

BSM w/wo neutrino @ Neutrino Beam Facilities

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Introduction

- New Physics: Dark matter(DM), neutrino masses and mixing, baryon abundance and various anomalies, $g-2$ of muon, LHCb, MiniBooNE etc.

Are they all correlated? Is there a model?

- Where is the new physics scale?
- Many experiments are probing new physics scales: DM direct and indirect detections, LHC, neutrino experiments, beam dump experiments, rare decays, astrophysical observations etc.
- LHC is mostly probing scales above 1 GeV

Introduction

Investigation of scales below 1 GeV

- This region is difficult to search
- Anomalies, and puzzles can be addressed
- There are many new ideas

Models (Many ongoing activities):

Light mediators: scalar/pseudo-scalar, vector; sub-GeV DM

Low energy beam dump-based experiments, Forward physics facility at the LHC, Astrophysical observations, etc. can investigate low scale models

This talk will discuss: Exploration of various models at neutrino experiments: SBN and DUNE?

- High intensity beam, various production possibilities, large detectors, on/off axis coverages etc.

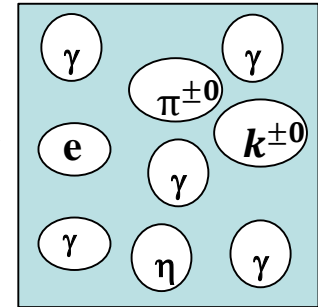
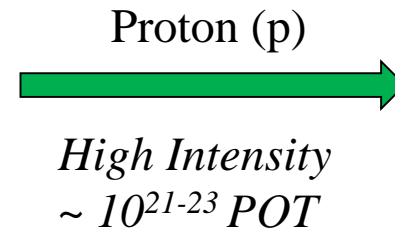
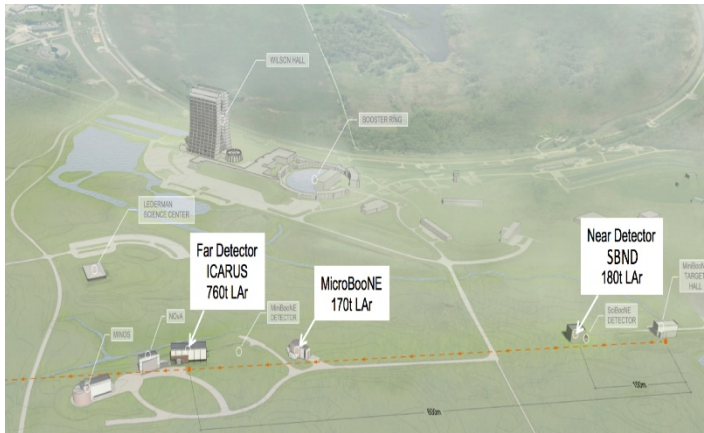
ν experiments

Neutrino experiments can be versatile

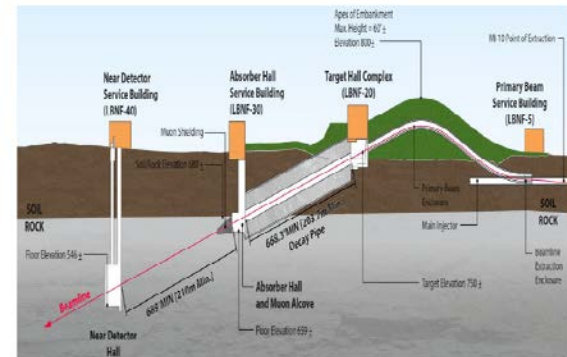
Beam dump-based (proton beam)

[ongoing]: 800 MeV-3 GeV: COHERENT (Oakridge), CCM (LANL), JSNS2(JPARC) Detectors, CsI, LAr, NaI, Ge

Fermilab SBN program: 120 GeV NUMI, 8 GeV BNB beams (ongoing)



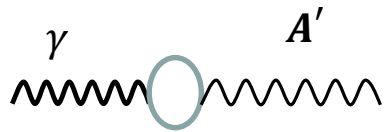
DUNE (120 GeV)



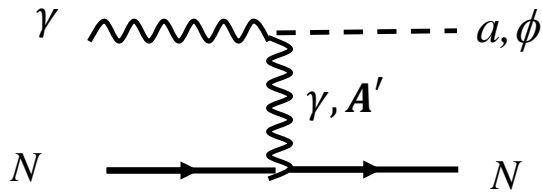
- Many experiments with proton beams have different beam energies using various detectors at different locations
- FASER, FASER ν , SND are ongoing

New physics at ν experiments

From γ :
 A' : Vector
 ϕ =scalar
 a =pseudo-scalar



$$L \supset -\frac{\epsilon}{4} F^{\mu\nu} F_{\mu\nu}^{(\prime)} - g_{a,\phi\gamma(Z')} \frac{(a, \phi)}{4} F^{\mu\nu} \tilde{F}_{\mu\nu}^{(\prime)}$$



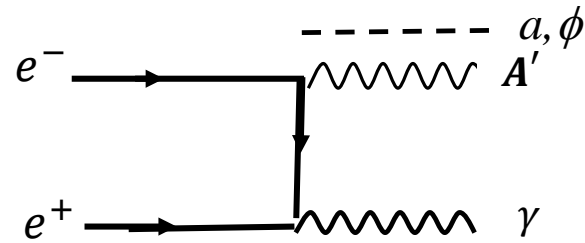
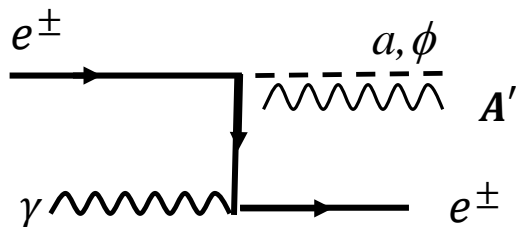
Primakoff

Coherent scattering for γ exchange

New physics at ν experiments

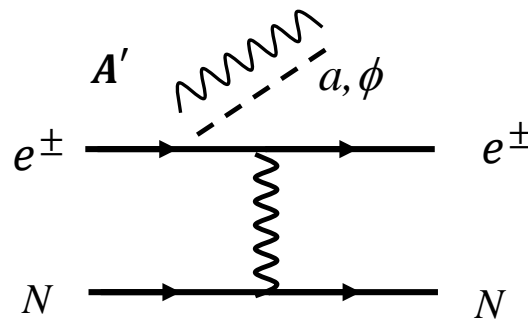
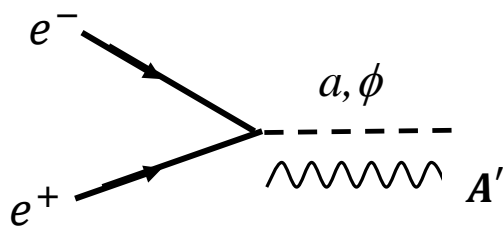
From e^\pm : $L \supset -g_{\phi(a)ee} \bar{e} (i\gamma^5) e \phi(a) - g_{A'ee} \bar{e} \gamma^\mu e A'$

Compton



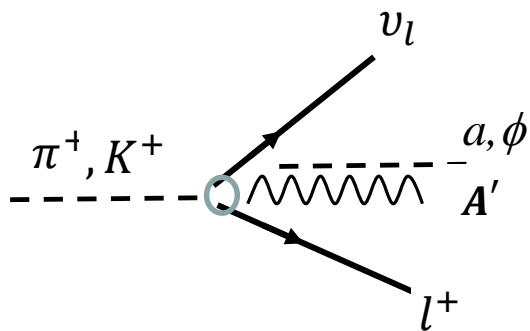
Associated

Resonance



Bremsstrahlung

New physics at ν experiments



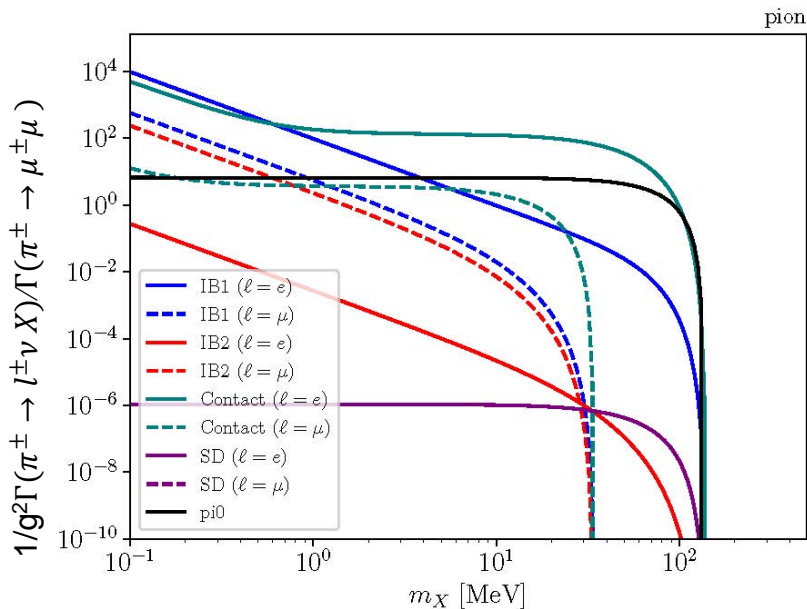
$$L \supset -g_{\phi(a)ff} \bar{f} (i\gamma^5) f \phi(a) - g_{A'ee} \bar{e} \gamma^\mu e A'_\mu$$

- *Charged meson decay: quarks and lepton couplings*
 - Not helicity suppressed \rightarrow both electron and muon final states contribute
 - Needs to include all the internal bremsstrahlung diagrams IB_i ($i=1,2,3$)

PHYSICS REPORTS No. 3 (1962) 151-21)5.
Bandyopadhyay, Ghosh, Roy, PRD 105 (2022) 11, 115039.

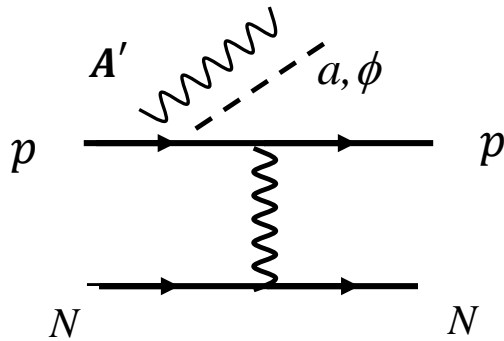
$$\eta^0, \pi^0 \rightarrow \gamma A'_\mu \quad \text{Neutral meson decays}$$

- Charged pion contribution can be larger than the neutral pion even without the focusing horns
- Important for stopped pion and mesons decay-in-flight experiments

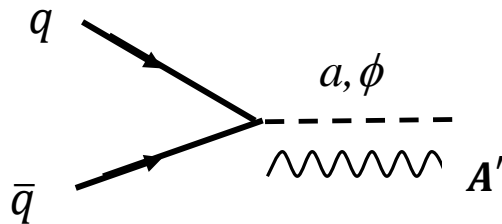


- *Satisfy the experimental constraint from **PIENU and NA62**(Kaons)*

New physics at ν experiments



Proton bremsstrahlung



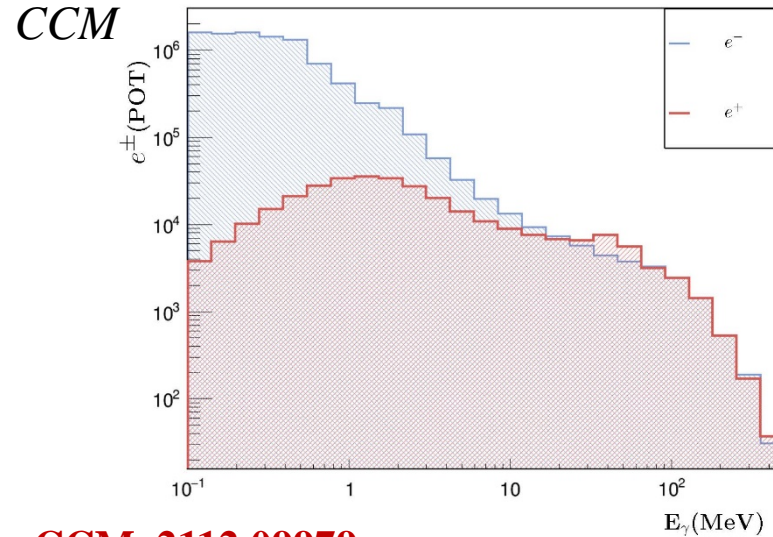
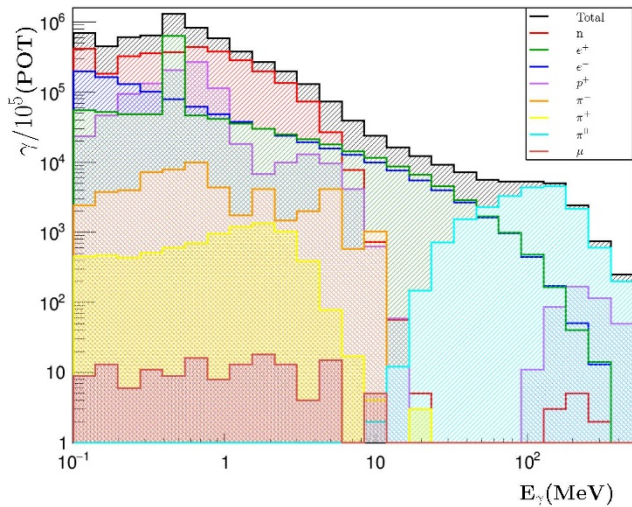
Parton interactions

- There can be more production processes, e.g., $\nu + N \rightarrow \nu_s + N$ (coherently enhanced) using $\bar{\nu}_s \sigma_{\mu\nu} F^{\mu\nu} \nu$
- Nuclear de-excitation lines at lower mass target (lower beam energy)

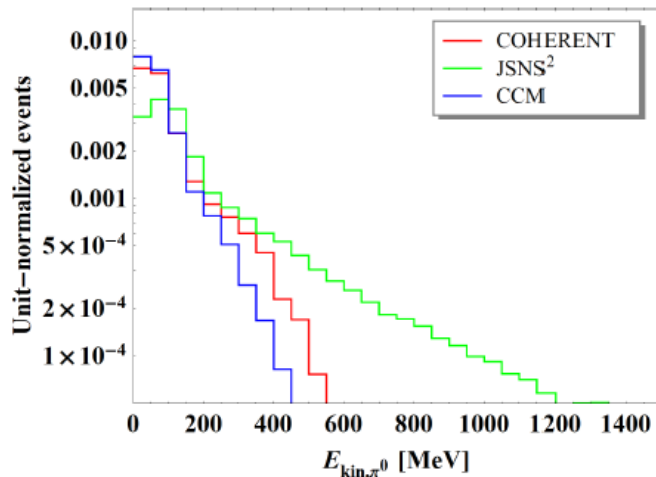
**Waites, Thompson, Bungau, Conrad, Dutta, Huang, Kim,
Shaevitz, Spitz, :2207.13659**

Various flux spectra at ν experiments

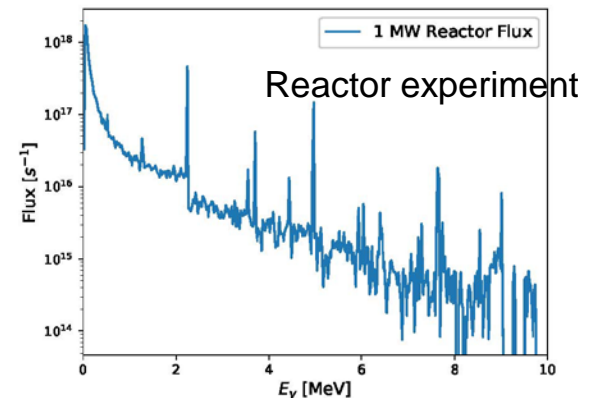
CCM/COHERENT: 0.1 π^+ per proton: $10^{22/23}$ POT, π^+ s are stopped



CCM, 2112.09979

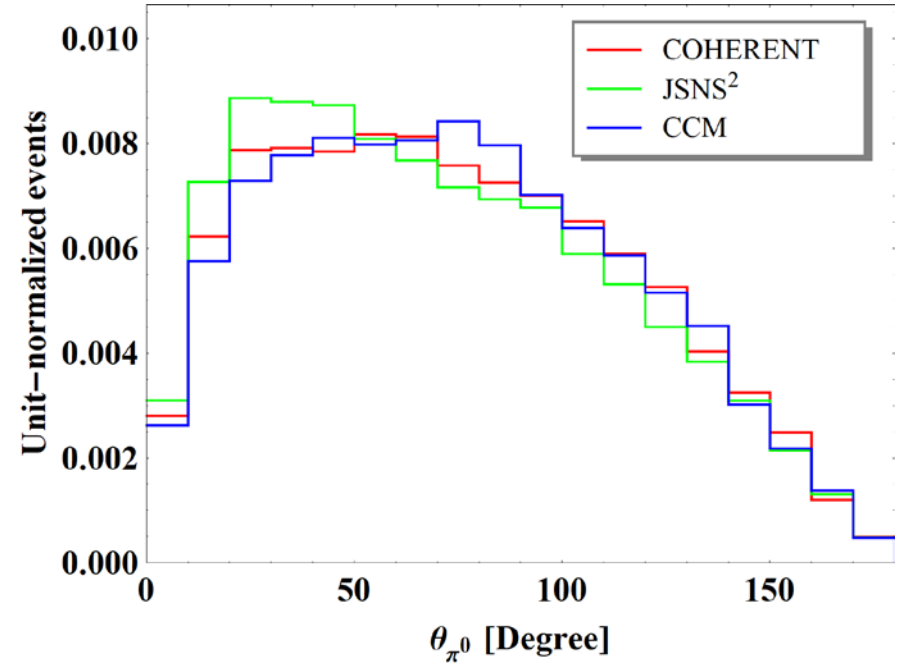
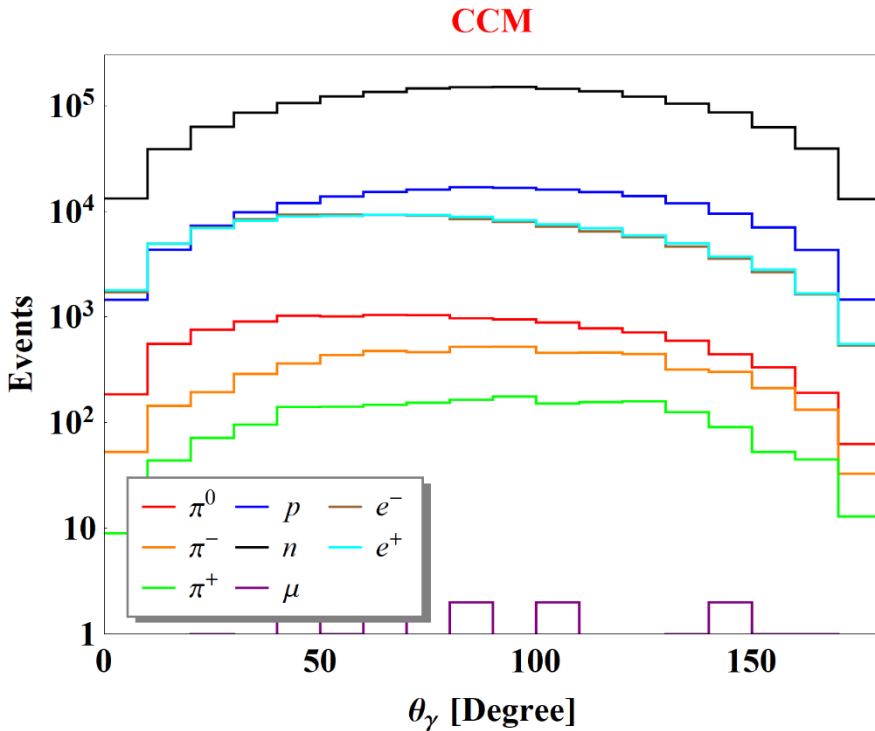


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QGSP_BIC_HP



Dutta, Kim, Liao, Park, Shin, Strigari, Thompson,
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Various flux spectra at ν experiments



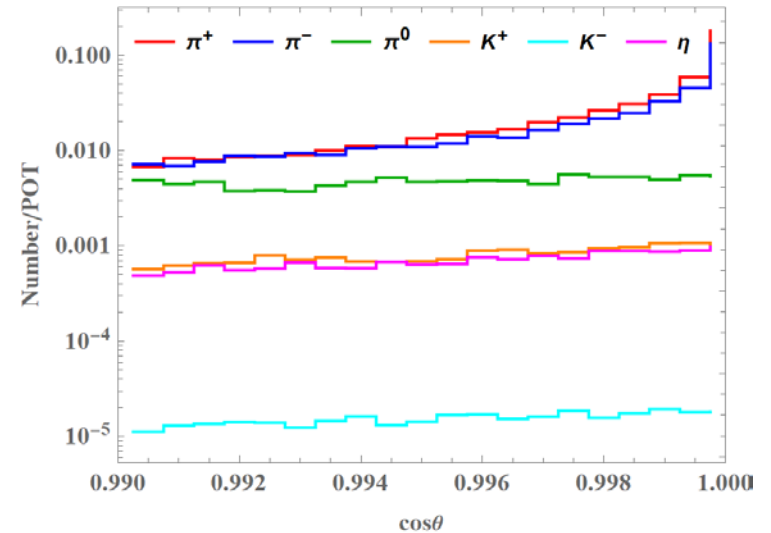
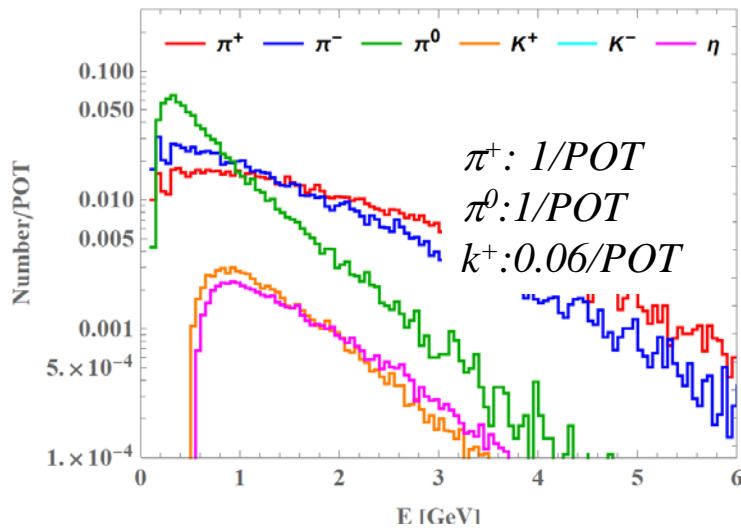
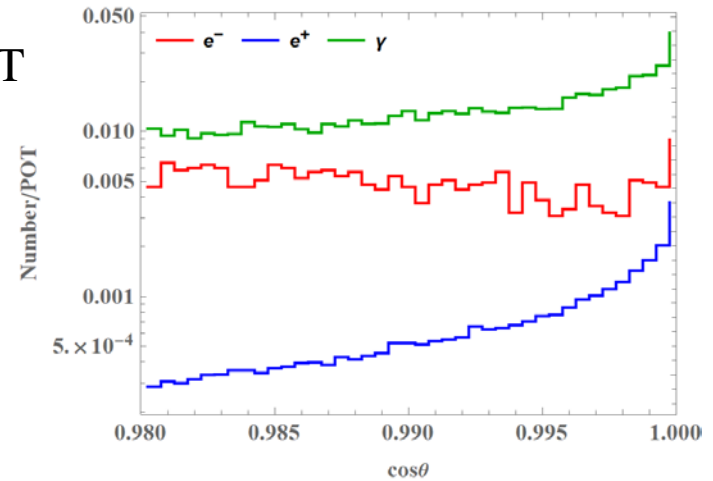
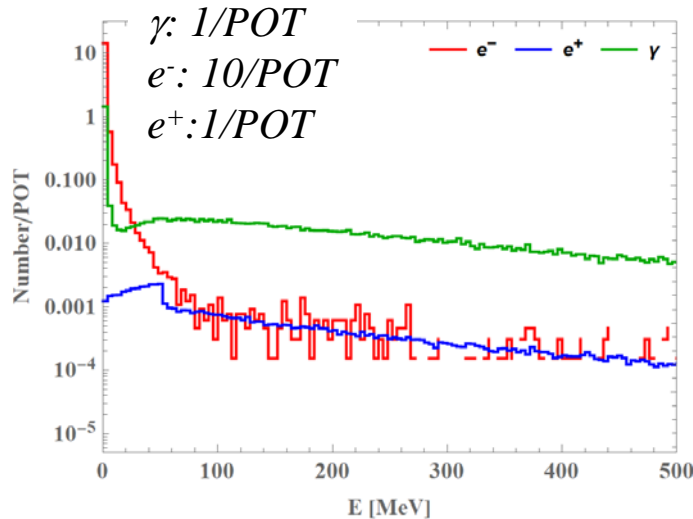
Photon, electron/positron, charged pion flux are isotropic for CCM/COHERENT/JSNS²

**Dutta, Kim, Liao, Park, Shin, Strigari, Thompson,
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Various flux spectra at BNB

8 GeV beam

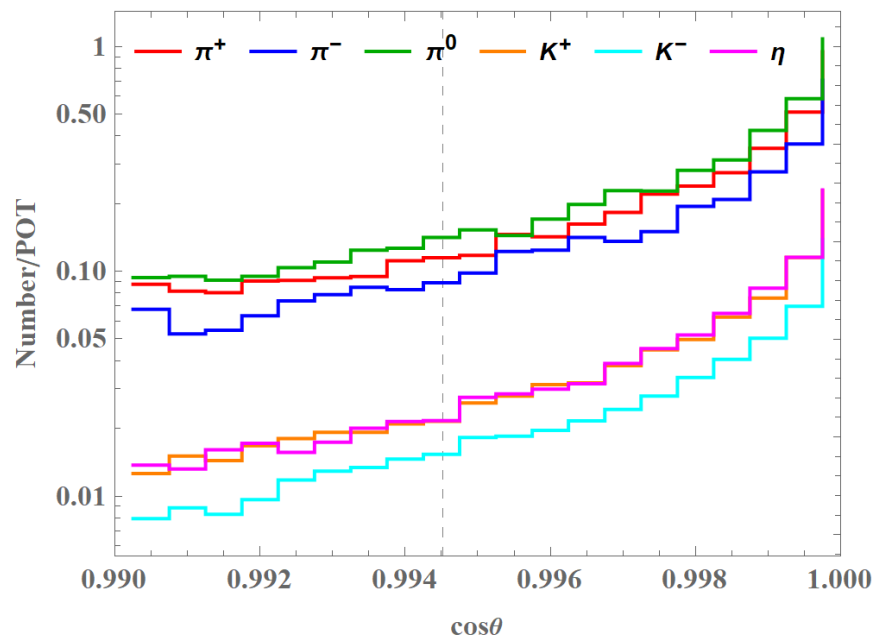
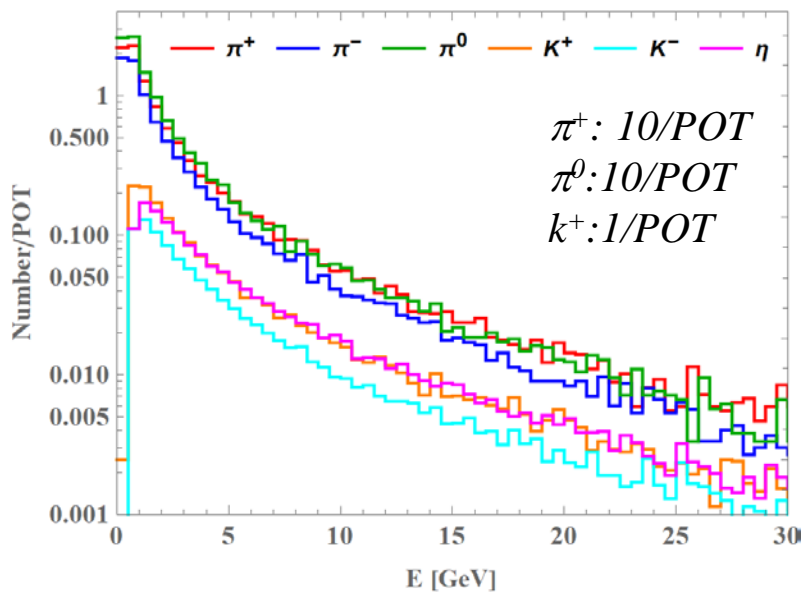
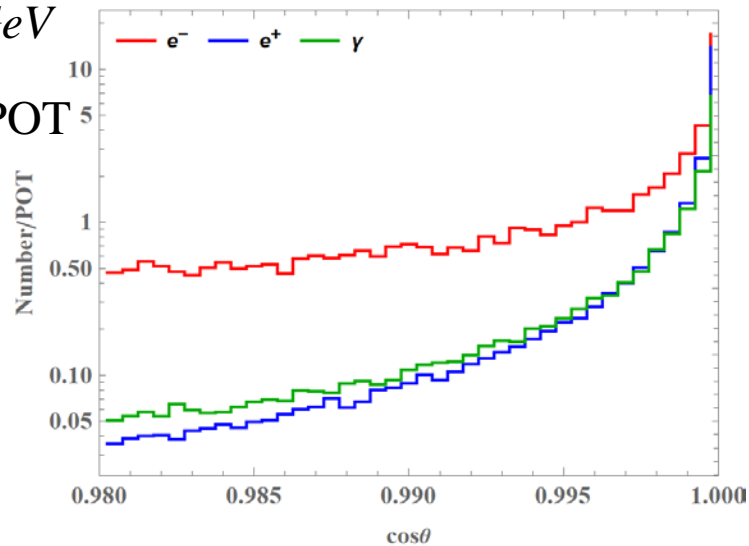
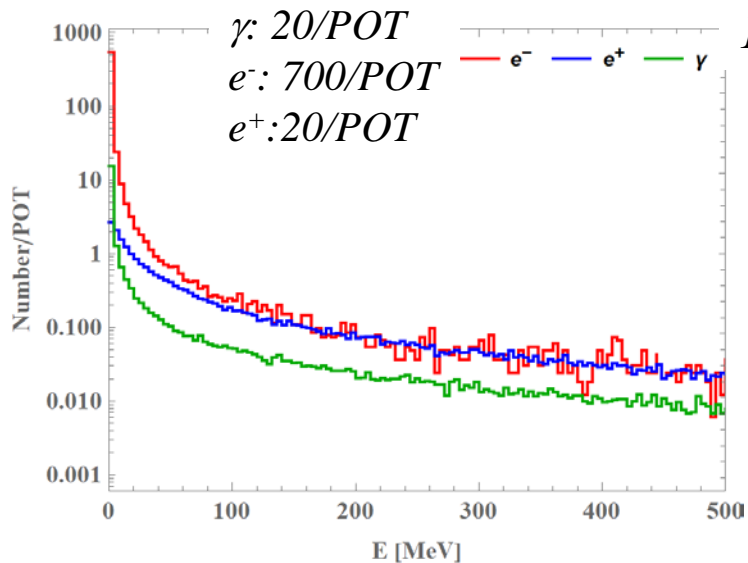
10^{21} POT



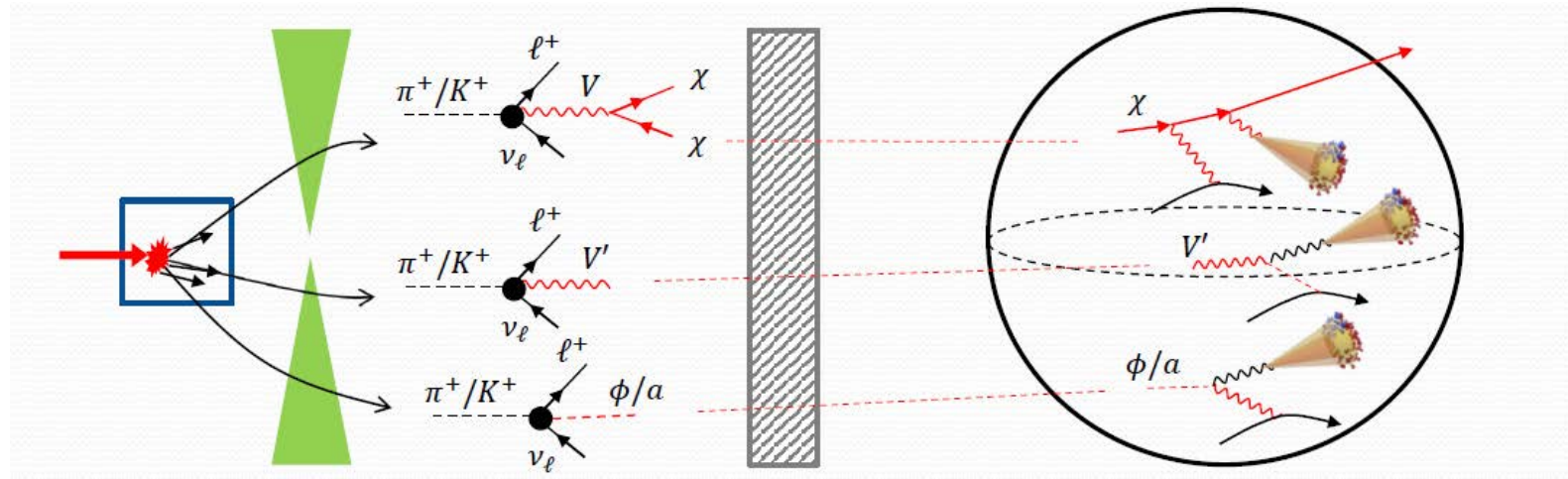
Due to the magnetic horns, charged meson flux will be enhanced in the beam direction

Doojin's talk

Various flux spectra at DUNE



Focused flux spectra at DUNE/BNB

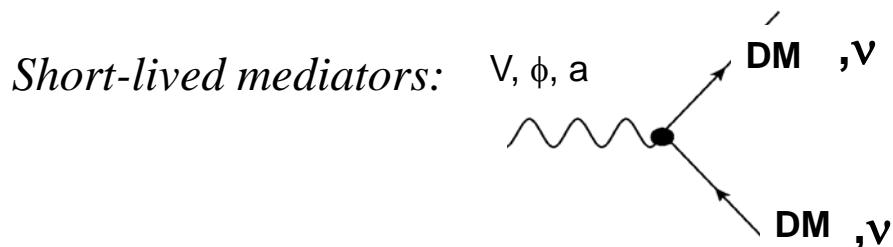


- More charged mesons in the direction of the detector
- Charged pion/neutral pion ~ 10 : BNB; DUNE
(This ratio allows the dark sector model to explain the MiniBooNE excess while satisfying the dump result) \rightarrow implications for models
- Charged pion/neutral pion ~ 1 : Stopped pion experiments
- Charge meson distributions (in decay volume) is important for BSM model contributions

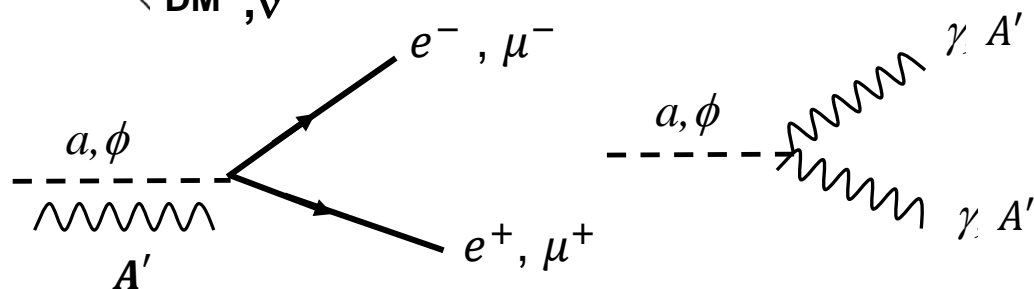
Adrian's talk
Doojin's talk

**Dutta, Kim, Thompson,
Thronton, Van de Water**
Phys.Rev.Lett. 129 (2022) 11, 111803

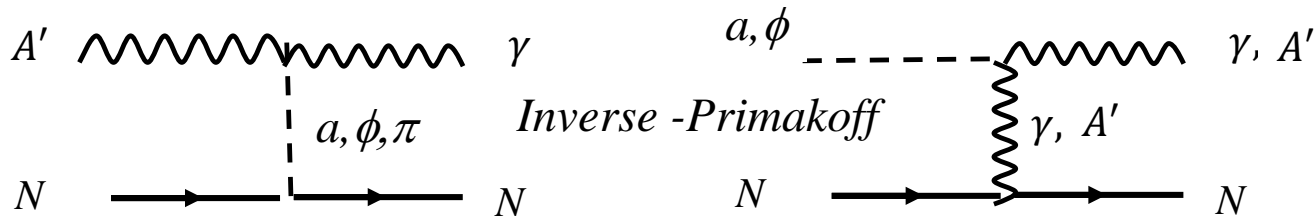
Final states at DUNE/BNB



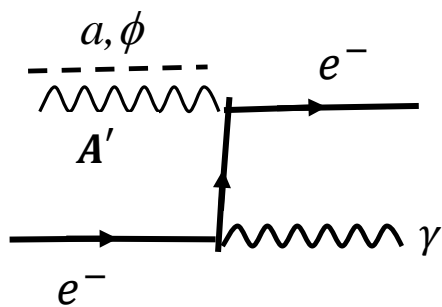
Longer-lived mediators: Decays



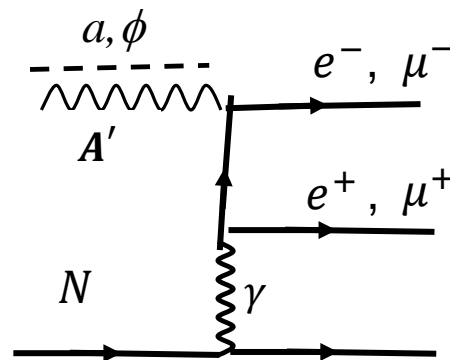
Scattering



Inverse-Primakoff



Inverse-Compton



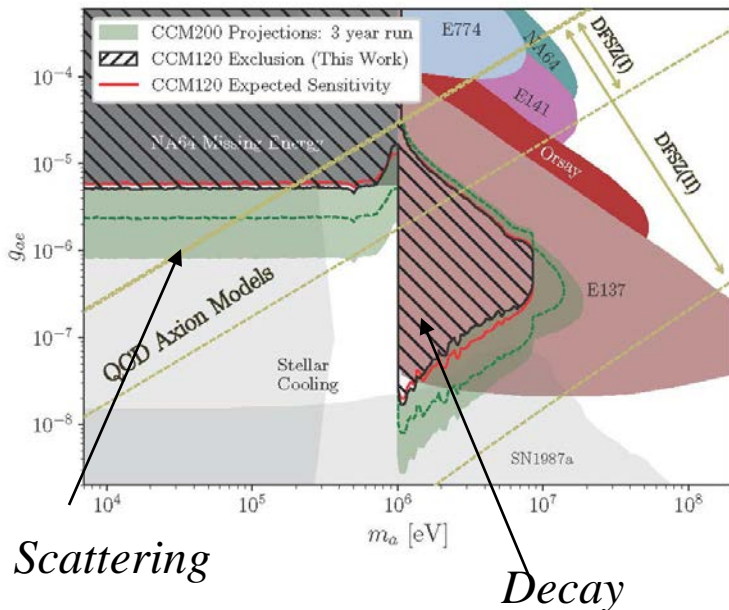
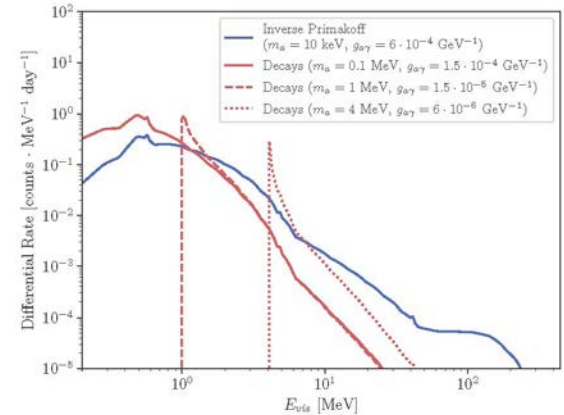
Bethe-Heitler pair production 14

Example: ALP at CCM

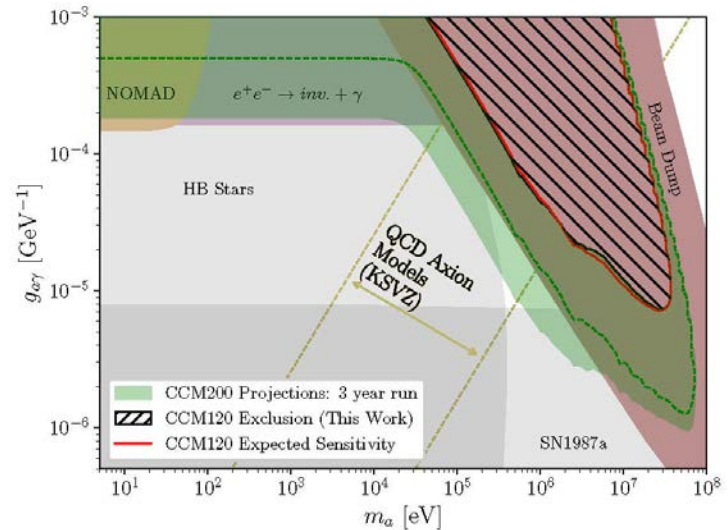
- γ , e^\pm fluxes, Primakoff/Compton productions, inverse Compton/Primakoff, decays final states are used by CCM(LANL) to explore new physics
- CCM established the feasibility of searching for new physics in the MeV region \rightarrow 1-100 MeV

CCM, 2112.09979

$$L \supset -g_{a,\phi\gamma} \frac{a}{4} F^{\mu\nu} \tilde{F}_{\mu\nu}$$

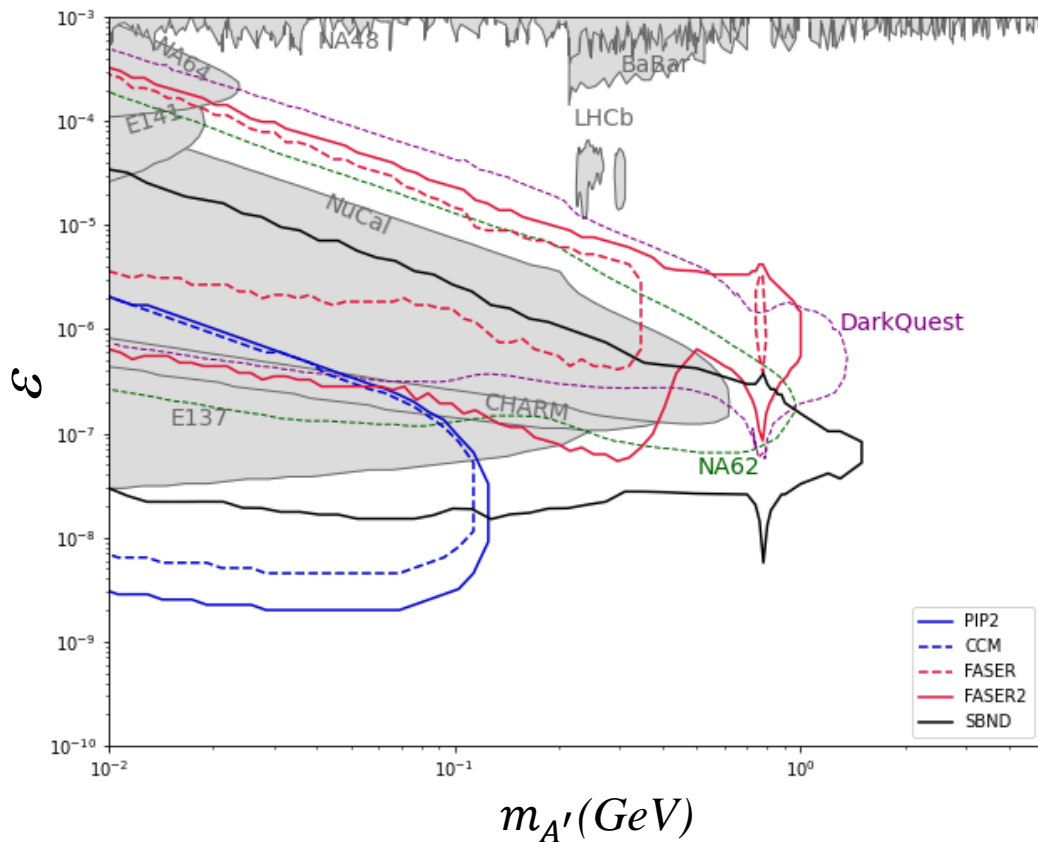


$$L \supset -g_{aee} \bar{e} (i\gamma^5) e a$$

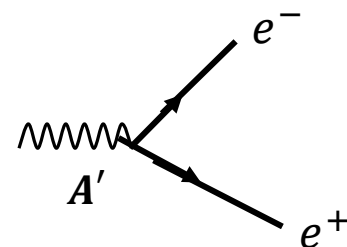


Example: SBND

Dark Photon



Decay final states



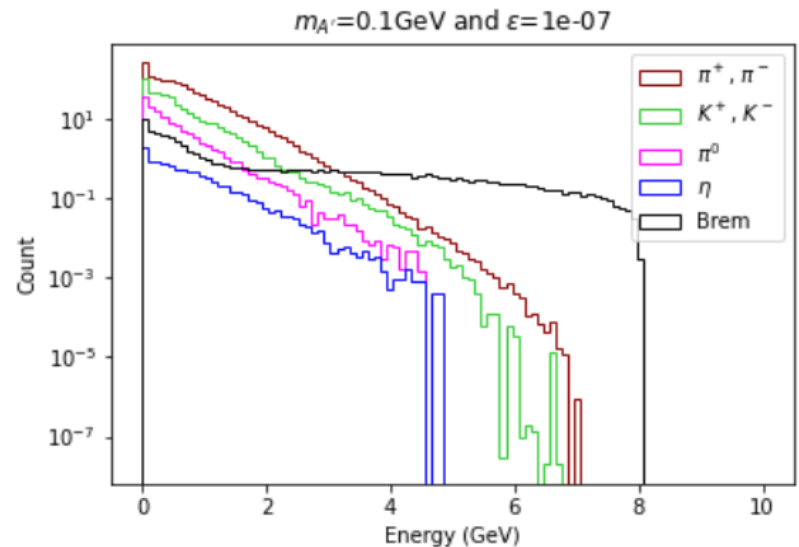
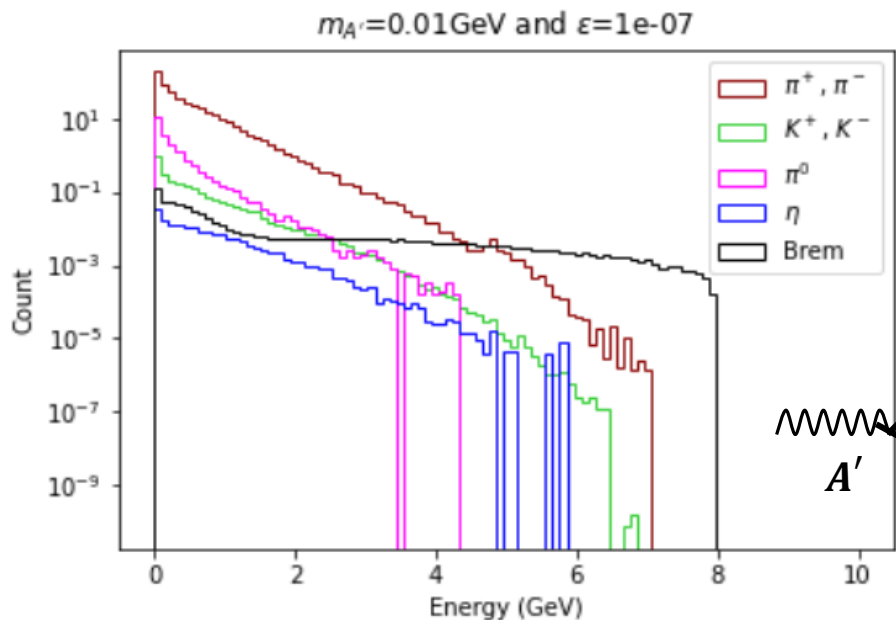
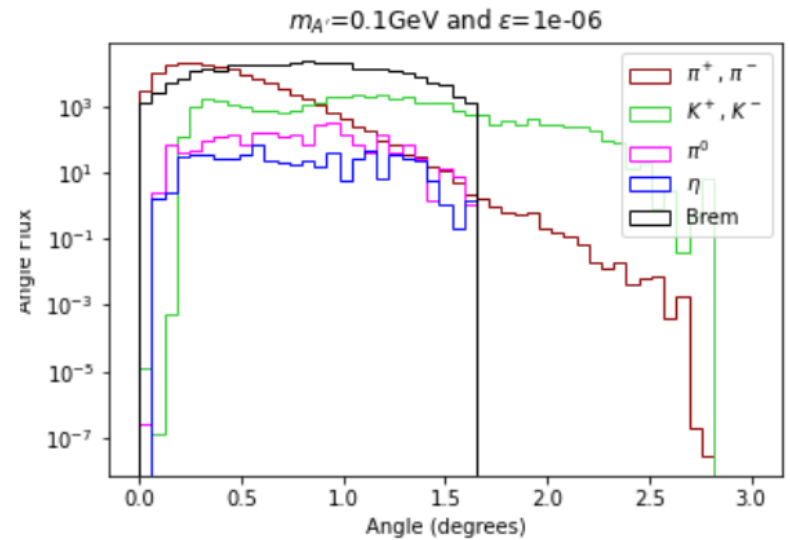
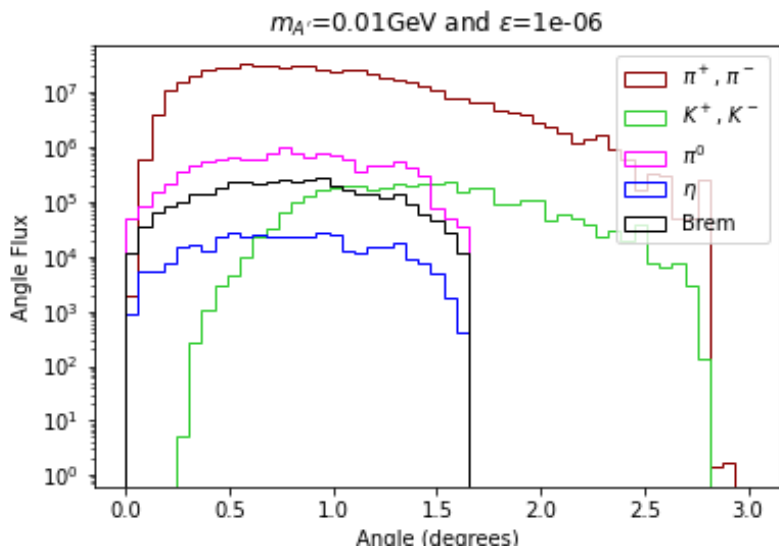
Scattering final states (ongoing)

lasubramanium, Dutta, Coyle, Kim, irthikeyan, Pandey, Palamara, SchuKraft

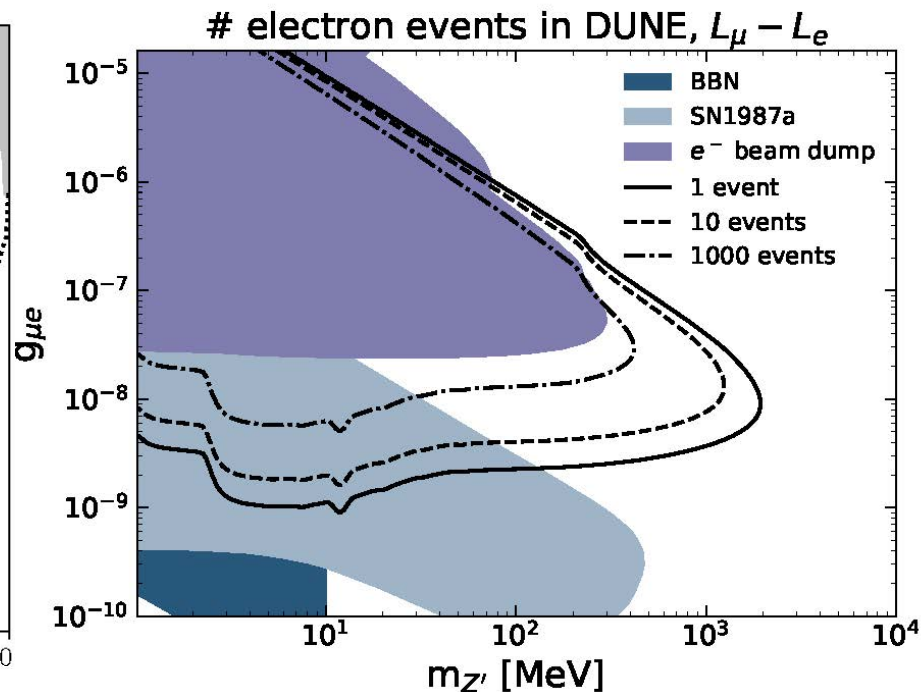
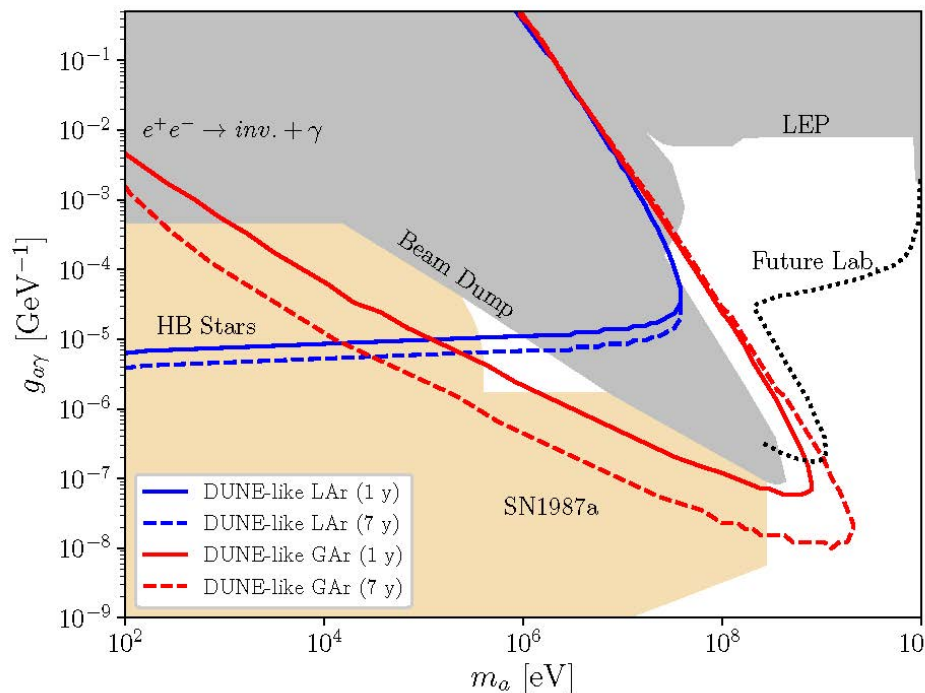
Productions involve: Charged and neutral meson decays, protons, electron/positron flux induces bremsstrahlung and various other production processes

Example: SBND

A'



Example: DUNE



$$L \supset -\bar{e} \gamma^\mu e A'$$

*ALP at DUNE using photon,
electron/positron flux*

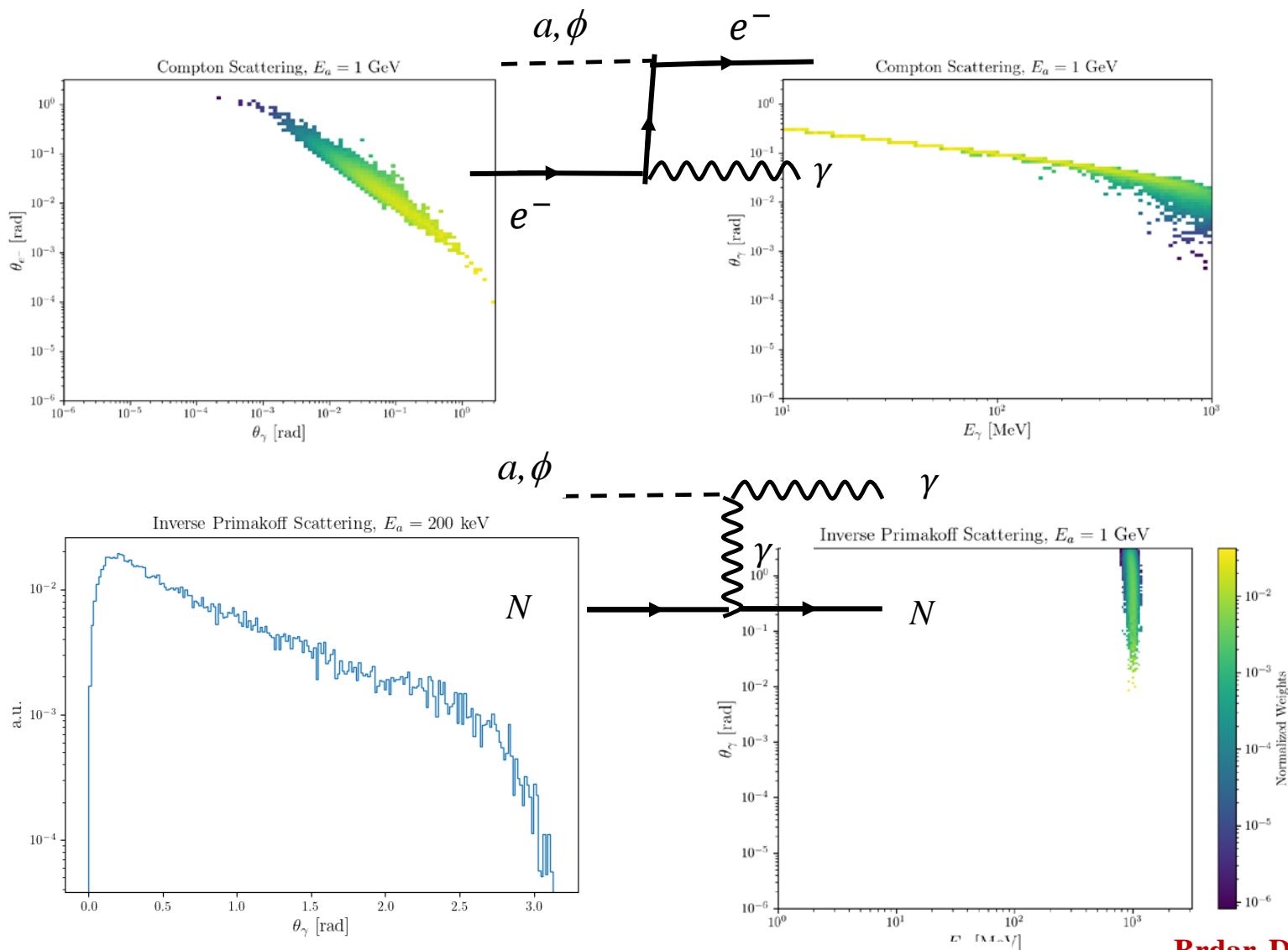
(includes scattering and decay)

**Brdar, Dutta, Jang, Kim, Shoemaker, Tabrizi,
Thompson, Yu, Phys.Rev.Lett. 126 (2021) 20, 201801**

*Z' at DUNE using photon, electron/positron flux
[bremsstrahlung + resonance]
(includes decay)*

**Capozzi, Dutta, Gurung, Jang, Shoemaker,
Thompson, Yu, Phys.Rev.D 104 (2021) 11, 115010**

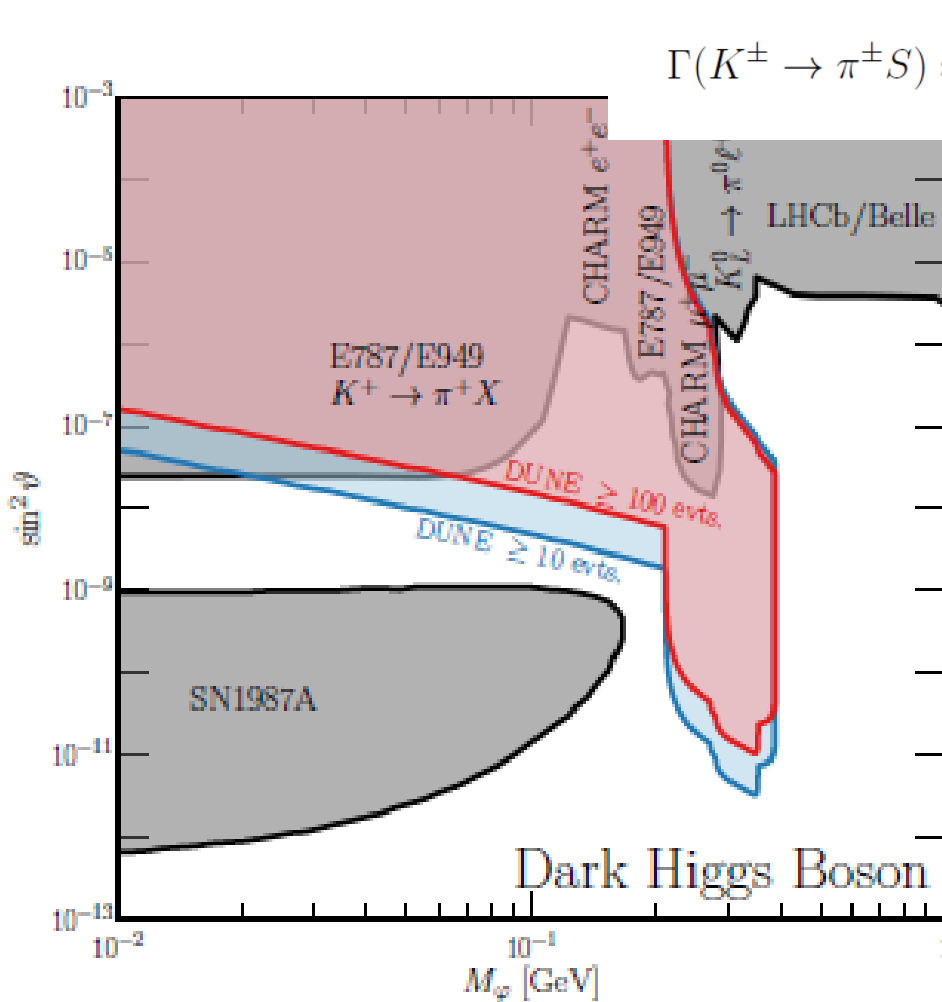
Example: DUNE



- Correlation among different final observables
- ALP couplings, masses can be determined

**Brdar, Dutta, Kim,
Shoemaker, Tabrizi,
Thompson, Yu**

Example: DUNE



$$\Gamma(K^\pm \rightarrow \pi^\pm S) \approx \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{16\pi m_K} \left| \frac{3V_{td}^* V_{ts} m_t^2 m_K^2}{32\pi^2 v^3} \right|^2 \lambda^{1/2} \left(1, \frac{m_S^2}{m_K^2}, \frac{m_\pi^2}{m_K^2} \right)$$

Using $K^\pm \rightarrow \pi^\pm \phi$

$\phi \rightarrow l^+ l^-, \pi^+ \pi^-$

Berryman, Gouvea, Fox, Kayser, Kelly, JHEP 02 (2020) 174

Model Varieties

High intensity sources allow us to probe many new physics mediators!

- Quark couplings: meson decays (charged and neutral), proton brem, Parton interactions,
Detection: scattering, decays

$U(1)_B, U(1)_{B-L},$
 $U(1)_{T3R},$
 QCD axion,
 Scalar quark couplings
- Electron couplings: electron bremsstrahlung, resonance, Compton, associated, (charged meson decays),
Detection: Inverse Compton, BH pair production, decays

$U(1)_{L_e-L_{\mu,\tau}}, U(1)_{B-L},$
 $U(1)_{T3R},$ leptophilic scalar,
 pseudoscalar
- Muon couplings: (charged meson decays), muon brem
Detection: BH muon pair production, decays

$U(1)_{L_{\mu}-L_{e,\tau}}, U(1)_{B-L},$
 $U(1)_{T3R},$ muonphilic scalar,
 pseudoscalar
- Photon couplings: photon flux, neutral meson flux,
Detection: Scattering, decays

$L \supset -\frac{\varepsilon}{4} F^{\mu\nu} F_{\mu\nu}^{(\prime)} - g_{a,\phi\gamma} \frac{(a, \phi)}{4} F^{\mu\nu} \tilde{F}_{\mu\nu}$
- Neutrinophilic mediator: (charged meson decays), *Detection: decays into ν_τ*

➔ Complete models of ALP, $U(1)$ ' models, g-2 allowed parameter spaces, MiniBooNE explanation

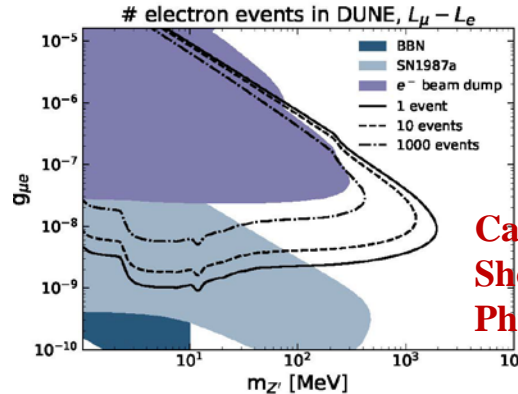
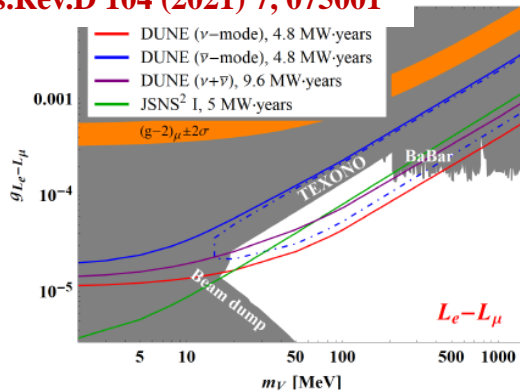
Model Varieties

- Light mediators models with neutrino-quark/lepton interactions, e.g., $U(1)_{L_e-L_{\mu,\tau}}$, $U(1)_{B-L}$ can also be probed by scattering at the detector (NSI search):

$$\nu + e, N \rightarrow \nu + e, N \quad \rightarrow \text{Similar to SM neutrino scattering}$$

→ A complementary probe of the parameter space, e.g., using decay:

Dev, Kim, Sinha, Zhang,
Phys.Rev.D 104 (2021) 7, 075001

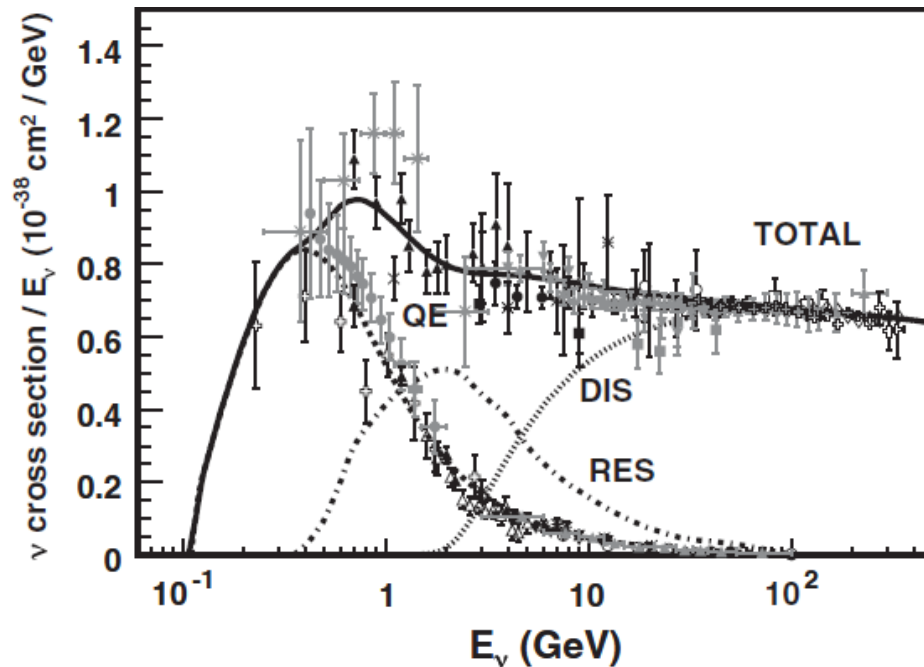


Scattering needs to be included

Capozzi, Dutta, Gurung, Jang, Shoemaker, Thompson, Yu,
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- HNL production from charged pion decays can also be probed from the HNL decays into lepton pair, photon etc. **Coloma, Fern´andez-Mart´inez, Gonz´alez-L´opez, Hern´andez-Garc´ia, Pavlovic, Eur. Phys. J. C, 81(1):78, 2021**
- HNL produced the neutrino up scattering at the detector can produce lepton pairs, photons etc. **Kamp, Hostert, Schneider, Vergani, Argüelles, 2206.07100**
Bertuzzo, Jana, Machado, Funchal, Phys.Rev.Lett. 121 (2018) 24, 241801
- All these mediators can decay into DM: All production modes need to be combined, i.e., charged, neutral meson decays, bremsstrahlung etc.

Backgrounds



- μ, e, γ in the final states

New physics

- *Angular and energy distributions of the final state particles along with various correlations*

Questions?

- *Do the neutrino flux adjustment affect BSM physics?*
- *How do different generators impact?*
- *Is there any low-hanging fruit for BSM models?*

Outlook

- Light mediator models can explain various anomalies and puzzles
- Many model possibilities
- $M(\text{new physics}) < \text{GeV}$ is not easy to probe, e.g., LHC, direct and indirect detection experiments mostly probe $M > \text{GeV}$
- Neutrino experiments provide interesting possibilities to search for low-scale models without any interaction with neutrinos
- New physics can be searched using neutrino and γ , e^\pm , meson fluxes at the accelerator-based experiments
- Ongoing neutrino experiments are already providing interesting results