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Subject: 432hz

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I just found out recently that 440hz was set as the standard tuning for music, yet 432hz is the one most recognized by the musicians themselves as being superior in sound.

Without getting into the conspiracy theories right away (although it's bound to happen sooner or later) Why exactly was 440hz chosen over 432hz?

<https://www.izotope.com/en/learn/tuning-standards-explained.html>

That article gives the basic history lesson, but it never really says why.

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