

# K中間子による新物理探査

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# History: Kaons as discovery probes of new physics

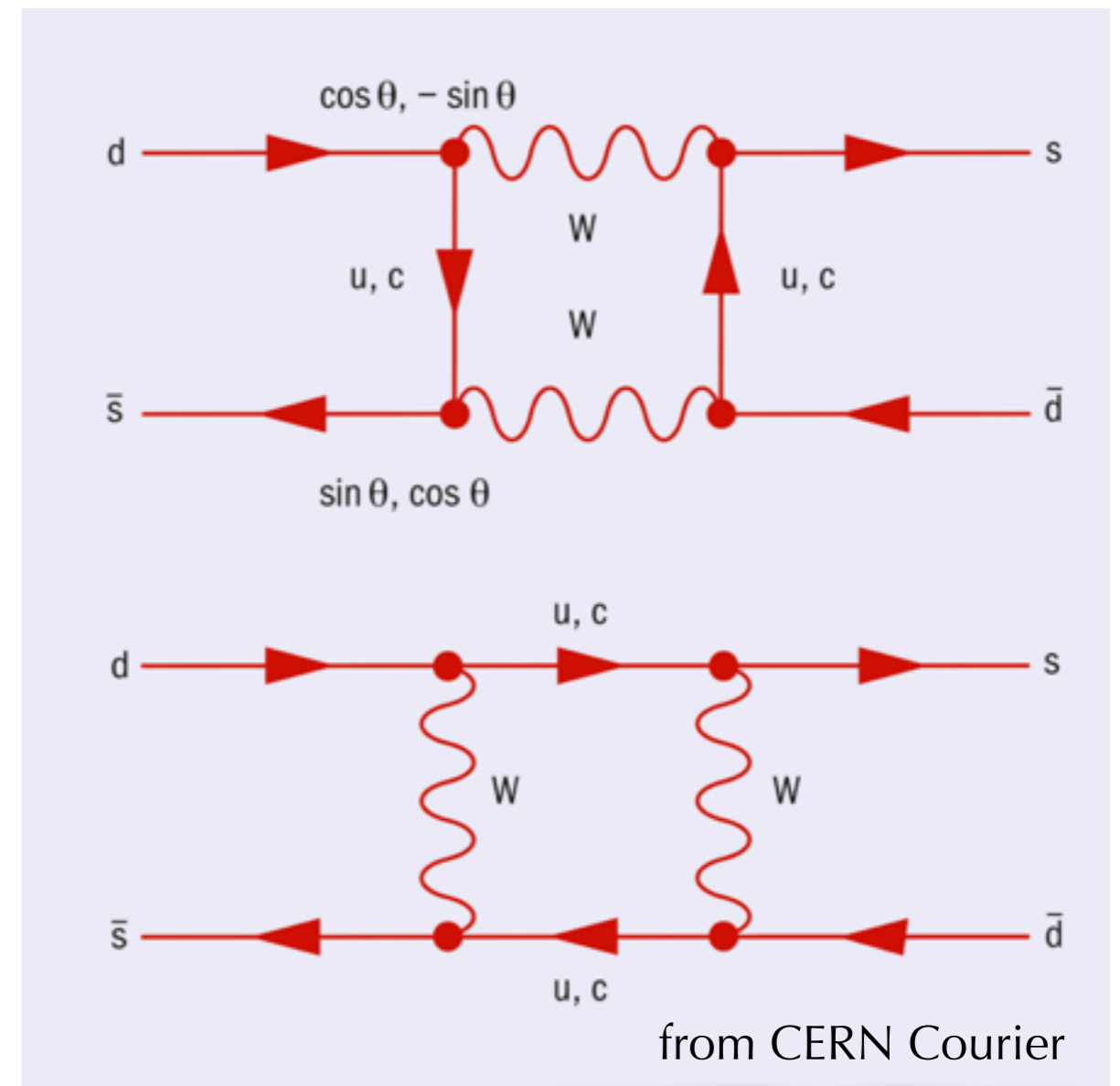
## ● Charm quark

Puzzle:  $K_L \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$  rate too small

Glashow-Iliopoulos-Maiani (GIM) mechanism

2x2 matrix  $\rightarrow$  charm as new d.o.f.

$K^0(\bar{s}d) - \bar{K}^0(sd\bar{d})$  oscillation



## ● CP violation

$K_L$  (~CP odd)  $K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0 \pi^0$

$K_S$  (~CP even)  $K_S \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0$

Also observed  $K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0$  !!

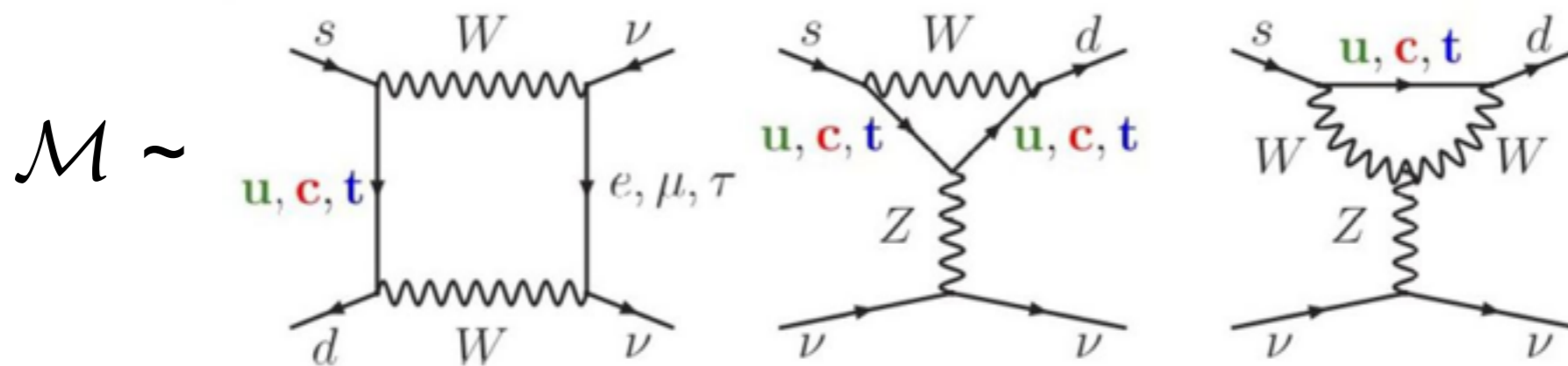
**CKM** matrix [3x3 matrix with new phase]



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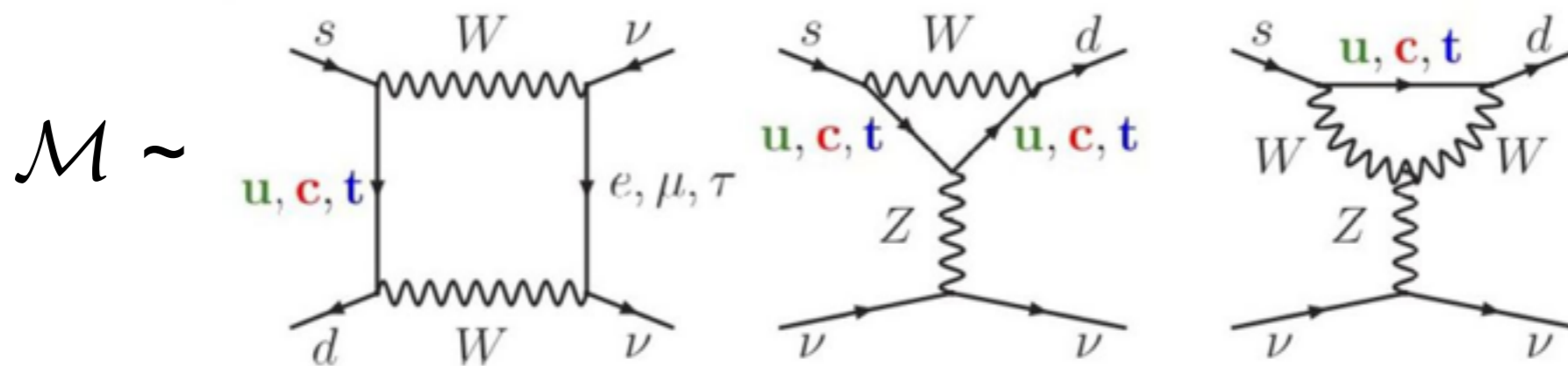
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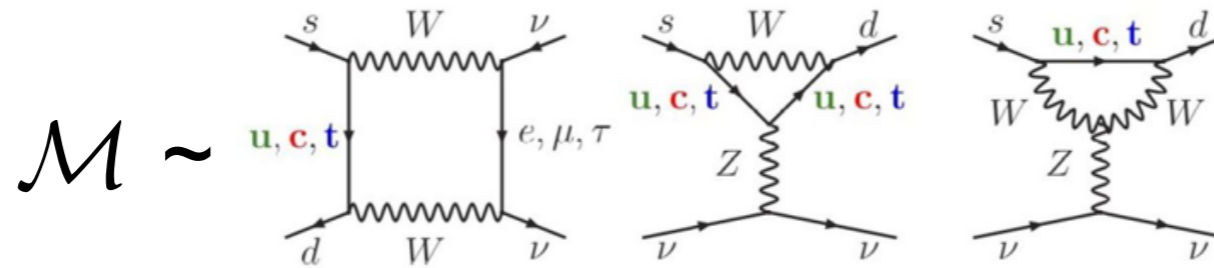
Extremely rare and precise process in SM. [Buras et al., 1503.02693]

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- **Br~10<sup>-11</sup>** due to suppressions of 1loop, CKM and GIM
- Unlike LHC physics, a few events are already significant!

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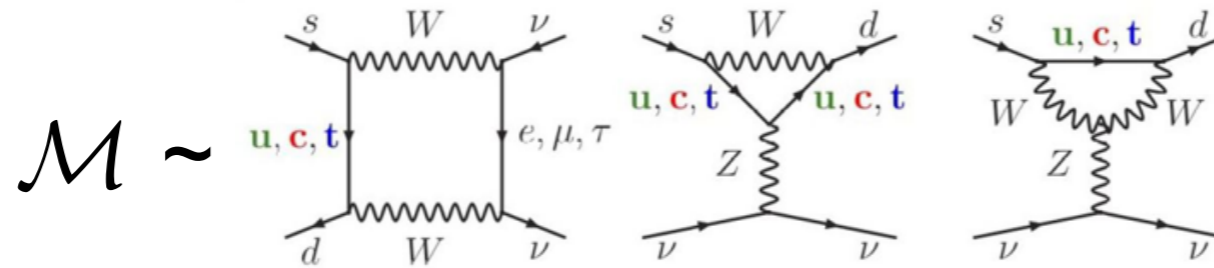
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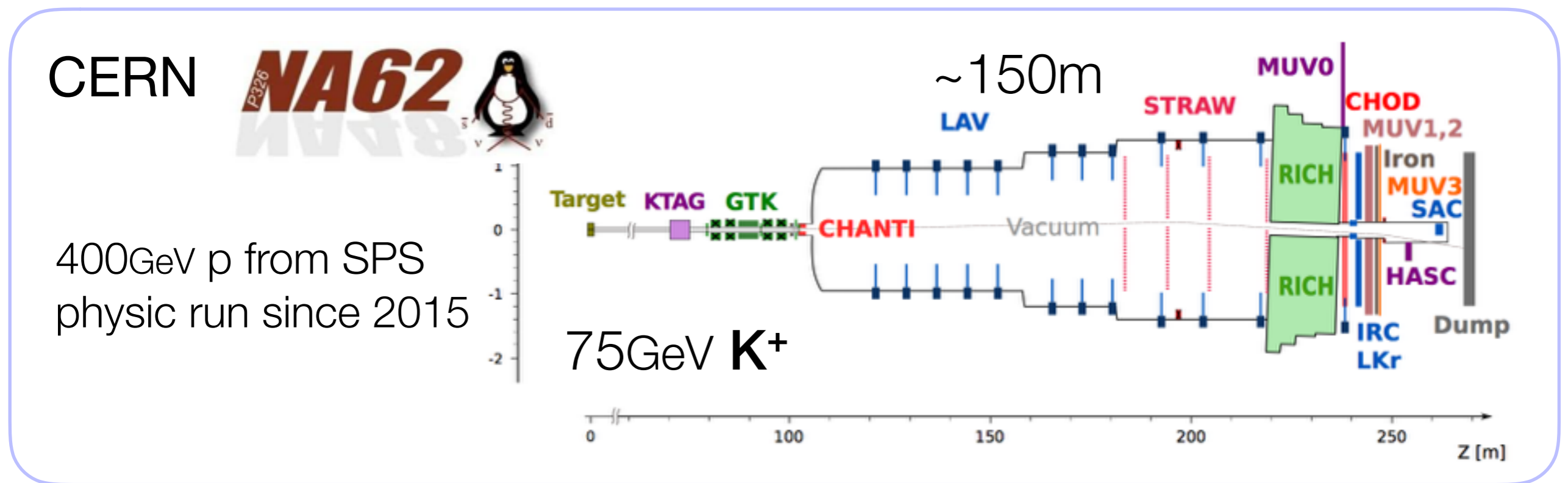
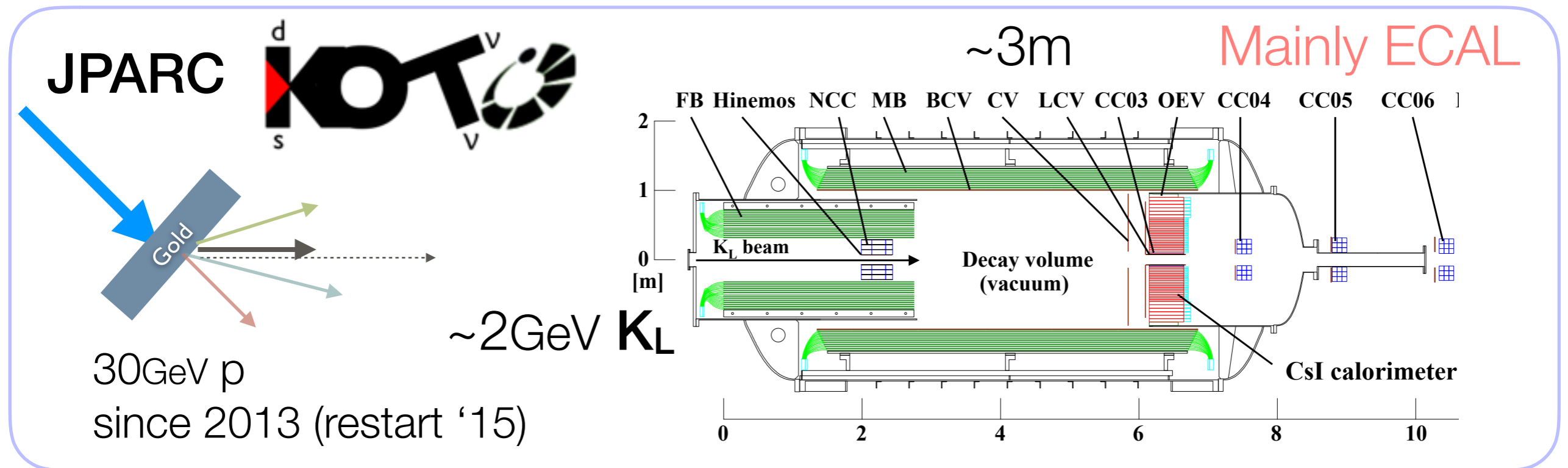
- GN bound can be generalized to new physics case

→ 
$$\text{BR}(K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 X) \lesssim 4.3 \text{BR}(K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ X)$$

saturates, e.g., when  $X$  is CP-even

[H. Leutwyler, M. A. Shifman ('90)]

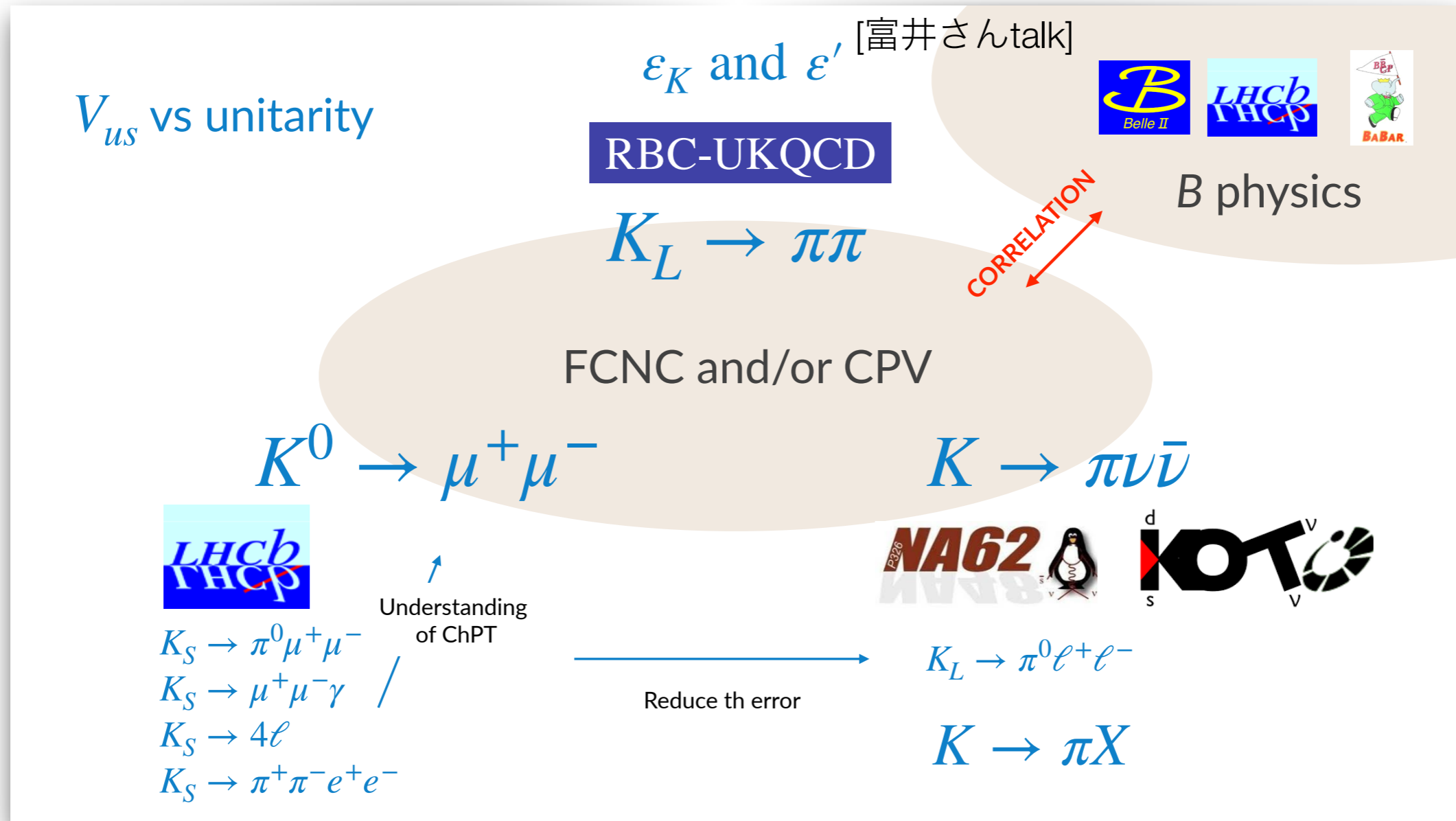
# Experiments for Rare Koan Decays



Aim for precision  $Br \sim 10^{-11} \Rightarrow N_K \sim 10^{13} \gg N_{B\text{-pair, Belle II}} \sim 10^{11}!!$



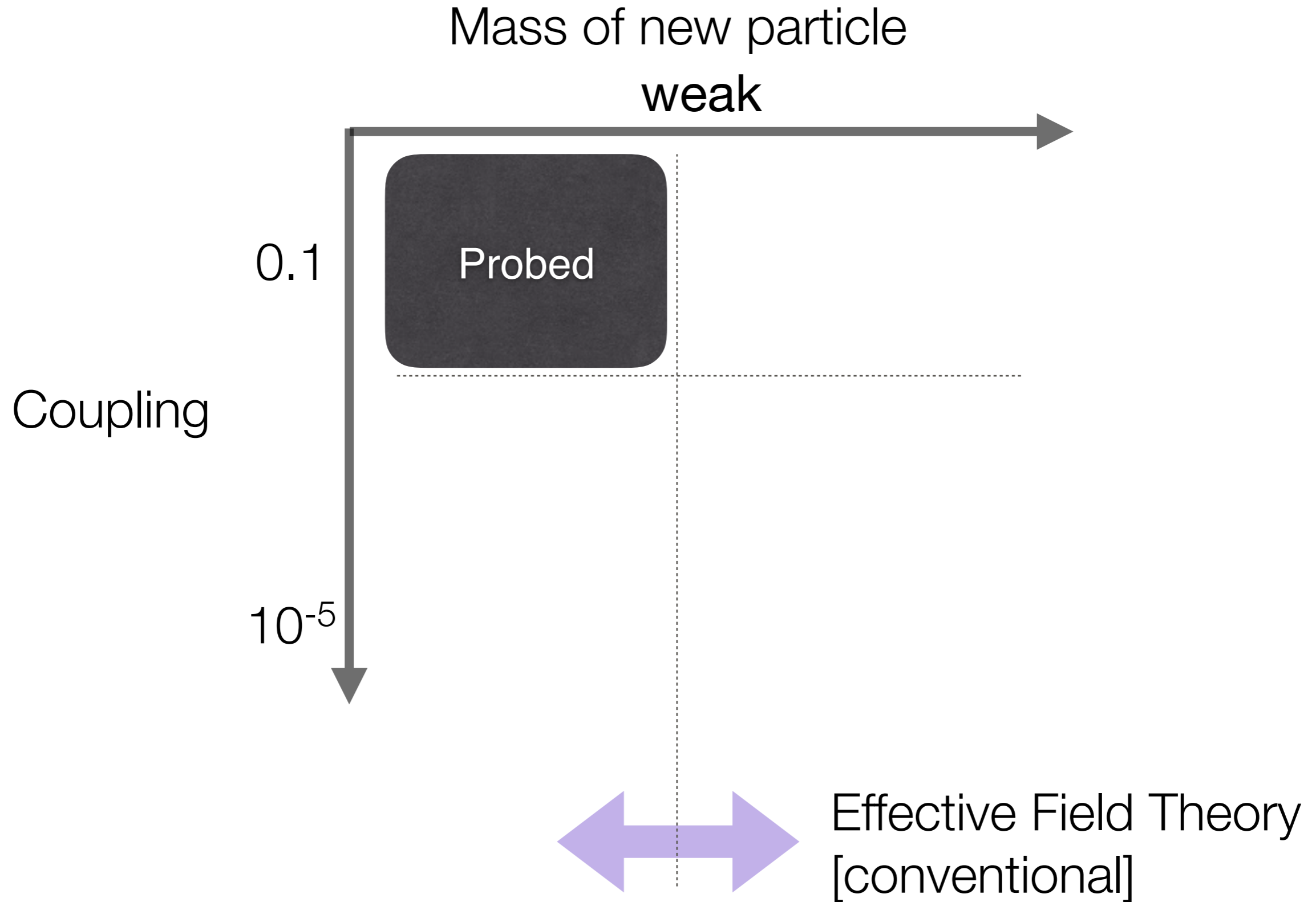
# Kaon Measurements — Big Picture —



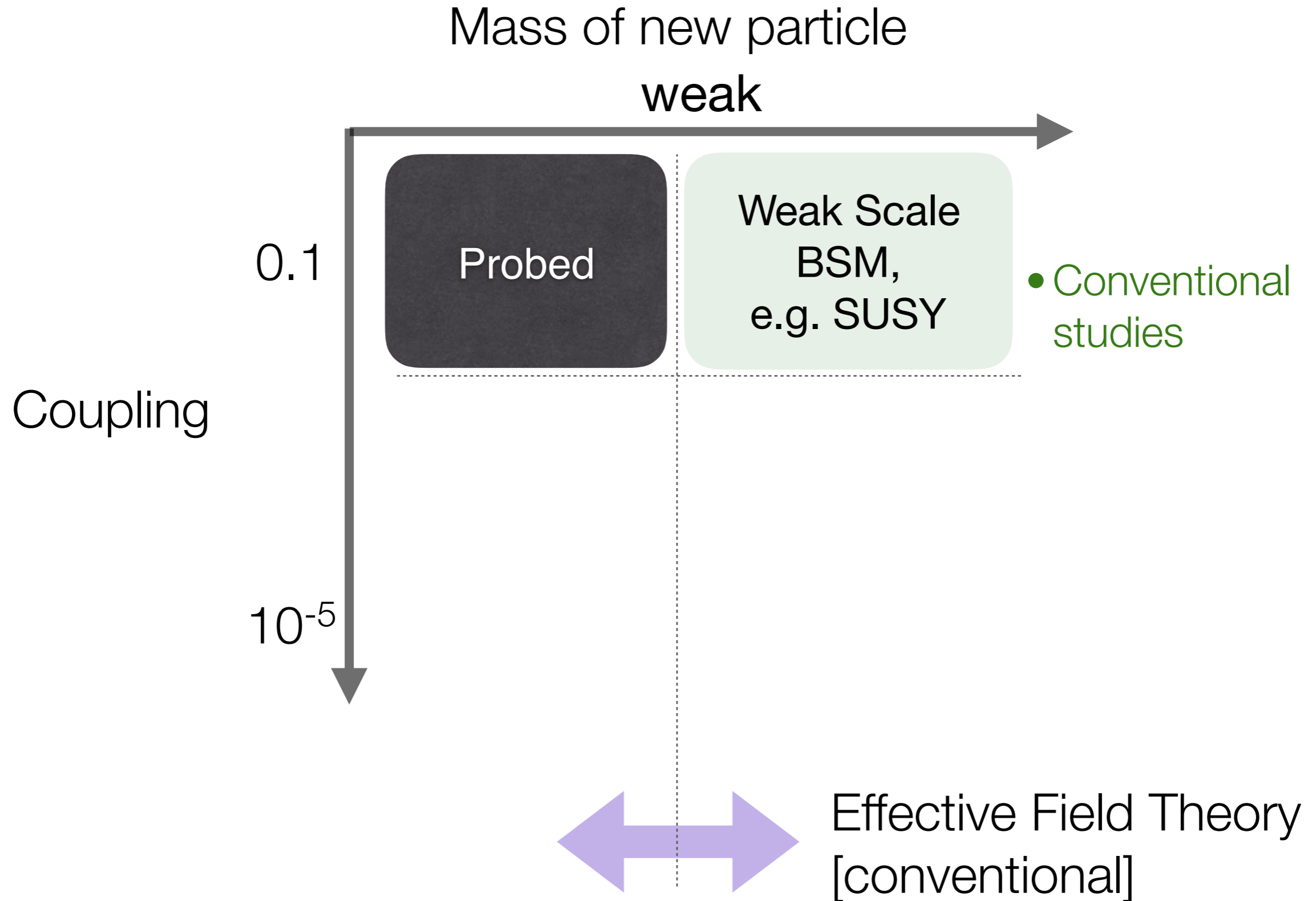
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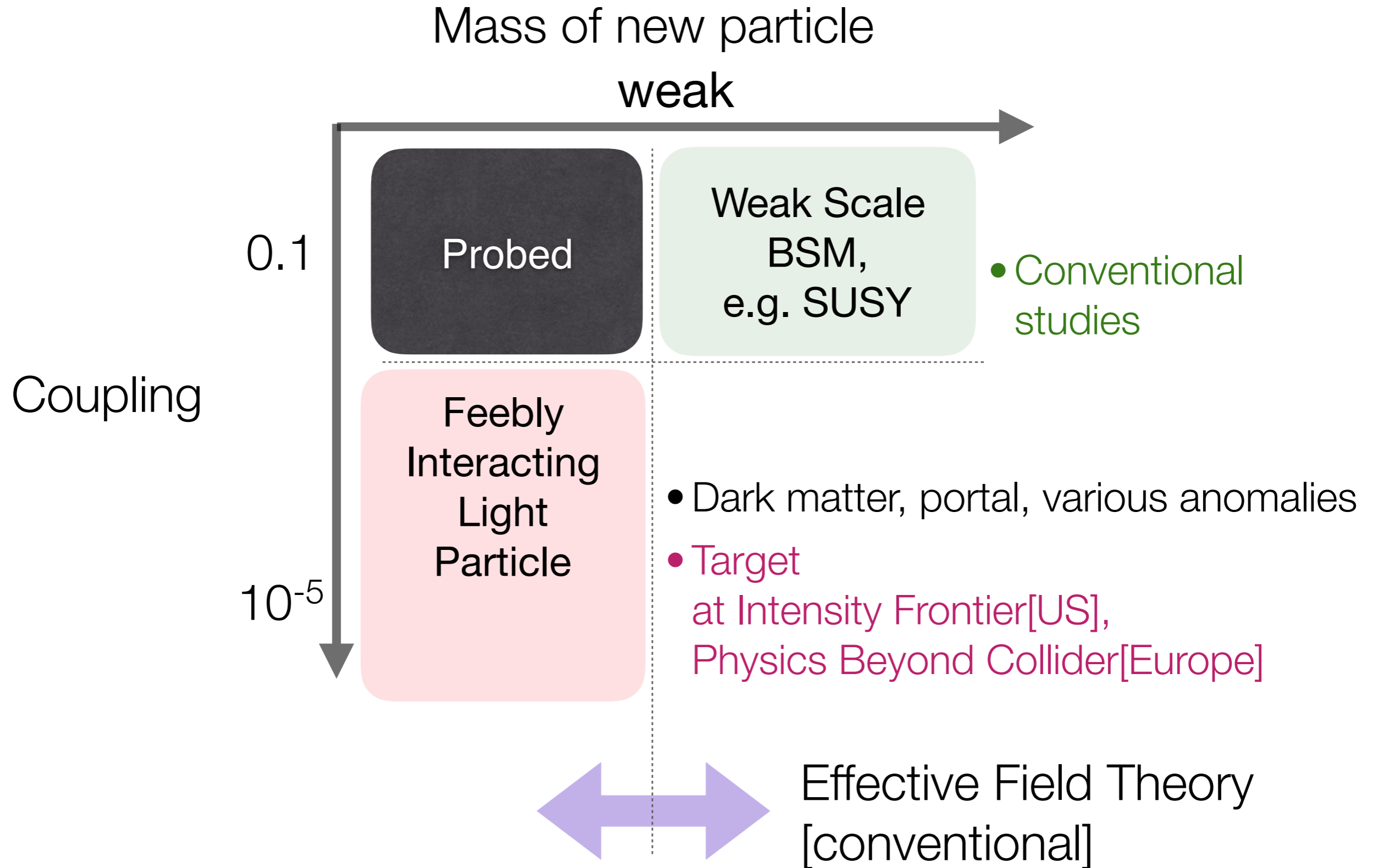
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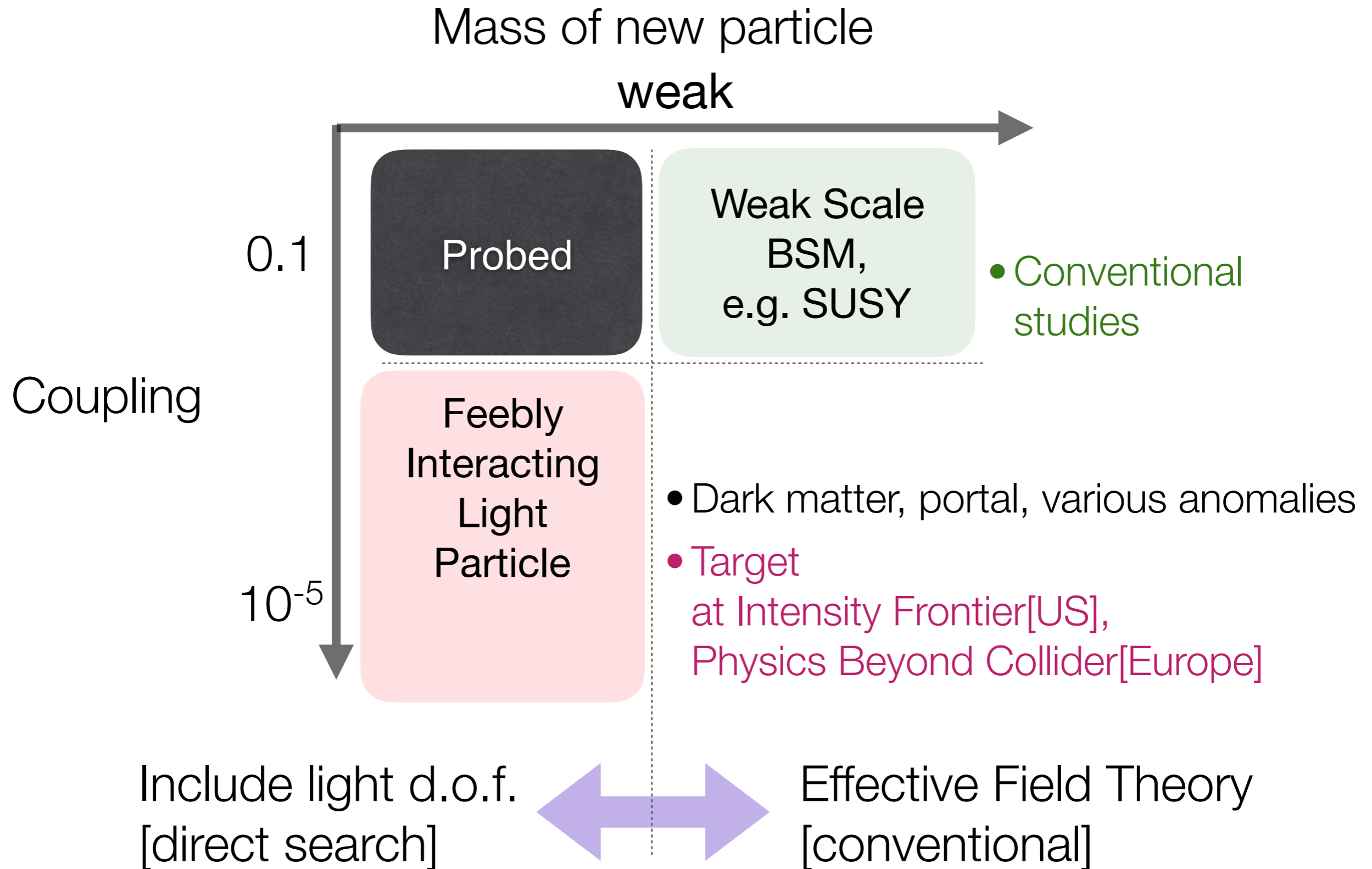
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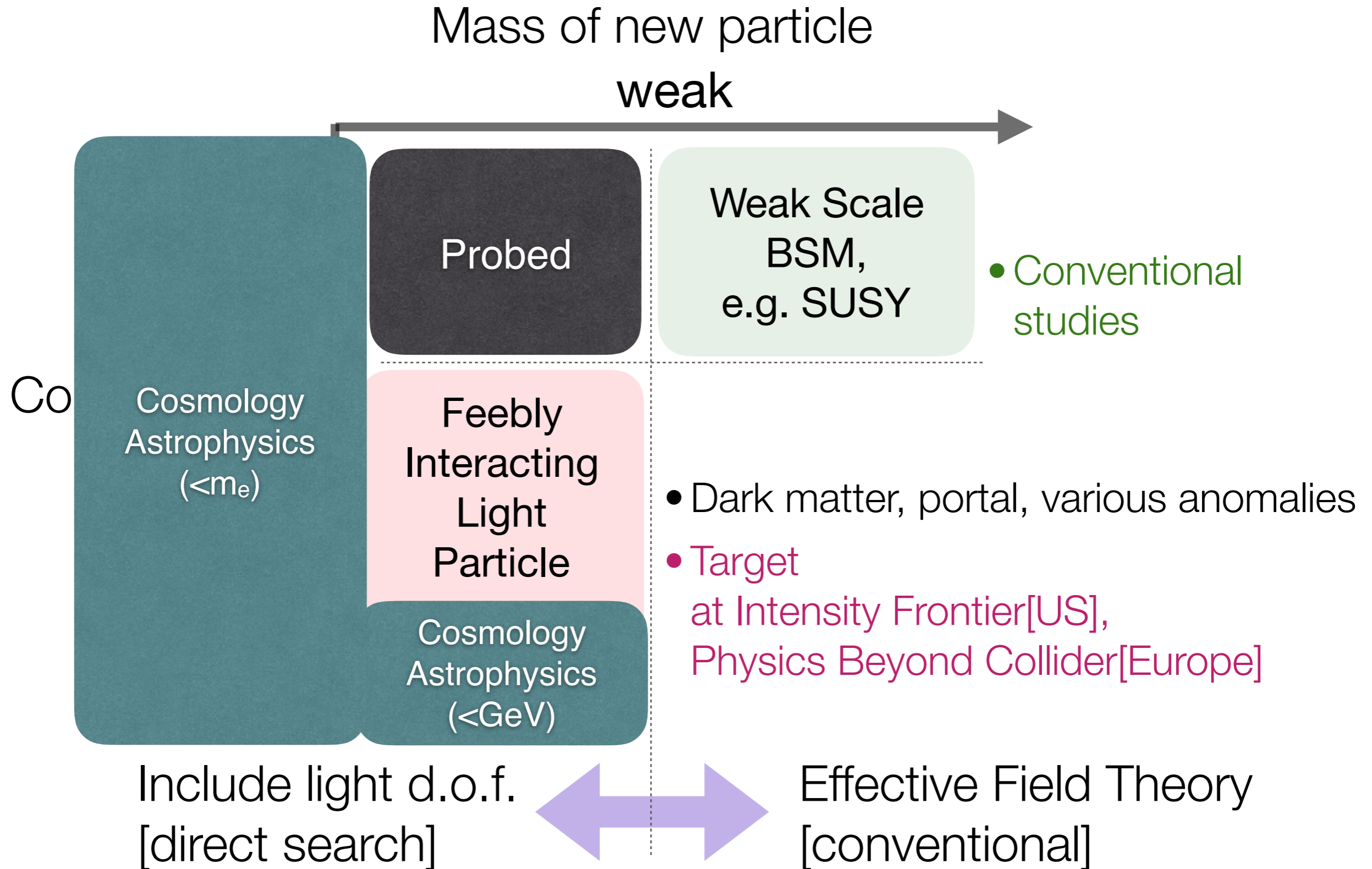
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Same for Belle II, LHCb,  $\nu$ -factory

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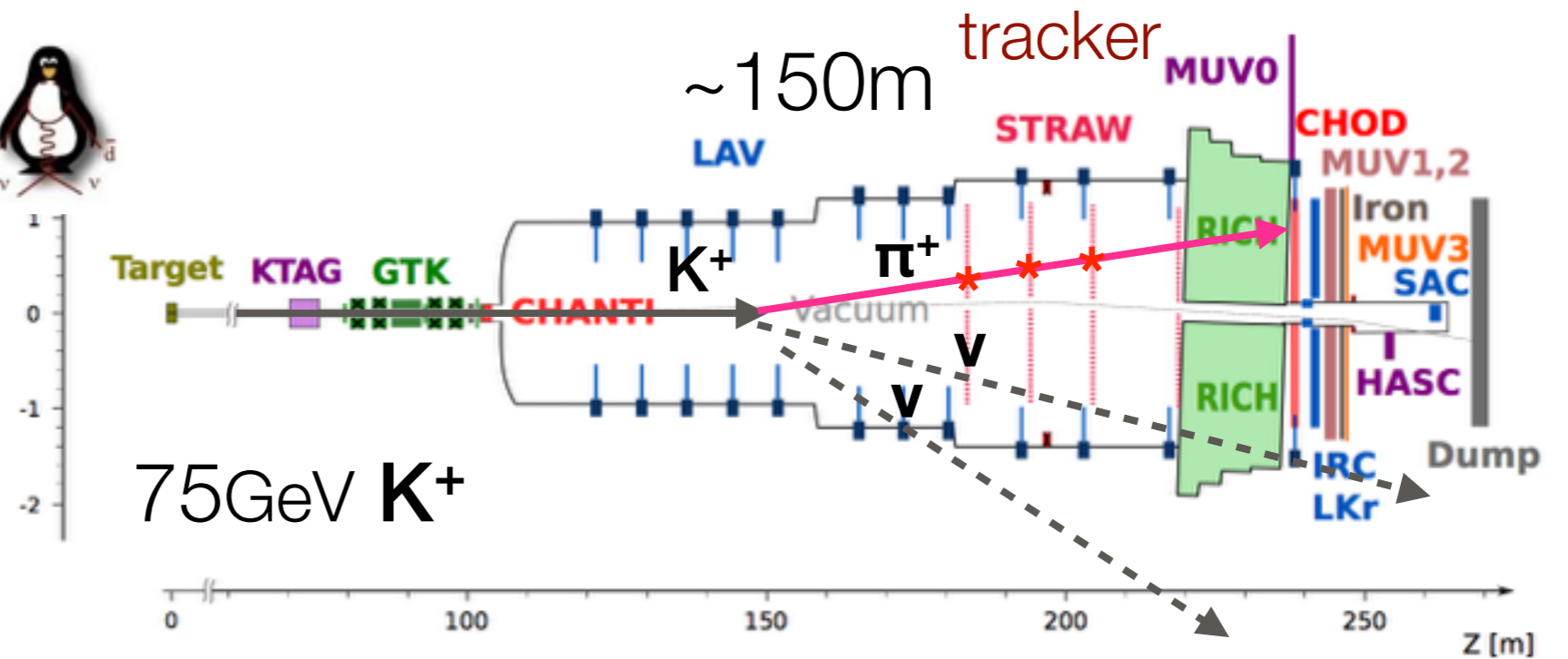
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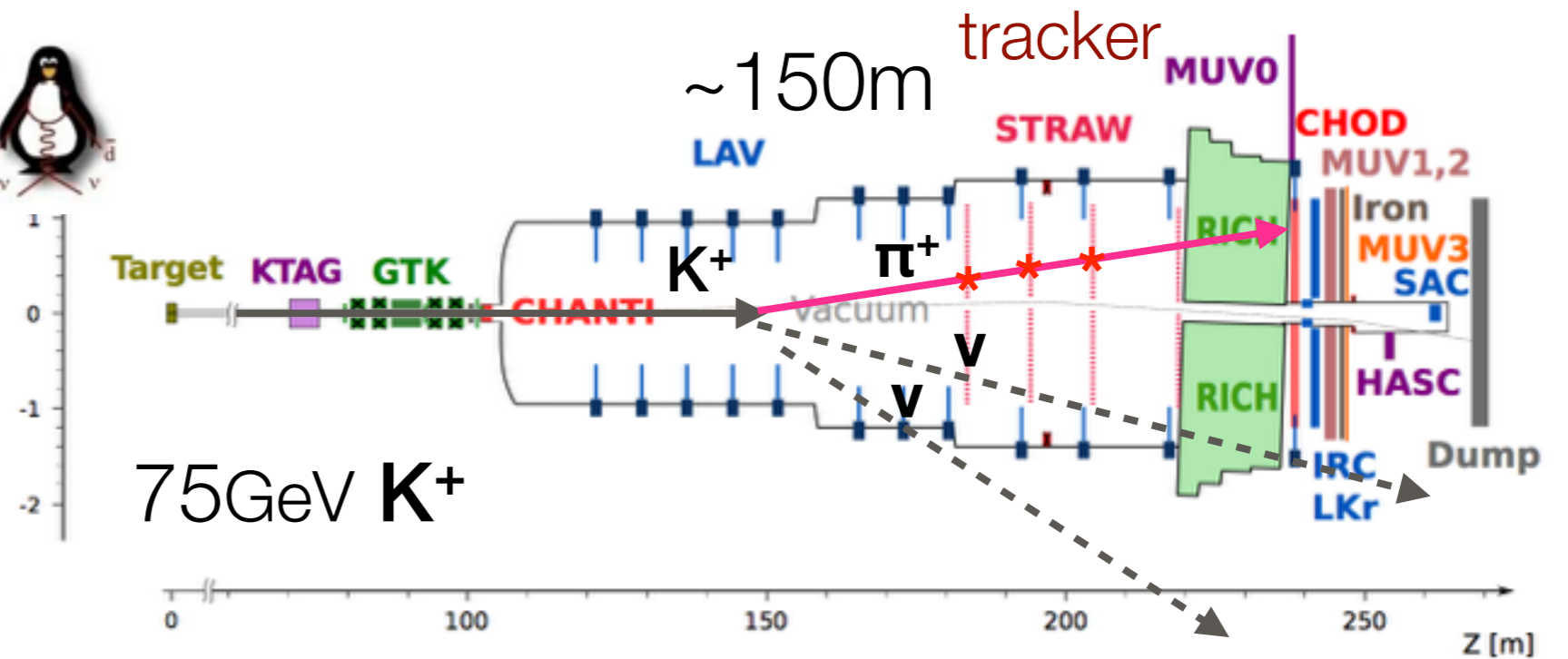


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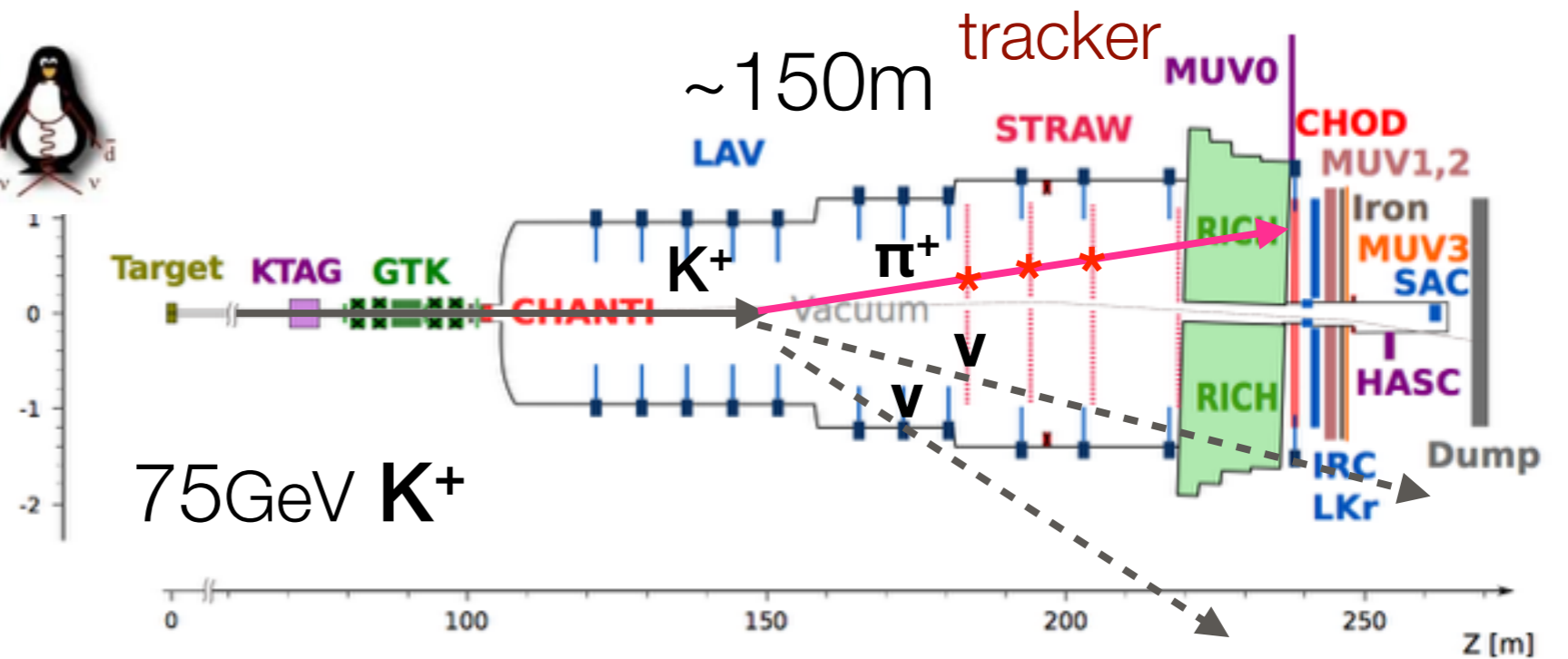
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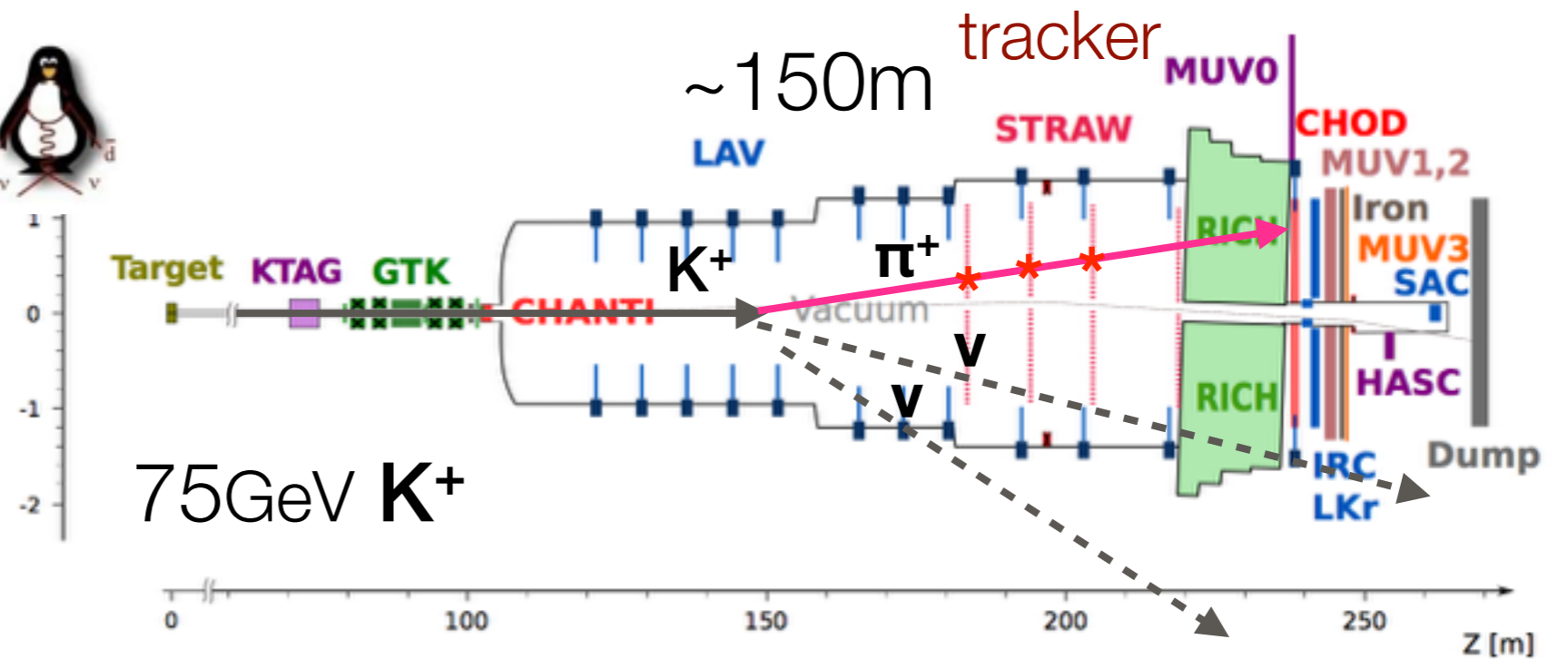
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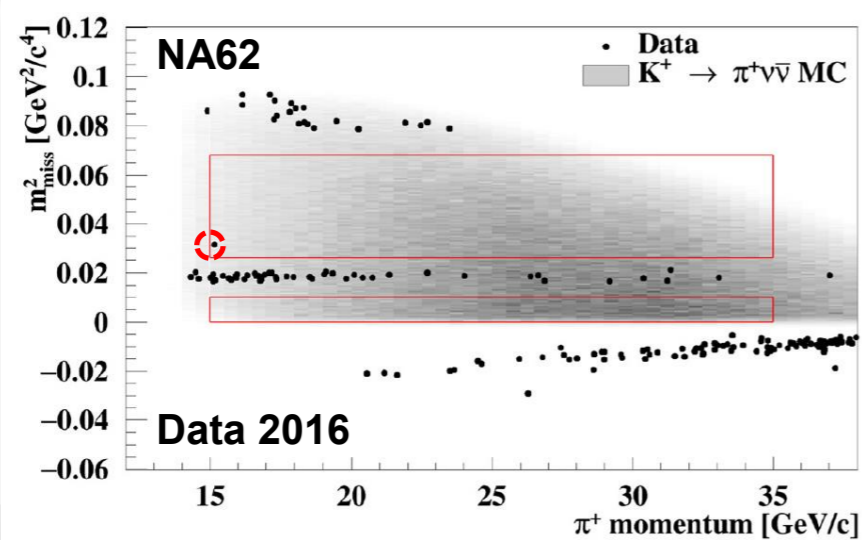
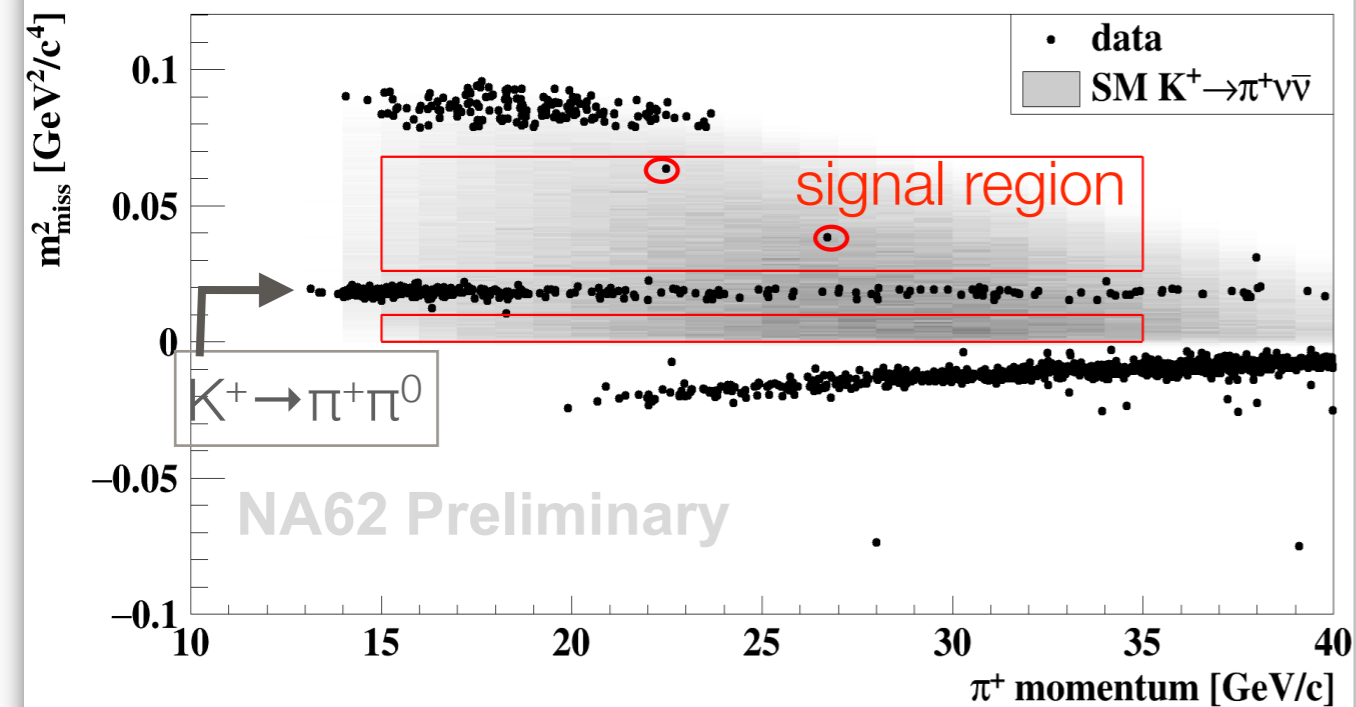
KAON2019

ICHEP2020

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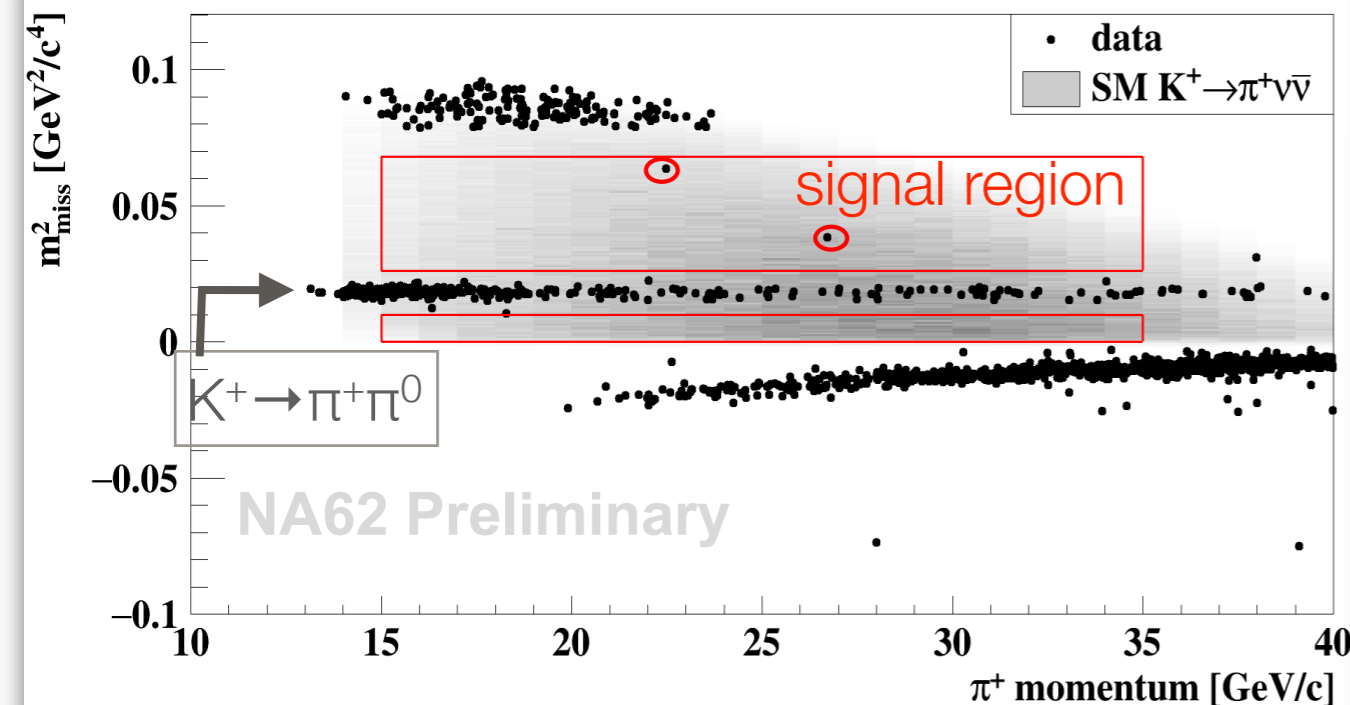
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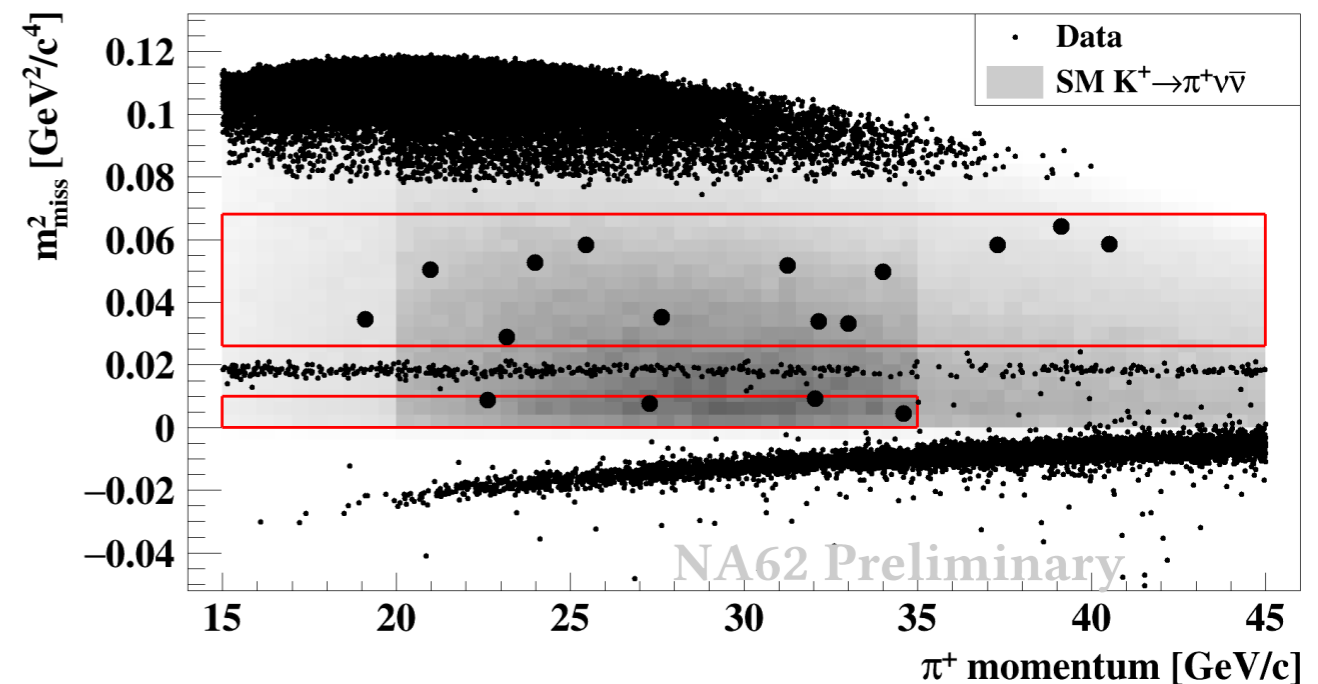
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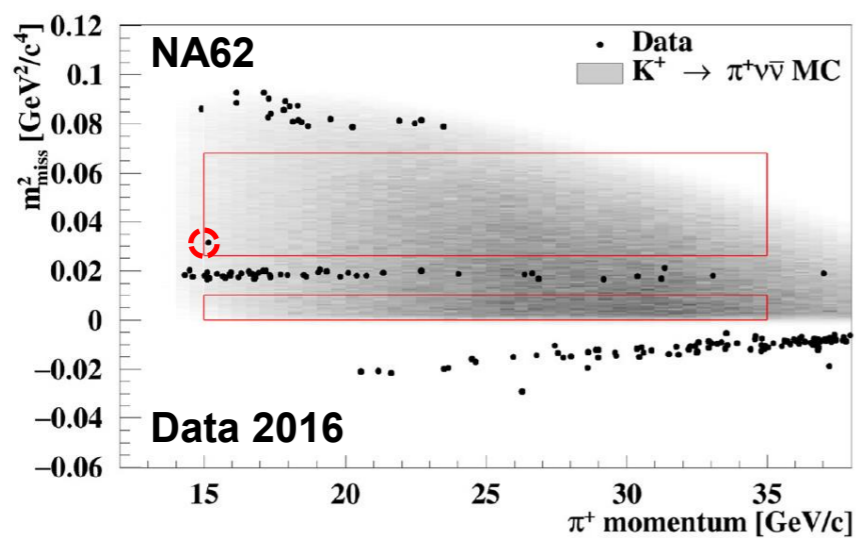
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Opening the box in the 2018 data



5.3 background + 7.6 SM signal events expected, 17 events observed



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### ■ NA62 result from the complete Run 1(2016 + 2017 + 2018)

★ Observed events: 1 (2016) + 2 (2017) + 17(2018) = 20 (Run 1)

★ Expected background  $\sim 0.2(2016) + 1.5(2017) + 5.3(2018) = 7$  (Run 1)

★  $Br(K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \nu \bar{\nu}) = (11.0_{-3.5}^{+4.0}{}_{stat.} \pm 0.3_{syst.}) \times 10^{-11}$  (3.5 $\sigma$  significance)

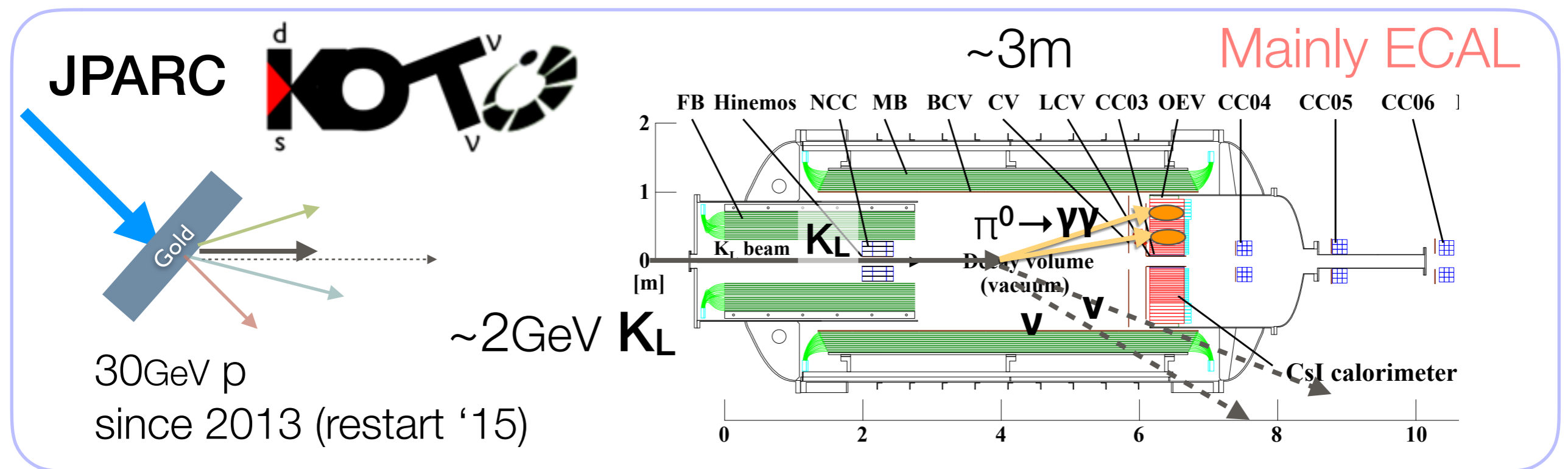
★ The most precise measurement of the BR obtained so far

### ■ The result is compatible with the SM prediction within one standard deviation

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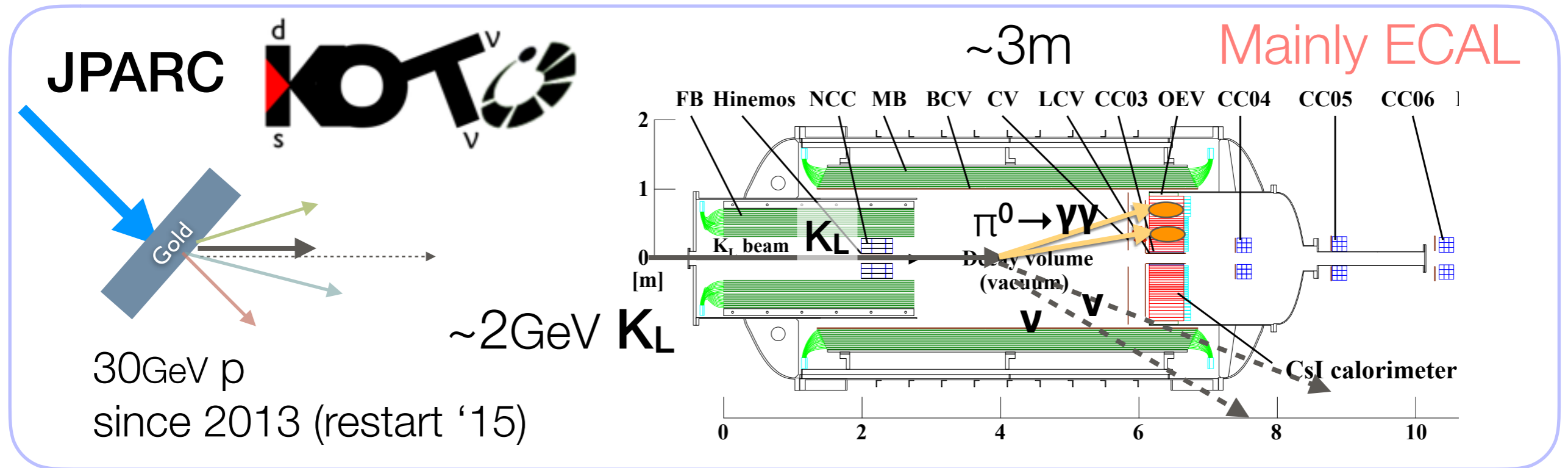
- Perform extremely well, and confirm the signal at **3.5 $\sigma$ !**
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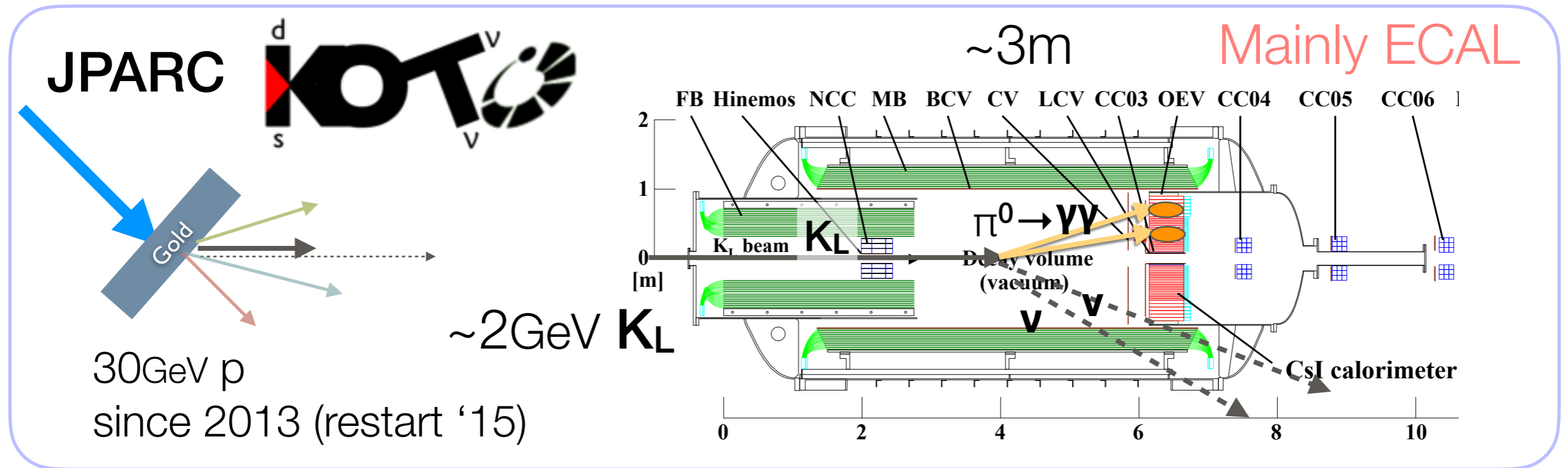


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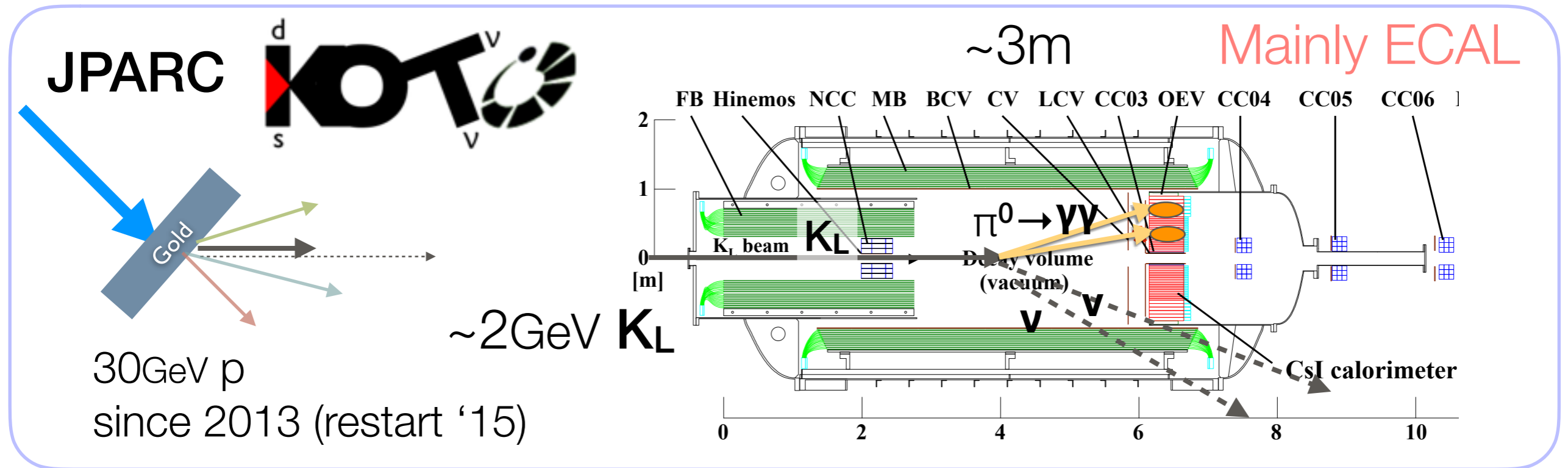


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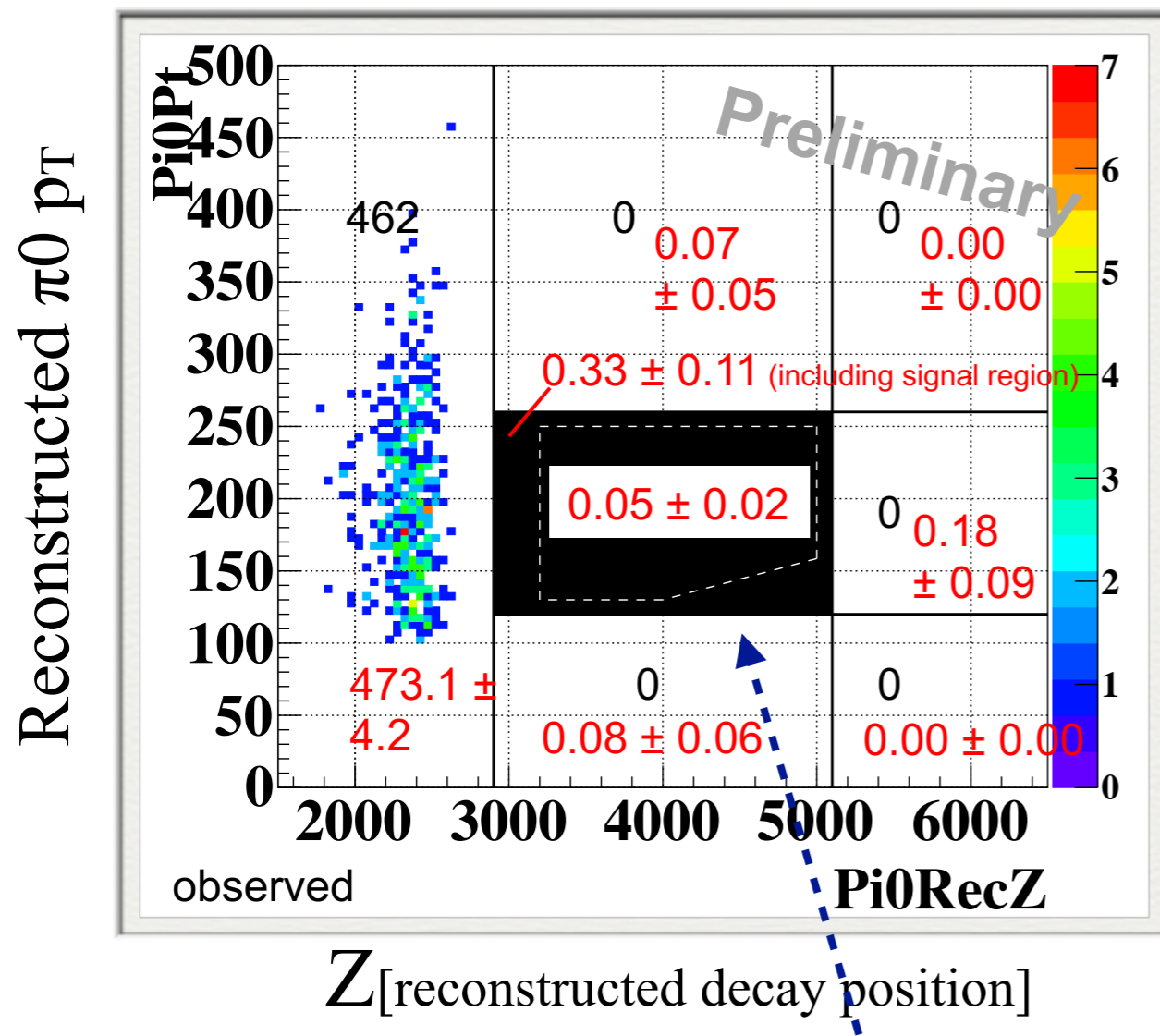
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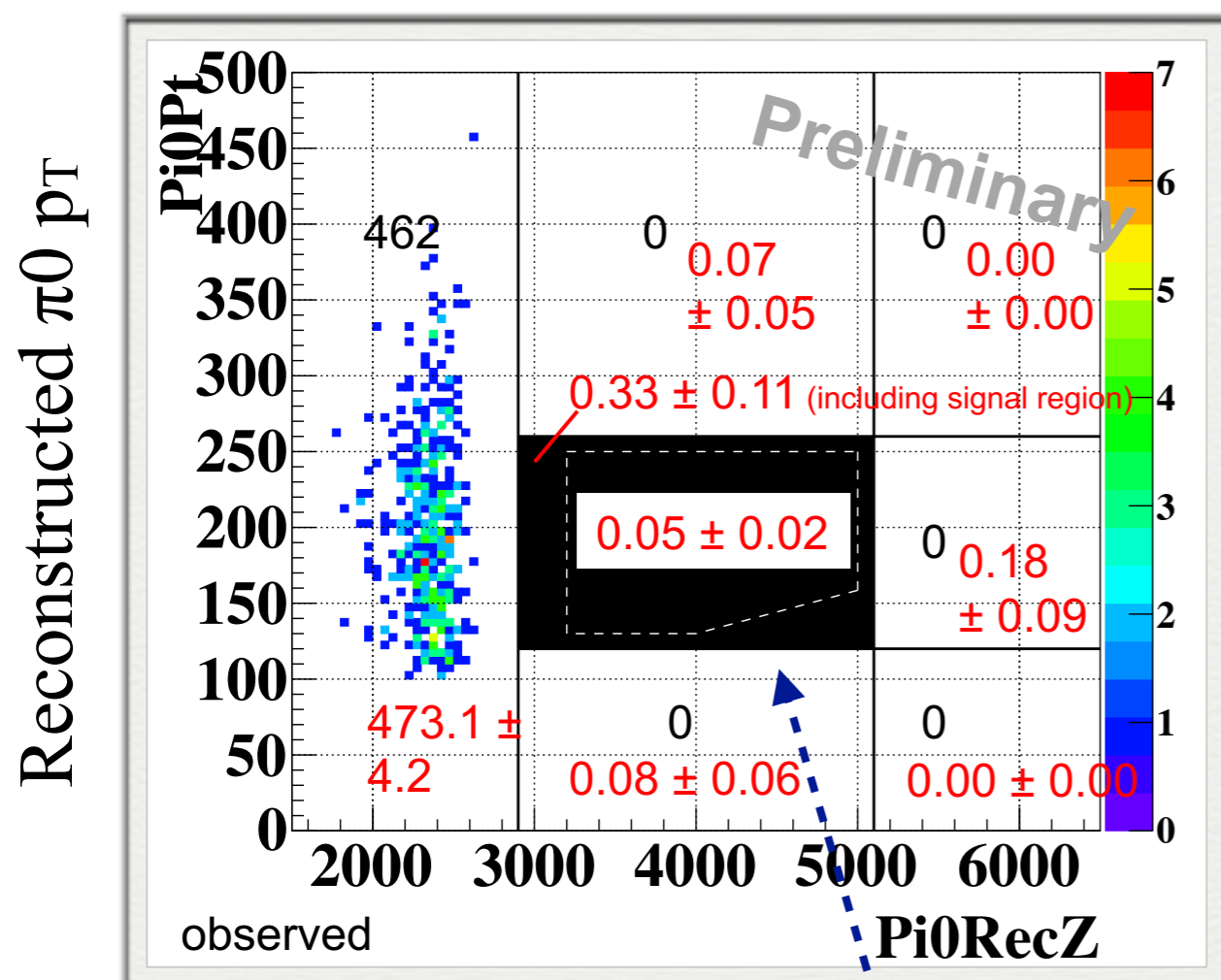
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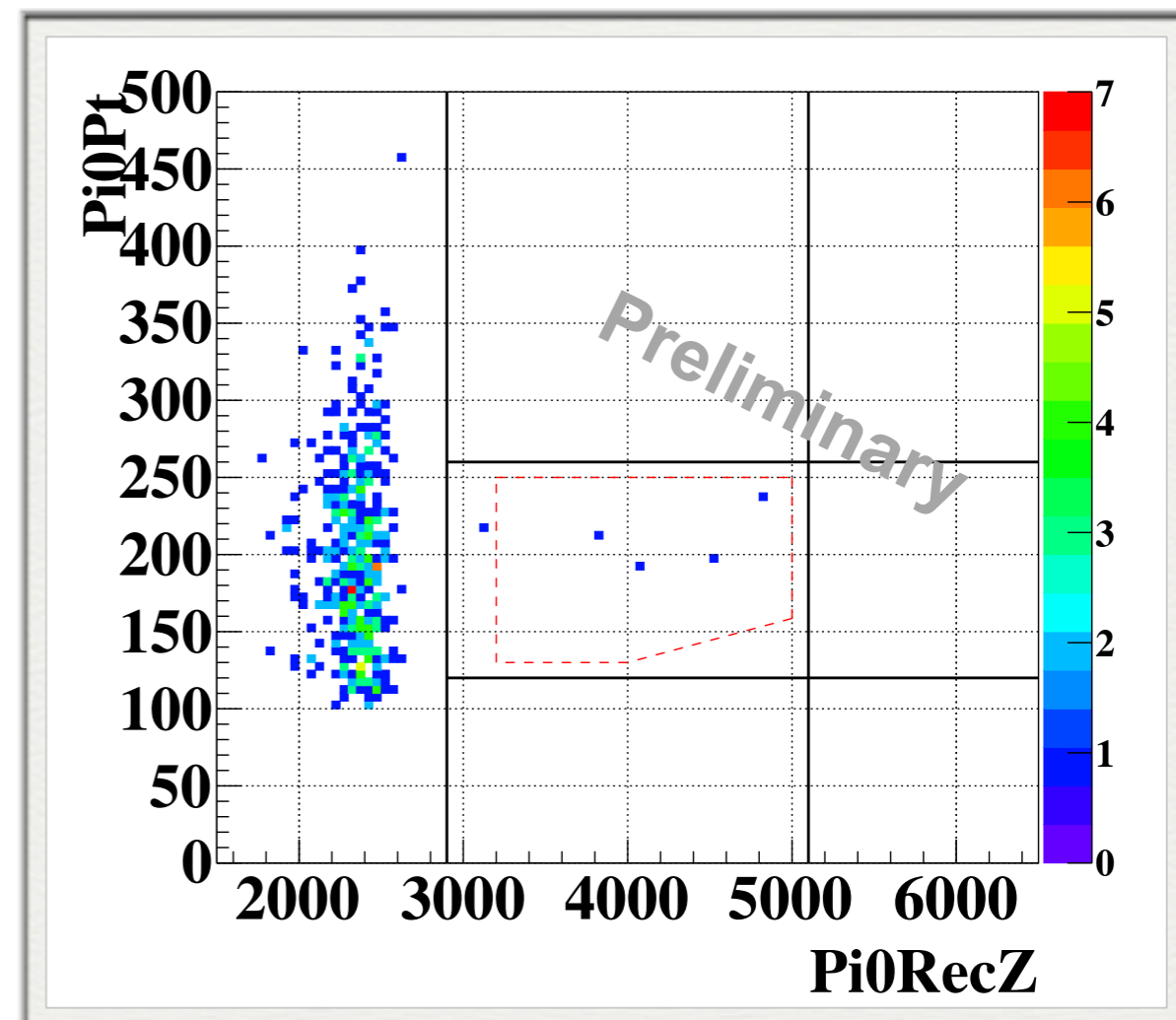
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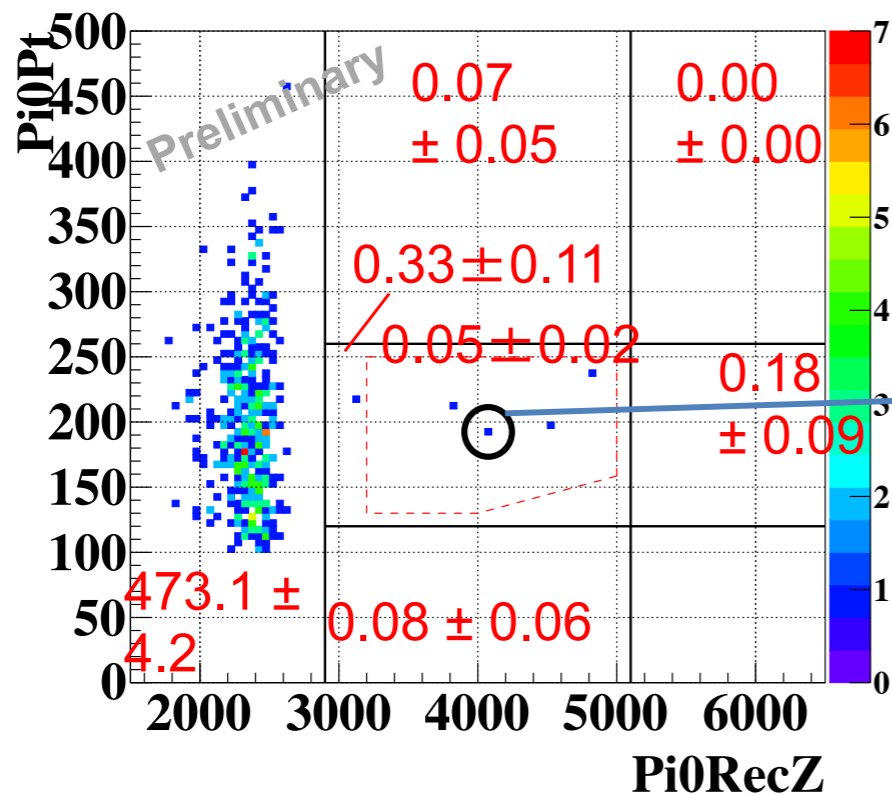
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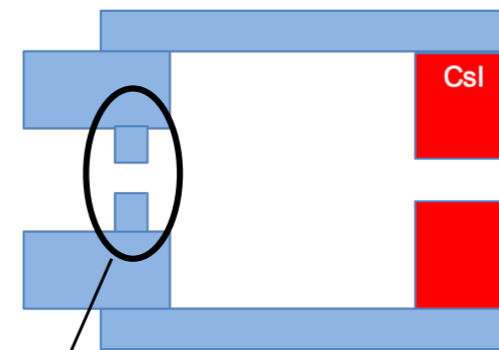
4 events!  
[nothing outside SR]

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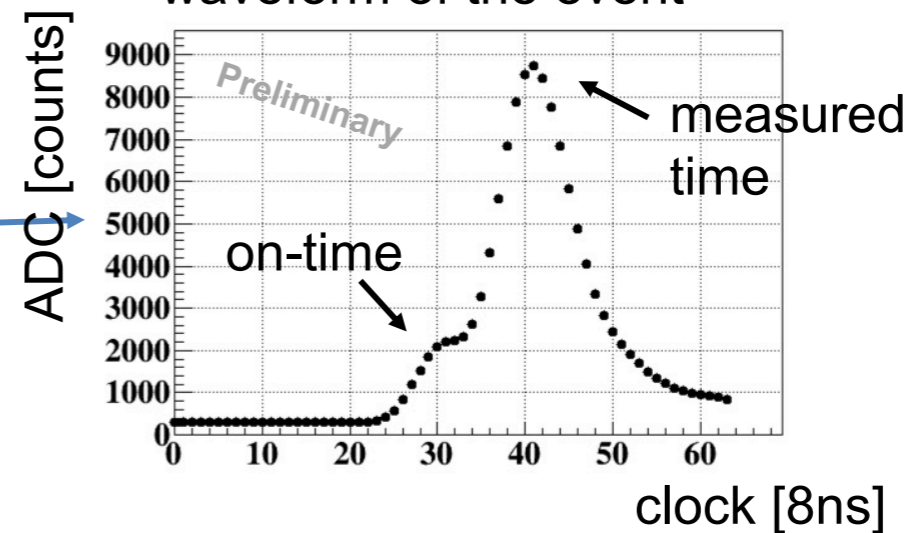


expectation



upstream detector

waveform of the event



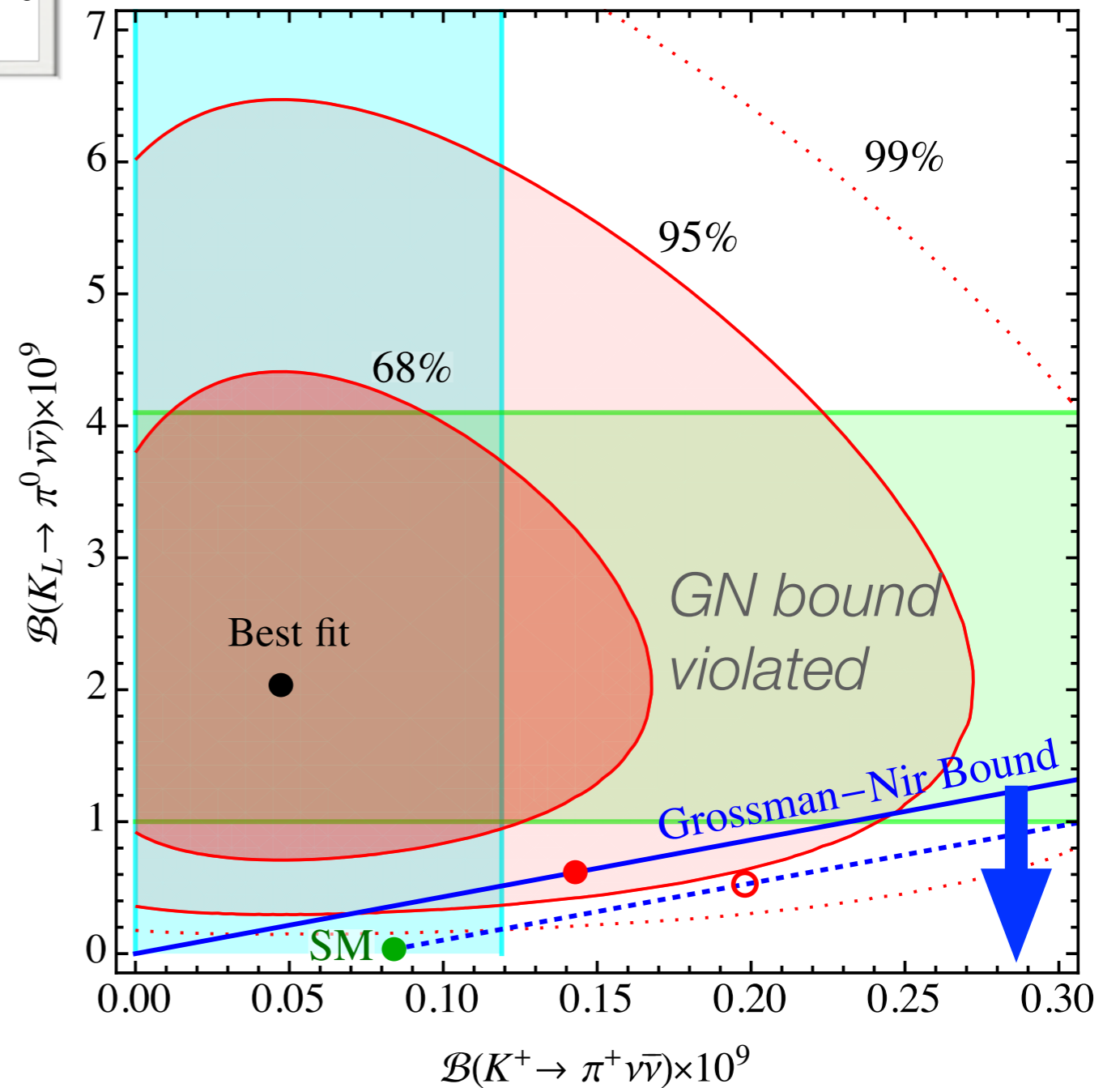
On-timing peak is shifted by large pulse

Even 3 events  $\gg$  SM+BG  $\sim 0.1$ .

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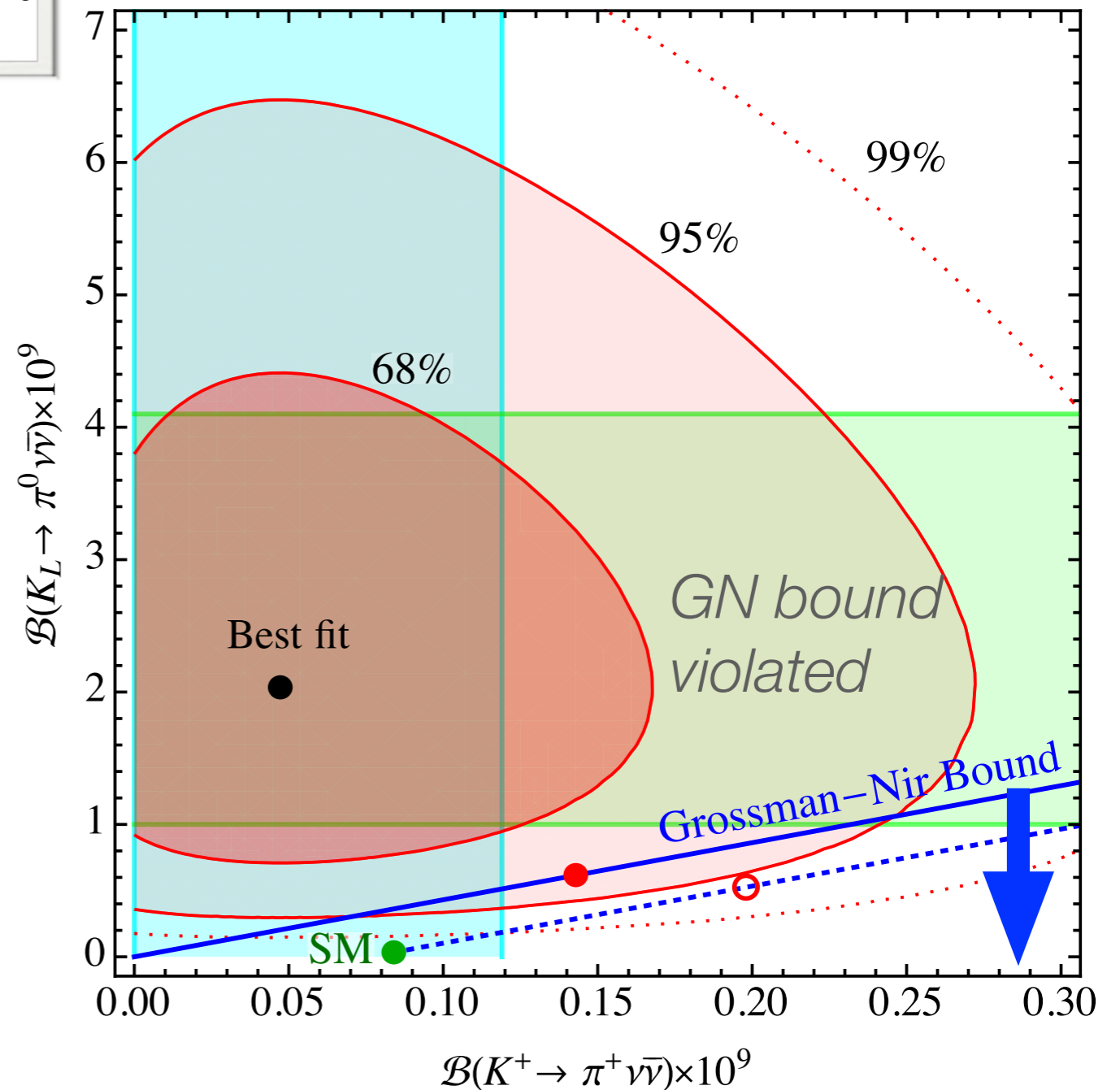
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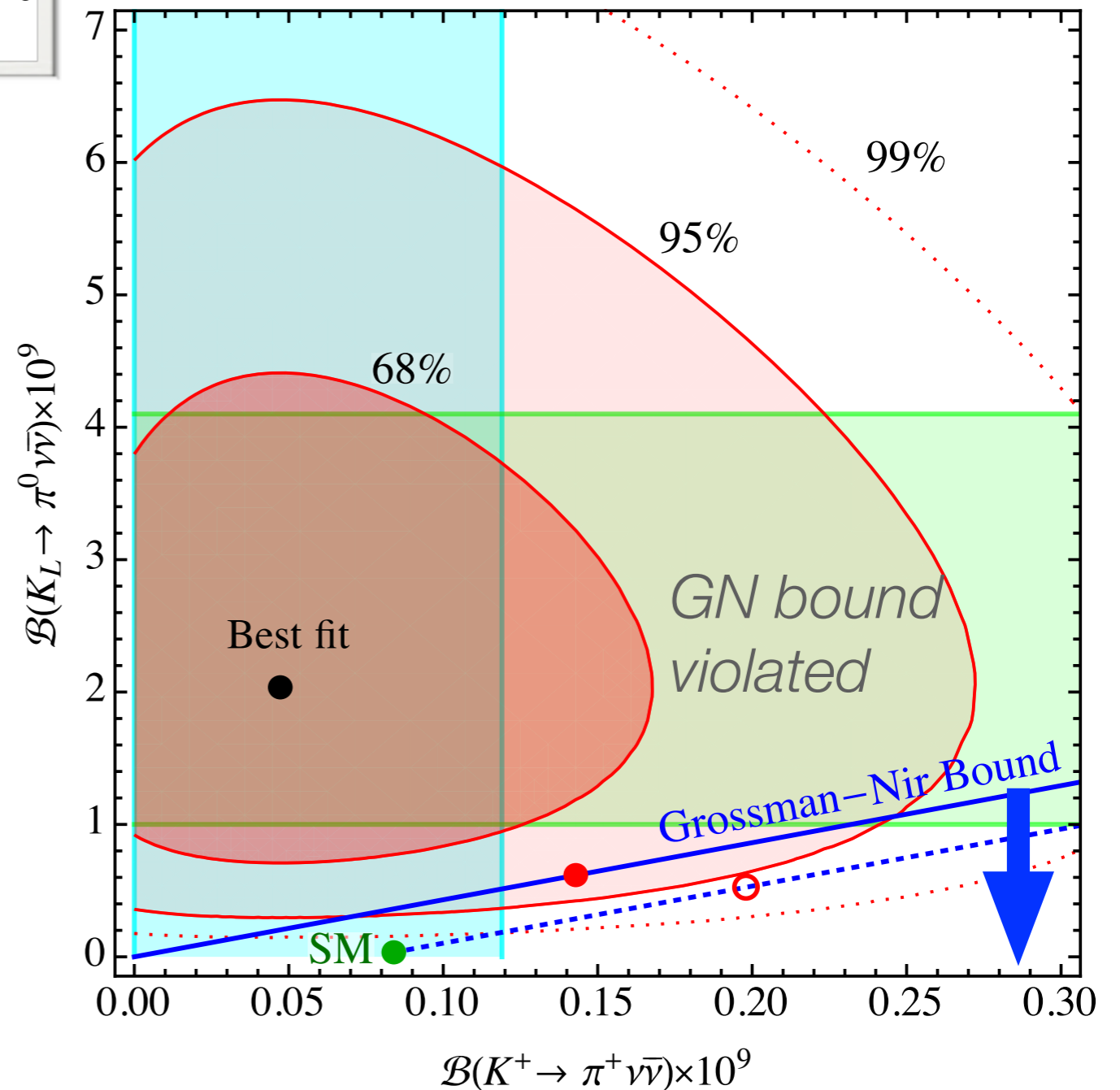
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If this is NP, **a new light state** is favored.



# KOTO “excess”, ICHEP2020

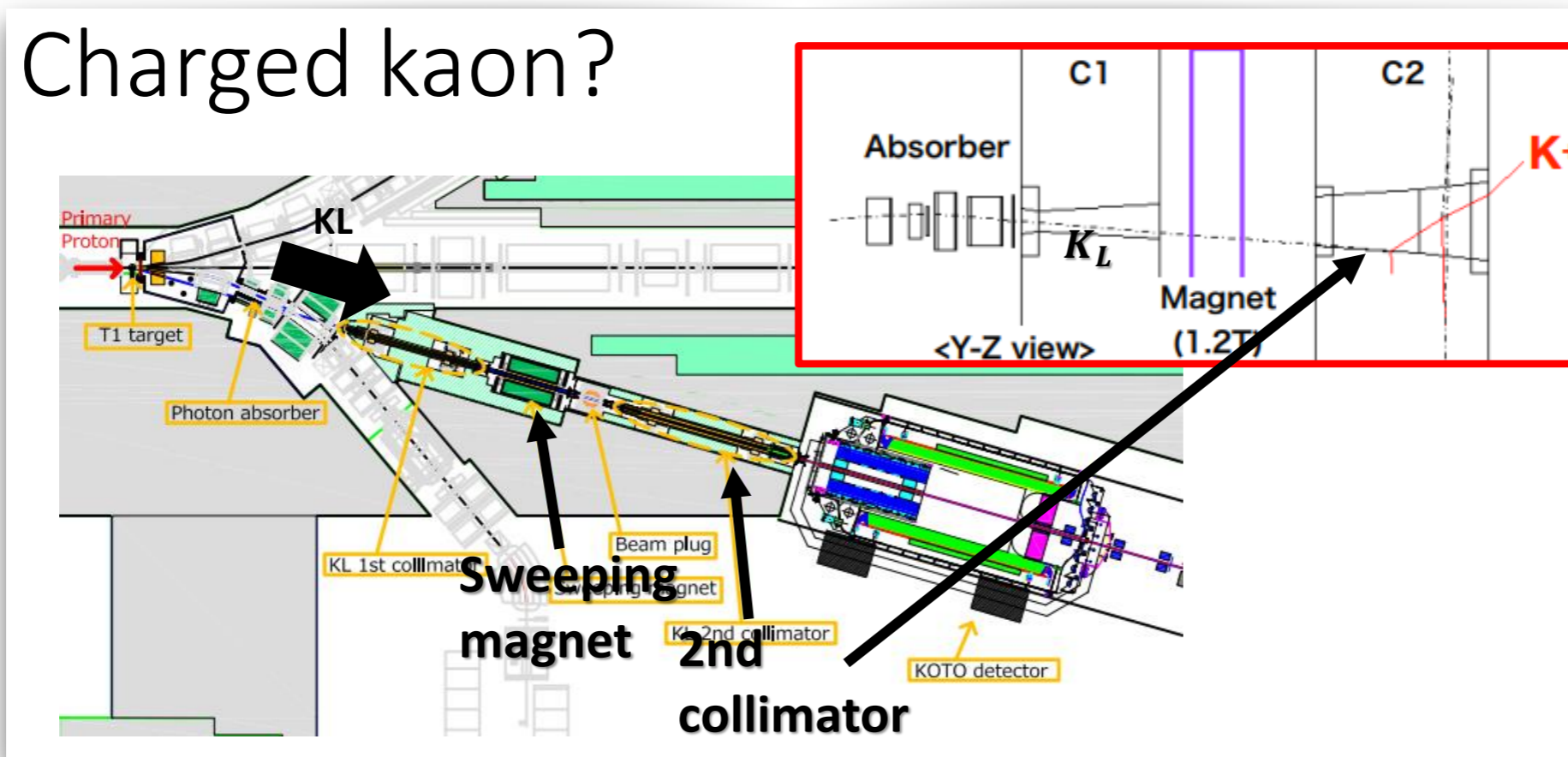
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KAON2019

BG=**0.05** $\pm$ 0.02

ICHEP2020

## Charged kaon?



$K_L * \text{collimator} \rightarrow K^+ \rightarrow \pi^0 e^+ \nu$  [BR~5%],  $\pi^0 \pi^+$

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ICHEP2020

→ **0.39**±0.10

x8 [new K<sup>+</sup> BG, MC]

Expected # of BGs in the signal region

	source		#BG (90% C.L.)	#BG (68% C.L.)
U	KL	$K_L \rightarrow 2\pi^0$	<0.09	<0.05
		$K_L \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$	<0.02	<0.01
U		$K_L \rightarrow 3\pi^0$ (overlapped pulse)	0.01±0.01	0.01±0.01
		Ke3 (overlapped pulse)	<0.09	<0.05
		$K_L \rightarrow 2\gamma$	0.001±0.001	0.001±0.001
		Ke3 ( $\pi^0$ production)	<0.04	<0.02
		Ke3 ( $\pi^+$ beta decay)	<0.01	<0.01
		radiative Ke3	<0.046	<0.023
		Ke4	<0.04	<0.02
		$K_L \rightarrow ee\gamma$	<0.09	<0.05
		$K_L \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-$	<0.03	<0.02
		$K_L \rightarrow 2\gamma$ (core-like)	<0.11	<0.06
	$K_L \rightarrow 2\gamma$ (halo-K)	<0.19	<0.10	

N

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N	K+/-	$K^\pm \rightarrow \pi^0\pi^\pm$	0.03±0.03	0.03±0.03
		$K^\pm \rightarrow \pi^0e^\pm\nu$	0.30±0.09	0.30±0.09
		$K^\pm \rightarrow \pi^0\mu^\pm\nu$	<0.07	<0.04
N	Neutron	Upstream $\pi^0$	0.001±0.001	0.001±0.001
		Hadron cluster	0.02 ±0.00	0.02 ±0.00
		CV-pi0	<0.10	<0.05
		CV-eta	0.03±0.01	0.03±0.01
	Total	central value	0.39±0.10	0.39±0.10

U: Updated from Kaon2019

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talk  
@ichep2020

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[calibrate K<sup>+</sup> flux x3]

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Preliminary

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Neutron	Upstream $\pi^0$	0.001±0.001	0.001±0.001
	Hadron cluster	0.02 ±0.00	0.02 ±0.00
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	CV-eta	0.03±0.01	0.03±0.01
Total	central value	1.05±0.28	1.05±0.28

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# from  $K^\pm$  decays

=  $(0.33 \pm 0.08) \times$  uncertainties of simulation

Prediction by  
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Uncertainty of  
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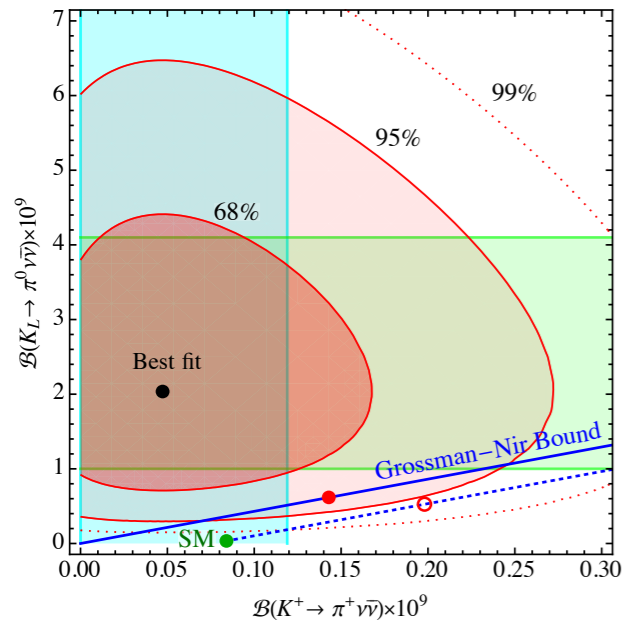
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→ ongoing using  
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It's still tentative, let's wait for a paper.

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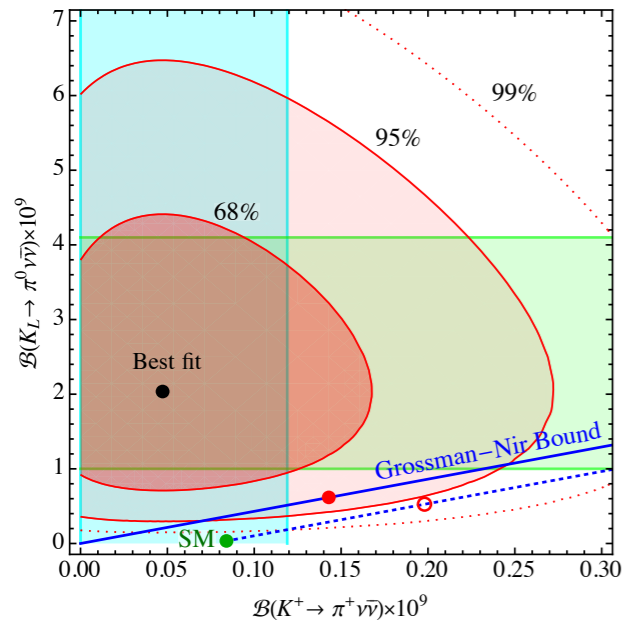
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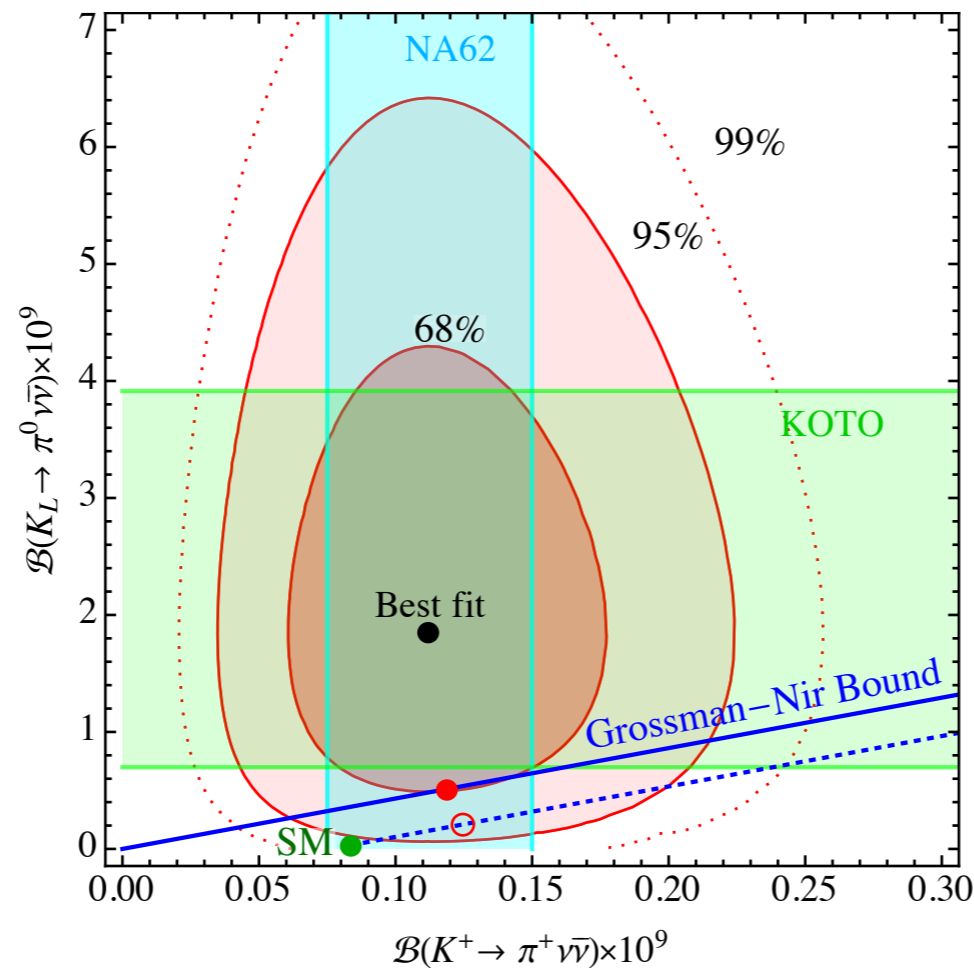
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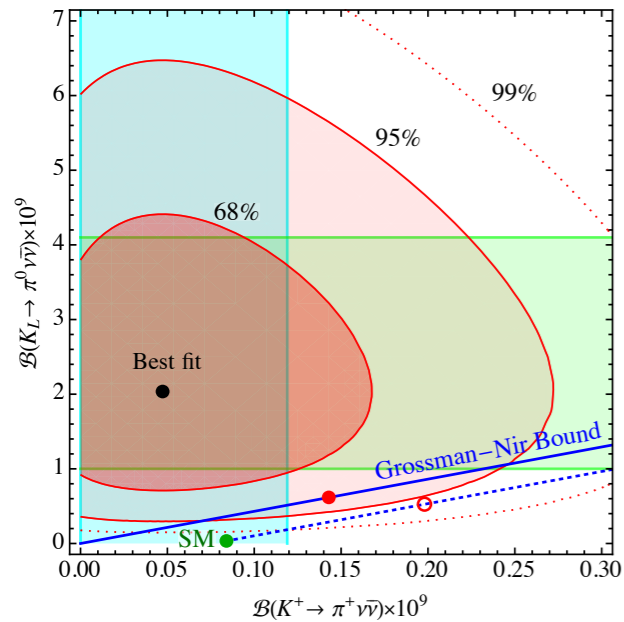
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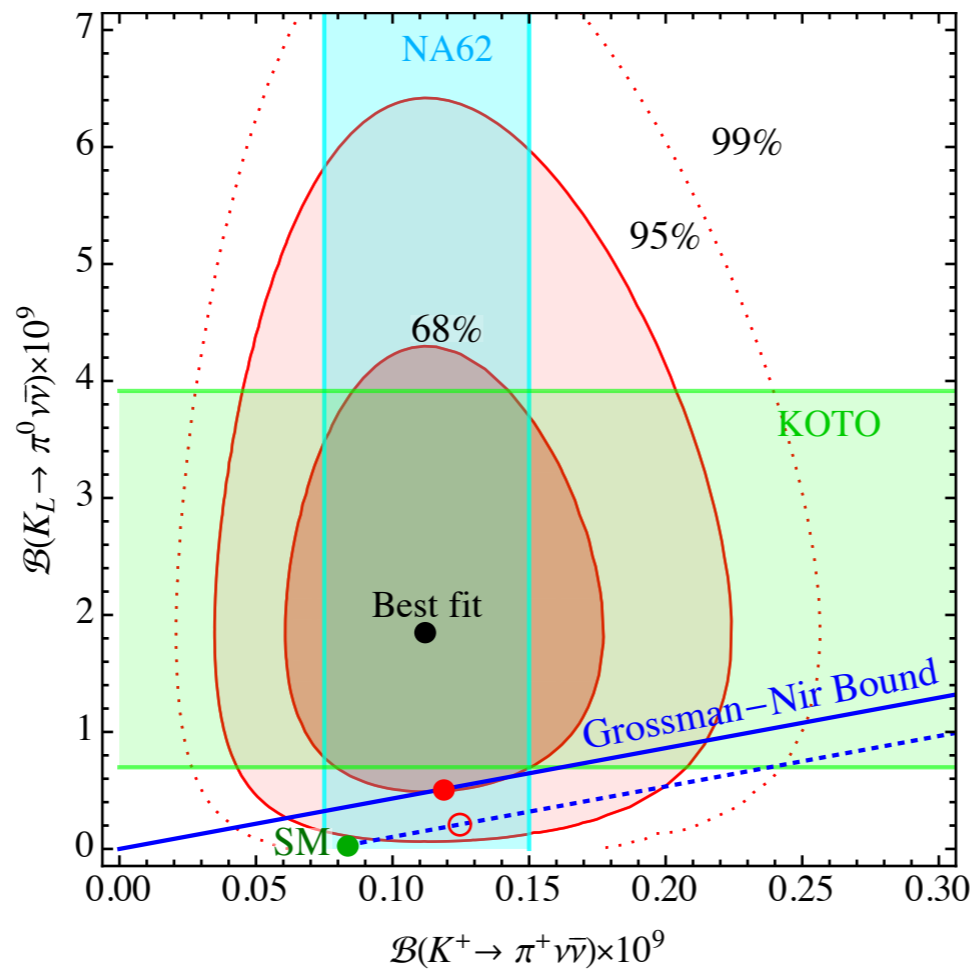


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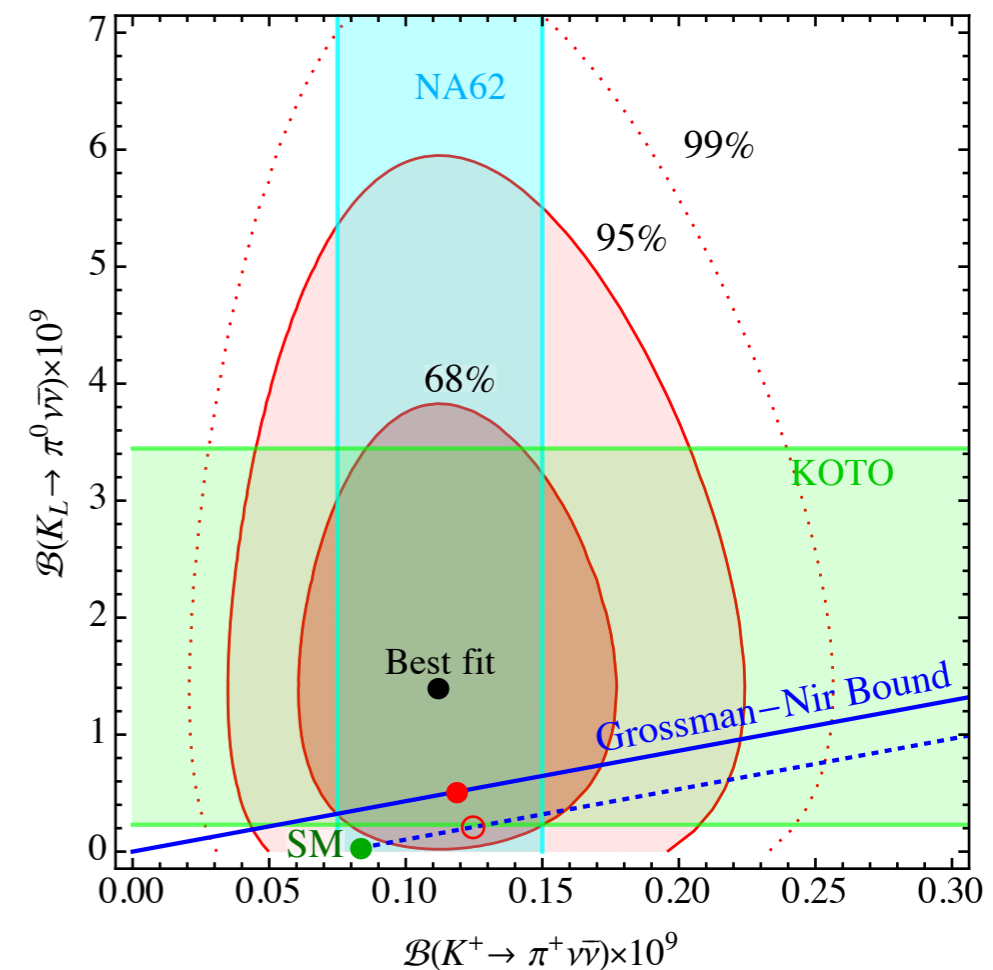
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# References relevant to the excess

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## ▶ Heavy new physics

EFT: Kitahara, Okui, Perez, Soreq, KT [1909.11111]

Leptoquark: R. Mandal, A. Pich [1908.11155]

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Generic neutrino interactions: Li, Ma, and Schmidt [1912.10433]

Breaking Grossman-Nir: He, Ma, Tandean, and Valencia [2002.05467, 2005.02942]

## ▶ Light new state with GN bound

General analysis: Kitahara, Okui, Perez, Soreq, KT [1909.11111]

Light dark fermions (do not work): Fabbrichesi and Gabrielli (1911.03755)

Light scalars: Fuyuto, Hou, Kohda [1412.4397]

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## ▶ Exotic (not in this talk)

Fixed target production: Kitahara, Okui, Perez, Soreq, KT [1909.11111]

Pionium: P. Lichard [arXiv:2006.02969]

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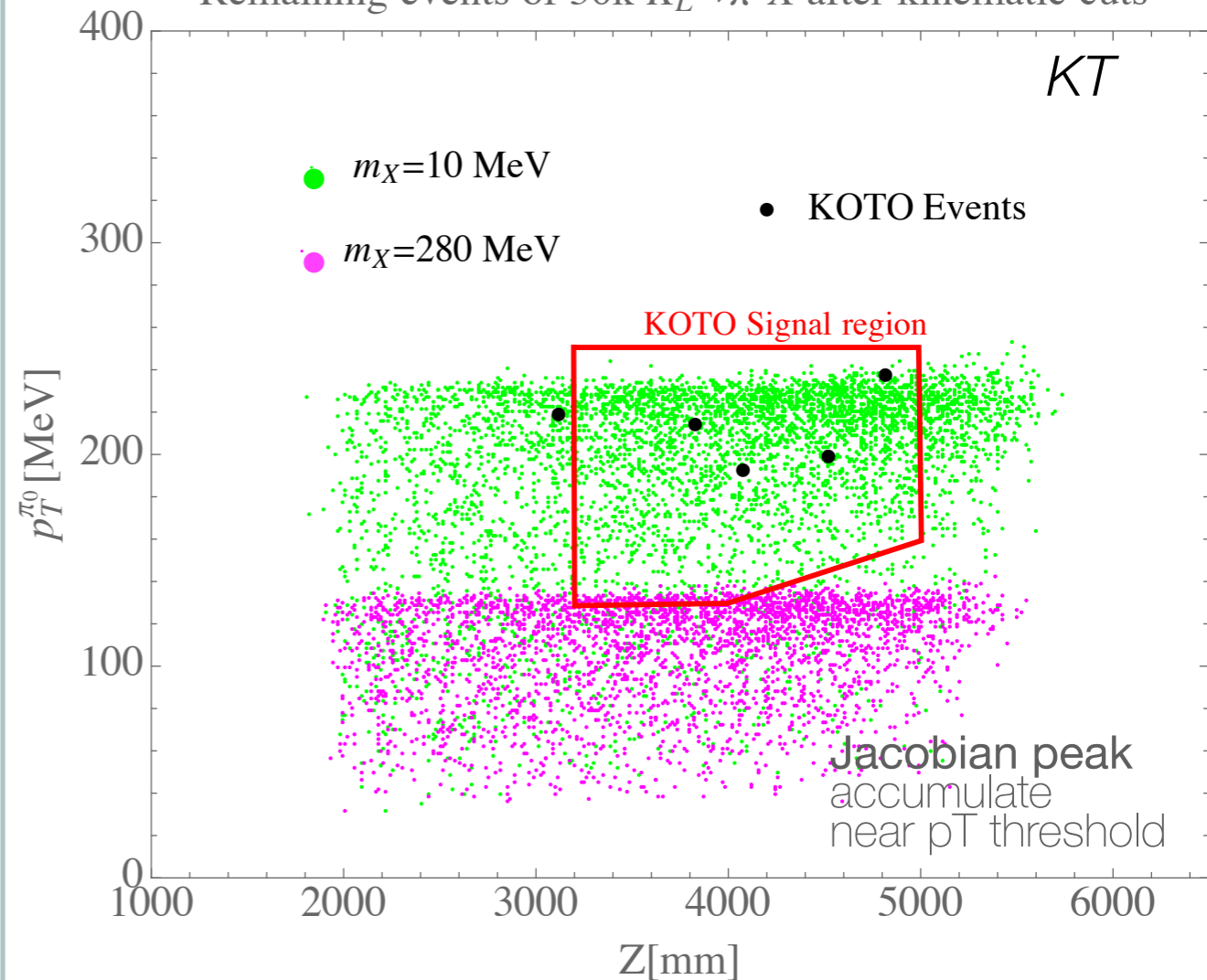
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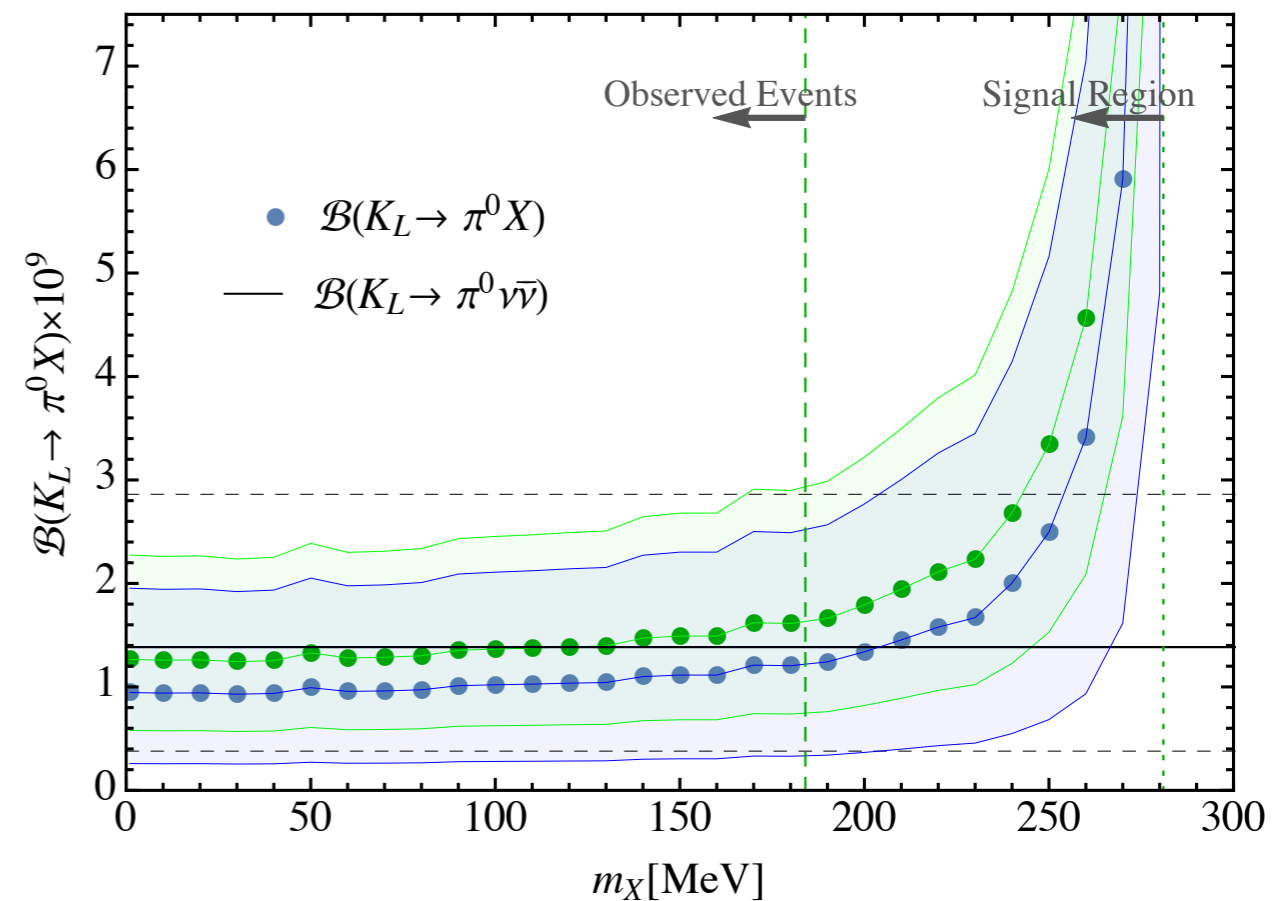
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saturates, e.g., when  $X$  is CP-even [H. Leutwyler, M. A. Shifman('90)]

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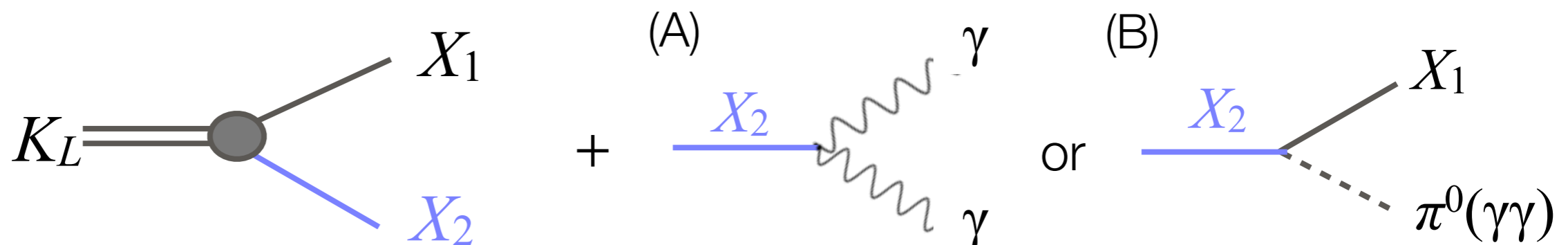
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- **Neutral particle (e.g.,  $K^0$ ,  $B^0$ ) decays directly to dark sector.**
- Charged particle decays with extra SM particle ( $\pi^+$ )  $\rightarrow 1/16\pi^2$  or forbidden.



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# Outline

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interesting opportunities for Kaon factories await
    1. Higgs portal bound will be improved by  $K \rightarrow \pi X$
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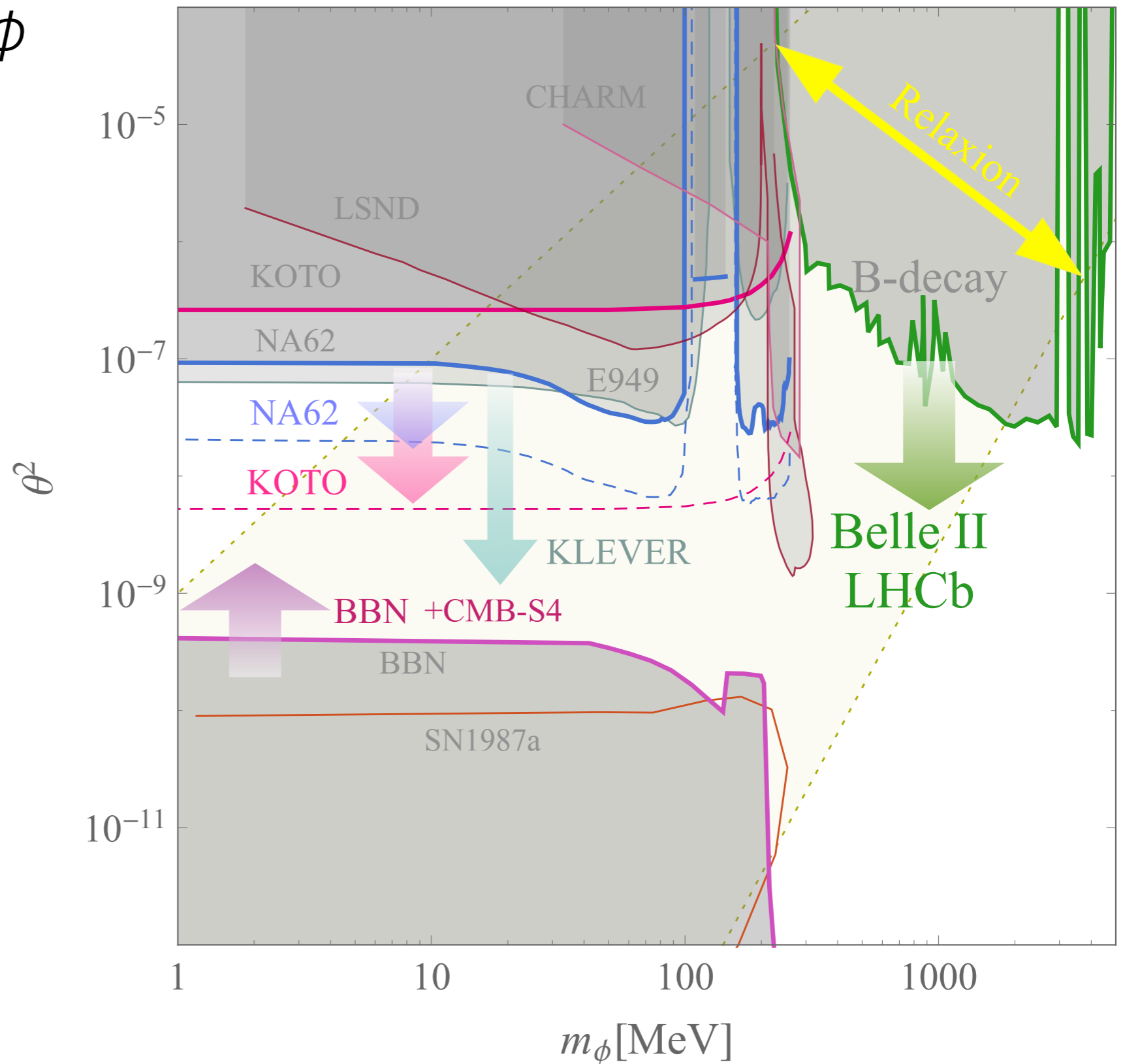
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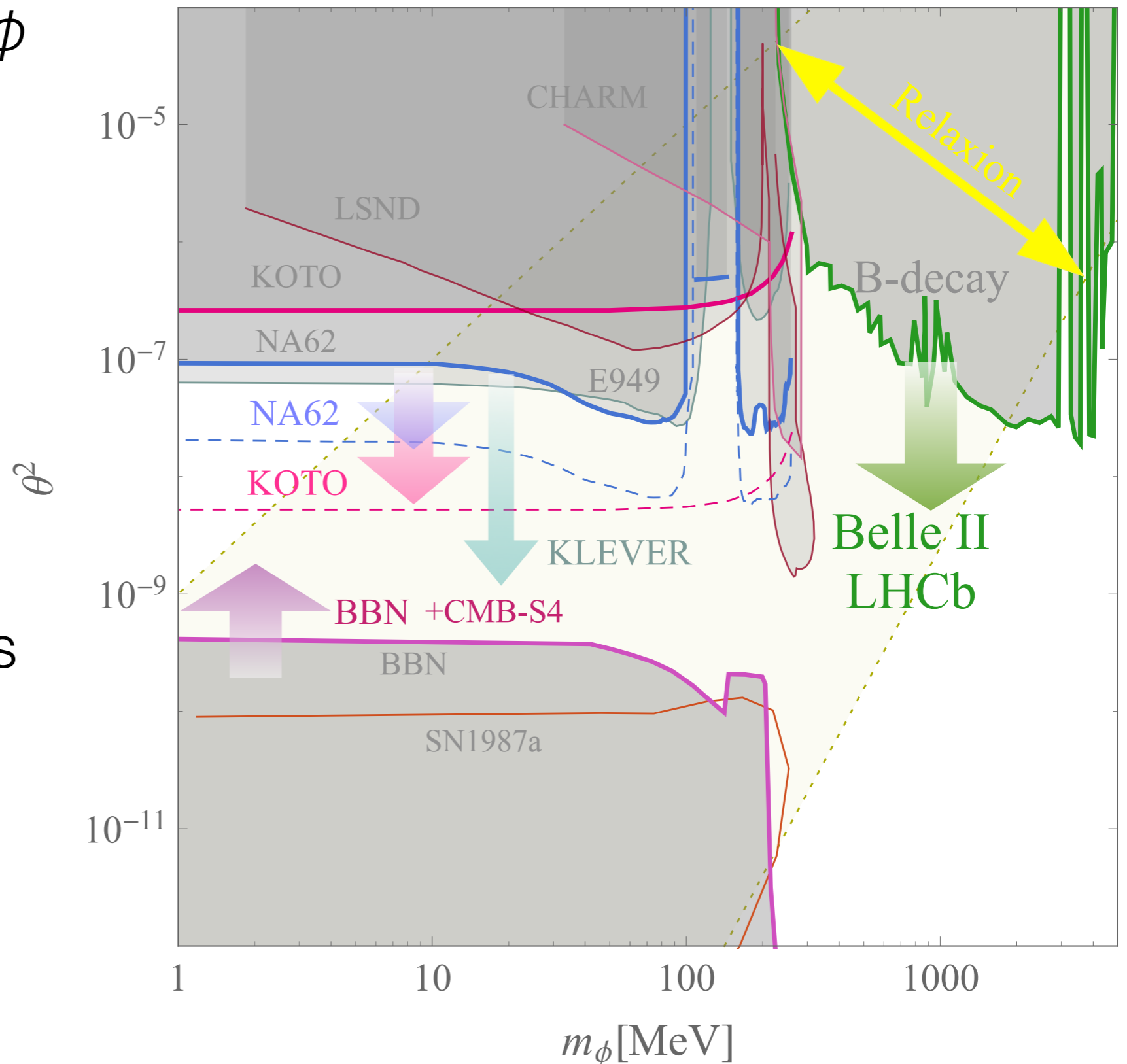
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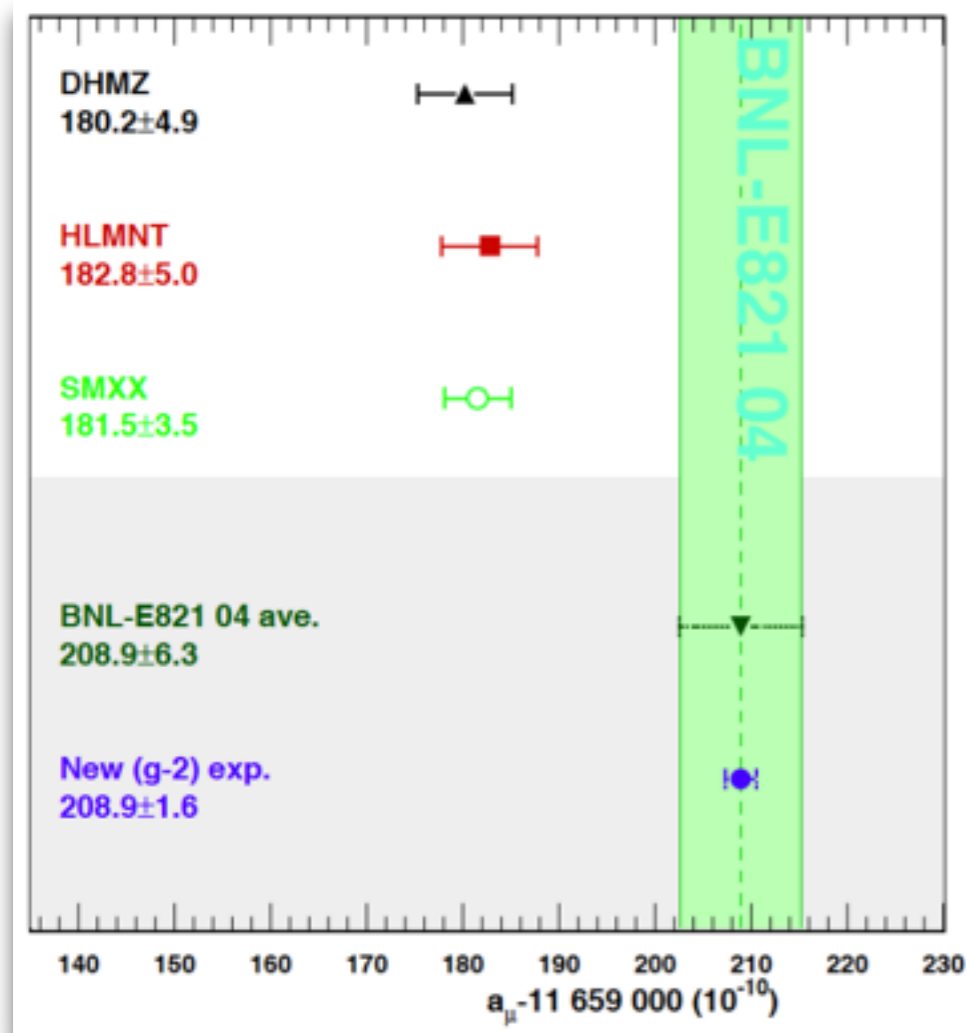
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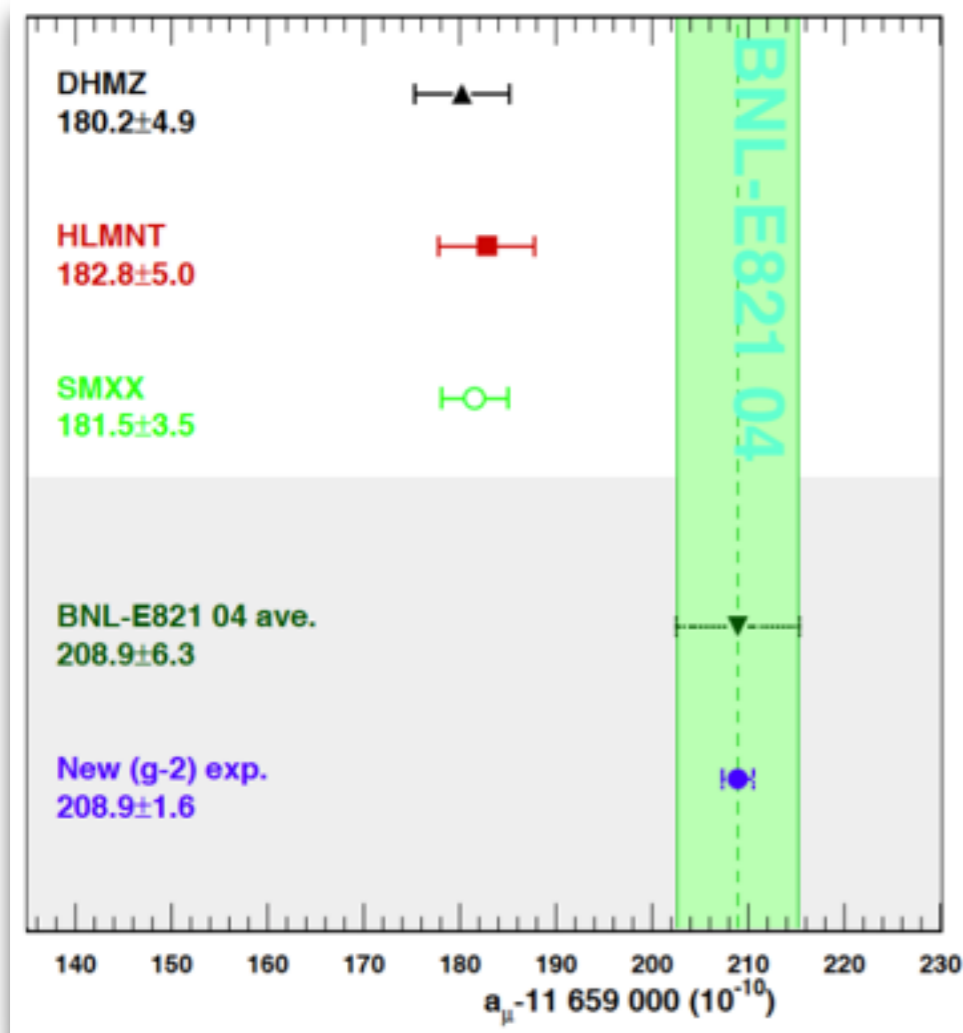
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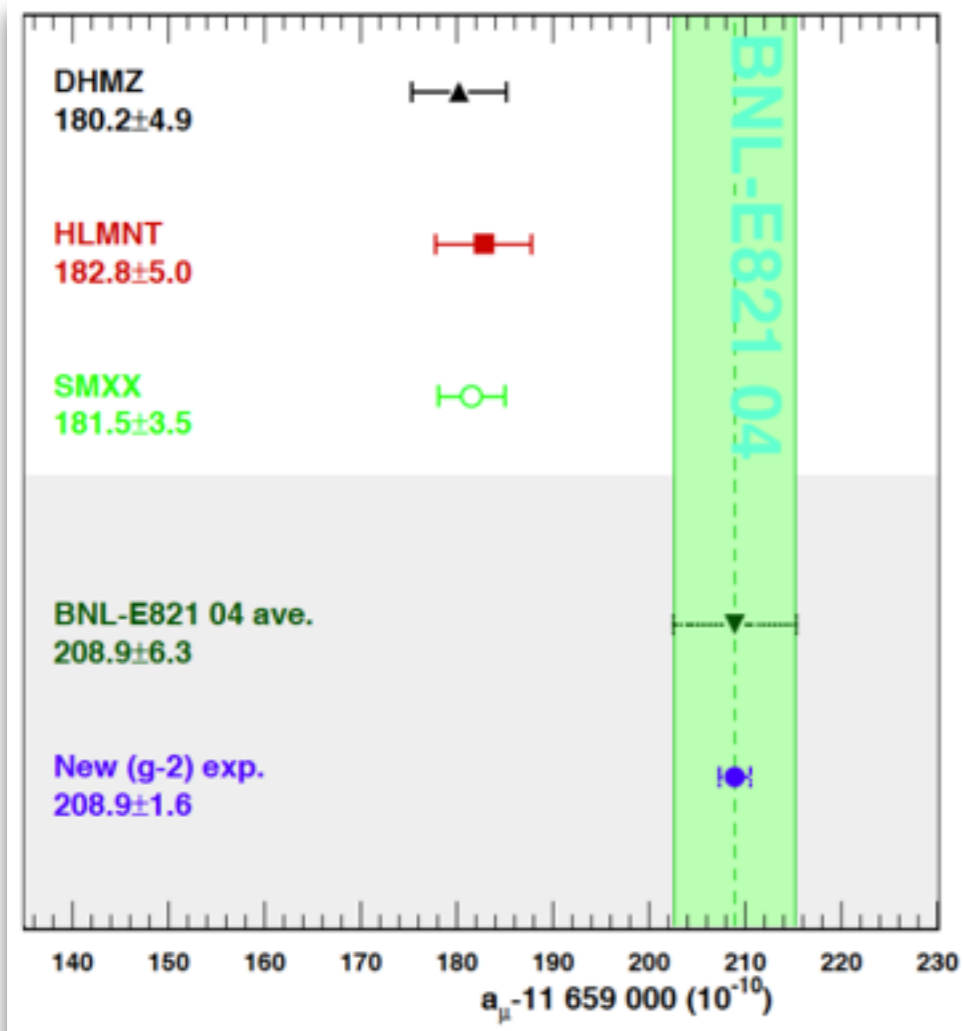
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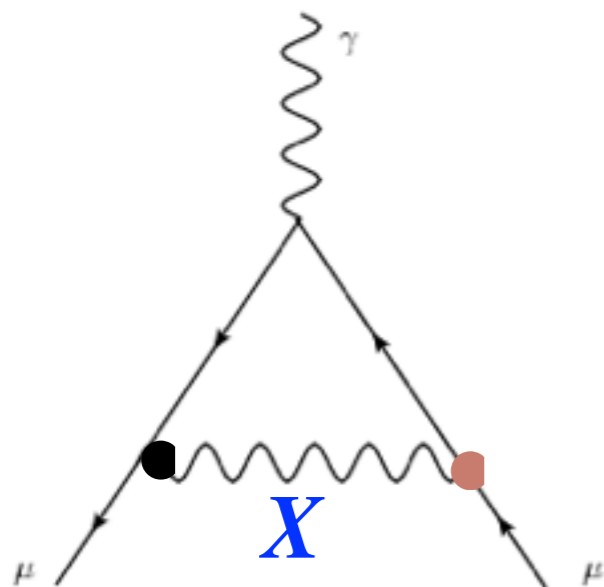
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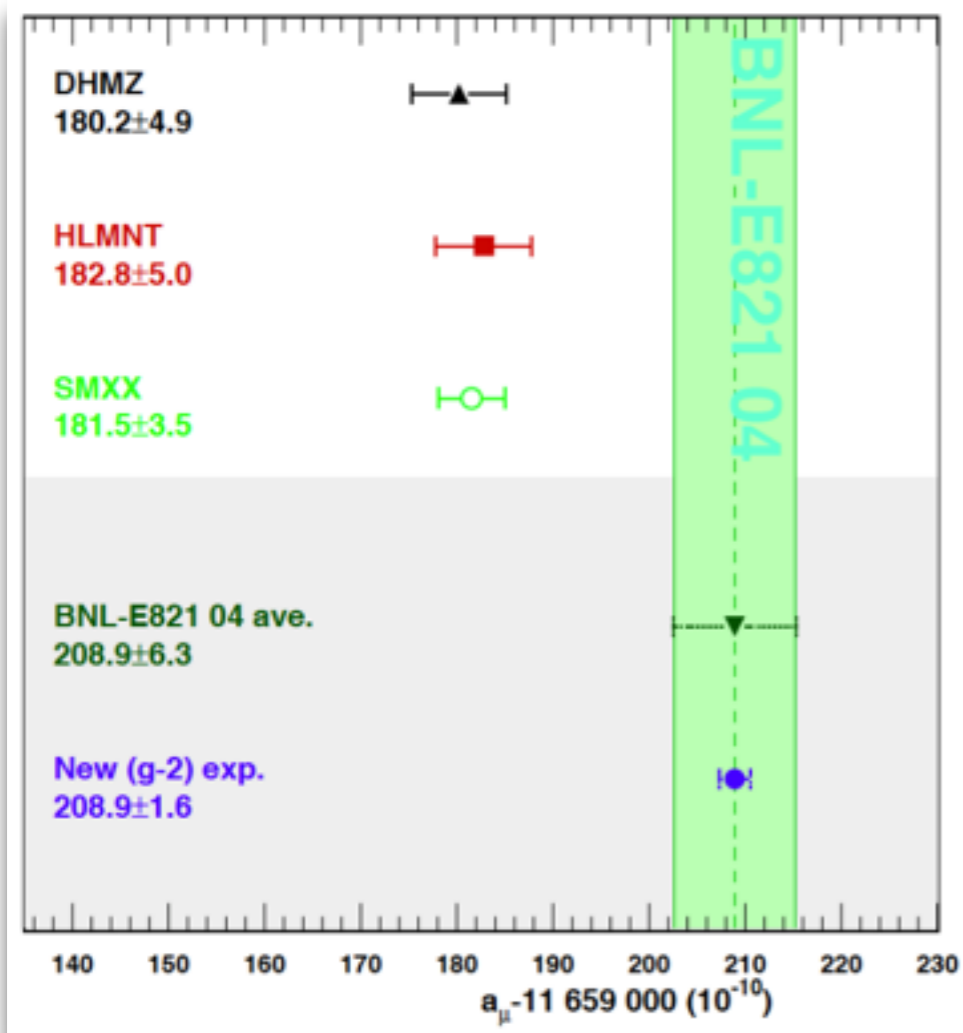
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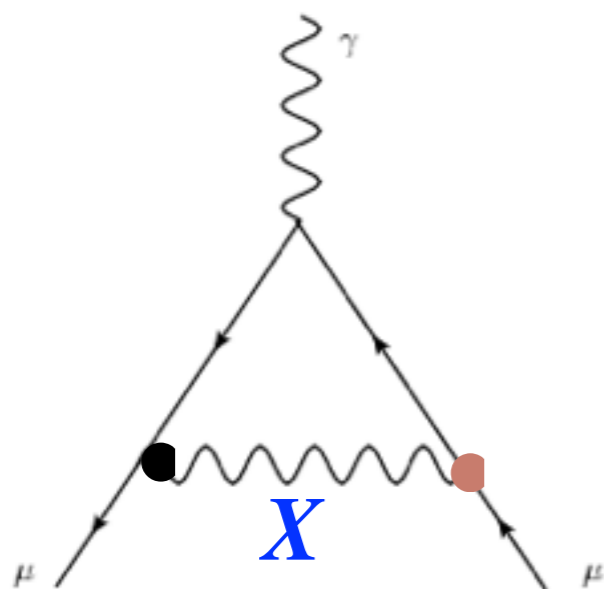
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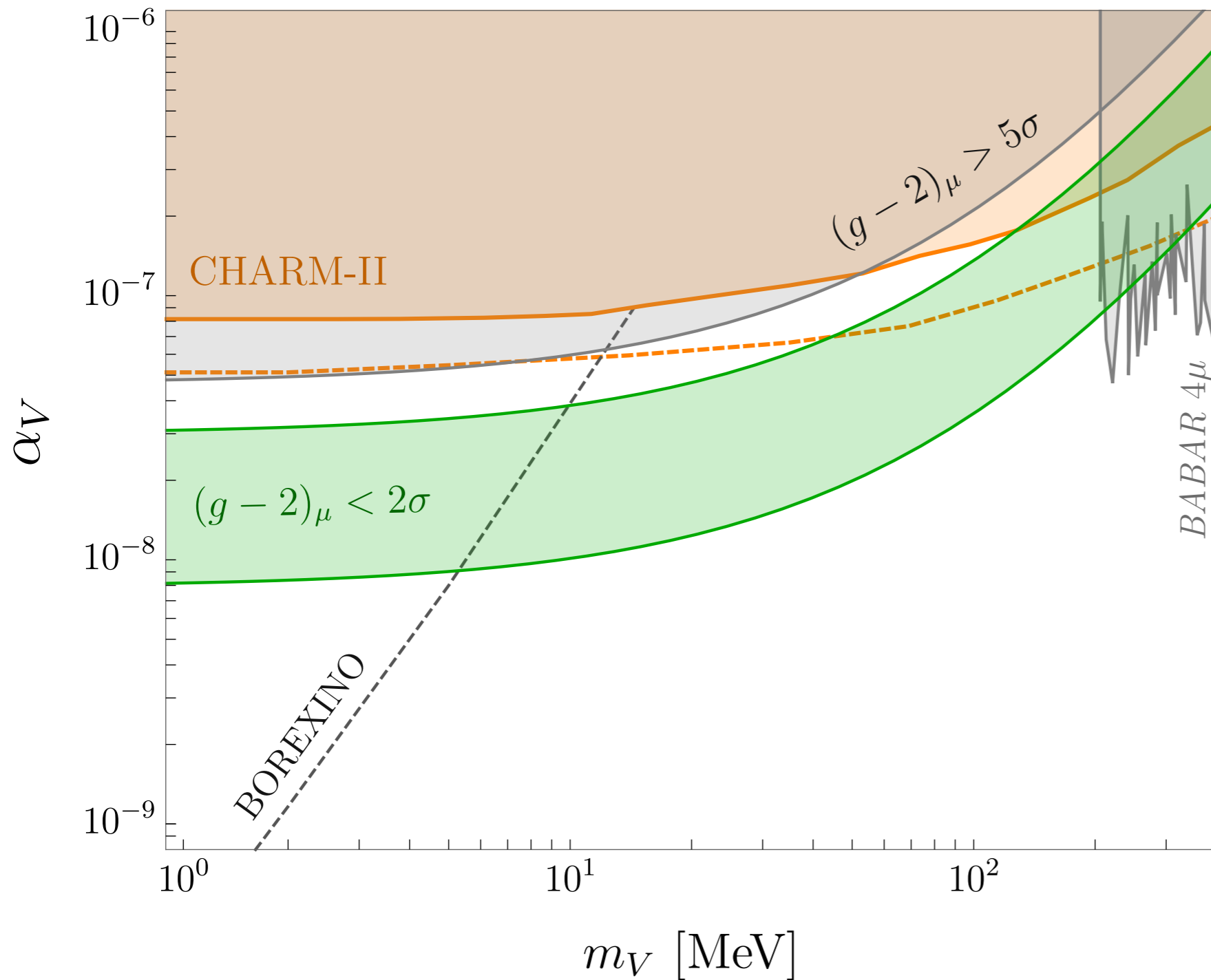
if  $m_X$  at weak scale

[Harigaya, Igari, Nojiri, Takeuchi, Tobe, 1311.0870]



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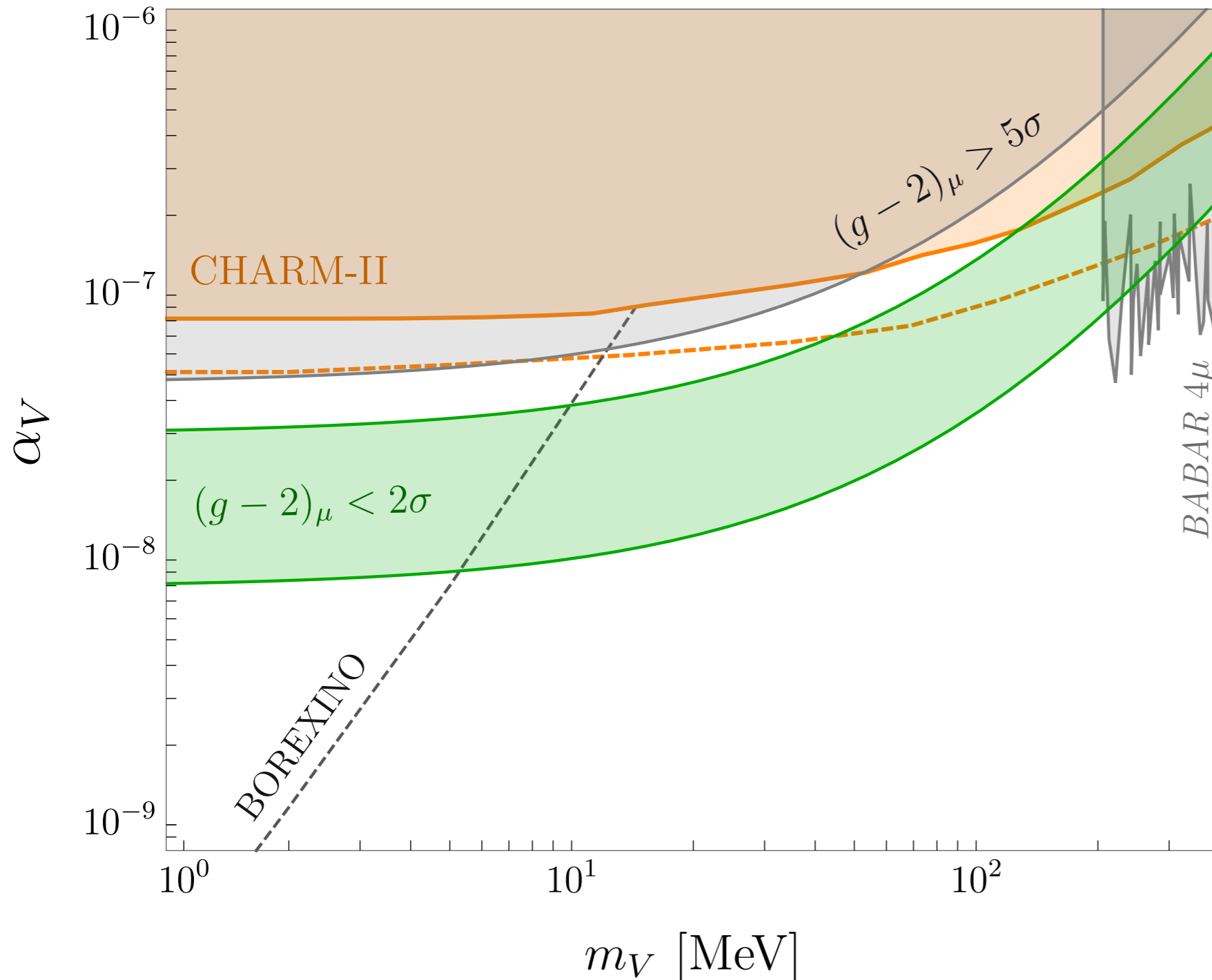


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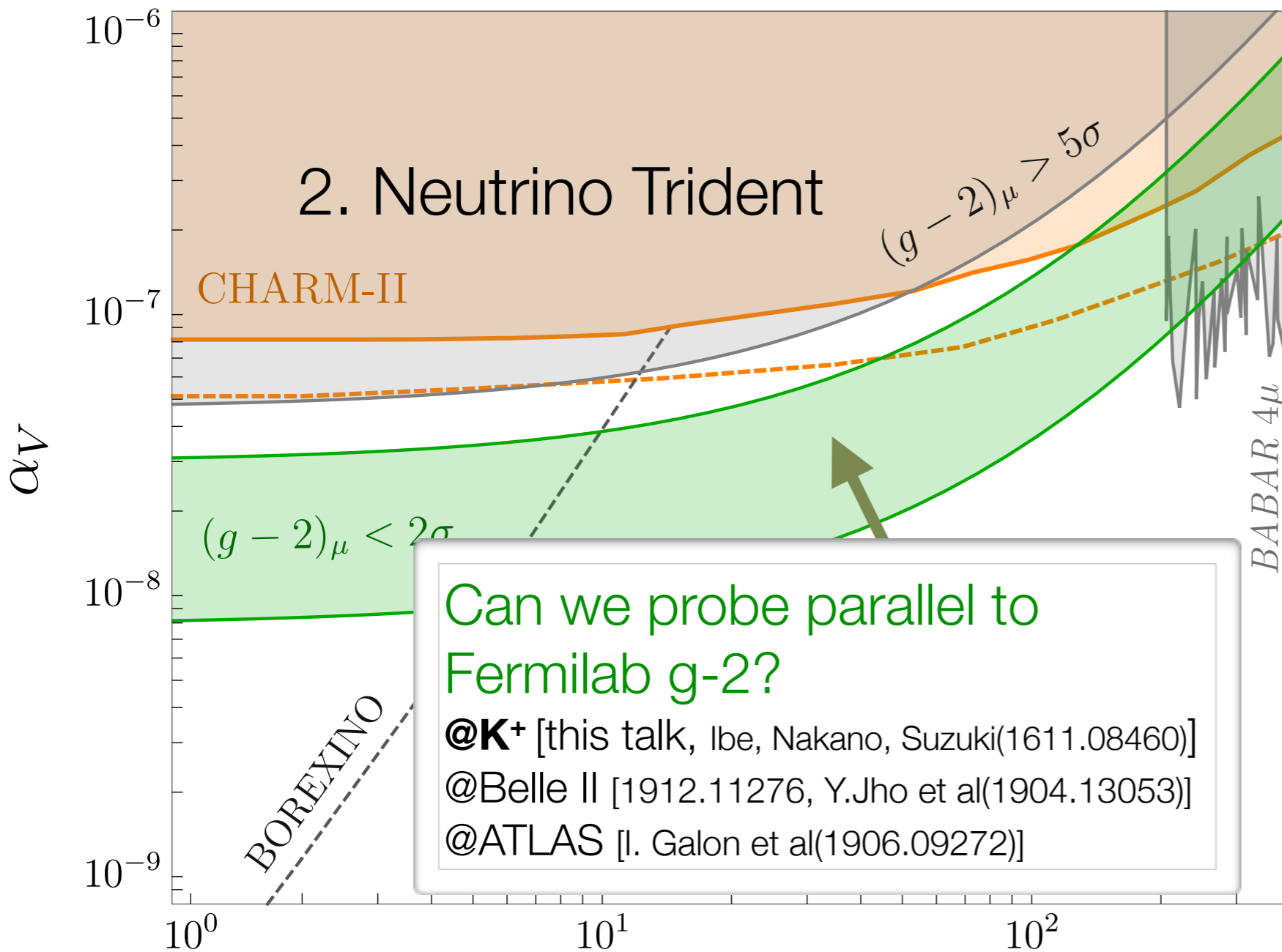






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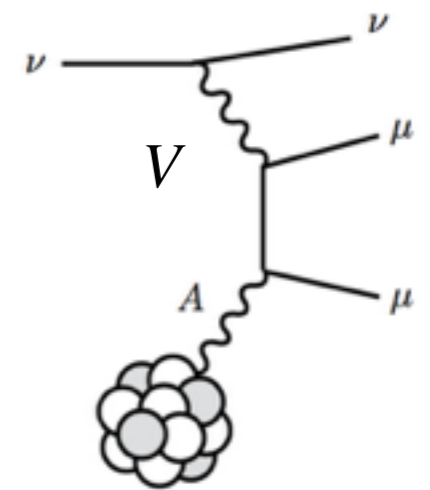
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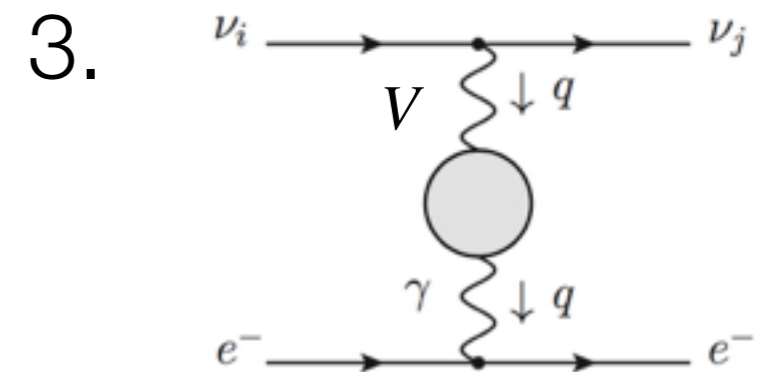
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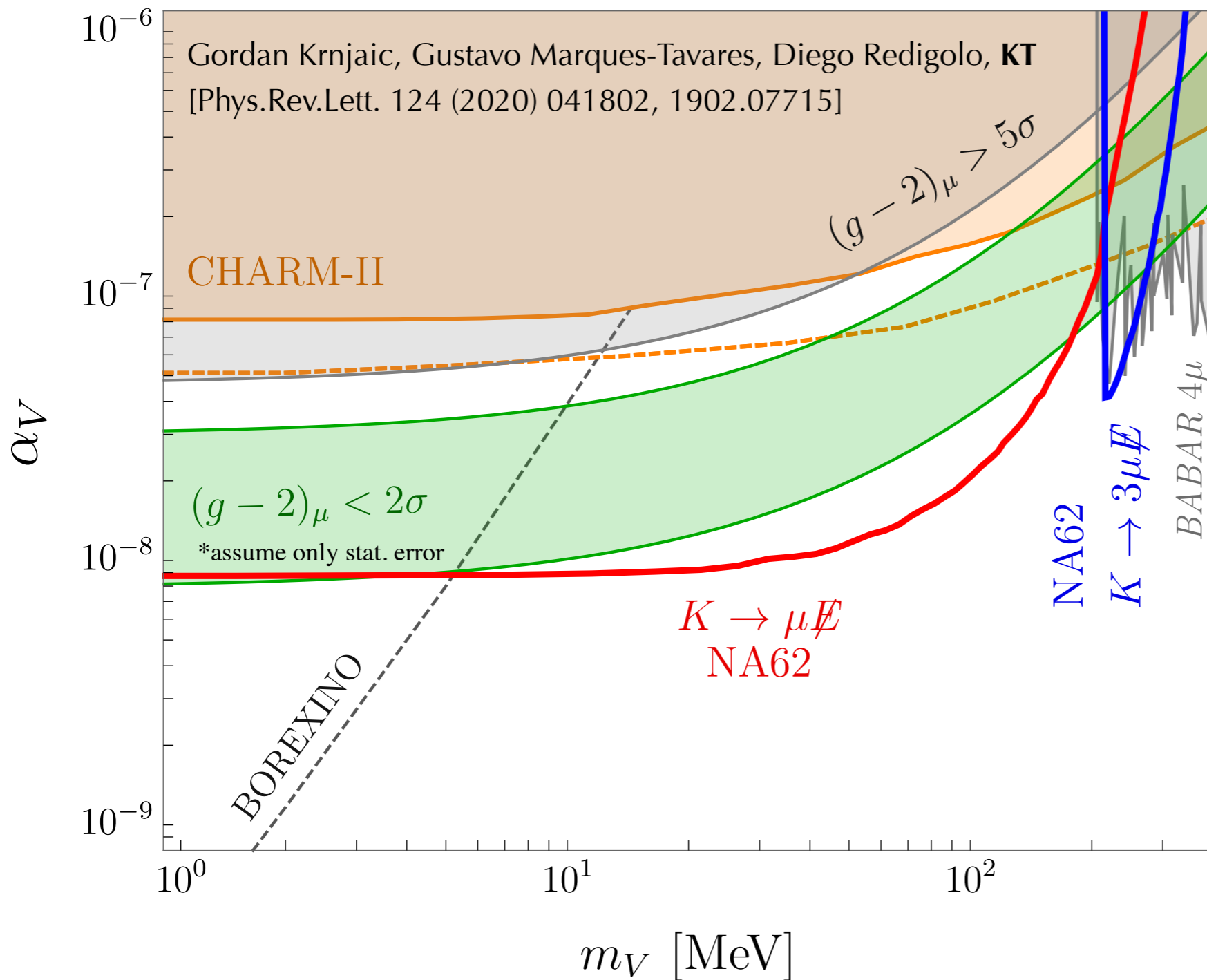
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3.  $\nu$ - $e$  scattering  
[solar  $\nu$ +oscillation]

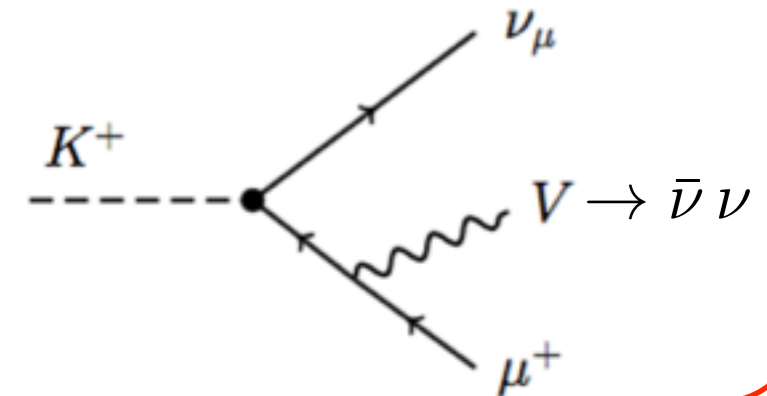
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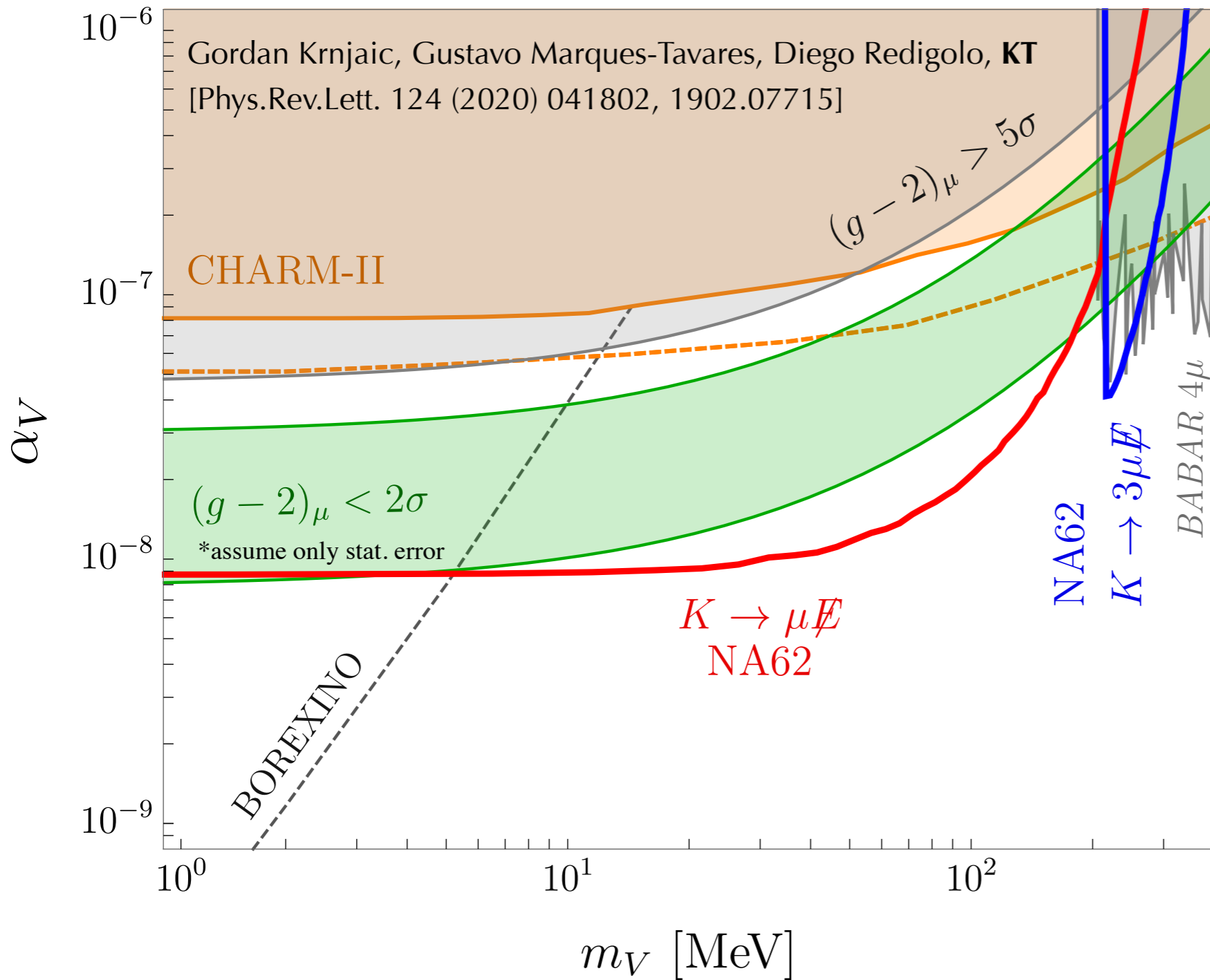
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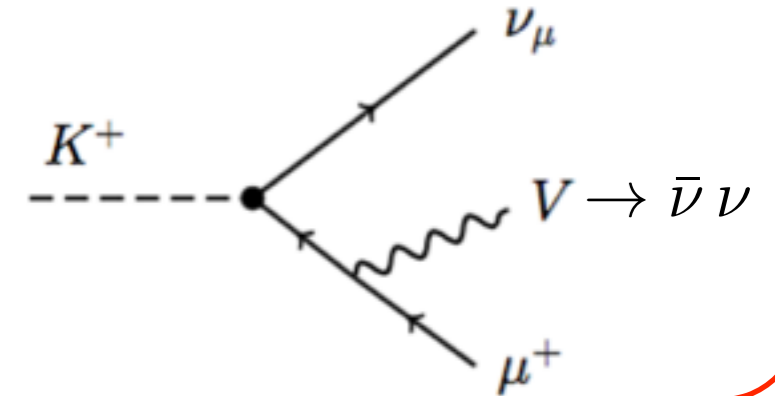
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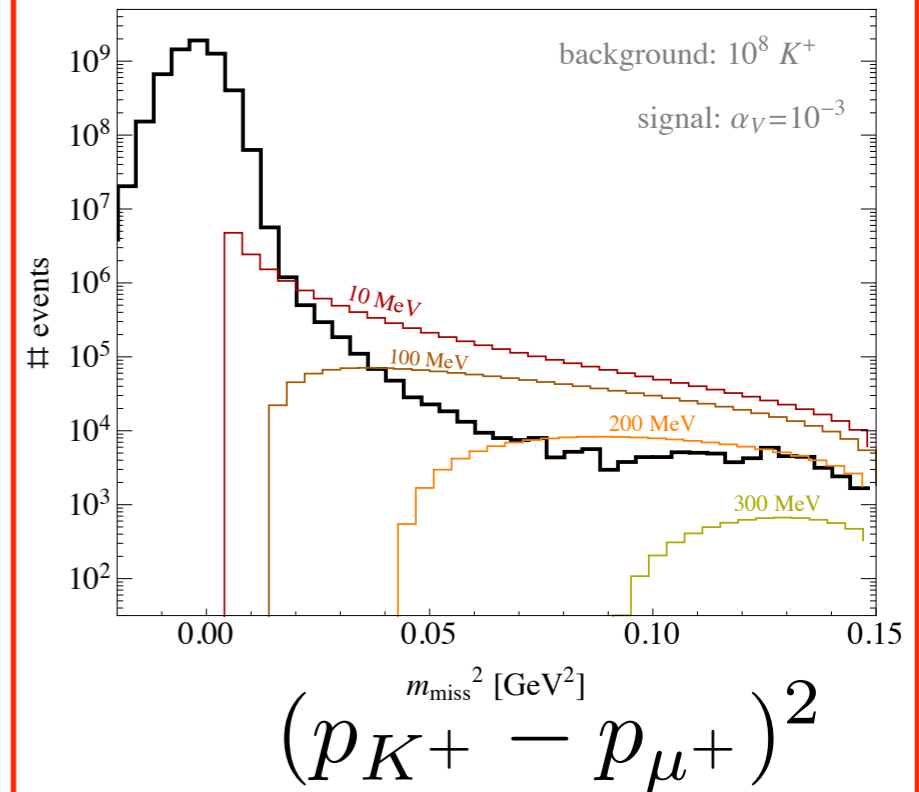
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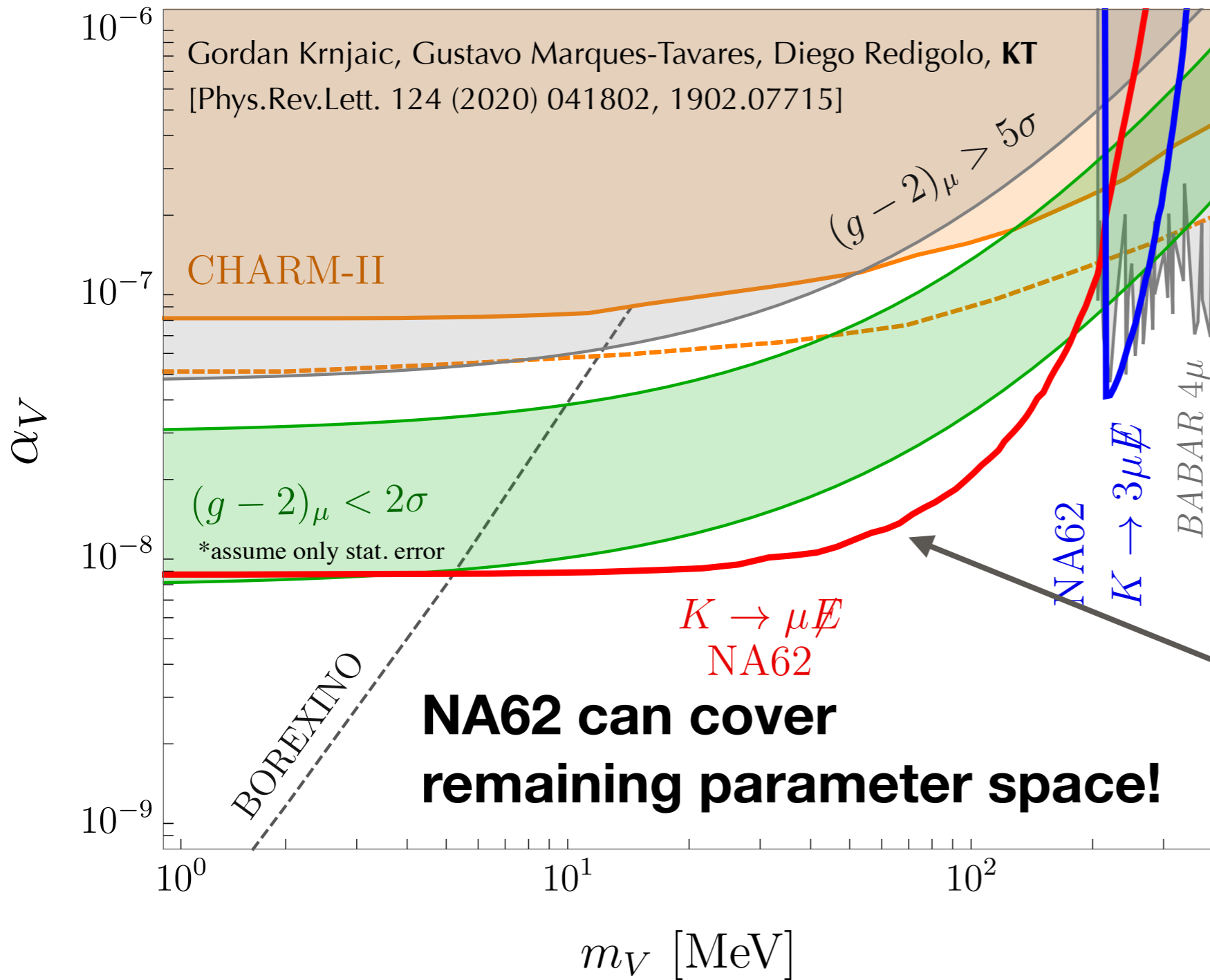


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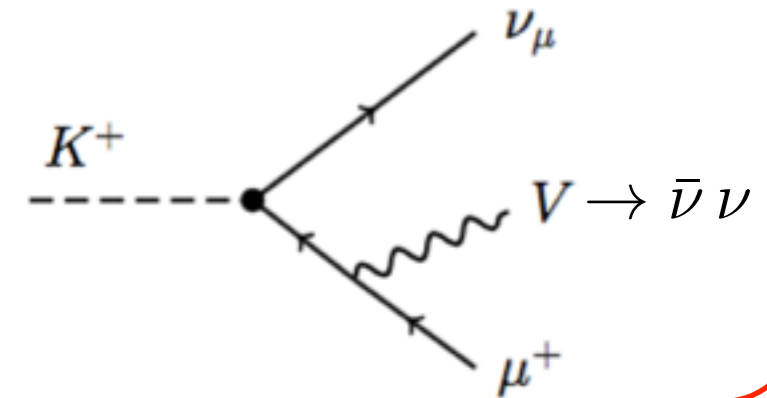
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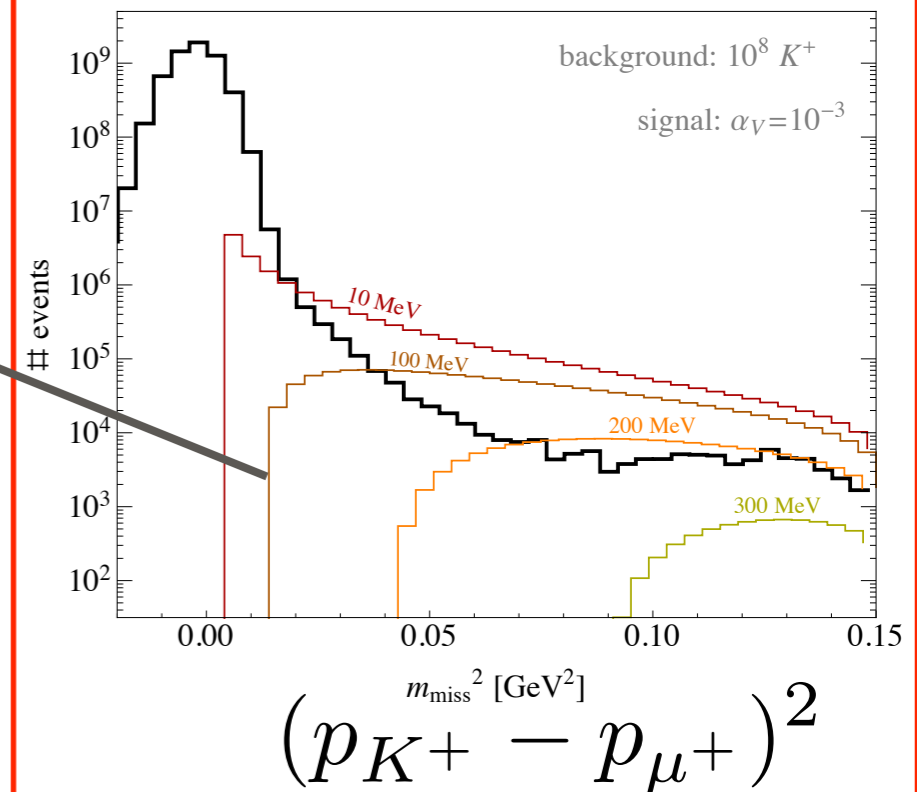
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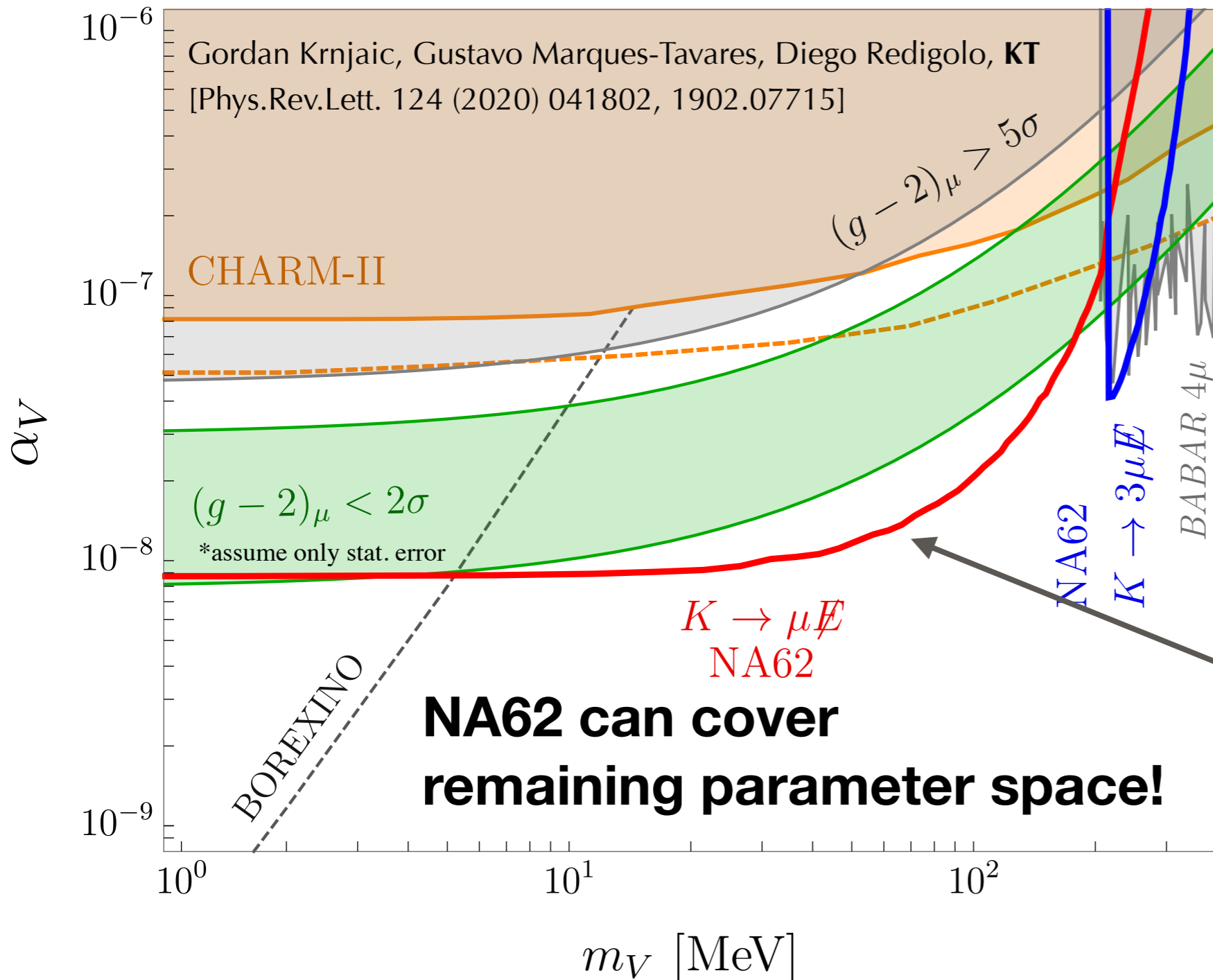
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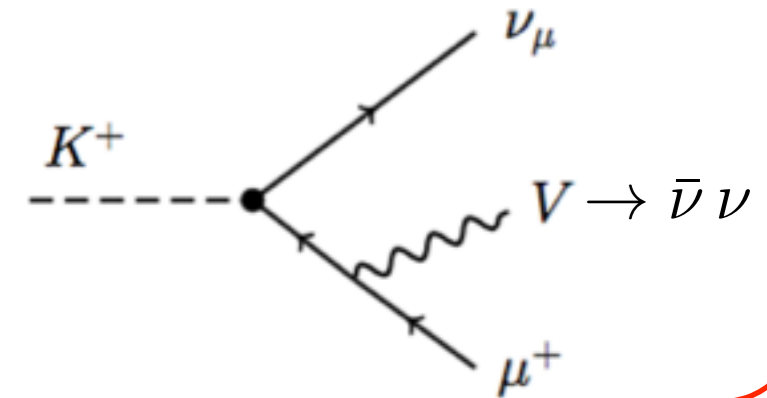
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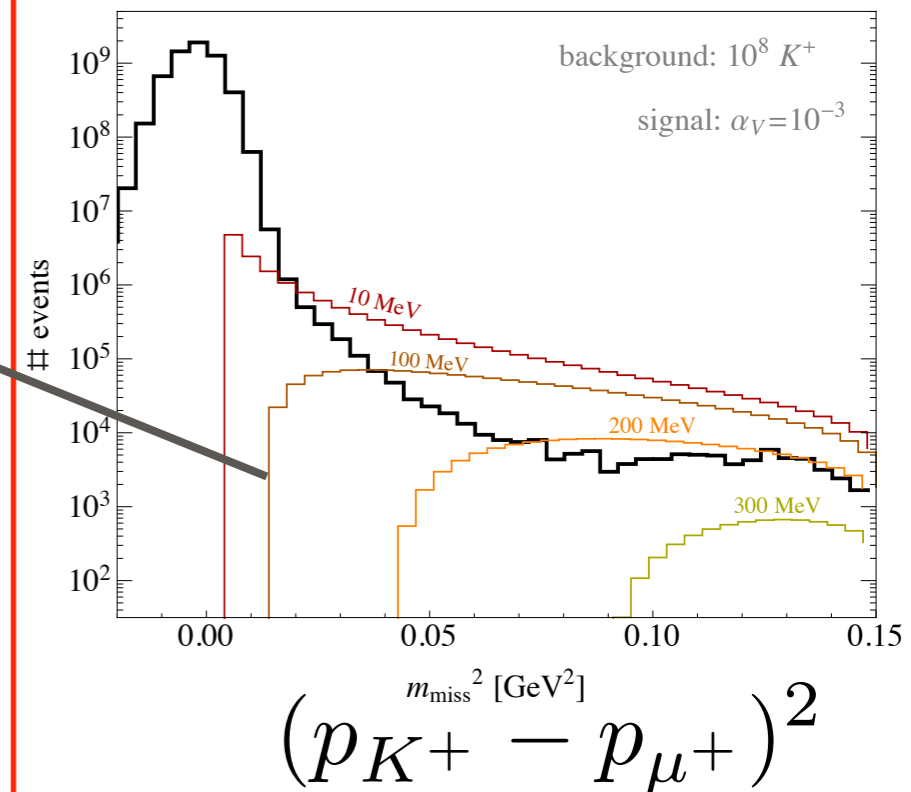
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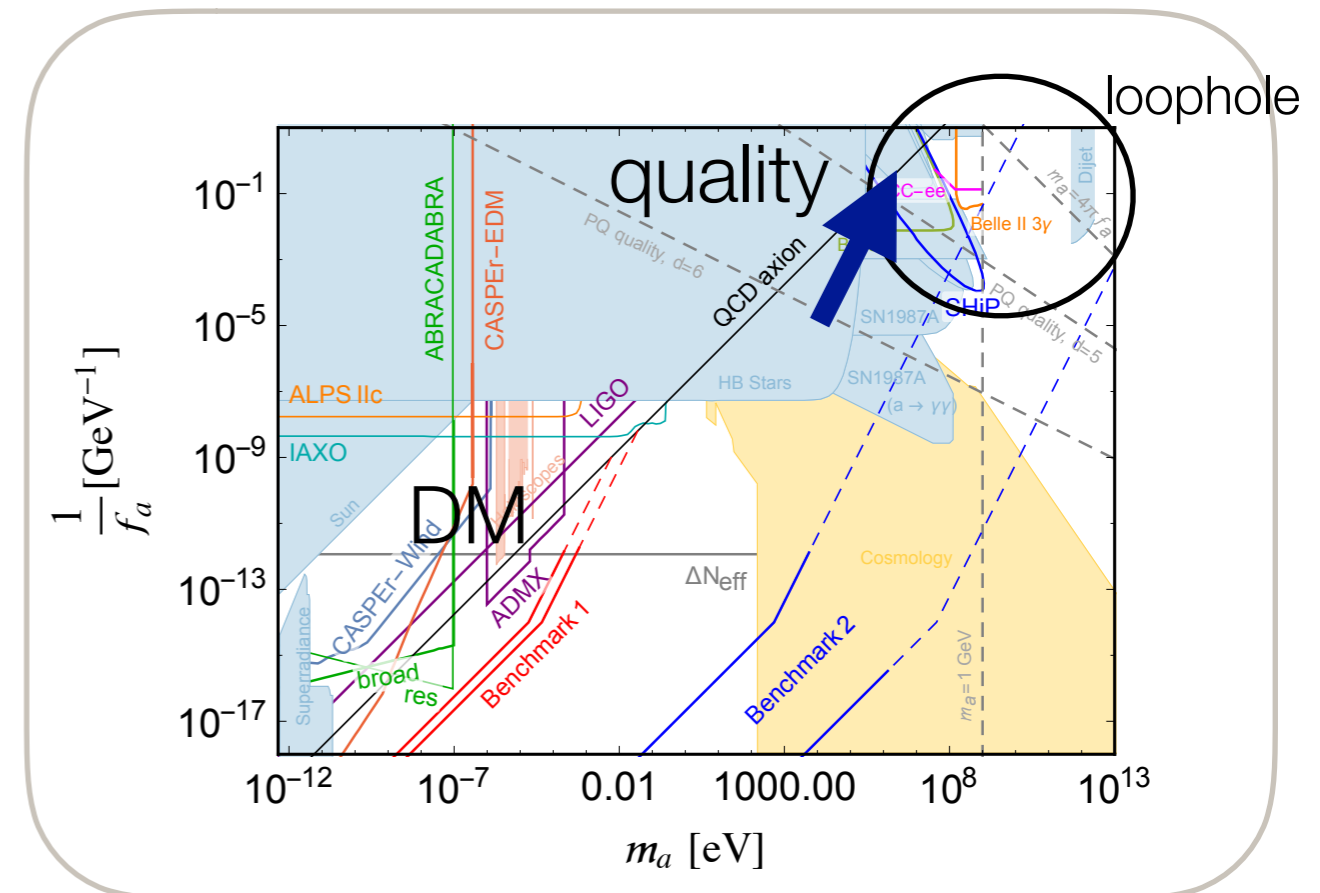
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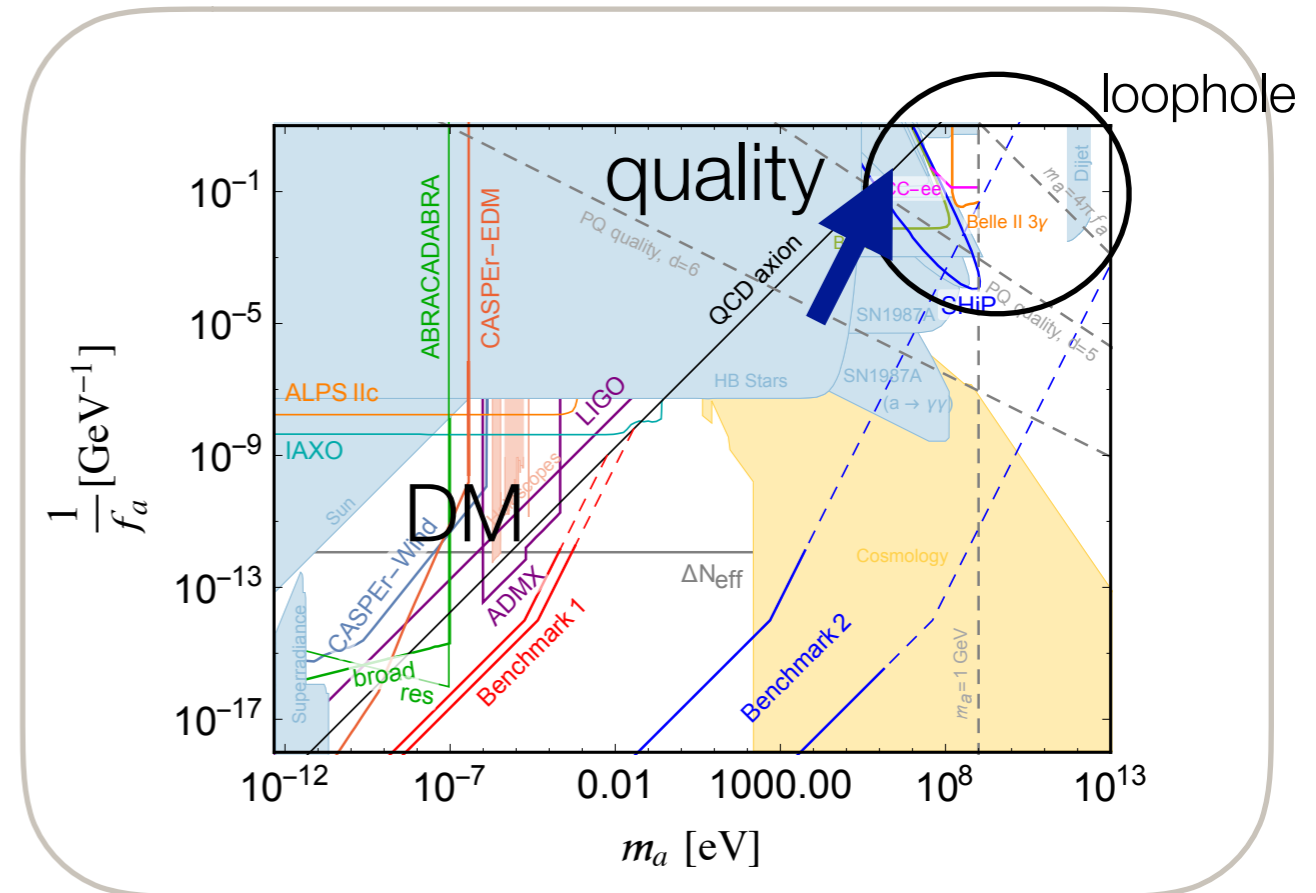
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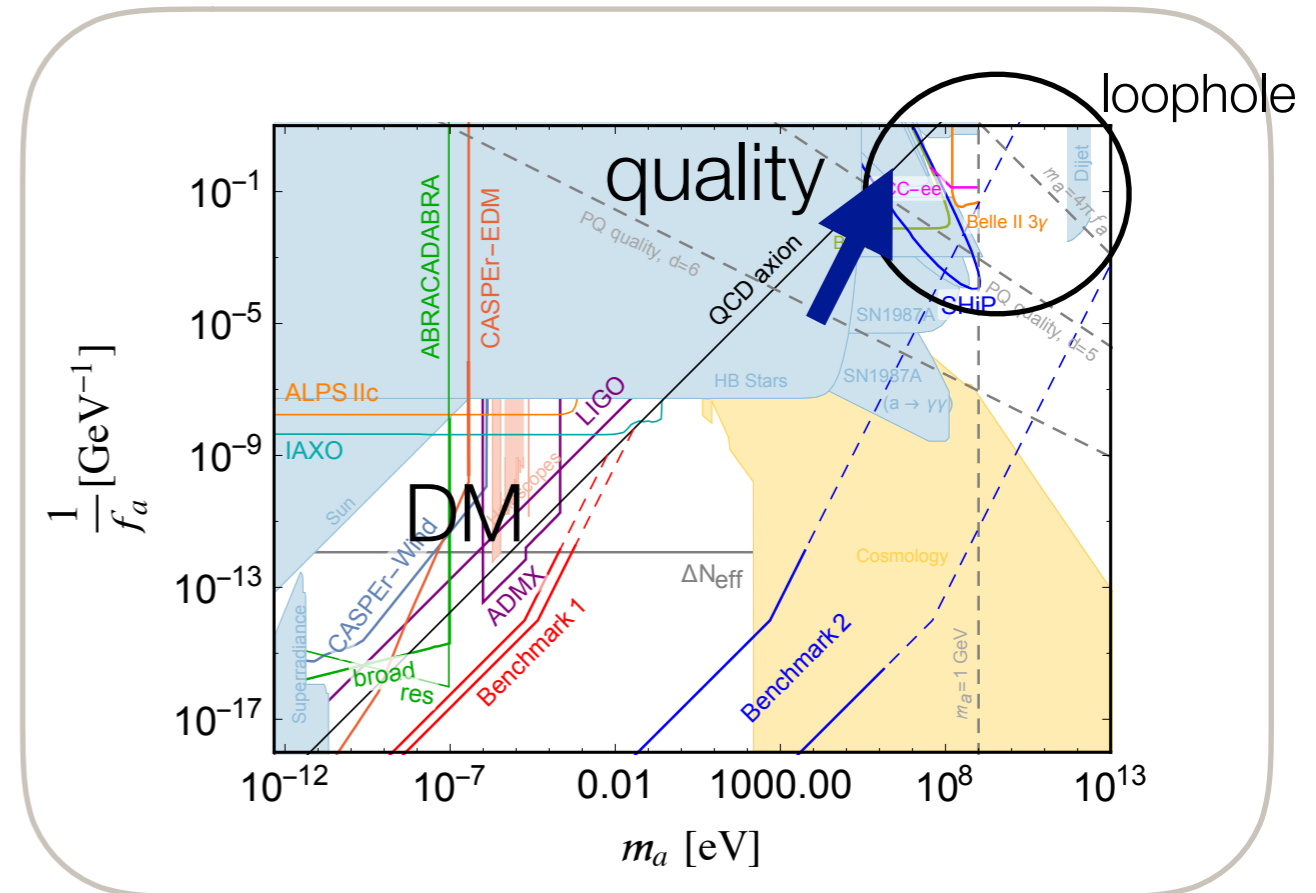


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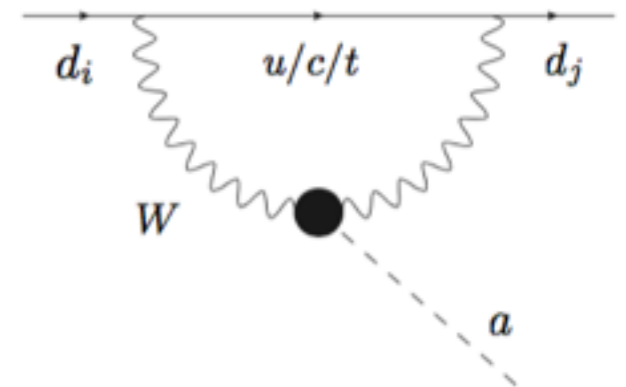
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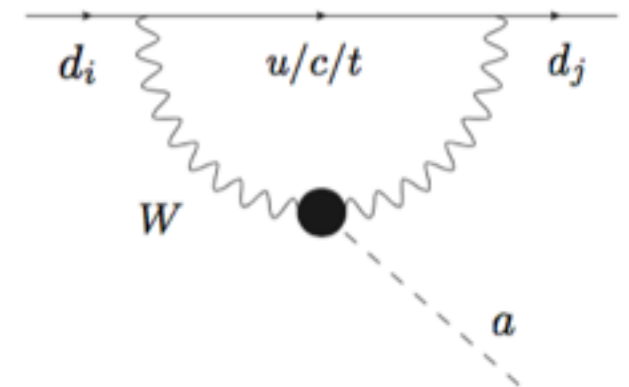
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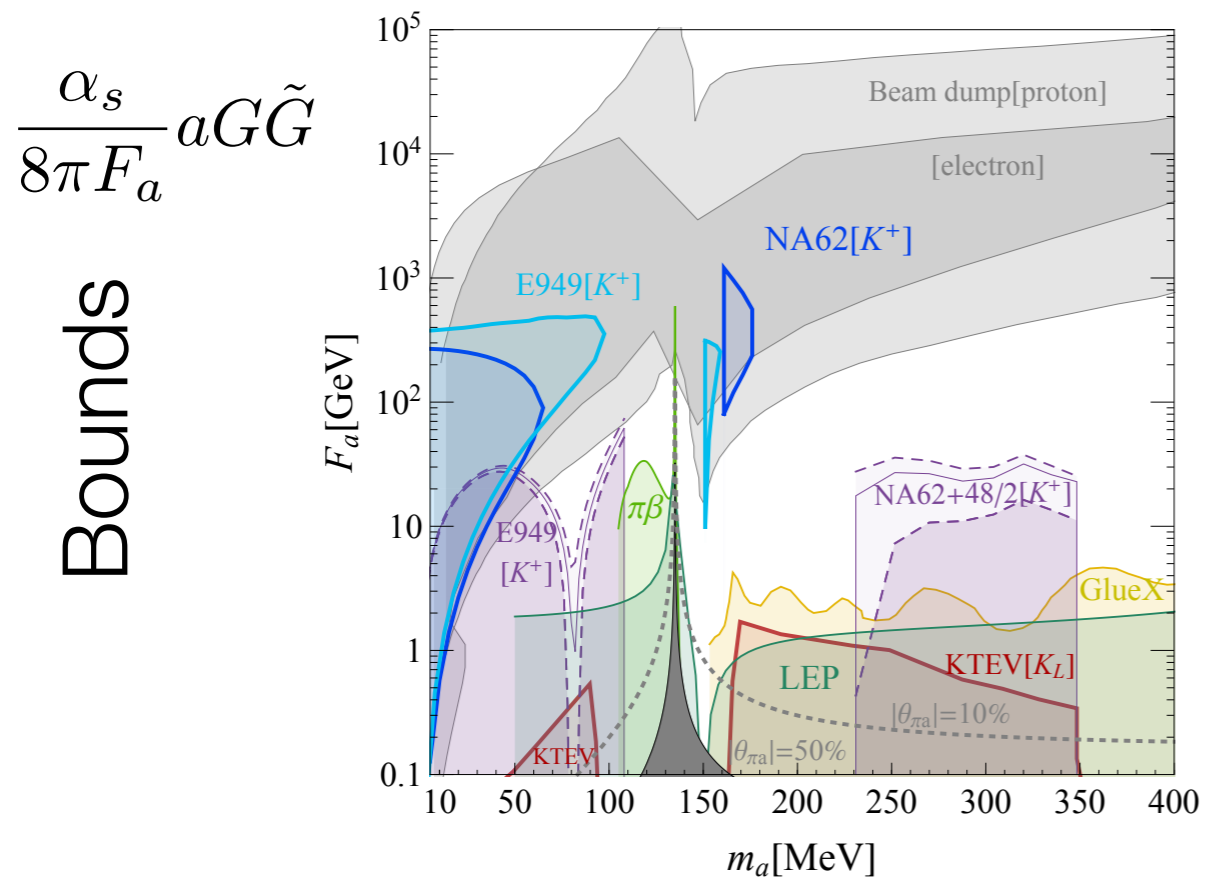
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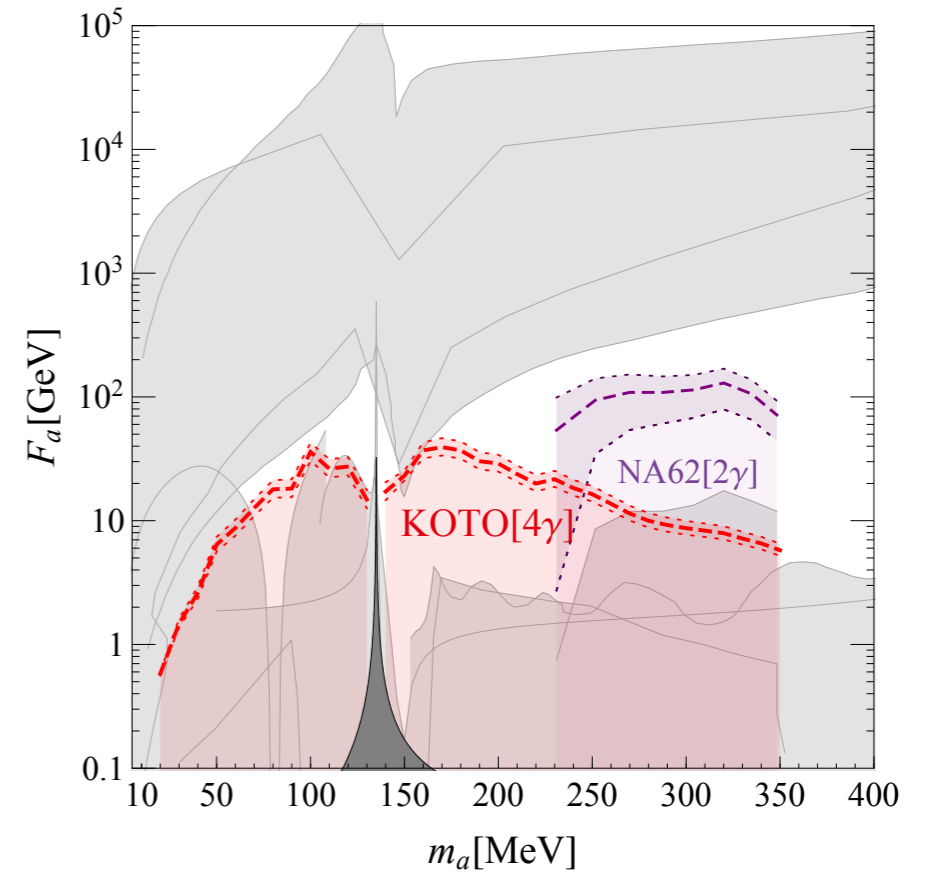
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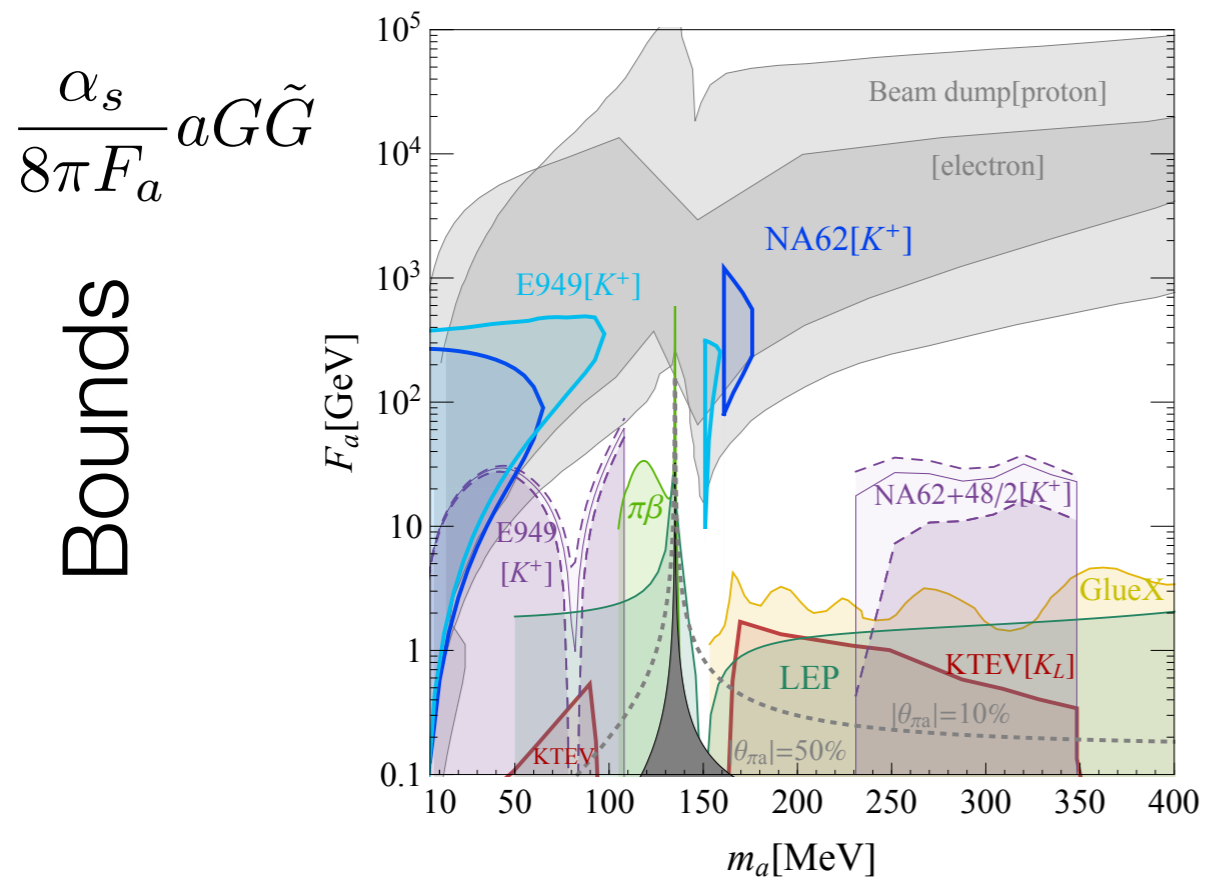
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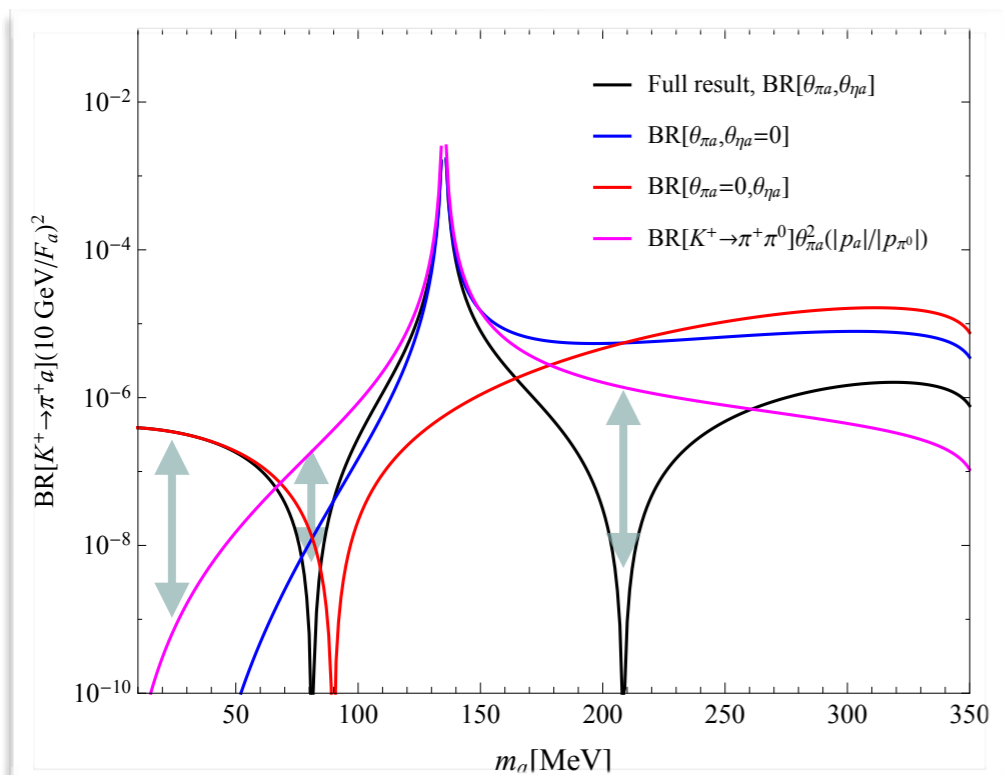
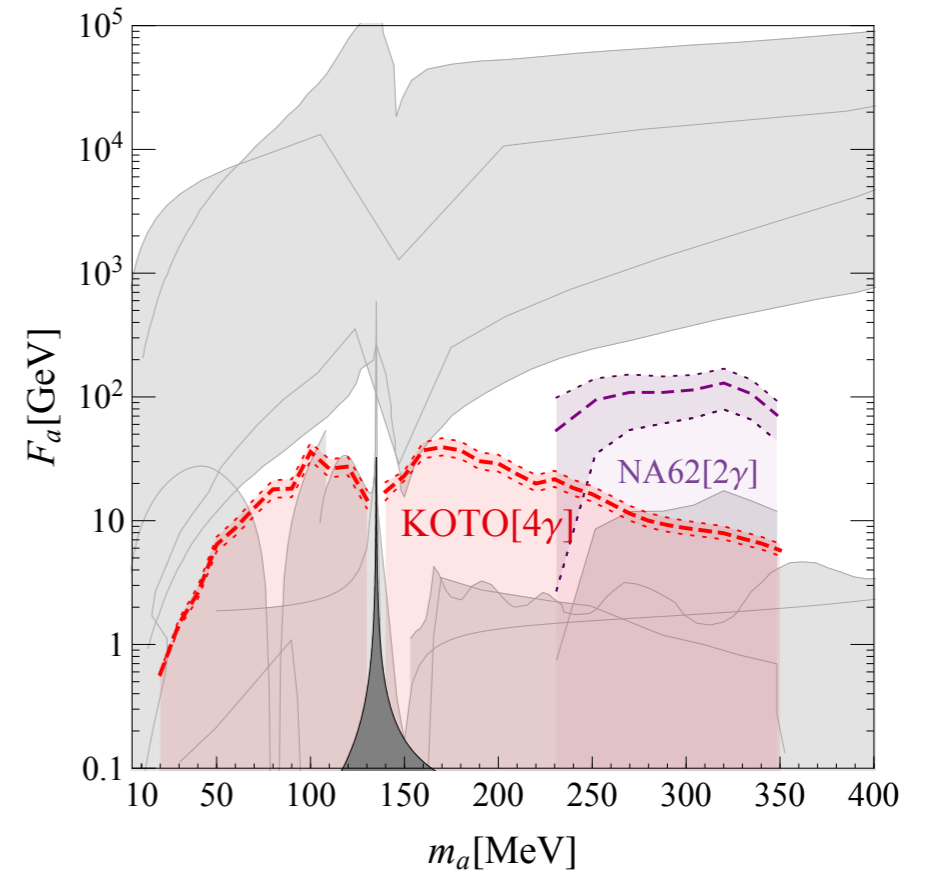


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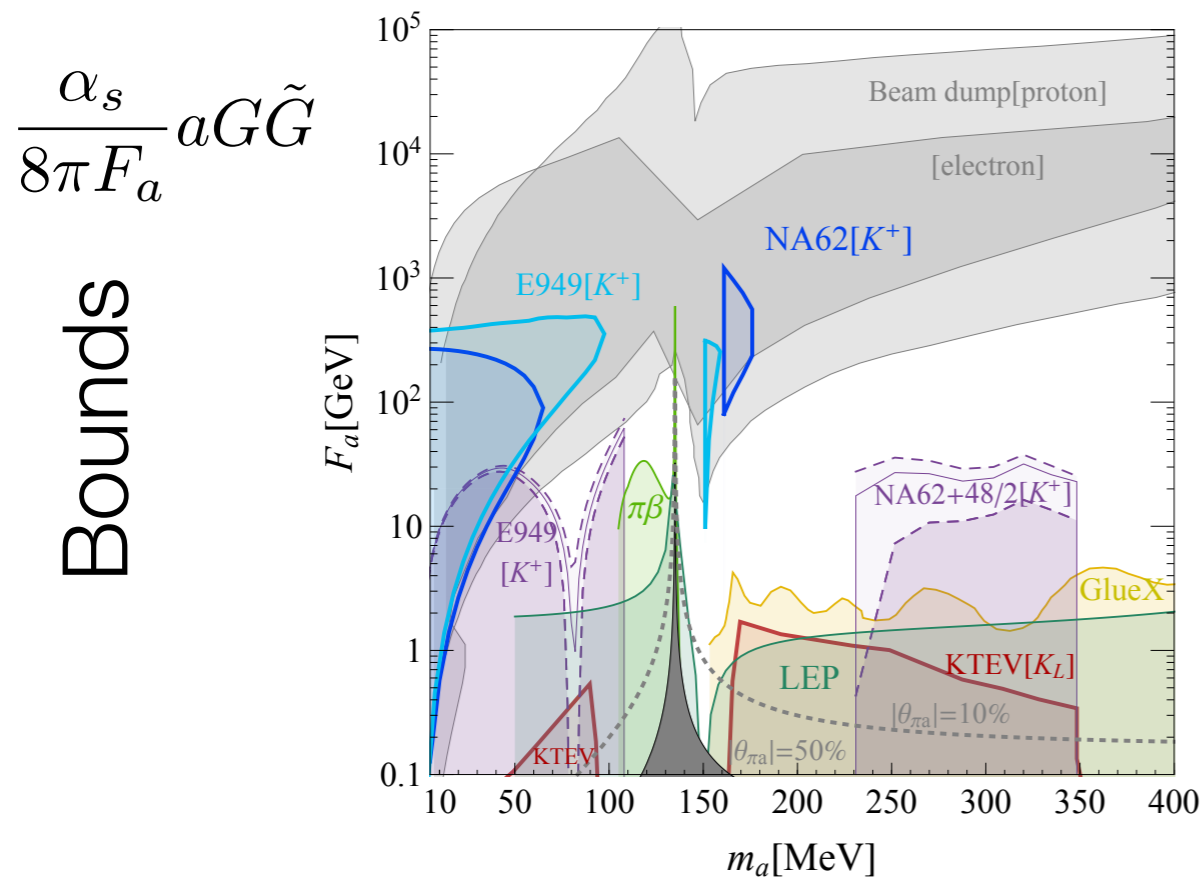
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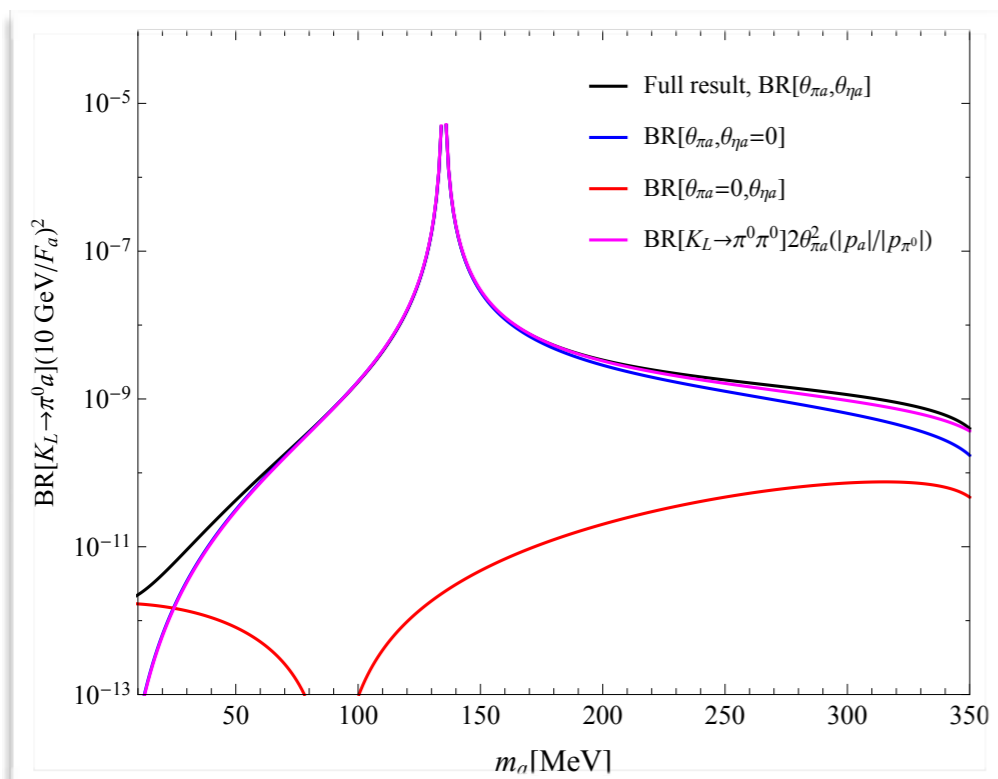
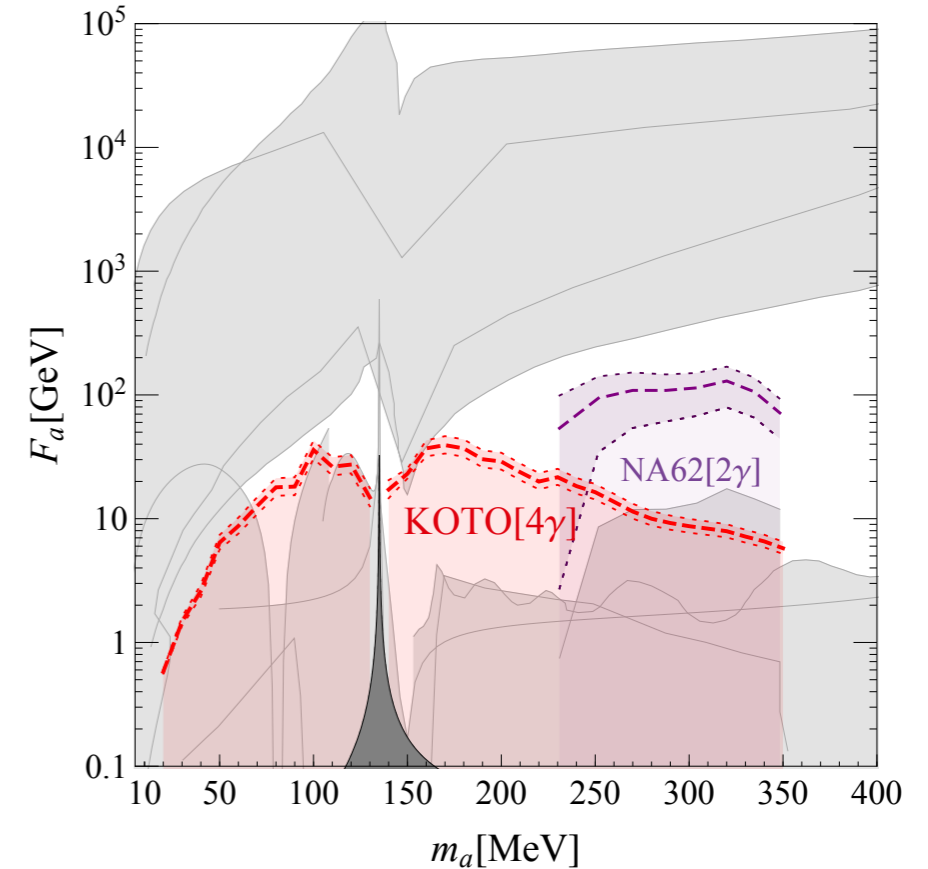
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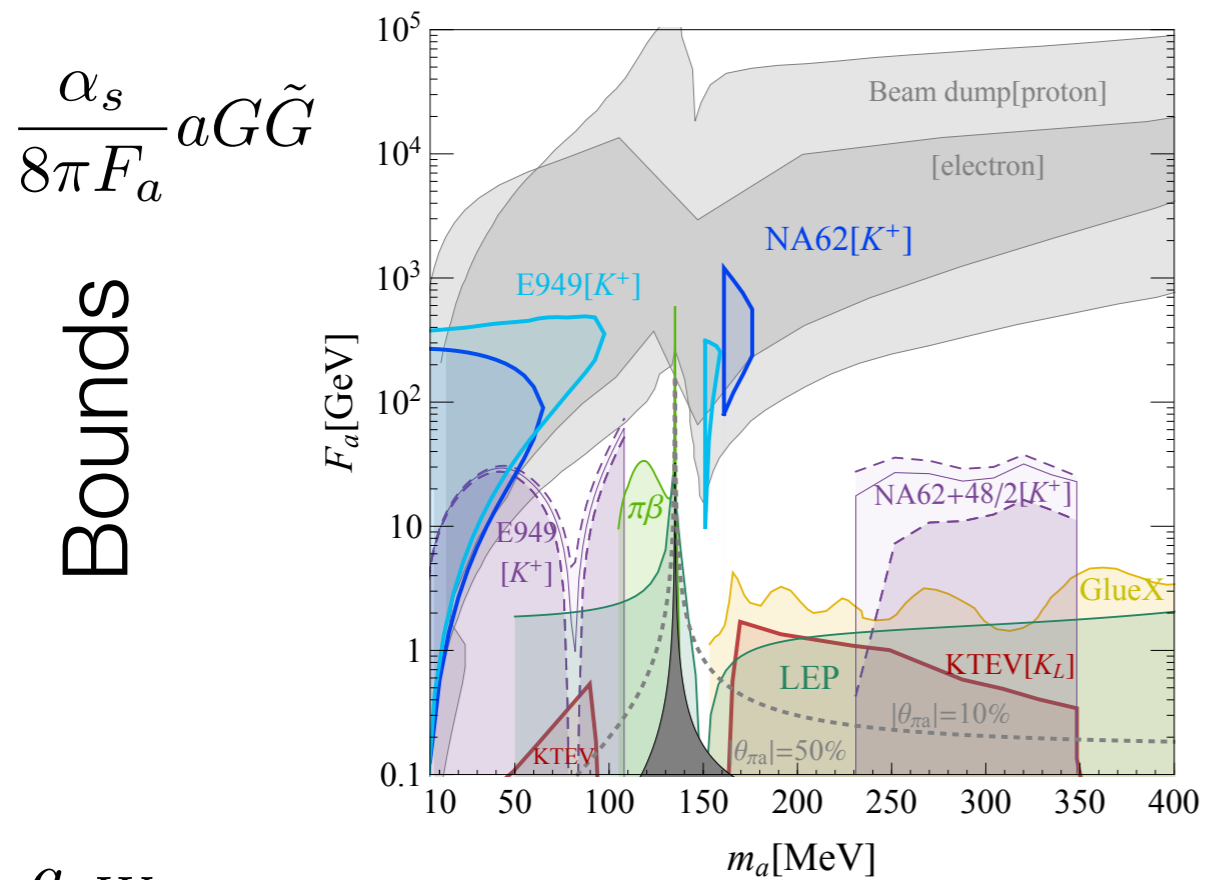
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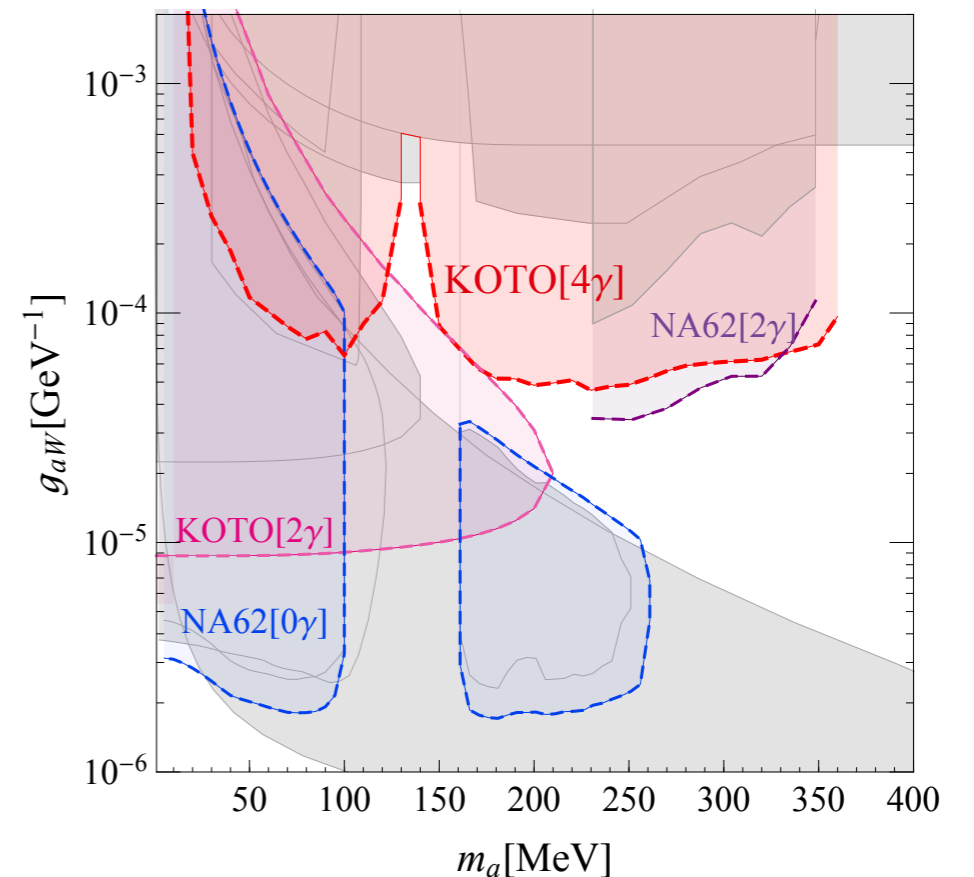
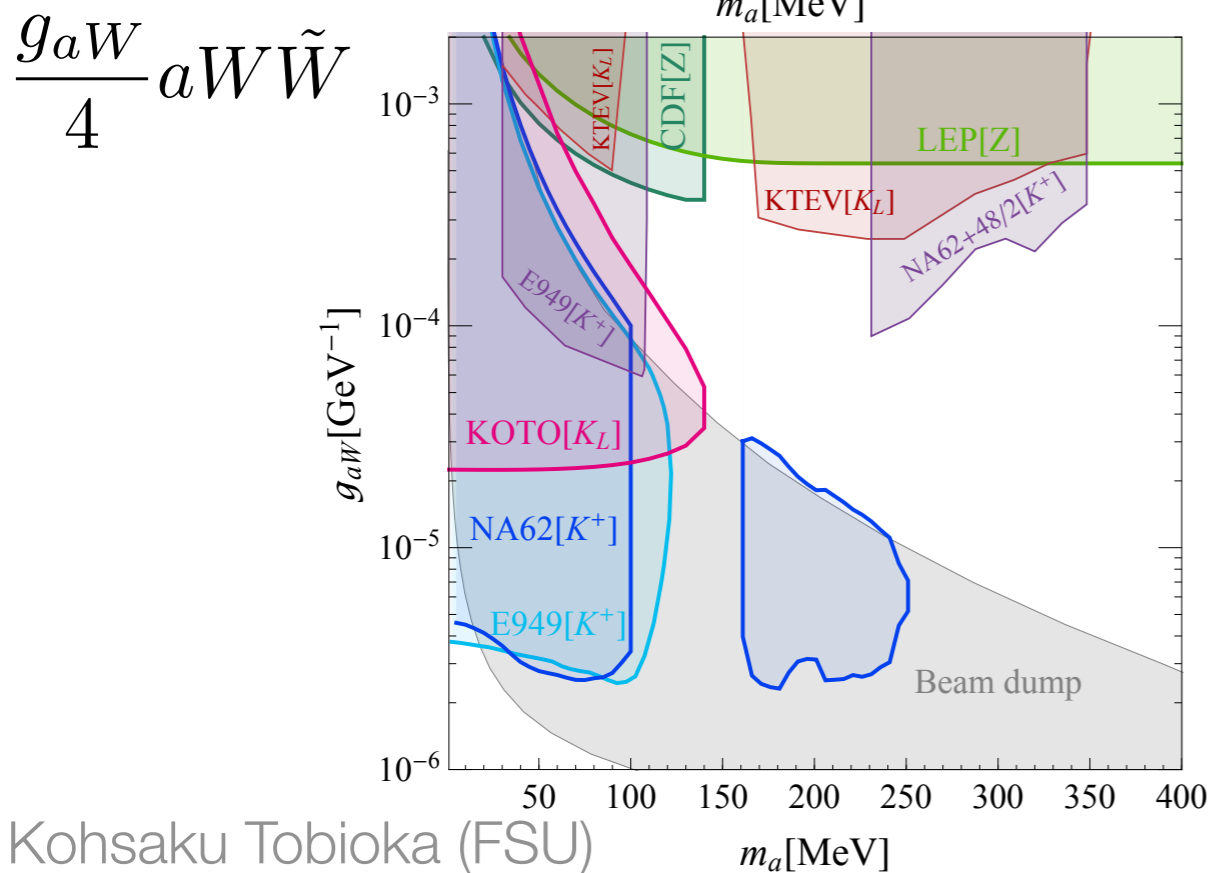
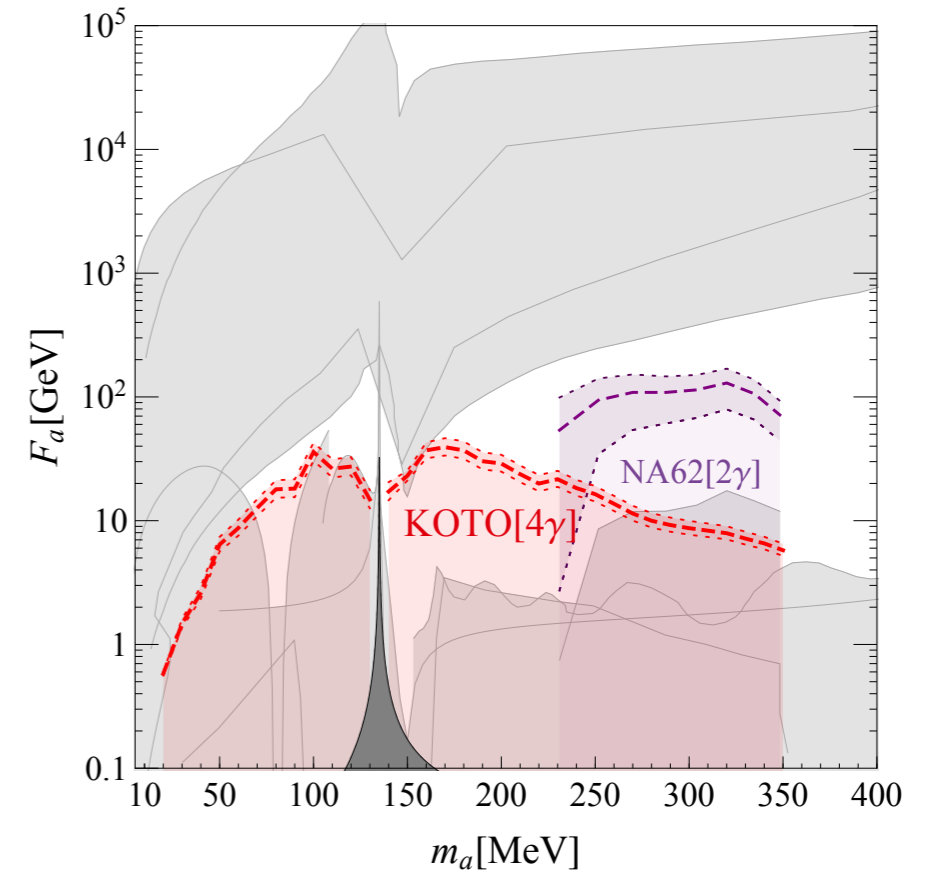
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# Concluding Remarks

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  - ▶ If new BG is really large, upstream veto detector is key
- Future
  - ▶ NA62 and KOTO have opportunities for FIMP
  - ▶ Muonic force search w/ Fermila g-2
  - ▶ New ALP search with  $a \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$
- New Idea?
  - ▶ Join Snowmass RF working group  
[RARE PROCESSES AND PRECISION MEASUREMENTS]

# Backup

# Look at Frontier Data

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Rich experimental data are forthcoming, which push frontiers!

B: Belle II, LHCb

K: NA62, KOTO

$\nu$ : MicroBoone, LBNE, DUNE, T2HK

Long-lived particle: FASER, NA62++, future beam-dump

Kaon is an example

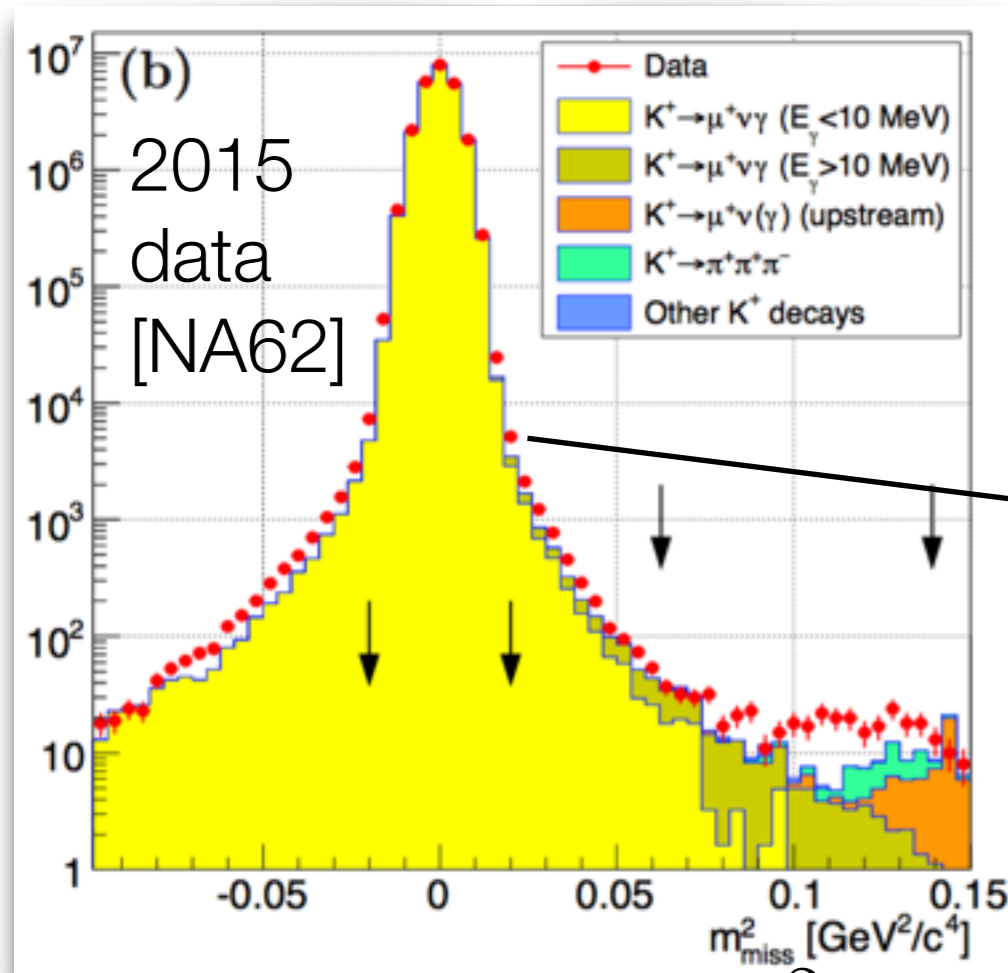
Pros: running, extremely intense, relevant to lepton and hadron.

Each one is complementary to others [B-factories, beam dump]

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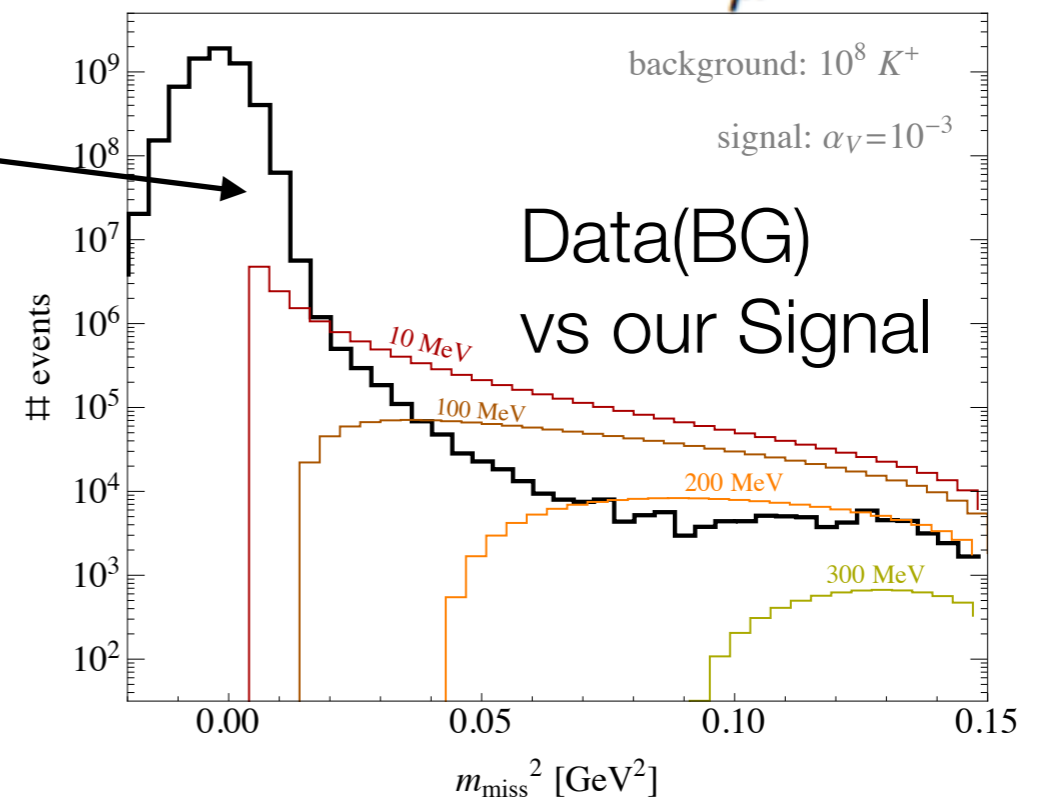
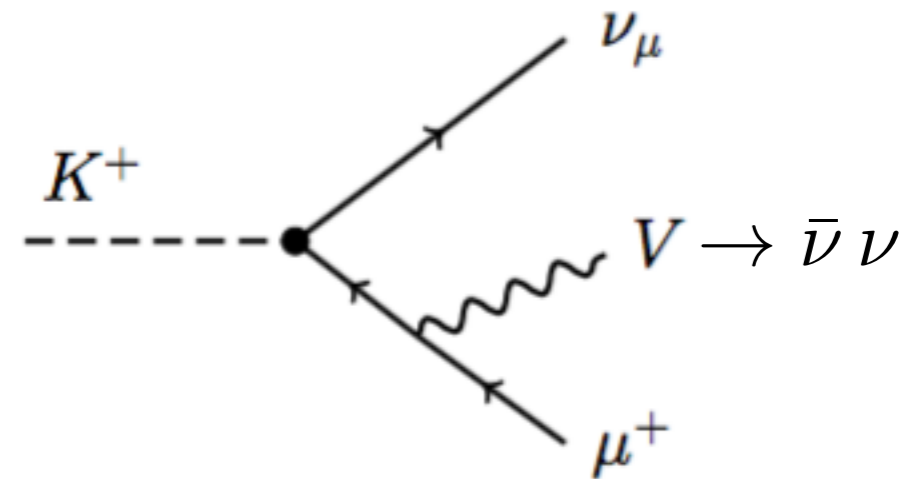
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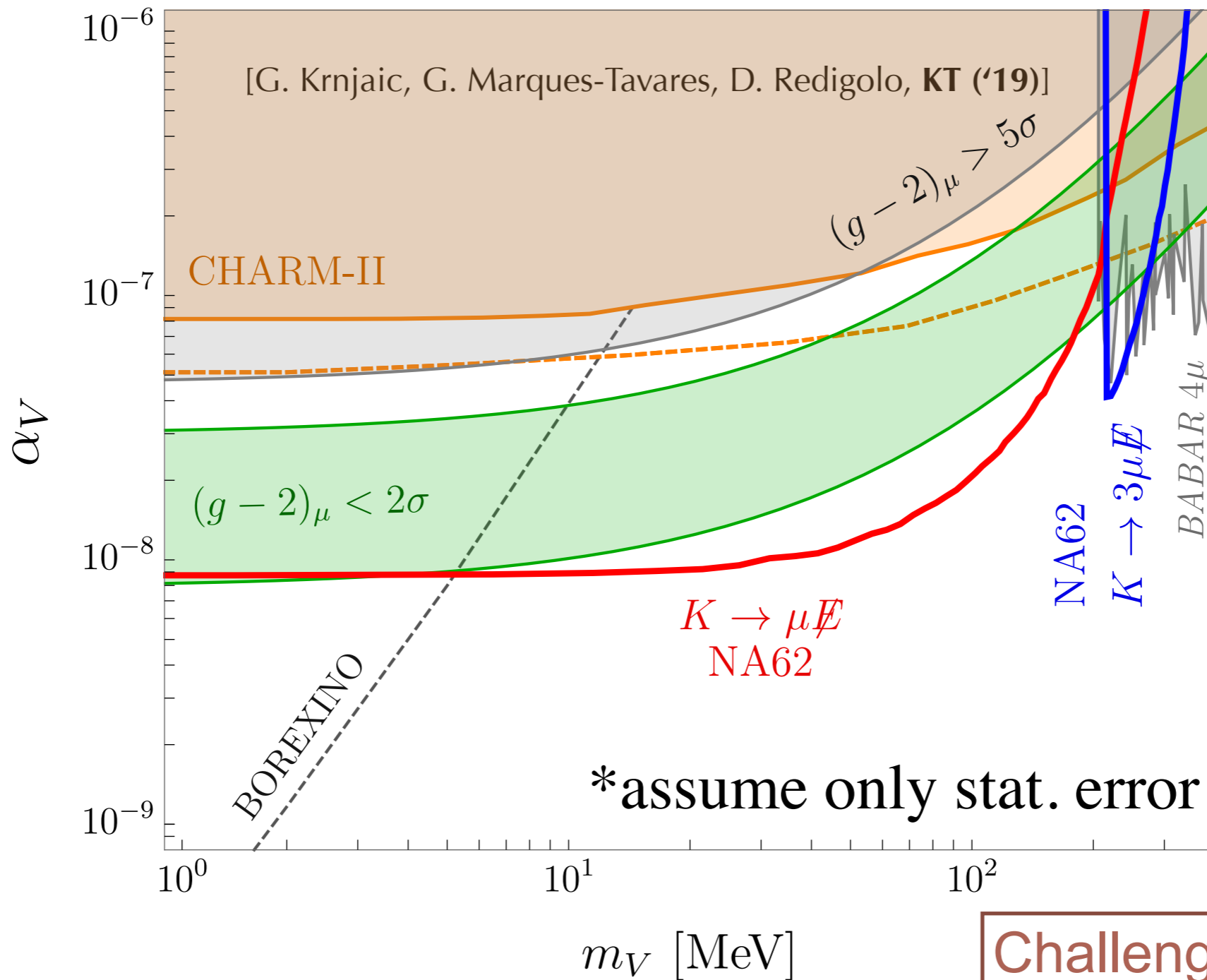
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