

Invitation

to the seminar of Division of Elementary Particle Physics of the Institute of Physics of the Czech Academy of Sciences



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Supergravity at 99% of the speed of light

Abstract: Supergravity is a theoretical framework that extends Einstein's general relativity by including supersymmetry, a particular symmetry that relates particles with integer spin (bosons) and half-integer spin (fermions).

In this talk, I will discuss the main motivations for supergravity, from the early attempts to resolve inconsistencies between quantum mechanics and general relativity, to its relation with string theory. I will then give an overview of the construction of supergravity theories, highlighting the mathematical foundations and key ideas.

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Where: Dvořák hall, FZU, Na Slovance 2, Prague

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