

Fundamental Physics with High-Energy Cosmic Neutrinos

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Abstract

High-energy cosmic neutrinos can reveal new fundamental particles and interactions, probing energy and distance scales far exceeding those accessible in the laboratory. This white paper describes the outstanding particle physics questions that high-energy cosmic neutrinos can address in the coming decade. A companion white paper discusses how the observation of cosmic neutrinos can address open questions in astrophysics. Tests of fundamental physics using high-energy cosmic neutrinos will be enabled by detailed measurements of their energy spectrum, arrival directions, flavor composition, and timing.

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High-Energy Cosmic Neutrinos

What are the fundamental particles and interactions of Nature? High-energy cosmic neutrinos are uniquely poised to explore them in an uncharted and otherwise unreachable energy and distance regime. They allow us to explore the cosmic and energy frontiers of particle physics, complementing current and future colliders that will explore the energy and intensity frontiers.

Despite the spectacular success of the Standard Model (SM) of particle physics, we know that it must be extended to account for at least the existence of neutrino mass, dark matter, and dark energy. A common feature of many theories beyond the Standard Model (BSM) is that their effects are more clearly apparent the higher the energy of the process, where new particles, interactions, and symmetries, undetectable at lower energies, could make themselves evident. Yet, particle colliders have failed to find clear evidence of BSM physics up to TeV energies, the highest reachable in the lab. To access particle interactions beyond the TeV scale, we must use particle beams made by natural cosmic accelerators. They produce the most energetic neutrinos, photons, and charged particles known, with energies orders of magnitude higher than in man-made colliders.

Cosmic neutrinos are especially fitting probes of fundamental physics beyond the TeV scale, as shown in Fig. 1. First, cosmic neutrinos reach higher energies than neutrinos made in the Sun, supernovae, the atmosphere of Earth, particle accelerators, and nuclear reactors. Further, they reach Earth with energies higher than that of gamma rays and likely as high as ultra-high-energy (UHE) cosmic rays. Second, because most cosmic neutrinos come from extragalactic sources located at cosmological distances, even tiny BSM effects could accumulate up to observable levels as neutrinos travel to Earth, having crossed essentially the observable Universe. And, third, because the propagation of neutrinos from the sources to the detectors is well understood and predicted by the SM, BSM effects could be more easily spotted than in charged particles.

Tests of fundamental physics using cosmic neutrinos are possible in spite of astrophysical and cosmological uncertainties. Yet this endeavor is not without challenges: the neutrino detection cross section is tiny and cosmic neutrino fluxes are expected to fall rapidly with neutrino energy. Nevertheless, we show below that these obstacles are either surmountable or can be planned for.

Open Questions: What Can High-Energy Cosmic Neutrinos Test?

Fig. 1 shows the wide breadth of important open questions in fundamental physics that cosmic neutrinos can address [1–3]. They complement questions tackled by neutrinos of lower energies.

Cosmic neutrinos span a wide range in energy. In the TeV–PeV range, astrophysical neutrinos are regularly detected by IceCube [4–9] from what are likely mainly extragalactic sources [10–16]. At the EeV scale, cosmogenic neutrinos, produced by UHE cosmic rays interacting with photon backgrounds through the GZK effect [17, 18], are predicted but have not yet been observed [19–21]. See Ref. [22] for a discussion of astrophysics enabled by observations of cosmic neutrinos.

How do neutrino cross sections behave at high energies? The neutrino-nucleon cross section in the TeV–PeV range was measured for the first time using astrophysical and atmospheric neutrinos [23–25], extending [26–30] measurements that used GeV neutrinos from accelerators [31–33]. Fig. 2 shows that the measurements agree with high-precision SM predictions [34]. Future measurements in the EeV range would probe BSM modifications of the cross section at center-of-momentum energies of 100 TeV [3, 35–43] and test the structure of nucleons [44–54] more deeply than colliders [55, 56].

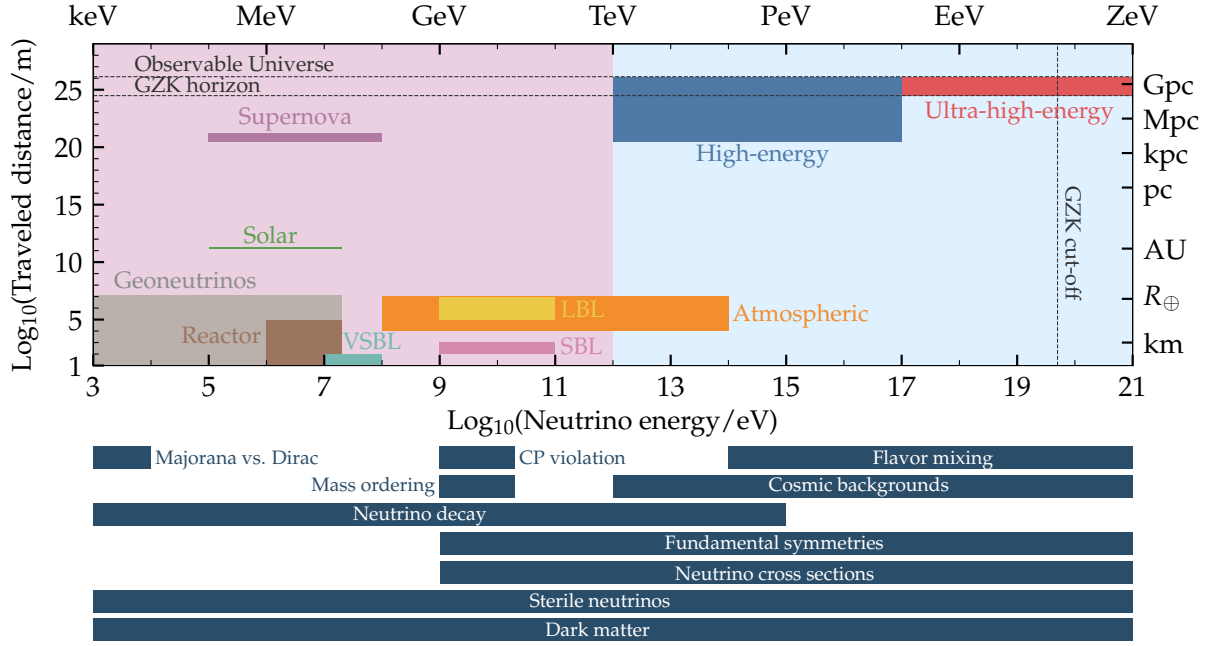


Figure 1: Tests of fundamental physics accessible with neutrinos of different energies.

How do flavors mix at high energies? Experiments with neutrinos of up to TeV energies have confirmed that the different neutrino flavors, ν_e , ν_μ , and ν_τ , mix and oscillate into each other as they propagate [33]. Figure 3 shows that, if high-energy cosmic neutrinos en route to Earth oscillate as expected, the predicted allowed region of the ratios of each flavor to the total flux is small, even after accounting for uncertainties in the parameters that drive the oscillations and in the neutrino production process [57]. However, at these energies and over cosmological propagation baselines [58], mixing is untested; BSM effects could affect oscillations, vastly expanding the allowed region of flavor ratios and making them sensitive probes of BSM [57, 59–68].

What are the fundamental symmetries of Nature? Beyond the TeV scale, the symmetries of the SM may break or new ones may appear. The effects of breaking lepton number or CPT and Lorentz invariance [69], cornerstones of the SM, are expected to grow with neutrino energy and affect multiple neutrino observables [70–81]. Currently, the strongest constraints in neutrinos come from high-energy atmospheric neutrinos [82]; cosmic neutrinos could provide unprecedented sensitivity [62, 71, 73, 76, 78, 83–90]. Further, detection of ZeV neutrinos, well beyond astrophysical expectations, would probe Grand Unified Theories [43, 91–94].

Are neutrinos stable? Neutrinos are essentially stable in the SM [95–97], but BSM physics could introduce new channels for the heavier neutrinos to decay into the lighter ones [98–100], with shorter lifetimes. During propagation over cosmological baselines, neutrino decay could leave imprints on the energy spectrum and flavor composition [65, 101–104]. The associated sensitivity outperforms existing limits obtained using neutrinos with shorter baselines [103]. Comparable sensitivities are expected for similar BSM models, like pseudo-Dirac neutrinos [65, 105, 106].

What is dark matter? Cosmic neutrinos can probe the nature of dark matter. Dark matter may decay or self-annihilate into neutrinos [107–110], leaving imprints on the neutrino energy spectrum, *e.g.*, line-like features. Searches for these features have yielded strong constraints on dark matter in the Milky Way [111–113] and nearby galaxies [114]. High-energy cosmic neutrinos

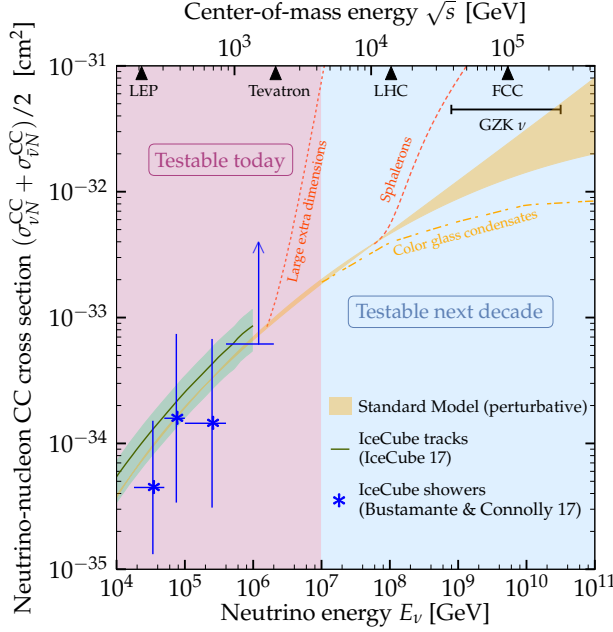


Figure 2: Neutrino-nucleon cross section. Below 1 PeV, measurements [23, 24] are compared to the SM uncertainty band [141] (see also Ref. [34]) that encloses predictions [34, 141–144]. The cross section may change due to new physics — *e.g.*, large extra dimensions [36] (TeV-scale, in tension with LHC results), electroweak sphalerons [42] (9-TeV barrier height) — or non-perturbative effects — *e.g.*, color glass condensate [44] (model BGBK_{III}).

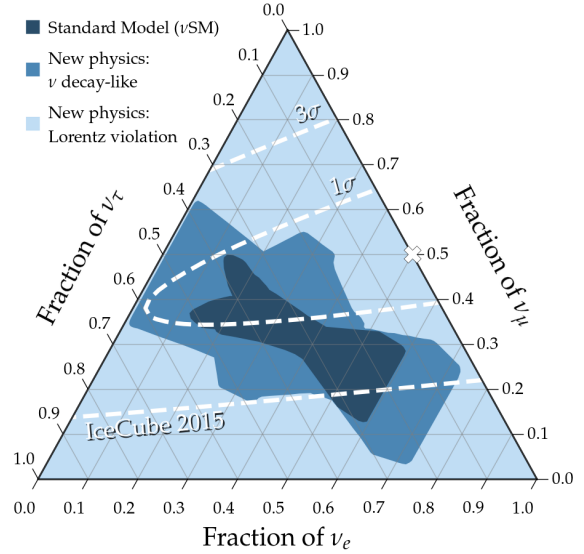


Figure 3: Flavor composition at Earth of high-energy cosmic neutrinos, indicating the “theoretically palatable” [57] regions accessible with the Standard Model with massive neutrinos (νSM), with new physics similar to neutrino decay, and with new physics similar to Lorentz-invariance violation. The neutrino mixing parameters are generously varied within their uncertainties at 3σ . The tilt of the tick marks indicates the orientation along which to read the flavor content.

can probe both superheavy dark matter with PeV masses [115–126] and light dark matter [117, 125, 127, 128]. Multi-messenger constraints are crucial to assess dark matter explanations of the observed neutrino spectrum [10, 122, 128–130]. Further, anisotropies in the neutrino sky towards the Galactic Center can reveal dark matter decaying [131] or interacting with neutrinos [132].

Are there hidden interactions with cosmic backgrounds? High-energy cosmic neutrinos may interact with low-energy relic neutrino backgrounds via new interactions [65, 133–136], with large-scale distributions of matter via new forces [137], or with dark backgrounds [138], including dark energy [139, 140]. These interactions may mimic the existence of neutrino mass, affect the neutrino flavor composition, and induce anisotropies in the high-energy neutrino sky.

Neutrino Observables: What Do We Use to Probe Fundamental Physics?

To probe fundamental physics, we look at four neutrino observables, individually or together.

Energy spectrum: The spectrum of neutrinos depends on their production processes, but BSM effects could introduce identifiable features, *e.g.*, peaks, troughs, and cut-offs. Present neutrino telescopes reconstruct the energy E of detected events to within 0.1 in $\log_{10}(E/\text{GeV})$ [145]. For TeV–PeV astrophysical neutrinos, the spectrum is predicted to be a featureless power law. IceCube data are consistent with that, but also with a broken power law [146–149]. For EeV cosmogenic

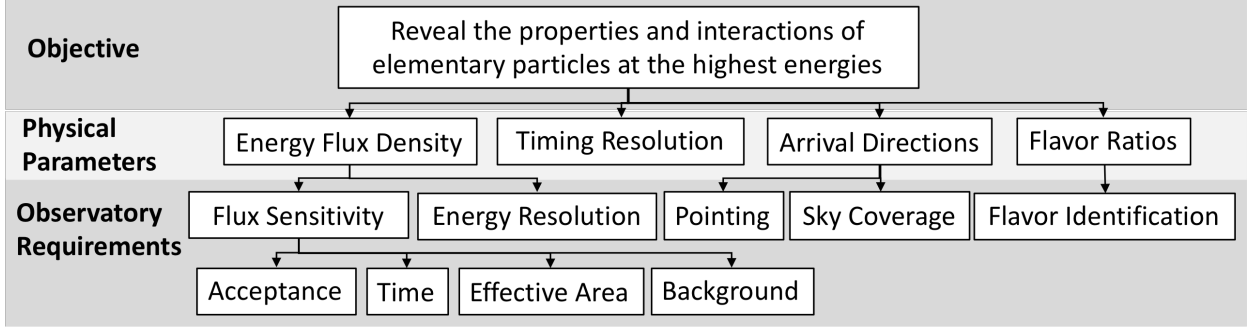


Figure 4: Observatory requirements to test fundamental physics with cosmic neutrinos.

neutrinos, the spectrum has a different but predictable shape [150–169], so BSM effects, *e.g.*, modifications of neutrino-nucleon cross sections [3, 35–43], may also be apparent.

Arrival directions: If the diffuse flux of cosmic neutrinos comes from an isotropic distribution of sources, then it should be isotropic itself. However, interactions with cosmic backgrounds might induce anisotropies. For instance, they could create a neutrino horizon, whereby high-energy neutrinos could only reach us from a few nearby sources [134, 135, 170]. Similarly, neutrino interactions with dark matter could introduce an anisotropy towards the Galactic Center [132]. Presently, the pointing resolution at neutrino telescopes is sub-degree for events initiated by ν_μ — tracks — and of a few degrees for events initiated by other ν_e and ν_τ — showers [145].

Flavor composition: At the neutrino sources, high-energy cosmic neutrinos are believed to be produced in the decay of pions, *i.e.*, $\pi^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ \nu_\mu$ followed by $\mu^+ \rightarrow e^+ \nu_e \bar{\nu}_\mu$. This results in an initial flavor composition of $(\nu_e : \nu_\mu : \nu_\tau) = (1 : 2 : 0)$, adding ν and $\bar{\nu}$. Upon reaching Earth, oscillations have transformed this into nearly $(1 : 1 : 1)_\oplus$ [171]. The detection of ν_τ is minimally required for testing this standard oscillation scenario [172, 173]. While there are variations on this canonical expectation [174–176], the expected flavor ratios fall within a well-defined region [57]. However, numerous BSM models active during propagation may modify this [63, 67], including neutrino decay and Lorentz invariance violation, as shown in Fig. 3. A precise measurement of the flavor composition could distinguish between these two classes of models [57]. Presently, measuring flavor at neutrino telescopes is challenging, since the showers made by ν_e and ν_τ look similar [147, 177], which makes the contours of allowed flavor composition in Fig. 3 wide.

Timing: A violation of Lorentz invariance would modify the energy-momentum relation of neutrinos and photons [178–180], causing them to have different speeds at different energies. This would manifest in neutrinos [181], photons [182–185], and gravitational waves [186] emitted at the same time from transient sources arriving at Earth at different times. Presently, electronics in neutrino telescopes can timestamp events to within a few nanoseconds [187].

Today, the strength of the tests performed using these observables is limited at PeV energies, where data is scant, but event statistics are growing and there are ongoing efforts to improve the reconstruction of neutrino properties. Once neutrinos of higher energies are detected, the same observables can be used to test fundamental physics in a new energy regime.

Observatory Requirements to Achieve the Science Goals

Answering fundamental physics questions requires improving the precision with which neutrino observables are measured, which is currently limited by the low numbers of events. The statistics in the TeV–PeV energy range will grow using existing neutrino detectors and their planned upgrades. This will be supplemented by improved techniques to reconstruct neutrino energy, direction, and flavor. At the EeV scale, our ability to address fundamental physics questions is contingent on the discovery of neutrinos at these energies. In addition to emphasizing the importance of improved statistics, we highlight two measurements that can be improved in the coming decade: the neutrino cross section and flavor composition.

Presently, the measurement of the TeV–PeV neutrino cross section in multiple energy bins is sorely statistics-limited [24]. In this energy range, where the measured cross section is compatible with SM expectations, large BSM deviations are unlikely. But smaller deviations are still possible, especially close to PeV energies. To extract the cross section, Ref. [24] used about 60 shower events collected by IceCube in six years across all energies. A detector that is five times larger [188] would collect 300 showers in the same time, reducing the statistical error in the extracted cross sections by a factor of $\sqrt{6}/6 \approx 0.4$ [189]. At that point, the statistical and systematic errors would become comparable, with a size of about 0.2 in the logarithm of the cross section (in units of cm^2).

At the EeV scale, measuring the cross section to within an order of magnitude could distinguish between SM predictions and BSM modifications; see Fig. 2. This target is achievable with tens of events in the PeV–EeV energy range. Detection will be challenging, since the flux is expected to decrease fast with energy and the cross section is expected to grow with energy, making the Earth opaque to neutrinos. Facing significant uncertainties in the predicted flux of cosmogenic neutrinos [160, 162, 165, 166, 169], we advocate for the construction of larger neutrino observatories to boost the chances of discovering and collecting a sufficiently large number of cosmogenic neutrinos.

Flavor composition must be measured with a precision better than 40% to match the theoretical SM uncertainty band and identify BSM deviations, as shown in Fig. 3. Reaching this target at TeV–PeV energies requires supplementing the larger event statistics with the detection of flavor-specific signals [58, 190, 191]. With 20% precision, we could distinguish between models similar to neutrino decay or to Lorentz invariance violation. Improved statistics will also permit searches for a potential energy dependence of mixing, which could point to the presence of BSM effects [57, 63].

In the EeV range, we advocate exploring new methods to measure flavor in existing and upcoming experiments (*e.g.*, Ref. [192]). Some planned EeV detectors will be sensitive primarily [193] to ν_τ [194–199], while others will be sensitive to all flavors [188, 200–204], but might not be able to distinguish between them easily. Thus, we should consider combining data from the two types of experiments in order to infer at least the ν_τ fraction.

Further, with the available sub-degree pointing resolution, we can begin to probe anisotropies in the neutrino sky that may result, *e.g.*, from Lorentz-invariance violation [205] or BSM matter interactions [132]. Additionally, we can cull a set of neutrino events that are truly extragalactic, by using only those that point away from the Galactic Center, which allows us to make robust searches for BSM effects that are enhanced over cosmological distances (*e.g.*, Ref. [103]).

We advocate for a strategy for the coming decade that improves precision on flavor identification and improves statistics across a broad energy scale, from 10 TeV up to the EeV scale. While this strategy targets mainly cross section and flavor measurements, it will impact other neutrino observables and relentlessly test the predictions of the SM and of many BSM scenarios.

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