



Supersymmetry in Particle Physics

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Message from the Guest Editor

Dear Colleagues,

Though the standard model provides an elegant description of particle contents of the matter, it suffers from the hierarchy problem. Furthermore, the cosmological observations strongly suggest that dark matters and dark energy exist, implying new physics beyond the standard model exist. One of the best candidates for the new physics is the supersymmetry theory which can solve the hierarchy problem, maintain gauge coupling unification, and provide a suitable dark matter candidate. However, the experimental search for supersymmetric models still remains elusive. Thus, a profound study on the phenomenology of supersymmetry theory is essential in order to discover more about new physics. Other applications of supersymmetry, such as supersymmetric quantum mechanics and mathematical studies of supersymmetry, are also encouraged in this Special Issue.

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