

# My Project So Far

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# My Progress



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- Love to be active
- Love Physics

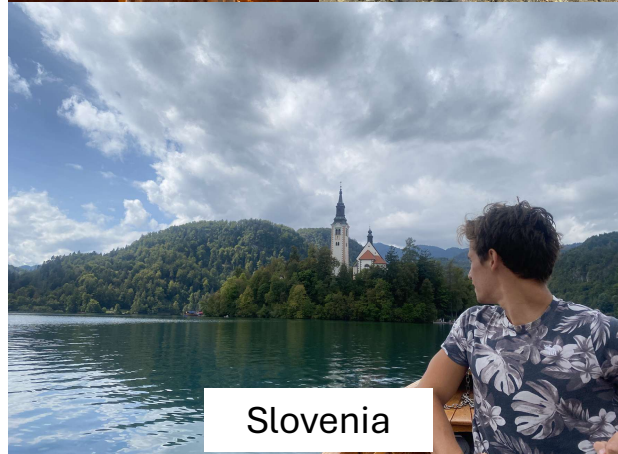
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Morocco



Iceland



Slovenia

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Spain



Scotland



Tunisia

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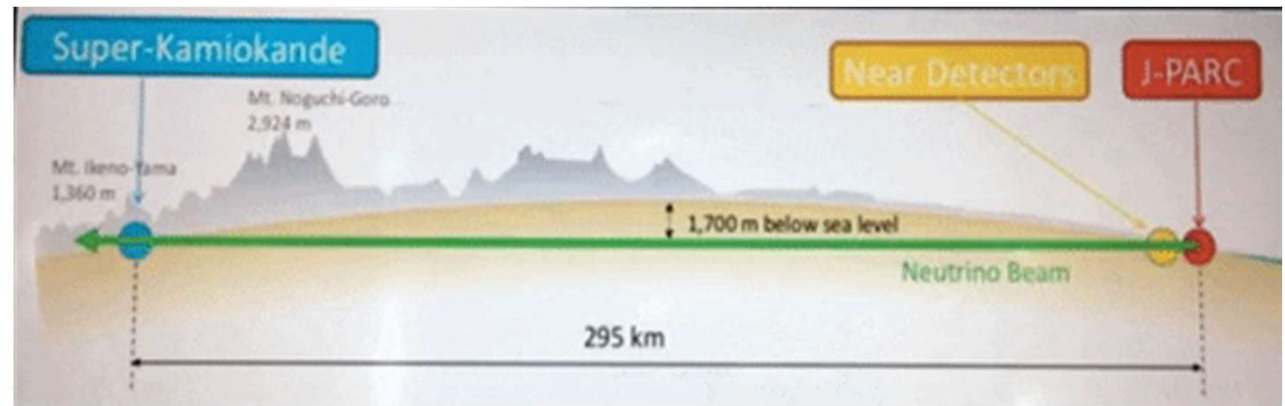




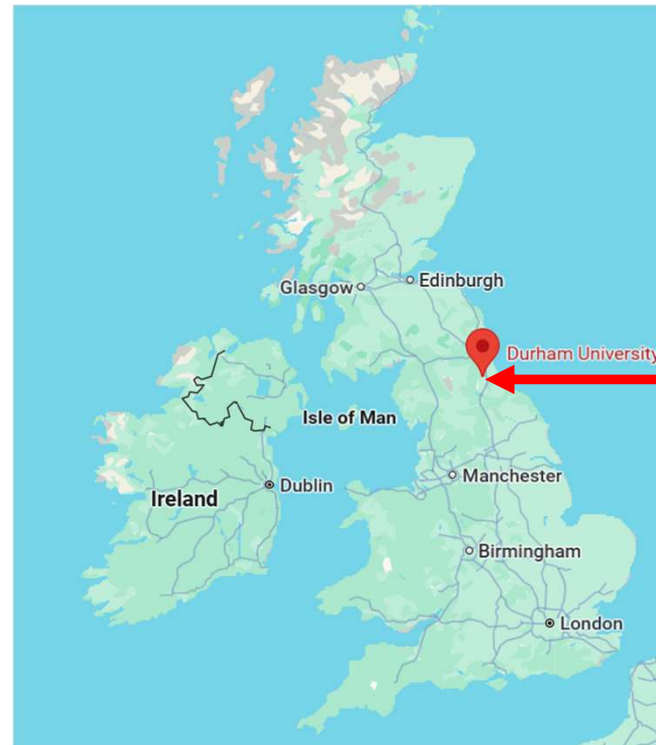
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# Where I study – Durham University



# Why am I starting now?



I've been working at the Wimbledon Tennis Championships:

- Making tens of thousand of Pimm's Pints
- Meeting lots of famous people



# Plans for the Project



Exploring the effectiveness of  
different scintillators

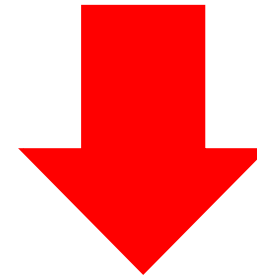


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- High density and atomic number
- High light output with spectra matched to the sensitivity of the detector
- Effective decay time of the light pulse
- Little radiation damage over time
- Is appropriate at the required operation temperature

**High density/atomic number**

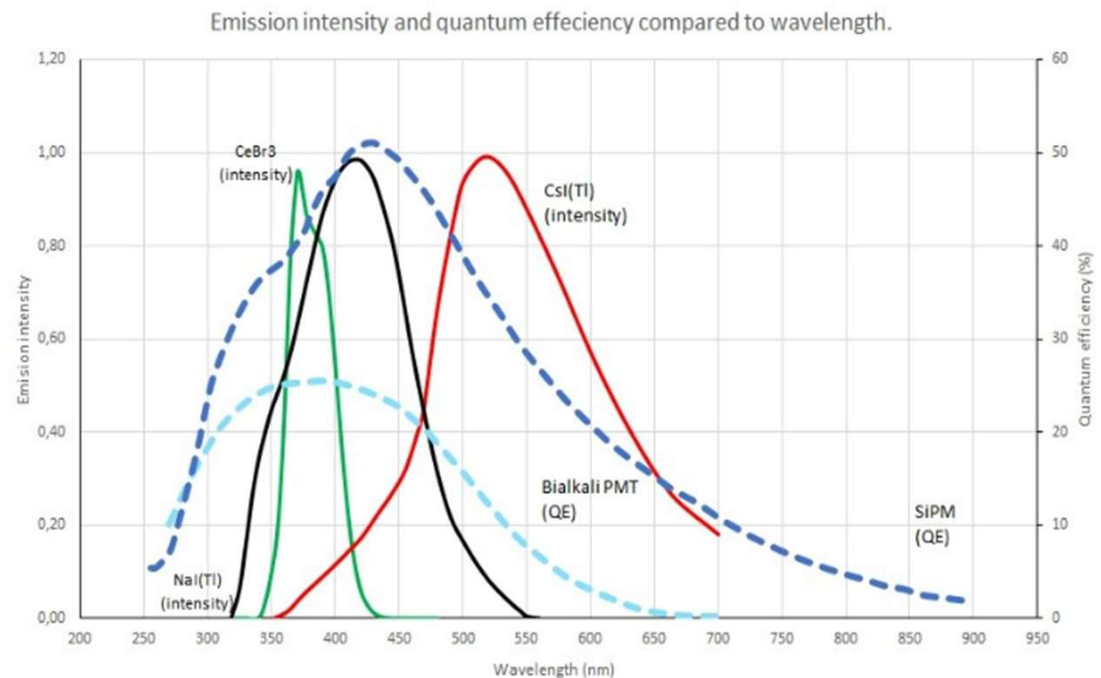


**More Interactions**

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Solid lines show the emission spectra of NaI(Tl), CsI(Tl) and CeBr3, scaled on maximum emission intensity.

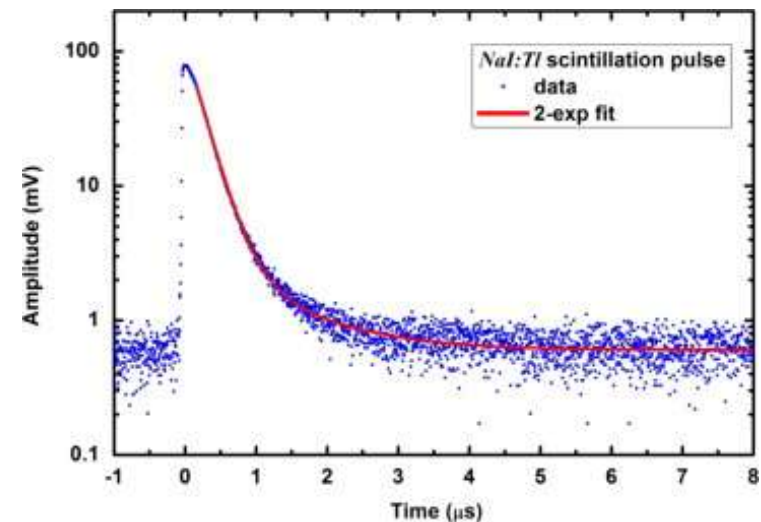
Dotted lines show the typical quantum efficiency (QE) curves of a bialkali photocathode and a Silicon Photomultiplier (SiPM).

(Sourced from: [Scintillation Crystals](#) ★ [Scionix](#))

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- Short effective decay time of the light pulse
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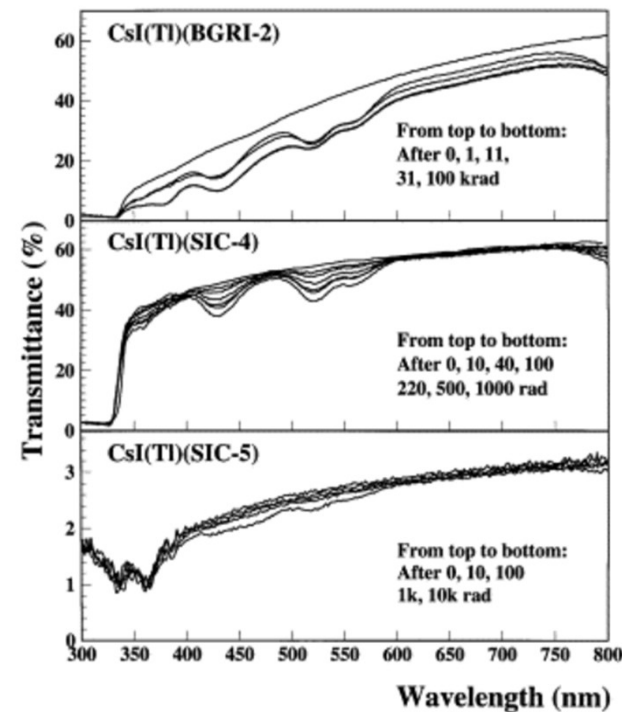
*Averaged scintillation pulse recorded for NaI:Tl irradiated with a  $^{137}\text{Cs}$  source. Two exponential terms fit to the data is presented with solid line.*

*(Measuring the scintillation decay time for different energy depositions in NaI:Tl, LSO:Ce and CeBr<sub>3</sub> scintillators, Swiderski, L. et al., 2014)*

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*Longitudinal transmittance of CsI(Tl) samples, showing radiation-induced absorption bands.*

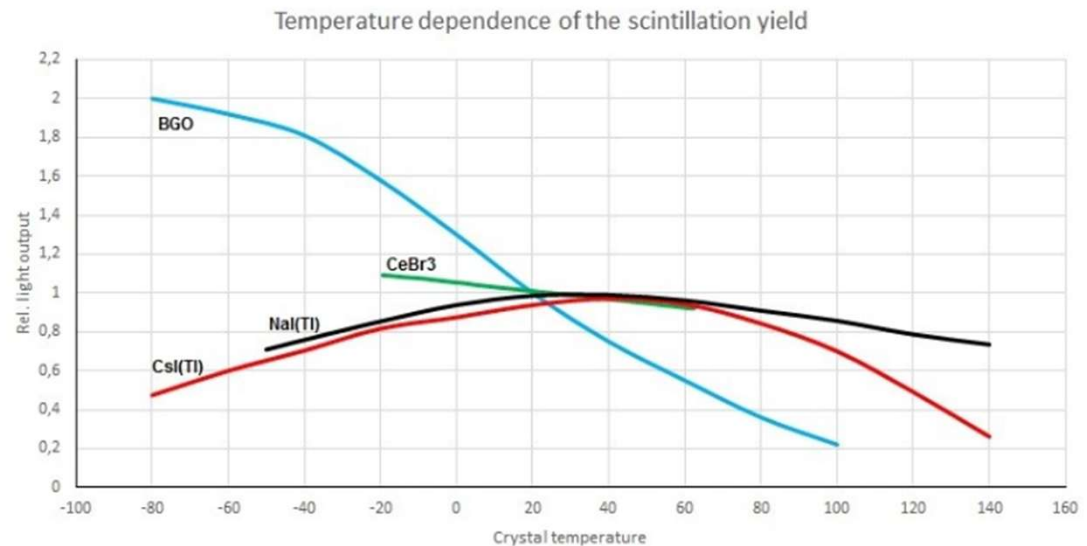
*(Radiation damage in scintillating crystals, Ren-yuan Zhu, 1998)*



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*Temperature dependence of the scintillation yield of NaI(Tl), CsI(Tl), BGO and CeBr3.  
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# Plans for use



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Flavour conservation is violated by quark mixing and neutrino mixing.

Both have been observed

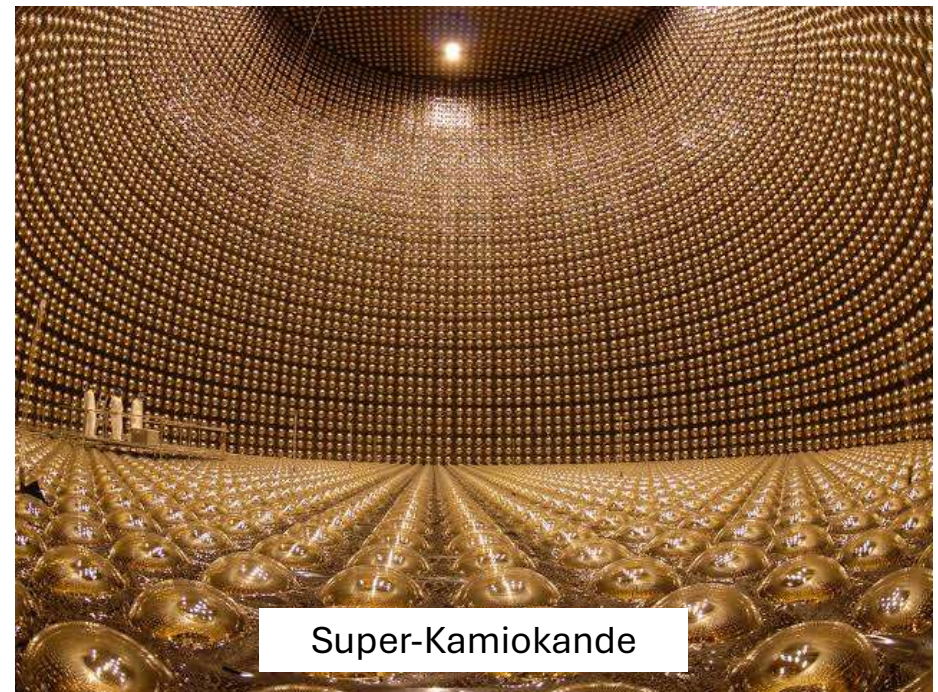
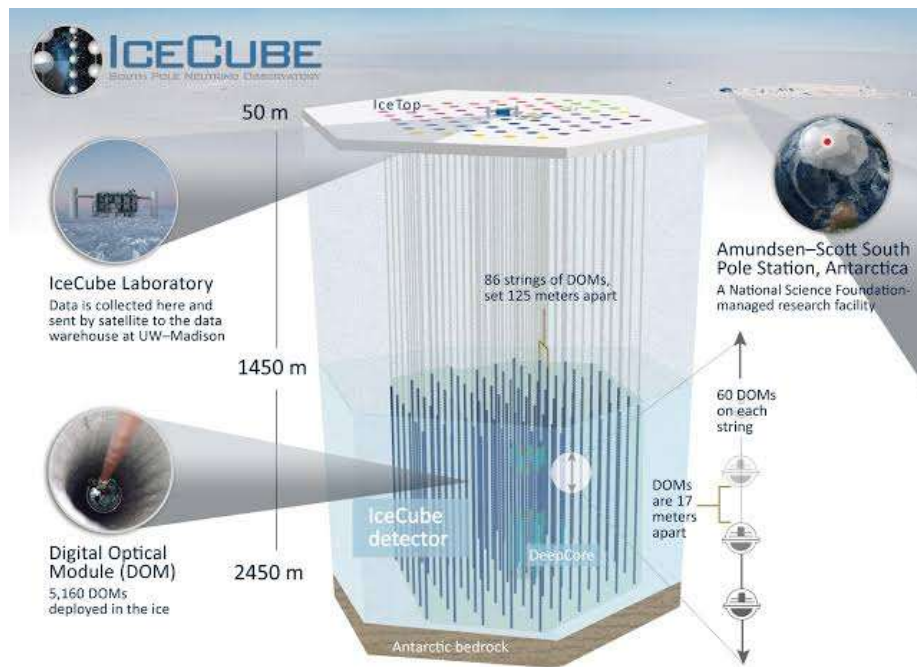
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**Why has violation not been seen for charged leptons.**

# Thank you for listening



## Hopefully my future in Physics:



Super-Kamiokande

# Japan so far





# Japan so far



# Tokyo



# Kamakura





# Hakone





# Tokai

