

# Indirect searches on heavy dark matter decays and inflation

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# **1. Introduction**

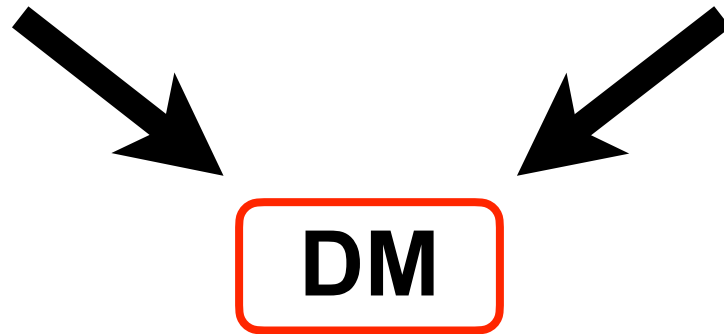
## Dark matter (DM)

- Electrically neutral
- Non-baryonic
- Stable or sufficiently long-lived
- Non-relativistic
- $\Omega_{\text{DM}} \simeq 0.26$
- $10^{-31} \text{ GeV} < m_{\text{dm}} \lesssim M_{\text{Pl}}$  or  $10^{-14} < m_{\text{dm}}/M_{\odot} \lesssim 10^{-12}$

# Approaches from astro-particle physics and cosmology

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Indirect searches





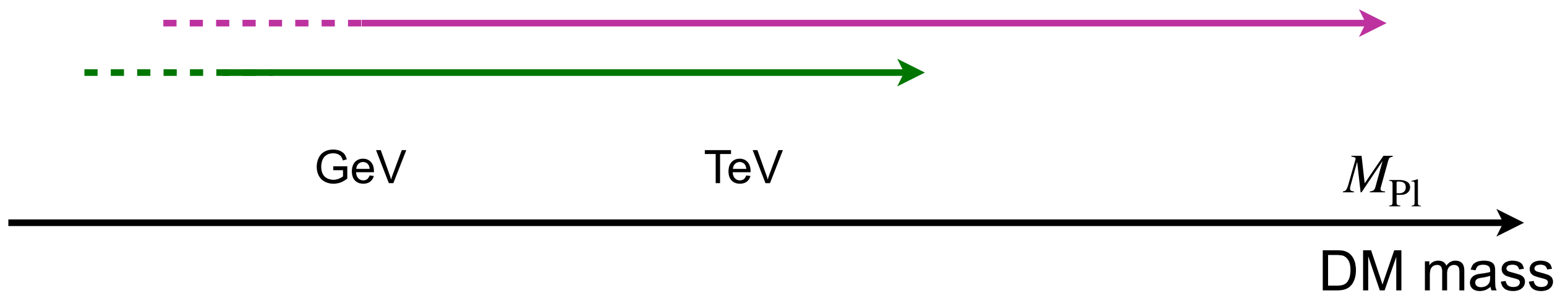
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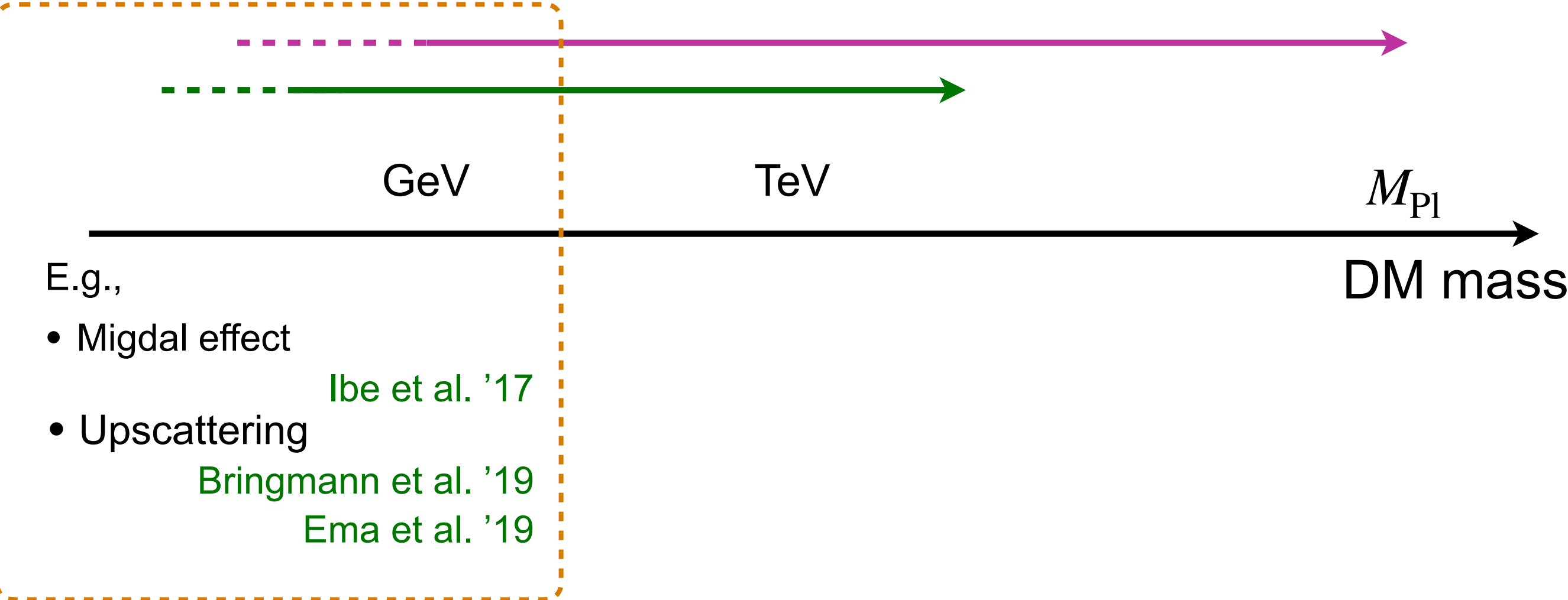
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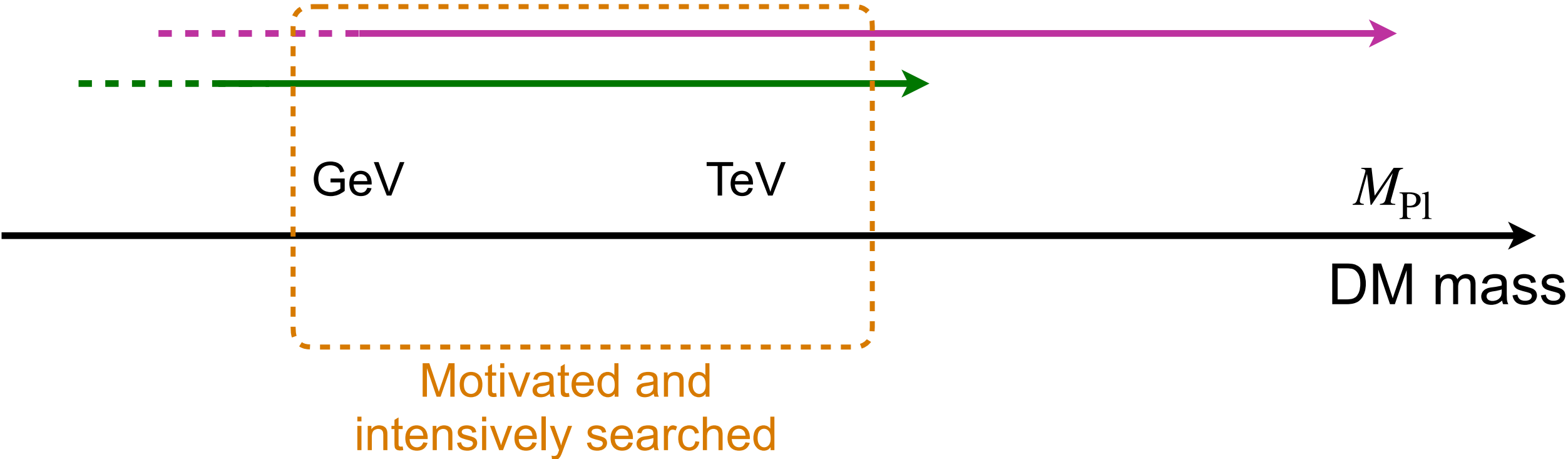
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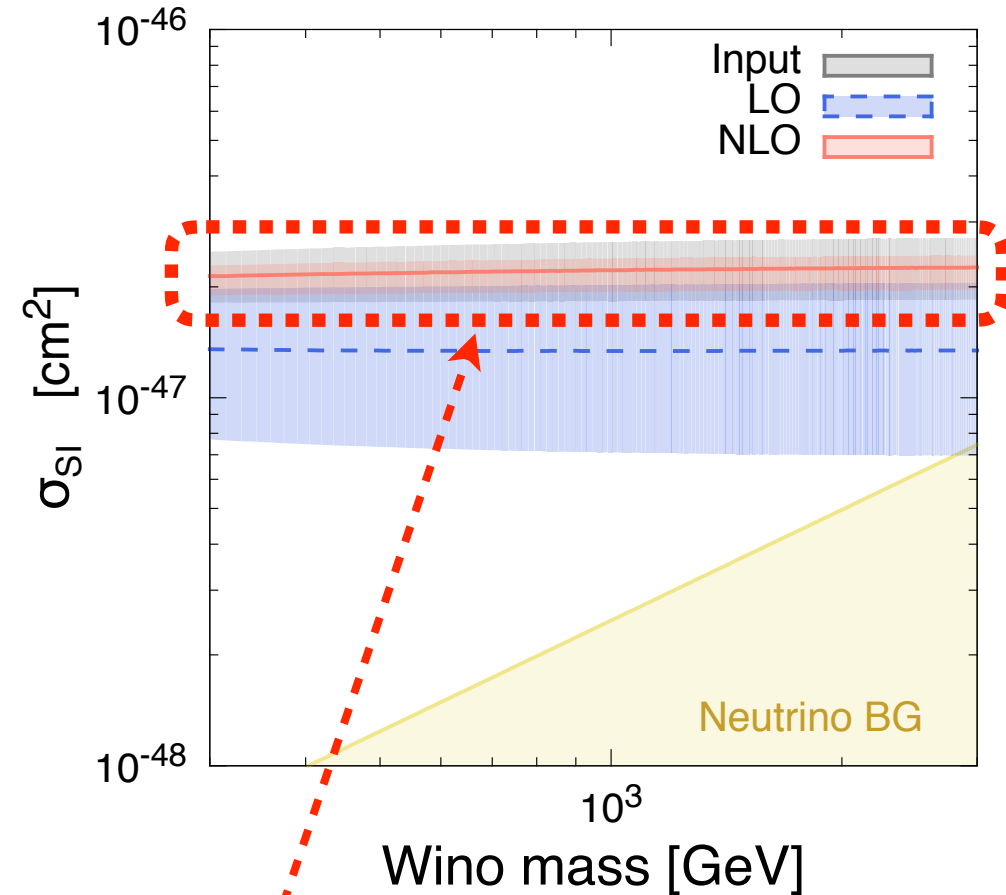
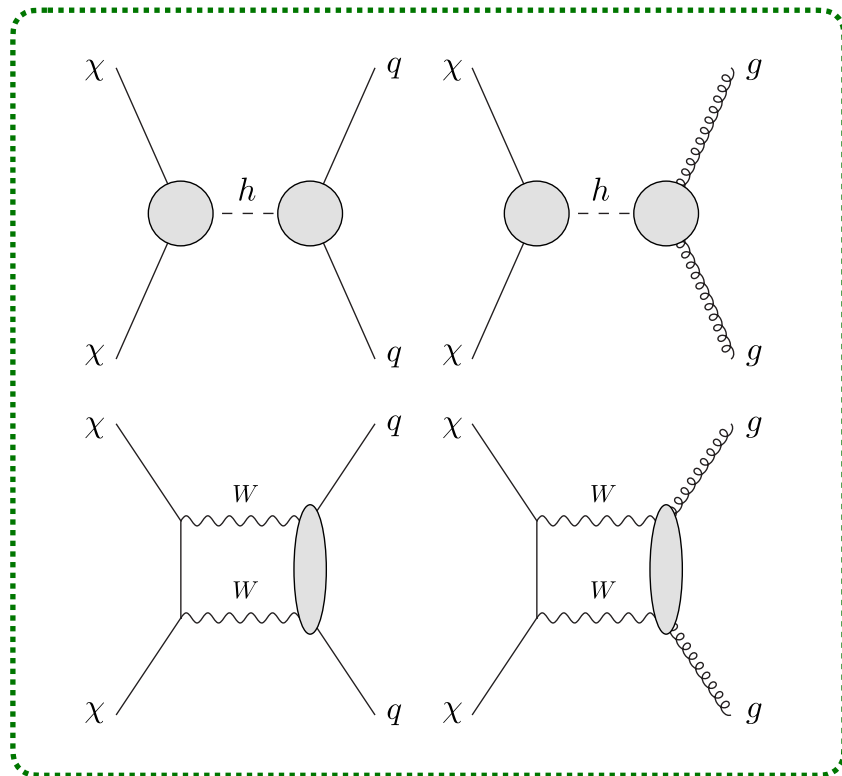
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# Direct searches

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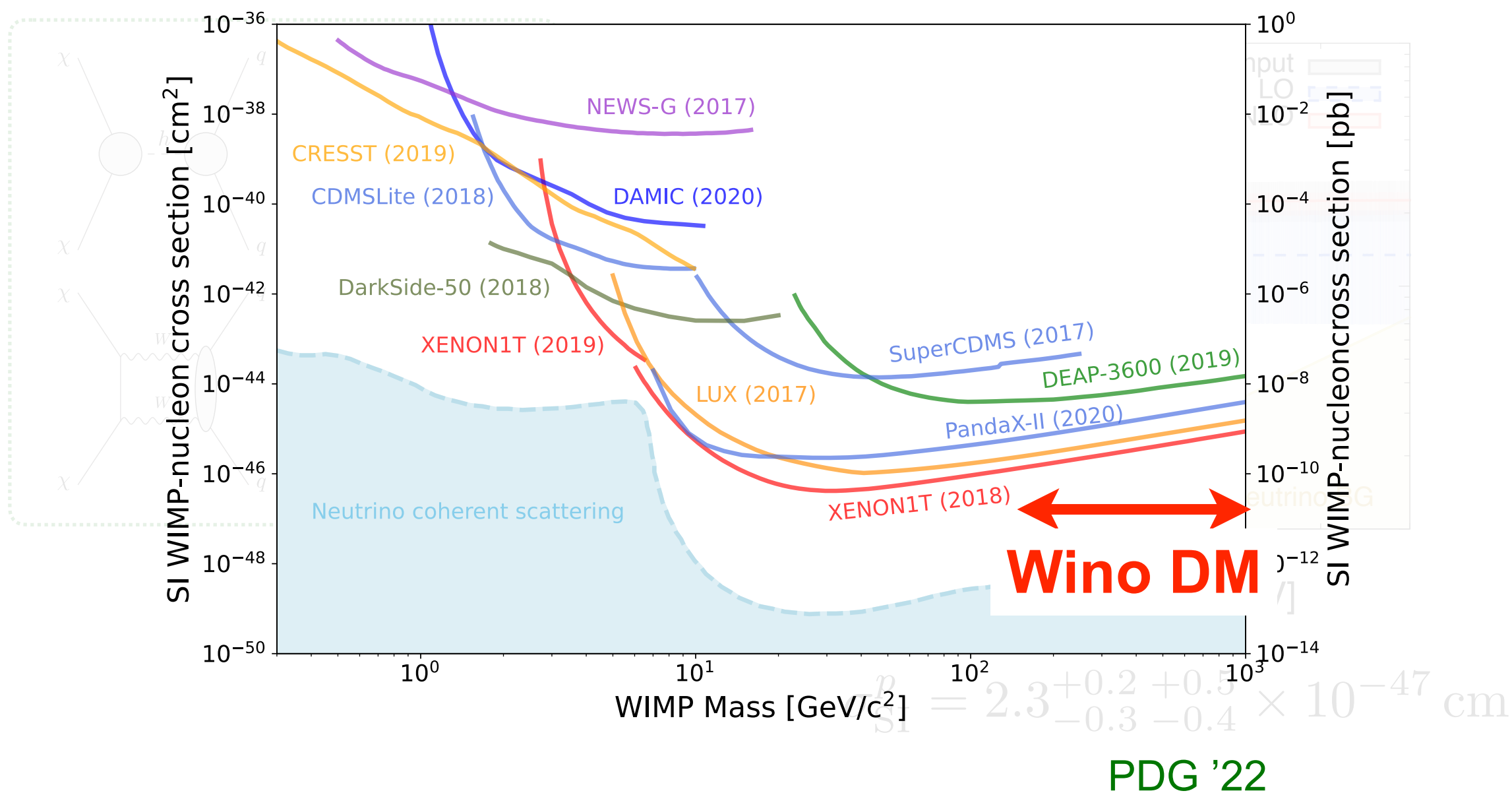


$$\sigma_{SI}^p = 2.3_{-0.3}^{+0.2} \text{ }_{-0.4}^{+0.5} \times 10^{-47} \text{ cm}^2$$

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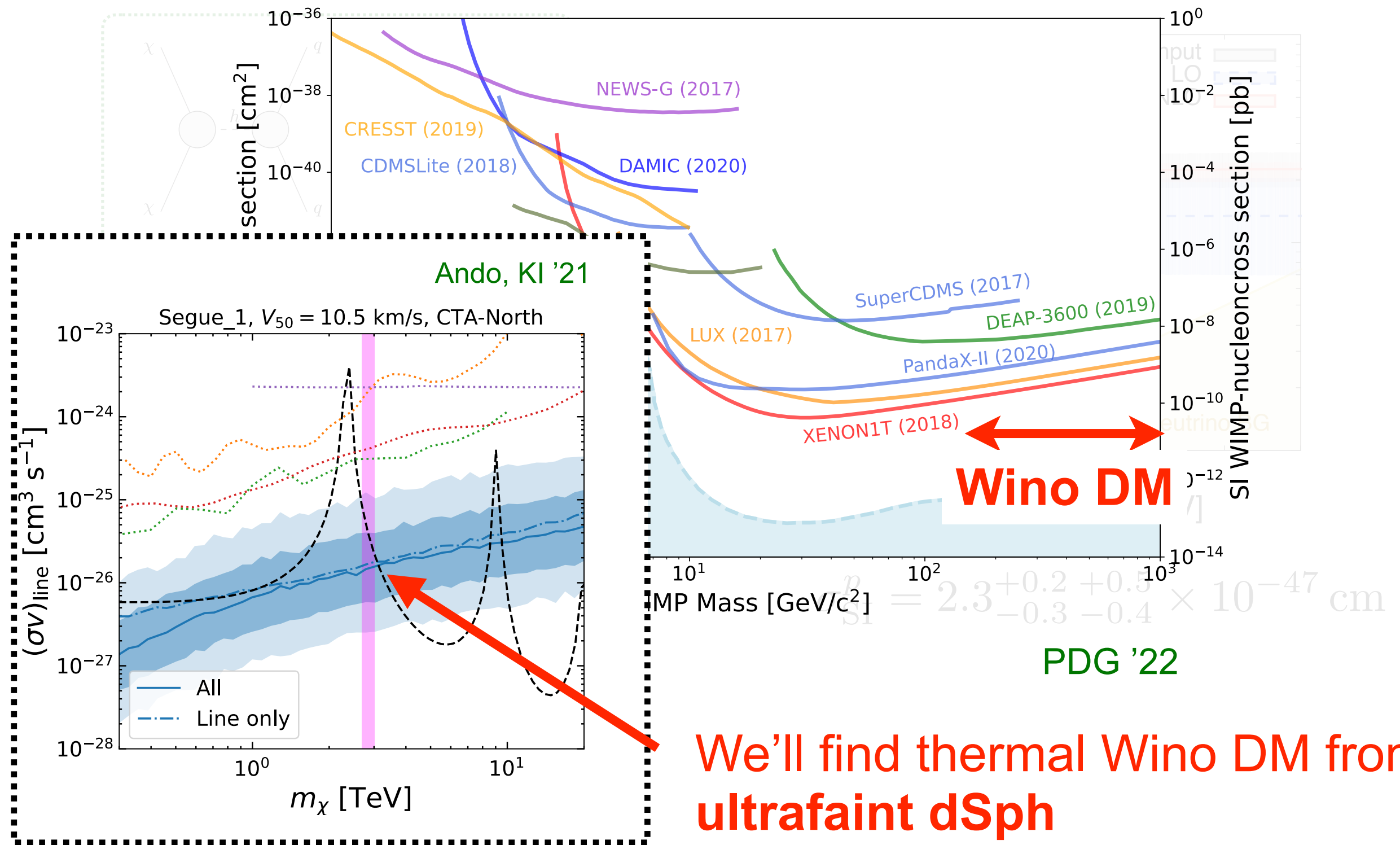
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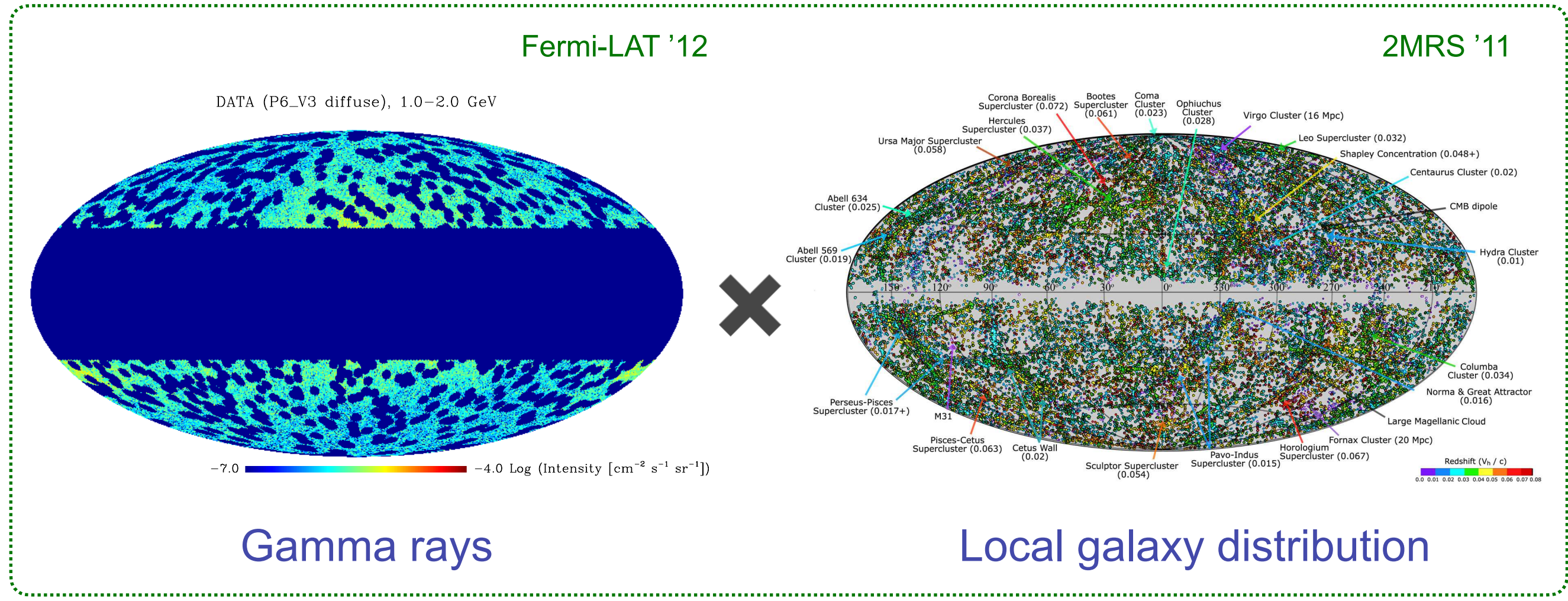
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Ando, Benoit-Lévy, Komatsu '13  
Fornengo, Regis '13  
Ando '14  
Xia, Cuoco, Branchini, Viel '15



## Tomographic cross-correlation



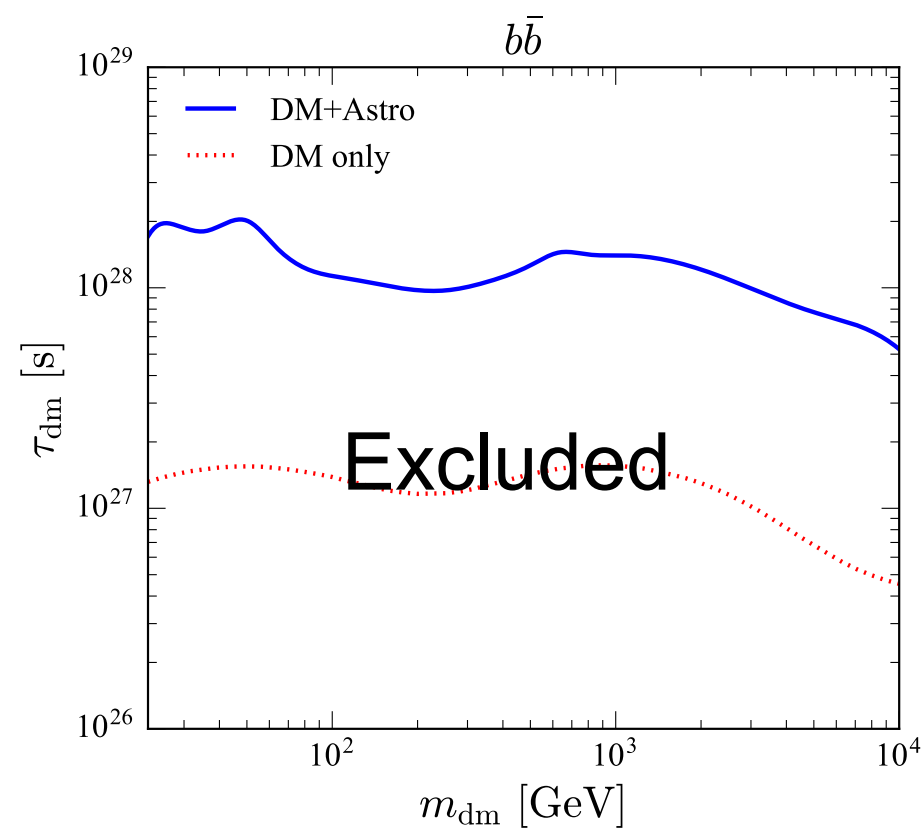
## Reducing the astrophysical BG



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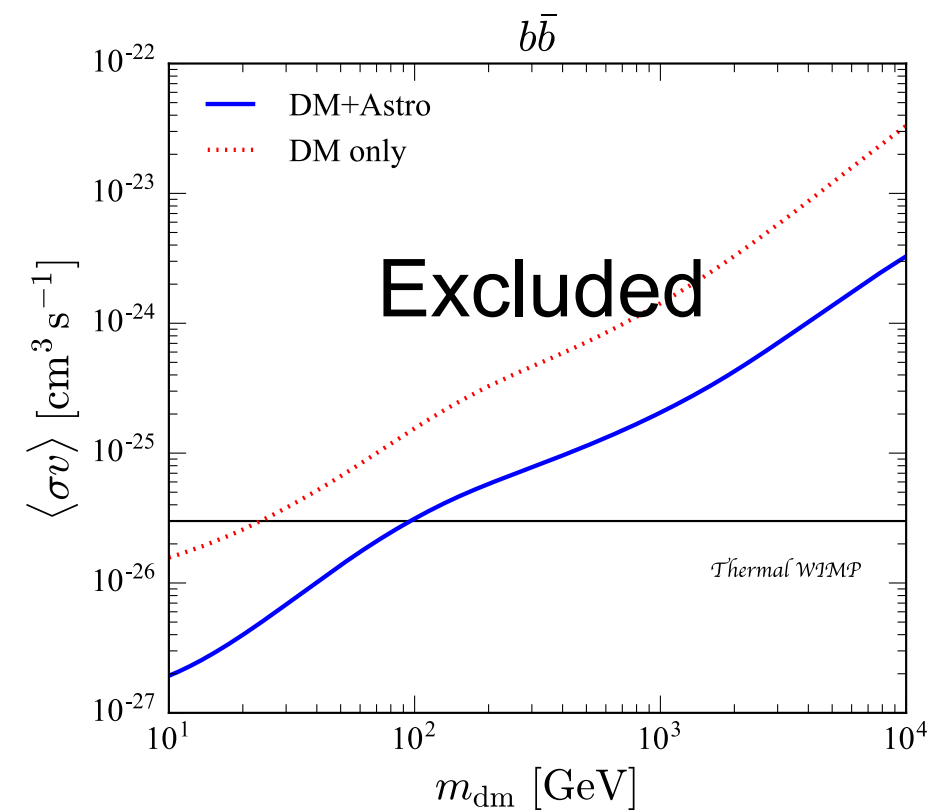
For  $b\bar{b}$  channel

## Decaying DM



## Annihilating DM

Ando, KI '16



For more updates, see  
K. Hayashi's talk



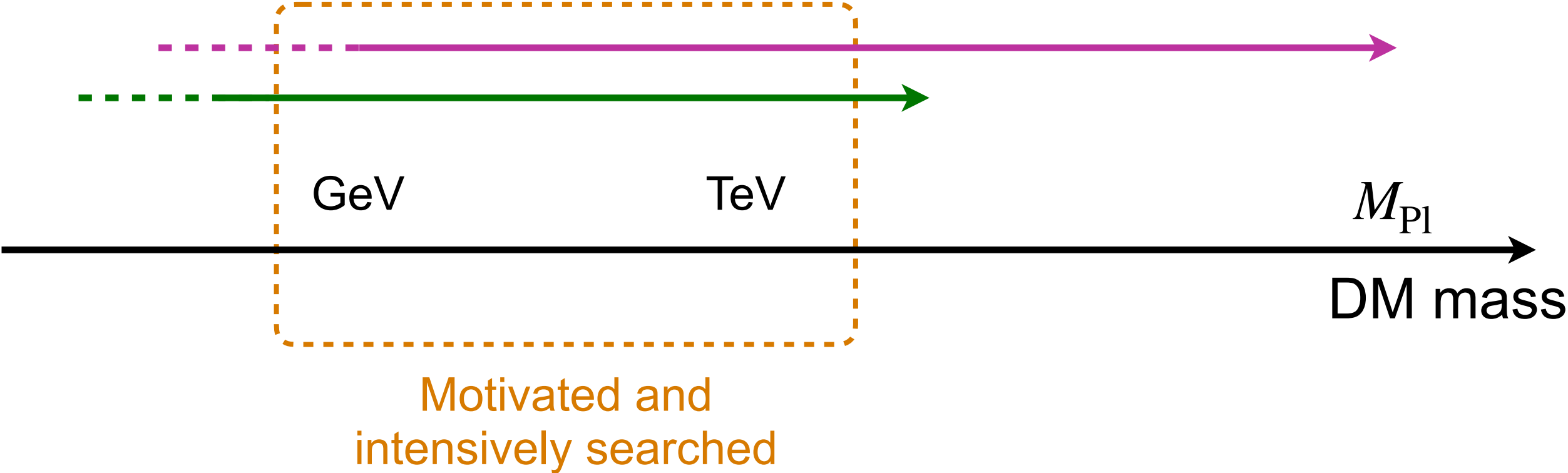
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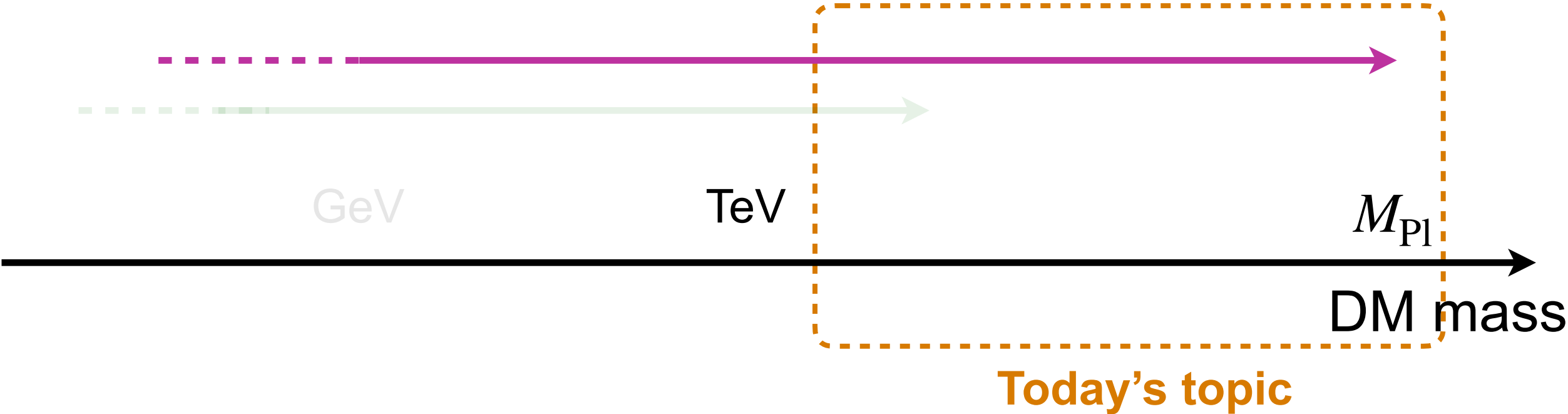
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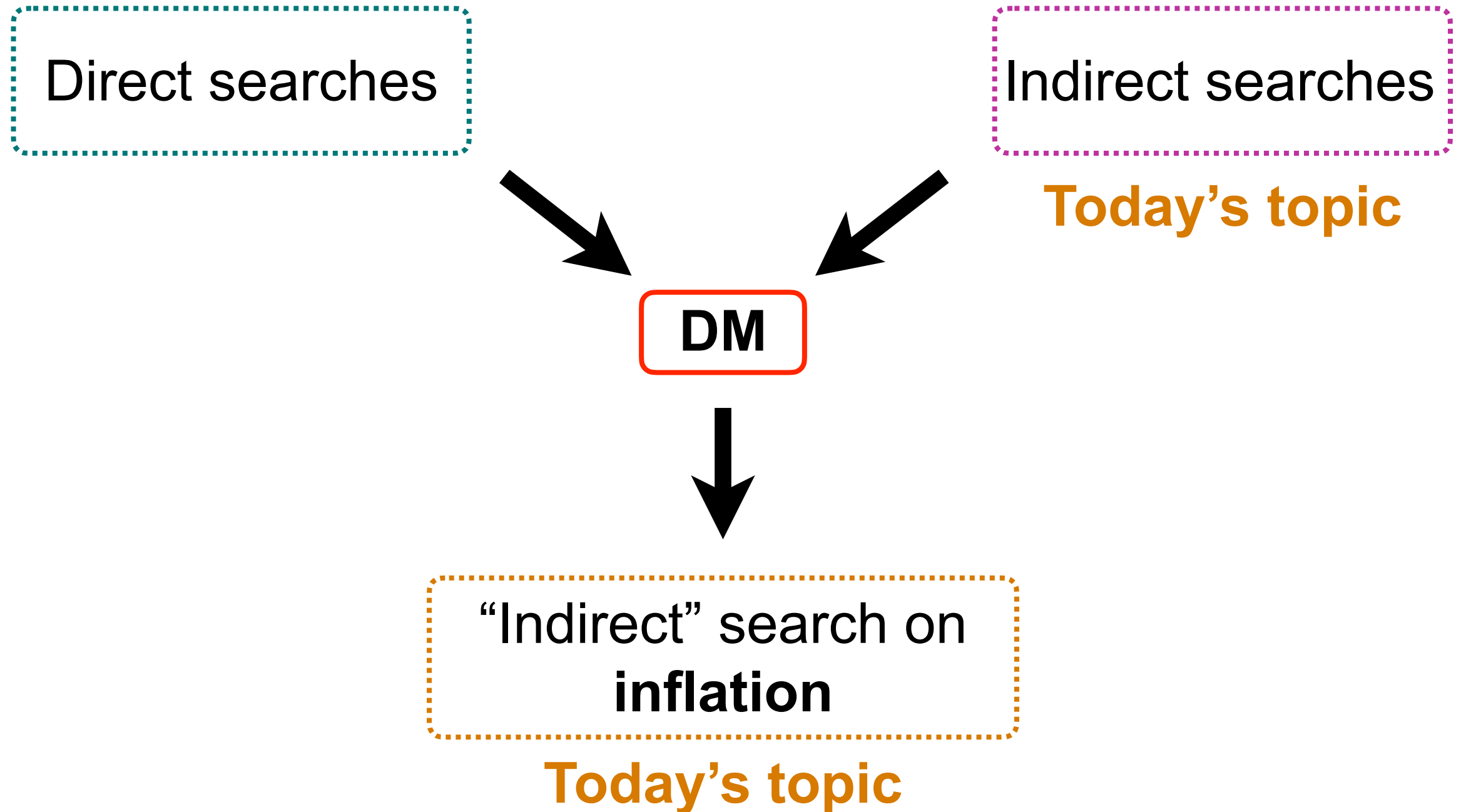
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**Today's topic**



**DM**

# Approaches from astro-particle physics and cosmology



## Outline

1. Introduction
2. Cosmic rays (CRs) from decaying heavy DM
3. Primordial curvature perturbations
4. Conclusion

## **2. CRs from decaying heavy DM**

## Past works on heavy decaying DM:

Esmaili, Ibarra, Peres '12

Murase, Beacom '12

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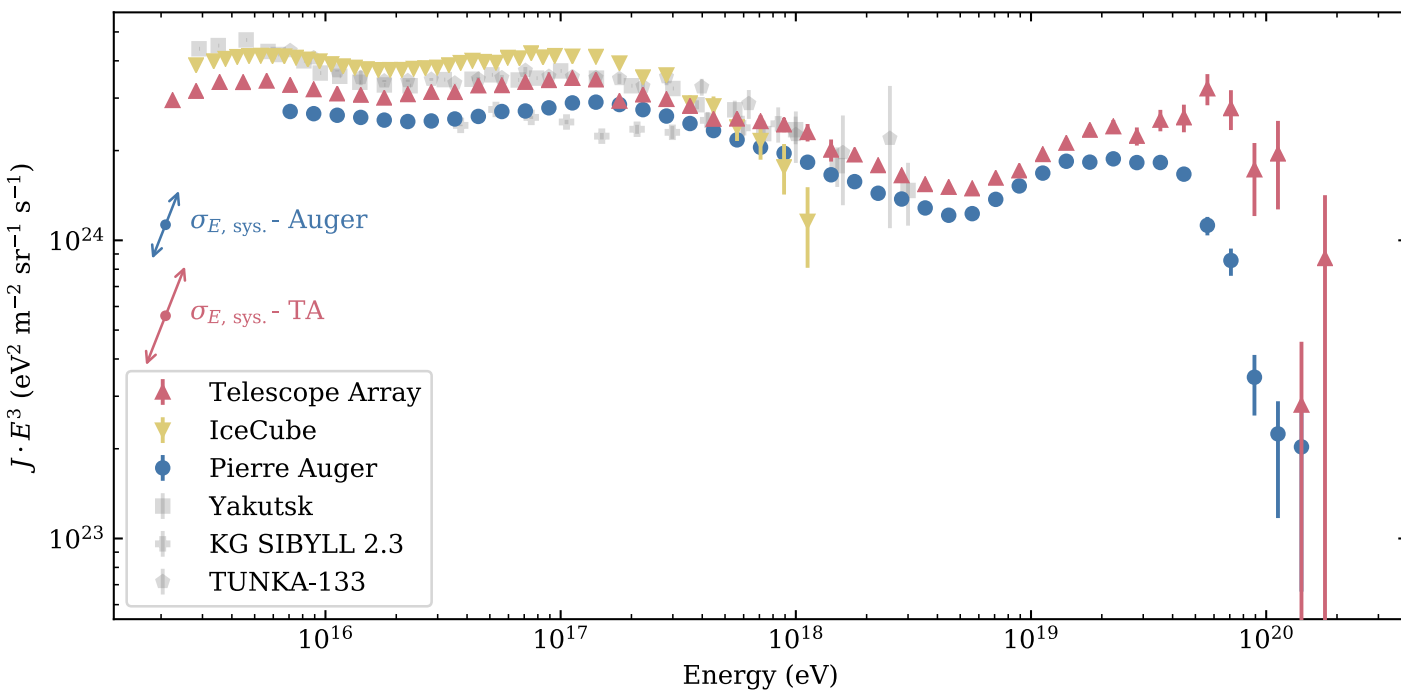
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Let's use all data to constrain DM

*Multimessenger astrophysical data*

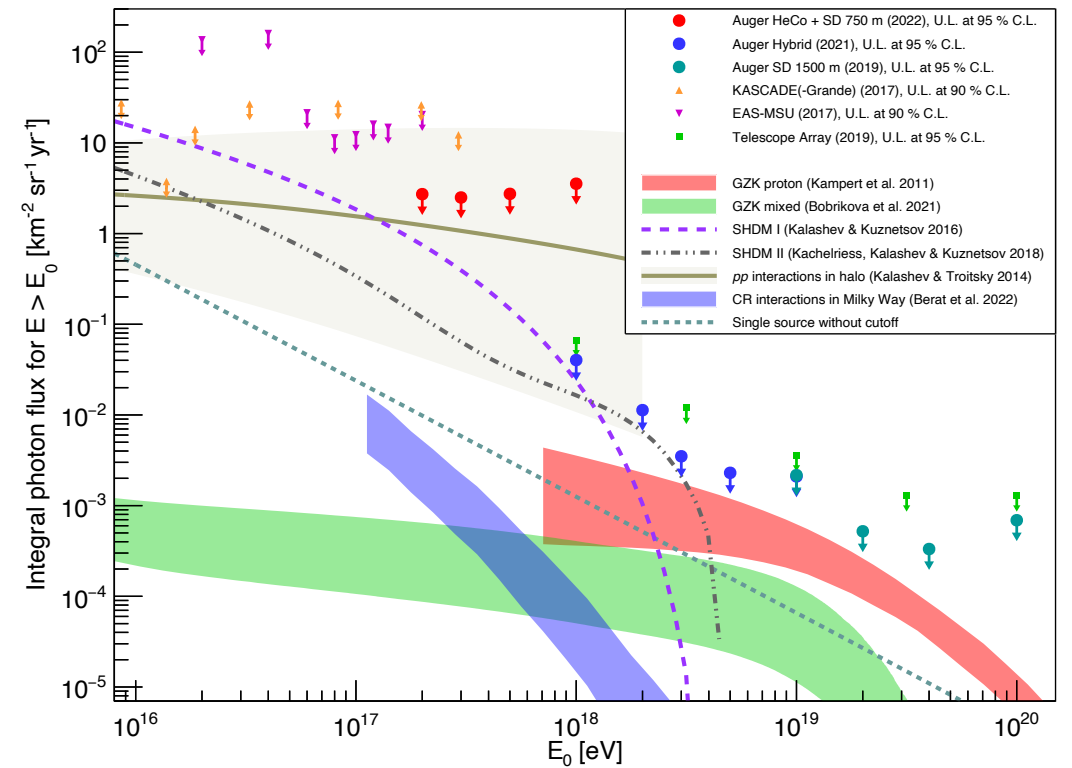


# CRs



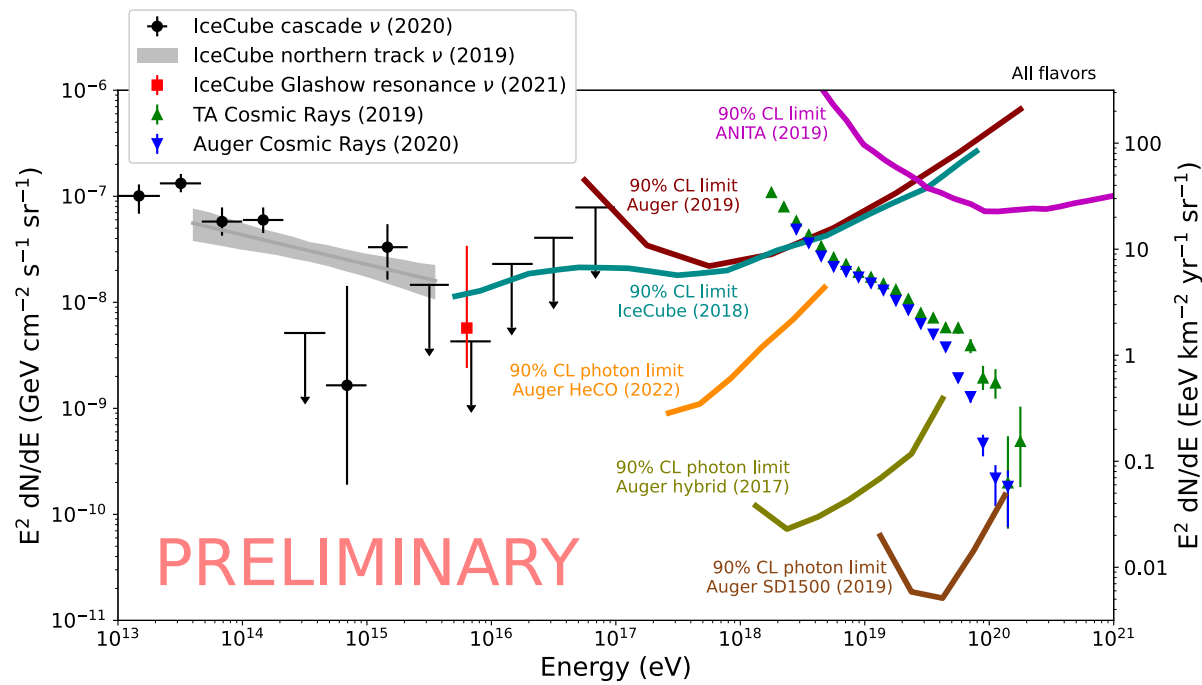
Coleman et al. (Snowmass) '22

# Integrated gamma flux



Pierre Auger Observatory (PAO) '22

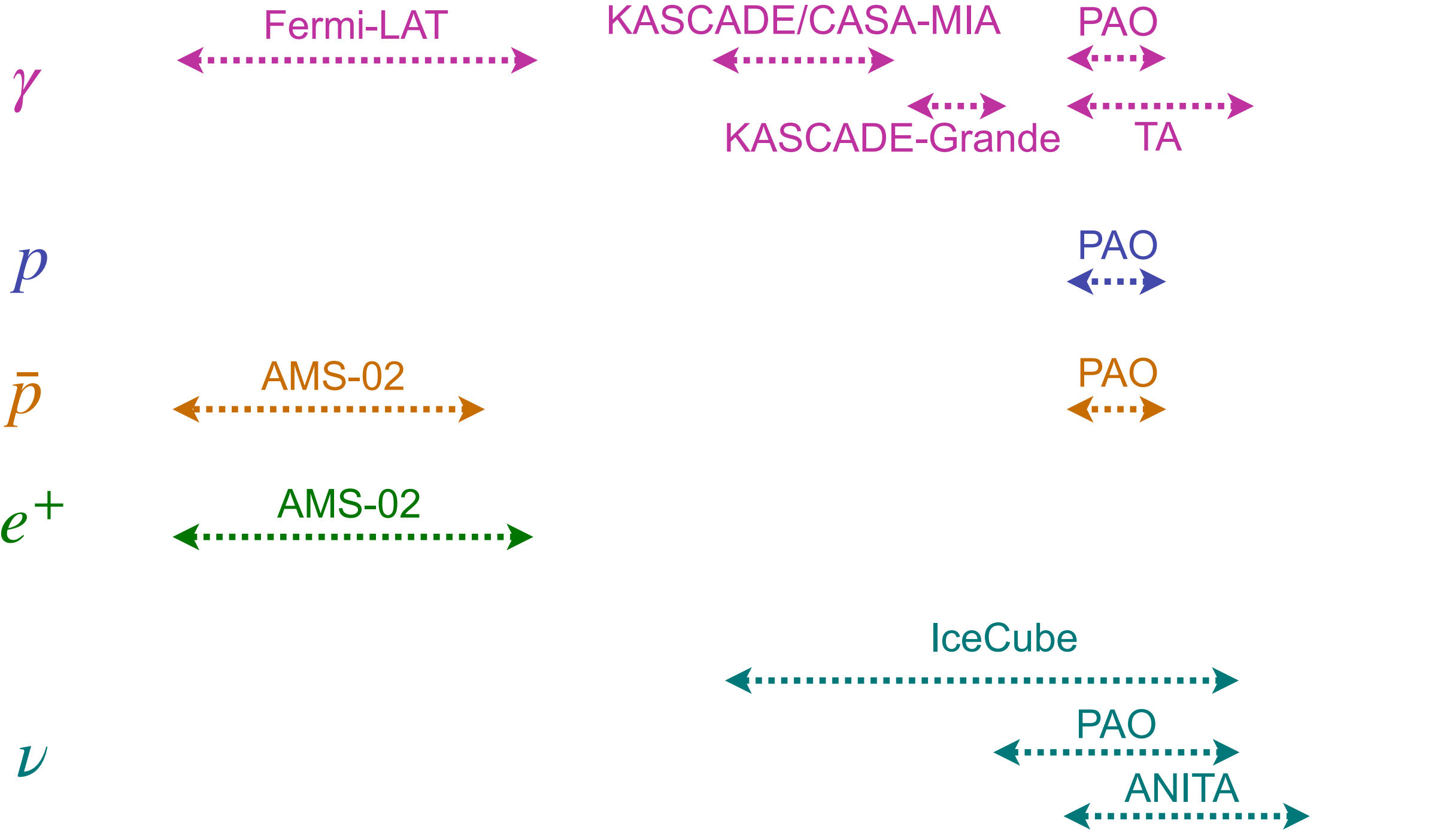
# Neutrinos



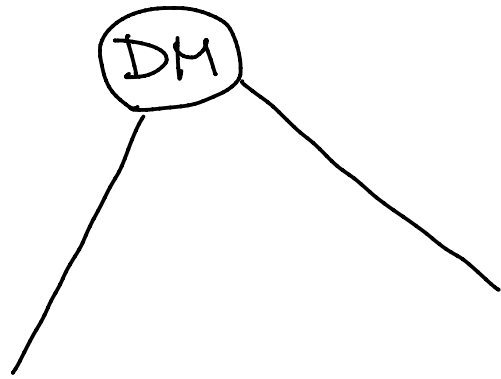
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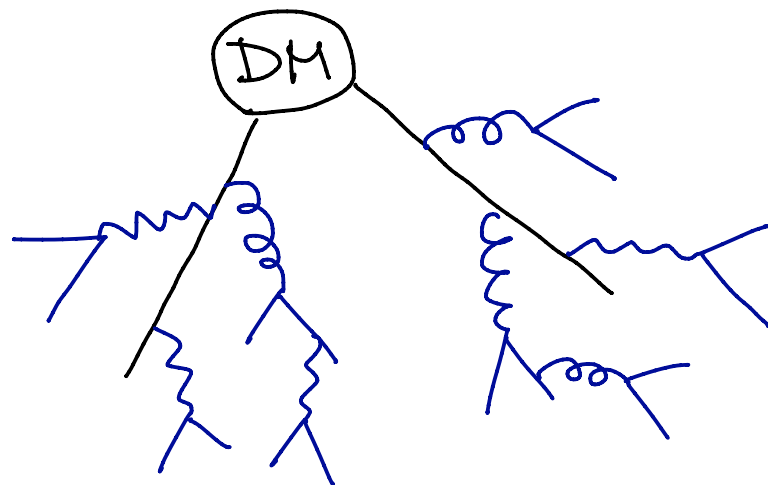
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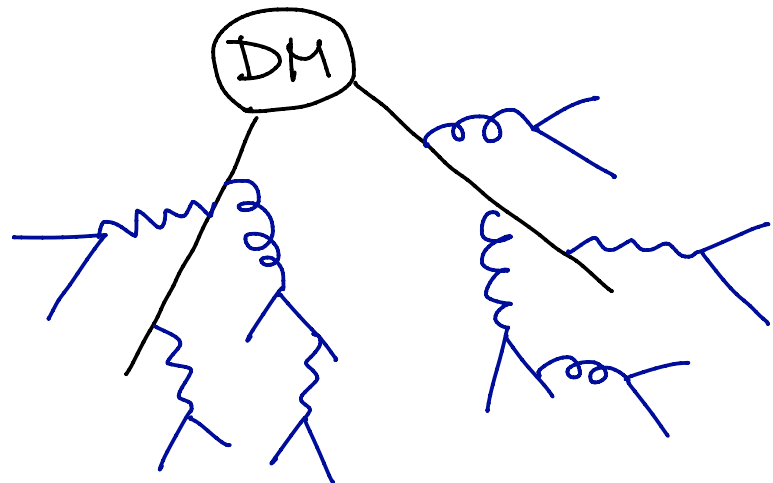


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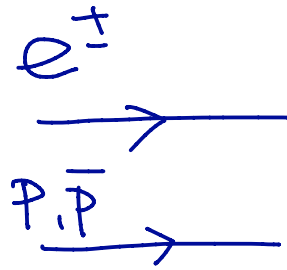
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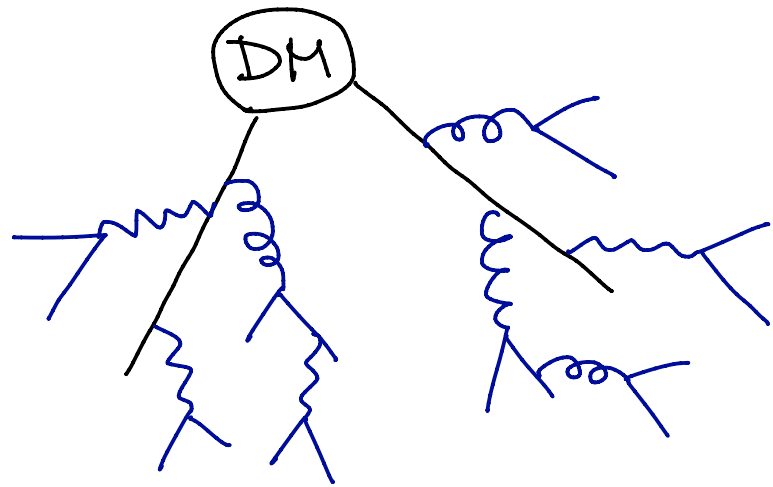


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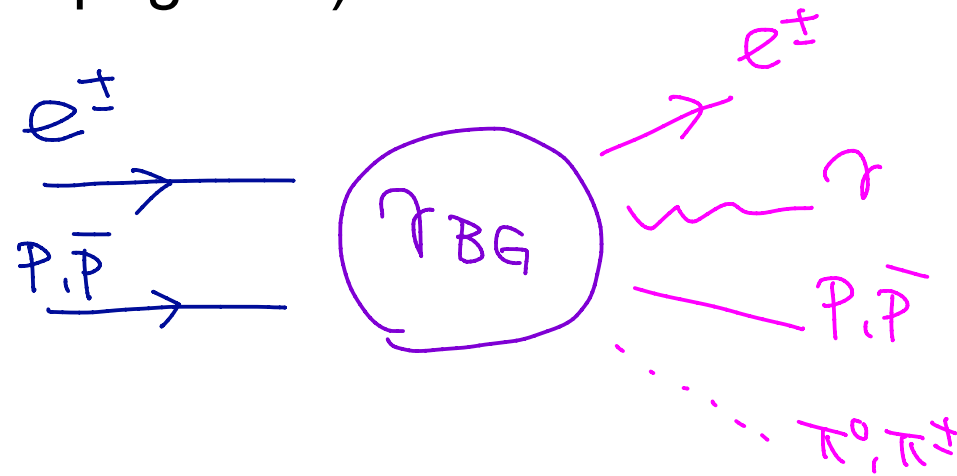


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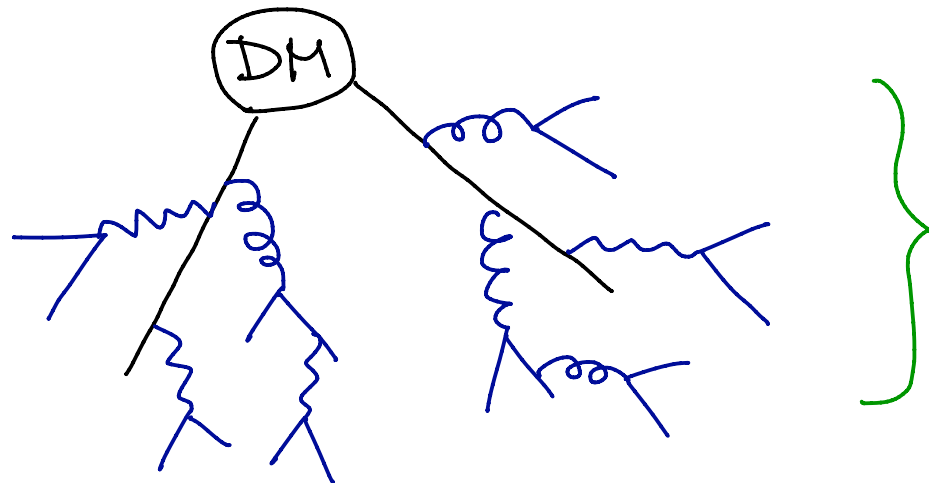
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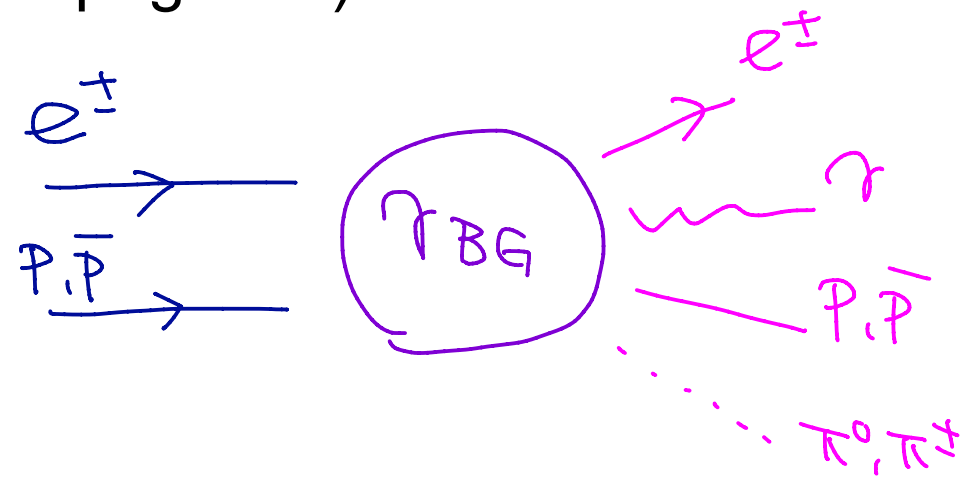
Hadronic/EM cascades

**UHECRs**

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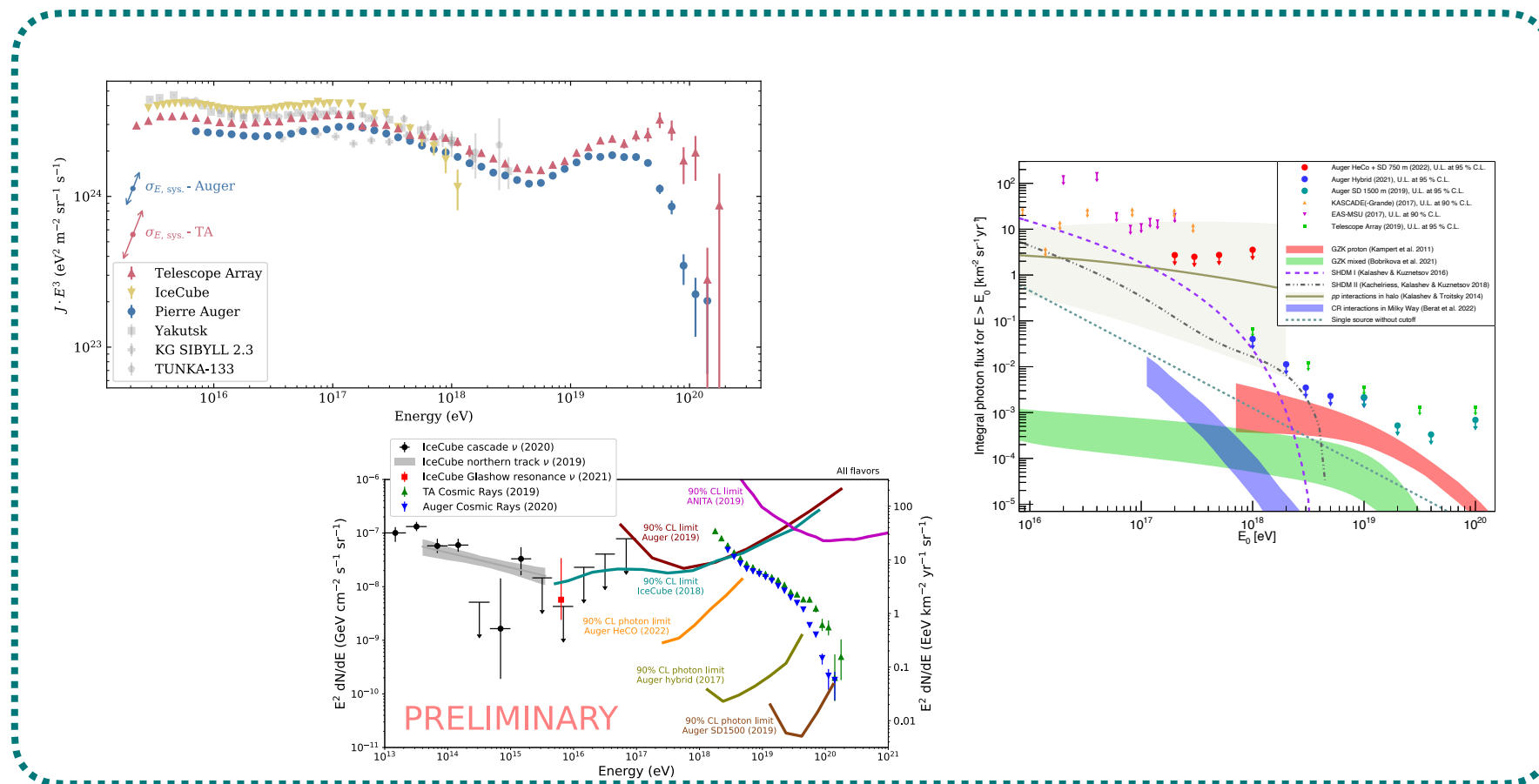
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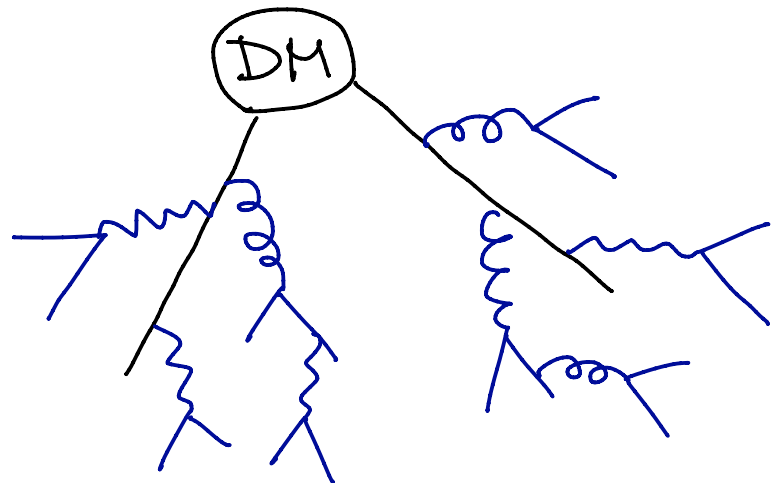
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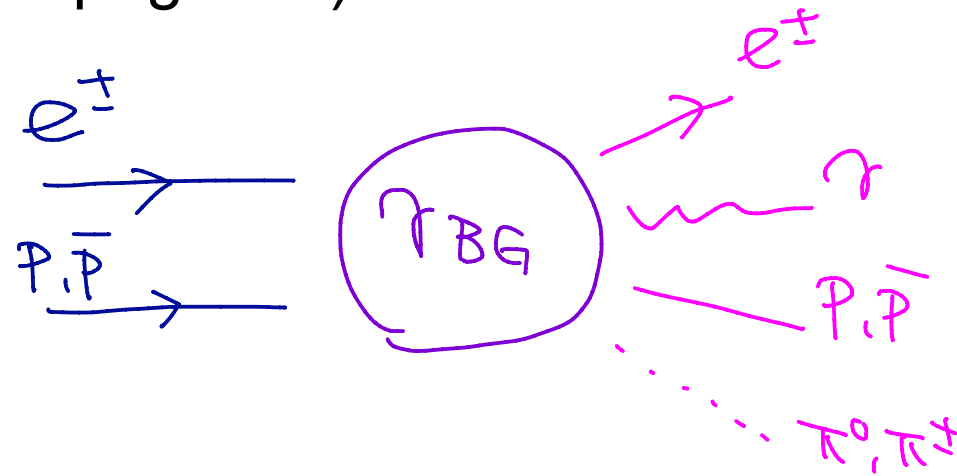


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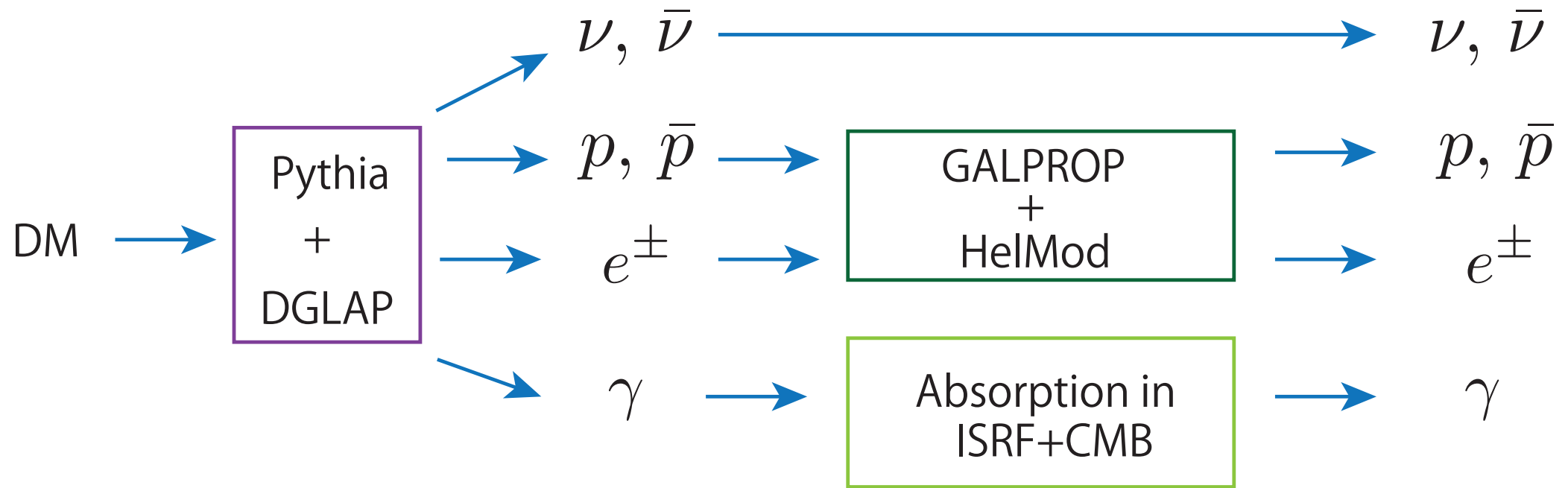
We need to simulate

- Cascades at the prompt decay
- Cascades during the propagation

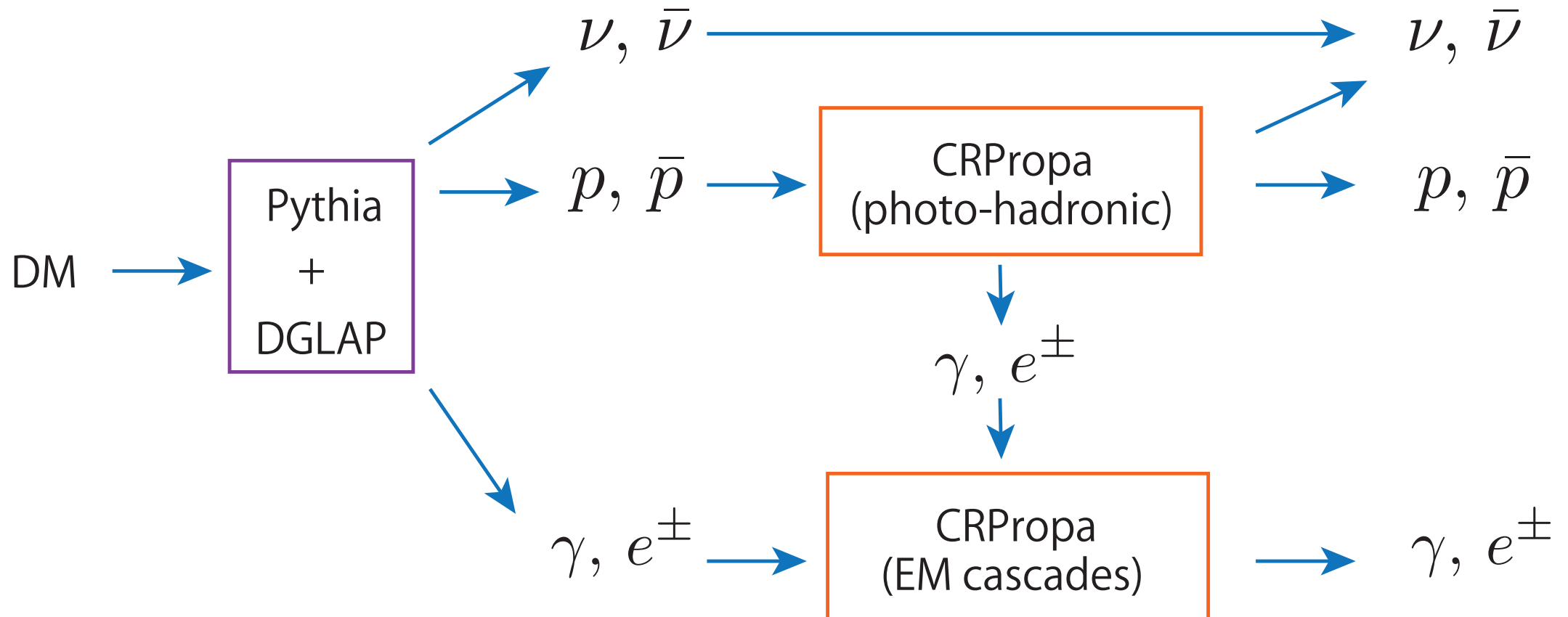


# Outline of the simulation

## Galaxy

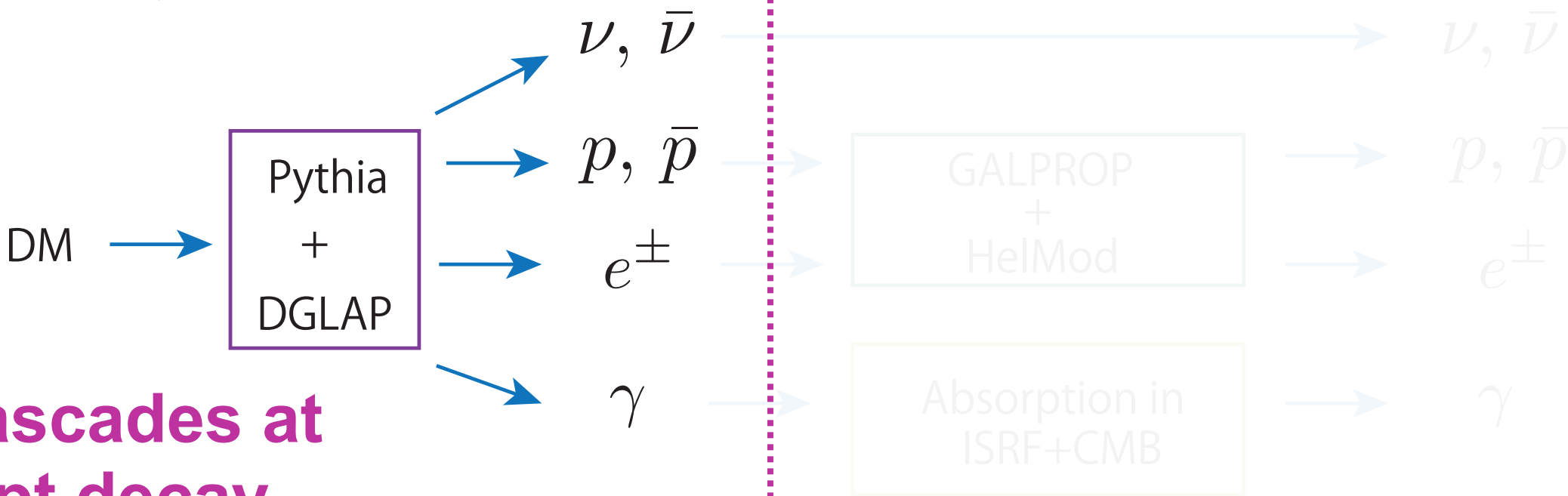


## Extragalaxy



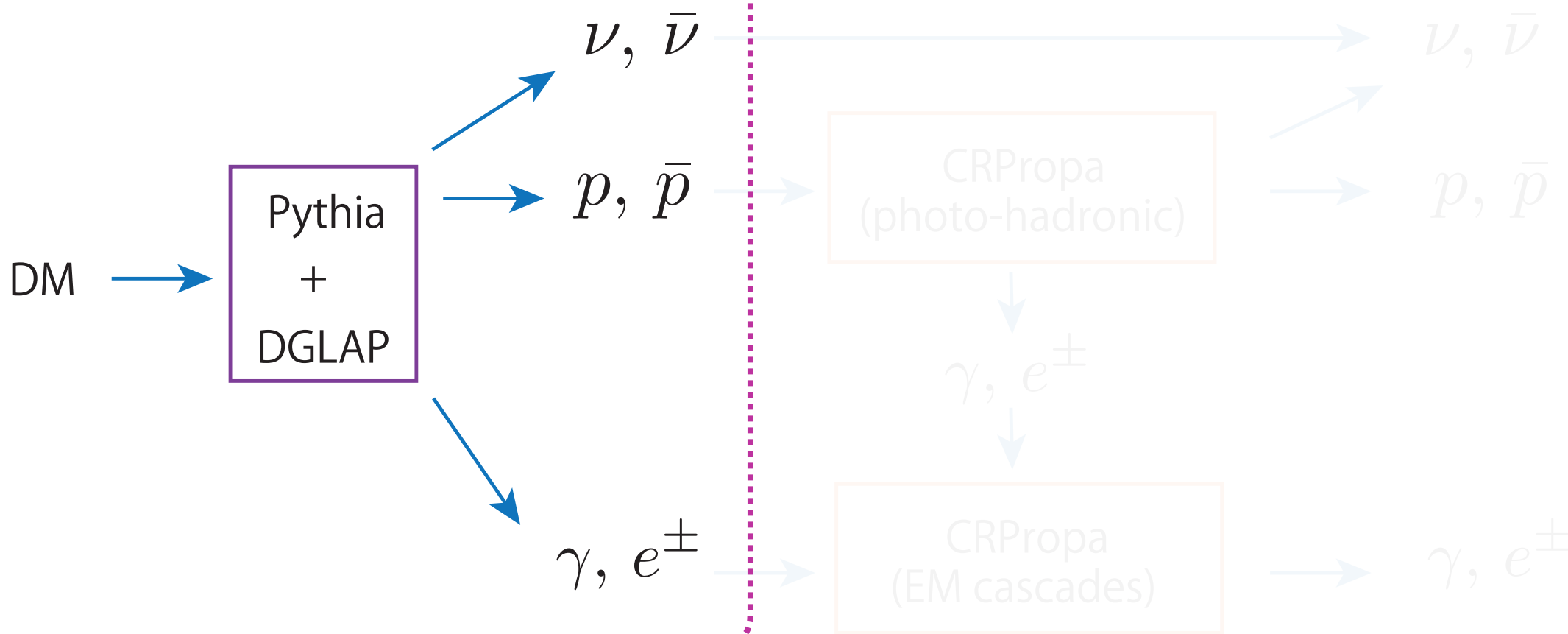
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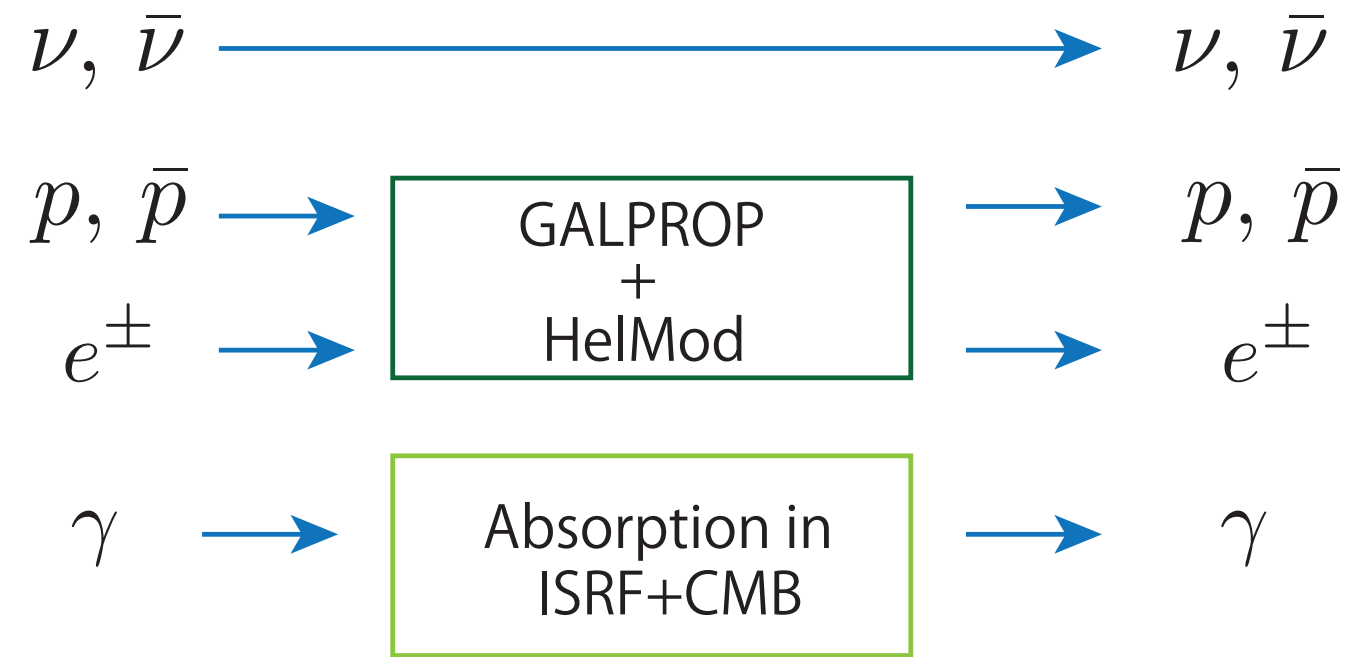
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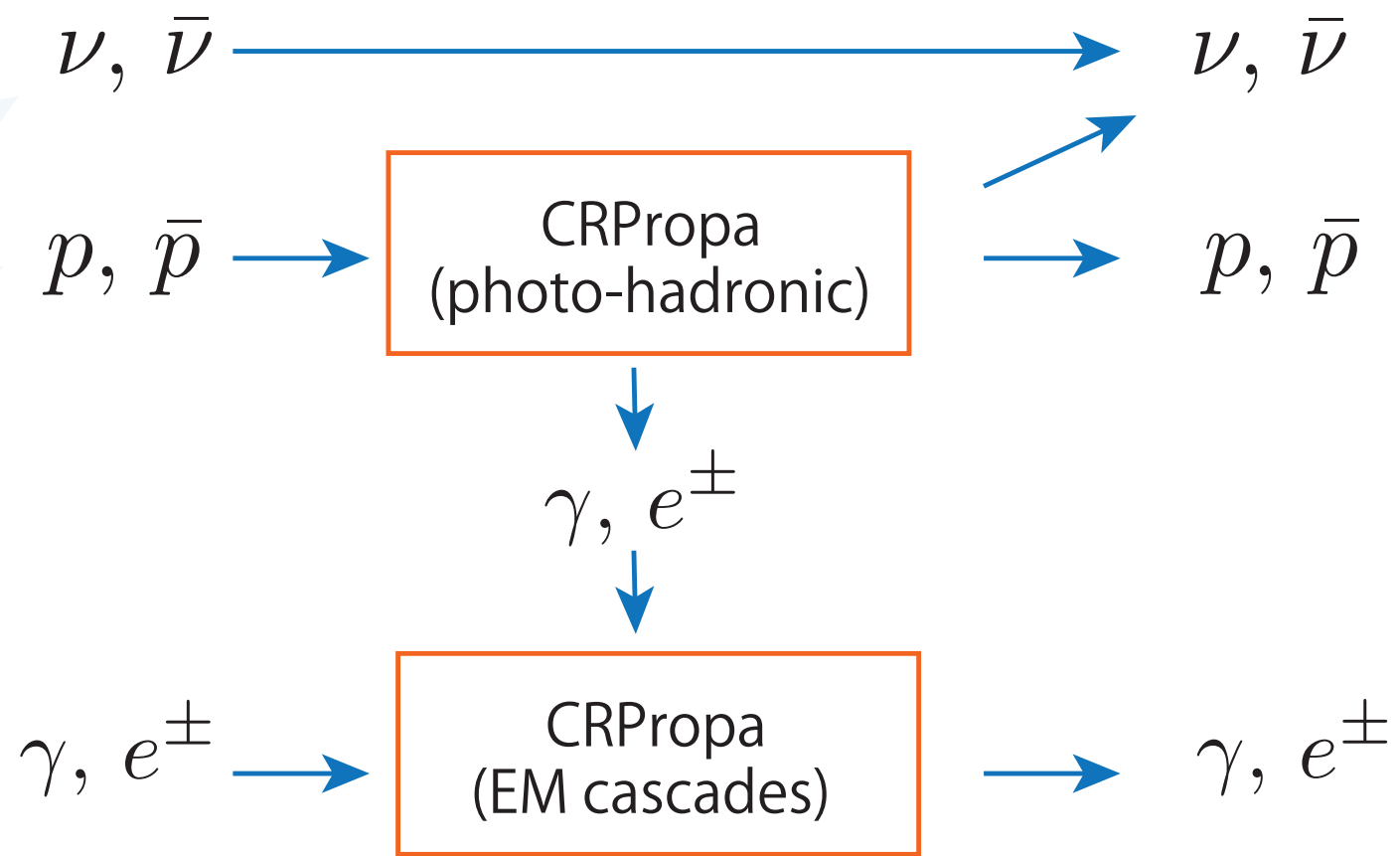
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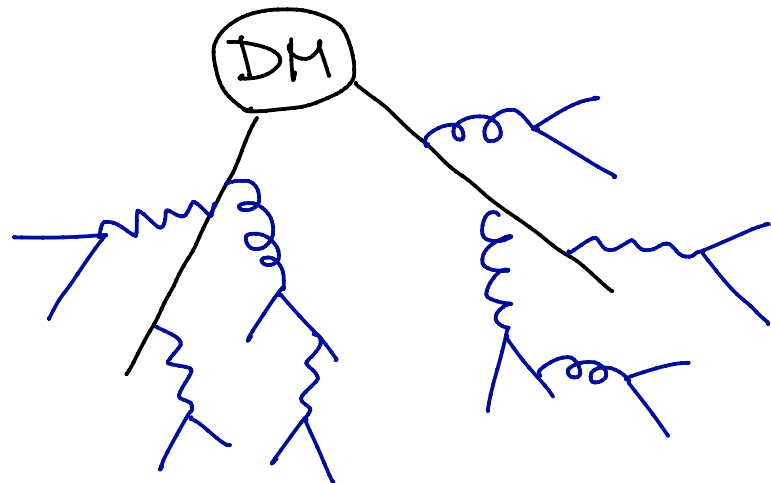
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Dokshitzer-Gribov-Lipatov-Altarelli-Parisi (DGLAP) Eqs.

Birkel, Sarkar '98

Sarkar, Toldra '02

Berezinsky, Kachelriess '01

Aloisio, Berezinsky, Kachelriess '02

Barbot, Drees '02, '03

Bahr et al. '08

Bellm et al. '15

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Fragmentation functions of the hadrons  $h$  by solving DGLAP Eqs.

$$h = \pi^\pm, \pi^0, K^\pm, K^0, \bar{K}^0, n, \bar{n}, p, \bar{p}$$

Kniesl, Kramer, Potter '00

Kretzer '00

Albino, Kniesl, Kramer '05

Hirai, Kumano, Nagai, Sudoh '07

Hirai, Kumano '12

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Distributions function of stable particles  $I$  from the hadron decays, given by Pythia

$$I = e^\pm, \gamma, p, \bar{p}, \nu, \bar{\nu}$$

Sjstrand et al. '15

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Pythia  
+  
DGLAP

$\nu, \bar{\nu}$

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DGLAP Eqs.

Pythia

GALPROP  
+  
HelMod

Absorption in  
ISRF+CMB

CRPropa  
(photo-hadronic)

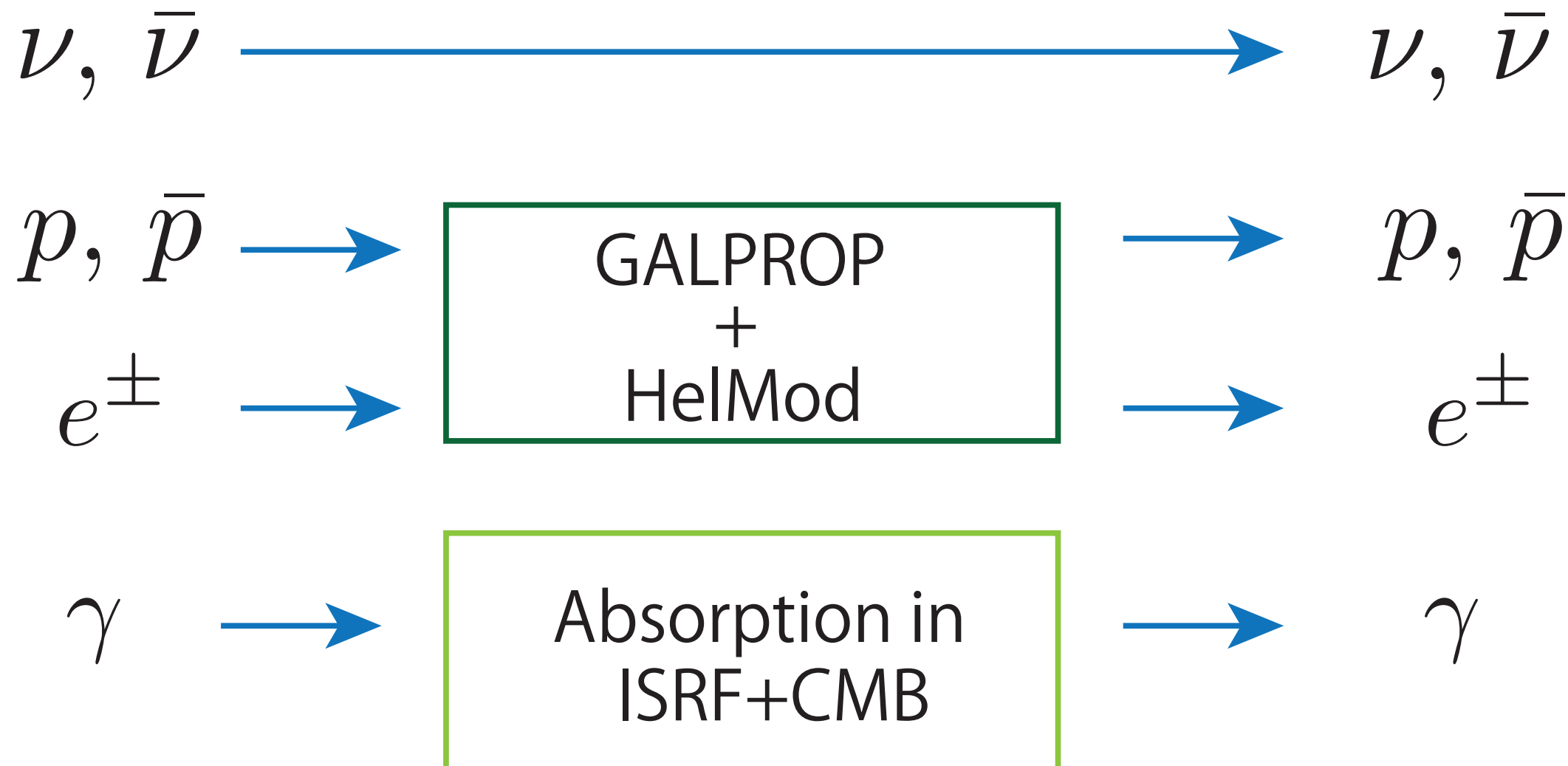
CRPropa  
(EM cascades)

HDMSpectra is easier way  
to compute the spectra

Bauer, Rodd, Webber '20

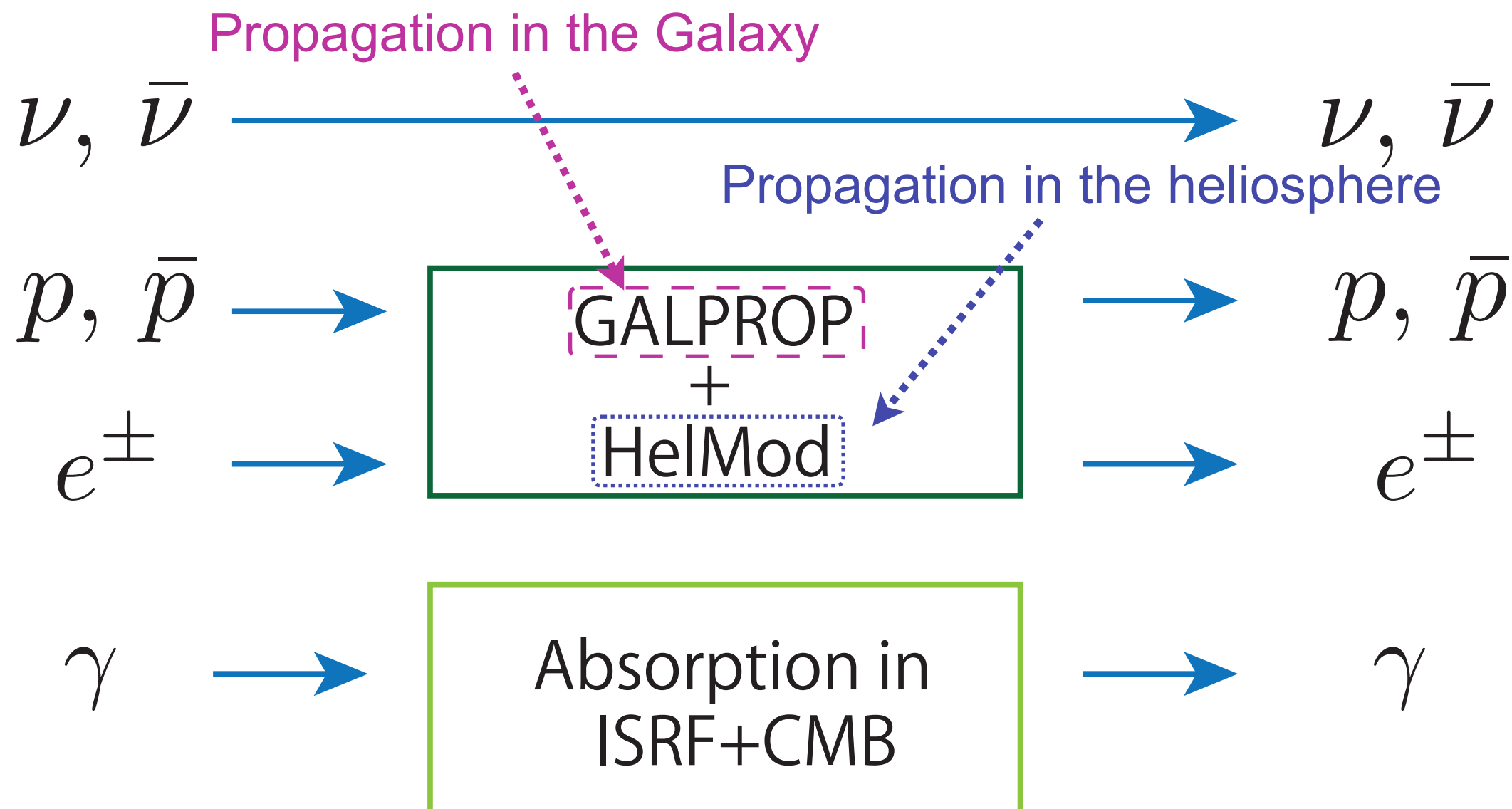


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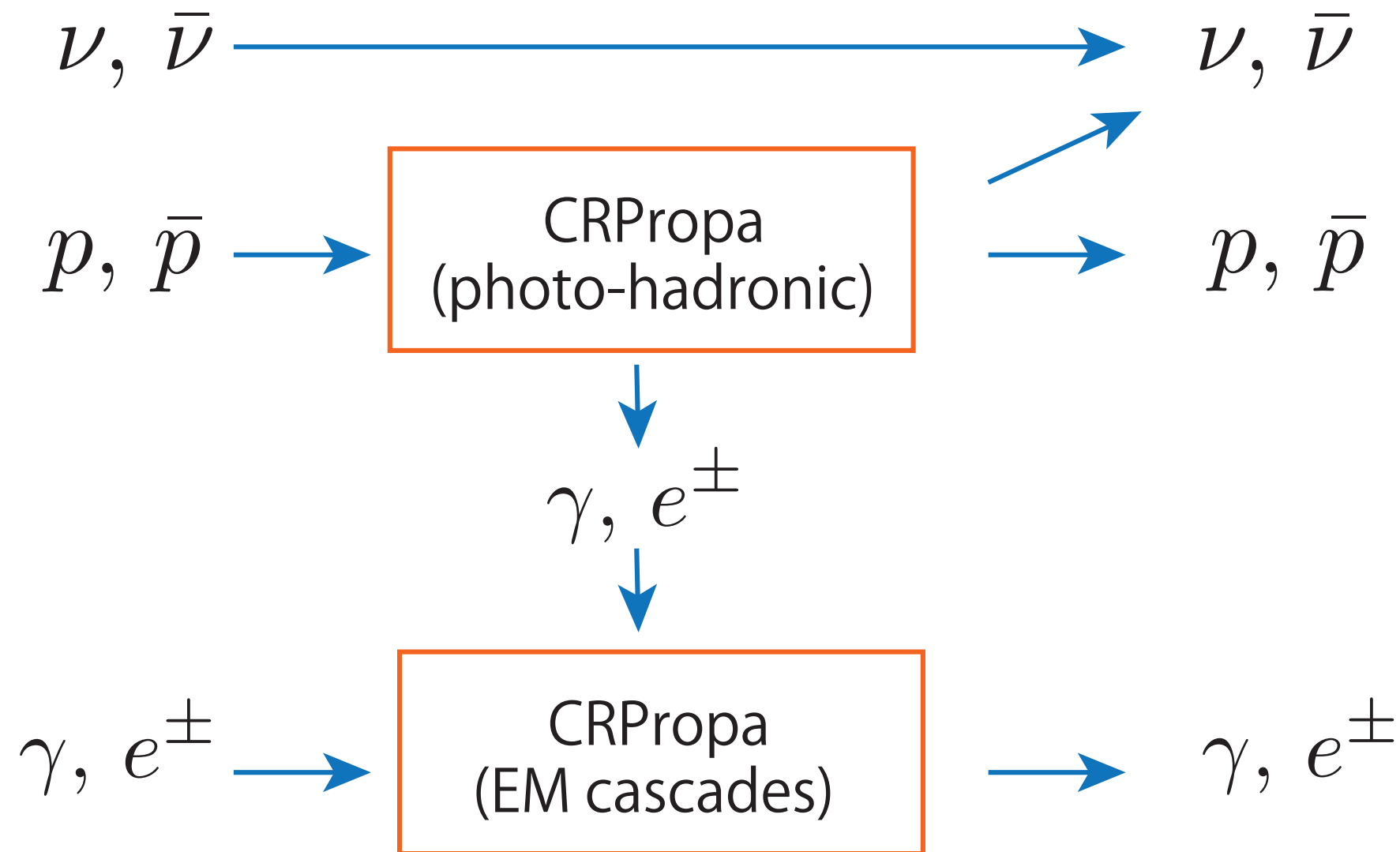
Strong et al. '00  
Boschini et al. '17

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Batista et al. '16

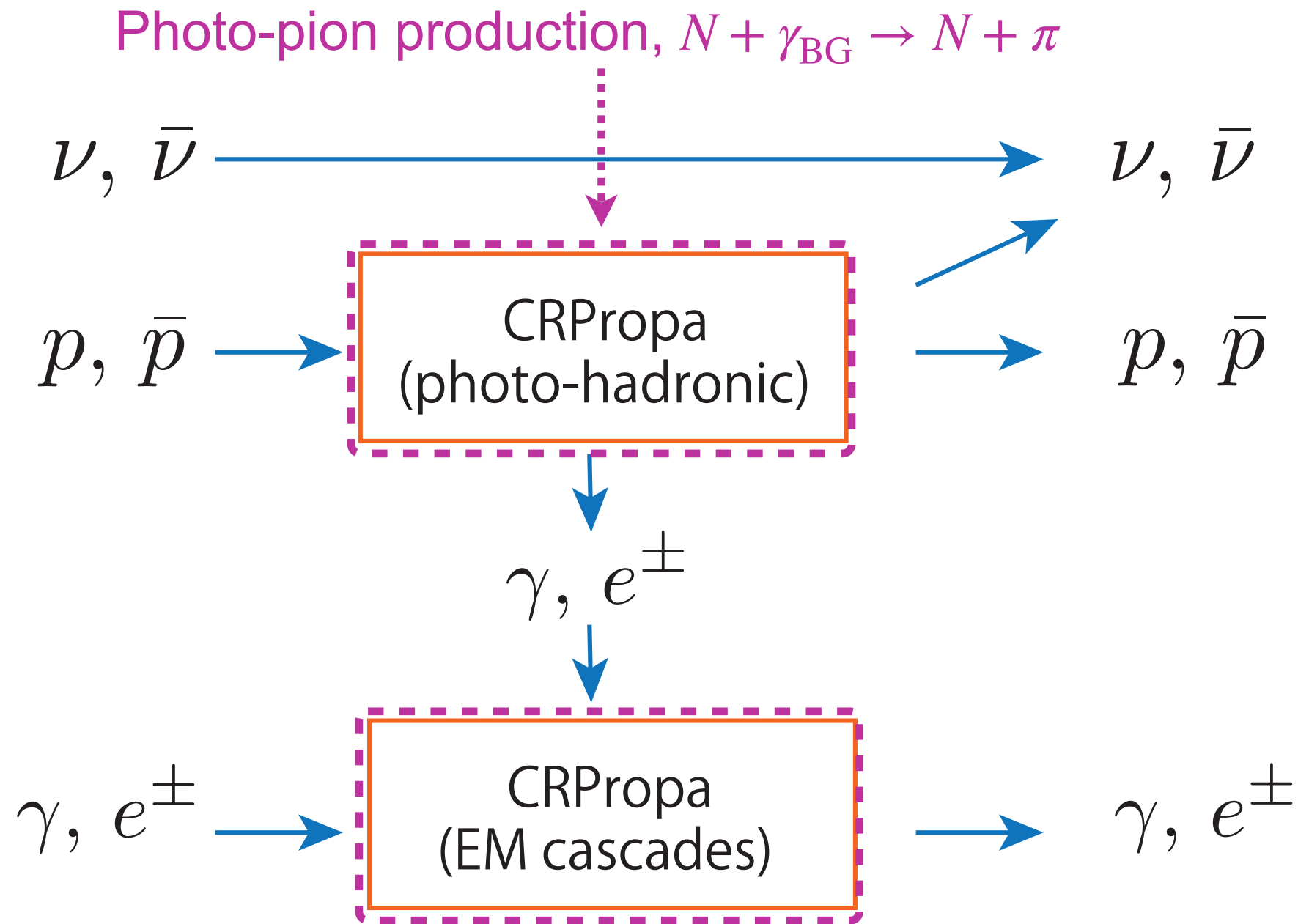
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Mucke et al. '99

Lee '98

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Pair production,  $\gamma + \gamma_{\text{BG}} \rightarrow e^+ + e^-$

Inverse Compton scattering,  $e + \gamma_{\text{BG}} \rightarrow e + \gamma$

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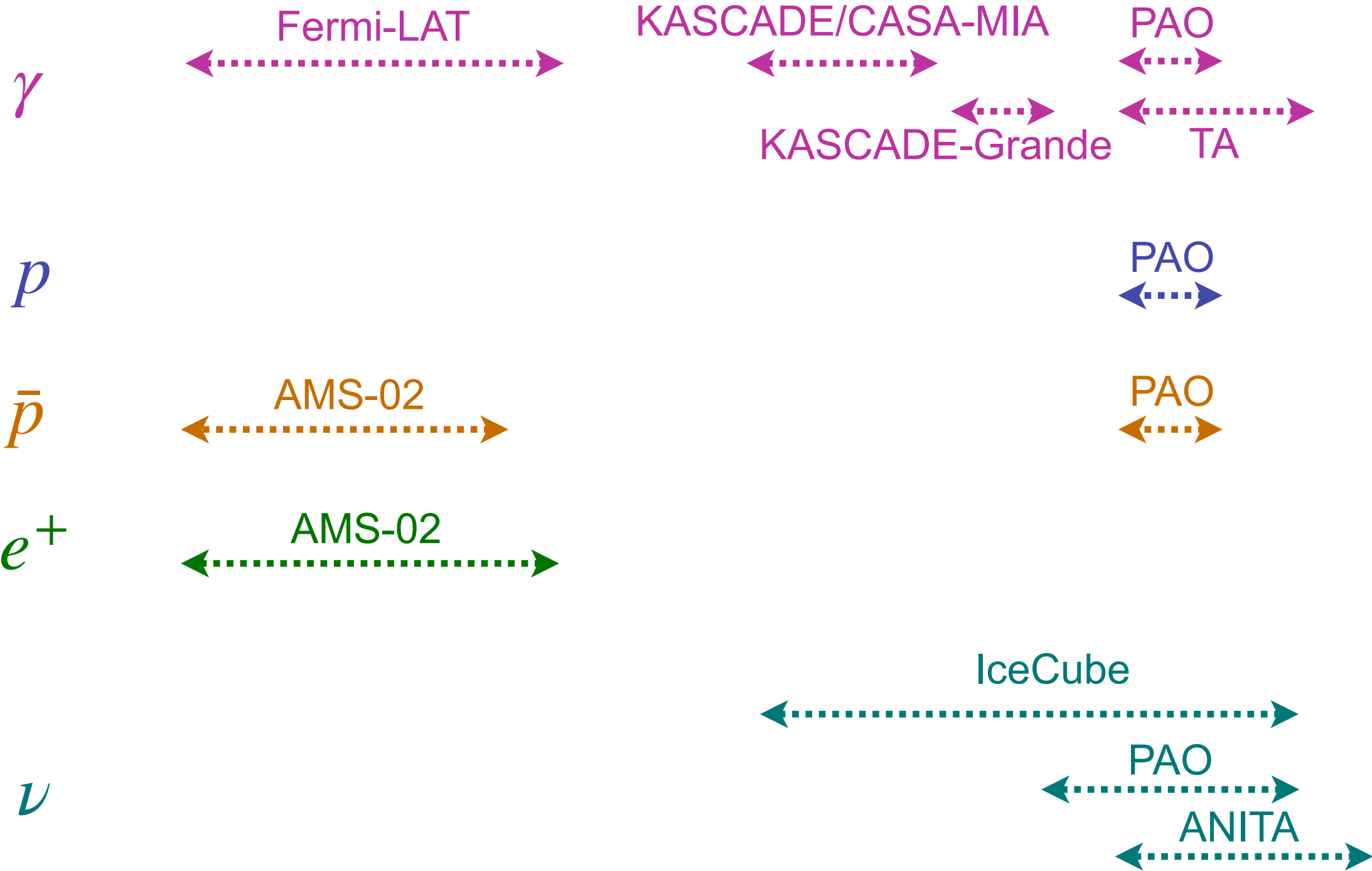
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$\gamma$

Fermi-LAT



KASCADE/CASA-MIA



PAO



KASCADE-Grande



TA

Less stringent constraints

$p$

PAO



$\bar{p}$

AMS-02



PAO



$e^+$

AMS-02



$\nu$

IceCube



PAO



ANITA



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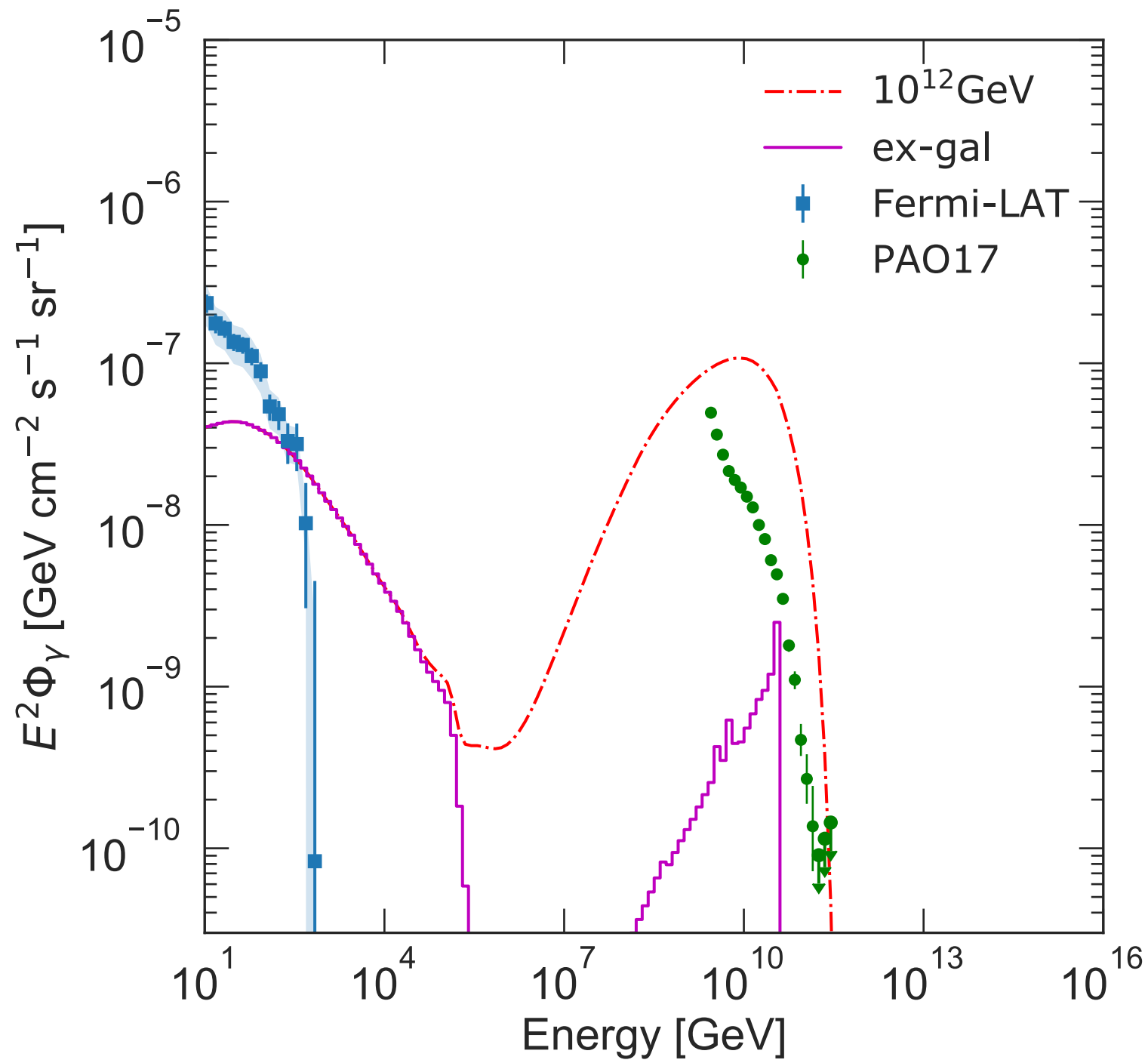
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$\gamma$  flux

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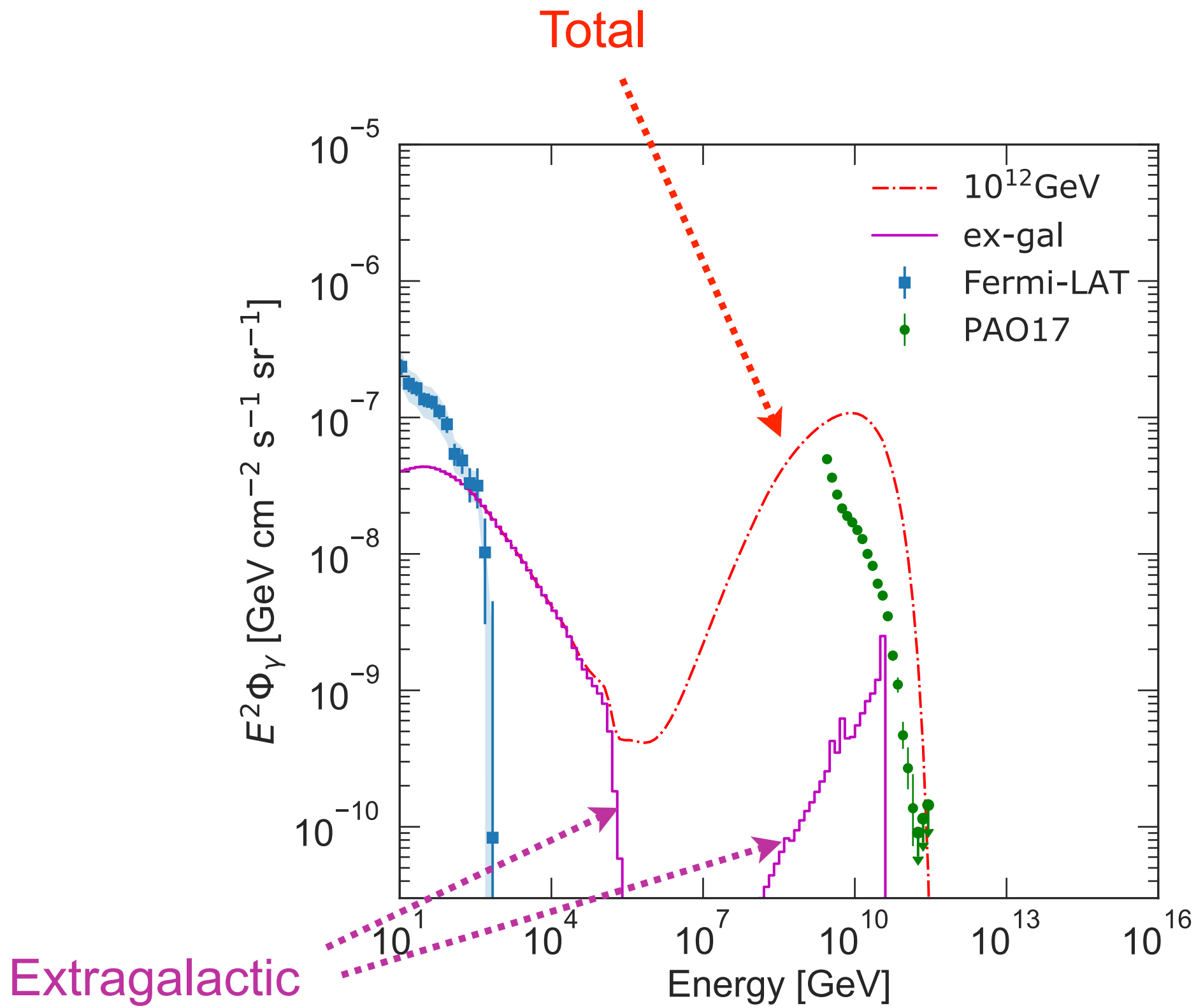
$$\tau_{\text{dm}} = 10^{27} \text{ s}$$





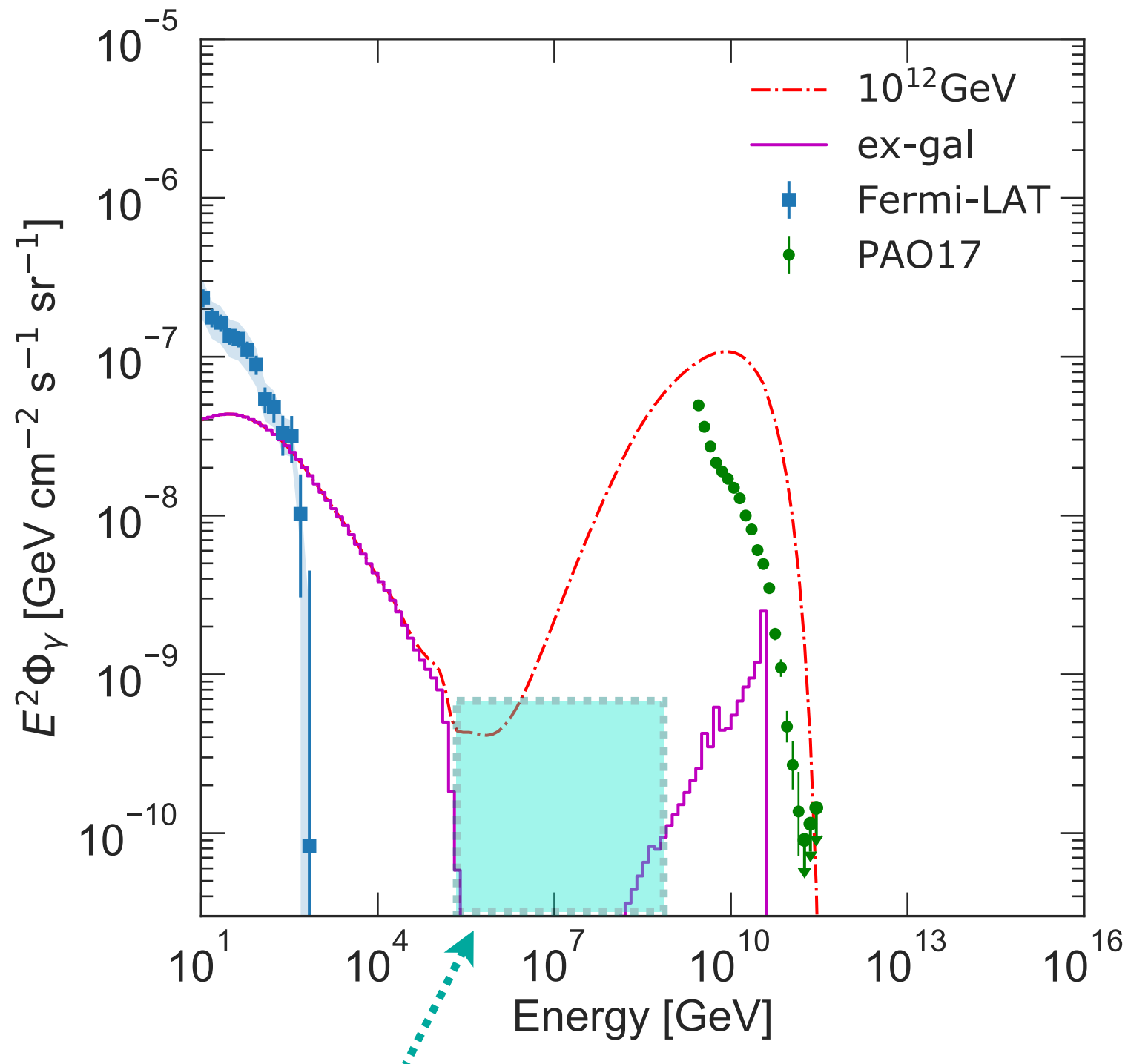
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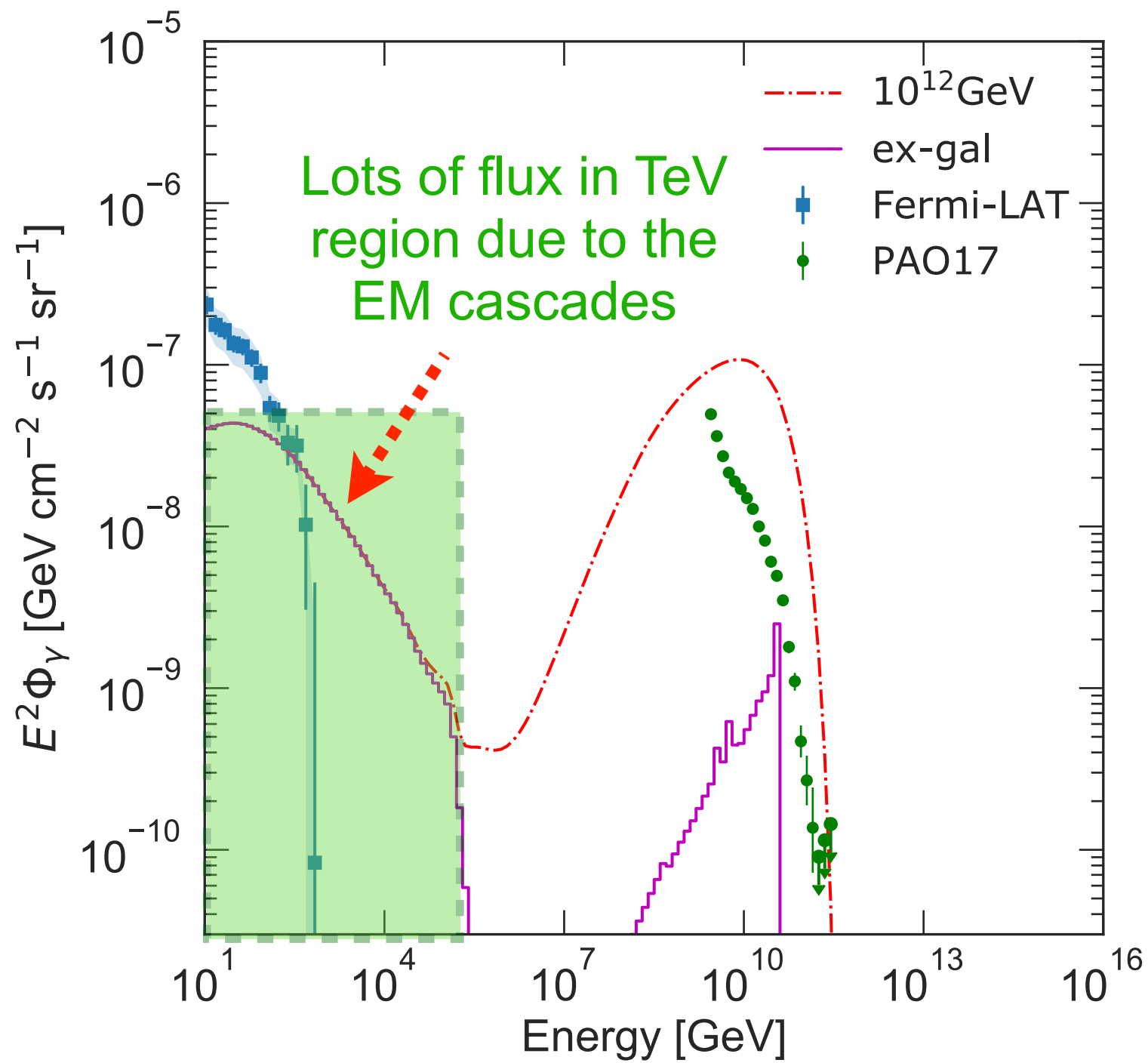


Extragalactic  $\gamma$  in  $10^5 \text{ GeV} \lesssim E_\gamma \lesssim 10^9 \text{ GeV}$  is suppressed due to the pair production in the CMB

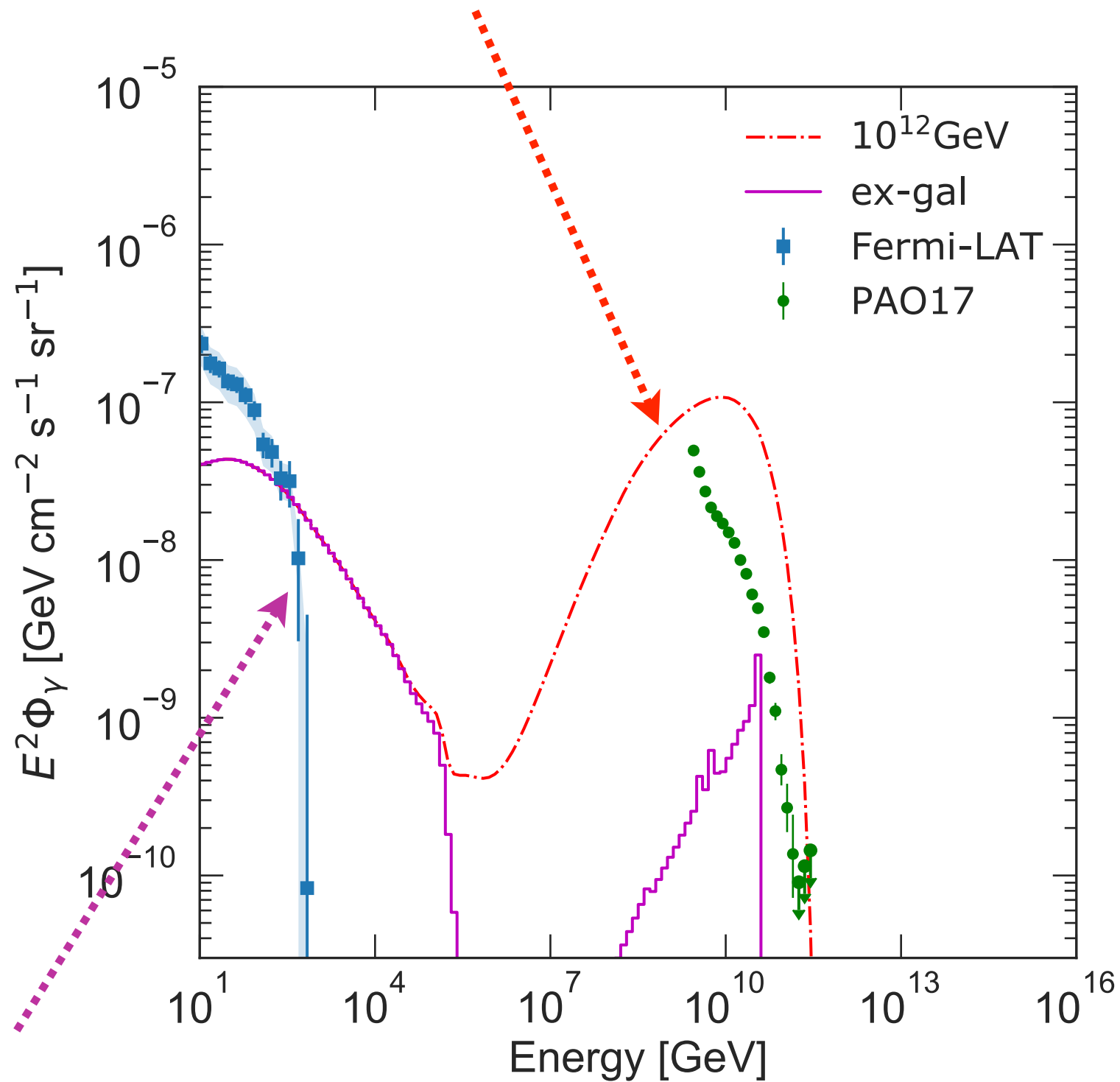
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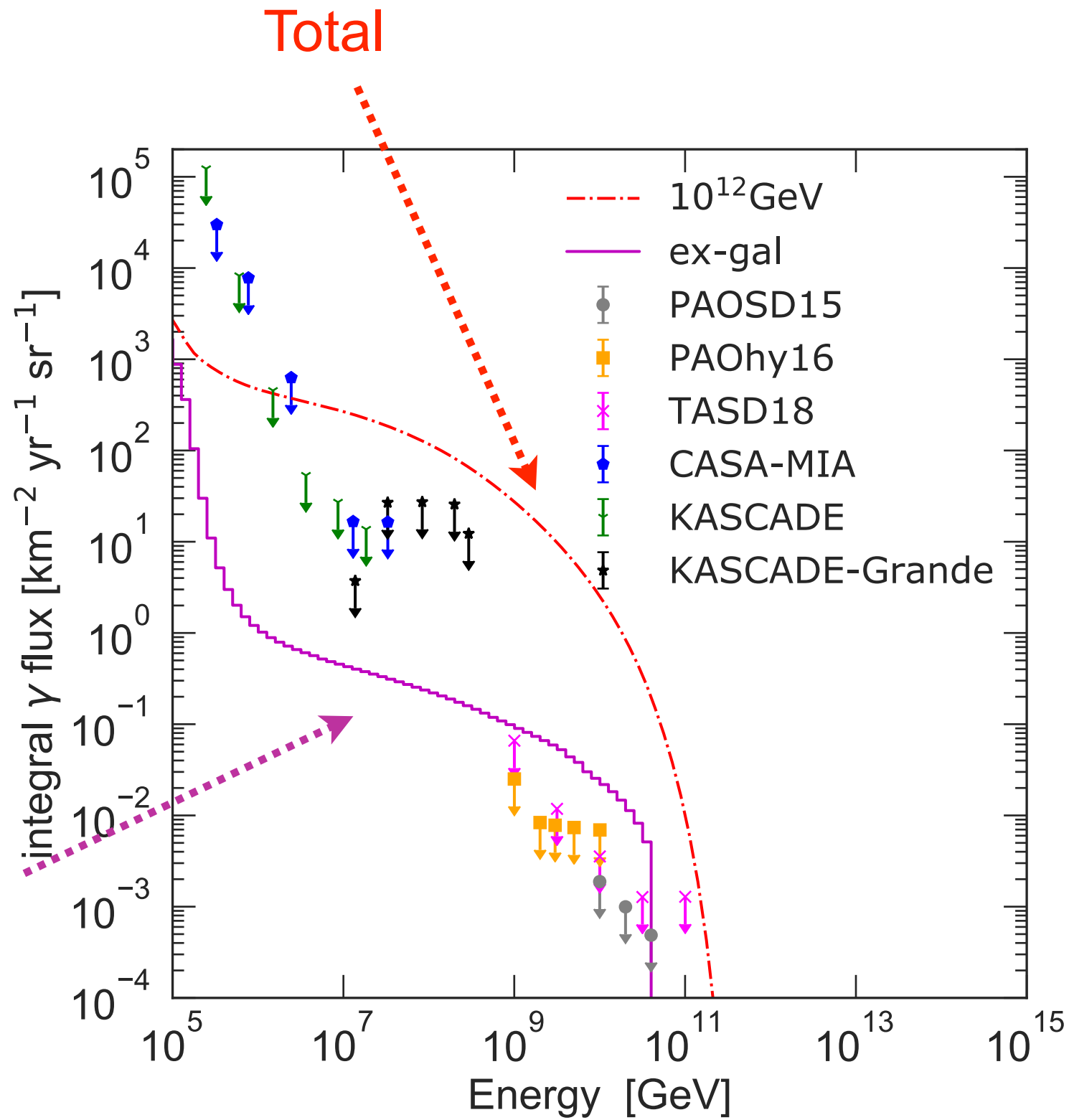


Extragalactic contribution is constrained by Fermi-LAT

# Integrated $\gamma$

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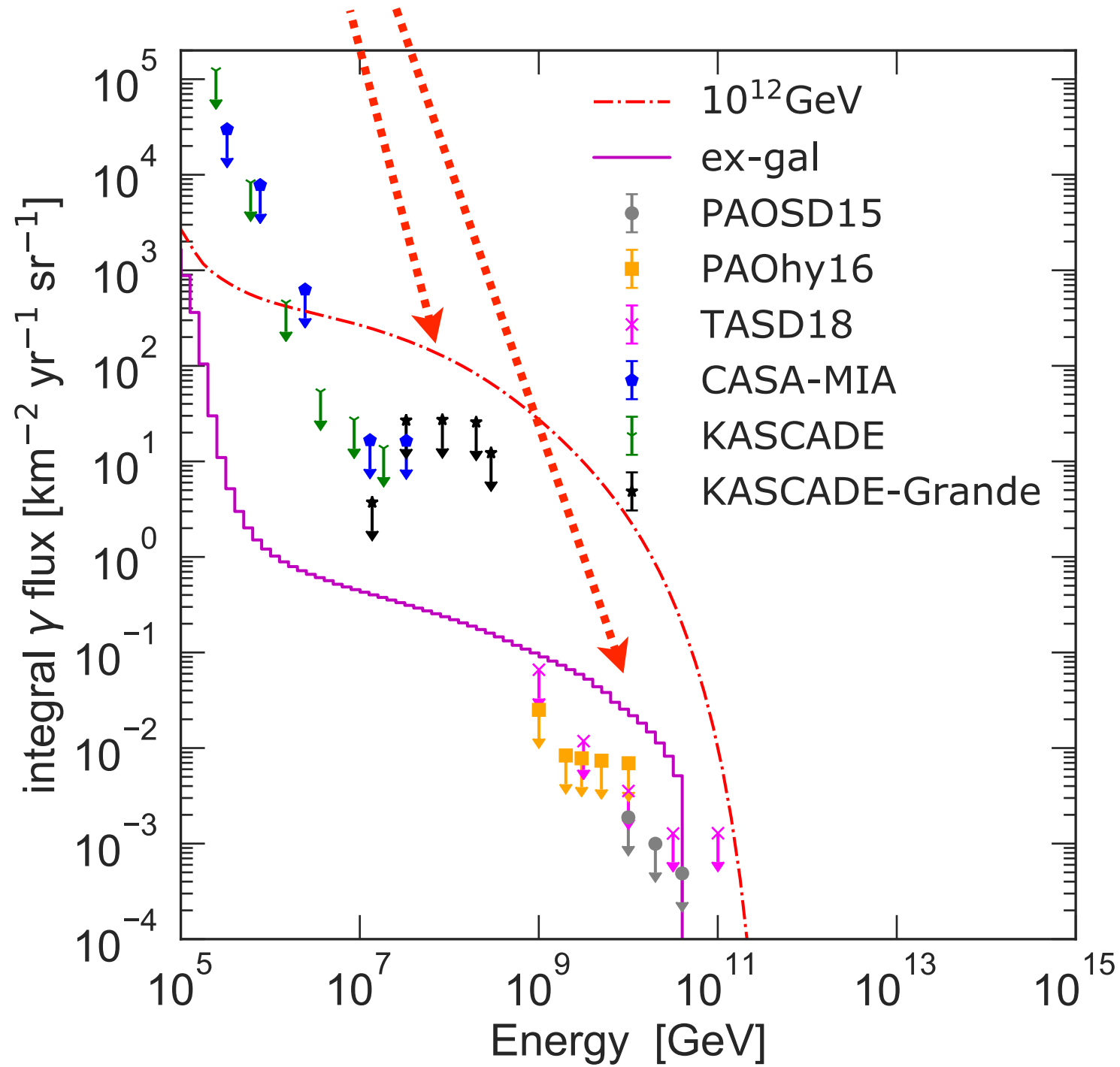
Extragalactic

**Galactic flux is dominant**

# Integrated $\gamma$

PAO, TA, CASA-MIA, KASCADE, and  
KASCADE-Grande give constraints

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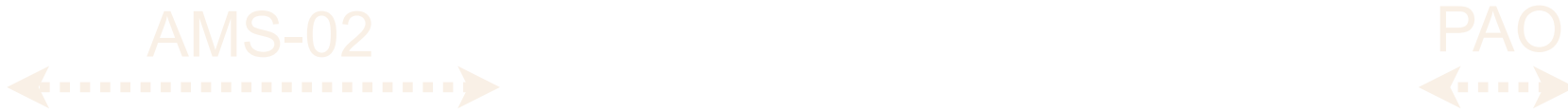
$\gamma$



$p$



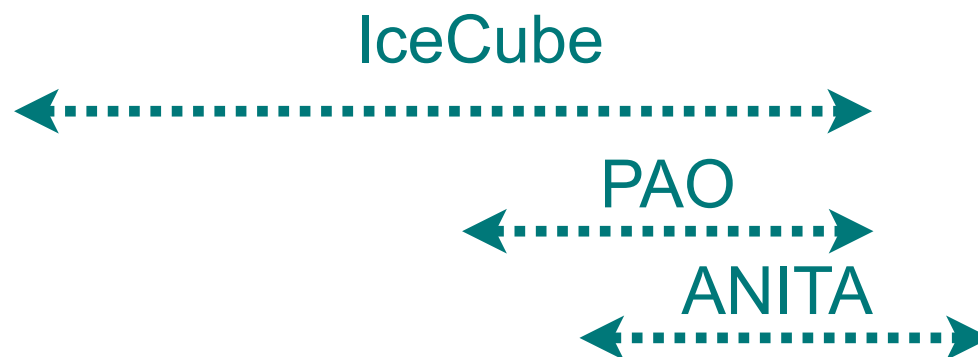
$\bar{p}$



$e^+$



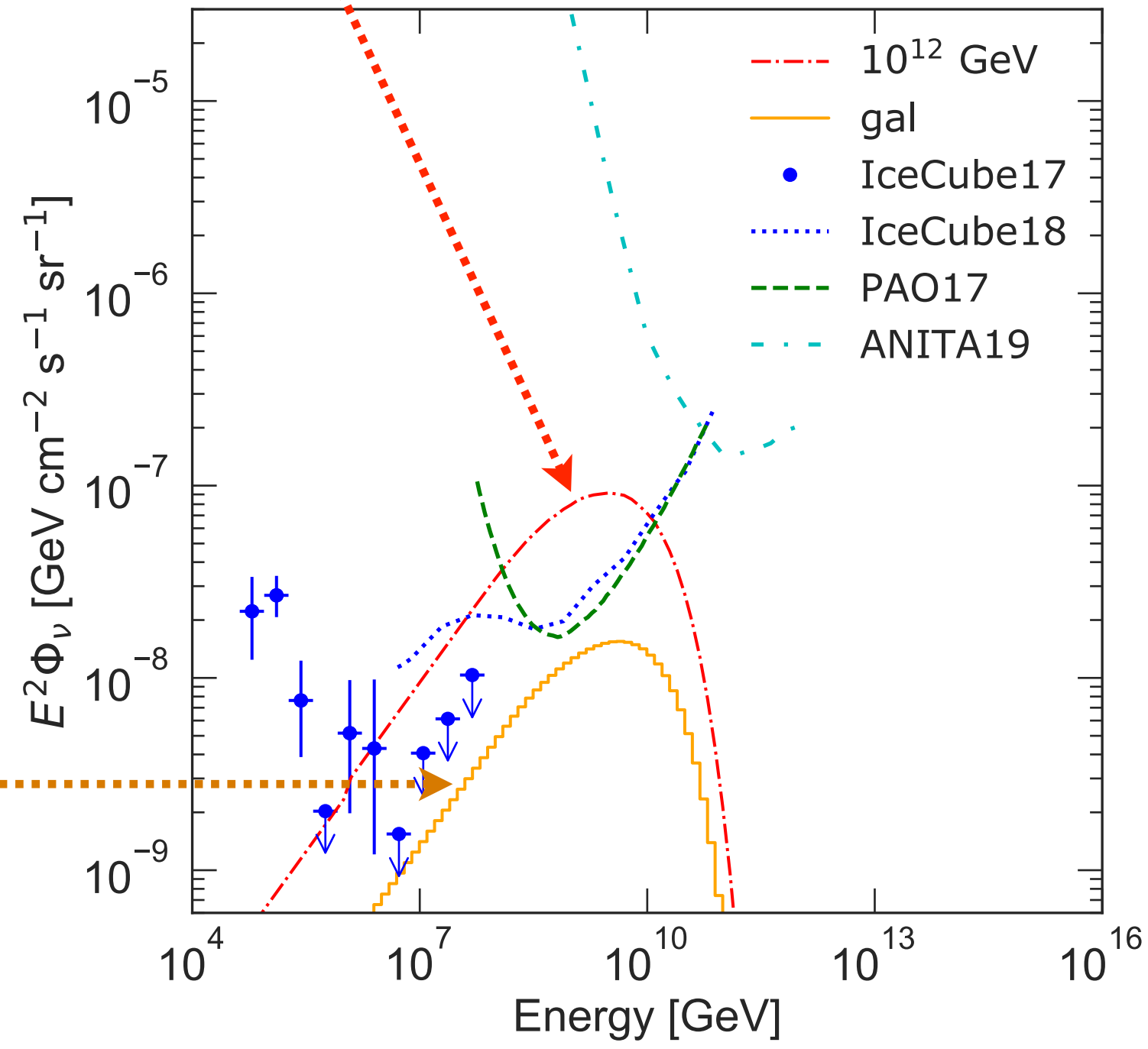
$\nu$



$\nu + \bar{\nu}$  flux

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Total



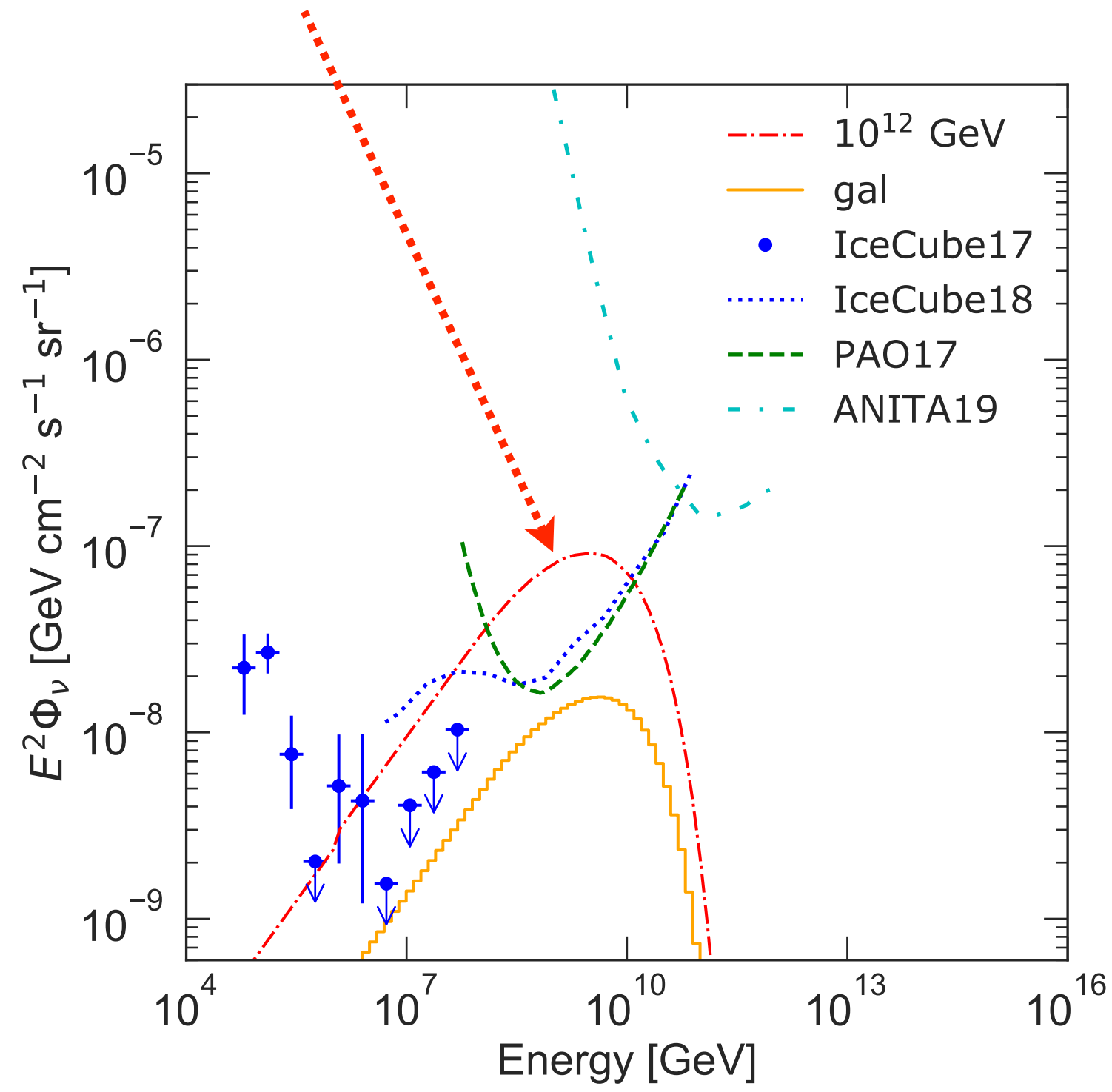
Galactic

Extragalactic flux is dominant

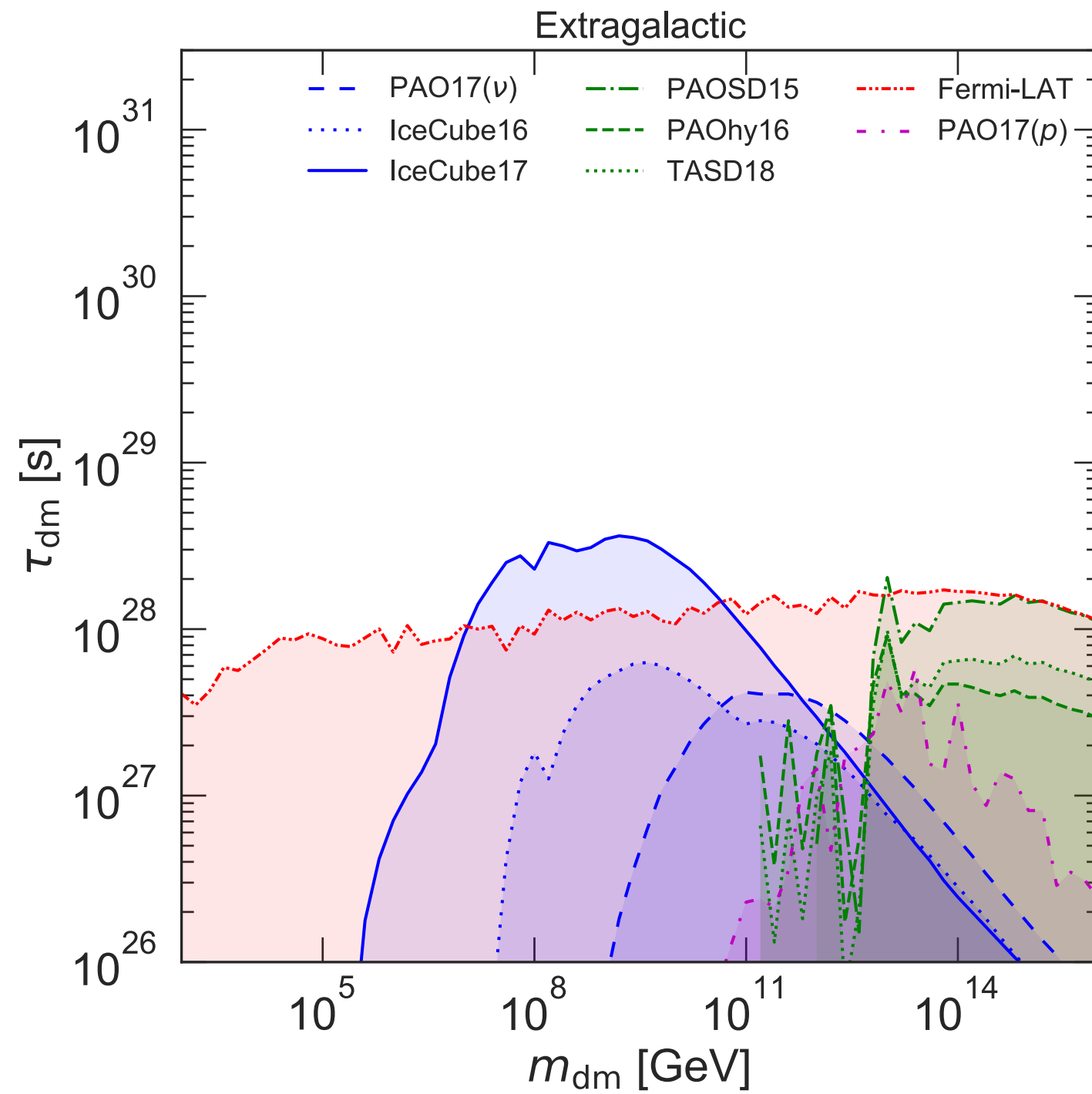


Extragalactic contribution is constrained by IceCube and PAO

$$\tau_{\text{dm}} = 10^{27} \text{ s}$$



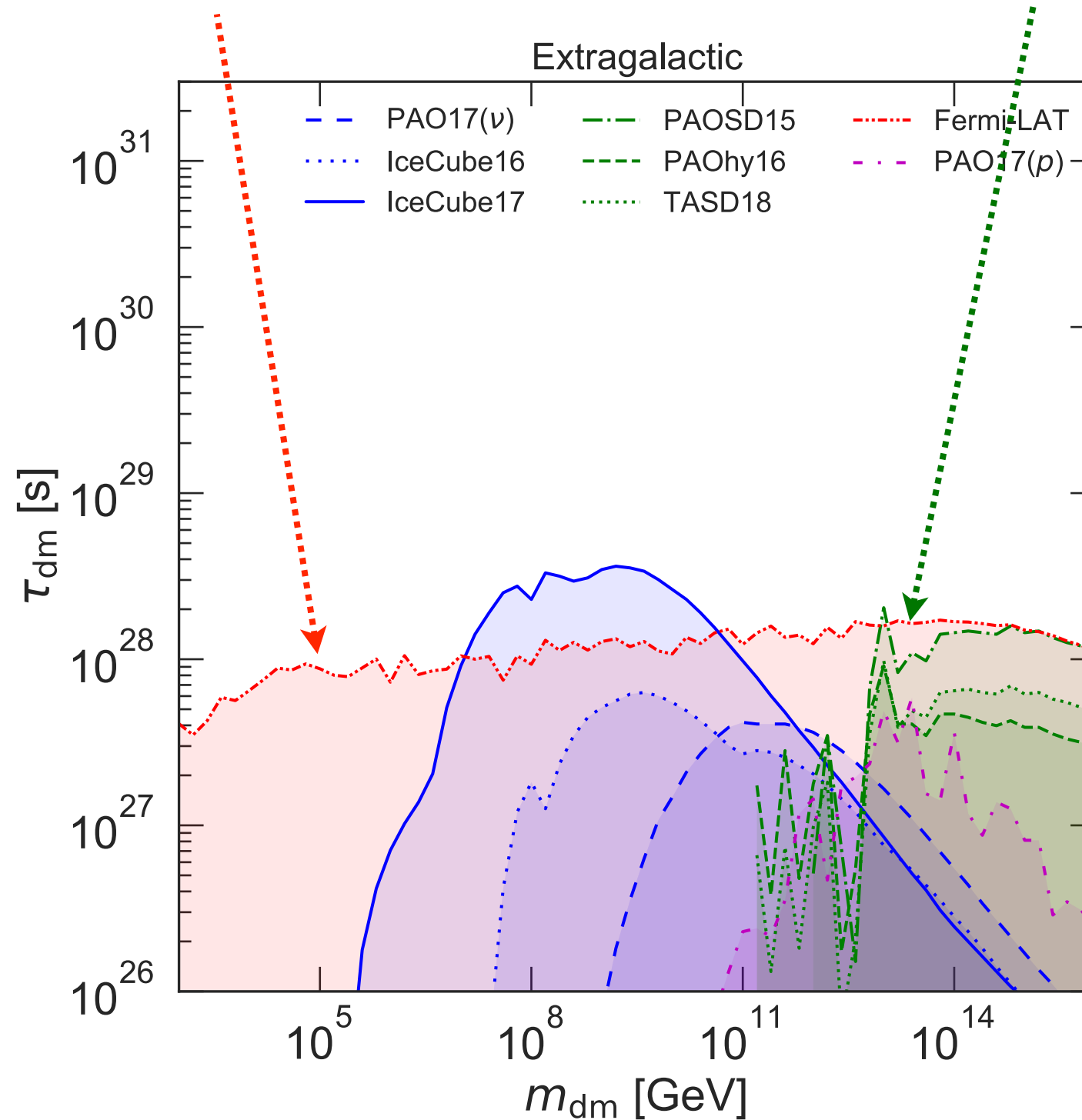
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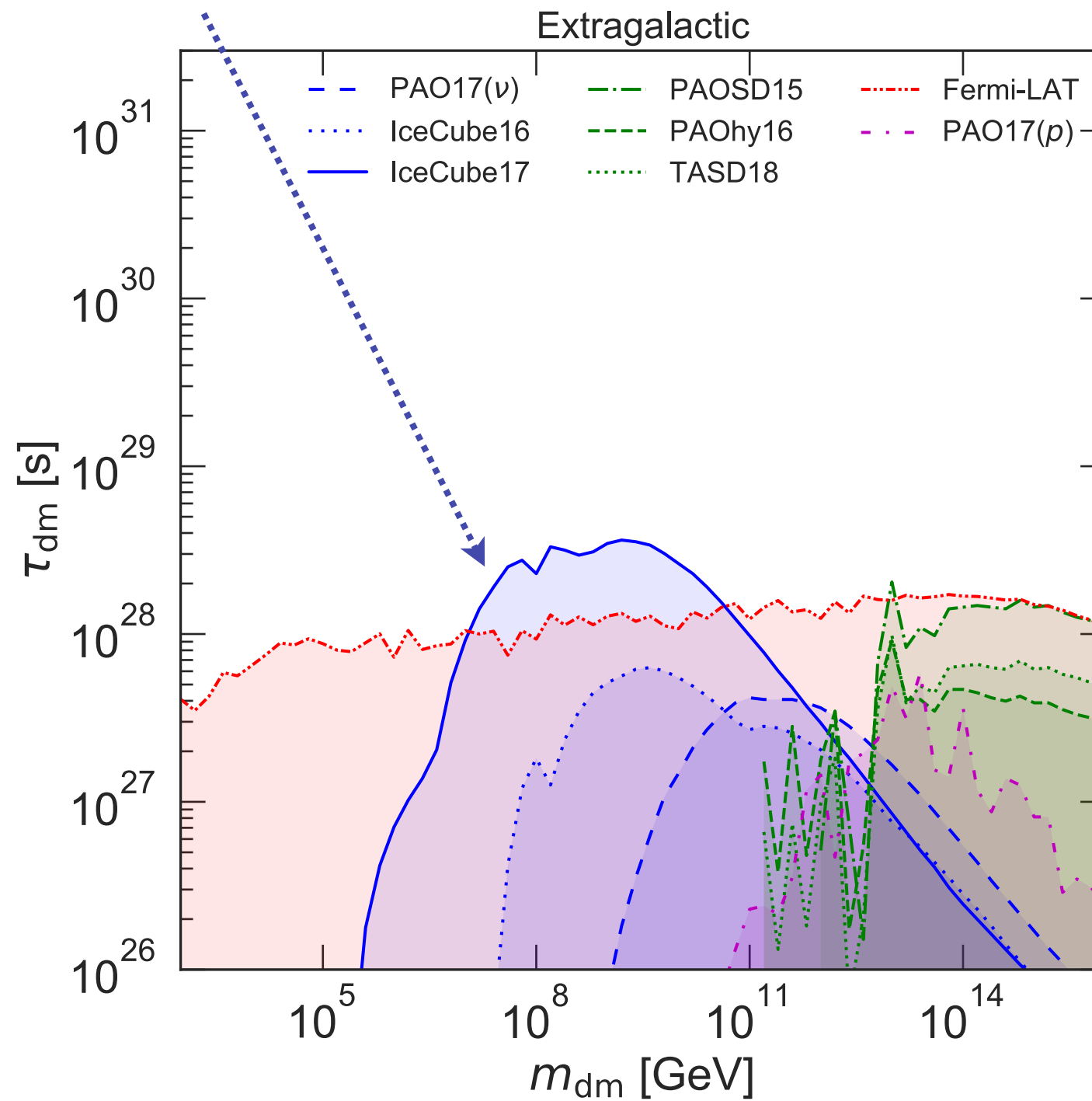
Fermi-LAT gives constraints  
in wide range of  $m_{\text{dm}}$

PAO gives comparable bound in  
 $m_{\text{dm}} \gtrsim 10^{12}$  GeV

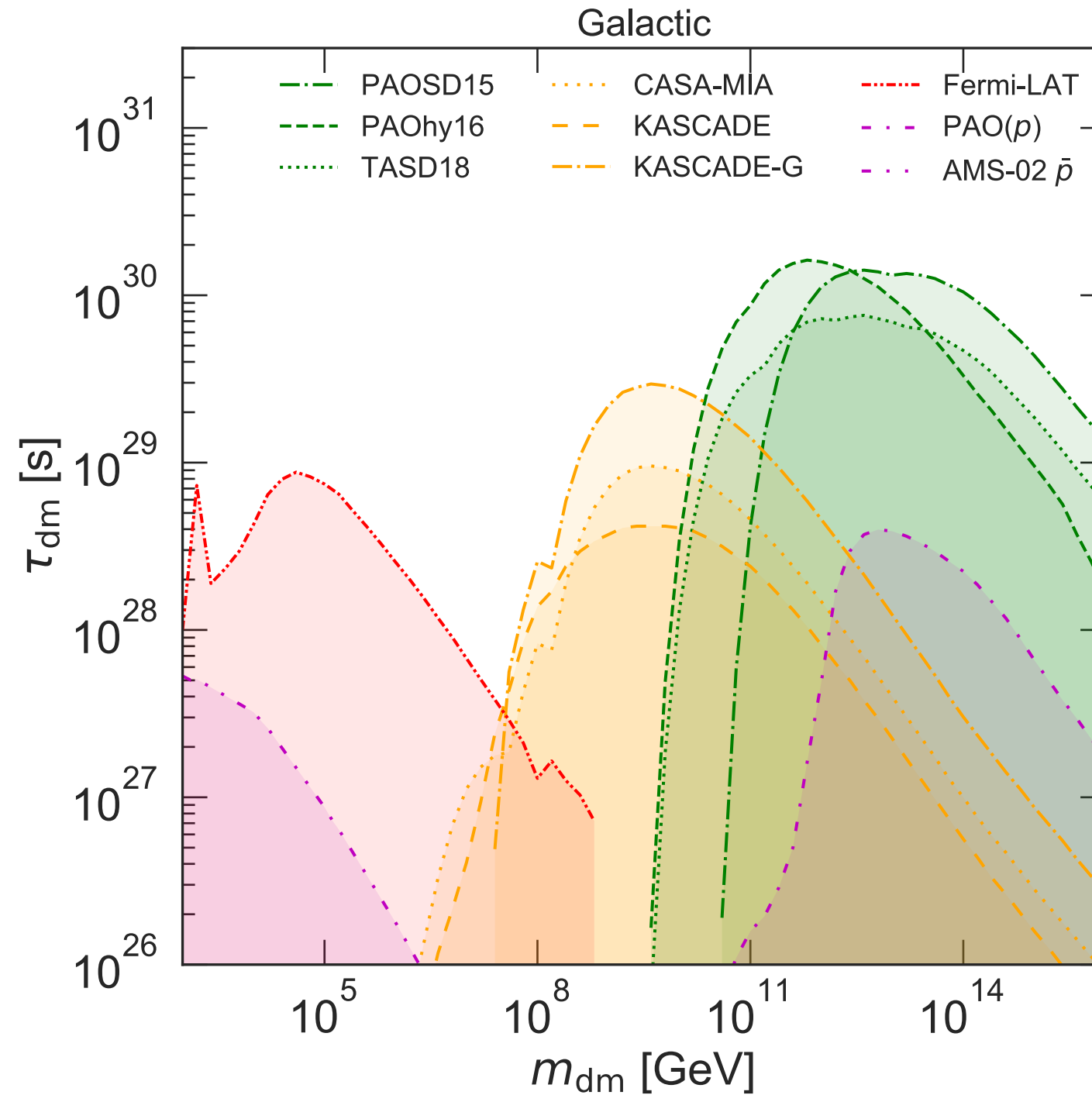


# Constraints on DM lifetime (extragalactic)

IceCube gives a more stringent bound  
in  $10^6 \text{ GeV} \lesssim m_{\text{dm}} \lesssim 10^{11} \text{ GeV}$



# Constraints on DM lifetime (Galactic)



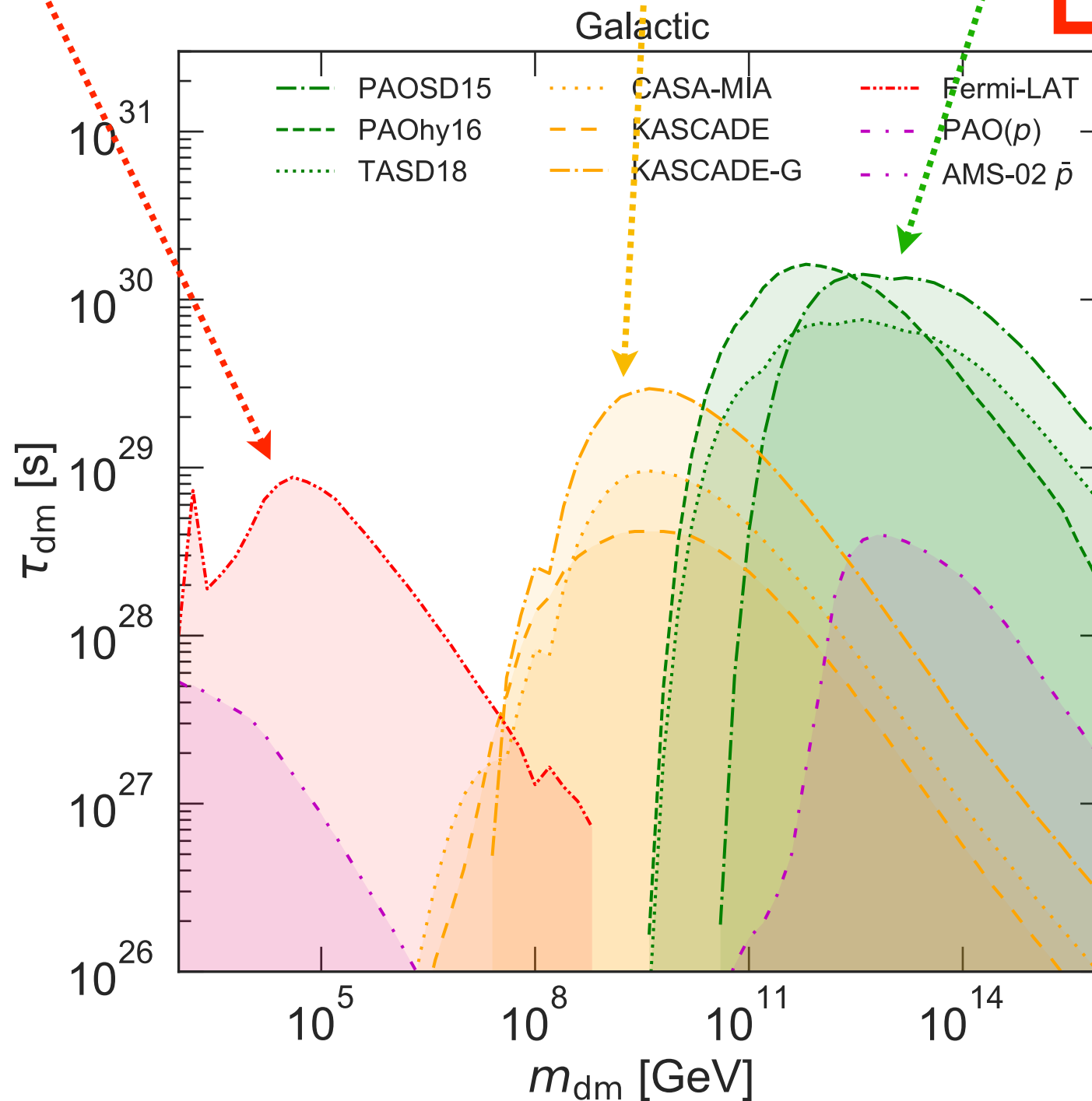
# Constraints on DM lifetime (Galactic)

PAO:  $10^{10} \text{ GeV} \lesssim m_{\text{dm}}$

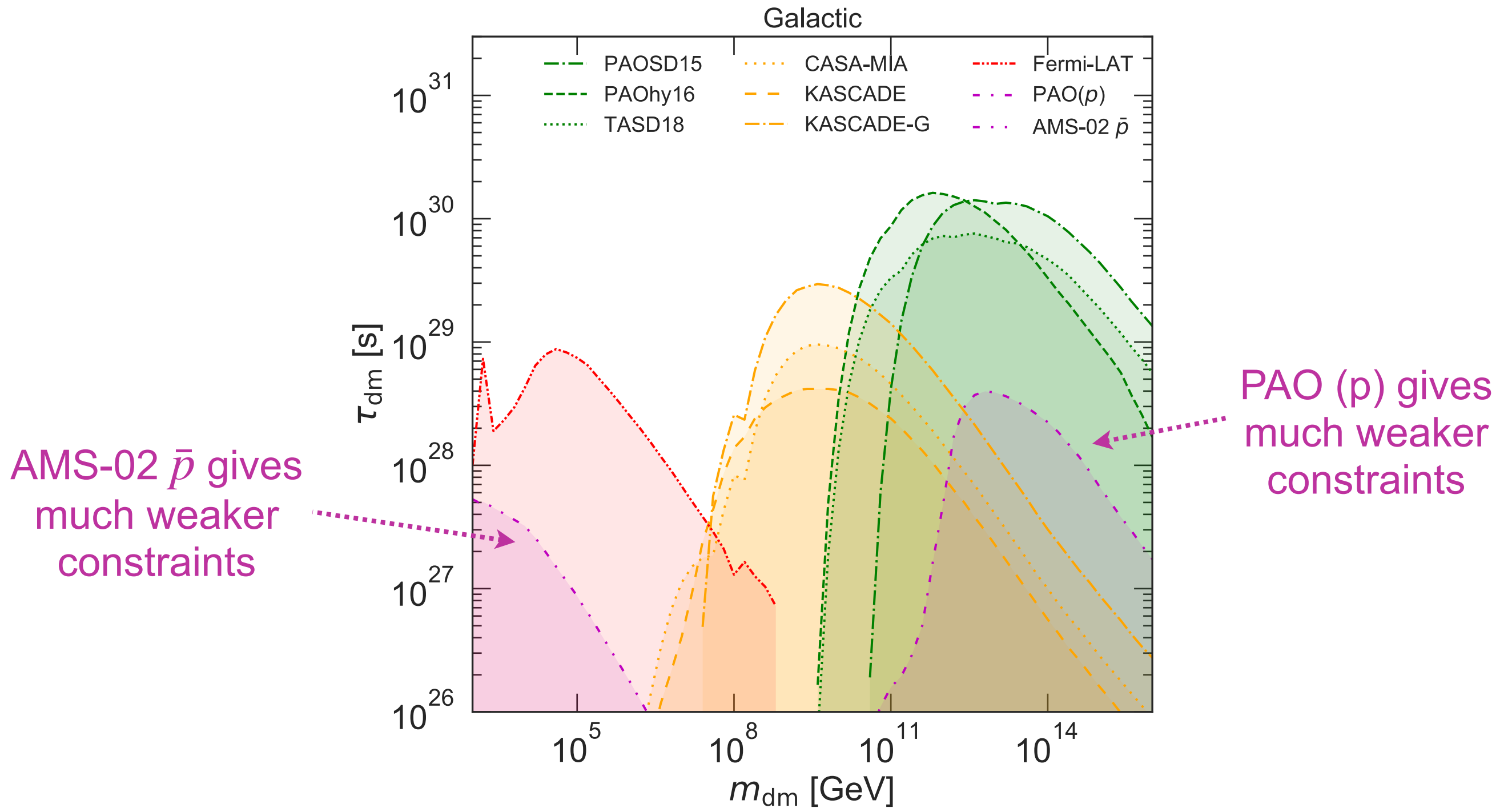
Fermi-LAT:  $m_{\text{dm}} \lesssim 10^6 \text{ GeV}$

KASCADE-Grande:  
 $10^8 \text{ GeV} \lesssim m_{\text{dm}} \lesssim 10^{10} \text{ GeV}$

All  $\gamma$  observations!

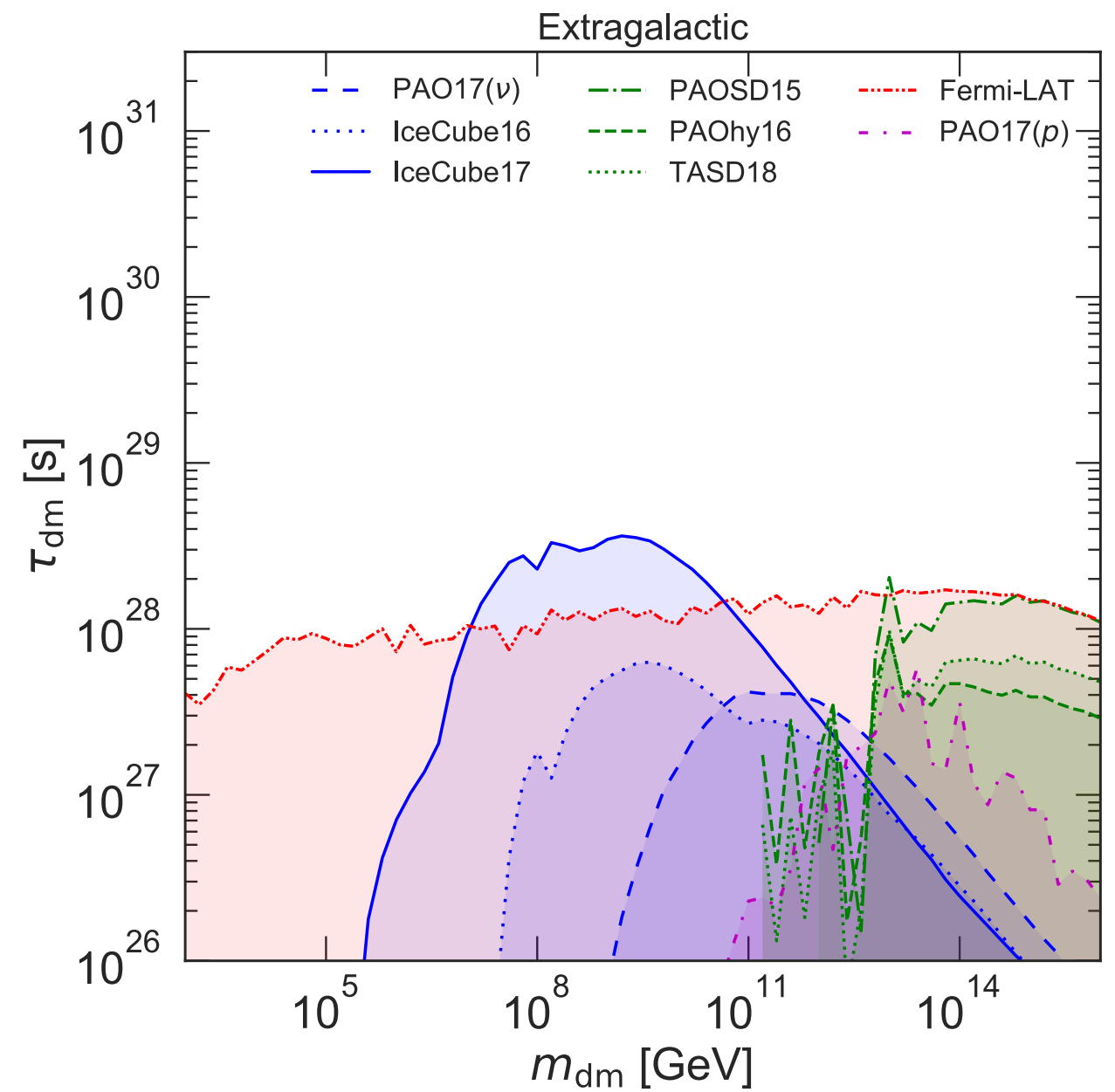
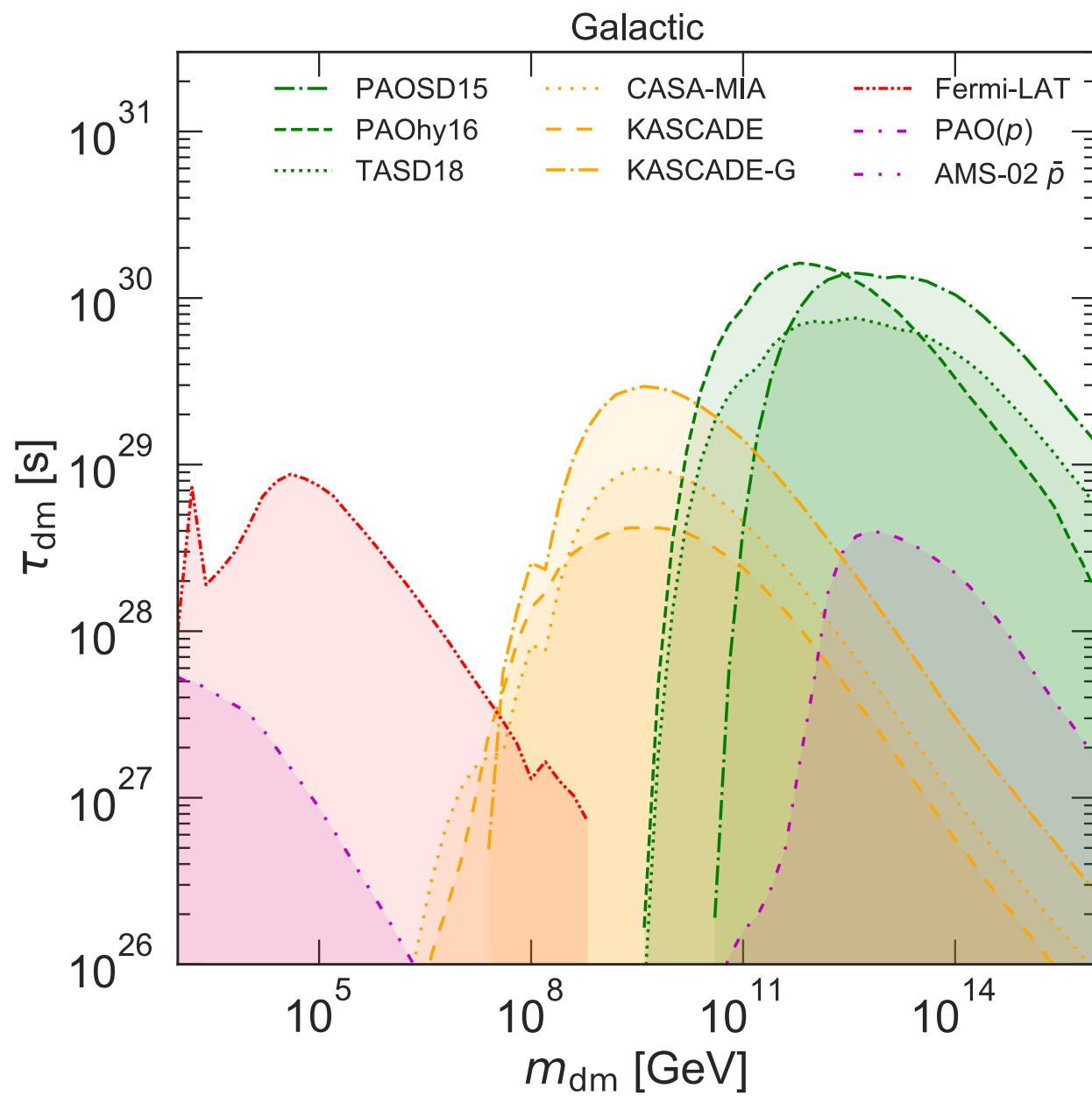


# Constraints on DM lifetime (Galactic)



# Constraints on DM lifetime

Ando, Arimoto, KI, Macias '02



Galactic  $\gamma$  & Extragalactic  $\nu$  give the most stringent constraints

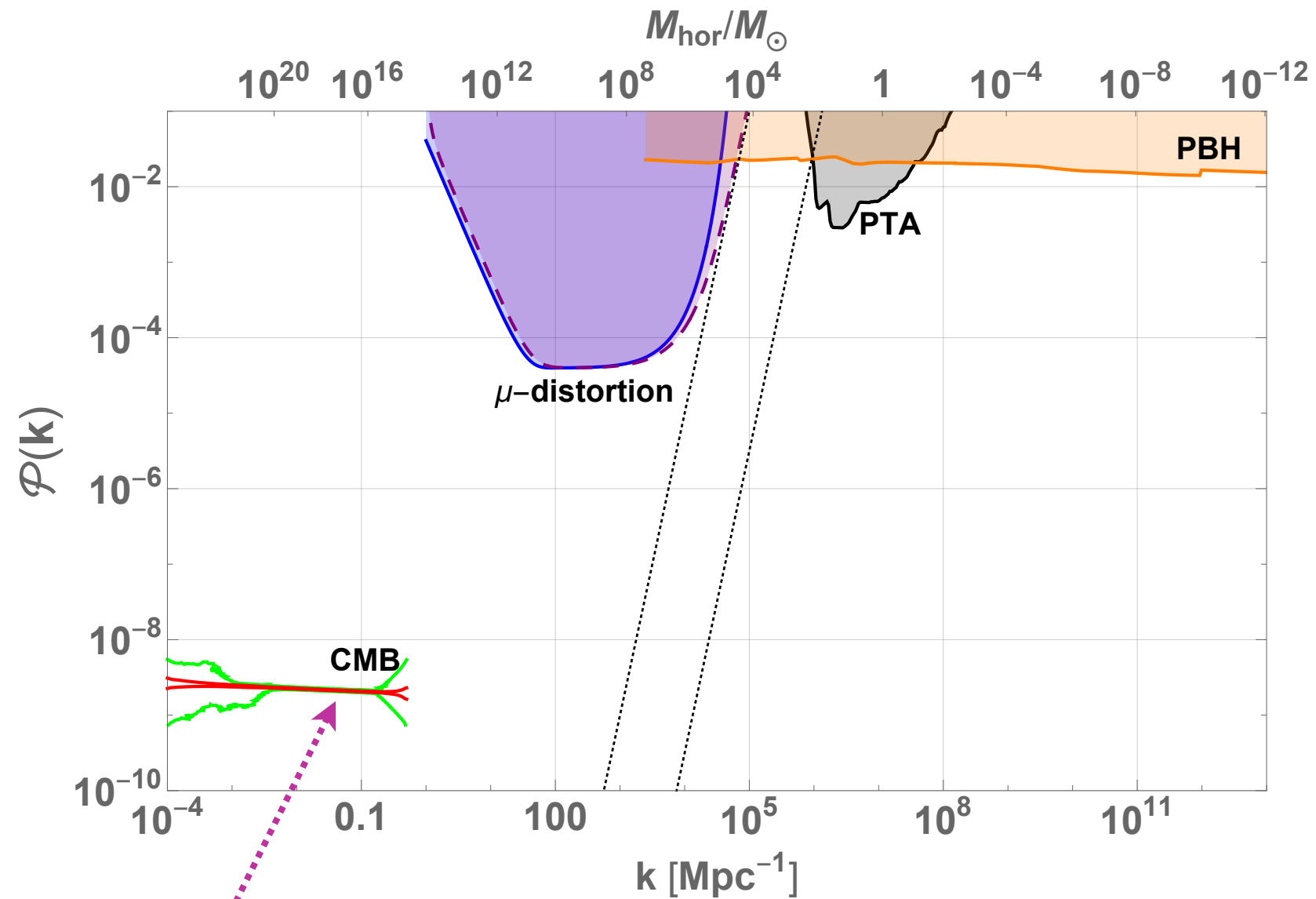


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# Constraints on primordial curvature power spectrum

Byrnes, Cole, Patil '19

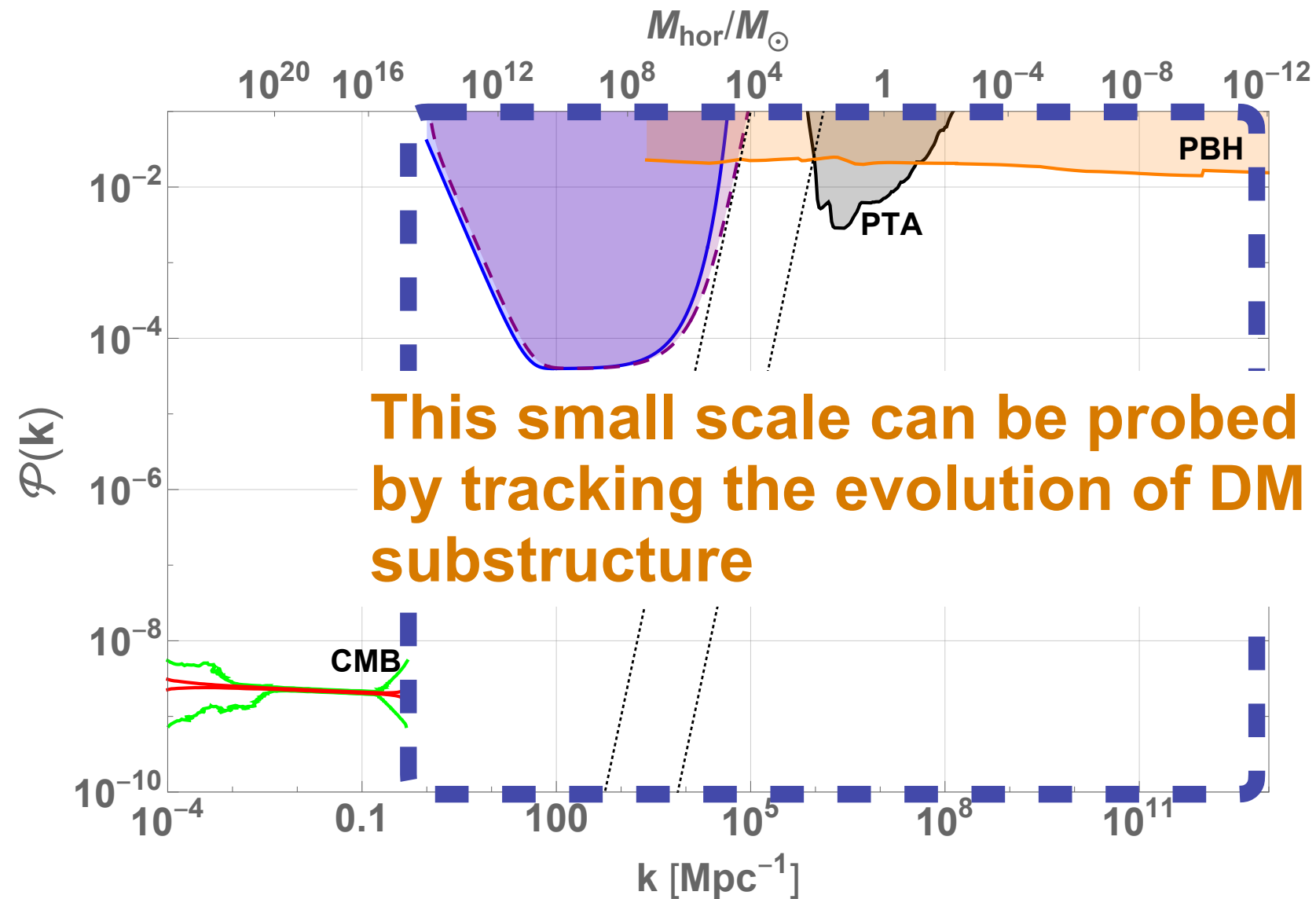


$$\mathcal{P}_R = (2.099 \pm 0.029) \times 10^{-9}$$

Planck '18

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## Evolution of halo/subhalos

Curvature perturbation



Host halos and subhalos



Subhalos accrete on a host halo



Subhalos or satellite galaxies

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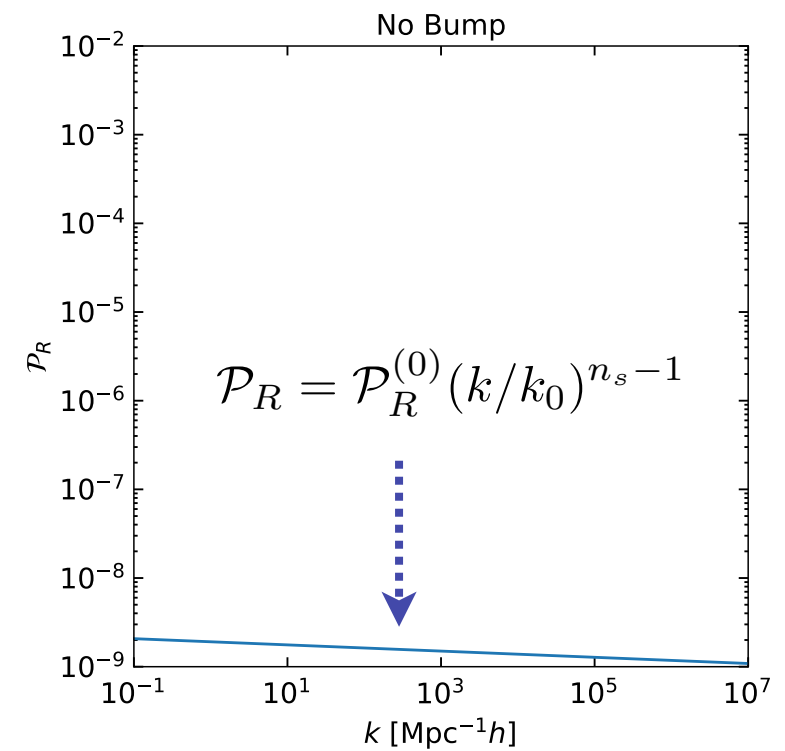
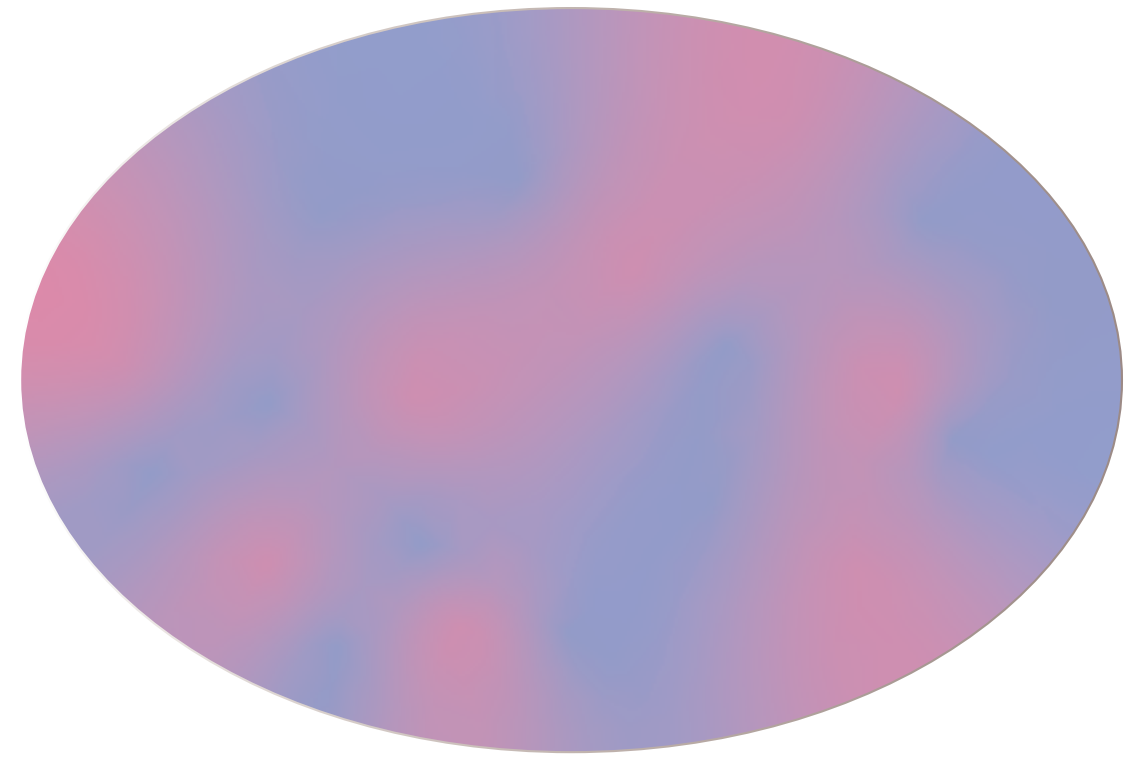
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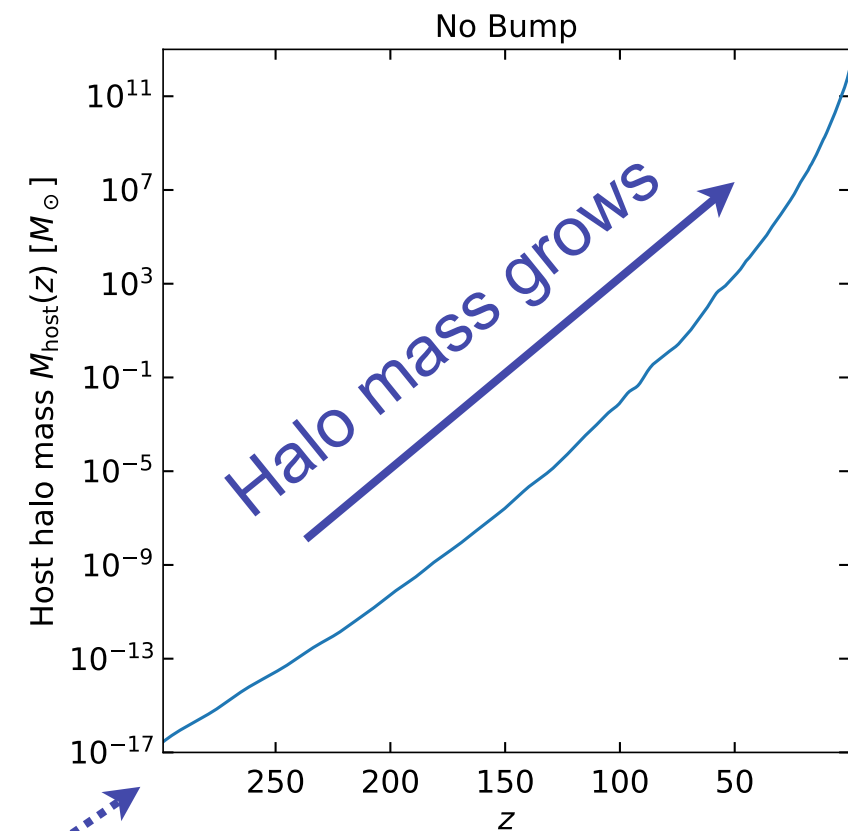
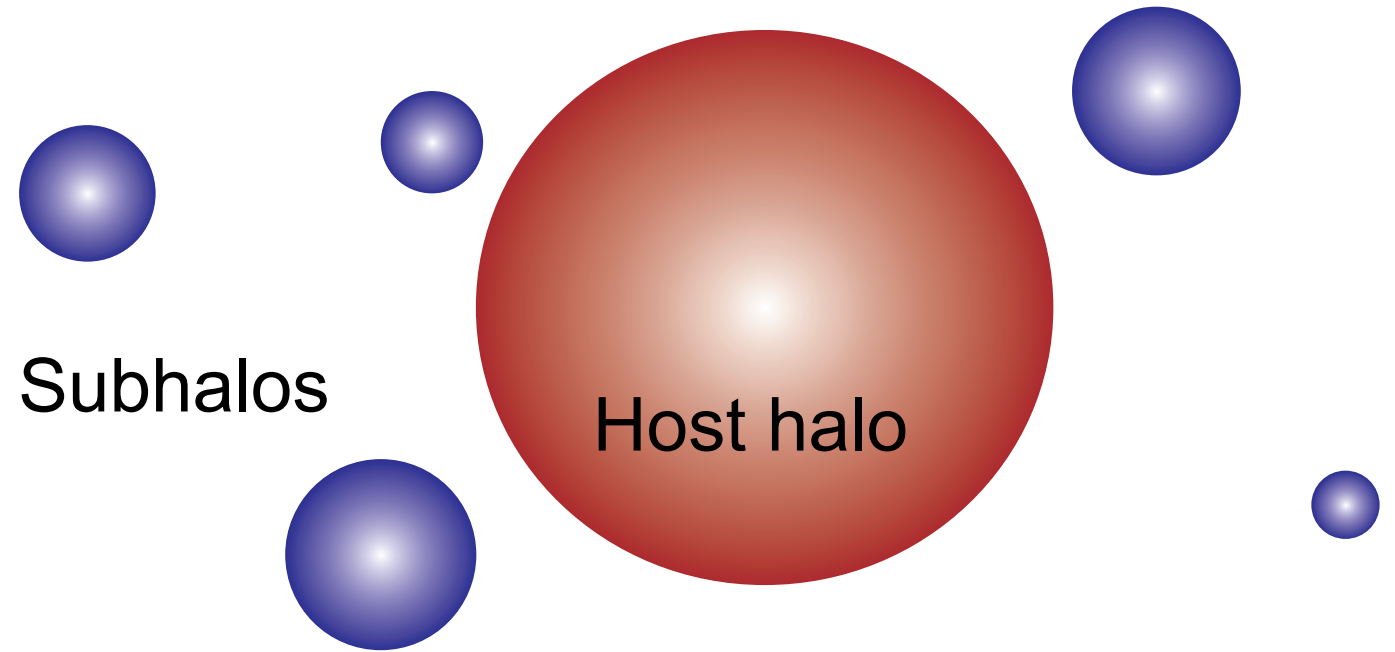
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Halo mass grows gradually based on the extended Press-Schechter formalism

Bond, Cole, Efstathiou, Kaiser '91

Bower '91

Lacy, Cole '93

Yang, Mo, Zhang, van den Bosch '11

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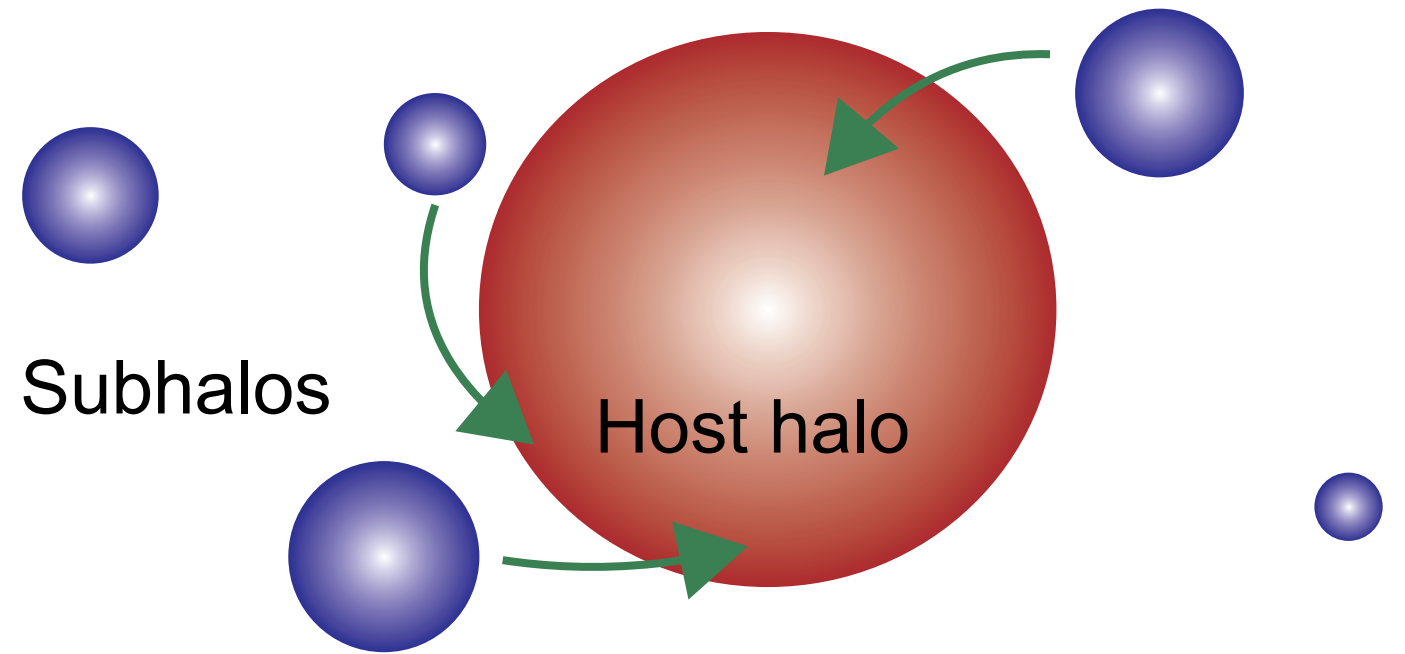
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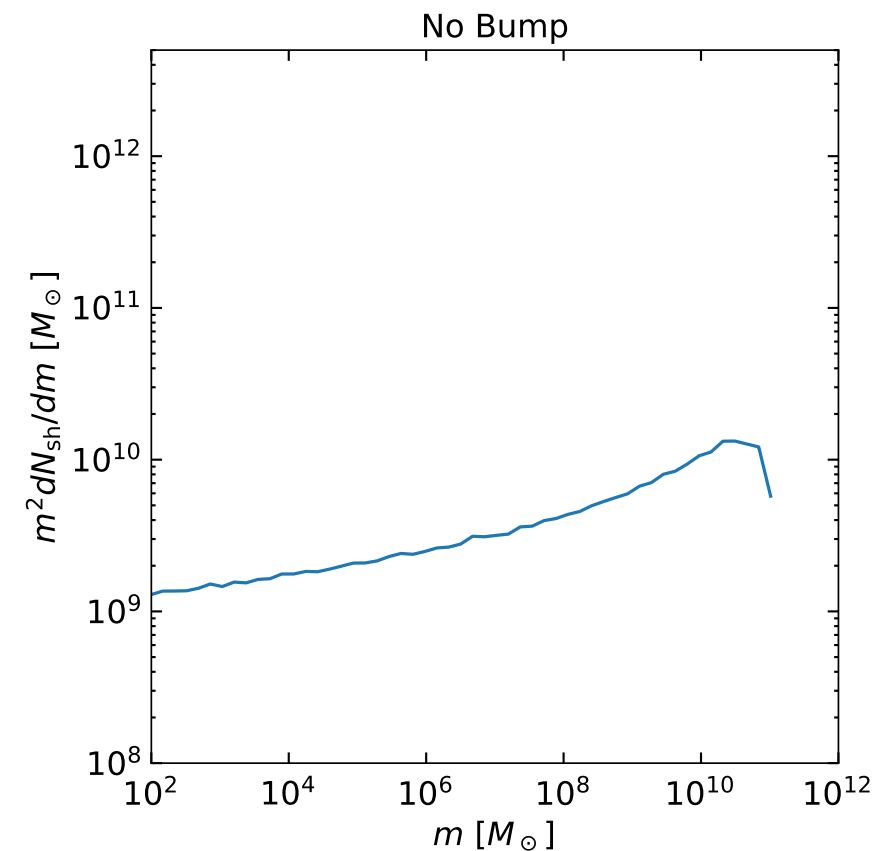
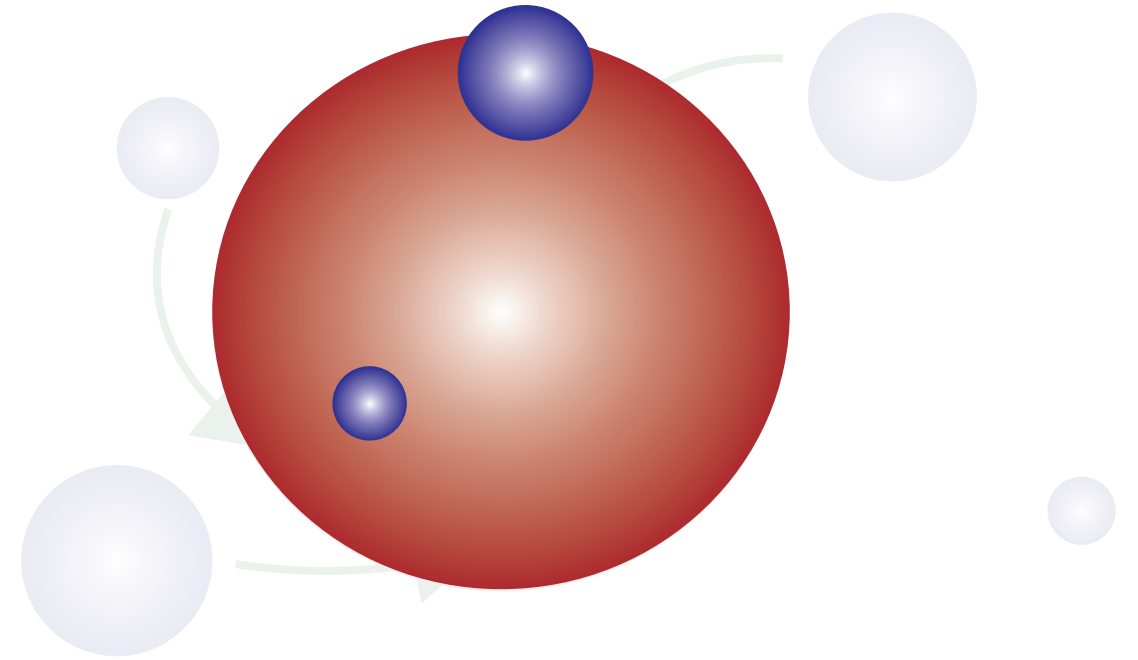


Tidal stripping

Subhalos or satellite galaxies

Studied in semi-analytical way  
calibrated by N-body simulation

Hiroshima, Ando, Ishiyama '18

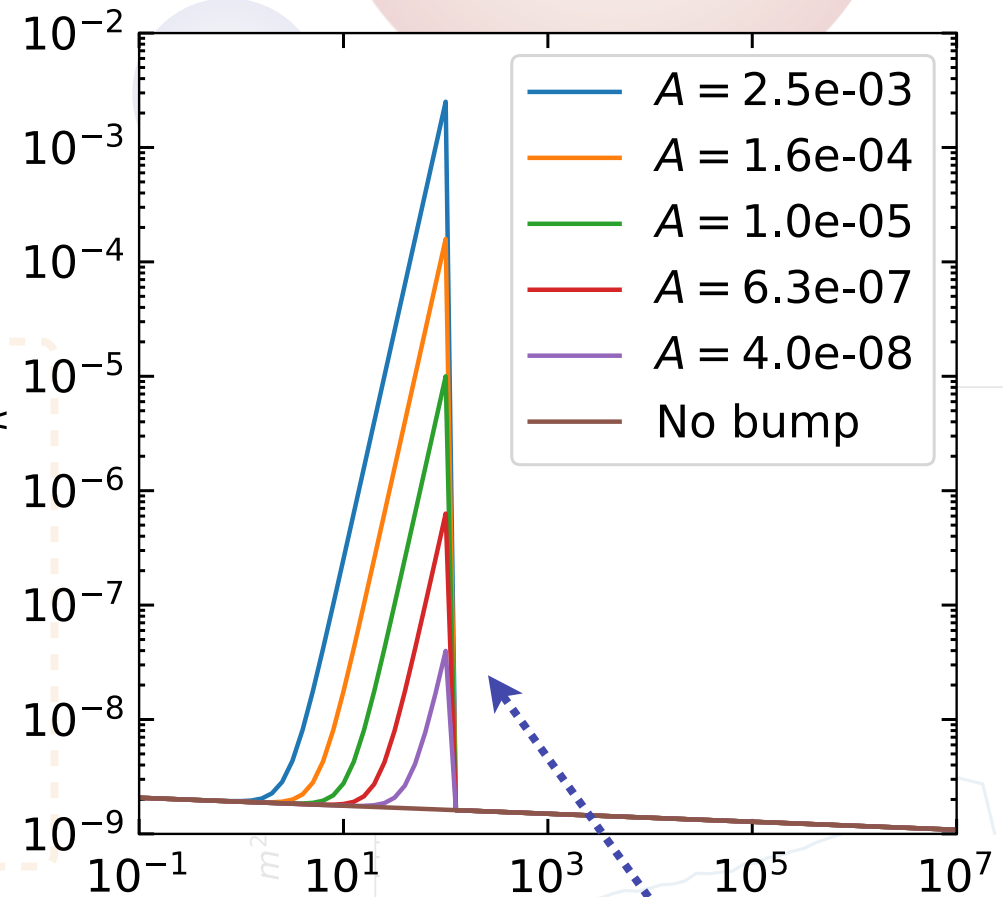
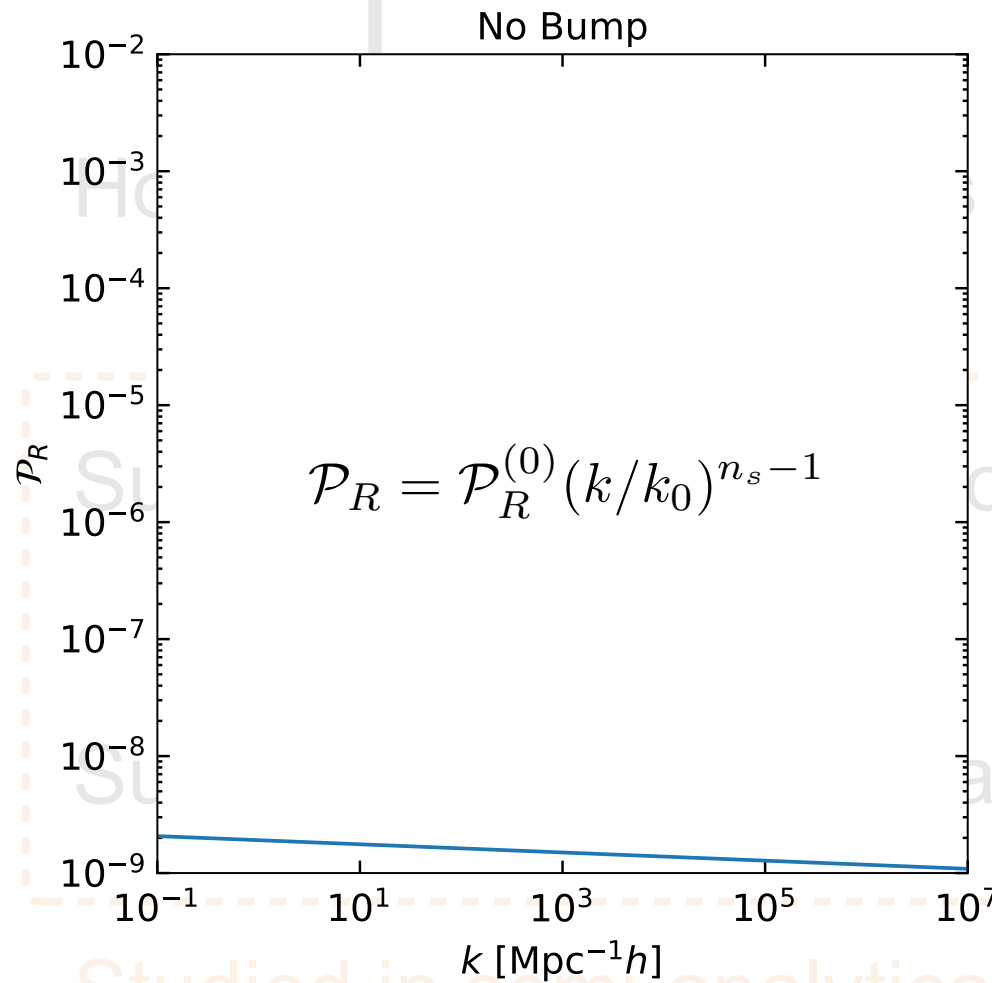


Mass distribution of subhalos



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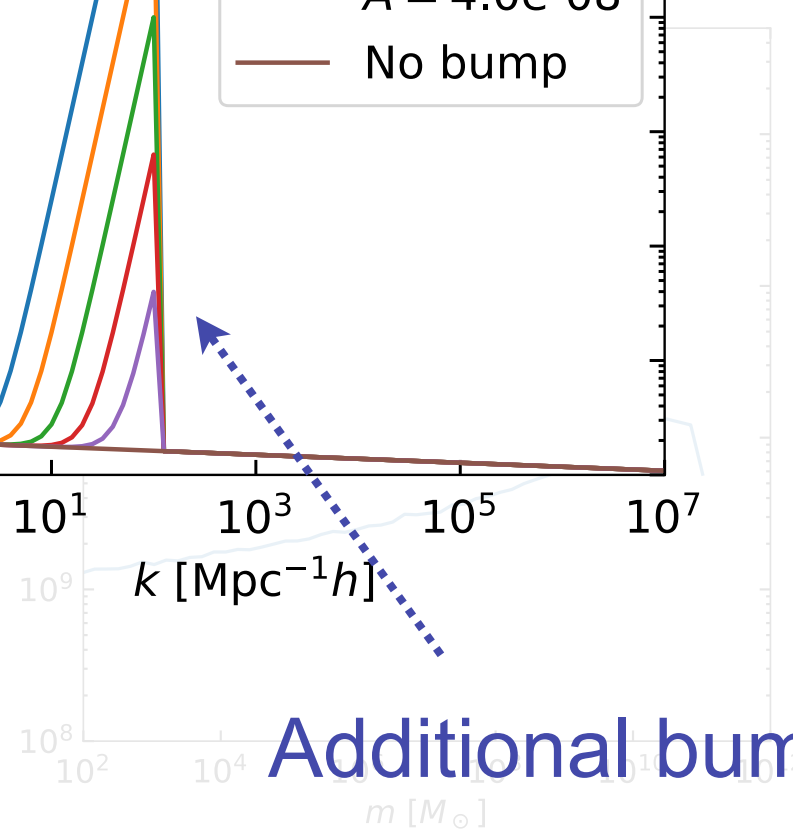
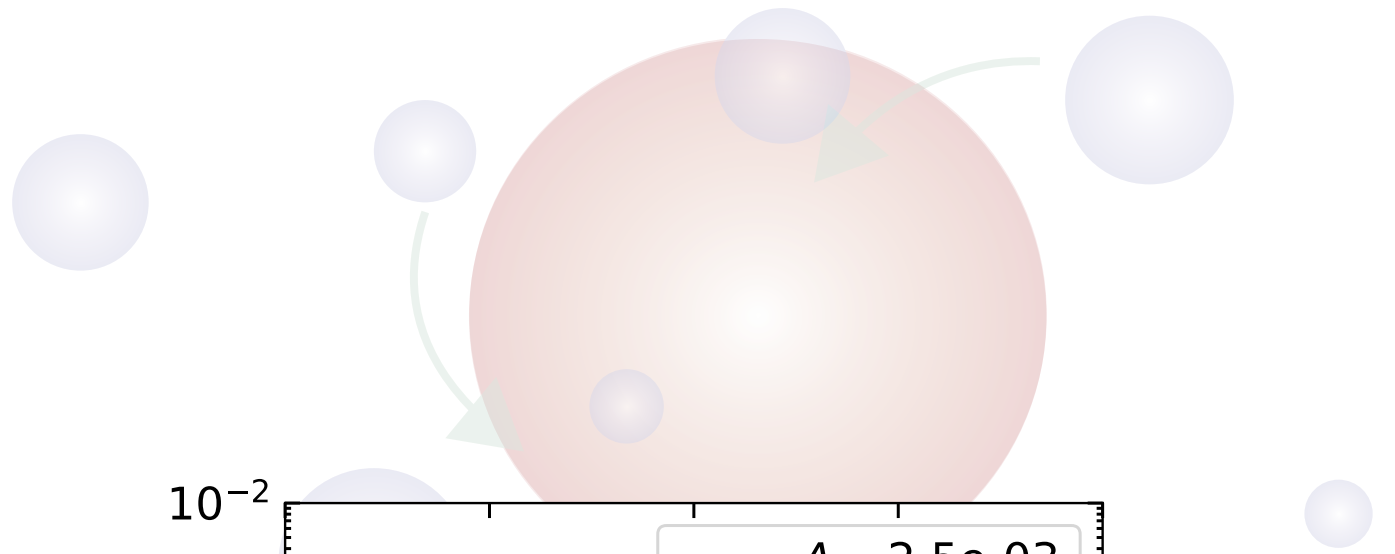
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What will happen?

Mass distribution of subhalos

Additional bump



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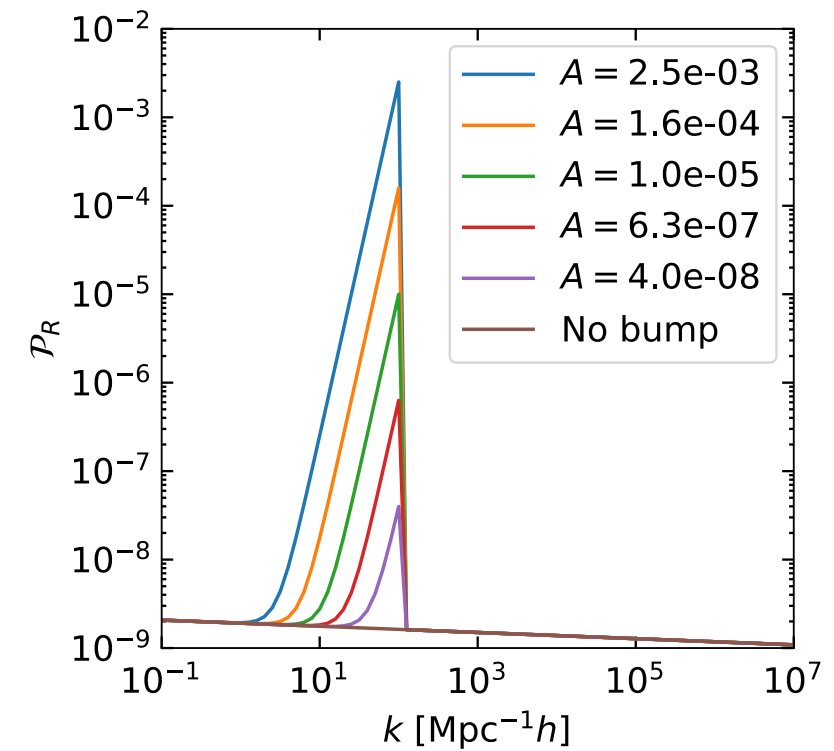
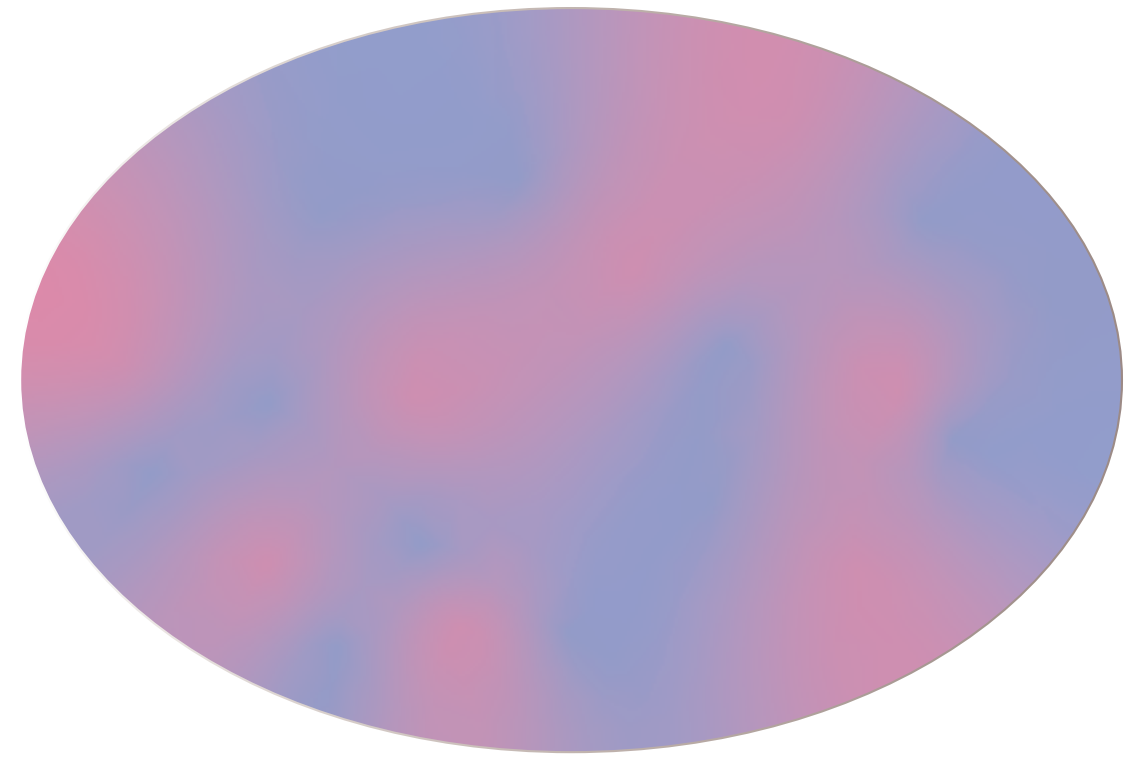
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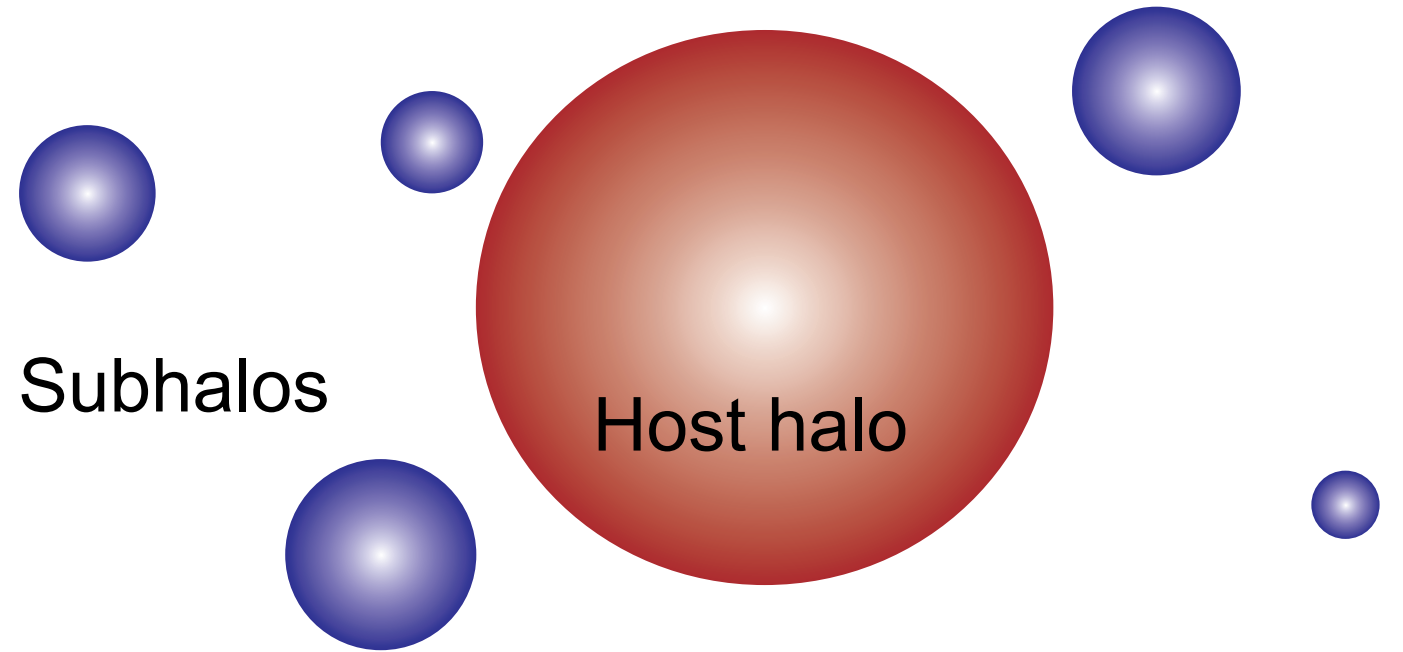


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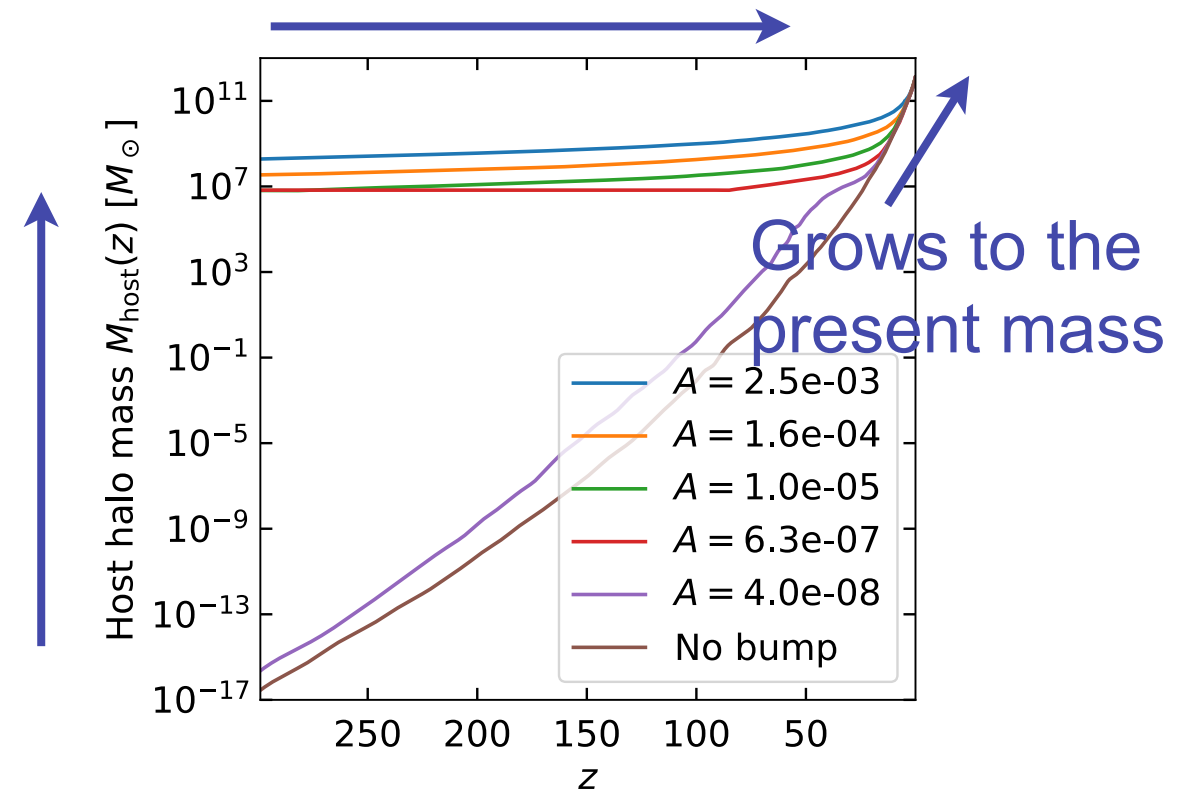


Halo grows to a specific scale *at once*

Subhalos or satellite galaxies



Merely grows for while



# Evolution of halo/subhalos

Curvature perturbation



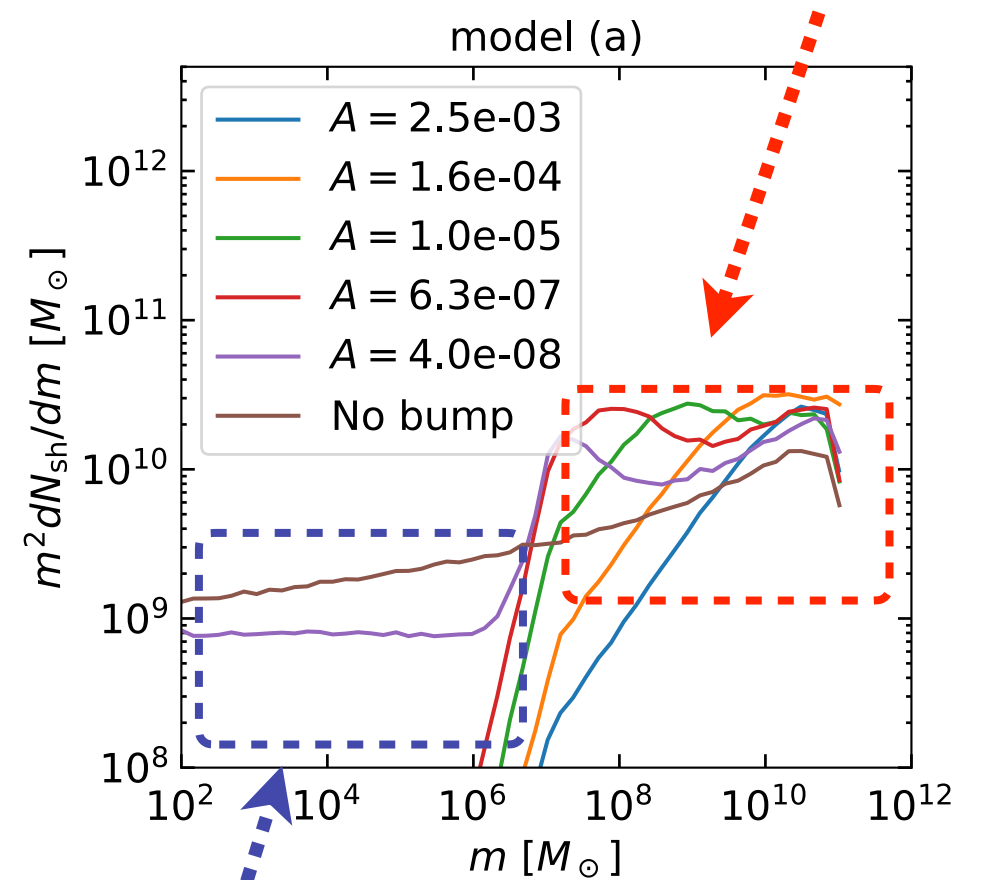
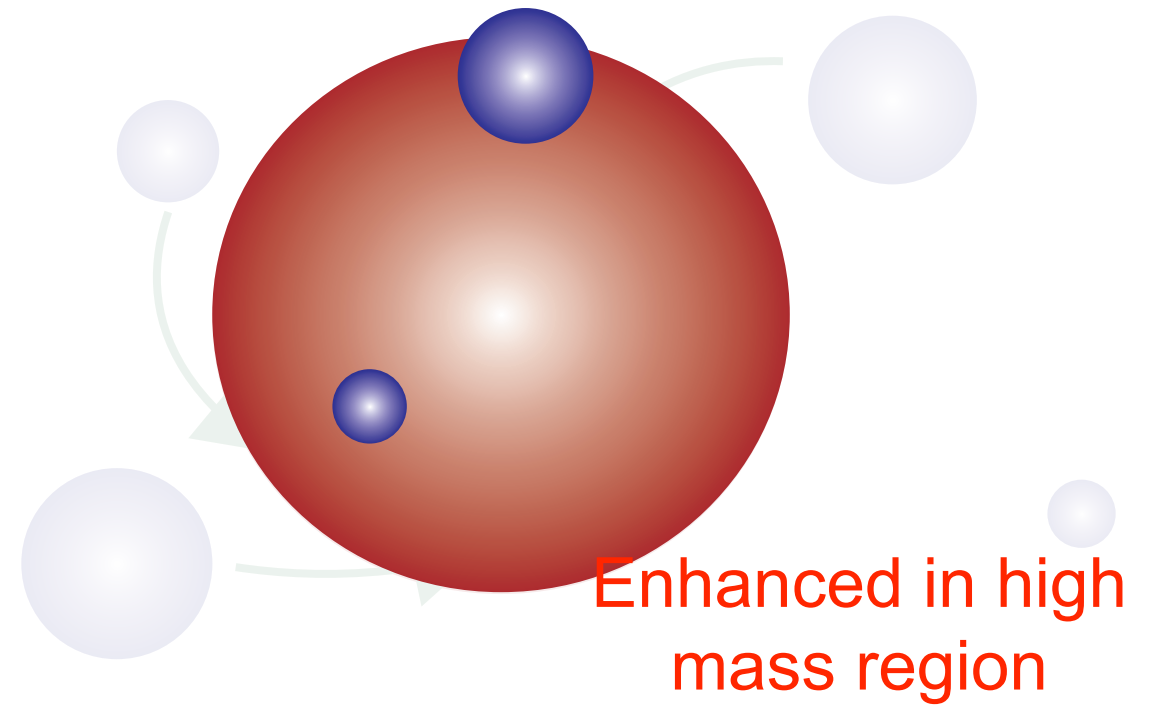
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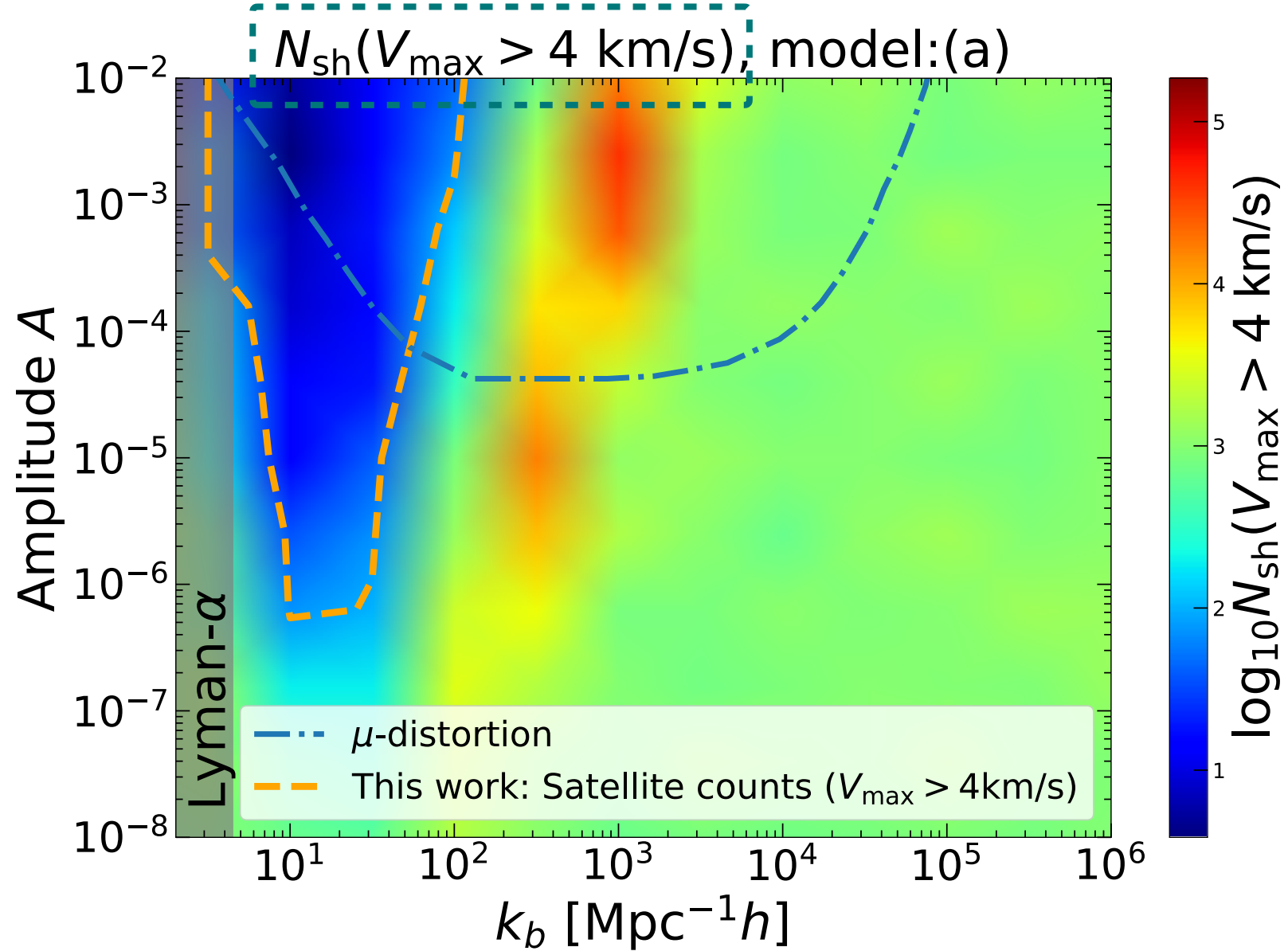
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Suppressed in low mass region

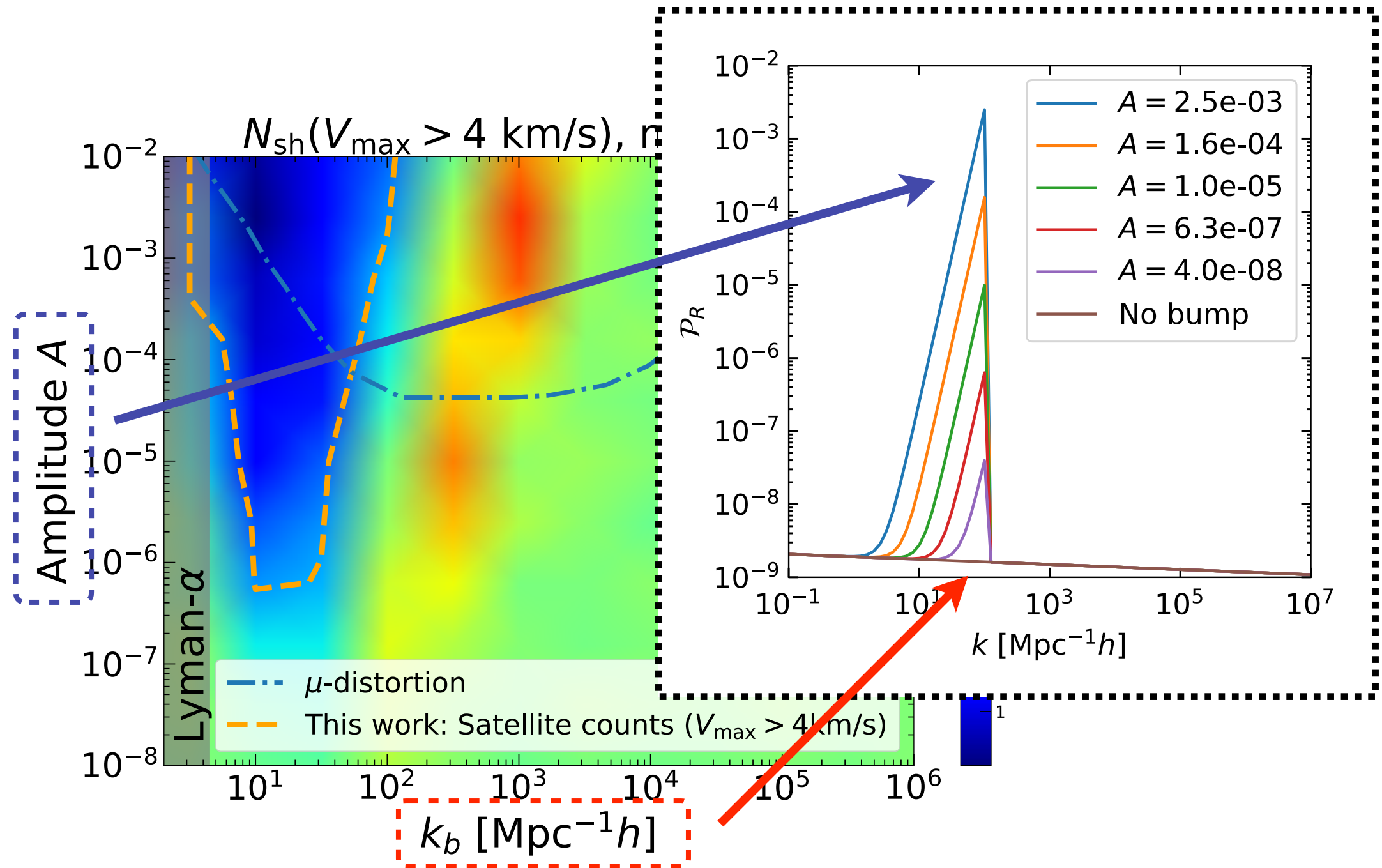
# The observable: satellite counts

Number of subhalos  
whose  $V_{\max} > 4 \text{ km/s}$



$V_{\max}$  : Maximum circular velocity  
of subhalos

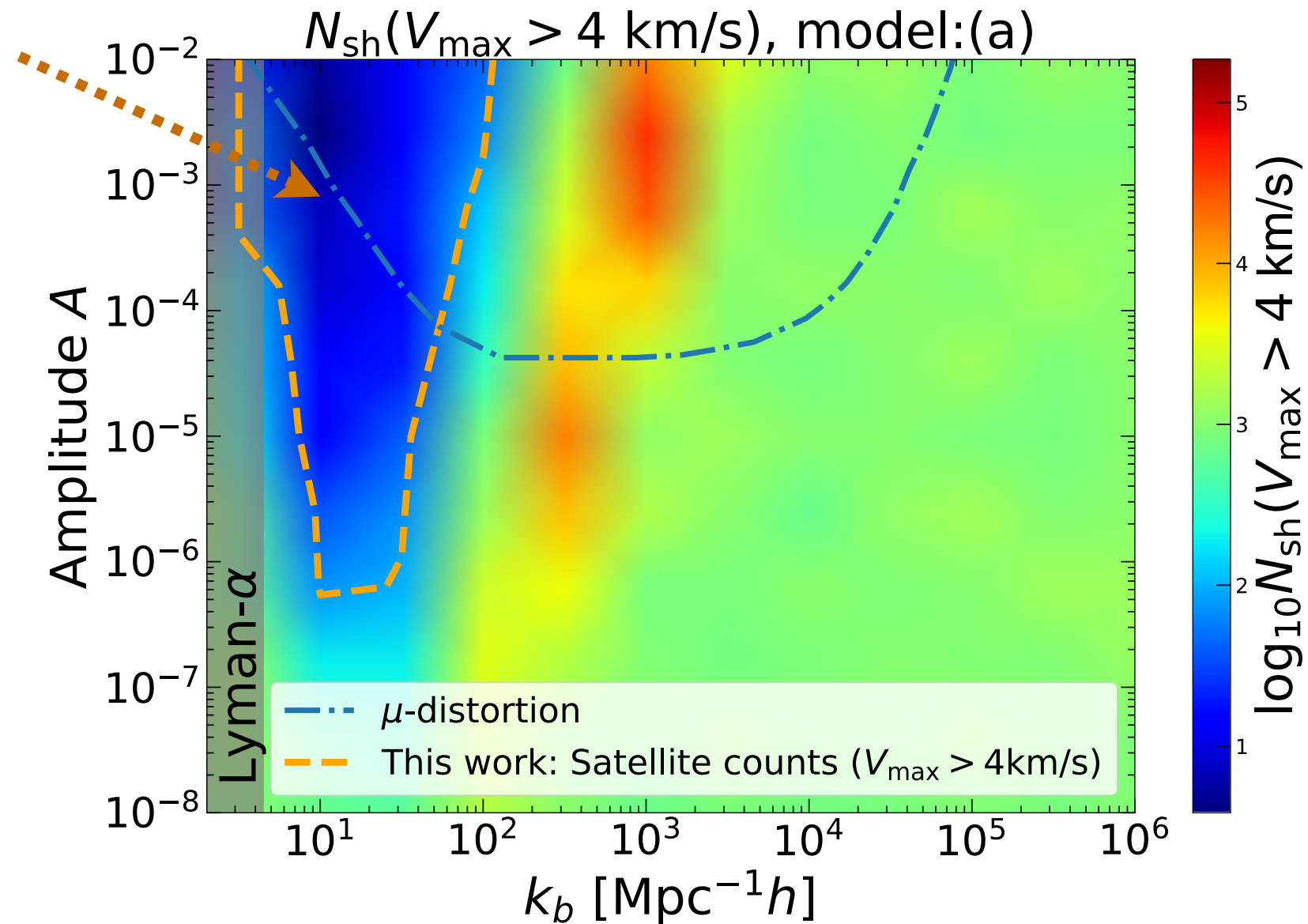
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**Excluded**

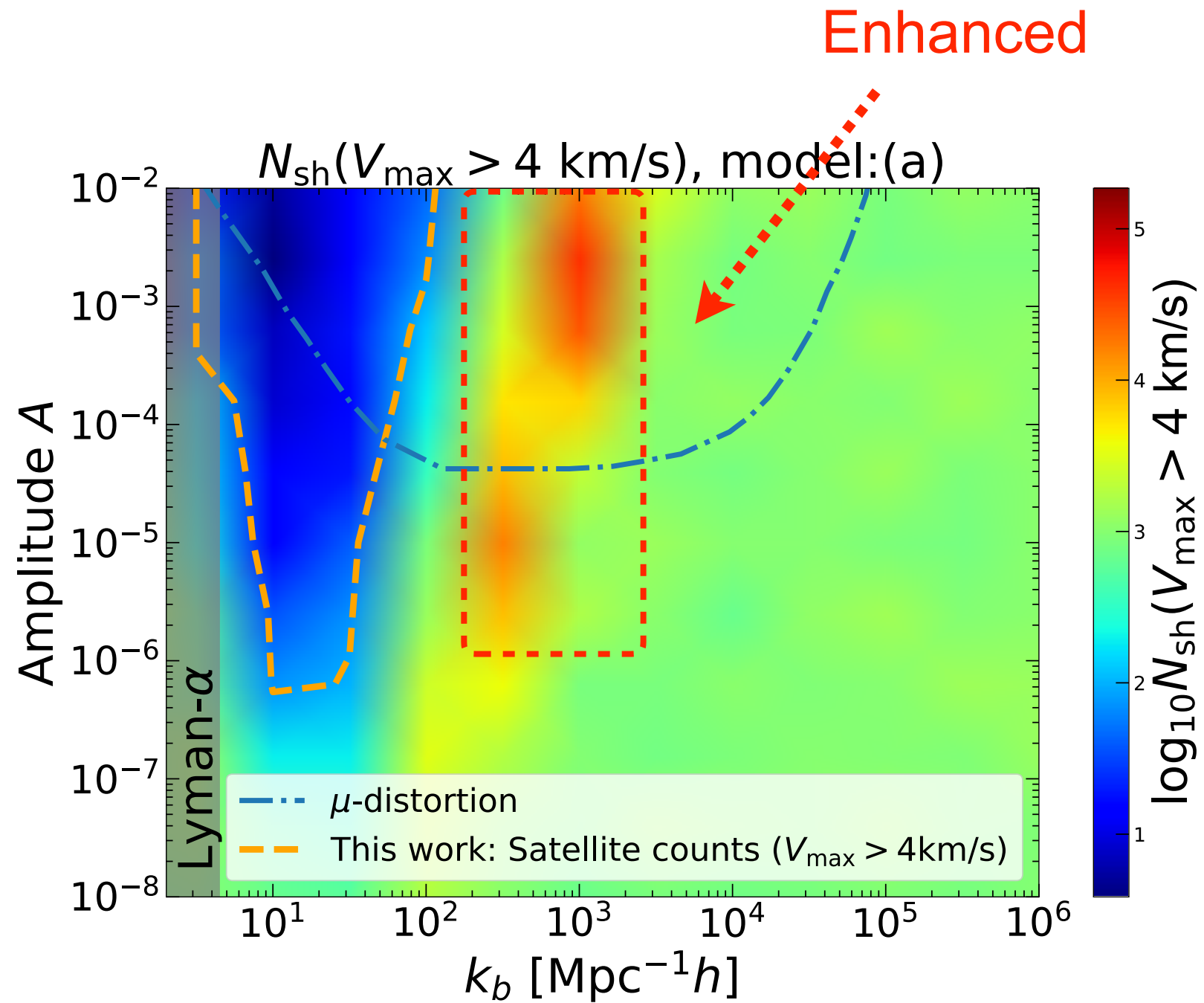


**Conservative limit**

$$N_{\text{dSph}}^{\text{low}}(V_{\text{max}} > 4 \text{ km/s}) = 94$$

Graus, Bullock, Kelley, Boylan-Kolchin, Garrison-Kimmel, Qi '19  
Dekker, Ando, Correa, Ng '21

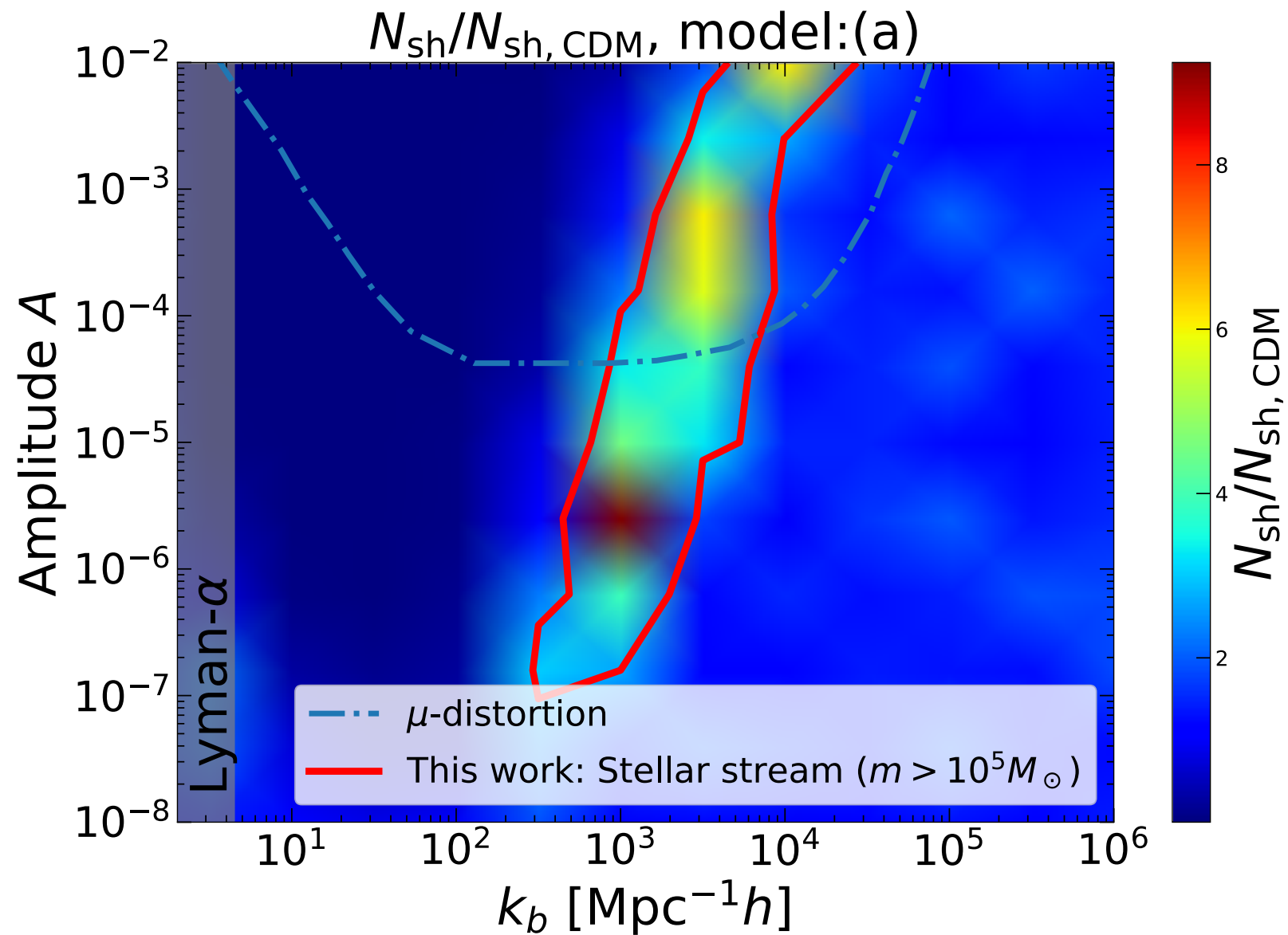
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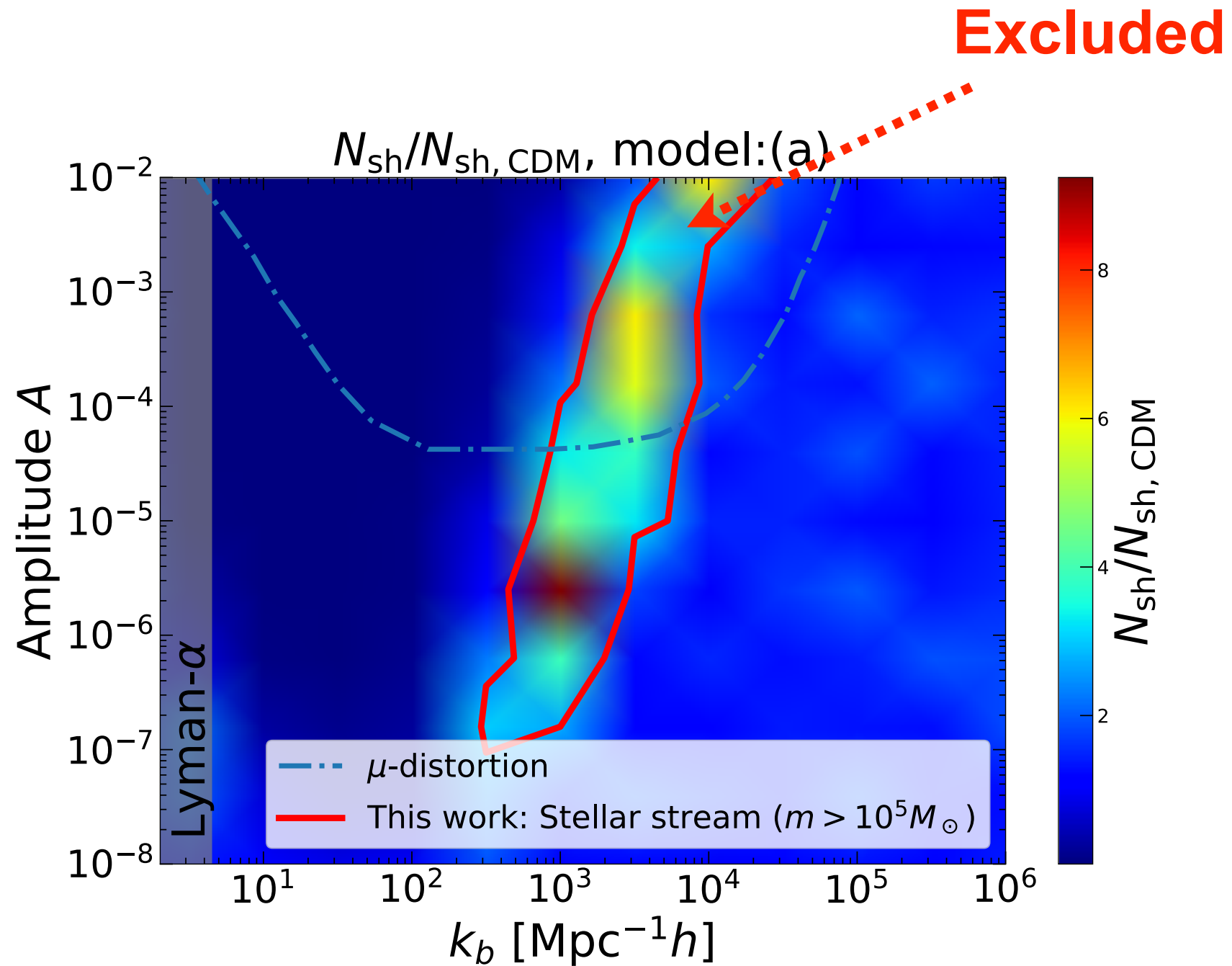


# The observable: stellar stream

$N_{\text{sh}}$  : Number of subhalos  
whose mass  $> 10^5 M_{\odot}$



# The observable: stellar stream



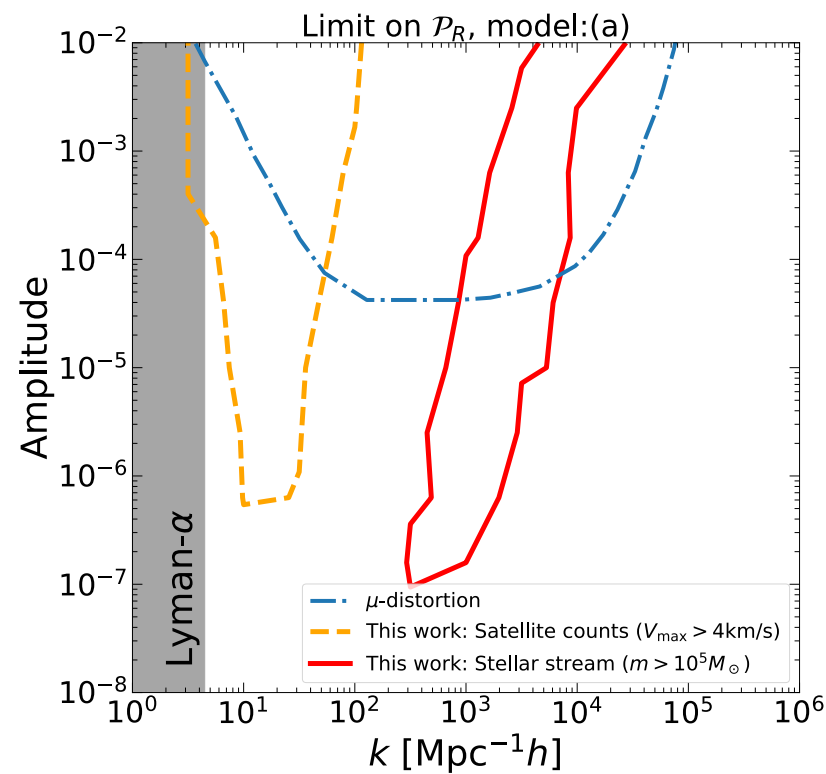
**Conservative limit**

$$N_{\text{sh}}/N_{\text{sh, CDM}} < 2.7 \text{ (95\% CL)}$$

Banik, Bovy, Bertone, Erkal, de Boer '21

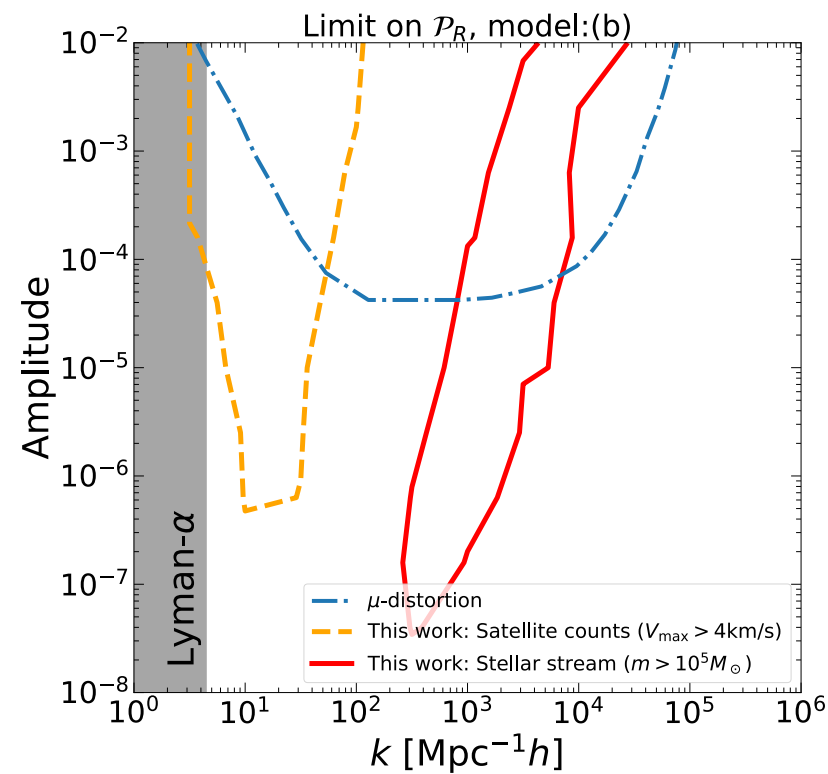
### Tidal stripping model

Jiang, van den Bosch '16

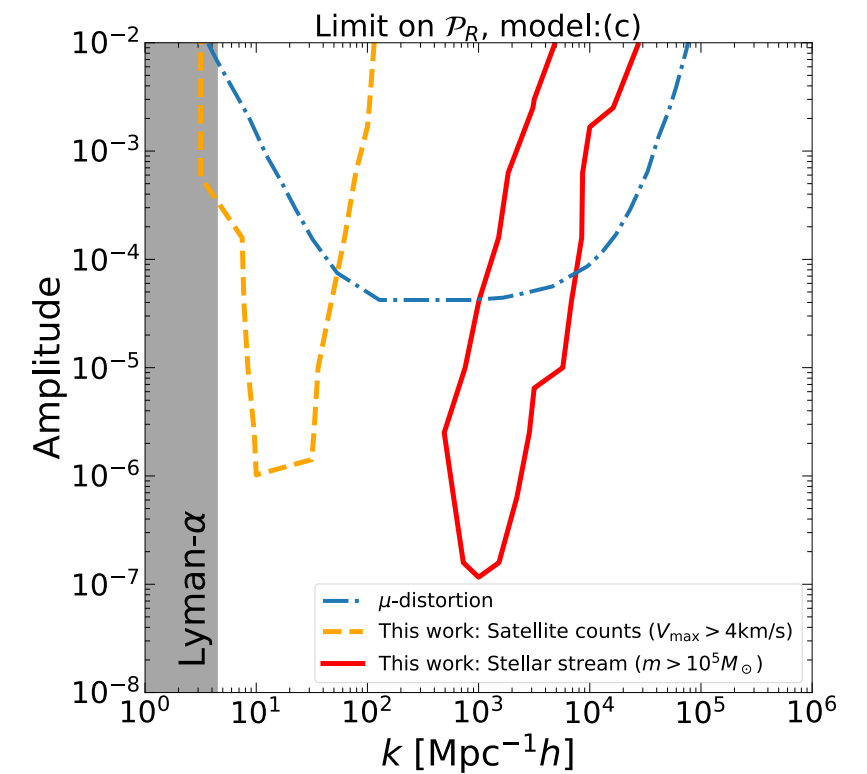


### Tidal stripping model

Hiroshima, Ando, Ishiyama '18



### No tidal stripping



**No tidal model dependence**

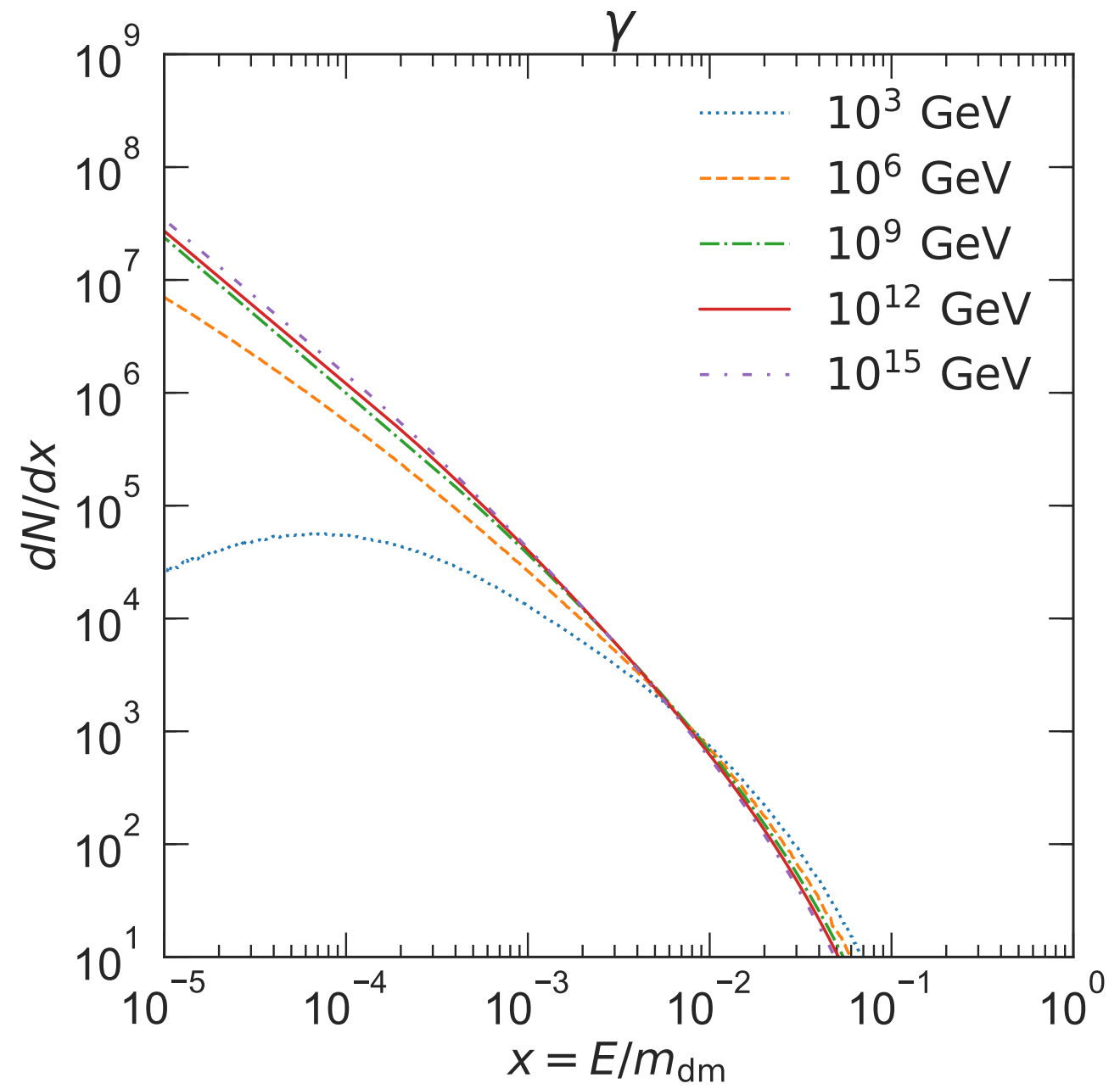
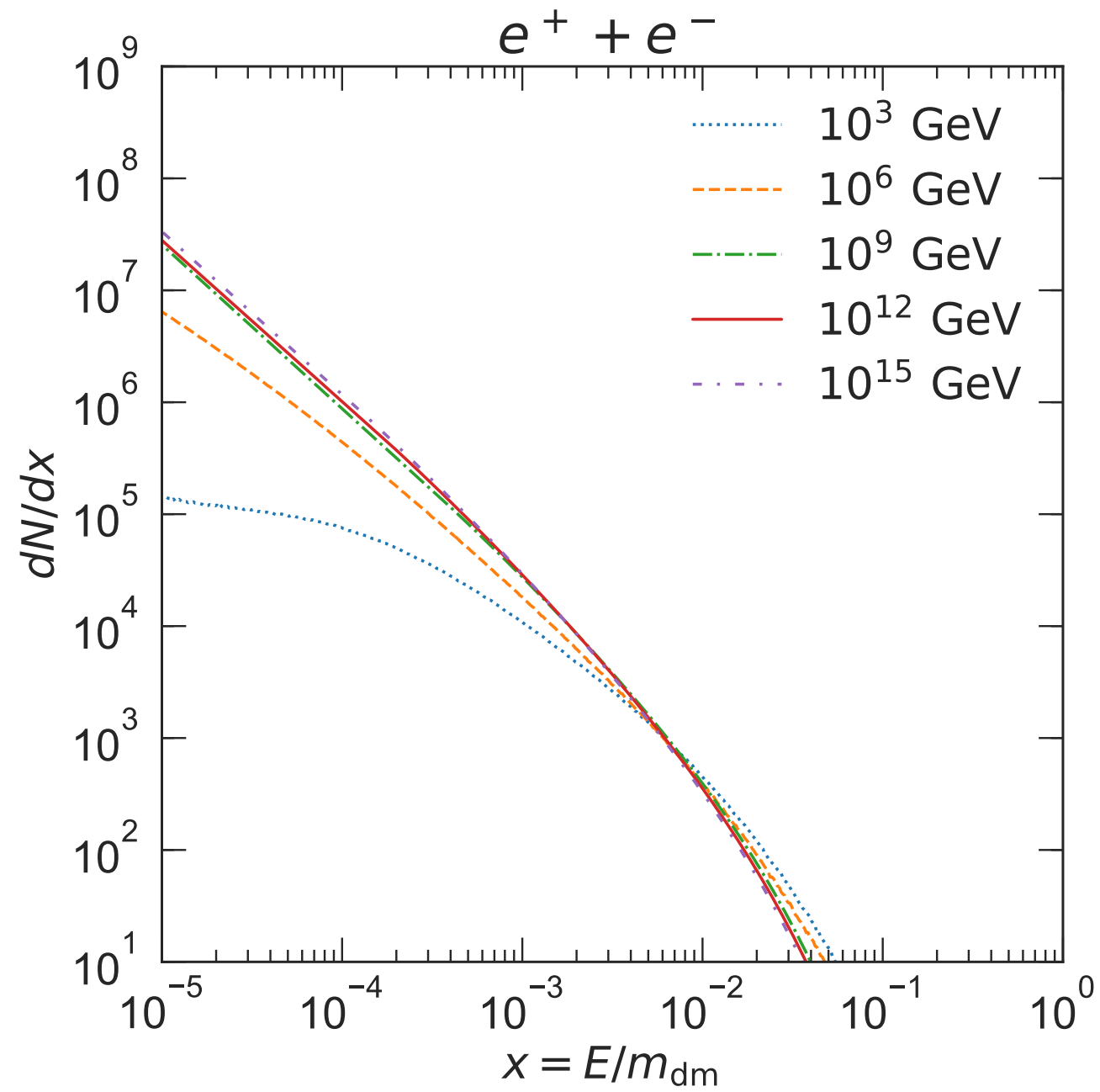
## **4. Conclusion**

We have discussed indirect searches on heavy DM decay and primordial curvature perturbation

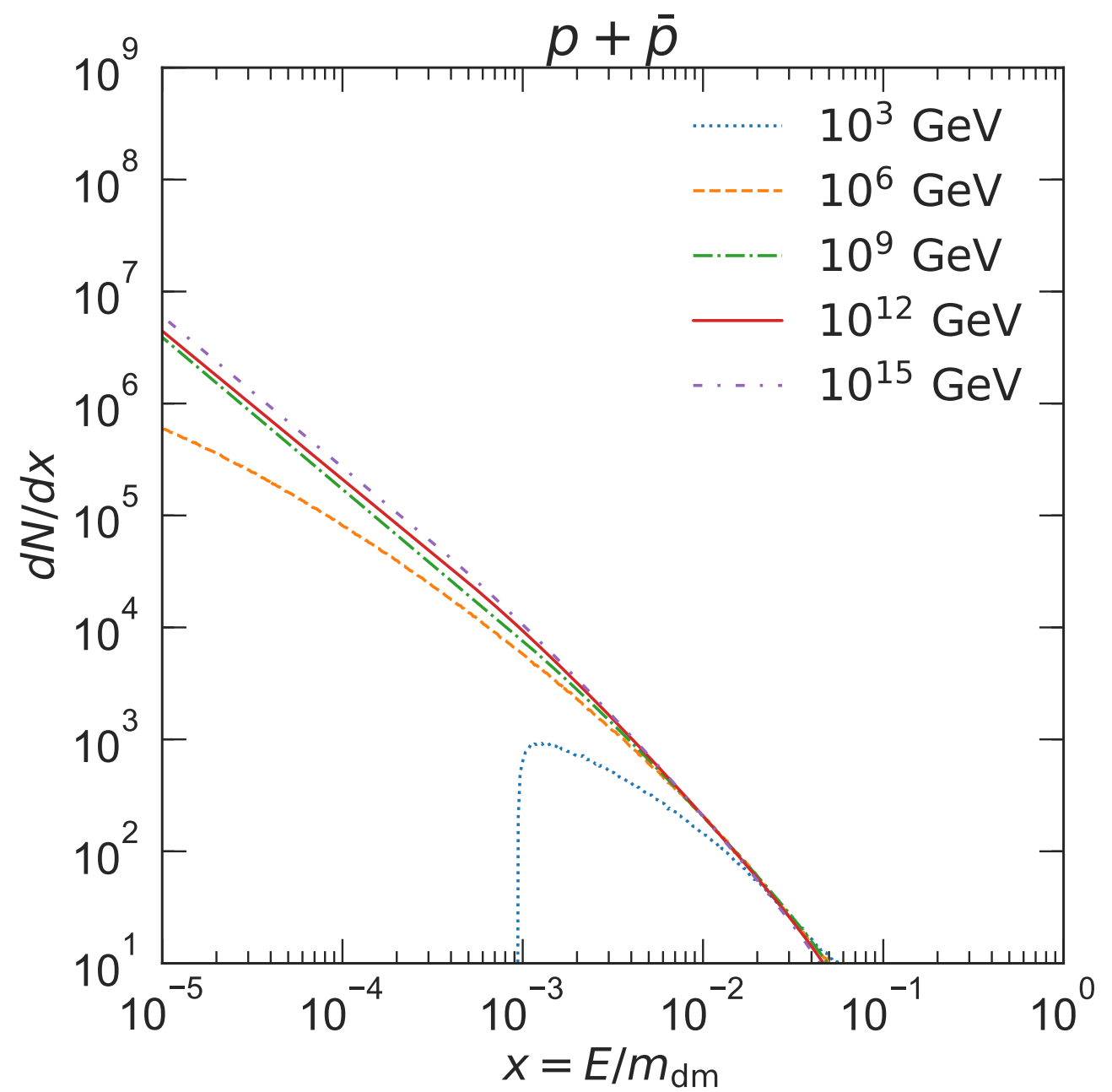
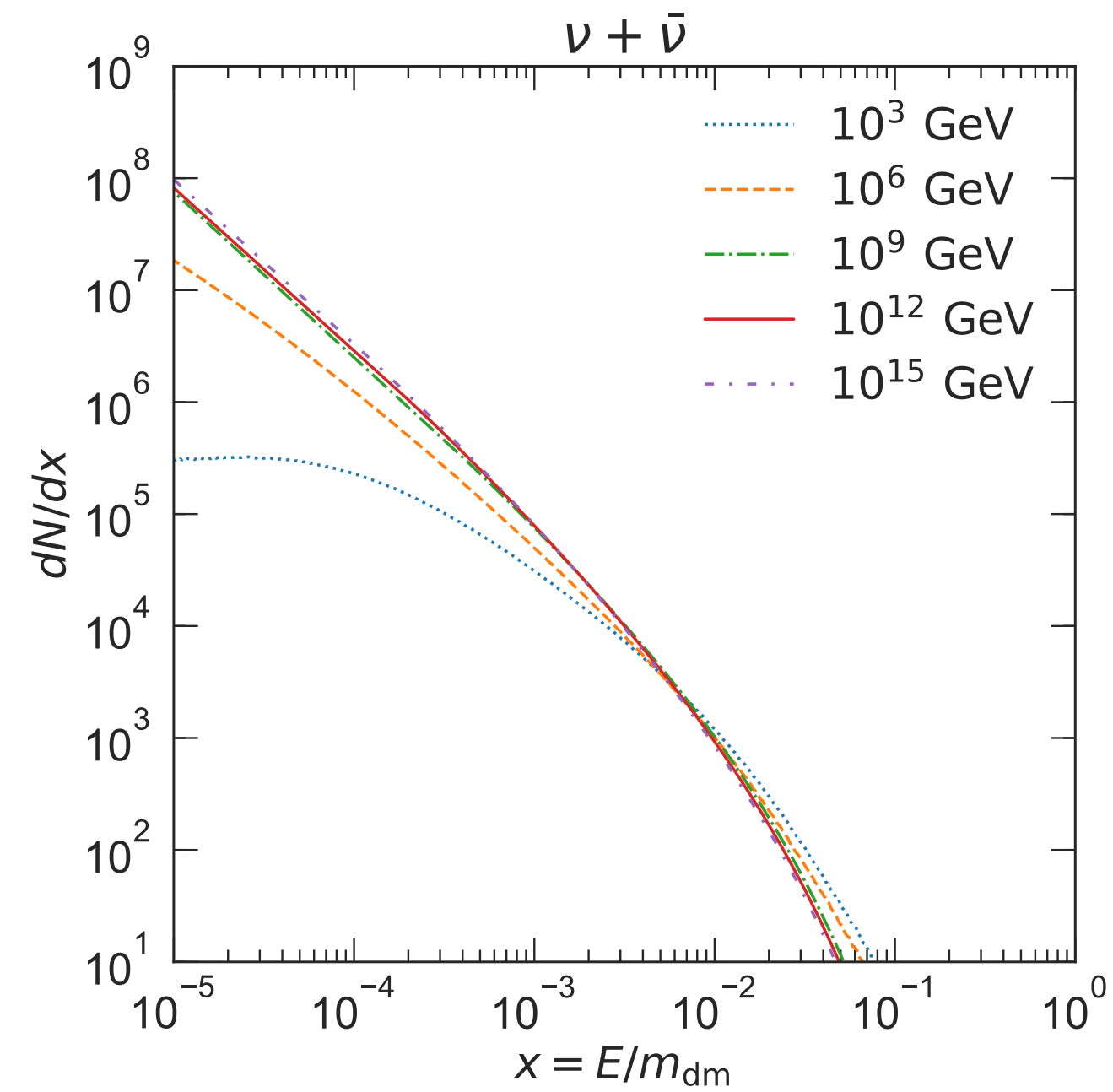
- Multimessenger astrophysical data, especially  $\gamma$  and  $\nu$  data, is powerful tool to constrain heavy DM decay
- Tracking the evolution of DM substructure is a new technique to probe the primordial curvature perturbation

# Backups

# Energy distributions:



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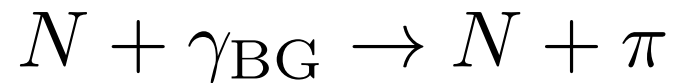




# Propagation of CR nuclei

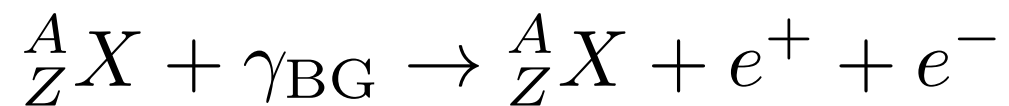
Main process of Greisen-Zatsepin-Kuzmin (GZK) effect

- Photo-pion production



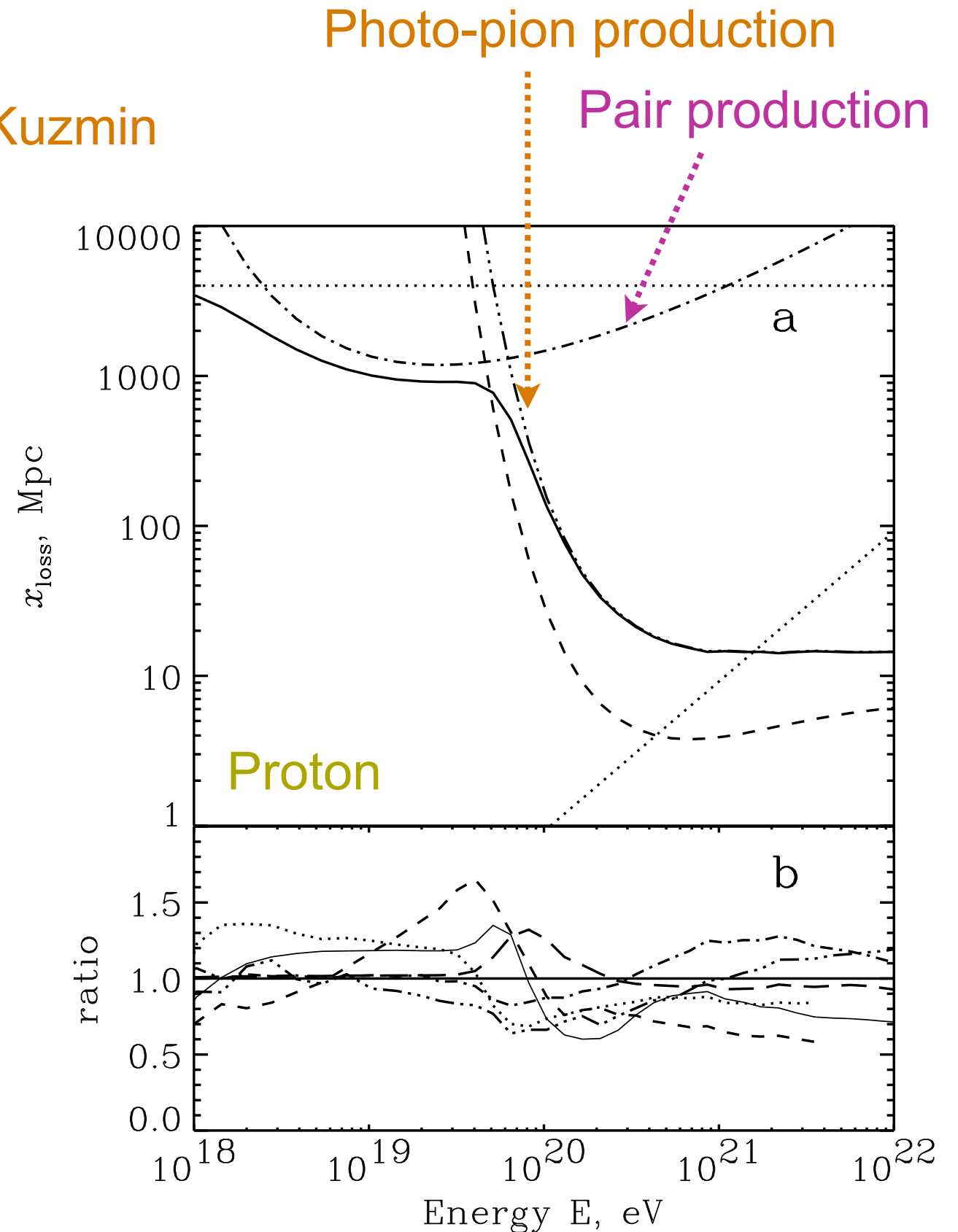
$$E_{\text{th}} \sim 6.8 \times 10^{10} (\text{meV}/E_{\gamma_{\text{BG}}}) \text{ GeV}$$

- Pair production (Bethe-Heitler)



$$E_{\text{th}} \sim 4.8 \times 10^8 (\text{meV}/E_{\gamma_{\text{BG}}}) \text{ GeV}$$

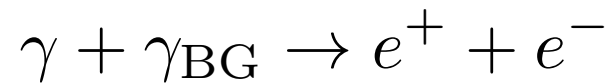
$$x_{\text{loss}}(E) = \frac{E}{dE/dx}$$



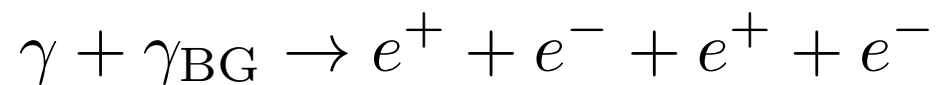
# Propagation of CR EM particles

Heiter, Kuempel, Walz, Erdmann '17

- Pair production (PP)

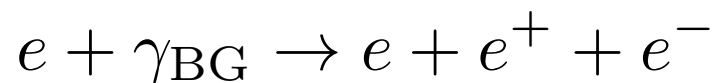


- Double pair production (DPP)

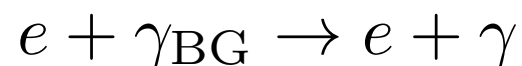


PP in the CMB is dominant  
( $10^5 \text{ GeV} \lesssim E_\gamma \lesssim 10^{10} \text{ GeV}$ )

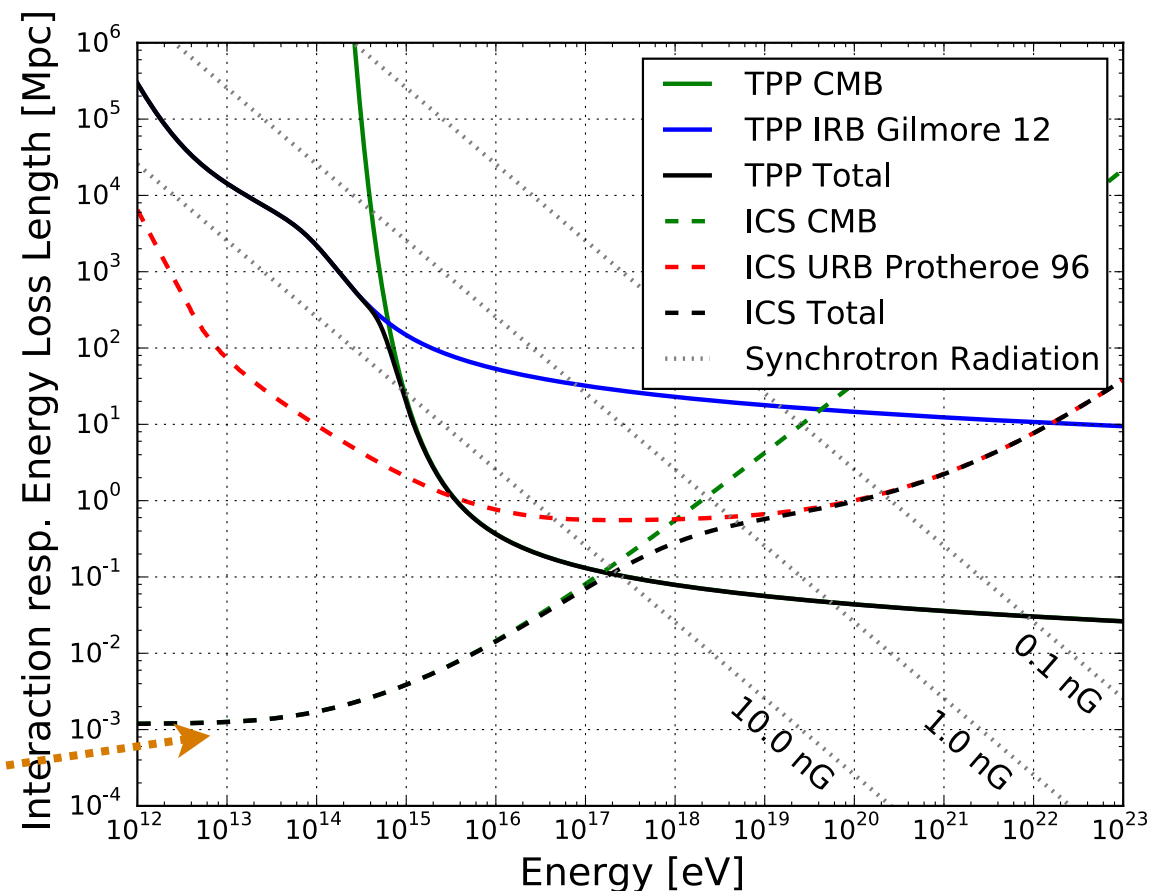
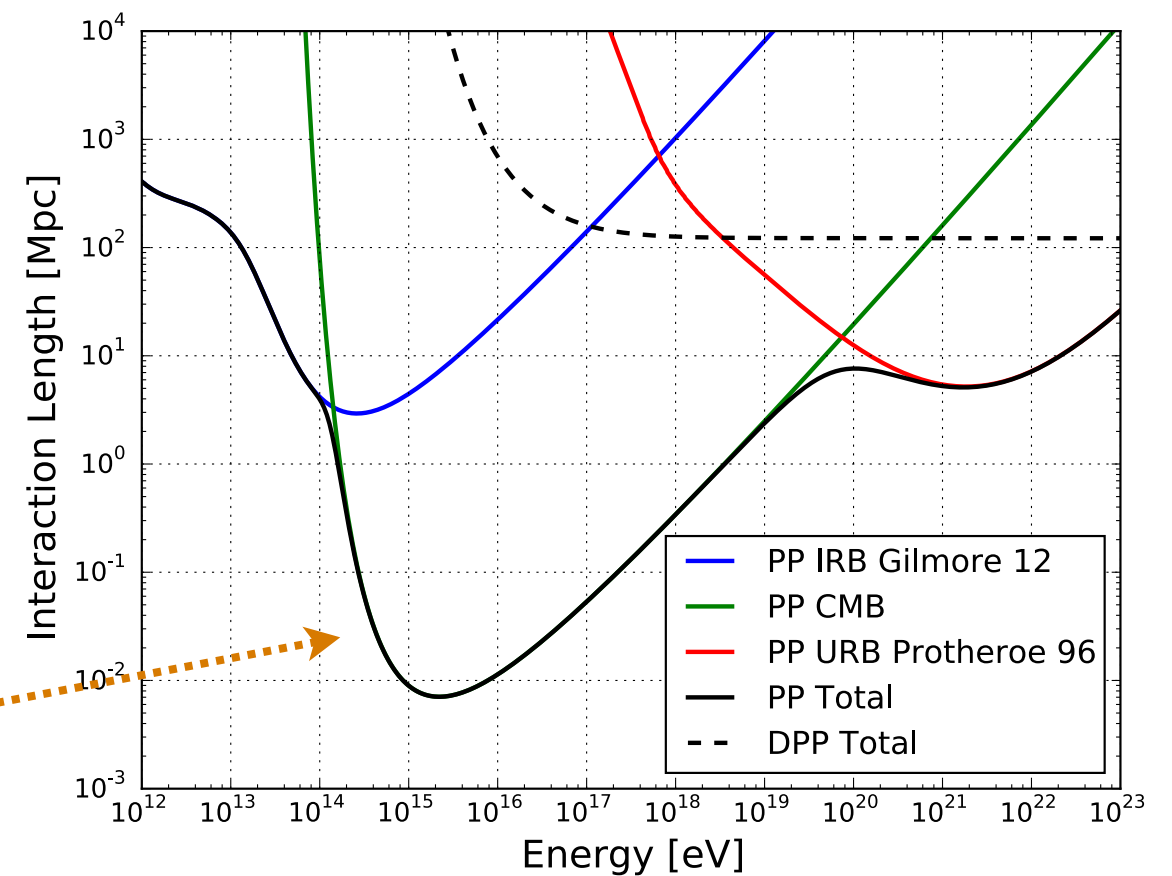
- Triple pair production (TPP)



- Inverse Compton scattering (ICS)

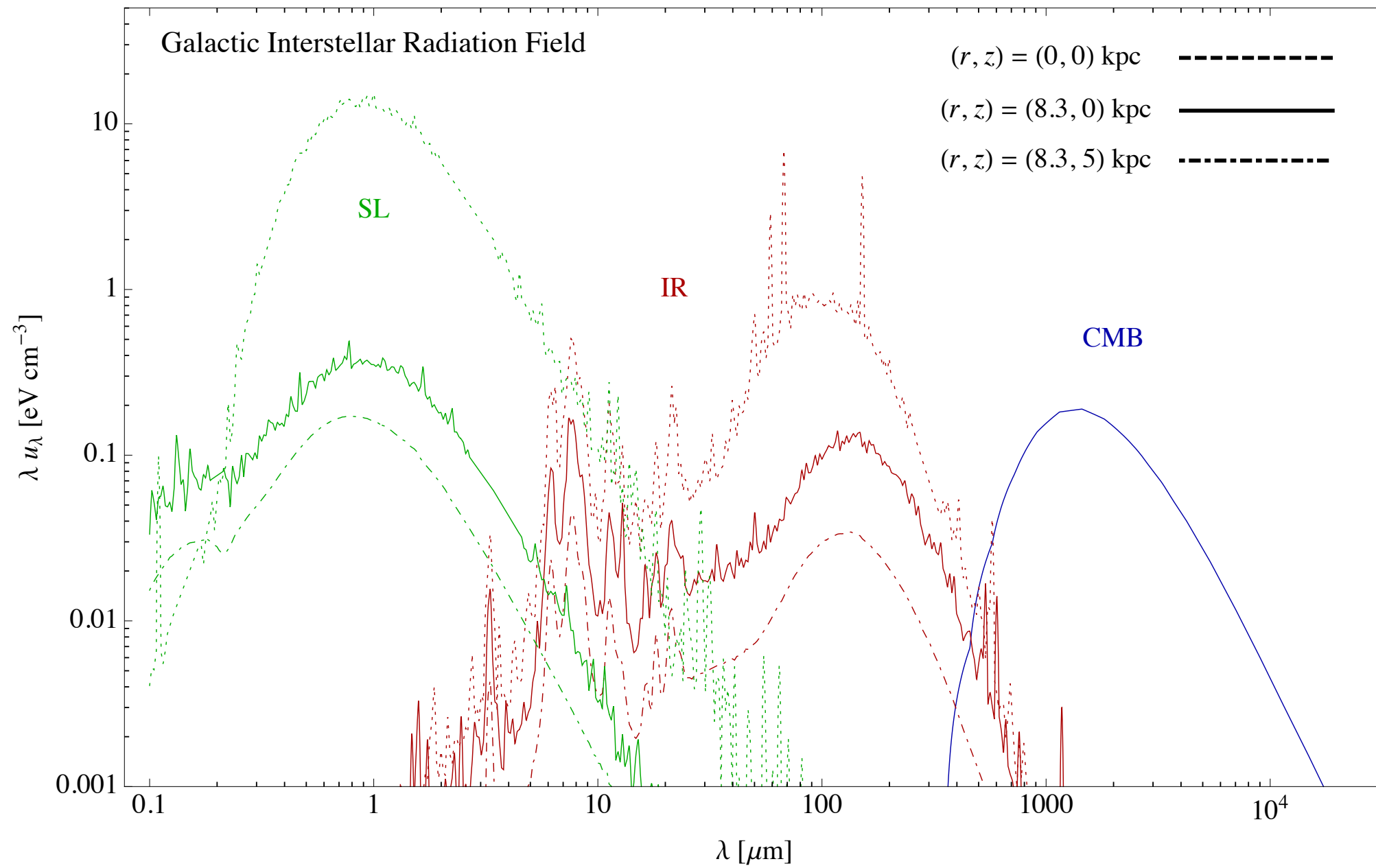


ICS in the CMB is dominant  
( $E_e \lesssim 10^8 \text{ GeV}$ )



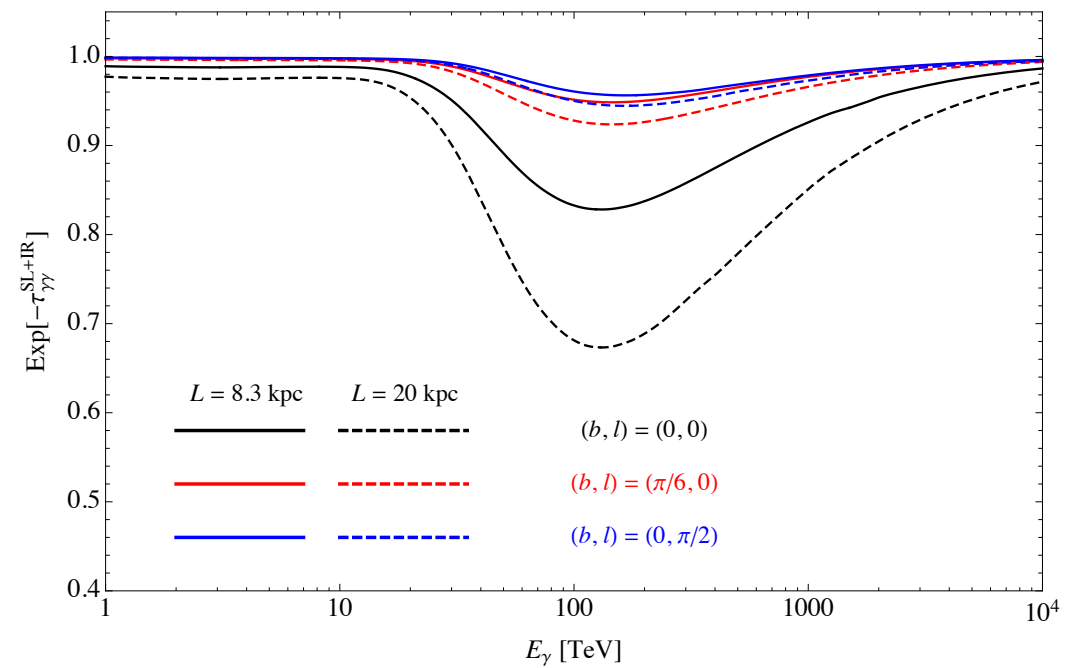
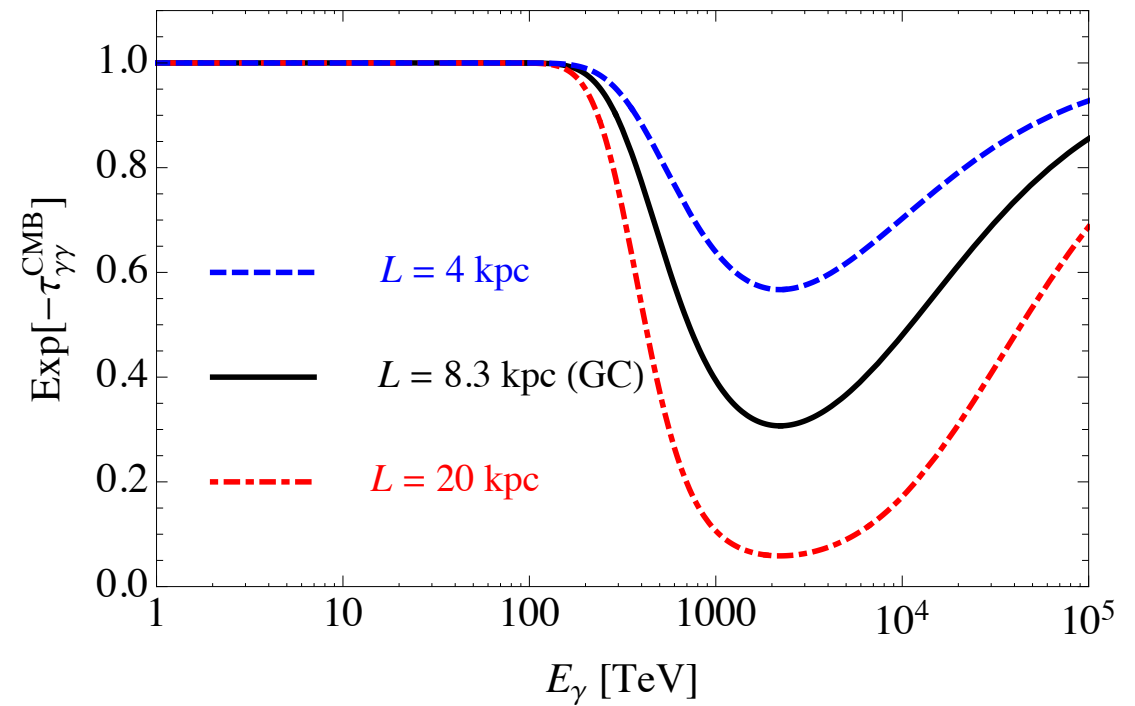
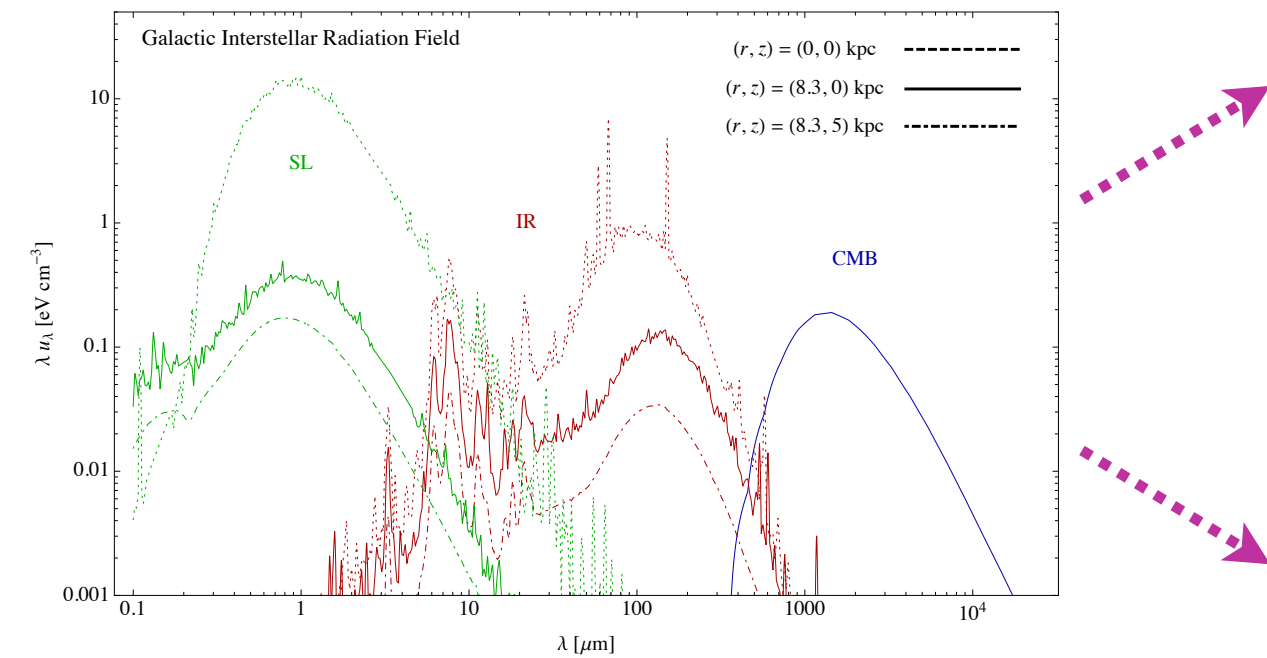
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Esmaili, Serpico '15



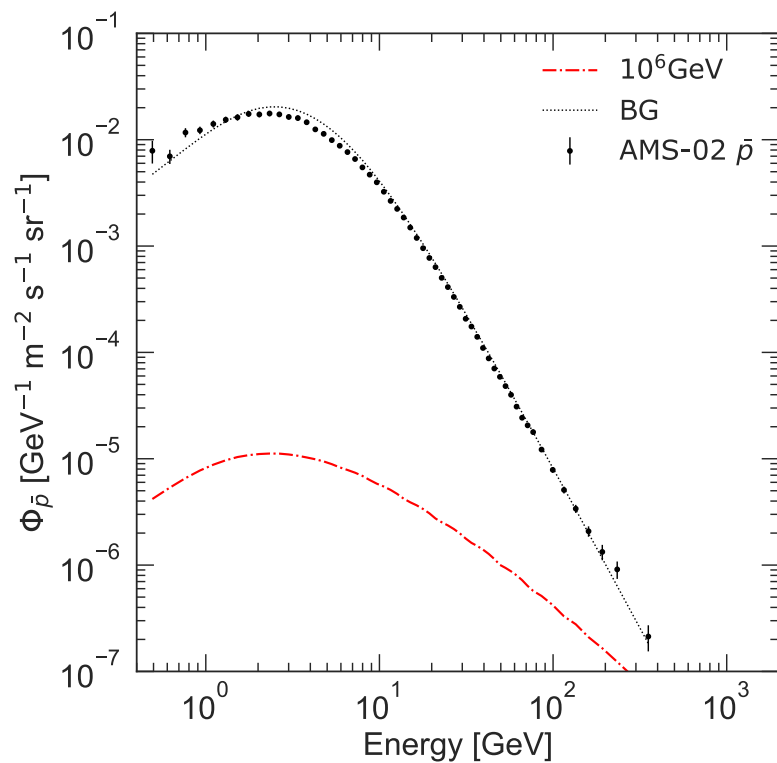
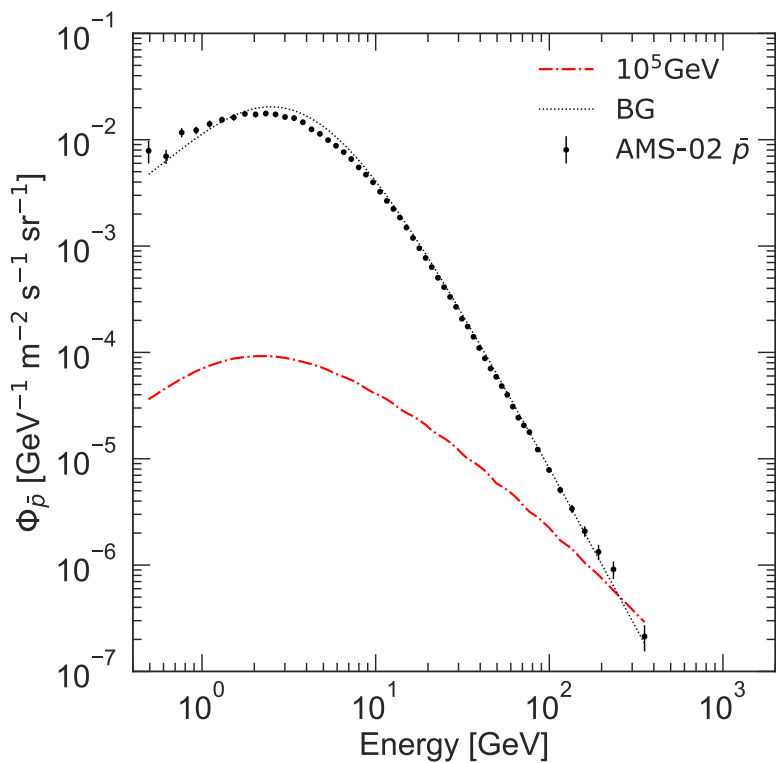
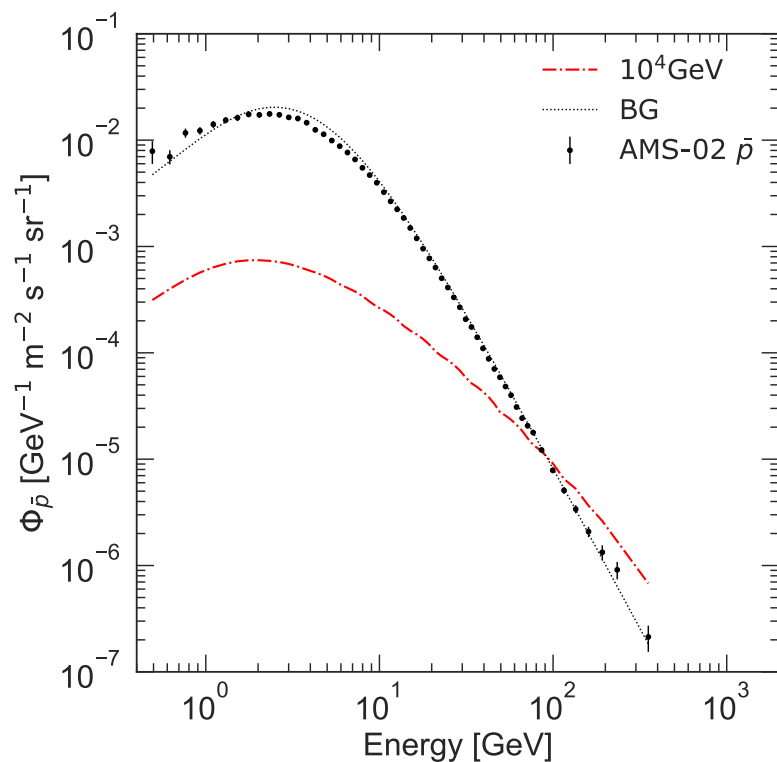
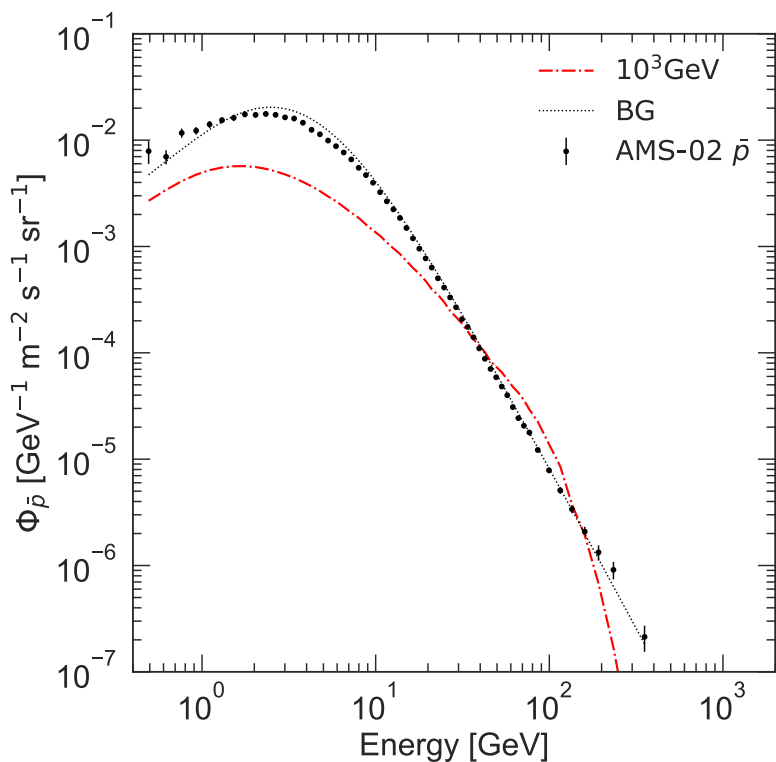
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0.1 – 100 PeV  $\gamma$  is under the absorption effect

# $\bar{p}$ flux in the Galaxy

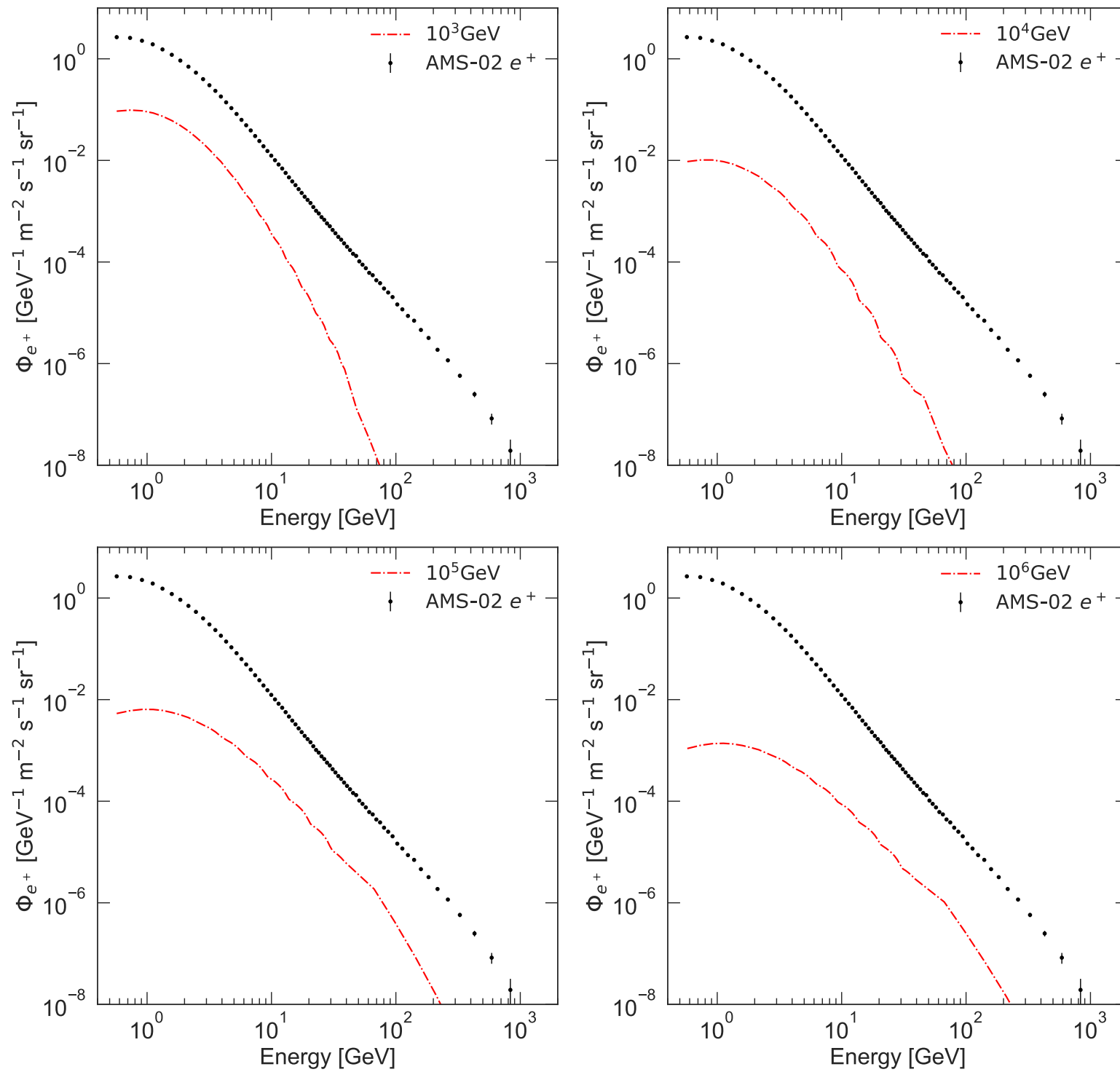


$$\tau_{\text{dm}} = 10^{27} \text{ s}$$

Flux gets smaller for larger  $m_{\text{dm}}$

→ Constraints from AMS-02 becomes irrelevant for large  $m_{\text{dm}}$

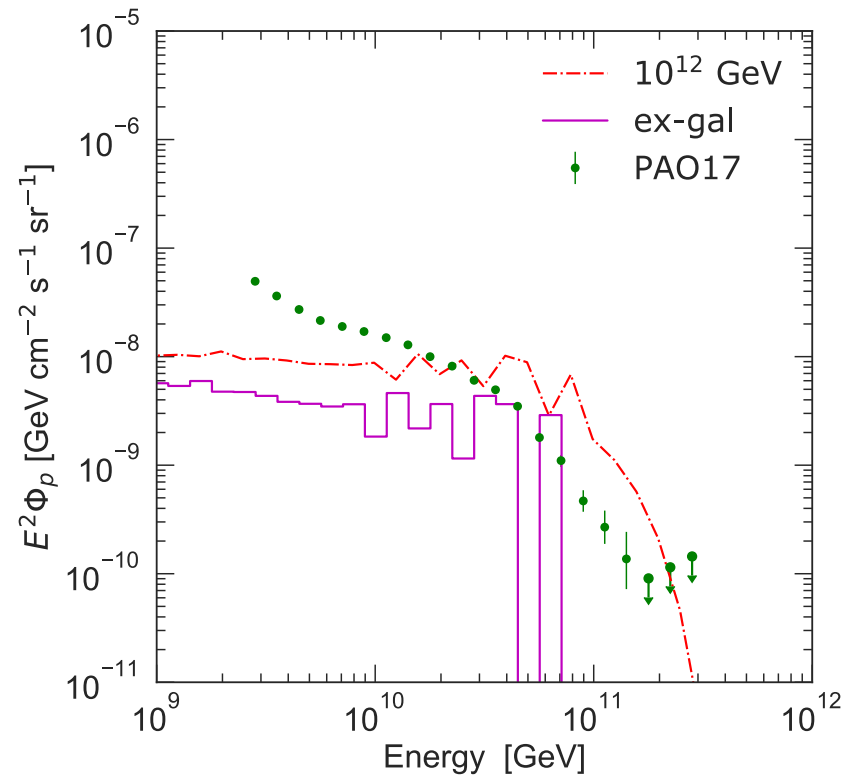
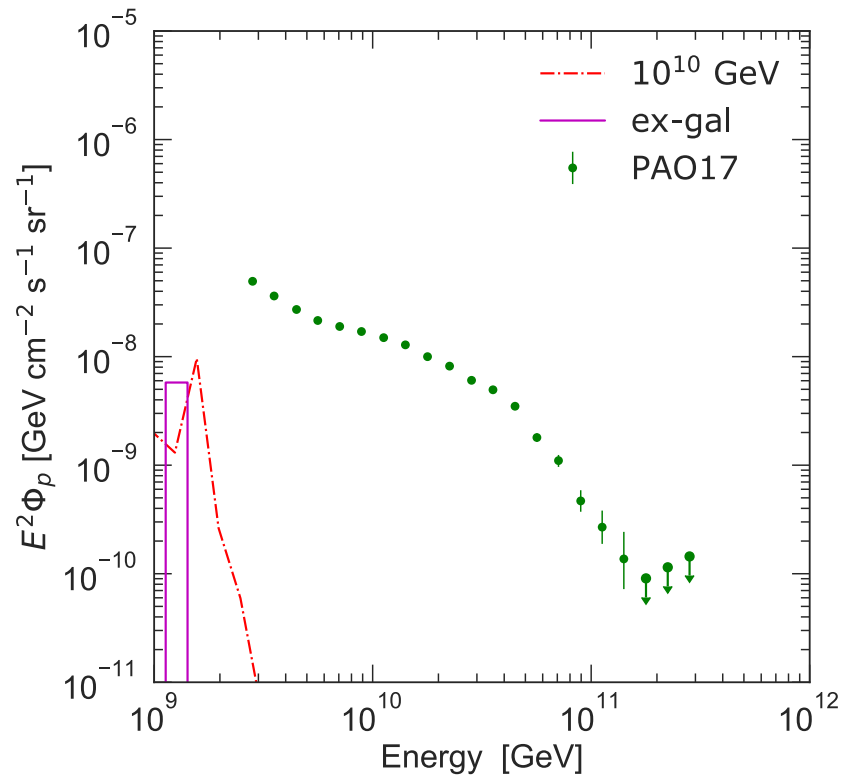
# $e^+$ flux in the Galaxy



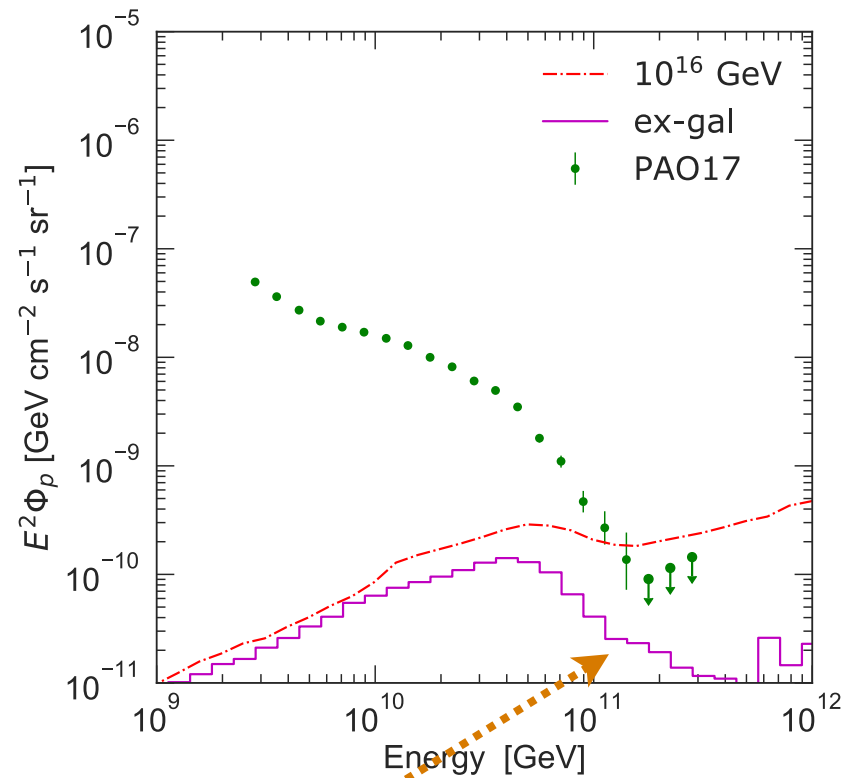
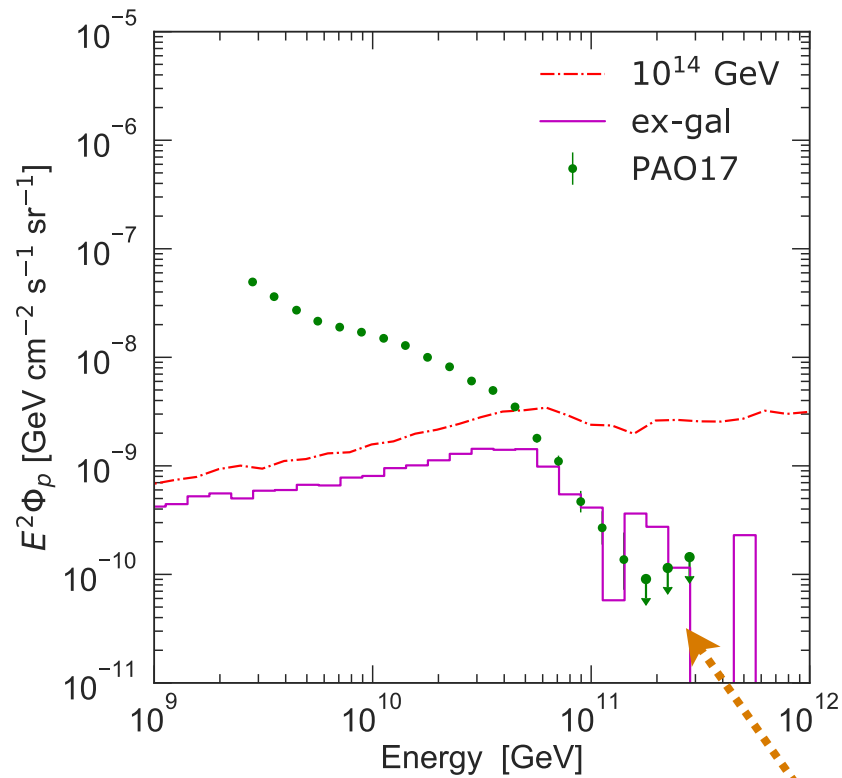
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Similar behavior to  $\bar{p}$  flux

# $p + \bar{p}$ flux

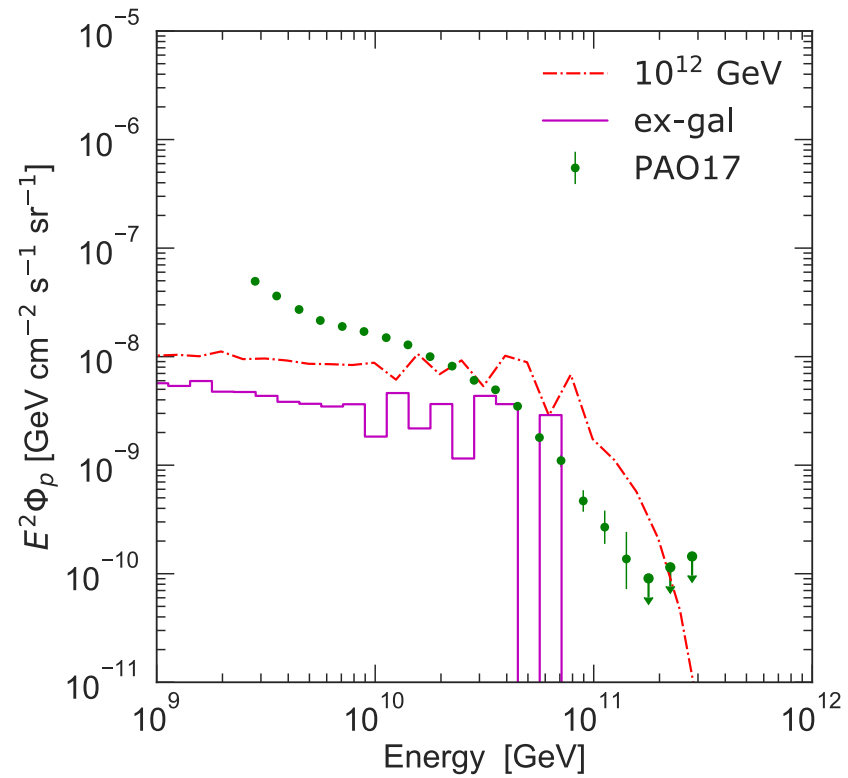
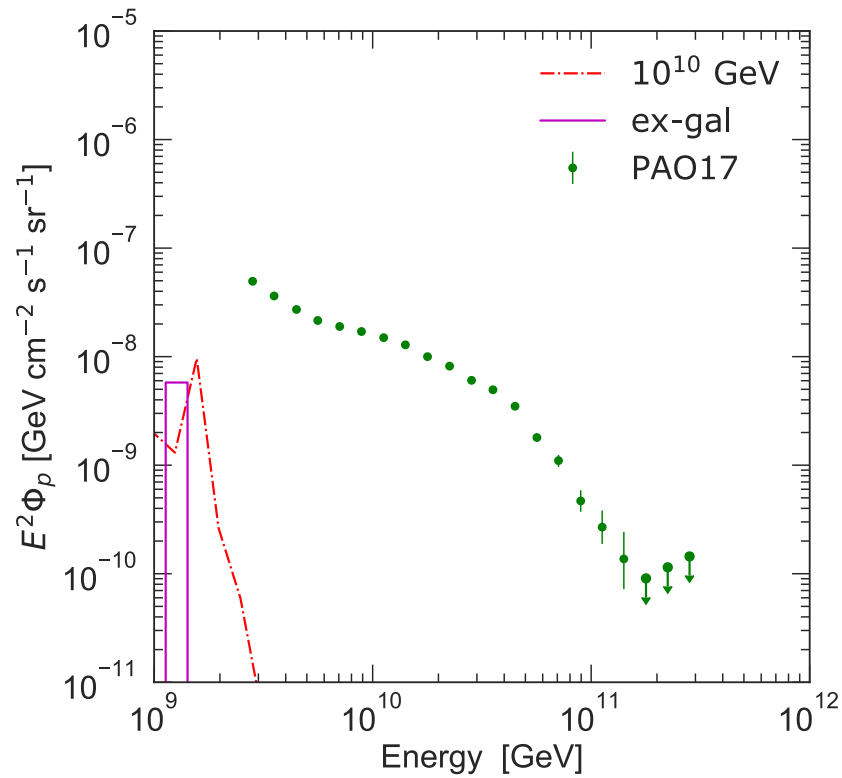


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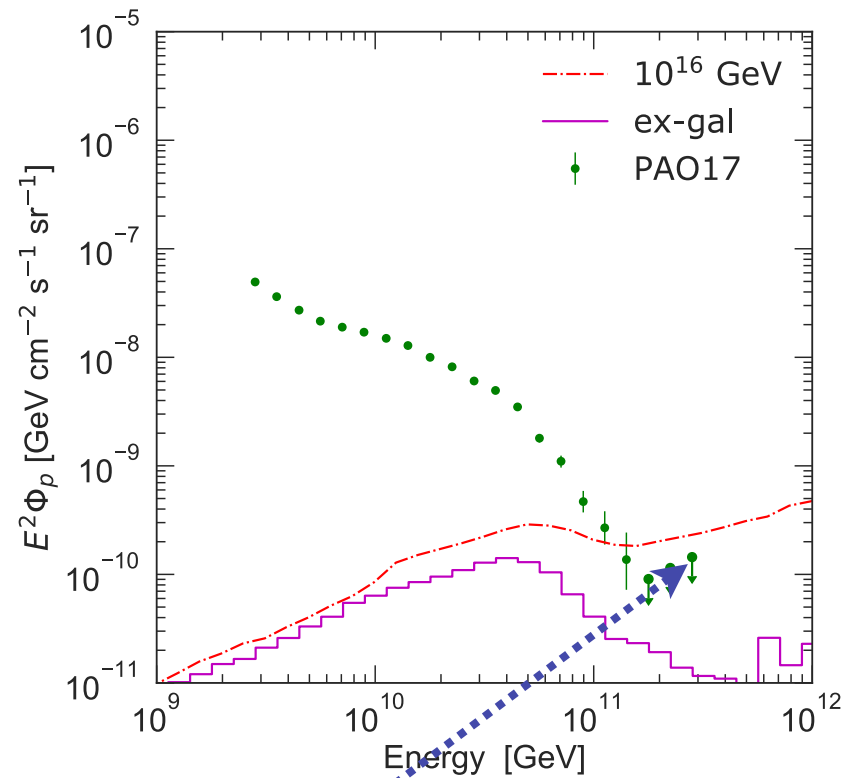
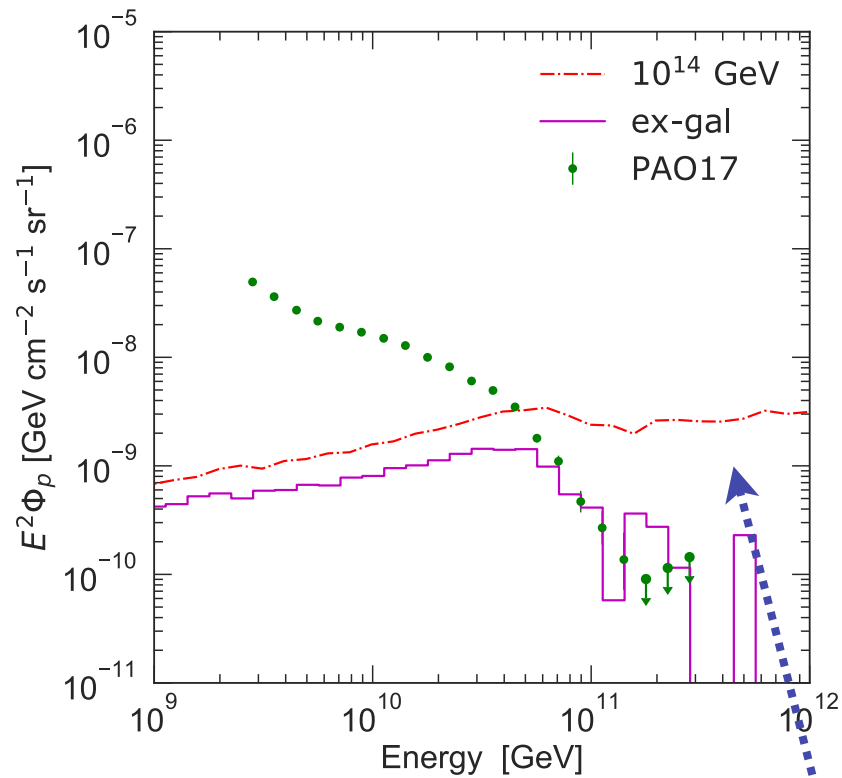


GZK effect can be seen in the extragalactic flux

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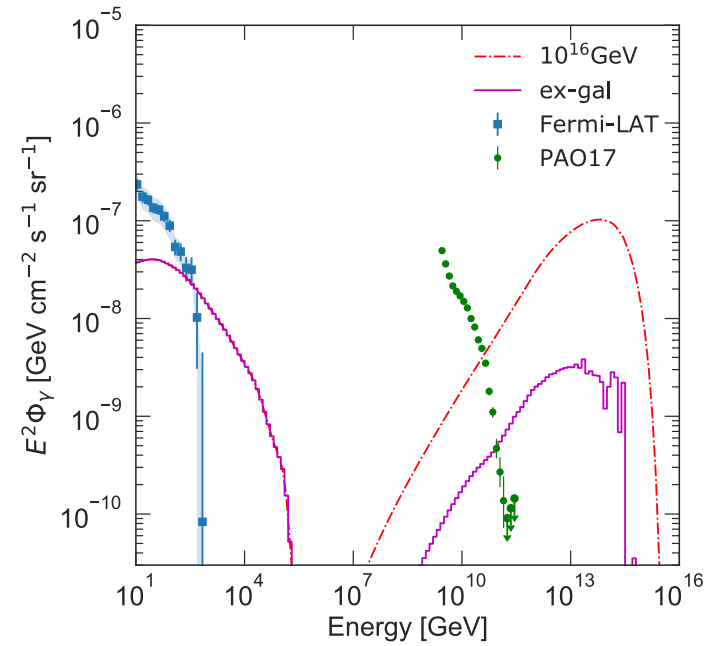
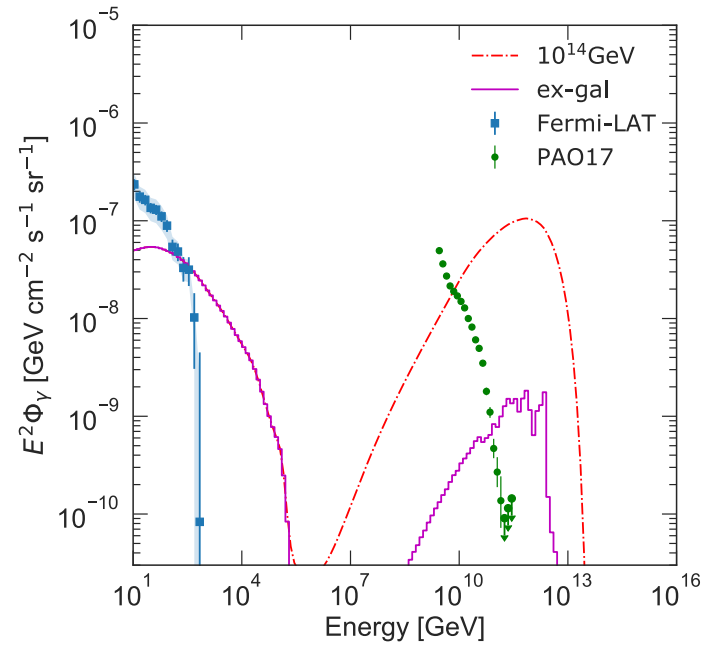
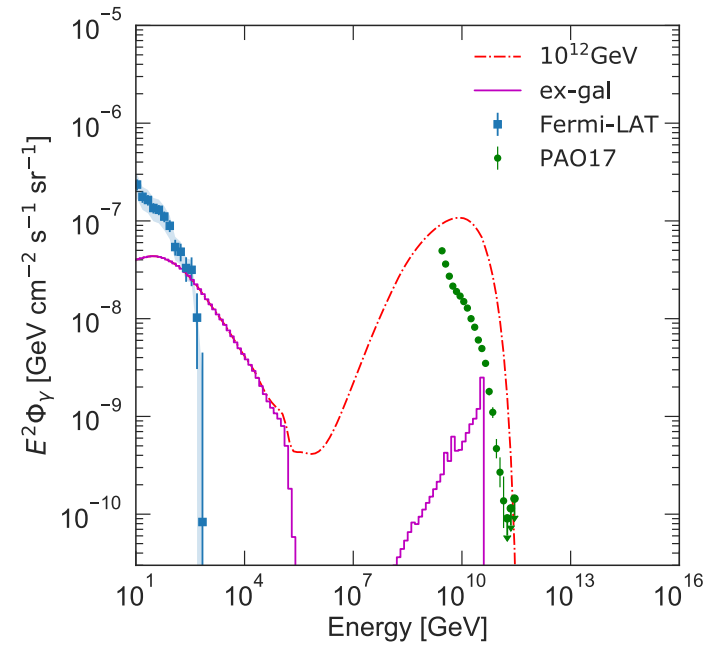
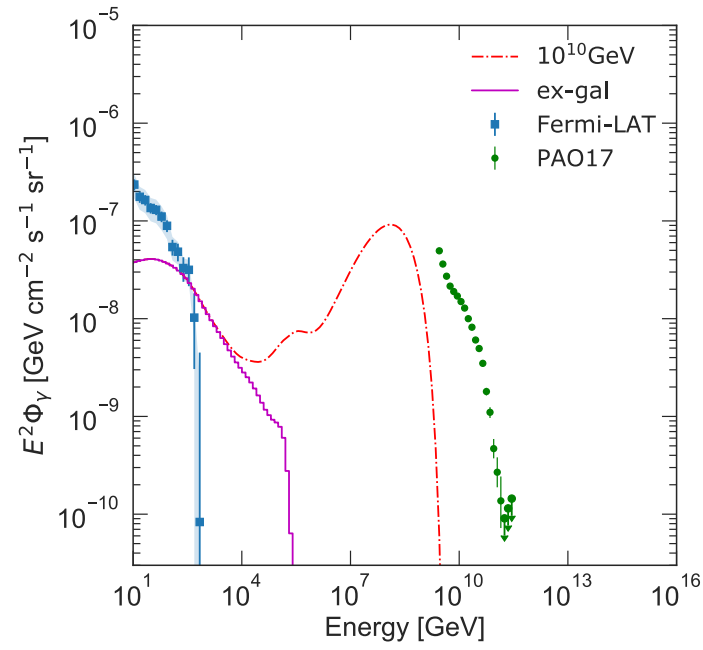
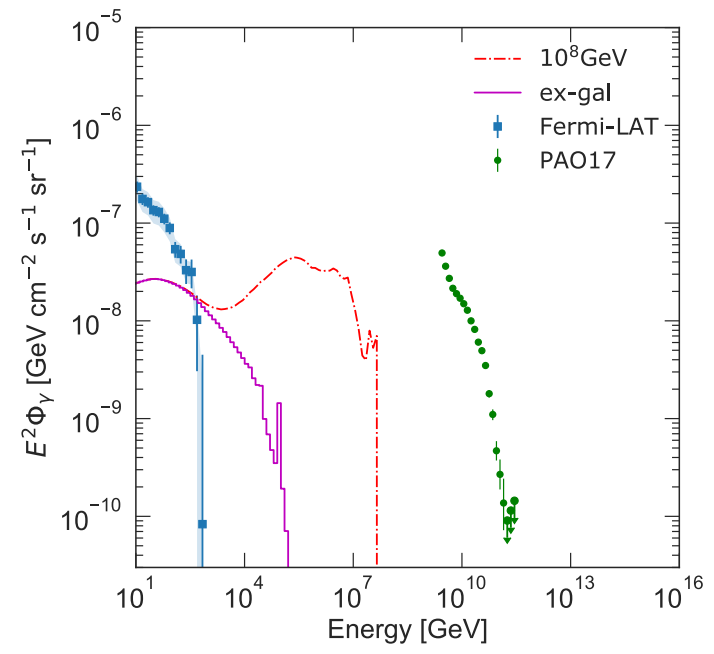
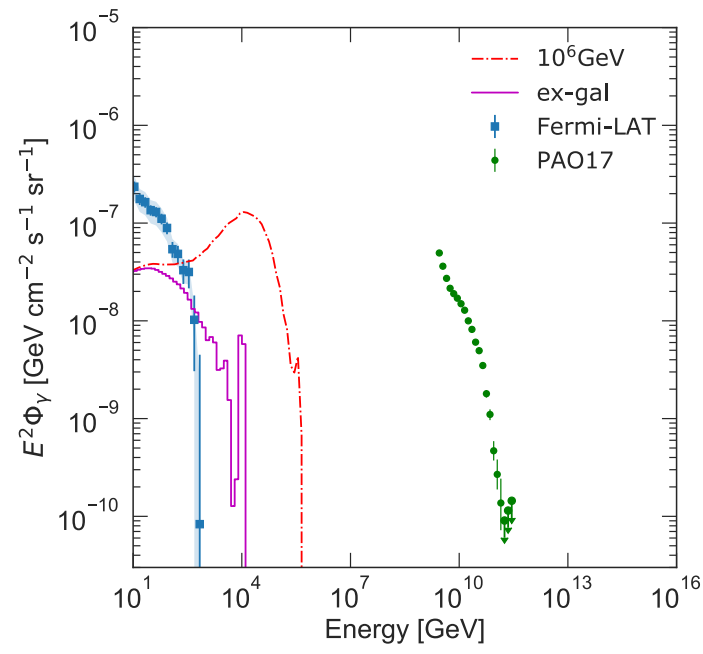


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Galactic flux becomes dominant in the high energy region for large  $m_{\text{dm}}$

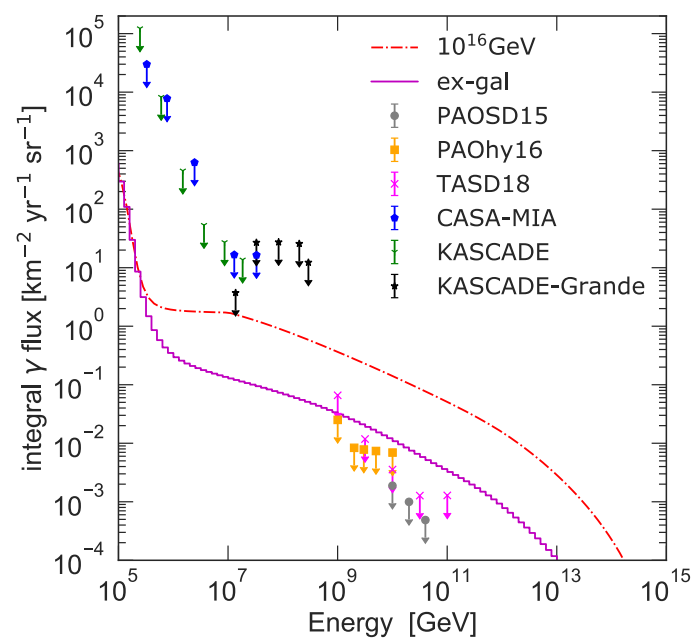
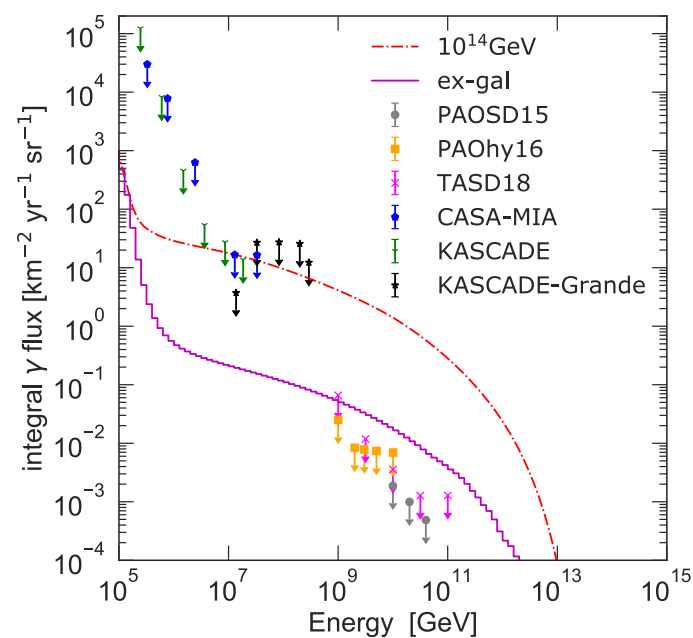
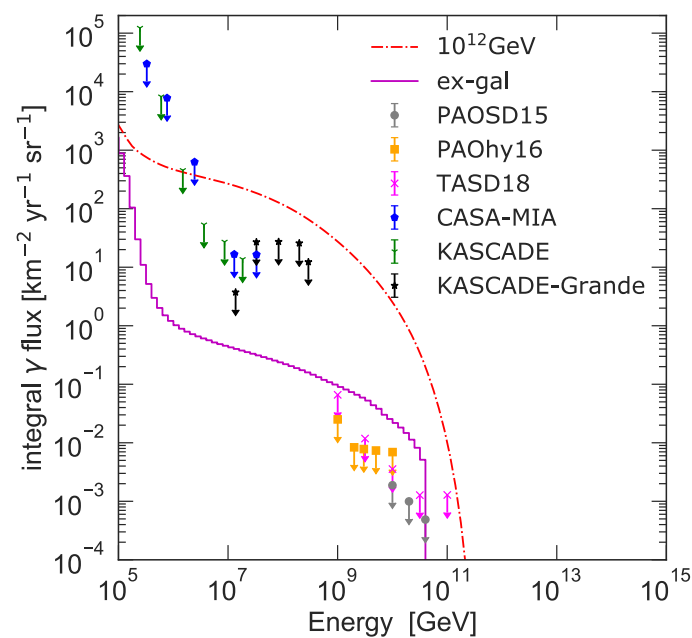
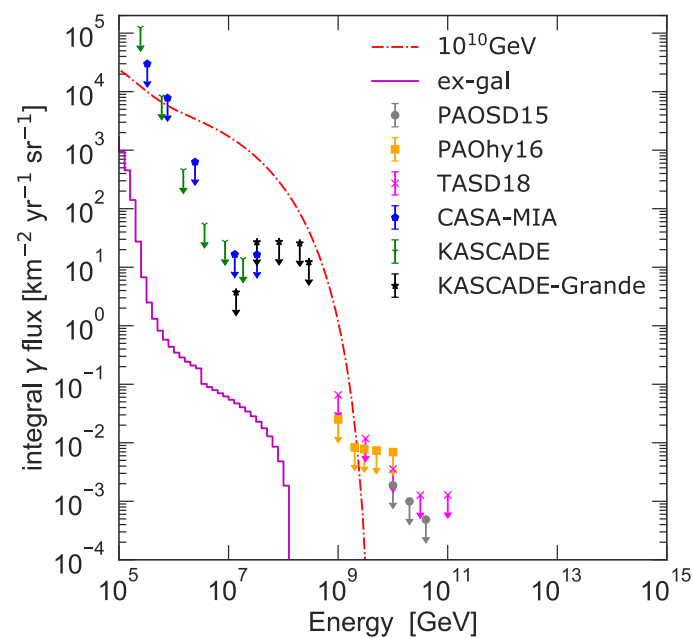
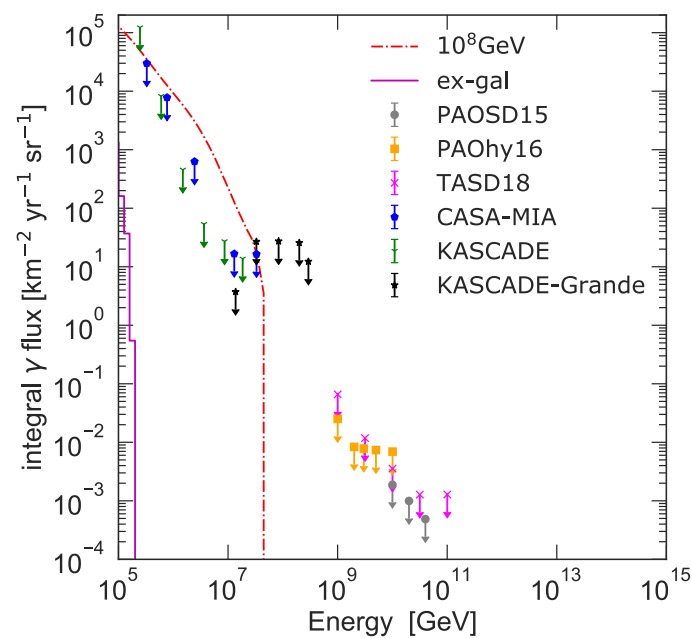
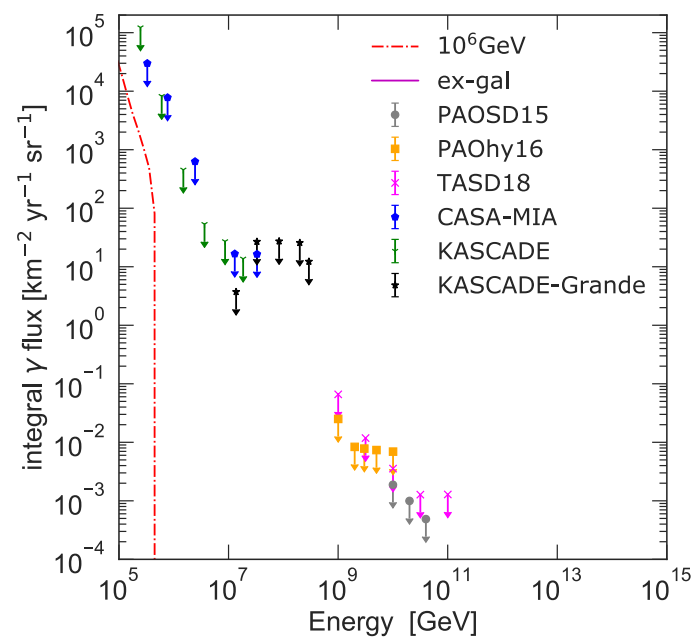




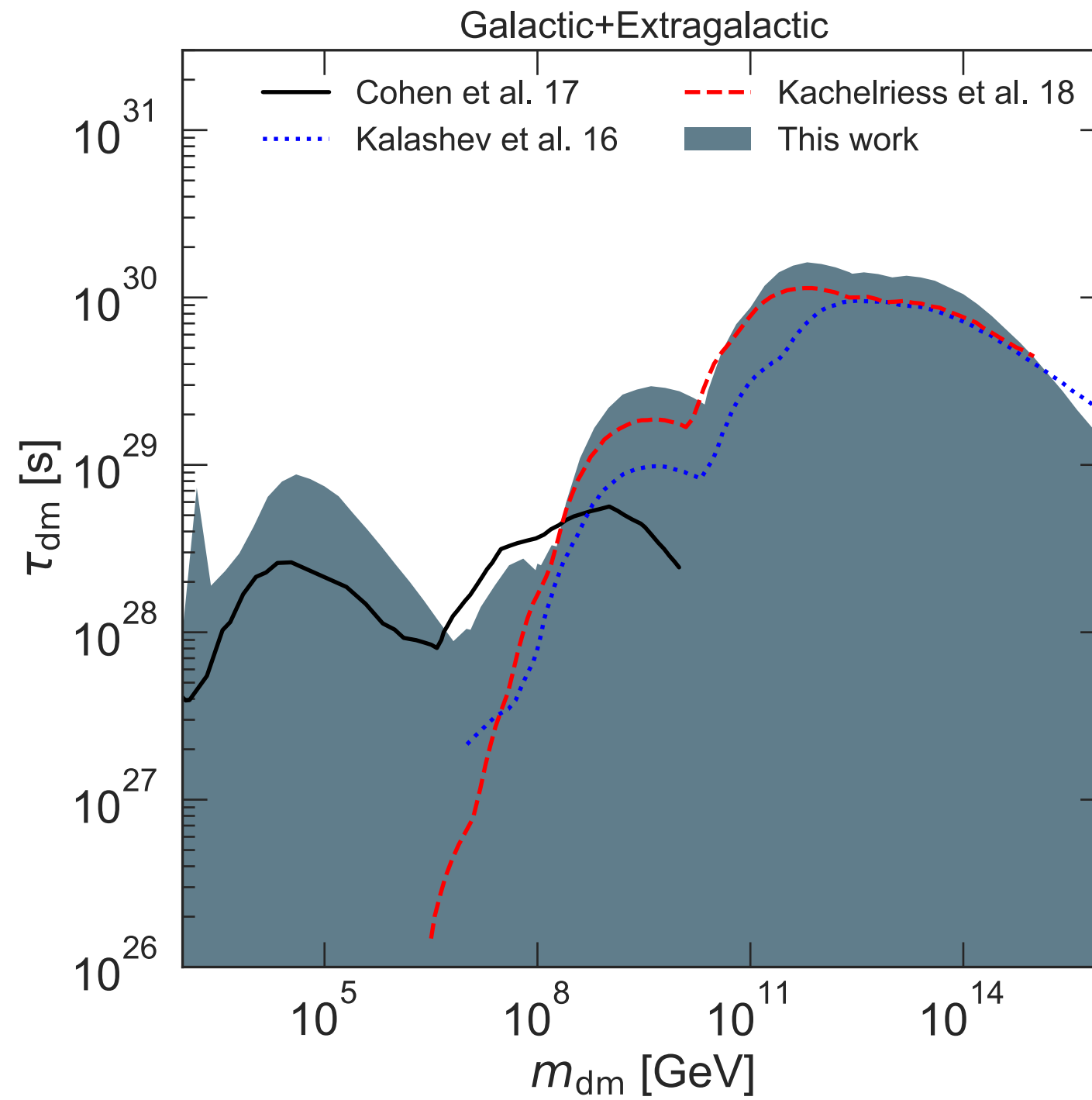
# Integrated $\gamma$

$$\tau_{\text{dm}} = 10^{27} \text{ s}$$

Galactic flux is dominant in high energy region for large  $m_{\text{dm}}$



# Combined results

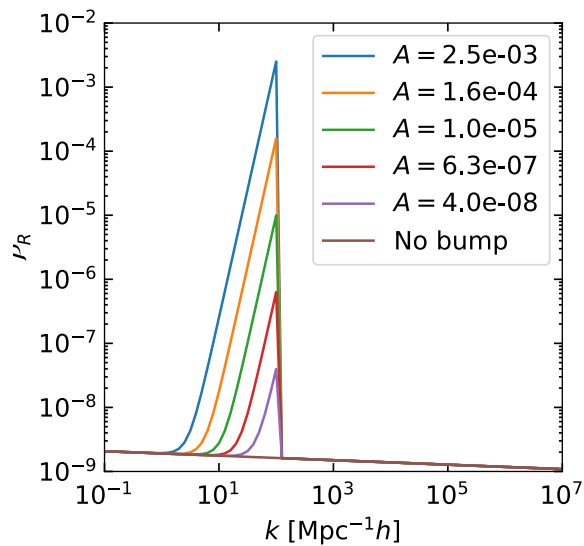
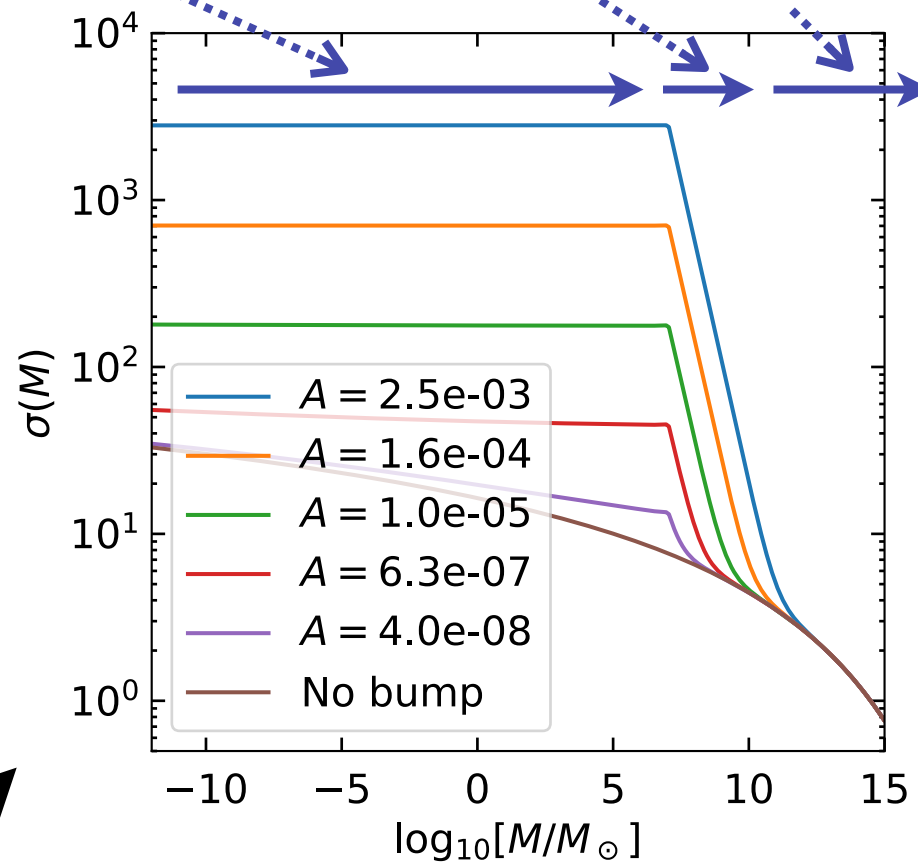


# Variance

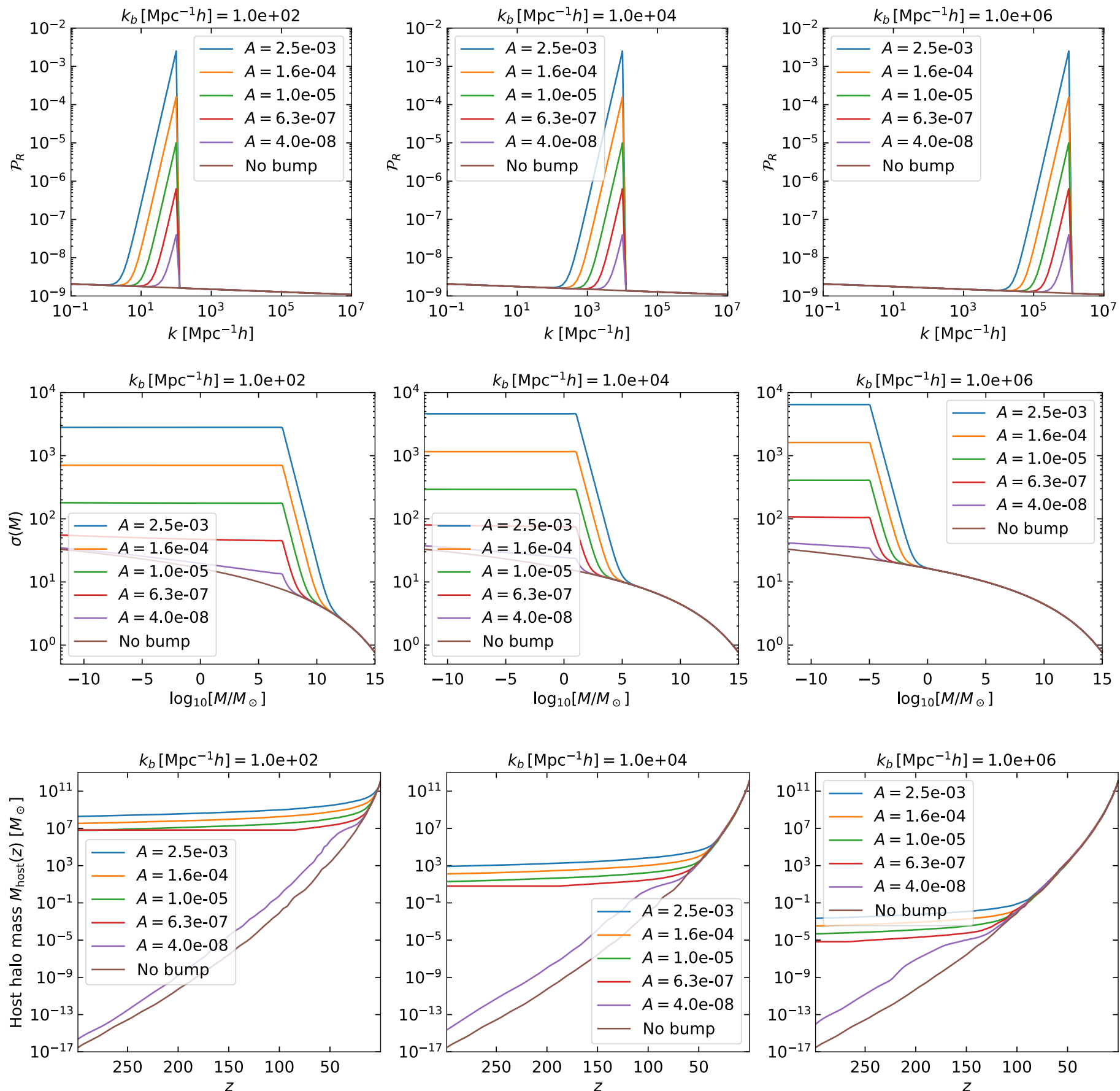
Halo grows to a specific scale *at once*

Merely grows for while

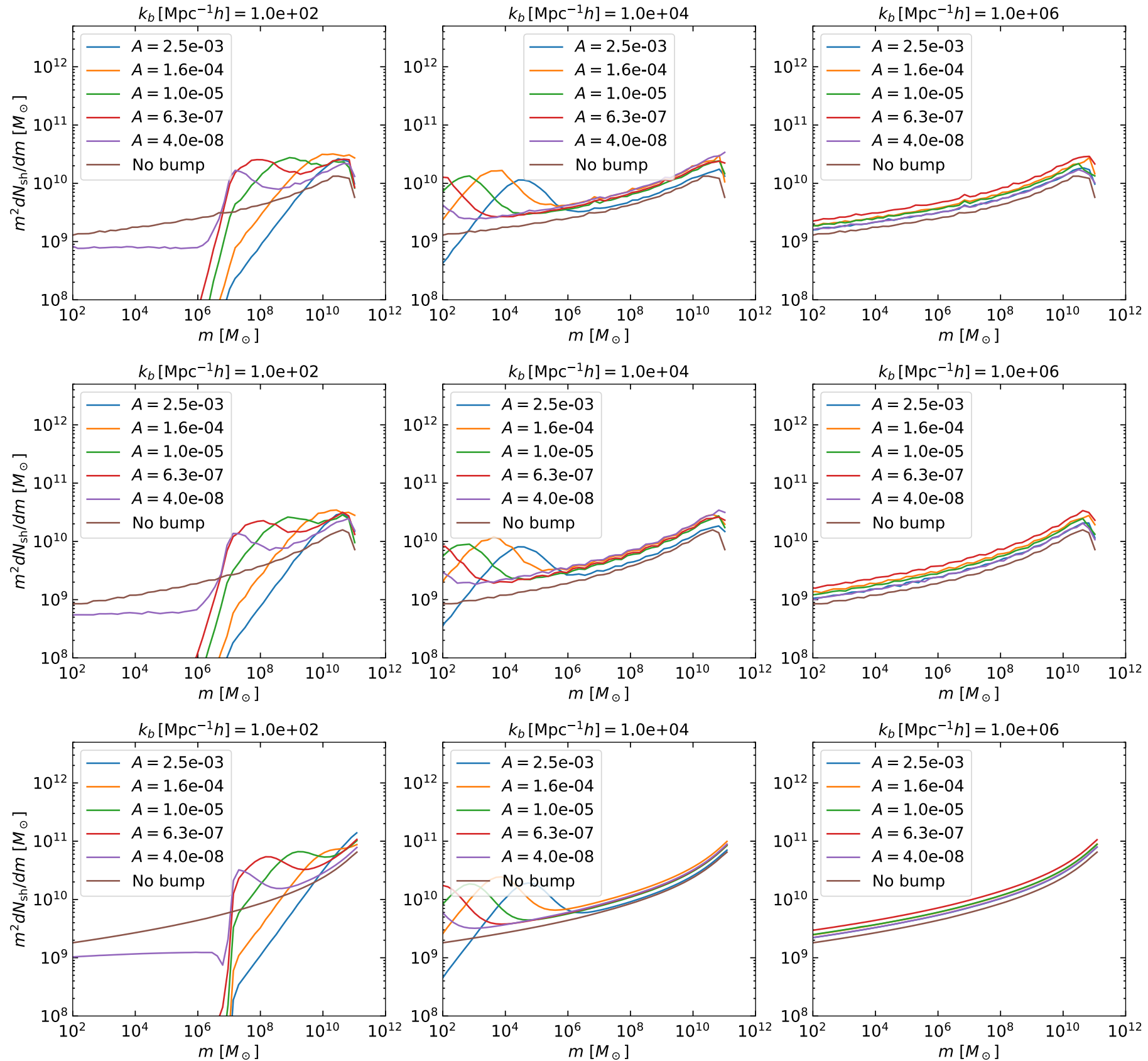
Grows to the present mass



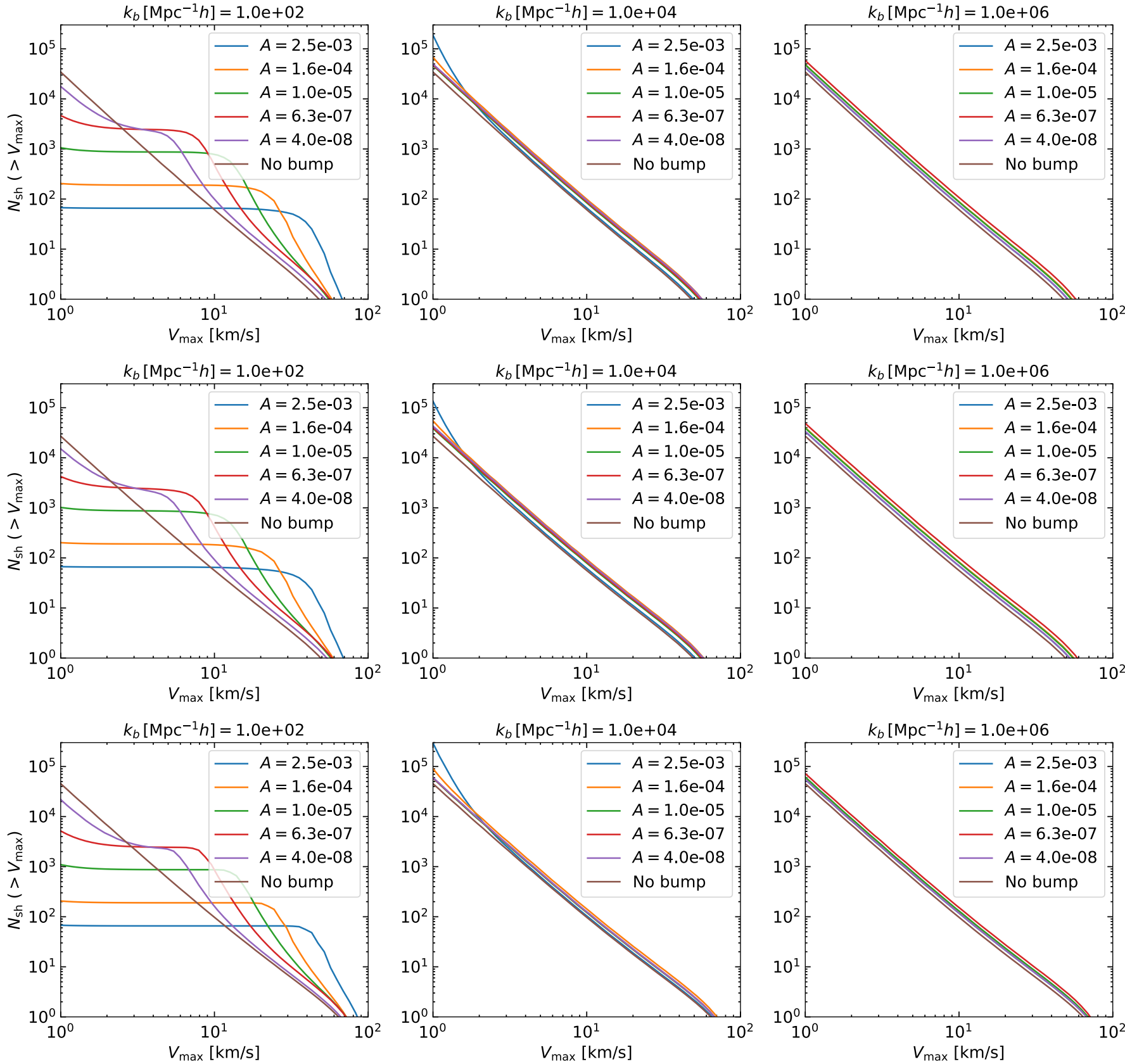
# Curvature perturbation, variance, and host halo mass



# Subhalo mass function



# Cumulative maximum circular velocity function





# Cumulative number of subhalos, maximum circular velocity function, and boost factor

