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There is No Constant in Physics: a Neutrosophic Explanation

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Abstract

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1.Introduction

For majority of physicists, constants play a fundamental role. Like an anchor for a ship, they allow physicists build theories on the ground of those constants as basic “known” quantities. However, in real experiments, there are always variation of those constants. Moreover, from Neutrosophic Logic perspective, those constants always fluctuate depending on various circumstances.

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¹ Note by one of us (RNB): “The data from the experiment was recorded in the actual handwritten log books from the actual M-M experiments as **up to** plus and minus 3000 meters per second variation in the measured speed of light. I closely examined all the handwritten logs and lab notes personally. Most of the light speed excursions recorded in the actual log books were smaller than this. I recall calculating the average speed of light excursion to be in the vicinity of 300 meters per second. The apparatus was capable of measuring c to an accuracy of 0.00025 meters per second, as I recall.

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It is our hope that this new perspective on physics constants will point to a more substantial and evidence-based approach to physics sciences.

2. Definition

Neutrosophic Logic, as developed by one of us (FS), is generalization of fuzzy logic based on Neutrosophy. A proposition is t true, i indeterminate, and f false, where t , i , and f are real values from the ranges T , I , F , with no restriction on T , I , F , or the sum $n=t+i+f$. Neutrosophic logic thus generalises:

- intuitionistic logic, which supports incomplete theories (for $0 < n < 100$ and $i=0$, $0 \leq t, i, f \leq 100$);
- fuzzy logic (for $n=100$ and $i=0$, and $0 \leq t, i, f \leq 100$);
- Boolean logic (for $n=100$ and $i=0$, with t, f either 0 or 100);
- multi-valued logic (for $0 \leq t, i, f \leq 100$);
- paraconsistent logic (for $n > 100$ and $i=0$, with both $t, f < 100$);
- dialetheism, which says that some contradictions are true (for $t=f=100$ and $i=0$; some paradoxes can be denoted this way).

Compared with all other logics, neutrosophic logic introduces a percentage of "indeterminacy" - due to unexpected parameters hidden in some propositions. It also allows each component t, i, f to "boil over" 100 or "freeze" under 0. For example, in some tautologies $t > 100$, called "overtrue".[1]

Neutrosophic Logic allows one to develop new approaches in many fields of science, including a redefinition of physics constants, as will be discussed in the next section.

3. Neutrosophic reasoning: There is no Physics Constant

In accordance with Neutrosophic Logic, actually all physics constants have a window of plus and minus values, relative to the average value of the constant. For example, variation of c is approximately within the range of plus or minus 3000 meters/second.

There may be larger excursions, but we would not expect larger excursions to happen very often. Probability considerations are thus also involved in determining the average value and the statistical extremes for the given constant.

There are also curves which vary according to the materials involved, and the environment. For example, most recently and most importantly, it has been realized that h and h_{bar} cannot be used for any material other than carbon black (soot).

All other materials must have their thermal emissions curve instrumented. Then the h and h_{bar} for that material can be calculated. But the values calculated are subject to modifications by the local environment. Unless

Both periodic and stochastic measurements of *speed of light variances* are recorded in the handwritten log books from the M-M experiments. Should be as listed: "variation of c is approximately within the range of plus or minus 3000 meters/second." No larger excursions were recorded." See also [10][11].

the aether environment can be considered and measured, the calculated values of h and \hbar for the given material will not be as reliable as we might prefer. (It depends on the specific application which requires instrumented measurements of the thermal emissions curve of the given material.)

So there should be a way to produce an accurate thermal emissions curve using a neutrosophic approach. Because all thermal emissions curves have extremes from absolute zero to very high heat values. Neutrosophic modifications of Kirchoff's law of "blackbody radiation", and Planck's "constant" would be very useful. (See for instance, a report by Robitaille and Crothers on the flaws of Kirchoff law, [2-4]). It is worth noting here, that from dynamical perspective, Shpenkov argues for a redefinition of Planck constant: "The Planck constant h is the quantity the value of which is equal to the orbital action of the electron on the Bohr first orbit in the hydrogen atom, namely to its orbital moment of momentum P_{orb} multiplied by 2π , or it can be rewritten as: $h=2\pi \cdot P_{orb}$." According to him, Planck constant also has acoustic origin. [5]

There are also physical situations where the variations of the value of one constant, directly alters the values of physically-related constants. The fine structure "constant" is an example of this kind of mutual influence. If the fine structure value changes, it changes the value of e , the charge of the electron. (Which informs us that the charge on the electron is an environmentally influenced Neutrosophic window.) Going the other way, if the value of e changes, it changes the value of the fine structure constant.

Another aspect of this to consider is that some constants-windows may not be perfectly symmetrical, but large on one side of the center value, and small on the other side, and exhibit dependence on the environment, such that under most conditions the value of the given "constant" would live inside the window, while there could be large asymmetrical extremes at other times, depending on the local and non-local environmental parameters of the aether, at the location where we are examining the measured value of the constant.

4. A few applications

At this point, some readers may ask: Can we get an example when a so-called constant has a value, while in another example the same so-called constant gets another value?

Answer: Gravitation is a good example. g changes depending on where and when it is measured. This is used in gravitational prospecting and by the GRACE experiment (NASA) which maps the gravitation variations of the Earth, over time. [6] In ref [6], they show many more data sets and graphical images showing gravitational variations on the Earth.

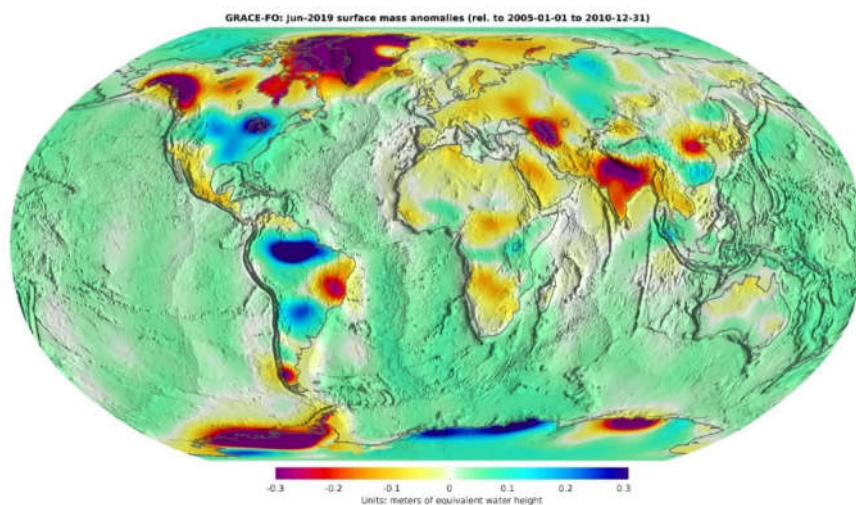


Figure 1. gravitational variations on the Earth. Source: [6]

Another article contains a good table of measurements of gravitation from 1798, until 2004 [7].

There is also a discussion of the increase in the force due to gravitation of the Earth, showing the dinosaurs would be crushed by their own weight if they were subjected to the gravitational force of the Earth today.

The *gravitational "constant"* is a good one to start with, since the variations can't be denied.

The next best one would be speed of light variations, although these days they refuse to allow one-way measurements of light velocity, because vast numbers of variations show up, depending on the time and place of the measurement. The mainstream insists that the speed of light can only be measured by round-trip measurements. This is because the light going back and forth along the same line results in many of the measured one-way variations in the velocity, being averaged out.

Typically, speed of light experiments cook their books and throw out any large deviations in measured light velocity. This tactic is similar to even more egregious cheating methods which are used by "global warming" and "climate change" advocates, paid for by the oil companies.

The next best one would be variations in Planck's "constant". h and h_{bar} are only valid for carbon black (soot). Every different material has a different thermal radiation when plotted on a thermal radiation curve. Some examples are displayed by Robitaille and Crothers in some of their presentations on the original "black body" thermal radiation constant known as Kirchoff's law, which was never measured by instrumented experiments, and was accepted as universally valid by Planck, who never did experiments to measure the thermal radiation curves of anything.[2-4]

5. Conclusions

In this article, we discussed how physics constants can vary in a wide range of values, in particular from Neutrosophic Logic perspective. We also discussed some examples, including variation in Earth gravitation measurements, speed of light measurement, and also Planck constant. It is our hope that this short discussion will be found as good impetus for a new direction in physics, more corresponding to experimental data, toward: "*evidence-based physics*." This new direction is in direct contrast to the unfortunate development of theoretical physics in the last 30-40 years with their overreliance on too much abstraction, oversophisticated mathematics, and other fantasies, which often have less and less to do with the actual physics as an empirical science. Two books can be mentioned here in relation to the present situation of physics science, see [8][9].

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