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# HEP Tycon

Manage your own High Energy Physics research facility!



# approx. 48 hours ago



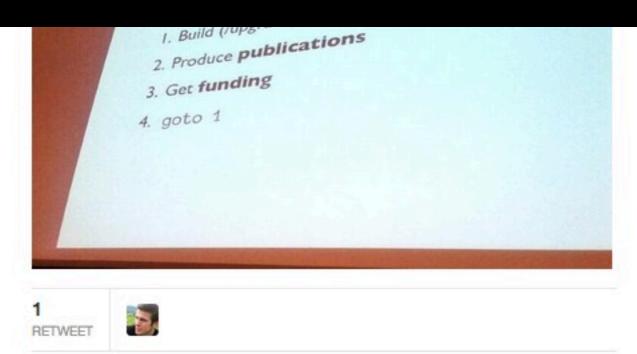


Another game. This time about HEP tycoon Great #cernwebfest pic.twitter.com/ewoaqC2ZYb





# "over-ambitious"



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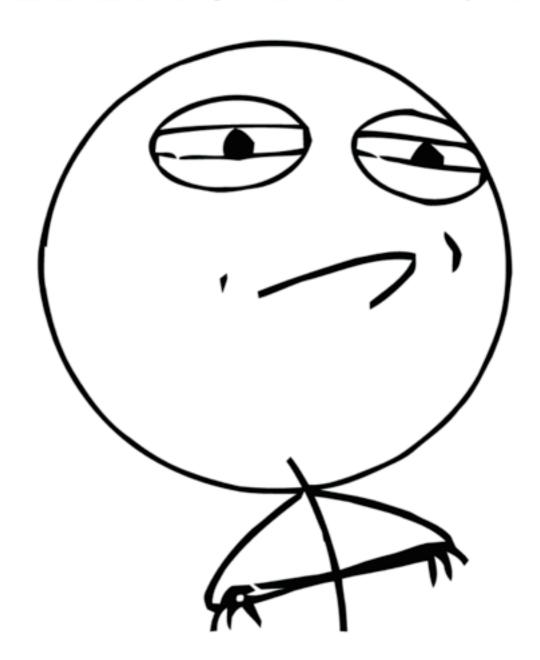
### The Idea

- Fun and educational game
  - Manage a research facility
  - Learn about
    - Components (Accelerators, Detectors, ...)
    - Discoveries (e.g.W, Z, Higgs, SUSY-Particles ...)
    - ...

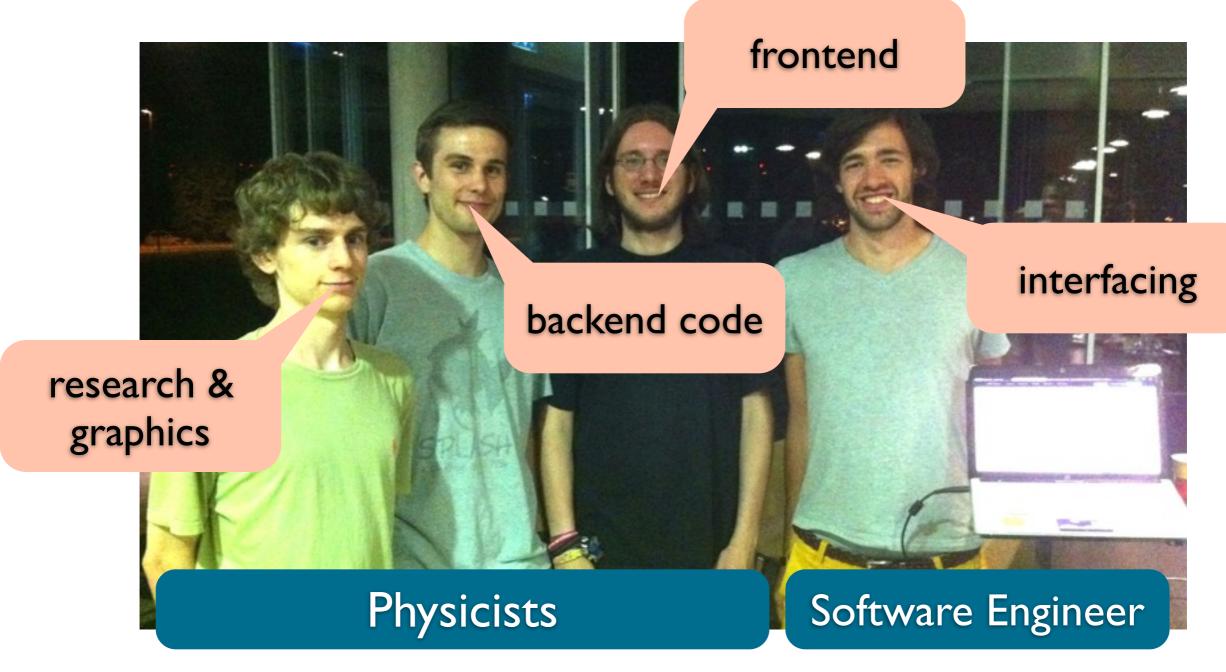
### Challenges

- Too many ideas!
- Start from scratch
- Time
- Not been done before!
- ...

### CHALLENGE ACCEPTED



### The Team



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### Goals for the weekend

- Simple prototype (very simplistic model of reality...)
- Focus on core concepts
- Extensibility (add depth and functionality later)



### Game Logic

- I. Build (or upgrade) an accelerator
- 2. Build or upgrade detectors, data storage; hire scientists
- 3. Produce data
- 4. Scientists: data → publications
- 5. Get funding or goto 2
- 6. goto 1

### **HEP Tycoon** ▼

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Manage your own High Energy Physics laboratory

#### Laboratory name:

Enter the name of your lab

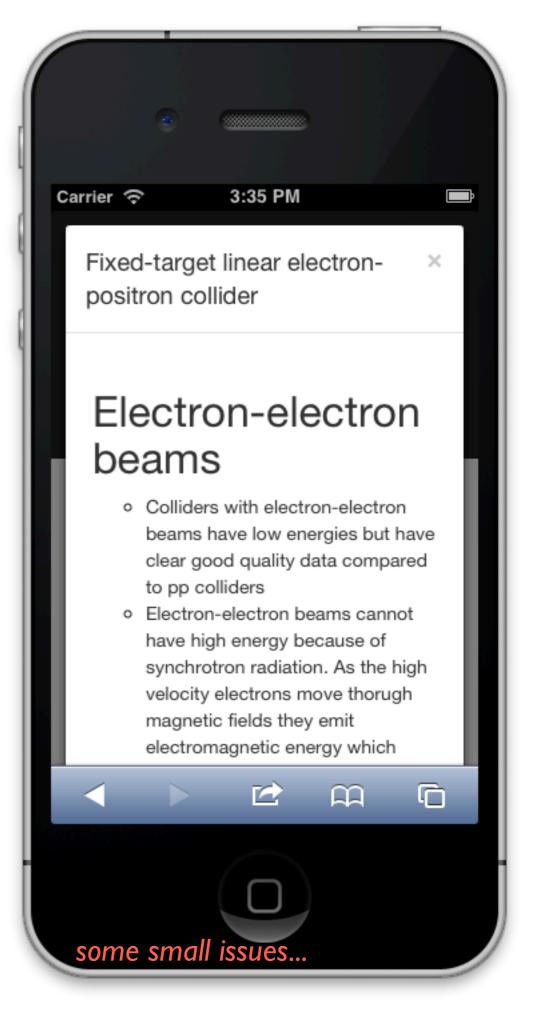
### Accelerator type

- Linear particle collider
- Circular particle collider

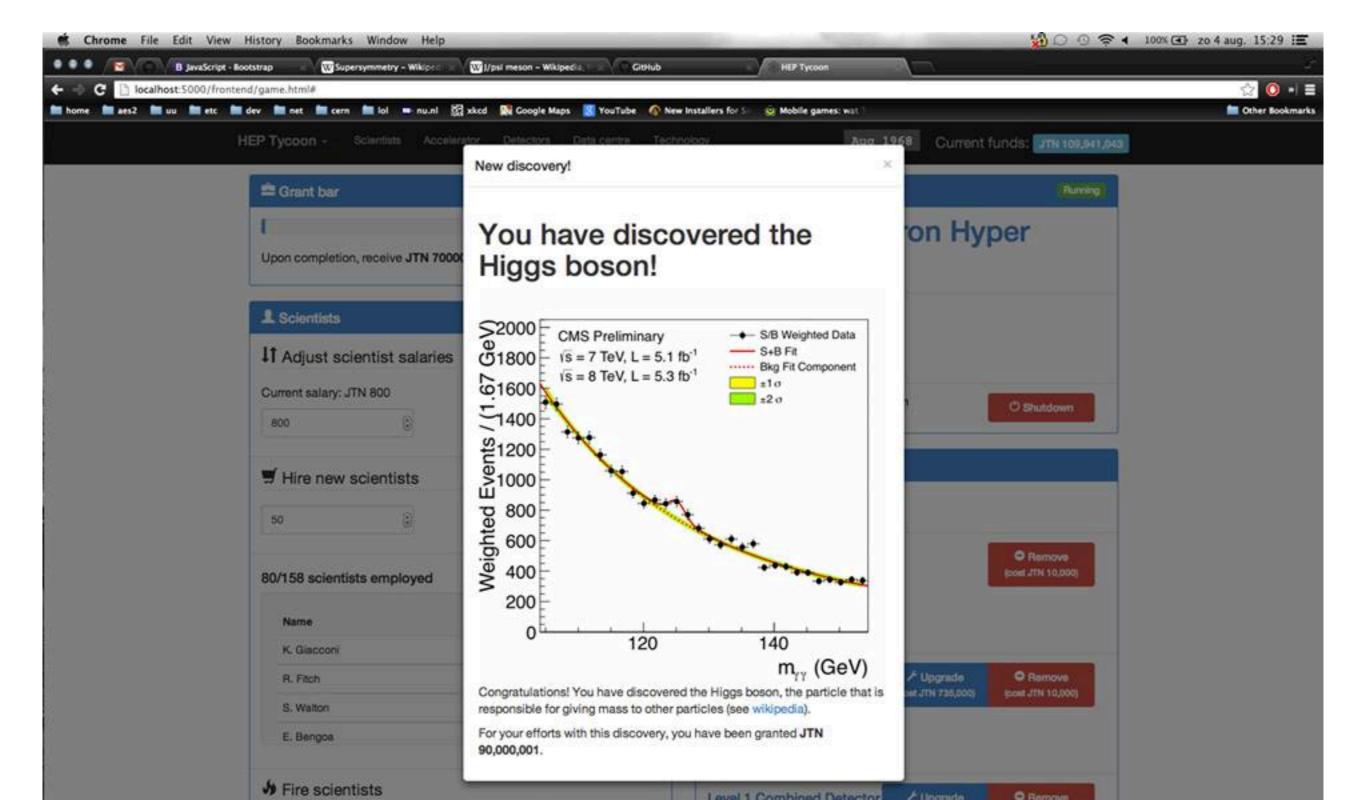
### Particle types

- Electron-Positron collider
- Proton-Proton collider

Let's do this!



# Finally...



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### What's next?

- Short term: balancing, fixes, PR
- Long term:
  - More features
  - More detail
  - More graphics
  - Multiplayer?

# What can you do?

- Play the game! β: http://dvdbng.com:5000
- Get in touch with us
  - Report issues
  - Contribute code / ideas / ...

• (7)/kdungs/hep-tycoon (clone, fork, ...)

MIT License (open source)

### Thank You!

And GitHub, Google (angular.js), Twitter (bootstrap) as well as the people/teams who made Python, JQuery, ...