

PUBLIC LECTURE SERIES

Neutrino Astronomy: A New Window
into the Extreme Universe

Featuring Guest Speaker:
Marcos Santander



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00:00:07,110 --> 00:00:04,550
hello everyone welcome to the space

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00:00:09,270 --> 00:00:07,120
telescope public lecture series

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00:00:11,910 --> 00:00:09,280
today's talk will focus on neutrino

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00:00:13,030 --> 00:00:11,920
astronomy a new window into the extreme

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00:00:15,990 --> 00:00:13,040
universe

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00:00:19,429 --> 00:00:16,000
our speaker today is dr marco santander

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00:00:21,590 --> 00:00:19,439
from the university of alabama

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00:00:23,830 --> 00:00:21,600
my name is dr quinn hart and i'm a

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00:00:25,509 --> 00:00:23,840
senior education and outreach scientist

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00:00:27,269 --> 00:00:25,519
in the office of public outreach at the

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00:00:28,550 --> 00:00:27,279
space telescope science institute in

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00:00:33,709 --> 00:00:28,560
baltimore

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00:00:36,229 --> 00:00:33,719

dr frank summers he's taking some

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00:00:37,670 --> 00:00:36,239

well-deserved time off so i'll be your

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00:00:39,910 --> 00:00:37,680

host tonight

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00:00:42,150 --> 00:00:39,920

we couldn't run this lecture series

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00:00:45,510 --> 00:00:42,160

without the support of our other regular

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00:00:47,910 --> 00:00:45,520

public lecture series team thomas

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00:00:50,150 --> 00:00:47,920

marufu and grant justice at space

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00:00:51,670 --> 00:00:50,160

telescope who make sure that all the

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00:00:53,110 --> 00:00:51,680

technical details for these events are

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00:00:54,389 --> 00:00:53,120

running smoothly

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00:00:56,630 --> 00:00:54,399

this is why we can bring this talk to

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00:00:58,150 --> 00:00:56,640

you virtually in real time and as a

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00:01:01,110 --> 00:00:58,160

recording if you're watching at a later

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00:01:05,109 --> 00:01:02,869

well what are some of the upcoming

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00:01:07,270 --> 00:01:05,119

public lecture series talks well next

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00:01:08,950 --> 00:01:07,280

month when dr frank summer returns he

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00:01:10,950 --> 00:01:08,960

will be your host

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00:01:13,350 --> 00:01:10,960

and he's going to be your speaker he'll

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00:01:15,590 --> 00:01:13,360

be talking to you about ada karina a

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00:01:18,310 --> 00:01:15,600

massive star that has some major past

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00:01:20,870 --> 00:01:18,320

explosions that might appear like

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00:01:23,030 --> 00:01:20,880

they're supernova-like but really aren't

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00:01:24,310 --> 00:01:23,040

and create some amazing nebular features

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00:01:26,789 --> 00:01:24,320

surrounding it

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00:01:28,870 --> 00:01:26,799

in june the talk will focus on how we

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00:01:31,910 --> 00:01:28,880

understand the formation and evolution

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of galaxies by dr cameron hummels

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00:01:35,590 --> 00:01:33,920

now we don't have a talk in july

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but we anticipate that the commissioning

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00:01:40,550 --> 00:01:37,600

of the james webb space telescope will

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be concluded and we will see the highly

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00:01:44,870 --> 00:01:42,479

anticipated release of the first science

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images from the telescope so we're

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00:01:48,710 --> 00:01:46,399

planning a talk in august that will

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00:01:51,190 --> 00:01:48,720

focus on these first observations from

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00:01:55,109 --> 00:01:53,270

to learn more about

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00:01:57,109 --> 00:01:55,119

today's talk

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00:01:58,630 --> 00:01:57,119

these upcoming talks

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00:02:00,149 --> 00:01:58,640
you can go to our website where you can

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00:02:05,270 --> 00:02:00,159
find our links to the webcast our

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00:02:09,749 --> 00:02:07,590
public dash lectures

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00:02:11,589 --> 00:02:09,759
you will find links to our webcast and

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00:02:12,869 --> 00:02:11,599
you you can subscribe to our mailing

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00:02:14,550 --> 00:02:12,879
list to get

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00:02:16,550 --> 00:02:14,560
the talk announcements so you don't miss

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00:02:18,070 --> 00:02:16,560
a thing

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00:02:19,910 --> 00:02:18,080
if you scroll down on that page you'll

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00:02:22,470 --> 00:02:19,920
see the list of the upcoming lectures

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00:02:25,110 --> 00:02:22,480
that i just referenced but you can also

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00:02:26,309 --> 00:02:25,120
find links to all of our past lectures

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00:02:28,630 --> 00:02:26,319

here as well

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00:02:29,990 --> 00:02:28,640

now if you click on read more for any of

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00:02:32,150 --> 00:02:30,000

the talks

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00:02:34,630 --> 00:02:32,160

it will bring you to a dedicated page

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00:02:36,390 --> 00:02:34,640

where you will find the talk

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00:02:39,430 --> 00:02:36,400

information including the title the

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00:02:40,869 --> 00:02:39,440

speaker and a description of that talk

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00:02:43,670 --> 00:02:40,879

you will find the links to all the

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00:02:46,070 --> 00:02:43,680

recorded talks either through the stsci

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00:02:47,030 --> 00:02:46,080

webcast or through the youtube channel

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00:02:48,710 --> 00:02:47,040

here

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00:02:50,710 --> 00:02:48,720

so welcome to those of you who happen to

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00:02:53,350 --> 00:02:50,720

be listening to a recorded version of

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00:02:57,350 --> 00:02:55,270

for our email list you can sign up on

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00:02:59,830 --> 00:02:57,360

the public lecture series webpage on our

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00:03:02,949 --> 00:02:59,840

website you can also subscribe to our

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00:03:05,750 --> 00:03:02,959

youtube channel which is youtube.com

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00:03:07,990 --> 00:03:05,760

hubble space telescope where you will

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00:03:09,670 --> 00:03:08,000

get new video notices and reminders of

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00:03:11,670 --> 00:03:09,680

live events to come

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00:03:13,430 --> 00:03:11,680

you can also send any comments or

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00:03:15,910 --> 00:03:13,440

questions about the public

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00:03:21,430 --> 00:03:15,920

public lecture series itself to public

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00:03:24,869 --> 00:03:22,949

now if you want to follow us on social

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00:03:25,670 --> 00:03:24,879

media to learn more about what's going

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00:03:26,630 --> 00:03:25,680

on

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in

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00:03:30,390 --> 00:03:28,000

the universe

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we have social media accounts for hubble

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web

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and roman

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00:03:39,030 --> 00:03:36,480

and sdsci the facebook pages names are

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there hubble telescope web telescope

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nasa roman and stsci we also have

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twitter accounts where you can follow

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along on the news of the day learn some

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more in-depth science uh see news press

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releases

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00:03:56,229 --> 00:03:53,680
a variety of things see a lot of threads

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00:03:58,070 --> 00:03:56,239
on signs like spectroscopy for example

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00:04:00,949 --> 00:03:58,080
so our twitter handles are there at

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00:04:03,190 --> 00:04:00,959
hubble telescope at nasa web at nasa

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00:04:05,190 --> 00:04:03,200
roman at space telescope

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00:04:06,949 --> 00:04:05,200
on youtube if you're watching on youtube

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00:04:09,429 --> 00:04:06,959
you're already on our channel hubble

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00:04:11,750 --> 00:04:09,439
space telescope and you can also look at

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00:04:13,750 --> 00:04:11,760
nasa web telescope and then we're also

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00:04:16,550 --> 00:04:13,760
on instagram at space underscore

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00:04:17,590 --> 00:04:16,560
telescopes and nasa web

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00:04:19,909 --> 00:04:17,600
so

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00:04:21,590 --> 00:04:19,919

plenty of opportunities to

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00:04:23,510 --> 00:04:21,600

learn about what we're doing over here

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00:04:25,670 --> 00:04:23,520

with the public lecture series but also

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00:04:27,430 --> 00:04:25,680

a ways to learn and keep up to date on

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00:04:29,749 --> 00:04:27,440

what's happening in the news

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00:04:31,990 --> 00:04:29,759

so speaking about the news let's talk a

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00:04:33,590 --> 00:04:32,000

little bit about some interesting things

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00:04:36,150 --> 00:04:33,600

that are happening

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00:04:39,430 --> 00:04:36,160

since uh frank last talked to you last

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00:04:40,870 --> 00:04:39,440

month so news from the universe now

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00:04:43,189 --> 00:04:40,880

i'd like to continue what frank

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00:04:44,950 --> 00:04:43,199

continued last month which is giving you

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00:04:48,150 --> 00:04:44,960

some web updates

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00:04:51,030 --> 00:04:48,160

so web has had a major uh

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00:04:52,629 --> 00:04:51,040

alignment milestone and many of you may

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00:04:54,390 --> 00:04:52,639

have already seen this image but have

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00:04:58,070 --> 00:04:54,400

you had if you have not

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00:04:59,030 --> 00:04:58,080

this is a telescope alignment evaluation

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00:05:01,029 --> 00:04:59,040

image

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00:05:04,150 --> 00:05:01,039

now last month frank showed us that the

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00:05:06,390 --> 00:05:04,160

18 images of a star was image with web

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00:05:08,150 --> 00:05:06,400

that's because the 18 hexagonal mirrors

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00:05:10,710 --> 00:05:08,160

that make up the primary were not

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00:05:12,230 --> 00:05:10,720

aligned yet so you saw individual images

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00:05:14,230 --> 00:05:12,240

as the engineers began to move the

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00:05:16,070 --> 00:05:14,240

mirrors very fine movements they were

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able to stack the images to create one

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00:05:20,070 --> 00:05:17,759

star image

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00:05:22,710 --> 00:05:20,080

but that stacked image still needed to

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be sharpened up so in mid-march the

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00:05:27,110 --> 00:05:25,280

mirrors were successfully lined with one

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00:05:28,950 --> 00:05:27,120

of the instruments on web called the

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00:05:31,189 --> 00:05:28,960

near cam instrument

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00:05:32,390 --> 00:05:31,199

uh and that's uh

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00:05:35,270 --> 00:05:32,400

this is how this

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00:05:38,550 --> 00:05:35,280

image was taken was with that instrument

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00:05:40,790 --> 00:05:38,560

this star has a very long set of code

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00:05:41,670 --> 00:05:40,800

names it's two mass

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00:05:44,469 --> 00:05:41,680

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00:05:45,590 --> 00:05:44,479

one seven five five four zero four two

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00:05:49,110 --> 00:05:45,600

plus

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00:05:50,629 --> 00:05:49,120

six six five five one two seven seven

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00:05:53,350 --> 00:05:50,639

and you might be asking that's a really

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00:05:55,590 --> 00:05:53,360

long slew of numbers and it's basically

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00:05:57,270 --> 00:05:55,600

the coordinates of the star of writer's

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00:05:58,870 --> 00:05:57,280

ascension and declination

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00:06:01,909 --> 00:05:58,880

the image used

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00:06:03,909 --> 00:06:01,919

a filter at two microns in the infrared

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00:06:06,790 --> 00:06:03,919

and it's colorized in this red to

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00:06:09,029 --> 00:06:06,800

optimize the visual contrast

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00:06:10,390 --> 00:06:09,039

this beautiful engineering image

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00:06:12,469 --> 00:06:10,400

shows us that the optics on the

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00:06:14,230 --> 00:06:12,479

telescope are aligned with the near cam

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00:06:15,749 --> 00:06:14,240

instrument again this is a major

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00:06:17,990 --> 00:06:15,759

milestone for the telescope because

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00:06:20,150 --> 00:06:18,000

every optical parameter of the eyes of

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00:06:24,309 --> 00:06:20,160

the telescope has been checked out and

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00:06:26,469 --> 00:06:24,319

it's performing at or above expectations

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00:06:28,150 --> 00:06:26,479

it's just spectacular it's beautiful to

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00:06:30,469 --> 00:06:28,160

look at when you say

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00:06:32,710 --> 00:06:30,479

now again this is crucial in order to

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00:06:34,550 --> 00:06:32,720

start future science observations after

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00:06:36,230 --> 00:06:34,560

the telescope's full commissioning has

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00:06:39,110 --> 00:06:36,240
concluded

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00:06:40,710 --> 00:06:39,120
now one thing that pops out at you may

178
00:06:43,590 --> 00:06:40,720
be that

179
00:06:45,830 --> 00:06:43,600
the diffraction spikes on this star

180
00:06:47,510 --> 00:06:45,840
taken by web looks different than the

181
00:06:48,710 --> 00:06:47,520
diffraction spikes on the hubble space

182
00:06:50,870 --> 00:06:48,720
telescope

183
00:06:53,510 --> 00:06:50,880
there are six major spikes on the web

184
00:06:55,189 --> 00:06:53,520
image in contrast to the four spikes you

185
00:06:56,950 --> 00:06:55,199
normally see with a hubble star which

186
00:06:59,189 --> 00:06:56,960
you see on the right there of a variable

187
00:07:00,150 --> 00:06:59,199
star rs

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00:07:02,150 --> 00:07:00,160

puppis

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00:07:04,469 --> 00:07:02,160

the difference here is related to the

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00:07:06,309 --> 00:07:04,479

shape of the primary or the main mirror

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on the telescopes and the struts that

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00:07:11,110 --> 00:07:08,560

hold the secondary mirror

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00:07:12,950 --> 00:07:11,120

the jwst diffraction spike is a result

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of the edges on the outside of the

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00:07:18,070 --> 00:07:15,520

segmented mirror that uses a hexagonal

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00:07:20,070 --> 00:07:18,080

um mirrors individual mirrors and the

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00:07:22,390 --> 00:07:20,080

other minor feature is specifically in

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00:07:25,430 --> 00:07:22,400

the hub the web image the one goes

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00:07:27,350 --> 00:07:25,440

across that's kind of faint horizontally

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00:07:28,950 --> 00:07:27,360

that's related to the support structures

201
00:07:31,990 --> 00:07:28,960
for the secondary mirror

202
00:07:34,070 --> 00:07:32,000
now the other amazing image that really

203
00:07:36,309 --> 00:07:34,080
caught at least my eye was looking at

204
00:07:39,189 --> 00:07:36,319
all the detail in the background of that

205
00:07:42,150 --> 00:07:39,199
star seeing all those specs those are

206
00:07:44,830 --> 00:07:42,160
galaxies now this exp this image

207
00:07:47,670 --> 00:07:44,840
exposure time here is uh

208
00:07:49,990 --> 00:07:47,680
2104 seconds so it's about a 35 minute

209
00:07:51,589 --> 00:07:50,000
exposure

210
00:07:53,350 --> 00:07:51,599
it's really fun following some of the

211
00:07:55,189 --> 00:07:53,360
scientists on twitter going around

212
00:07:57,830 --> 00:07:55,199
looking for previous images of some of

213
00:08:00,070 --> 00:07:57,840

those galaxies and matching up to web so

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00:08:01,510 --> 00:08:00,080

for those of you who have some free time

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00:08:03,430 --> 00:08:01,520

on your hands definitely go check that

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00:08:05,670 --> 00:08:03,440

out

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00:08:07,430 --> 00:08:05,680

now we can compare the selfie images

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00:08:08,869 --> 00:08:07,440

that were made with the near cam

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00:08:10,629 --> 00:08:08,879

instrument on the left you see the

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00:08:12,309 --> 00:08:10,639

selfie when near cam was completely

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00:08:13,430 --> 00:08:12,319

aligned to the optical elements of the

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00:08:15,350 --> 00:08:13,440

telescope

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00:08:17,670 --> 00:08:15,360

notice that every mirror appears

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00:08:19,830 --> 00:08:17,680

uniformly illuminated that's part of the

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00:08:21,589 --> 00:08:19,840

alignment process on the right was the

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00:08:23,510 --> 00:08:21,599

first mirror selfie where each

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00:08:25,589 --> 00:08:23,520

individual mirror had not been aligned

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00:08:28,550 --> 00:08:25,599

yet and so you only saw one of the

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00:08:30,309 --> 00:08:28,560

mirrors actually um uh pick up light

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00:08:33,350 --> 00:08:30,319

that went into the camera

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00:08:35,909 --> 00:08:33,360

so um again that was pre and post full

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00:08:38,949 --> 00:08:35,919

alignment um on near cam

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00:08:41,750 --> 00:08:38,959

now what's next well right now is the

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00:08:42,870 --> 00:08:41,760

multi-instrument multi-field alignment

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00:08:44,550 --> 00:08:42,880

process

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00:08:46,310 --> 00:08:44,560

the telescope alignment for the other

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00:08:48,470 --> 00:08:46,320

instruments started after that first

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00:08:53,350 --> 00:08:48,480

alignment with the near cam instrument

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00:08:55,430 --> 00:08:53,360

as of april 1st the fine guidance sensor

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00:08:58,070 --> 00:08:55,440

so this is on the observatory here so

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00:09:00,790 --> 00:08:58,080

near cam is aligned with the the mirrors

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00:09:03,350 --> 00:09:00,800

uh the fine guidance sensor

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the near infrared slitless spectrograph

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and the near infrared spectrometer have

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all been successfully aligned with the

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observatory

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00:09:11,829 --> 00:09:10,240

in the weeks to come the instrument

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00:09:14,389 --> 00:09:11,839

there in the upper right hand side is

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00:09:16,790 --> 00:09:14,399

miri the mid infrared instrument it's

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00:09:18,710 --> 00:09:16,800

still cooling down with active cryogenic

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00:09:22,070 --> 00:09:18,720
cooling techniques to reach an operating

252
00:09:23,350 --> 00:09:22,080
temperature that's just below 7 kelvin

253
00:09:25,190 --> 00:09:23,360
quite cold

254
00:09:27,110 --> 00:09:25,200
then the telescope optical alignment can

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00:09:29,269 --> 00:09:27,120
begin for that particular instrument

256
00:09:30,389 --> 00:09:29,279
when that's successful there'll be a key

257
00:09:31,990 --> 00:09:30,399
meeting

258
00:09:34,310 --> 00:09:32,000
we'll be called to confirm the end of

259
00:09:36,389 --> 00:09:34,320
all this telescope alignment and then

260
00:09:37,990 --> 00:09:36,399
the instrument commissioning can begin

261
00:09:40,550 --> 00:09:38,000
so that we can get ready for science

262
00:09:41,430 --> 00:09:40,560
operations uh which can start in the

263
00:09:43,190 --> 00:09:41,440

summer

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00:09:45,110 --> 00:09:43,200

so there are exciting times here to

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00:09:47,350 --> 00:09:45,120

watch and to hear about all about this

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00:09:49,509 --> 00:09:47,360

amazing telescope gearing up to start

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00:09:51,750 --> 00:09:49,519

studying the universe in unprecedented

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00:09:54,230 --> 00:09:51,760

ways so our public lecture series will

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00:09:57,350 --> 00:09:54,240

keep you informed as the results come in

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00:09:59,509 --> 00:09:57,360

so stay tuned

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00:10:03,030 --> 00:09:59,519

another piece of news from the universe

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00:10:05,509 --> 00:10:03,040

here is hubble has broken its own record

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00:10:06,389 --> 00:10:05,519

and has spotted the faintest star ever

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00:10:09,190 --> 00:10:06,399

seen

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00:10:10,949 --> 00:10:09,200

so how's it possible to detect a star so

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00:10:12,710 --> 00:10:10,959

distant that we're looking so far into

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00:10:16,790 --> 00:10:12,720

the mass so what you see here on the

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00:10:20,790 --> 00:10:16,800

left is a large view of a galaxy cluster

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00:10:24,949 --> 00:10:22,550

it's a collection of hundreds of

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00:10:26,870 --> 00:10:24,959

galaxies bound together by gravity now

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00:10:28,550 --> 00:10:26,880

most of the cluster mass is actually in

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dark matter but when you take all the

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mass that dark matter and the regular

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00:10:35,750 --> 00:10:33,360

matter it warps or bends the fabric of

285

00:10:37,430 --> 00:10:35,760

space-time so any light source behind

286

00:10:39,910 --> 00:10:37,440

the cluster that passes through the

287

00:10:42,310 --> 00:10:39,920

cluster can appear uh stretched out or

288

00:10:43,110 --> 00:10:42,320

warped to and it also can magnify the

289

00:10:45,430 --> 00:10:43,120

light

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00:10:47,590 --> 00:10:45,440

this is called gravitational lensing

291

00:10:49,990 --> 00:10:47,600

so when we are seeing the light from a

292

00:10:53,030 --> 00:10:50,000

star nicknamed arendelle

293

00:10:54,870 --> 00:10:53,040

it appears now what i'll do here is

294

00:10:57,030 --> 00:10:54,880

zoom in a little closer to a small

295

00:10:59,430 --> 00:10:57,040

section of that image and you'll notice

296

00:11:02,870 --> 00:10:59,440

this reddish colored arc and this arrow

297

00:11:08,230 --> 00:11:02,880

here is pointing to that furthest star

298

00:11:13,030 --> 00:11:10,710

it's the light has been traveling

299

00:11:16,150 --> 00:11:13,040

through the universe to get to hubble

300

00:11:18,310 --> 00:11:16,160

for the past 12.9 billion years so just

301
00:11:19,590 --> 00:11:18,320
about a billion years after the big bang

302
00:11:21,350 --> 00:11:19,600
and again this was

303
00:11:23,190 --> 00:11:21,360
possible due to a special set of

304
00:11:25,590 --> 00:11:23,200
circumstances so let's break that down

305
00:11:27,750 --> 00:11:25,600
really quickly

306
00:11:29,269 --> 00:11:27,760
so when we take again look at the

307
00:11:31,990 --> 00:11:29,279
close look at one of these warp features

308
00:11:33,829 --> 00:11:32,000
you can see a series of dots the one dot

309
00:11:35,750 --> 00:11:33,839
that's pointed out there is that really

310
00:11:37,670 --> 00:11:35,760
distant star

311
00:11:39,910 --> 00:11:37,680
the warp features here happen to lie

312
00:11:41,829 --> 00:11:39,920
along a line of maximum magnification

313
00:11:44,710 --> 00:11:41,839

called a caustic and the star's

314

00:11:46,630 --> 00:11:44,720

brightness also increased a thousand

315

00:11:48,630 --> 00:11:46,640

fold which is why we can see it at such

316

00:11:50,389 --> 00:11:48,640

a large distance due to this very

317

00:11:51,829 --> 00:11:50,399

perfect alignment with the cluster in

318

00:11:54,069 --> 00:11:51,839

the foreground

319

00:11:57,190 --> 00:11:54,079

the detection surpassed the previous

320

00:11:58,790 --> 00:11:57,200

star distance record by hubble that star

321

00:11:59,990 --> 00:11:58,800

is located a distance so though we're

322

00:12:02,870 --> 00:12:00,000

peering back

323

00:12:05,910 --> 00:12:02,880

only 9.8 billion years into the past

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00:12:07,350 --> 00:12:05,920

compared to 12.9 billion years here for

325

00:12:09,350 --> 00:12:07,360

for arendelle

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00:12:11,190 --> 00:12:09,360

the previous record holder was also

327

00:12:13,509 --> 00:12:11,200

detected by a gravitational lensing

328

00:12:15,110 --> 00:12:13,519

effect by a foreground cluster of galax

329

00:12:16,790 --> 00:12:15,120

galaxies now my area of research in the

330

00:12:18,389 --> 00:12:16,800

past has been clusters of galaxies

331

00:12:20,790 --> 00:12:18,399

that's near and dear to my heart so i

332

00:12:22,069 --> 00:12:20,800

love seeing these images

333

00:12:24,389 --> 00:12:22,079

now it's really important to find these

334

00:12:26,470 --> 00:12:24,399

ancient stars because their properties

335

00:12:28,949 --> 00:12:26,480

give us clues into star formation when

336

00:12:31,110 --> 00:12:28,959

the universe was really young

337

00:12:33,590 --> 00:12:31,120

what how how massive were they how

338

00:12:35,670 --> 00:12:33,600

bright were they what were they composed

339

00:12:37,350 --> 00:12:35,680

of was it mostly traces of hydrogen and

340

00:12:38,870 --> 00:12:37,360

helium from

341

00:12:40,870 --> 00:12:38,880

the beginning

342

00:12:43,030 --> 00:12:40,880

of the the universe

343

00:12:45,590 --> 00:12:43,040

did they already have heavy elements

344

00:12:48,069 --> 00:12:45,600

like carbon and nitrogen so researchers

345

00:12:49,829 --> 00:12:48,079

will continue to study arendelle with

346

00:12:51,990 --> 00:12:49,839

the james webb space telescope to

347

00:12:53,990 --> 00:12:52,000

uncover more details and give us some

348

00:12:55,509 --> 00:12:54,000

more answers

349

00:12:57,509 --> 00:12:55,519

so that's the news that i wanted to

350

00:13:00,150 --> 00:12:57,519

share with you today

351
00:13:02,389 --> 00:13:00,160
and now we'll move on here to

352
00:13:03,829 --> 00:13:02,399
i'd like to introduce to you our speaker

353
00:13:05,350 --> 00:13:03,839
so again

354
00:13:08,230 --> 00:13:05,360
tonight we're going to be hearing about

355
00:13:11,350 --> 00:13:08,240
neutrino astronomy a new window into the

356
00:13:13,670 --> 00:13:11,360
extreme universe dr marcos santander

357
00:13:16,150 --> 00:13:13,680
from the university of alabama

358
00:13:18,949 --> 00:13:16,160
so let me

359
00:13:21,990 --> 00:13:18,959
stop sharing my screen here

360
00:13:28,870 --> 00:13:25,829
and i'd like to uh welcome dr santander

361
00:13:30,710 --> 00:13:28,880
to the public lecture series here marcus

362
00:13:33,350 --> 00:13:30,720
was born in the province province of

363
00:13:35,190 --> 00:13:33,360

mendoza argentina near the andes a

364

00:13:37,350 --> 00:13:35,200

region that is best known outside of the

365

00:13:39,750 --> 00:13:37,360

country for its wine production mall

366

00:13:41,670 --> 00:13:39,760

back in particular and i can attest to

367

00:13:43,350 --> 00:13:41,680

the wonderfulness of malbec because i

368

00:13:44,470 --> 00:13:43,360

had a bottle this weekend

369

00:13:46,389 --> 00:13:44,480

with friends

370

00:13:47,670 --> 00:13:46,399

now he earned his bachelor's degree in

371

00:13:50,870 --> 00:13:47,680

engineering from the national

372

00:13:53,350 --> 00:13:50,880

technological ins uh technological

373

00:13:55,110 --> 00:13:53,360

university in argentina he moved to the

374

00:13:58,310 --> 00:13:55,120

university of wisconsin-madison to

375

00:14:01,430 --> 00:13:58,320

purdue pursue a phd in physics working

376

00:14:04,470 --> 00:14:01,440

on the ice cube neutrino observatory he

377

00:14:06,470 --> 00:14:04,480

graduated in 2013 and moved to barnard

378

00:14:08,949 --> 00:14:06,480

college columbia university for a

379

00:14:11,269 --> 00:14:08,959

postdoc in gamma-ray astronomy until

380

00:14:13,269 --> 00:14:11,279

2017 when he joined the faculty at the

381

00:14:14,470 --> 00:14:13,279

university of alabama as an assistant

382

00:14:17,030 --> 00:14:14,480

professor

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00:14:19,509 --> 00:14:17,040

since then he leads his research group

384

00:14:21,670 --> 00:14:19,519

on the study of neutrino and gamma ray

385

00:14:23,670 --> 00:14:21,680

emission from some of the most powerful

386

00:14:25,509 --> 00:14:23,680

objects in the universe

387

00:14:28,069 --> 00:14:25,519

when not thinking about high-energy

388

00:14:30,389 --> 00:14:28,079

astrophysical sources he also enjoys

389

00:14:32,069 --> 00:14:30,399

astronomy as a hobby looking through his

390

00:14:34,710 --> 00:14:32,079

backyard telescope

391

00:14:36,069 --> 00:14:34,720

beyond astronomy he enjoys photography

392

00:14:38,389 --> 00:14:36,079

playing guitar

393

00:14:40,310 --> 00:14:38,399

watching argentine soccer and most of

394

00:14:43,110 --> 00:14:40,320

all spending time with his daughters

395

00:14:46,629 --> 00:14:43,120

florencia and emma so let's give a warm

396

00:14:50,150 --> 00:14:46,639

welcome to dr santander and uh take it

397

00:14:53,910 --> 00:14:52,389

okay thank you very much dr hart and

398

00:14:54,710 --> 00:14:53,920

it's really a pleasure and honor to be

399

00:14:57,110 --> 00:14:54,720

here

400

00:14:59,509 --> 00:14:57,120

uh talking to you um

401

00:15:01,990 --> 00:14:59,519

i mean at this institute that

402

00:15:04,150 --> 00:15:02,000

meant so much for my formation as i as

403

00:15:06,230 --> 00:15:04,160

even though uh indirectly as you will

404

00:15:07,990 --> 00:15:06,240

learn later on so i'm going to be

405

00:15:10,150 --> 00:15:08,000

talking about nutrient astronomy and

406

00:15:11,350 --> 00:15:10,160

perhaps that's a new topic to this kind

407

00:15:13,670 --> 00:15:11,360

of lectures

408

00:15:15,189 --> 00:15:13,680

and uh i will try to motivate that as a

409

00:15:16,389 --> 00:15:15,199

new way of looking at the extreme

410

00:15:17,829 --> 00:15:16,399

universe and when i talk about the

411

00:15:19,670 --> 00:15:17,839

extreme universe i'm talking mostly

412

00:15:22,150 --> 00:15:19,680

about the highest energies that we can

413

00:15:23,189 --> 00:15:22,160

observe uh from our vantage point in the

414

00:15:25,750 --> 00:15:23,199

universe

415

00:15:26,550 --> 00:15:25,760

and so for the last few centuries we've

416

00:15:28,790 --> 00:15:26,560

been

417

00:15:30,949 --> 00:15:28,800

uh doing astronomy mostly with visible

418

00:15:31,910 --> 00:15:30,959

lights i mean for the last 300 years or

419

00:15:34,310 --> 00:15:31,920

so but

420

00:15:36,629 --> 00:15:34,320

in the 20th century with the development

421

00:15:39,030 --> 00:15:36,639

of electronics and also with development

422

00:15:41,189 --> 00:15:39,040

of new sensor techniques

423

00:15:44,069 --> 00:15:41,199

we've been able to expand that window

424

00:15:44,870 --> 00:15:44,079

into the universe into other wavelengths

425

00:15:47,269 --> 00:15:44,880

that

426

00:15:49,189 --> 00:15:47,279

are not visible to the human eye all the

427

00:15:50,629 --> 00:15:49,199

way from radio with radio telescopes

428

00:15:53,350 --> 00:15:50,639

going through microwave and of course i

429

00:15:55,590 --> 00:15:53,360

have to mention jwst and hubble as the

430

00:15:58,790 --> 00:15:55,600

as the darlings of the of the institute

431

00:16:00,870 --> 00:15:58,800

uh going to higher energies in chandra

432

00:16:02,230 --> 00:16:00,880

uh and gamma rays for instance with our

433

00:16:04,870 --> 00:16:02,240

orbiting satellites and also uh

434

00:16:06,710 --> 00:16:04,880

ground-based sub ground-based telescopes

435

00:16:07,749 --> 00:16:06,720

and out of the entire electromagnetic

436

00:16:09,910 --> 00:16:07,759

spectrum

437

00:16:12,150 --> 00:16:09,920

that spans many many energies many

438

00:16:14,710 --> 00:16:12,160

orders of magnitude energy we only see a

439

00:16:16,310 --> 00:16:14,720

sliver of that with our own eyes and

440

00:16:18,150 --> 00:16:16,320

therefore we want to expand that

441

00:16:19,749 --> 00:16:18,160

especially pushing it towards the higher

442

00:16:20,949 --> 00:16:19,759

energy and in this case in this

443

00:16:23,110 --> 00:16:20,959

electromagnetic spectrum what you're

444

00:16:25,189 --> 00:16:23,120

seeing here the photon energy increases

445

00:16:27,430 --> 00:16:25,199

to the right okay so we're going to try

446

00:16:29,829 --> 00:16:27,440

to push even further to the right to try

447

00:16:31,910 --> 00:16:29,839

to reach the highest observable

448

00:16:34,310 --> 00:16:31,920

things in the universe and why do we do

449

00:16:36,470 --> 00:16:34,320

that because we can study different

450

00:16:38,550 --> 00:16:36,480

phenomena in the universe by looking at

451
00:16:40,150 --> 00:16:38,560
them in different energies and just to

452
00:16:41,430 --> 00:16:40,160
show you kind of an illustration that

453
00:16:43,509 --> 00:16:41,440
each one of these telescopes has a

454
00:16:46,389 --> 00:16:43,519
different sky to look at i wanted to

455
00:16:47,829 --> 00:16:46,399
kind of use an example for

456
00:16:49,990 --> 00:16:47,839
something that you can see with your own

457
00:16:53,110 --> 00:16:50,000
eyes for instance the the big dipper is

458
00:16:56,310 --> 00:16:53,120
a altruism in the northern sky

459
00:16:57,430 --> 00:16:56,320
and if you look at it on any given night

460
00:16:59,910 --> 00:16:57,440
into if you're in the northern

461
00:17:02,949 --> 00:16:59,920
hemisphere you will see uh that what

462
00:17:05,350 --> 00:17:02,959
makes this are discrete points so point

463
00:17:07,029 --> 00:17:05,360

sources of light right and of course we

464

00:17:08,470 --> 00:17:07,039

identify those as stars i mean that's

465

00:17:10,630 --> 00:17:08,480

not surprising

466

00:17:11,990 --> 00:17:10,640

but if we wanted to look at this at very

467

00:17:14,390 --> 00:17:12,000

high energies

468

00:17:15,829 --> 00:17:14,400

uh let me look let me show you the same

469

00:17:18,150 --> 00:17:15,839

patch of sky

470

00:17:20,069 --> 00:17:18,160

but looking at it at in gamma rays with

471

00:17:23,189 --> 00:17:20,079

the fermi space telescope

472

00:17:24,789 --> 00:17:23,199

so this view now is shown only in gamma

473

00:17:26,549 --> 00:17:24,799

rays the colors here indicate different

474

00:17:28,309 --> 00:17:26,559

gamma ray energies and it's the same

475

00:17:30,150 --> 00:17:28,319

patch of sky i haven't changed anything

476

00:17:31,909 --> 00:17:30,160

in the coordinates so if you flip back

477

00:17:34,230 --> 00:17:31,919

and forth you'll notice that there's

478

00:17:35,029 --> 00:17:34,240

nothing that resembles the big dipper in

479

00:17:37,270 --> 00:17:35,039

this

480

00:17:39,990 --> 00:17:37,280

part of the sky and the reason for that

481

00:17:42,070 --> 00:17:40,000

is that now these point sources of light

482

00:17:44,310 --> 00:17:42,080

are not longer

483

00:17:46,390 --> 00:17:44,320

stars they're actually super massive

484

00:17:48,310 --> 00:17:46,400

black holes at the distance of at the

485

00:17:50,870 --> 00:17:48,320

center of distant galaxies

486

00:17:53,029 --> 00:17:50,880

that are accelerating particles and are

487

00:17:55,830 --> 00:17:53,039

shining in gamma rays for instance this

488

00:17:56,950 --> 00:17:55,840

particular one is 8.2 billion light

489

00:17:59,350 --> 00:17:56,960

years away

490

00:18:02,230 --> 00:17:59,360

so that kind of tells us that if we

491

00:18:03,190 --> 00:18:02,240

wanted to look at very high energies you

492

00:18:04,950 --> 00:18:03,200

have to use a different type of

493

00:18:06,950 --> 00:18:04,960

telescope but that will tell you about

494

00:18:09,510 --> 00:18:06,960

something else in the sky that you may

495

00:18:11,590 --> 00:18:09,520

not be able to see with just a visible

496

00:18:14,310 --> 00:18:11,600

light so we want to keep pushing in that

497

00:18:16,549 --> 00:18:14,320

direction towards higher energies okay

498

00:18:18,549 --> 00:18:16,559

so you would say okay we have this great

499

00:18:20,710 --> 00:18:18,559

view of the of the sky with gamma rays

500

00:18:23,190 --> 00:18:20,720

let's keep pushing there let's keep uh

501
00:18:25,590 --> 00:18:23,200
looking at even higher energies in gamma

502
00:18:27,750 --> 00:18:25,600
rays but is unfortunately an issue with

503
00:18:30,230 --> 00:18:27,760
gamma rays is that at some point the

504
00:18:31,270 --> 00:18:30,240
universe actually becomes opaque this

505
00:18:32,950 --> 00:18:31,280
remnant

506
00:18:33,909 --> 00:18:32,960
light from the first generations of

507
00:18:36,390 --> 00:18:33,919
stars

508
00:18:38,950 --> 00:18:36,400
there's also remnant radiation from the

509
00:18:41,110 --> 00:18:38,960
cosmic uh from the big bang called the

510
00:18:43,029 --> 00:18:41,120
cosmic microwave background and that

511
00:18:45,590 --> 00:18:43,039
actually acts as a fog

512
00:18:48,150 --> 00:18:45,600
in the uh in the universe that prevents

513
00:18:49,669 --> 00:18:48,160

the propagation of gamma rays over very

514

00:18:52,549 --> 00:18:49,679

long distances

515

00:18:55,029 --> 00:18:52,559

so at energies that i'm going to measure

516

00:18:57,669 --> 00:18:55,039

in units of electron volt is a perhaps

517

00:18:59,990 --> 00:18:57,679

not a very popular unit of measurement

518

00:19:01,350 --> 00:19:00,000

for energy of photons but just to give

519

00:19:02,870 --> 00:19:01,360

you an indication of what we're going to

520

00:19:05,510 --> 00:19:02,880

be talking about the light that we see

521

00:19:08,310 --> 00:19:05,520

with our own eyes has a an energy of

522

00:19:10,789 --> 00:19:08,320

about one electron volt okay so when i

523

00:19:12,789 --> 00:19:10,799

show here things that have one mega

524

00:19:14,710 --> 00:19:12,799

electron volts meaning 10 to the six or

525

00:19:17,190 --> 00:19:14,720

one million electron volts that means

526
00:19:18,390 --> 00:19:17,200
that that light has energies of about a

527
00:19:21,190 --> 00:19:18,400
million times

528
00:19:22,630 --> 00:19:21,200
uh the energy of visible light

529
00:19:24,070 --> 00:19:22,640
very well so

530
00:19:25,830 --> 00:19:24,080
as i mentioned before i want to keep

531
00:19:27,510 --> 00:19:25,840
pushing to the right in this kind of a

532
00:19:29,990 --> 00:19:27,520
plot so that i can see things with

533
00:19:32,710 --> 00:19:30,000
higher and higher energies and

534
00:19:34,950 --> 00:19:32,720
um as you can see here this kind of blue

535
00:19:36,789 --> 00:19:34,960
blob is showing me where i can no longer

536
00:19:38,549 --> 00:19:36,799
see into the universe because the

537
00:19:40,870 --> 00:19:38,559
universe becomes opaque

538
00:19:42,150 --> 00:19:40,880

and at energies of about 10 to the 15

539

00:19:44,310 --> 00:19:42,160

electron volts

540

00:19:45,750 --> 00:19:44,320

one beta electron volt i cannot even see

541

00:19:47,590 --> 00:19:45,760

all the way to the galactic center i

542

00:19:50,070 --> 00:19:47,600

mean you can go out in the southern

543

00:19:52,950 --> 00:19:50,080

hemisphere look at sagittarius and you

544

00:19:54,710 --> 00:19:52,960

will see kind of the the the group of

545

00:19:55,830 --> 00:19:54,720

stars in the night sky

546

00:19:58,070 --> 00:19:55,840

um

547

00:20:00,390 --> 00:19:58,080

that are kind of towards the galactic

548

00:20:02,149 --> 00:20:00,400

center but you cannot do that with this

549

00:20:03,909 --> 00:20:02,159

very high energy gamma rays and

550

00:20:06,070 --> 00:20:03,919

therefore we want to use something else

551
00:20:08,630 --> 00:20:06,080
we'll explore the highest energies

552
00:20:10,950 --> 00:20:08,640
observable in the universe really to

553
00:20:12,870 --> 00:20:10,960
look not only high energy but also very

554
00:20:15,029 --> 00:20:12,880
deep in the universe

555
00:20:16,870 --> 00:20:15,039
and let me put together kind of uh what

556
00:20:18,710 --> 00:20:16,880
i will think would be the ideal

557
00:20:20,390 --> 00:20:18,720
messenger from the high-energy universe

558
00:20:22,310 --> 00:20:20,400
if we wanted to put together a particle

559
00:20:24,310 --> 00:20:22,320
that can transmit that energy that can

560
00:20:25,909 --> 00:20:24,320
transmit that information from these

561
00:20:27,590 --> 00:20:25,919
sources

562
00:20:29,510 --> 00:20:27,600
i would say that

563
00:20:31,830 --> 00:20:29,520

it would have to be neutral electrically

564

00:20:33,830 --> 00:20:31,840

neutral because charged particles are

565

00:20:35,430 --> 00:20:33,840

bent by magnetic fields and we know that

566

00:20:37,750 --> 00:20:35,440

there are magnetic fields in our galaxy

567

00:20:39,510 --> 00:20:37,760

and also between galaxies and therefore

568

00:20:41,110 --> 00:20:39,520

their paths are bent and we cannot do

569

00:20:43,190 --> 00:20:41,120

astronomy like that because by the time

570

00:20:44,549 --> 00:20:43,200

they reach you those charged particles

571

00:20:46,390 --> 00:20:44,559

would have traveled on kind of a

572

00:20:47,750 --> 00:20:46,400

wandering path and they will not point

573

00:20:49,750 --> 00:20:47,760

back to the source which is a kind of a

574

00:20:50,470 --> 00:20:49,760

requirement for two astronomy

575

00:20:51,590 --> 00:20:50,480

so

576

00:20:52,789 --> 00:20:51,600

they would have to be electrically

577

00:20:54,549 --> 00:20:52,799

neutral

578

00:20:56,070 --> 00:20:54,559

they will also have to propagate over

579

00:20:58,549 --> 00:20:56,080

long distances without the gain there

580

00:21:00,789 --> 00:20:58,559

are many particles out there

581

00:21:03,590 --> 00:21:00,799

in the kind of the um in particle

582

00:21:05,750 --> 00:21:03,600

physics that are neutral but they decay

583

00:21:07,190 --> 00:21:05,760

very quickly and we want that these

584

00:21:09,029 --> 00:21:07,200

particles don't decay while they're

585

00:21:11,669 --> 00:21:09,039

traveling to us or the way otherwise

586

00:21:13,909 --> 00:21:11,679

we'll lose that information

587

00:21:15,909 --> 00:21:13,919

we also want to have a low probability

588

00:21:18,789 --> 00:21:15,919

of being absorbed so that nothing in

589

00:21:20,630 --> 00:21:18,799

between that source and us can block

590

00:21:22,789 --> 00:21:20,640

that information

591

00:21:24,470 --> 00:21:22,799

and finally we want them to be unique

592

00:21:26,710 --> 00:21:24,480

because we already have a view of the

593

00:21:27,990 --> 00:21:26,720

high-energy sky already in some to some

594

00:21:31,590 --> 00:21:28,000

extent

595

00:21:32,950 --> 00:21:31,600

from light alone but we want that uh

596

00:21:34,710 --> 00:21:32,960

information to provide kind of a

597

00:21:37,350 --> 00:21:34,720

complementary view of the universe that

598

00:21:38,710 --> 00:21:37,360

we can join together with

599

00:21:40,470 --> 00:21:38,720

with photons

600

00:21:42,630 --> 00:21:40,480

so that they can provide a different

601
00:21:45,110 --> 00:21:42,640
type of information so with that

602
00:21:47,029 --> 00:21:45,120
wishlist you look at the particles that

603
00:21:49,110 --> 00:21:47,039
are out there in the in particle physics

604
00:21:50,630 --> 00:21:49,120
that are known and actually there is one

605
00:21:52,950 --> 00:21:50,640
that works great and that is the

606
00:21:55,909 --> 00:21:52,960
neutrino okay so we'll introduce very

607
00:21:57,590 --> 00:21:55,919
briefly the neutrinos so neutrinos are

608
00:21:59,990 --> 00:21:57,600
neutral particles they're elementary

609
00:22:03,830 --> 00:22:00,000
particles and they have a very low very

610
00:22:05,830 --> 00:22:03,840
small but non-zero mass okay so as far

611
00:22:08,149 --> 00:22:05,840
as we know they're elementary particles

612
00:22:11,669 --> 00:22:08,159
and they were first proposed in 1930s

613
00:22:13,990 --> 00:22:11,679

and but they were first detected in 1956

614

00:22:15,430 --> 00:22:14,000

and that delay between proposal and

615

00:22:17,750 --> 00:22:15,440

detection has a good

616

00:22:19,029 --> 00:22:17,760

um has a good reason once i tell you a

617

00:22:20,950 --> 00:22:19,039

little bit more about them why they are

618

00:22:22,789 --> 00:22:20,960

so hard to detect

619

00:22:25,110 --> 00:22:22,799

what are some of the sources that

620

00:22:26,470 --> 00:22:25,120

produce neutrinos that we know of

621

00:22:29,350 --> 00:22:26,480

we know that they're producing

622

00:22:30,630 --> 00:22:29,360

radioactive decays both on the ground on

623

00:22:33,990 --> 00:22:30,640

the ground

624

00:22:35,990 --> 00:22:34,000

on the rock and even in nuclear reactors

625

00:22:37,750 --> 00:22:36,000

and here you have a map of neutrinos

626

00:22:40,549 --> 00:22:37,760

being produced by

627

00:22:42,950 --> 00:22:40,559

by the rock in our planet but also by

628

00:22:45,590 --> 00:22:42,960

nuclear reactors so on top of just the

629

00:22:47,430 --> 00:22:45,600

exposed rock of of the planet you will

630

00:22:49,270 --> 00:22:47,440

see that some parts of the us and some

631

00:22:50,470 --> 00:22:49,280

parts of europe are very dark and that's

632

00:22:52,830 --> 00:22:50,480

mostly because there are nuclear

633

00:22:56,310 --> 00:22:52,840

reactors there that emit many

634

00:22:57,590 --> 00:22:56,320

neutrinos even a banana is a neutrino

635

00:22:59,510 --> 00:22:57,600

emitter

636

00:23:01,430 --> 00:22:59,520

there's potassium 40 in the bananas and

637

00:23:03,909 --> 00:23:01,440

they decay and about a regular-sized

638

00:23:06,630 --> 00:23:03,919

banana will have about 14 neutrinos

639

00:23:07,990 --> 00:23:06,640

emitted every second and as you may

640

00:23:09,830 --> 00:23:08,000

notice you don't see anything coming out

641

00:23:11,510 --> 00:23:09,840

of them and that will become clear in a

642

00:23:14,070 --> 00:23:11,520

second why that is

643

00:23:15,990 --> 00:23:14,080

the sun is perhaps one of the strongest

644

00:23:17,990 --> 00:23:16,000

sources of neutrinos we know of is that

645

00:23:20,070 --> 00:23:18,000

the strongest one that we can detect

646

00:23:21,830 --> 00:23:20,080

and this picture that i'm showing here

647

00:23:24,390 --> 00:23:21,840

is a picture of the sun not taken in

648

00:23:26,950 --> 00:23:24,400

light but taken in neutrinos figuring

649

00:23:29,510 --> 00:23:26,960

out where the neutrinos uh were coming

650

00:23:31,029 --> 00:23:29,520

from the sky and they point back uh to

651
00:23:33,669 --> 00:23:31,039
the sun

652
00:23:37,669 --> 00:23:33,679
every second every square centimeter of

653
00:23:40,070 --> 00:23:37,679
the earth is uh is swept by about 100

654
00:23:41,909 --> 00:23:40,080
billion neutrinos coming from the sun

655
00:23:43,510 --> 00:23:41,919
and as you can probably tell by looking

656
00:23:45,190 --> 00:23:43,520
at this presentation nothing happening

657
00:23:47,190 --> 00:23:45,200
right now

658
00:23:49,750 --> 00:23:47,200
there they cannot be

659
00:23:51,830 --> 00:23:49,760
i mean this cannot be noticed so easily

660
00:23:54,789 --> 00:23:51,840
but we'll talk about bit more about why

661
00:23:57,190 --> 00:23:54,799
that is and so far beyond just the sun

662
00:23:59,269 --> 00:23:57,200
we also know at least one

663
00:24:02,149 --> 00:23:59,279

more source that was detected in 20 and

664

00:24:04,070 --> 00:24:02,159

sorry in 1987 that was a supernova is

665

00:24:06,870 --> 00:24:04,080

the death of a massive star where there

666

00:24:08,950 --> 00:24:06,880

is a core collapse and therefore

667

00:24:11,350 --> 00:24:08,960

in that core collapse there are particle

668

00:24:13,350 --> 00:24:11,360

interactions that lead to a very large

669

00:24:16,149 --> 00:24:13,360

emission of neutrinos so what you see

670

00:24:19,350 --> 00:24:16,159

here is a detector that was operating in

671

00:24:20,310 --> 00:24:19,360

japan in the mine of camioca

672

00:24:25,029 --> 00:24:20,320

and

673

00:24:27,430 --> 00:24:25,039

that overall the detector was uh

674

00:24:29,110 --> 00:24:27,440

detecting events at a certain rate and

675

00:24:32,549 --> 00:24:29,120

there was a huge spike

676

00:24:34,470 --> 00:24:32,559

so that was when the the

677

00:24:35,909 --> 00:24:34,480

the plane of neutrinos coming from that

678

00:24:37,430 --> 00:24:35,919

supernova that happened in the large

679

00:24:39,750 --> 00:24:37,440

magellanic cloud

680

00:24:41,909 --> 00:24:39,760

uh swept the earth and we were able to

681

00:24:42,789 --> 00:24:41,919

detect uh several of them

682

00:24:44,549 --> 00:24:42,799

okay

683

00:24:45,990 --> 00:24:44,559

so most of these neutrinos that i

684

00:24:47,510 --> 00:24:46,000

mentioned here the ones from radioactive

685

00:24:50,789 --> 00:24:47,520

decays the one from bananas the one from

686

00:24:52,710 --> 00:24:50,799

the sun the one from the supernova 1987a

687

00:24:54,549 --> 00:24:52,720

have energies of about a million times

688

00:24:56,950 --> 00:24:54,559

the energy of visible light so what

689

00:24:59,430 --> 00:24:56,960

about one mev right mega electron volts

690

00:25:01,029 --> 00:24:59,440

which means one million times that

691

00:25:03,669 --> 00:25:01,039

but

692

00:25:05,269 --> 00:25:03,679

we want to go even further with that

693

00:25:07,029 --> 00:25:05,279

so i will say a little bit more about

694

00:25:08,950 --> 00:25:07,039

neutrinos because they're important to

695

00:25:10,549 --> 00:25:08,960

understand why it's so challenging to

696

00:25:12,950 --> 00:25:10,559

detect them as i said they have a very

697

00:25:14,390 --> 00:25:12,960

small mass it's non-zero we haven't been

698

00:25:16,549 --> 00:25:14,400

able to even measure it but we know it's

699

00:25:17,350 --> 00:25:16,559

nonzero

700

00:25:19,510 --> 00:25:17,360

this

701
00:25:21,510 --> 00:25:19,520
super tiny number 10 to the minus 36

702
00:25:23,830 --> 00:25:21,520
kilograms is just the limit that we have

703
00:25:26,070 --> 00:25:23,840
said on the mass of the of the neutrino

704
00:25:28,710 --> 00:25:26,080
we don't you don't even know it yet

705
00:25:31,029 --> 00:25:28,720
but just to put that in context the next

706
00:25:32,870 --> 00:25:31,039
lightest elementary particle that has

707
00:25:35,909 --> 00:25:32,880
mass is the electron that has more than

708
00:25:37,510 --> 00:25:35,919
500 000 times the mass of the neutrinos

709
00:25:38,630 --> 00:25:37,520
at least because we don't even know that

710
00:25:40,230 --> 00:25:38,640
yet

711
00:25:41,830 --> 00:25:40,240
the other we think about the neutrinos

712
00:25:44,549 --> 00:25:41,840
is that they come in three flavors that

713
00:25:46,149 --> 00:25:44,559

we call electron tau and muon

714

00:25:48,470 --> 00:25:46,159

this may sound weird because we use the

715

00:25:50,310 --> 00:25:48,480

word flavor in particle physics but it's

716

00:25:52,470 --> 00:25:50,320

kind of a charge like we have positive

717

00:25:54,390 --> 00:25:52,480

charges and negative charges these are

718

00:25:56,230 --> 00:25:54,400

three different types of charges but the

719

00:25:58,230 --> 00:25:56,240

weird thing about neutrinos is that they

720

00:26:00,549 --> 00:25:58,240

change from one type of charge one of

721

00:26:02,149 --> 00:26:00,559

these flavors into another as they fly

722

00:26:04,310 --> 00:26:02,159

they're all neutrino

723

00:26:06,710 --> 00:26:04,320

uh but they can change from one property

724

00:26:08,390 --> 00:26:06,720

to the other uh as they propagate i mean

725

00:26:11,350 --> 00:26:08,400

this will be as weird as i don't know a

726

00:26:14,149 --> 00:26:11,360

bad uh or or not let's say not let's say

727

00:26:15,669 --> 00:26:14,159

a bad but an owl flying into an eagle

728

00:26:18,070 --> 00:26:15,679

flying into a dove i mean there will

729

00:26:20,230 --> 00:26:18,080

always be uh birds but they're

730

00:26:22,549 --> 00:26:20,240

oscillating in their type one from

731

00:26:24,549 --> 00:26:22,559

another as they fly that that's what

732

00:26:25,430 --> 00:26:24,559

neutrinos can do

733

00:26:27,430 --> 00:26:25,440

and the

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00:26:28,870 --> 00:26:27,440

thing that makes them so hard to detect

735

00:26:31,029 --> 00:26:28,880

is really that they only interact

736

00:26:32,870 --> 00:26:31,039

through what we call the weak force

737

00:26:35,029 --> 00:26:32,880

and the probability of having one of

738

00:26:37,909 --> 00:26:35,039

these interactions is extremely small

739

00:26:39,350 --> 00:26:37,919

and that's how 100 billion neutrinos can

740

00:26:41,190 --> 00:26:39,360

fly from the sun

741

00:26:43,750 --> 00:26:41,200

through our each centimeter square of

742

00:26:46,630 --> 00:26:43,760

our bodies without us noticing it okay

743

00:26:48,630 --> 00:26:46,640

so even with about 10 to the 15 sorry

744

00:26:50,070 --> 00:26:48,640

that's 10 to the 15 not billion but 10

745

00:26:52,630 --> 00:26:50,080

to the 15 neutrinos going through our

746

00:26:54,789 --> 00:26:52,640

body over our entire lifetime this is

747

00:26:56,390 --> 00:26:54,799

only a 50 50 chance that one of them of

748

00:26:58,149 --> 00:26:56,400

this 10 to the 15 neutrinos will

749

00:27:00,950 --> 00:26:58,159

interact with our body so you can

750

00:27:02,390 --> 00:27:00,960

imagine how hard it is to catch them

751

00:27:04,549 --> 00:27:02,400

and just to

752

00:27:06,230 --> 00:27:04,559

lead to the next topic i will mention

753

00:27:08,630 --> 00:27:06,240

this this is kind of a particle physics

754

00:27:10,230 --> 00:27:08,640

diagrams i will only say here that

755

00:27:11,669 --> 00:27:10,240

whenever neutrino interacts there are

756

00:27:13,430 --> 00:27:11,679

some of these nutrient interactions that

757

00:27:14,870 --> 00:27:13,440

lead to the production of a charged

758

00:27:16,630 --> 00:27:14,880

particle that's the only important thing

759

00:27:18,070 --> 00:27:16,640

about these interactions because that

760

00:27:20,789 --> 00:27:18,080

will be important for the detection of

761

00:27:24,149 --> 00:27:20,799

these neutrinos okay so how do we detect

762

00:27:26,470 --> 00:27:24,159

neutrinos if we have a chance in two

763

00:27:27,669 --> 00:27:26,480

that all of all those neutrinos that go

764

00:27:28,470 --> 00:27:27,679

through our body

765

00:27:30,310 --> 00:27:28,480

uh

766

00:27:31,190 --> 00:27:30,320

over a lifetime let's say 70-something

767

00:27:33,510 --> 00:27:31,200

years

768

00:27:35,110 --> 00:27:33,520

uh if you only have like a 50-50 chance

769

00:27:36,389 --> 00:27:35,120

that one of them will be

770

00:27:38,149 --> 00:27:36,399

interacting with our body you can

771

00:27:39,750 --> 00:27:38,159

imagine that it will be very hard to

772

00:27:42,230 --> 00:27:39,760

wait a long time to detect enough

773

00:27:44,710 --> 00:27:42,240

neutrinos to do anything with them

774

00:27:46,630 --> 00:27:44,720

so you really want a massive massive

775

00:27:48,789 --> 00:27:46,640

object to put in front of the neutrinos

776

00:27:51,590 --> 00:27:48,799

so that you have that interaction

777

00:27:52,870 --> 00:27:51,600

probability be larger because so rarely

778

00:27:54,870 --> 00:27:52,880

it happens

779

00:27:57,510 --> 00:27:54,880

and here i'm showing you a picture of

780

00:27:59,750 --> 00:27:57,520

one of the biggest is the biggest uh

781

00:28:01,669 --> 00:27:59,760

let's say a human built

782

00:28:03,830 --> 00:28:01,679

neutrino telescope is called the super

783

00:28:06,470 --> 00:28:03,840

coming candy detectors in japan

784

00:28:09,830 --> 00:28:06,480

it has a diameter of almost 40 meters

785

00:28:11,590 --> 00:28:09,840

and a height of also 40 meters and what

786

00:28:14,470 --> 00:28:11,600

you see here on the walls are light

787

00:28:15,909 --> 00:28:14,480

sensors and this white figures that you

788

00:28:17,990 --> 00:28:15,919

see in this platform these are human

789

00:28:20,070 --> 00:28:18,000

beings so you can imagine what the scale

790

00:28:21,830 --> 00:28:20,080

of this thing is

791

00:28:24,070 --> 00:28:21,840

so um

792

00:28:25,590 --> 00:28:24,080

as i said uh whenever a neutrino

793

00:28:27,190 --> 00:28:25,600

interacts sometimes it will produce

794

00:28:28,870 --> 00:28:27,200

charged particles and these charged

795

00:28:30,630 --> 00:28:28,880

particles now become visible because

796

00:28:32,230 --> 00:28:30,640

they can interact through

797

00:28:33,750 --> 00:28:32,240

the electromagnetic force which is much

798

00:28:34,950 --> 00:28:33,760

stronger than the weak force as the name

799

00:28:36,230 --> 00:28:34,960

implies

800

00:28:37,669 --> 00:28:36,240

uh discharge particles that are

801
00:28:39,669 --> 00:28:37,679
producing these nutrient interactions

802
00:28:41,909 --> 00:28:39,679
travel faster than the speed of light in

803
00:28:44,230 --> 00:28:41,919
water because at some point this whole

804
00:28:45,590 --> 00:28:44,240
detector will be filled with water and

805
00:28:48,149 --> 00:28:45,600
when that happens

806
00:28:49,990 --> 00:28:48,159
this is what we call uh the emission of

807
00:28:51,669 --> 00:28:50,000
a type of light that we call trench of

808
00:28:55,029 --> 00:28:51,679
radiation or check on light that's kind

809
00:28:57,430 --> 00:28:55,039
of a blue or uv light that's emitted on

810
00:28:59,750 --> 00:28:57,440
a cone okay it's kind of similar to a

811
00:29:02,549 --> 00:28:59,760
sonic boom from a plane uh but it

812
00:29:04,789 --> 00:29:02,559
happens with light instead of sound

813
00:29:07,269 --> 00:29:04,799

and that particular cone has a very

814

00:29:09,190 --> 00:29:07,279

specific geometry that we can calculate

815

00:29:12,789 --> 00:29:09,200

based on the properties of water

816

00:29:15,830 --> 00:29:12,799

so based on the lights that all of these

817

00:29:17,029 --> 00:29:15,840

side sensors in the japanese detector

818

00:29:19,990 --> 00:29:17,039

detect

819

00:29:22,789 --> 00:29:20,000

and based on their uh on the on the side

820

00:29:25,190 --> 00:29:22,799

of the on the on the shape of that cone

821

00:29:27,510 --> 00:29:25,200

we can infer the direction the energy

822

00:29:29,110 --> 00:29:27,520

and other properties of the neutrinos

823

00:29:30,710 --> 00:29:29,120

you may have seen sometimes strength of

824

00:29:33,029 --> 00:29:30,720

light without knowing it if you have

825

00:29:35,110 --> 00:29:33,039

seen a picture of a nuclear reactor that

826
00:29:37,590 --> 00:29:35,120
is operating you will see some kind of

827
00:29:39,350 --> 00:29:37,600
bluish

828
00:29:40,789 --> 00:29:39,360
glow coming out of it and that's

829
00:29:42,310 --> 00:29:40,799
actually trunk of light being produced

830
00:29:44,470 --> 00:29:42,320
by charged particles

831
00:29:46,870 --> 00:29:44,480
in the reactor pool

832
00:29:49,110 --> 00:29:46,880
so uh as i said these light sensors that

833
00:29:51,350 --> 00:29:49,120
you see kind of uh covering the walls

834
00:29:53,990 --> 00:29:51,360
and the the the floor and the and the

835
00:29:56,230 --> 00:29:54,000
ceiling of this detector they record the

836
00:29:57,830 --> 00:29:56,240
strength of photons coming from not the

837
00:29:59,750 --> 00:29:57,840
neutrino itself but the particles

838
00:30:01,750 --> 00:29:59,760

produced by the nuclear interaction and

839

00:30:03,510 --> 00:30:01,760

you can infer out of that the direction

840

00:30:05,430 --> 00:30:03,520

of the neutrino so in this case for

841

00:30:08,230 --> 00:30:05,440

instance for that particular detector

842

00:30:09,990 --> 00:30:08,240

you have a cone produced by

843

00:30:11,909 --> 00:30:10,000

one of these charged particles that were

844

00:30:14,389 --> 00:30:11,919

produced in a in a nutrient interaction

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00:30:17,110 --> 00:30:14,399

and out of the as i said the the shape

846

00:30:19,830 --> 00:30:17,120

of that cone the the size and the timing

847

00:30:23,510 --> 00:30:21,830

different geometry of this detector you

848

00:30:25,830 --> 00:30:23,520

can actually calculate where that

849

00:30:28,789 --> 00:30:25,840

neutrino was coming from

850

00:30:30,950 --> 00:30:28,799

okay so that is about neutrinos but as i

851

00:30:33,190 --> 00:30:30,960

said these are neutrinos at lower

852

00:30:34,950 --> 00:30:33,200

energies in this kind of speed that we

853

00:30:38,149 --> 00:30:34,960

have these are neutrinos about a million

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00:30:40,070 --> 00:30:38,159

times the the energy of visible light

855

00:30:42,149 --> 00:30:40,080

but we actually want to go to much

856

00:30:44,470 --> 00:30:42,159

higher energies and that is because

857

00:30:46,070 --> 00:30:44,480

that's where most of these extreme

858

00:30:47,909 --> 00:30:46,080

sources are that we want to study with

859

00:30:50,230 --> 00:30:47,919

neutrinos things like active galactic

860

00:30:51,909 --> 00:30:50,240

nuclei that are powered by supermassive

861

00:30:53,990 --> 00:30:51,919

black holes things like

862

00:30:55,909 --> 00:30:54,000

accelerators of particles that reach

863

00:30:56,950 --> 00:30:55,919

energies that we cannot reach at earth

864

00:30:58,549 --> 00:30:56,960

things like

865

00:31:00,549 --> 00:30:58,559

chaotic

866

00:31:03,110 --> 00:31:00,559

catastrophic events like a gamma-ray

867

00:31:05,669 --> 00:31:03,120

burst that lead to the either the

868

00:31:08,549 --> 00:31:05,679

explosion of the massive star or the

869

00:31:11,350 --> 00:31:08,559

merger of neutron stars all of these

870

00:31:13,909 --> 00:31:11,360

things may emit a neutrinos but at much

871

00:31:15,509 --> 00:31:13,919

higher energies and that's a very big

872

00:31:17,269 --> 00:31:15,519

challenge for neutrino astronomy because

873

00:31:19,029 --> 00:31:17,279

if it was hard to detect neutrinos at

874

00:31:20,950 --> 00:31:19,039

lower energies where you have so many of

875

00:31:23,029 --> 00:31:20,960

them like in this plot i'm showing here

876

00:31:23,830 --> 00:31:23,039

kind of the flux of neutrinos is how

877

00:31:26,149 --> 00:31:23,840

many

878

00:31:28,870 --> 00:31:26,159

neutrinos we take per uh per unit time

879

00:31:31,669 --> 00:31:28,880

at earth and you see that in on the y

880

00:31:33,909 --> 00:31:31,679

axis this very large range of numbers

881

00:31:35,350 --> 00:31:33,919

from 10 to the 13 to the 10 to the minus

882

00:31:38,149 --> 00:31:35,360

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883

00:31:40,070 --> 00:31:38,159

means that um there are many more solar

884

00:31:41,509 --> 00:31:40,080

neutrinos than there are again neutrinos

885

00:31:42,389 --> 00:31:41,519

for instance or that we expect them to

886

00:31:46,950 --> 00:31:42,399

be

887

00:31:48,630 --> 00:31:46,960

flux for this high energy neutrinos

888

00:31:50,710 --> 00:31:48,640

above 10 to the 12 electron volt so

889

00:31:52,710 --> 00:31:50,720

about three times that of the energy of

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00:31:54,789 --> 00:31:52,720

visible light it's about a hundred

891

00:31:57,190 --> 00:31:54,799

thousand neutrinos

892

00:31:59,669 --> 00:31:57,200

per square kilometer per year so that's

893

00:32:02,070 --> 00:31:59,679

not much actually in order to detect

894

00:32:04,710 --> 00:32:02,080

this neutrino flux you need a gigantic

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00:32:06,470 --> 00:32:04,720

detector something that has a mass of

896

00:32:09,590 --> 00:32:06,480

about one gigaton

897

00:32:10,630 --> 00:32:09,600

so or one i mean a billion tons of

898

00:32:13,190 --> 00:32:10,640

something

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00:32:15,909 --> 00:32:13,200

and in order to get that you need about

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00:32:17,509 --> 00:32:15,919

a kilometer cube of water and if it was

901
00:32:19,110 --> 00:32:17,519
hard and expensive to build this

902
00:32:21,110 --> 00:32:19,120
detector in japan you can imagine how

903
00:32:24,149 --> 00:32:21,120
built and expensive it would be to to

904
00:32:25,190 --> 00:32:24,159
build a cubic kilometer of anything

905
00:32:32,230 --> 00:32:25,200
so

906
00:32:34,070 --> 00:32:32,240
those uh detectors not only to study

907
00:32:36,470 --> 00:32:34,080
these different objects that are out

908
00:32:38,149 --> 00:32:36,480
there like agn and so on but also to

909
00:32:39,909 --> 00:32:38,159
determine the origin of what we know to

910
00:32:41,830 --> 00:32:39,919
be the highest energy particles in the

911
00:32:43,430 --> 00:32:41,840
universe that we call cosmic rays in

912
00:32:44,950 --> 00:32:43,440
this case in the guess of cosmic rays

913
00:32:47,029 --> 00:32:44,960

there are charged particles so as i said

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00:32:49,830 --> 00:32:47,039

before they don't point back to their

915

00:32:51,509 --> 00:32:49,840

source so really by figuring out if

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00:32:53,509 --> 00:32:51,519

there are neutrinos coming from the same

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00:32:55,110 --> 00:32:53,519

direction we can understand the origin

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00:32:56,950 --> 00:32:55,120

of the of discussing ways of these

919

00:32:58,549 --> 00:32:56,960

charged particles we've known about them

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00:33:00,789 --> 00:32:58,559

for over a century we haven't determined

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00:33:03,029 --> 00:33:00,799

what the origin is but we can find them

922

00:33:04,630 --> 00:33:03,039

using neutrinos and also gamma rays

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00:33:06,310 --> 00:33:04,640

because every time there's a cosmic ray

924

00:33:07,350 --> 00:33:06,320

that interacts with something on the way

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00:33:09,430 --> 00:33:07,360

to earth

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00:33:10,789 --> 00:33:09,440

that interaction will lead to neutrinos

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00:33:13,990 --> 00:33:10,799

and photons being produced at the same

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00:33:16,149 --> 00:33:14,000

time gamma rays and neutrinos so

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00:33:17,750 --> 00:33:16,159

both of those particles are neutral so

930

00:33:20,230 --> 00:33:17,760

they travel on straight lines and if you

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00:33:21,990 --> 00:33:20,240

happen to see in the sky a joint source

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00:33:23,909 --> 00:33:22,000

of both neutrinos and gamma rays you

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00:33:27,110 --> 00:33:23,919

have a very good guess that that could

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00:33:29,590 --> 00:33:27,120

be a source of cosmic rays

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00:33:31,110 --> 00:33:29,600

okay so now that we have the motivation

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00:33:32,870 --> 00:33:31,120

why we want to build it how do we

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00:33:34,789 --> 00:33:32,880

actually build a neutrino telescope that

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00:33:36,070 --> 00:33:34,799

has a size of about one kilometer cube

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00:33:37,110 --> 00:33:36,080

and that goes back to essentially the

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00:33:39,509 --> 00:33:37,120

60s

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00:33:42,149 --> 00:33:39,519

where markup and elsanski

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00:33:44,310 --> 00:33:42,159

were working on um an idea for how to

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00:33:46,789 --> 00:33:44,320

build such a detector and they proposed

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00:33:48,470 --> 00:33:46,799

to do it on a natural body of water okay

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00:33:50,070 --> 00:33:48,480

instead of building a gigantic pool that

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00:33:51,990 --> 00:33:50,080

has a size of one kilometer cube which

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00:33:55,029 --> 00:33:52,000

will be extremely expensive to build you

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00:33:57,830 --> 00:33:55,039

can actually use a very deep lake or

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00:33:59,430 --> 00:33:57,840

eyes and then put detectors there so you

950

00:34:00,789 --> 00:33:59,440

can actually see that light the change

951
00:34:02,549 --> 00:34:00,799
of light produced by the interaction of

952
00:34:05,350 --> 00:34:02,559
the neutrinos

953
00:34:07,509 --> 00:34:05,360
so as i said large target masses can can

954
00:34:09,430 --> 00:34:07,519
be found in natural bodies of water and

955
00:34:10,869 --> 00:34:09,440
that's those proposed already in the in

956
00:34:12,950 --> 00:34:10,879
the 1960s

957
00:34:14,710 --> 00:34:12,960
so these high-energy neutrino telescopes

958
00:34:17,109 --> 00:34:14,720
the one that detects that are aimed to

959
00:34:19,109 --> 00:34:17,119
detect energies from agn

960
00:34:20,629 --> 00:34:19,119
grps and so on

961
00:34:23,270 --> 00:34:20,639
use this principle

962
00:34:25,109 --> 00:34:23,280
instead of having kind of a container a

963
00:34:27,990 --> 00:34:25,119

cylinder with

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00:34:28,950 --> 00:34:28,000

walls made of or surrounded by light

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00:34:32,629 --> 00:34:28,960

sensors

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00:34:34,710 --> 00:34:32,639

array so they're kind of a

967

00:34:37,030 --> 00:34:34,720

three-dimensional sensor so every time

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00:34:38,470 --> 00:34:37,040

you have a neutrino uh interact you will

969

00:34:40,790 --> 00:34:38,480

produce a charged particle for instance

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00:34:41,909 --> 00:34:40,800

a muon like you can see here that muon

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00:34:43,669 --> 00:34:41,919

will travel through this

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00:34:45,349 --> 00:34:43,679

three-dimensional array of light sensors

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00:34:46,710 --> 00:34:45,359

producing drink of light

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00:34:48,629 --> 00:34:46,720

and out of that light you can actually

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00:34:49,909 --> 00:34:48,639

figure out where the immune was coming

976
00:34:52,069 --> 00:34:49,919
from and therefore infer where the

977
00:34:55,190 --> 00:34:52,079
neutrino was coming from

978
00:34:57,270 --> 00:34:55,200
okay so we need just a large body of

979
00:34:58,790 --> 00:34:57,280
water or eyes that can be intro

980
00:35:00,230 --> 00:34:58,800
instrumented with the sensitive light

981
00:35:02,230 --> 00:35:00,240
sensors

982
00:35:04,230 --> 00:35:02,240
and the good thing is that uh muons can

983
00:35:06,150 --> 00:35:04,240
travel actually for very long distances

984
00:35:08,550 --> 00:35:06,160
from something between 50 meters to over

985
00:35:10,870 --> 00:35:08,560
50 kilometers depending on their energy

986
00:35:12,710 --> 00:35:10,880
so even neutrinos that interact far away

987
00:35:15,510 --> 00:35:12,720
from our sensors they can reach the they

988
00:35:17,190 --> 00:35:15,520

can still reach the detector and uh

989

00:35:18,470 --> 00:35:17,200

provide a much larger volume with which

990

00:35:20,150 --> 00:35:18,480

to detect them

991

00:35:22,230 --> 00:35:20,160

so the main options for the playing

992

00:35:23,589 --> 00:35:22,240

these neutrino detectors are really deep

993

00:35:26,550 --> 00:35:23,599

glacial eyes

994

00:35:27,750 --> 00:35:26,560

or legs deep legs or deep or the deep

995

00:35:29,430 --> 00:35:27,760

sea

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00:35:31,270 --> 00:35:29,440

so the current generation of telescopes

997

00:35:33,829 --> 00:35:31,280

actually uses this principle

998

00:35:36,069 --> 00:35:33,839

uh we have three uh one of the actually

999

00:35:38,550 --> 00:35:36,079

was deactivated very soon very very very

1000

00:35:41,750 --> 00:35:38,560

recently there's one uh called baikal

1001
00:35:44,550 --> 00:35:41,760
dvd it's one of in the deepest lake uh

1002
00:35:46,630 --> 00:35:44,560
in the world like by calling russia

1003
00:35:49,109 --> 00:35:46,640
it has already reached about a third of

1004
00:35:50,790 --> 00:35:49,119
the kilometer cube that is needed to

1005
00:35:52,790 --> 00:35:50,800
build a working neutrino telescope that

1006
00:35:54,950 --> 00:35:52,800
is supposed to see these things

1007
00:35:56,390 --> 00:35:54,960
and until very recently we actually have

1008
00:35:58,150 --> 00:35:56,400
one in the mediterranean sea called

1009
00:35:59,670 --> 00:35:58,160
antares

1010
00:36:02,790 --> 00:35:59,680
but it's very very small it's about a

1011
00:36:04,710 --> 00:36:02,800
100th of a kilometer cube

1012
00:36:06,550 --> 00:36:04,720
and finally i want to talk more about

1013
00:36:07,990 --> 00:36:06,560

ice cube because ice cube is the one of

1014

00:36:09,829 --> 00:36:08,000

four first of all is the one i'm

1015

00:36:12,230 --> 00:36:09,839

involved with but also is the one the

1016

00:36:13,829 --> 00:36:12,240

first one to reach one kilometer cube in

1017

00:36:16,230 --> 00:36:13,839

size which is the target mass that you

1018

00:36:18,790 --> 00:36:16,240

need to do nutrients from it with it's

1019

00:36:21,349 --> 00:36:18,800

composed of more than 5000 sensors

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00:36:23,910 --> 00:36:21,359

deployed over as i said one kilometer

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00:36:25,349 --> 00:36:23,920

cube of ice at the south pole and the

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00:36:27,829 --> 00:36:25,359

construction

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00:36:28,950 --> 00:36:27,839

finished in 20 in 2010.

1024

00:36:30,870 --> 00:36:28,960

so this is the one i'm going to be

1025

00:36:33,190 --> 00:36:30,880

talking about more it's not only the one

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00:36:35,270 --> 00:36:33,200

that is fully built and operational but

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00:36:37,430 --> 00:36:35,280

also the most sensitive one

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00:36:39,109 --> 00:36:37,440

so this is the softball and you cannot

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00:36:40,470 --> 00:36:39,119

see the neutrino telescope anywhere here

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00:36:42,870 --> 00:36:40,480

because actually the neutrino telescope

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00:36:44,790 --> 00:36:42,880

is buried in the glacier at the south

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00:36:46,710 --> 00:36:44,800

pole and the good thing about the deep

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00:36:49,030 --> 00:36:46,720

antarctic ice is that it's very abundant

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00:36:51,190 --> 00:36:49,040

there is everywhere ice and hope we can

1035

00:36:54,069 --> 00:36:51,200

keep that ice for a long time it's very

1036

00:36:56,150 --> 00:36:54,079

transparent we cannot even make ice in

1037

00:36:57,670 --> 00:36:56,160

the in the lab that is so transparent as

1038

00:36:59,349 --> 00:36:57,680

transparent as the

1039

00:37:01,910 --> 00:36:59,359

deep eyes of the south pole and it's

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00:37:04,069 --> 00:37:01,920

very dark so the light that you see in

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00:37:05,829 --> 00:37:04,079

the deep ice of the south pole is mostly

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00:37:07,990 --> 00:37:05,839

coming from this cosmic particles which

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00:37:09,430 --> 00:37:08,000

is pretty amazing

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00:37:11,109 --> 00:37:09,440

so this is the ice cube neutrino

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00:37:12,310 --> 00:37:11,119

telescope we have here our web page if

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00:37:14,630 --> 00:37:12,320

you want to visit it and as i said

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00:37:16,390 --> 00:37:14,640

before it's composed of more than five

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00:37:18,630 --> 00:37:16,400

thousands of these sensors that have a

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00:37:21,349 --> 00:37:18,640

kind of a glass pressure sphere so the

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00:37:22,870 --> 00:37:21,359

ice doesn't get into the light sensor

1051
00:37:24,790 --> 00:37:22,880
and here on top you have this little

1052
00:37:26,310 --> 00:37:24,800
building that you may see in this

1053
00:37:28,390 --> 00:37:26,320
picture here

1054
00:37:30,550 --> 00:37:28,400
and that is where we host uh the house

1055
00:37:32,390 --> 00:37:30,560
the computers all this uh information

1056
00:37:34,870 --> 00:37:32,400
coming from these light sensors goes up

1057
00:37:37,430 --> 00:37:34,880
to the surface via these cables and then

1058
00:37:39,670 --> 00:37:37,440
travels to the computers that are uh

1059
00:37:40,710 --> 00:37:39,680
housed there in this um in this little

1060
00:37:42,230 --> 00:37:40,720
building

1061
00:37:44,470 --> 00:37:42,240
so as i said it's the first kilometer

1062
00:37:46,950 --> 00:37:44,480
cube nutrition telescope more than 5000

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00:37:48,950 --> 00:37:46,960

sensors deployed at depths between one

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00:37:50,630 --> 00:37:48,960

and a half and two and a half kilometers

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00:37:52,870 --> 00:37:50,640

so really the top part of ice cube

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00:37:56,069 --> 00:37:52,880

starts almost almost a deep

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00:37:57,510 --> 00:37:56,079

uh a mile deep into the ice and it goes

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00:37:59,430 --> 00:37:57,520

all the way up to almost three

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00:38:01,349 --> 00:37:59,440

kilometers in depth

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00:38:04,150 --> 00:38:01,359

uh its construction as i said finished

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00:38:05,750 --> 00:38:04,160

in december of 2011 in 2010 and it has

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00:38:07,430 --> 00:38:05,760

other components that are dedicated to

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00:38:08,790 --> 00:38:07,440

other studies of cosmic rays actually

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00:38:10,390 --> 00:38:08,800

and lower energy

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00:38:13,910 --> 00:38:10,400

neutrinos

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00:38:16,390 --> 00:38:13,920

so the construction started in uh the

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00:38:19,670 --> 00:38:16,400

summer of the austral summer of the

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00:38:21,750 --> 00:38:19,680

southern summer of 20 2004 2005 with the

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00:38:24,950 --> 00:38:21,760

deployment of one of these

1080

00:38:27,750 --> 00:38:24,960

long strings of sensors that each one of

1081

00:38:29,510 --> 00:38:27,760

them has 66 sensors attached to it and

1082

00:38:31,030 --> 00:38:29,520

then because this is working at the

1083

00:38:33,349 --> 00:38:31,040

south pole you can only build during the

1084

00:38:34,870 --> 00:38:33,359

summer there which is still very very

1085

00:38:37,030 --> 00:38:34,880

cold

1086

00:38:38,710 --> 00:38:37,040

so over the next seasons ice cube

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00:38:40,790 --> 00:38:38,720

started growing and growing and while it

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00:38:41,510 --> 00:38:40,800

was growing it was actually taking data

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00:38:43,750 --> 00:38:41,520

so

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00:38:45,990 --> 00:38:43,760

here started with one string one cable

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00:38:50,150 --> 00:38:46,000

filled with sensors then upgraded to

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00:38:52,710 --> 00:38:50,160

nine strings 22 strings four strings 59

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00:38:55,670 --> 00:38:52,720

79 and finally 86 strings which was the

1094

00:38:57,750 --> 00:38:55,680

completion of the full detector in the

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00:38:59,589 --> 00:38:57,760

in december of 2010.

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00:39:01,910 --> 00:38:59,599

so this how it looks when you're

1097

00:39:04,630 --> 00:39:01,920

deploying the sensors

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00:39:06,310 --> 00:39:04,640

this hole goes as i said almost two and

1099

00:39:08,870 --> 00:39:06,320

a half kilometers deep into the ice at

1100

00:39:10,550 --> 00:39:08,880

some point it actually reaches water

1101
00:39:12,230 --> 00:39:10,560
and what you see here is the cable that

1102
00:39:14,630 --> 00:39:12,240
brings the data from this light sensors

1103
00:39:16,870 --> 00:39:14,640
to the surface and one of the sensors

1104
00:39:18,710 --> 00:39:16,880
kind of you can see here illuminated so

1105
00:39:20,390 --> 00:39:18,720
how do you actually build such a big

1106
00:39:22,069 --> 00:39:20,400
detector uh

1107
00:39:24,310 --> 00:39:22,079
in the eyes i mean you you will have to

1108
00:39:25,990 --> 00:39:24,320
drill some holes into the eyes to deploy

1109
00:39:28,069 --> 00:39:26,000
these long cables

1110
00:39:29,829 --> 00:39:28,079
and you will think that it is very

1111
00:39:31,270 --> 00:39:29,839
complicated but i mean it's pretty

1112
00:39:32,870 --> 00:39:31,280
straightforward of course it's very

1113
00:39:35,750 --> 00:39:32,880

expensive to build it but still it's

1114

00:39:38,470 --> 00:39:35,760

break straightforward idea you just put

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00:39:41,270 --> 00:39:38,480

a long hose with hot water and you just

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00:39:42,950 --> 00:39:41,280

point it down and the hose will just

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00:39:45,910 --> 00:39:42,960

drill a hole

1118

00:39:47,990 --> 00:39:45,920

through through the ice you first

1119

00:39:50,150 --> 00:39:48,000

kind of try to melt the top part which

1120

00:39:51,589 --> 00:39:50,160

is mostly compacted snow

1121

00:39:53,750 --> 00:39:51,599

you take that out

1122

00:39:56,150 --> 00:39:53,760

and then you replace that

1123

00:39:59,430 --> 00:39:56,160

serpentine with this long hose with a

1124

00:40:01,030 --> 00:39:59,440

high pressure water that drills

1125

00:40:03,109 --> 00:40:01,040

all the way down to

1126
00:40:05,109 --> 00:40:03,119
two and a half almost between two and a

1127
00:40:06,390 --> 00:40:05,119
half and almost three kilometers deep

1128
00:40:08,309 --> 00:40:06,400
once you have done that you have to do

1129
00:40:10,390 --> 00:40:08,319
this very quickly because the

1130
00:40:13,190 --> 00:40:10,400
water will freeze again in place

1131
00:40:15,589 --> 00:40:13,200
you take out that hose and you put in

1132
00:40:17,270 --> 00:40:15,599
your cable with light sensors and once

1133
00:40:19,670 --> 00:40:17,280
you've done that the sensors will be

1134
00:40:21,670 --> 00:40:19,680
frozen in place essentially forever

1135
00:40:22,710 --> 00:40:21,680
hopefully forever

1136
00:40:24,630 --> 00:40:22,720
so

1137
00:40:27,109 --> 00:40:24,640
once you've done that 86 times you have

1138
00:40:28,870 --> 00:40:27,119

yourself a nice neutrino telescope and

1139

00:40:31,190 --> 00:40:28,880

this kind of some pictures of how the

1140

00:40:33,030 --> 00:40:31,200

drilling stations looked the south pole

1141

00:40:34,710 --> 00:40:33,040

at the time and kind of the the

1142

00:40:37,670 --> 00:40:34,720

deployment of the cables that bring the

1143

00:40:39,910 --> 00:40:37,680

data uh from the sensors to

1144

00:40:41,829 --> 00:40:39,920

the computer center that we have there

1145

00:40:43,750 --> 00:40:41,839

at the ice cube lab

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00:40:46,230 --> 00:40:43,760

so this is in the end ice cube this is

1147

00:40:49,030 --> 00:40:46,240

how it's been built and as i start the

1148

00:40:50,950 --> 00:40:49,040

depths at which this things are located

1149

00:40:54,150 --> 00:40:50,960

these sensors are located

1150

00:40:55,670 --> 00:40:54,160

so how does ice cube see neutrinos so

1151
00:40:57,910 --> 00:40:55,680
as i said we don't see the neutrinos

1152
00:41:00,069 --> 00:40:57,920
directly we see

1153
00:41:02,230 --> 00:41:00,079
the light the chunk of light produced by

1154
00:41:04,470 --> 00:41:02,240
charged particles that are produced in

1155
00:41:06,309 --> 00:41:04,480
the interaction of the neutrinos so we

1156
00:41:08,710 --> 00:41:06,319
typically have two different types of

1157
00:41:10,710 --> 00:41:08,720
event topologies or shapes of

1158
00:41:11,829 --> 00:41:10,720
of events that are produced by nutrient

1159
00:41:13,990 --> 00:41:11,839
interactions

1160
00:41:15,589 --> 00:41:14,000
the first one is this one the muon the

1161
00:41:16,870 --> 00:41:15,599
neon track

1162
00:41:19,270 --> 00:41:16,880
so you see here that it's kind of an

1163
00:41:21,750 --> 00:41:19,280

elongated shape and that each one of

1164

00:41:24,550 --> 00:41:21,760

these dots is one detector of those

1165

00:41:27,510 --> 00:41:24,560

strings that saw a little bit of light

1166

00:41:30,069 --> 00:41:27,520

okay the size of each one of these dots

1167

00:41:32,790 --> 00:41:30,079

indicates how much light it was seen and

1168

00:41:35,190 --> 00:41:32,800

the color indicates the time red means

1169

00:41:36,710 --> 00:41:35,200

early and blue means late that meant

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00:41:38,630 --> 00:41:36,720

that that means that there was a charged

1171

00:41:40,230 --> 00:41:38,640

particle a muon in this case that

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00:41:42,790 --> 00:41:40,240

entered the detector through the left

1173

00:41:44,470 --> 00:41:42,800

here and emerged kind of somewhere

1174

00:41:46,309 --> 00:41:44,480

up and to the right

1175

00:41:49,030 --> 00:41:46,319

towards the blue blue end of that

1176
00:41:50,390 --> 00:41:49,040
elongated shape and since you have that

1177
00:41:52,150 --> 00:41:50,400
kind of elongated shape you can actually

1178
00:41:53,750 --> 00:41:52,160
reconstruct where that neutrino and

1179
00:41:56,309 --> 00:41:53,760
where the muon was coming from in the

1180
00:41:58,150 --> 00:41:56,319
sky and that's the kind of the the most

1181
00:41:59,510 --> 00:41:58,160
important thing to do astronomy you want

1182
00:42:00,790 --> 00:41:59,520
to reconstruct where the neutrinos are

1183
00:42:02,950 --> 00:42:00,800
coming from in the sky so you can put

1184
00:42:04,550 --> 00:42:02,960
them in the sky map and figure out what

1185
00:42:07,750 --> 00:42:04,560
their what's there

1186
00:42:09,430 --> 00:42:07,760
you also have other types of neutrinos

1187
00:42:11,750 --> 00:42:09,440
that through their interaction could

1188
00:42:12,790 --> 00:42:11,760

produce what we call cascades they're

1189

00:42:15,109 --> 00:42:12,800

mostly

1190

00:42:16,790 --> 00:42:15,119

almost aesthetically

1191

00:42:18,390 --> 00:42:16,800

and you can see that this is not

1192

00:42:20,390 --> 00:42:18,400

particularly pointing in any particular

1193

00:42:21,990 --> 00:42:20,400

direction but if you apply advanced

1194

00:42:23,510 --> 00:42:22,000

reconstructions to this kind of events

1195

00:42:25,910 --> 00:42:23,520

you can still get

1196

00:42:27,670 --> 00:42:25,920

almost 15 degrees angular solution i

1197

00:42:29,670 --> 00:42:27,680

mean to do astronomy this is terrible as

1198

00:42:31,430 --> 00:42:29,680

you can imagine you were used to arc

1199

00:42:33,190 --> 00:42:31,440

seconds or even less than arc seconds

1200

00:42:35,190 --> 00:42:33,200

with hubble and with ground-based

1201
00:42:37,190 --> 00:42:35,200
telescopes and we're thinking that for

1202
00:42:38,950 --> 00:42:37,200
us for neutrino telescopes

1203
00:42:42,230 --> 00:42:38,960
let's say a 0.1

1204
00:42:45,589 --> 00:42:42,240
degree angular resolution is fantastic

1205
00:42:47,510 --> 00:42:45,599
if you go outside on a on a moon

1206
00:42:49,910 --> 00:42:47,520
on a night when the moon is up

1207
00:42:51,030 --> 00:42:49,920
um the size of the moon is about half a

1208
00:42:52,870 --> 00:42:51,040
degree

1209
00:42:54,309 --> 00:42:52,880
so that's about our angular resolution

1210
00:42:56,390 --> 00:42:54,319
and that is the good angle resolution

1211
00:42:58,230 --> 00:42:56,400
for neutrino telescope the fact that you

1212
00:43:00,630 --> 00:42:58,240
can see in the face of the moon you can

1213
00:43:02,390 --> 00:43:00,640

see little patches of dark stuff that

1214

00:43:03,589 --> 00:43:02,400

means that your eyes have better angle

1215

00:43:05,670 --> 00:43:03,599

resolution

1216

00:43:07,030 --> 00:43:05,680

to the sky that ice cube does in

1217

00:43:08,710 --> 00:43:07,040

neutrinos of course you can see only

1218

00:43:09,750 --> 00:43:08,720

light and ice keeps these neutrinos but

1219

00:43:11,589 --> 00:43:09,760

still

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00:43:12,870 --> 00:43:11,599

we're working hard to improve this

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00:43:15,910 --> 00:43:12,880

angular resolution because it's one of

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00:43:17,270 --> 00:43:15,920

the key ingredients in doing astronomy

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00:43:18,950 --> 00:43:17,280

so here let me show you kind of a

1224

00:43:21,109 --> 00:43:18,960

candidate neutrino event this was an

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00:43:22,630 --> 00:43:21,119

actual recorded event and what you'll

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00:43:24,710 --> 00:43:22,640

see here is kind of a reconstruction

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00:43:27,109 --> 00:43:24,720

this line that you see coming from the

1228

00:43:28,870 --> 00:43:27,119

from the top left is the reconstructed

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00:43:31,750 --> 00:43:28,880

direction of the neutrino and as it

1230

00:43:34,390 --> 00:43:31,760

enters the neutrino the telescope you'll

1231

00:43:36,390 --> 00:43:34,400

see that it leaves traces of light

1232

00:43:38,630 --> 00:43:36,400

behind the kind of the blue bubble there

1233

00:43:40,390 --> 00:43:38,640

is also a kind of an animation showing

1234

00:43:42,150 --> 00:43:40,400

where the chunk of light was produced

1235

00:43:44,150 --> 00:43:42,160

but in general you see that

1236

00:43:45,750 --> 00:43:44,160

kind of that elongated shape again and

1237

00:43:47,670 --> 00:43:45,760

therefore that allows us to reconstruct

1238

00:43:49,430 --> 00:43:47,680

where that neutrino was coming from

1239

00:43:52,150 --> 00:43:49,440

originally

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00:43:53,750 --> 00:43:52,160

okay so what do we need to do between

1241

00:43:55,750 --> 00:43:53,760

astronomy

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00:43:57,270 --> 00:43:55,760

first we need to find cosmic neutrinos

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00:43:58,710 --> 00:43:57,280

and say as you will show you it's not

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00:44:00,309 --> 00:43:58,720

that easy

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00:44:01,990 --> 00:44:00,319

and then we need many of these cosmic

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00:44:03,589 --> 00:44:02,000

neutrinos because you want plenty of

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00:44:05,510 --> 00:44:03,599

them so that you can put them on the map

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00:44:07,190 --> 00:44:05,520

and figure out where they're coming from

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00:44:09,910 --> 00:44:07,200

that means that since we don't have a

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00:44:11,430 --> 00:44:09,920

control over uh how many neutrinos the

1251
00:44:13,190 --> 00:44:11,440
sources can produce the only thing we

1252
00:44:15,190 --> 00:44:13,200
can do is make bigger and bigger

1253
00:44:16,630 --> 00:44:15,200
telescopes that can give us more and

1254
00:44:17,670 --> 00:44:16,640
more neutrinos

1255
00:44:19,270 --> 00:44:17,680
the other thing is that we need good

1256
00:44:20,870 --> 00:44:19,280
angular resolution and we also want

1257
00:44:22,309 --> 00:44:20,880
energy resolution for the energies of

1258
00:44:23,589 --> 00:44:22,319
the transport this neutrinos i won't

1259
00:44:24,950 --> 00:44:23,599
talk too much about it so i want to

1260
00:44:27,750 --> 00:44:24,960
concentrate just on good angle

1261
00:44:29,430 --> 00:44:27,760
resolution and we also want to do these

1262
00:44:31,190 --> 00:44:29,440
measurements in low backgrounds which

1263
00:44:32,790 --> 00:44:31,200

means that we can separate the neutrinos

1264

00:44:34,230 --> 00:44:32,800

that are actually there from everything

1265

00:44:37,270 --> 00:44:34,240

else that looks like a neutrino but it's

1266

00:44:38,630 --> 00:44:37,280

not really a neutrino okay so why is it

1267

00:44:40,150 --> 00:44:38,640

so hard to find this astrophysical

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00:44:43,190 --> 00:44:40,160

neutrinos that are produced somewhere in

1269

00:44:46,470 --> 00:44:43,200

the universe it's because we we do that

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00:44:49,190 --> 00:44:46,480

search on a background dominated um

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00:44:51,990 --> 00:44:49,200

on a i mean on on a background-dominated

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00:44:54,309 --> 00:44:52,000

case we have let's say ice cube is at

1273

00:44:55,750 --> 00:44:54,319

the softball so i've flipped around the

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00:44:57,829 --> 00:44:55,760

the globe i mean as a southern

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00:45:00,150 --> 00:44:57,839

hemisphere and myself this is how i view

1276

00:45:01,589 --> 00:45:00,160

the world anyway so you have ice cube

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00:45:03,510 --> 00:45:01,599

here if of course not the scale will

1278

00:45:05,030 --> 00:45:03,520

wish to have ice cubes be as big as a

1279

00:45:05,750 --> 00:45:05,040

good chunk of the earth

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00:45:06,710 --> 00:45:05,760

but

1281

00:45:13,109 --> 00:45:06,720

the

1282

00:45:15,109 --> 00:45:13,119

south pole are actually produced by

1283

00:45:17,109 --> 00:45:15,119

coastal grays that hit the atmosphere

1284

00:45:18,710 --> 00:45:17,119

and produce these muons these meals are

1285

00:45:20,230 --> 00:45:18,720

not being produced by neutrinos they're

1286

00:45:22,069 --> 00:45:20,240

just produced by cosmic rays that

1287

00:45:23,670 --> 00:45:22,079

interact with the atmosphere but they

1288

00:45:25,510 --> 00:45:23,680

look a lot like a neutrino there are

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00:45:27,190 --> 00:45:25,520

still muons going through our detector

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00:45:29,190 --> 00:45:27,200

and there's also a signature of neutrino

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00:45:31,910 --> 00:45:29,200

detections

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00:45:33,750 --> 00:45:31,920

okay so that's downgoing muons that can

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00:45:34,790 --> 00:45:33,760

travel through your detector

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00:45:36,390 --> 00:45:34,800

um

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00:45:37,829 --> 00:45:36,400

then the other thing is that since

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00:45:39,750 --> 00:45:37,839

neutrinos can go through everything they

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00:45:42,470 --> 00:45:39,760

can also go through our planet so even

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00:45:44,470 --> 00:45:42,480

neutrinos coming from also acoustic gray

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00:45:46,790 --> 00:45:44,480

interactions but on the other side of

1300

00:45:49,430 --> 00:45:46,800

the planet can still reach ice cube and

1301
00:45:51,510 --> 00:45:49,440
pretend to be an astrophysical neutrino

1302
00:45:53,109 --> 00:45:51,520
so we want to remove both the gossip

1303
00:45:55,750 --> 00:45:53,119
waste

1304
00:45:58,069 --> 00:45:55,760
cosmic ray muons that are fake i mean

1305
00:45:59,510 --> 00:45:58,079
that pass as a neutrino and also the

1306
00:46:01,190 --> 00:45:59,520
atmospheric neutrinos that are also

1307
00:46:02,710 --> 00:46:01,200
produced by cosmic rays but are not

1308
00:46:05,670 --> 00:46:02,720
really produced by

1309
00:46:07,589 --> 00:46:05,680
direct astrophysical sources

1310
00:46:09,030 --> 00:46:07,599
and finally we have every now and then

1311
00:46:10,470 --> 00:46:09,040
we'll have an astrophysical neutrinos

1312
00:46:12,230 --> 00:46:10,480
coming directly from one of the sources

1313
00:46:14,309 --> 00:46:12,240

that we want to study so what is the

1314

00:46:17,109 --> 00:46:14,319

challenge here how big is that challenge

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00:46:18,790 --> 00:46:17,119

we detect about three thousand muons per

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00:46:20,470 --> 00:46:18,800

second in ice cube

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00:46:23,109 --> 00:46:20,480

and we detect about a hundred

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00:46:24,470 --> 00:46:23,119

atmospheric neutrinos per day none of

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00:46:25,670 --> 00:46:24,480

those things are the main ones that we

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00:46:28,470 --> 00:46:25,680

want to study to astronomy with

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00:46:31,190 --> 00:46:28,480

neutrinos we want to get rid of them

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00:46:33,270 --> 00:46:31,200

but we only detect about one neutrino

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00:46:35,829 --> 00:46:33,280

per month that we think is astrophysical

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00:46:38,069 --> 00:46:35,839

in origin that means that we have to for

1325

00:46:40,230 --> 00:46:38,079

every astrophysical neutrino that we

1326
00:46:42,950 --> 00:46:40,240
have in our data we have to throw away

1327
00:46:45,190 --> 00:46:42,960
about 10 billion things that look

1328
00:46:47,510 --> 00:46:45,200
exactly like a neutrino so it's a very

1329
00:46:48,950 --> 00:46:47,520
challenging thing to do okay

1330
00:46:50,630 --> 00:46:48,960
but the first indication that we

1331
00:46:54,630 --> 00:46:50,640
actually have astrophysical neutrinos in

1332
00:46:56,390 --> 00:46:54,640
our data came in 2013 when we identified

1333
00:46:58,069 --> 00:46:56,400
these two events that were named ernie

1334
00:47:00,790 --> 00:46:58,079
and berta so you can obviously see i

1335
00:47:02,470 --> 00:47:00,800
mean they exactly resemble the muppets

1336
00:47:04,150 --> 00:47:02,480
that are associated with them

1337
00:47:05,990 --> 00:47:04,160
not really but still

1338
00:47:07,589 --> 00:47:06,000

how do we know or how why do we think

1339

00:47:09,349 --> 00:47:07,599

that these are astrophysical neutrinos

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00:47:12,710 --> 00:47:09,359

is because they have a very high energy

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00:47:14,309 --> 00:47:12,720

of about 1 pv 10 to the 15

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00:47:16,069 --> 00:47:14,319

electron volts which also means 10 to

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00:47:17,510 --> 00:47:16,079

the 15 times

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00:47:19,910 --> 00:47:17,520

about a

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00:47:22,390 --> 00:47:19,920

10 trillion sorry a thousand trillion

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00:47:24,549 --> 00:47:22,400

times the energy of visible light so

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00:47:26,549 --> 00:47:24,559

we're way out there things that we will

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00:47:28,710 --> 00:47:26,559

be very hard to see

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00:47:31,510 --> 00:47:28,720

with gamma rays almost impossible to see

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00:47:32,950 --> 00:47:31,520

from very far uh sources

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00:47:35,030 --> 00:47:32,960

so why do we think that these are so

1352

00:47:36,630 --> 00:47:35,040

physical is because these atmospheric

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00:47:38,870 --> 00:47:36,640

neutrinos that are produced in cosmic

1354

00:47:41,109 --> 00:47:38,880

ray interactions in the earth

1355

00:47:43,510 --> 00:47:41,119

only reach to so high energies they

1356

00:47:45,670 --> 00:47:43,520

don't go that far in terms of energy so

1357

00:47:47,349 --> 00:47:45,680

if you see a very high energy neutrino

1358

00:47:49,109 --> 00:47:47,359

there is likely to be astrophysical

1359

00:47:50,710 --> 00:47:49,119

energy because the gossip grades hitting

1360

00:47:52,230 --> 00:47:50,720

in our atmosphere cannot create that

1361

00:47:53,349 --> 00:47:52,240

okay so that was the first evidence that

1362

00:47:55,190 --> 00:47:53,359

we have

1363

00:47:57,030 --> 00:47:55,200

astrophysical neutrinos in our data

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00:47:59,910 --> 00:47:57,040

since this was found

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00:48:01,750 --> 00:47:59,920

the there was a a question immediately

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00:48:04,630 --> 00:48:01,760

are there more in data that we haven't

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00:48:05,589 --> 00:48:04,640

seen so how can we find neutrinos in our

1368

00:48:07,190 --> 00:48:05,599

data

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00:48:08,630 --> 00:48:07,200

throwing away everything else that looks

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00:48:09,910 --> 00:48:08,640

like an arduino

1371

00:48:12,630 --> 00:48:09,920

so this is how

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00:48:14,069 --> 00:48:12,640

a veto works and this is how this this

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00:48:16,790 --> 00:48:14,079

detection happened

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00:48:18,230 --> 00:48:16,800

let's say that you have a muon immune is

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00:48:20,150 --> 00:48:18,240

producing shrink of light as i mentioned

1376
00:48:22,470 --> 00:48:20,160
before and as it travels through the ice

1377
00:48:23,510 --> 00:48:22,480
cube detector it's always emitting light

1378
00:48:24,710 --> 00:48:23,520
okay

1379
00:48:27,109 --> 00:48:24,720
so

1380
00:48:29,109 --> 00:48:27,119
we define a kind of a boundary around

1381
00:48:30,870 --> 00:48:29,119
our detector made of other parts of the

1382
00:48:32,549 --> 00:48:30,880
detector so detector itself we define

1383
00:48:35,829 --> 00:48:32,559
parts of the detector to be what we call

1384
00:48:37,510 --> 00:48:35,839
a veto so if anything

1385
00:48:39,670 --> 00:48:37,520
that goes through our detector also

1386
00:48:41,829 --> 00:48:39,680
deposit light deposits light in the

1387
00:48:43,589 --> 00:48:41,839
vital region we throw that away because

1388
00:48:46,950 --> 00:48:43,599

we think that that is immune that came

1389

00:48:48,870 --> 00:48:46,960

from above or from below even

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00:48:51,030 --> 00:48:48,880

but that is most likely produced by just

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00:48:52,950 --> 00:48:51,040

a neuron and not a neutrino

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00:48:54,390 --> 00:48:52,960

now neutrinos can go through everything

1393

00:48:56,230 --> 00:48:54,400

and they can also interact within our

1394

00:48:57,190 --> 00:48:56,240

own detector sneaking in through the

1395

00:48:58,470 --> 00:48:57,200

veto and

1396

00:48:59,910 --> 00:48:58,480

producing a pharyngeal interaction

1397

00:49:01,510 --> 00:48:59,920

within our veto

1398

00:49:03,589 --> 00:49:01,520

and that's how we actually select it for

1399

00:49:05,670 --> 00:49:03,599

these neutrinos because these neutrinos

1400

00:49:07,109 --> 00:49:05,680

will come in and they will first

1401
00:49:08,950 --> 00:49:07,119
interact in the eyes and then you'll see

1402
00:49:10,470 --> 00:49:08,960
a muon suddenly appearing in the middle

1403
00:49:11,750 --> 00:49:10,480
of your detector and the only way that

1404
00:49:13,430 --> 00:49:11,760
you can explain that is actually if your

1405
00:49:15,109 --> 00:49:13,440
neutrino came there

1406
00:49:16,630 --> 00:49:15,119
so now you can identify neutrinos you

1407
00:49:18,069 --> 00:49:16,640
can throw away all the muons and now if

1408
00:49:20,549 --> 00:49:18,079
you require that the nutrients have

1409
00:49:22,390 --> 00:49:20,559
enough high energy to

1410
00:49:23,349 --> 00:49:22,400
kind of remove the atmospheric neutrinos

1411
00:49:25,430 --> 00:49:23,359
you can

1412
00:49:27,430 --> 00:49:25,440
pretty sure be pretty sure that you're

1413
00:49:29,270 --> 00:49:27,440

talking about astrophysical neutrinos so

1414

00:49:30,950 --> 00:49:29,280

this is what it looked like you have all

1415

00:49:32,150 --> 00:49:30,960

these red points i mean this is kind of

1416

00:49:33,990 --> 00:49:32,160

complicated access you have three

1417

00:49:36,470 --> 00:49:34,000

dimensional axis you have how many

1418

00:49:38,549 --> 00:49:36,480

events you detect on the z-axis

1419

00:49:41,109 --> 00:49:38,559

the total charge of the event which is

1420

00:49:43,430 --> 00:49:41,119

indicator of the energy of the of the of

1421

00:49:45,589 --> 00:49:43,440

the event in kind of the x-axis and

1422

00:49:48,790 --> 00:49:45,599

along the y-axis you have how much light

1423

00:49:50,950 --> 00:49:48,800

they deposited in the veto region

1424

00:49:52,790 --> 00:49:50,960

and you can see that i mean it's kind of

1425

00:49:54,230 --> 00:49:52,800

hard to see but if you follow kind of

1426

00:49:55,589 --> 00:49:54,240

this evolution of this kind of

1427

00:49:56,870 --> 00:49:55,599

three-dimensional surface you see that

1428

00:49:58,790 --> 00:49:56,880

the three-dimensional surface has a

1429

00:50:00,790 --> 00:49:58,800

pretty stable shape

1430

00:50:04,150 --> 00:50:00,800

all the way up to here

1431

00:50:06,309 --> 00:50:04,160

where you have many high energy events

1432

00:50:08,309 --> 00:50:06,319

that have high energy because they saw a

1433

00:50:10,150 --> 00:50:08,319

lot of light in the detector and also

1434

00:50:11,990 --> 00:50:10,160

they don't produce any

1435

00:50:14,630 --> 00:50:12,000

lights in the vitor region meaning that

1436

00:50:16,790 --> 00:50:14,640

those are neutrinos and those are actual

1437

00:50:18,150 --> 00:50:16,800

astrophysical neutrino events so that

1438

00:50:19,750 --> 00:50:18,160

was the first detection by ice cube

1439

00:50:21,030 --> 00:50:19,760

astrophysical neutrinos at very high

1440

00:50:22,630 --> 00:50:21,040

energy is the ones that we're interested

1441

00:50:25,030 --> 00:50:22,640

in so that's the first ingredient to try

1442

00:50:26,470 --> 00:50:25,040

to do neutrino astronomy

1443

00:50:28,150 --> 00:50:26,480

okay so

1444

00:50:29,750 --> 00:50:28,160

ever since then in 2013 we have been

1445

00:50:32,230 --> 00:50:29,760

collecting additional evidence for

1446

00:50:33,829 --> 00:50:32,240

neutrino uh so physical neutrino

1447

00:50:35,589 --> 00:50:33,839

observations and we have a very solid

1448

00:50:37,109 --> 00:50:35,599

detection of just the neutrinos

1449

00:50:38,950 --> 00:50:37,119

themselves that's the first ingredient

1450

00:50:40,230 --> 00:50:38,960

in trying to do astronomy just figuring

1451
00:50:41,589 --> 00:50:40,240
out that there are physical neutrinos

1452
00:50:42,790 --> 00:50:41,599
out there that we can use to do

1453
00:50:44,470 --> 00:50:42,800
astronomy

1454
00:50:46,710 --> 00:50:44,480
uh and since then as i said we've been

1455
00:50:48,549 --> 00:50:46,720
building up on this uh on this uh

1456
00:50:50,069 --> 00:50:48,559
evidence for astrophysical neutrinos

1457
00:50:50,870 --> 00:50:50,079
that we have a strong detection of right

1458
00:50:52,470 --> 00:50:50,880
now

1459
00:50:54,549 --> 00:50:52,480
so where are they coming from that's the

1460
00:50:57,190 --> 00:50:54,559
next question that you may ask

1461
00:50:58,870 --> 00:50:57,200
if you plot the neutrinos not these are

1462
00:51:01,670 --> 00:50:58,880
not sources yet these are individual

1463
00:51:04,470 --> 00:51:01,680

neutrinos that you can plot in the sky

1464

00:51:06,230 --> 00:51:04,480

this what the galactic sky looks like in

1465

00:51:07,990 --> 00:51:06,240

uh in neutrinos in this kind of

1466

00:51:10,950 --> 00:51:08,000

representation the galactic plane the

1467

00:51:12,470 --> 00:51:10,960

milky way is kind of flat along this uh

1468

00:51:15,270 --> 00:51:12,480

horizontal line

1469

00:51:16,870 --> 00:51:15,280

and uh each one of these little dots is

1470

00:51:18,549 --> 00:51:16,880

not a source of neutrinos but it's a

1471

00:51:21,109 --> 00:51:18,559

single neutrino came from that that came

1472

00:51:22,790 --> 00:51:21,119

from that direction and since ice cube

1473

00:51:25,270 --> 00:51:22,800

can detect neutrinos and neutrinos can

1474

00:51:28,230 --> 00:51:25,280

go through everything you can see

1475

00:51:30,230 --> 00:51:28,240

both neutrinos coming from

1476
00:51:32,549 --> 00:51:30,240
above ice cube and also nutrients going

1477
00:51:34,549 --> 00:51:32,559
through the earth and into ice cube well

1478
00:51:36,309 --> 00:51:34,559
at some point the neutrinos are so high

1479
00:51:38,470 --> 00:51:36,319
in energy that actually some of them are

1480
00:51:41,349 --> 00:51:38,480
absorbed on the earth but you can see

1481
00:51:43,190 --> 00:51:41,359
here that we have plenty of neutrinos uh

1482
00:51:45,430 --> 00:51:43,200
across the entire sky

1483
00:51:48,870 --> 00:51:45,440
uh at the level of about as i said one

1484
00:51:51,829 --> 00:51:48,880
per month so we collect about if tens or

1485
00:51:53,750 --> 00:51:51,839
or some or so a year

1486
00:51:55,750 --> 00:51:53,760
you can see at least from just taking a

1487
00:51:57,910 --> 00:51:55,760
first look at this how these neutrino

1488
00:51:58,710 --> 00:51:57,920

events are distributed that none of them

1489

00:52:00,870 --> 00:51:58,720

or

1490

00:52:02,470 --> 00:52:00,880

there's no clear indication that most of

1491

00:52:04,470 --> 00:52:02,480

them are just distributed along the

1492

00:52:06,390 --> 00:52:04,480

galactic plane they seem to be kind of

1493

00:52:09,510 --> 00:52:06,400

distributed both above and beyond the

1494

00:52:12,950 --> 00:52:09,520

galactic plane and that tends to favor

1495

00:52:14,630 --> 00:52:12,960

that uh most of them will be coming from

1496

00:52:15,910 --> 00:52:14,640

from sources beyond our own galaxy

1497

00:52:16,870 --> 00:52:15,920

meaning that they're in exo-electric

1498

00:52:19,589 --> 00:52:16,880

space

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00:52:21,589 --> 00:52:19,599

so that perhaps the the contribution of

1500

00:52:24,069 --> 00:52:21,599

our own galaxy to the neutrino sky is

1501
00:52:25,910 --> 00:52:24,079
not so high compared to the nutrients

1502
00:52:26,710 --> 00:52:25,920
that we have detected so far

1503
00:52:28,470 --> 00:52:26,720
so

1504
00:52:30,150 --> 00:52:28,480
okay now we have the sample of neutrinos

1505
00:52:32,230 --> 00:52:30,160
let's look at lower energy neutrinos as

1506
00:52:34,150 --> 00:52:32,240
well to see if we see any evidence for

1507
00:52:35,829 --> 00:52:34,160
for neutrino sources right any kind of

1508
00:52:37,510 --> 00:52:35,839
particular point in the sky that's

1509
00:52:39,430 --> 00:52:37,520
emitting more neutrinos and as i said

1510
00:52:41,750 --> 00:52:39,440
before we have detected neutrinos from

1511
00:52:43,190 --> 00:52:41,760
across the sky going through the earth

1512
00:52:45,270 --> 00:52:43,200
and from above

1513
00:52:47,109 --> 00:52:45,280

and if you put them on a sky map for one

1514

00:52:49,270 --> 00:52:47,119

year of data this is what it looks like

1515

00:52:50,950 --> 00:52:49,280

and it looks pretty even right that's

1516

00:52:52,549 --> 00:52:50,960

because most of that skymap is made of

1517

00:52:54,630 --> 00:52:52,559

background events that are not really

1518

00:52:56,230 --> 00:52:54,640

astrophysical neutrinos and there's no

1519

00:52:58,630 --> 00:52:56,240

obvious indication that any of these

1520

00:53:00,230 --> 00:52:58,640

little patches of neutrinos or clusters

1521

00:53:01,349 --> 00:53:00,240

that you see are more significant than

1522

00:53:02,069 --> 00:53:01,359

others

1523

00:53:04,150 --> 00:53:02,079

so

1524

00:53:05,750 --> 00:53:04,160

in taking the first years of data we

1525

00:53:08,069 --> 00:53:05,760

didn't see any strong indications of

1526
00:53:09,510 --> 00:53:08,079
neutrino sources most of them most of

1527
00:53:11,750 --> 00:53:09,520
these neutrinos therefore most likely

1528
00:53:13,910 --> 00:53:11,760
are from background events

1529
00:53:16,150 --> 00:53:13,920
so we search for clusterings of these

1530
00:53:18,150 --> 00:53:16,160
neutrinos to look for an excess that

1531
00:53:20,069 --> 00:53:18,160
could not be produced by just random

1532
00:53:22,470 --> 00:53:20,079
alignment of background events but could

1533
00:53:24,710 --> 00:53:22,480
be a point source of neutrinos

1534
00:53:26,790 --> 00:53:24,720
and in order to find the sources we have

1535
00:53:28,630 --> 00:53:26,800
taken kind of some pointers from

1536
00:53:30,549 --> 00:53:28,640
everything else that is out there as i

1537
00:53:32,069 --> 00:53:30,559
mentioned before if we detect gamma rays

1538
00:53:33,990 --> 00:53:32,079

and neutrinos coming from a same point

1539

00:53:35,670 --> 00:53:34,000

in the sky we know that that's a good

1540

00:53:38,710 --> 00:53:35,680

indication that that could be a

1541

00:53:40,390 --> 00:53:38,720

cosmic ray source so why not use the

1542

00:53:42,390 --> 00:53:40,400

gamma rays to tell us where to look for

1543

00:53:44,549 --> 00:53:42,400

neutrino sources if you look at the

1544

00:53:46,309 --> 00:53:44,559

camera sky taking here this picture

1545

00:53:48,710 --> 00:53:46,319

across the entire sky by the feminist

1546

00:53:50,549 --> 00:53:48,720

fermi satellites that i mentioned before

1547

00:53:52,630 --> 00:53:50,559

the globe that you see here is the milky

1548

00:53:54,870 --> 00:53:52,640

way in gamma rays and each dots that you

1549

00:53:56,870 --> 00:53:54,880

see here at higher active latitudes

1550

00:53:58,870 --> 00:53:56,880

these are not stars these are super

1551
00:54:00,309 --> 00:53:58,880
massive black holes at the center of

1552
00:54:01,829 --> 00:54:00,319
these objects that we call active

1553
00:54:04,470 --> 00:54:01,839
galactic nuclei

1554
00:54:06,069 --> 00:54:04,480
okay so we can take each one of these

1555
00:54:08,309 --> 00:54:06,079
two ingredients we can take galactic

1556
00:54:09,829 --> 00:54:08,319
sources things are in our own galaxy

1557
00:54:11,829 --> 00:54:09,839
like supernova remnants ports away

1558
00:54:13,430 --> 00:54:11,839
nebulae and look for neutrinos

1559
00:54:15,109 --> 00:54:13,440
specifically in that direction so that

1560
00:54:17,270 --> 00:54:15,119
we we don't waste time just looking

1561
00:54:19,750 --> 00:54:17,280
around at the entire sky or we can also

1562
00:54:22,549 --> 00:54:19,760
look for neutrinos coming from each one

1563
00:54:24,470 --> 00:54:22,559

of these agm that we're going to

1564

00:54:25,430 --> 00:54:24,480

explore more in the in in the coming

1565

00:54:26,230 --> 00:54:25,440

slides

1566

00:54:27,589 --> 00:54:26,240

so

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00:54:29,589 --> 00:54:27,599

uh i will go through a bunch of

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00:54:31,910 --> 00:54:29,599

disappointing slides uh we have looked

1569

00:54:34,710 --> 00:54:31,920

so far at

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00:54:38,069 --> 00:54:34,720

nutrias from the galaxy and just based

1571

00:54:40,150 --> 00:54:38,079

on the most recent observations

1572

00:54:42,870 --> 00:54:40,160

we don't see a strong evidence for

1573

00:54:45,190 --> 00:54:42,880

emission from the galaxy itself so from

1574

00:54:47,270 --> 00:54:45,200

this kind of band of gamma ray light

1575

00:54:50,470 --> 00:54:47,280

there's no strong evidence but we're

1576

00:54:52,390 --> 00:54:50,480

fine-tuning our analysis to improve our

1577

00:54:53,910 --> 00:54:52,400

sensitivity to this neutrinos and

1578

00:54:55,589 --> 00:54:53,920

perhaps in the near future we may be

1579

00:54:57,510 --> 00:54:55,599

able to see that

1580

00:54:59,670 --> 00:54:57,520

that emission because we're getting very

1581

00:55:02,230 --> 00:54:59,680

close to what the models predict

1582

00:55:04,309 --> 00:55:02,240

should be the flux level for the

1583

00:55:05,190 --> 00:55:04,319

neutrinos coming from our own galaxy

1584

00:55:07,510 --> 00:55:05,200

okay

1585

00:55:08,950 --> 00:55:07,520

so uh so far there's no significance

1586

00:55:11,030 --> 00:55:08,960

correlations with the galactic plane but

1587

00:55:12,789 --> 00:55:11,040

as i said before our sensitivity is

1588

00:55:14,789 --> 00:55:12,799

improving as we take more data and

1589

00:55:17,270 --> 00:55:14,799

therefore at some point in some day we

1590

00:55:18,950 --> 00:55:17,280

may we may start seeing uh neutrinos

1591

00:55:20,390 --> 00:55:18,960

from our own galaxy

1592

00:55:22,549 --> 00:55:20,400

we also look in the direction of this

1593

00:55:24,710 --> 00:55:22,559

active galactic nuclei and again in that

1594

00:55:26,950 --> 00:55:24,720

case we don't see a strong evidence with

1595

00:55:28,950 --> 00:55:26,960

strong correlation between the gamma ray

1596

00:55:30,950 --> 00:55:28,960

blazars gamma-ray active galactic nuclei

1597

00:55:32,950 --> 00:55:30,960

seen by fermi and the neutrinos detected

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00:55:35,109 --> 00:55:32,960

by ice cube and again in that case we

1599

00:55:36,630 --> 00:55:35,119

have said okay we we don't we expected

1600

00:55:39,510 --> 00:55:36,640

perhaps some neutrinos but we haven't

1601
00:55:42,390 --> 00:55:39,520
seen any any strong evidence for that

1602
00:55:44,630 --> 00:55:42,400
yet and the other kind of very popular

1603
00:55:46,390 --> 00:55:44,640
uh source that was out there this uh

1604
00:55:48,230 --> 00:55:46,400
gamma ray burst that either produced by

1605
00:55:50,710 --> 00:55:48,240
the collapse of a massive star or the

1606
00:55:53,270 --> 00:55:50,720
compact binary merger let's say of of

1607
00:55:55,190 --> 00:55:53,280
two neutron stars they have been

1608
00:55:57,030 --> 00:55:55,200
promising neutrino sources for a long

1609
00:55:59,030 --> 00:55:57,040
time and we looked in the direction of

1610
00:56:00,950 --> 00:55:59,040
those grbs to look for neutrino emission

1611
00:56:03,990 --> 00:56:00,960
and again we haven't seen any

1612
00:56:05,510 --> 00:56:04,000
correlation okay so how do we actually

1613
00:56:06,710 --> 00:56:05,520

know that we're pointing our telescope

1614

00:56:08,230 --> 00:56:06,720

in the right direction our telescope is

1615

00:56:10,549 --> 00:56:08,240

just a block of ice that has a one key

1616

00:56:12,069 --> 00:56:10,559

number q right so how do we even can we

1617

00:56:14,150 --> 00:56:12,079

tell if we have not seen any single

1618

00:56:15,430 --> 00:56:14,160

source that our telescope is telling us

1619

00:56:17,349 --> 00:56:15,440

that neutrinos coming from the place

1620

00:56:19,589 --> 00:56:17,359

where we claim they are well it happens

1621

00:56:21,750 --> 00:56:19,599

that some of this cosmic rays beyond

1622

00:56:23,589 --> 00:56:21,760

being at best and trying we try to

1623

00:56:26,069 --> 00:56:23,599

remove them to search for neutrino

1624

00:56:28,549 --> 00:56:26,079

sources they're actually very useful

1625

00:56:30,870 --> 00:56:28,559

because cosmic rays come from

1626
00:56:33,109 --> 00:56:30,880
all around us from bombard the earth

1627
00:56:35,190 --> 00:56:33,119
from all directions but there's one

1628
00:56:37,349 --> 00:56:35,200
particular direction in which casa grays

1629
00:56:38,630 --> 00:56:37,359
tend to be coming less from i mean i

1630
00:56:40,230 --> 00:56:38,640
mean there are less consequences coming

1631
00:56:42,470 --> 00:56:40,240
from that direction and this direction

1632
00:56:43,829 --> 00:56:42,480
of the moon and the sun as you probably

1633
00:56:45,670 --> 00:56:43,839
know from solar eclipses and lunar

1634
00:56:47,589 --> 00:56:45,680
eclipses but from solar eclipses the

1635
00:56:49,829 --> 00:56:47,599
moon and the sun have the same angular

1636
00:56:50,549 --> 00:56:49,839
size in the sky half a degree

1637
00:56:52,950 --> 00:56:50,559
so

1638
00:56:56,710 --> 00:56:52,960

uh if gossip rays are coming from the

1639

00:56:58,390 --> 00:56:56,720

deep sky the space from the outer space

1640

00:57:00,069 --> 00:56:58,400

uh somewhere in the universe

1641

00:57:01,829 --> 00:57:00,079

and are getting to earth

1642

00:57:03,670 --> 00:57:01,839

uh the ones that should be coming from

1643

00:57:06,390 --> 00:57:03,680

the direction of the of the moon or the

1644

00:57:08,390 --> 00:57:06,400

sun will be actually blocked by the moon

1645

00:57:10,870 --> 00:57:08,400

and that's what we call the moon shadow

1646

00:57:12,549 --> 00:57:10,880

in cosmic rays so there should be less

1647

00:57:13,990 --> 00:57:12,559

cosmic rays hitting ice cube from the

1648

00:57:15,430 --> 00:57:14,000

direction of the moon than there would

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00:57:18,309 --> 00:57:15,440

be otherwise

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00:57:20,150 --> 00:57:18,319

so by looking at that particular shadow

1651
00:57:22,390 --> 00:57:20,160
effect we can actually

1652
00:57:24,069 --> 00:57:22,400
see the shadow i mean these are how many

1653
00:57:25,349 --> 00:57:24,079
events we see from the direction how

1654
00:57:26,950 --> 00:57:25,359
many because of grey events we see from

1655
00:57:28,950 --> 00:57:26,960
direction of the moon and you see that

1656
00:57:30,549 --> 00:57:28,960
right at the location of the moon we see

1657
00:57:32,150 --> 00:57:30,559
a strong deficit

1658
00:57:33,349 --> 00:57:32,160
that you from what you would expect

1659
00:57:36,150 --> 00:57:33,359
otherwise

1660
00:57:38,150 --> 00:57:36,160
and using that we can actually calibrate

1661
00:57:40,069 --> 00:57:38,160
our pointing because if the moon if you

1662
00:57:41,750 --> 00:57:40,079
see that shadow it means that we know

1663
00:57:42,950 --> 00:57:41,760

where these muons are pointing in the

1664

00:57:44,549 --> 00:57:42,960

sky and therefore we know where the

1665

00:57:46,150 --> 00:57:44,559

nutrients are coming from

1666

00:57:48,230 --> 00:57:46,160

and other telescopes like antares have

1667

00:57:49,510 --> 00:57:48,240

done the same thing so using the moon

1668

00:57:51,589 --> 00:57:49,520

shadow and custom grades we can actually

1669

00:57:52,870 --> 00:57:51,599

calibrate our telescopes and we know

1670

00:57:55,030 --> 00:57:52,880

that our angular resolution at the

1671

00:57:57,270 --> 00:57:55,040

moment is about 0.5 degrees improving to

1672

00:57:58,789 --> 00:57:57,280

higher energies but 0.5 degrees and in

1673

00:58:00,390 --> 00:57:58,799

terms of absolute pointing is less than

1674

00:58:03,109 --> 00:58:00,400

0.1 degrees so pretty good angular

1675

00:58:06,069 --> 00:58:03,119

pointing for neutrino telescopes

1676

00:58:08,069 --> 00:58:06,079

okay so since we started saying that

1677

00:58:09,589 --> 00:58:08,079

neutrinos have very high energies and

1678

00:58:12,630 --> 00:58:09,599

are likely astrophysical in origin now

1679

00:58:14,470 --> 00:58:12,640

we detect about once a month one a month

1680

00:58:16,150 --> 00:58:14,480

we can actually use this information

1681

00:58:19,750 --> 00:58:16,160

because if we know that there is a

1682

00:58:21,510 --> 00:58:19,760

neutrino in the sky at a particular time

1683

00:58:22,950 --> 00:58:21,520

we may not see perhaps many more

1684

00:58:24,950 --> 00:58:22,960

astrophysical neutrinos coming from that

1685

00:58:26,230 --> 00:58:24,960

same point in the sky

1686

00:58:27,510 --> 00:58:26,240

very shortly

1687

00:58:29,190 --> 00:58:27,520

but what we can do is tell the

1688

00:58:30,549 --> 00:58:29,200

astronomical community please point your

1689

00:58:31,910 --> 00:58:30,559

telescopes in that direction because

1690

00:58:33,910 --> 00:58:31,920

that means that there could be something

1691

00:58:35,510 --> 00:58:33,920

going on there at that location that is

1692

00:58:37,910 --> 00:58:35,520

emitting neutrinos and perhaps it is

1693

00:58:38,870 --> 00:58:37,920

flaring also in gamma rays in x-rays and

1694

00:58:41,270 --> 00:58:38,880

so on

1695

00:58:43,430 --> 00:58:41,280

so in ice cube we started this real time

1696

00:58:44,950 --> 00:58:43,440

on our system in 2016 you can actually

1697

00:58:46,710 --> 00:58:44,960

subscribe to it yourself and get

1698

00:58:48,549 --> 00:58:46,720

neutrino alerts every time ascii detects

1699

00:58:50,630 --> 00:58:48,559

a neutrino that is likely of a physical

1700

00:58:53,190 --> 00:58:50,640

origin and as i said before this is the

1701
00:58:55,589 --> 00:58:53,200
night this is the sky as seen from the

1702
00:58:57,190 --> 00:58:55,599
uh from the south pole the uh the

1703
00:58:58,549 --> 00:58:57,200
southern skies on the bottom the

1704
00:59:00,789 --> 00:58:58,559
northern sky that you see through the

1705
00:59:03,430 --> 00:59:00,799
earth only is on the top

1706
00:59:05,510 --> 00:59:03,440
and i'll show you a little video of the

1707
00:59:07,510 --> 00:59:05,520
start of this real-time program between

1708
00:59:10,390 --> 00:59:07,520
2016 and

1709
00:59:12,390 --> 00:59:10,400
the late part of 2017.

1710
00:59:13,750 --> 00:59:12,400
so these are the neutrinos are coming

1711
00:59:15,109 --> 00:59:13,760
and you see kind of the dates at which

1712
00:59:16,710 --> 00:59:15,119
they come and where they came from in

1713
00:59:18,230 --> 00:59:16,720

the sky and i stopped there because

1714

00:59:20,069 --> 00:59:18,240

there is one particular training event

1715

00:59:20,910 --> 00:59:20,079

that was very interesting it's called

1716

00:59:23,430 --> 00:59:20,920

this

1717

00:59:25,990 --> 00:59:23,440

i-1709-22 and that is because the date

1718

00:59:28,390 --> 00:59:26,000

that it was detected was september 17th

1719

00:59:32,230 --> 00:59:28,400

sorry september 22nd this is the typo

1720

00:59:33,670 --> 00:59:32,240

here of 2017. and this was this neutrino

1721

00:59:35,190 --> 00:59:33,680

the muon that was produced by this

1722

00:59:36,870 --> 00:59:35,200

neutrino travels through our detector

1723

00:59:39,510 --> 00:59:36,880

and it produced a pretty nice track of

1724

00:59:41,190 --> 00:59:39,520

lights and were able to reconstruct the

1725

00:59:42,069 --> 00:59:41,200

direction of that neutrino back into the

1726

00:59:44,549 --> 00:59:42,079

sky

1727

00:59:46,950 --> 00:59:44,559

and lo and behold if you look back at

1728

00:59:48,710 --> 00:59:46,960

the sky at that particular location the

1729

00:59:50,309 --> 00:59:48,720

synaptic galactic nucleus that at the

1730

00:59:52,549 --> 00:59:50,319

time of the observation of the neutrino

1731

00:59:55,430 --> 00:59:52,559

was strongly flaring in gamma rays and

1732

00:59:57,510 --> 00:59:55,440

x-rays and it was showing activity

1733

00:59:59,349 --> 00:59:57,520

throughout the electromagnetic spectrum

1734

01:00:00,870 --> 00:59:59,359

so as i said before

1735

01:00:02,230 --> 01:00:00,880

an indication that there's their gamma

1736

01:00:03,190 --> 01:00:02,240

rays at the same time as neutrino

1737

01:00:04,470 --> 01:00:03,200

emission

1738

01:00:07,349 --> 01:00:04,480

it's a good indicator that that could

1739

01:00:09,030 --> 01:00:07,359

become a cosmic ray source so this was

1740

01:00:11,430 --> 01:00:09,040

super exciting because this was the

1741

01:00:13,430 --> 01:00:11,440

first thing first time we had seen kind

1742

01:00:15,829 --> 01:00:13,440

of a coincidence between one of these

1743

01:00:17,750 --> 01:00:15,839

neutrinos we we have detected and one of

1744

01:00:19,910 --> 01:00:17,760

these uh sources and that the source at

1745

01:00:21,910 --> 01:00:19,920

the time happened to be flaring strongly

1746

01:00:24,549 --> 01:00:21,920

in gamma rays and x-rays

1747

01:00:27,589 --> 01:00:24,559

so just to mention very briefly what are

1748

01:00:30,710 --> 01:00:27,599

active galactic nuclei they're

1749

01:00:32,230 --> 01:00:30,720

the most powerful um

1750

01:00:33,910 --> 01:00:32,240

persistent sources of electromagnetic

1751

01:00:35,589 --> 01:00:33,920

radiation in the universe they're

1752

01:00:37,990 --> 01:00:35,599

powered by the supremacy black hole and

1753

01:00:39,510 --> 01:00:38,000

the matter that falls into that and many

1754

01:00:41,670 --> 01:00:39,520

of them display or at least a fraction

1755

01:00:43,349 --> 01:00:41,680

of them display these relativistic jets

1756

01:00:44,789 --> 01:00:43,359

and when these jets are pointed at us we

1757

01:00:46,789 --> 01:00:44,799

call them blazars because they're

1758

01:00:49,030 --> 01:00:46,799

shining kind of this beam of radiation

1759

01:00:50,710 --> 01:00:49,040

towards us

1760

01:00:52,309 --> 01:00:50,720

and we want to study them at the high

1761

01:00:54,309 --> 01:00:52,319

sustainable energies and of course gamma

1762

01:00:55,510 --> 01:00:54,319

rays and neutrinos are a specific way to

1763

01:00:58,069 --> 01:00:55,520

do that

1764

01:00:59,750 --> 01:00:58,079

in the detection of 17 or 9 22 this ice

1765

01:01:02,069 --> 01:00:59,760

cream nutrient event we notified as i

1766

01:01:04,150 --> 01:01:02,079

said the uh the ceramic community and

1767

01:01:05,270 --> 01:01:04,160

these were all the telescopes both on

1768

01:01:06,950 --> 01:01:05,280

the ground and in space that

1769

01:01:09,190 --> 01:01:06,960

participated in the follow-up of that

1770

01:01:11,109 --> 01:01:09,200

campaign and with the data collected

1771

01:01:13,349 --> 01:01:11,119

from those observations we were put

1772

01:01:15,670 --> 01:01:13,359

we're able to put together this picture

1773

01:01:18,309 --> 01:01:15,680

of the gamma-ray blazer

1774

01:01:20,630 --> 01:01:18,319

in this picture you see energy as if in

1775

01:01:21,990 --> 01:01:20,640

the x-axis and just the number of of

1776

01:01:24,150 --> 01:01:22,000

photons that you're seeing these are

1777

01:01:26,069 --> 01:01:24,160

just electromagnetic observations so

1778

01:01:27,670 --> 01:01:26,079

this is along the y-axis this amount of

1779

01:01:29,430 --> 01:01:27,680

energy in

1780

01:01:31,190 --> 01:01:29,440

at that particular energy range that you

1781

01:01:32,870 --> 01:01:31,200

can detect from that source

1782

01:01:35,510 --> 01:01:32,880

and um

1783

01:01:36,950 --> 01:01:35,520

here the the high energy emission is the

1784

01:01:39,030 --> 01:01:36,960

one that's most interesting because it's

1785

01:01:40,789 --> 01:01:39,040

the one that poorly is connected to

1786

01:01:43,030 --> 01:01:40,799

the neutrino emission

1787

01:01:44,470 --> 01:01:43,040

so that was the first chance correlation

1788

01:01:45,670 --> 01:01:44,480

evidence for neutrino source that we

1789

01:01:47,589 --> 01:01:45,680

have detected

1790

01:01:48,710 --> 01:01:47,599

and uh that is the evidence for the

1791

01:01:50,630 --> 01:01:48,720

connection between this particular

1792

01:01:54,309 --> 01:01:50,640

nutrient event and this blazer that we

1793

01:01:56,549 --> 01:01:54,319

detected called txs3506

1794

01:01:57,910 --> 01:01:56,559

because icecube has been operational

1795

01:01:59,829 --> 01:01:57,920

since 2010.

1796

01:02:01,510 --> 01:01:59,839

and now that we have identified a source

1797

01:02:03,430 --> 01:02:01,520

that is of particular interest we can

1798

01:02:04,549 --> 01:02:03,440

look back at the data because that scope

1799

01:02:06,549 --> 01:02:04,559

doesn't point in any particular

1800

01:02:08,950 --> 01:02:06,559

direction is always surveying the entire

1801
01:02:11,190 --> 01:02:08,960
sky so doing that

1802
01:02:13,190 --> 01:02:11,200
we actually found an excess of neutrinos

1803
01:02:16,230 --> 01:02:13,200
coming from the direction of that source

1804
01:02:18,150 --> 01:02:16,240
that dated back to 2014 and 2015. and

1805
01:02:19,750 --> 01:02:18,160
luckily no electromagnetic telescopes

1806
01:02:21,270 --> 01:02:19,760
were pointed at the source at the time

1807
01:02:24,069 --> 01:02:21,280
only wide field instruments that have

1808
01:02:25,589 --> 01:02:24,079
limited resolution and sensitivity but

1809
01:02:26,950 --> 01:02:25,599
we find additional evidence that there

1810
01:02:29,430 --> 01:02:26,960
was something going on in that part of

1811
01:02:31,270 --> 01:02:29,440
the sky so this is perhaps the first

1812
01:02:34,710 --> 01:02:31,280
evidence that we have of neutrino

1813
01:02:36,230 --> 01:02:34,720

sources appearing in the sky more recent

1814

01:02:38,150 --> 01:02:36,240

alerts i will going to show you what

1815

01:02:40,870 --> 01:02:38,160

happened after that so you can see that

1816

01:02:43,349 --> 01:02:40,880

about once a month we have a neutrino

1817

01:02:44,870 --> 01:02:43,359

alert coming from ice cube that says hey

1818

01:02:46,230 --> 01:02:44,880

look at that location in the sky because

1819

01:02:47,430 --> 01:02:46,240

there could be an astrophysical neutrino

1820

01:02:49,750 --> 01:02:47,440

coming from it

1821

01:02:53,029 --> 01:02:49,760

and this will keep going i think i made

1822

01:02:54,630 --> 01:02:53,039

this video all the way up to about 2021

1823

01:02:56,069 --> 01:02:54,640

and

1824

01:02:57,829 --> 01:02:56,079

if you want to

1825

01:02:59,910 --> 01:02:57,839

see them for with your own eyes and

1826
01:03:01,670 --> 01:02:59,920
actually get kind of a nice view of the

1827
01:03:03,109 --> 01:03:01,680
ice cube detector

1828
01:03:04,549 --> 01:03:03,119
some of our colleagues in icecube have

1829
01:03:07,029 --> 01:03:04,559
developed this

1830
01:03:09,510 --> 01:03:07,039
this app for your phone where you can

1831
01:03:10,789 --> 01:03:09,520
see a virtual reality representation of

1832
01:03:12,870 --> 01:03:10,799
icecube

1833
01:03:15,670 --> 01:03:12,880
you can get it downloaded from the play

1834
01:03:17,990 --> 01:03:15,680
store or the ice the ios app store just

1835
01:03:20,470 --> 01:03:18,000
look for ice cube ar

1836
01:03:22,230 --> 01:03:20,480
and you can actually see some of these

1837
01:03:24,069 --> 01:03:22,240
neutrino events and it will notify you

1838
01:03:26,549 --> 01:03:24,079

the alert it will notify you when you

1839

01:03:29,029 --> 01:03:26,559

have a new alert coming from icecube so

1840

01:03:30,390 --> 01:03:29,039

it takes only on average it only takes

1841

01:03:32,309 --> 01:03:30,400

30 seconds

1842

01:03:34,230 --> 01:03:32,319

for an alert for a neutrino to be

1843

01:03:35,990 --> 01:03:34,240

detected as a south pole and you getting

1844

01:03:38,150 --> 01:03:36,000

that notification so it's pretty amazing

1845

01:03:40,150 --> 01:03:38,160

what how quickly things travel from the

1846

01:03:41,829 --> 01:03:40,160

south pole all the way to your phone

1847

01:03:44,069 --> 01:03:41,839

using this technology

1848

01:03:46,069 --> 01:03:44,079

and actually we had one earlier today uh

1849

01:03:48,549 --> 01:03:46,079

today or morning i was busy sending out

1850

01:03:51,349 --> 01:03:48,559

some information about this alert this

1851
01:03:53,270 --> 01:03:51,359
is one neutrino event uh that went

1852
01:03:55,589 --> 01:03:53,280
through a detector like this

1853
01:03:57,270 --> 01:03:55,599
um and beyond the ones that we detect

1854
01:03:58,950 --> 01:03:57,280
often there have been several additional

1855
01:04:00,230 --> 01:03:58,960
claims for correlation since the

1856
01:04:02,950 --> 01:04:00,240
correlation between this particular

1857
01:04:05,589 --> 01:04:02,960
event in 2017 and this blazer called the

1858
01:04:07,190 --> 01:04:05,599
excessive ico 6. so we we may be seeing

1859
01:04:09,910 --> 01:04:07,200
kind of the tip of the iceberg in terms

1860
01:04:10,829 --> 01:04:09,920
of trying to find the sources of this uh

1861
01:04:13,190 --> 01:04:10,839
of these

1862
01:04:14,390 --> 01:04:13,200
neutrinos beyond just looking for

1863
01:04:16,470 --> 01:04:14,400

particular correlations between

1864

01:04:17,750 --> 01:04:16,480

individual neutrino events and just

1865

01:04:20,069 --> 01:04:17,760

sources that we know are out there that

1866

01:04:22,470 --> 01:04:20,079

could become resources or x-ray sources

1867

01:04:24,230 --> 01:04:22,480

we're also looking for just as i said

1868

01:04:26,710 --> 01:04:24,240

before clustering of neutrino events in

1869

01:04:28,150 --> 01:04:26,720

the sky just neutrinos if there are many

1870

01:04:30,150 --> 01:04:28,160

nutrients coming from the same point in

1871

01:04:32,789 --> 01:04:30,160

the sky that is unlikely to be produced

1872

01:04:35,349 --> 01:04:32,799

by just background by just chance it's

1873

01:04:37,750 --> 01:04:35,359

possible that that's a neutrino source

1874

01:04:40,069 --> 01:04:37,760

and in the recent analysis of 10 years

1875

01:04:42,069 --> 01:04:40,079

of ice cube data we have found an excess

1876

01:04:44,549 --> 01:04:42,079

again this is evidence for something

1877

01:04:46,390 --> 01:04:44,559

evident in the particle physics lingo

1878

01:04:47,510 --> 01:04:46,400

means that the probability that this is

1879

01:04:49,029 --> 01:04:47,520

something

1880

01:04:52,230 --> 01:04:49,039

that happened just by chance is about

1881

01:04:53,750 --> 01:04:52,240

one in 370. so it's not a very small

1882

01:04:55,190 --> 01:04:53,760

probability i mean it's not a very large

1883

01:04:56,950 --> 01:04:55,200

priority but still

1884

01:04:59,750 --> 01:04:56,960

it could be by chance that this happens

1885

01:05:01,829 --> 01:04:59,760

so we're still refining our data

1886

01:05:03,829 --> 01:05:01,839

analysis and we're looking more at this

1887

01:05:05,990 --> 01:05:03,839

data we're collecting more information

1888

01:05:07,589 --> 01:05:06,000

so perhaps if this keeps increasing we

1889

01:05:09,670 --> 01:05:07,599

will get to an actual detection of this

1890

01:05:12,150 --> 01:05:09,680

source at some point in the future we

1891

01:05:13,990 --> 01:05:12,160

don't we cannot say yet uh with the data

1892

01:05:14,950 --> 01:05:14,000

that we have in the ten years of uh so

1893

01:05:16,549 --> 01:05:14,960

far

1894

01:05:18,710 --> 01:05:16,559

okay so this particular source is very

1895

01:05:19,990 --> 01:05:18,720

interesting it's called ngc 1068 it has

1896

01:05:21,990 --> 01:05:20,000

a beautiful picture unfortunately it's

1897

01:05:23,109 --> 01:05:22,000

not taking neutrinos it's taking an

1898

01:05:24,230 --> 01:05:23,119

optical light

1899

01:05:26,069 --> 01:05:24,240

and

1900

01:05:28,950 --> 01:05:26,079

what we think is that at the center of

1901

01:05:31,670 --> 01:05:28,960

that source if that can be i mean a way

1902

01:05:34,069 --> 01:05:31,680

to explain these neutrinos uh coming

1903

01:05:36,630 --> 01:05:34,079

from that source is that

1904

01:05:39,349 --> 01:05:36,640

the the black hole at the center of that

1905

01:05:41,349 --> 01:05:39,359

galaxy has a as many of these uh black

1906

01:05:42,549 --> 01:05:41,359

holes have they have an acquisition disc

1907

01:05:43,990 --> 01:05:42,559

and they have this region called the

1908

01:05:45,910 --> 01:05:44,000

corona and that is producing many

1909

01:05:47,190 --> 01:05:45,920

photons and this acoustic grays are

1910

01:05:48,230 --> 01:05:47,200

being accelerated near the black hole

1911

01:05:49,910 --> 01:05:48,240

interact

1912

01:05:52,789 --> 01:05:49,920

with those photons and they produce

1913

01:05:55,190 --> 01:05:52,799

neutrinos and lower energy radiation

1914

01:05:57,029 --> 01:05:55,200

mostly in the x-rays so there are some

1915

01:05:59,750 --> 01:05:57,039

theories out there of how you could be

1916

01:06:01,270 --> 01:05:59,760

producing neutrinos uh to try to express

1917

01:06:04,470 --> 01:06:01,280

explain this observation this evidence

1918

01:06:06,630 --> 01:06:04,480

for neutrinos coming from my skin okay

1919

01:06:07,829 --> 01:06:06,640

so as i said the um

1920

01:06:09,430 --> 01:06:07,839

the future

1921

01:06:11,029 --> 01:06:09,440

is just to

1922

01:06:12,549 --> 01:06:11,039

get more neutrinos coming from the sky

1923

01:06:15,190 --> 01:06:12,559

as i said the ingredients do not restrow

1924

01:06:17,029 --> 01:06:15,200

me is that we want first to have the

1925

01:06:19,349 --> 01:06:17,039

cosmic flux of nutrients we have that

1926

01:06:21,349 --> 01:06:19,359

already we're improving our angle

1927

01:06:23,510 --> 01:06:21,359

resolution we're taking more data ice

1928

01:06:25,670 --> 01:06:23,520

cube is taking data 24 7. so nothing

1929

01:06:28,630 --> 01:06:25,680

stops it it looks at the dire sky at

1930

01:06:31,430 --> 01:06:28,640

once so it's no issue there

1931

01:06:33,910 --> 01:06:31,440

the thing is that ice cube

1932

01:06:34,710 --> 01:06:33,920

has a limited size so we're limited in

1933

01:06:36,789 --> 01:06:34,720

our

1934

01:06:39,349 --> 01:06:36,799

sensitivity by just the size of ice cube

1935

01:06:41,430 --> 01:06:39,359

so in the near in the next decade the

1936

01:06:43,349 --> 01:06:41,440

idea is that more

1937

01:06:44,870 --> 01:06:43,359

telescopes will be deployed and also ice

1938

01:06:46,549 --> 01:06:44,880

cube will ask you itself will be

1939

01:06:48,789 --> 01:06:46,559

expanded to look

1940

01:06:52,309 --> 01:06:48,799

more deeply into the nutrient sky

1941

01:06:56,069 --> 01:06:52,319

as i said before the um this this uh

1942

01:06:58,150 --> 01:06:56,079

effort in in russia uh to build uh this

1943

01:07:00,870 --> 01:06:58,160

to keep expanding this vital gbd

1944

01:07:03,589 --> 01:07:00,880

detector this was the status as of last

1945

01:07:04,950 --> 01:07:03,599

year right now of course things uh

1946

01:07:07,670 --> 01:07:04,960

um

1947

01:07:09,190 --> 01:07:07,680

are uncertain let's say like that uh and

1948

01:07:11,829 --> 01:07:09,200

therefore i i don't know exactly what

1949

01:07:14,150 --> 01:07:11,839

the status is of black lgbt

1950

01:07:16,150 --> 01:07:14,160

but there's also a large effort to put a

1951

01:07:18,630 --> 01:07:16,160

neutrino telescope at the bottom of the

1952

01:07:21,670 --> 01:07:18,640

mediterranean sea that's called a km³

1953

01:07:23,910 --> 01:07:21,680

nets that's mostly led by european

1954

01:07:26,309 --> 01:07:23,920

institutions and the idea is that

1955

01:07:27,510 --> 01:07:26,319

that telescope will get to

1956

01:07:29,750 --> 01:07:27,520

the volume

1957

01:07:31,349 --> 01:07:29,760

that ice cube has right now in the next

1958

01:07:33,349 --> 01:07:31,359

few years so what are the plans for ice

1959

01:07:34,710 --> 01:07:33,359

cube the idea for ice cube is that we

1960

01:07:36,710 --> 01:07:34,720

want to build the second generation of

1961

01:07:37,990 --> 01:07:36,720

ice cube guys called ice cube gen 2

1962

01:07:40,309 --> 01:07:38,000

which will be an expansion of the

1963

01:07:42,870 --> 01:07:40,319

current ice cube it can be something

1964

01:07:44,870 --> 01:07:42,880

between 6 and ten times the volume of

1965

01:07:46,150 --> 01:07:44,880

ice cubes so a much larger

1966

01:07:48,549 --> 01:07:46,160

detector that gives us better

1967

01:07:50,549 --> 01:07:48,559

sensitivity better and resolution

1968

01:07:52,069 --> 01:07:50,559

and therefore over the coming years

1969

01:07:53,510 --> 01:07:52,079

there will be

1970

01:07:55,670 --> 01:07:53,520

a lot of research and development that

1971

01:07:57,190 --> 01:07:55,680

has to go into the detector part of it

1972

01:07:59,349 --> 01:07:57,200

so there will be new strings being

1973

01:08:02,230 --> 01:07:59,359

deployed into the eyes of the softball

1974

01:08:03,910 --> 01:08:02,240

uh hopefully if the pandemic delays

1975

01:08:05,349 --> 01:08:03,920

don't keep pushing this back but the

1976

01:08:07,750 --> 01:08:05,359

idea is to push

1977

01:08:10,230 --> 01:08:07,760

kind of our sensitivity limits in terms

1978

01:08:11,430 --> 01:08:10,240

of how how sensitive we are to the

1979

01:08:12,390 --> 01:08:11,440

neutrinos that are coming from outer

1980

01:08:15,029 --> 01:08:12,400

space

1981

01:08:17,990 --> 01:08:15,039

and uh the gen 2 construction is likely

1982

01:08:20,309 --> 01:08:18,000

to continue until the 2030s early 2030s

1983

01:08:22,470 --> 01:08:20,319

but of course ice cube being modular it

1984

01:08:23,990 --> 01:08:22,480

can take data while it's being built so

1985

01:08:26,390 --> 01:08:24,000

it's not like we'll have to wait until

1986

01:08:28,789 --> 01:08:26,400

the 2030s to see something each time we

1987

01:08:30,550 --> 01:08:28,799

put a new string with light sensors into

1988

01:08:32,550 --> 01:08:30,560

the eyes we see

1989

01:08:35,110 --> 01:08:32,560

our detector improve in size and

1990

01:08:36,870 --> 01:08:35,120

therefore in sensitivity and we can get

1991

01:08:39,030 --> 01:08:36,880

a better look at the sky

1992

01:08:41,829 --> 01:08:39,040

with an ever-increasing detector

1993

01:08:43,430 --> 01:08:41,839

so in summary um i hope that even though

1994

01:08:45,030 --> 01:08:43,440

i wasn't able to show you pretty

1995

01:08:47,030 --> 01:08:45,040

pictures sticking with neutrinos other

1996

01:08:47,910 --> 01:08:47,040

than uh perhaps the sun

1997

01:08:49,590 --> 01:08:47,920

um

1998

01:08:52,070 --> 01:08:49,600

like the ones that hubble takes and the

1999

01:08:54,789 --> 01:08:52,080

ones that we're starting to get uh some

2000

01:08:56,950 --> 01:08:54,799

flavor off from jwst i think it's

2001
01:08:59,030 --> 01:08:56,960
equally as exciting that we're seeing

2002
01:09:01,110 --> 01:08:59,040
the birth of a new type of astronomy

2003
01:09:04,229 --> 01:09:01,120
that's done with neutrinos so in this

2004
01:09:07,189 --> 01:09:04,239
case we are seeing we first detected

2005
01:09:09,189 --> 01:09:07,199
this flux of astrophysical neutrinos uh

2006
01:09:10,630 --> 01:09:09,199
we may be seeing the first evidence for

2007
01:09:12,950 --> 01:09:10,640
we're seeing the first evidence for

2008
01:09:15,110 --> 01:09:12,960
sources out there and we'll keep

2009
01:09:18,709 --> 01:09:15,120
improving our data reconstruction and

2010
01:09:20,309 --> 01:09:18,719
also keep taking the data so most likely

2011
01:09:22,149 --> 01:09:20,319
we'll start to see more and more sources

2012
01:09:23,829 --> 01:09:22,159
in the coming years another thing that

2013
01:09:26,229 --> 01:09:23,839

will be important as i said before is

2014

01:09:28,149 --> 01:09:26,239

that whenever we notify the community

2015

01:09:30,149 --> 01:09:28,159

that there are telescopes out there that

2016

01:09:31,669 --> 01:09:30,159

can point back at the sky from the

2017

01:09:33,349 --> 01:09:31,679

location where these neutrinos where so

2018

01:09:35,749 --> 01:09:33,359

that we can also understand more about

2019

01:09:38,709 --> 01:09:35,759

this neutrino so we combined

2020

01:09:40,630 --> 01:09:38,719

photons with neutrinos to do this kind

2021

01:09:42,470 --> 01:09:40,640

of what we call multi-messenger approach

2022

01:09:44,950 --> 01:09:42,480

to study these sources

2023

01:09:46,630 --> 01:09:44,960

and as i said also

2024

01:09:48,630 --> 01:09:46,640

there's there are more neutrinos coming

2025

01:09:50,950 --> 01:09:48,640

online in the coming decade so please

2026

01:09:54,390 --> 01:09:50,960

stay tuned and to close i want to thank

2027

01:09:58,149 --> 01:09:54,400

again uh stsi for hosting me uh this is

2028

01:10:01,270 --> 01:09:58,159

a scam that my mother sent me from a uh

2029

01:10:04,390 --> 01:10:01,280

from kind of a book or notebook that i

2030

01:10:07,110 --> 01:10:04,400

used when i was 10 years old and as a

2031

01:10:10,310 --> 01:10:07,120

kid i was always fake excited about hst

2032

01:10:12,149 --> 01:10:10,320

about hubble and i kept notes of where

2033

01:10:14,149 --> 01:10:12,159

sdsi was in baltimore and you can see

2034

01:10:16,950 --> 01:10:14,159

kind of my drawing of what i thought

2035

01:10:18,390 --> 01:10:16,960

sdsi looked like at the time so uh i

2036

01:10:20,709 --> 01:10:18,400

mean it's a privilege for me to be part

2037

01:10:22,310 --> 01:10:20,719

of this public series because in a way

2038

01:10:24,149 --> 01:10:22,320

i'm a product of this uh the public

2039

01:10:26,390 --> 01:10:24,159

efforts of sdsi

2040

01:10:28,390 --> 01:10:26,400

uh of inspiring next generation of

2041

01:10:30,470 --> 01:10:28,400

physicists and therefore i want to thank

2042

01:10:31,510 --> 01:10:30,480

my host again for uh for having me and

2043

01:10:39,910 --> 01:10:31,520

you for

2044

01:10:43,750 --> 01:10:42,070

thank you marcos so i think

2045

01:10:45,350 --> 01:10:43,760

i'm going to have to share that picture

2046

01:10:47,669 --> 01:10:45,360

that you just shared at the end of your

2047

01:10:49,750 --> 01:10:47,679

talk of to i'm actually going to see a

2048

01:10:53,270 --> 01:10:49,760

kindergarten class tomorrow so maybe i

2049

01:10:54,630 --> 01:10:53,280

might steal that so that just great talk

2050

01:10:56,630 --> 01:10:54,640

um

2051
01:10:59,910 --> 01:10:56,640
some amazing things that i learned in

2052
01:11:02,470 --> 01:10:59,920
the talk as well and uh

2053
01:11:05,590 --> 01:11:02,480
so let me start off with some of the

2054
01:11:07,830 --> 01:11:05,600
comments that i'm looking at in the the

2055
01:11:09,910 --> 01:11:07,840
youtube chat here

2056
01:11:12,149 --> 01:11:09,920
people are very very interested in what

2057
01:11:14,310 --> 01:11:12,159
you just described in terms of neutrino

2058
01:11:15,910 --> 01:11:14,320
and particle physics here thank you for

2059
01:11:18,149 --> 01:11:15,920
the clear simplicity of your

2060
01:11:20,709 --> 01:11:18,159
explanations of this very complex field

2061
01:11:23,110 --> 01:11:20,719
it is deeply appreciated

2062
01:11:25,750 --> 01:11:23,120
absolutely incredible work so kudos to

2063
01:11:27,590 --> 01:11:25,760

you in explaining

2064

01:11:29,350 --> 01:11:27,600

how we can study the universe using

2065

01:11:31,189 --> 01:11:29,360

these particles

2066

01:11:33,270 --> 01:11:31,199

so i do have a quick question for you

2067

01:11:36,070 --> 01:11:33,280

sure have you ever been to the south

2068

01:11:38,310 --> 01:11:36,080

pole to help support ice cube not yet i

2069

01:11:40,950 --> 01:11:38,320

would love to i mean i think that

2070

01:11:42,390 --> 01:11:40,960

i had a chance in 2011 when i was a

2071

01:11:45,750 --> 01:11:42,400

grad student still

2072

01:11:48,390 --> 01:11:45,760

but i also had a baby girl on the way so

2073

01:11:49,350 --> 01:11:48,400

uh i think that was a the first priority

2074

01:11:50,550 --> 01:11:49,360

um

2075

01:11:52,630 --> 01:11:50,560

when you go to the south pole you have

2076

01:11:55,110 --> 01:11:52,640

to stay there to go

2077

01:11:58,229 --> 01:11:55,120

in and out uh for about a month

2078

01:12:00,870 --> 01:11:58,239

uh in the winter in wisconsin i mean

2079

01:12:03,590 --> 01:12:00,880

that was a pretty bad time to leave

2080

01:12:05,830 --> 01:12:03,600

my wife with a baby on the way but

2081

01:12:08,149 --> 01:12:05,840

hopefully if the pandemic uh kind of

2082

01:12:10,790 --> 01:12:08,159

restrictions are relaxed of course that

2083

01:12:12,550 --> 01:12:10,800

this is being a very remote environment

2084

01:12:14,870 --> 01:12:12,560

it's hard to intrude it's very

2085

01:12:16,149 --> 01:12:14,880

problematic to introduce a disease into

2086

01:12:19,189 --> 01:12:16,159

the the

2087

01:12:20,950 --> 01:12:19,199

south pole station so um there are many

2088

01:12:23,110 --> 01:12:20,960

precautions that are taken just to

2089

01:12:24,709 --> 01:12:23,120

prevent that and one of them is that the

2090

01:12:27,189 --> 01:12:24,719

number of people that can travel has to

2091

01:12:29,510 --> 01:12:27,199

be limited uh to the extreme

2092

01:12:31,350 --> 01:12:29,520

uh so just the kind of the the people

2093

01:12:33,189 --> 01:12:31,360

necessary to keep the station working

2094

01:12:34,790 --> 01:12:33,199

and the detectors working

2095

01:12:36,709 --> 01:12:34,800

but hopefully with the construction of

2096

01:12:38,070 --> 01:12:36,719

gen 102 there will be an uptick in the

2097

01:12:40,229 --> 01:12:38,080

number of people and hopefully i'll get

2098

01:12:42,149 --> 01:12:40,239

to join so

2099

01:12:45,110 --> 01:12:42,159

that's great yeah i think that's a

2100

01:12:46,870 --> 01:12:45,120

very unique location uh and uh only so

2101

01:12:49,189 --> 01:12:46,880

many people have been to the actual

2102

01:12:51,189 --> 01:12:49,199

south pole

2103

01:12:52,870 --> 01:12:51,199

and i can say my husband has not been to

2104

01:12:56,149 --> 01:12:52,880

the south pole but he has been in to

2105

01:12:58,709 --> 01:12:56,159

antarctica so uh um to support

2106

01:13:01,430 --> 01:12:58,719

those as long ago but that's okay um so

2107

01:13:03,270 --> 01:13:01,440

i will start off with a question

2108

01:13:05,990 --> 01:13:03,280

um here

2109

01:13:09,270 --> 01:13:06,000

that was posed in the youtube channel

2110

01:13:11,430 --> 01:13:09,280

so in the beginning of talk you showed

2111

01:13:13,110 --> 01:13:11,440

the electromagnetic spectrum from

2112

01:13:15,830 --> 01:13:13,120

microwaves all the way down to gamma

2113

01:13:18,950 --> 01:13:15,840

rays so one of the question

2114

01:13:22,070 --> 01:13:18,960

from the audience is why is the gamma

2115

01:13:24,550 --> 01:13:22,080

ray section so big on that graph and are

2116

01:13:26,790 --> 01:13:24,560

there subdivisions like uh do they have

2117

01:13:28,149 --> 01:13:26,800

names like for example i can say you

2118

01:13:30,390 --> 01:13:28,159

know infrared we talk about the near

2119

01:13:33,030 --> 01:13:30,400

infrared and the minifire infrared is

2120

01:13:34,709 --> 01:13:33,040

there something similar for gamma rays

2121

01:13:37,350 --> 01:13:34,719

that's right i can i can go back to the

2122

01:13:38,550 --> 01:13:37,360

slide if that helps

2123

01:13:40,070 --> 01:13:38,560

so

2124

01:13:41,430 --> 01:13:40,080

that will i will have to go by a little

2125

01:13:42,390 --> 01:13:41,440

bit and then

2126

01:13:45,270 --> 01:13:42,400

um

2127

01:13:47,110 --> 01:13:45,280

yes there are divisions in that very

2128

01:13:49,110 --> 01:13:47,120

wide span of uh you will think that

2129

01:13:51,510 --> 01:13:49,120

visible light when we think about

2130

01:13:54,630 --> 01:13:51,520

oh this is so different between infrared

2131

01:13:56,709 --> 01:13:54,640

and as you know i mean uh hubble and uh

2132

01:13:58,149 --> 01:13:56,719

dwst are very different telescopes

2133

01:13:59,430 --> 01:13:58,159

because they're going to be targeting

2134

01:14:02,390 --> 01:13:59,440

different parts of the electromagnetic

2135

01:14:05,669 --> 01:14:02,400

spectrum but when you look at how

2136

01:14:07,110 --> 01:14:05,679

narrow those bands are the visible uv to

2137

01:14:08,790 --> 01:14:07,120

the ir

2138

01:14:10,470 --> 01:14:08,800

and you compare that to how wide gamma

2139

01:14:12,470 --> 01:14:10,480

rays are

2140

01:14:15,669 --> 01:14:12,480

is because anything that goes above

2141

01:14:18,470 --> 01:14:15,679

let's say a few hundred thousands of the

2142

01:14:20,229 --> 01:14:18,480

times the the energy of visible light

2143

01:14:23,669 --> 01:14:20,239

that is considered gamma ray no matter

2144

01:14:25,910 --> 01:14:23,679

if your energy is 100 000 or 10 to the

2145

01:14:27,189 --> 01:14:25,920

20 electron volts so you're always a

2146

01:14:29,110 --> 01:14:27,199

gamma ray

2147

01:14:30,950 --> 01:14:29,120

the same thing applies to radio below a

2148

01:14:34,070 --> 01:14:30,960

certain energy you're always radio no

2149

01:14:36,390 --> 01:14:34,080

matter if your wavelength is a meter or

2150

01:14:38,790 --> 01:14:36,400

the the size of the universe uh you're

2151
01:14:40,790 --> 01:14:38,800
always in in radio in the radio band but

2152
01:14:42,310 --> 01:14:40,800
we have some bands we have

2153
01:14:43,669 --> 01:14:42,320
the ones that can be detected mostly

2154
01:14:46,229 --> 01:14:43,679
from outer space

2155
01:14:47,110 --> 01:14:46,239
between a few hundred of sorry a few

2156
01:14:49,750 --> 01:14:47,120
hundred

2157
01:14:52,470 --> 01:14:49,760
thousand times the the energy of visible

2158
01:14:56,149 --> 01:14:52,480
light so a few hundred kev

2159
01:14:58,070 --> 01:14:56,159
to about a few mev a few million times

2160
01:14:59,510 --> 01:14:58,080
the mass of the the energy of visible

2161
01:15:01,350 --> 01:14:59,520
light

2162
01:15:03,990 --> 01:15:01,360
that is what we call high energy gamma

2163
01:15:08,630 --> 01:15:04,000

rays up to about gv or a billion times

2164

01:15:10,229 --> 01:15:08,640

the mass of the energy and above 100 gev

2165

01:15:11,430 --> 01:15:10,239

we have very few photons coming from

2166

01:15:12,870 --> 01:15:11,440

outer space and actually that's the

2167

01:15:14,470 --> 01:15:12,880

other thing that i do that i work with

2168

01:15:15,990 --> 01:15:14,480

ice cube but also work on camera

2169

01:15:18,229 --> 01:15:16,000

instruments

2170

01:15:21,590 --> 01:15:18,239

the satellites are too small to detect

2171

01:15:22,790 --> 01:15:21,600

gamma rays above 100 gv on a steady

2172

01:15:24,870 --> 01:15:22,800

basis

2173

01:15:26,870 --> 01:15:24,880

you need something much bigger that has

2174

01:15:28,870 --> 01:15:26,880

not a size of a satellite which is a

2175

01:15:29,669 --> 01:15:28,880

couple of meters squared at most if you

2176

01:15:32,310 --> 01:15:29,679

can

2177

01:15:33,590 --> 01:15:32,320

fit it in a rocket you need hundreds of

2178

01:15:35,830 --> 01:15:33,600

thousand square meters and it's very

2179

01:15:37,270 --> 01:15:35,840

hard to launch something as big but

2180

01:15:38,390 --> 01:15:37,280

luckily we can do that from the ground

2181

01:15:40,070 --> 01:15:38,400

and actually there are there are these

2182

01:15:42,070 --> 01:15:40,080

telescopes they want to work with that's

2183

01:15:42,870 --> 01:15:42,080

that's why i include it in a very biased

2184

01:15:46,630 --> 01:15:42,880

way

2185

01:15:49,030 --> 01:15:46,640

called vedas at the long end of that um

2186

01:15:50,870 --> 01:15:49,040

of that uh electromagnetic spectrum that

2187

01:15:53,189 --> 01:15:50,880

is actually looking for gamma rays above

2188

01:15:54,709 --> 01:15:53,199

100 billion times the energy of visible

2189

01:15:57,189 --> 01:15:54,719

light from the ground actually from

2190

01:15:59,590 --> 01:15:57,199

arizona south of tucson so about 20

2191

01:16:01,590 --> 01:15:59,600

kilometers away from the mexican u.s

2192

01:16:02,870 --> 01:16:01,600

border there is vedas and there are two

2193

01:16:08,149 --> 01:16:02,880

other telescopes of this type that

2194

01:16:12,950 --> 01:16:10,709

great thank you marcus

2195

01:16:14,790 --> 01:16:12,960

i have one other question and then grant

2196

01:16:16,070 --> 01:16:14,800

i think you can join us right after that

2197

01:16:19,590 --> 01:16:16,080

question so if you go back to the

2198

01:16:23,590 --> 01:16:19,600

electromagnetic spectrum graph marcus

2199

01:16:27,990 --> 01:16:23,600

so you have that um some of the high

2200

01:16:30,950 --> 01:16:28,000

energy gamma rays are absorbed at

2201

01:16:32,709 --> 01:16:30,960

various energies to various distances

2202

01:16:35,189 --> 01:16:32,719

so in

2203

01:16:38,550 --> 01:16:35,199

specifically i'm curious to know what is

2204

01:16:40,390 --> 01:16:38,560

doing the absorbing uh towards uh close

2205

01:16:43,110 --> 01:16:40,400

by in our galactic center for some of

2206

01:16:45,910 --> 01:16:43,120

those high energy gamma rays what's the

2207

01:16:48,790 --> 01:16:45,920

absorber to make them not be

2208

01:16:50,070 --> 01:16:48,800

visible or detectable so there is a

2209

01:16:52,550 --> 01:16:50,080

remnant light

2210

01:16:53,750 --> 01:16:52,560

that permeates the entire universe

2211

01:16:55,270 --> 01:16:53,760

that goes

2212

01:16:56,709 --> 01:16:55,280

that was emitted by the first generation

2213

01:16:58,149 --> 01:16:56,719

of stars

2214

01:16:59,510 --> 01:16:58,159

that today we call the extra electric

2215

01:17:01,430 --> 01:16:59,520

background light it's very hard to

2216

01:17:02,550 --> 01:17:01,440

measure but we can actually do it with

2217

01:17:04,709 --> 01:17:02,560

gamma rays

2218

01:17:05,830 --> 01:17:04,719

and this permeates everything from i

2219

01:17:08,870 --> 01:17:05,840

mean since it's everywhere in the

2220

01:17:11,030 --> 01:17:08,880

universe it's around us right now and

2221

01:17:12,149 --> 01:17:11,040

it's also uh far into the reaches of the

2222

01:17:13,110 --> 01:17:12,159

universe

2223

01:17:13,990 --> 01:17:13,120

um

2224

01:17:16,630 --> 01:17:14,000

so

2225

01:17:18,709 --> 01:17:16,640

this is mostly infrared light that we

2226

01:17:20,550 --> 01:17:18,719

see it today was not originally infrared

2227

01:17:22,070 --> 01:17:20,560

when it was emitted but it's mostly

2228

01:17:24,310 --> 01:17:22,080

infrared light and on top of that we

2229

01:17:28,149 --> 01:17:24,320

have the cosmic microwave background

2230

01:17:31,110 --> 01:17:28,159

so the frequencies of light that affect

2231

01:17:33,110 --> 01:17:31,120

the gamma rays um depend on the energies

2232

01:17:35,030 --> 01:17:33,120

of the cameras we're thinking about

2233

01:17:37,430 --> 01:17:35,040

most of the lower energy gamma rays at

2234

01:17:39,910 --> 01:17:37,440

the end here of the spectrum this blue

2235

01:17:41,110 --> 01:17:39,920

kind of void that you see here those are

2236

01:17:43,189 --> 01:17:41,120

affected by

2237

01:17:46,149 --> 01:17:43,199

that first generation of stars light the

2238

01:17:48,070 --> 01:17:46,159

ebl and most of the higher energy ends

2239

01:17:50,149 --> 01:17:48,080

they are coming from the causing

2240

01:17:51,430 --> 01:17:50,159

microwave background but they affect all

2241

01:17:53,189 --> 01:17:51,440

lights

2242

01:17:55,990 --> 01:17:53,199

across the entire universe

2243

01:17:57,430 --> 01:17:56,000

the thing is that um at this particular

2244

01:17:59,750 --> 01:17:57,440

energy that i'm showing here 10 to the

2245

01:18:01,430 --> 01:17:59,760

15 electron volts we cannot even see

2246

01:18:02,870 --> 01:18:01,440

into the galactic center because on top

2247

01:18:04,550 --> 01:18:02,880

of that light there is also star light

2248

01:18:06,310 --> 01:18:04,560

from the galaxy itself

2249

01:18:08,229 --> 01:18:06,320

just the the sunlight from the galaxy

2250

01:18:10,229 --> 01:18:08,239

also acts as a target

2251

01:18:12,630 --> 01:18:10,239

and this gamma rays actually interact

2252

01:18:14,550 --> 01:18:12,640

light interacts with light to produce

2253

01:18:16,070 --> 01:18:14,560

charged particles and therefore the

2254

01:18:18,550 --> 01:18:16,080

light is absorbed

2255

01:18:20,870 --> 01:18:18,560

and they never reach us so we can only

2256

01:18:22,630 --> 01:18:20,880

see for instance for that energy we only

2257

01:18:24,630 --> 01:18:22,640

see all the way up to our galaxy at

2258

01:18:26,630 --> 01:18:24,640

about 10 to the 15 volts

2259

01:18:30,390 --> 01:18:26,640

and we can see further into the universe

2260

01:18:33,990 --> 01:18:32,149

great thank you

2261

01:18:36,310 --> 01:18:34,000

so maybe um at this point we can you can

2262

01:18:37,910 --> 01:18:36,320

stop screen sharing and we'll have grant

2263

01:18:42,229 --> 01:18:37,920

come on um

2264

01:18:44,950 --> 01:18:42,239

and he will start um

2265

01:18:46,229 --> 01:18:44,960

grant if you like to start uh asking

2266

01:18:47,080 --> 01:18:46,239

some of the questions that we're seeing

2267

01:18:51,350 --> 01:18:47,090

in the chat here

2268

01:18:54,790 --> 01:18:52,630

absolutely

2269

01:18:56,870 --> 01:18:54,800

once i immute myself

2270

01:18:59,350 --> 01:18:56,880

all right so we've actually had a

2271

01:19:01,510 --> 01:18:59,360

pretty engaged audience so marcos thank

2272

01:19:03,590 --> 01:19:01,520

you there's been

2273

01:19:04,550 --> 01:19:03,600

some good discussion going on

2274

01:19:06,550 --> 01:19:04,560

um

2275

01:19:07,990 --> 01:19:06,560

all right so i'll start off with this

2276

01:19:10,709 --> 01:19:08,000

one because this one is interesting to

2277

01:19:14,709 --> 01:19:12,229

so

2278

01:19:19,189 --> 01:19:14,719

do you have any inkling as to the

2279

01:19:22,790 --> 01:19:19,199

neutrino masses like relative masses

2280

01:19:25,110 --> 01:19:22,800

ac in the comments says that different

2281

01:19:28,950 --> 01:19:25,120

masses could affect the rates of

2282

01:19:31,669 --> 01:19:28,960

oscillation then his supposition is tau

2283

01:19:33,750 --> 01:19:31,679

greater than mu

2284

01:19:35,990 --> 01:19:33,760

so that's a that's a very deep

2285

01:19:38,229 --> 01:19:36,000

particle physics question that is a big

2286

01:19:38,950 --> 01:19:38,239

problem in physics it's not just that

2287

01:19:41,030 --> 01:19:38,960

the

2288

01:19:43,189 --> 01:19:41,040

so just to rewind and put things in

2289

01:19:45,510 --> 01:19:43,199

context we know of three what we call

2290

01:19:47,430 --> 01:19:45,520

lepton particles the electron being the

2291

01:19:49,750 --> 01:19:47,440

most popular one that we know is in our

2292

01:19:51,750 --> 01:19:49,760

atoms in our body but there are also a

2293

01:19:53,350 --> 01:19:51,760

little bit more massive gases to the

2294

01:19:54,550 --> 01:19:53,360

electron that are the muon that i

2295

01:19:55,669 --> 01:19:54,560

mentioned before and also the tau

2296

01:19:57,189 --> 01:19:55,679

particle

2297

01:19:58,470 --> 01:19:57,199

and they have different

2298

01:20:01,030 --> 01:19:58,480

masses

2299

01:20:03,350 --> 01:20:01,040

the the electron has about

2300

01:20:05,750 --> 01:20:03,360

a mass of about half an mev

2301

01:20:08,790 --> 01:20:05,760

and the muon has about a mass of about

2302

01:20:11,189 --> 01:20:08,800

100 mev and then the tower is even more

2303

01:20:13,669 --> 01:20:11,199

massive what i want to say there is that

2304

01:20:15,910 --> 01:20:13,679

the flavors of these three particles

2305

01:20:19,189 --> 01:20:15,920

electron muon and tau

2306

01:20:21,350 --> 01:20:19,199

are tied to the specific masses of the

2307

01:20:23,830 --> 01:20:21,360

particles themselves

2308

01:20:25,990 --> 01:20:23,840

but neutrinos they both they also have

2309

01:20:27,590 --> 01:20:26,000

electron muon tau but the masses are

2310

01:20:29,110 --> 01:20:27,600

different and the oscillators with

2311

01:20:32,310 --> 01:20:29,120

respect to each other

2312

01:20:34,149 --> 01:20:32,320

and the question of which one comes up

2313

01:20:35,990 --> 01:20:34,159

which one is the higher mass and which

2314

01:20:37,669 --> 01:20:36,000

one is the lower mass

2315

01:20:40,470 --> 01:20:37,679

it's a very complicated one because you

2316

01:20:42,550 --> 01:20:40,480

don't have tau electron and muon you

2317

01:20:43,750 --> 01:20:42,560

have different neutrinos diff making

2318

01:20:45,510 --> 01:20:43,760

different parts of it because they

2319

01:20:47,590 --> 01:20:45,520

oscillate with each other

2320

01:20:48,950 --> 01:20:47,600

so there's a question in physics about

2321

01:20:51,669 --> 01:20:48,960

you can only measure kind of the

2322

01:20:53,910 --> 01:20:51,679

differences between the different masses

2323

01:20:55,270 --> 01:20:53,920

this is kind of going into a tangent but

2324

01:20:57,750 --> 01:20:55,280

you can only measure the difference

2325

01:21:00,470 --> 01:20:57,760

between the masses squared so you don't

2326

01:21:02,470 --> 01:21:00,480

know the sign of those differences

2327

01:21:04,629 --> 01:21:02,480

so we can have for instance the one the

2328

01:21:06,870 --> 01:21:04,639

neutrino that has the most tau

2329

01:21:08,790 --> 01:21:06,880

and then the muon and then the electron

2330

01:21:09,990 --> 01:21:08,800

order in that way like it's happening

2331

01:21:12,149 --> 01:21:10,000

with the charged versions of the

2332

01:21:14,550 --> 01:21:12,159

particles we can have what is called an

2333

01:21:16,870 --> 01:21:14,560

inverted hierarchy where we have one of

2334

01:21:18,149 --> 01:21:16,880

them being much heavier and the other

2335

01:21:20,070 --> 01:21:18,159

ones at the bottom

2336

01:21:22,870 --> 01:21:20,080

so actually i don't have that many i

2337

01:21:25,590 --> 01:21:22,880

don't have a good intuition for that uh

2338

01:21:27,270 --> 01:21:25,600

if i had to bet i mean unfortunately

2339

01:21:28,950 --> 01:21:27,280

there is one solution that will be very

2340

01:21:30,709 --> 01:21:28,960

easy to measure if it's

2341

01:21:31,750 --> 01:21:30,719

normal hierarchy or invert

2342

01:21:33,430 --> 01:21:31,760

inverted

2343

01:21:34,950 --> 01:21:33,440

uh and the other one it will take a long

2344

01:21:37,110 --> 01:21:34,960

time to measure

2345

01:21:39,030 --> 01:21:37,120

but i don't have a horse on that on the

2346

01:21:42,790 --> 01:21:39,040

race unfortunately i know that a lot of

2347

01:21:44,310 --> 01:21:42,800

my neutrino colleagues do

2348

01:21:45,669 --> 01:21:44,320

it's a lot more information than i

2349

01:21:47,669 --> 01:21:45,679

started with so

2350

01:21:49,990 --> 01:21:47,679

i appreciate it i like to ask those

2351

01:21:51,750 --> 01:21:50,000

because i come in as a non-astronomer as

2352

01:21:54,629 --> 01:21:51,760

well so i try to pick out the stuff that

2353

01:21:59,110 --> 01:21:54,639

i have no idea

2354

01:22:02,390 --> 01:22:00,870

oh uh there were quite a few questions

2355

01:22:03,270 --> 01:22:02,400

about ice cube

2356

01:22:05,510 --> 01:22:03,280

um

2357

01:22:07,990 --> 01:22:05,520

one of them being do you have any idea

2358

01:22:11,270 --> 01:22:08,000

as to the time frame

2359

01:22:14,390 --> 01:22:11,280

as to when ice cube will become

2360

01:22:16,870 --> 01:22:14,400

available and start doing more science

2361

01:22:19,110 --> 01:22:16,880

as you were talking about earlier

2362

01:22:20,629 --> 01:22:19,120

so you if this is about i mean ice cube

2363

01:22:22,709 --> 01:22:20,639

is operating right now

2364

01:22:25,189 --> 01:22:22,719

and in terms of making that data

2365

01:22:25,990 --> 01:22:25,199

available to the public for instance or

2366

01:22:29,030 --> 01:22:26,000

the

2367

01:22:31,189 --> 01:22:29,040

community

2368

01:22:32,229 --> 01:22:31,199

we have data releases uh that we send

2369

01:22:34,709 --> 01:22:32,239

out

2370

01:22:36,870 --> 01:22:34,719

very recently we released 10 years of

2371

01:22:38,629 --> 01:22:36,880

data this essentially the entire data

2372

01:22:41,110 --> 01:22:38,639

set of ice cube it's out there for you

2373

01:22:43,510 --> 01:22:41,120

to download if you go to icecube.edu you

2374

01:22:45,110 --> 01:22:43,520

can download 10 years worth of neutrino

2375

01:22:46,470 --> 01:22:45,120

observations and try to see if you can

2376

01:22:47,910 --> 01:22:46,480

find the source

2377

01:22:49,430 --> 01:22:47,920

we have been looking through with this

2378

01:22:51,430 --> 01:22:49,440

data but there could be out there people

2379

01:22:53,270 --> 01:22:51,440

that think that perhaps it's not agn for

2380

01:22:55,030 --> 01:22:53,280

instance there could be some other weird

2381

01:22:57,110 --> 01:22:55,040

type of source and therefore if you look

2382

01:22:58,629 --> 01:22:57,120

at those specific points in the sky

2383

01:22:59,830 --> 01:22:58,639

if if they're coming if there are more

2384

01:23:02,470 --> 01:22:59,840

neutrinos coming from that direction

2385

01:23:04,470 --> 01:23:02,480

that you would expect from just chance

2386

01:23:07,590 --> 01:23:04,480

then you have a solid detection

2387

01:23:10,149 --> 01:23:07,600

of a neutrino source uh so that that is

2388

01:23:12,790 --> 01:23:10,159

is there for available and in terms of

2389

01:23:14,550 --> 01:23:12,800

just the continuation of icecube we keep

2390

01:23:17,350 --> 01:23:14,560

taking data all the time as i mentioned

2391

01:23:19,830 --> 01:23:17,360

we just saw an alert this morning

2392

01:23:22,070 --> 01:23:19,840

um luckily i'm still very jet lagged

2393

01:23:23,590 --> 01:23:22,080

from the trip to paris so i i was still

2394

01:23:25,110 --> 01:23:23,600

awake when it happened so i could

2395

01:23:26,550 --> 01:23:25,120

respond quickly

2396

01:23:27,430 --> 01:23:26,560

but beyond that

2397

01:23:29,430 --> 01:23:27,440

we

2398

01:23:31,350 --> 01:23:29,440

will keep taking data until the

2399

01:23:33,110 --> 01:23:31,360

construction of gen 2 and ice cube

2400

01:23:35,830 --> 01:23:33,120

itself let's say the current generation

2401

01:23:37,669 --> 01:23:35,840

ice cube will become a part of gen 2

2402

01:23:39,910 --> 01:23:37,679

because it will be just a larger volume

2403

01:23:42,070 --> 01:23:39,920

surrounding the existing ice cube so as

2404

01:23:43,910 --> 01:23:42,080

the the detector expands we won't stop

2405

01:23:47,350 --> 01:23:43,920

taking data we'll just keep going and

2406

01:23:48,790 --> 01:23:47,360

improve the sensitivity of the telescope

2407

01:23:52,149 --> 01:23:48,800

i think that's more what they were

2408

01:23:54,950 --> 01:23:52,159

asking yeah thank you

2409

01:23:58,470 --> 01:23:54,960

um okay so

2410

01:24:01,189 --> 01:23:58,480

moving forward as well um again ice cube

2411

01:24:02,870 --> 01:24:01,199

how long do you expect the sensors

2412

01:24:05,110 --> 01:24:02,880

to last

2413

01:24:08,390 --> 01:24:05,120

they're super stable i mean likely for

2414

01:24:09,910 --> 01:24:08,400

us they're uh i mean is not i mean i

2415

01:24:11,910 --> 01:24:09,920

want i don't want to compare it to

2416

01:24:13,430 --> 01:24:11,920

launching a space telescope because i

2417

01:24:15,430 --> 01:24:13,440

know that i'm the wrong place to be

2418

01:24:17,030 --> 01:24:15,440

bragging about something like that but

2419

01:24:19,110 --> 01:24:17,040

it feels a lot like that because you

2420

01:24:20,550 --> 01:24:19,120

drill into the eyes and you put them

2421

01:24:22,709 --> 01:24:20,560

there and there's no easy way to take

2422

01:24:26,149 --> 01:24:22,719

them out so there's no repair for the

2423

01:24:28,950 --> 01:24:26,159

sensors that you deploy and this i mean

2424

01:24:32,070 --> 01:24:28,960

assuming that uh will keep the ice the

2425

01:24:33,270 --> 01:24:32,080

ice the softball frozen for a long time

2426

01:24:35,110 --> 01:24:33,280

um

2427

01:24:36,950 --> 01:24:35,120

those should be there for tens of

2428

01:24:37,750 --> 01:24:36,960

thousands of years perhaps that's the

2429

01:24:40,629 --> 01:24:37,760

the

2430

01:24:42,629 --> 01:24:40,639

pole

2431

01:24:44,390 --> 01:24:42,639

so the only thing that actually kills

2432

01:24:46,390 --> 01:24:44,400

the sensors is actually power cycling

2433

01:24:48,149 --> 01:24:46,400

them because sometimes there are some

2434

01:24:51,350 --> 01:24:48,159

sensors there they have small computers

2435

01:24:54,070 --> 01:24:51,360

in them and like with any computer uh if

2436

01:24:55,590 --> 01:24:54,080

you power cycle things enough you have a

2437

01:24:57,189 --> 01:24:55,600

probability that one of those power

2438

01:24:58,629 --> 01:24:57,199

cycles the computer will not come back

2439

01:25:01,189 --> 01:24:58,639

and there's nobody to press a reset

2440

01:25:03,189 --> 01:25:01,199

button to go down there so

2441

01:25:04,470 --> 01:25:03,199

that's how we've we've lost some sensors

2442

01:25:06,390 --> 01:25:04,480

but out of the

2443

01:25:08,470 --> 01:25:06,400

uh more than 5000 we have deployed we

2444

01:25:09,510 --> 01:25:08,480

have lost a tiny fraction

2445

01:25:15,030 --> 01:25:09,520

in uh

2446

01:25:16,870 --> 01:25:15,040

well now 12 years of operation so

2447

01:25:19,270 --> 01:25:16,880

things are looking great and uh

2448

01:25:21,510 --> 01:25:19,280

it's a slightly i mean the health of the

2449

01:25:23,510 --> 01:25:21,520

instrument is not an issue unfortunately

2450

01:25:25,110 --> 01:25:23,520

uh fortunately for us

2451

01:25:27,110 --> 01:25:25,120

and i would imagine that and this is

2452

01:25:29,910 --> 01:25:27,120

piggybacking on another question here i

2453

01:25:31,350 --> 01:25:29,920

would imagine that drilling as far down

2454

01:25:32,550 --> 01:25:31,360

and setting them up in the way that you

2455

01:25:35,510 --> 01:25:32,560

do

2456

01:25:37,189 --> 01:25:35,520

climate change slash like ice melting

2457

01:25:38,870 --> 01:25:37,199

that sort of stuff is not an issue

2458

01:25:41,189 --> 01:25:38,880

because of how far down you're going

2459

01:25:43,910 --> 01:25:41,199

exactly yeah if there's any issue is

2460

01:25:46,709 --> 01:25:43,920

that the glacier itself is uh is sliding

2461

01:25:48,790 --> 01:25:46,719

i mean at the south pole uh you're still

2462

01:25:50,310 --> 01:25:48,800

on top of a glacier and that glacier is

2463

01:25:51,510 --> 01:25:50,320

moving with a speed of about 10 meters

2464

01:25:53,830 --> 01:25:51,520

per year

2465

01:25:55,750 --> 01:25:53,840

so the whole thing is sliding

2466

01:25:57,750 --> 01:25:55,760

sideways and the south pole station as

2467

01:25:59,350 --> 01:25:57,760

well on top of it

2468

01:26:01,590 --> 01:25:59,360

but the thing is that if there happens

2469

01:26:02,950 --> 01:26:01,600

to be sheer between different layers of

2470

01:26:04,149 --> 01:26:02,960

the eyes for instance the eyes remember

2471

01:26:05,590 --> 01:26:04,159

that the detector itself is one

2472

01:26:07,750 --> 01:26:05,600

kilometer tall

2473

01:26:10,149 --> 01:26:07,760

so if this will slightly

2474

01:26:12,070 --> 01:26:10,159

different base of let's say motion

2475

01:26:13,910 --> 01:26:12,080

between the bottom and the top

2476

01:26:15,750 --> 01:26:13,920

that could lead to the cable snapping at

2477

01:26:16,629 --> 01:26:15,760

some point so i think that that's the

2478

01:26:17,510 --> 01:26:16,639

only

2479

01:26:19,590 --> 01:26:17,520

risk

2480

01:26:21,030 --> 01:26:19,600

but i don't think we are anywhere close

2481

01:26:22,390 --> 01:26:21,040

to that being an issue because most of

2482

01:26:23,830 --> 01:26:22,400

that ice moves

2483

01:26:25,430 --> 01:26:23,840

as a solid block as most of these

2484

01:26:27,990 --> 01:26:25,440

glaciers do

2485

01:26:29,990 --> 01:26:28,000

so in doing so it wouldn't affect the

2486

01:26:31,750 --> 01:26:30,000

majority of your

2487

01:26:33,350 --> 01:26:31,760

uh your science or your instrument

2488

01:26:34,550 --> 01:26:33,360

that's right because it just moves a

2489

01:26:37,189 --> 01:26:34,560

little bit to the

2490

01:26:39,270 --> 01:26:37,199

side and then we we keep anyway we keep

2491

01:26:41,510 --> 01:26:39,280

track of the geometry of the detector we

2492

01:26:44,070 --> 01:26:41,520

have light sensors where each one of

2493

01:26:46,870 --> 01:26:44,080

this uh um this light sensor is also

2494

01:26:49,030 --> 01:26:46,880

kind of its own disco ball it has leds

2495

01:26:50,950 --> 01:26:49,040

on it and then we make them flash and

2496

01:26:52,950 --> 01:26:50,960

when we make them flash we record the

2497

01:26:55,350 --> 01:26:52,960

light that is seen by the others by the

2498

01:26:57,669 --> 01:26:55,360

other sensors and since we know the

2499

01:26:59,189 --> 01:26:57,679

speed of light you can know

2500

01:27:00,390 --> 01:26:59,199

i mean if you know when you emitted the

2501
01:27:02,310 --> 01:27:00,400
pulse of light

2502
01:27:04,310 --> 01:27:02,320
and you know how long it took the

2503
01:27:07,110 --> 01:27:04,320
other one to record it you can know the

2504
01:27:08,550 --> 01:27:07,120
distance right between any two sensors

2505
01:27:10,470 --> 01:27:08,560
and if you have this three-dimensional

2506
01:27:12,229 --> 01:27:10,480
object you can do a lot of math to

2507
01:27:13,910 --> 01:27:12,239
figure out how far is each one with

2508
01:27:15,430 --> 01:27:13,920
respect to the other and figure out the

2509
01:27:17,030 --> 01:27:15,440
geometry of the of the telescope and

2510
01:27:18,709 --> 01:27:17,040
that's actually one of one of my

2511
01:27:20,310 --> 01:27:18,719
colleagues at the university of alabama

2512
01:27:21,910 --> 01:27:20,320
which is the calibration of the of the

2513
01:27:24,550 --> 01:27:21,920

geometry and we have a good track of we

2514

01:27:27,110 --> 01:27:24,560

keep good track of that too

2515

01:27:28,550 --> 01:27:27,120

you just answered the question um i was

2516

01:27:30,470 --> 01:27:28,560

about to ask and

2517

01:27:31,830 --> 01:27:30,480

i could see it all i was like i'm

2518

01:27:33,430 --> 01:27:31,840

thinking about you know with with

2519

01:27:36,229 --> 01:27:33,440

electromagnetic

2520

01:27:38,790 --> 01:27:36,239

doing flux calibrations and flat fields

2521

01:27:39,990 --> 01:27:38,800

and knowing all the details about your

2522

01:27:41,430 --> 01:27:40,000

instrument

2523

01:27:43,030 --> 01:27:41,440

it's just a different way of doing it

2524

01:27:46,790 --> 01:27:43,040

yeah i think yeah

2525

01:27:50,950 --> 01:27:46,800

um ice cube is such a it's such a

2526

01:27:53,750 --> 01:27:50,960

creative experiment to to be able to

2527

01:27:56,790 --> 01:27:53,760

do what we need to do to get the very

2528

01:27:59,430 --> 01:27:56,800

um small number of detections that are

2529

01:28:01,189 --> 01:27:59,440

that are better that we're finding

2530

01:28:03,110 --> 01:28:01,199

and one of the things in the beginning i

2531

01:28:05,030 --> 01:28:03,120

think you said um

2532

01:28:07,830 --> 01:28:05,040

there's you know through your lifetime i

2533

01:28:09,669 --> 01:28:07,840

believe was the the um the statistic

2534

01:28:11,830 --> 01:28:09,679

that you have a 50 50 chance of one

2535

01:28:13,669 --> 01:28:11,840

neutrino potentially interacting with

2536

01:28:15,830 --> 01:28:13,679

your body is that correct okay yes so

2537

01:28:17,750 --> 01:28:15,840

what would happen if a neutrino did

2538

01:28:19,669 --> 01:28:17,760

interact with your body that's a good

2539

01:28:22,070 --> 01:28:19,679

question so luckily the neutrinos that

2540

01:28:23,750 --> 01:28:22,080

go through us have low energies in terms

2541

01:28:25,350 --> 01:28:23,760

of this like a million times the the

2542

01:28:27,510 --> 01:28:25,360

energy of visible light

2543

01:28:28,390 --> 01:28:27,520

but still that amount of energy is very

2544

01:28:30,149 --> 01:28:28,400

very small

2545

01:28:32,149 --> 01:28:30,159

on top of that it's not that the entire

2546

01:28:34,390 --> 01:28:32,159

neutrino energy is dumped into the body

2547

01:28:37,510 --> 01:28:34,400

it's just a tiny fraction perhaps one k

2548

01:28:39,430 --> 01:28:37,520

a few kv a few kilo electron volts so at

2549

01:28:41,110 --> 01:28:39,440

most there will be like just one single

2550

01:28:44,870 --> 01:28:41,120

x-ray

2551

01:28:47,350 --> 01:28:44,880

do to like uh

2552

01:28:49,430 --> 01:28:47,360

uh to look at our bones but a single

2553

01:28:51,430 --> 01:28:49,440

photon an x-ray photon going through our

2554

01:28:53,110 --> 01:28:51,440

body once in a lifetime

2555

01:28:56,390 --> 01:28:53,120

uh there are many more x-rays that we

2556

01:28:58,229 --> 01:28:56,400

are exposed to uh from from things

2557

01:29:00,950 --> 01:28:58,239

around us and also going to the doctor

2558

01:29:02,629 --> 01:29:00,960

so that's not that's not an issue yeah i

2559

01:29:04,470 --> 01:29:02,639

know the general public always wants to

2560

01:29:05,669 --> 01:29:04,480

know should i be worried so now i can

2561

01:29:07,510 --> 01:29:05,679

tell them no you don't have to be

2562

01:29:08,629 --> 01:29:07,520

worried

2563

01:29:10,070 --> 01:29:08,639

yeah it would be great if we could

2564

01:29:11,910 --> 01:29:10,080

detect neutrinos more easily and they

2565

01:29:14,310 --> 01:29:11,920

were it was a problem but uh yeah they

2566

01:29:17,350 --> 01:29:14,320

go through us so it's hard that is

2567

01:29:20,870 --> 01:29:19,750

all right well um i've got two more and

2568

01:29:25,270 --> 01:29:20,880

i think we'll

2569

01:29:28,790 --> 01:29:25,280

two final questions sounds good grant

2570

01:29:32,629 --> 01:29:28,800

one follow-up and one one new one um

2571

01:29:34,390 --> 01:29:32,639

so will there be an ice cube phase three

2572

01:29:37,830 --> 01:29:34,400

oh i would love that though if they

2573

01:29:41,669 --> 01:29:37,840

could ask you phase three um when ice

2574

01:29:43,510 --> 01:29:41,679

cube was built its predecessor amanda

2575

01:29:45,750 --> 01:29:43,520

was also there at south pole as a much

2576

01:29:47,270 --> 01:29:45,760

smaller version of ice cube

2577

01:29:49,350 --> 01:29:47,280

um and it was

2578

01:29:51,030 --> 01:29:49,360

i mean it was ice cube was predicated on

2579

01:29:52,550 --> 01:29:51,040

the fact that

2580

01:29:54,070 --> 01:29:52,560

amanda was not big enough to see

2581

01:29:55,750 --> 01:29:54,080

astrophysical neutrinos and he never saw

2582

01:29:58,149 --> 01:29:55,760

us for physical neutrinos and there was

2583

01:29:59,910 --> 01:29:58,159

a good reason for that so icy was built

2584

01:30:02,790 --> 01:29:59,920

saying this is the one that would

2585

01:30:04,149 --> 01:30:02,800

actually see the physical neutrinos

2586

01:30:05,830 --> 01:30:04,159

and we got that

2587

01:30:07,350 --> 01:30:05,840

now the next thing is okay now we have

2588

01:30:09,510 --> 01:30:07,360

the astrophysical neutrinos we need more

2589

01:30:11,350 --> 01:30:09,520

neutrinos to see sources and do

2590

01:30:12,629 --> 01:30:11,360

reasoning with them like

2591

01:30:13,830 --> 01:30:12,639

measuring fluxes like you're doing

2592

01:30:15,669 --> 01:30:13,840

astronomy

2593

01:30:17,350 --> 01:30:15,679

getting spectra for sources getting

2594

01:30:18,390 --> 01:30:17,360

things like this in neutrinos not in

2595

01:30:19,590 --> 01:30:18,400

light

2596

01:30:22,149 --> 01:30:19,600

um

2597

01:30:24,310 --> 01:30:22,159

the more you found the more you needed

2598

01:30:26,629 --> 01:30:24,320

science that's uh we're greedy we're

2599

01:30:28,790 --> 01:30:26,639

greedy so um

2600

01:30:31,270 --> 01:30:28,800

once ice cube gen 2 is operational

2601
01:30:33,110 --> 01:30:31,280
hopefully sees plenty of sources

2602
01:30:34,950 --> 01:30:33,120
i think it will determine also what the

2603
01:30:36,390 --> 01:30:34,960
next generation telescope will look like

2604
01:30:39,350 --> 01:30:36,400
in terms of what we can see and what we

2605
01:30:41,189 --> 01:30:39,360
can learn from these observations

2606
01:30:42,790 --> 01:30:41,199
all right and um i'm going to finish

2607
01:30:44,950 --> 01:30:42,800
this off with a follow-up from the

2608
01:30:48,229 --> 01:30:44,960
gentleman from earlier um are the

2609
01:30:51,669 --> 01:30:48,239
detectors basically photo multiplier

2610
01:30:53,110 --> 01:30:51,679
tubes and could light avalanche diodes

2611
01:30:55,510 --> 01:30:53,120
be more efficient

2612
01:30:58,390 --> 01:30:55,520
in capturing very good questions very

2613
01:31:00,390 --> 01:30:58,400

technical yes pmt's photo multiplier

2614

01:31:02,149 --> 01:31:00,400

tubes are the ones that we use

2615

01:31:04,629 --> 01:31:02,159

and the photomultiplier tubes are good

2616

01:31:06,310 --> 01:31:04,639

because they um so for

2617

01:31:08,470 --> 01:31:06,320

think about it in terms of an inverted

2618

01:31:10,870 --> 01:31:08,480

light light bulb in lightbulb you run

2619

01:31:12,629 --> 01:31:10,880

current through it and you emit slides

2620

01:31:15,110 --> 01:31:12,639

in this case you have a photocathode

2621

01:31:17,110 --> 01:31:15,120

that is a photoelectric

2622

01:31:19,110 --> 01:31:17,120

material that whenever you have a photon

2623

01:31:21,110 --> 01:31:19,120

hitting it you produce an electron so it

2624

01:31:22,950 --> 01:31:21,120

produces a little bit of electricity and

2625

01:31:25,830 --> 01:31:22,960

we have a way of multiplying that

2626

01:31:29,030 --> 01:31:25,840

electricity that electron into a signal

2627

01:31:30,950 --> 01:31:29,040

that we can measure okay so the photo

2628

01:31:32,390 --> 01:31:30,960

this photo multiplier too these pmts are

2629

01:31:33,990 --> 01:31:32,400

very good because we can build them

2630

01:31:35,750 --> 01:31:34,000

pretty big

2631

01:31:37,750 --> 01:31:35,760

and therefore any photon that hits the

2632

01:31:40,790 --> 01:31:37,760

pmt across the entire surface of the

2633

01:31:42,070 --> 01:31:40,800

photocathode will result in a signal

2634

01:31:42,870 --> 01:31:42,080

and since

2635

01:31:45,669 --> 01:31:42,880

this

2636

01:31:48,229 --> 01:31:45,679

sensors are separated by tens of meters

2637

01:31:50,149 --> 01:31:48,239

with respect to the next one and 125

2638

01:31:52,149 --> 01:31:50,159

meters horizontally from the other one

2639

01:31:55,030 --> 01:31:52,159

you want a big area for your photo

2640

01:31:57,270 --> 01:31:55,040

sensors so that uh any photon that is

2641

01:31:58,470 --> 01:31:57,280

produced by this muons actually creates

2642

01:32:00,470 --> 01:31:58,480

a signal

2643

01:32:03,030 --> 01:32:00,480

um so that will be much more difficult

2644

01:32:04,950 --> 01:32:03,040

to do with any kind of silicon based uh

2645

01:32:07,669 --> 01:32:04,960

detector because silicon based you can

2646

01:32:09,830 --> 01:32:07,679

only bit big i mean build them so big

2647

01:32:11,430 --> 01:32:09,840

and if you want to build a gigantic

2648

01:32:12,950 --> 01:32:11,440

surface you'll have to it will be

2649

01:32:14,790 --> 01:32:12,960

extremely expensive

2650

01:32:17,110 --> 01:32:14,800

each one of these photos photo

2651
01:32:19,110 --> 01:32:17,120
multiplier tubes that we have the sensor

2652
01:32:20,950 --> 01:32:19,120
itself costs about between a thousand

2653
01:32:23,750 --> 01:32:20,960
and two thousand dollars but if you have

2654
01:32:26,550 --> 01:32:23,760
to deploy five thousand of them

2655
01:32:28,550 --> 01:32:26,560
that's a lot of money perhaps not jwst

2656
01:32:31,750 --> 01:32:28,560
money but still

2657
01:32:34,229 --> 01:32:31,760
a lot of money so um we could but it's

2658
01:32:36,470 --> 01:32:34,239
just not economical um

2659
01:32:39,270 --> 01:32:36,480
to do so but we're still looking at

2660
01:32:42,070 --> 01:32:39,280
different technologies for gen 2 perhaps

2661
01:32:43,990 --> 01:32:42,080
have a segmented pmt

2662
01:32:45,669 --> 01:32:44,000
uh that can reconstruct also where the

2663
01:32:48,390 --> 01:32:45,679

light was coming from and just not tell

2664

01:32:51,030 --> 01:32:48,400

you yeah i saw light that's it but also

2665

01:32:52,990 --> 01:32:51,040

where the light was coming from

2666

01:32:55,189 --> 01:32:53,000

one day great

2667

01:32:57,830 --> 01:32:55,199

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2668

01:32:58,470 --> 01:32:57,840

well thank you so much marcus for thank

2669

01:33:01,110 --> 01:32:58,480

you

2670

01:33:03,030 --> 01:33:01,120

joining us for this public lecture

2671

01:33:05,510 --> 01:33:03,040

series um

2672

01:33:07,830 --> 01:33:05,520

we learned a lot about neutrino physics

2673

01:33:11,030 --> 01:33:07,840

and understanding how we can uncover

2674

01:33:13,750 --> 01:33:11,040

more details about astrophysical sources

2675

01:33:15,030 --> 01:33:13,760

i encourage everybody to go out and

2676

01:33:19,350 --> 01:33:15,040

follow

2677

01:33:20,870 --> 01:33:19,360

cube neutrino observatory so i can hear

2678

01:33:22,709 --> 01:33:20,880

what's going on

2679

01:33:24,870 --> 01:33:22,719

down in the south pole

2680

01:33:26,629 --> 01:33:24,880

and uh looking forward to sharing and

2681

01:33:28,550 --> 01:33:26,639

looking at that app as well because

2682

01:33:30,070 --> 01:33:28,560

since there's so few knowing which ones

2683

01:33:31,350 --> 01:33:30,080

are coming through is it's important to

2684

01:33:33,669 --> 01:33:31,360

us that's right

2685

01:33:35,350 --> 01:33:33,679

we can give them all all names right

2686

01:33:37,350 --> 01:33:35,360

well thank you again

2687

01:33:40,070 --> 01:33:37,360

thank you to those of you who are

2688

01:33:42,950 --> 01:33:40,080

listening in real time uh keep an eye

2689

01:33:45,510 --> 01:33:42,960

out for next month's uh public lecture

2690

01:33:48,709 --> 01:33:45,520

series with dr frank summers talking

2691

01:33:50,709 --> 01:33:48,719

about ada uh karina and some great

2692

01:33:53,430 --> 01:33:50,719

visualizations i'm sure

2693

01:33:55,110 --> 01:33:53,440

that he will be sharing and uh sign up

2694

01:33:58,310 --> 01:33:55,120

and get announcements for our future

2695

01:34:00,390 --> 01:33:58,320

talks so thank you and good night to you

2696

01:34:01,270 --> 01:34:00,400

all out there