List of Nobel Prize winners in physics by Adrian Buzatu, PhD candidate, McGill University, Montreal, Canada former student of Fratii Buzesti high school, Craiova, Romania Many thanks for www.nobelprizes.org, where the information is taken from December 16, 2006, Montreal 1901 Wilhelm Conrad Rontgen (1845-1923) Germany, Male, full prize



in recognition of the extraordinary services he has rendered by the discovery of the remarkable rays subsequently named after him

1902 Hendrik Antoon Lorentz (1853-1928) the Netherlands, Male, half prize



in recognition of the extraordinary service they rendered by their researches into the influence of magnetism upon radiation phenomena

> 1902 Pieter Zeeman (1865-1943) the Netherlands, Male, half prize

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in recognition of the extraordinary service they rendered by their researches into the influence of magnetism upon radiation phenomena 1903 Antoine Henri Becquerel (1852-1908) France, Male, half prize



in recognition of the extraordinary services he has rendered by his discovery of spontaneous radioactivity

1903 Pierre Curie (1859-1906) France, Male, quarter prize



in recognition of the extraordinary services they have rendered by their joint researches on the radiation phenomena discovered by Professor Henri Becquerel

> 1903 Marie Curie, ne Sklodowska (1867-1934) France, Female, quarter prize



in recognition of the extraordinary services they have rendered by their joint researches on the radiation phenomena discovered by Professor Henri Becquerel 1904 Lord Rayleigh (John William Strutt) (1842-1919) United Kingdom, Male, full prize



for his investigations of the densities of the most important gases and for his discovery of argon in connection with these studies

> 1905 Philipp Eduard Anton von Lenard (1862-1947) Germany, Male, full prize



for his work on cathode rays

1906 Joseph John Thomson (1856-1940) United Kingdom, Male, full prize



in recognition of the great merits of his theoretical and experimental investigations on the conduction of electricity by gases 1907 Albert Abraham Michelson (1852-1931) USA, Male, full prize



for his optical precision instruments and the spectroscopic and metrological investigations carried out with their aid

> 1908 Gabriel Lippmann (1845-1921) France, Male, full prize



for his method of reproducing colours photographically based on the phenomenon of interference

1909 Guglielmo Marconi (1874-1937) Italy, Male, half prize



in recognition of their contributions to the development of wireless telegraphy

1909 Karl Ferdinand Braun (1850-1918) Germany, Male, half prize



in recognition of their contributions to the development of wireless telegraphy $% \left({{{\left[{{{{\mathbf{x}}_{i}} \right]}}}} \right)$

1910 Johannes Diderik van der Waals (1837-1923) the Netherlands, Male, full prize



for his work on the equation of state for gases and liquids

1911 Wilhelm Wien (1864-1928) Germany, Male, full prize



for his discoveries regarding the laws governing the radiation of heat

1912 Nils Gustaf Daln (1869-1937) Sweden, Male, full prize



for his invention of automatic regulators for use in conjunction with gas accumulators for illuminating lighthouses and buoys

> **1913** Heike Kamerlingh Onnes (1853-1926) the Netherlands, Male, full prize



for his investigations on the properties of matter at low temperatures which led, inter alia, to the production of liquid helium

> 1914 Max von Laue (1879-1960) Germany, Male, full prize



for his discovery of the diffraction of X-rays by crystals

1915 Sir William Henry Bragg (1862-1942) United Kingdom, Male, half prize



for their services in the analysis of crystal structure by means of X-rays

1915 Sir William Lawrence Bragg (1890-1971) United Kingdom, Male, half prize



for their services in the analysis of crystal structure by means of $$\mathbf{X}$-rays$$

1917 Charles Glover Barkla (1877-1944) United Kingdom, Male, full prize



for his discovery of the characteristic Rontgen radiation of the elements

1918 Max Karl Ernst Ludwig Planck (1858-1947) Germany, Male, full prize



in recognition of the services he rendered to the advancement of Physics by his discovery of energy quanta

> 1919 Johannes Stark (1874-1957) Germany, Male, full prize



for his discovery of the Doppler effect in canal rays and the splitting of spectral lines in electric fields

> **1920** Charles Edouard Guillaume (1861-1938) Switzerland, Male, full prize



in recognition of the service he has rendered to precision measurements in Physics by his discovery of anomalies in nickel steel alloys **1921** Albert Einstein (1879-1955) Germany and Switzerland, Male, full prize



for his services to Theoretical Physics, and especially for his discovery of the law of the photoelectric effect

1922 Niels Henrik David Bohr (1885-1962) Denmark, Male, full prize



for his services in the investigation of the structure of atoms and of the radiation emanating from them

> 1923 Robert Andrews Millikan (1868-1953) USA, Male, full prize



for his work on the elementary charge of electricity and on the photoelectric effect

1924 Karl Manne Georg Siegbahn (1886-1978) Sweden, Male, full prize



for his discoveries and research in the field of X-ray spectroscopy

1925 James Franck (1882-1964) Germany, Male, half prize



for their discovery of the laws governing the impact of an electron upon an atom

1925 Gustav Ludwig Hertz (1887-1975) Germany, Male, half prize



for their discovery of the laws governing the impact of an electron upon an atom

1926 Jean Baptiste Perrin (1870-1942) France, Male, full prize



for his work on the discontinuous structure of matter, and especially for his discovery of sedimentation equilibrium

> 1927 Arthur Holly Compton (1892-2962) USA, Male, half prize



for his discovery of the effect named after him

1927 Charles Thomson Rees Wilson (1869-1959) United Kingdom, Male, half prize



for his method of making the paths of electrically charged particles visible by condensation of vapour

1928 Owen Willans Richardson (1879-1959) United Kingdom, Male, full prize



for his work on the thermionic phenomenon and especially for the discovery of the law named after him

1929 Prince Louis-Victor Pierre Raymond de Broglie (1892-1987) France, Male, full prize



for his discovery of the wave nature of electrons

1930 Sir Chandrasekhara Venkata Raman (1888-1970) India, Male, full prize



for his work on the scattering of light and for the discovery of the effect named after him

1932 Werner Karl Heisenberg (1901-1976) Germany, Male, full prize



for the creation of quantum mechanics, the application of which has, inter alia, led to the discovery of the allotropic forms of hydrogen

1933 Erwin Schrdinger (1887-1961) Austria, Male, half prize



for the discovery of new productive forms of atomic theory

1933 Paul Adrien Maurice Dirac (1902-1984) United Kingdom, Male, half prize



for the discovery of new productive forms of atomic theory

1935 James Chadwick (1891-1974) United Kingdom, Male, full prize



for the discovery of the neutron

1936 Victor Franz Hess (1883-1964) Austria, Male, half prize



for his discovery of cosmic radiation

1936 Carl David Anderson (1905-1991) USA, Male, half prize



for his discovery of the positron

1937 Clinton Joseph Davisson (1881-1958) USA, Male, half prize



for their experimental discovery of the diffraction of electrons by crystals

1937 George Paget Thomson (1892-1975) United Kingdom, Male, half prize



for their experimental discovery of the diffraction of electrons by crystals

1938 Enrico Fermi (1901-1954) Italy, Male, full prize



for his demonstrations of the existence of new radioactive elements produced by neutron irradiation, and for his related discovery of nuclear reactions brought about by slow neutrons 1939 Ernest Orlando Lawrence (1901-1958) USA, Male, full prize



for the invention and development of the cyclotron and for results obtained with it, especially with regard to artificial radioactive elements

1943 Otto Stern (1888-1969) USA, Male, full prize



for his contribution to the development of the molecular ray method and his discovery of the magnetic moment of the proton

> 1944 Isidor Isaac Rabi (1898-1988) USA, Male, full prize



for his resonance method for recording the magnetic properties of atomic nuclei

1945 Wolfgang Pauli (1900-1958) Austria, Male, full prize



for the discovery of the Exclusion Principle, also called the Pauli Principle

> **1946** Percy Williams Bridgman (1882-1961) USA, Male, full prize



for the invention of an apparatus to produce extremely high pressures, and for the discoveries he made therewith in the field of high pressure physics

> 1947 Sir Edward Victor Appleton (1892-1965) United Kingdom, Male, full prize

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for his investigations of the physics of the upper atmosphere especially for the discovery of the so-called Appleton layer

1948 Patrick Maynard Stuart Blackett (1897-1974) United Kingdom, Male, full prize



for his development of the Wilson cloud chamber method, and his discoveries therewith in the fields of nuclear physics and cosmic radiation

> **1949** Hideki Yukawa (1907-1981) Japan, Male, full prize



for his prediction of the existence of mesons on the basis of theoretical work on nuclear forces

1950 Cecil Frank Powell (1903-1969) United Kingdom, Male, full prize

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for his development of the photographic method of studying nuclear processes and his discoveries regarding mesons made with this method 1951 Sir John Douglas Cockcroft (1897-1967) United Kingdom, Male, half prize



for their pioneer work on the transmutation of atomic nuclei by artificially accelerated atomic particles

> **1951** Ernest Thomas Sinton Walton (1903-1995) Ireland, Male, half prize



for their pioneer work on the transmutation of atomic nuclei by artificially accelerated atomic particles

1952 Felix Bloch (1905-1983) USA, Male, half prize



for their development of new methods for nuclear magnetic precision measurements and discoveries in connection therewith

1952 Edward Mills Purcell (1912-1997) USA, Male, half prize



for their development of new methods for nuclear magnetic precision measurements and discoveries in connection therewith

1953 Frits (Frederik) Zernike (1888-1966) the Netherlands, Male, full prize



for his demonstration of the phase contrast method, especially for his invention of the phase contrast microscope

> 1954 Max Born (1882-1970) United Kingdom, Male, half prize



for his fundamental research in quantum mechanics, especially for his statistical interpretation of the wavefunction 1954 Walther Bothe (1891-1957) Federal Republic of Germany, Male, half prize



for the coincidence method and his discoveries made therewith

1955 Willis Eugene Lamb (1913–) USA, Male, half prize



for his discoveries concerning the fine structure of the hydrogen spectrum

1955 Polykarp Kusch (1911-1993) USA, Male, half prize



for his precision determination of the magnetic moment of the electron

1956 William Bradford Shockley (1910-1989) USA, Male, third prize



for their researches on semiconductors and their discovery of the transistor effect $% \left({{{\cal T}_{{\rm{s}}}} \right)$

1956 John Bardeen (1908-1991) USA, Male, third prize



for their researches on semiconductors and their discovery of the transistor effect $% \left({{{\cal T}_{\rm{a}}}} \right)$

1956 Walter Houser Brattain (1902-1987) USA, Male, third prize



for their researches on semiconductors and their discovery of the transistor effect $% \left({{{\cal T}_{{\rm{s}}}} \right)$

1957 Chen Ning Yang (1922–) China, Male, half prize



for their penetrating investigation of the so-called parity laws which has led to important discoveries regarding the elementary particles

> 1957 Tsung-Dao Lee (1926–) China, Male, half prize



for their penetrating investigation of the so-called parity laws which has led to important discoveries regarding the elementary particles

> 1958 Pavel Alekseyevich Cherenkov (1904-1990) USSR, Male, third prize



for the discovery and the interpretation of the Cherenkov effect

1958 Ilja Mikhailovich Frank (1908-1990) USSR, Male, third prize



for the discovery and the interpretation of the Cherenkov effect

1958 Igor Yevgenyevich Tamm (1895-1971) USSR, Male, third prize



for the discovery and the interpretation of the Cherenkov effect

1959 Emilio Gino Segr (1905-1989) USA, Male, half prize



for their discovery of the antiproton

1959 Owen Chamberlain (1920–) USA, Male, half prize



for their discovery of the antiproton

1960 Donald Arthur Glaser (1926–) USA, Male, full prize



for the invention of the bubble chamber

1961 Robert Hofstadter (1915-1990) USA, Male, half prize



for his pioneering studies of electron scattering in atomic nuclei and for his thereby achieved discoveries concerning the structure of the nucleons 1961 Rudolf Ludwig Mssbauer (1929–) USA, Male, half prize



for his researches concerning the resonance absorption of gamma radiation and his discovery in this connection of the effect which bears his name

> 1962 Lev Davidovich Landau (1908-1968) USSR, Male, full prize



for his pioneering theories for condensed matter, especially liquid helium

1963 Eugene Paul Wigner (1902-1995) USA, Male, half prize



for his contributions to the theory of the atomic nucleus and the elementary particles, particularly through the discovery and application of fundamental symmetry principles 1963 Maria Goeppert-Mayer (1906-1972) USA, Female, quarter prize



for their discoveries concerning nuclear shell structure

1963 J. Hans D. Jensen (1907-1973) Federal Republic of Germany, Male, quarter prize



for their discoveries concerning nuclear shell structure

1964 Charles Hard Townes (1915–) USA, Male, half prize



for fundamental work in the field of quantum electronics, which has led to the construction of oscillators and amplifiers based on the maser-laser principle

1964 Nicolay Gennadiyevich Basov (1922-2001) USSR, Male, quarter prize



for fundamental work in the field of quantum electronics, which has led to the construction of oscillators and amplifiers based on the maser-laser principle

> **1964** Aleksandr Mikhailovich Prokhorov (1916-2002) USSR, Male, quarter prize



for fundamental work in the field of quantum electronics, which has led to the construction of oscillators and amplifiers based on the maser-laser principle

> 1965 Sin-Itiro Tomonaga (1906-1979) Japan, Male, third prize



for their fundamental work in quantum electrodynamics, with deep-ploughing consequences for the physics of elementary particles

1965 Julian Schwinger (1918-1994) USA, Male, third prize



for their fundamental work in quantum electrodynamics, with deep-ploughing consequences for the physics of elementary particles

1965 Richard P. Feynman (1918-1988) USA, Male, third prize



for their fundamental work in quantum electrodynamics, with deep-ploughing consequences for the physics of elementary particles

1966 Alfred Kastler (1902-1984) France, Male, full prize



for the discovery and development of optical methods for studying Hertzian resonances in atoms 1967 Hans Albrecht Bethe (1906-2005) USA, Male, full prize



for his contributions to the theory of nuclear reactions, especially his discoveries concerning the energy production in stars

> 1968 Luis Walter Alvarez (1911-1988) USA, Male, full prize



for his decisive contributions to elementary particle physics, in particular the discovery of a large number of resonance states, made possible through his development of the technique of using hydrogen bubble chamber and data analysis

> 1969 Murray Gell-Mann (1929–) USA, Male, full prize



for his contributions and discoveries concerning the classification of elementary particles and their interactions

1970 Hannes Olof Gsta Alfvn (1908-1995) Sweden, Male, half prize



for fundamental work and discoveries in magneto-hydrodynamics with fruitful applications in different parts of plasma physics

> 1970 Louis Eugne Flix Nel (1904-2000) France, Male, half prize



for fundamental work and discoveries concerning antiferromagnetism and ferrimagnetism which have led to important applications in solid state physics

> 1971 Dennis Gabor (1900-1979) United Kingdom, Male, full prize

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for his invention and development of the holographic method

1972 John Bardeen (1908-1991) USA, Male, third prize



for their jointly developed theory of superconductivity, usually called the BCS-theory

1972 Leon Neil Cooper (1930–) USA, Male, third prize



for their jointly developed theory of superconductivity, usually called the BCS-theory

1972 John Robert Schrieffer (1931–) USA, Male, third prize



for their jointly developed theory of superconductivity, usually called the BCS-theory

1973 Leo Esaki (1925–) Japan, Male, quarter prize



for their experimental discoveries regarding tunneling phenomena in semiconductors and superconductors, respectively

1973 Ivar Giaever (1929–) USA, Male, quarter prize



for their experimental discoveries regarding tunneling phenomena in semiconductors and superconductors, respectively

1973 Brian David Josephson (1940–) United Kingdom, Male, half prize



for his theoretical predictions of the properties of a supercurrent through a tunnel barrier, in particular those phenomena which are generally known as the Josephson effects

1974 Sir Martin Ryle (1918-1984) United Kingdom, Male, half prize



for their pioneering research in radio astrophysics: Ryle for his observations and inventions, in particular of the aperture synthesis technique, and Hewish for his decisive role in the discovery of pulsars

> 1974 Antony Hewish (1924–) United Kingdom, Male, half prize



for their pioneering research in radio astrophysics: Ryle for his observations and inventions, in particular of the aperture synthesis technique, and Hewish for his decisive role in the discovery of pulsars

> 1975 Aage Niels Bohr (1922–) Denmark, Male, third prize



for the discovery of the connection between collective motion and

particle motion in atomic nuclei and the development of the theory of the structure of the atomic nucleus based on this connection 1975 Ben Roy Mottelson (1926–) Denmark, Male, third prize



for the discovery of the connection between collective motion and particle motion in atomic nuclei and the development of the theory of the structure of the atomic nucleus based on this connection

> 1975 Leo James Rainwater (1917-1986) USA, Male, third prize



for the discovery of the connection between collective motion and particle motion in atomic nuclei and the development of the theory of the structure of the atomic nucleus based on this connection

> 1976 Burton Richter (1931–) USA, Male, half prize



for their pioneering work in the discovery of a heavy elementary particle of a new kind 1976 Samuel Chao Chung Ting (1936–) USA, Male, half prize



for their pioneering work in the discovery of a heavy elementary particle of a new kind

1977 Philip Warren Anderson (1923–) USA, Male, third prize



for their fundamental theoretical investigations of the electronic structure of magnetic and disordered systems

1977 Sir Nevill Francis Mott (1905-1996) United Kingdom, Male, third prize



for their fundamental theoretical investigations of the electronic structure of magnetic and disorderelstigations of the electronic structure of magnetic and disordered systems 1978 Pyotr Leonidovich Kapitsa (1894-1984) USSR, Male, half prize



for his basic inventions and discoveries in the area of low-temperature physics

1978 Arno Allan Penzias (1933–) USA, Male, quarter prize



for their discovery of cosmic microwave background radiation

1978 Robert Woodrow Wilson (1936–) USA, Male, quarter prize



for their discovery of cosmic microwave background radiation

1979 Sheldon Lee Glashow (1932–) USA, Male, third prize



for their contributions to the theory of the unified weak and electromagnetic interaction between elementary particles, including, inter alia, the prediction of the weak neutral current

> 1979 Abdus Salam (1926-1996) Pakistan, Male, third prize



for their contributions to the theory of the unified weak and electromagnetic interaction between elementary particles, including, inter alia, the prediction of the weak neutral current

> 1979 Steven Weinberg (1933–) USA, Male, third prize



for their contributions to the theory of the unified weak and electromagnetic interaction between elementary particles, including, inter alia, the prediction of the weak neutral current

1980 James Watson Cronin (1931–) USA, Male, half prize



for the discovery of violations of fundamental symmetry principles in the decay of neutral K-mesons

> 1980 Val Logsdon Fitch (1923–) USA, Male, half prize



for the discovery of violations of fundamental symmetry principles in the decay of neutral K-mesons

> 1981 Nicolaas Bloembergen (1920–) USA, Male, quarter prize



for their contribution to the development of laser spectroscopy

1981 Leonard Schawlow Arthur (1921-1999) USA, Male, quarter prize



for their contribution to the development of laser spectroscopy

1982 Kenneth G. Wilson (1936–) USA, Male, full prize



for his theory for critical phenomena in connection with phase transitions

1983 Subramanyan Chandrasekhar (1910-1995) USA, Male, half prize



for his theoretical studies of the physical processes of importance to the structure and evolution of the stars **1983** William Alfred Fowler (1911-1995) USA, Male, half prize



for his theoretical and experimental studies of the nuclear reactions of importance in the formation of the chemical elements in the universe

> 1984 Carlo Rubbia (1934–) Italy, Male, half prize



for their decisive contributions to the large project, which led to the discovery of the field particles W and Z, communicators of weak interaction

1984 Simon van der Meer (1925–) the Netherlands, Male, half prize

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for their decisive contributions to the large project, which led to the discovery of the field particles W and Z, communicators of weak interaction

1985 Klaus von Klitzing (1943–) Federal Republic of Germany, Male, full prize



for the discovery of the quantized Hall effect

1986 Ernst Ruska (1906-1988) Federal Republic of Germany, Male, half prize



for his fundamental work in electron optics, and for the design of the first electron microscope

1986 Gerd Binnig (1947–) Federal Republic of Germany, Male, quarter prize



for their design of the scanning tunneling microscope

1986 Heinrich Rohrer (1933–) Switzerland, Male, quarter prize



for their design of the scanning tunneling microscope

1987 J. Georg Bednorz (1950–) Federal Republic of Germany, Male, half prize



for their important break-through in the discovery of superconductivity in ceramic materials

1987 K. Alexander Mller (1927–) Switzerland, Male, half prize



for their important break-through in the discovery of superconductivity in ceramic materials

1988 Leon M. Lederman (1922–) USA, Male, third prize



for the neutrino beam method and the demonstration of the doublet structure of the leptons through the discovery of the muon neutrino

> 1988 Melvin Schwartz (1932-2006) USA, Male, third prize



for the neutrino beam method and the demonstration of the doublet structure of the leptons through the discovery of the muon neutrino

1988 Jack Steinberger (1921–) USA, Male, third prize



for the neutrino beam method and the demonstration of the doublet structure of the leptons through the discovery of the muon neutrino

1989 Norman F. Ramsey (1915–) USA, Male, half prize



for the invention of the separated oscillatory fields method and its use in the hydrogen maser and other atomic clocks

> 1989 Hans G. Dehmelt (1922–) USA, Male, quarter prize



for the development of the ion trap technique

1989 Wolfgang Paul (1913-1993) Federal Republic of Germany, Male, quarter prize



for the development of the ion trap technique

1990 Jerome I. Friedman (1930–) USA, Male, third prize



for their pioneering investigations concerning deep inelastic scattering of electrons on protons and bound neutrons, which have been of essential importance for the development of the quark model in particle physics

> **1990** Henry W. Kendall (1926-1999) USA, Male, third prize



for their pioneering investigations concerning deep inelastic scattering of electrons on protons and bound neutrons, which have been of essential importance for the development of the quark model in particle physics

> 1990 Richard E. Taylor (1929–) Canada, Male, third prize



for their pioneering investigations concerning deep inelastic

scattering of electrons on protons and bound neutrons, which have been of essential importance for the development of the quark model in particle physics 1991 Pierre-Gilles de Gennes (1932–) France, Male, full prize



for discovering that methods developed for studying order phenomena in simple systems can be generalized to more complex forms of matter, in particular to liquid crystals and polymers

> 1992 Georges Charpak (1924–) France, Male, full prize



for his invention and development of particle detectors, in particular the multiwire proportional chamber

> 1993 Russell A. Hulse (1950–) USA, Male, half prize



for the discovery of a new type of pulsar, a discovery that has opened up new possibilities for the study of gravitation 1993 Joseph H. Taylor Jr. (1941–) USA, Male, half prize



for the discovery of a new type of pulsar, a discovery that has opened up new possibilities for the study of gravitation

> 1994 Bertram N. Brockhouse (1918-2003) Canada, Male, half prize



for pioneering contributions to the development of neutron scattering techniques for studies of condensed matter; for the development of neutron spectroscopy

> 1994 Clifford G. Shull (1915-2001) USA, Male, half prize



for pioneering contributions to the development of neutron scattering techniques for studies of condensed matter; for the development of the neutron diffraction technique 1995 Martin L. Perl (1927–) USA, Male, half prize



for pioneering experimental contributions to lepton physics; for the discovery of the tau lepton

1995 Frederick Reines (1918-1998) USA, Male, half prize



for pioneering experimental contributions to lepton physics; for the detection of the neutrino

1996 David M. Lee (1931–) USA, Male, third prize



for their discovery of superfluidity in helium-3

1996 Douglas D. Osheroff (1945–) USA, Male, third prize



for their discovery of superfluidity in helium-3

1996 Robert C. Richardson (1937–) USA, Male, third prize



for their discovery of superfluidity in helium-3

1997 Steven Chu (1948–) USA, Male, third prize



for development of methods to cool and trap atoms with laser

1997 Claude Cohen-Tannoudji (1933–) France, Male, third prize



for development of methods to cool and trap atoms with laser light

1997 William D. Phillips (1948–) USA, Male, third prize



for development of methods to cool and trap atoms with laser light

1998 Robert B. Laughlin (1950–) USA, Male, third prize



for their discovery of a new form of quantum fluid with fractionally charged excitations

1998 Horst L. Stormer (1949–) Federal Republic of Germany, Male, third prize



for their discovery of a new form of quantum fluid with fractionally charged excitations

1998 Daniel C. Tsui (1939–) USA, Male, third prize



for their discovery of a new form of quantum fluid with fractionally charged excitations

> 1999 Gerardus 't Hooft (1946–) the Netherlands, Male, half prize



for elucidating the quantum structure of electroweak interactions in physics

2000 Zhores I. Alferov (1930–) Russia, Male, quarter prize



for basic work on information and communication technology; for his part in the invention of the integrated circuit

> 2000 Herbert Kroemer (1928–) Federal Republic of Germany, Male, quarter prize



for basic work on information and communication technology; for his part in the invention of the integrated circuit

> 2000 Jack S. Kilby (1923-2005) USA, Male, half prize



for his part in the invention of the integrated

2001 Eric A. Cornell (1961–) USA, Male, third prize



for the achievement of Bose-Einstein condensation in dilute gases of alkali atoms, and for early fundamental studies of the properties of the condensates

> 2001 Wolfgang Ketterle (1957–) Federal Republic of Germany, Male, third prize



for the achievement of Bose-Einstein condensation in dilute gases of alkali atoms, and for early fundamental studies of the properties of the condensates

> 2001 Carl E. Wieman (1951–) USA, Male, third prize



for the achievement of Bose-Einstein condensation in dilute gases of alkali atoms, and for early fundamental studies of the properties of the condensates

2002 Raymond Davis Jr. (1914-2006) USA, Male, quarter prize



for pioneering contributions to astrophysics, in particular for the detection of cosmic neutrinos

2002 Masatoshi Koshiba (1926–) Japan, Male, quarter prize



for pioneering contributions to astrophysics, in particular for the detection of cosmic neutrinos

2002 Riccardo Giacconi (1931–) USA, Male, half prize



for pioneering contributions to astrophysics, which have led to the discovery of cosmic X-ray sources

2003 Alexei A. Abrikosov (1928–) USA and Russia, Male, third prize



for pioneering contributions to the theory of superconductors and superfluids

2003 Vitaly L. Ginzburg (1916–) Russia, Male, third prize



for pioneering contributions to the theory of superconductors and superfluids

2003 Anthony J. Leggett (1938–) United Kingdom and USA, Male, third prize



for pioneering contributions to the theory of superconductors and superfluids

2004 David J. Gross (1941–) USA, Male, third prize



for the discovery of asymptotic freedom in the theory of the strong interaction

2004 H. David Politzer (1949–) USA, Male, third prize



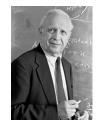
for the discovery of asymptotic freedom in the theory of the strong interaction

2004 Frank Wilczek (1951–) USA, Male, third prize



for the discovery of asymptotic freedom in the theory of the strong interaction

2005 Roy J. Glauber (1925–) USA, Male, half prize



for his contribution to the quantum theory of optical coherence

2005 John L. Hall (1934–) USA, Male, quarter prize



for their contributions to the development of laser-based precision spectroscopy, including the optical frequency comb technique

2005 Theodor W. Hnsch (1941–) USA, Male, quarter prize



for their contributions to the development of laser-based precision spectroscopy, including the optical frequency comb technique

2006 John C. Mather (1946–) USA, Male, half prize



for their discovery of the blackbody form and anisotropy of the cosmic microwave background radiation

2006 George F. Smoot (1945–) USA, Male, half prize



for their discovery of the blackbody form and anisotropy of the cosmic microwave background radiation