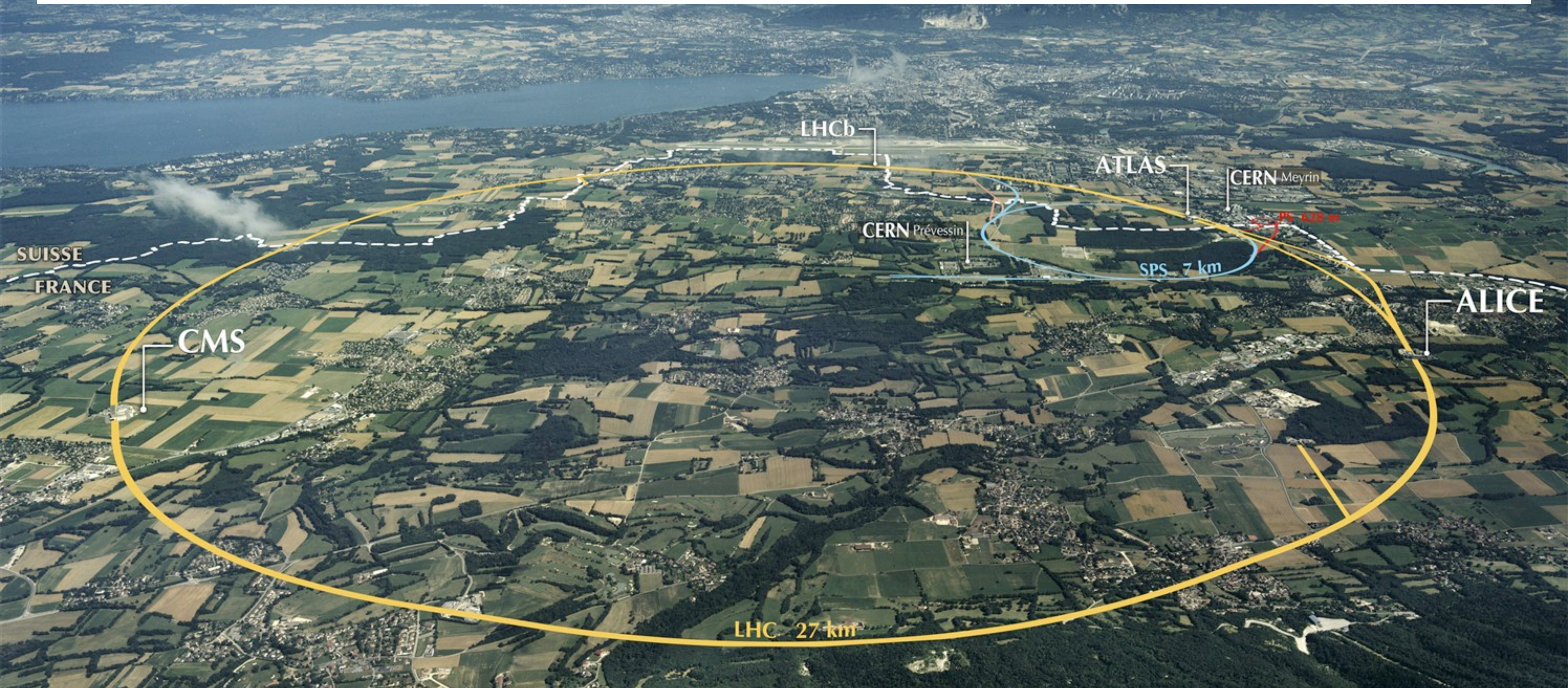


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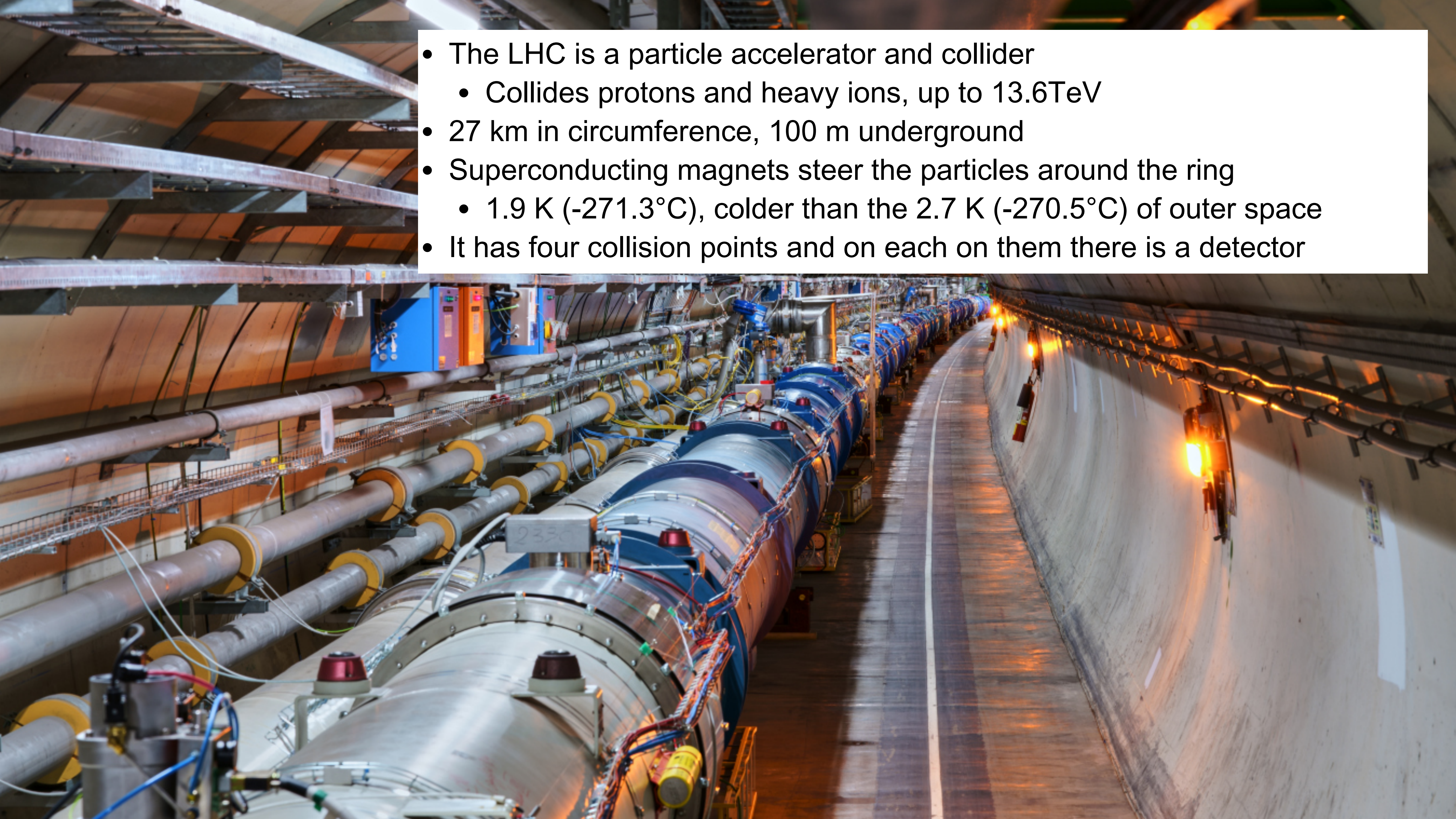
Exploring dark sectors at colliders, present and future

Rebeca Gonzalez Suarez (Uppsala University) - Helsinki Cosmology seminar

- High energy physics studies the Universe at its smaller distances → the building blocks of matter
- As a discipline, it started with the study of cosmic rays but today we use particle accelerators
- Our current best tool is the **Large Hadron Collider, at CERN in Geneva**



- The LHC is a particle accelerator and collider
 - Collides protons and heavy ions, up to 13.6TeV
- 27 km in circumference, 100 m underground
- Superconducting magnets steer the particles around the ring
 - 1.9 K (-271.3°C), colder than the 2.7 K (-270.5°C) of outer space
- It has four collision points and on each on them there is a detector





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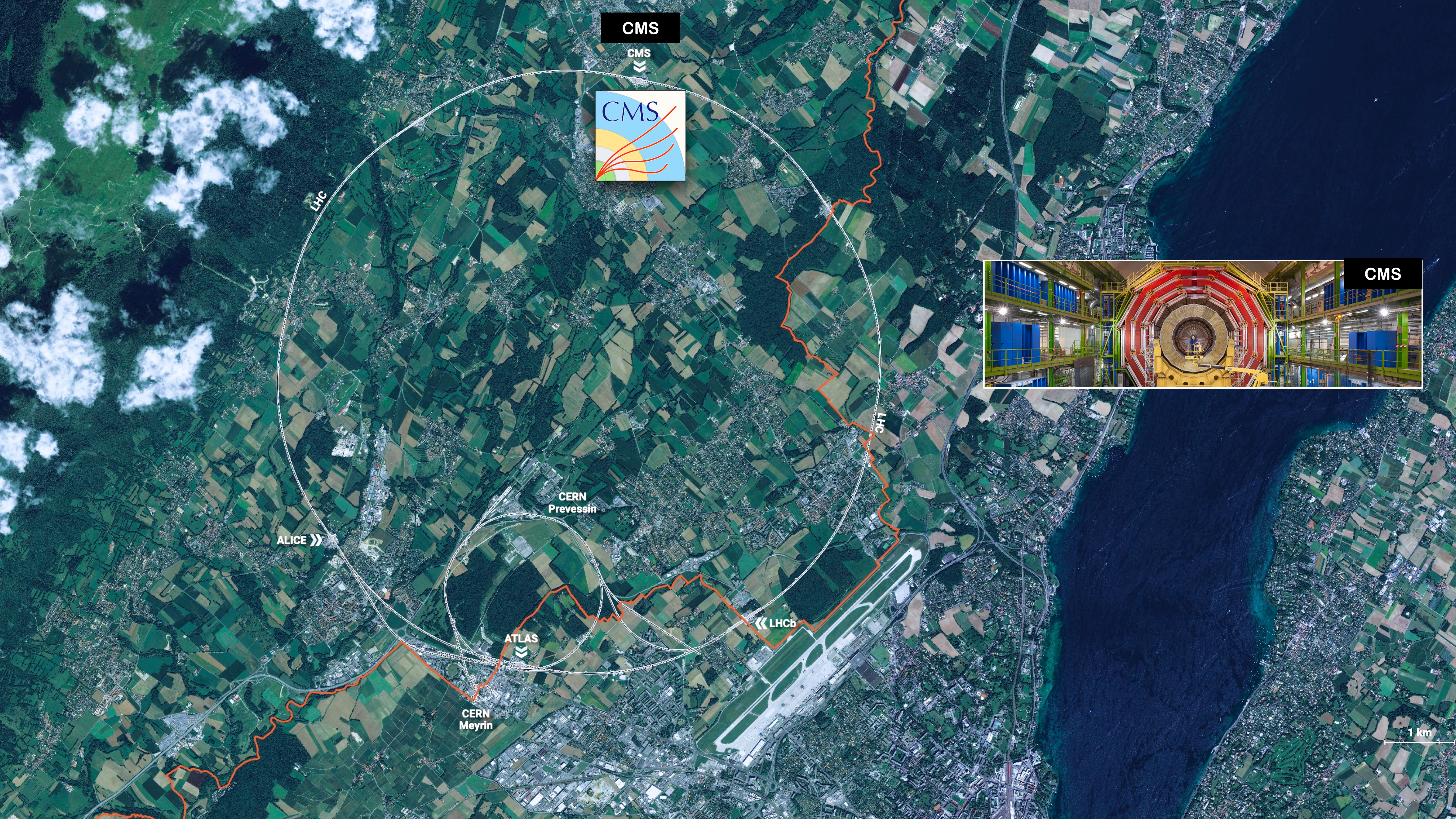
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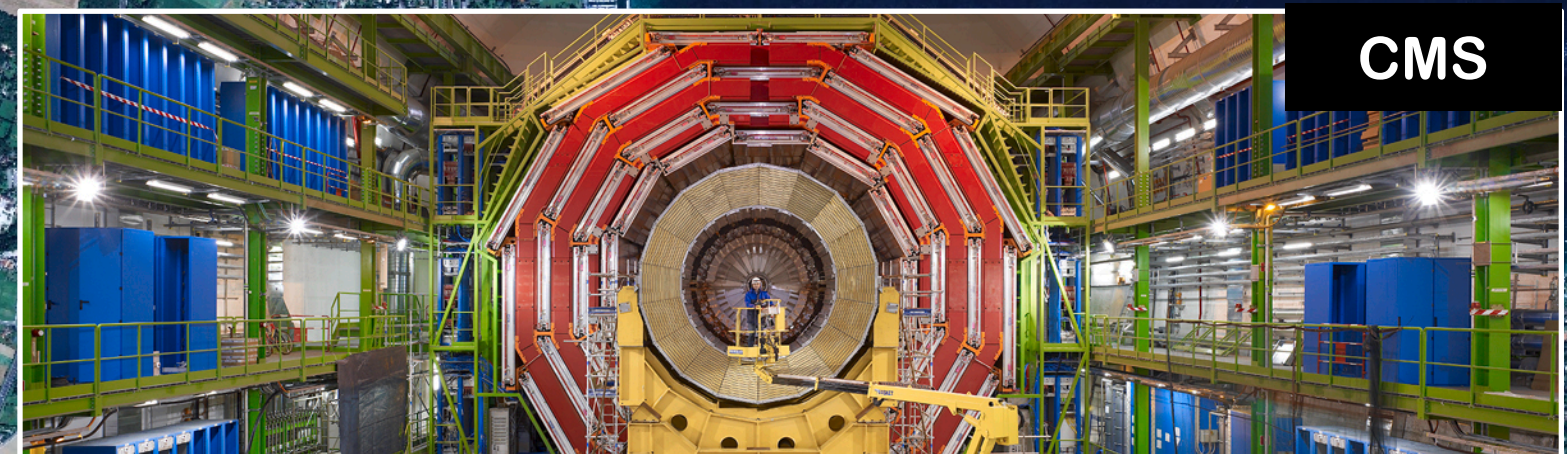
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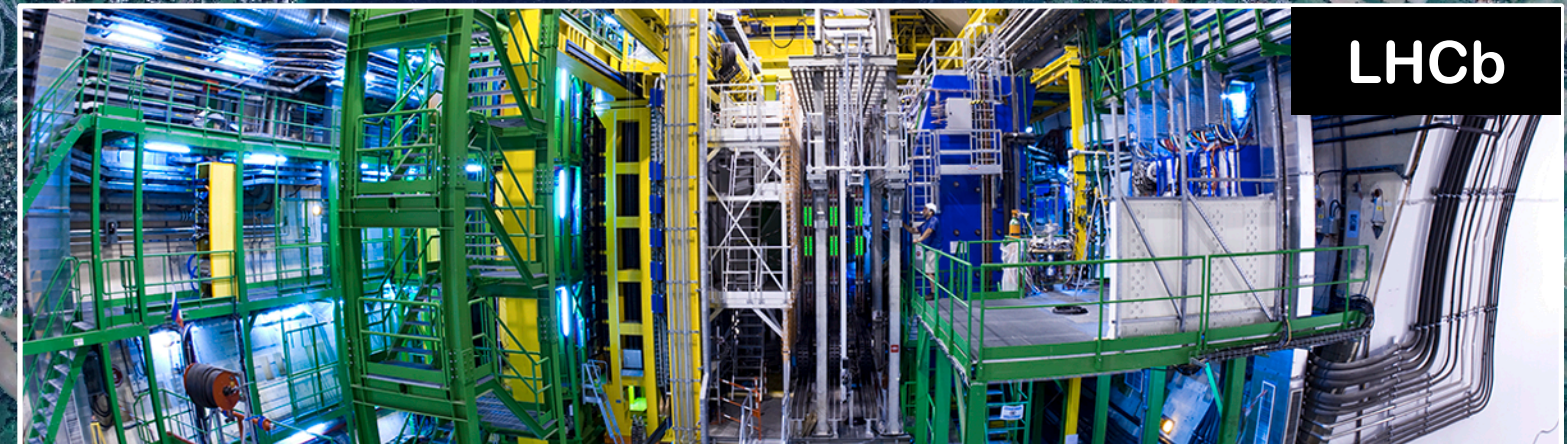
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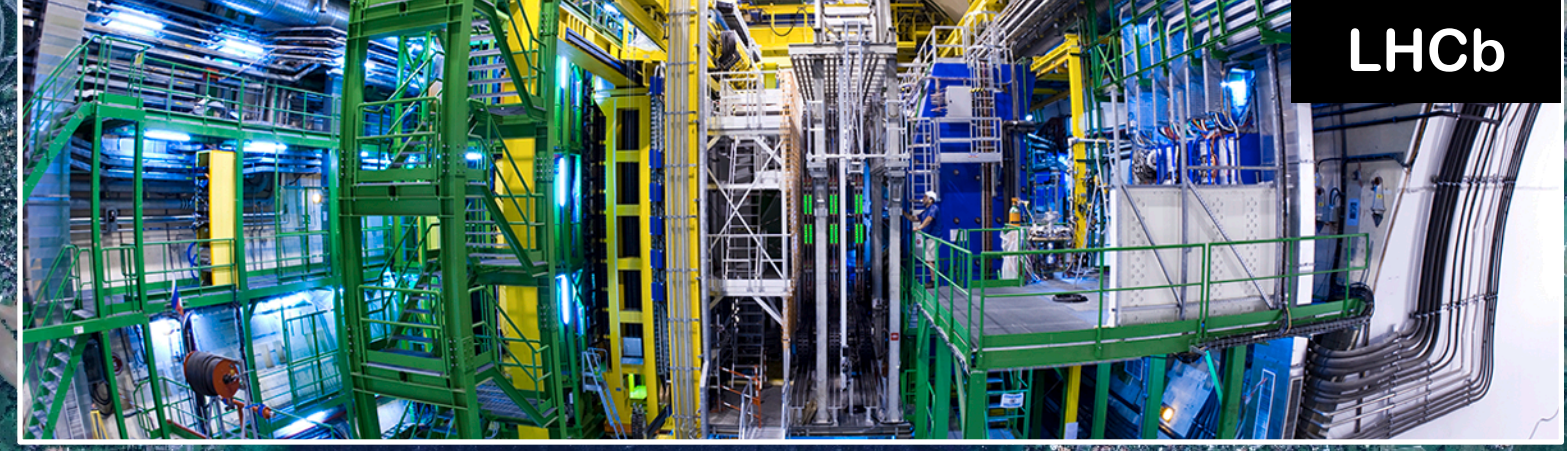
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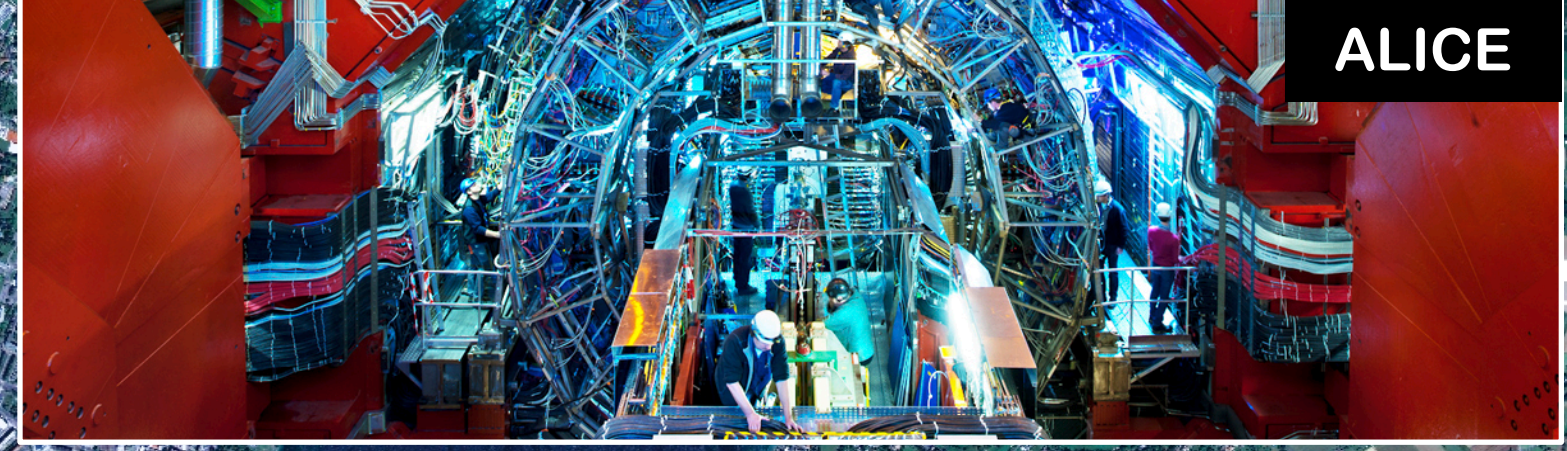
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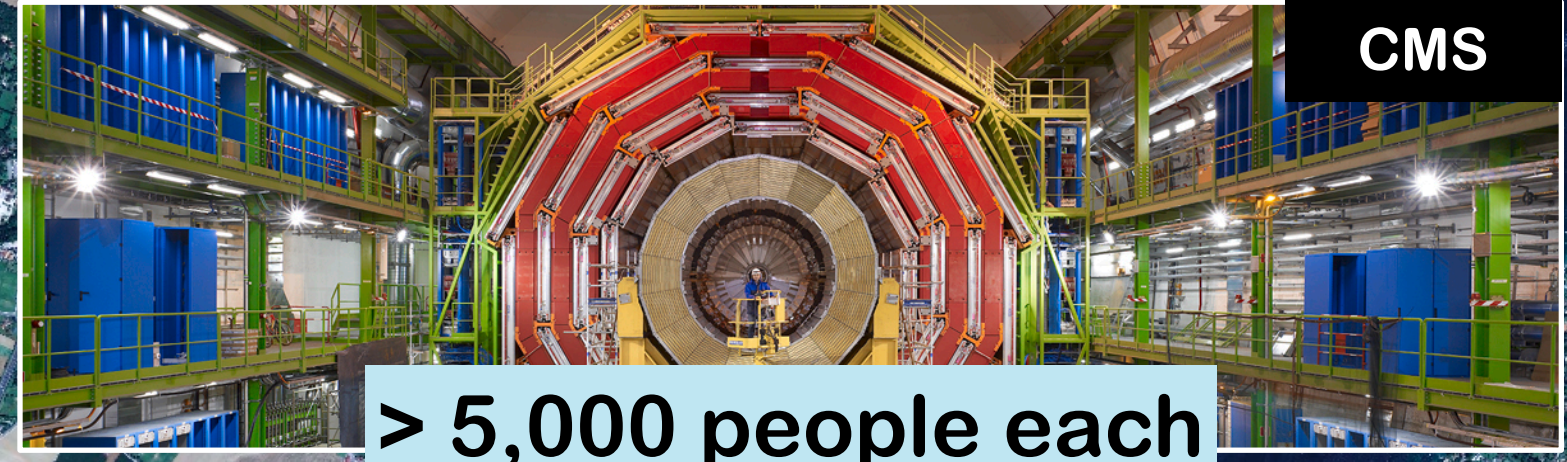
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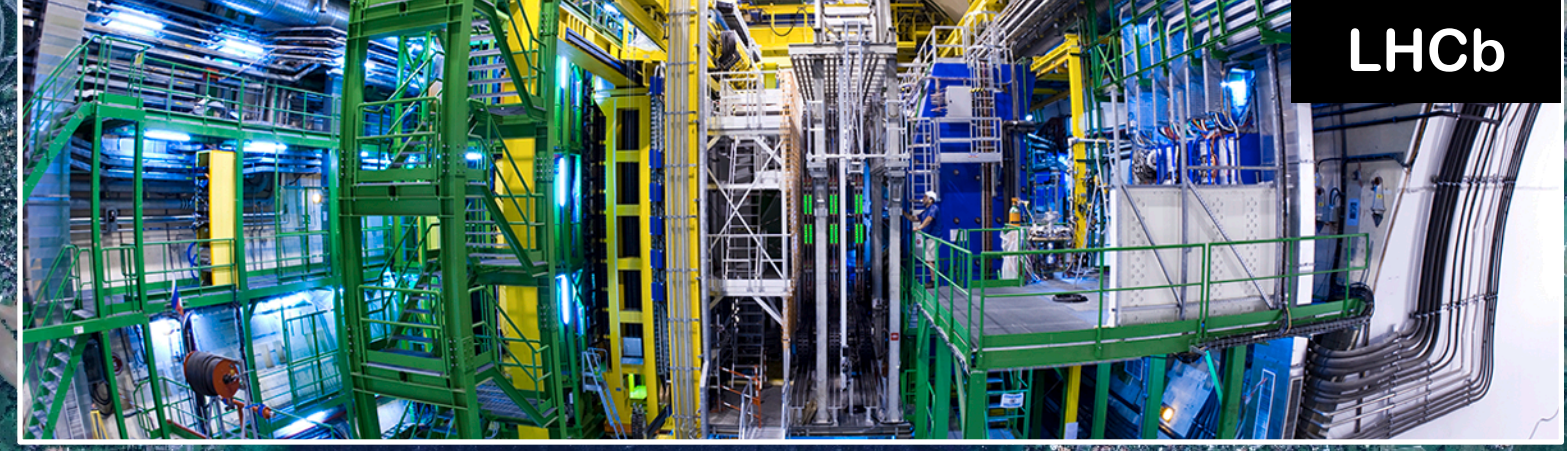
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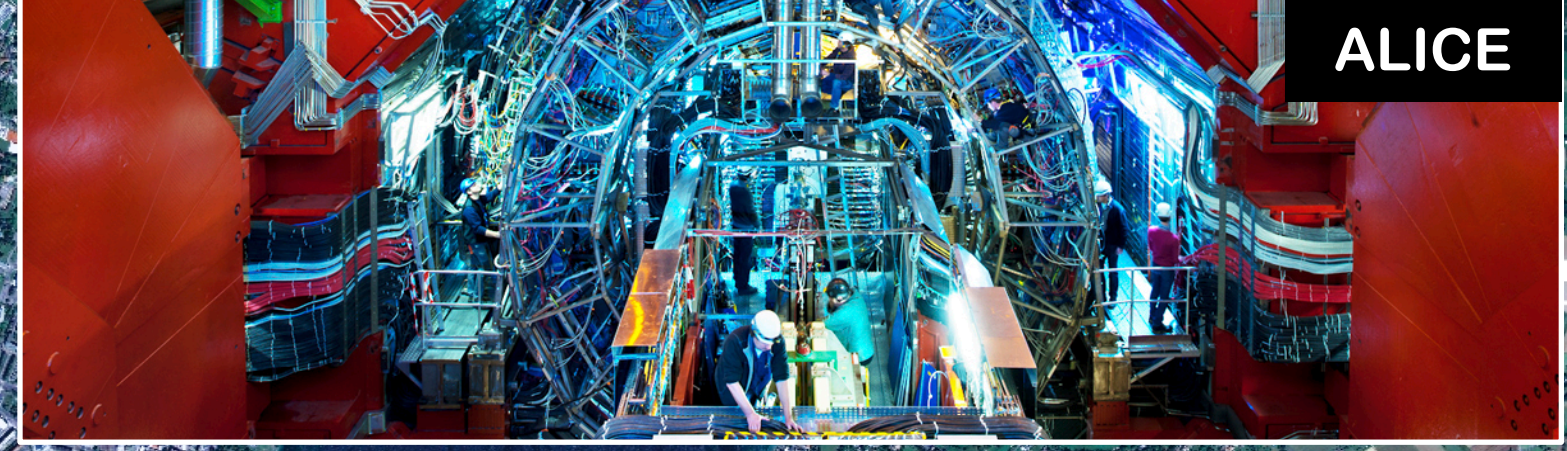
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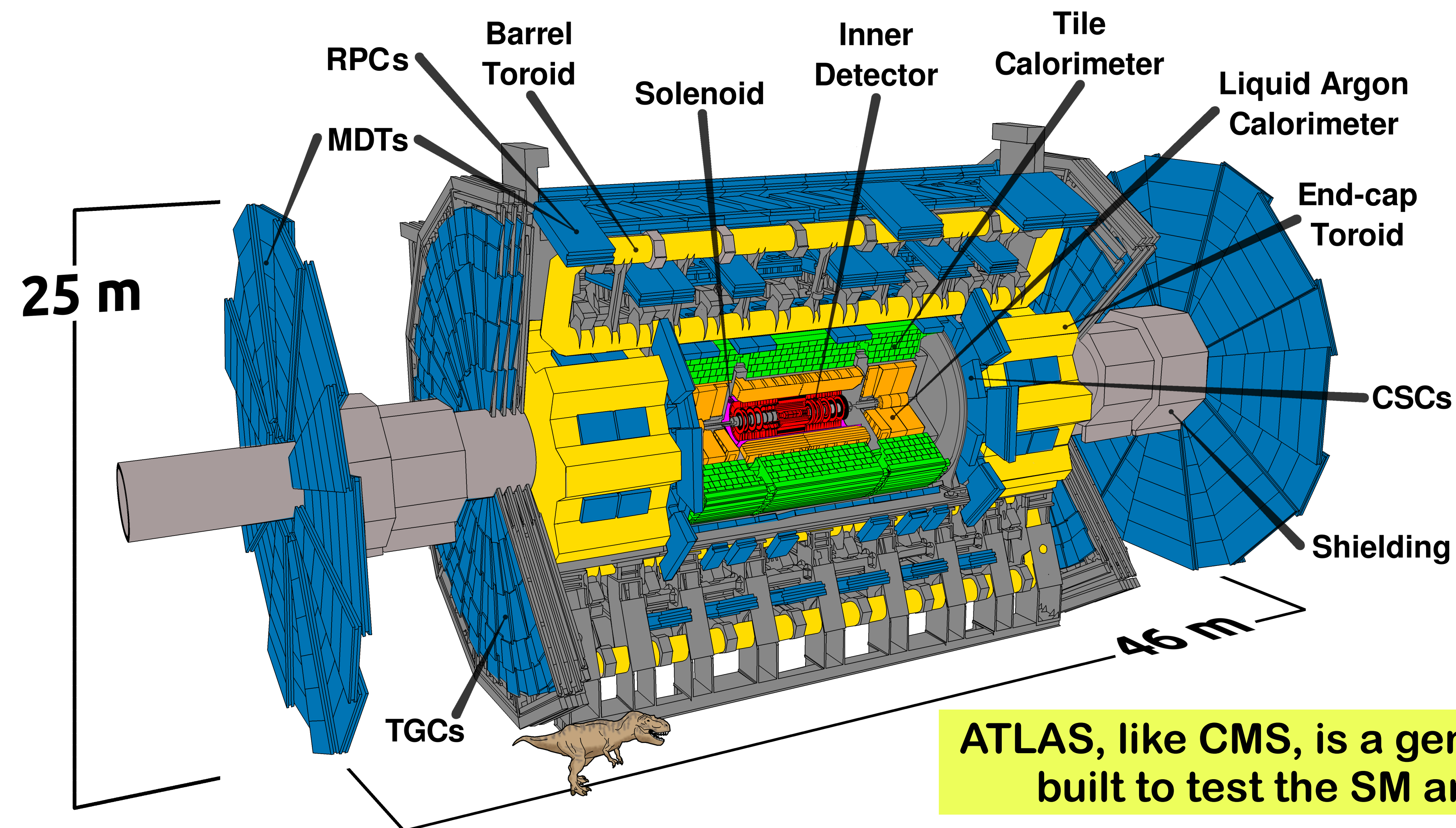


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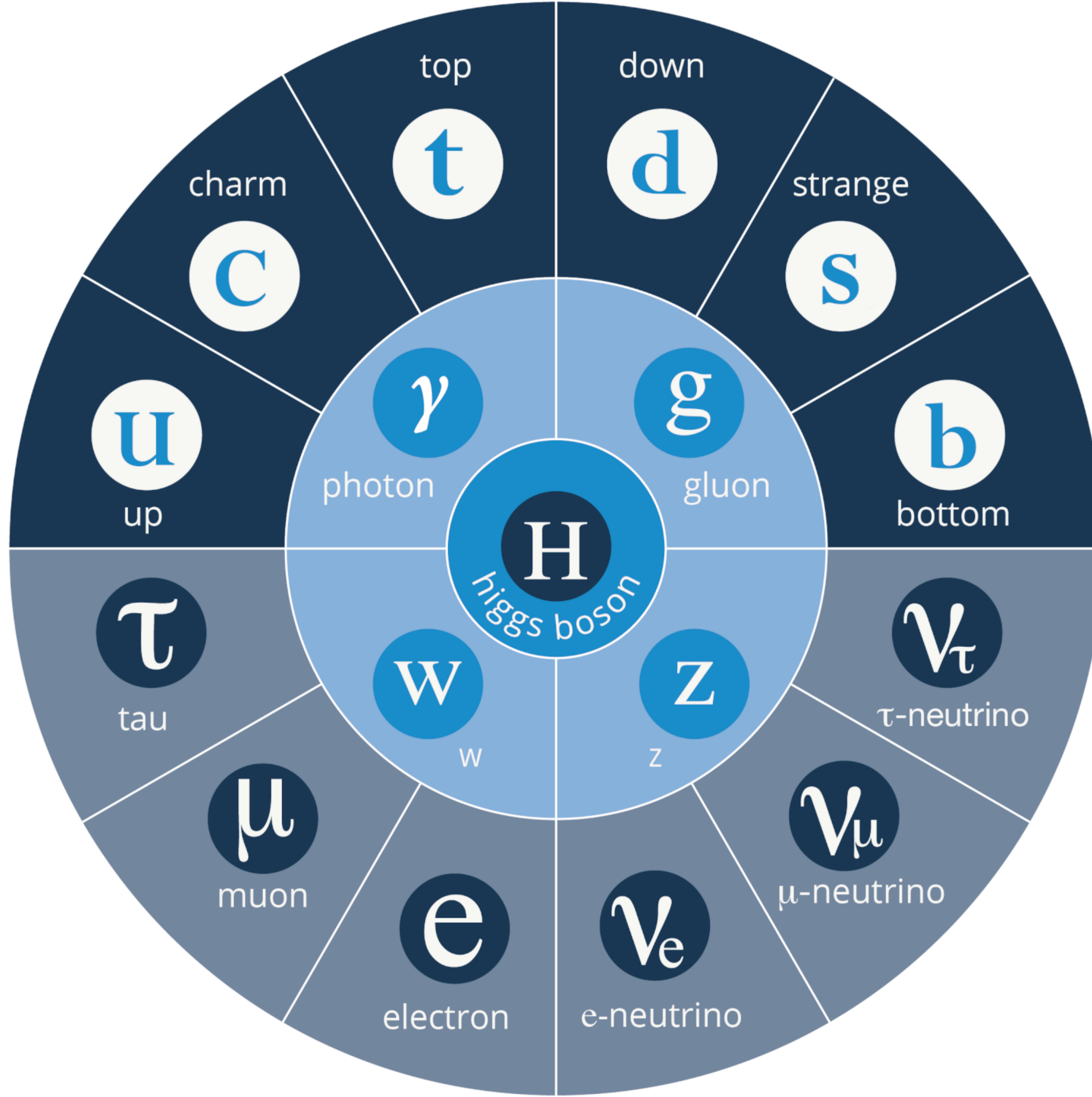


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3000 authors, 1200
students, 182 institutions, 42 countries



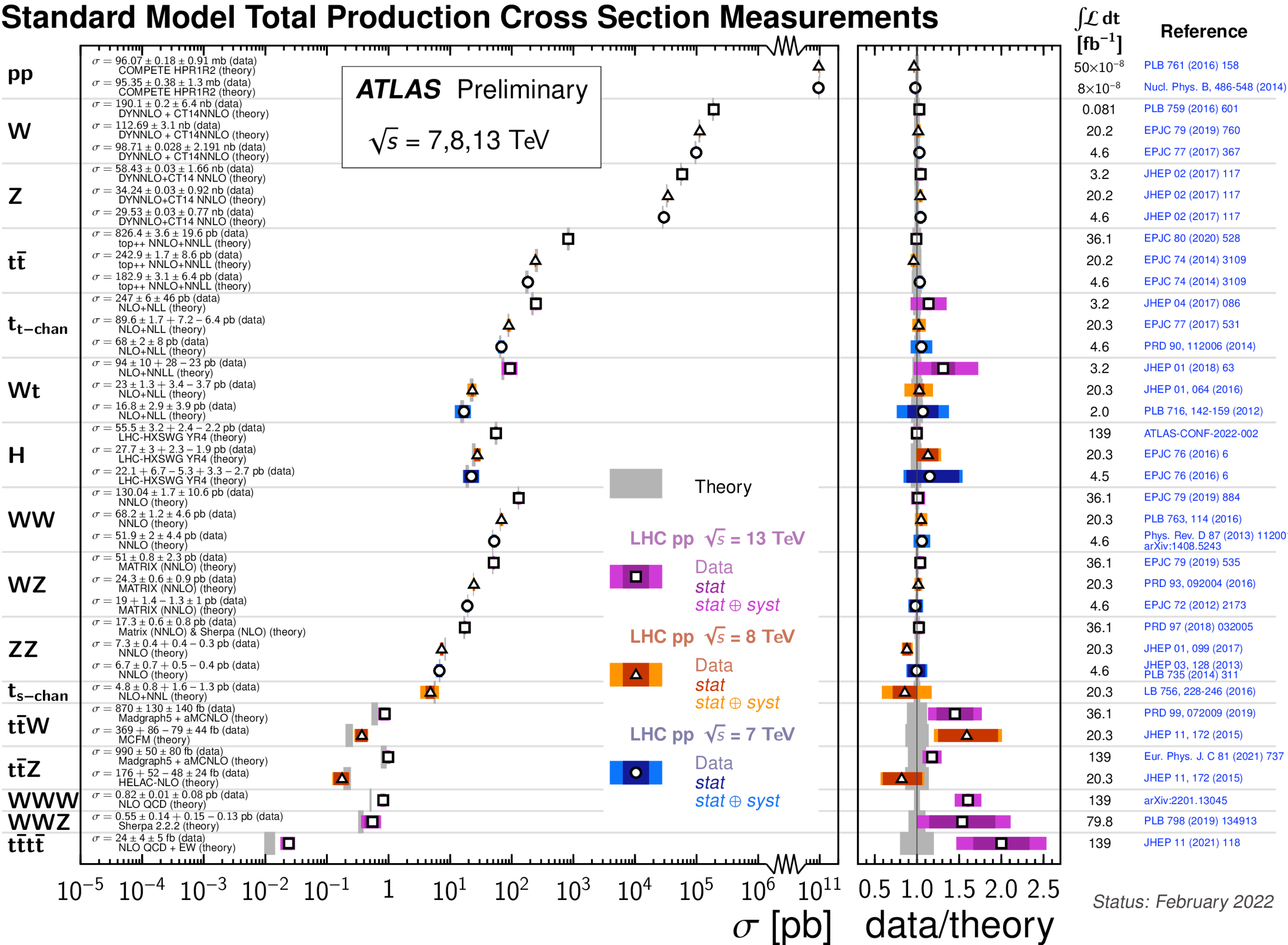
**ATLAS, like CMS, is a general-purpose detector,
built to test the SM and find new physics**



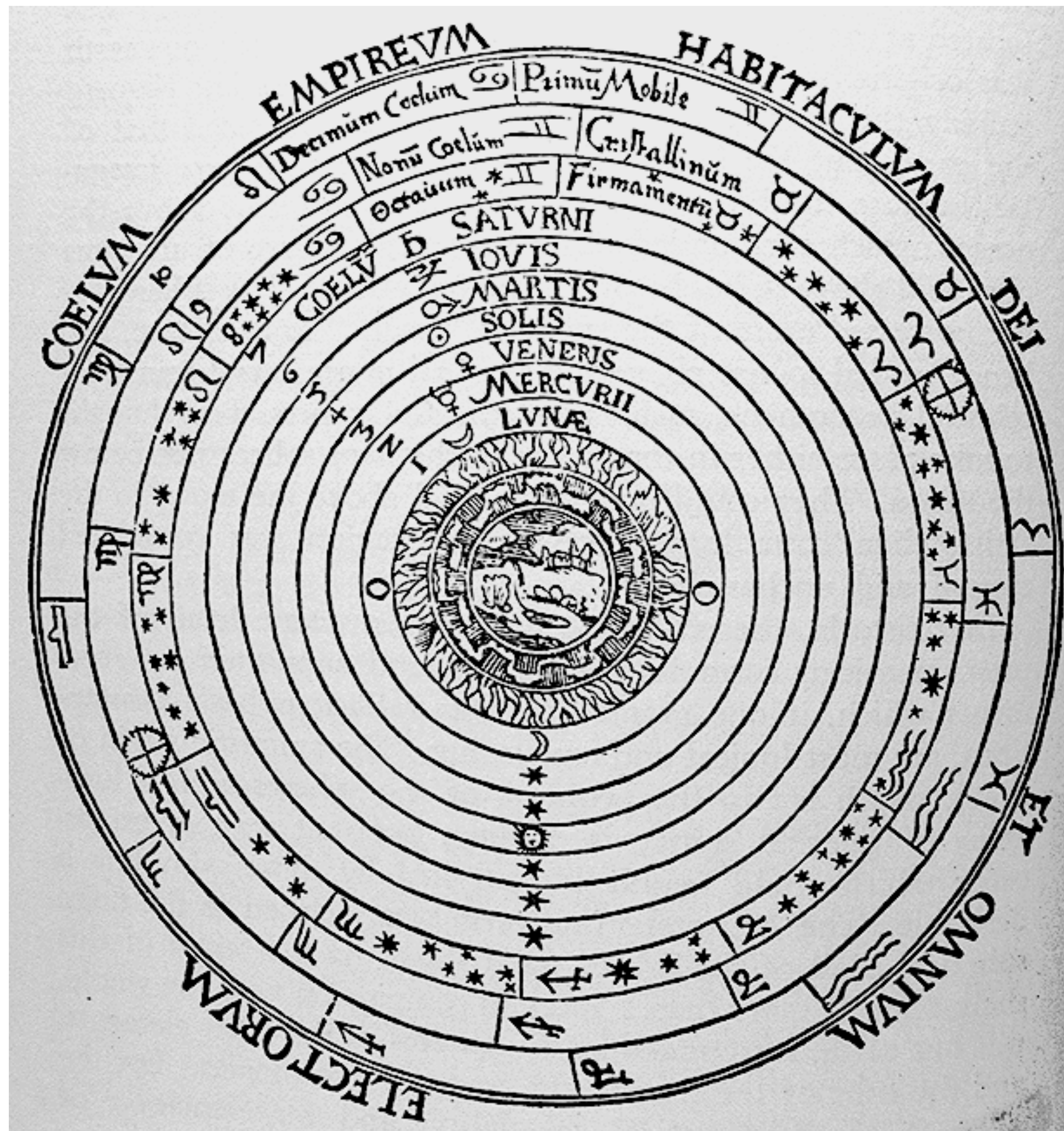
- These are all the **elementary particles** found so far, that cannot be broken into smaller pieces
- What we know about them, including the **forces** that act among them, conforms **the standard model of particle physics**

The situation

- After decades, the standard model has been thoroughly tested
- It is robust and provides extremely precise predictions
- It works really great



But in the past we had examples of predictive, scientific models that worked great while being inherently wrong.



The Aristotelian Ptolemaic system was remarkably plausible and powerful as a scientific theory but it was known that it had some “imperfections” (some of them required some fine tuning)

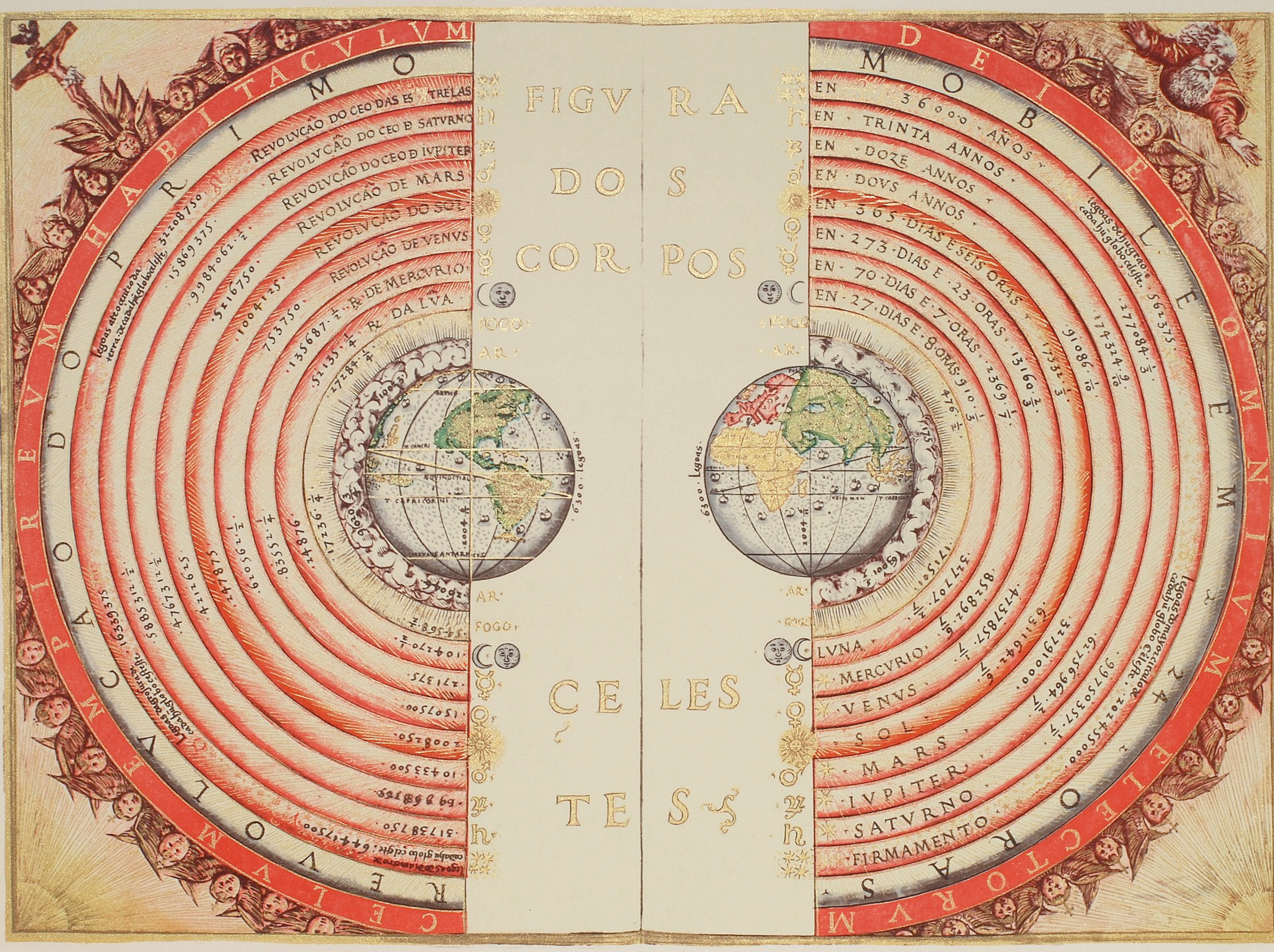
Our model

Does have some “imperfections”

- Neutrinos seem to have masses but the SM does not contemplate them
- The masses of the other particles are weird
- The SM cannot describe some really important effects
 - **Dark matter, dark energy, gravitation**
- It has tuning and hierarchy problems...

- ☒ Higgs boson
- ☐ SUSY
- ☐ Extra dimensions
- ☐ Dark matter origins
- ☐ Dark energy origins
- ☐ Compositeness
- ☐ Technicolour
- ☐ New gauge bosons
- ☐ Right-handed neutrinos
- ☐ Mini black holes

Leon Lederman's speculative laundry list for the LHC
Nature Review Article: “Beyond the standard model with the LHC” (2007)



This model was canon from the year 150 until the 16th century

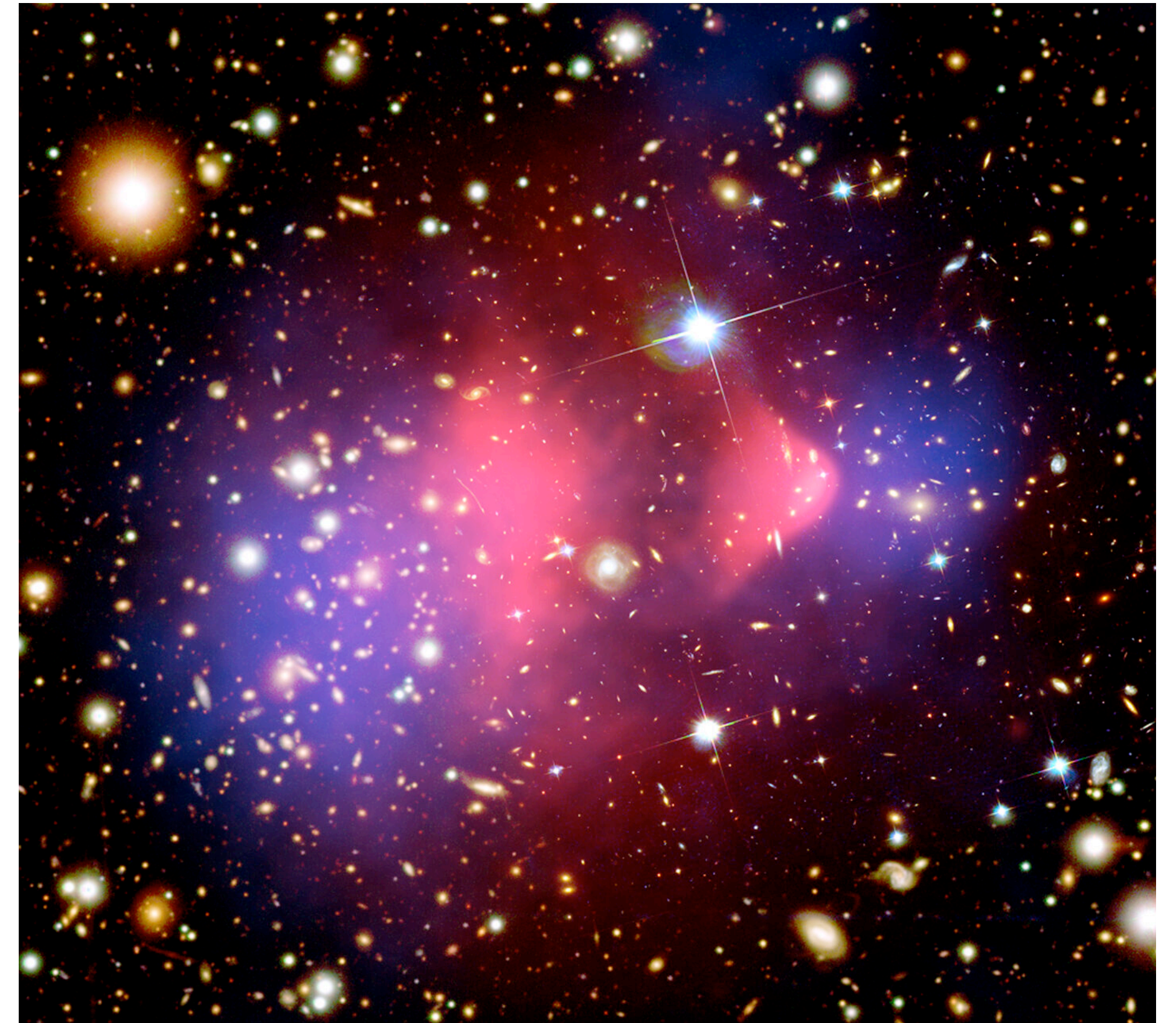
The goal is not to take so long this time around!

How do we start?

Let's pick one question

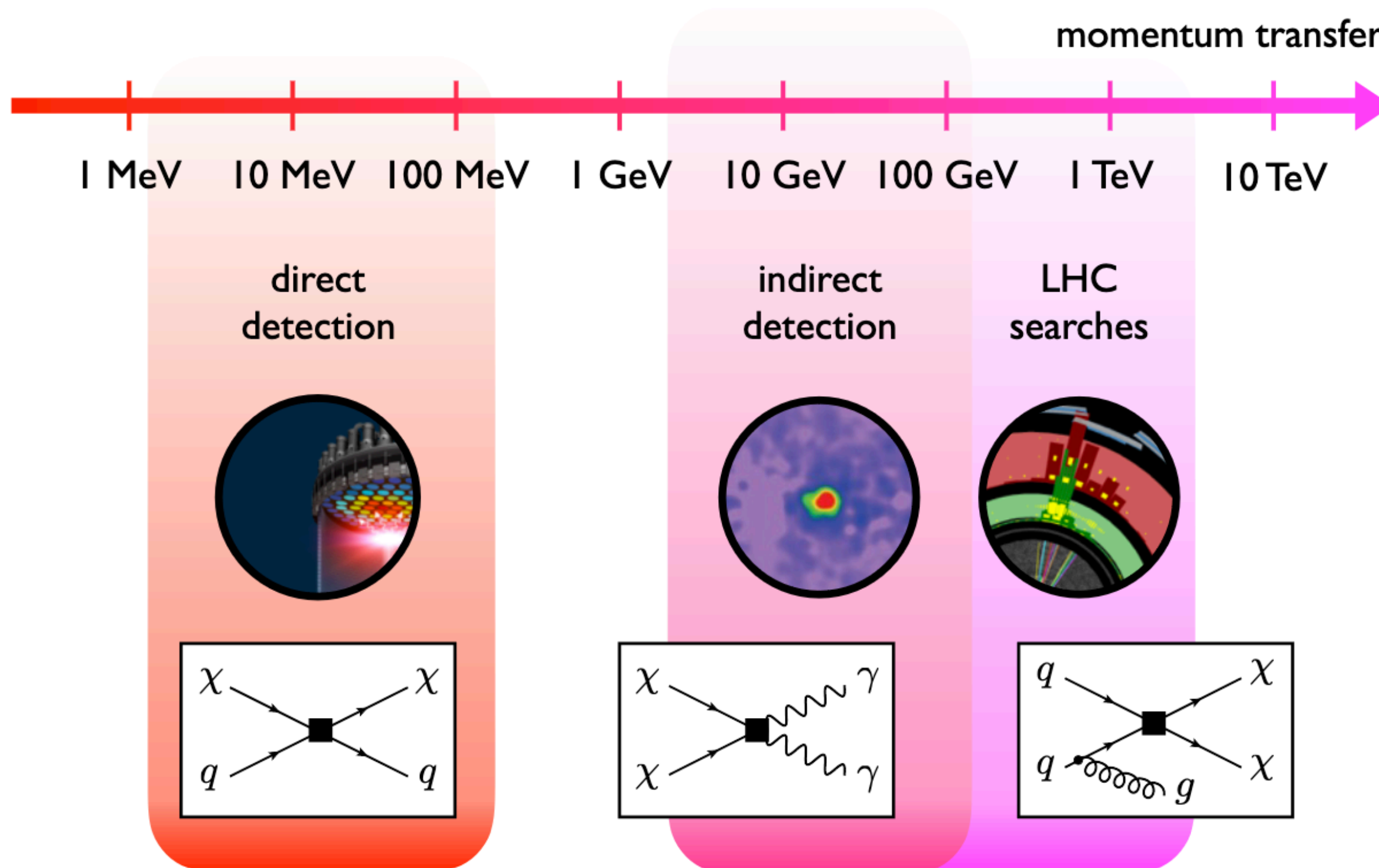
Dark matter is a good one, $\frac{4}{5}$ of the matter in the Universe

- That dark matter exists is a well-established experimental fact
 - rotation curves of galaxies, dynamical evidence (e.g. the Bullet cluster and the variations in the Cosmic Microwave Background (CMB)), and the large-scale structure of the universe
 - Cannot be explained by Modified Newtonian Dynamics
- Seems like DM only interacts via gravity (so far!)



How to find dark matter?

Three complementary approaches

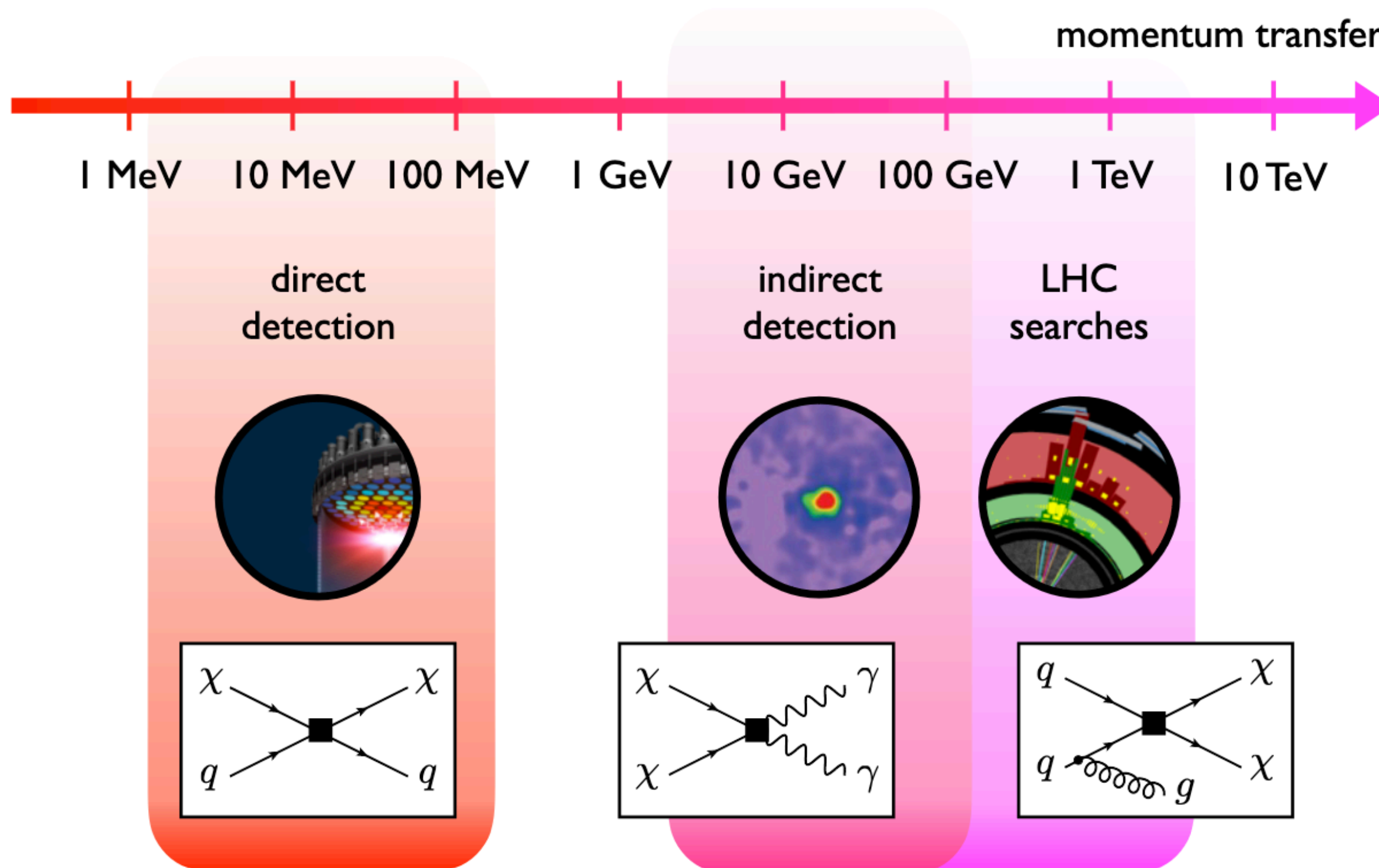


Range of momenta probed in DD experiments, ID experiments and LHC searches

- Direct detection experiments: scattering between DM and nuclei targets in underground laboratories
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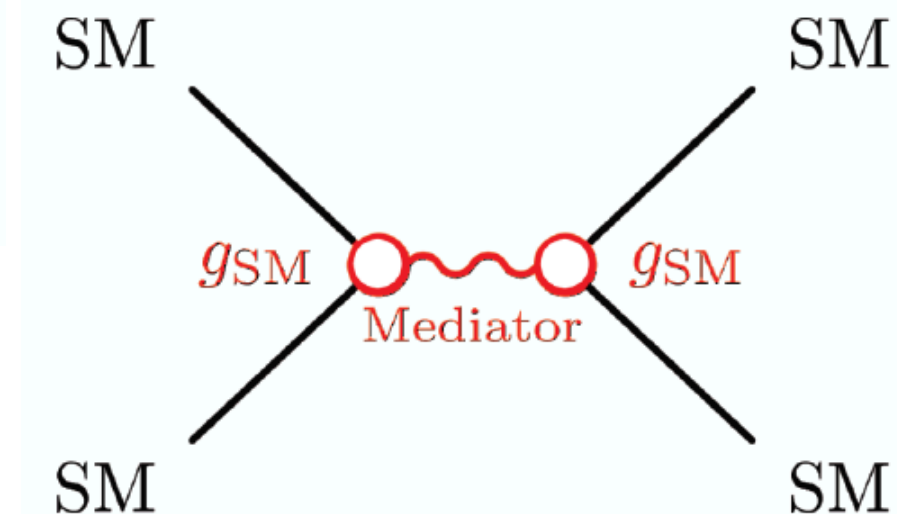
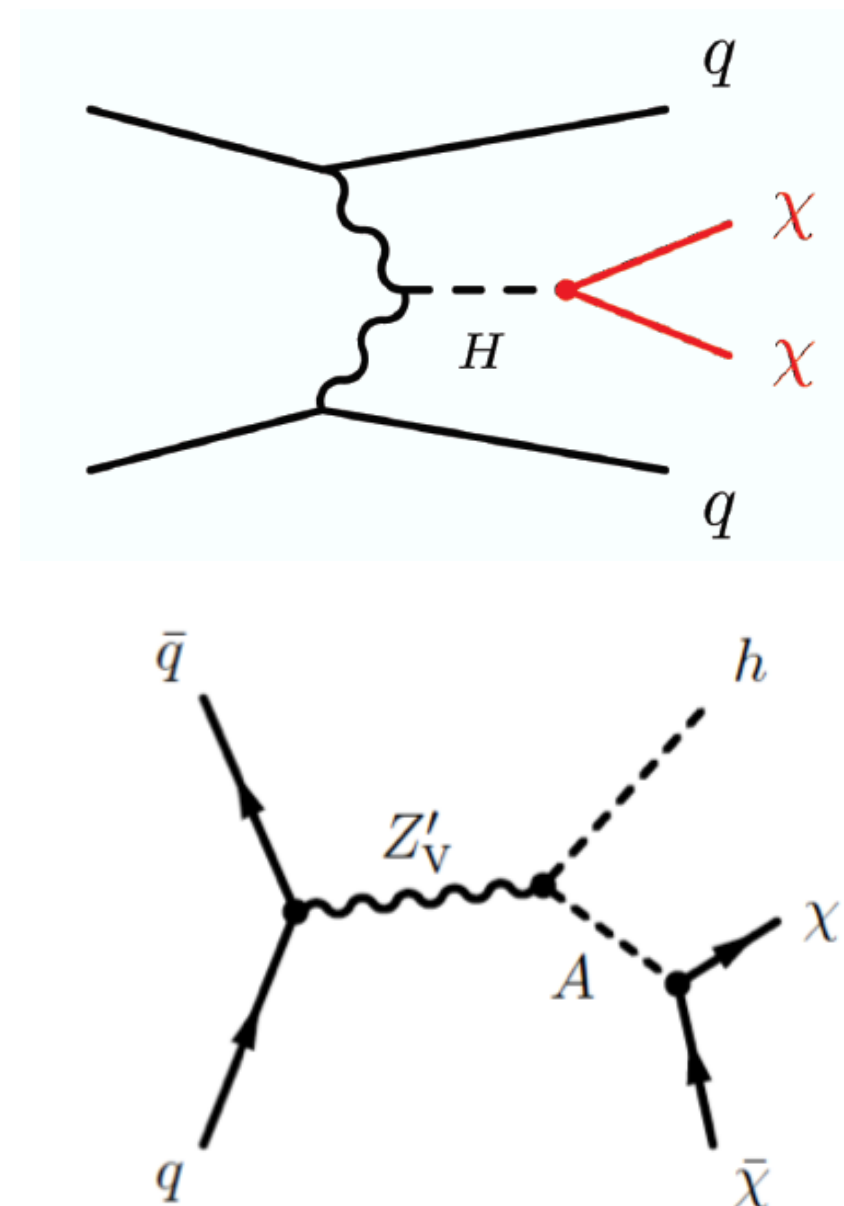
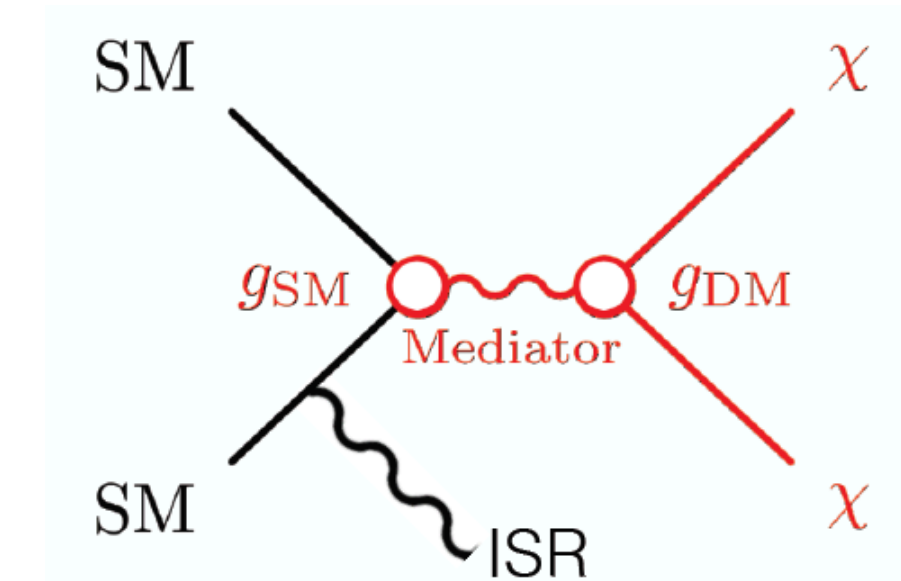
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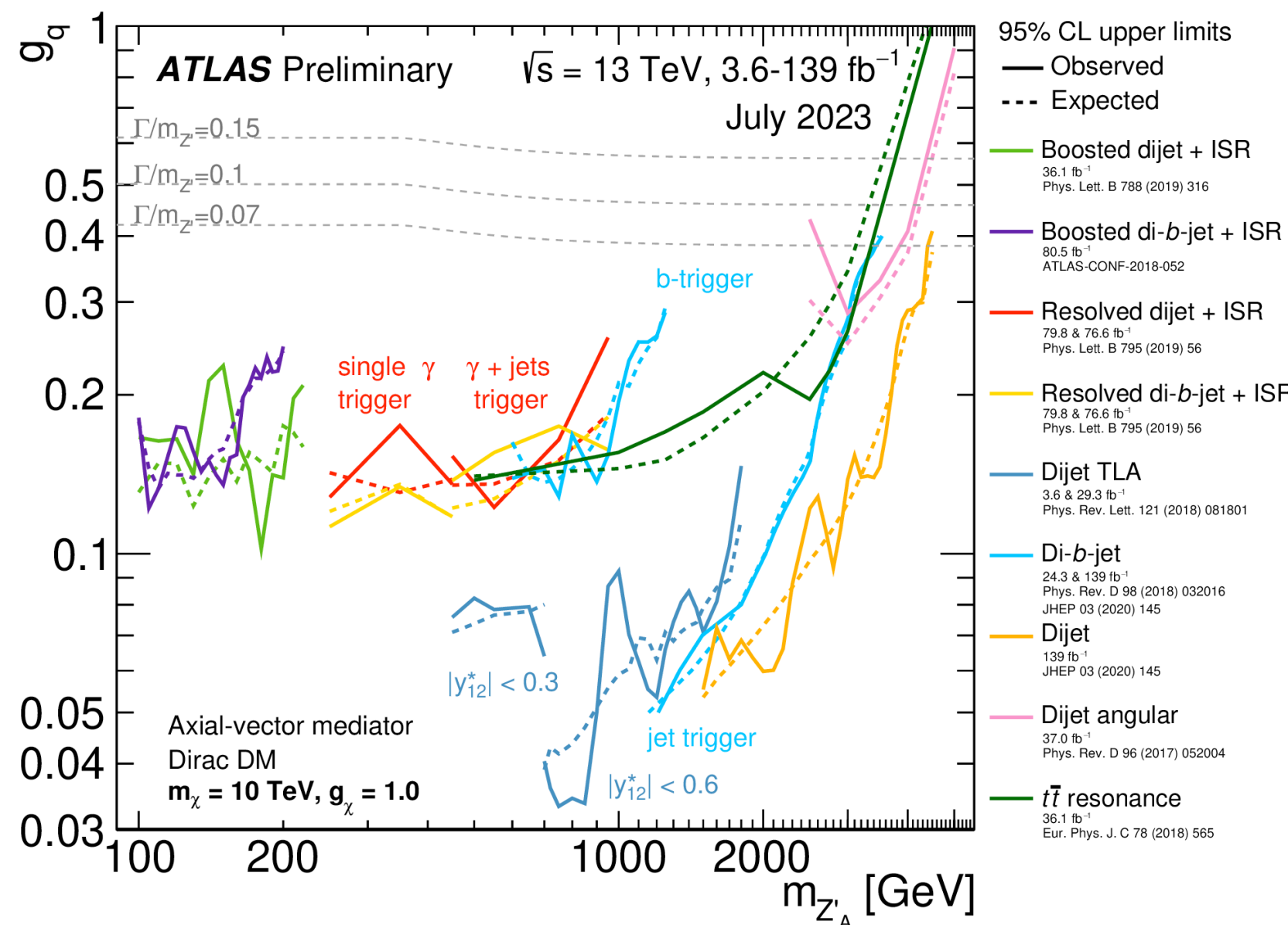
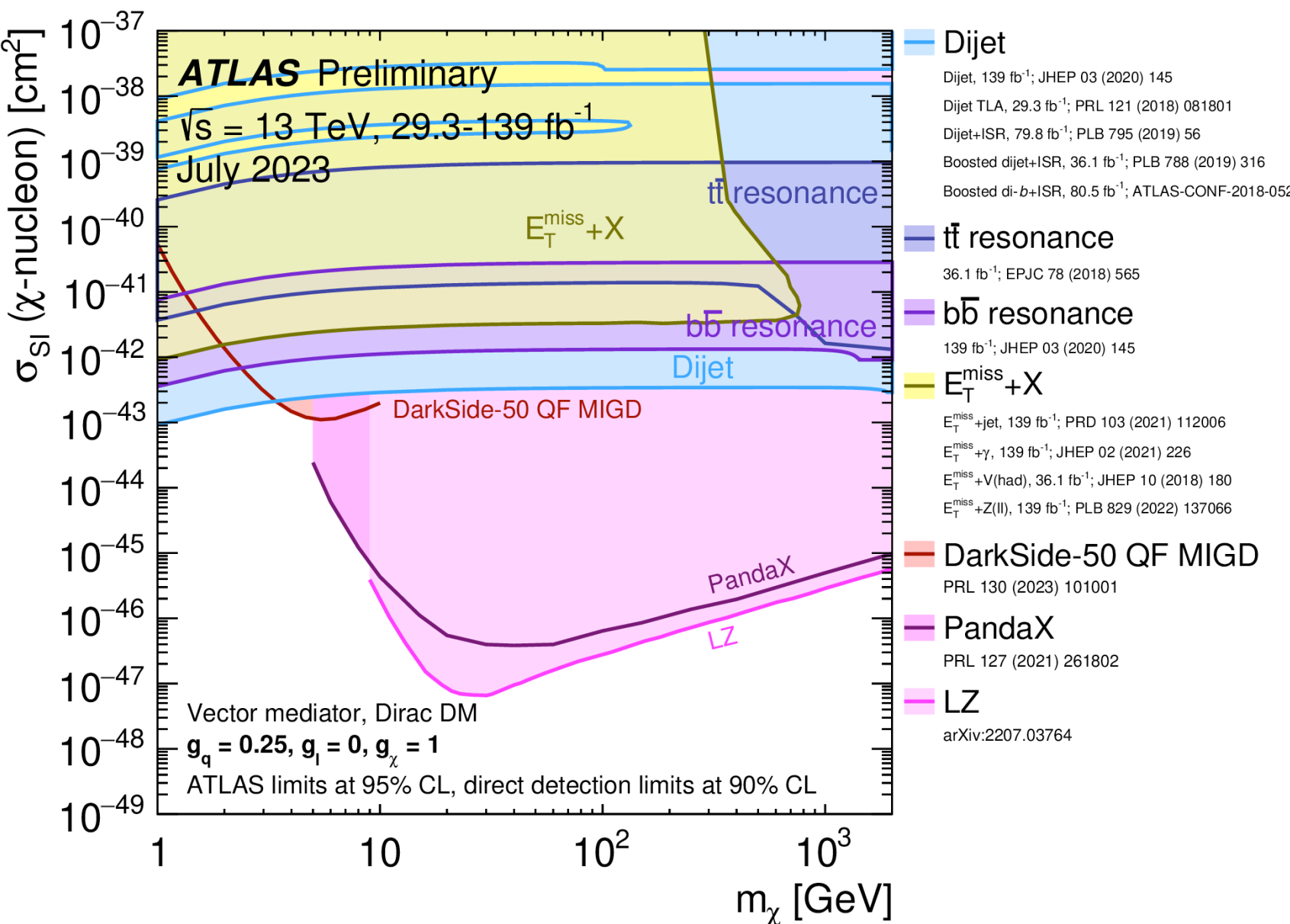
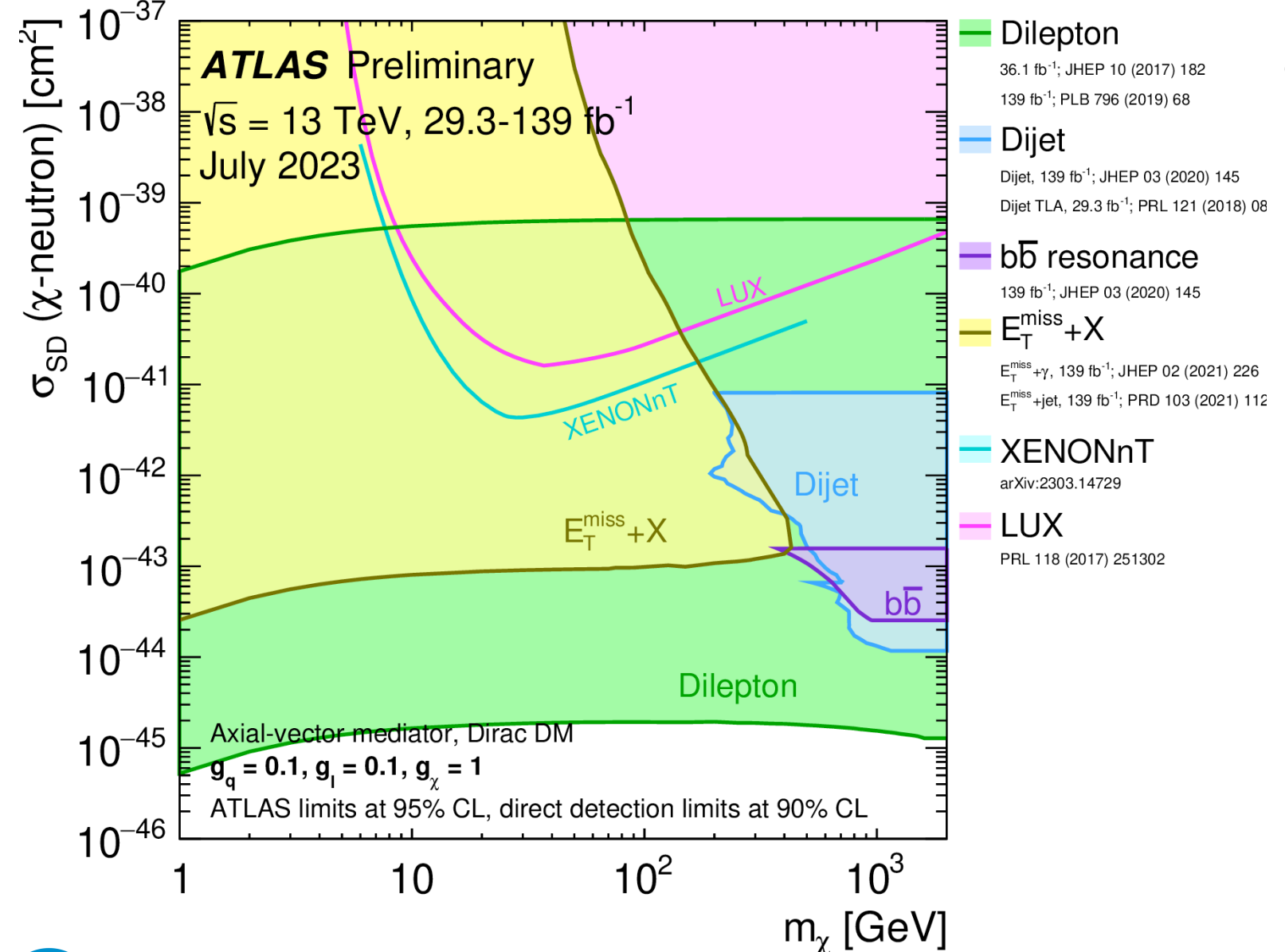
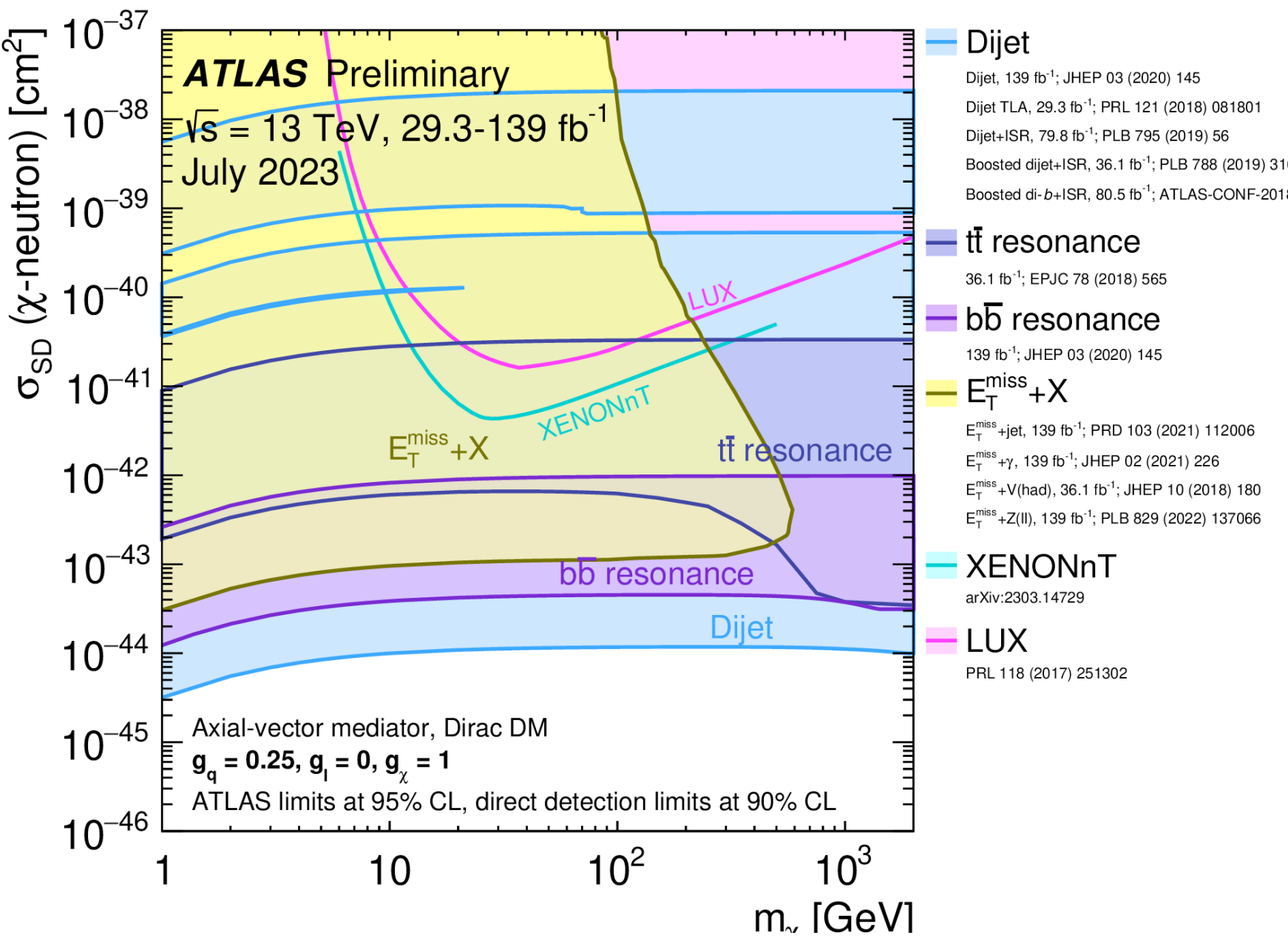
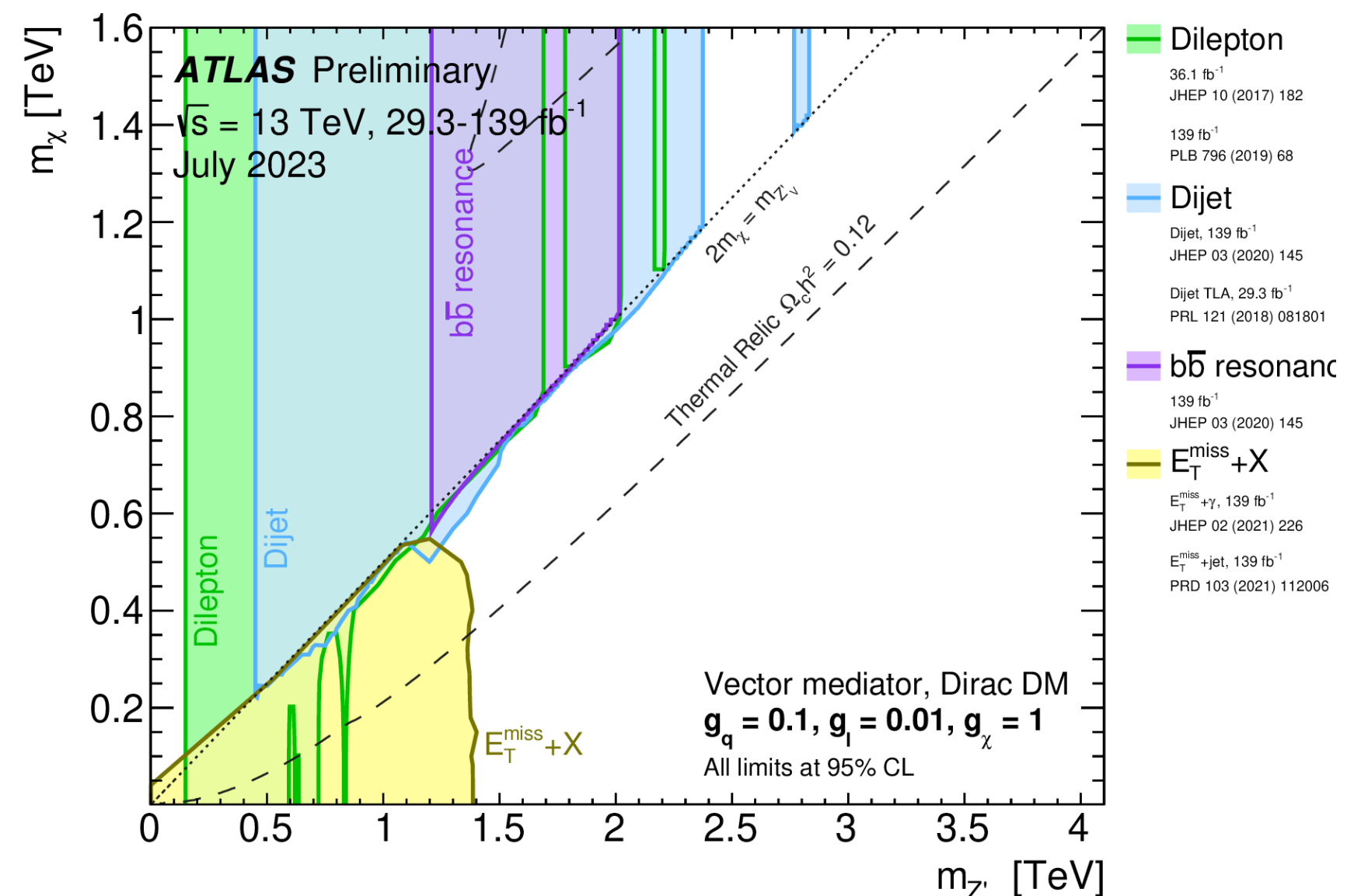
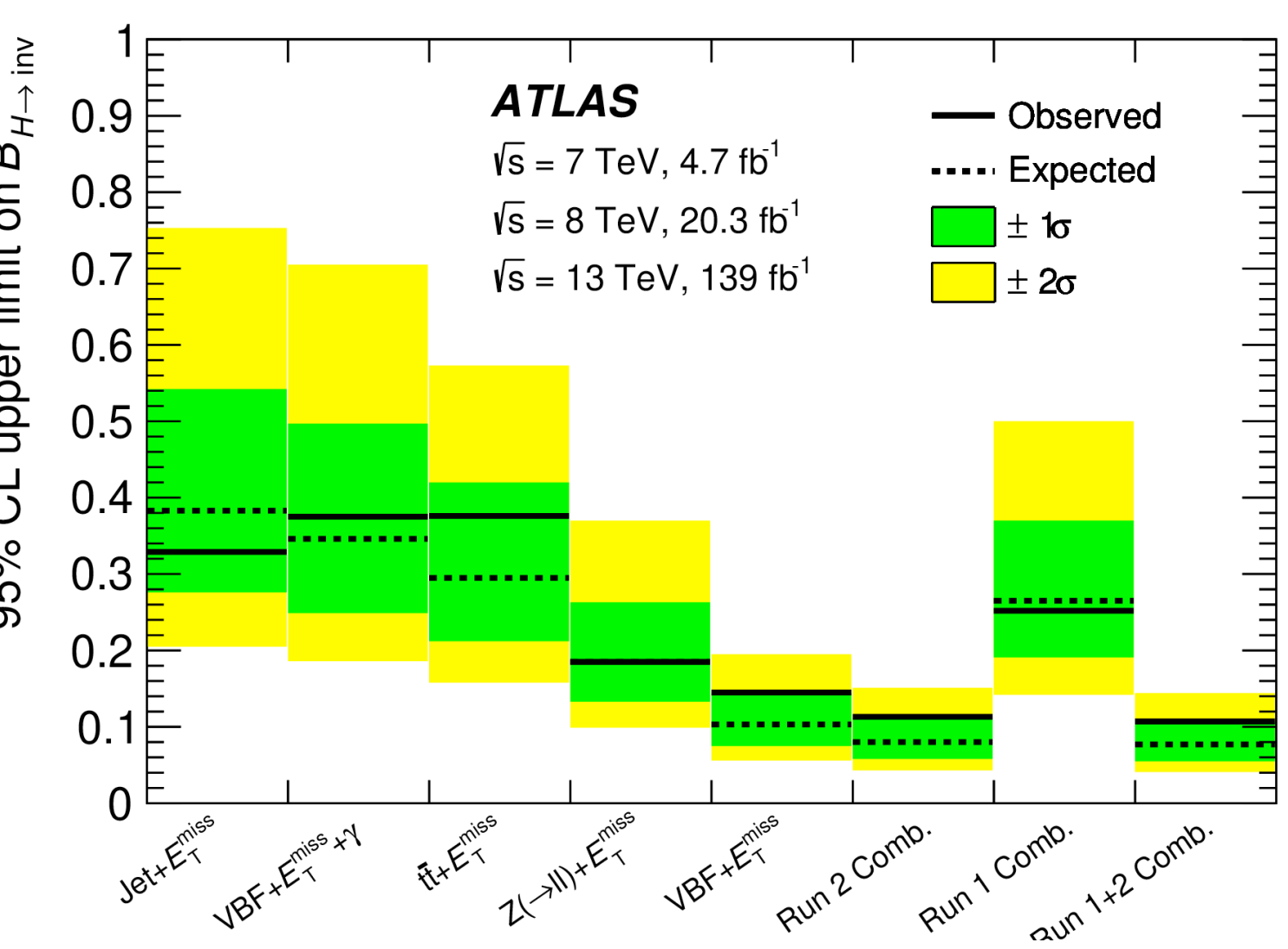
At the LHC

There are many options to explore and many different searches

- Three complementary philosophies, increased complexity: EFT, simplified models, complete models (SUSY, pMSSM)
- Broad general categories:
 - MET + X: monojet, mono-Z...
 - Higgs to invisible: DM could enhance Higgs boson decays to invisible (0.1% in the SM)
 - Bump hunt for mediator decays to fermions
 - Searches for two Higgs doublet models



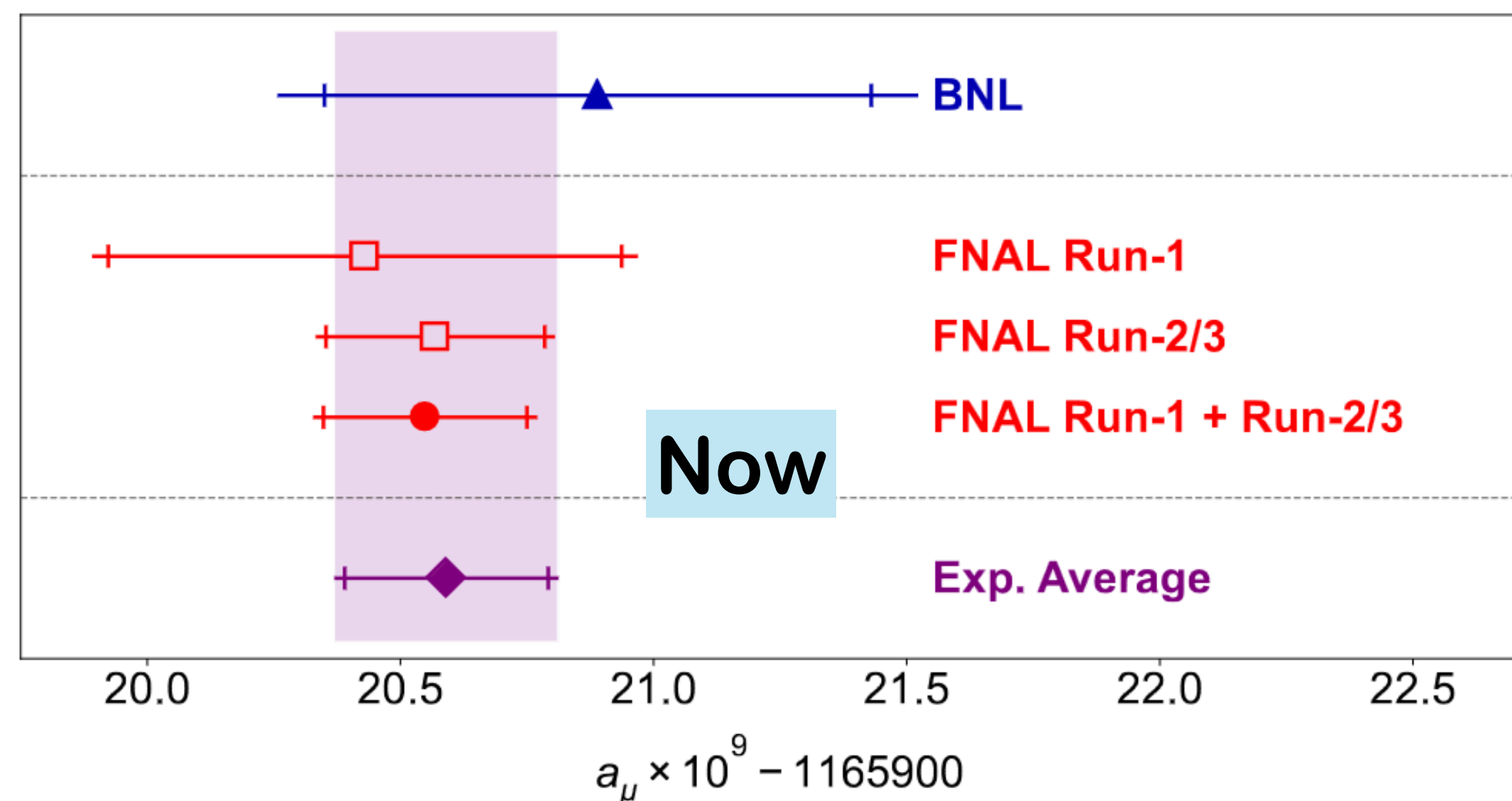
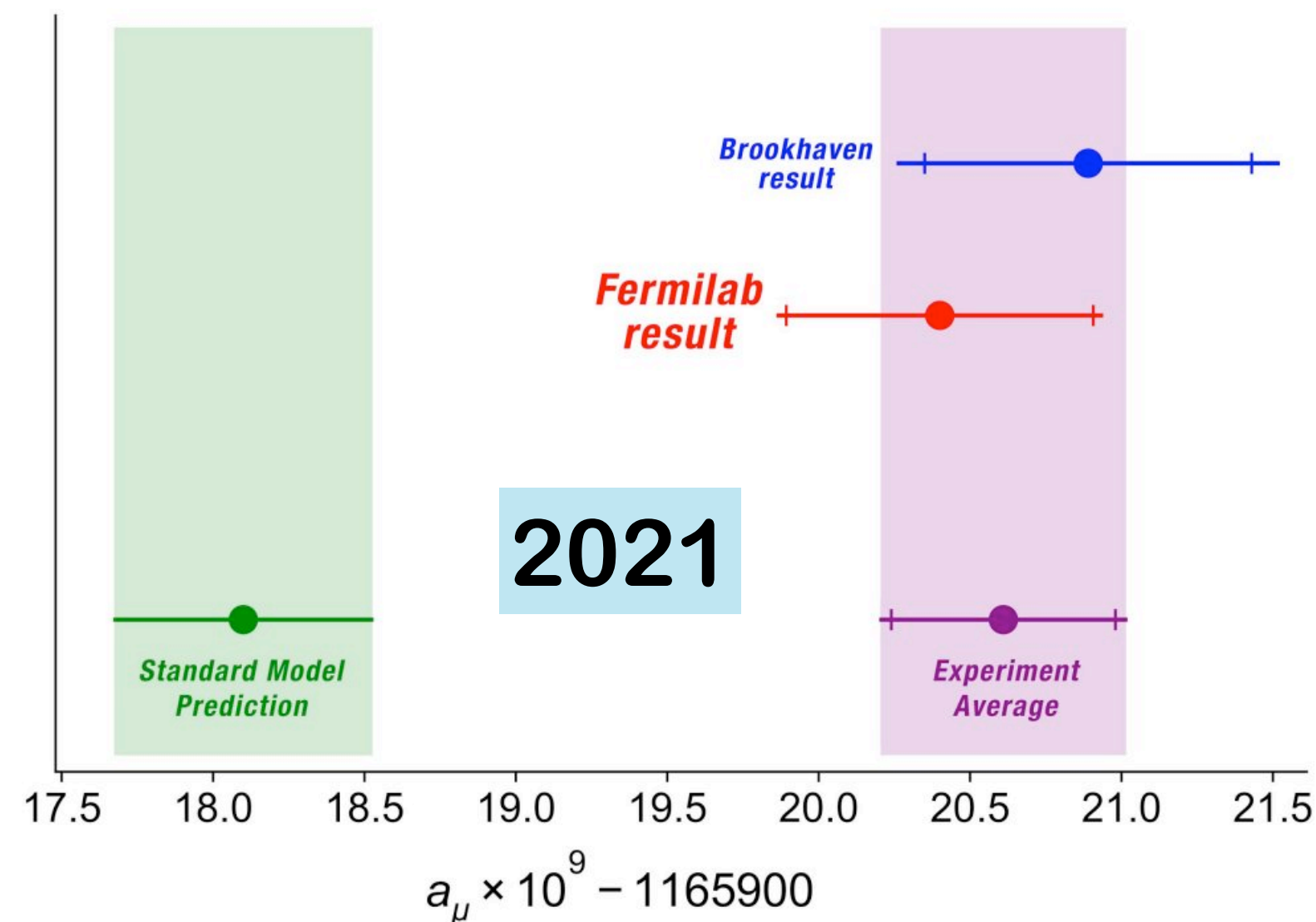
But those searches so far are not finding anything



Time to look for alternatives

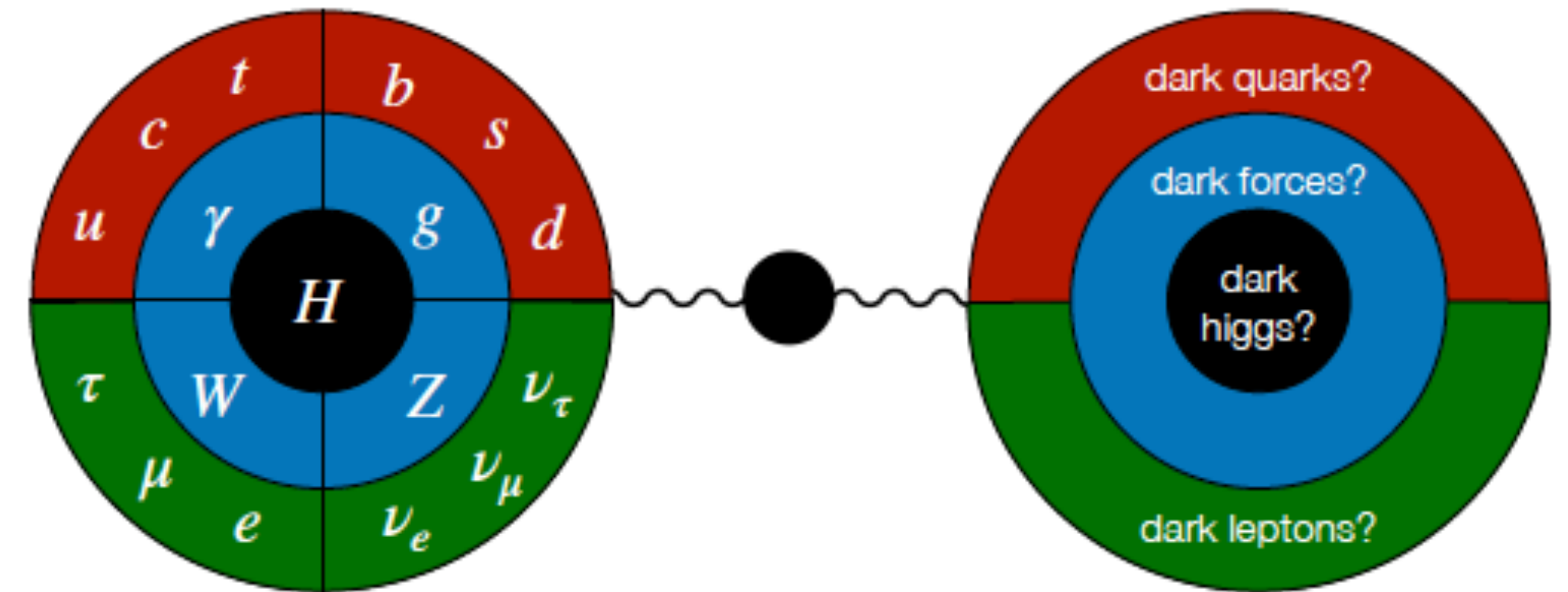
Dark sectors

- Hidden sectors that mix almost imperceptibly with the SM and contain new, invisible particles and forces.
- Could explain dark matter and other open questions in the field
- Theoretically well-motivated and supported by effects like the muon g-2 anomaly



[arXiv:2308.06230](https://arxiv.org/abs/2308.06230)
5.2 σ discrepancy

How do they look like

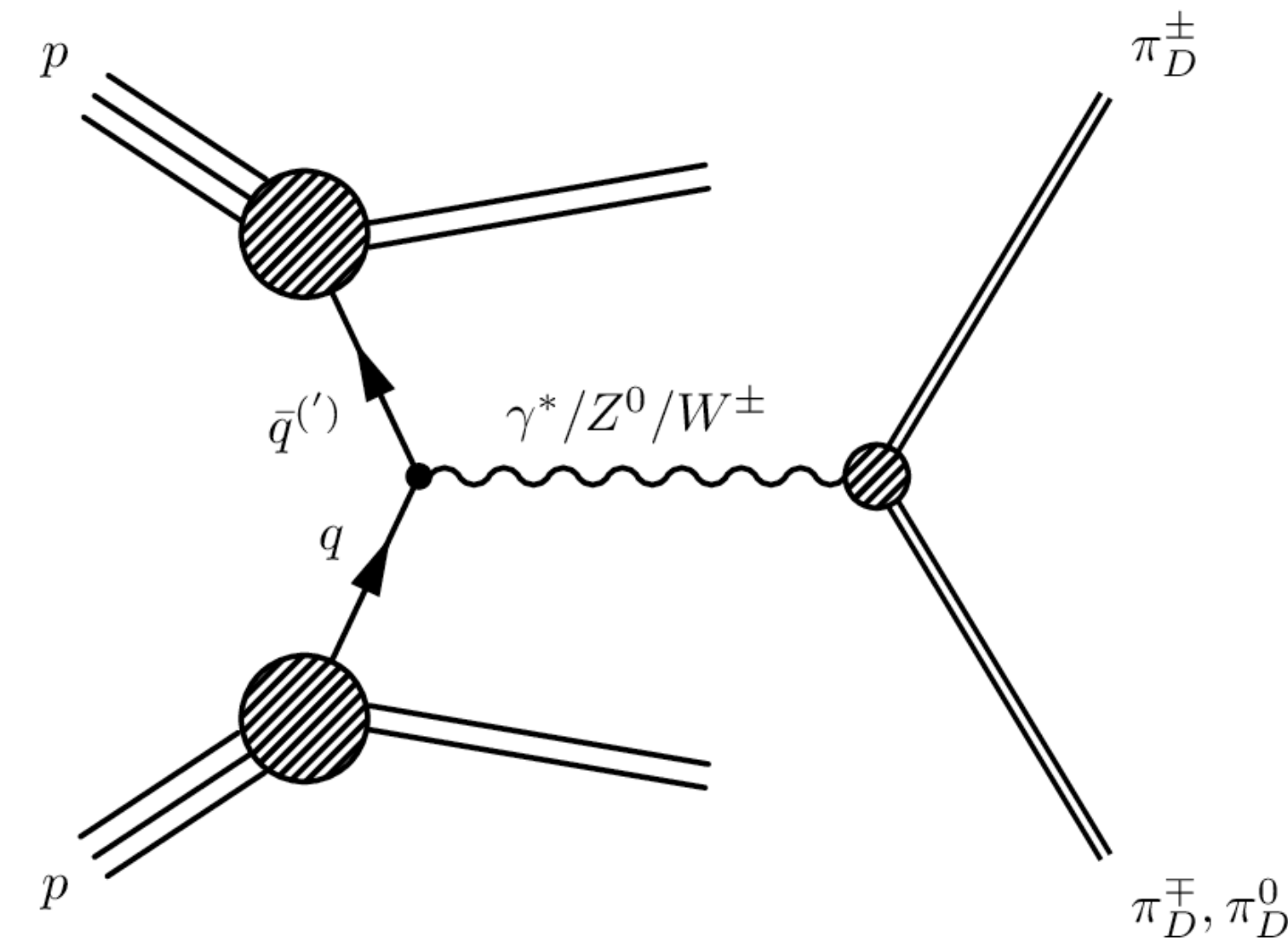
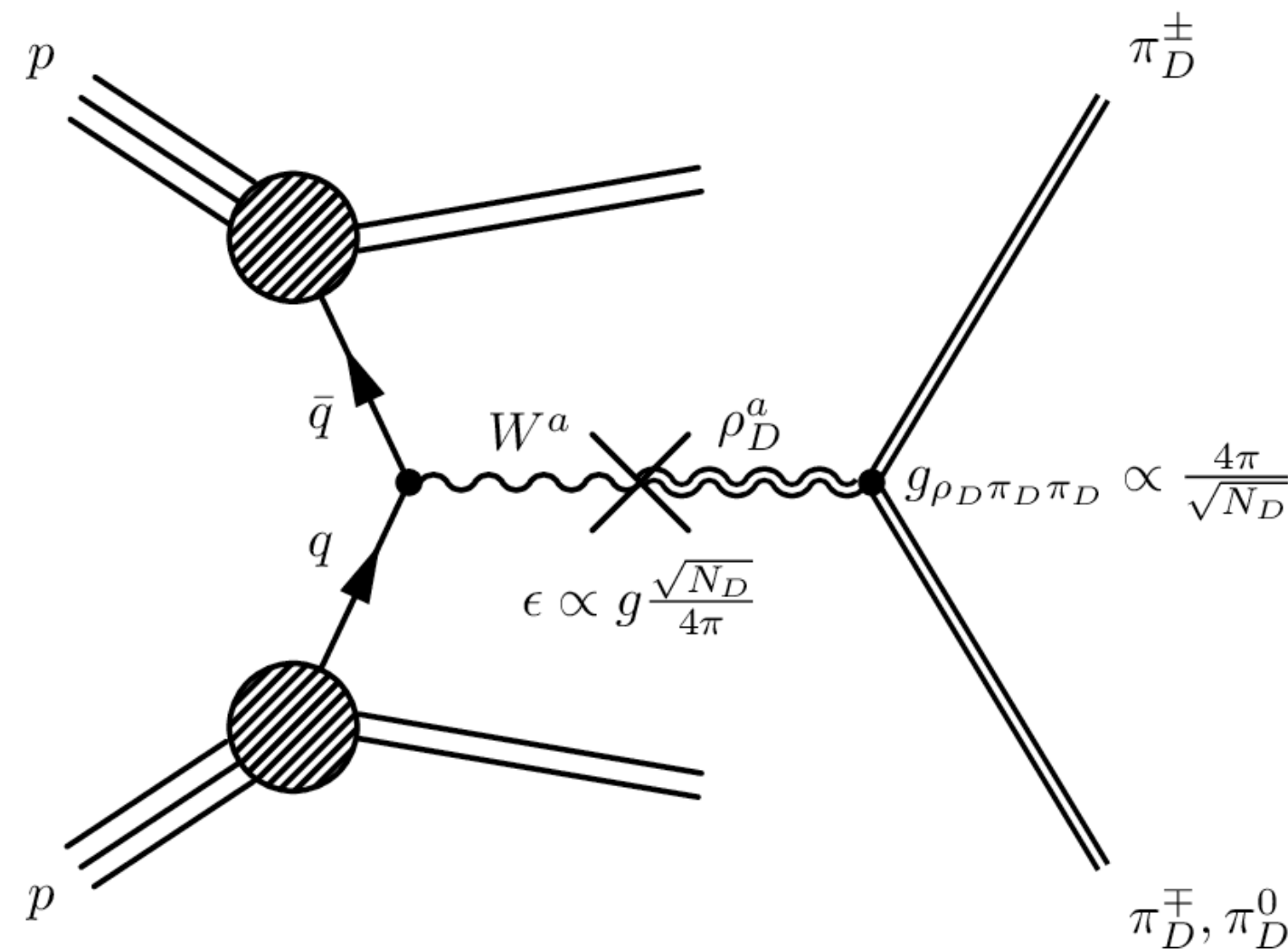


- Dark sectors typically include:
 - a **stable particle** (fundamental or composite), that could be a DM candidate; one or more **mediator particles** coupled to the SM via neutral portal
 - The spin of the mediator defines the portal: vector (e.g. dark photon), fermion (e.g. sterile neutrino), pseudoscalar, or scalar (e.g. Higgs portal)
- Often produce **non-mainstream experimental signatures, challenging to reconstruct or even detect** at colliders! (Which means that their potential is not yet full exploited)
 - Long-lived particles, dark showers...
 - Or multiple top quarks with boosted jets, like for example...

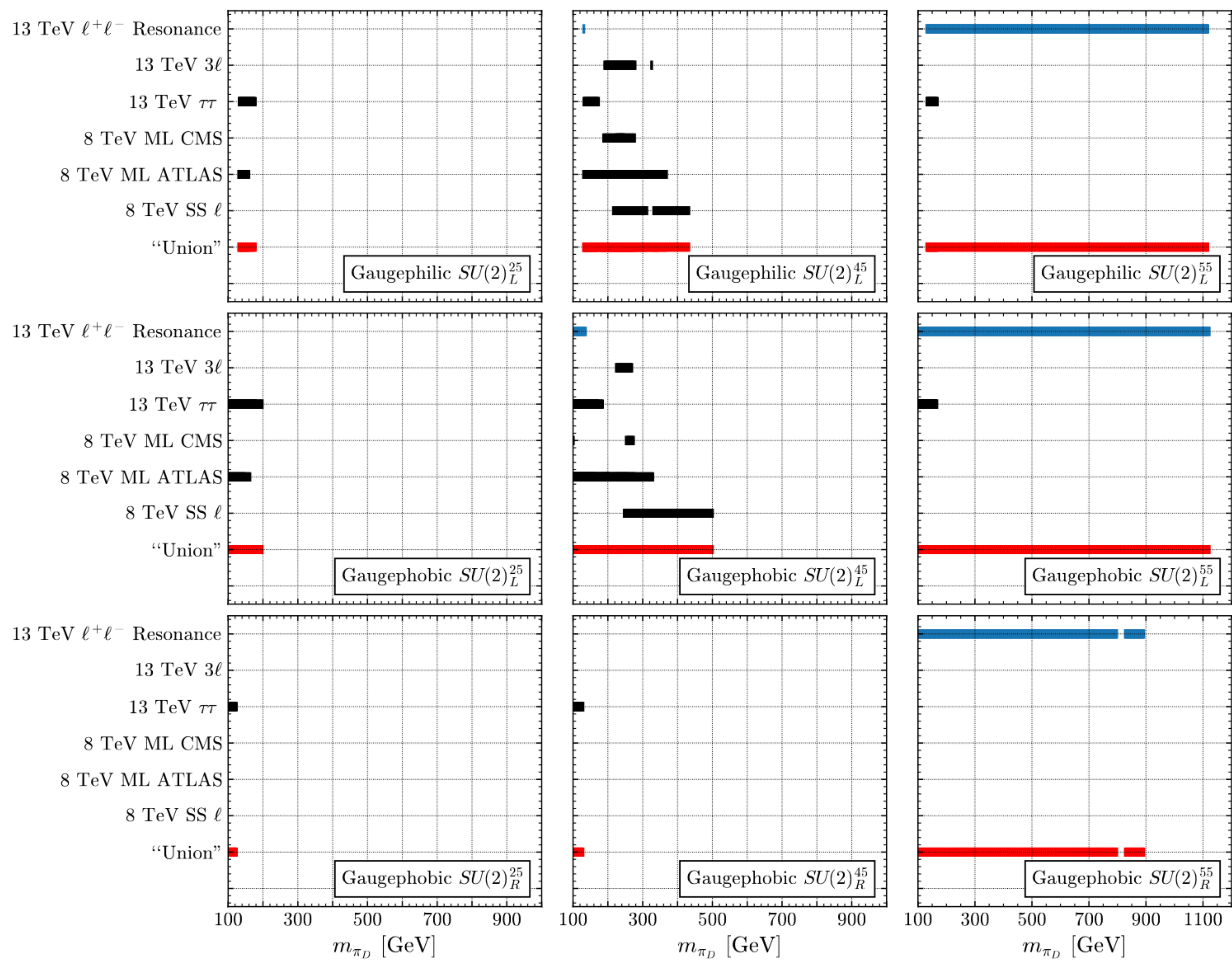
Work in progress in ATLAS

Searches for dark mesons in ttb and ttbb final states

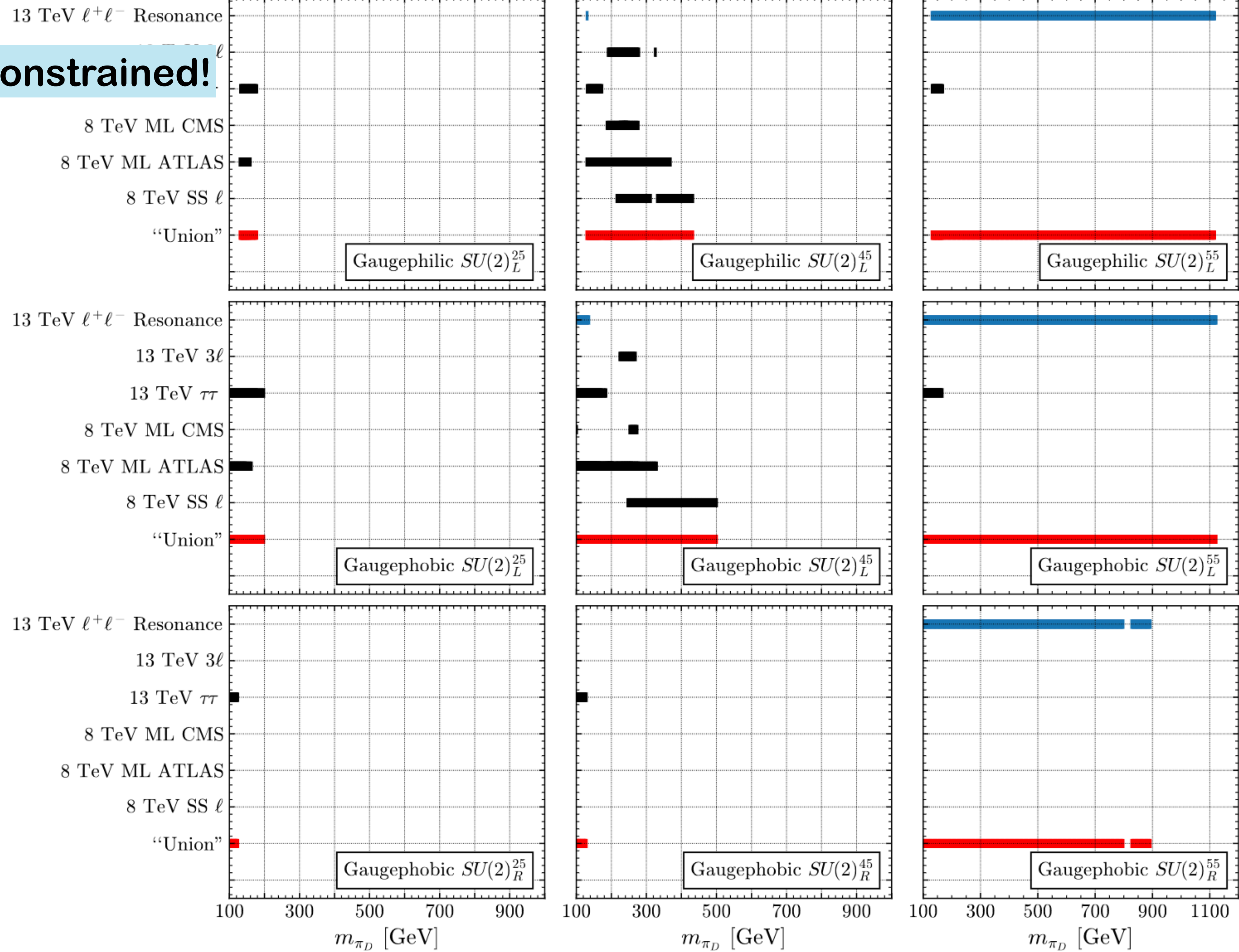
- Higgs portal model of stealth dark matter → [arXiv:1809.10184](#) [arXiv:1809.10183](#)
- Dark mesons originating from strongly-coupled, SU(2) dark flavour-conserving models, decaying gaugephobically to pure SM final states containing top and bottom quarks



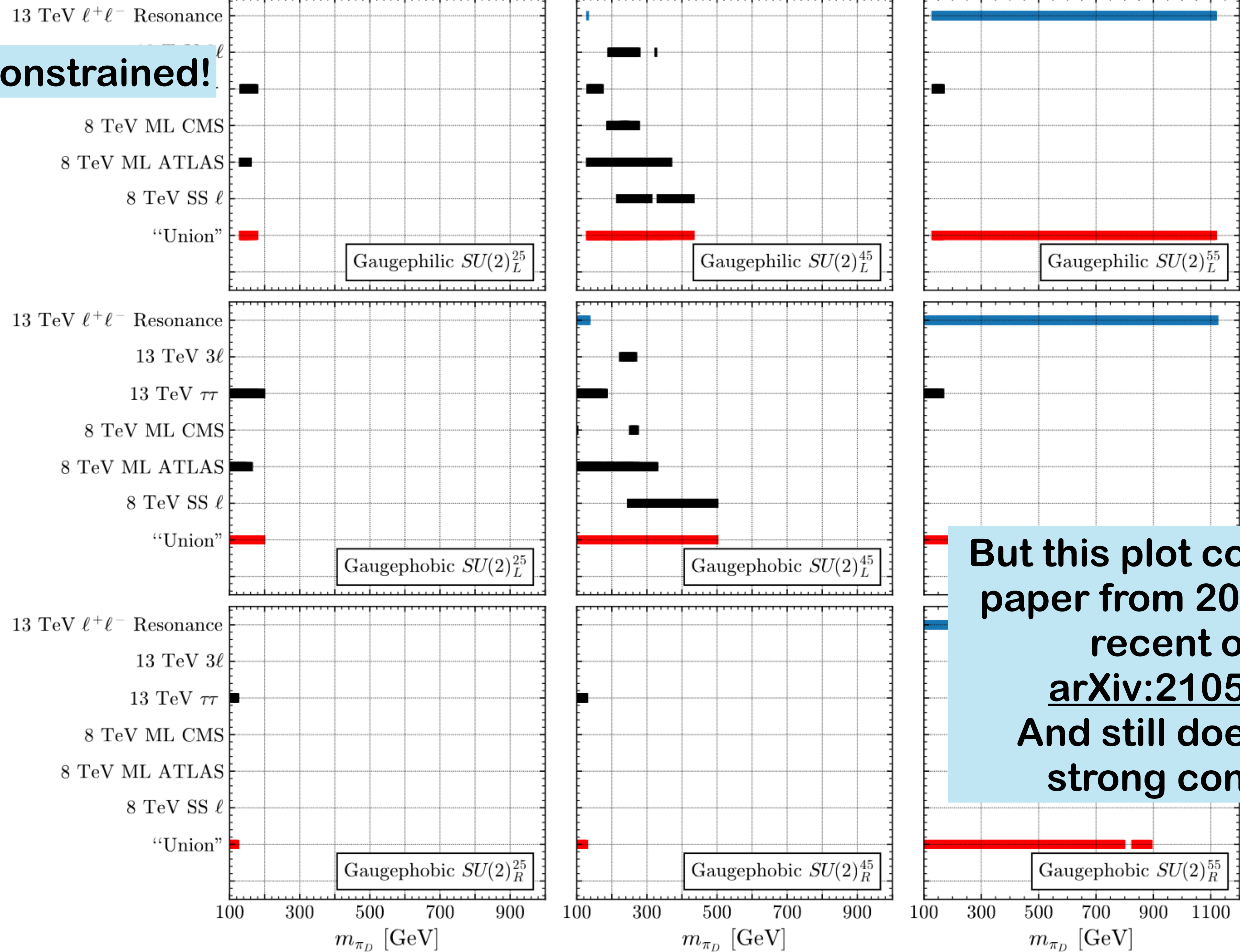
Why did we pick this model?



Almost unconstrained!



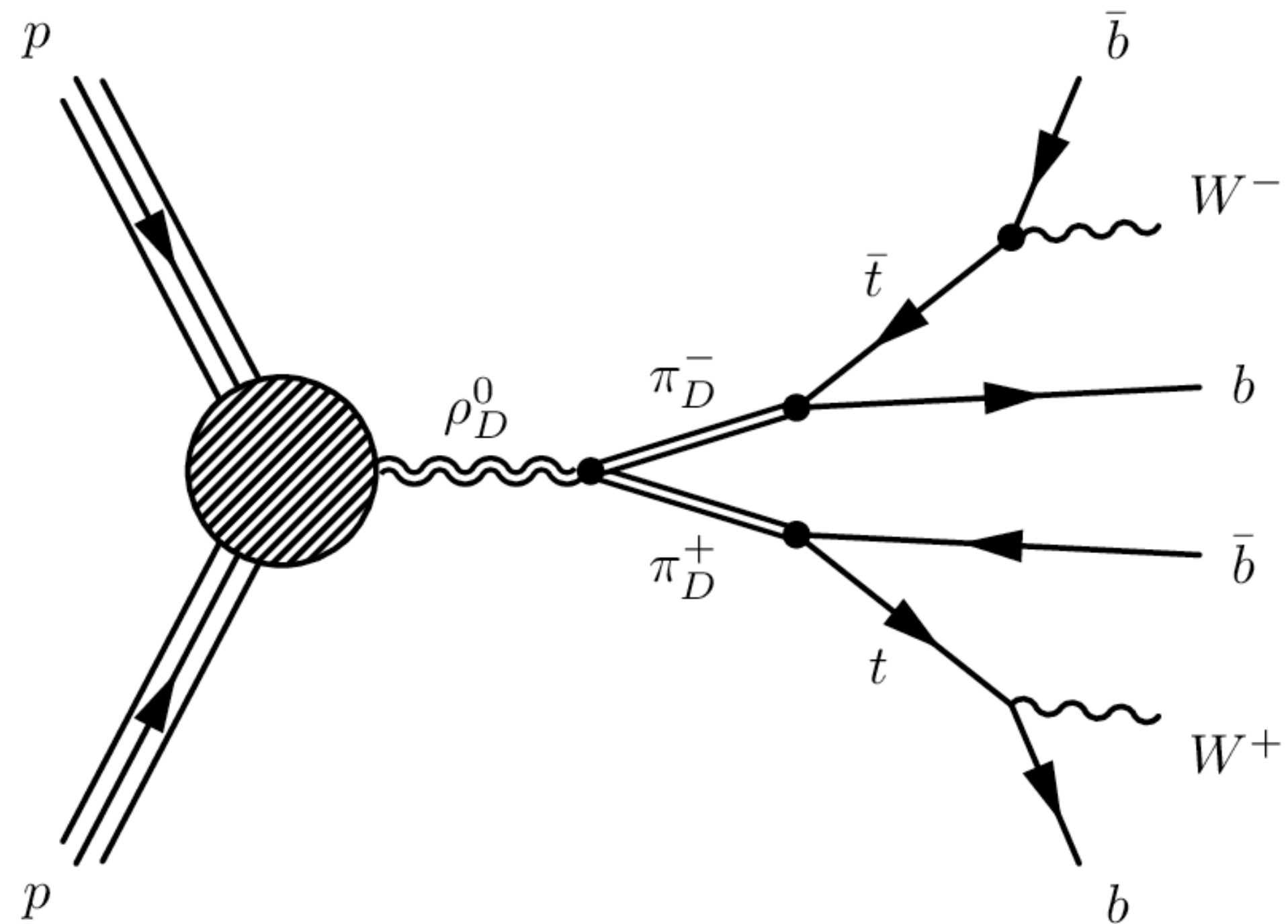
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But this plot comes from a paper from 2018. A more recent one is [arXiv:2105.08494](https://arxiv.org/abs/2105.08494) And still does not set strong constraints

It is admittedly painful

Challenging final state

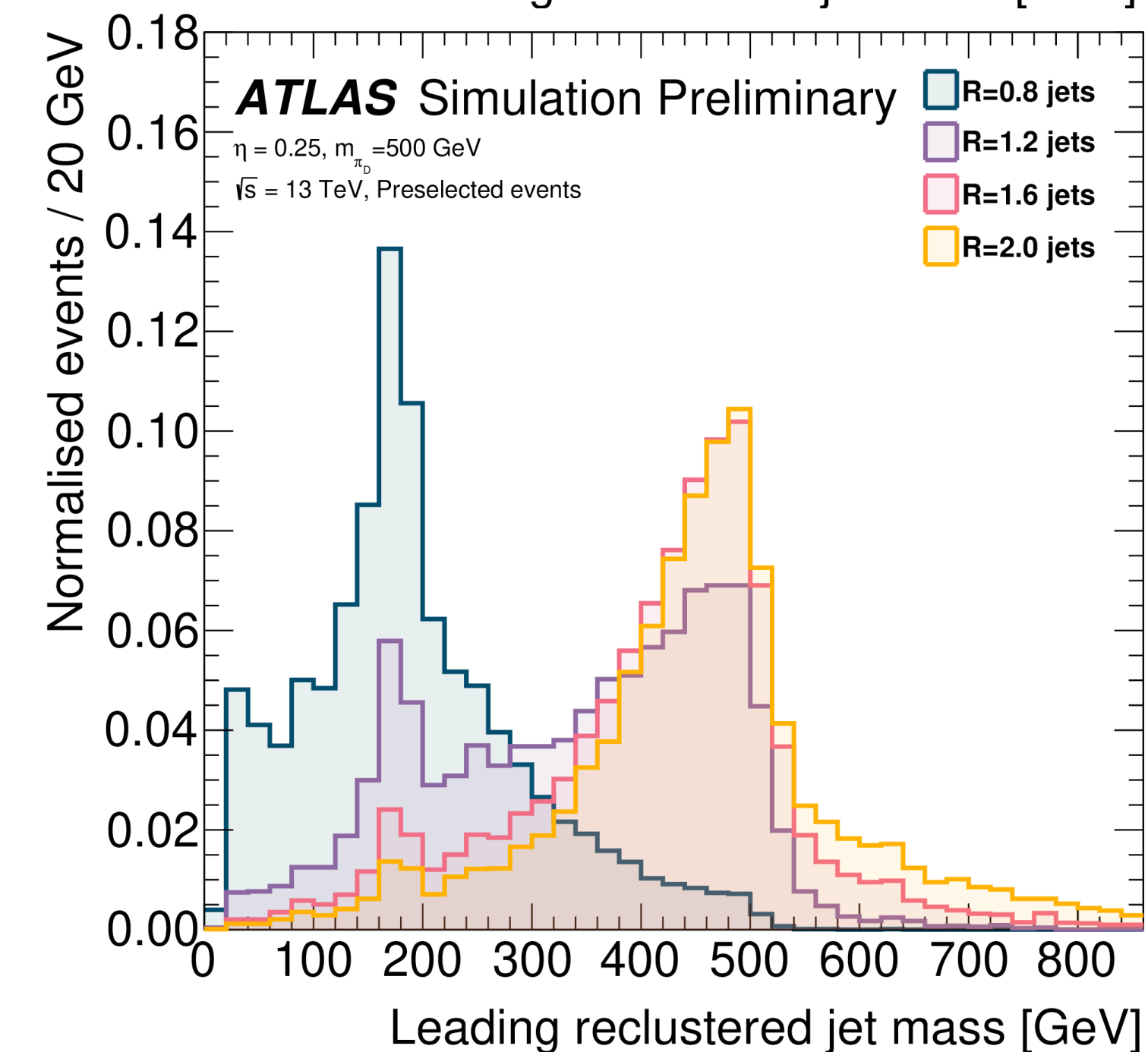
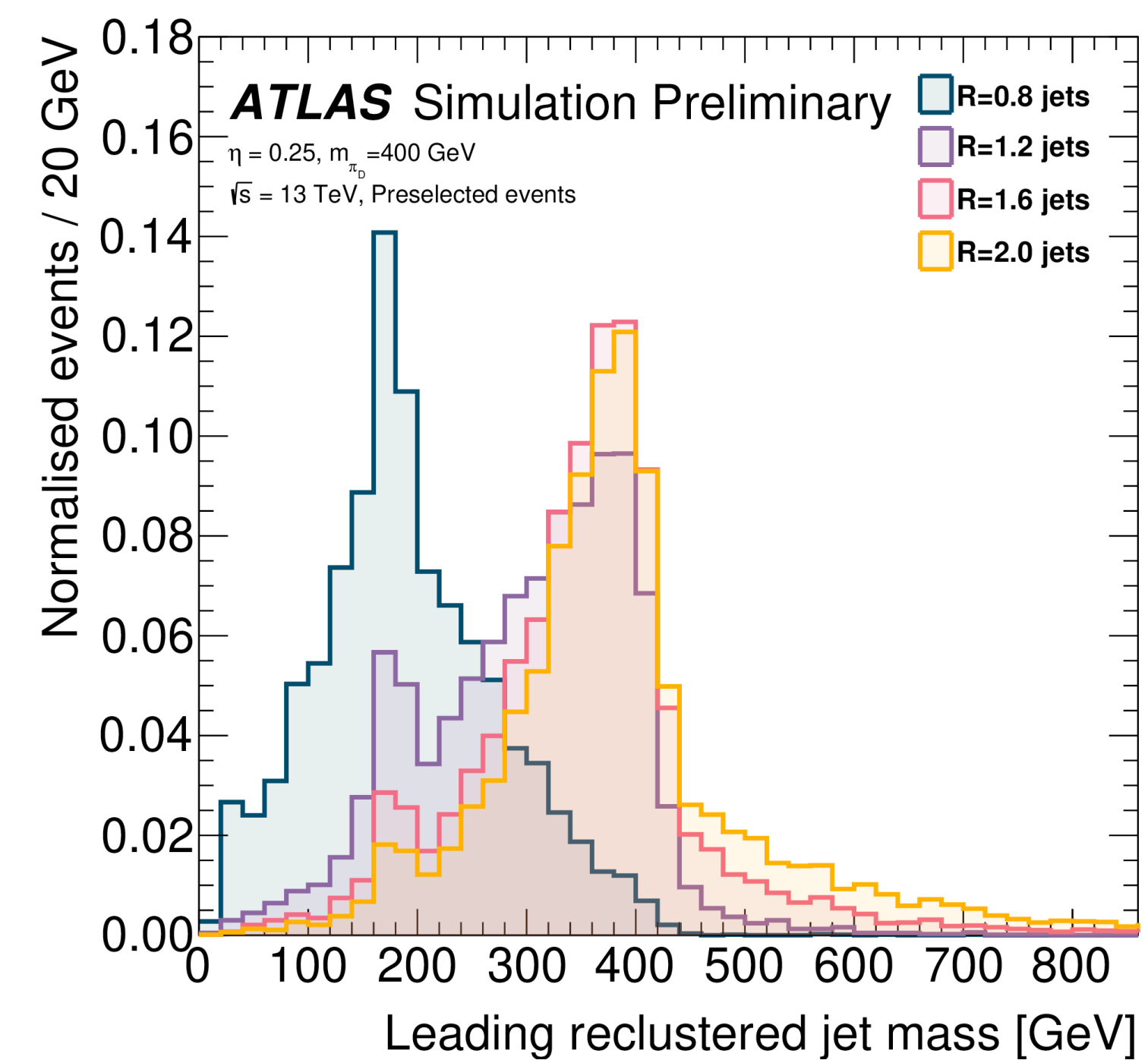
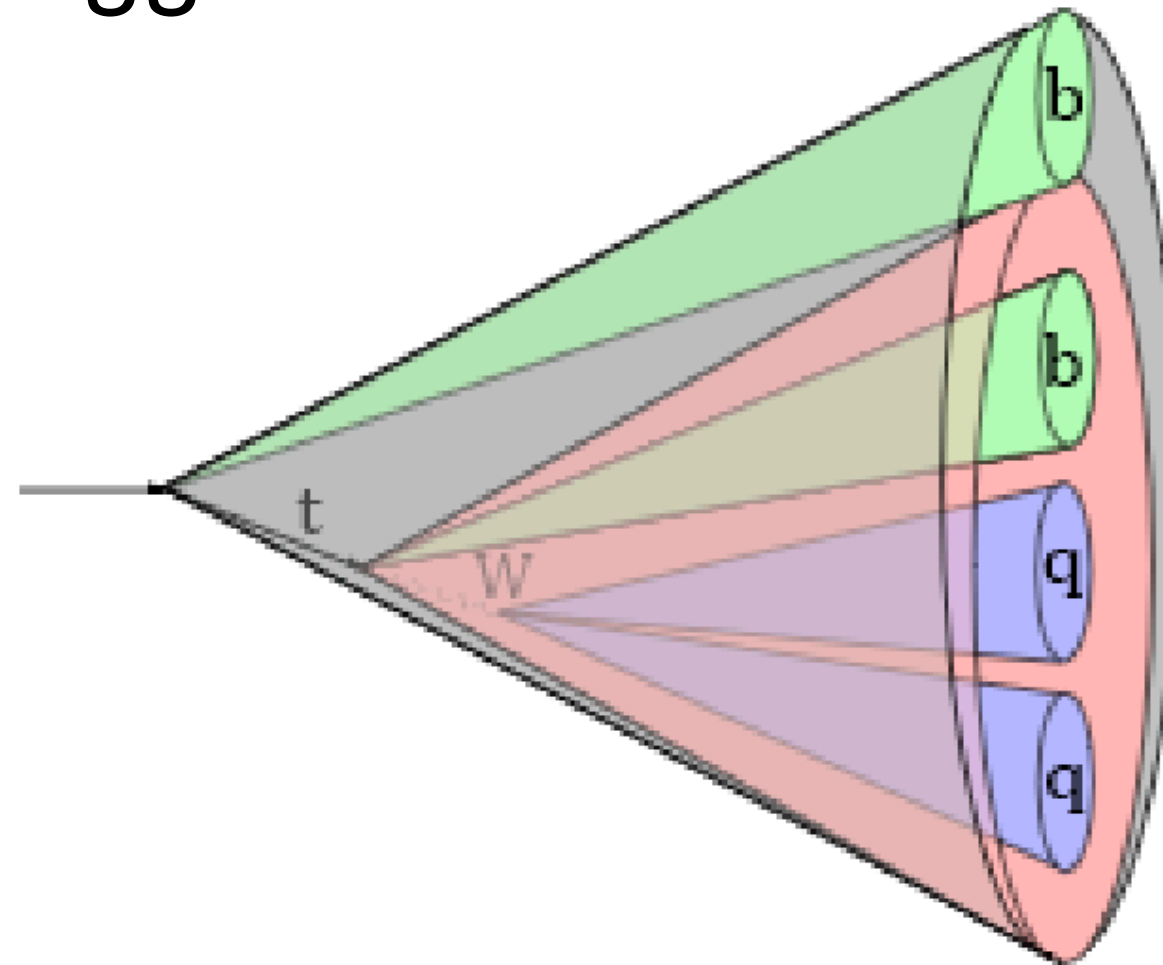
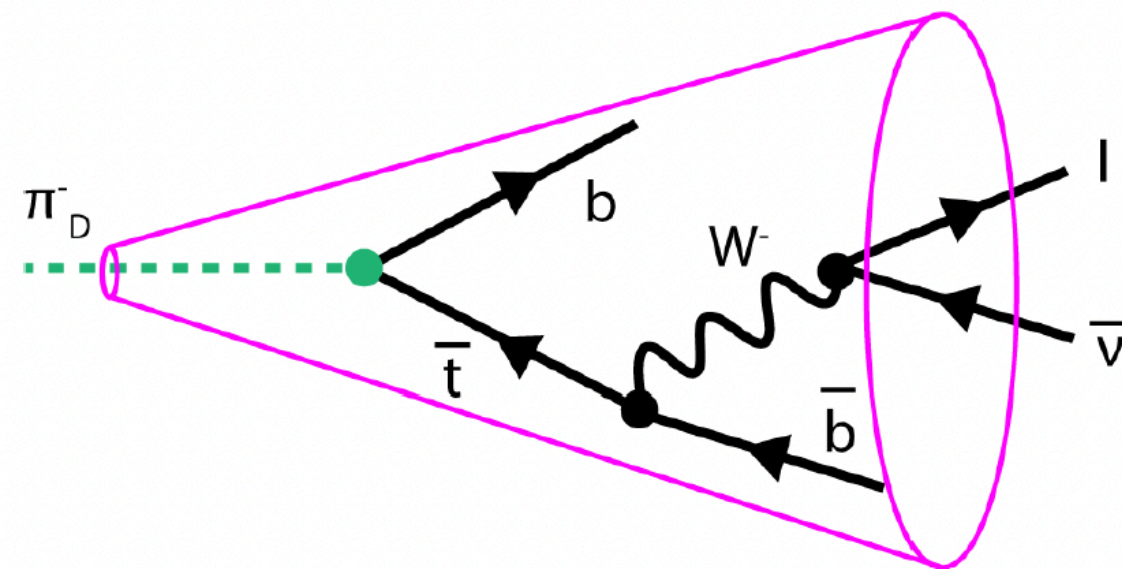


- Large $t\bar{t}b\bar{b}$ background that is very difficult to model
- Set of tiny signals with varying kinematics across the grid
- Extreme phase space with many jets that depends heavily on b -tagging and jet reconstruction
- Affected by top p_T modelling issues
- A lot can be learn from $t\bar{t}H$, $H \rightarrow b\bar{b}$ and $t\bar{t}t\bar{t}$ (SM and BSM)

It is also very fun*!

(* for an experimental physicist)

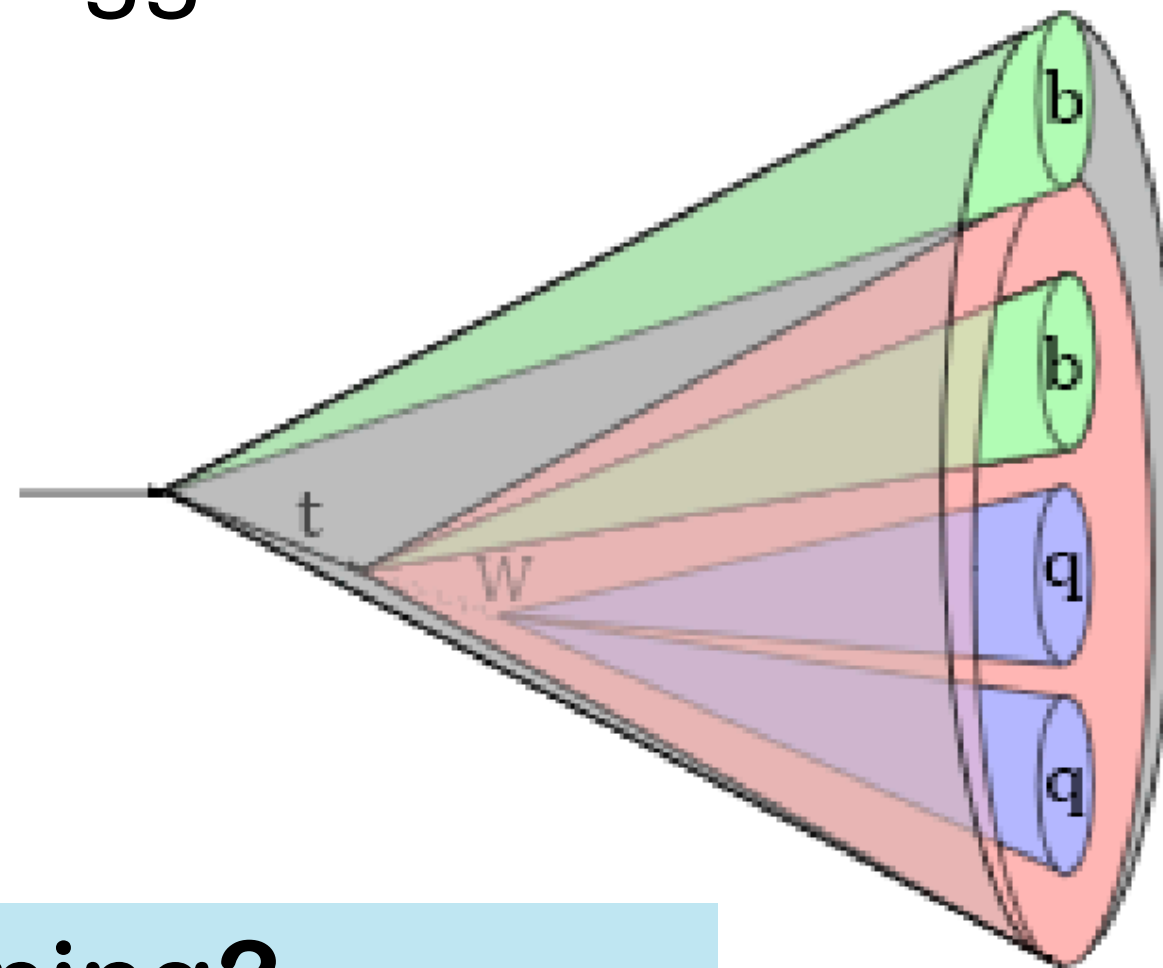
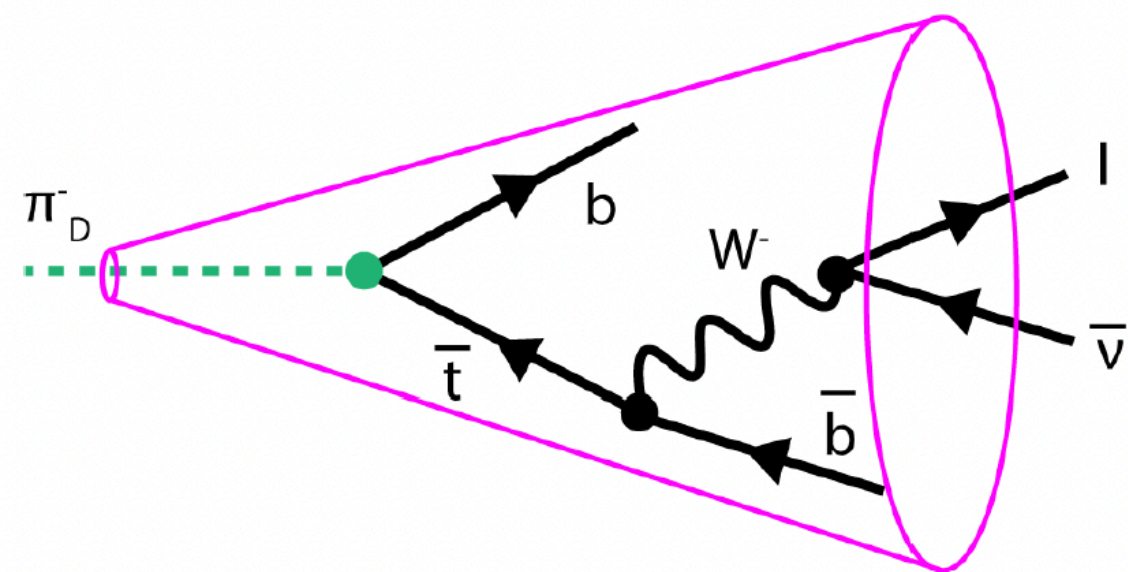
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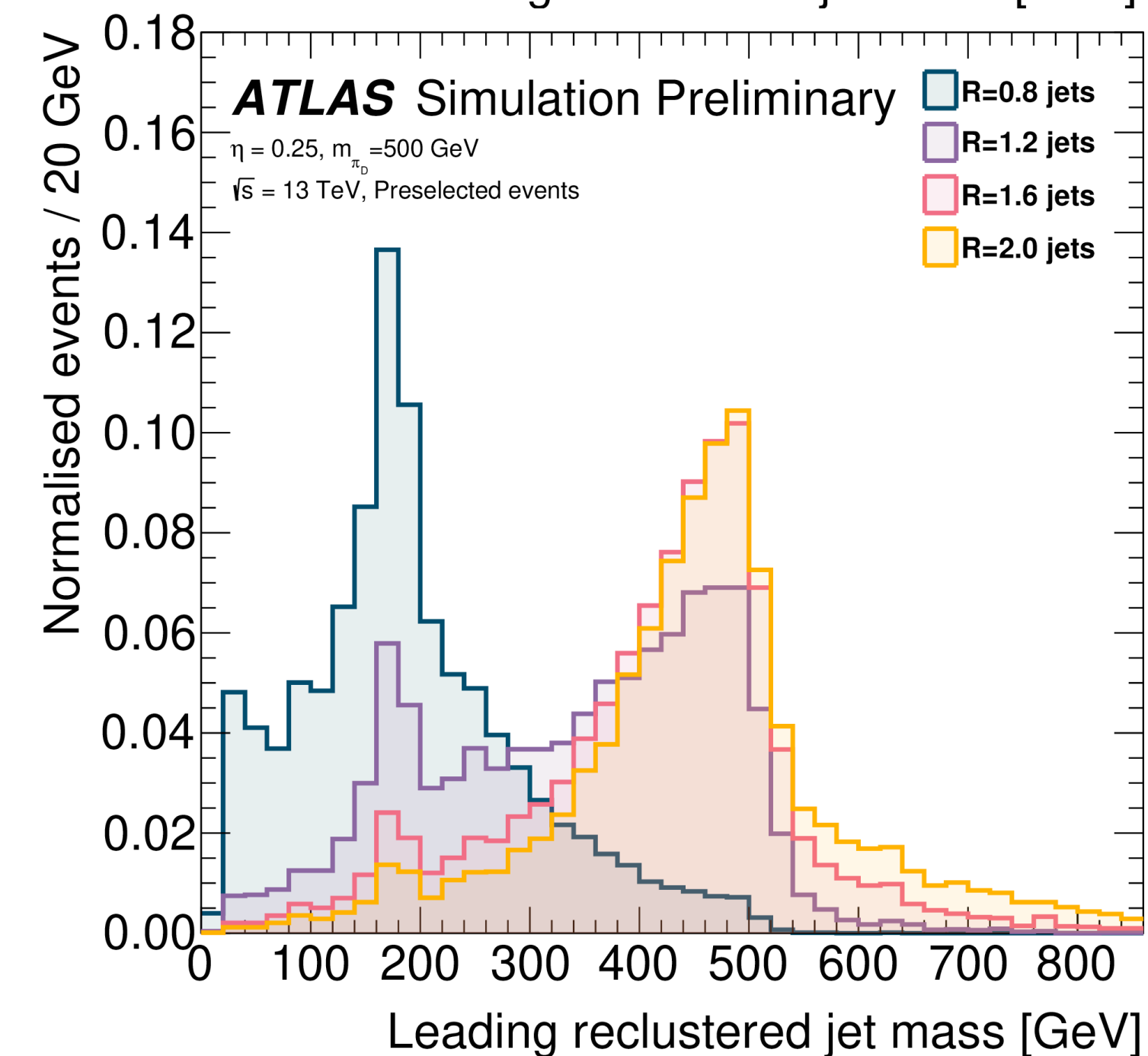
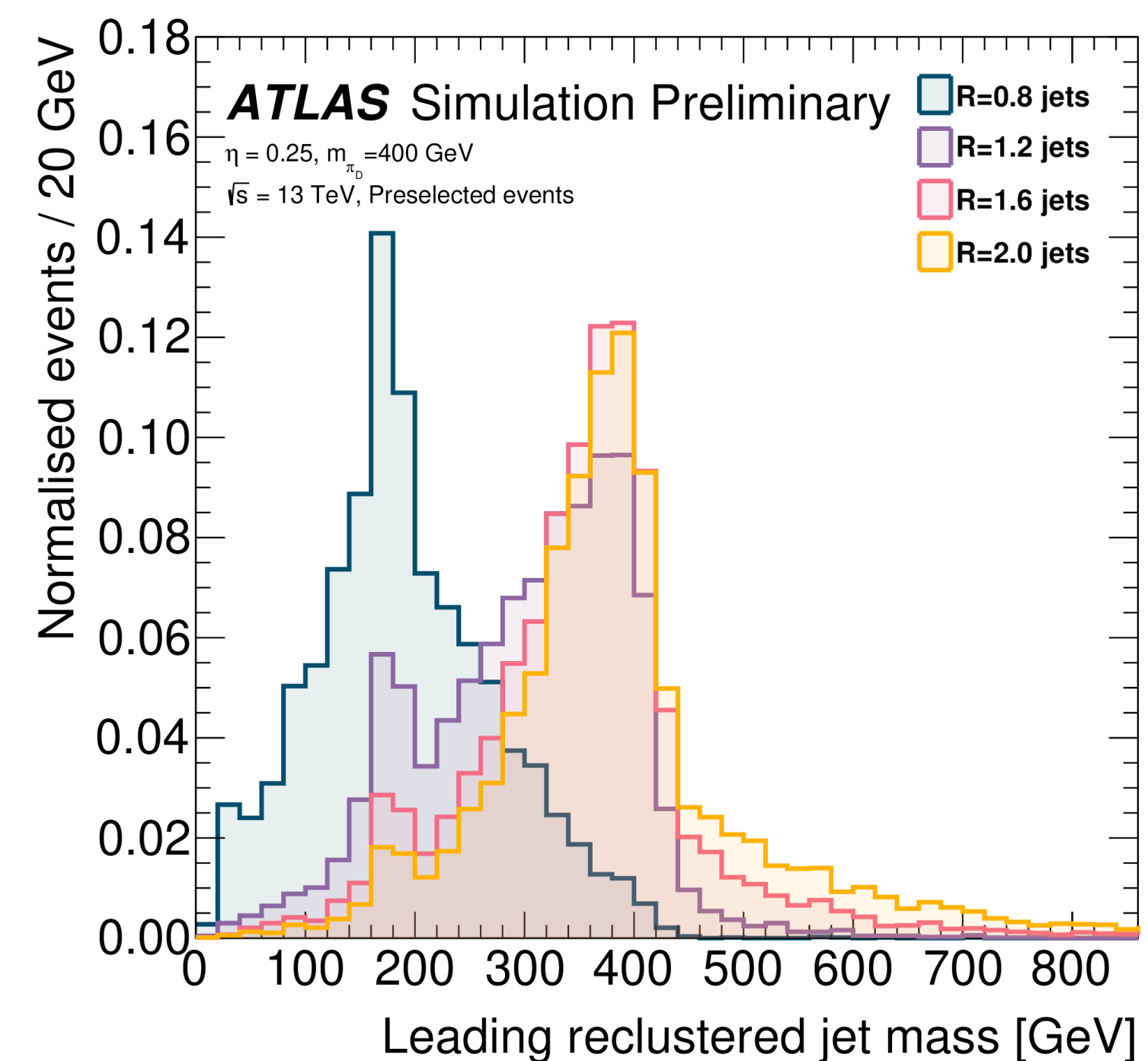
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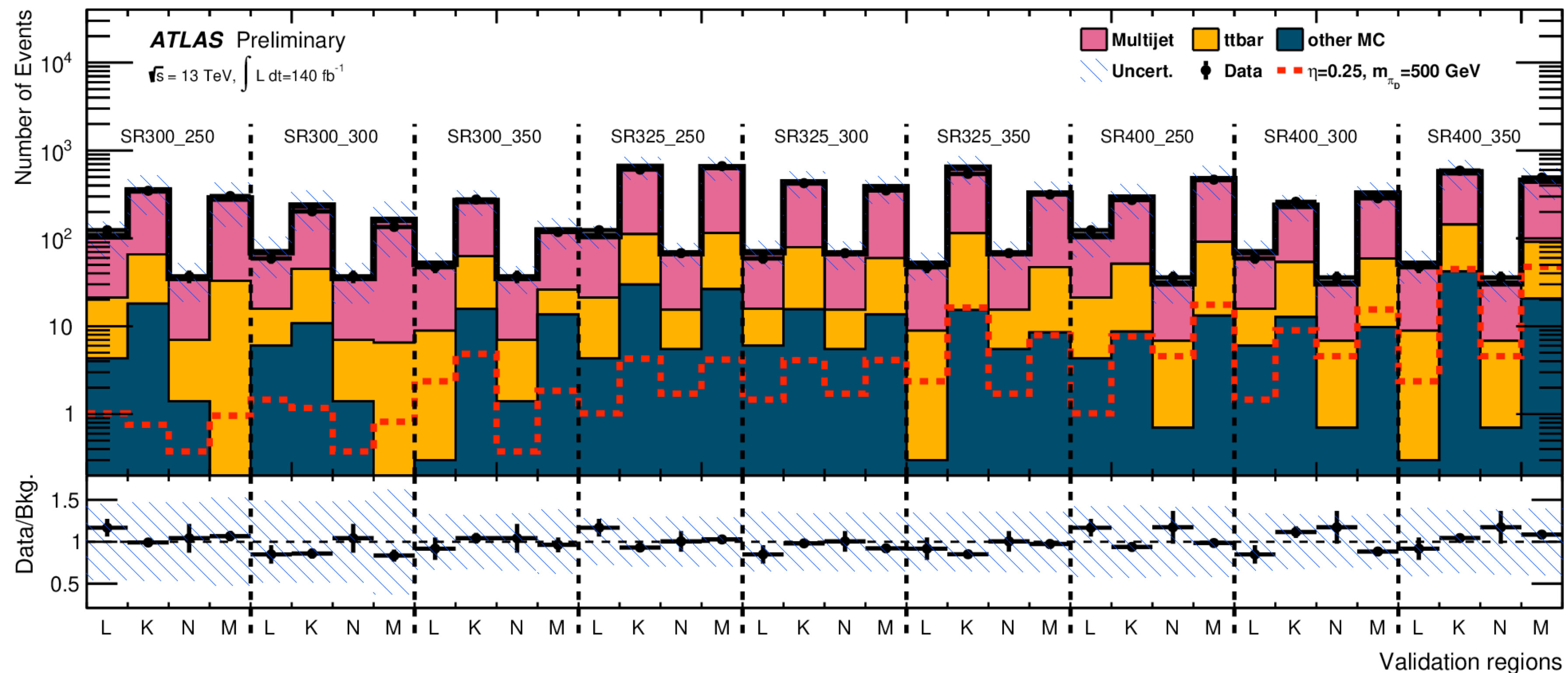


A place for Machine Learning?
Certainly yes! We are testing/want to do a few things, from signal extraction to jet taggers

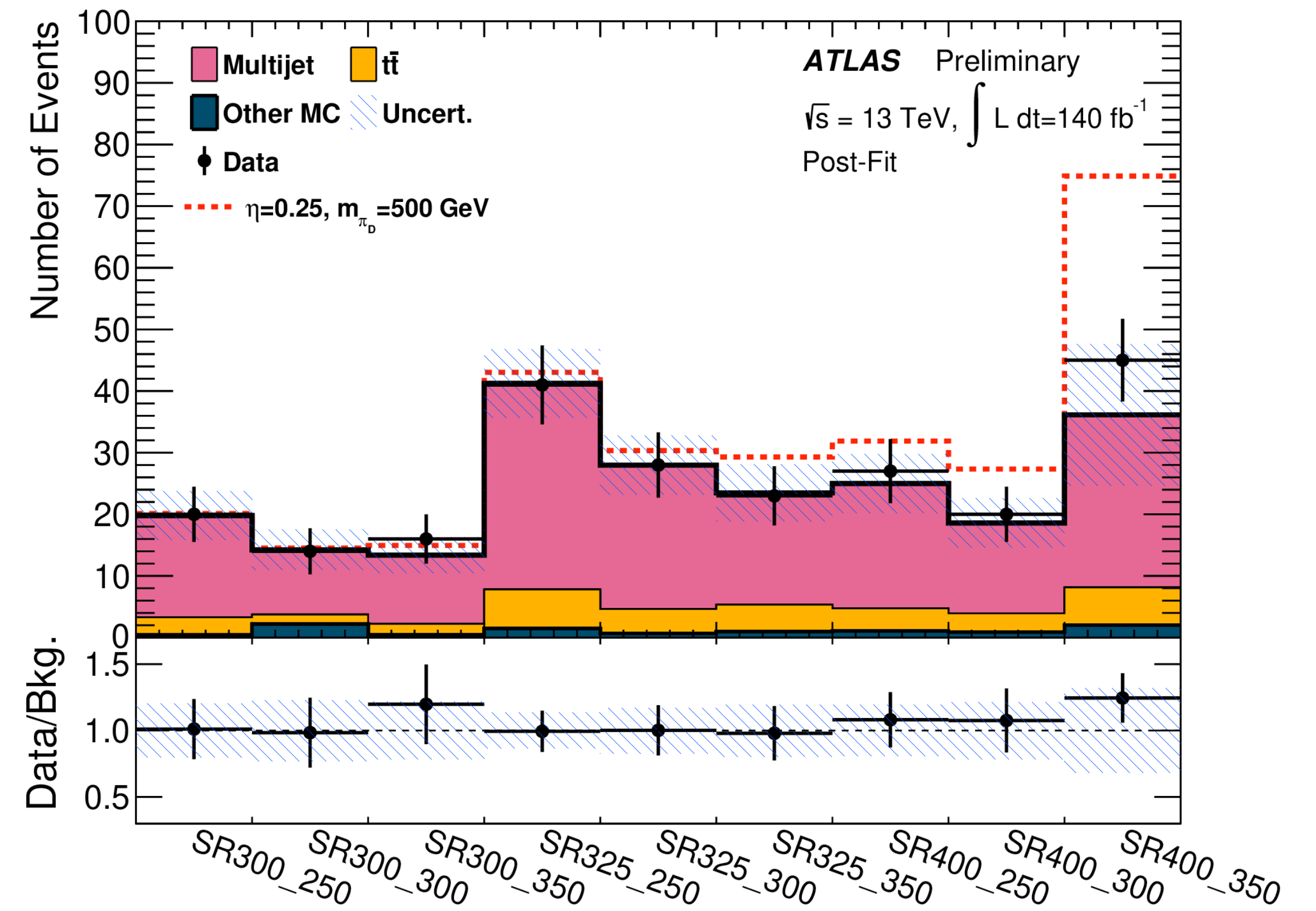
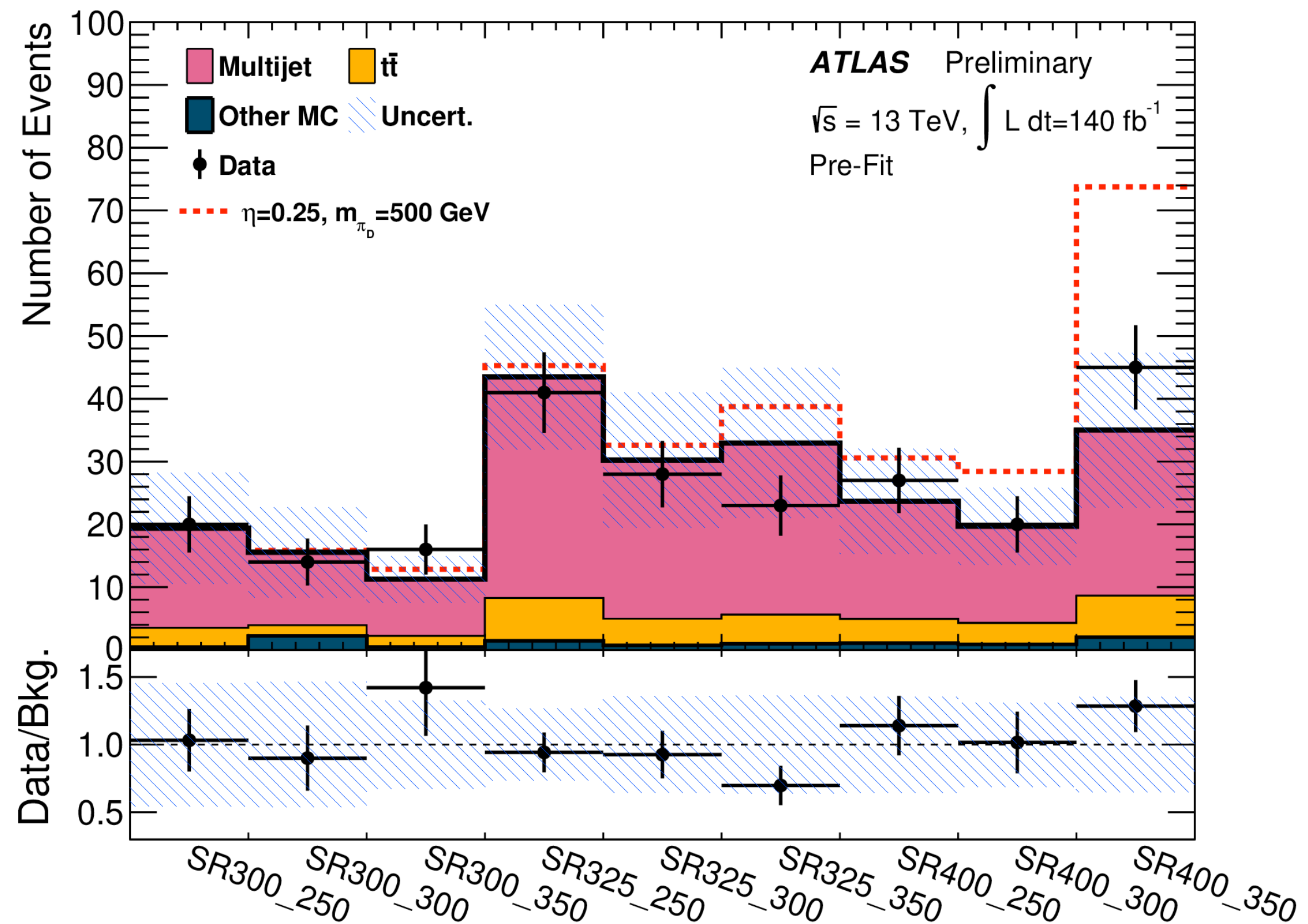


What are we doing with it?

- Full Run 2 data (140 fb⁻¹, 13 TeV) analysis, in all hadronic (CONF note) and 1-lepton final states (ongoing)
- The agreement in validation regions is very reasonable



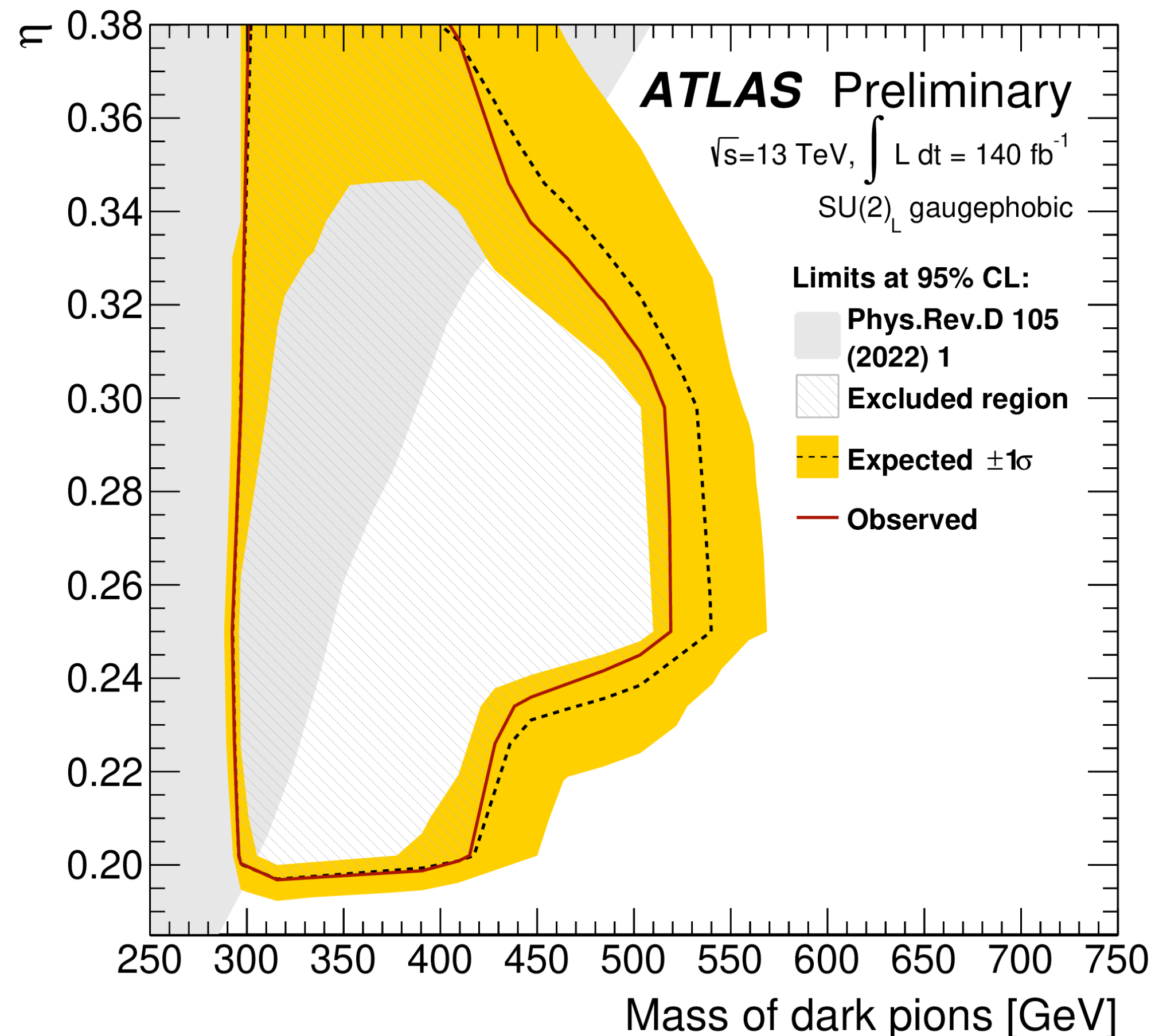
And we see no excess in the signal regions so far



Bins are named by their region in the 2D leading and sub-leading large-R jet mass [GeV] phase space

Results

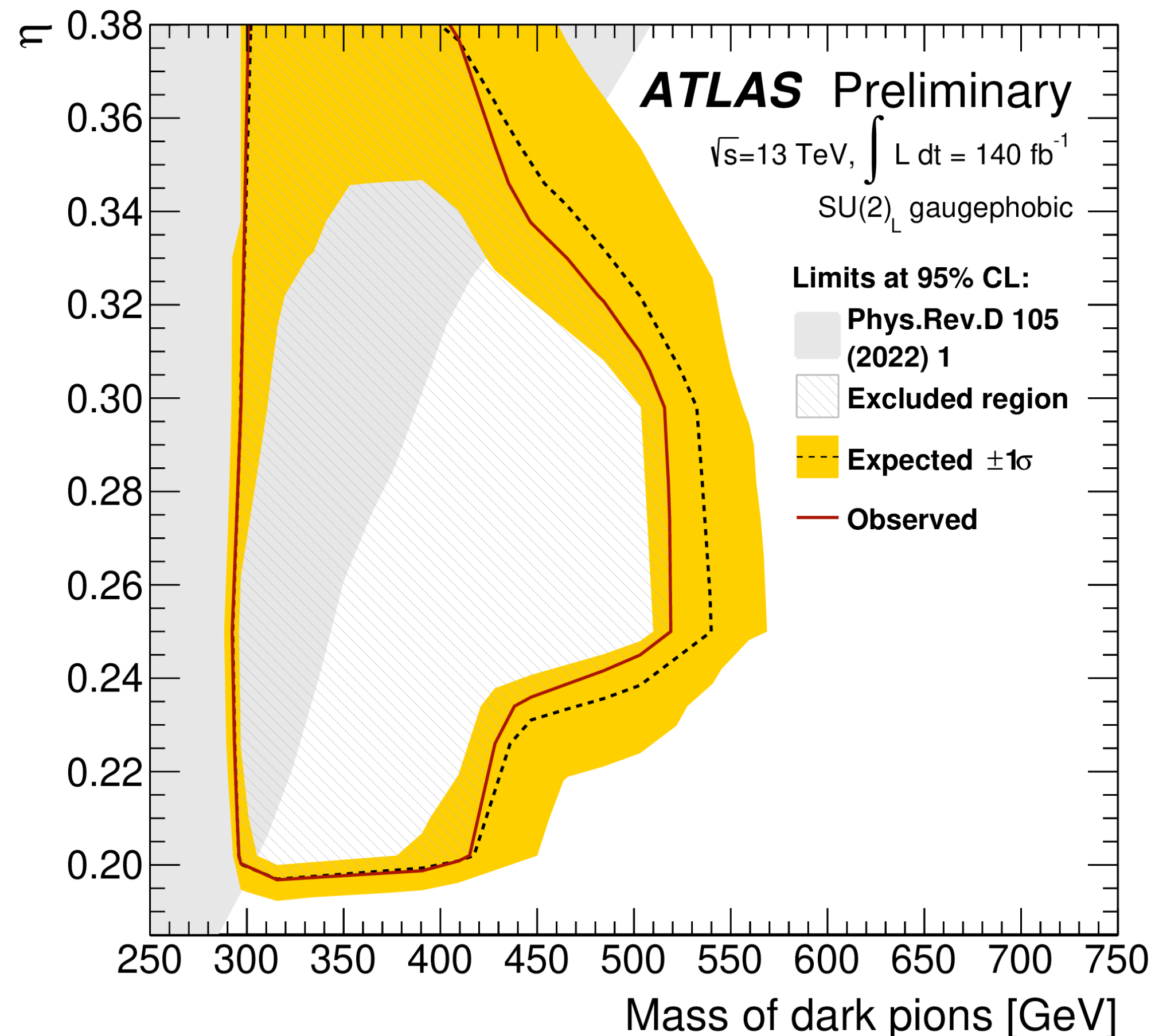
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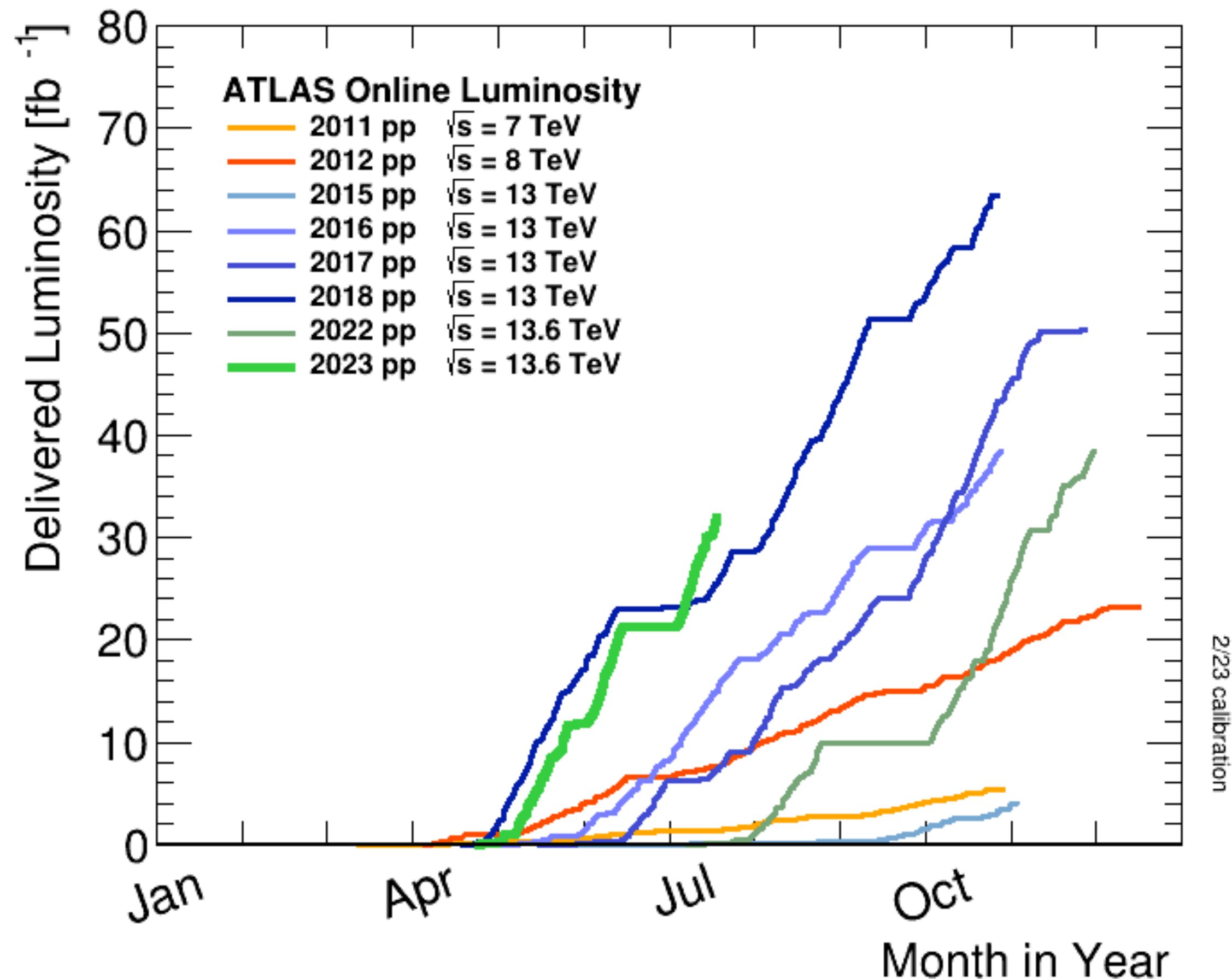
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Stay tuned for the paper!

Back to the LHC in general

The LHC Run-3

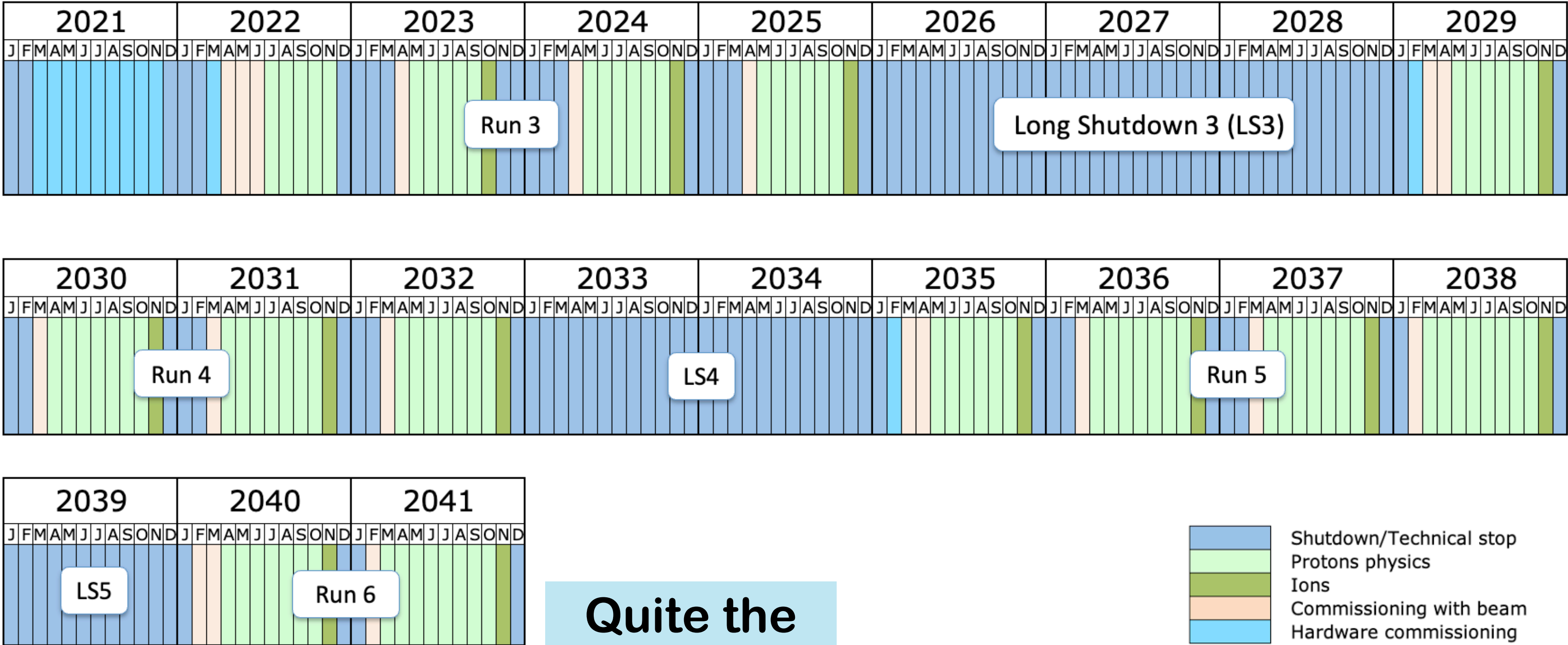
Started last year



- **Run-1 pp dataset:** 5fb⁻¹ at 7TeV / 20fb⁻¹ at 8TeV
- **Run-2 pp dataset:** 140fb⁻¹ at 13TeV
- **Run-3 target:** 250fb⁻¹ (2022-2025)
 - Maybe not a big boost for dark sector searches but a good time to test methods and tools
- Small increase of collision energy: 13.6TeV
- Close to **70fb⁻¹** recorded

But the the Run-3 is the LHC's last

The High-Luminosity upgrade will follow



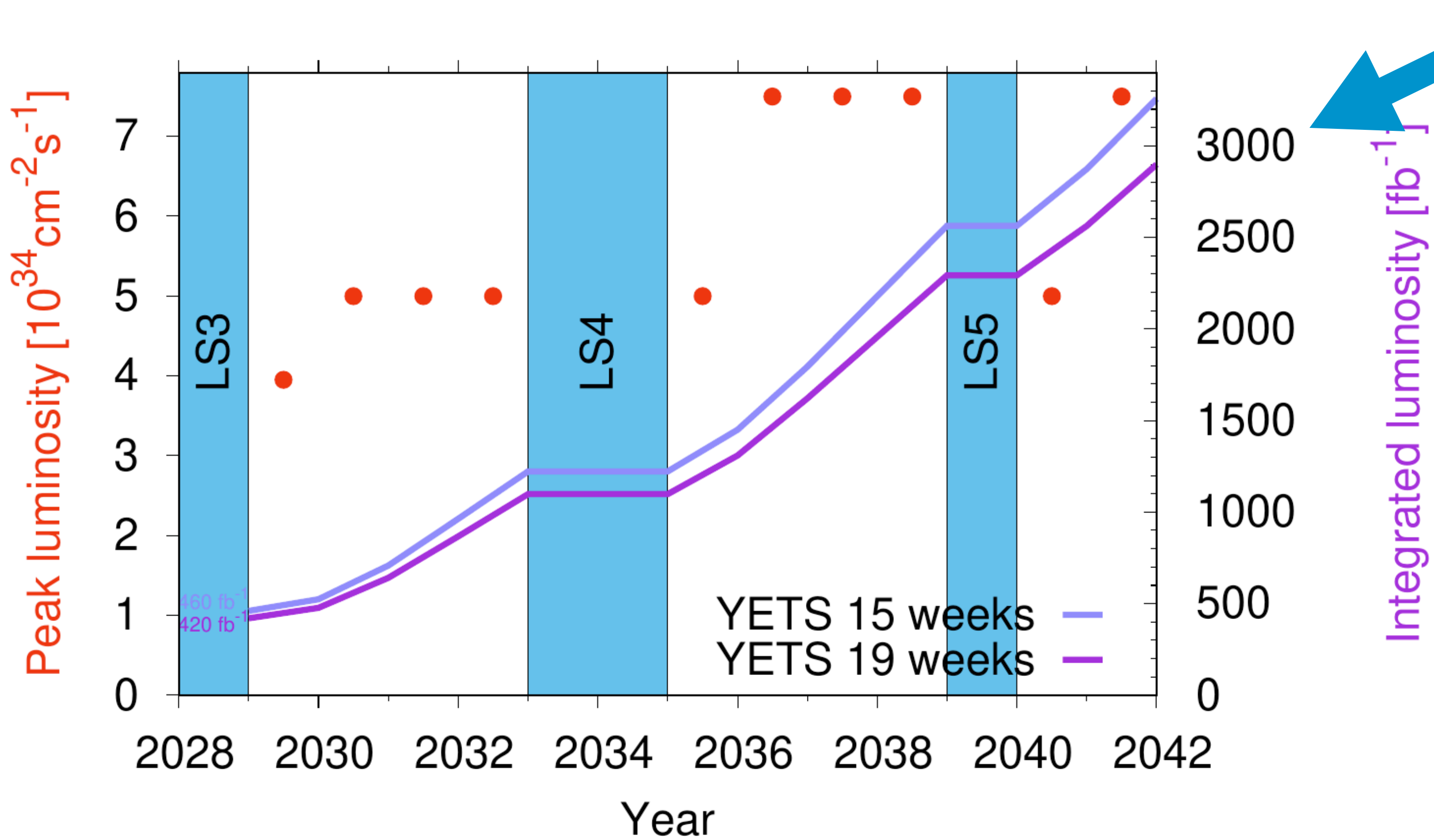
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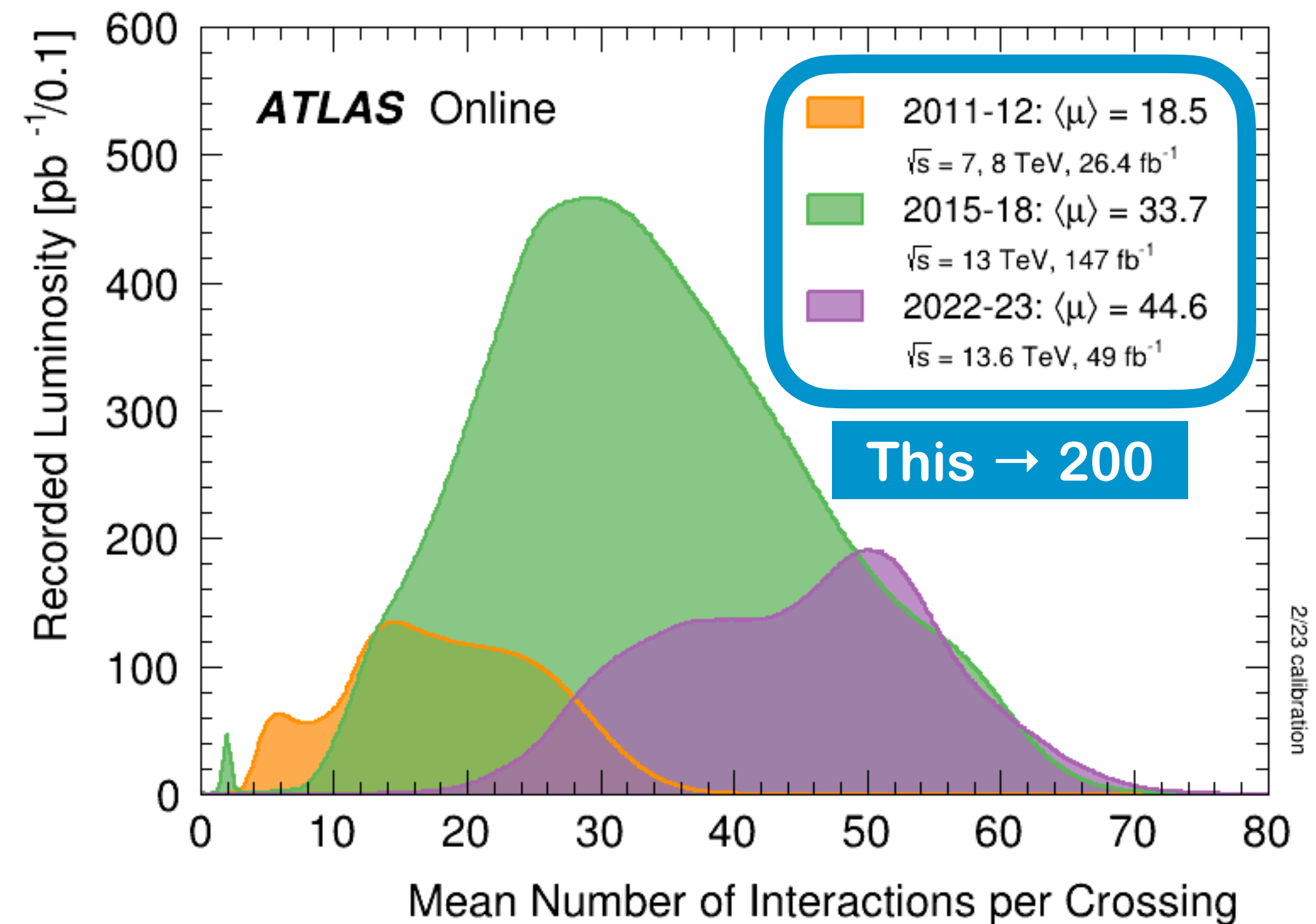
Last update: April 2023

Quite the timescale

- Shutdown/Technical stop
- Protons physics
- Ions
- Commissioning with beam
- Hardware commissioning

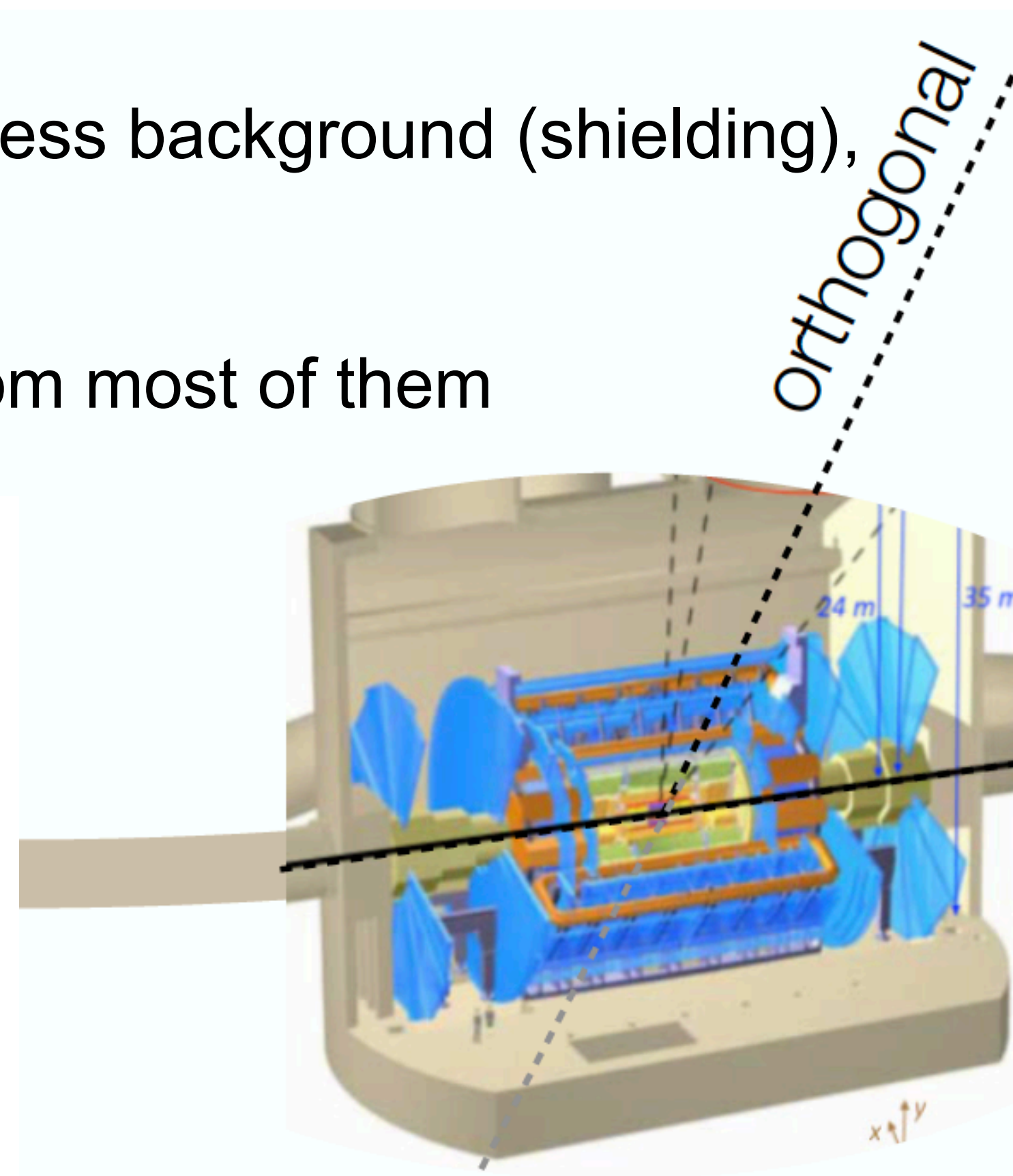
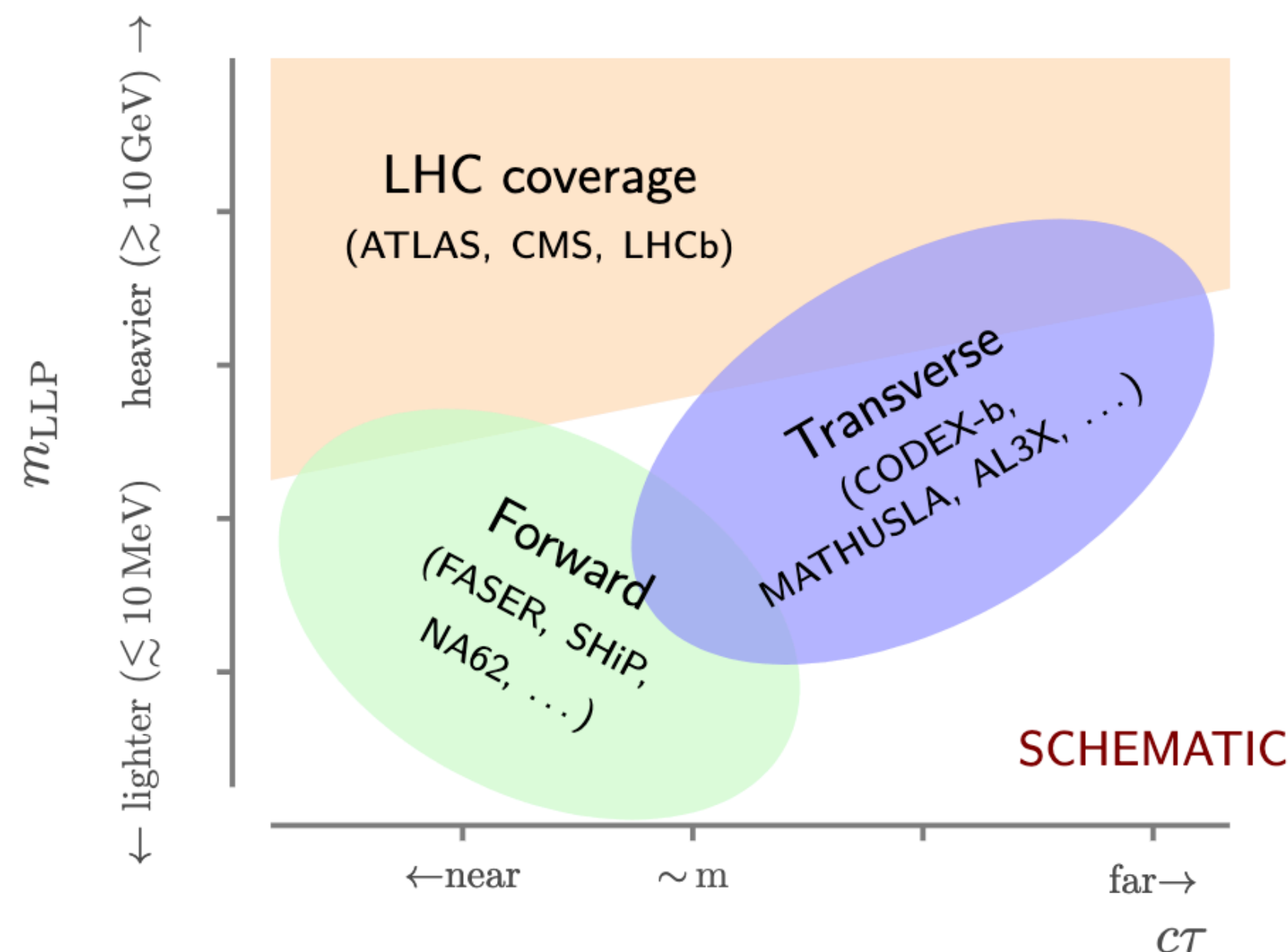


A lot of luminosity (**good** for dark sectors)
but a LOT of pileup too with no increase of
center of mass energy (**bad** in general)



Thinking outside the LHC detectors

- We can supplement them with **external detectors**
- Access to longer decay lengths, less background (shielding), easy trigger (or trigger-less)
- Dark sectors a prime target from most of them



Centrally produced LLPs from the decays of **heavy** states (Exotic Higgs, Twin Higgs, HNL, SUSY) at large angle, off axis
Wide mass range: from $\sim \text{GeV}$ to $\sim \text{TeV}$

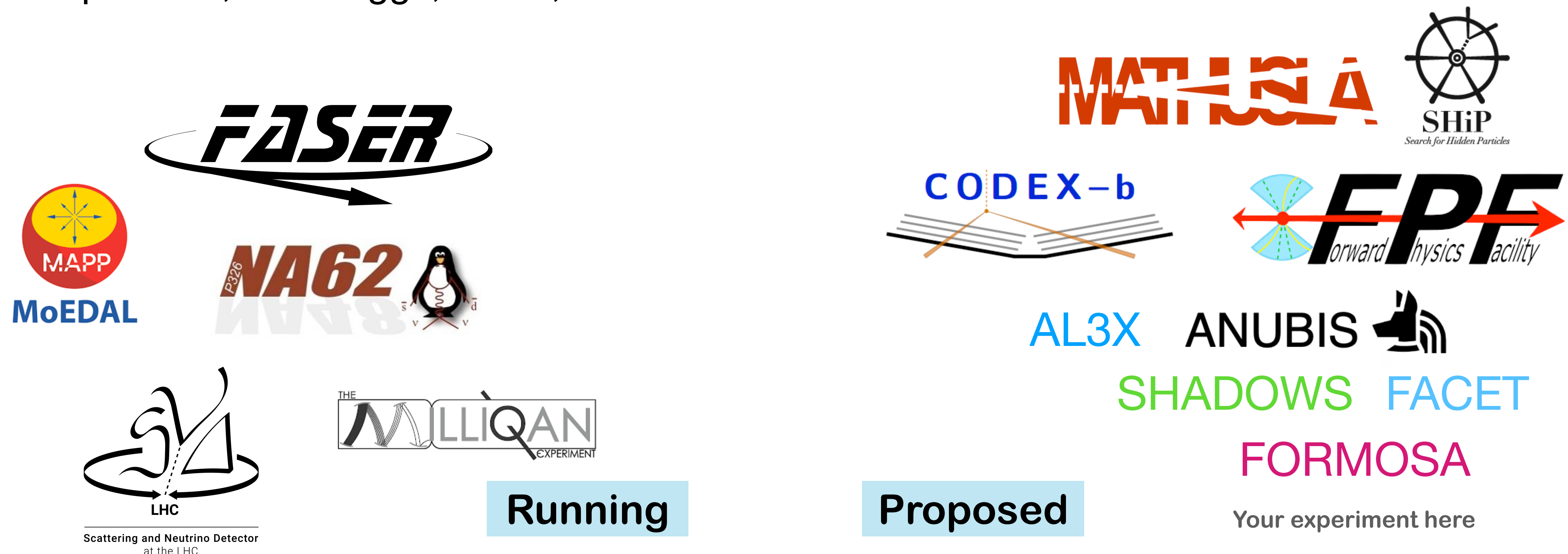
along the beam line

LLPs from weakly coupled **light** particles, with high statistics (higher forward production for lower masses), along the beam axis

There are many experiments

Proposed or running

- And they tend to either directly target dark sectors or have at least sensitivity to some of them:
 - dark photons, dark Higgs, HNLs, ALPs.....



And then?

And then? Then we don't know

We need to decide what we want to build

First: what do we have?

- A relatively new particle that is quite special, our newest **exploration tool**
- Decades of collider expertise to build on top of
- **The largest community we ever had**
- A few options on the table: linear/circular, hadron/lepton($ee/\mu\mu$)
- Priorities

2020 European Strategy Update

“An electron-positron Higgs factory is the highest-priority next collider.

For the longer term, the European particle physics community has the ambition to operate a proton-proton collider at the highest achievable energy.”

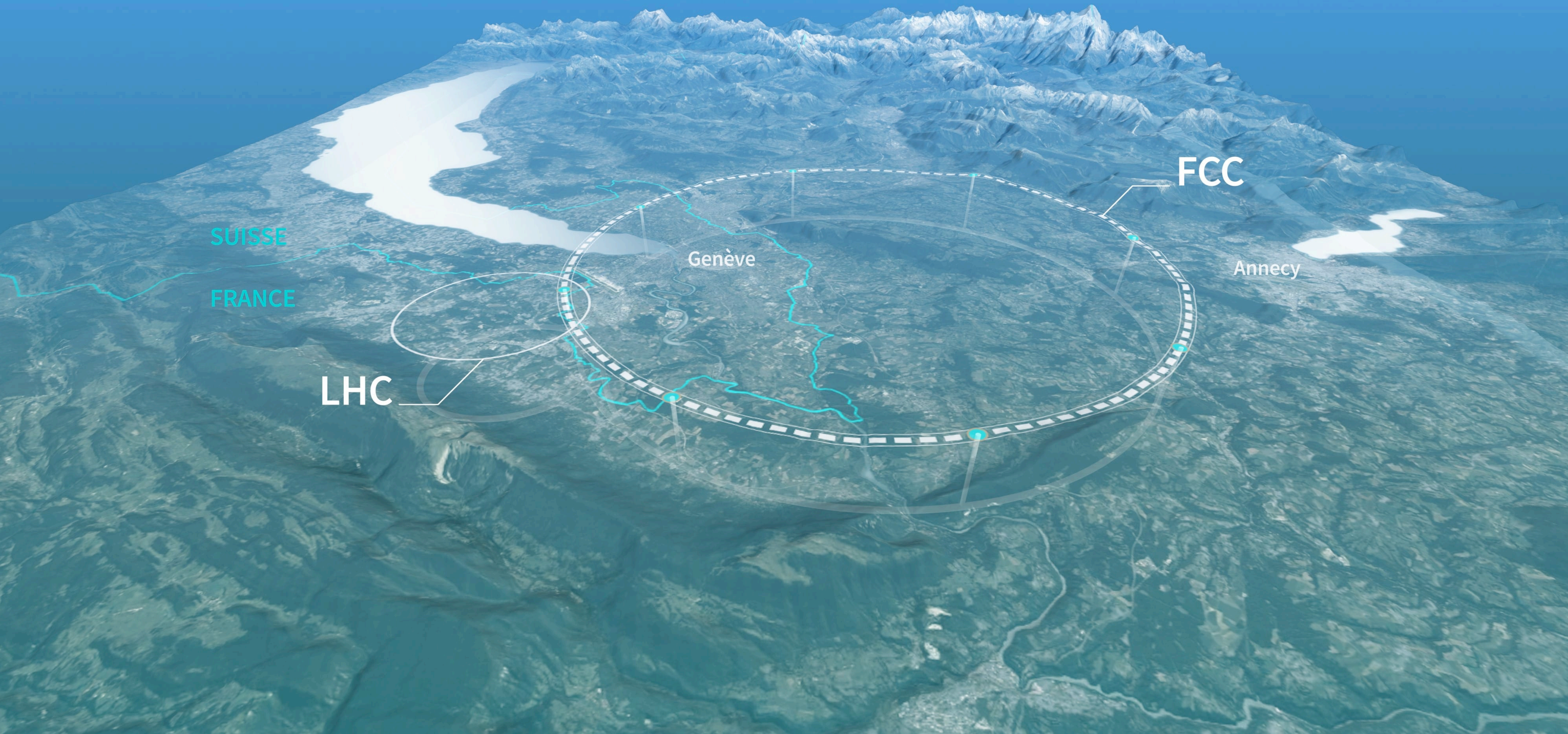
(European Strategy Update brochure)

Snowmass 2021

“The intermediate future is an e^+e^- Higgs factory, either based on a linear (ILC, C3) or circular collider (FCC-ee, CepC). In the long term EF envision a collider that probes the multi-TeV scale, up or above 10 TeV parton center-of-mass energy (FCC-hh, SppC, Muon Coll.)”

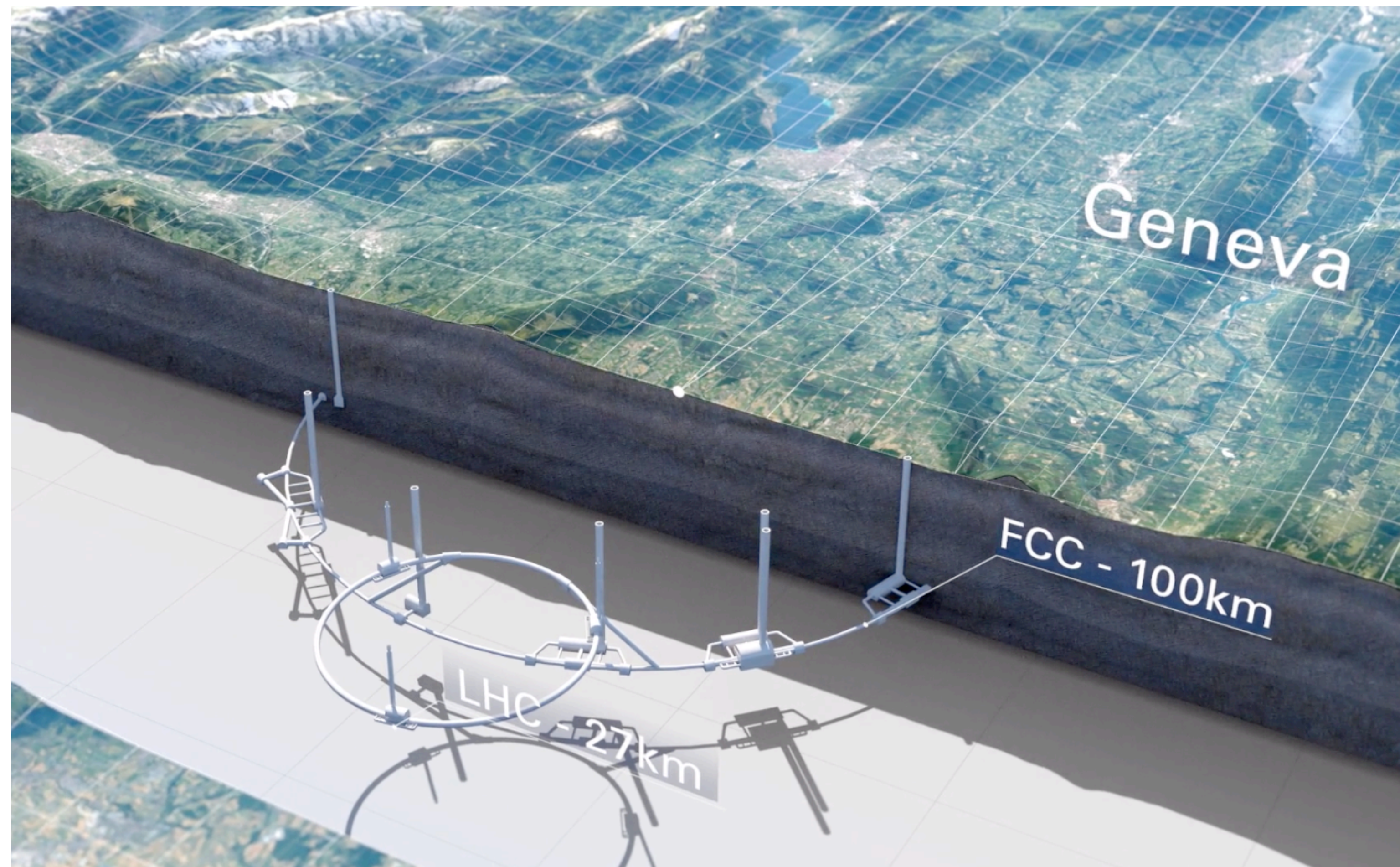
(Energy Frontier Plenary by Alessandro Tricoli)

“I believe FCC is the best project for CERN’s future, we need to work together to make it happen” - Fabiola Gianotti, FCC Week London, 5th June 2023



What is FCC?

Future Circular Collider at CERN



- Linked to the LHC accelerator chain
- Implemented in stages, one e^+e^- precision machine, followed by a high-energy hadron collider

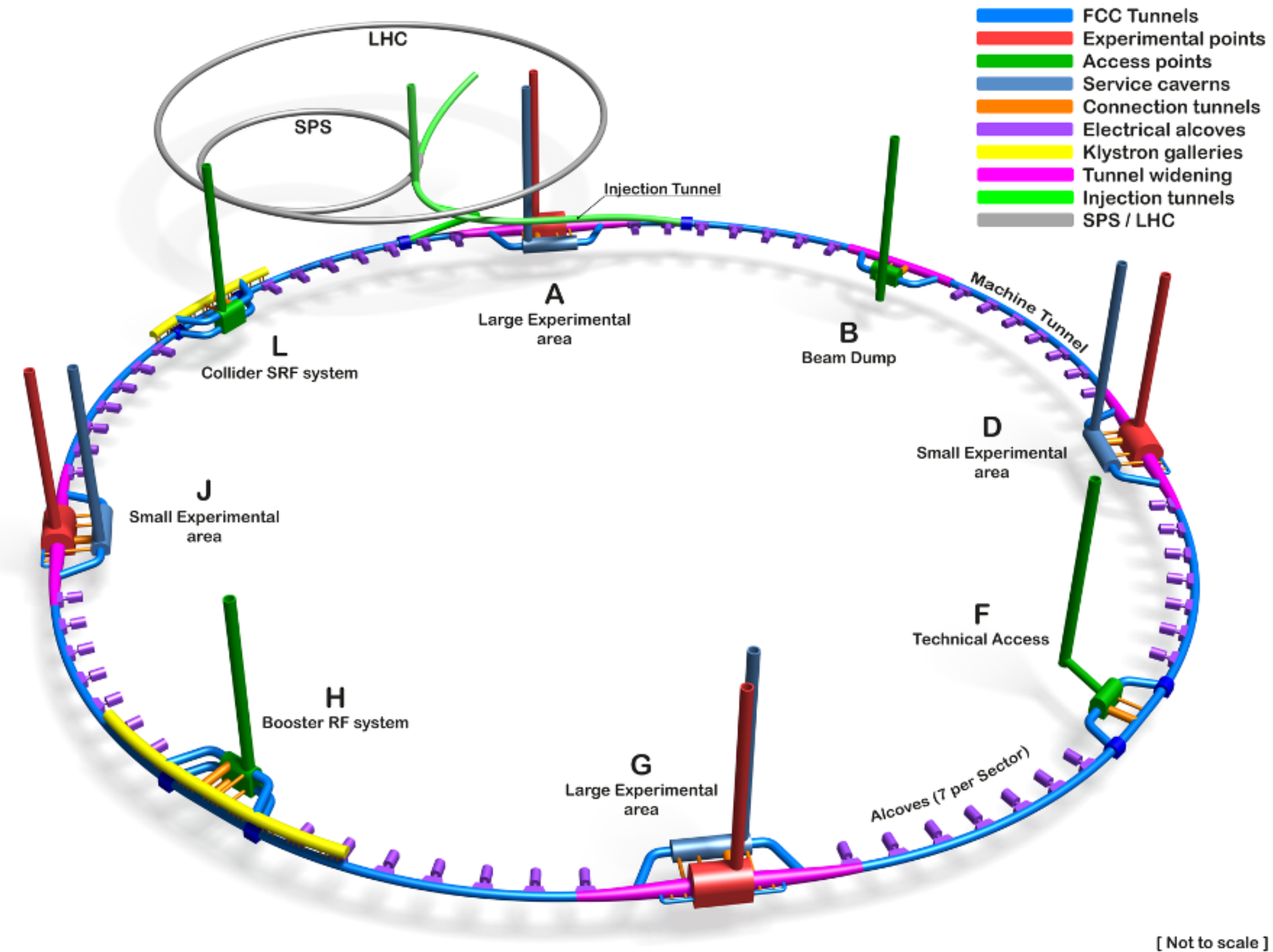
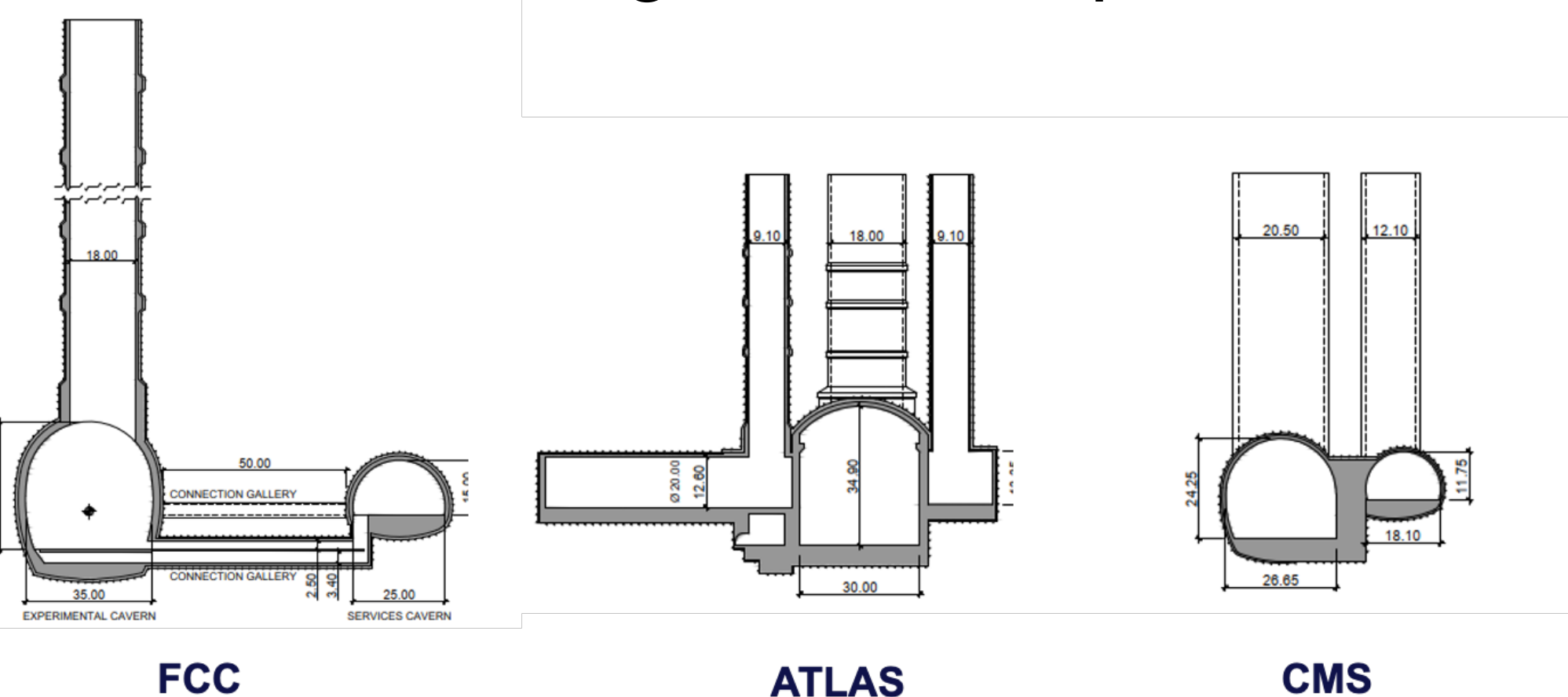
The FCC program covers two frontiers

- **INTENSITY FRONTIER Precision** (electron-positron)
 - **1st stage collider, FCC-ee:** electron-positron collisions 90-360 GeV
 - Construction: 2033-2045 / Physics operation: 2048-2063
 - Stress-test the SM limits → Indirect / low mass BSM sensitivity
- **ENERGY FRONTIER Discovery** (hadron-hadron)
 - **2nd stage collider, FCC-hh:** proton-proton collisions at ≥ 100 TeV
 - Construction: 2058-2070 / Physics operation: ~ 2070 -2095
 - Maximizing potential for BSM discovery → Direct / high mass BSM sensitivity

Strength

In shared infrastructure

- Making use of the current acceleration chain
- Using one tunnel (and one set of caverns) for both stages
 - Following LEP-LHC model
 - 90.7 km ring, 8 surface points

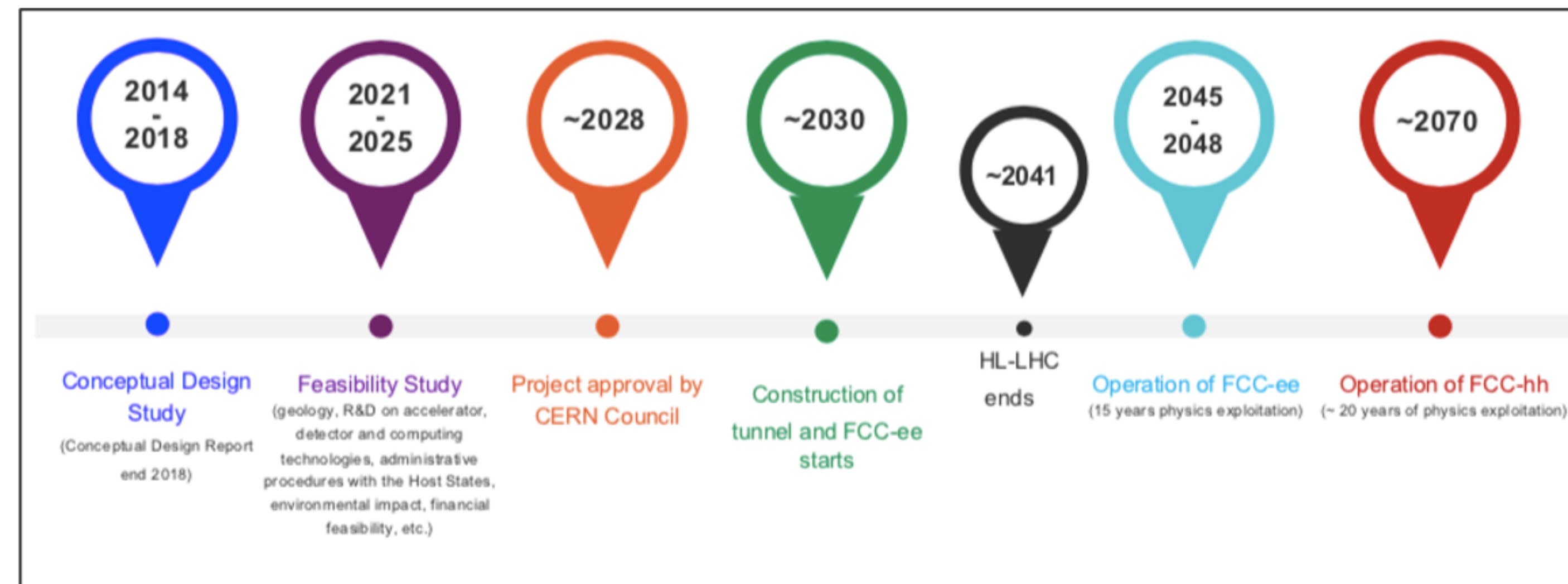


- **4 Experimental areas** 2 large (> ATLAS) & 2 small (~CMS)
- Deepest shaft: 400m
- Average shaft depth: 243m

Strength

In size and timescale

Surprise!



- FCC-ee technology is mature → construction in parallel to HL-LHC operation
- Physics a few years after the HL-LHC (2045-2048)
 - Continuity for multiple generations of high energy physicists guaranteed
 - Only proposed facility that can accommodate the size of the CERN community
- Two-stage approach
 - Allows to **spread the cost** of the (more expensive) FCC-hh over more years
 - **20 years of R&D work towards affordable magnets**
 - Optimization of overall investment by reusing civil engineering and large part of the technical infrastructure

Strength

In physics potential

	\sqrt{s}	L /IP (cm ⁻² s ⁻¹)	Int L/IP/y (ab ⁻¹)	Comments
e⁺e⁻ FCC-ee	~90 GeV Z 160 WW 240 H ~365 top	182 x 10 ³⁴ 19.4 7.3 1.33	22 2.3 0.9 0.16	2-4 experiments Total ~ 15 years of operation <div>Could be 20 years Baseline now 4 IPs</div>
pp FCC-hh	100 TeV	5-30 x 10 ³⁴ 30	20-30	2+2 experiments Total ~ 25 years of operation <div>The LHC is targeting 32 years now, so 25 may be pessimistic</div>
PbPb FCC-hh	$\sqrt{s_{NN}} = 39\text{TeV}$	3 x 10 ²⁹	100 nb ⁻¹ /run	1 run = 1 month operation
ep Fcc-eh	3.5 TeV	1.5 10 ³⁴	2 ab ⁻¹	60 GeV e- from ERL Concurrent operation with pp for ~ 20 years
e-Pb Fcc-eh	$\sqrt{s_{eN}} = 2.2\text{ TeV}$	0.5 10 ³⁴	1 fb ⁻¹	60 GeV e- from ERL Concurrent operation with PbPb

F. Gianotti

	Z pole (90)	H pole (125)?	WW (160)	ZH (240)	tt (365)
Years	8	5	2	3	5
Events	8T	8k	300M	2 M	2 M

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- FCC-ee: **highest luminosities at Z, W, ZH of all proposed Higgs and EW factories**; indirect discovery potential up to ~70 TeV, options for direct BSM searches for feebly interacting particles

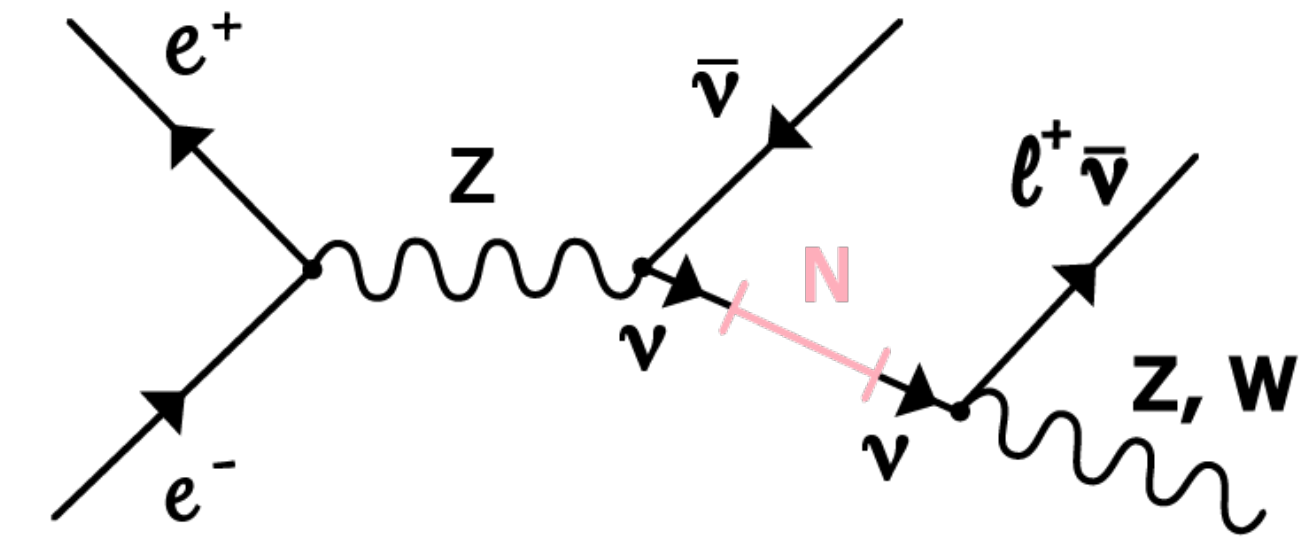
DARK SECTORS!

- FCC-hh: **direct exploration of next energy frontier (~x10 LHC)** and unparalleled measurements of low-rate and “heavy” Higgs couplings (ttH, HH)
- heavy-ion collisions and, possibly, ep/e-ion collisions

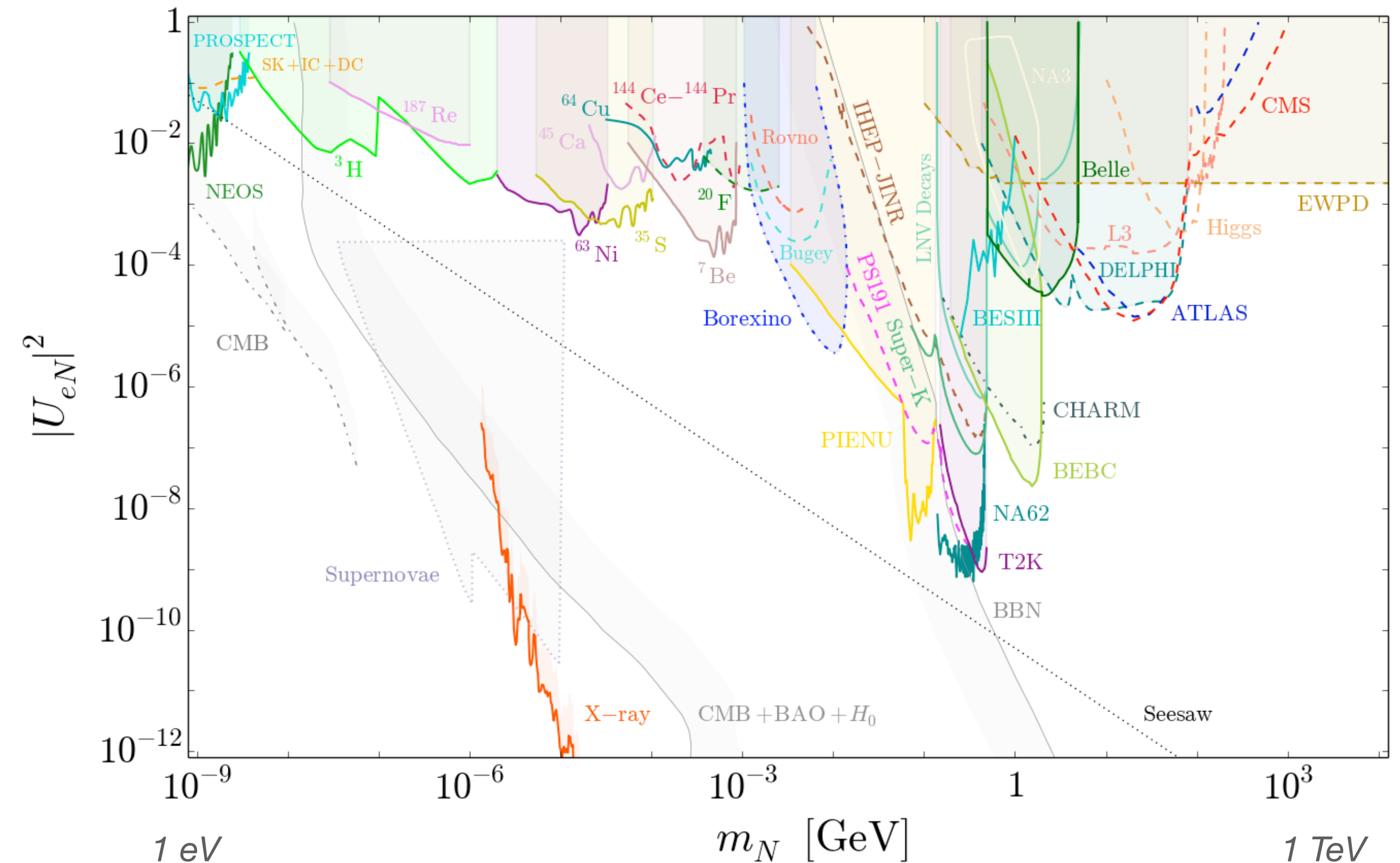
My favourite BSM options at FCC-ee

1- Heavy Neutral Leptons (HNLs)

Right-handed, sterile, heavy neutrinos



- Pdg: Dirac or Majorana fermions with sterile neutrino quantum numbers, that are heavy enough to not disrupt the simplest Big Bang Nucleosynthesis bounds and/or unstable on cosmological timescales
- Typical masses $\sim \text{MeV}$ and above
- Searches generically set bounds on the mixing between the HNL and active neutrinos and the HNL mass
 - Low mixing = long-lived



Current constraints on the electron neutrino-sterile neutrino mixing $|V_{eN}|^2$ as a function of the sterile neutrino mass m_N [Ref]

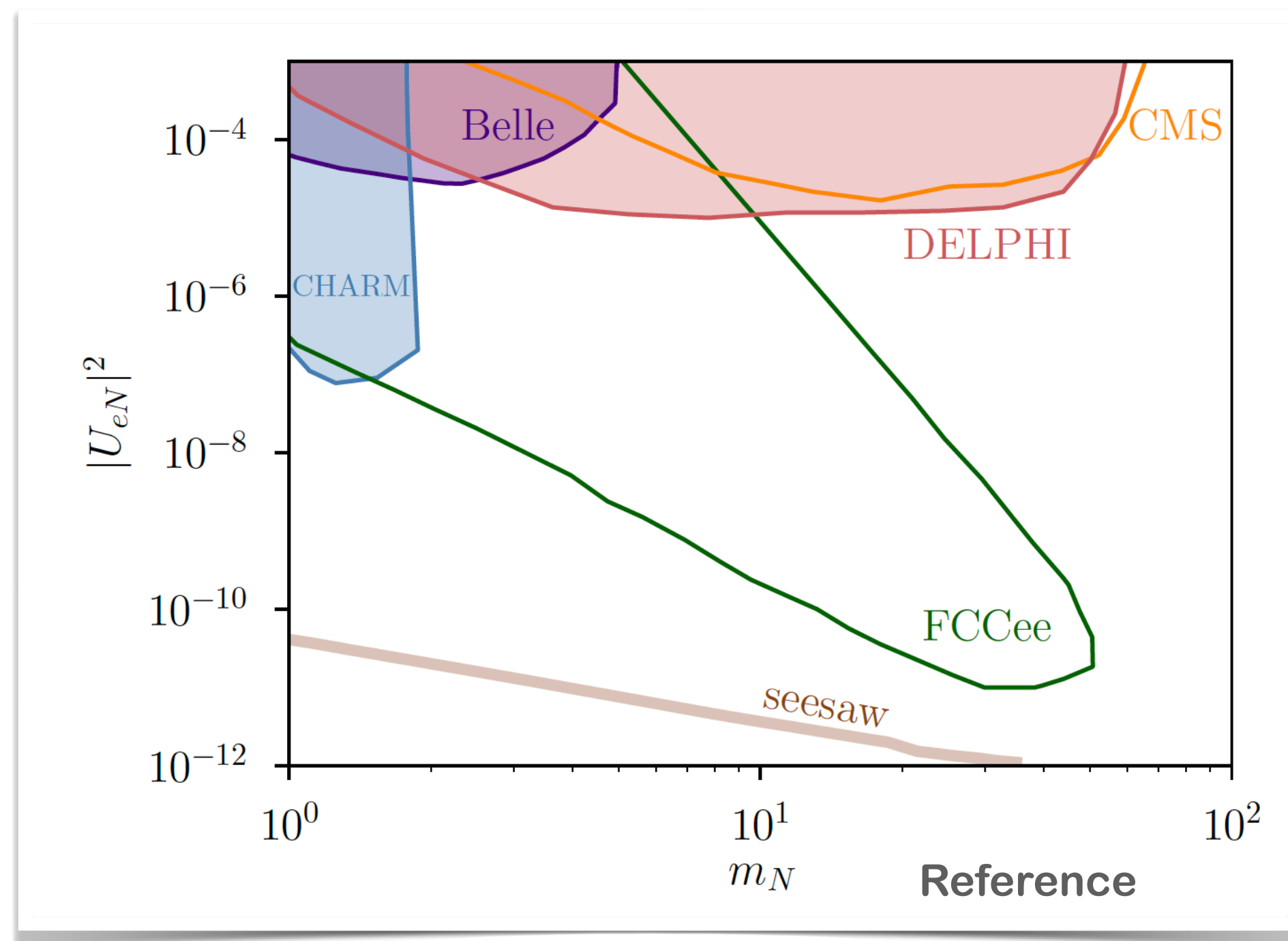
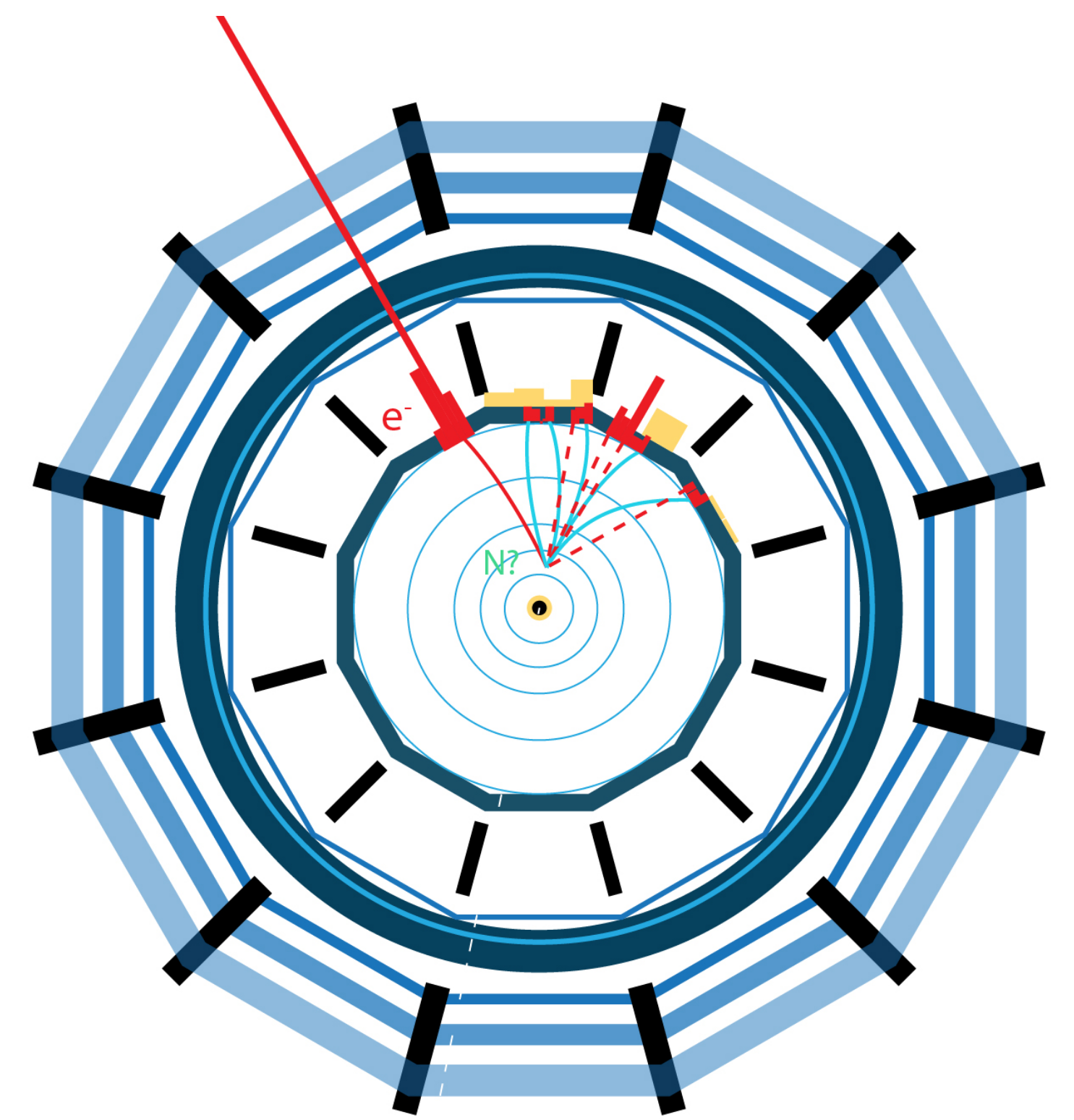
Solves three questions for the price of one

- The simplest way for the SM to incorporate **neutrino masses**
 - To introduce new “right-handed” neutrinos → new HNL
- If these neutrinos follow the see-saw mechanism → neutrinos will be their own antiparticle
 - Bonus solution: **matter-antimatter unbalance of the Universe**
- In the “vMSM”, the extension of the Minimal SM (SMS) in the neutrino sector, adding three right-handed neutrinos
 - The lightest sterile neutrino with mass the keV range → **dark matter!**



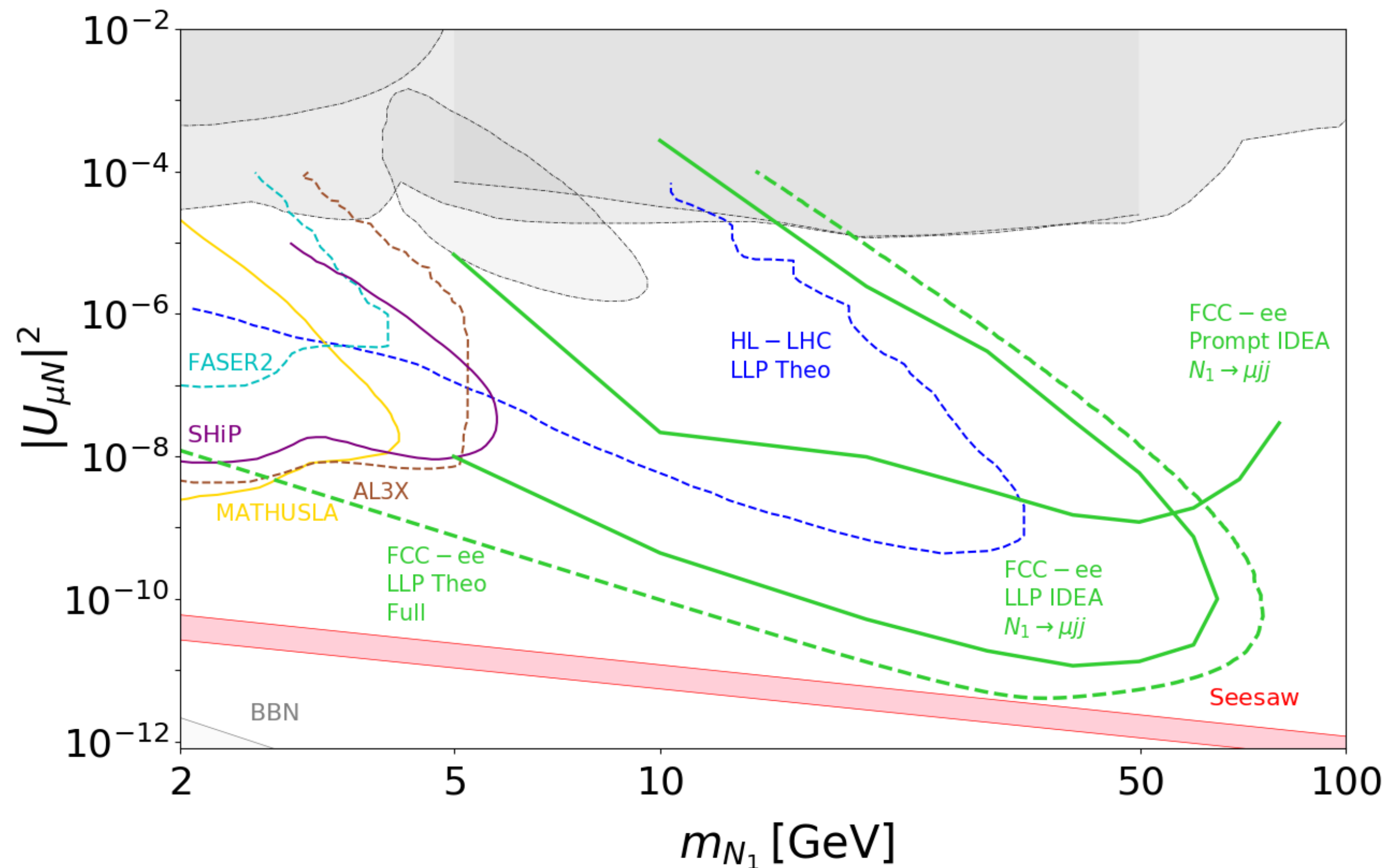
Flagship of BSM at FCC-ee

- The FCC-ee will offer an **unbeatable reach at the Z-Pole run**
- Working towards a complete sensitivity analysis implemented in FCC software → Displaced and prompt



- Large Snowmass effort:
 - [arXiv:2203.05502](https://arxiv.org/abs/2203.05502), [arXiv:2203.08039](https://arxiv.org/abs/2203.08039), [arXiv:2209.13128](https://arxiv.org/abs/2209.13128)
- Internal note for midterm report:
 - <https://new-cds.cern.ch/records/wnd8t-1k526>

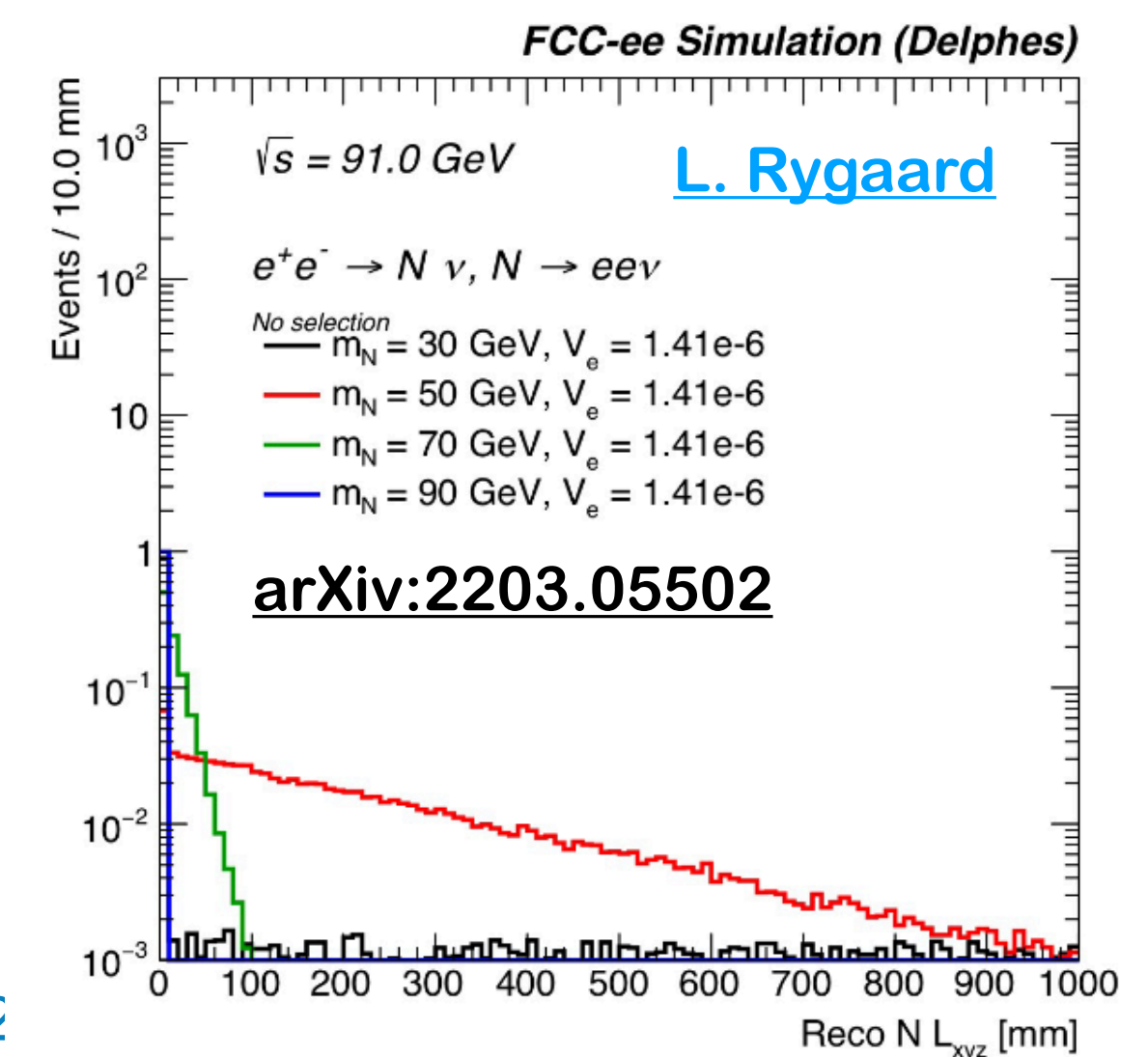
Experimental sensitivity studies



Master theses: [Sissel Bay Nielsen](#), [Rohini Sengupta](#), [Lovisa Rygaard](#), [Tanishq Sharma](#), [Dimitri Moulin](#)

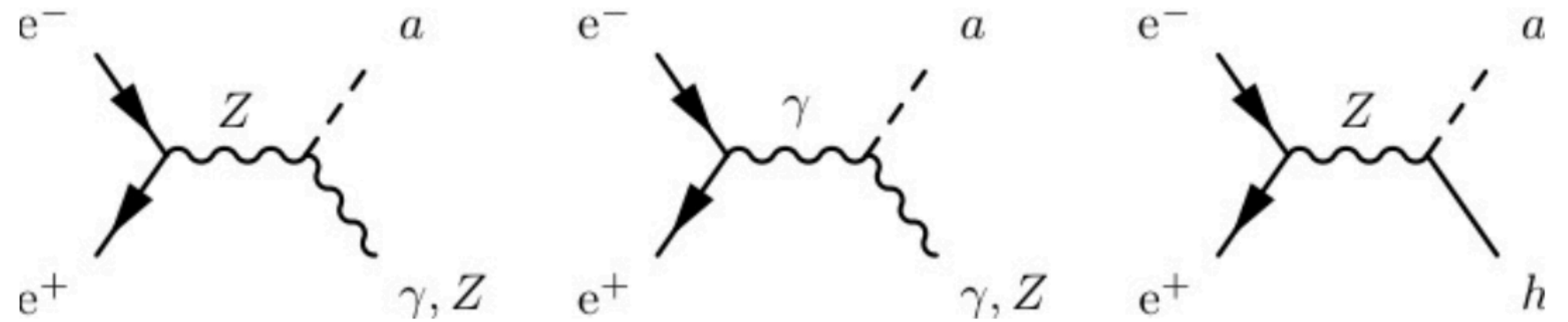
- HNL discovery possible over a mass range beyond the reach of specialised LLP detectors being developed, and for much smaller couplings than the ones to be covered at the HL-LHC
- A large part of the area favoured by the seesaw model would be covered for masses below 60-70 GeV

Reconstruction-level three-dimensional decay length of the N

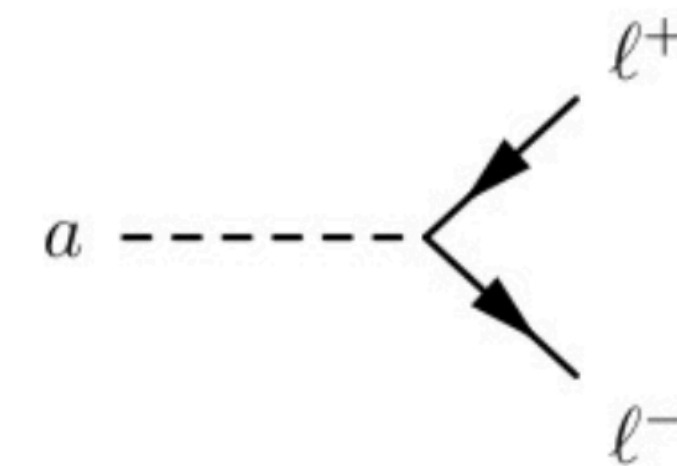
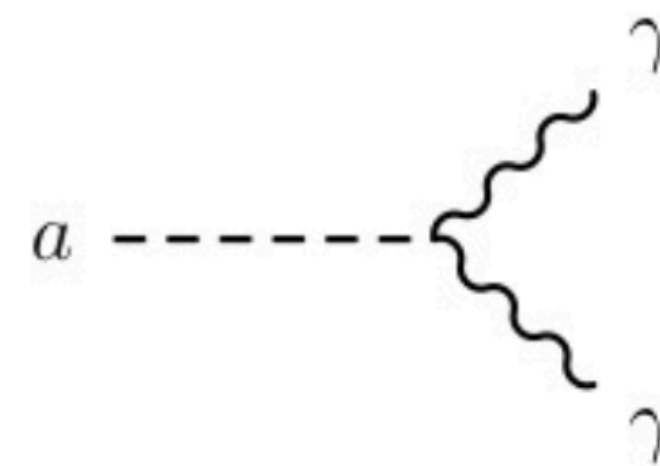


2. ALPs

Axion-like particles

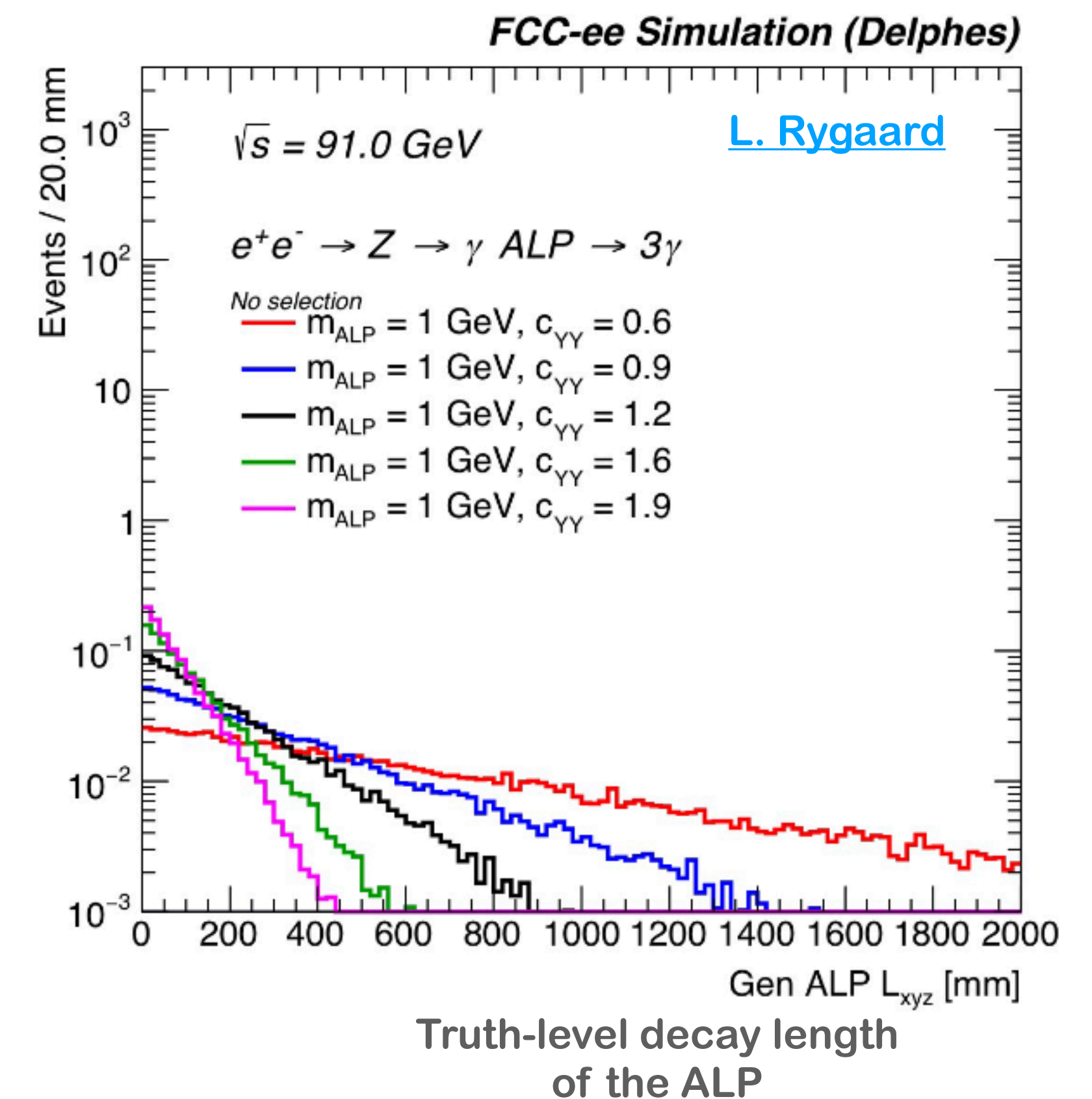
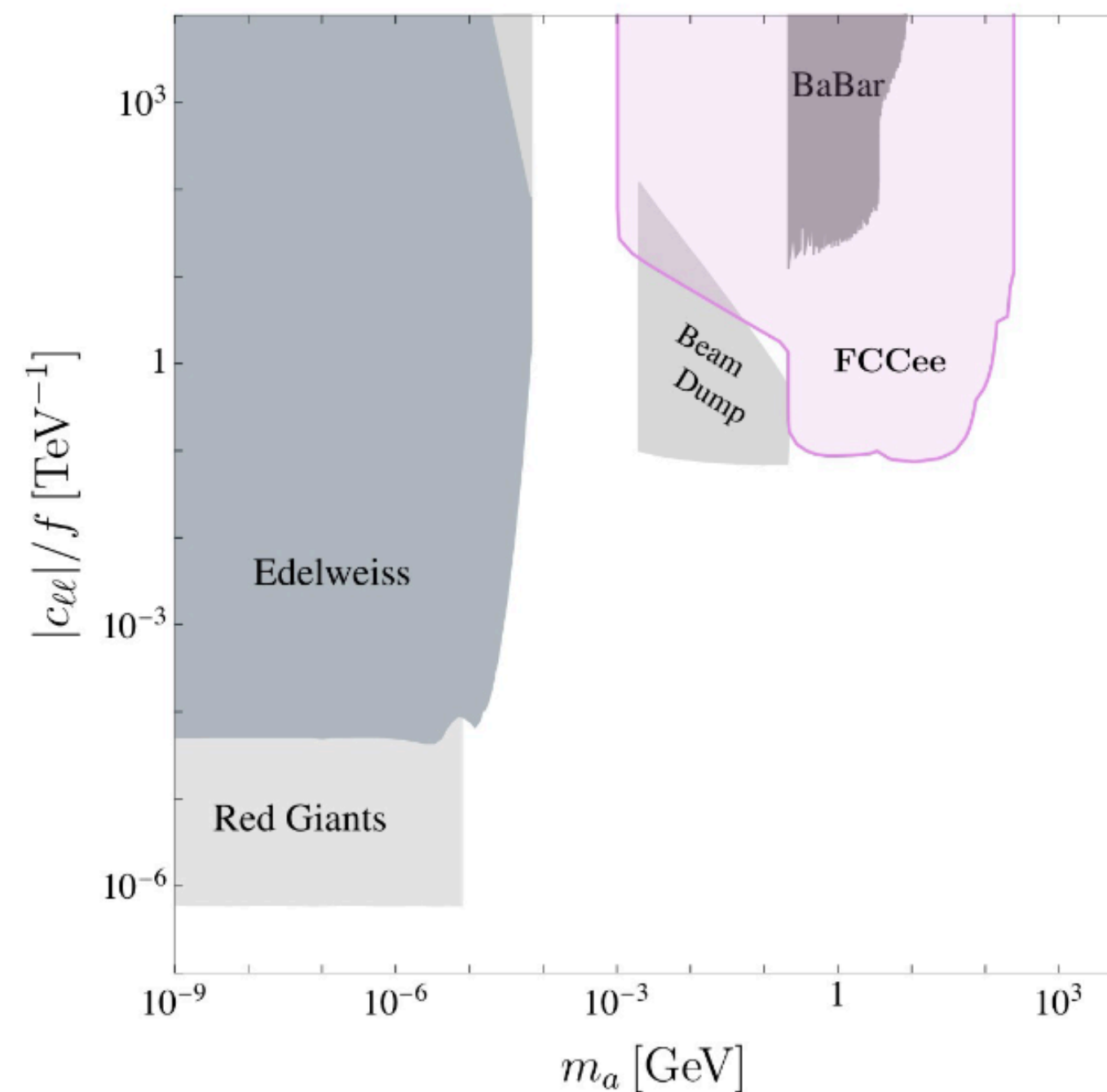
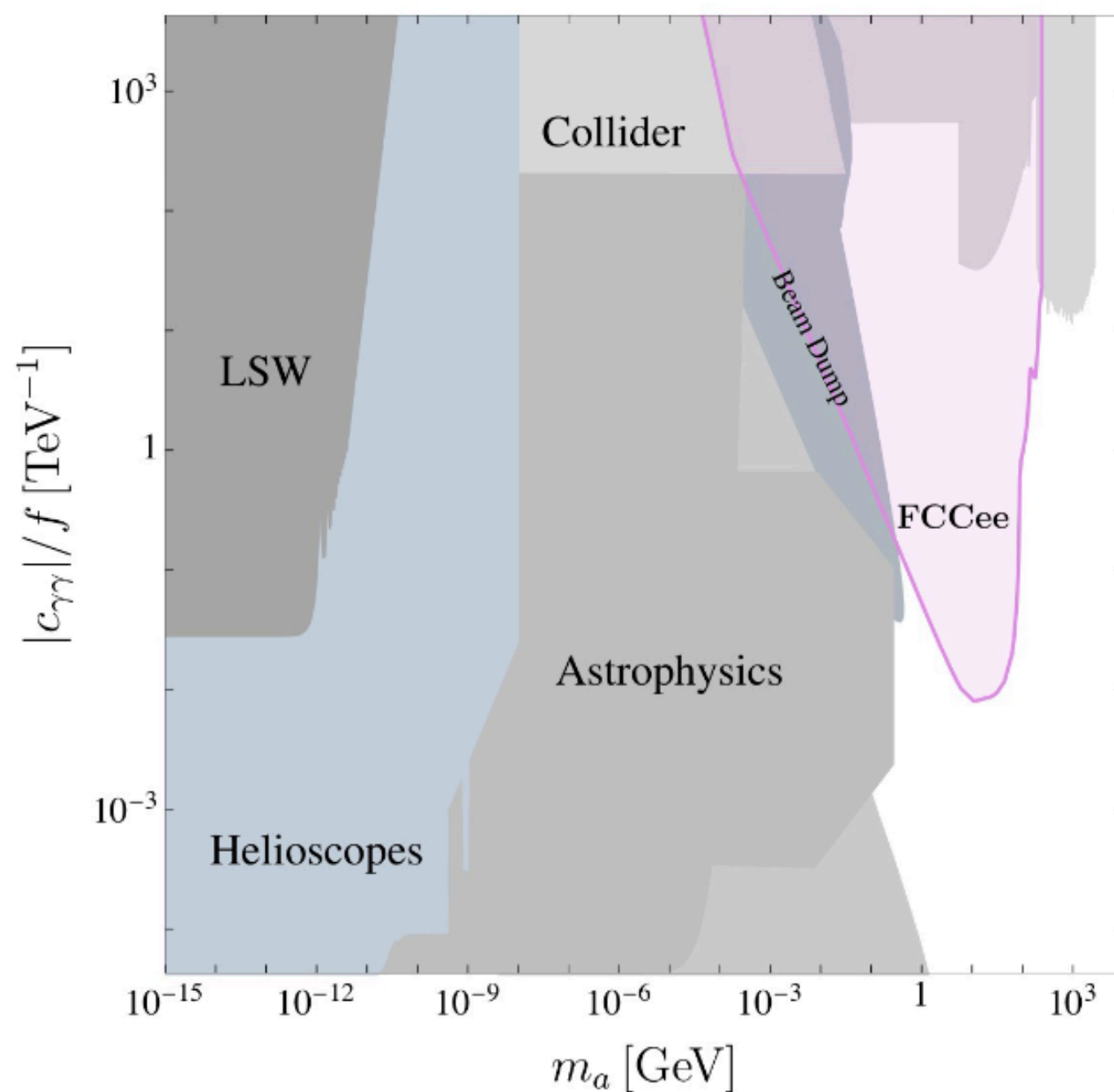


- Pseudo-scalar particles predicted by BSM models with a spontaneously broken global symmetry (notably string theory), versatile in terms of mass and SM couplings
 - they could be dark matter candidates in certain regions
 - In others: dark sector mediators
 - Feeble interaction \rightarrow long-lived



FCC-ee for ALPs

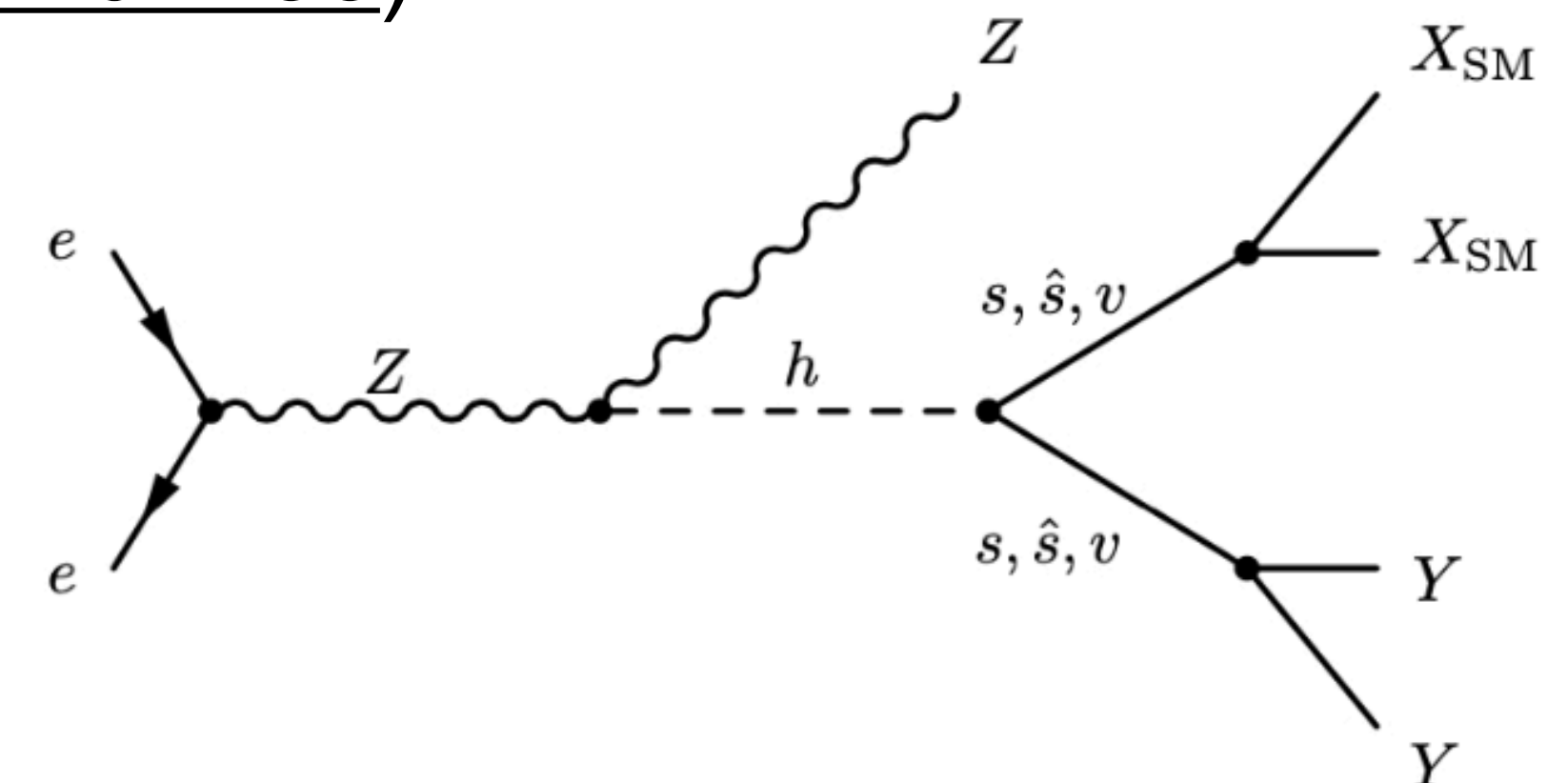
- Specially sensitive final states at FCC-ee of ALPs produced with photons
 - Calorimetry crucial to study this signature
- First generation studies with FCC software available



3. The Higgs boson

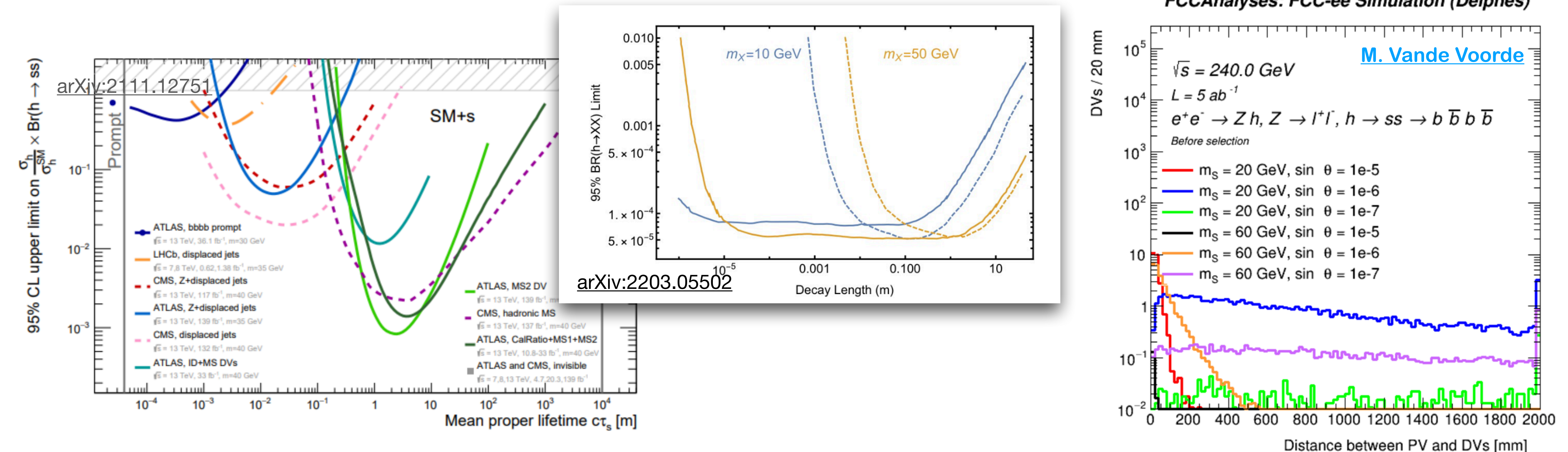
To be more precise, its decays

- We are still getting to know the Higgs boson, the LHC is the only place to study it (for now)
- So far it looks SM-like but it still could be exotic and provide us with indications of what lies beyond the SM
- Exotic Higgs decays to long-lived particles are possible and present in many models:
 - SM extensions with scalars/fermions/vectors, MSSM, NMSSM, Hidden Valleys, Twin Higgs ([arXiv:1312.4992](#), [arXiv:1812.05588](#), [arXiv:1712.07135](#))

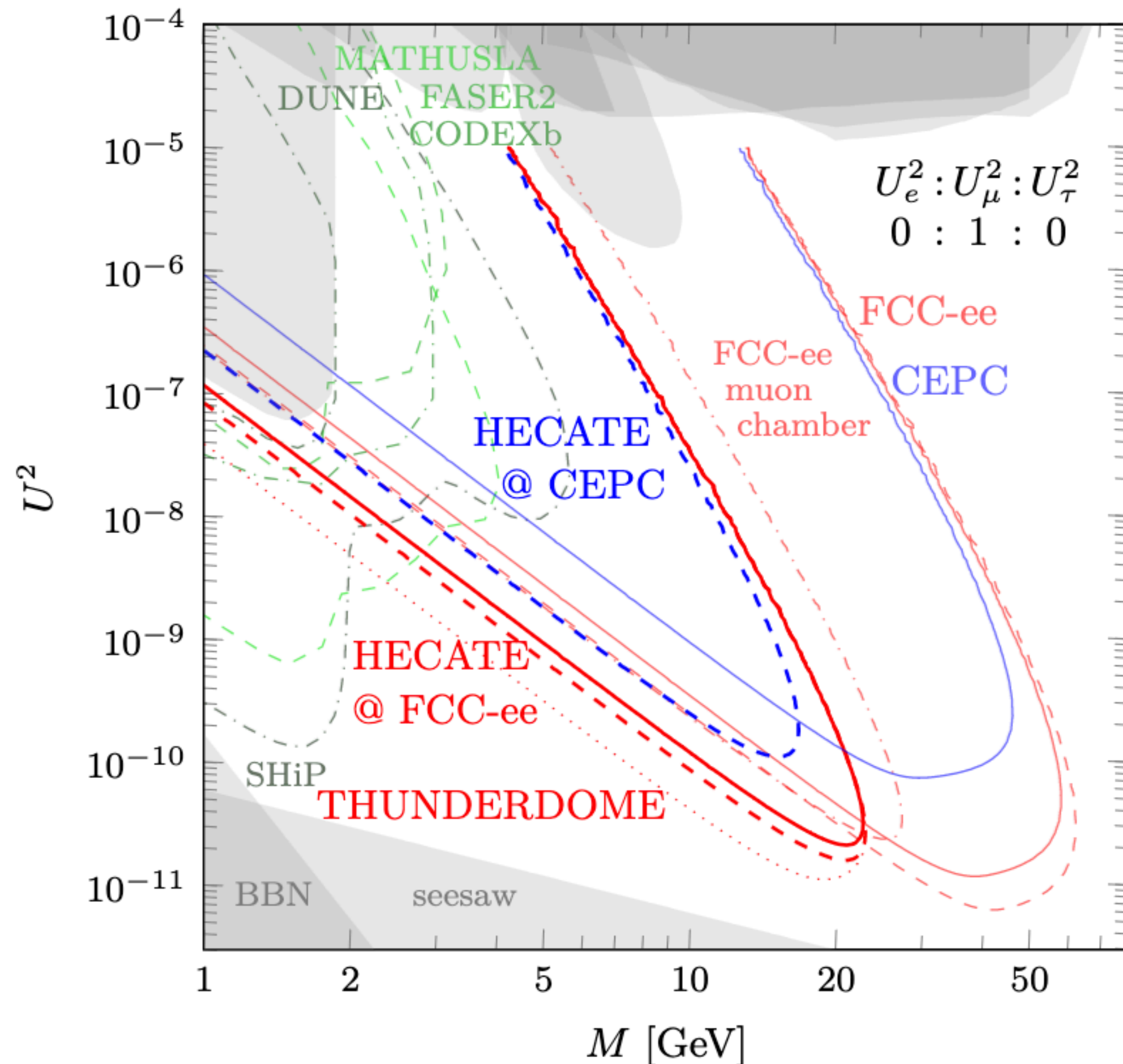


We are also working on that!

- Experimental studies ongoing with a SM + S model ([arXiv:1312.4992](https://arxiv.org/abs/1312.4992), [arXiv:1412.0018](https://arxiv.org/abs/1412.0018))
- Long-lived scalars for sufficiently small mixing between the Higgs and the scalar
- Note for midterm report: <https://doi.org/10.17181/xgyvv-xfd72>



Extra detectors



- Following the example of the LHC we can also propose additional experiments for future colliders
- FCC-ee will have much bigger detector caverns than needed (to use them further for FCC-hh)
- We could install extra instrumentation at the cavern walls
- HECATE: A long lived particle detector concept for the FCC-ee or CEPC: [arXiv:2011.01005](https://arxiv.org/abs/2011.01005)
- What about a **Forward Physics Facility at FCC?**

Far Detectors
[arXiv:1911.06576](https://arxiv.org/abs/1911.06576)
 for ALPs at FCC-ee, CepC
[arXiv:2201.08960](https://arxiv.org/abs/2201.08960)

Summary

- Dark sectors: powerful alternative and complement to searches for dark matter at colliders
 - Can address the **lack of obvious BSM signals** → providing accessible new areas for BSM to hide
 - Are connected to other interesting physics questions such as neutrino masses
 - Display **unconventional experimental signatures** that offer us the opportunity to think outside the box
 - **Innovation**: in methods and experimental setups
- Searches ongoing at the LHC experiments + variety of **additional experiments** ongoing/proposed to complement them at collision points, or using beam dumps
- At **future Higgs factories** (FCC-ee) dark sector searches could hold the key to new physics: HNLs, ALPs, exotic decays of the Higgs boson

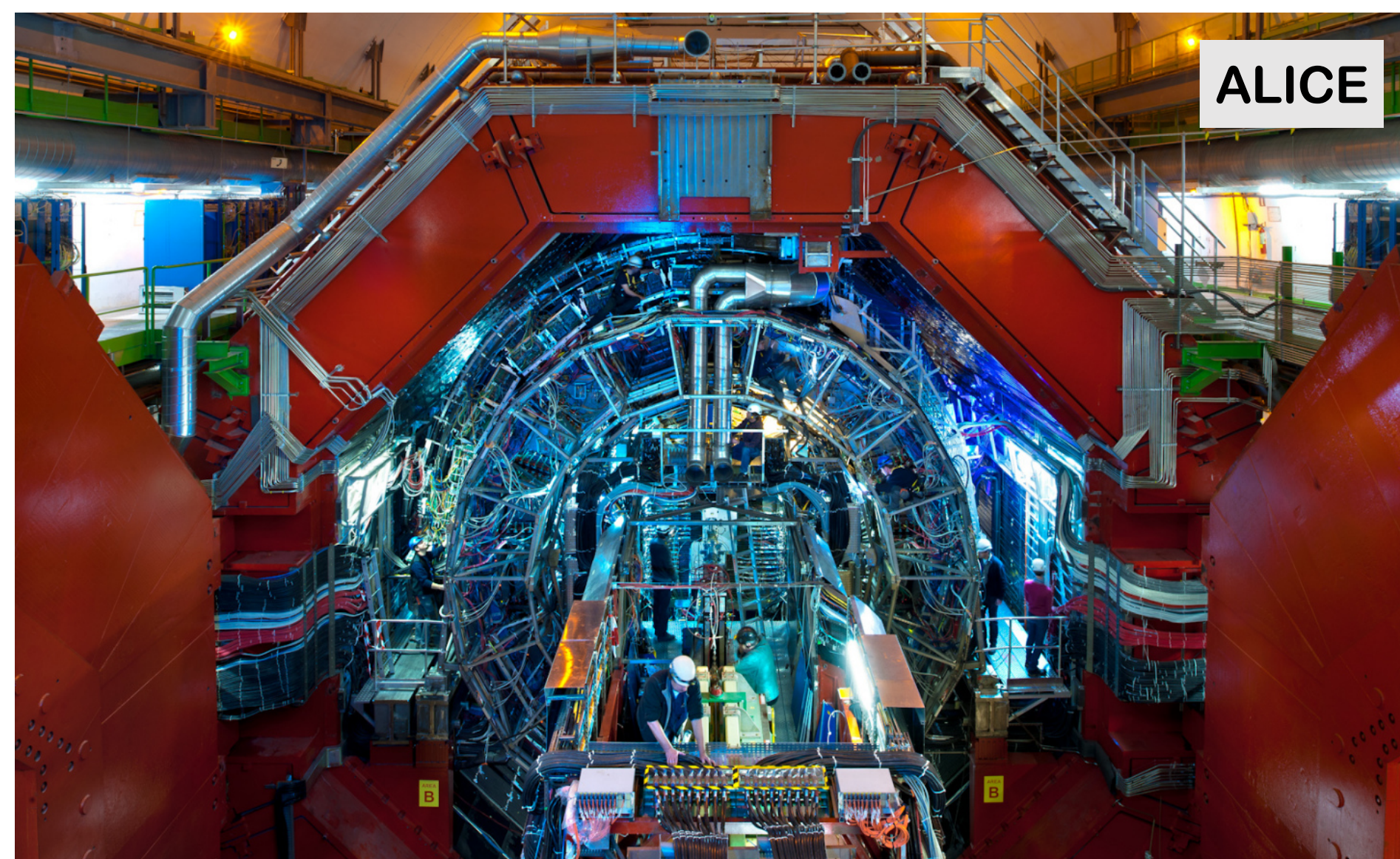
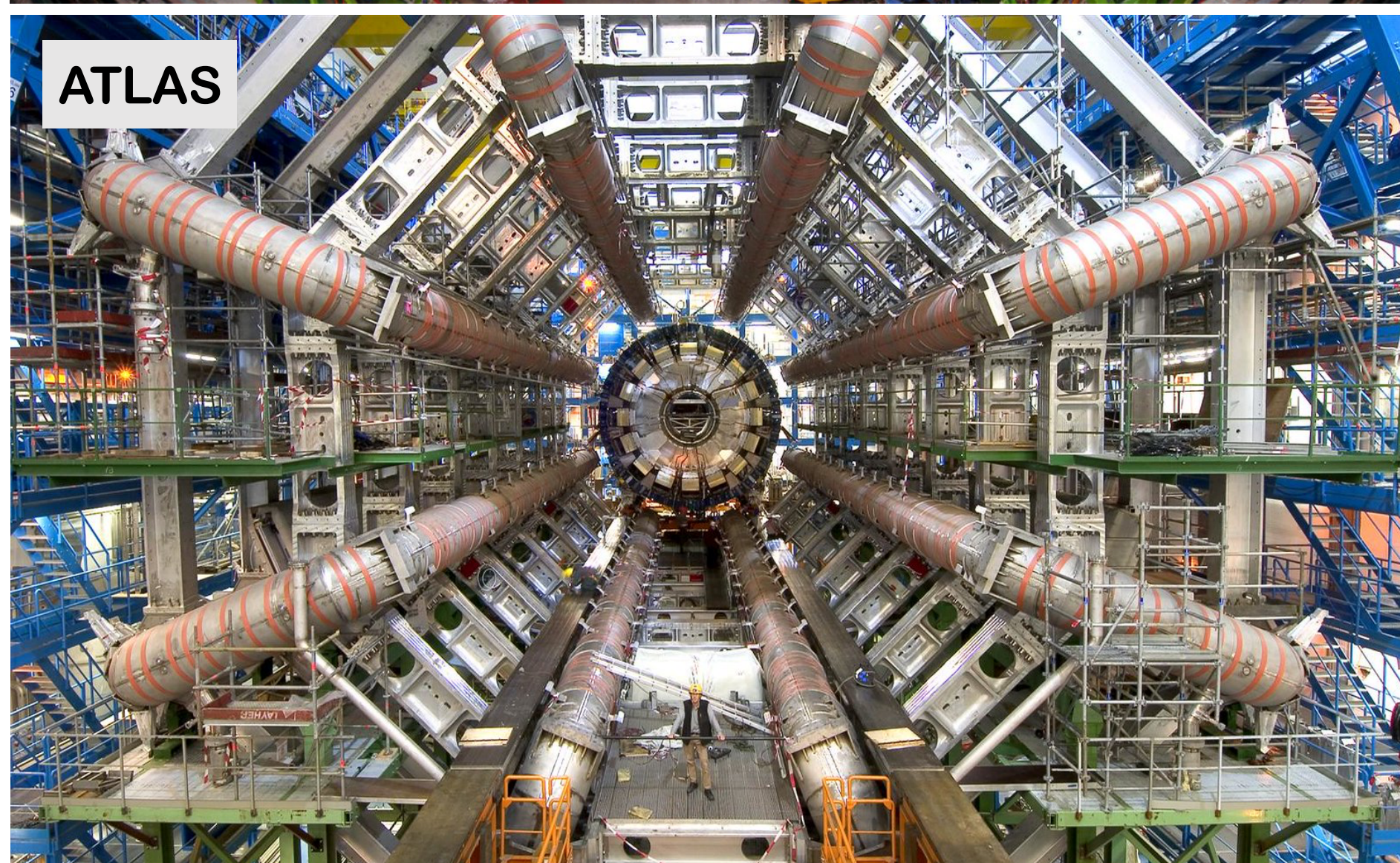
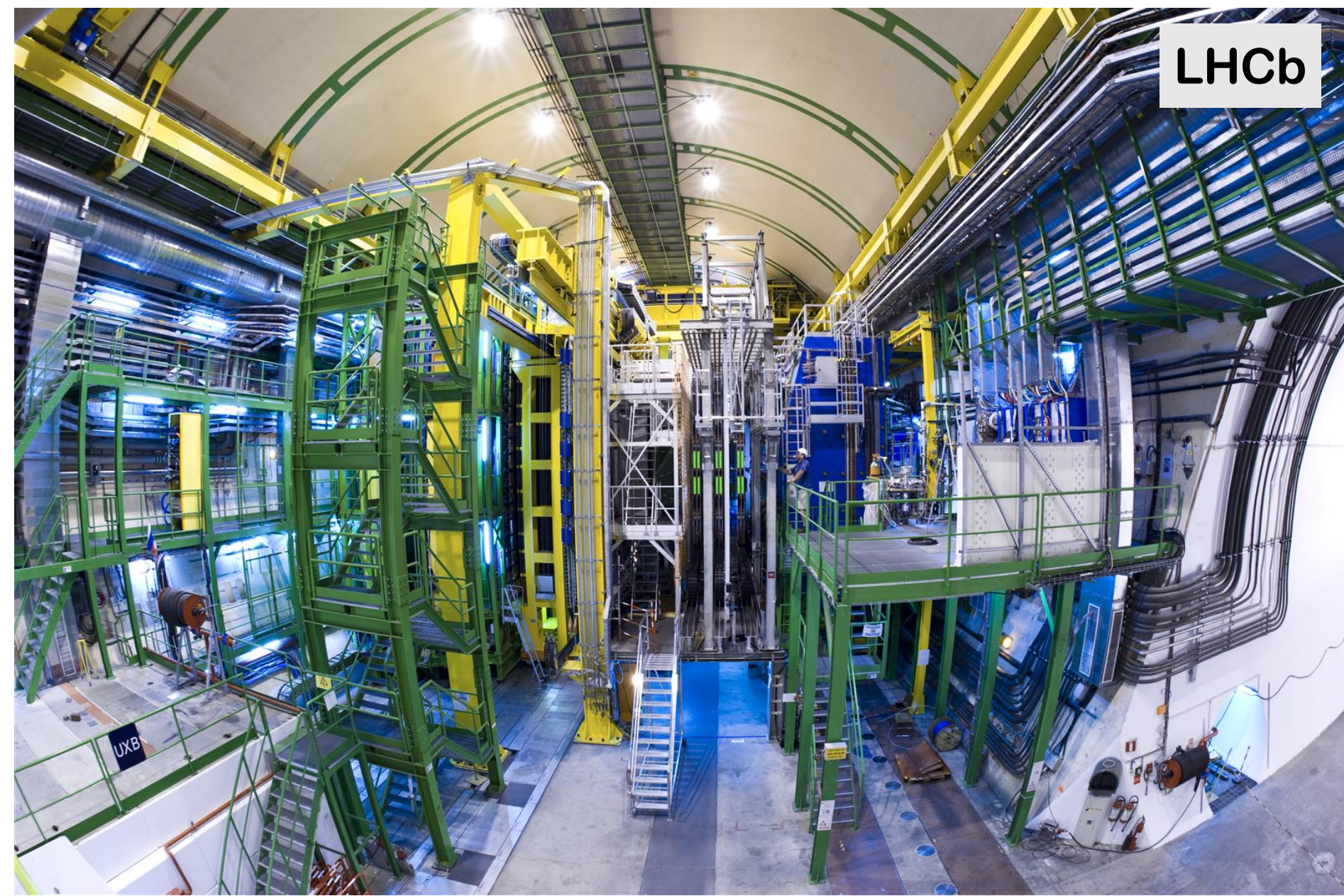
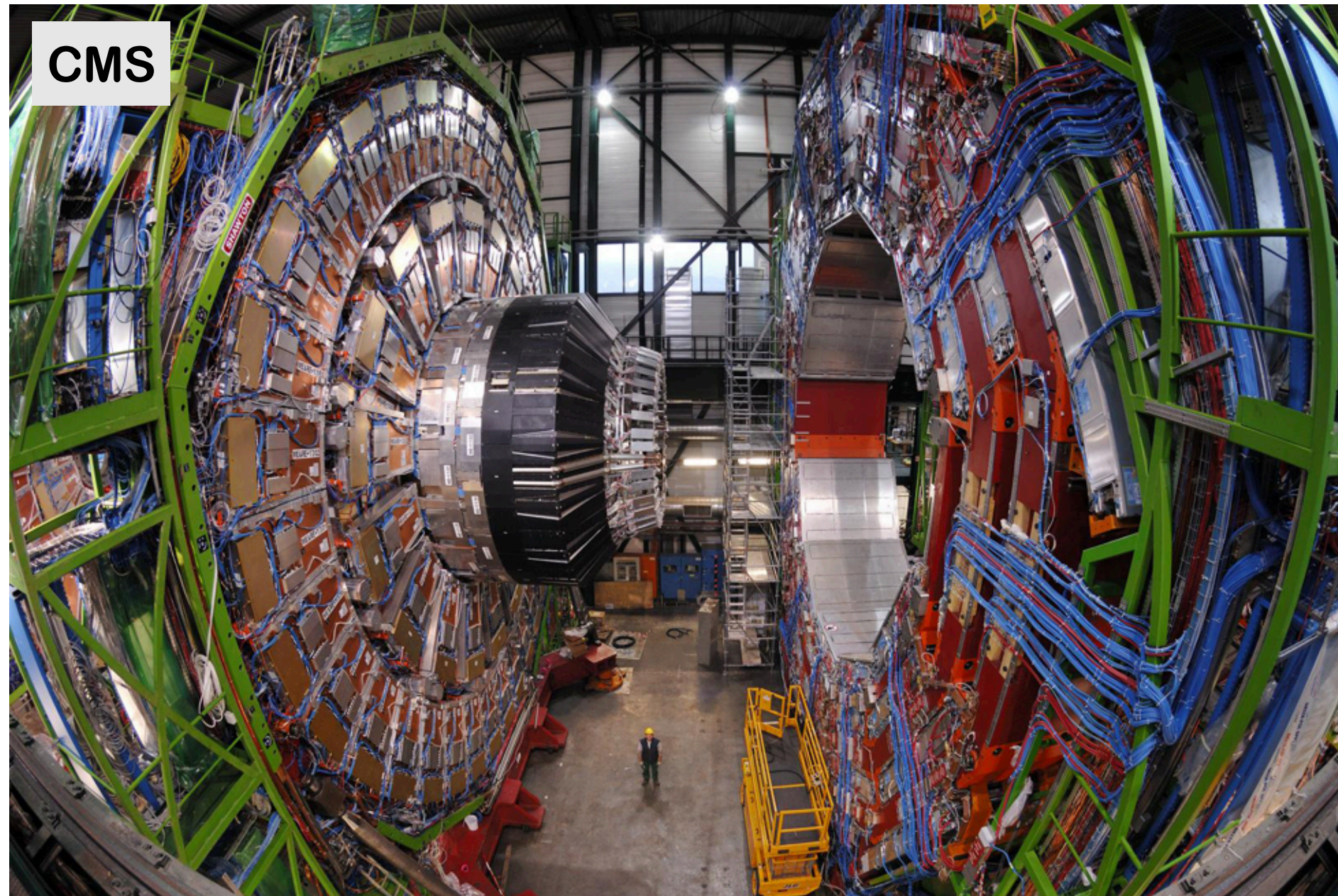
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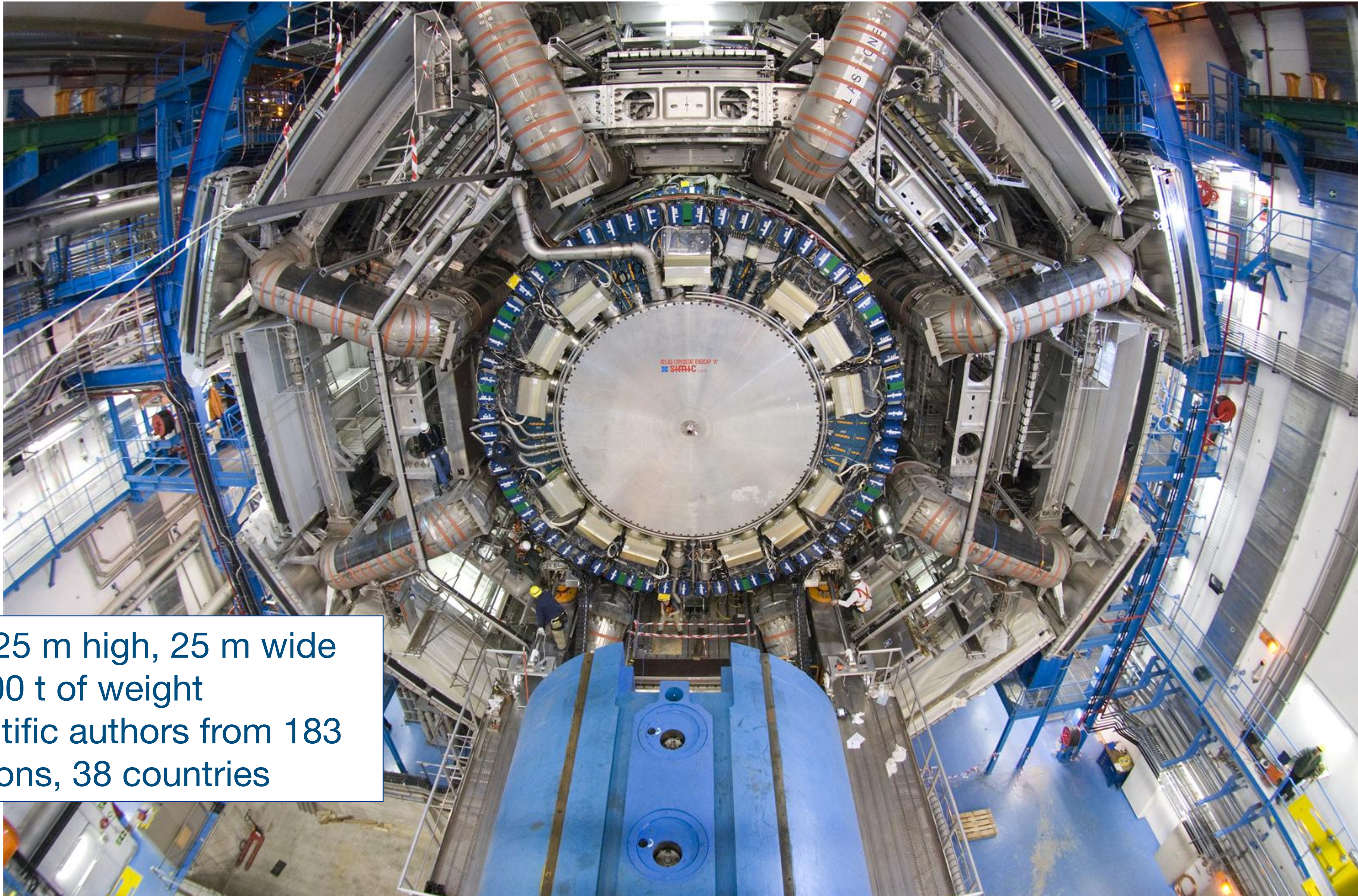
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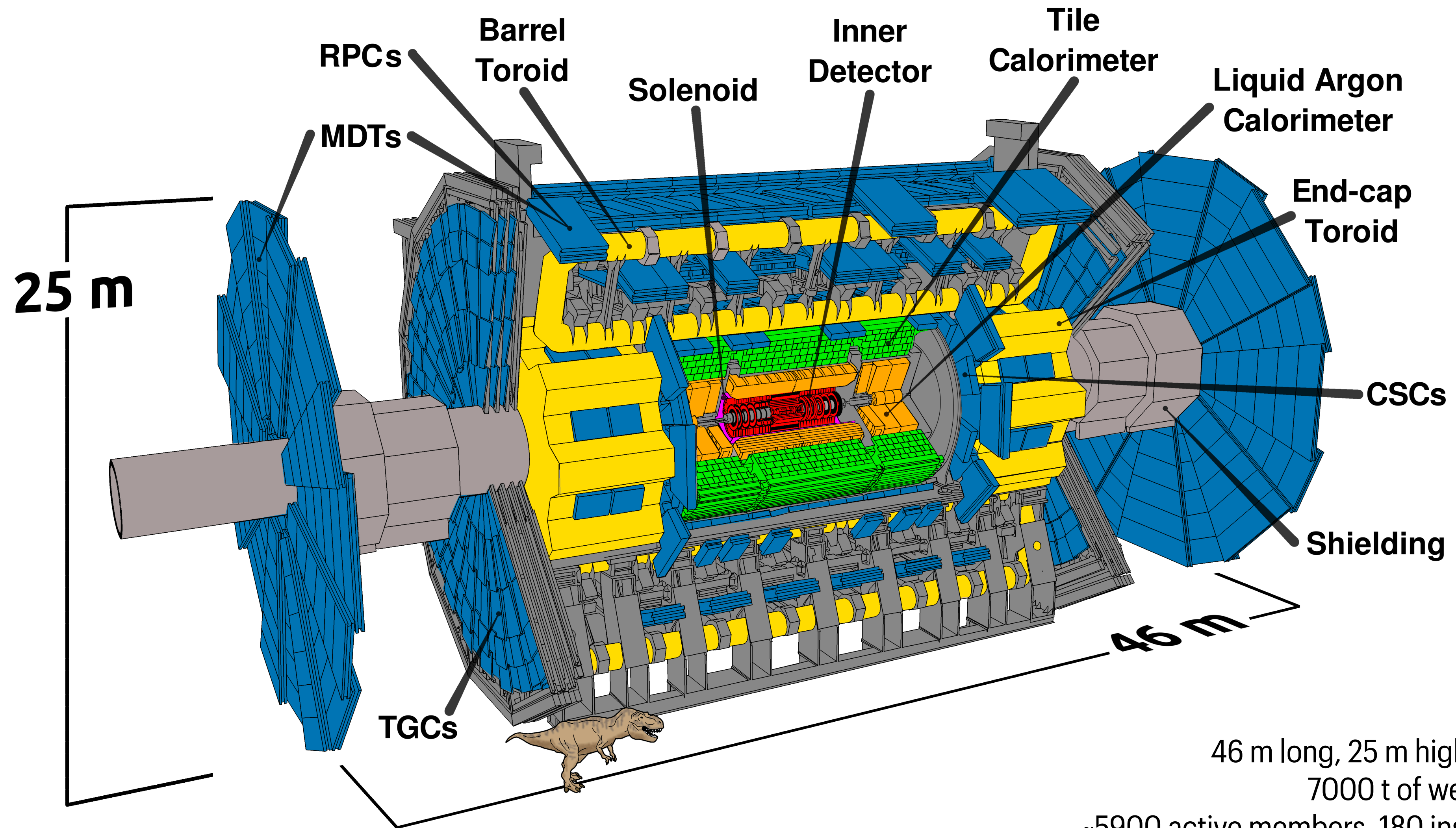


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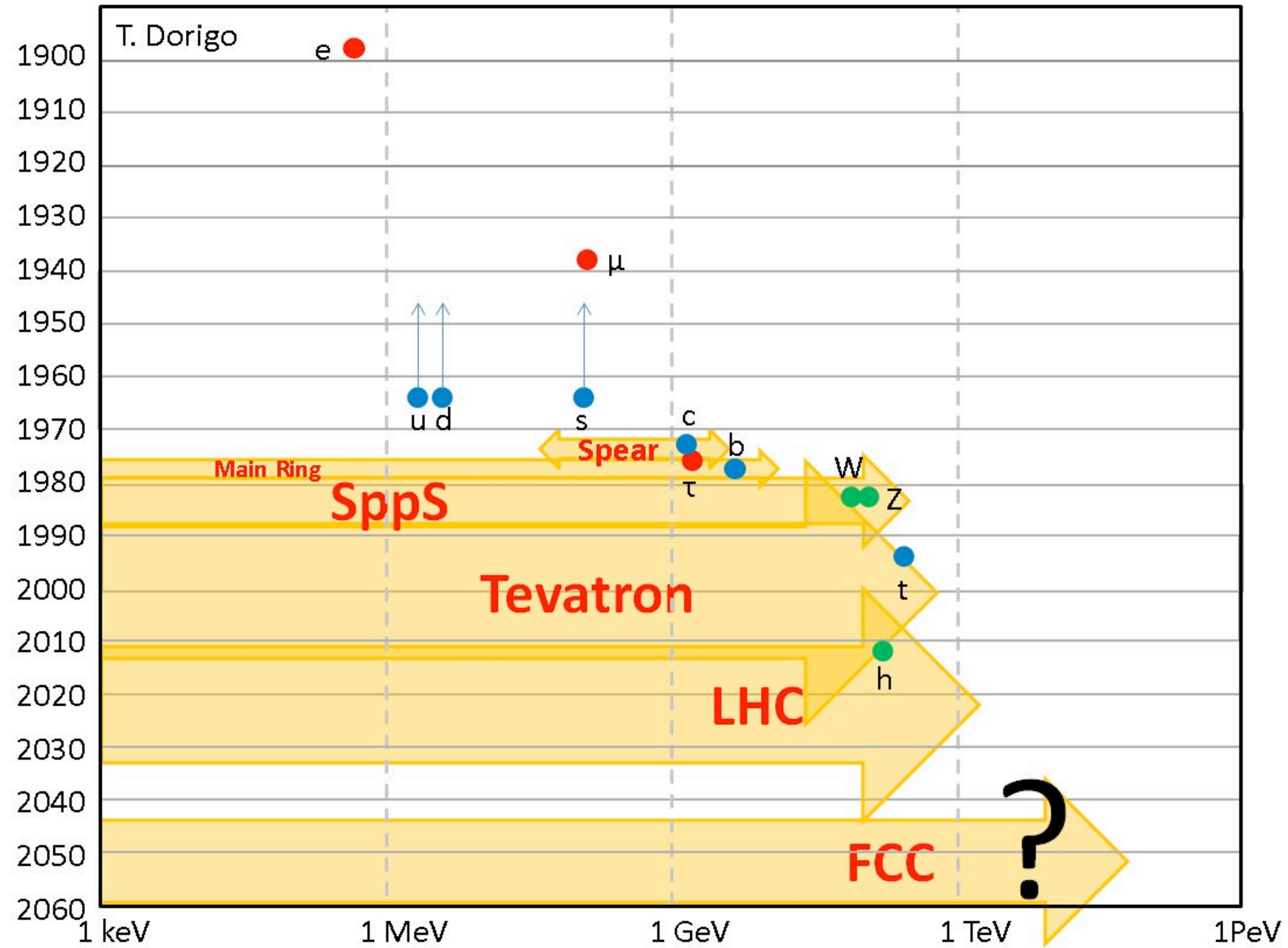
ATLAS is the biggest of the LHC experiments

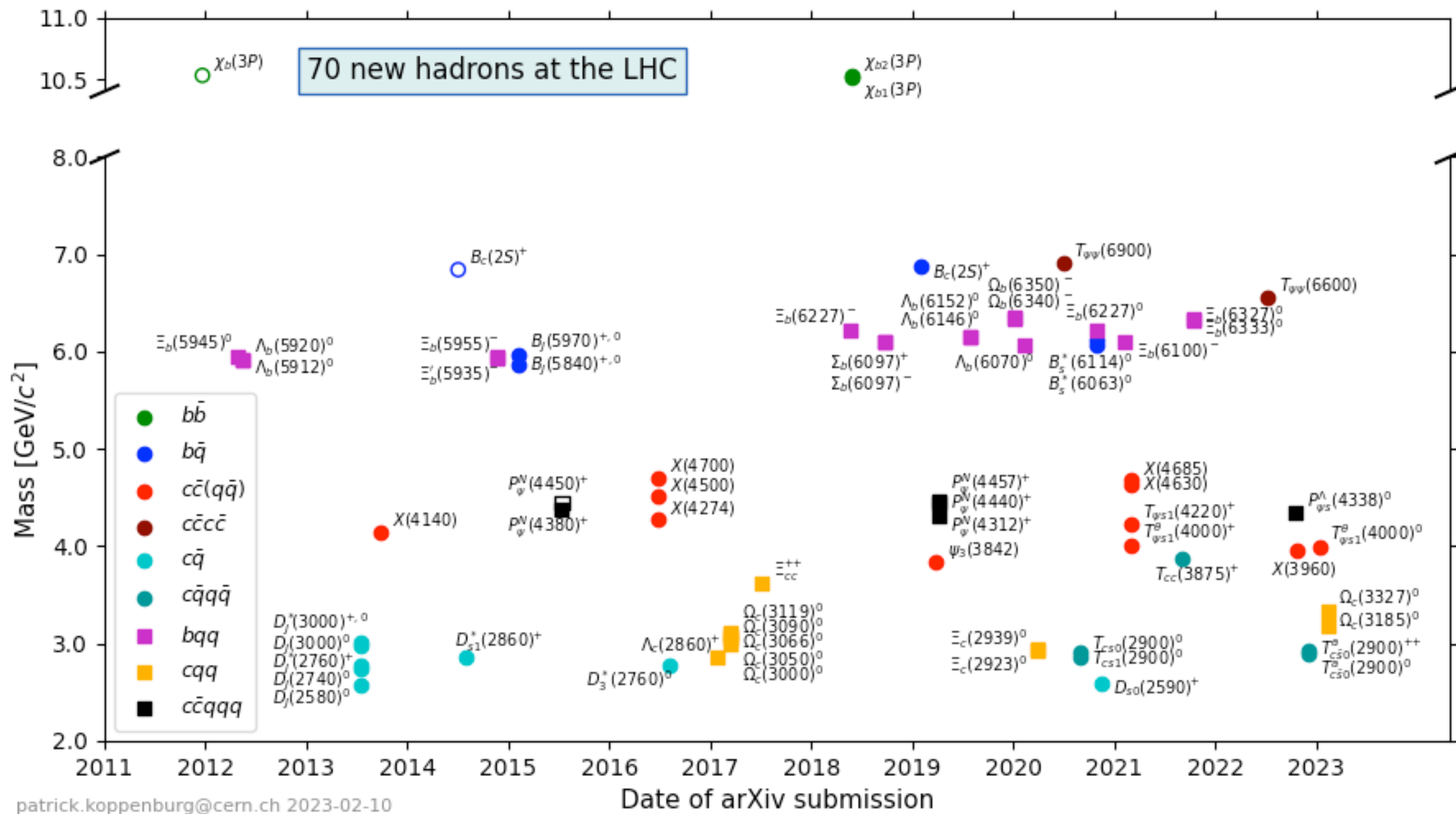


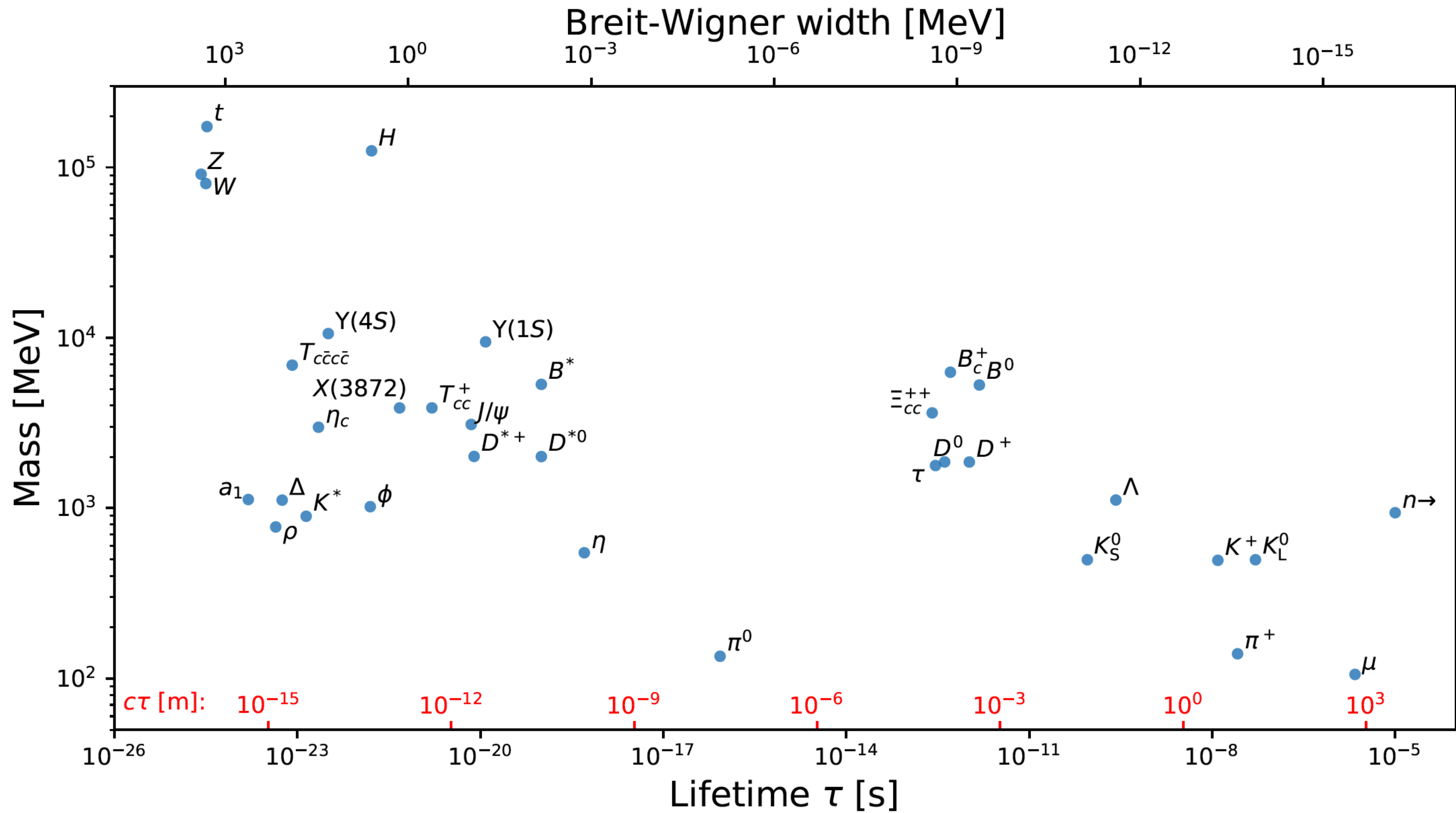
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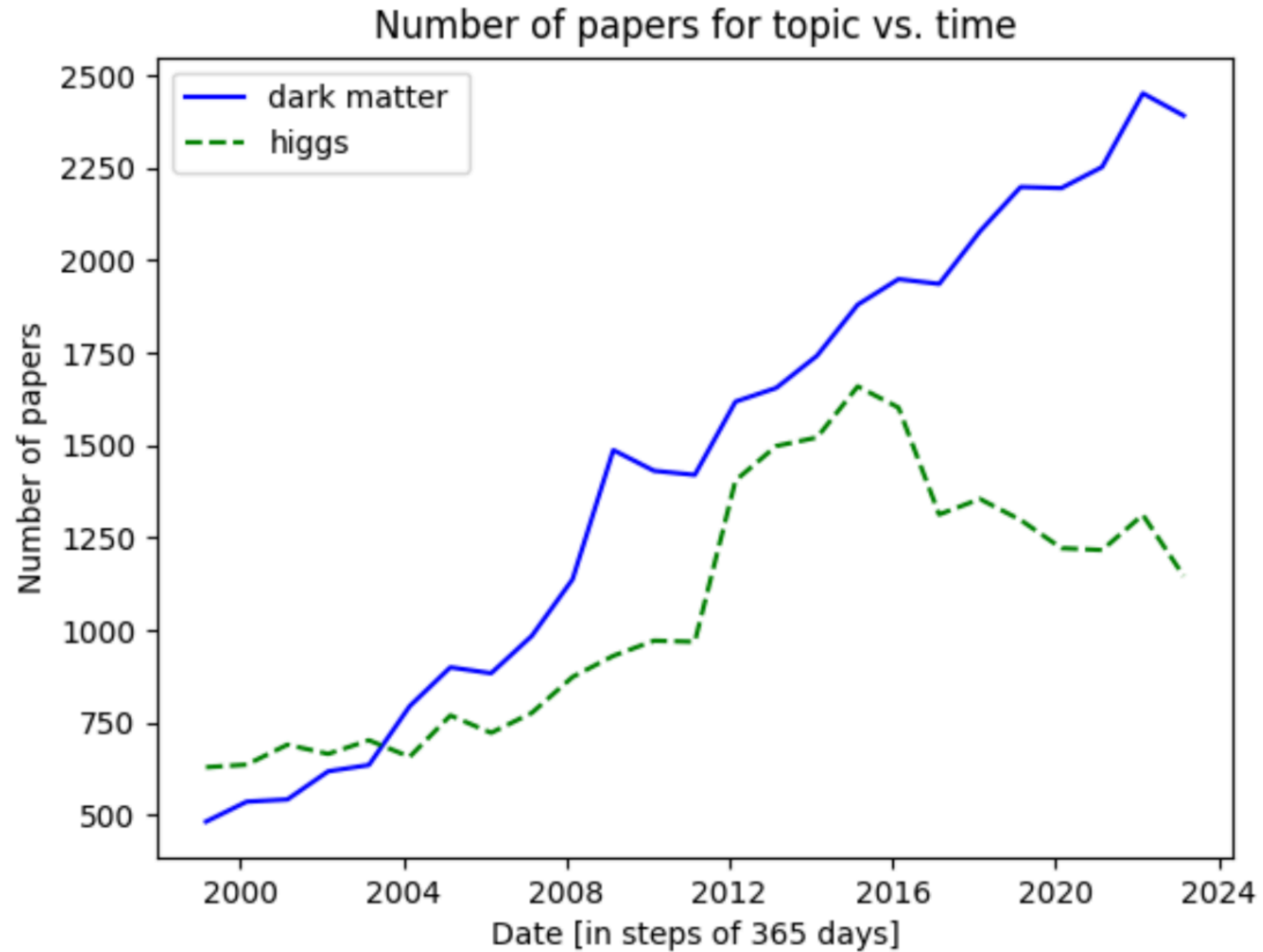
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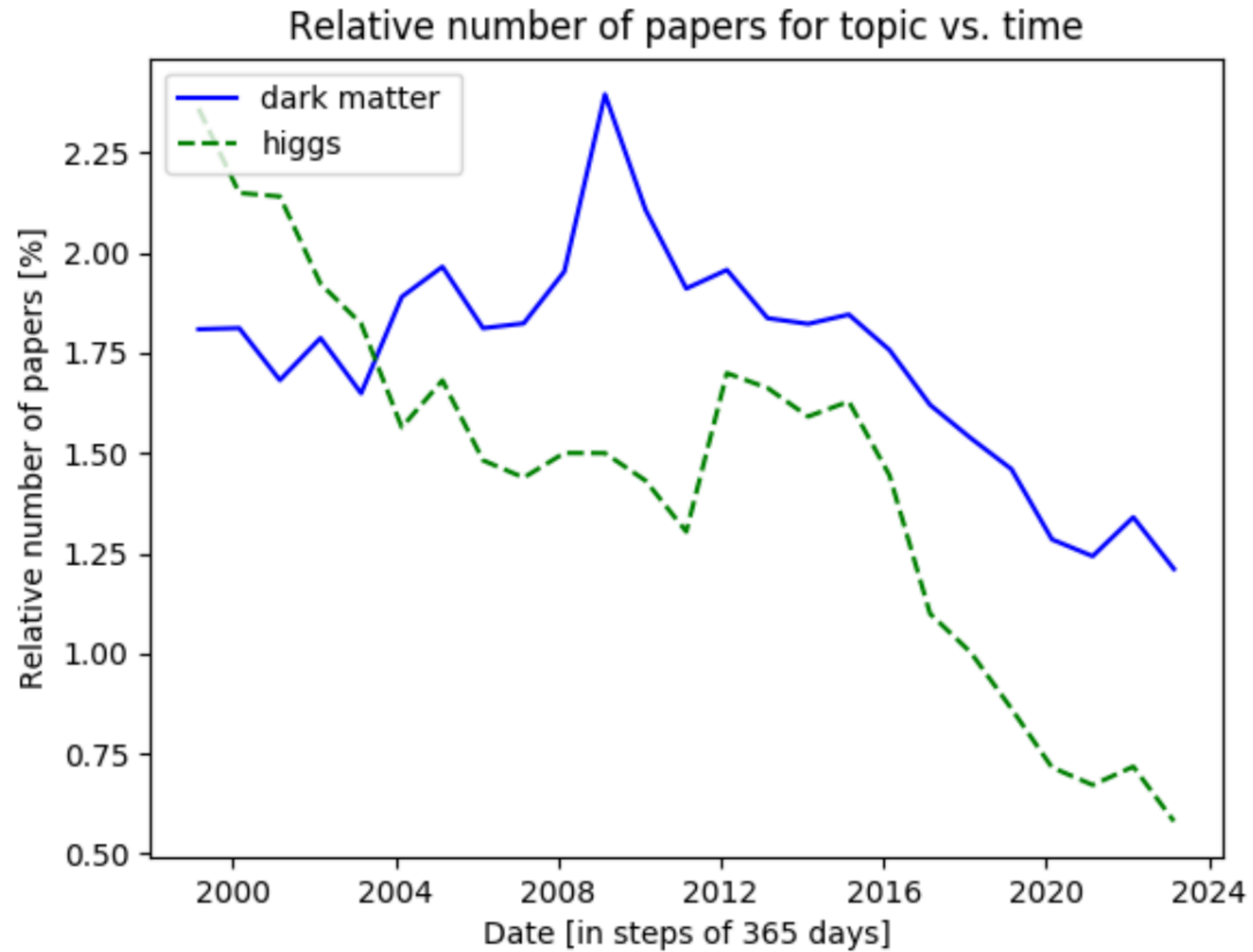




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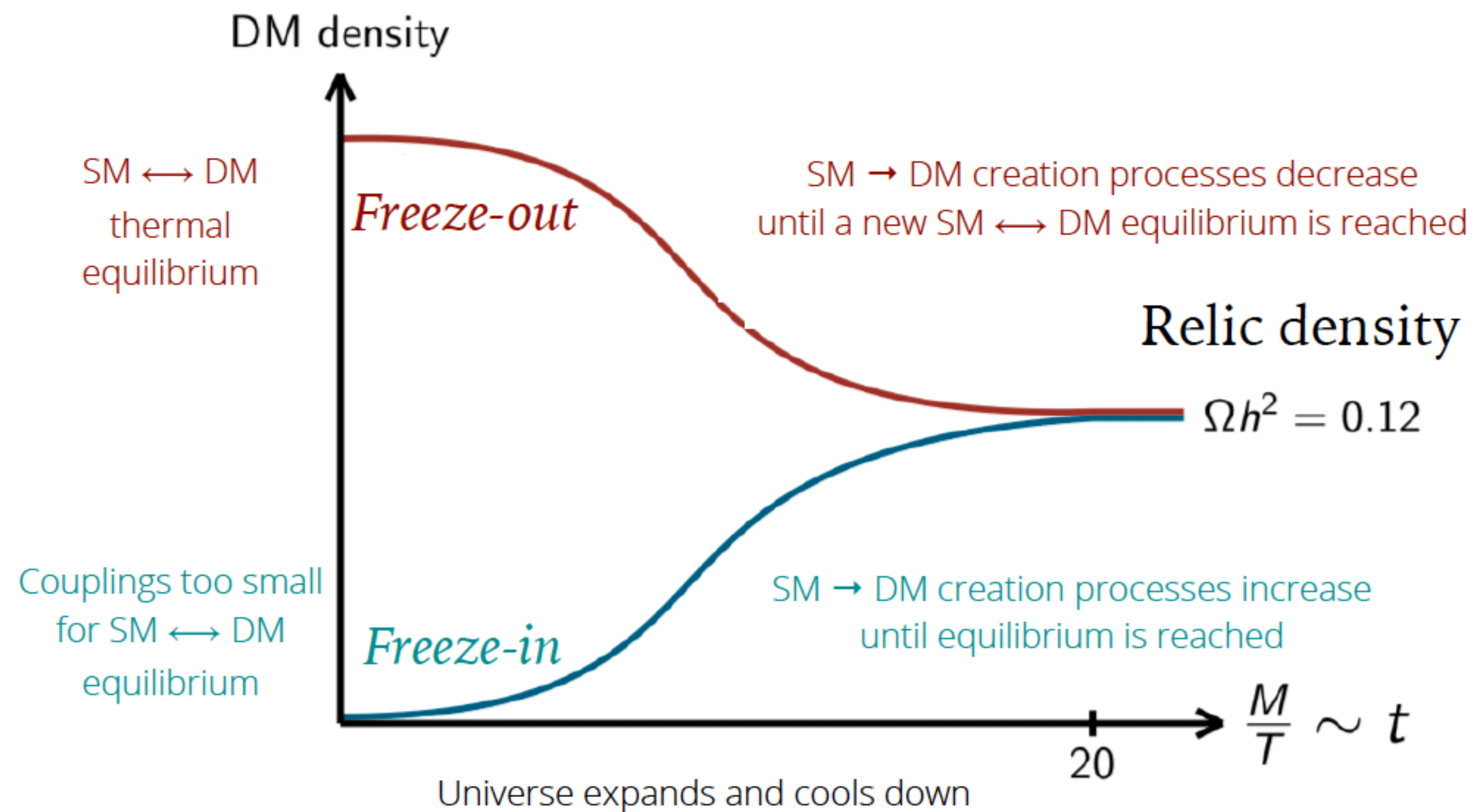
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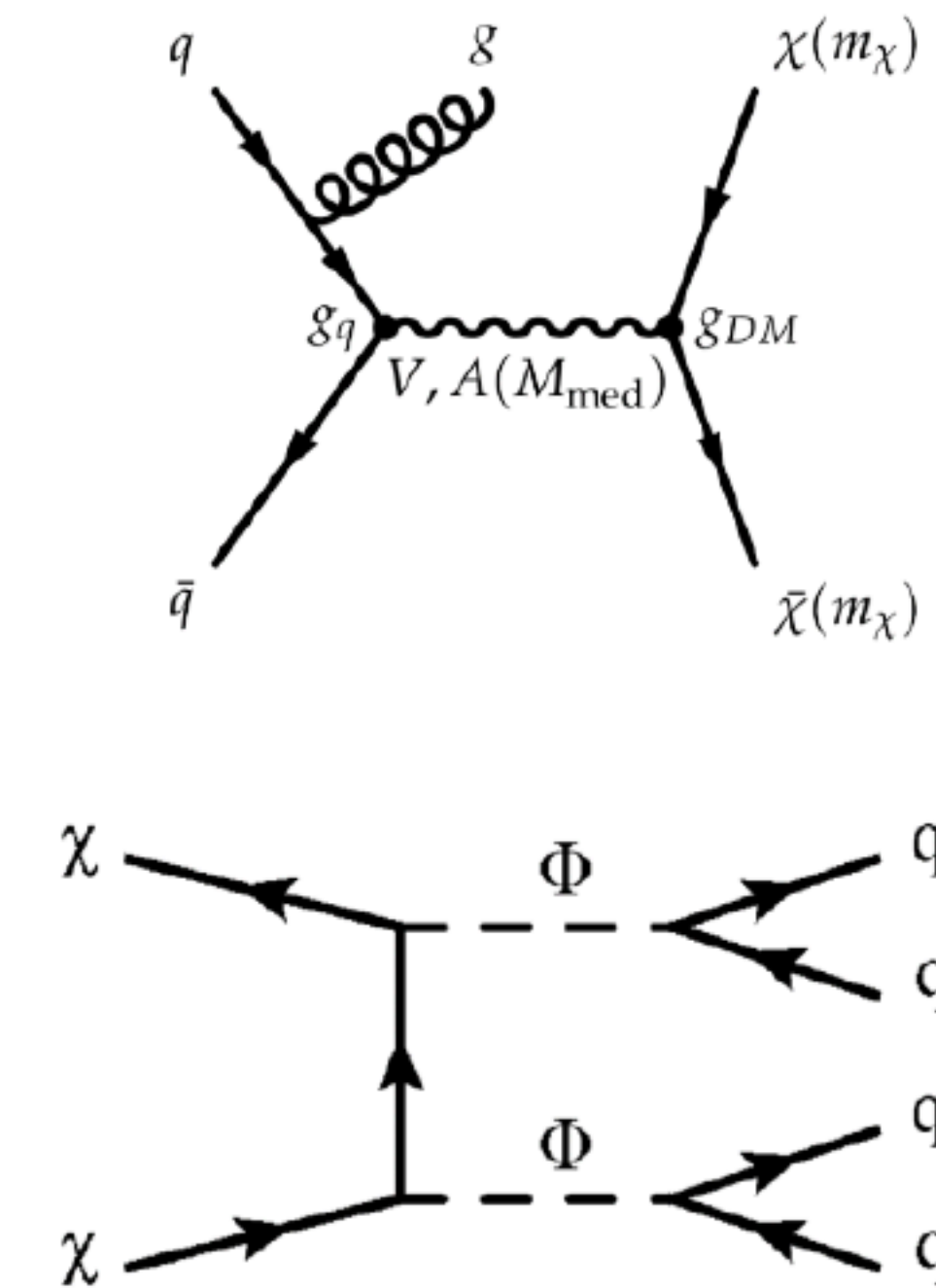
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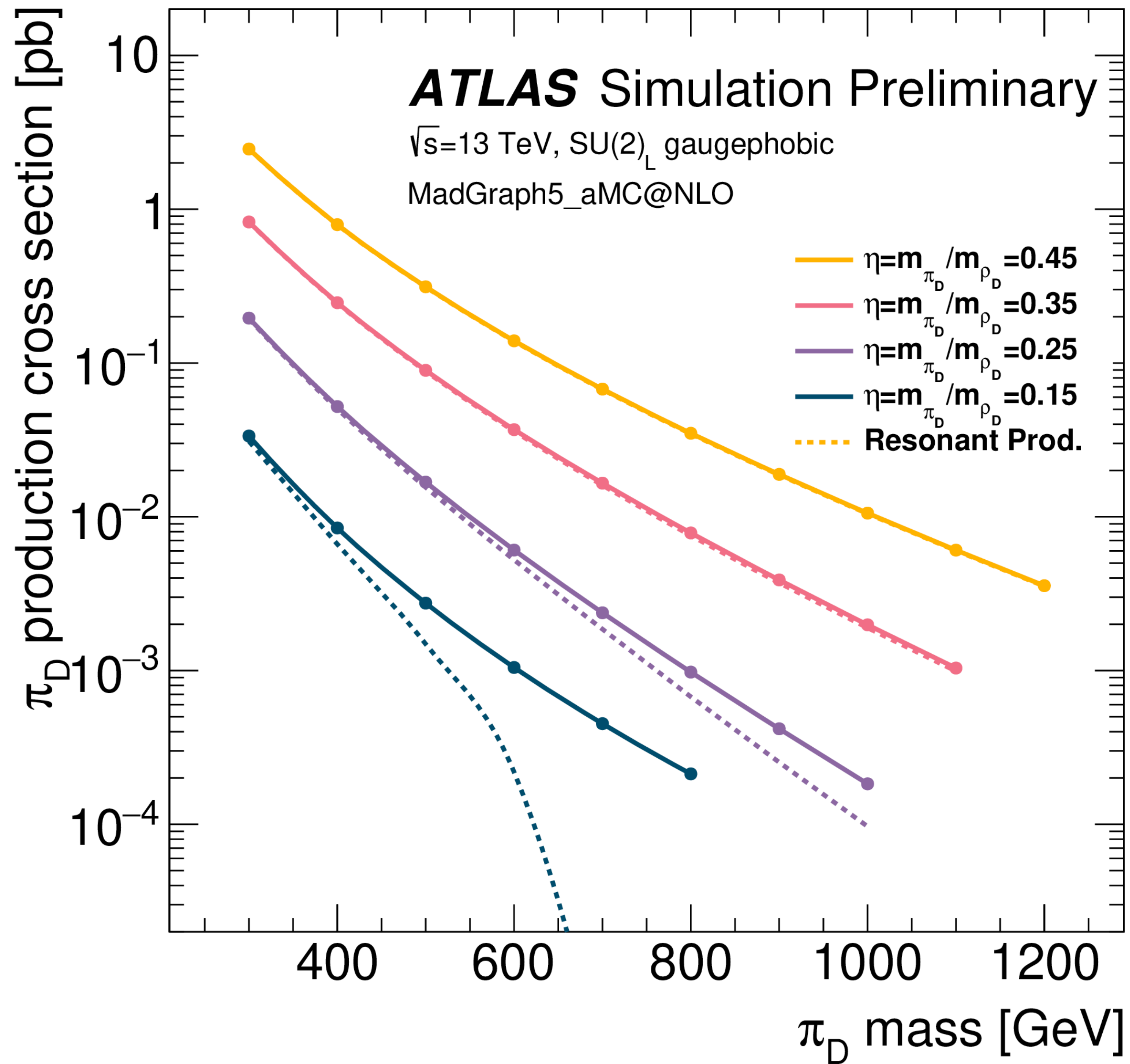


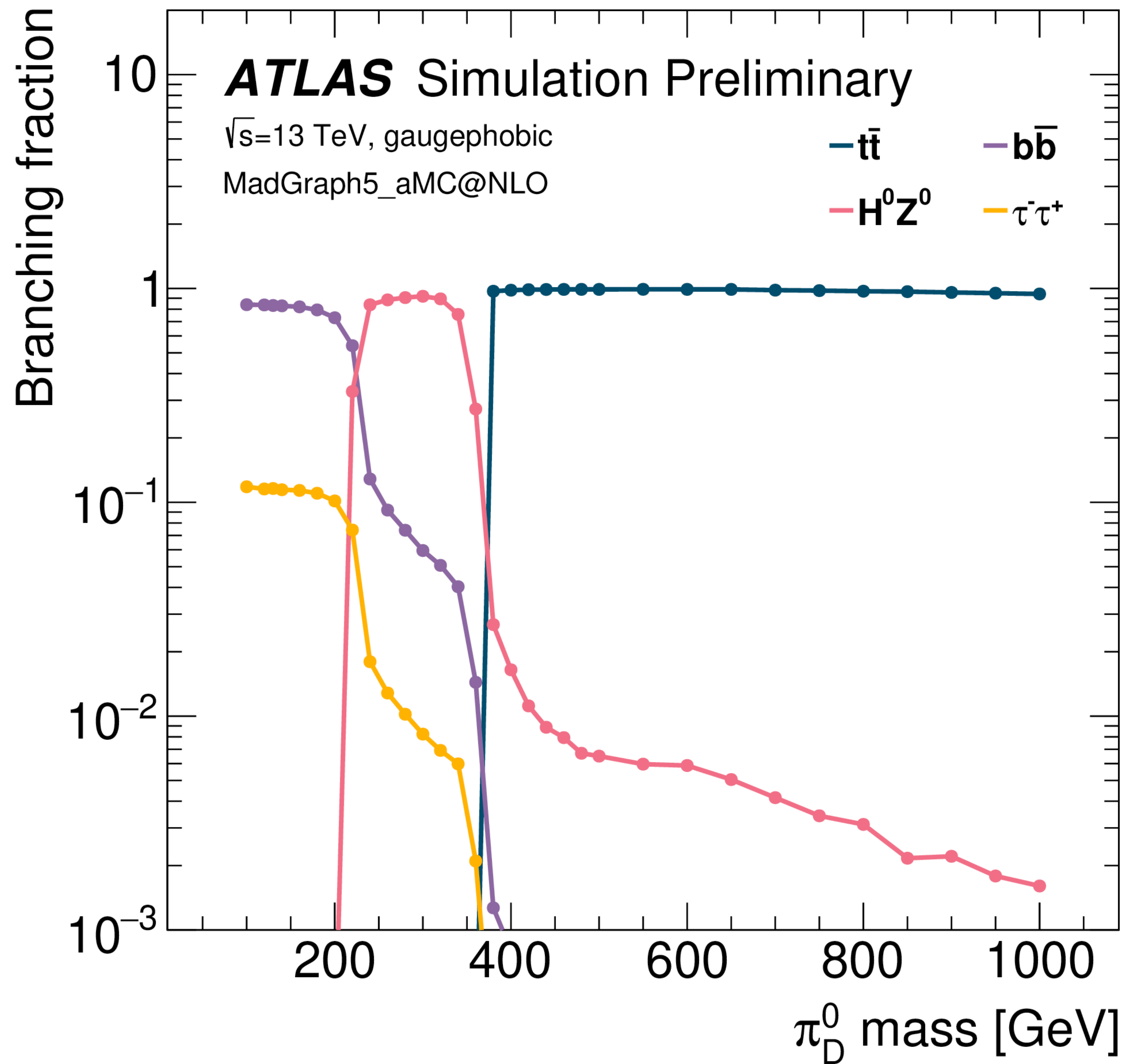
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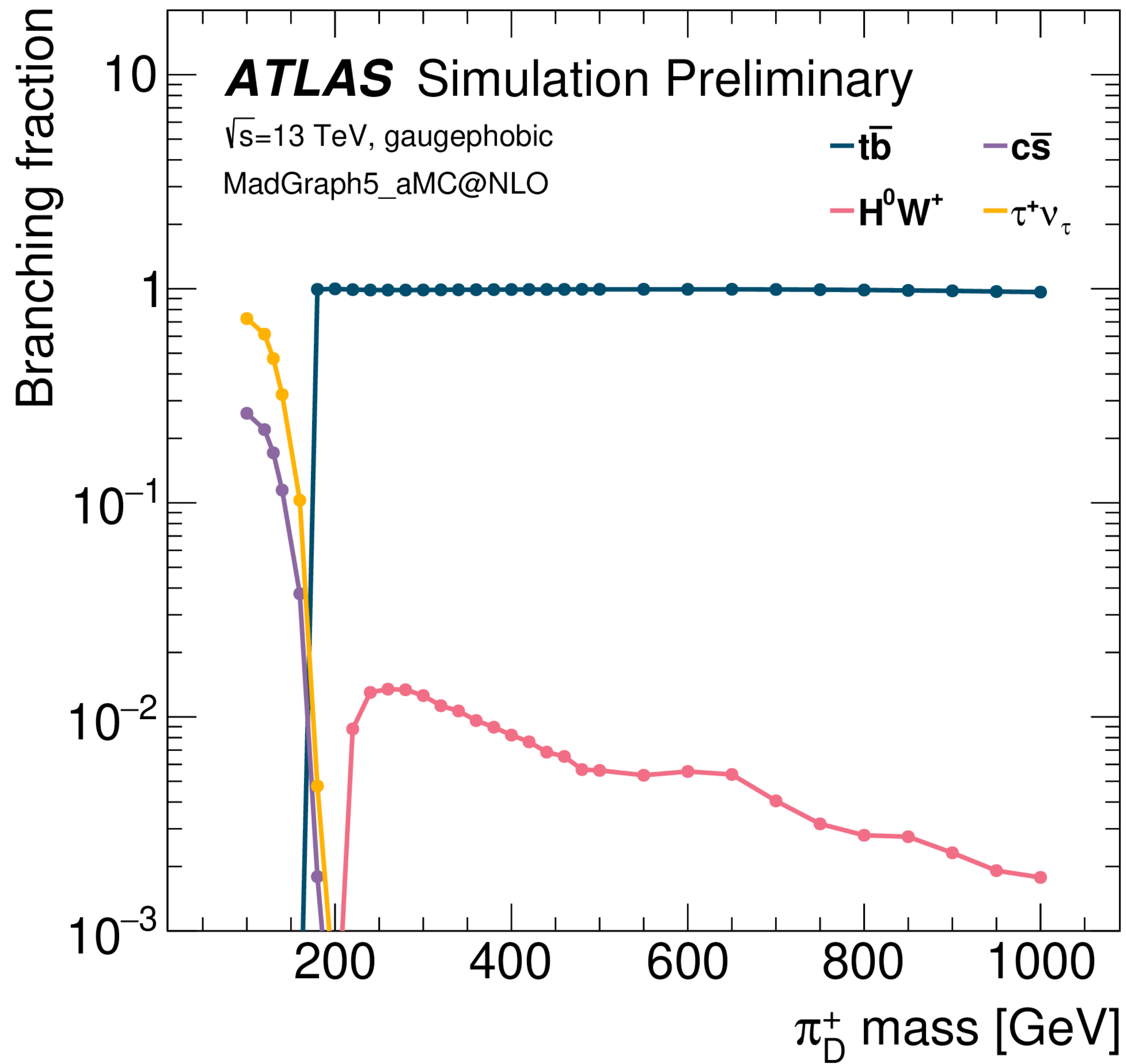
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Examples of DM \leftrightarrow SM processes

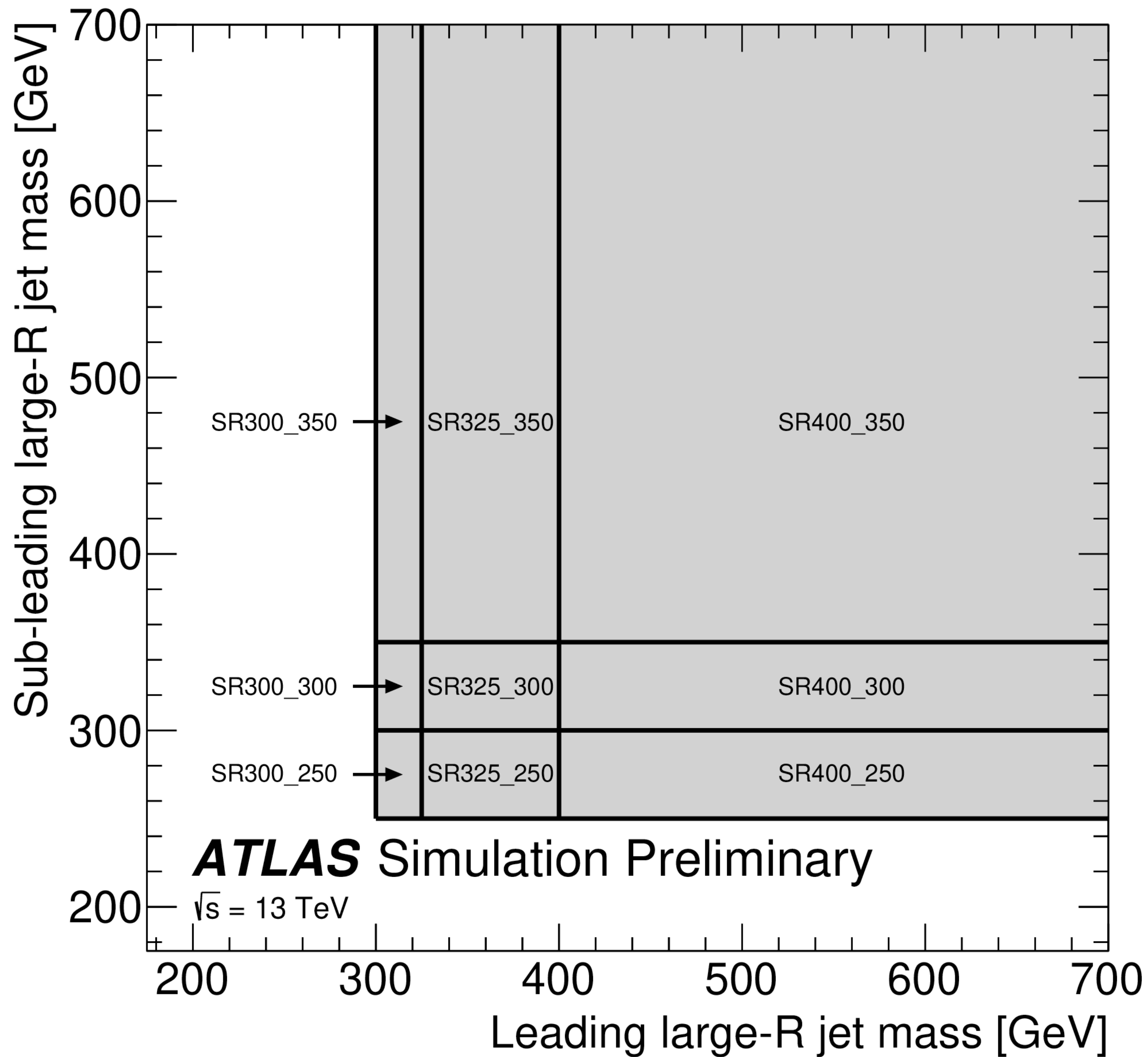






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gaugephilic	$m_{\pi_D} \lesssim 150 \text{ GeV}$	$b\bar{b}\tau\nu$	$\tau^+\tau^-\nu\bar{\nu}$
	$150 \text{ GeV} \lesssim m_{\pi_D} \lesssim 200 \text{ GeV}$	$b\bar{b}t\bar{b}$	$t\bar{t}b\bar{b}$
	$200 \text{ GeV} \lesssim m_{\pi_D} \lesssim 450 \text{ GeV}$	$Z h t\bar{b}$	$t\bar{t}b\bar{b}$
	$m_{\pi_D} \gtrsim 450 \text{ GeV}$	$h h Z W^+$	$h h W^+ W^-$
gaugephobic	$m_{\pi_D} \lesssim 150 \text{ GeV}$	$b\bar{b}\tau\nu$	$\tau^+\tau^-\nu\bar{\nu}$
	$150 \text{ GeV} \lesssim m_{\pi_D} \lesssim 220 \text{ GeV}$	$b\bar{b}t\bar{b}$	$t\bar{t}b\bar{b}$
	$220 \text{ GeV} \lesssim m_{\pi_D} \lesssim 350 \text{ GeV}$	$Z h t\bar{b}$	$t\bar{t}b\bar{b}$
	$m_{\pi_D} \gtrsim 350 \text{ GeV}$	$t\bar{t}t\bar{b}$	$t\bar{t}b\bar{b}$

Table 2: Phenomenological regions for collider signatures. The charged and neutral current columns show the SM particles for the dominant branching ratios.



	Tag	Variable	Tag selection	Anti-tag selection
Both large- R jets		$m_{bb}/p_{T,bb}$	> 0.25	
Leading large- R jet	bb_1	$\Delta R(j, b_2)$	< 1.0	≥ 1.0
Sub-leading large- R jet	bb_2	$\Delta R(j, b_2)$	< 1.0	≥ 1.0
Leading large- R jet	$\pi_{D,1}$	$m_{\text{jet},R=1.2}$	$[300 - 325 \text{ GeV}, 325 - 400 \text{ GeV}, > 400 \text{ GeV}]$	$\leq 300 \text{ GeV}$
Sub-leading large- R jet	$\pi_{D,2}$	$m_{\text{jet},R=1.2}$	$[250 - 300 \text{ GeV}, 300 - 350 \text{ GeV}, > 350 \text{ GeV}]$	$\leq 250 \text{ GeV}$

Sub-leading
large- R jet

Leading large- R jet

	$\pi_{D,1}bb_1$	$\pi_{D,1}bb_1$	$\pi_{D,1}bb_1$	$\pi_{D,1}bb_1$
$\pi_{D,2}bb_2$	J	K	L	S
$\pi_{D,2}bb_2$	B	D	H	N
$\pi_{D,2}bb_2$	E	F	G	M
$\pi_{D,2}bb_2$	A	C	I	O

	SR300_250	SR300_300	SR300_350
Non-closure uncertainty	40%	45%	1.4%
Stat. uncert. on k -factors	37%	35%	39%
Total Multijet Uncertainty	55%	57%	39%

	SR325_250	SR325_300	SR325_350
Non-closure uncertainty	16%	28%	28%
Stat. uncert. on k -factors	29%	29%	29%
Total Multijet Uncertainty	33%	40%	41%

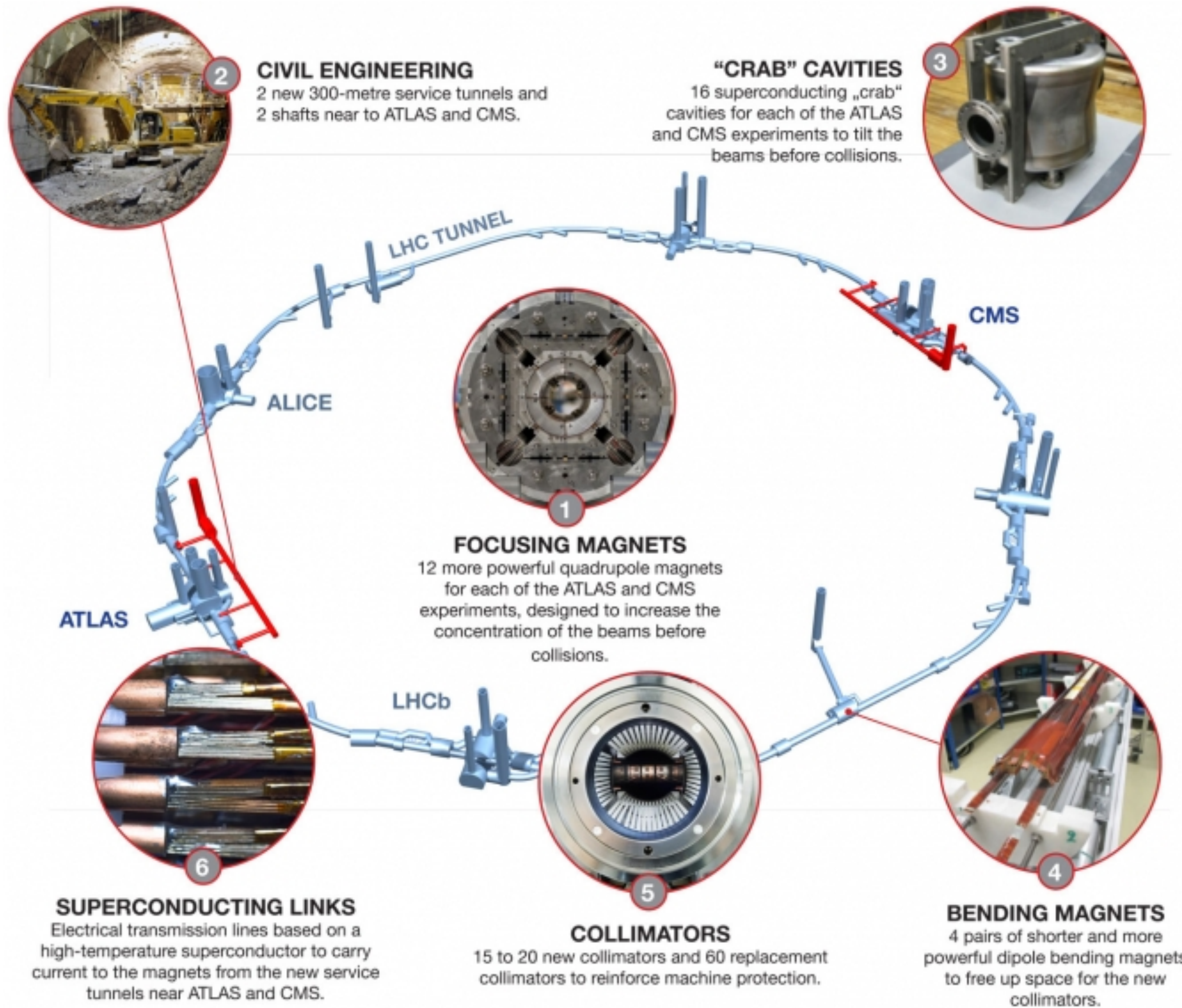
	SR400_250	SR400_300	SR400_350
Non-closure uncertainty	34%	3.2%	29%
Stat. uncert. on k -factors	37%	38%	38%
Total Multijet Uncertainty	51%	38%	48%

Post-fit event yields in all nine signal mass bins. The quoted uncertainties contain statistical and systematic components.

	SR300_250	SR300_300	SR300_350
V+jets	0.00±0.00	2.0±0.9	0.28±0.06
Single top	0.12±0.07	0.00±0.03	0.00±0.00
$t\bar{t} + X$	0.30±0.04	0.21±0.09	0.17±0.04
$t\bar{t}$	3±2	1.6±1.1	1.8±0.8
Multijet	16±4	10±4	11±3
Total SM	20±4	14±3	13±3
Data	20	14	16

	SR325_250	SR325_300	SR325_350
V+jets	0.7±0.6	0.12±0.18	0.19±0.16
Single top	0.4±0.1	0.12±0.13	0.27±0.15
$t\bar{t} + X$	0.4±0.1	0.4±0.1	0.50±0.07
$t\bar{t}$	6±4	4±2	4±2
Multijet	33±7	23±5	18±5
Total SM	41±6	28±5	23±5
Data	41	28	23

	SR400_250	SR400_300	SR400_350
V+jets	0.7±0.6	0.00±0.00	1.2±0.3
Single top	0.00±0.00	0.5±0.1	0.11±0.02
$t\bar{t} + X$	0.34±0.07	0.40±0.07	0.7±0.1
$t\bar{t}$	4±2	3.1±2.5	6±4
Multijet	20±5	15±5	28±12
Total SM	25±5	19±4	36±11
Data	27	20	45



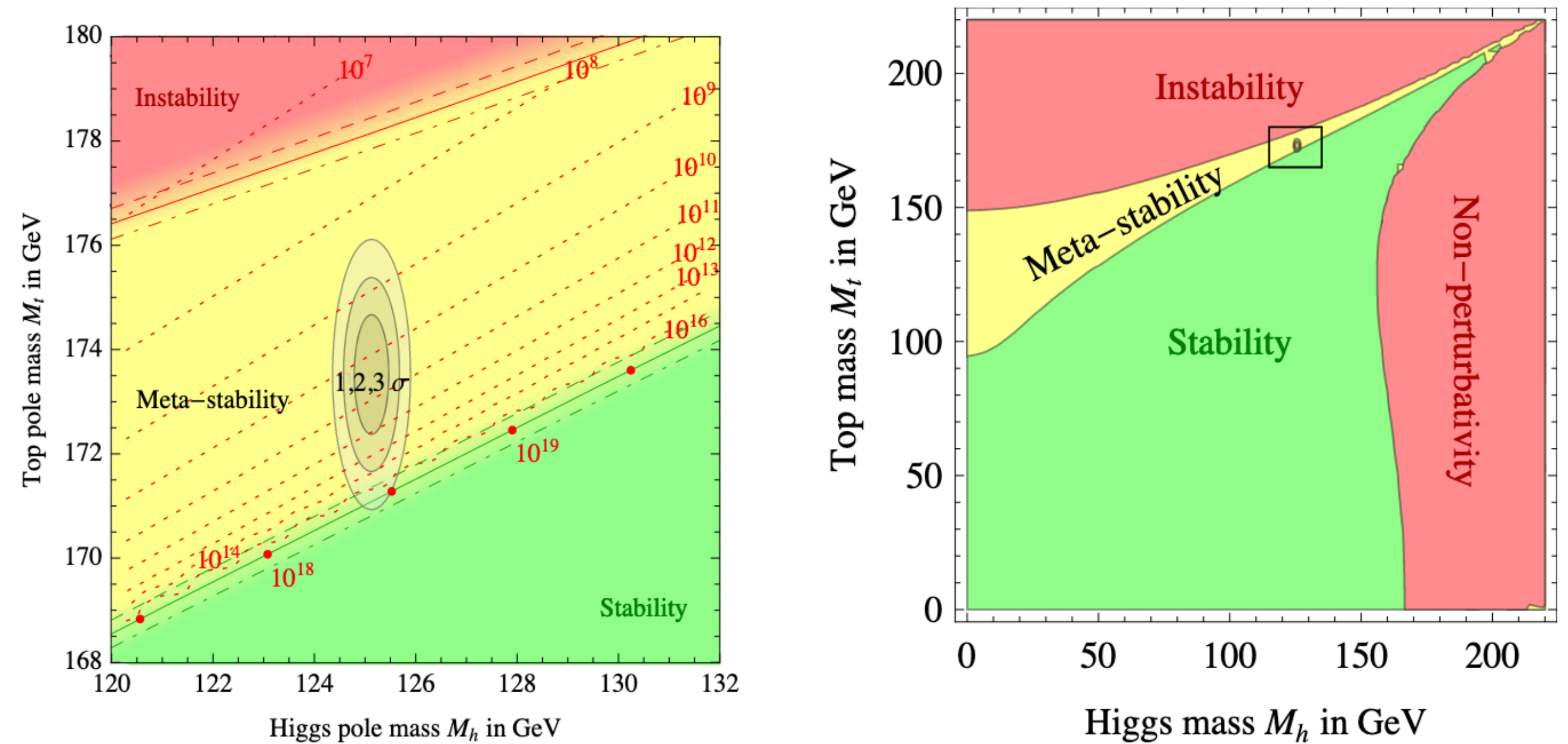


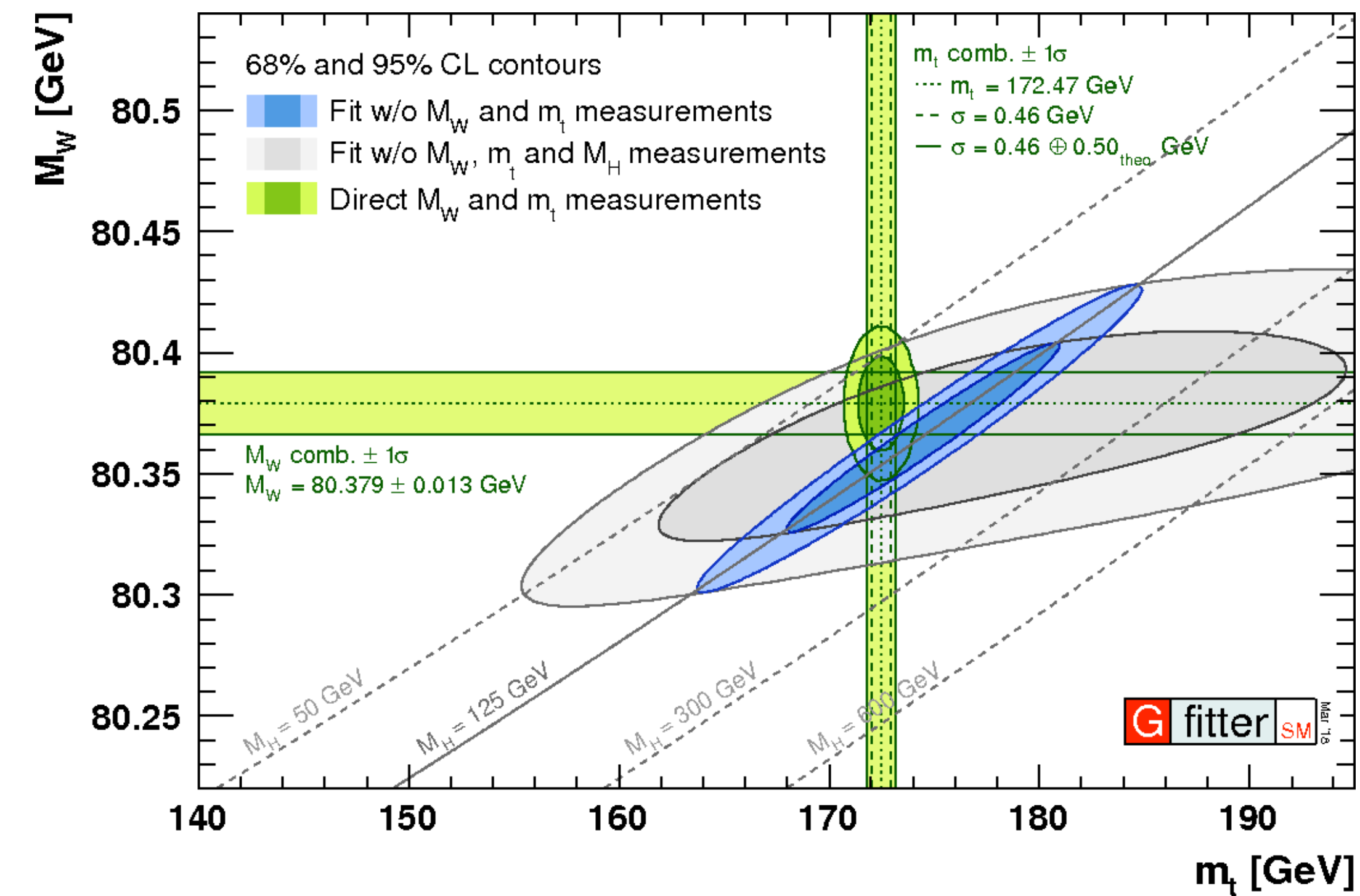
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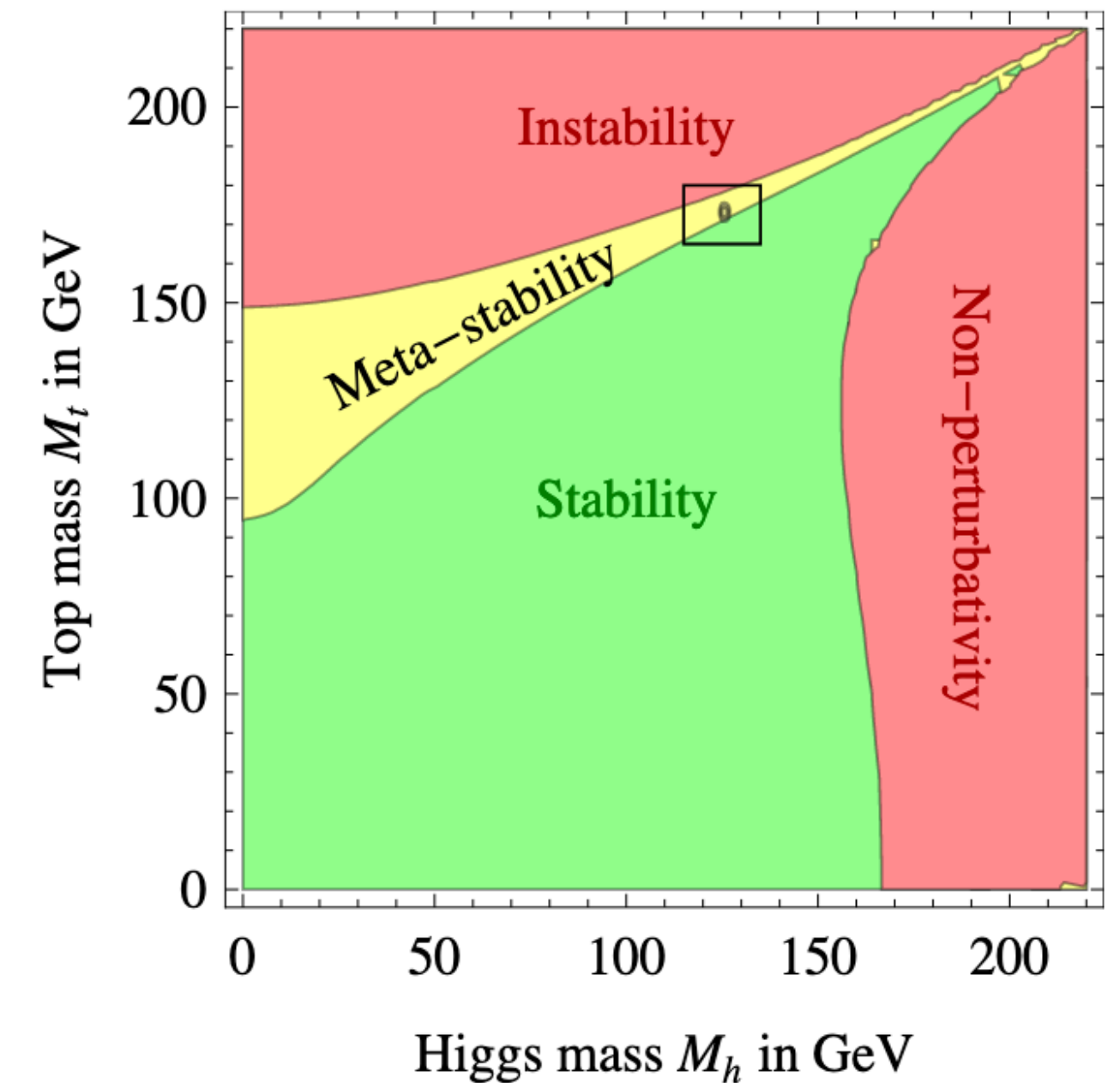
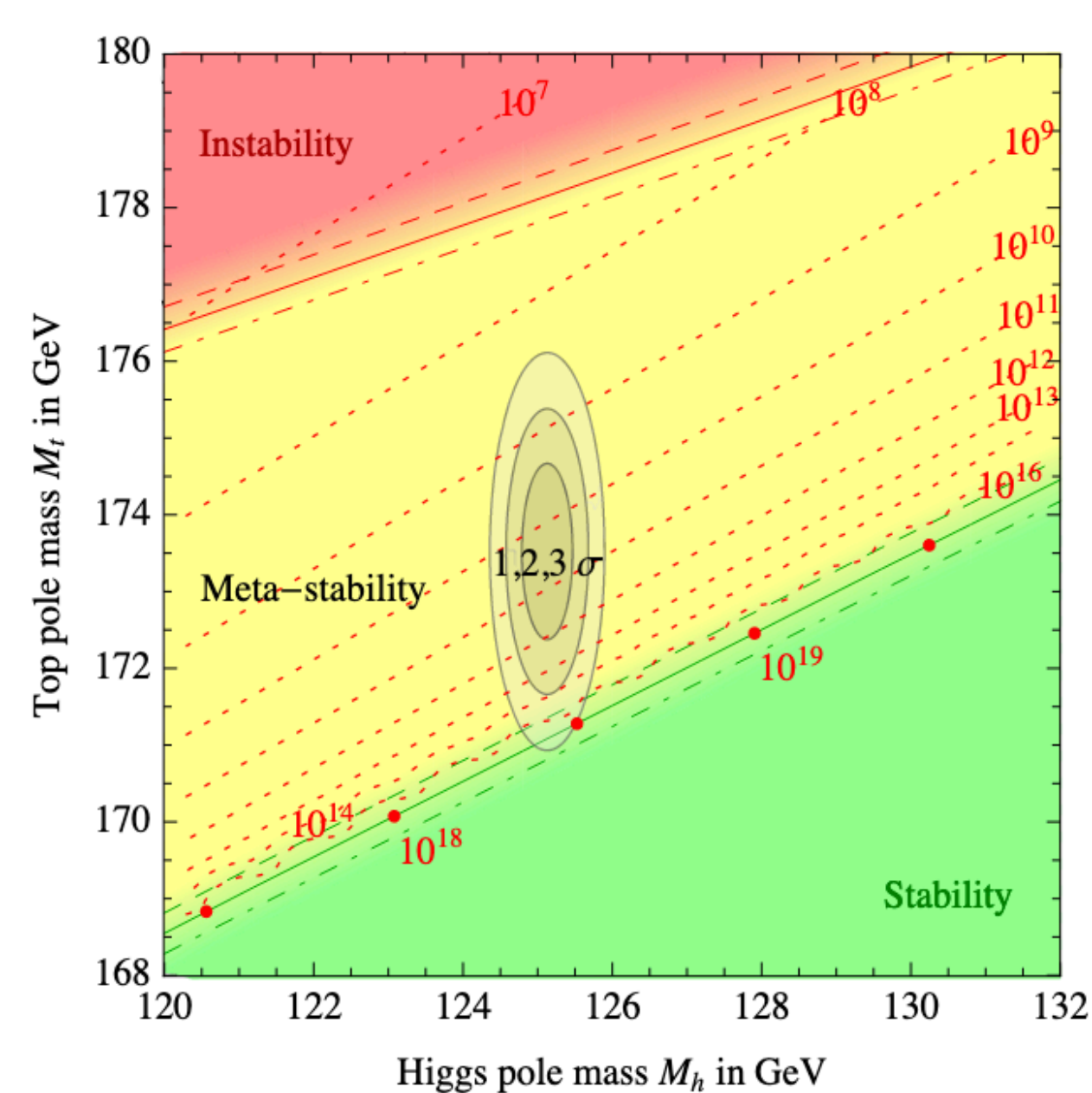
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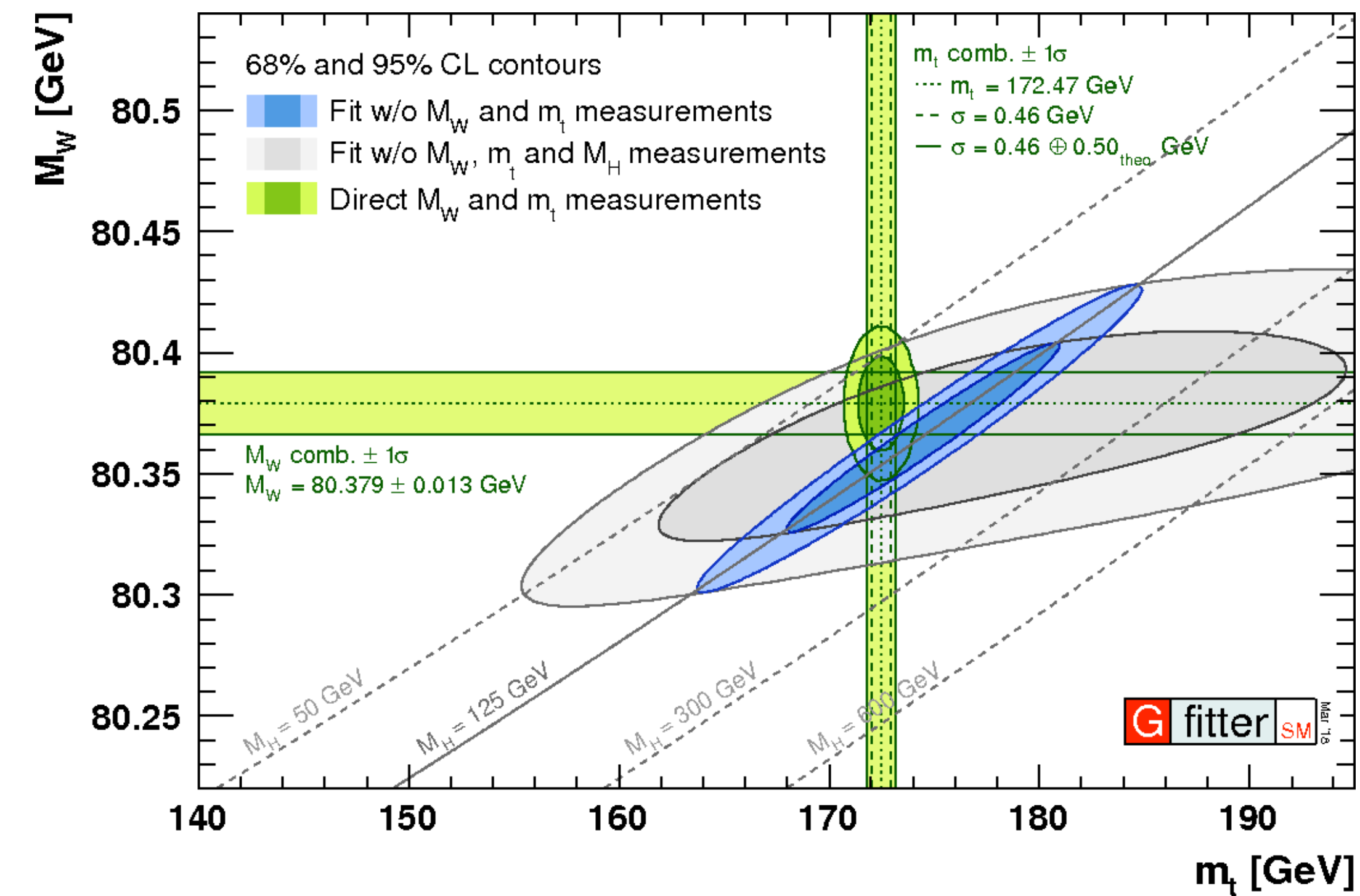




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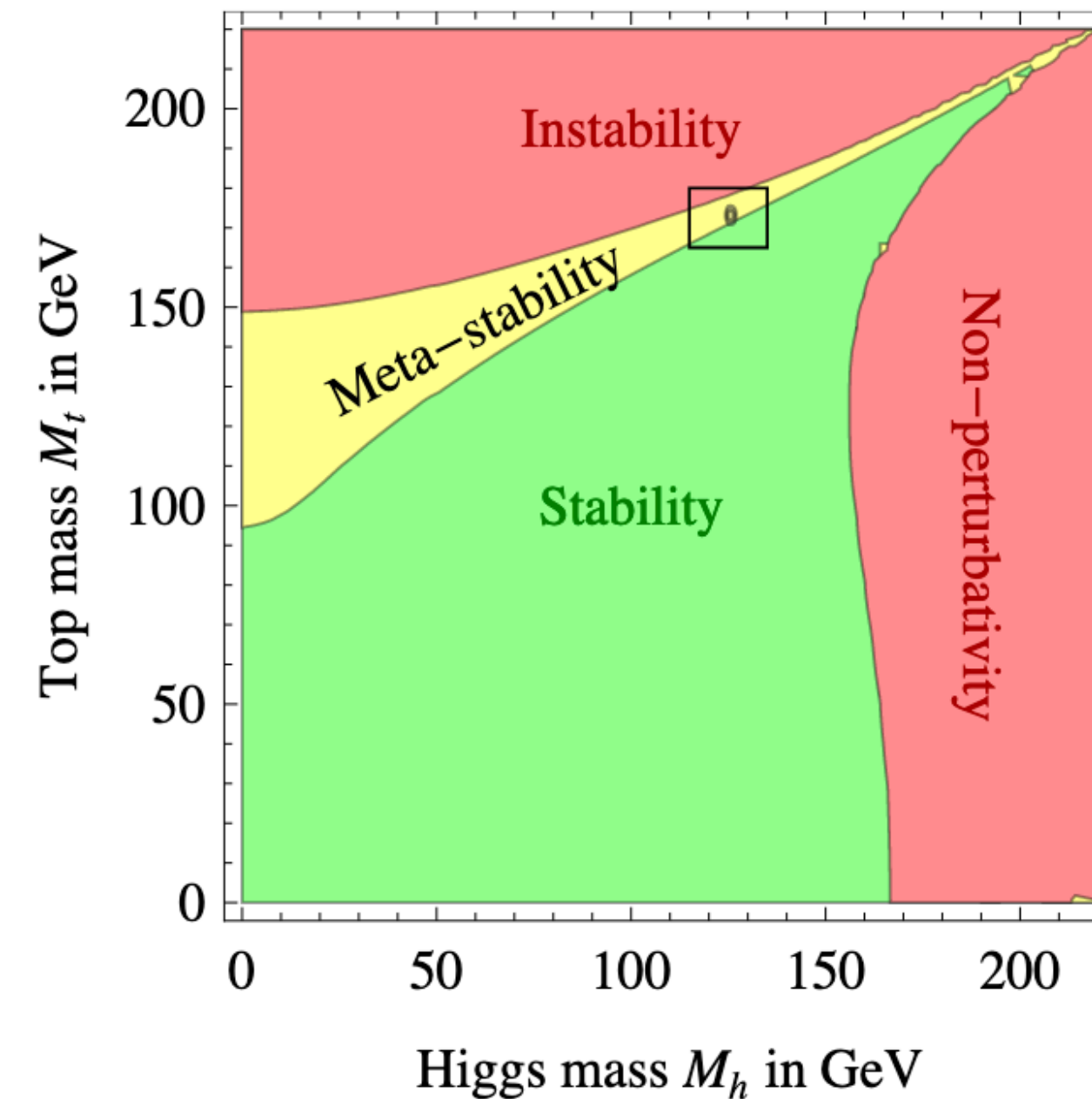
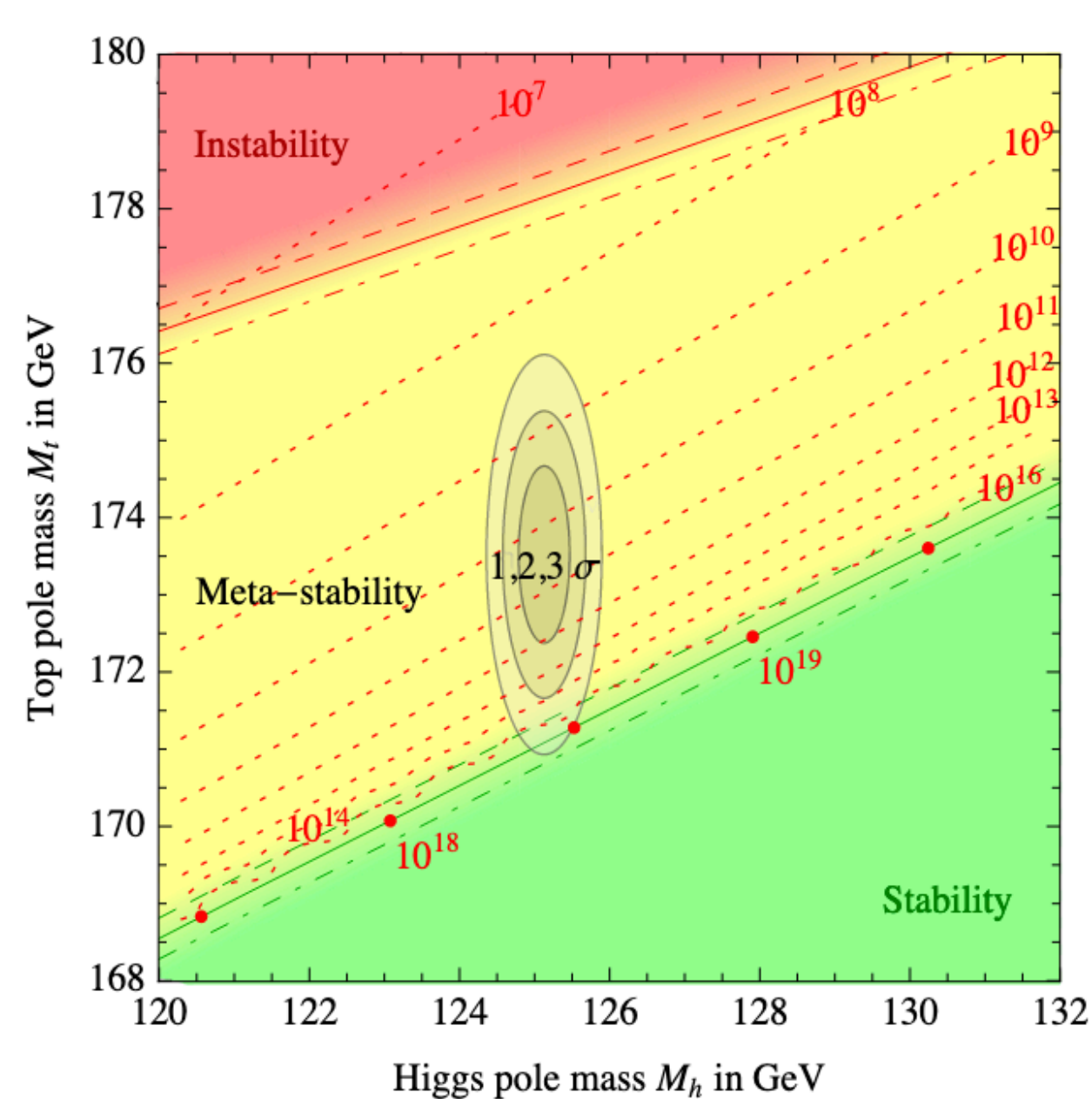


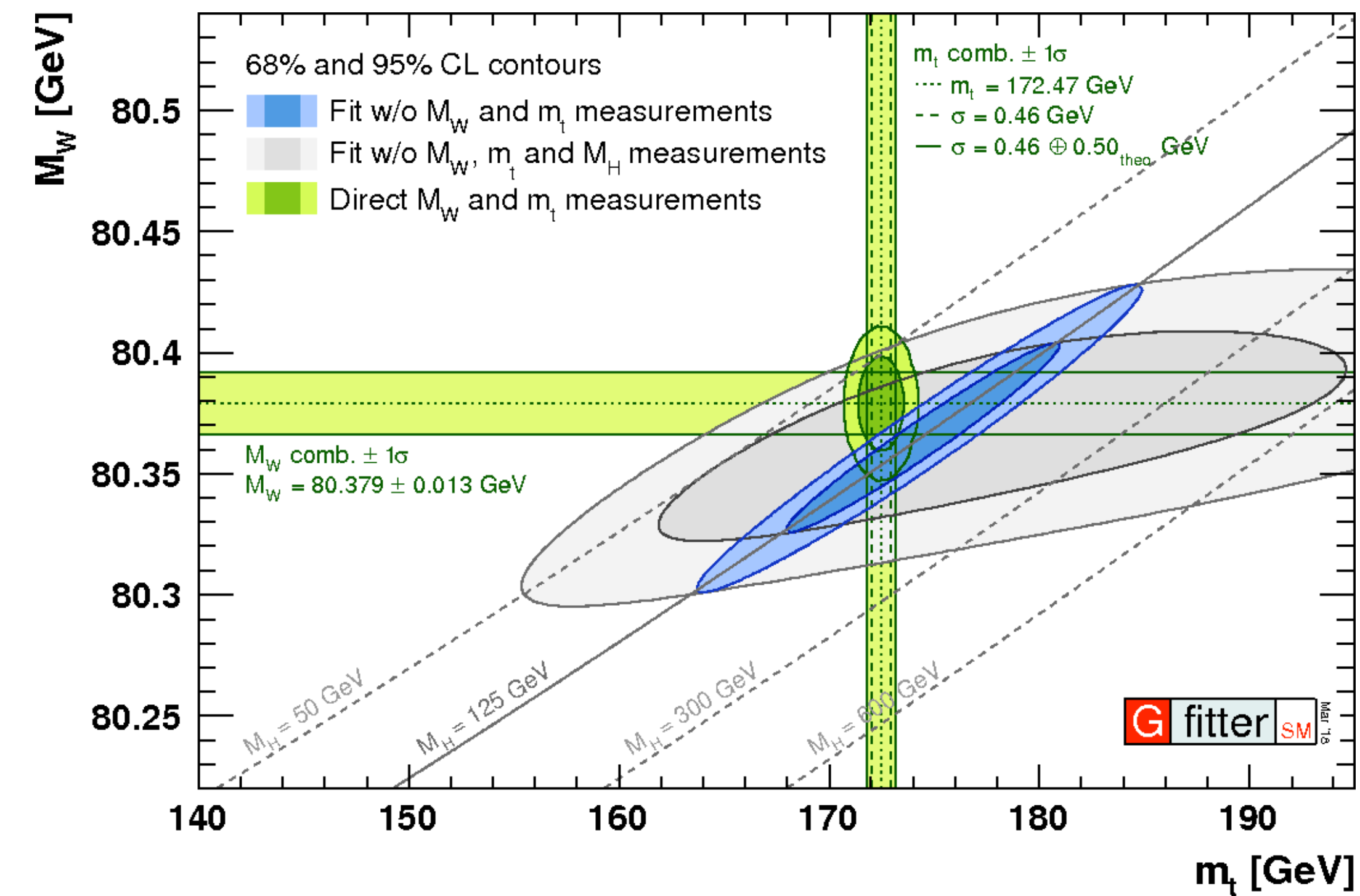


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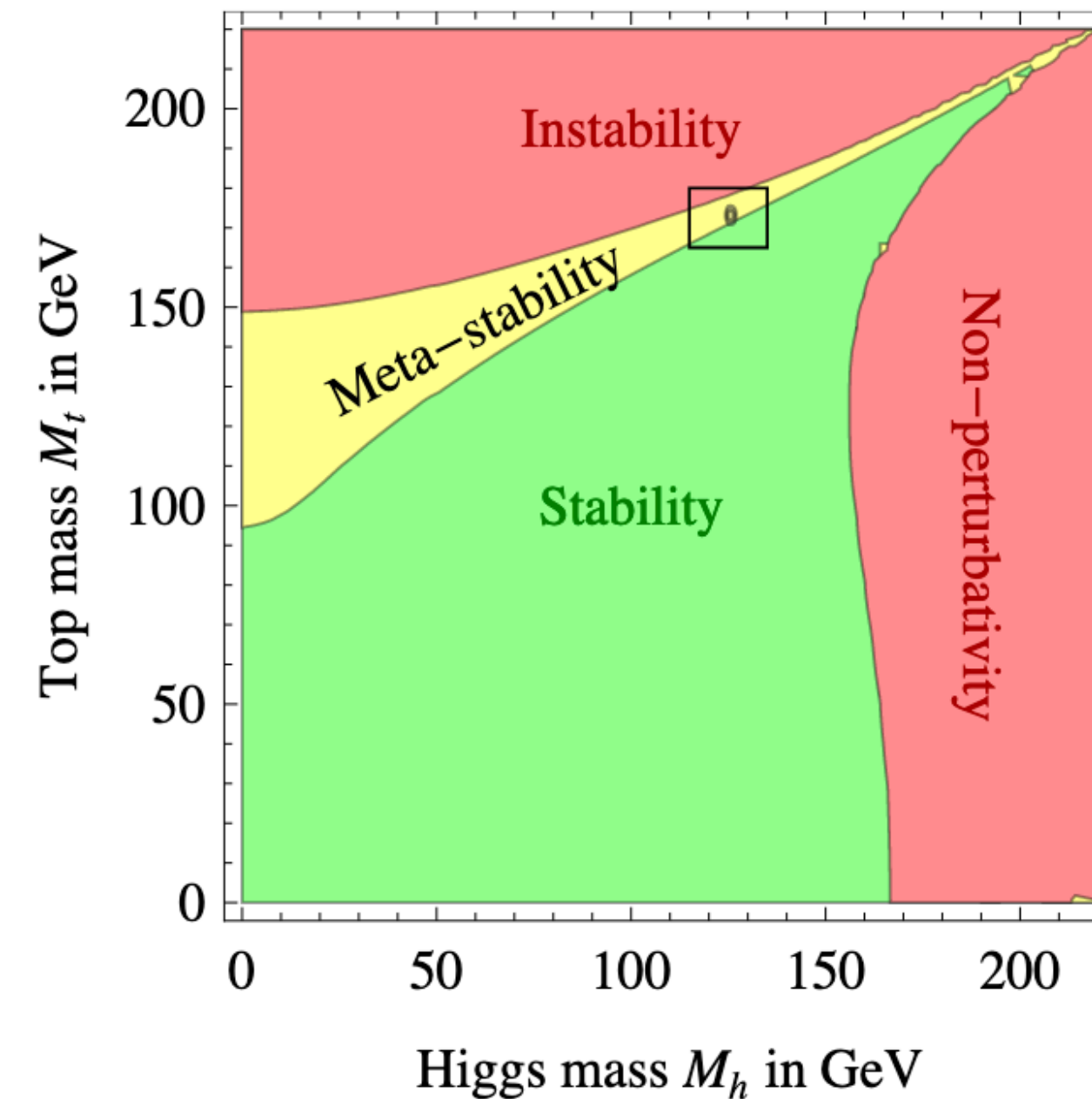
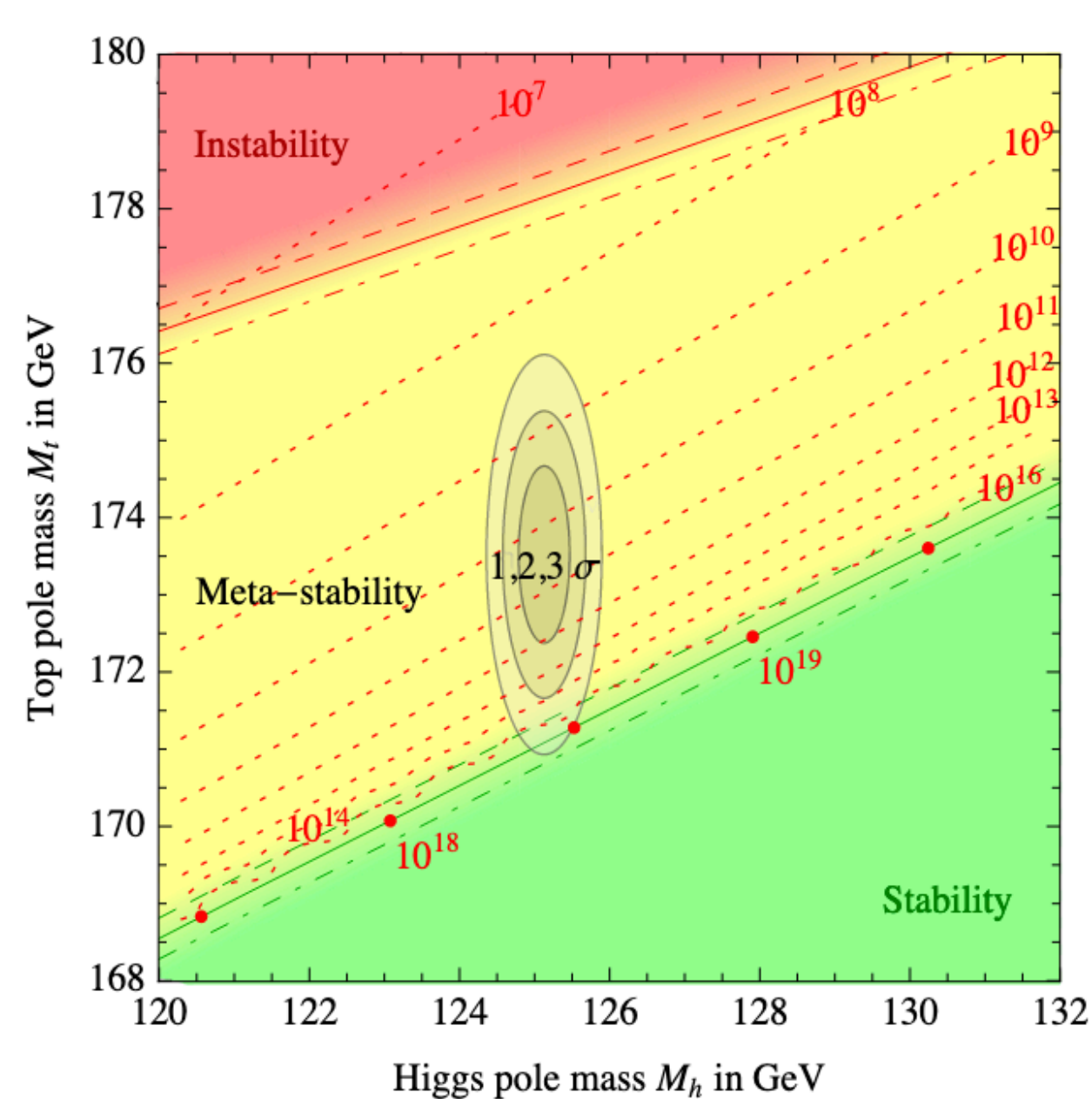


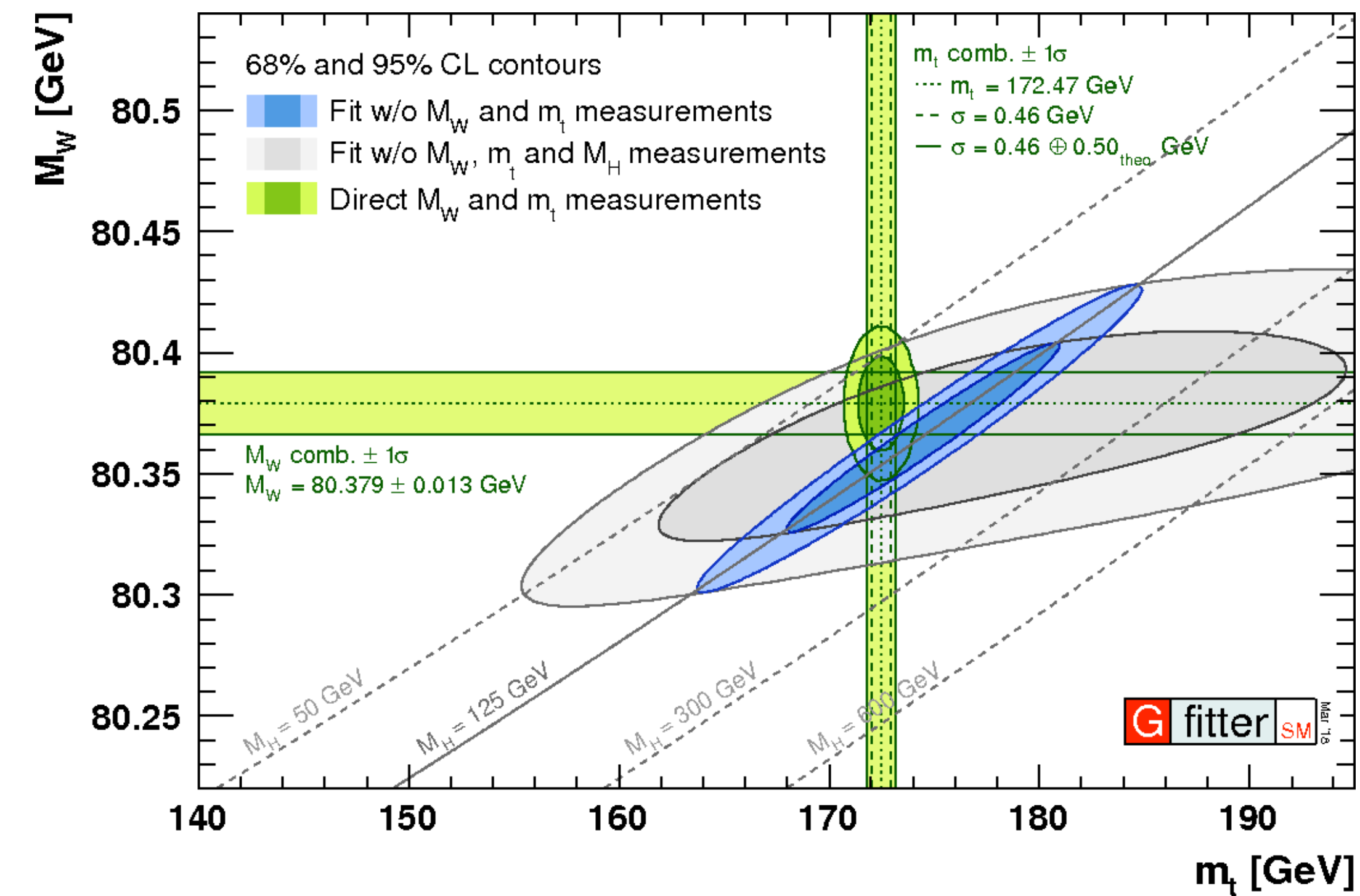


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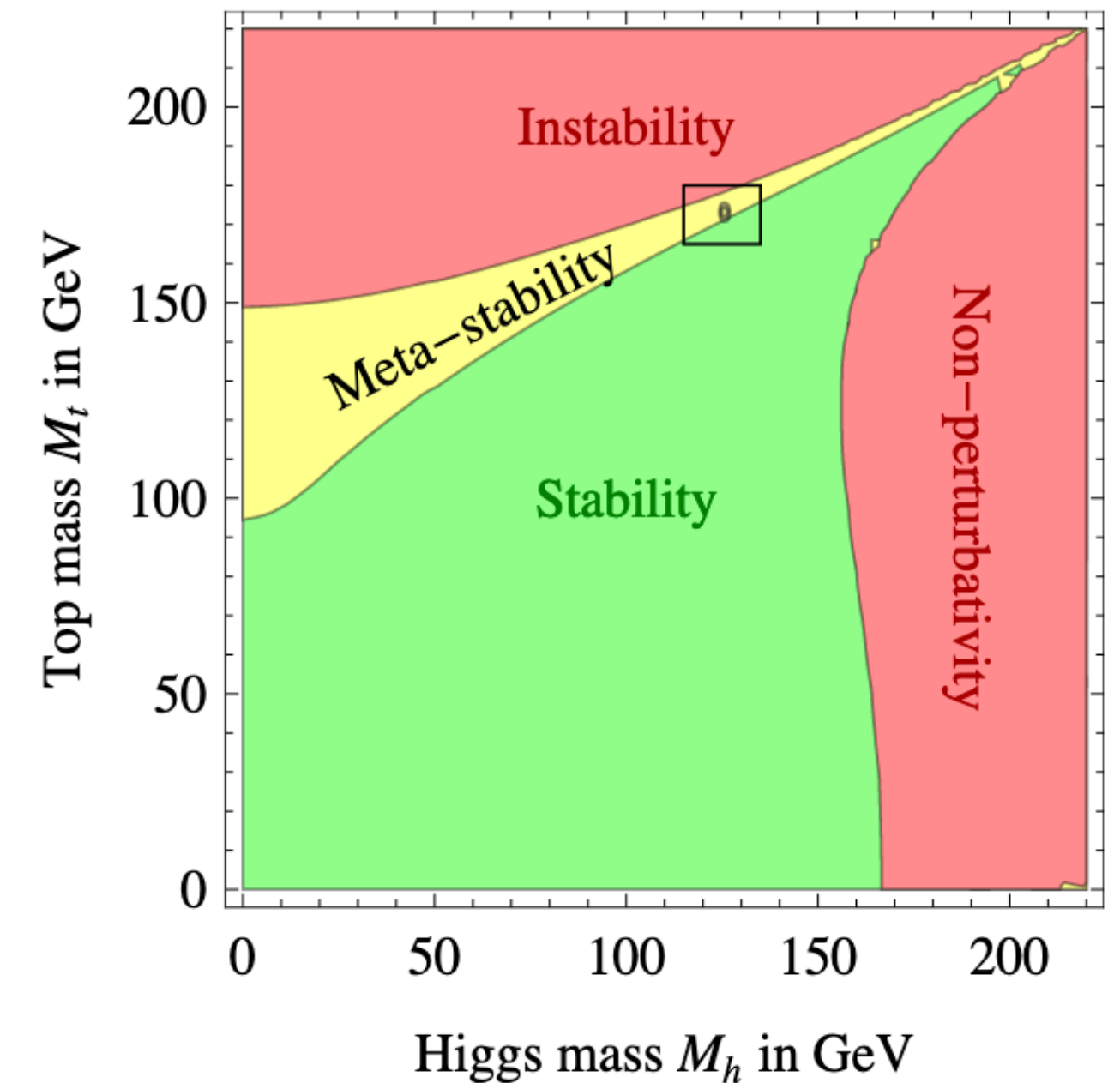
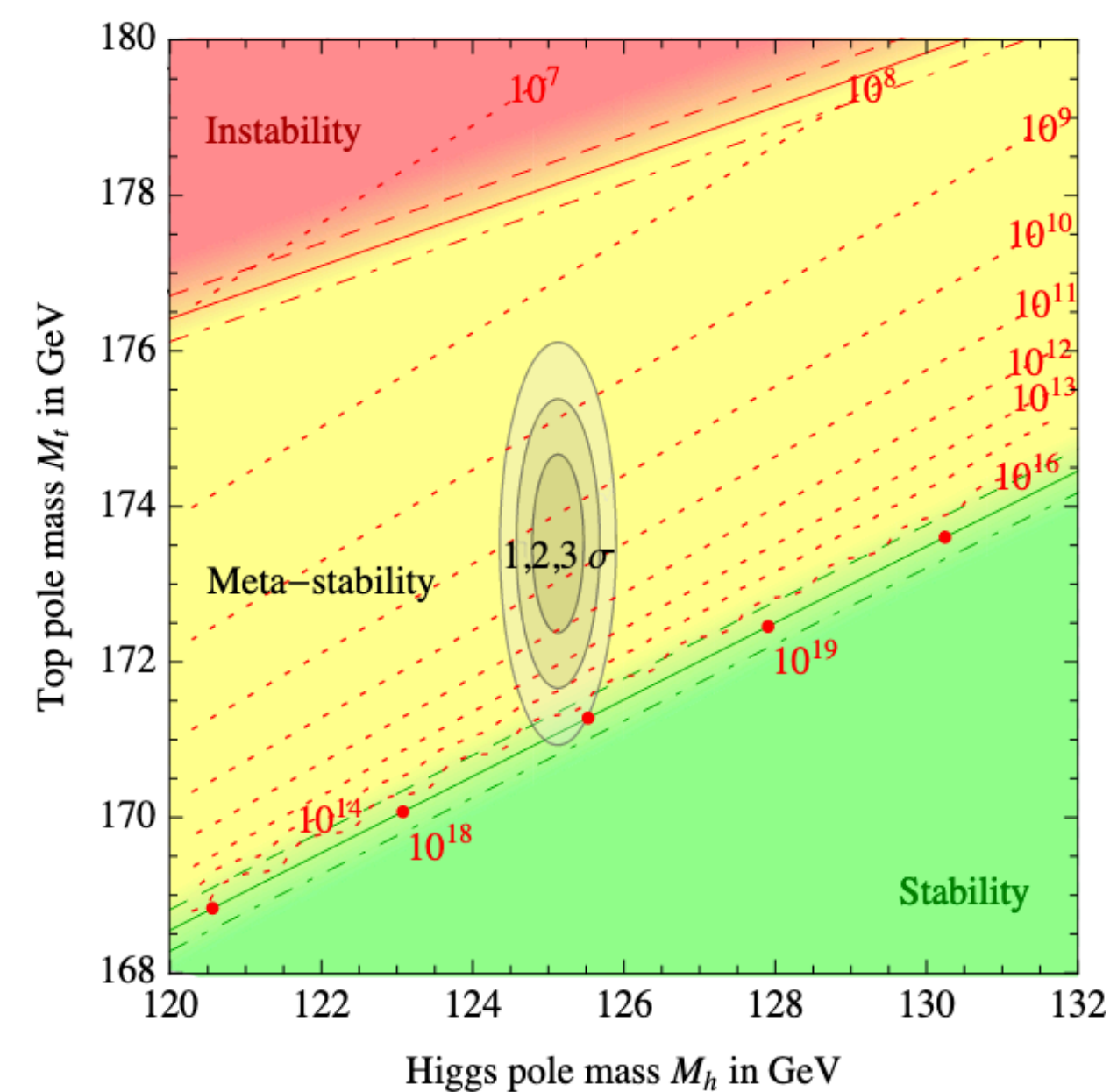


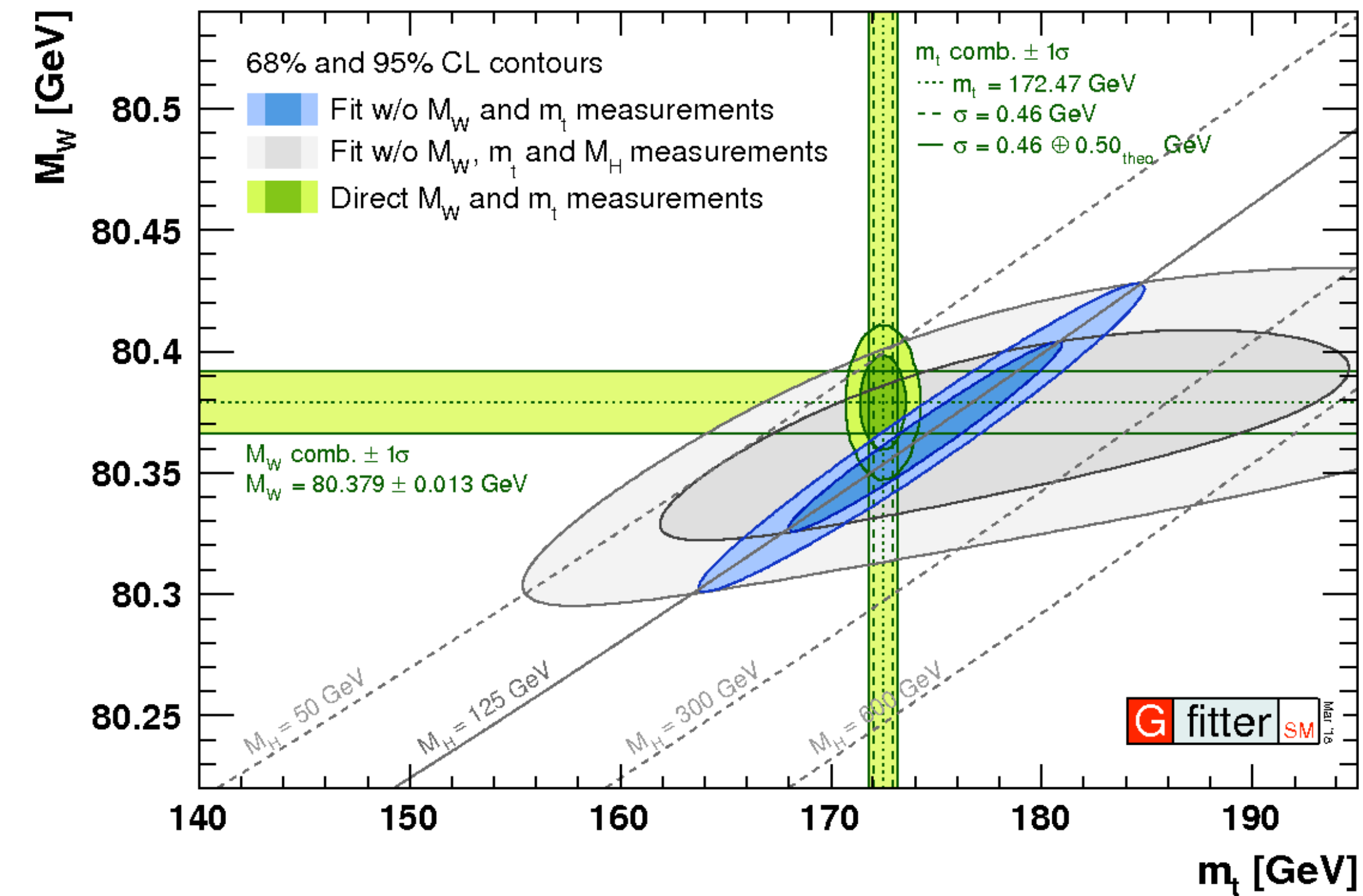
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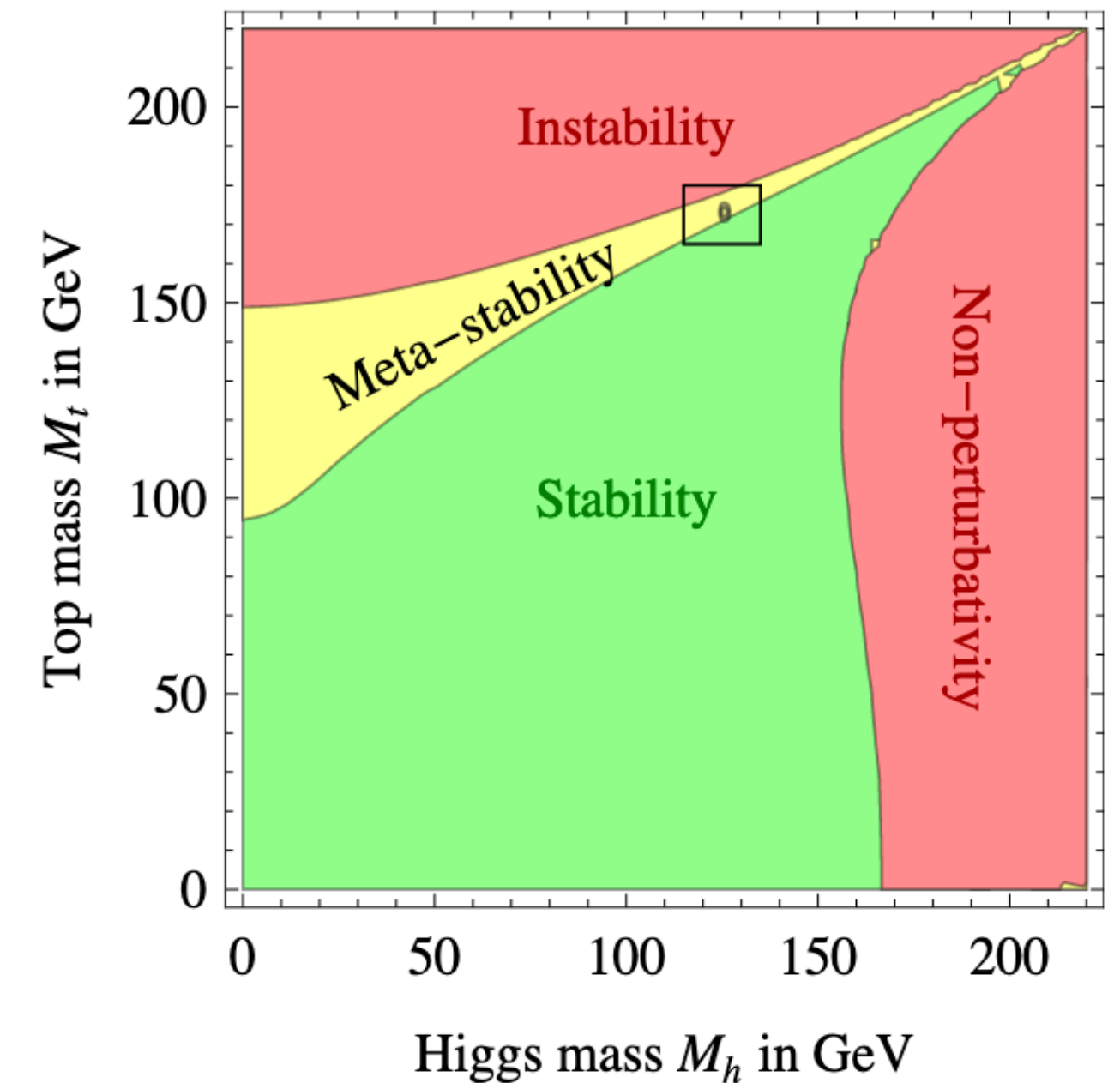
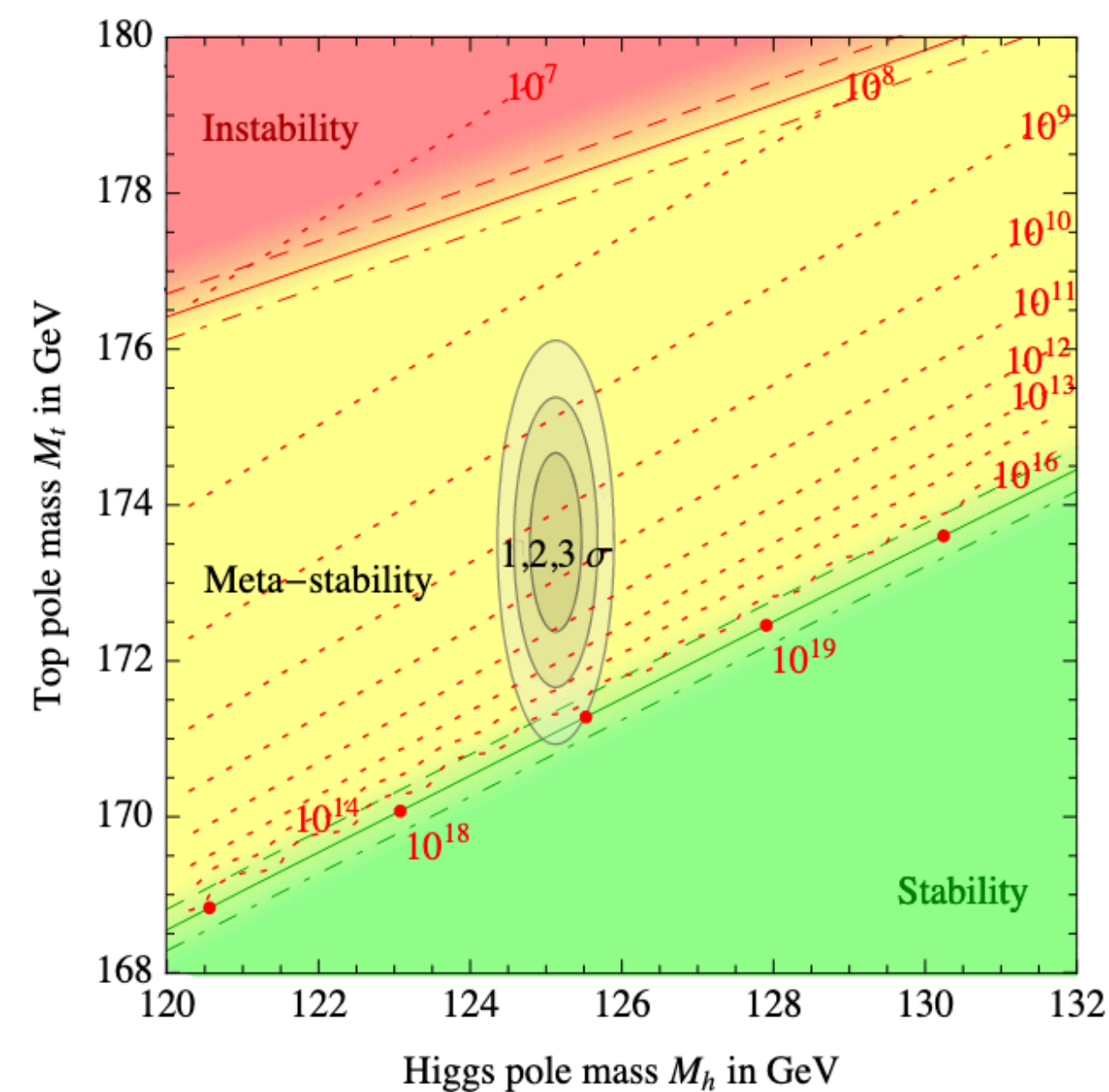


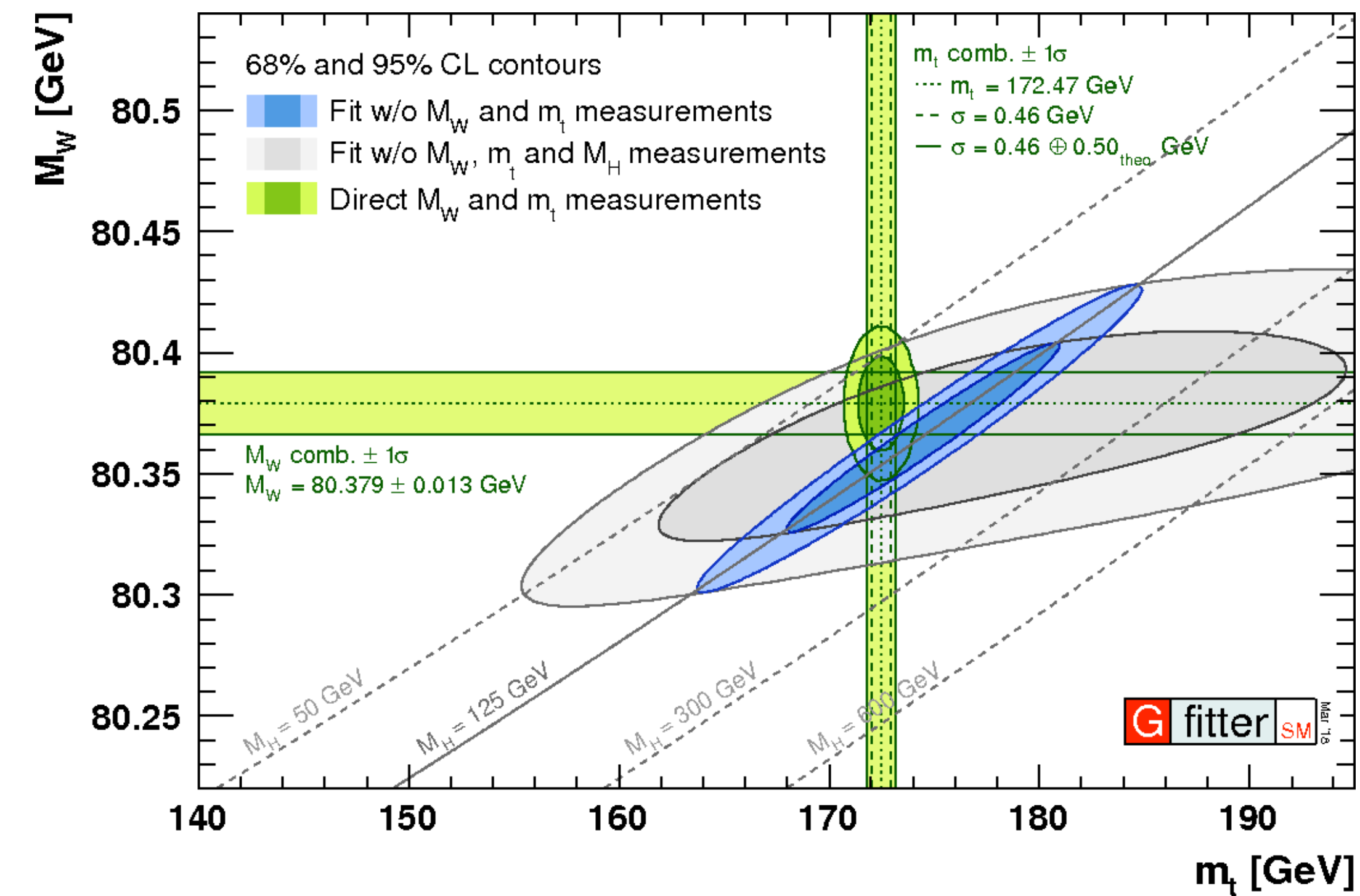
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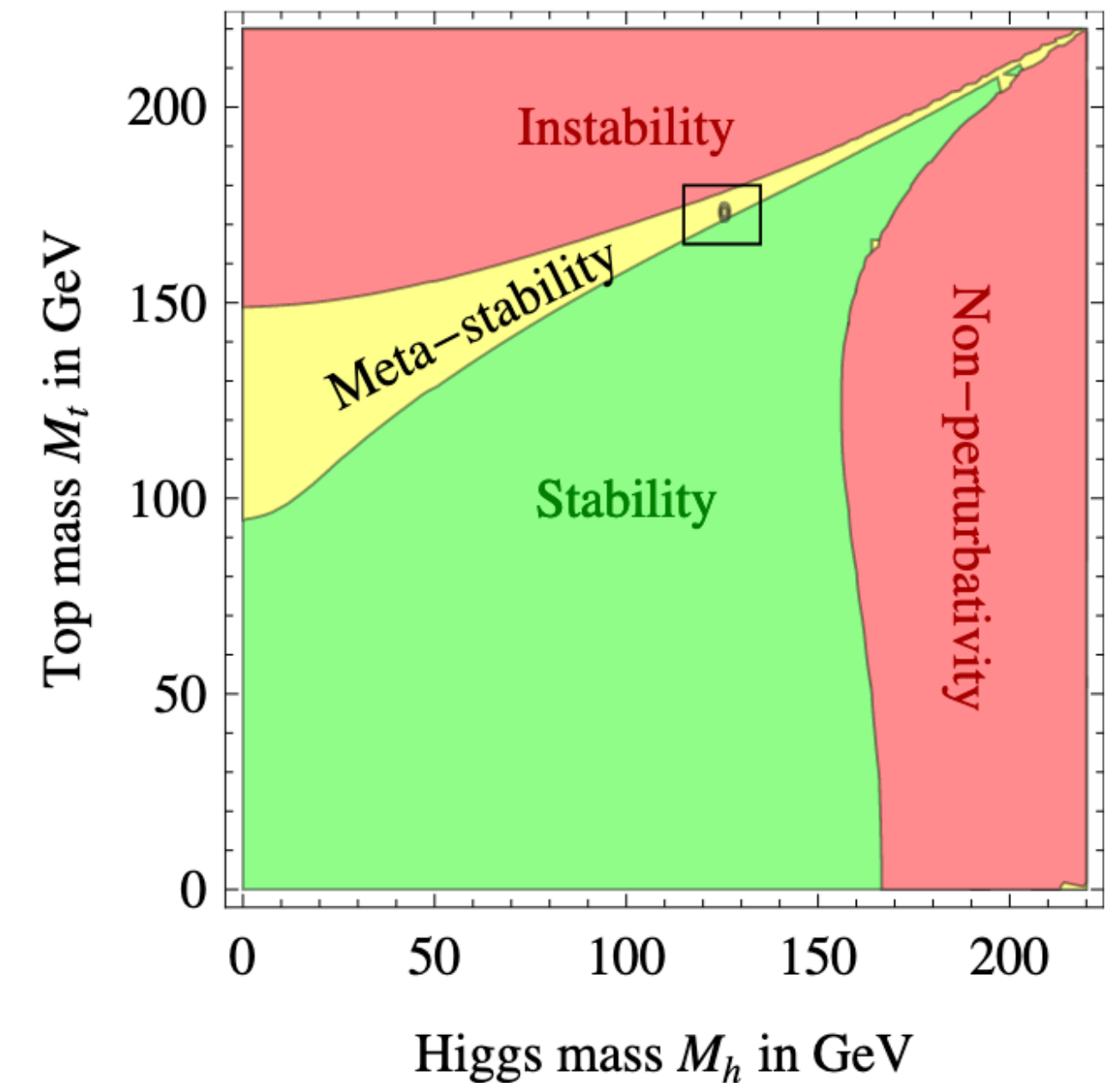
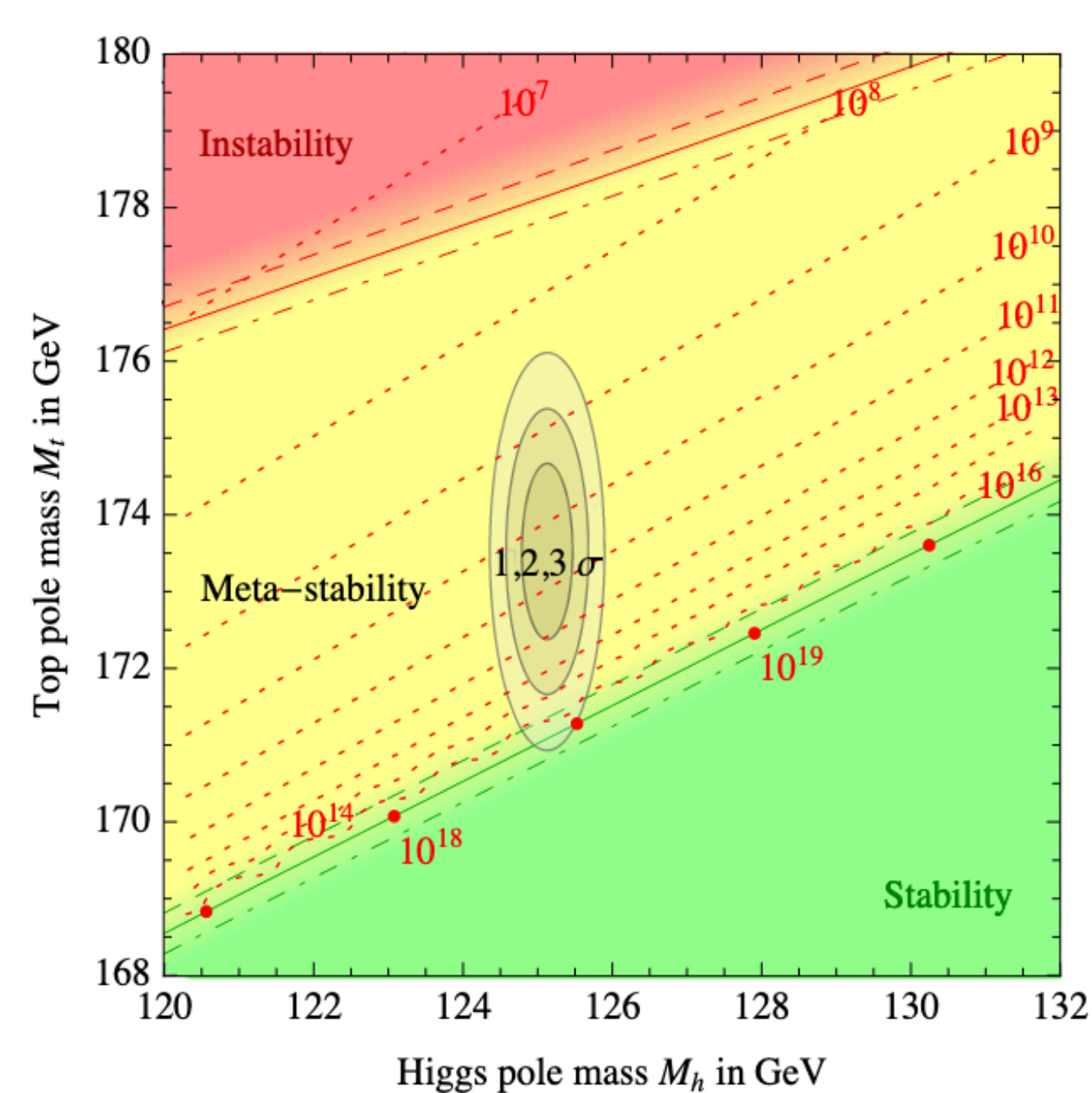
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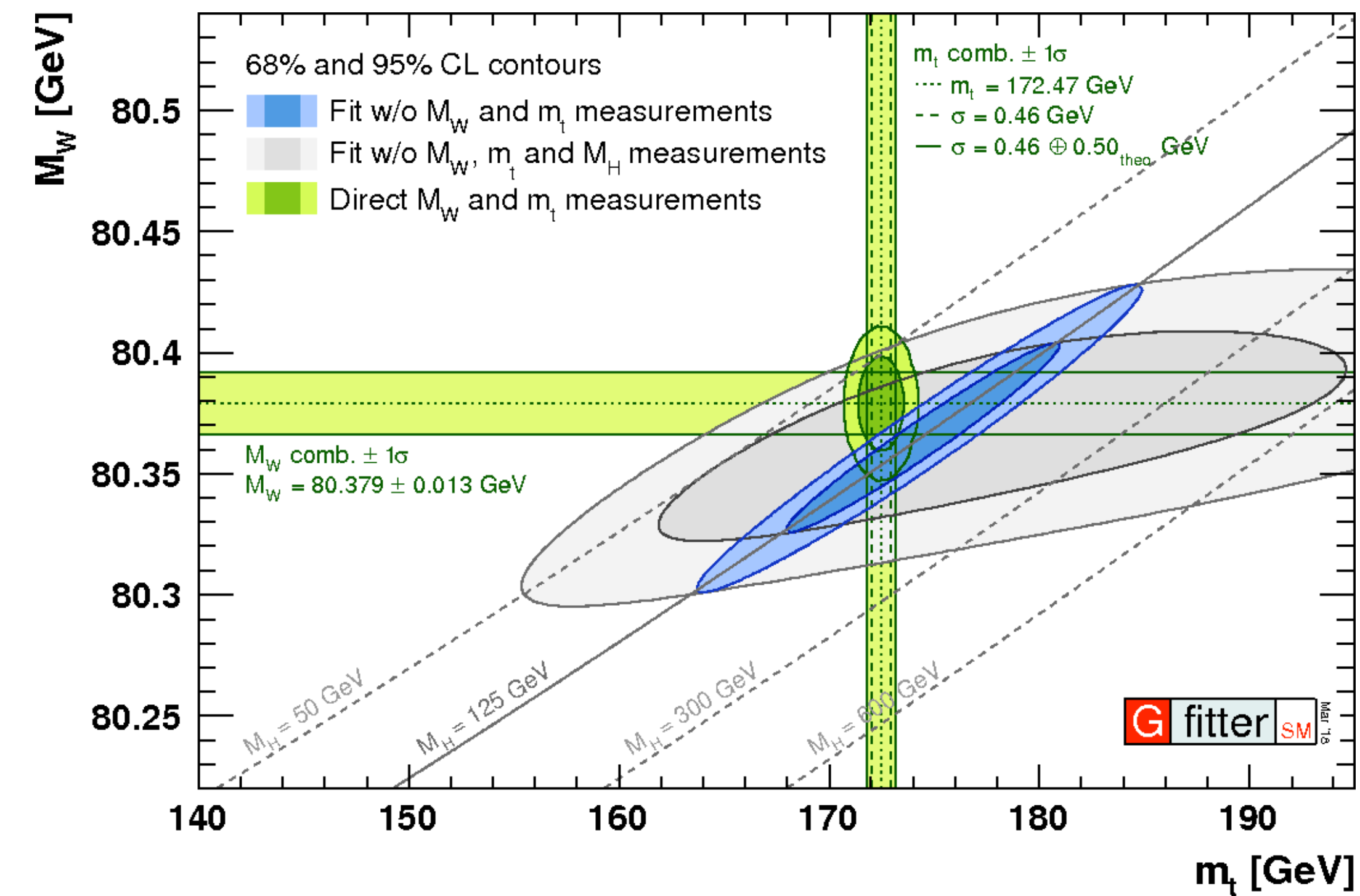
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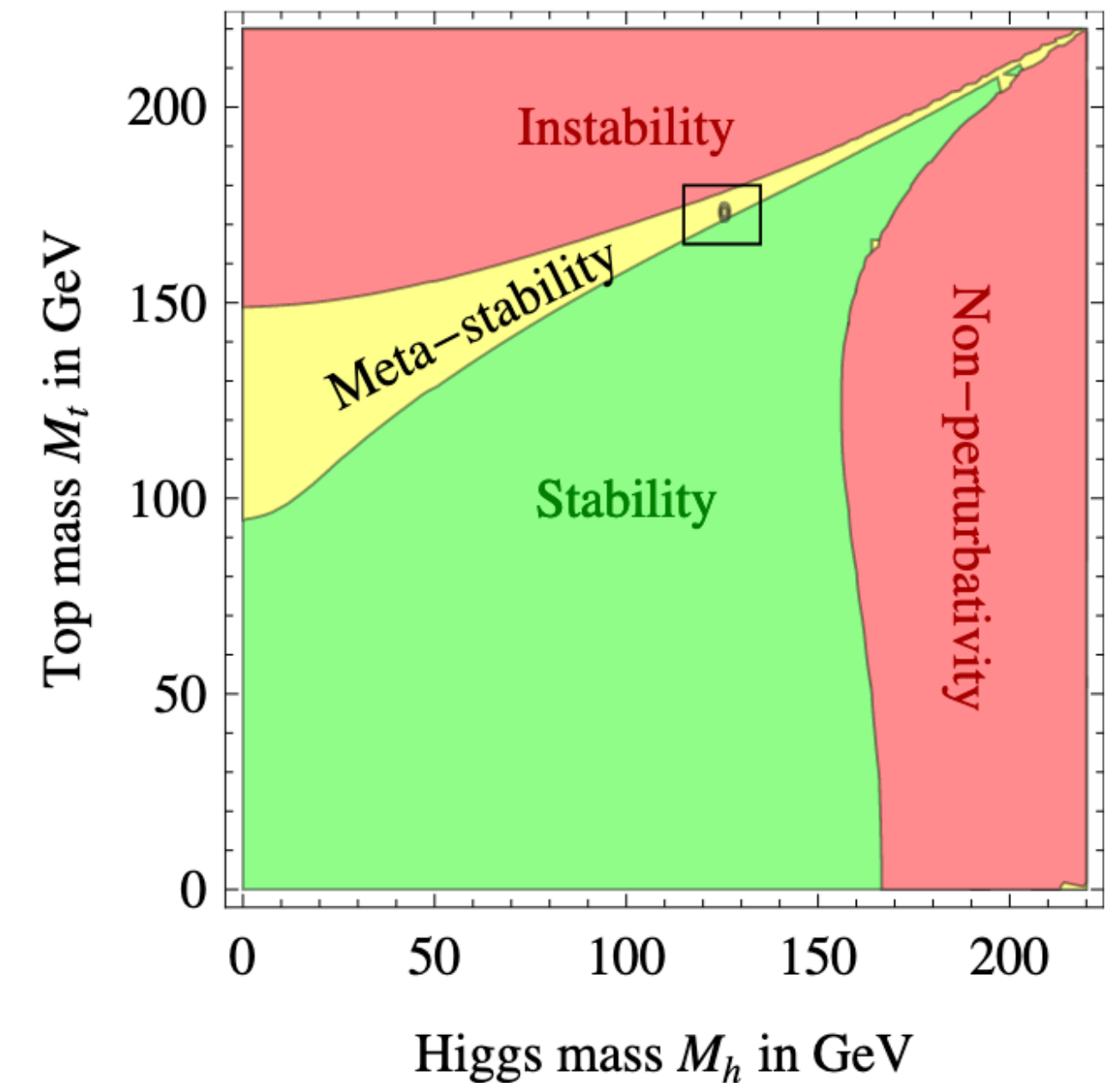
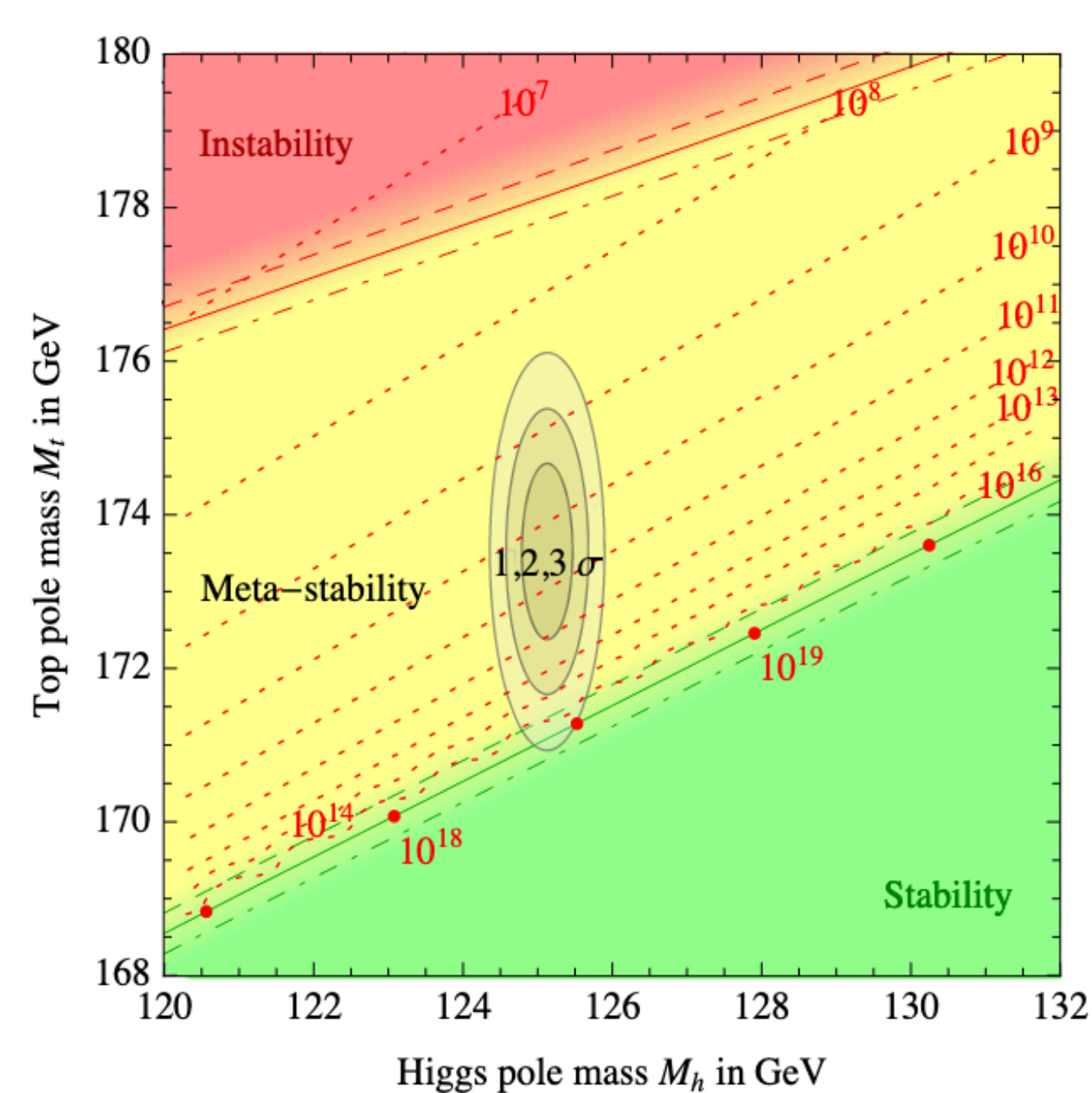
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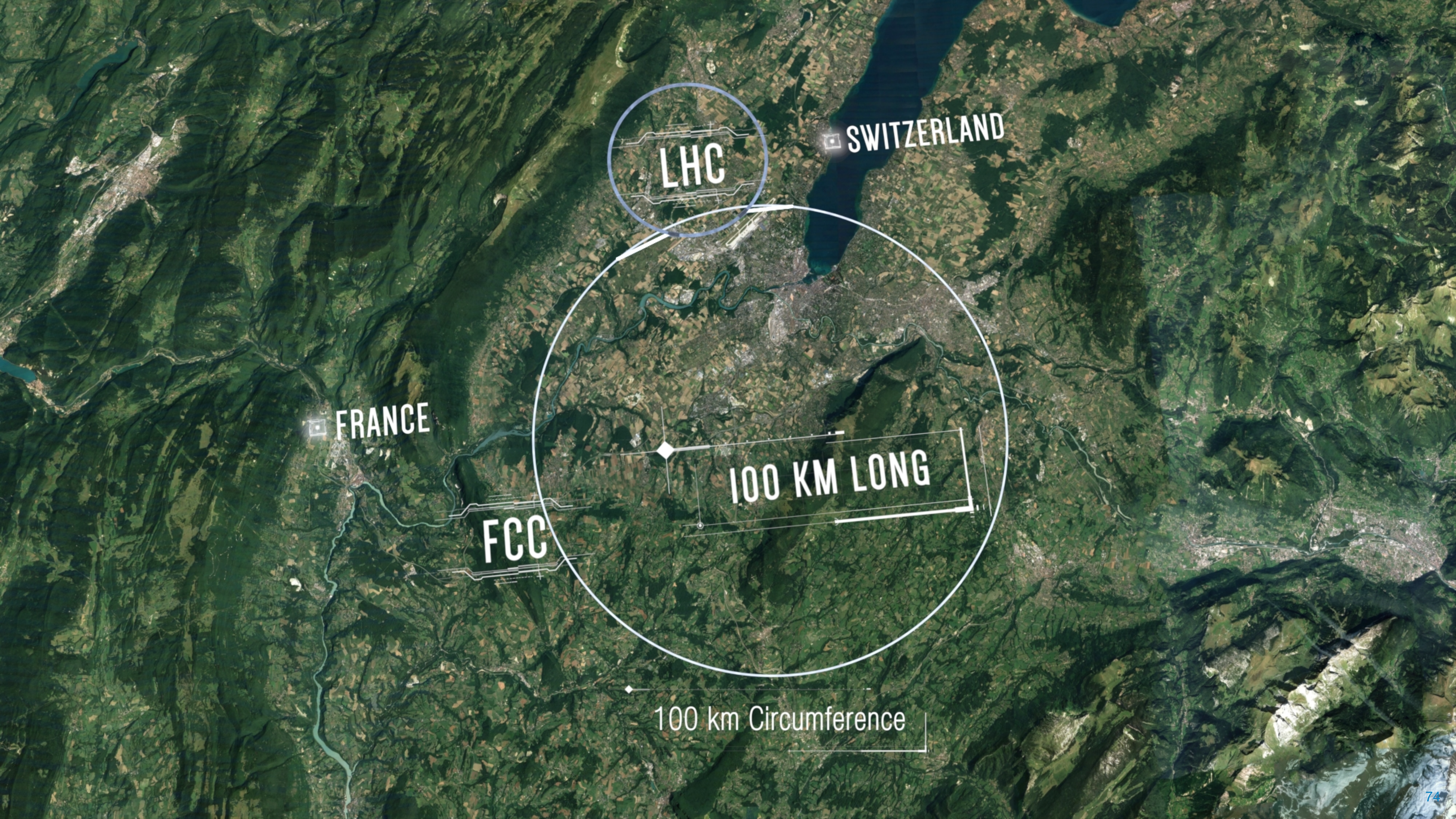
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It took us 60 years to find it, but we will be learning from it for at least 60 years more!



LHC

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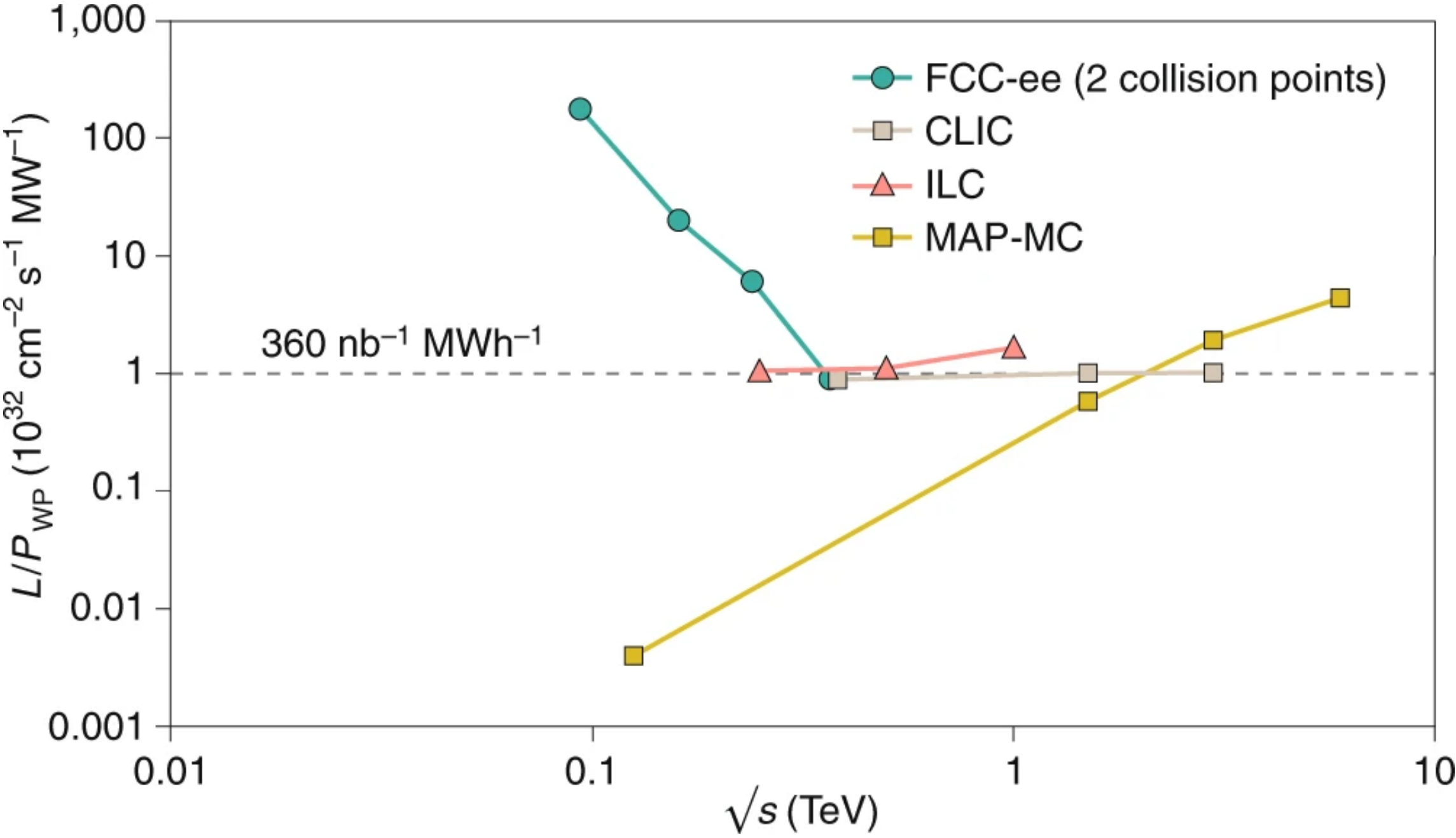
FRANCE

FCC

100 KM LONG

100 km Circumference

FCC-ee



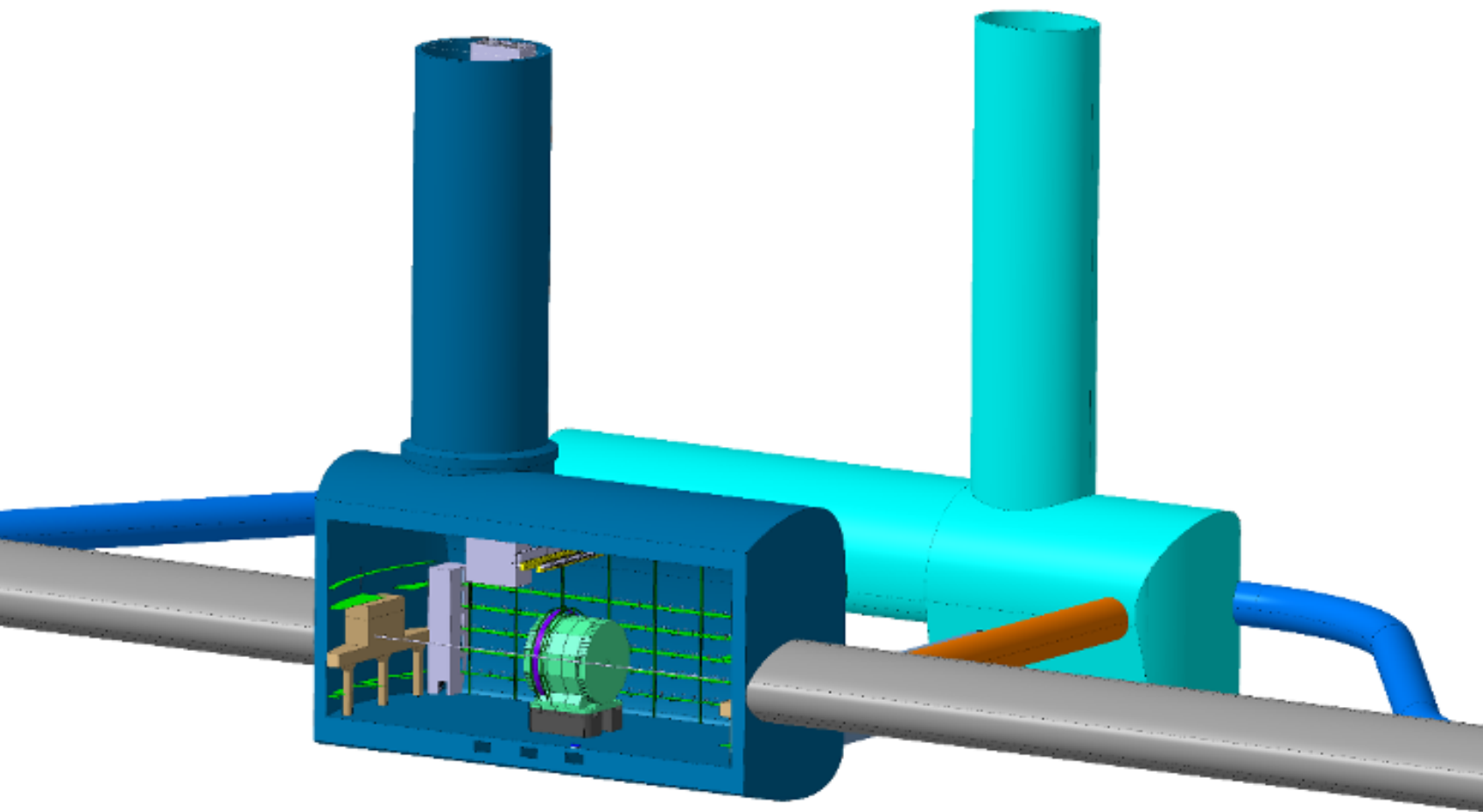
- Great energy range for the heavy particles of the Standard Model
- Complementarity with hadron (LHC, FCC-hh) and linear colliders
- combining successful ingredients of several recent colliders → highest luminosities & energies

The FCC-ee will be implemented in stages as an electroweak, flavour, and Higgs factory to study with unprecedented precision the Higgs boson, the Z and W bosons, the top quark, and other particles of the Standard Model

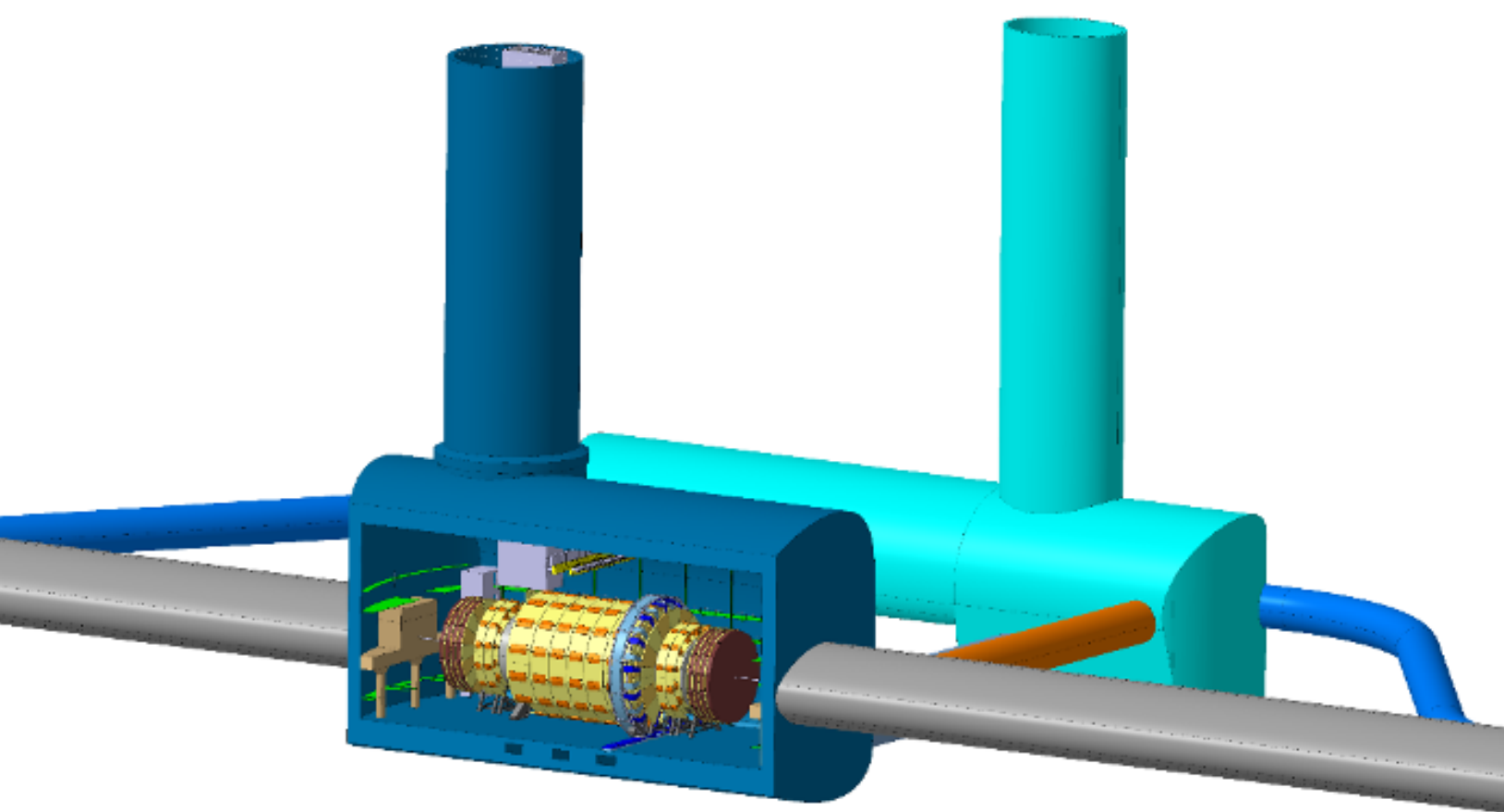
Phase	Run duration (years)	Center-of-mass Energies (GeV)	Integrated Luminosity (ab ⁻¹)	Event Statistics
FCC-ee-Z	4	88-95	150	3 × 10 ¹² visible Z decays
FCC-ee-W	2	158-162	12	10 ⁸ WW events
FCC-ee-H	3	240	5	10 ⁶ ZH events
FCC-ee-tt	5	345-365	1.5	10 ⁶ tt̄ events

LEP × 10⁵
LEP × 2 · 10³
Never done
Never done

Detector concepts



FCC-ee

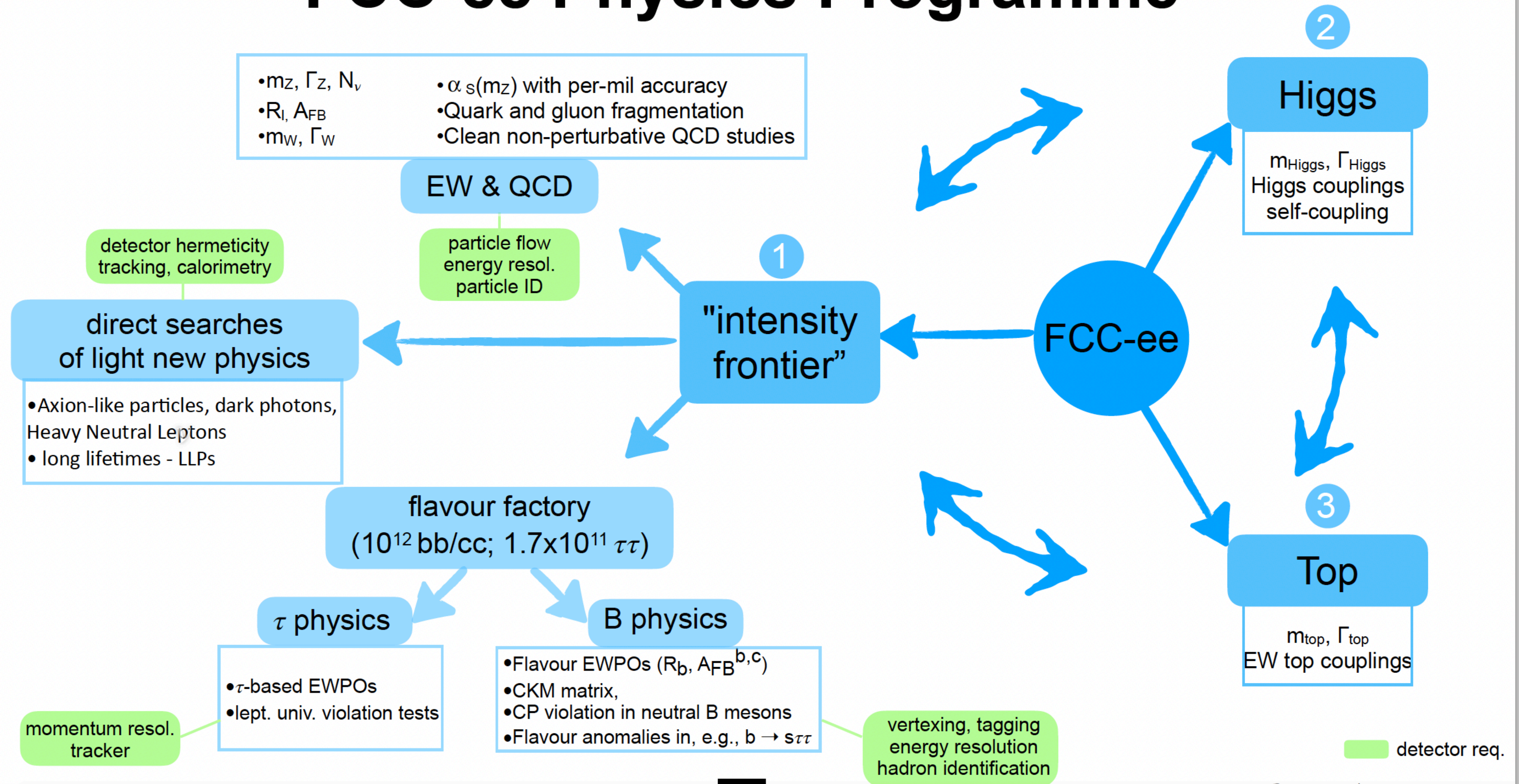


FCC-hh

CLD	IDEA	??
<p>Based on CLIC detector design, arXiv:1911.12230</p> <p>Full silicon vertex detector and tracker 3D-imaging highly-granular calorimeter system Coil outside calorimeter system</p>	<p>Innovative, possibly cheaper than CLD https://pos.sissa.it/390/819 Baseline in many ongoing studies</p> <p>Silicon vertex detector Short-drift, ultra-light wire chamber Dual-readout calorimeter Thin and light solenoid coil inside calorimeter system</p>	<p>New! Still unnamed! GranuLAr WS, IJCLab 2022 – Martin Aleksa</p> <p>Highly granular noble-liquid calorimeter Thin 2T solenoid in the calorimeter cryostat.</p>

More complementary options possible (4 IP!) → Can we optimize detector designs for the complete physics program? Yes! opportunities to contribute

FCC-ee Physics Programme

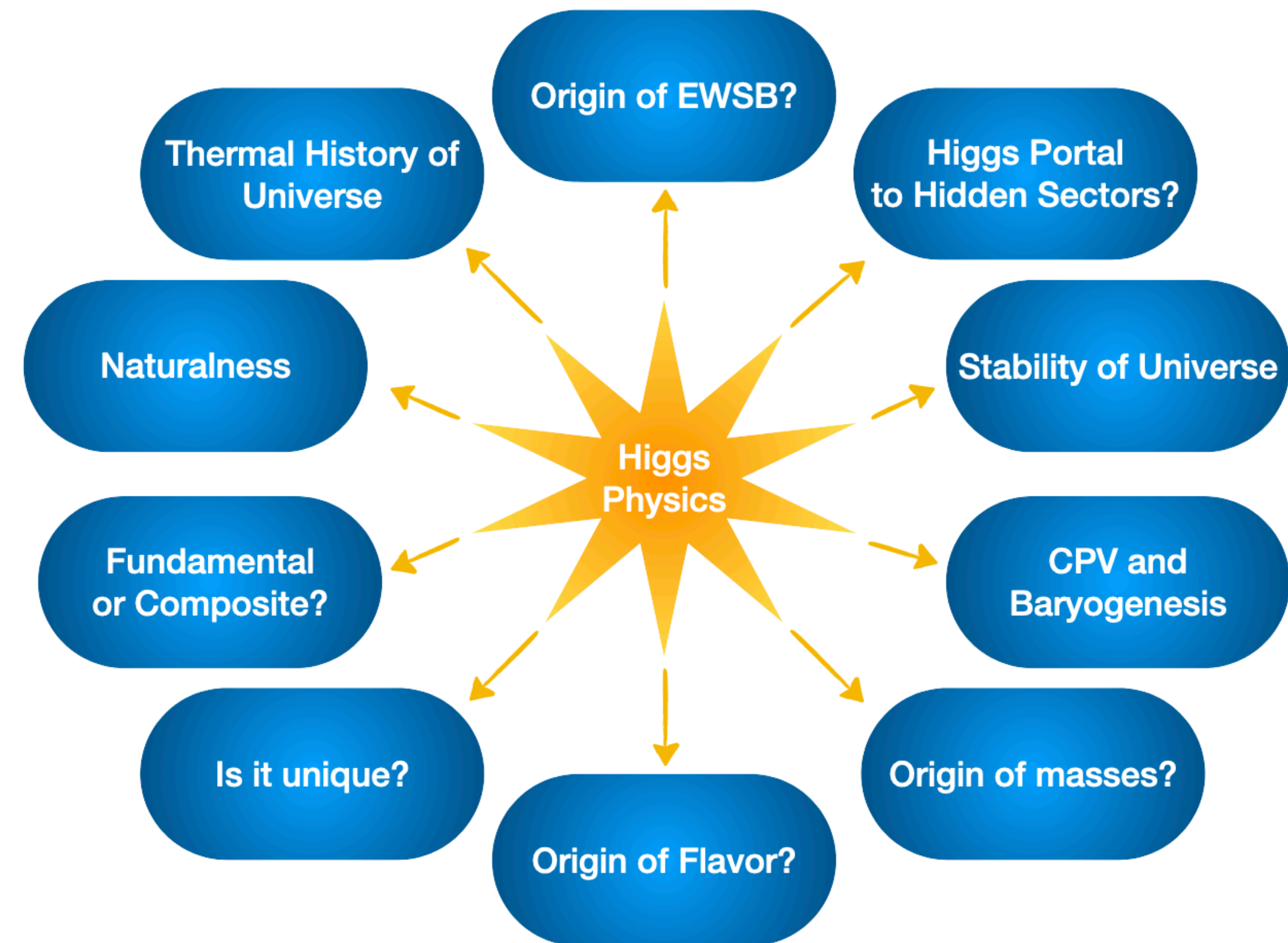


HET factory physics

H is for Higgs

J. de Blas, FCC week 2023

- FCC-ee is primarily a Higgs factory
- The Higgs is connected to central questions in HEP
- BSM scenarios dealing with these questions typically introduce modifications in the Higgs properties
- Indirect tests of new physics

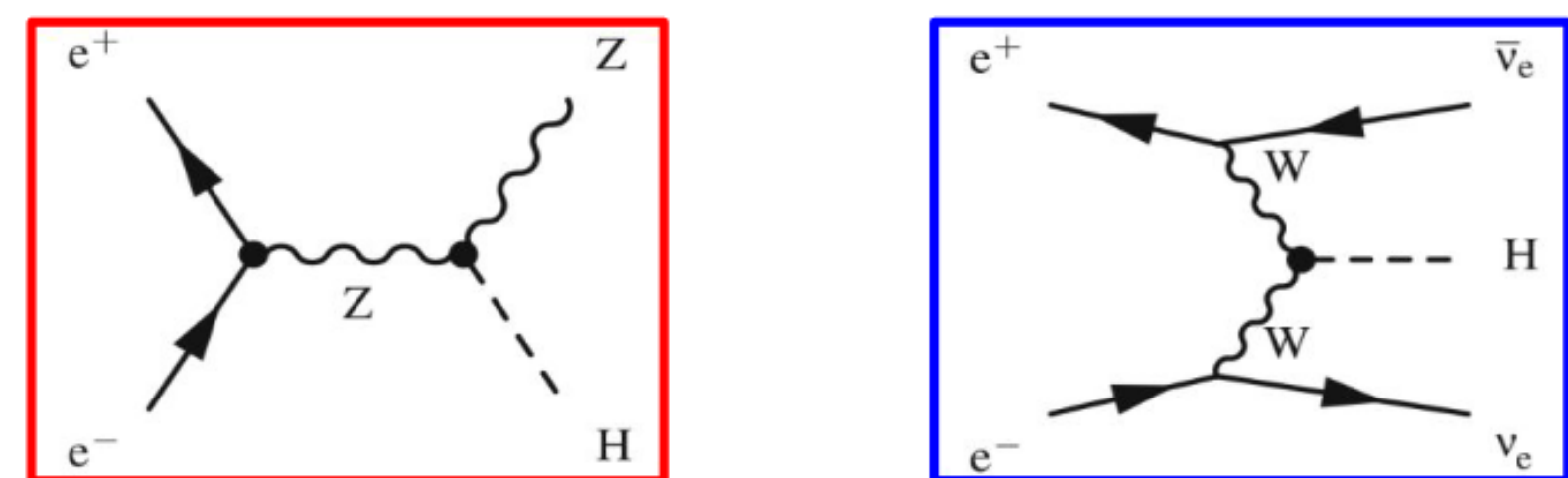


[arXiv:2209.07510](https://arxiv.org/abs/2209.07510)

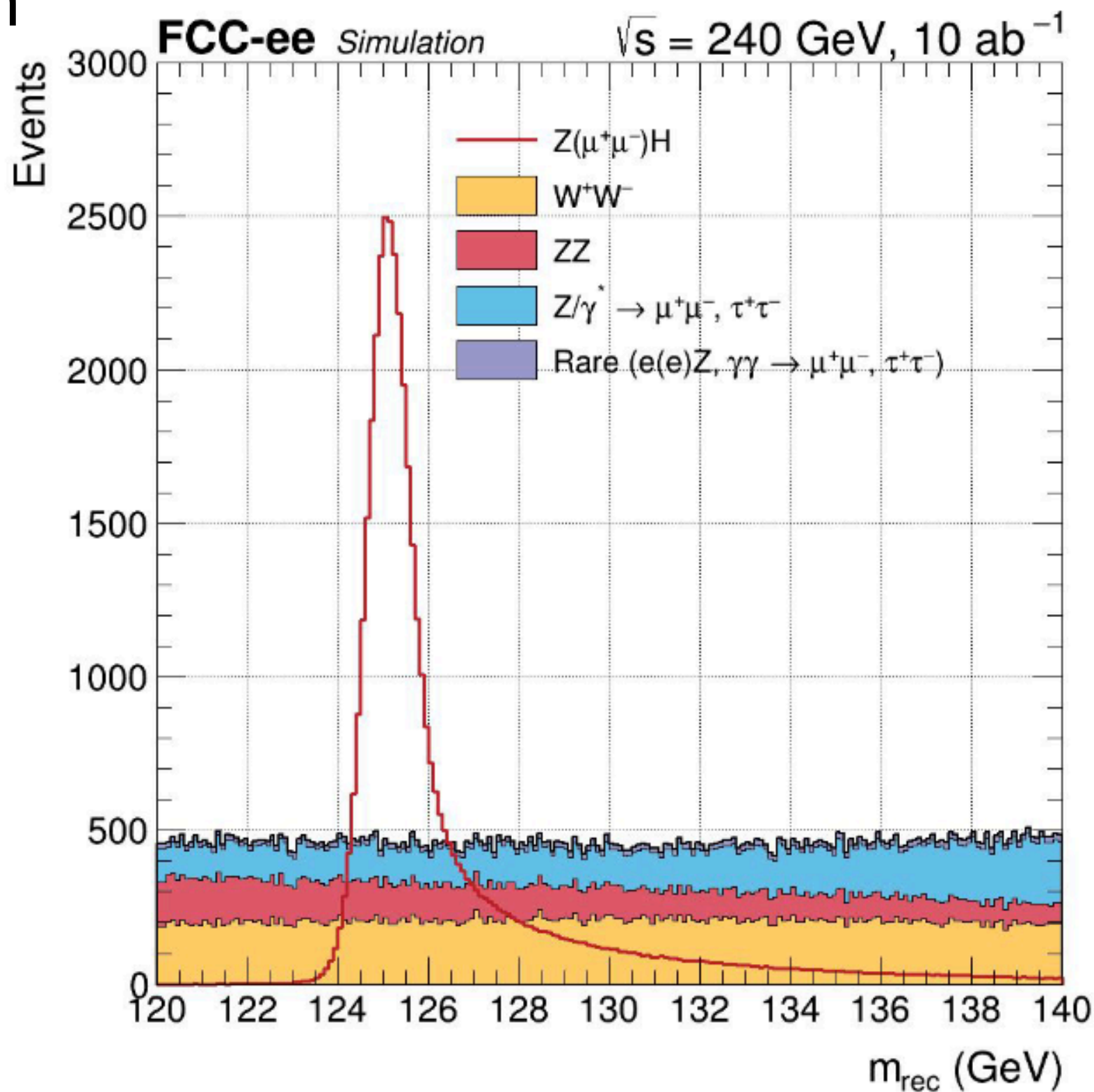
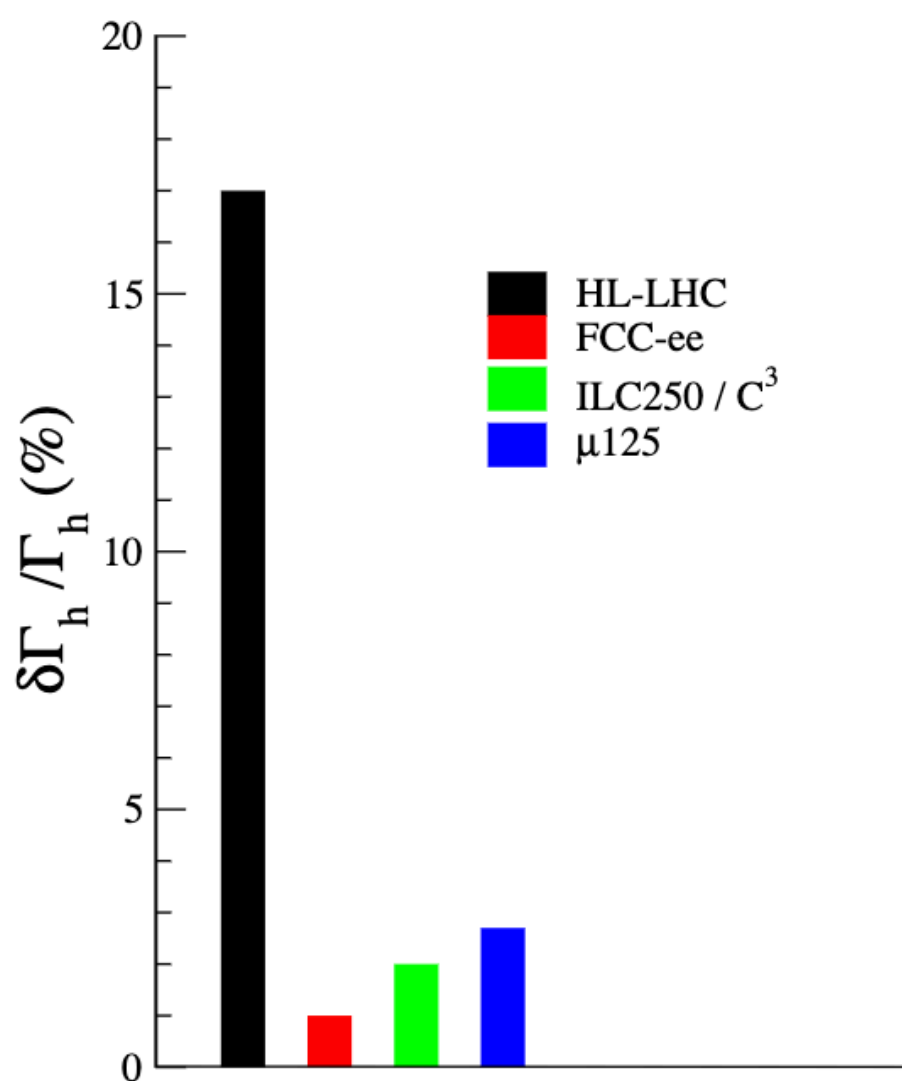
Giant step forward in precision

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- x10 precision
- Recoil mass method for ZH production
 - Measurement of $\sigma_{ZH} \Rightarrow$ Absolute measurement of HZZ interaction
 - Precise Higgs mass O(MeV) and width determination <1%

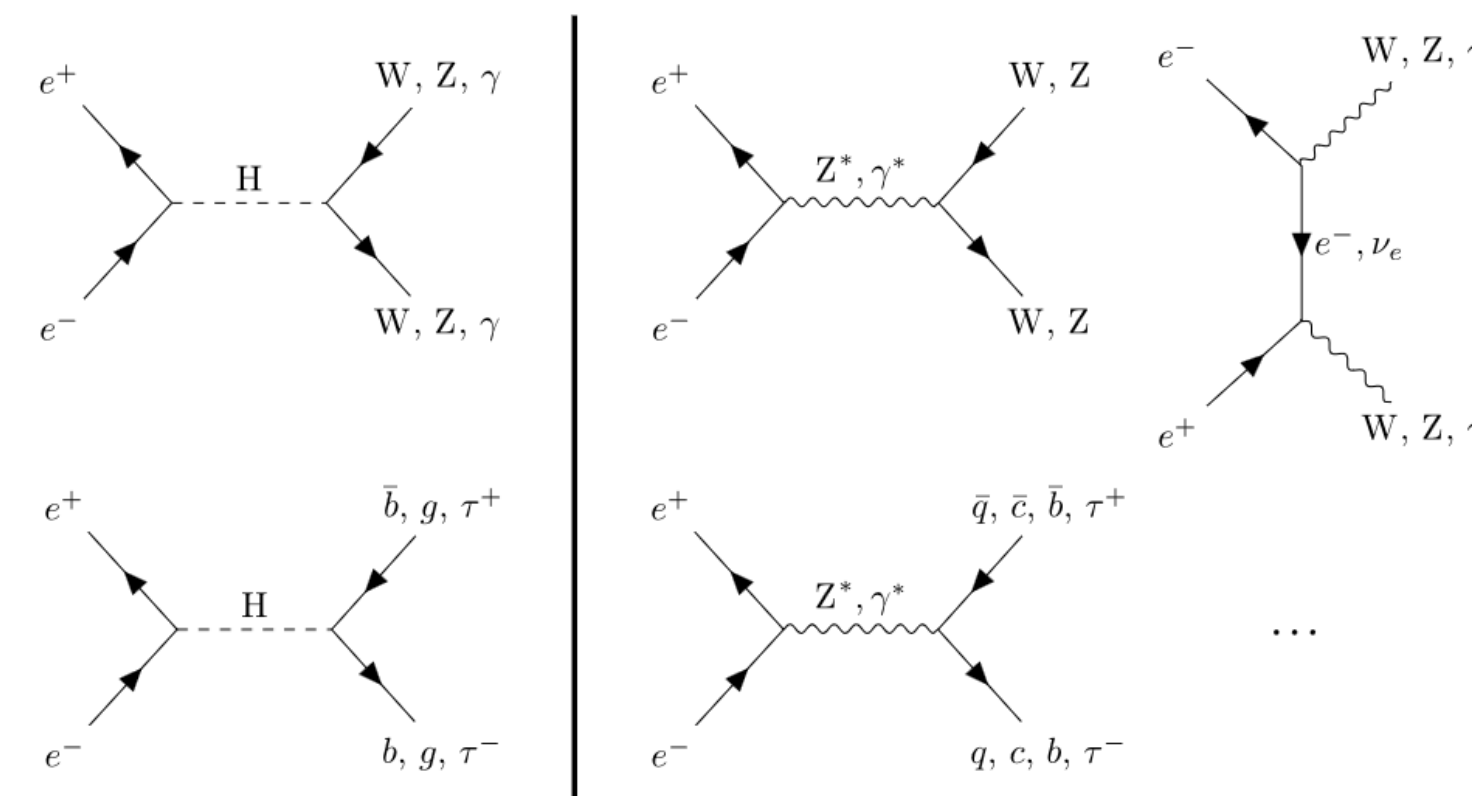
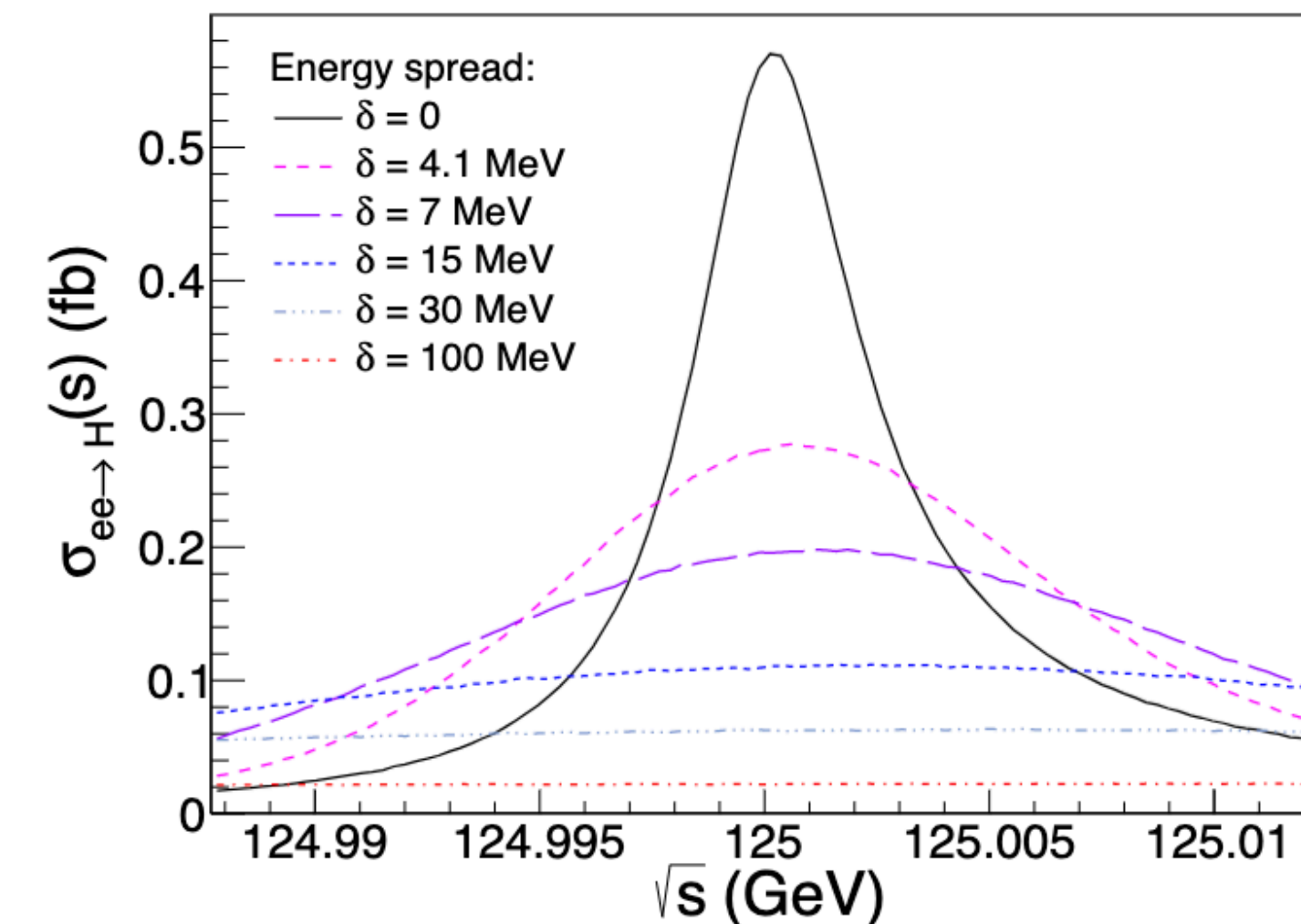


Total Higgs production @ FCC-ee (baseline – 4 IP)		
Threshold	ZH production	VBF production
240 GeV / 10 ab ⁻¹	2 M	50 k
365 GeV / 3 ab ⁻¹	0.4 M	0.1 M

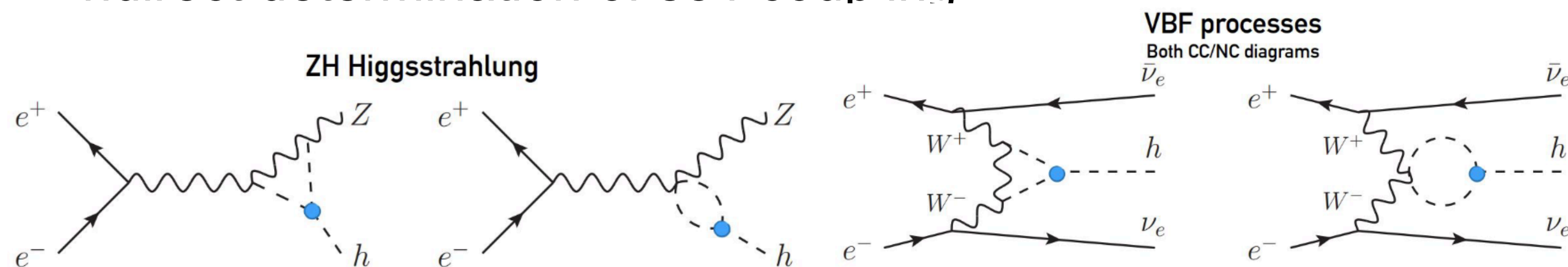


Per-mil level in couplings

- Thorough determination of couplings with high precision
 - fermions/gluons: $O(\leq 1\%)$
 - Invisible $O(30\%)$
- Access to interactions not easy/impossible at HL-LHC:
 - c guaranteed
 - s, e (unique challenge, using s-channel and beam monochromatization at $\sqrt{s} = 125$ GeV) within reach



- Indirect determination of self-coupling



- **pp:** statistics + e+e- precision measurements+ large dynamic range
 - sub-% measurement of rare decay modes
 - $\approx 5\%$ measurement of the trilinear self-coupling
 - $d > 4$ EFT operators up to scales of several TeV
 - search for multi-TeV resonances decaying to H, Higgs sector extensions

Profound test of the SM

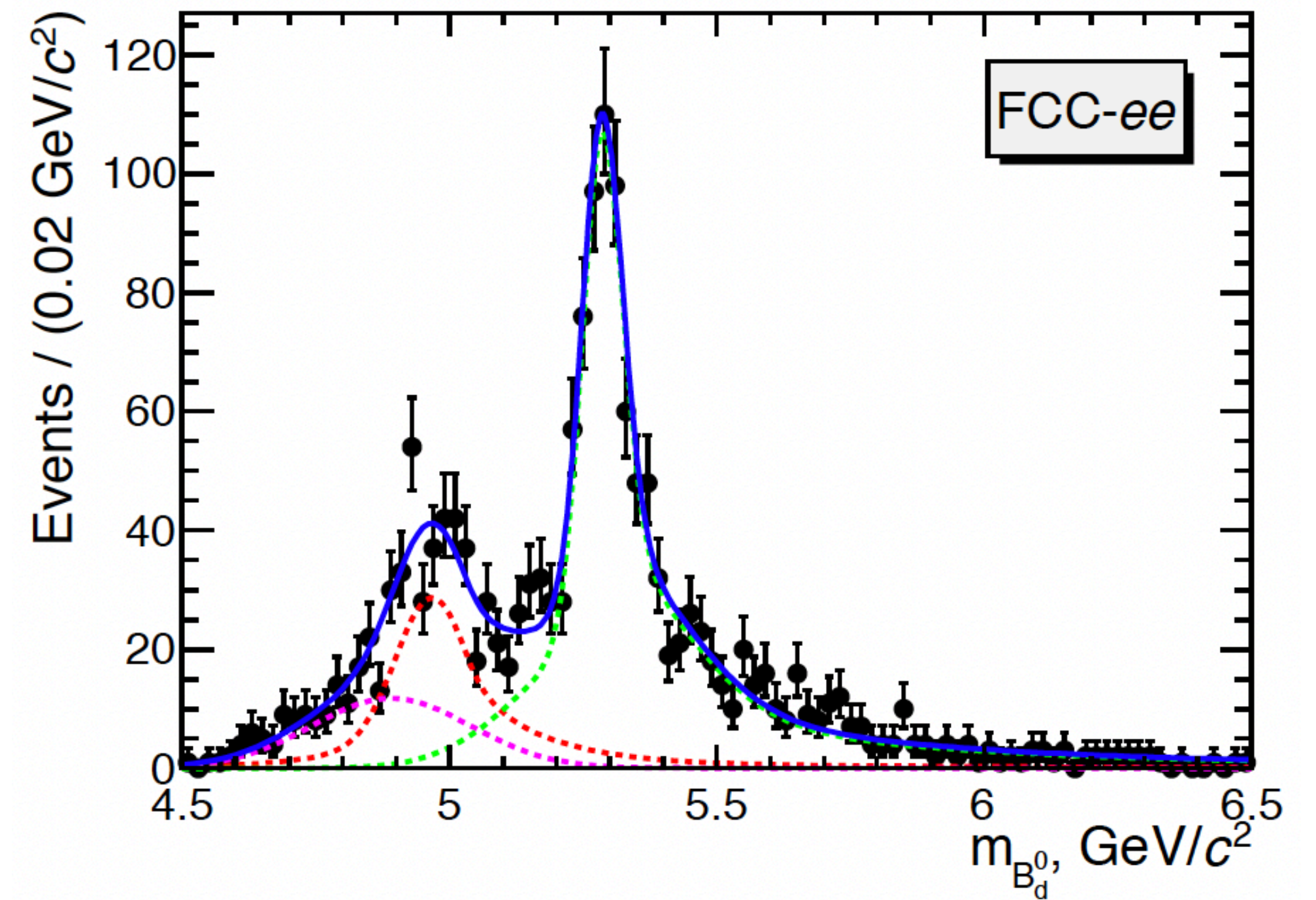
Precision electroweak - Christoph Paus

- $O(10^5)$ larger statistics than LEP at the Z peak and $O(10^3)$ at WW threshold
- Re-measurement 3 orders of magnitude more precisely: m_Z , $\alpha_{\text{QED}}(m_Z)$, ...
- Severe constraints from pseudo observables
- Limiting factors to tackle now: Lumi, Energy calibration of the beam, experimental uncertainties (but mostly theory), fitting methods for pseudo observables

Observable	Present value \pm error	FCC-ee Stat.	FCC-ee Syst.	Comment and dominant exp. error
m_Z (keV)	$91,186,700 \pm 2200$	4	100	From Z lineshape scan; beam energy calibration
Γ_Z (keV)	$2,495,200 \pm 2300$	4	25	From Z lineshape scan; beam energy calibration
$R_\ell^Z (\times 10^3)$	$20,767 \pm 25$	0.06	0.2 – 1.0	Ratio of hadrons to leptons; acceptance for leptons
$\alpha_S(m_Z^2) (\times 10^4)$	$1,196 \pm 30$	0.1	0.4 – 1.6	From R_ℓ^Z above
$R_b (\times 10^6)$	$216,290 \pm 660$	0.3	< 60	Ratio of $b\bar{b}$ to hadrons; stat. extrapol. from SLD
$\sigma_{\text{had}}^0 (\times 10^3)$ (nb)	$41,541 \pm 37$	0.1	4	Peak hadronic cross section; luminosity measurement
$N_\nu (\times 10^3)$	$2,996 \pm 7$	0.005	1	Z peak cross sections; luminosity measurement
$\sin^2 \theta_W^{\text{eff}} (\times 10^6)$	$231,480 \pm 160$	1.4	1.4	From $A_{\text{FB}}^{\mu\mu}$ at Z peak; beam energy calibration
$1/\alpha_{\text{QED}}(m_Z^2) (\times 10^3)$	$128,952 \pm 14$	3.8	1.2	From $A_{\text{FB}}^{\mu\mu}$ off peak
$A_{\text{FB}}^{b,0} (\times 10^4)$	992 ± 16	0.02	1.3	b -quark asymmetry at Z pole; from jet charge
$A_e (\times 10^4)$	$1,498 \pm 49$	0.07	0.2	from $A_{\text{FB}}^{\text{pol},\tau}$; systematics from non- τ backgrounds
m_W (MeV)	$80,350 \pm 15$	0.25	0.3	From WW threshold scan; beam energy calibration
Γ_W (MeV)	$2,085 \pm 42$	1.2	0.3	From WW threshold scan; beam energy calibration
$N_\nu (\times 10^3)$	$2,920 \pm 50$	0.8	Small	Ratio of invis. to leptonic in radiative Z returns
$\alpha_S(m_W^2) (\times 10^4)$	$1,170 \pm 420$	3	Small	From R_ℓ^W

Flavour

- FCC-ee could be a powerful and competitive probe of flavour physics beyond current experimental programs
- Tera-Z run of the FCC-ee 15x Belle's stats (more with 4IPs) → covering the full program of LHCb & Belle II and compete favorably everywhere
- All b-hadron species available, potential for excellent secondary vertex reconstruction
- Large tau production, boost



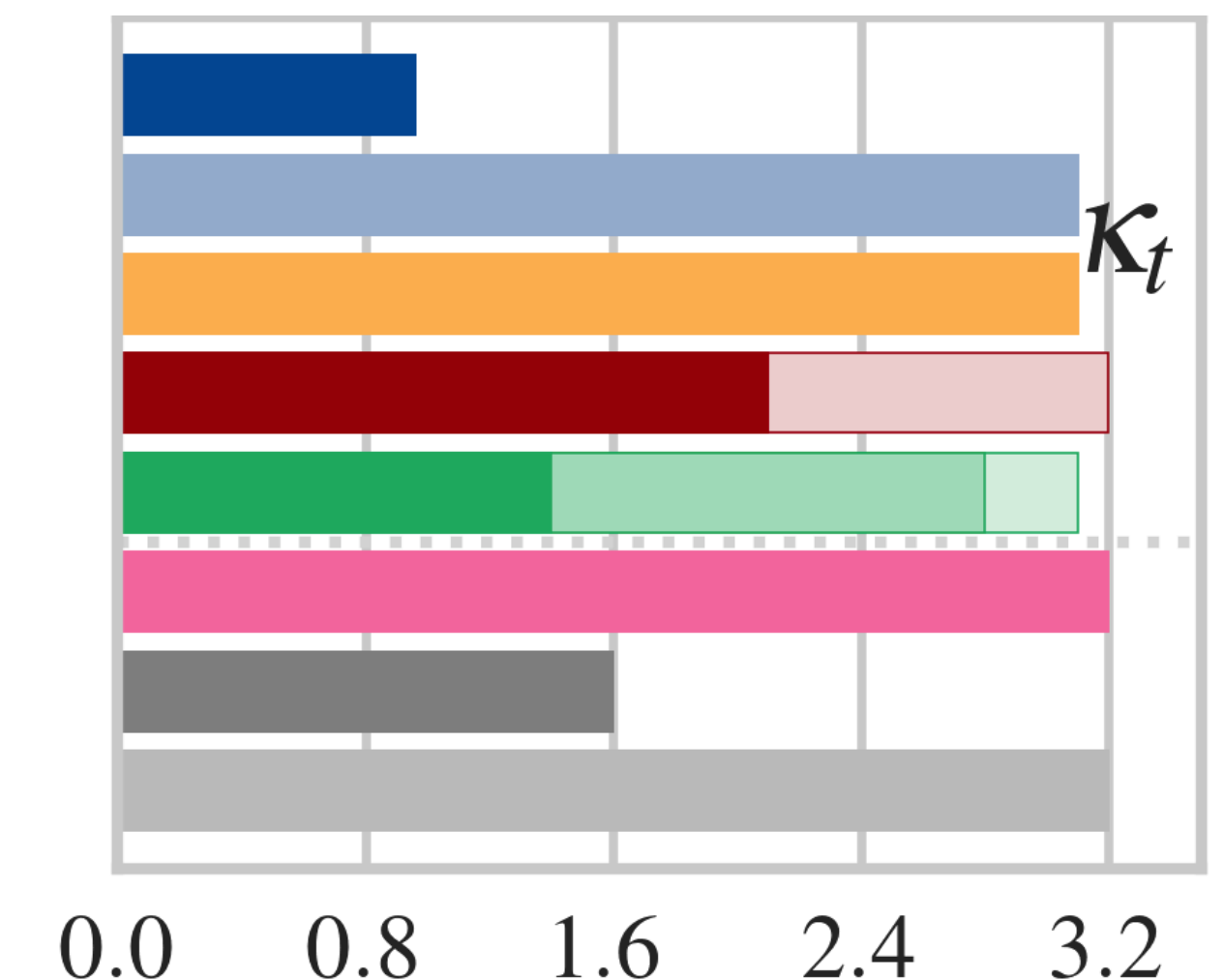
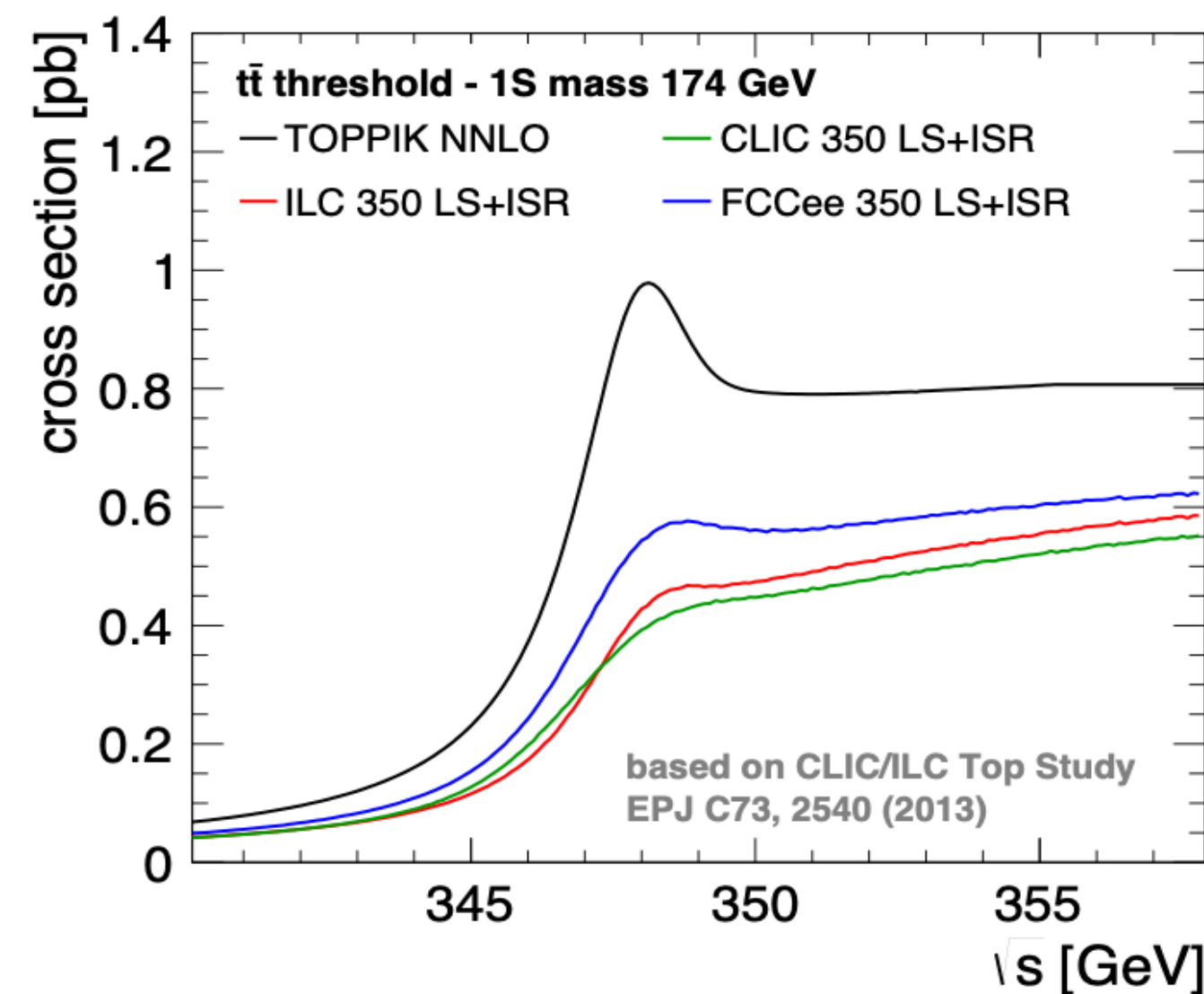
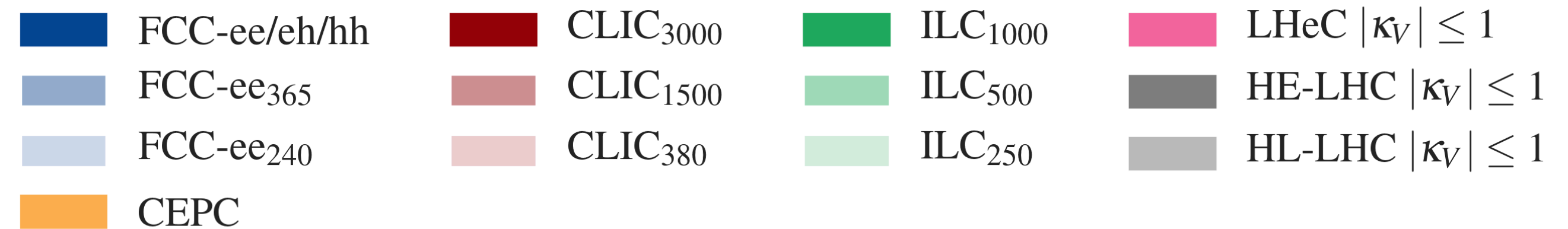
Flavour physics - Jernej F. Kamenik

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Top

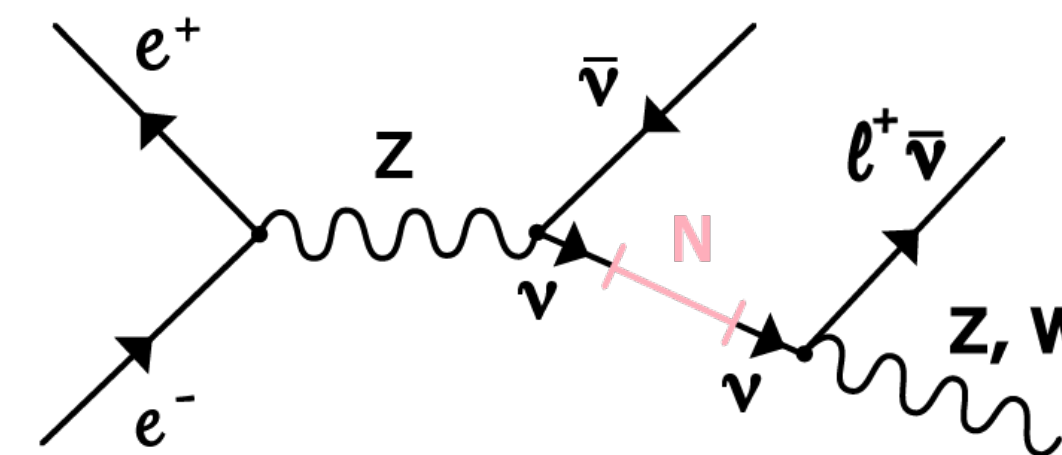
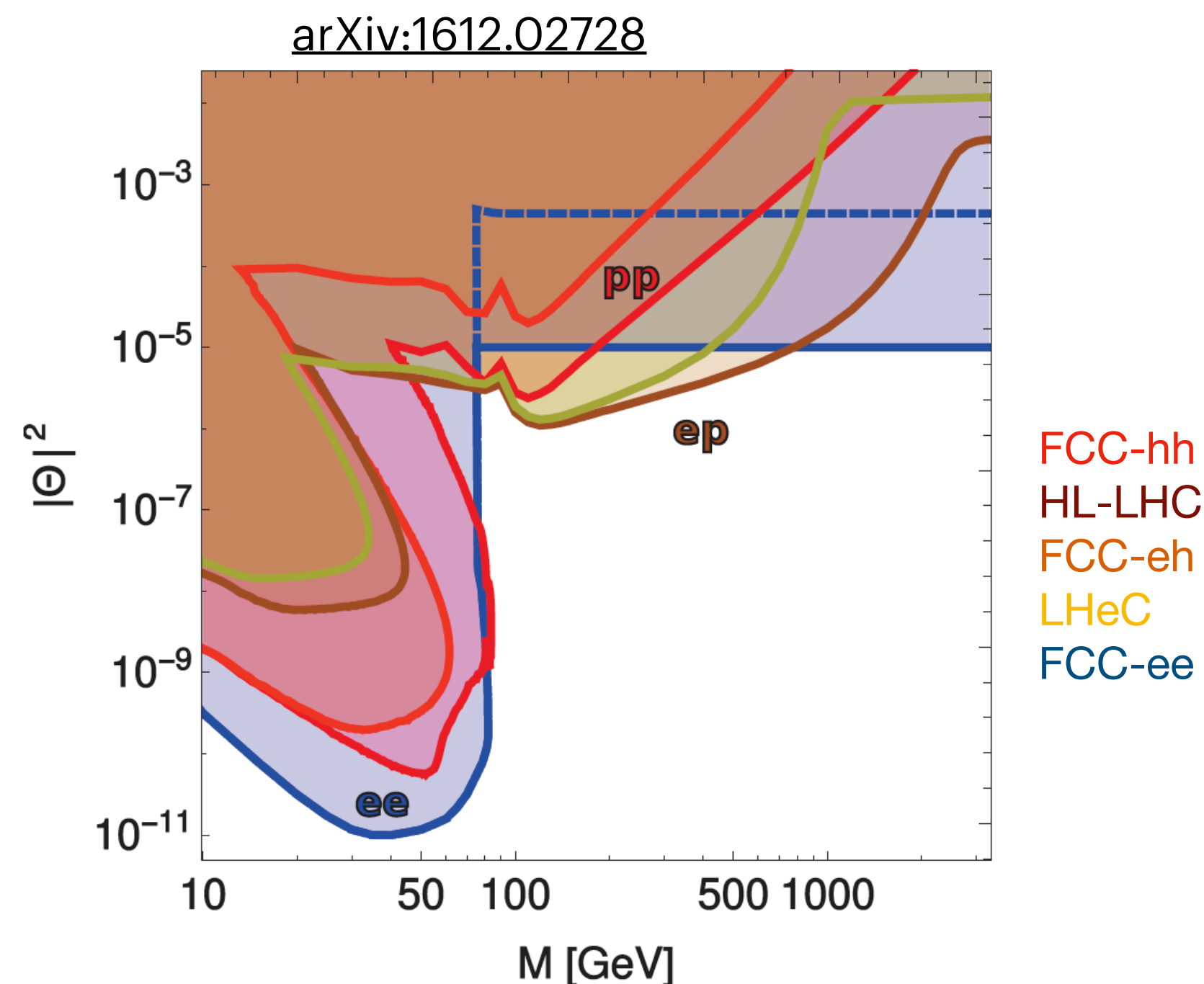
Less explored, opportunities

- Less explored areas in scope of FCC-ee,-hh include flavour studies using top decays, spectroscopy, quarkonium physics & flavor conversion at high- p_T
- FCC-ee: Threshold region allows most precise measurements of top mass, width, and estimate of Yukawa coupling
- FCC-hh: Incredible potential with very challenging reconstruction



Complementarity

Across stages



FCC-ee

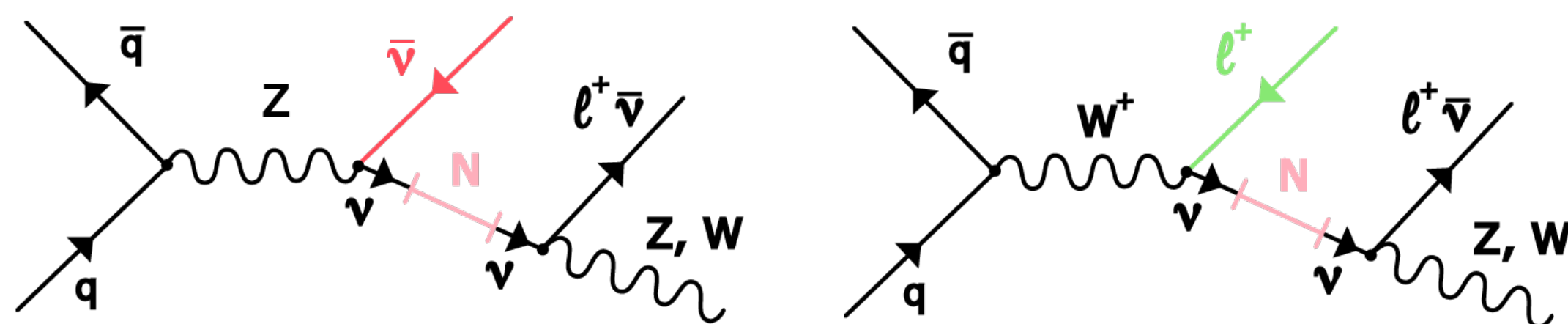
Indirect constraints from precision SM measurements
 Direct search: single HNL production in Z decays
 Sensitive to 10^{-11} for M below the W mass

FCC-hh

Direct search: single HNL production in W/Z decays
 Lepton Number Violation, Lepton Flavor Violation
 can test heavy neutrinos with masses up to ~ 2 TeV

FCC-eh

Can extend the reach of the FCC-hh up to ~ 2.7 TeV
 Best reach above W mass
 Sensitive to LFV and Lepton-Number-violation signatures



Complementarity is the key word, also in
 Higgs physics, top physics, and other new
 physics searches

All this comes at a cost

More important than money

- While in some metrics, like energy consumption or carbon footprint per Higgs boson, FCC-ee is the most effective collider (due to the large luminosity) [arXiv:2208.10466](https://arxiv.org/abs/2208.10466), FCC is a very large machine that will have an important environmental impact
- Sustainability is a key aspect of project
 - All designs and R&D are focused on energy savings to reduce the power demand and the energy consumption
 - Accelerator technologies (cavities, magnets...) will be designed with a focus on energy savings.
 - Other focus: reduction of water intake and treatment or reuse of excavated materials
 - FCC includes renewable energy supply

Energy and sustainability issues - Jean-Paul Burnet

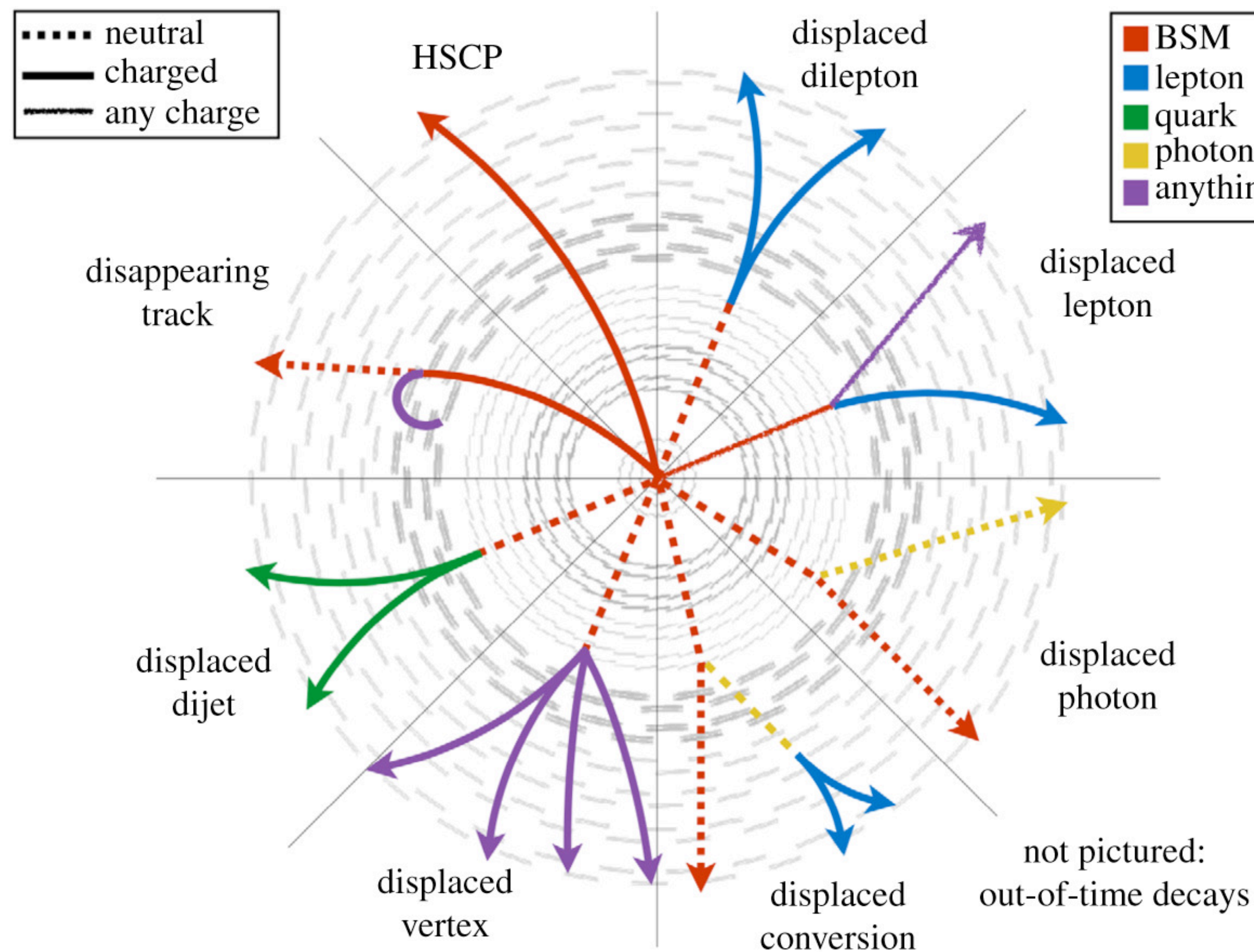
Power during, in MW	Z	W	H	TT
shutdown	30	33	34	41
Technical stop	67	78	81	108
Downtime	67	78	81	108
Commissioning	144	163	177	233
Machine Development	96	121	147	231
Beam operation	222	247	273	357

Time to do the work to

Minimize impact on environment (Energy, CO2 and water footprint, emissions, waste etc...) and availability of resources (e.g. less materials extracted)

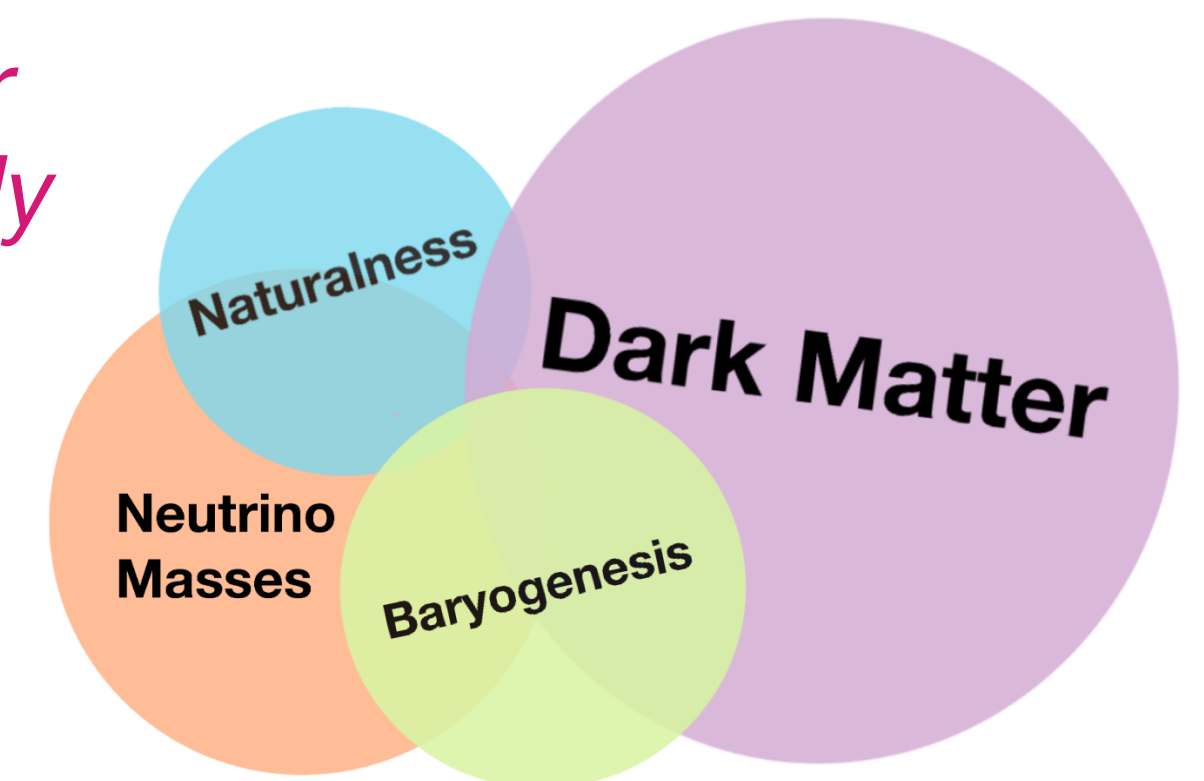
Maximize not only physics but the value returned to society (included but not limited to training, technology and knowledge transfer)

What is a long-lived particle?



- Long-lived particles is an **umbrella term** to cover new particles that we have not discovered yet, with lifetimes long enough to travel measurable distances inside the detectors before decaying, long enough to have non-standard experimental signatures

Theoretically, their presence is strongly motivated

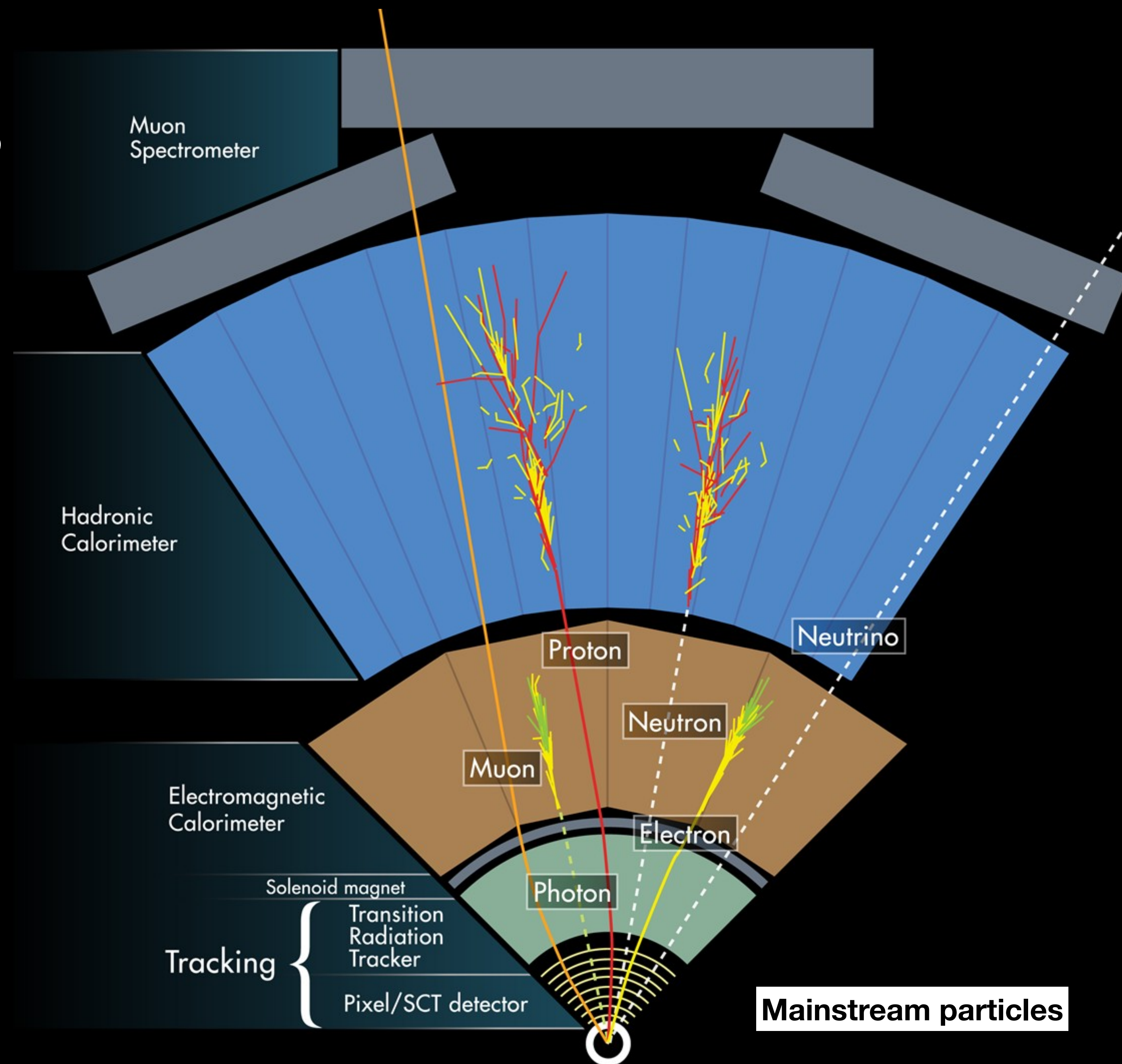


Detecting particles

At high-energy colliders

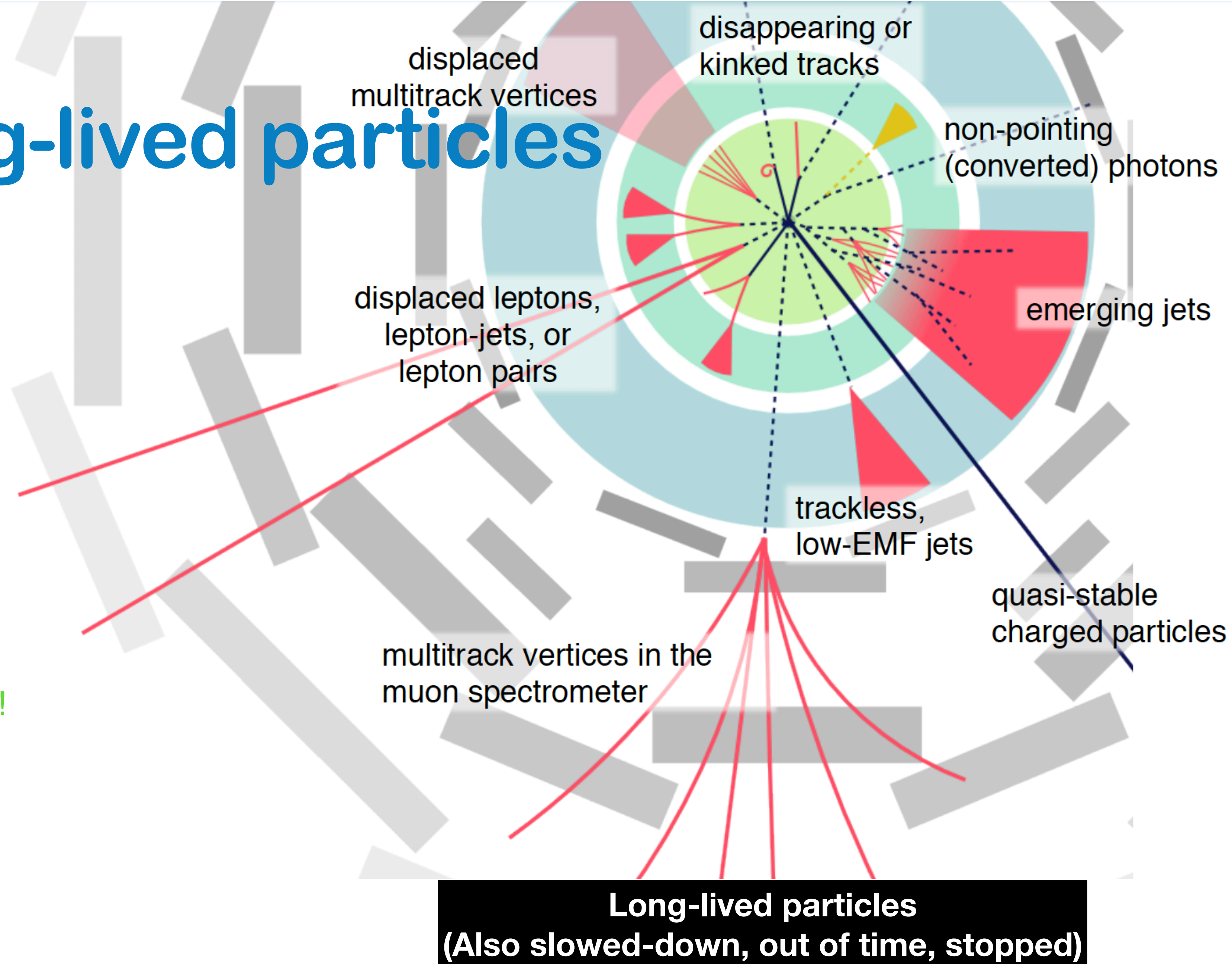
- As we reach higher and higher energies, we gain access to more massive particles
- That in turn are shorter and shorter-lived

Our detectors, trigger, and reconstruction are optimized for that!



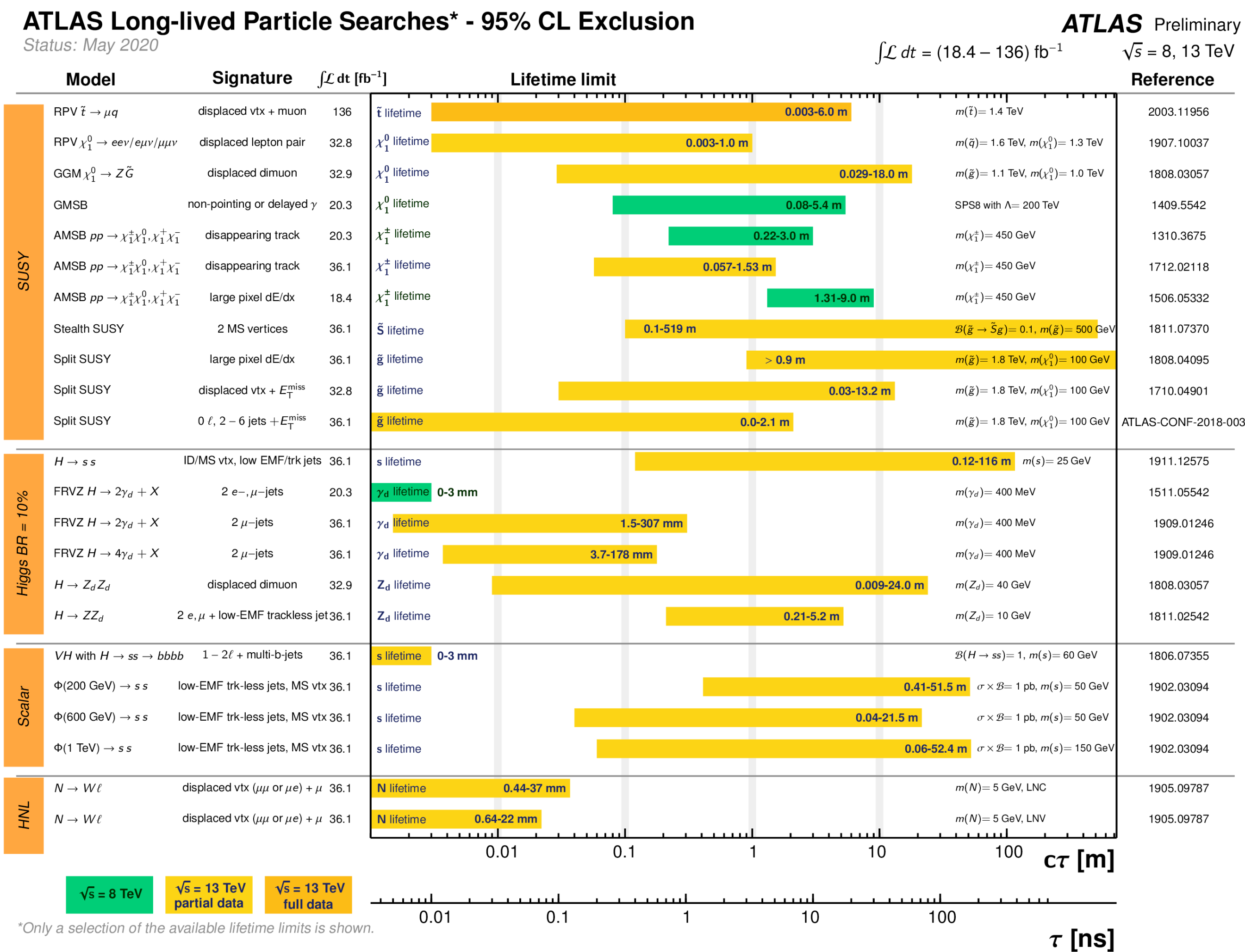
Detecting Long-lived particles

- Long-lived particle searches probe unconventional signatures
 - Displaced, disappearing, emerging, slow, stopped...
- This is a curse and a blessing
 - It makes them clearly different from other processes
 - Easy to spot! Background free!
 - It also could make them potentially invisible to current data-acquisition methods
 - Hard to spot! We may be throwing them away!



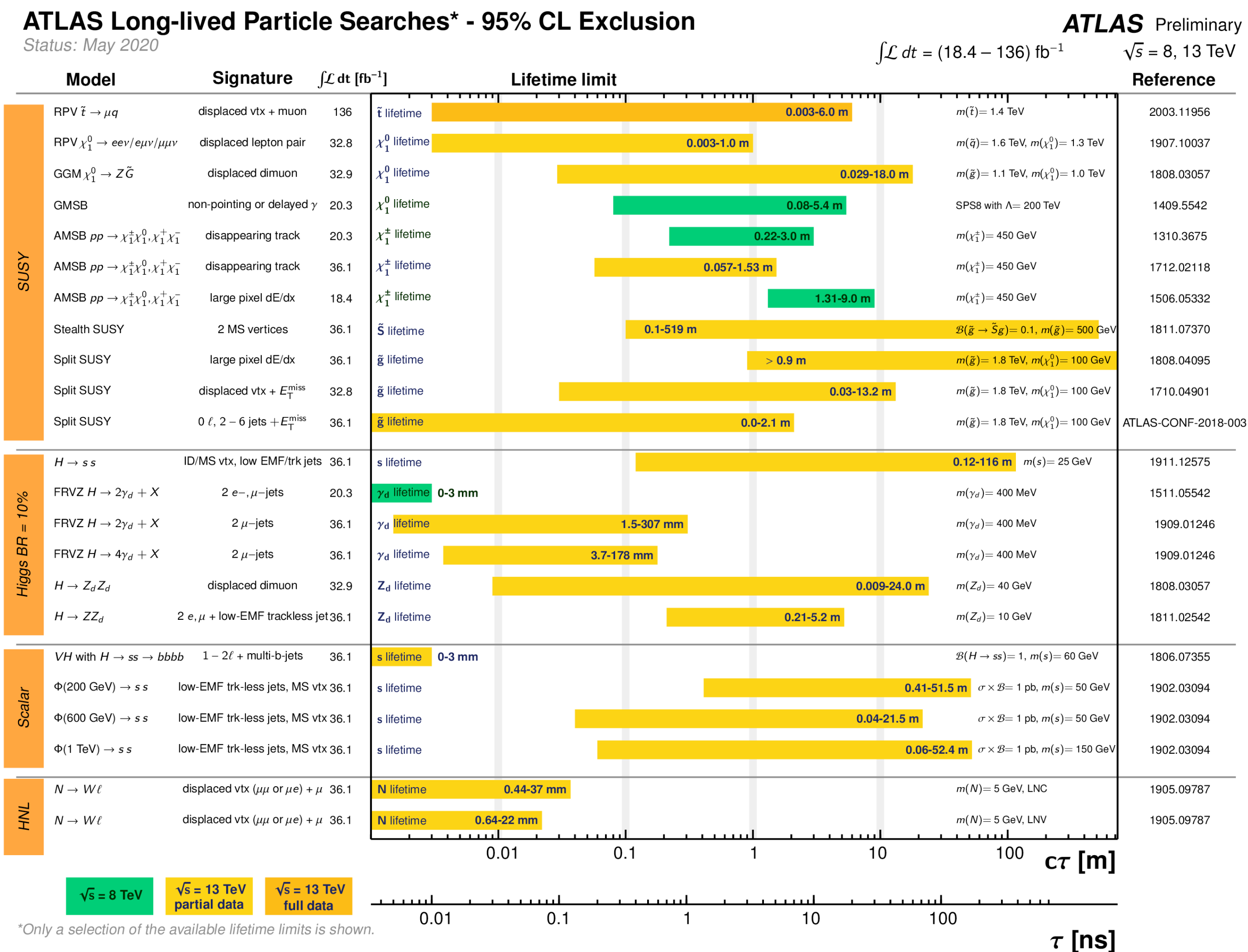
Are we working on this?

- **Yes**, since the start of the LHC, at LEP, and the Tevatron...
- They make up less than 10% of our exotic searches
- Starting to pick up a lot of interest
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BUT IT IS HARD

Paradigm shift

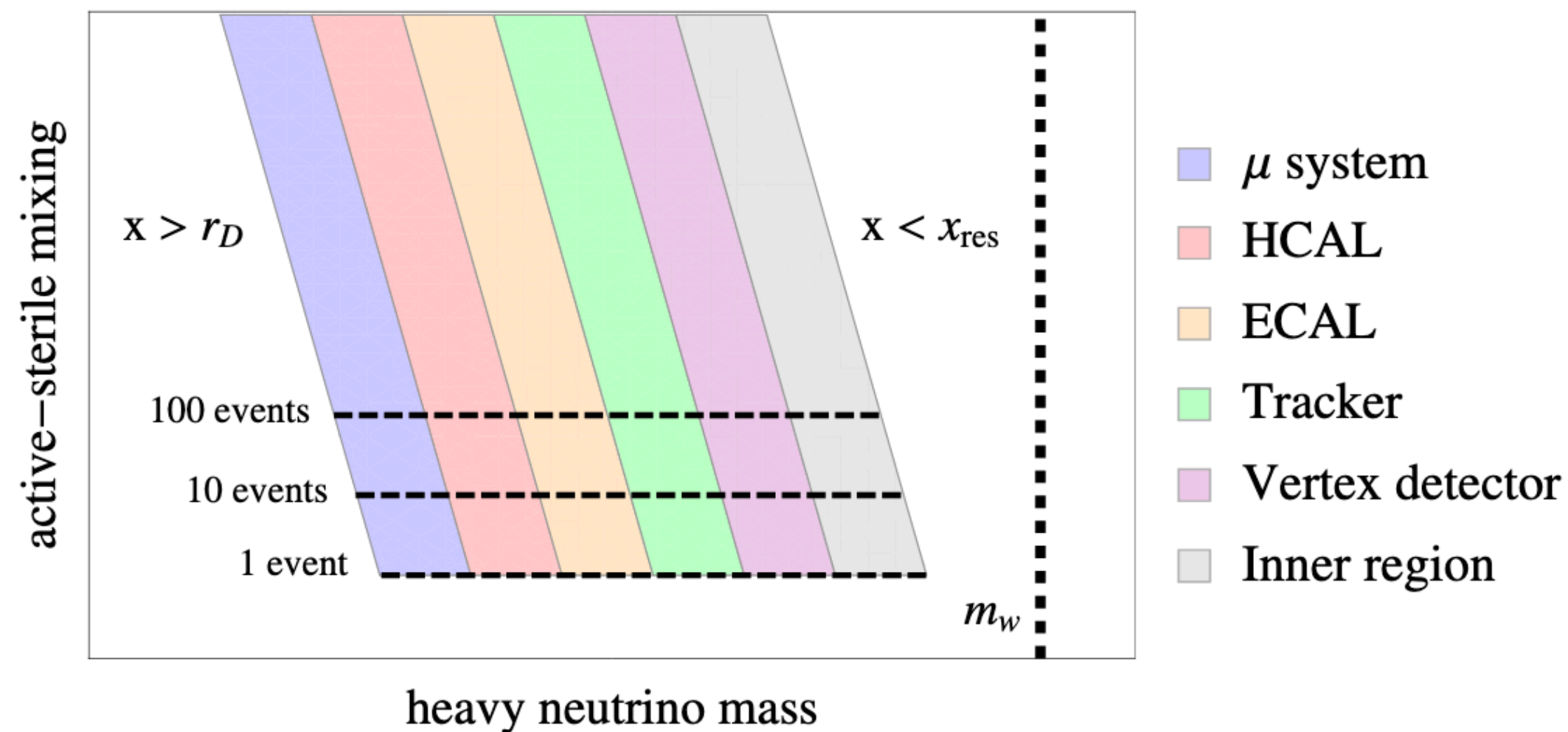
- Looking for this kind of signatures STILL represents a paradigm shift from the usual
- Implies exploiting the detectors in ways they were not designed for

Some of the **roadblocks**:

- Custom identification/reconstruction algorithms needed
 - Especially clear in the Tracker (less utilized subdetector for LLP so far)
- Very low background searches, but affected by instrumental effects
 - not well-modelled in the simulation
- Our “Trigger” may be biased against them (we may be throwing them away!)
 - Dedicated trigger paths

This won't be different at future colliders

arXiv:1604.02420



Sensitivity of different detector components to HNL as a function of the mixing parameter and mass

- At this point we have two ways to go:
 - Design the future detectors as usual and then try to make the best out of them for LLPs
 - which can be done but won't be easy as we know from the experience at the LHC -and before-
 - Design the future detectors with LLP in mind, prioritising for example displaced tracking and timing, and budgeting for unexpected signals
 - which can bring up not only a boost for these searches but also innovation

Just a precision tool?

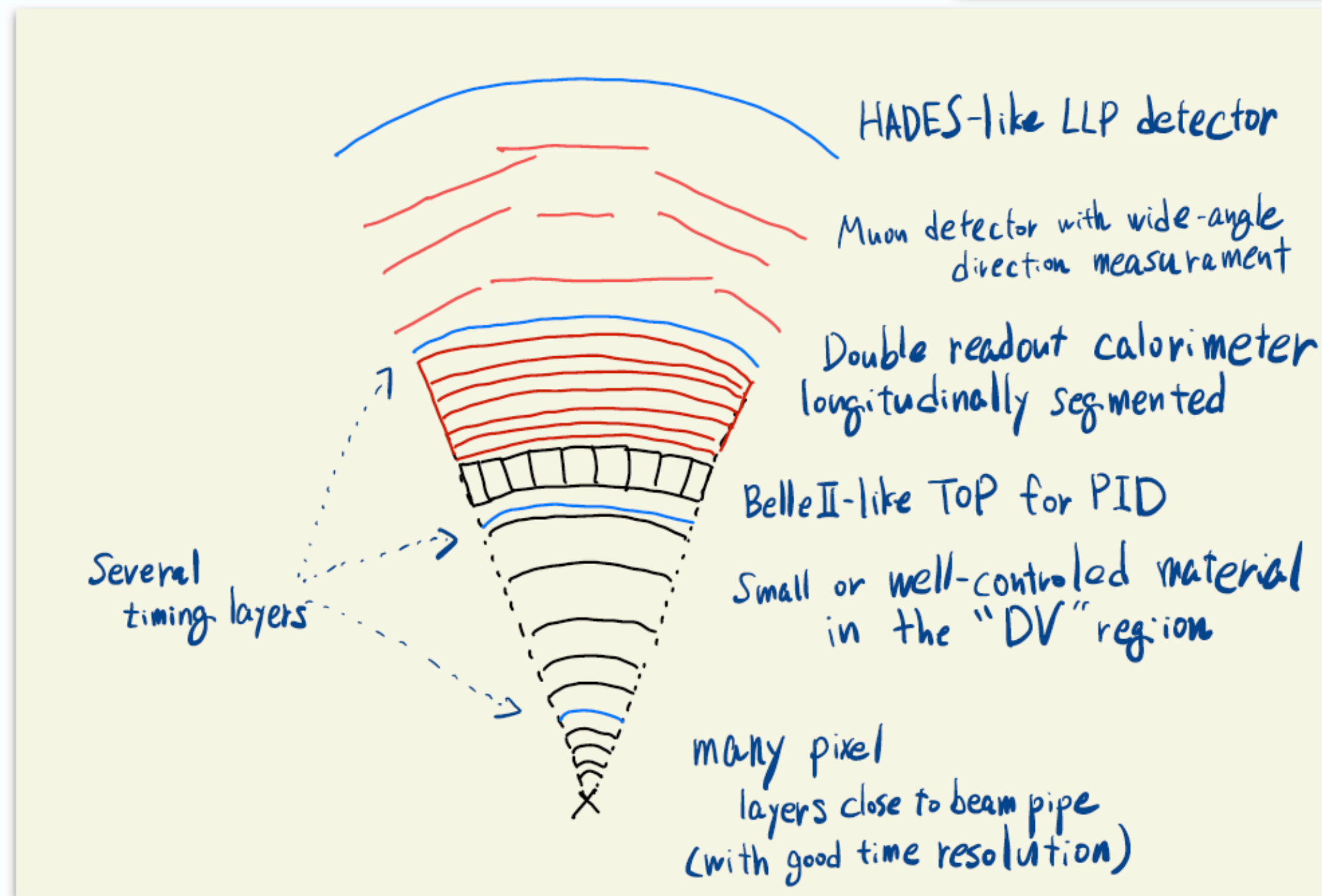
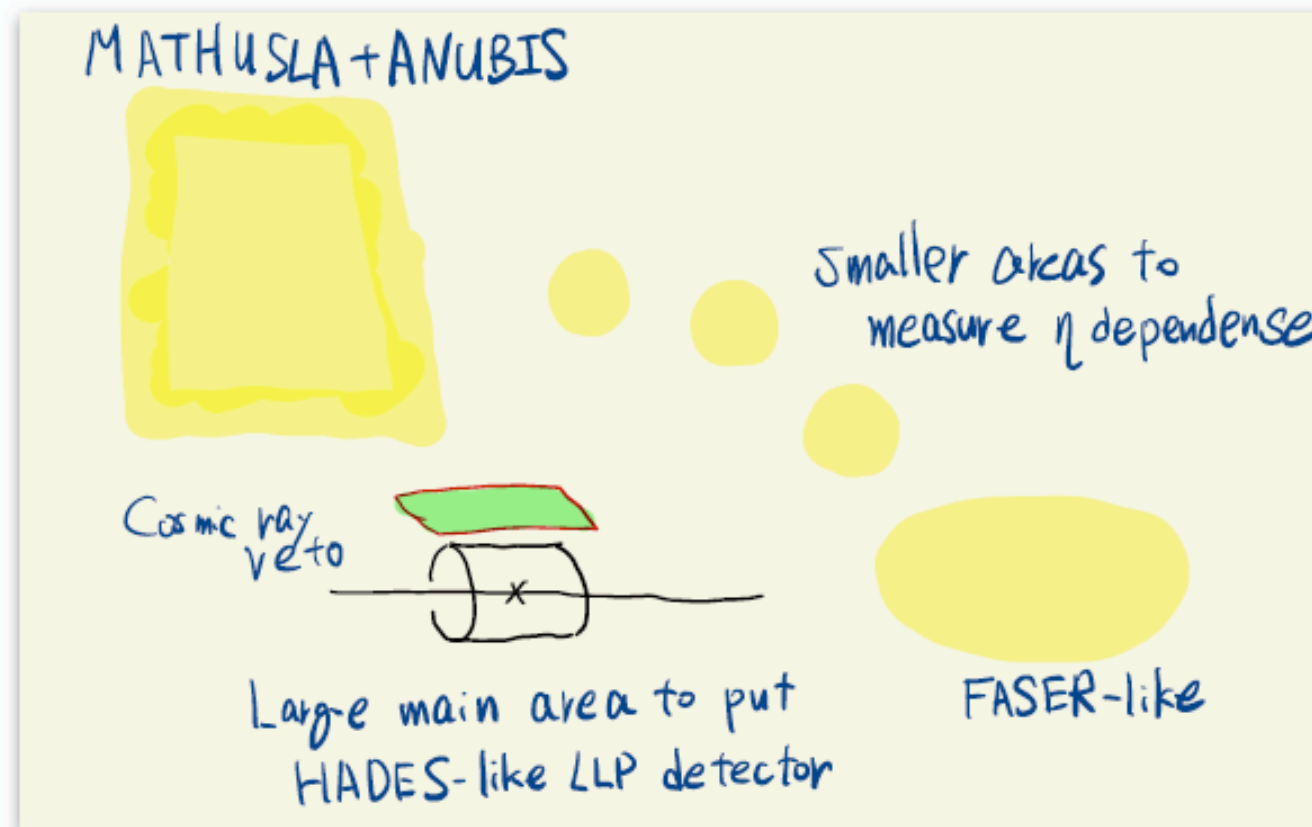
We hope not!

I convene this group

- The added value of an e^+e^- Higgs factory for Beyond the Standard Model is the business of the [FCC BSM Physics Performance group](#) **And also this one**
 - And broadly for the [ECFA Higgs Factory Study](#) “Direct discovery potential” working group (WG1-SRCH)
 - Broad exploration of the new physics discovery potential of the future Higgs and top/EW factory, including the search for Feebly Interacting Particles also in connection with “Physics Beyond Colliders” activities.
 - Work in both areas is starting to be officially coordinated now
 - Ramping up on top of previous work
 - European Strategy, Snowmass and other work!
 - [LOI for Snowmass](#), [arXiv:2106.15459](#)
 - Multiple snowmass white papers in preparation
 - Multiple master theses
- **Simulation of long-lived Heavy Neutral Leptons and Axion-Like Particles at the FCC-ee** - Lovisa Ryagaard and Nils Eriksson, Uppsala University, January 2022
 - **Towards Vertexing Studies of Heavy Neutral Leptons with the Future Circular Collider at CERN** - Rohini Sengupta, Uppsala University, June 2021.
 - **Long-Lived Particles at the FCC-ee** - Rohini Sengupta, Uppsala University, January 2021.
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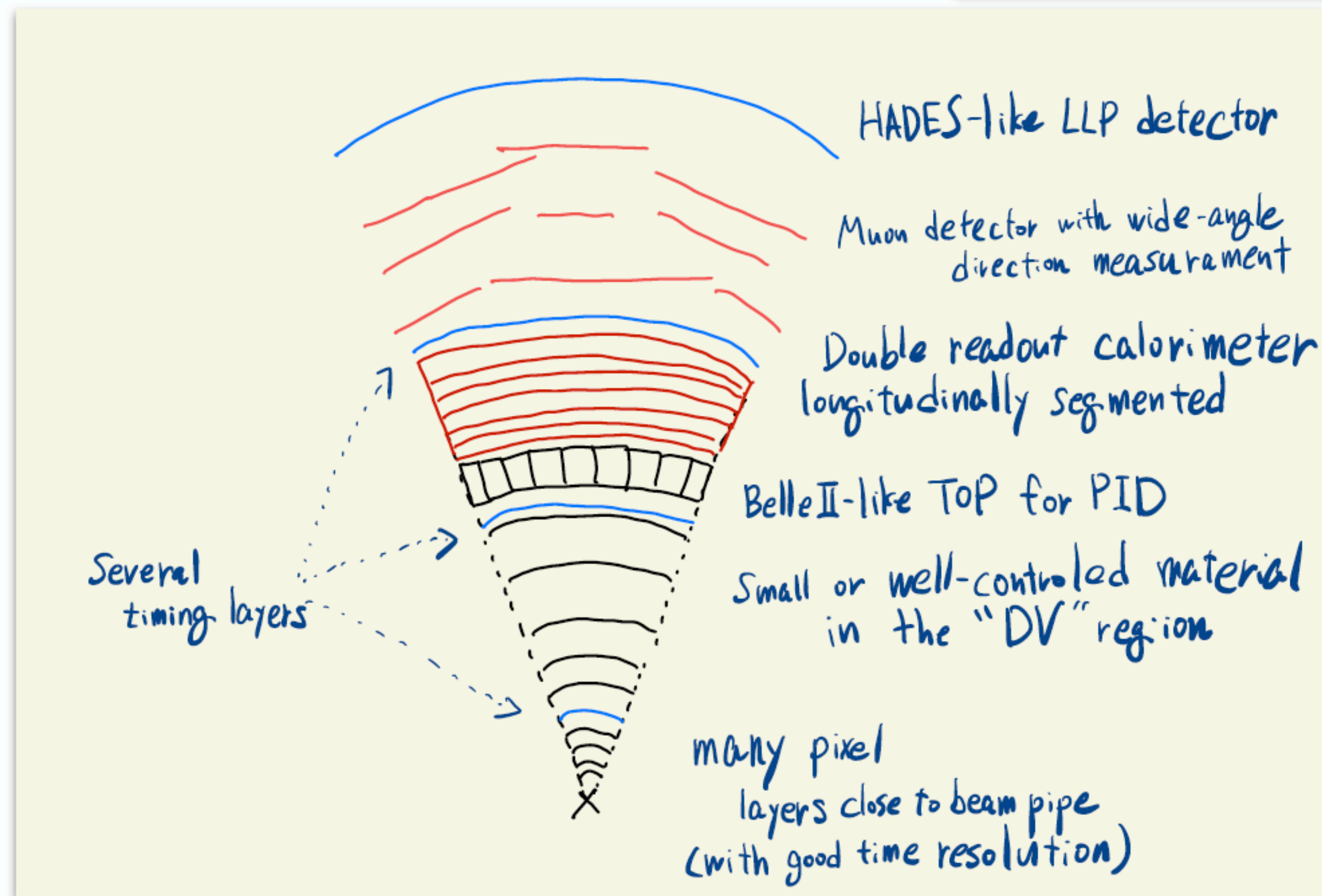
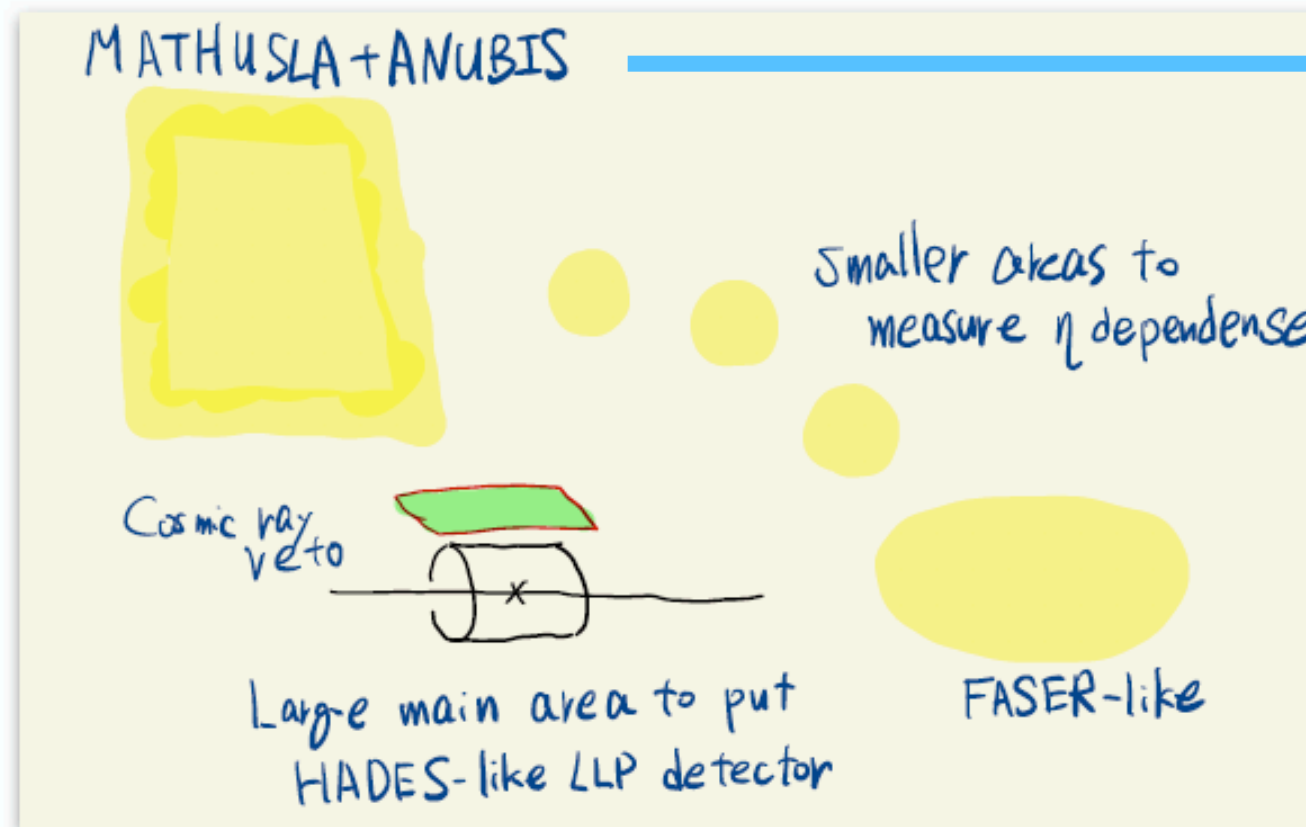
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Can we incorporate LLP to the design of the future collider Experiments?

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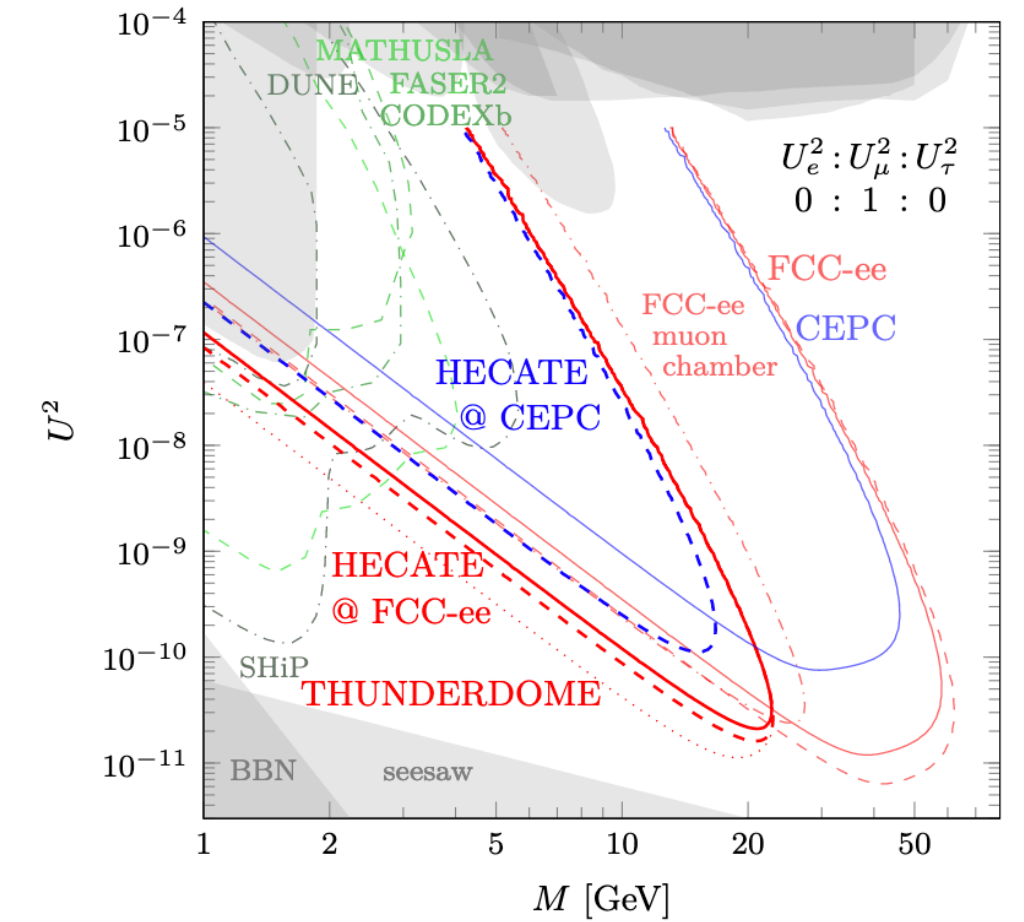
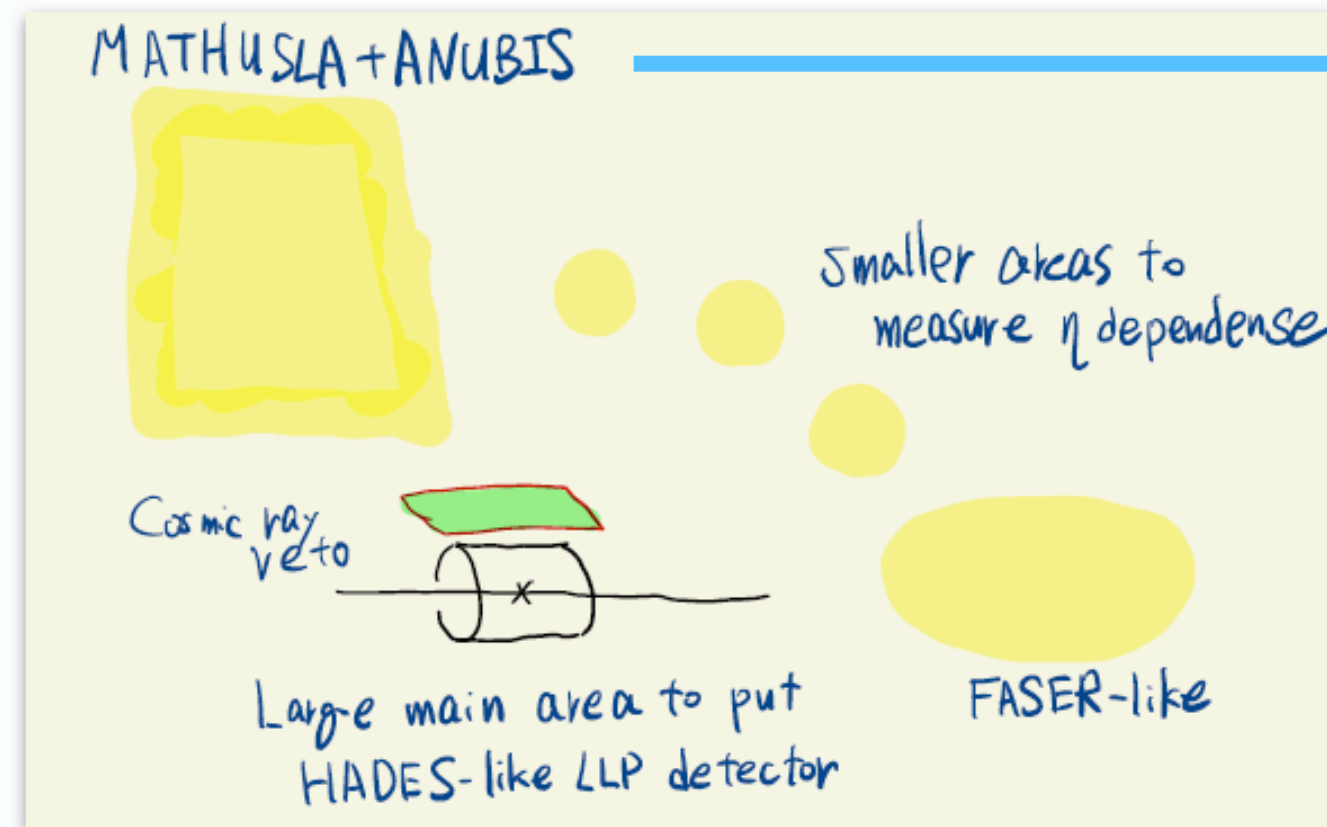
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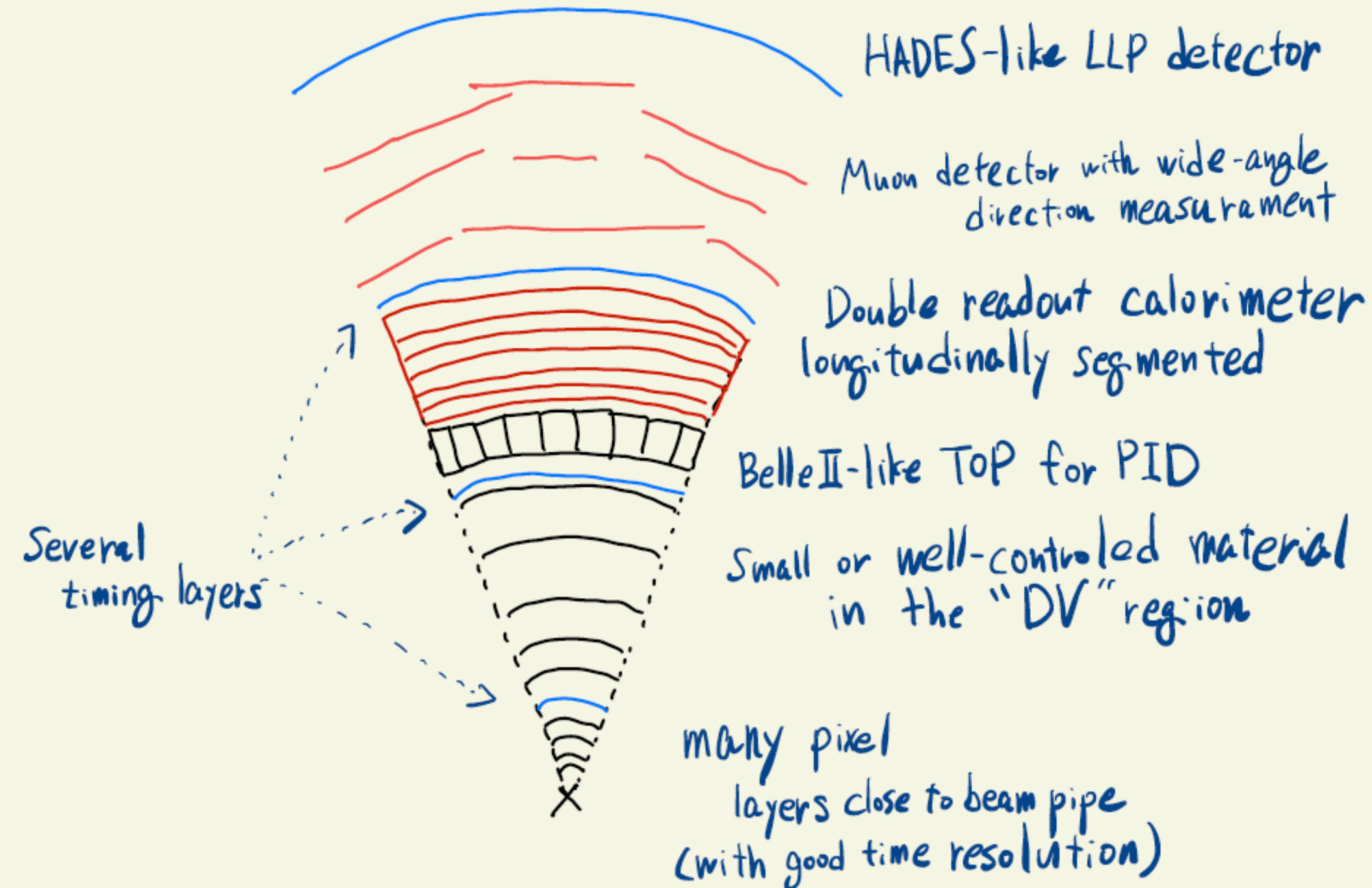
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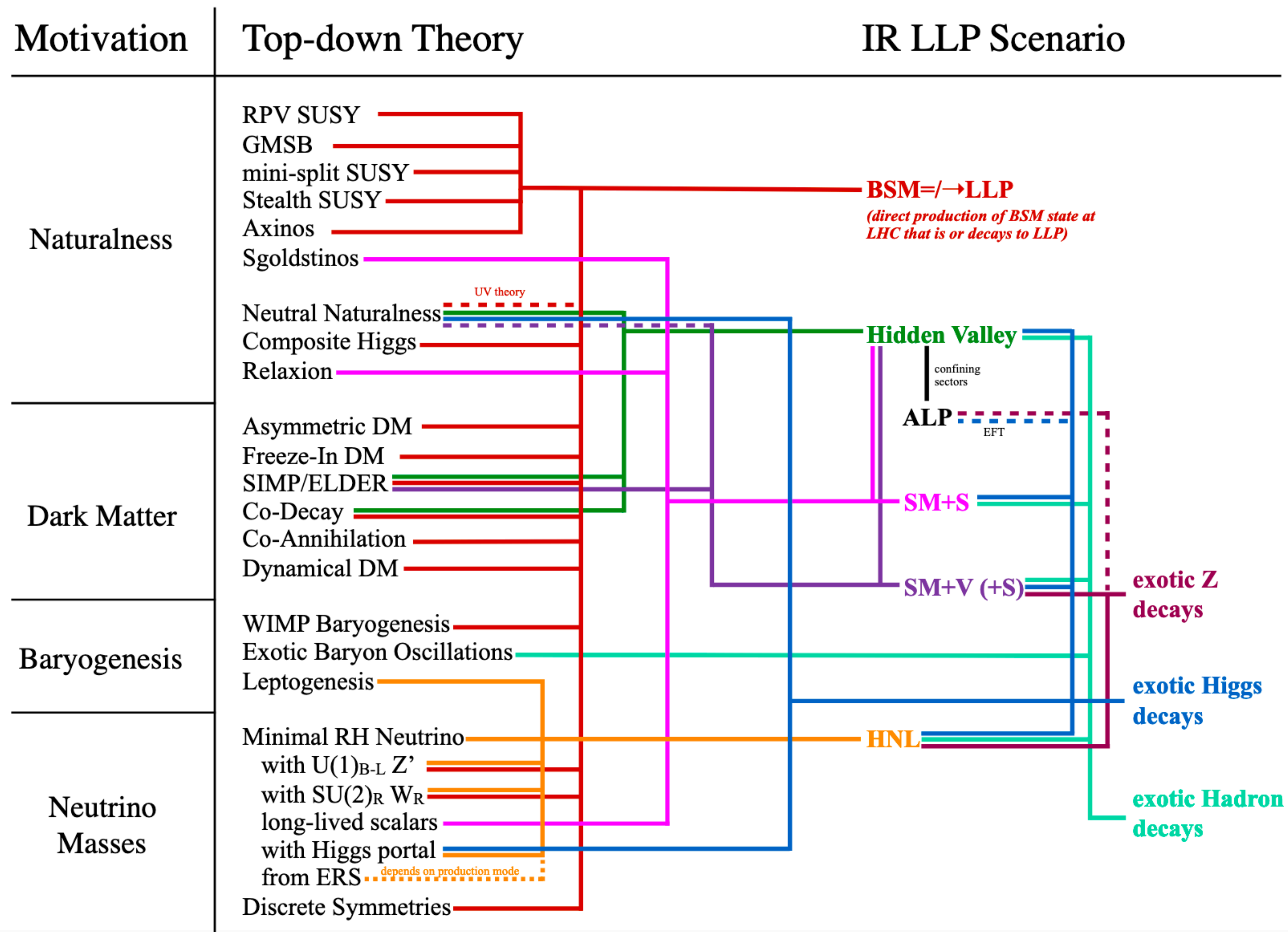


FCC-ee/CepC Mathusla-like concept

HECATE: [arXiv:2011.01005](https://arxiv.org/abs/2011.01005)



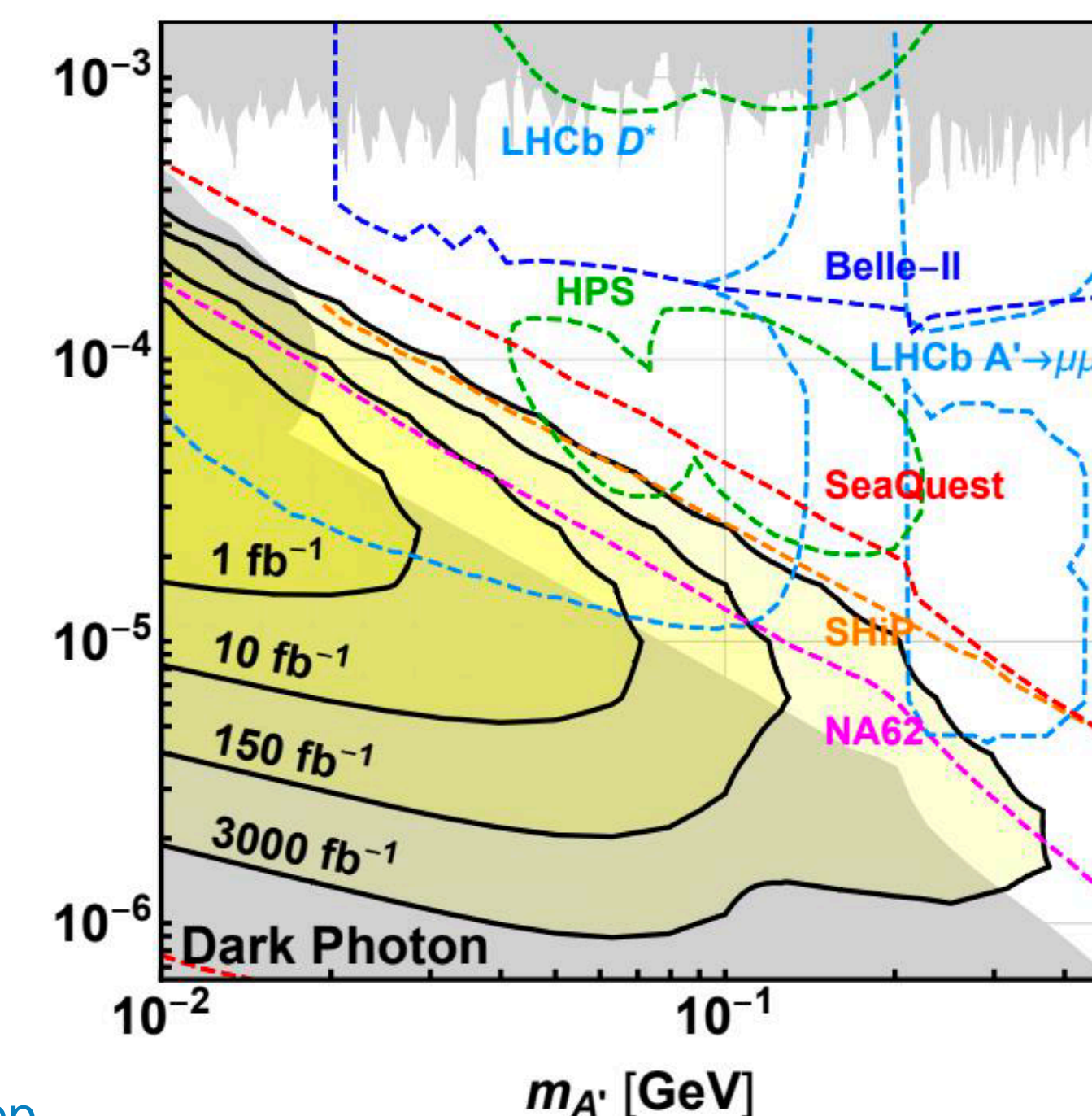
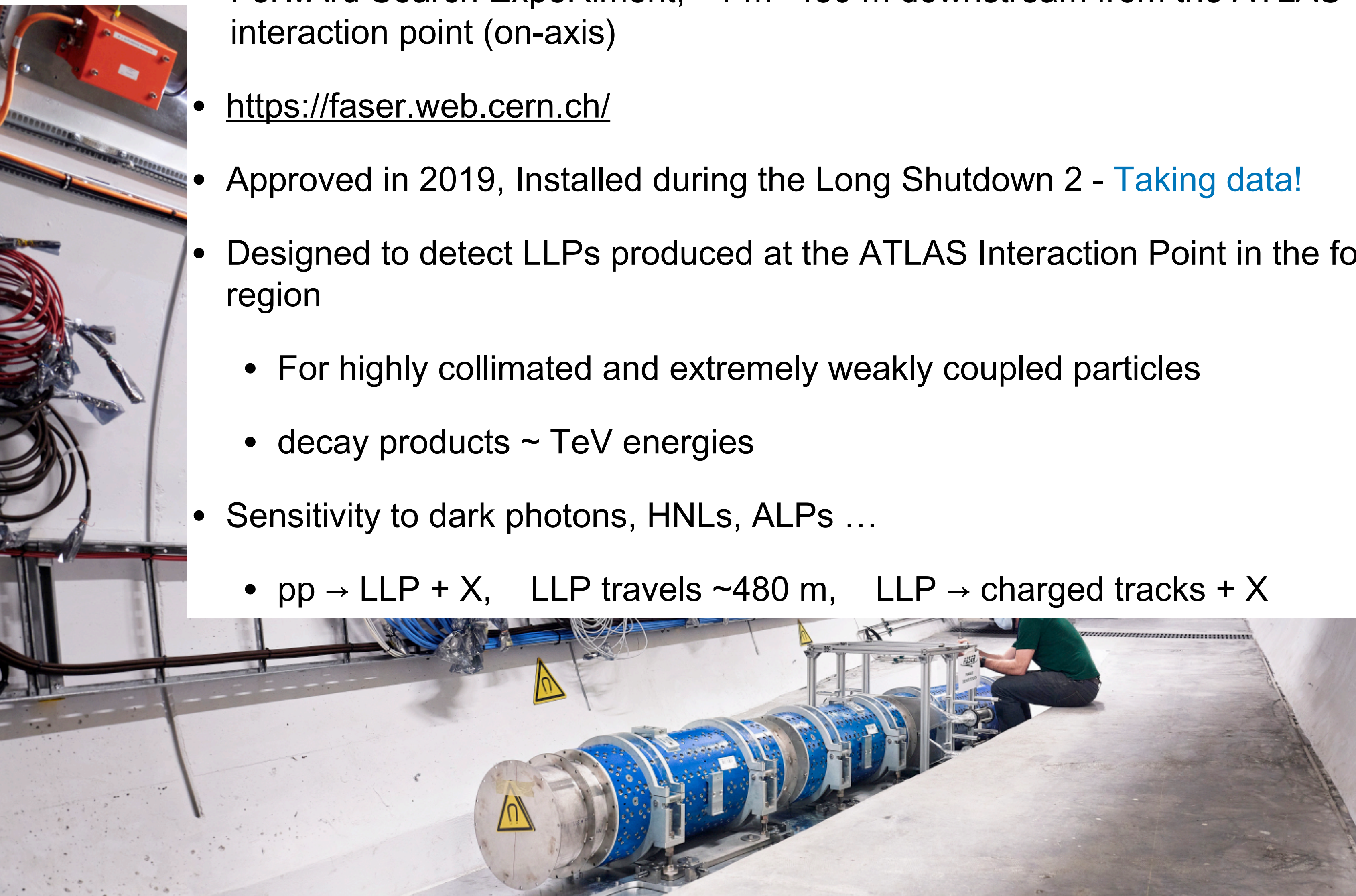
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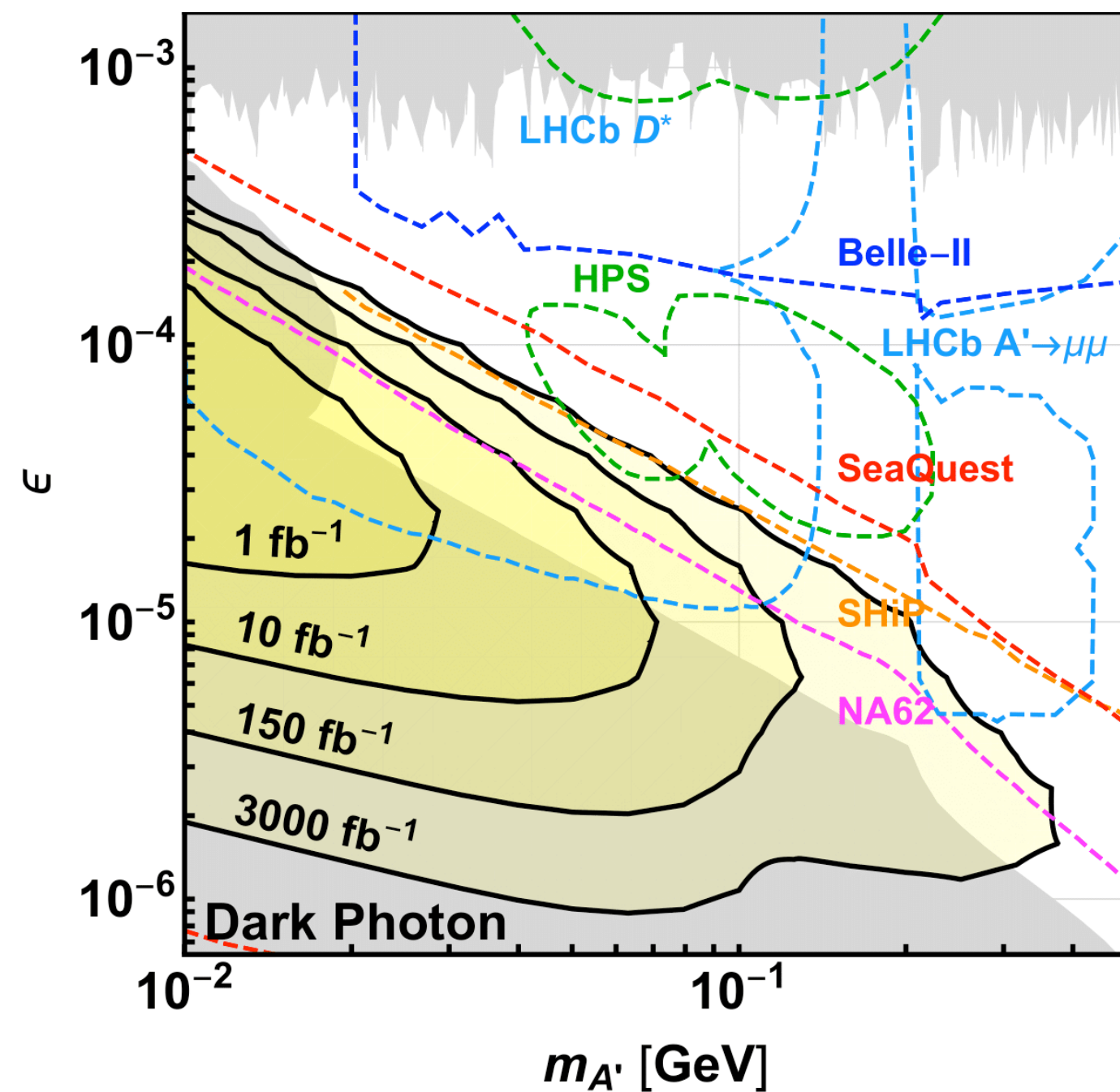
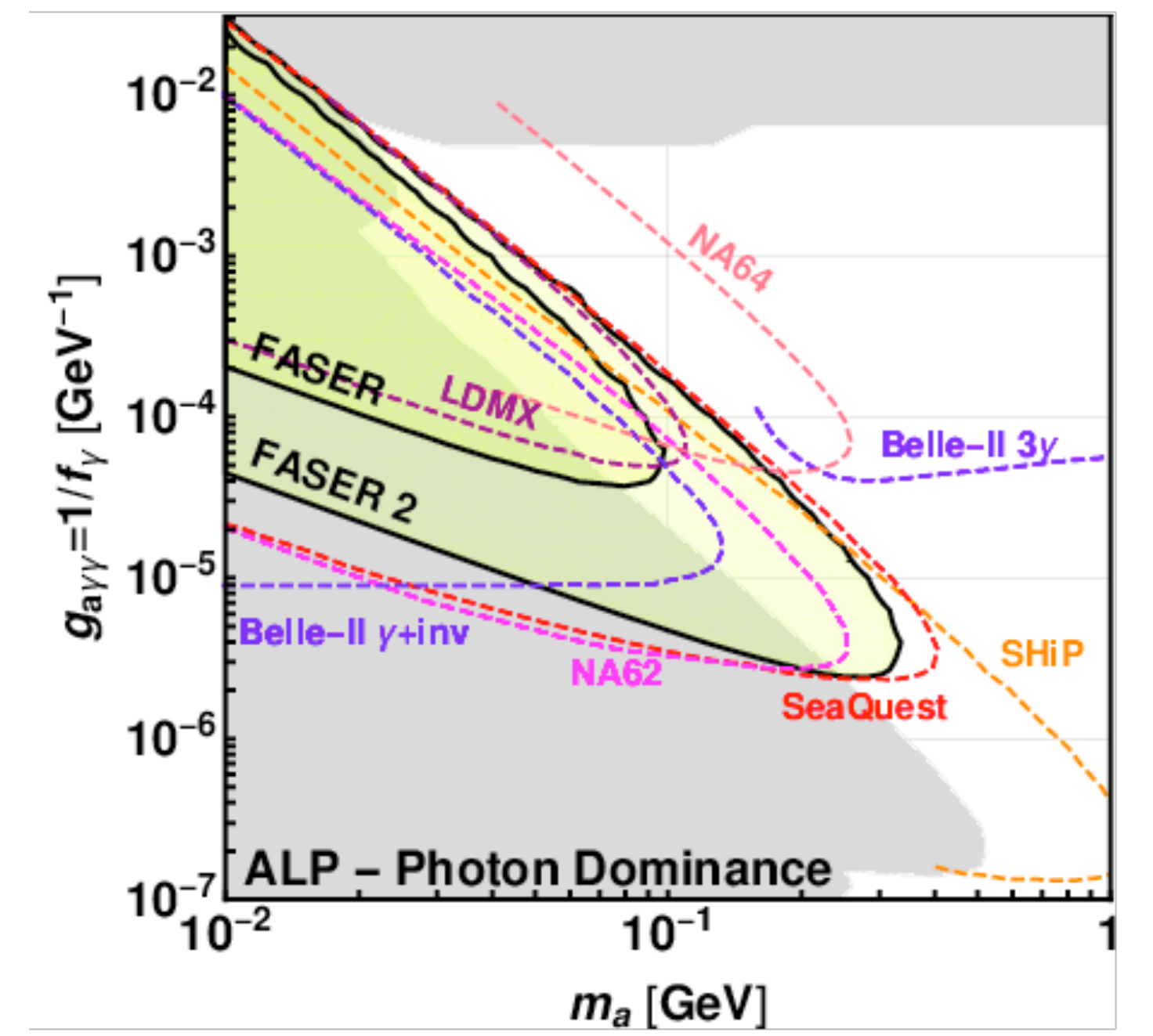
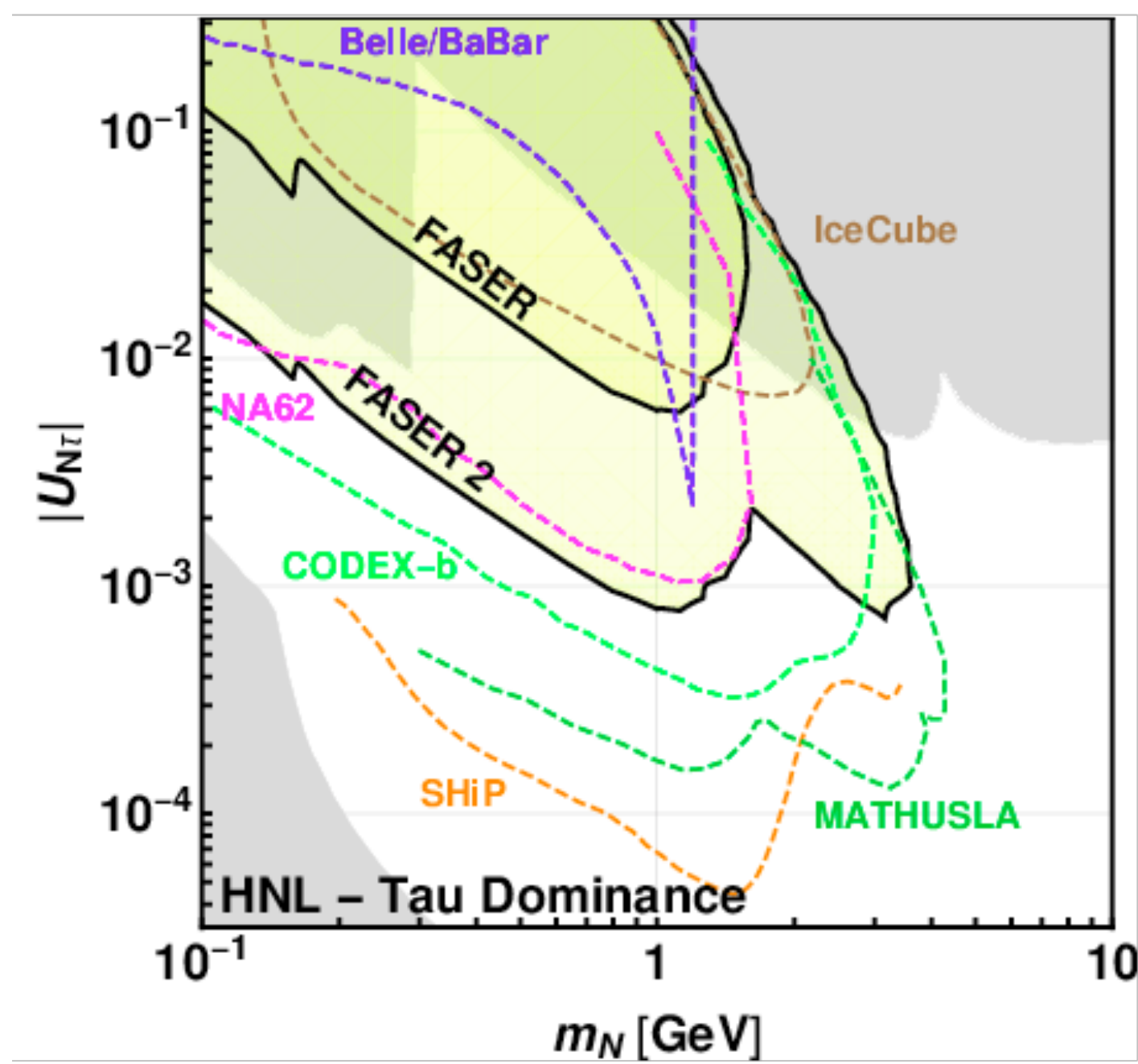
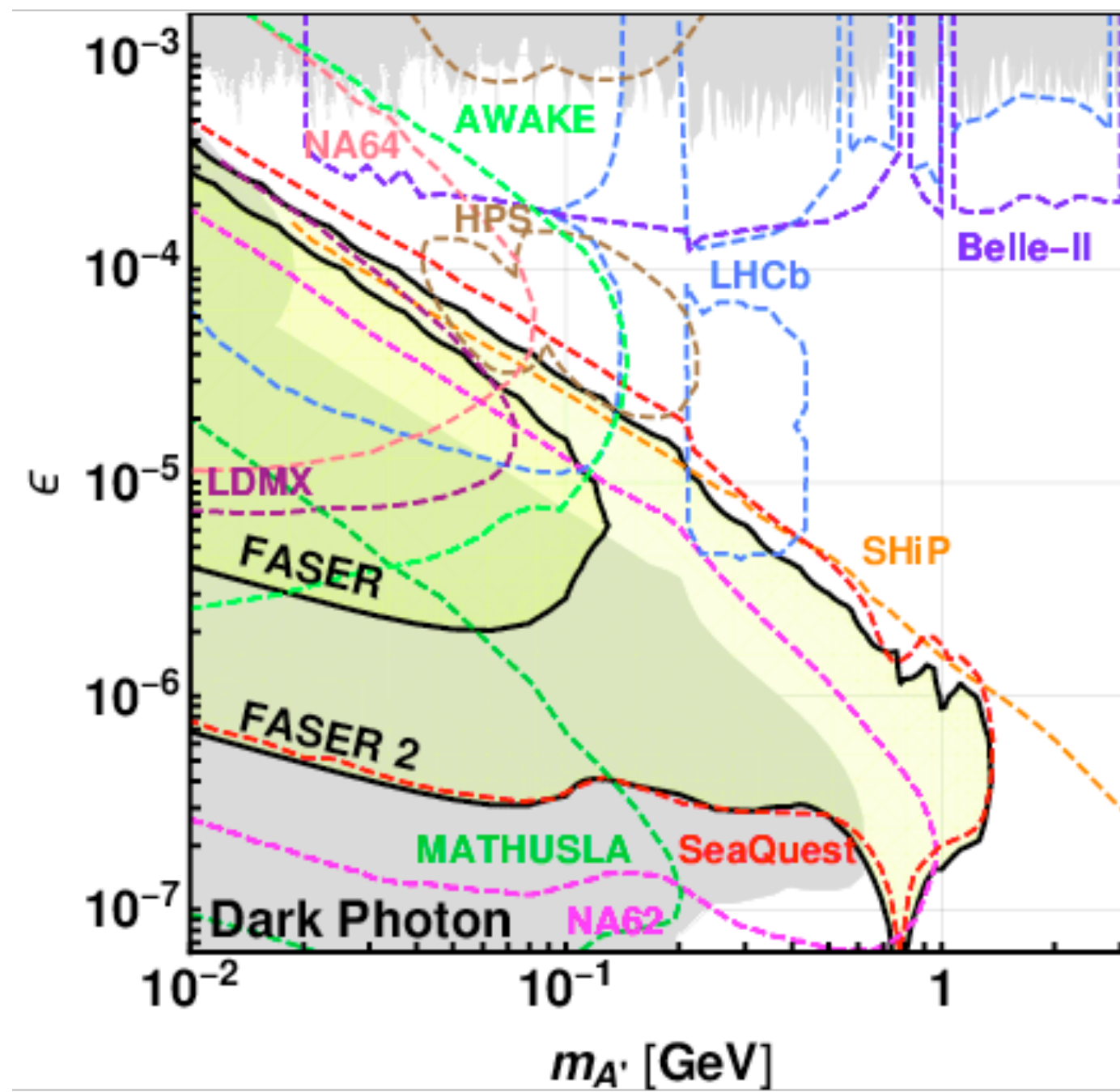


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FASER

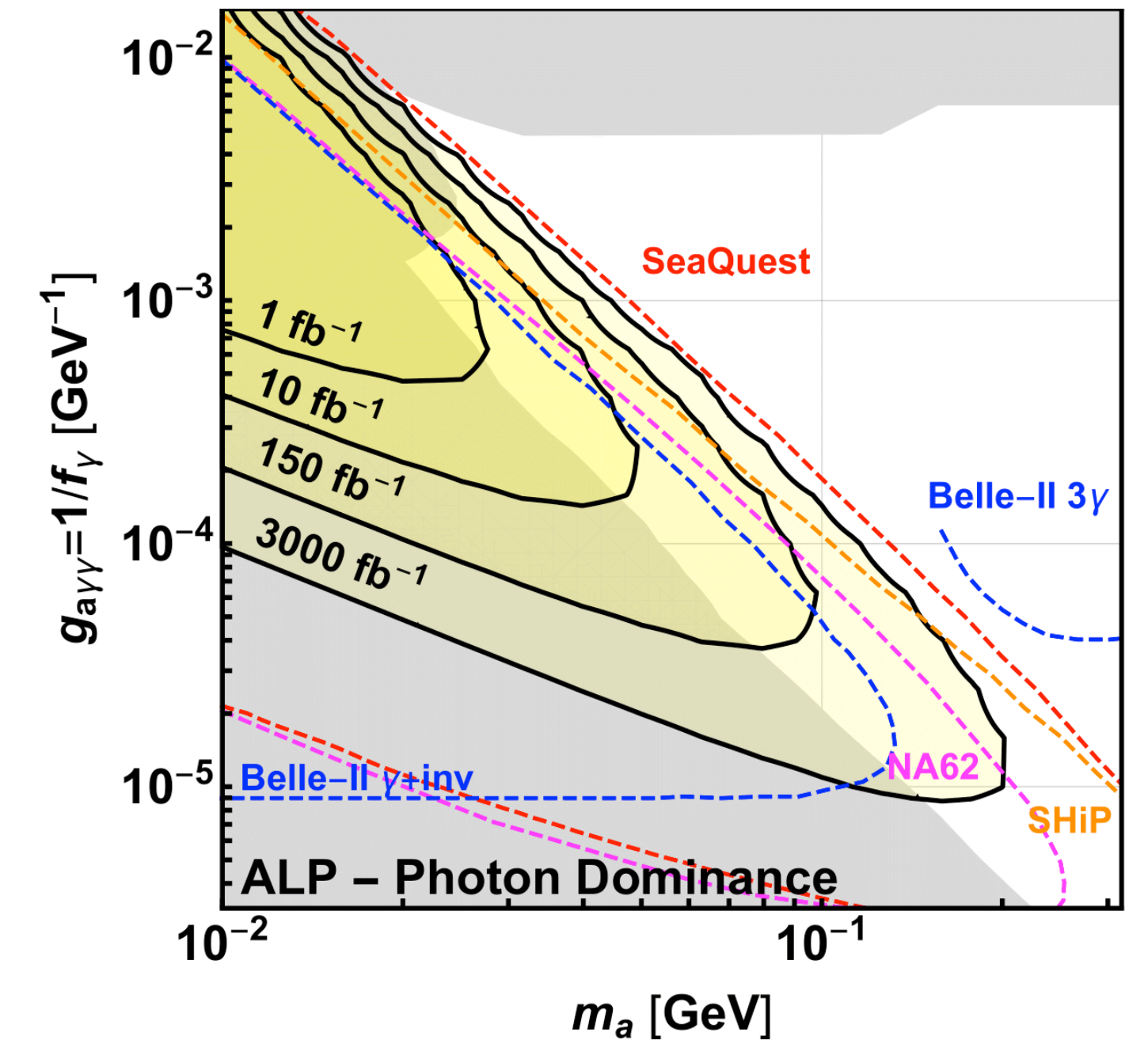
- ForwArd Search ExpeRiment, $\sim 1 \text{ m}^3$ 480 m downstream from the ATLAS interaction point (on-axis)
- <https://faser.web.cern.ch/>
- Approved in 2019, Installed during the Long Shutdown 2 - **Taking data!**
- Designed to detect LLPs produced at the ATLAS Interaction Point in the forward region
 - For highly collimated and extremely weakly coupled particles
 - decay products $\sim \text{TeV}$ energies
- Sensitivity to dark photons, HNLs, ALPs ...
 - $pp \rightarrow \text{LLP} + X$, LLP travels $\sim 480 \text{ m}$, $\text{LLP} \rightarrow \text{charged tracks} + X$





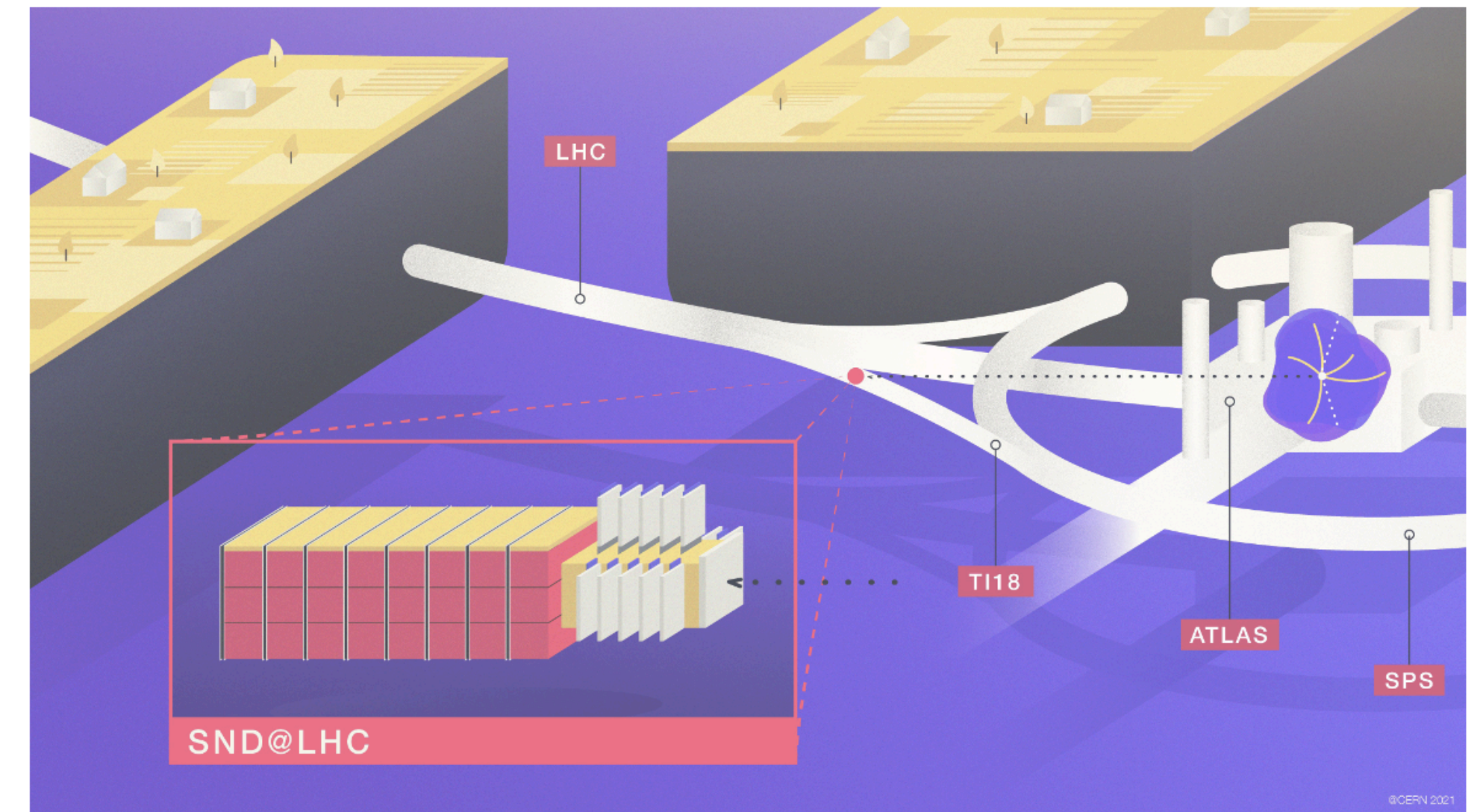
FASER:
radius $R = 10$ cm, length $D = 1.5$ m
luminosity $L = 150\text{ fb}^{-1}$

FASER 2:
radius $R = 1$ m, length $D = 5$ m
luminosity $L = 3\text{ ab}^{-1}$

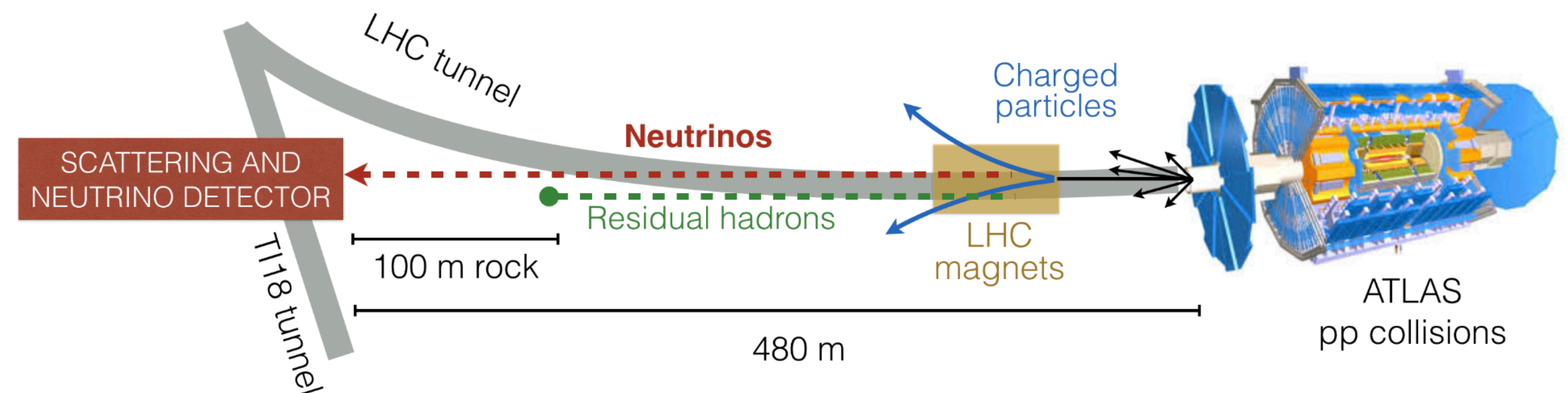


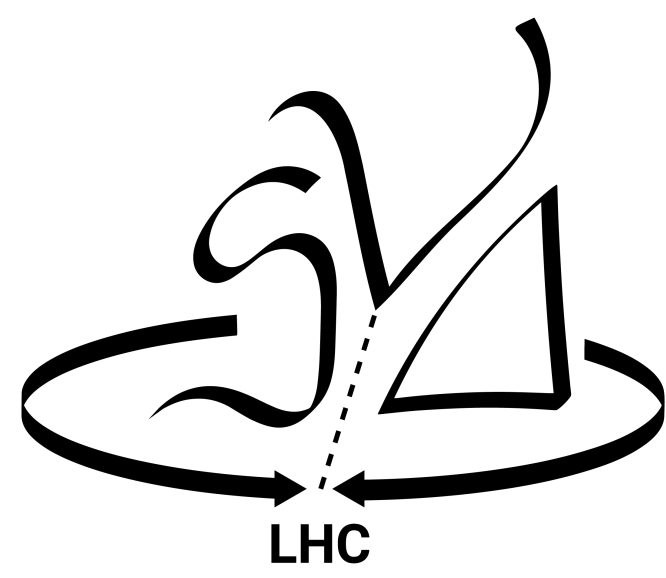
SND@LHC

- Neutrino experiment approved in 2021, installed, commissioned and taking data since the start of Run-3
- <https://snd-lhc.web.cern.ch/>
- 480 m from the ATLAS collision point (on the other side), 100 m of rock shielding
- Diverse neutrino physics program, can also probe LLPs in Hidden Sector models



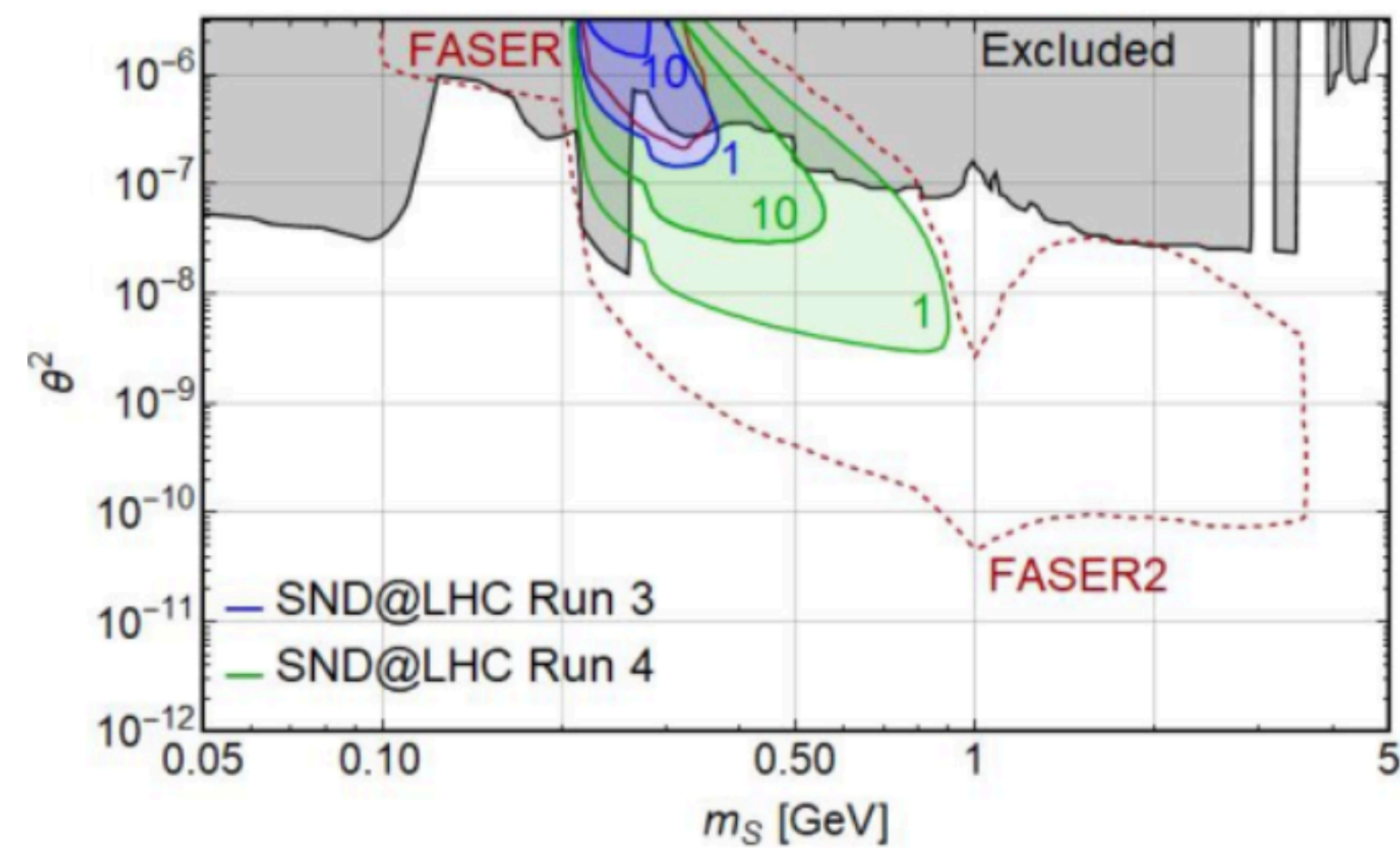
Scattering and Neutrino Detector
at the LHC





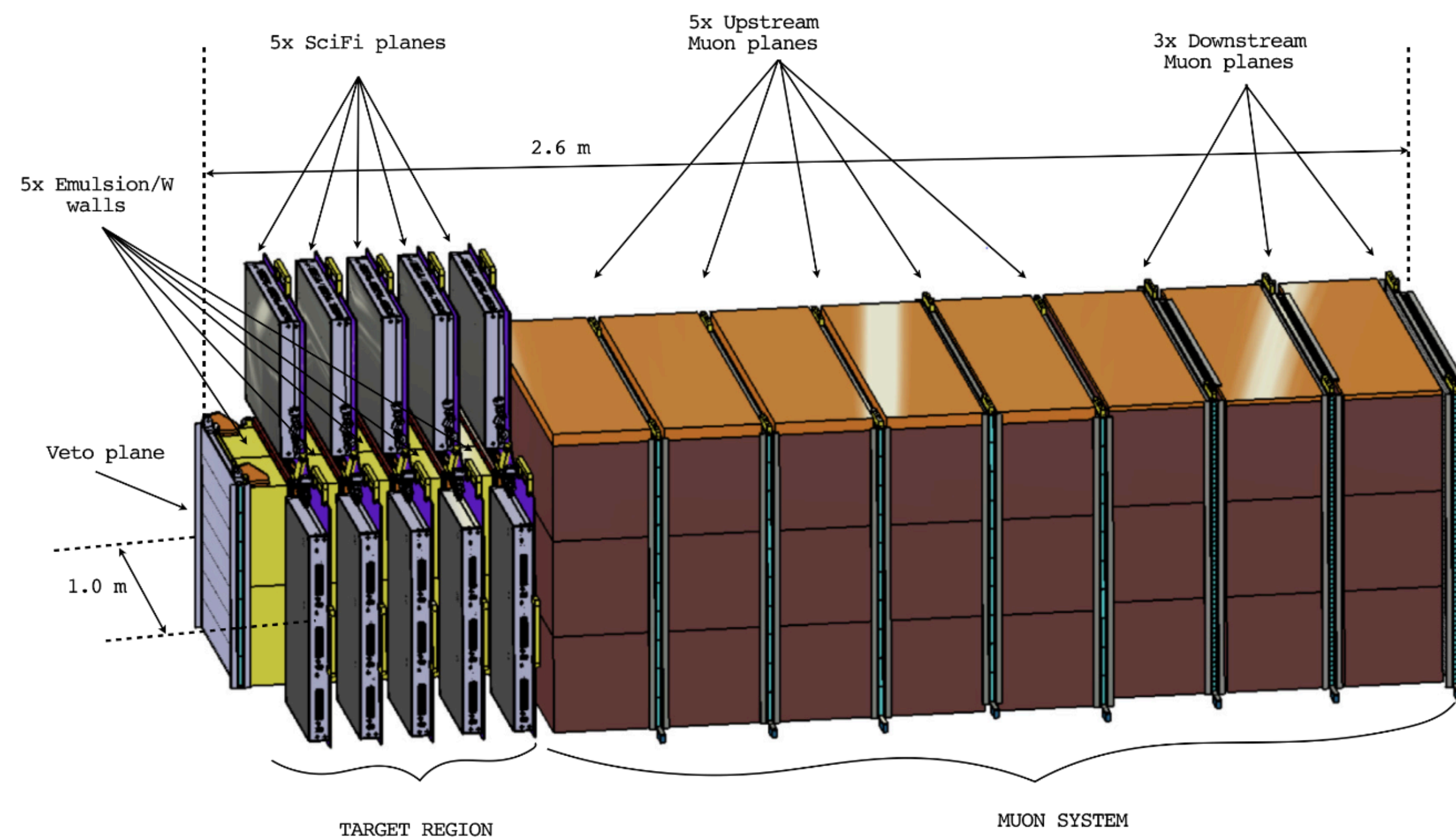
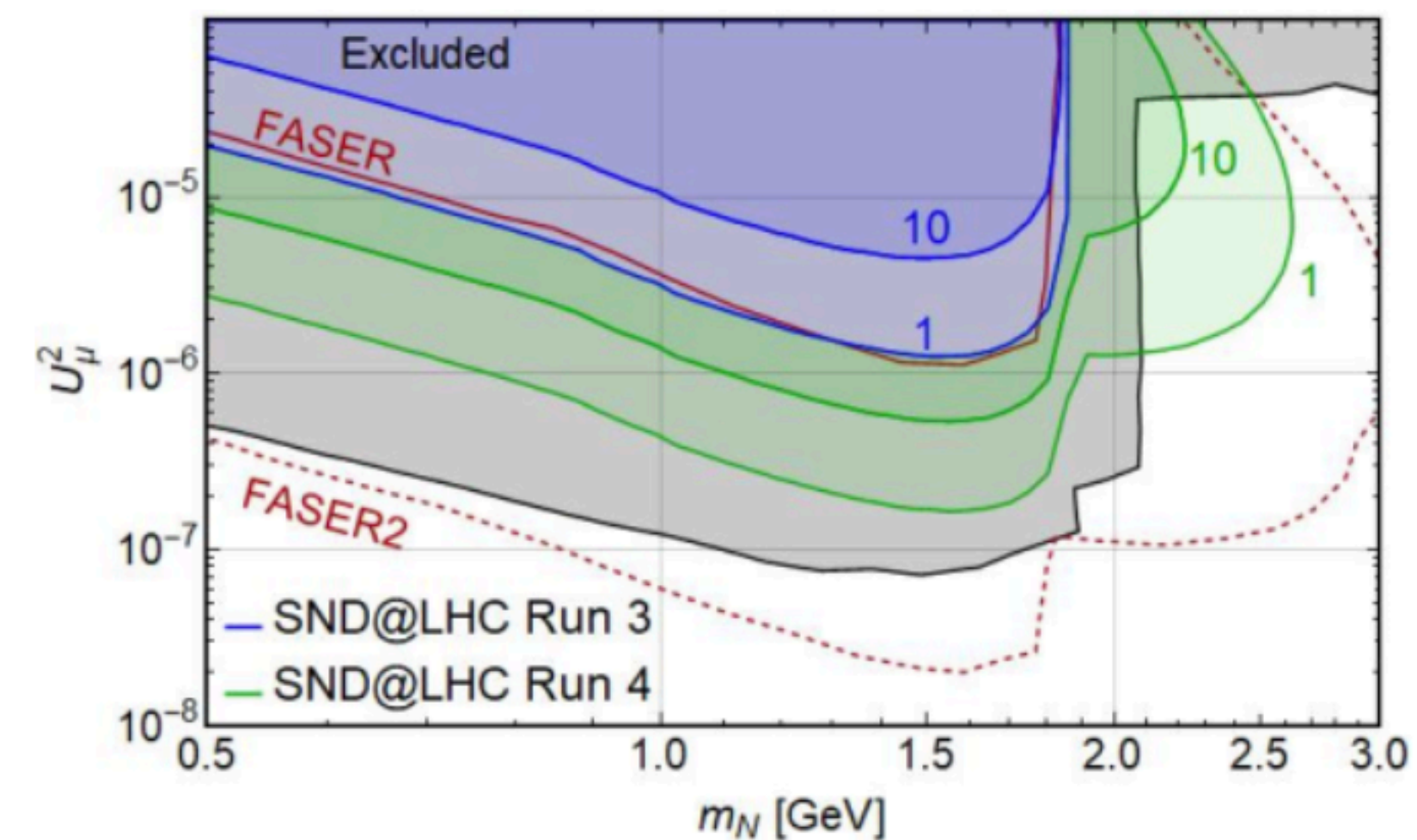
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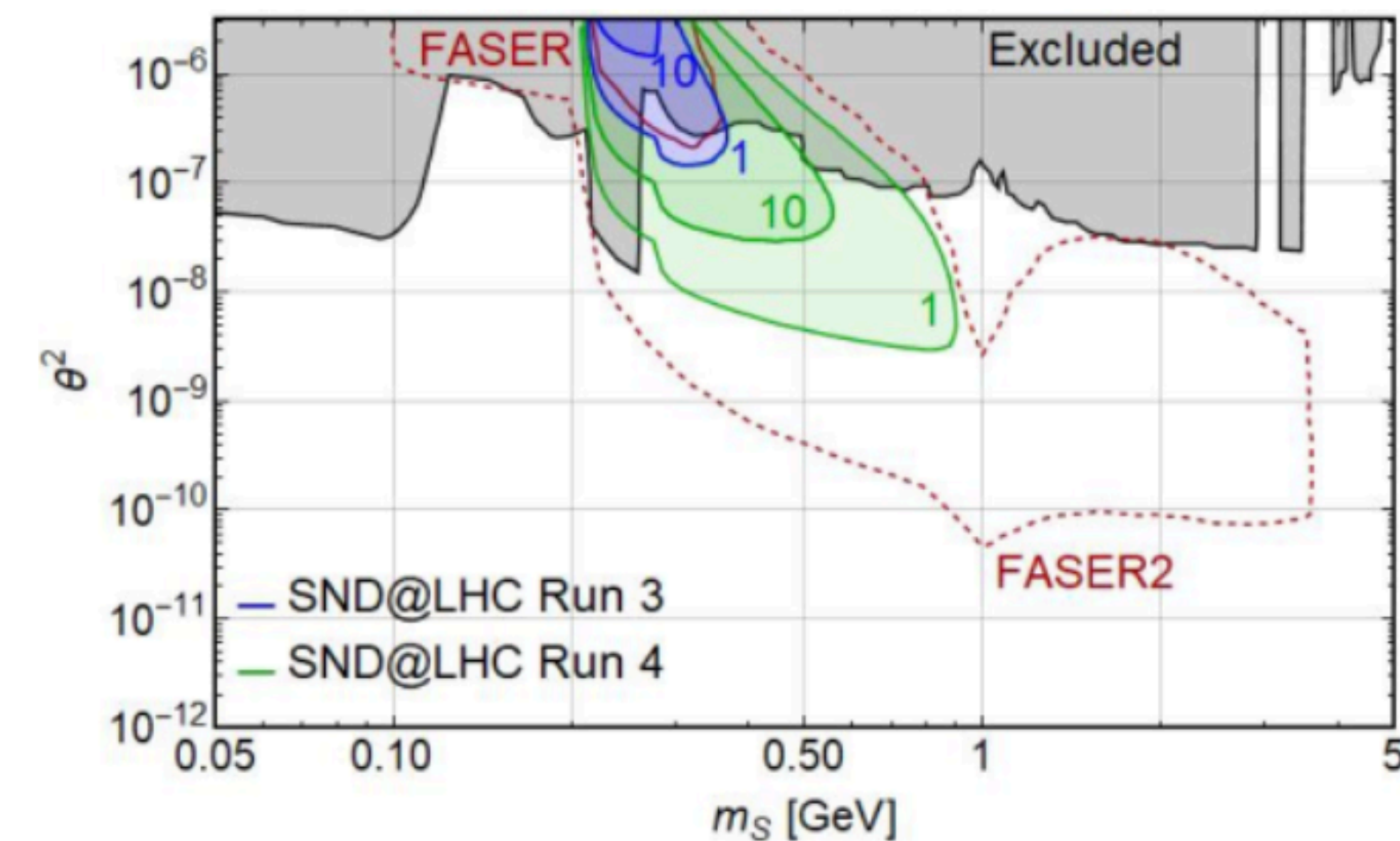


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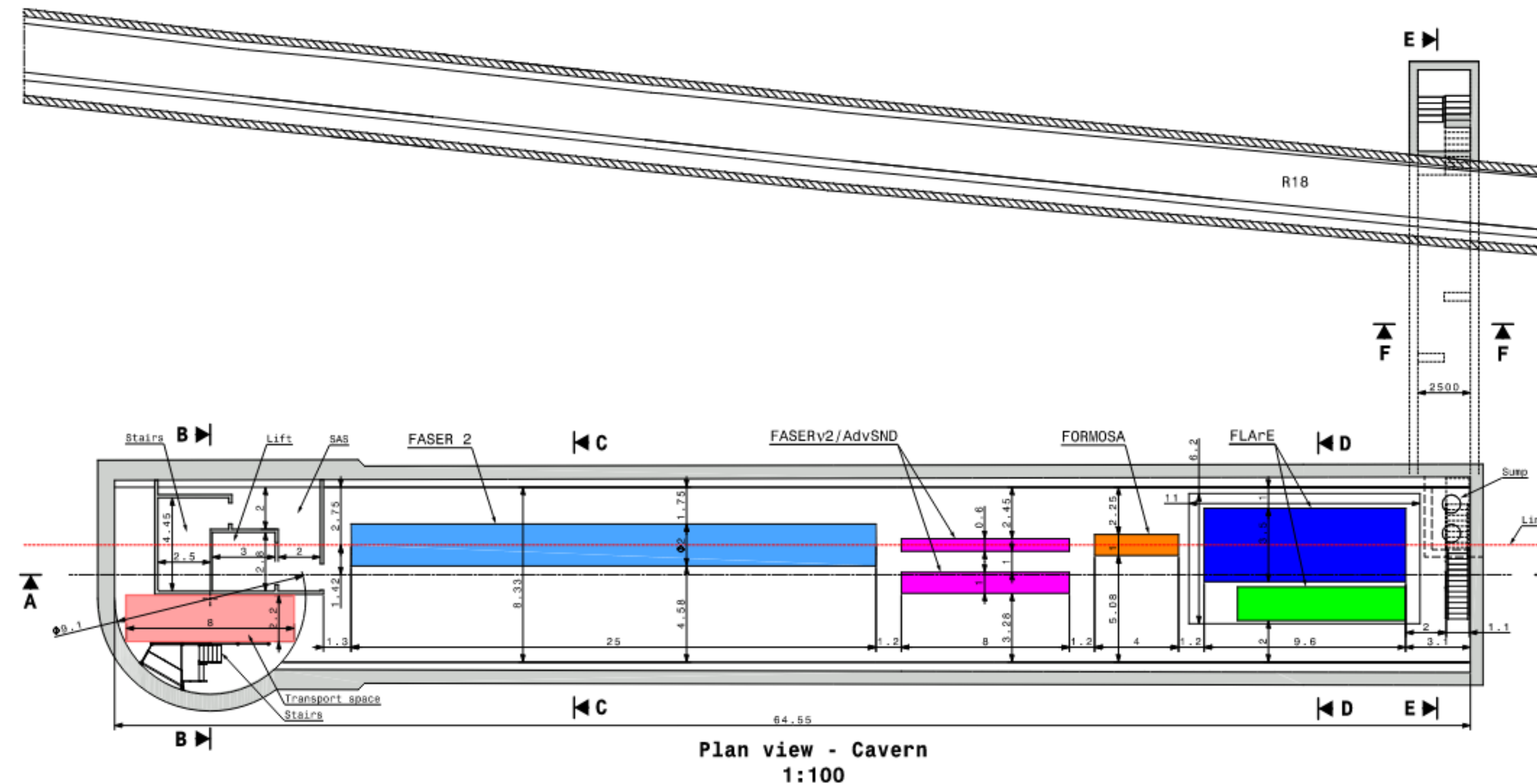
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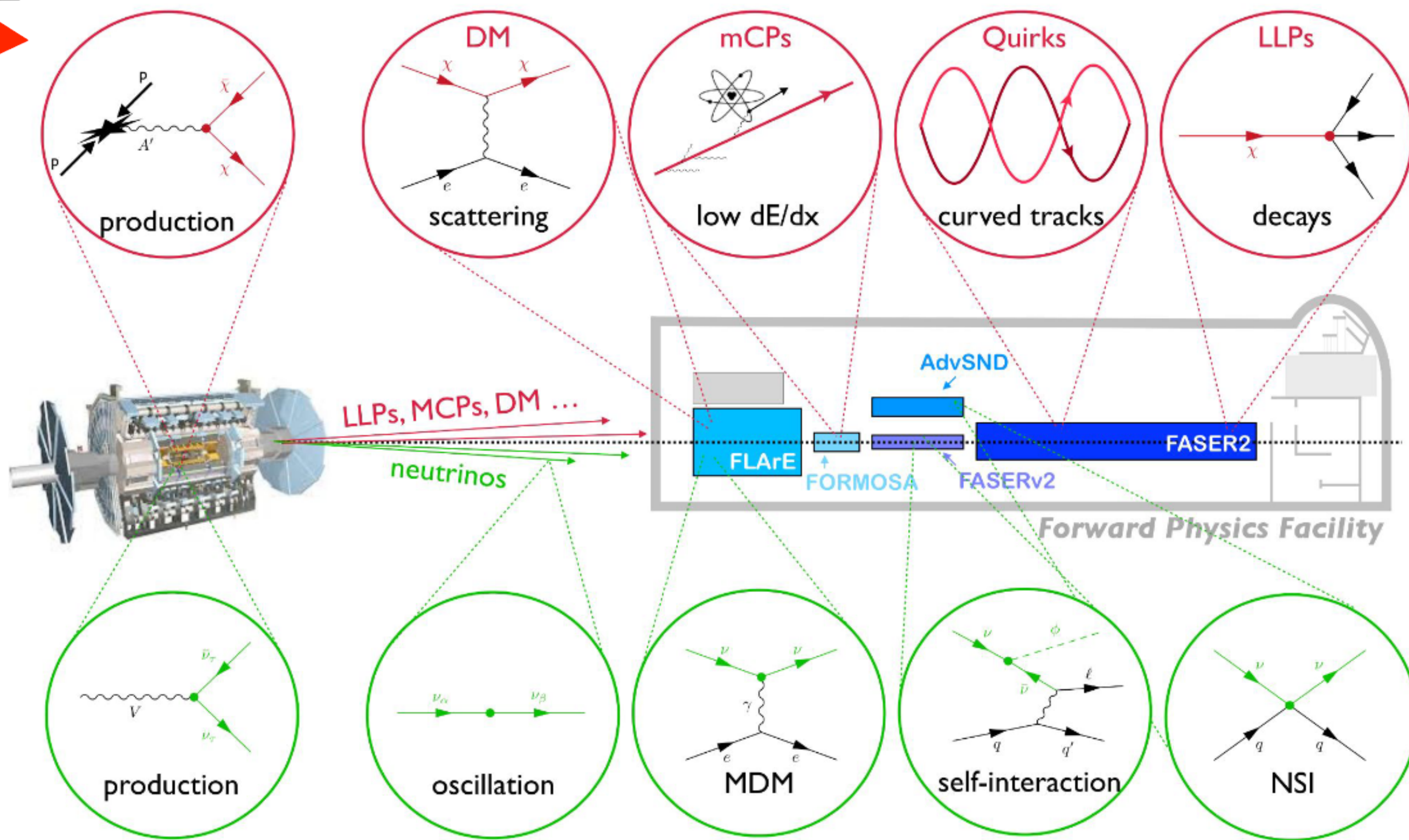


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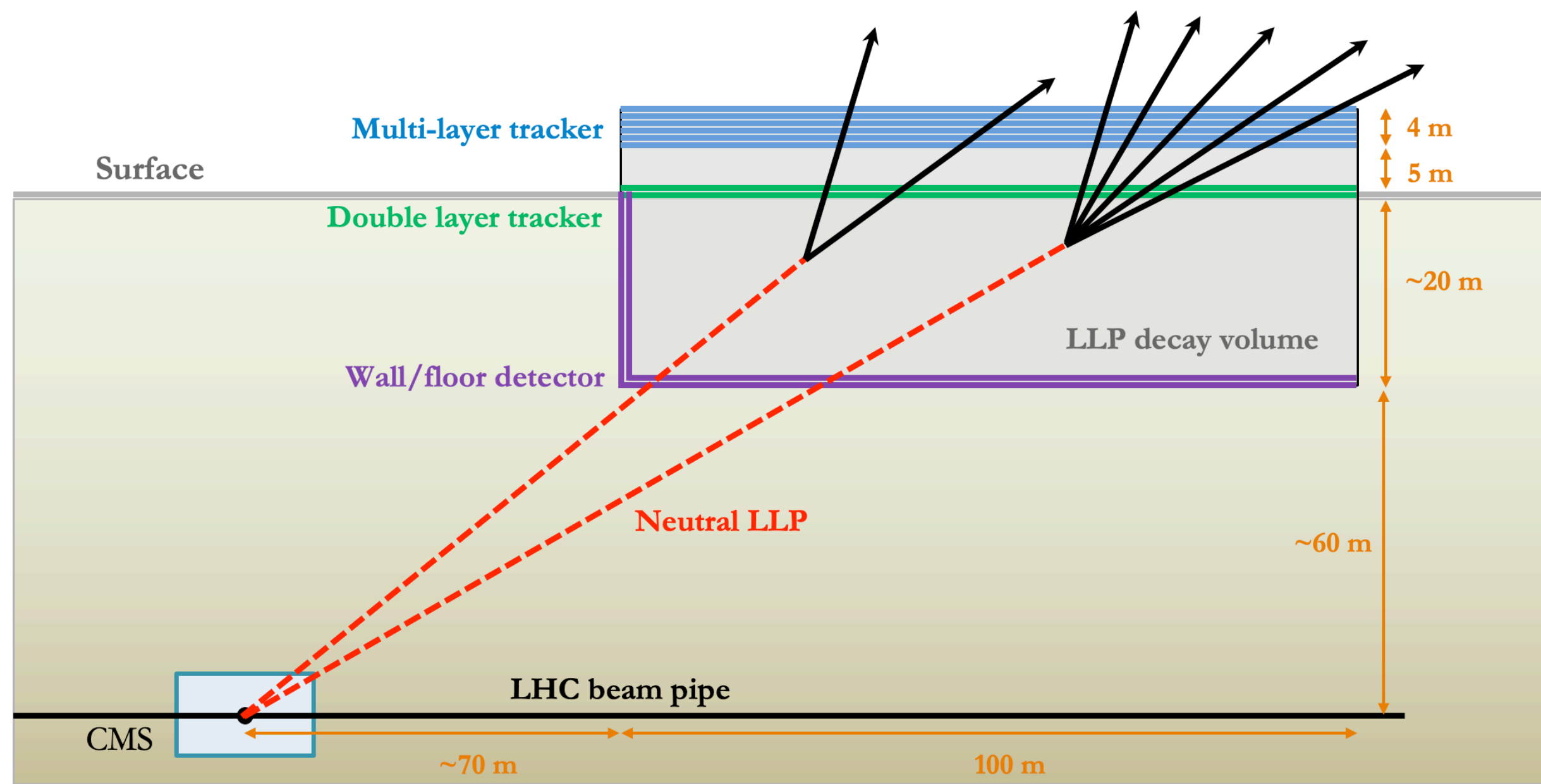
- FASER and SND@LHC: highly constrained by 1980's infrastructure that was never intended to support experiments
- Proposed dedicated Forward Physics Facility (FPF) for the HL-LHC





HL-LHC: Dedicated experiments

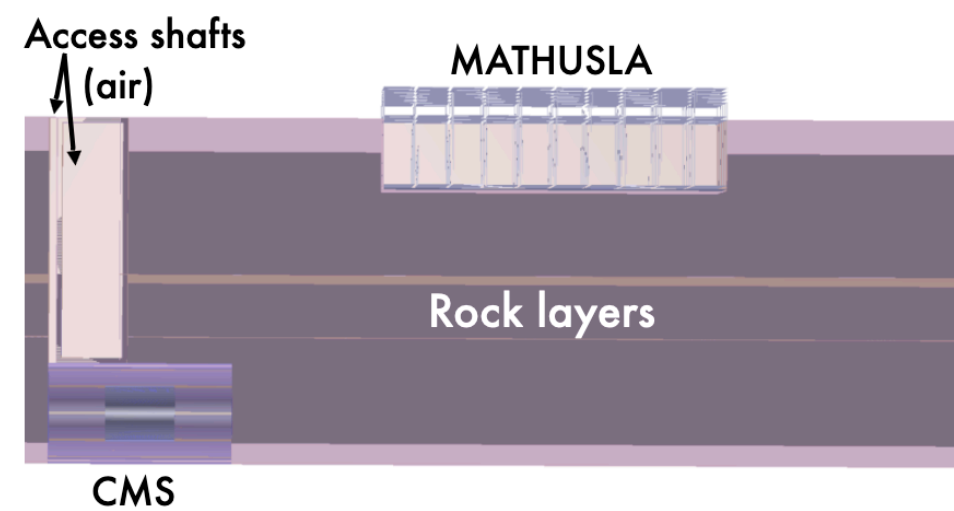
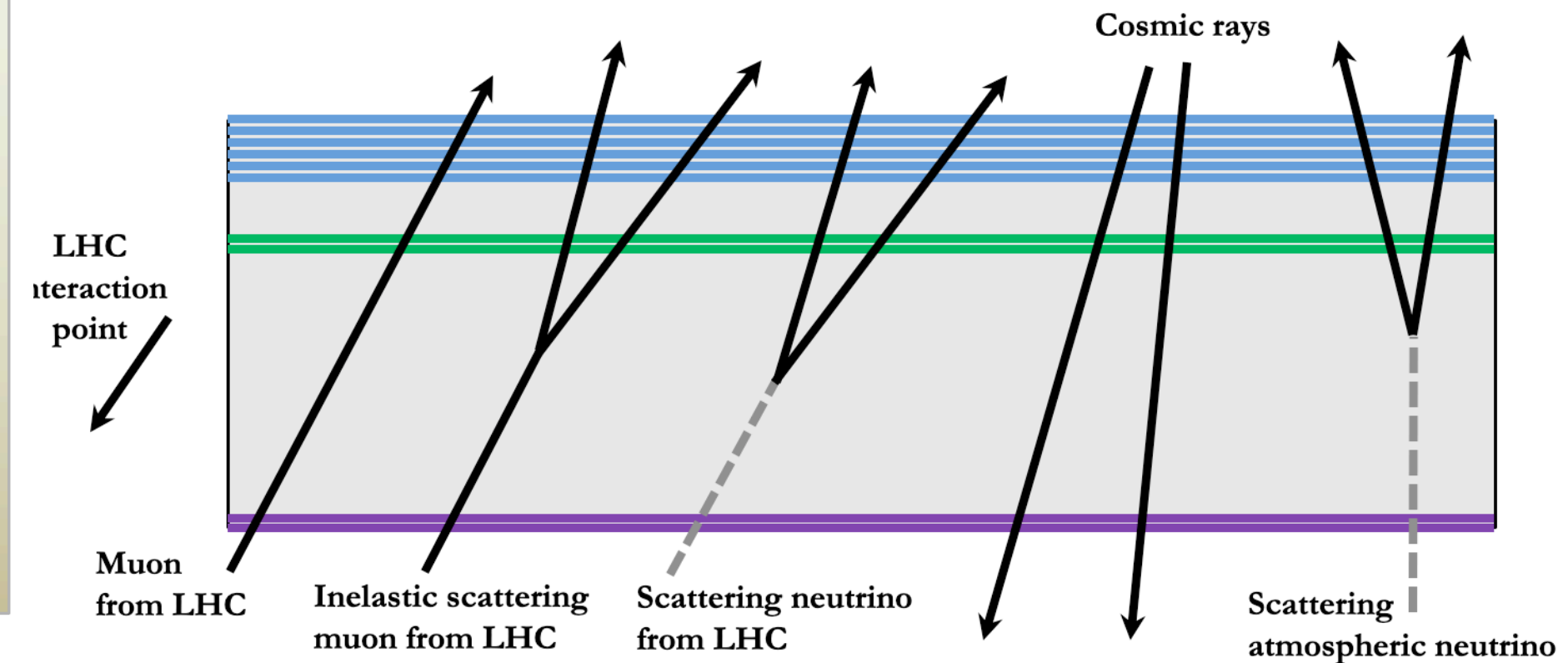
- **MATHUSLA**: (proposed) large-scale surface detector instrumenting $\sim 8 \times 10^5 \text{m}^3$ above ATLAS or CMS (off-axis) [arXiv:2009.01693](#) [website](#)

 - Constructing a 64-channel, 4-layer prototype at University of Victoria
- **CODEX-b**: (proposed) $\sim 10^3 \text{m}^3$ detector in the LHCb cavern (off-axis) [arXiv:2203.07316](#) [git](#)

 - Building of CODEX- β demonstrator unit ongoing.
- **AL3X**: (proposed) cylindrical $\sim 900 \text{ m}^3$ detector inside the L3 magnet and the time-projection chamber of the ALICE experiment (on-axis) [arXiv:1810.03636](#)

- **ANUBIS**: (proposed) $1 \times 1 \text{ m}^2$ units on top of ATLAS/CMS (off-axis) [arXiv:1909.13022](#) [twiki](#)
 - The proANUBIS prototype just been installed in the ATLAS experimental cavern
- **FACET**: (proposed) $\sim 100 \text{m}$ in front of CMS (on-axis). Large decay volume (50 m) [arXiv:2201.00019](#)



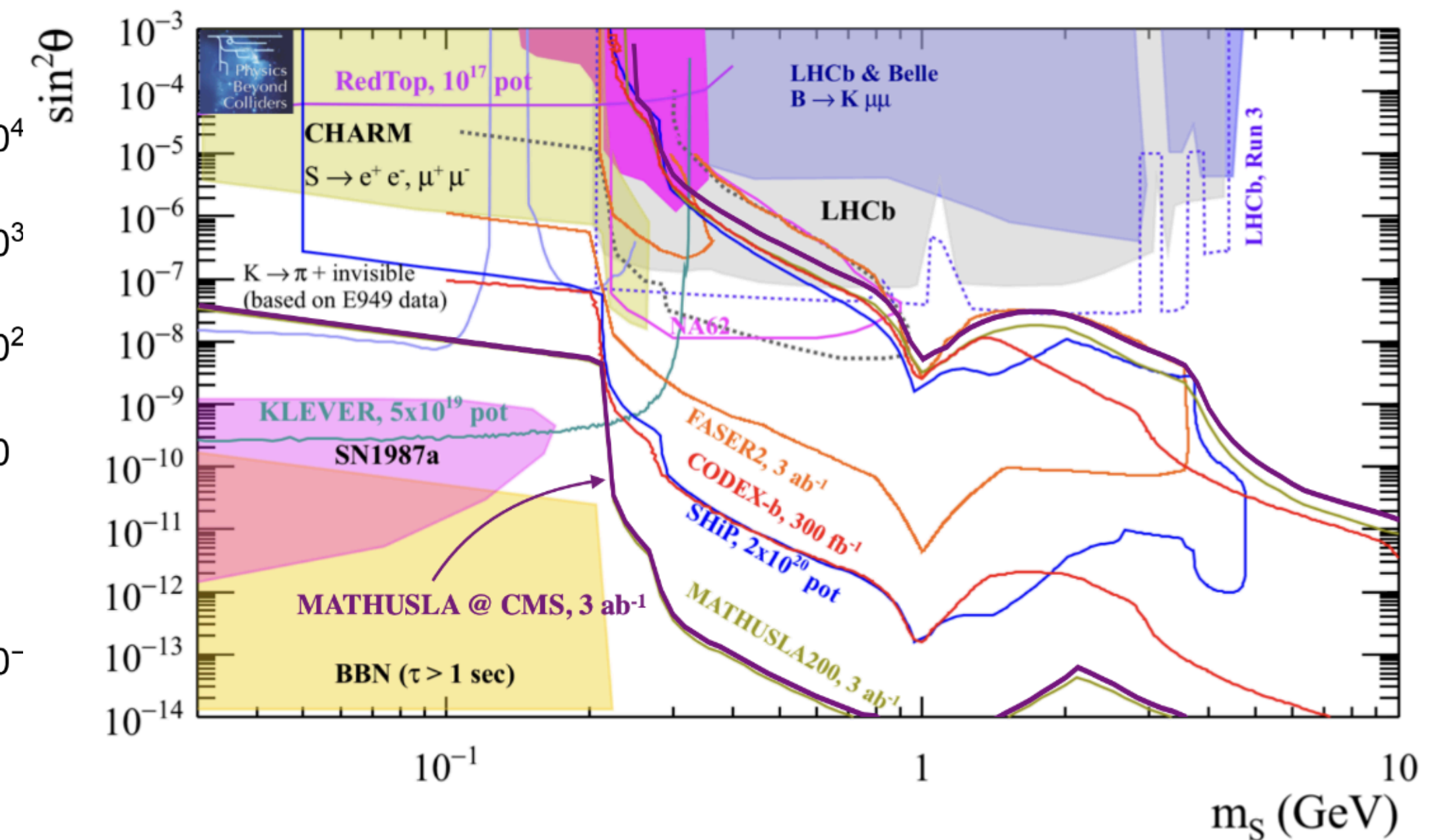
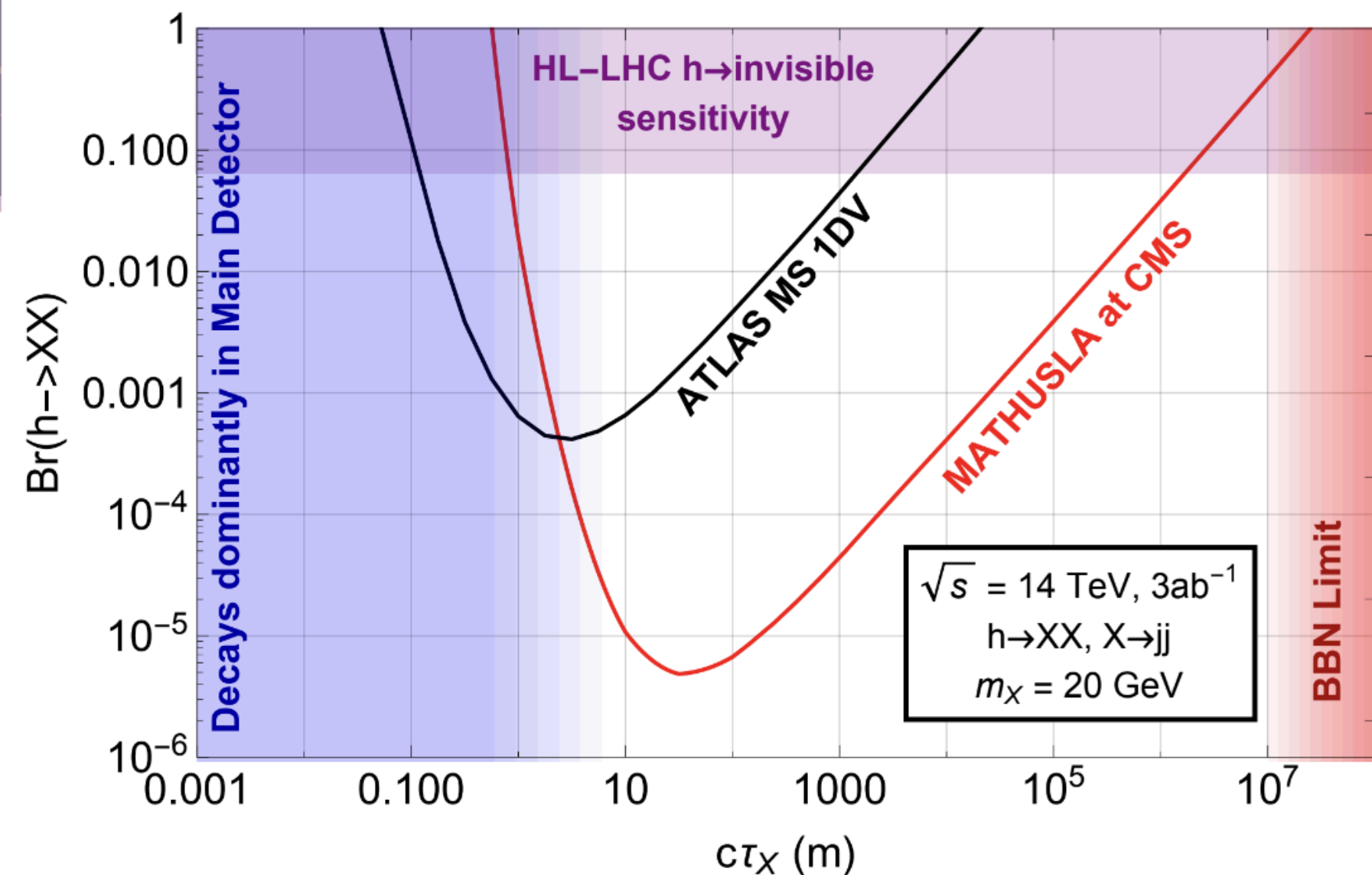
9 x 9 units, each
with a 9 m x 9 m
footprint, 30 m tall

MATHUSLA

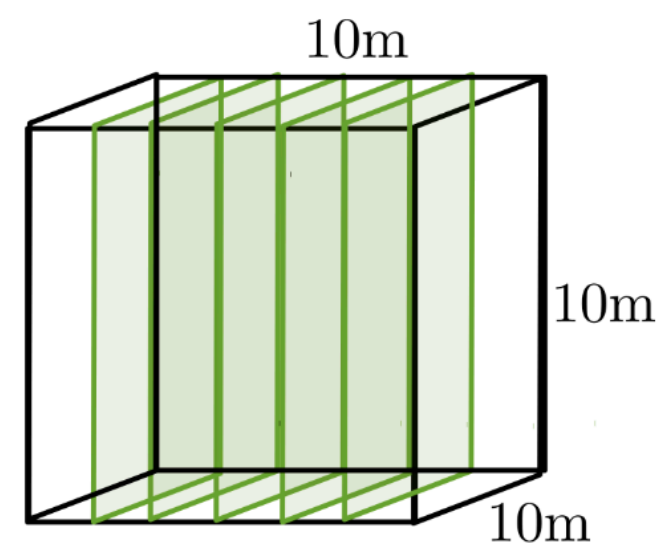
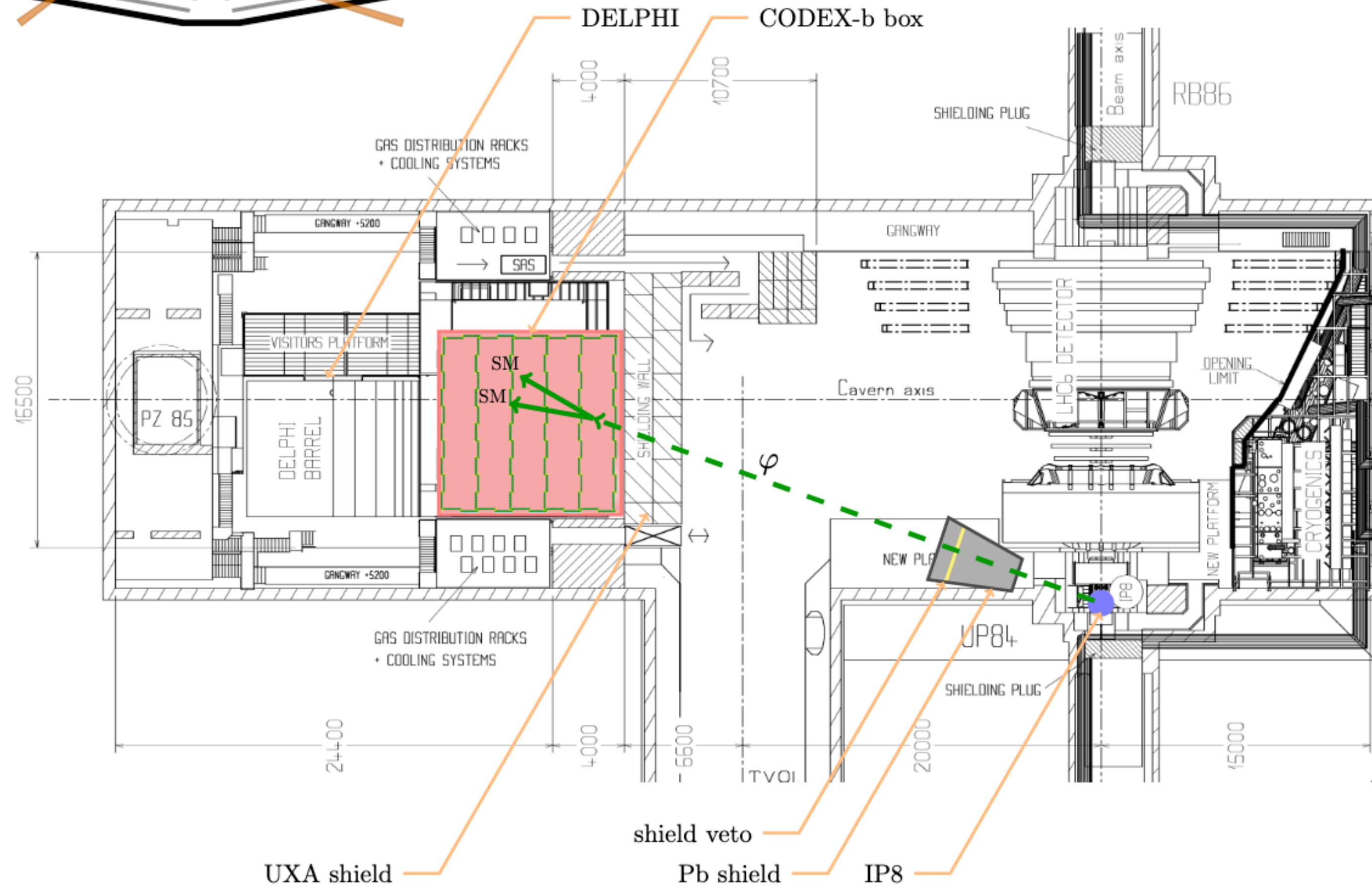
MATHUSLA (Massive Timing
Hodoscope for Ultra Stable neutral
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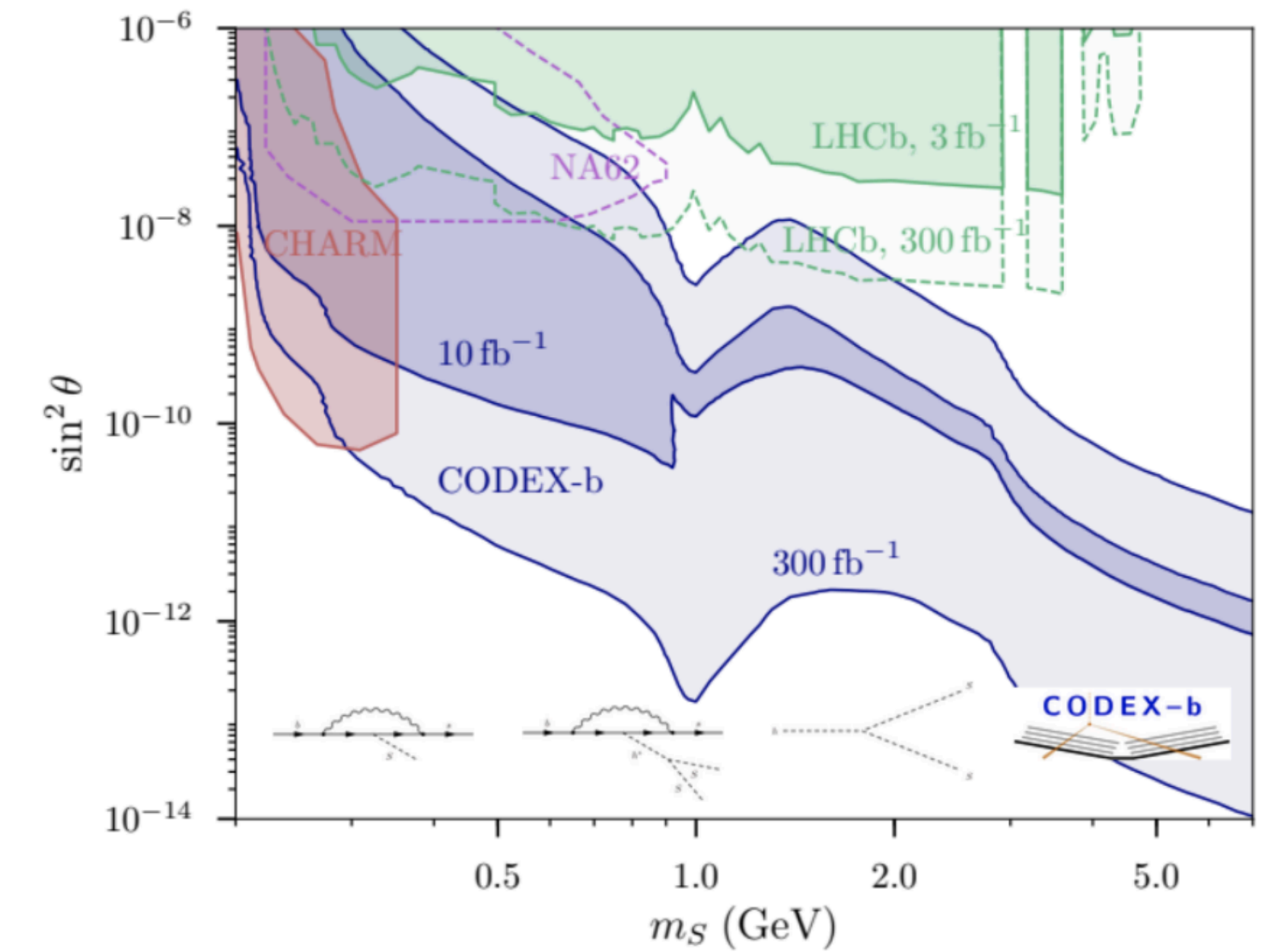
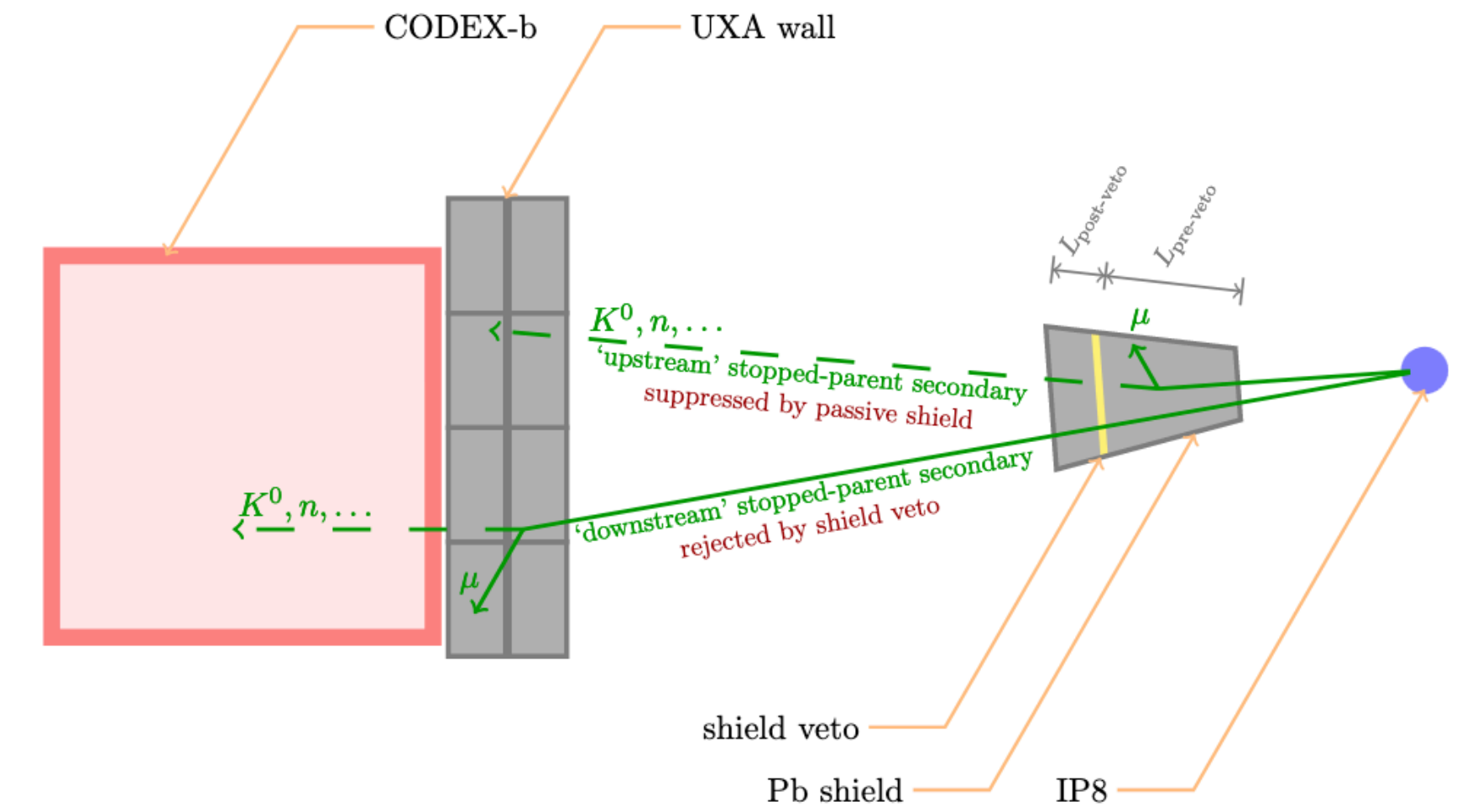
~1000x increased sensitivity
compared ATLAS for Higgs
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Sensitivity to small mixing
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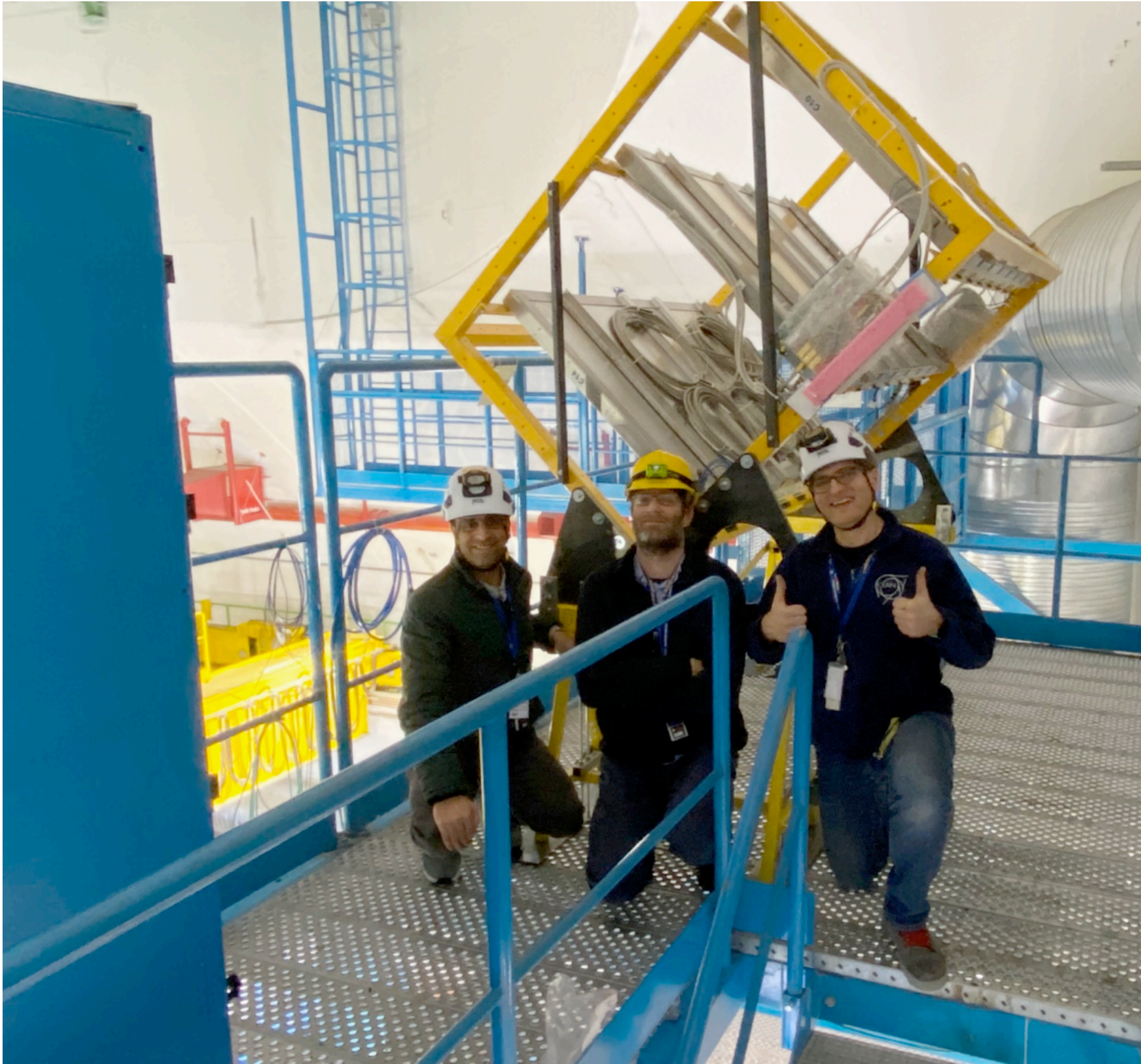
CODEX-b



Complementary coverage of LLP parameter space.
Sensitivity to NP with heavy intermediates e.g. Higgs



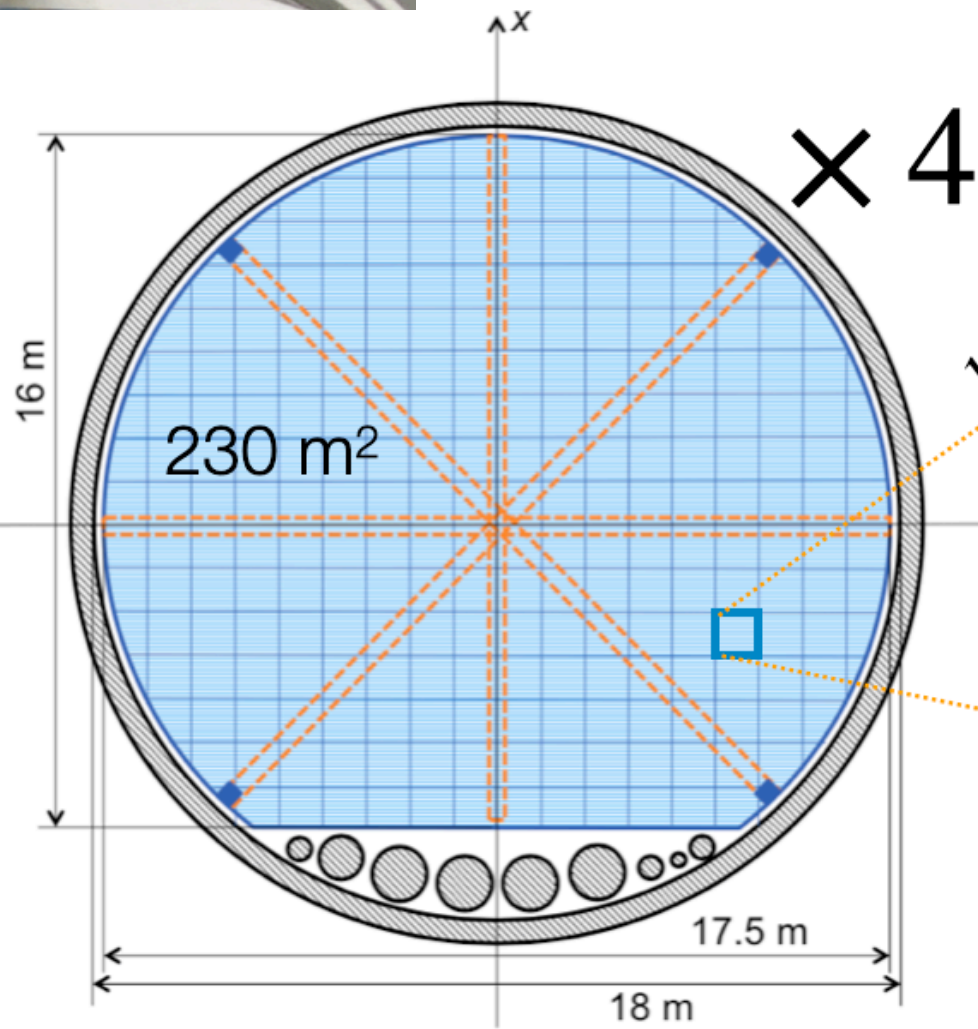
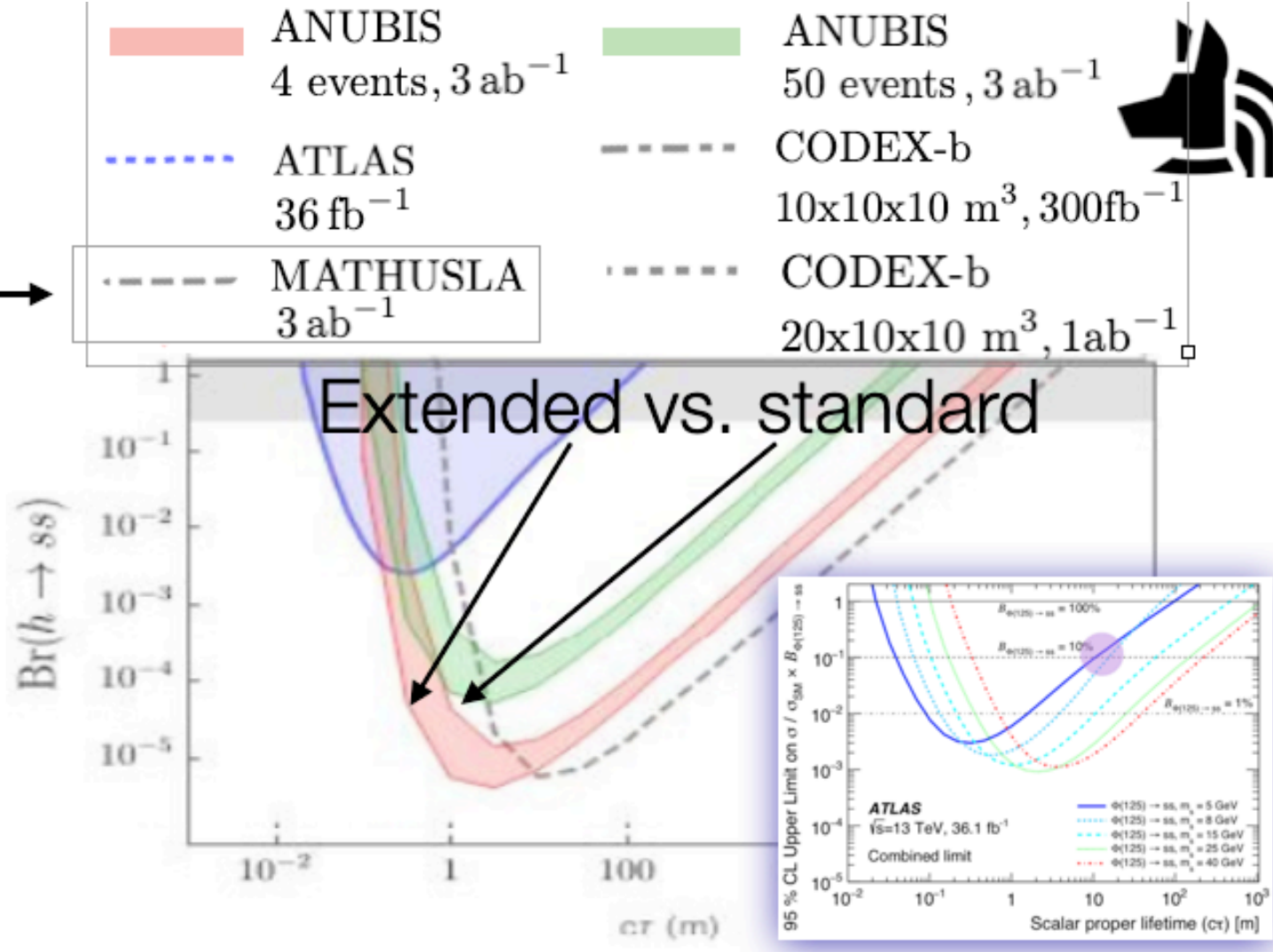
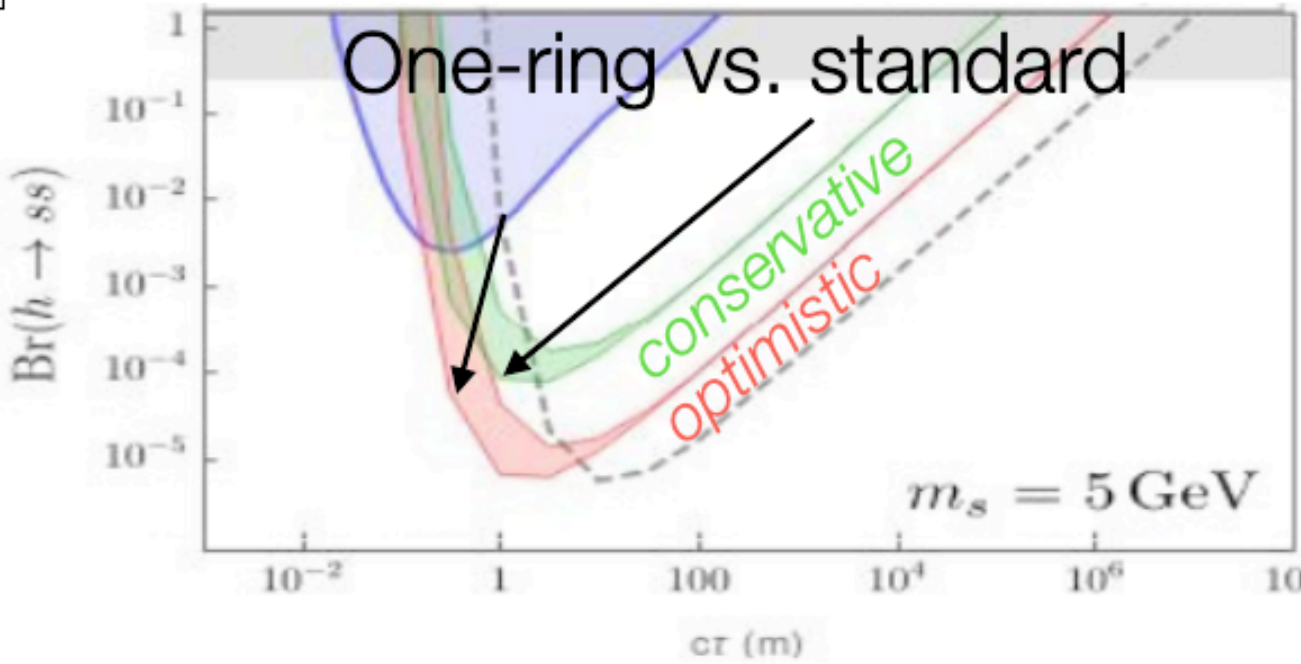
$H^0 \rightarrow SS$, where S = Dark Scalar



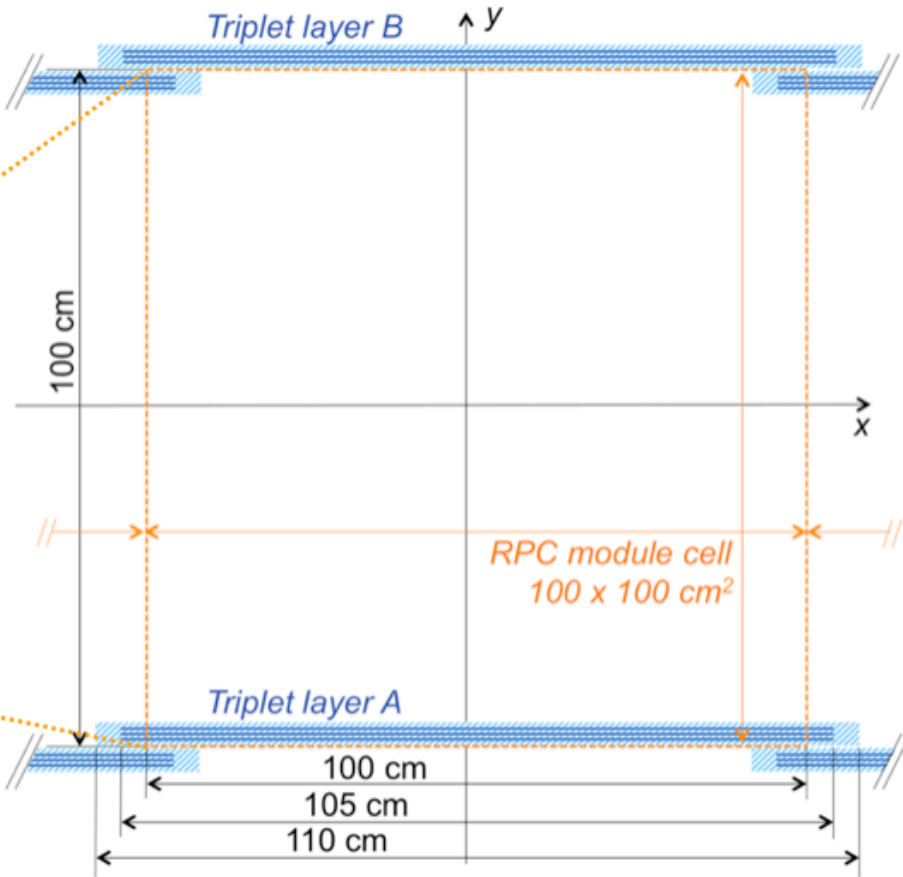
ANUBIS improves the LHC sensitivity by 2-3 orders of magnitude at large decay lengths > 10 m for electrically neutral LLPs with masses > 1 GeV for relatively low cost

ANUBIS: sensitivity

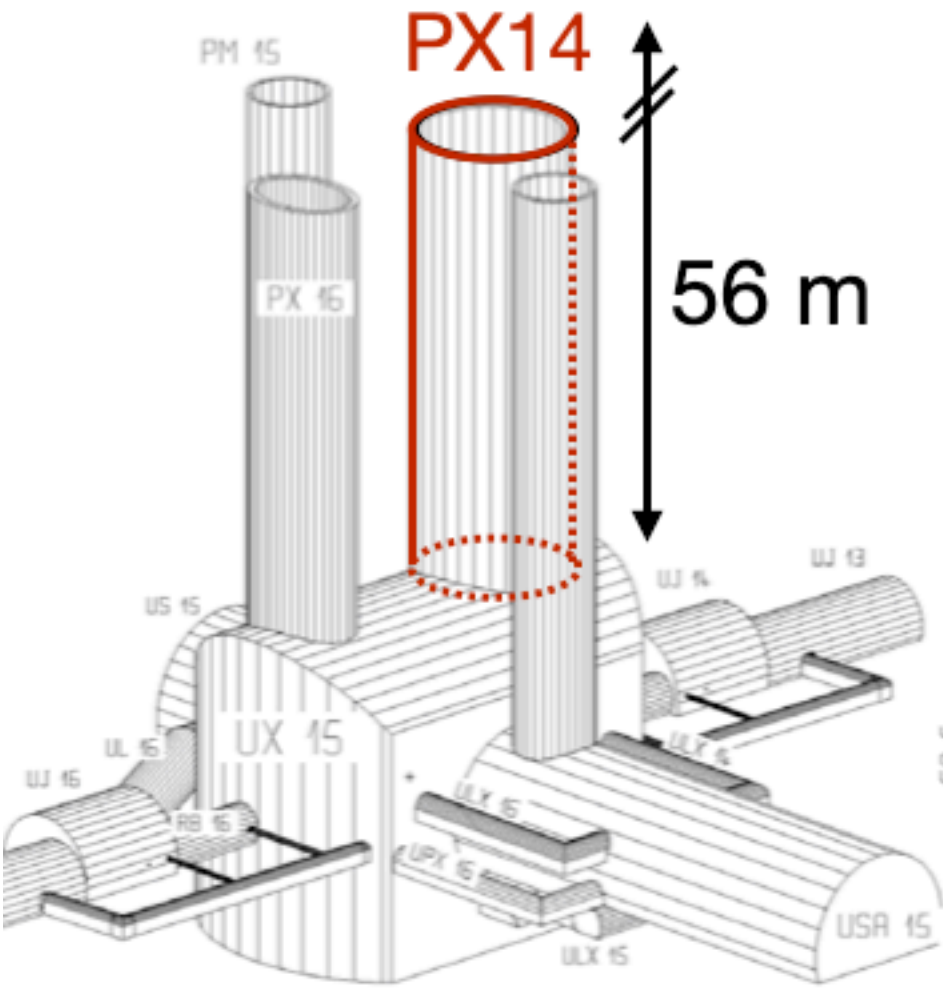
200 x 200 x 20 m³ decay volume



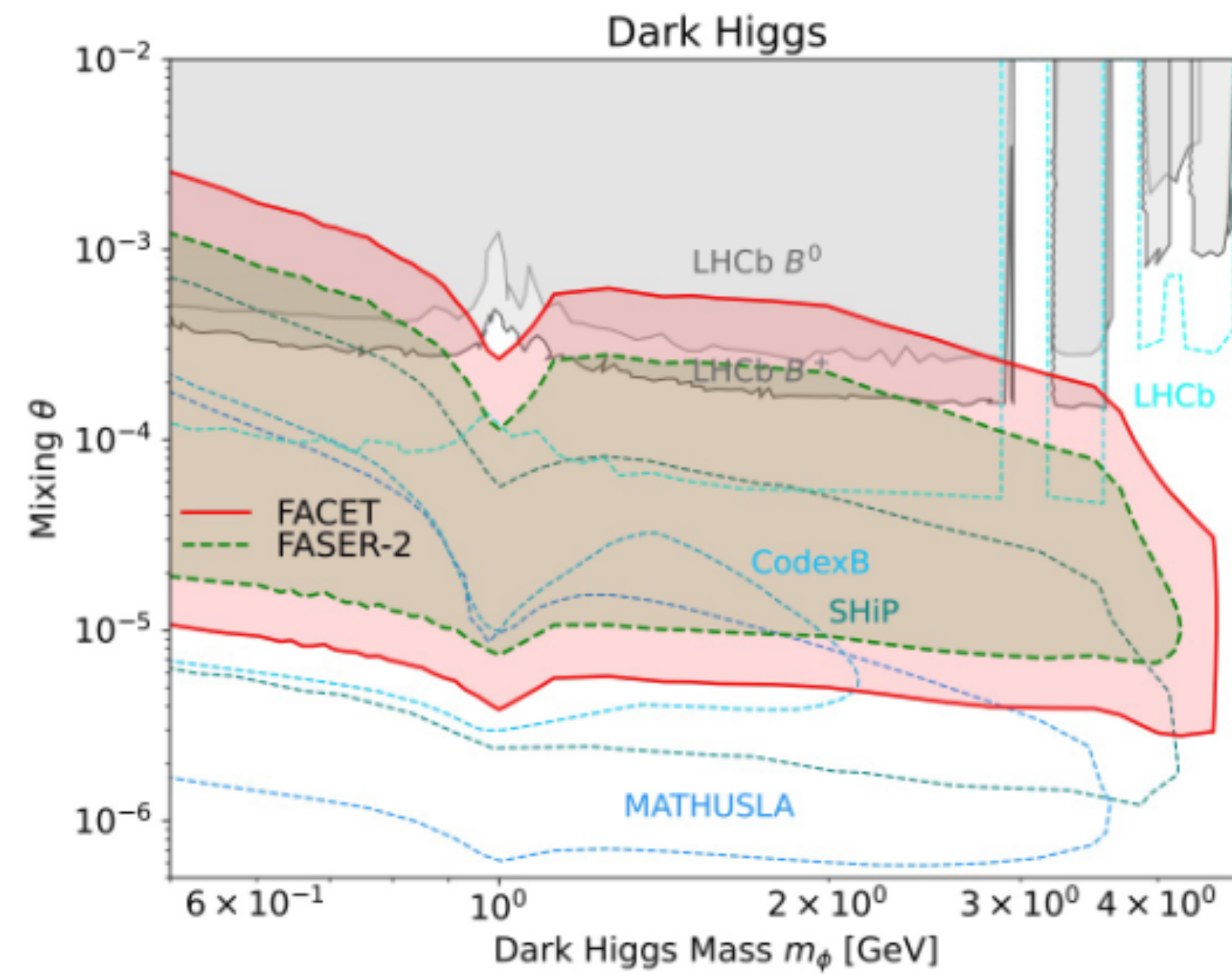
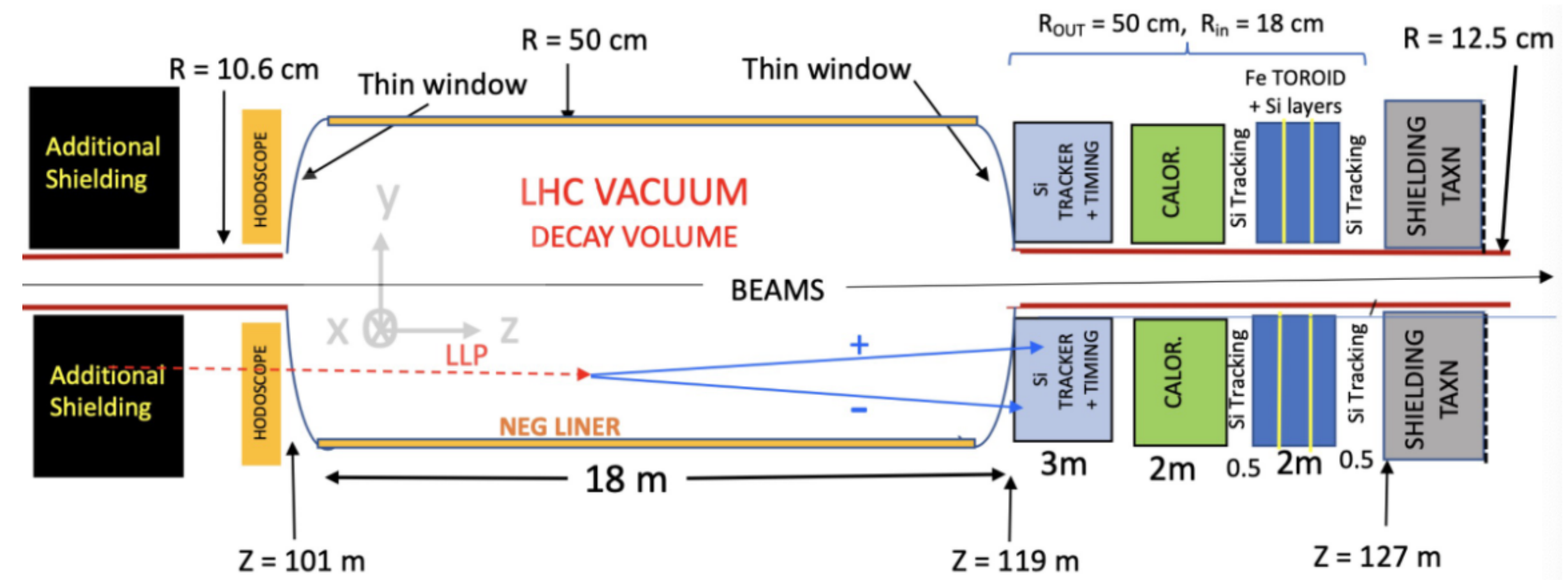
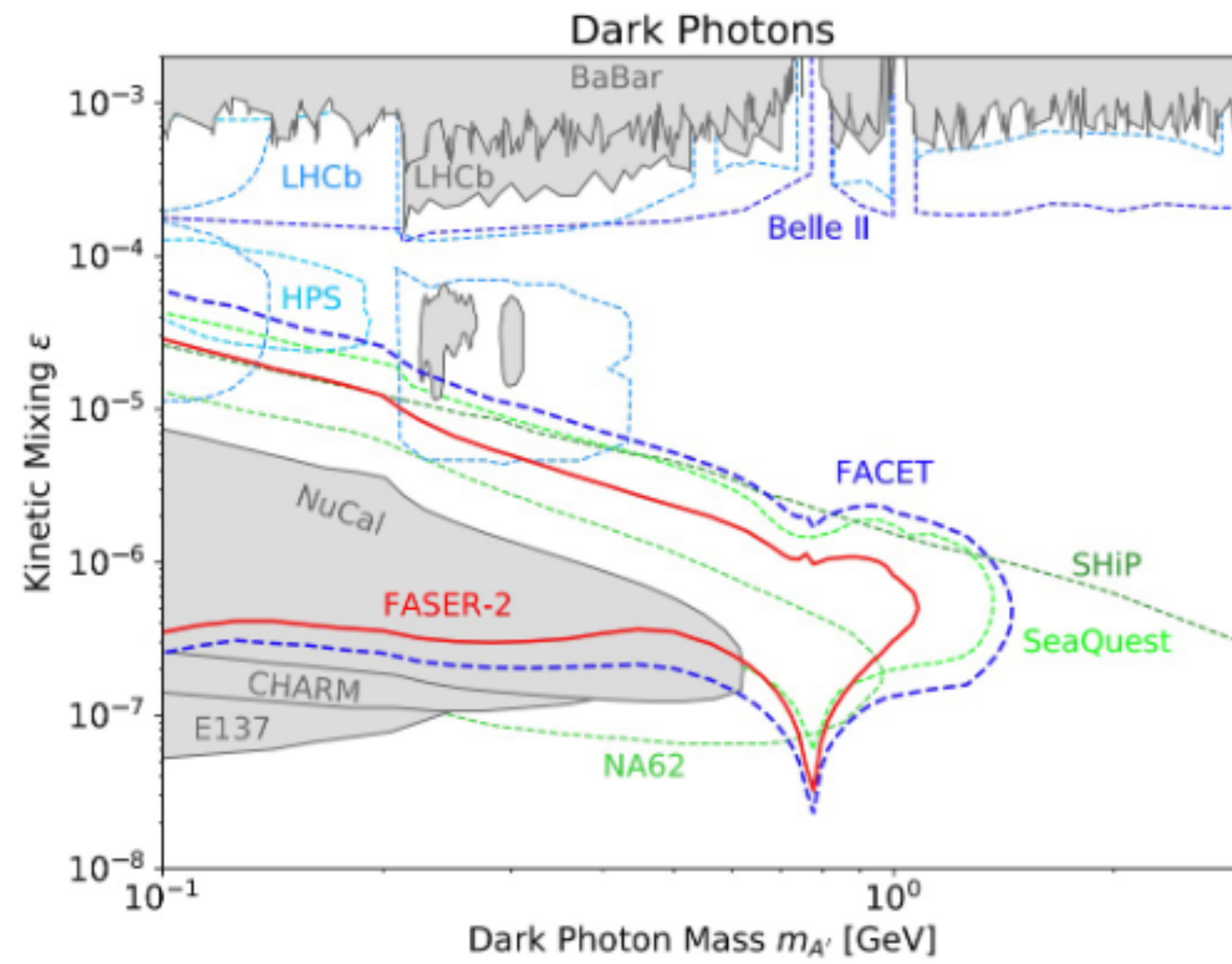
Tracking stations affixed with cams: extract tracking stations to surface quickly & easily in an emergency



Parameter	Specification
Time resolution	$\delta t \lesssim 0.5$ ns
Angular resolution	$\delta \alpha \lesssim 0.01$ rad
Spatial resolution	$\delta x, \delta z \lesssim 0.5$ cm
Per-layer hit efficiency	$\epsilon \gtrsim 98\%$



FACET



More LLP experiments at the LHC



- Beam dump using the SPS proton beam line in the North area
 - **NA62**: (**running**) fixed-target experiment, kaon and beam-dump physics program with sensitivity to hidden sector (dark photon/Higgs, ALPs, HNLs..)
 - **SHiP**: (proposed) Intensity-frontier wide-spectrum (\sim GeV-scale) FIP search, zero-background reachable
 - **SHADOWS**: (proposed) competitive to CODEX-b and FASER2 for FIPs from charm/beauty
- Experiments for exotic electromagnetic charge:
 - **MilliQan**: (**demonstrator taking data**) searching for dark-sector millicharged particles with feeble coupling strength in the drainage gallery of CMS
 - **MoEDAL-MAPP**: (**running**) First LHC dedicated search experiment! looking for highly ionizing particles like magnetic monopoles at LHCb, upgrade with sensitivity to millicharged particles, SUSY LLP states, and even HNLs
 - **FORMOSA**: (proposed) millicharged particles in the 10 MeV to 100 GeV mass range using the FPF
- Many other experiments can also search for LLPs, e.g. Neutrino experiments, B-factories or dark matter experiments.



Kaon and beam dump modes, beam-dump mode sensitive to LLP signatures (HNL, dark photons/scalars, ALPs)

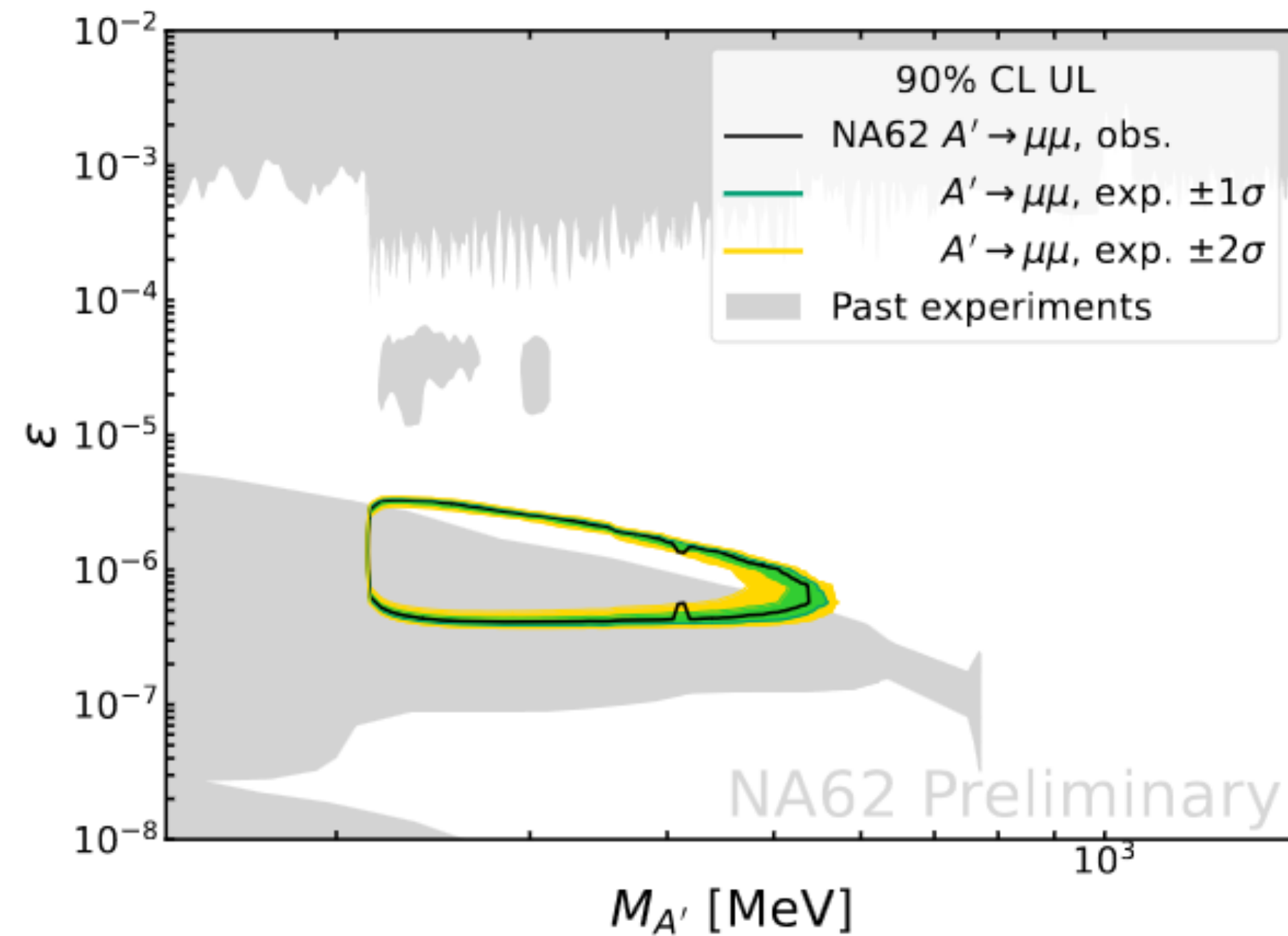
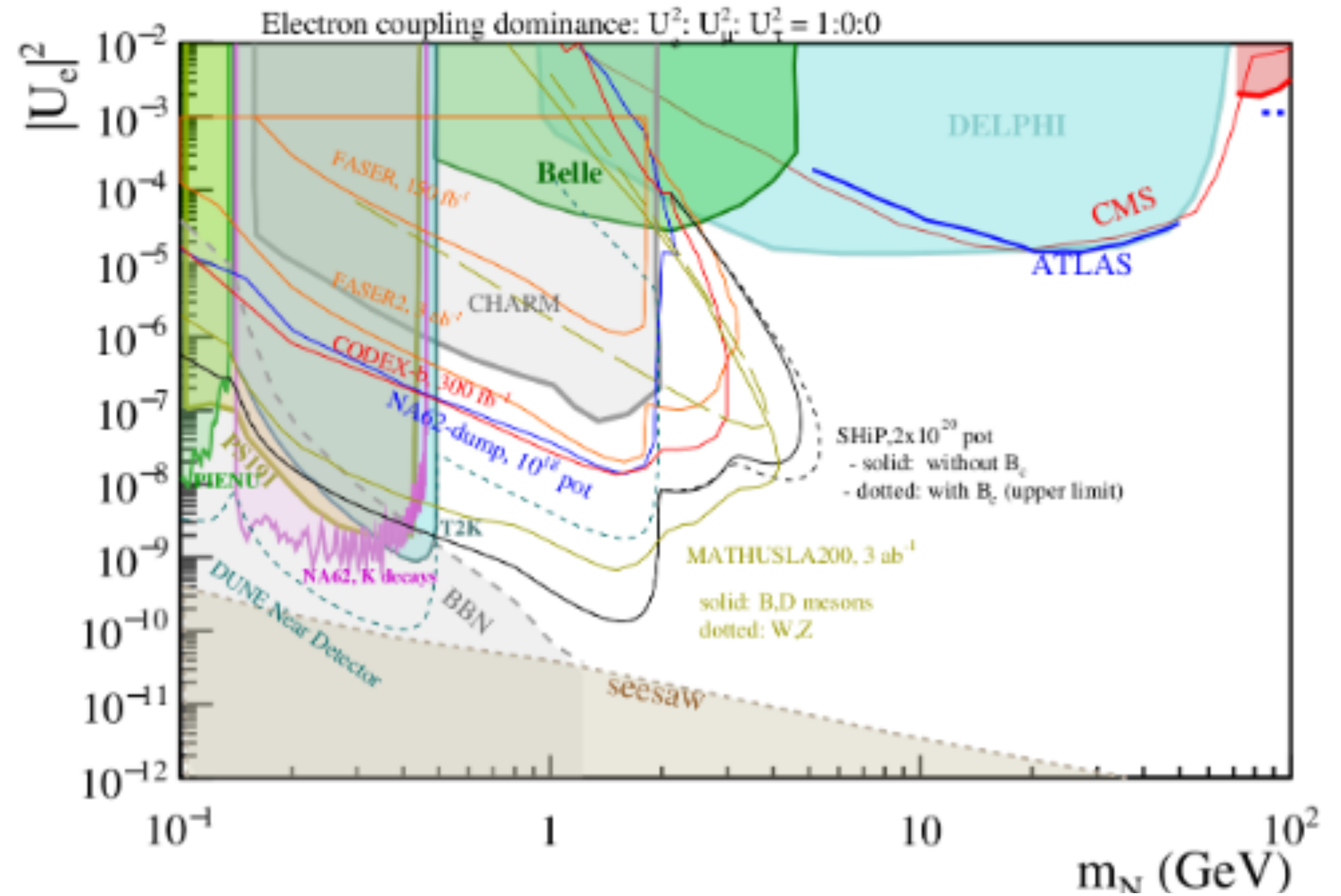
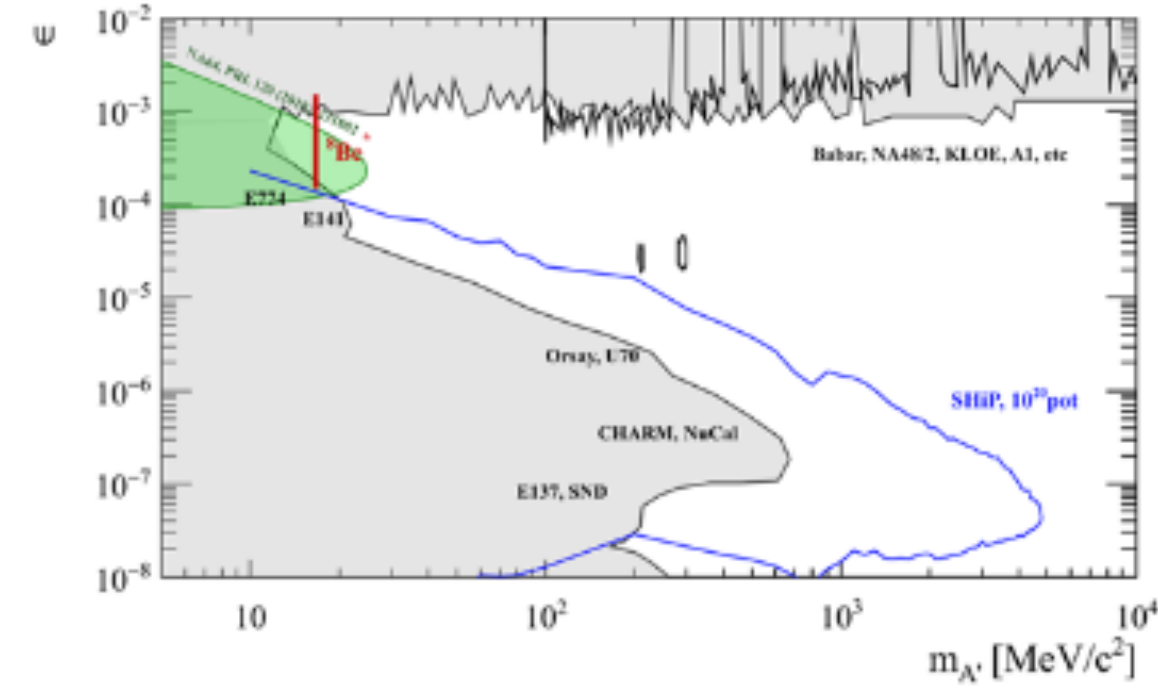


Figure: Final result with upper limit @90% CL.

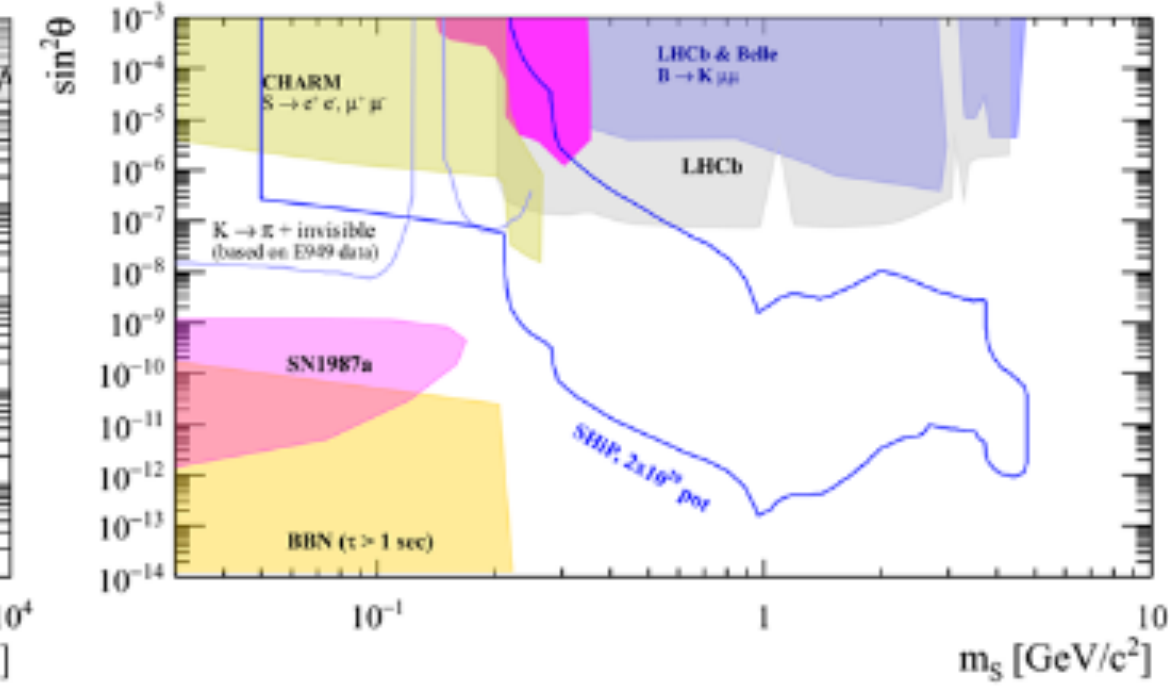




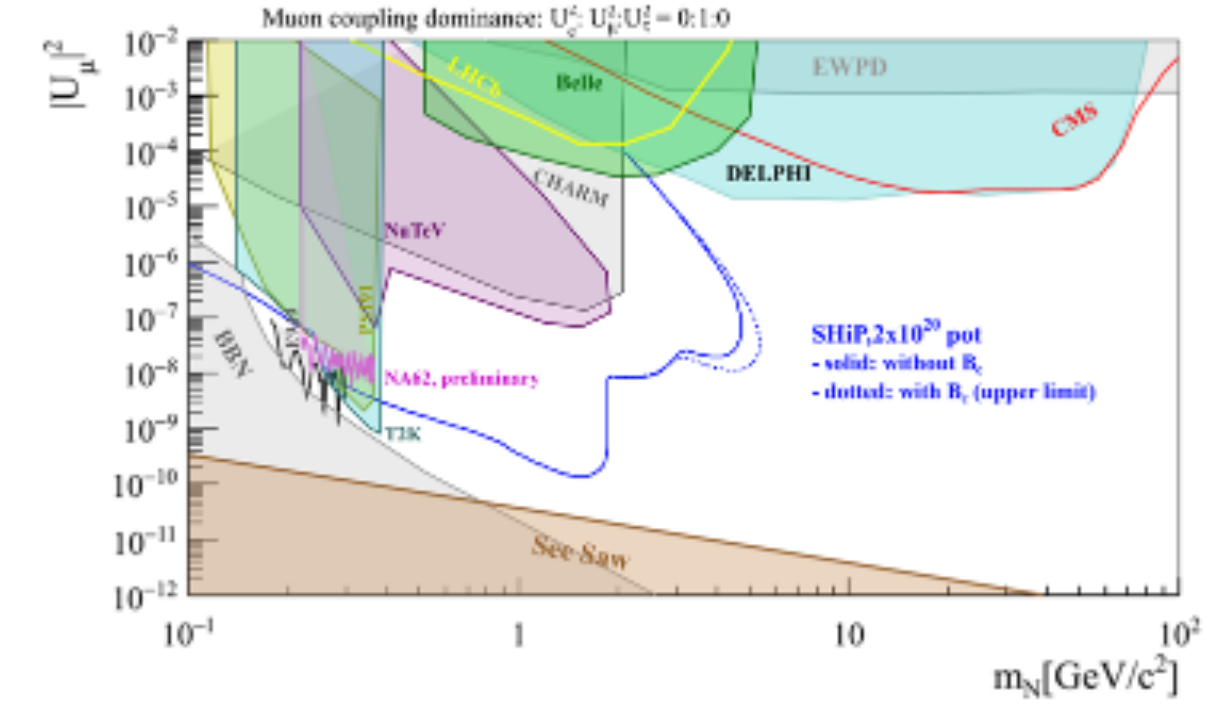
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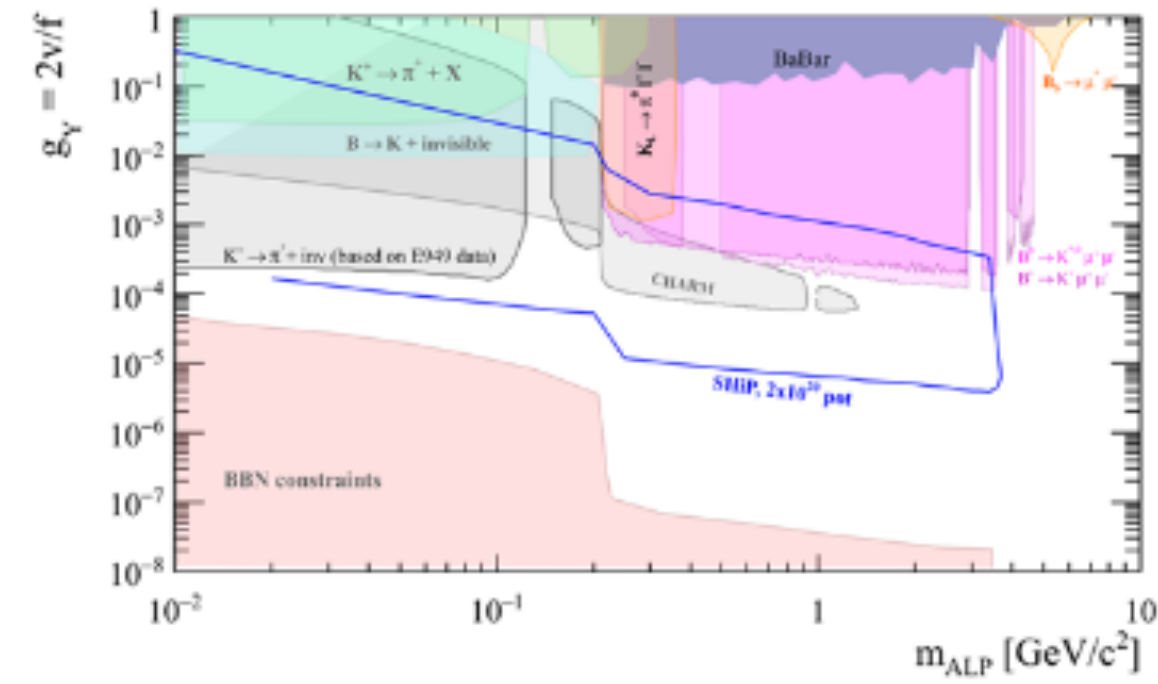
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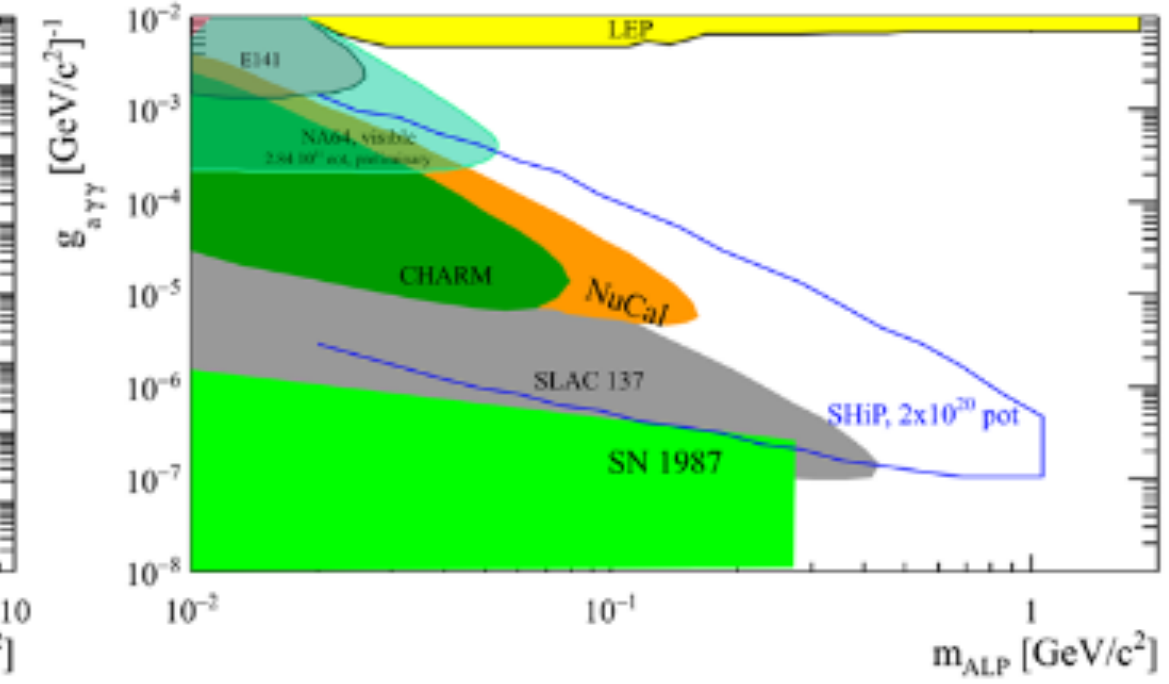
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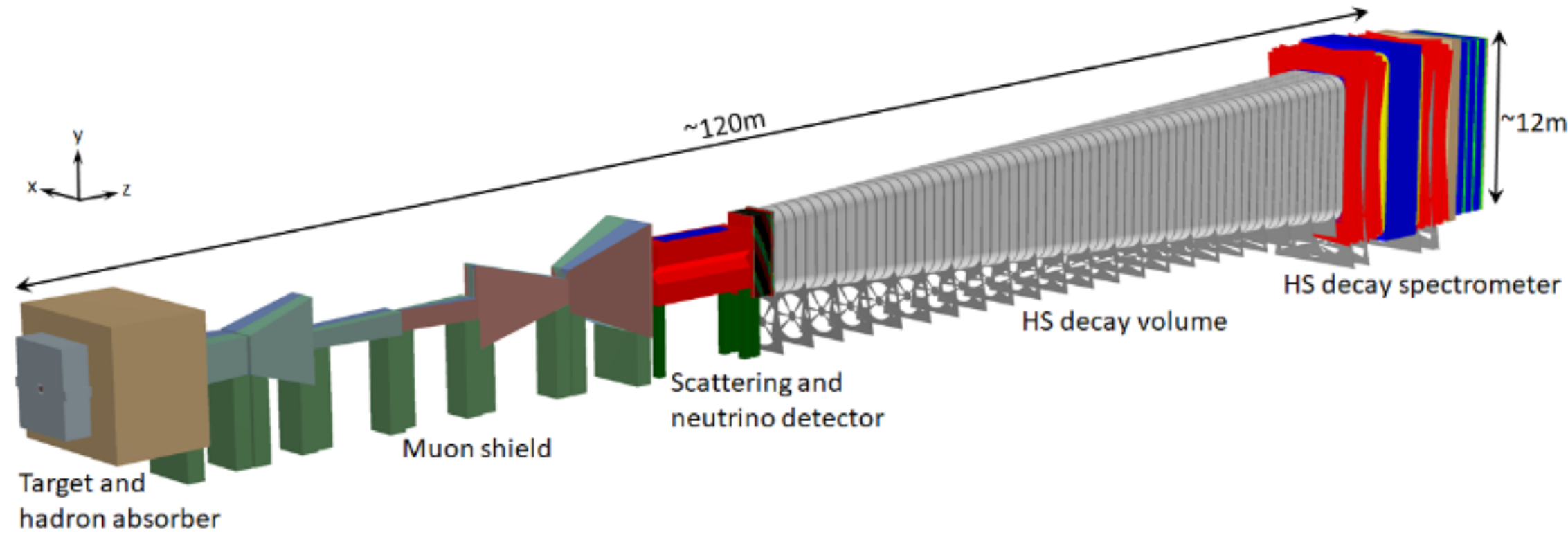
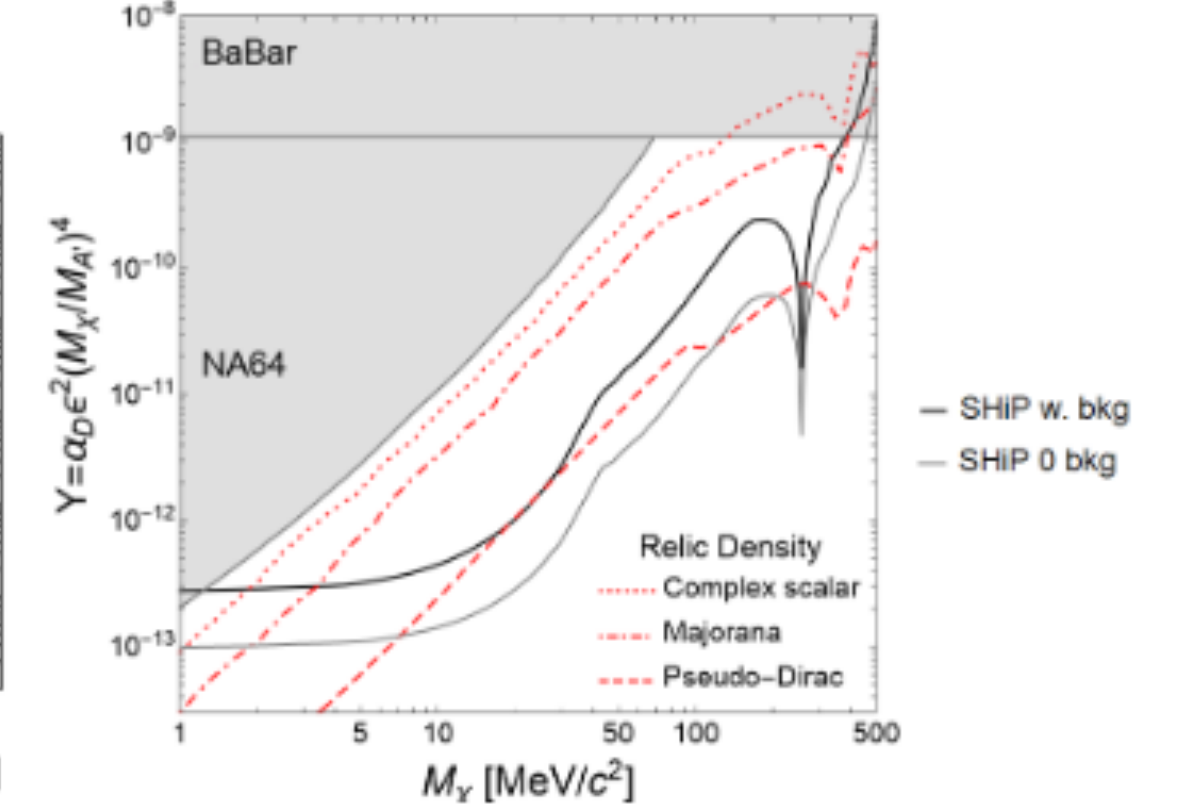
ALPs coupled to fermions



... and to photons

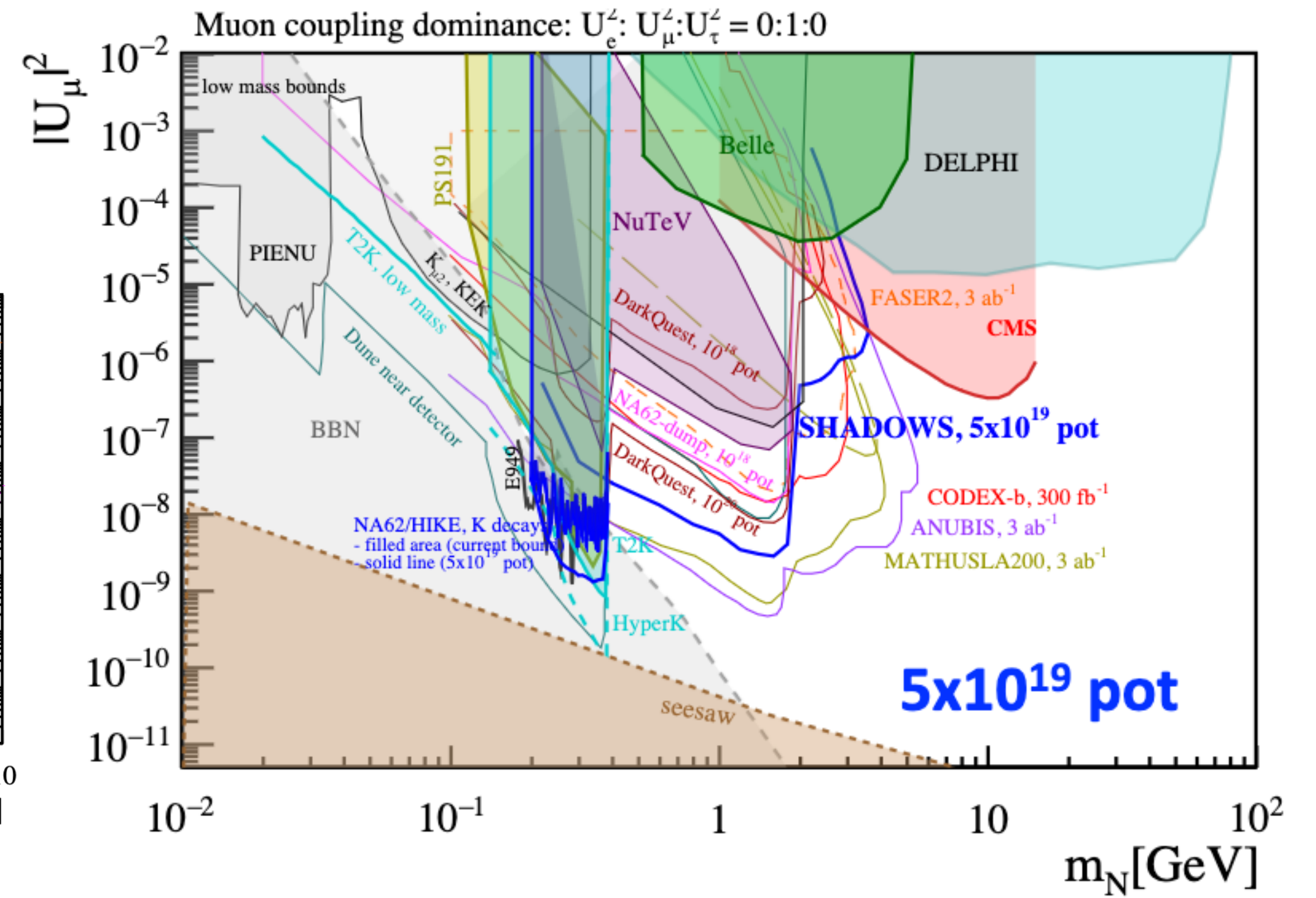
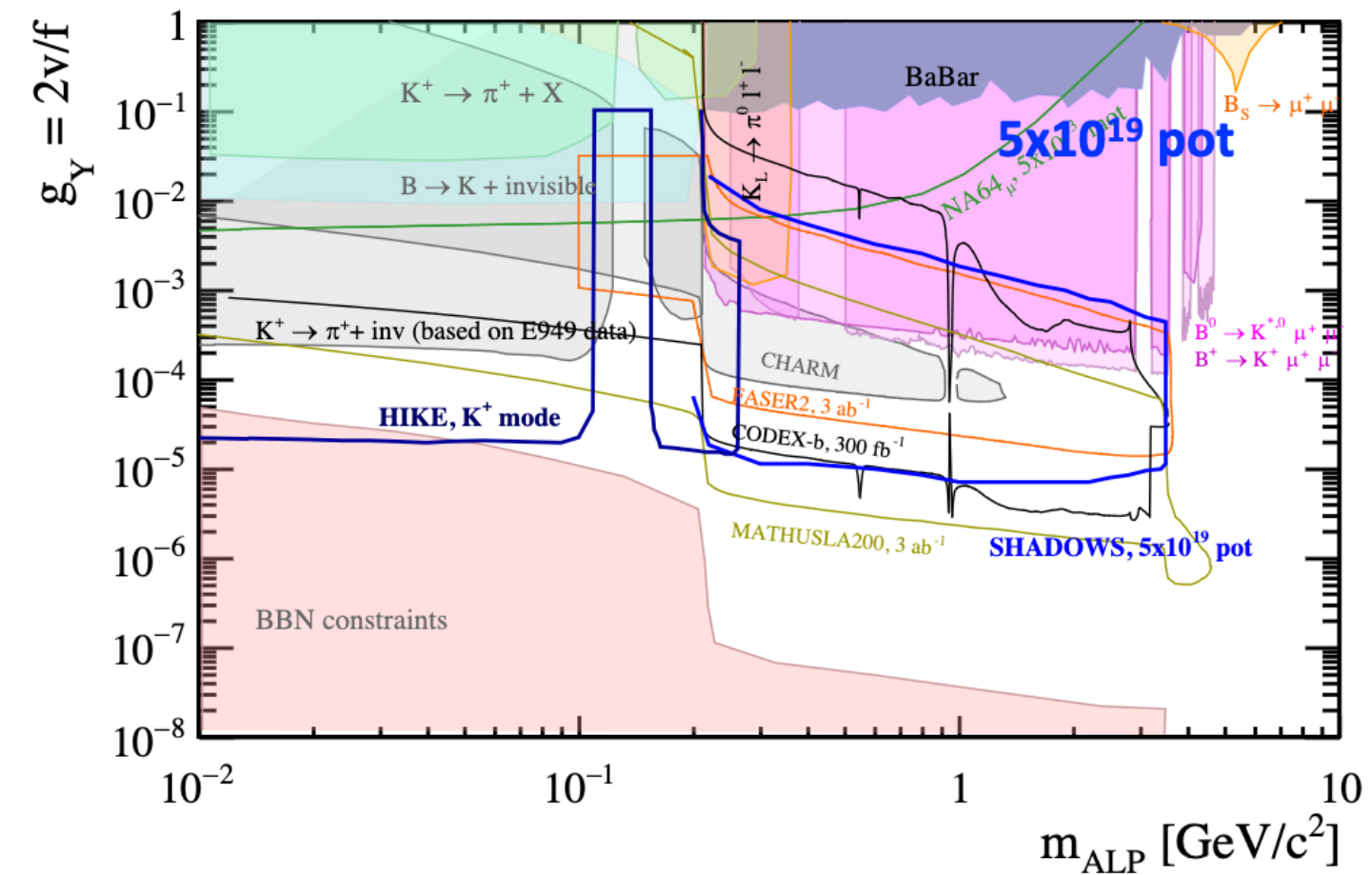


light dark matter [jhep04](#)

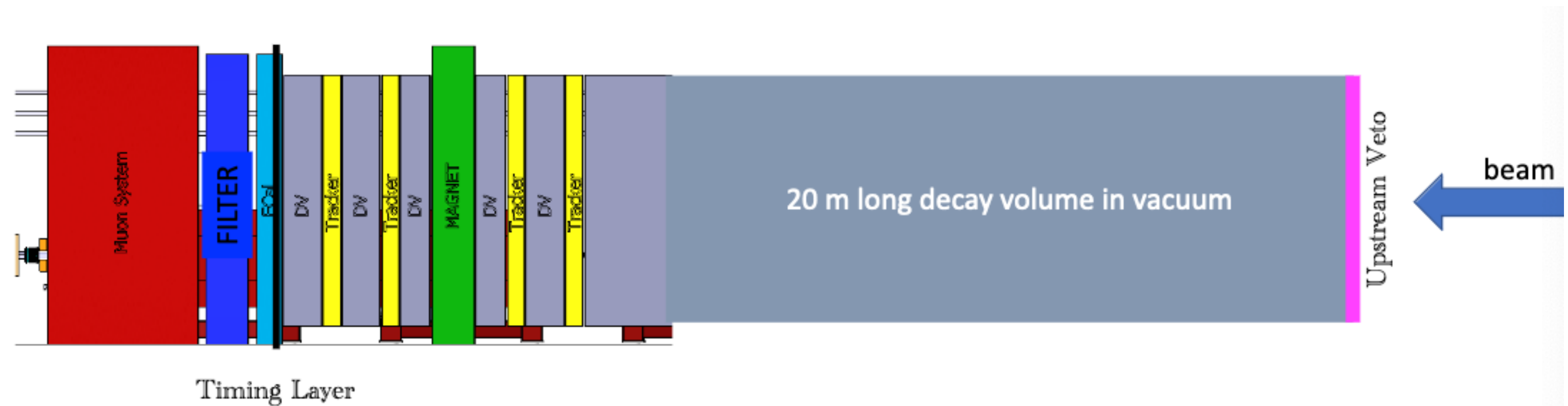
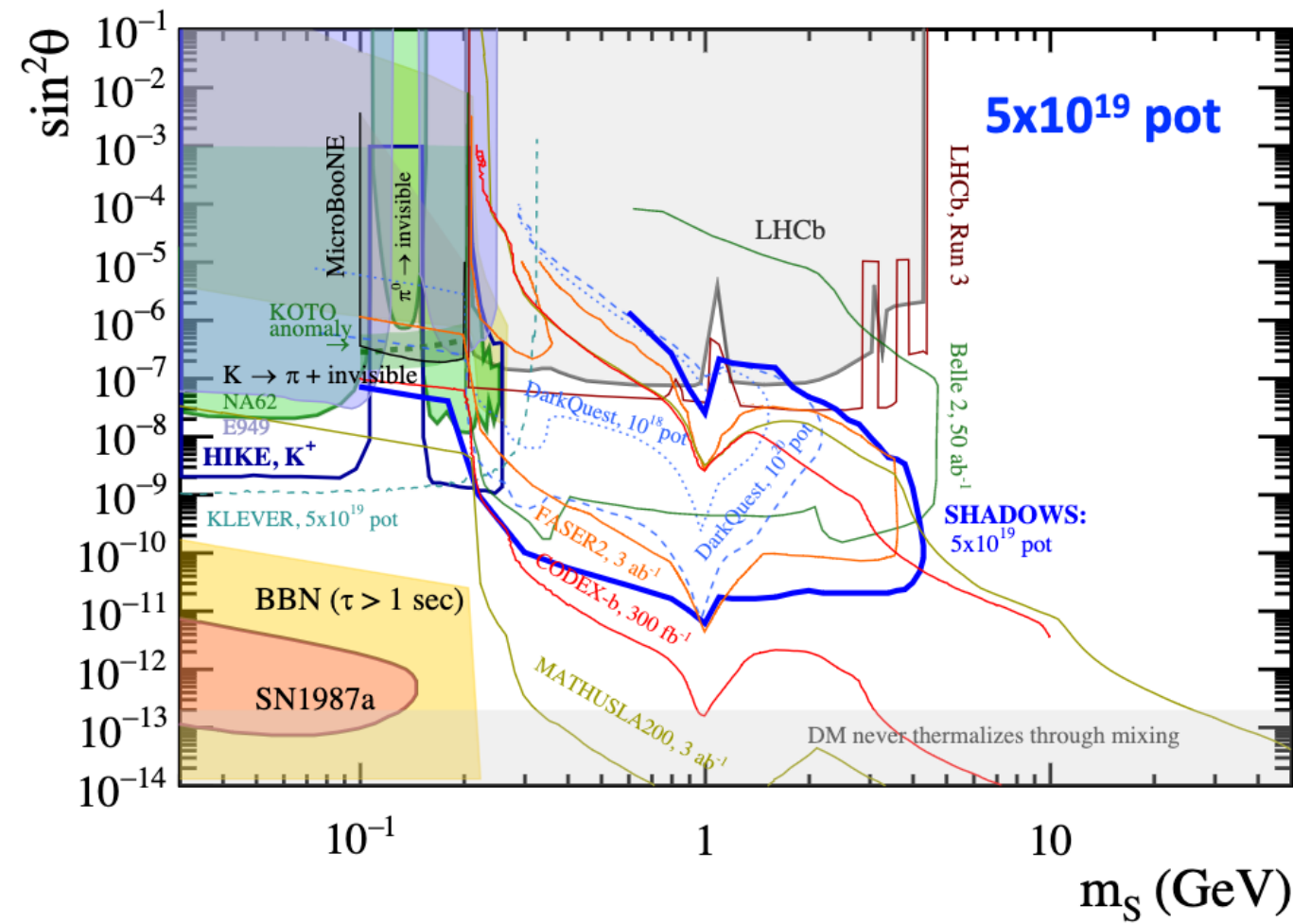


SHADOWS

ALPs with fermion couplings (BC10)

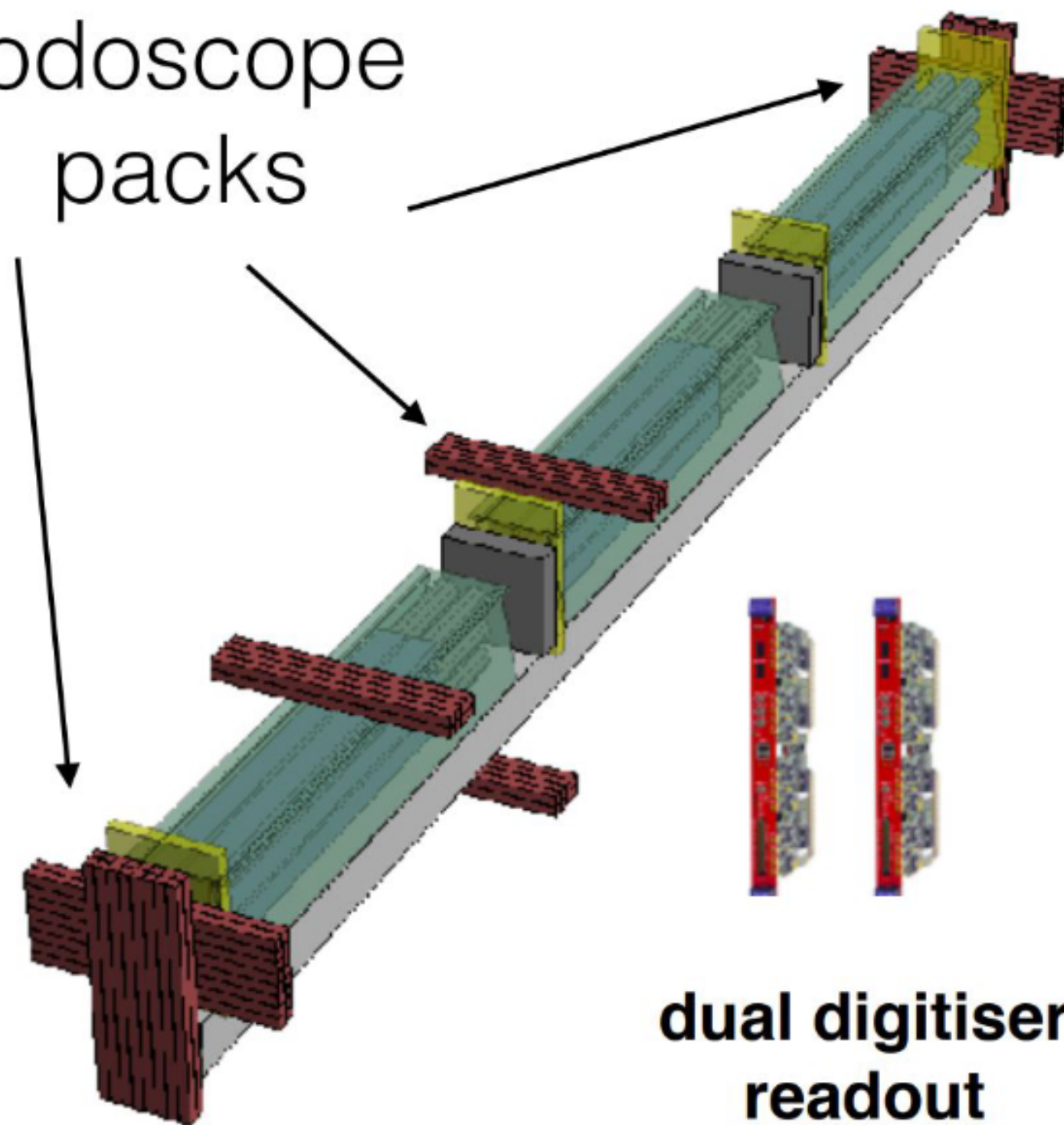


Light Dark Scalar mixing with the Higgs (BC4)



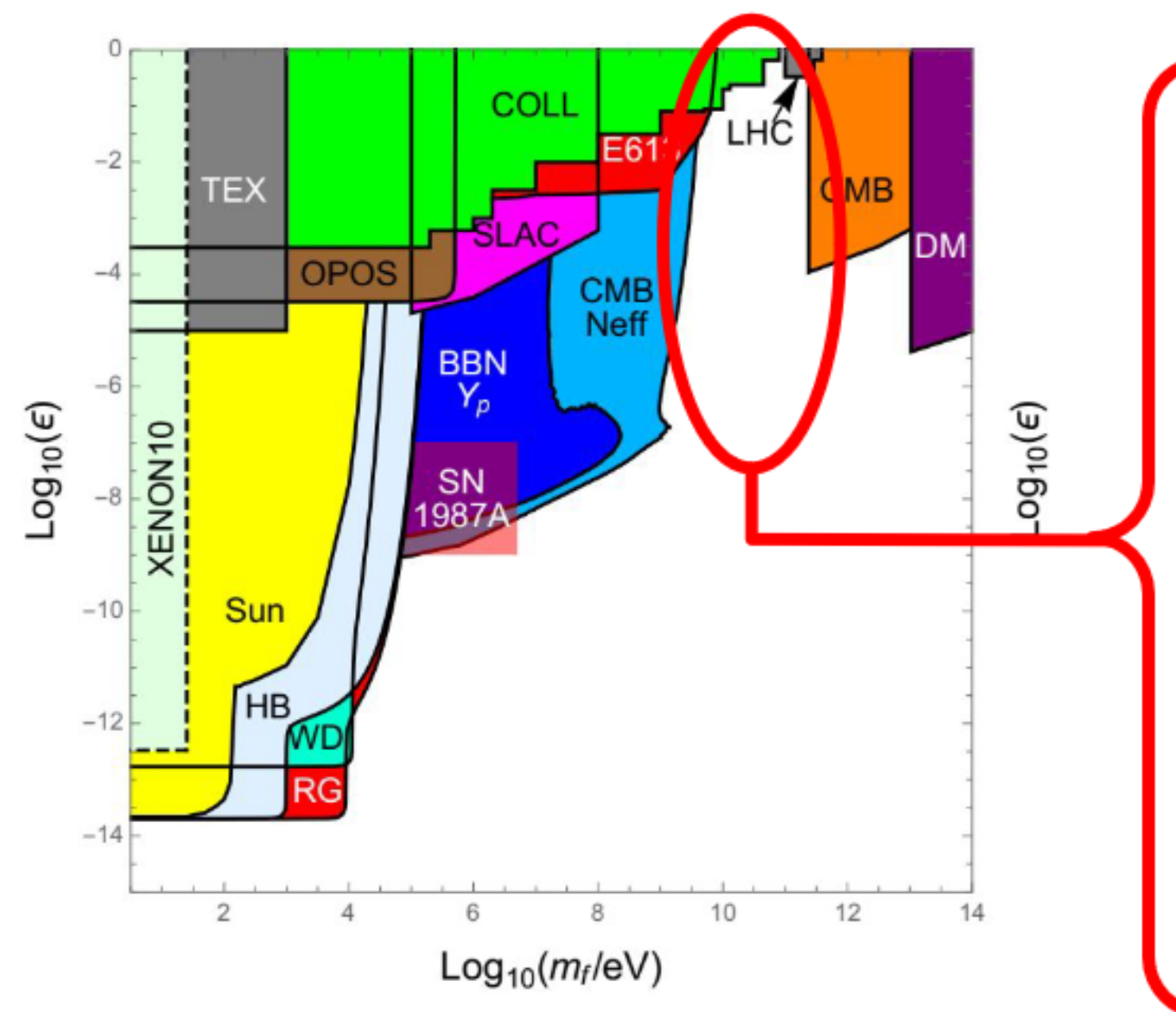


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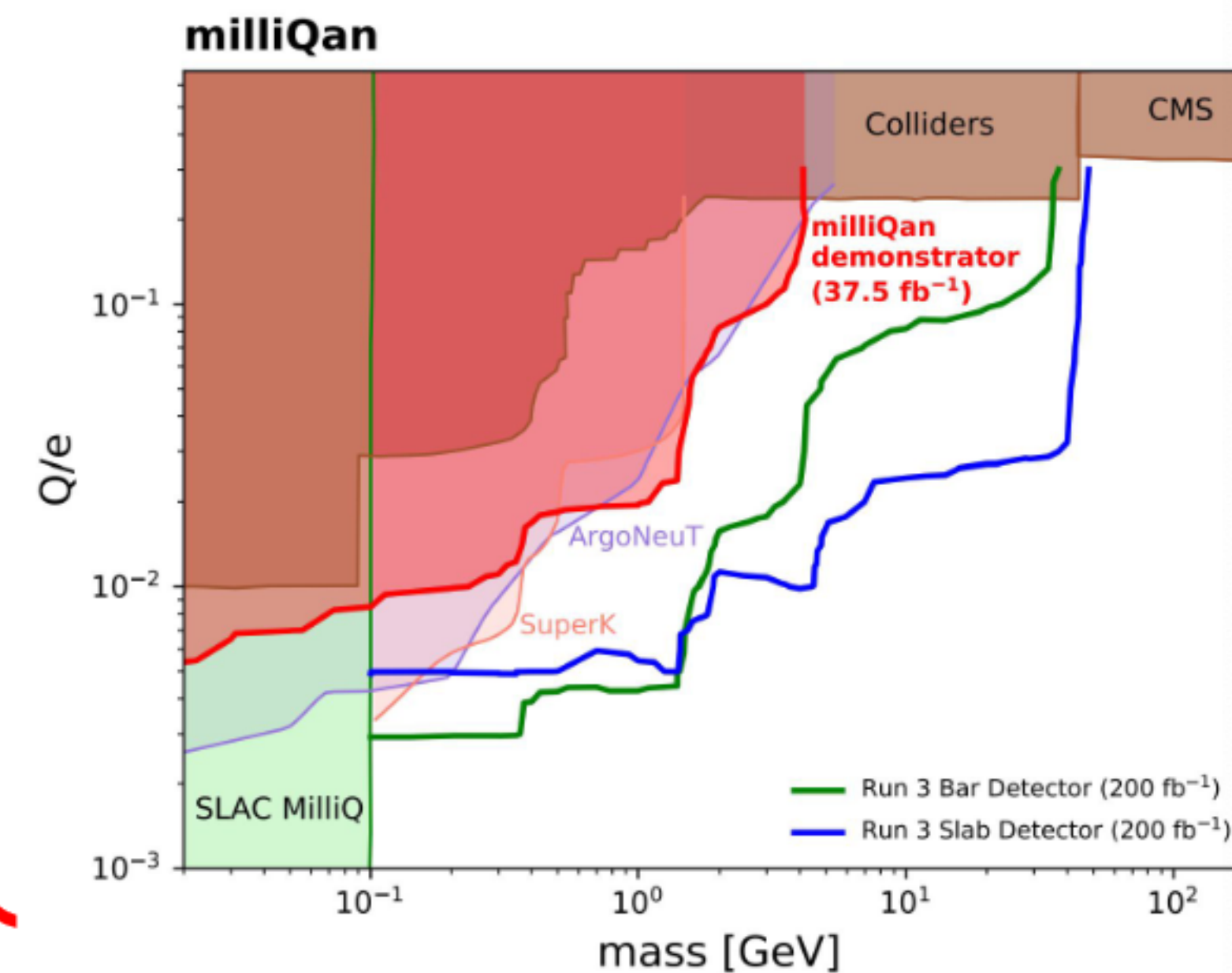


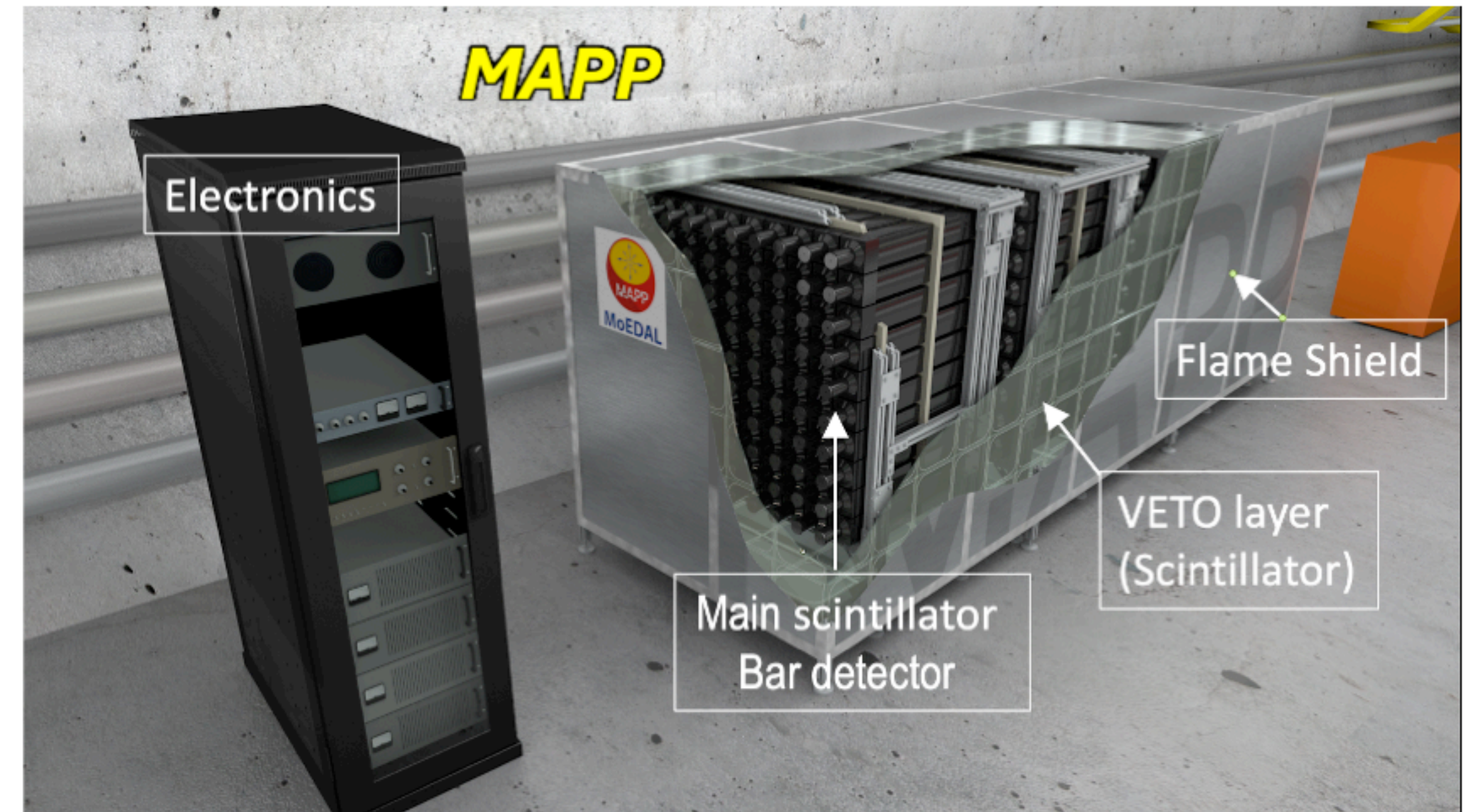
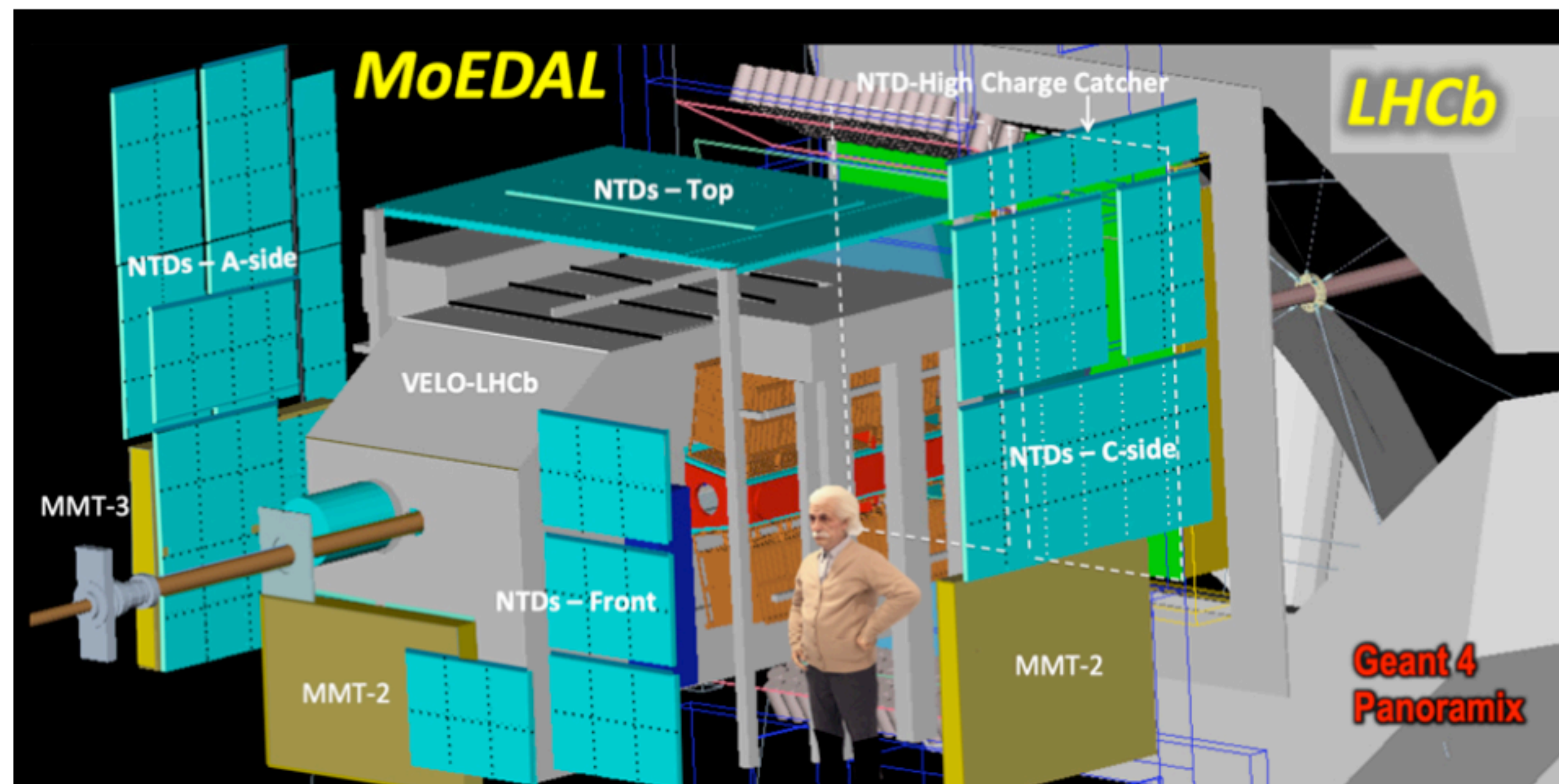
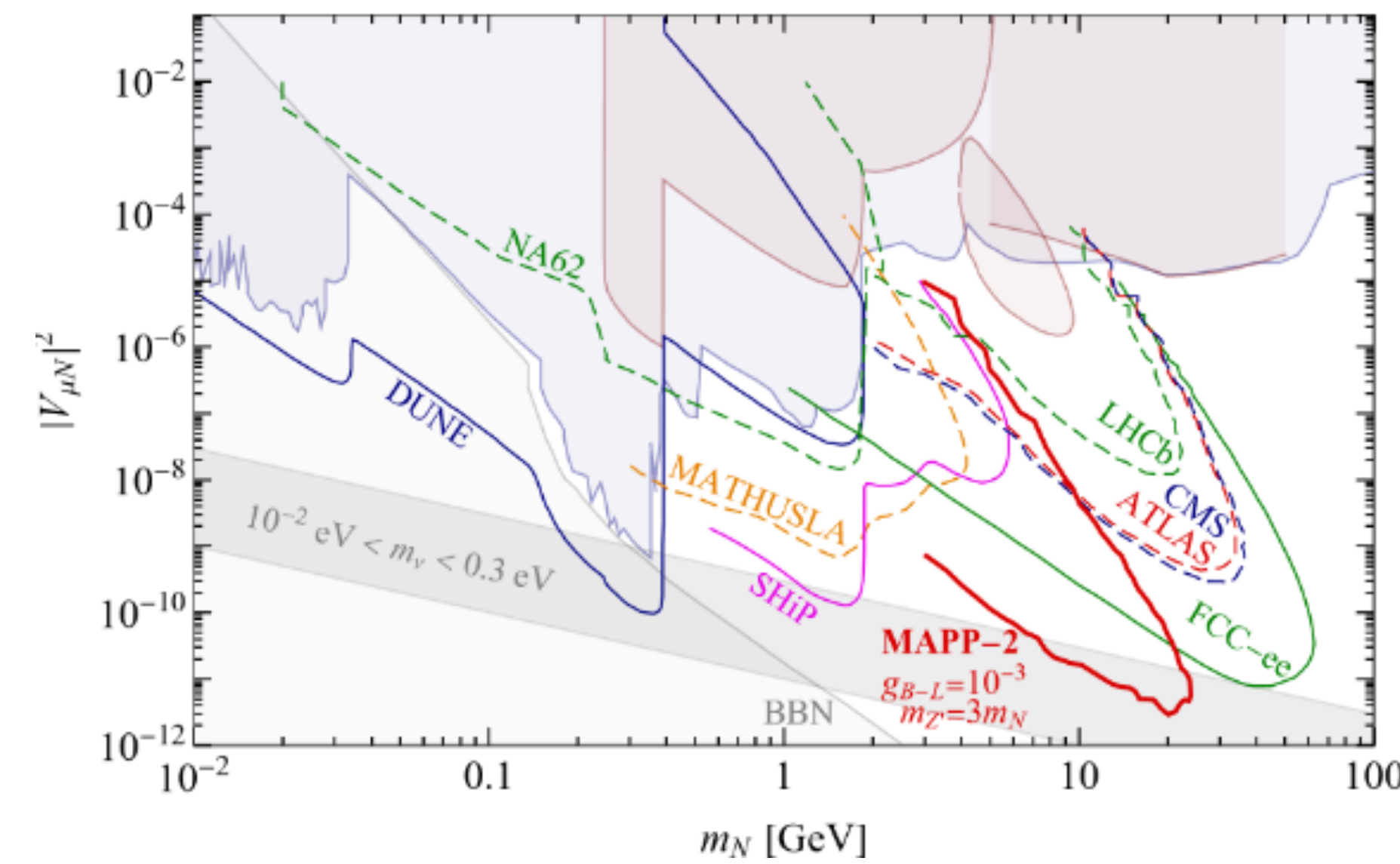
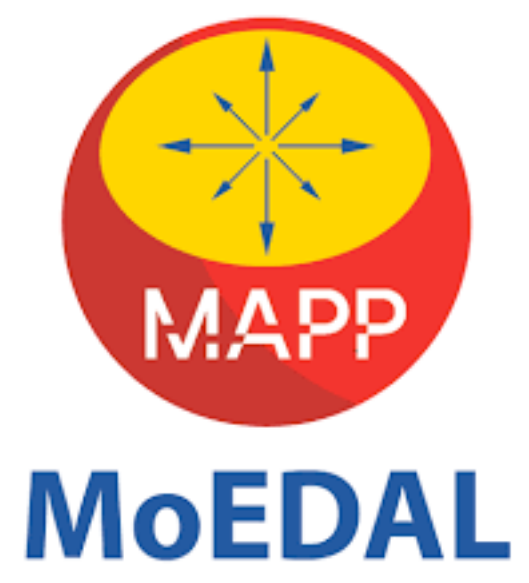
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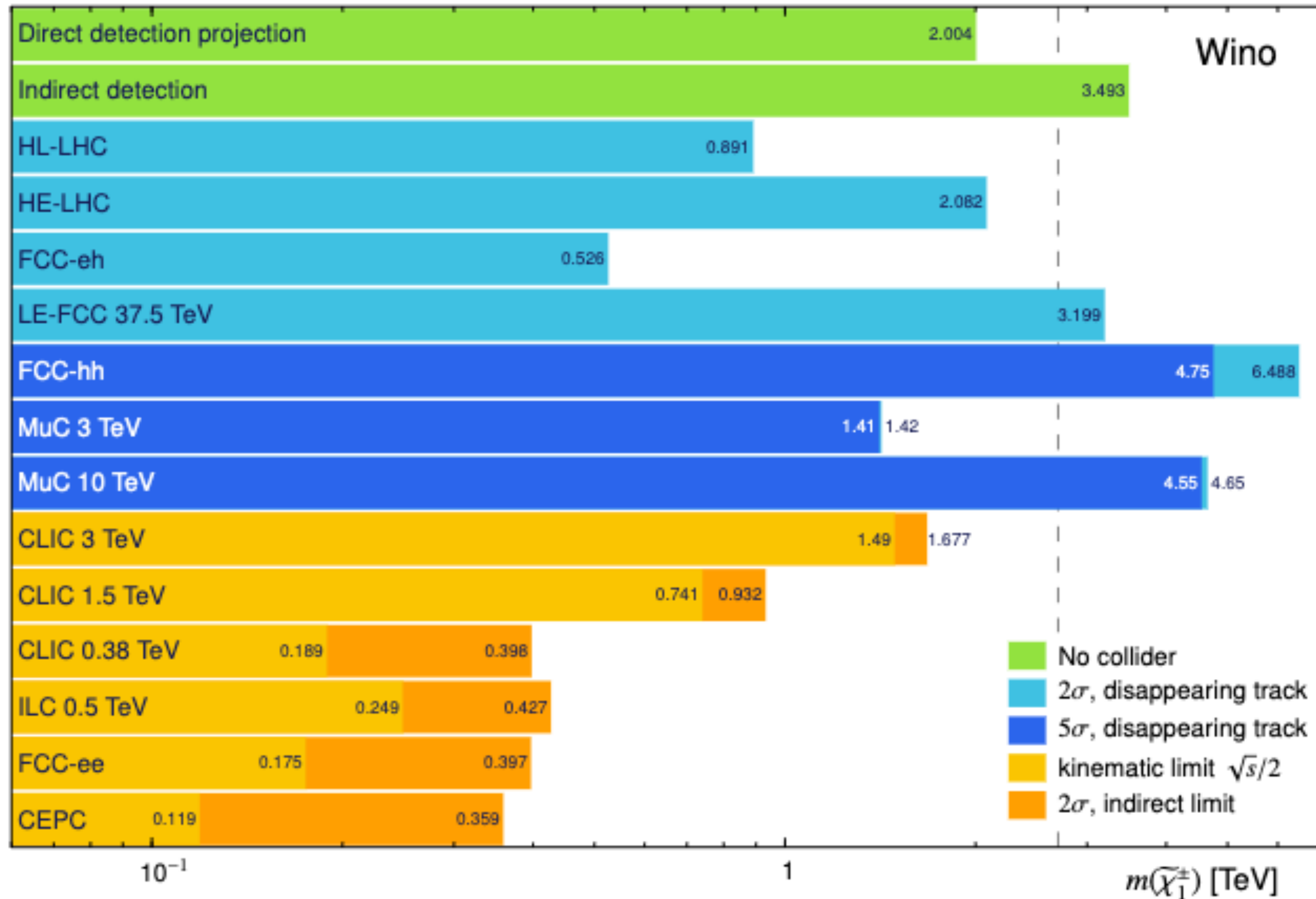
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16 chan, 1.6 GS/s,
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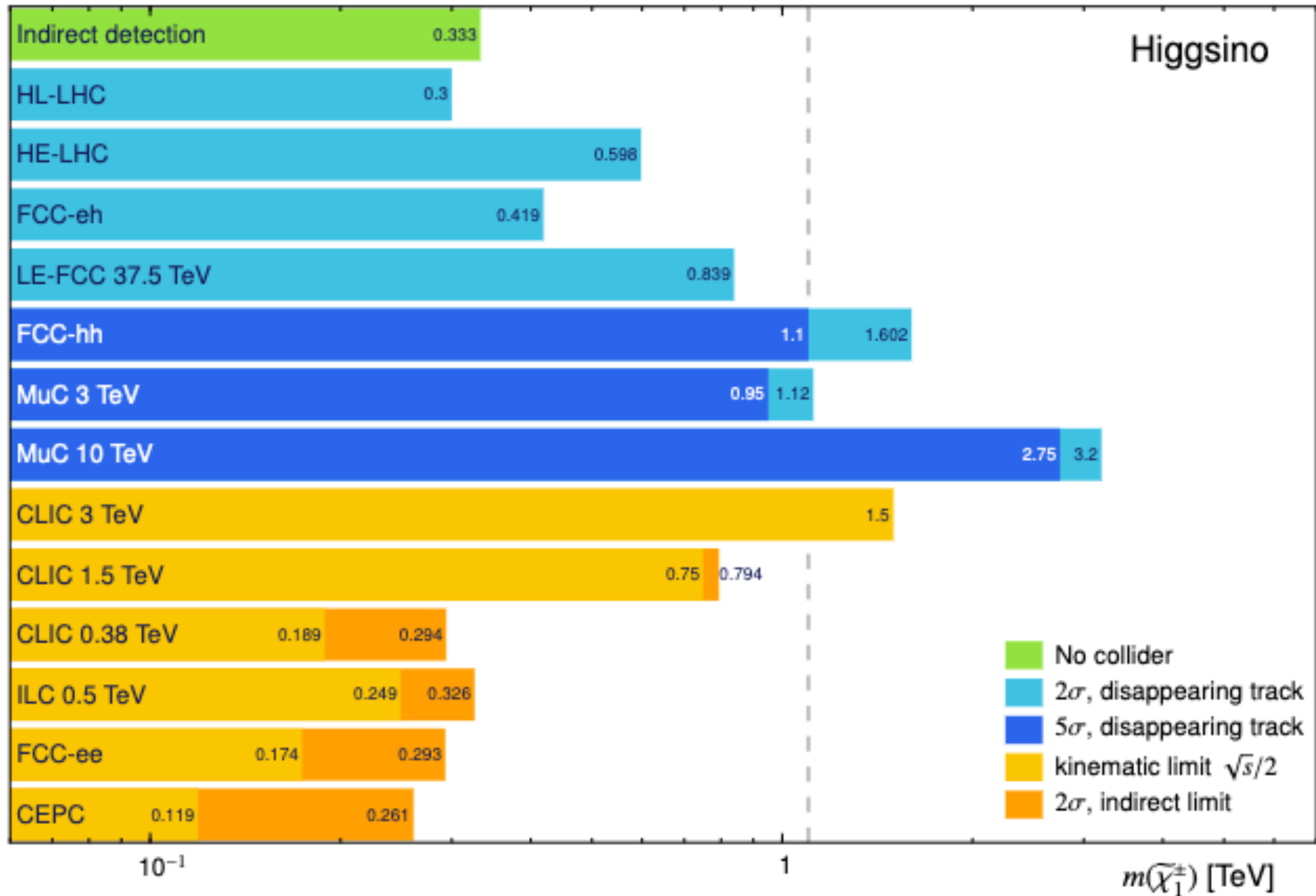


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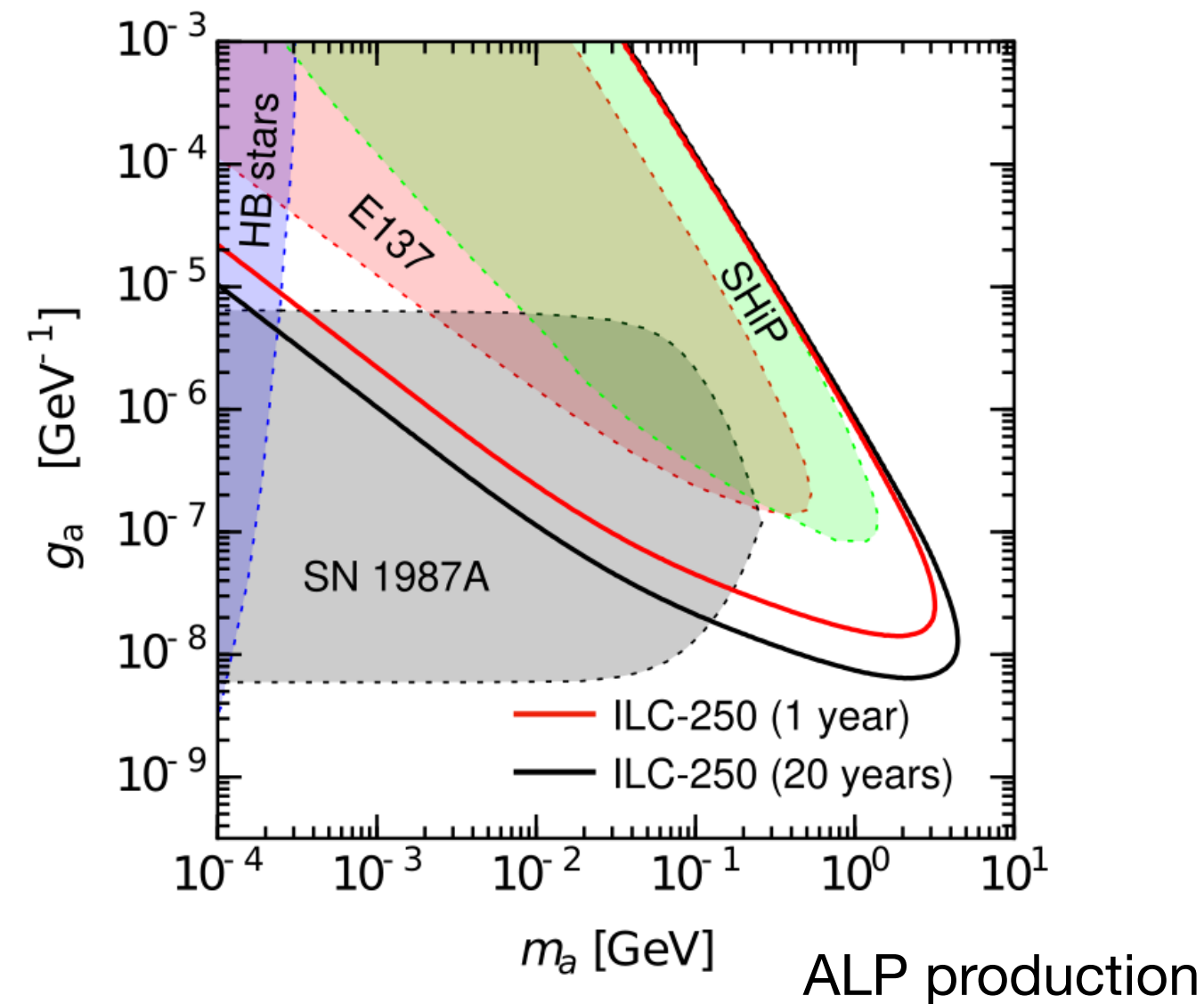
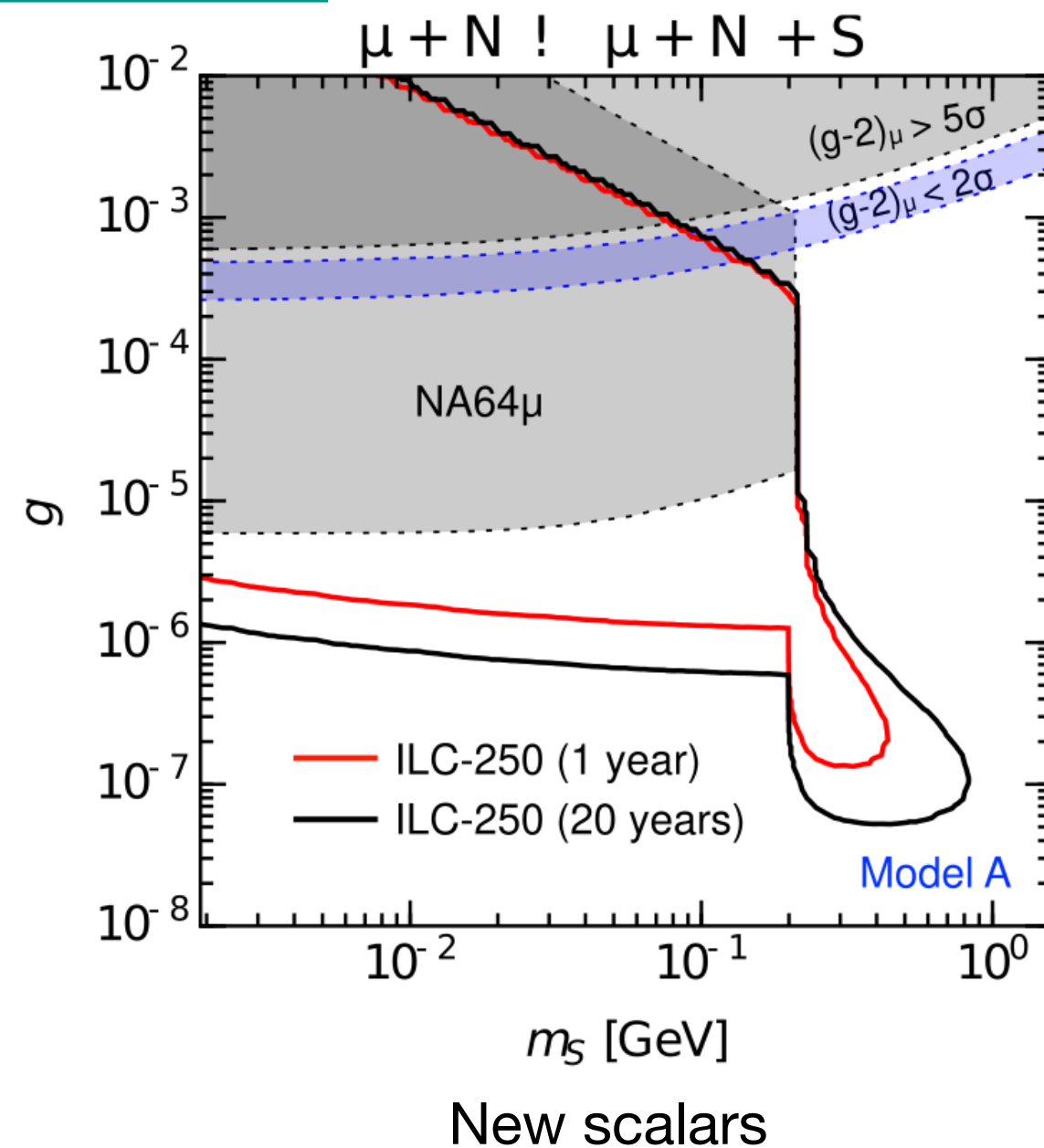


Beam dump experiments at linear colliders

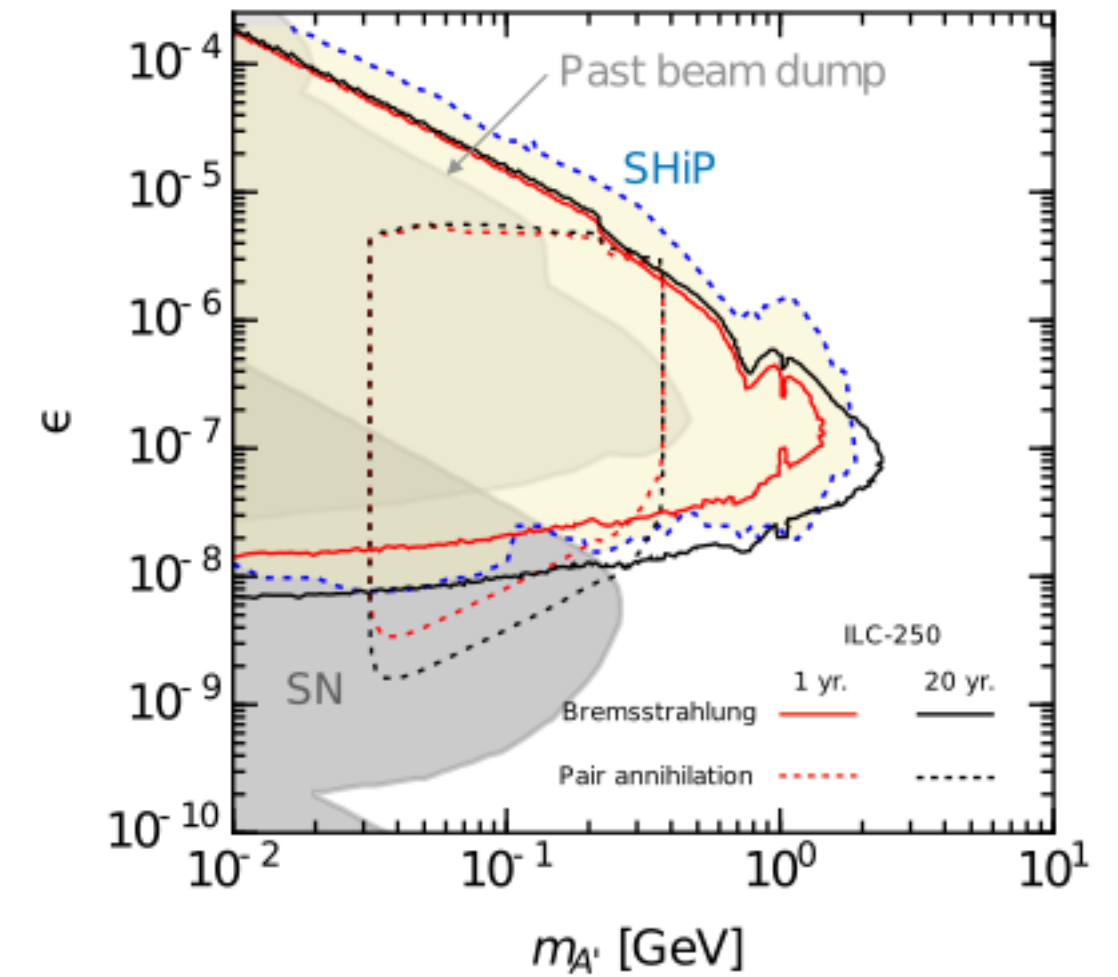
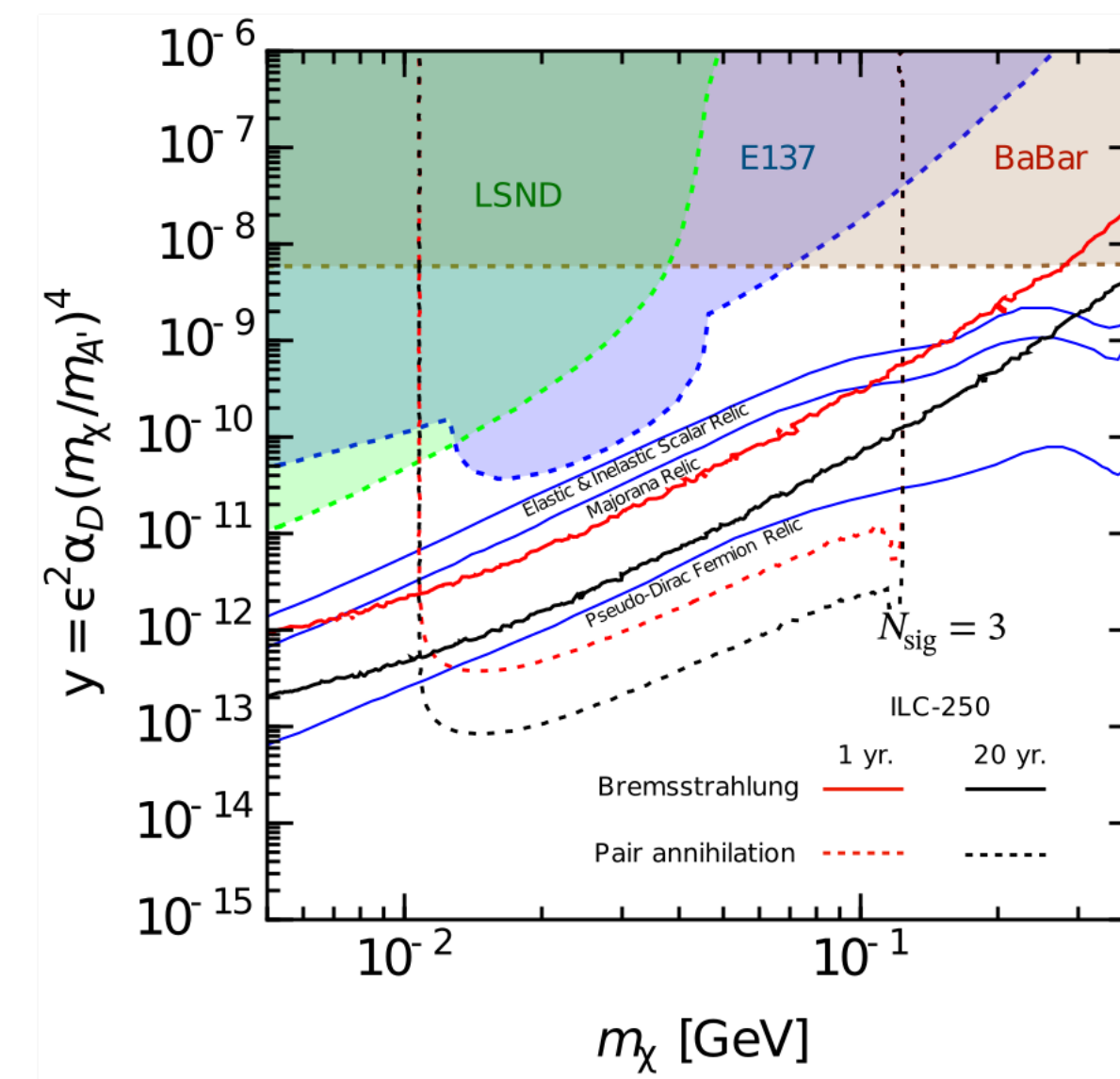
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- At linear colliders extreme intensities expected at electron and positron beam dumps open unique options for fixed-target experiments focused on rare processes.
- ALPs, new scalars or dark photons

arxiv:2009.13790

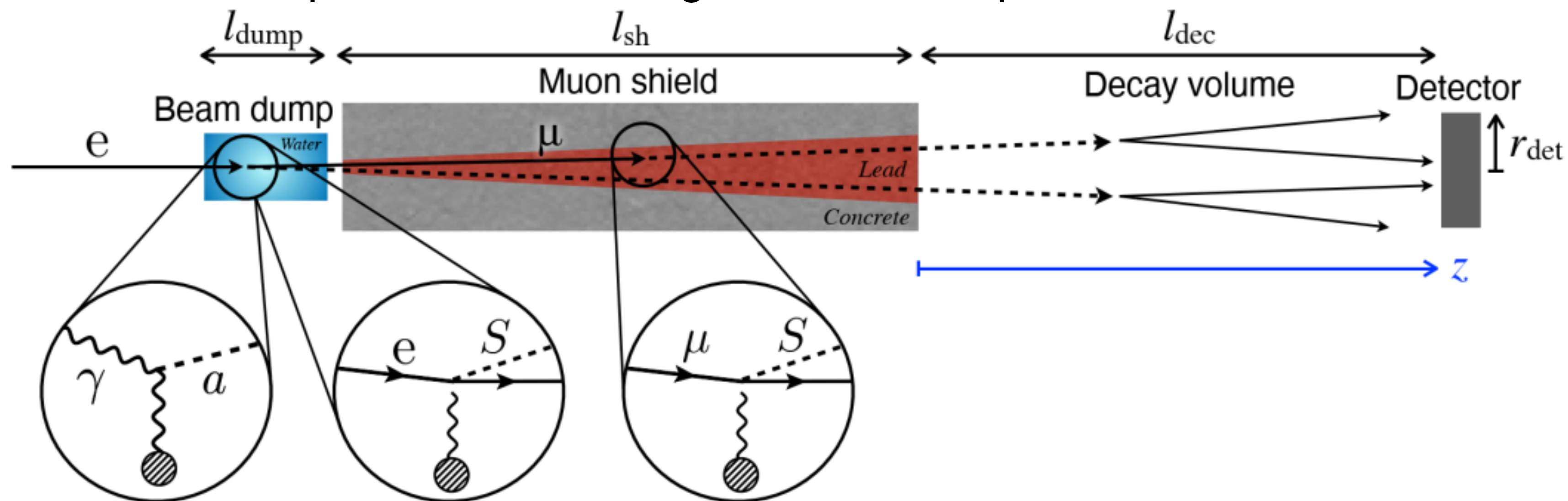


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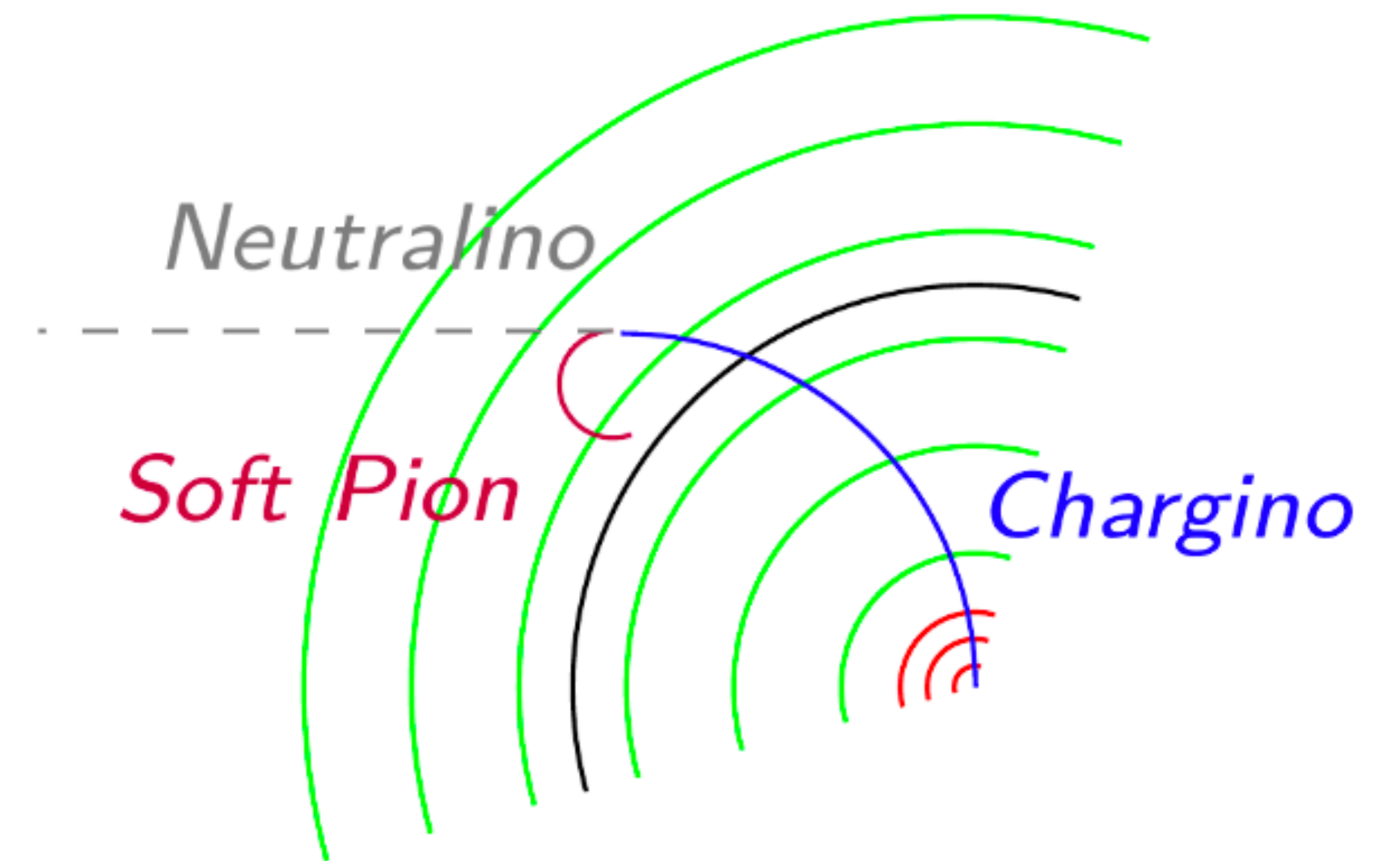
- General scheme of an experiment searching for axion-like particles, new scalars or dark photons



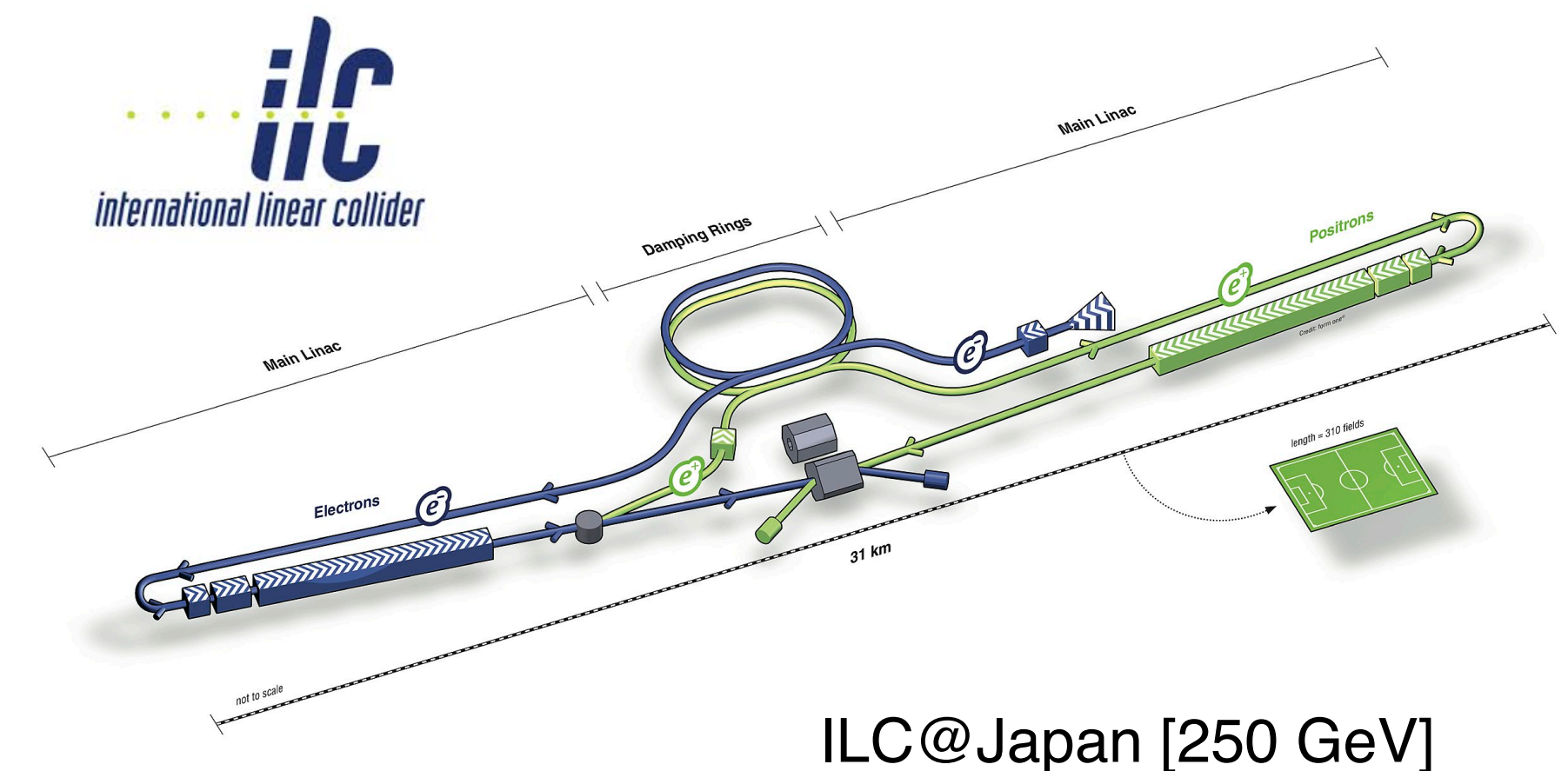
- One can look for visible products of LLPs decays (like $a \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$, $S \rightarrow \ell\ell$) or for secondary interactions of invisible decay products in dedicated far detector (like in direct DM detection experiments; approach used in SLAC Beam Dump Experiment E137: [arXiv:1406.2698](https://arxiv.org/abs/1406.2698))

Linear e^+e^- Colliders

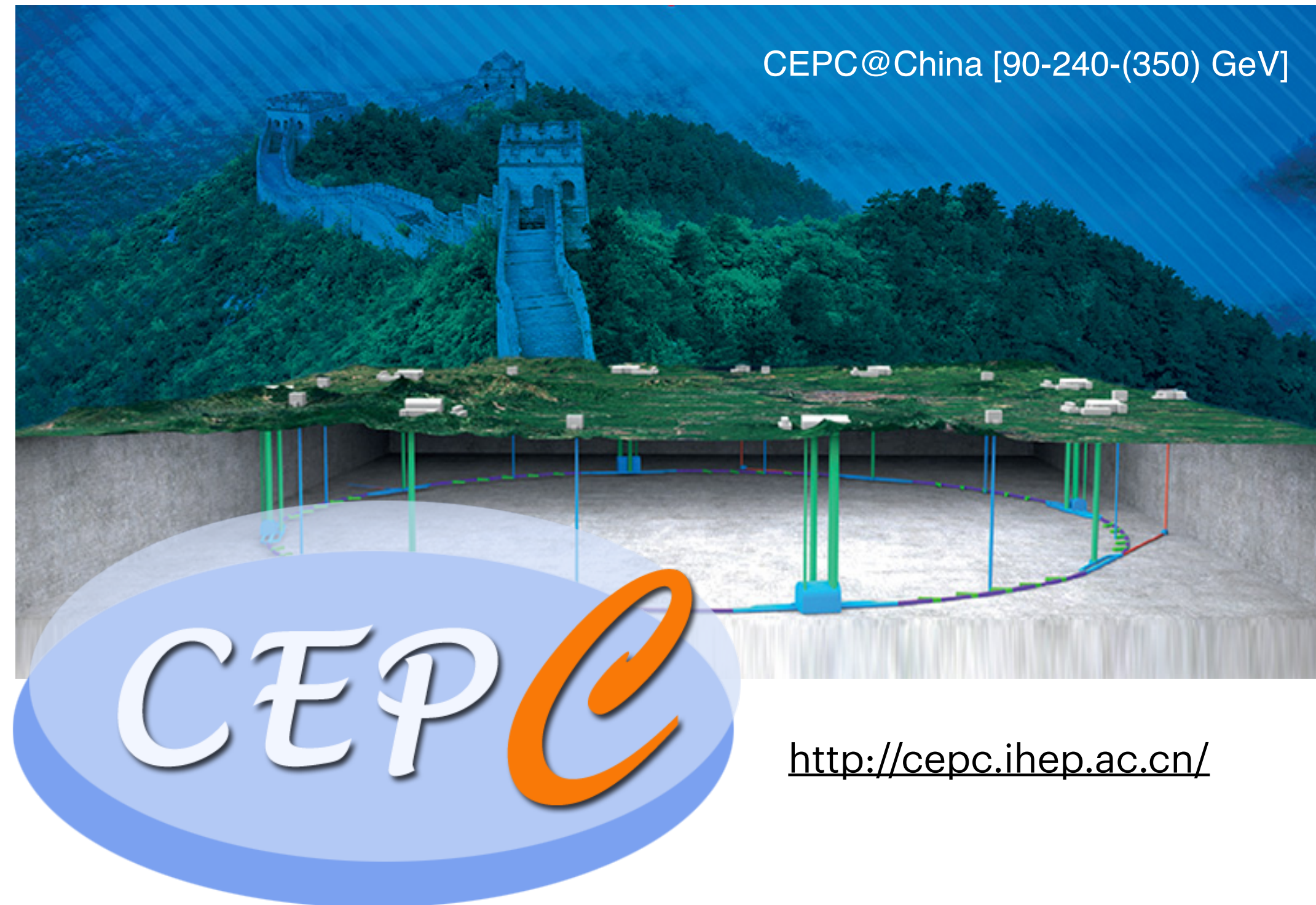
- **CLIC:** (<https://agenda.linearcollider.org/event/8217/contributions/44770/>)
 - Hidden valley searches in Higgs boson decays with displaced vertices (<https://cds.cern.ch/record/2625054>)
 - Degenerate Higgsino Dark Matter \rightarrow chargino pair production (disappearing tracks) ([arXiv:1812.02093](https://arxiv.org/abs/1812.02093), [arXiv:1812.06018](https://arxiv.org/abs/1812.06018))



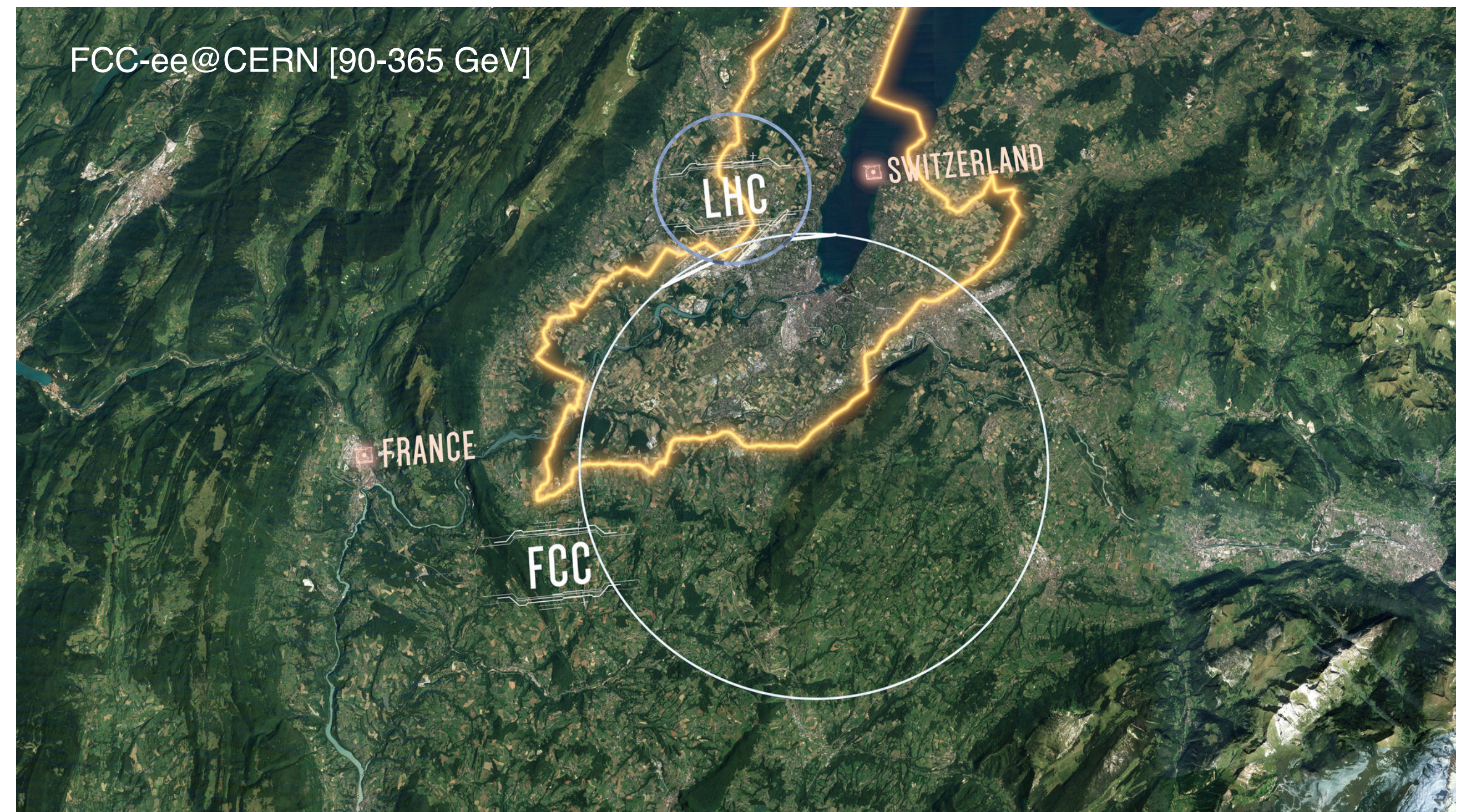
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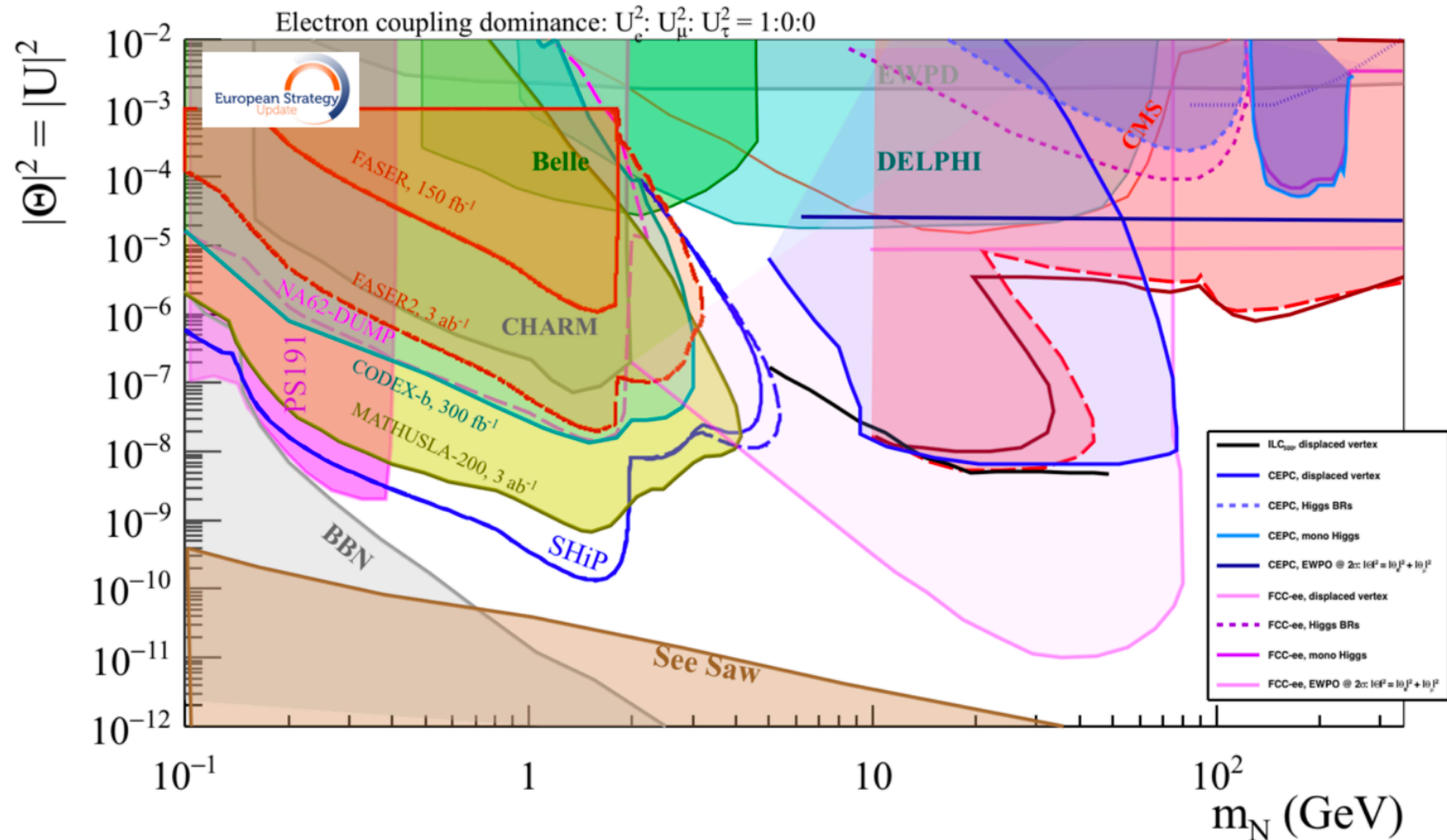


Circular e^+e^- Colliders



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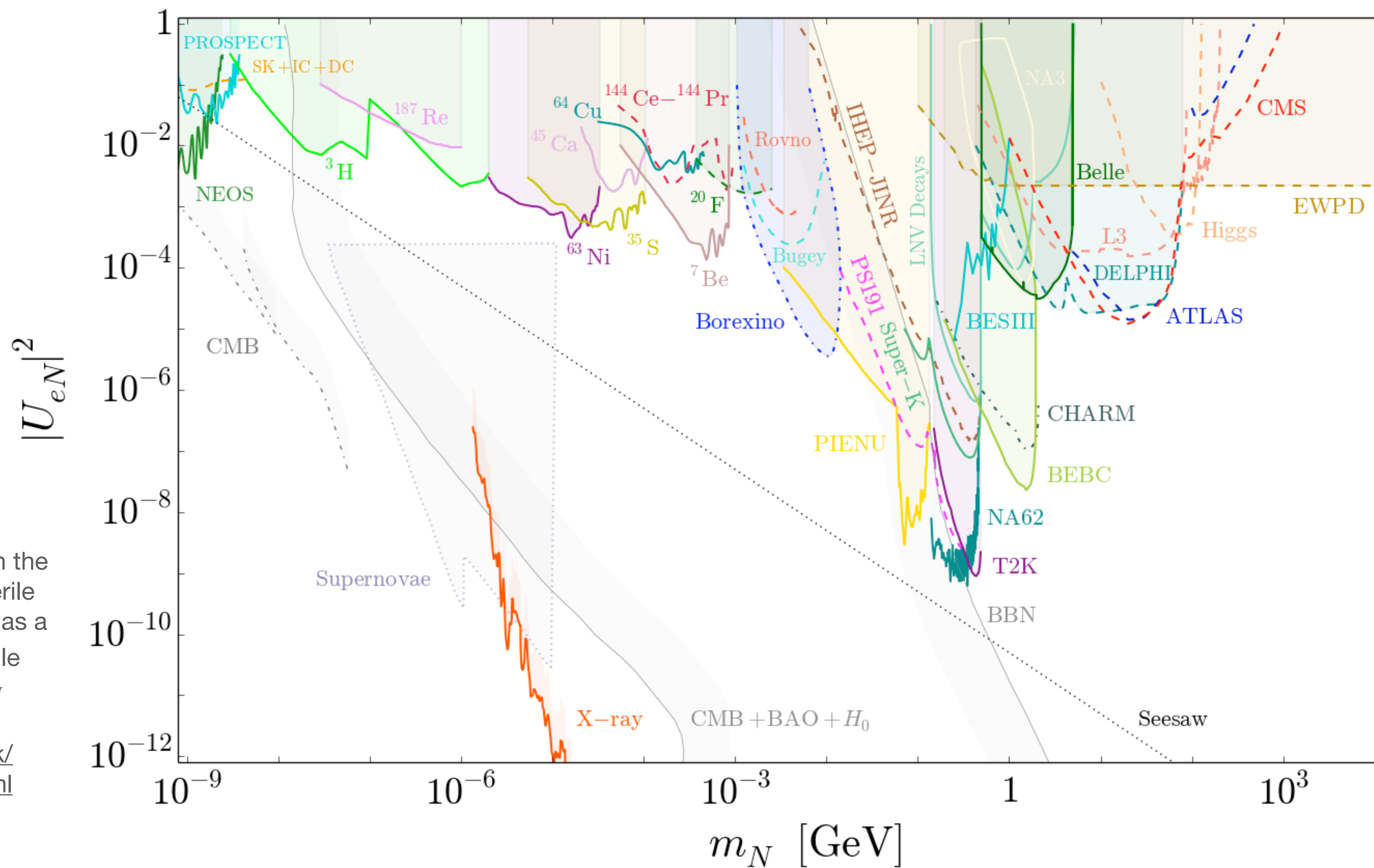




90% CL exclusion limits for a HNL mixed with the electron neutrino, from the Physics Briefing Book : Input for the European Strategy for Particle Physics Update 2020 (<https://cds.cern.ch/record/2691414/>)

Current constraints on the
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Future constraints on the
electron neutrino-sterile
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