

Einstein's Incompetence

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Dear colleague,

During one of my regular reviews of online criticism of Einstein's arguments, I found on the NPA site a paper by Don Romalo, at http://www.worldsci.org/pdf/abstracts/abstracts_472.pdf reporting details of published medical data on Einstein's brain, with specific discussion of the significance of a severely defective cortex. Any such evidence might help us in our campaign to draw attention to the illogicality of the arguments he presents in support of his theories. Romalos paper is overlong; but do have the patience to read at least those parts of it that are relevant.

I take it for granted that none of us would indulge in a merely abusive exploitation of such findings. But scientific material that Einstein's power of thinking might be less than believed by his admirers should be helpful if we are to return physics to the rule of reason.

Only yesterday, I wrote to a critic (drawing attention to Einstein's incompetent 1905 transformation where, for instance, instead of finding the x-, y-, z- co-ordinates for a point, he lists the co-ordinates of three different points):

" He clearly has not the first notion of what he is doing. (On his surreal logic in simple mathematical arguments his later "Simple Derivation" is instructive: he is completely insensitive to ludicrous contradictions and inconsistencies. As long as he has a formula for ct' , it suffices for his conclusion that, in relation to the new system of co-ordinates, the (asymmetrical) ct' is now also the radius of a sphere. He has simply not the intelligence to recognize problems of that kind.)"
(end of quote from my email to a colleague).

If Romalo's item is of interest, please draw your colleagues' attention to it.

Sincerely, with good wishes for 2014.

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