

Astrophysics in TGD Universe is the basic topics of this chapter. The topics discussed are following.

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\item p-Adic length scale hypothesis can be applied also in astrophysical length scales, and some examples of possible applications are discussed. One of the most interesting implications of p-adicity is the possibility of series of phase transitions changing the value of cosmological constant behaving as $\Lambda \propto 1/L^2(k)$ as a function of p-adic length scale characterizing the size of the space-time sheet.

\item A model for the solar magnetic field as a bundle of topological magnetic flux tubes is constructed and a model of Sunspot cycle is proposed. This model is also shown to explain the mysteriously high temperature of solar corona and also some other mysterious phenomena related to the solar atmosphere. A direct connection with the TGD based explanation of the dark energy as magnetic and Z^0 magnetic energy of the magnetic flux tubes containing dark matter as ordinary matter, emerges. The matter in the solar corona is simply dark matter leaked from the highly curved portions of the magnetic flux tubes to the space-time sheets where it becomes visible. The generation of anomalous Z^0 charge caused by the runoff of dark neutrinos in Super Nova could provide a first principle explanation for the avoidance of collapse to black-hole in Super Nova explosion.

The recent view about fermions is based on the condition that spinor modes have well-defined em charge predicts that induced spinor fields are in the generic case localized to 2-D surfaces at which the classical W field vanishes as does also Z^0 field above weak scale (proportional to effective Planck constant h_{eff}). Hence fermions would feel weak Z^0

field only if they are at space-time sheets with large h_{eff} .

\item One section is devoted to some astrophysical and cosmological anomalies such as the apparent shrinking of solar system observed by Masreliez, Pioneer anomaly and Flyby anomaly.

\item The astrophysics of solar system involves also an anomaly related to the precession of equinoxes suggesting that Sun might have a companion. TGD suggests a model for anomalies as being due to interaction magnetic flux tube connecting Sun to its companion.

\item The TGD variant of the model of Nottale involved gravitational Planck constant h_{gr} is discussed in detail. Also further indications for large values of Planck constant are discussed and also the argument that $h_{\text{gr}} = GMm/v_0 = h_{\text{eff}} = n \times h$ holds true at least microscopially. If so, the dependence of the effective Planck constant on particle mass can be predicted.

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