



Precision Measurements of Diffractive Dissociation and Lepton Flavor Universality

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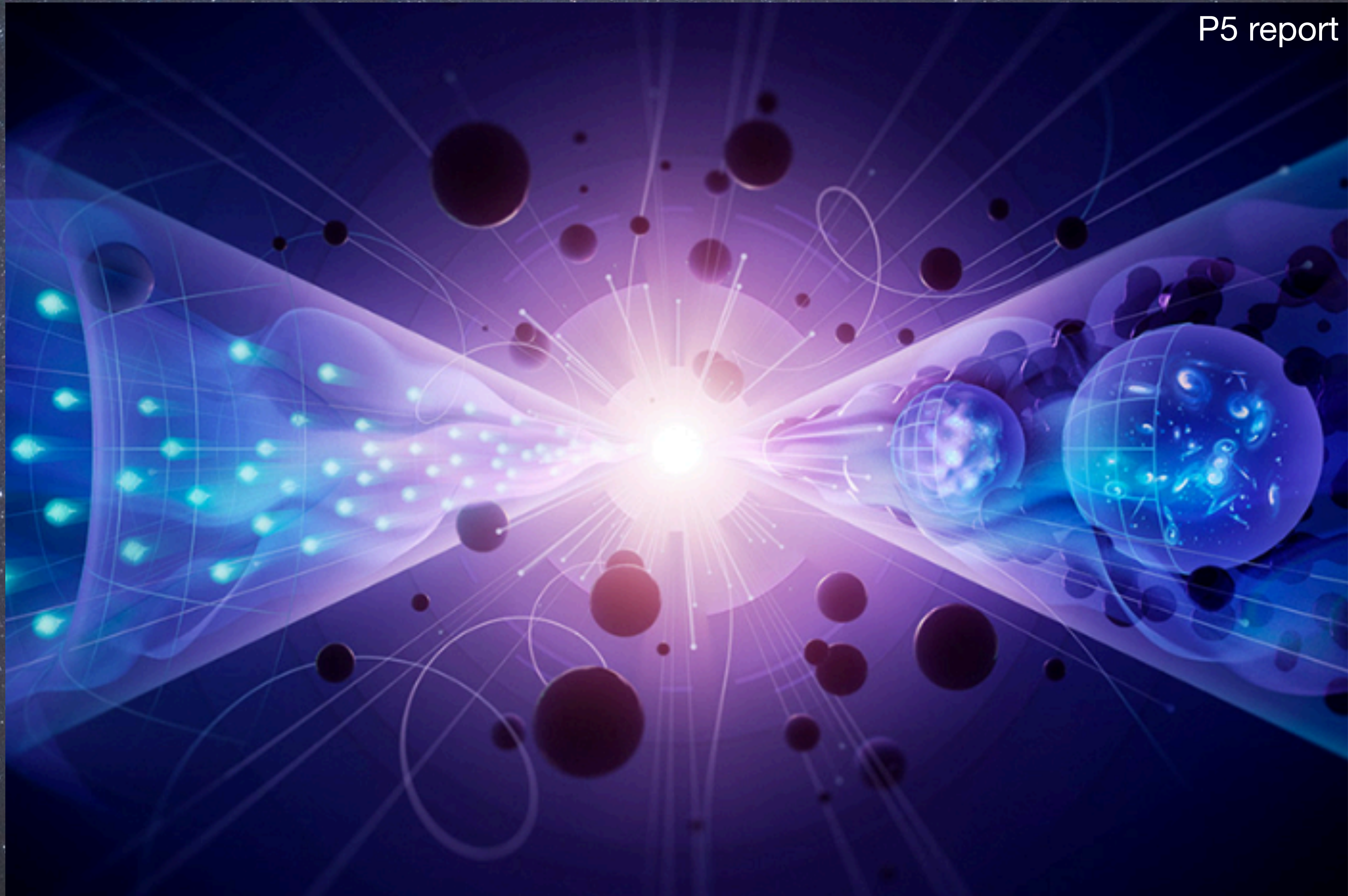
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What is the origin of matter and the universe



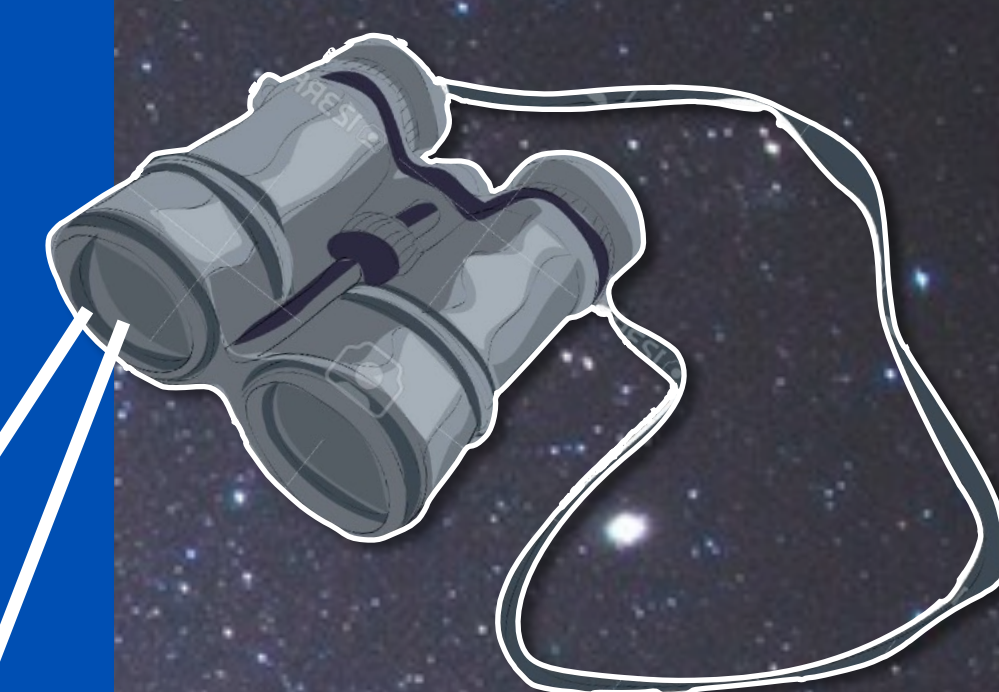
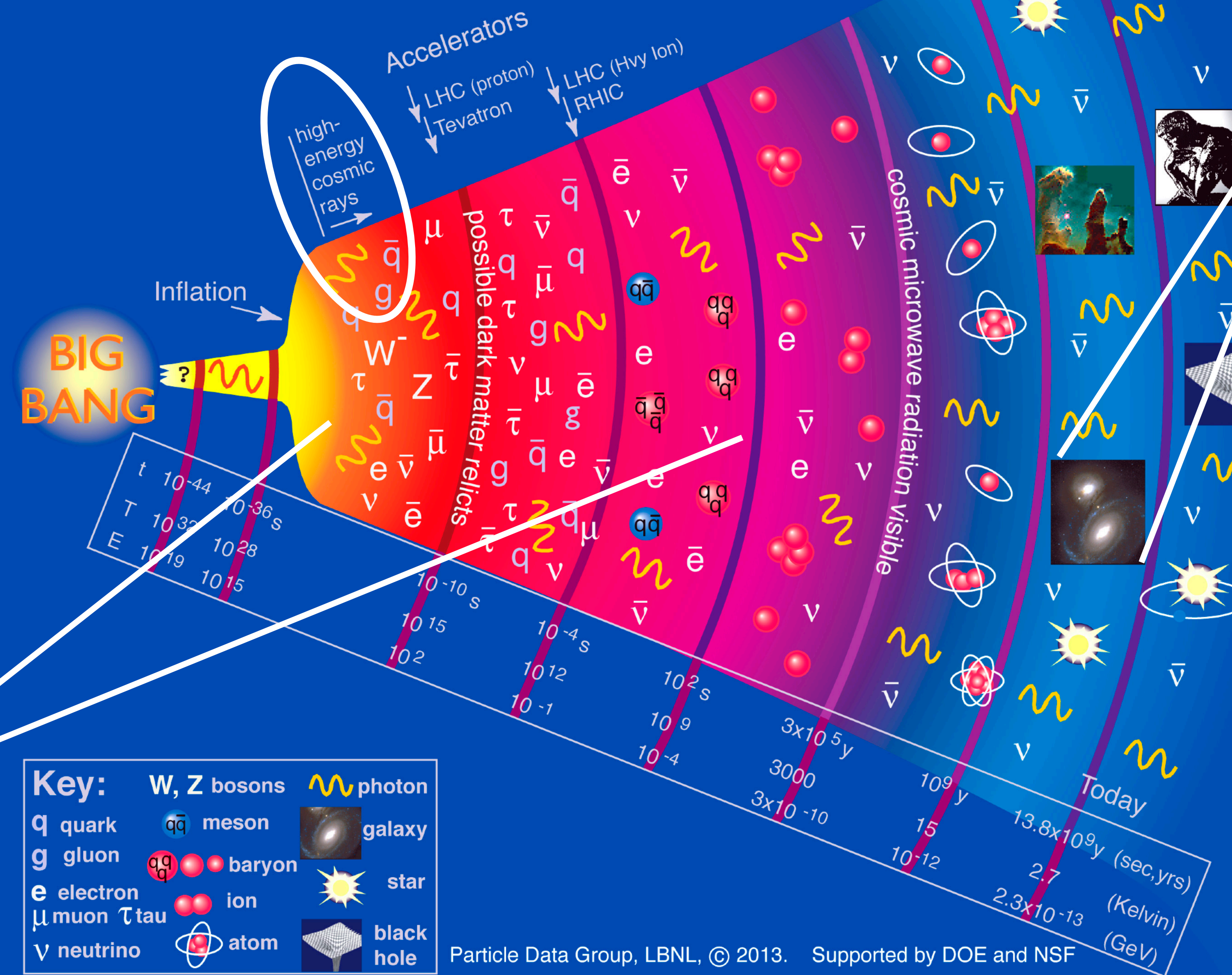
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P5 report



Back to the beginning of the universe

History of the Universe



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 - ◆ The LHCf experiment and ATLAS-LHCf common experiment
 - ◆ Measurements of forward photon production, and low-mass diffractive photon production
 - ◆ Discussion about the impact of ATLAS-LHCf joint analysis result to the determination of mass composition of UHECRs

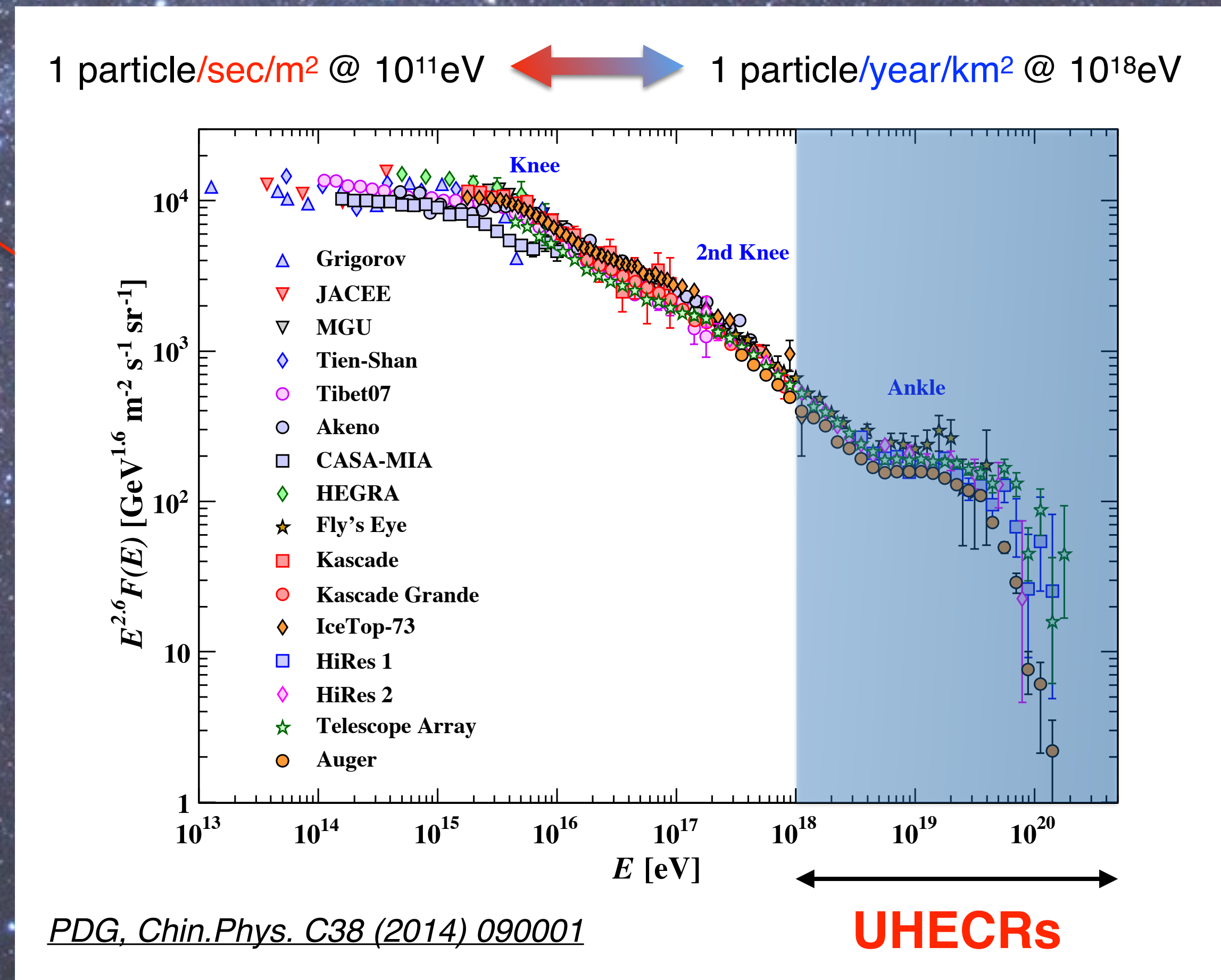
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What is the origin of UHECR

Source candidates:

- ◆ Active Galactic Nuclei (AGNs)
- ◆ Gamma Ray Burst (GRBs)
- ◆ ...

Objective : explore the origin of Ultrahigh Energy Cosmic-Ray ($E > 10^{18}$ eV)



Galactic field is too weak to contain UHECRs \rightarrow extra-galactic

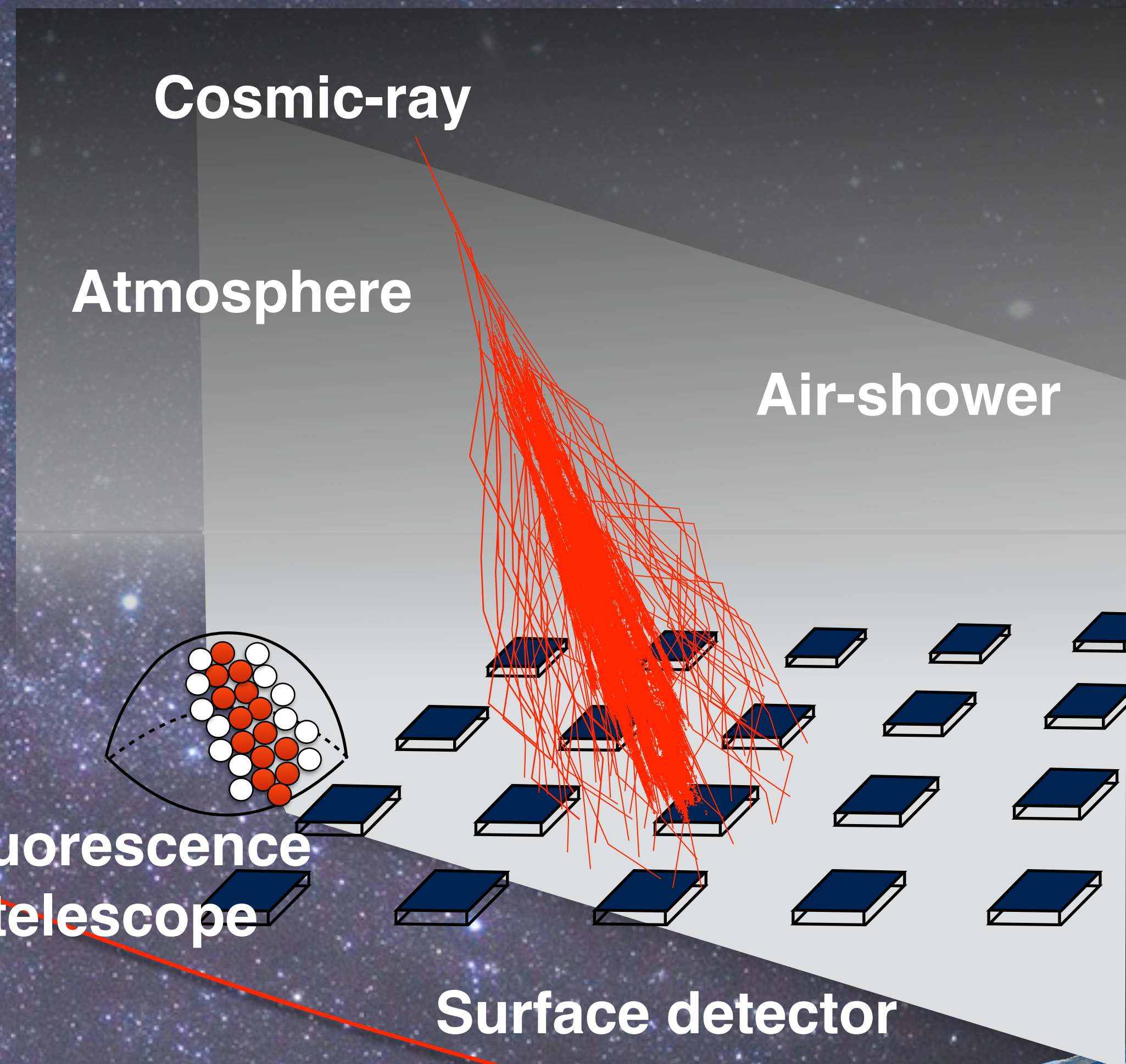
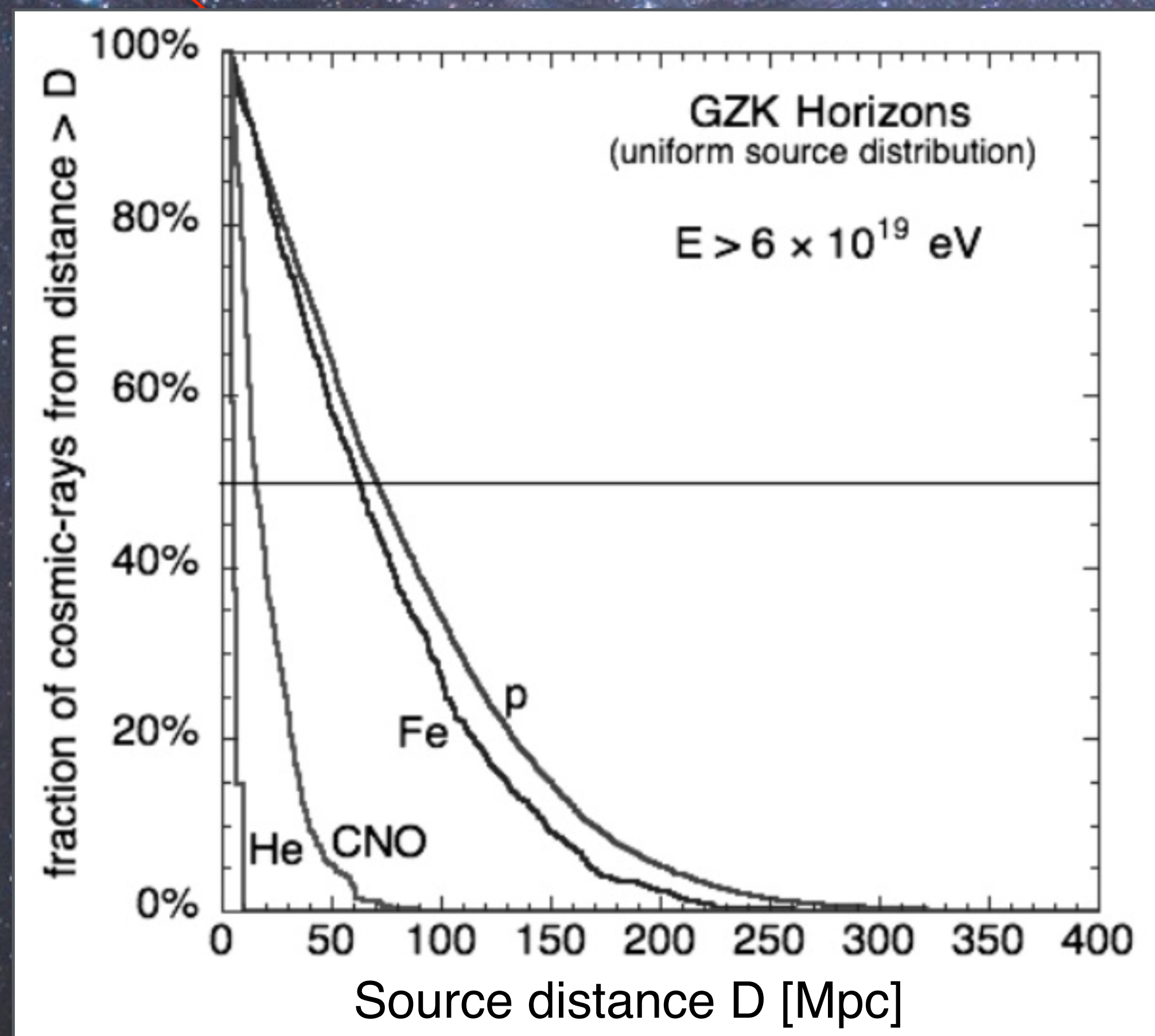
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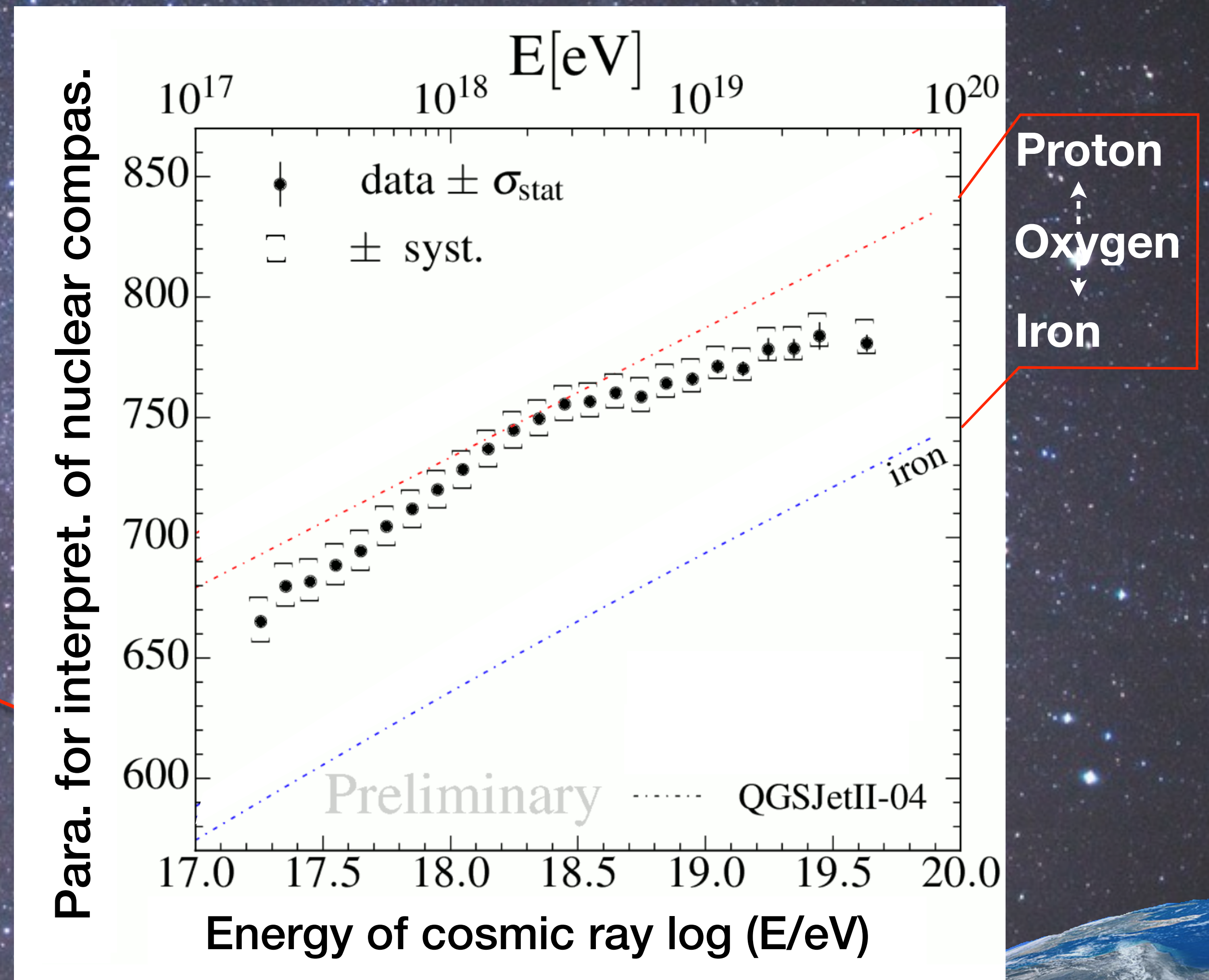
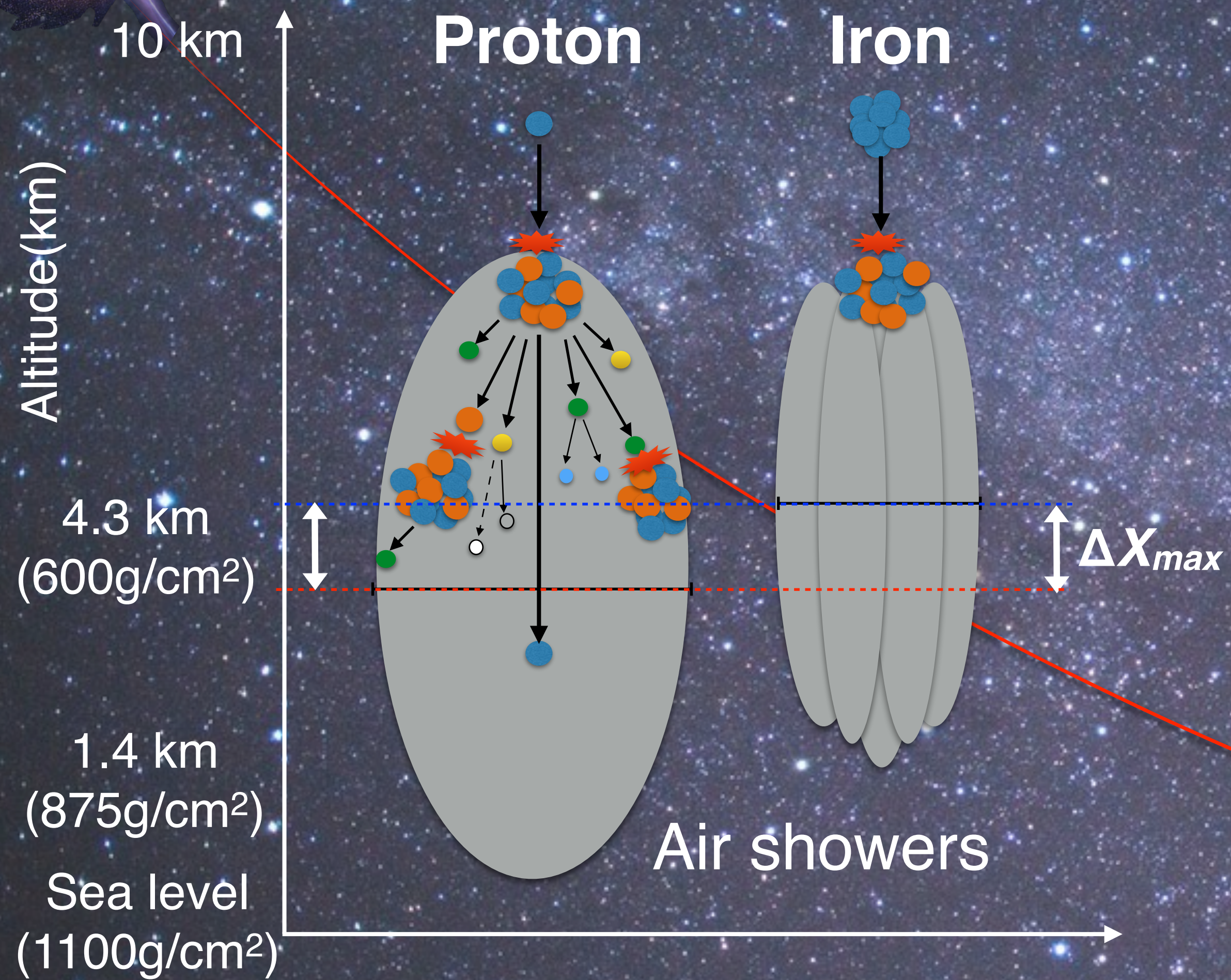
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Nuclear composition of UHECRs is one of the KEY

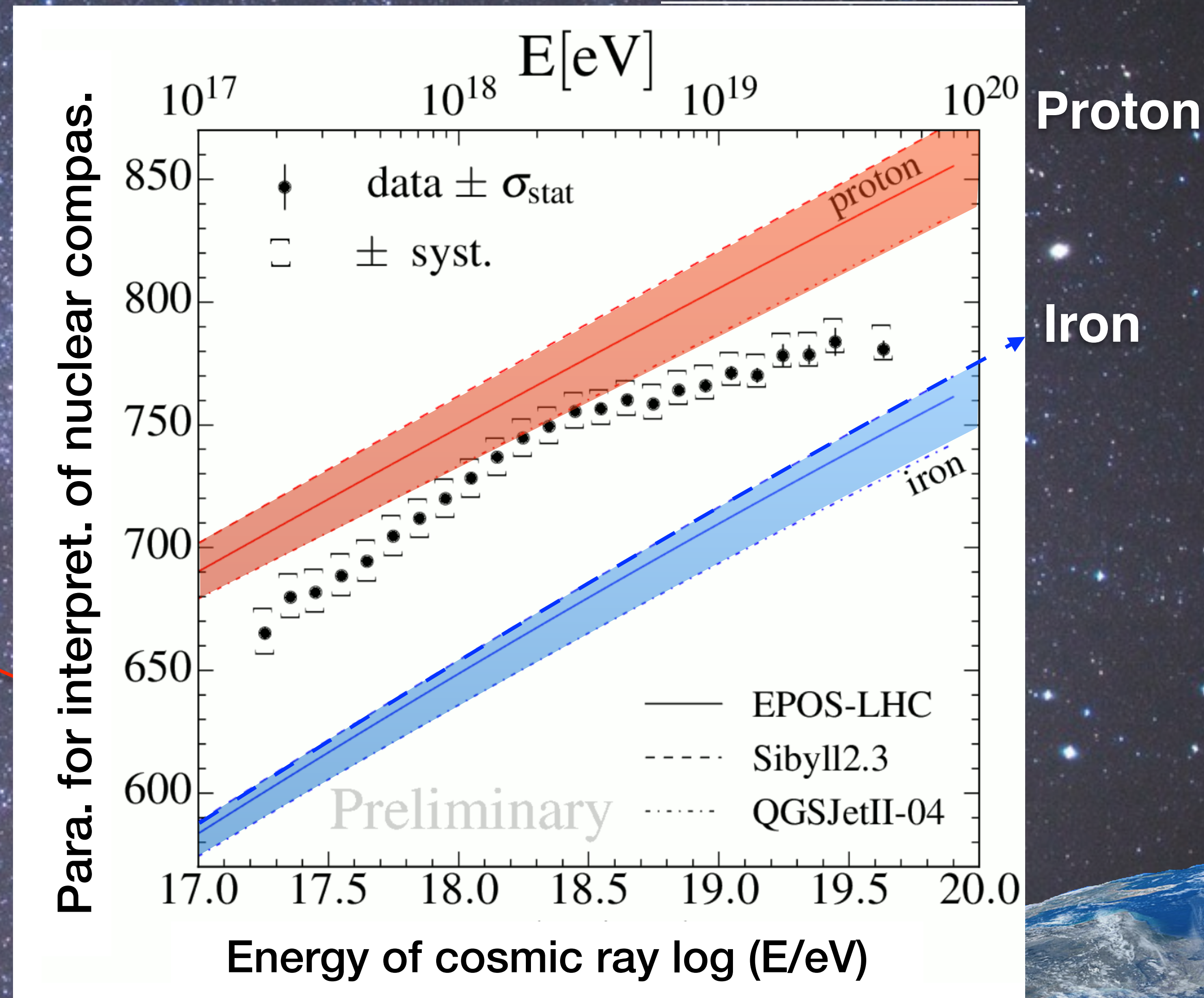
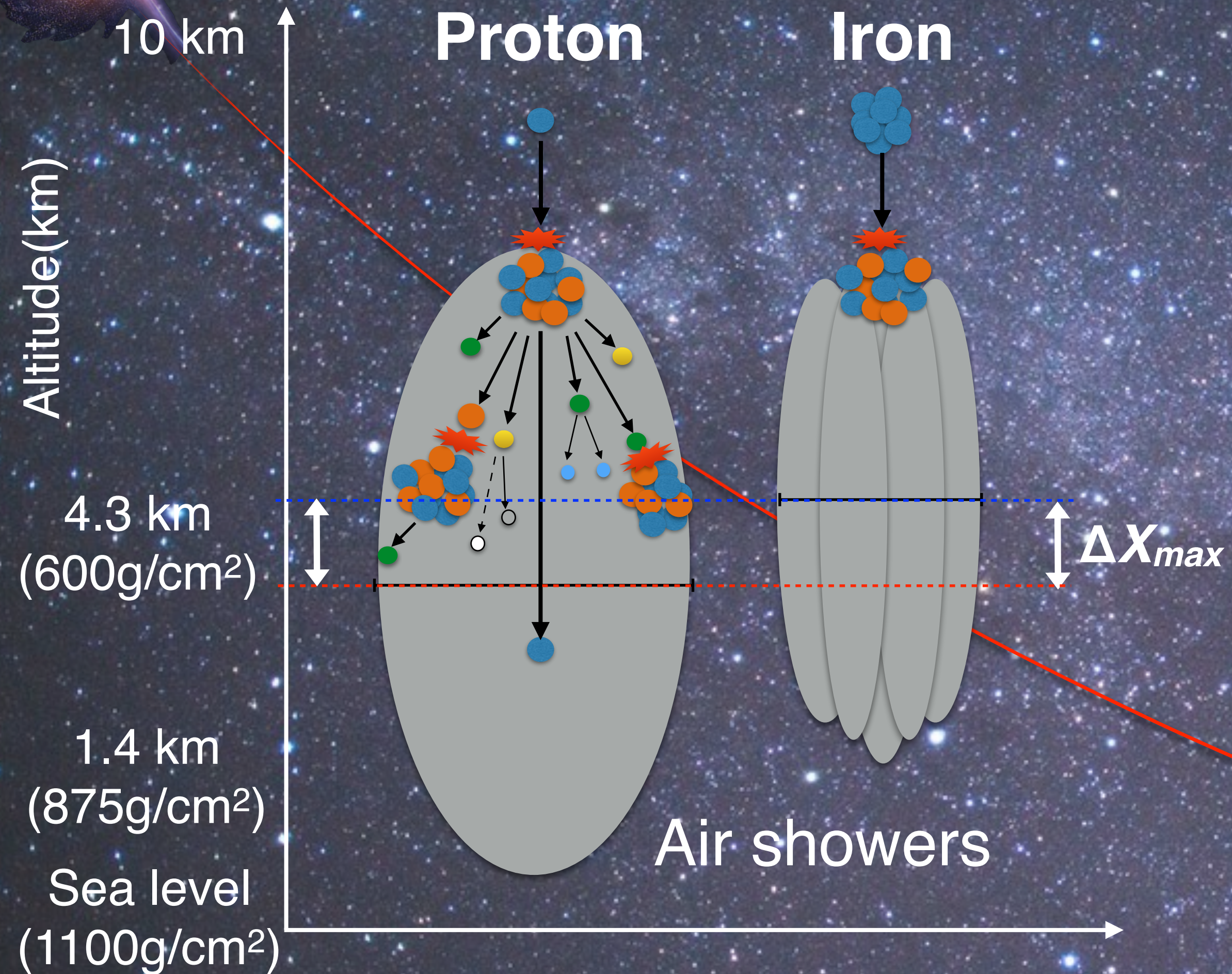
How to interpret the observable

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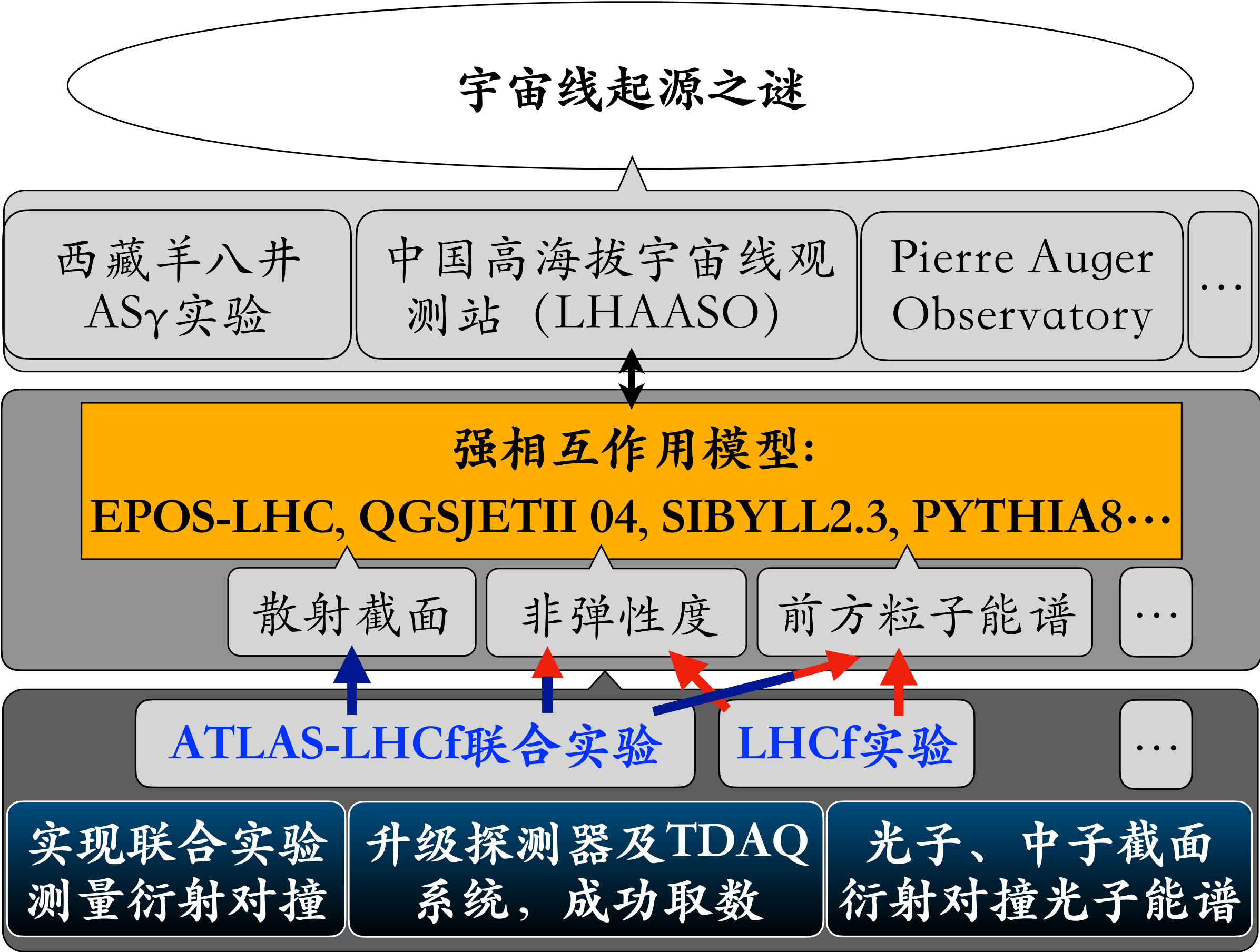
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The issue to interpret the air shower data:

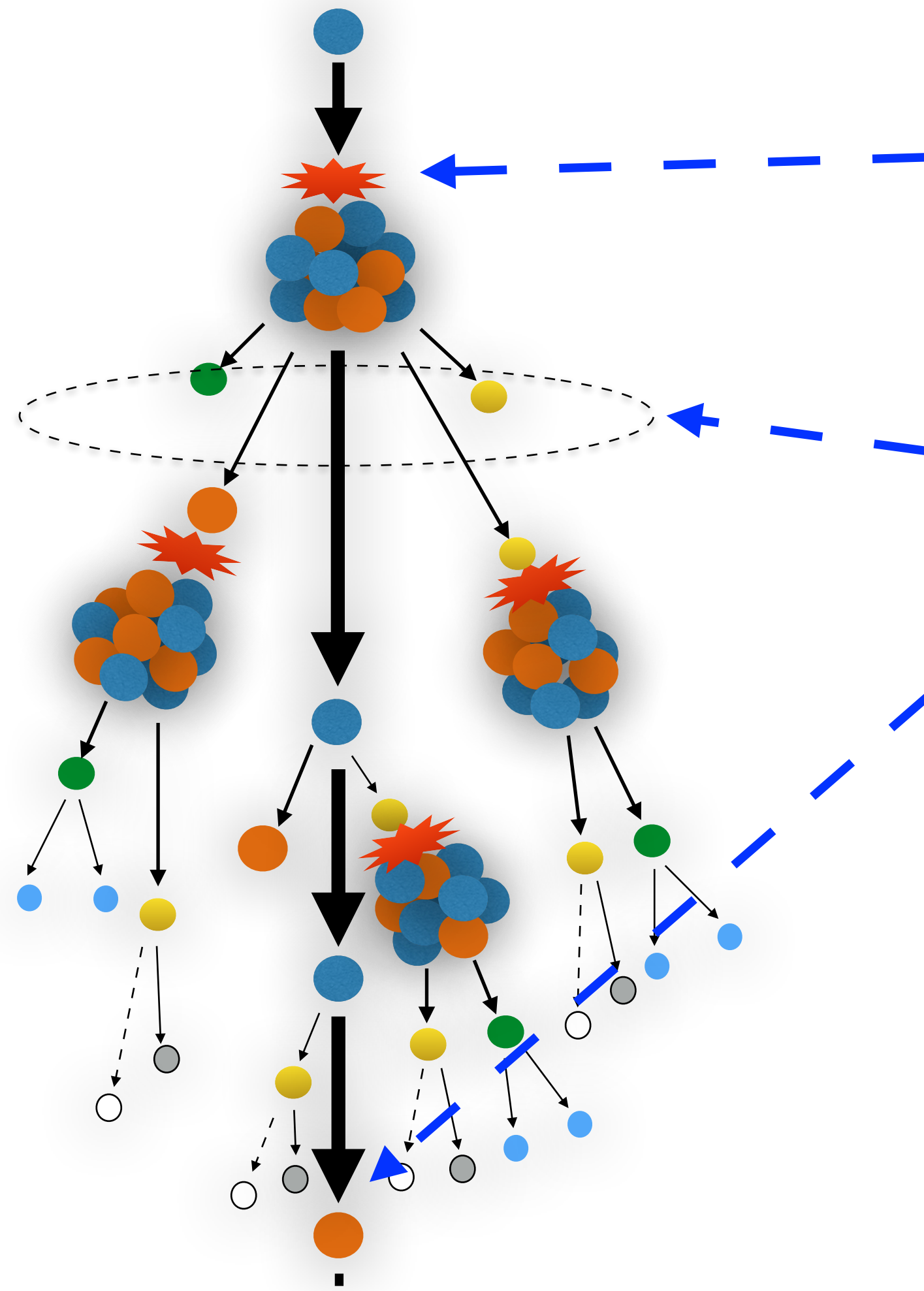
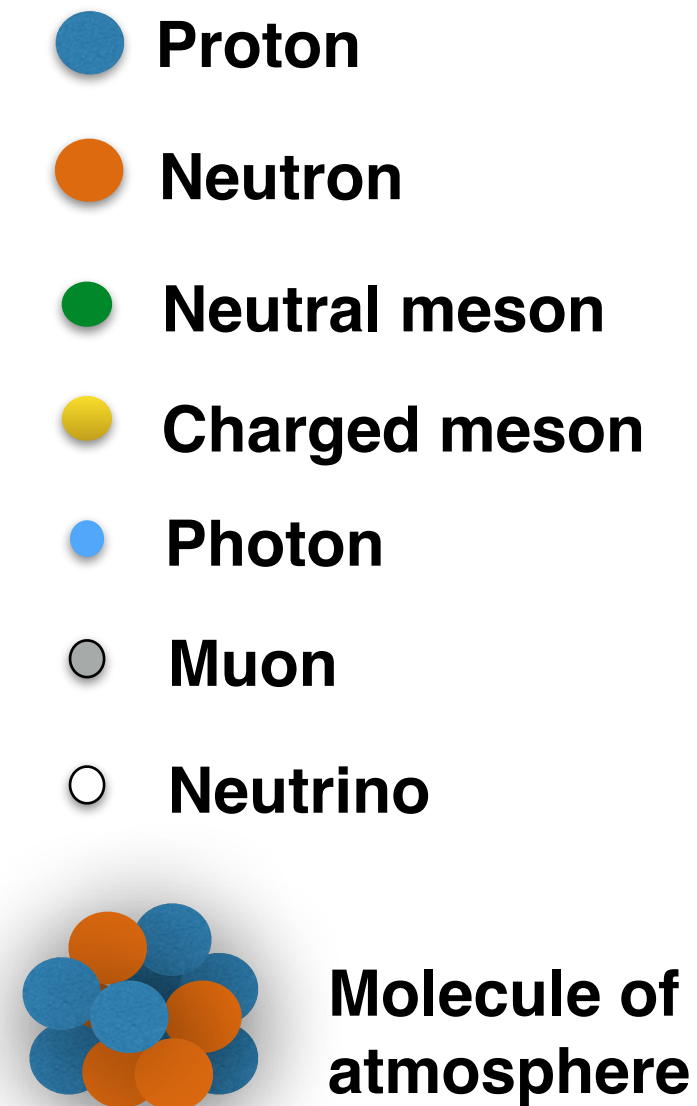
- Largely unknown model uncertainties
- Limitations in modeling of hadronic interactions in air shower (soft processes)

Hadronic interaction models



What to be calibrated by accelerators

- Hard interactions can be predicted by using perturbative QCD.
- Soft interactions dominate by non-perturbative QCD,
 ➔ Phenomenological models base on Regge theory proposed.



Key parameters

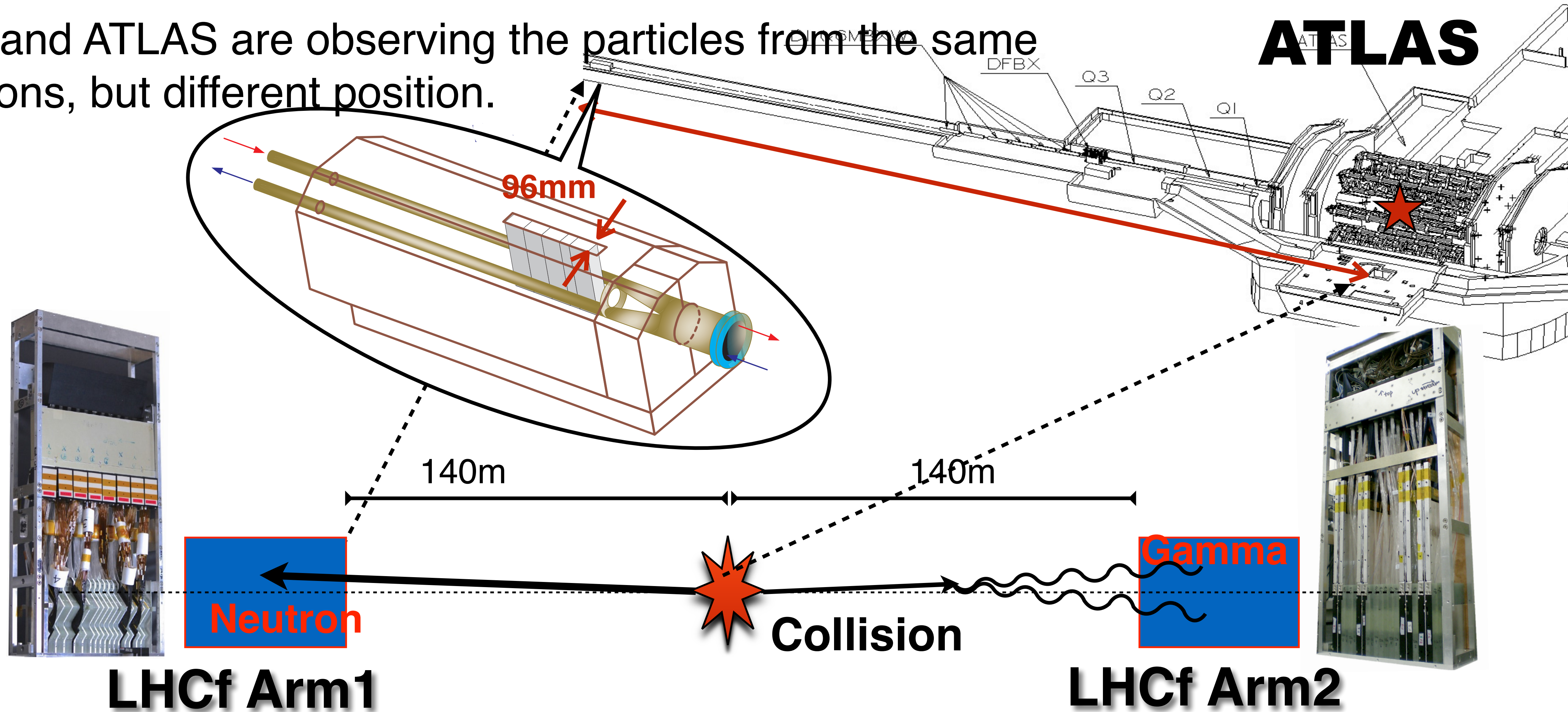
- Inelastic cross section (interaction mean free path)
TOTEM, ATLAS, CMS, etc.
- Multiplicity
Central detector
- Inelasticity ($K_{inela} = 1 - P_{lead}/P_{beam}$)
LHCf, etc.

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Property Increased	Change in X_{max}
Cross section	Decreased
Inelasticity	Decreased
Multiplicity	Decreased

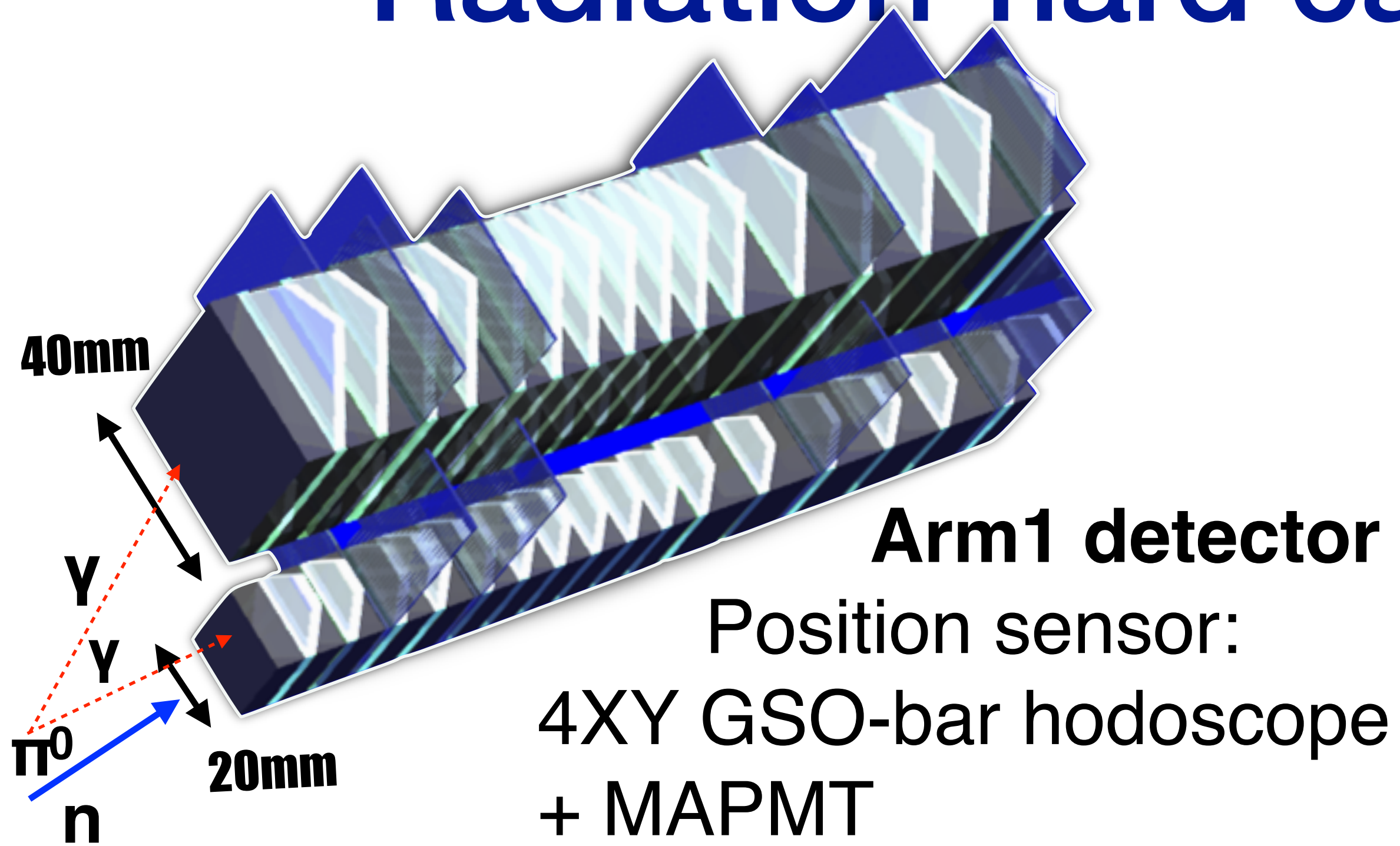
The LHCf experiment

- ◆ Measuring hadronic production cross section of neutral particles emitted in the very forward region of LHC.
- ◆ LHCf and ATLAS are observing the particles from the same collisions, but different position.

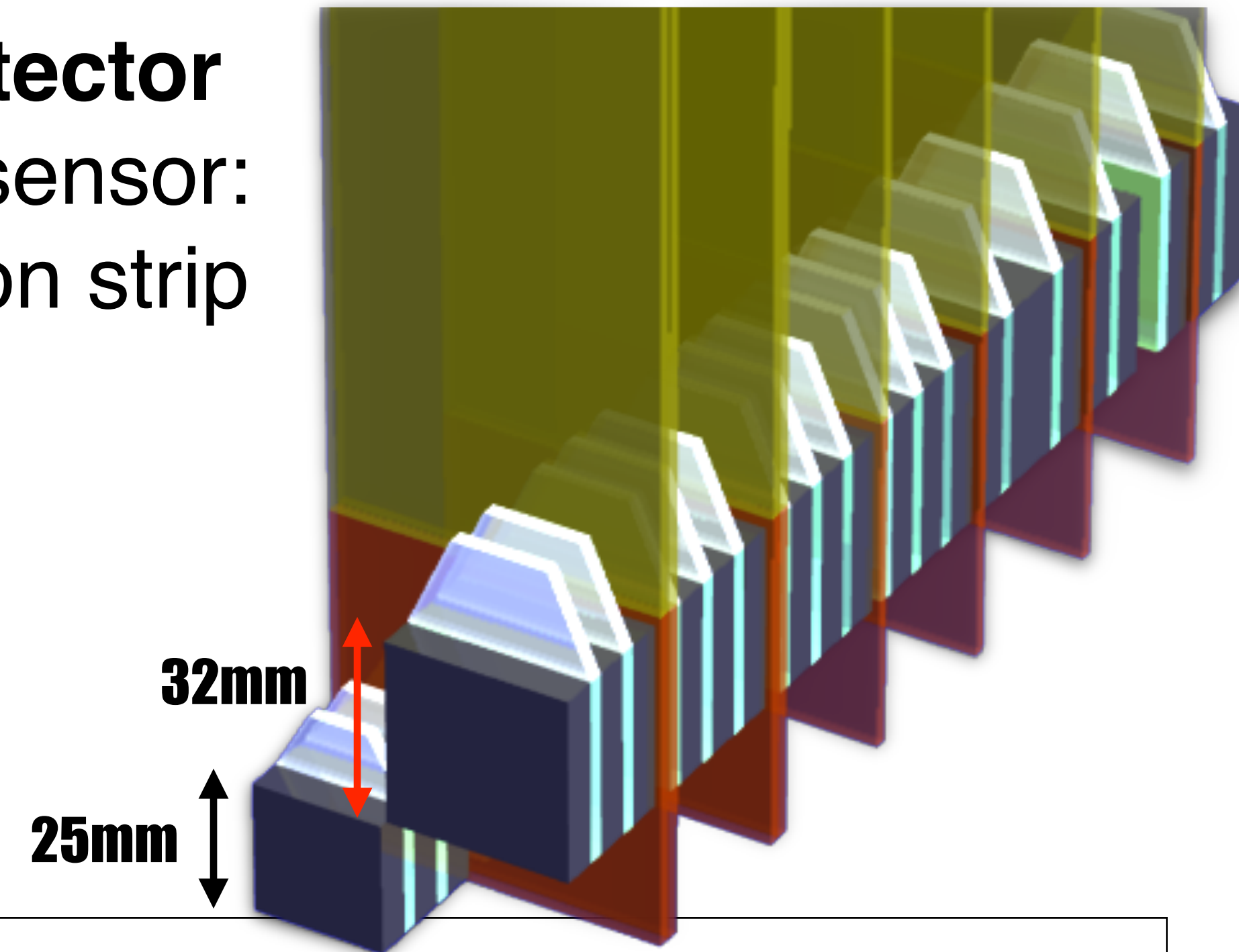


LHCf detectors are sensitive to the **Low-mass diffraction**

Radiation-hard calorimeter performance



Arm2 detector
Position sensor:
4XY silicon strip
detectors



- Two imaging sampling shower calorimeters
- 44r.l. tungsten, 16 layers of GSO scintillators and 4 position sensitive layers
- The η coverage of the calorimeter: $|\eta| > 8.4$

Performance

Energy resolution:($>100\text{GeV}$)

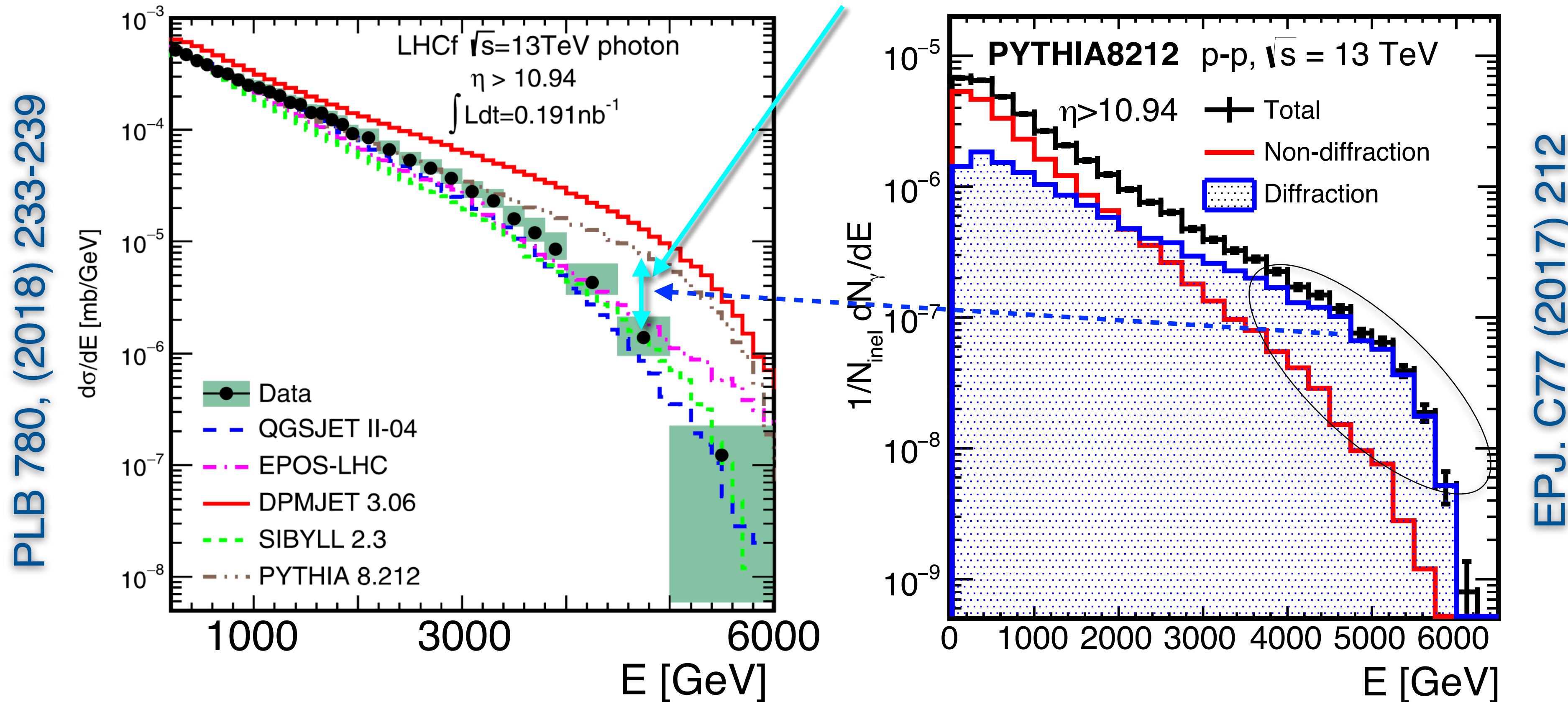
$<5\%$ for photons
 40% for neutrons

Position resolution:

$<200\mu\text{m}$ for photons
 $<1\text{mm}$ for neutrons

Forward photon spectra from low-mass diff.

- Forward photon production at $\sqrt{s} = 13$ TeV in p-p collisions has been measured by LHCf. **Large discrepancy between data and PYTHIA8**



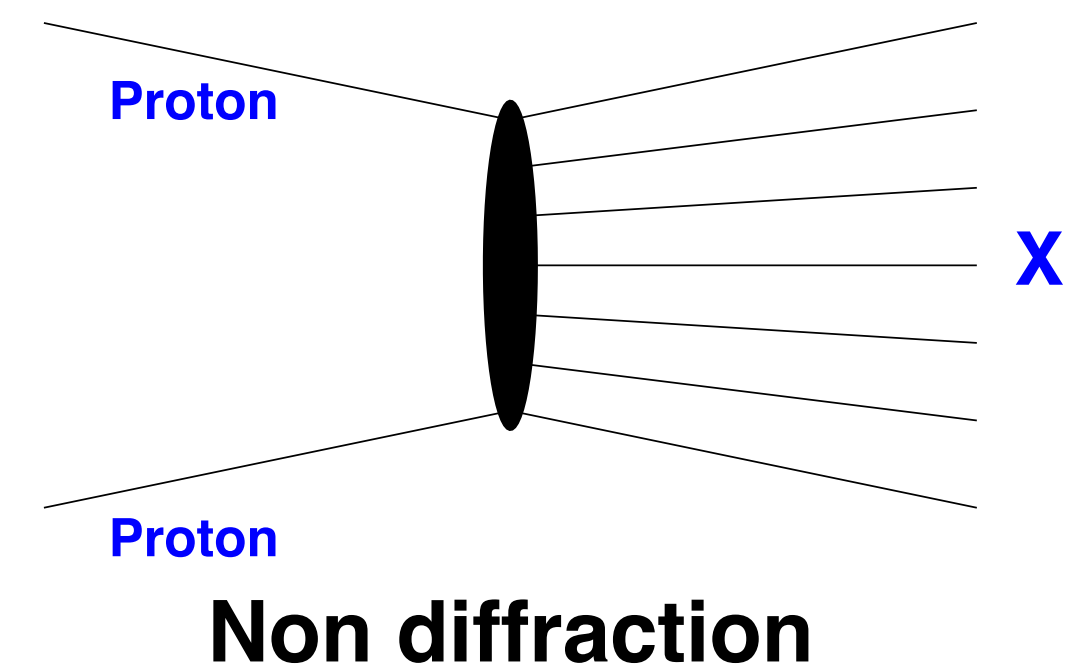
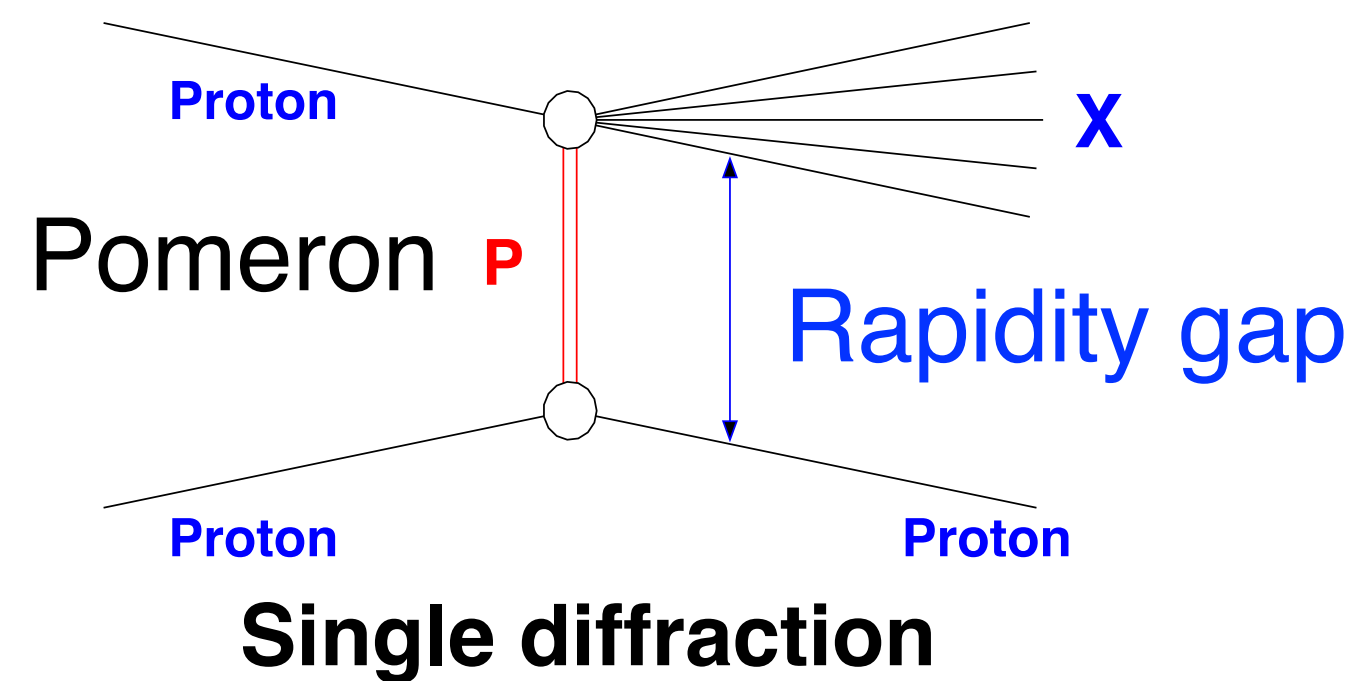
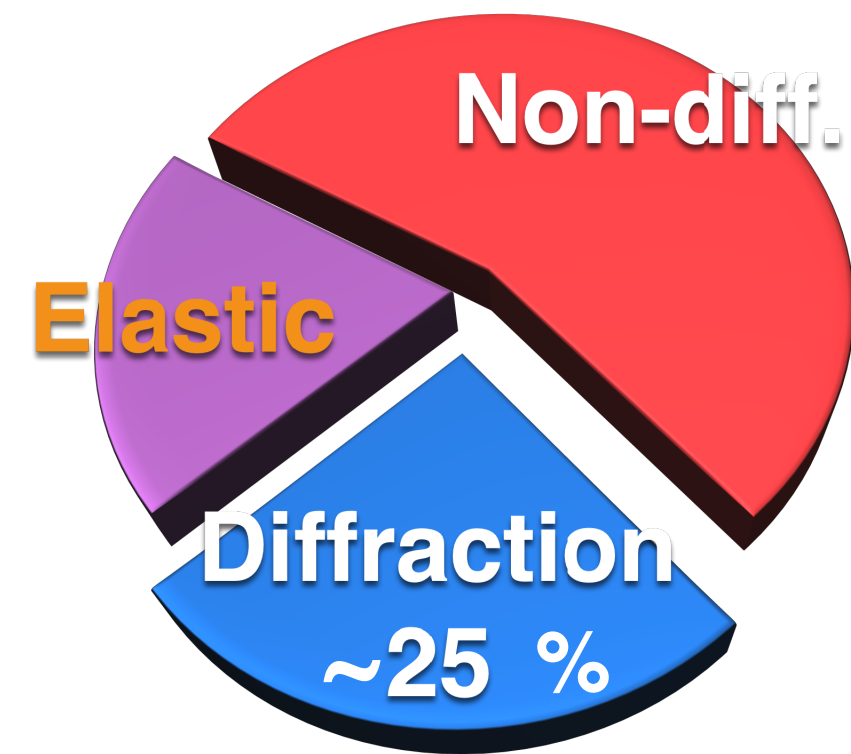
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- Discrepancies between data and model predictions for the forward photon spectra in pp $\sqrt{s} = 13$ TeV collisions.
- The excess of PYTHIA8 at $E > 3$ TeV was assumed due to over contribution from low-mass diff. processes.

Diffraction vs. air-shower developments

- LHCf has verified the hadronic interactions inclusively.
- This research measured **diffractive processes exclusively**, which are less constraint in the model and have big impact to the air-shower development.



- Proton
- Neutron
- Neutral meson
- Charged meson
- Photon
- Muon
- Electron
- Neutrino

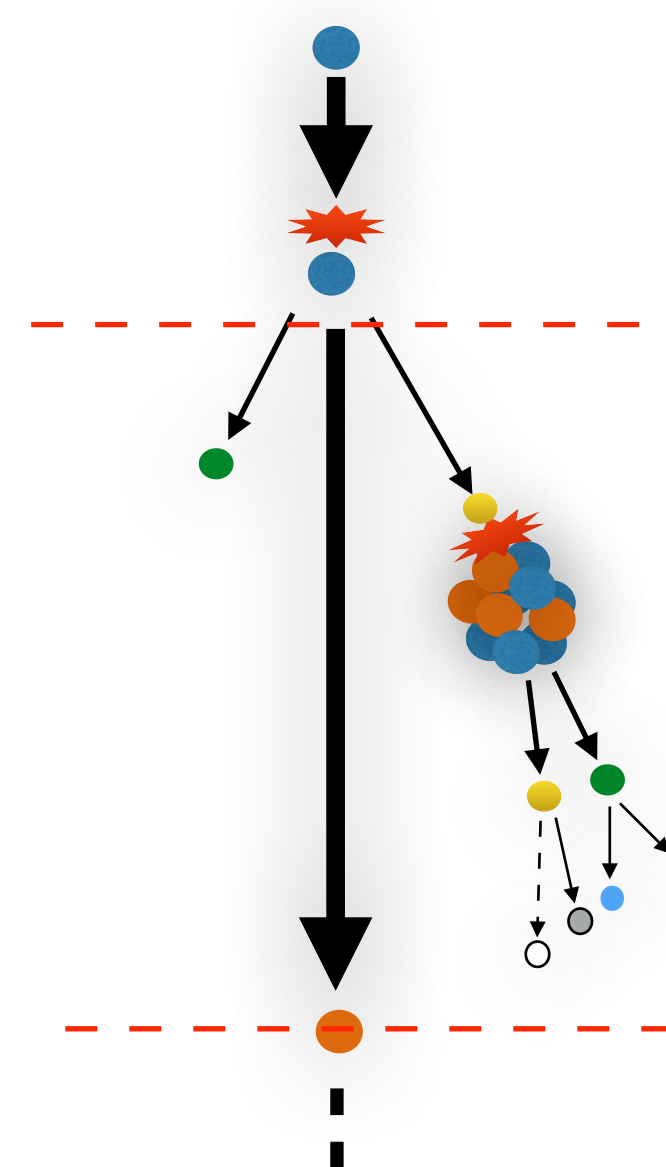


Inelastic cross-section

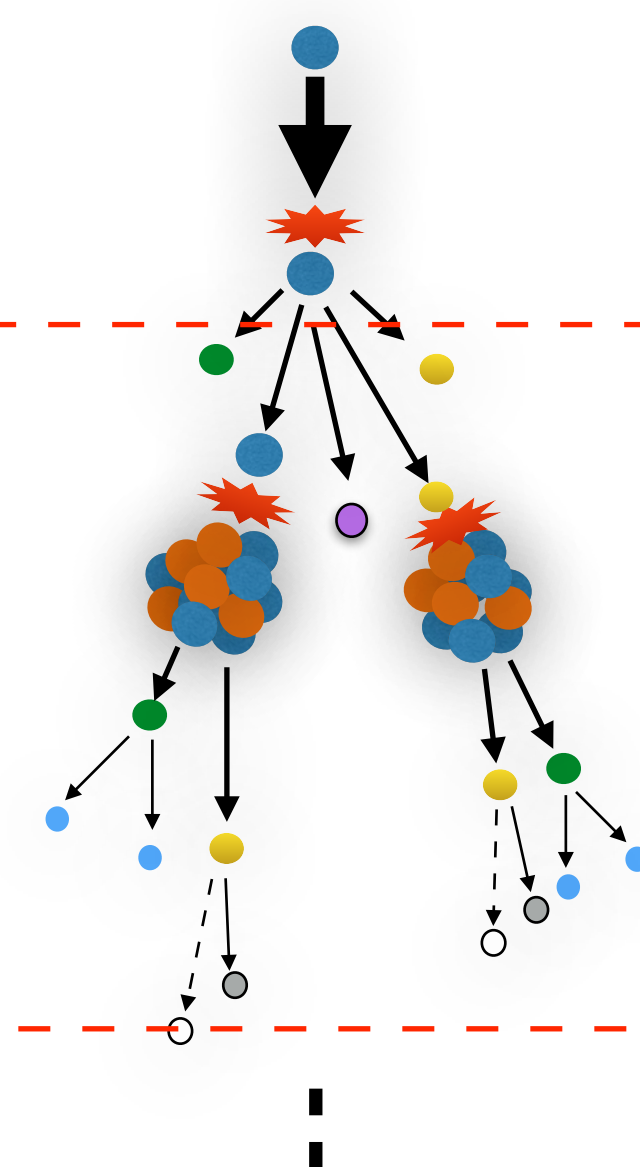
Multiplicity

Leading particle production / Inelasticity

Diff. colli.



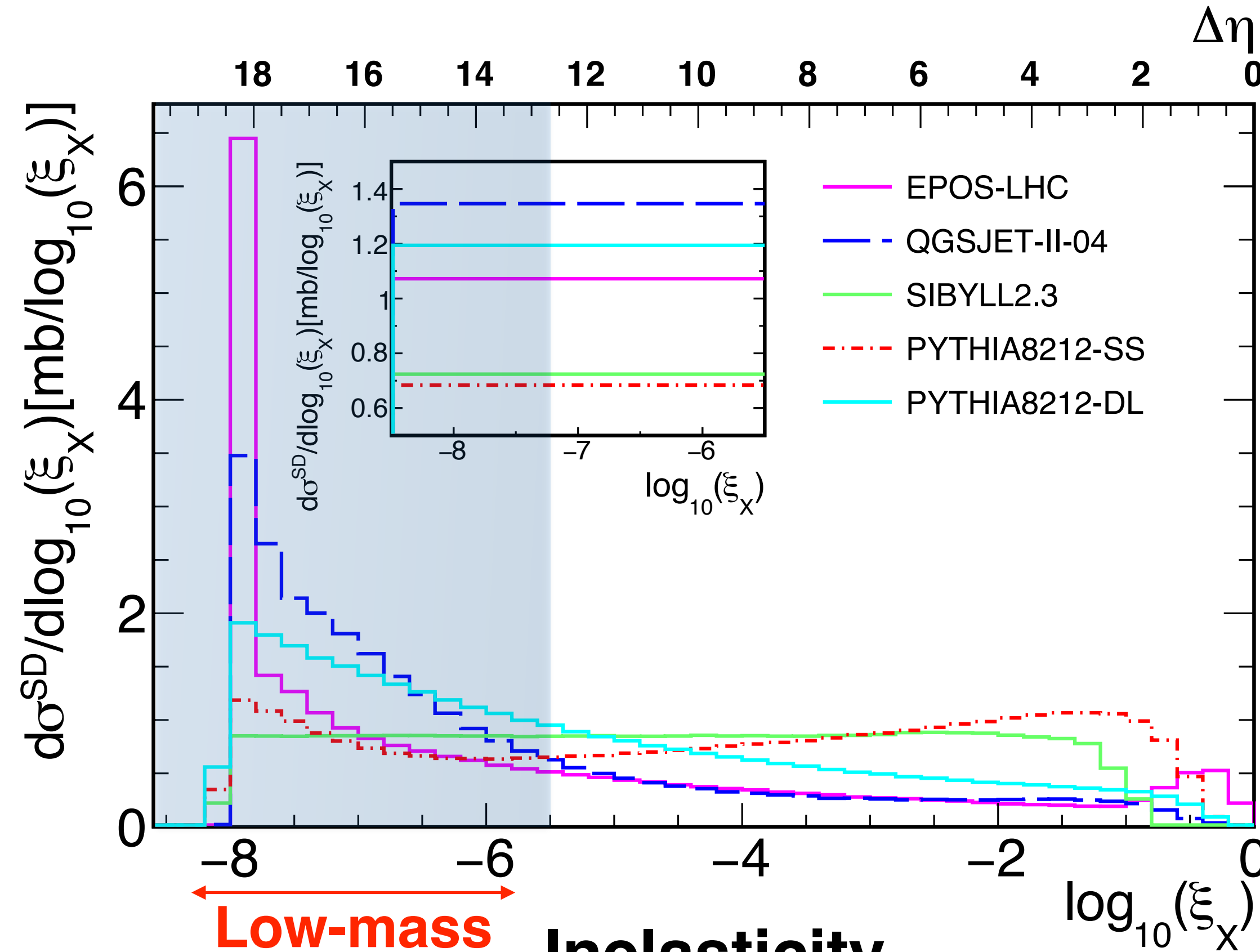
Non-diff. colli.



Objective and originality



M_X : Diffractive mass, invariant mass of dissociated system

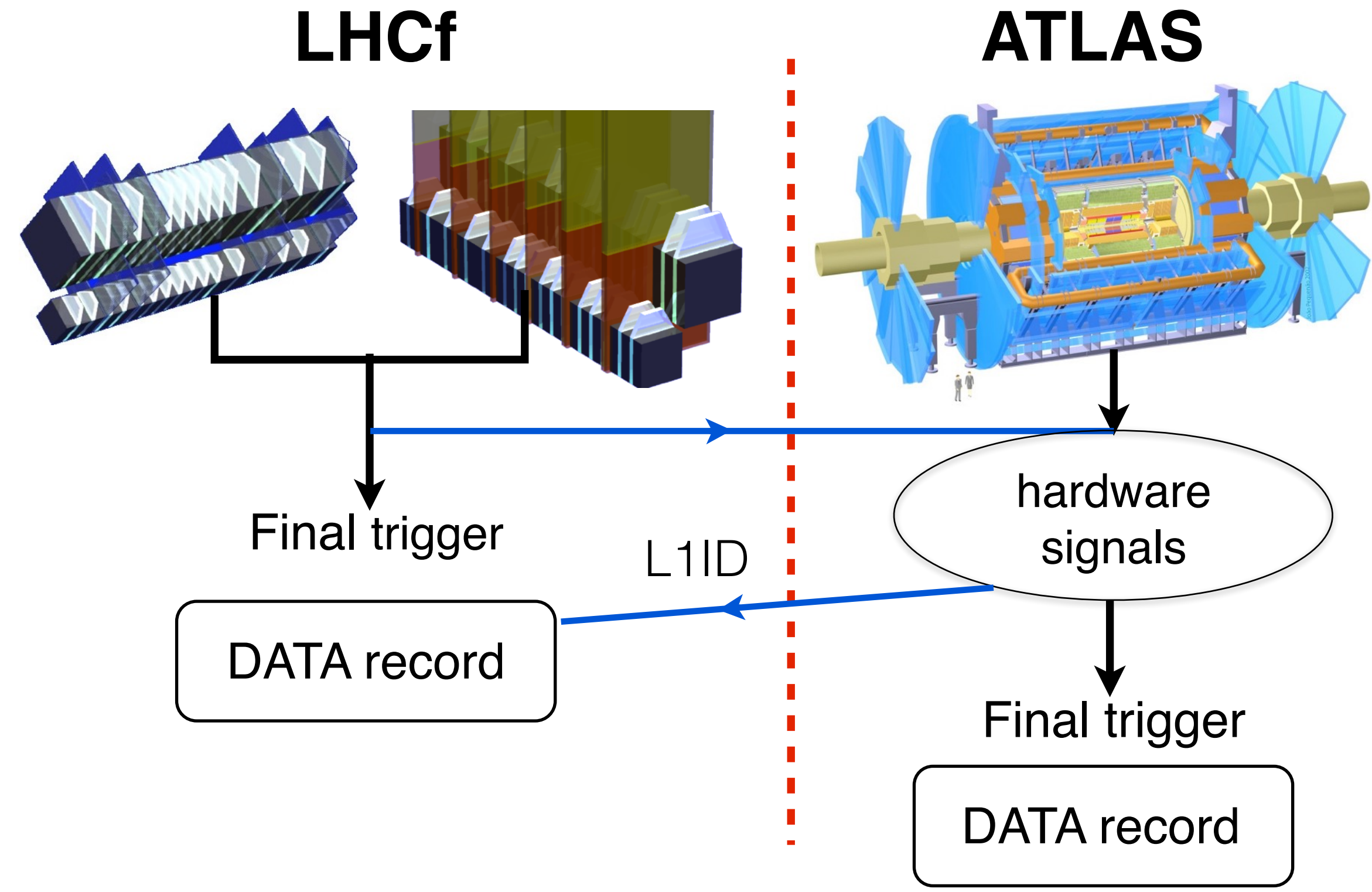
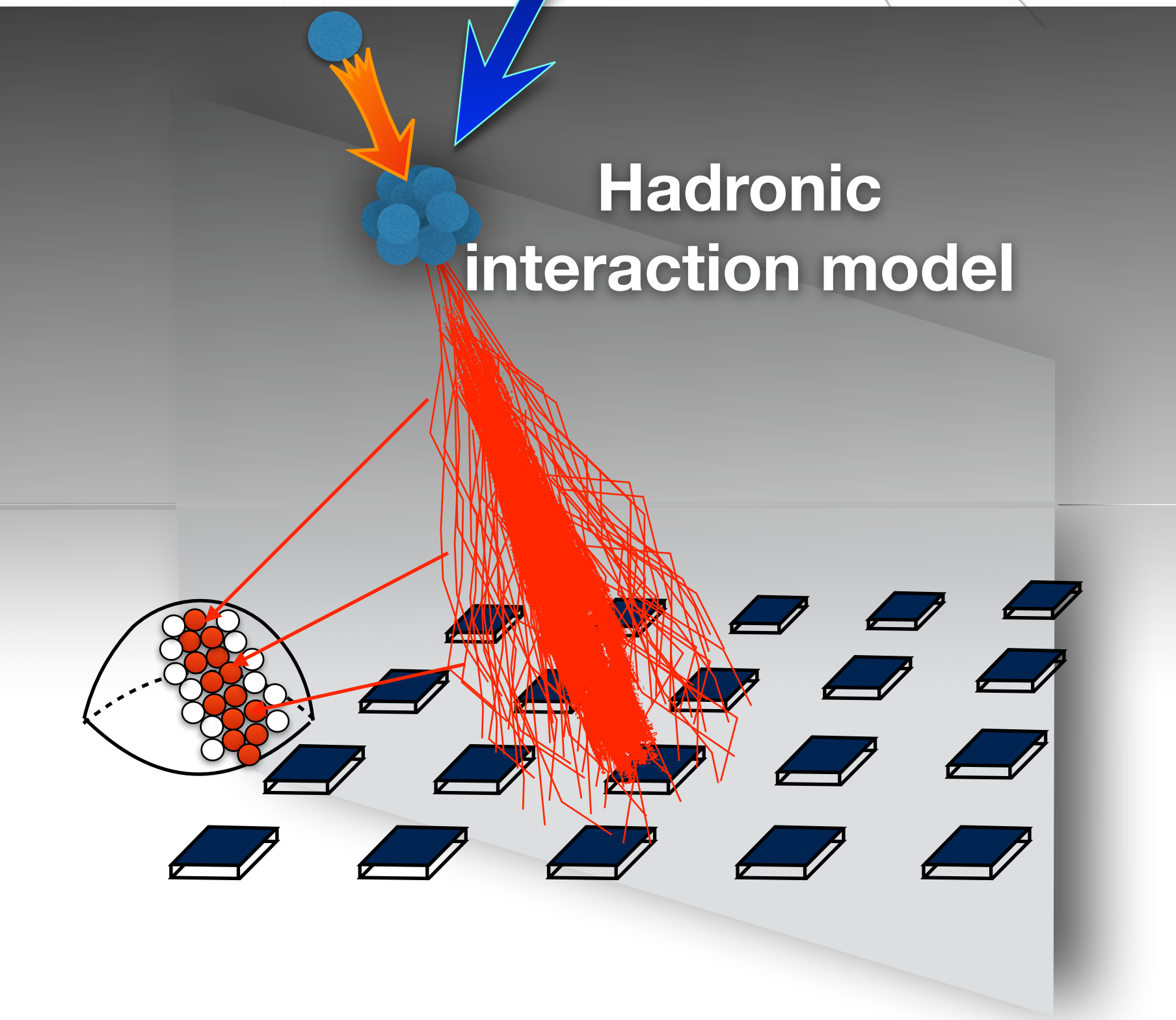
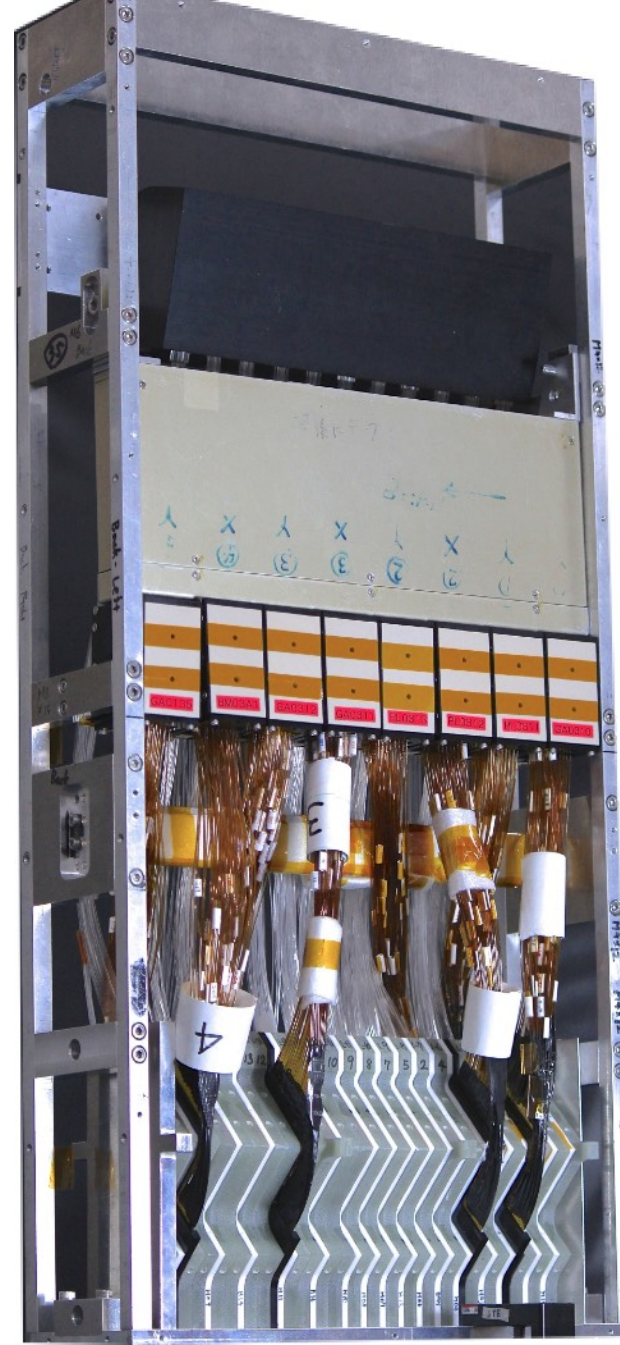
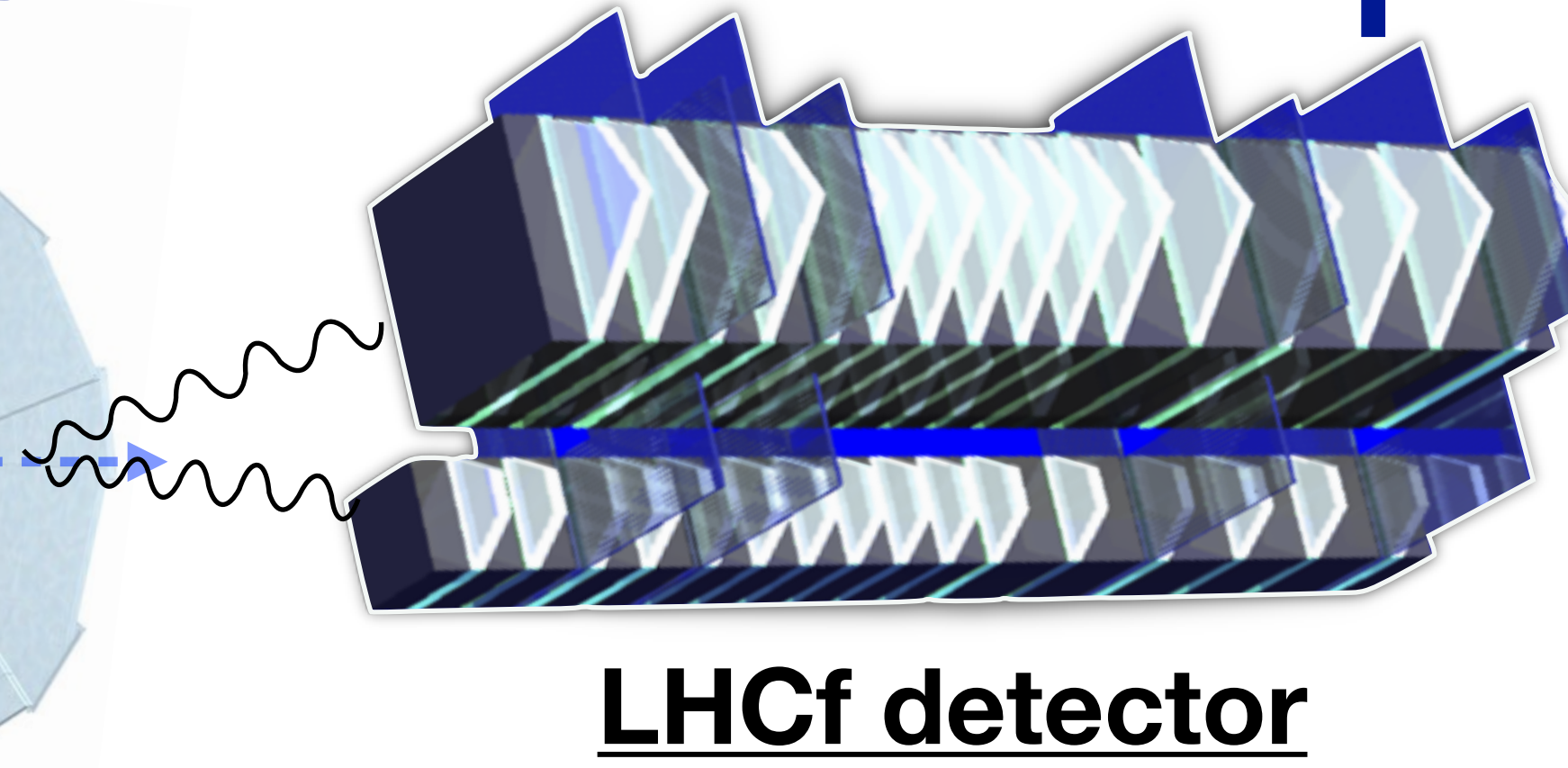
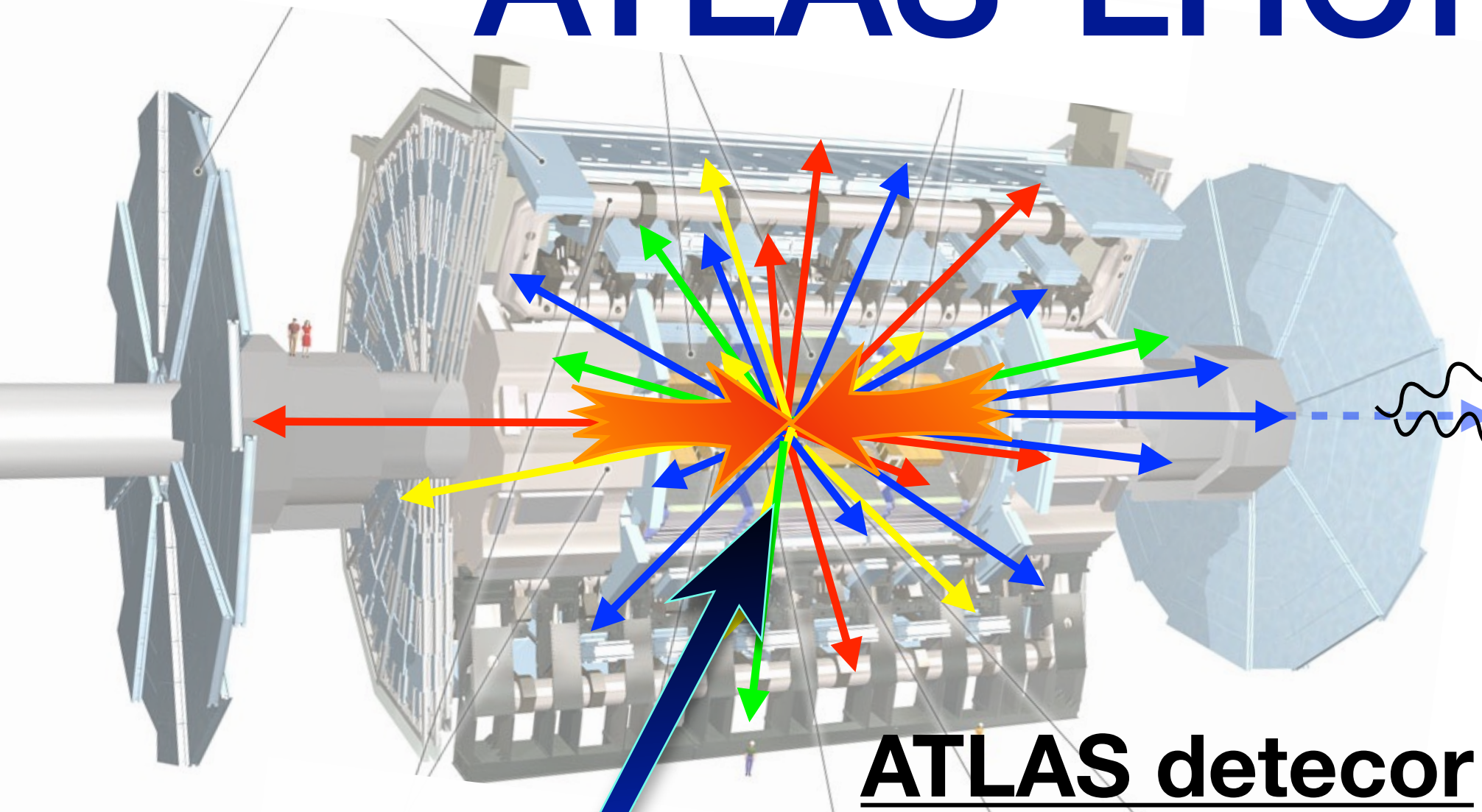
$$\xi_X = \left(\frac{M_X}{\sqrt{s}}\right)^2 \simeq e^{-\Delta\eta}$$


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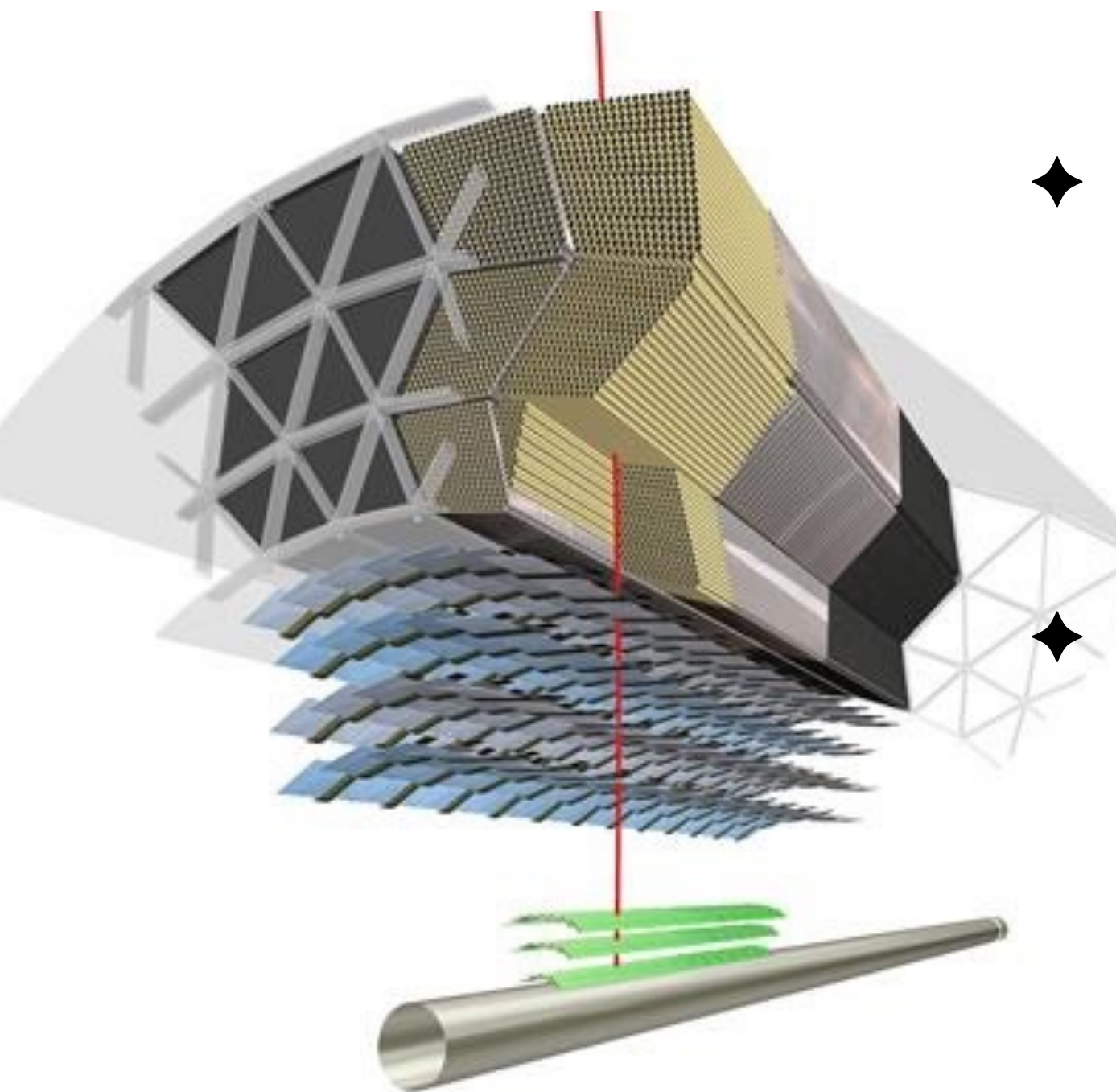
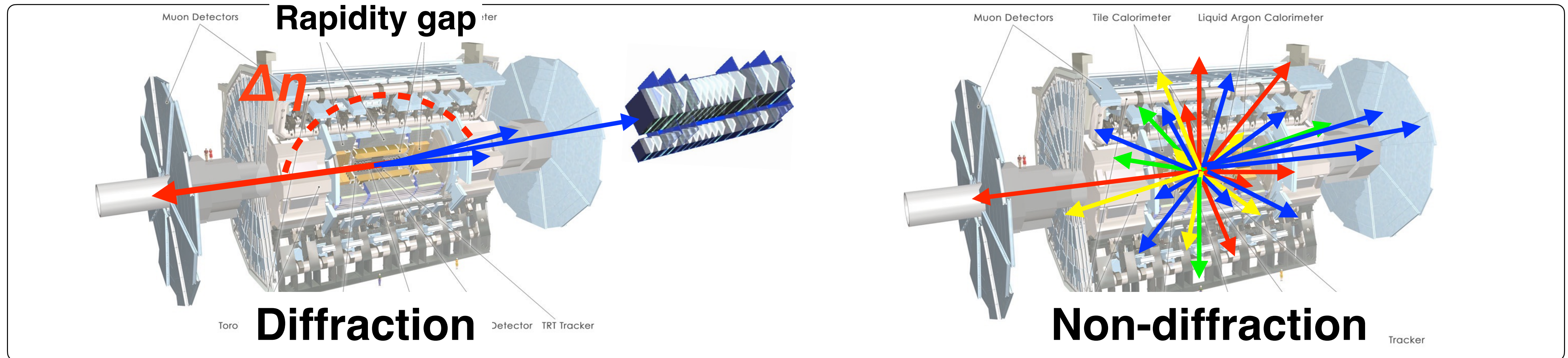
small ←————→ large

Large discrepancy exists among models, especially, at **low mass**.

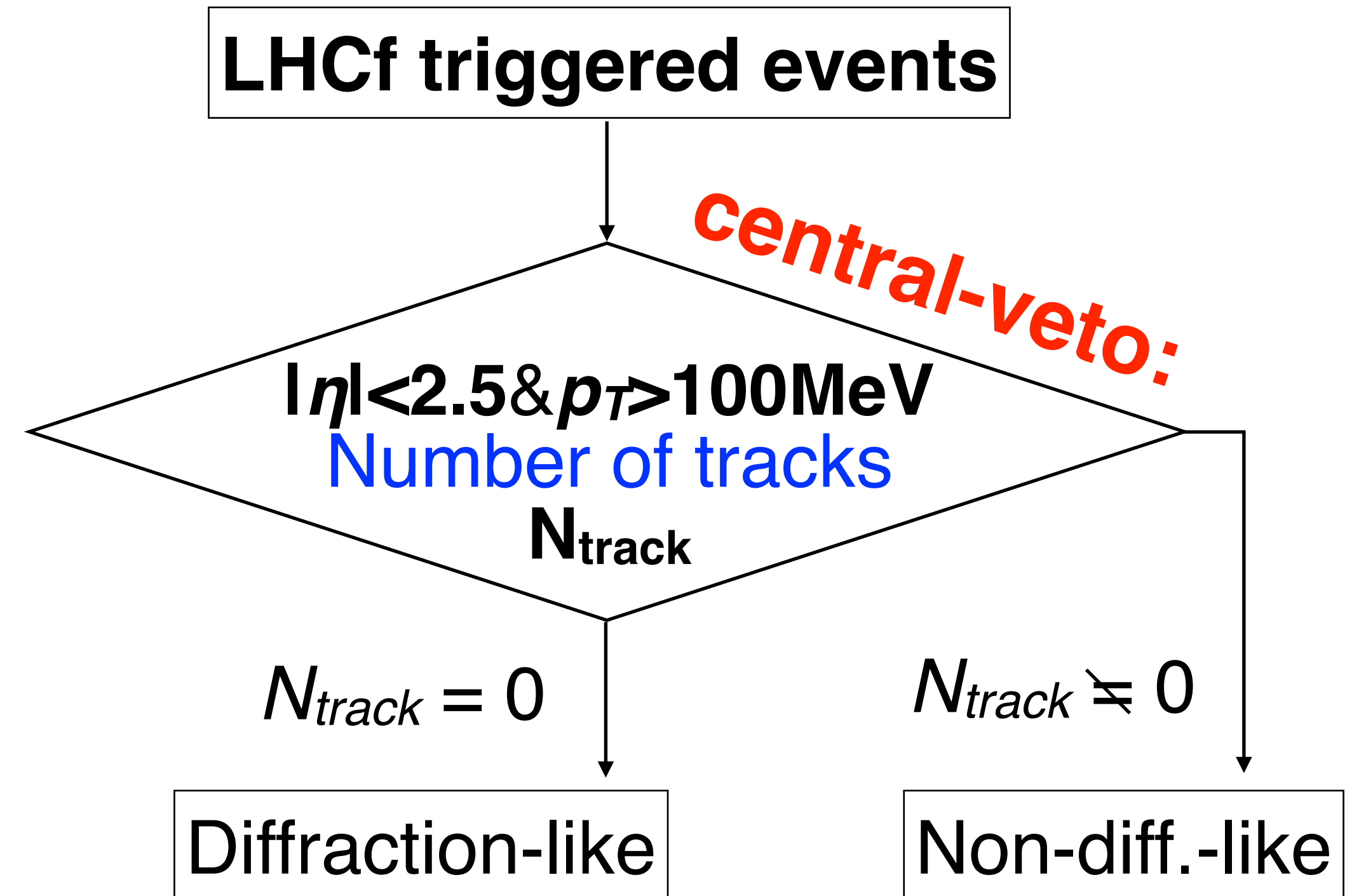
ATLAS-LHCf common experiment



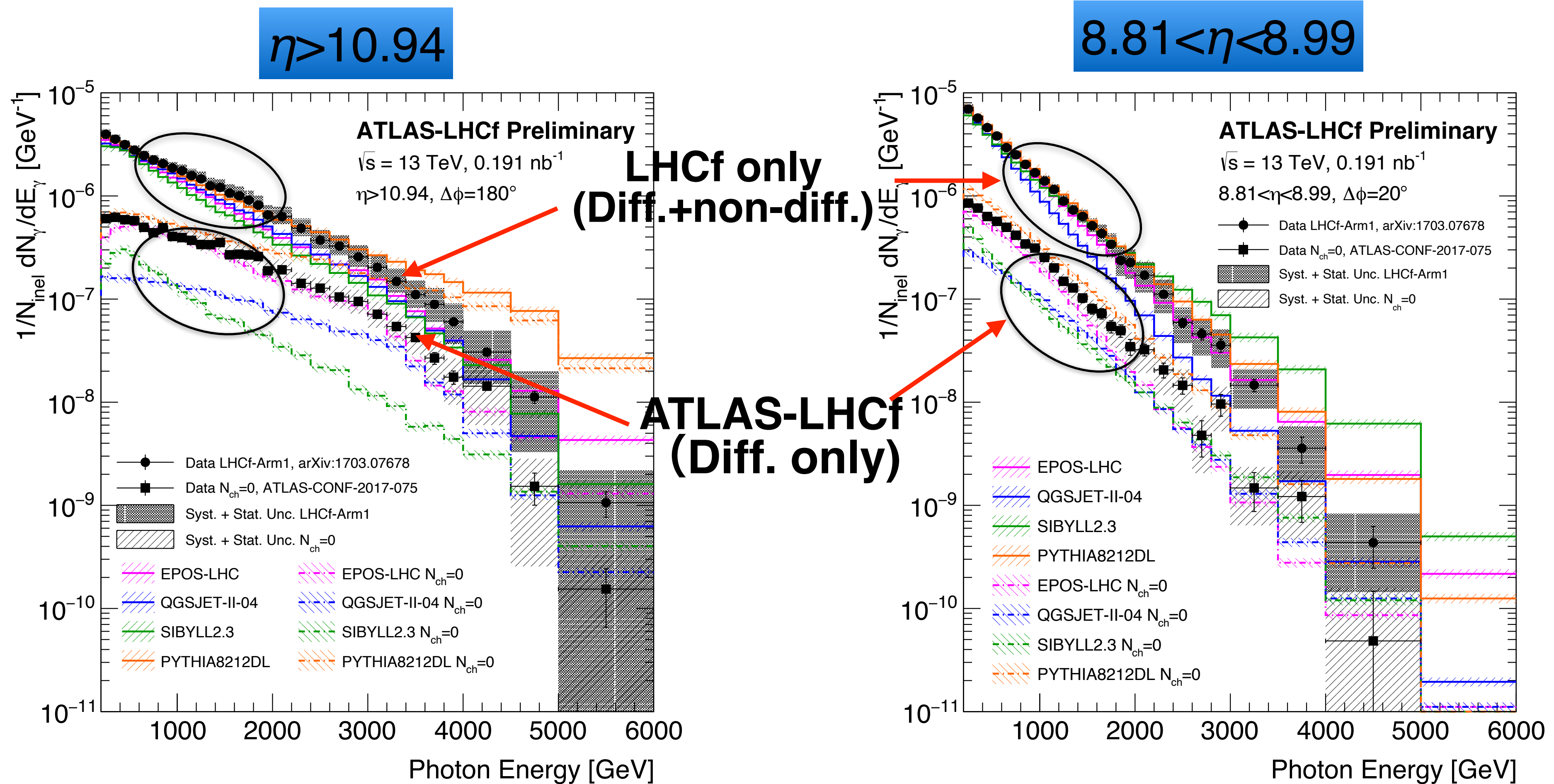
Diffraction identification by central-veto



- ◆ Rapidity gap measured by ATLAS to distinguish the events triggered by LHCf to diff.-like and non-diff.-like
- ◆ **First direct measurement** of low-mass diffraction at high energies.

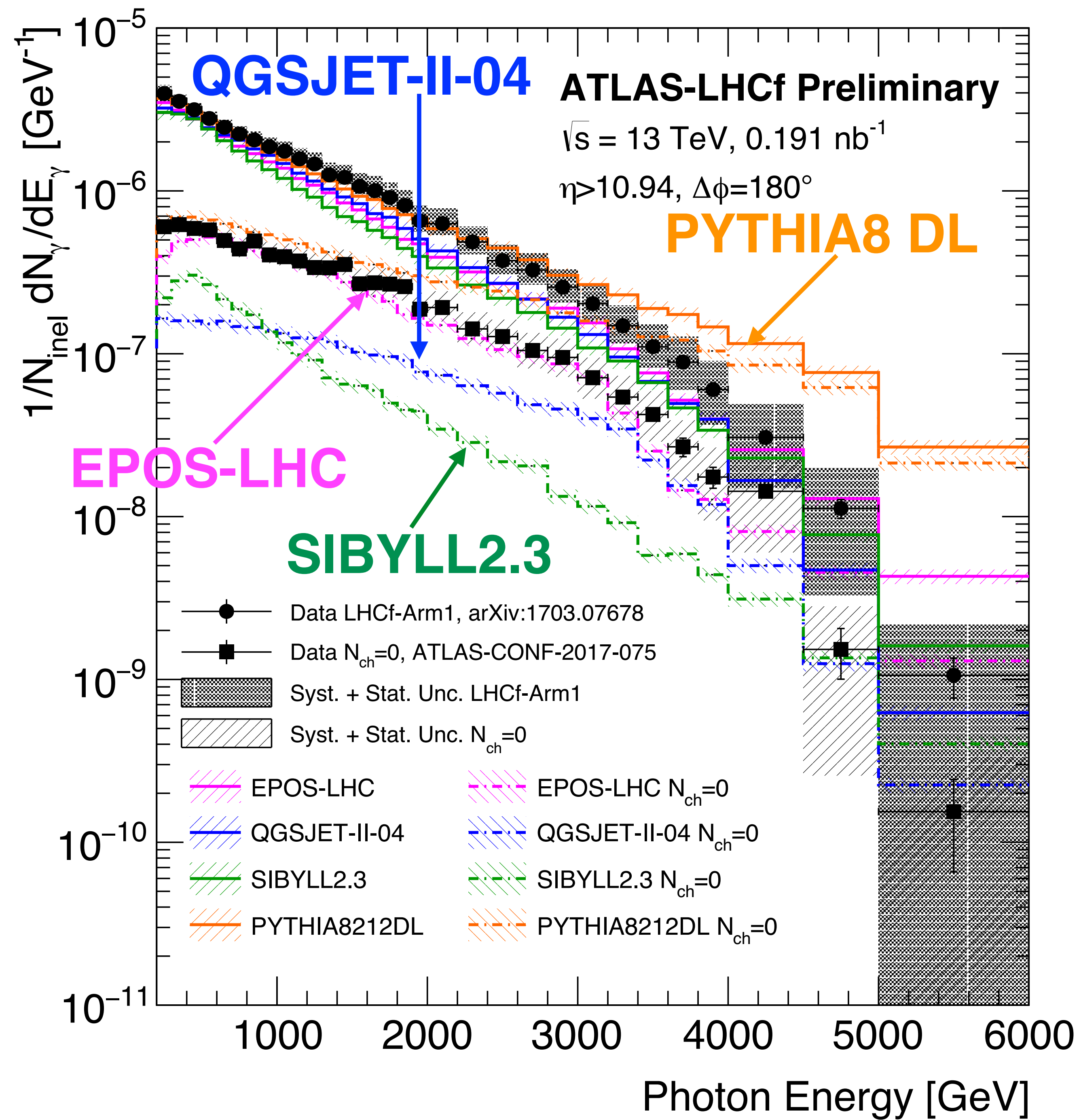


Results: Photon spectra

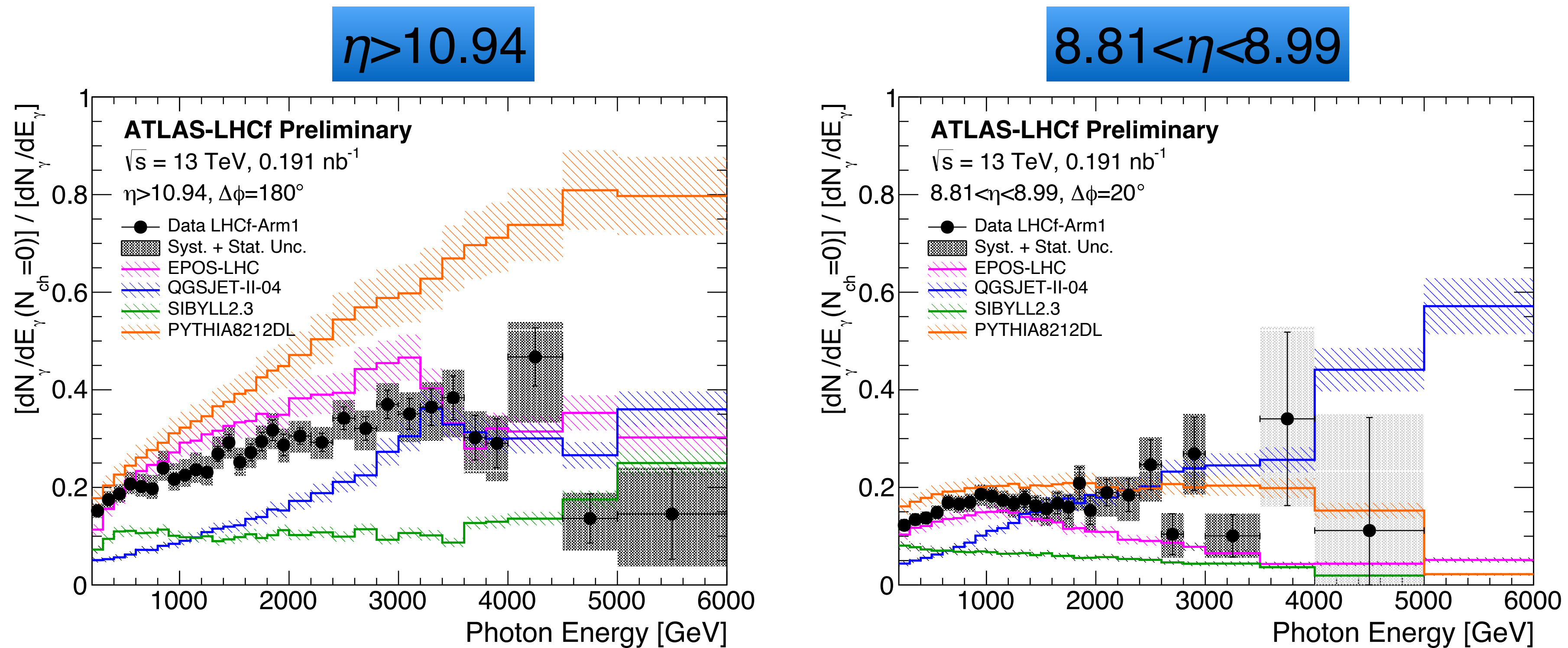


◆ Comparison between data w/ $N_{ch} = 0$ and model predictions

- **EPOS-LHC** show a good agreement with data at $\eta > 10.94$.
- **PYTHIA8212DL** show a good agreement at the region of $8.81 < \eta < 8.99$.



Results: Spectra ratios $N'_{ch=0}(E) / N'_{ALL}(E)$



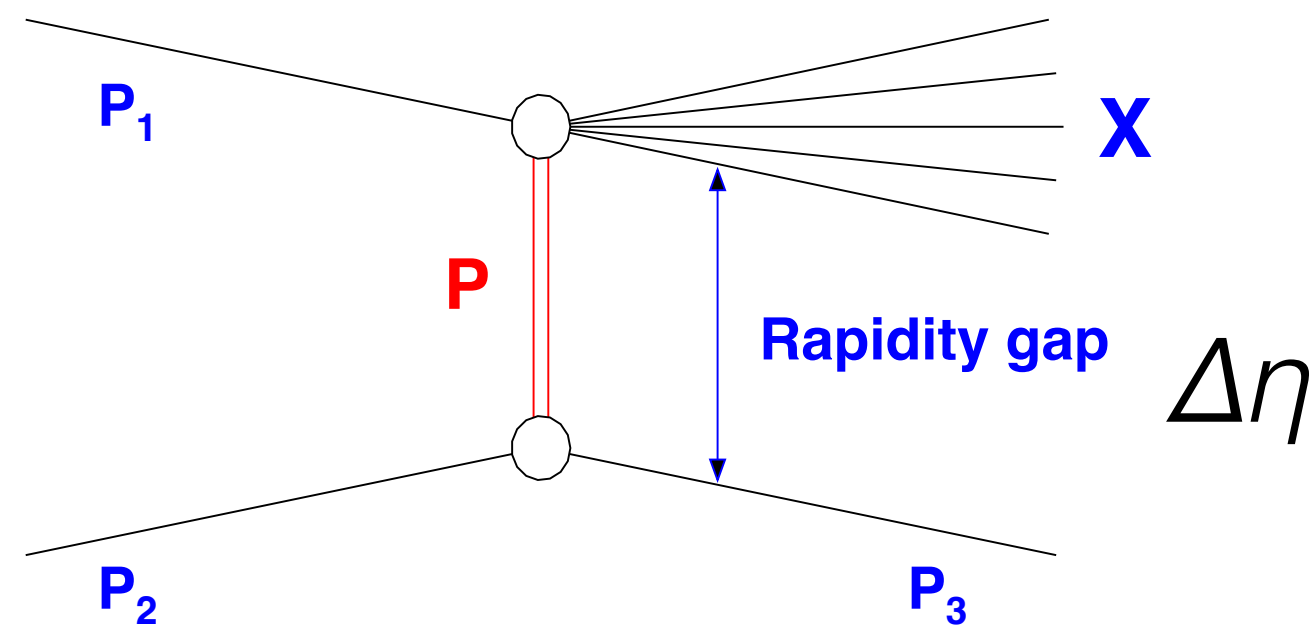
◆ At $\eta > 10.94$, the ratio of data increased from 0.15 to 0.4 with increasing of the photon energy up to 4TeV.

- **PYTHIA8212DL** predicts higher fraction at higher energies.
- **SIBYLL2.3** show small fraction compare with data.

◆ At $8.81 < \eta < 8.99$, the ratio of data keep almost constant as 0.17.

- **EPOS-LHC** and **PYTHIA8212DL** show good agreement with data at $8.81 < \eta < 8.99$.

Tuning of pomeron flux



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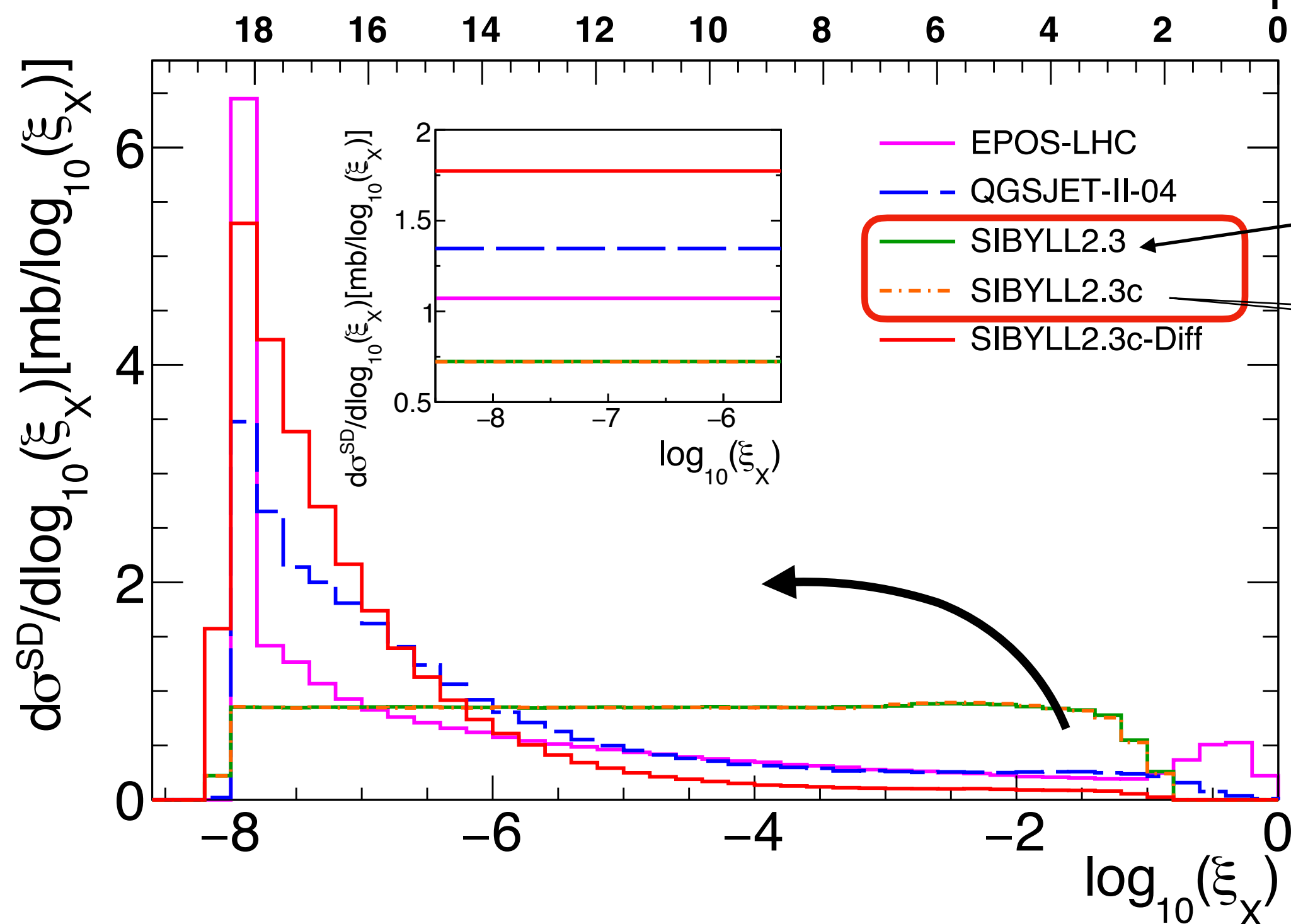
M_X : Diffractive mass, invariant mass of dissociated system

$$\xi_X = \left(\frac{M_X}{\sqrt{s}}\right)^2 \approx e^{-\Delta\eta} \quad : \text{Momentum fraction lost by proton}$$

$$\frac{d\sigma^{SD}}{d\xi_X dt} = f_P(\xi_X, t) \sigma(M_X^2) \propto \xi_X^{1-2\alpha_P(t)} ((M_X^2)^{\alpha_P(0)-1})$$

pomeron flux \nearrow \nwarrow pomeron cross-section

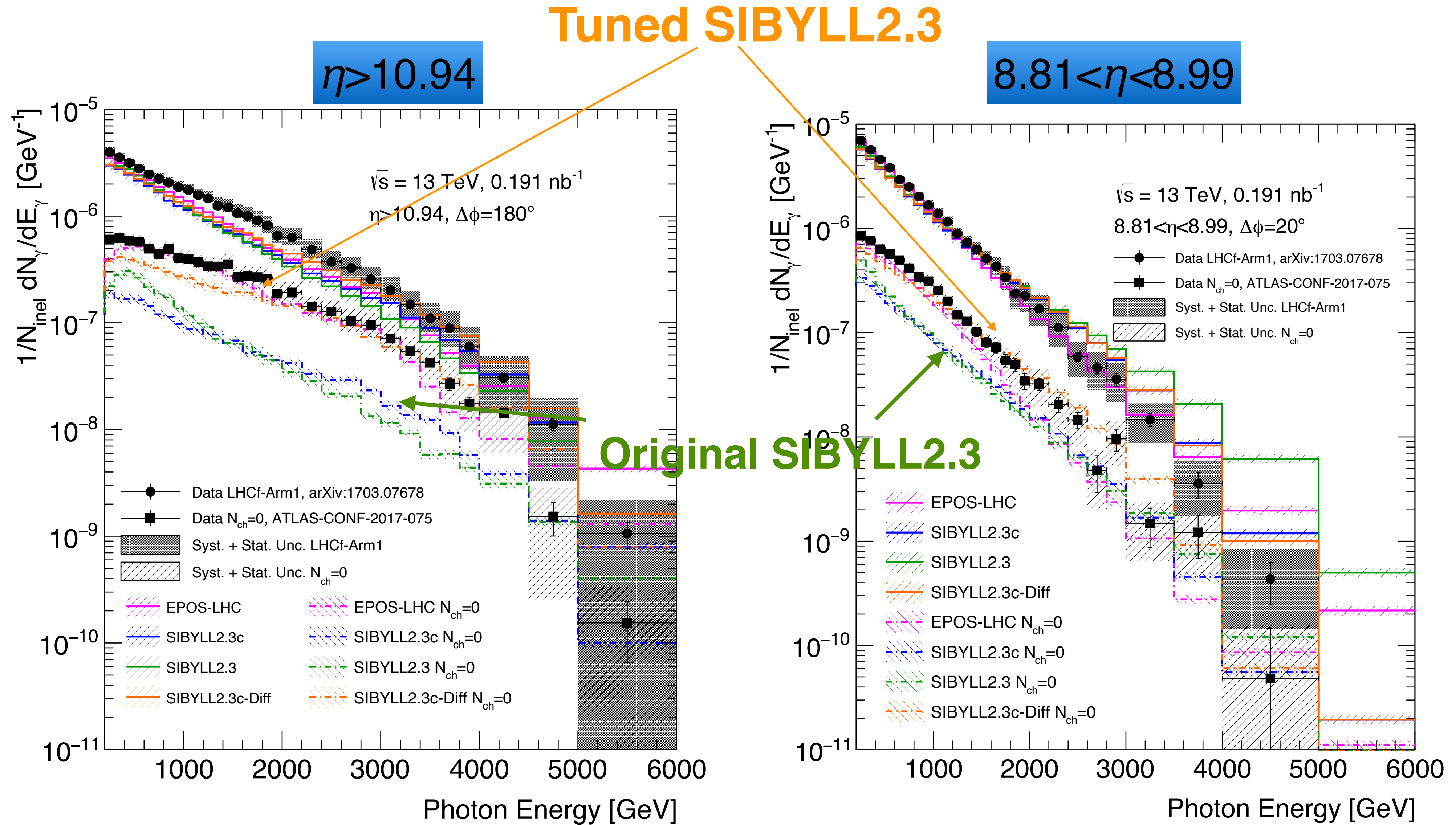
$$\alpha_P(t) = \alpha_P(0) + \alpha'_P t = 1 + \Delta + \alpha' t \quad : \text{Pomeron trajectory}$$



Original pomeron flux implemented in SIBYLL2.3

SIBYLL2.3c with the tuning of pomeron flux modified by **Felix Reihn** who is one of the editors of SIBYLL2.3

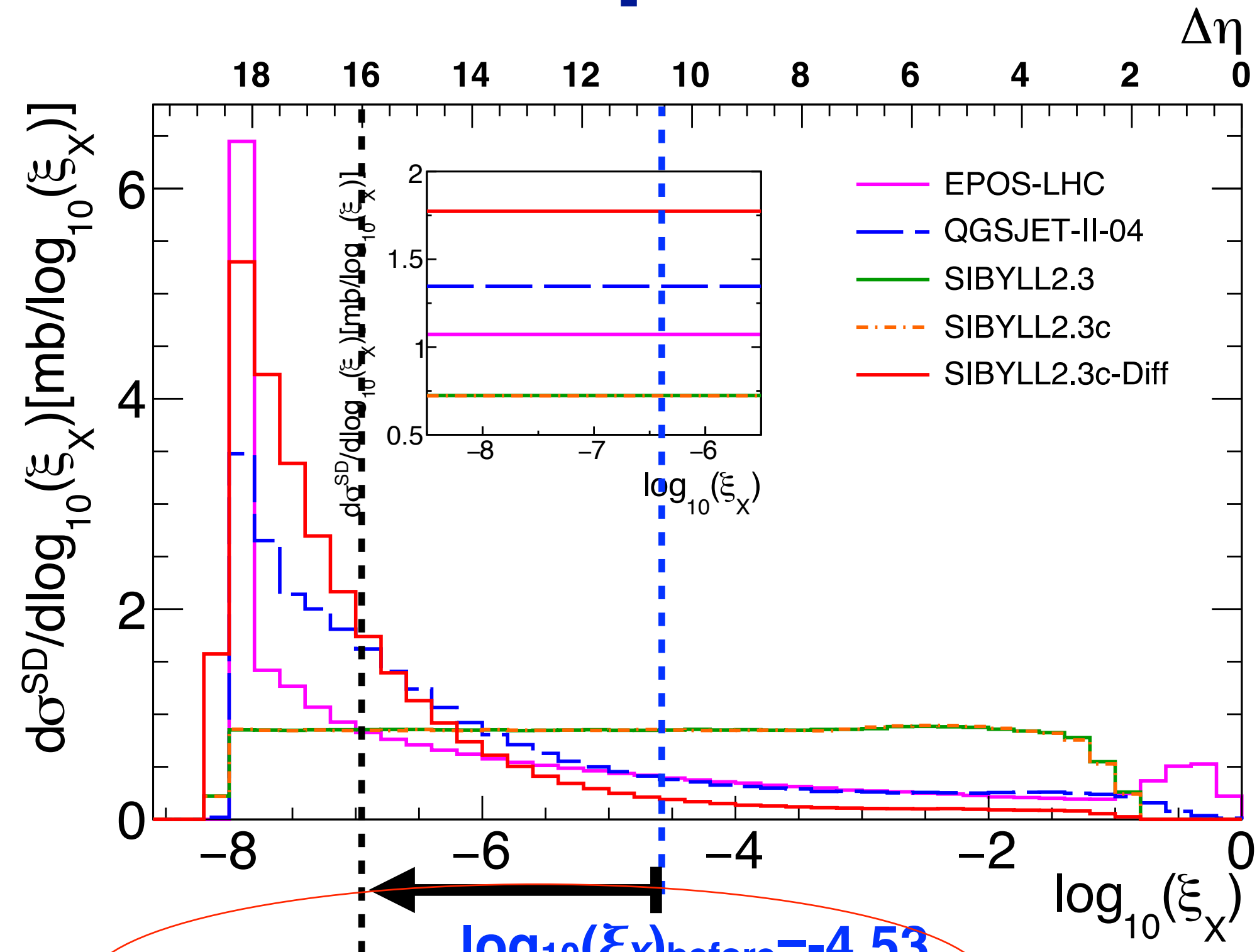
Spectra compare to SIBYLL2.3



SIBYLL2.3c-Diff improved a lot compare to joint analysis results

Impact to determination of X_{max}

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$\log_{10}(\xi_X)_{\text{before}} = -4.53$

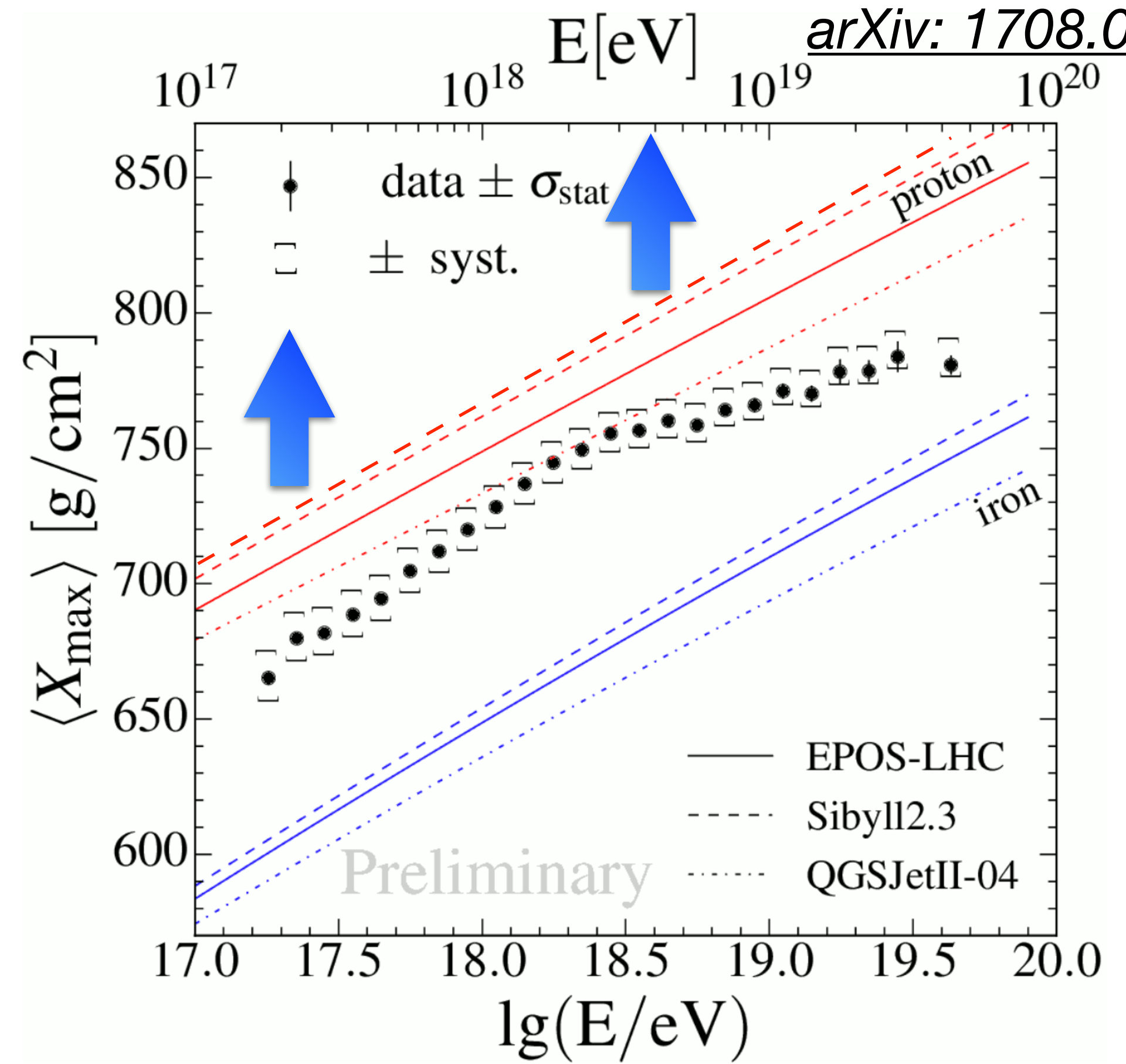
$\log_{10}(\xi_X)_{\text{after}} = -6.92$

average shift

$$K_{inela} \approx \xi_X = \left(\frac{M_X}{\sqrt{s}}\right)^2 \approx e^{-\Delta\eta}$$

$$\Delta \log_{10}(\xi_X) = 2.39$$

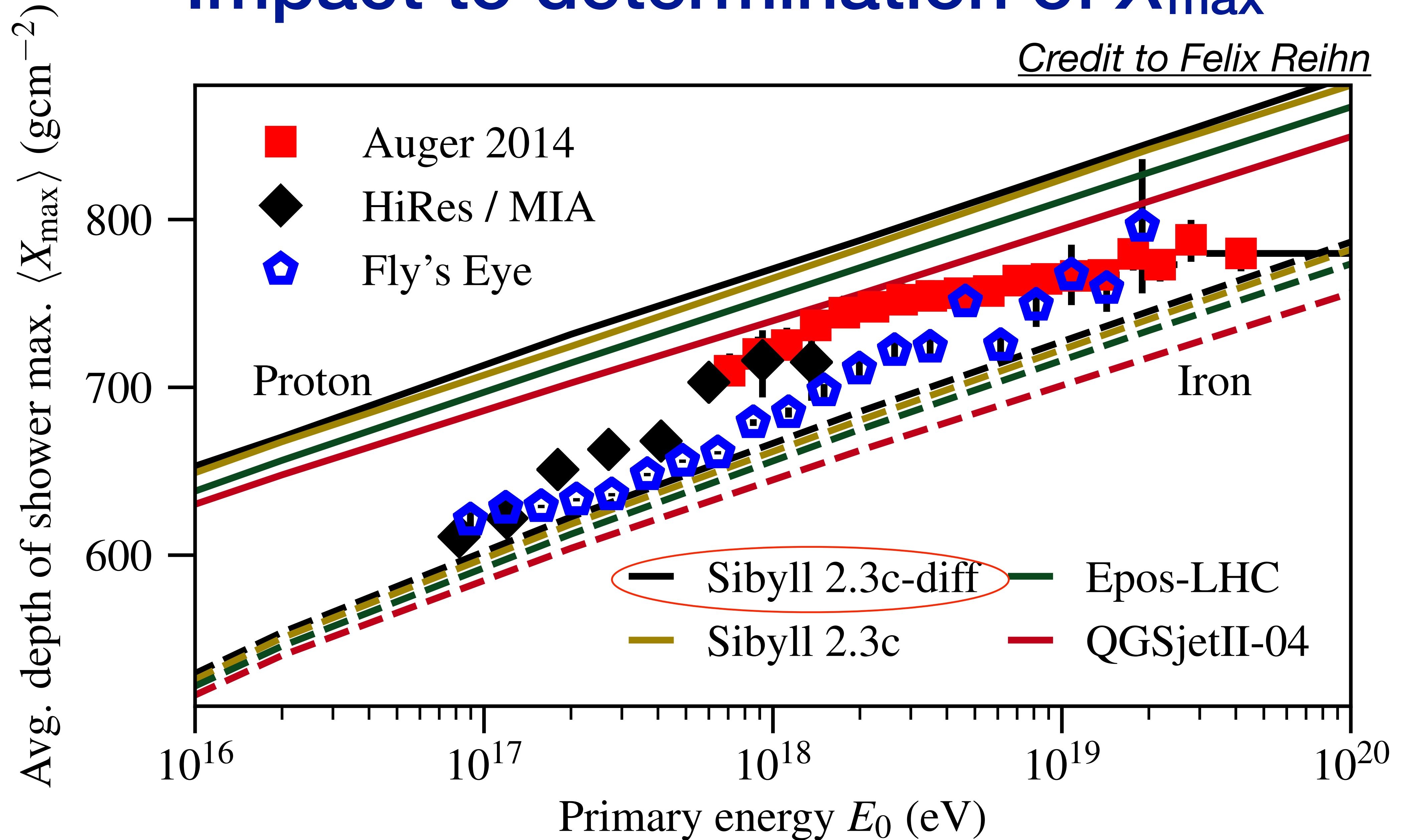
$$\Delta X_{max} \propto \frac{\lambda_e (\sigma_{SD} + \sigma_{DD}) \Delta \log_{10}(\xi_X)}{\sigma_{inela} \ln 10} = 5.16 \text{ g/cm}^2$$



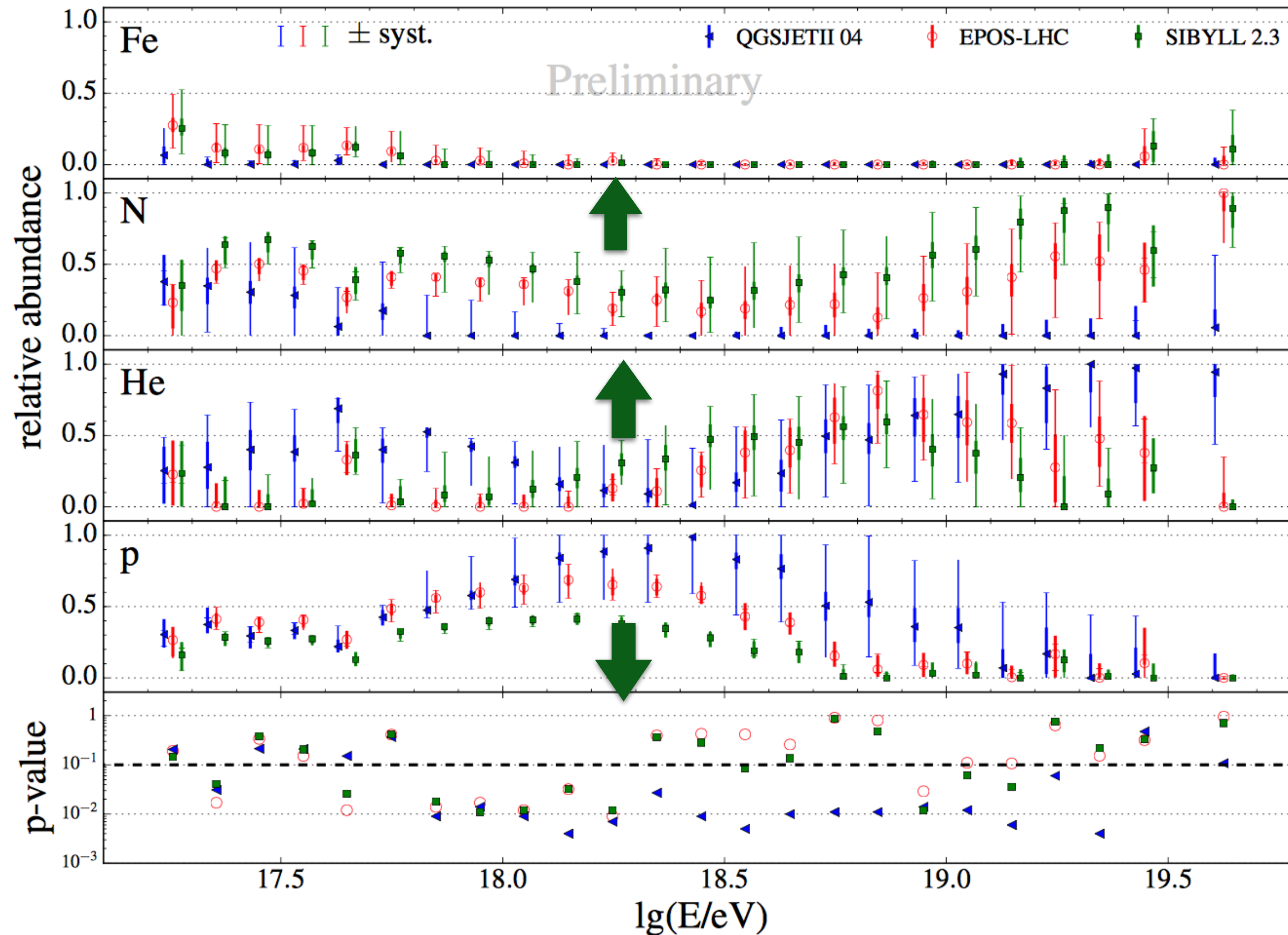
- Tuning of low-mass diffraction cross-section leads to the change of weighted average of $\log_{10}(\xi_X)$ from -4.53 to -6.92.
- X_{max} shifted up **5.16 g/cm²** according to a rough calculation.

Impact to determination of X_{\max}

Credit to Felix Reihn



Interpretation of nuclear composition



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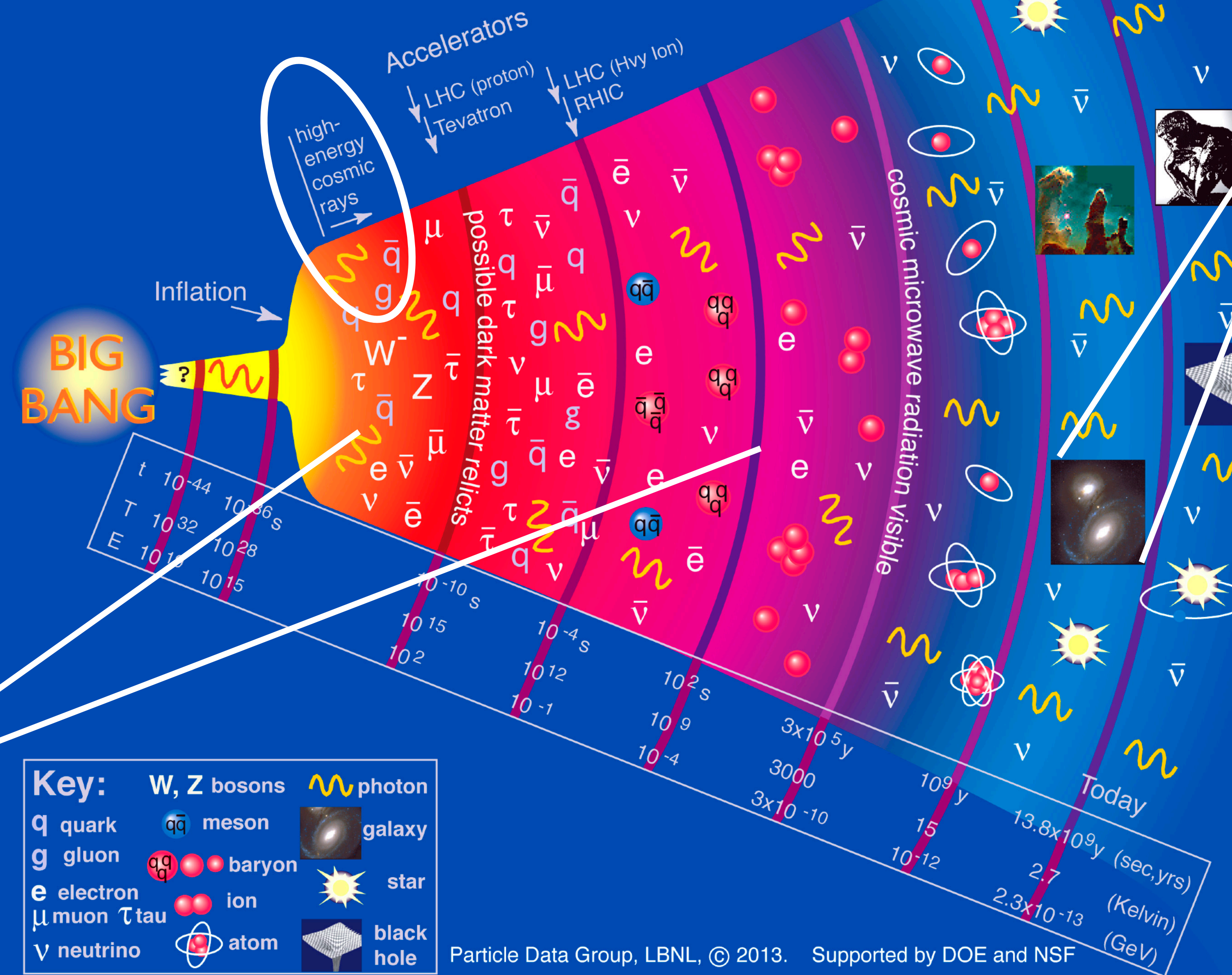
- Auger reproduced the observed X_{max} with the fractions fit of MC predictions.
- Considering X_{max} will shift to heavier direction with prediction of tuned SIBYLL2.3, it would prefer Helium and Nitrogen sources.

Short summary

- An adequate understanding of hadronic interactions is the key to solving the puzzling origin of UHECRs.
- LHCf is an experiment dedicated to measuring the neutral particle production at the very forward region, especially, the ATLAS-LHCf common experiment can explore the potential of both experiments for directly measuring the low-mass diffraction for the first time.
- It was confirmed that the low-mass diffraction measurement are very useful for constraining the implementation of diffractive dissociation, according to the tuning of SIBYLL2.3 model.
- Tuning of diffractive mass distribution has a strong correction with inelasticity, and shifted up X_{max} by 5.16 g/cm².
 - Interpretation of Auger X_{max} data based on tuned SIBYLL2.3 model shifted to heavier nuclear.

Back to the beginning of the universe

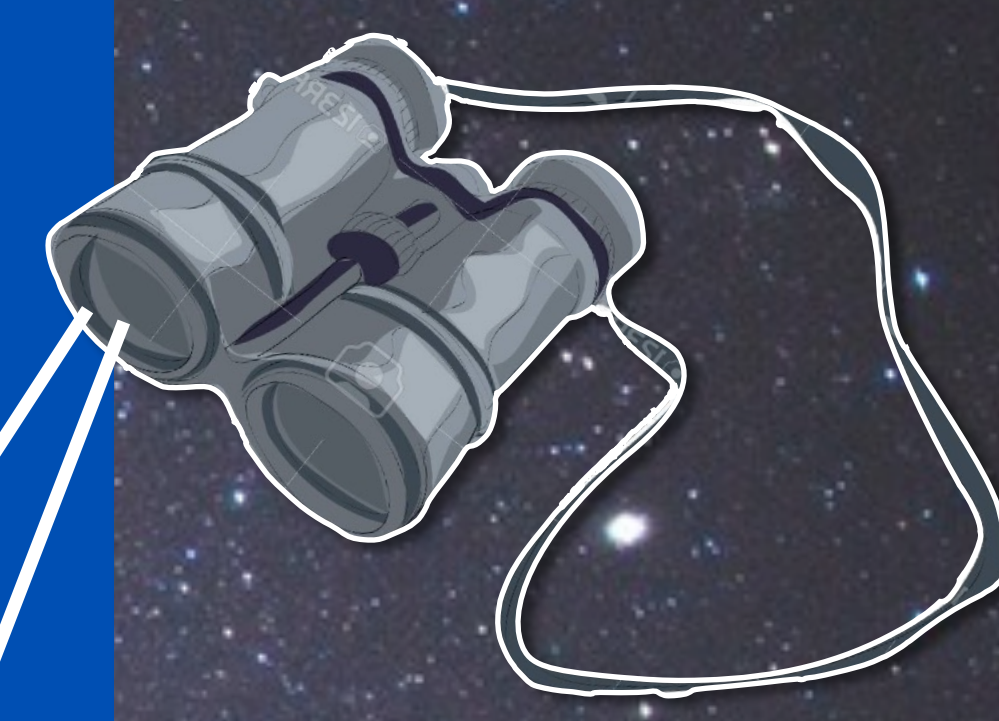
History of the Universe



Key:

W, Z bosons	photon
q quark	meson
g gluon	baryon
e electron	ion
μ muon	τ tau
ν neutrino	atom
	galaxy
	star
	black hole

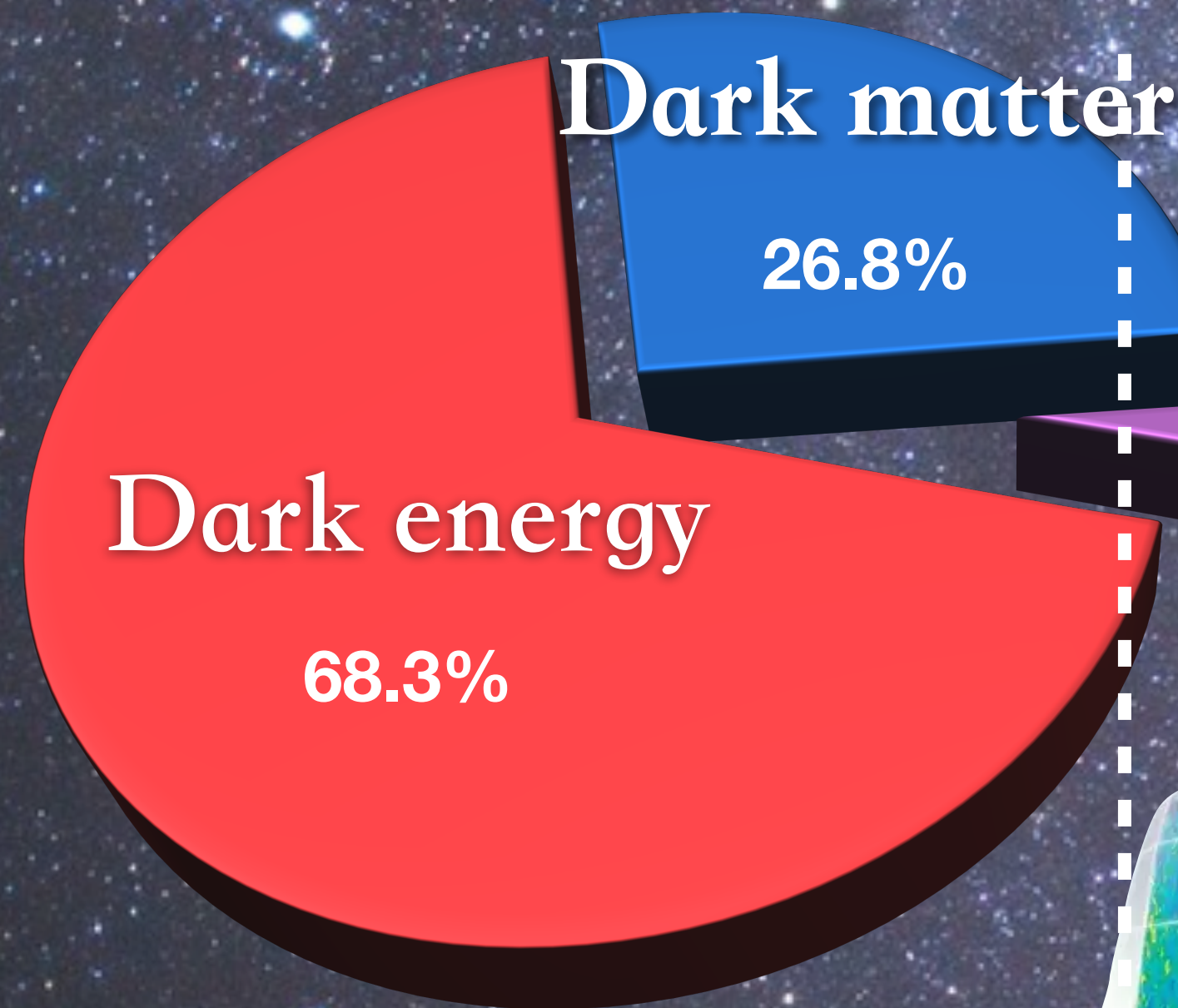
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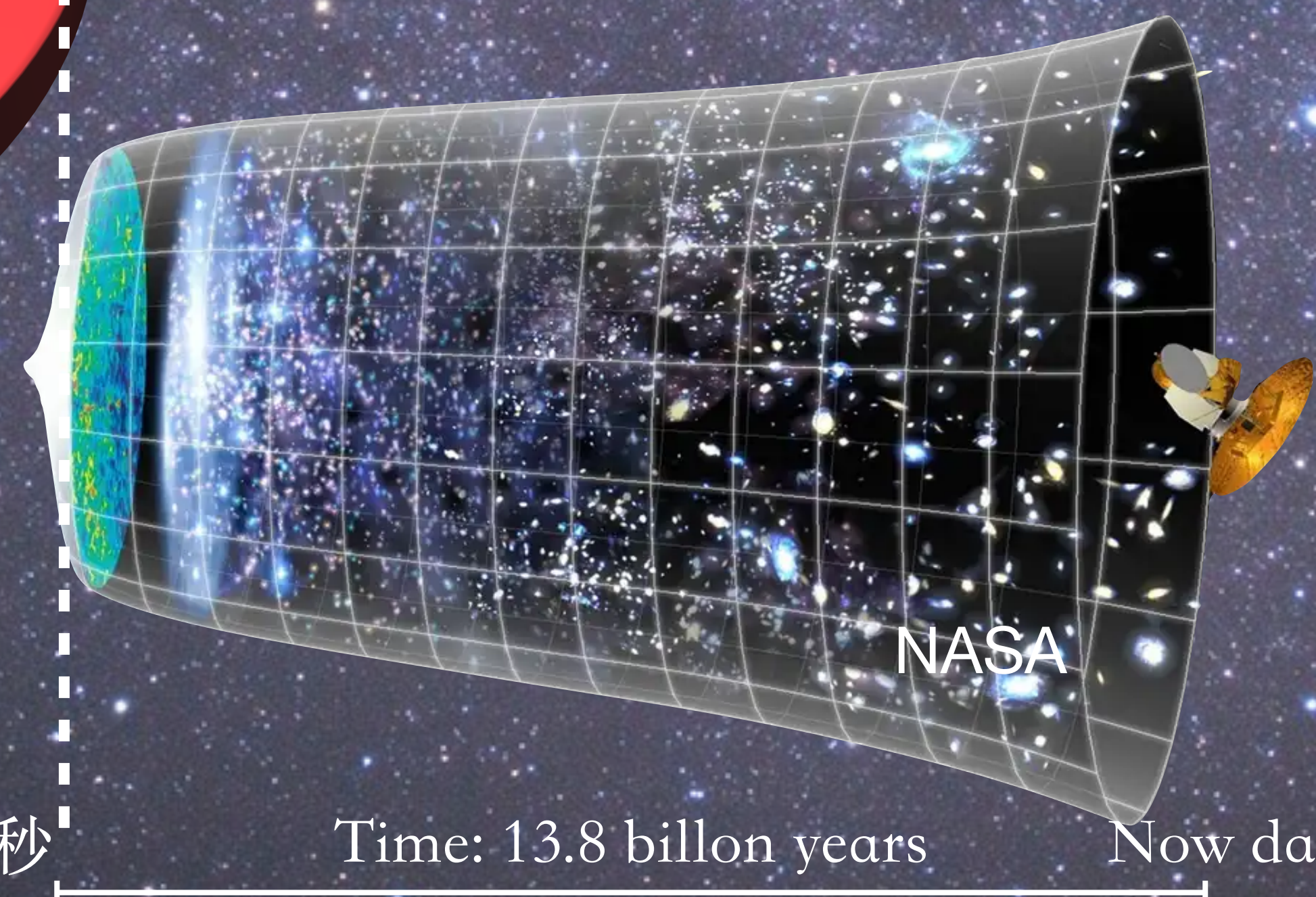
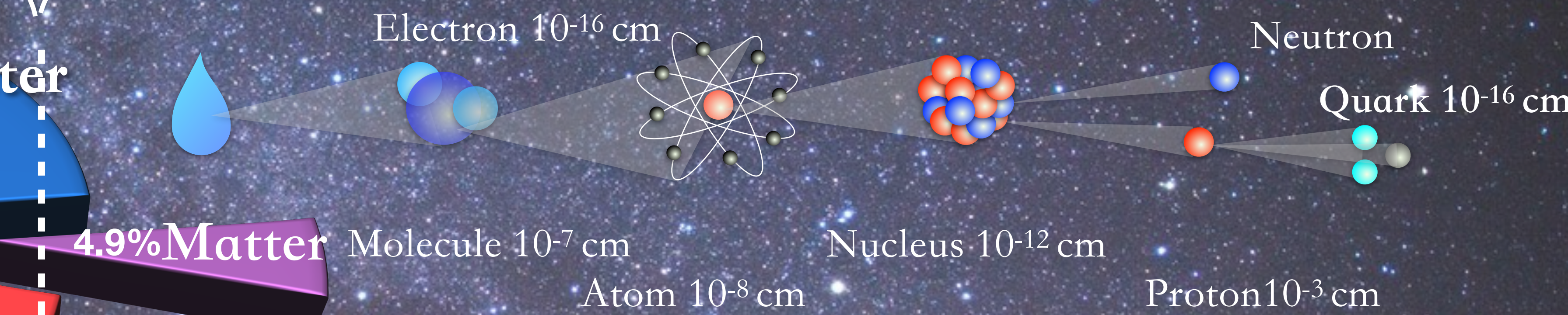
New physics

Standard model of particle physics



Matter-antimatter asymmetry ?

...



Quarks

<i>u</i> up	<i>c</i> charm	<i>t</i> top
<i>d</i> down	<i>s</i> strange	<i>b</i> bottom

Forces

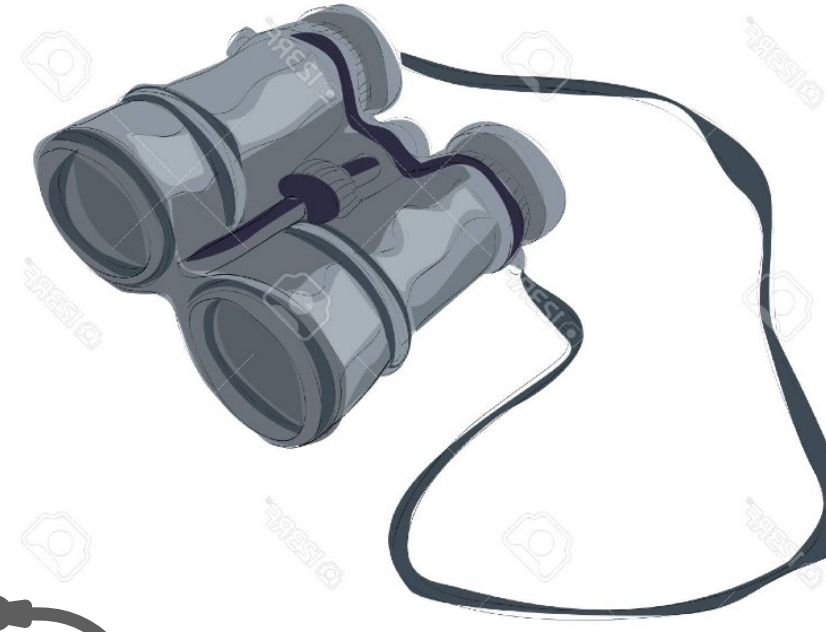
<i>Z</i> Z boson	<i>γ</i> photon
<i>W</i> W boson	<i>g</i> gluon

<i>e</i> electron	<i>μ</i> muon	<i>τ</i> tau
<i>ν_e</i> electron neutrino	<i>ν_μ</i> muon neutrino	<i>ν_τ</i> tau neutrino

Leptons

Earth
10⁶ cm

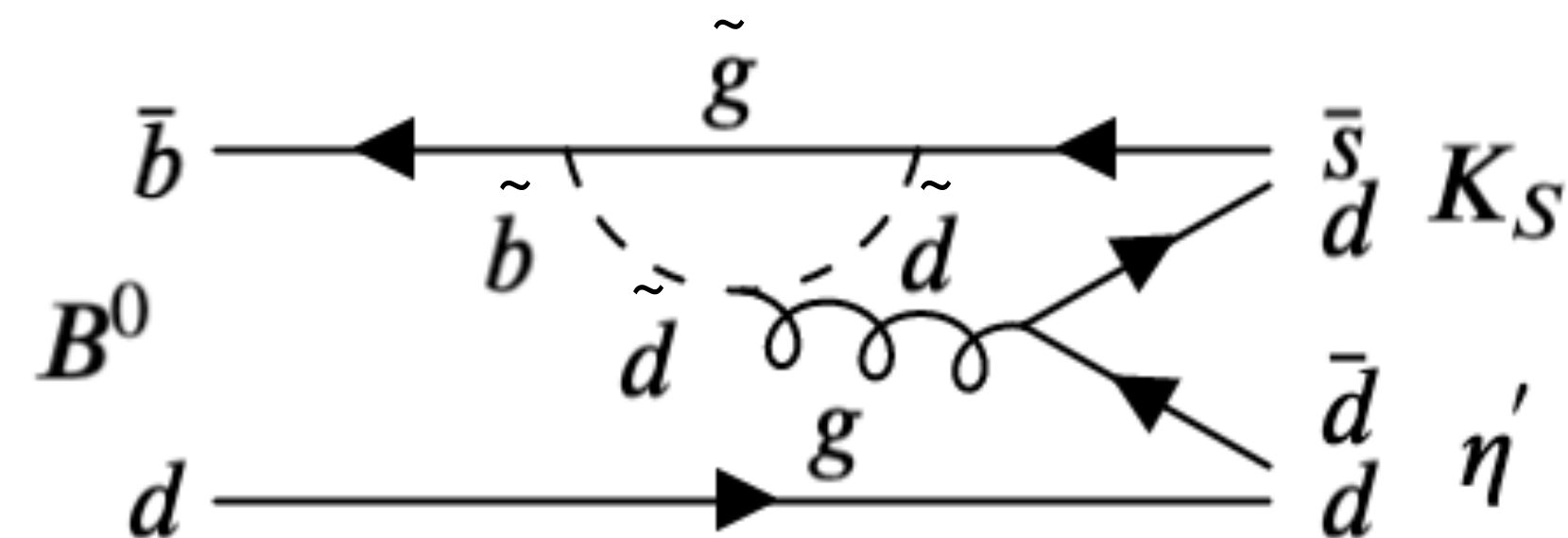
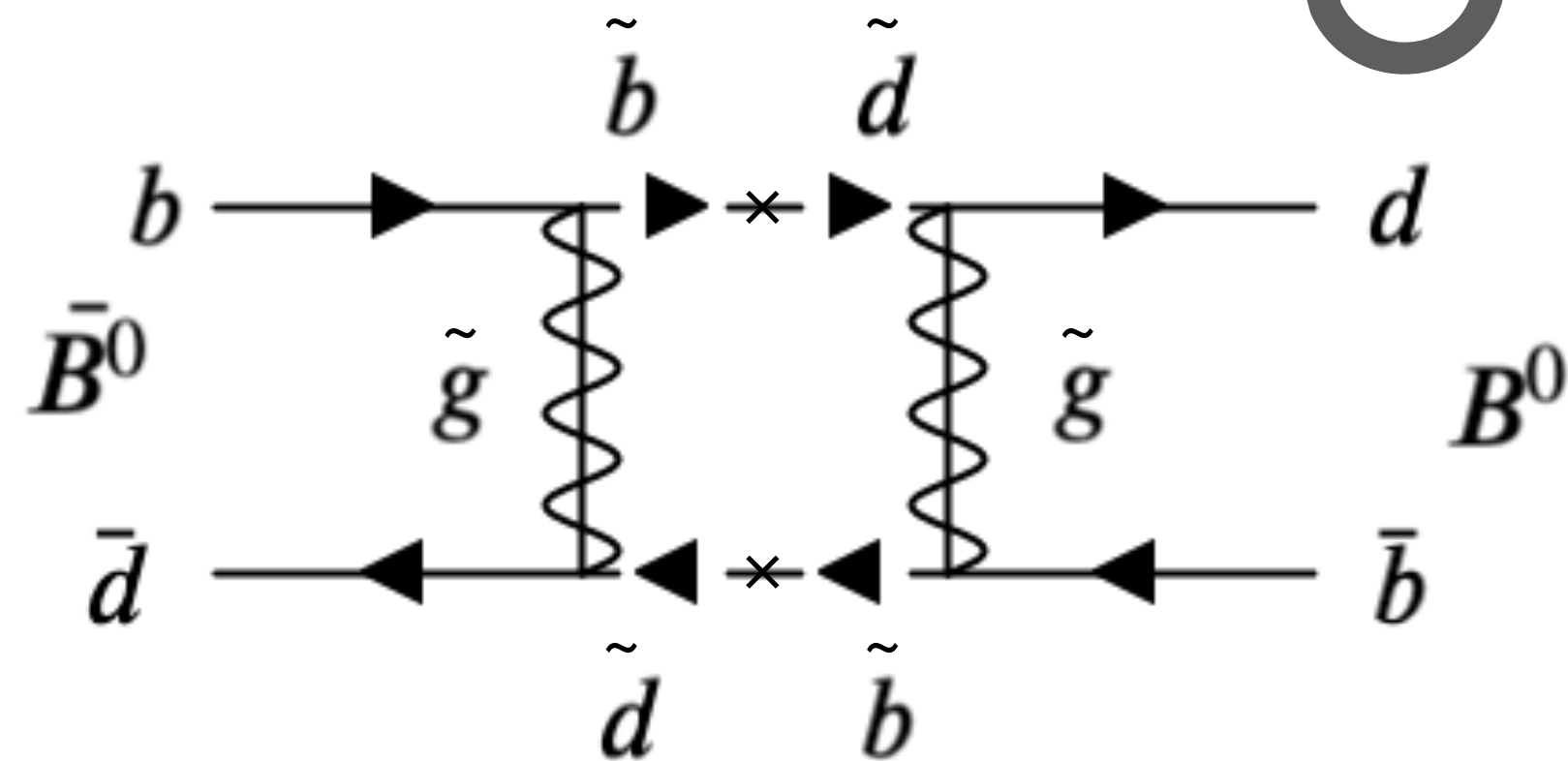
New physics search based on collider



Direct search at energy frontier



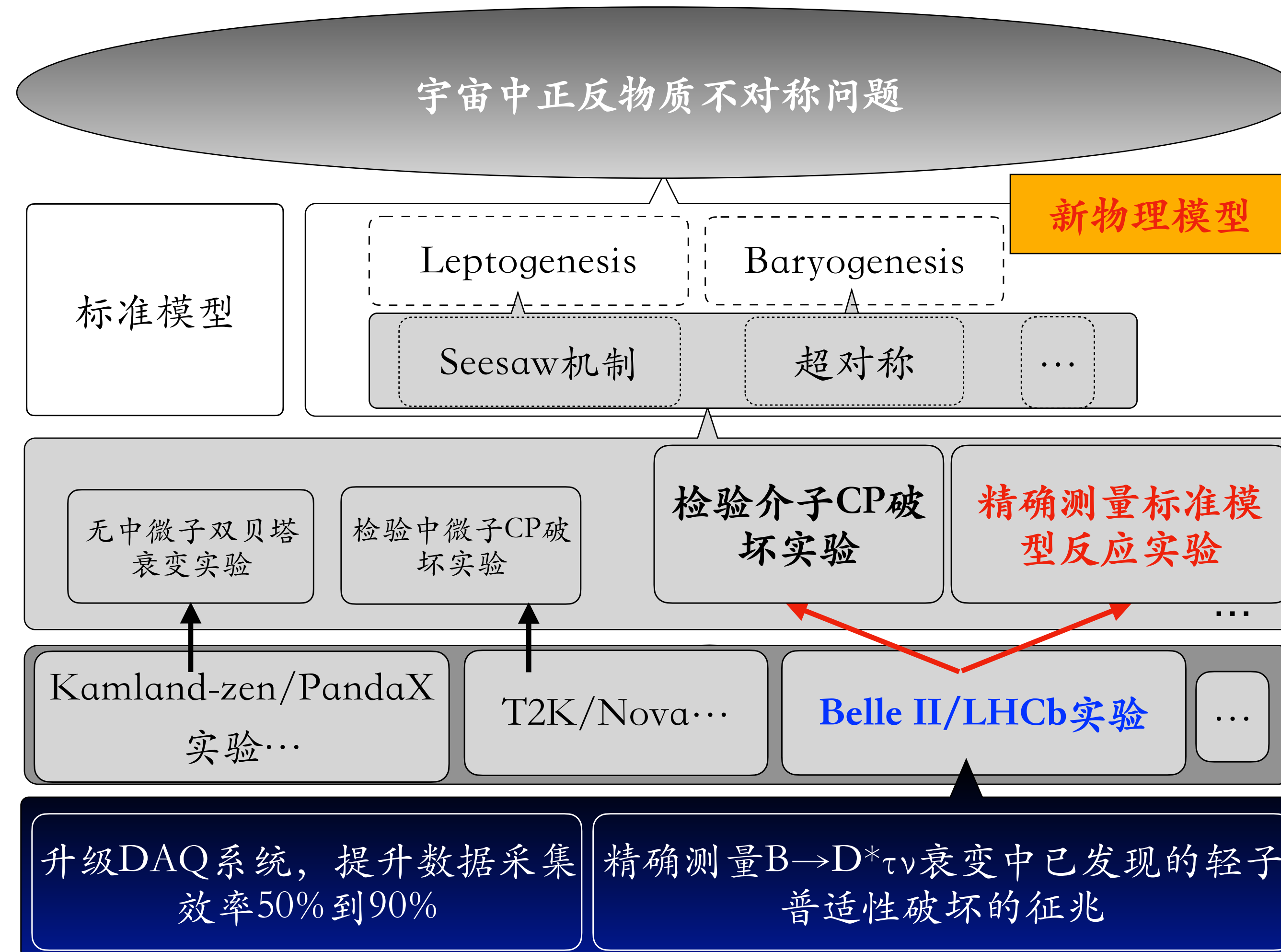
Indirect search at luminosity frontier :
(Reactions produced pre second)



- Indirect search for New Physics (NP) in quantum effect
 - Sensitivity of NP detection up to **200 TeV** for loop diagram (depending on the NP coupling constant)

arXiv:1309.2293

Lepton Flavor Universality

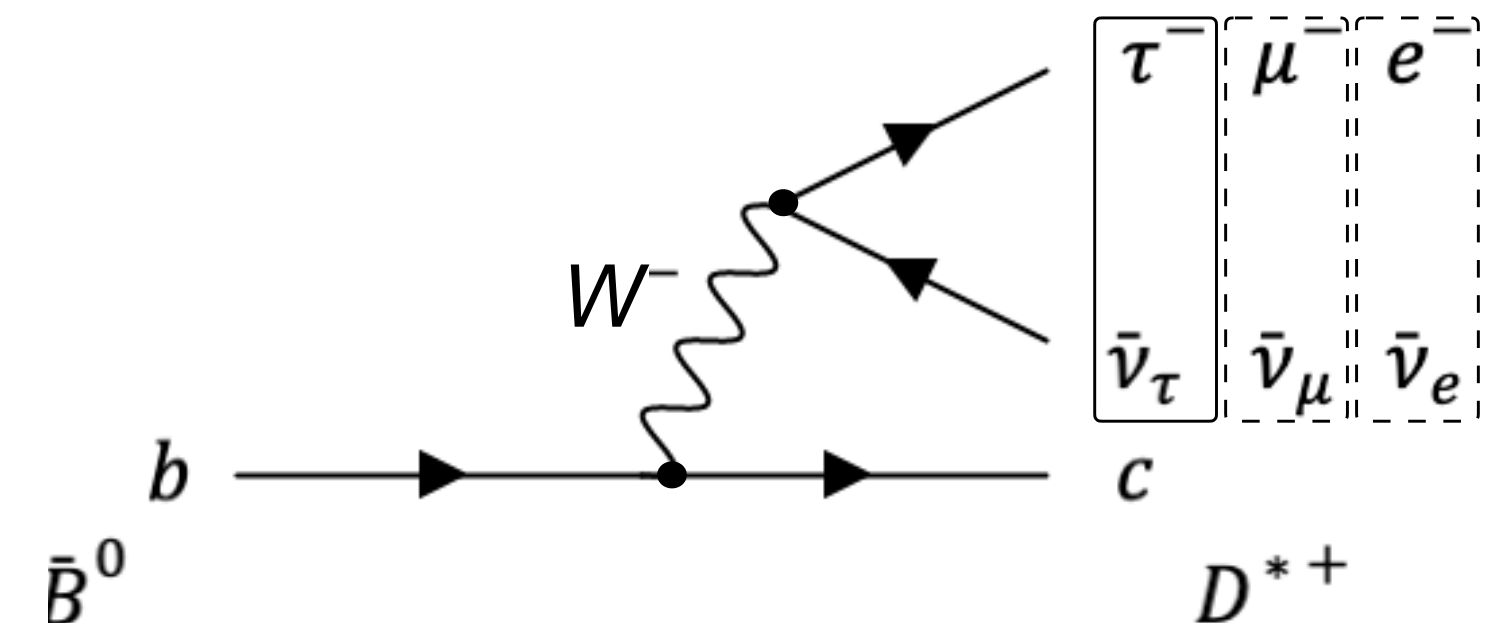


Lepton Flavor Universality

- Lepton Flavor Universality (LFU): A fundamental axiom of standard model is W boson couples, g_W , to **three generations** of leptons with **equal strength**
 - Description by matrix elements for leptonic and hadronic currents as a four Fermi interaction
 - Experiments **confirmed LFU** using W/Z boson decays, light meson decays, or lepton decays
- Difference in kinematics and Higgs coupling due to different lepton masses
 - Charged lepton mass changes **kinematics** and modifies **form factors in the hadronization**
 - QED corrections depend on lepton velocity (τ vs. $l(e, \mu)$)

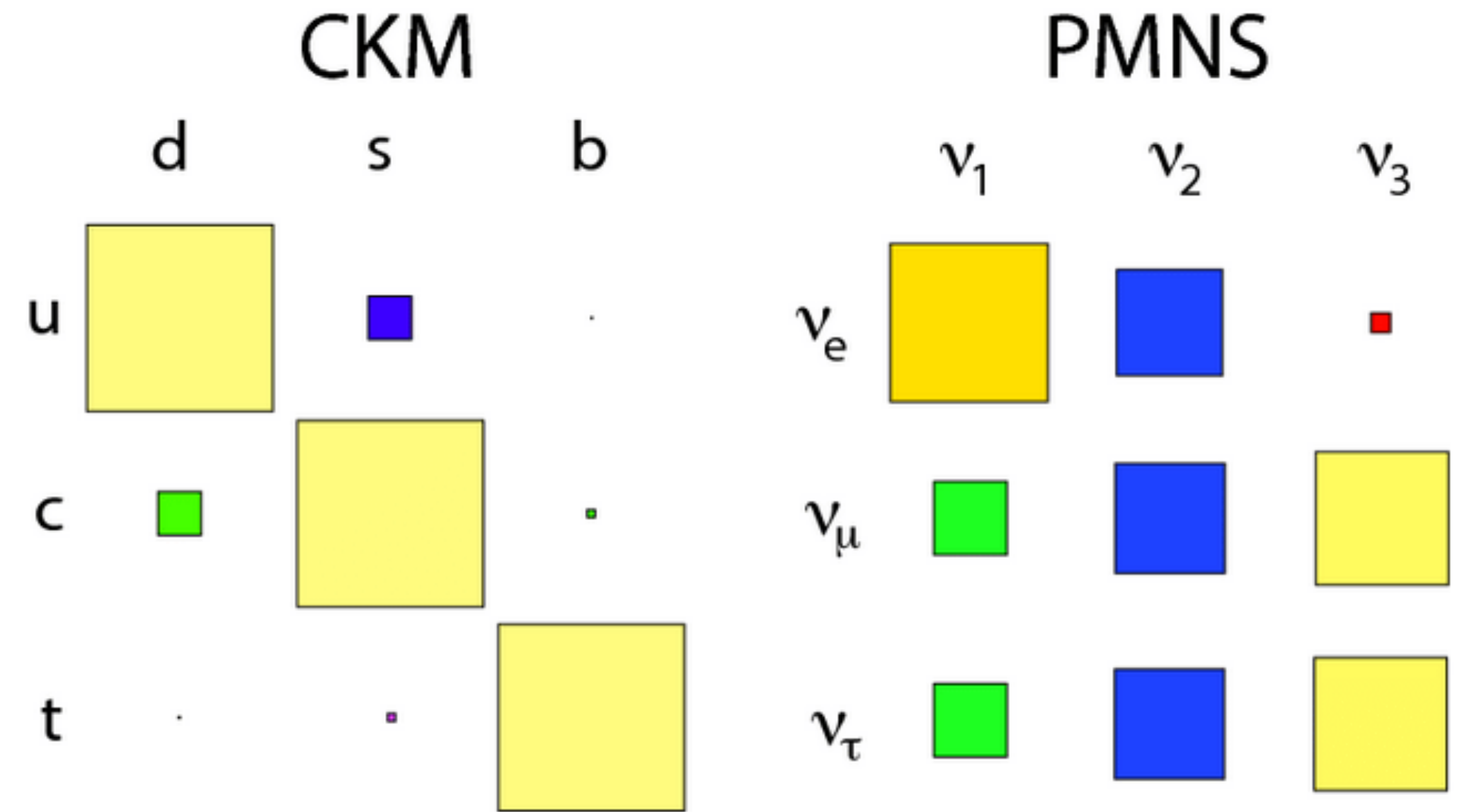
$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{eff}} = -\frac{4G_F}{\sqrt{2}} V_{cb} (\bar{c}\gamma_\mu P_L b)(\bar{l}\gamma_\mu P_L \nu_l) + \text{h. c.}, \quad (l = e, \mu, \tau)$$

$$\frac{G_F}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{g_W}{8M_W^2}, \quad g_W: SU(2) \text{ weak coupling constant}$$



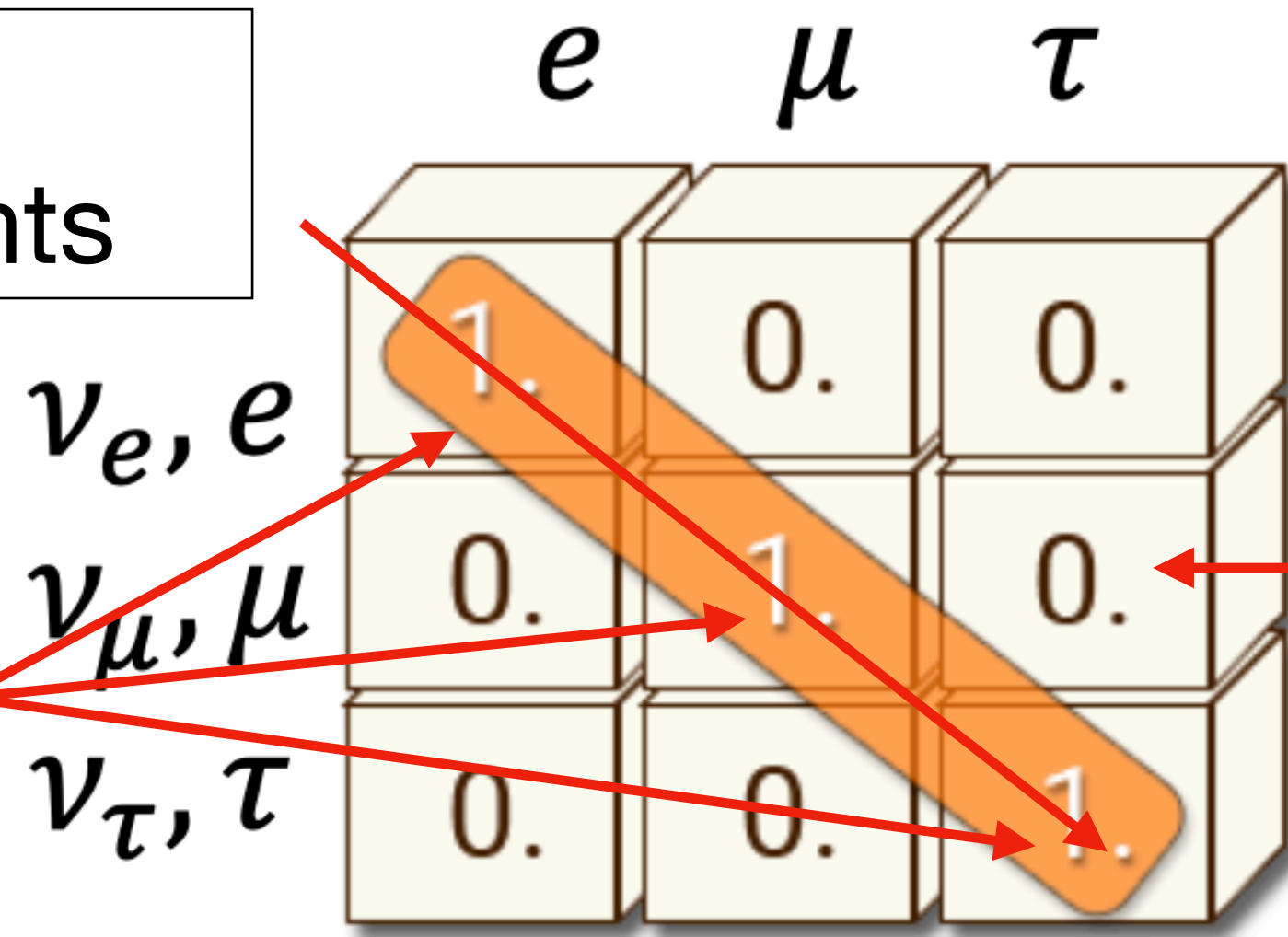
Motivation for studying LFUV

- SM fields do mix:
 - Quarks sector -> CKM matrix
 - Neutrinos sector -> PMNS matrix
- Charged leptons ->
 - the matrix diagonal-like?(neutrino mass)
- LFUV: diagonal terms not all equal

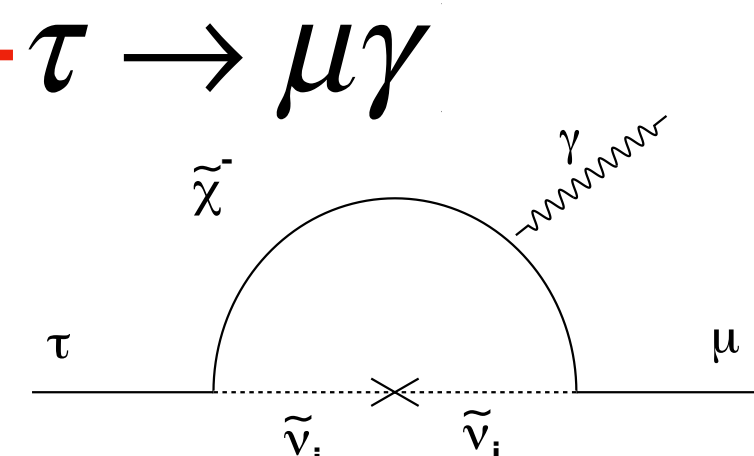


$g-2$, EDM:
diagonal elements

LFUV:
Relation among
diagonal elements

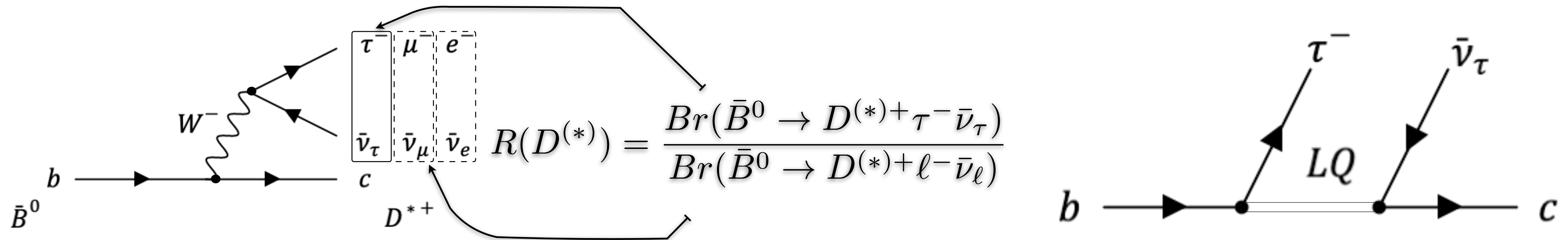


Lepton Flavor Violation (LFV):
off diagonal term



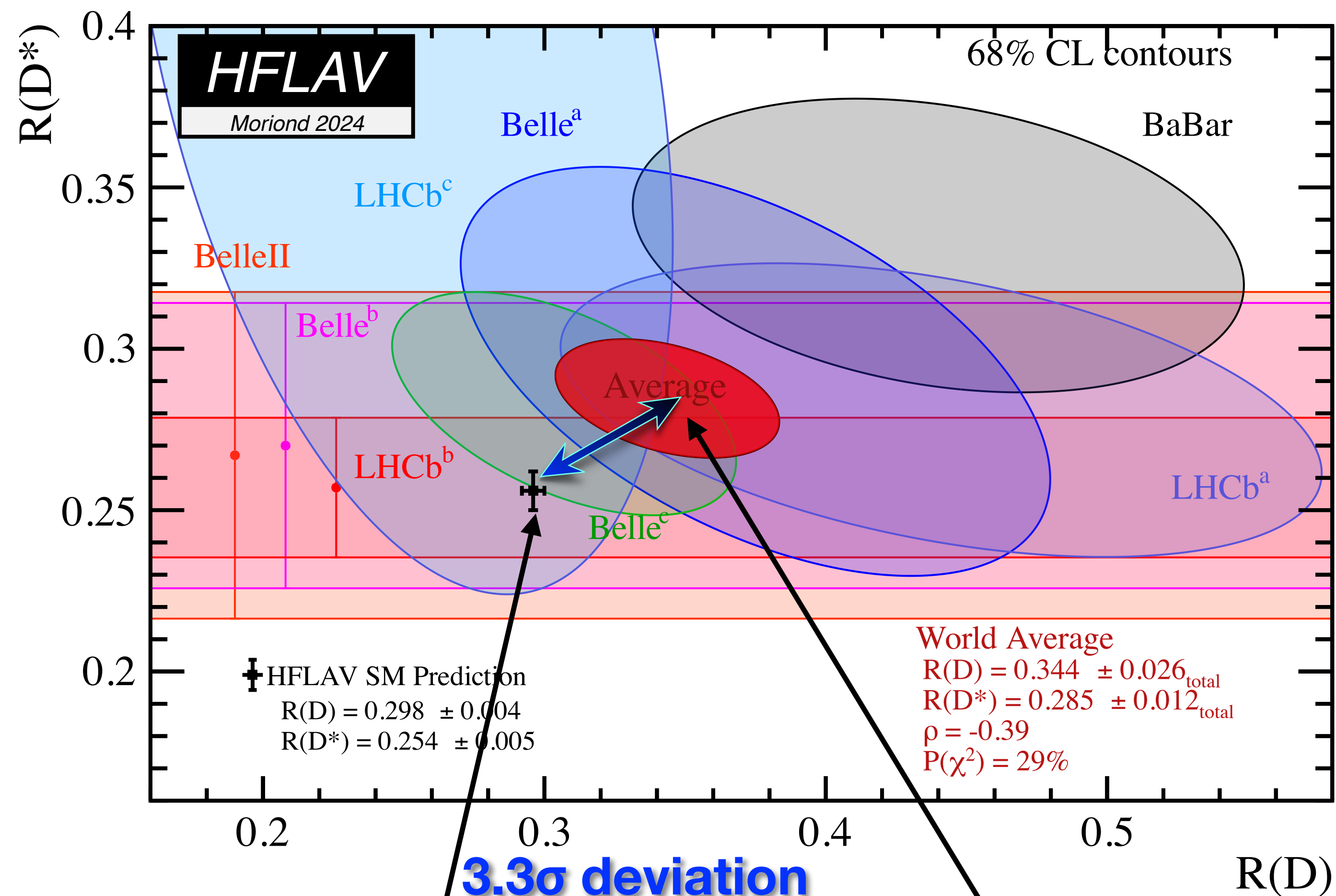
LFU test with semileptonic B decays

- Ratios of $b \rightarrow q \tau \nu / q \mu \nu / q e \nu$ branch fractions cancel out most of the uncertainties on $|V_{cb}|$, **form factors** and the **experimental systematics**
- $B \rightarrow D^{(*)} \tau \nu$ sensitive to New Physics (NP) because the massive 3rd generation **b quark** and **τ lepton** are involved
- Sensitivities to high energy scale; ~ 10 TeV [[Belle II phys. book](#)]



		Branching fraction [%]	
		$\mathcal{B}(B^0)$	$\mathcal{B}(B^+)$
World average ($\ell = e$ or μ)	$\bar{B} \rightarrow X_c \ell^- \bar{\nu}_\ell$	10.1 ± 0.4	10.8 ± 0.4
	$\bar{B} \rightarrow D^* \ell^- \bar{\nu}_\ell$	5.41 ± 0.11	5.03 ± 0.11
SM	$\bar{B} \rightarrow D^* \tau^- \bar{\nu}_\tau$	~ 1.37	~ 1.28

“B anomaly” in semileptonic decays



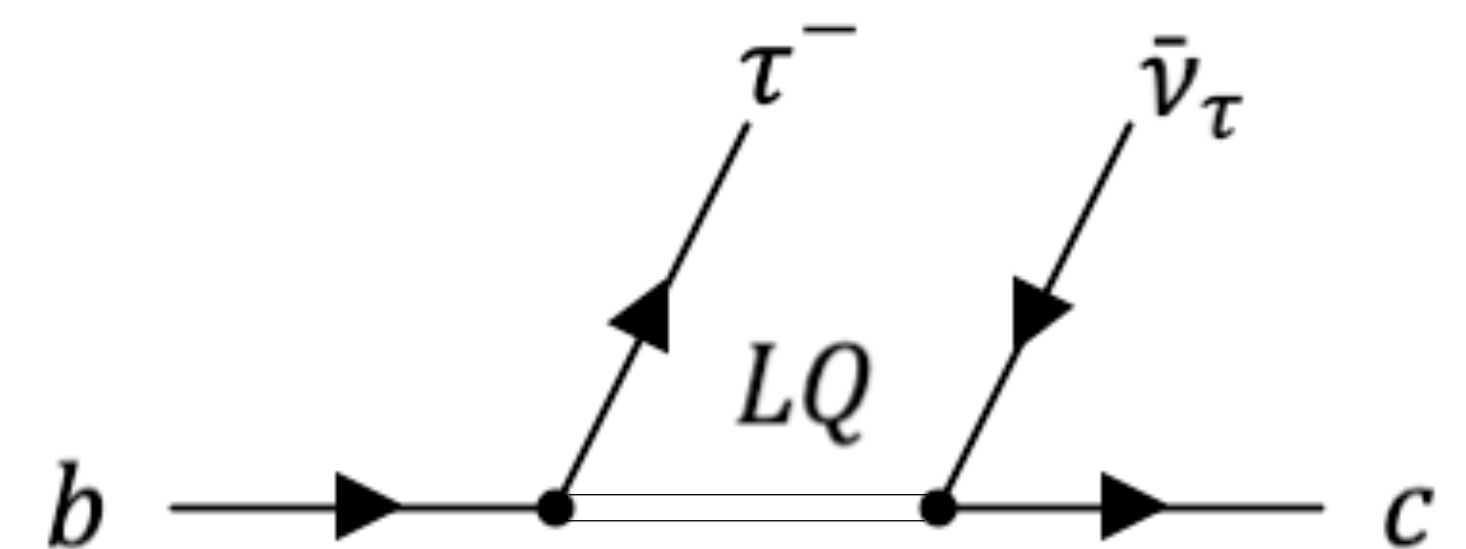
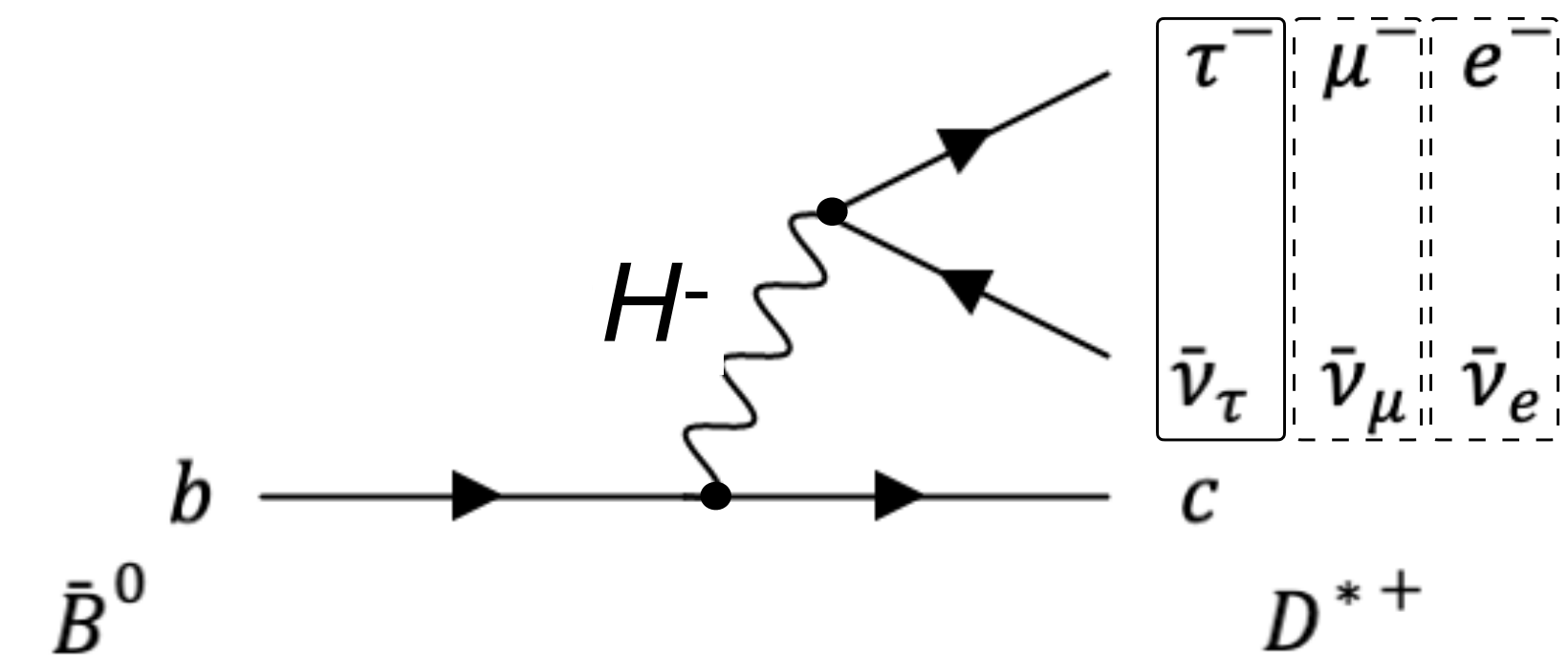
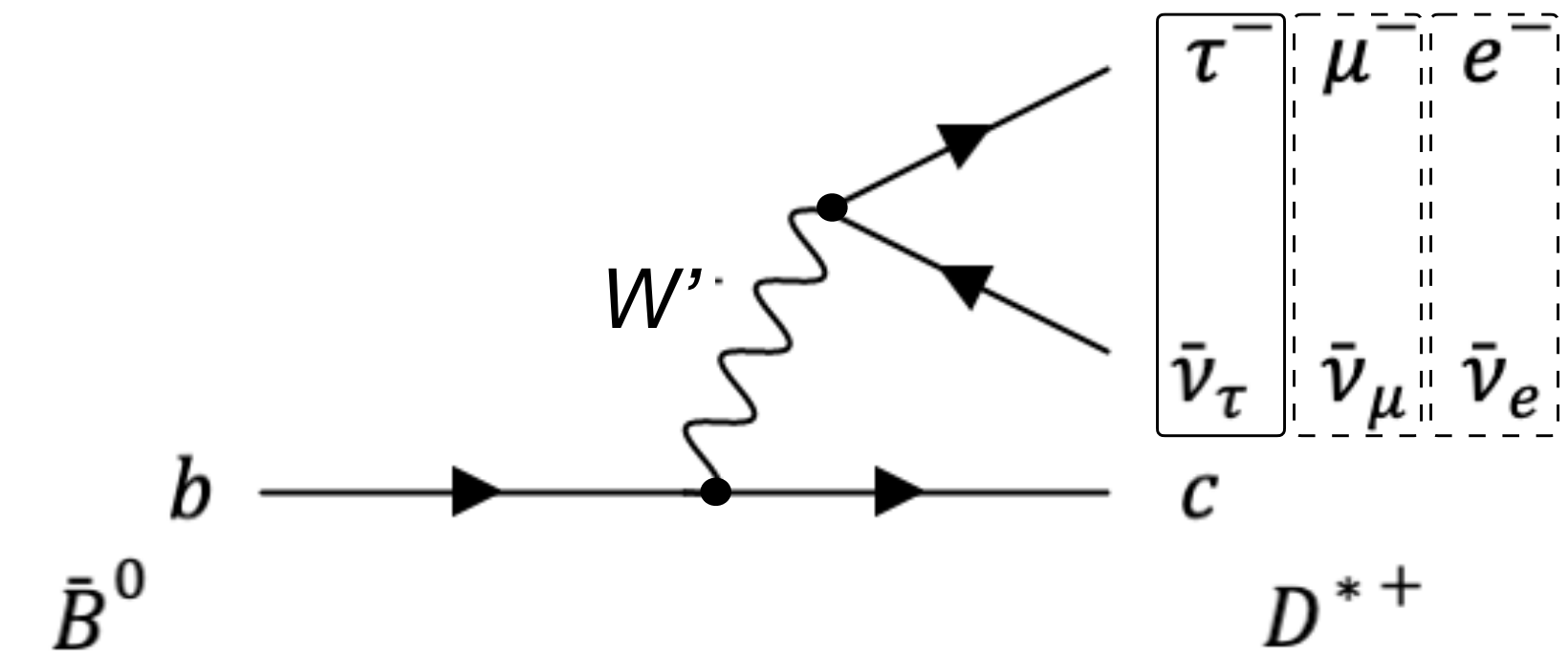
Standard Model prediction

Experimental average results

New physics scenarios for the $R(D^{(*)})$ anomaly

In general, there are three typical candidate scenarios to explain the anomaly observed in $R(D^{(*)})$

- Heavy vector bosons
 - Constrained from $W' \rightarrow \tau \nu$ and $Z' \rightarrow \tau \tau$ search
- Charged Higgs
 - Constrained from $B_c \rightarrow \tau \nu$ and $H^\pm \rightarrow \tau \nu$, still allowed
 - Previously, it was rejected by $B_c \rightarrow \tau \nu$ measurement, however, recovered by recalculating the B_c lifetime.
- Leptoquark
 - $gg \rightarrow LQ LQ^*$, still broad parameter regions are allowed



LFU test program at Belle and Belle II

- The analyses presented in this talk
 - $R_{\tau//}(D^*)$ at Belle II (189 fb⁻¹), PRD 110 072020 (2024)
 - $R_{\tau//}(X)$ at Belle II (189 fb⁻¹), PRL132, 211804 (2024)
 - ~~$R_{e/\mu}(X)$ from Belle II (189 fb⁻¹), PRL 131, 051804 (2023)~~
 - ~~$R_{e/\mu}(D^*)$ from Belle (711 fb⁻¹), PRD 108, 012002 (2023)~~
 - ~~Test of LFU in angular asymmetries of $B \rightarrow D^* l \nu$ at Belle II (189 fb⁻¹),
PRL 131, 181801 (2023)~~

Luminosity frontier: SuperKEKB

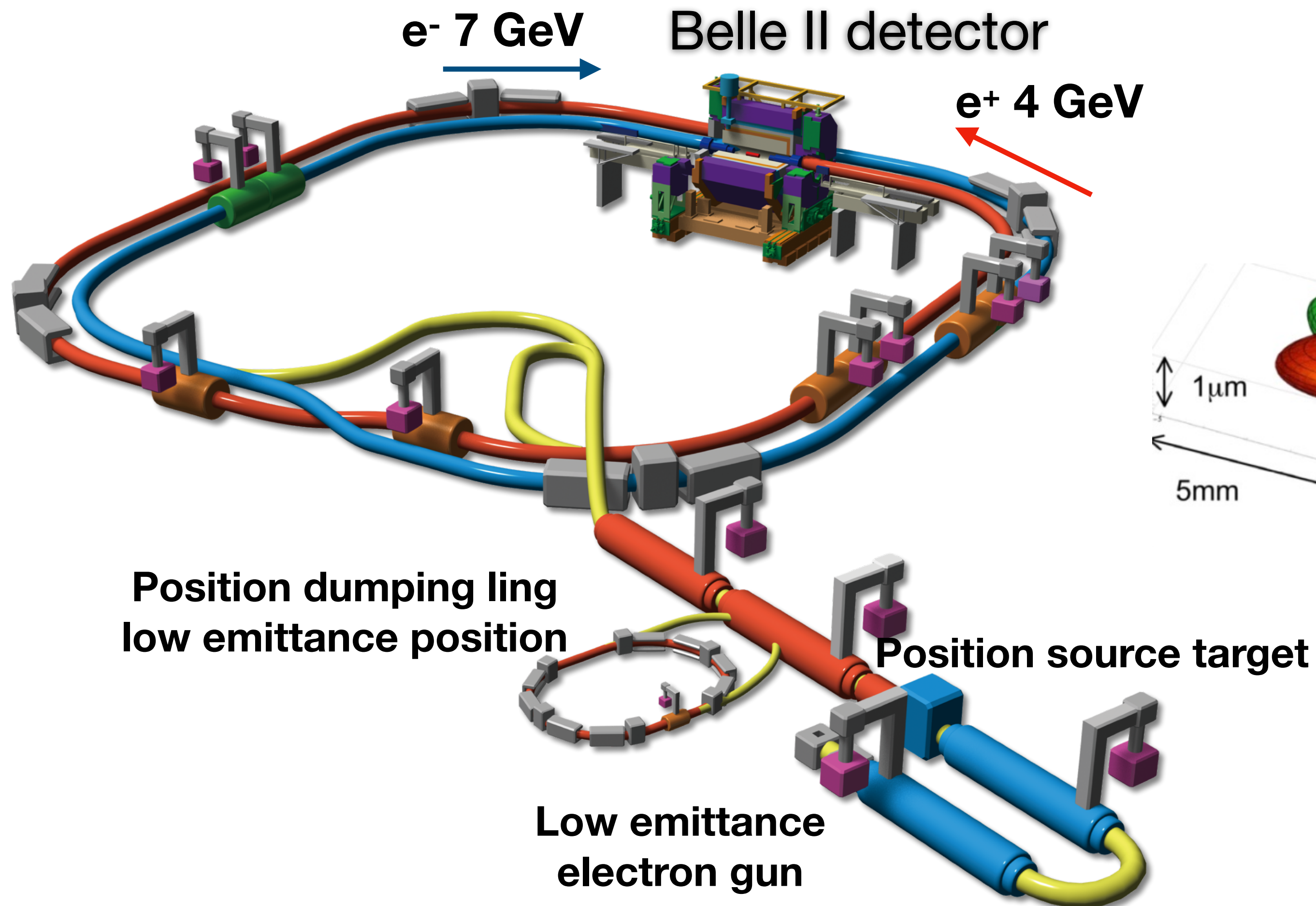
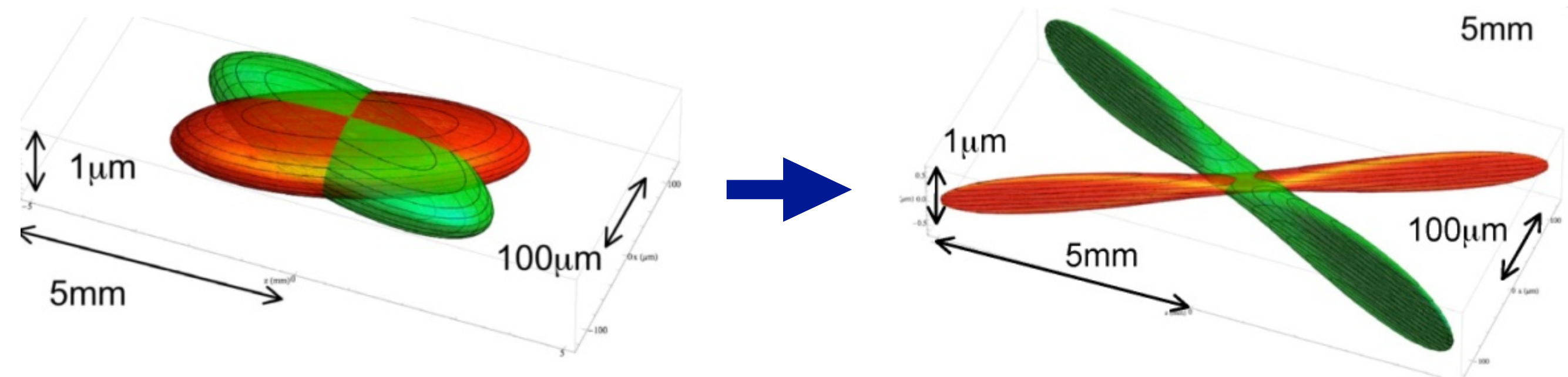
- Asymmetric e^+e^- collider
 - $e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma(4S) \rightarrow B\bar{B}$
 - ▶ very clean and well-known initial state

Beam current: KEKB $\times \sim 1.5$

$$L = \frac{\gamma_{\pm}}{2e r_e} \left(1 + \frac{\sigma_y^*}{\sigma_x^*}\right) \frac{I_{\pm} \xi_{\pm y}}{\beta_y^*} \left(\frac{R_L}{R_y}\right)$$

Beam squeeze: KEKB / ~ 20

Nano beam scheme



Target: $L = 60 \times 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$
 Achieved : $4.7 \times 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$ (Record)

• Data:

- 571 fb^{-1} (Belle II) \leftrightarrow 980 fb^{-1} (Belle)

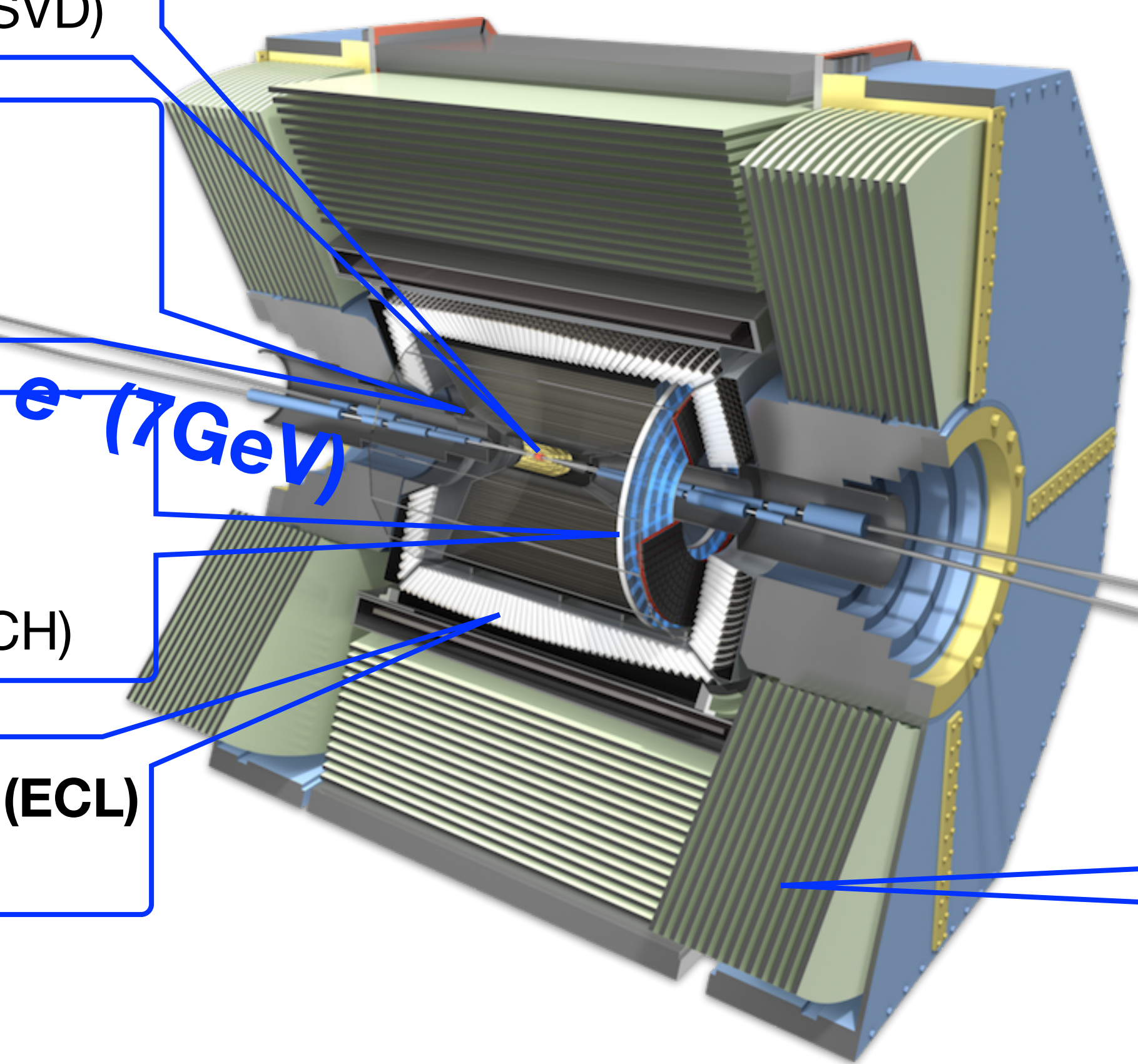
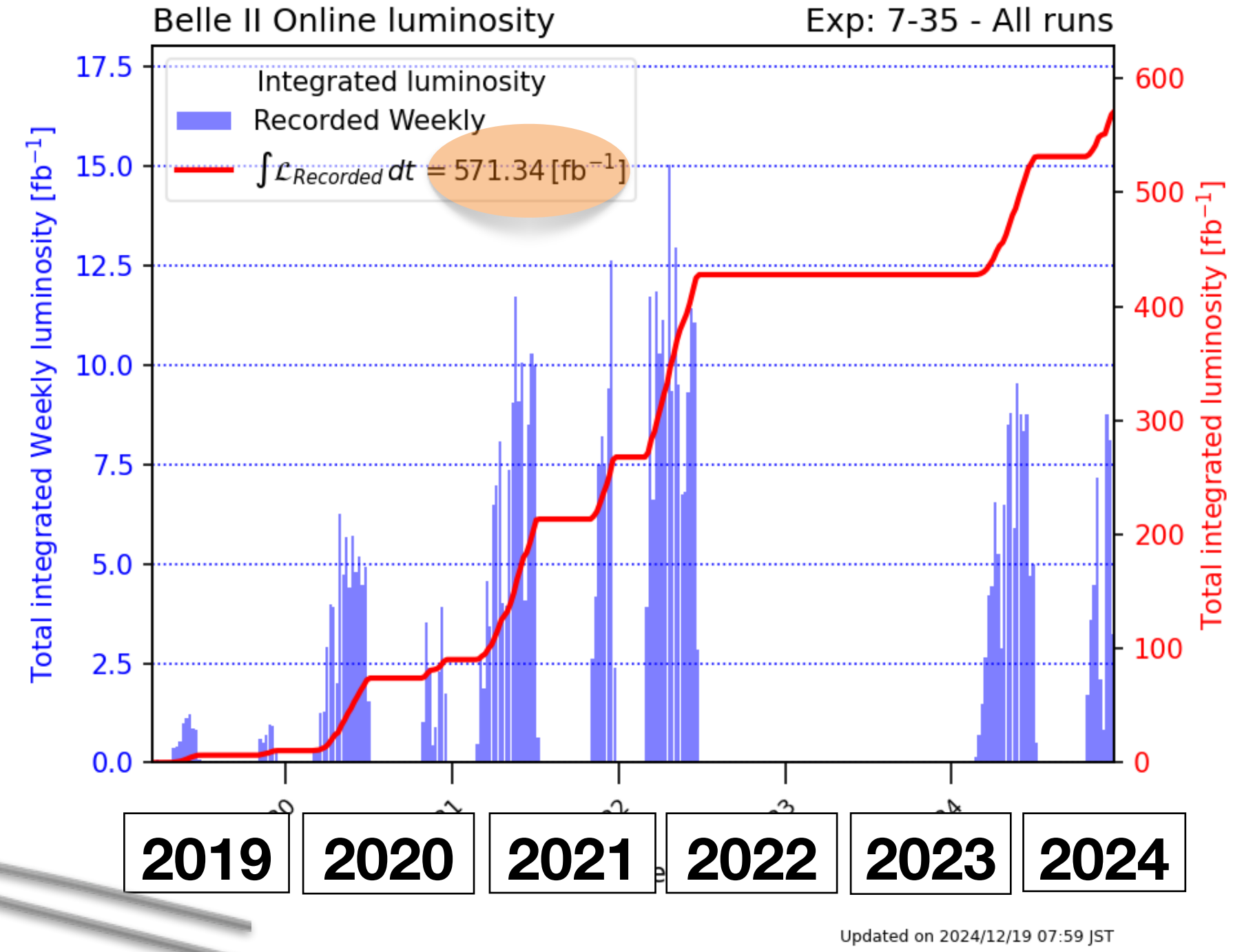
Belle II detector and dataset

Vertex detector (VXD)
 Inner 2 layers: pixel detector (PXD)
 Outer 4 layers: strip sensor (SVD)

Central Drift Chamber (CDC)
 He (50%), C₂H₆ (50%), small cells, long lever arm

Particle Identification
 Barrel: Time-Of-Propagation counters (TOP)
 Forward: Aerogel RICH (ARICH)

ElectroMagnetic Calorimeter (ECL)
 CsI(Tl) + waveform sampling



***K_L/μ* detector (KLM)**
 Outer barrel: Resistive Plate Counter (RPC)
 Endcap/inner barrel: Scintillator

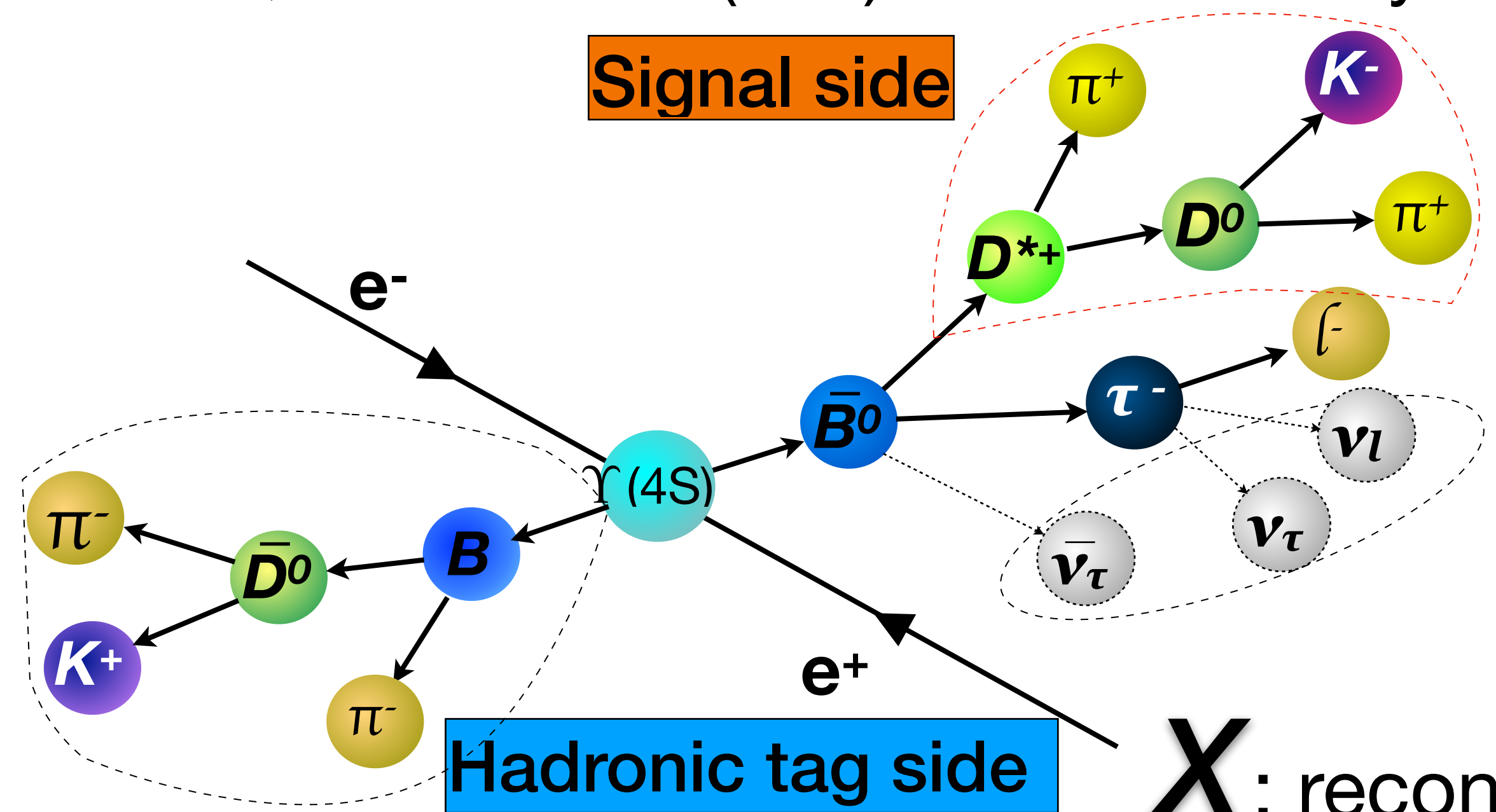
- Features:
 - Near-hermetic detector
 - Vertexing and tracking: σ vertex $\sim 15\mu\text{m}$, CDC spatial res. $100\mu\text{m}$ $\sigma(P_T)/P_T \sim 0.4\%$
 - Good at measuring neutrals, π^0 , γ , $K_L\dots$ $\sigma(E)/E \sim 2\text{-}4\%$



Hadronic tagging methods

- The $B\bar{B}$ pairs are produced near threshold
- B tagging is necessary to measure $B \rightarrow X / D^* \tau \nu$, $B \rightarrow X / D^* l \nu$ ($\nu \geq 2$) simultaneously
- Hadronic tag

- Fully reconstruct $B \rightarrow D^{(*)} (/J/\psi/\Lambda) X$
- Tagging efficiency 0.2~0.4%
- less background



- Fully reconstruct one of the B mesons (B tag), possible to measure momentum of other B meson (B signal)
- Indirectly measure missing momentum of neutrinos in signal B decays

$$M^2_{\text{miss}} = (\rho_{\text{beam}} - \rho_{B\text{tag}} - \rho_{D^{(*)}} - \rho_l)^2$$

$$E_{\text{ECL}} \text{ unassigned neutral energy in the calorimeter } E_{\text{ECL}} = \sum_i E_i^\gamma$$

X: reconstruct other particles than a lepton as X on signal side

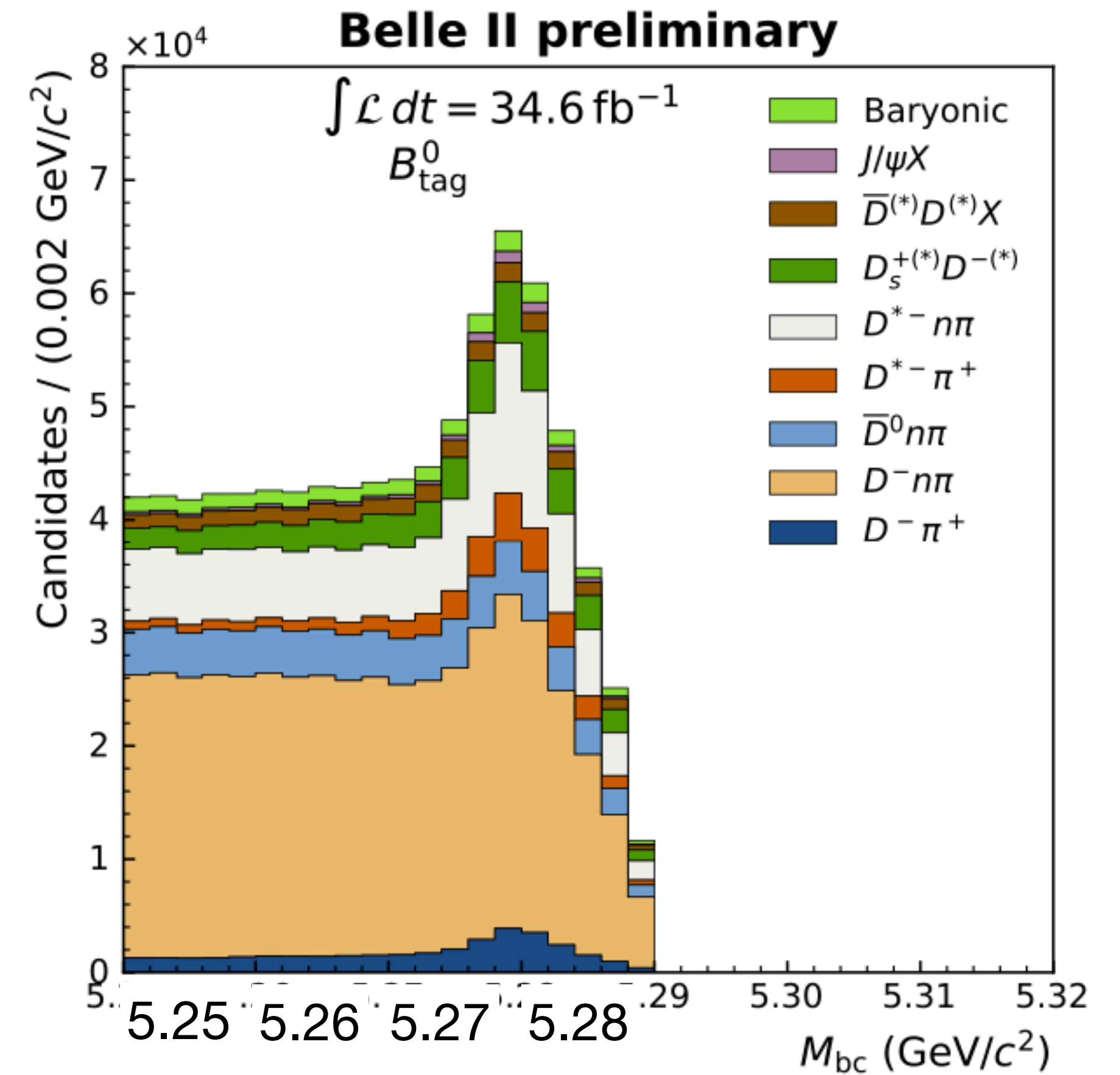
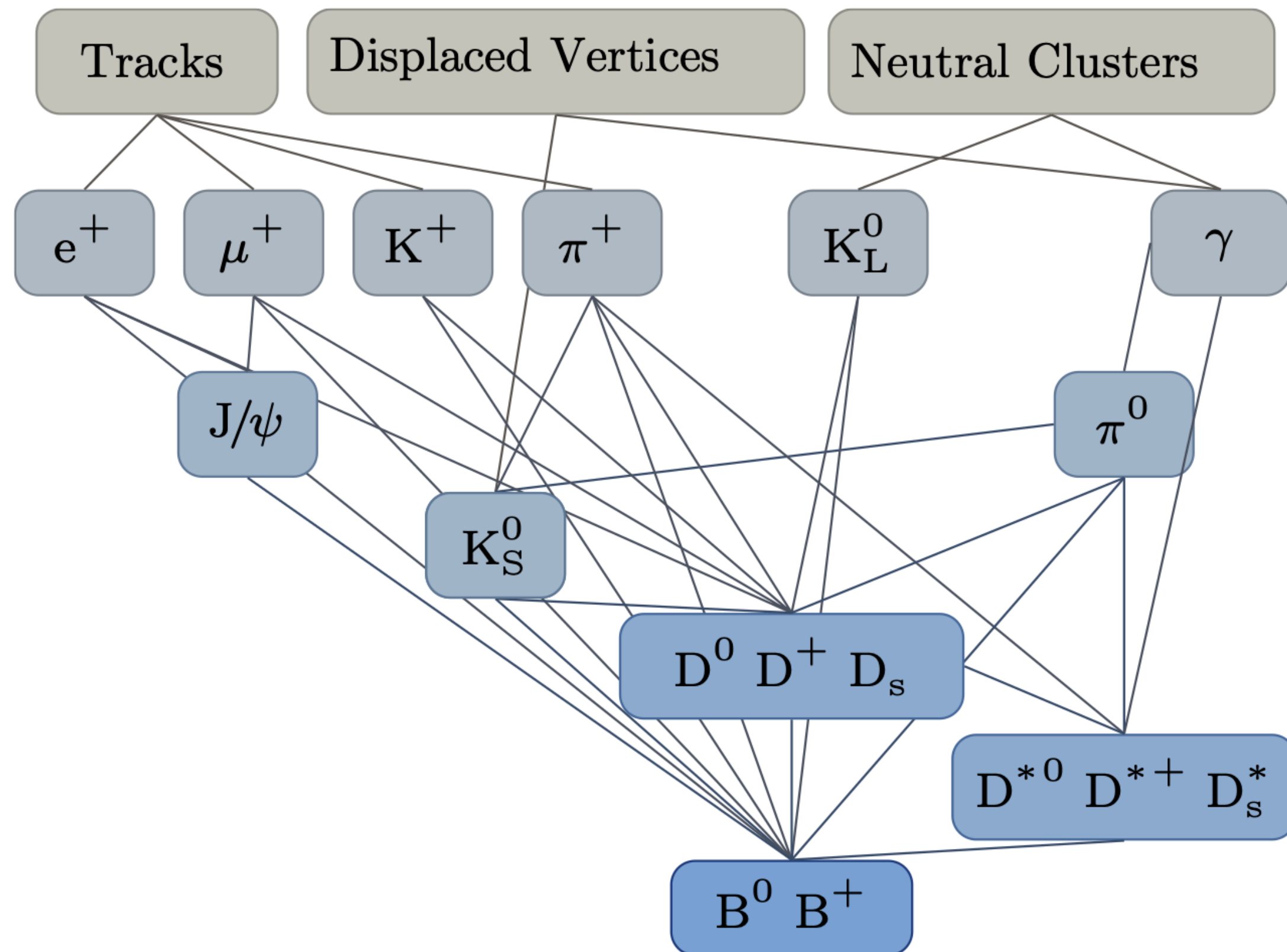
Hadronic tag reconstruction at Belle II

- Hadronic tagging reconstruction: Full Event Interpretation (FEI) trained 200 Boost Decision Tree (BDT) to reconstruct ~ 100 decay channels, $\sim 10,000$ B decay chains

- $\epsilon = 0.30\%$ for B^\pm 10-30% increased
- $\epsilon = 0.28\%$ for B^\pm @ Belle
- $\epsilon = 0.23\%$ for B^0 ←
- $\epsilon = 0.18\%$ for B^0 @ Belle

arXiv:2008.06096

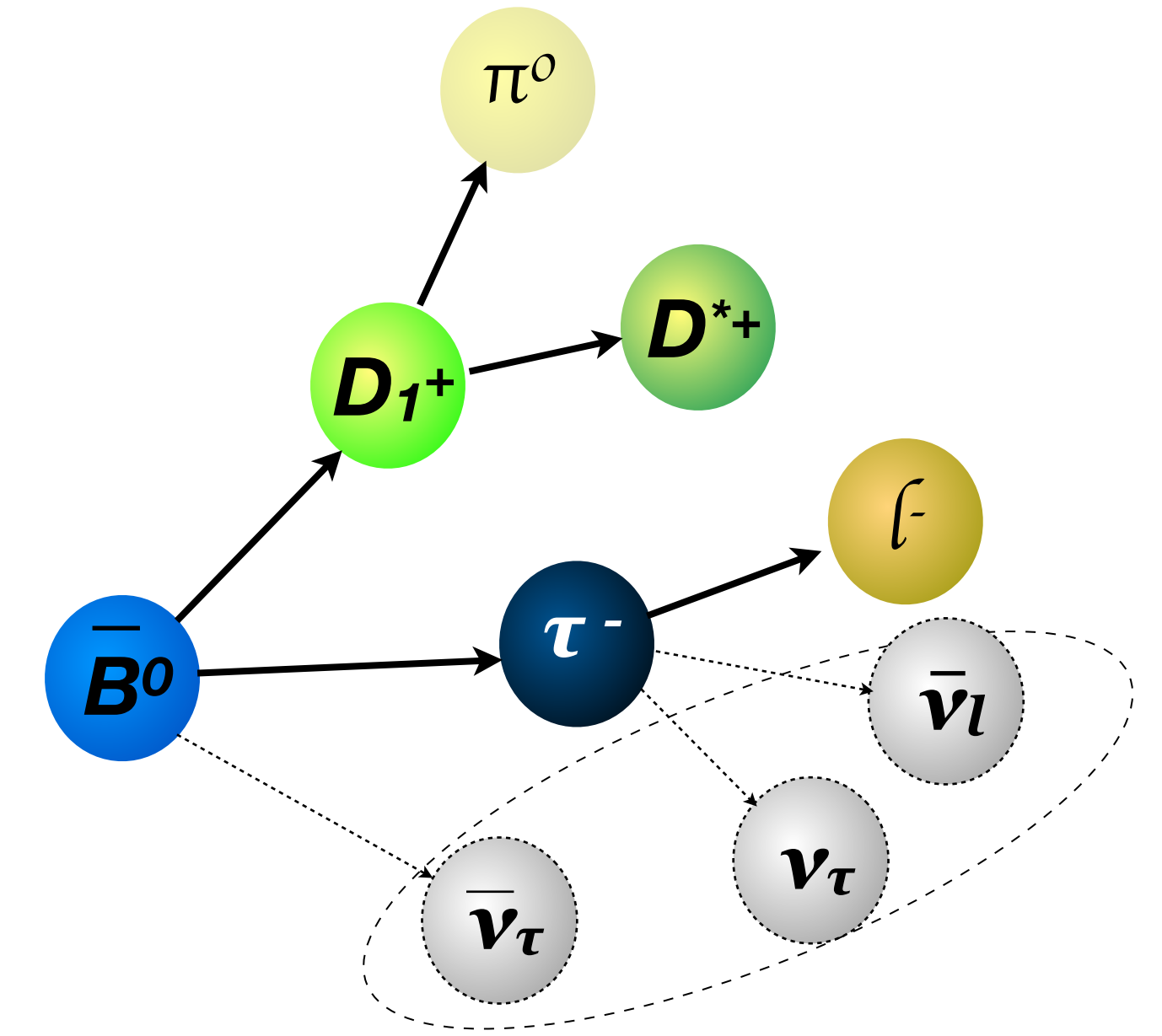
Comp. and Soft. For Big Sci. 3, 6 (2019)



$$m_{bc} = \sqrt{(E_{\text{beam}}^*)^2 - (p_B^*)^2}$$

Signal B reconstruction

- Reconstruct $B \rightarrow D^* \tau \nu$ and $B \rightarrow D^* l \nu$ with same selections
- τ lepton reconstruct with $\ell (e, \mu) \nu \nu$
- D/D^* meson reconstruct with $K^\pm, \pi^\pm, K_S, \pi^0$
- Both neutral and charged B^\pm/B^0 mesons reconstruct with D^{*+}/D^{*0} and $\tau/\ell = (e, \mu)$



$D^{*+} \rightarrow D^0 \pi^+ / D^+ \pi^0$	$\mathcal{B} \sim 98\%$
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$D^{*0} \rightarrow D^0 \pi^0$	$\mathcal{B} \sim 65\%$
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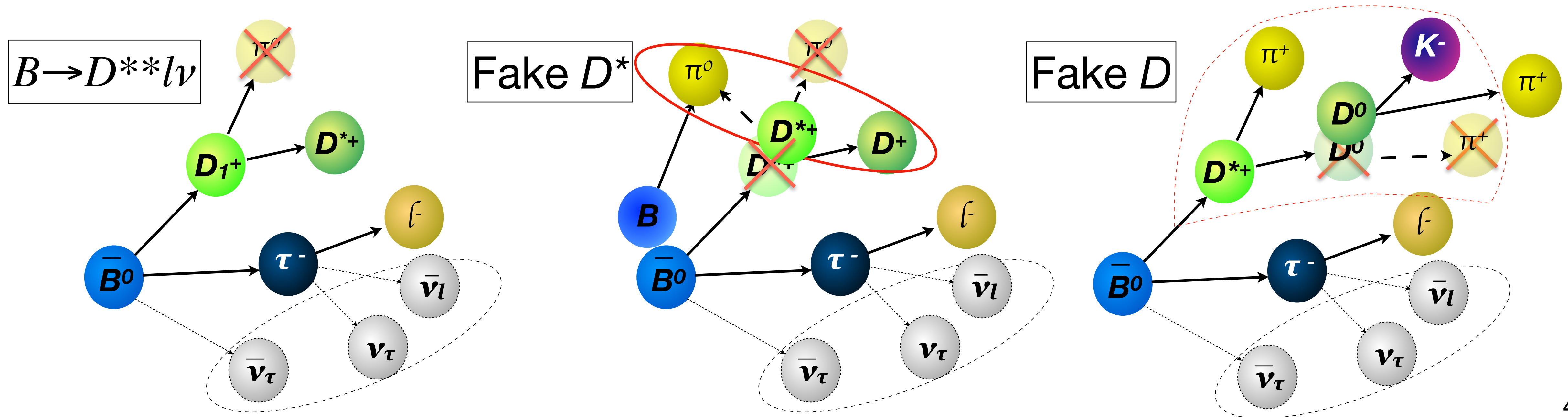
Eight D^0 modes	$\mathcal{B} \sim 36\%$
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Three D^+ modes	$\mathcal{B} \sim 12\%$
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Dominant backgrounds

- Fraction of survived B candidates in each category after event selections are estimated based on Belle II MC simulation

B candidates	$B \rightarrow D^* \tau \nu$	$B \rightarrow D^* l \nu$	Background Truth $D^{(*)}$	Background Fake $D^{(*)}$
			$B \rightarrow D^{**} l \nu, B \rightarrow D^{(*)} X, B^0 \leftrightarrow B^\pm, \dots$	
B^0	2.7%	65.5%	12.5%	19.2%
B^\pm	1.7%	34.7%	5.9%	57.8%

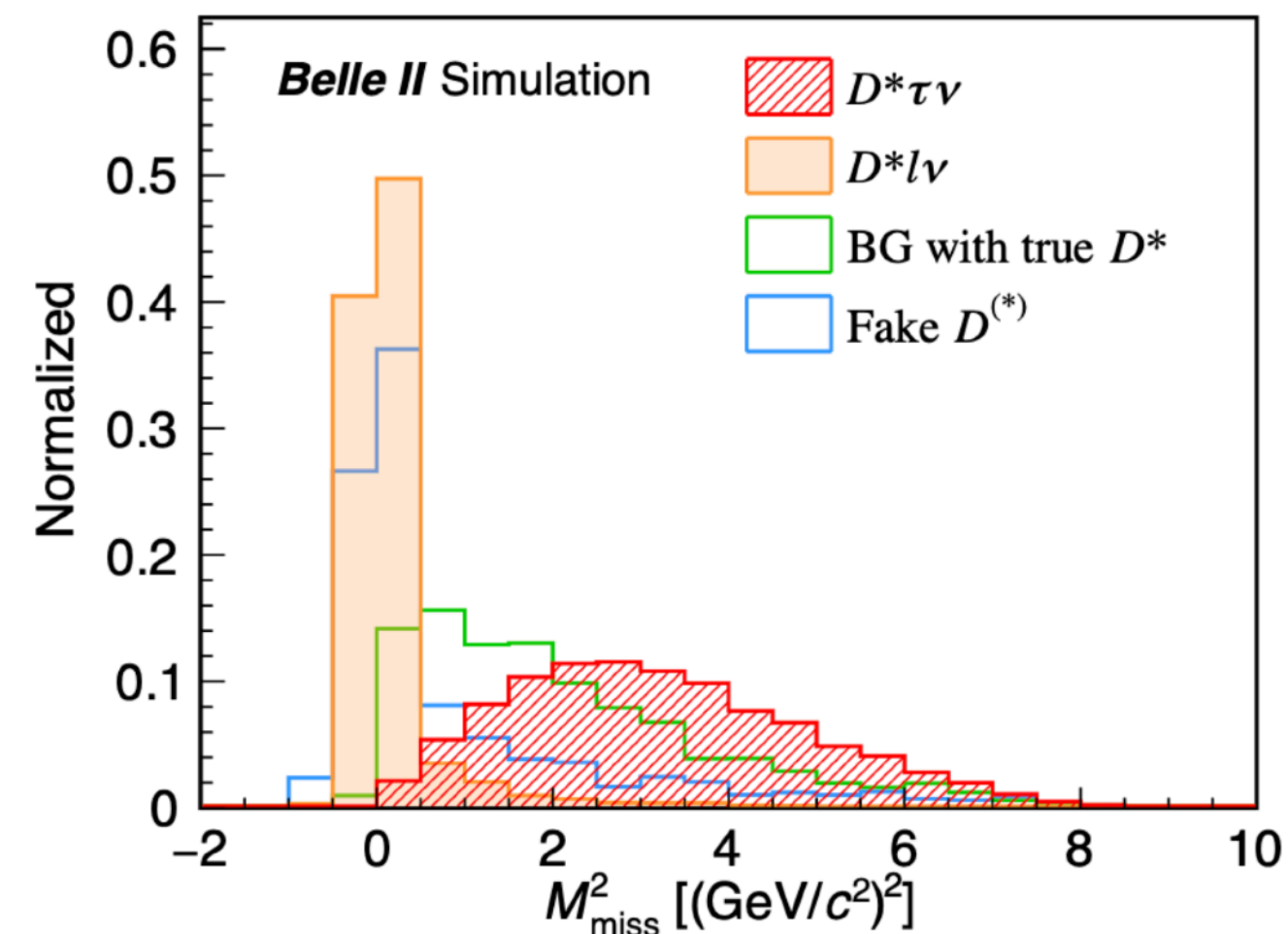
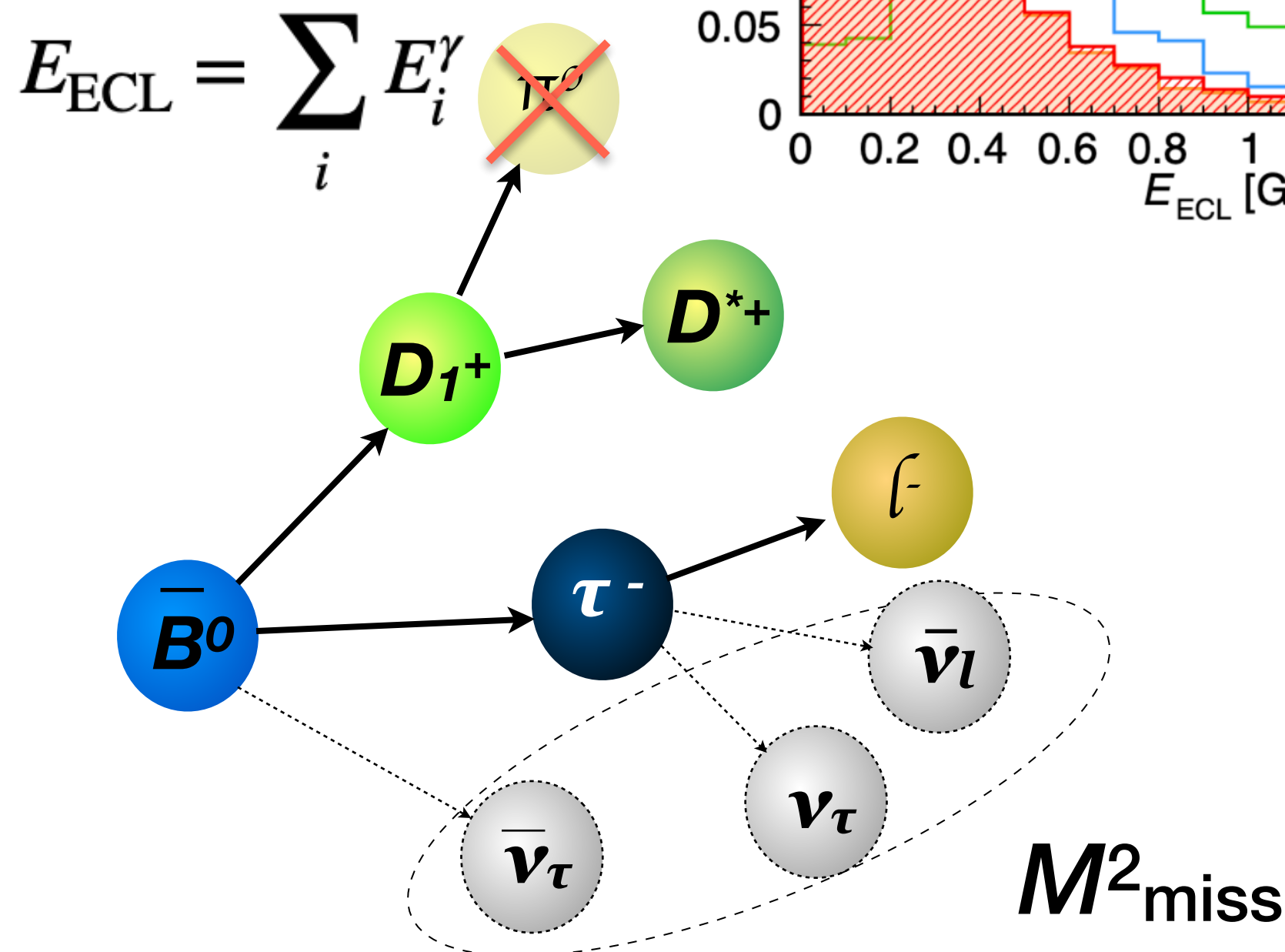
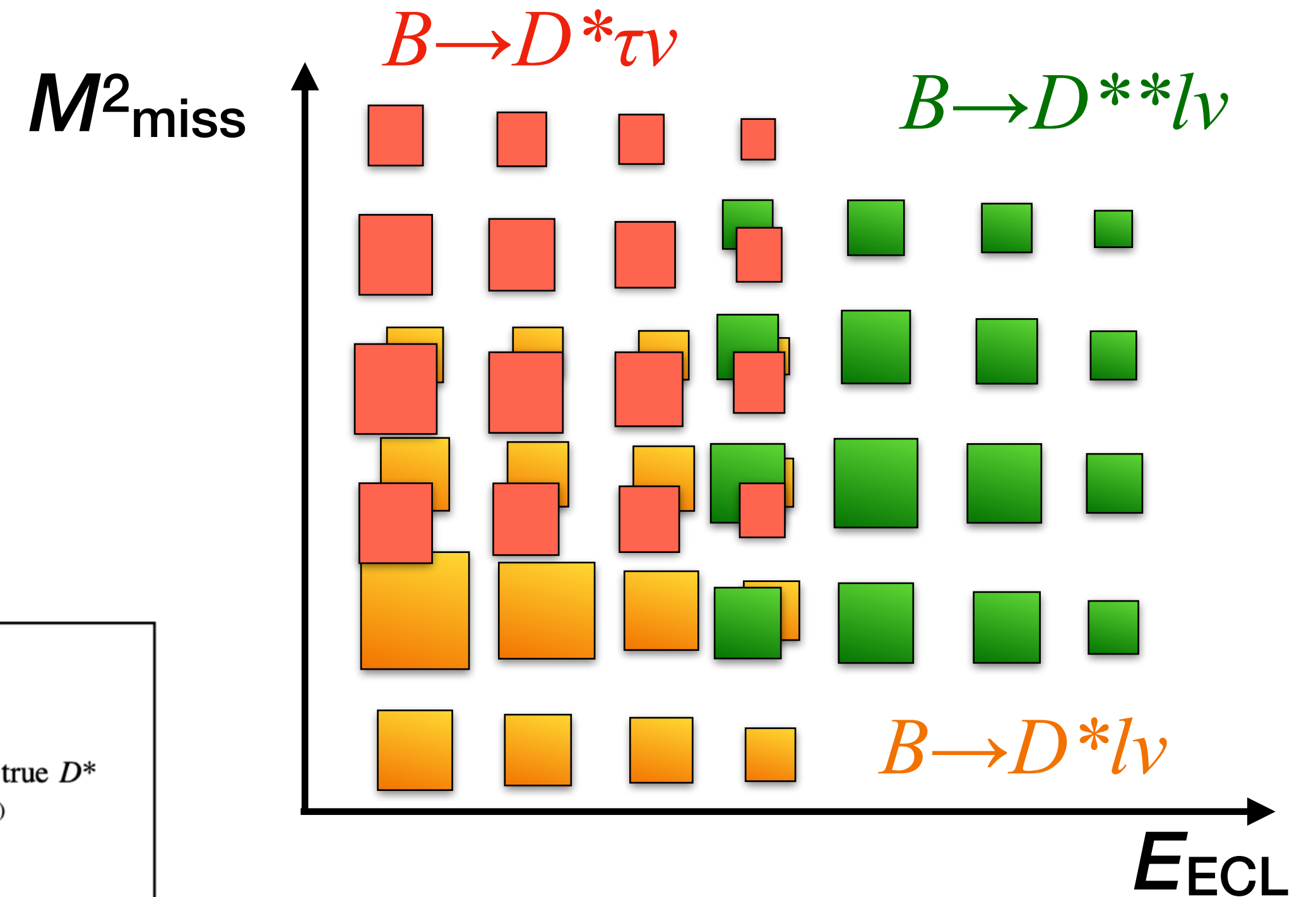
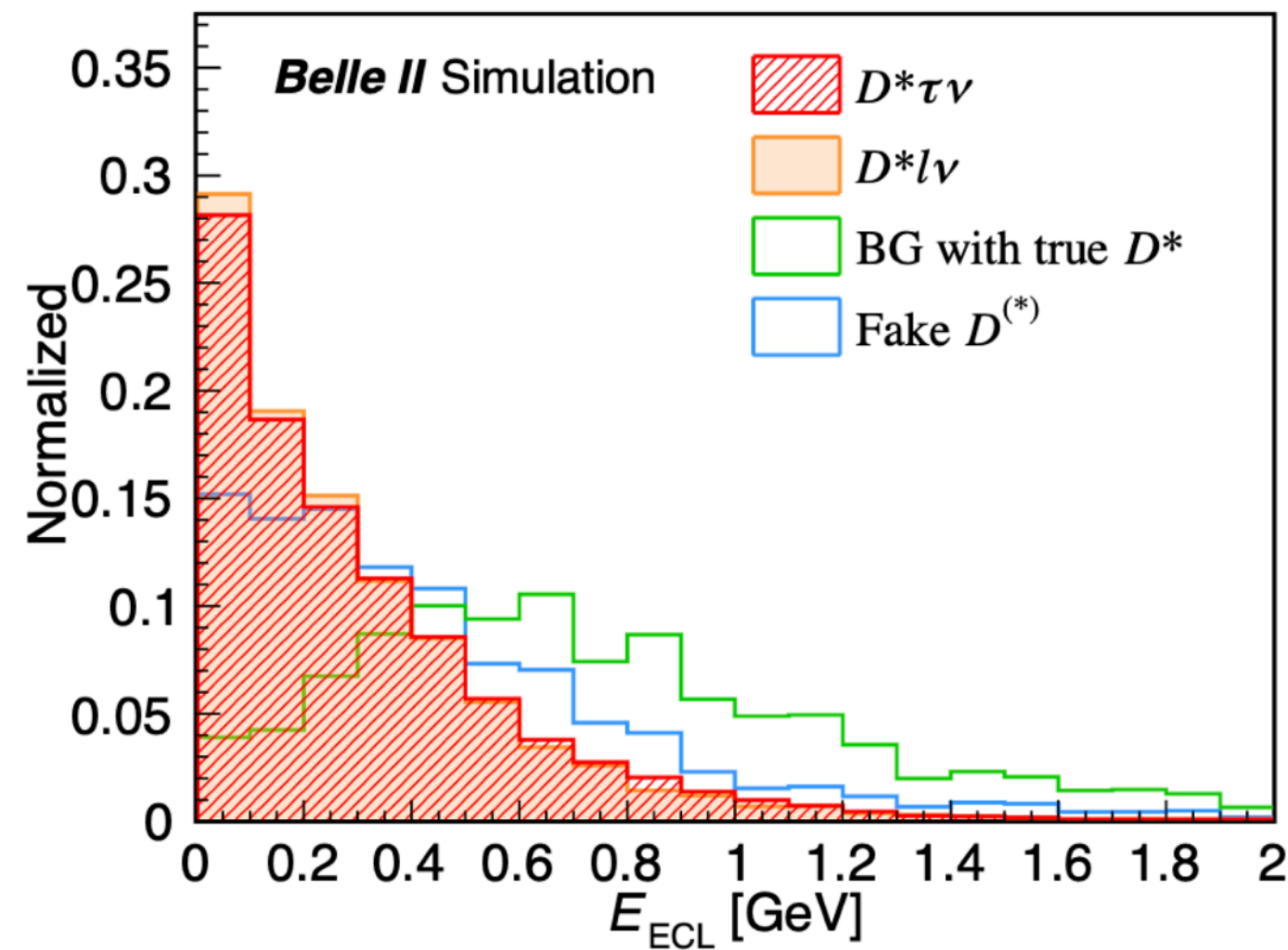


Fitting methodology and variables

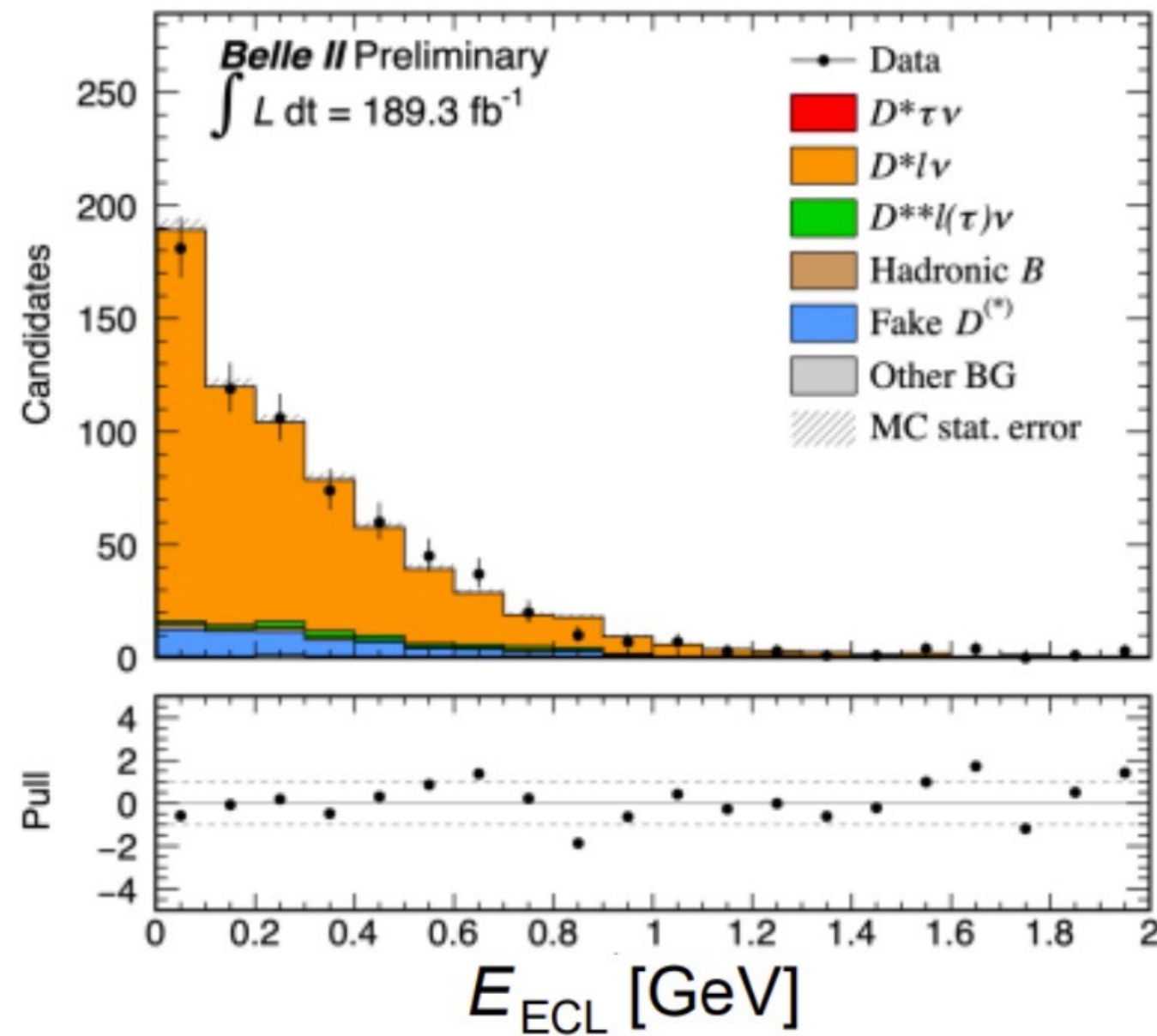
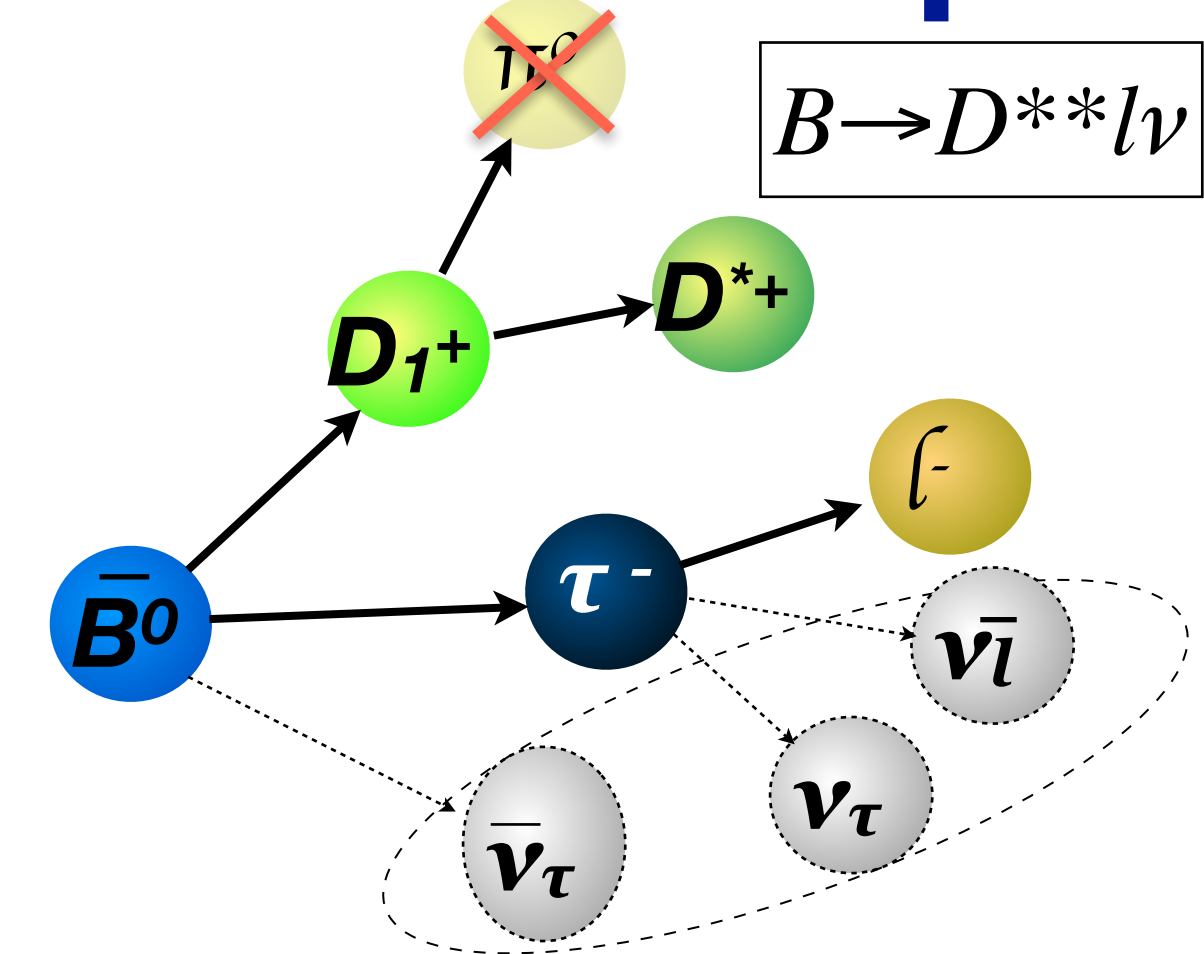
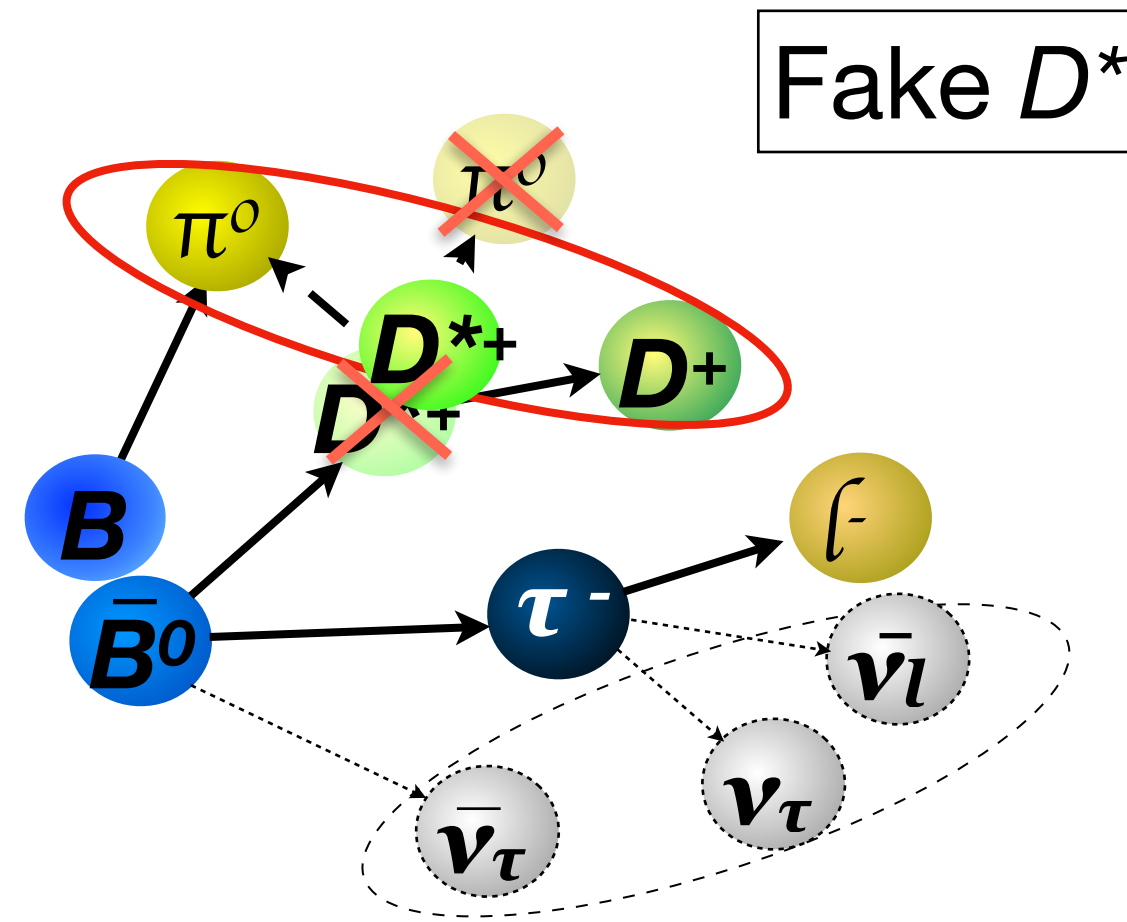
- Extracting $B \rightarrow D^* \tau \nu$, $B \rightarrow D^* l \nu$ yields by a two-dimensional simultaneously fit

- $M^2_{\text{miss}} = (\mathbf{p}_{\text{beam}} - \mathbf{p}_{B\text{tag}} - \mathbf{p}_{D^*} - \mathbf{p}_l)^2$

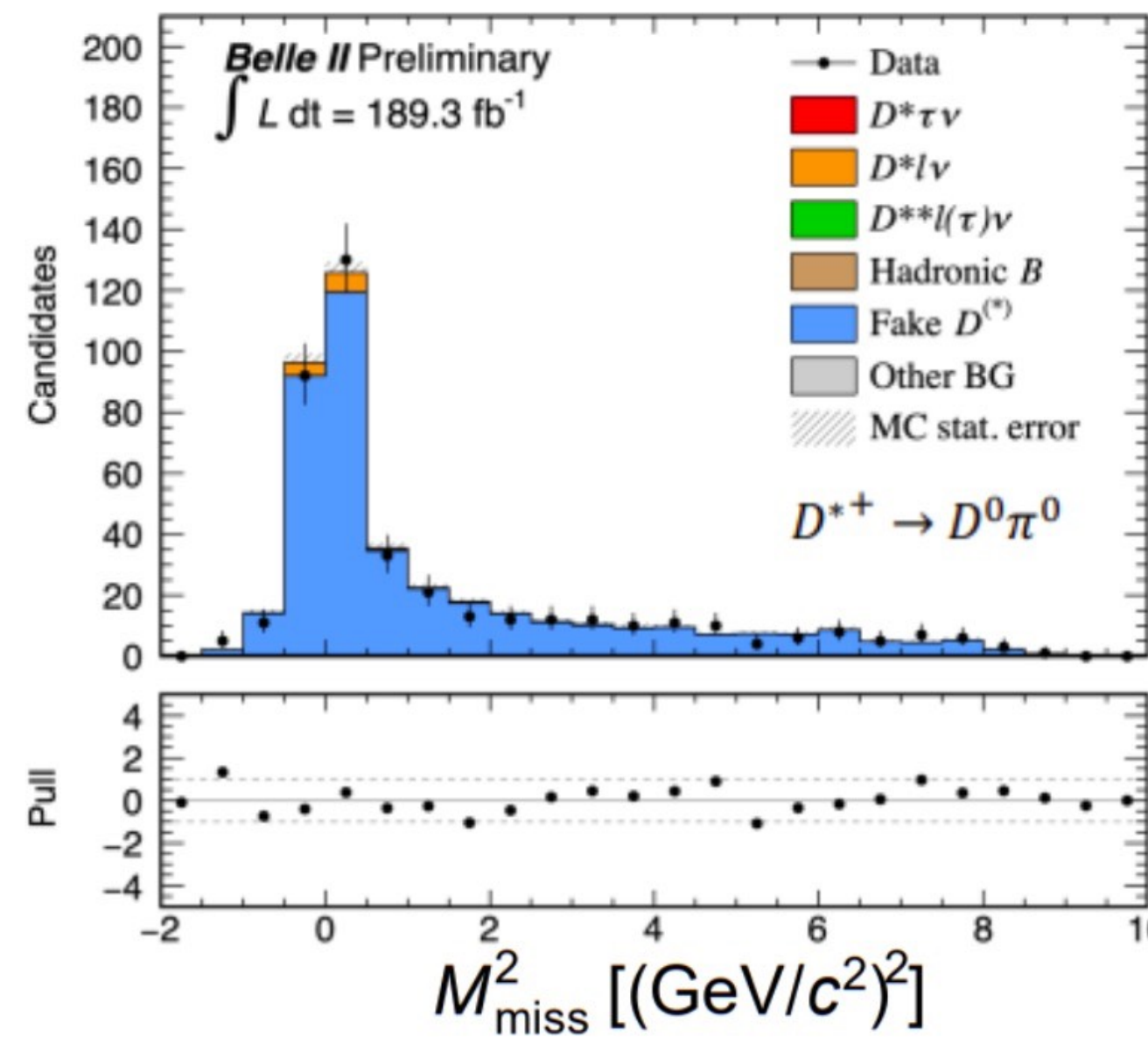
- E_{ECL} unassigned neutral energy in the calorimeter $E_{\text{ECL}} = \sum_i E_i^\gamma$



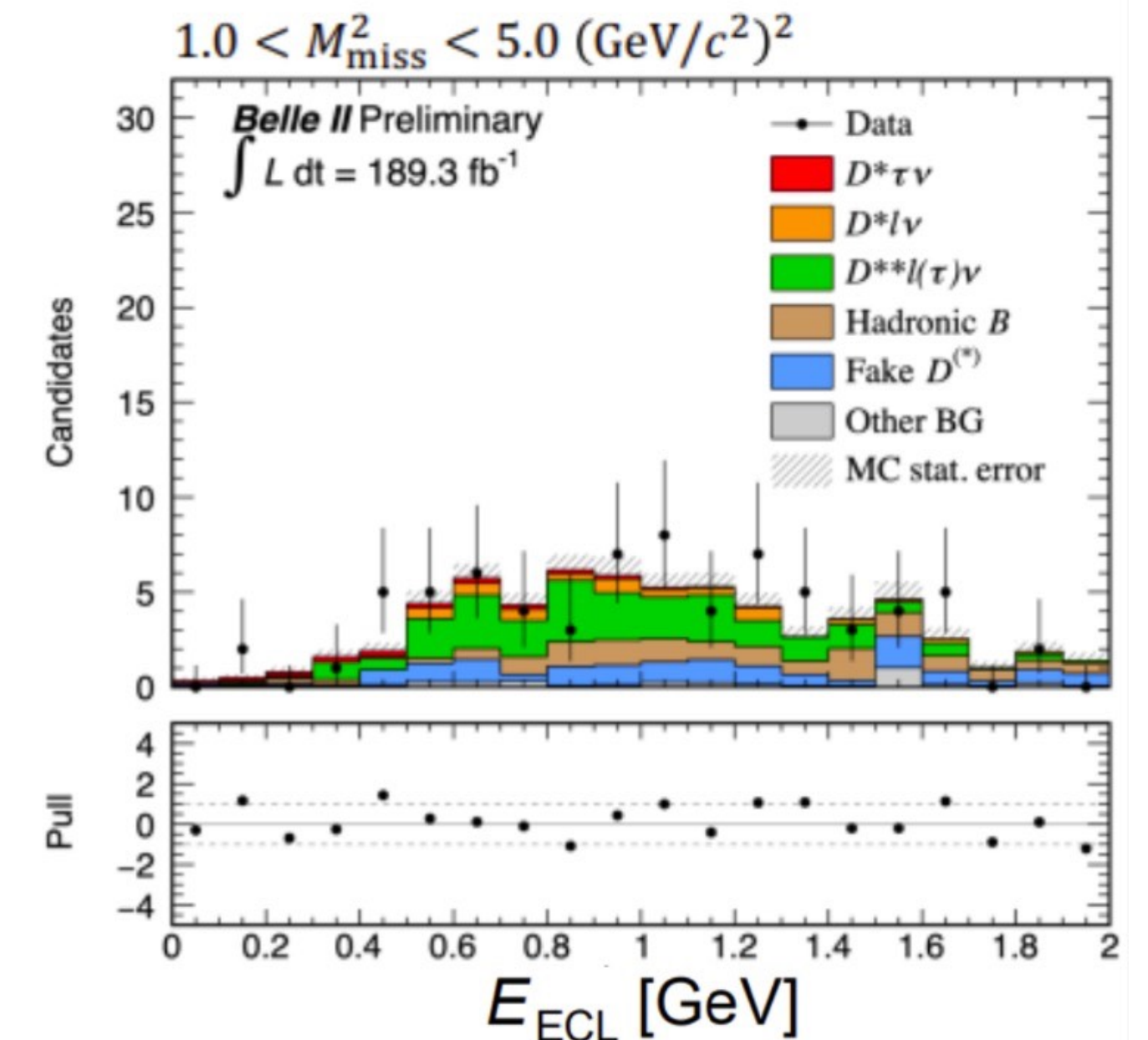
Dominant backgrounds and control samples



$q^2 < 3.5 \text{ GeV}$ sideband:
 validate E_{ECL} modeling



$m(D\pi) - m(D^*)$ sideband:
 validate fake D^* modeling



Reconstruct $D^* \pi^0 / \nu$
 validate D^{**} modeling

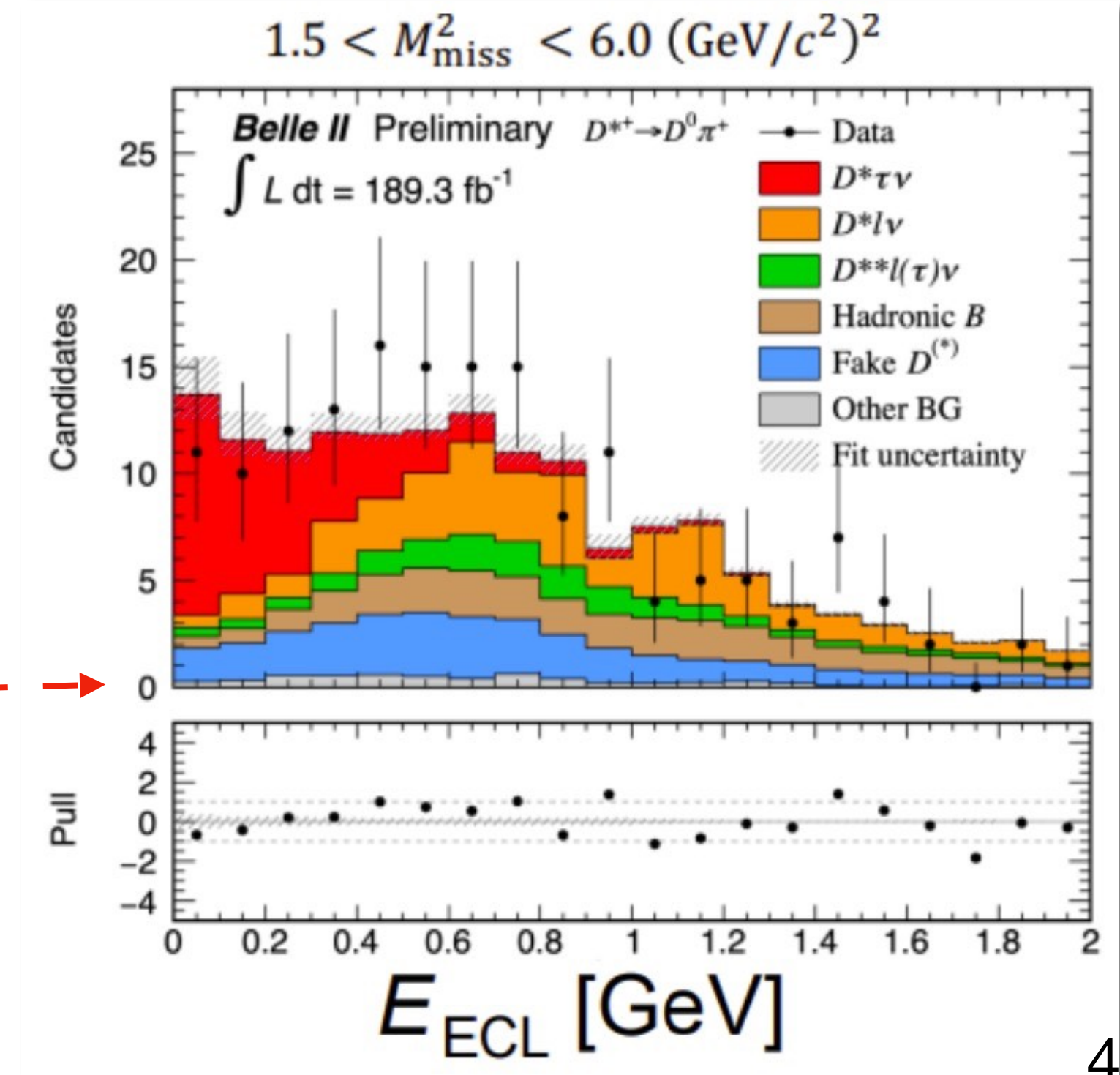
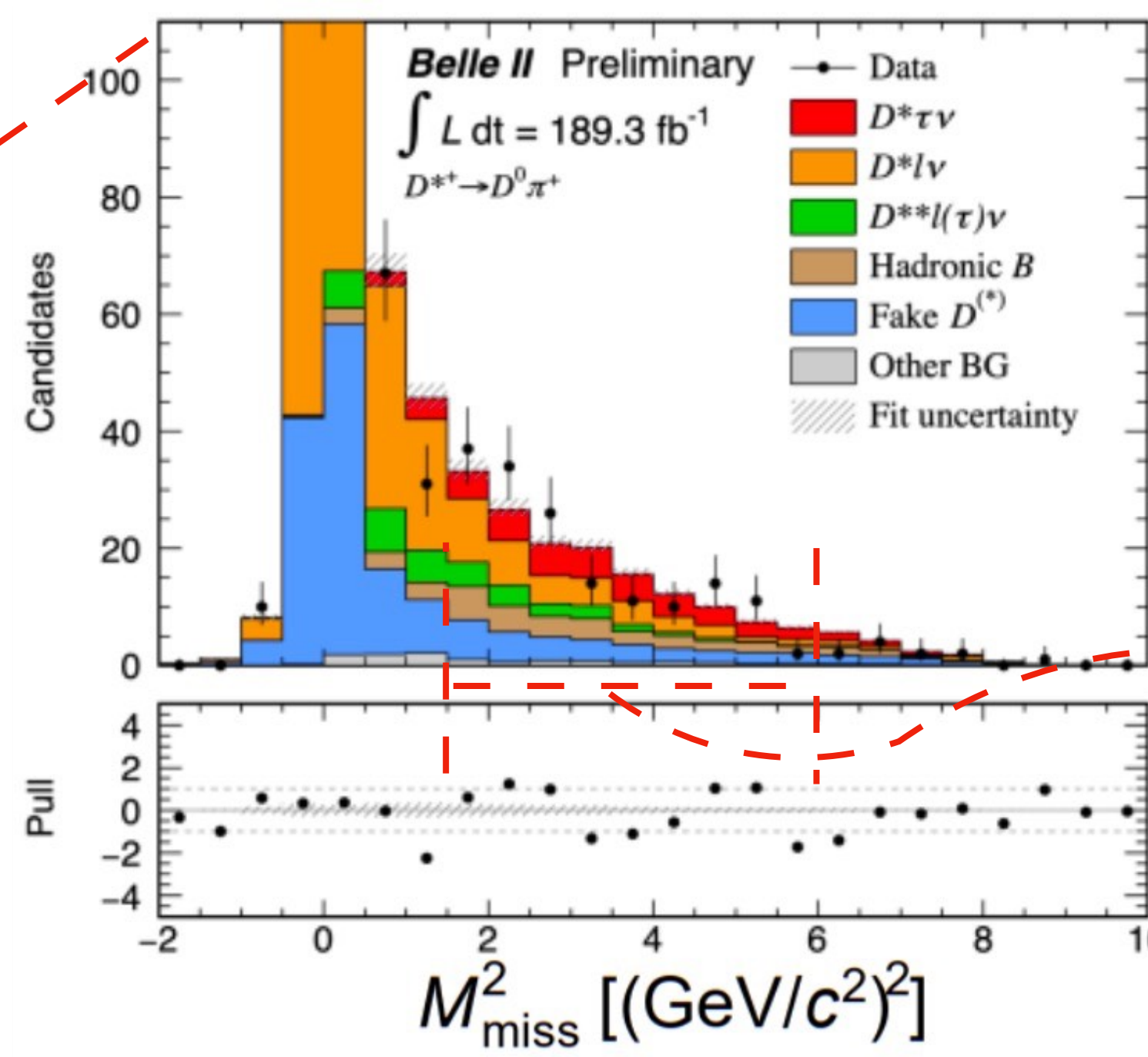
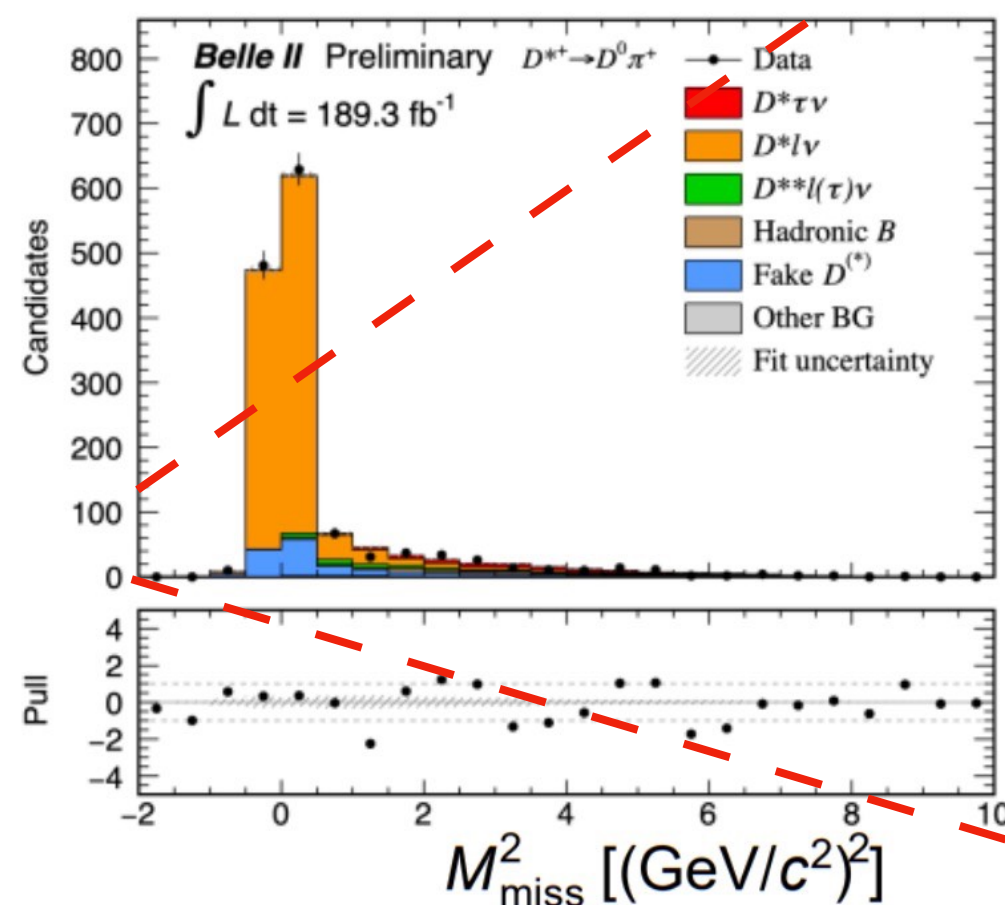
$R_{\tau/\ell}(D^*)$ results

- Similarly sensitivity as Belle 15' result @ 711 fb⁻¹ with only 189 fb⁻¹
- Belle II first result for $R(D^*)$

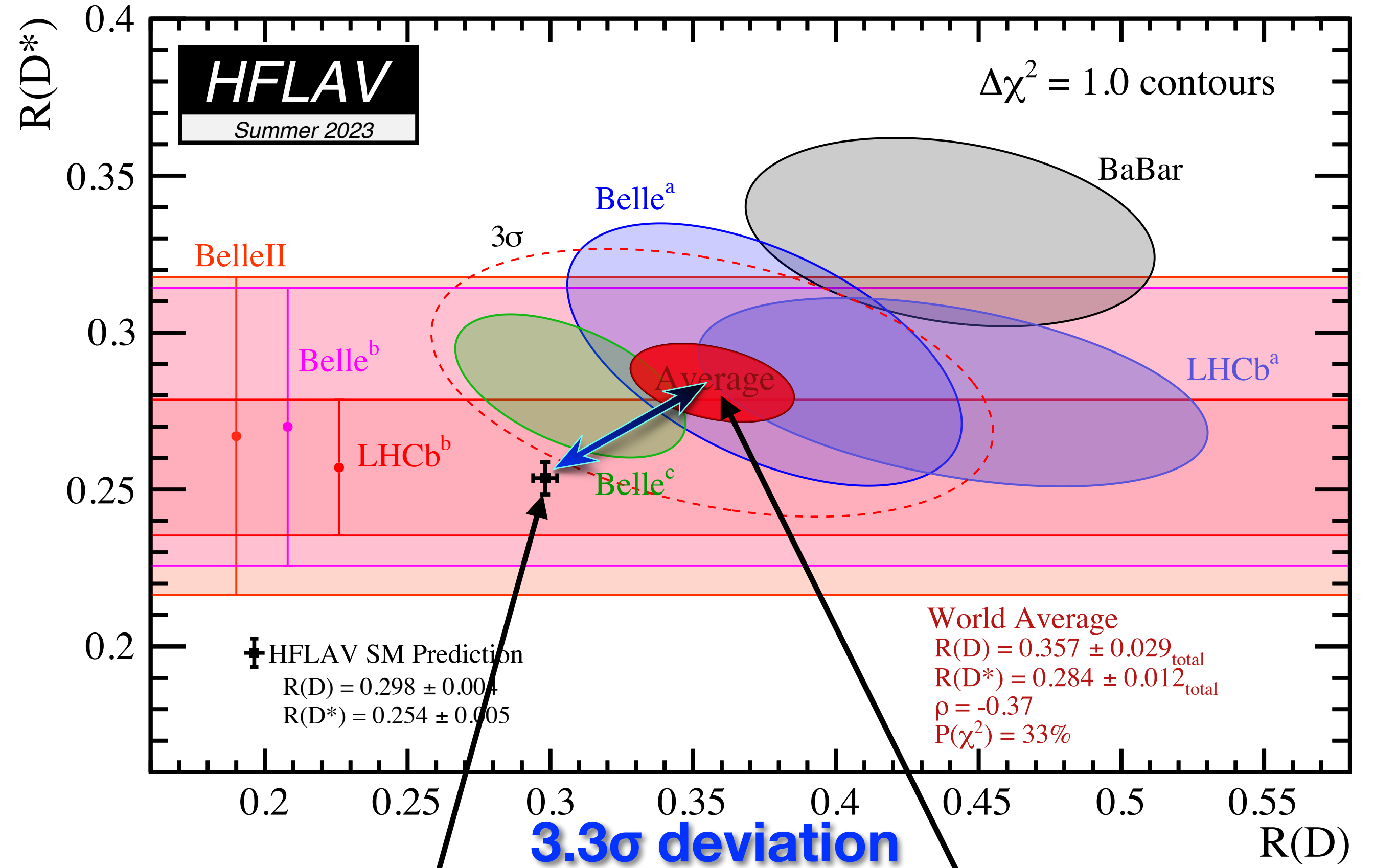
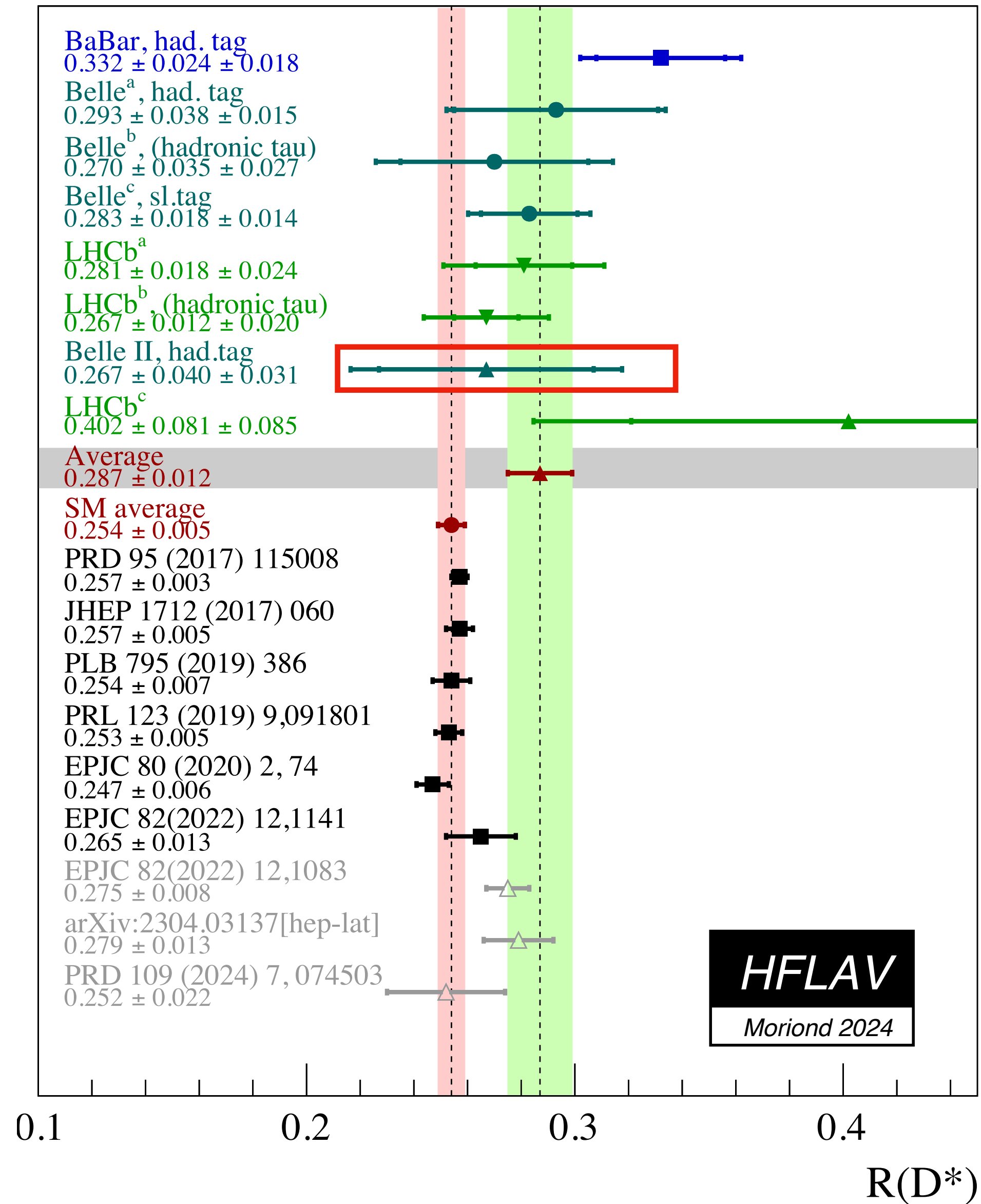
$$R(D^*_{\tau/\ell}) = 0.262^{+0.041}_{-0.039} \text{ (stat)}^{+0.035}_{-0.032} \text{ (syst)}$$

- Consistent with SM: 0.254 ± 0.005 , HFLAV24: 0.287 ± 0.012
- SM vs. experimental average deviation: $3.2\sigma \rightarrow 3.3\sigma$

Source	Uncertainty
Statistical uncertainty	+15.4% -14.6%
E_{ECL} PDF shape	+9.1% -8.3%
MC statistics	$\pm 7.5\%$
$B \rightarrow D^{**} l \nu$ modeling	+4.8% -3.5%



“B anomaly” in semileptonic decays



Standard Model prediction

Experimental average results

New Physics scenarios with Effective Field Theory

- New physics contribution to $R(D^{(*)})$ are tested with Wilson operators

$$\mathcal{H}_{\text{eff}} = \frac{4G_F}{\sqrt{2}} V_{cb} [(1 + C_{V_L})\mathcal{O}_{V_L} + C_{V_R}\mathcal{O}_{V_R} + C_{S_L}\mathcal{O}_{S_L} + C_{S_R}\mathcal{O}_{S_R} + C_T\mathcal{O}_T]$$

$\mathcal{O}_{V_L}, \mathcal{O}_{V_R}$: Left-, right-handed vector operators

$\mathcal{O}_{S_L}, \mathcal{O}_{S_R}$: Left-, right-handed scalar operators

\mathcal{O}_T : Tensor vector operators

C_X : Willson coefficient for a X operator

[Refer to: PRD 110, 075005 \(2024\)](#)

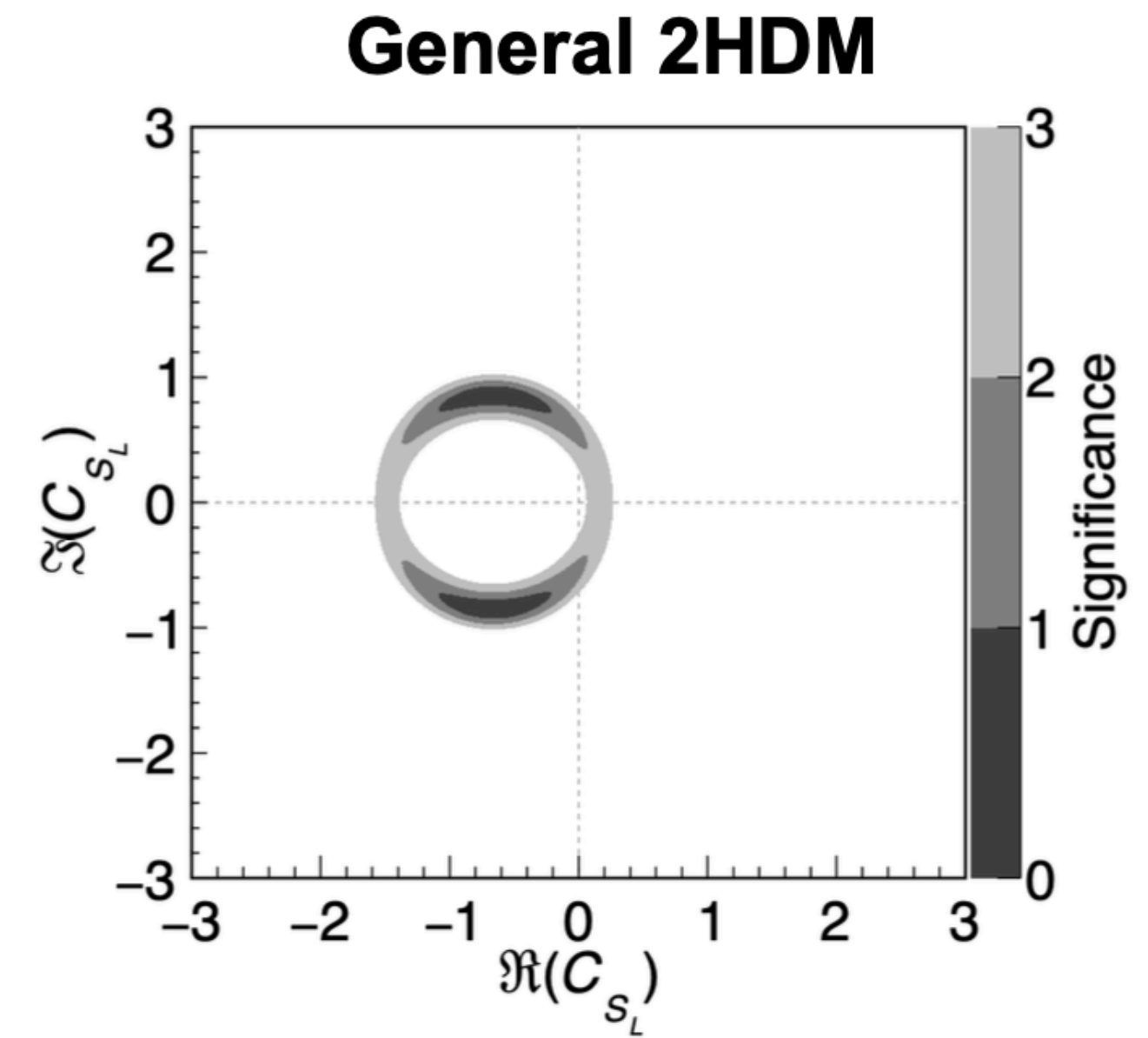
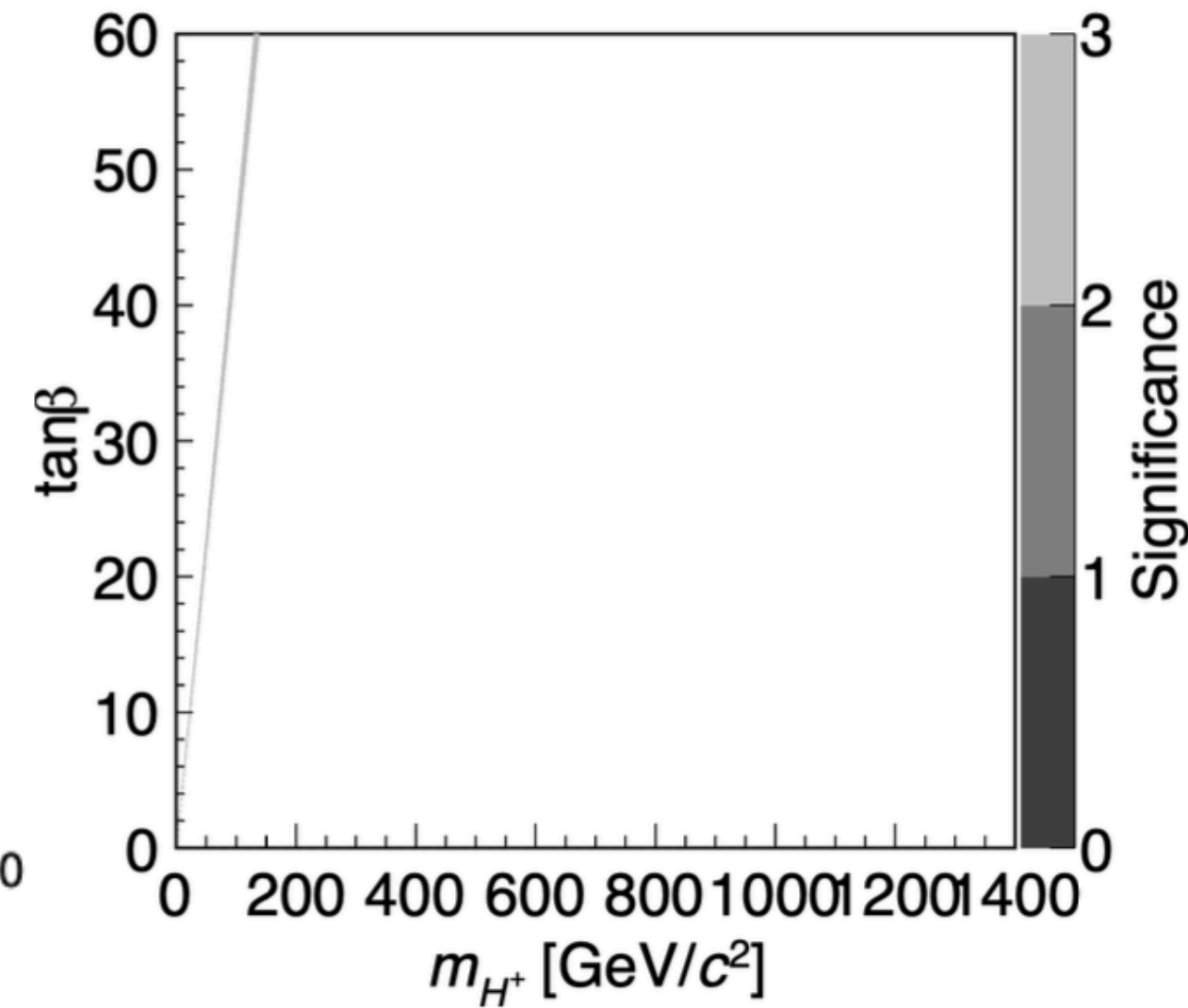
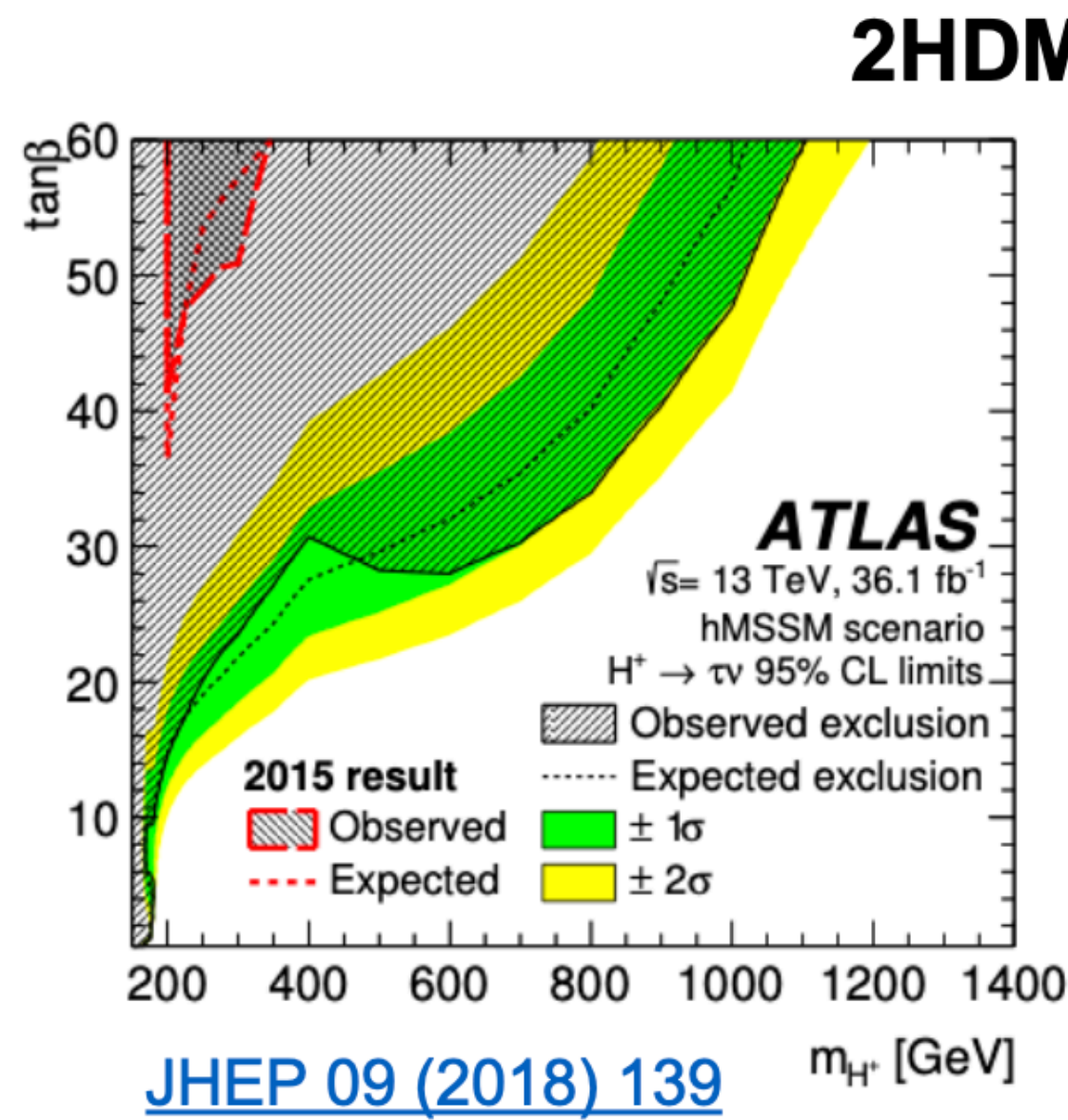
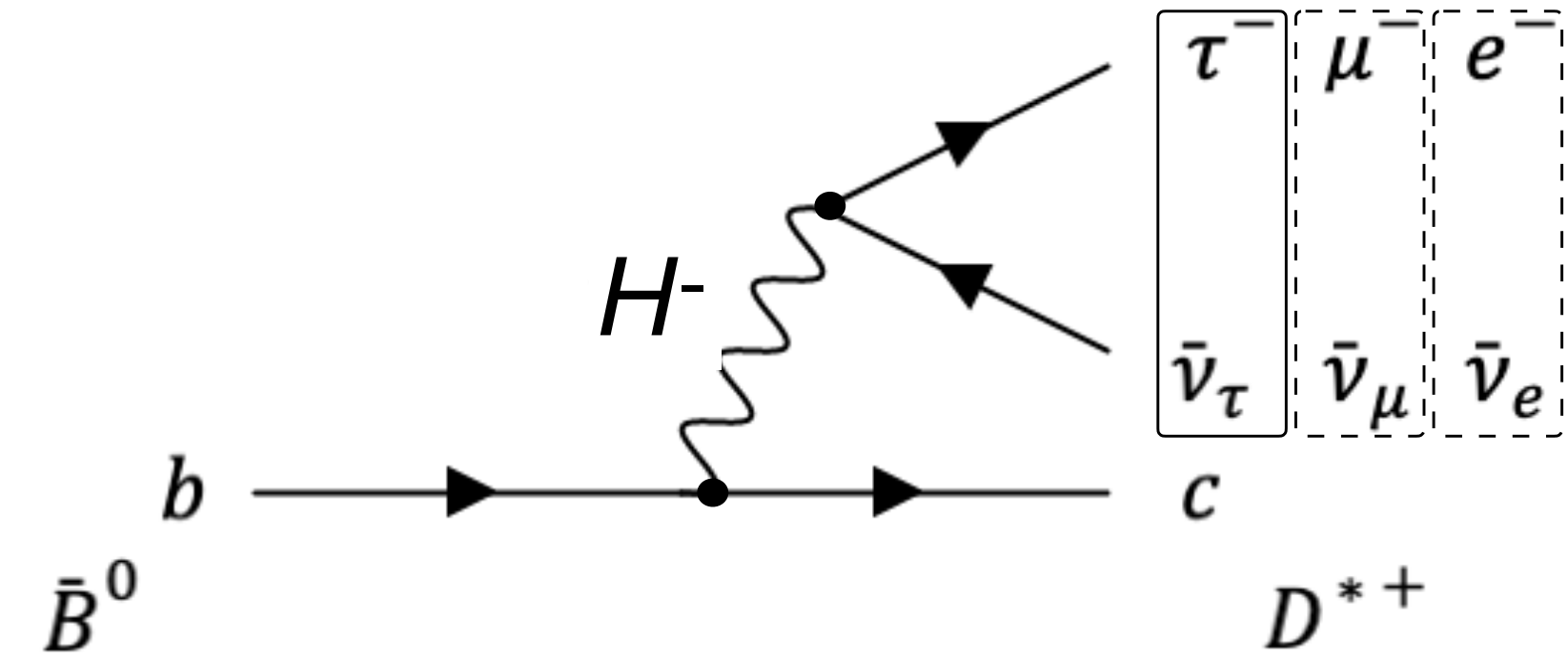
$$\begin{aligned} \frac{R_{D^*}}{R_{D^*}^{\text{SM}}} = & |1 + C_{V_L}|^2 + |C_{V_R}|^2 + 0.04|C_{S_L} - C_{S_R}|^2 + 16.0|C_T|^2 \\ & - 1.83\text{Re}[(1 + C_{V_L})C_{V_R}^*] - 0.11\text{Re}[(1 + C_{V_L} - C_{V_R})(C_{S_L}^* - C_{S_R}^*)] \\ & - 5.17\text{Re}[(1 + C_{V_L})C_T^*] + 6.60\text{Re}[C_{V_R}C_T^*], \end{aligned}$$

- Exp. average to constrain Wilson coefficients

	$R(D)$	$R(D^*)$
Exp. average	0.356 ± 0.029	0.284 ± 0.013
SM	0.298 ± 0.004	0.254 ± 0.005

Constraint on charged Higgs scenario

Model	Coefficients
2HDM (type-II) Phys. Rev. D 87, 034028	$\begin{cases} C_{SL} = -m_b m_\tau (\mu_b) \frac{\tan^2 \beta}{m_{H^+}^2} \\ C_{SR} = -m_c (\mu_b) m_\tau (\mu_b) \frac{1}{m_{H^+}^2} \end{cases}$
General 2HDM	C_{SL}

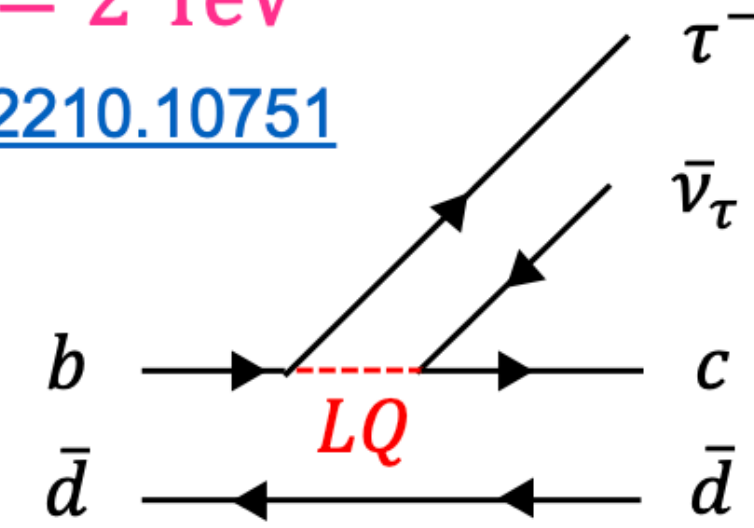


- Charged Higgs in 2HDM (type II) is disfavored
- General 2HDM still survives

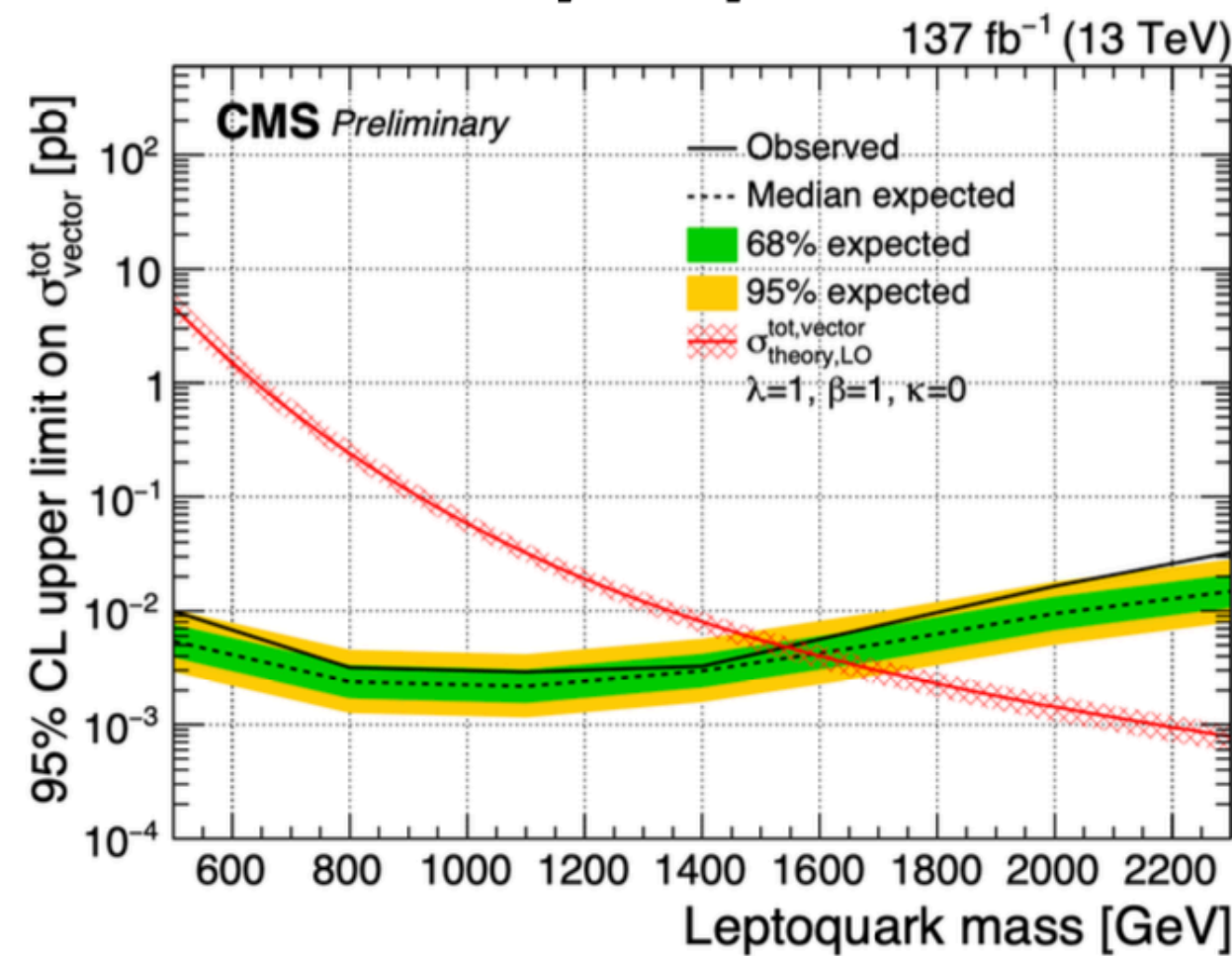
Constraint on leptoquark scenario

Model	Coefficients	
	$\Lambda_{LQ} = M_{LQ}$	$\mu_b = m_b$
$SU(2)_L$ -singlet vector U_1^μ	C_{VL}, C_{SR}	C_{VL}, C_{SR}
$SU(2)_L$ -singlet scalar S_1	$C_{VL}, C_{SL} = -4C_T$	$C_{VL}, C_{SL} = -8.7C_T$
$SU(2)_L$ -doublet vector R_2	$C_{VR}, C_{SL} = +4C_T$	$C_{VR}, C_{SL} = +8.2C_T$

$M_{LQ} = 2 \text{ TeV}$
[arXiv:2210.10751](https://arxiv.org/abs/2210.10751)

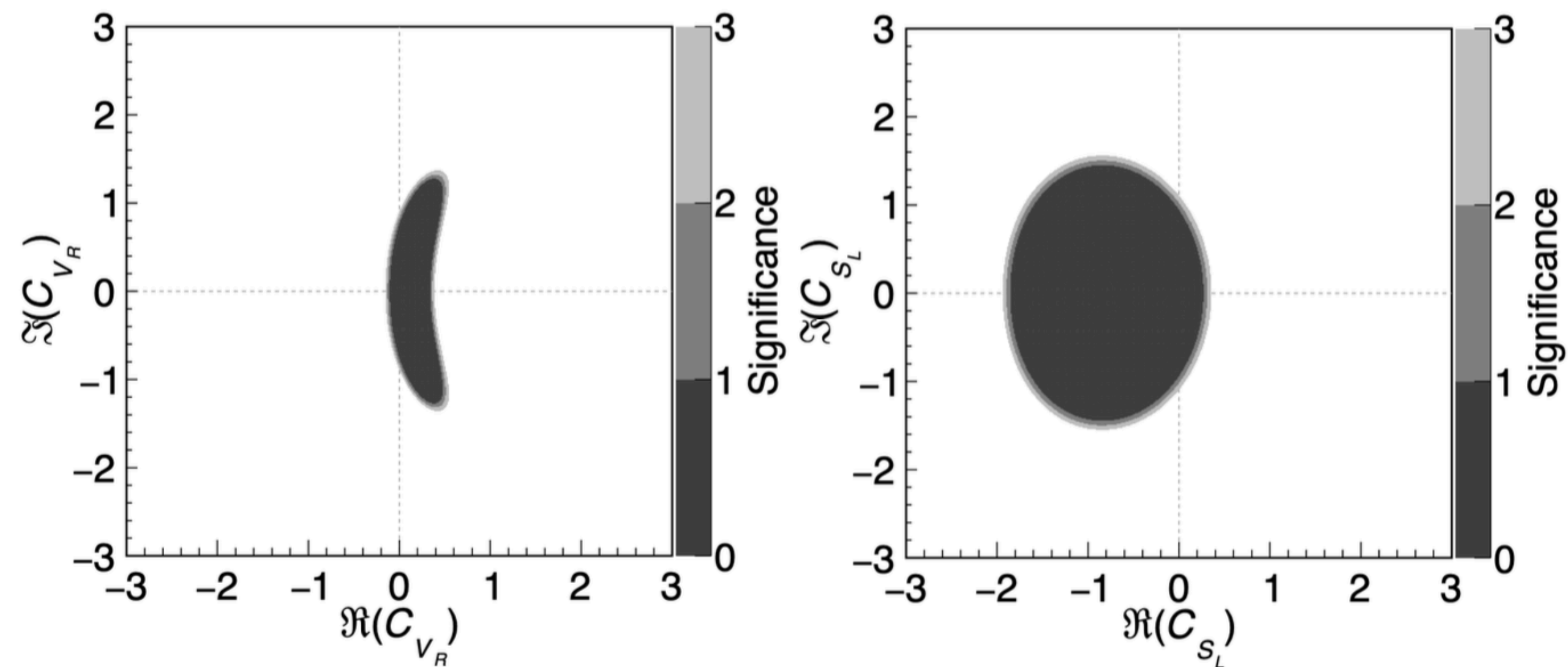


Vector leptoquark model



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Leptoquark model (R_2 type)



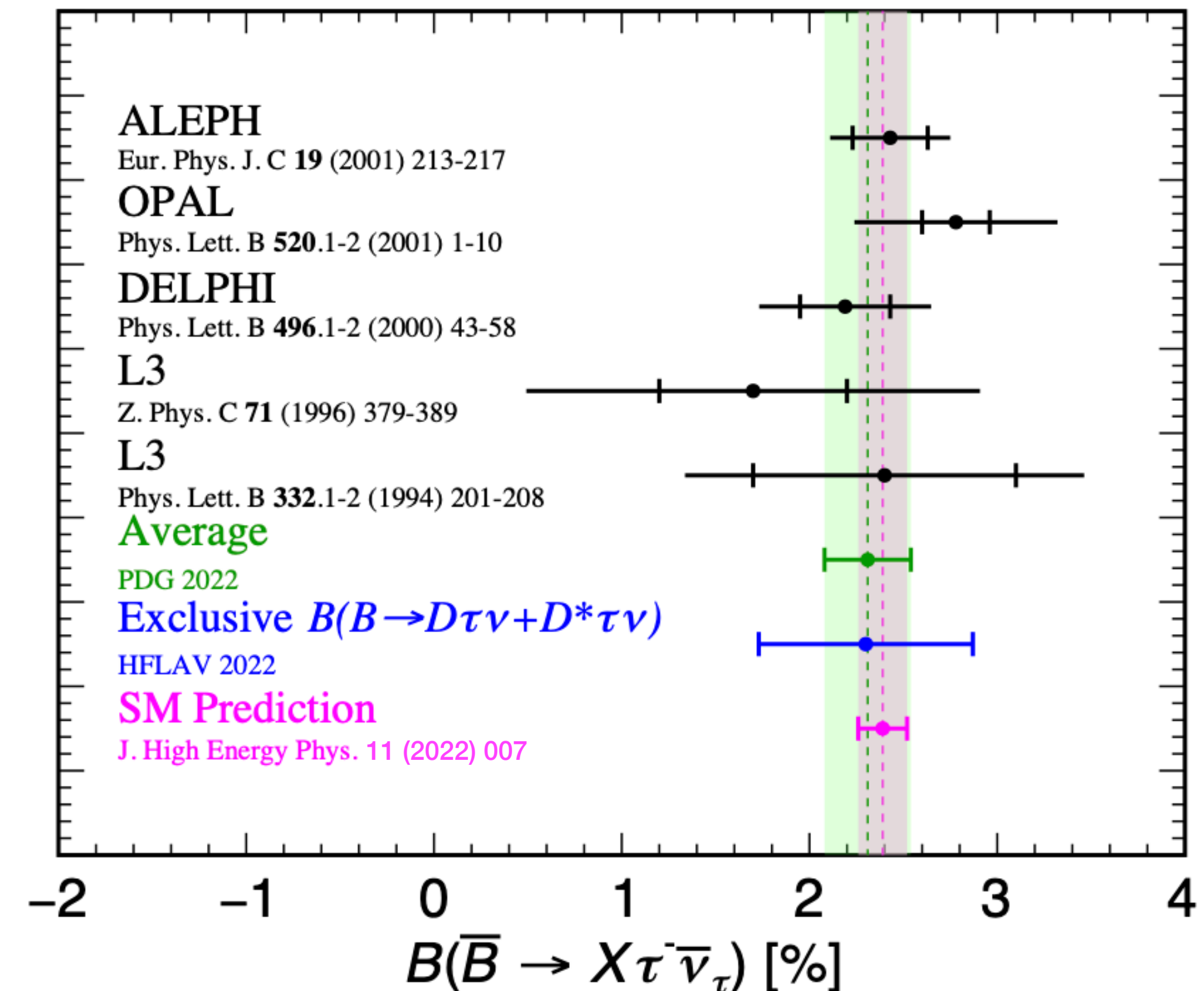
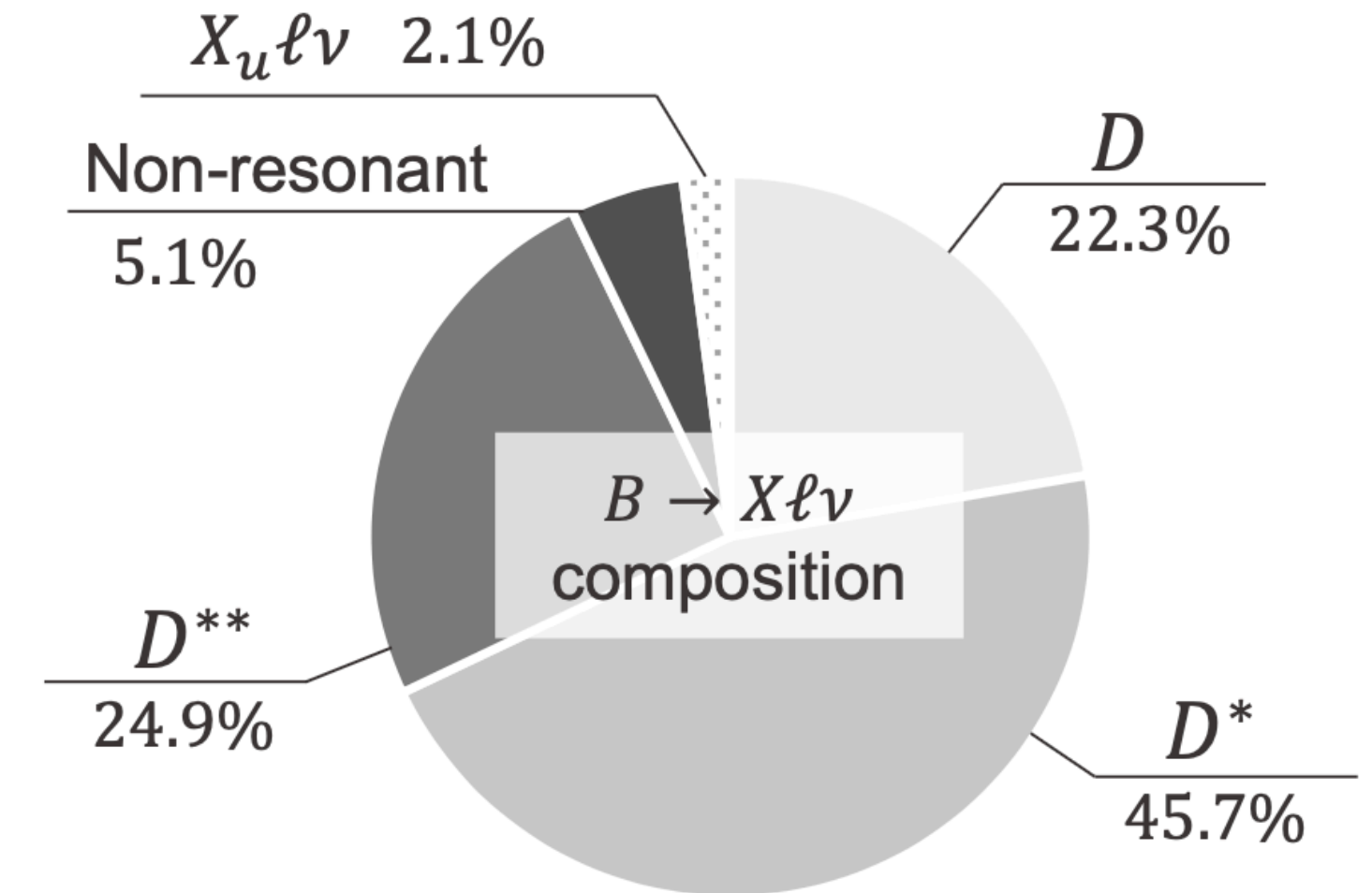
- All three models have favored regions within $1\sigma R(D^{(*)})$ exp. average
- $R(D^{(*)})$ can be explained with three leptoquark models of 2 TeV

LFU test by $R_{\tau/\ell}(X)$ measurement

- Breakdown of $B \rightarrow X/\nu$ branching fractions
 - $\sim 2/3$ overlap with D and D^*
 - $\sim 3/4$ D decay to $\nu, K_L^0, n\pi \dots$
 - $\sim 1/3$ contribution from D^{**} and **nonresonant X_c**
- Multiple LEP experiments measured $\text{Br}(B \rightarrow X\tau\nu)$
 - $\text{Br}(B \rightarrow X\tau\nu)$ are completely saturated by D/D^* BFs
 - ➔ An update measurement is needed
- $R(X)$ is critical cross-check of $R(D^{(*)})$, largest contribution from $R(D^{(*)})$, a partially complementary test of LFU

$$R(X_{\tau/\ell}) = \frac{\text{Br}(\bar{B} \rightarrow X\tau^- \bar{\nu}_\tau)}{\text{Br}(\bar{B} \rightarrow X\ell^- \bar{\nu}_\ell)}$$

- $R(X)$ has never been measured



Results of $R_{\tau/l}(X)$ for LFU test

- Main systematics
 - Adjustment to MC (form factor, D and B branching fractions)
 - Sample size in sideband for reweighting
- First Belle II preliminary $R_{\tau/l}(X)$ result

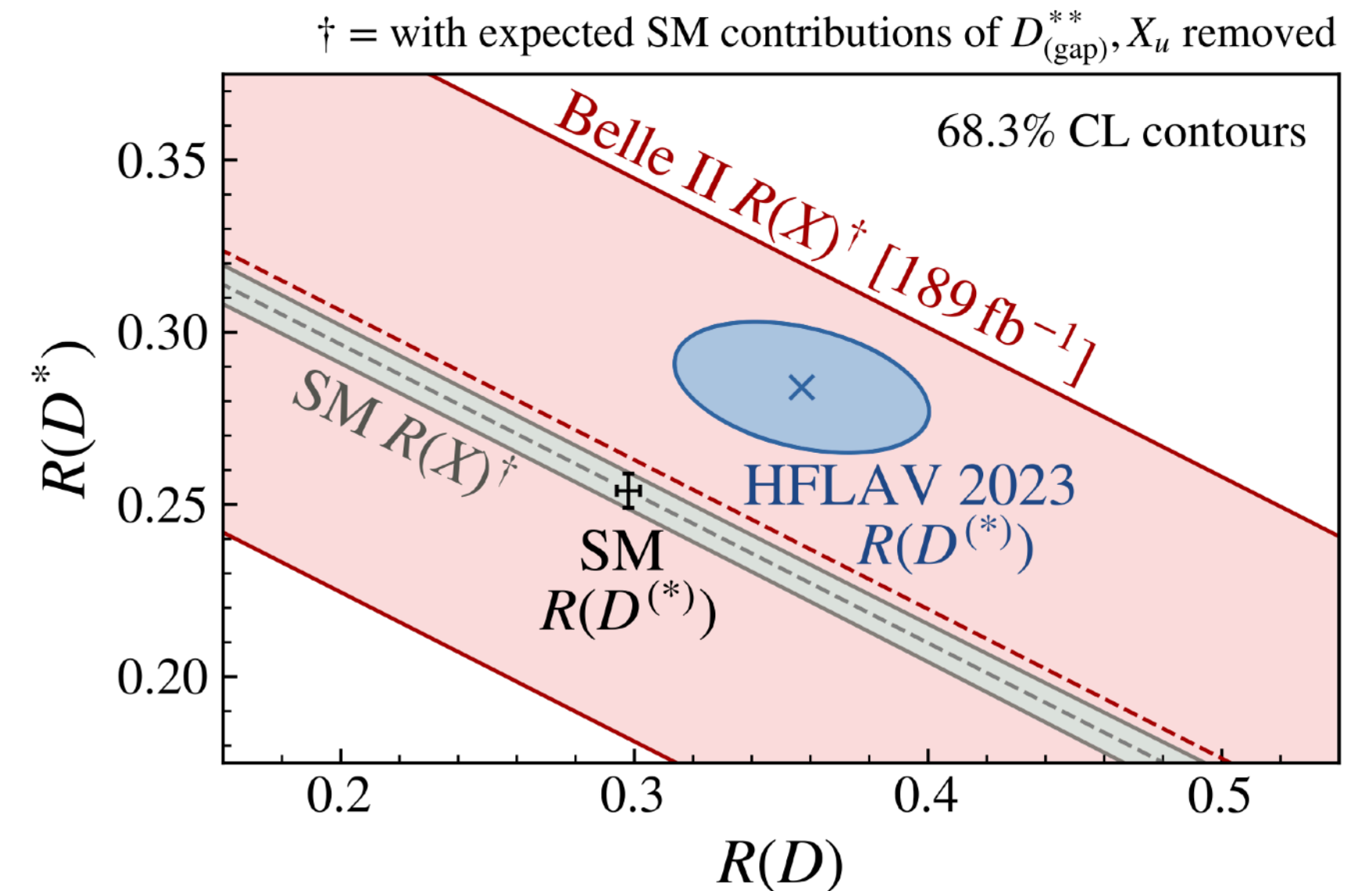
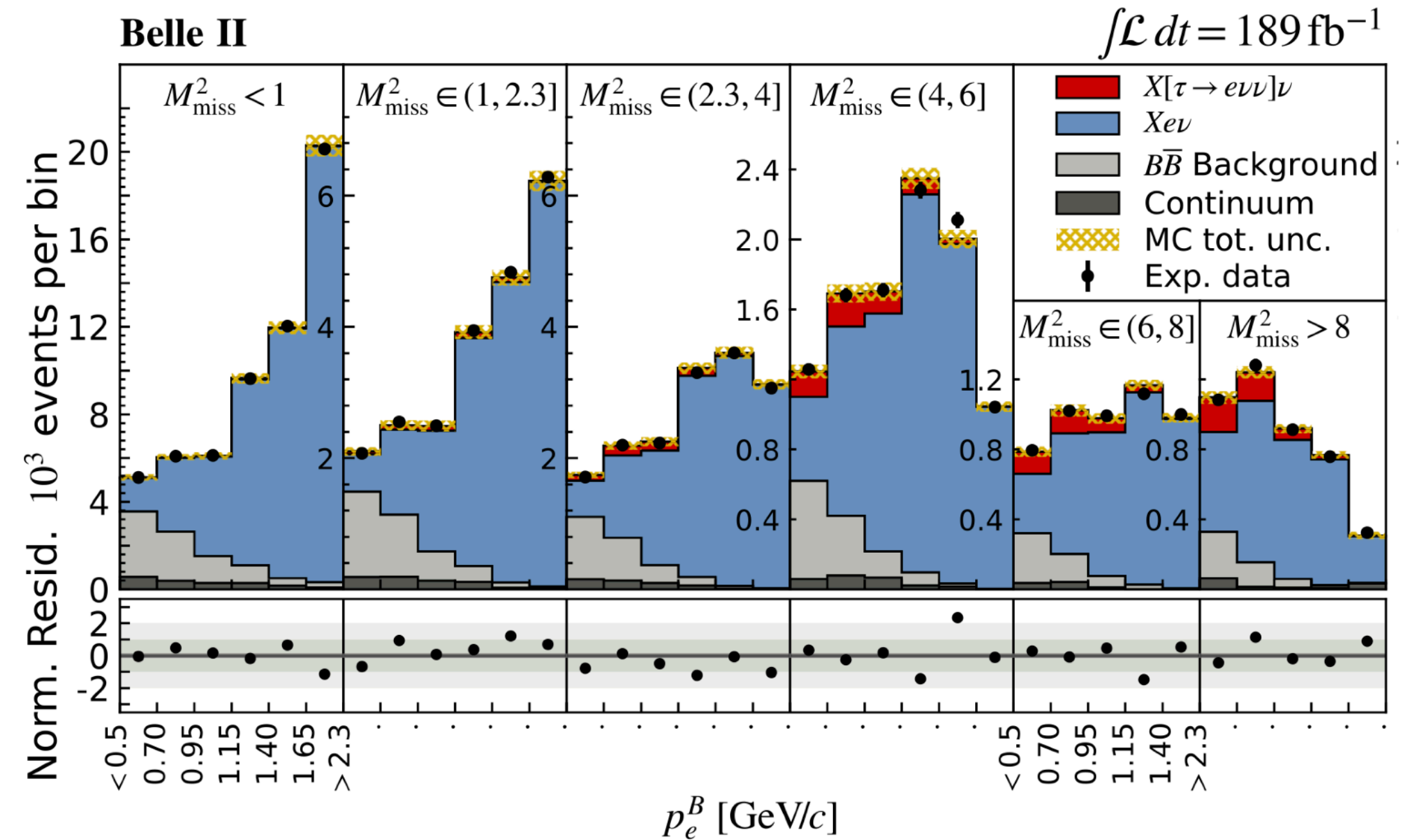
$$R_{\tau/l}(X) = 0.228 \pm 0.016 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.036 \text{ (syst)}$$

$$R_{\tau/e}(X) = 0.232 \pm 0.020 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.037 \text{ (syst)}$$

$$R_{\tau/\mu}(X) = 0.222 \pm 0.027 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.050 \text{ (syst)}$$

- Consistent with rough SM expectation

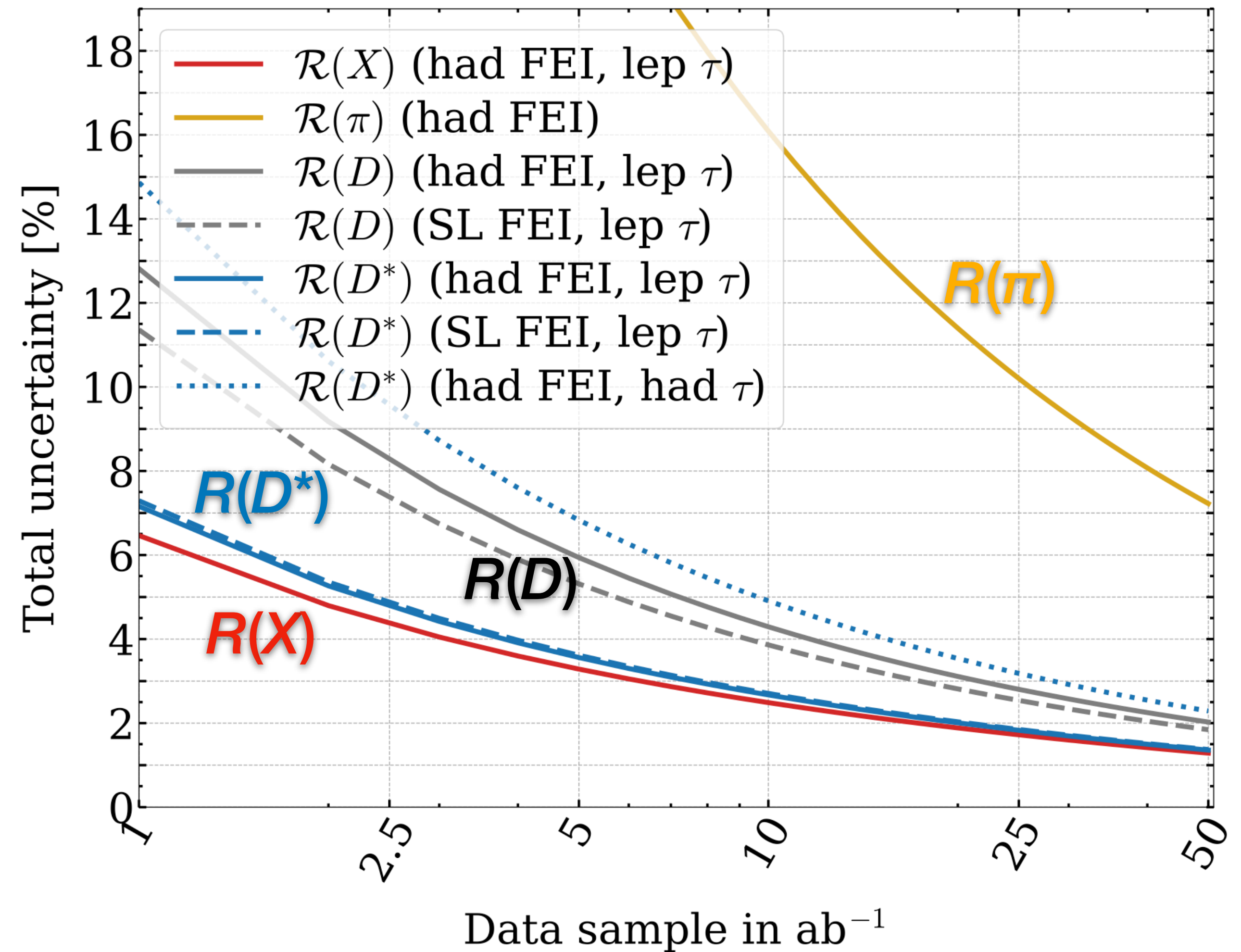
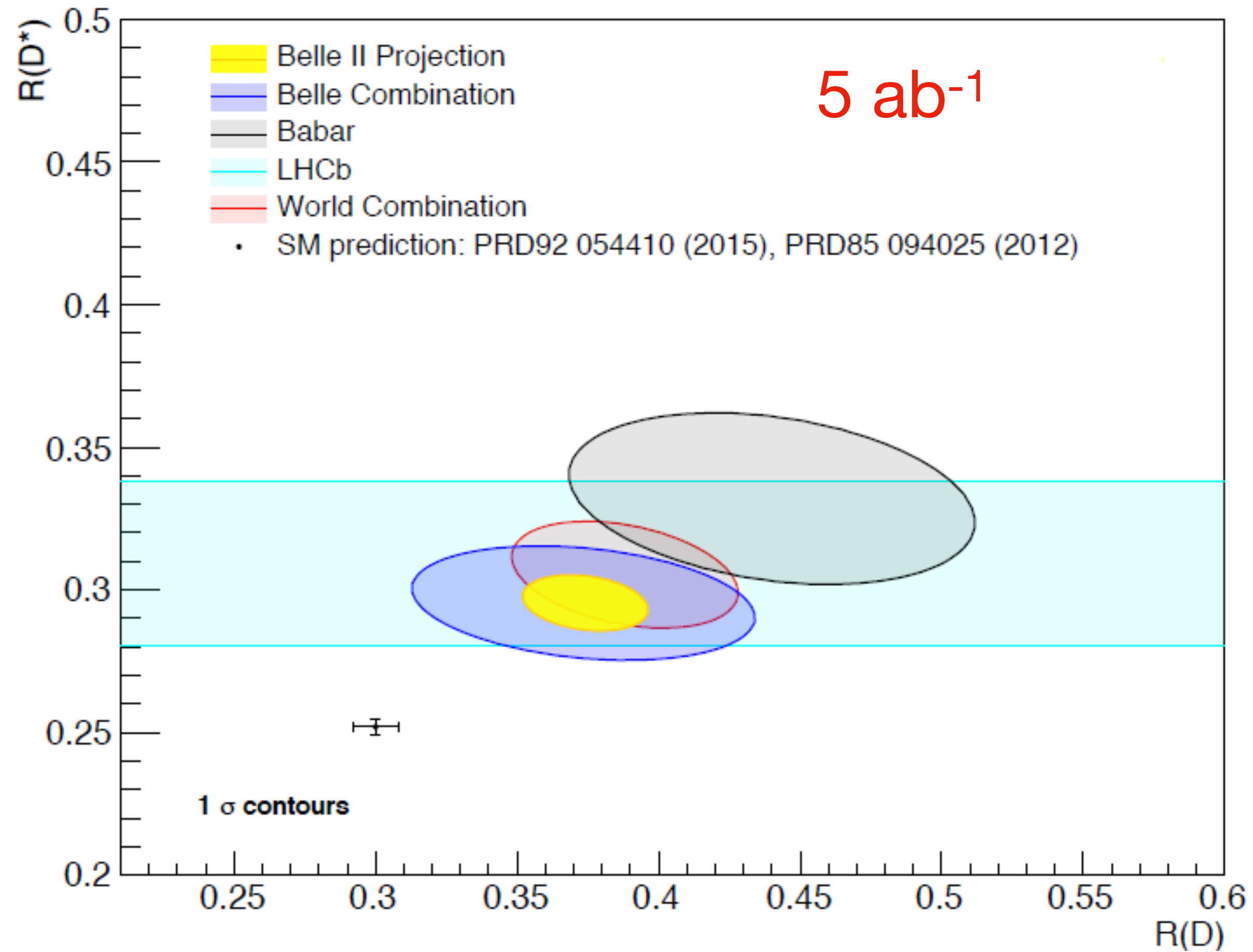
$$R_{\tau/l}(X)_{\text{SM}} \approx 0.222$$



Expected sensitivity of LFU test at Belle II

The Belle II Physics Book, PTEP 2019, 123C01

arXiv:2207.06307



Summary and prospects

- $R(D^{(*)})$ shows 3.3σ deviation between experimental average value and standard model prediction
 - Hint of Lepton Flavor Universality Violation

- Belle II performed new tests of LFU based on 189 fb^{-1} data

$$R_{\tau/\ell}(D^*) = 0.267^{+0.041}_{-0.039} (\text{stat})^{+0.028}_{-0.033} (\text{syst})$$

$$R_{\tau/\ell}(X) = 0.228 \pm 0.016 (\text{stat}) \pm 0.036 (\text{syst})$$

- SuperKEKB/Belle II resumed operation at the beginning of 2024 after LS1

