

Cosmic-Ray Studies with the Surface Instrumentation of IceCube / IceCube-Gen2

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1. What is this contribution about?

- Air-shower investigations at IceCube
- Future plans with IceTop Surface Enhancement and IceCube-Gen2 Surface Array

2. Why is it relevant / interesting?

- Important to understand atmospheric neutrinos and muons
- Veto for astrophysical neutrino alerts
- IceCube is a unique instrument for cosmic ray air showers
- Galactic Multi-Messenger Astronomy

3. What have we done?

- Air Shower data analysis with various methods
- Simulations and design studies for future instrumentation

4. What is the result?

- Energy Spectra and Elemental Composition 100 TeV – 100 PeV
- Rich Cosmic Ray Physics Program for the future

