

# **Constraints on resonant and non-resonant production modes of SVJs**

## **Dark Showers Workshop**

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# CONTUR

## Constraints On New Theories Using RIVET

- Toolkit designed to probe BSM theories using measurements at particle colliders
- We have a vault of information from SM measurements and BSM searches that have been performed at the LHC
- How can we use this information to search for BSM physics?
- CONTUR produces combined-sensitivity limits derived from comparisons between theoretical BSM simulations and data at particle-level



UFO describing BSM model

MadGraph5 for the event generation, Pythia8 for showering

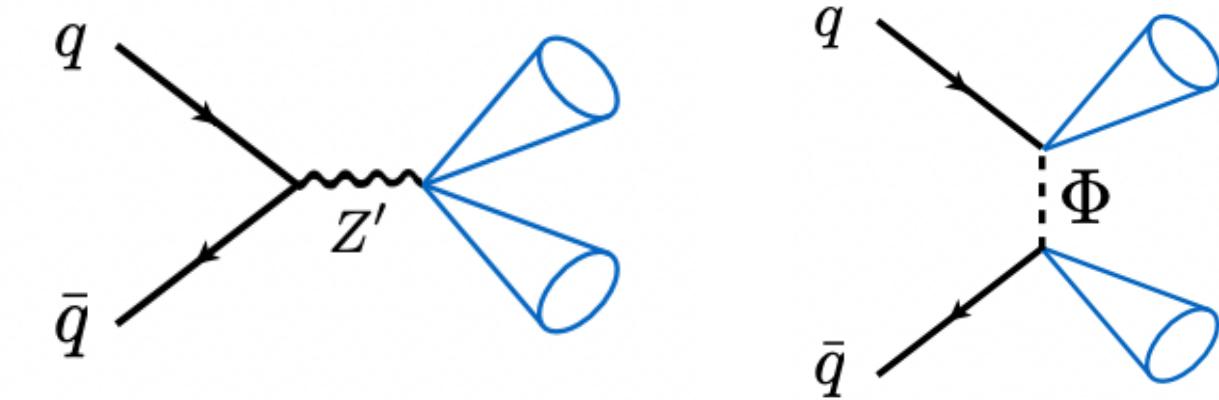
Using RIVET and HEP data: effect of the BSM model on existing measurements

CLs method for exclusions

Repeat for each point in the parameter space!



# SVJ Generation



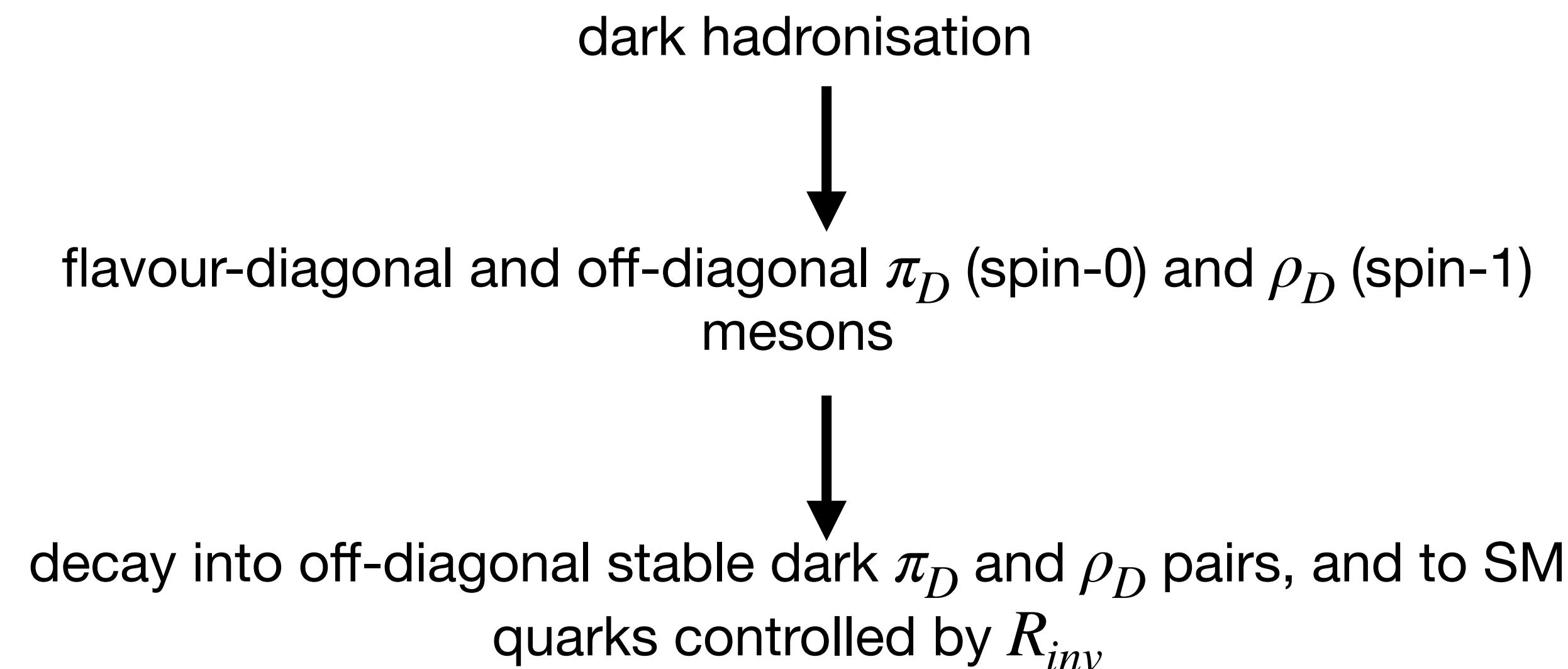
**Followed this approach using s-channel or t-channel UFOs producing dark matter particles via a heavy  $Z'$  mediator, or via a scalar bi-fundamental mediator.**

## s-Channel:

- Pythia8 Hidden Valley (HV) module
- Proof-of-principle exercise

## t-Channel:

- MadGraph5, then changing the PIDs of the DM particles to match with Pythia8 HV dark quark PIDs



final state obtained was insensitive to the detailed choices made for the dark sector parameters

# CONTUR Scan Parameters

branching fraction of unstable  
dark mesons decaying to stable  
dark mesons

number of dark flavours

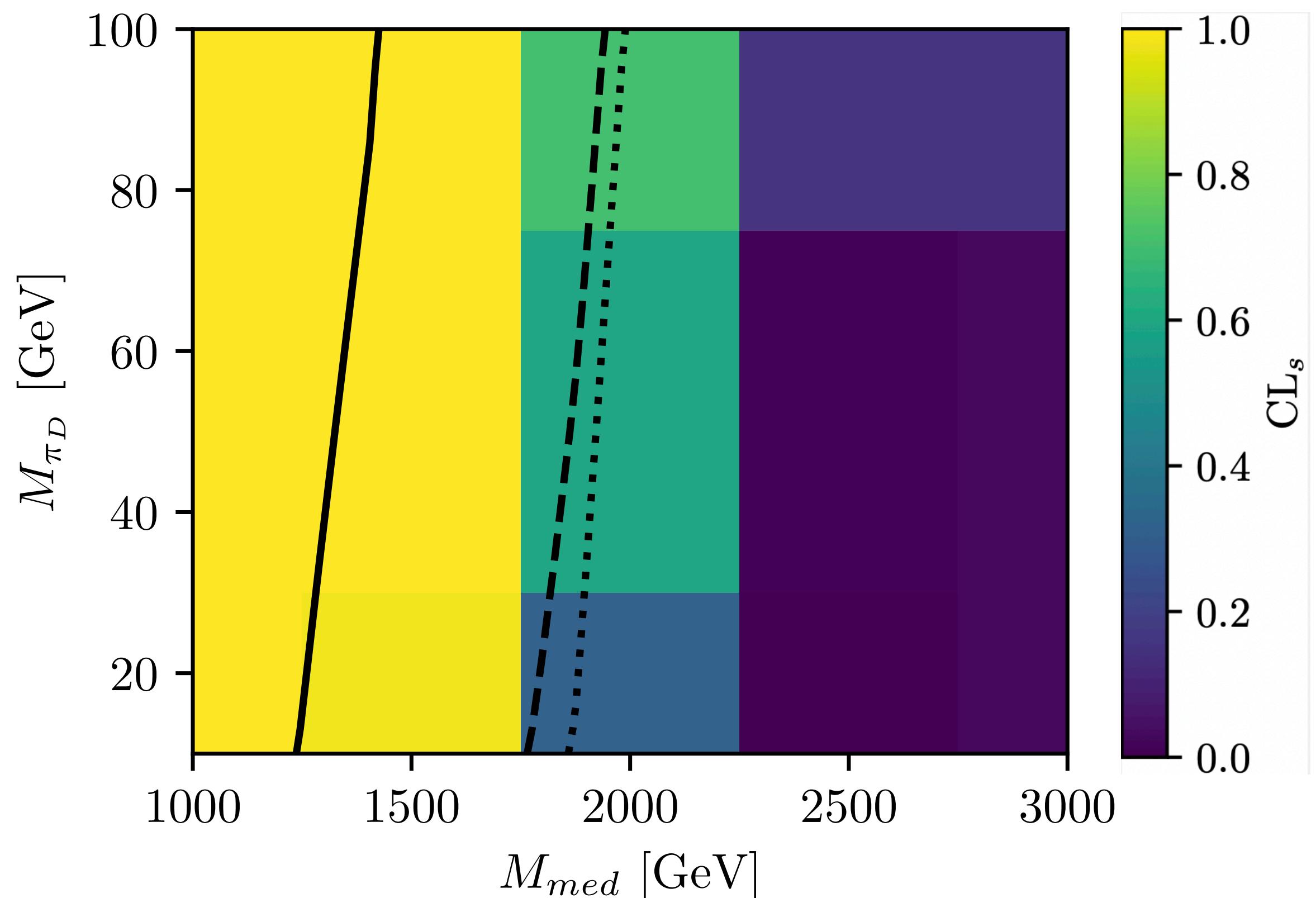
Coupling strength between  
SM and DM sectors

dark QCD  
confinement scale

lowest allowed pT of the HV  
FSR emission

Parameter	Range	Comments
$M_{Z'}$ or $M_{med}$	1,3,5 TeV	Both channels
$M_{\pi_d}$	10, 50, 100 GeV	Both channels
$R_{inv}$	0.0, 0.25, 0.5, 0.75, 1.0	Both channels
$N_F$	1, 2, 3	Only <i>s</i> -channel
$\lambda$	0.1 - 1	Only <i>t</i> -channel
$M_{\rho_d}$	16, 80, 160 GeV	Function of $M_{\pi_d}$
$\Lambda_D$	5, 25, 50	Function of $M_{\pi_d}$ and $M_{\rho_d}$
pTMinFSR	5.5, 27.5, 55	Function of $\Lambda_D$

# Reading CONTUR Scans

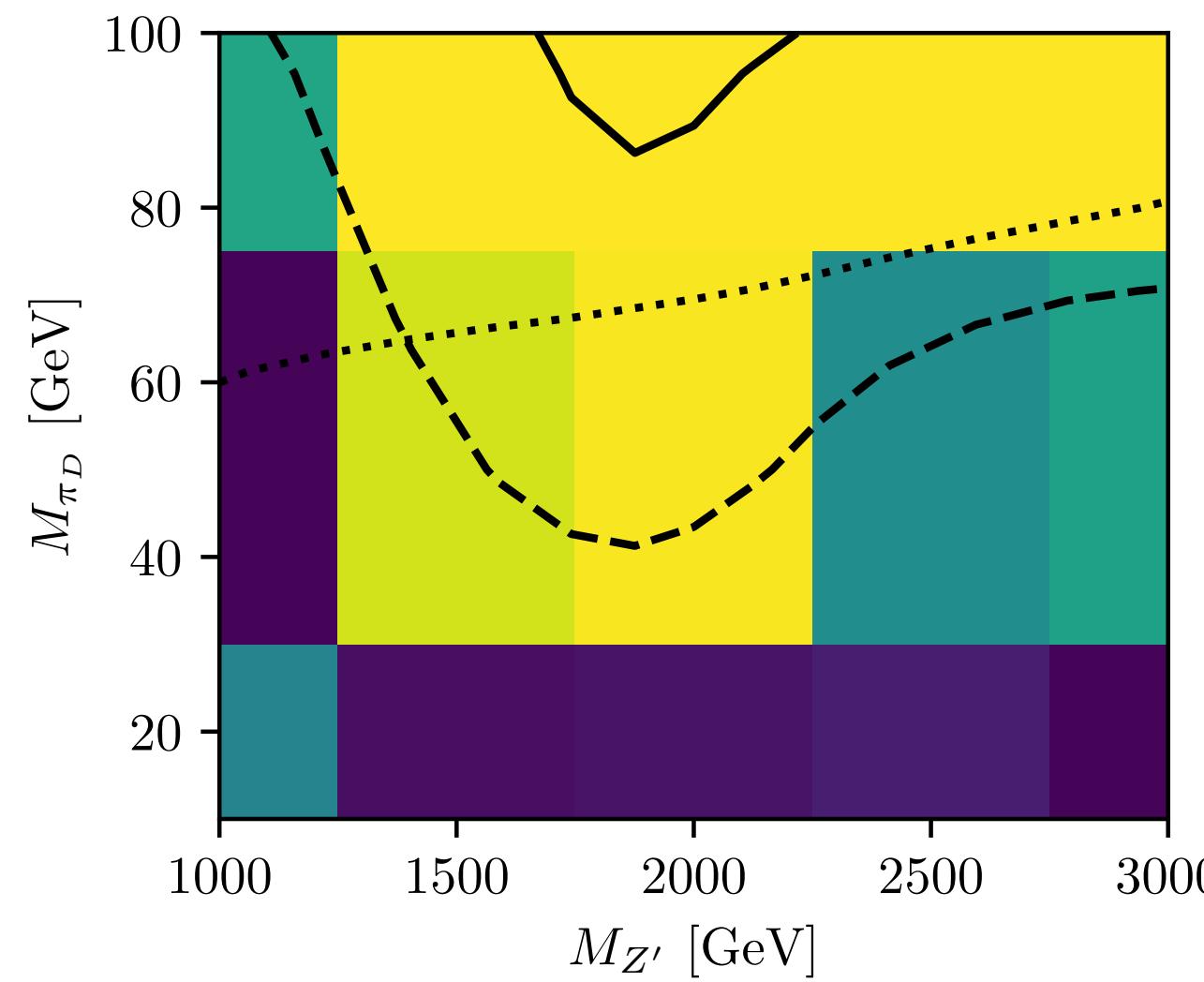


Yellow = excluded

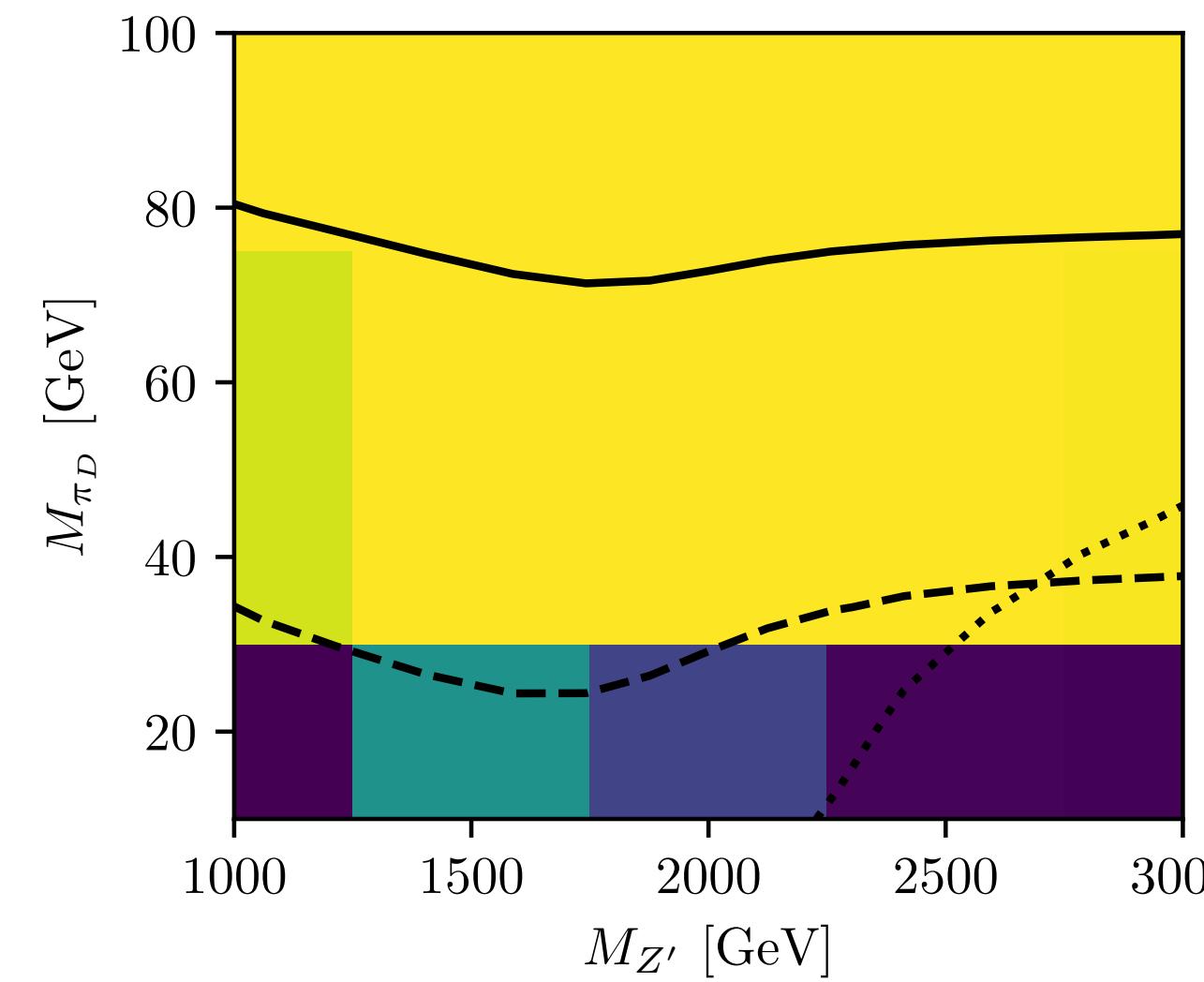
- Solid line = 95% confidence exclusion
- Dashed line = 68% confidence exclusion
- Dotted line = 95% expected exclusion

# s-Channel

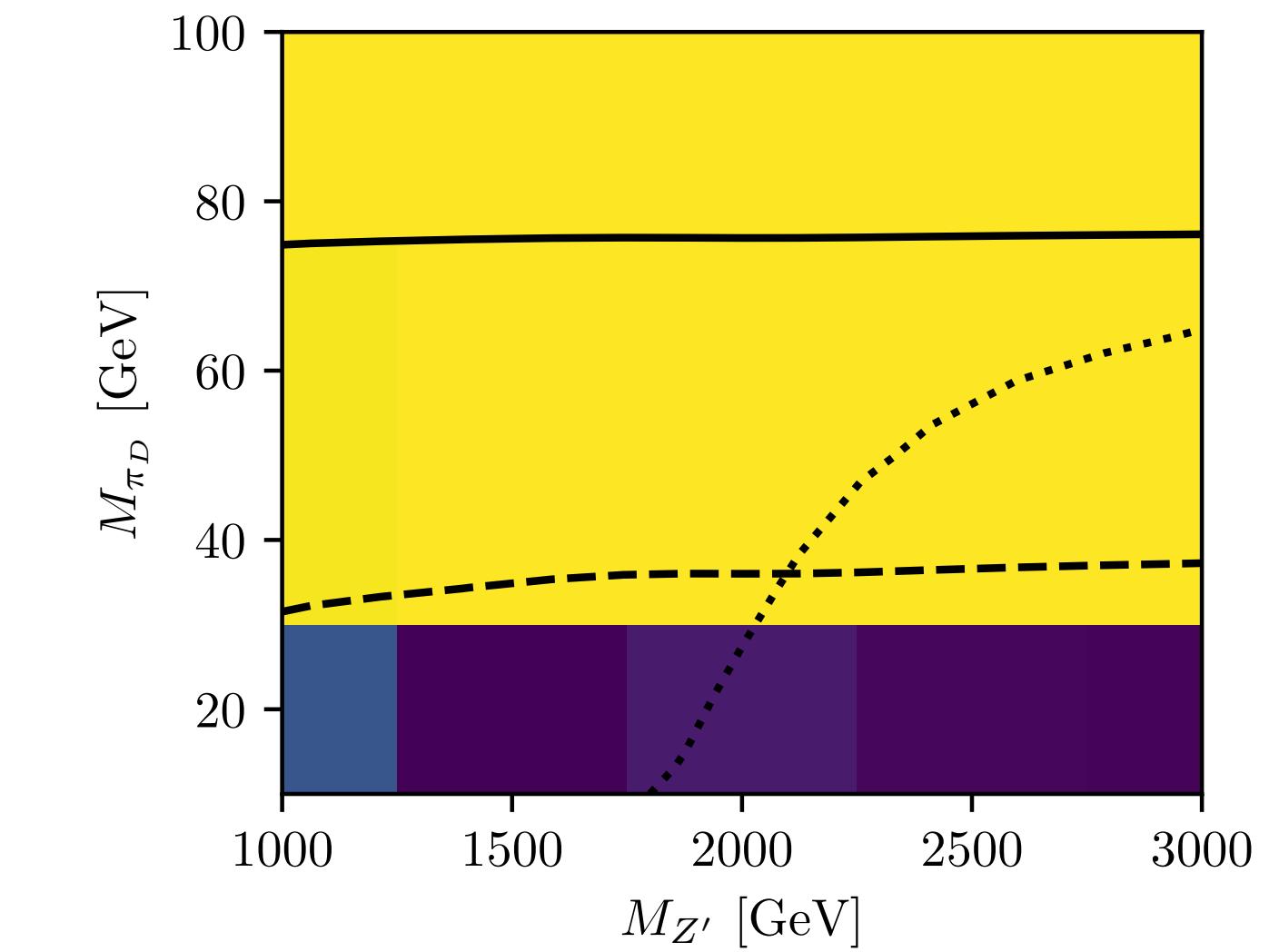
**Scans of  $M_{Z'}$  versus  $M_{\pi_D}$  for different values of  $R_{inv}$ , fixed  $N_F = 2$**



$$R_{inv} = 0.2$$



$$R_{inv} = 0.5$$

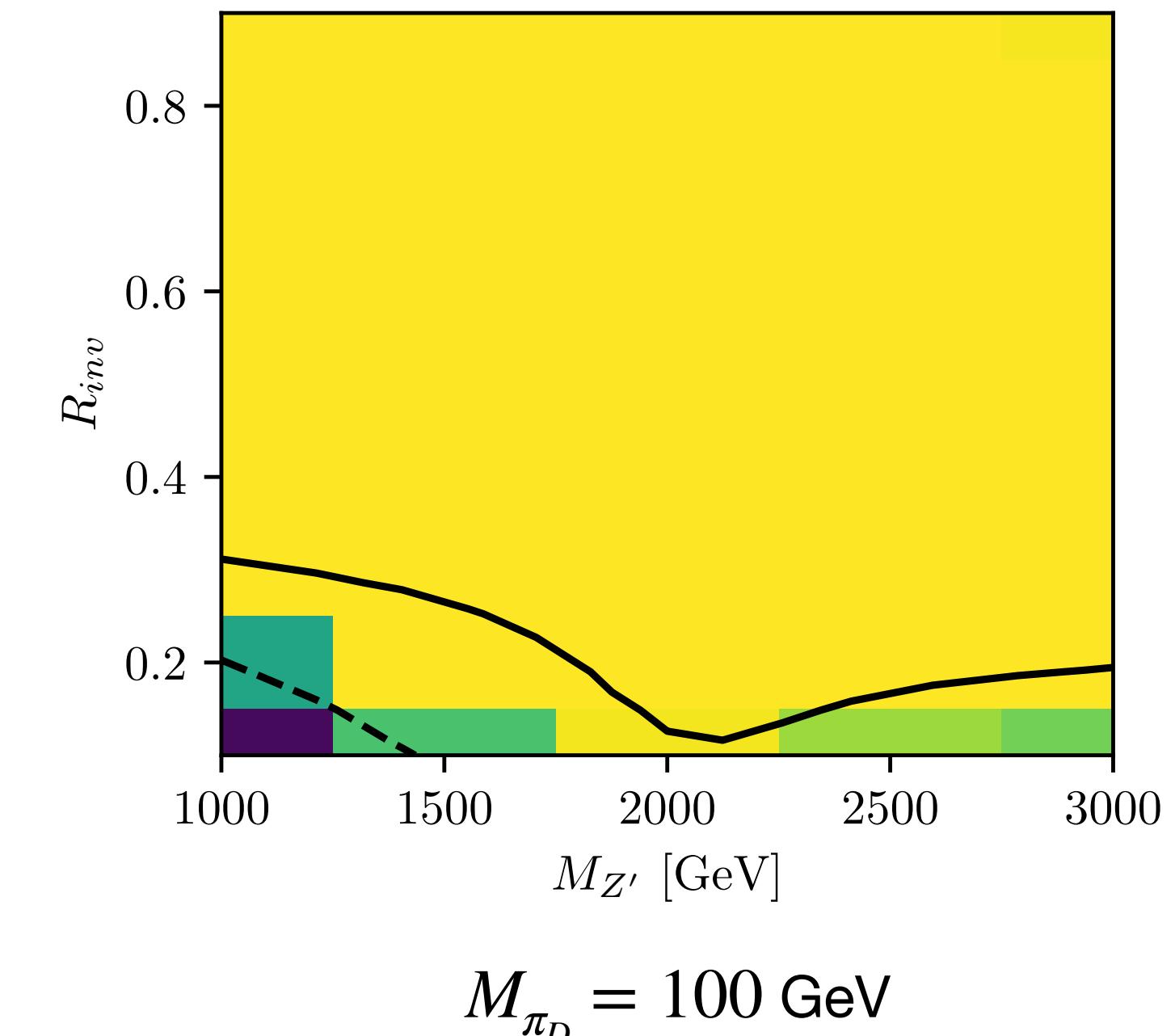
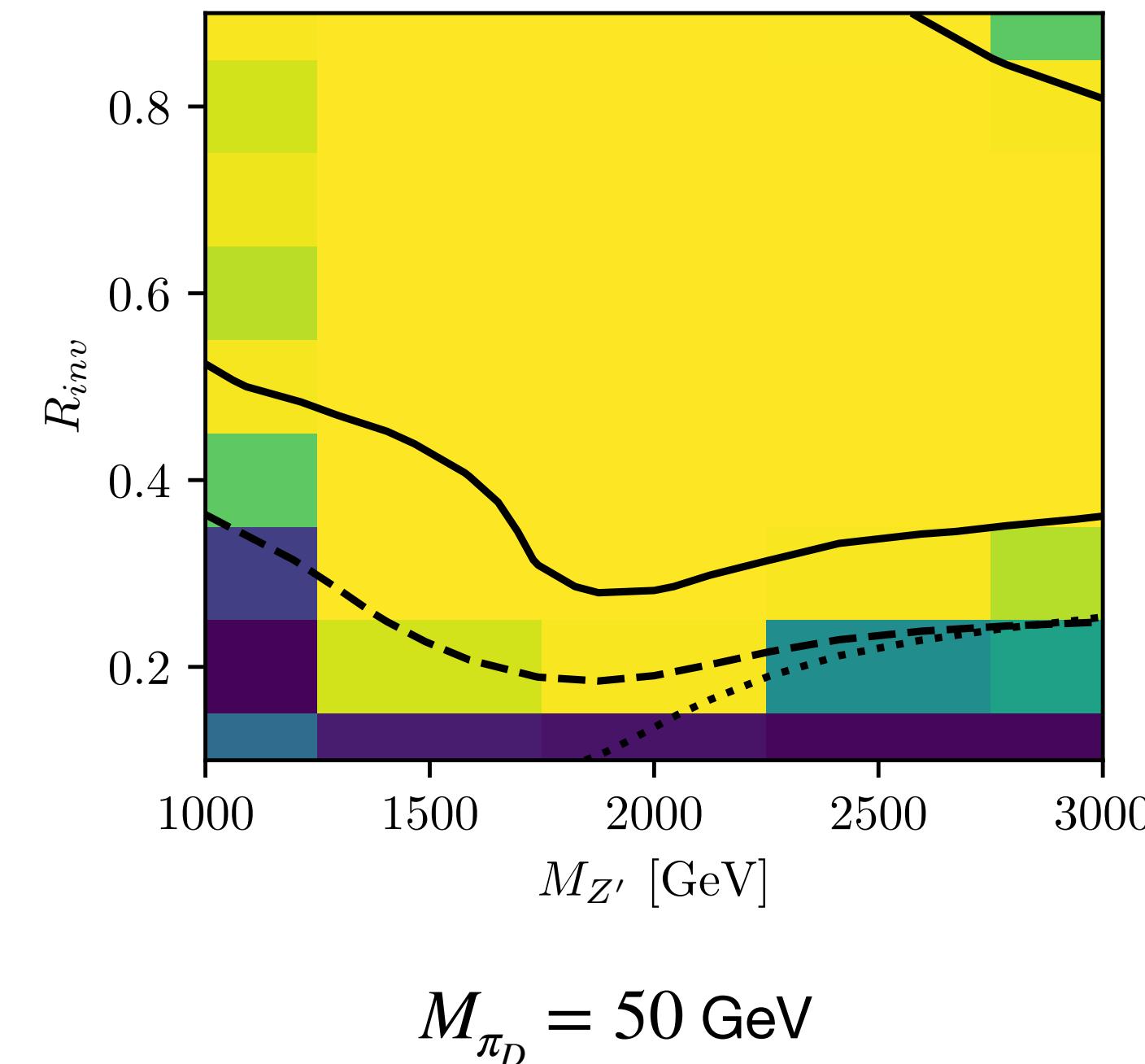
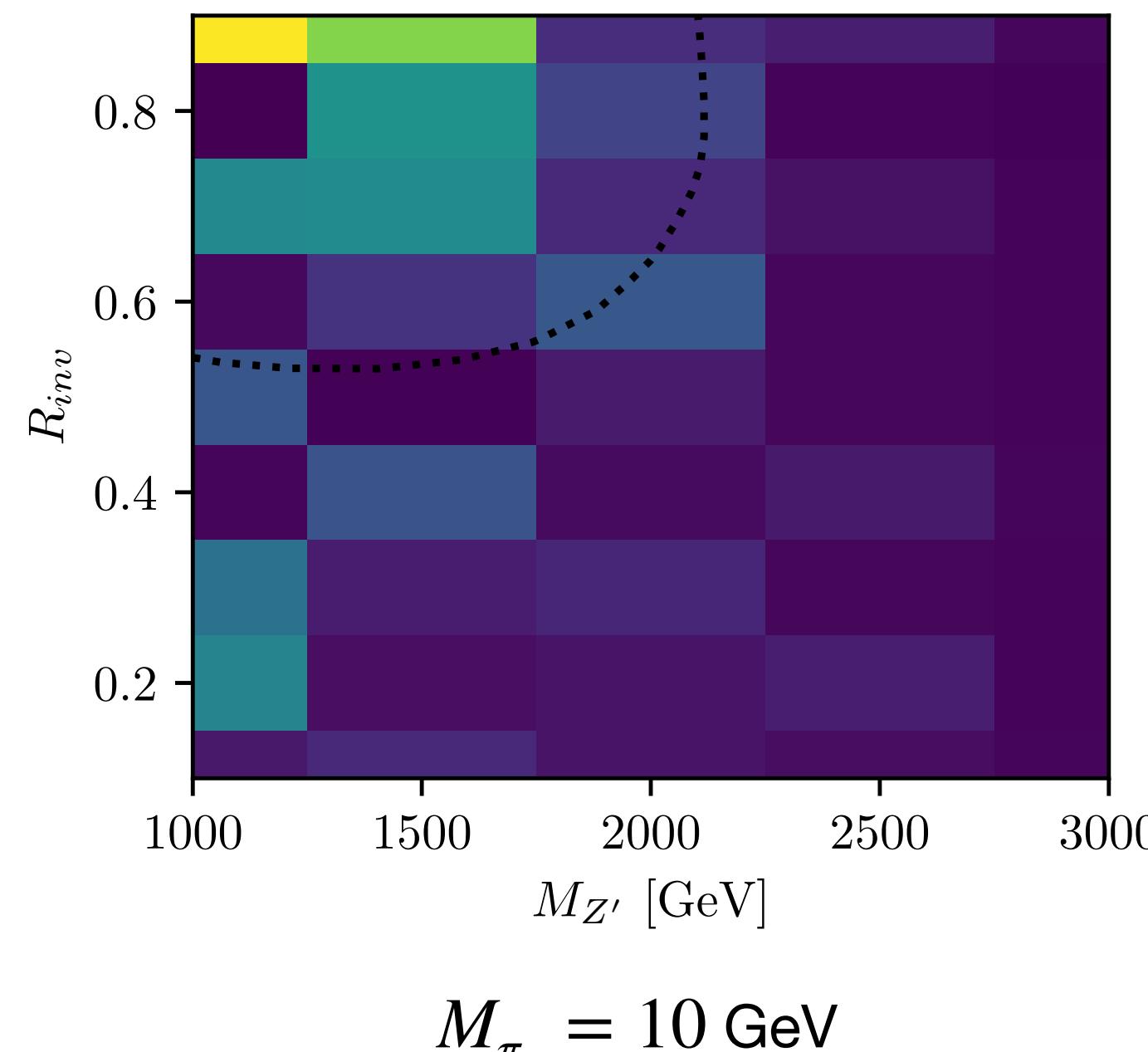


$$R_{inv} = 0.8$$

Higher values of  $\pi_D$  mass are mostly excluded, except at low  $R_{inv}$  and low  $Z'$  mass

# s-Channel

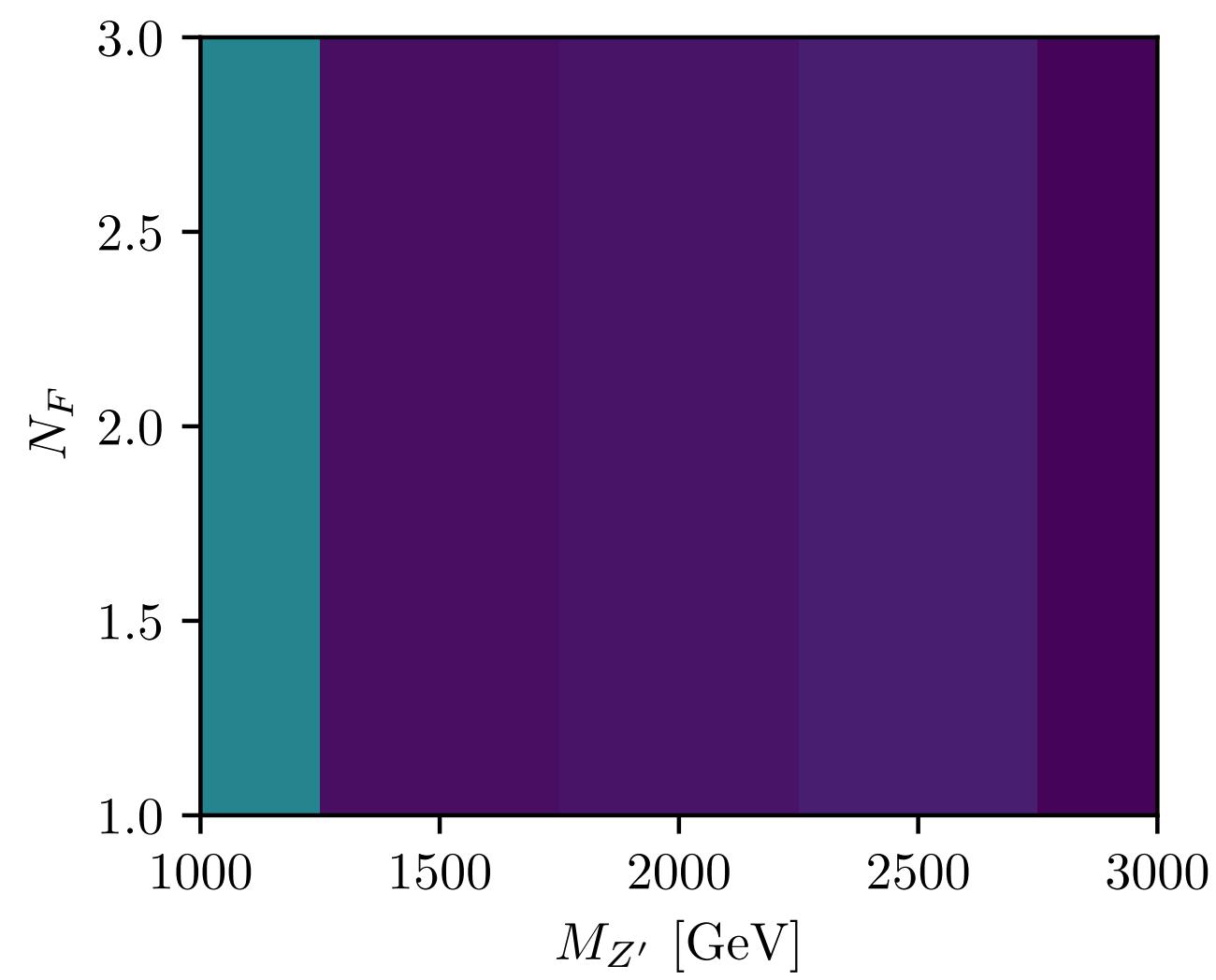
**Scans of  $M_{Z'}$  versus  $R_{inv}$  for different values of  $M_{\pi_D}$ , fixed  $N_F = 2$**



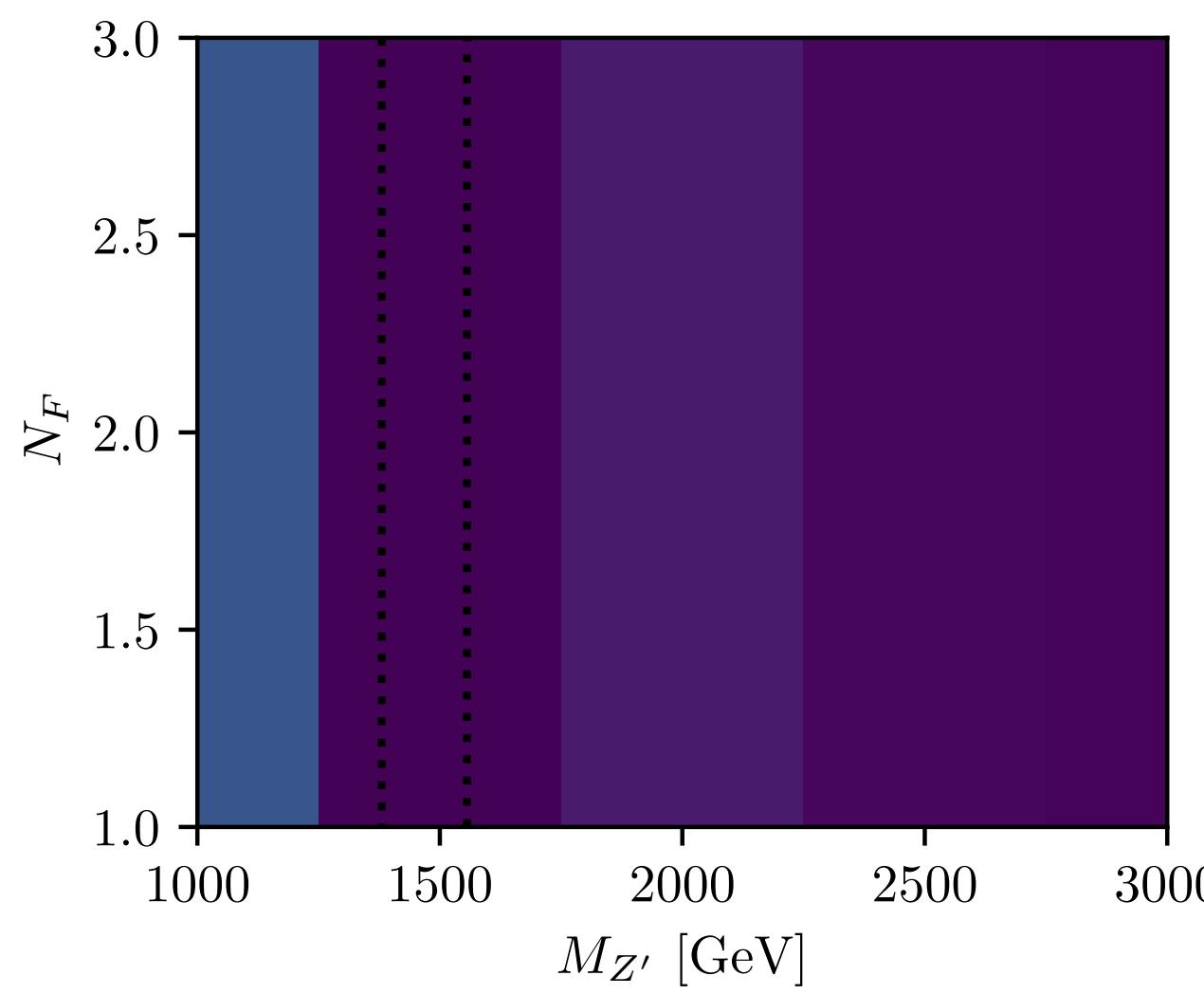
Exclusion driven by  $M_{\pi_D}$

# s-Channel

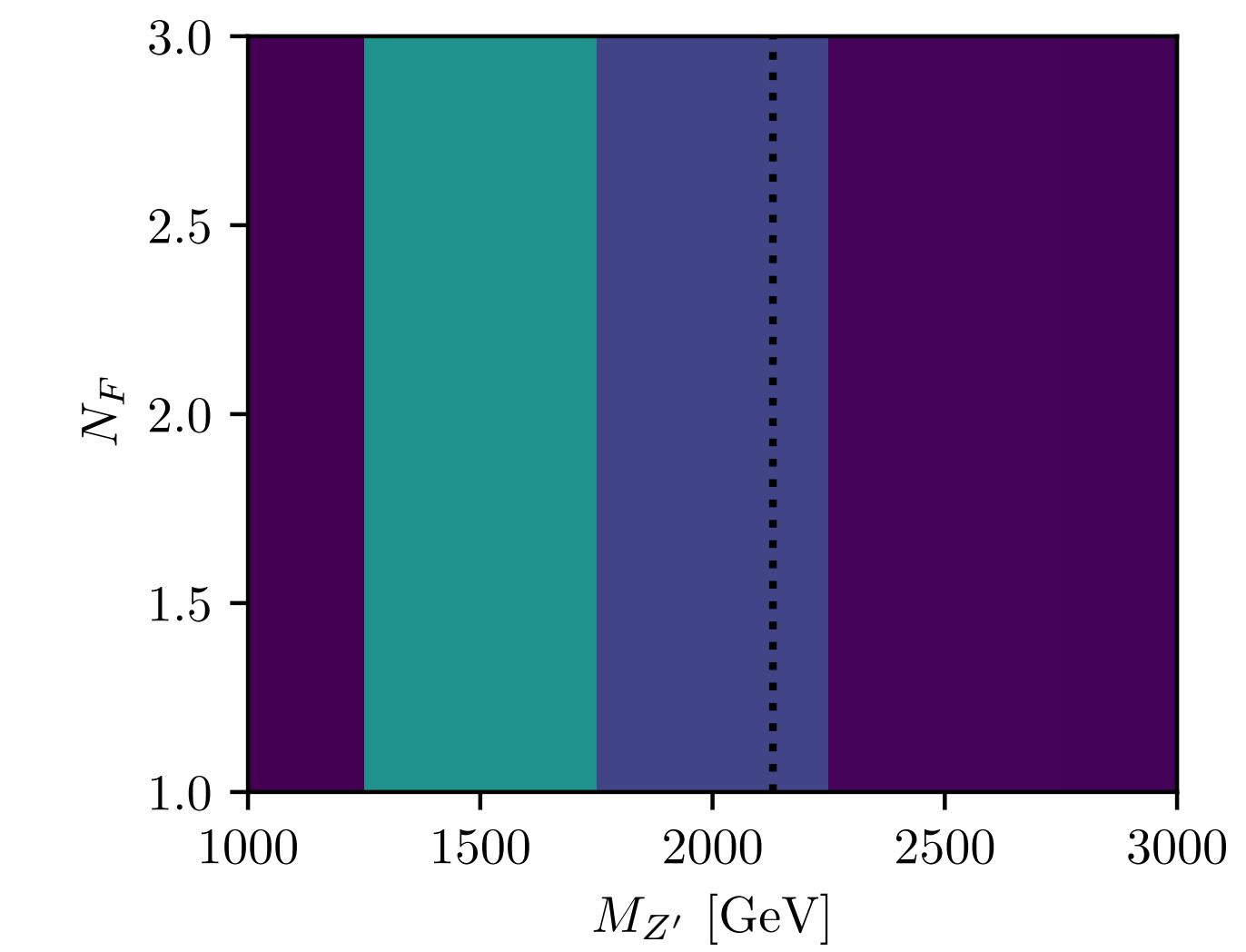
**Scans of  $M_{Z'}$  versus  $N_F$  for different values of  $R_{inv}$ , fixed  $M_{\pi_D} = 10 \text{ GeV}$**



$$R_{inv} = 0.2$$



$$R_{inv} = 0.5$$

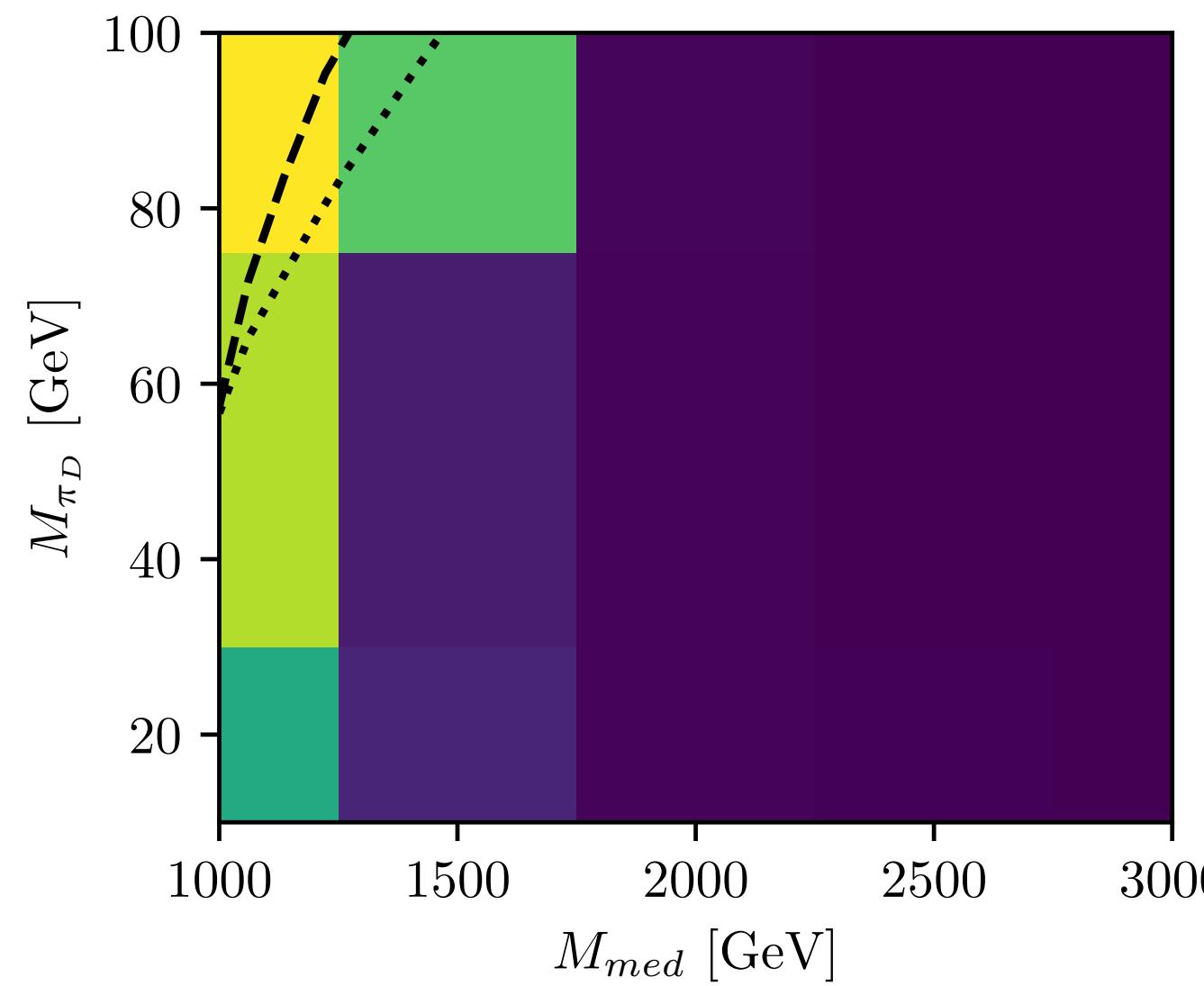


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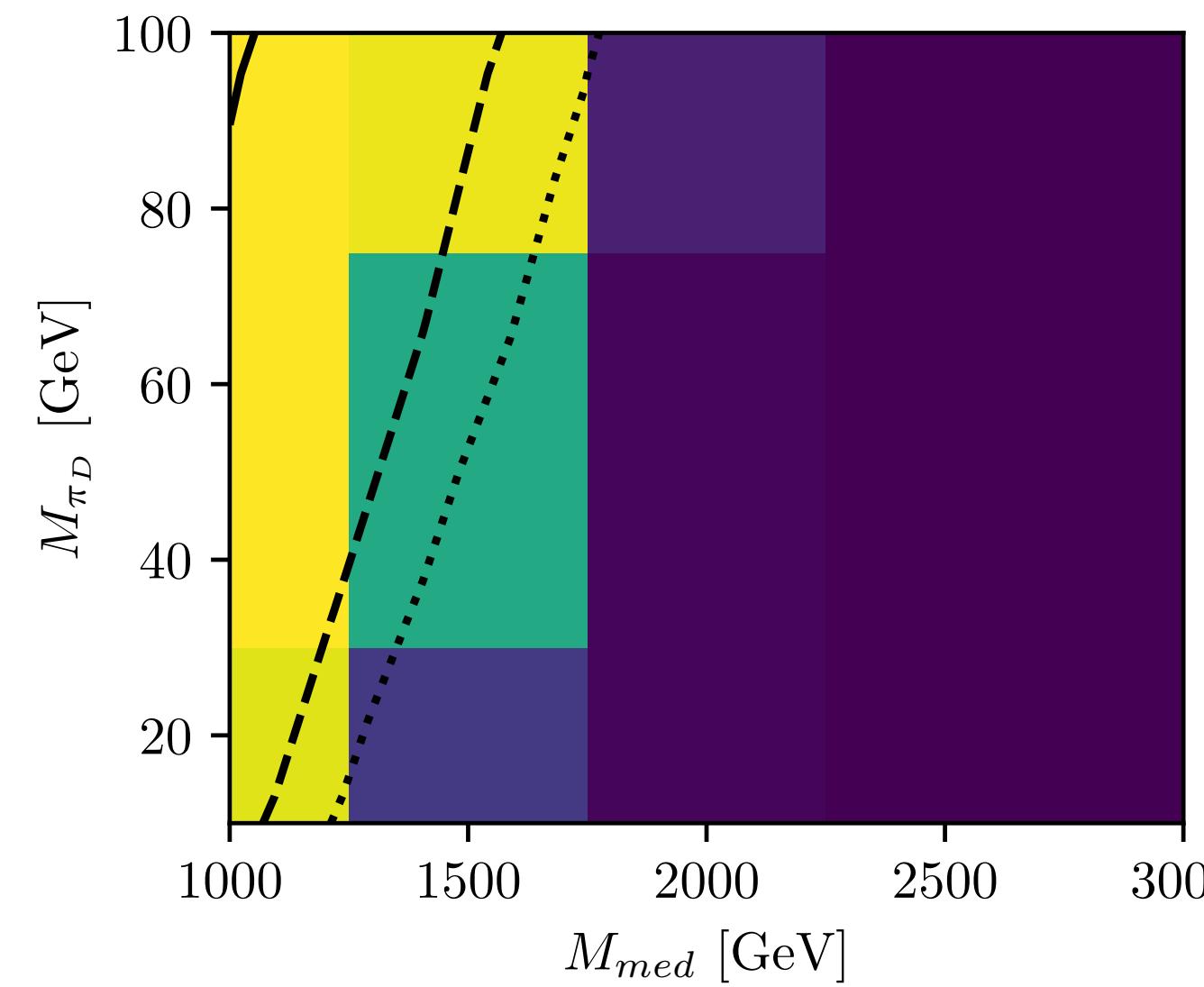
$N_F$  does not affect the exclusion, low  $\pi_D$  masses are not excluded

# t-Channel

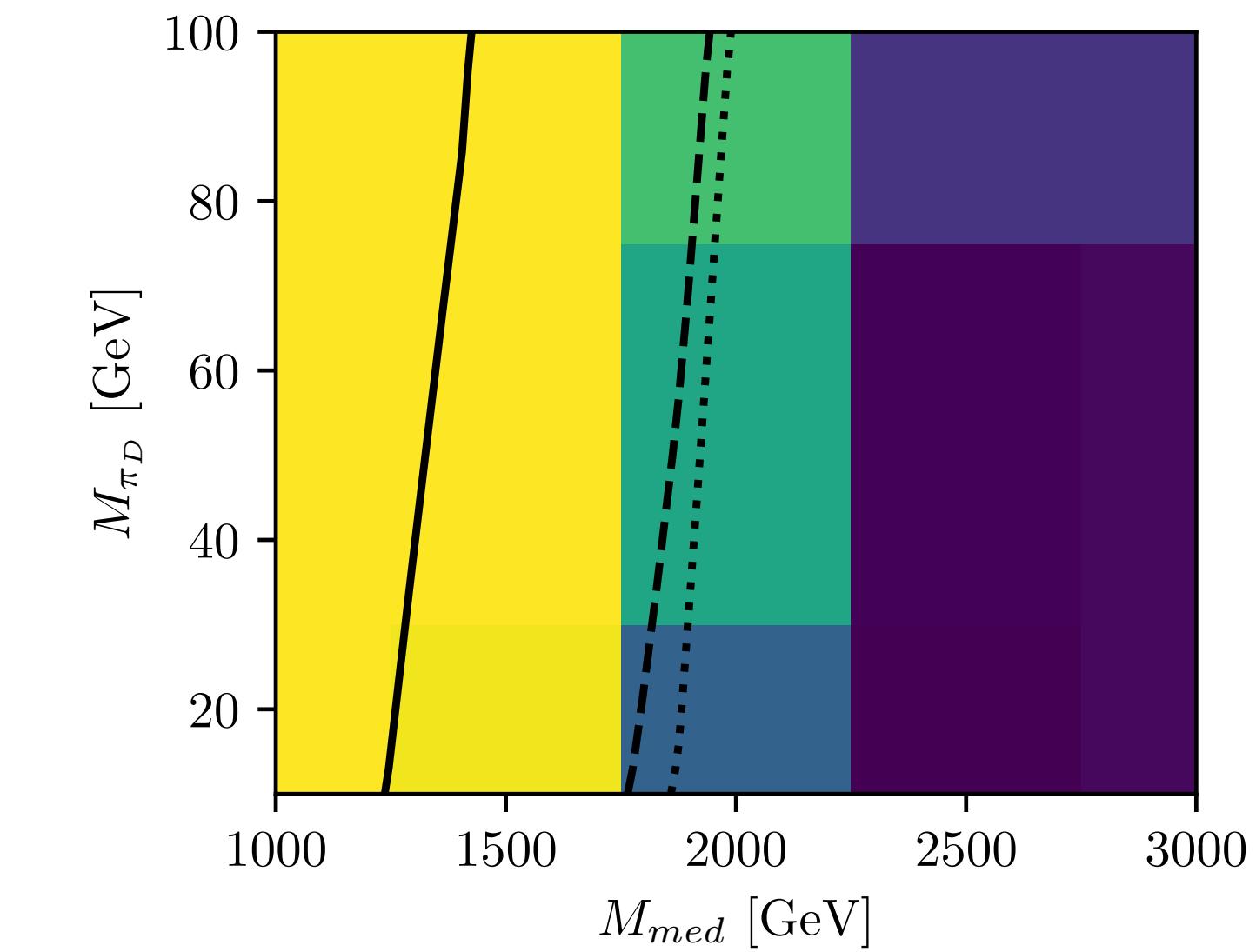
**Scans of  $M_{med}$  versus  $M_{\pi_D}$  for different values of  $R_{inv}$ , fixed  $\lambda = 1$**



$$R_{inv} = 0.2$$



$$R_{inv} = 0.5$$

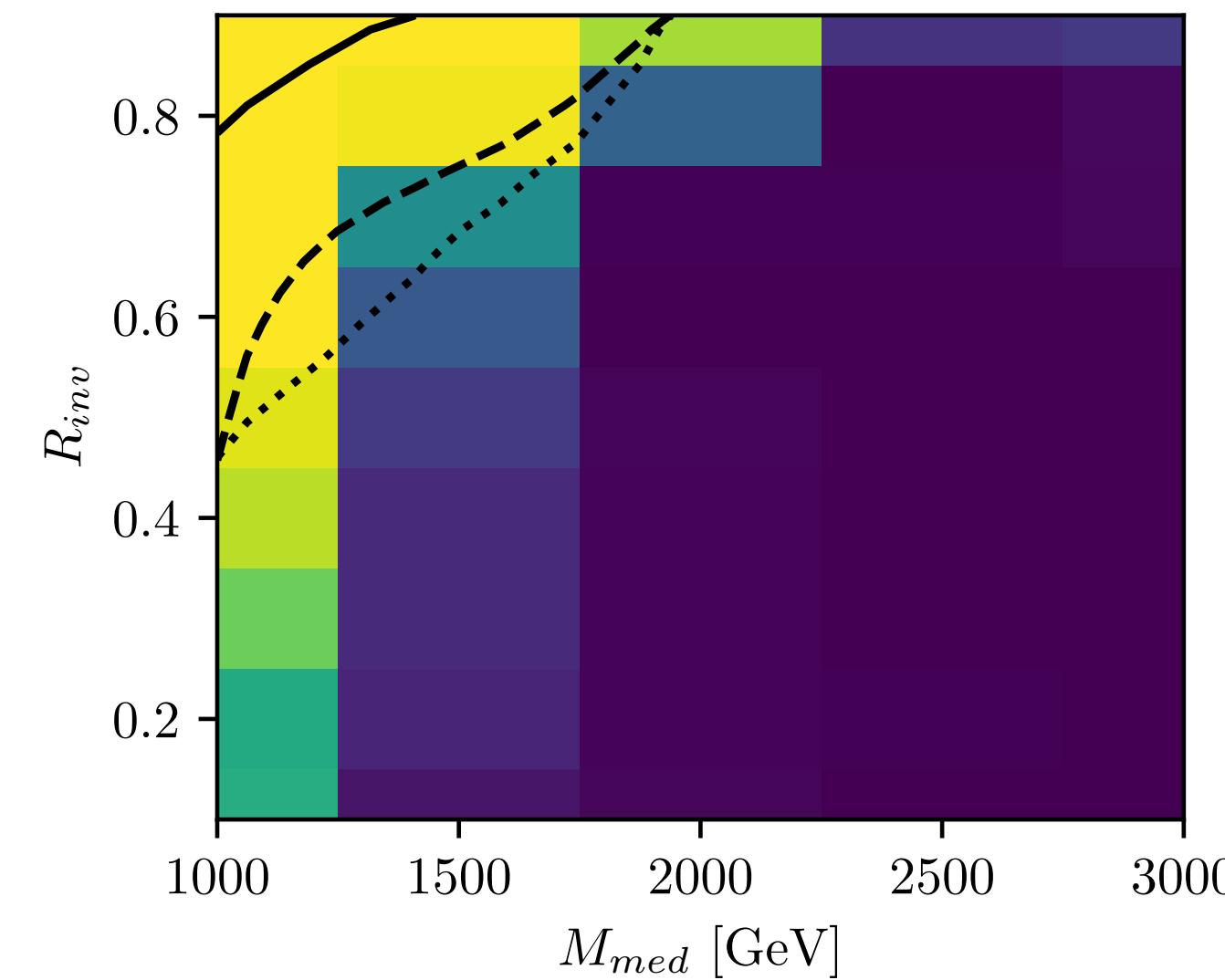


$$R_{inv} = 0.8$$

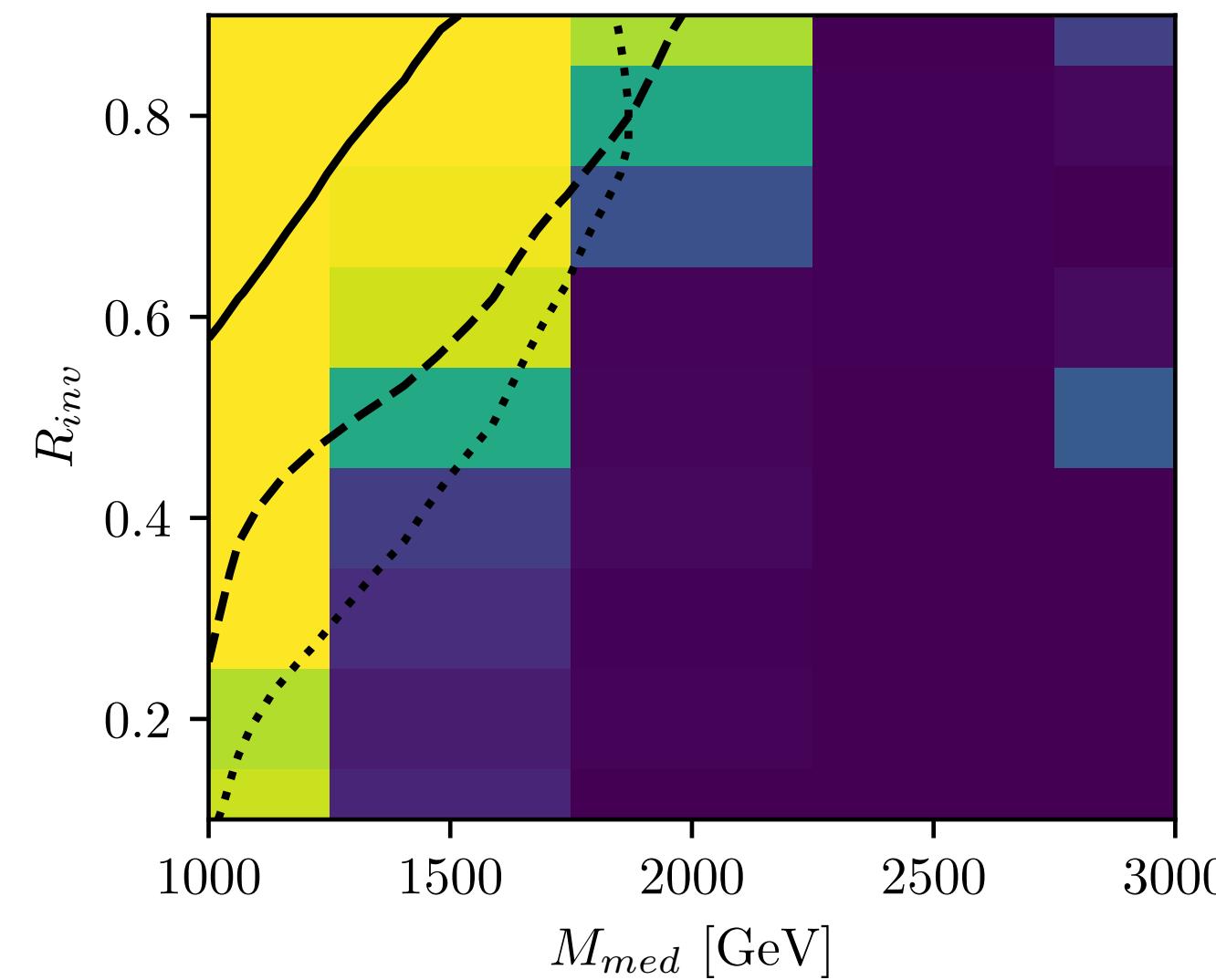
Some dependence on  $R_{inv}$  for excluded mediator masses,  
almost up to 1.75 TeV is excluded for high  $R_{inv}$  value

# t-Channel

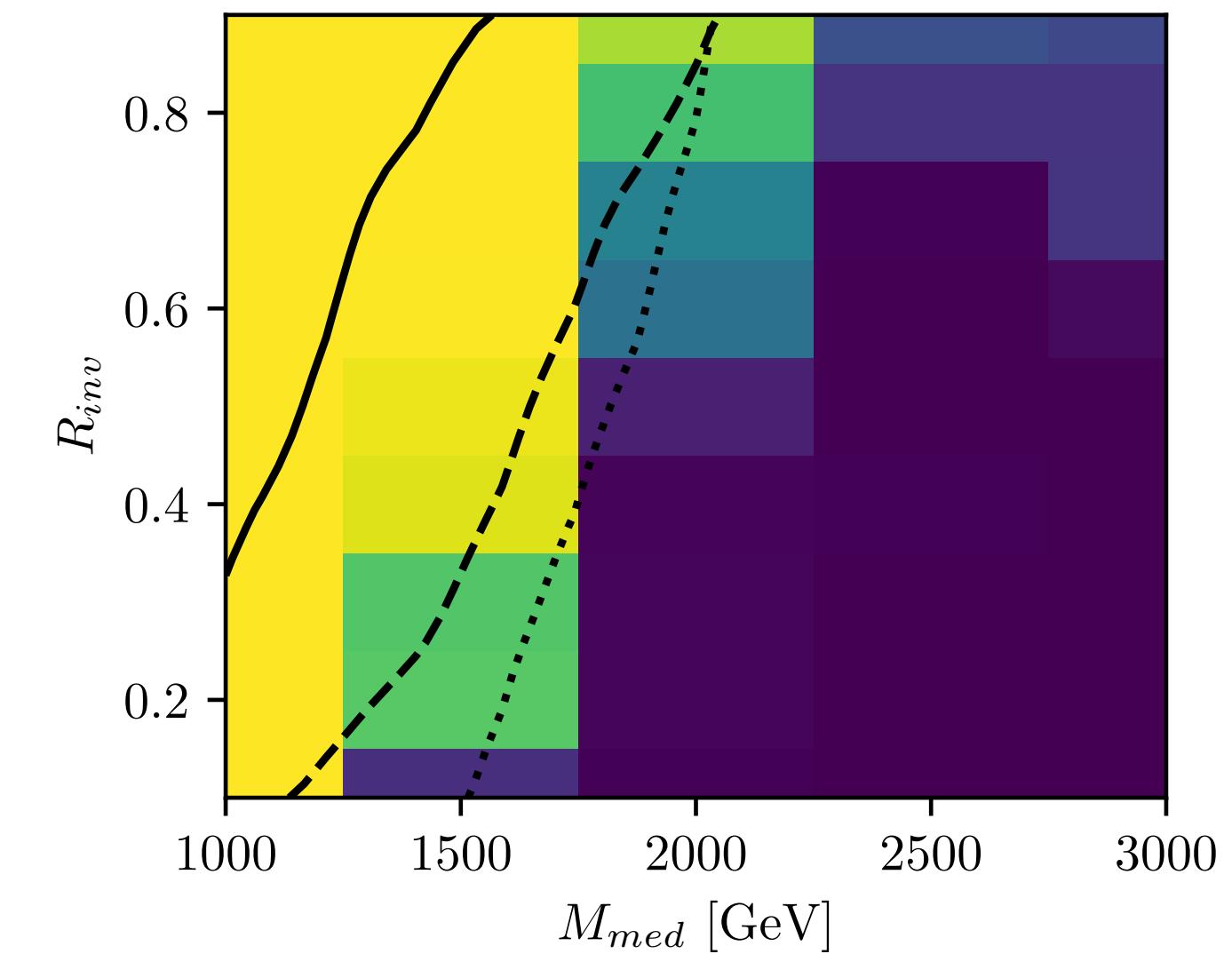
**Scans of  $M_{med}$  versus  $R_{inv}$  for different values of  $M_{\pi_D}$ , fixed  $\lambda = 1$**



$$M_{\pi_D} = 10 \text{ GeV}$$



$$M_{\pi_D} = 50 \text{ GeV}$$

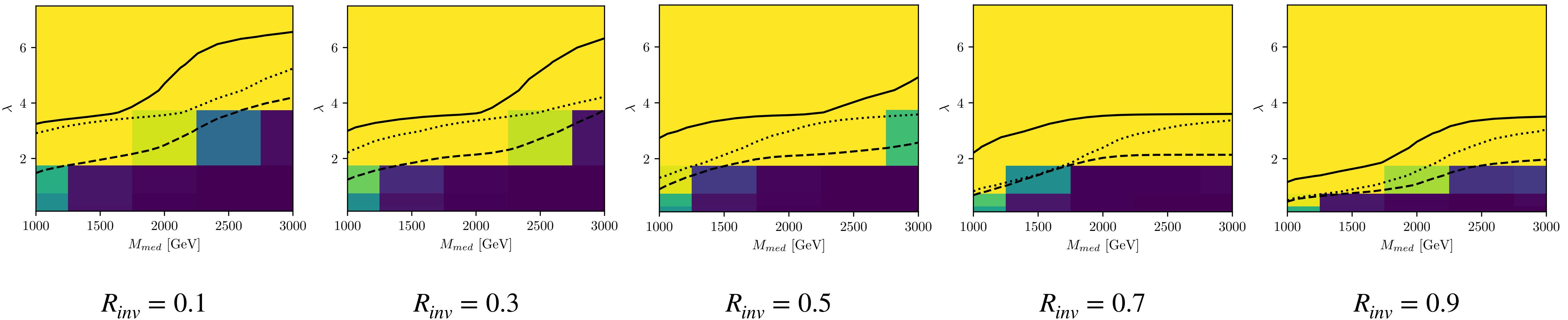


$$M_{\pi_D} = 100 \text{ GeV}$$

Higher values of  $\pi_D$  mass are mostly excluded, except at high  $M_{med}$

# t-Channel

**Scans of  $M_{med}$  versus  $\lambda$  for different values of  $R_{inv}$ , fixed  $M_{\pi_D} = 10 \text{ GeV}$**



Higher values of  $\lambda$  are excluded

# Summary

- Higher  $M_{\pi_D}$  are excluded for all combinations
- $N_F$  has no effect
- $\lambda$  has a cut-off around 4
- t-channel can be excluded almost up to 1.75 TeV for high  $R_{inv}$
- CONTUR is a great tool to use for ReInt :)

# **EXTRA**

# s-Channel

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4900111:m0 = 10    !!! M_pi SCAN 10, 50, 100
4900113:m0 = 16.0   !!! M_rho = M_pi*1.6

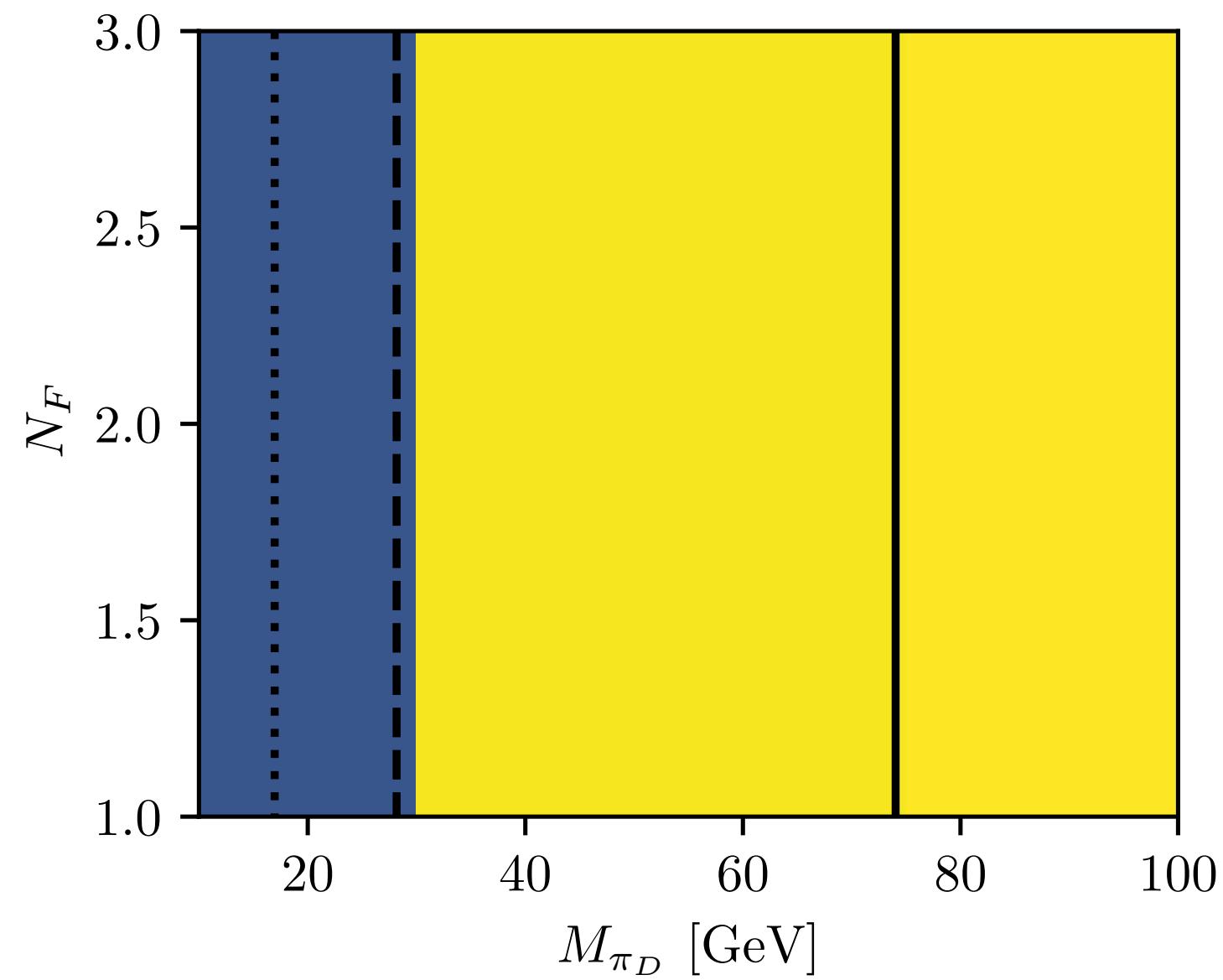
4900211:m0 = 4.99   !!! M_pi/2 - 0.01
4900213:m0 = 7.99   !!! M_rho/2 - 0.01

HiddenValley:setLambda=on
HiddenValley:Lambda = 5    !!! CALCULATE from FORMULA, OR CREATE A LIST: 5, 25, 50

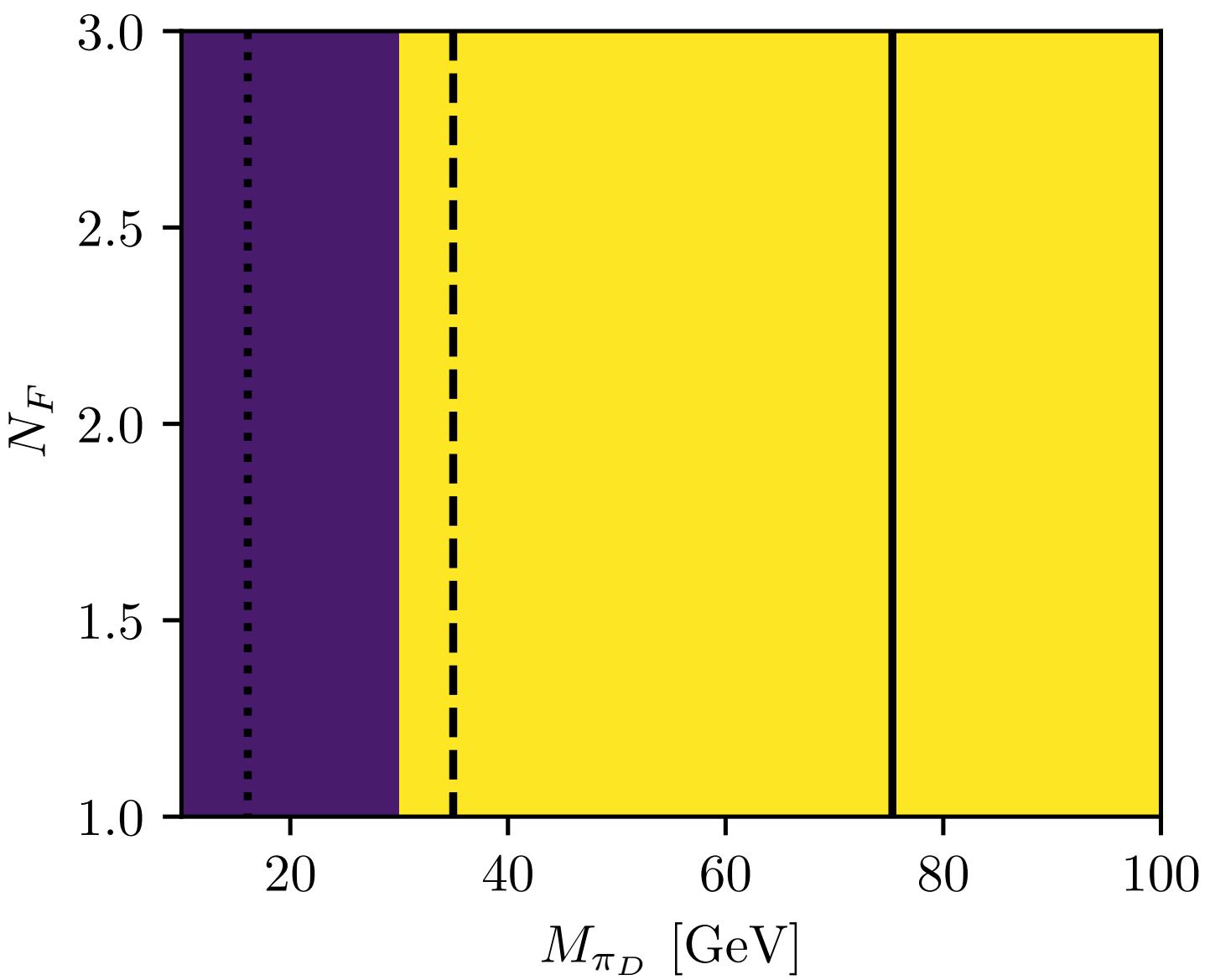
#Simplified non conserving setup
4900111:onechannel = 1 0.1 0 4900211 -4900211    !!! RINV SCAN
4900111:addchannel = 1 0.9 91 -3 3            !!! RINV SCAN
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# s-Channel

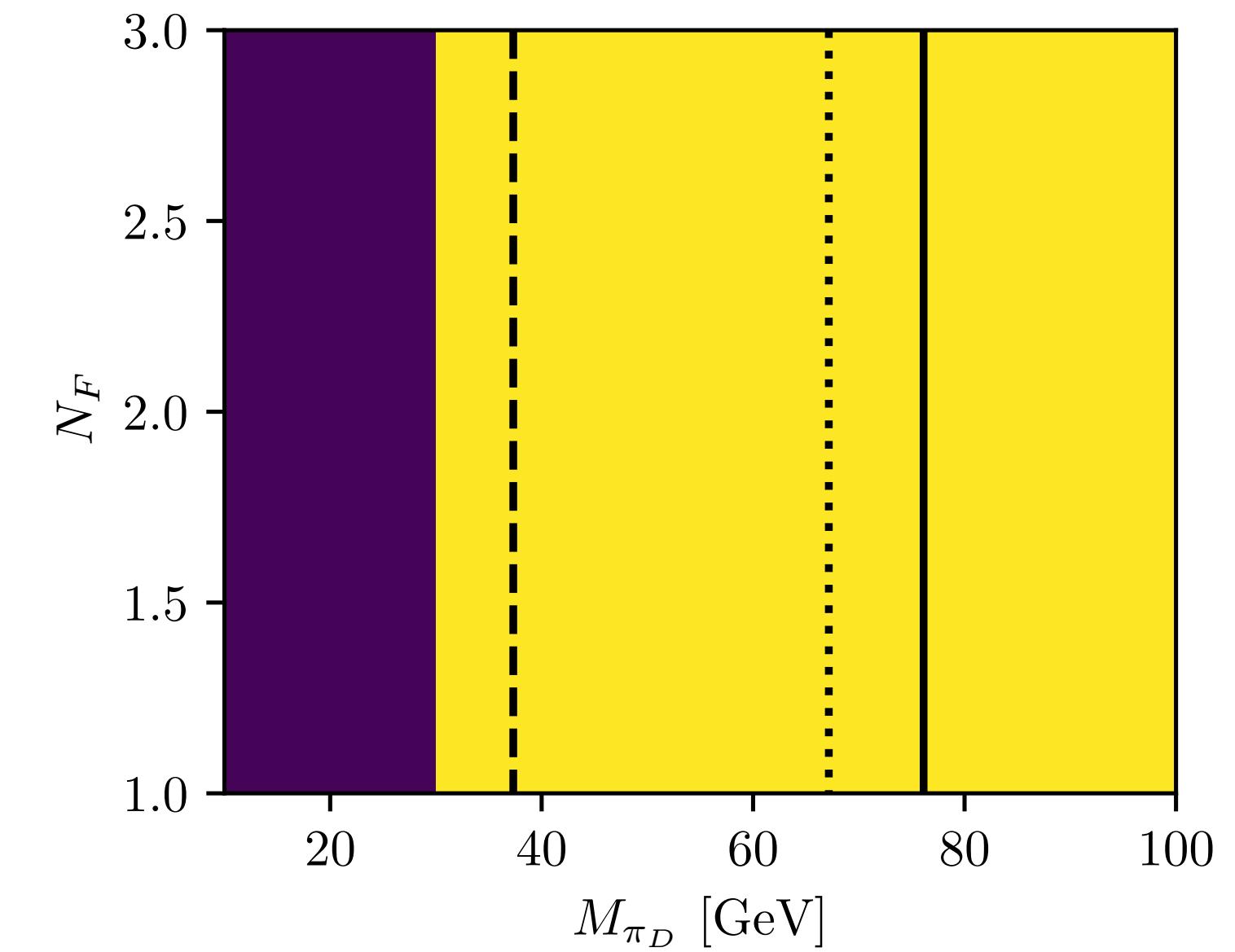
**Scans of  $M_{\pi_D}$  versus  $N_F$  for different values of  $M_{Z'}$ , fixed  $R_{inv} = 0.5$**



$M_{Z'} = 1000 \text{ GeV}$



$M_{Z'} = 2000 \text{ GeV}$



$M_{Z'} = 3000 \text{ GeV}$