

# Light mass window of inert doublet dark matter with lepton portal interaction

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Reference

JHEP03(2023)010 (arXiv: 2208.05487) with Syuhei Iguro and Shohei Okawa (KEK);

JHEP02(2021)231 (arXiv: 2011.04788) with Shohei Okawa;

JHEP08(2020)042 (arXiv: 2002.12534) with Junichiro Kawamura (IBS) and Shohei Okawa

# Introduction

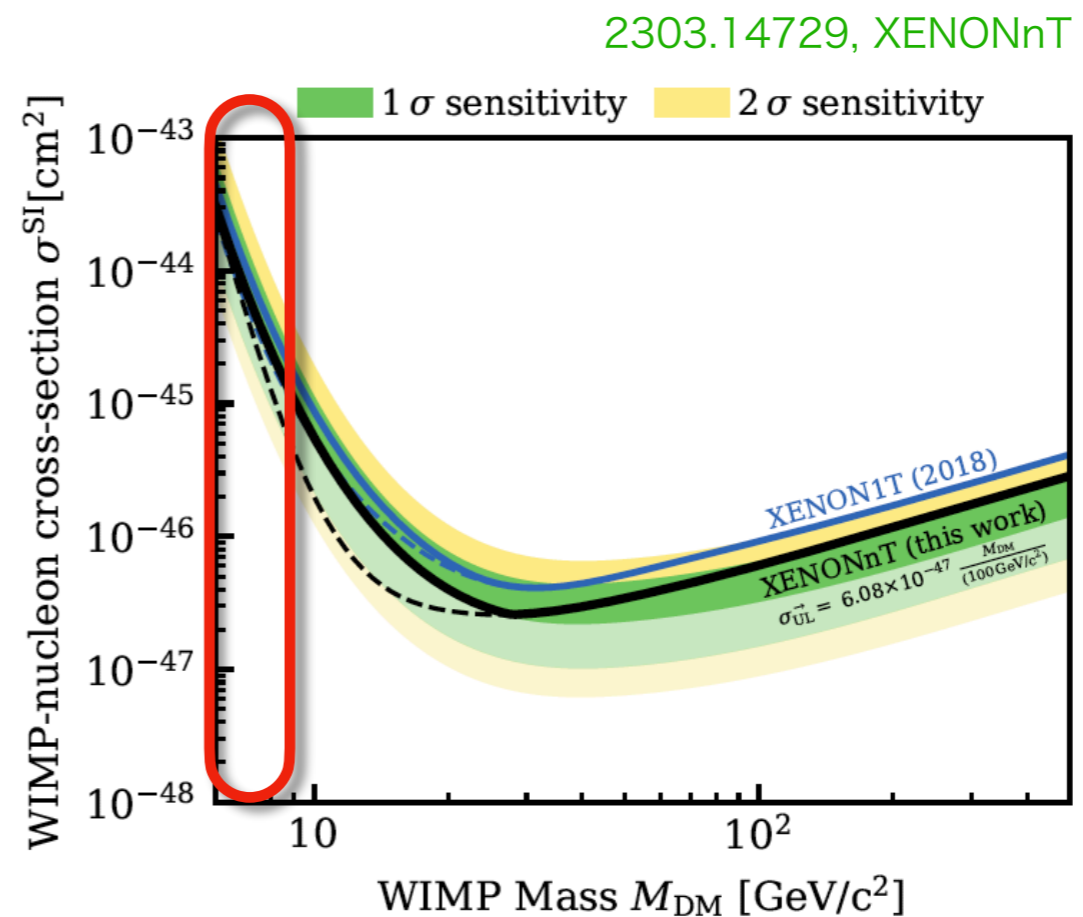
# Contents

discuss models with light thermal DM,

## Motivation

avoid the very strong constraints from the DM direct detection experiments.

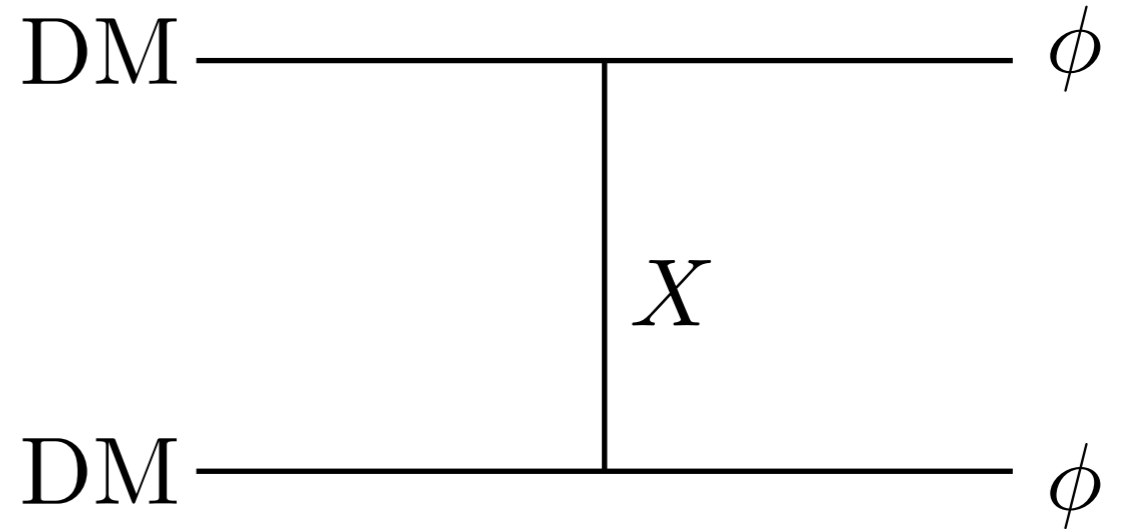
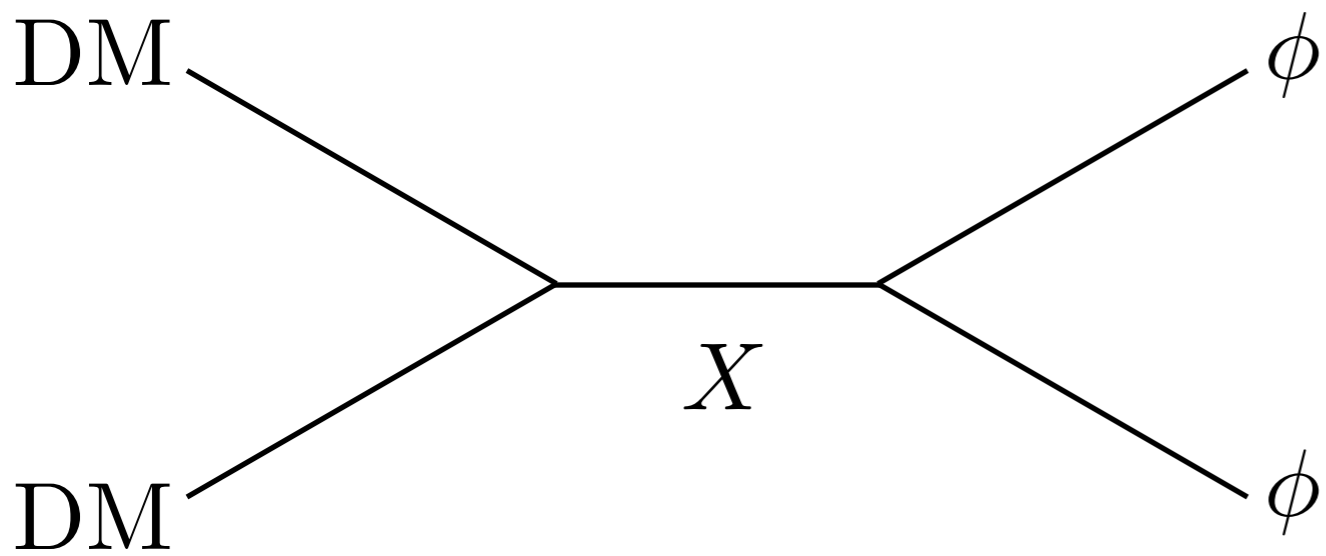
$$m_{\text{DM}} \lesssim 10\text{GeV}$$



# Comparison with previous research

Light thermal DM scenarios have been proposed in many papers.

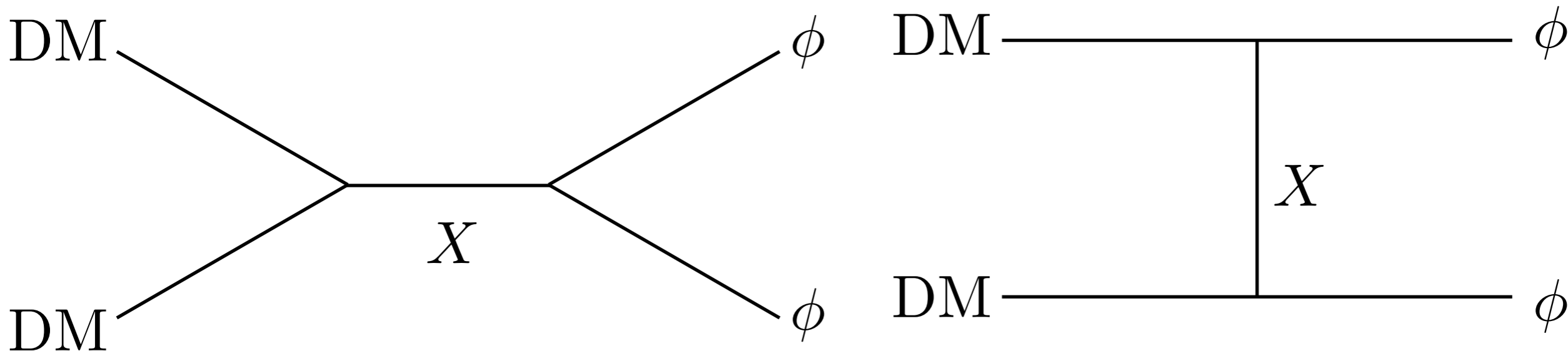
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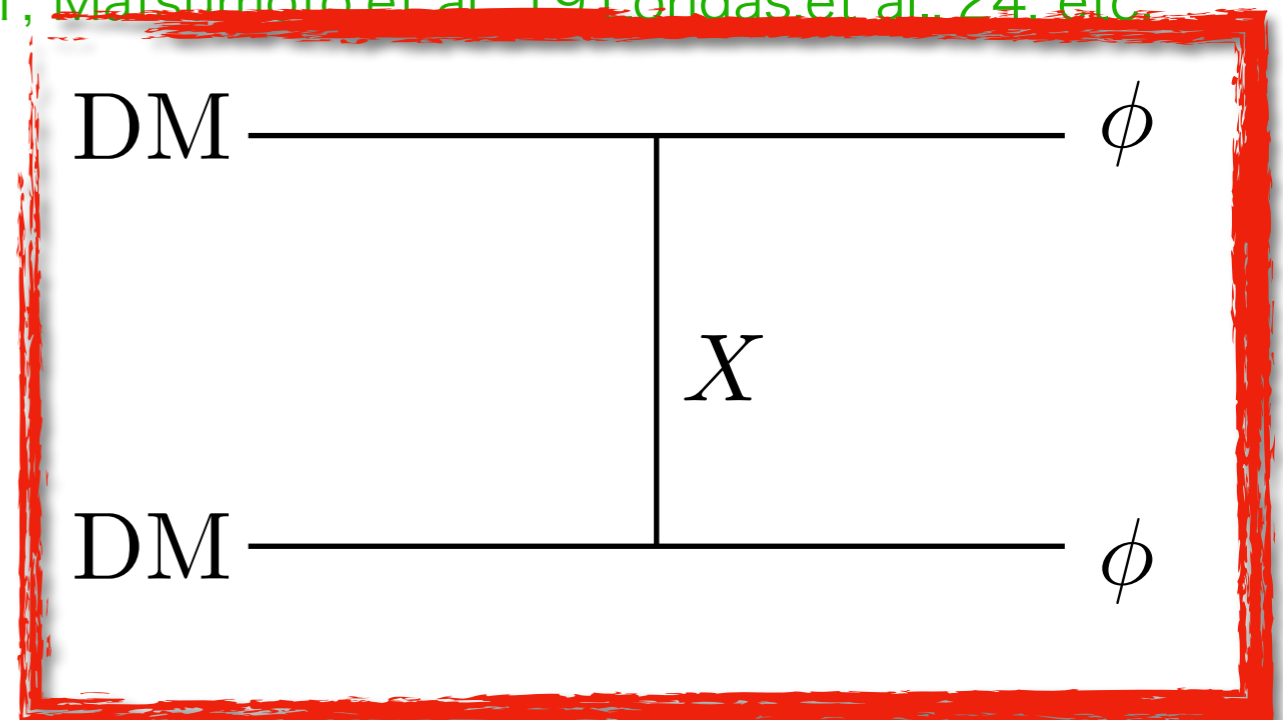
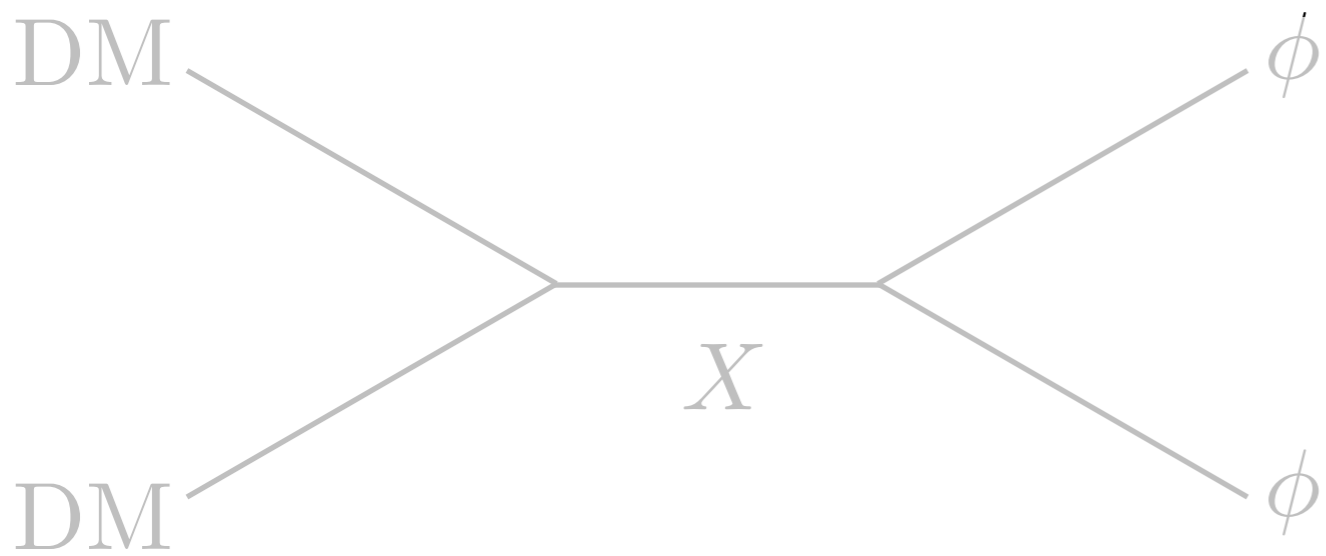
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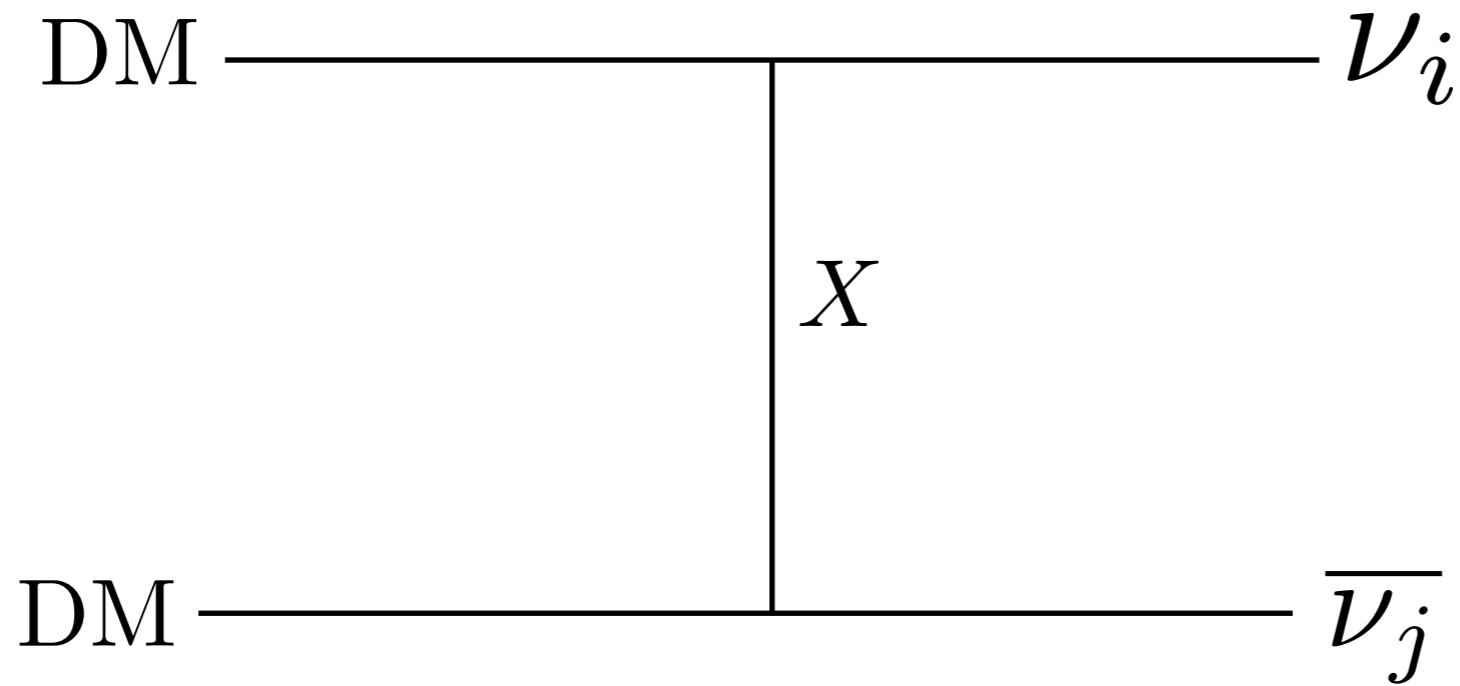
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light thermal DM models

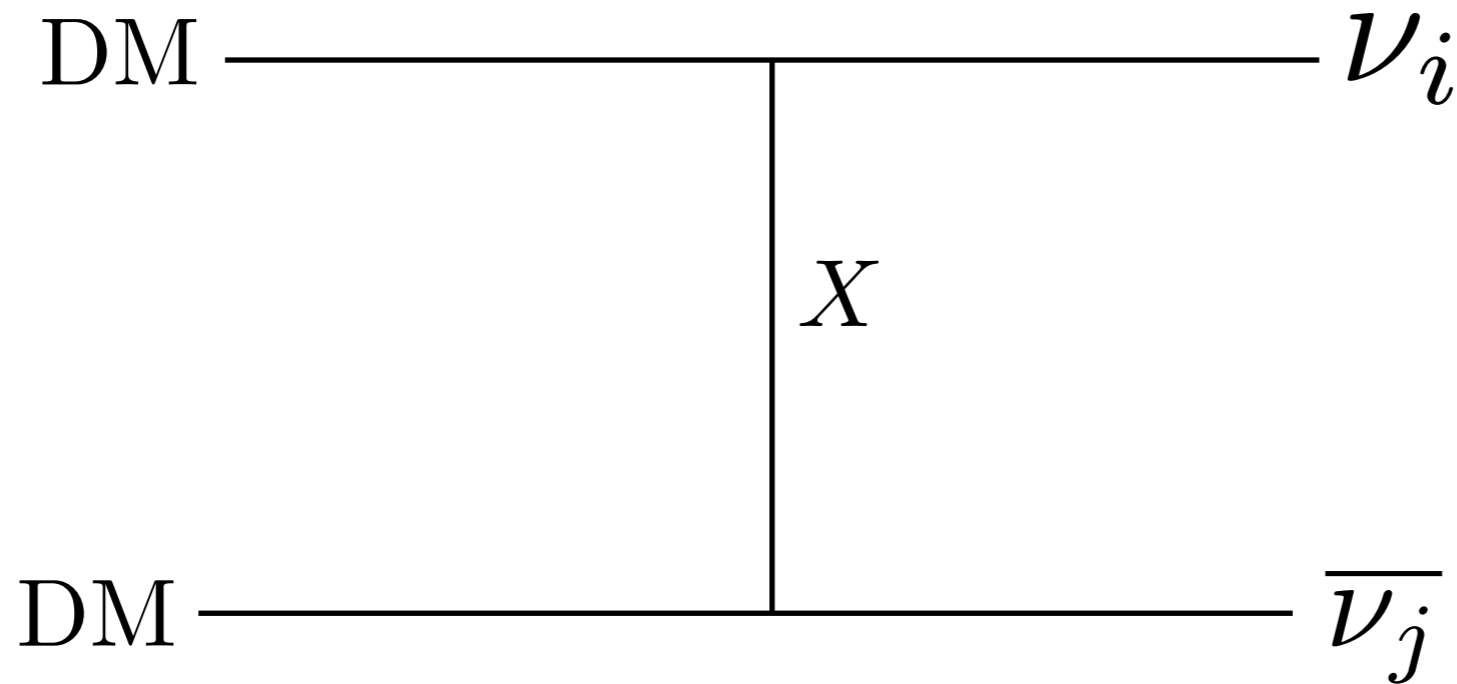


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Required Yukawa couplings,

$$y_{\nu}^i \bar{\nu}_i X \chi_{\text{DM}}$$

# Matter content

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<b>extra</b> $\psi_L$	1/2	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	0	1	-
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$\Phi$	1	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	$\frac{1}{2}$	0	+
<b>extra</b> $\Phi_\nu$	1	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	$\frac{1}{2}$	0	-

$\psi$  and neutral component of  $\Phi_\nu$  are good DM candidates.

to avoid too large neutrino masses radiatively induced.

The charge assignment allows this Yukawa couplings

$$- \mathcal{L}_\ell = y_\nu^i \overline{\ell}_L^i \widetilde{\Phi}_\nu \psi_R + h.c.$$

$\langle \Phi_\nu \rangle$  is vanishing, and decomposed as

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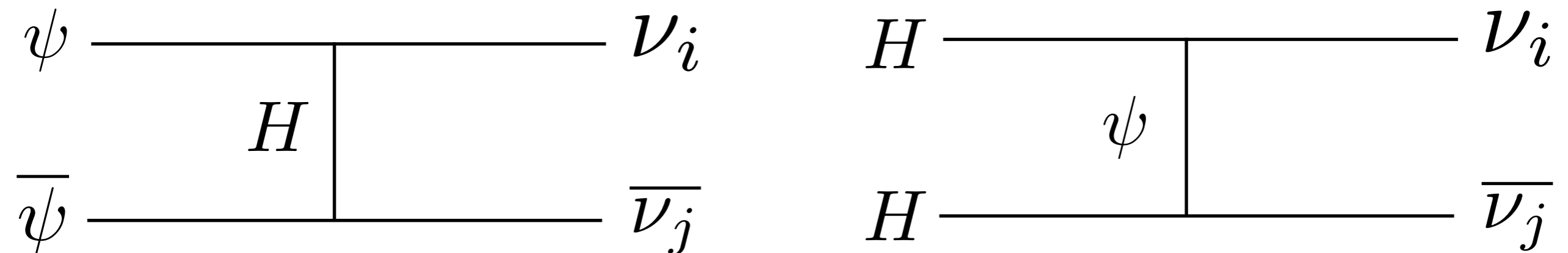
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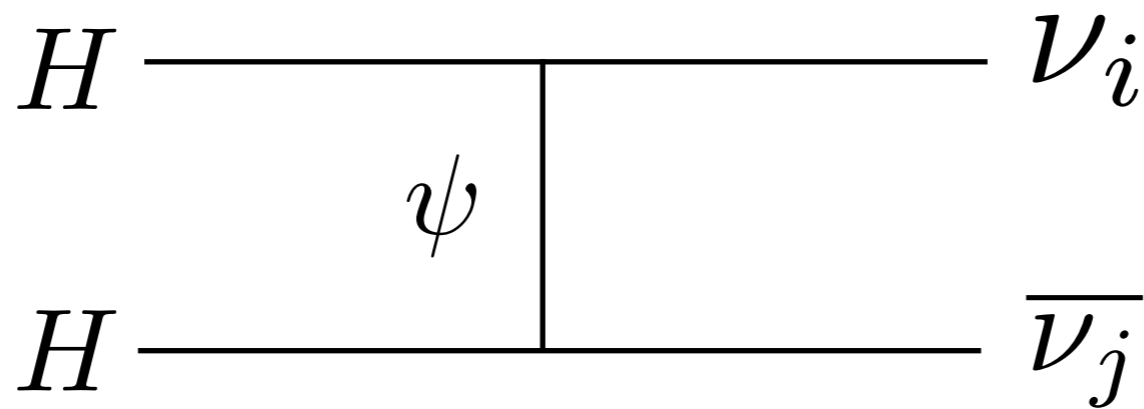


# Phenomenology

# DM candidate and the annihilation

I consider the case that  $H$  is DM. This is similar to Inert doublet DM.

The annihilation process, in addition to the EW int., is



$$(\sigma v_{\text{rel}})_{HH \rightarrow \nu_i \bar{\nu}_i} \simeq \frac{(y_{\nu}^i / \sqrt{2})^4 m_H^6}{60\pi (m_H^2 + m_{\psi}^2)^4} v_{\text{rel}}^4$$

masses  $< 10\text{GeV}$

To obtain the relic density,

- large Yukawa couplings are required (compared with  $\psi$  DM case.)
- $m_H \simeq m_{\psi}$  is also favored, making use of coannihilation processes.

# Constraints on $H$ couplings

- Large mass hierarchy is required to avoid the constraint of  $H_{\pm}$

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some couplings in Higgs potential should be large.

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- Tuning parameters is needed because of constraints from invisible decay of 125 GeV Higgs and the EWPO.

$$\frac{\lambda_{345}}{2} v h_{125} H^2$$

should be suppressed

$$(\lambda_{345} = \lambda_3 + \lambda_4 + \lambda_5)$$

small large large

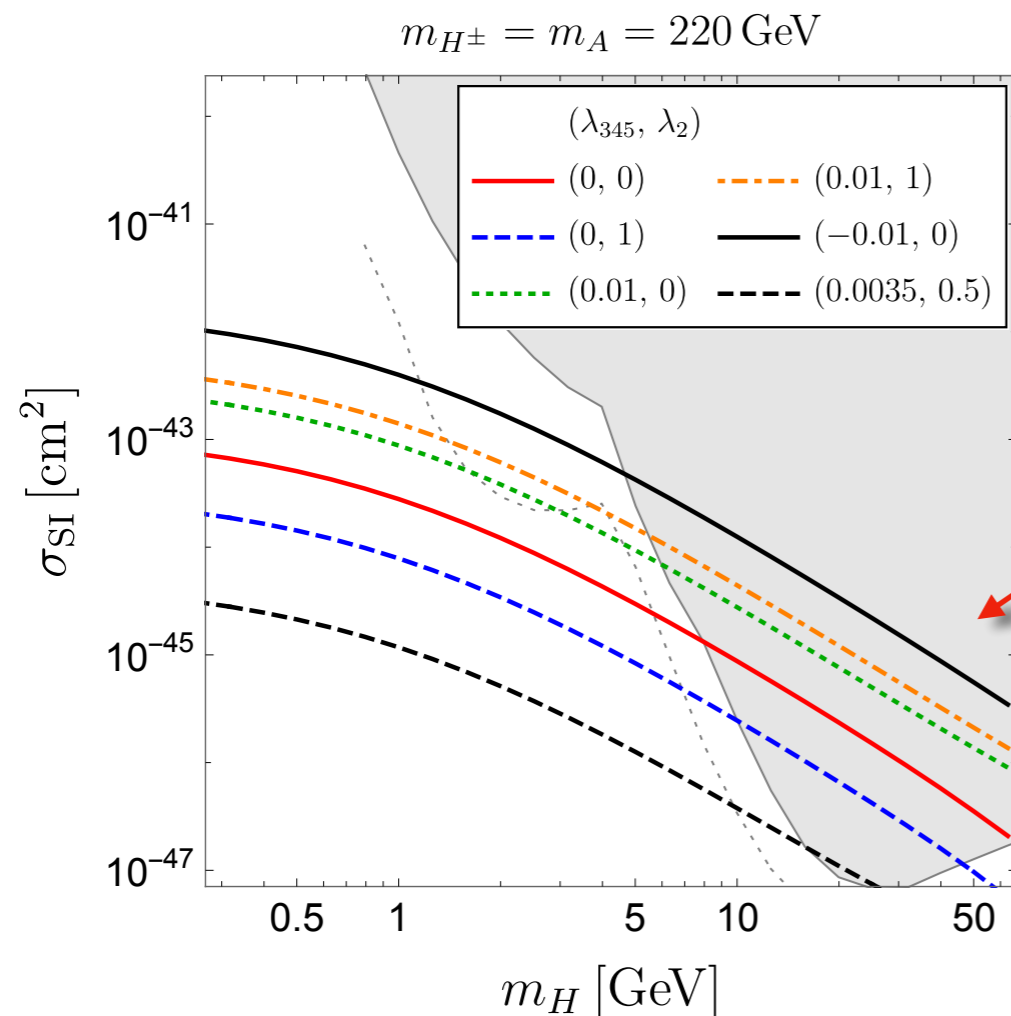
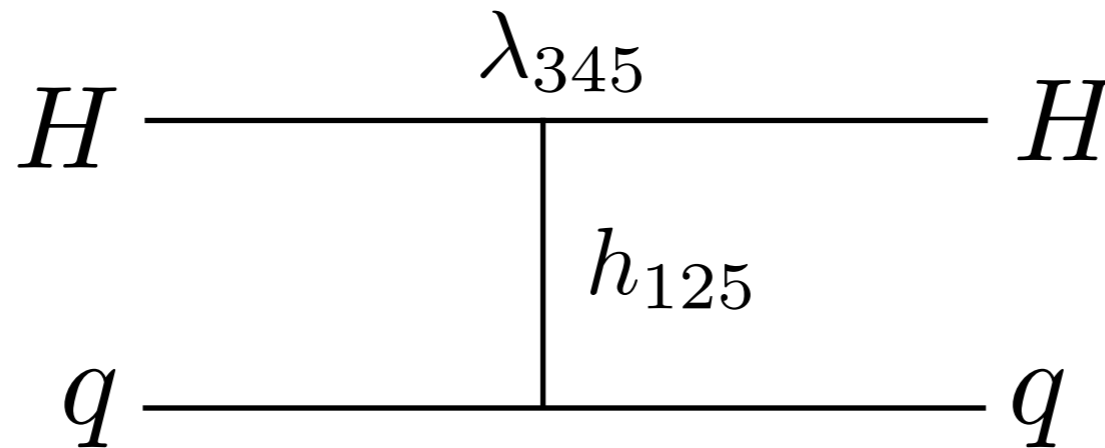
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# Direct detection of $H$ (DM)

The interaction of  $H$  with nuclei is given by 125 GeV Higgs exchange



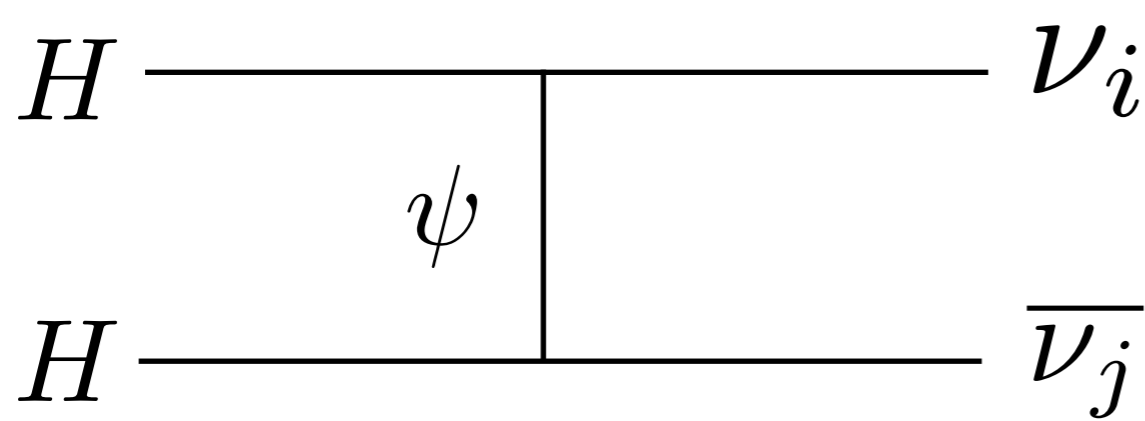
**Our predictions**

including loop corrections.  
They are suppressed to be consistent with the bound from invisible Higgs decay.

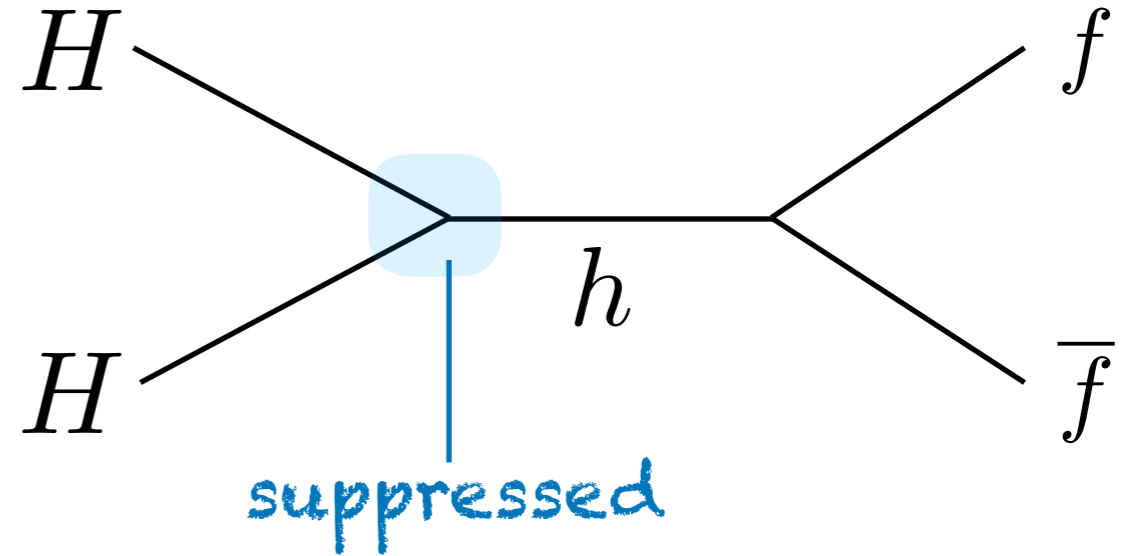
Abe, Sato, '15

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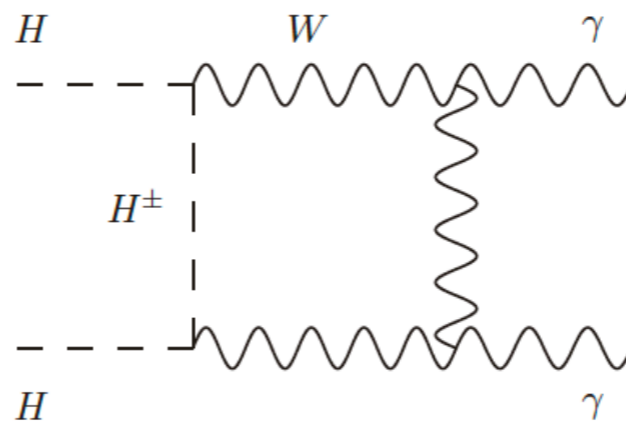
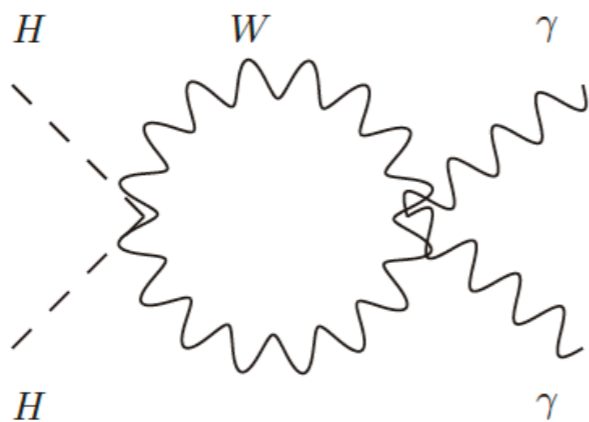
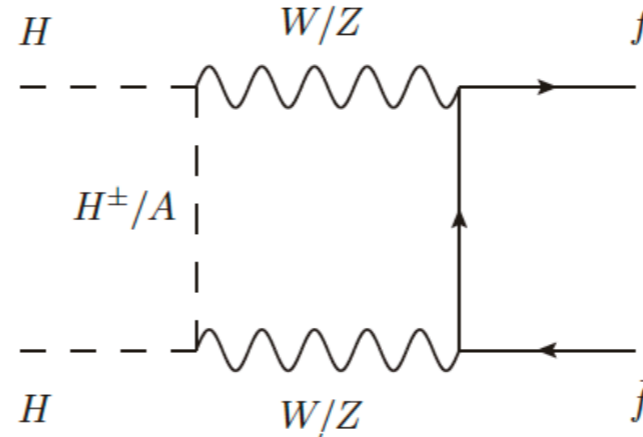
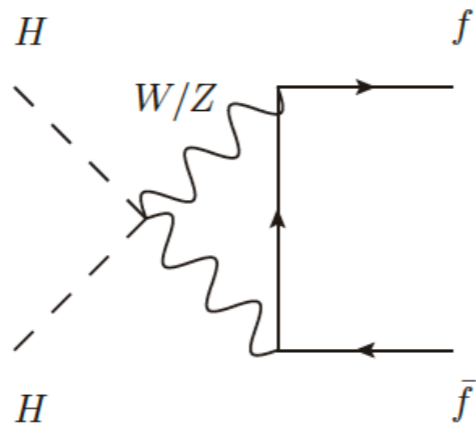
DMs ( $H$ ) annihilate to two fermions:



suppressed by velocity.



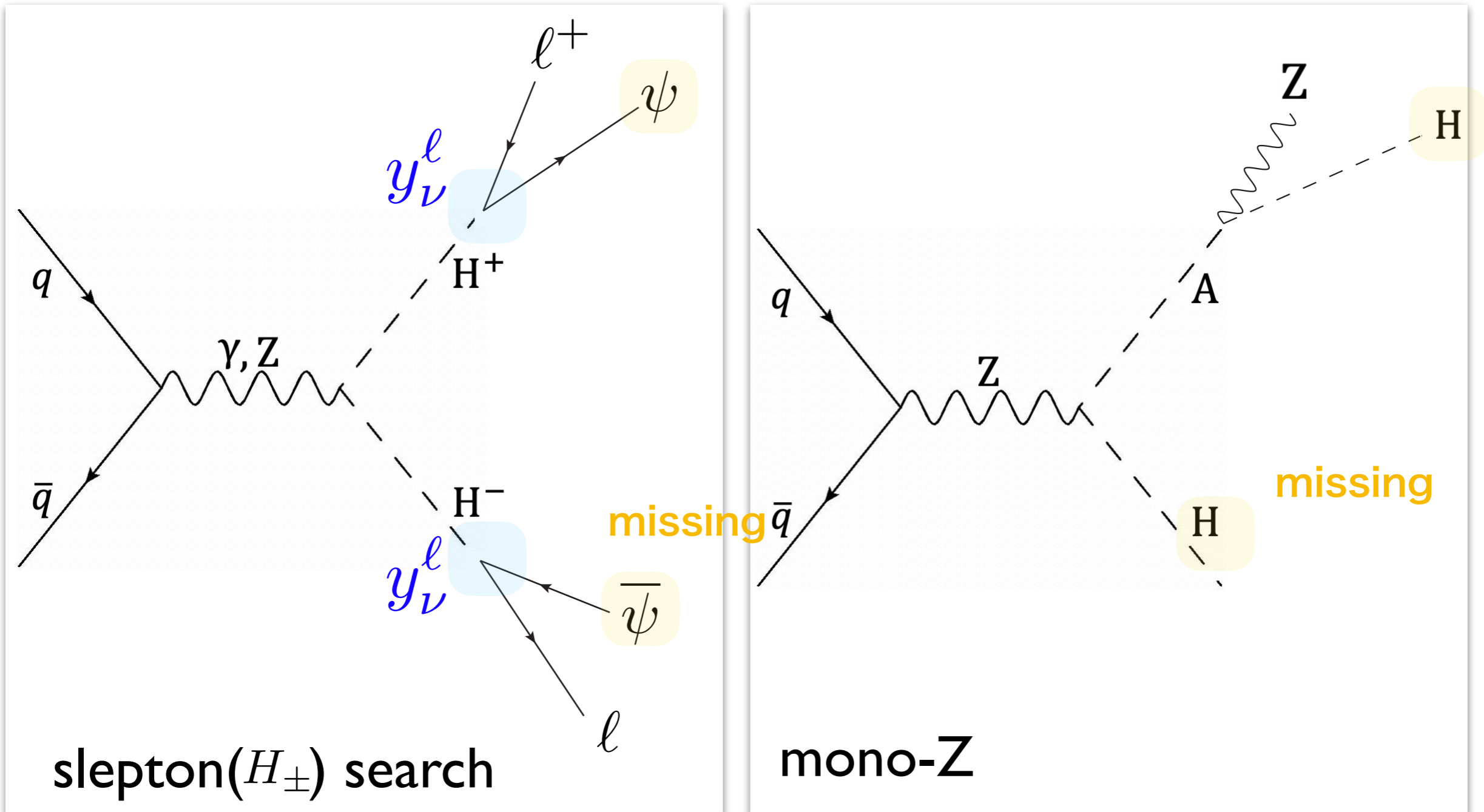
EW interaction gives some signals but small.



# Signals at the LHC

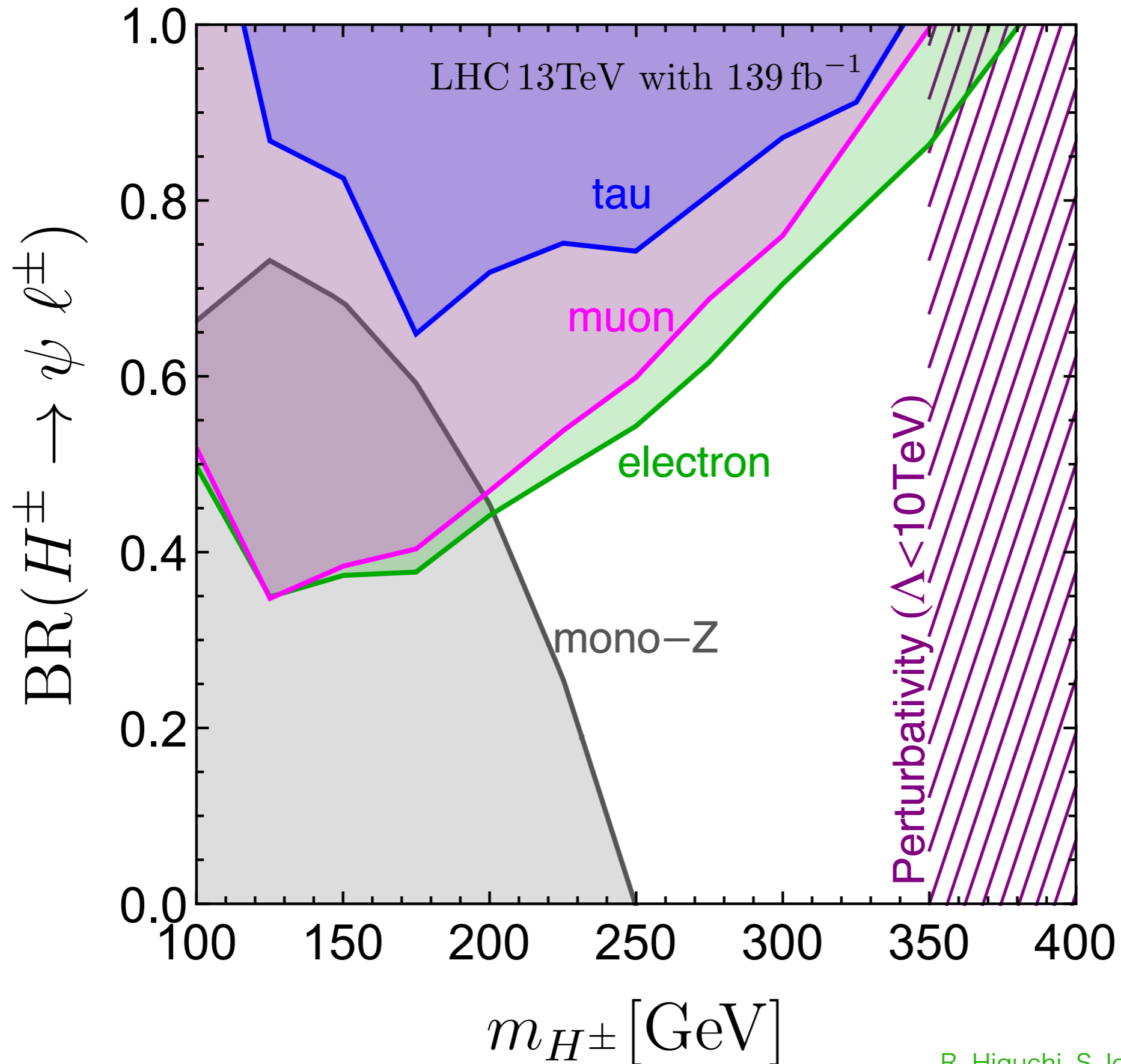
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$H$  and  $\psi$  are produced via EW interaction.



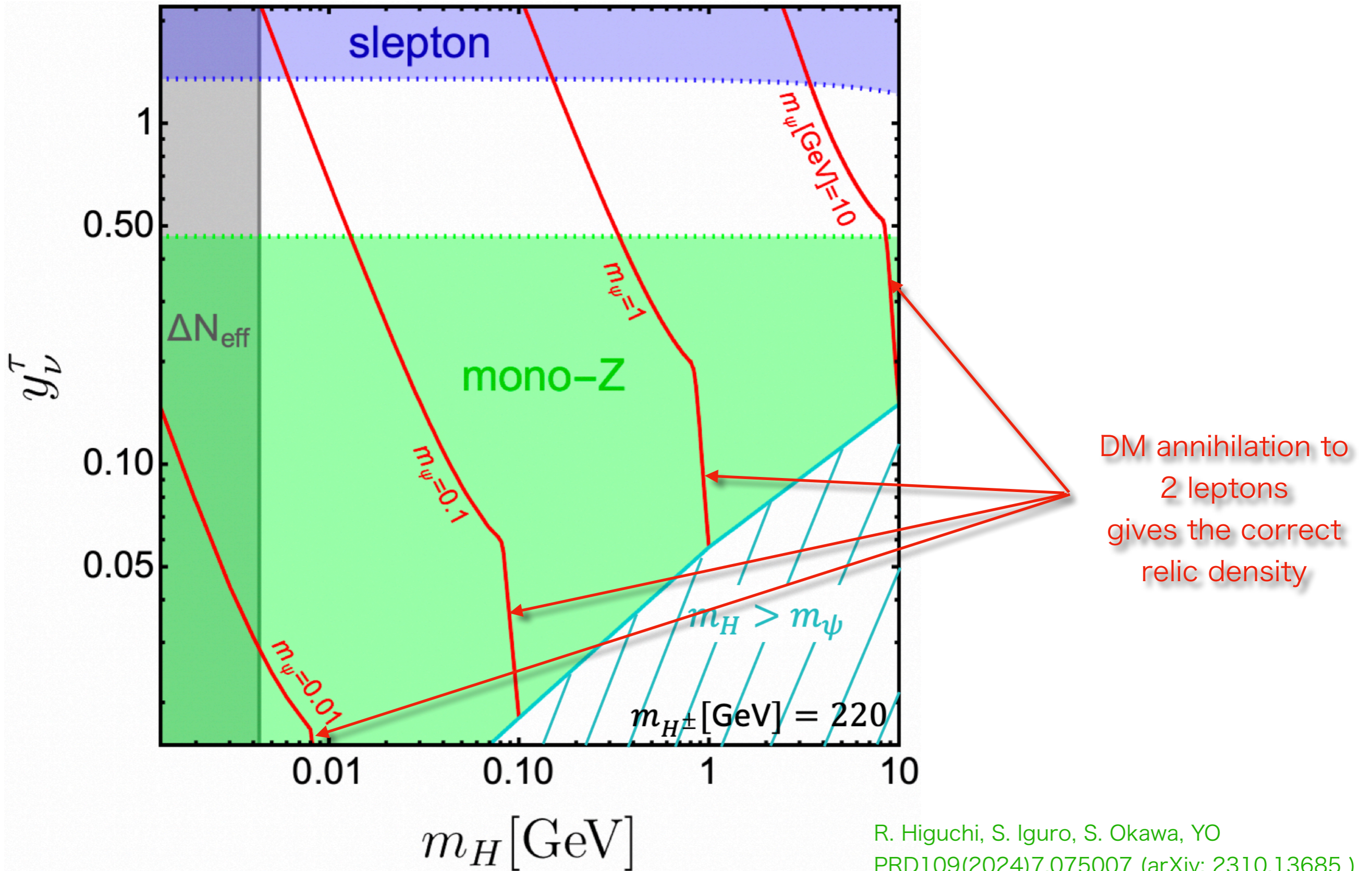
Mono-Z search is complementary to slepton search.

$$m_H = m_\psi = 1 \text{ GeV}$$





# Results

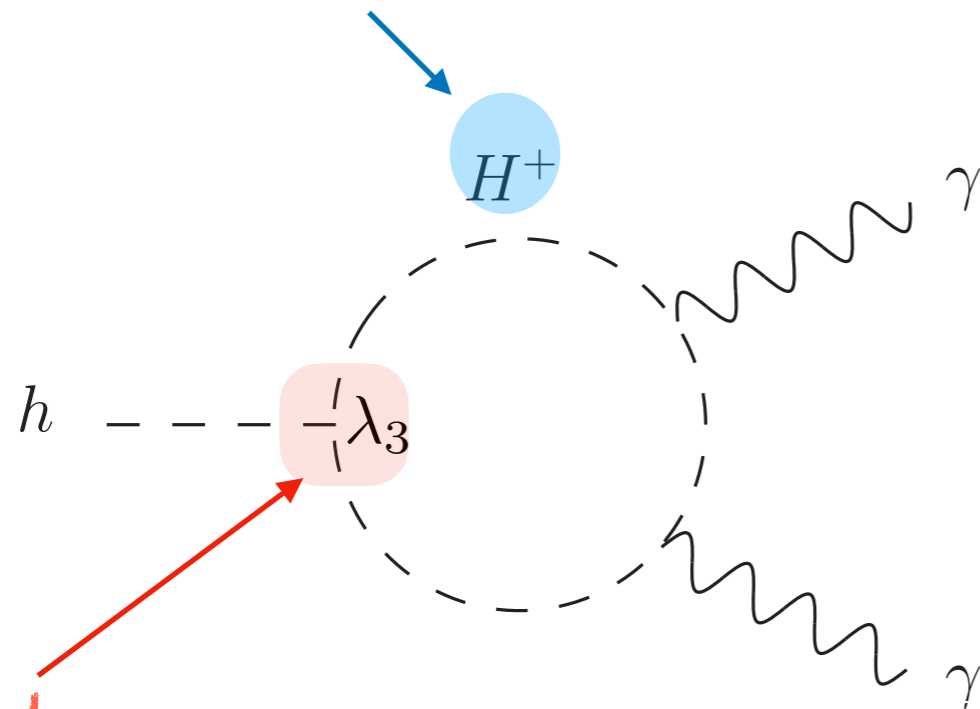
 assuming DM dominantly couples to  $\tau$  and  $\nu_\tau$ .

# Another way to test this model

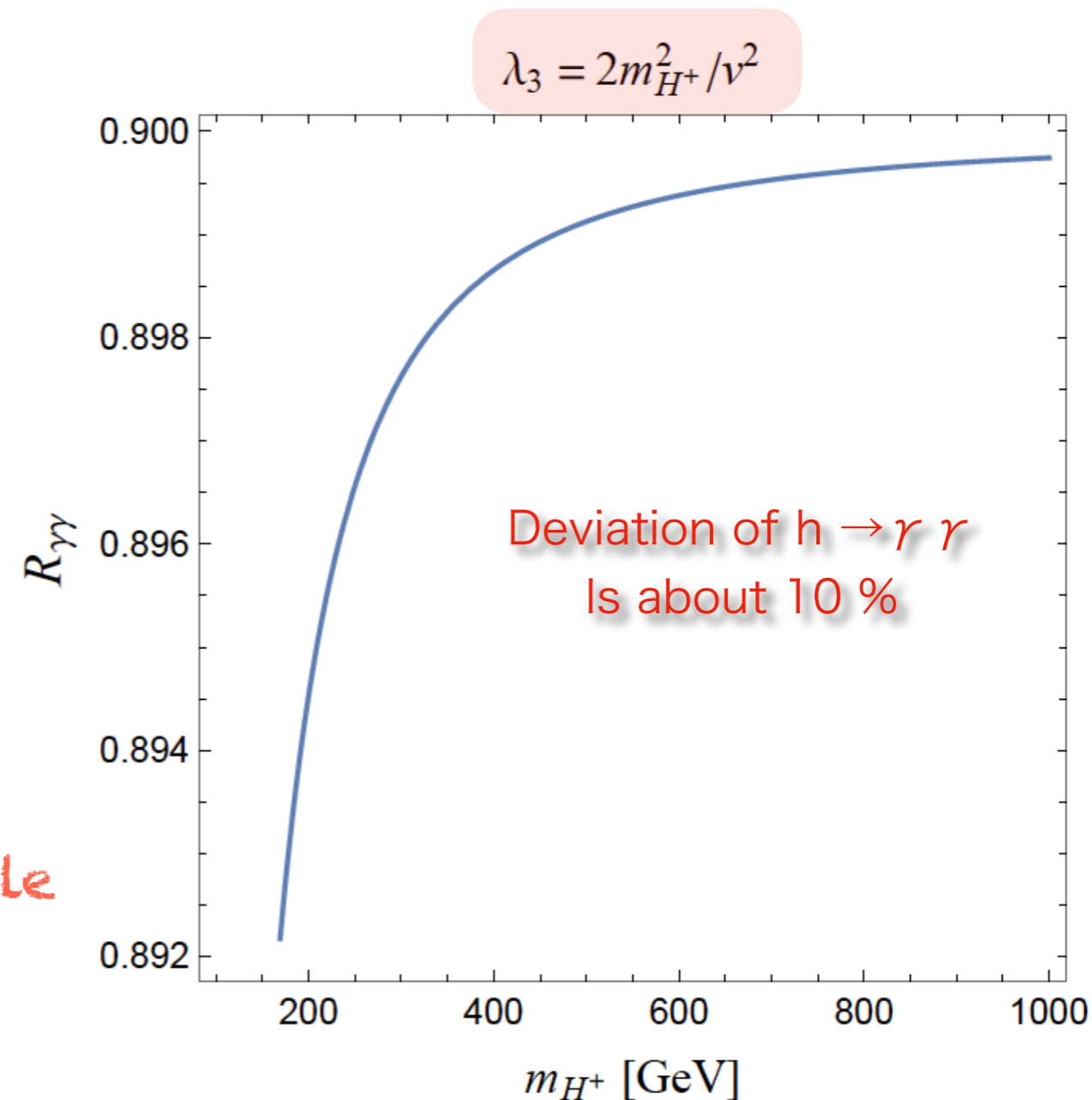
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125 GeV Higgs signal is deviated from the SM prediction.

Heavier than ~250 GeV because of LHC



Very large  
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 $H$  and  $H^+$  large and suppress invisible  
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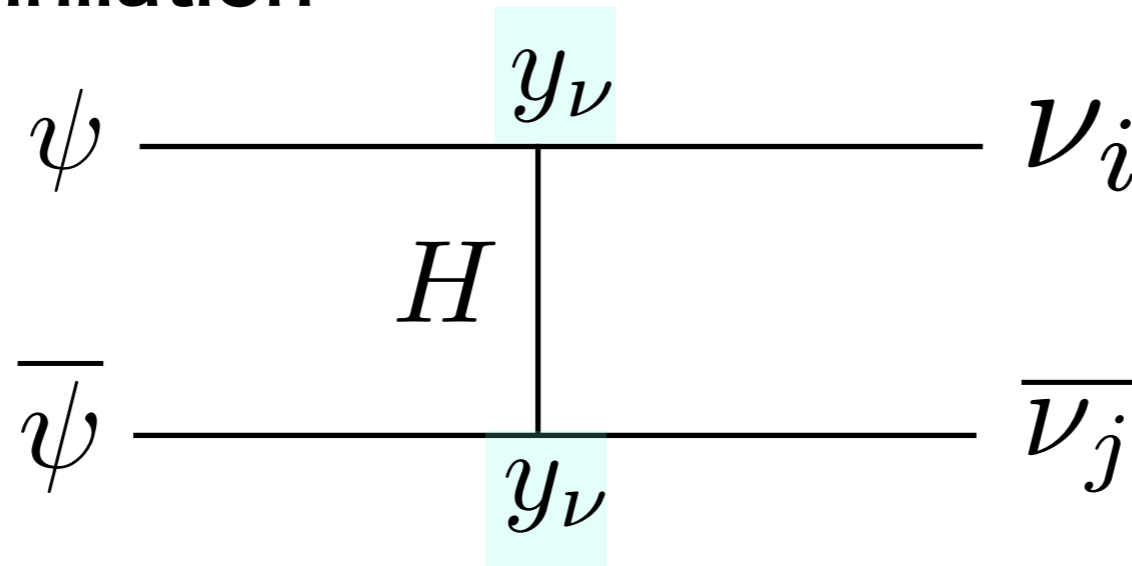
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If extra fermion,  $\psi$ , is light than  $H$ ,  $\psi$  is DM.

## DM annihilation



$$(\sigma v_{\text{rel}})_{\psi\bar{\psi}\rightarrow\nu\bar{\nu}} \simeq \frac{y_\nu^4 m_\psi^2}{128\pi (m_\psi^2 + m_H^2 - m_\nu^2)^2} \sqrt{1 - \frac{m_\nu^2}{m_\psi^2}}$$

Yukawa couplings can be relatively small.

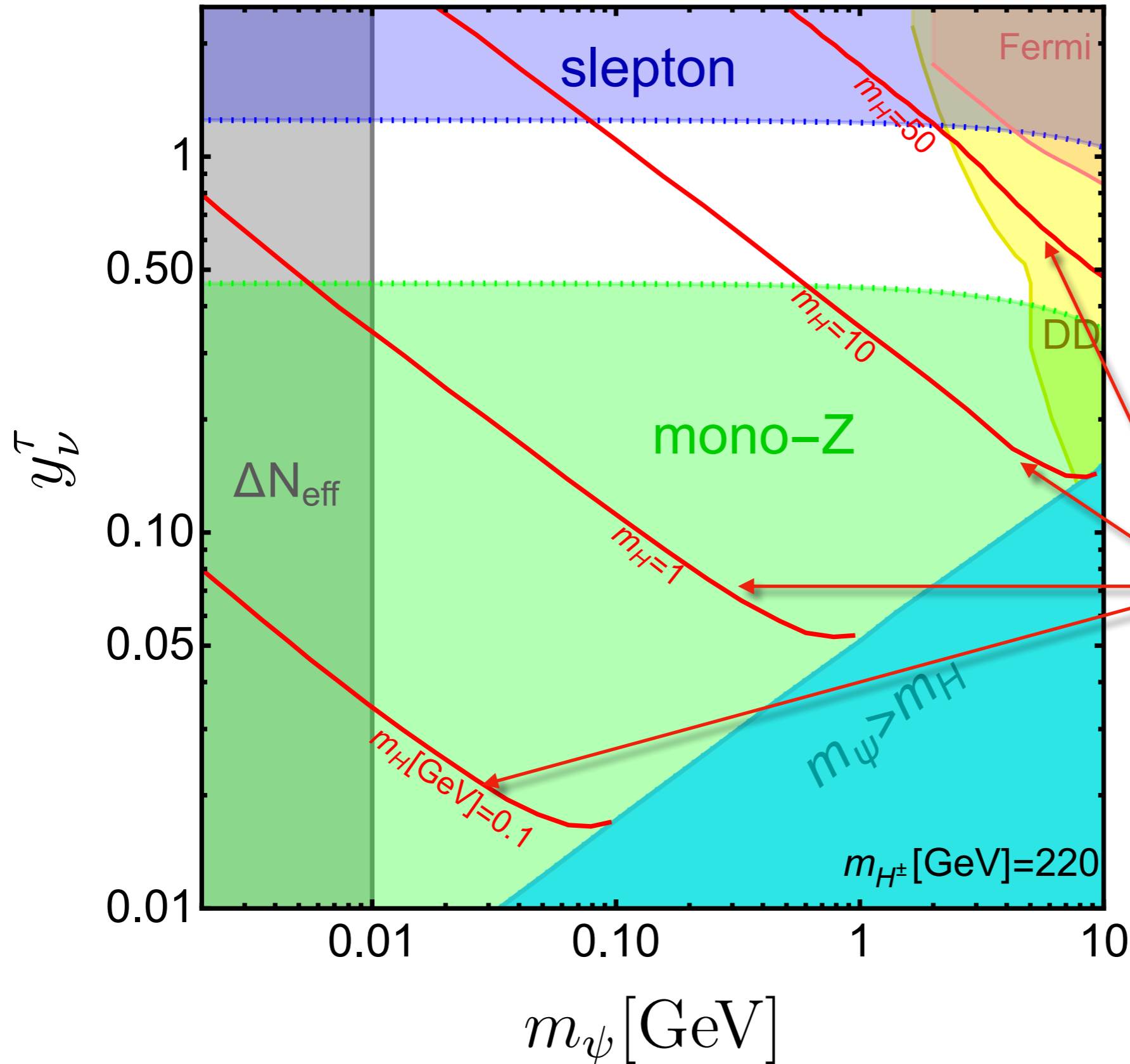


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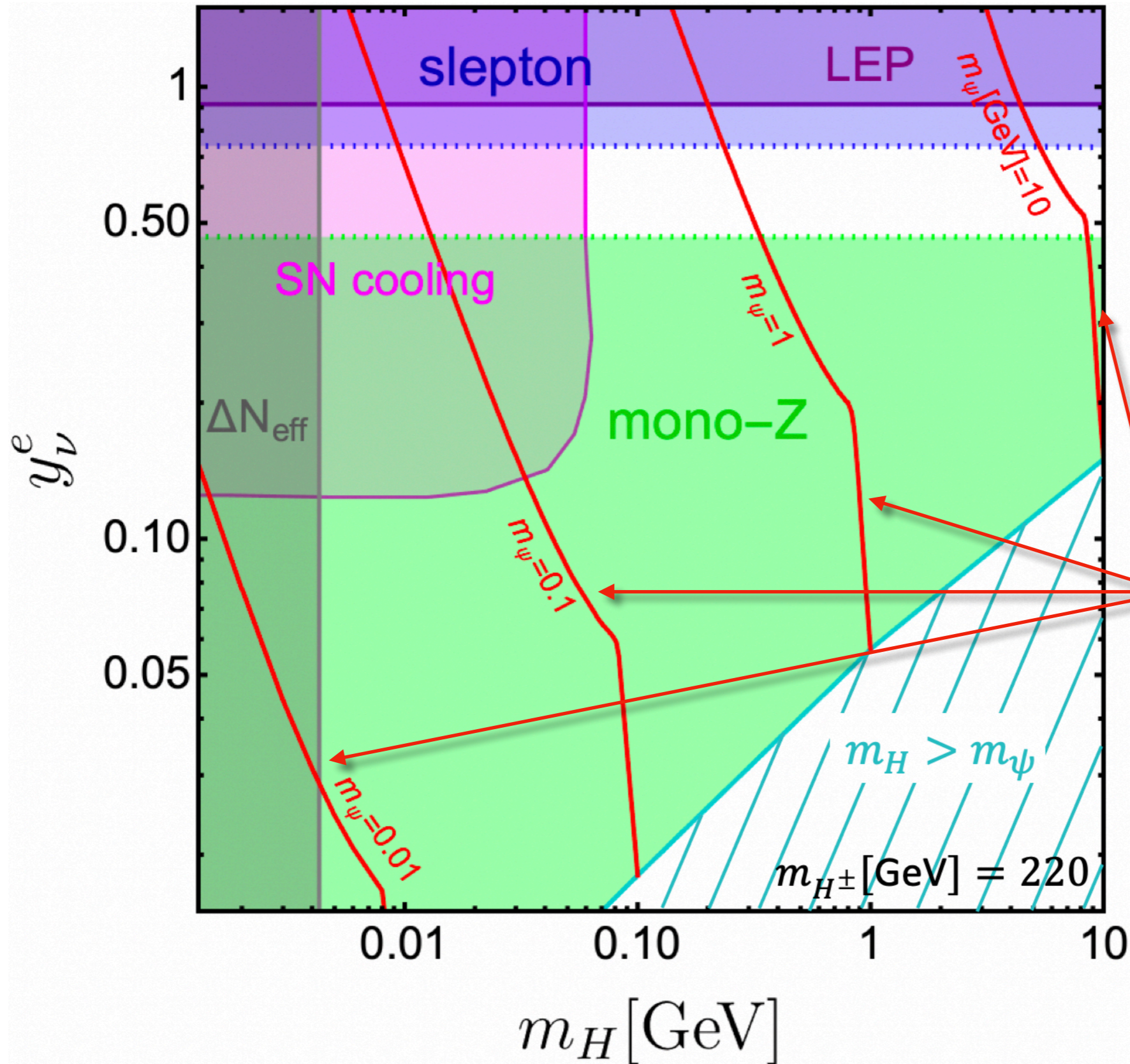
- I introduce a DM model where DM is scalar and the mass is lighter than 10 GeV. The setup is similar to Inert two Higgs doublet model, where the DM mass is around 60 GeV or heavy.
- Fermion,  $\psi$ , is also a good DM candidate. The Yukawa couplings are relatively small in the Fermion DM case. (arXiv: 2011.04788, 2208.05487, S. Iguro, S.Okawa and YO).
- Bounds from DM physics are not strong.
- We can search for the extra scalars and extra fermion at LHC. Mono-Z search is complementary to stau search.
- Making mass difference among scalars is one issue: large couplings required in the scalar potential. → A solution is to add one more scalar (See arXiv: 2011.04788, S.Okawa and YO).
- In Higgs physics,  $h \rightarrow \gamma \gamma$  is largely deviated (about 10 %) and invisible decay is also large, because of the large couplings.

**END**

Backup

# Scalar DM case

(DM dominantly couples to e and  $\nu_e$ )

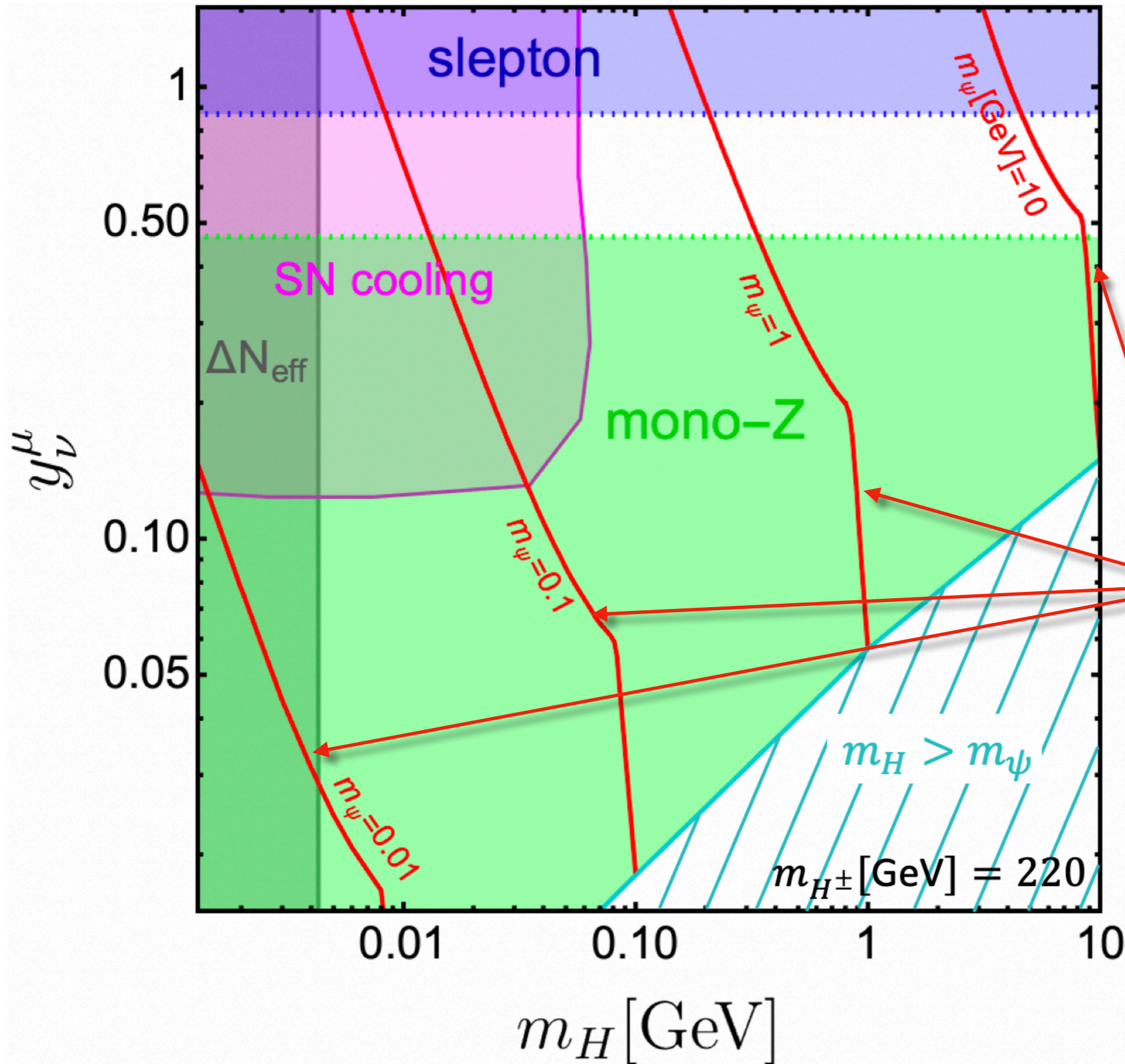


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# Extended model with a scalar

2011.04788 with Okawa

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$\psi_L$	1/2	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	0	1	-
$\psi_R$	1/2	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	0	1	-
$\Phi$	1	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	$\frac{1}{2}$	0	+
$\Phi_\nu$	1	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	$\frac{1}{2}$	0	-
<b>extra</b> $S$	1	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	0	0	-

## Additional coupling involving S

$$- \Delta\mathcal{L} = A_S \Phi^\dagger \Phi_\nu S + h.c.$$