

SUSY/EXOTIC PARTICLE PRODUCTION @ HIGH-ENERGY MUON COLLIDERS

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Theory meets Experiment

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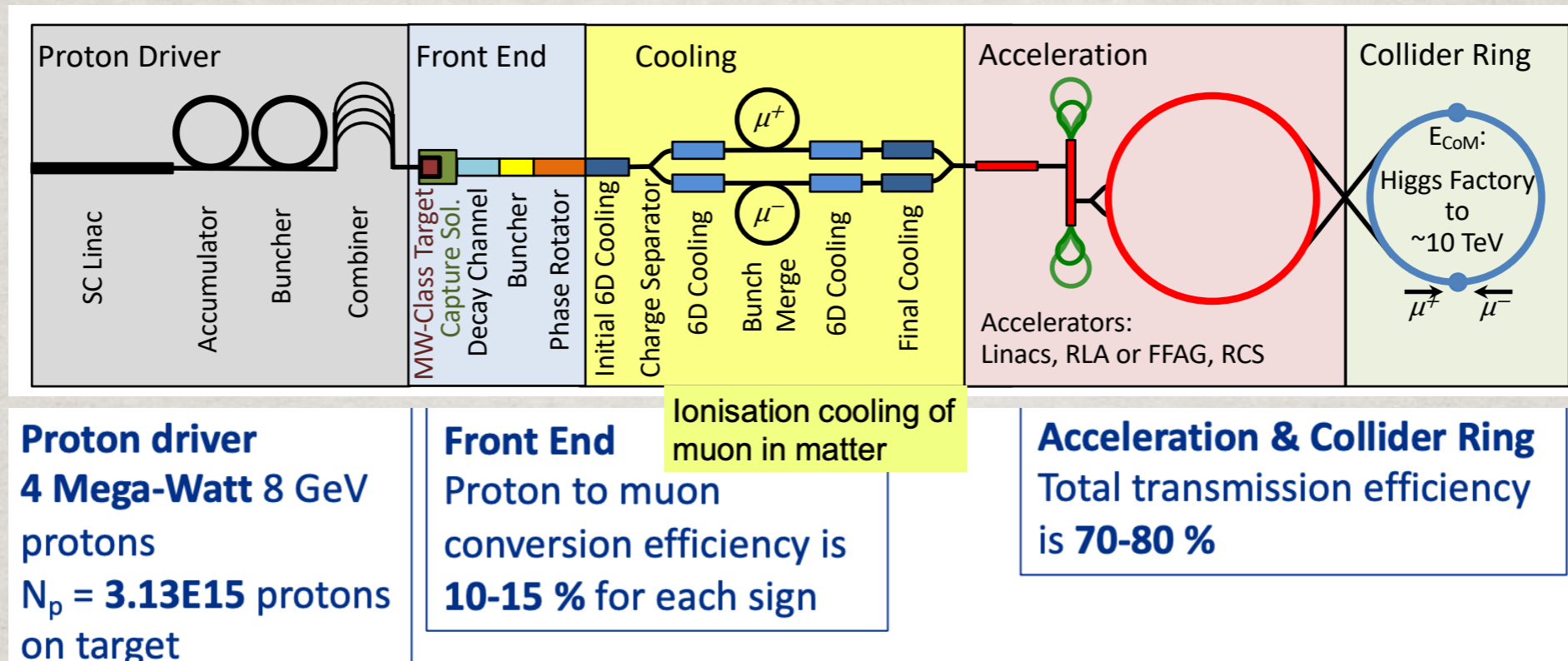
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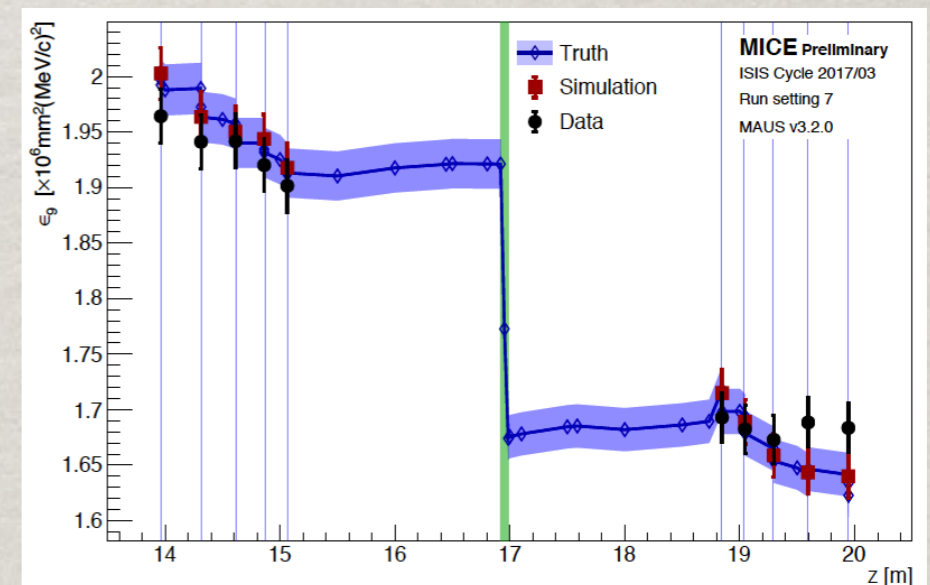
RENEWED INTERESTS

Muon Accelerator Project (MAP)



- Protons \rightarrow pions \rightarrow muons
- Transverse ionization cooling achieved by MICE
- Muon emittance exchange demonstrated at FNAL/RAL
- 6D cooling of 5-6 orders needed

Noticeable reduction of 9% emittance



<https://arxiv.org/abs/1907.08562>, J.P. Delahauge et al., arXiv:1901.06150/



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US and Europe should team up on muon collider

A feasibility study for a muon smasher in the United States could be an affordable way to maintain particle-physics unity.

PARTICLE PHYSICS

Particle Physicists Dream of a Muon Collider

After years spent languishing in obscurity, proposals for a muon collider are regaining momentum among particle physicists

By Daniel Garisto on August 28, 2023

U.S. P5 (Particle Physics Project Prioritization Panel)
The path to 10 TeV pCM (partonic c.m. energy):

... Although **we do not know if a muon collider is ultimately feasible**, the road toward it leads from current Fermilab strengths and capabilities to **a series of proton beam improvements and neutrino beam facilities**, each producing world-class science while performing critical R&D towards a muon collider. At the end of the path is an unparalleled global facility on US soil. **This is our Muon Shot.**

Collider benchmark points:

- The Higgs factory:

$$E_{\text{cm}} = m_H$$

$$L \sim 1 \text{ fb}^{-1}/\text{yr}$$

$$\Delta E_{\text{cm}} \sim 5 \text{ MeV}$$

Parameter	Units	Higgs
CoM Energy	TeV	0.126
Avg. Luminosity	$10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$	0.008
Beam Energy Spread	%	0.004
Higgs Production/ 10^7 sec		13'500
Circumference	km	0.3

- Multi-TeV colliders:

Lumi-scaling scheme: $\sigma L \sim \text{const.}$

$$L \gtrsim \frac{5 \text{ years}}{\text{time}} \left(\frac{\sqrt{s}_\mu}{10 \text{ TeV}} \right)^2 2 \cdot 10^{35} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1} \quad 1 \text{ ab}^{-1} / \text{yr}$$

The conceivable choices:

$$E_{\text{cm}} = 3 \text{ TeV} - 14 \text{ TeV}$$

European Strategy: [arXiv:1910.11775](https://arxiv.org/abs/1910.11775); [arXiv:1901.06150](https://arxiv.org/abs/1901.06150); [arXiv:2007.15684](https://arxiv.org/abs/2007.15684);

Muon Collider Forum Report: <https://arxiv.org/abs/2209.01318>

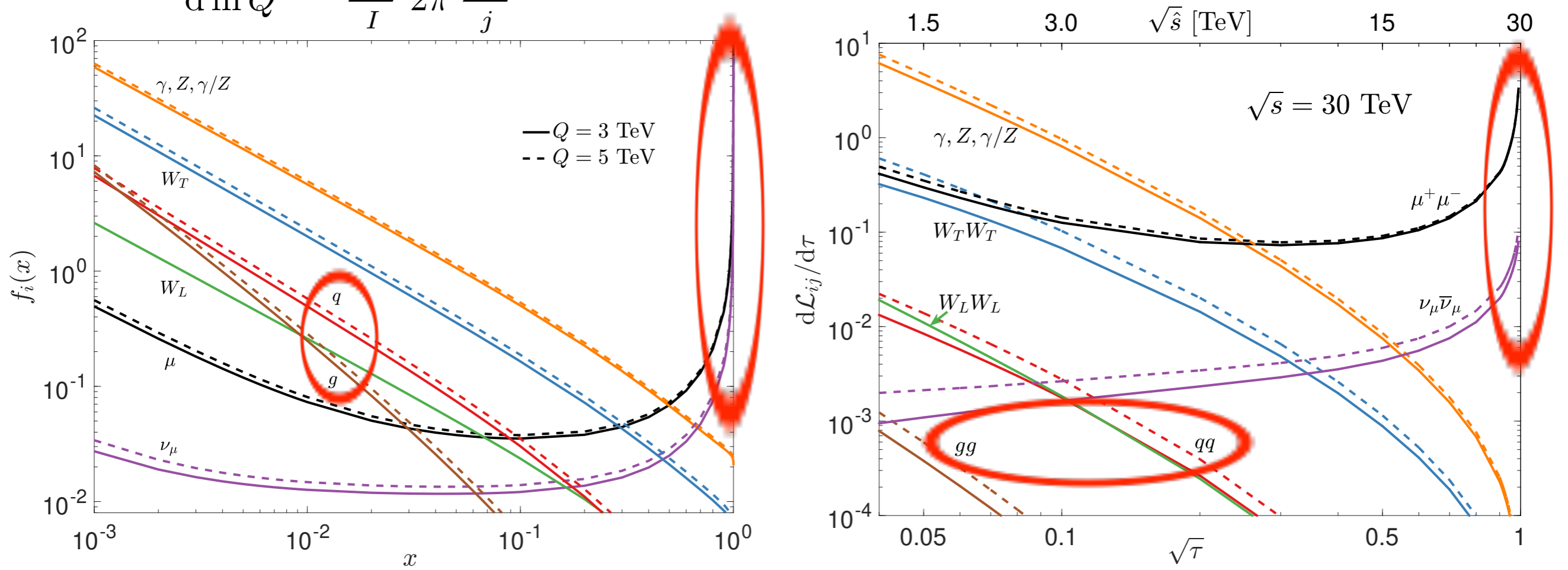
A $\mu^+\mu^-$ Collider at High Energies

Collinear splitting phenomena dominate!

EW “partons” dynamically generated

TH, Yang Ma, Keping Xie, arXiv:2007.14300

$$\frac{df_i}{d \ln Q^2} = \sum_I \frac{\alpha_I}{2\pi} \sum_j P_{i,j}^I \otimes f_j$$

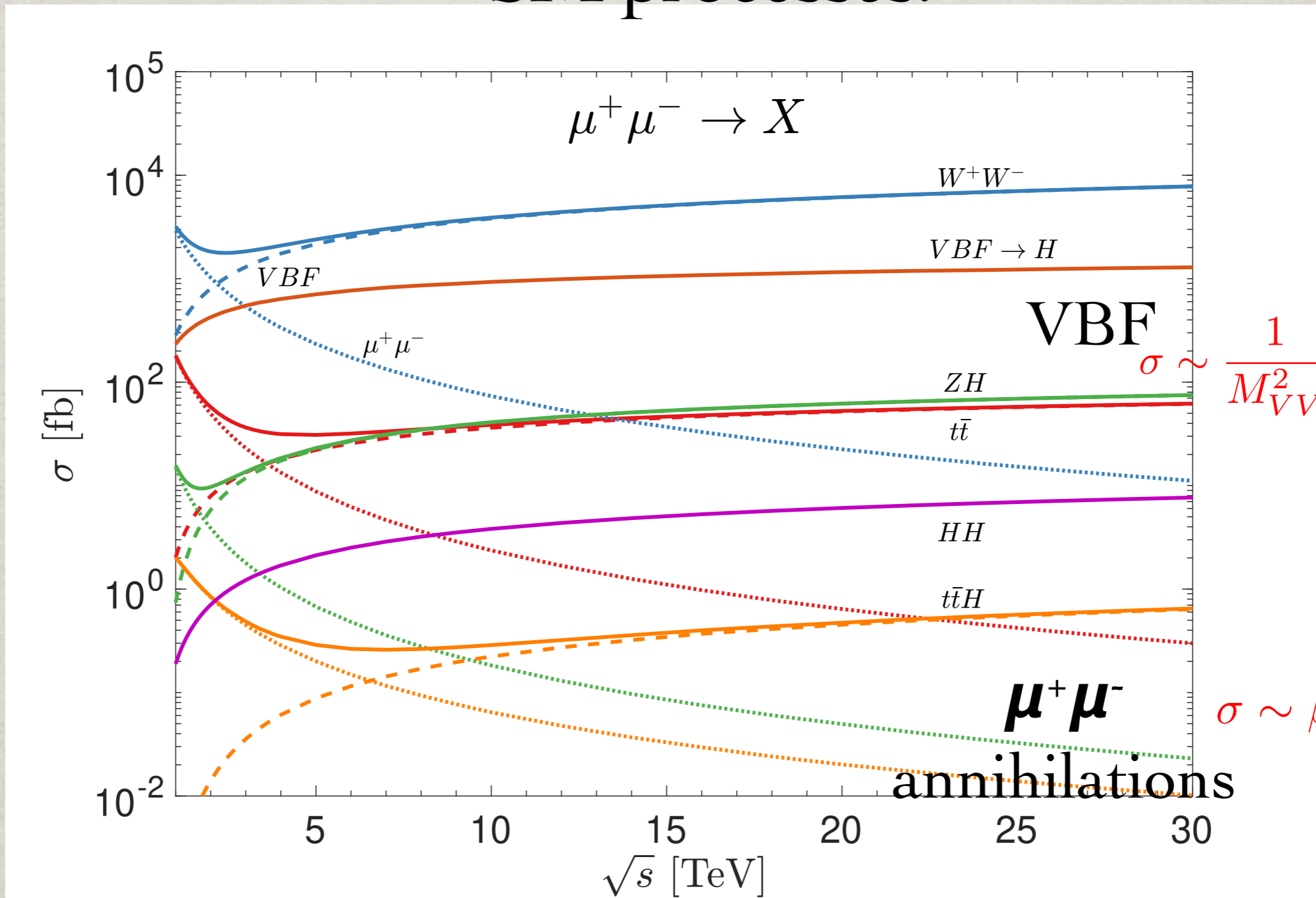


μ^\pm, ν_μ : the valance. ℓ_R, ℓ_L, ν_L and B, W^\pm, γ : LO sea.

Quarks: NLO; gluons: NNLO.

A $\mu^+\mu^-$ Collider: “Buy one, get one free” Annihilation + VBF simultaneously

SM processes:

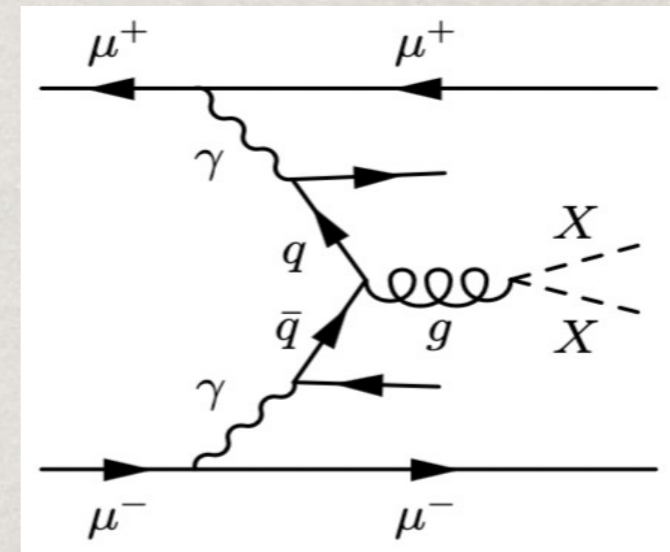
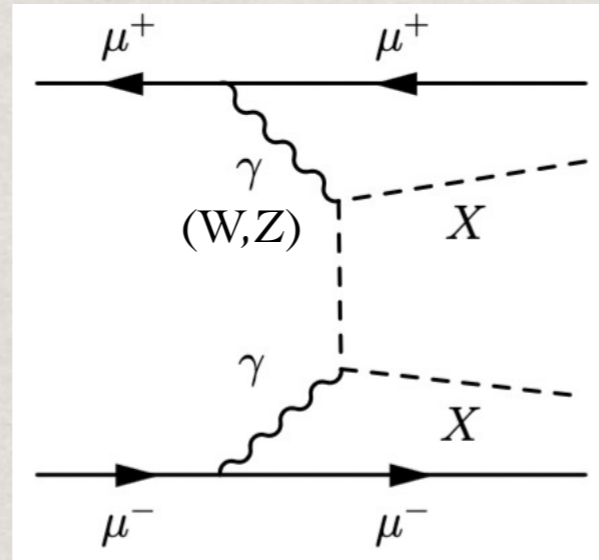
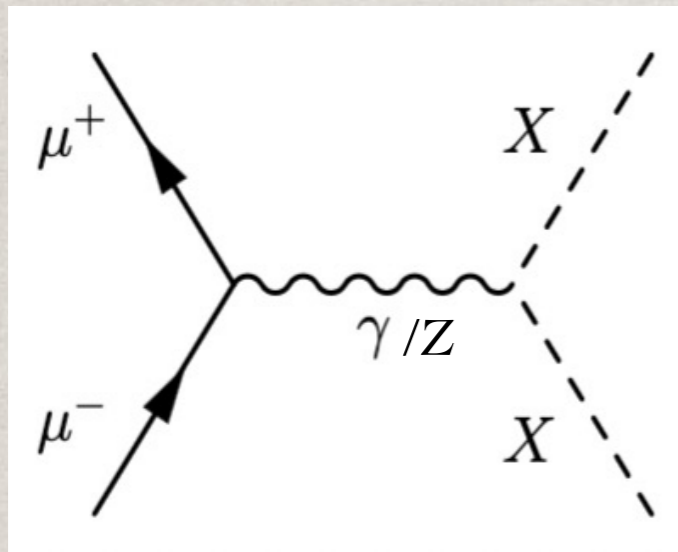


New Production Mechanisms at a $\mu^+\mu^-$ Collider

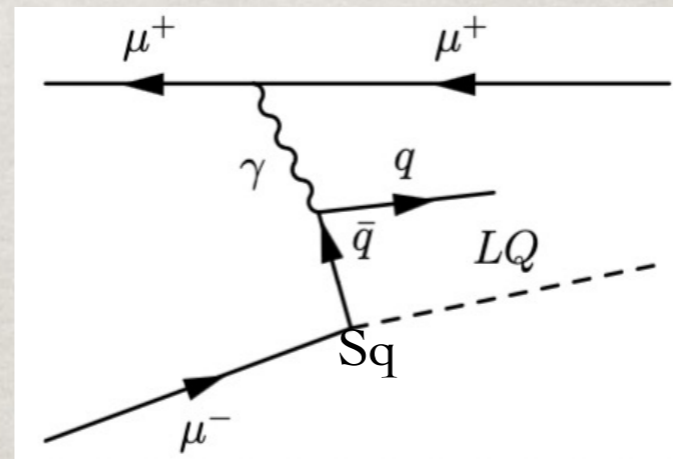
TH, Matt Low, Arthur Wu, Keping Xie, arXiv:24xx.xxxx

EW charged:

Color charged:



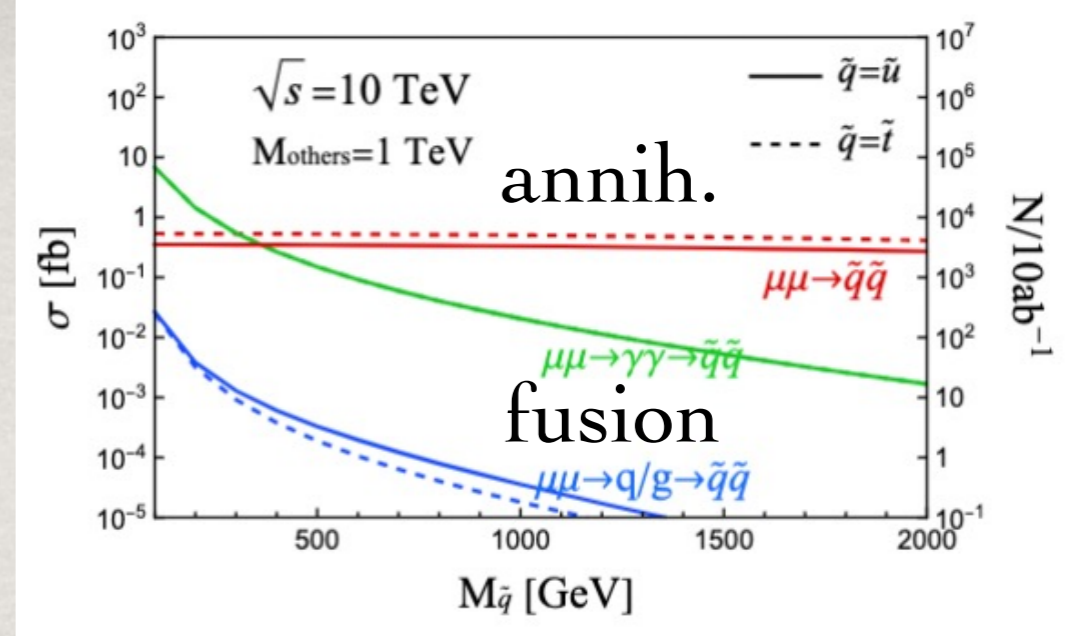
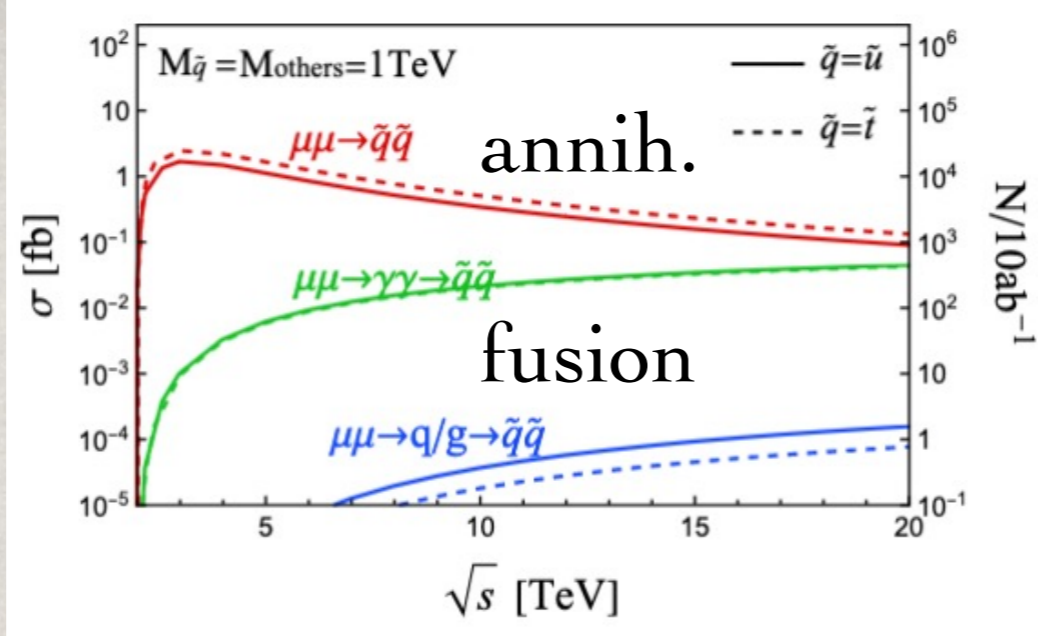
Rpv squark
or Lepto-quark:



Some examples
for exotic states:

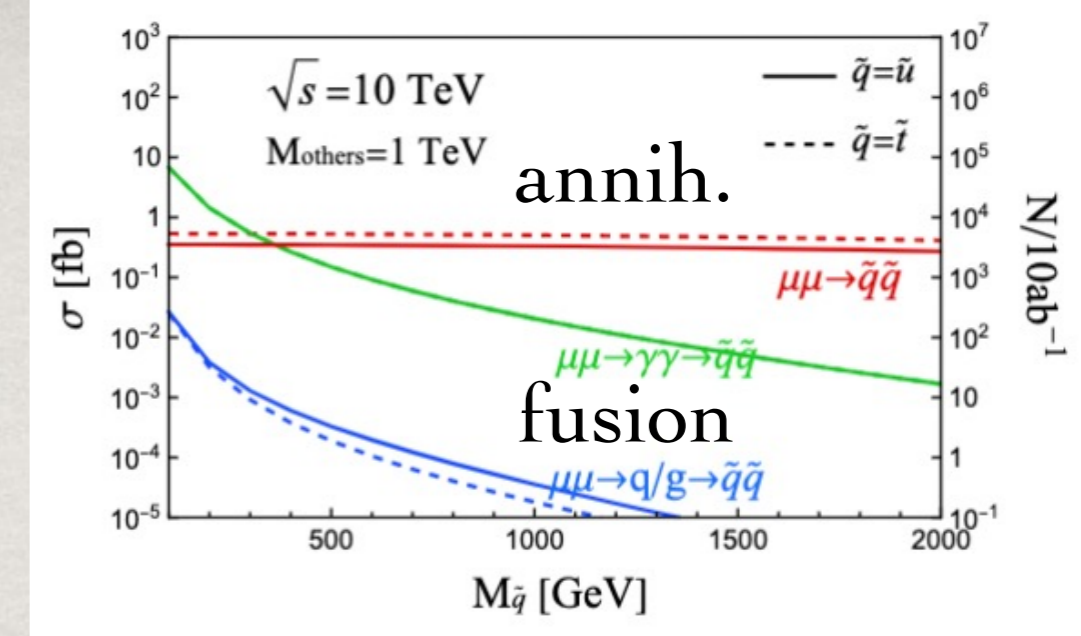
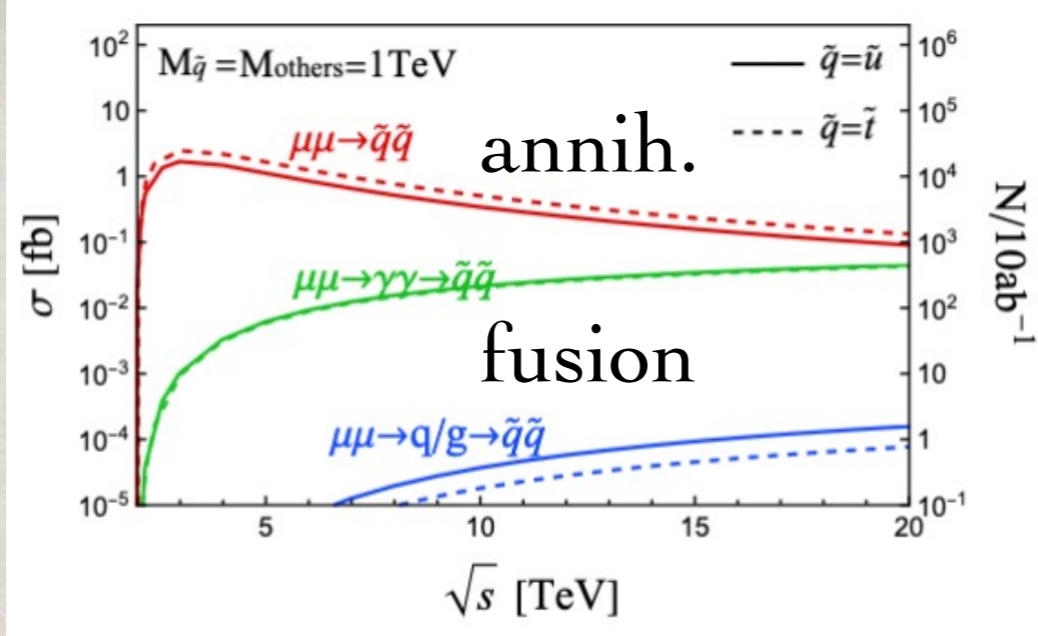
Color \ Spin	Triplet	Octet	Sextet
0	\tilde{t} /leptoquark (SLQ)	ScalarOctet(1, γ_5)	Diquark
1/2	T	\tilde{g} /leptogluon	
1	VectorTriplet/VLQ	VectorOctet (1, γ_5)	

SUSY: Squark production:

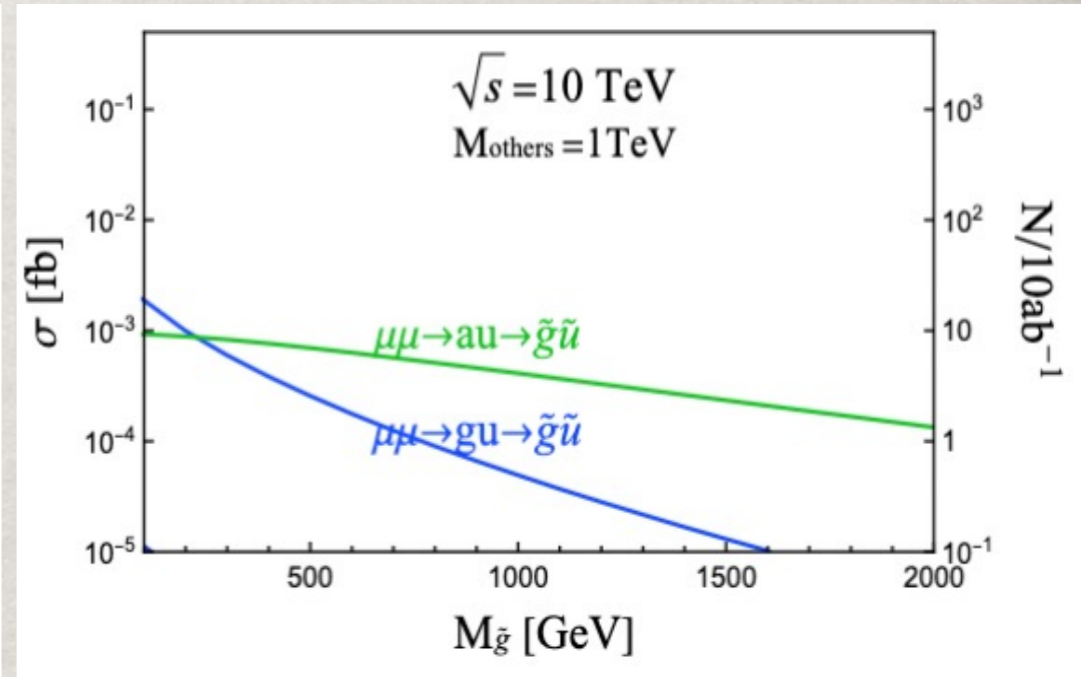
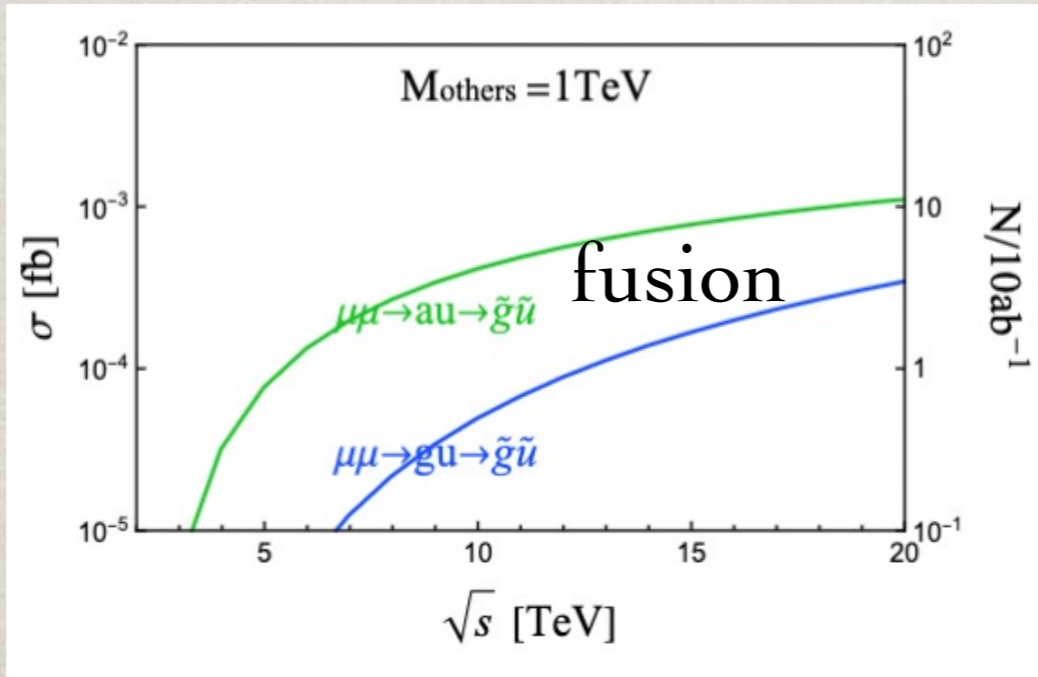


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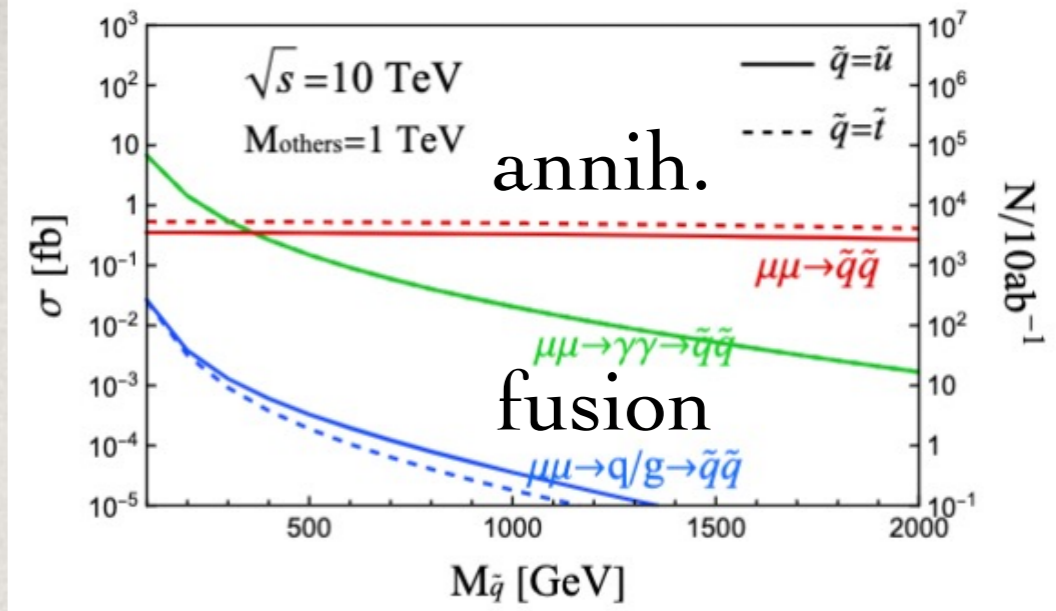
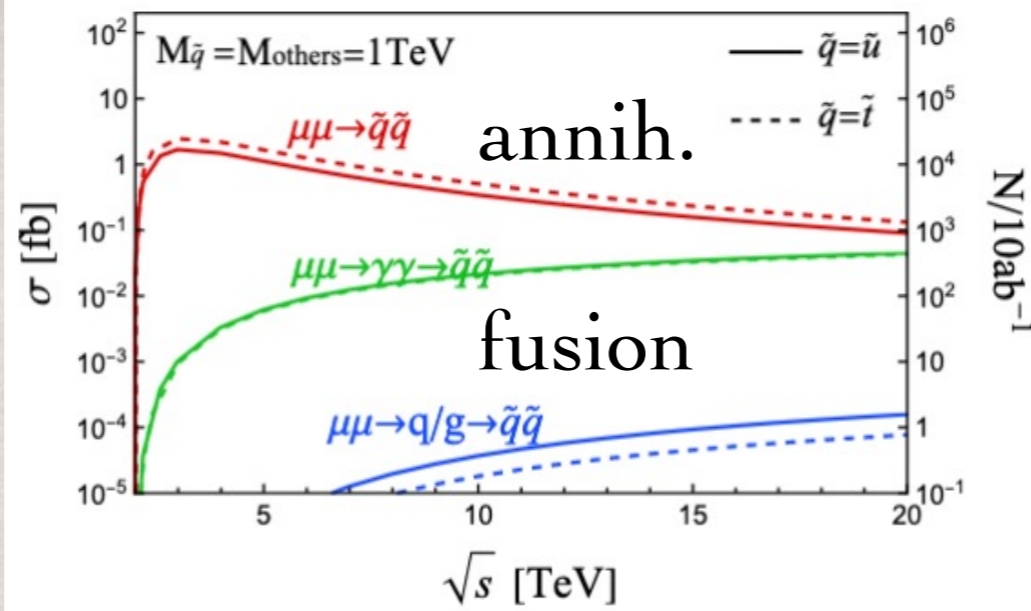


Sq-gluino production:

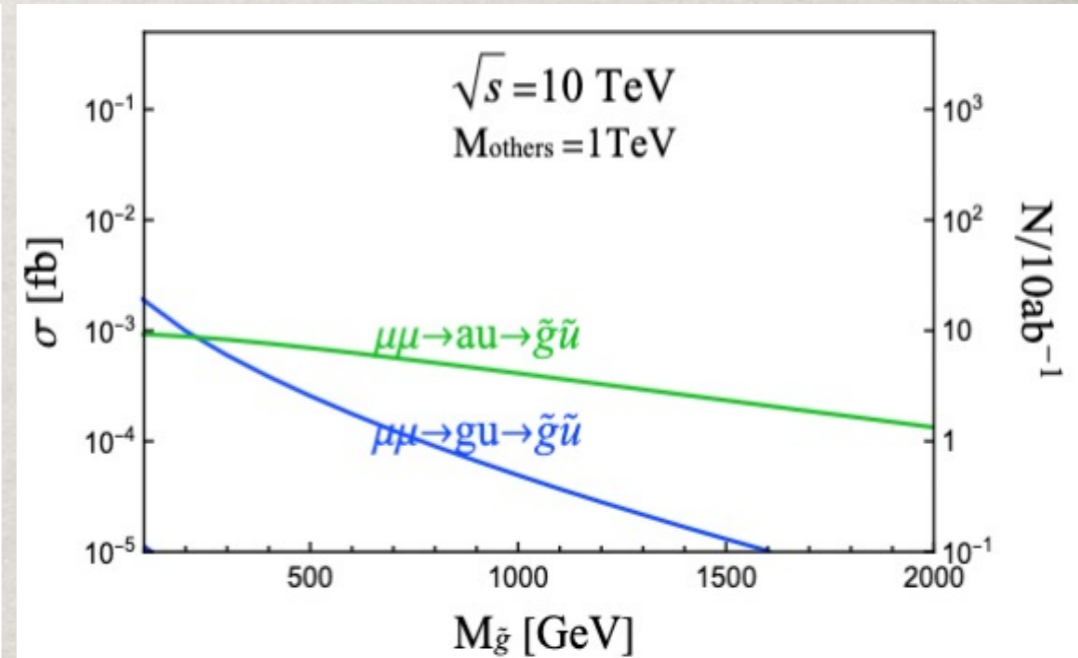
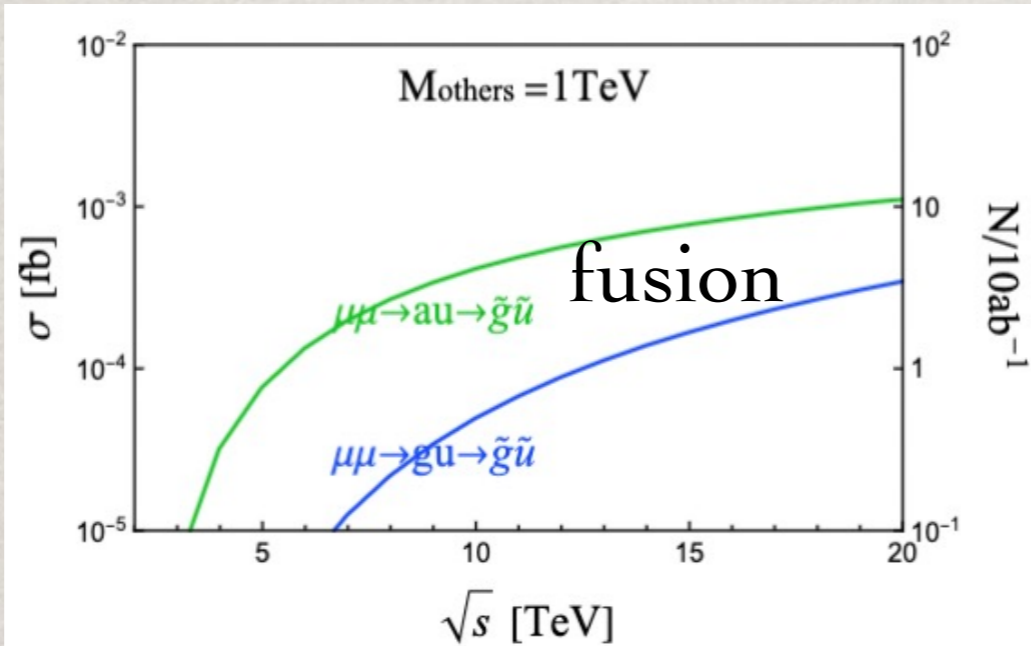


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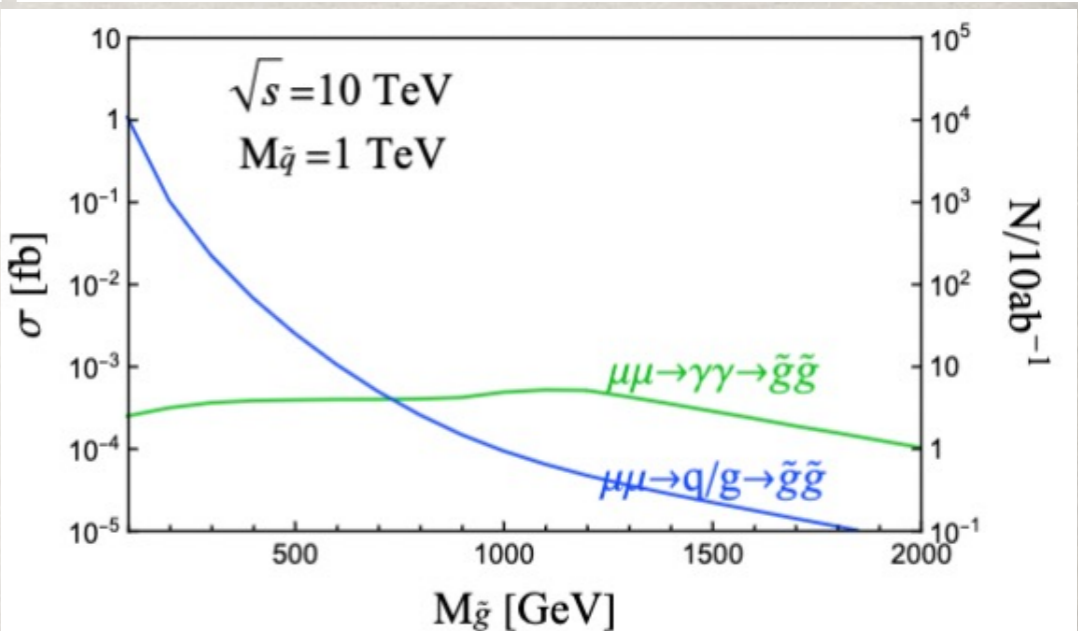
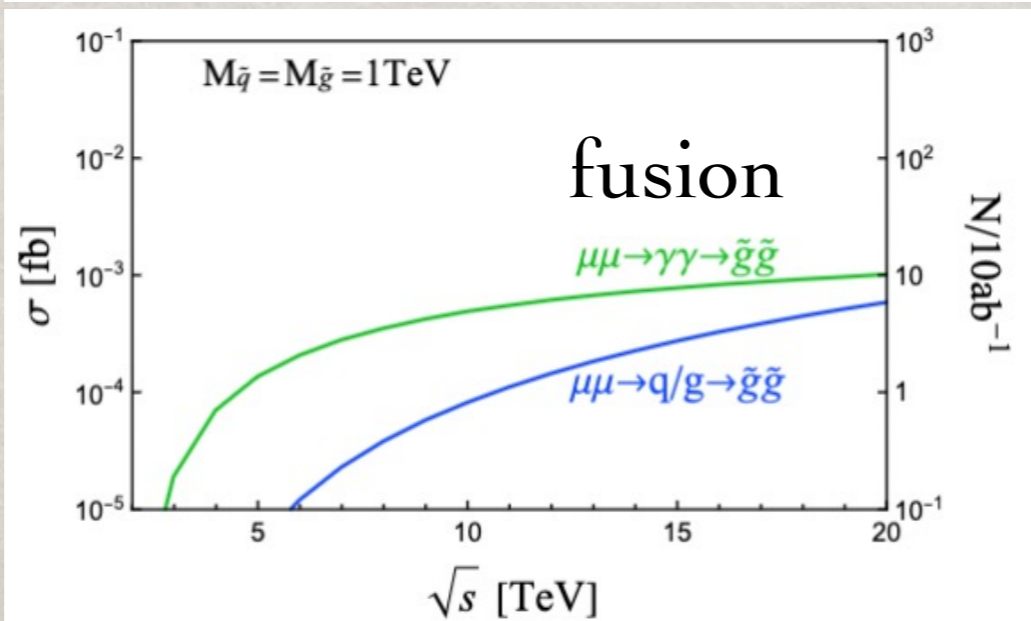
Squark production:



Sq-gluino production:

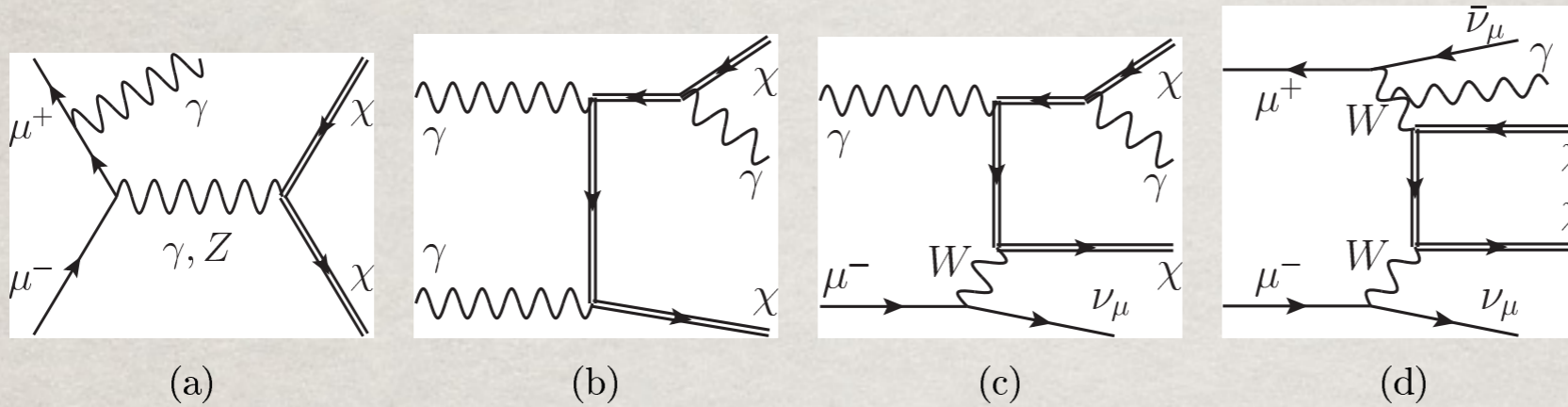


Gluino production:



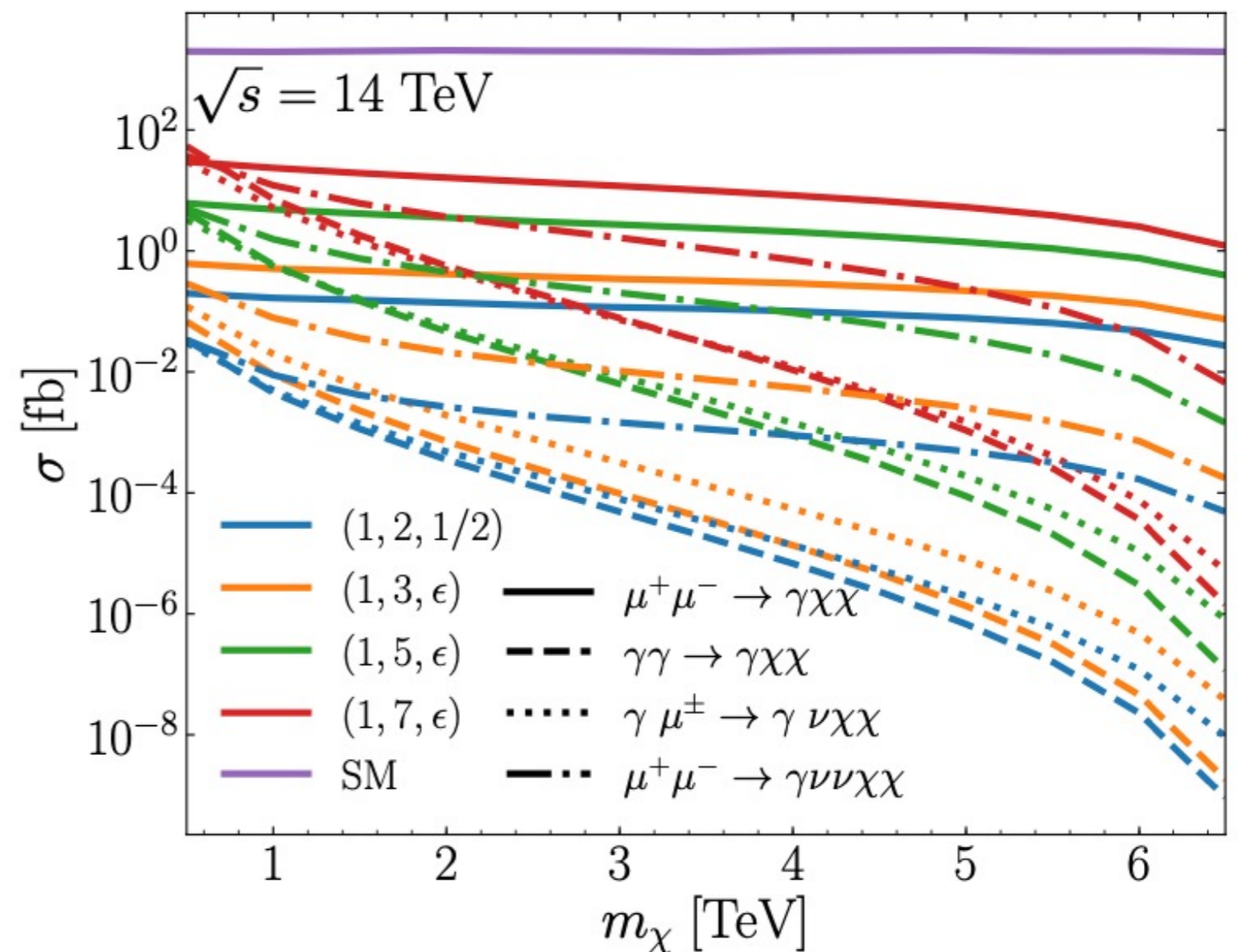
EW Minimal Dark Matter:

Generic EW (degenerate) multiplets



M. Cirelli, N. Fornengo,
A. Strumia, hep-
ph/0512090; 0903.3381.

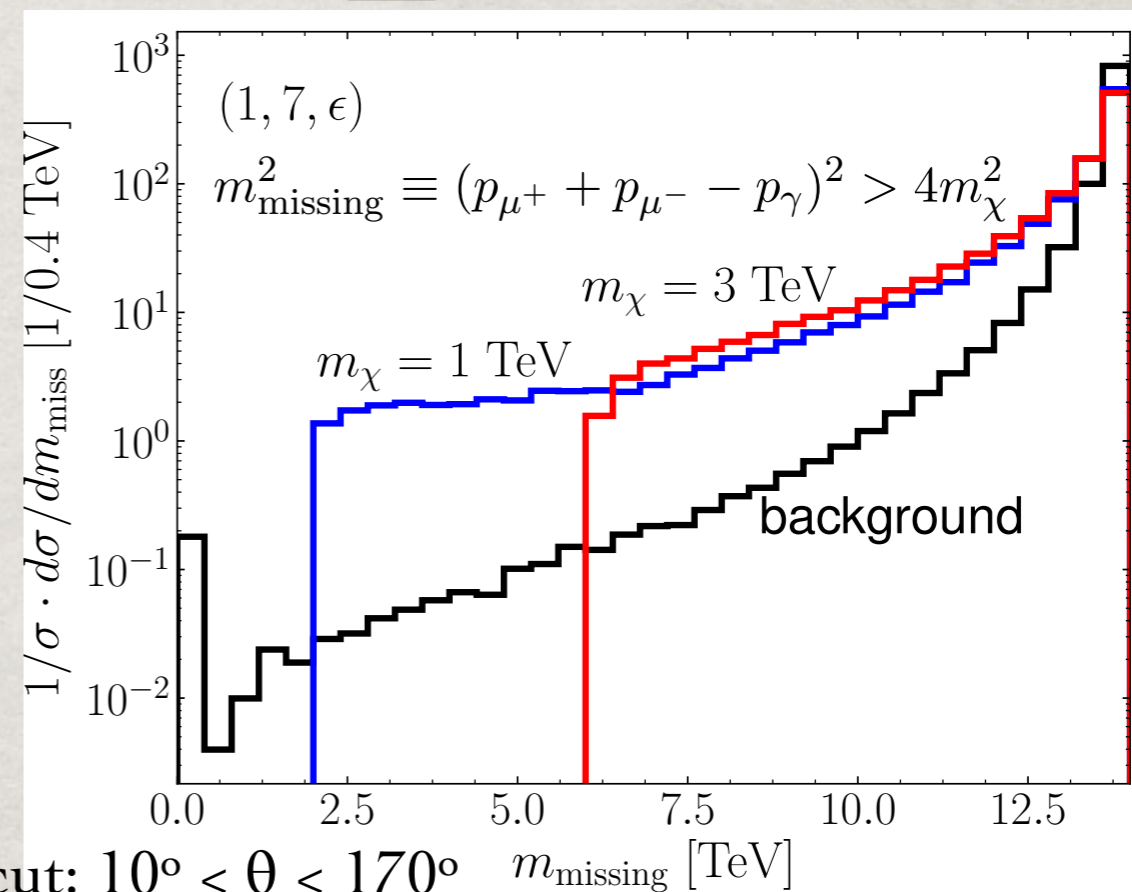
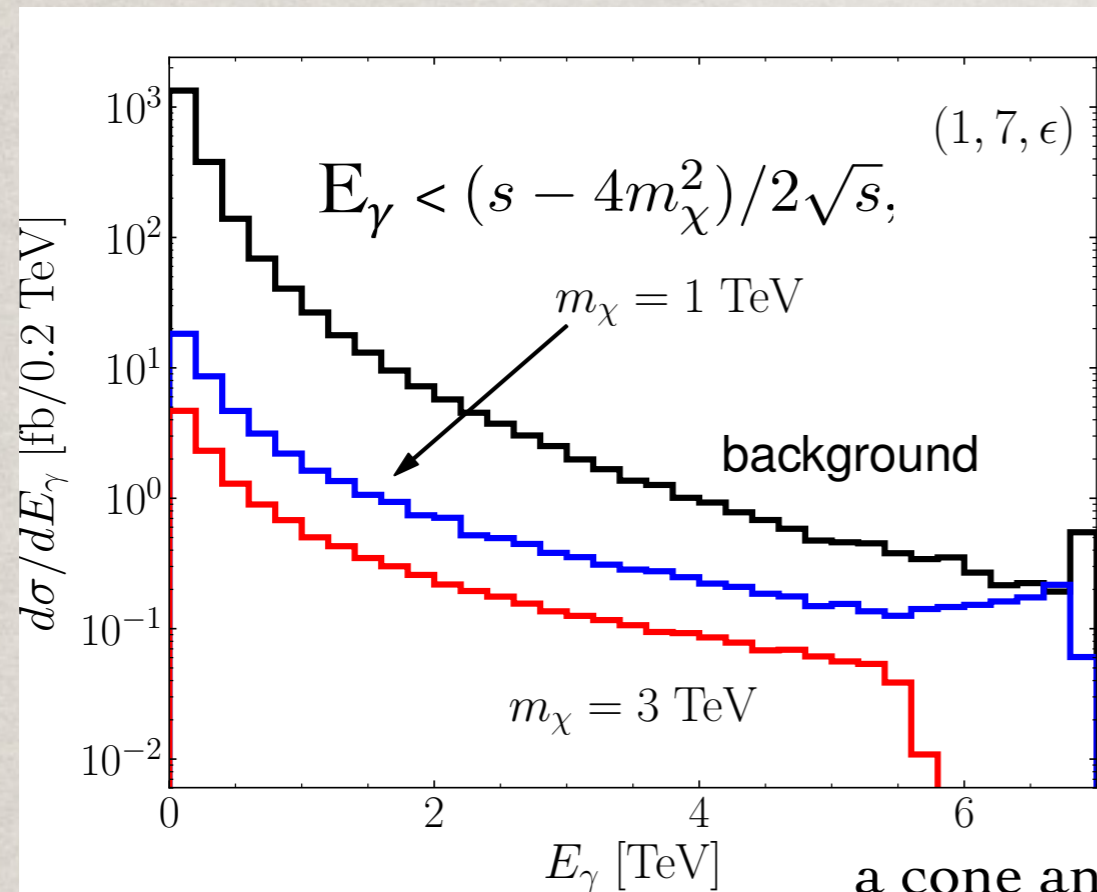
Model (color, n , Y)		Therm. target
(1,2,1/2)	Dirac	1.1 TeV
(1,3,0)	Majorana	2.8 TeV
(1,3, ϵ)	Dirac	2.0 TeV
(1,5,0)	Majorana	11 TeV
(1,5, ϵ)	Dirac	6.6 TeV
(1,7,0)	Majorana	23 TeV
(1,7, ϵ)	Dirac	16 TeV



TH, Z. Liu, L.-T. Wang, X.
Wang, arXiv:2009.11287.

Key feature different from LHC: the “missing mass”

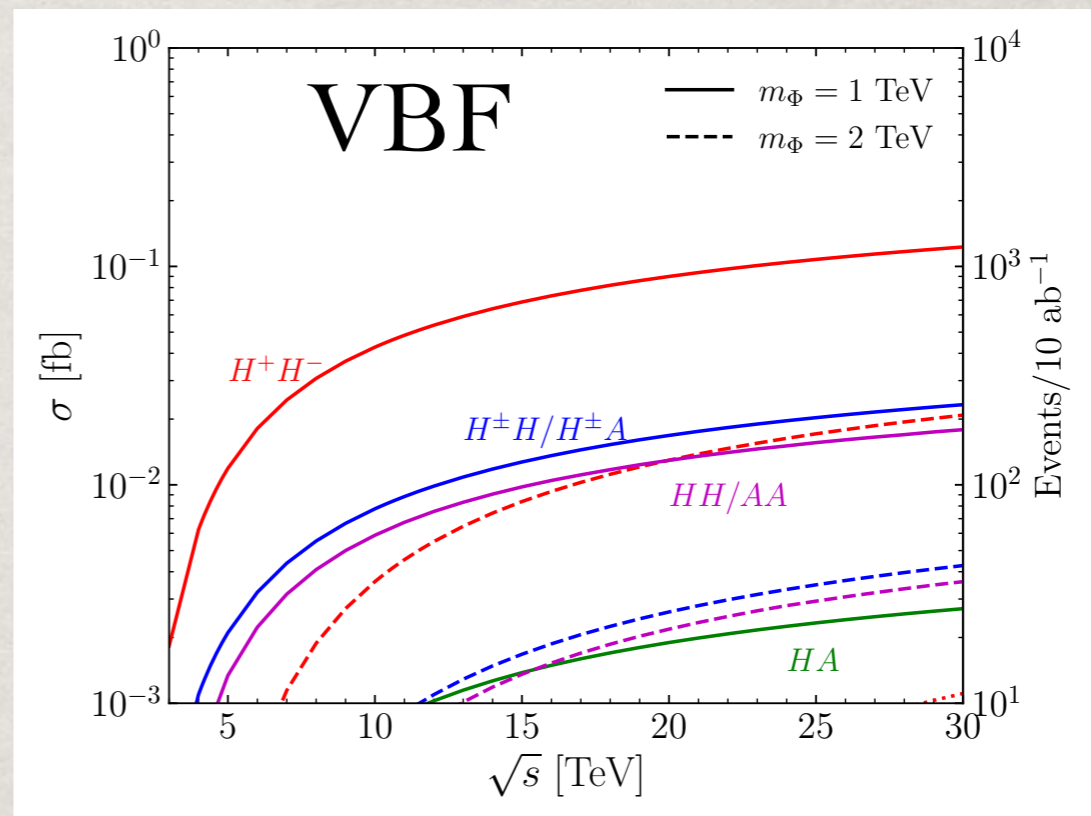
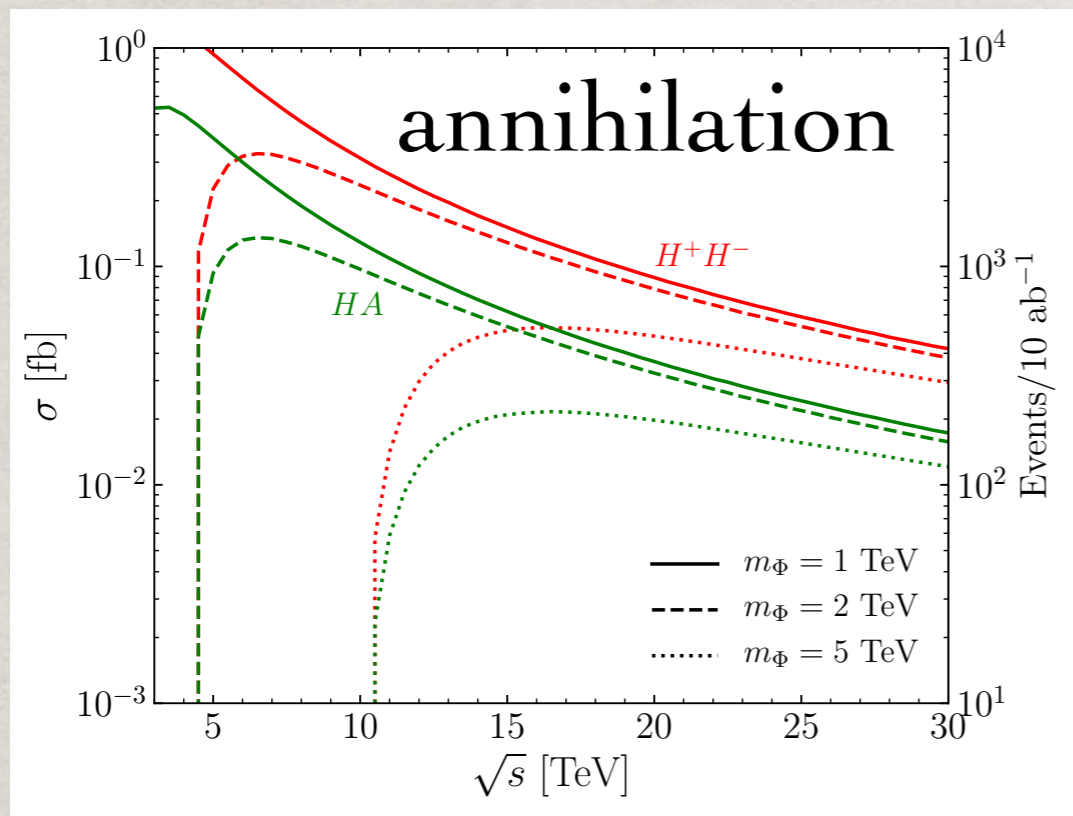
$$m_{\text{missing}}^2 \equiv (p_{\mu^+} + p_{\mu^-} - \sum p_i^{\text{obs}})^2$$



a cone angle cut: $10^\circ < \theta < 170^\circ$

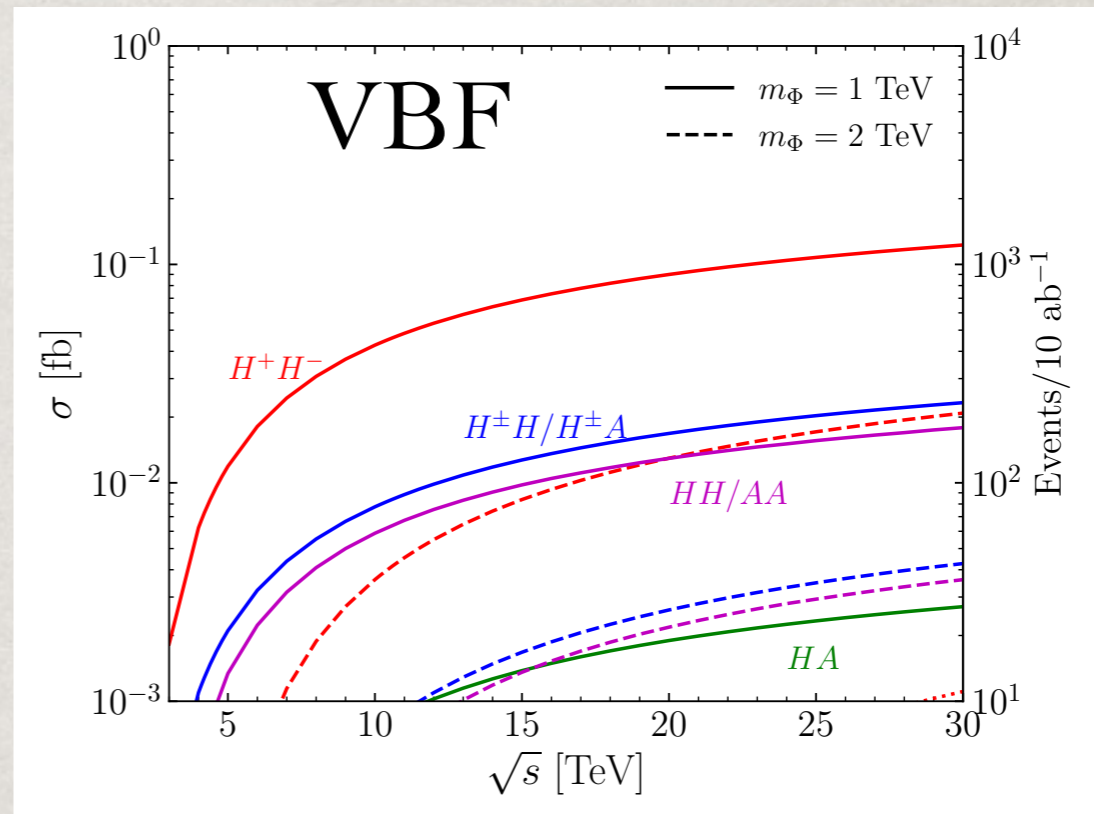
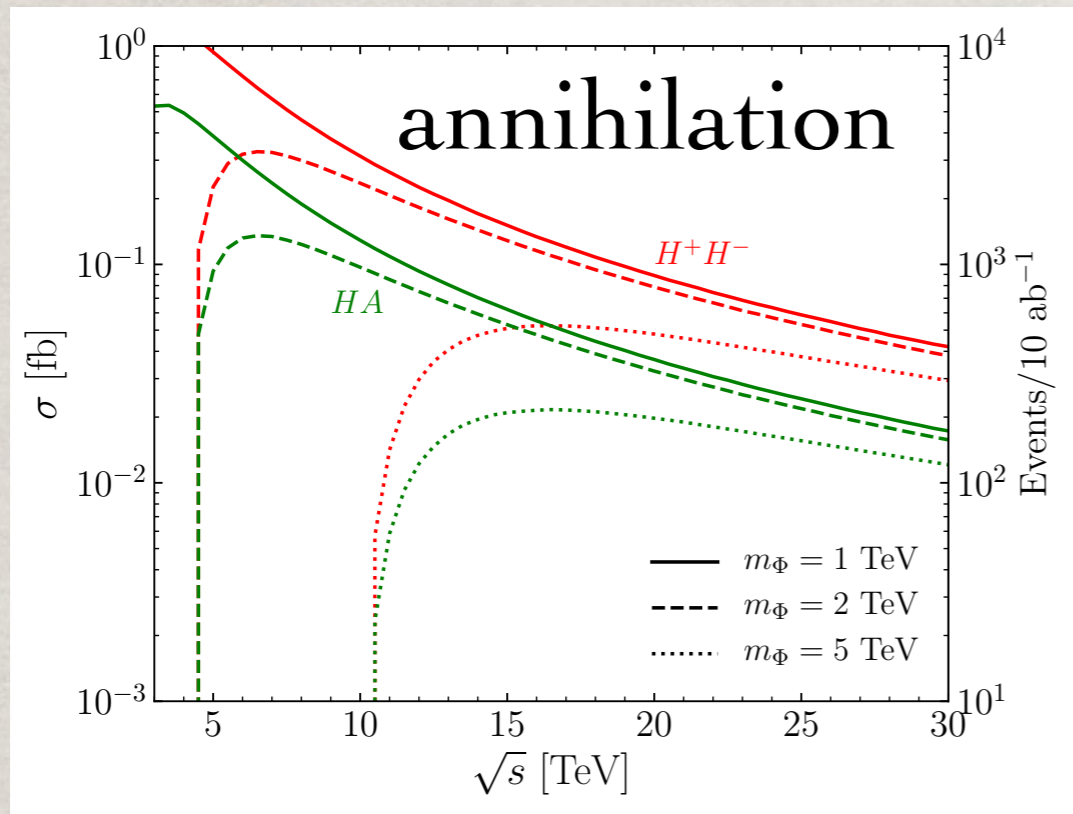
Model (color, n , Y)		Therm. target	5 σ discovery coverage (TeV)			
			mono- γ	mono- μ	di- μ 's	disp. tracks
(1,2,1/2)	Dirac	1.1 TeV	—	2.8	—	1.8 – 3.7
(1,3,0)	Majorana	2.8 TeV	—	3.7	—	13 – 14
(1,3, ϵ)	Dirac	2.0 TeV	0.9	4.6	—	13 – 14
(1,5,0)	Majorana	11 TeV	3.1	7.0	3.1	10 – 14
(1,5, ϵ)	Dirac	6.6 TeV	6.9	7.8	4.2	11 – 14
(1,7,0)	Majorana	23 TeV	11	8.6	6.1	8.1 – 12
(1,7, ϵ)	Dirac	16 TeV	13	9.2	7.4	8.6 – 13

Heavy Higgs Boson Production

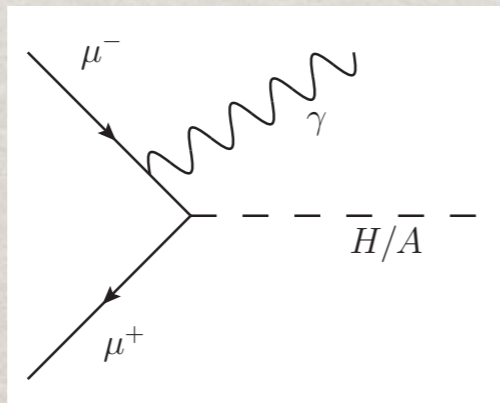


TH, S. Li, S. Su, W. Su, Y. Wu, arXiv:2102.08386.

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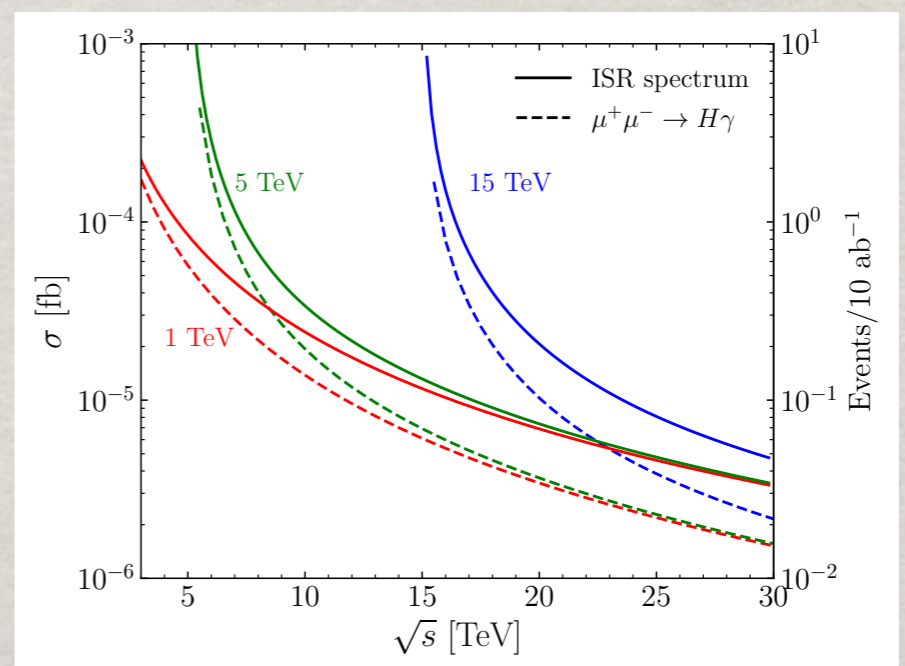


Radiative returns for single H production:



$$\hat{\sigma}(\mu^+\mu^- \rightarrow H) = \frac{\pi Y_\mu^2}{4} \delta(\hat{s} - m_H^2) = \frac{\pi Y_\mu^2}{4s} \delta(\tau - \frac{m_H^2}{s})$$

Reaching $M \sim E_{\text{cm}}$!



TH, S. Li, S. Su, W. Su, Y. Wu, arXiv:2102.08386.

Summary

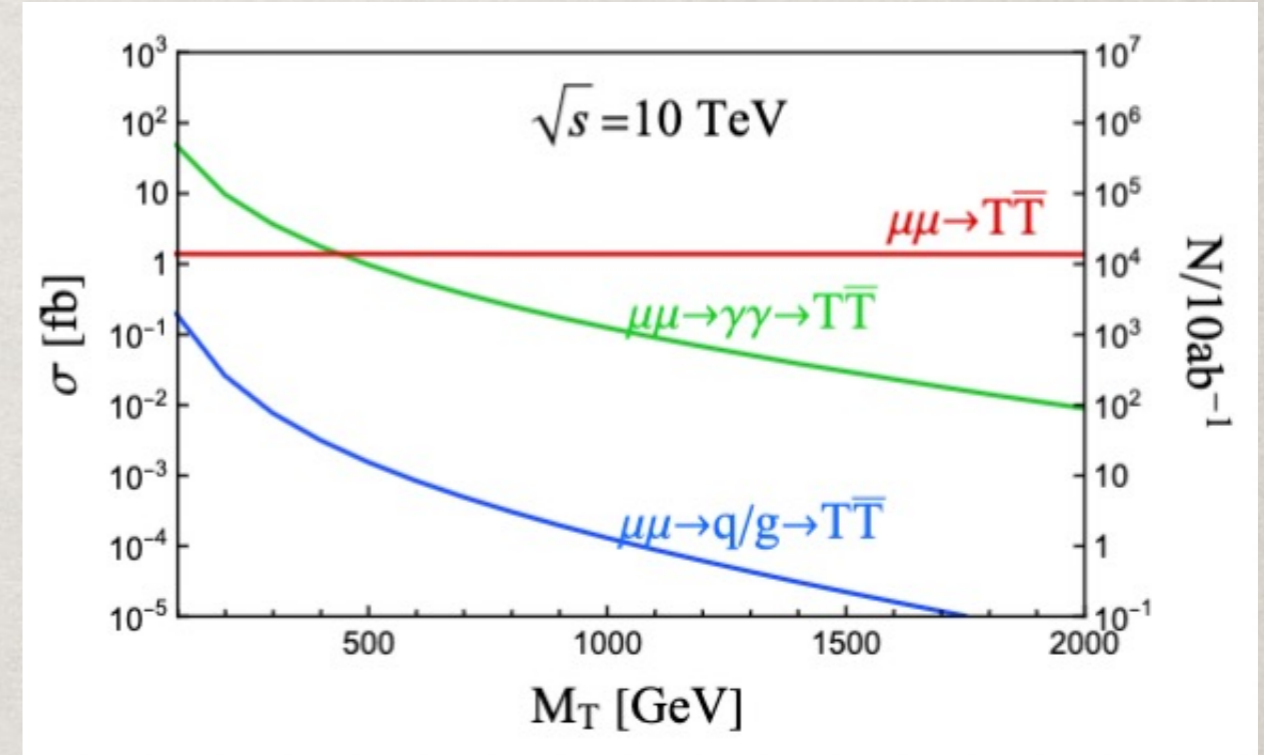
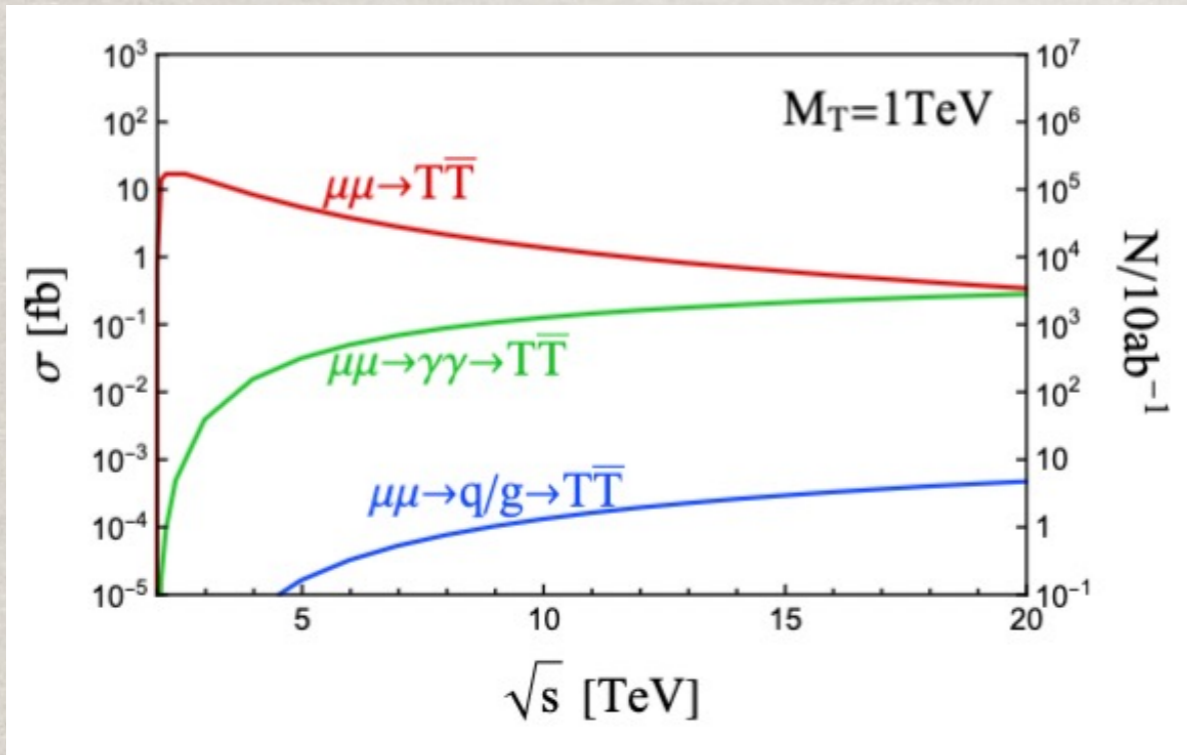
- **High energy muon-collider is a new endeavor:**
Challenging technology
Great physics potential at the energy frontier
Interdisciplinary/complementary to other fields
- **Multi-TeV colliders:**
 - Bread & butter SM EW physics in the new territory
 - Unprecedented accuracies for WWH , $WWHH$, H^3 , H^4
 - New particle (Q, L, H, \dots) mass coverage:
$$M_H \sim (0.5 - 1) E_{\text{cm}}$$
 - Decisive coverage for minimal WIMP DM $M \sim 0.5 E_{\text{cm}}$
 - Complementary to Astro/Cosmo/GW & to FCC-hh:

Exciting journey ahead!

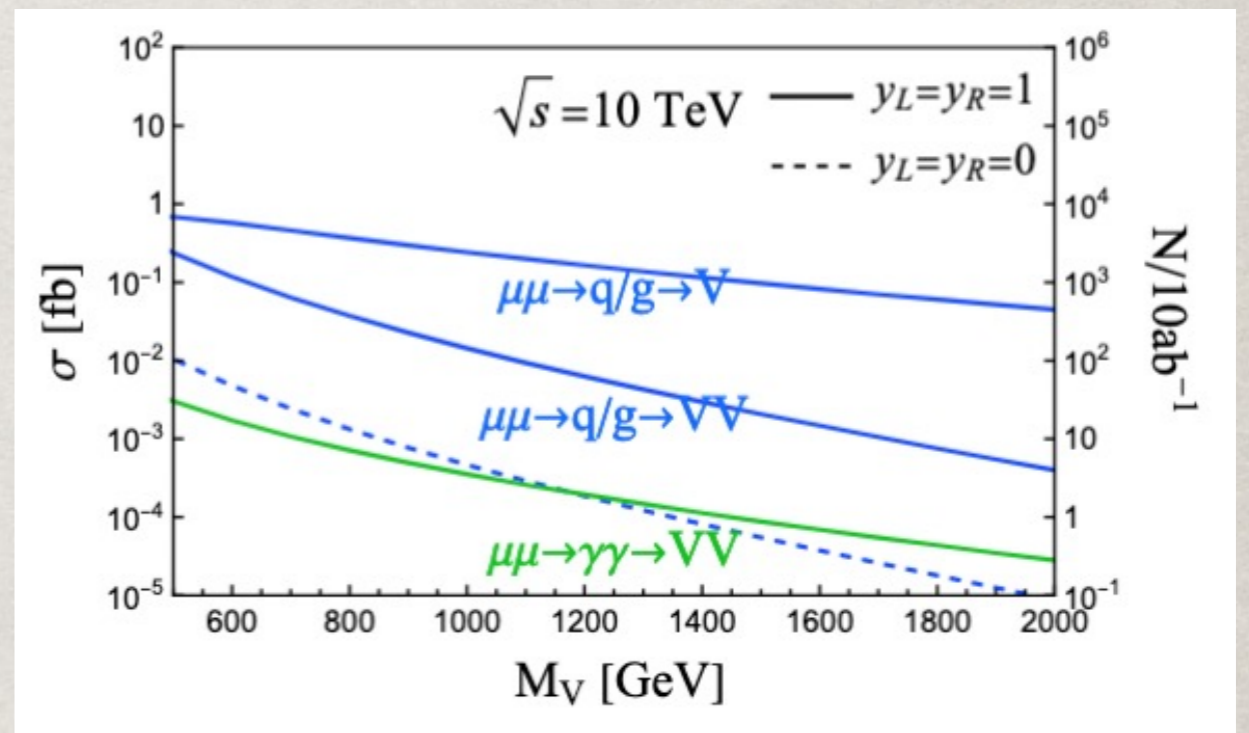
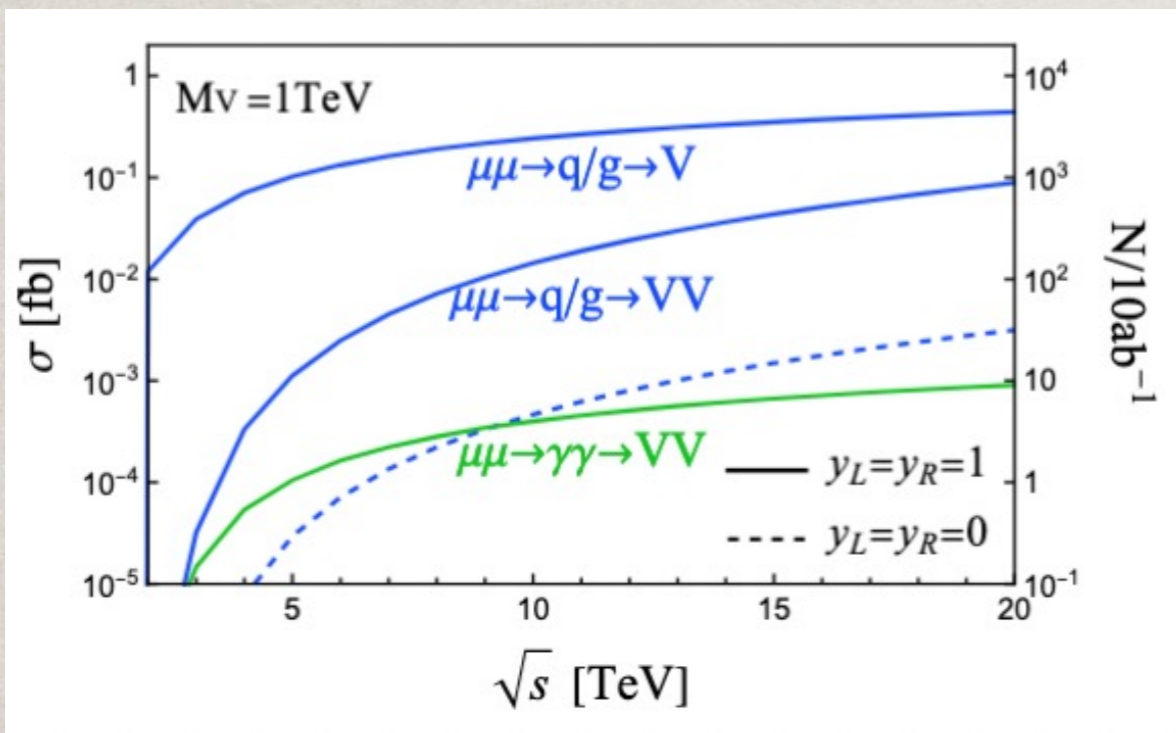
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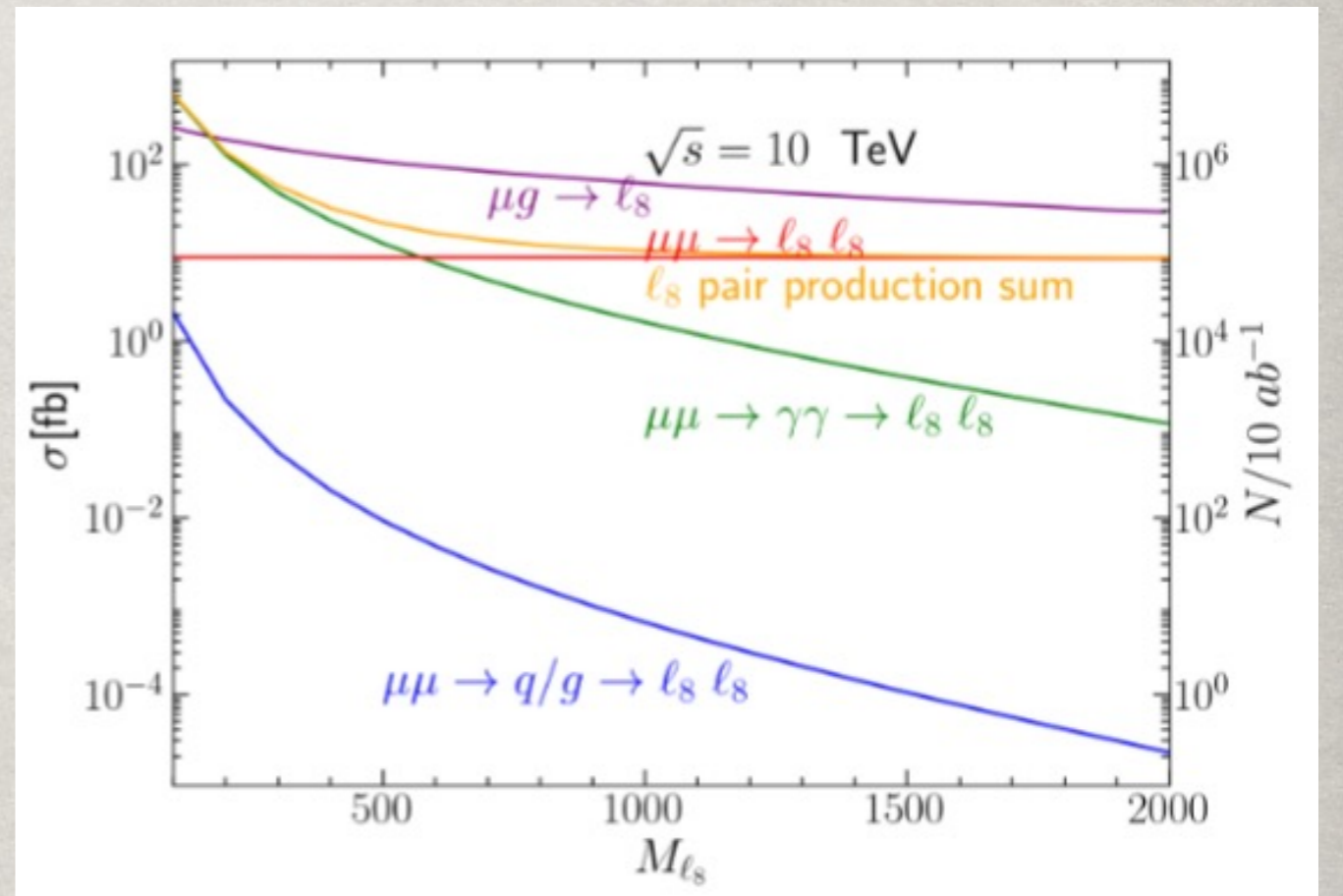
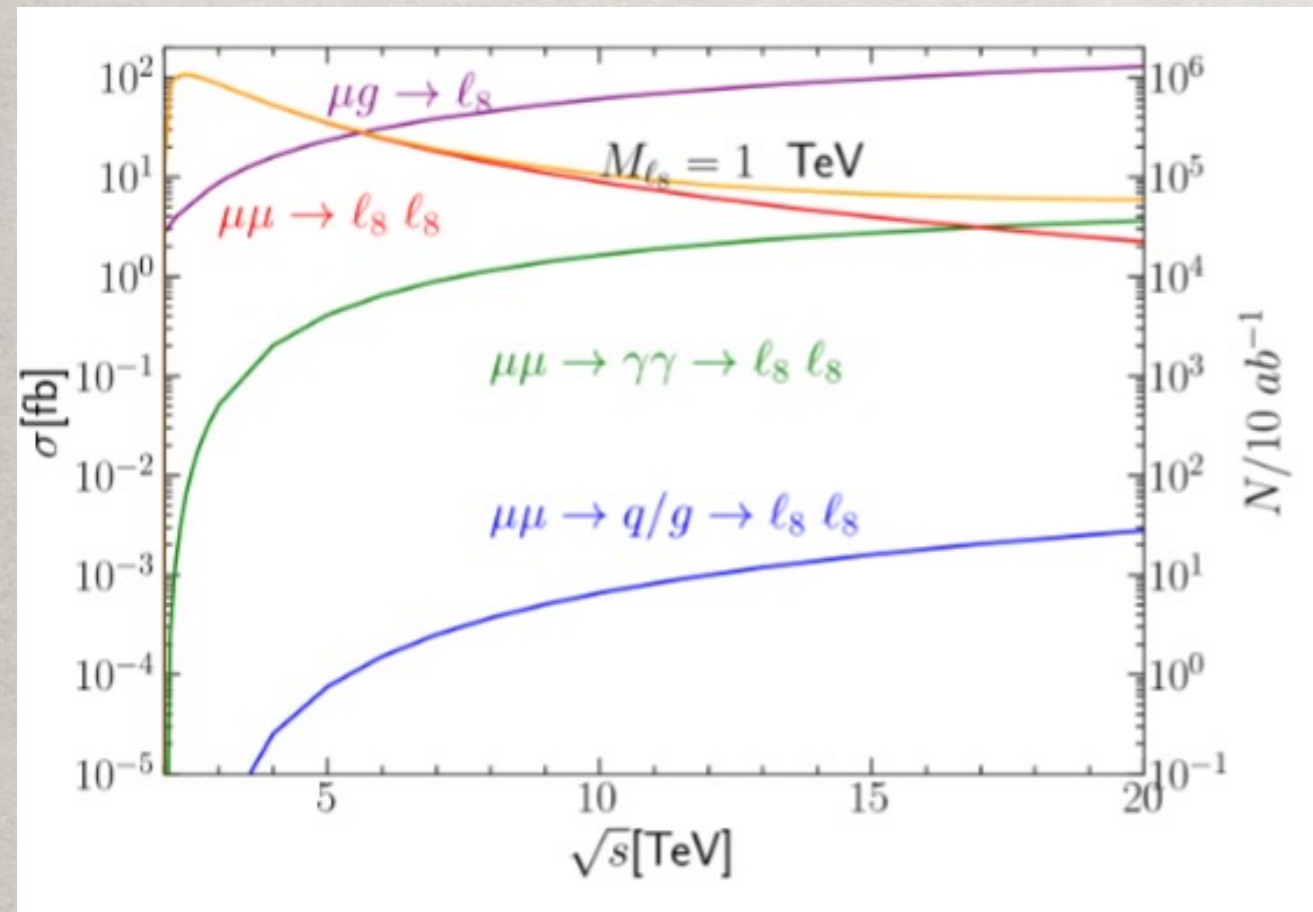
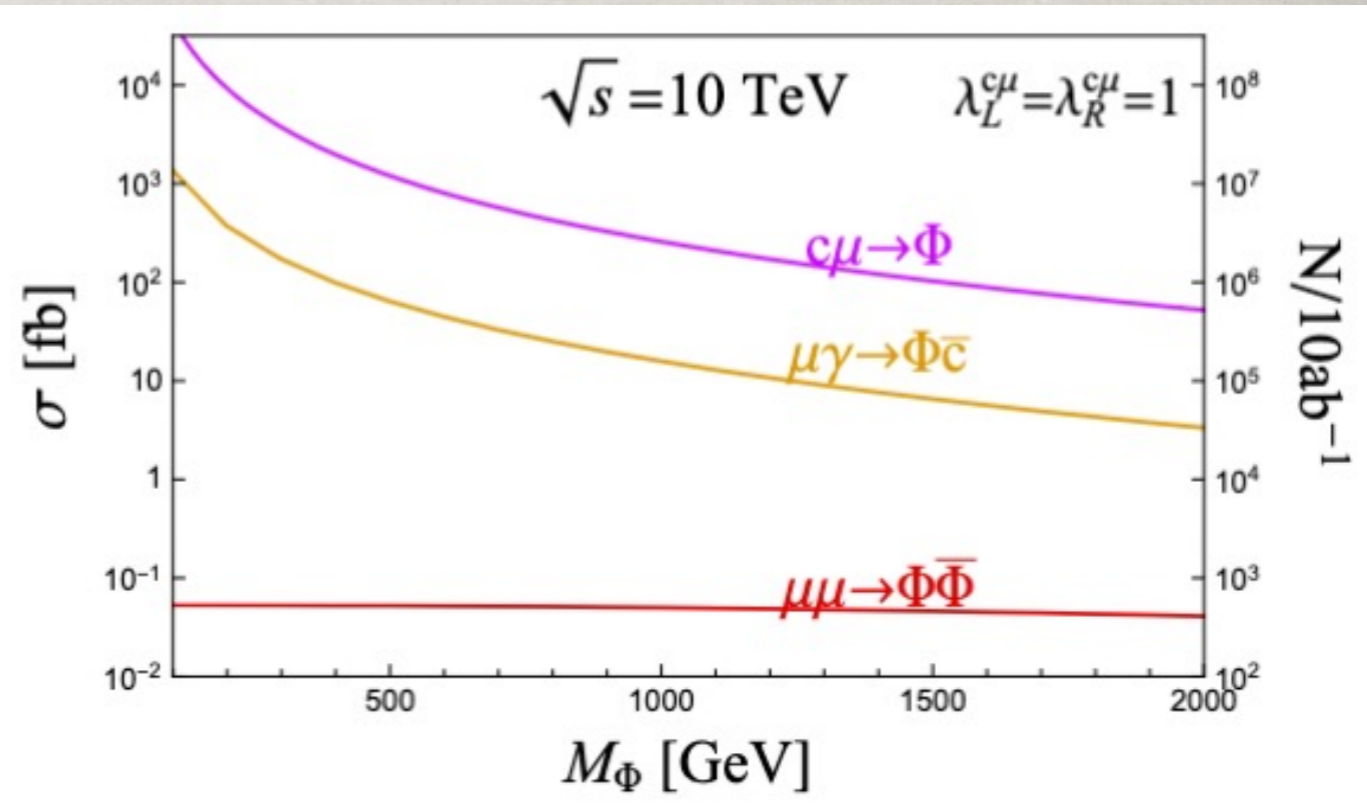
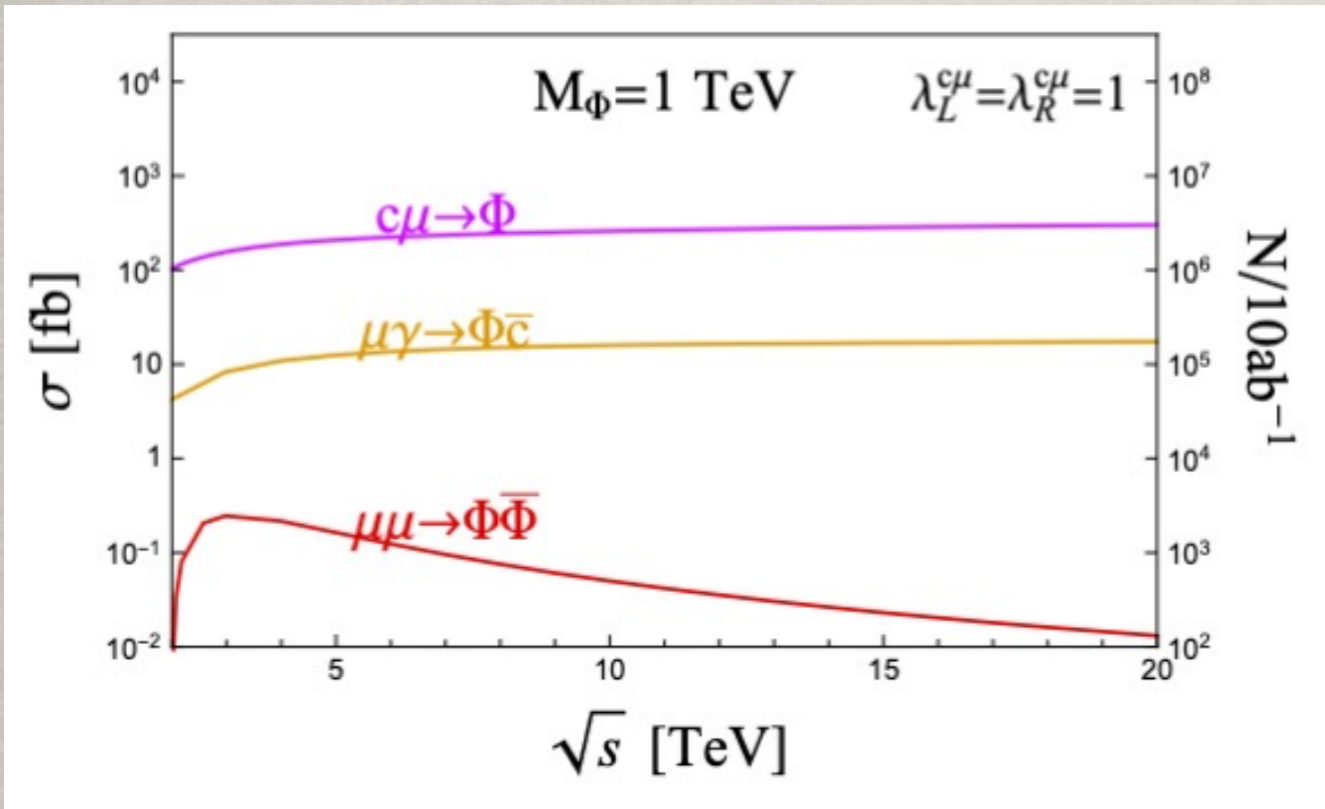


Non SUSY heavy pair production: Color-triplet vector-like-fermion production:



TH, Matt Low, Arthur Wu, Keping Xie, arXiv:24xx.xxxx



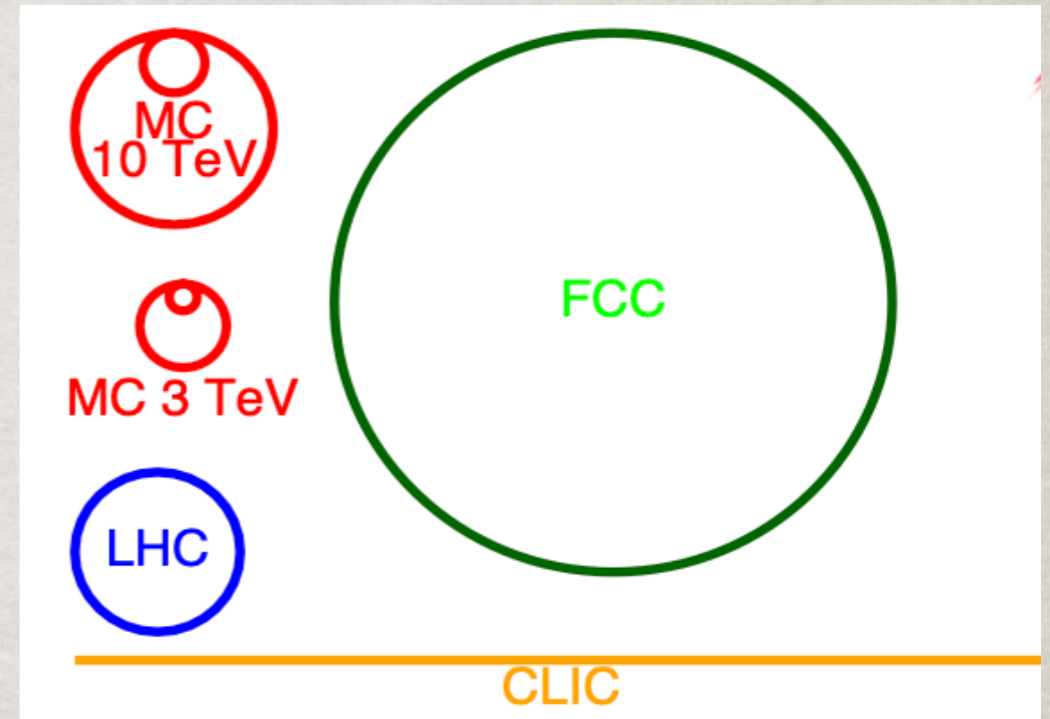


- **Advantages of a muon collider**

- Much less synchrotron radiation energy loss than e's:

$$\Delta E \sim \frac{1}{R} \left(\frac{E}{m_\mu} \right)^4$$

which would allow a smaller and a circular machine, thus likely cost-effective:



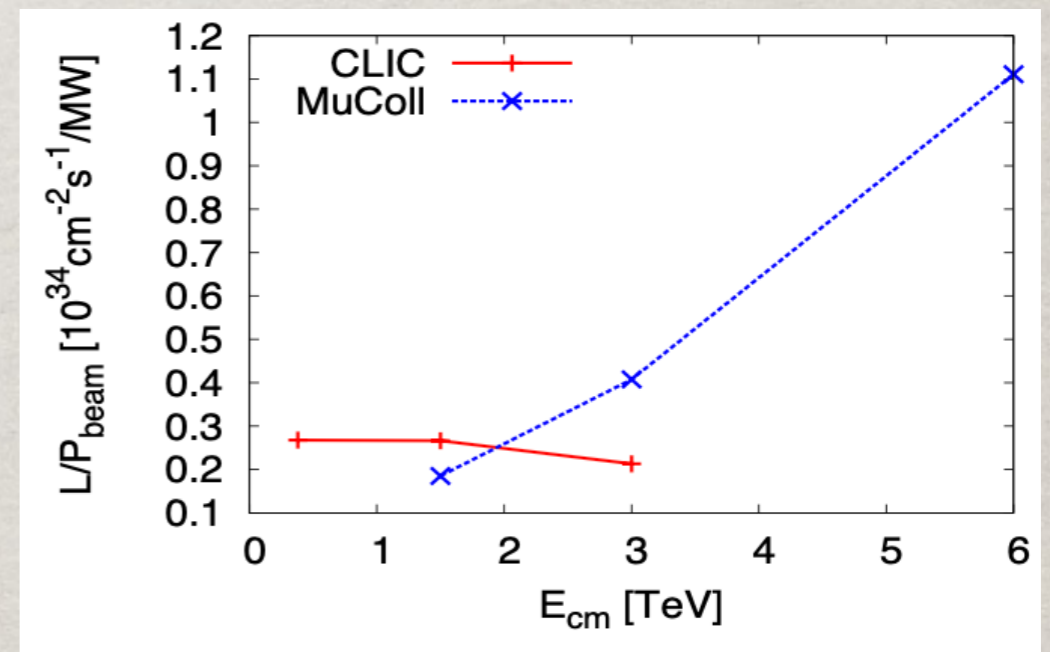
- Luminosity scales with c.m. energy/power, ideally

$$L \sim E^2_{CM}$$

- Smaller beam-energy spread:

$$\Delta E/E \sim 0.1\%$$

potentially $\Delta E/E(m_H) \sim 0.01\% - 0.001\%$



- **Advantages of a muon collider**
- Unlike the proton as a composite particle, E_{CM} efficient in $\mu^+\mu^-$ annihilation, to reach higher new physics threshold $E_{CM} \sim 2 M_{new}$
- Yet, high-energy collisions result in all sort of partons from Initial States Radiation

$$\sigma_{\mu\mu} \sim (1/M_W)^2 \ln^2(E_{CM}/M_W)$$

“Buy one, get one free!”

- Lower (hadronic) background:
 $\sigma_{pp}(\text{total}) \sim 100 \text{ mb}; \quad \sigma_{\mu\mu}(\text{total}) \sim 100 \text{ nb}$

- **Disadvantages of a muon collider**

- Production: Protons on target \rightarrow pions \rightarrow muons:
Require sophisticated scheme for μ capture & transport

- Very short lifetime: in micro-second,

- **Muons cooling in (x,p) 6-dimensions**

- \rightarrow Difficult to make quality beams and a high luminosity

- Beam Induced Backgrounds (BIB)

from the decays in the ring at the interacting point

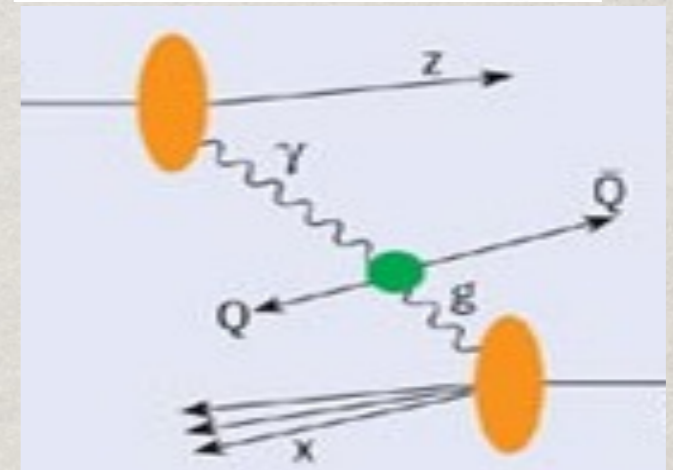
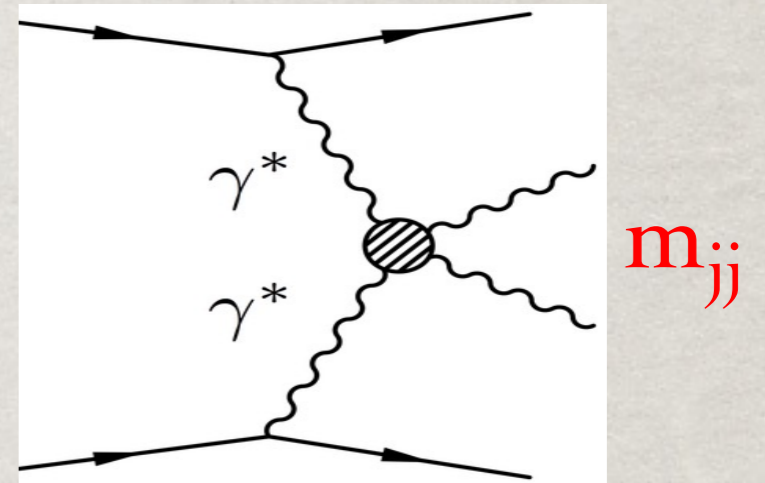
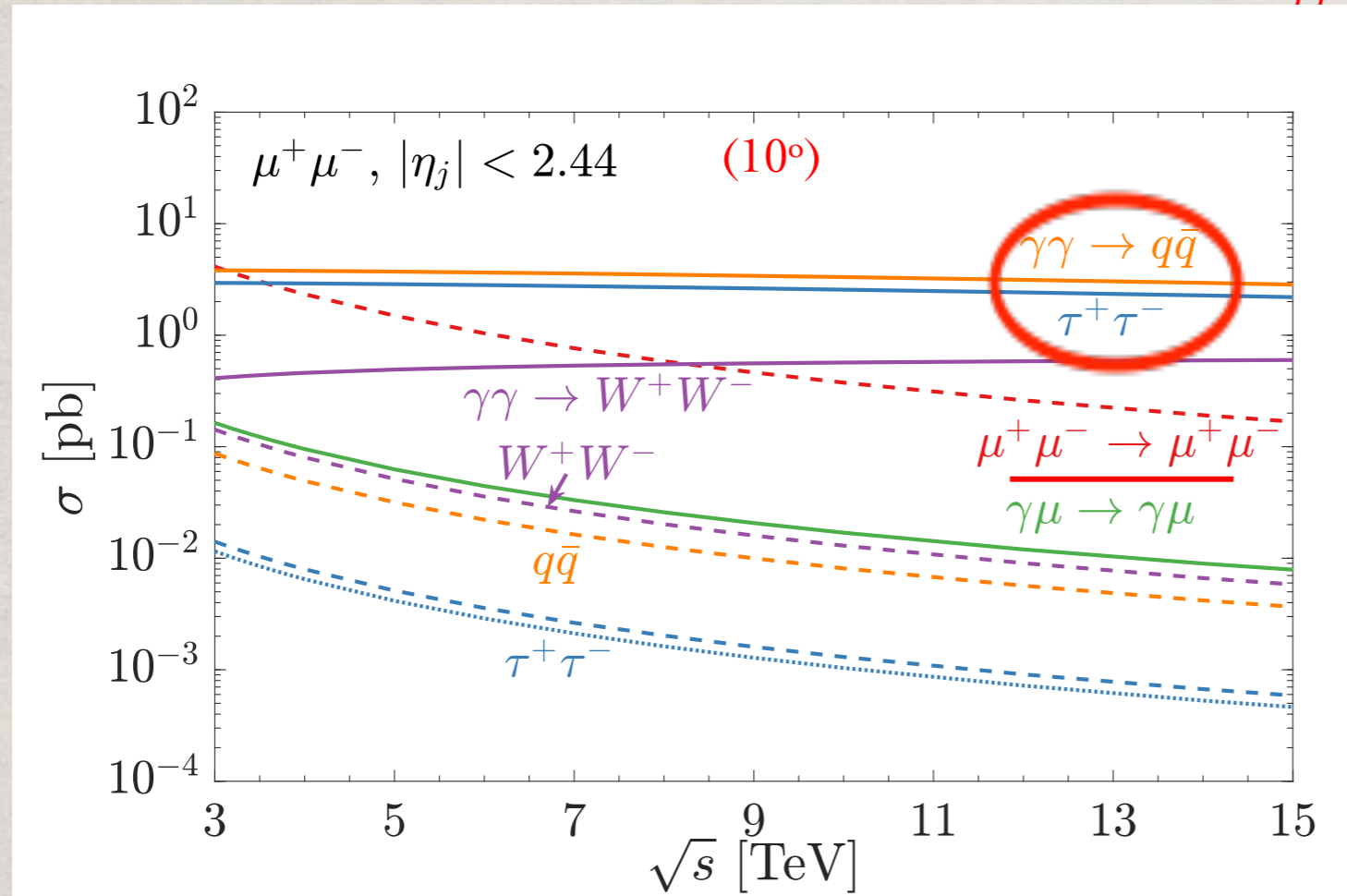
- Neutrino beam dump (environmental hazard)

$$\sigma_{\nu} \sim G_F^2 E^2 \rightarrow \text{Shielding?}$$

• Photon-induced QED cross sections

large rates

$$\sigma_{fusion} \sim \frac{\alpha^2}{m_{ij}^2} \log^2\left(\frac{Q^2}{m^2}\right)$$

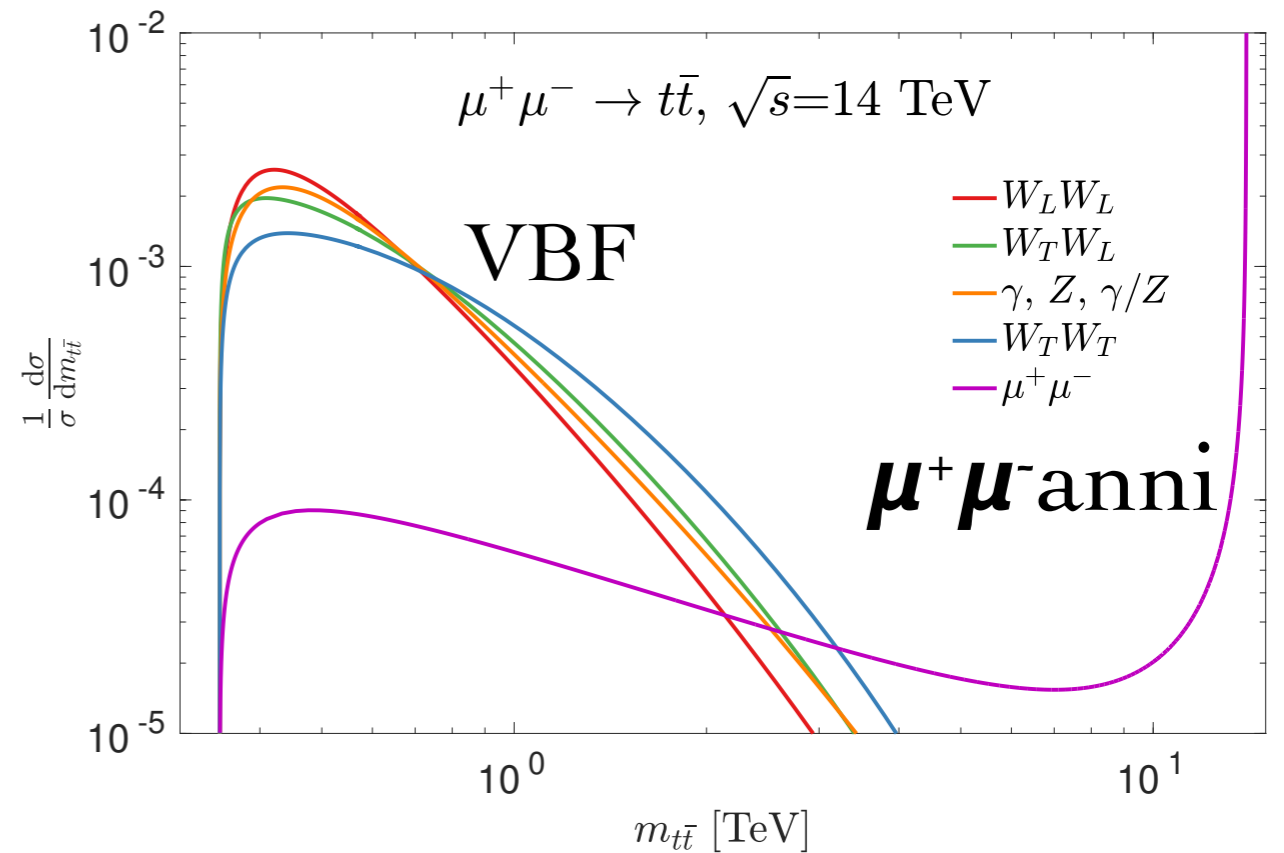
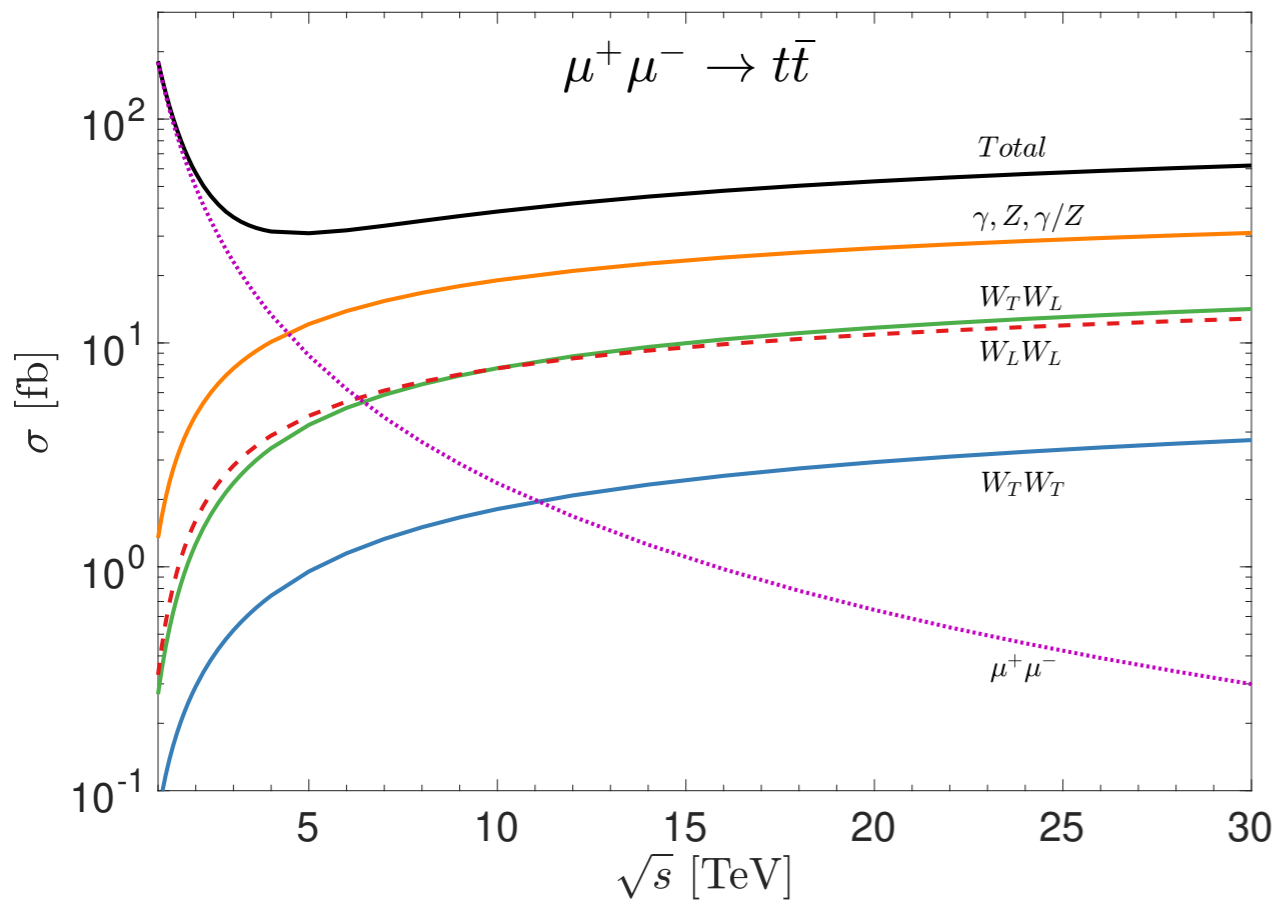


$$p_T^j > \left(4 + \frac{\sqrt{s}}{3 \text{ TeV}}\right) \text{ GeV}, \quad m_{ij} > 20 \text{ GeV}, \quad |\eta_j| < 3.13 \quad (2.44)$$

Quarks/gluons come into the picture via SM DGLAP:

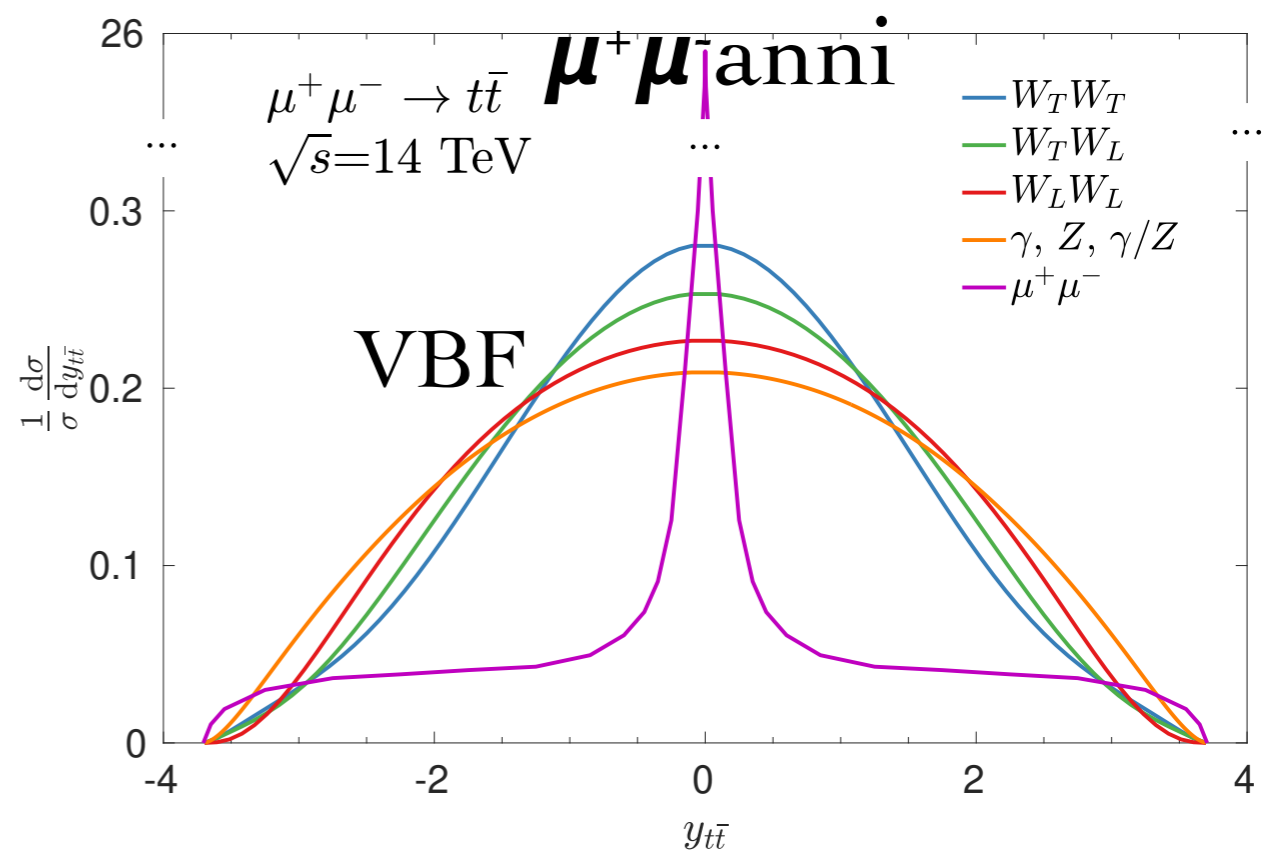
$$\frac{d}{d \log Q^2} \begin{pmatrix} f_L \\ f_U \\ f_D \\ f_\gamma \\ f_g \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} P_{ll} & 0 & 0 & 2N_l P_{l\gamma} & 0 \\ 0 & P_{uu} & 0 & 2N_u P_{u\gamma} & 2N_u P_{ug} \\ 0 & 0 & P_{dd} & 2N_d P_{d\gamma} & 2N_d P_{dg} \\ P_{\gamma l} & P_{\gamma u} & P_{\gamma d} & P_{\gamma\gamma} & 0 \\ 0 & P_{gu} & P_{gd} & 0 & P_{gg} \end{pmatrix} \otimes \begin{pmatrix} f_L \\ f_U \\ f_D \\ f_\gamma \\ f_g \end{pmatrix}$$

- Underlying sub-processes:



Partonic contributions

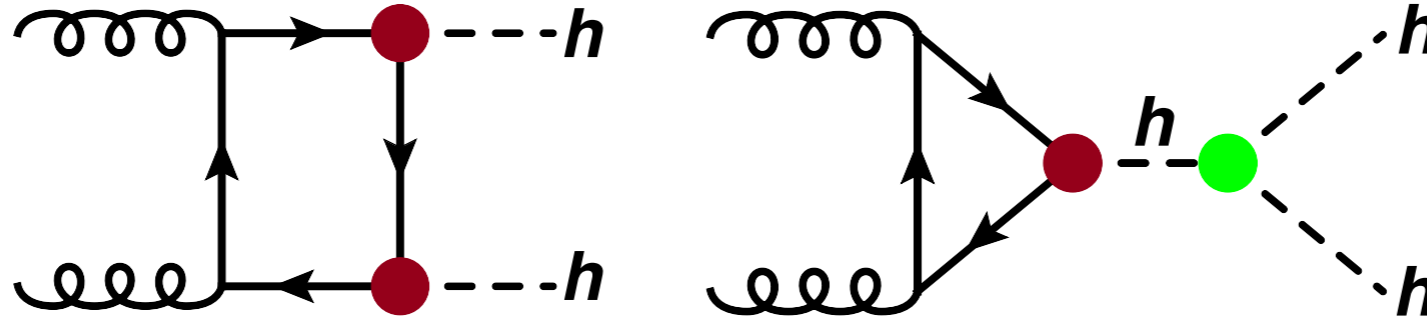
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 Annihilation + VBF



Higgs pair production & triple coupling:

SM Higgs boson pair production at the LHC

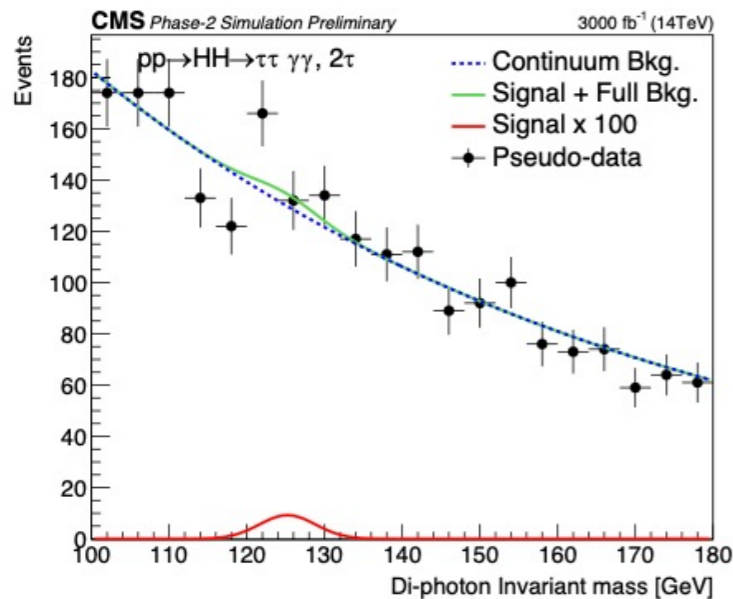
SM Higgs boson pair production (gluon-gluon fusion - ggF):



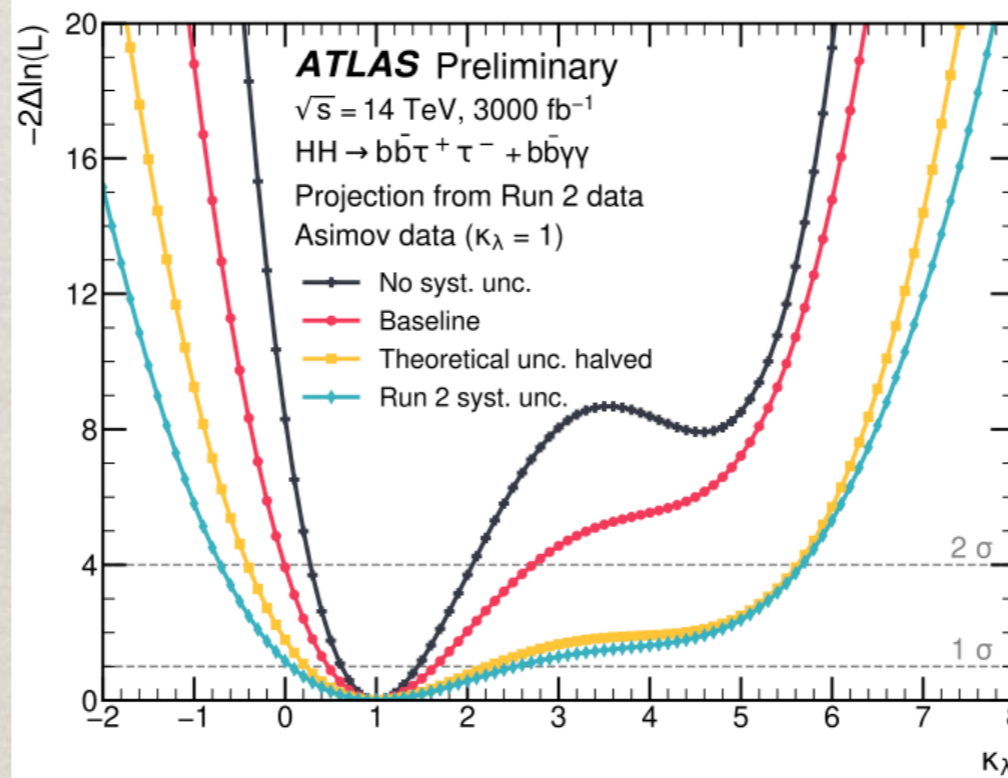
Higgs-fermion Yukawa coupling

Higgs boson self-coupling

For Snowmass, CMS updated $\gamma\gamma bb$, added $\gamma\gamma WW, \gamma\gamma\tau\tau, ttHH$

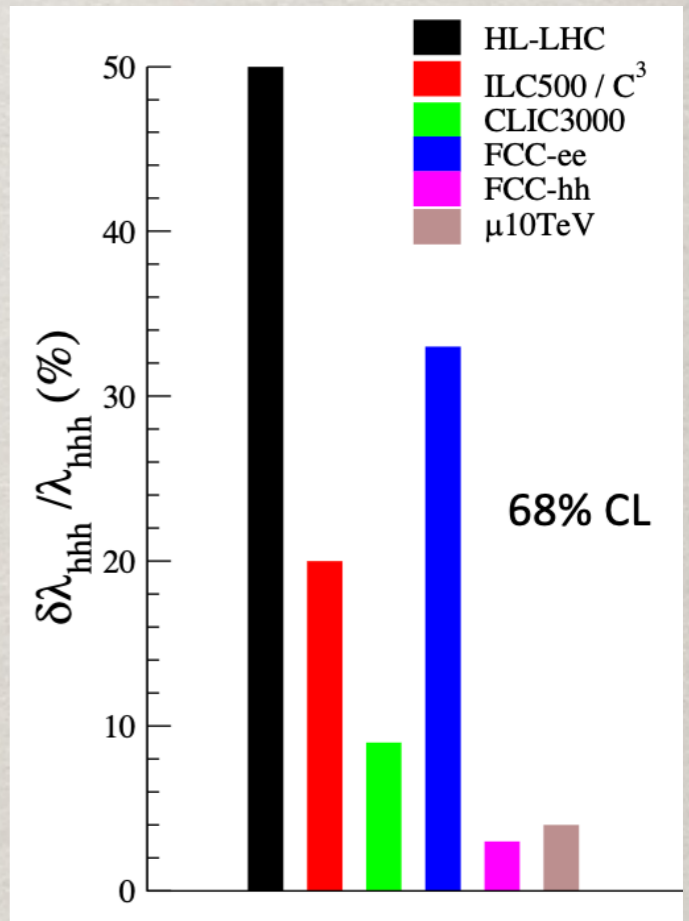


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3.2 σ with systematic uncertainty

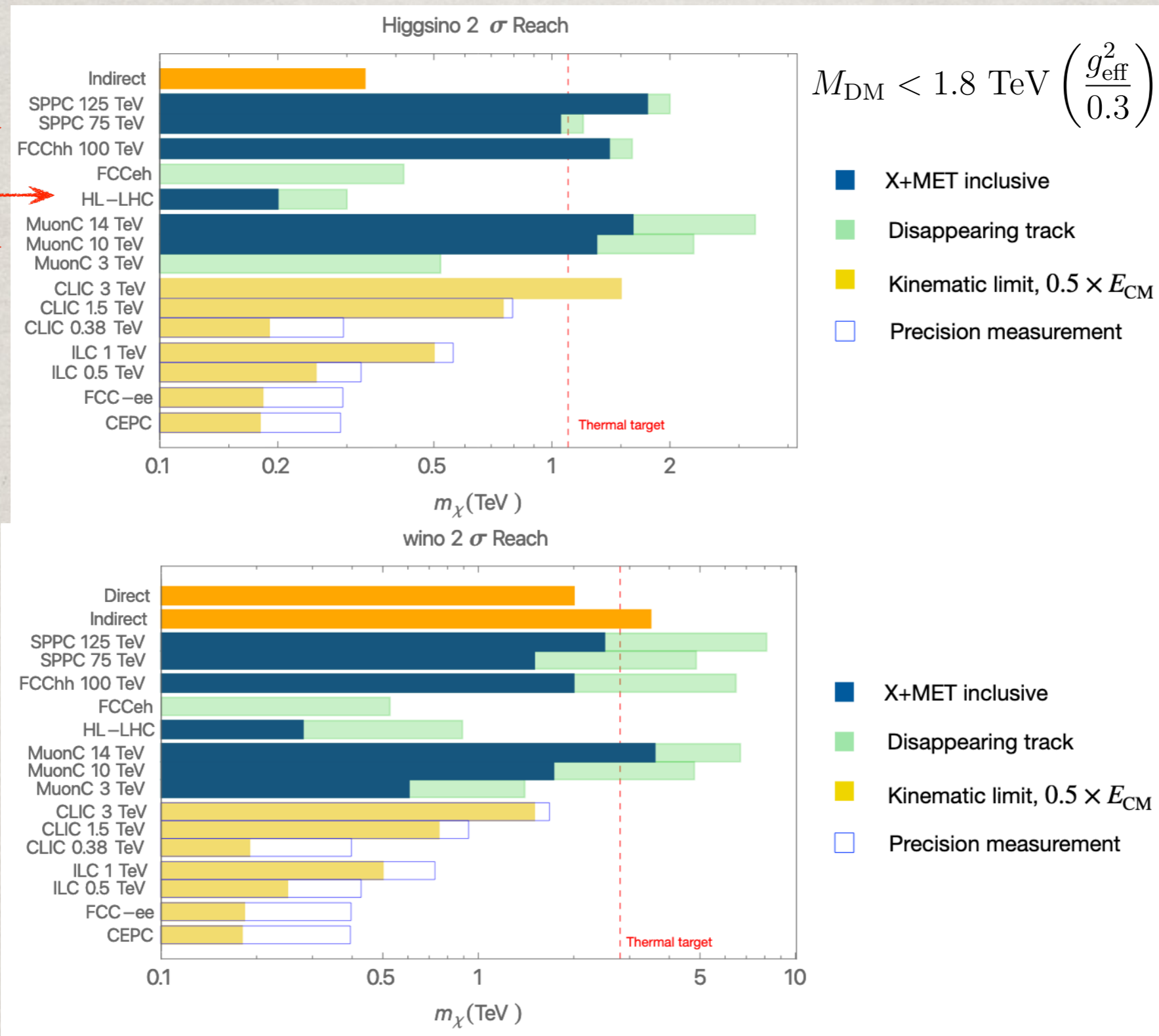
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→ dictate EW phase transition & impact on early universe cosmology!

WIMP Dark Matter

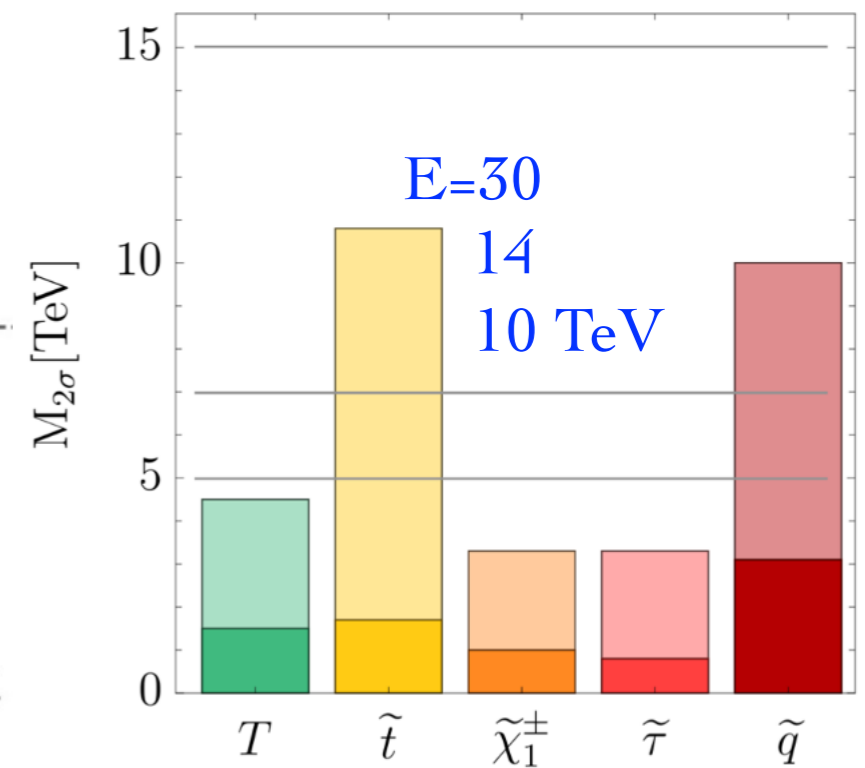
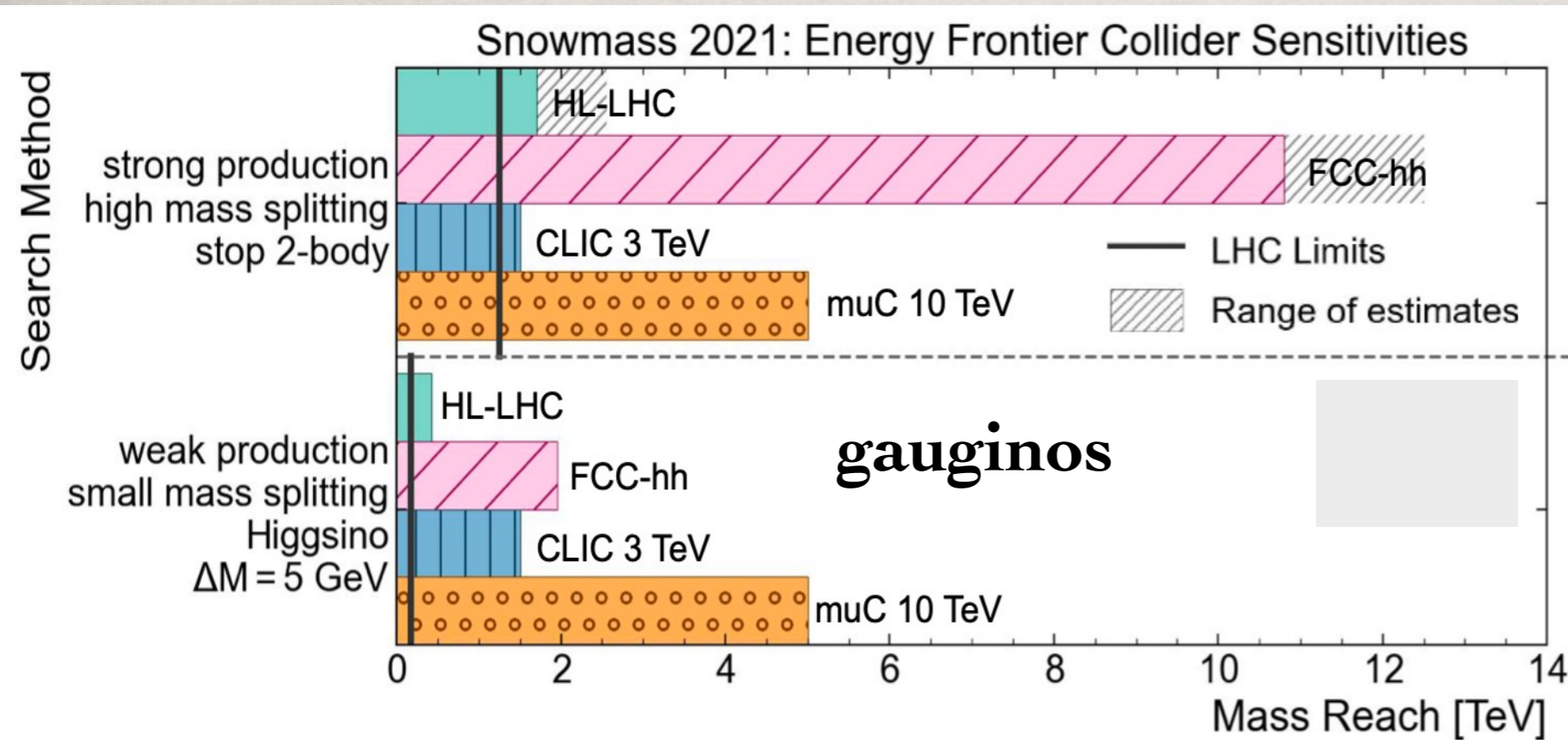
Covering the thermal target



TH, Z. Liu, L.T. Wang, X. Wang: arXiv:2009.11287; arXiv:2203.07351

Pushing the “Naturalness” limit

The searches for top quark partners
(most wanted in “naturalness”);
& gluinos, gauginos ...



→ Higgs mass fine-tune: $\delta m_H/m_H \sim 1\% (1 \text{ TeV}/\Lambda)^2$
Thus, $m_{\text{stop}} > 8 \text{ TeV} \rightarrow 10^{-4}$ fine-tune!

Lots of recent works!

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The US EF community proposes to develop plans to site an e^+e^- collider in the US. A Muon Collider remains a highly appealing option for the US, and is complementary to a Higgs factory. For example, some options which are considered as attractive opportunities for building a domestic EF collider program are:

- A US-sited linear e^+e^- (ILC/CCC) Collider
- Hosting a 10 TeV range Muon Collider
- Exploring other e^+e^- collider options to fully utilize the Fermilab site

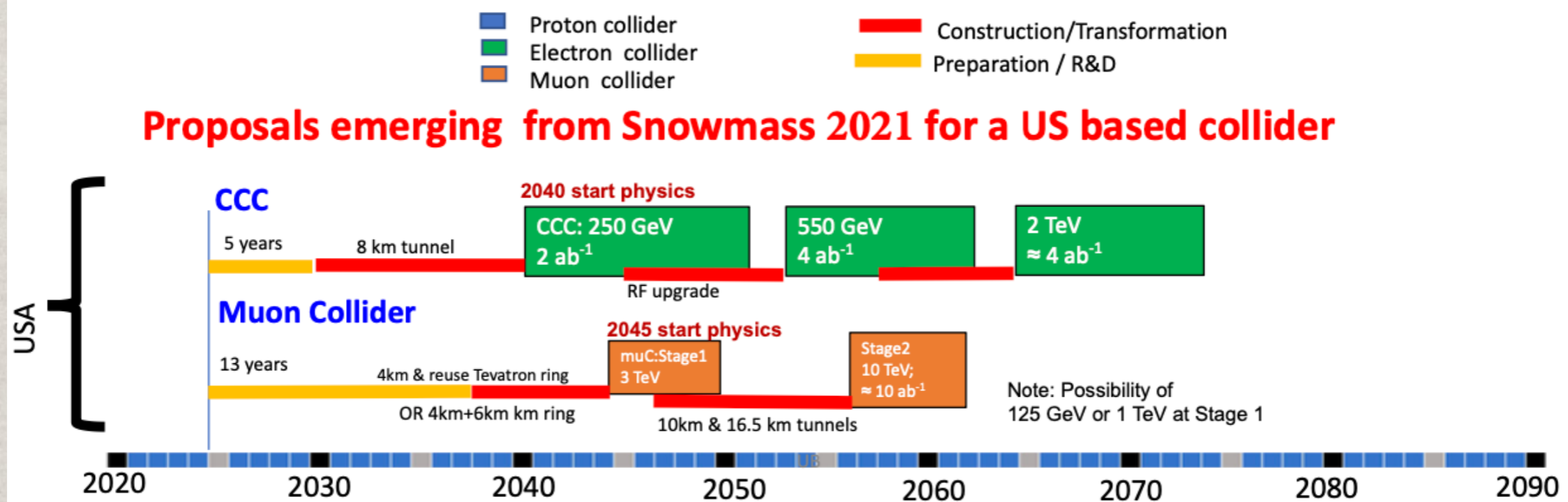


Figure 6-41. Approximate timelines for proposals for ILC/CCC and Muon Collider emerging from Snowmass 2021 for a US based collider option.

<https://muoncollider.web.cern.ch>

Fermilab on site:

Site filler Accelerator

➤ **Largest**

Radius is ~2.65 km

- **~16.5 km Circumference**
- **~2/3 LHC**

~RCS accelerator

If $B_{ave} = 3 T \rightarrow E_{\mu} = 2.4 TeV$
 ($B_{max} = 8T, B_{pulse} = \pm 2T$)

Doubled ?

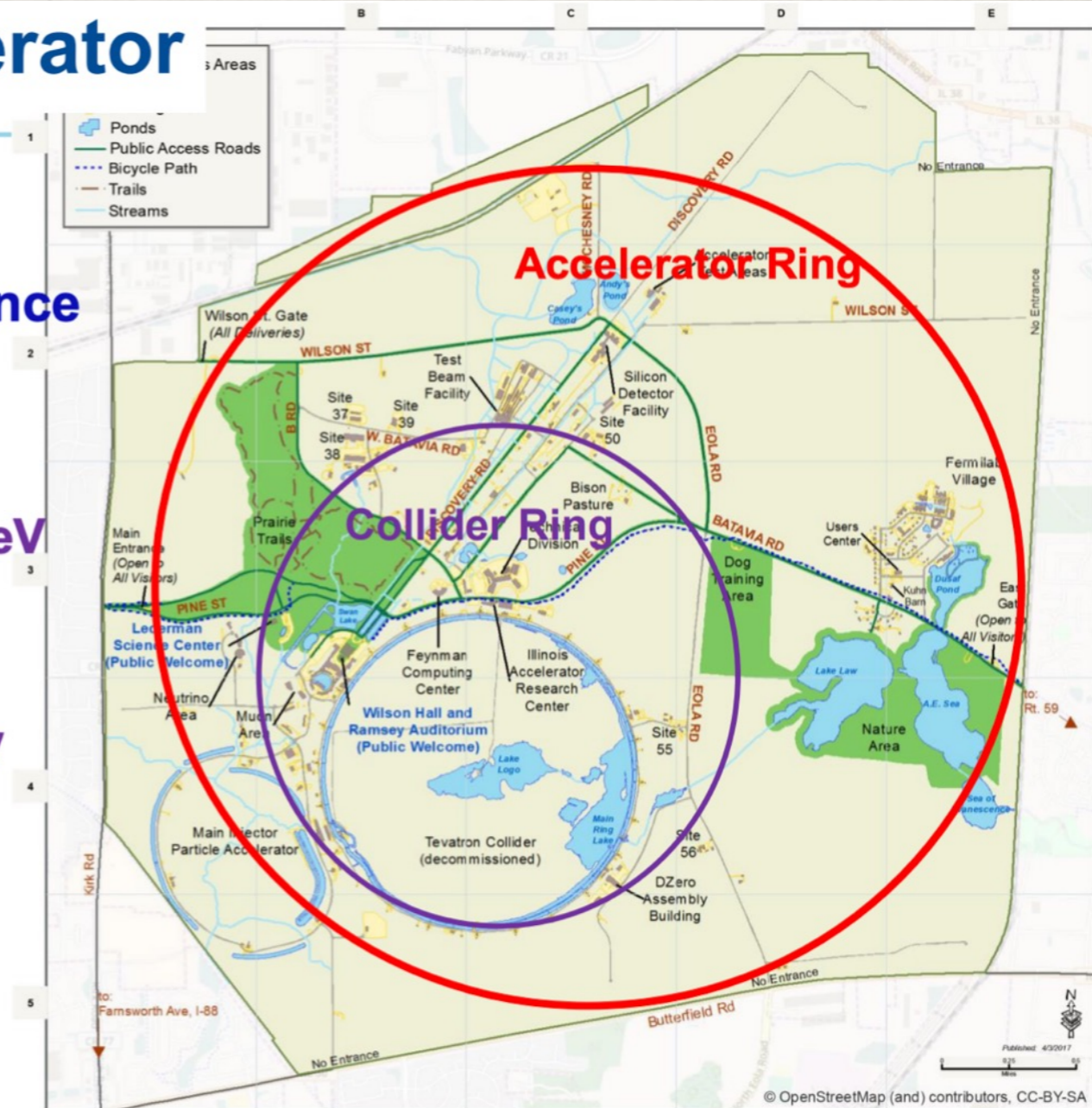
$B_{ave} = 6.3 T \rightarrow E_{\mu} = 5 TeV$
 ($B_{max} = 16T, B_{pulse} = \pm 4T$)

10 TeV collider

Collider Ring ~10 km

$B_{ave} = 10 T$

$\tau_{\mu} = 0.104 s$

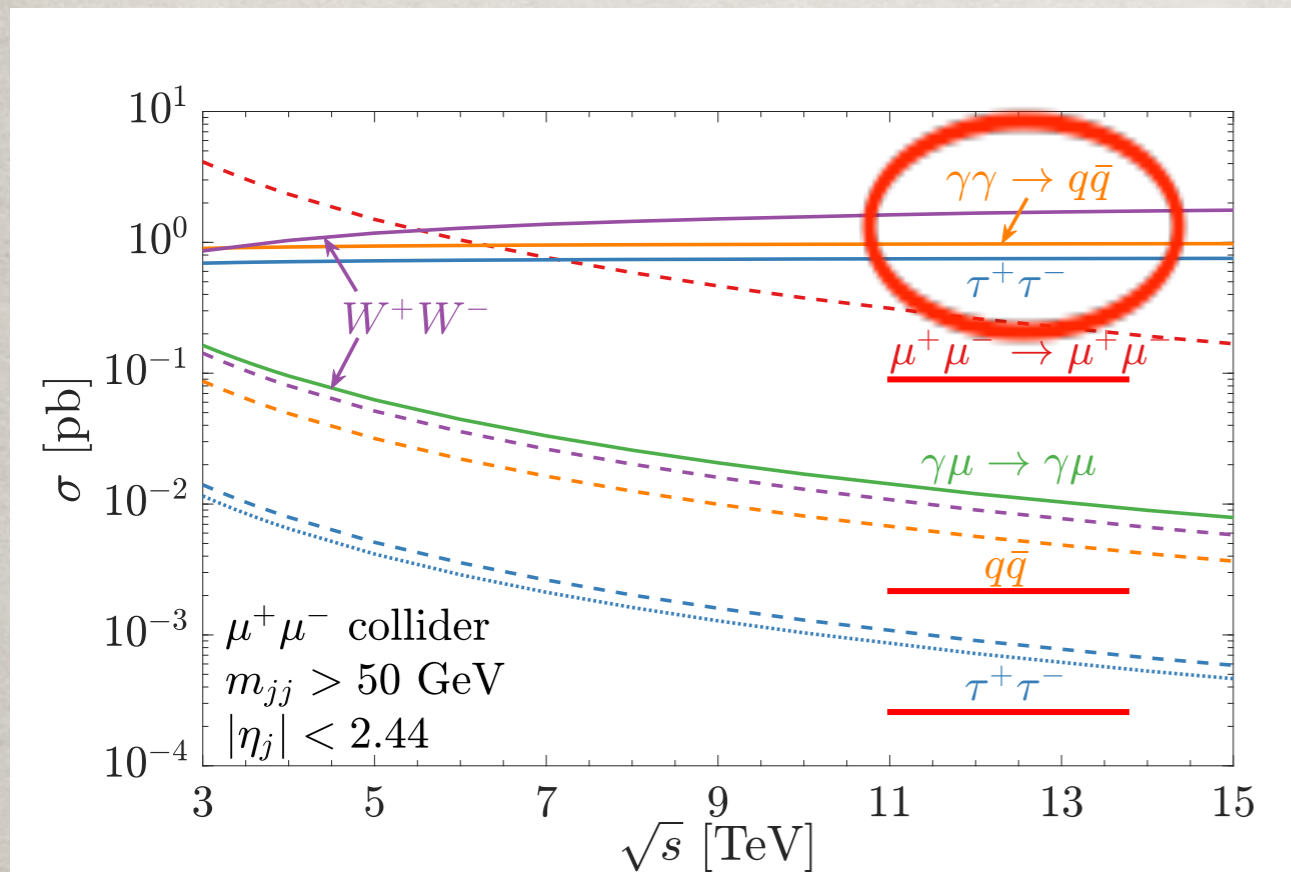


Daniel Schulte; Mark Palmer; Katsuya Yonehara talk, March 2022

- Jets at low energies

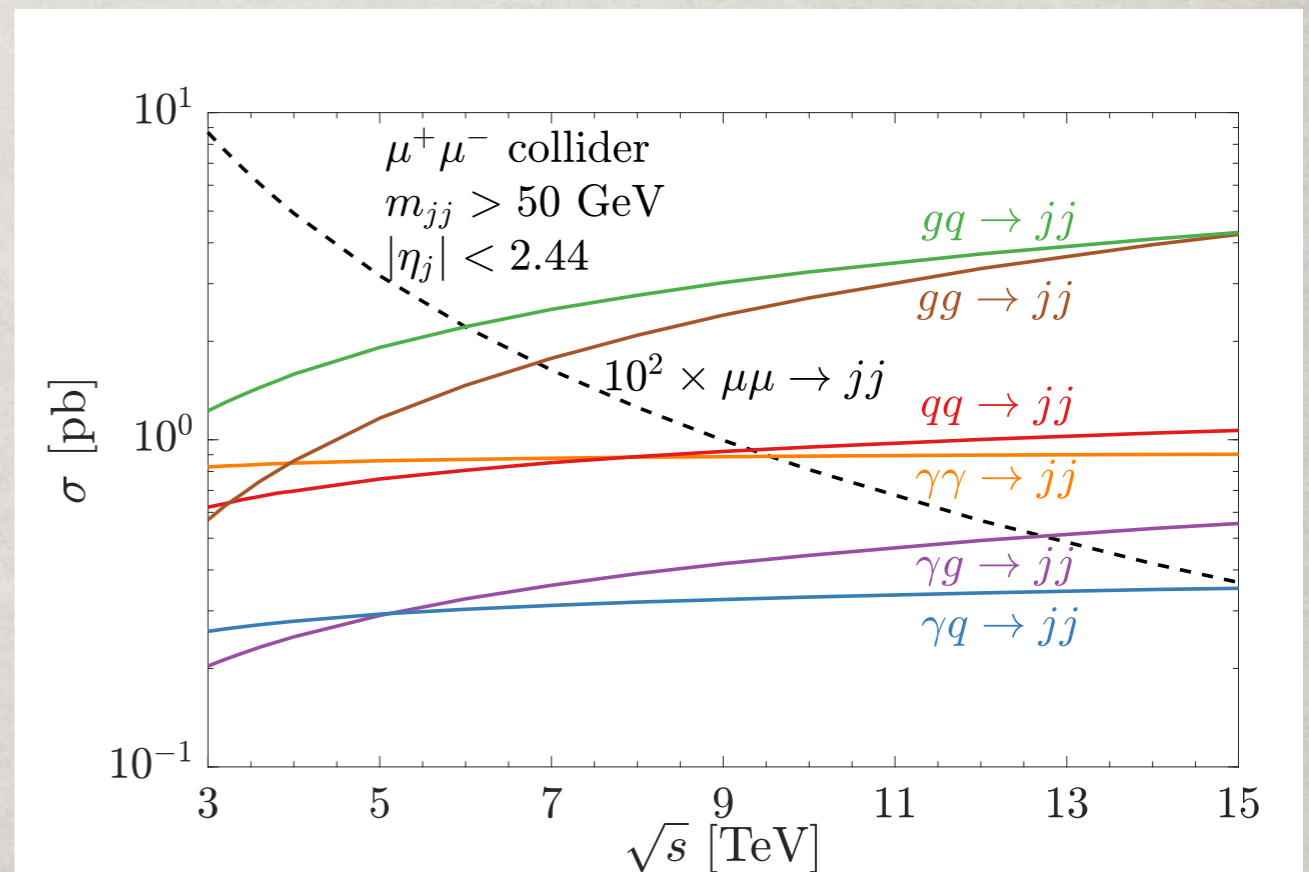
For $\mu^+\mu^-$ annihilation: $\sigma_{ann} \sim \frac{\alpha^2}{s}$

For partonic fusion: $\sigma_{fusion} \sim \frac{\alpha^2}{m_{jj}^2} \log^2\left(\frac{Q^2}{m^2}\right)$



Di-jet production: QCD dominates

$\gamma\gamma \rightarrow q\bar{q}$, $\gamma g \rightarrow q\bar{q}$, $\gamma q \rightarrow gq$,
 $qq \rightarrow qq(gg)$, $gq \rightarrow gq$, and $gg \rightarrow gg(q\bar{q})$



TH, Yang Ma, Keping Xie, to appear soon.