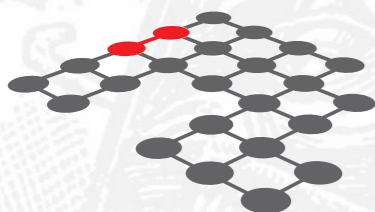


# DARK MATTER SEARCHES WITH COSMIC RAYS

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# Searches for dark matter



1922

First attempt at a theory of the arrangement and motion of the sidereal system. *APJ*, 55.302



Jacobus Kapteyn

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Consequently  $m_1 + m_2 = 1.60$ , which agrees with Table IV if we suppose that the combined mass of the two components and not that of a single component is comparable with the mass of a single star, and especially if we further consider that there are theoretical grounds for expecting that the average mass will decrease for increasing distance.<sup>1</sup>

*Remark. Dark matter.* It is important to note that what has here been determined is the total mass within a definite volume, divided by the number of luminous stars. I will call this mass the average effective mass of the stars. It has been possible to include the luminous stars completely owing to the assumption that at present we know the luminosity-curve over so large a part of its course that further extrapolation seems allowable.

Now suppose that in a volume of space containing  $l$  luminous stars there be dark matter with an aggregate mass equal to  $Kl$  average luminous stars; then, evidently the effective mass equals  $(l+K) \times$  average mass of a luminous star.

We therefore have the means of estimating the mass of dark matter in the universe. As matters stand at present it appears at once that this mass cannot be excessive. If it were otherwise, the average mass as derived from binary stars would have been very much lower than what has been found for the effective mass.

7. *Angular velocities ( $\omega$ ) in the plane of the galaxy.*—Ignoring for an instant the fact that the stars in the Milky Way cannot be systematically at rest and treating the stars near this plane in the same way as those near the axis, I am led by a formula analogous to (17) to values of  $\eta$  which are not quite half those given in Table IV. I suppose that the difference must be wholly due to the centrifugal force induced by the rotational motions. In fact, I assume that the average mass is the same throughout the whole system, at least for points on the same equidensity surface.

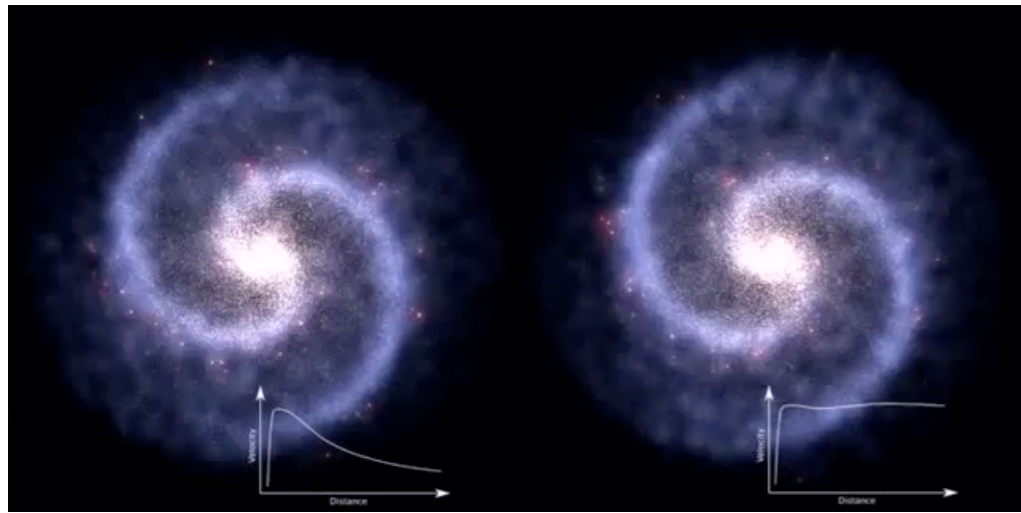
If, therefore,  $\rho$  and  $\rho'$  represent the distances from the center, of two points on the same equidensity surface, the first in the direction of the Pole, the second in the Milky Way, for which points

<sup>1</sup> Jeans, *Problems of Cosmogony and Stellar Dynamics* (1919), p. 239.



# Evidences for dark matter

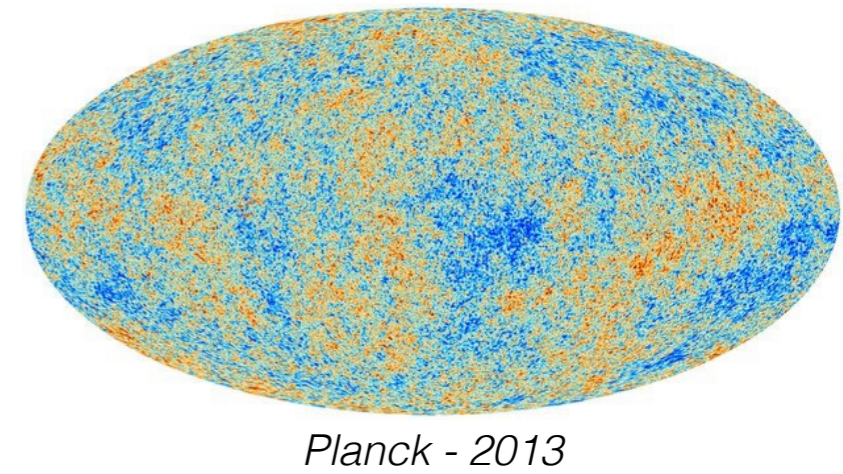
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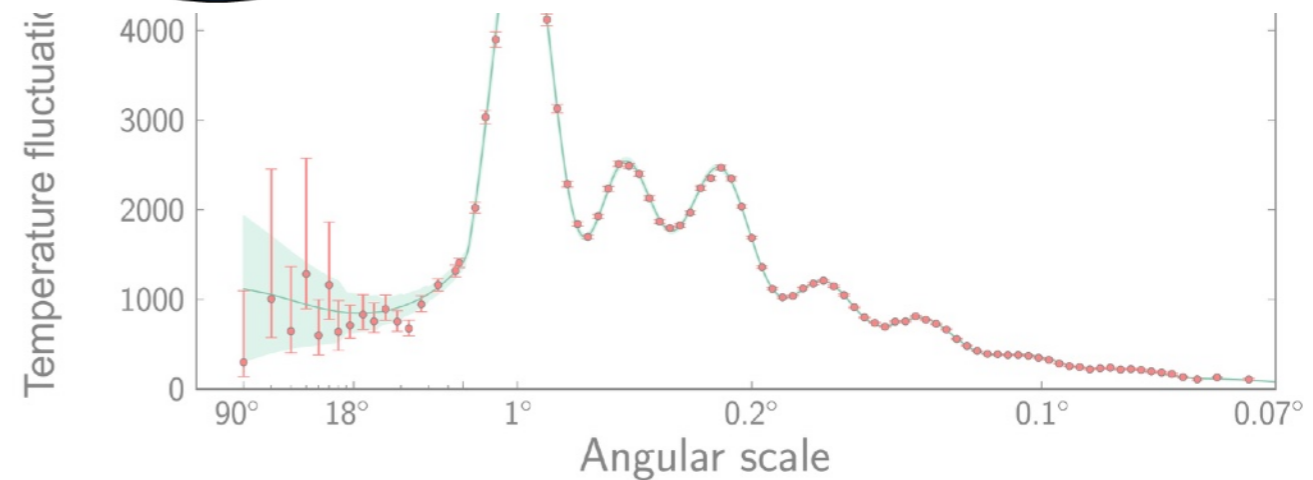
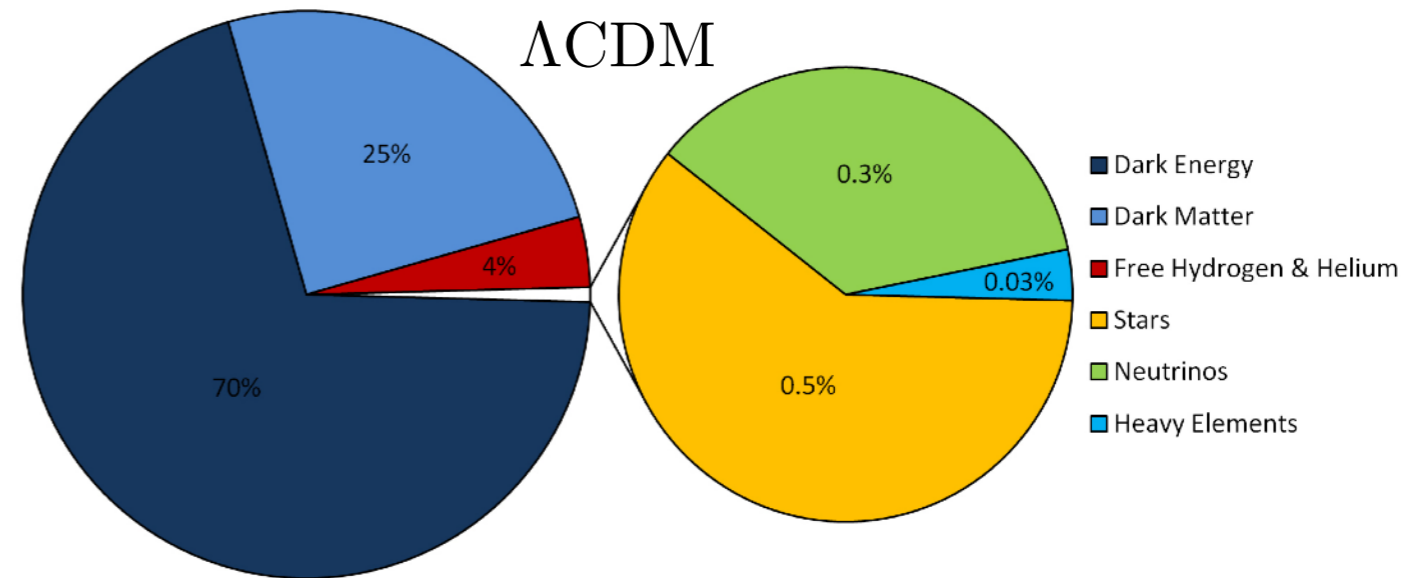
## Galaxy clusters



## Cosmology



*Cosmological simulations (Millenium)*





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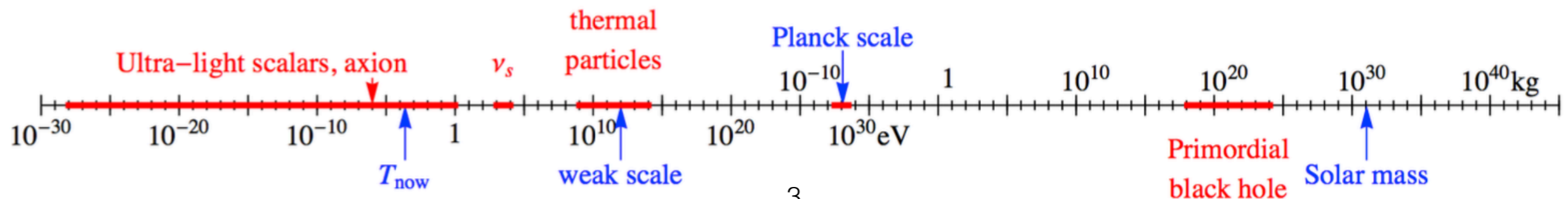
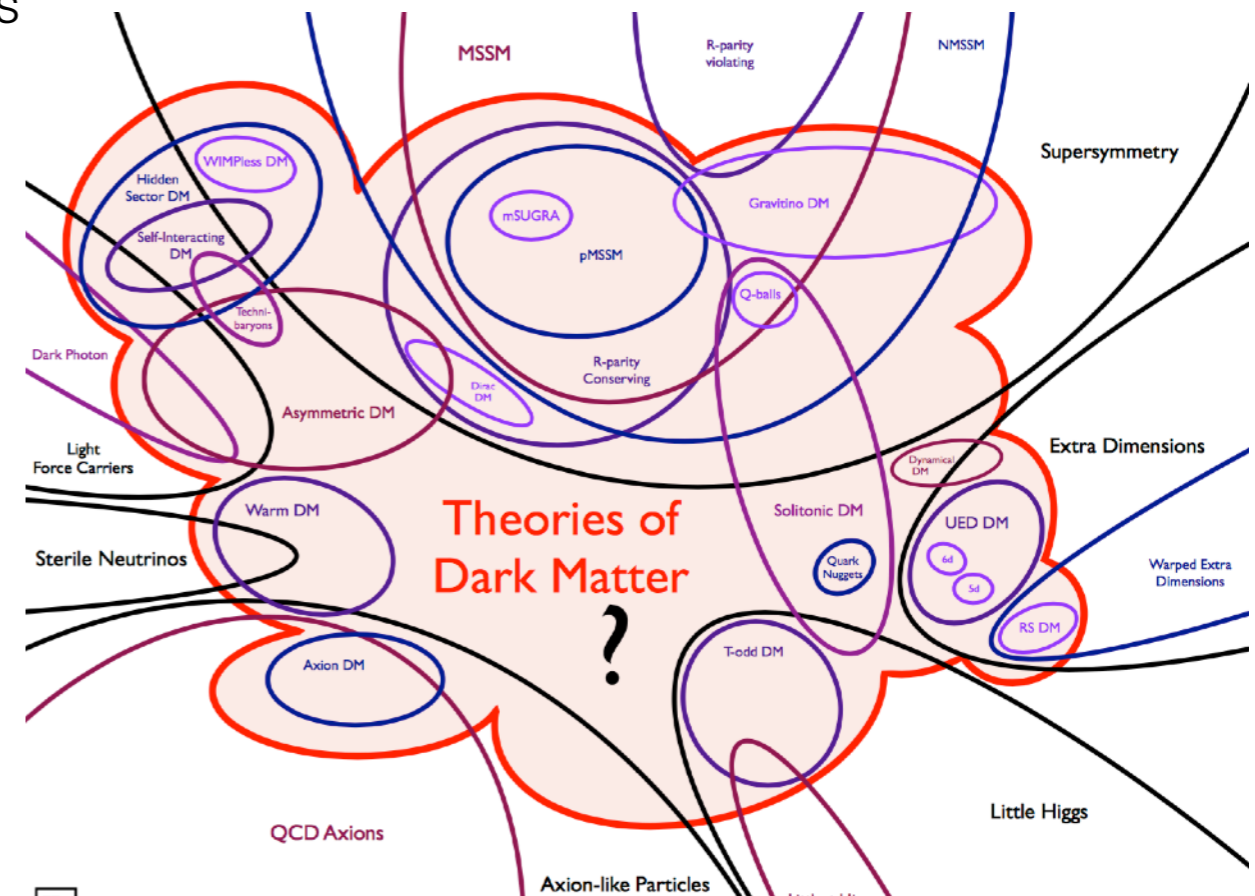
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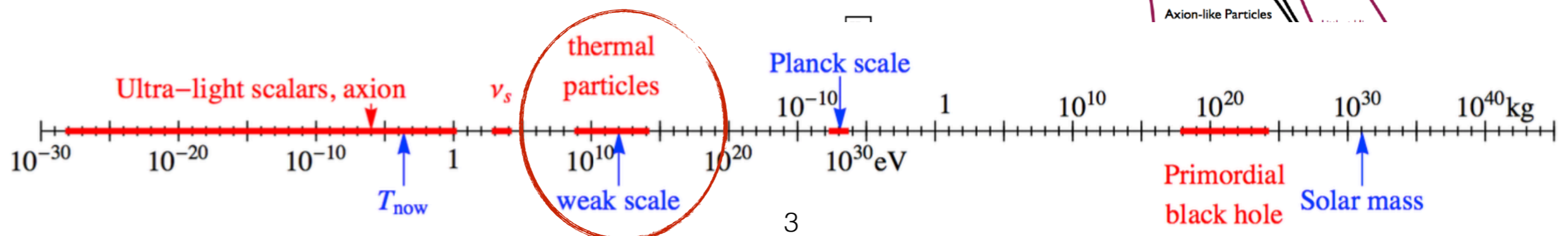
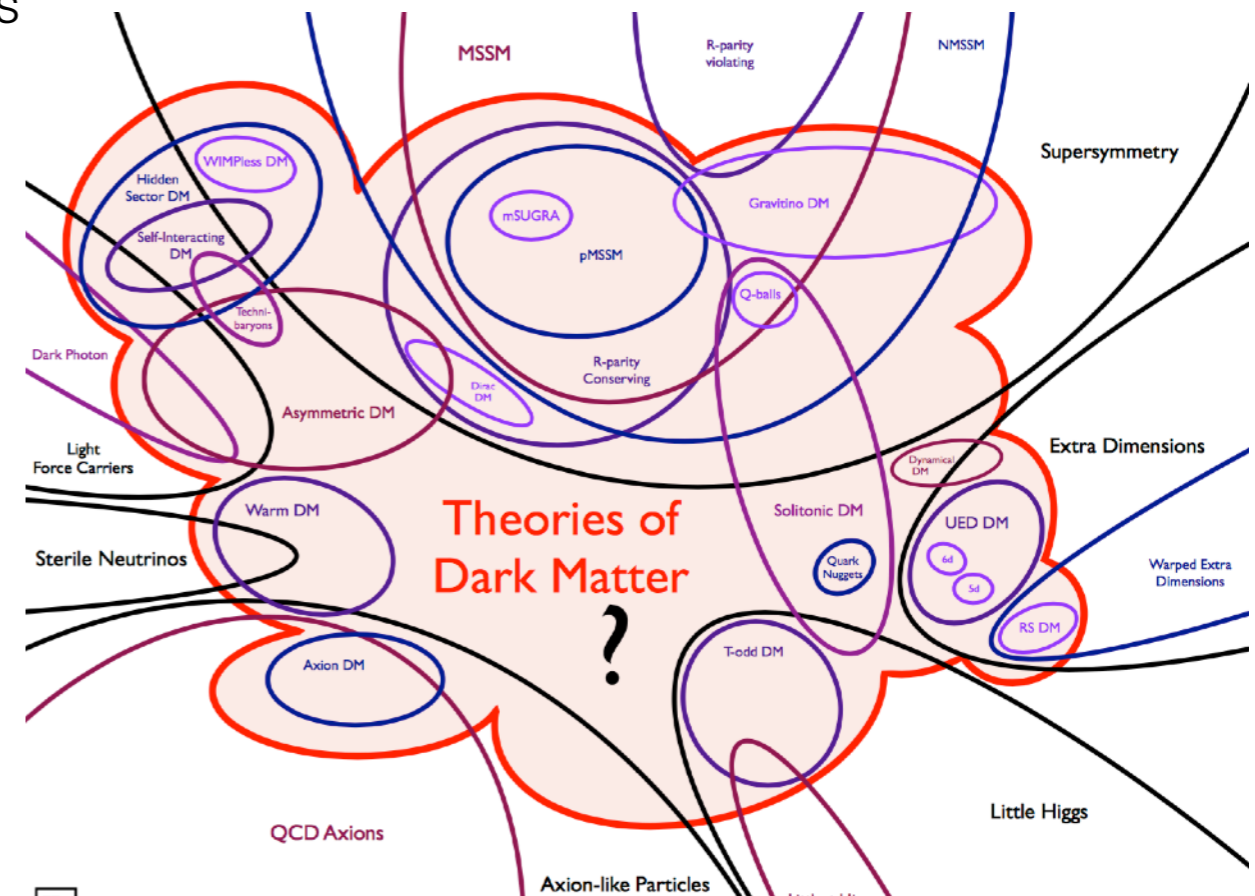
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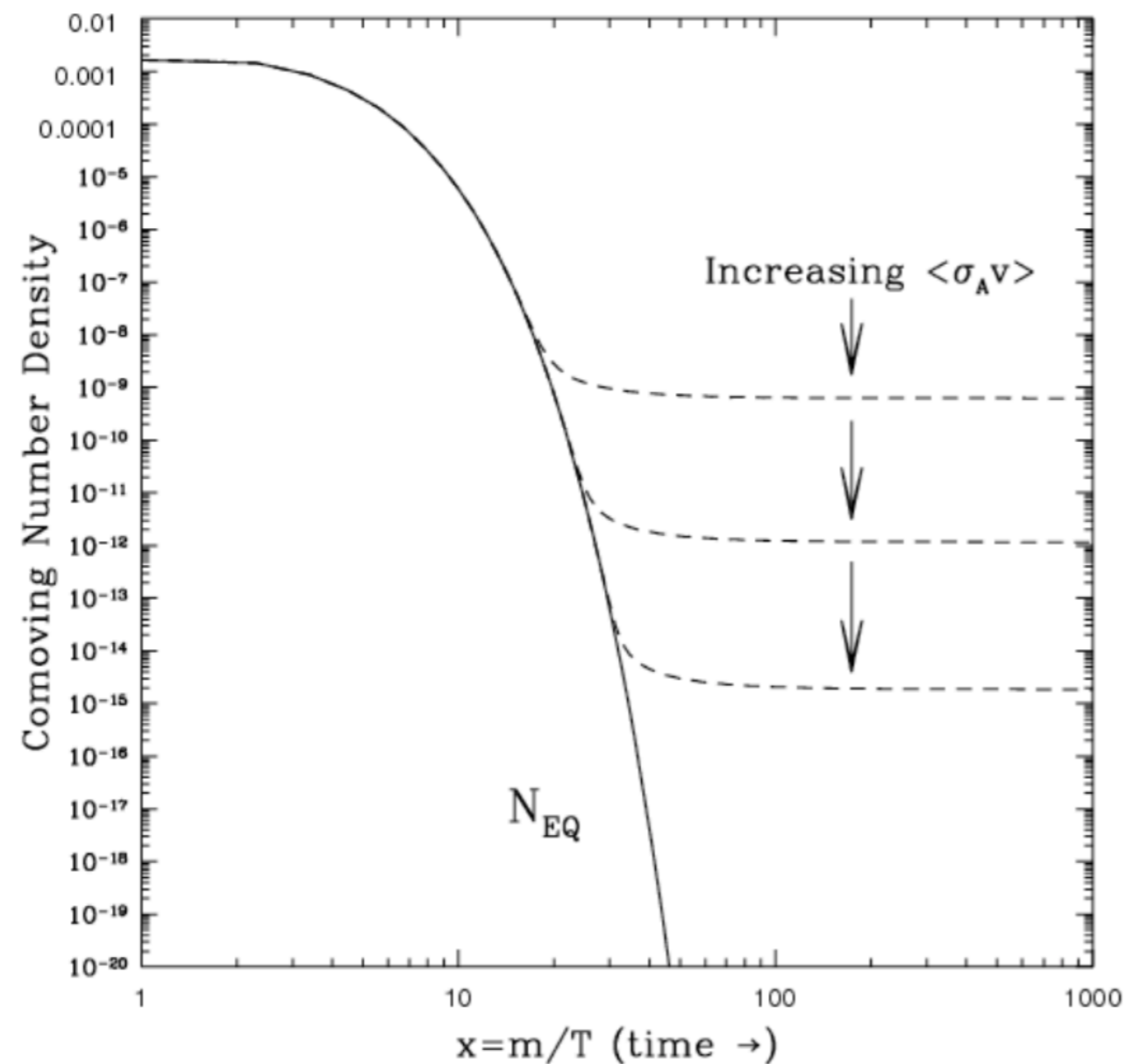


# The WIMP paradigm (Weakly Interactive Massive Particles)

Assuming DM particles are thermally produced in the early Universe:

Dark matter particles should be:

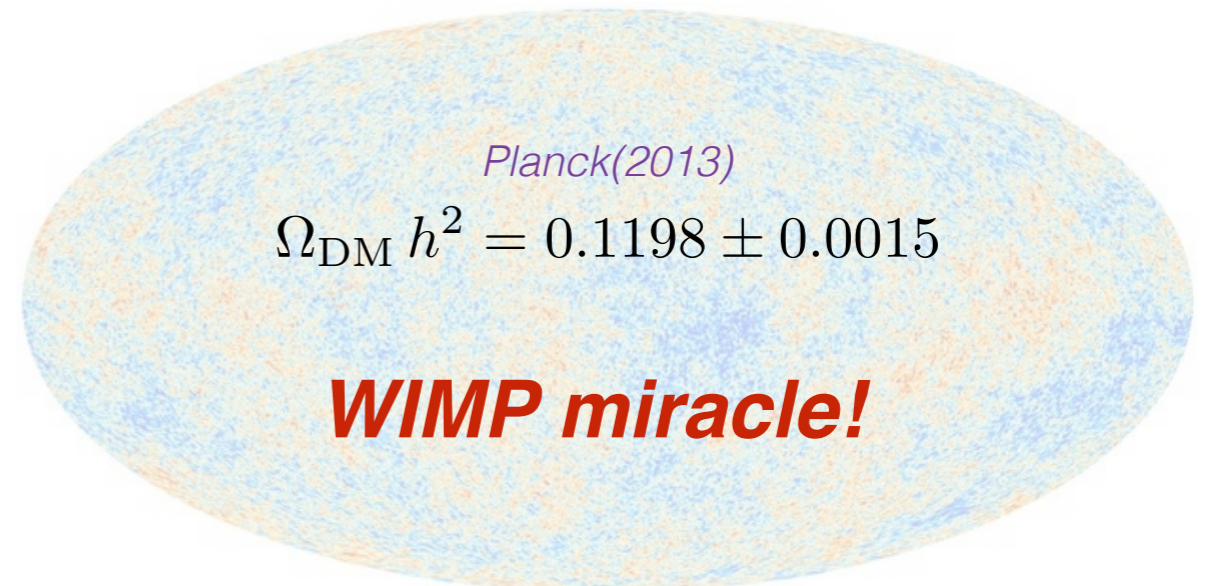
- ✓ Neutral
- ✓ Very long lived
- ✓ Cold  $\Leftrightarrow$  massive ( $\gtrsim$  keV)
- ✓ Feebly interactive



relic density  $\Omega_{\text{DM}} h^2 \simeq \frac{3 \times 10^{-27} \text{ cm}^3 \text{ s}^{-1}}{\langle \sigma v \rangle}$

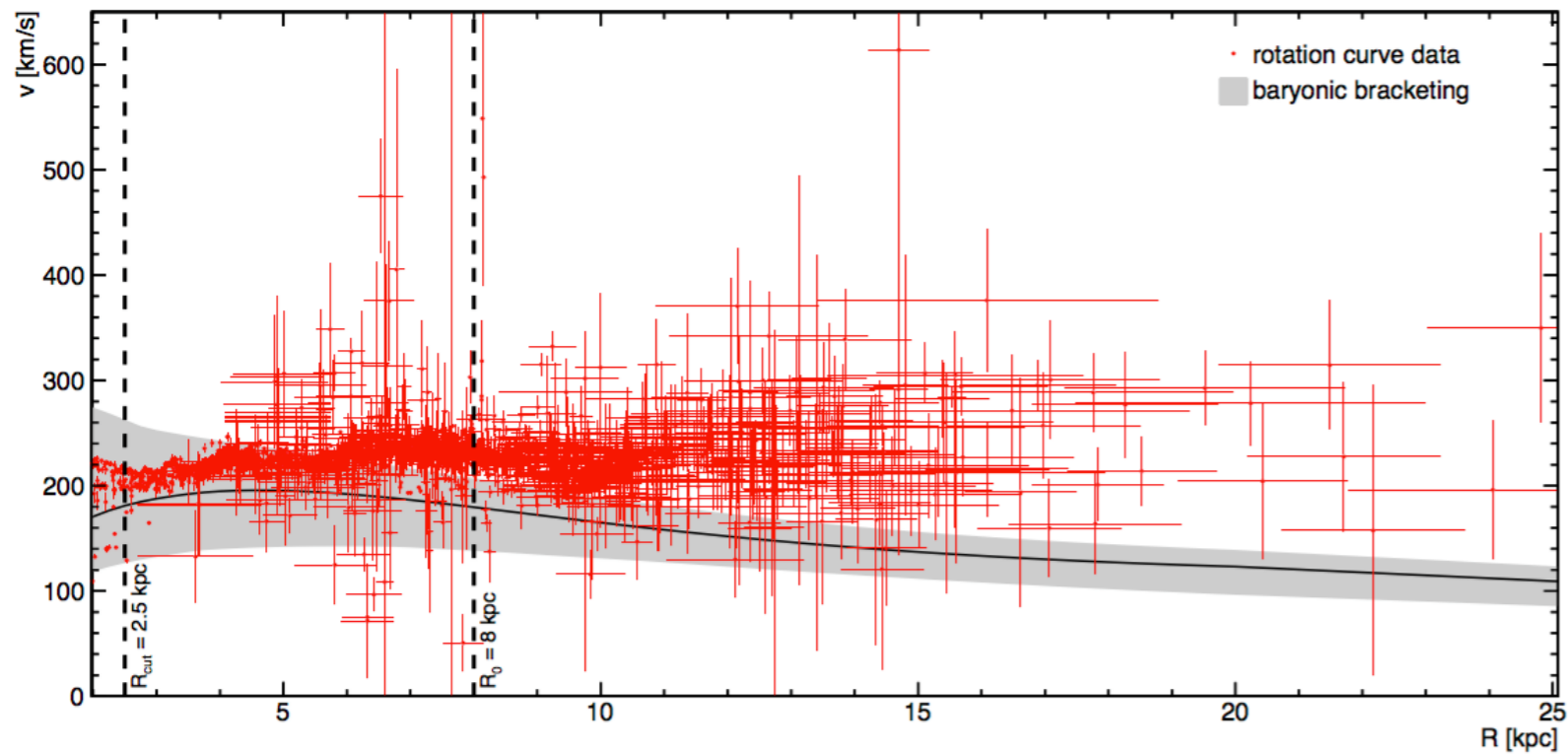
annihilating cross section

- **weak**-scale mass (10 GeV - 1 TeV)
- **weak**-scale interaction  $\langle \sigma v \rangle \simeq 3 \times 10^{-26} \text{ cm}^3 \text{ s}^{-1}$





# Dark matter in the Milky Way



*Pato et al. 2015*

$$R_0 = 8 \text{ kpc}, \quad v_0 = 230 \text{ km s}^{-1}$$

$$\rho_0 \simeq 0.420 \text{ GeV cm}^{-3}$$

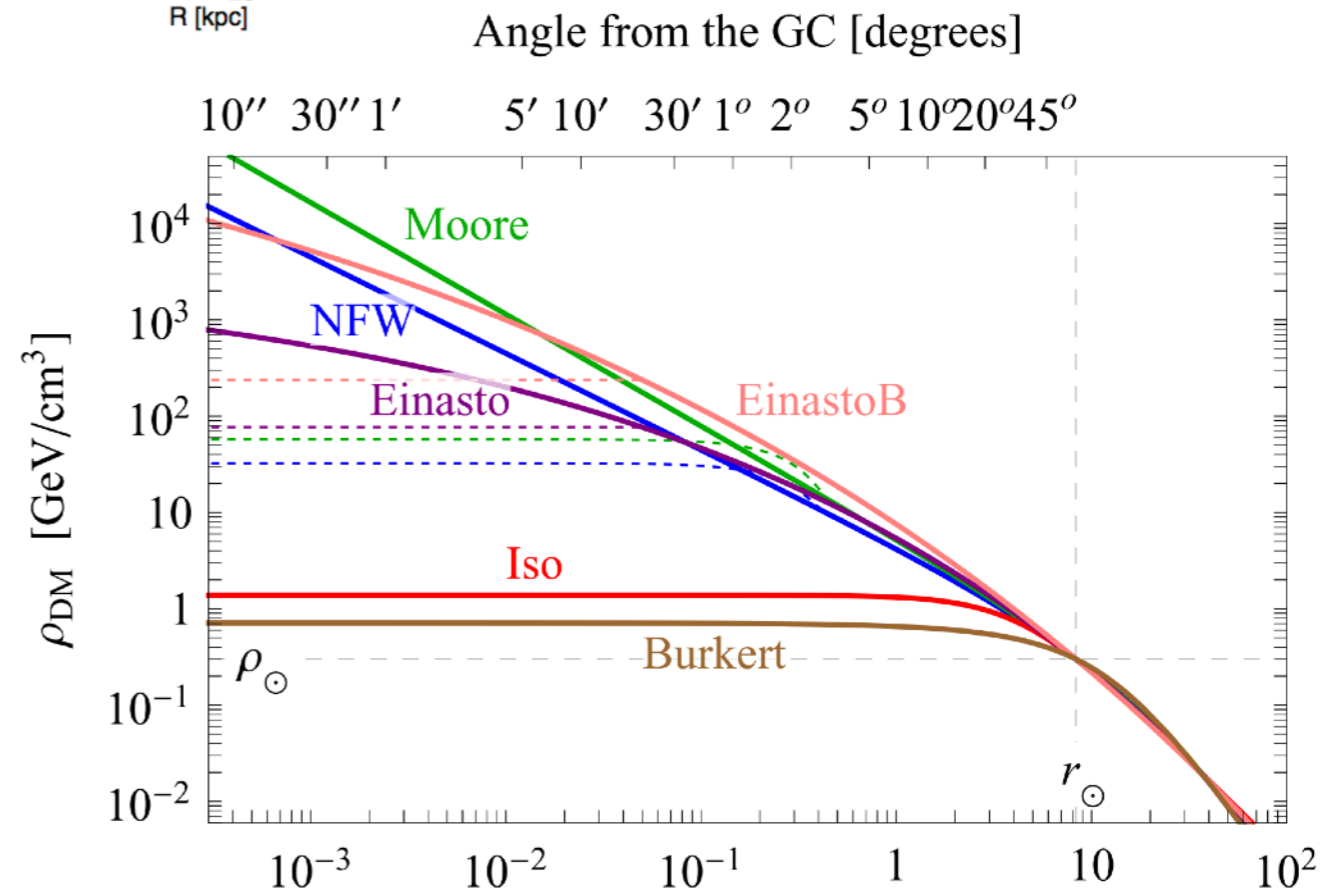
The dark matter mass distribution in the Milky Way is not well known, especially close to the Galactic center.

## Core profiles

Isothermal, Burkert (rotation curve)

## Cusp profiles

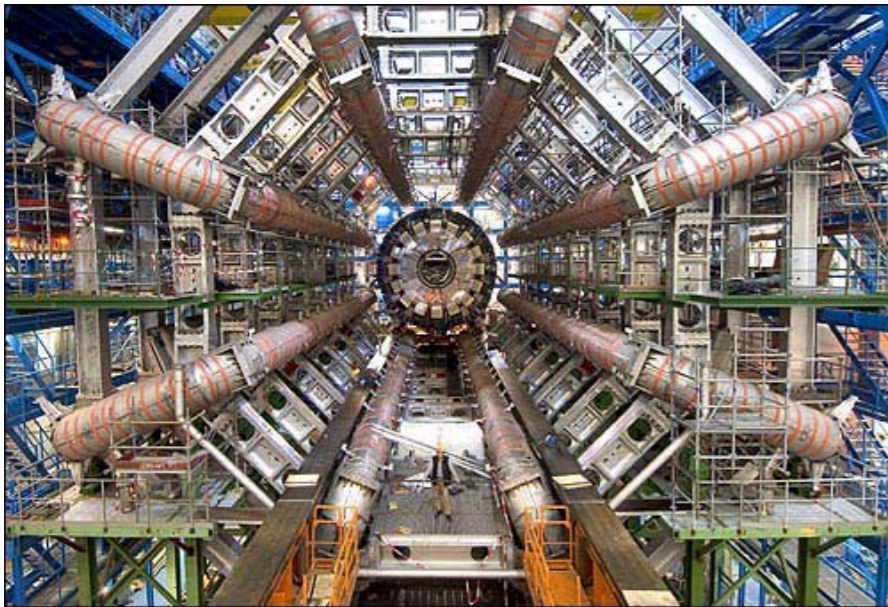
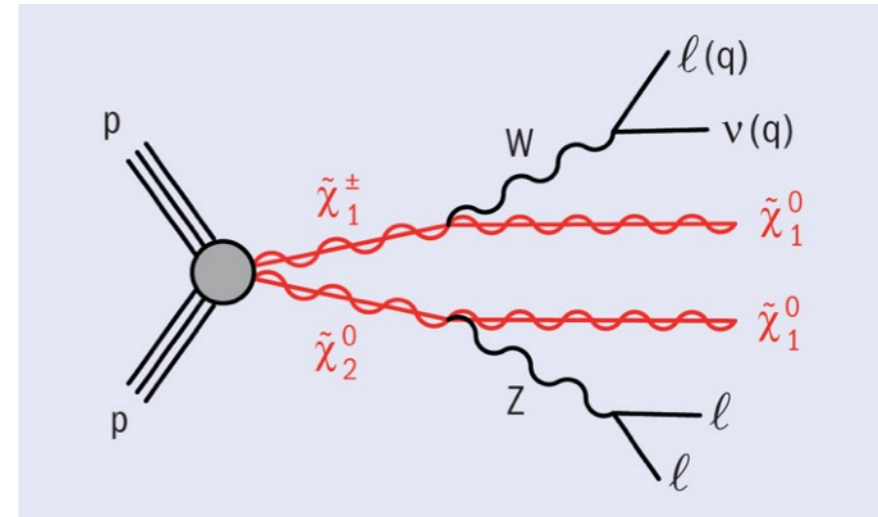
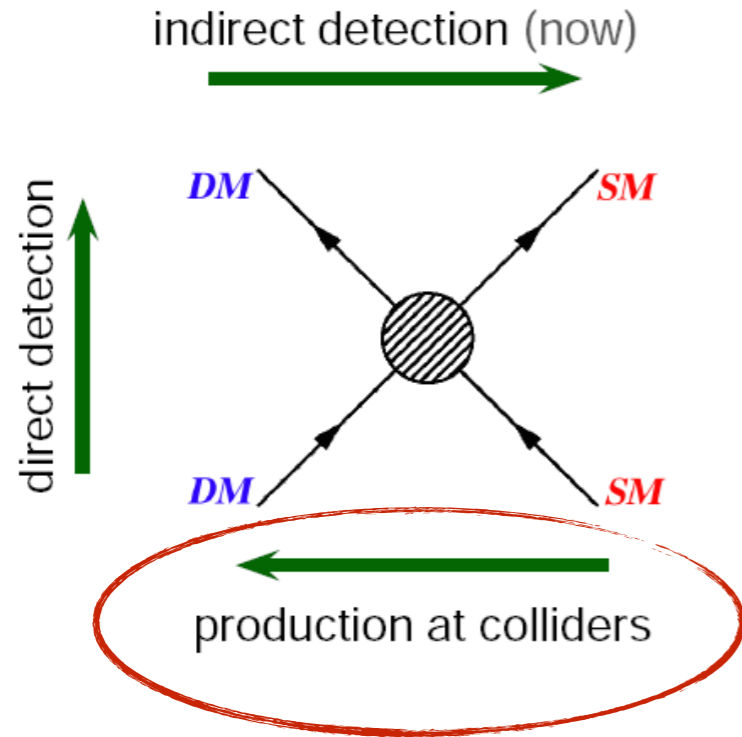
Moore, Navarro Frenk and White, Einasto (N-body simulations)





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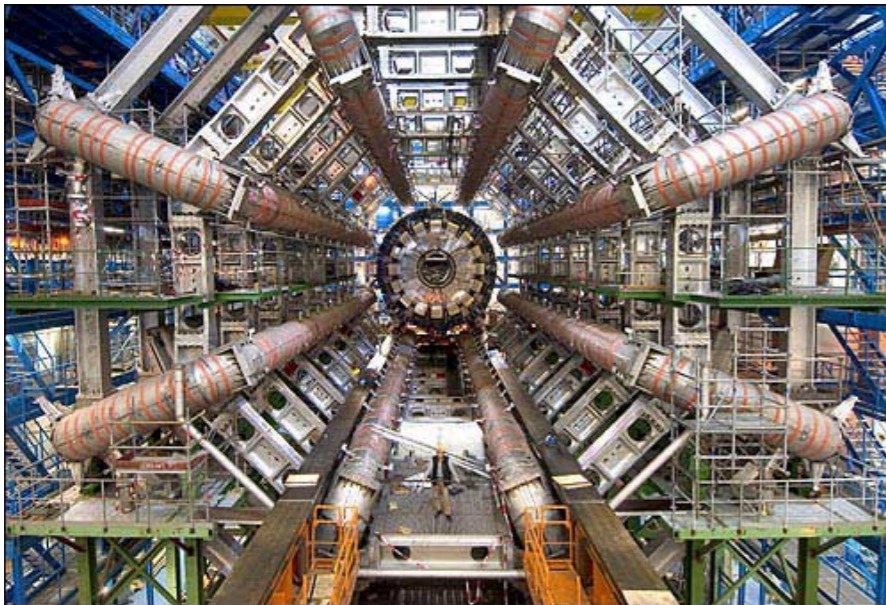
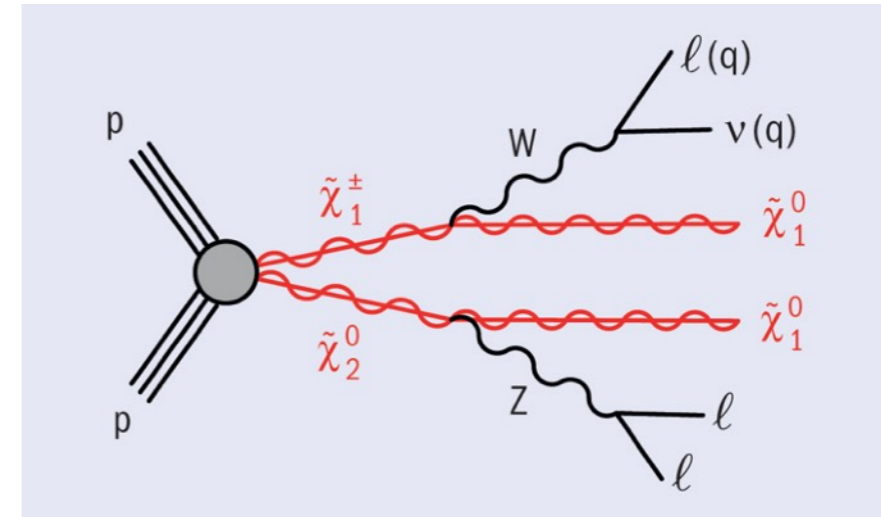
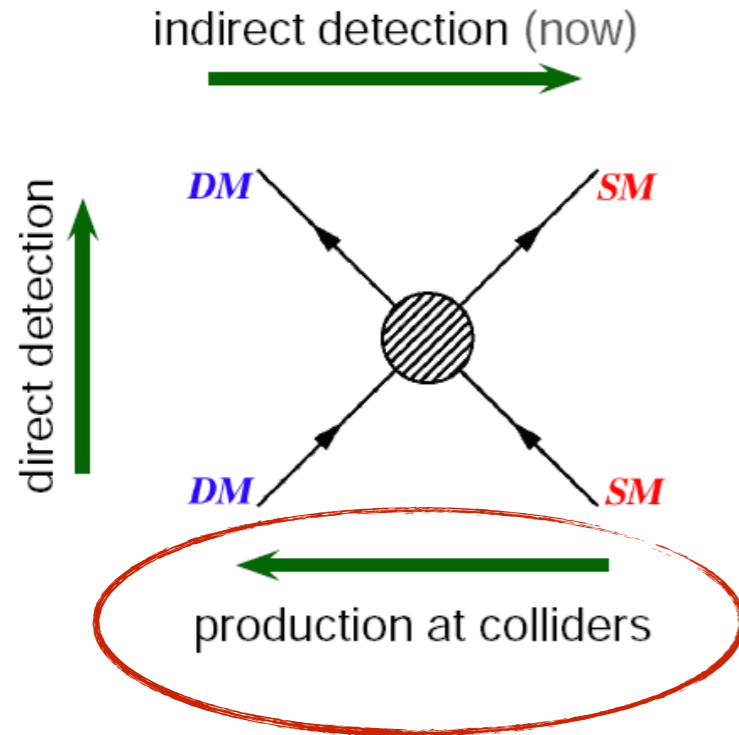


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**No hints for new physics so far.**



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indirect detection (now)

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production at colliders

direct detection

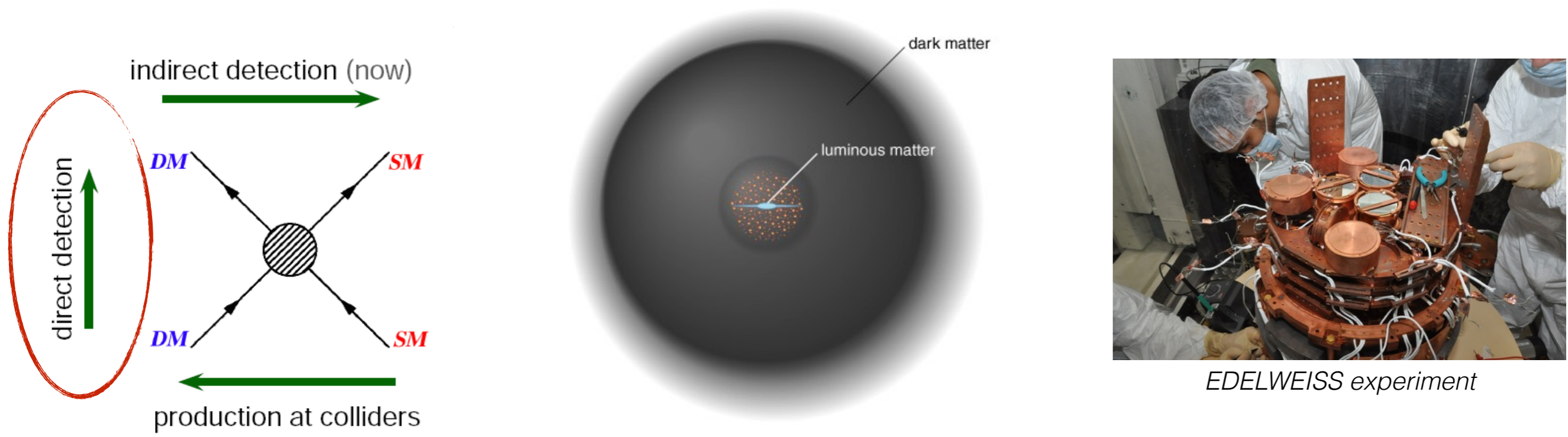
dark matter

luminous matter

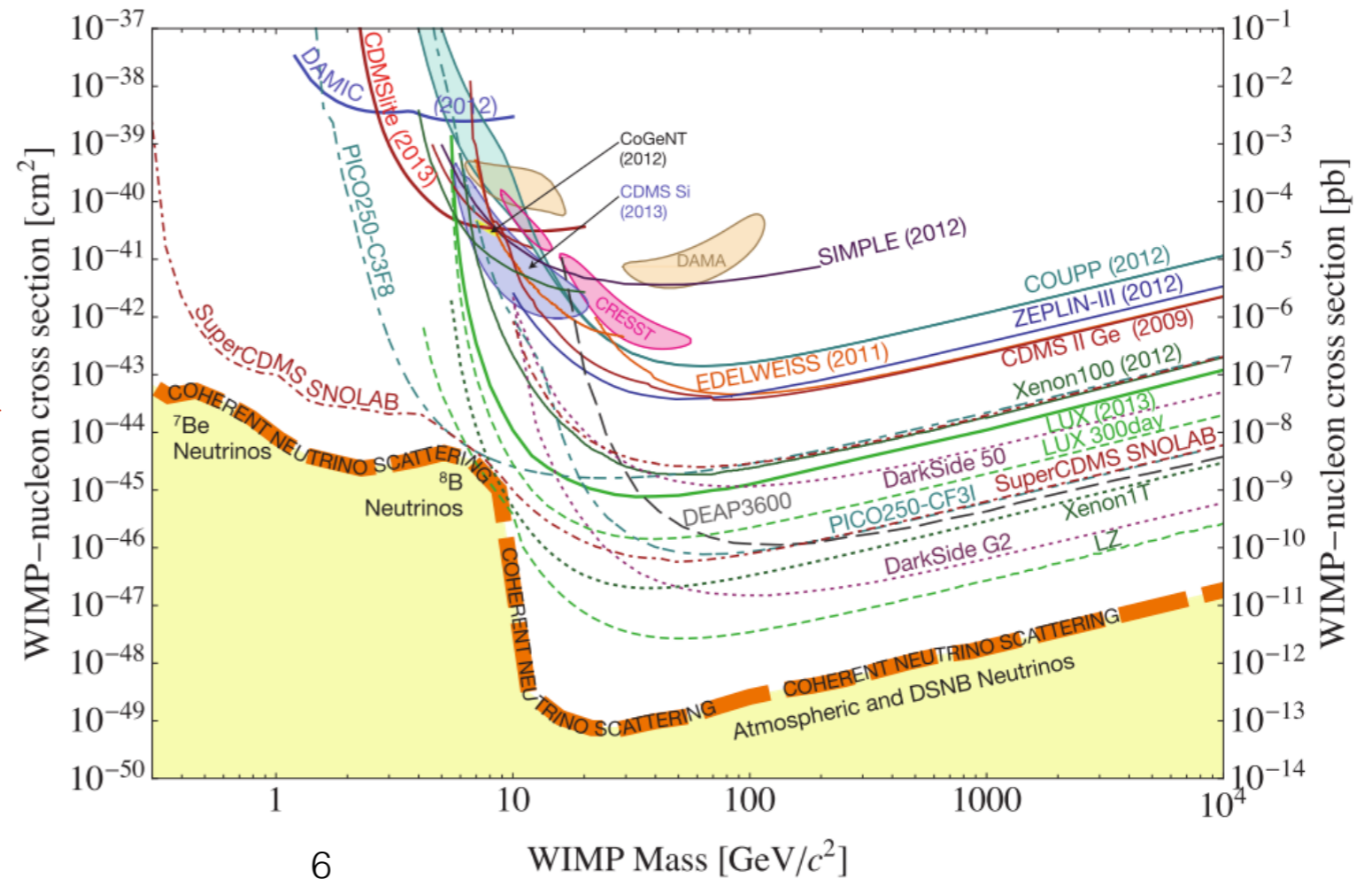
EDELWEISS experiment

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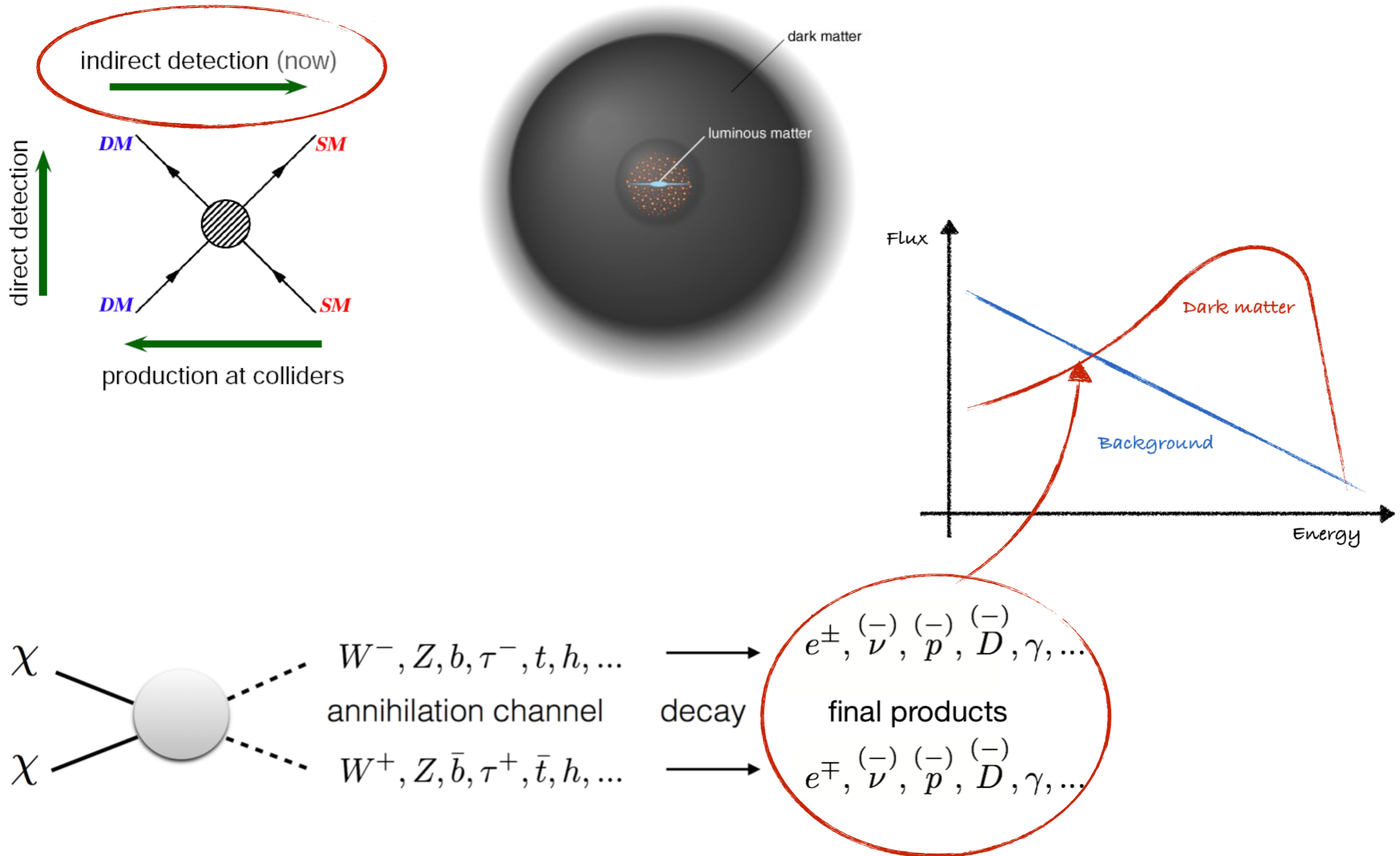
Spin independant cross section





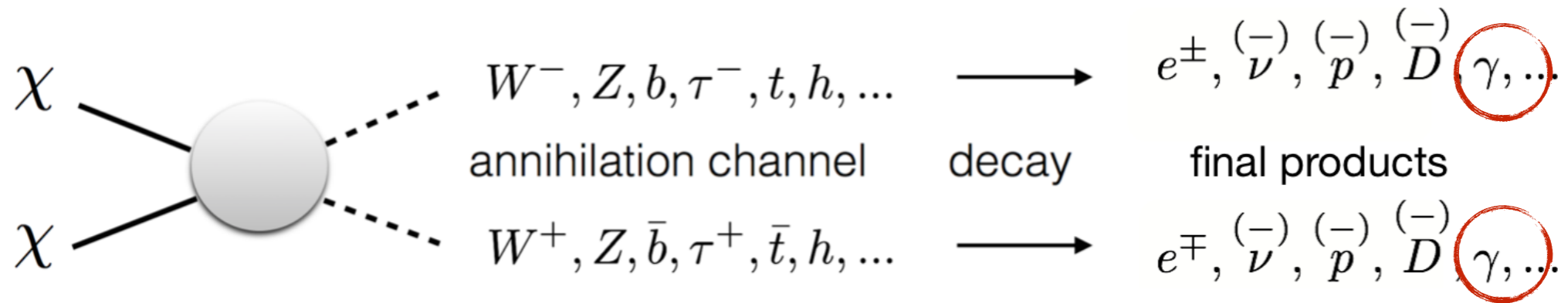
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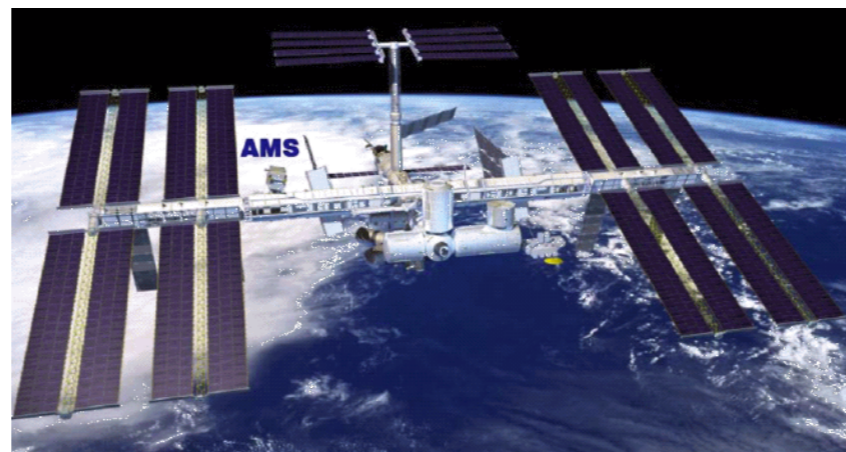


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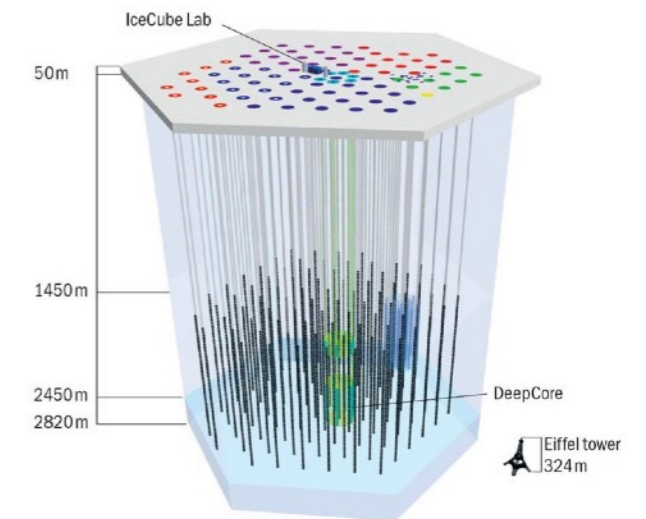
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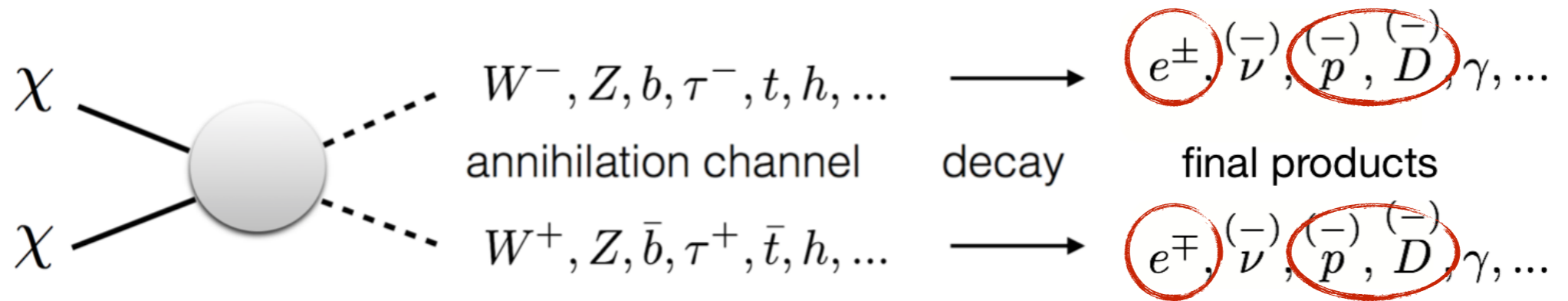


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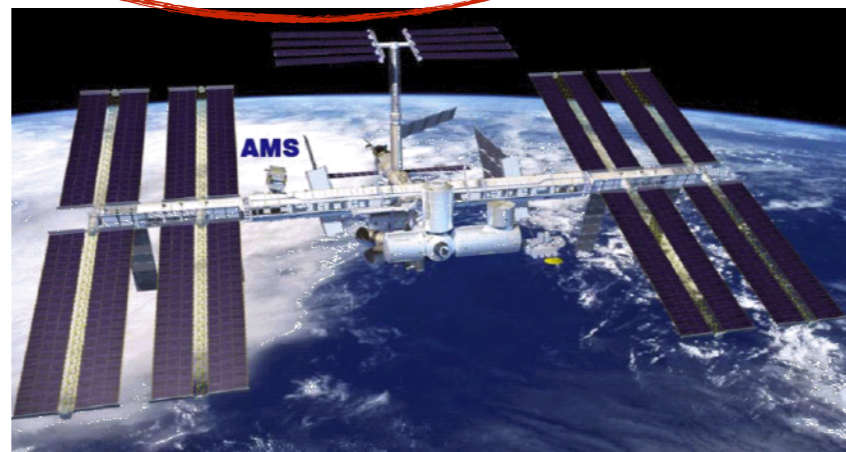


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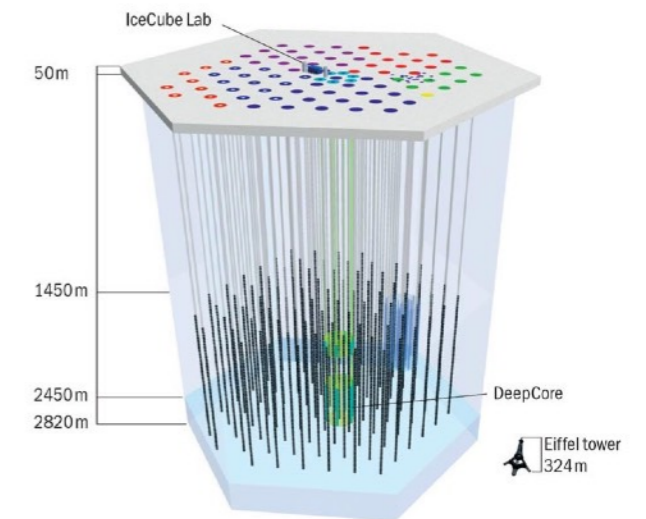
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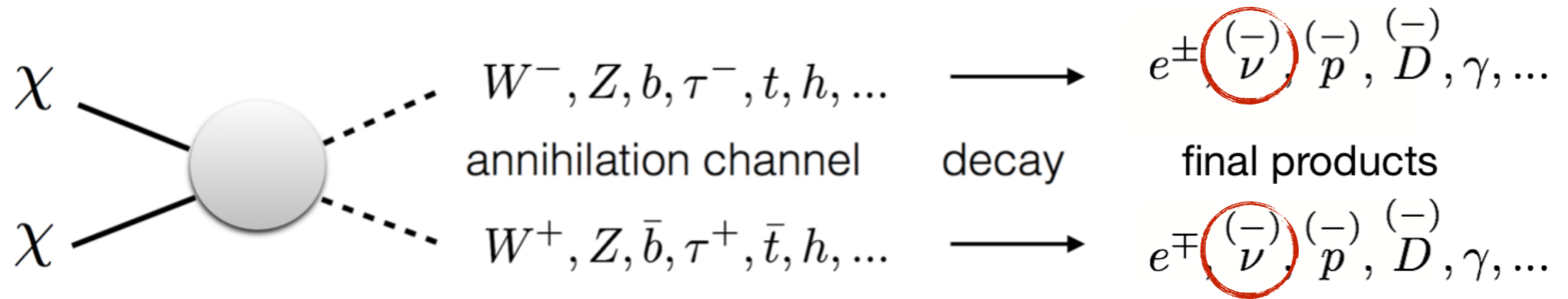


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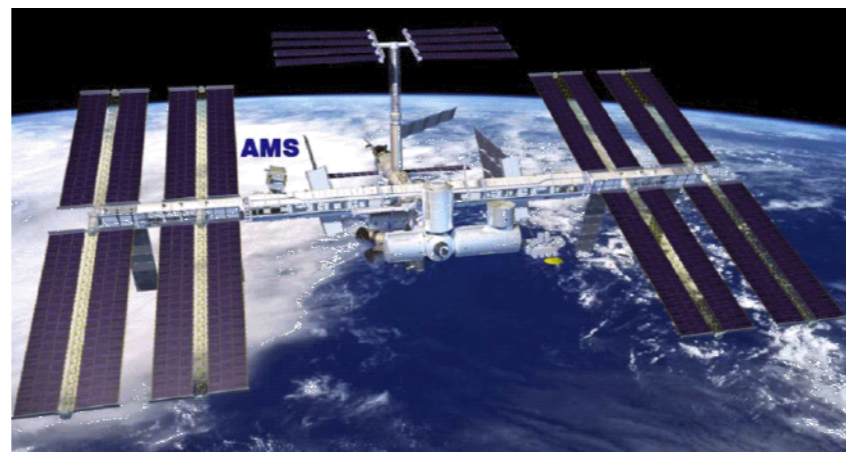


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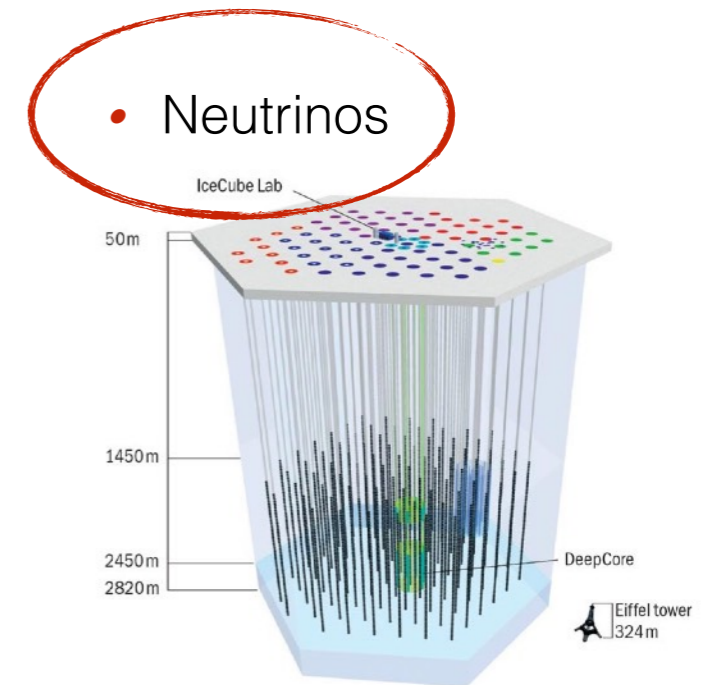


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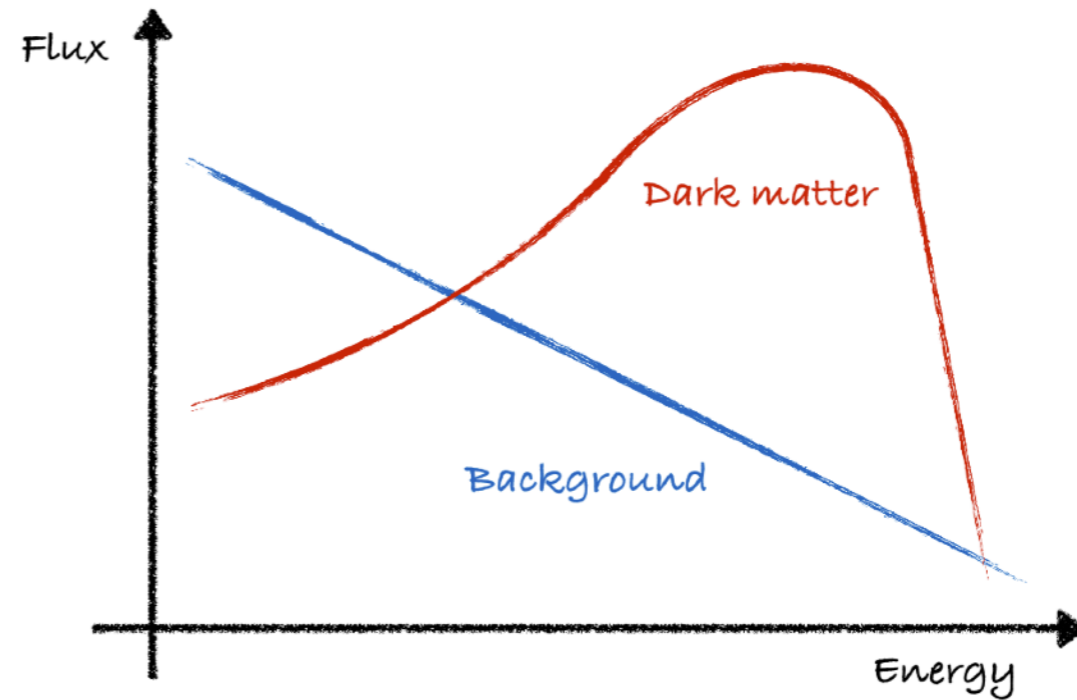
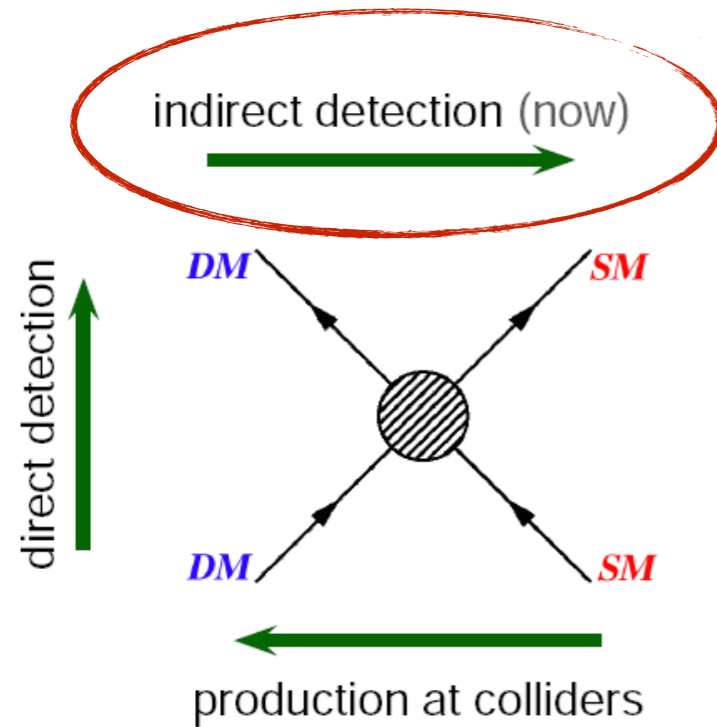


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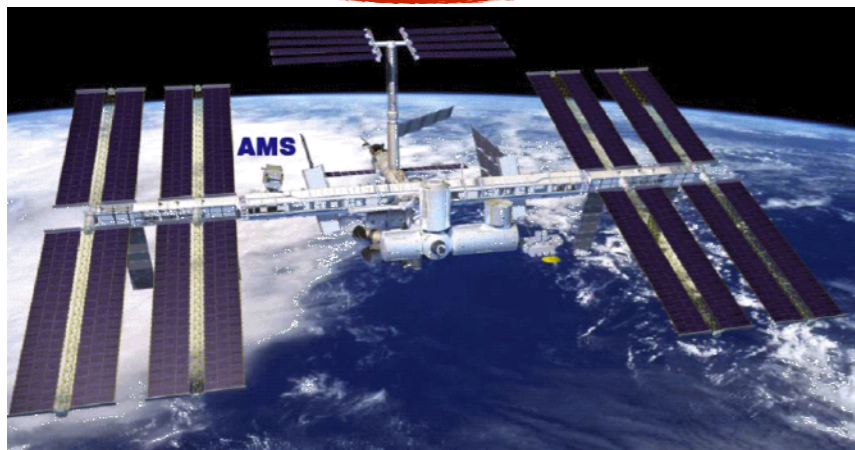


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### Antimatter cosmic rays

Antimatter is rare in the Galaxy, the astrophysical background is **weak** and **easier** to assess.

- Positrons  $e^+$
- Antiprotons  $\bar{p}$
- Antideutrons  $\bar{D}$
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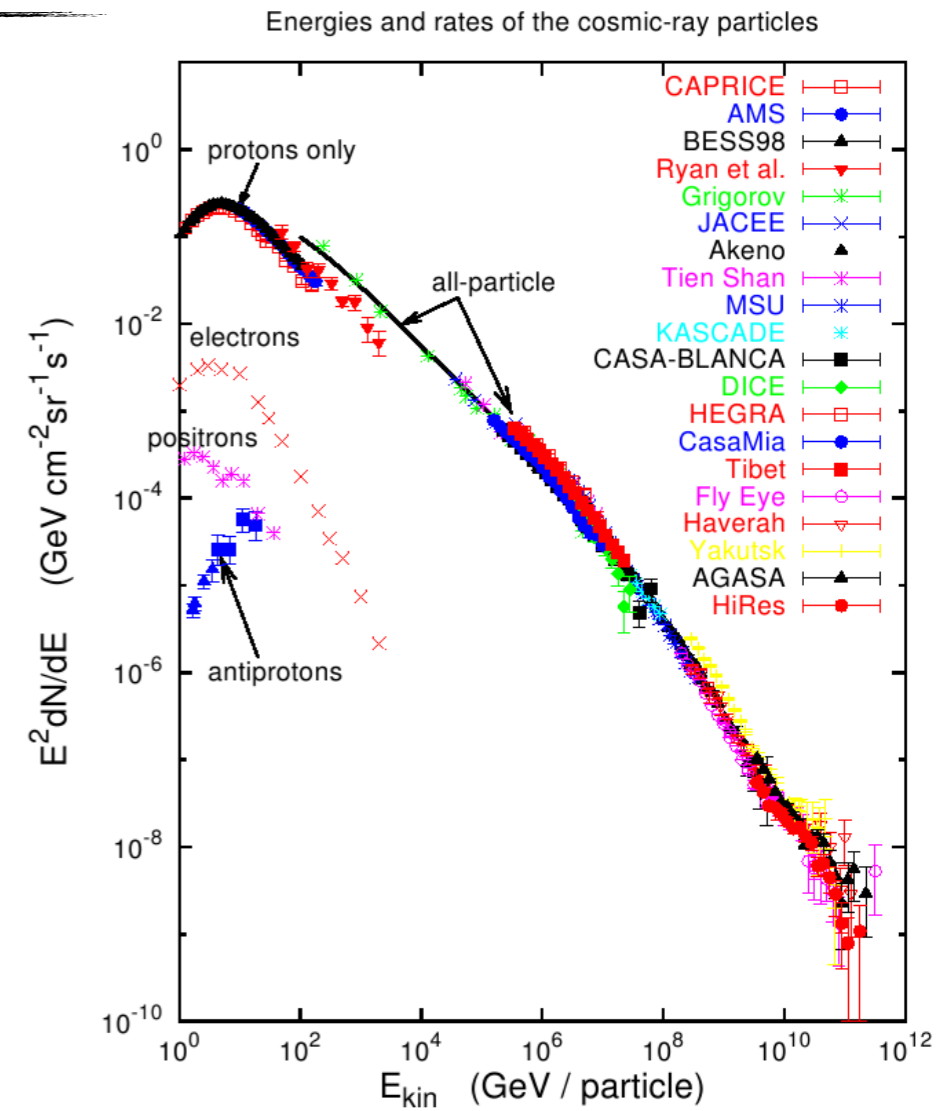
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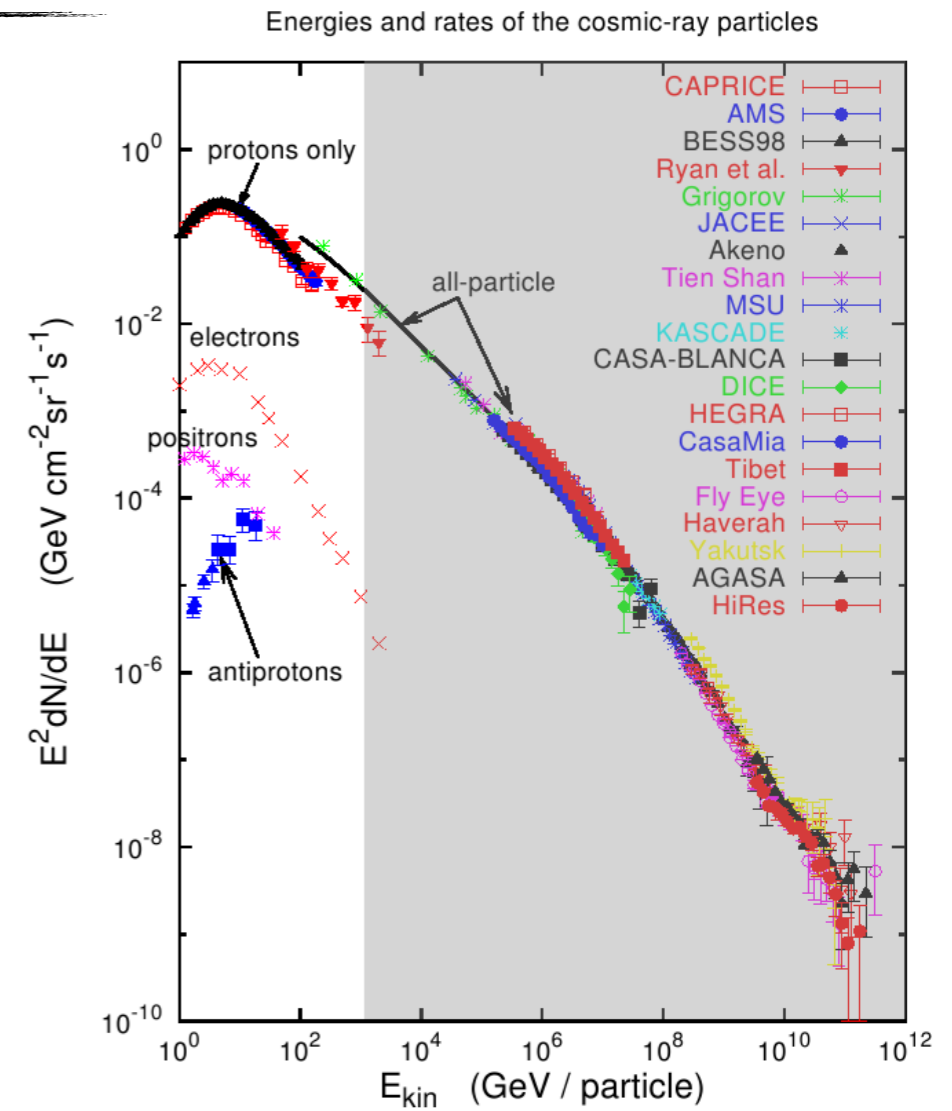
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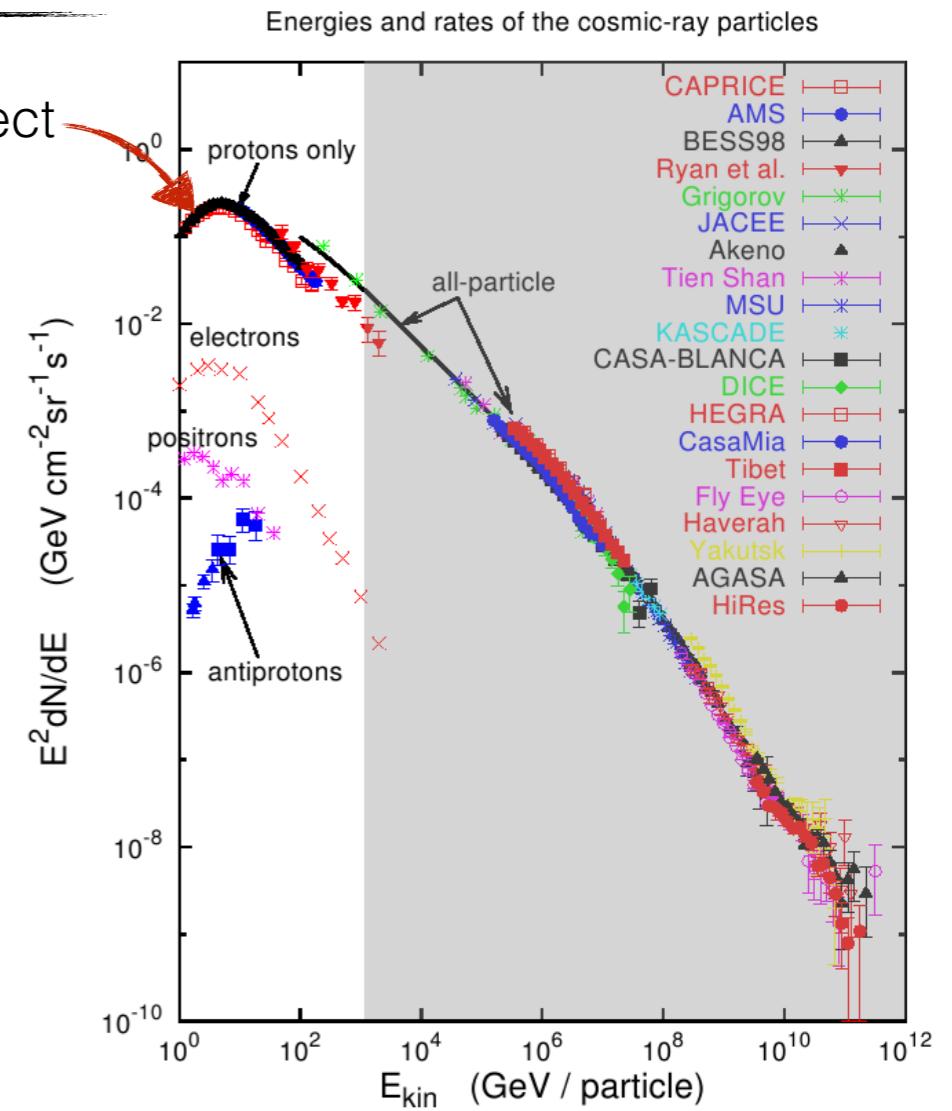




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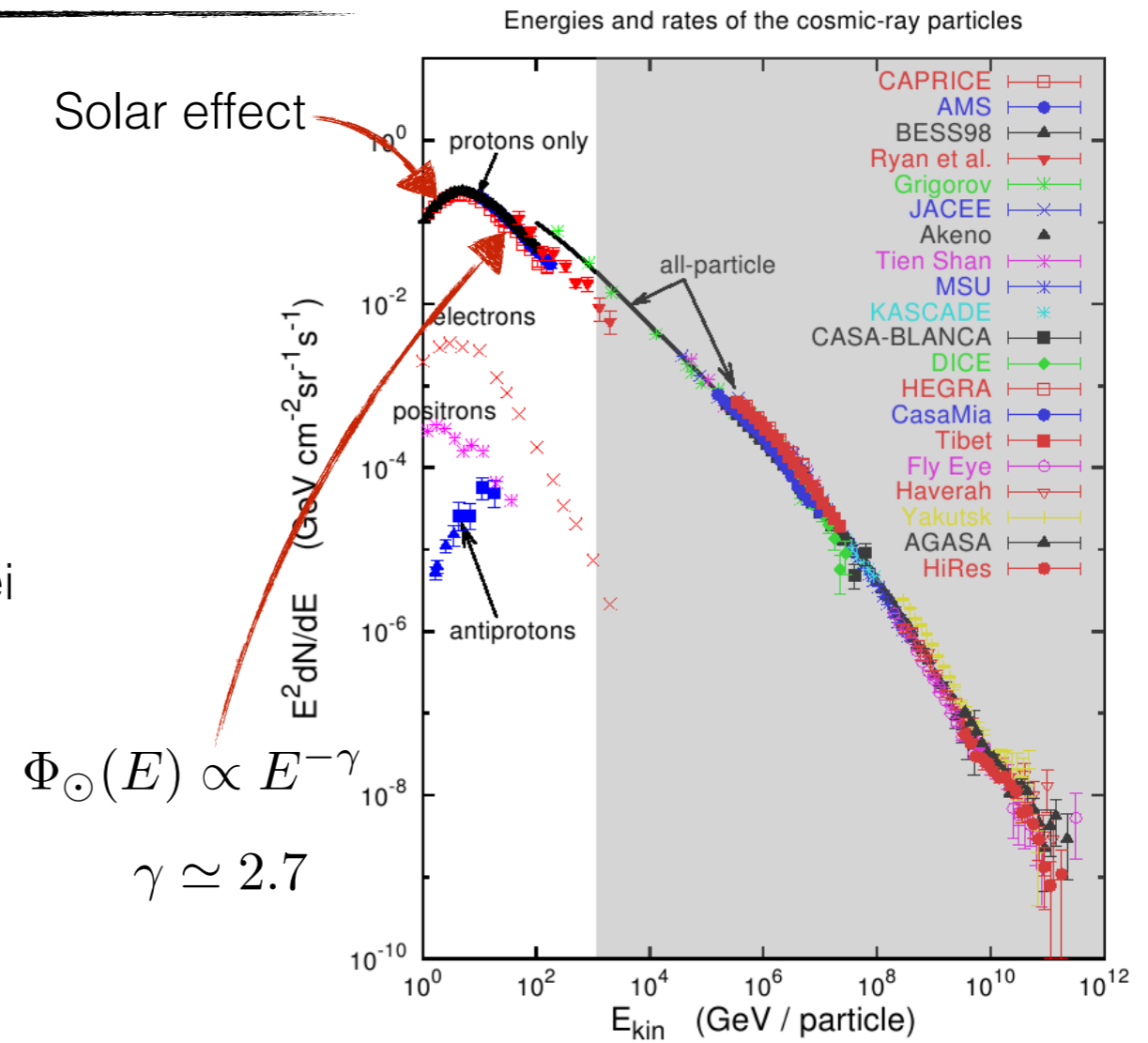
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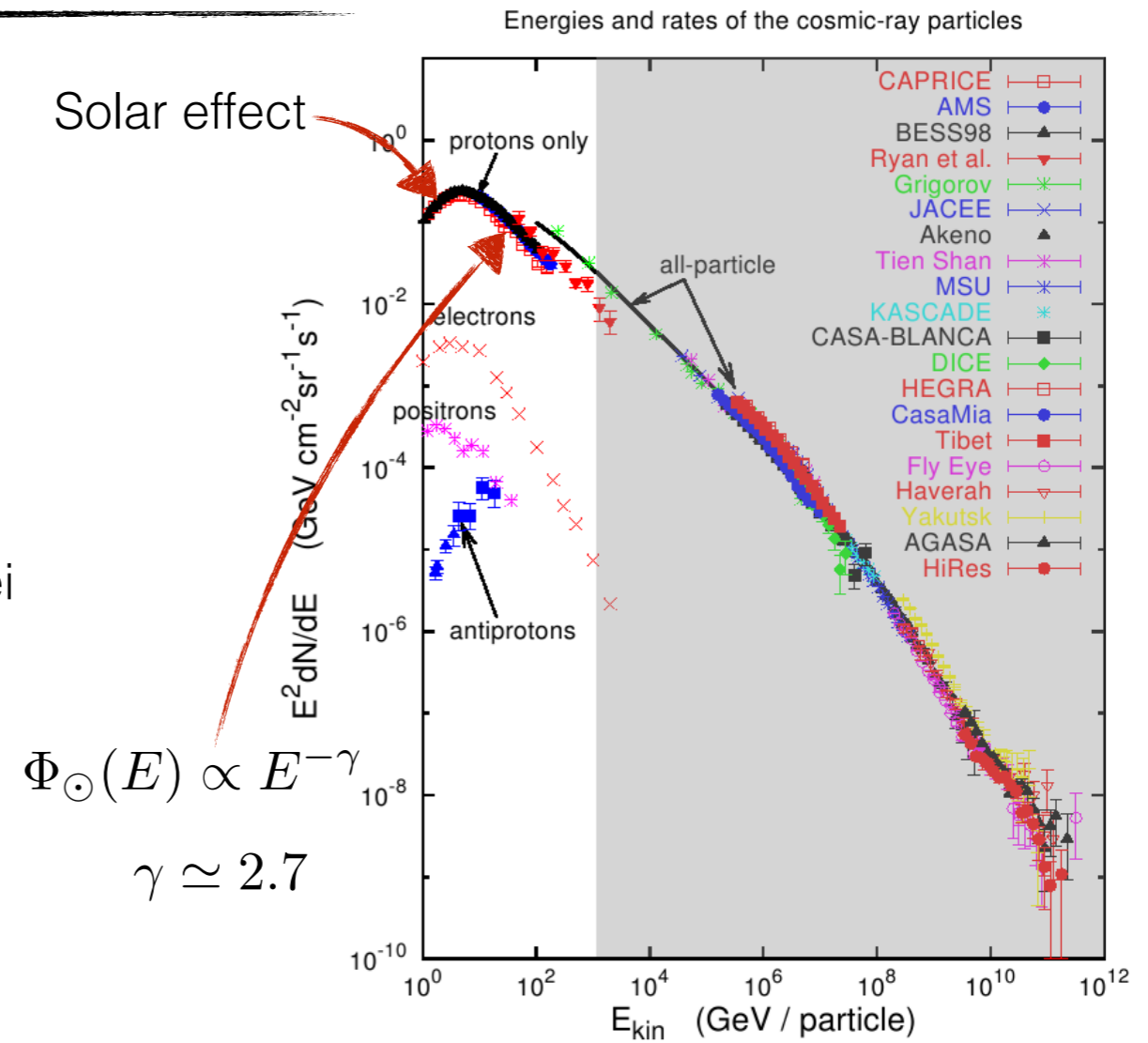




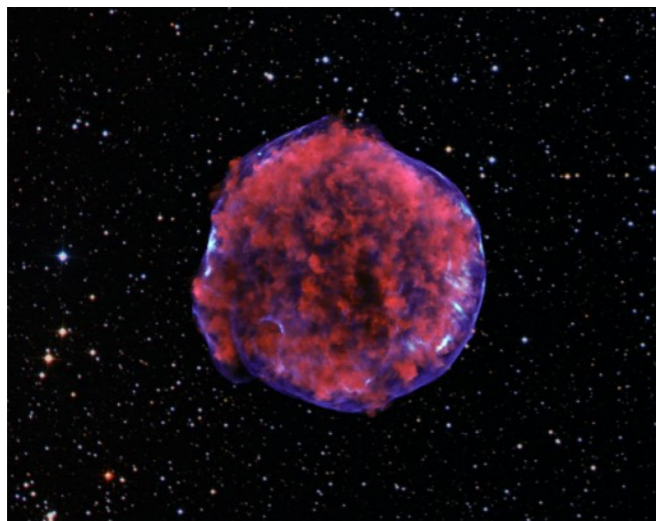


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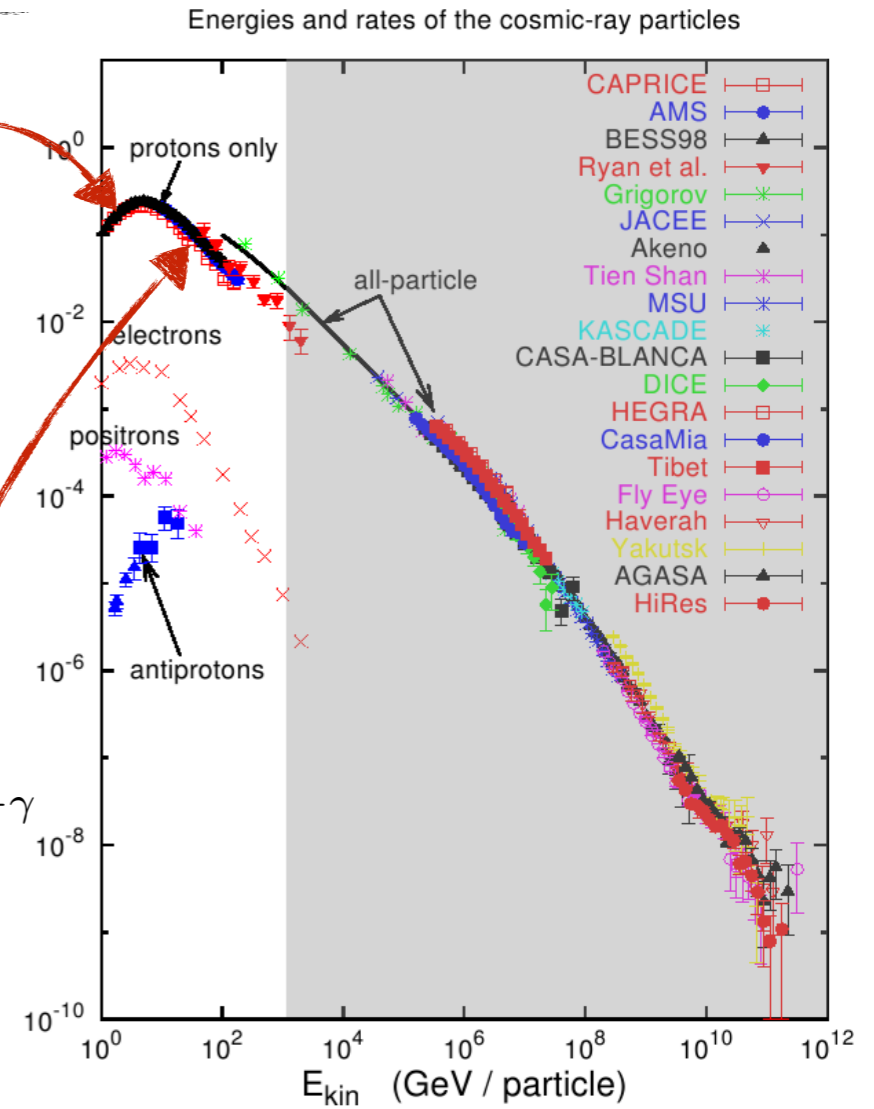
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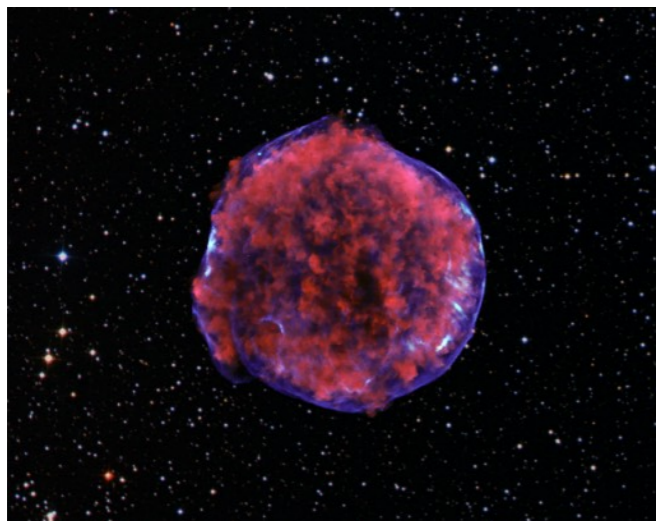
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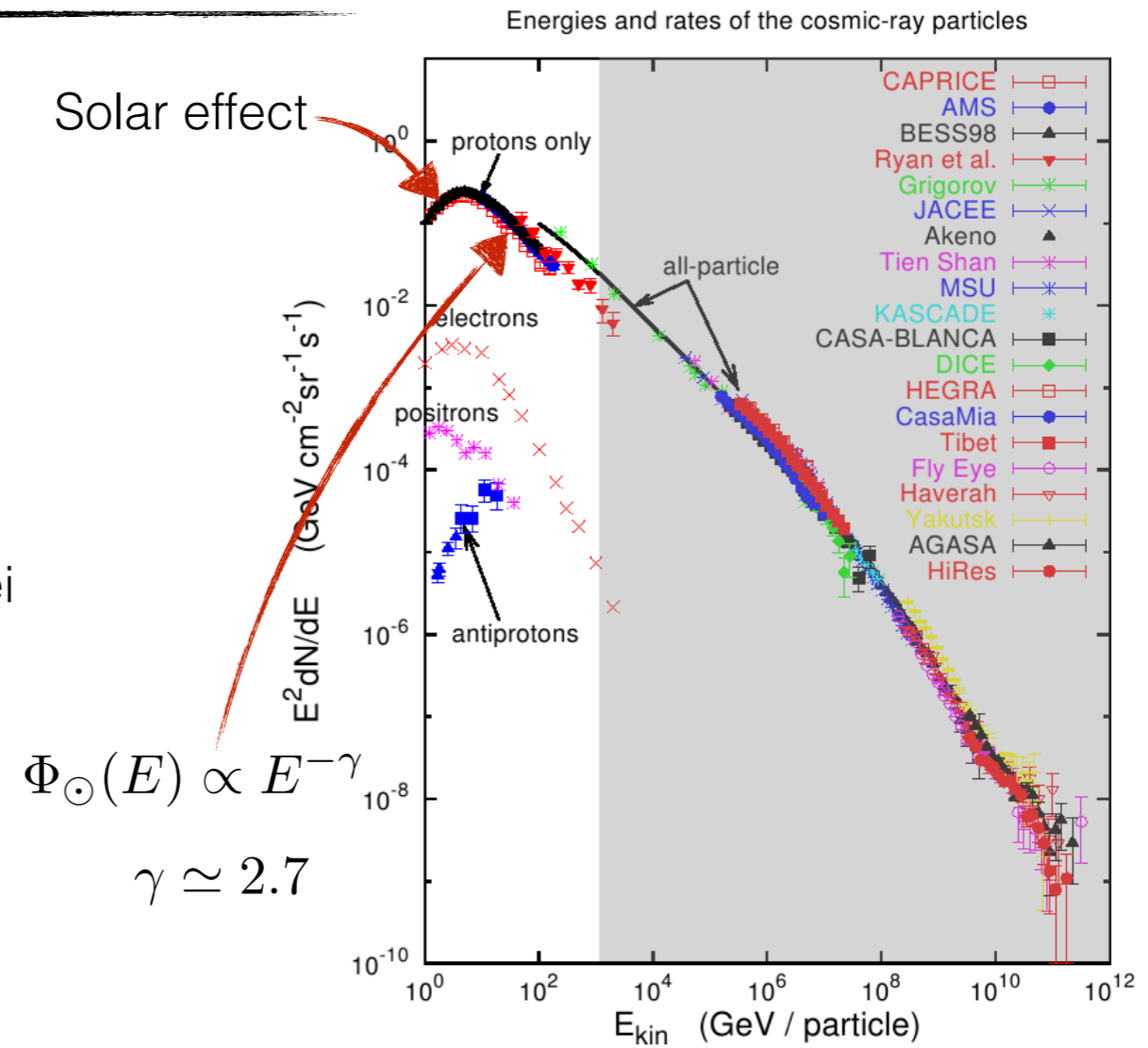
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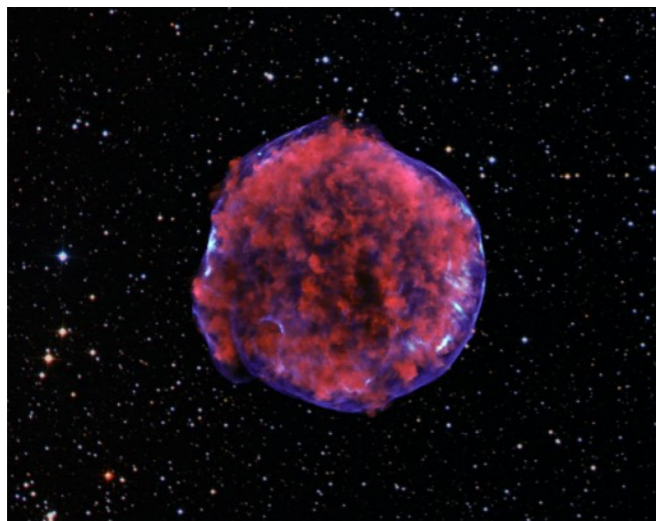


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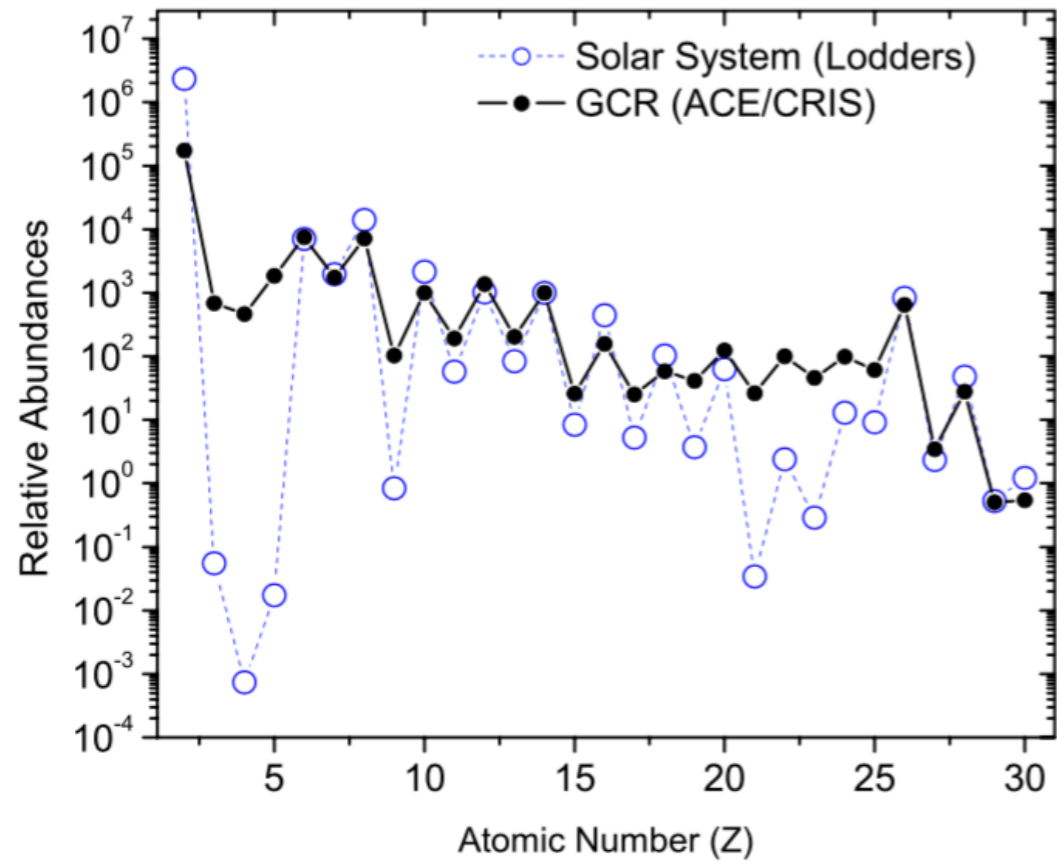
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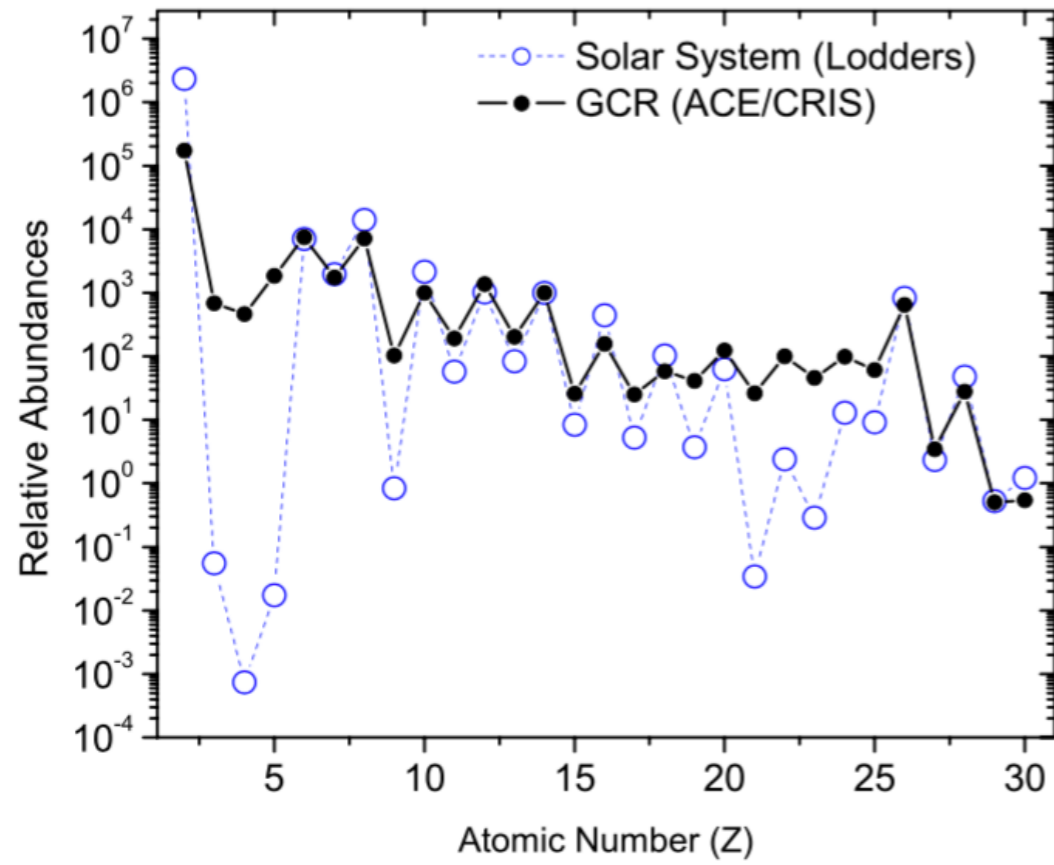
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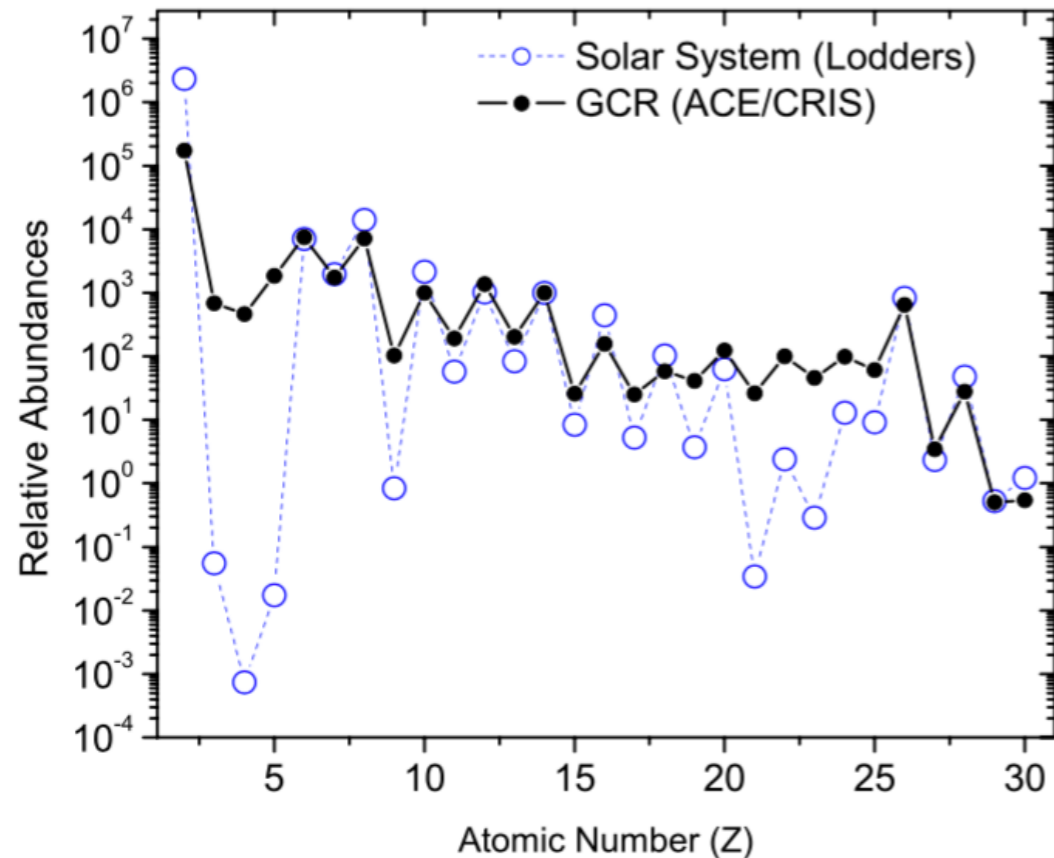


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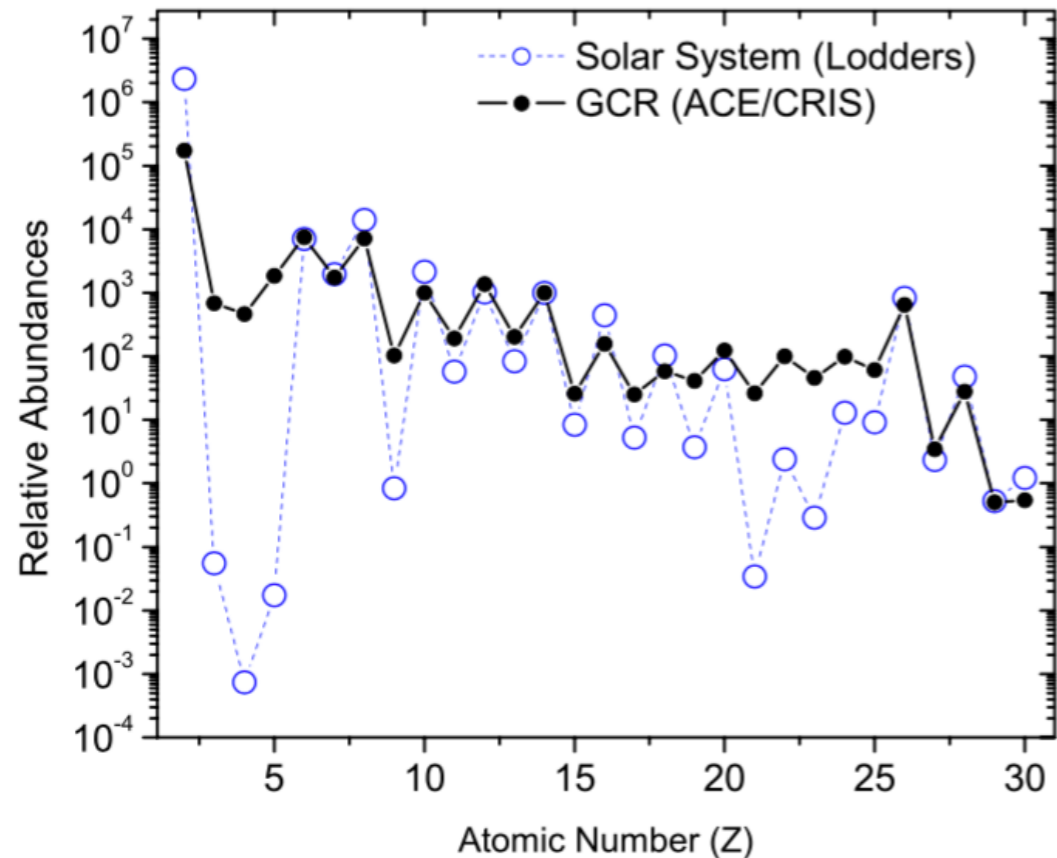
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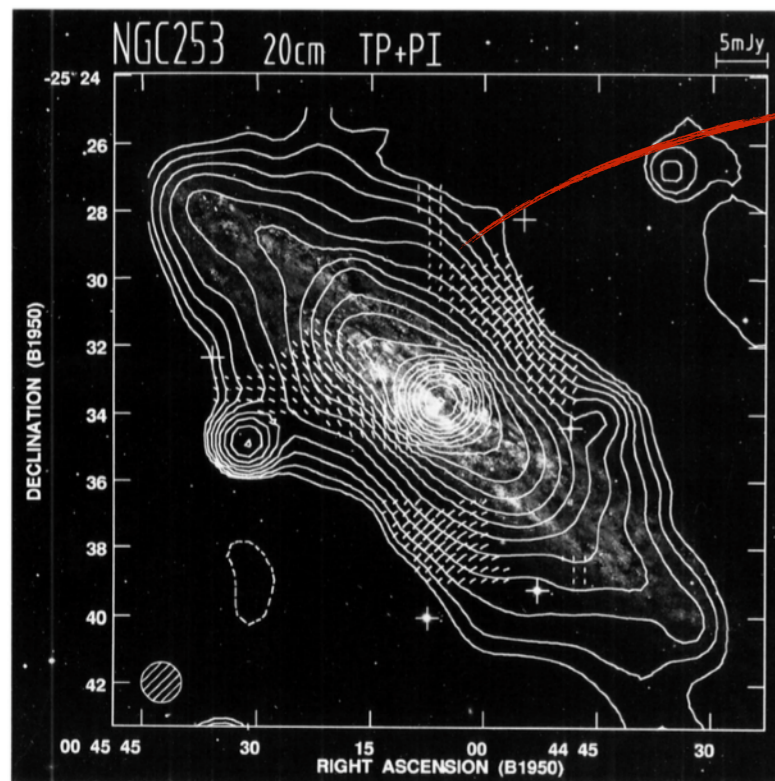


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Galaxy NGC-253

Synchrotron radio emission.

Cosmic ray electrons propagate in a spread out region around of the galactic disc.

The galactic disc is embedded in a magnetic halo with the height  $L \sim \text{kpc}$ .

The magnetic field explains why CRs are confined in the magnetic halo during Myrs.

SNR



primaries



secondaries





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$p, \text{He}, \text{C}, \text{O}, e^-, \dots$



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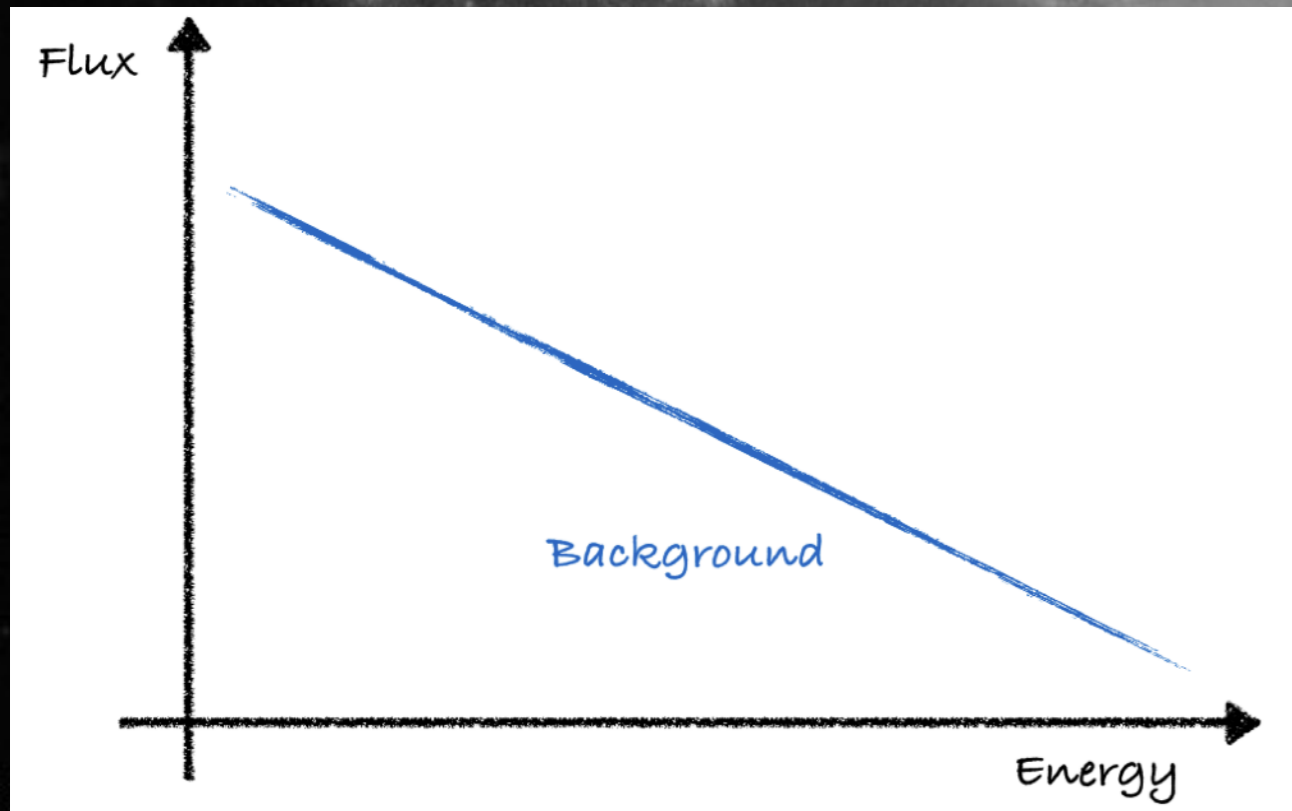


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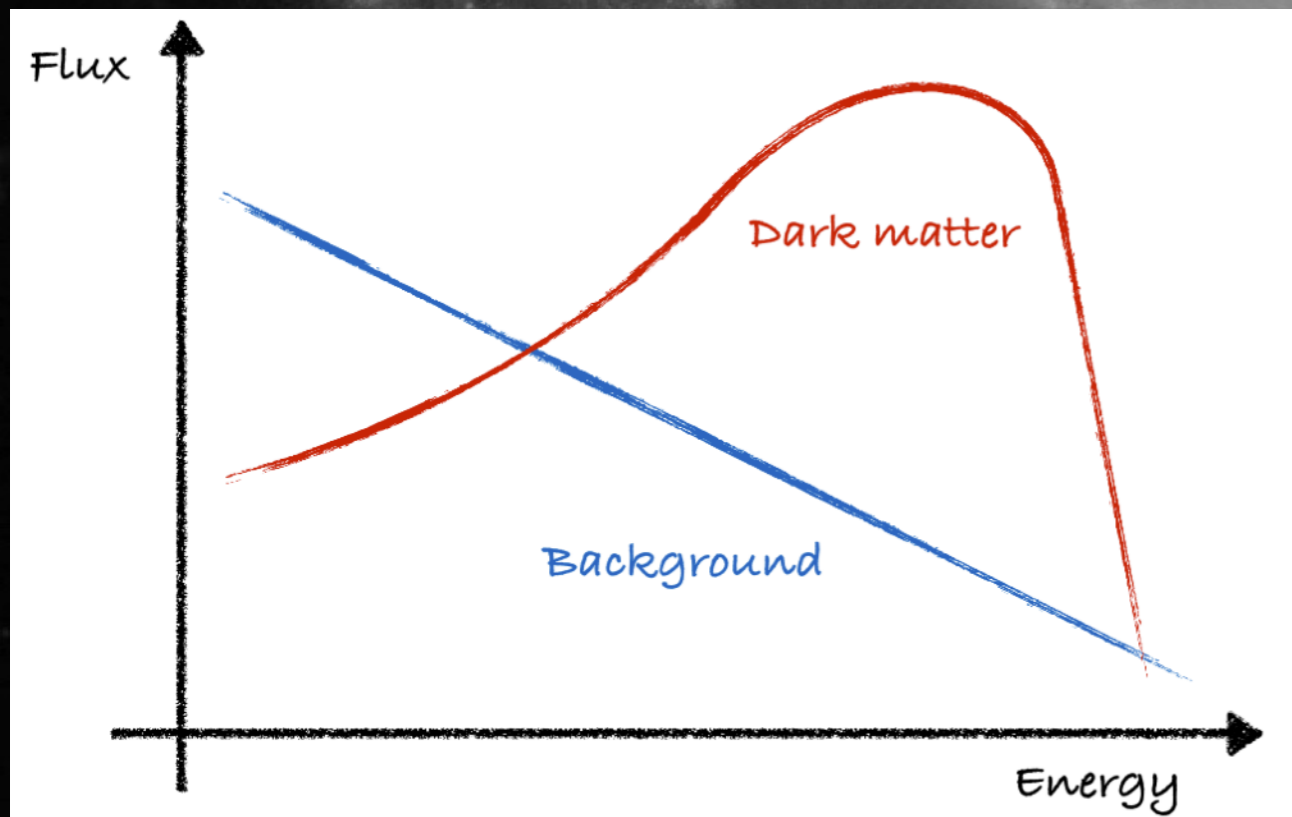
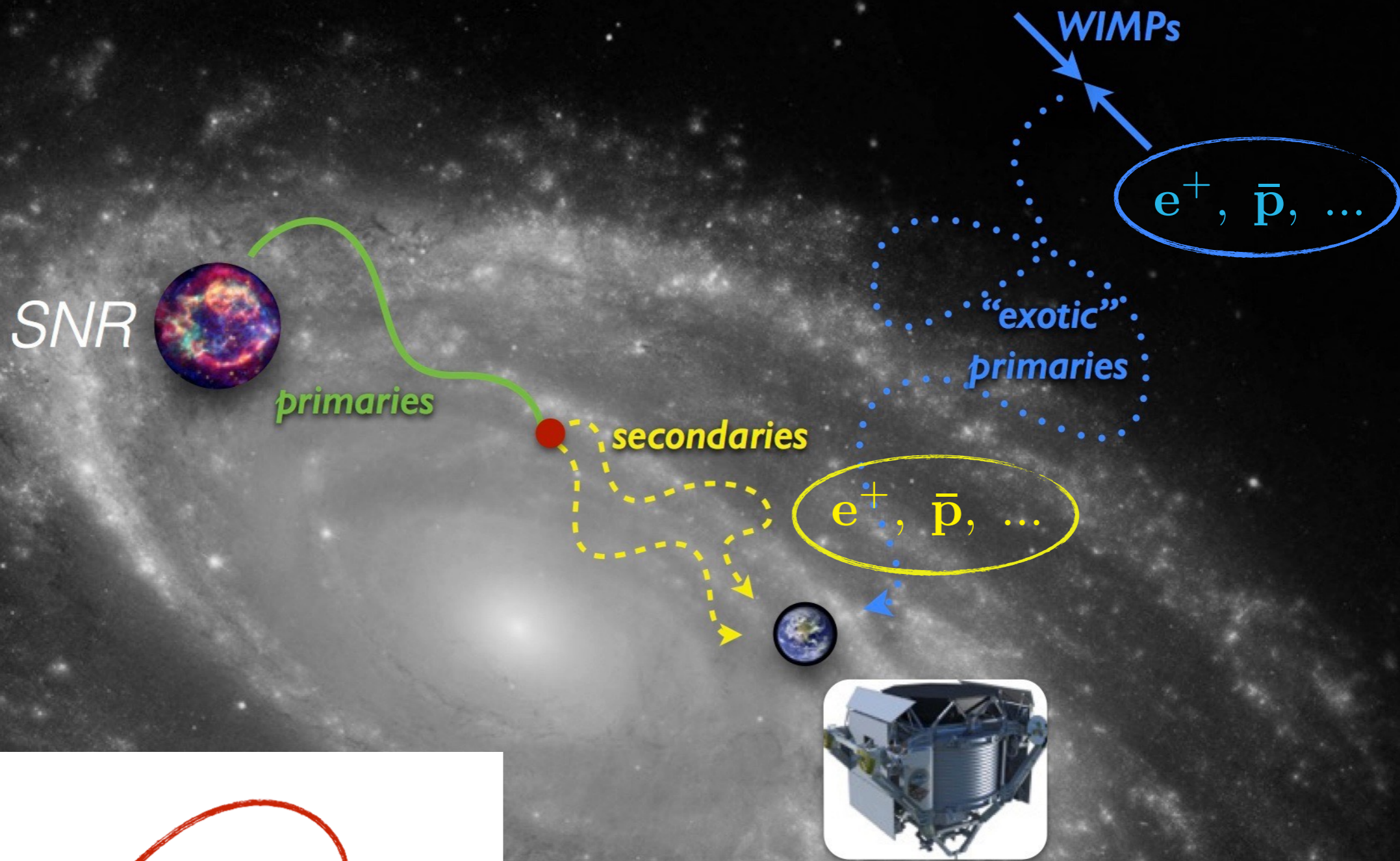


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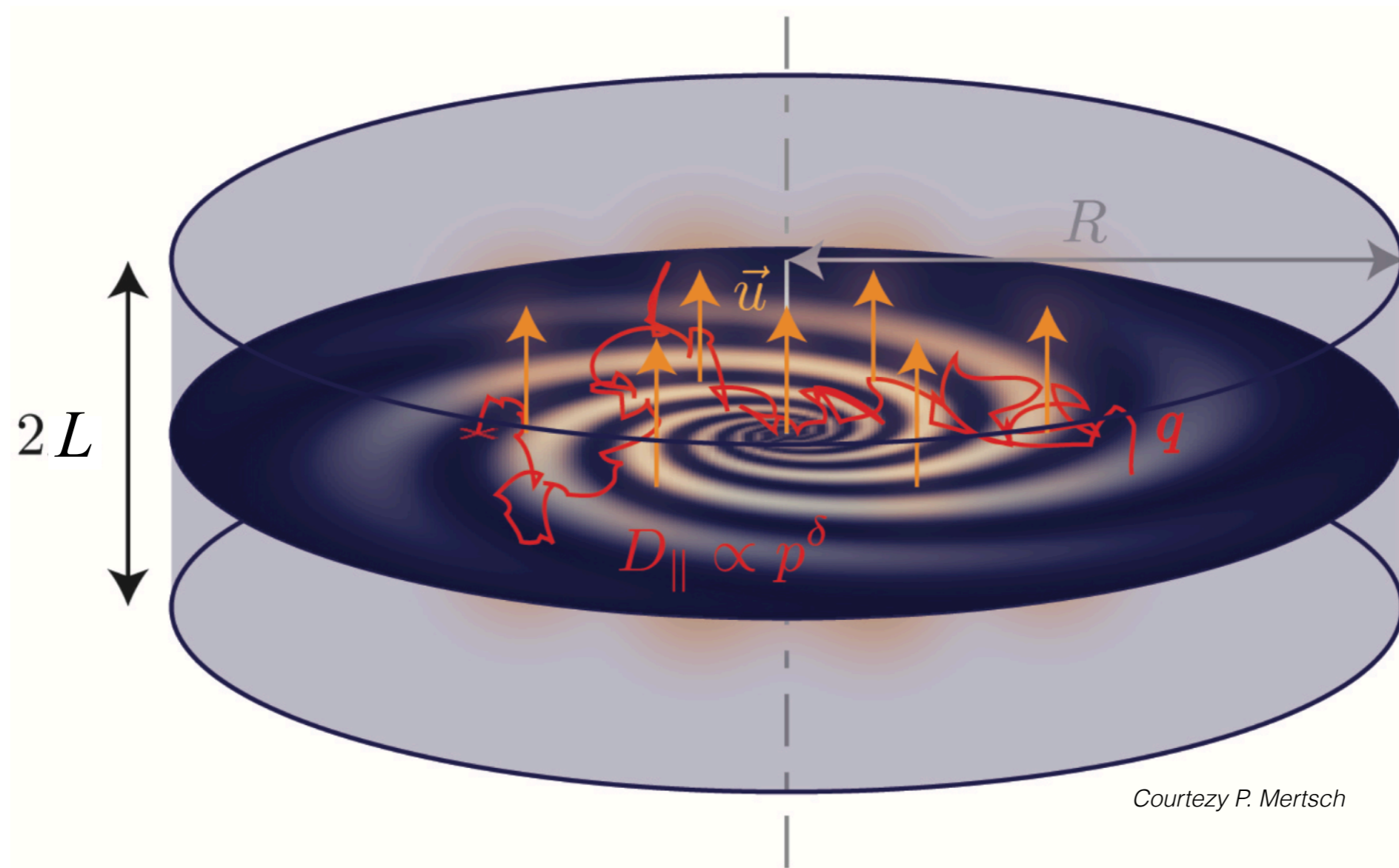
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## The two-zone diffusion model



**The galactic disc** -  $R \sim 20 \text{ kpc}$ ,  $h \sim 100 \text{ pc}$

Contains the gas, the stars and the dust of the Galaxy. Distributed in the spiral arms.  
Cosmic rays are accelerated in the galactic disc.

**The magnetic halo** -  $R \sim 20 \text{ kpc}$ ,  $1 \lesssim L \lesssim 20 \text{ kpc}$

The diffusion zone of the model. Cosmic rays that escape the magnetic halo cannot go back.



## Interaction of cosmic rays

- **Space diffusion**

Diffusion on the turbulent component of the magnetic field.

$$K(E, \vec{x})$$

- **Convection**

Galactic wind due to supernovae explosions in the galactic disc.

$$\vec{V}_C(\vec{x})$$

- **Destruction**

- Interaction with the interstellar medium (ISM)
- Decay

$$Q^{sink}(E, \vec{x})$$

- **Energy losses**

- Interaction with the ISM (Coulomb, ionisation, bremsstrahlung, adiabatic expansion)  $b(E, \vec{x})$
- Synchrotron emission, inverse Compton scattering (electrons)

- **Diffusive reacceleration**

Second order Fermi mechanism. Diffusion in momentum space.  
Depends on the velocity of the Alfvén waves  $V_A$ .

$$D(E, \vec{x}) = \frac{2}{9} V_A^2 \frac{E^2 \beta^4}{K(E, \vec{x})}$$

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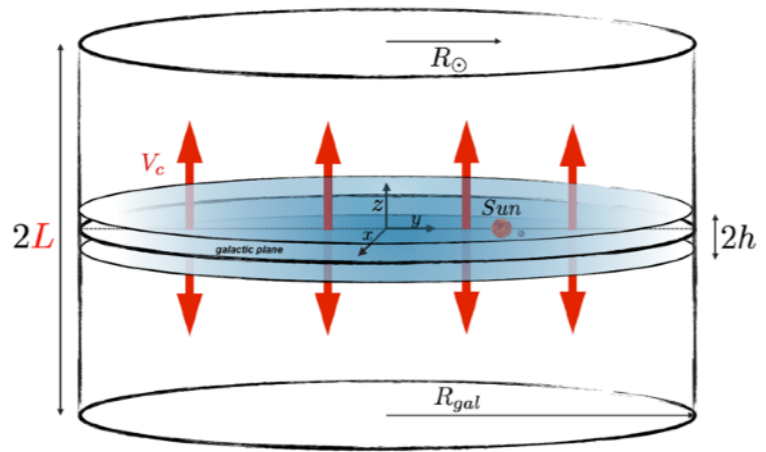
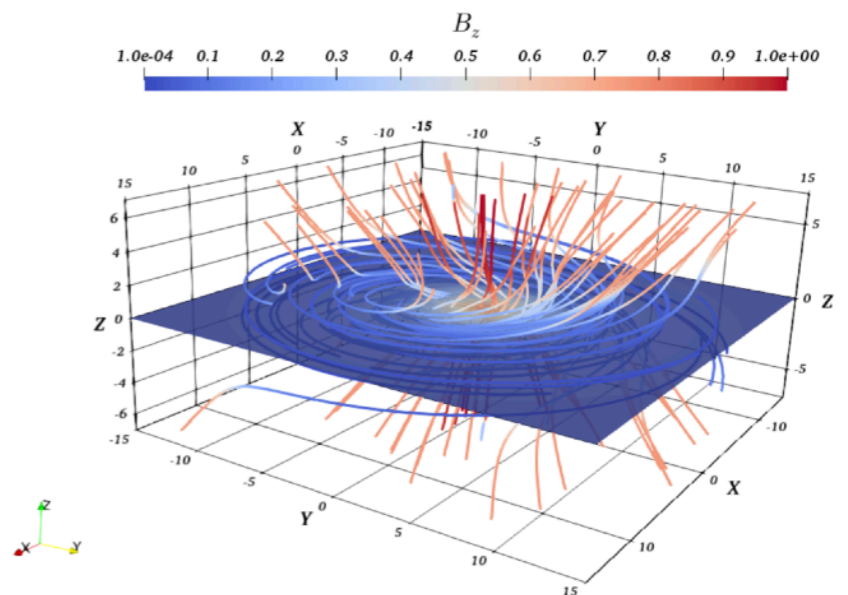
- Acceleration in supernova remnants (SNRs)
- Pulsar wind nebulae (PWNe)
- Spallation of primary CRs
- Decay of primary CRs
- *Dark matter?*

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## Solving the transport equation

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<b>Pros</b>	<p><i>Useful to understand the physics</i> <i>Fast-running time (extensive scans)</i></p>	<p><i>Structure of the Galaxy</i> <i>Any new input easily included</i></p>
<b>Cons</b>	<p><i>Only solve approximate model</i></p>	<p><i>Slow-running time</i></p>
<b>Codes</b>	<p><i>USINE, PPC4DMID, <b>my code</b>, etc.</i></p>	<p><i>GALPROP, DRAGON, PICARD, etc.</i></p>

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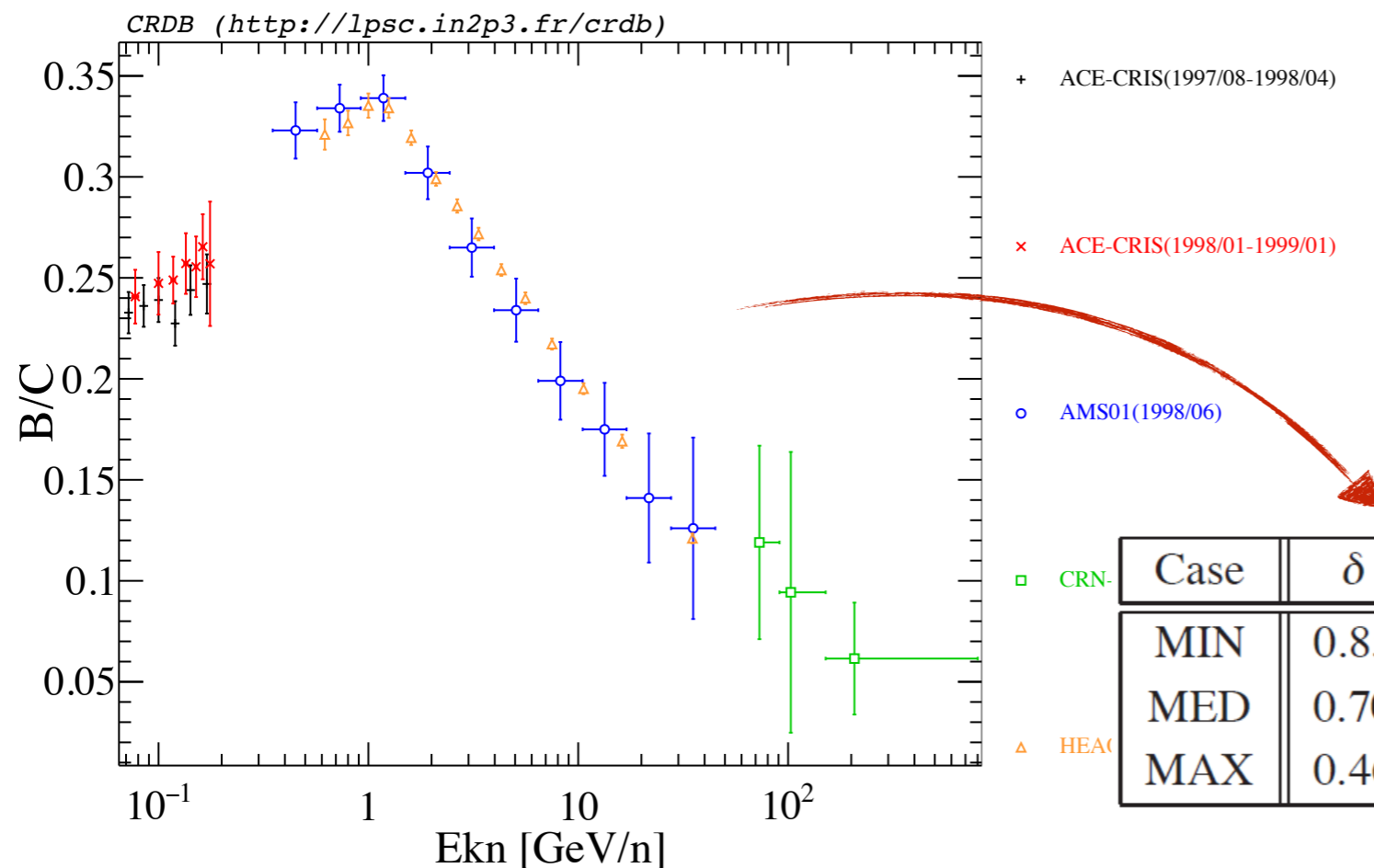
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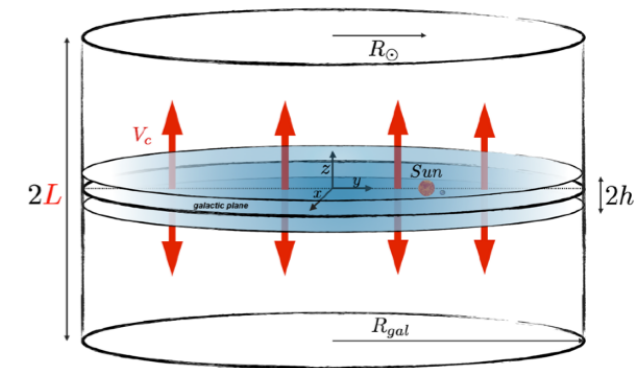
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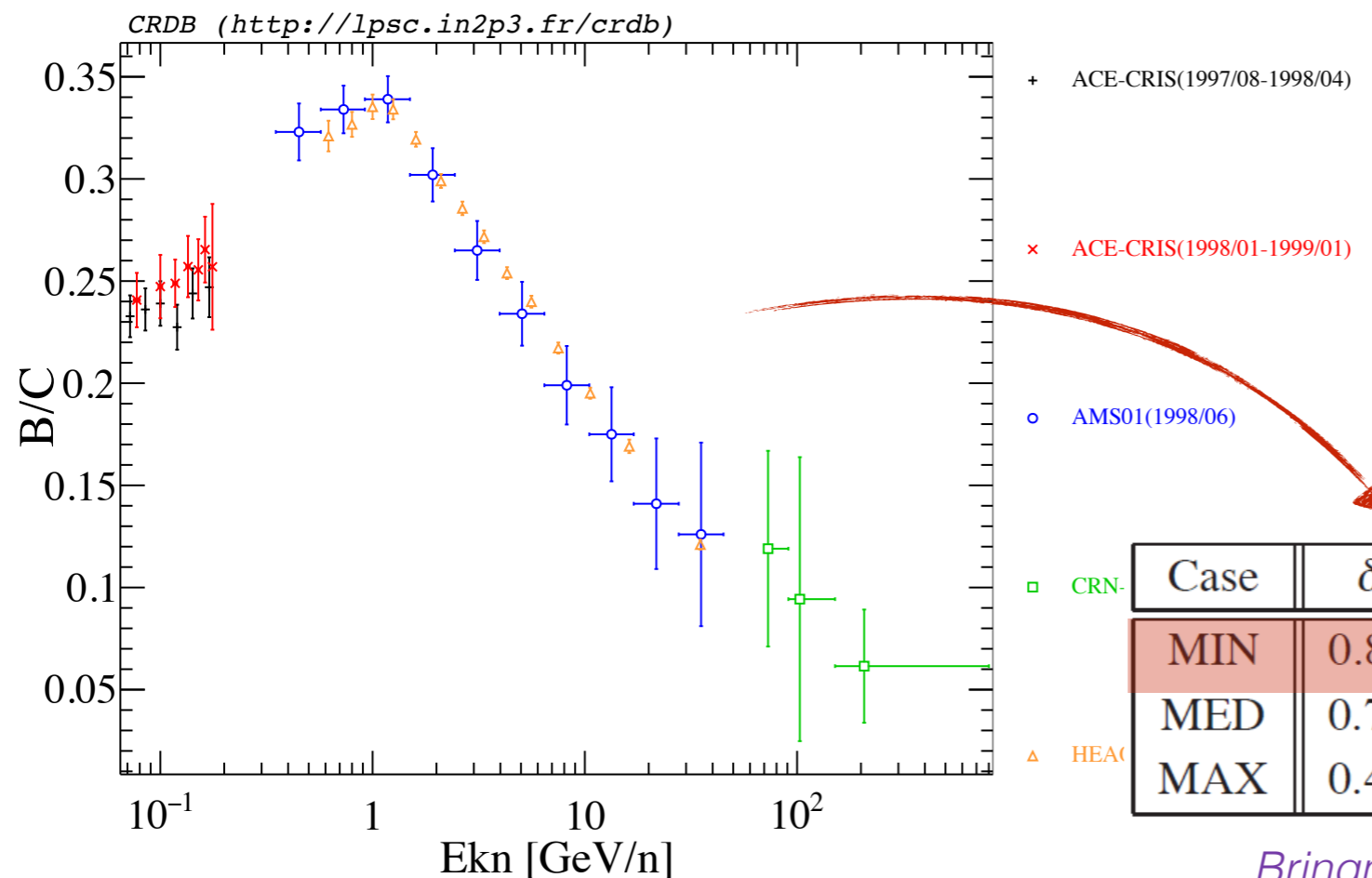
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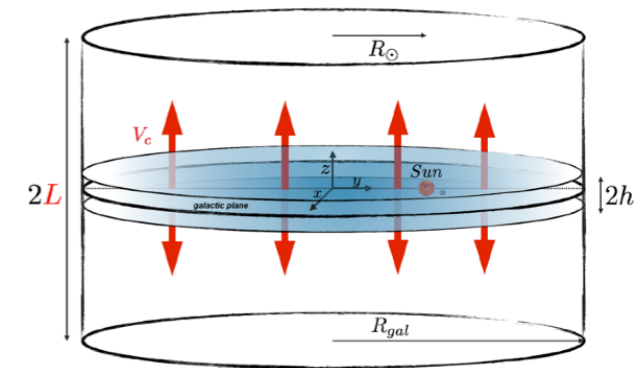
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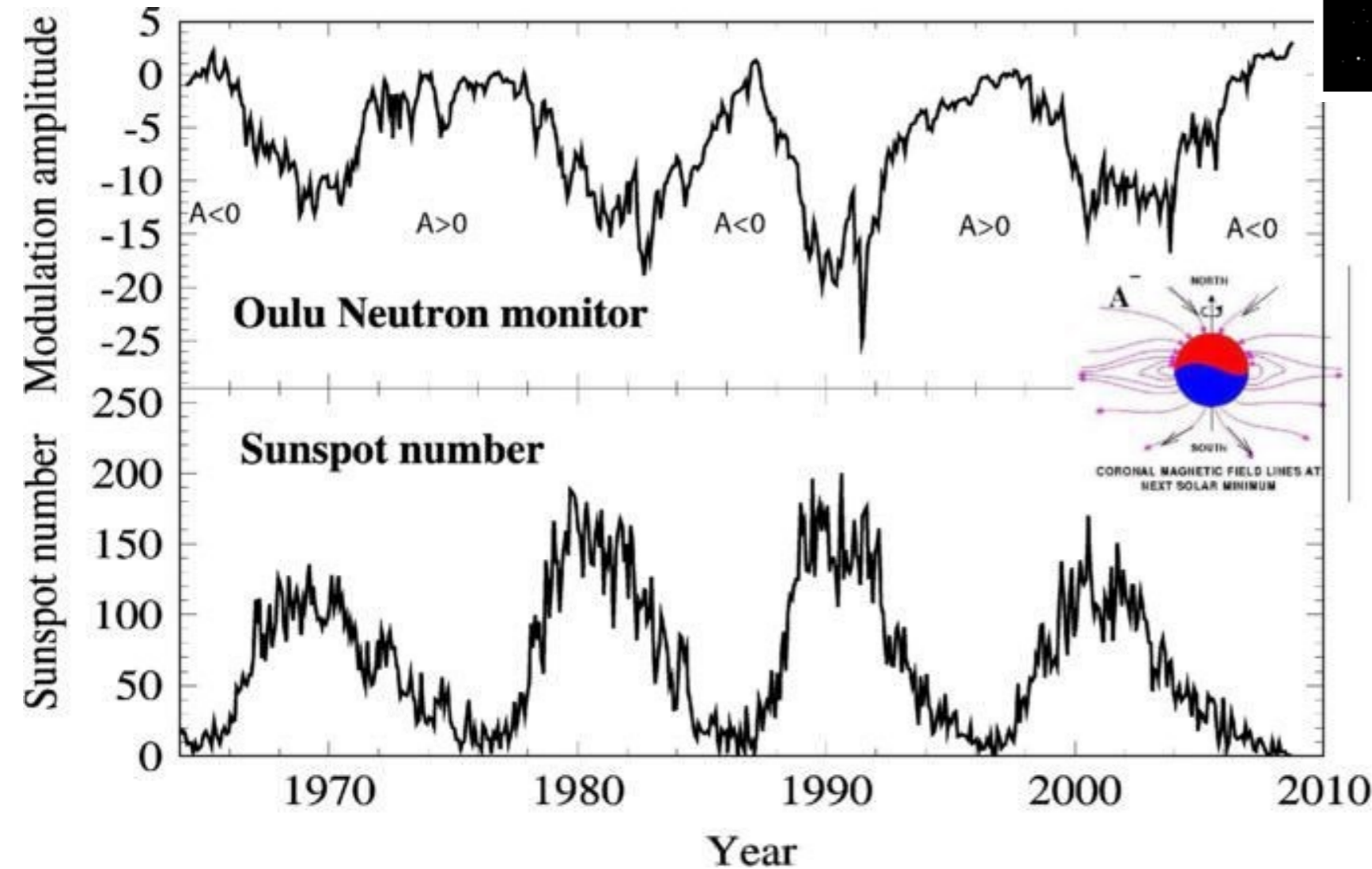
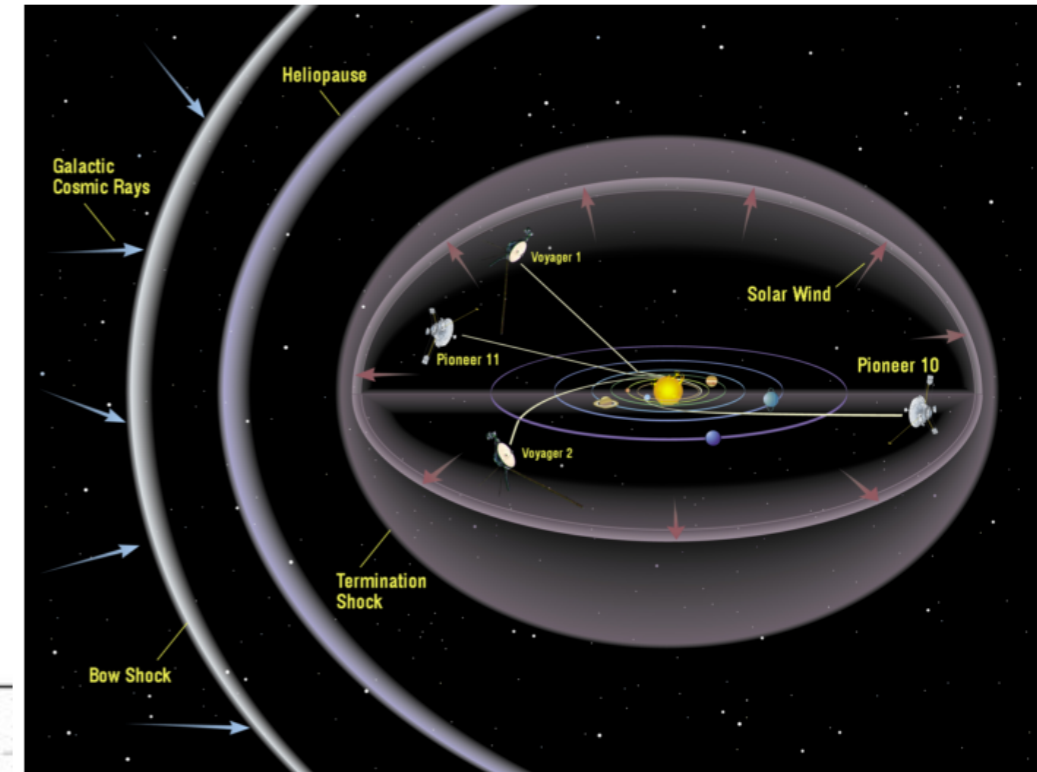
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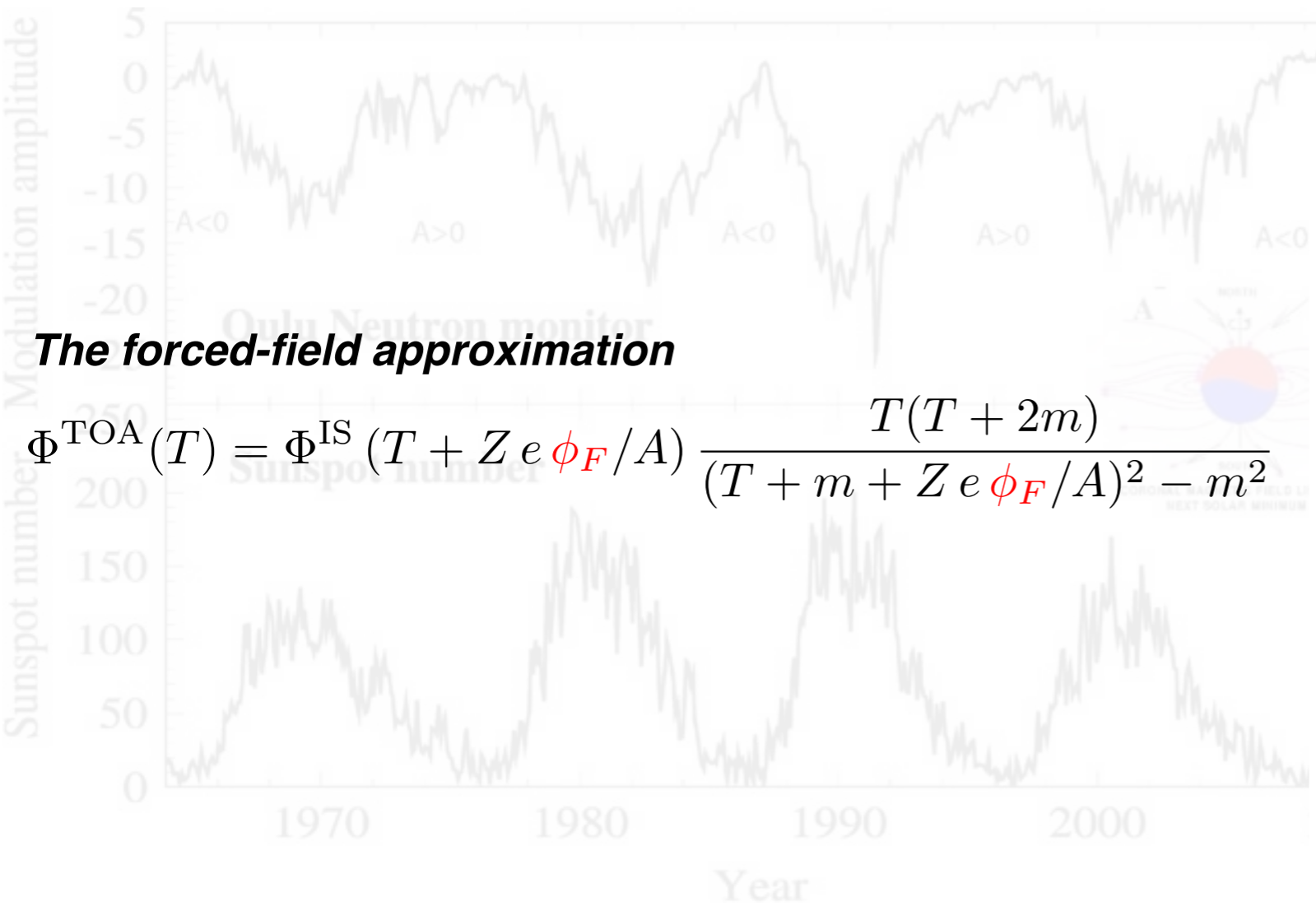
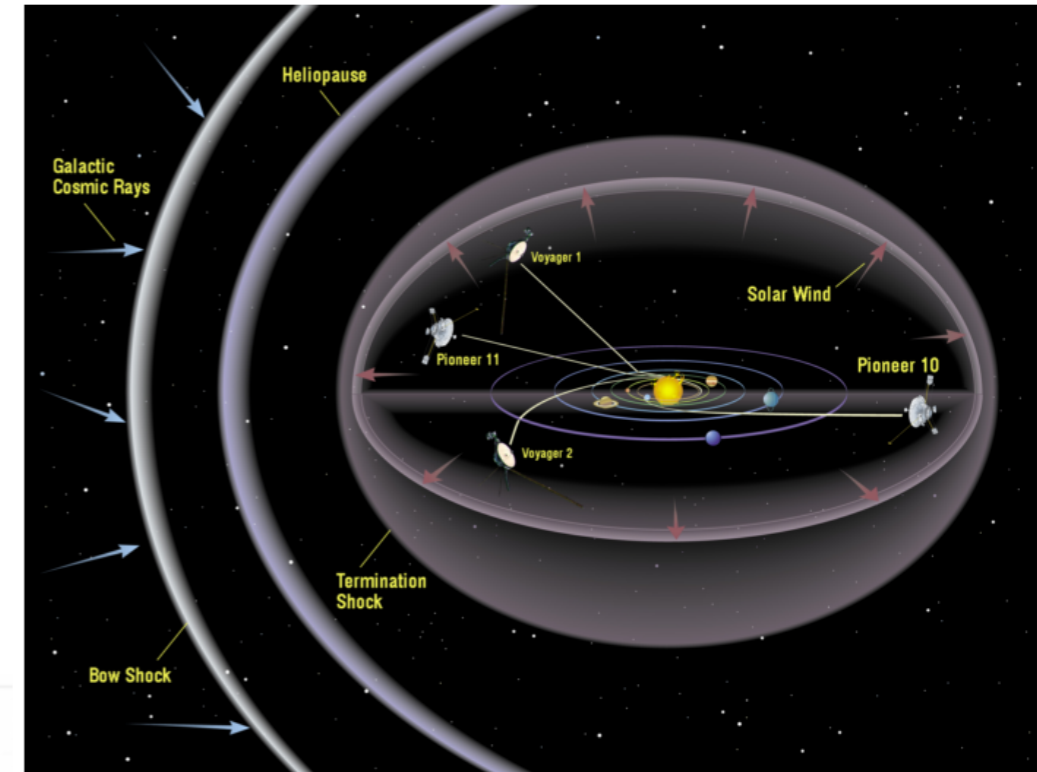


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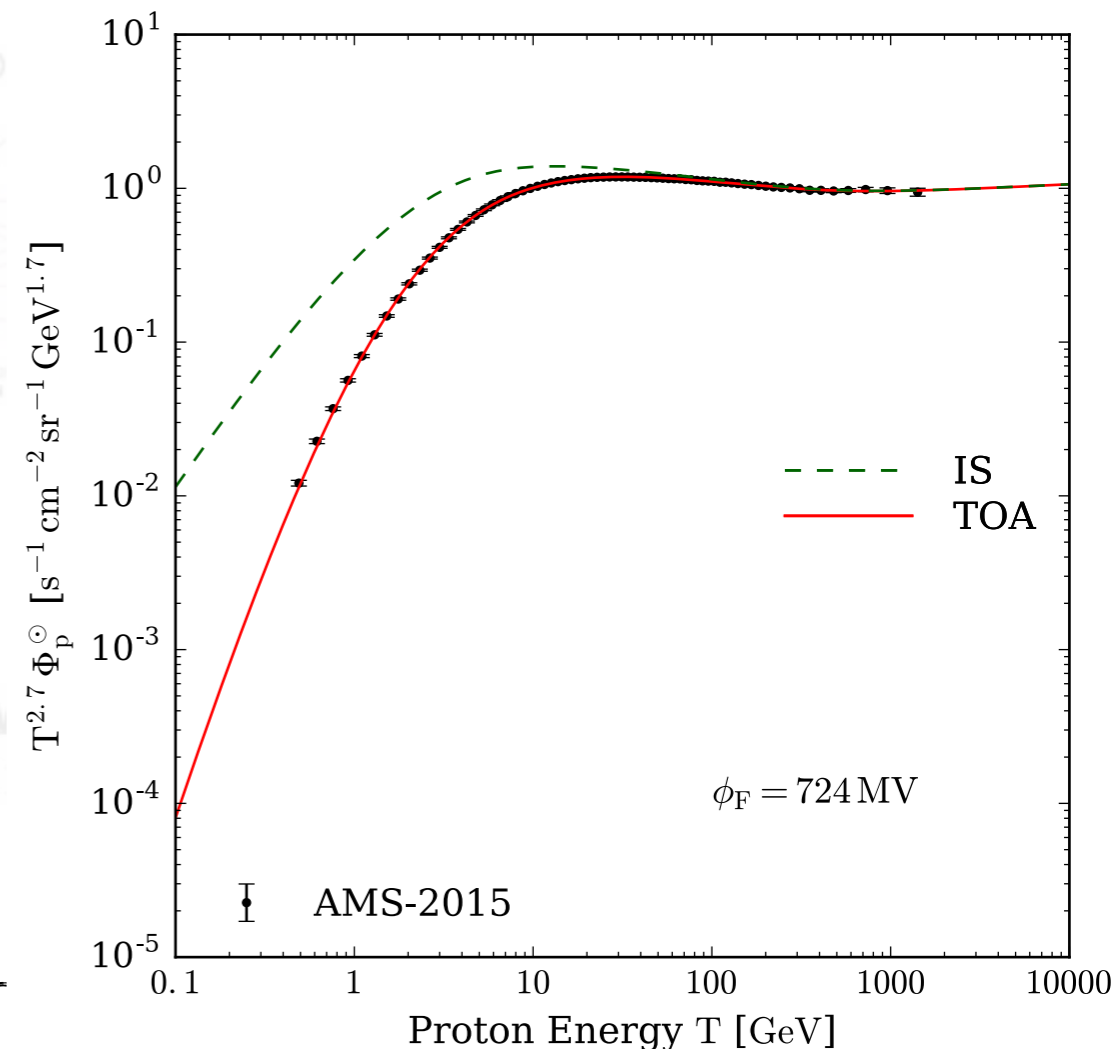
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### The forced-field approximation

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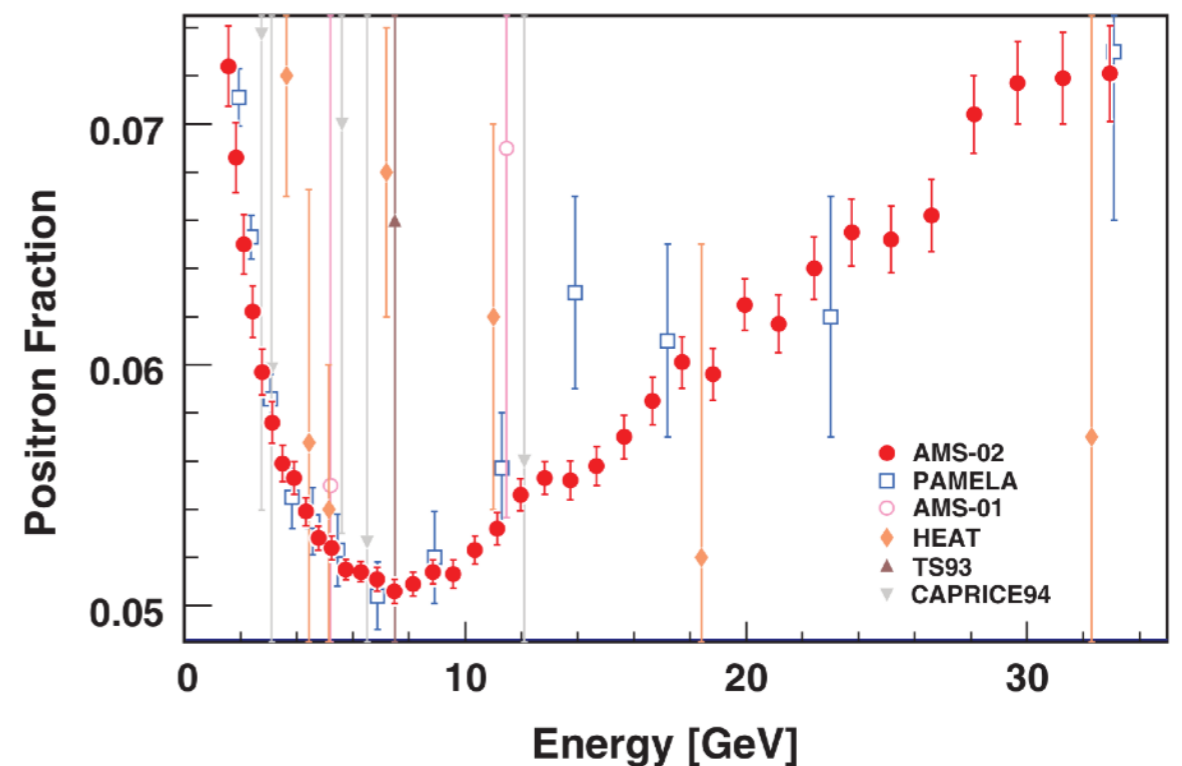
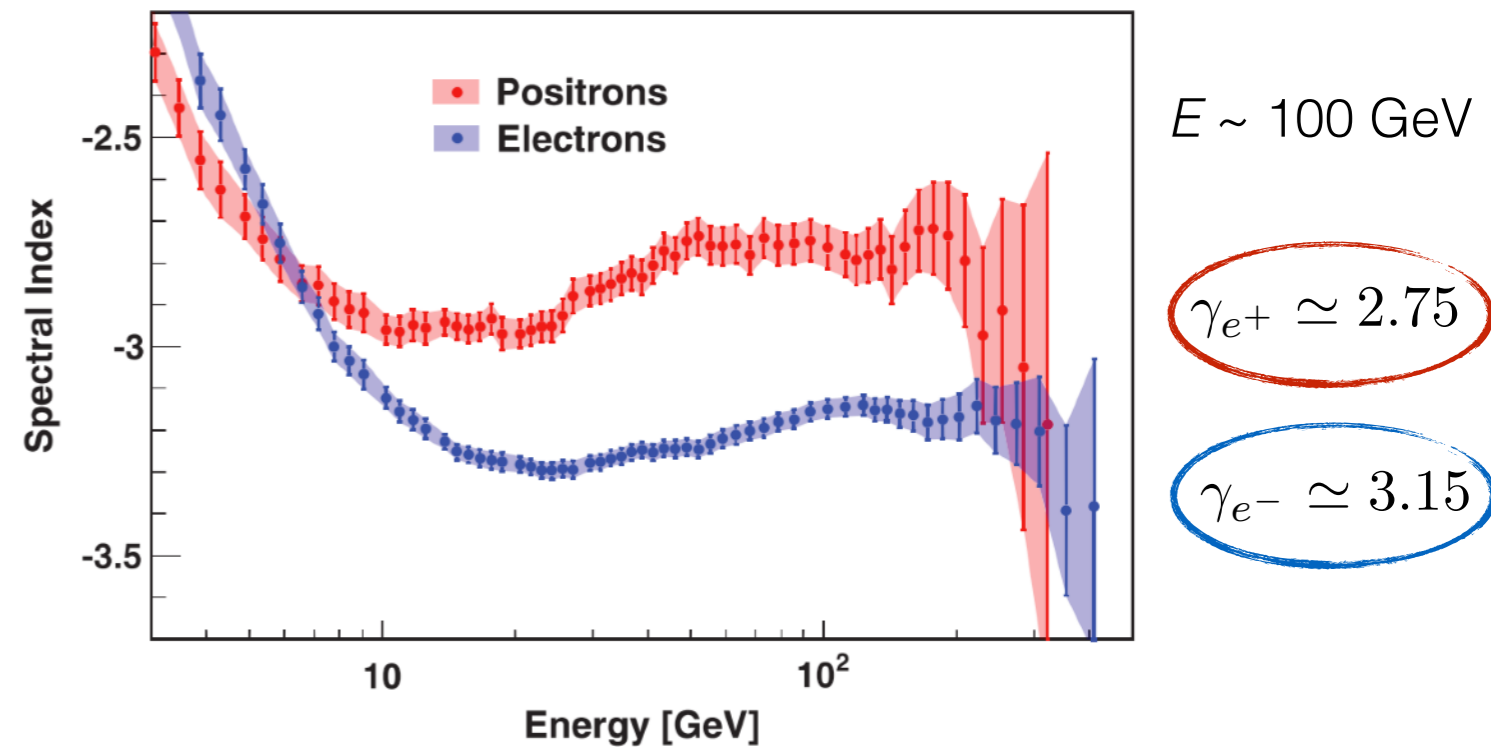
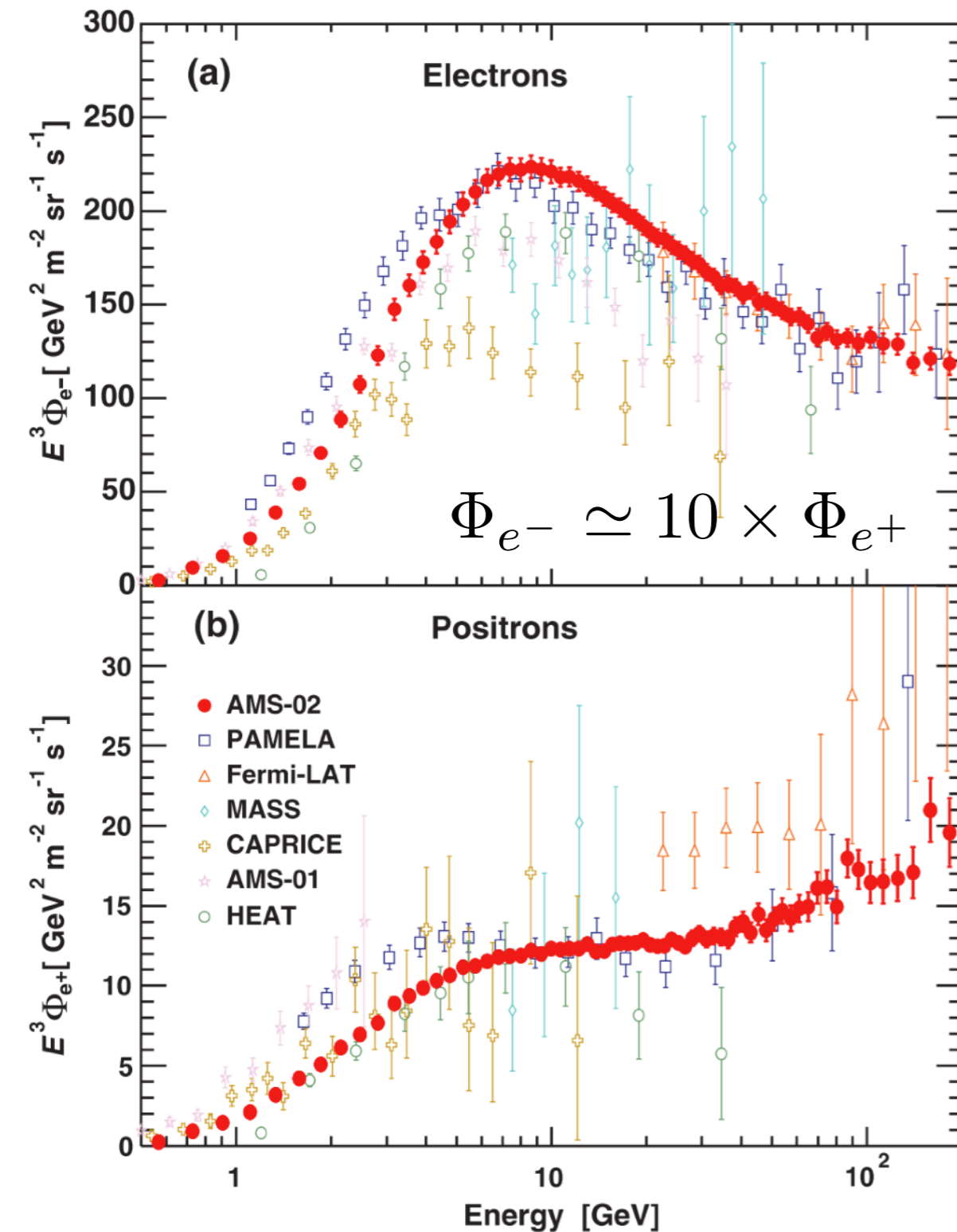
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## Positrons flux and positron fraction

AMS-02 collaboration published the fluxes of electrons, positrons and the positron fraction from  $\sim 0.5$  GeV up to  $\sim 500$  GeV with an unprecedented high accuracy.

$$PF = \frac{\Phi_{e^+}}{\Phi_{e^-+e^+}}$$

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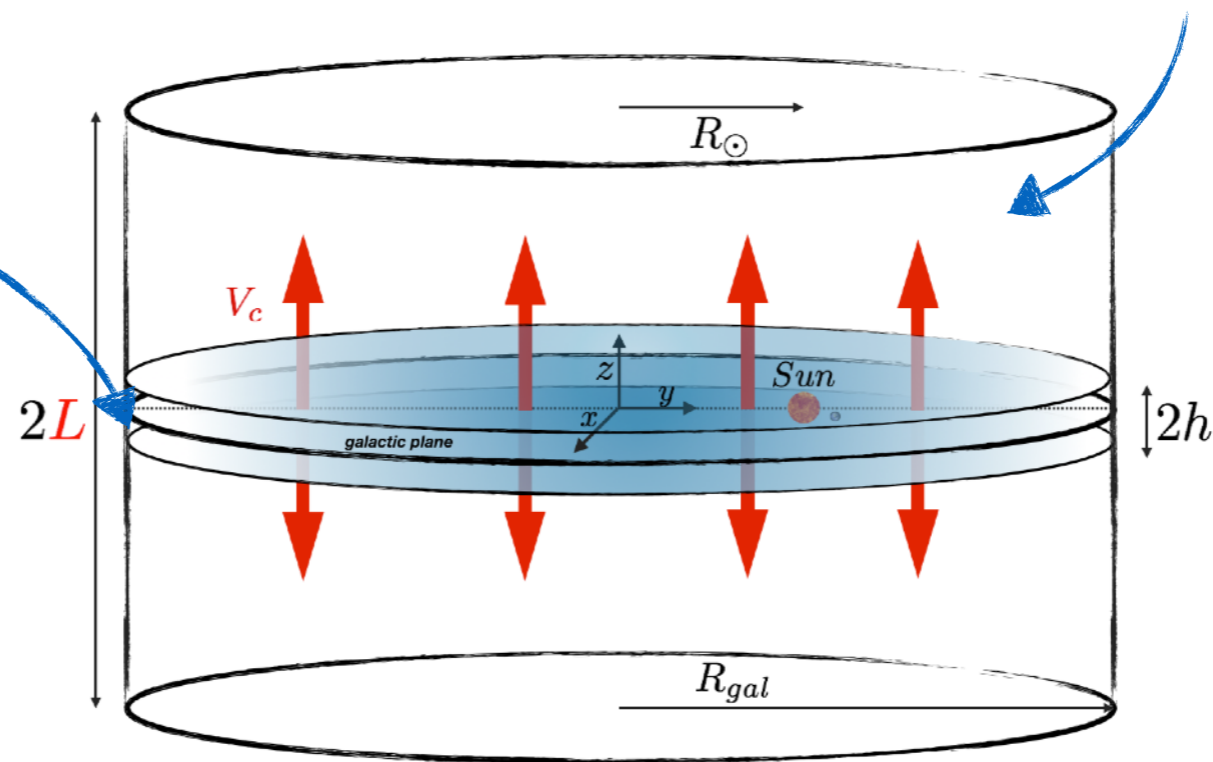
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**We cannot solve analytically the transport equation when energy losses processes take place in different places in the Galaxy.**

We need a **numerical** algorithm to solve the transport equation (GALPROP, DRAGON, PICARD, etc.)

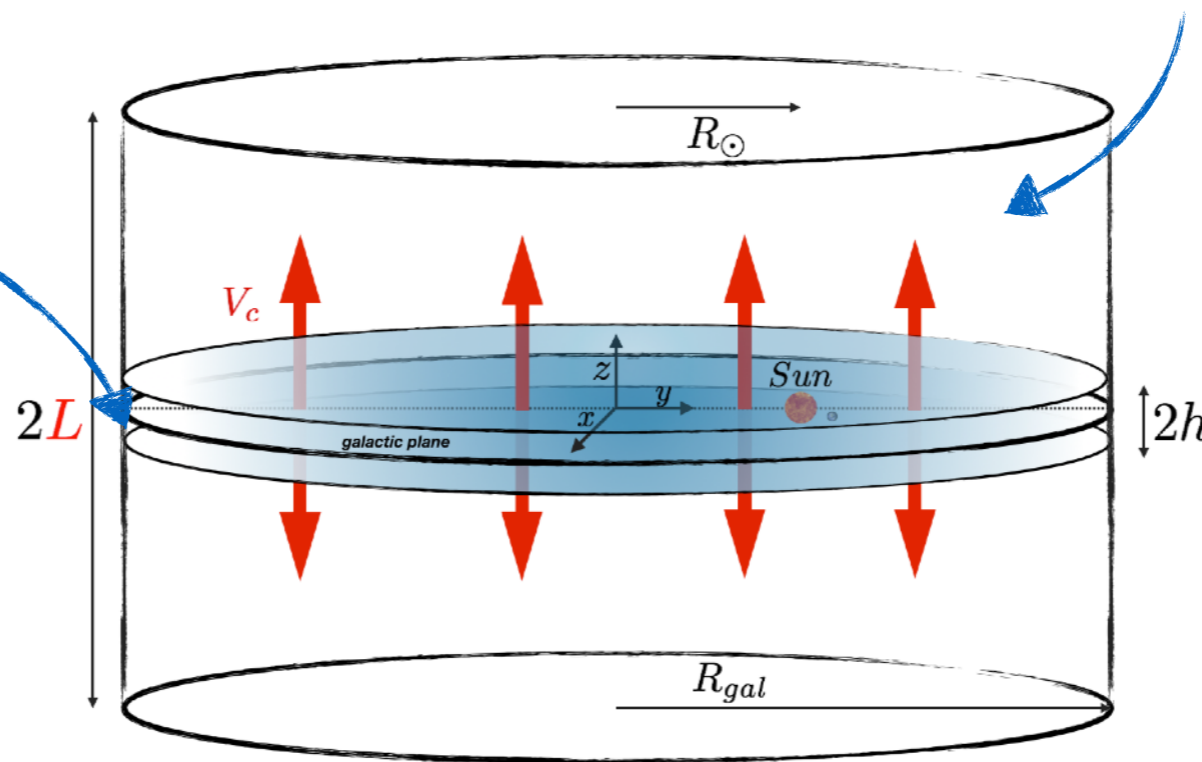
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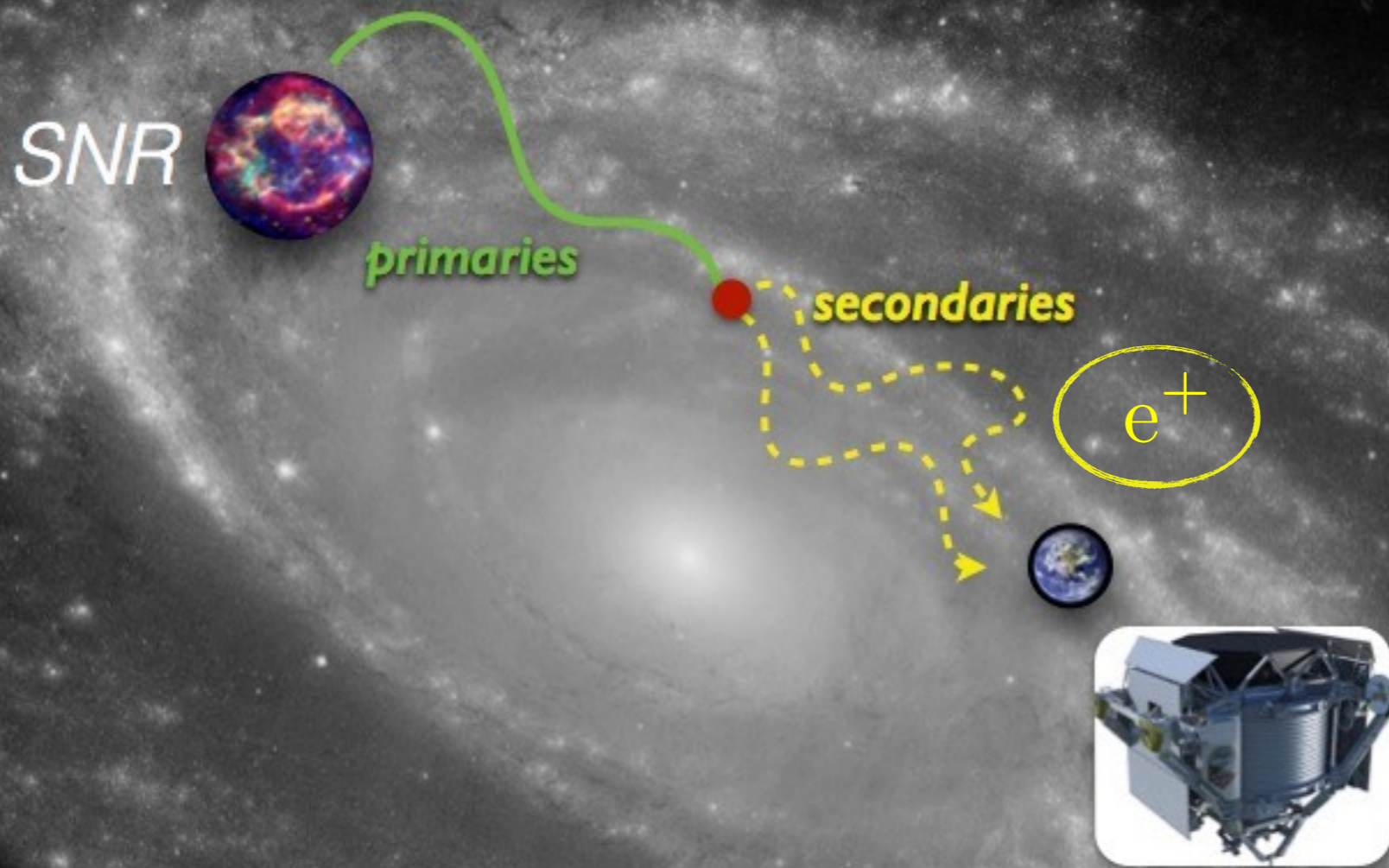
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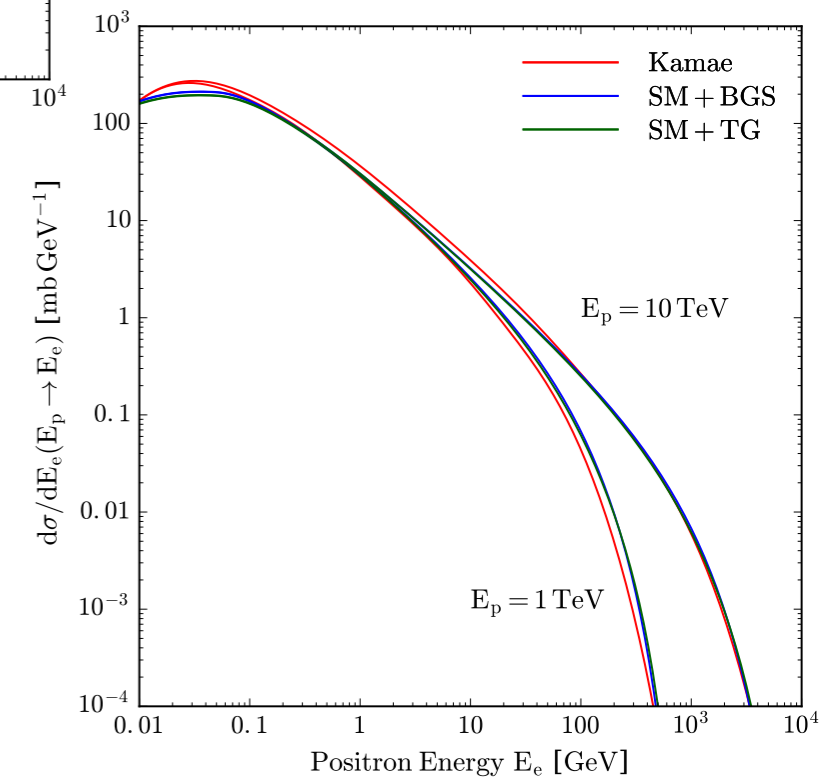
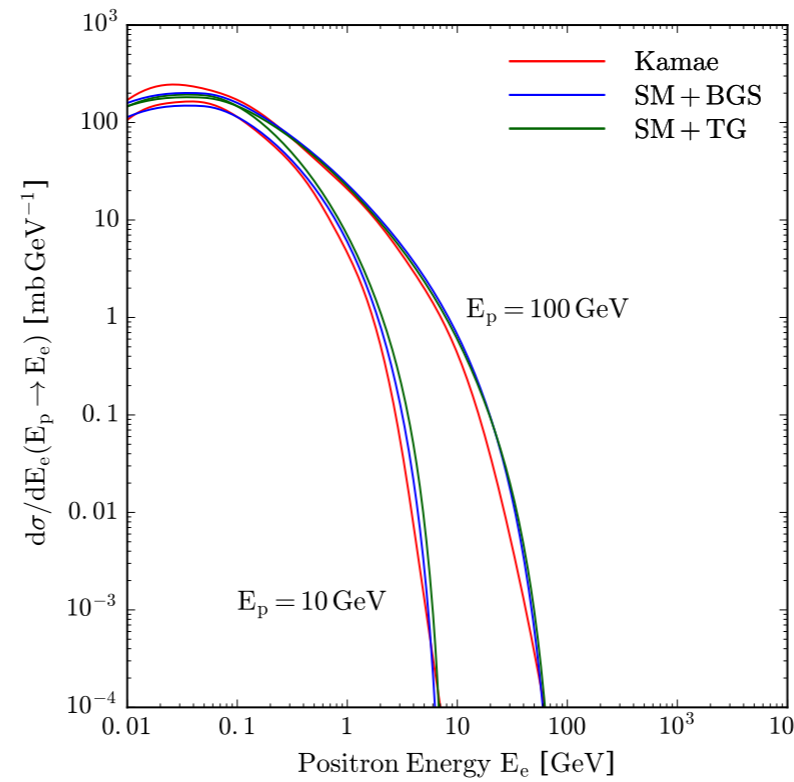
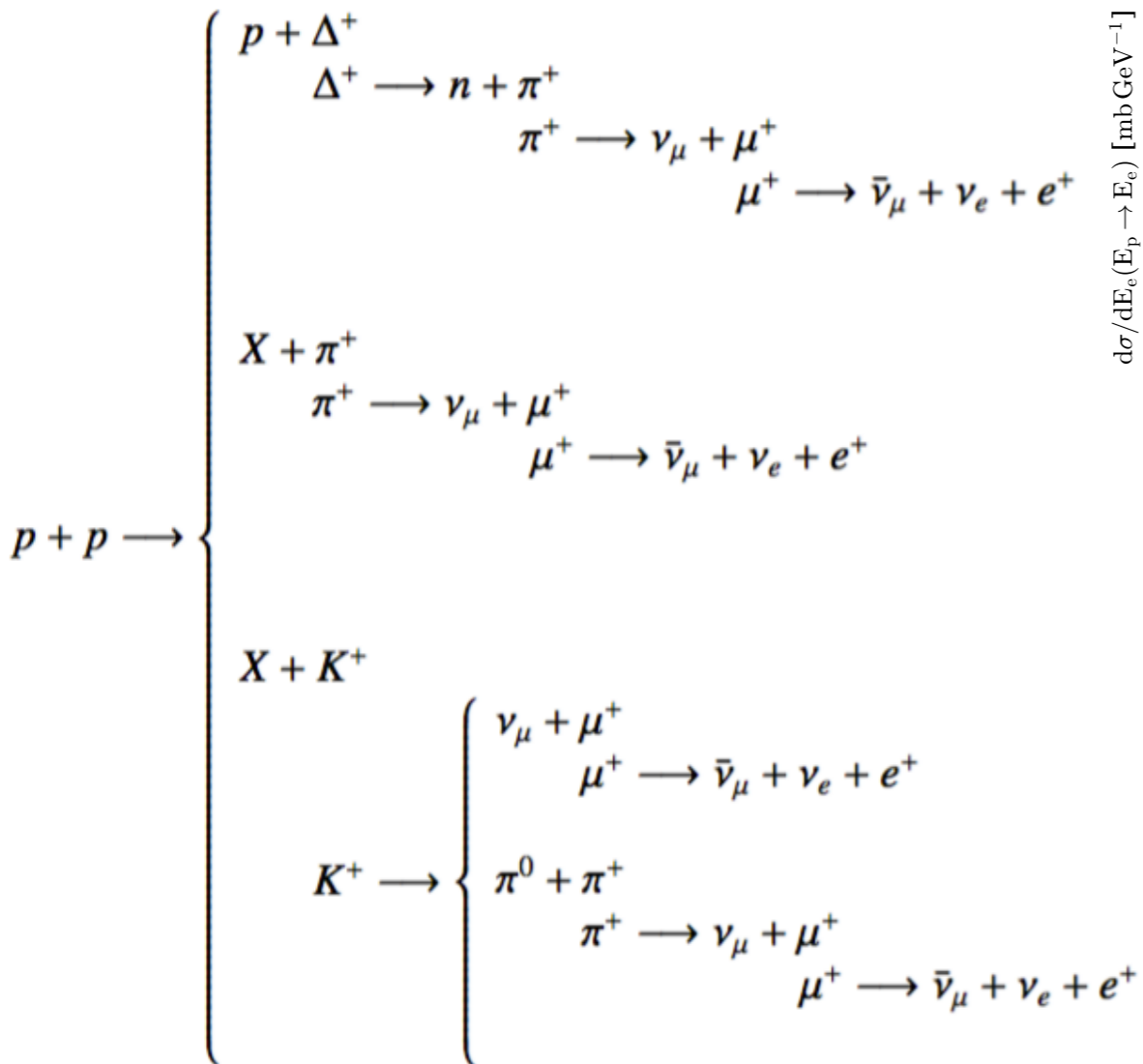
**Is  $E = 10 \text{ GeV}$  a correct threshold to get rid of low energy effects?**  
 (Especially with the high accuracy of the AMS-02 data at  $E \sim 10 \text{ GeV}$ )





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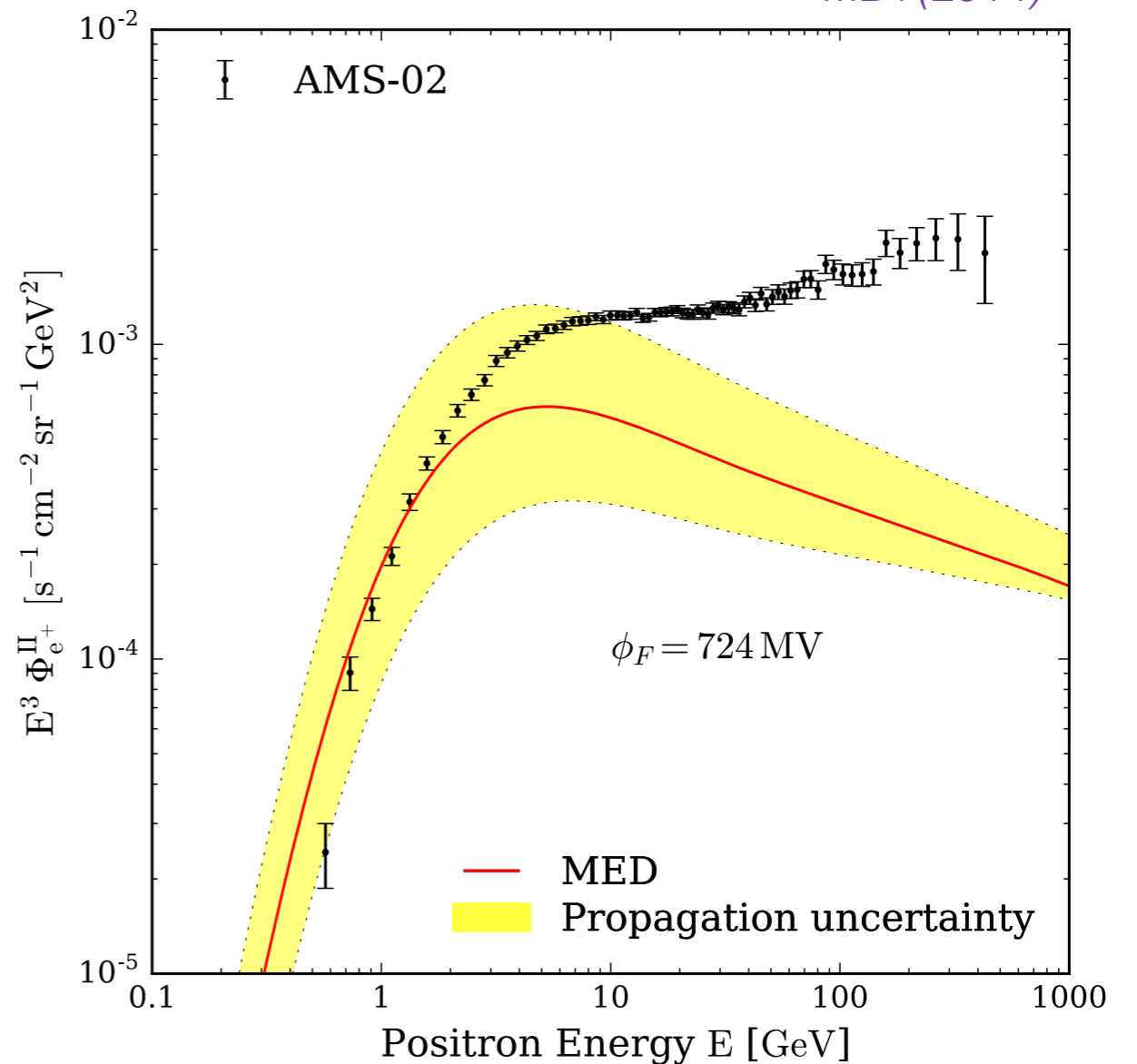
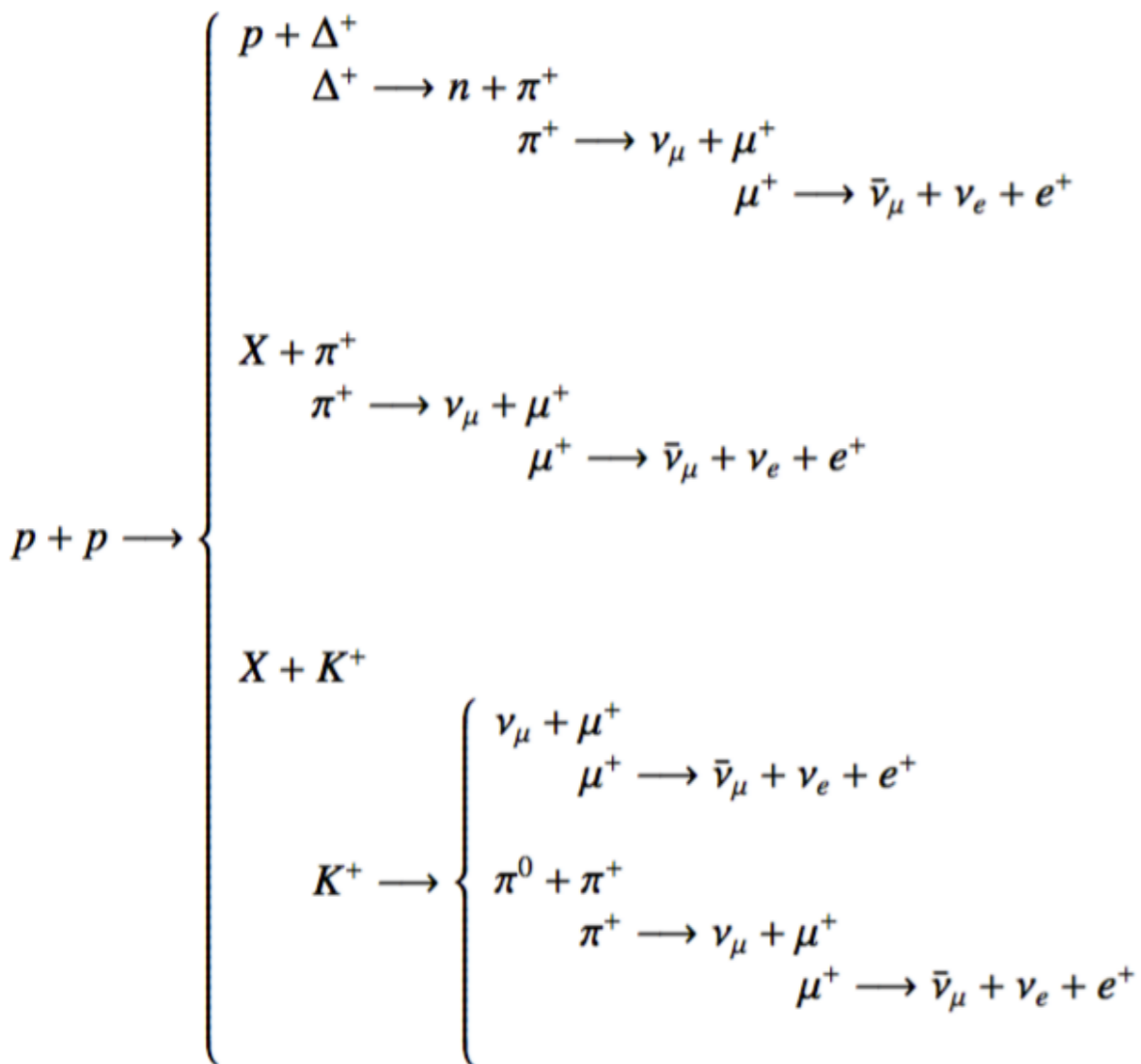




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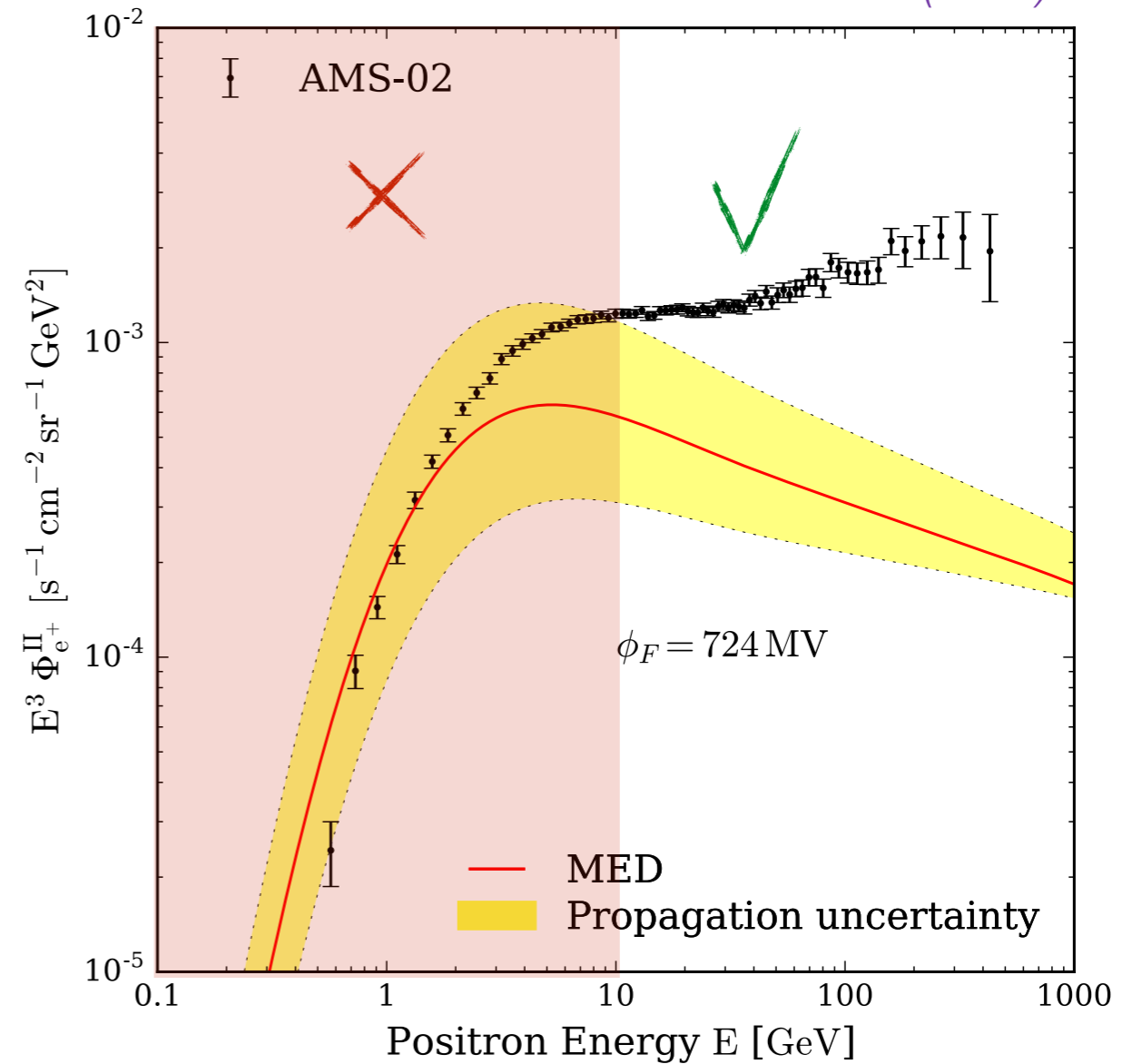
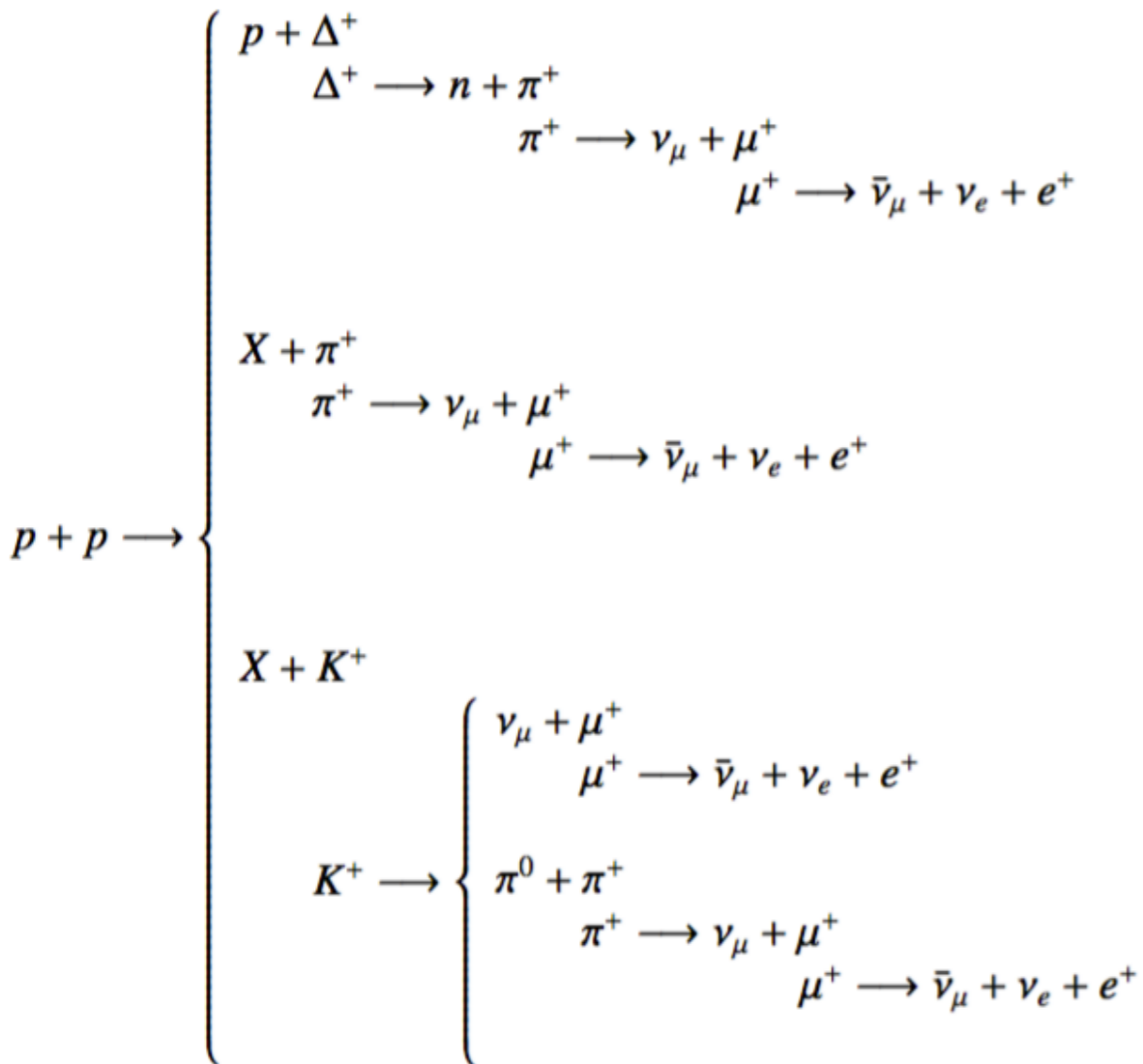


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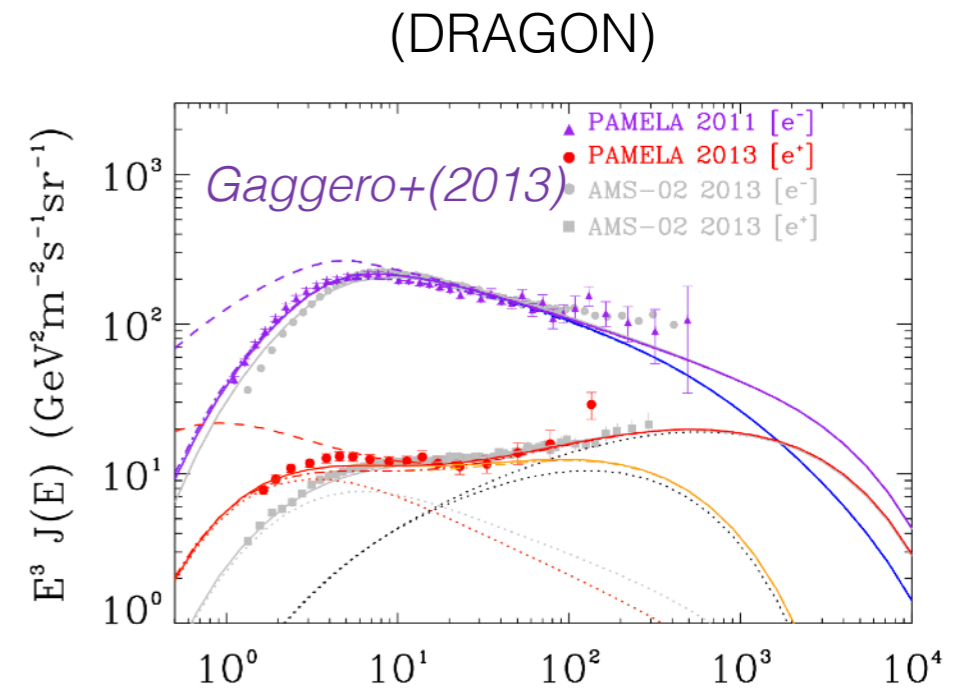
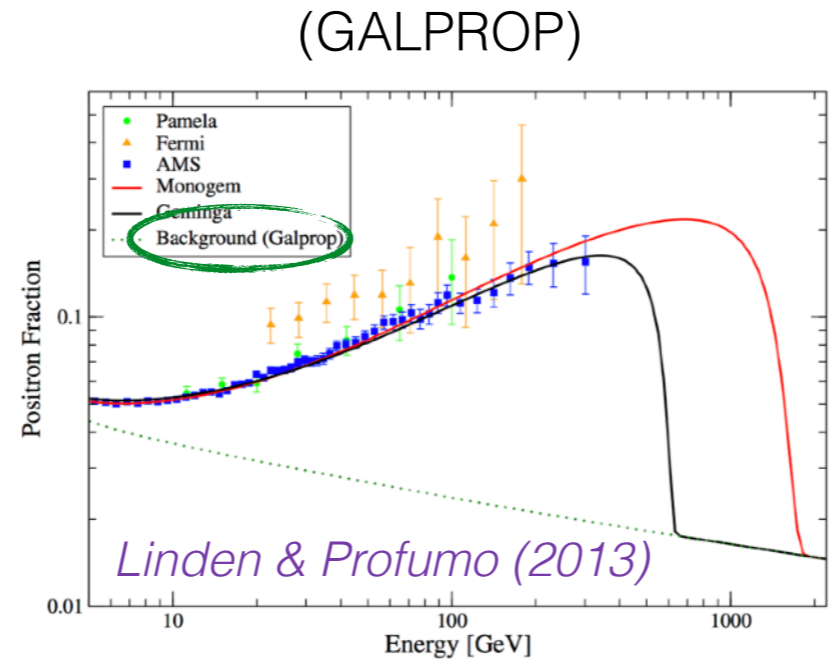
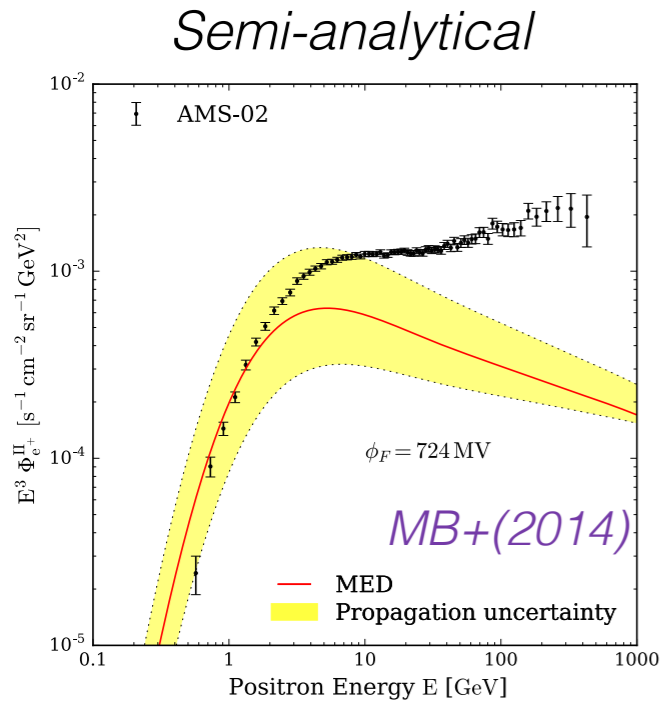
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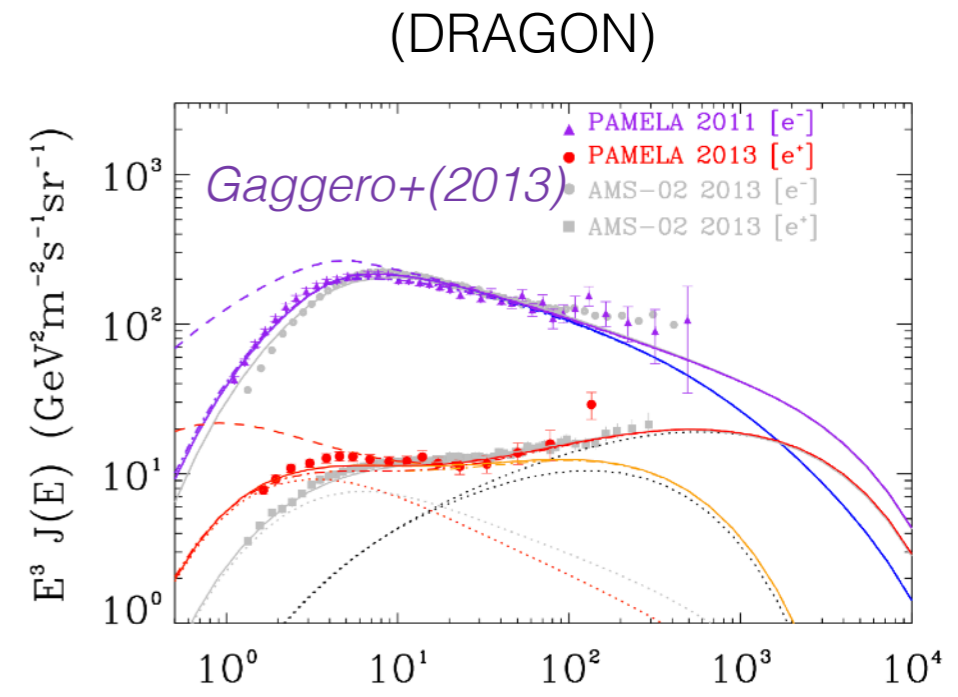
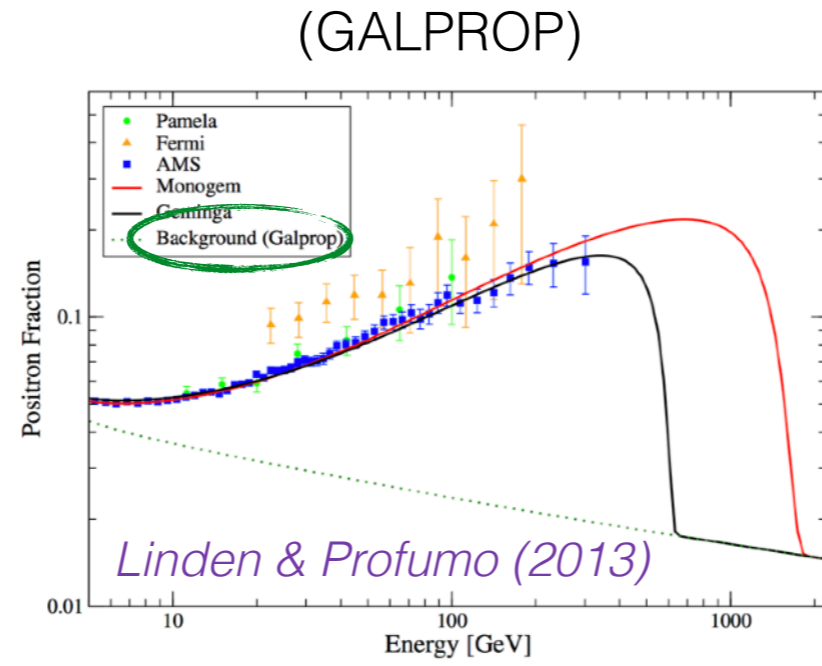
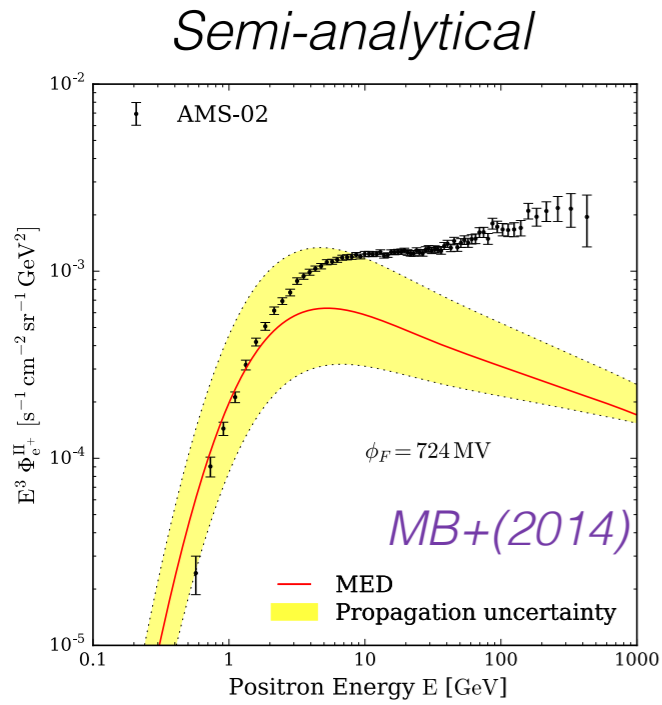
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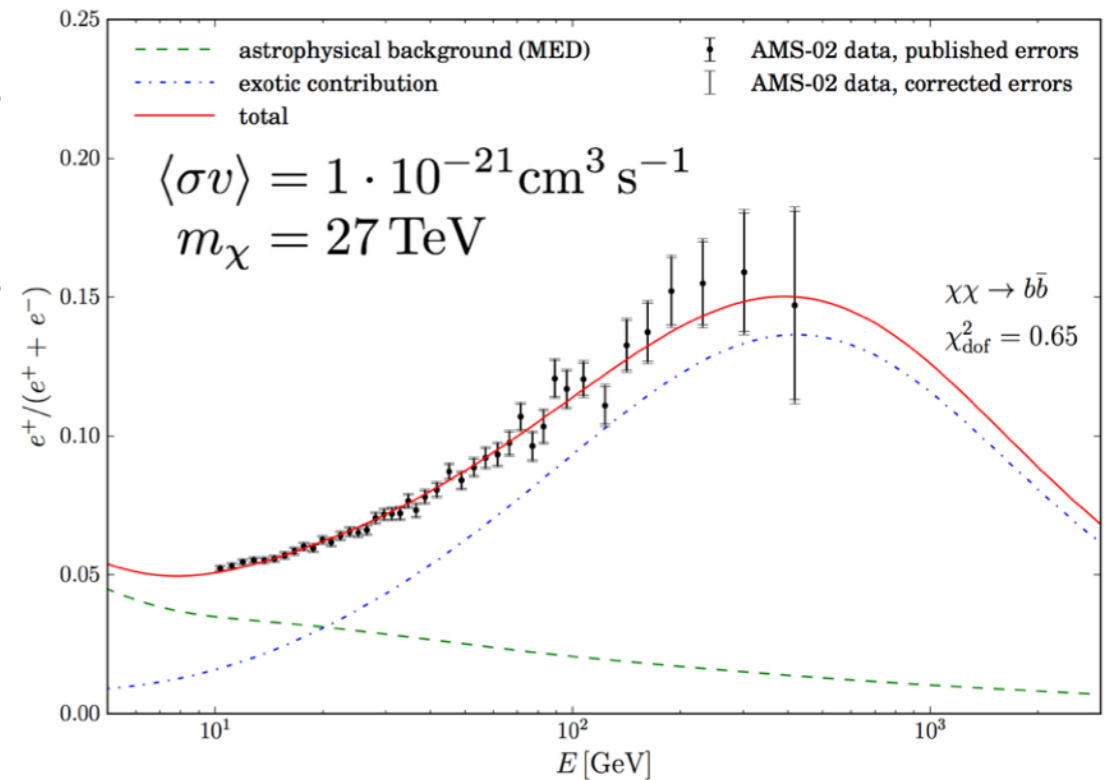
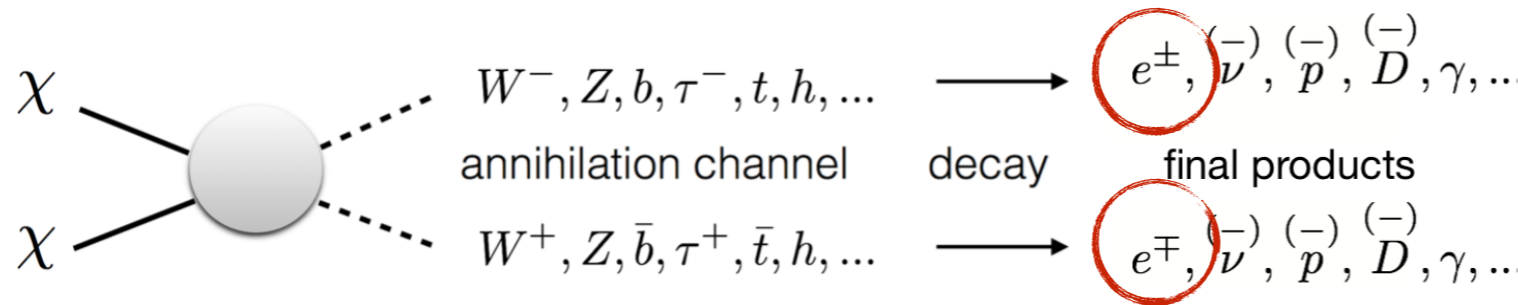


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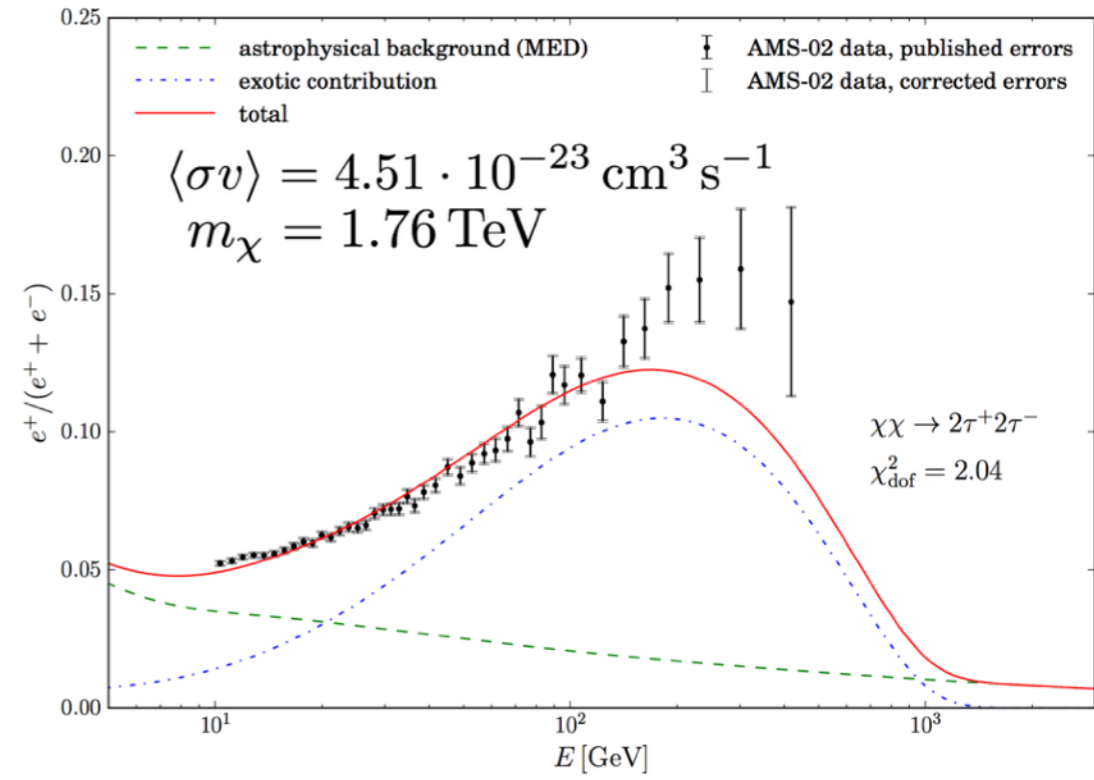
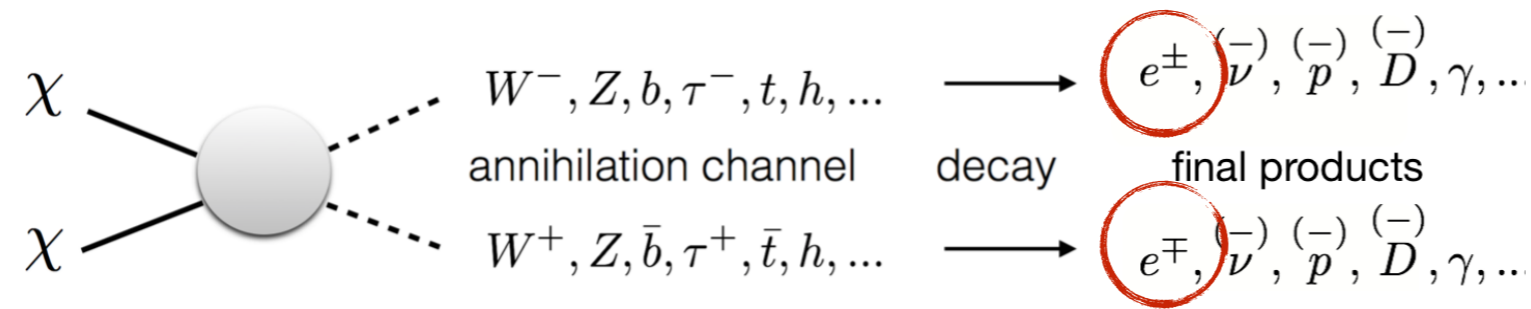
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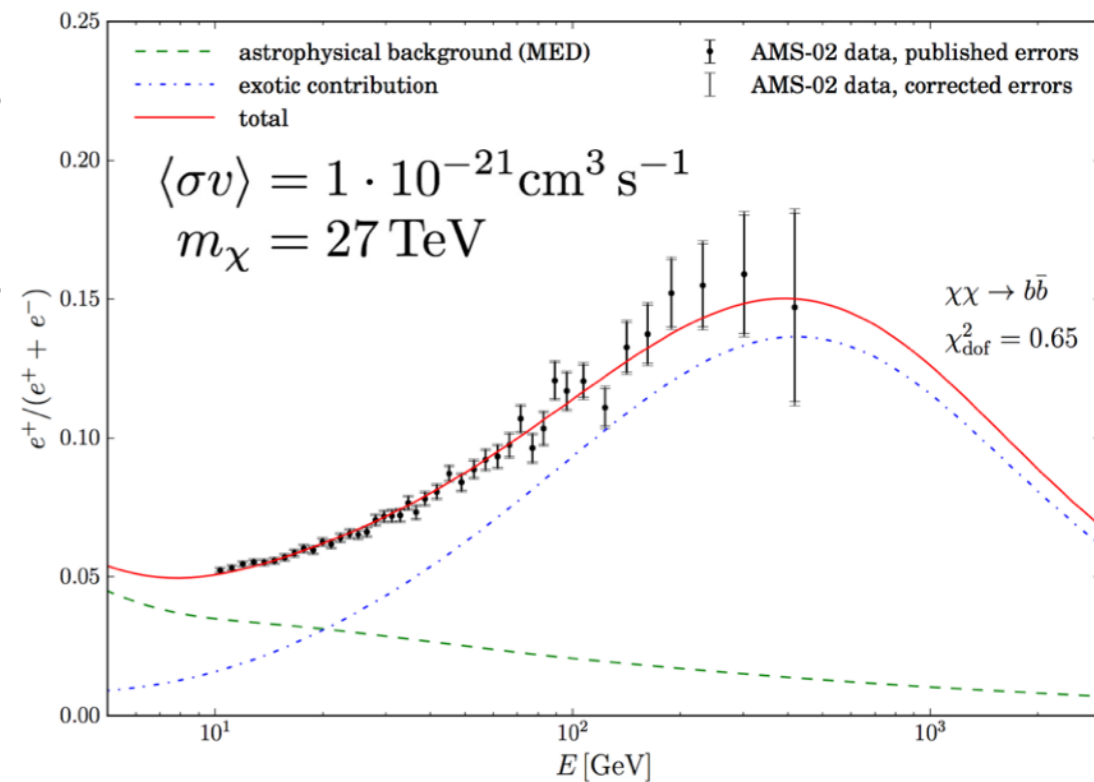
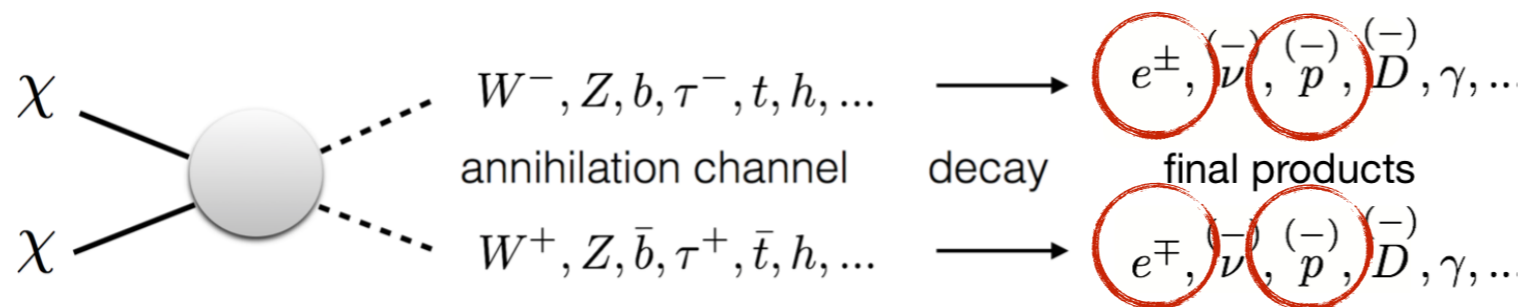


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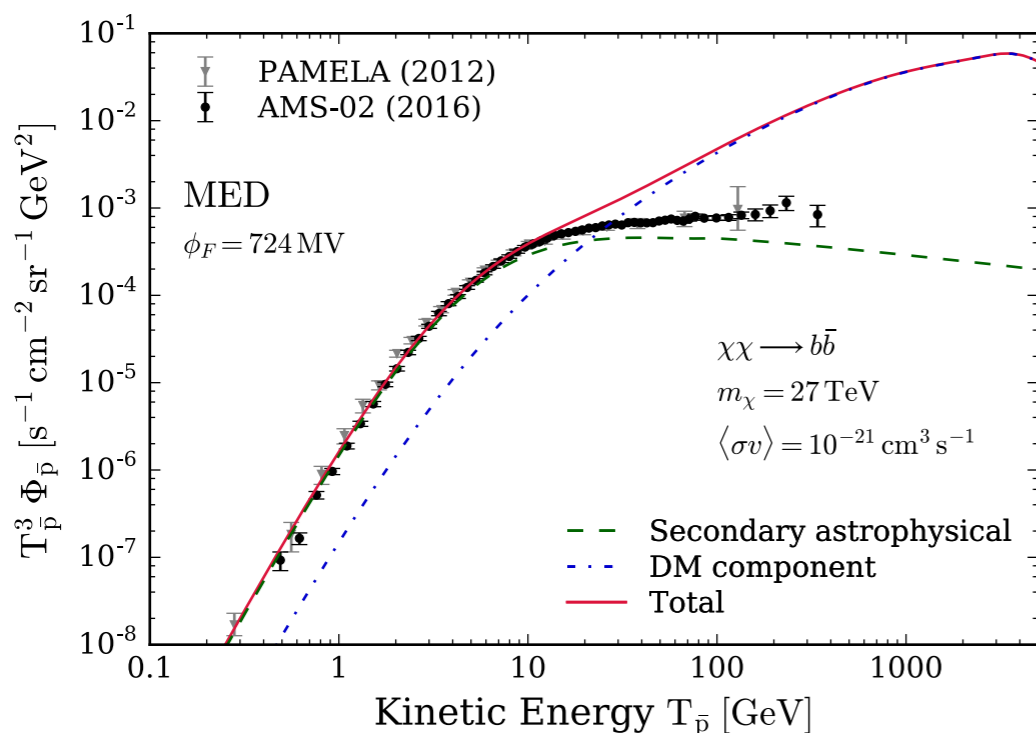
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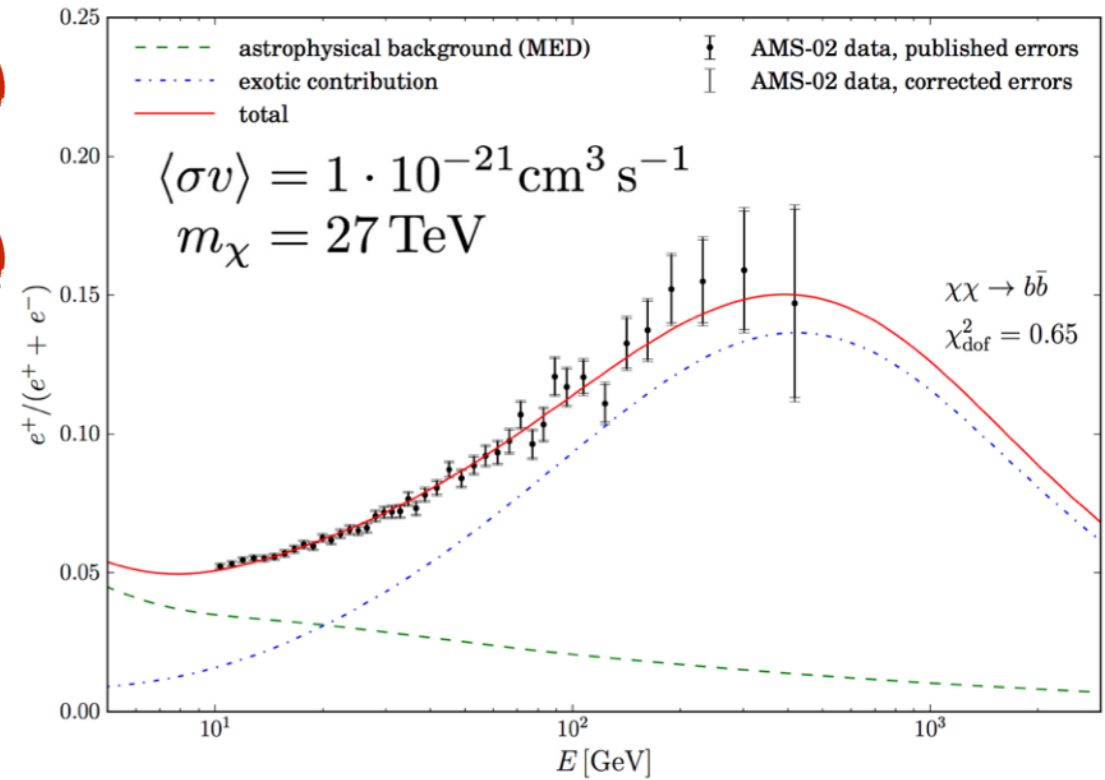
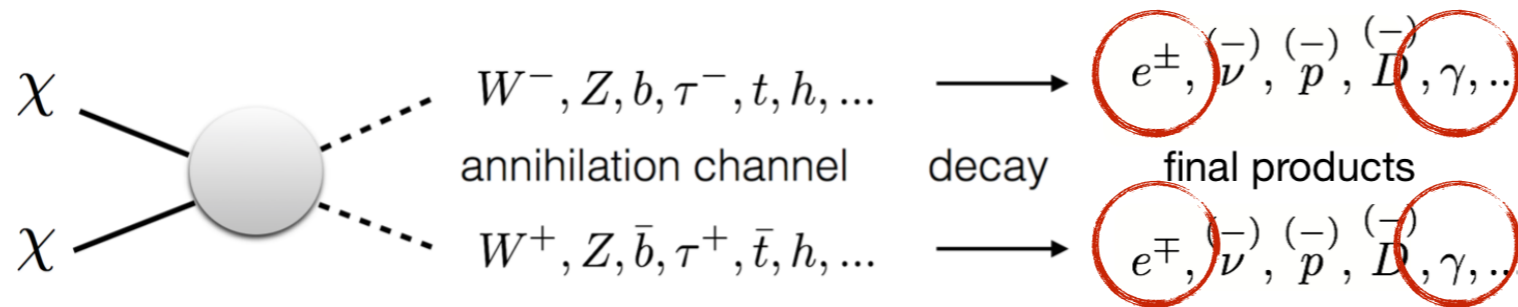
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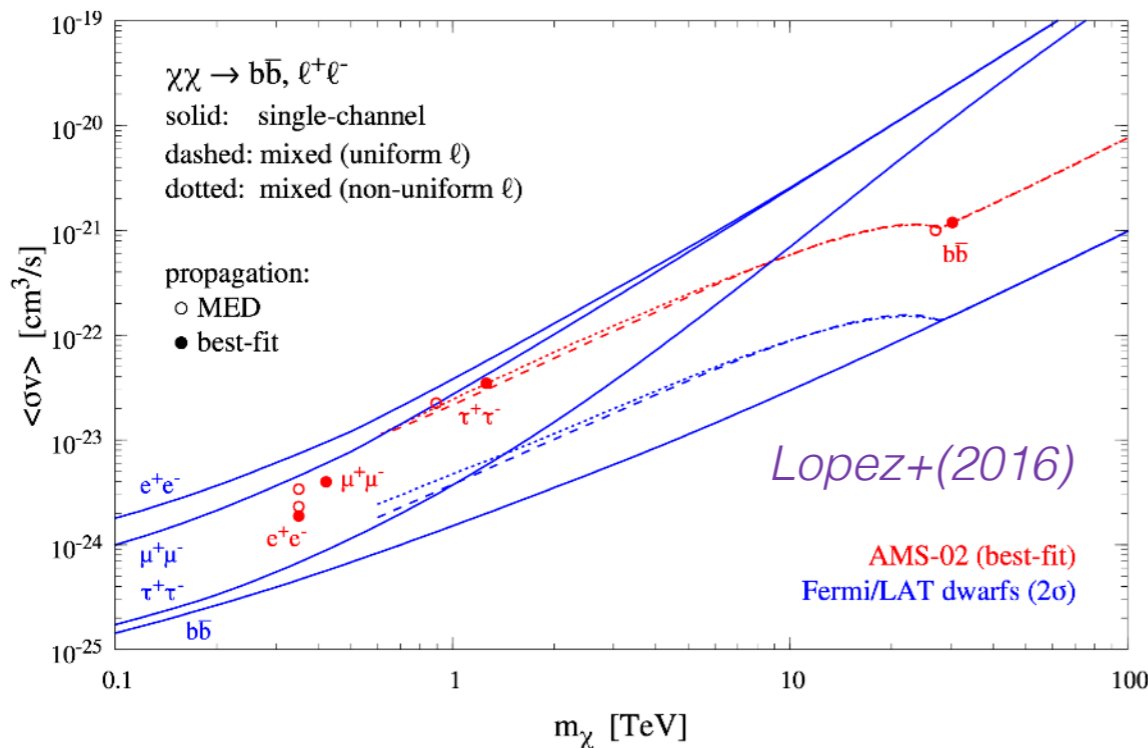
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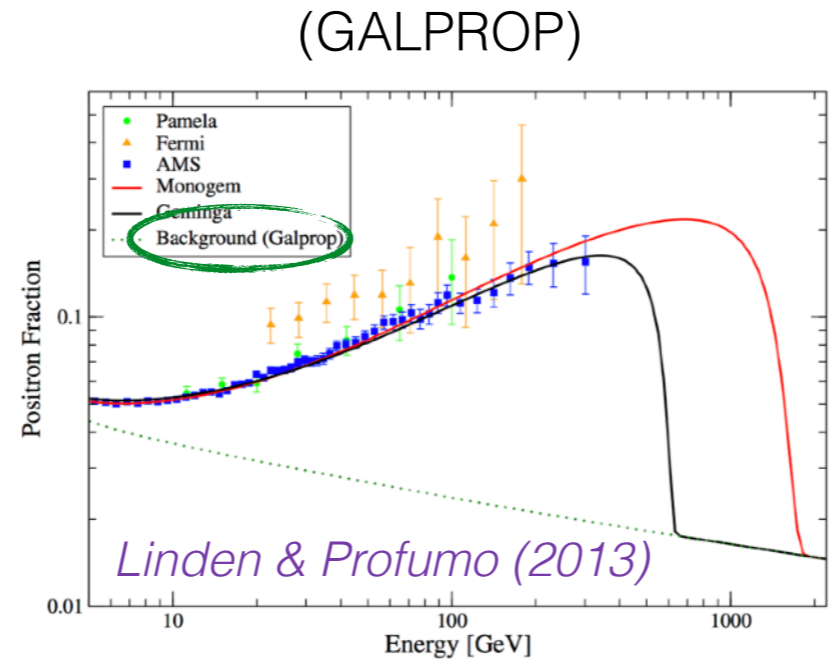
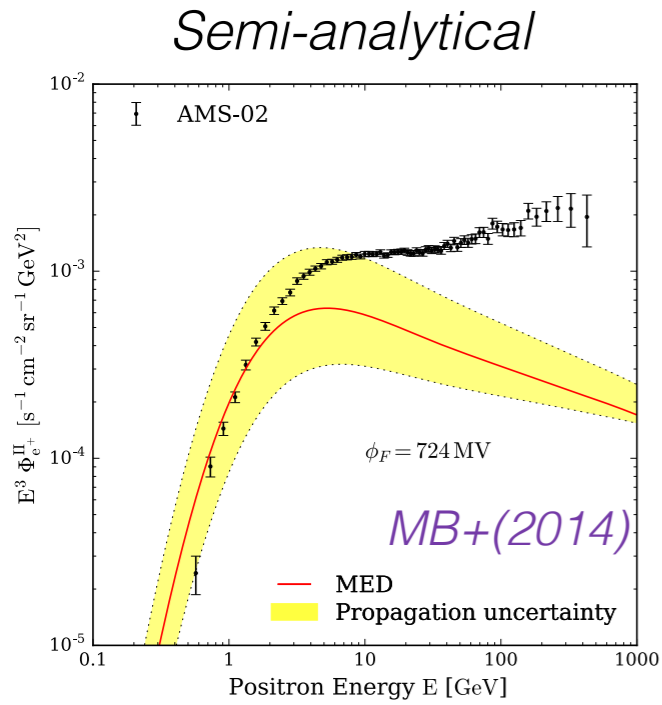


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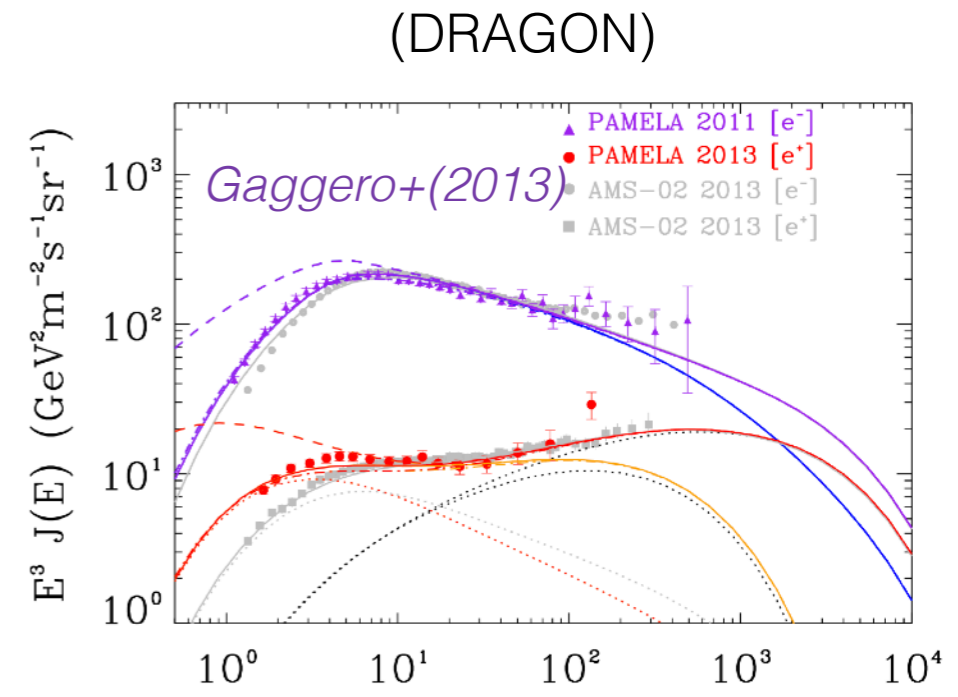
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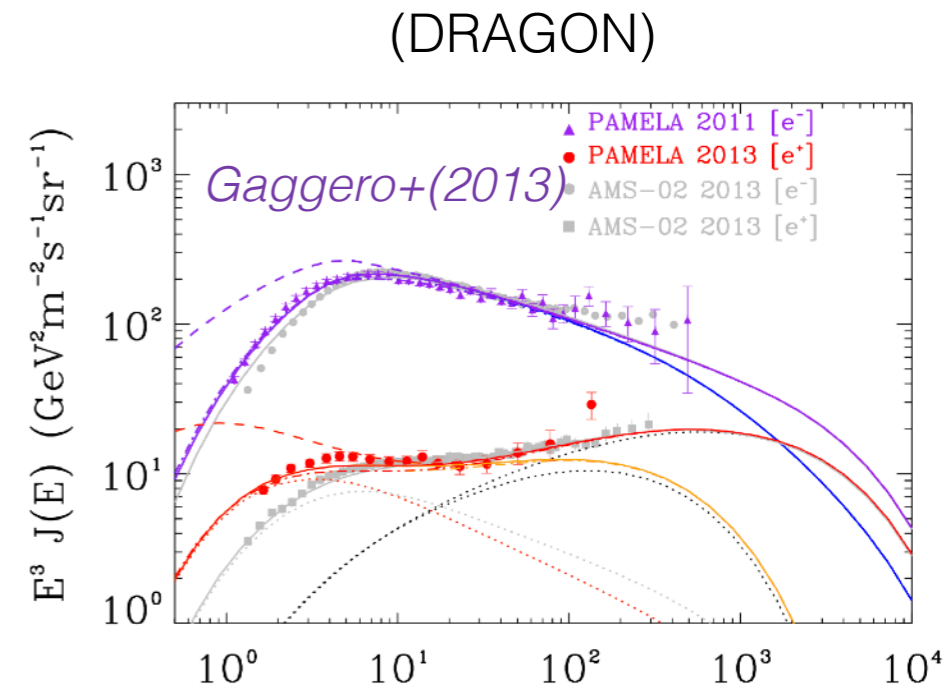
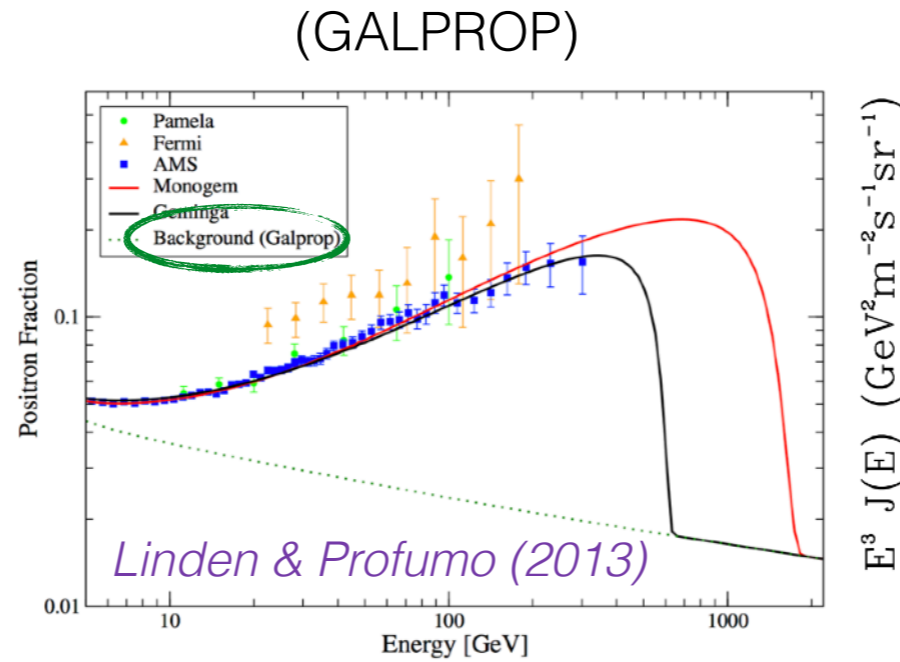
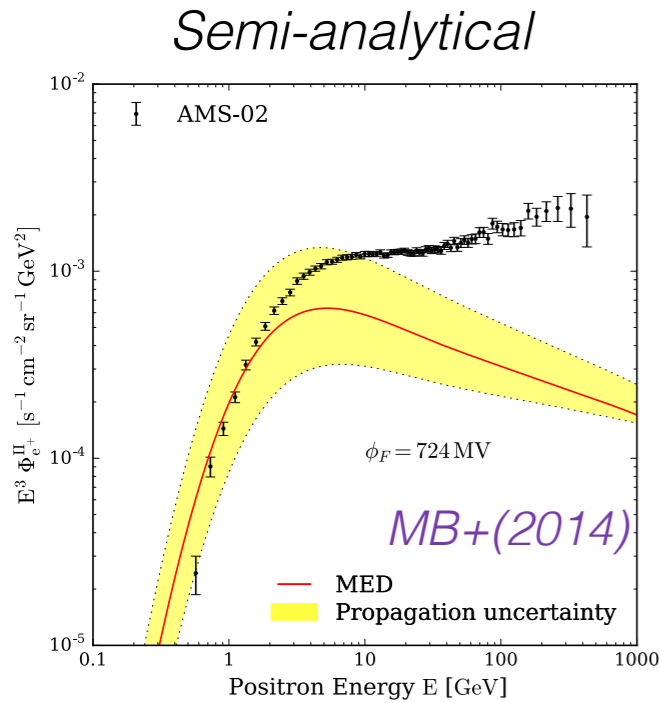


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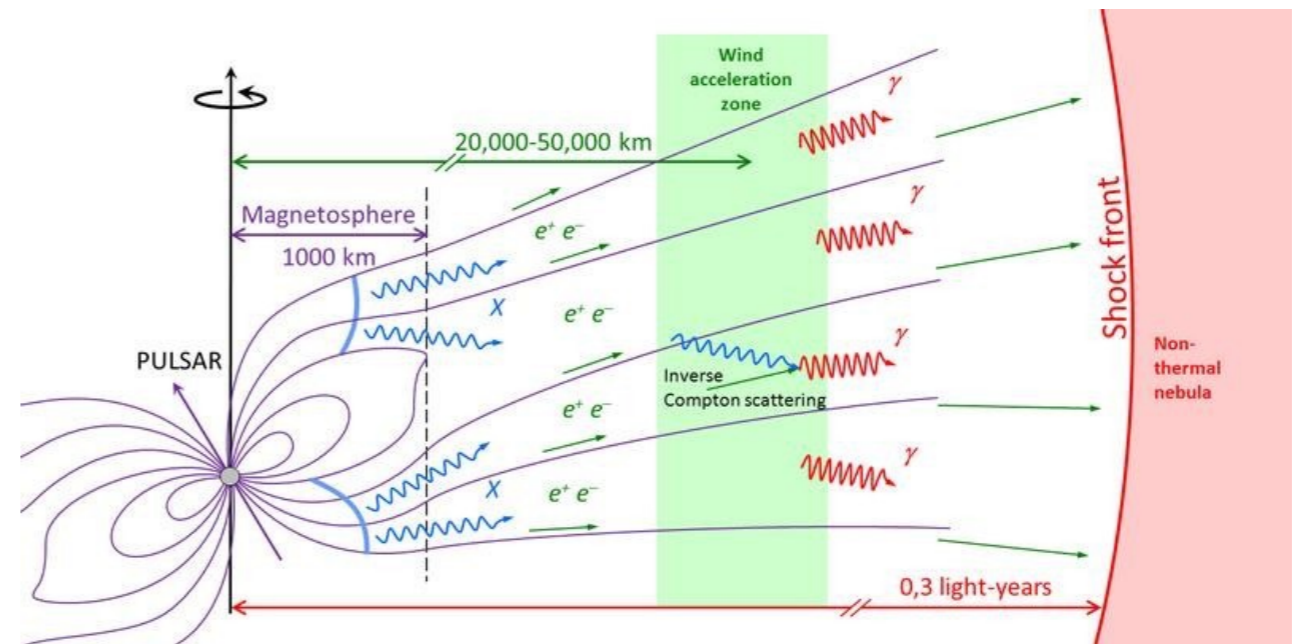
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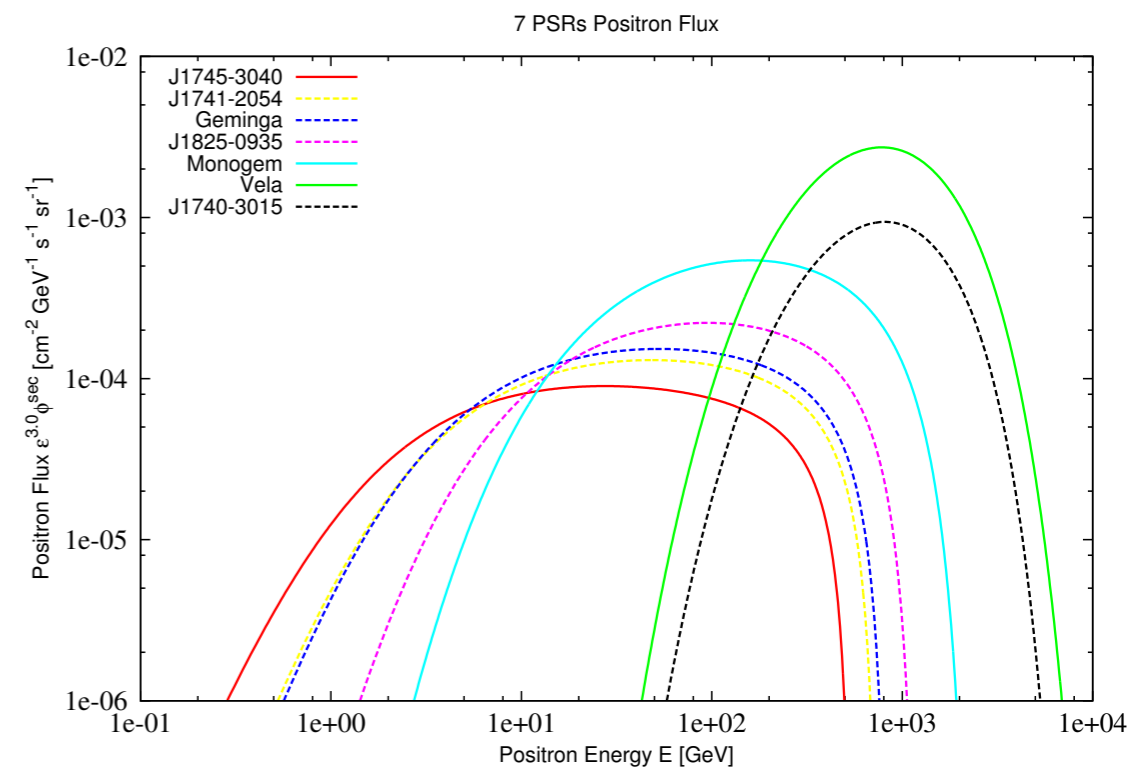
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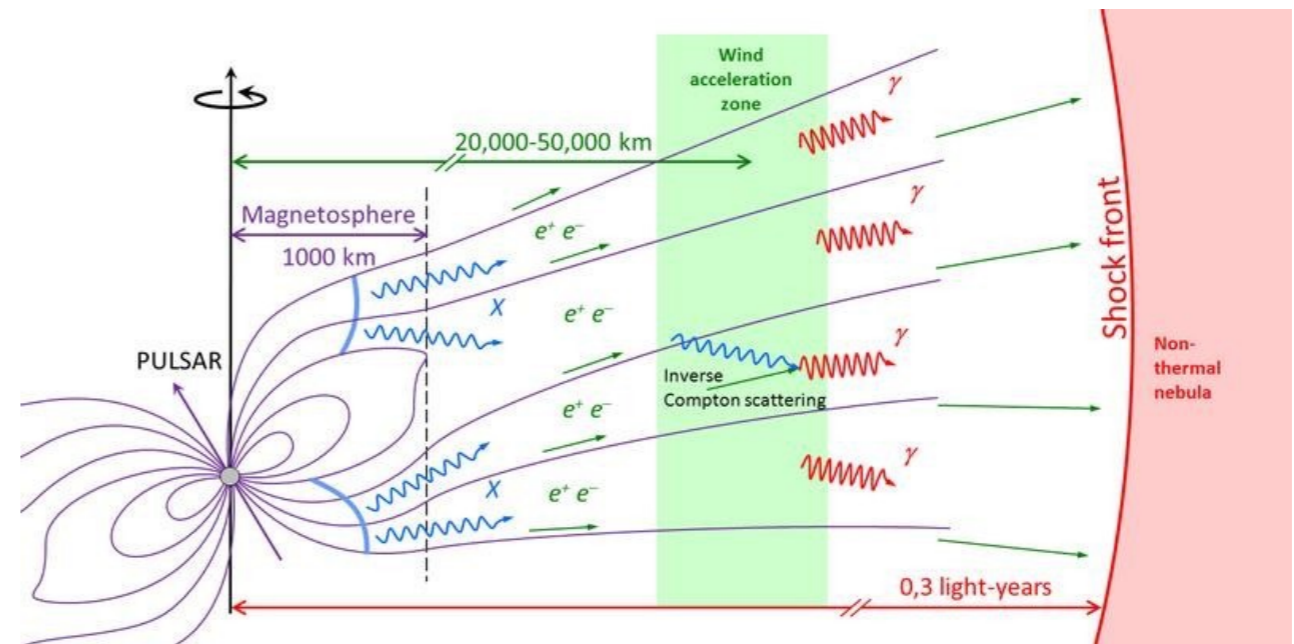
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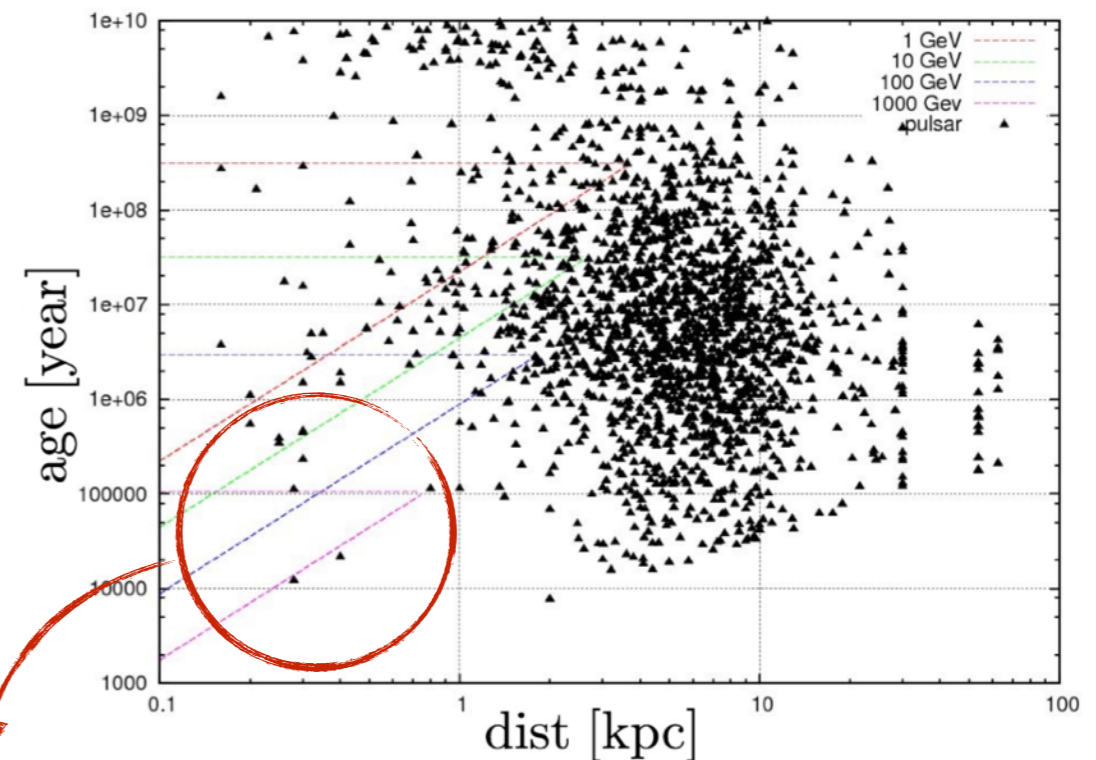
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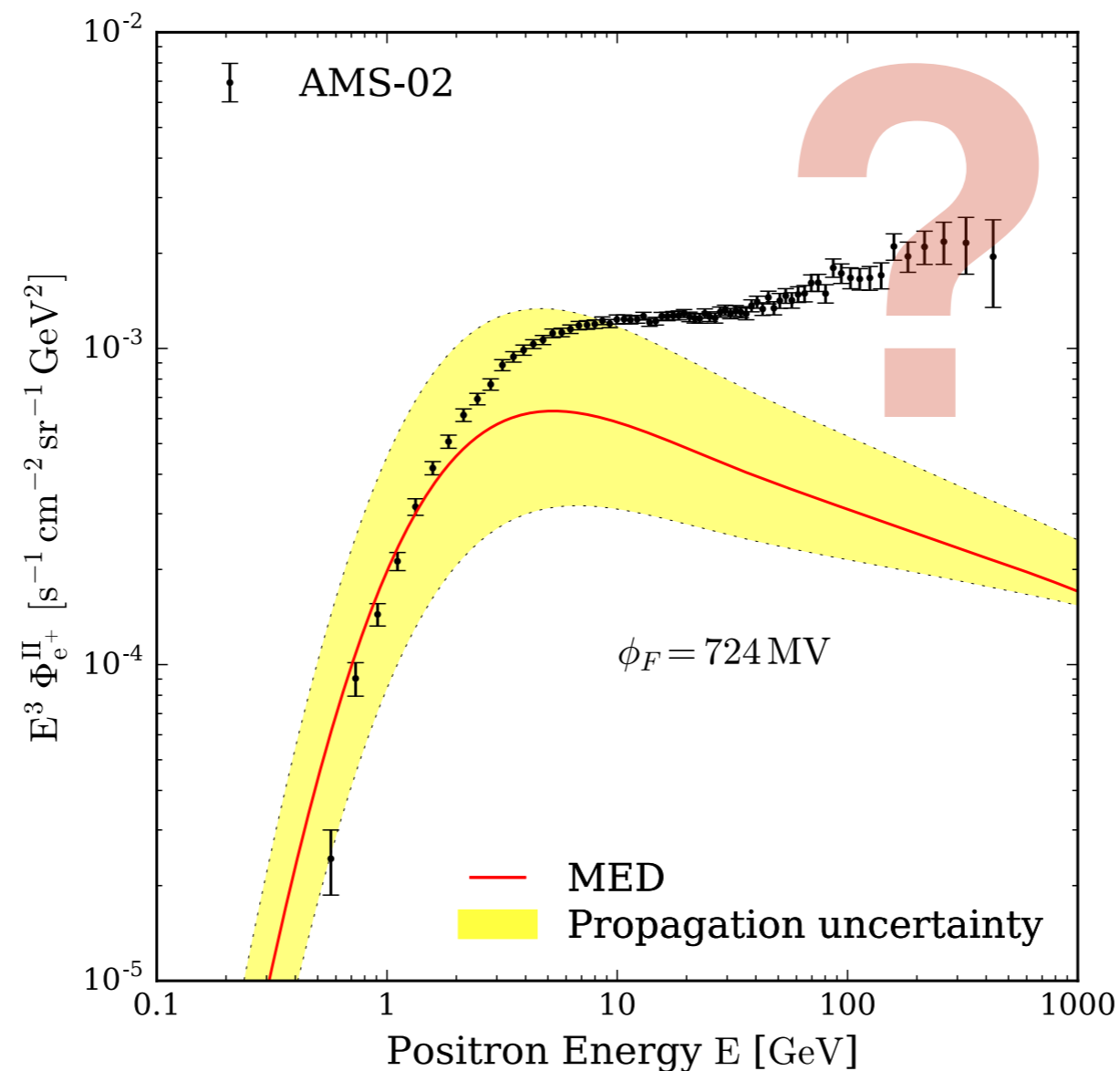


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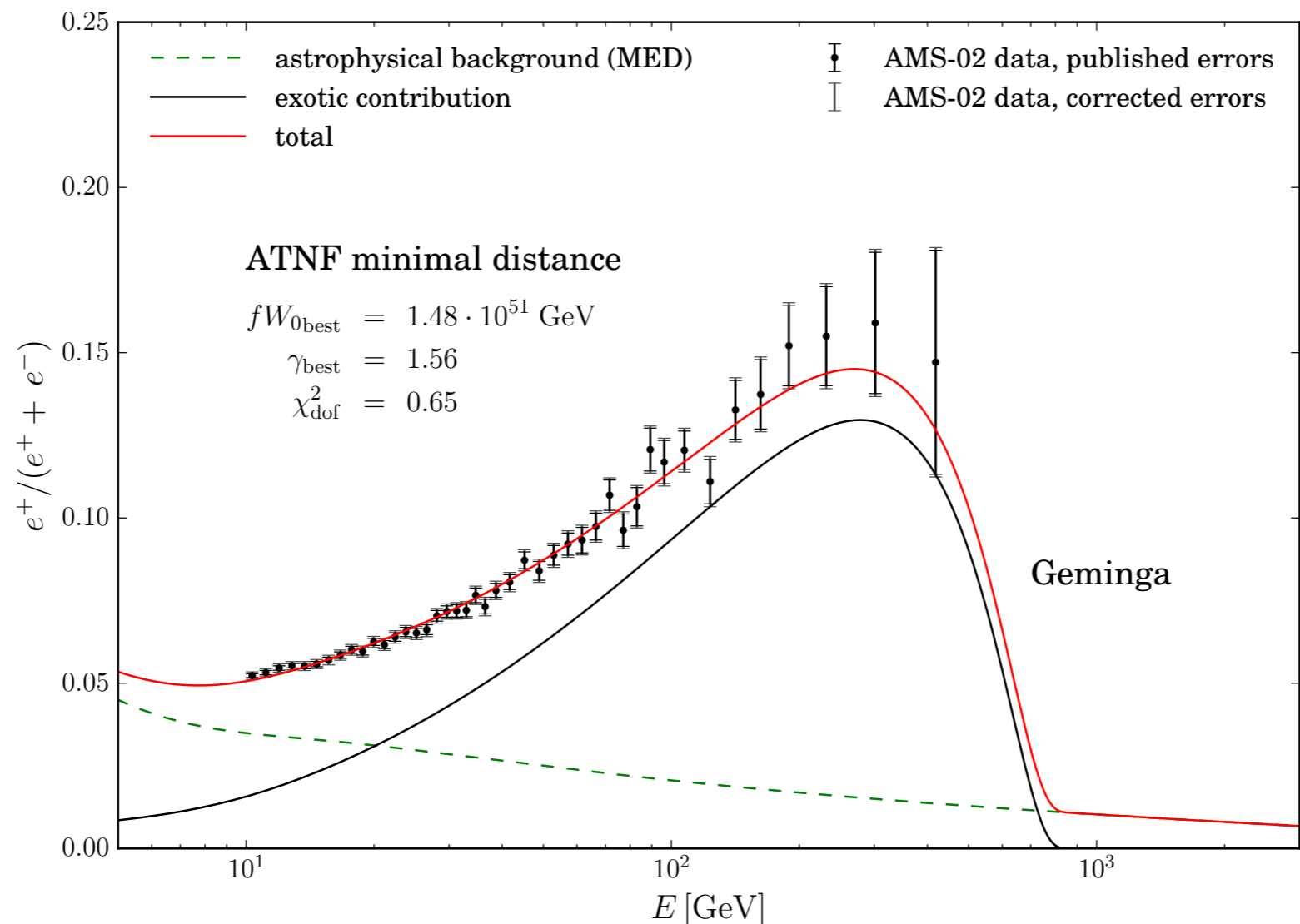
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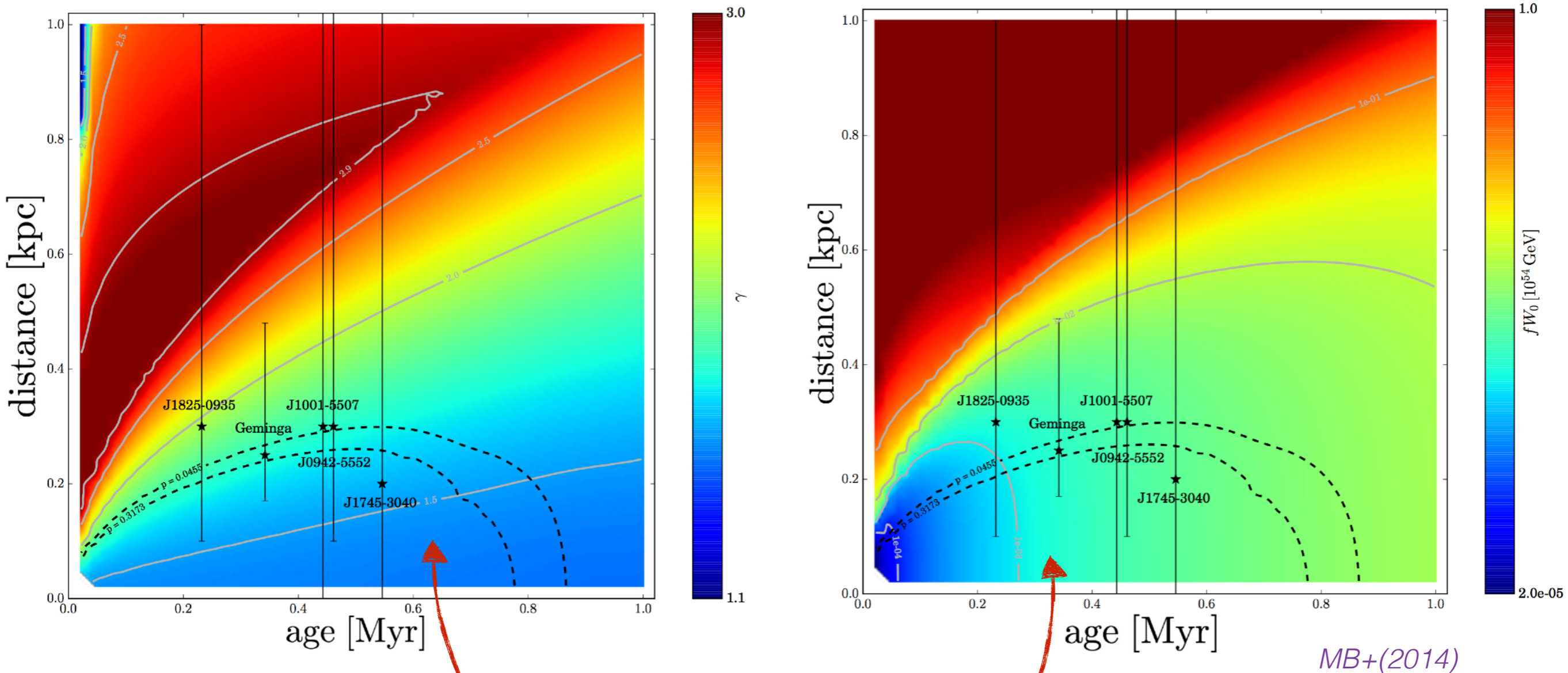
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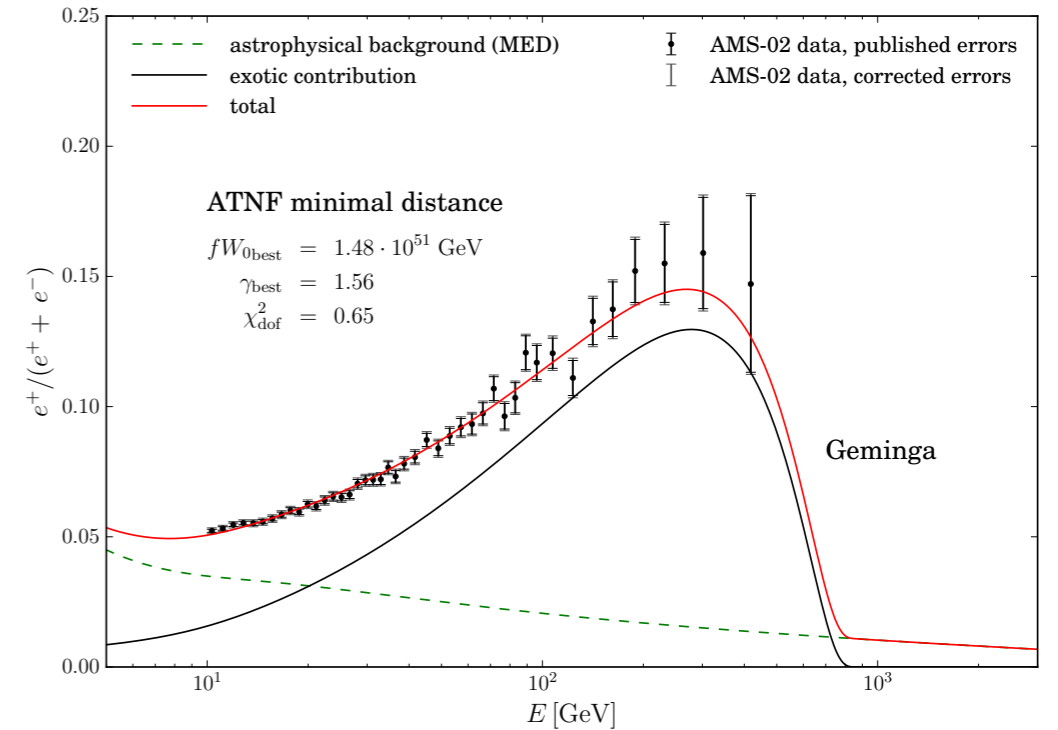
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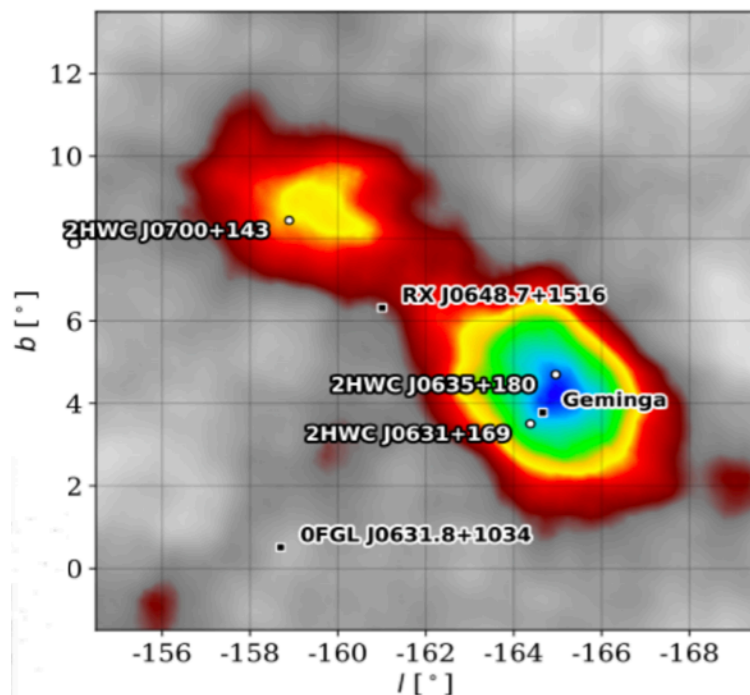
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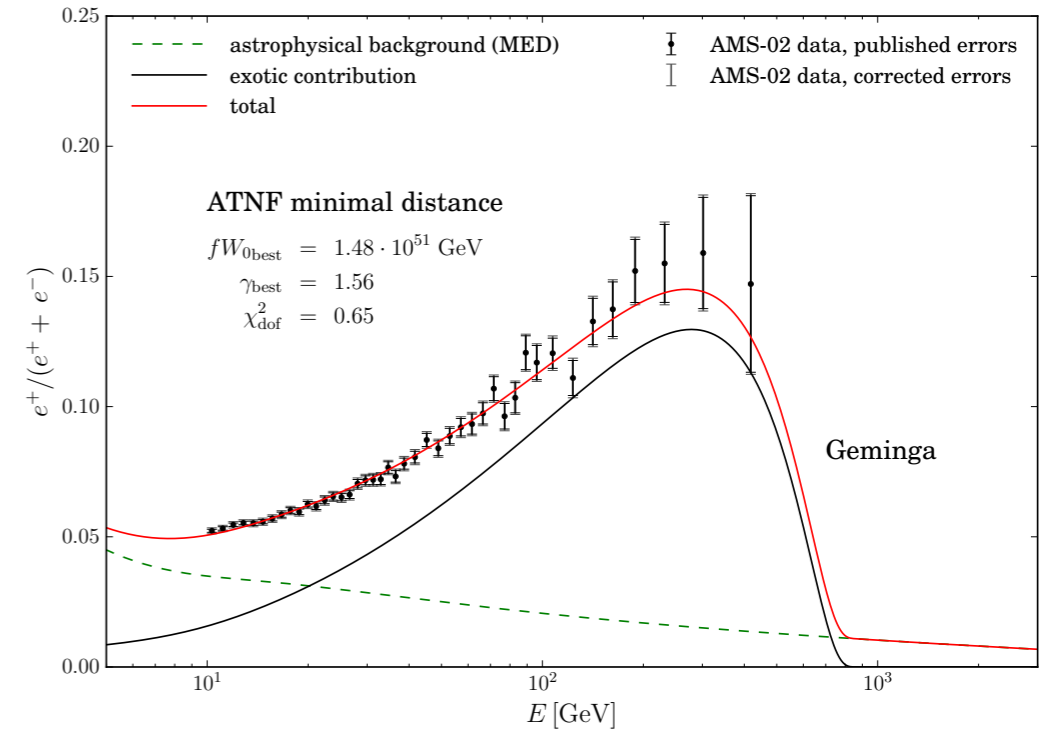
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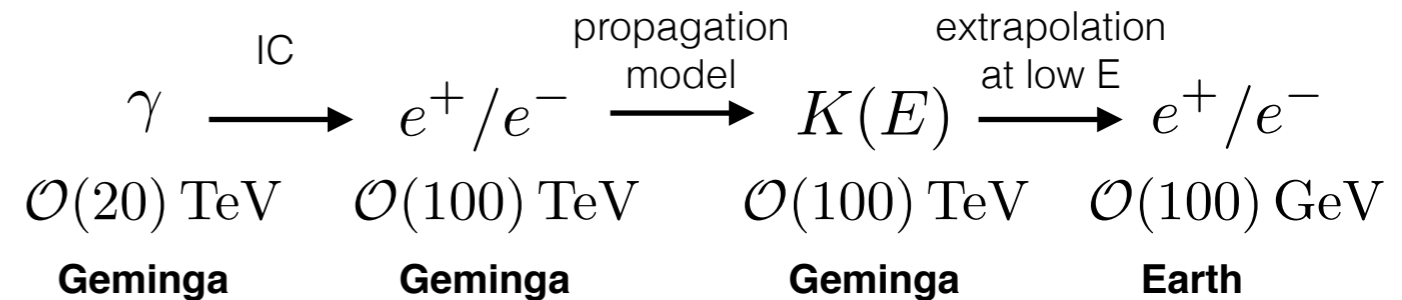
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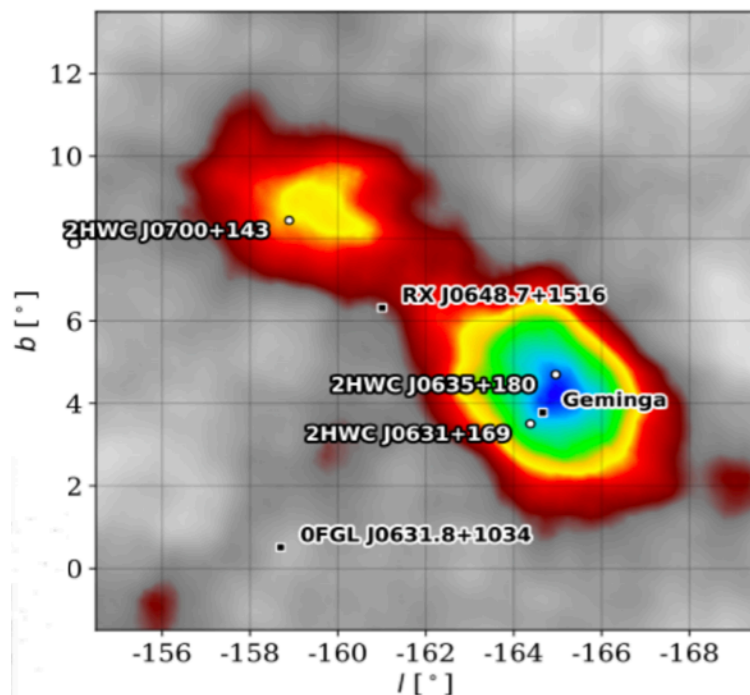
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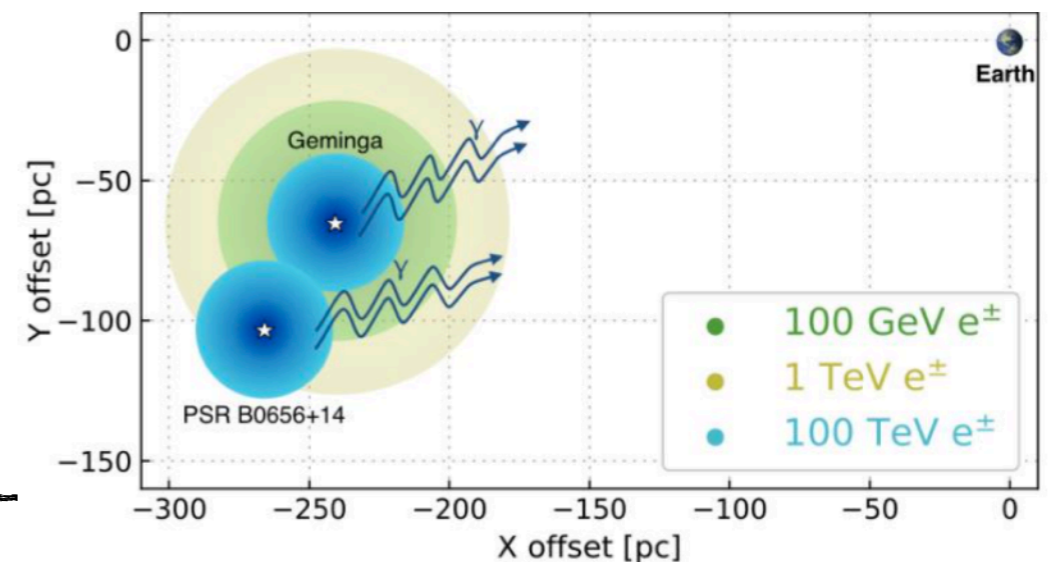
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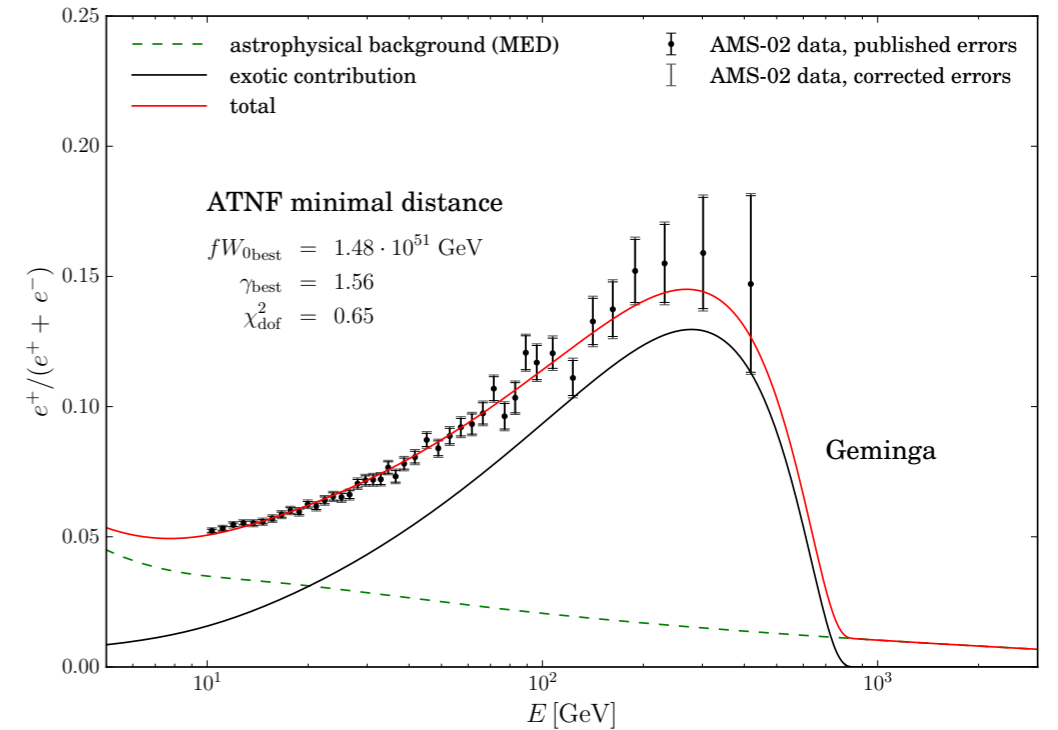
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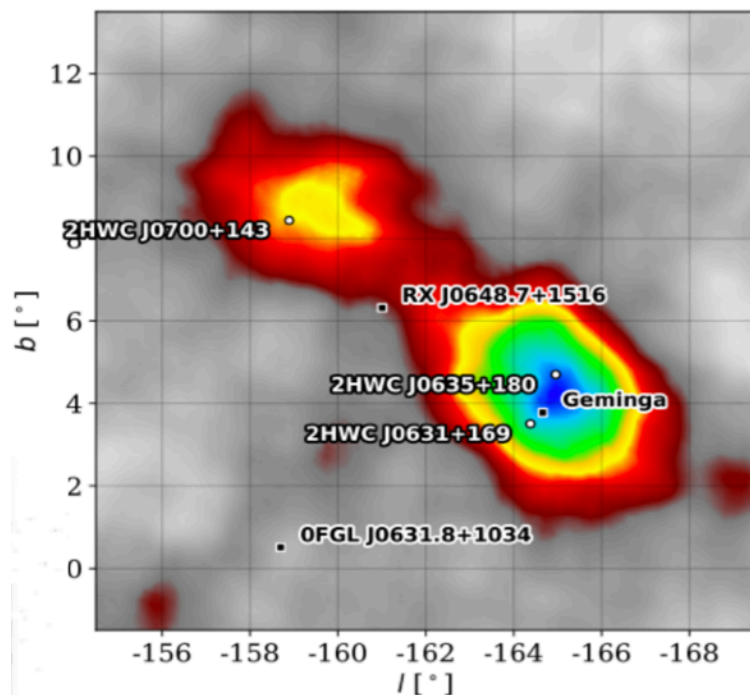
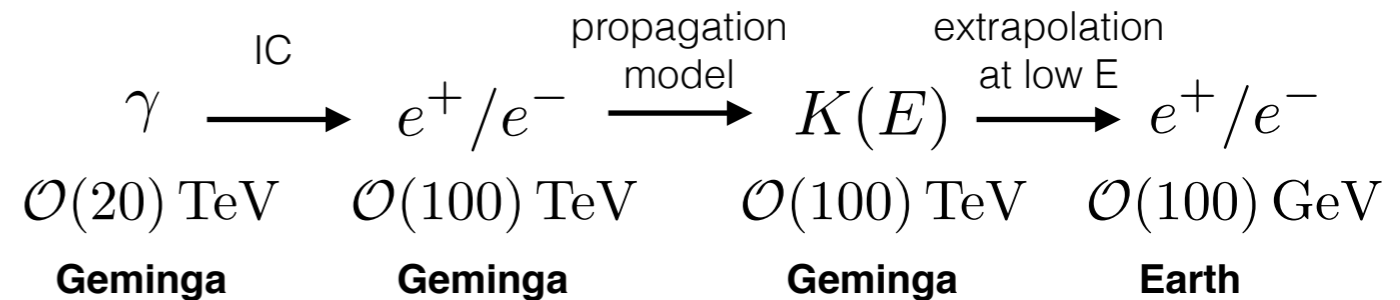
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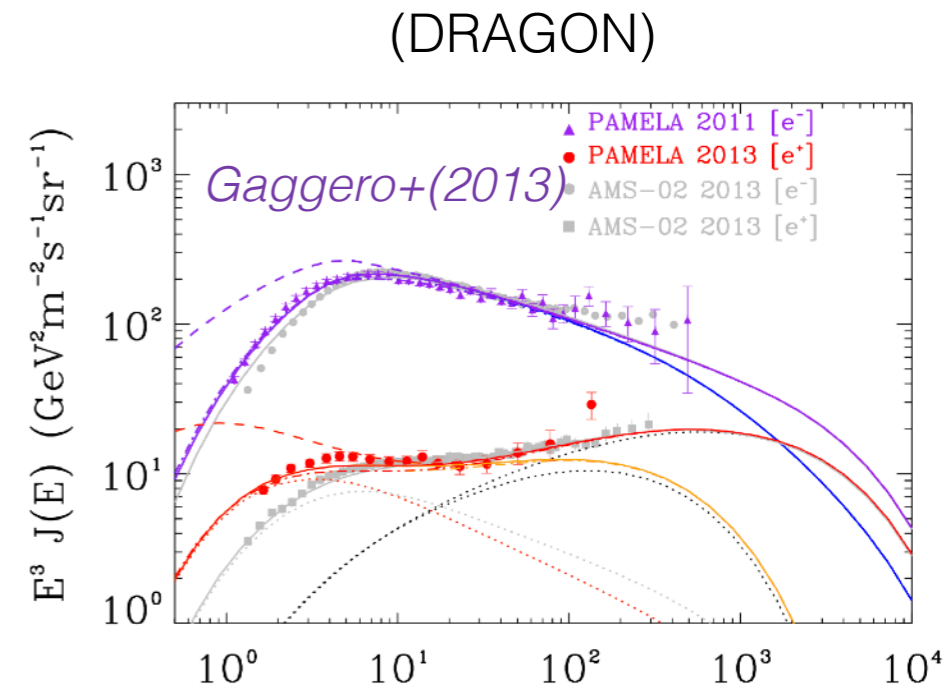
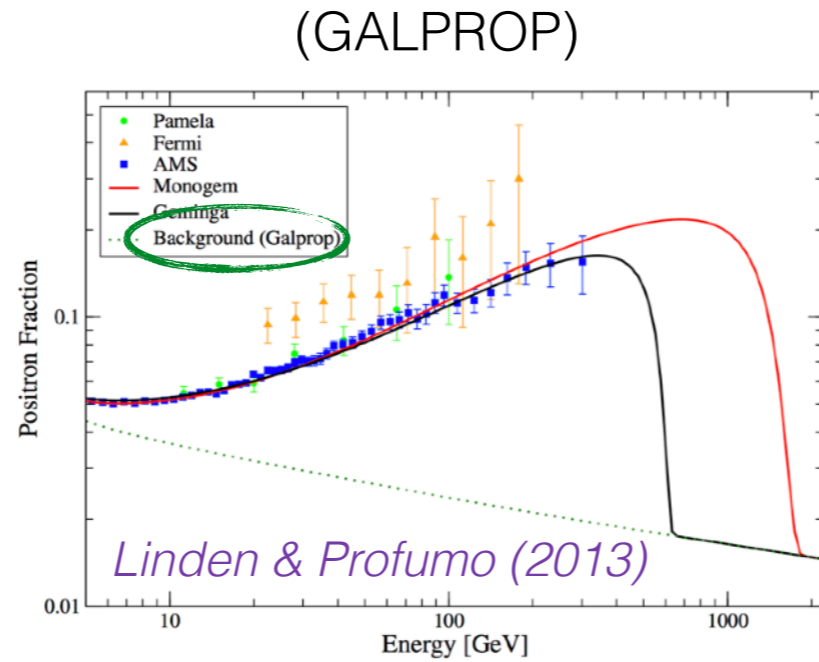
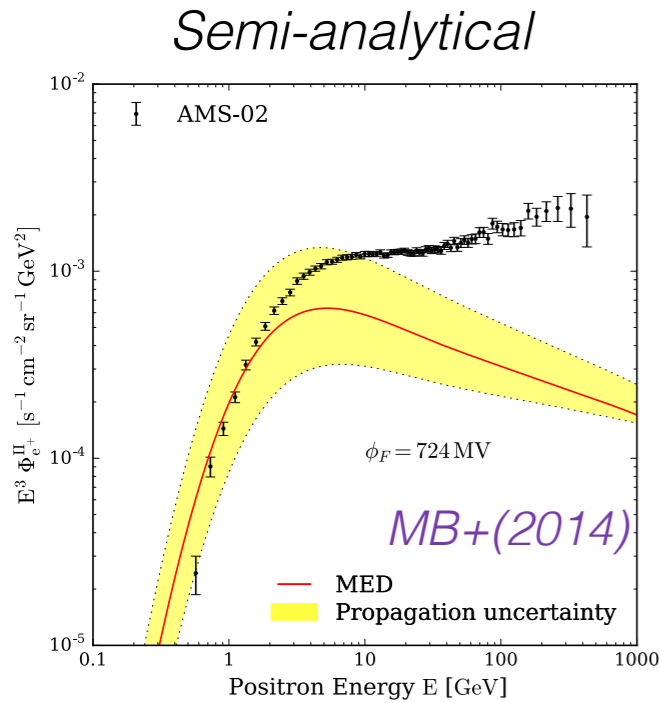
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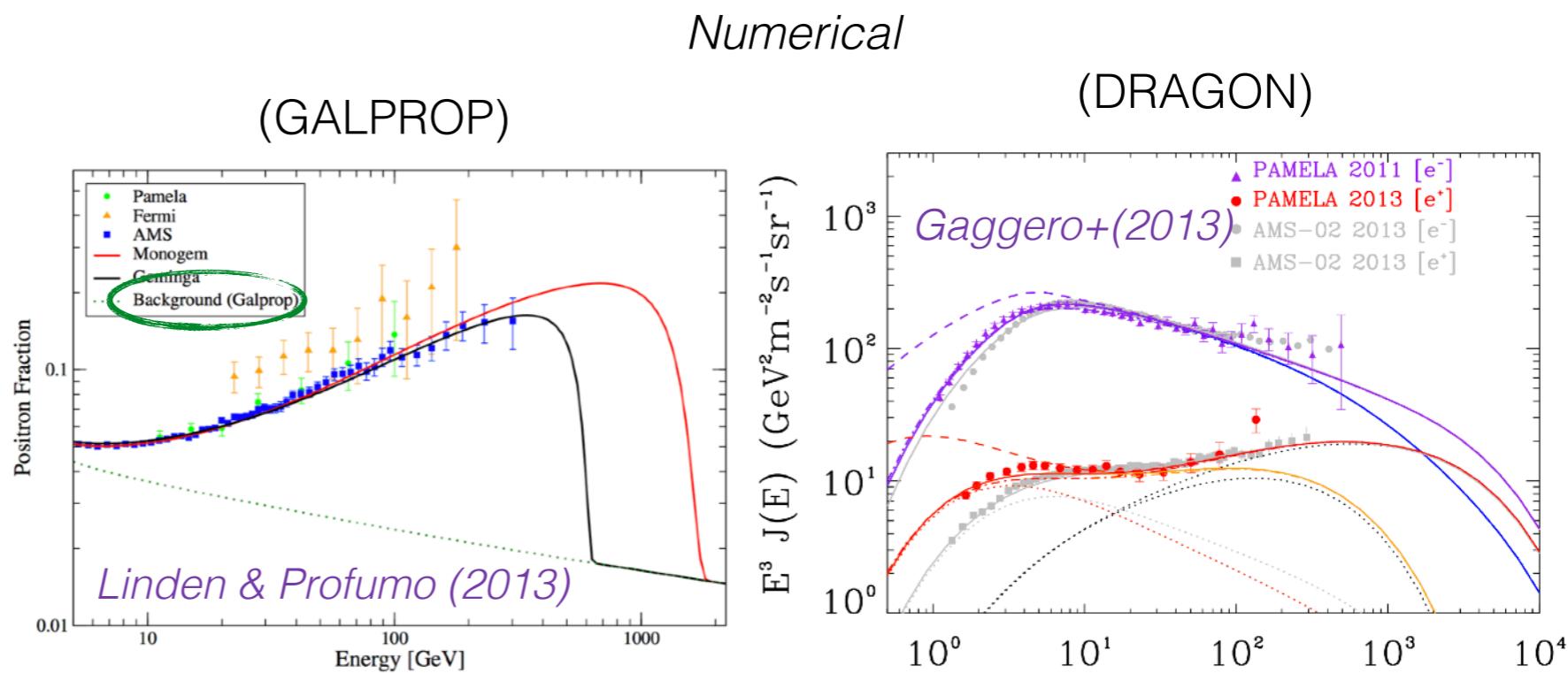
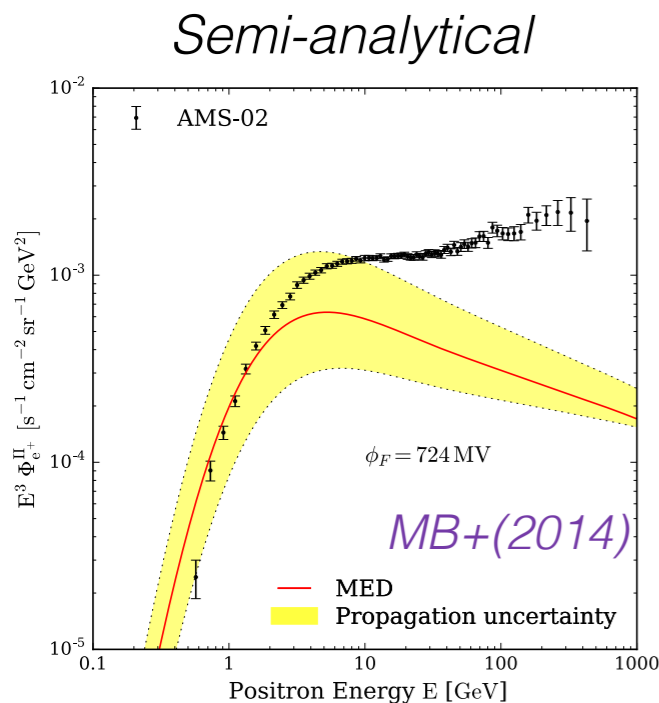
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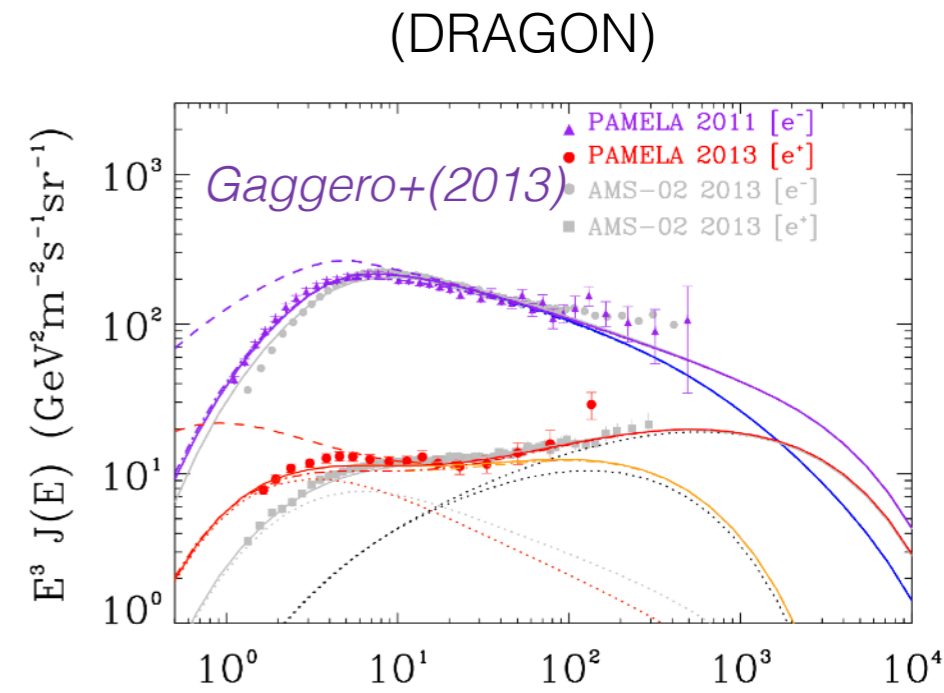
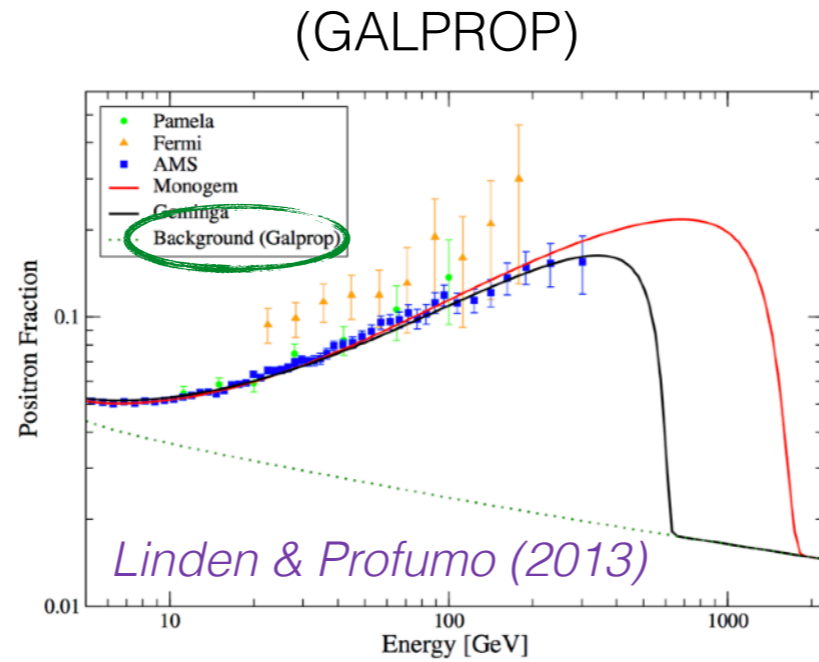
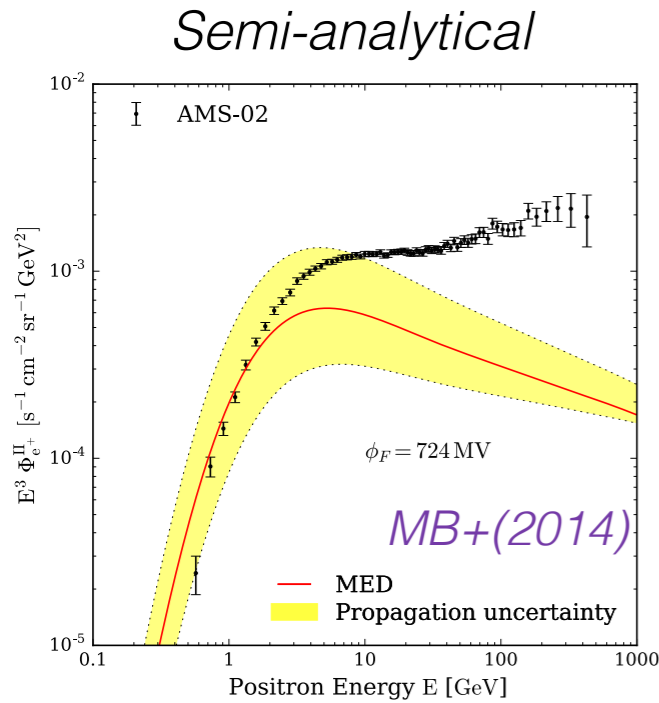
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*Mertsch & Sarkar (2014)*

- Nearby and ~2-3 Myr old SNR

e.g: *Kachelriess, Neronov & Semikoz (2017)*

## Serious tension with CR nuclei

## Unlikely scenario (p < 0.1%) for isotropic diffusion

*Genolini, Salati, Serpico & Taillet (2016)*

- Different propagation model

e.g: *Lipari (2017), Blum, Sato & Waxman (2017)*

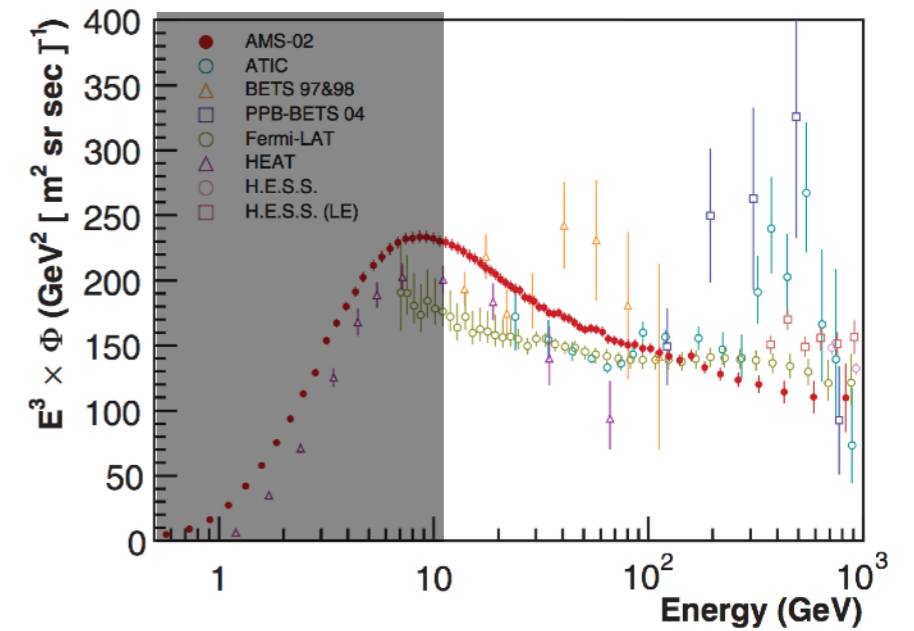
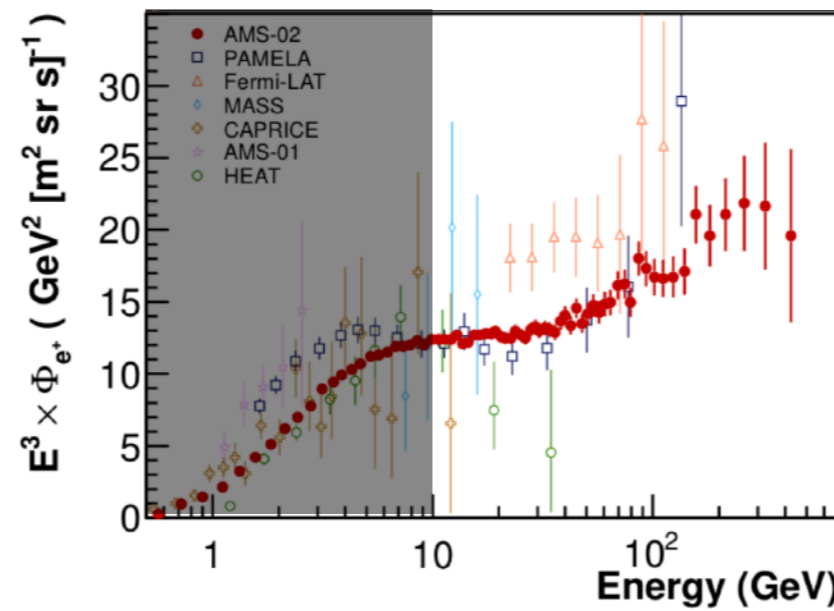
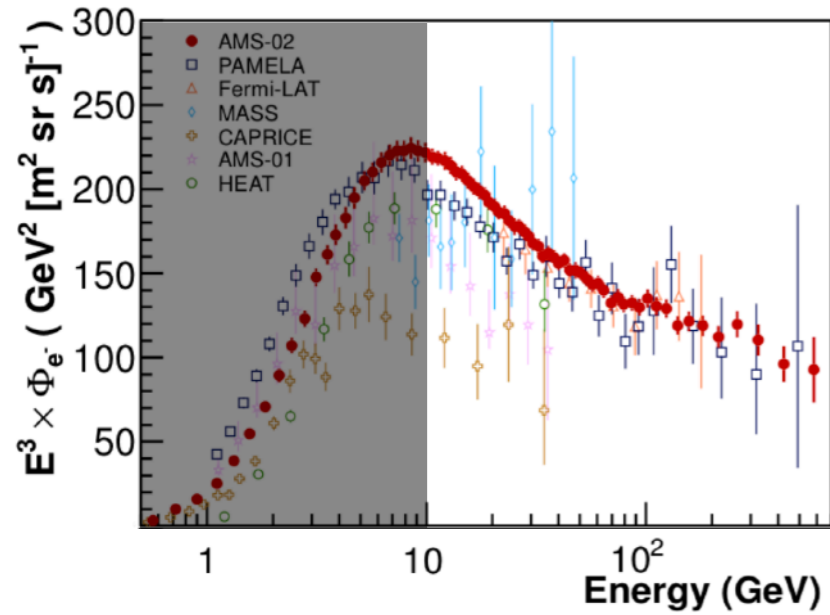
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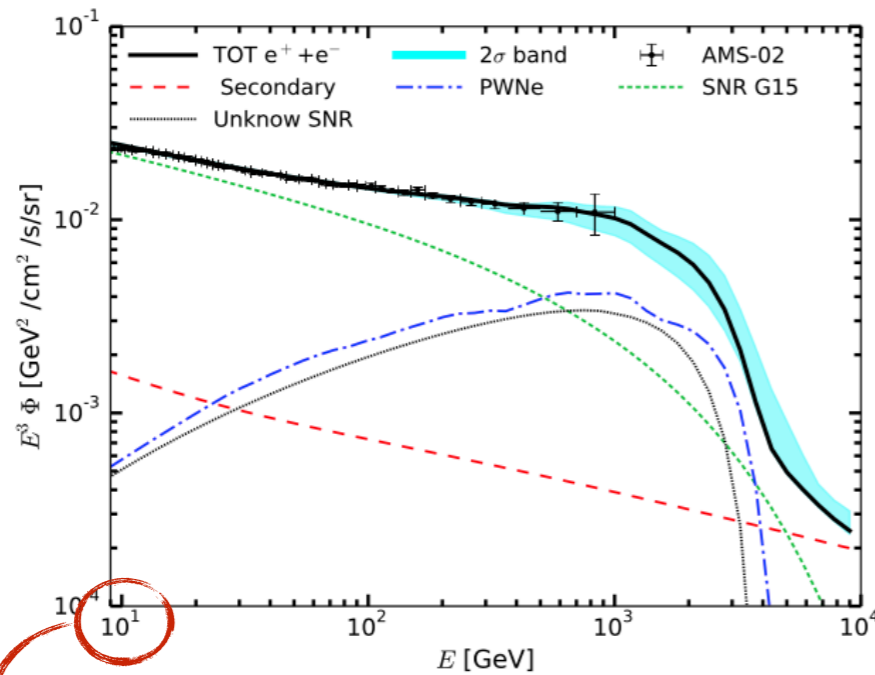
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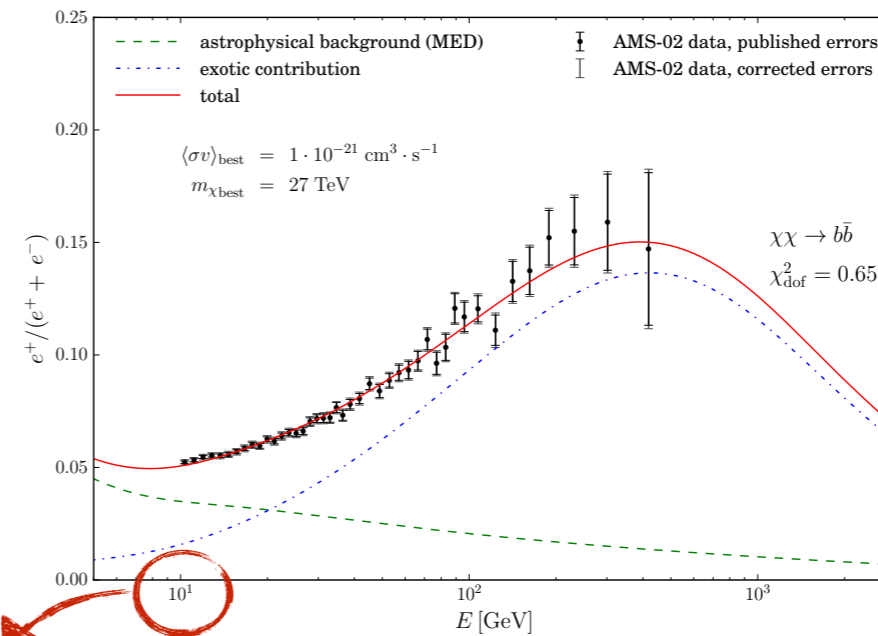
### Interpretation of AMS-02 e<sup>+</sup>/e<sup>-</sup> data



Semi-analytic method analysis e.g.:



*Di Mauro+(2016)*



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*MB+(2014)*

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**Why the low energy data points (< 10 GeV) are not used?**



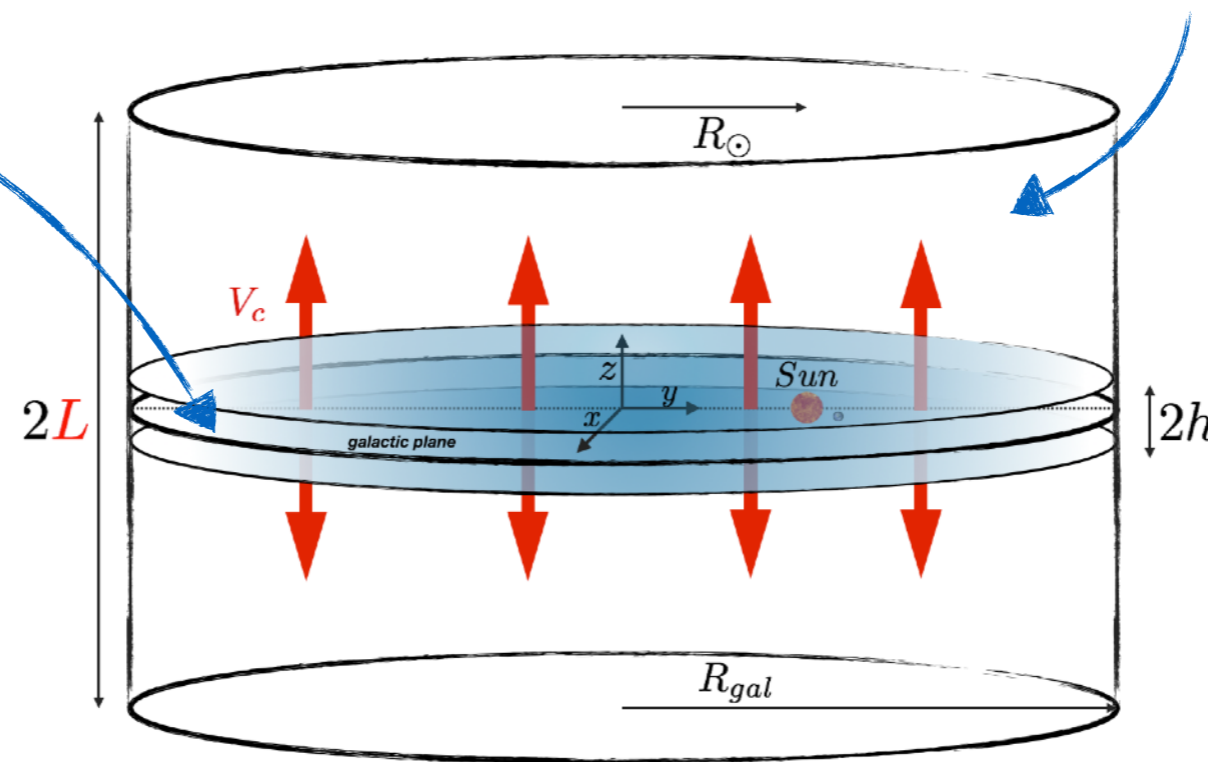
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**We cannot solve analytically the transport equation when cosmic rays lose energy in the hole magnetic halo!**

We need a **numerical** algorithm to solve the transport equation (GALPROP, DRAGON, PICARD, etc.)

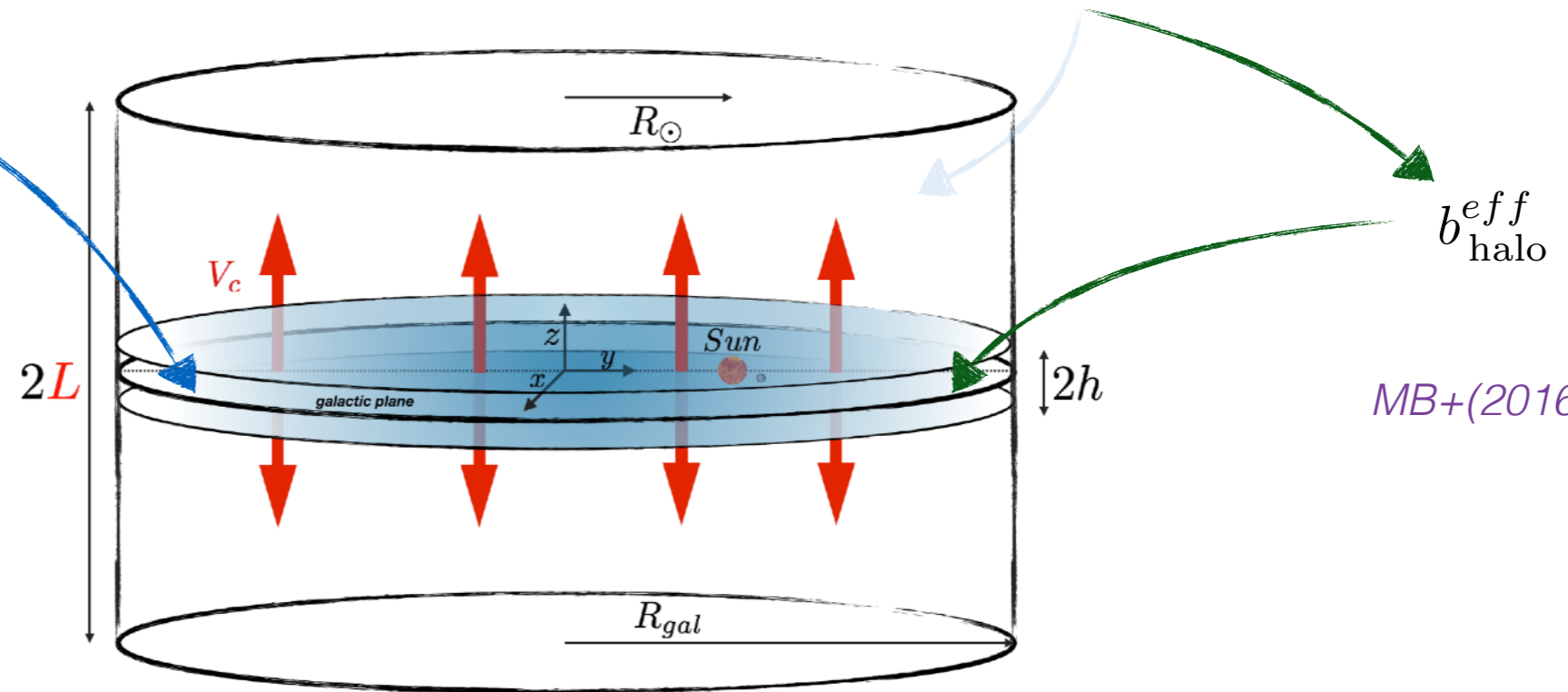
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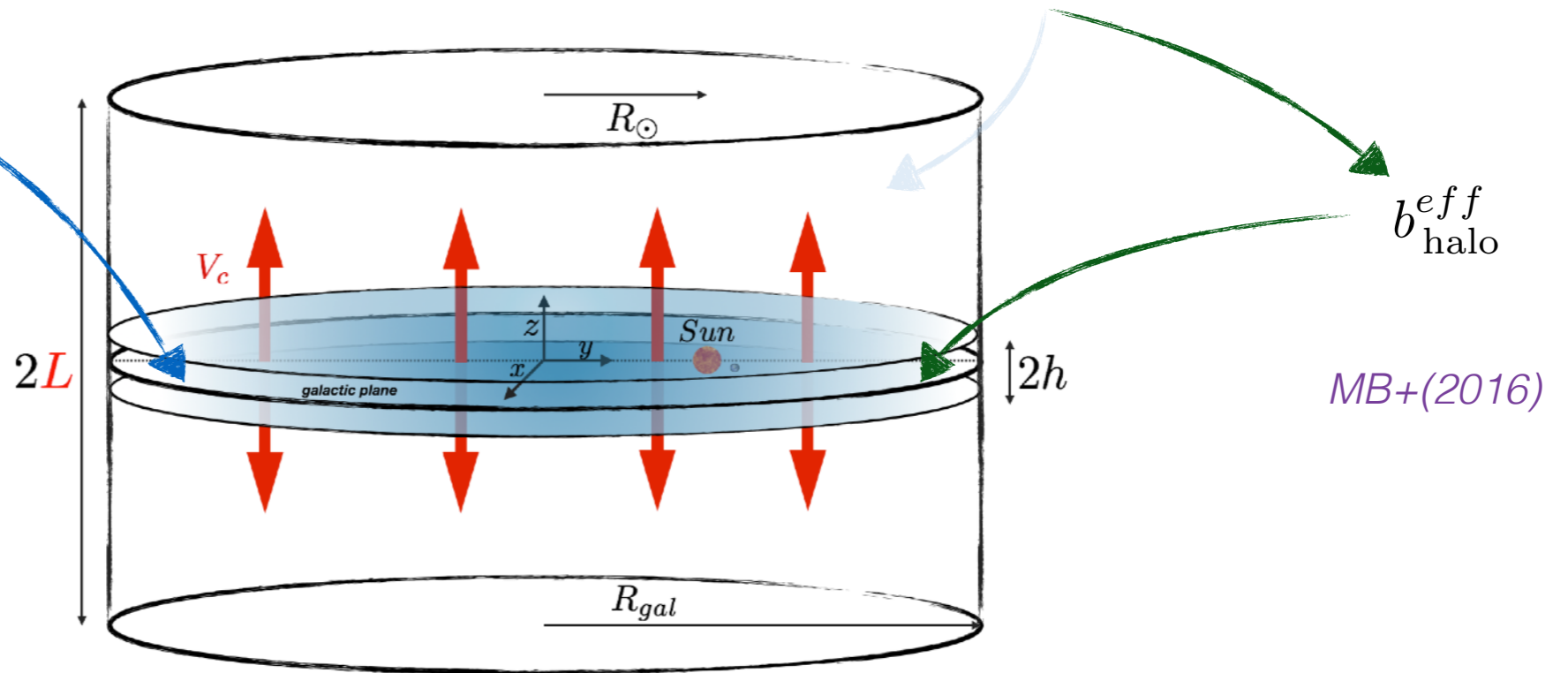
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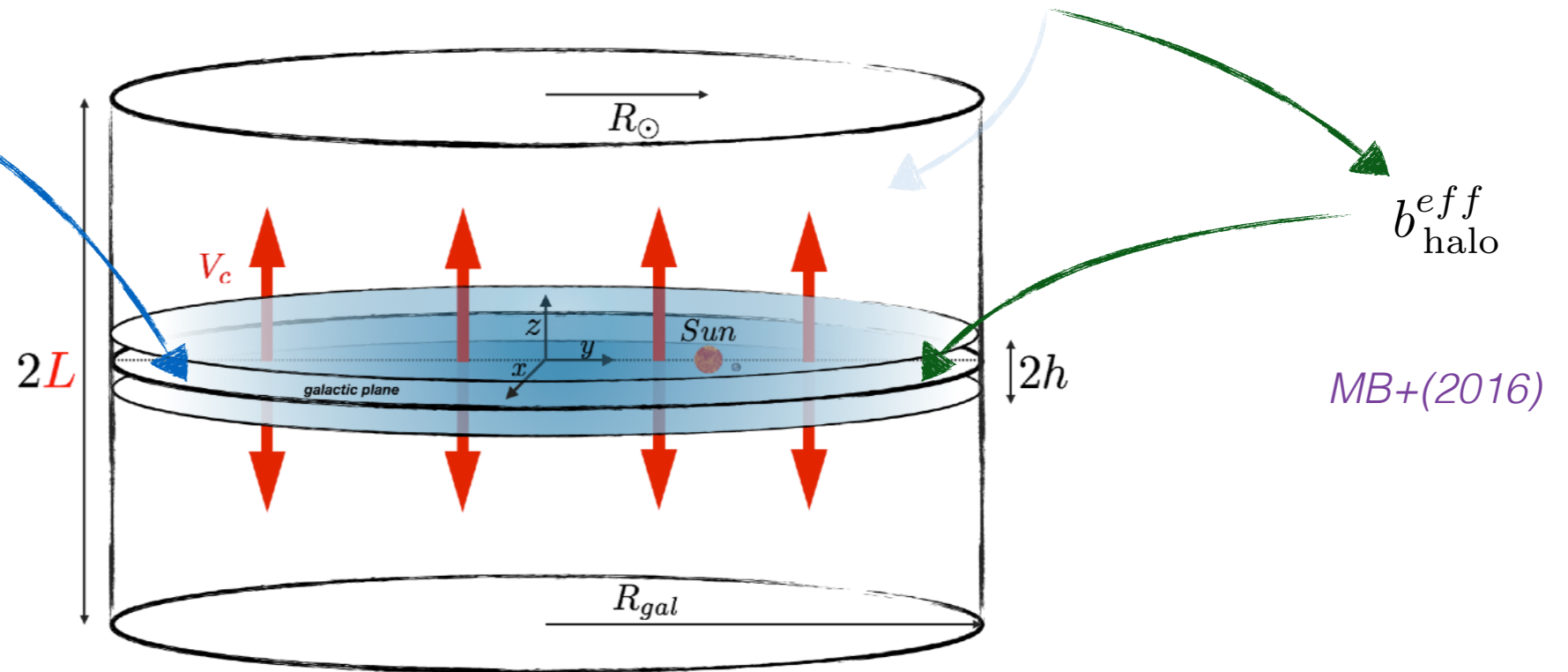
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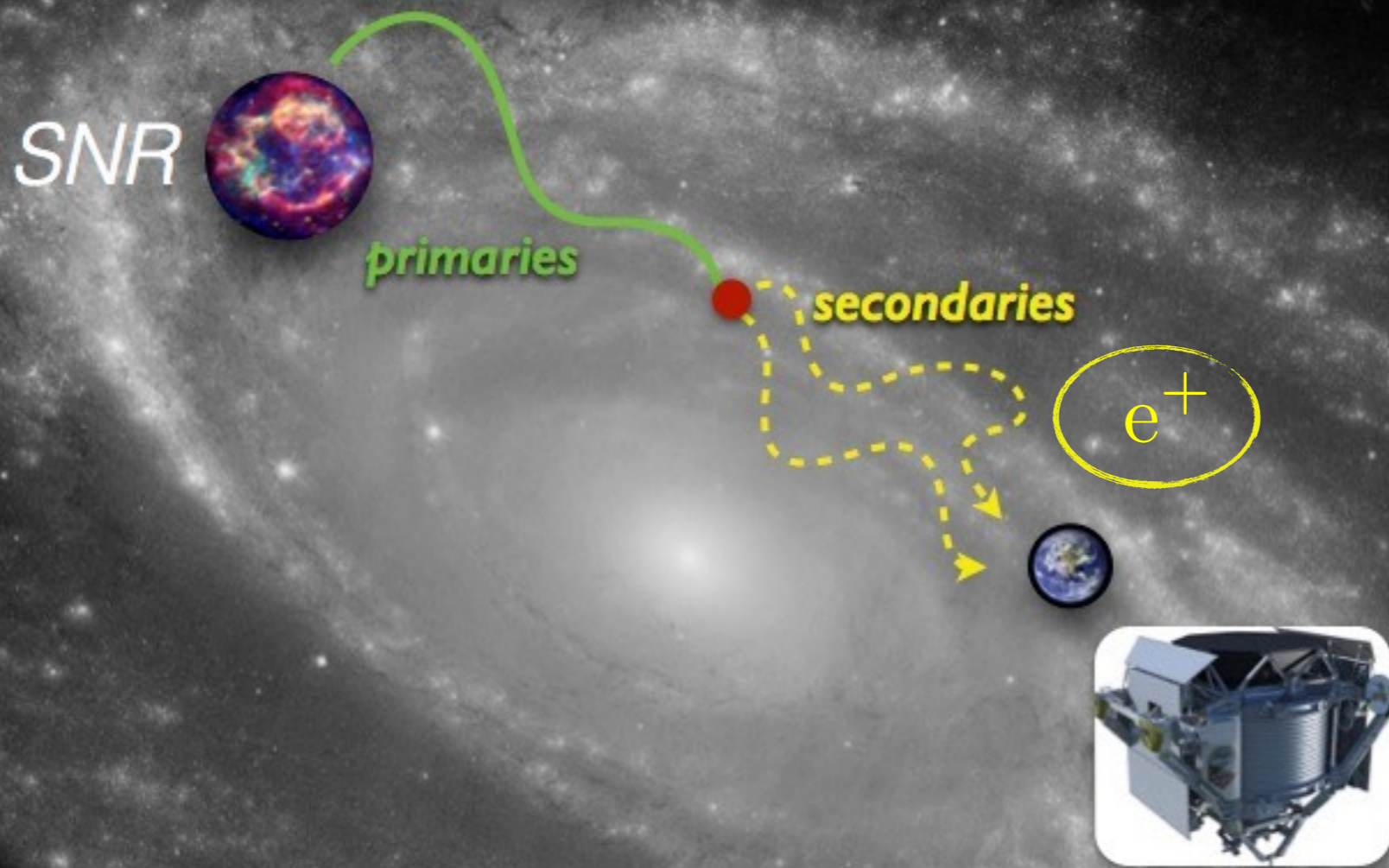
From now we are able to compute the positron flux **analytically**, including all propagation effects!

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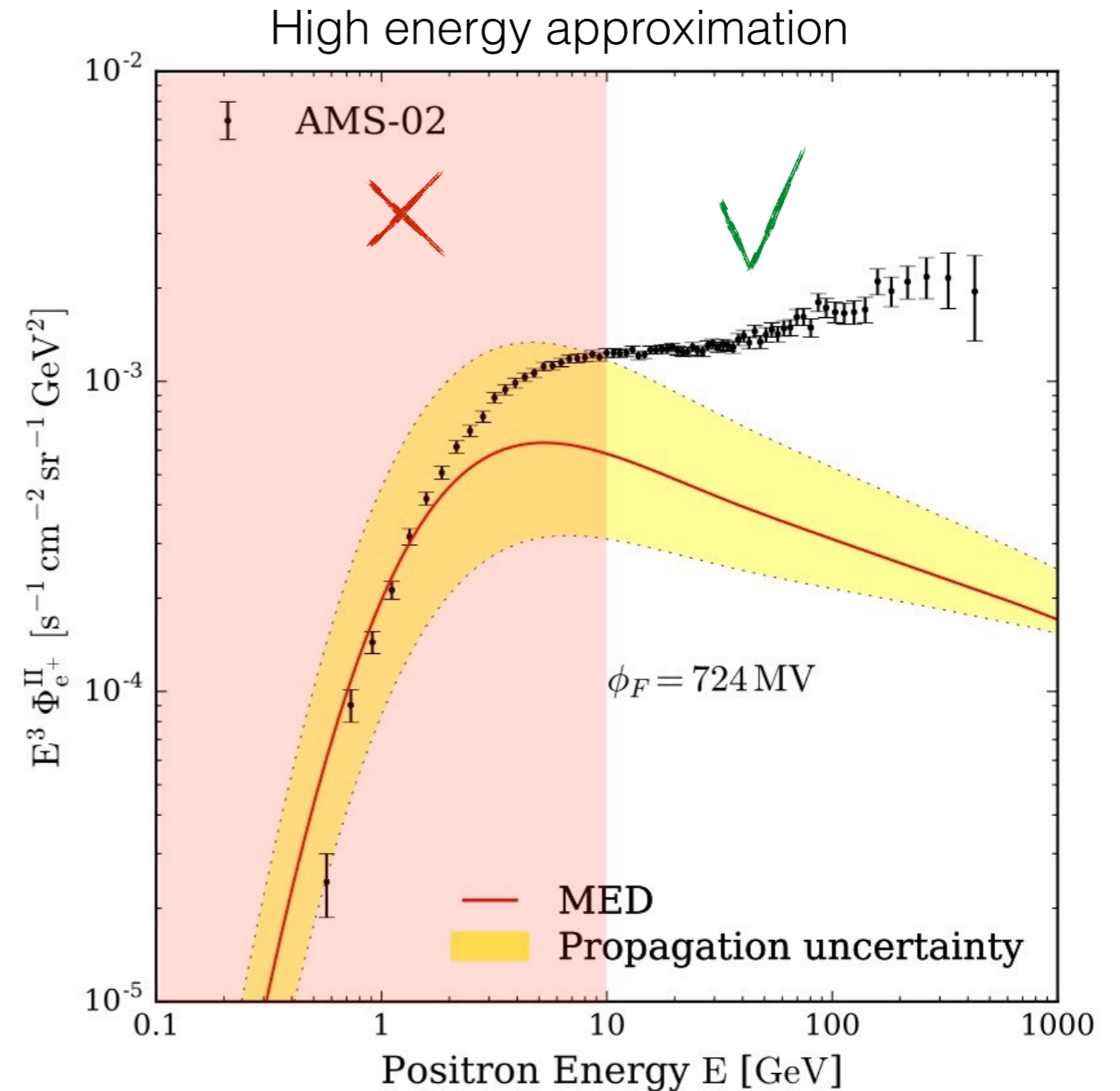
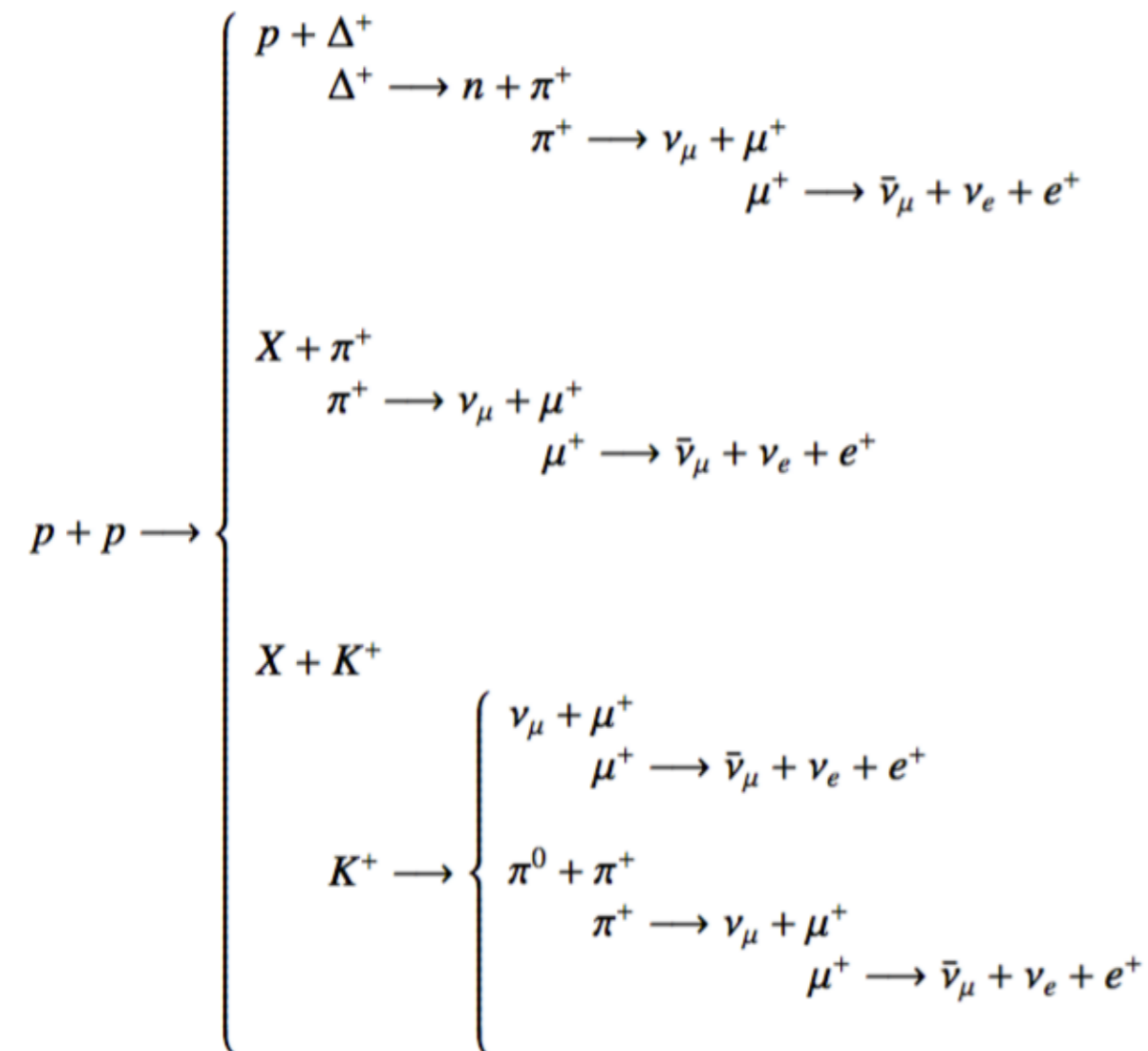
## *I. The positron excess revisited*





## Astrophysical secondary positrons

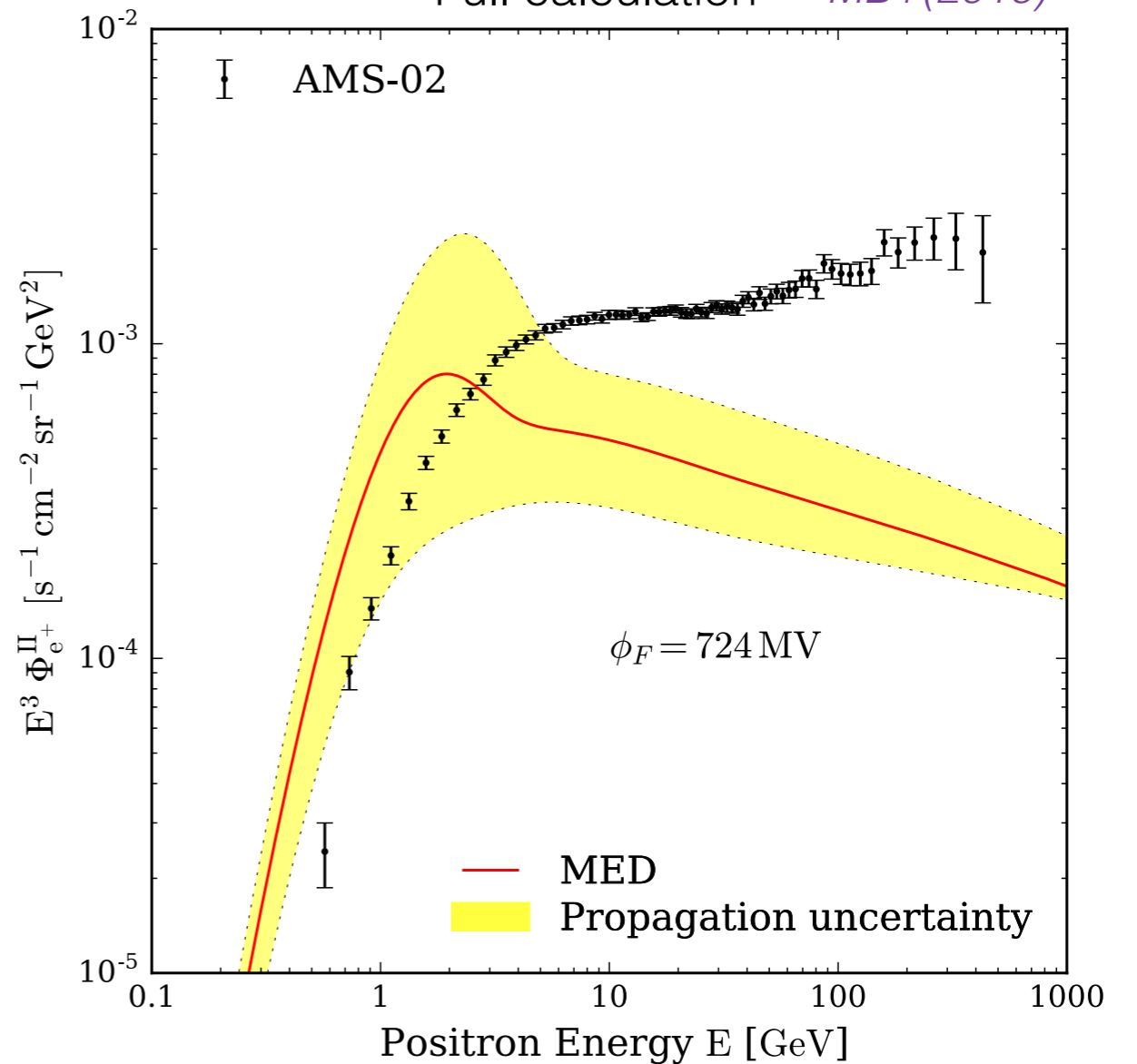
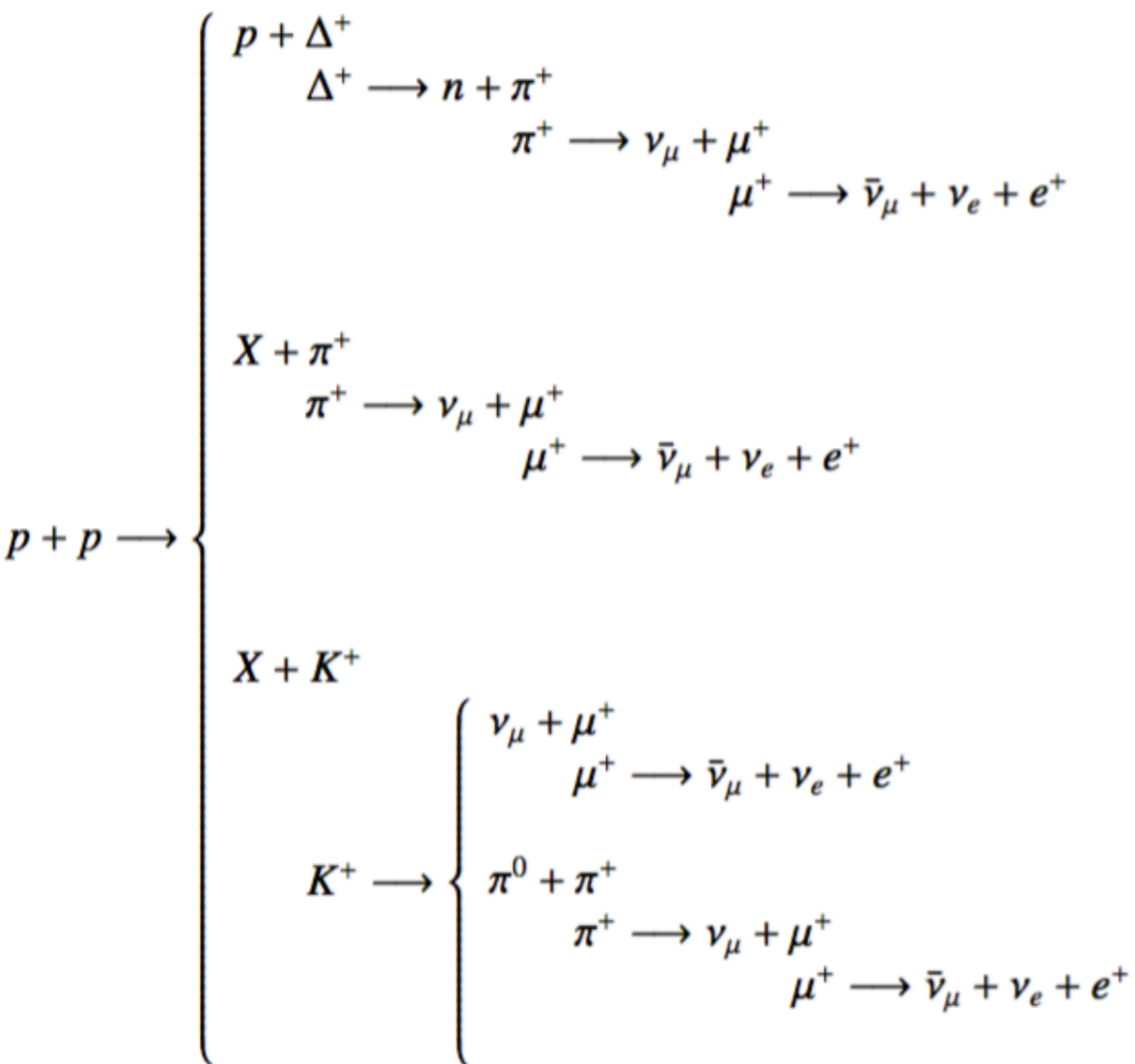
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Full calculation MB+(2016)

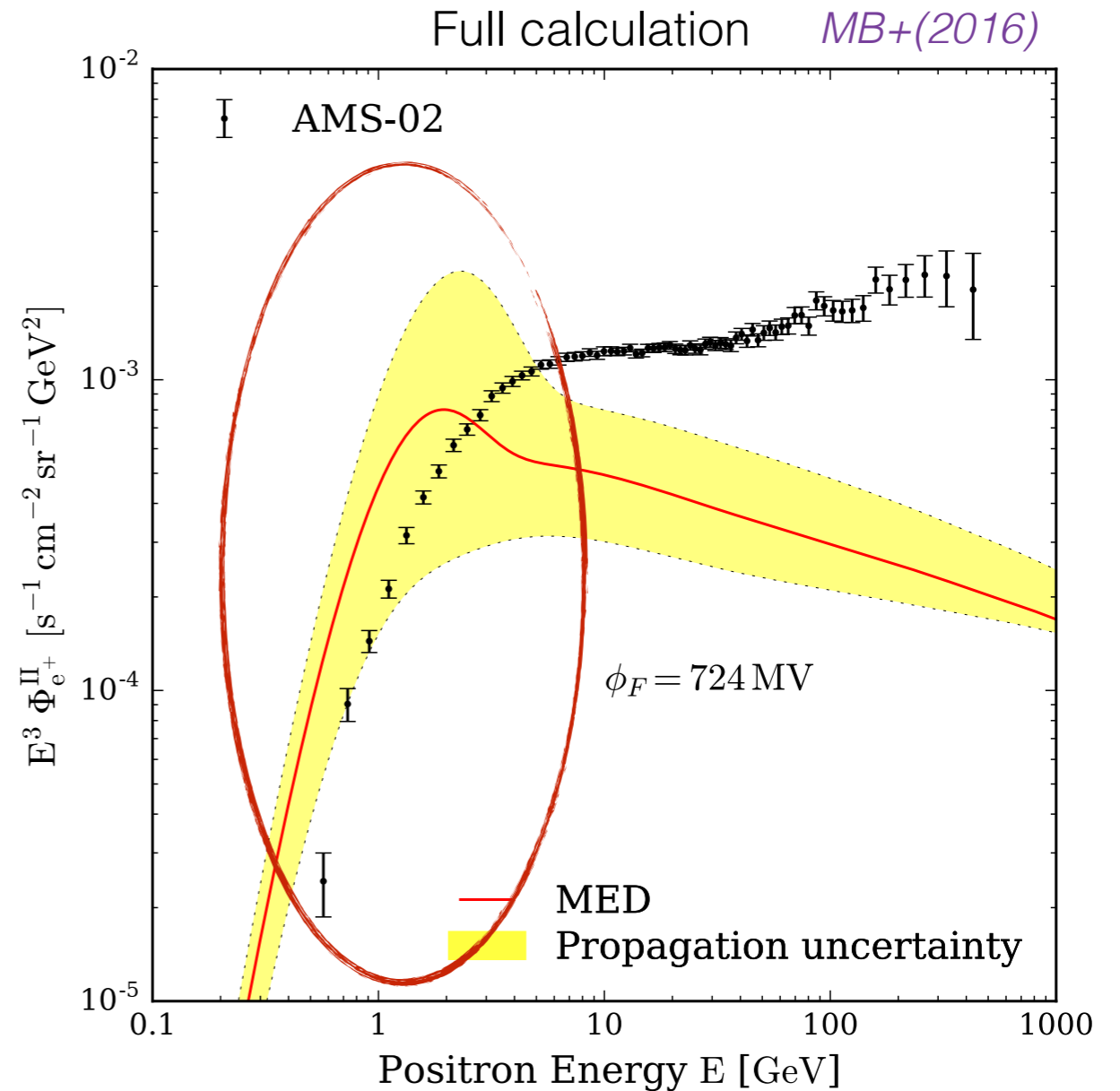
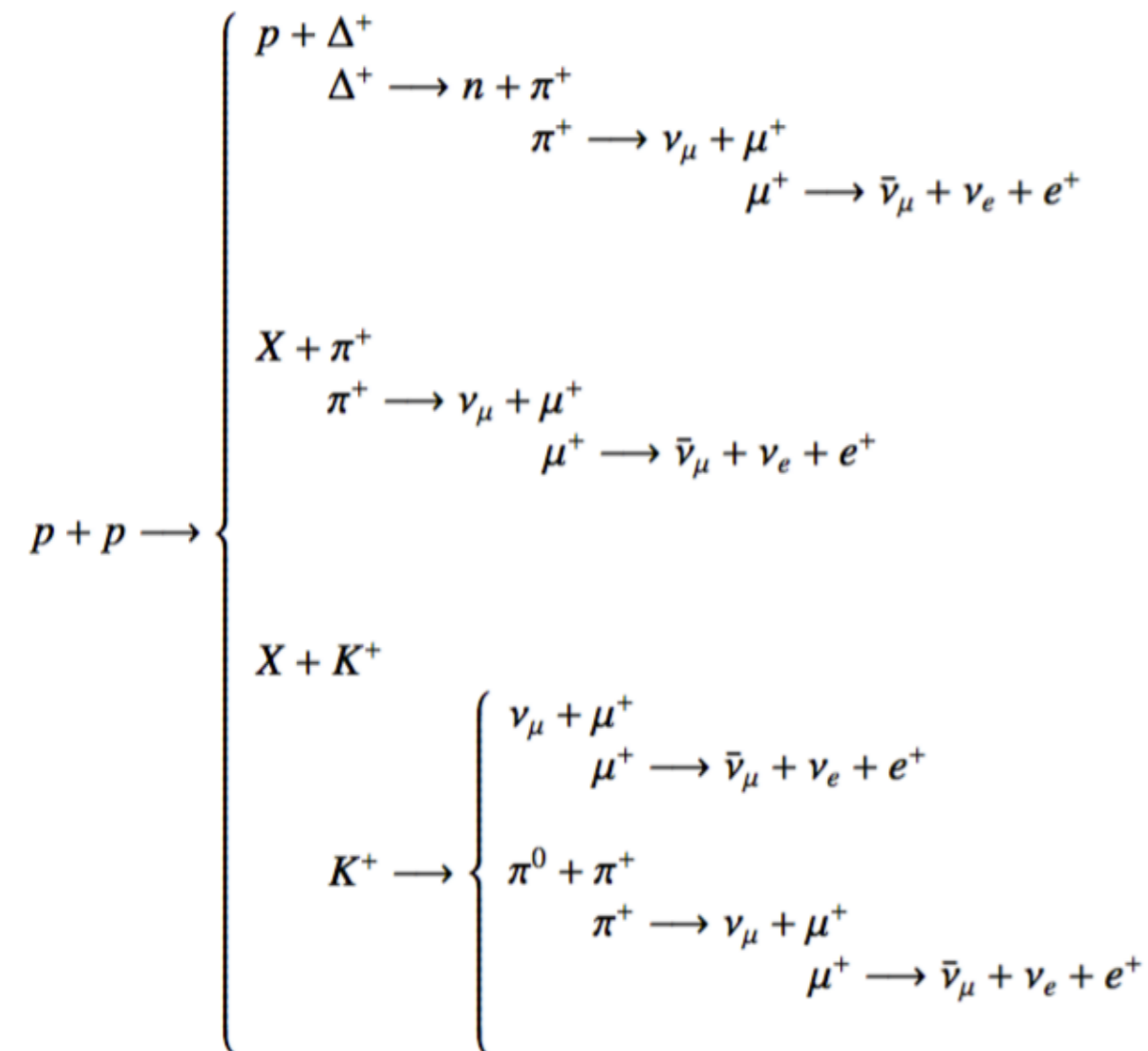


**The HE approximation  $\Rightarrow$  error up to 50% at 10 GeV!**



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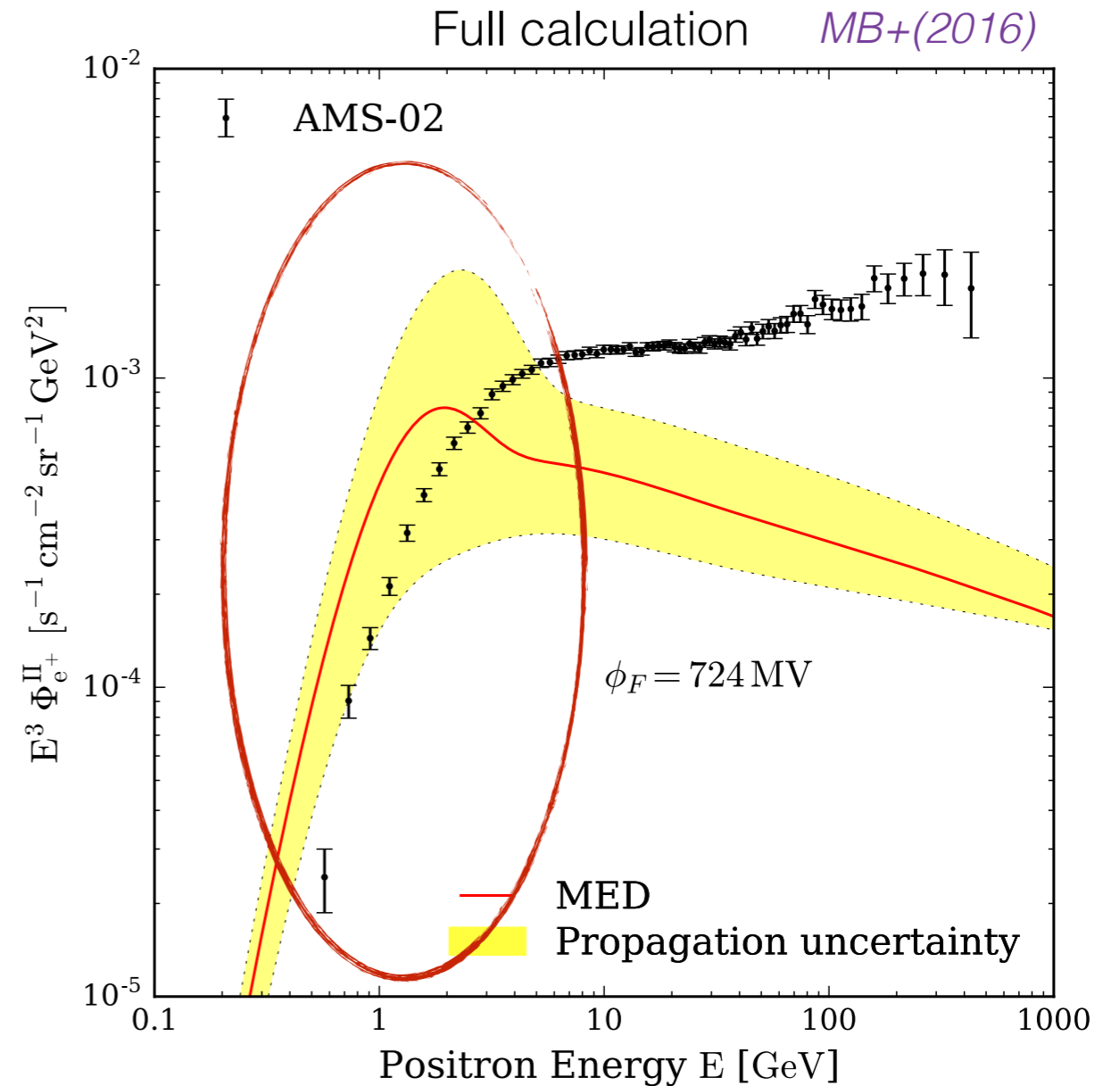
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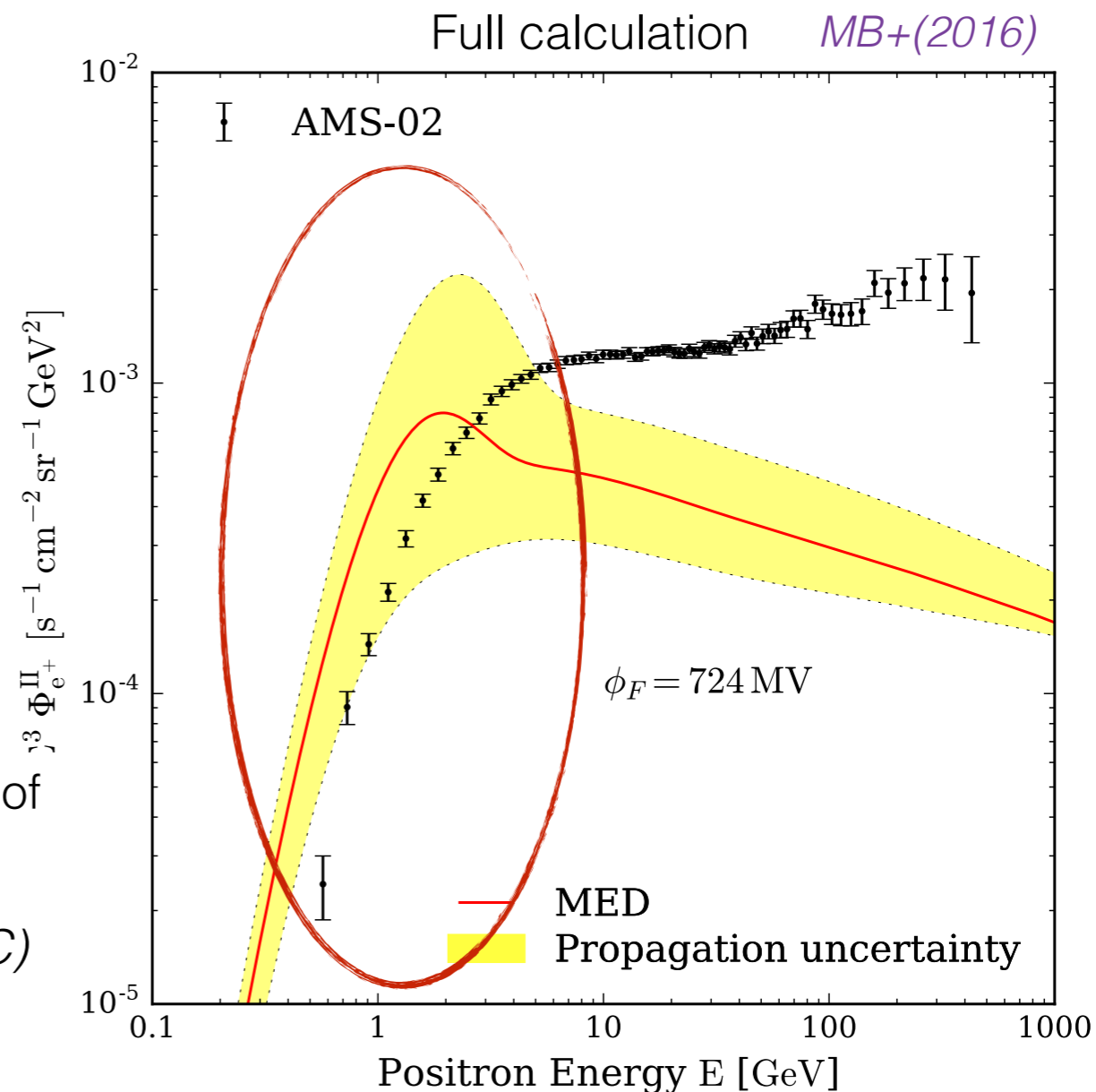
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Case	$\delta$	$K_0$ [kpc <sup>2</sup> /Myr]	$L$ [kpc]	$V_C$ [km/s]	$V_a$ [km/s]
MIN	0.85	0.0016	1	13.5	22.4
MED	0.70	0.0112	4	12	52.9
MAX	0.46	0.0765	15	117.6	

**Ruled out!**

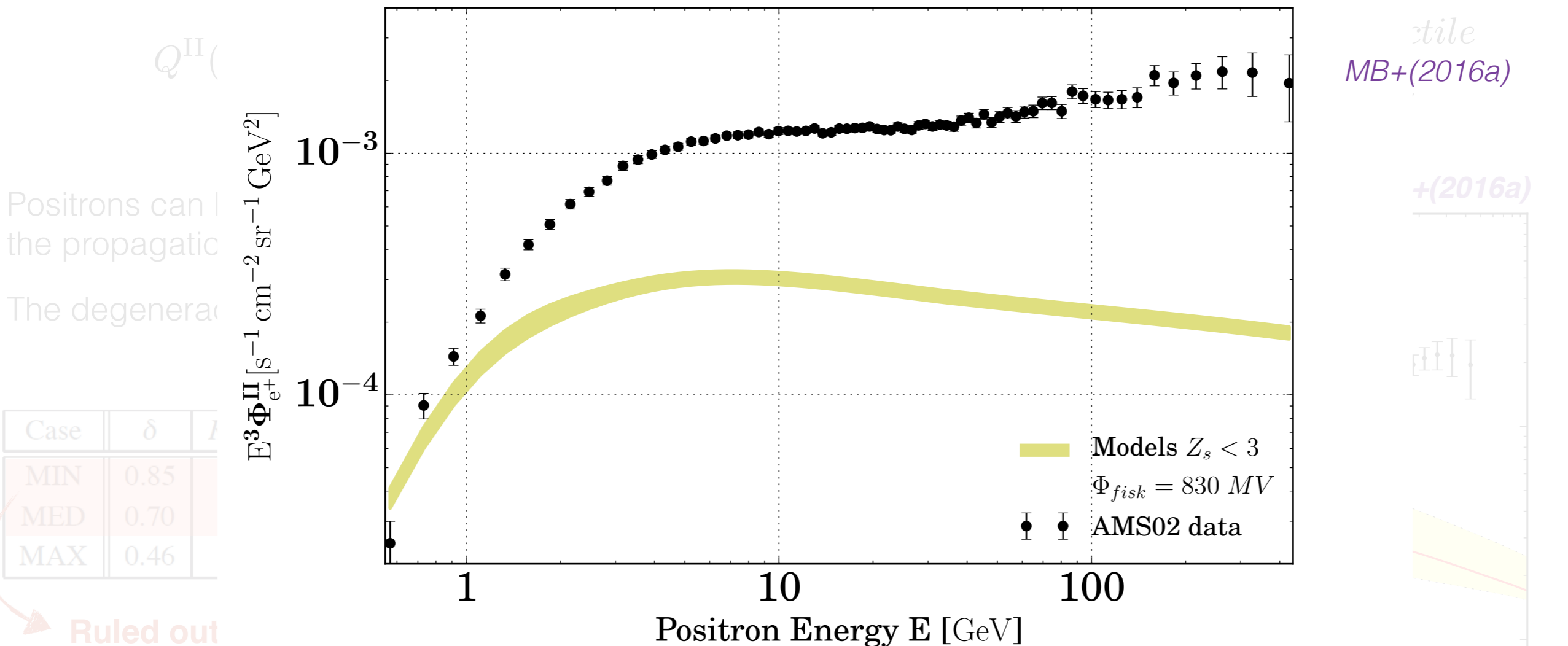
The AMS-02 positrons data favour the **MAX-type** sets of propagation parameters.

*(result confirmed by AMS-02 antiprotons and recent B/C)*



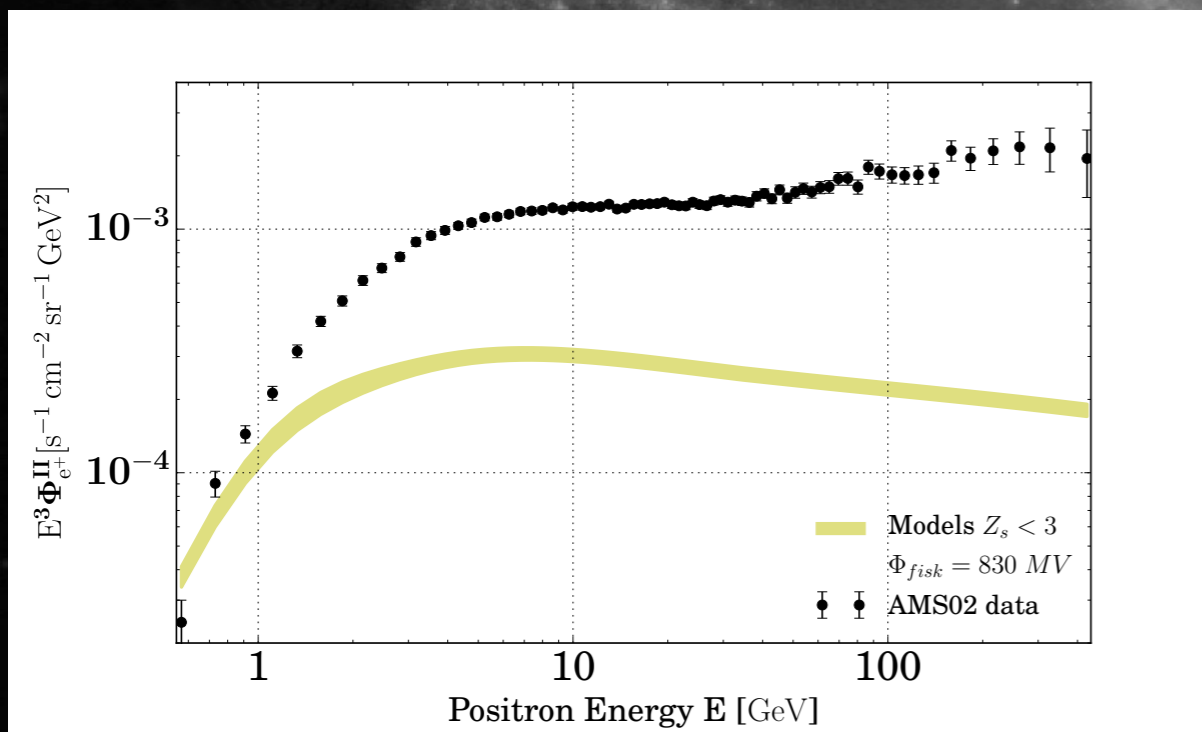
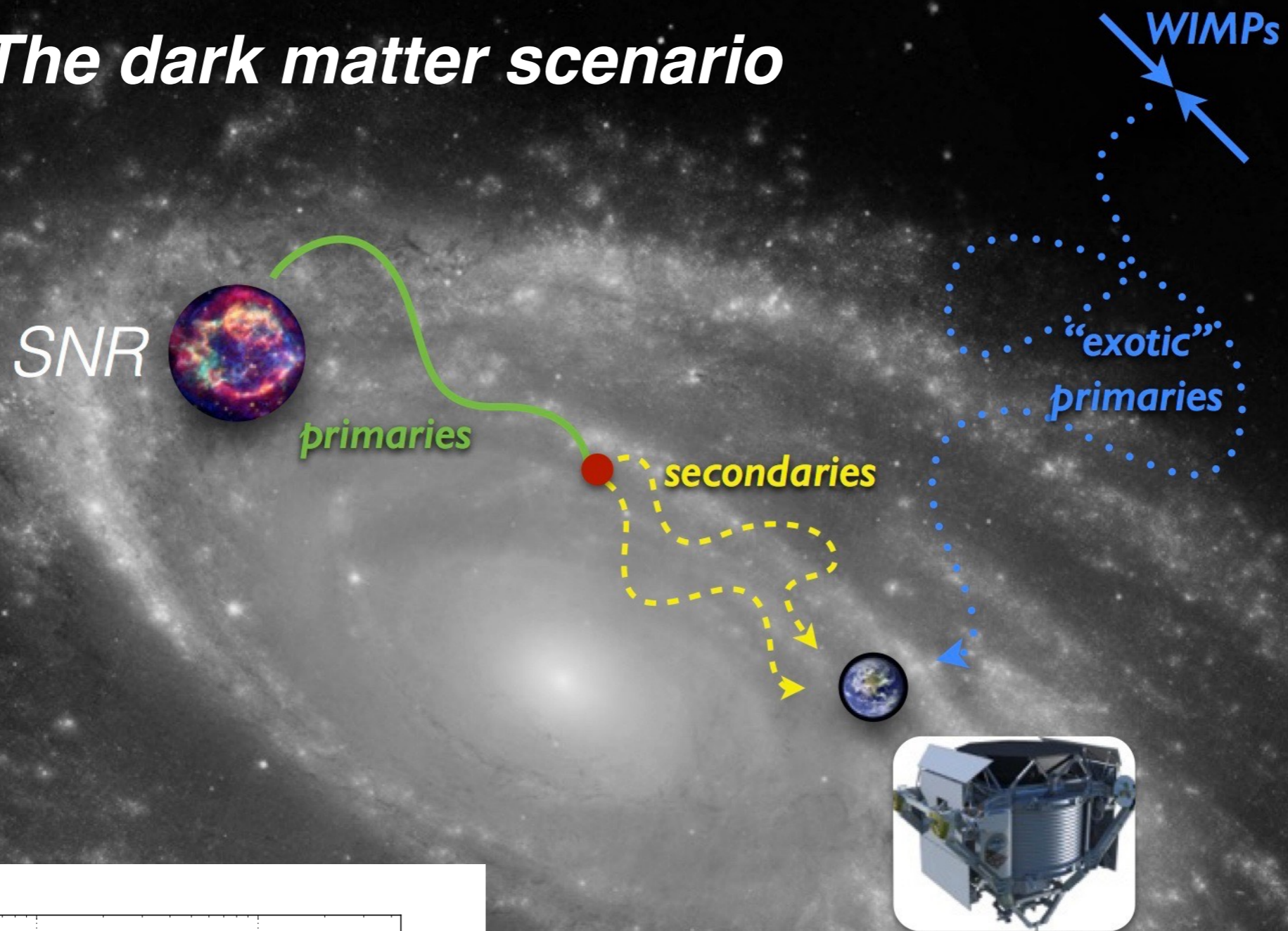


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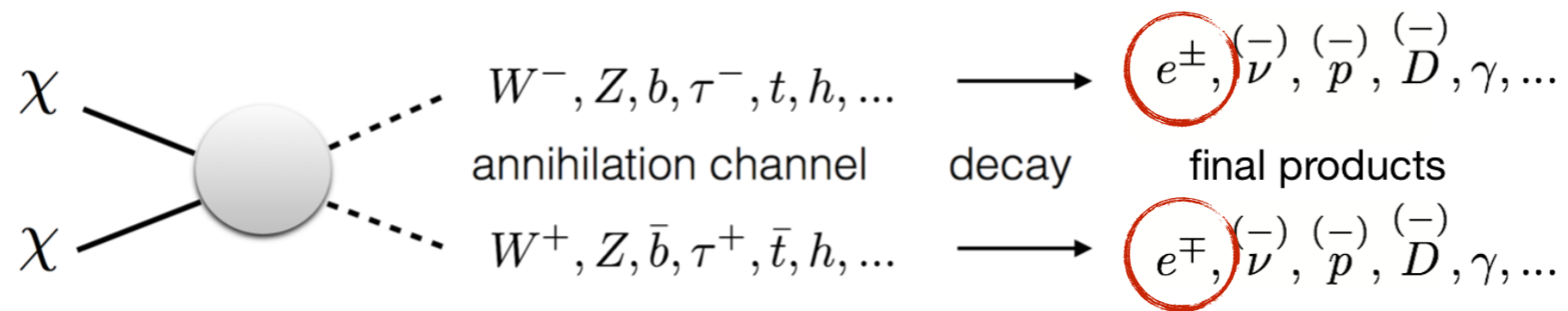


- The uncertainty band for the  $e^+$  is now very narrow.
- The positron excess appears now from  $\sim 1$  GeV.
- Where do come from the remaining positrons?
- We need another component(s) to explain the positron data **from  $\sim 1$  GeV to  $\sim 500$  GeV**.

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A very generic class of models

$$\chi\chi \longrightarrow B_b \bar{b}b + B_W W^+W^- + B_\tau \tau^+\tau^- + B_\mu \mu^+\mu^- + B_e e^+e^-$$

### Free parameters

- Propagation parameters  
(consistent with secondaries)

$$K_0, \delta, L, V_C, V_A$$

- Solar modulation (Pisk potential)

$$\phi_F \in [647, 830] \text{ MV} \quad (3 \sigma \text{ CL}) \quad \text{Ghelfi+}(2015)$$

- Dark matter parameters

The mass  $m_\chi$

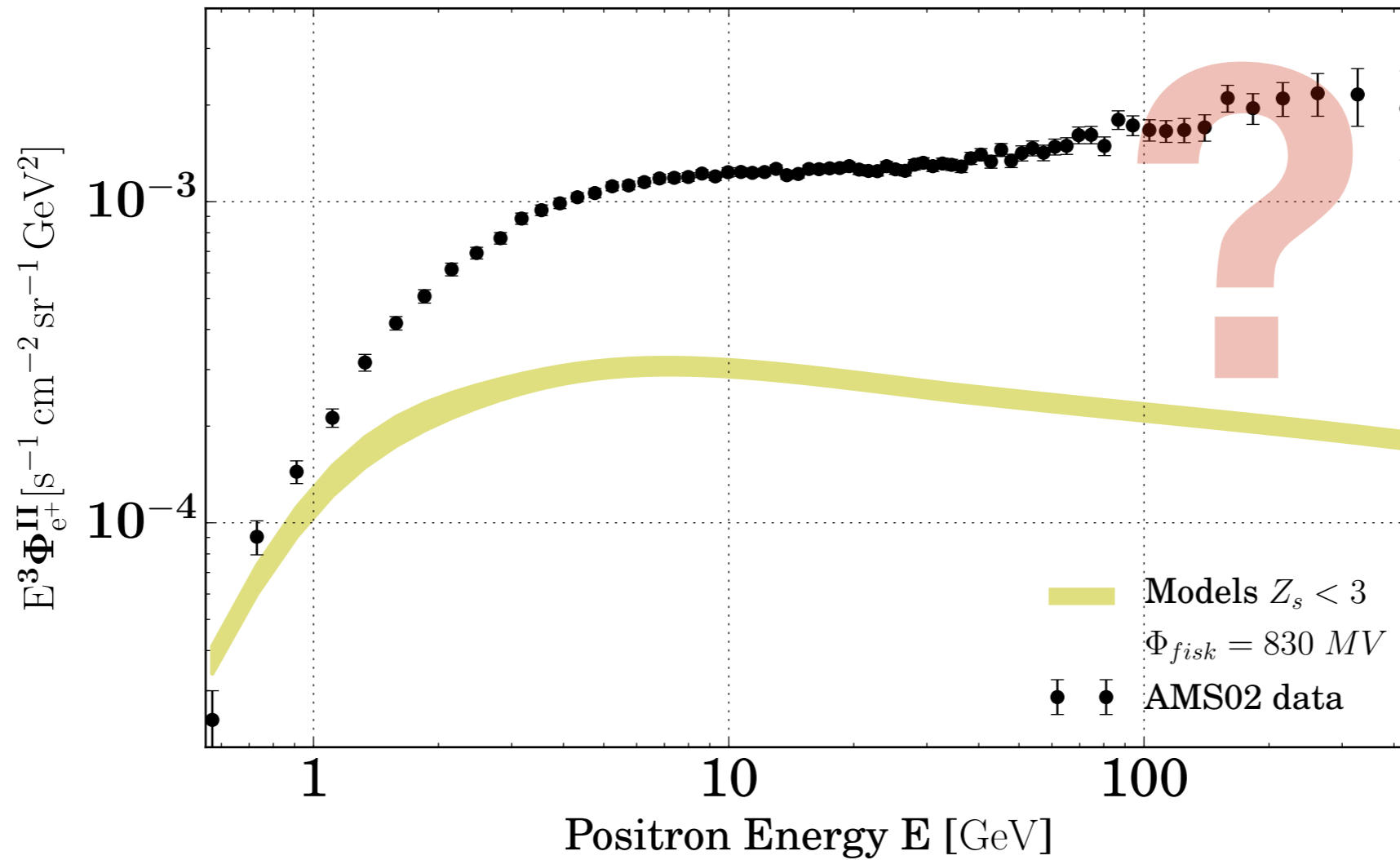
The annihilating cross section  $\langle \sigma v \rangle$

The branching ratios  $B_b, B_W, B_\tau, B_\mu, B_e$



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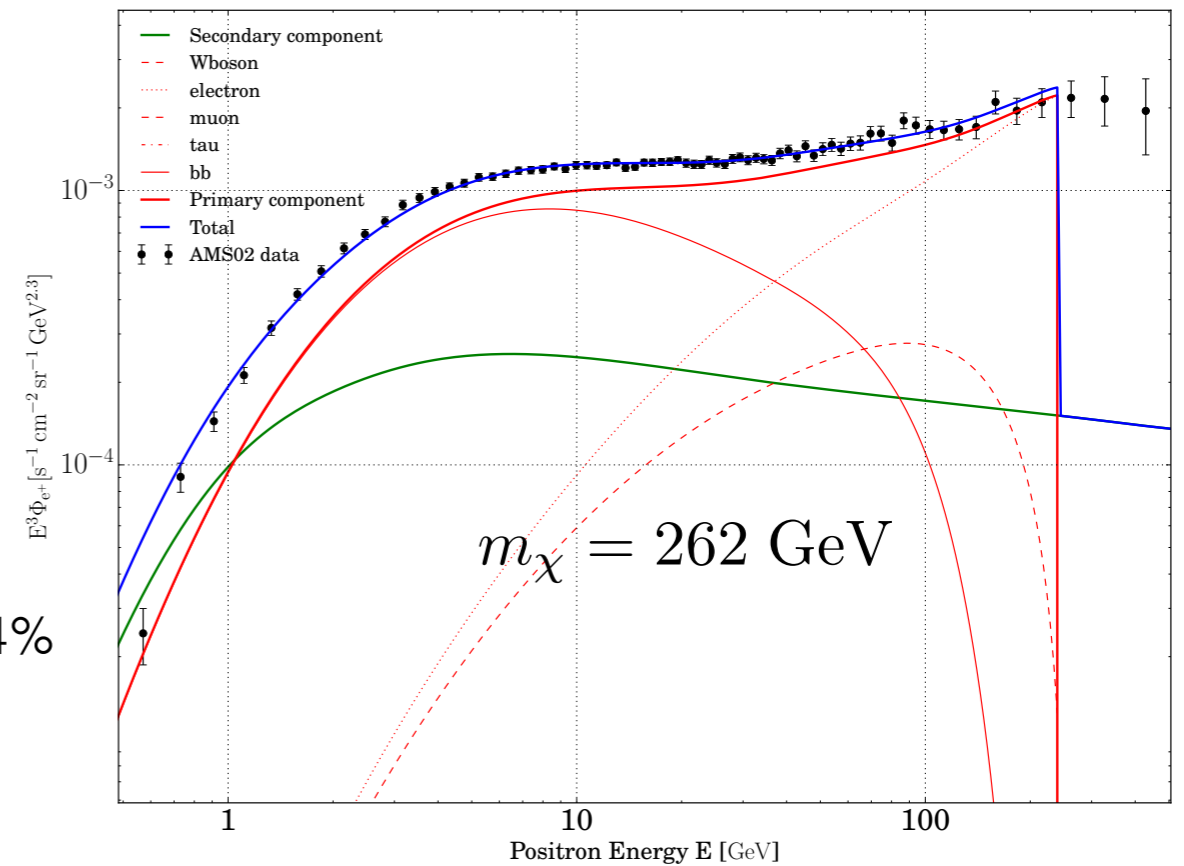
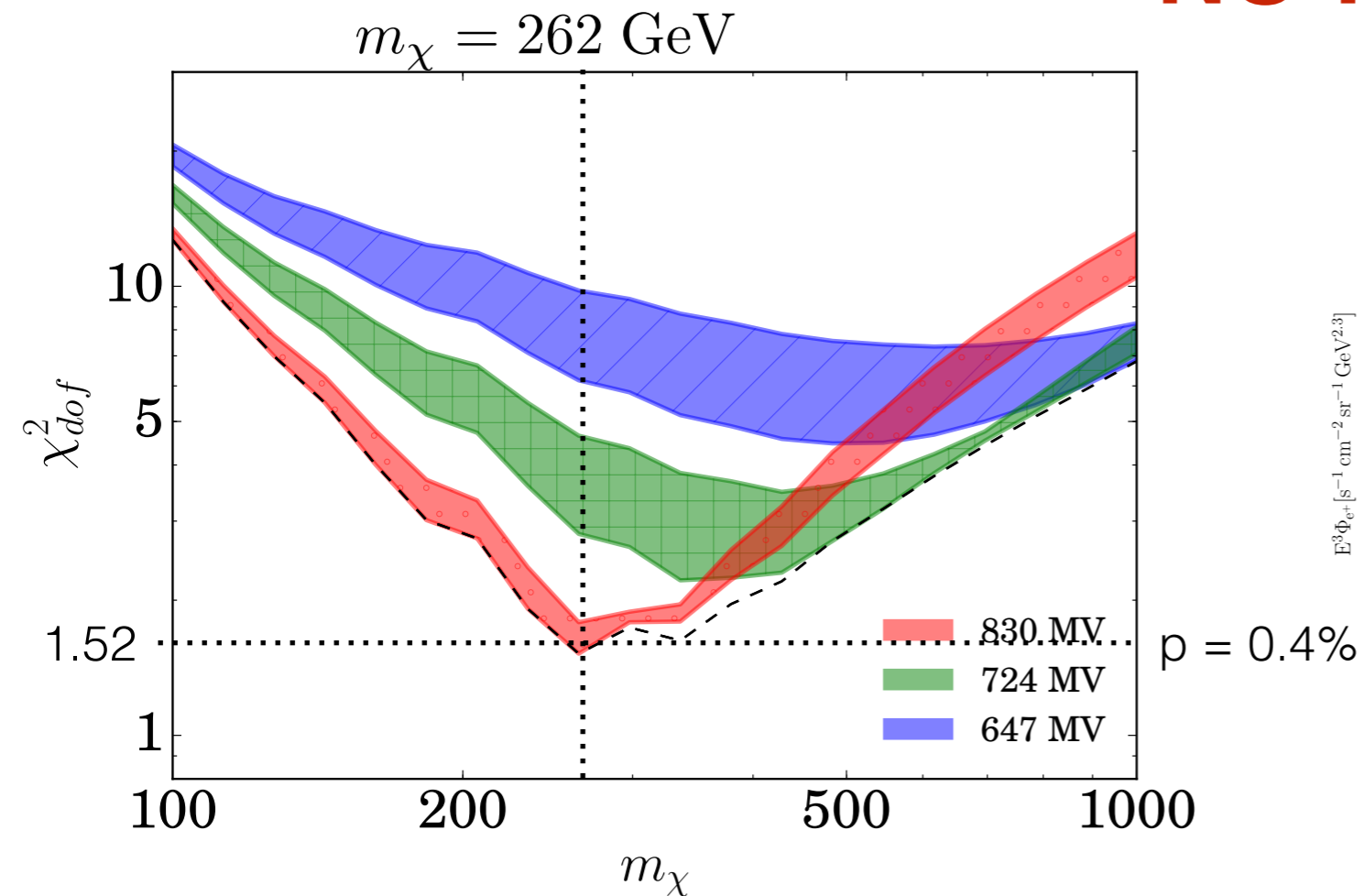


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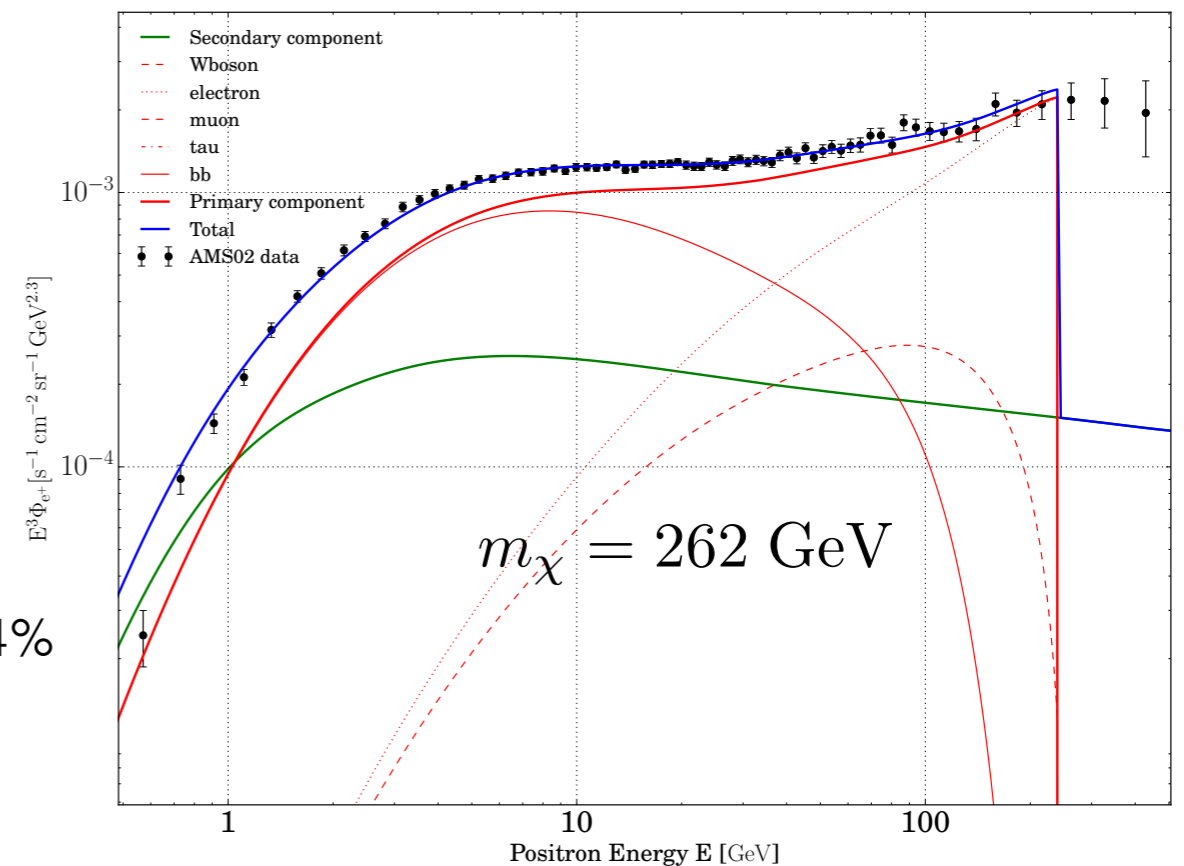
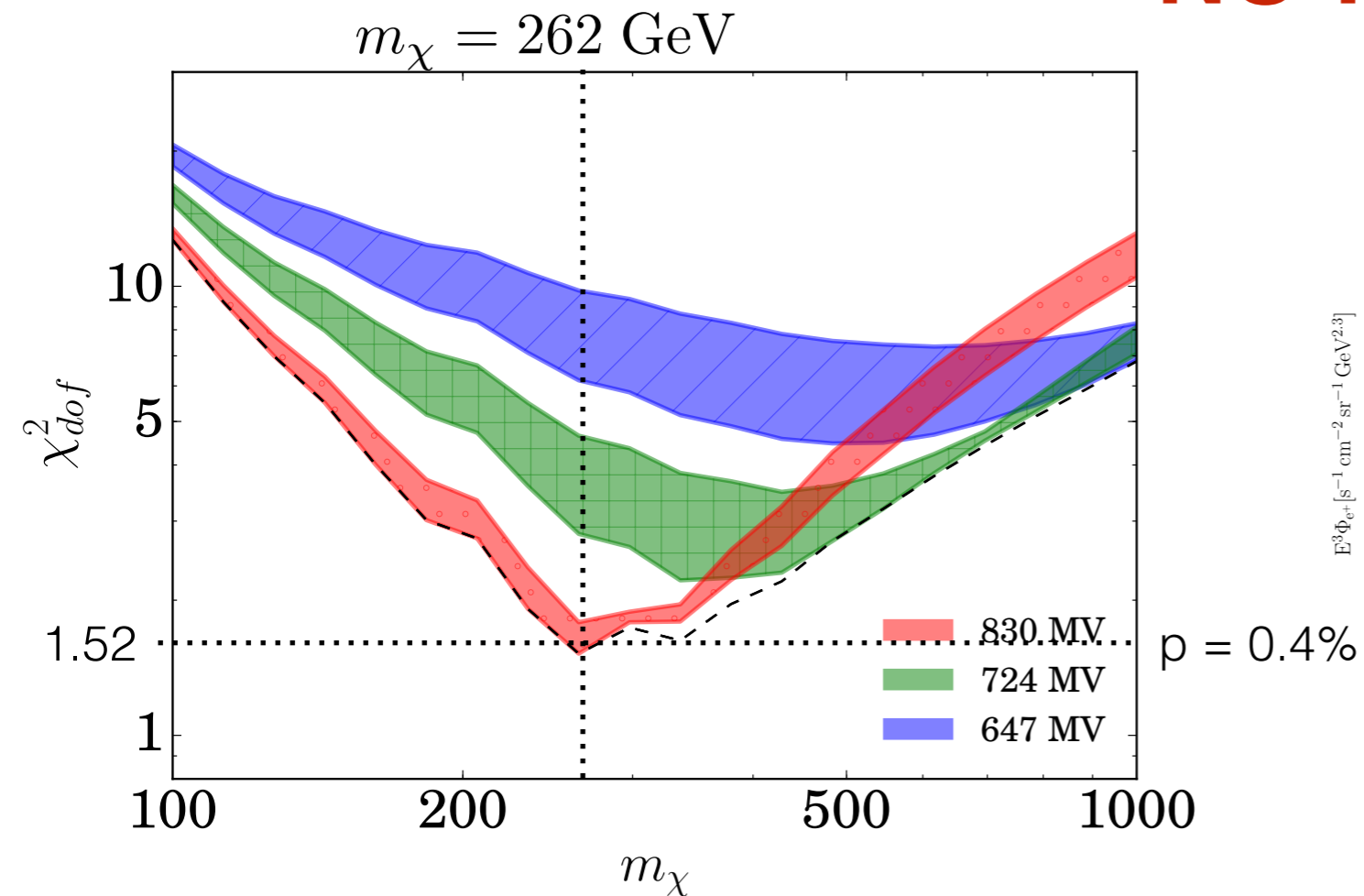
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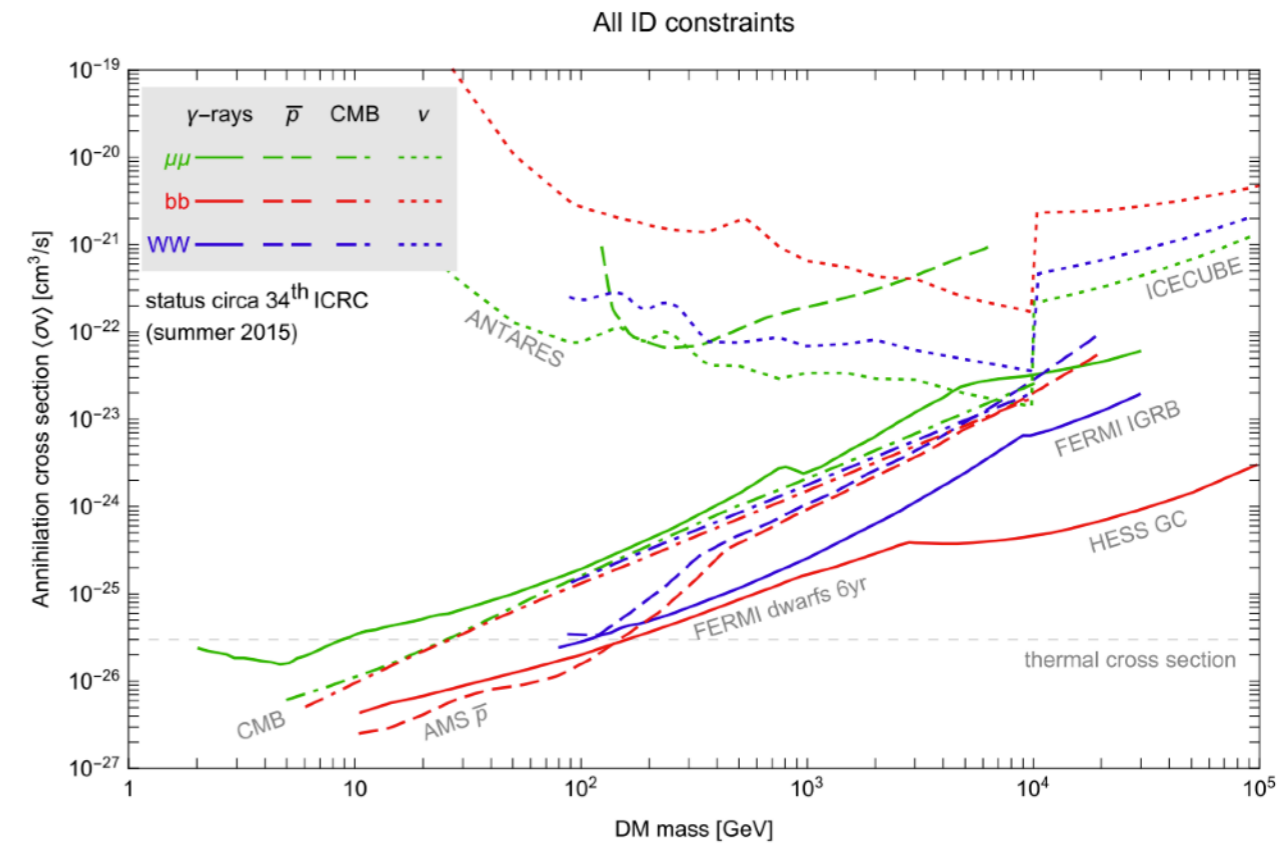
## *II. Novel constraints on MeV dark matter*

## Why MeV dark matter?

### GeV-TeV dark matter

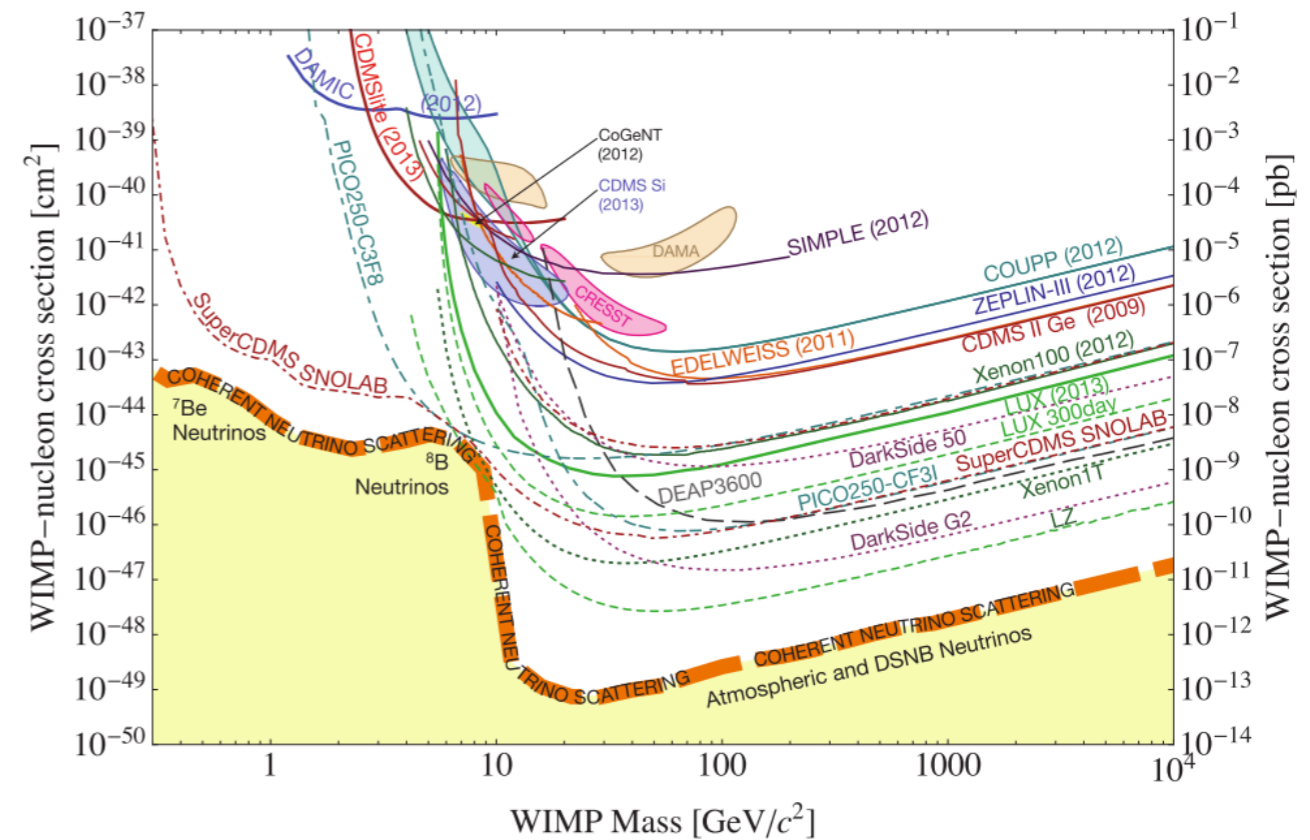
Motivated by SUSY theories.

- Gamma rays: No (clear) signal in the Galactic center. No signal in dSphs galaxies.
- Antiprotons: No (clear) signal.
- Direct detection: No (clear) signal.



### MeV dark matter

- Not many channels kinematically available:
  - Pions ( $> 140$  MeV)
  - Muons ( $> 105$  MeV)
  - Electrons
  - Neutrinos
  - Photons
- Difficult to detect in direct detection experiments.



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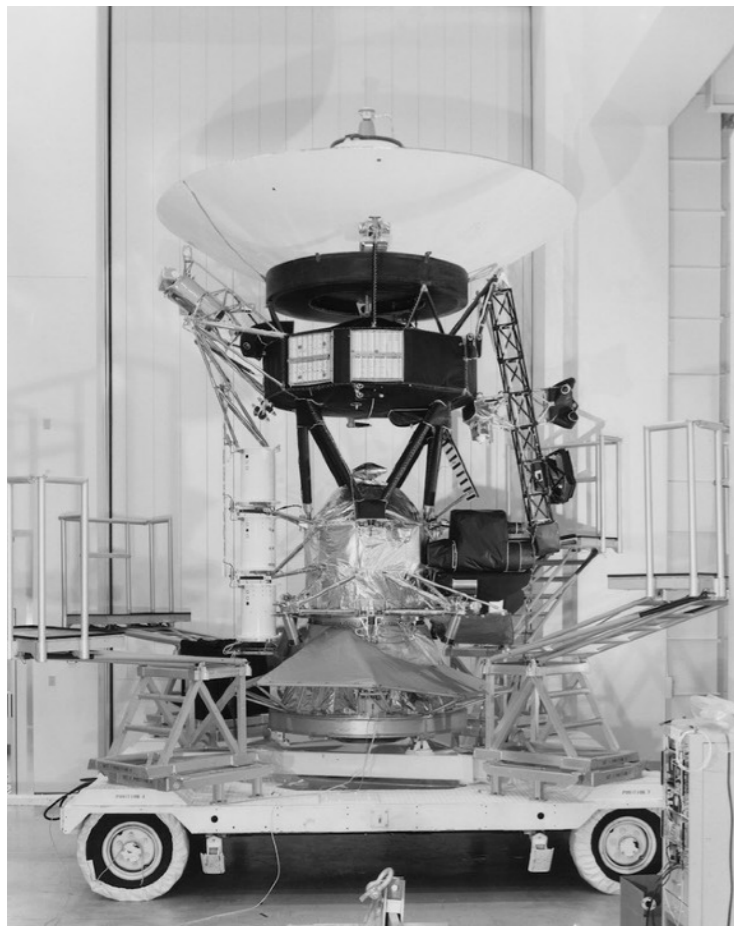
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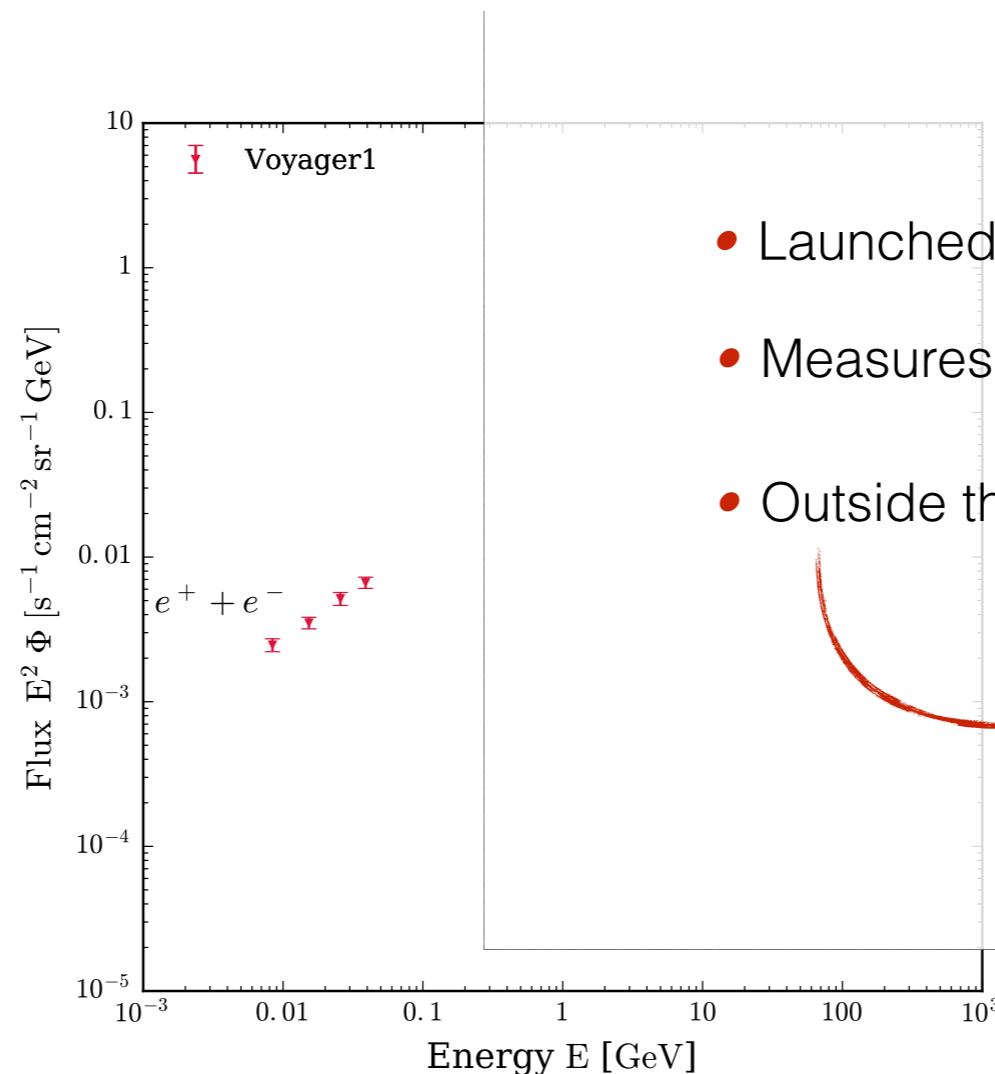
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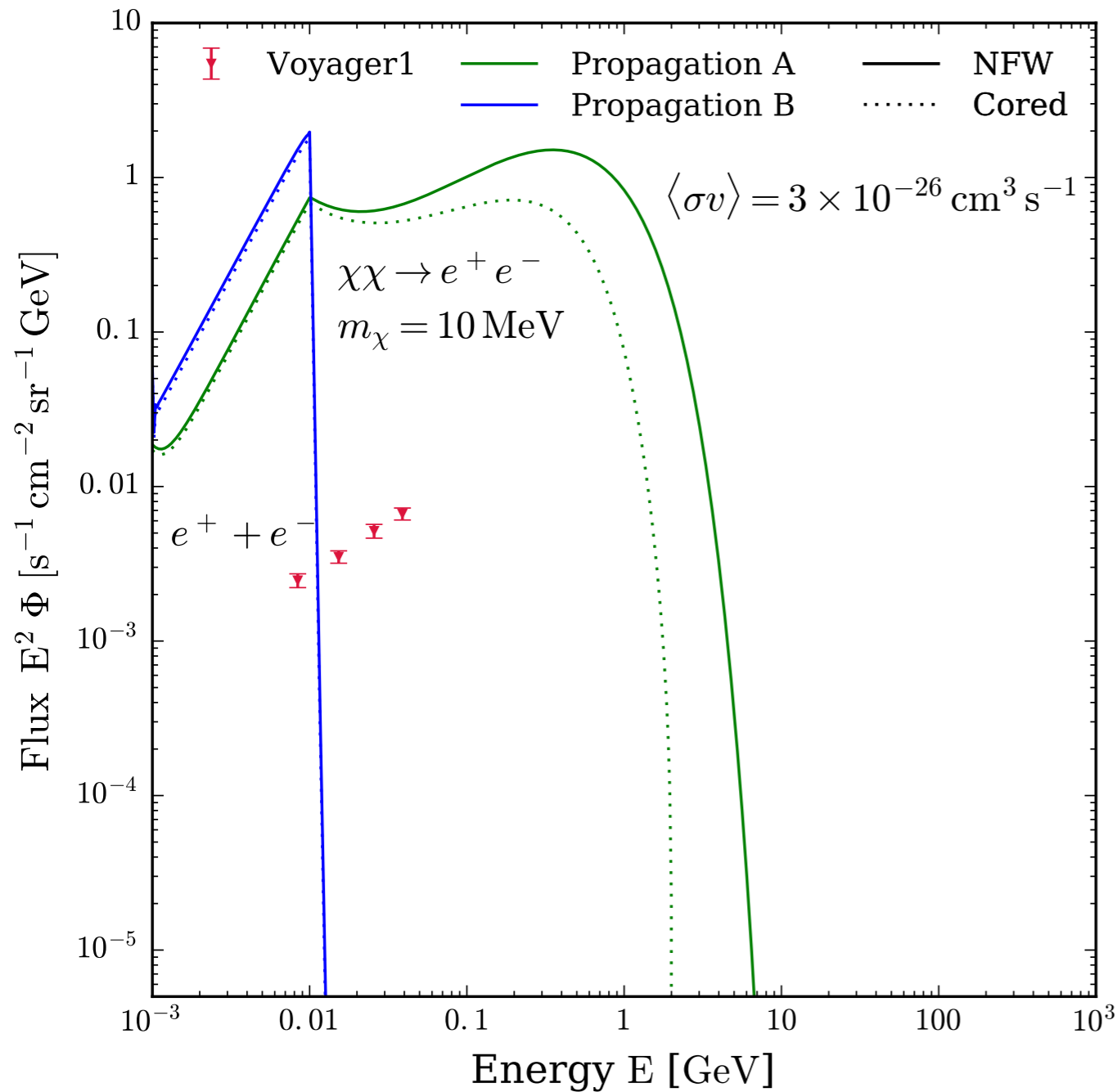
- Measures the flux of **electrons + positrons**  
*Stone et al. (2013)*

- Outside the heliosphere since august 2012

independent of solar effects



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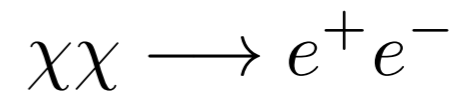


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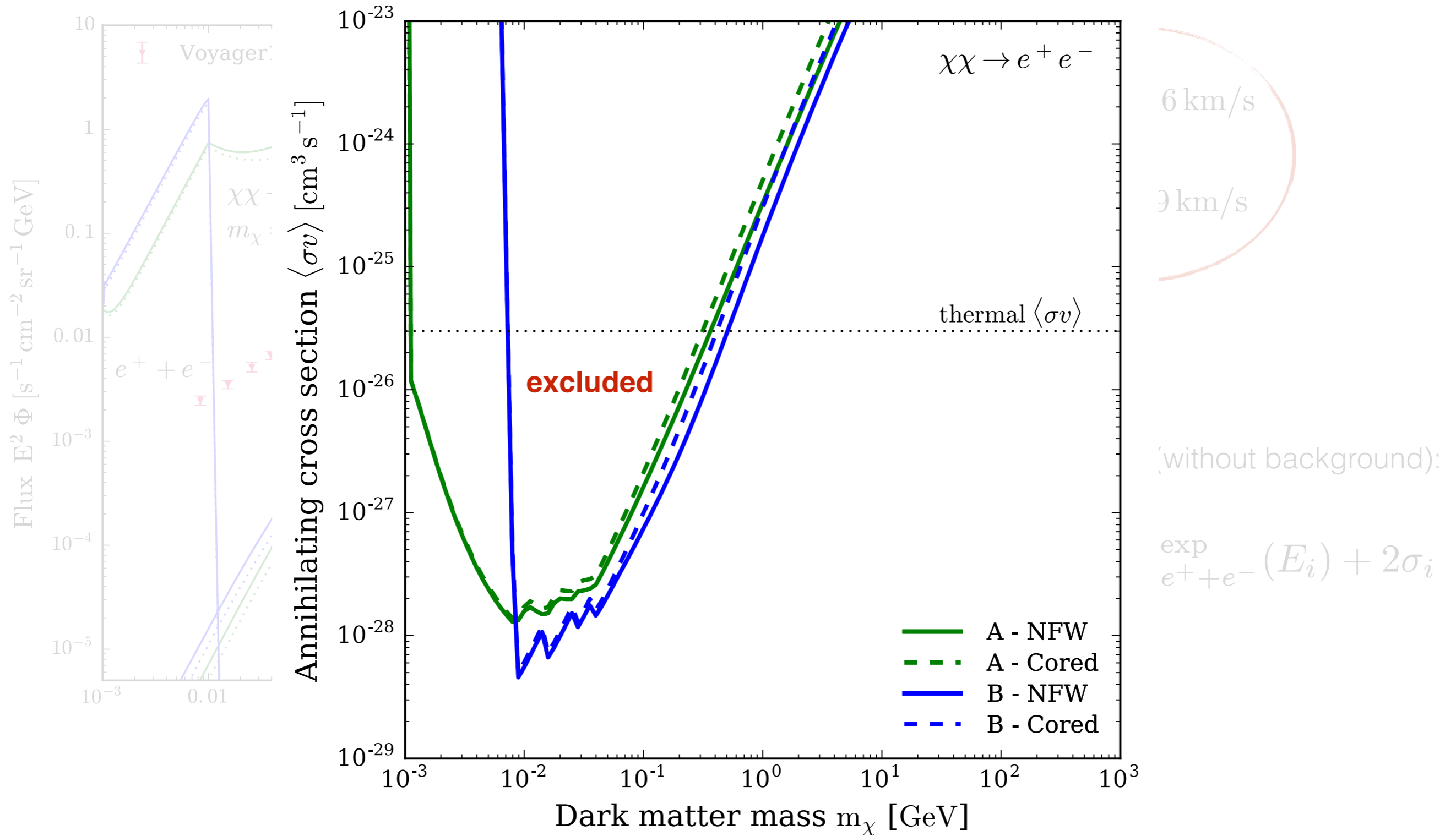
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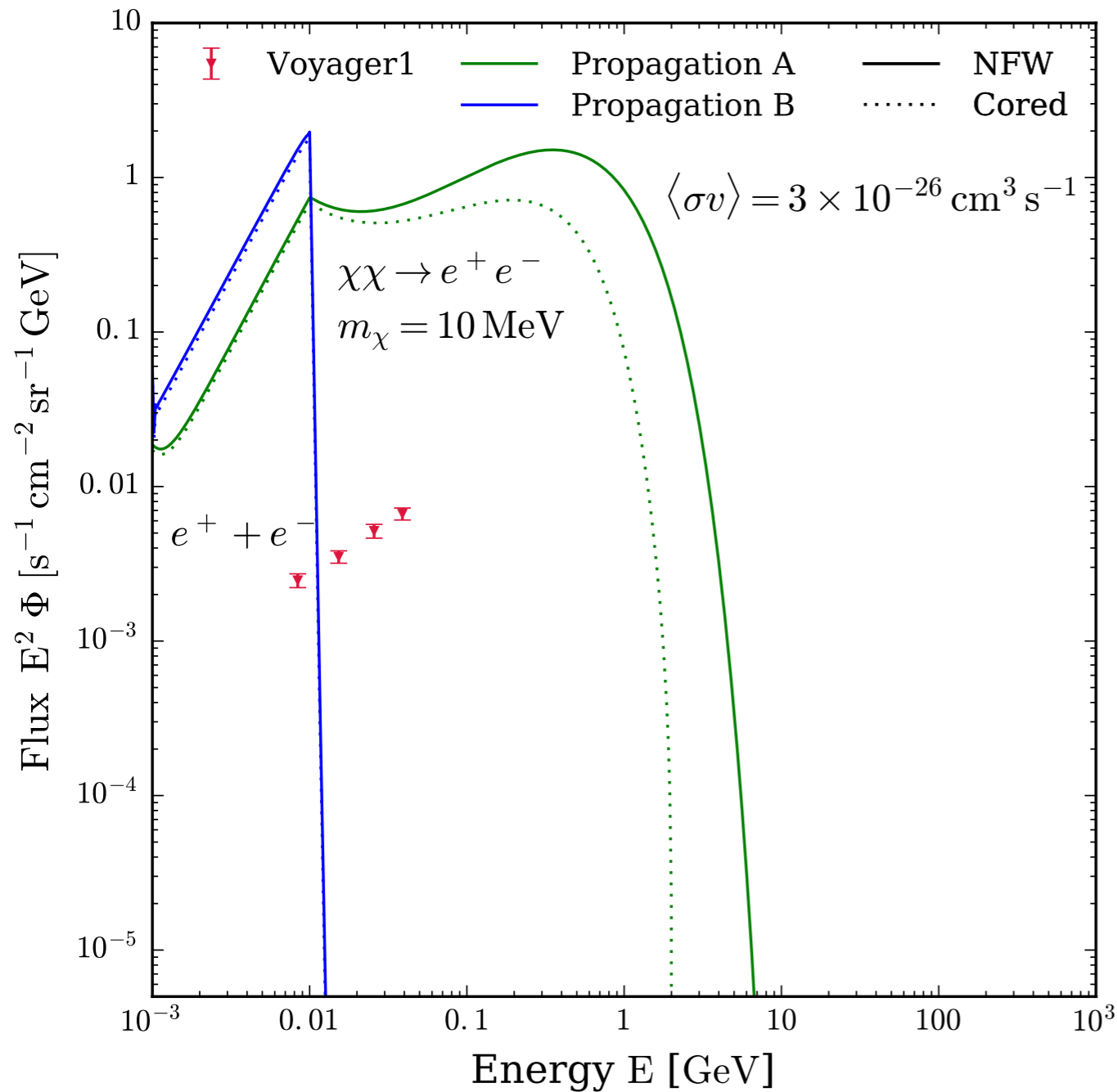
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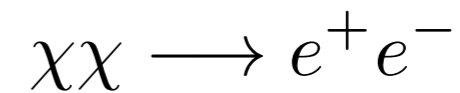


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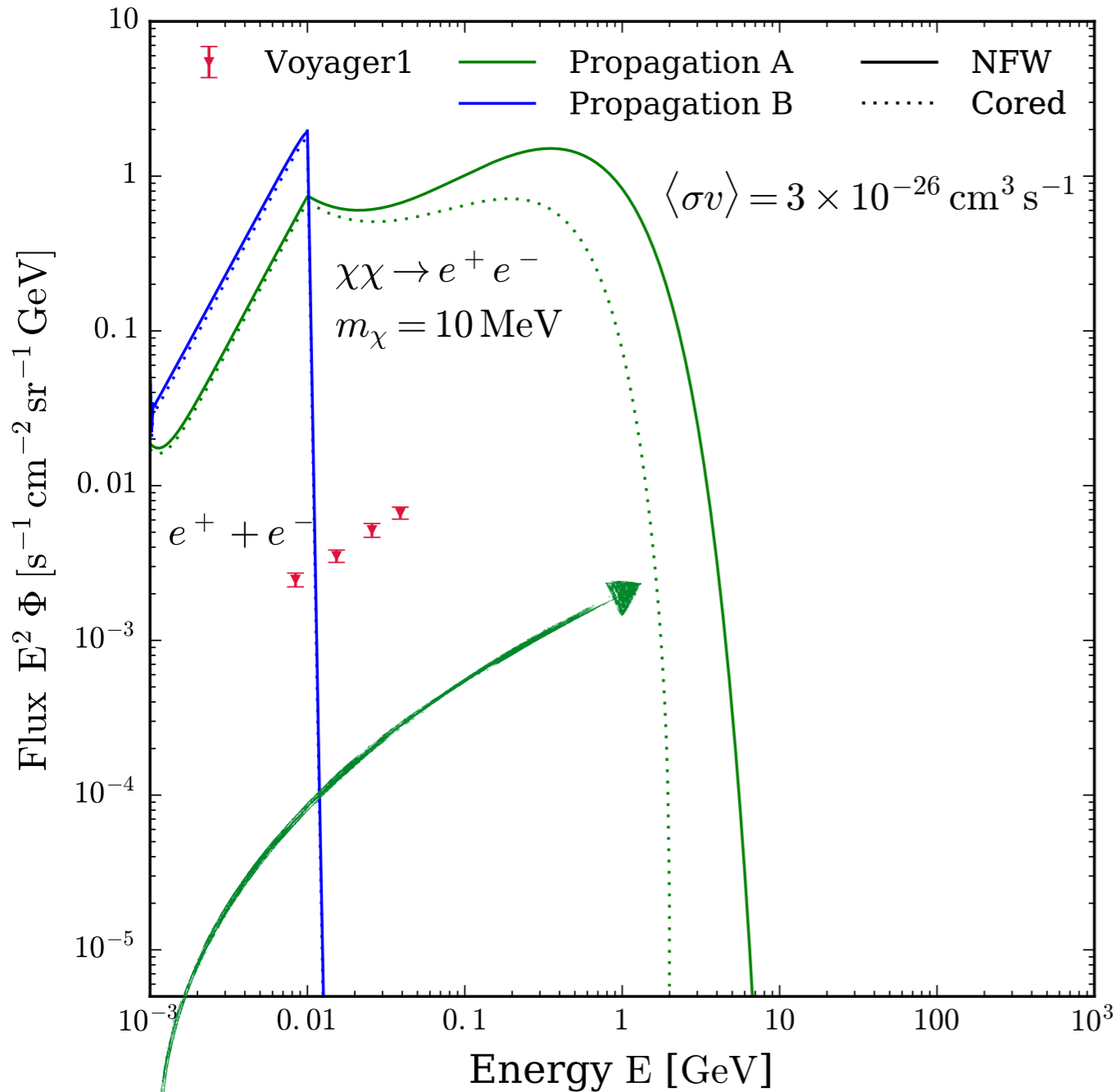


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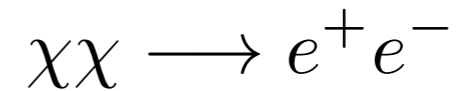
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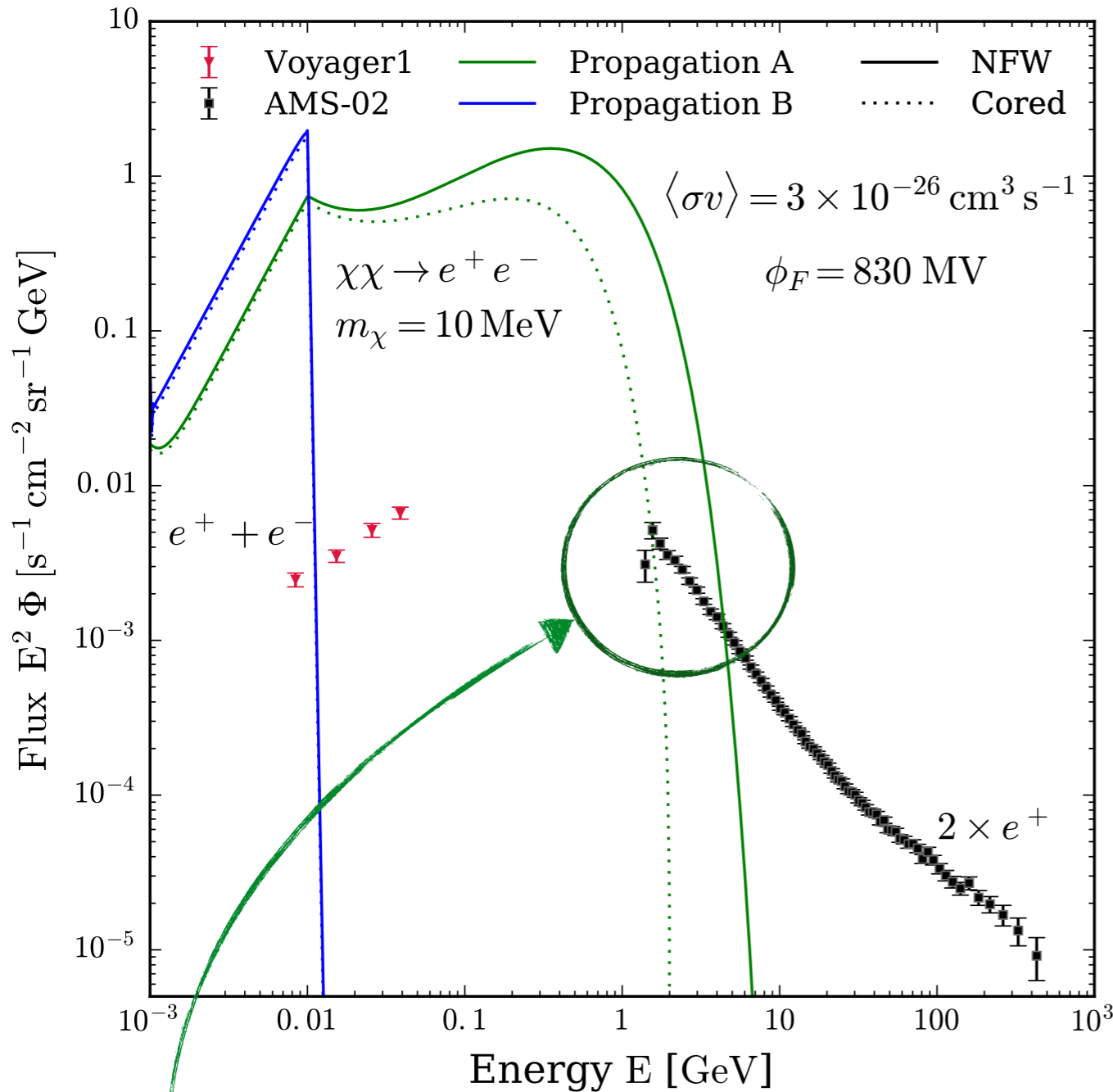
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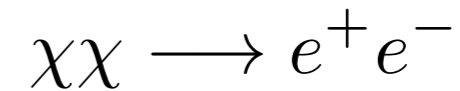


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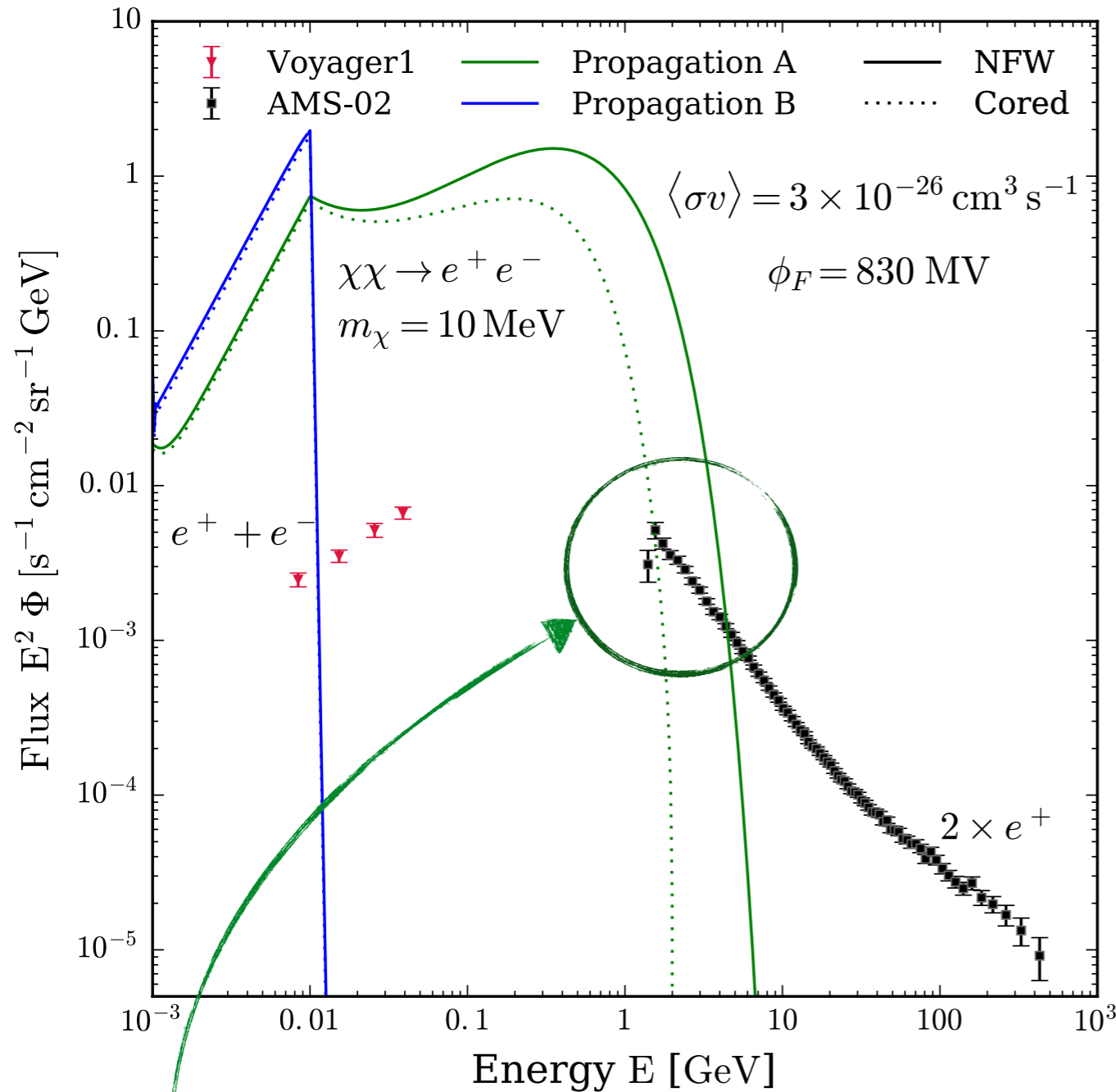


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Models with strong diffusive reacceleration enable to detect positrons **above** the DM mass!

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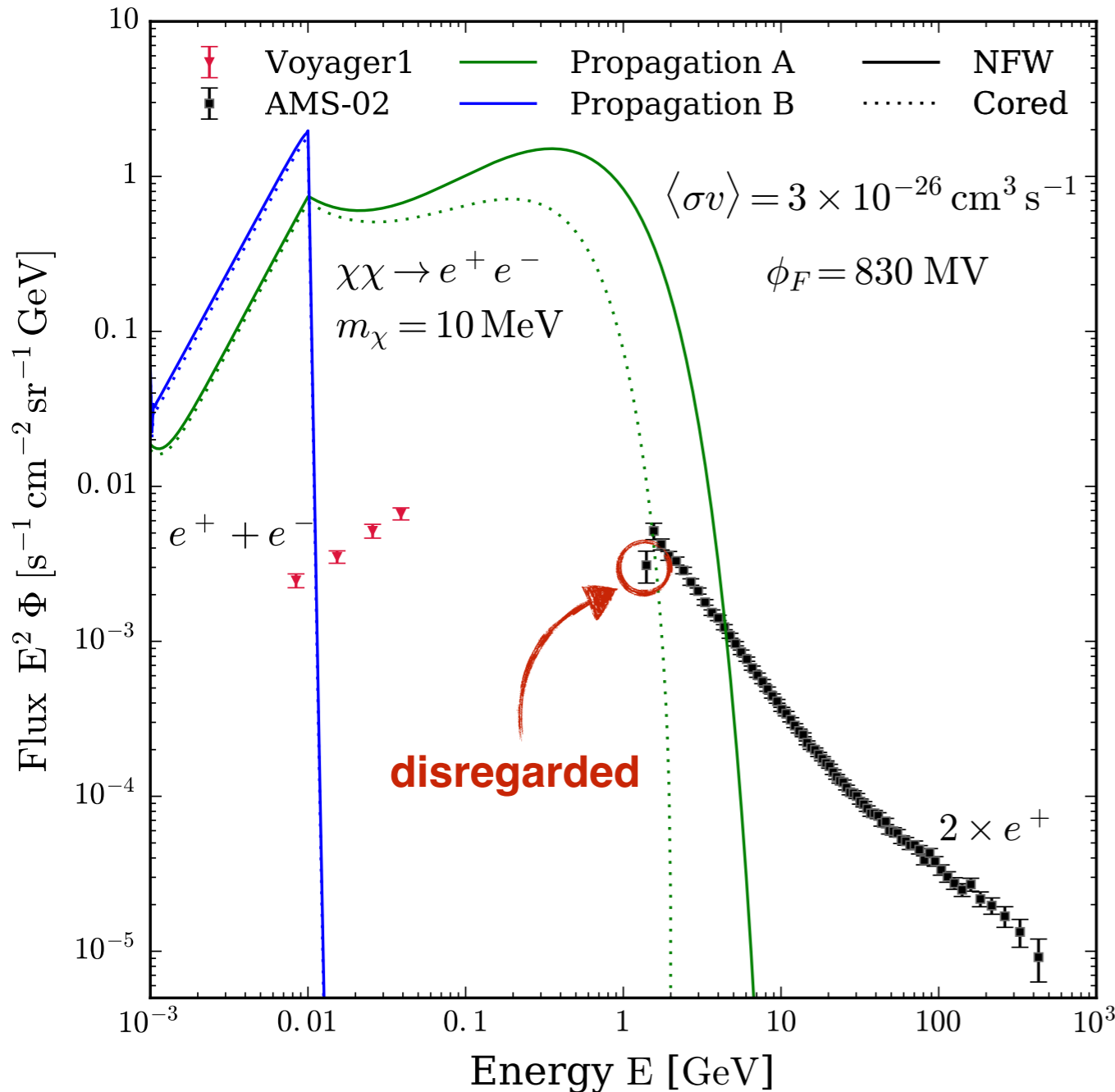
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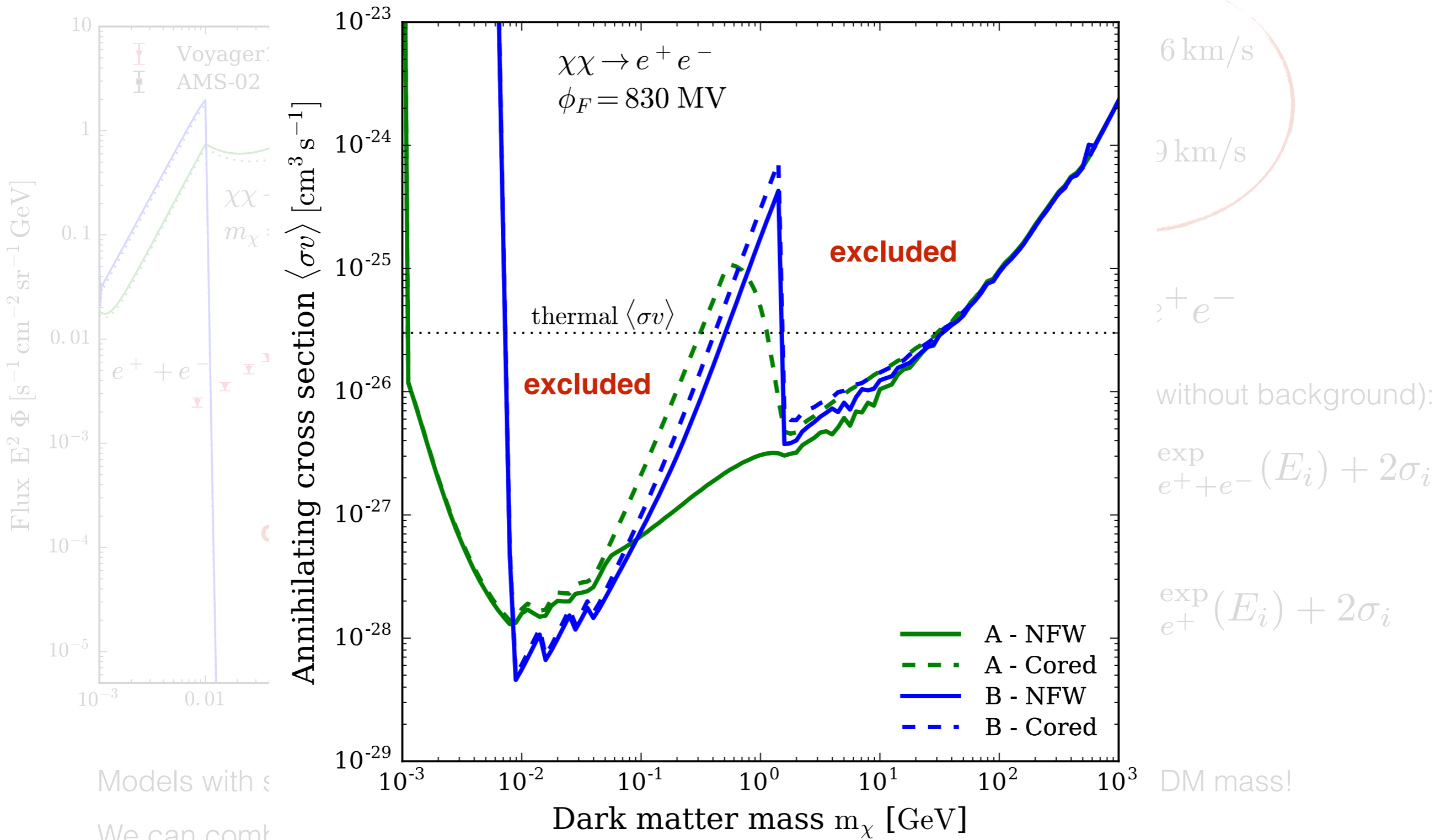
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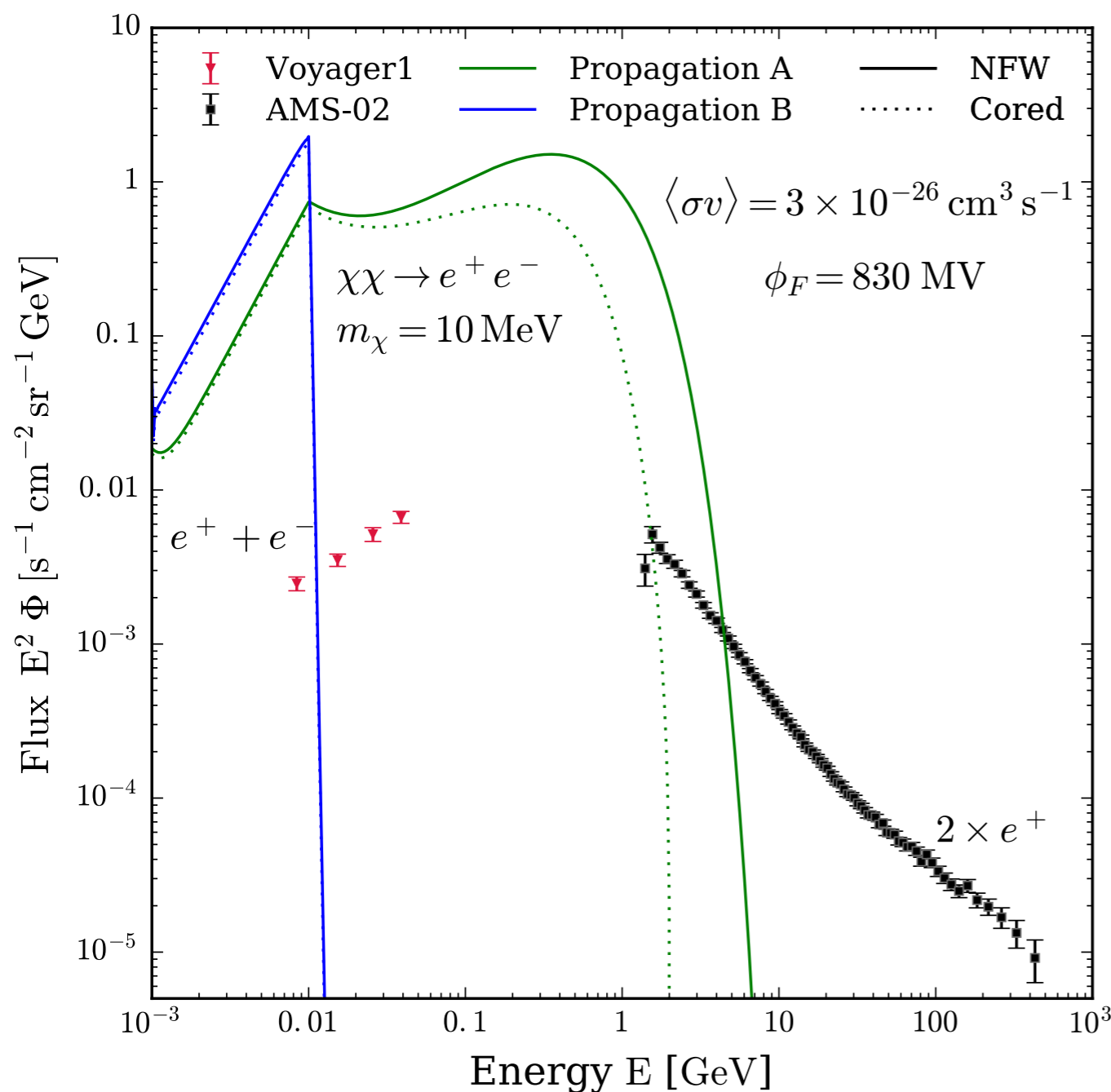
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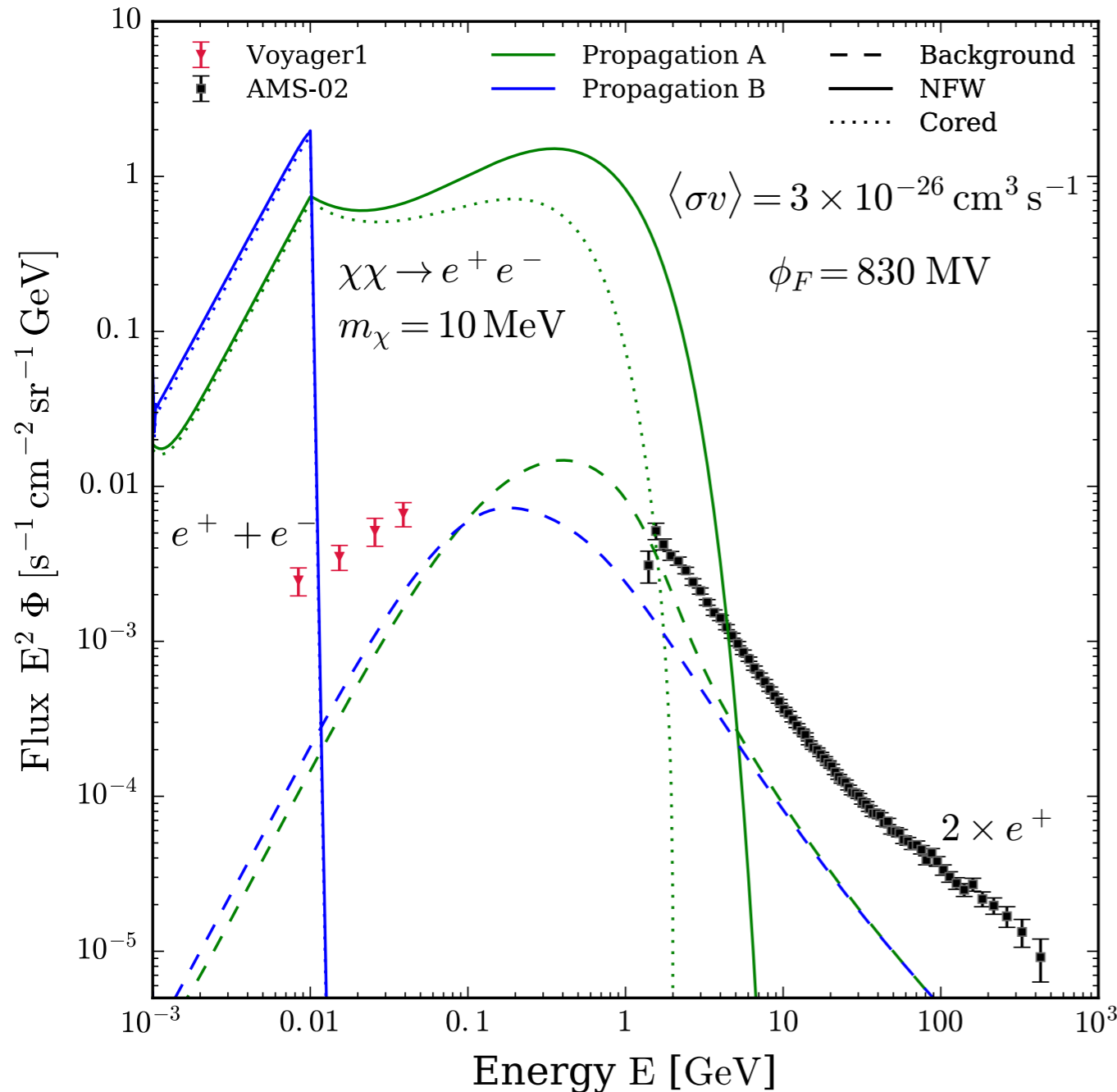
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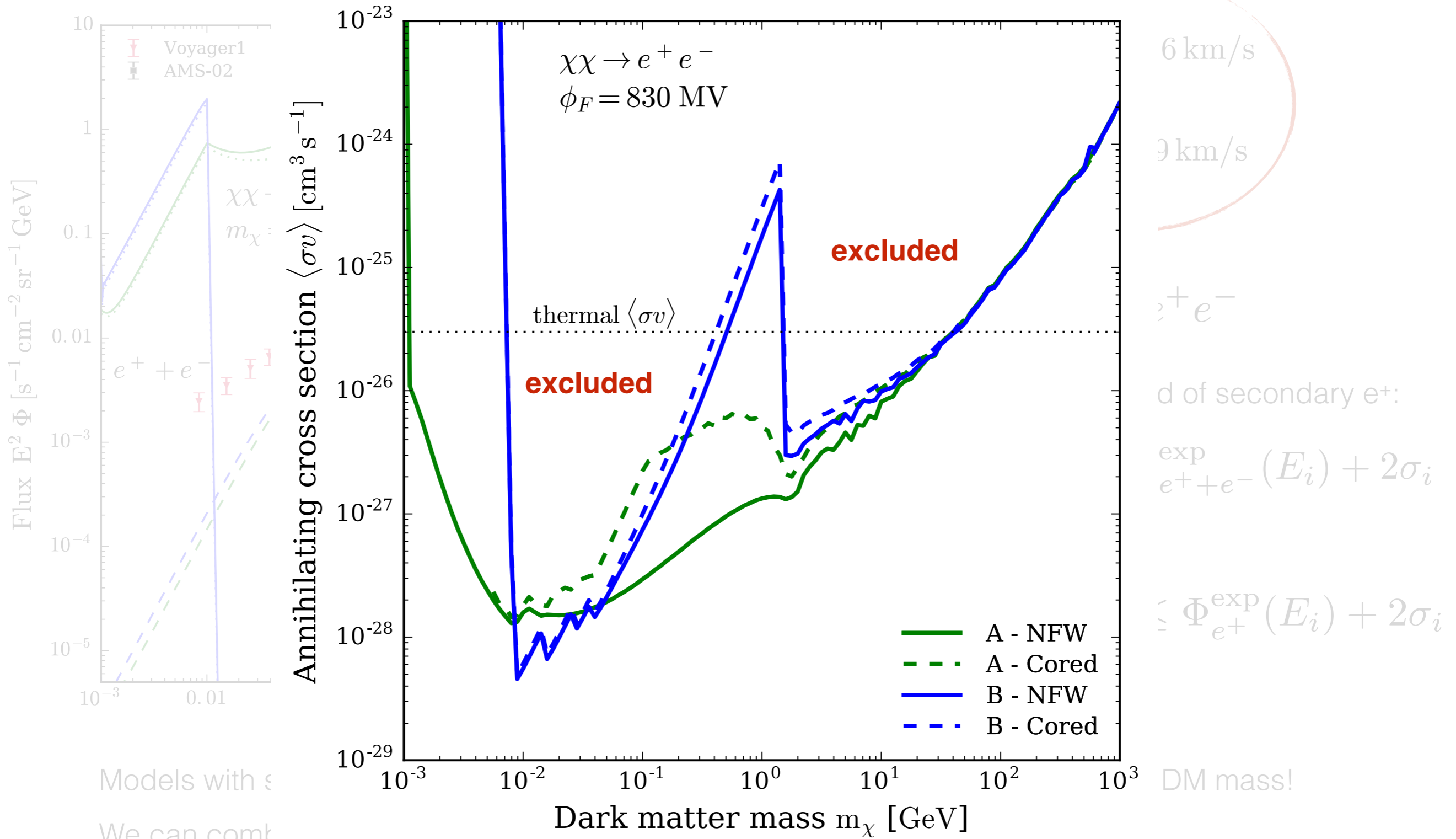
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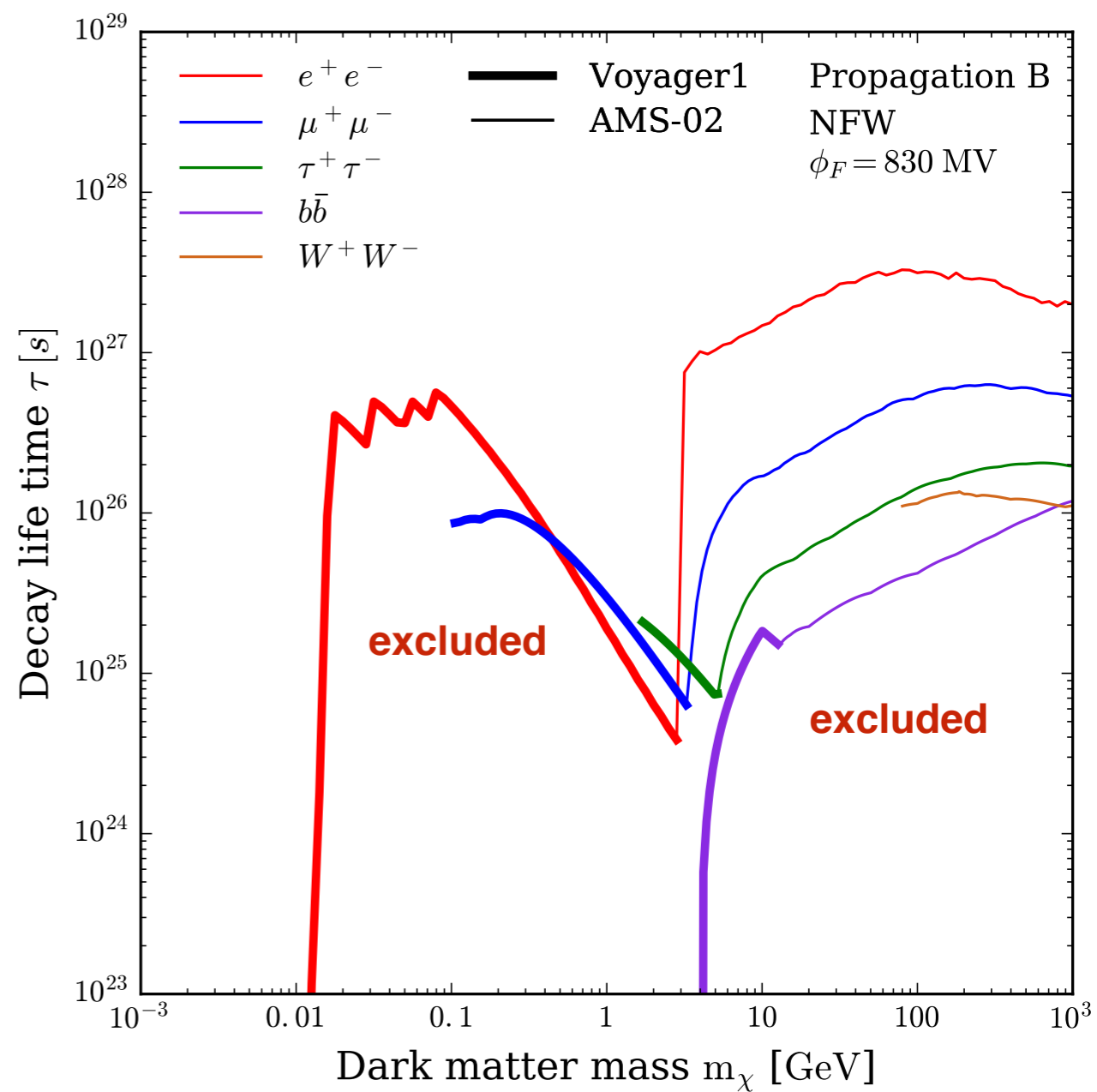
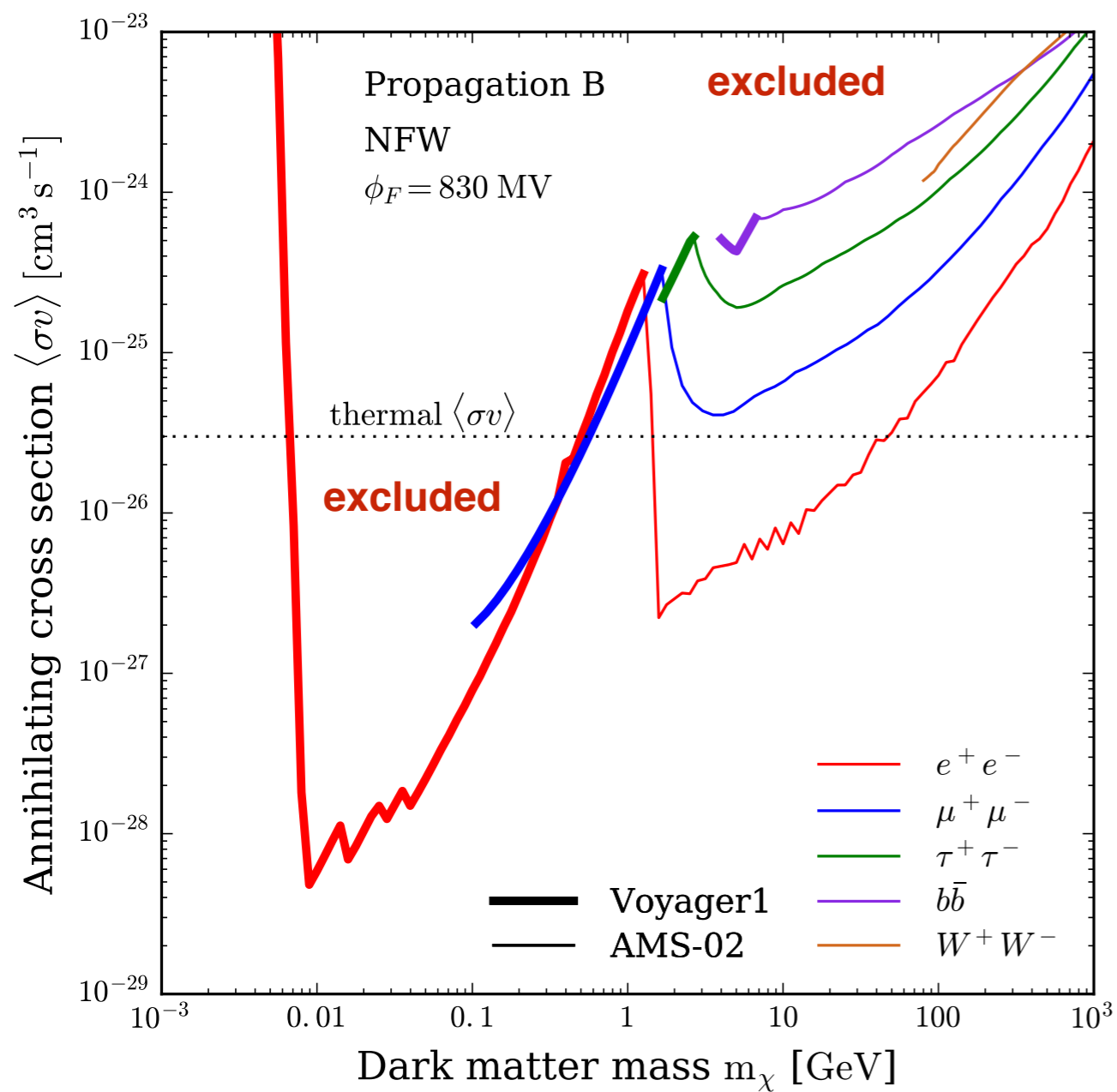
# Constraints on DM annihilating cross section



## Annihilating Dark Matter

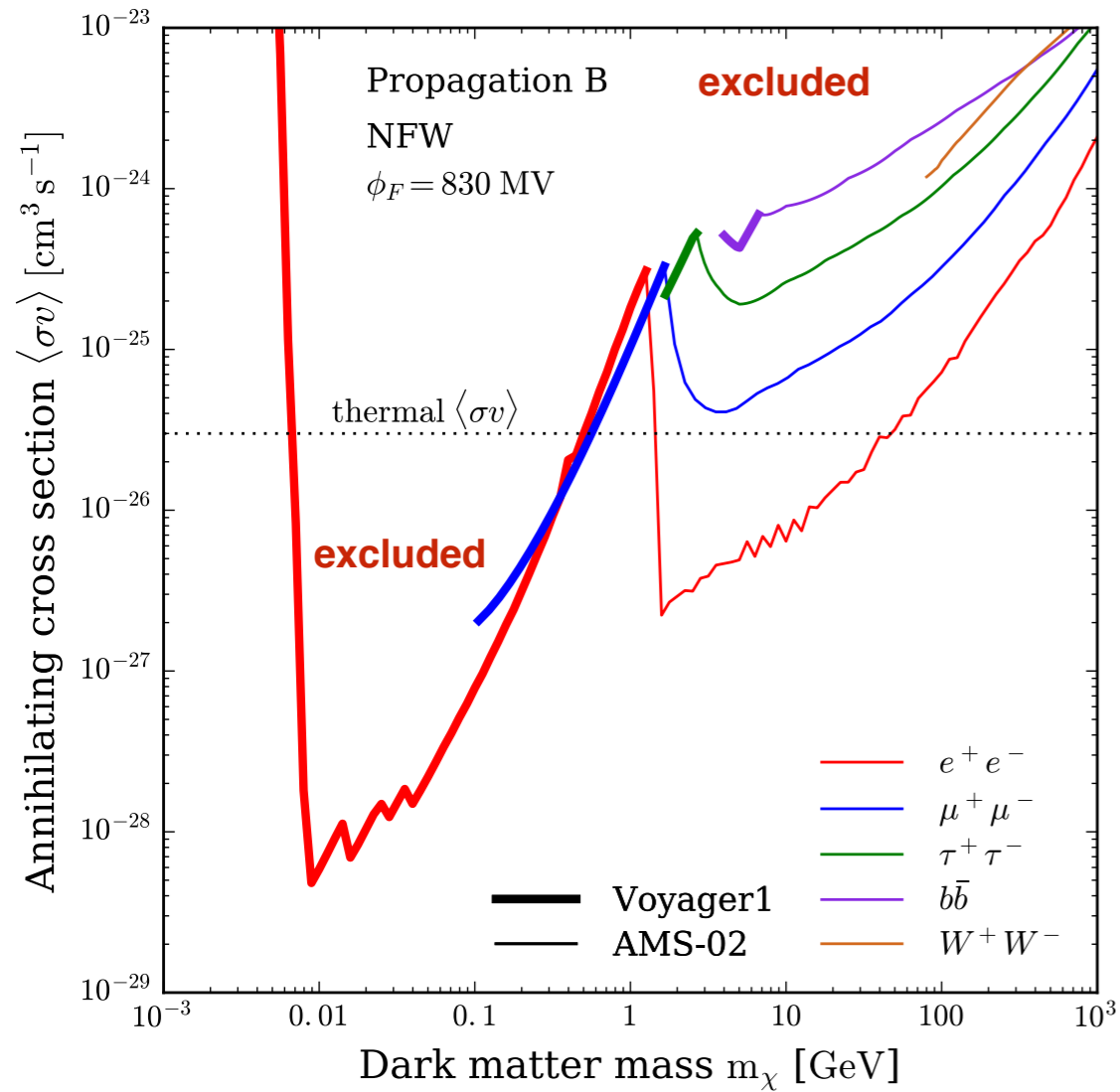
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## Decaying Dark Matter



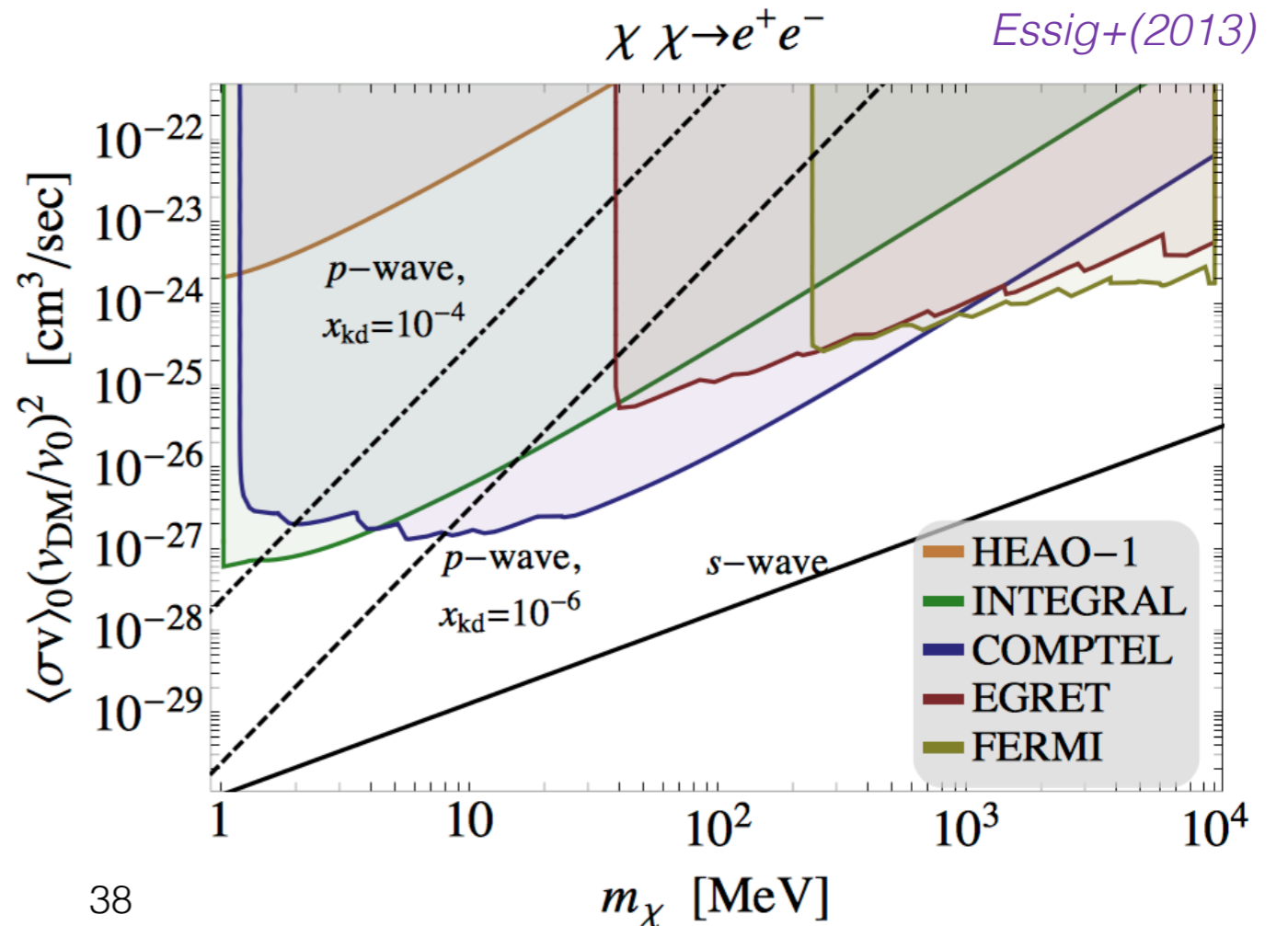


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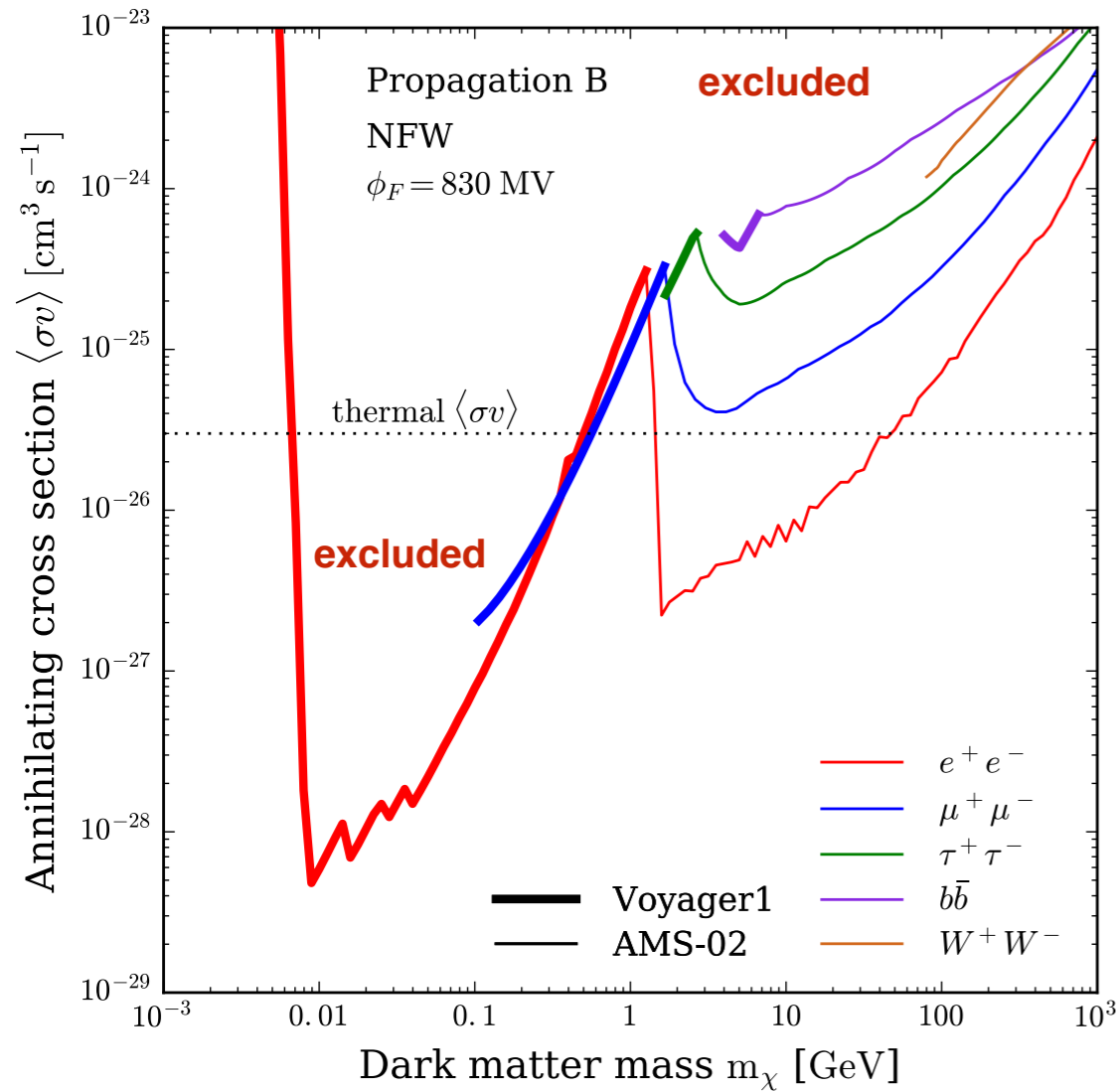


### X-rays and $\gamma$ -rays

- **More** stringent by more than 1 order of magnitude.
- **Less** sensitive to the DM halo shape.

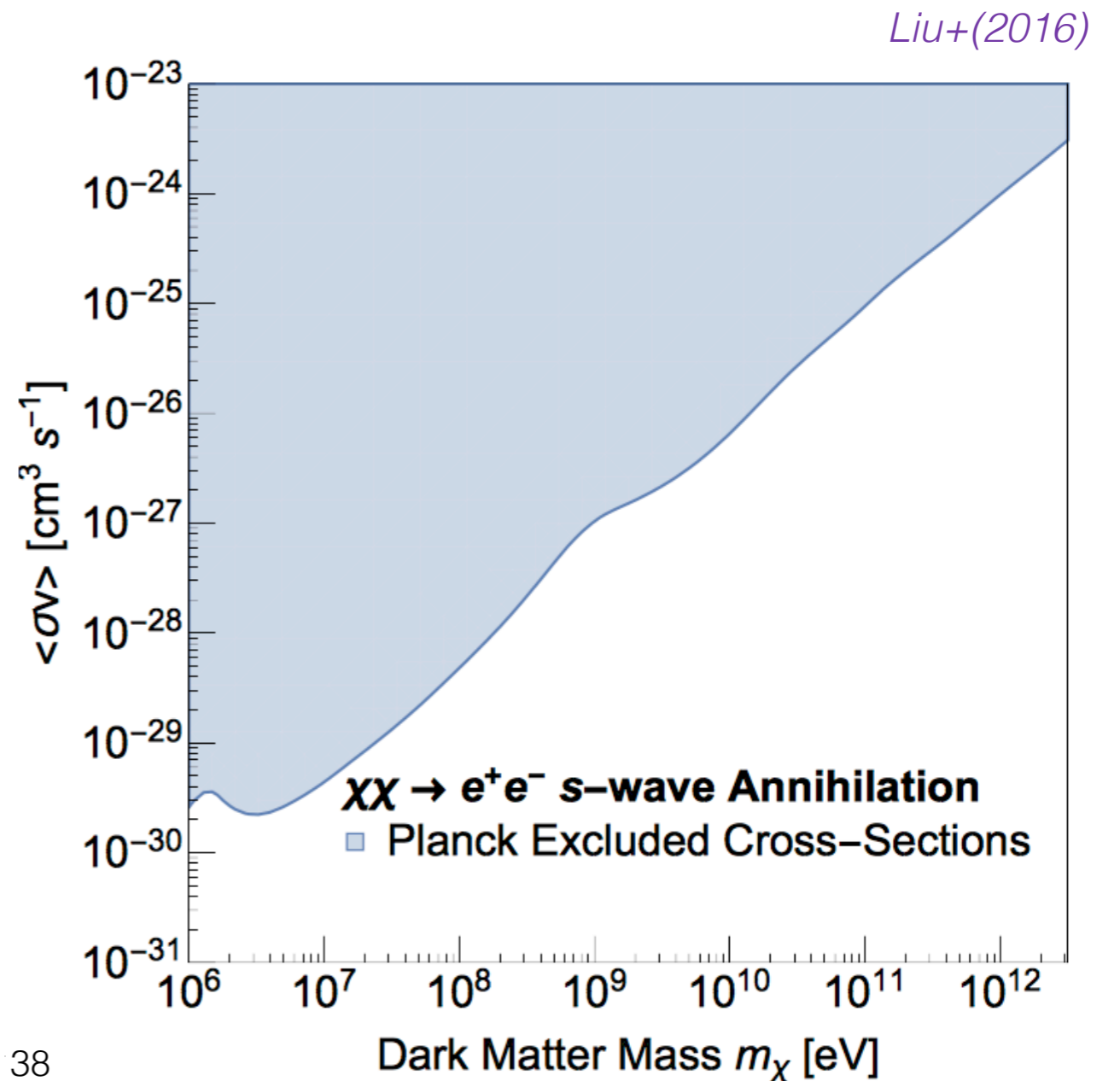


### Comparison with other constraints



### CMB

- **Less** stringent by 1 order of magnitude for s-wave  $\langle\sigma v\rangle$ .



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In the low velocity limit:

$$\langle \sigma v \rangle = s_0 + s_1 \beta^2 + \mathcal{O}(\beta^4)$$

s-wave contribution

p-wave contribution

*CMB epoch*

$$\beta(T_{\text{CMB}}) = \beta(T_{\text{FO}}) \times \frac{T_{\text{CMB}}}{T_{\text{FO}}}$$

$$T_{\text{CMB}} \simeq 0.1 \text{ eV}$$

$$\beta(T_{\text{CMB}}) \simeq 10^{-6} \left( \frac{1 \text{ GeV}}{m_{\text{DM}}} \right)$$

*Now in the Milky Way*

Assuming a Maxwellian distribution with

$$\sigma^2 \equiv \langle v^2 \rangle$$

$$v_c = \sqrt{2} \sigma$$

$$v_c \simeq 240 \text{ km s}^{-1}$$

$$\beta_{\text{MW}} \simeq 10^{-3}$$

Constraints on p-wave annihilations could be more stringent for local observations than CMB.



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**Spherical symmetric** distribution of DM particles in the Galaxy:

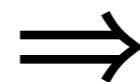
$$f(\vec{v}, \vec{x}) \equiv \frac{d^6 N}{d^3 x d^3 v} = f(|\vec{v}|, r)$$

$$\langle \sigma v \rangle(r) = K_0(r) \int d^3 \vec{v}_1 \int d^3 \vec{v}_2 f(|\vec{v}_1|, r) f(|\vec{v}_2|, r) \sigma v_{12}$$

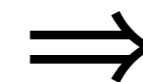
$$K_0(r) = \int d^3 \vec{v}_1 \int d^3 \vec{v}_2 f(|\vec{v}_1|, r) f(|\vec{v}_2|, r) : \text{normalization factor}$$

$$v_{12} = |\vec{v}_1 - \vec{v}_2| : \text{relative velocity}$$

The Eddington formalism:

*A method to derive the DM phase space distribution density starting from a Galactic mass model.**Eddington (1916), Binney and Tremaine (1987)*Constraints DM mass models  $\rho_{DM}(r)$   
*e.g: McMillan (2016), Catena & Ullio (2010)*

$$f(|\vec{v}|, r)$$

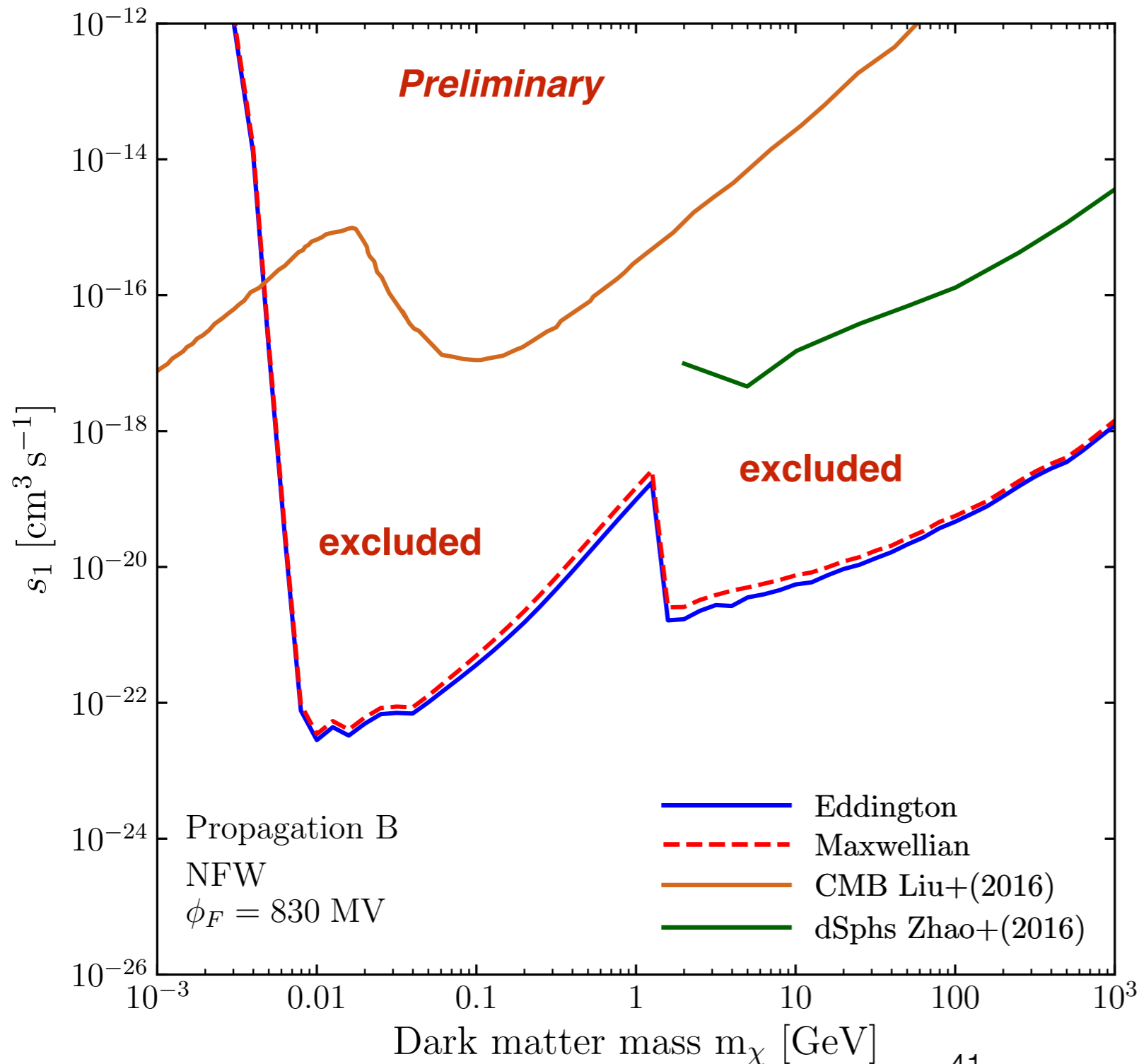


$$\langle \sigma v \rangle(r)$$

**p-wave annihilation**

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$$Q^{\text{DM}}(E, r) = \frac{1}{2} m_\chi^2 \rho^2(r) \langle \sigma v \rangle(r) \frac{dN}{dE}$$



$$\rho_{\text{eff}}^2(r) = \rho^2(r) \langle \sigma v \rangle(r)$$

- More stringent by 3 to 8 orders of magnitude than CMB constraints.
- More stringent by 4 orders of magnitude than dSph constraints.

1. Searches for dark matter
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# The antiprotons story



# Dark matter searches with PAMELA antiprotons

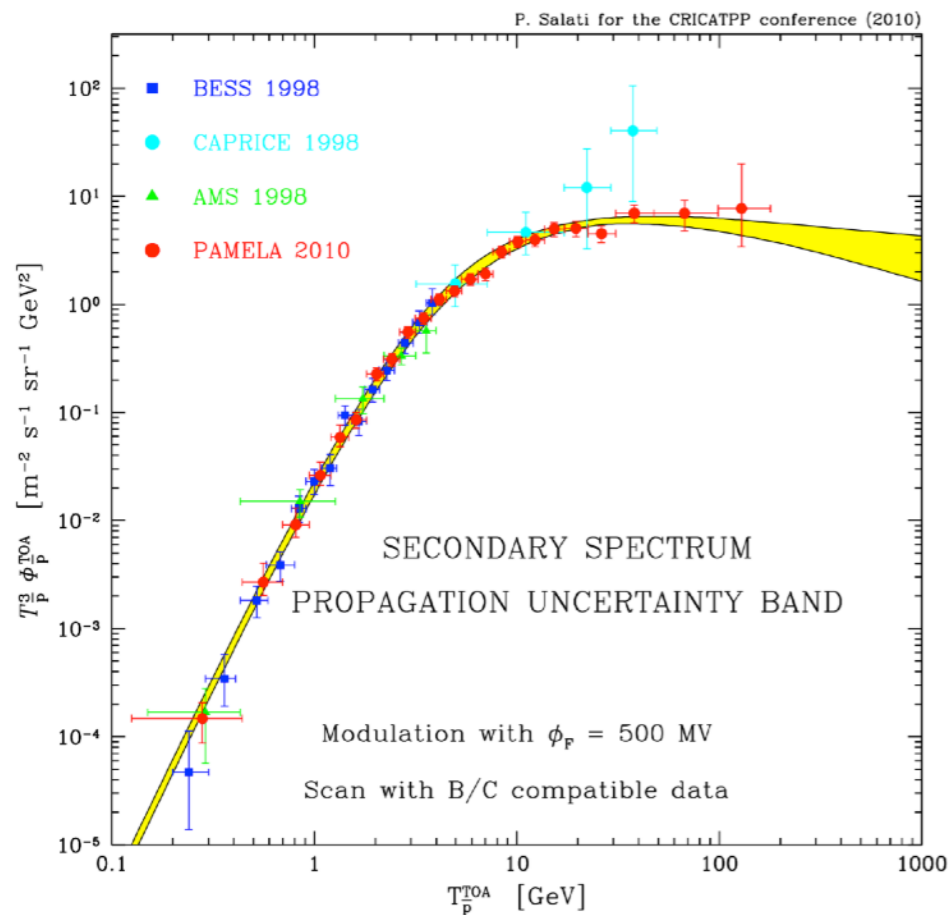


Launched in 2006

*Adriani et al., PRL 105, 121101 (2010)*

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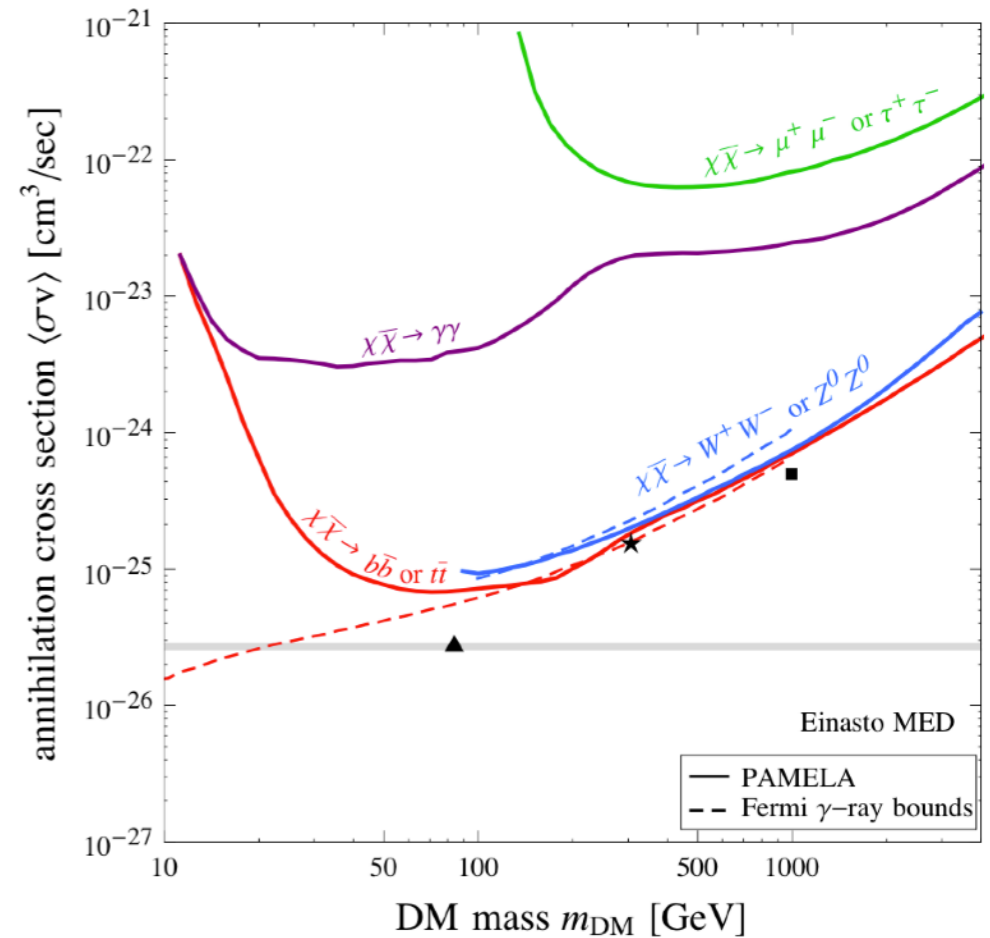
The antiprotons background (secondary component) is consistent with PAMELA data (no excess).



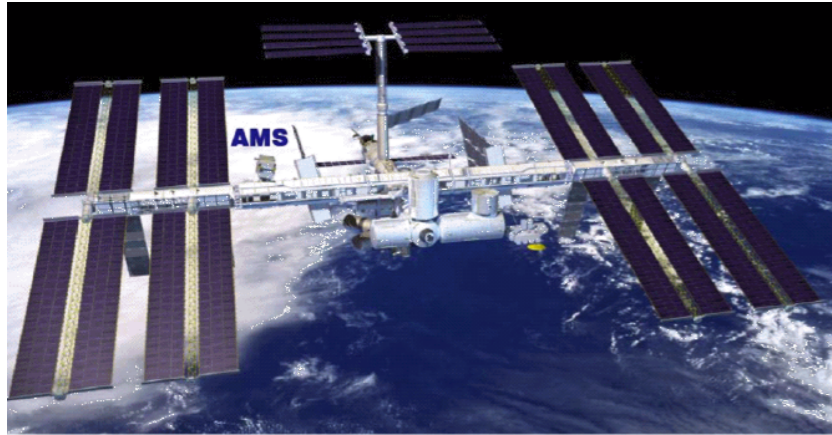
No DM signal

Constraints on the DM annihilation cross section

*e.g. G. Giesen & M. Cirelli (2013)*

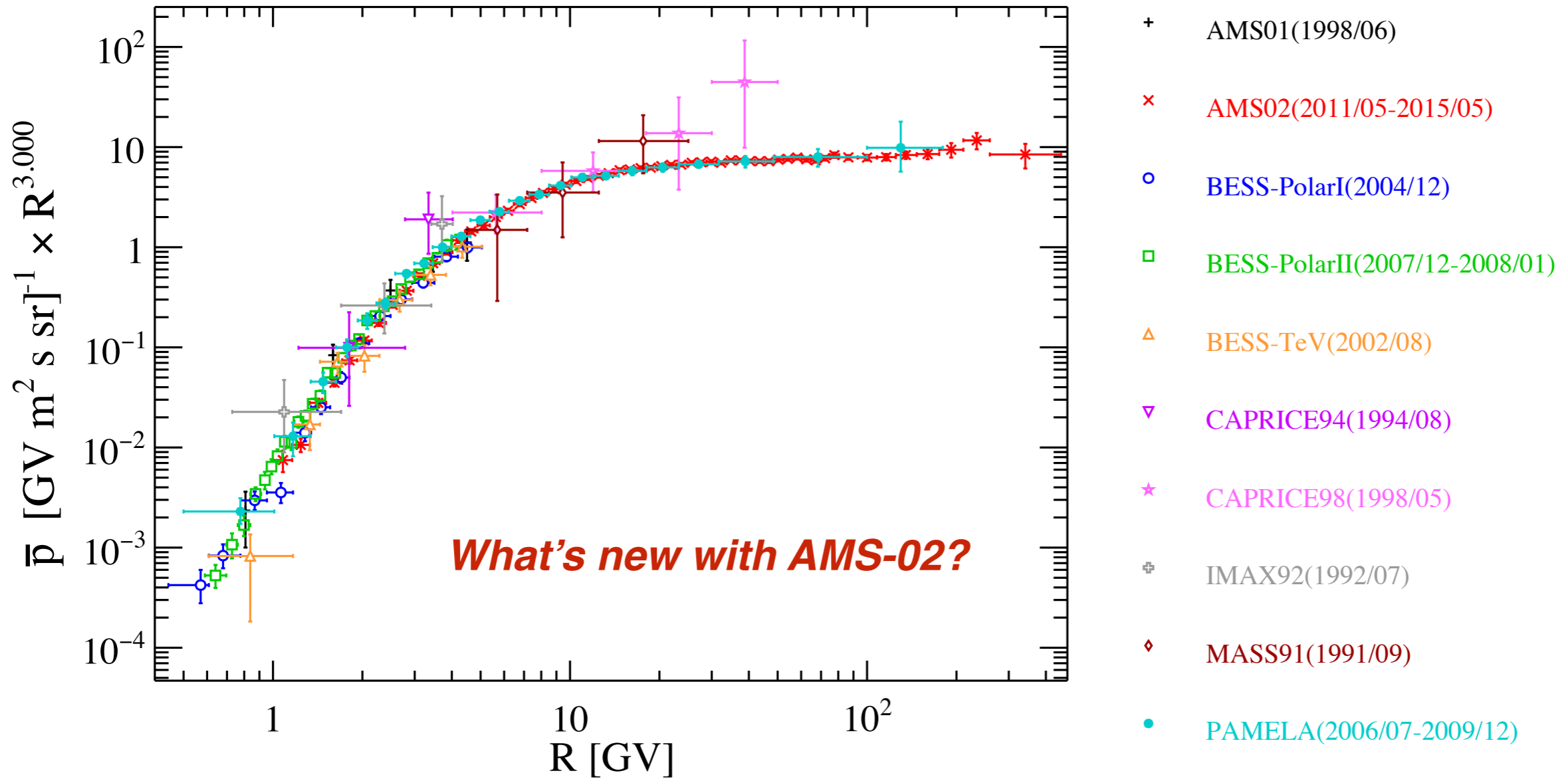


# Dark matter searches with AMS-02 antiprotons



Launched in 2011

*Aguilar et al., PRL 117, 091103 (2016)*



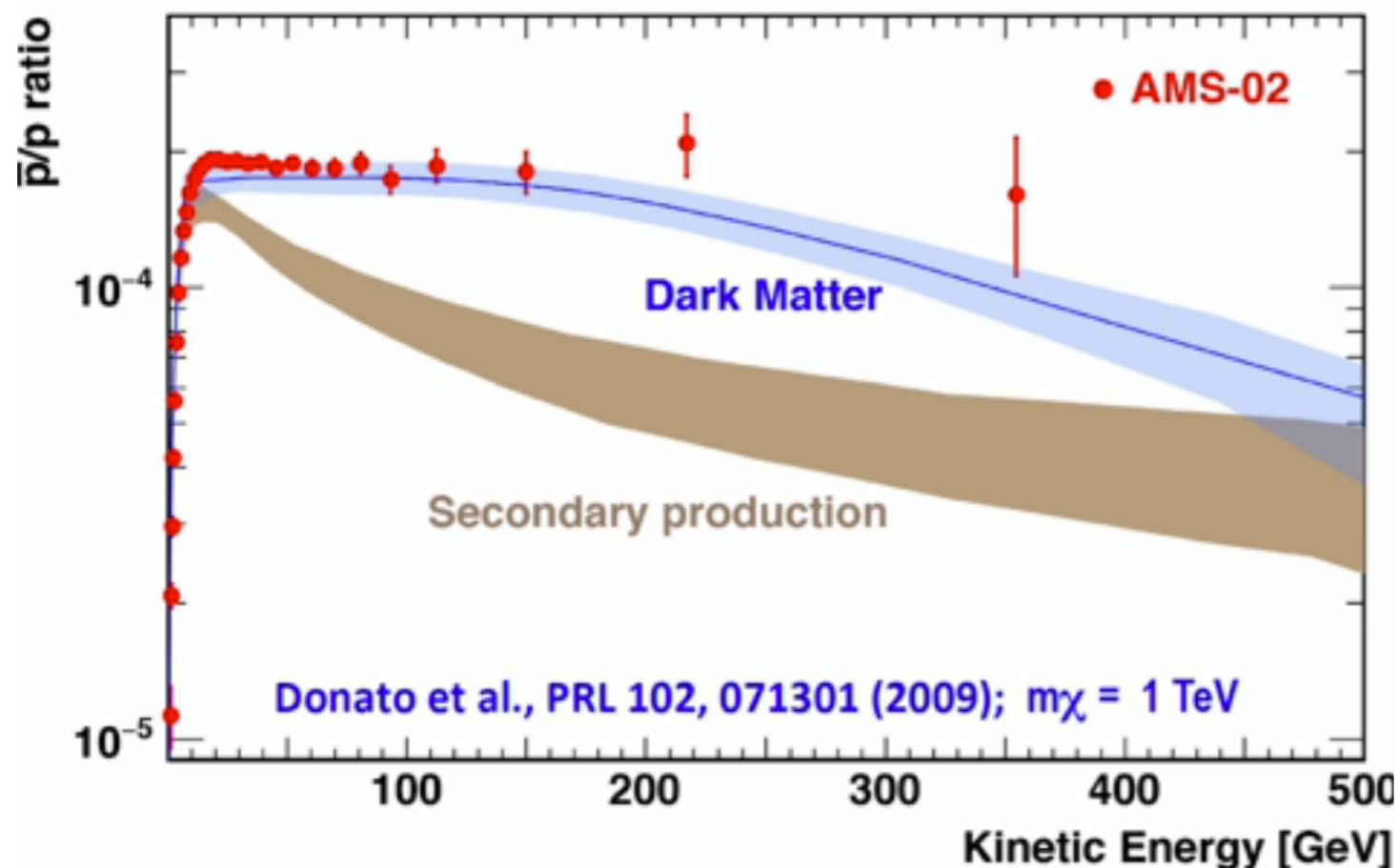
## AMS-02 antiproton to proton ratio

$$\bar{p}/p \equiv \frac{\Phi_{\bar{p}}}{\Phi_p}$$

### 15-04-2015 AMS days at CERN

AMS-02 collaboration presented preliminary results of the  $\bar{p}/p$  ratio from  $\sim 1$  GeV up to  $\sim 500$  GeV with an unprecedented high accuracy.

### AMS $\bar{p}/p$ results and modeling



AMS-02 suggested an antiprotons **excess** with respect to the astrophysical background.

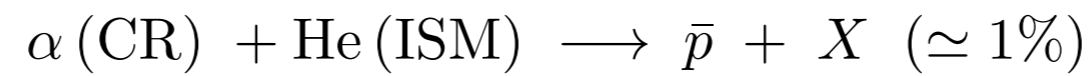
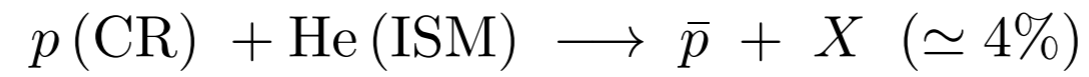
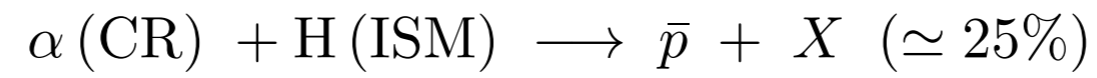
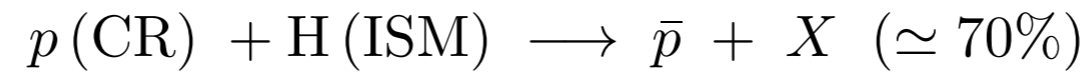
### Is it the discovery of a dark matter signal?

Let's compute the astrophysical background and its theoretical uncertainties with

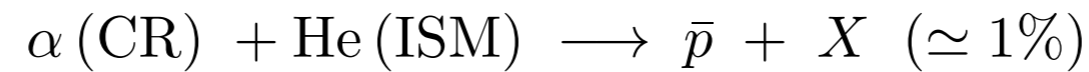
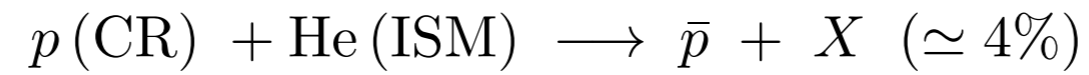
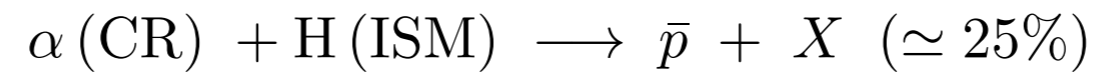
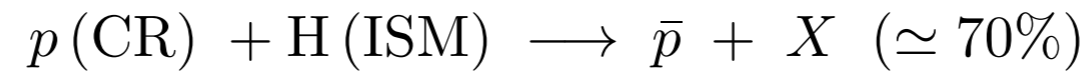
- new data for the primary CRs fluxes
- new data for the production X-sections



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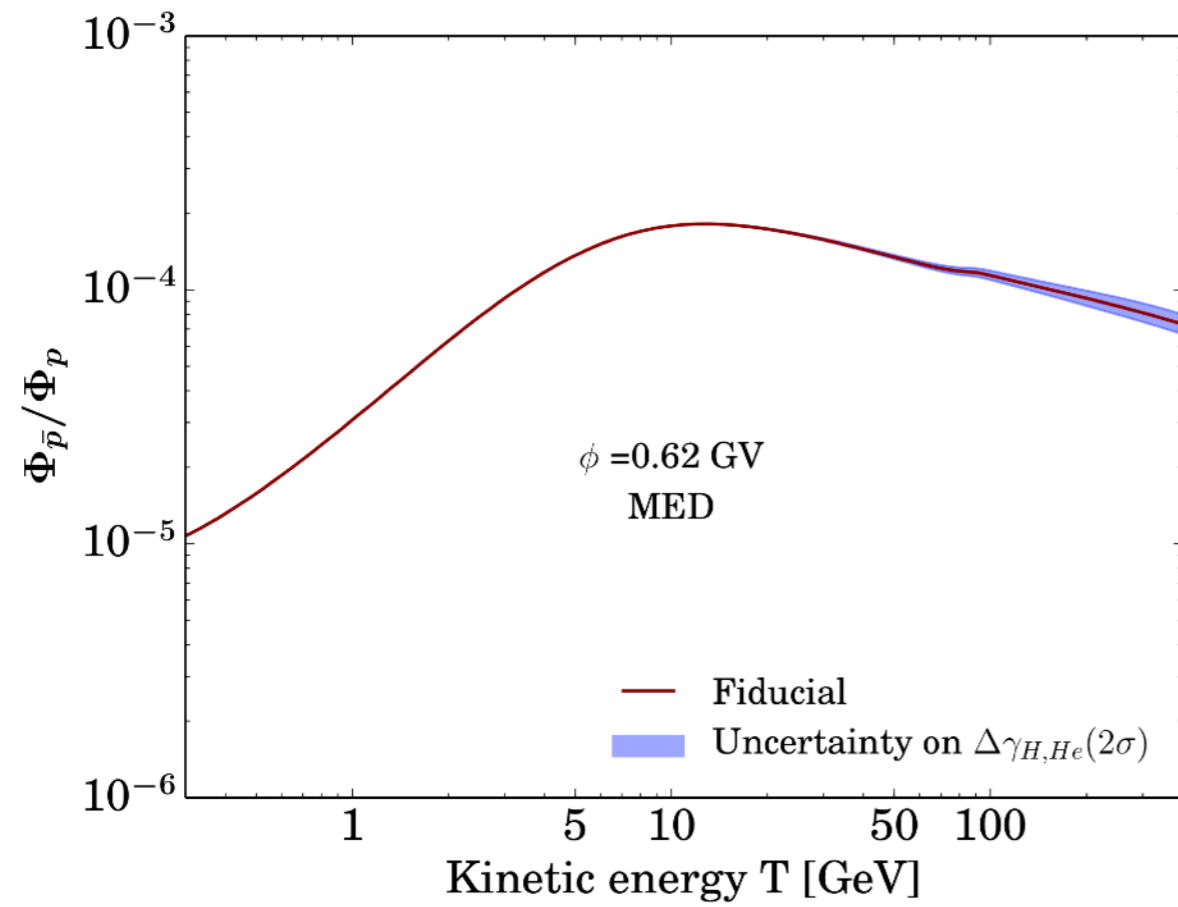
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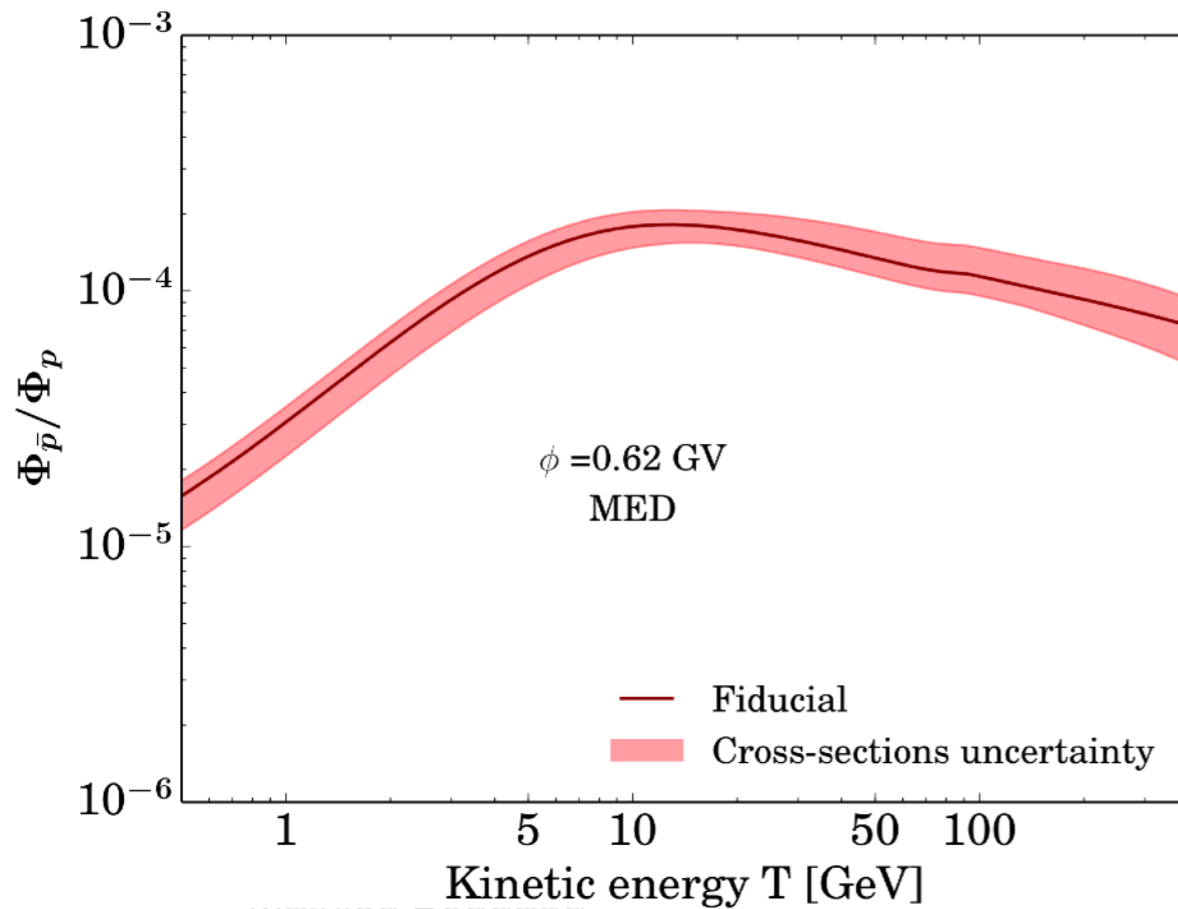
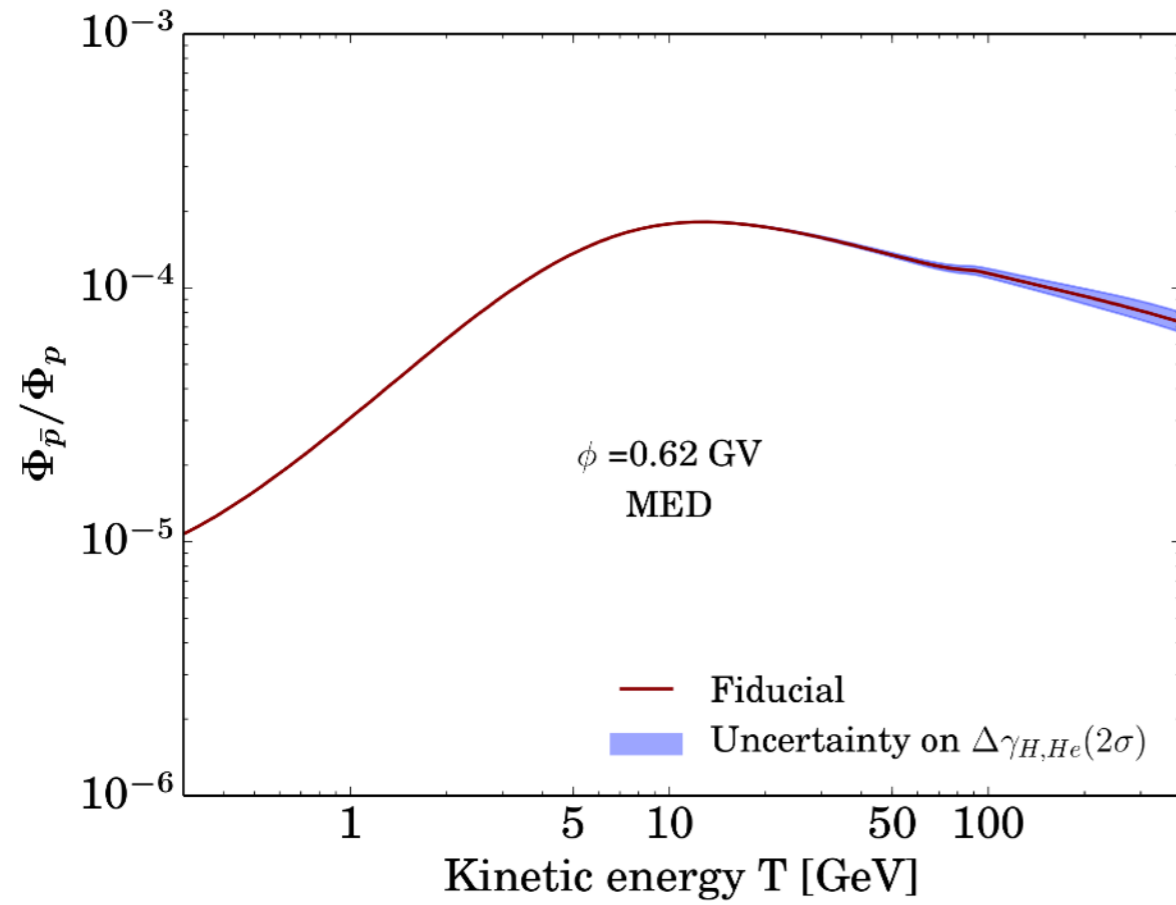
• Cross sections for the production of antiprotons.

• Energy and space distribution of primary CRs everywhere in the Galaxy.

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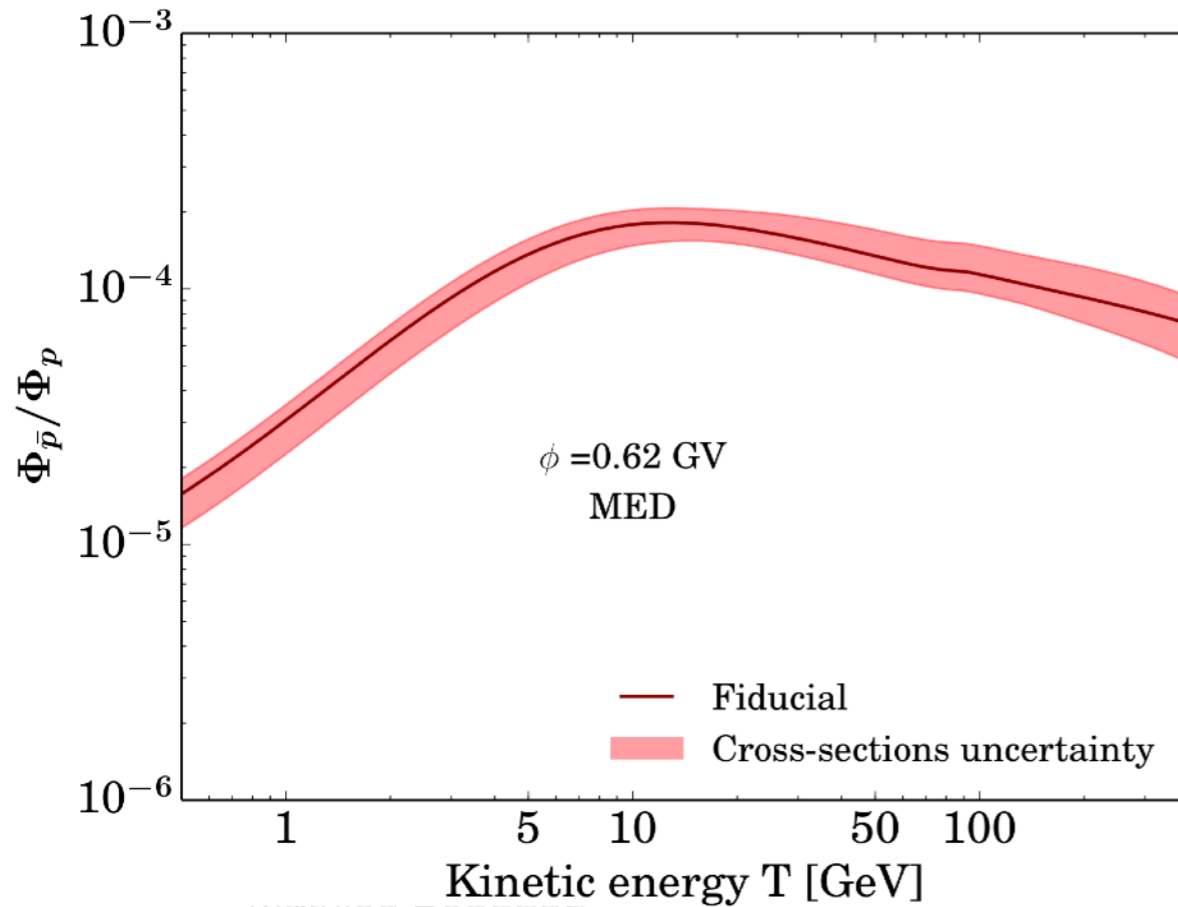
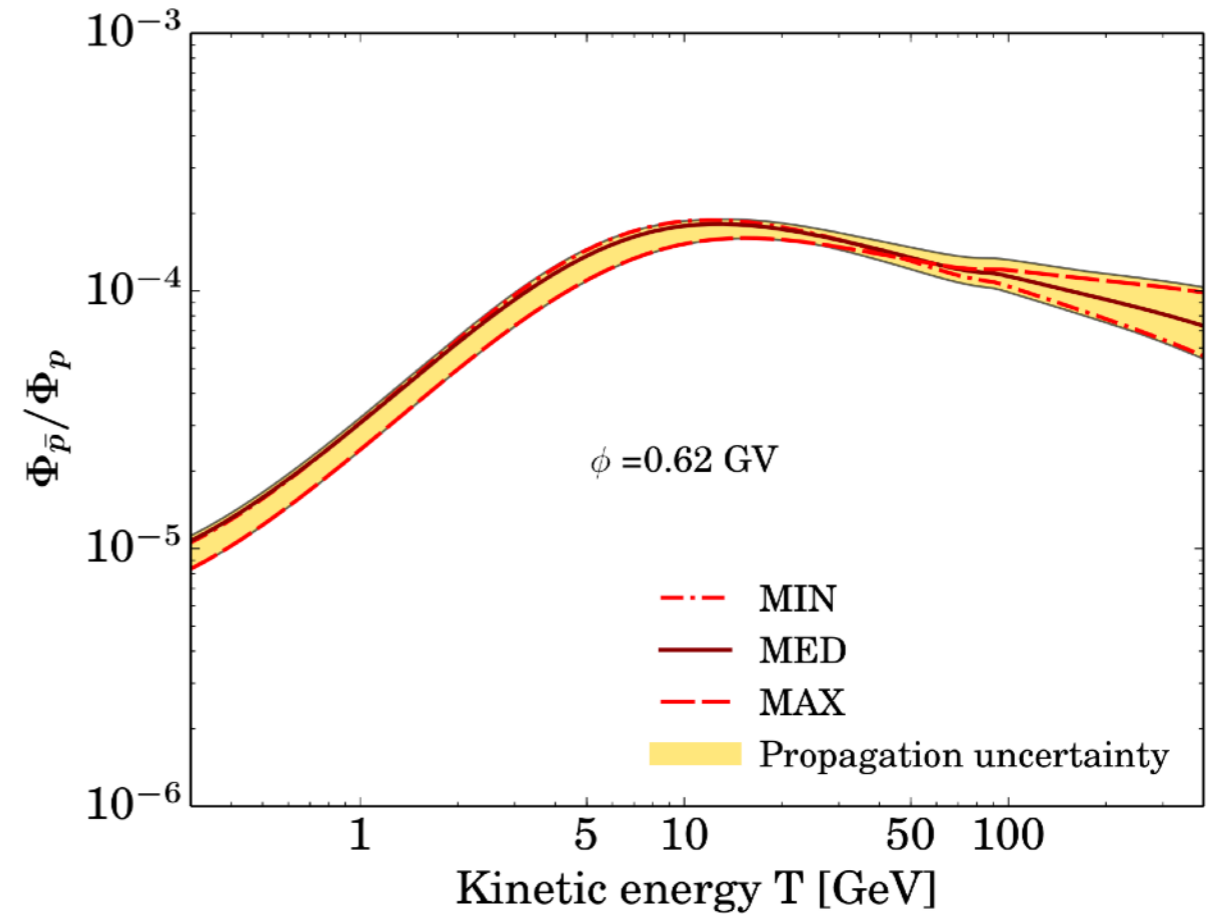
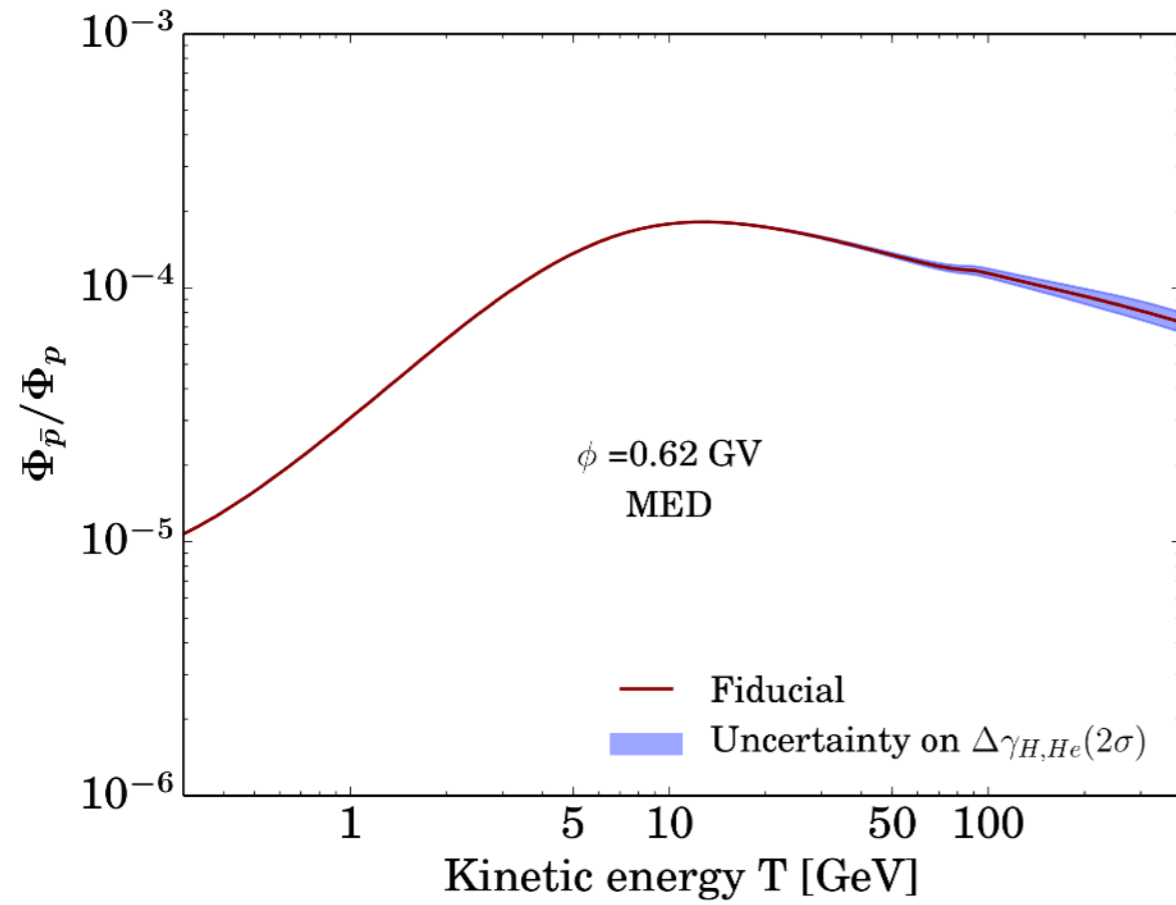


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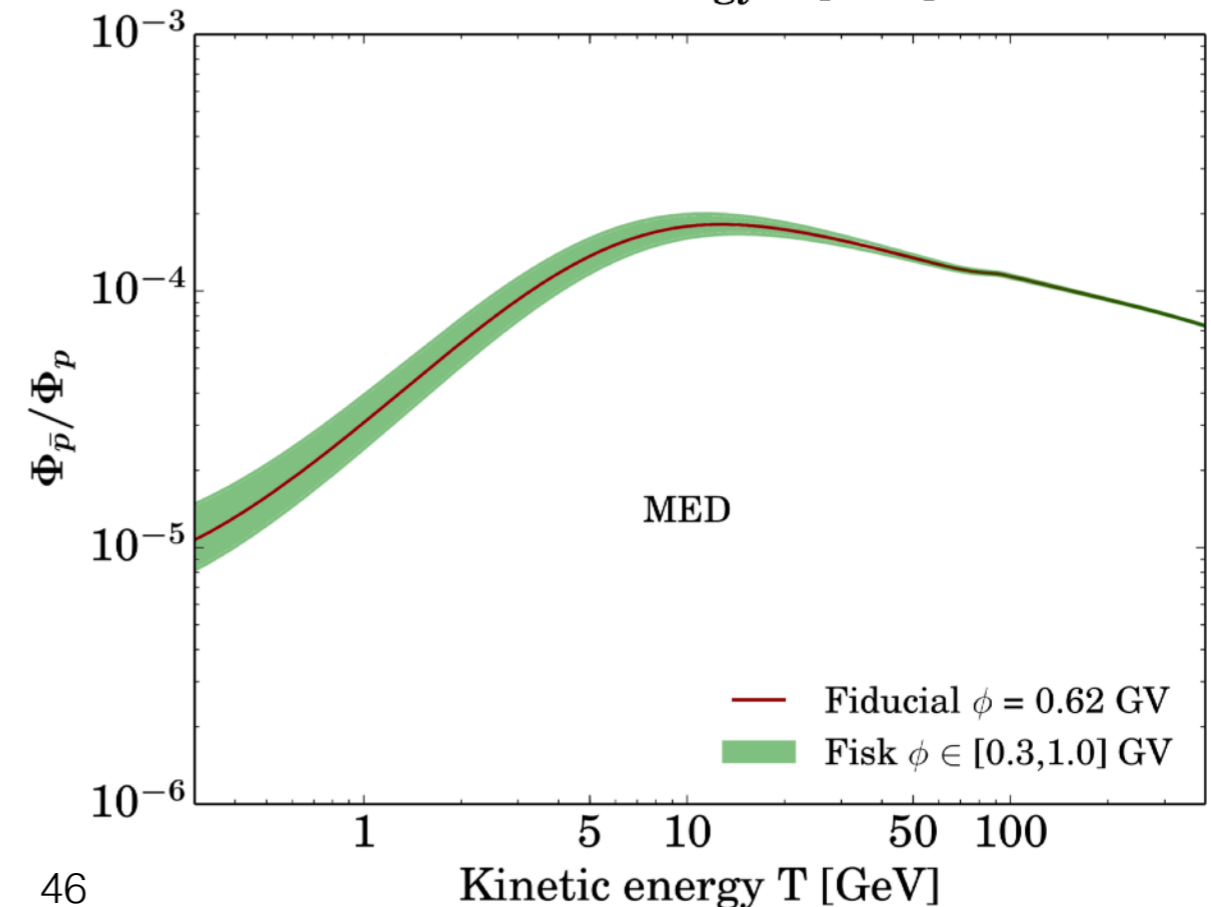
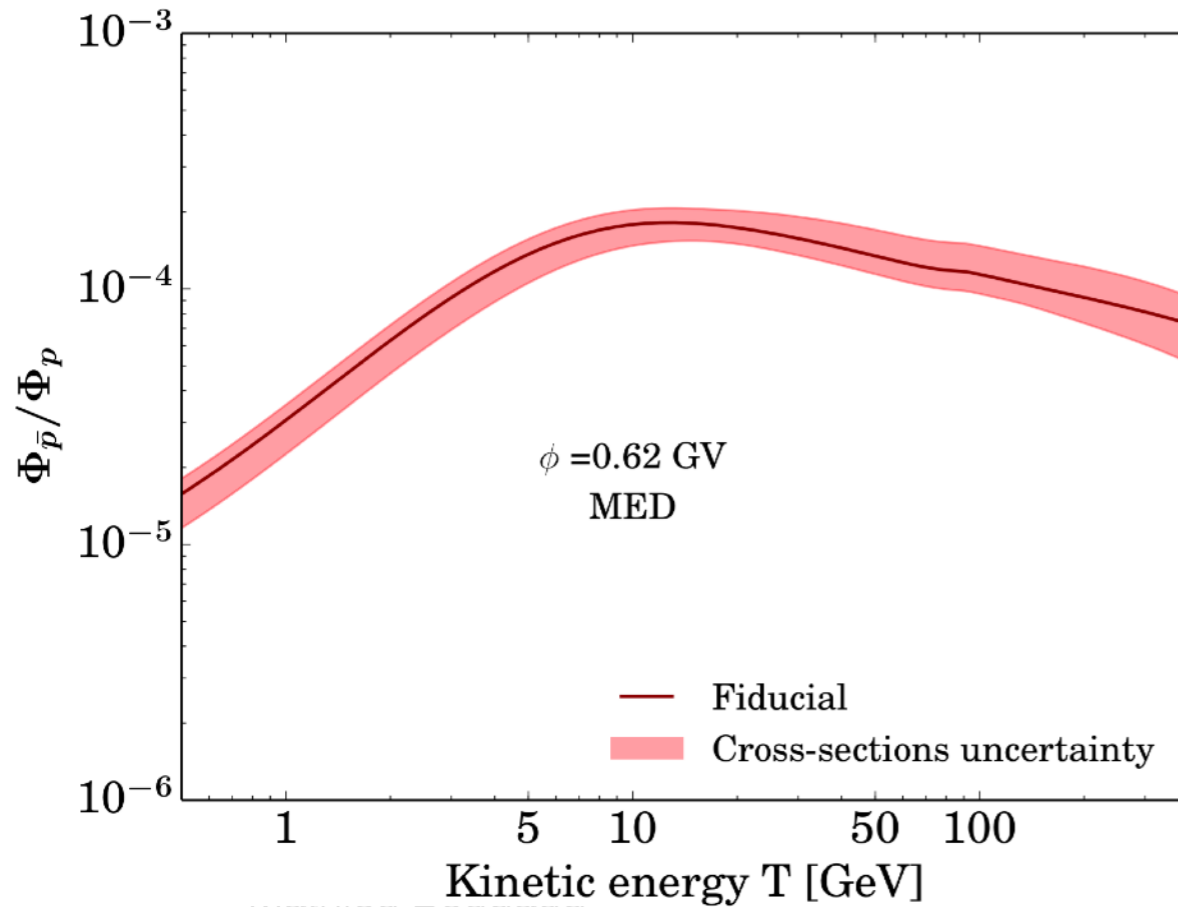
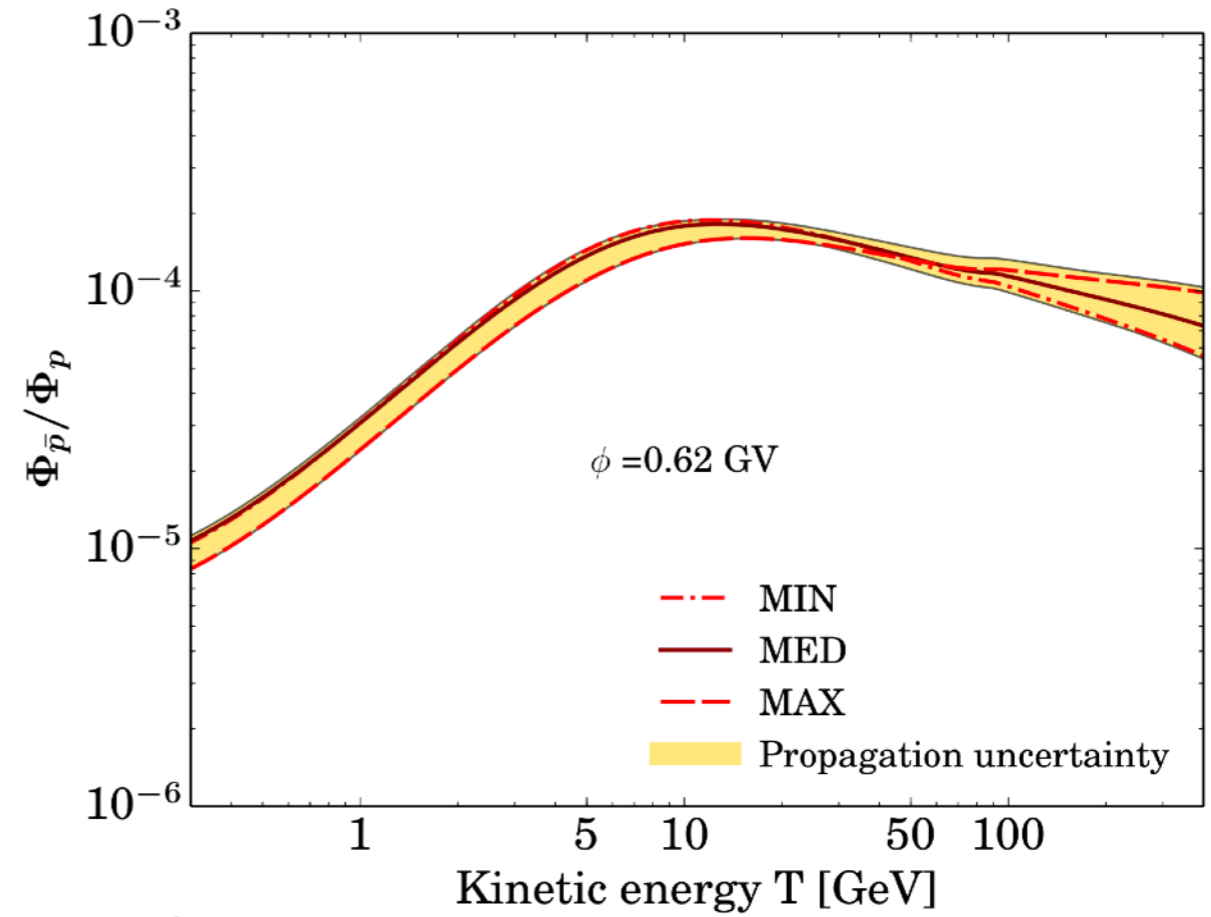
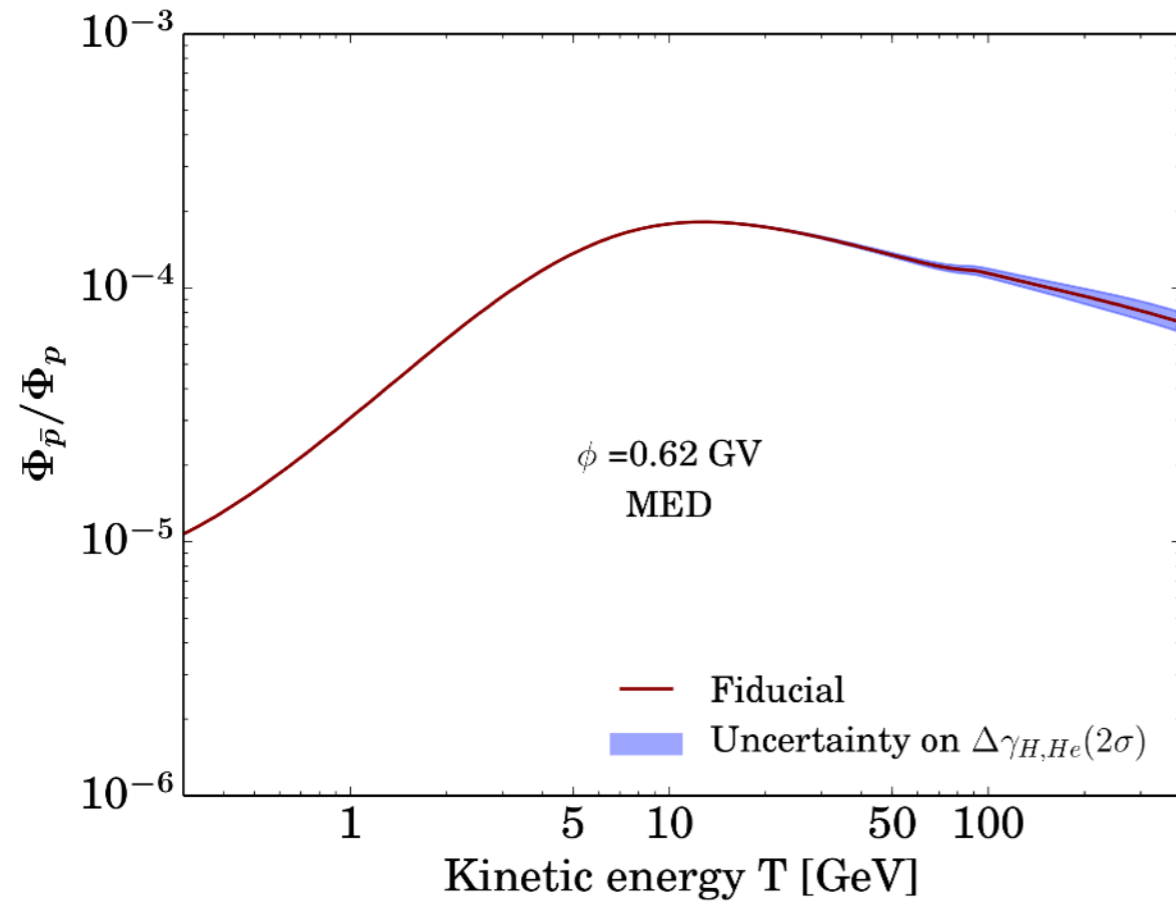




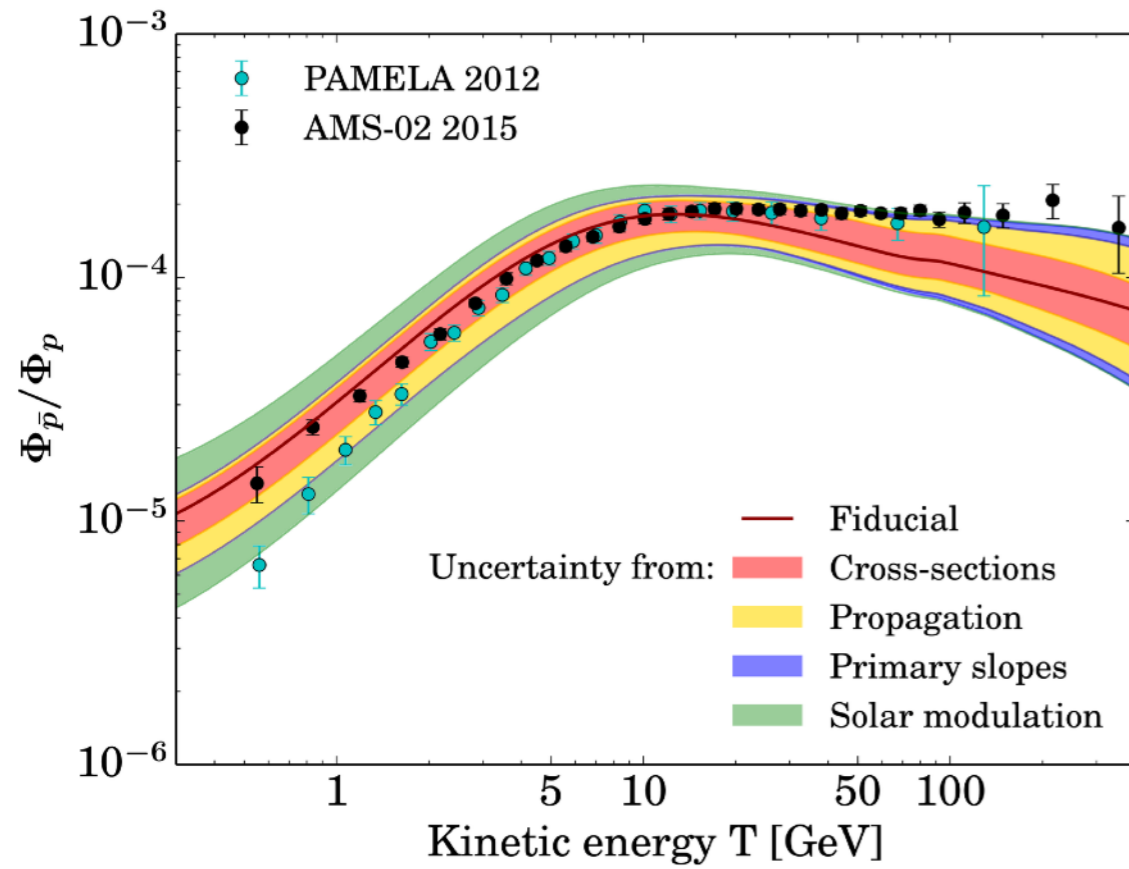
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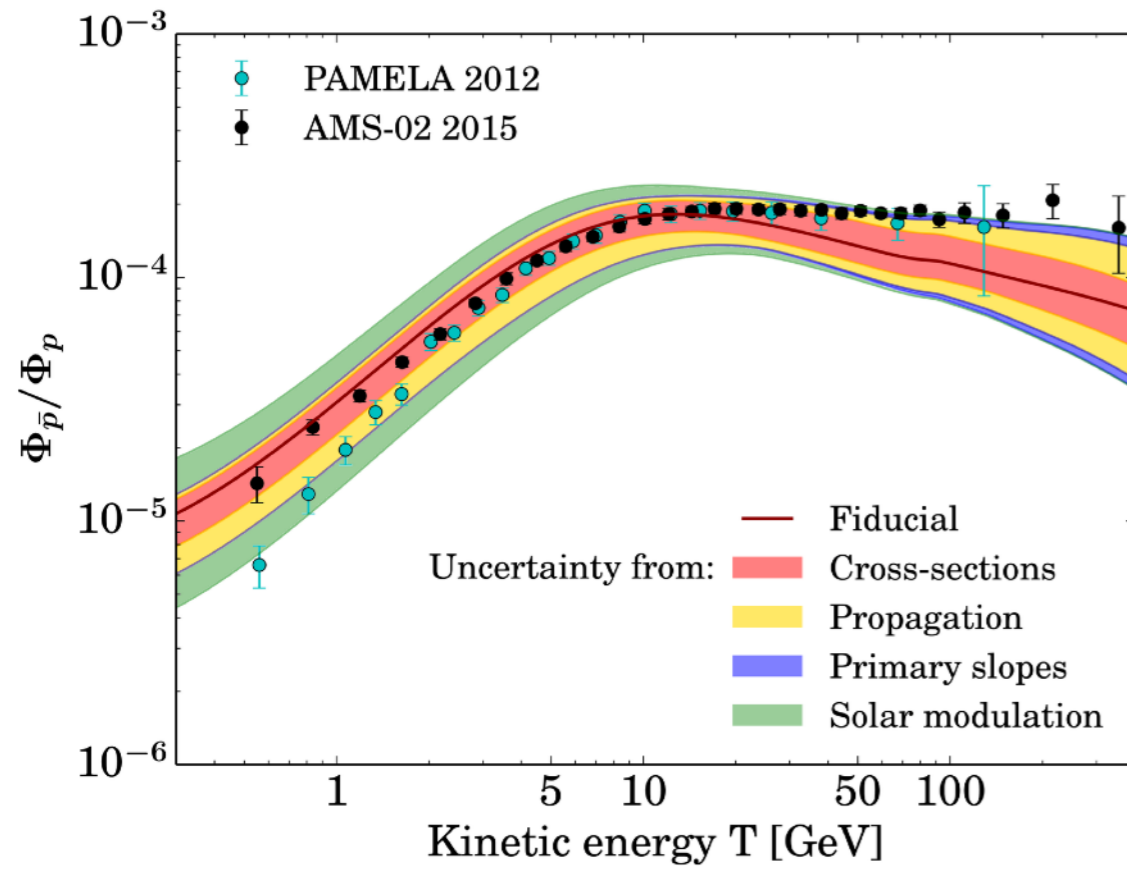
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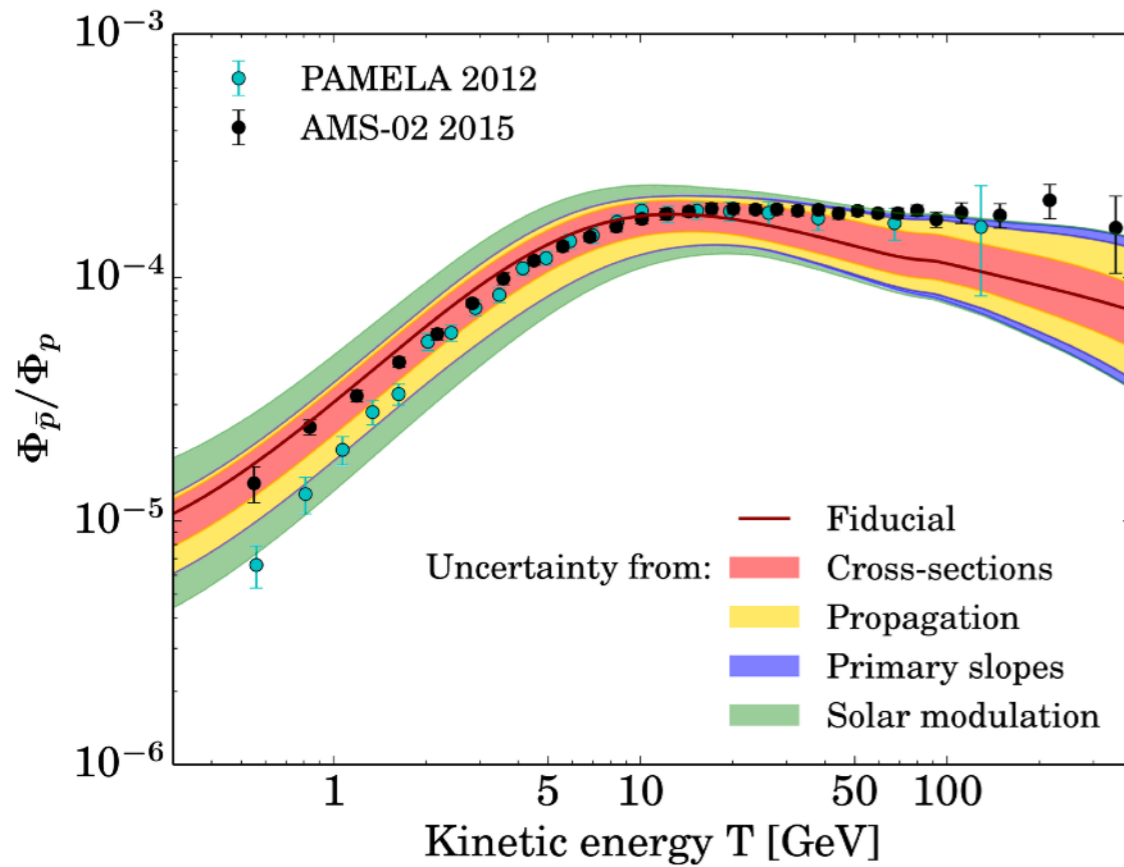
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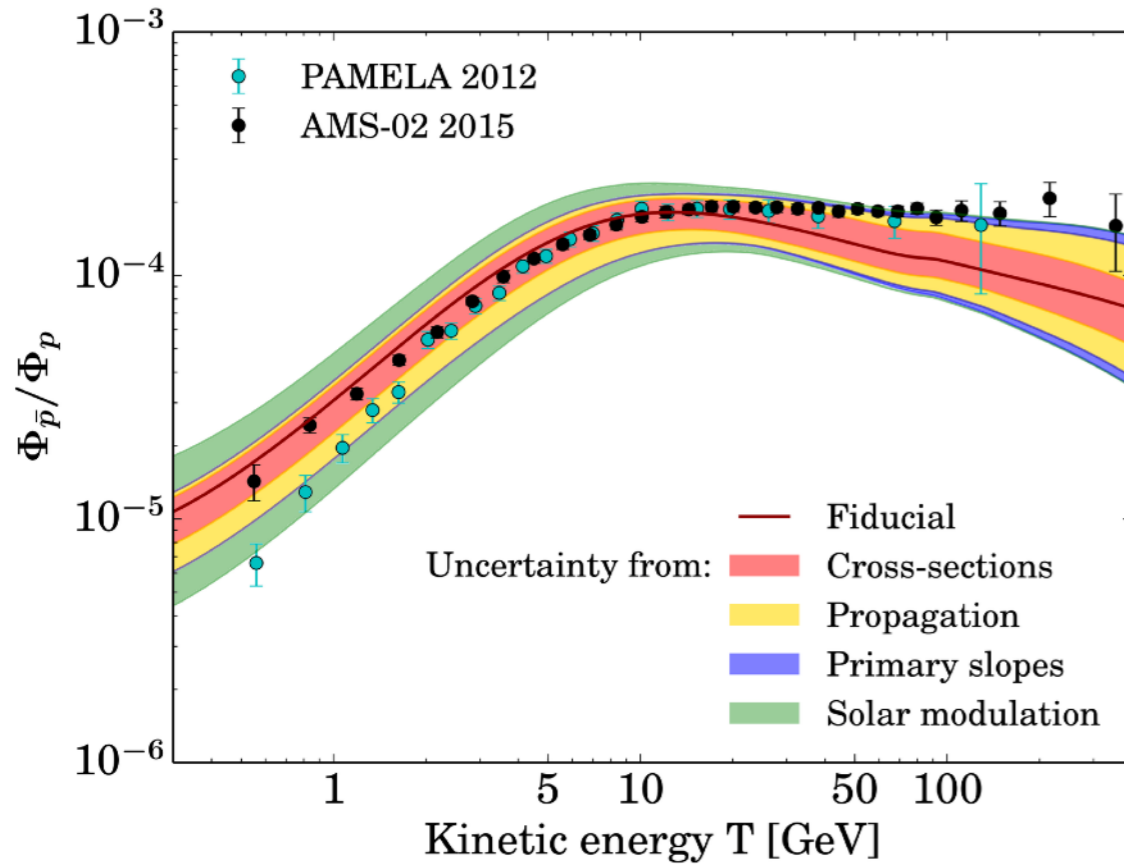


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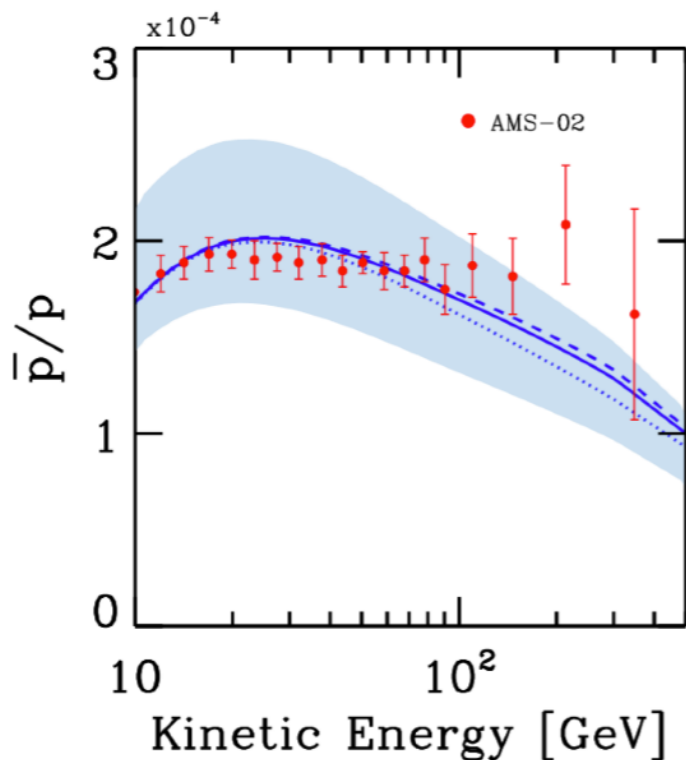


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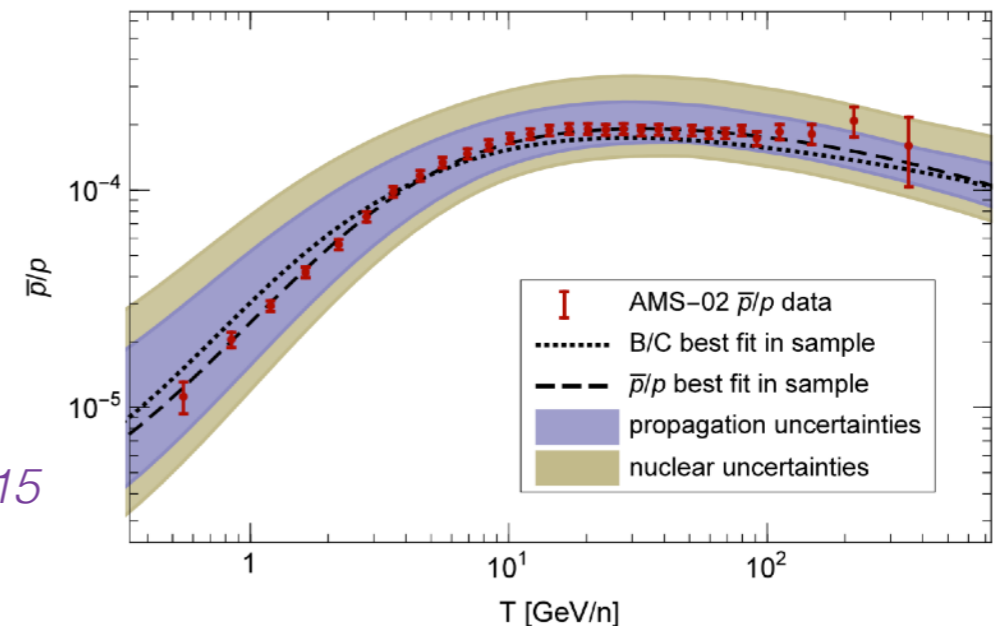
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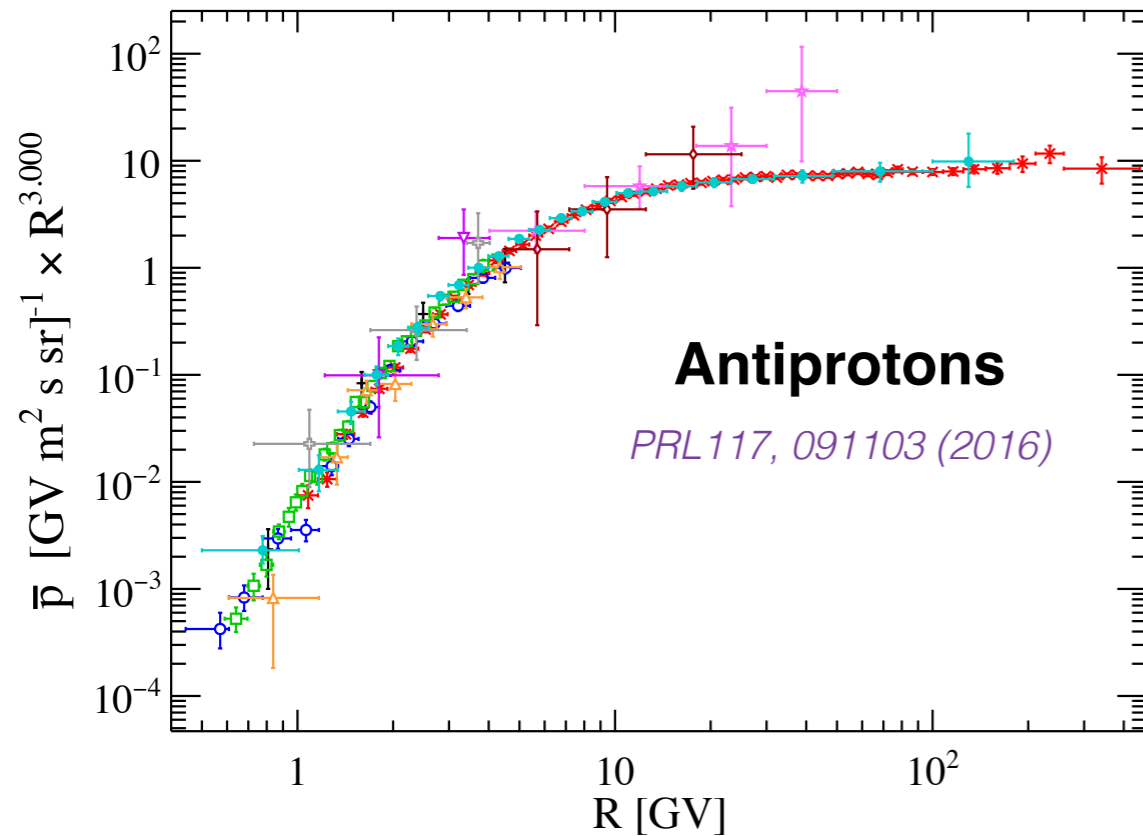
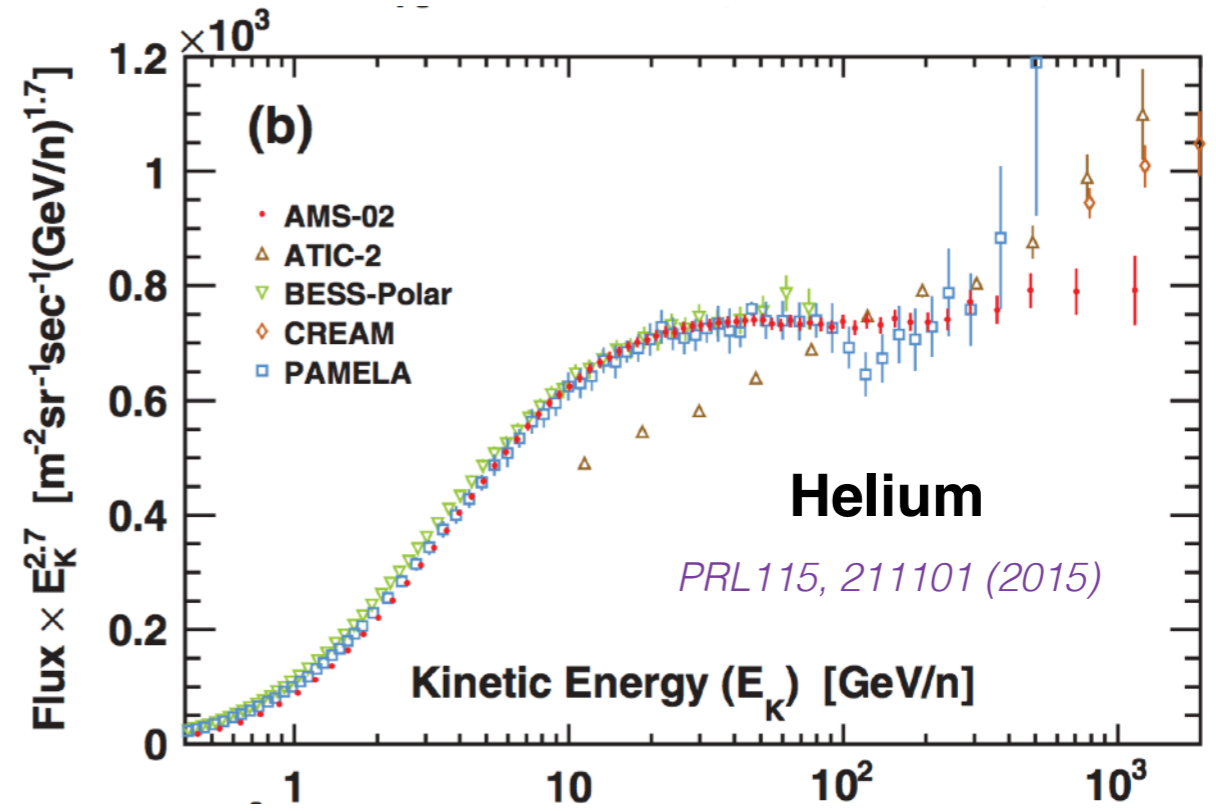
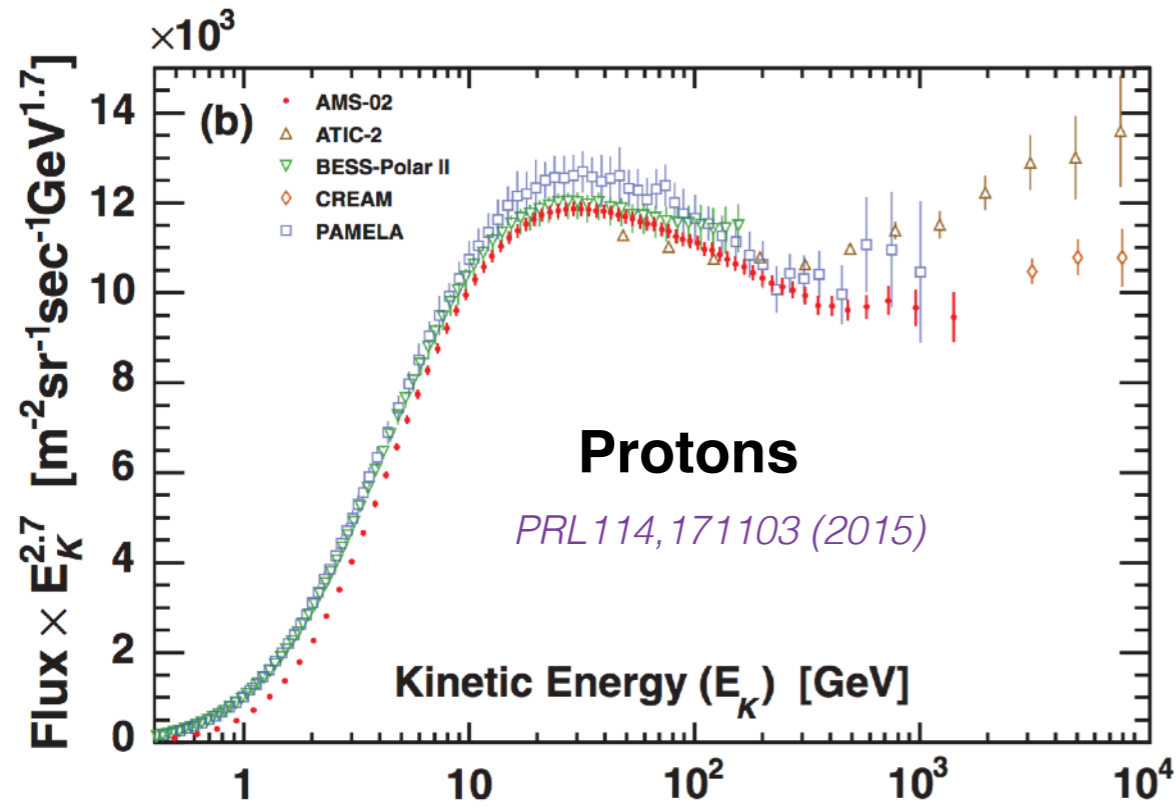
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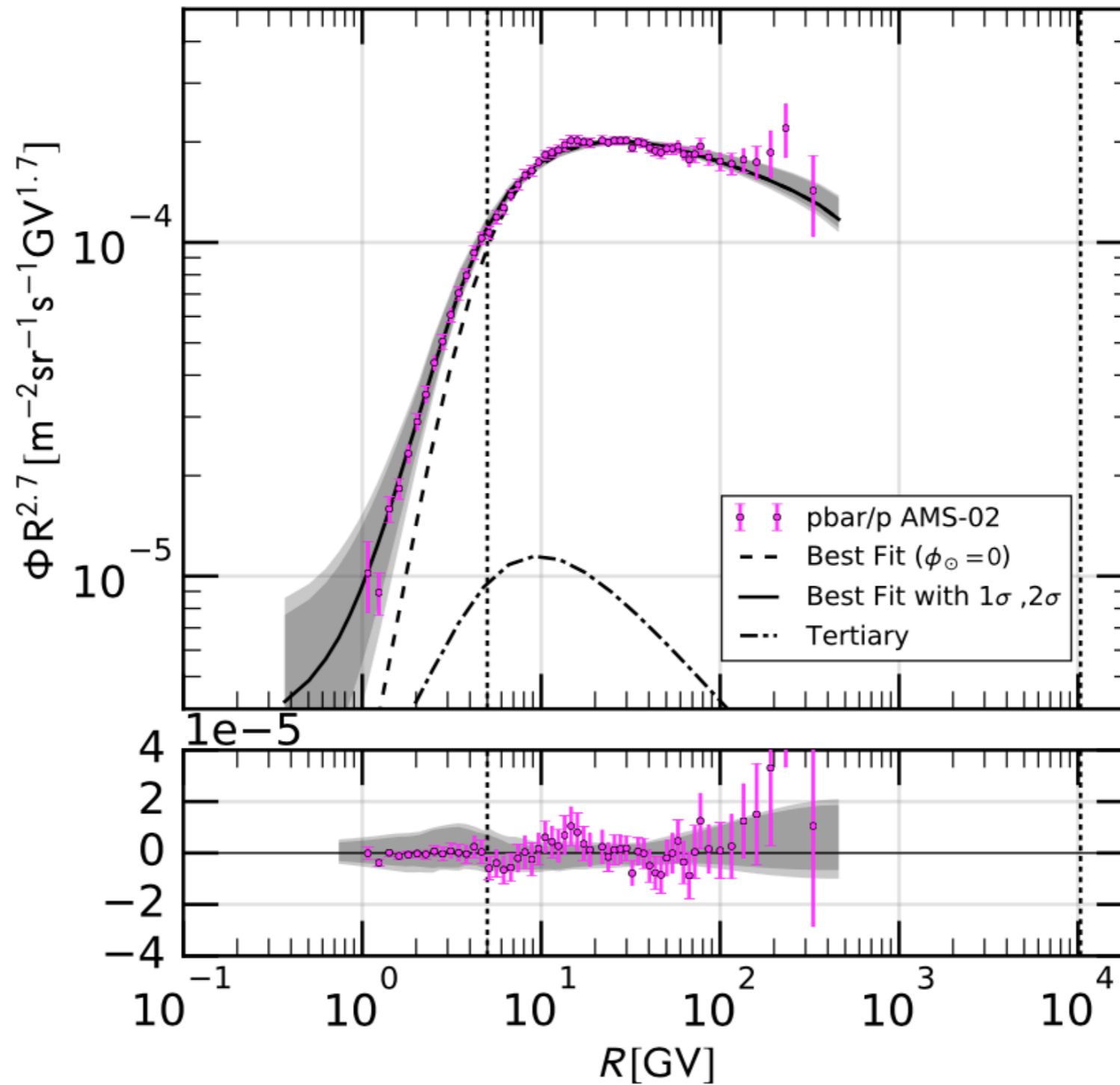
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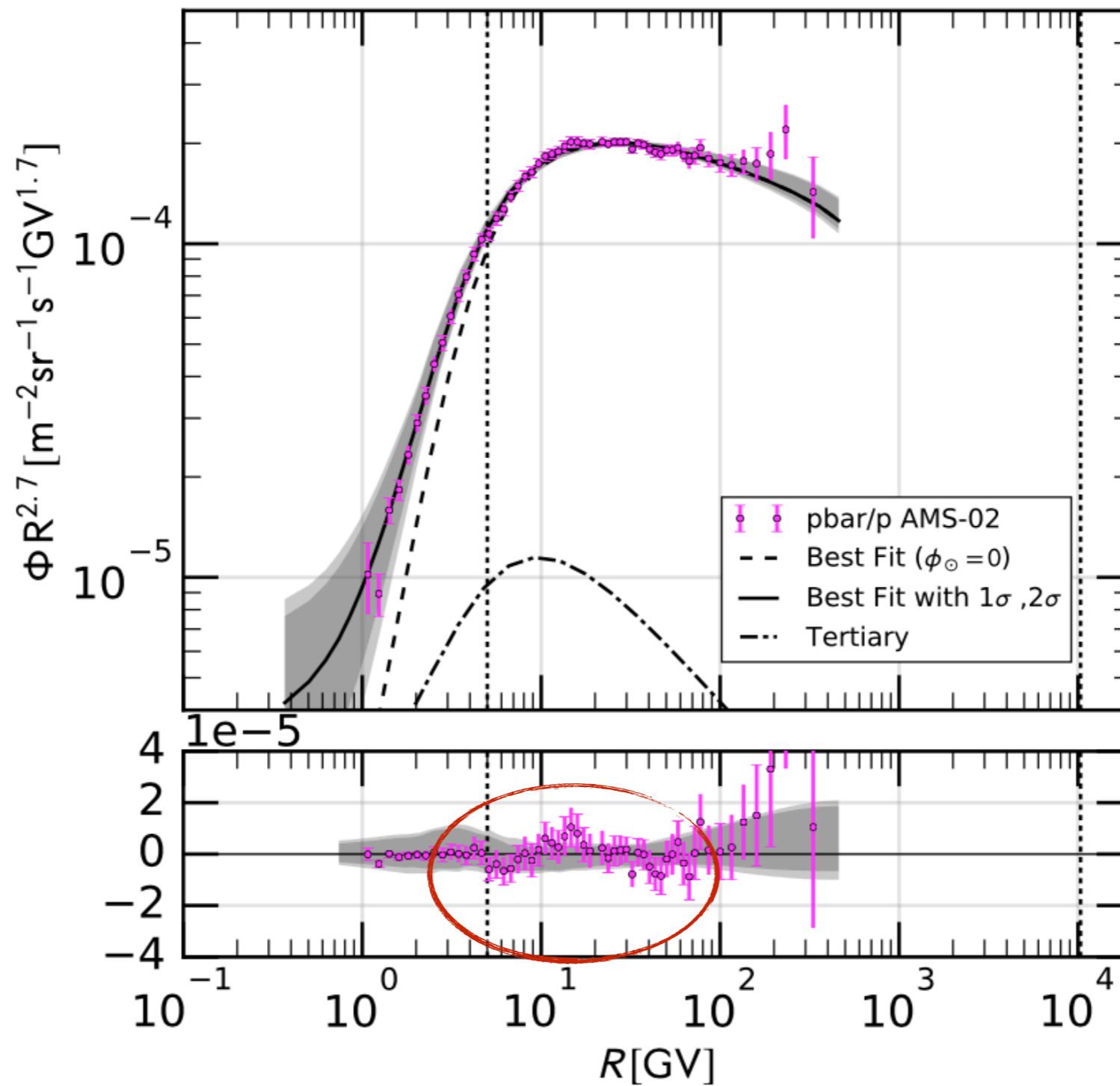
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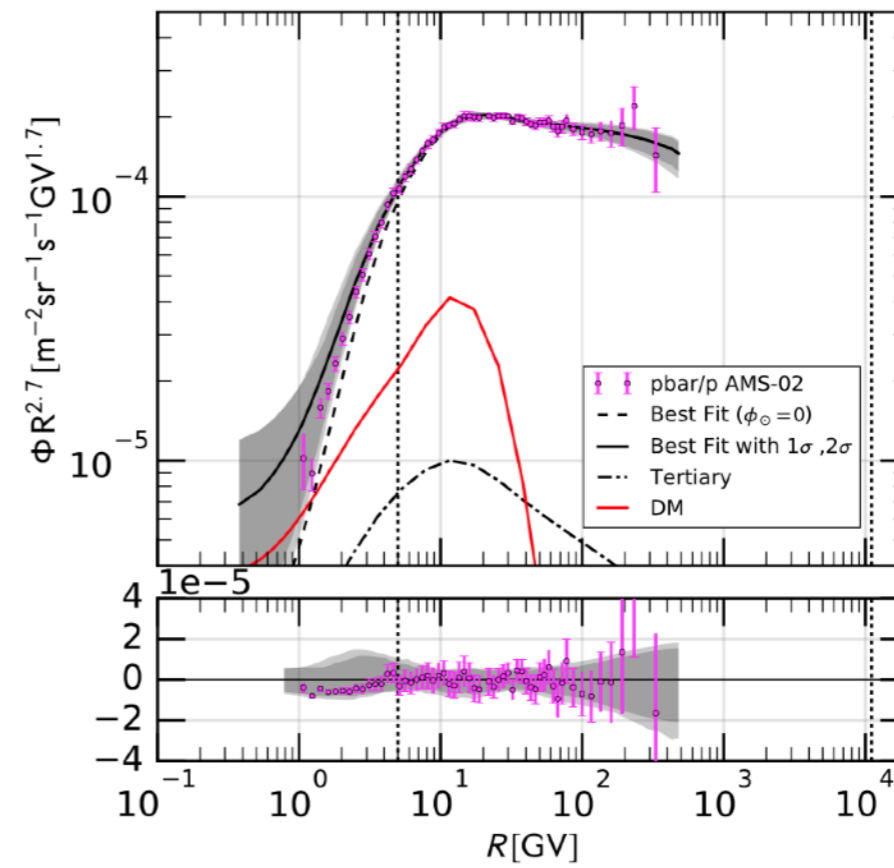
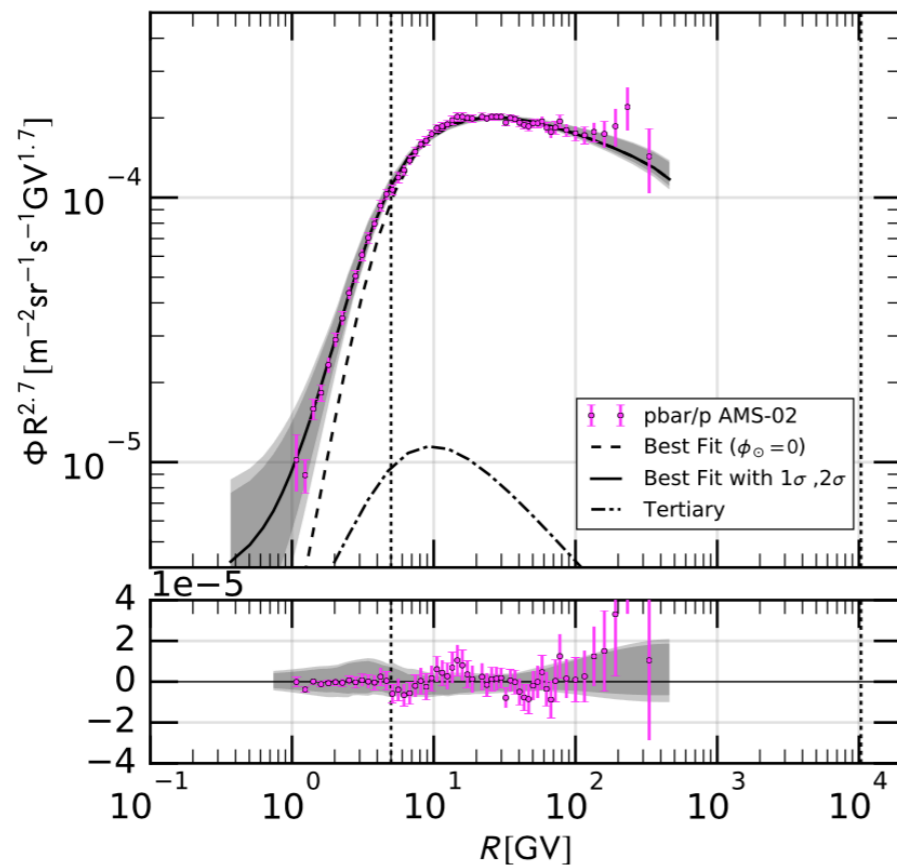
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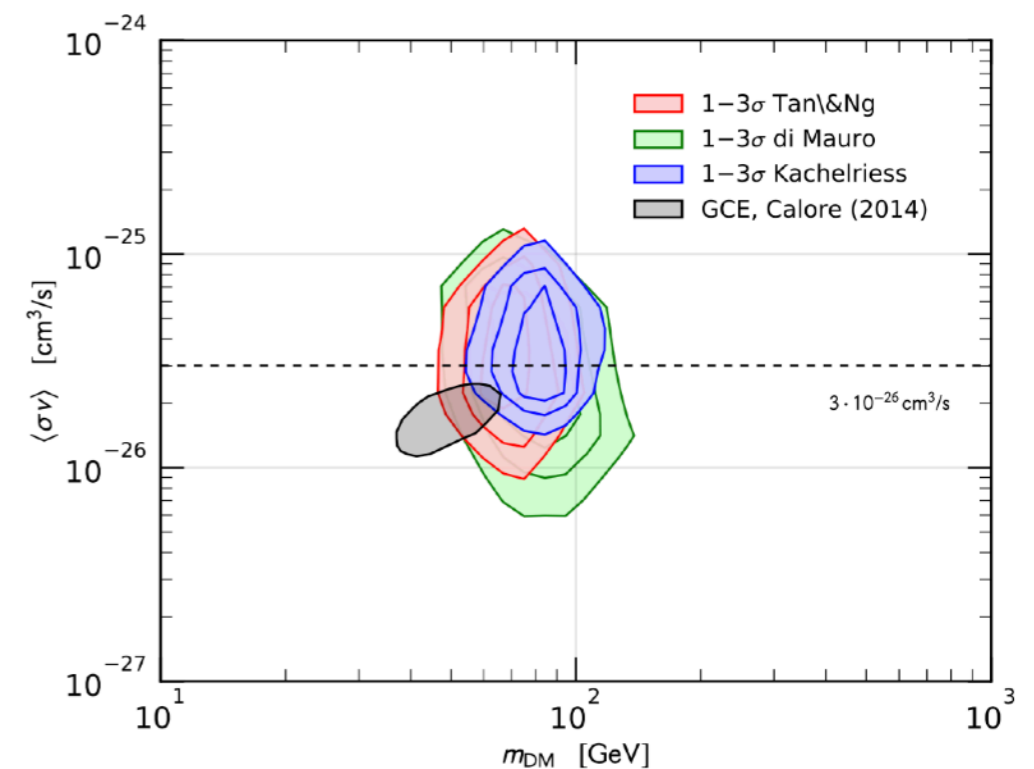
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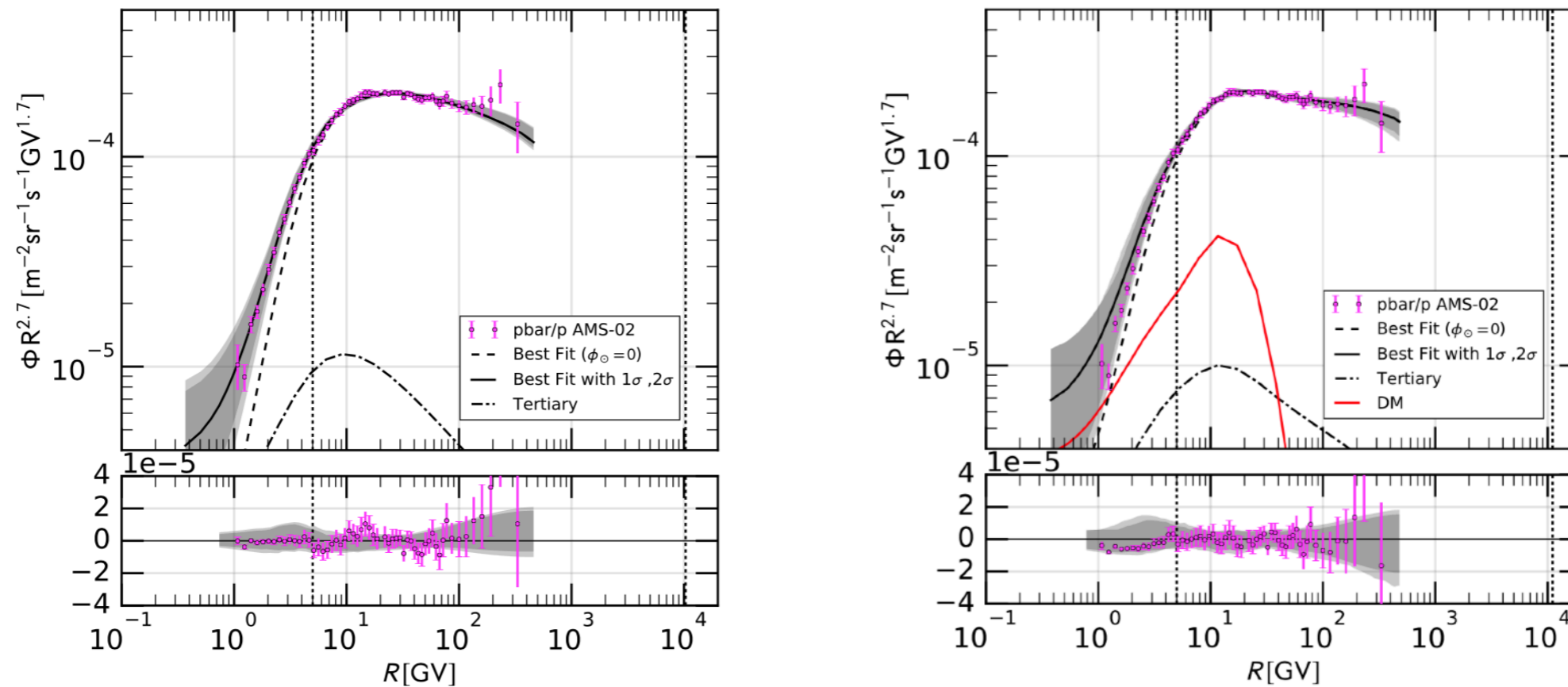
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### A critical look:

- Propagation parameters are derived from  $\mathbf{p}$ ,  $\mathbf{He}$  and  $\bar{\mathbf{p}}$  data.

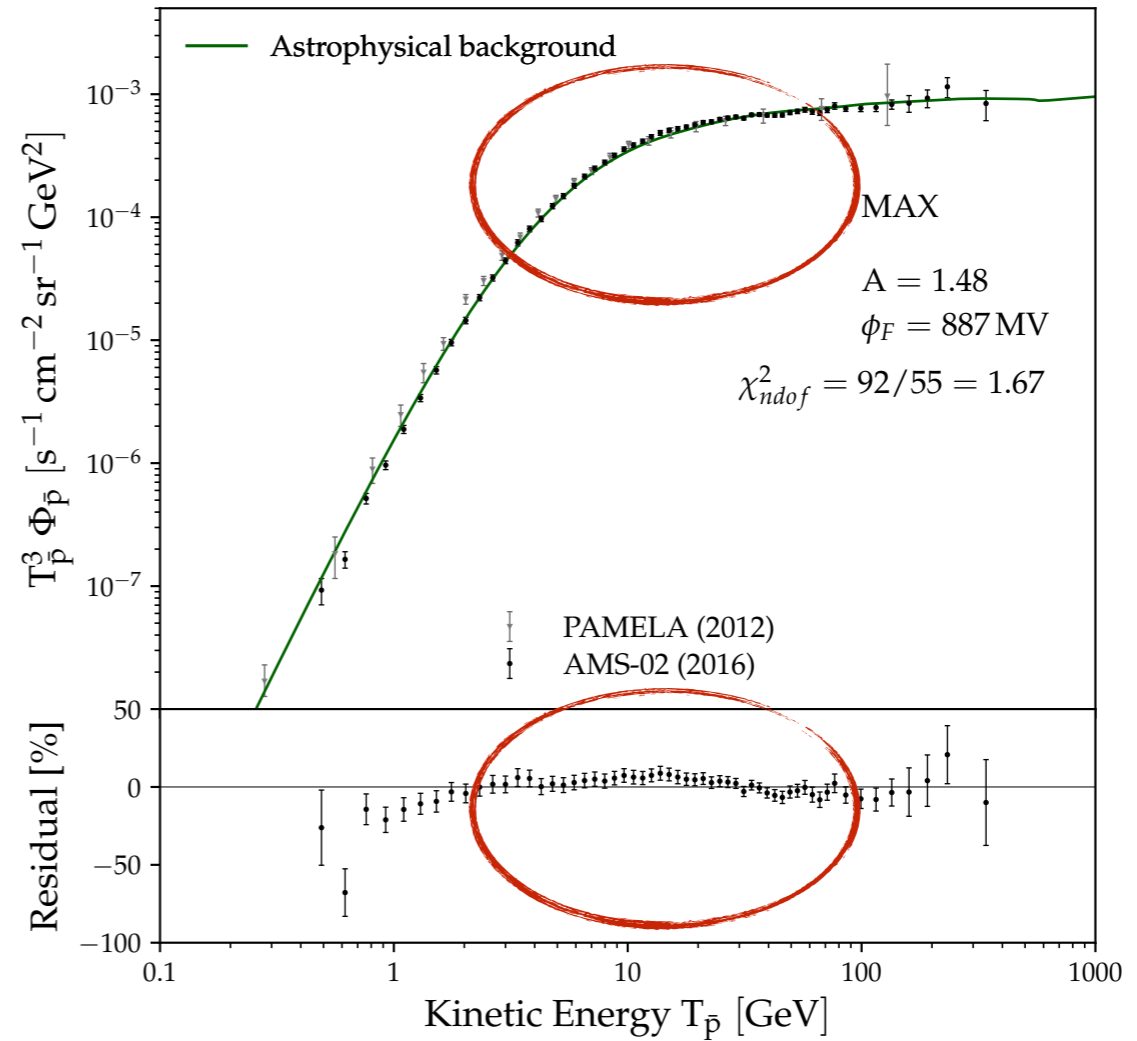
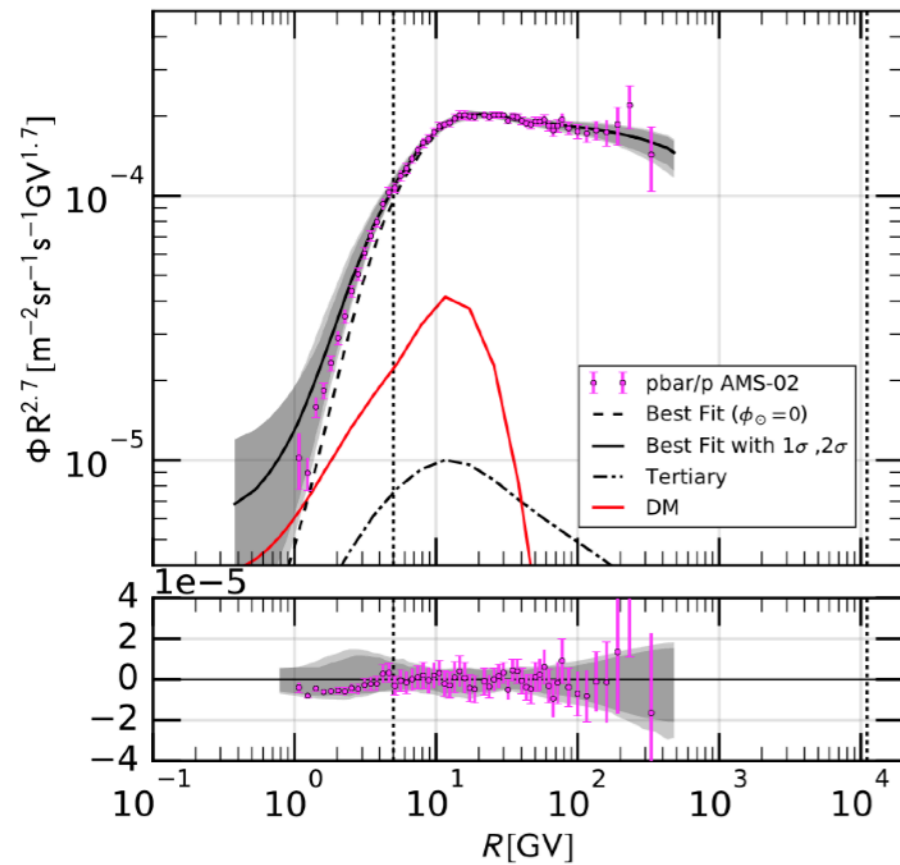
Background + DM  $\Rightarrow \delta = 0.24$  **Does not match preliminary B/C measured by AMS-02 with  $\delta \approx 0.5$ .**

« While preliminary B/C data from AMS-02 are available, there is, however, evidence that the propagation of heavy nuclei like B and C is different from the propagation of light nuclei like protons and antiprotons [14]. Thus, using B/C data to constrain CR propagation is likely to introduce a bias when analysing antiprotons. »

- The excess disappears if low energy data ( $R < 5\text{GV}$ ) are taken into account in the analysis.

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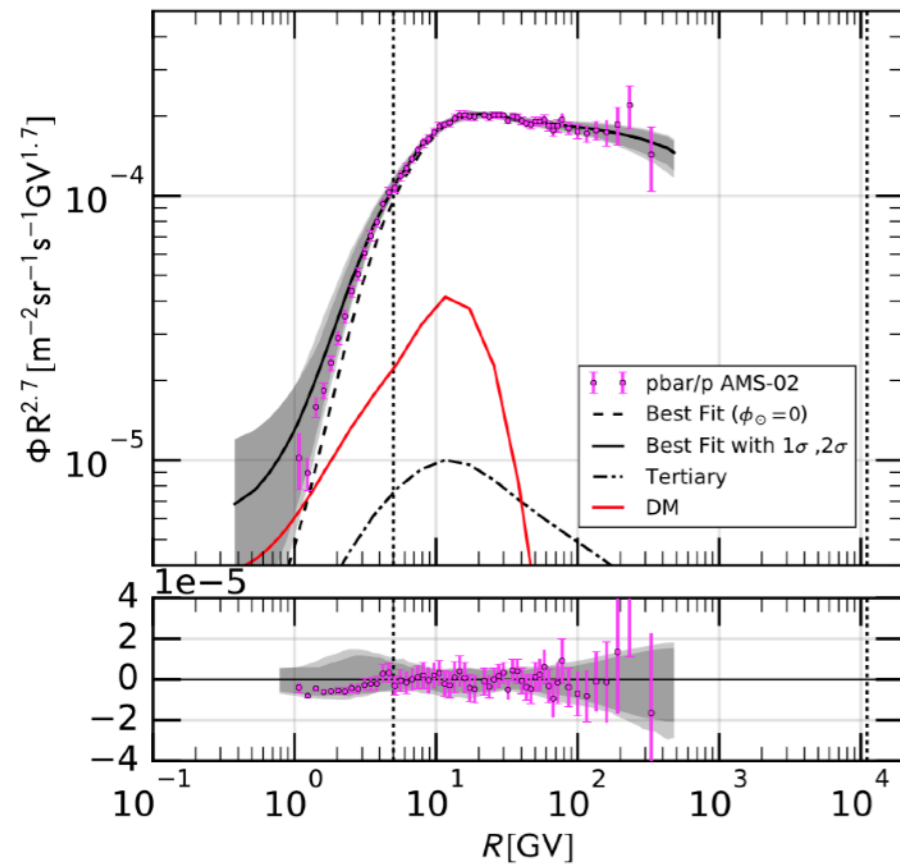
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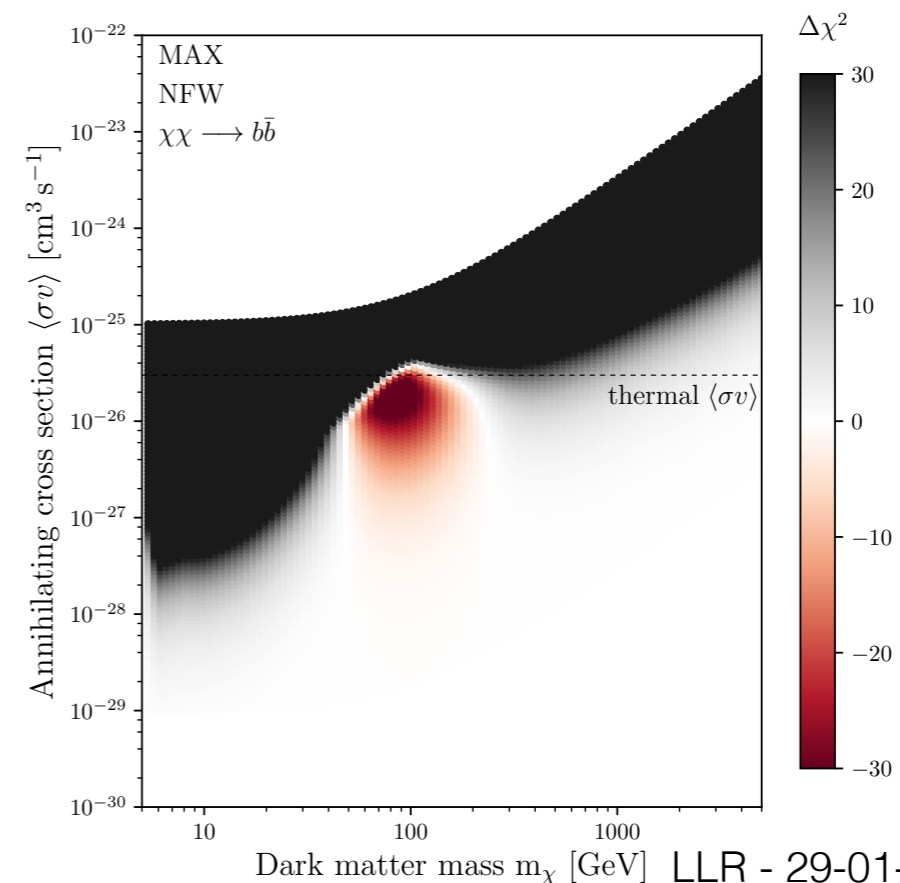
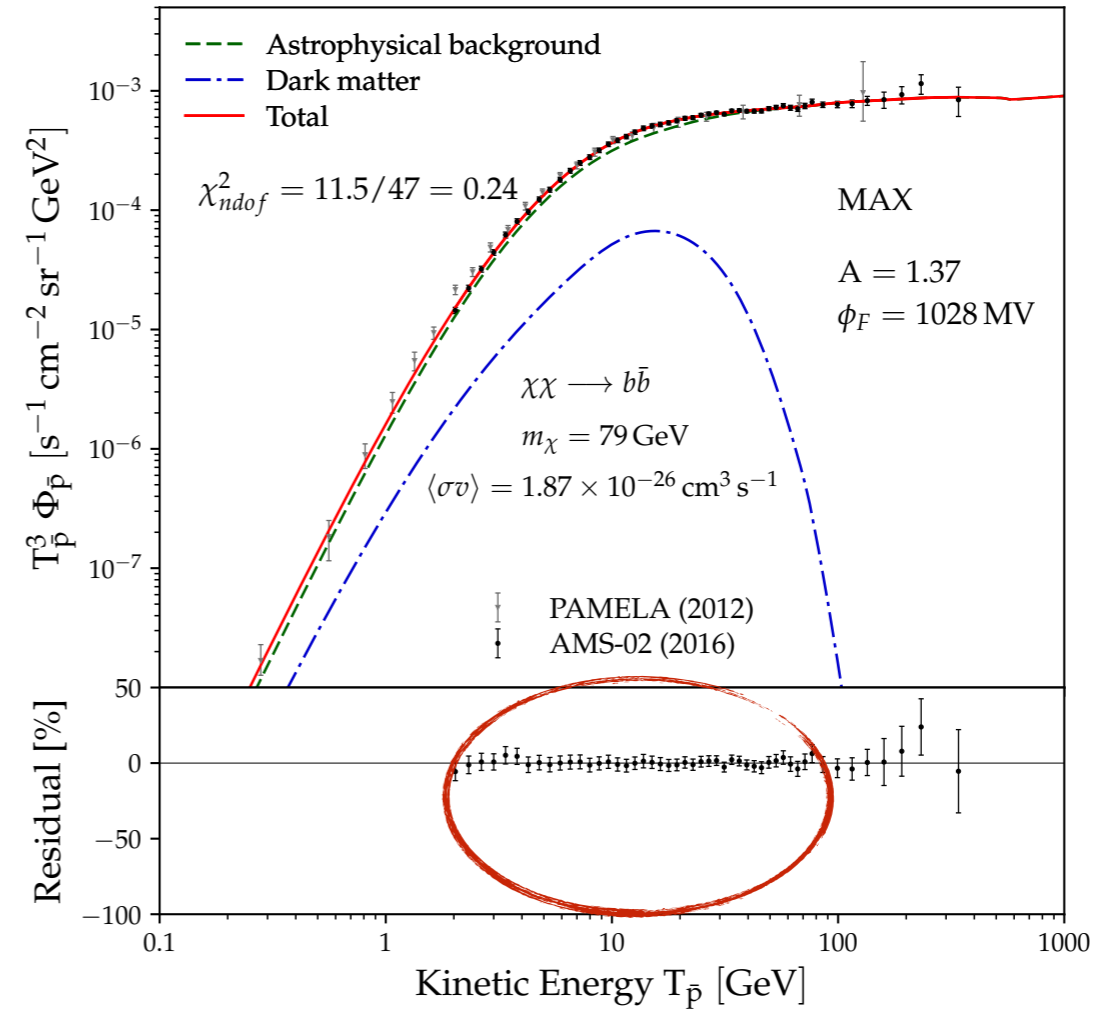
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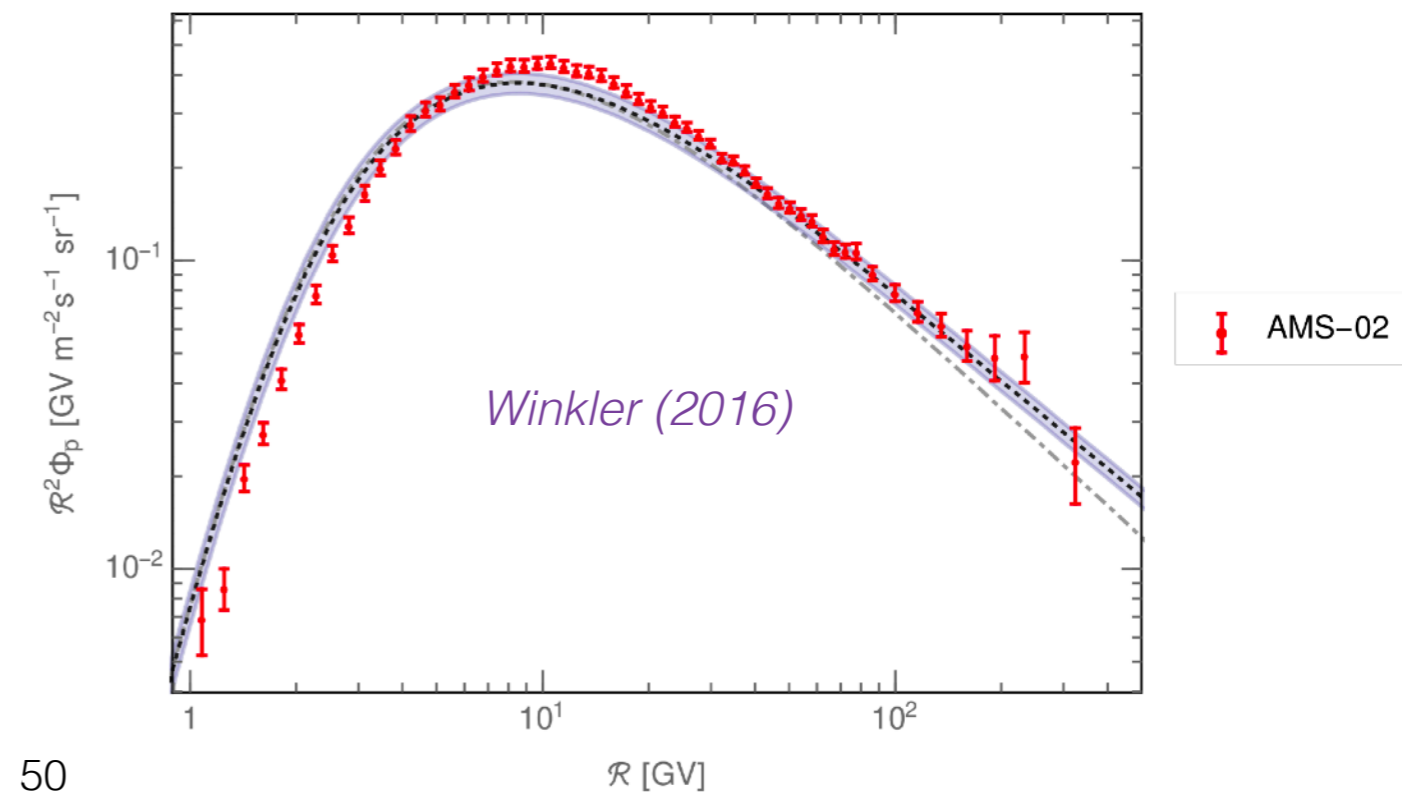
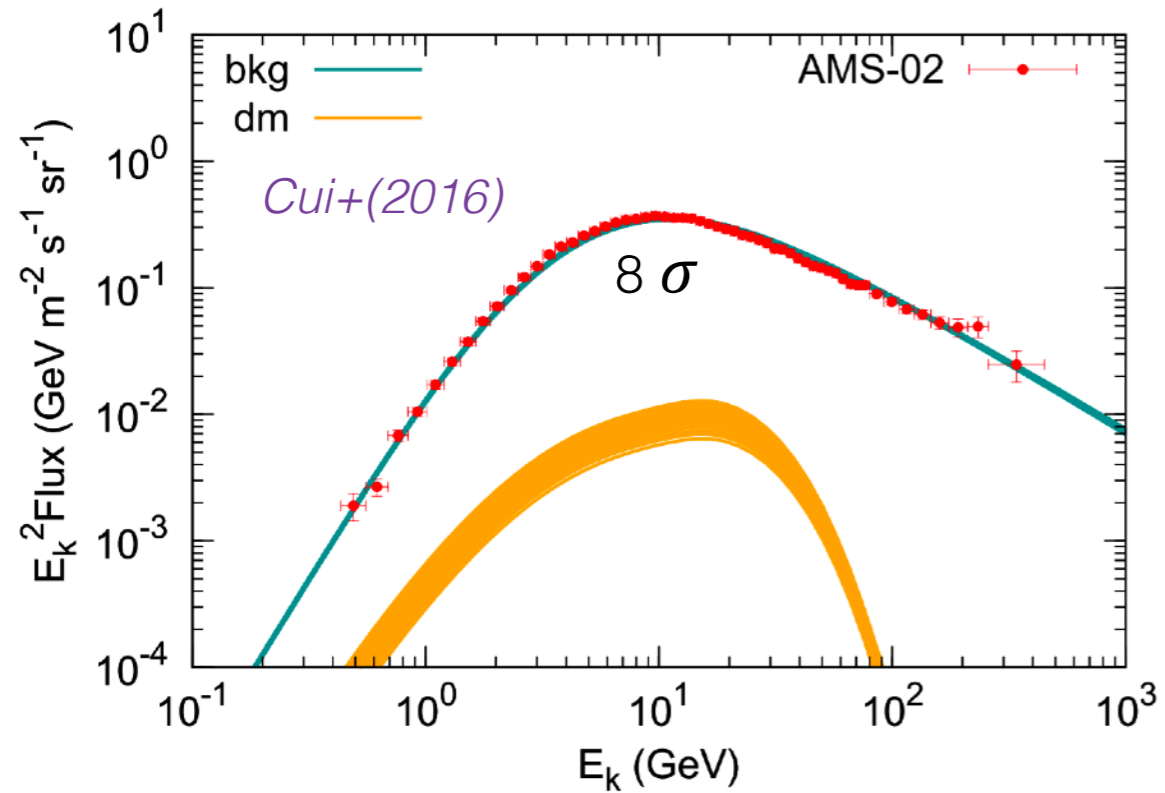
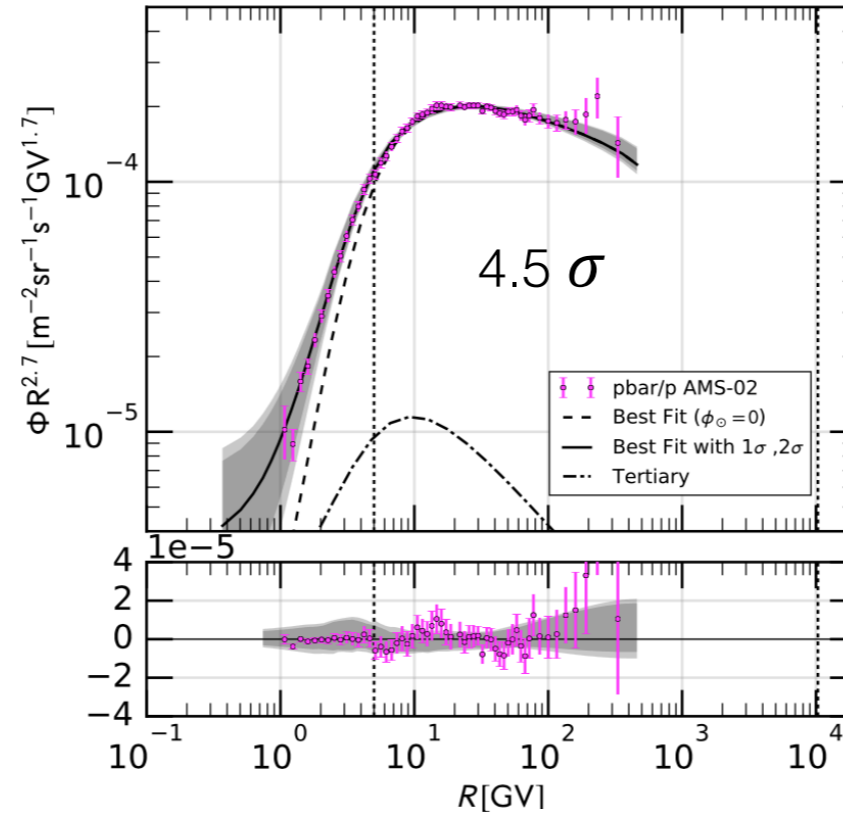
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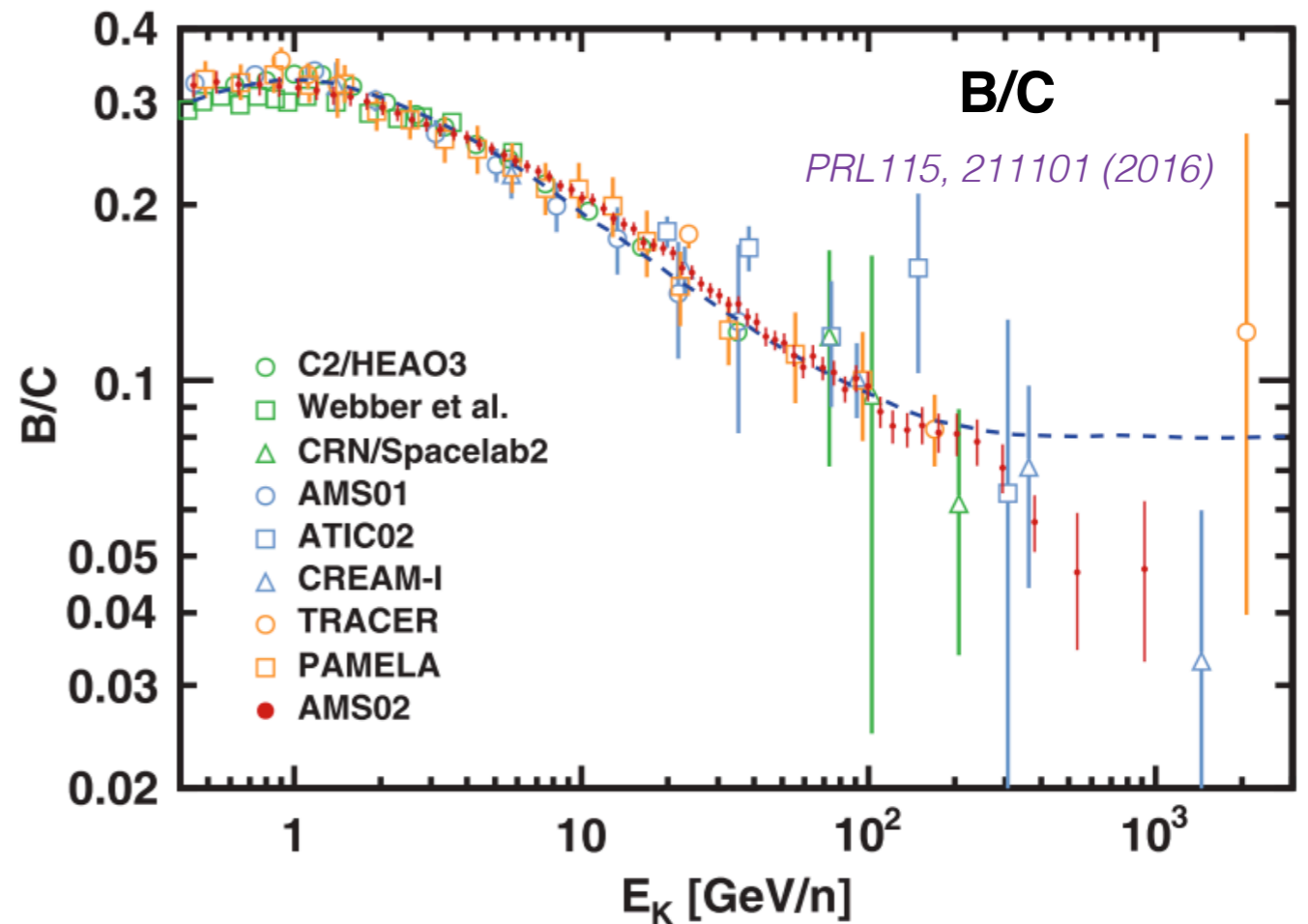
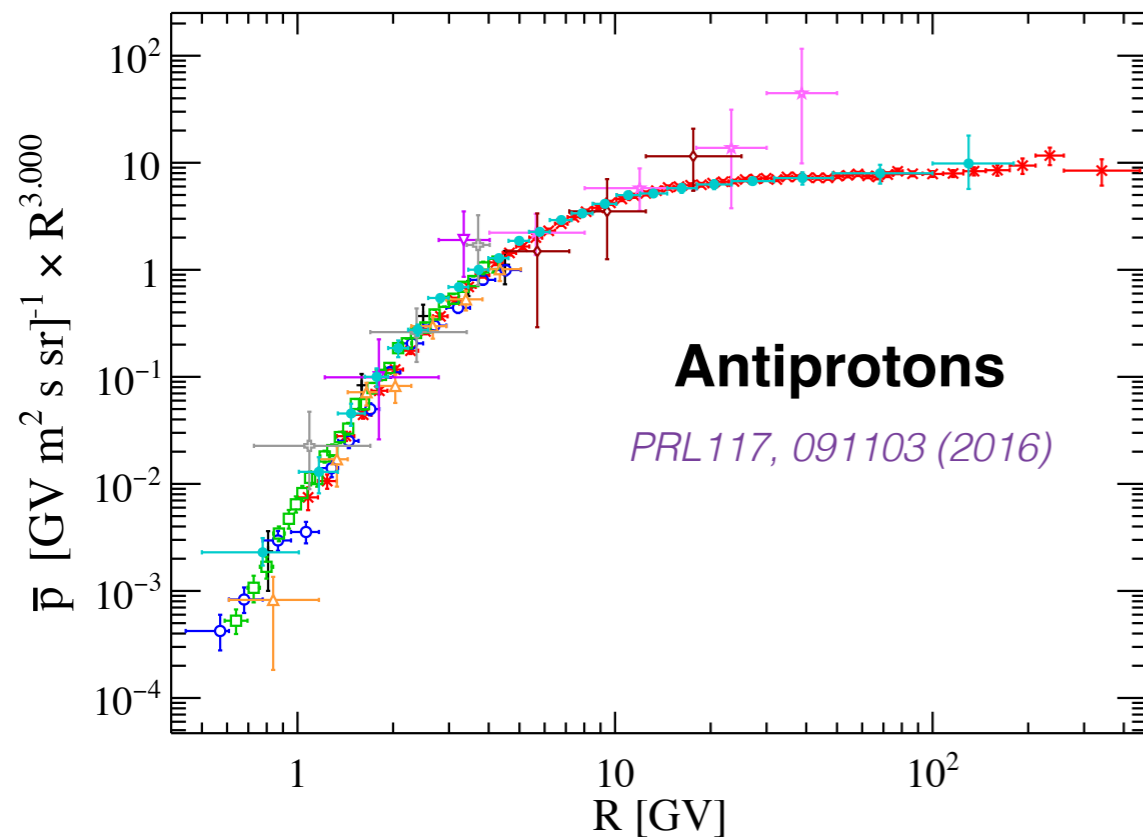
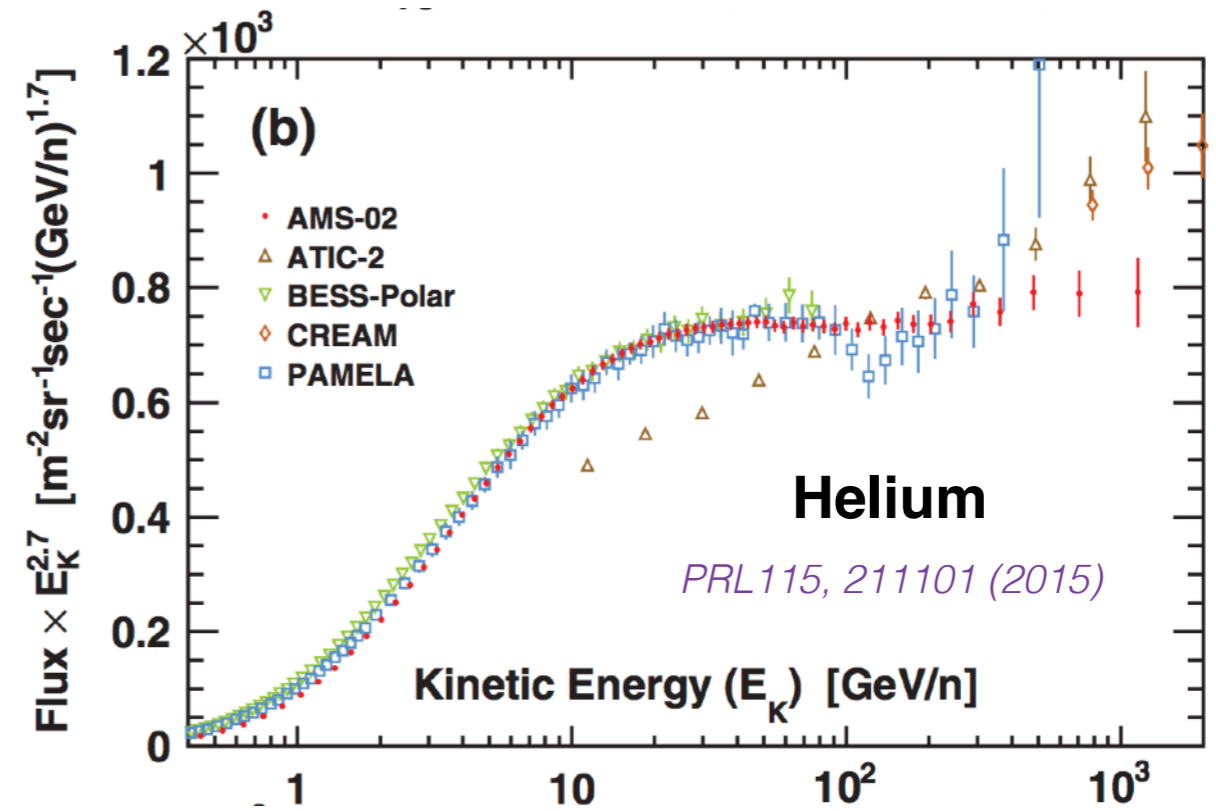
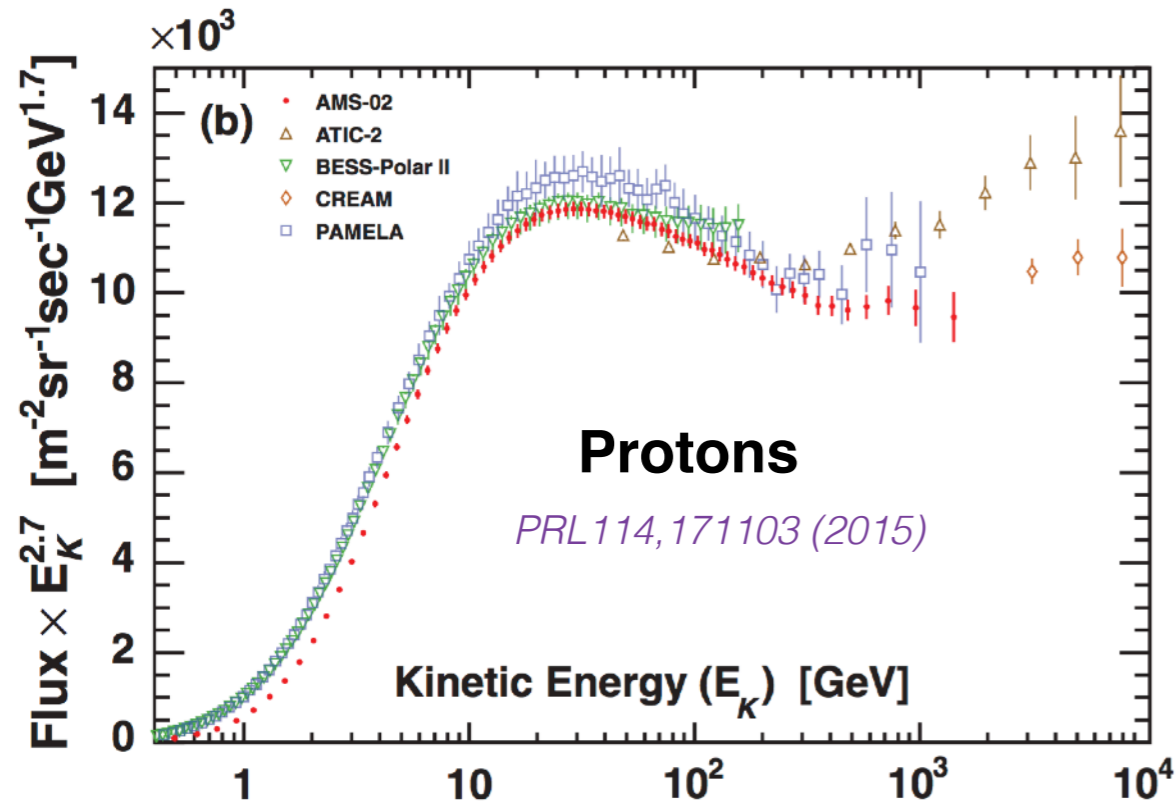
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A 10 GV excess is found by several independent analysis.

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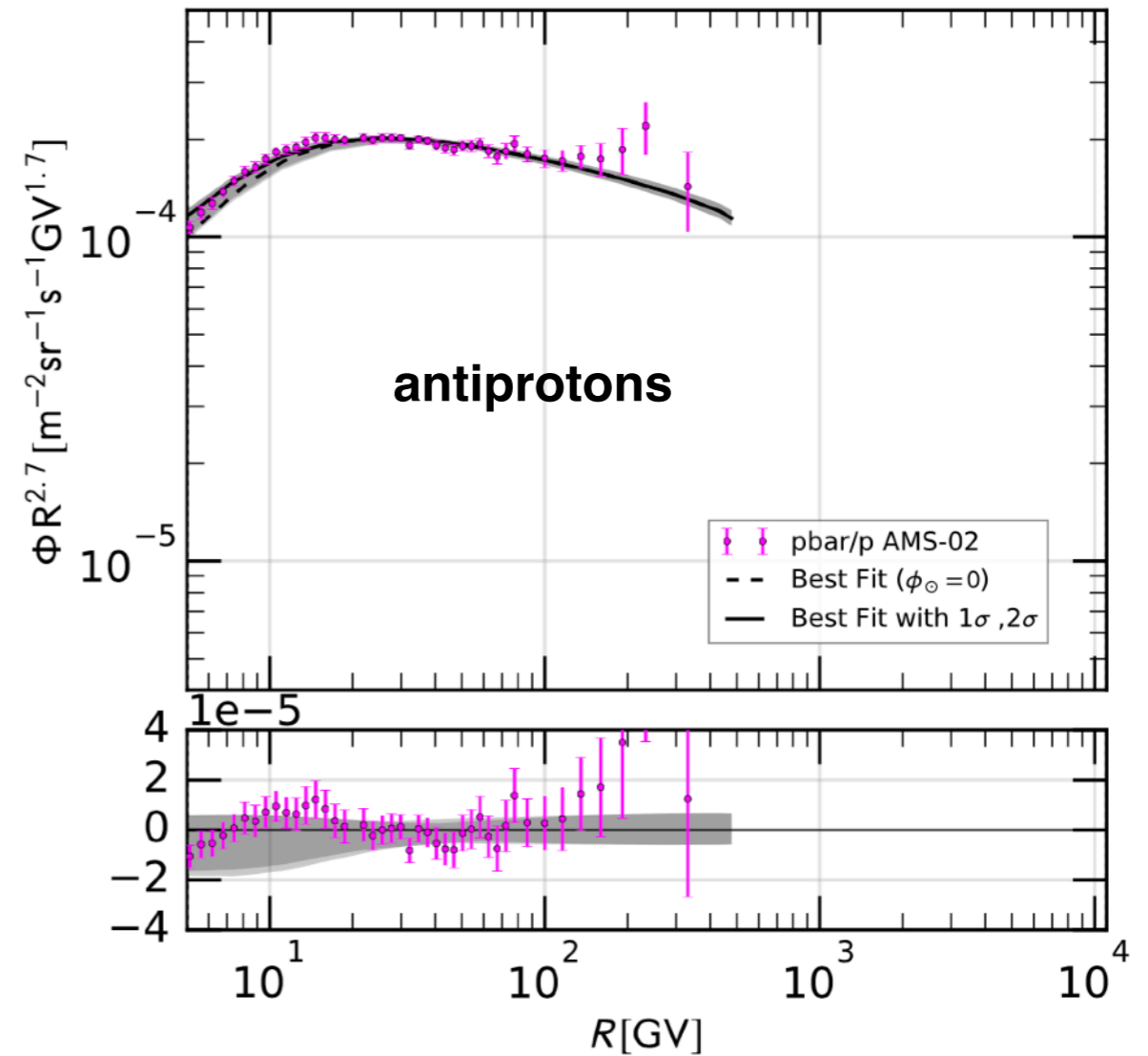
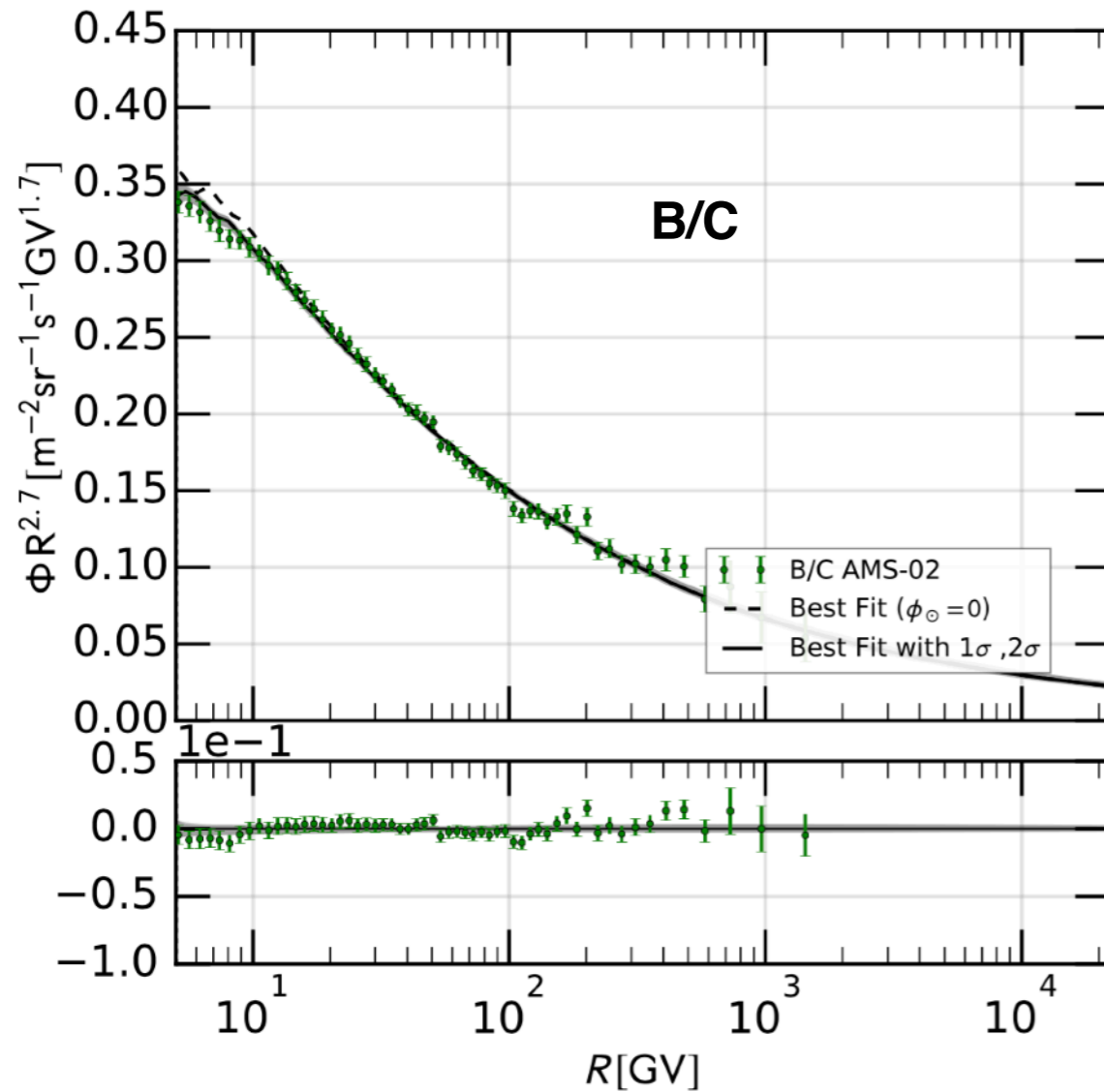
# AMS-02 has published the flux of p, He, antiprotons and B/C





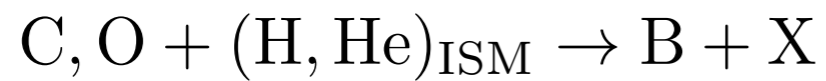
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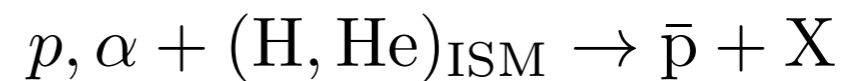


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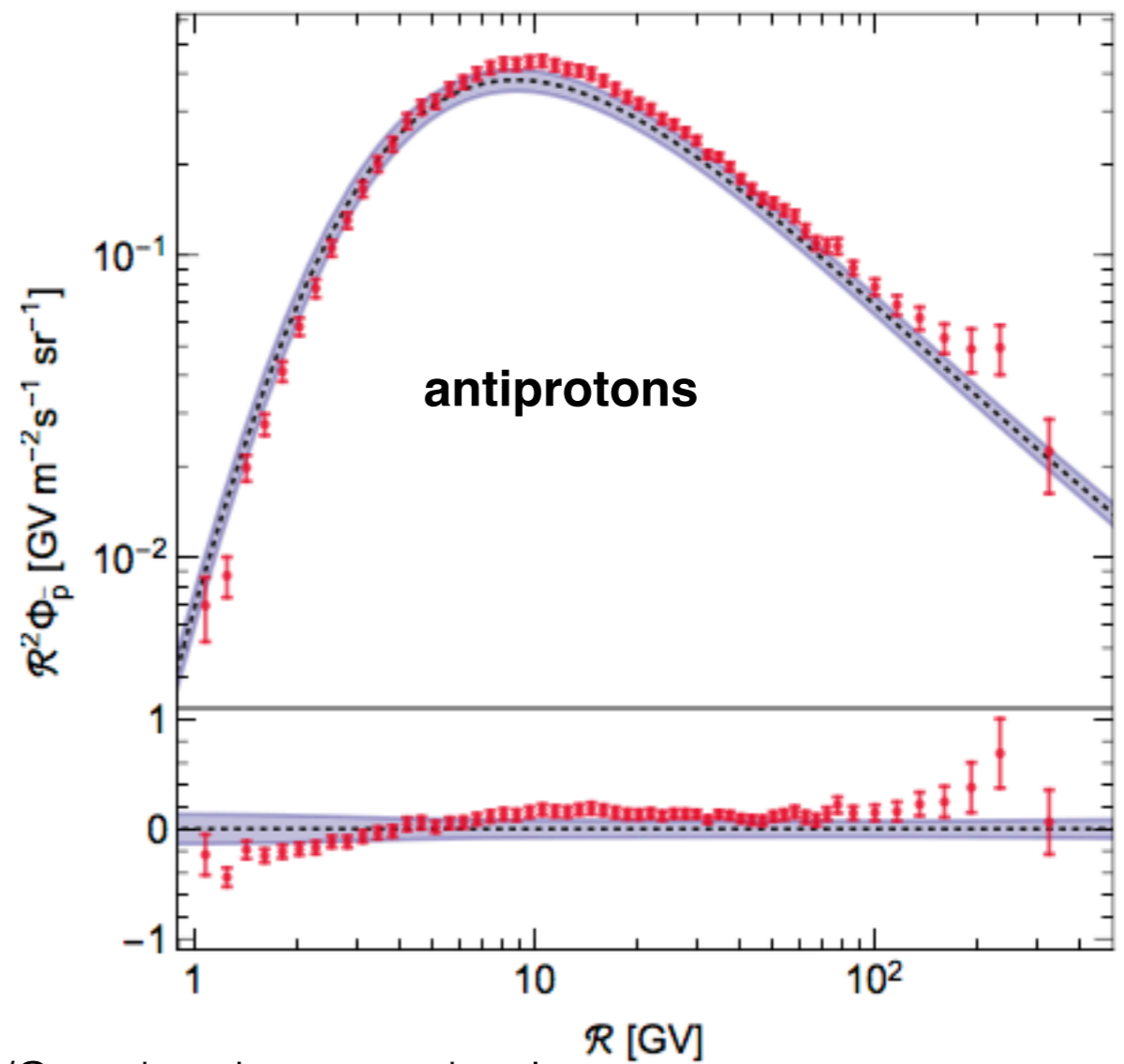
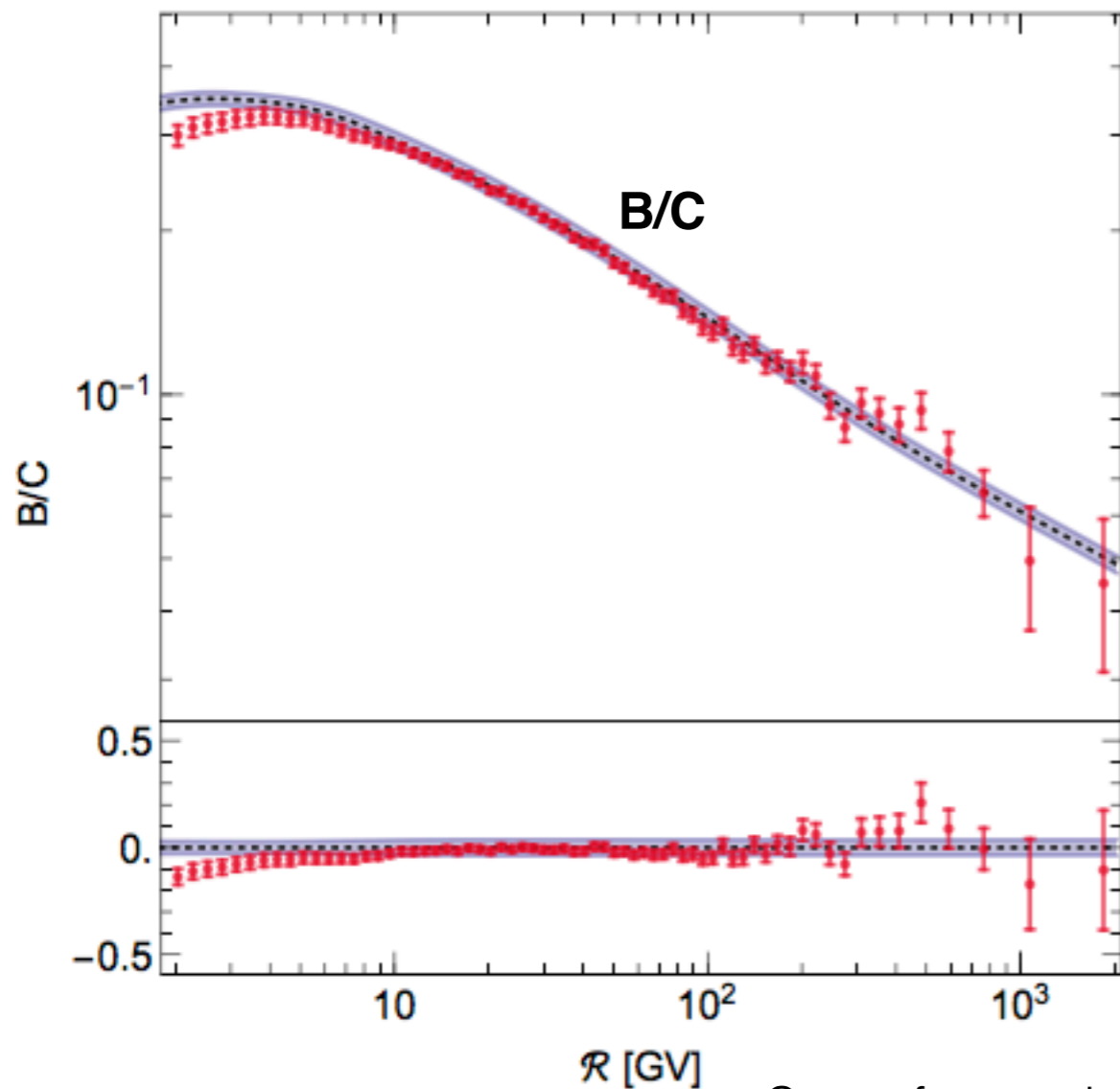
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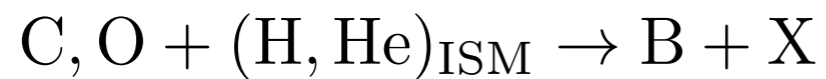
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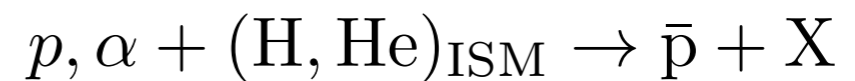


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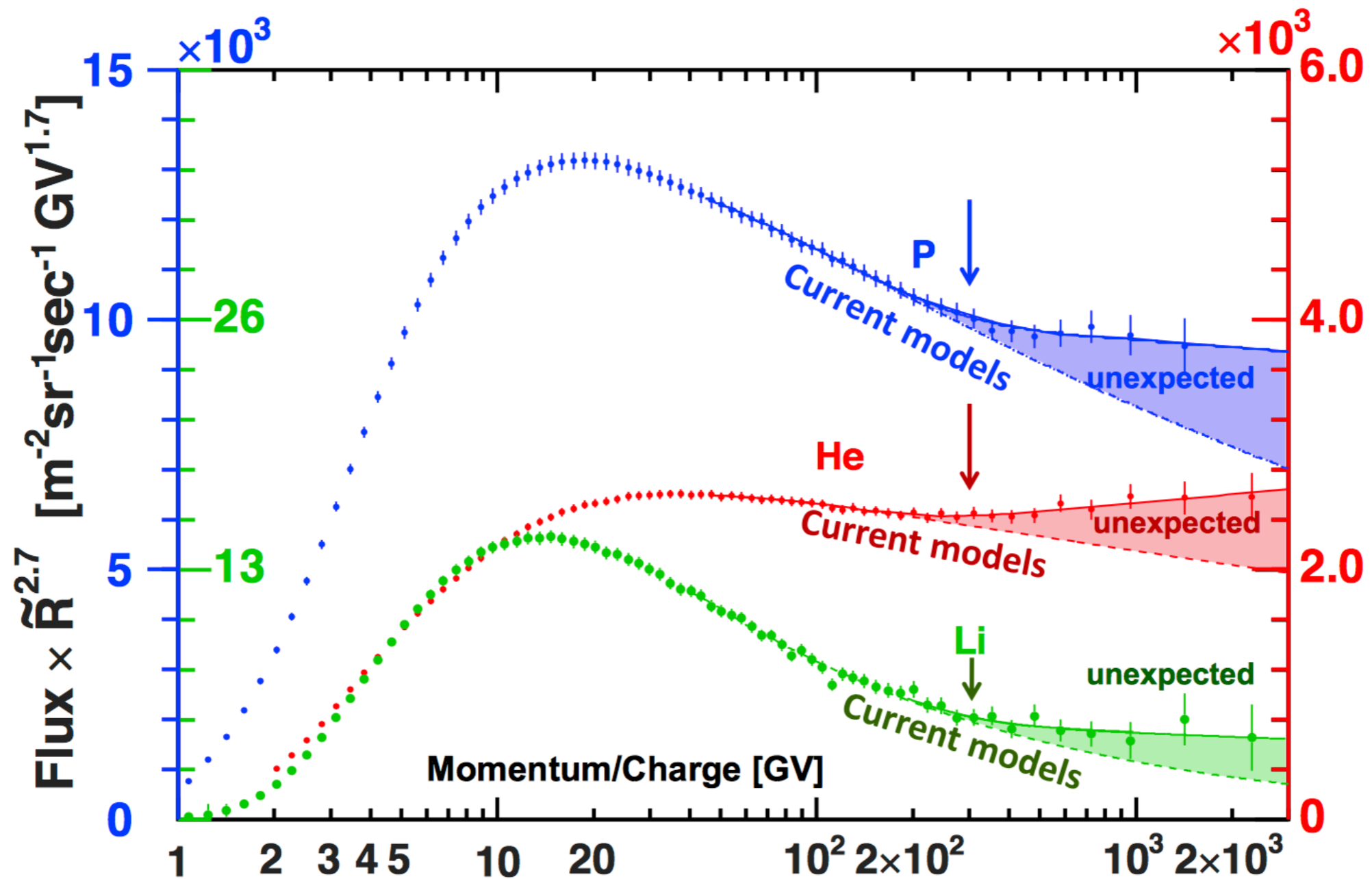


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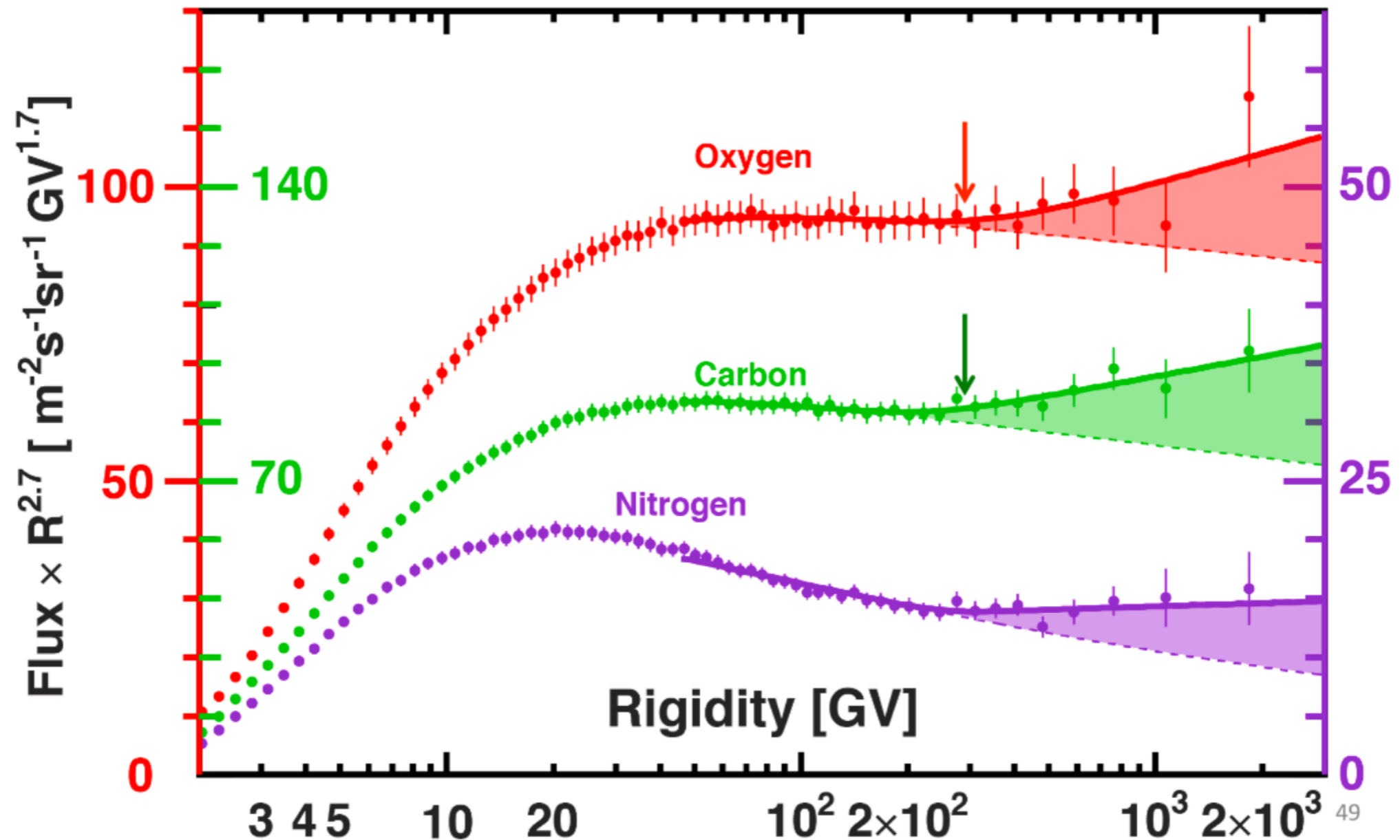
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In the high energy regime  $R \gtrsim 100$  GV

### Primary cosmic rays

$$\Phi_I(R) \propto q_I(R) \times \frac{1}{K(R)}$$

Acceleration in SNRs

Propagation in the Galaxy

Where do come from the hardening?  
**Acceleration** or **propagation** in the Galaxy?

### Secondary cosmic rays

$$\Phi_{II}(R) \propto \frac{1}{K(R)} \times \left\{ q_{II}(R) \propto \frac{q_I(R)}{K(R)} \right\}$$

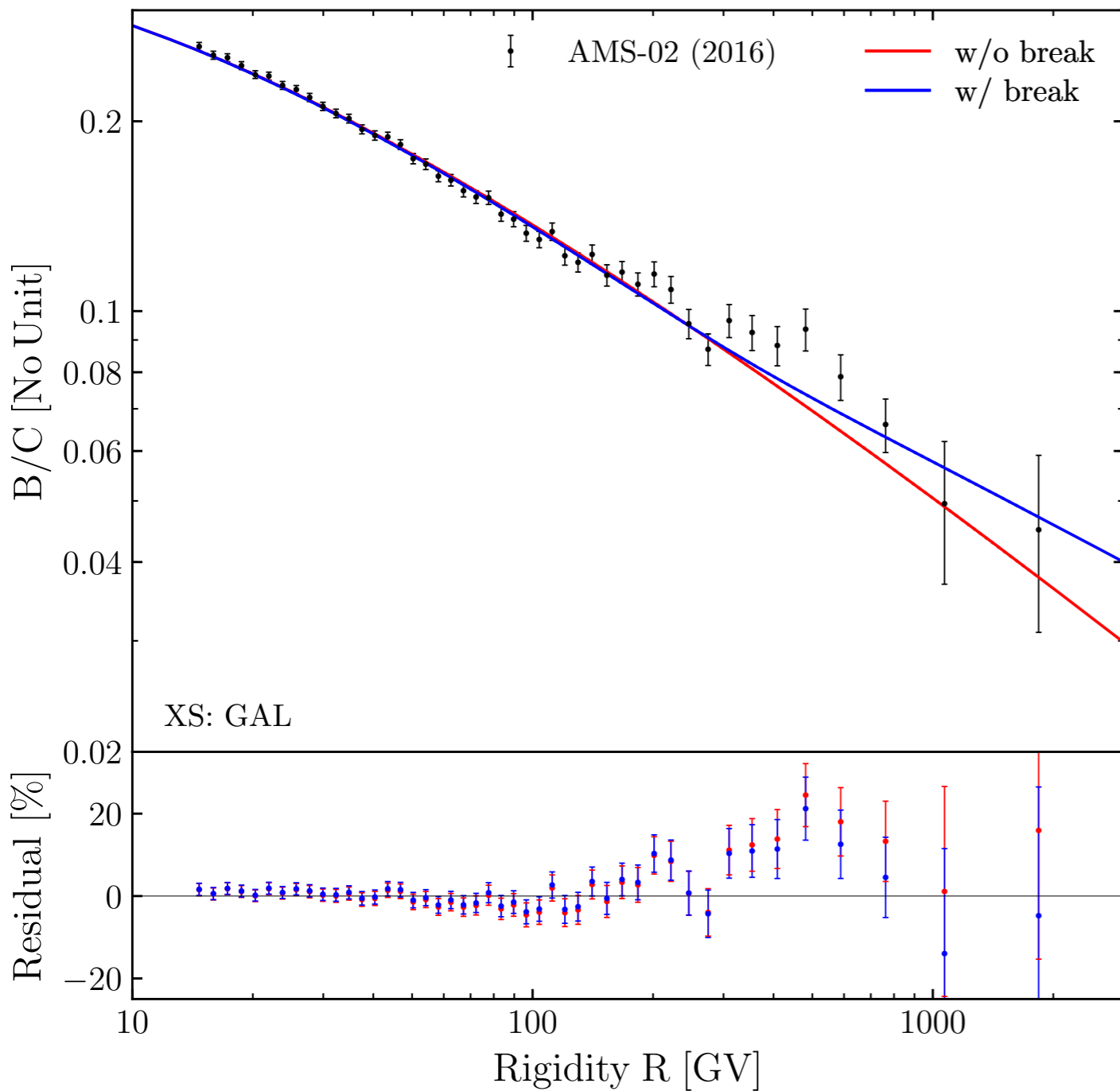
### Secondary to primary ratios

$$\frac{\Phi_{II}}{\Phi_I}(R) \propto \frac{1}{K(R)}$$

- If the hardening comes from propagation, we should observe it in the secondary to primary ratios.
- In addition, the hardening of secondaries should be two times the one of primaries.

$$\Delta_{\text{kink}}^{\text{II}} = 2 \times \Delta_{\text{kink}}^{\text{I}}$$

# A universal break in the spectra of cosmic ray nuclei?



$$K(E) = K_0 \beta^\eta \left( \frac{R}{1 \text{ GV}} \right)^\delta$$

$$\Delta\chi^2 = 11$$

Decisive evidence! (Bayesian terms)

$$K(E) = K_0 \beta^\eta \frac{(R/1 \text{ GV})^\delta}{\{1 + (R/R_b)^{\Delta\delta/s}\}^s}$$

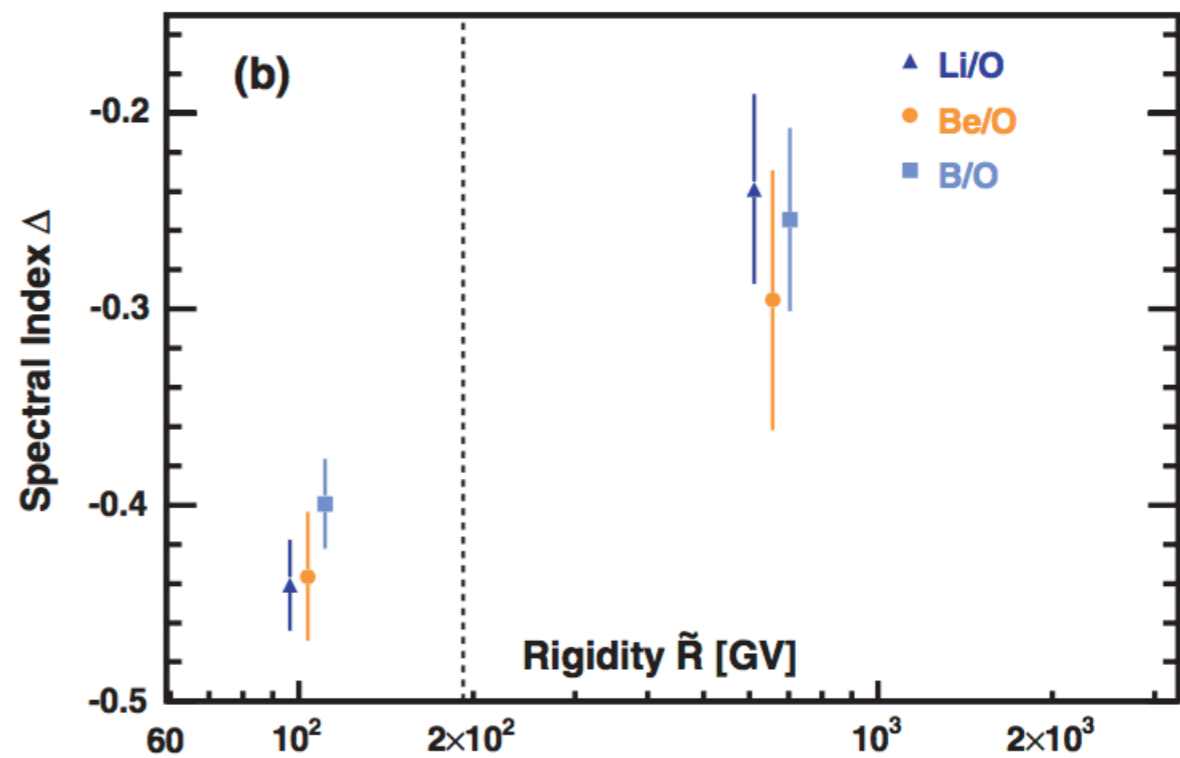
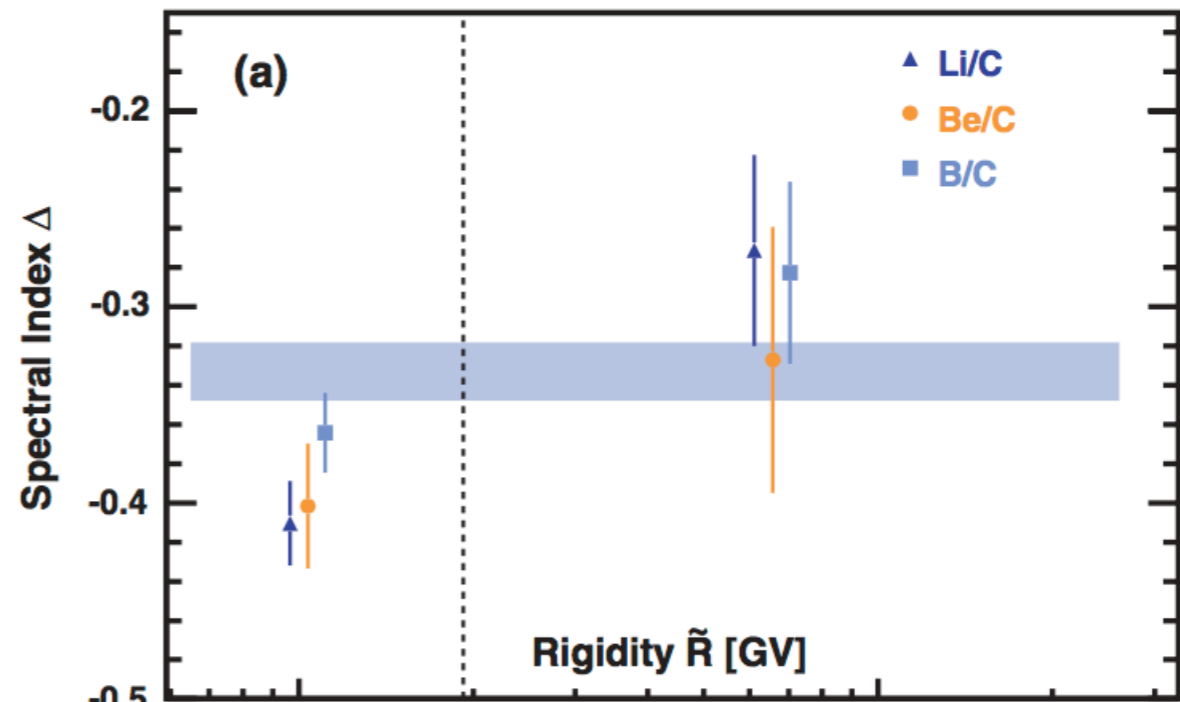
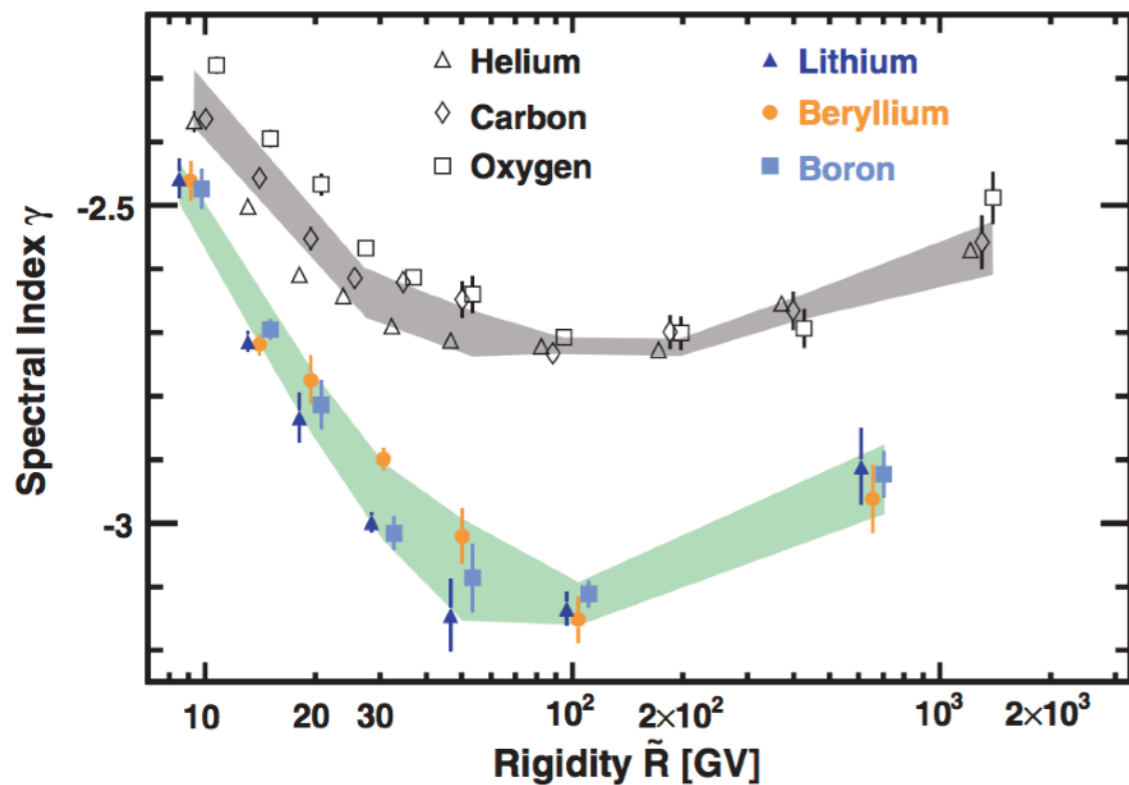
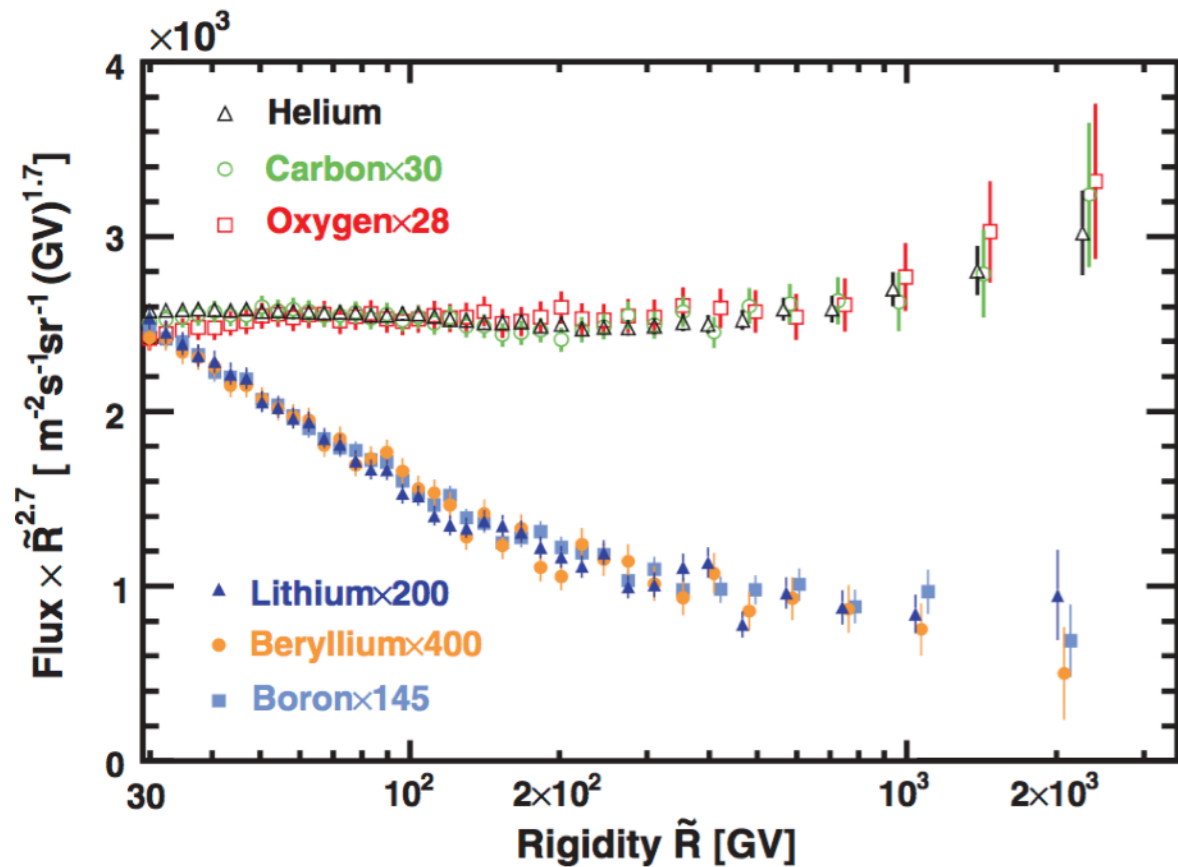
**The break at ~200 GV is most likely due to propagation effects!**

*Y. Genolini, P. Serpico, MB, S. Caroff, V. Poulin, L. Derome, J. Lavalle, D. Maurin, V. Poireau, S. Rosier-Lee, P. Salati, and M. Vecchi (2017)*



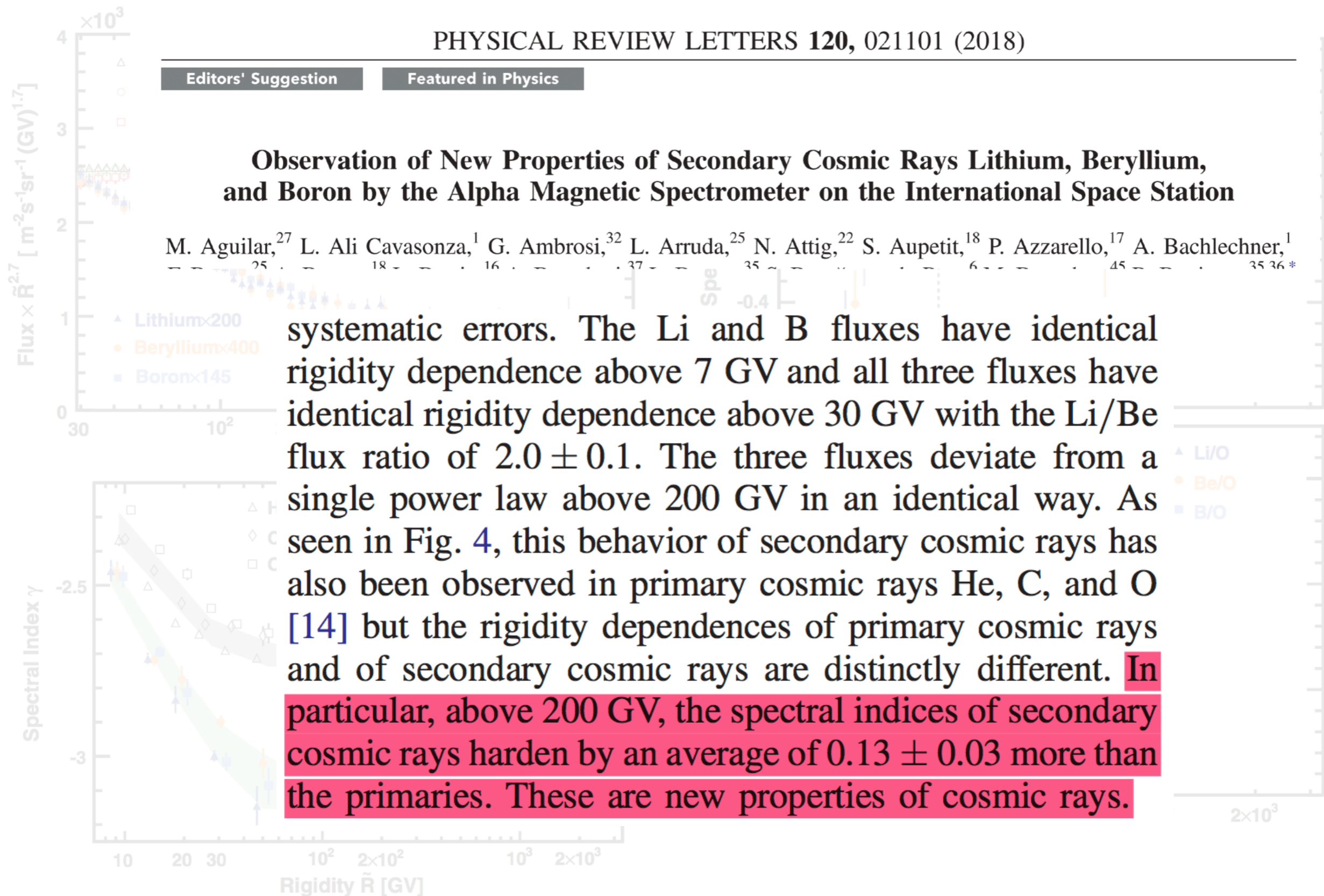
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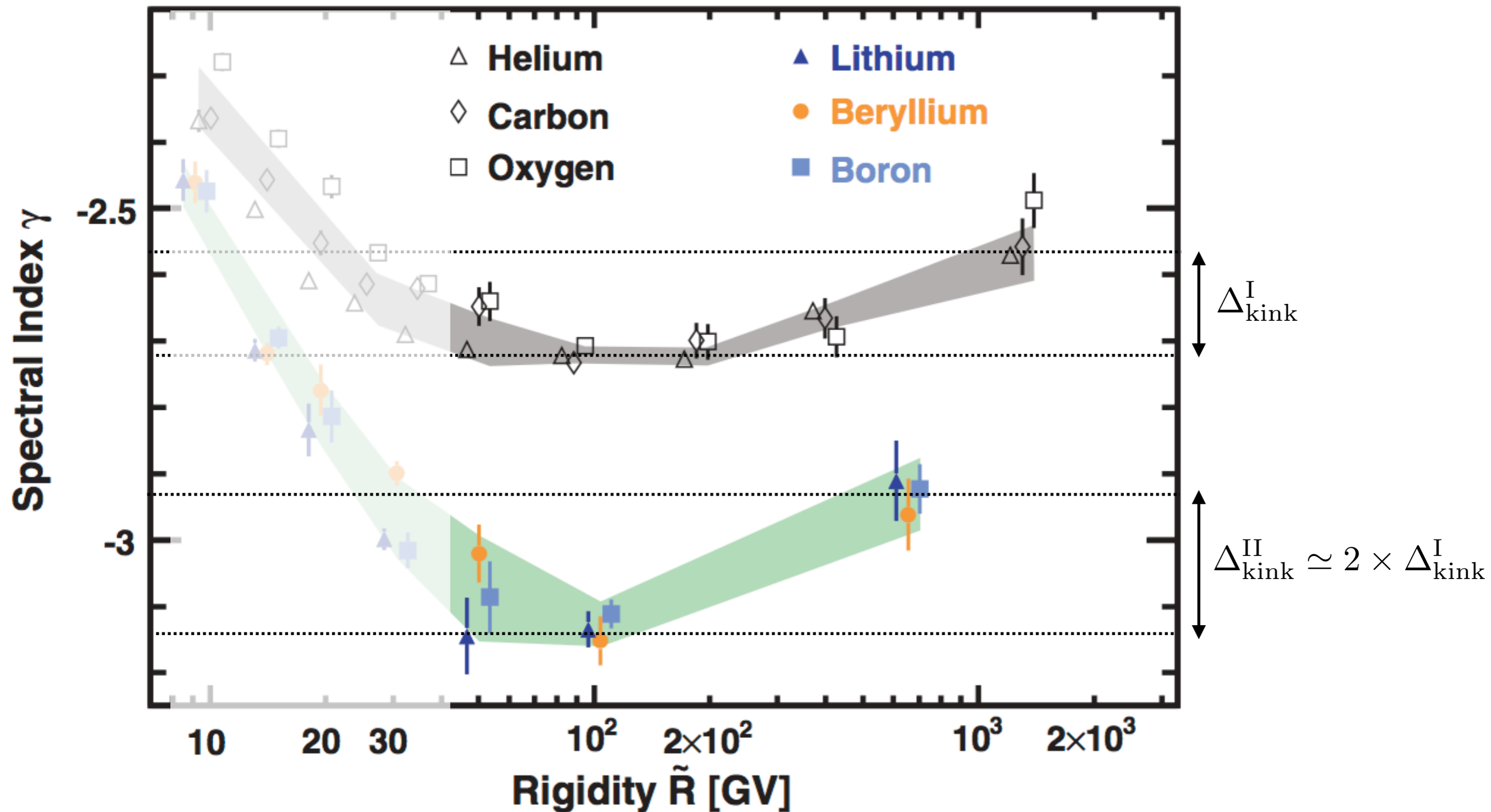
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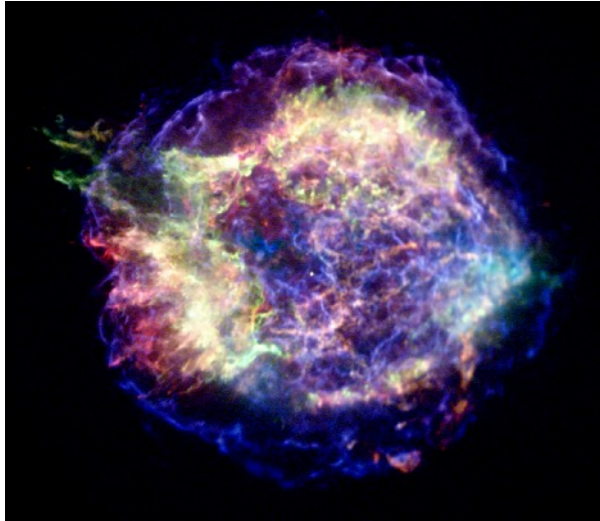
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## Primary antiprotons?

Primary antiprotons = production in the shocks of supernova remnants (SNRs)



1- Antiprotons are produced close to the shock  $p + \text{H} \rightarrow \bar{p} + X$

2- Antiprotons are accelerated in the shock by diffusive stochastic acceleration (DSA)

*Blasi & Serpico (2009), Mertsch & Sarkar (2014)*

Common belief: secondaries from propagation are much more abundant since the grammage in the ISM is much larger than in the source.

### Secondaries

$$\tau_{\text{esc}} \sim 10^7 \text{ yr}$$

$$n_{\text{ISM}} \simeq 1 \text{ cm}^{-3}$$

$$\langle \rho_{\text{halo}} \rangle \sim 10^{-26} \text{ g cm}^{-3}$$

$$\lambda_{\text{II}} \sim 1 \text{ g cm}^{-2}$$

$$R \sim 100 \text{ GV}$$

### Primaries

$$\tau_{\text{SNR}} \sim 10^4 \text{ yr}$$

$$n_{\text{SNR}} = (r \leq 4) \times n_{\text{ISM}}$$

$$\langle \rho_{\text{SNR}} \rangle \sim 10^{-24} \text{ g cm}^{-3}$$

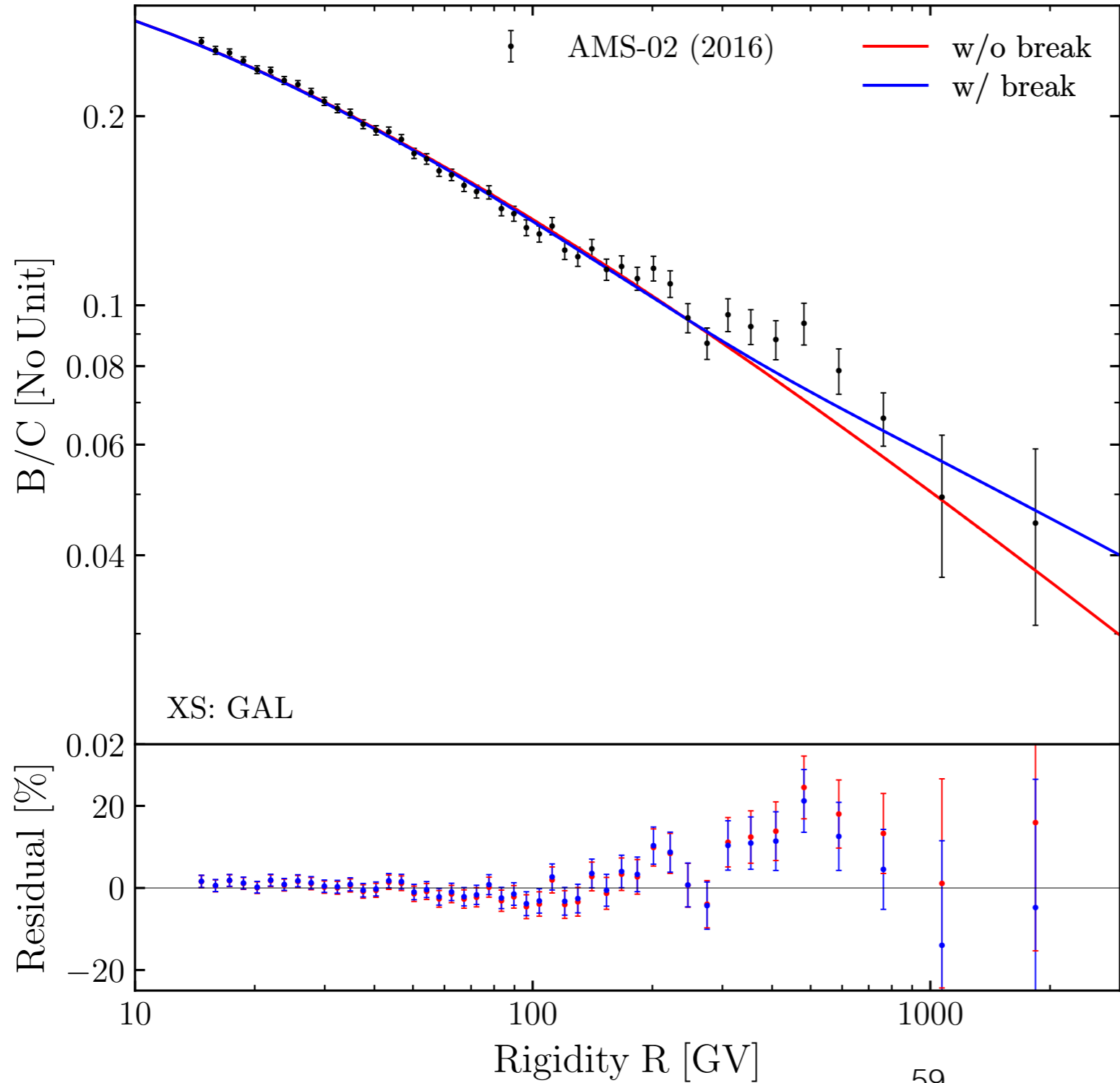
$$\lambda_{\text{I}} \sim 0.01 \text{ g cm}^{-2}$$

**We expect ~1% of primary B and antiprotons**



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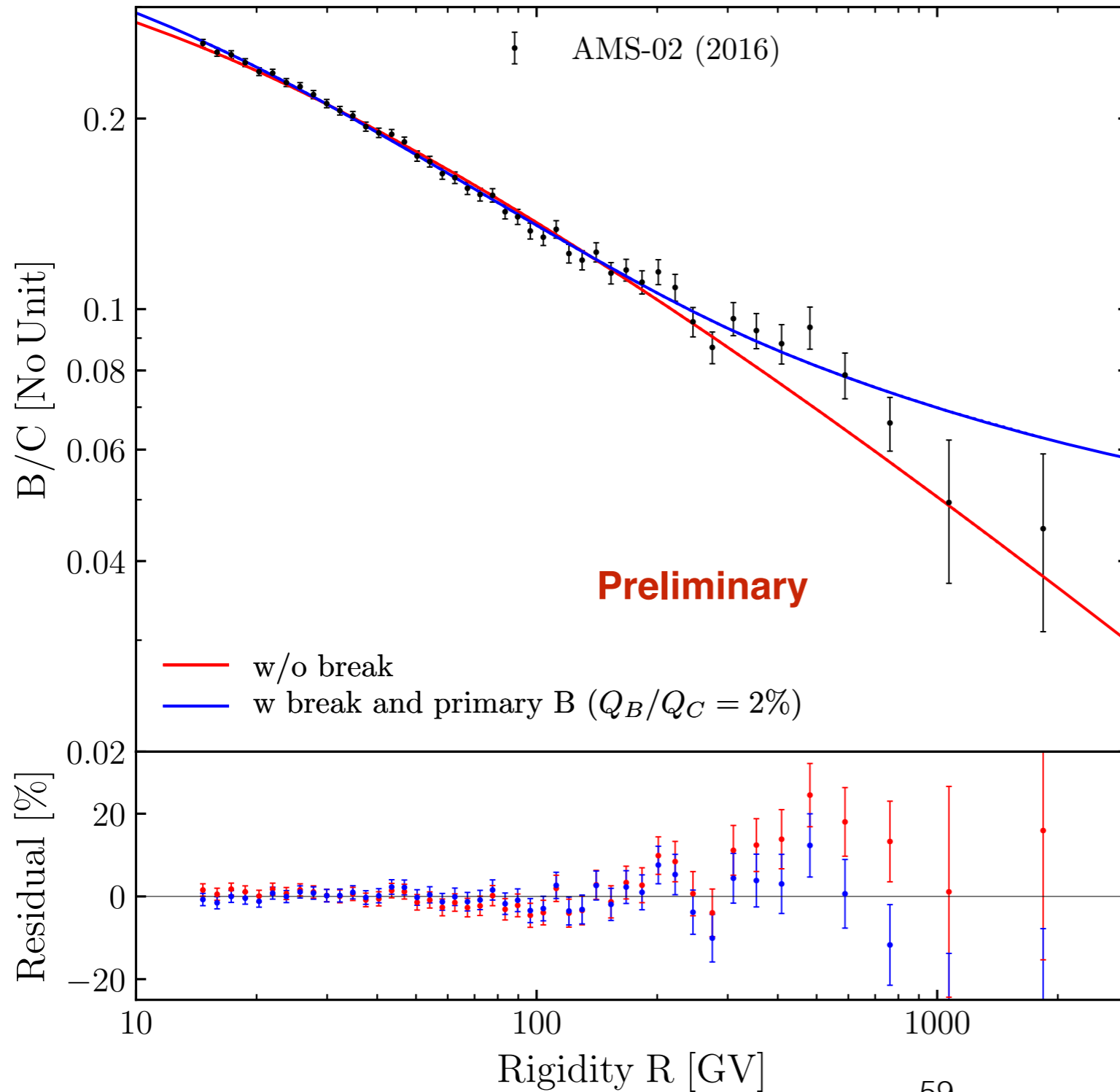


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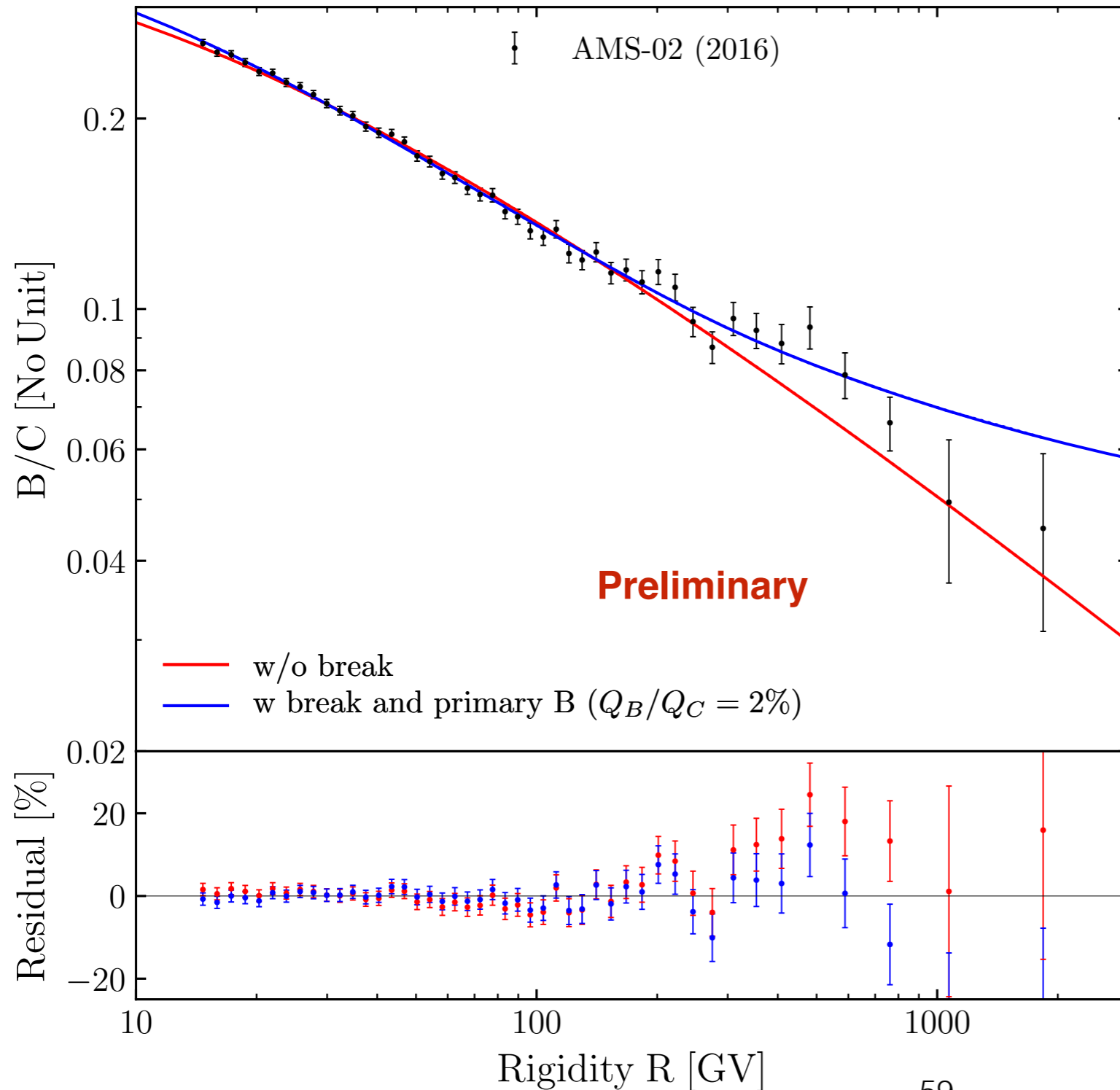
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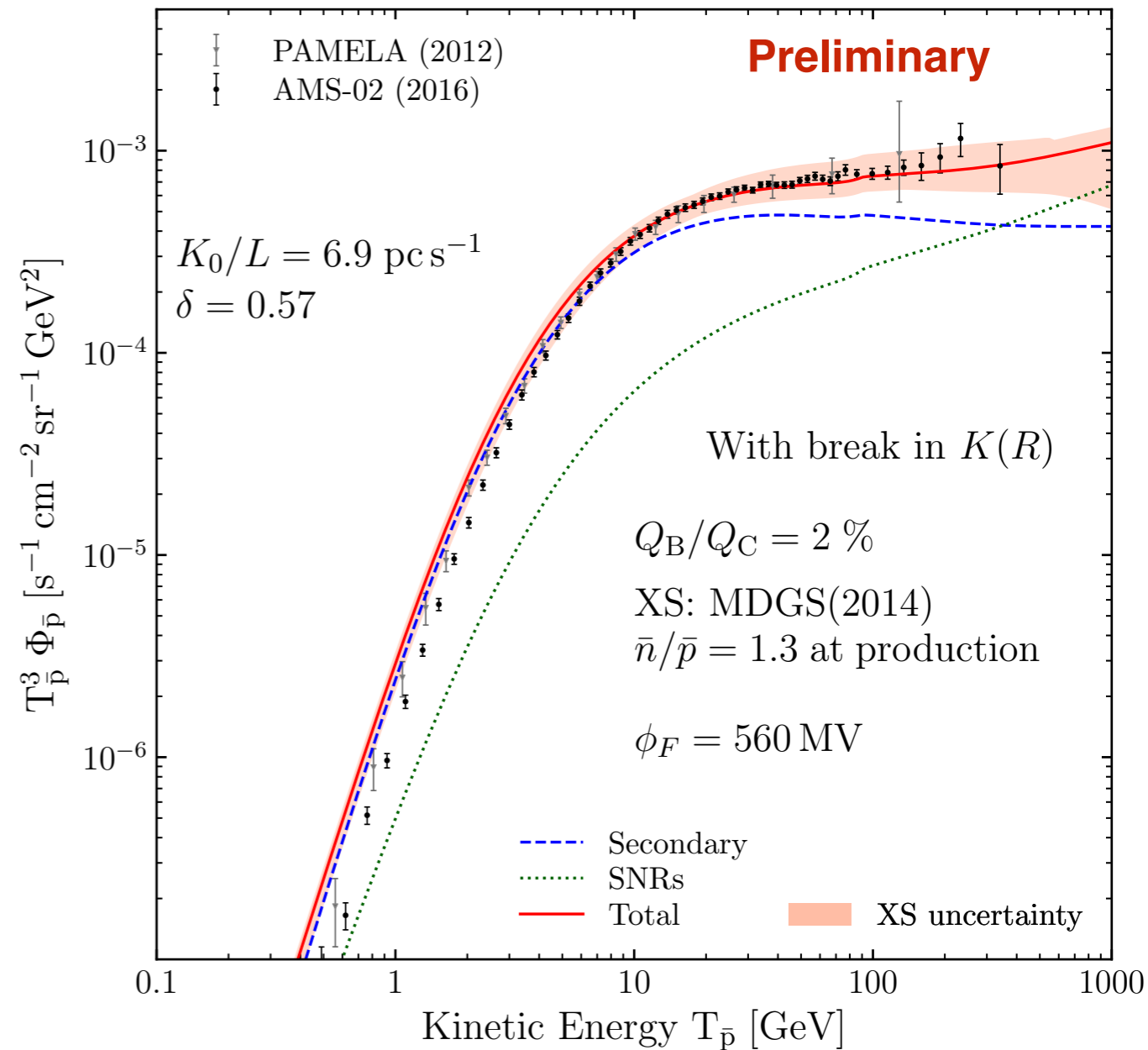
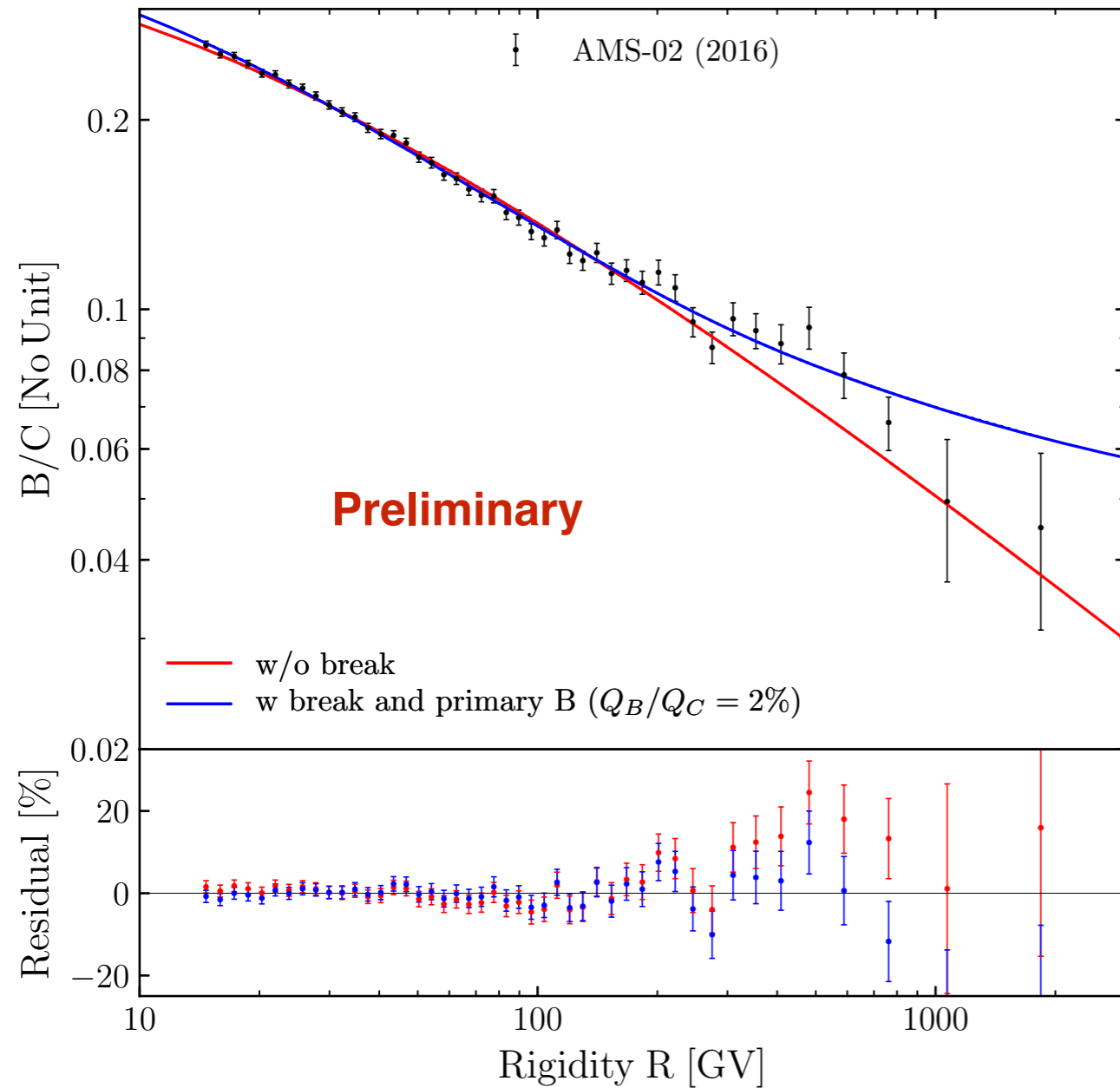
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If B nuclei are produced in SNRs,  
all secondary species too!

**Including antiprotons!**

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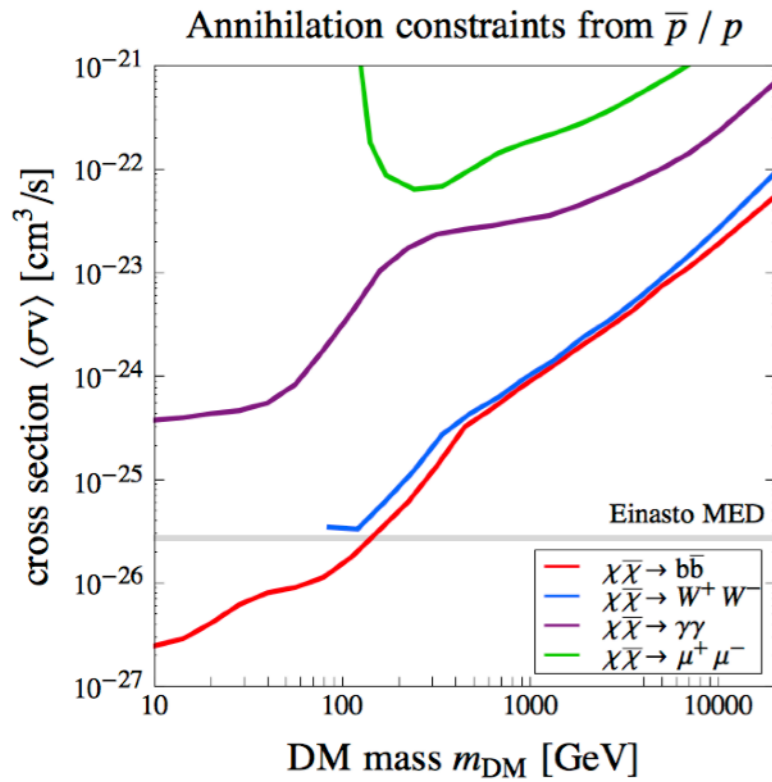


**Are AMS-02 data sensitive to the production of antiprotons in SNRs?**

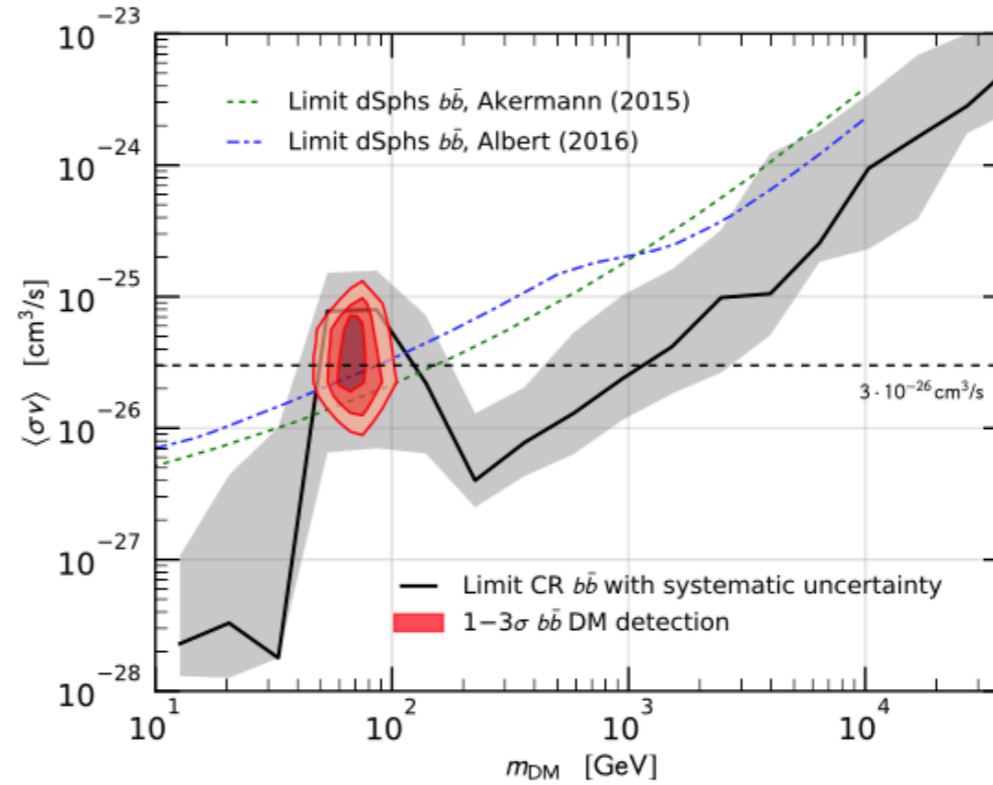


## Dark matter constraints

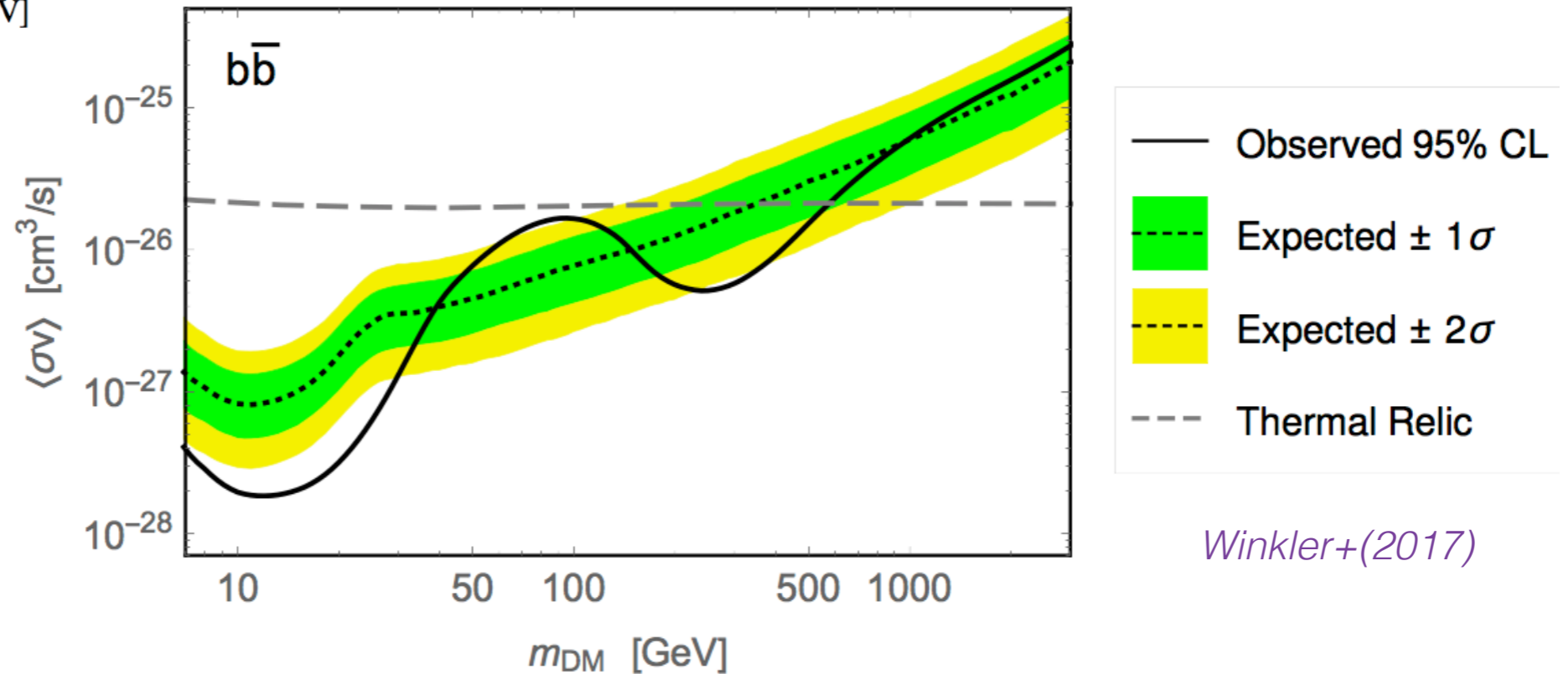
Still, antiprotons provide strong constraints on the DM annihilating cross-section, excluding thermal WIMPs with  $m_\chi \lesssim 500$  GeV



Giesen+(2015)



Cuoco+(2016)



Winkler+(2017)

1. Searches for dark matter
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# Conclusion and outlook



## ***Positrons and electrons***

- The **pinching method** enables to compute **analytically** the electrons and positrons flux below 10 GeV taking into account all propagation effects.
- Low energy positrons enables to shrink the space of propagation parameters. The data prefer a **MAX-type** set of propagation parameters with large values of **L** and small values of  **$\delta$** .
- The positron excess appears from 1 GeV.
- The **pure DM** scenario is **disfavoured** by the data.

*The spectrum of  $e^+$  from DM annihilations cannot account for the shape of the data.*

*This conclusion does not require other constraints (gamma rays, antiprotons or CMB).*

- The **single pulsar** scenario provides a **valid** alternative to the DM scenario.
- We derive constraints on **MeV** Dark Matter using **Voyager-I** and **AMS-02 data**. Our constraints are competitive with X-rays and  $\gamma$ -rays ones as well as CMB ones.

*The constraints are more stringent than the one obtained from X-rays and  $\gamma$ -rays.*

*Less (more stringent) compared to CMB constraints for s-wave (p-wave)  $\langle\sigma v\rangle$ .*

## ***Antiprotons***

- Cosmic rays antiprotons are interesting for **DM searches** since not many processes are able to produce them
- Theoretical uncertainties (cross section, propagation) are still **larger** than AMS-02 errors
- **Excess** at  $\sim 10$  GeV with respect to the recent **AMS-02 data**. (*With the standard propagation model*)
- Anomalies for **all cosmic ray nuclei** with respect to the **standard model of propagation**

**Necessity to better understand the physics of Galactic cosmic rays (production and propagation)**

*Break in the diffusion coefficient?*

*Production of secondary CRs in SNRs?*

- Antiprotons provides **strong constraints** on the DM annihilating cross-section in the **GeV-TeV range**.

***Thank you for your attention!***

*Questions?*