

Search for Supersymmetry at ATLAS

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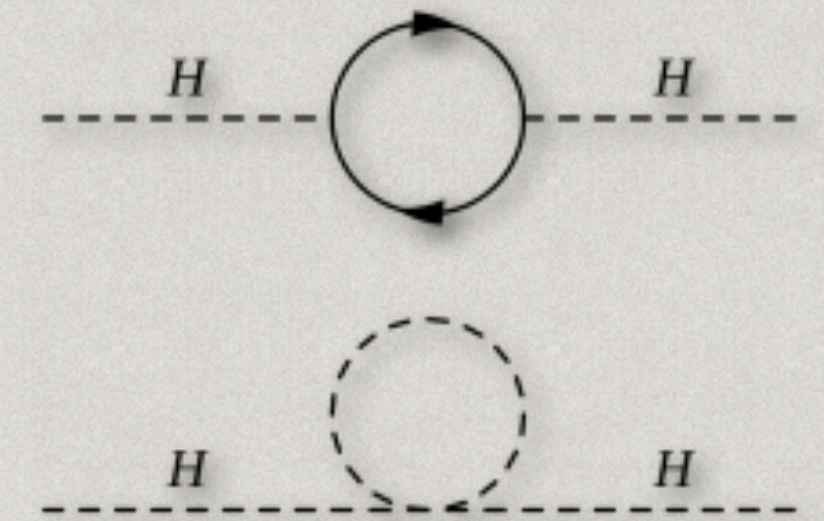
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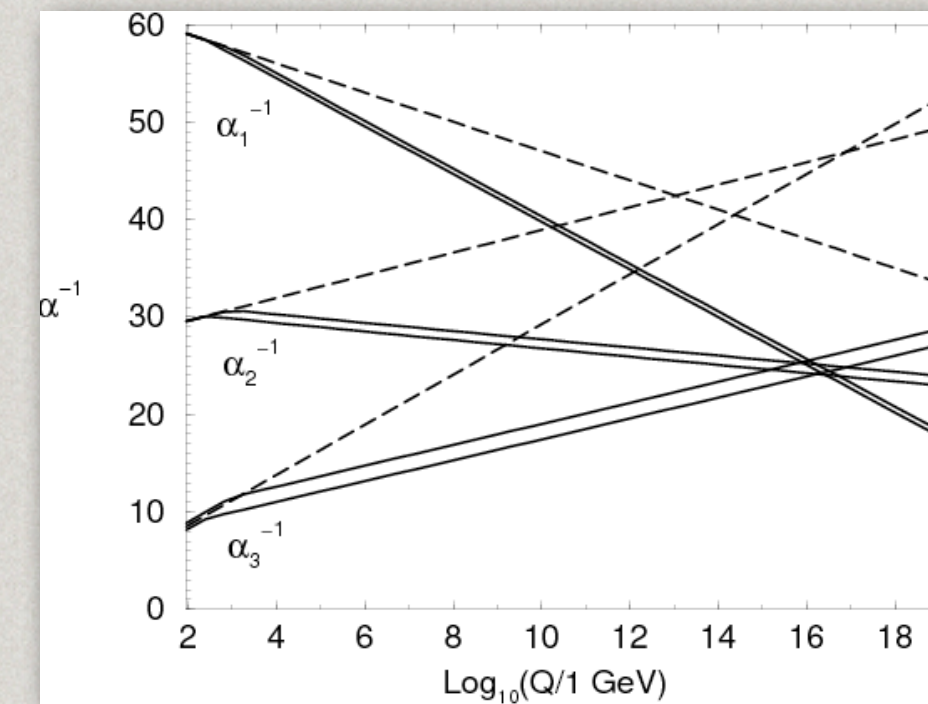
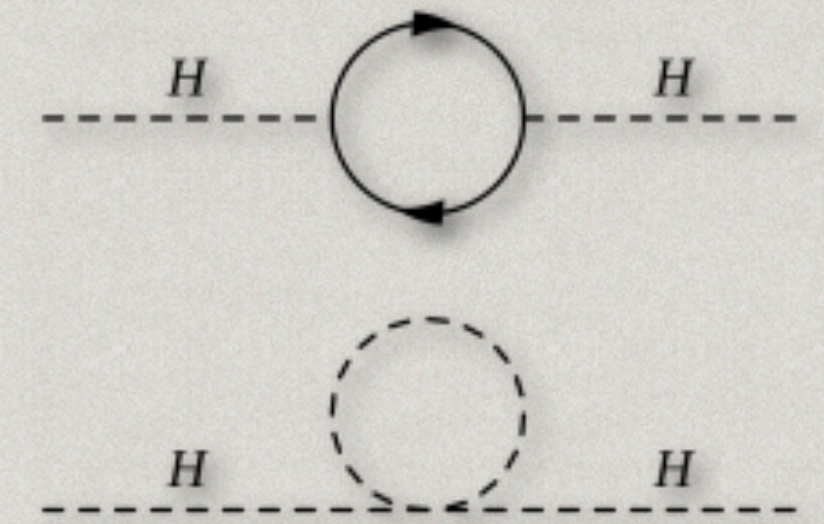
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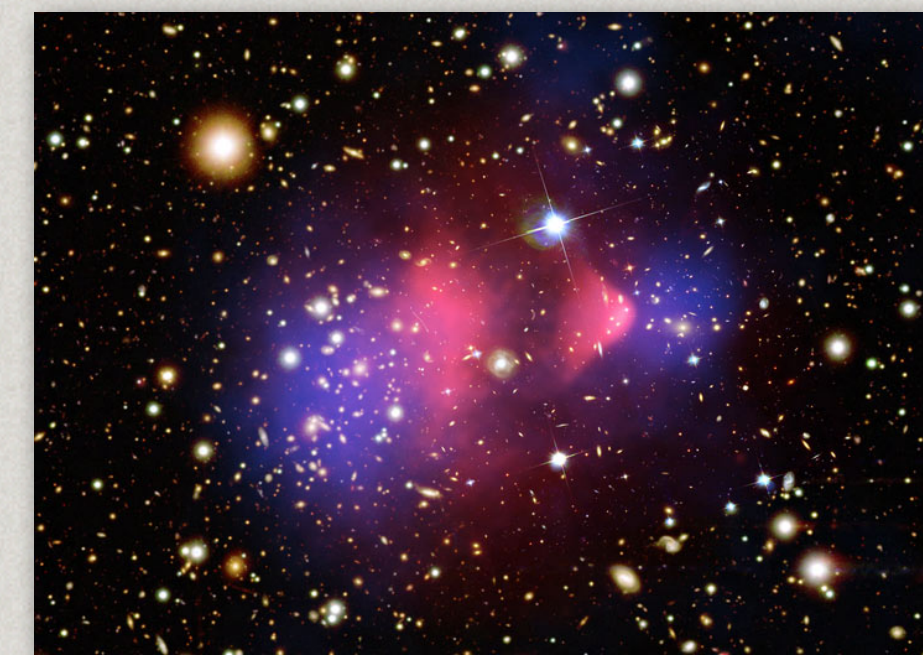
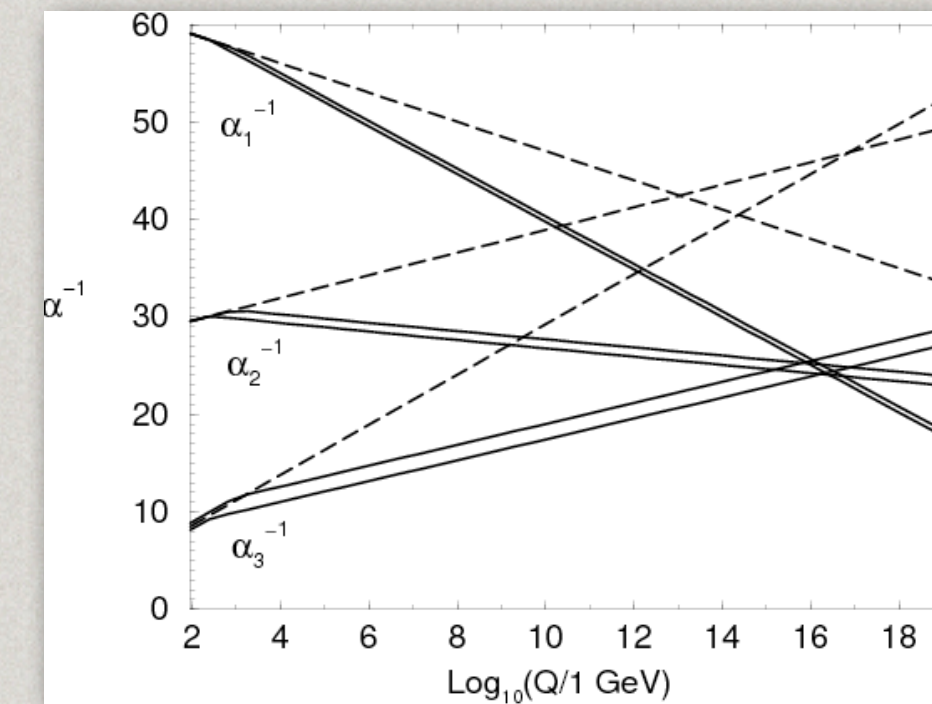
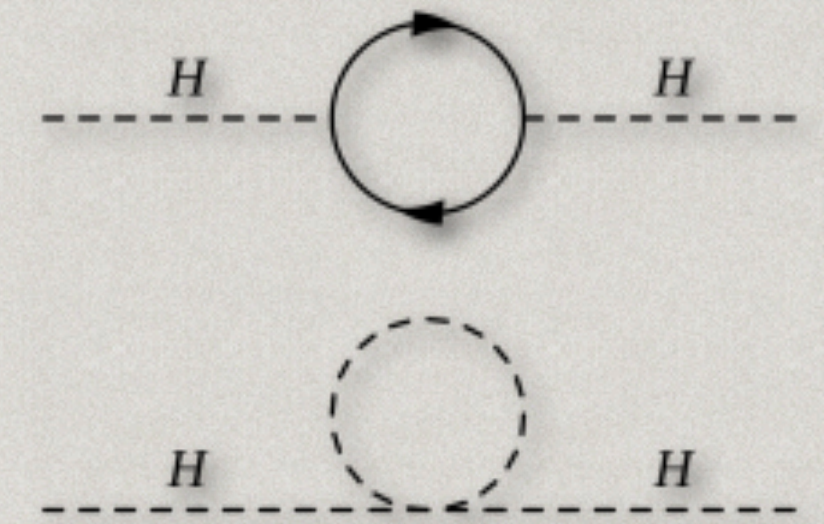
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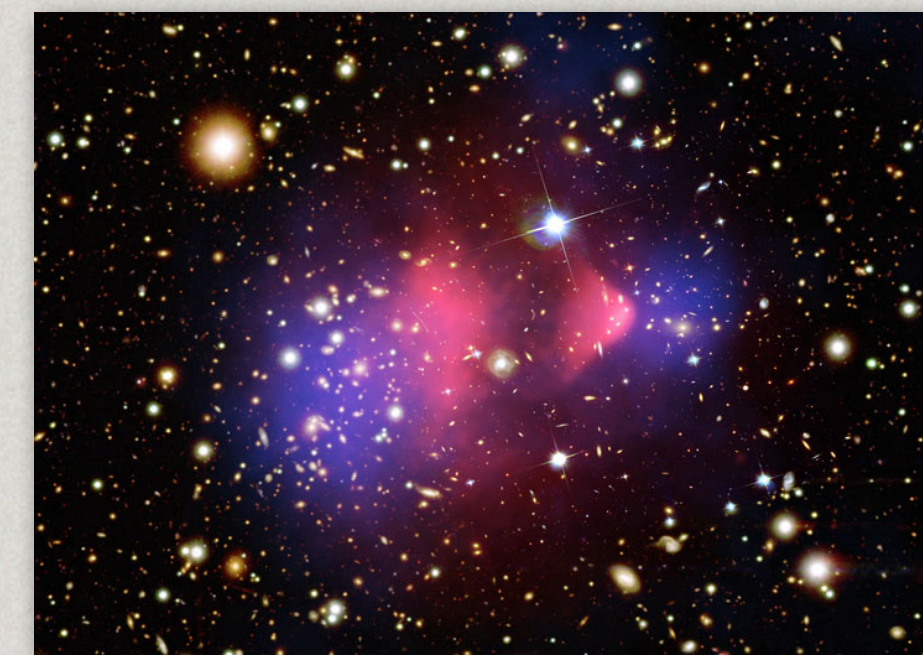
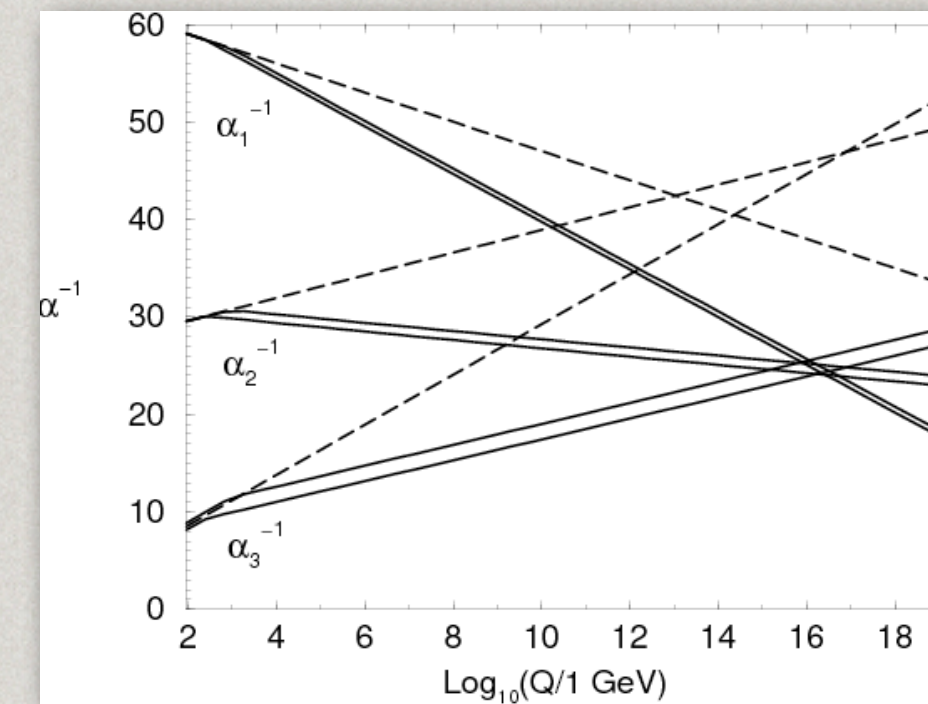
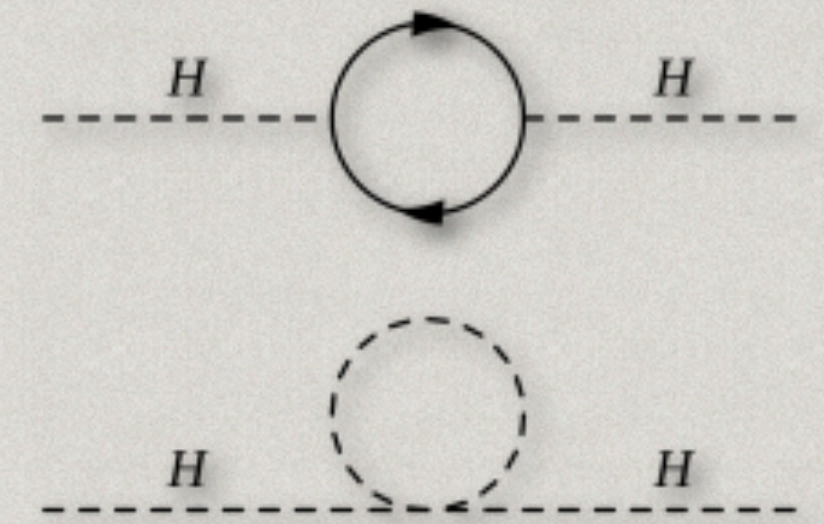
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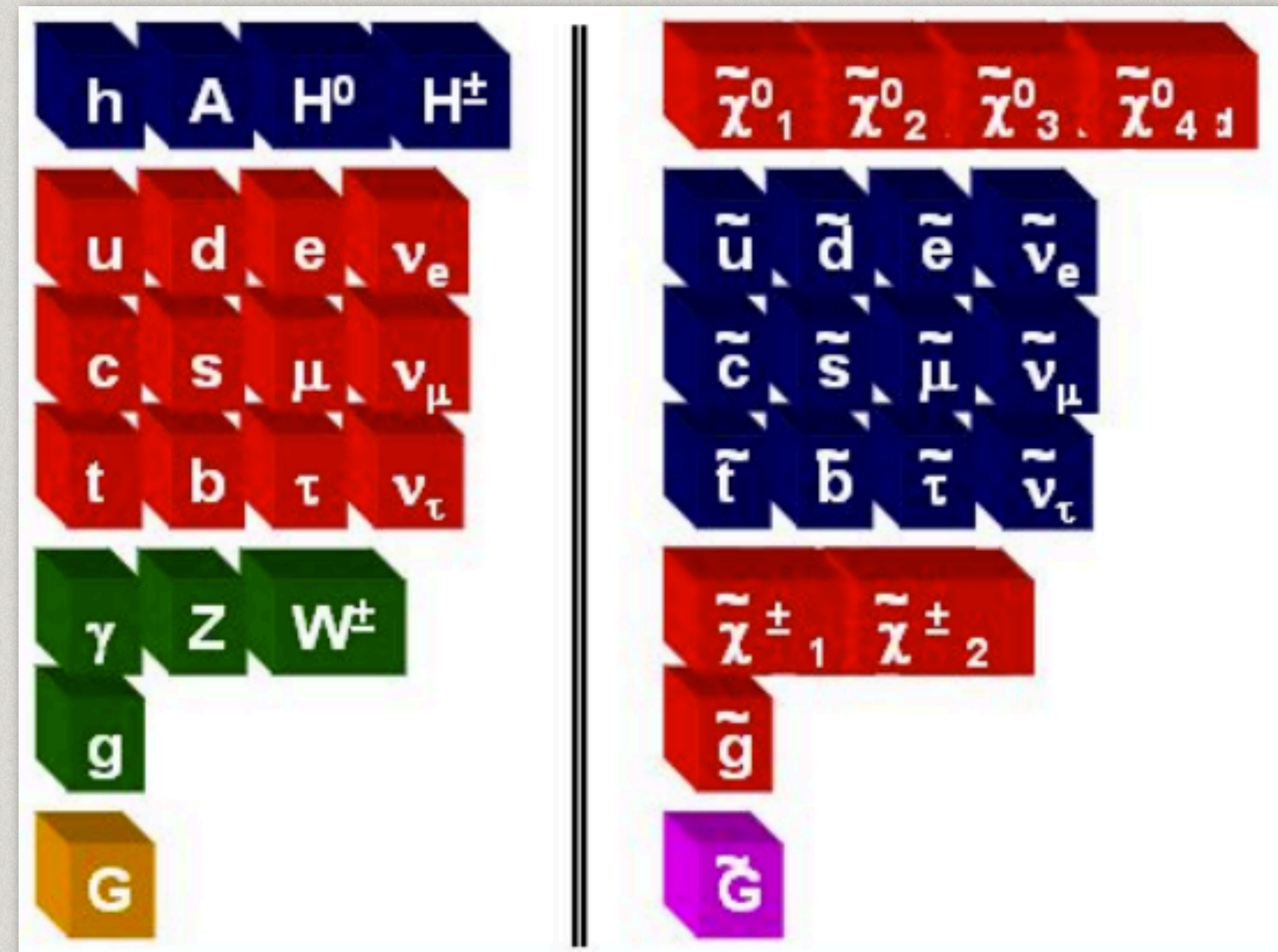
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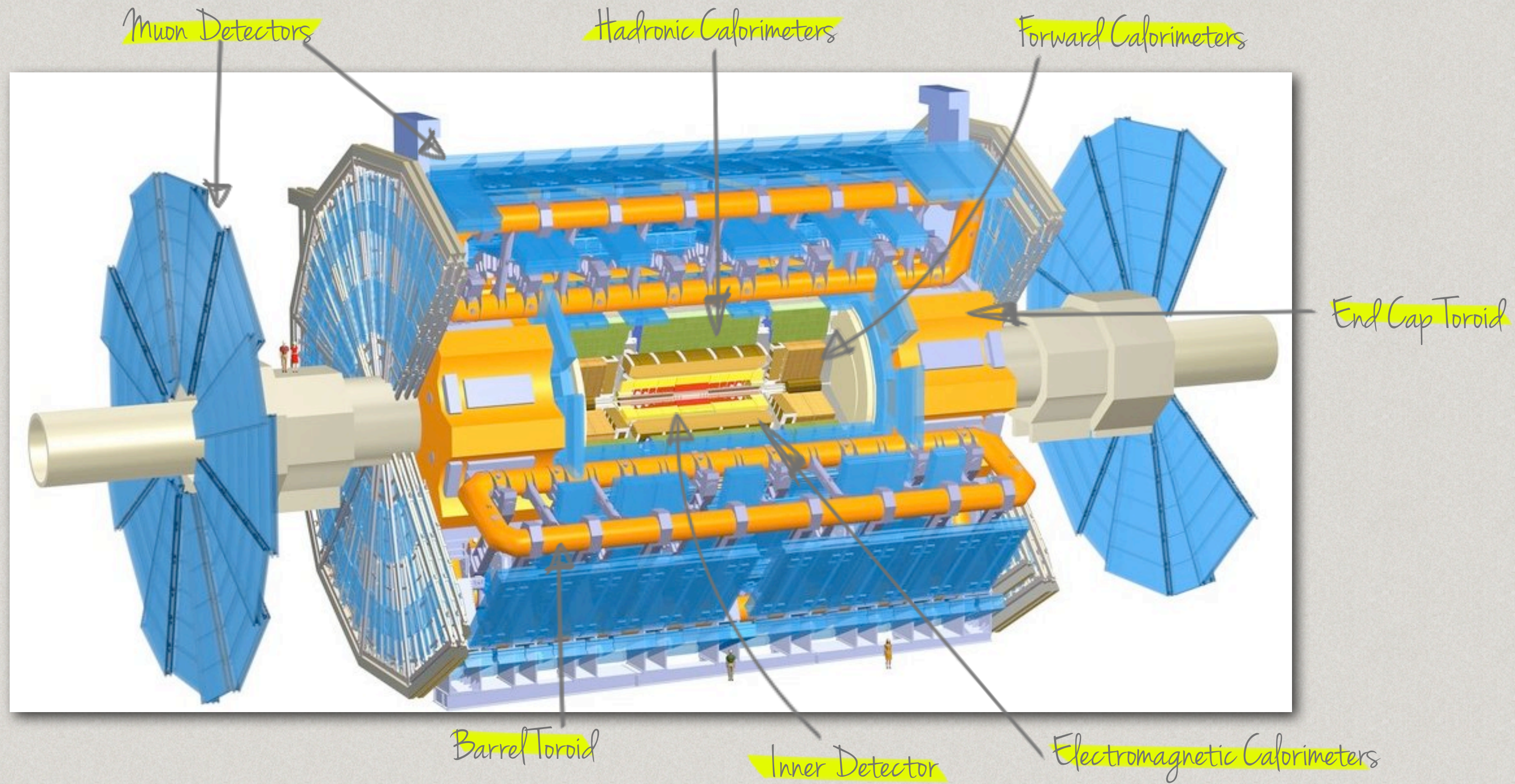
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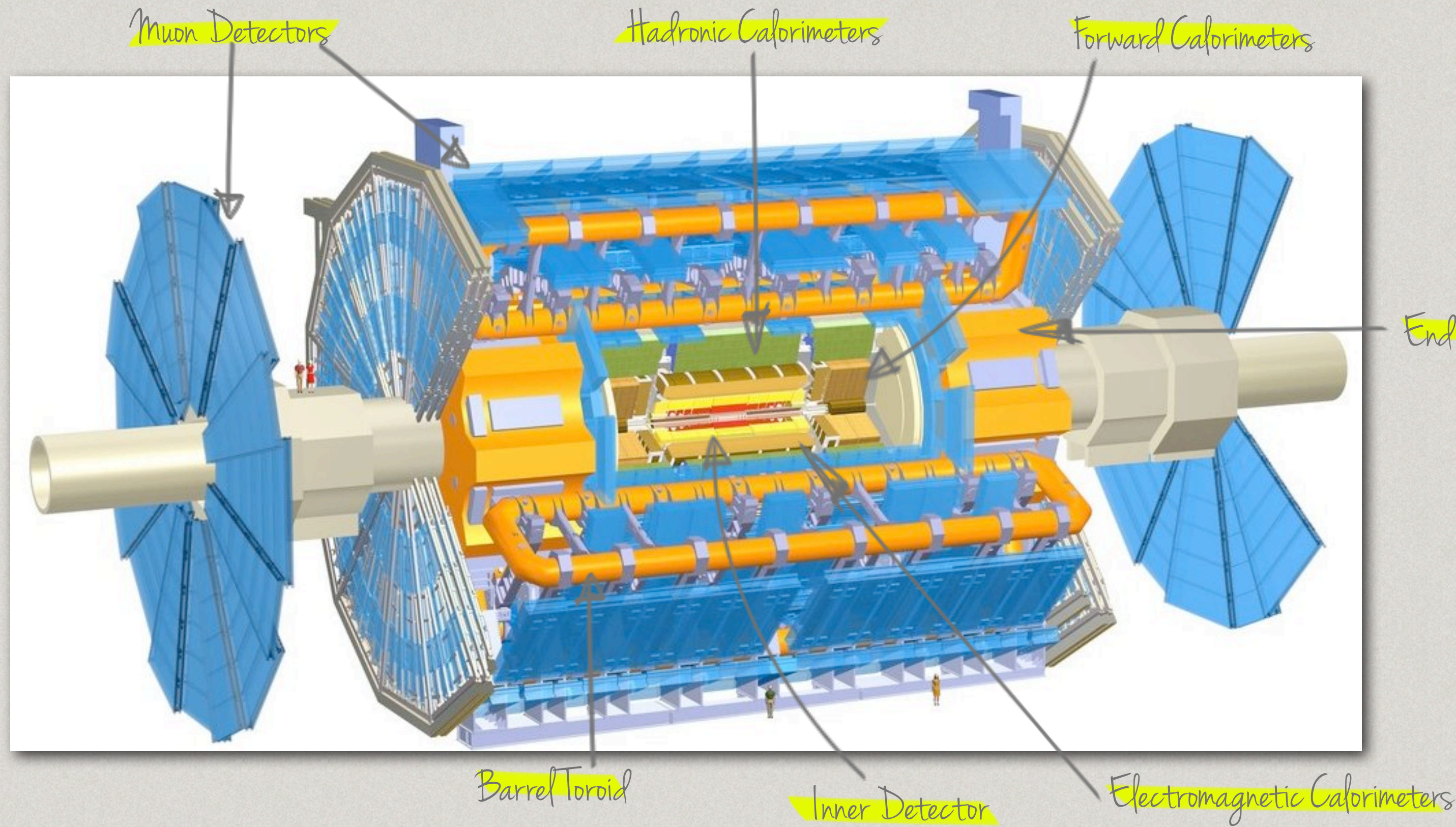


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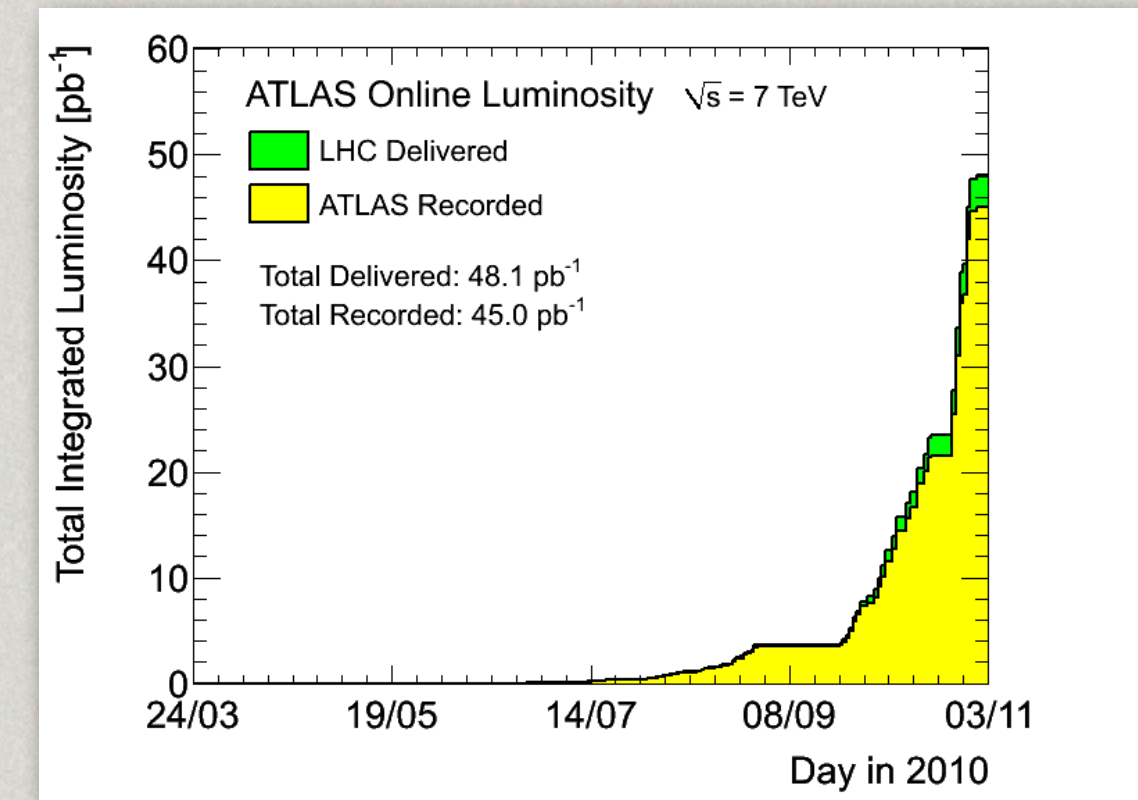
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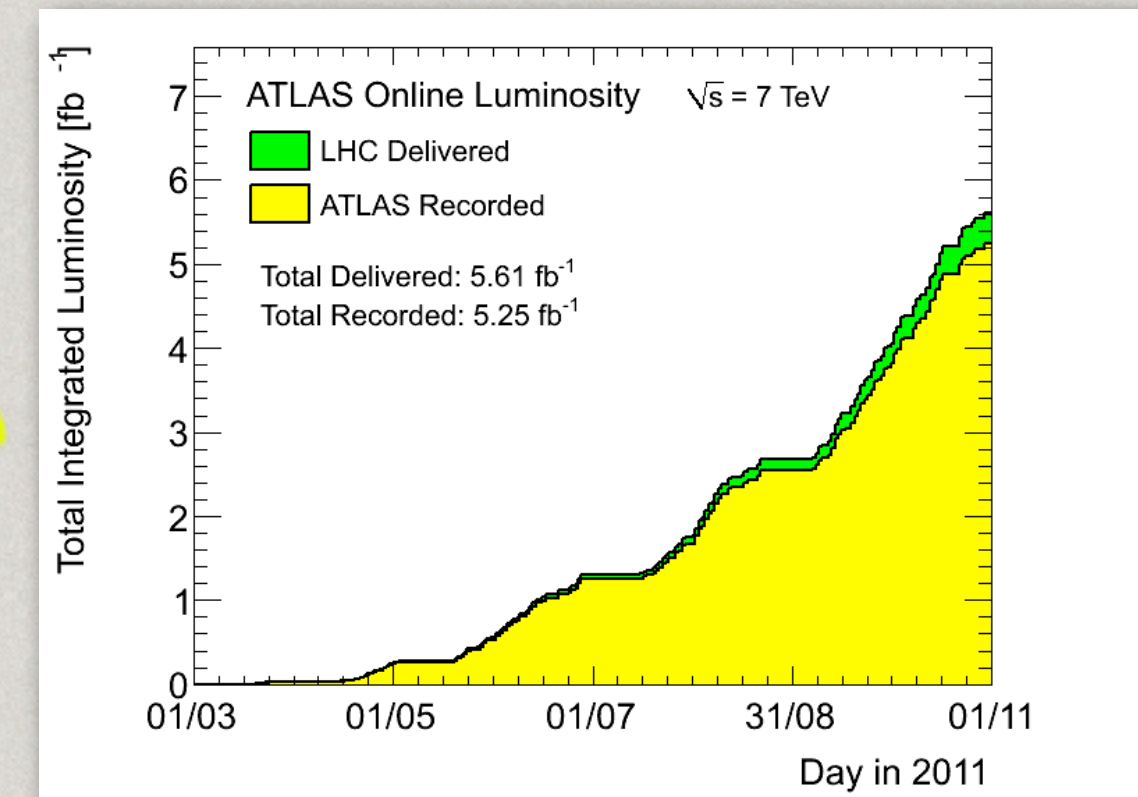
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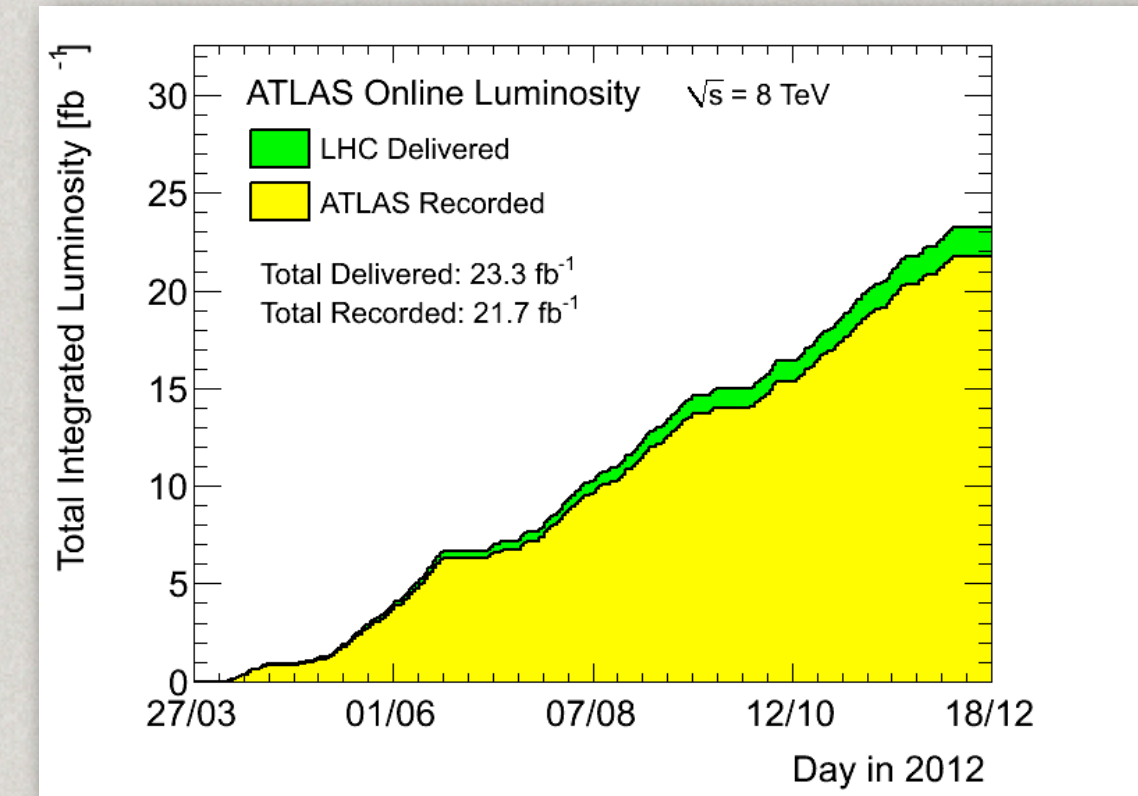
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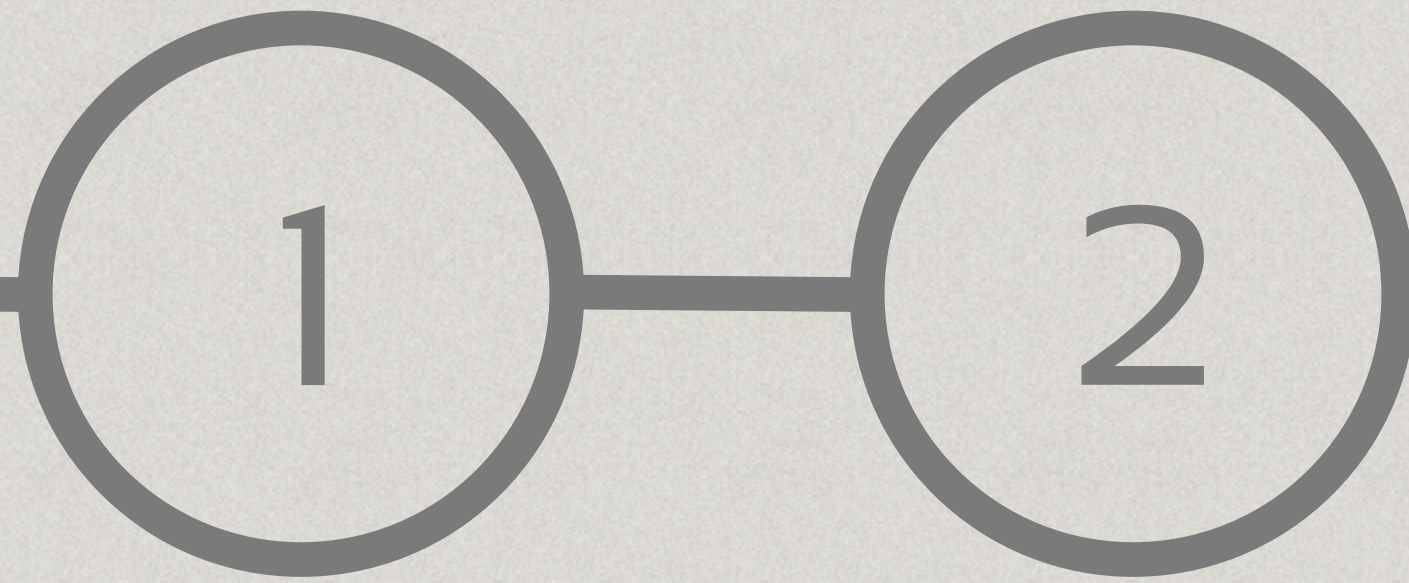
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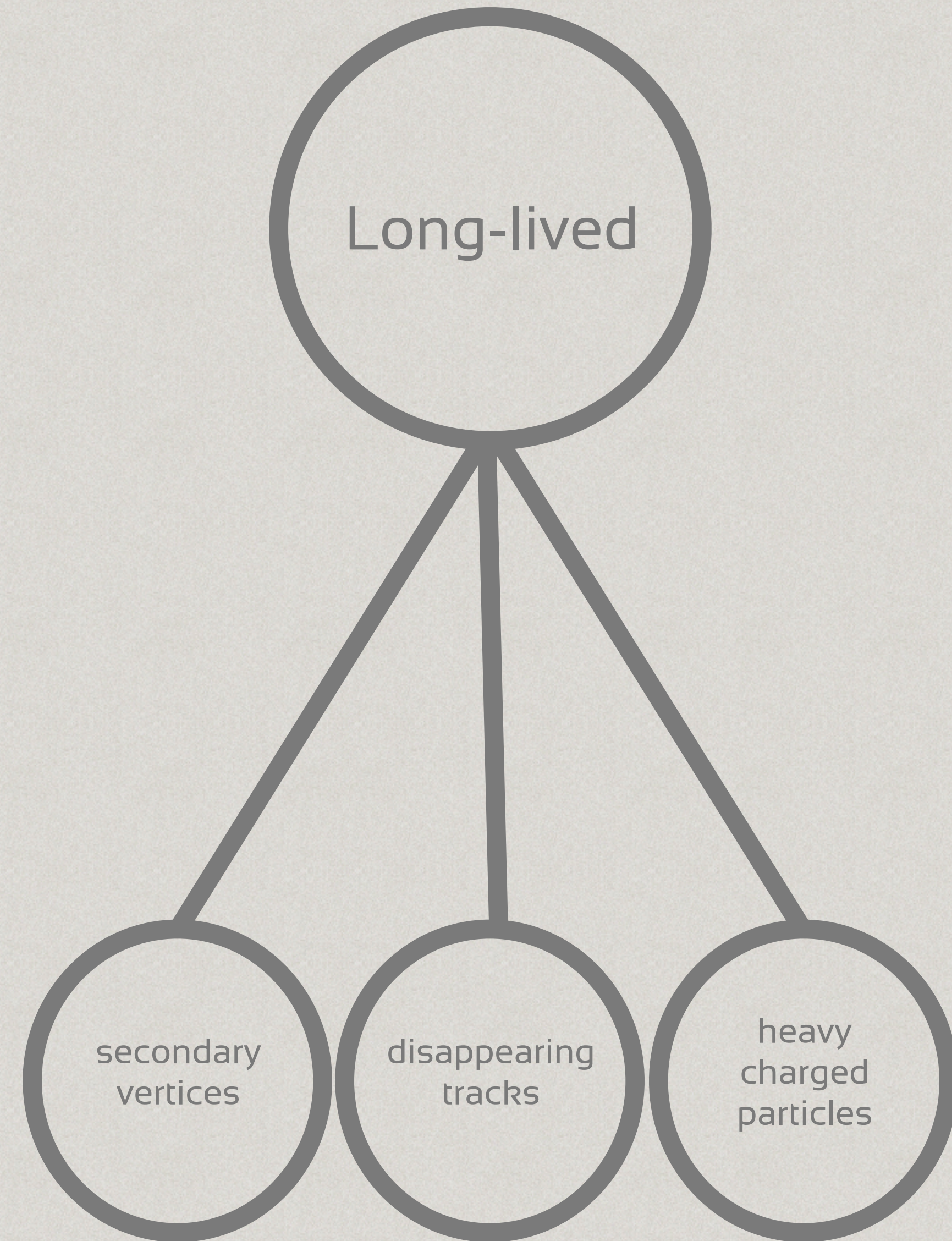
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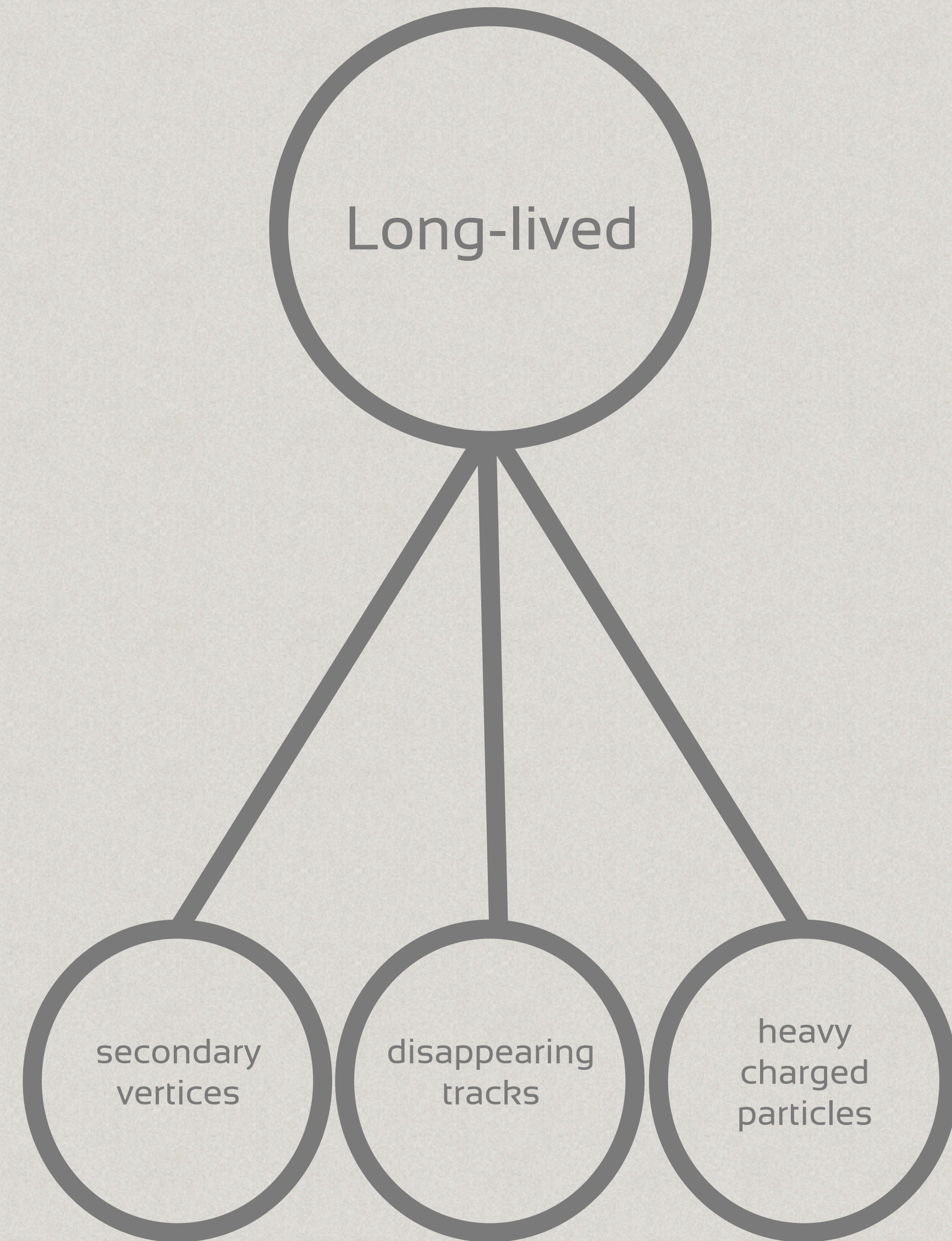


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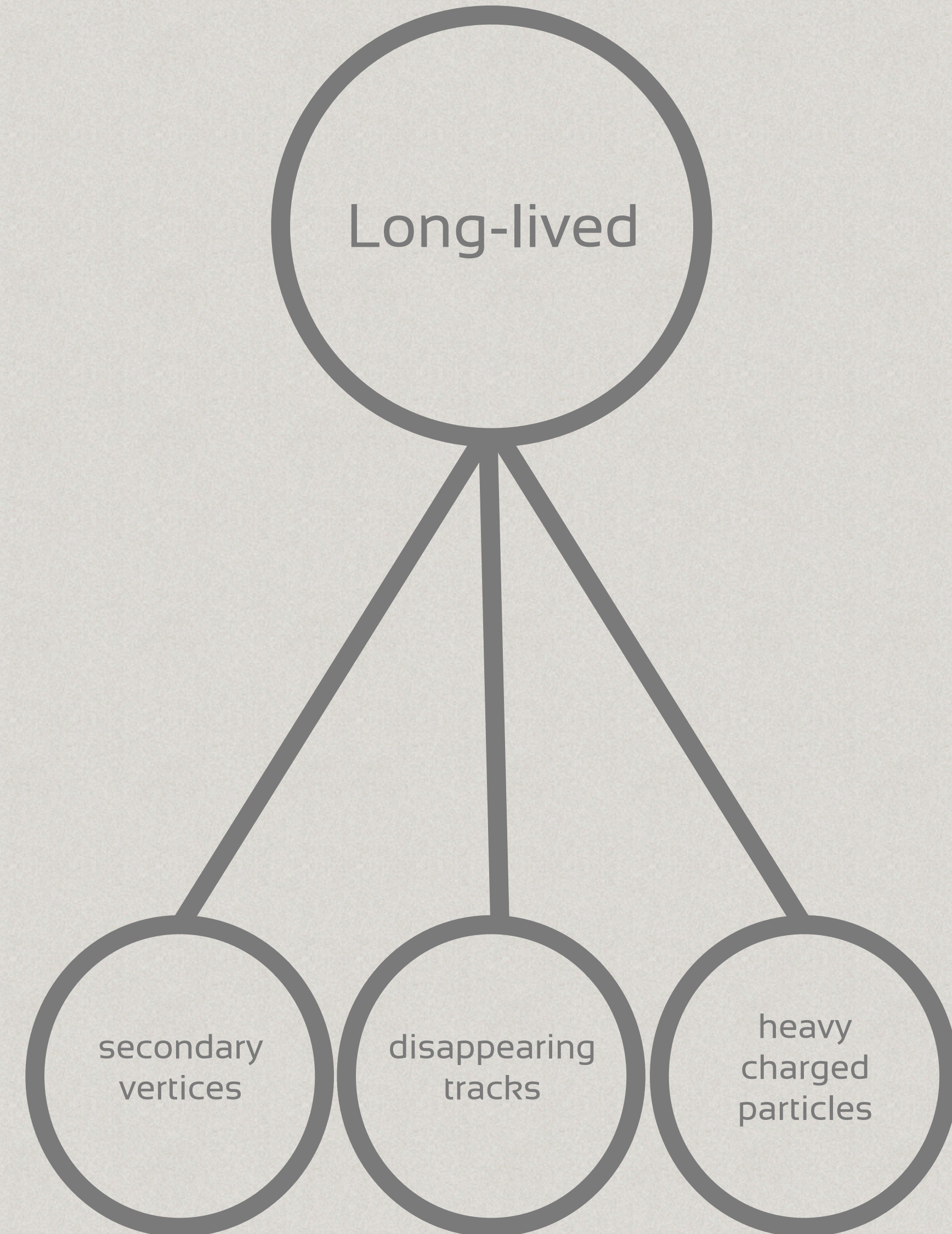
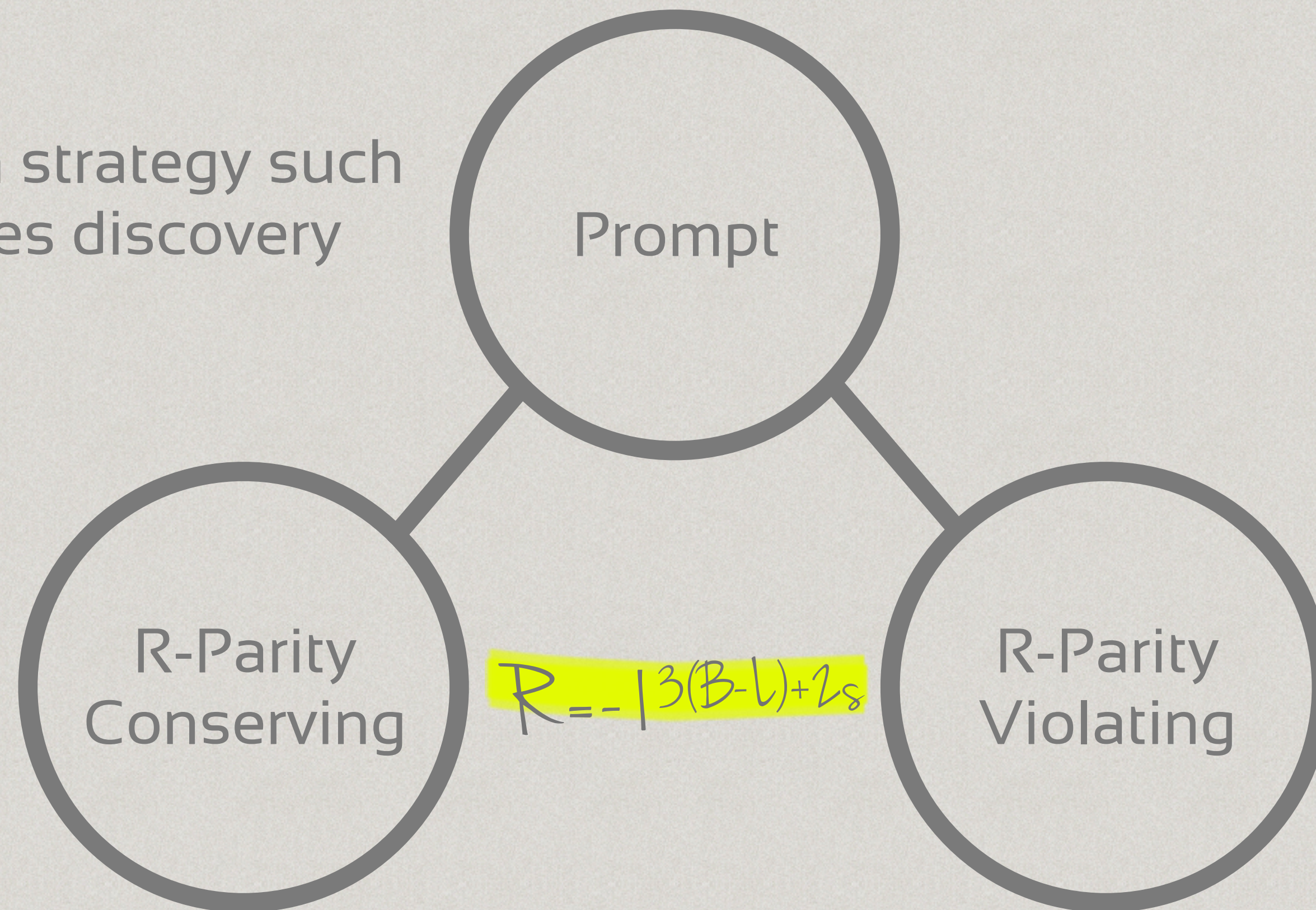


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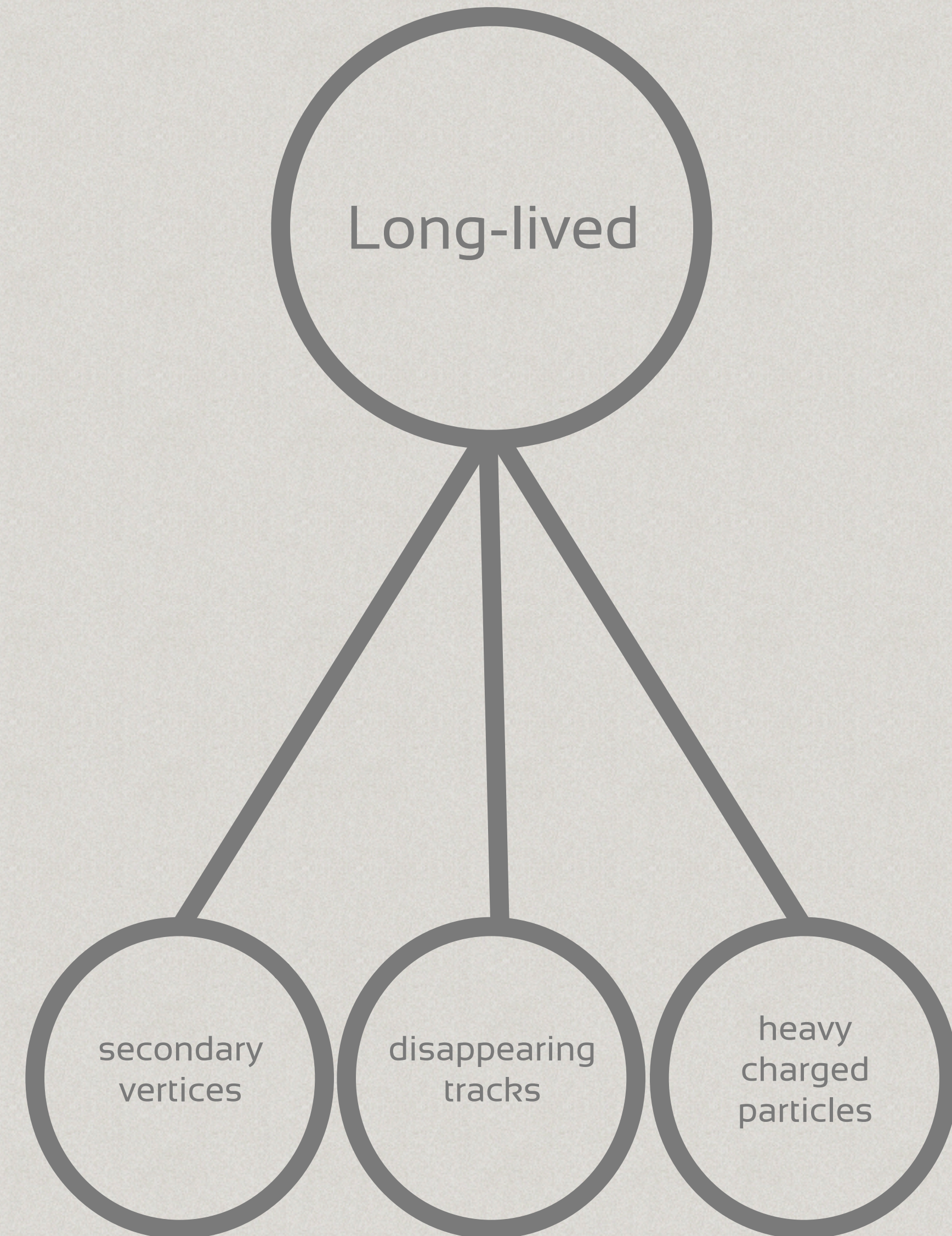
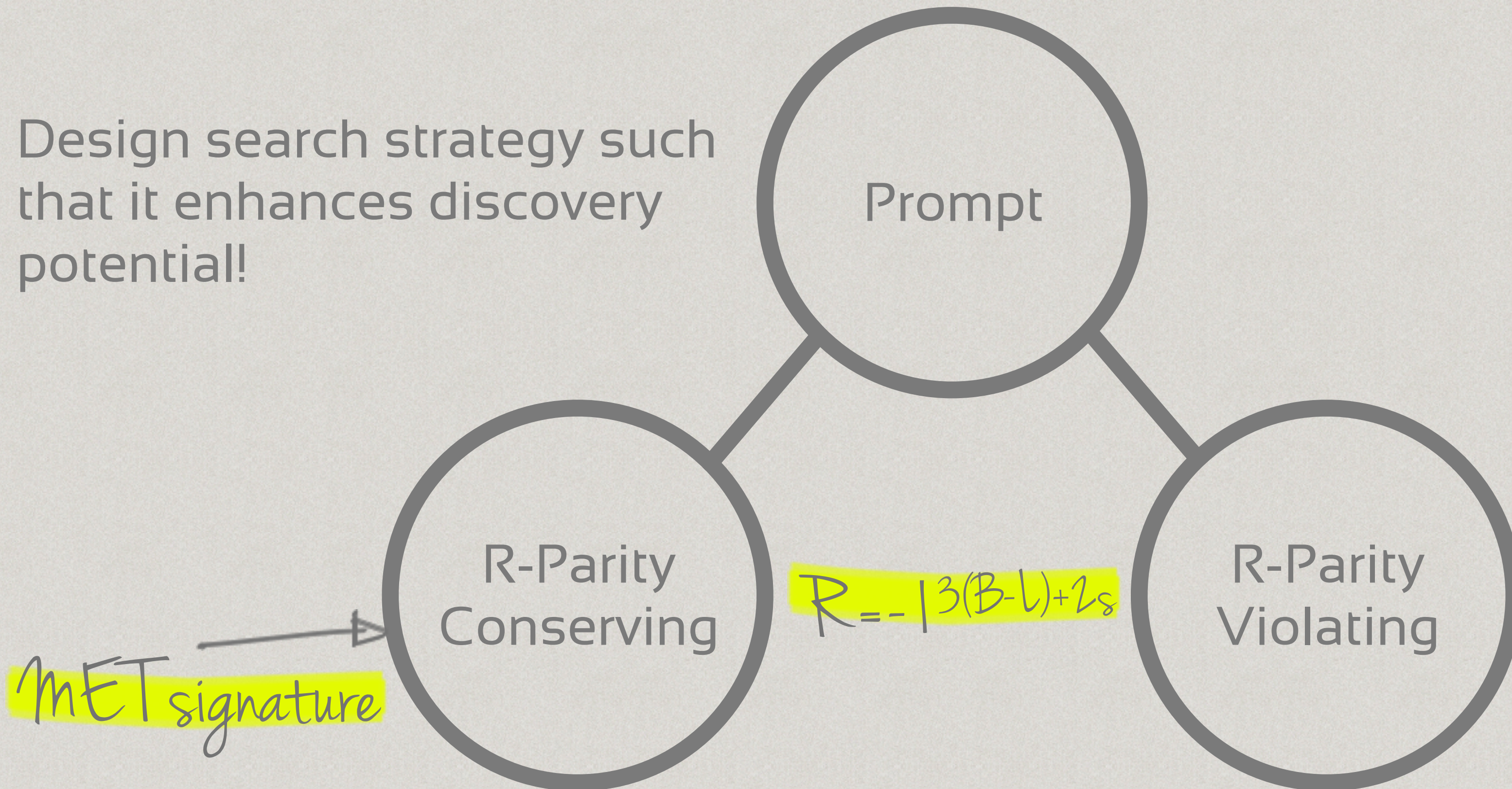
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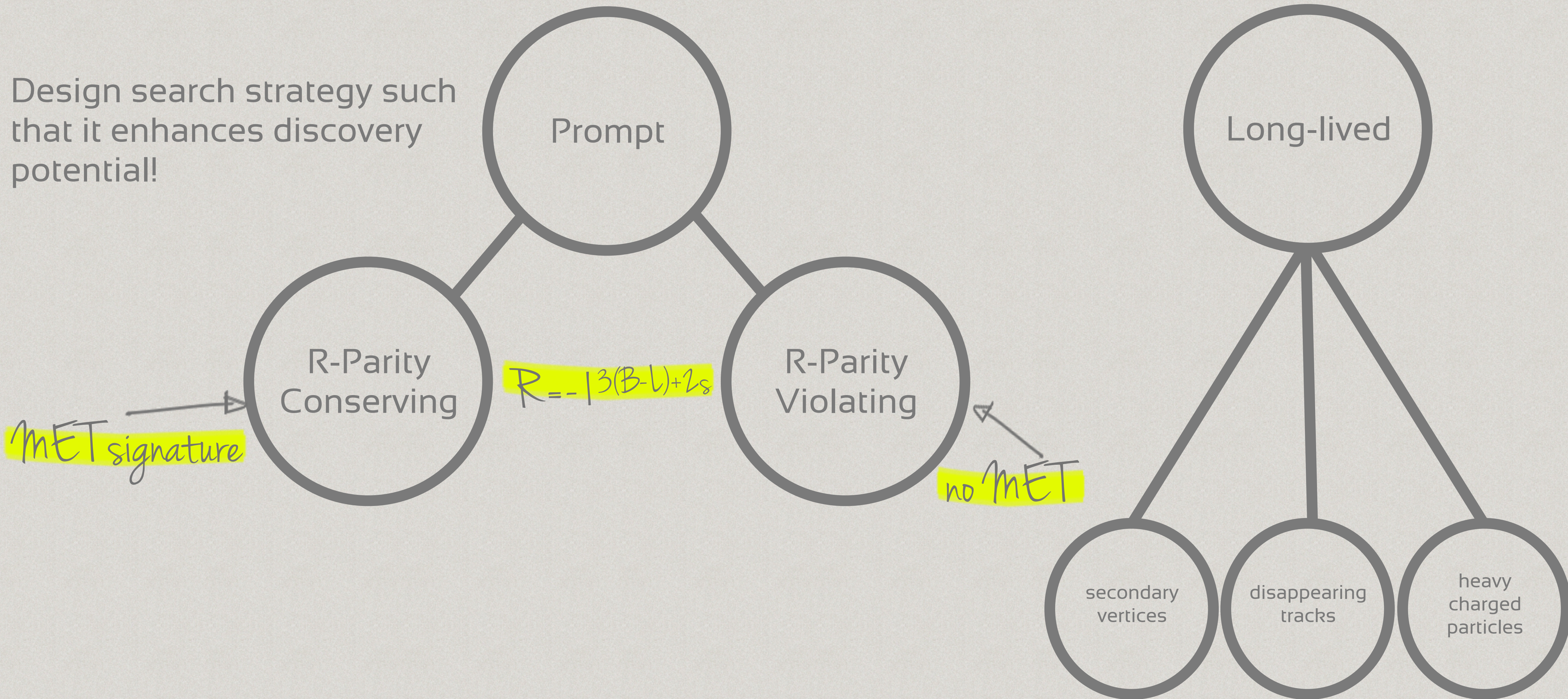
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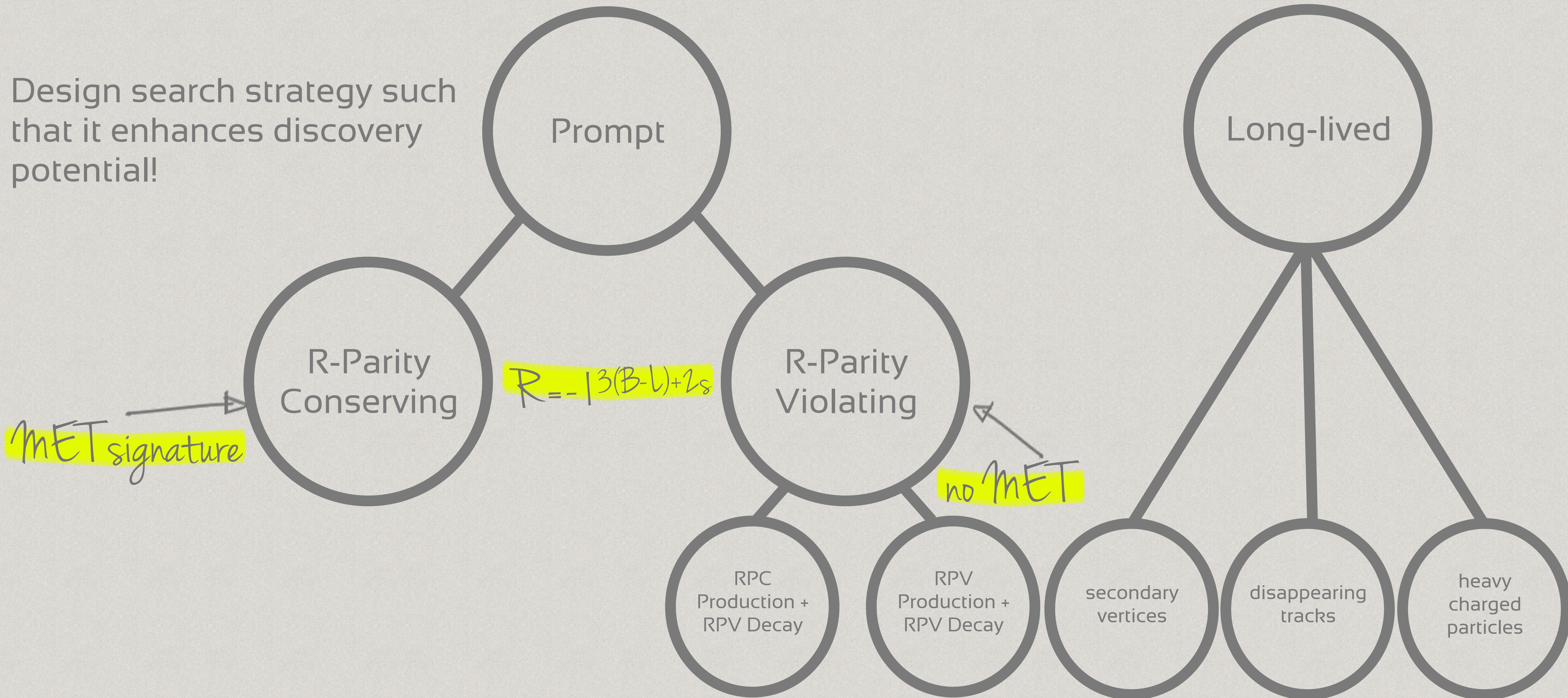
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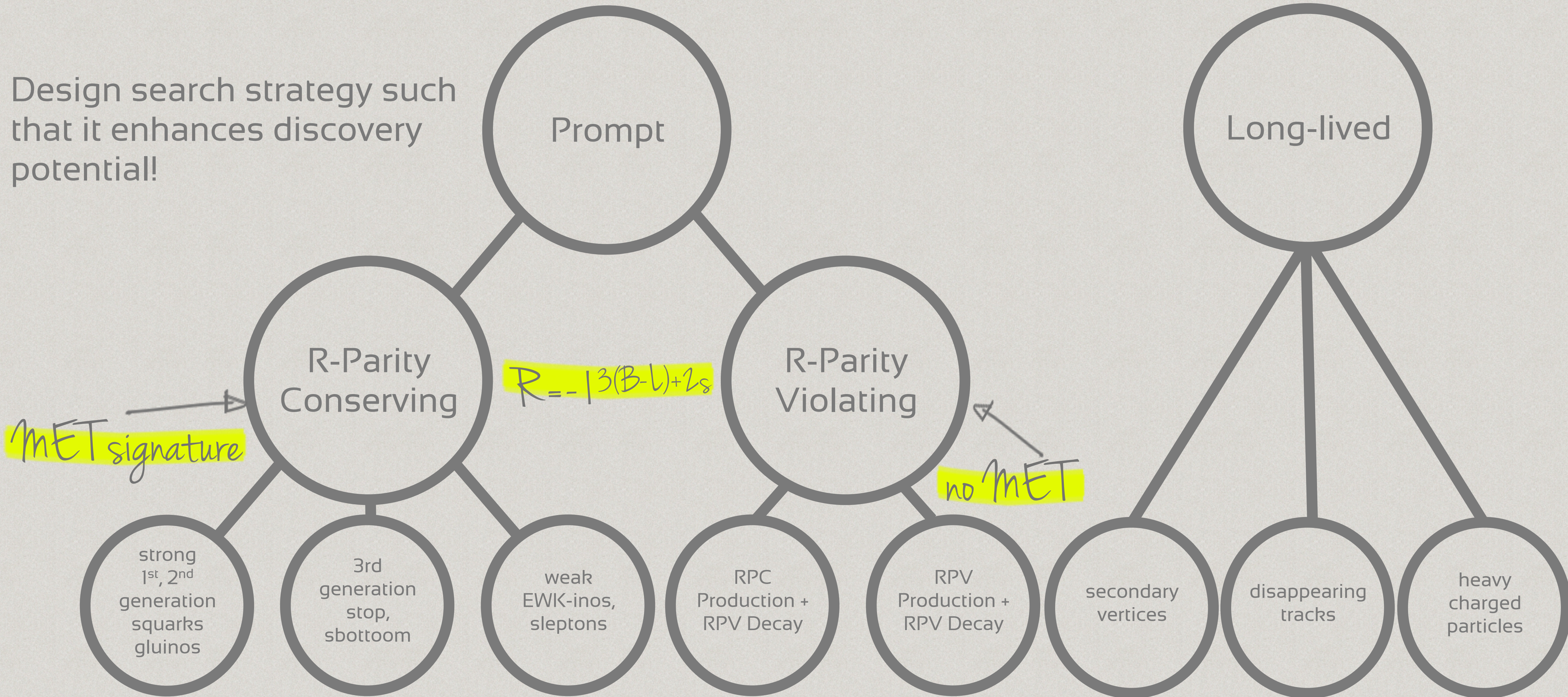
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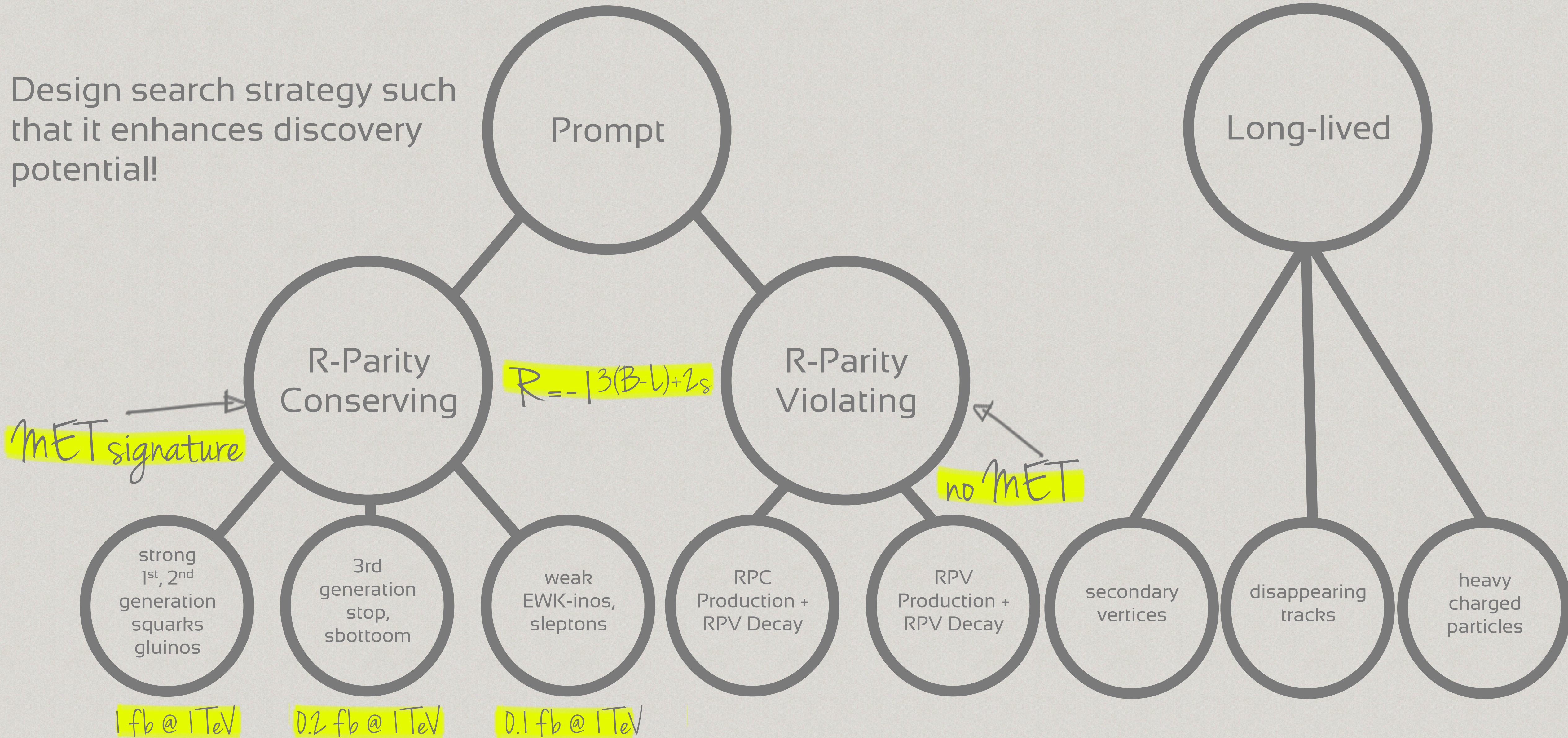
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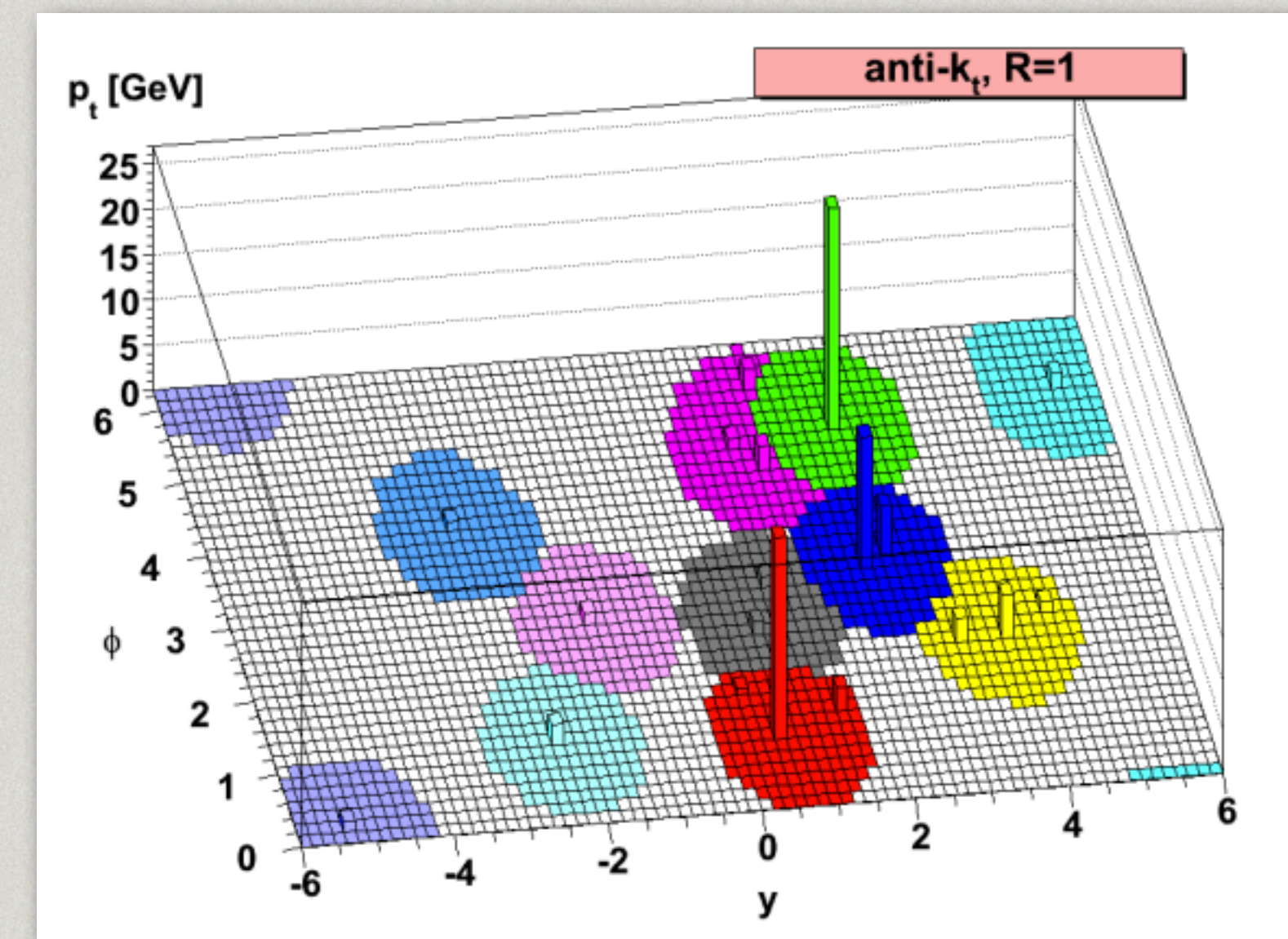
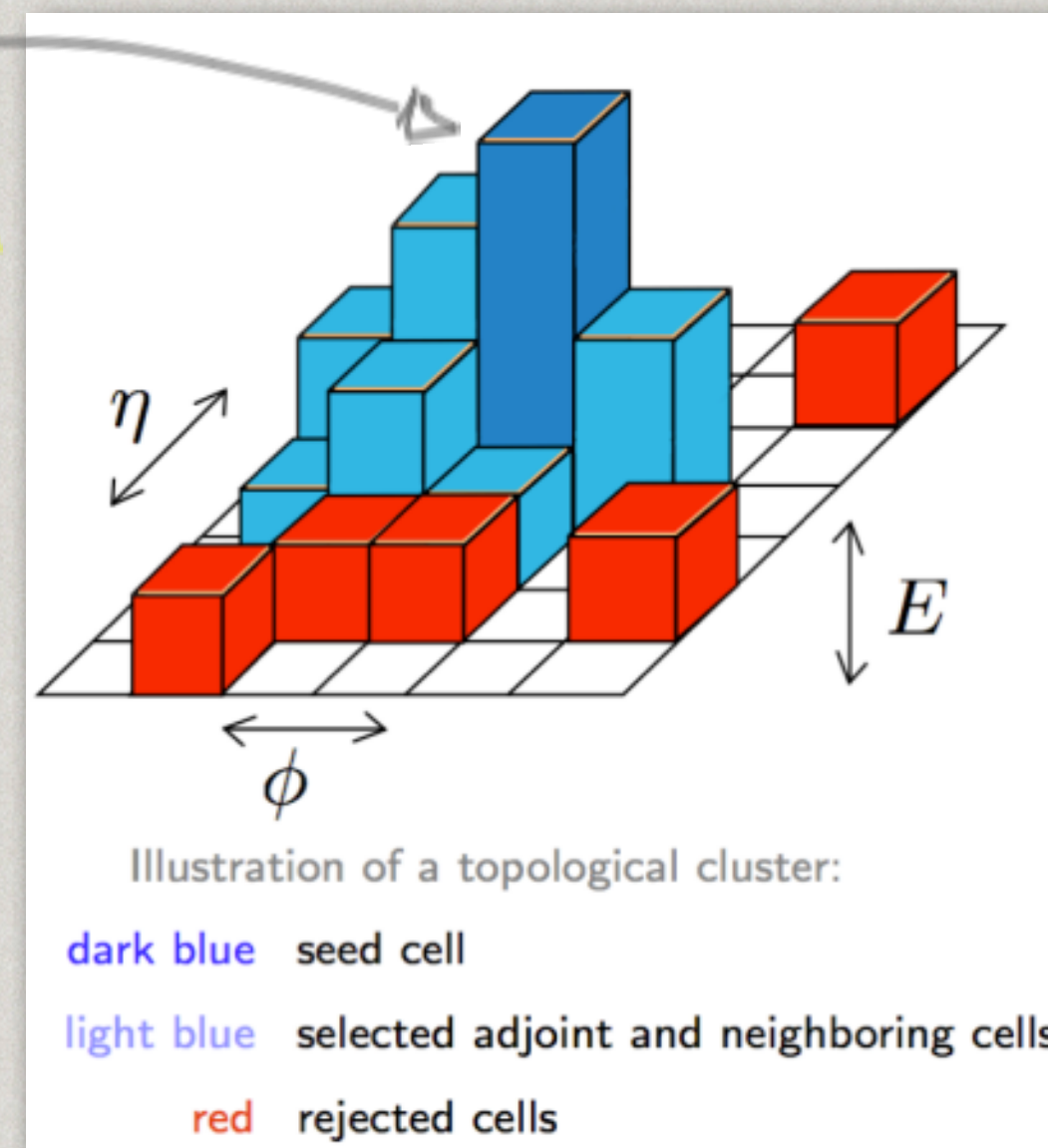
- effective models with minimal particle content
- parametrized directly in terms of sparticle masses
- complementary to pMSSM

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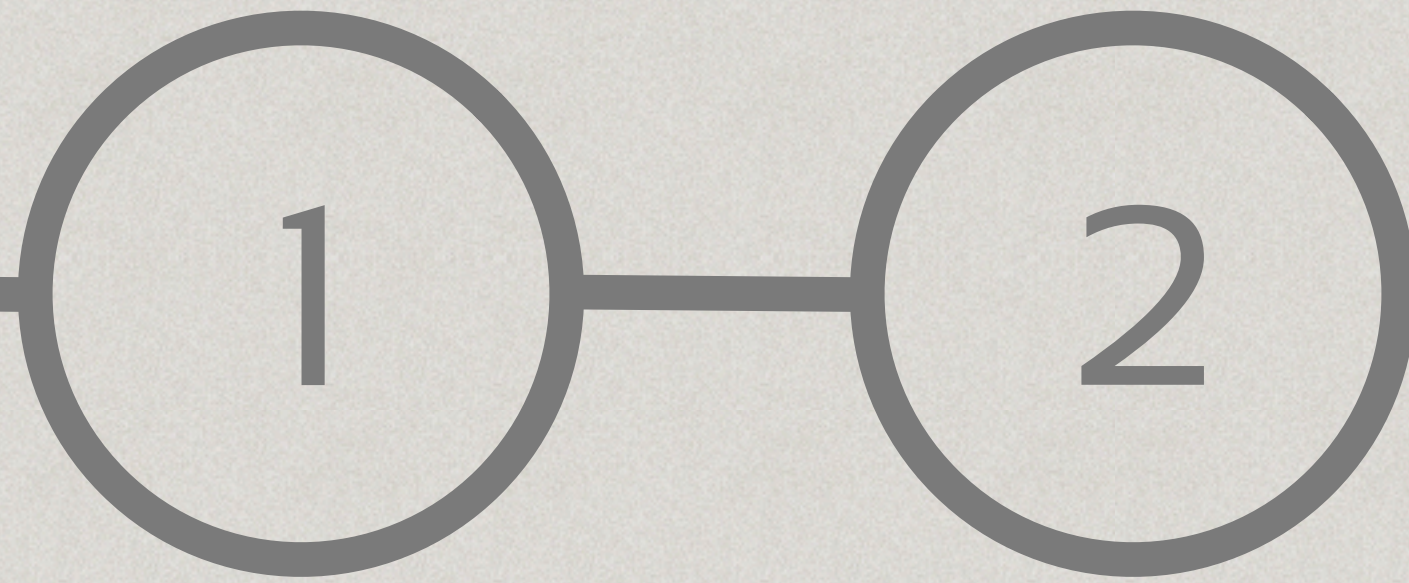
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- Electrons and muons are well-reconstructed and isolated wrt surrounding tracks ($\Delta R \leq 0.2$).
- Electrons within $0.2 \leq \Delta R \leq 0.4$ of jets and muons within $\Delta R \leq 0.4$ are considered jets.
- MET: negative vector sum of all objects (jets, electrons, muons, soft energy deposits)
- jet reconstruction
 - topological clusters
 - jet definition via anti- k_T , corrected for pileup

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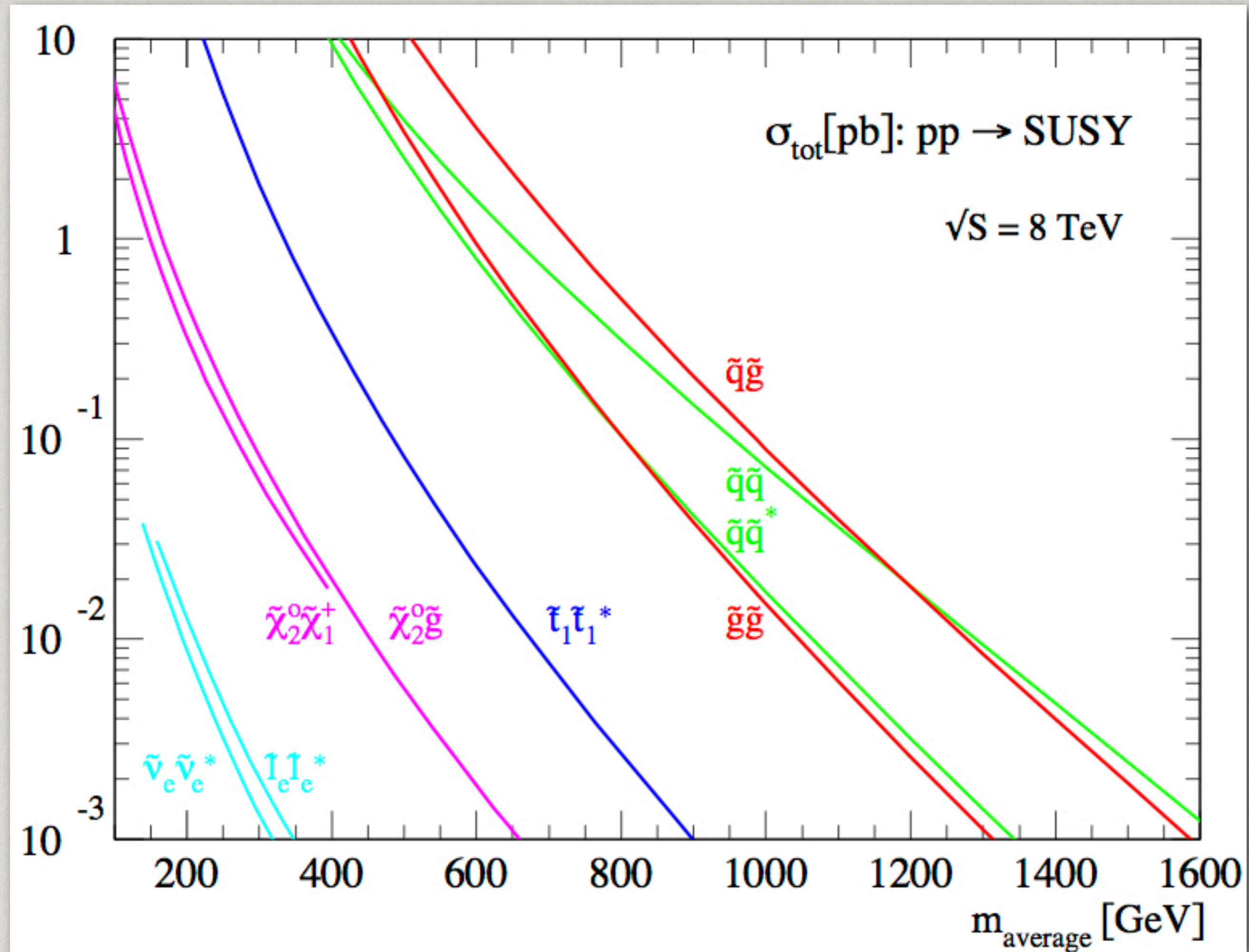
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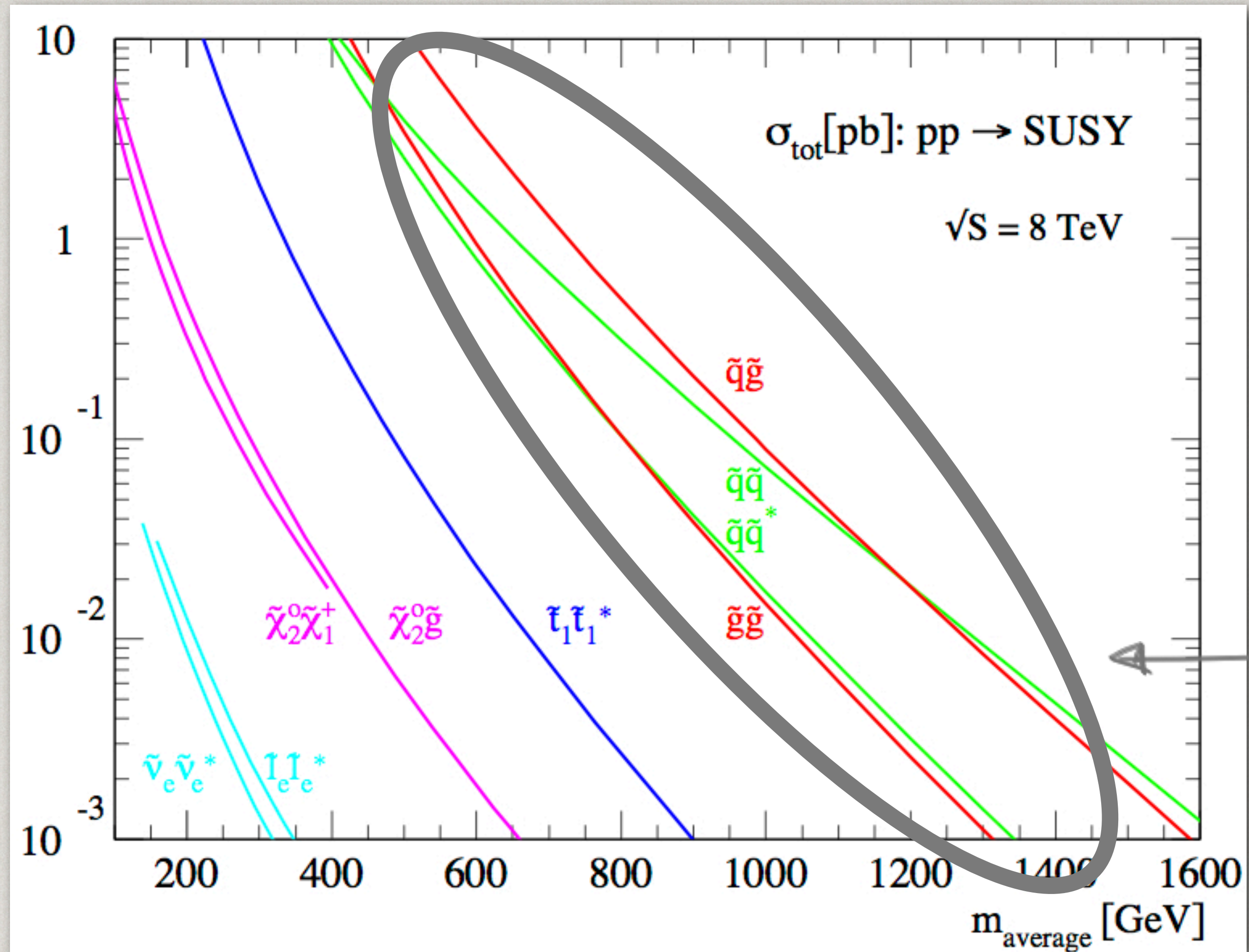
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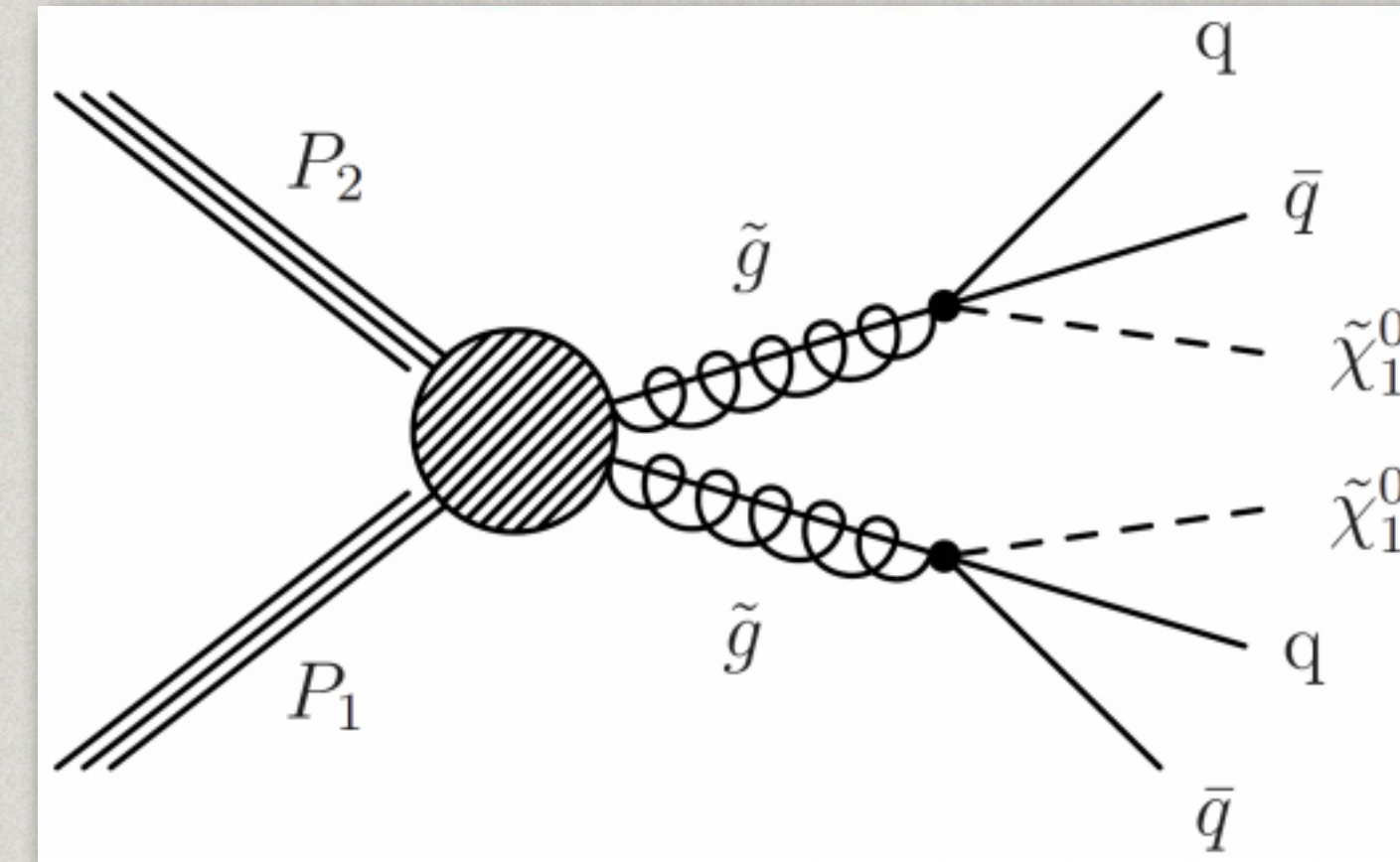
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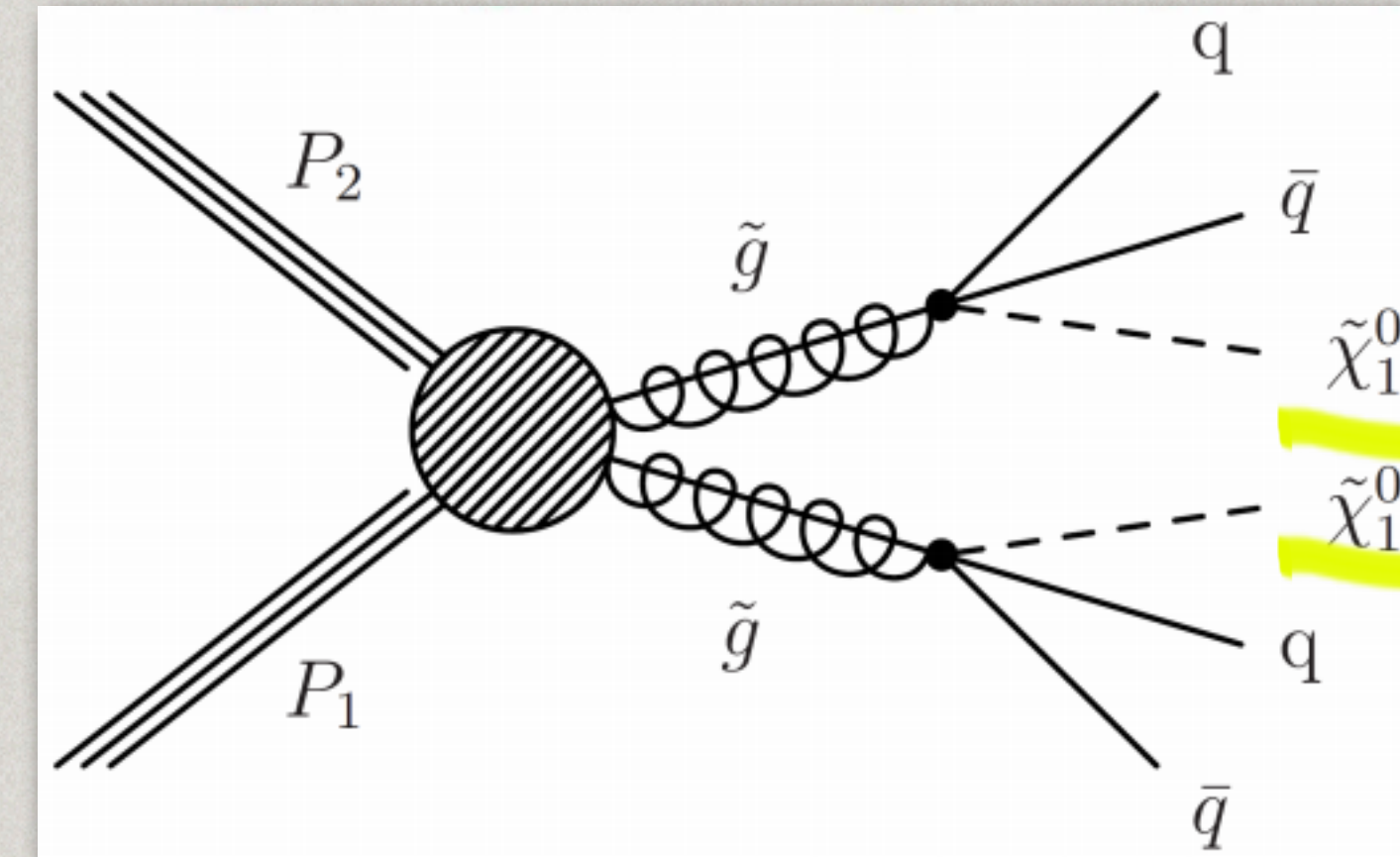
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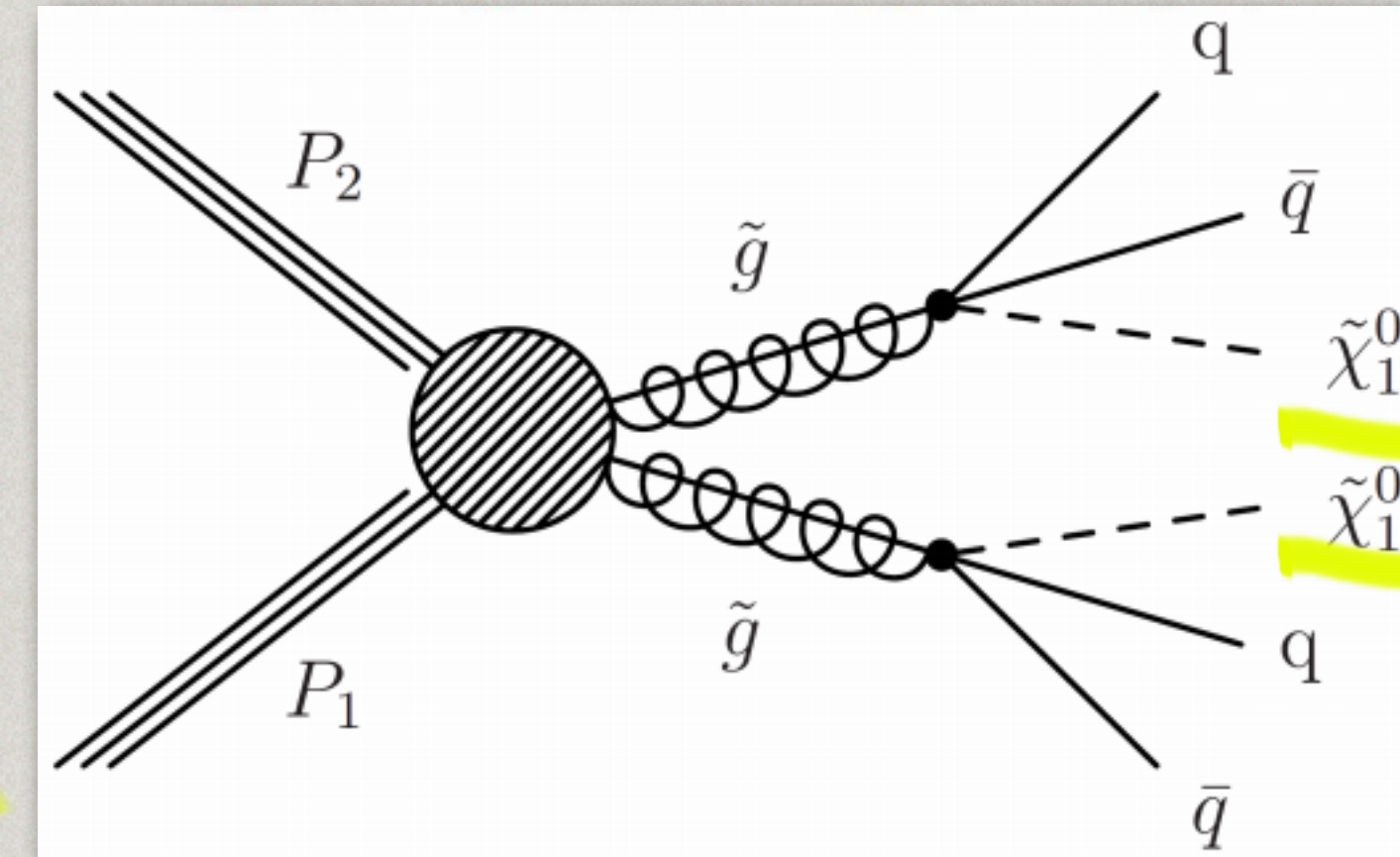
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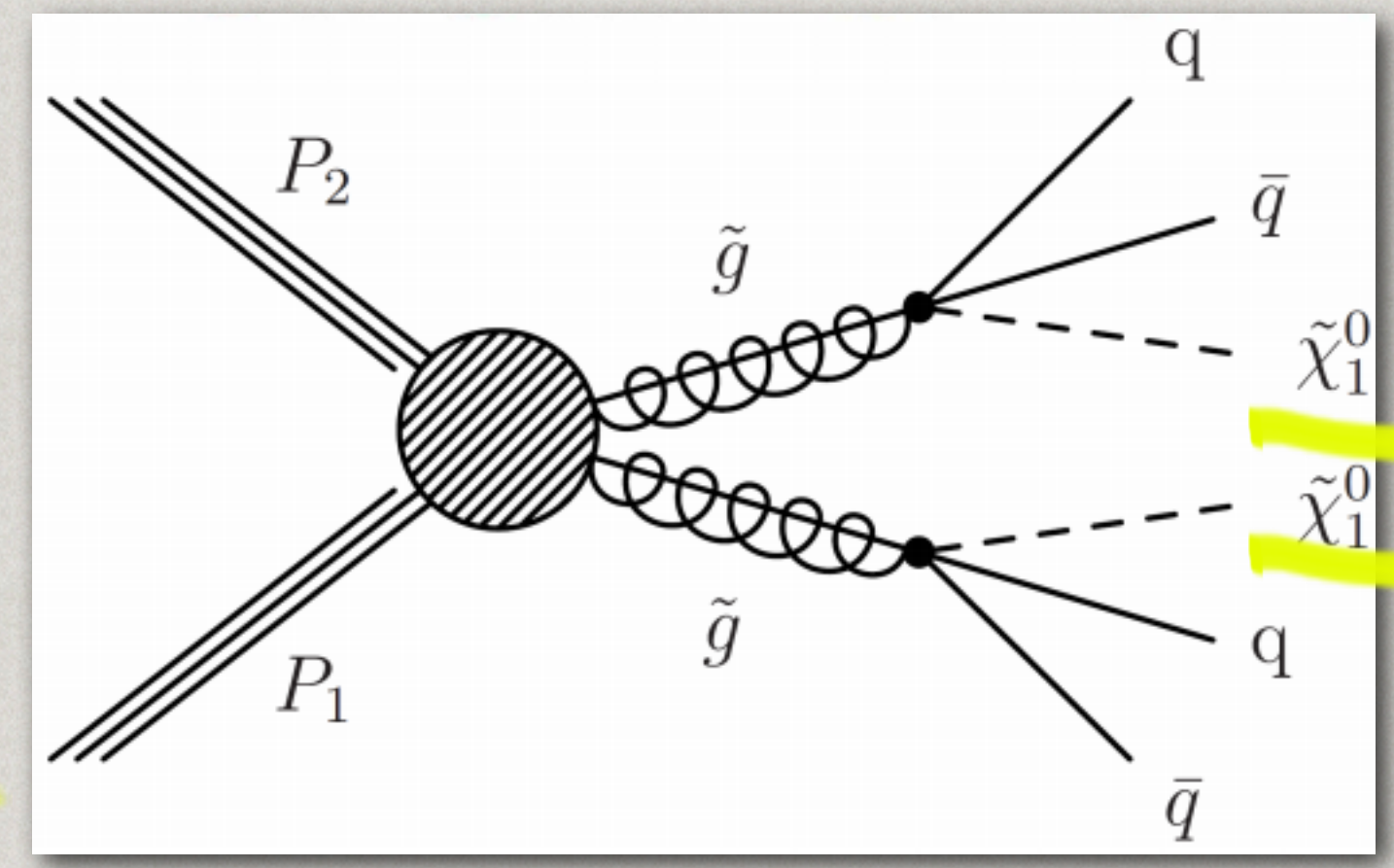


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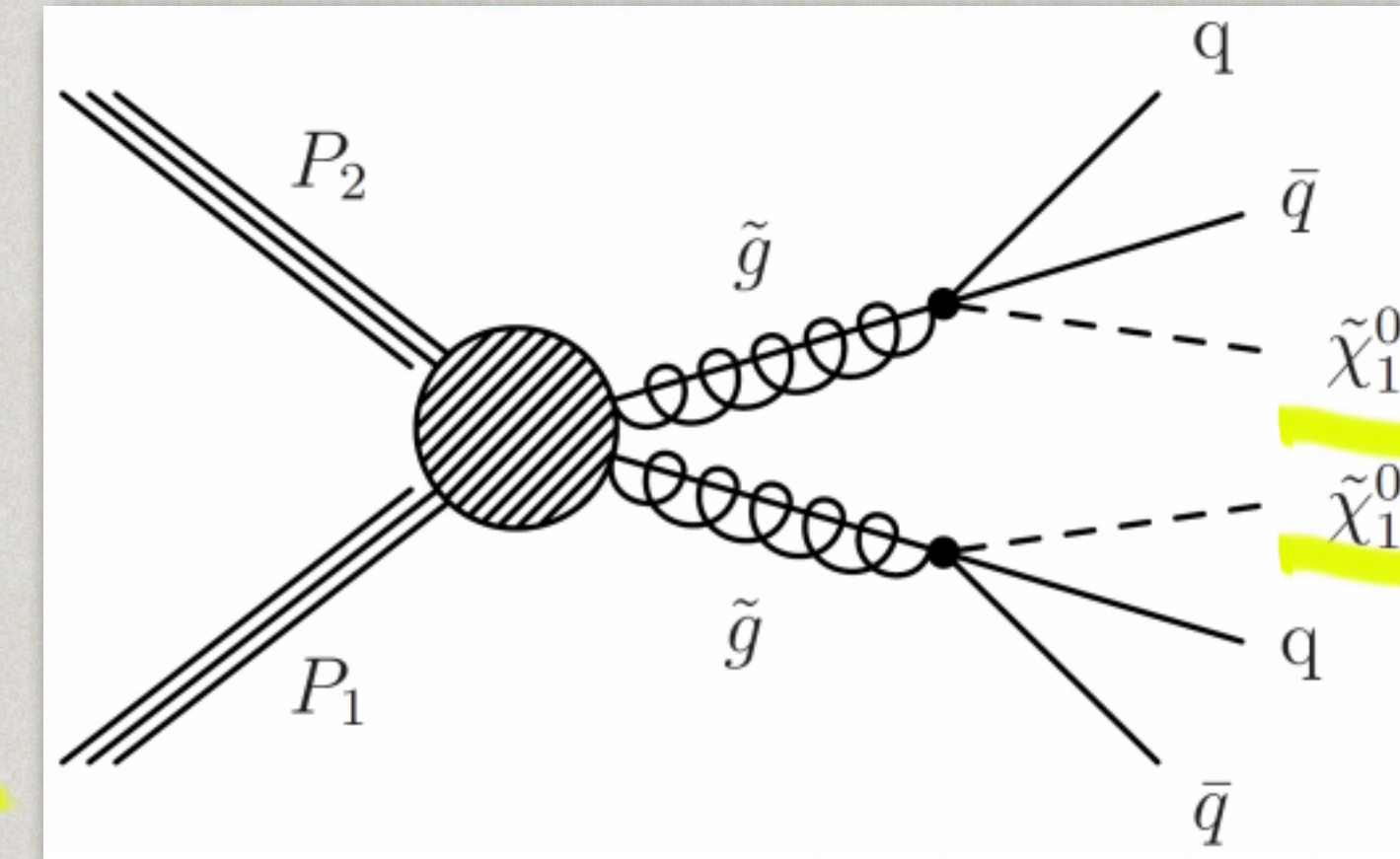
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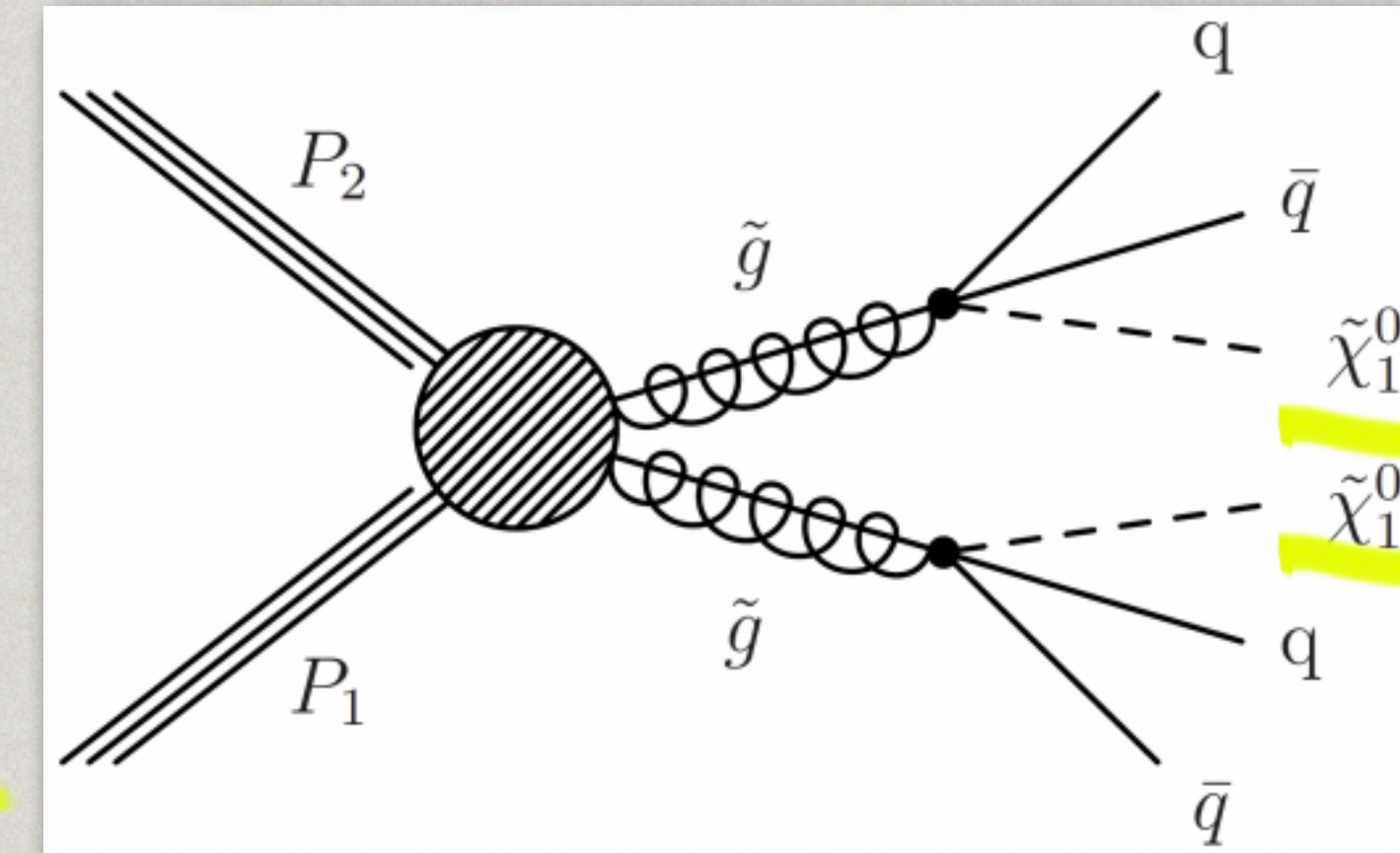
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CRQ	QCD jets	QCD jets	Reversed $\Delta\phi(\text{jet}, \mathbf{E}_T^{\text{miss}})_{\text{min}}$ and $E_T^{\text{miss}} / m_{\text{eff}}(Nj)$ cuts
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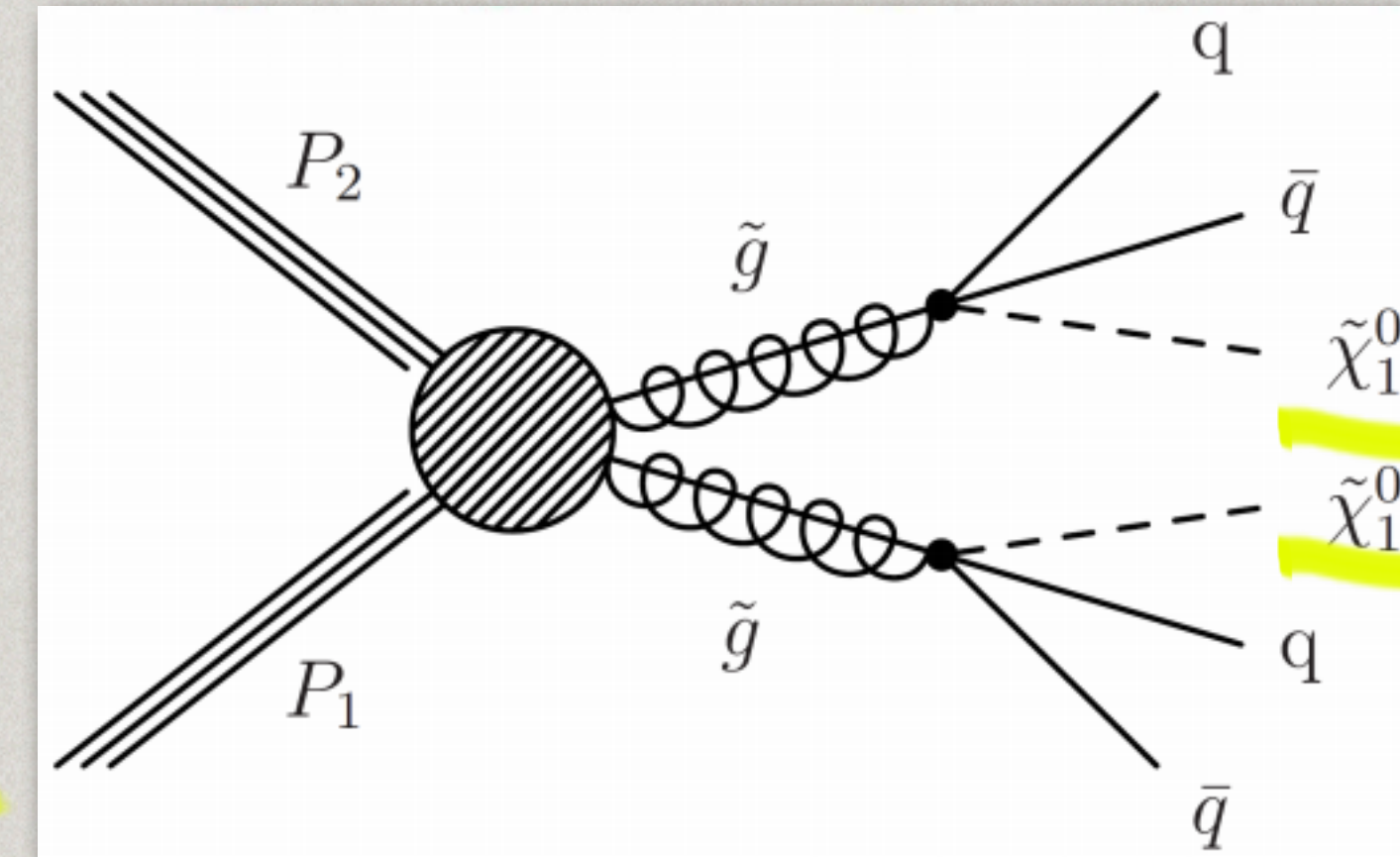
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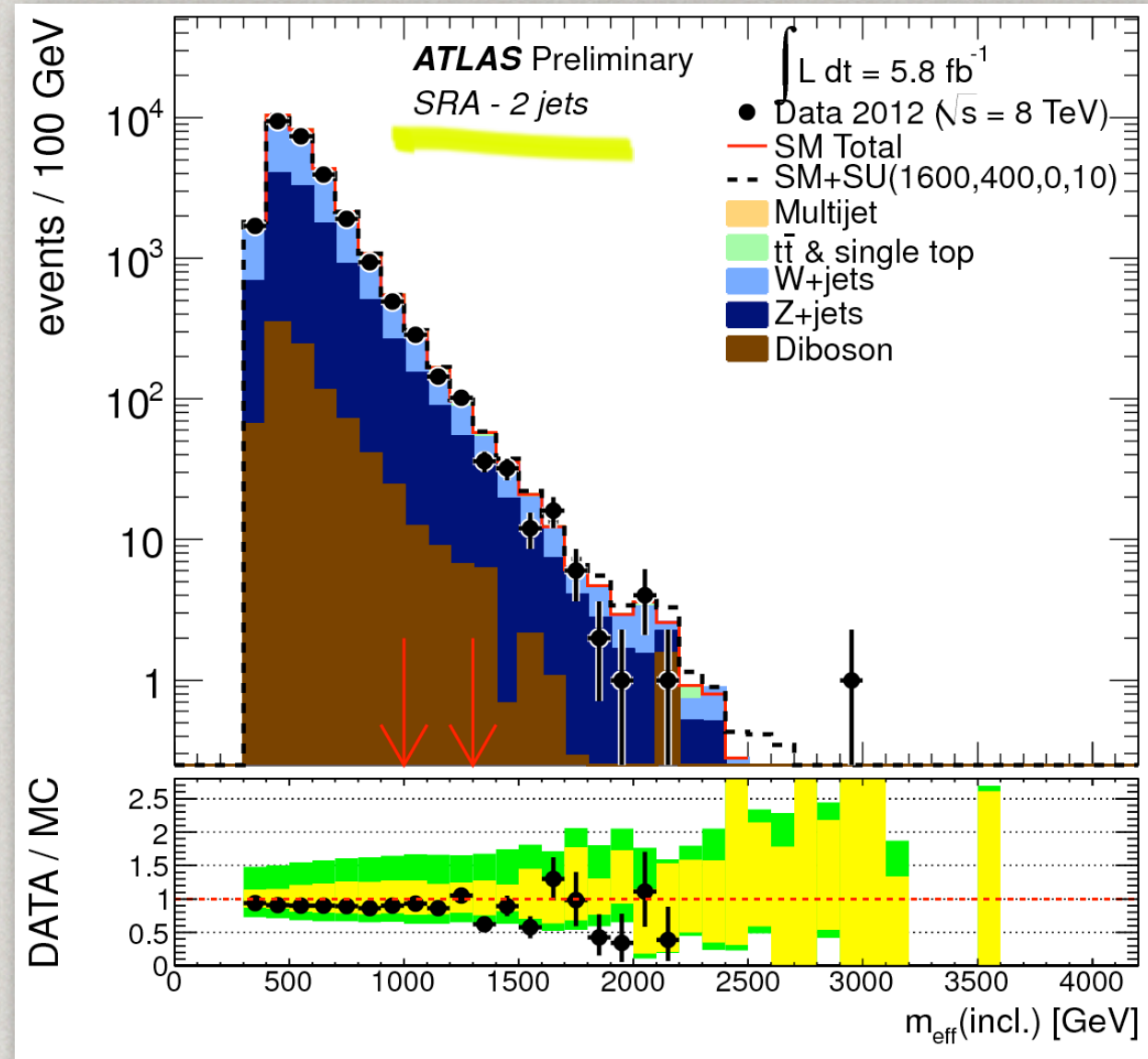
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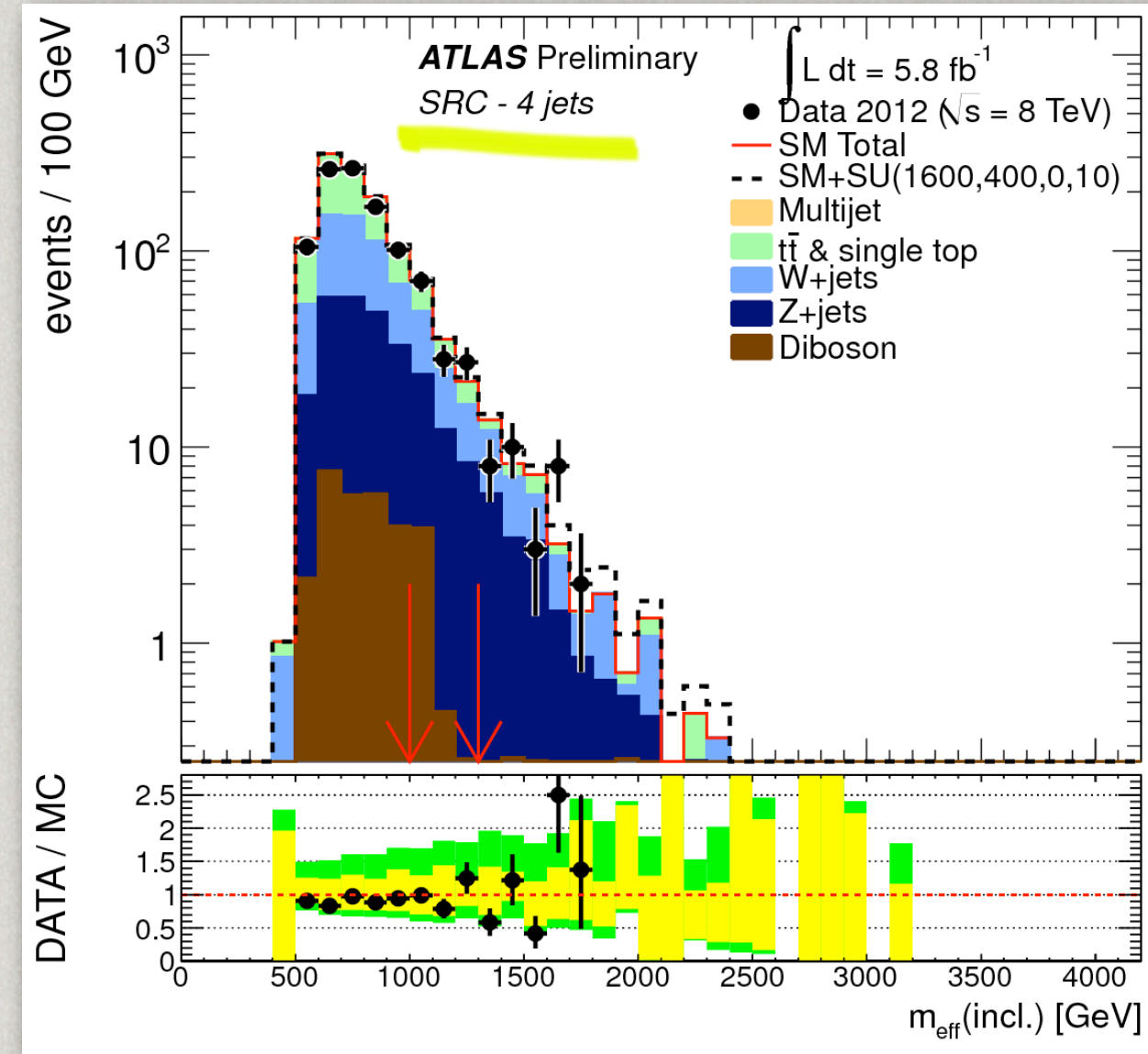
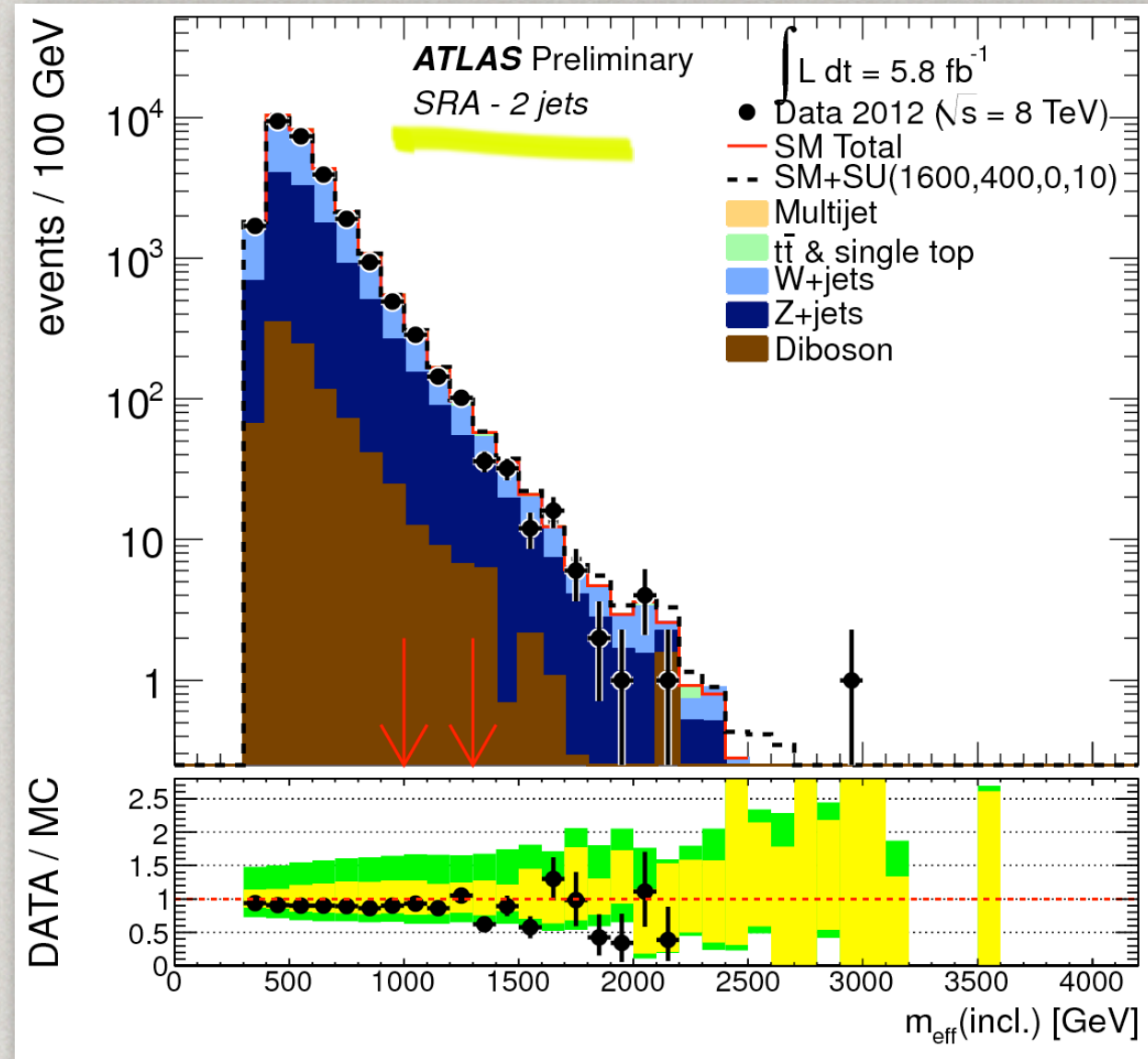
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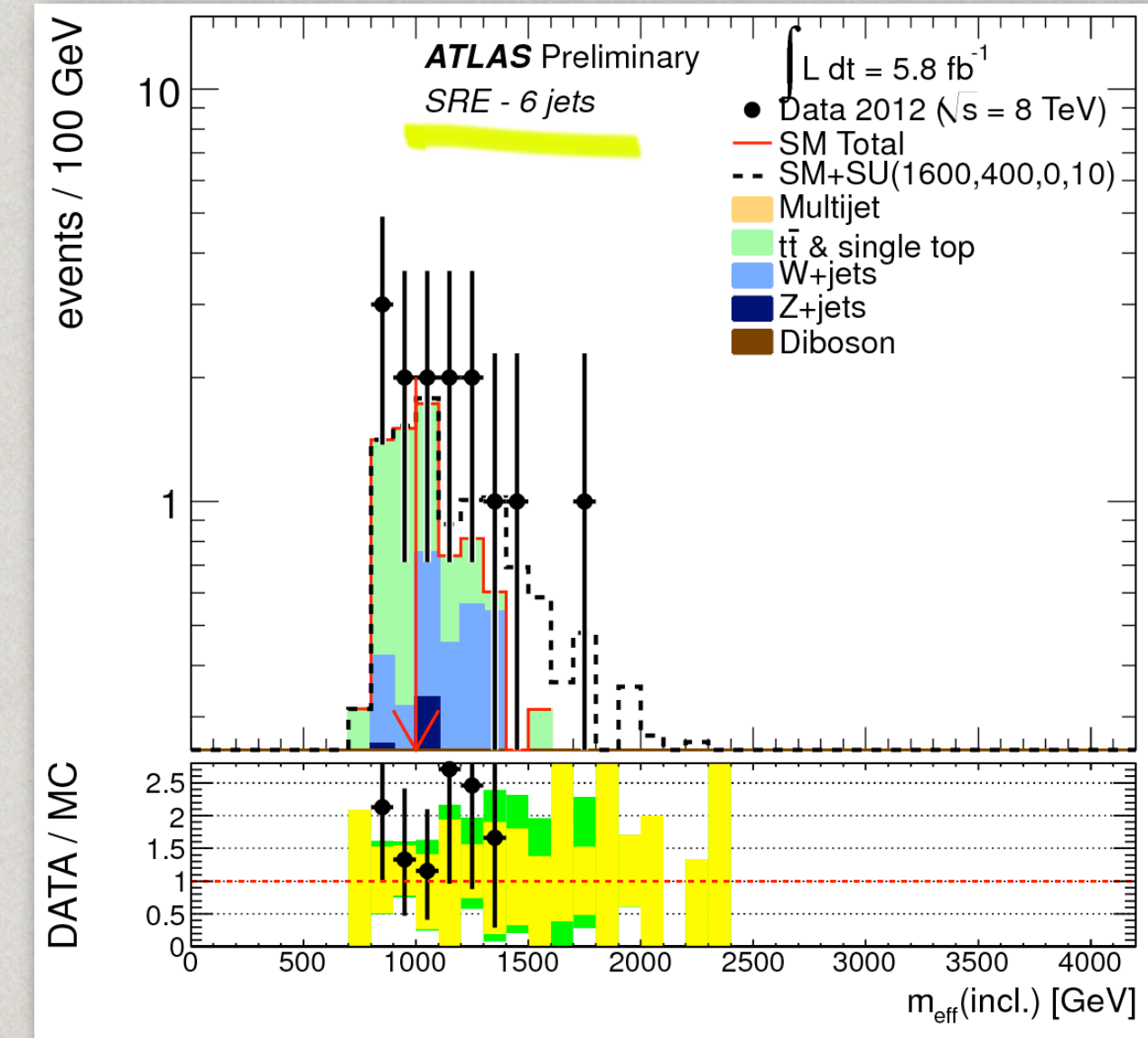
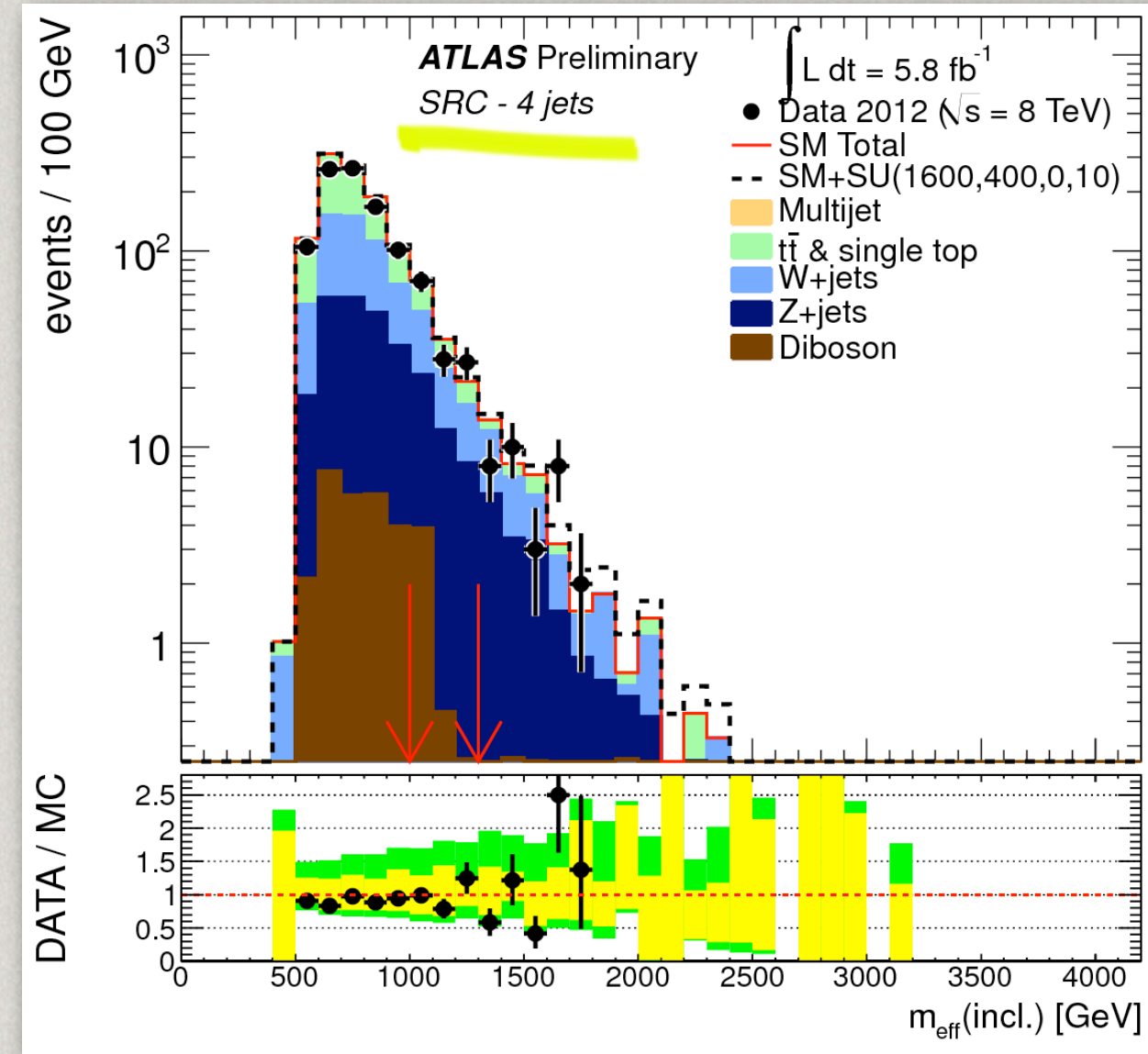
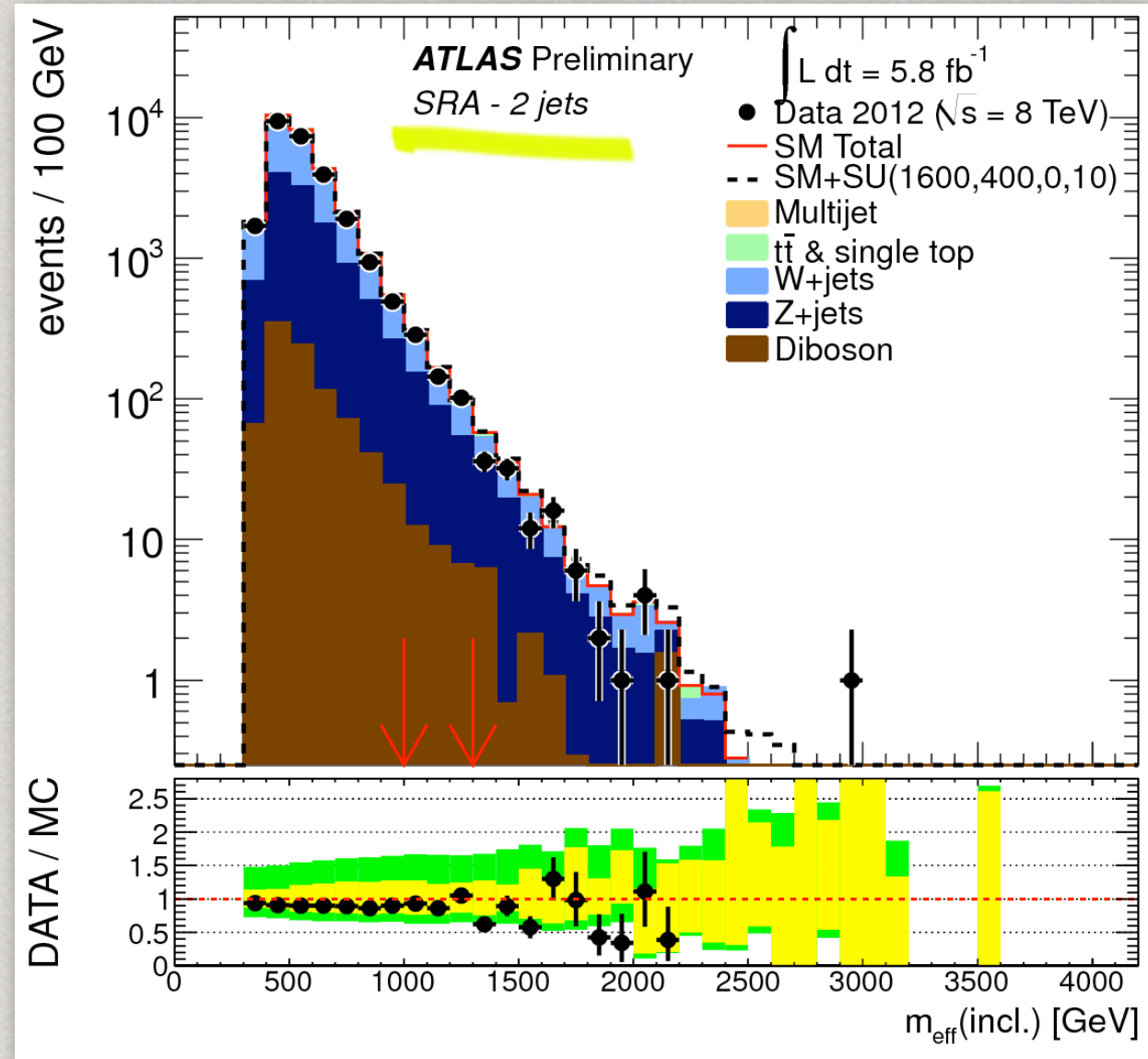


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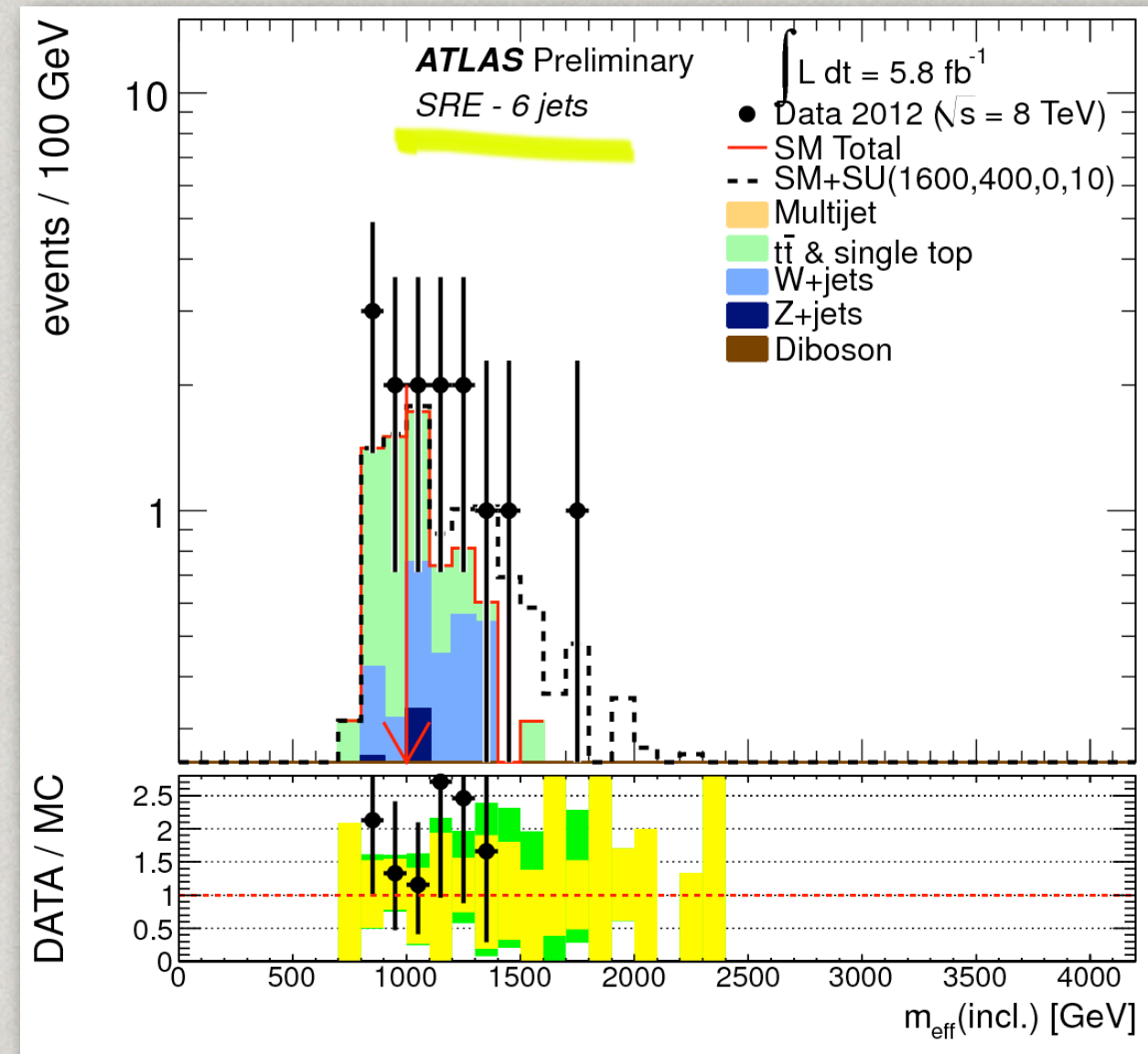
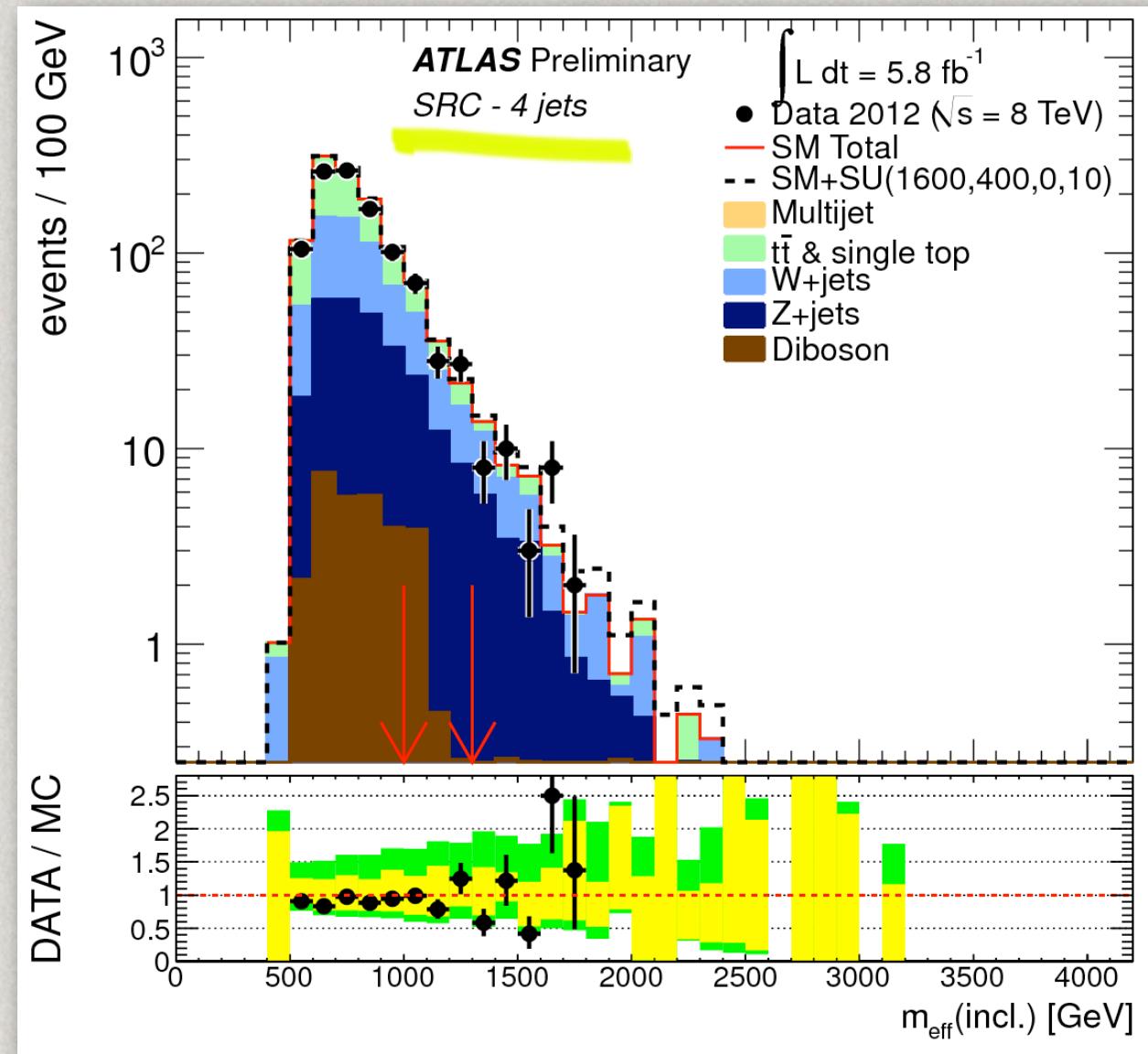
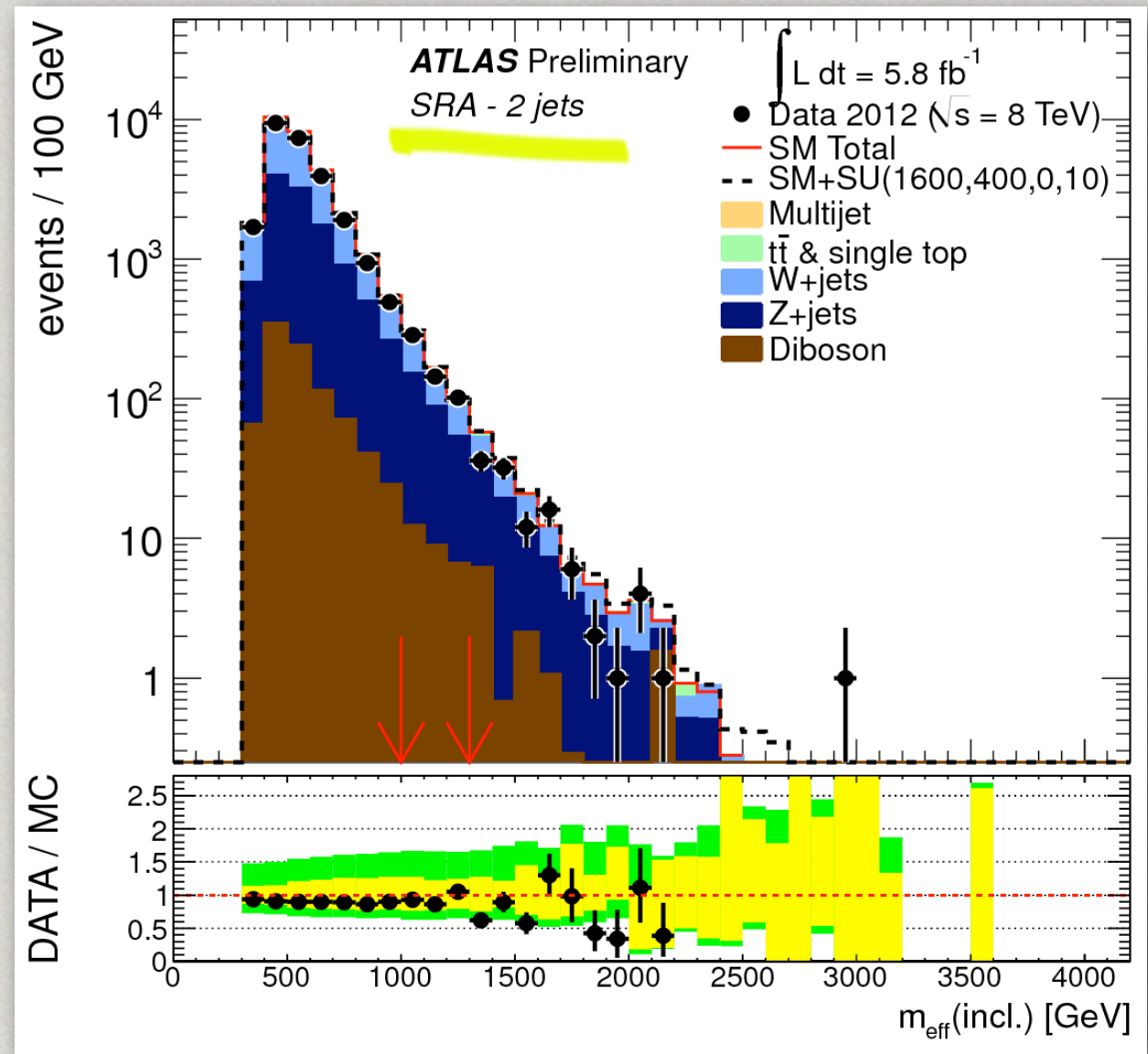


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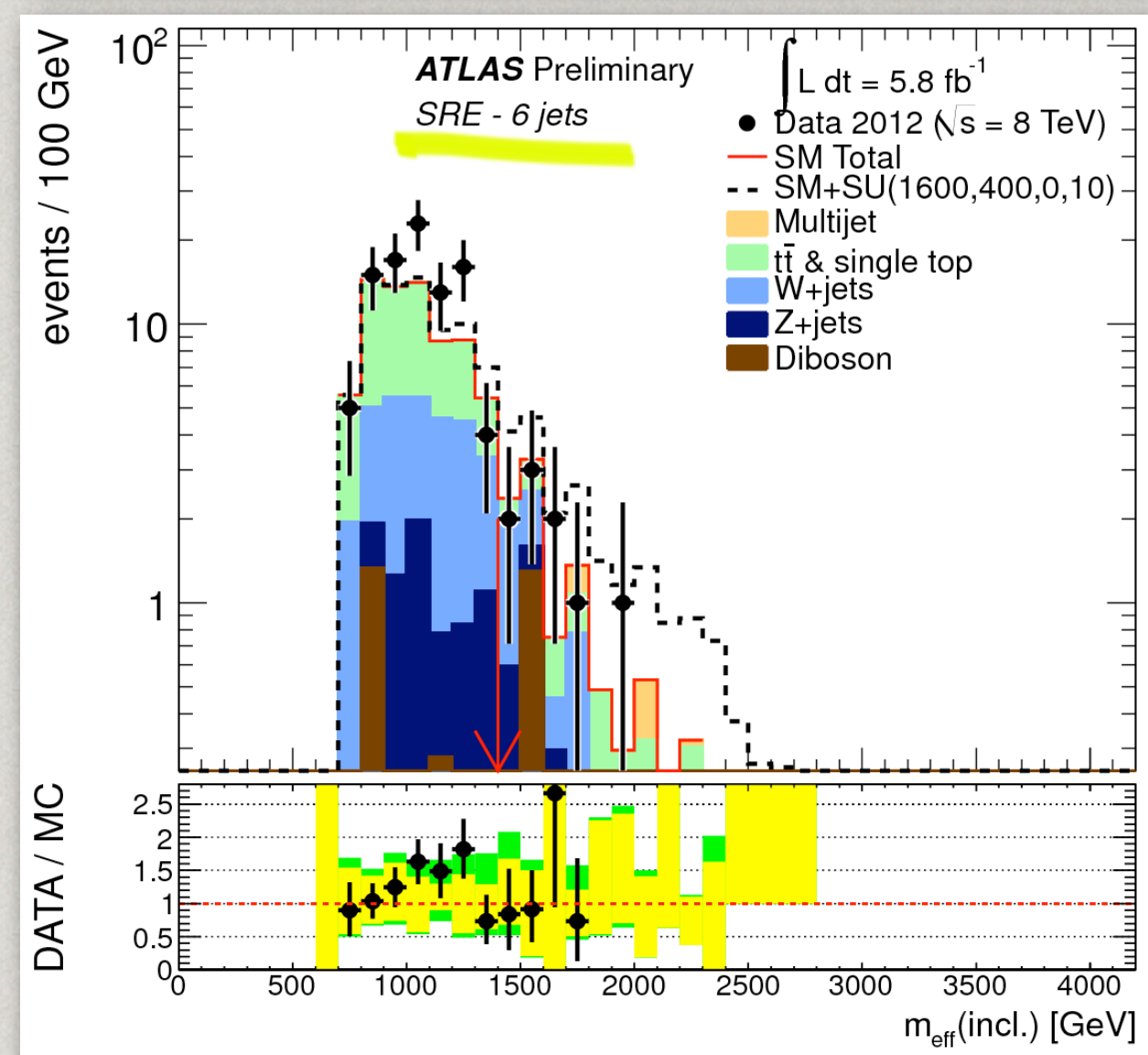
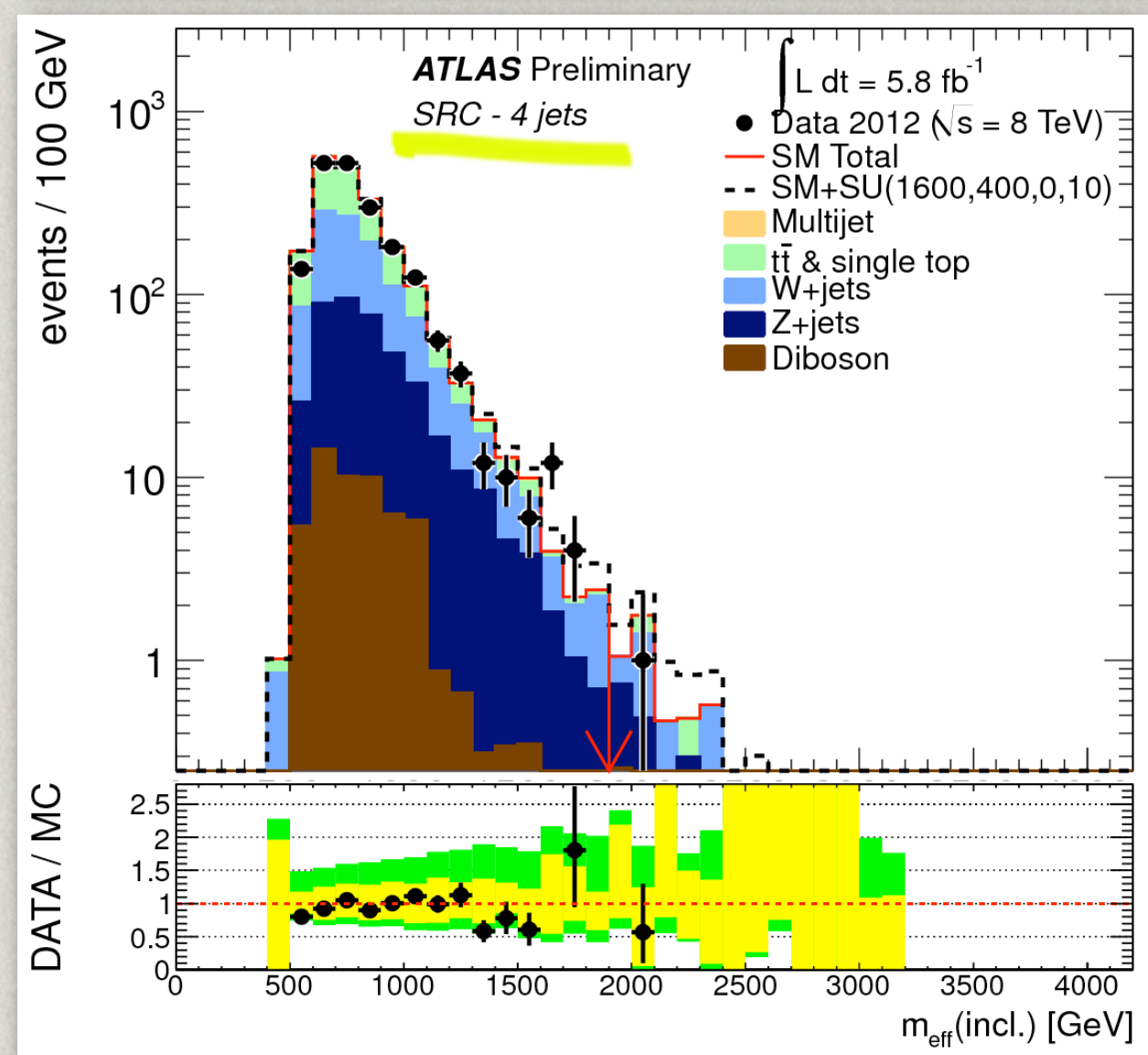
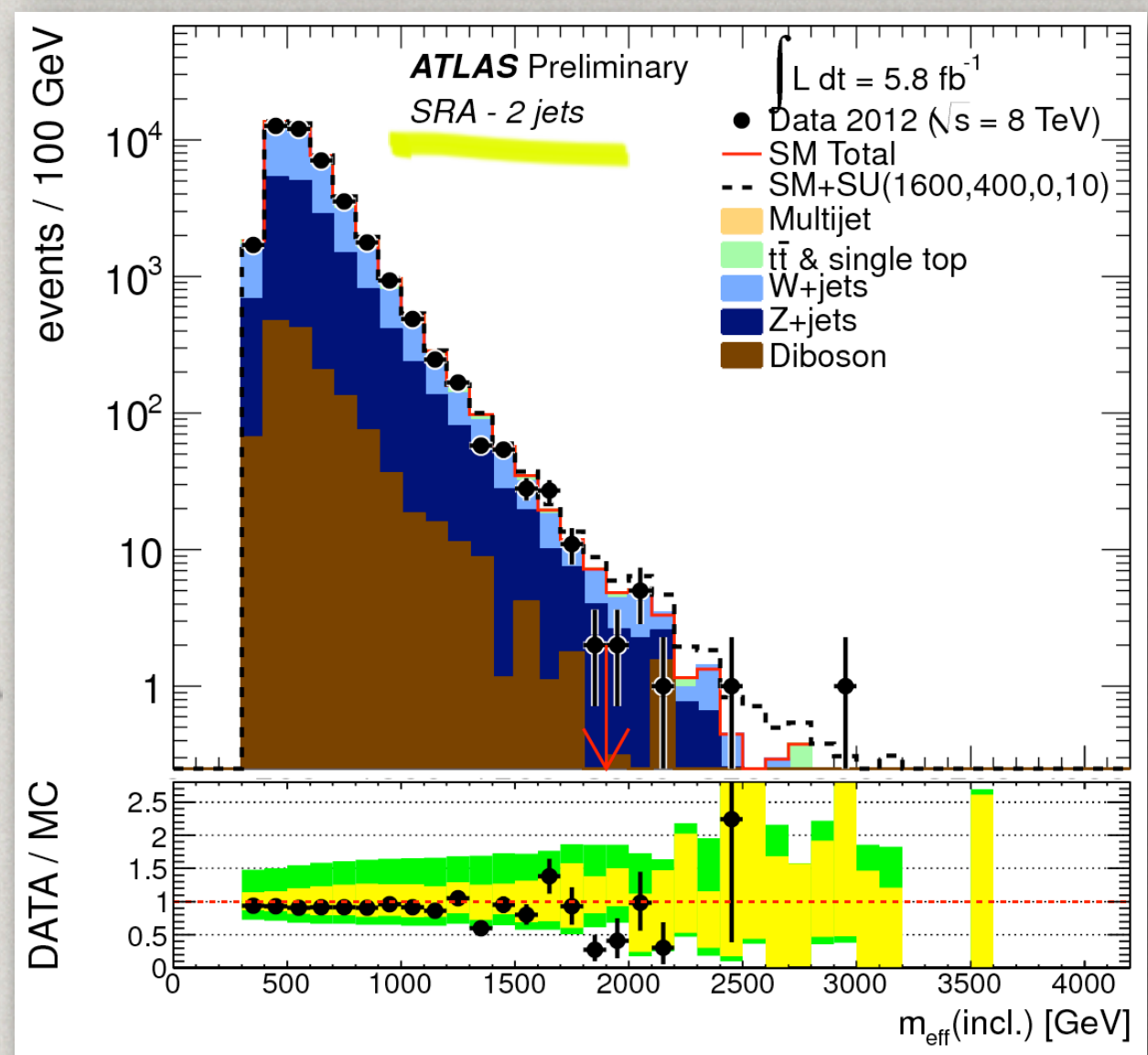


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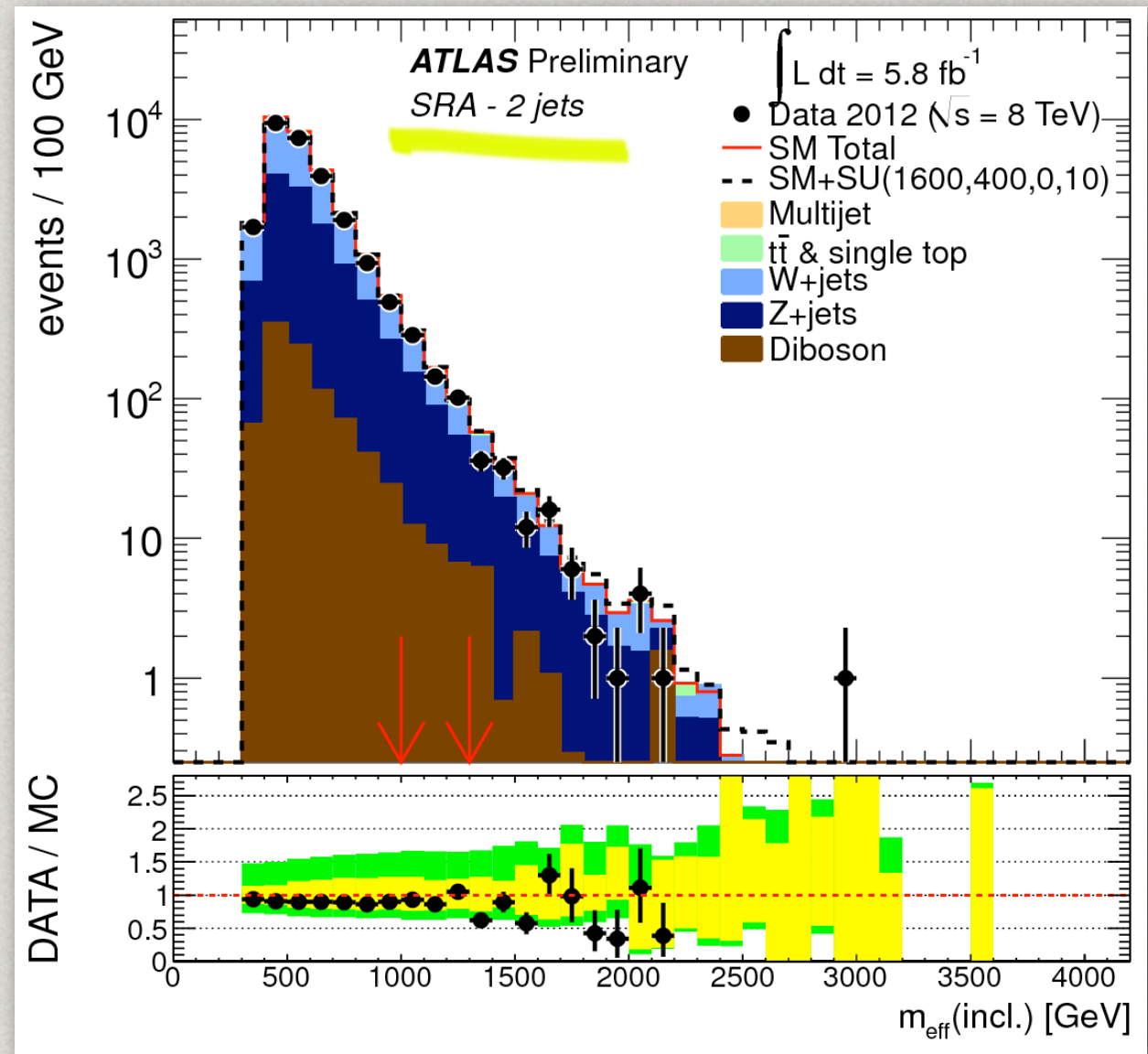
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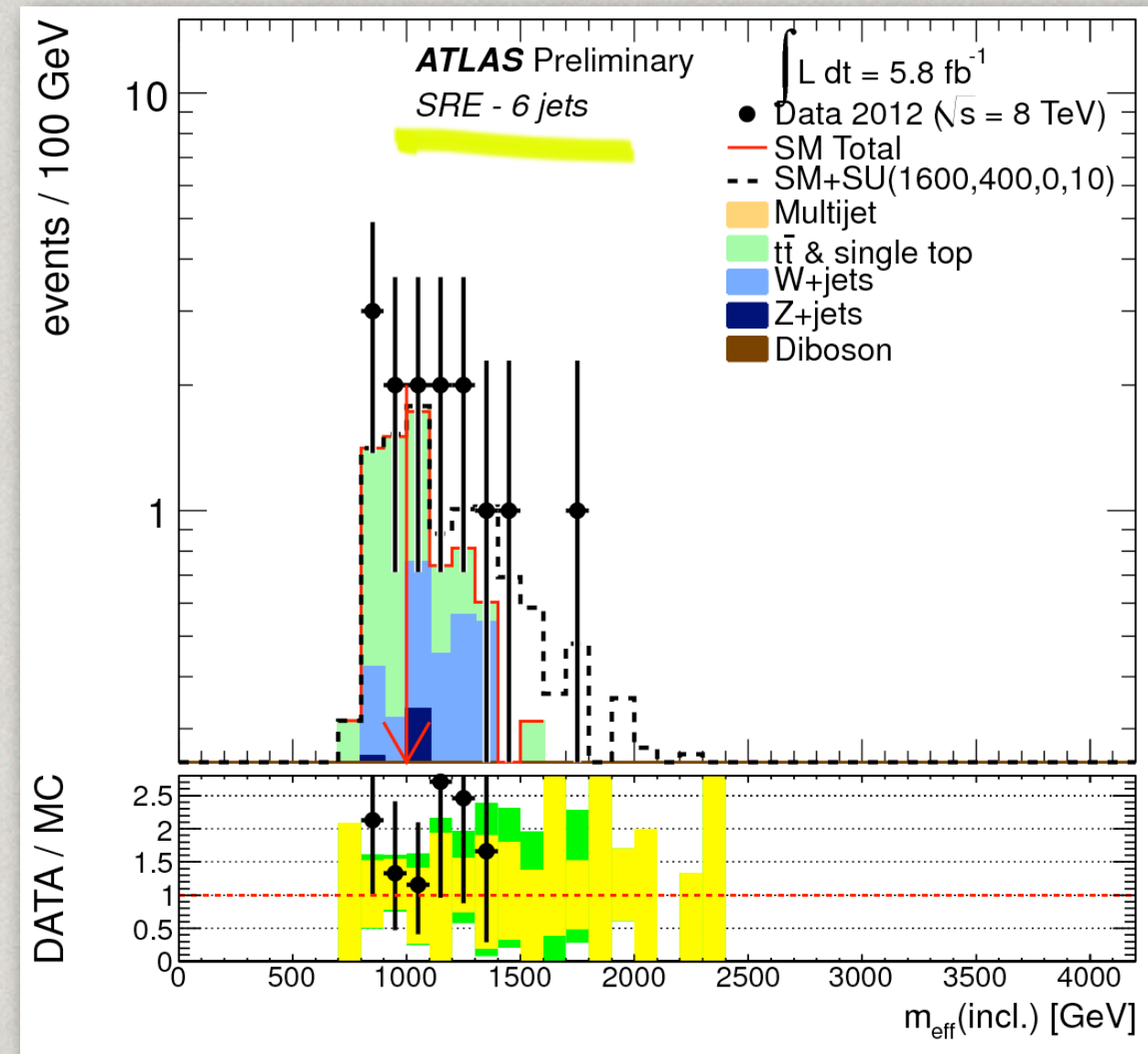
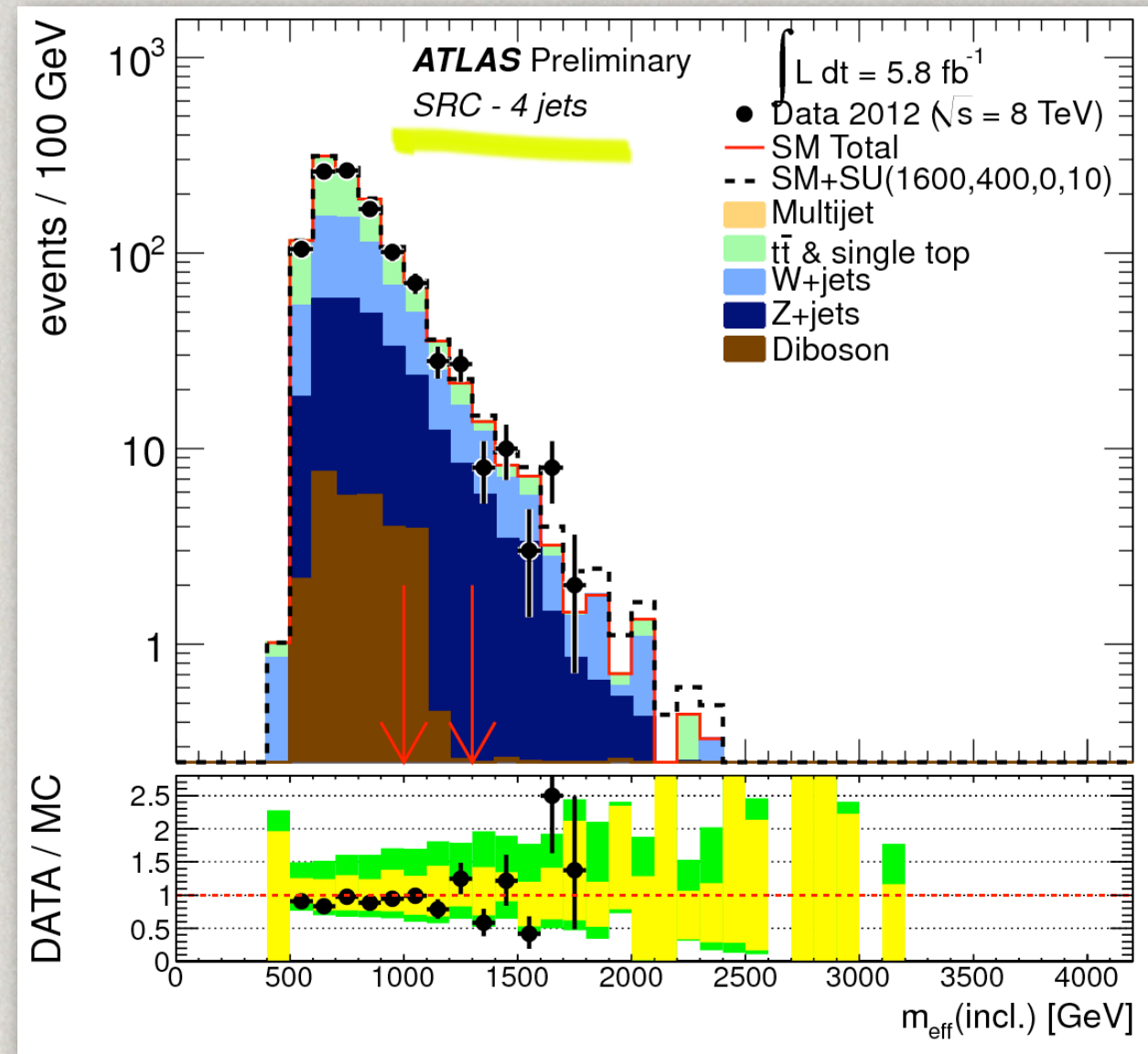
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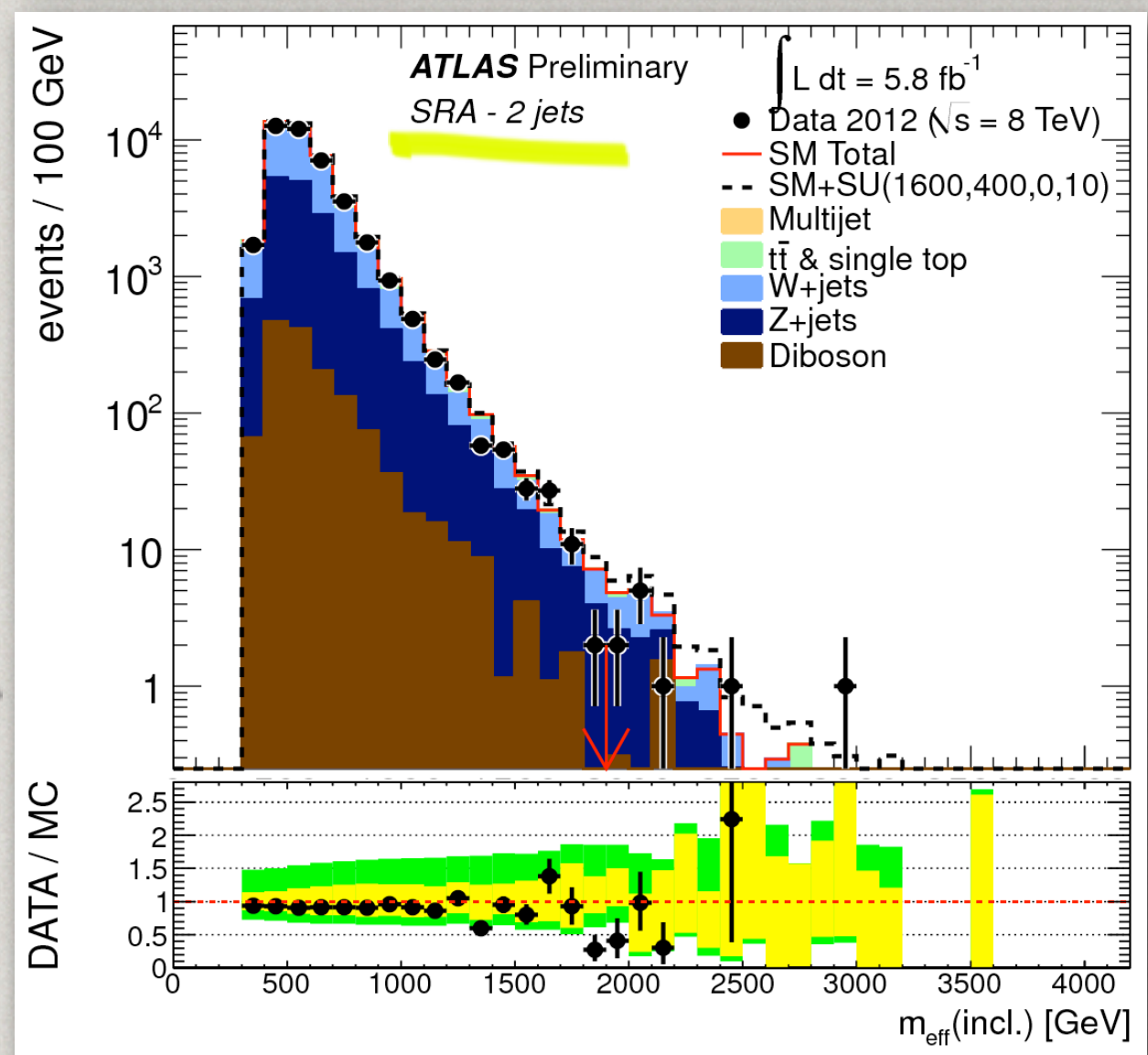
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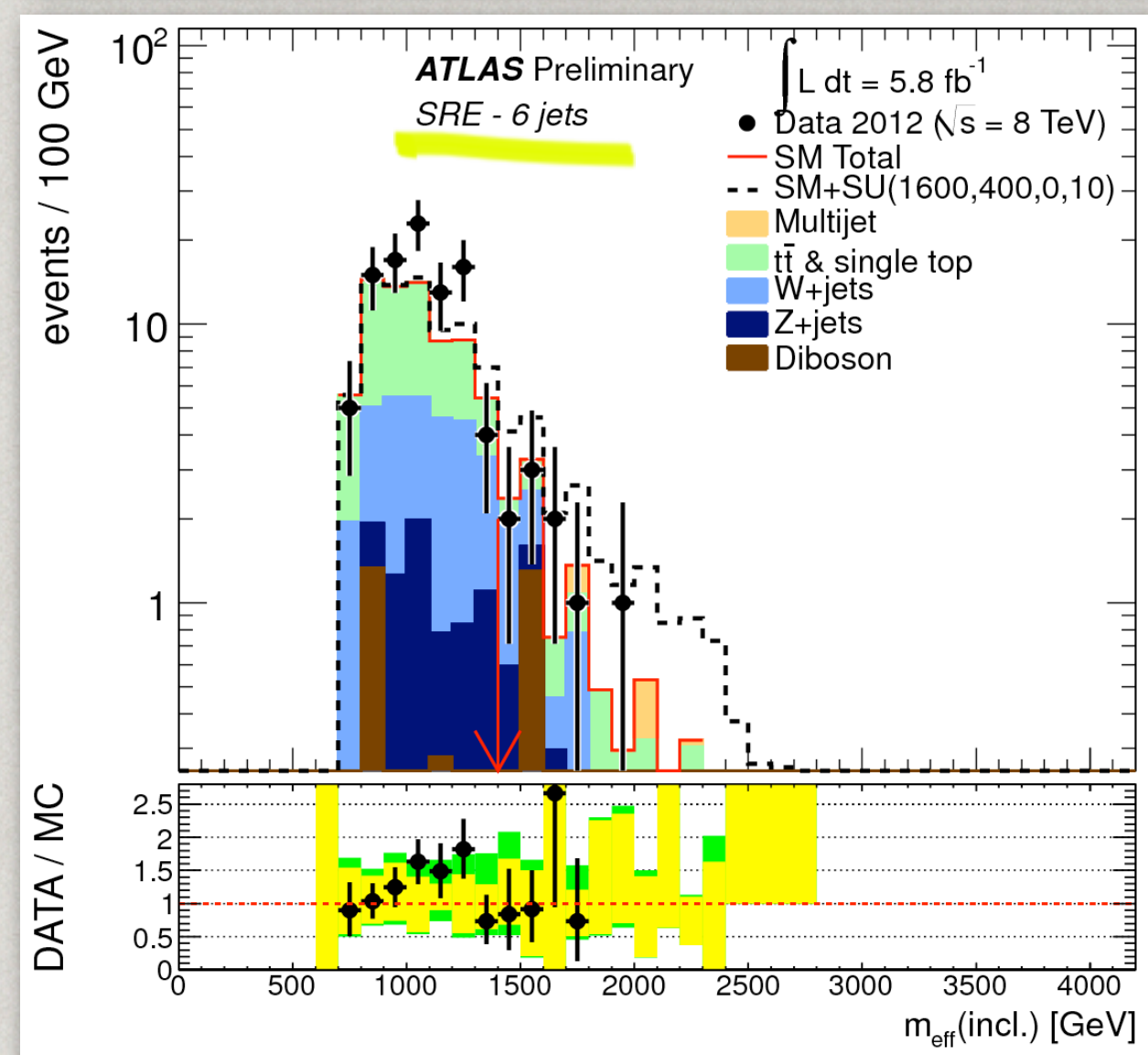
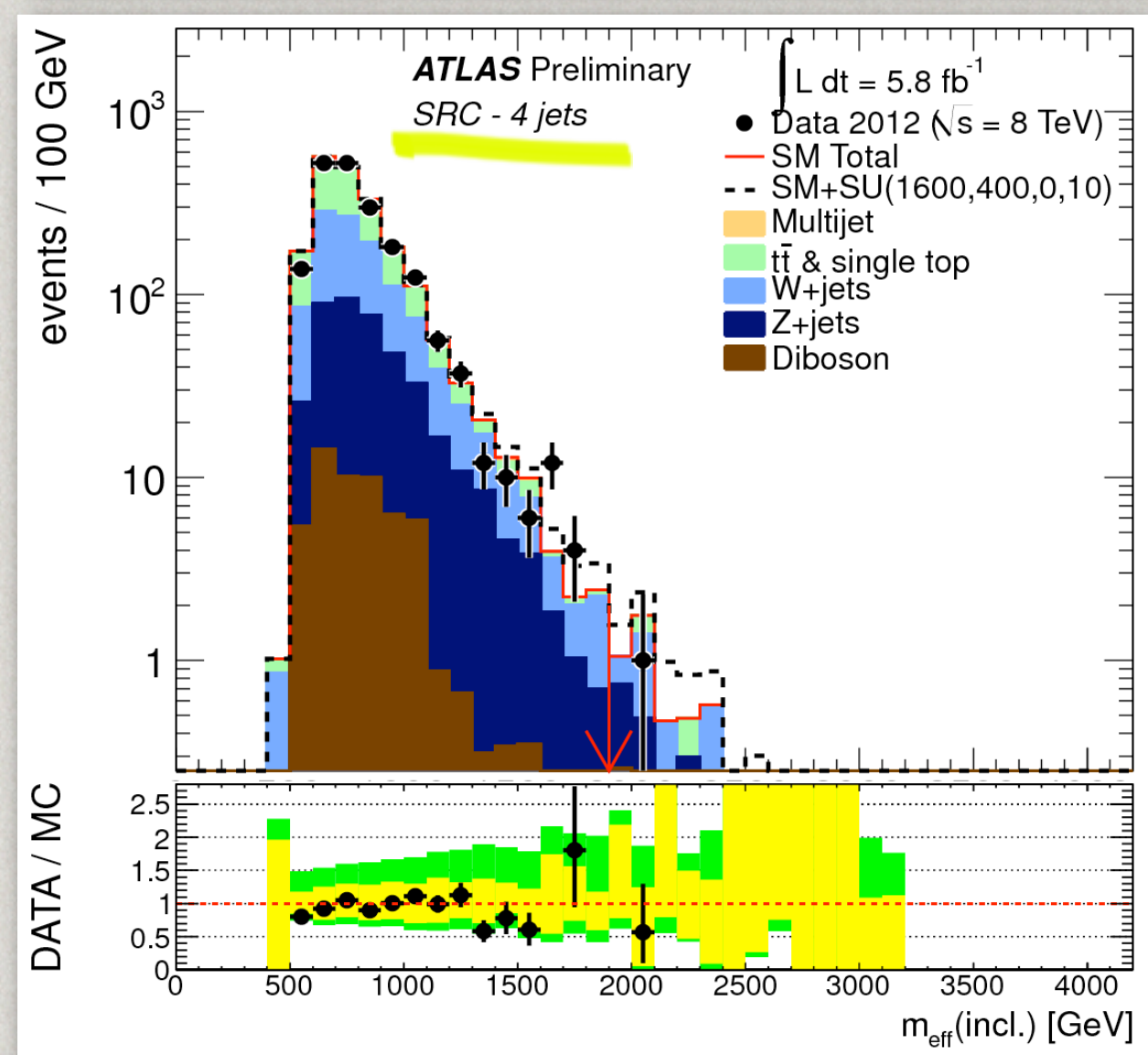
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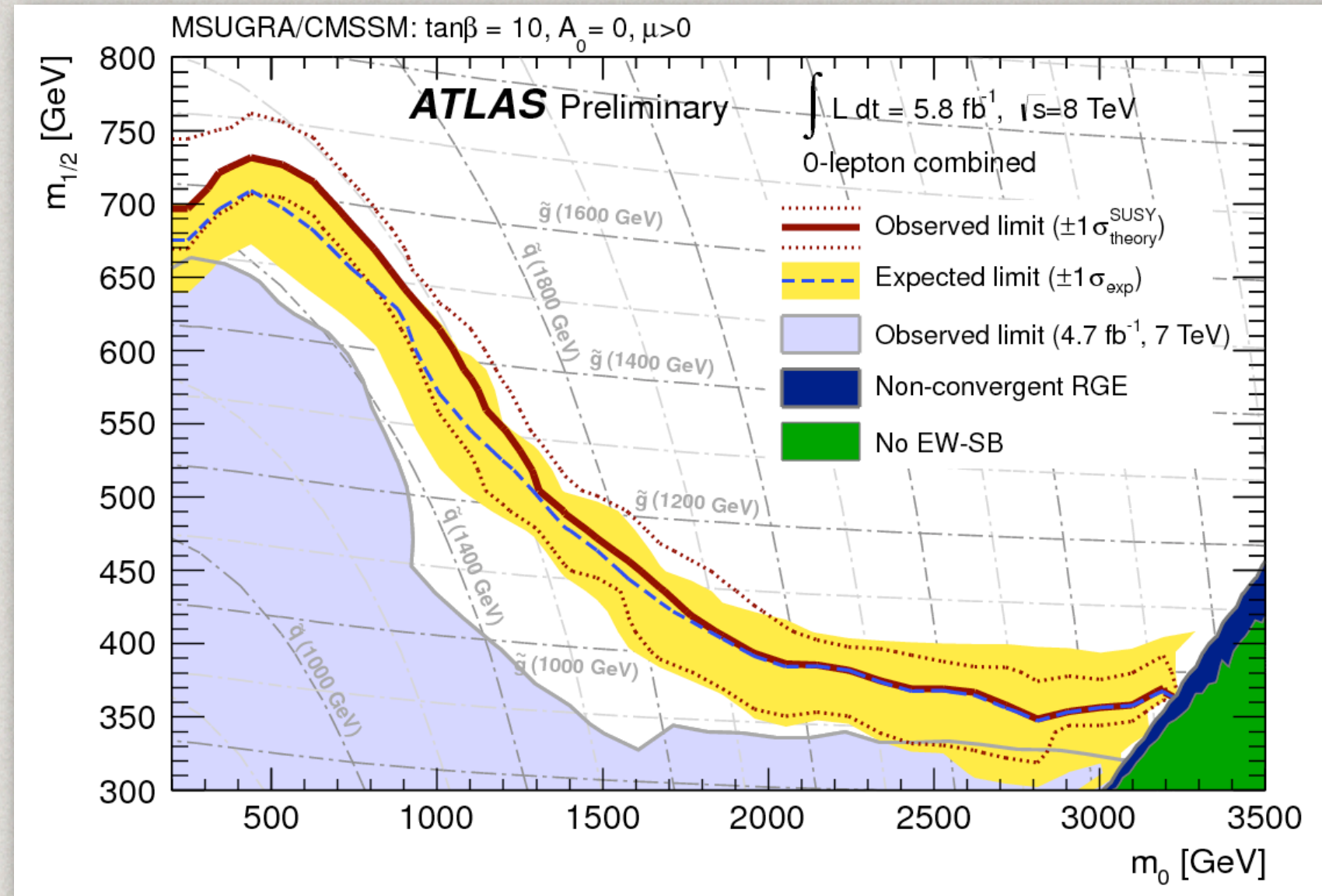


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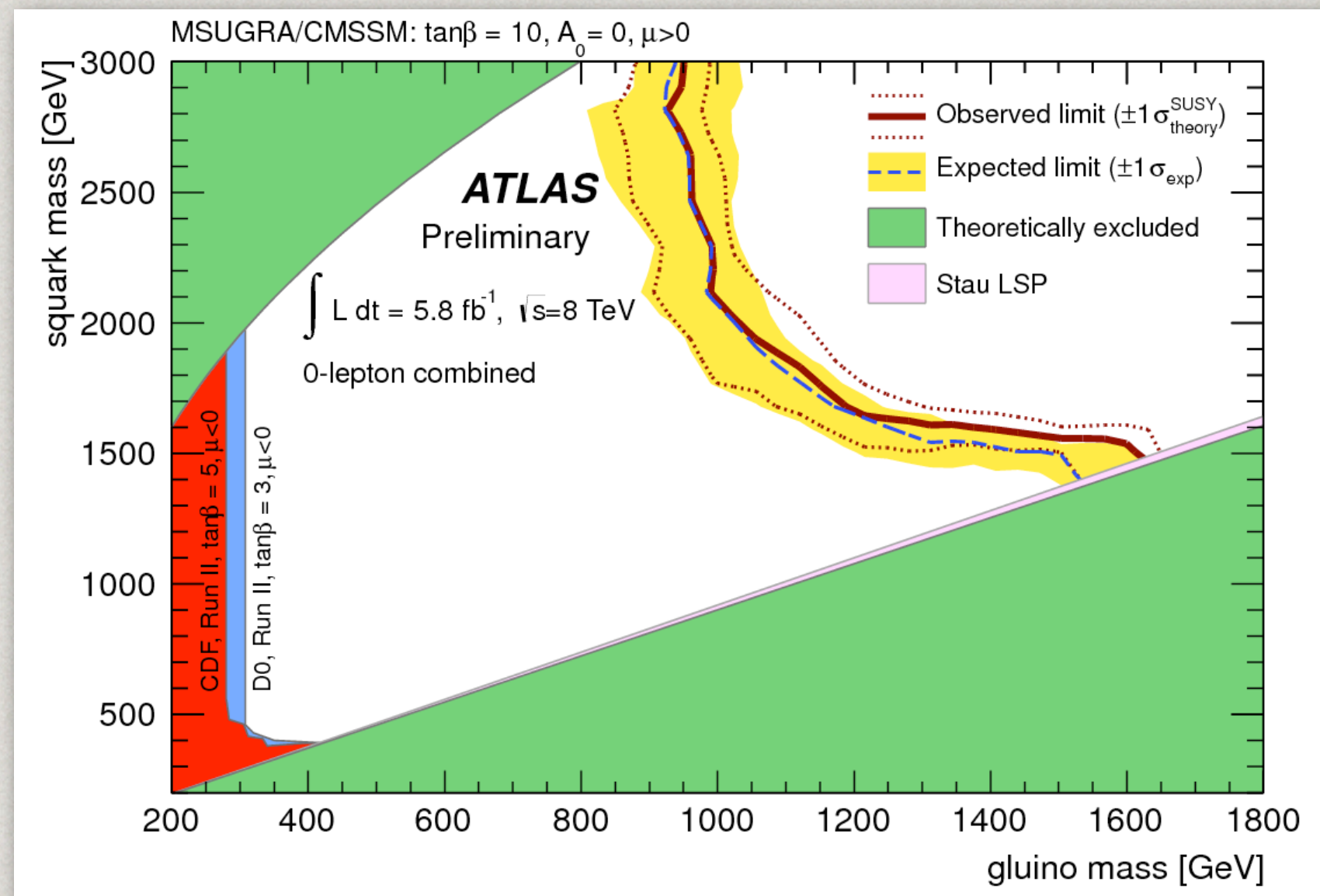
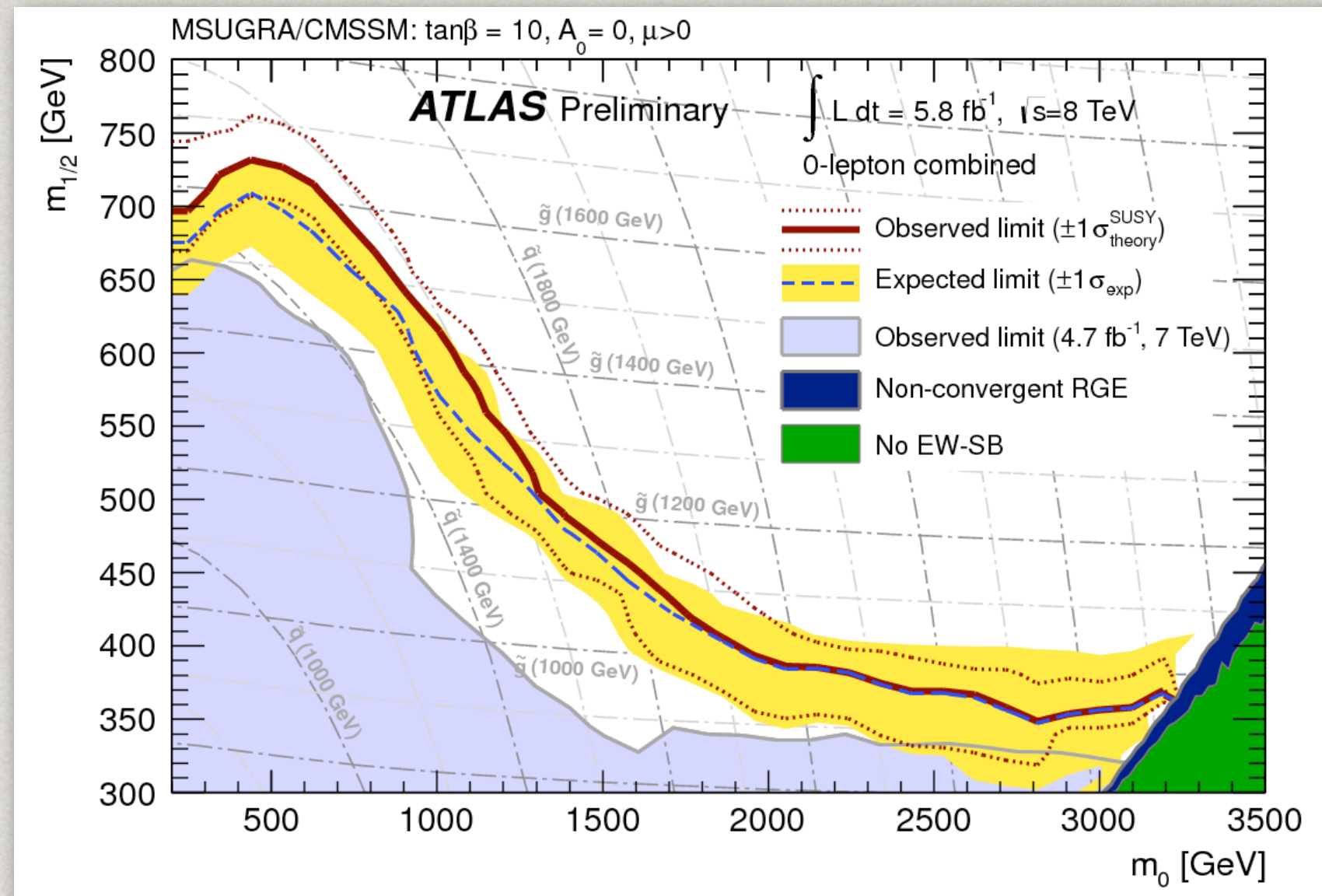
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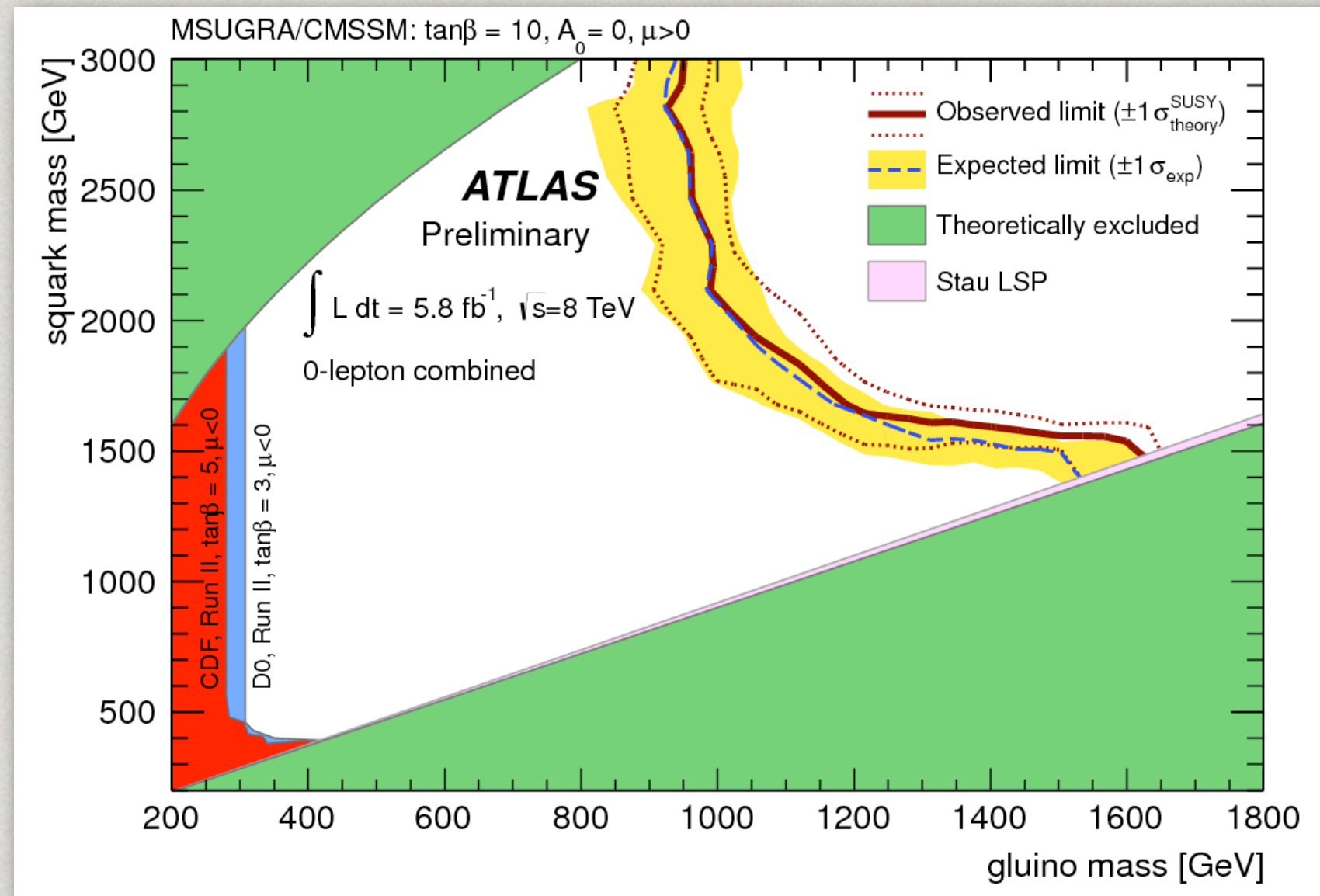
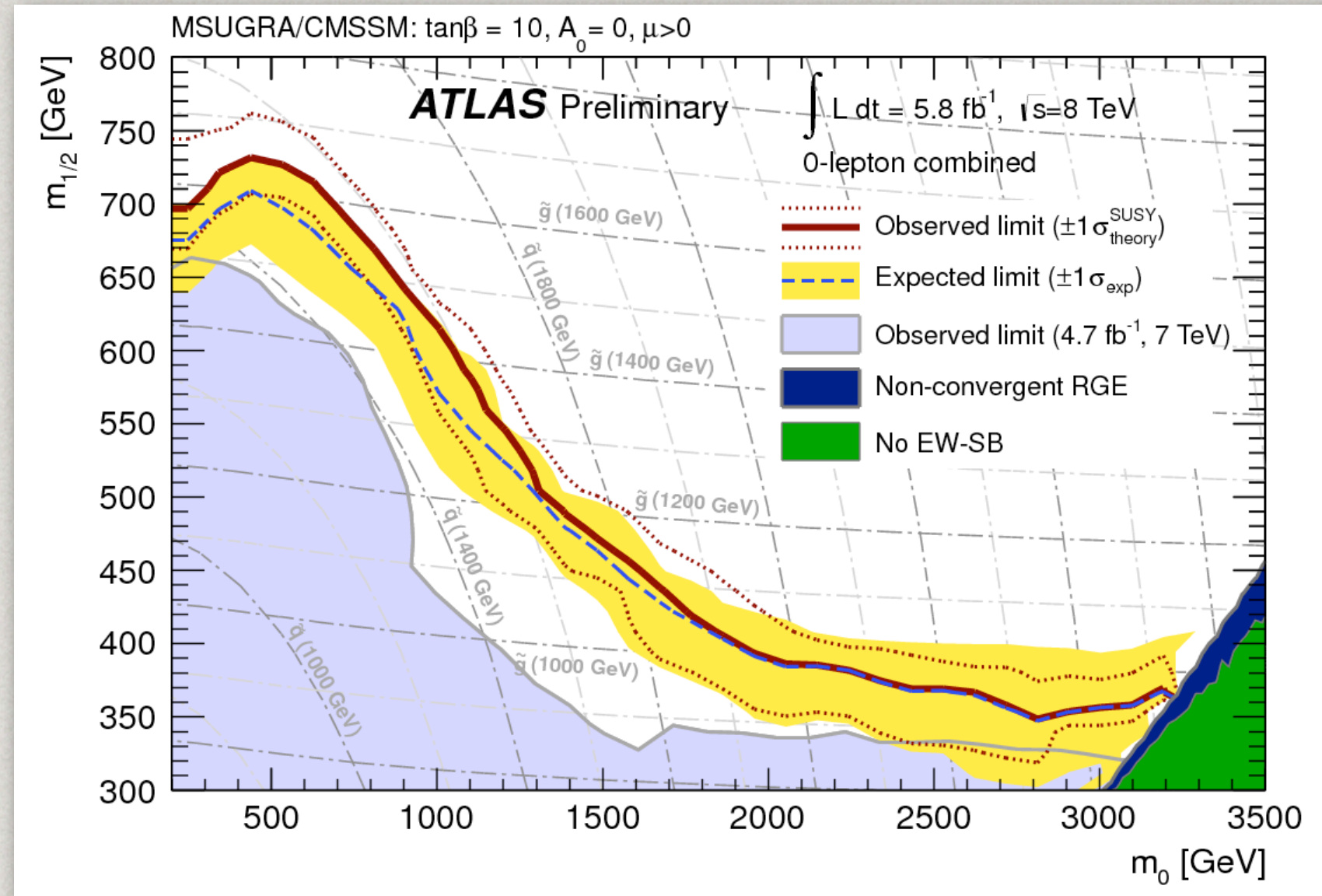
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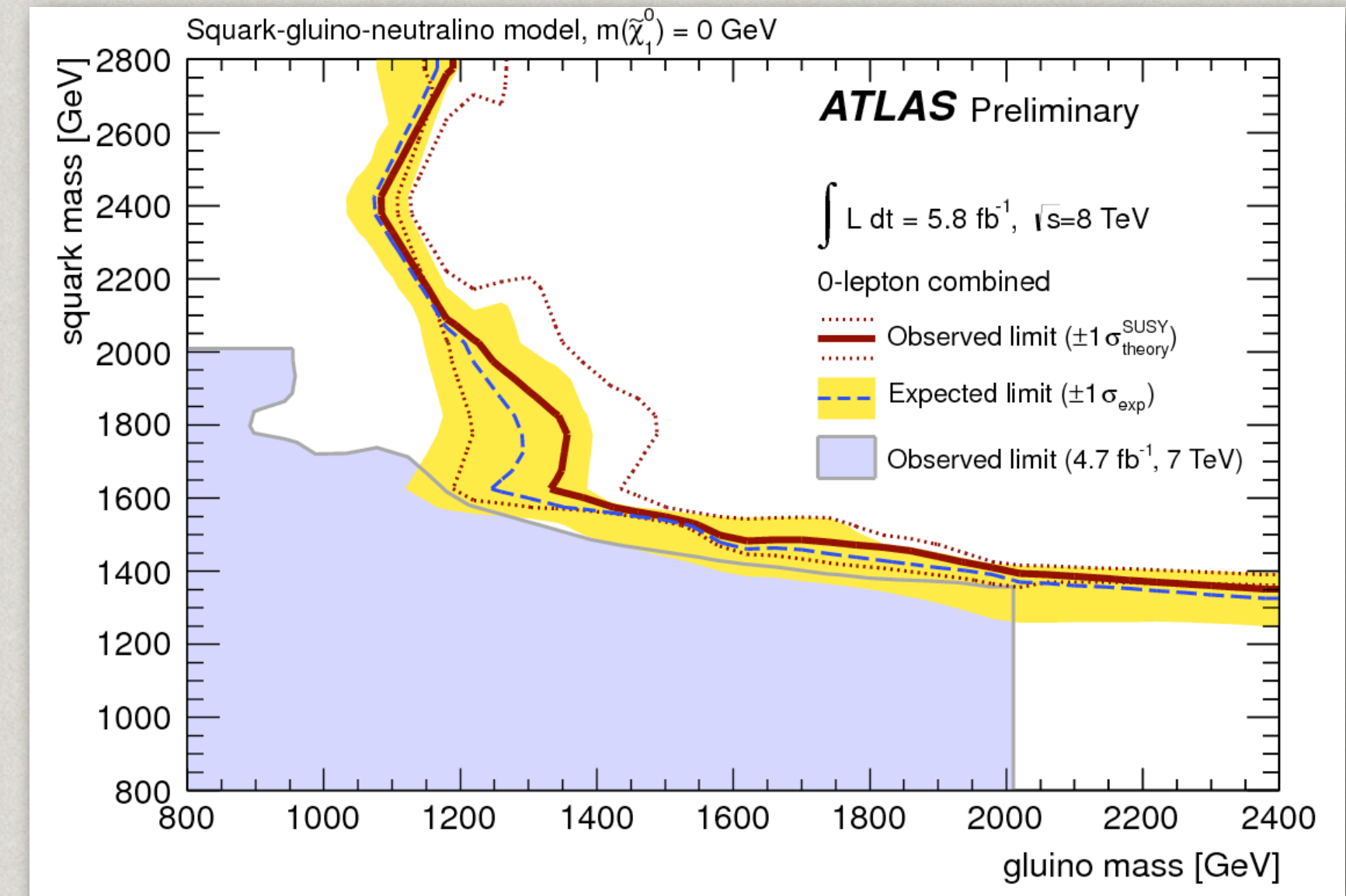


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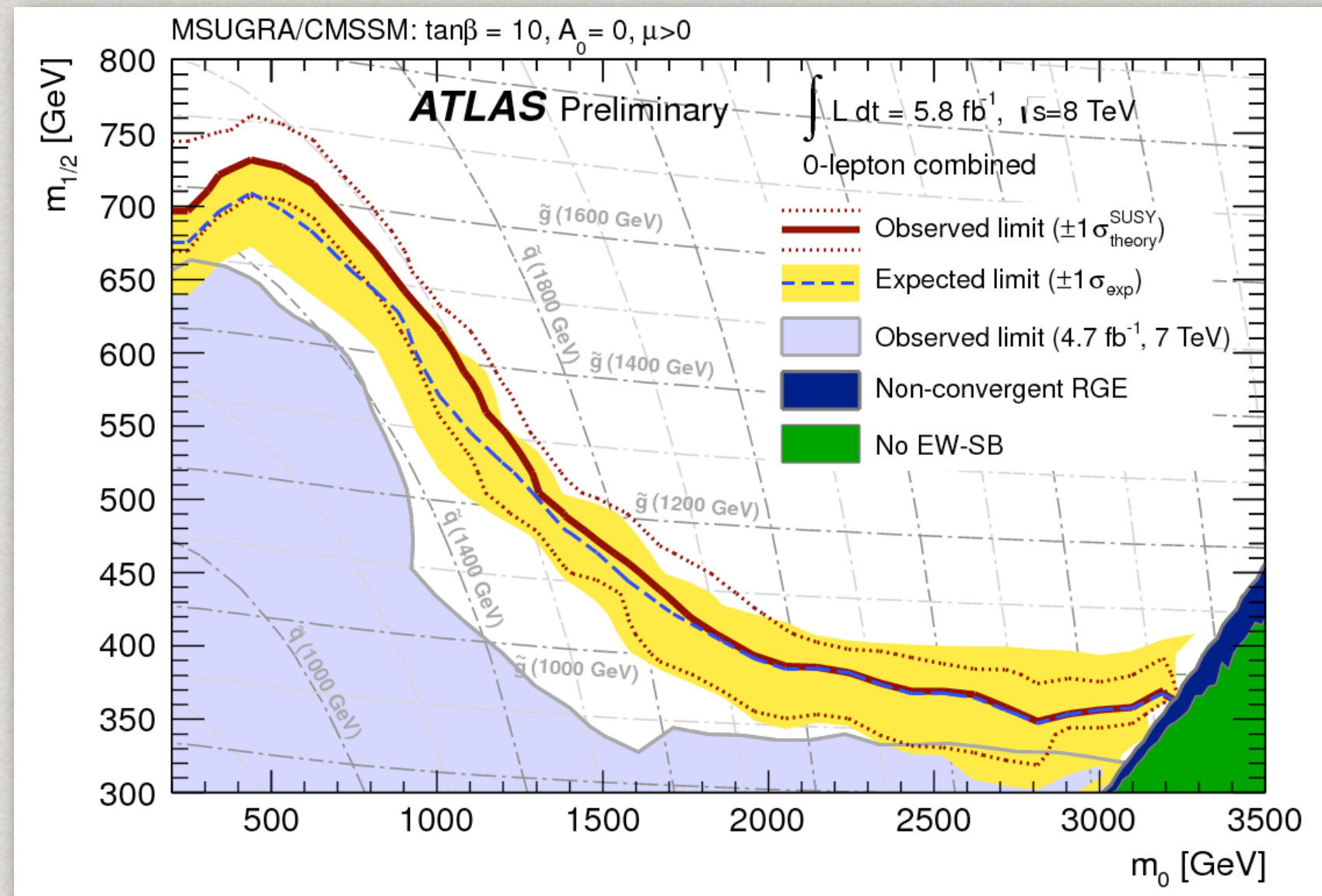
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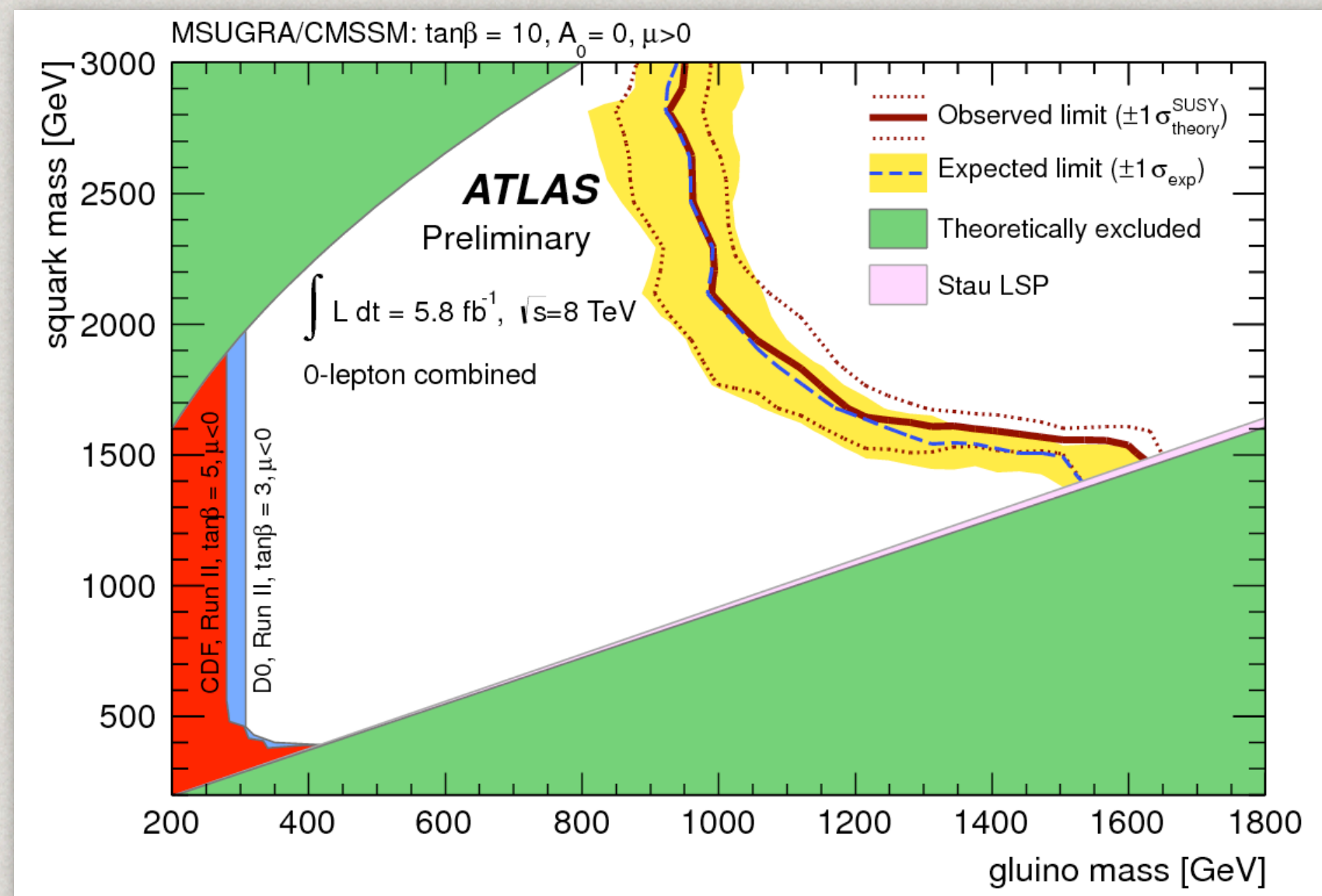


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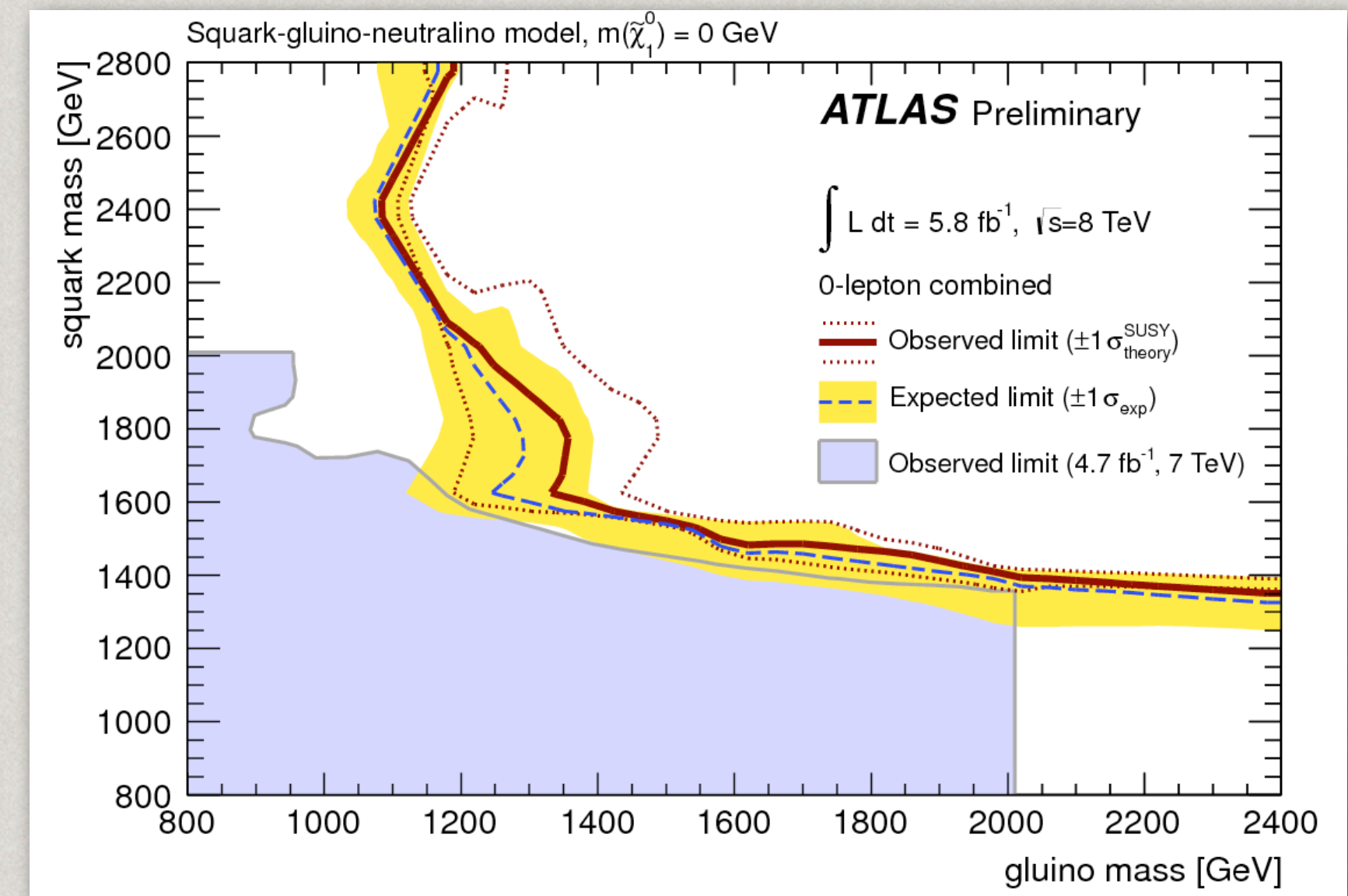


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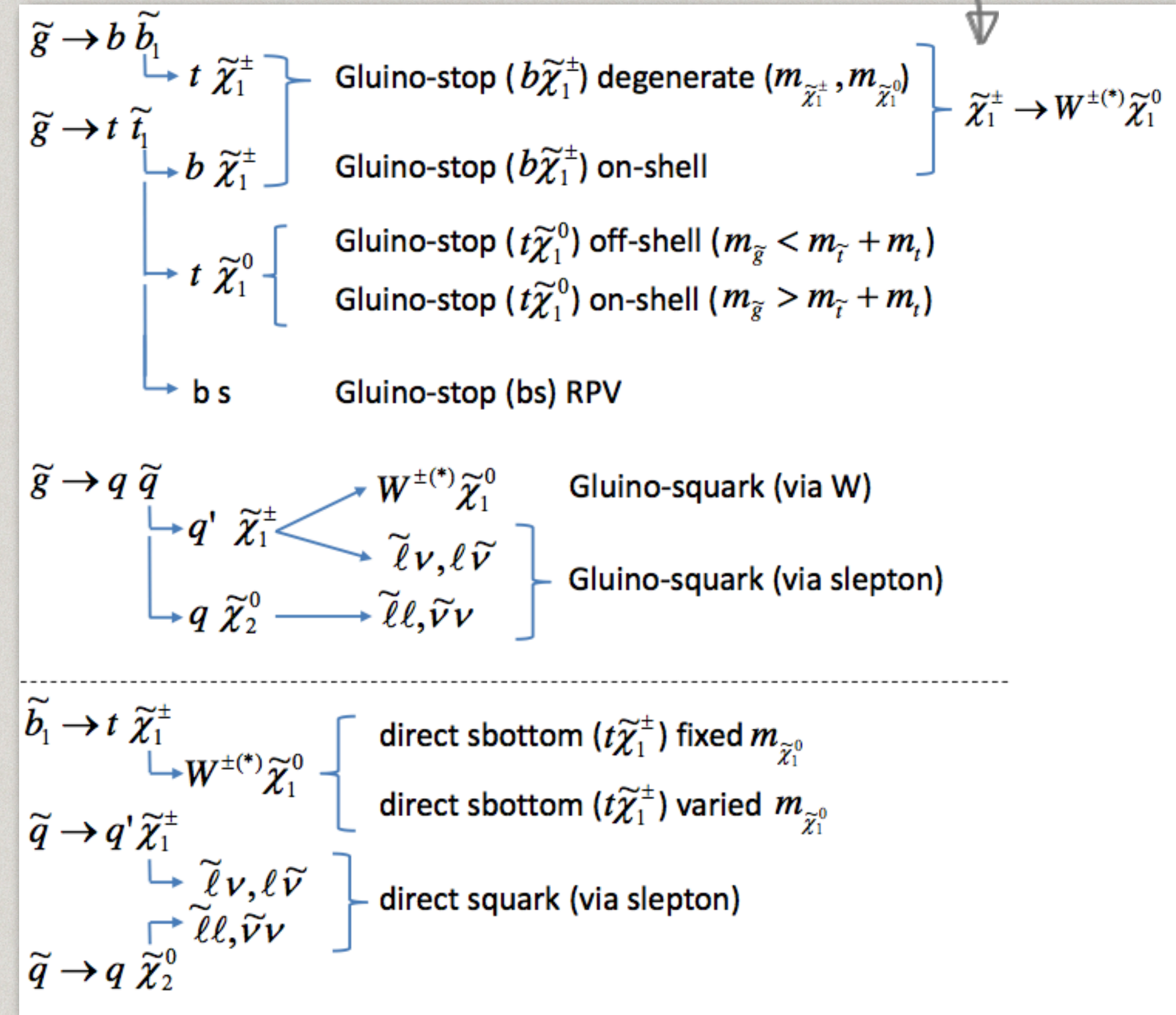
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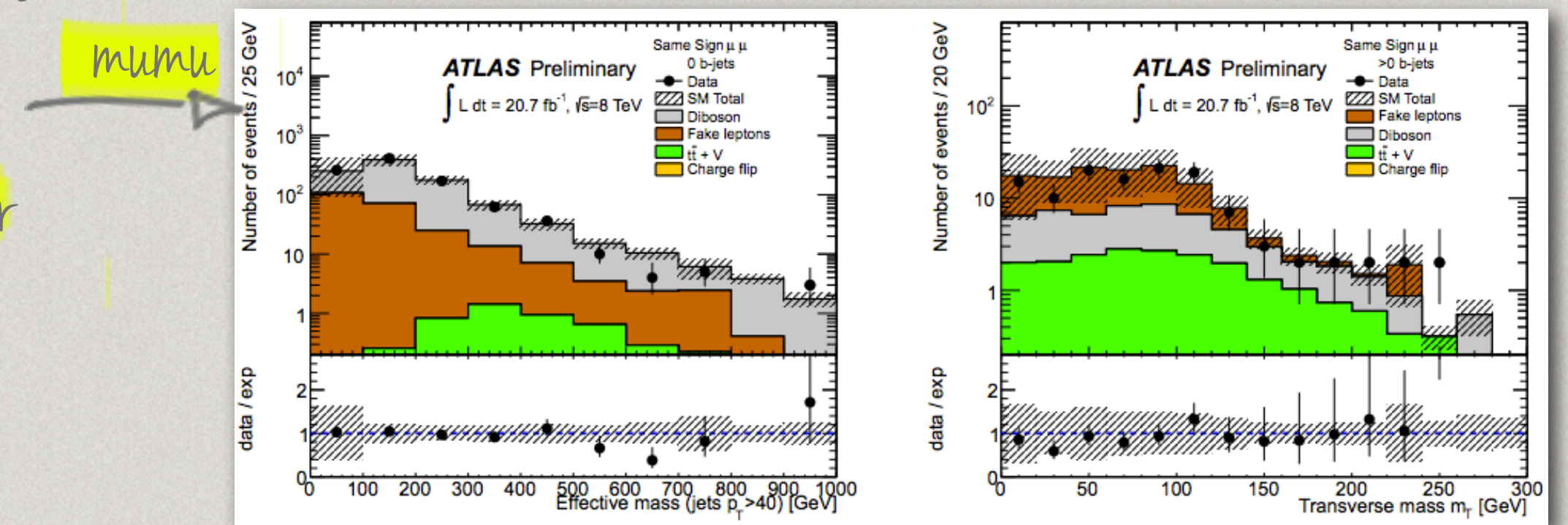
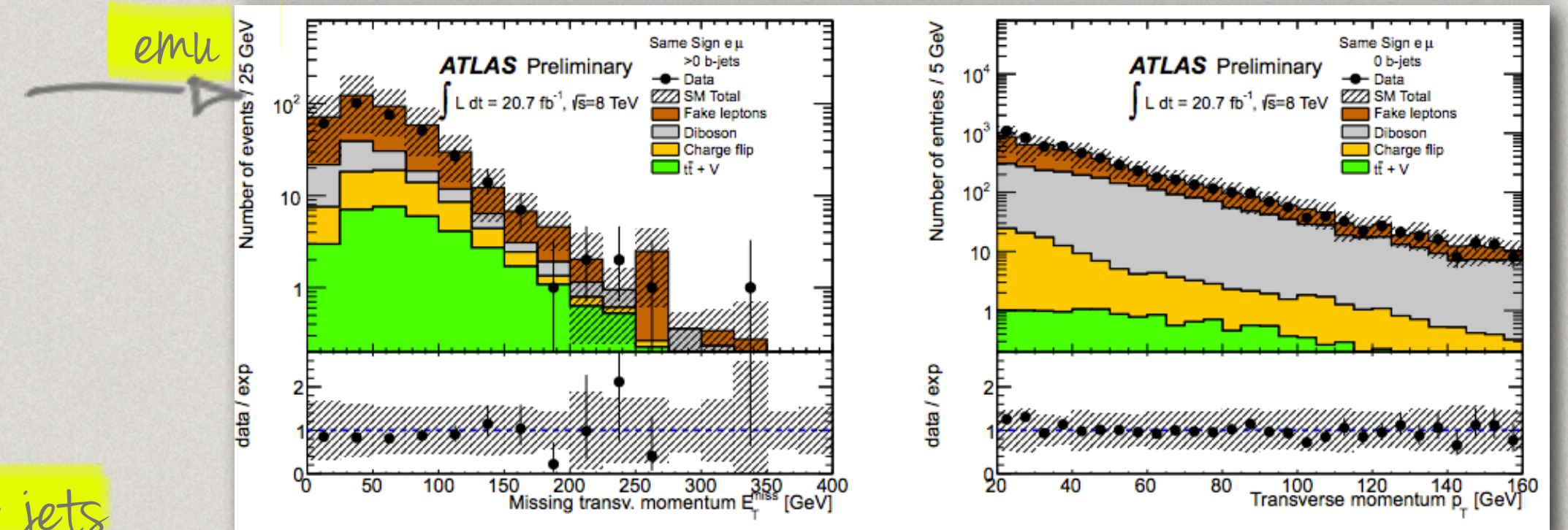
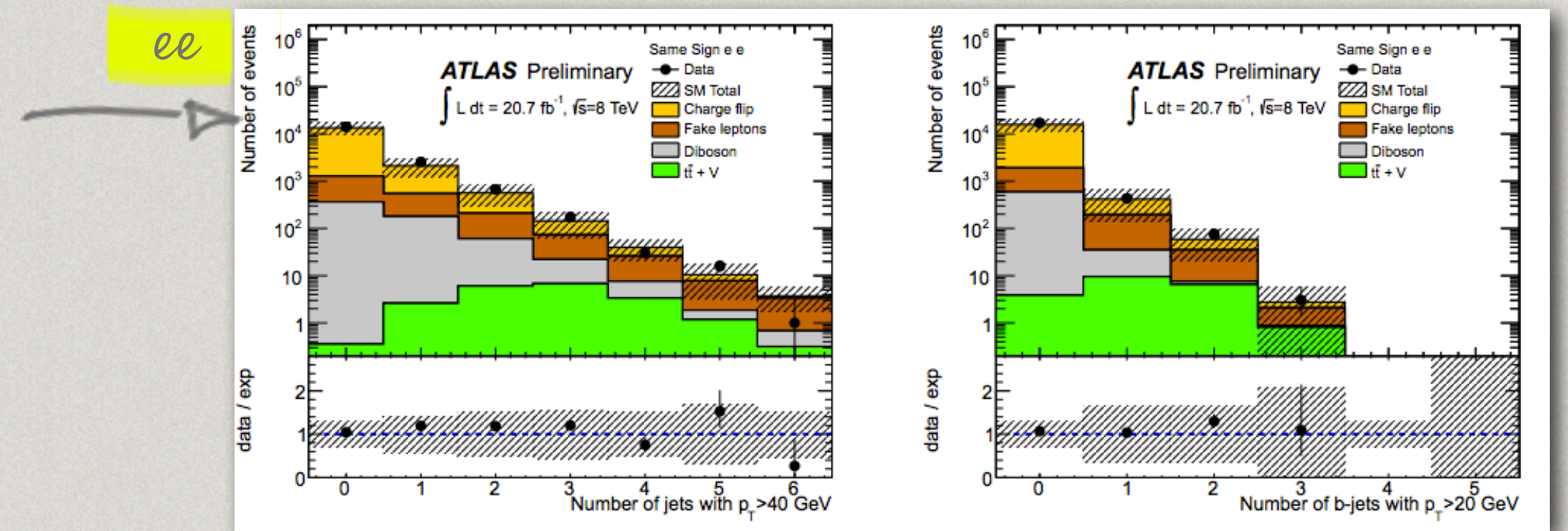
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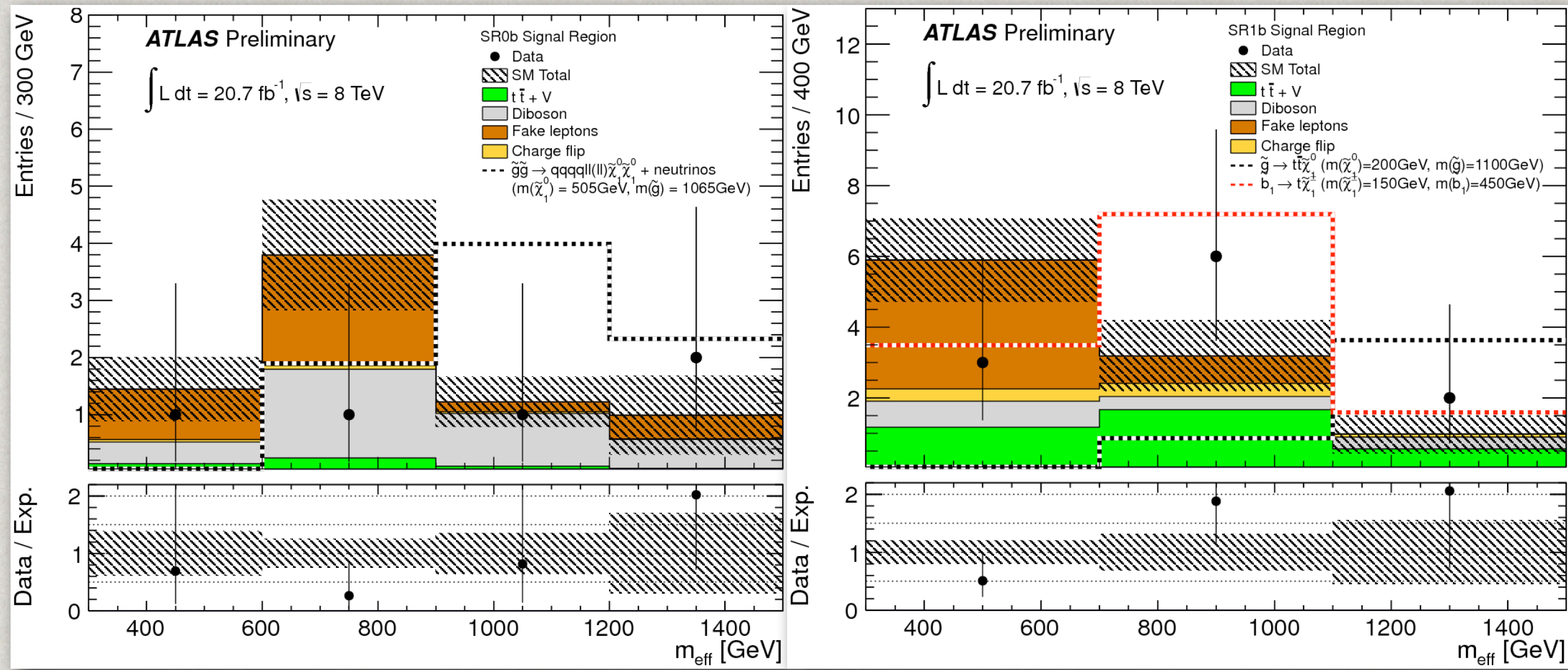
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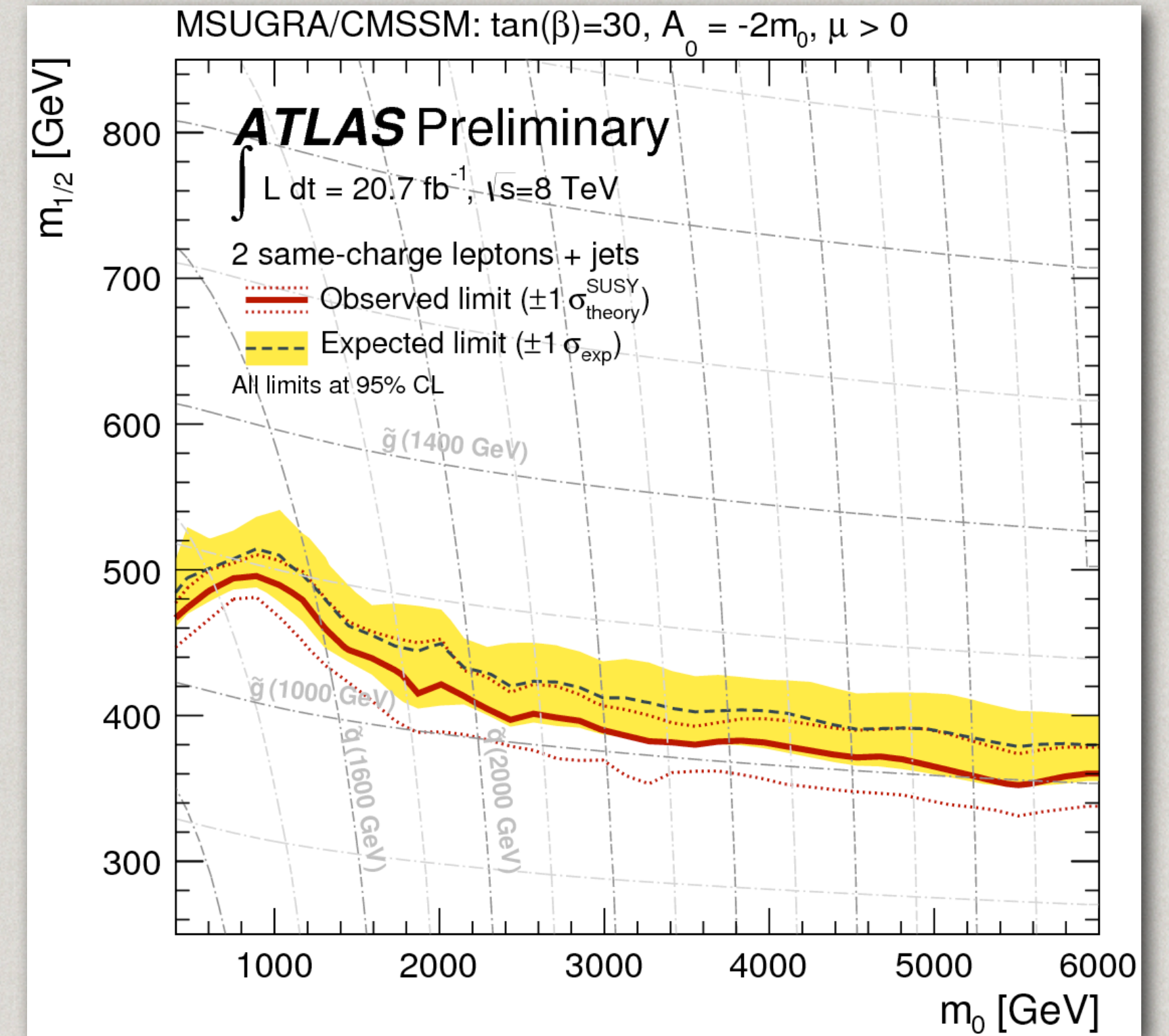
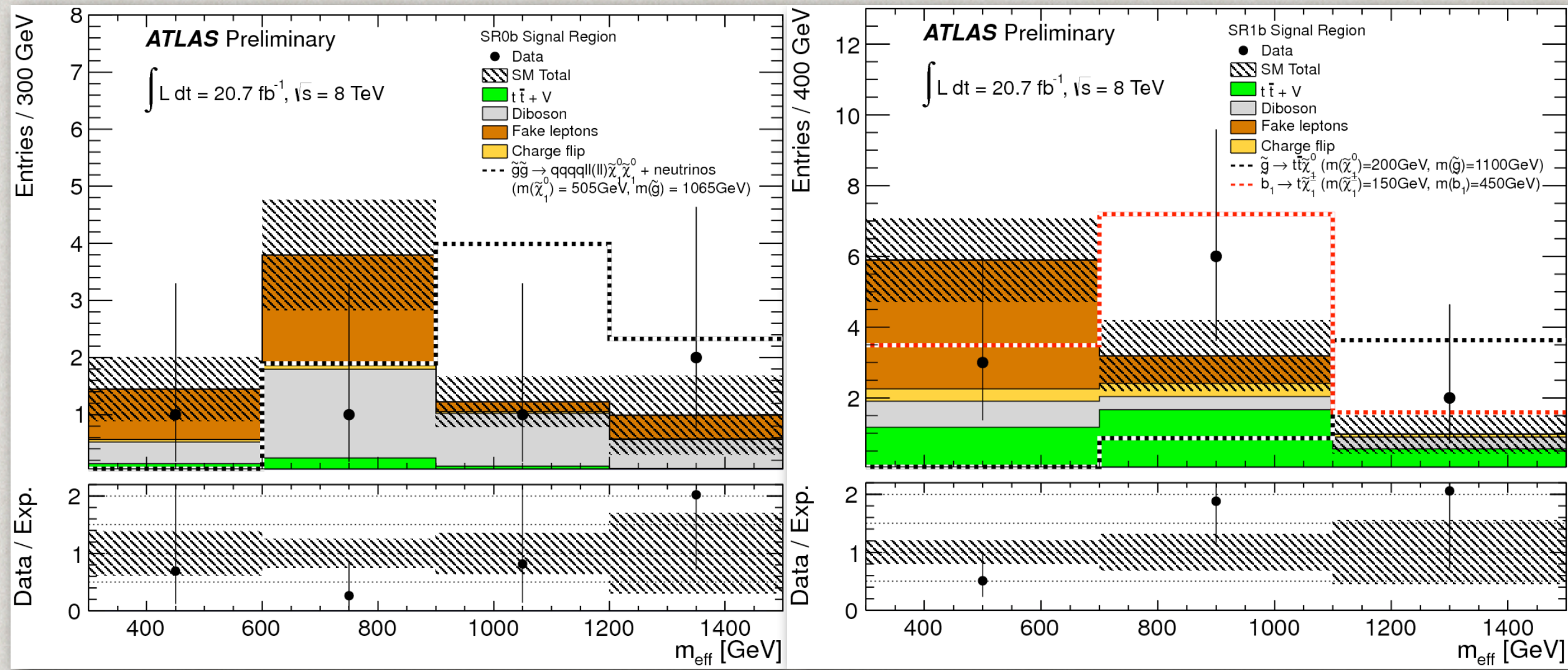
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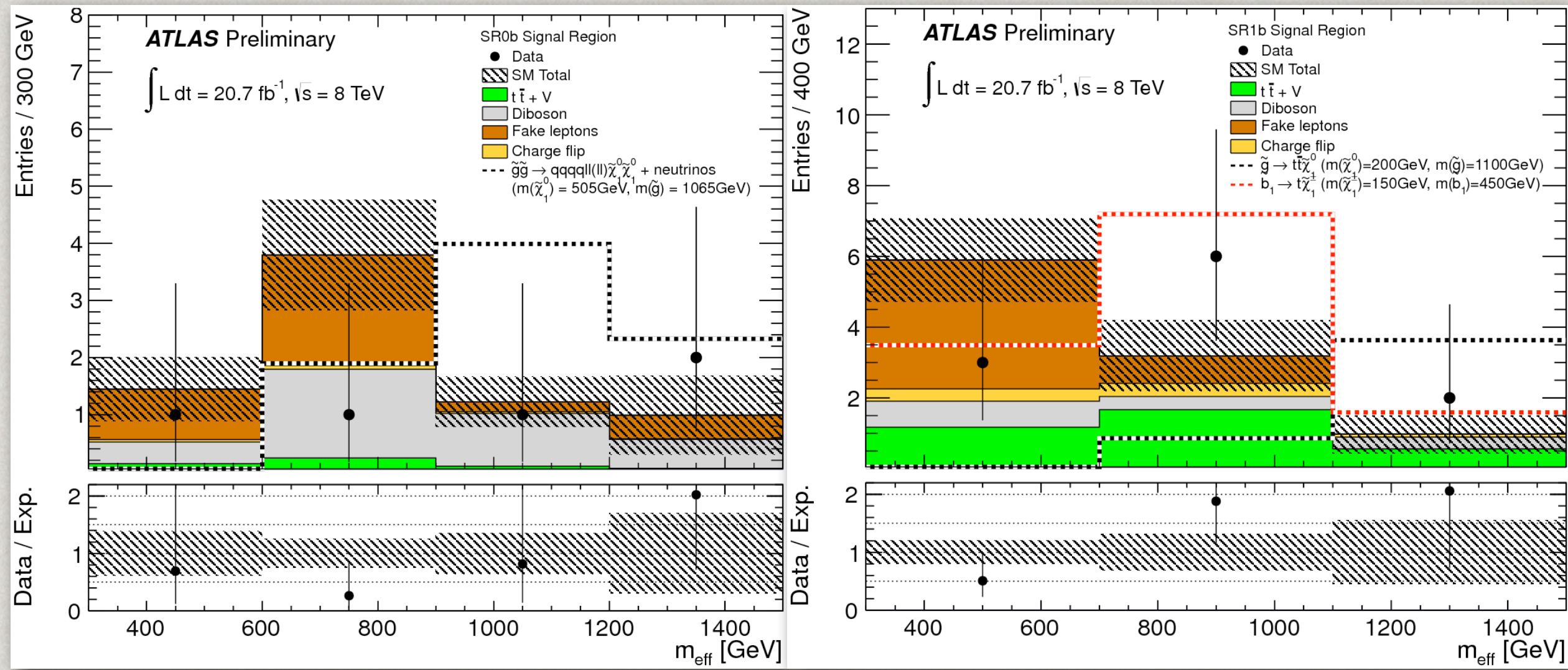
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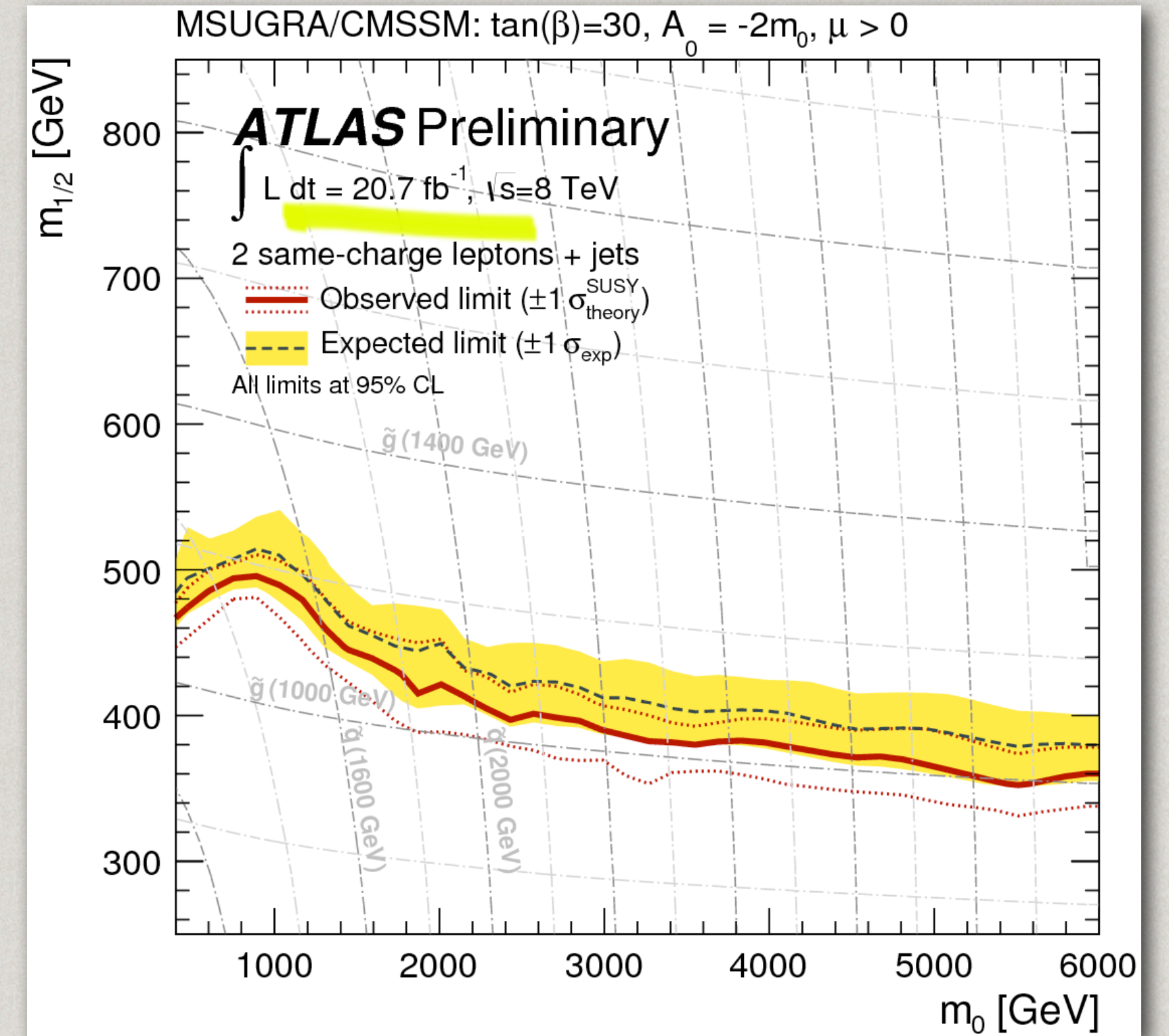
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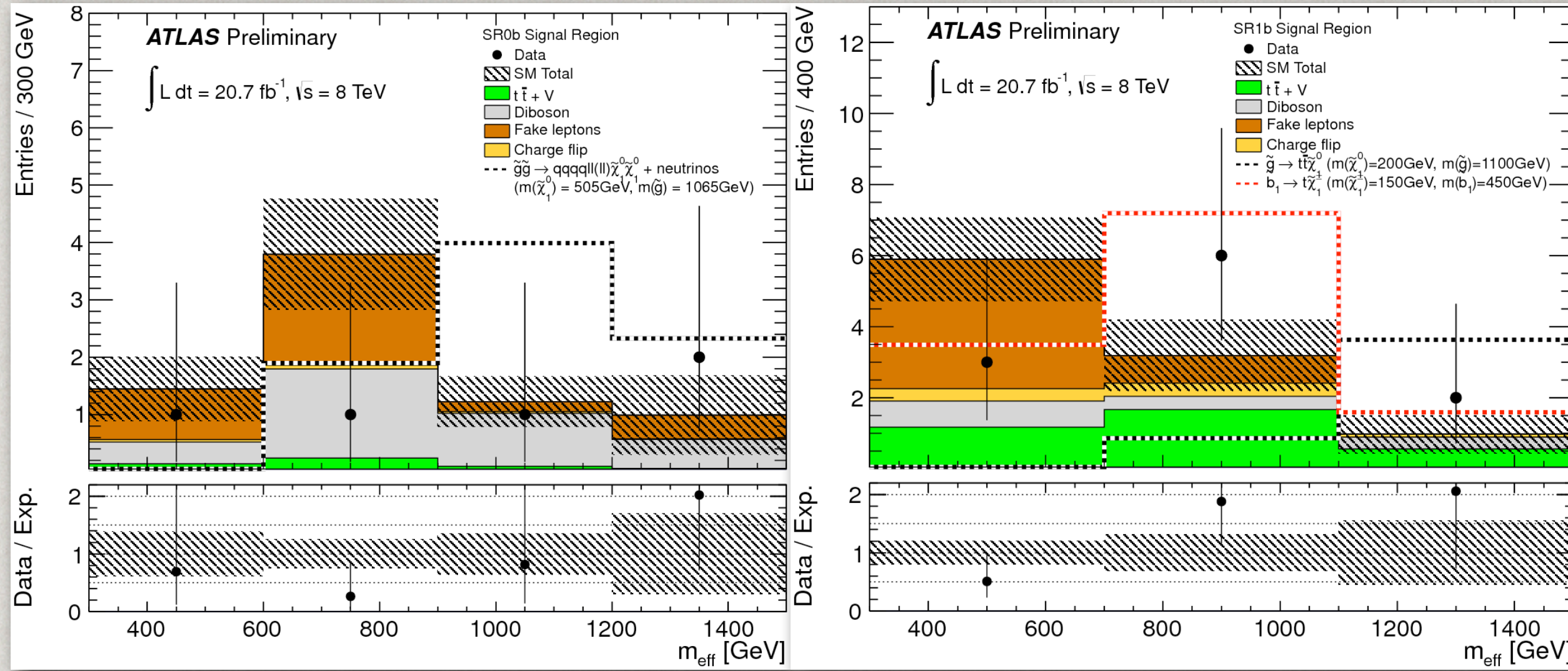
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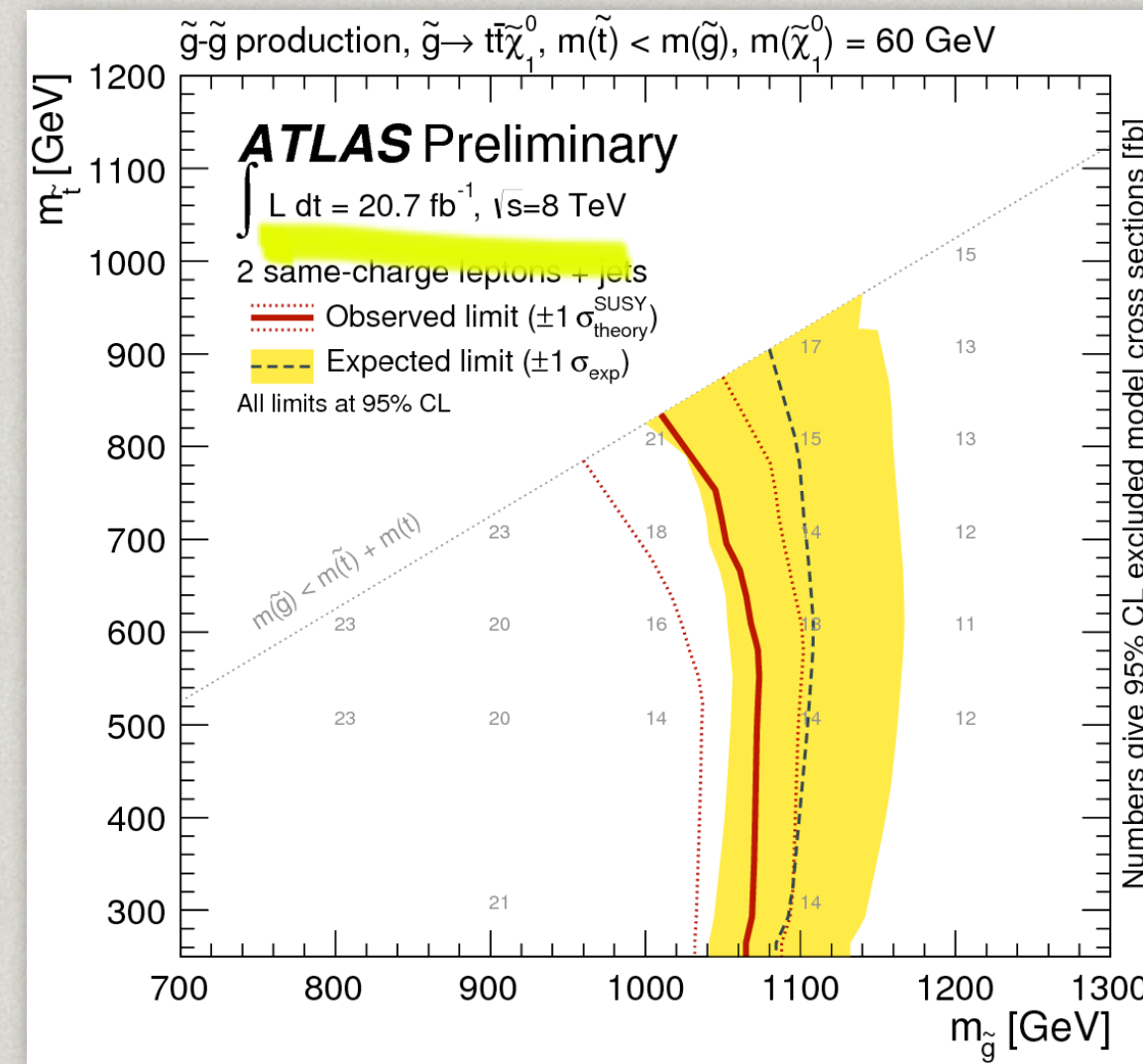
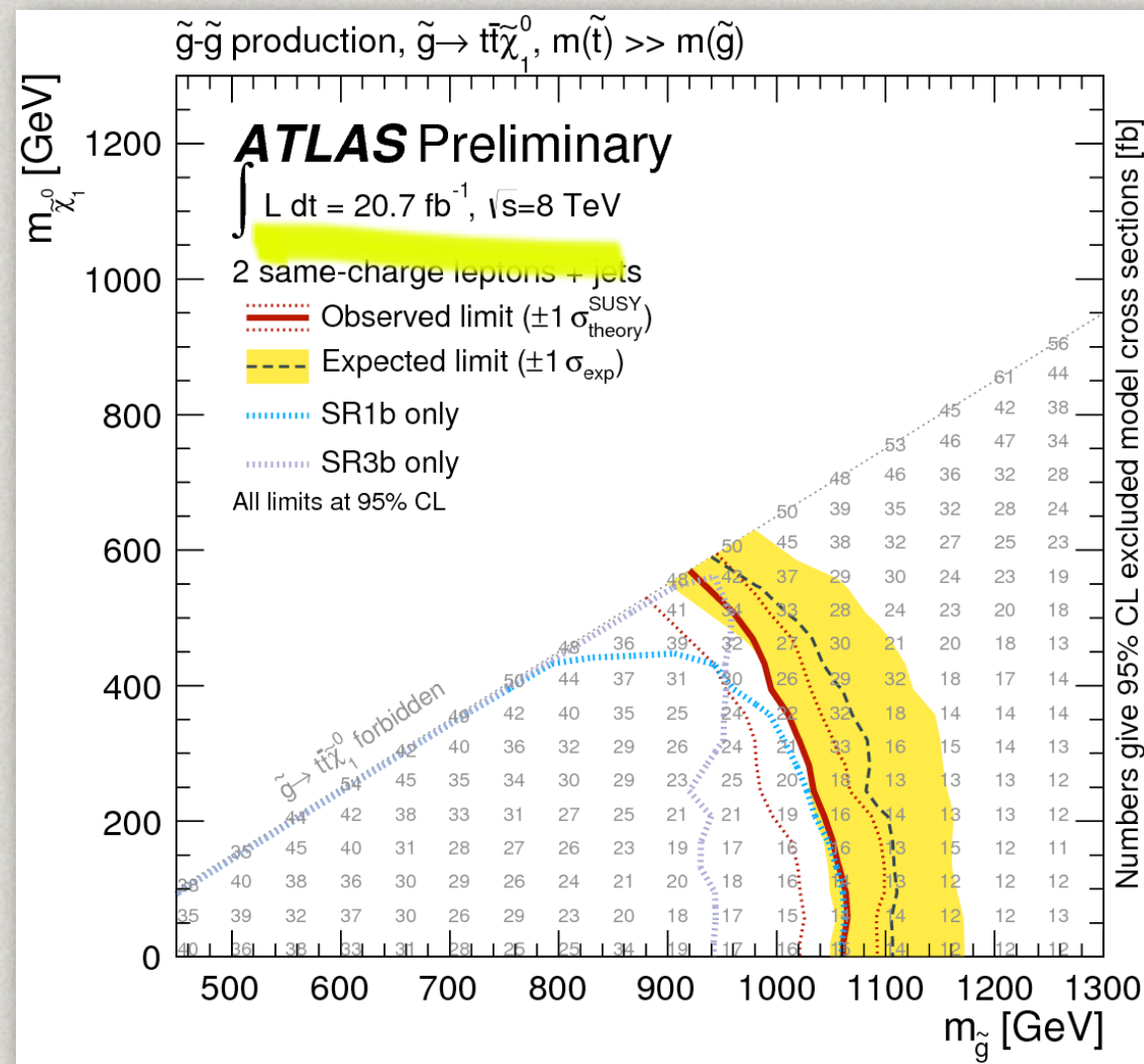
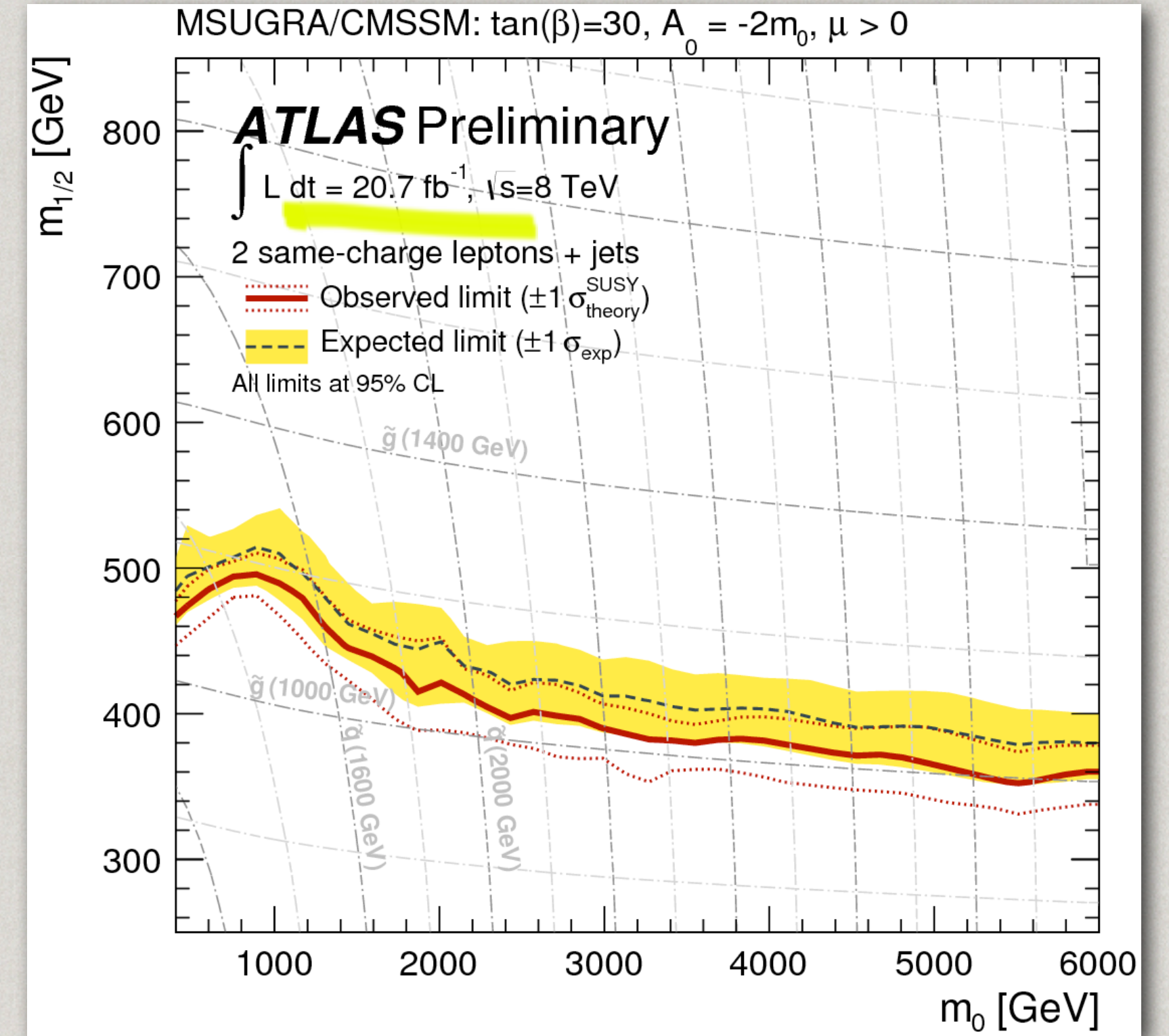
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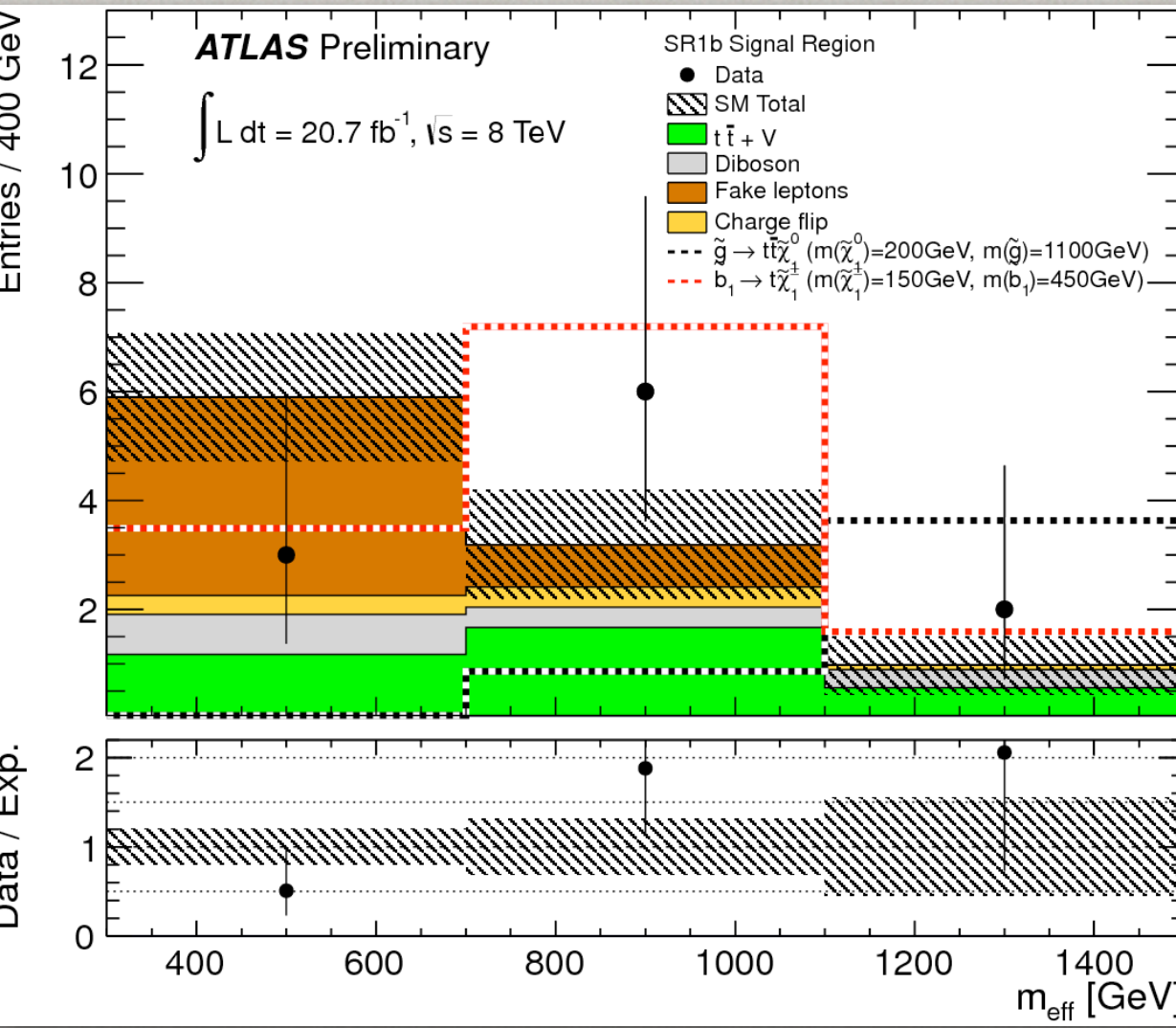
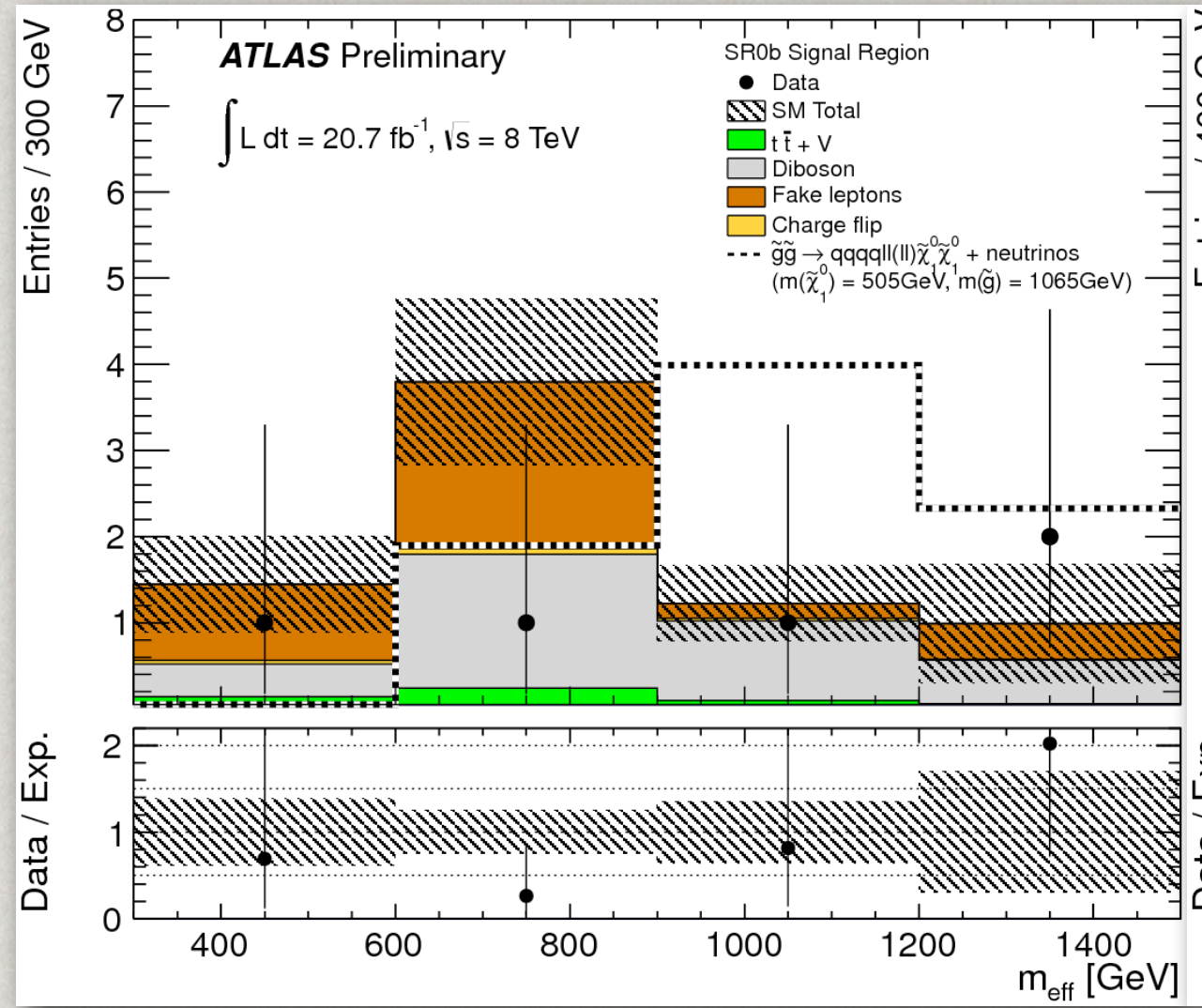
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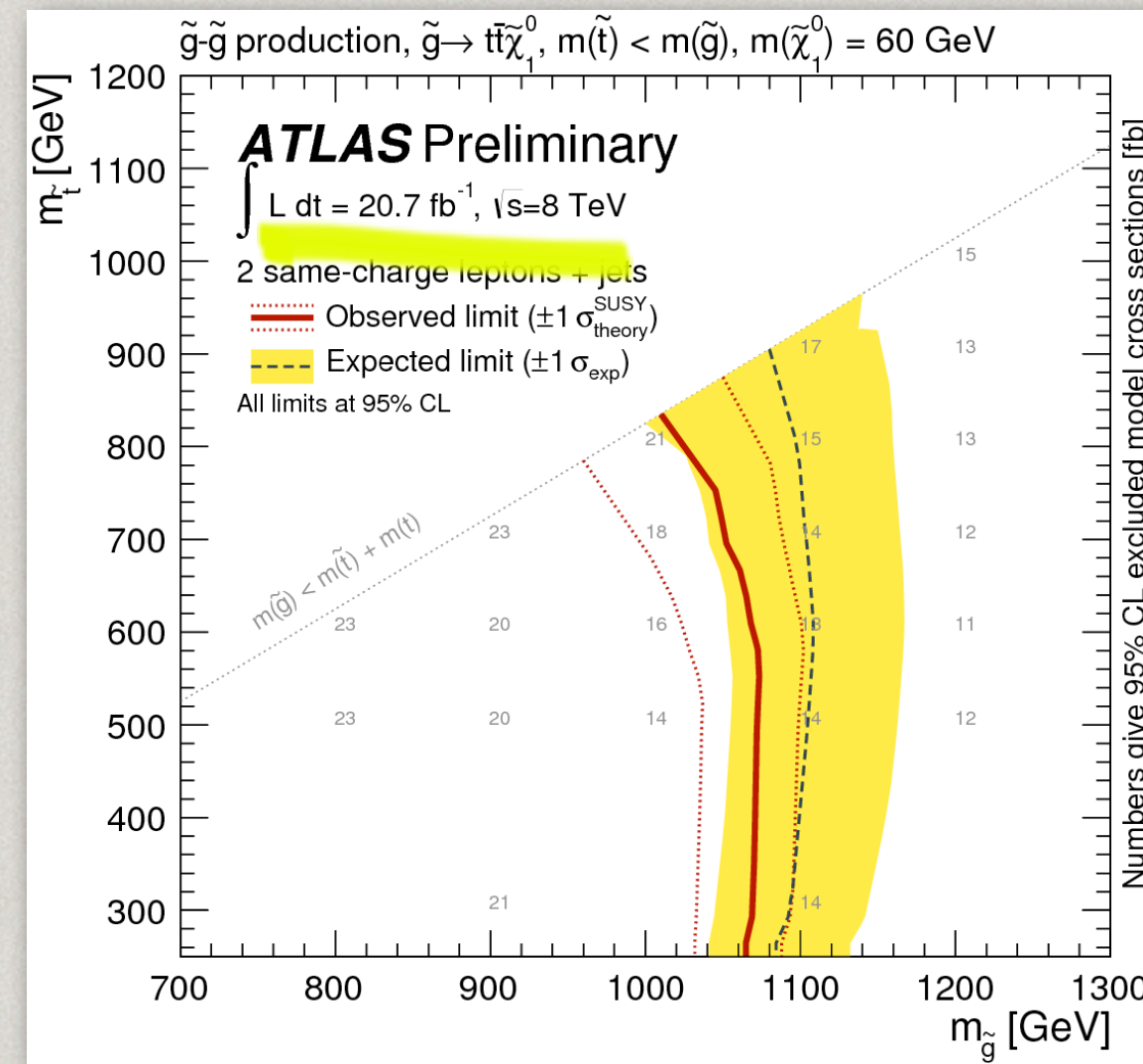
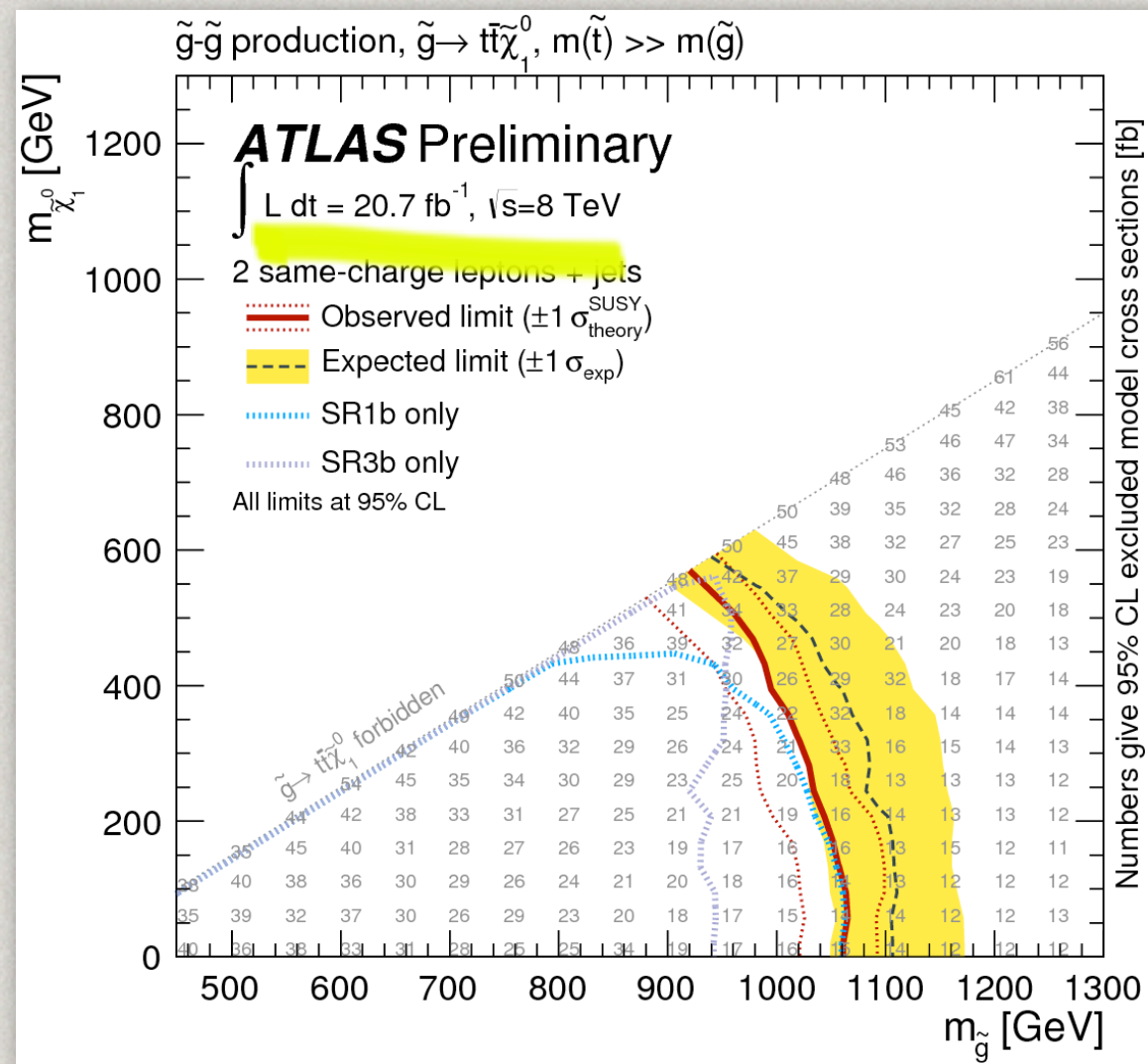
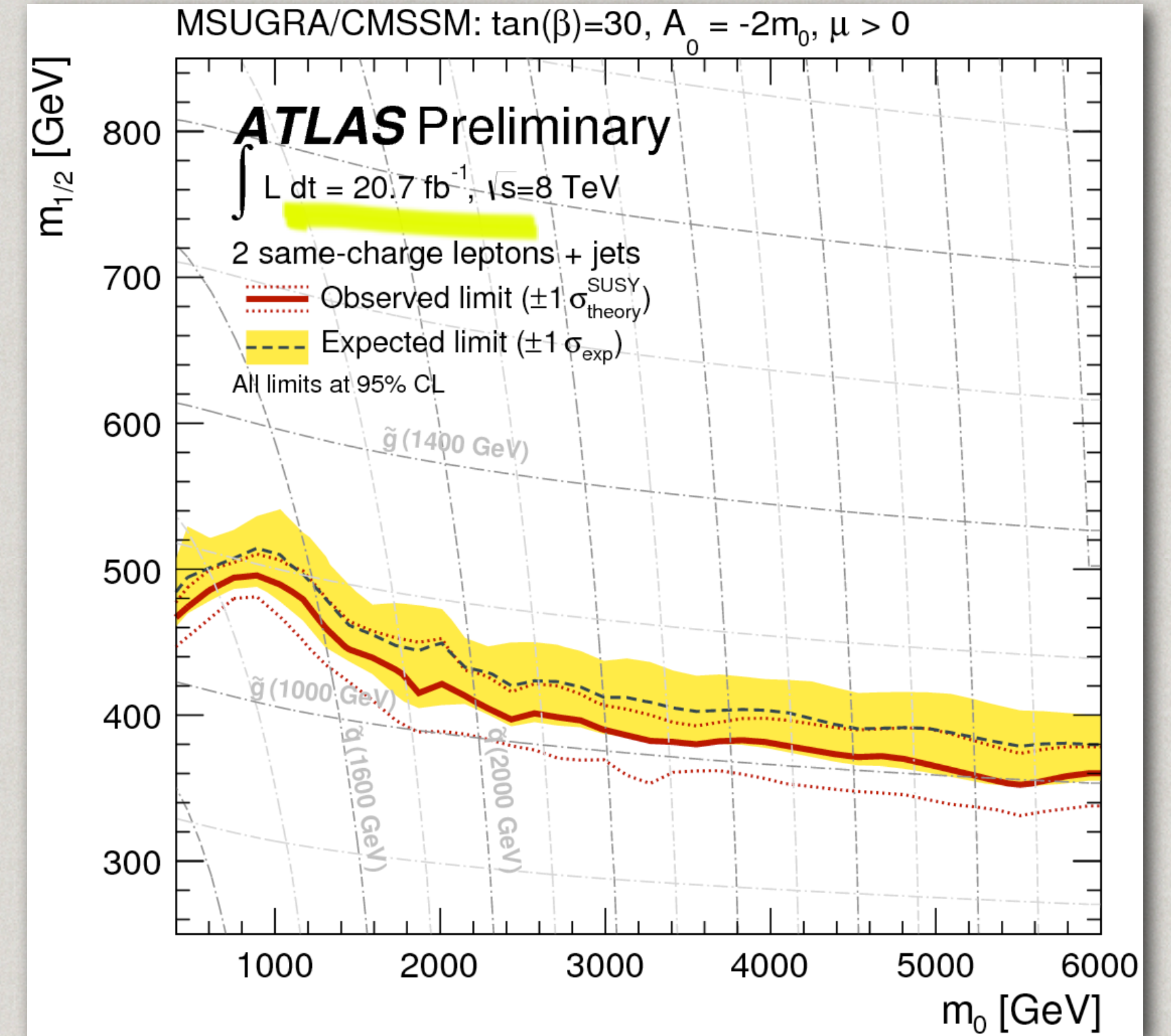
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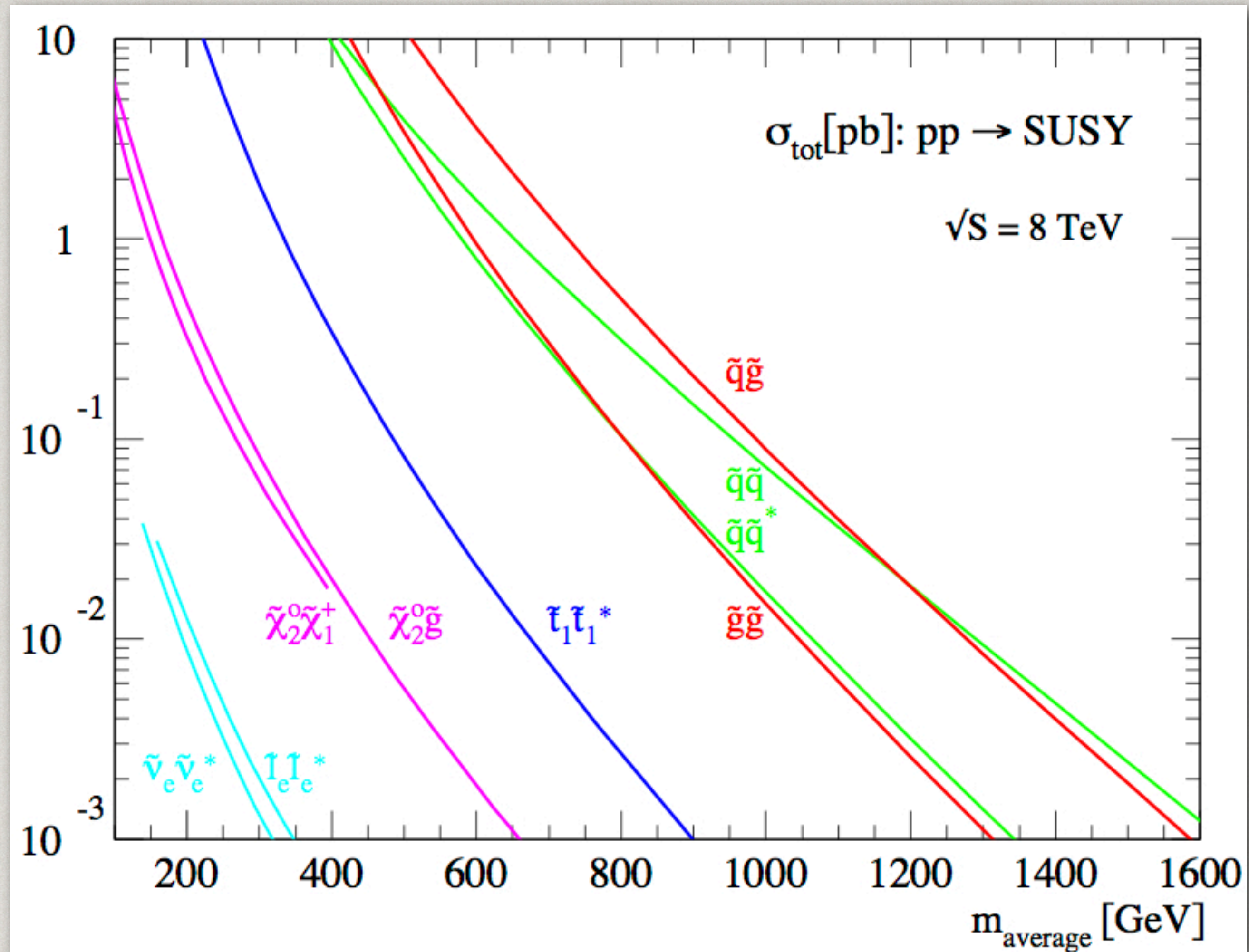
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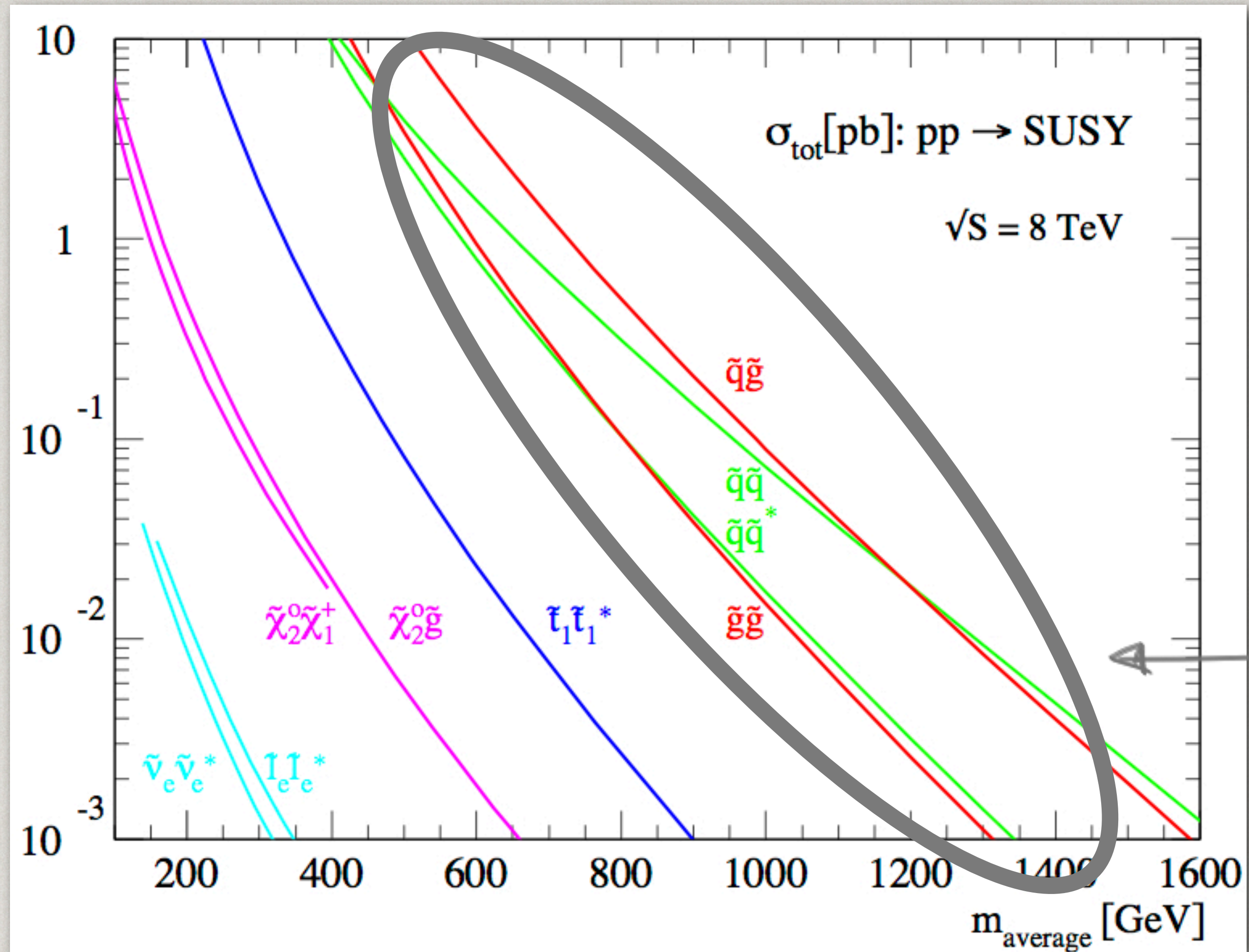
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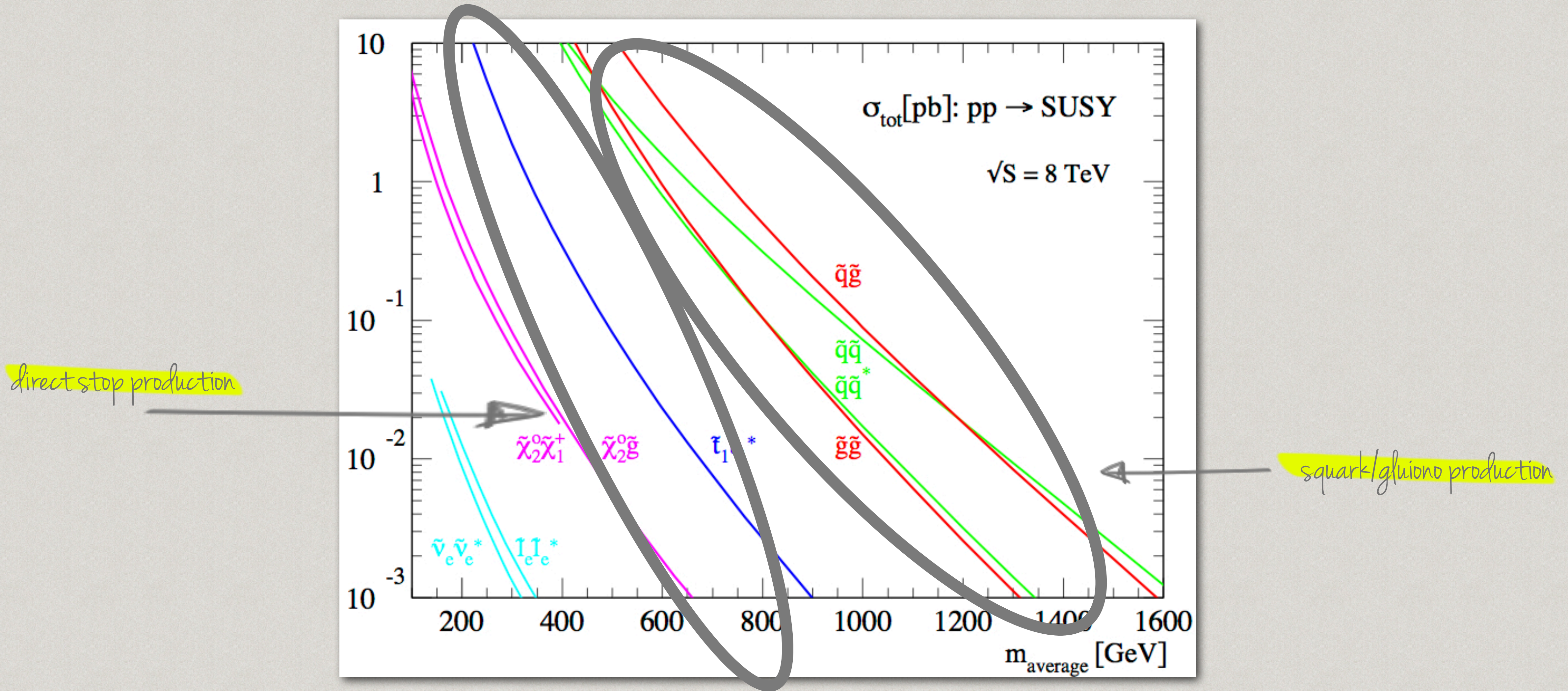


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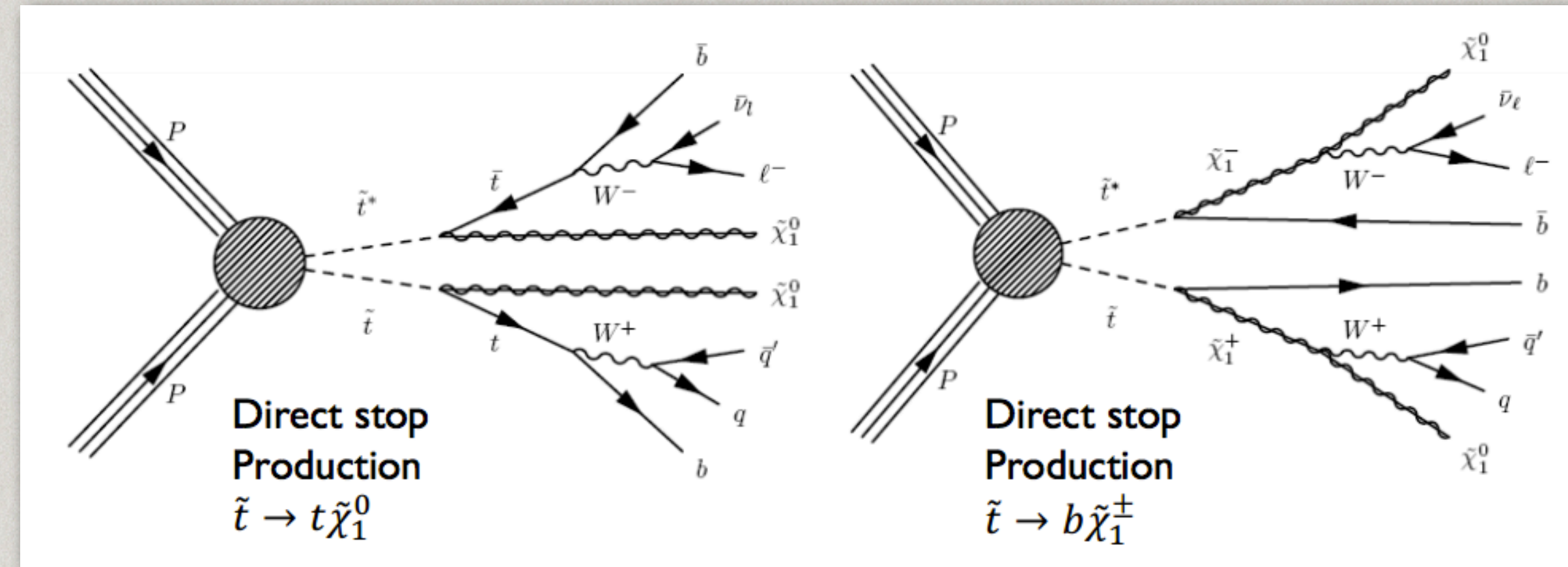
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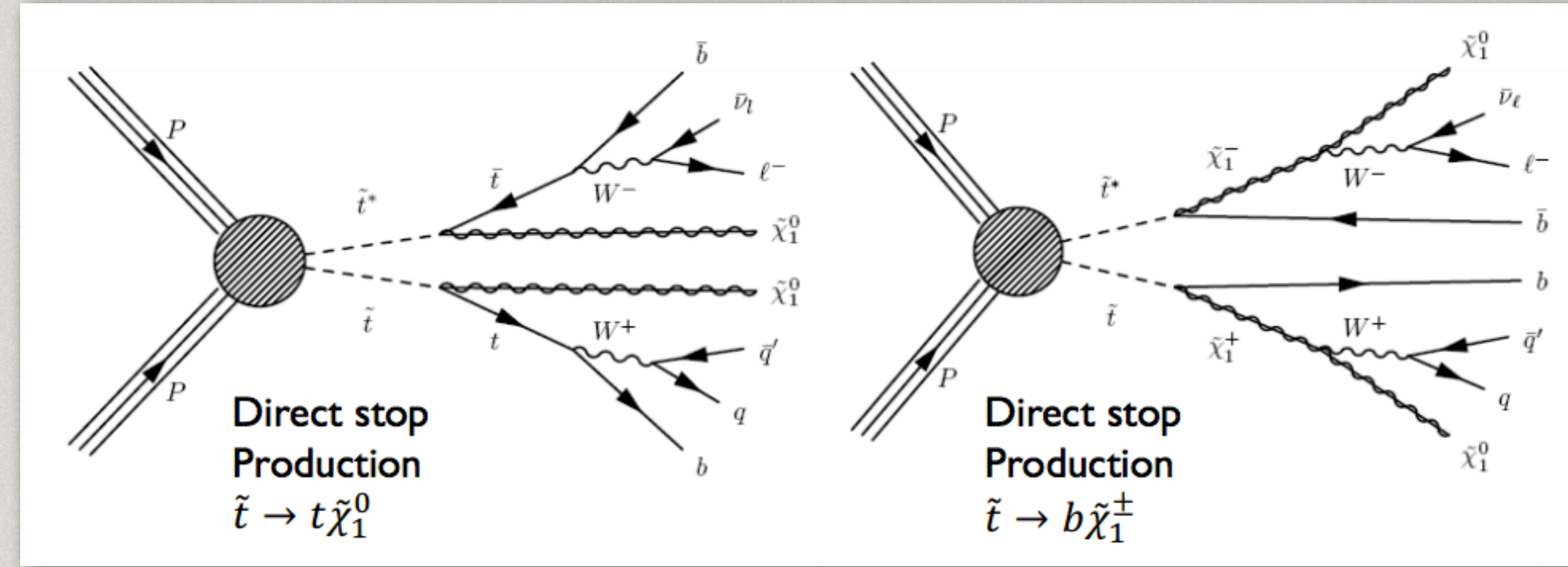


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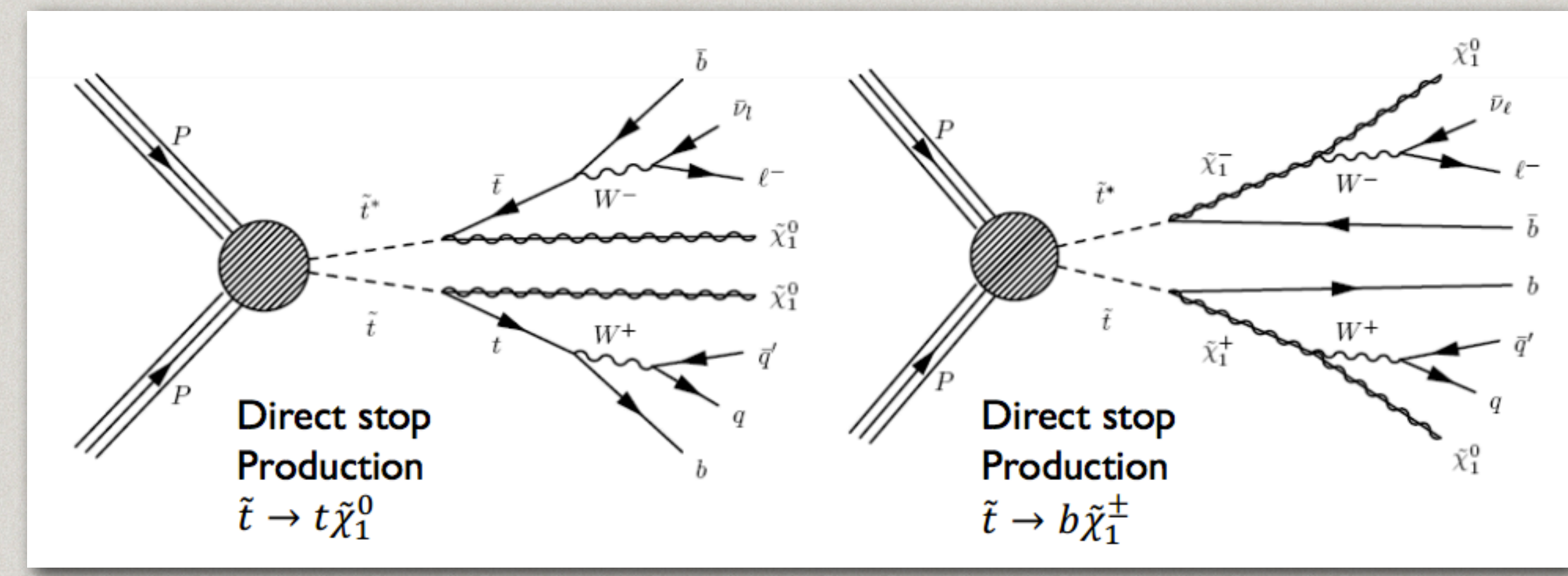


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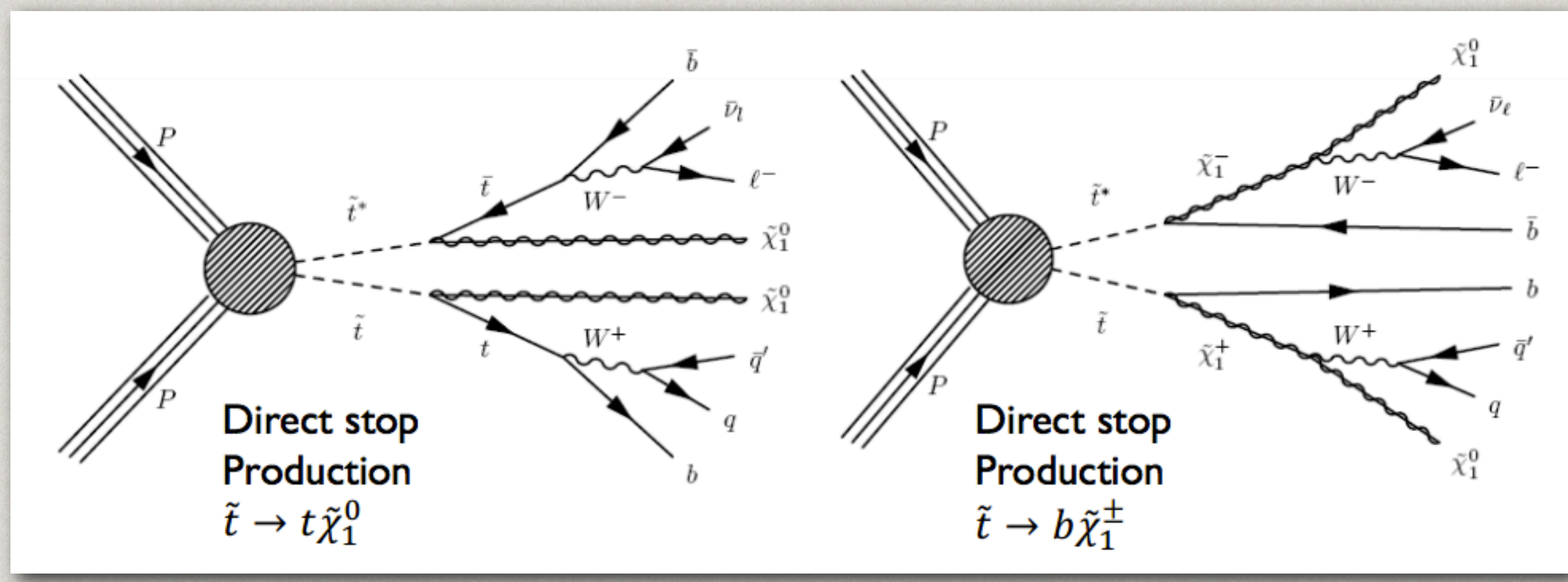
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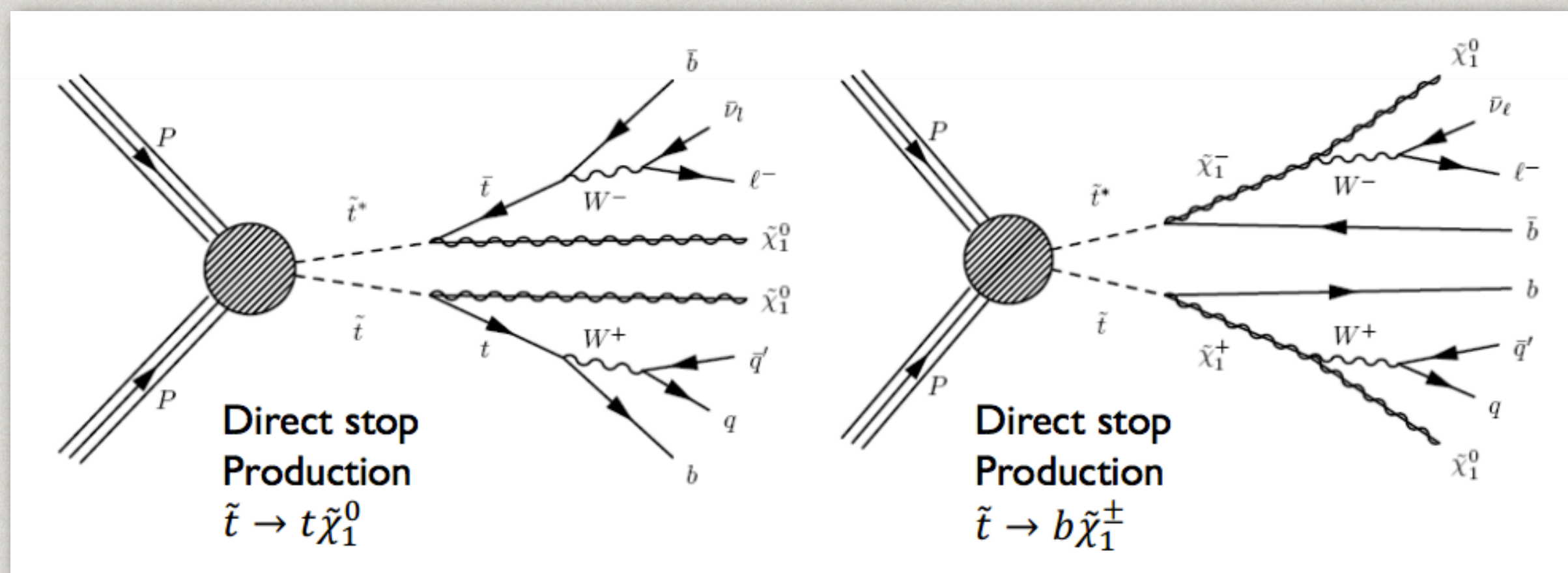
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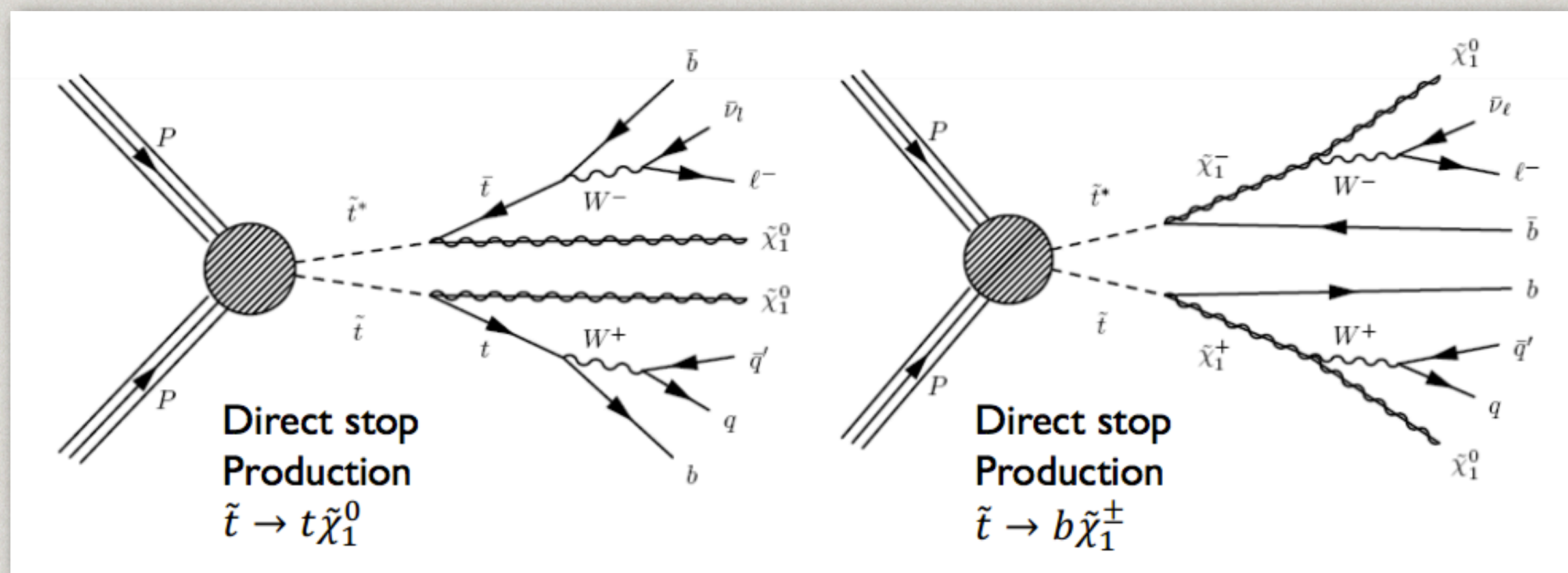
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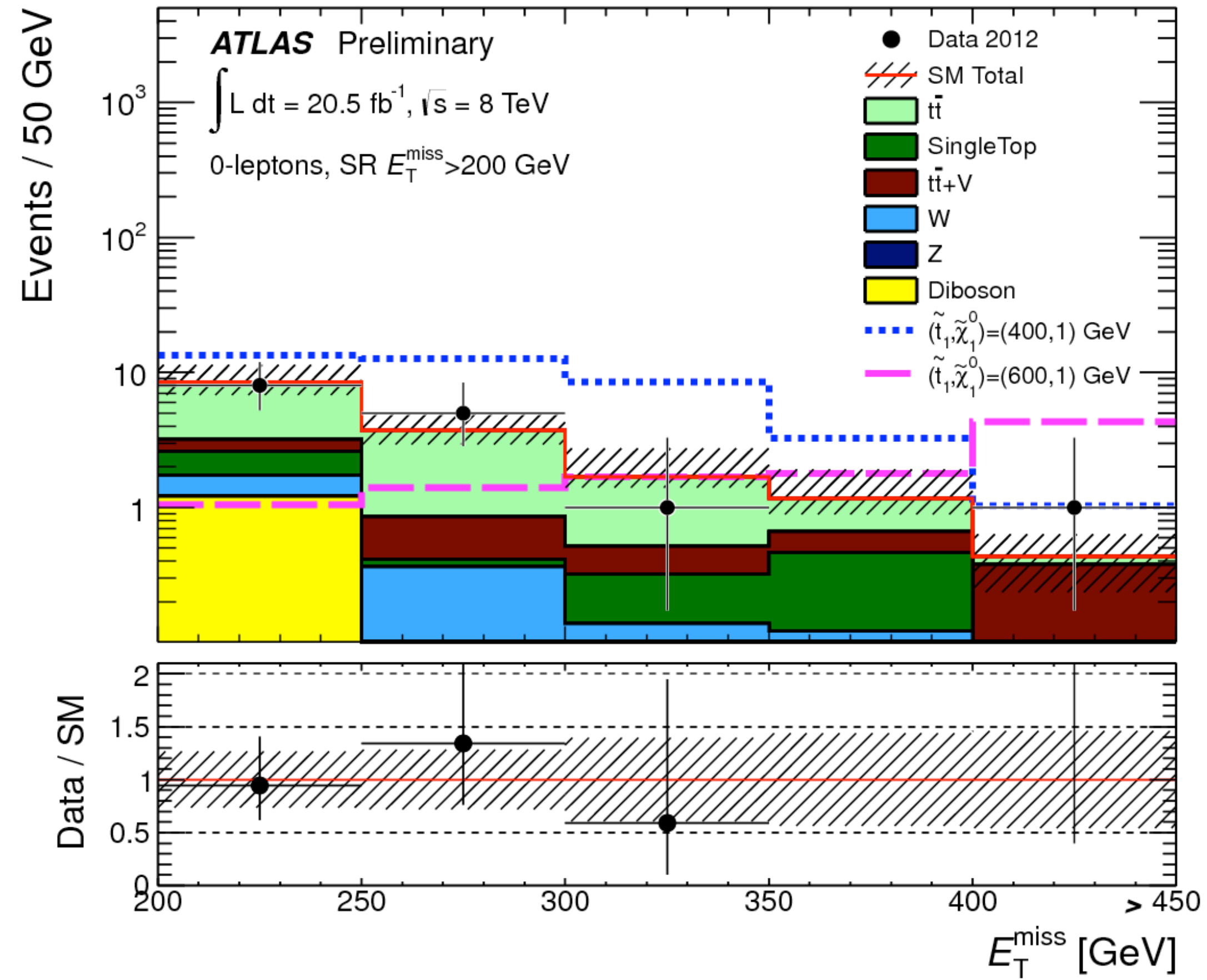
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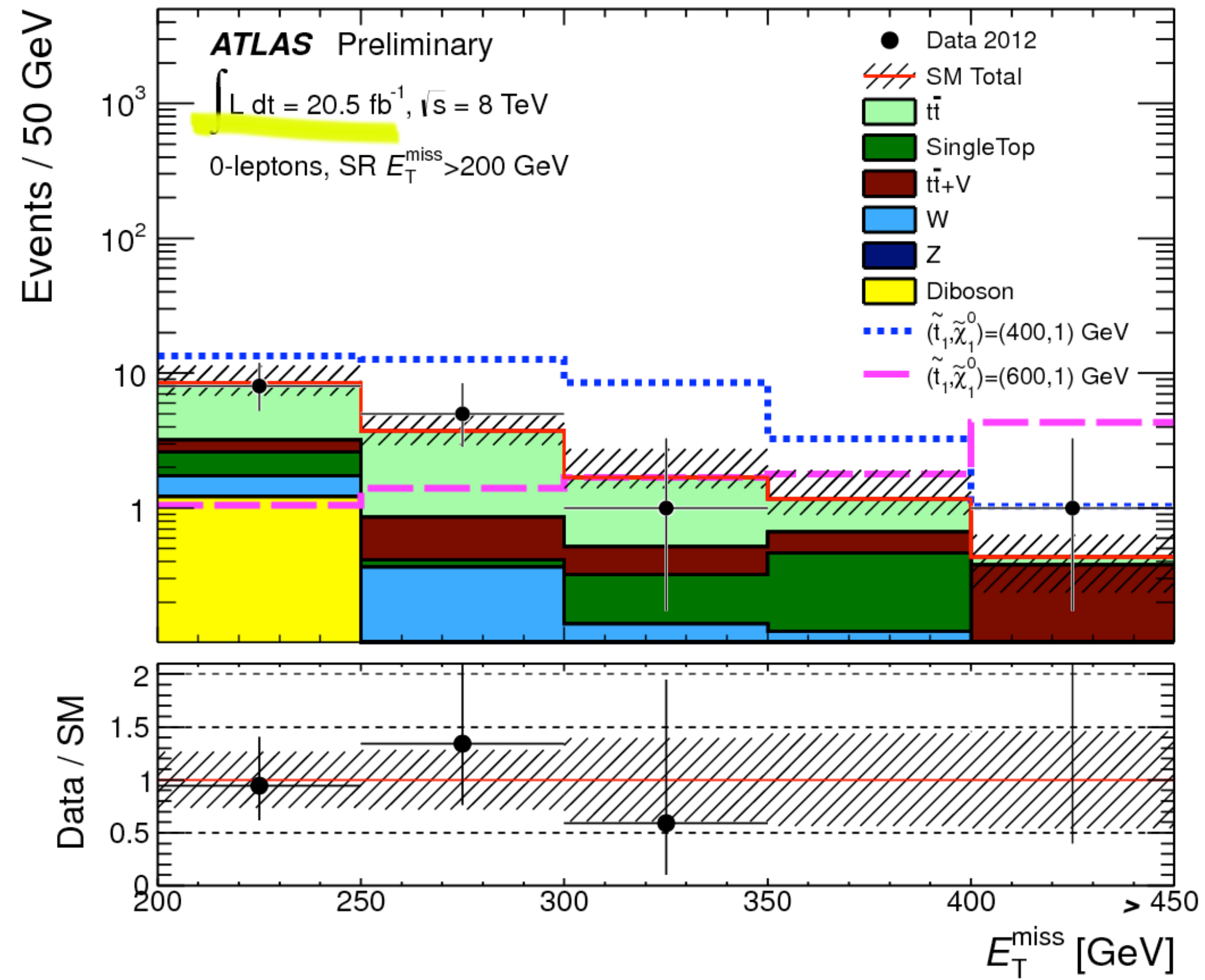
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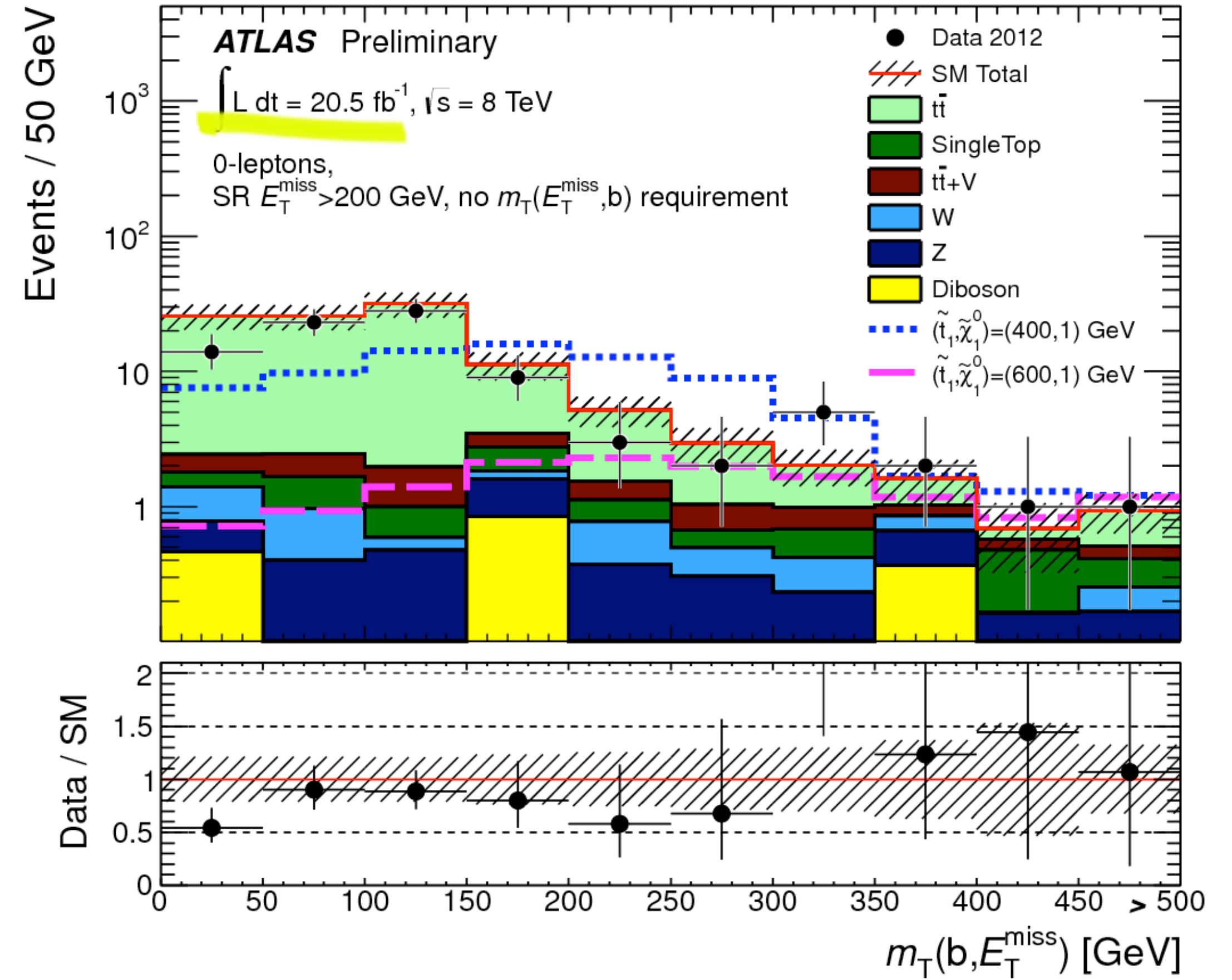
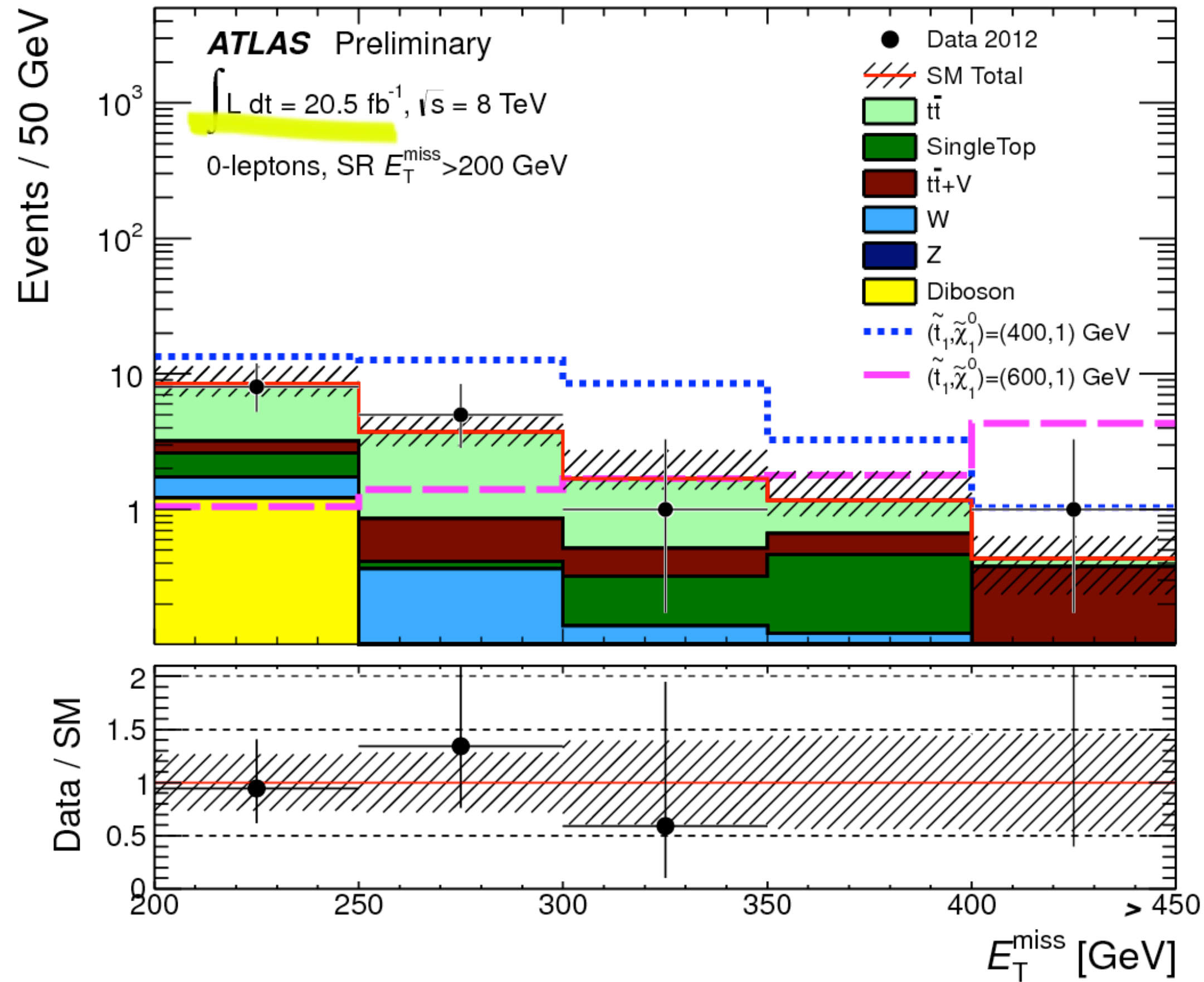
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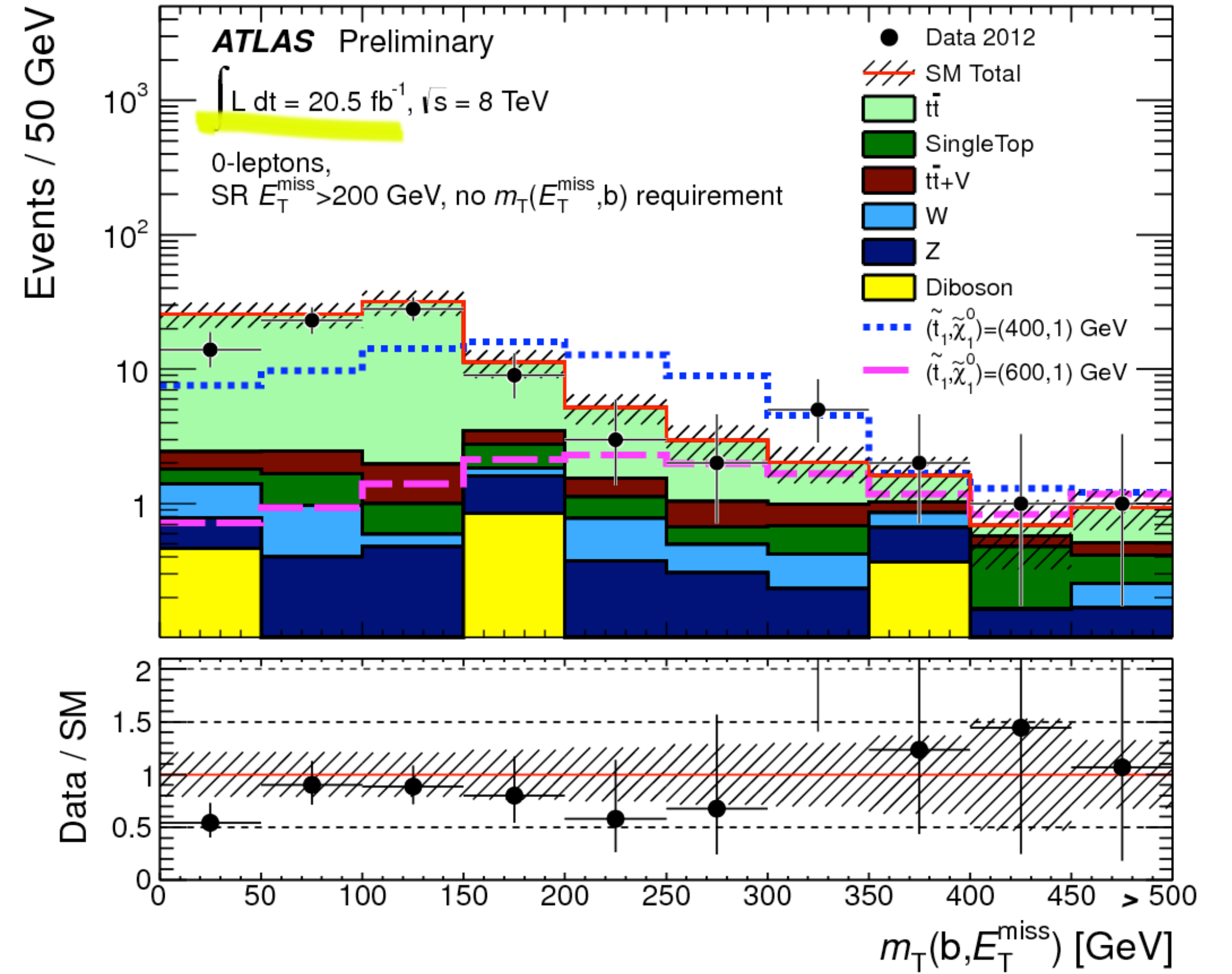
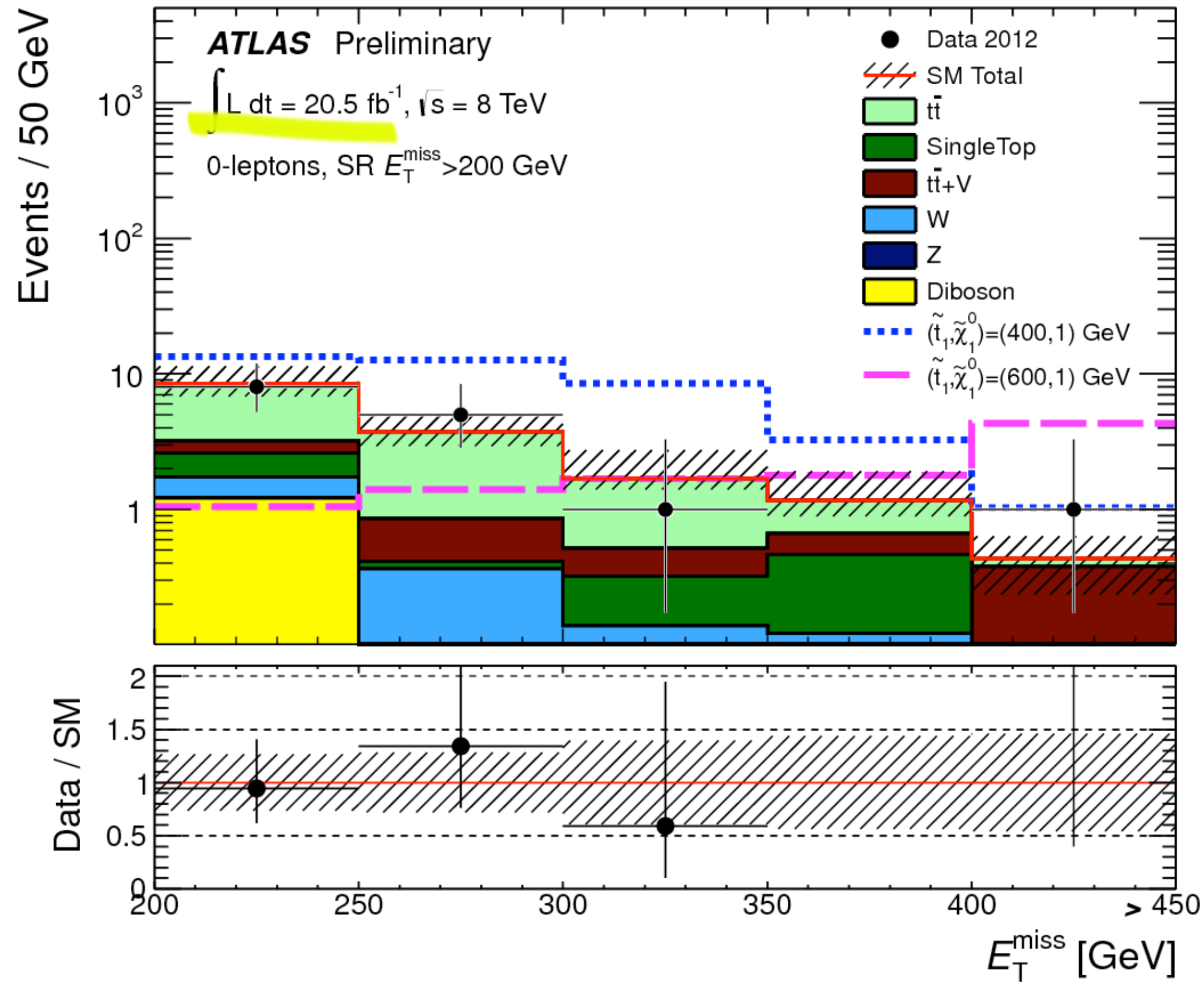
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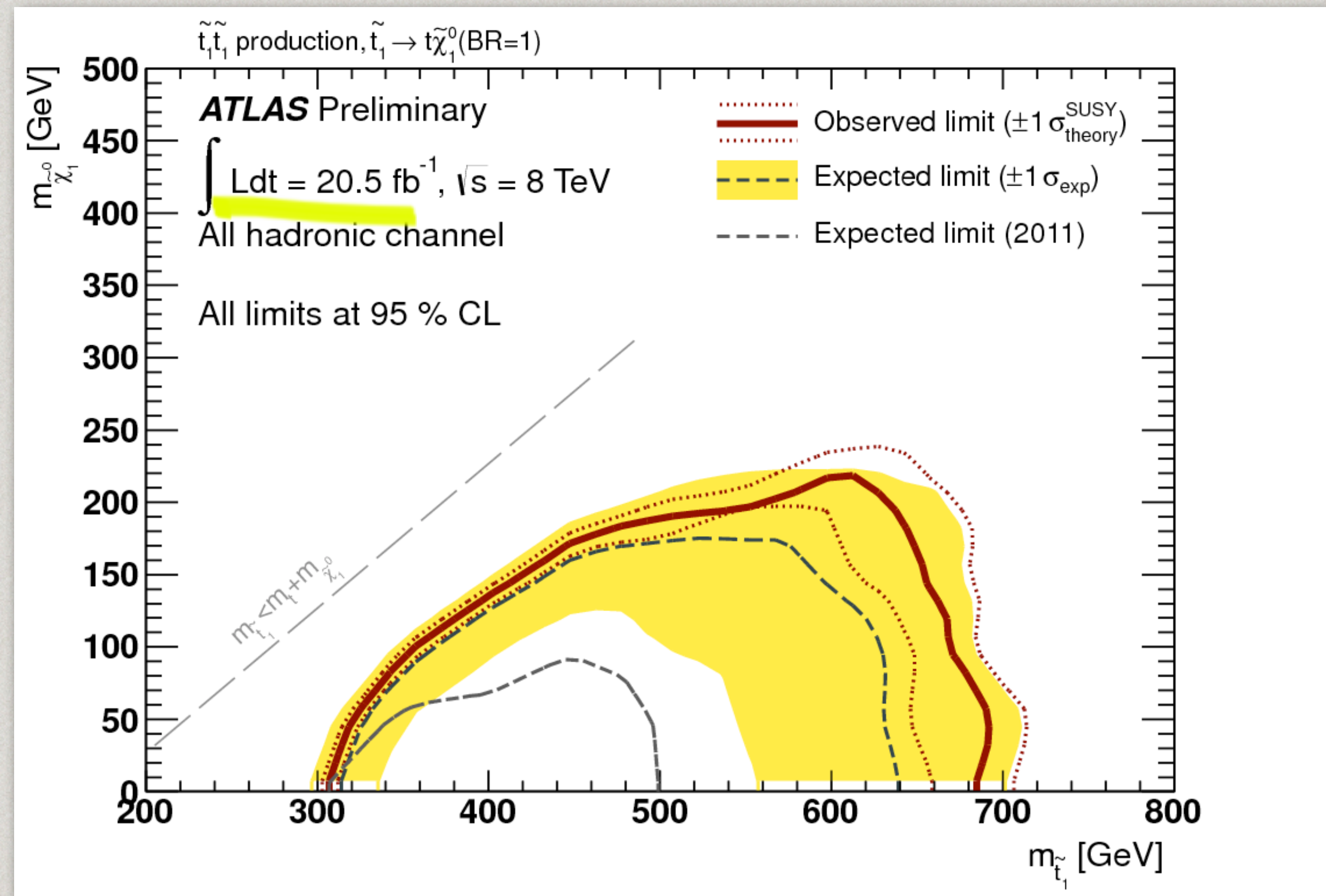


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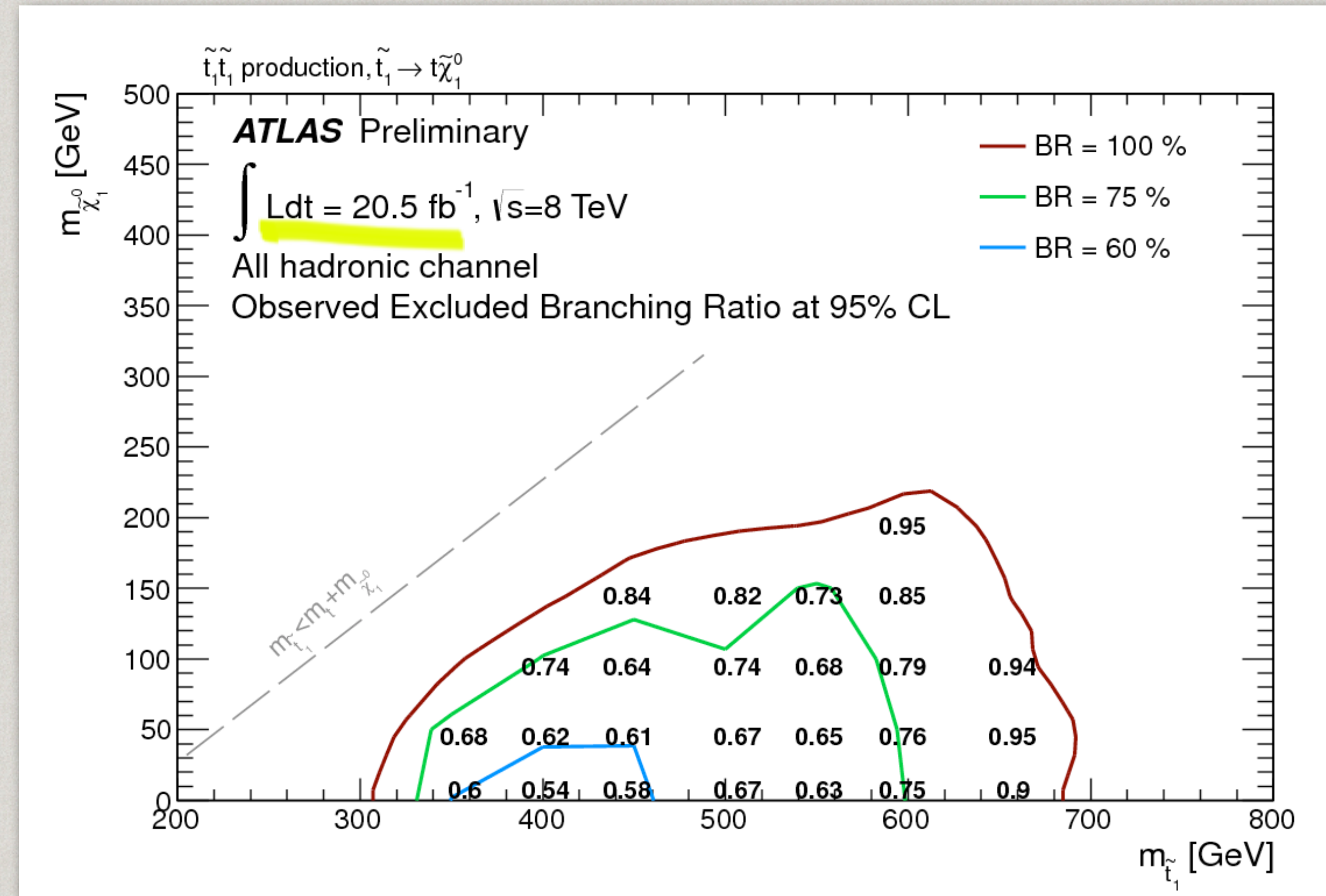
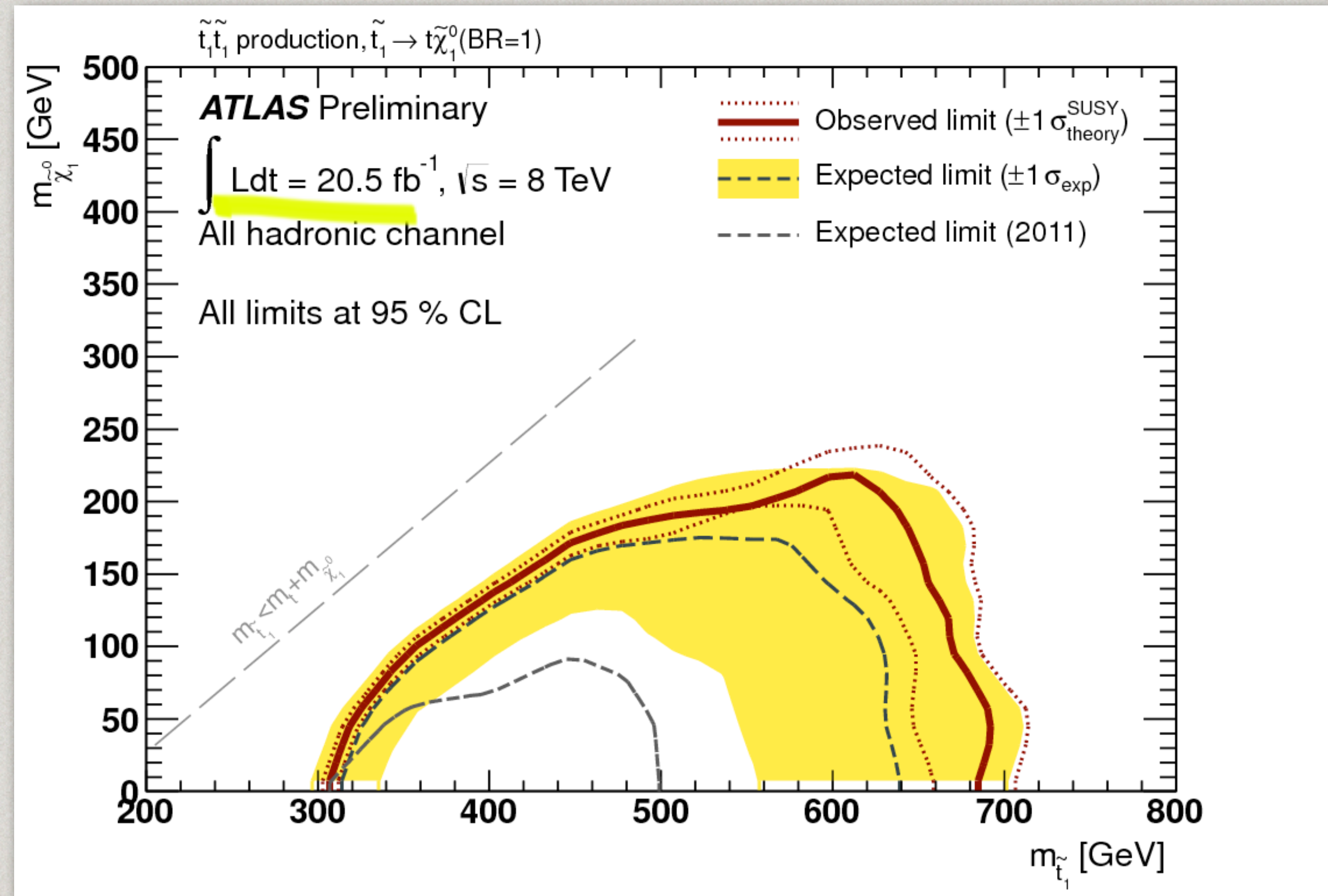
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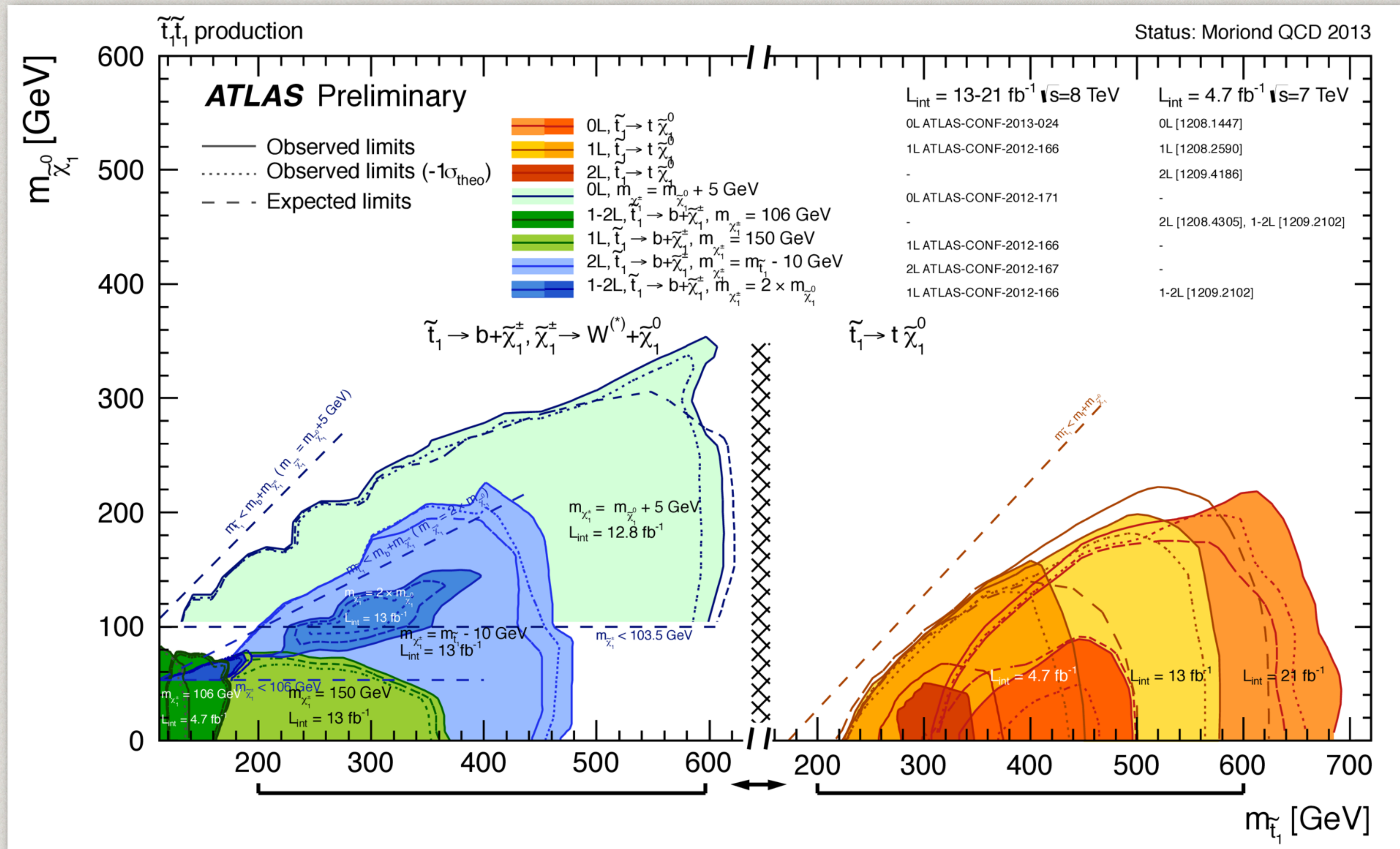
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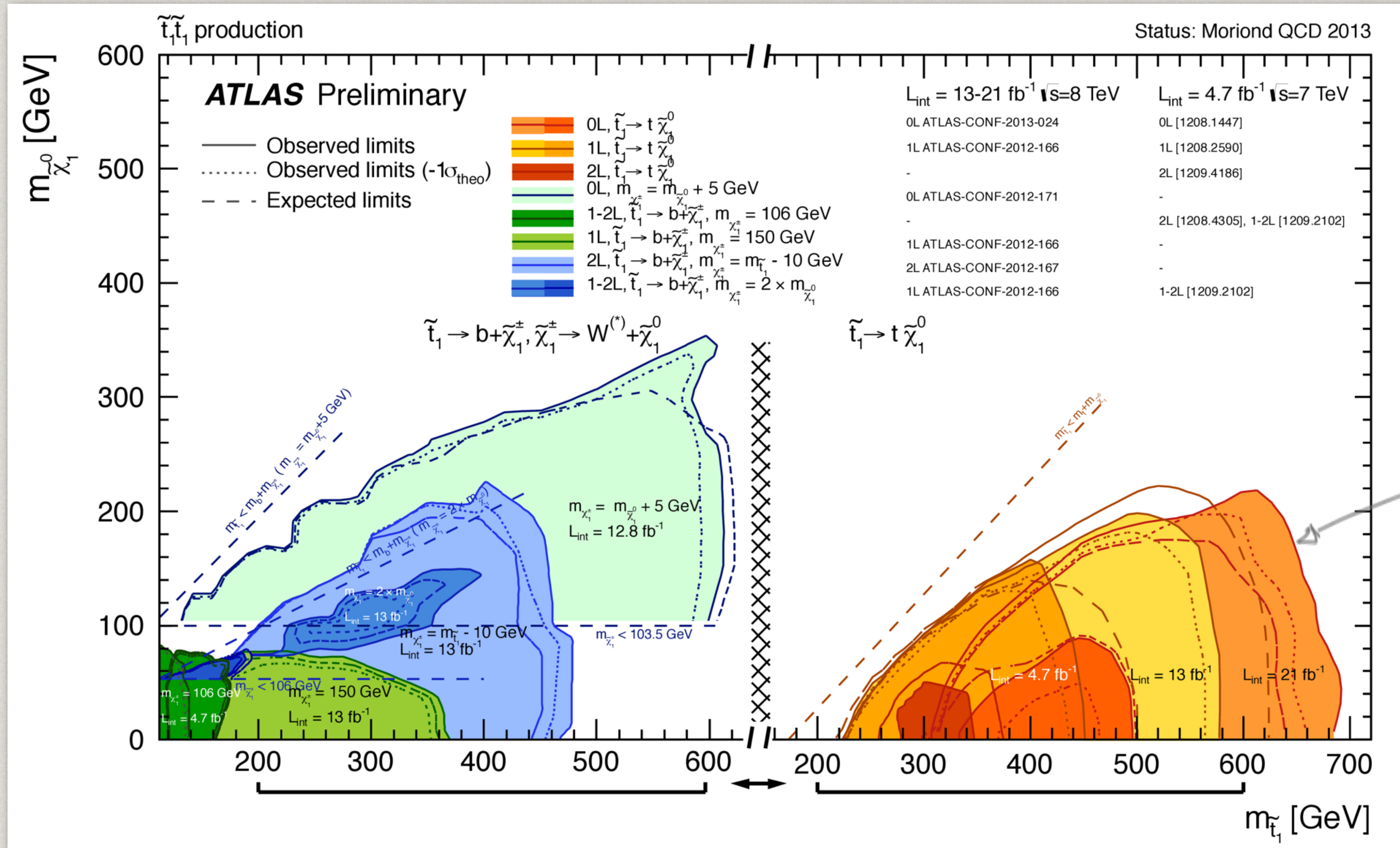


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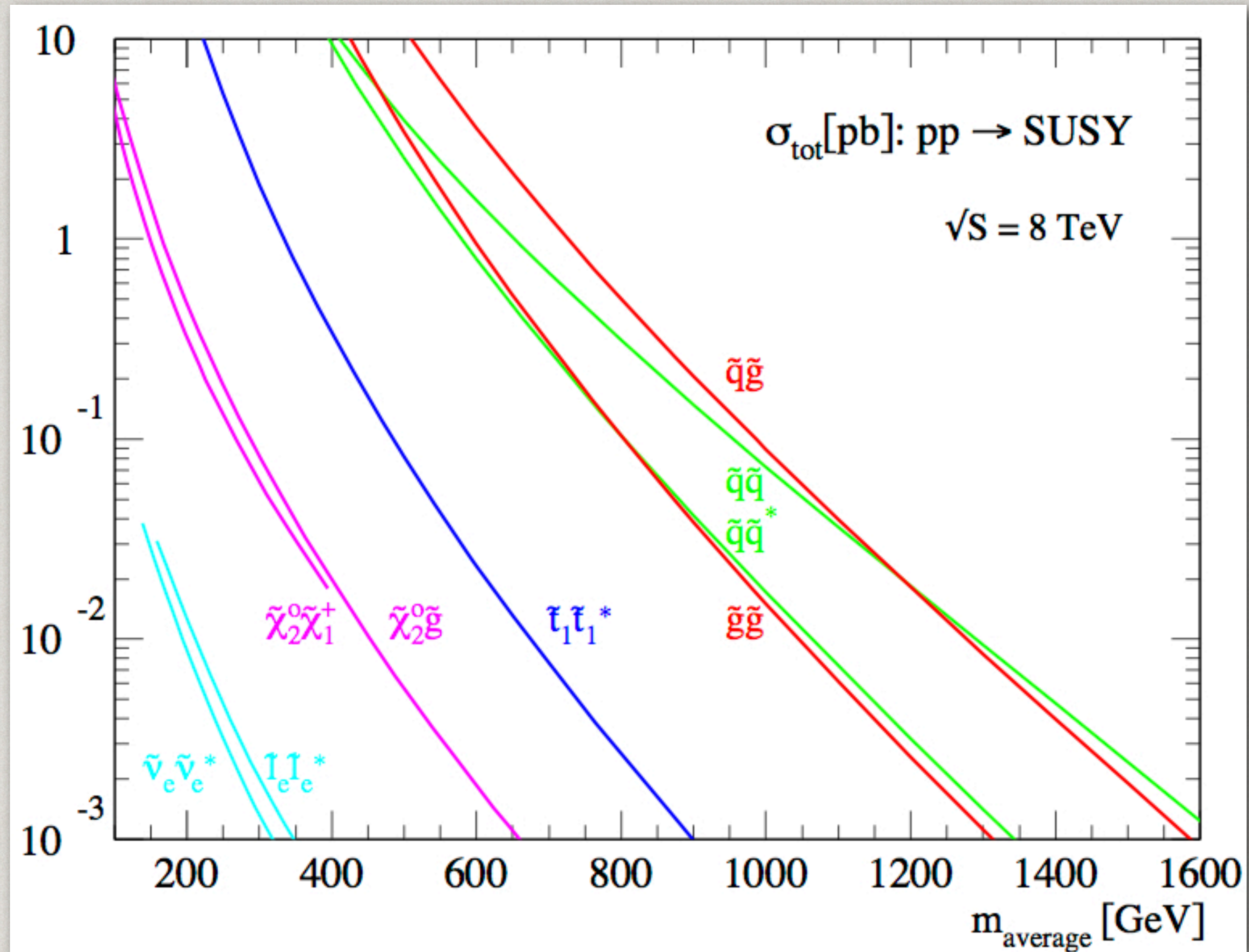
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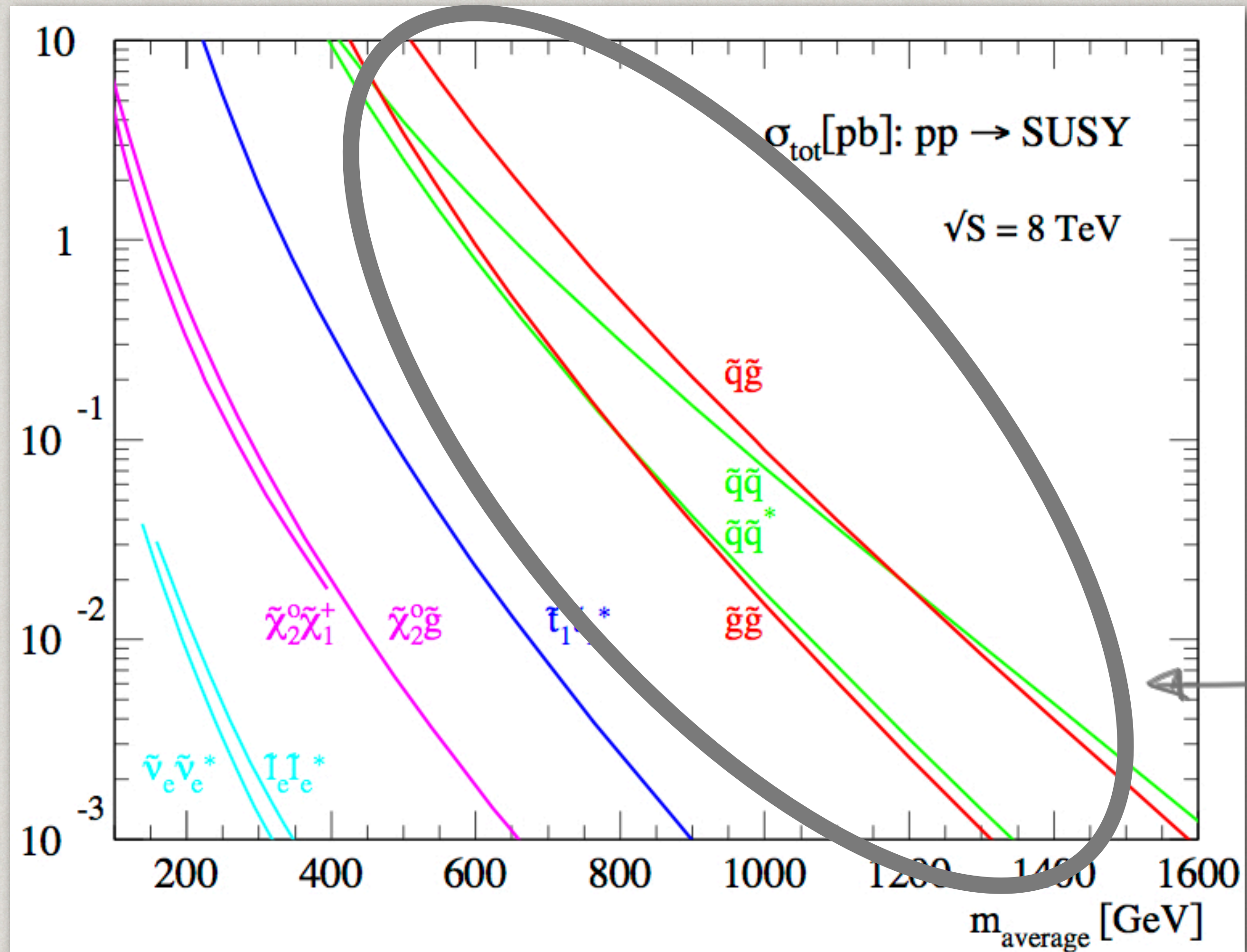
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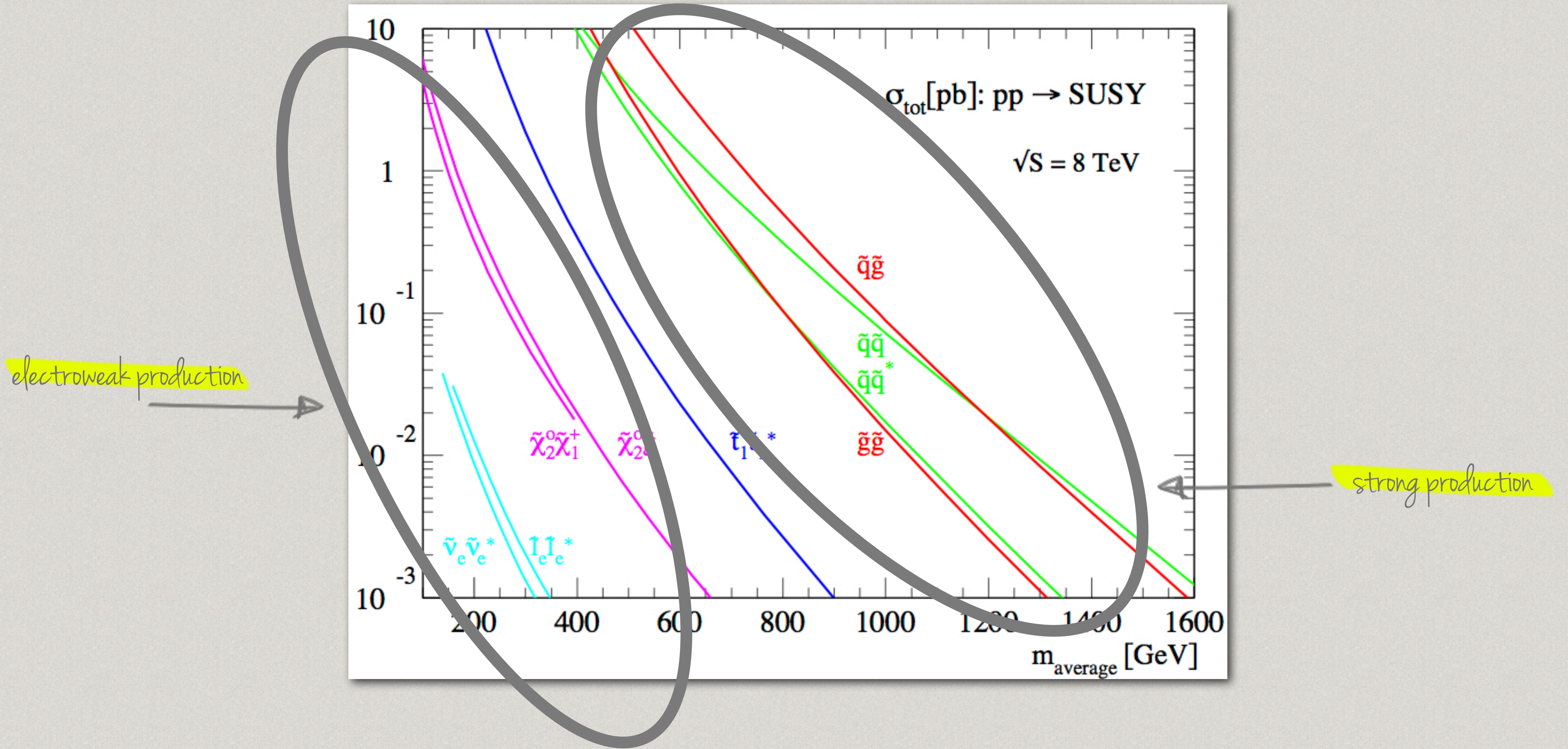


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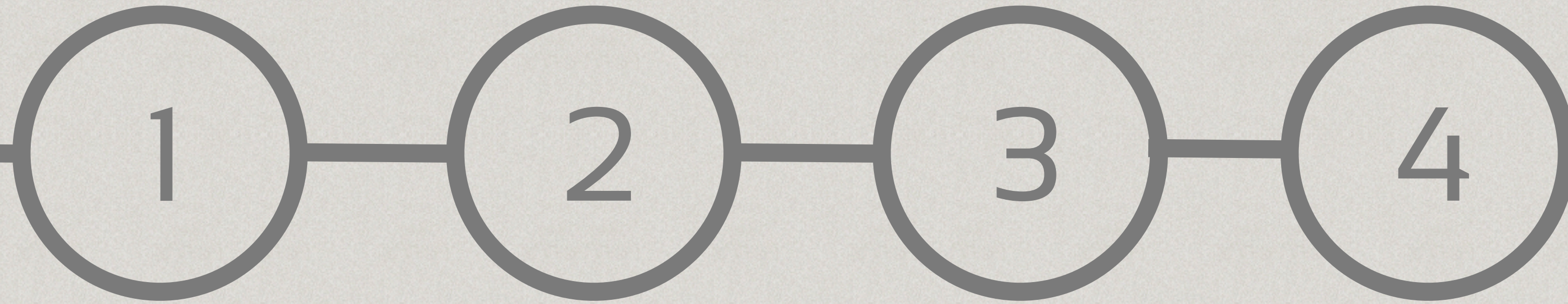
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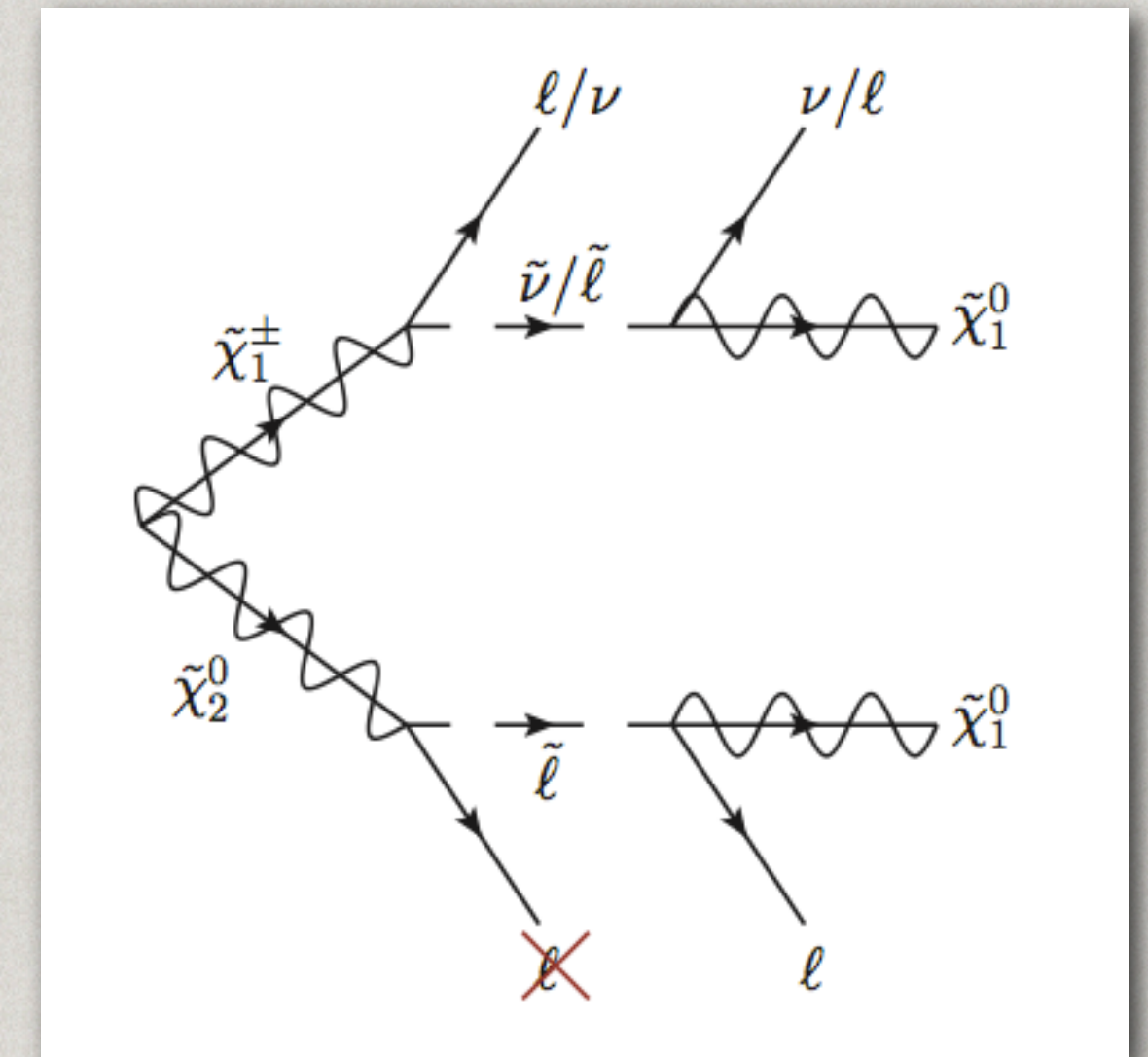
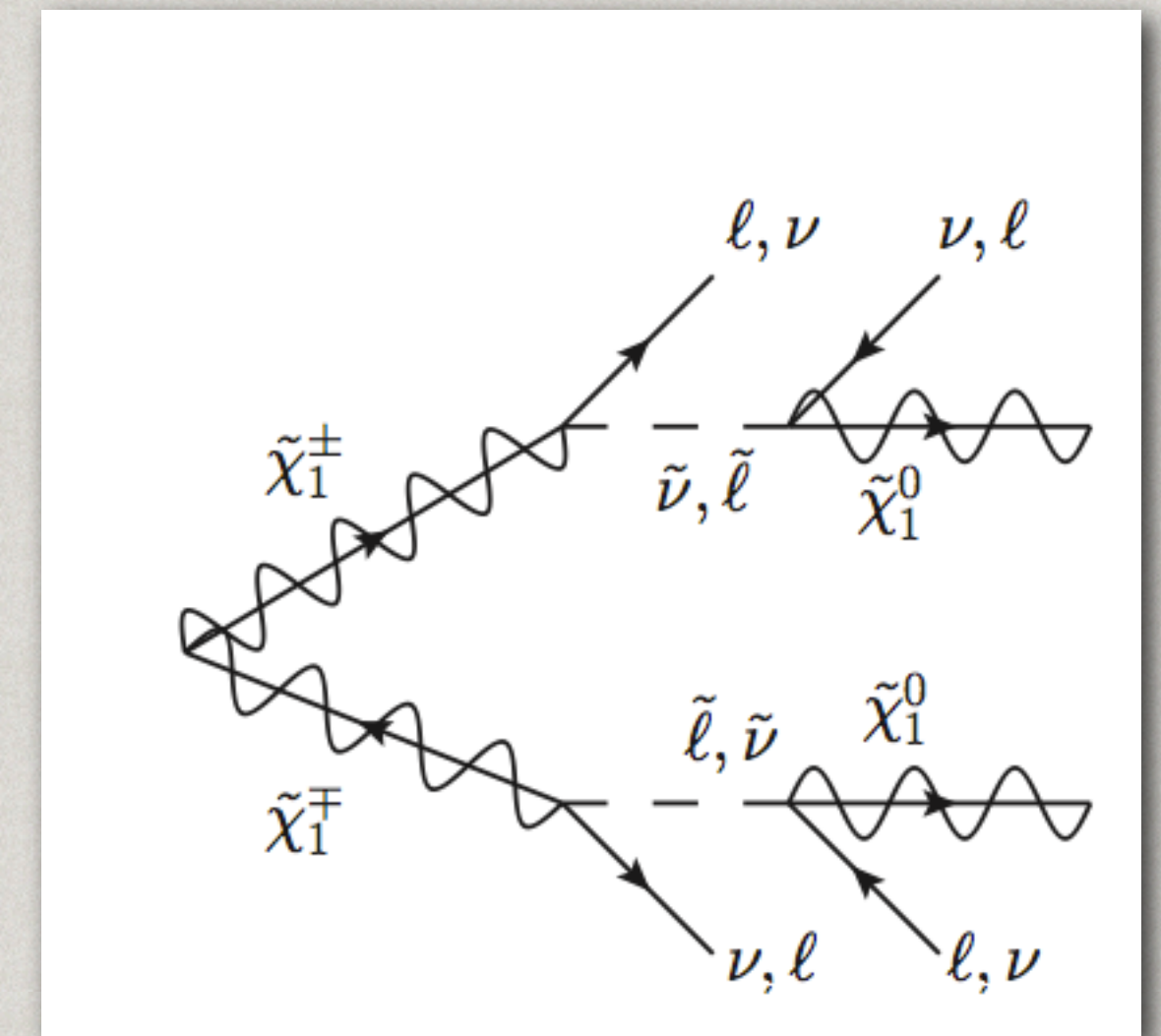
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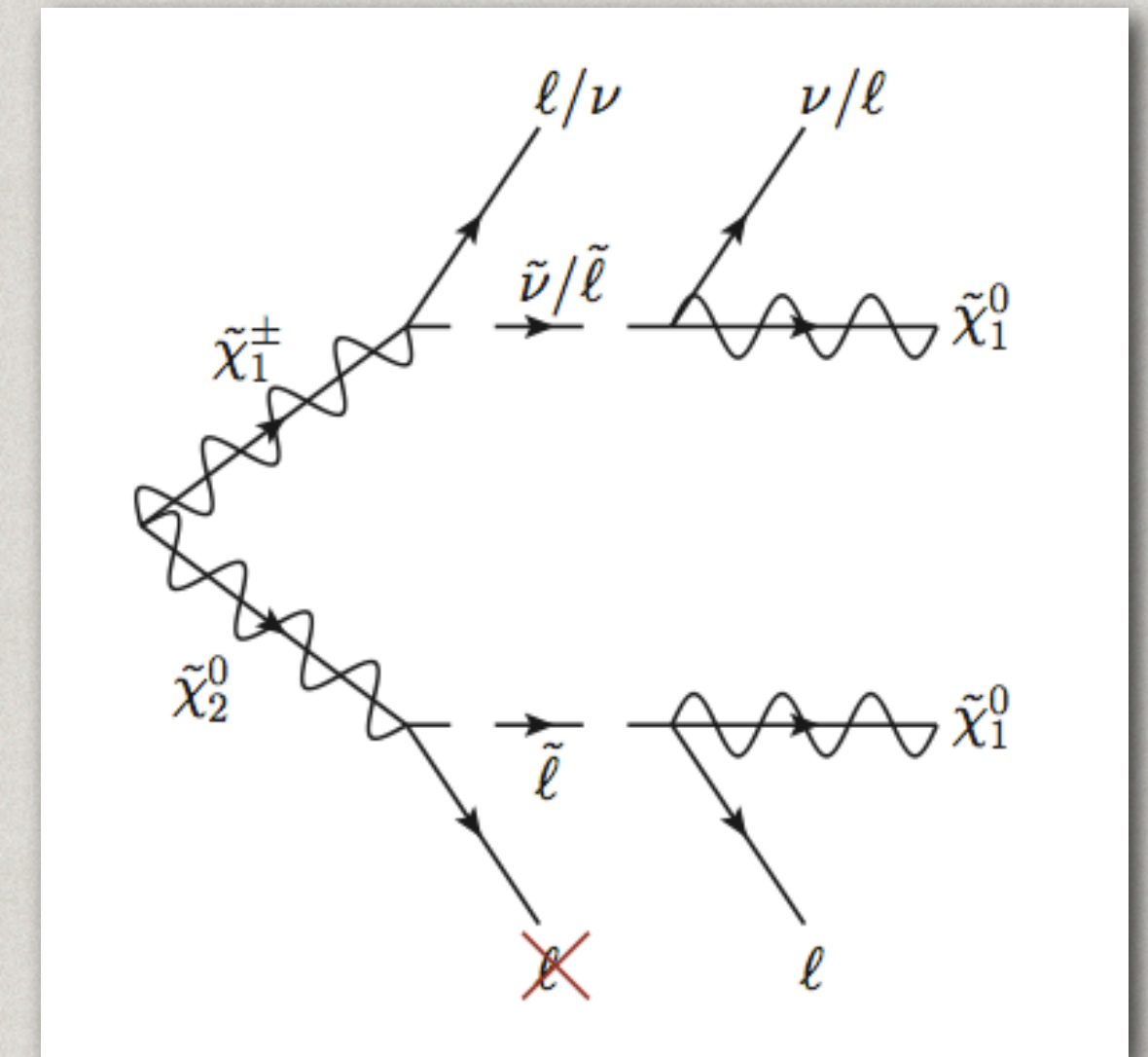
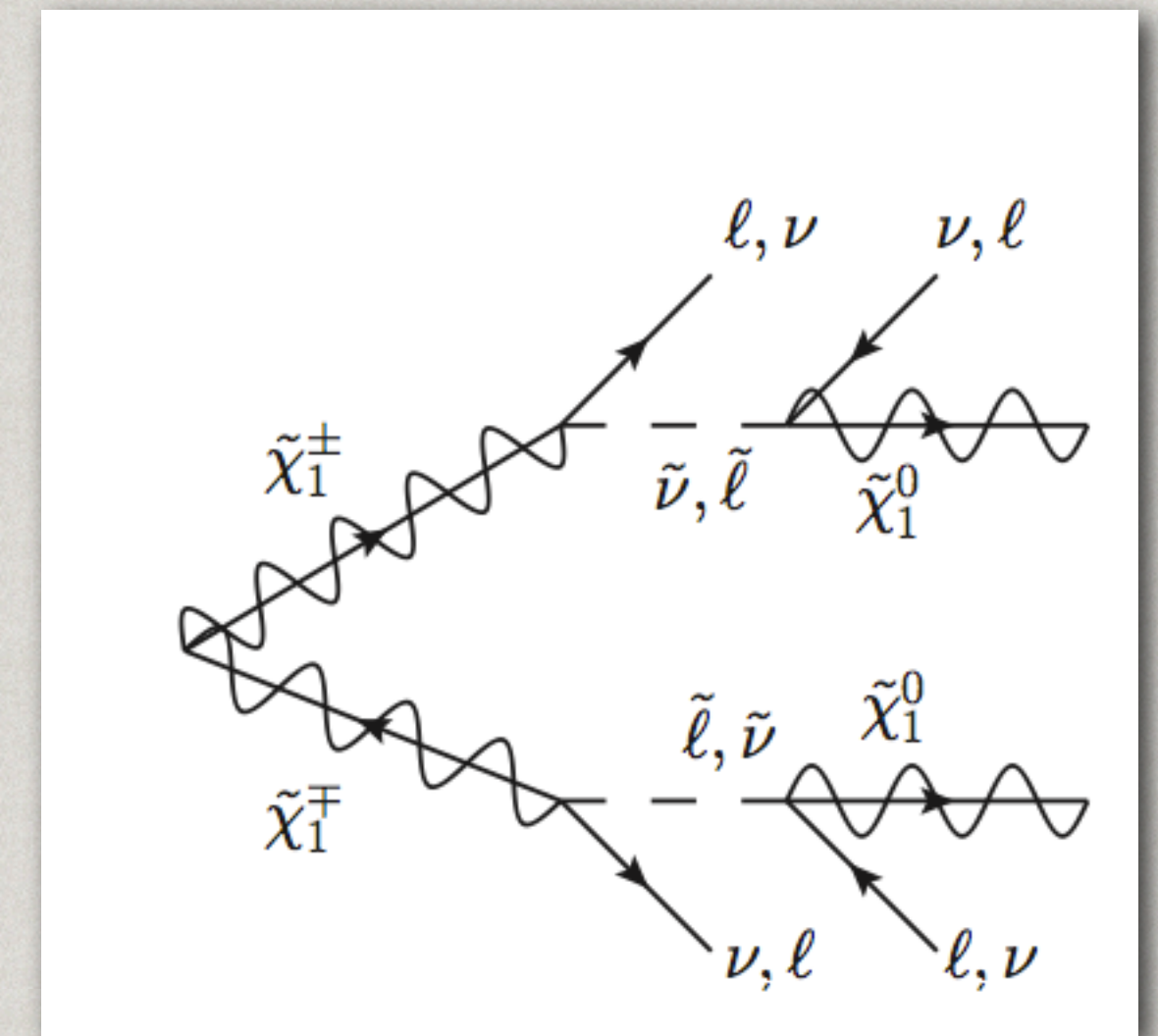
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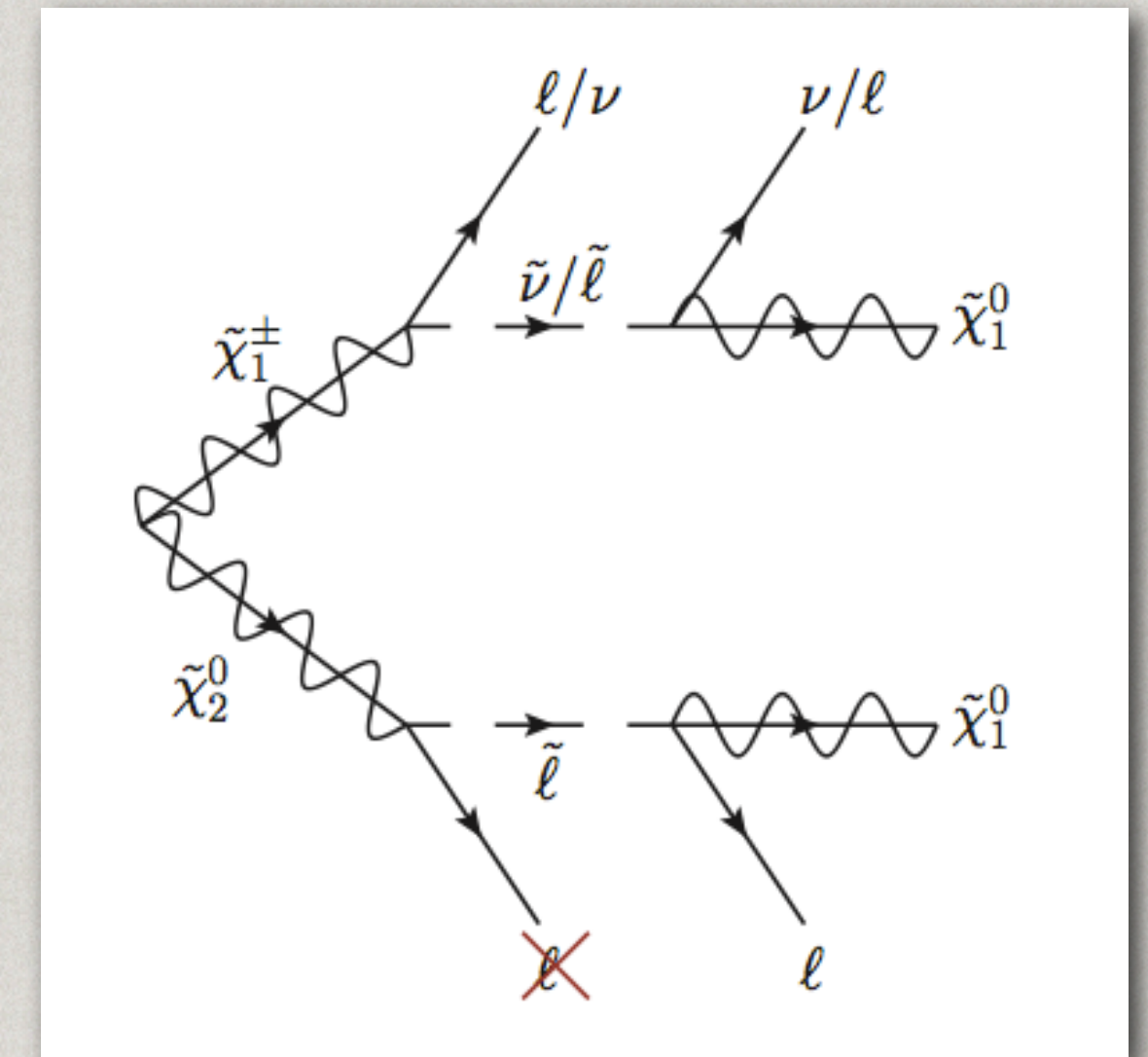
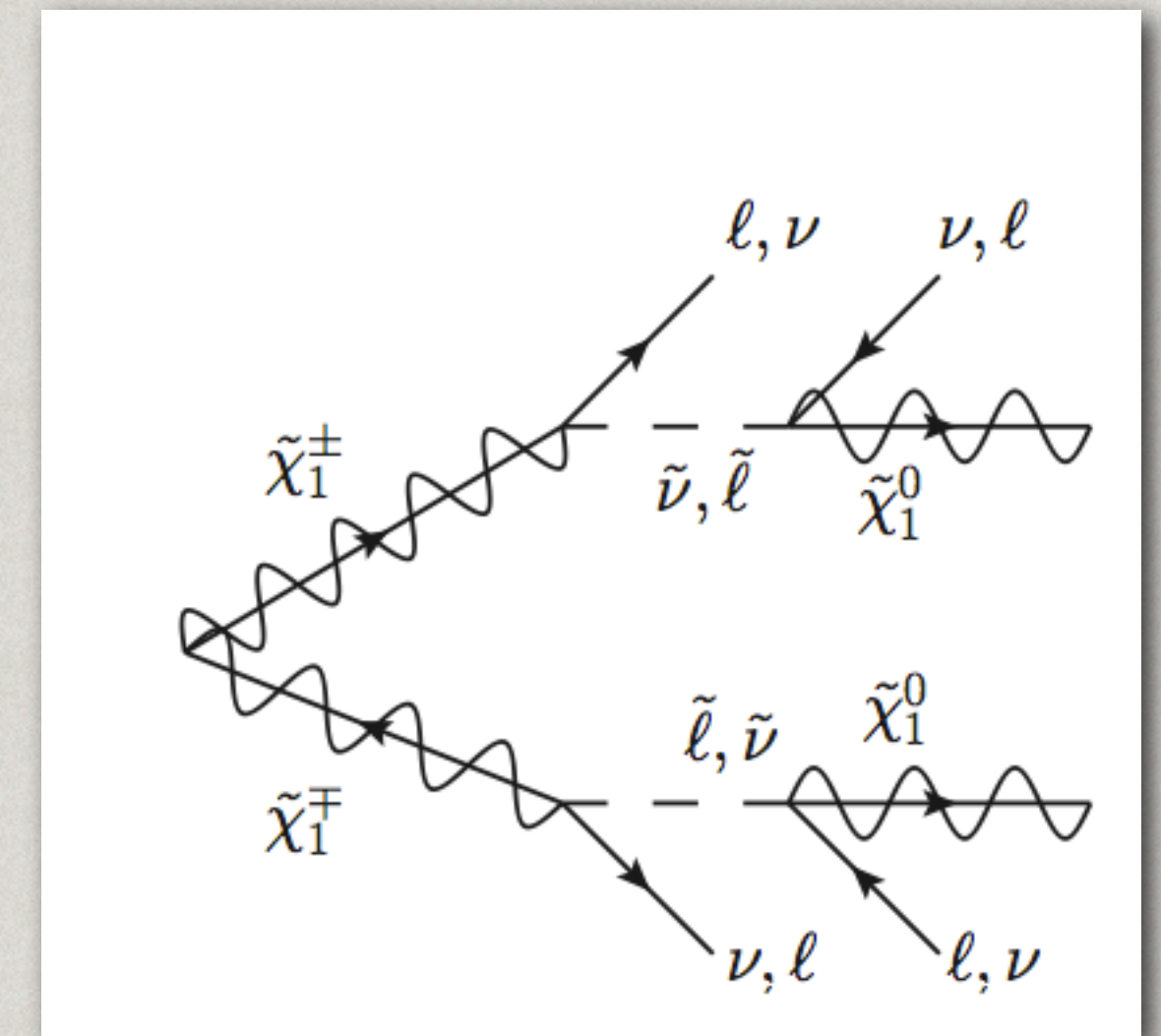
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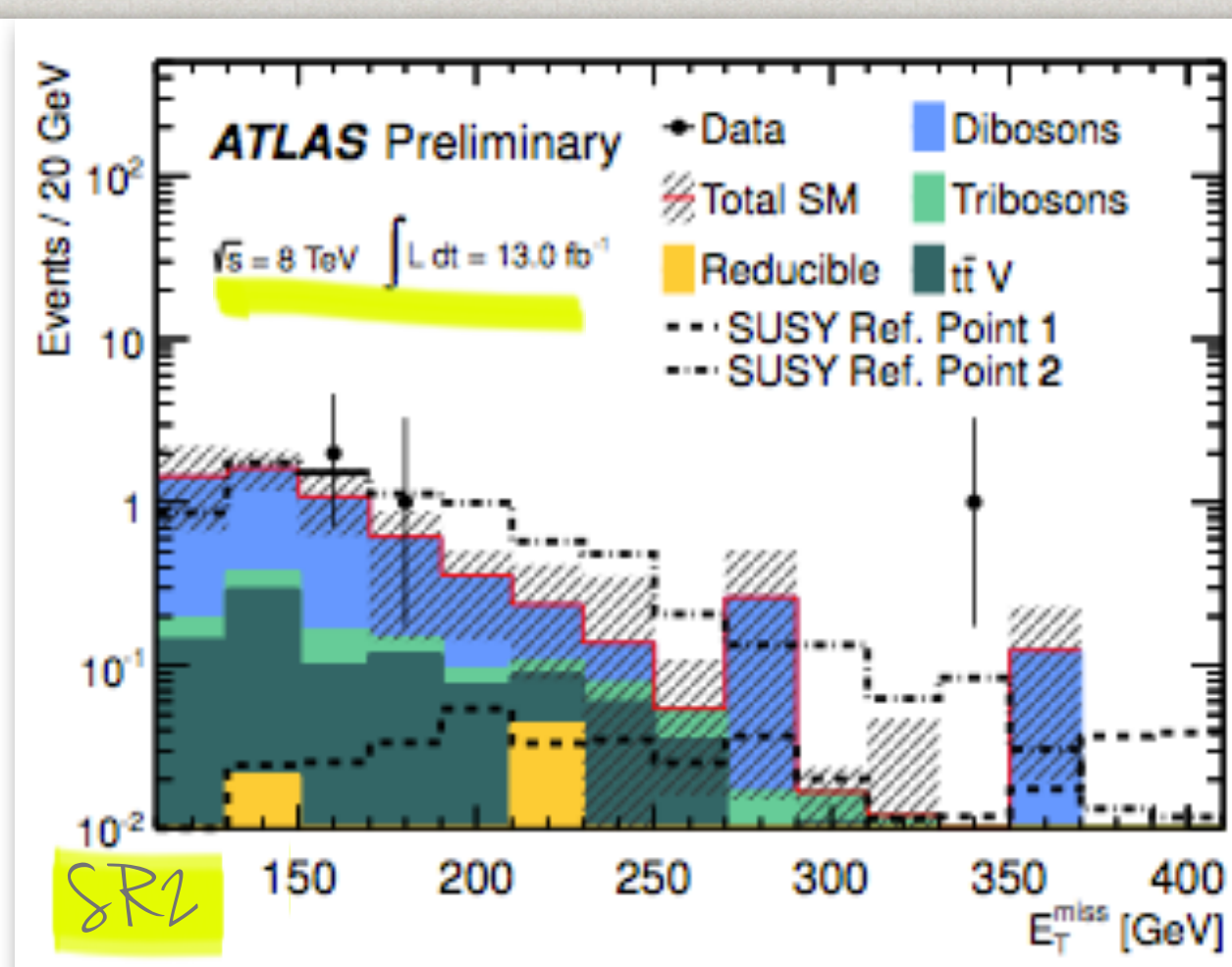
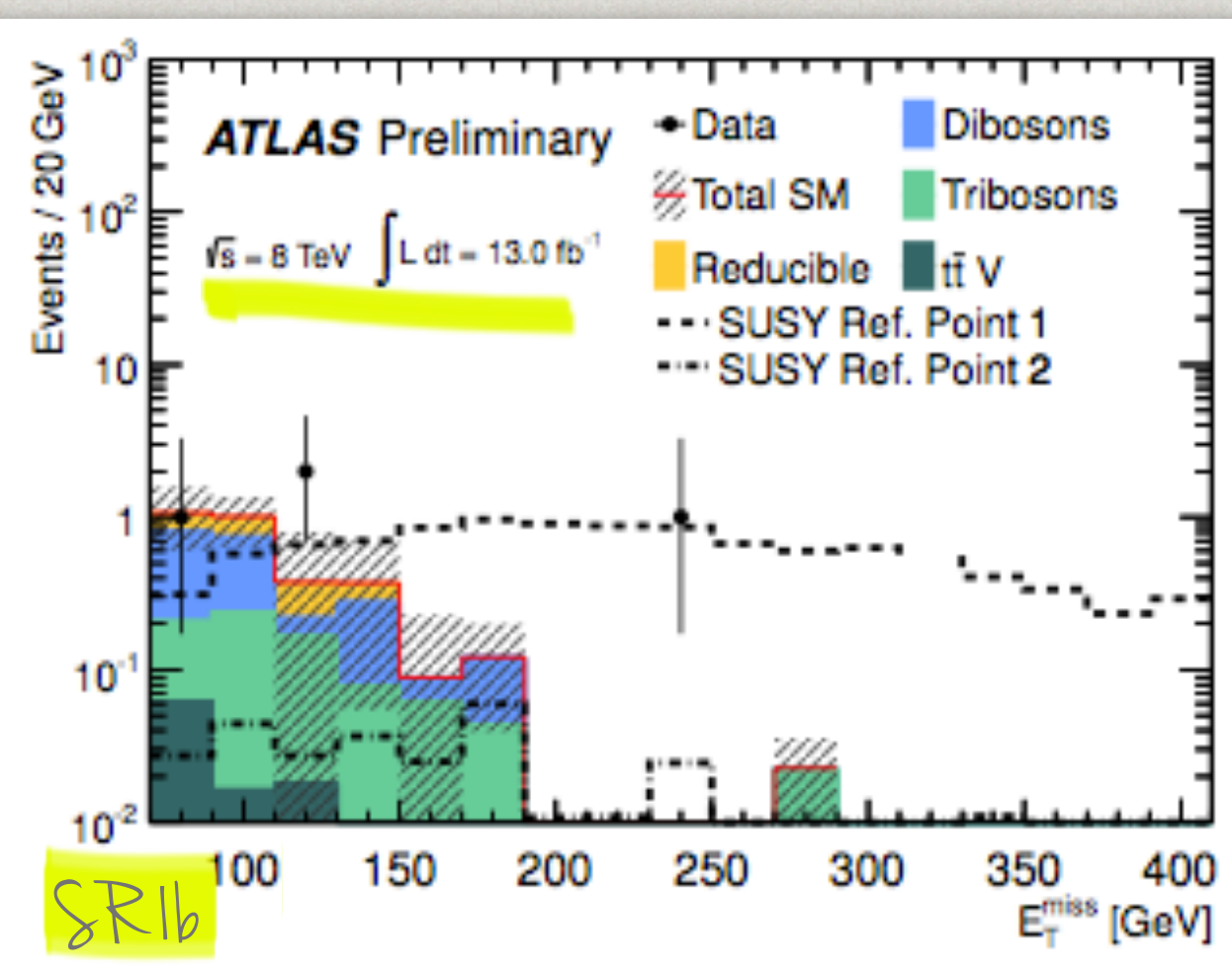
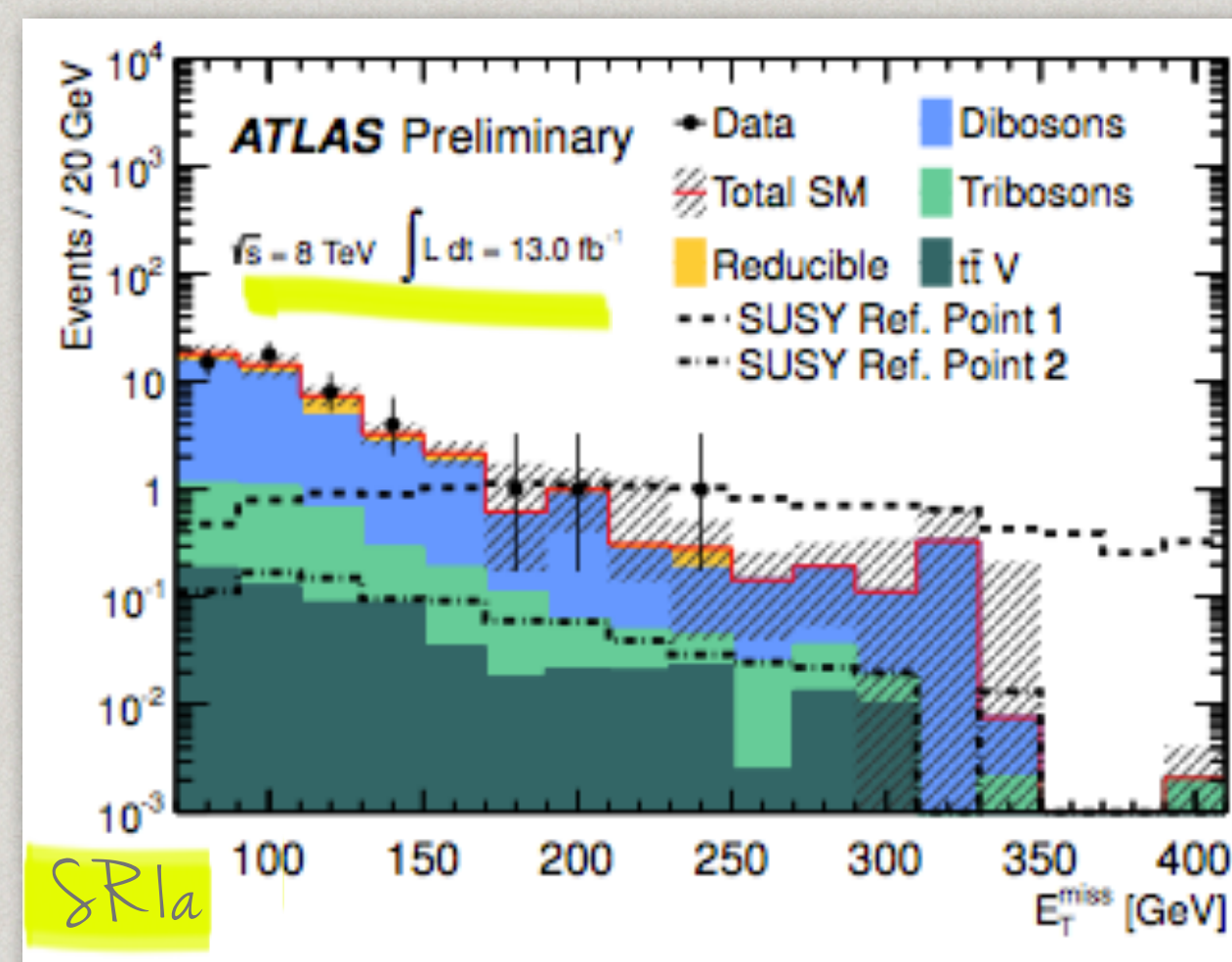
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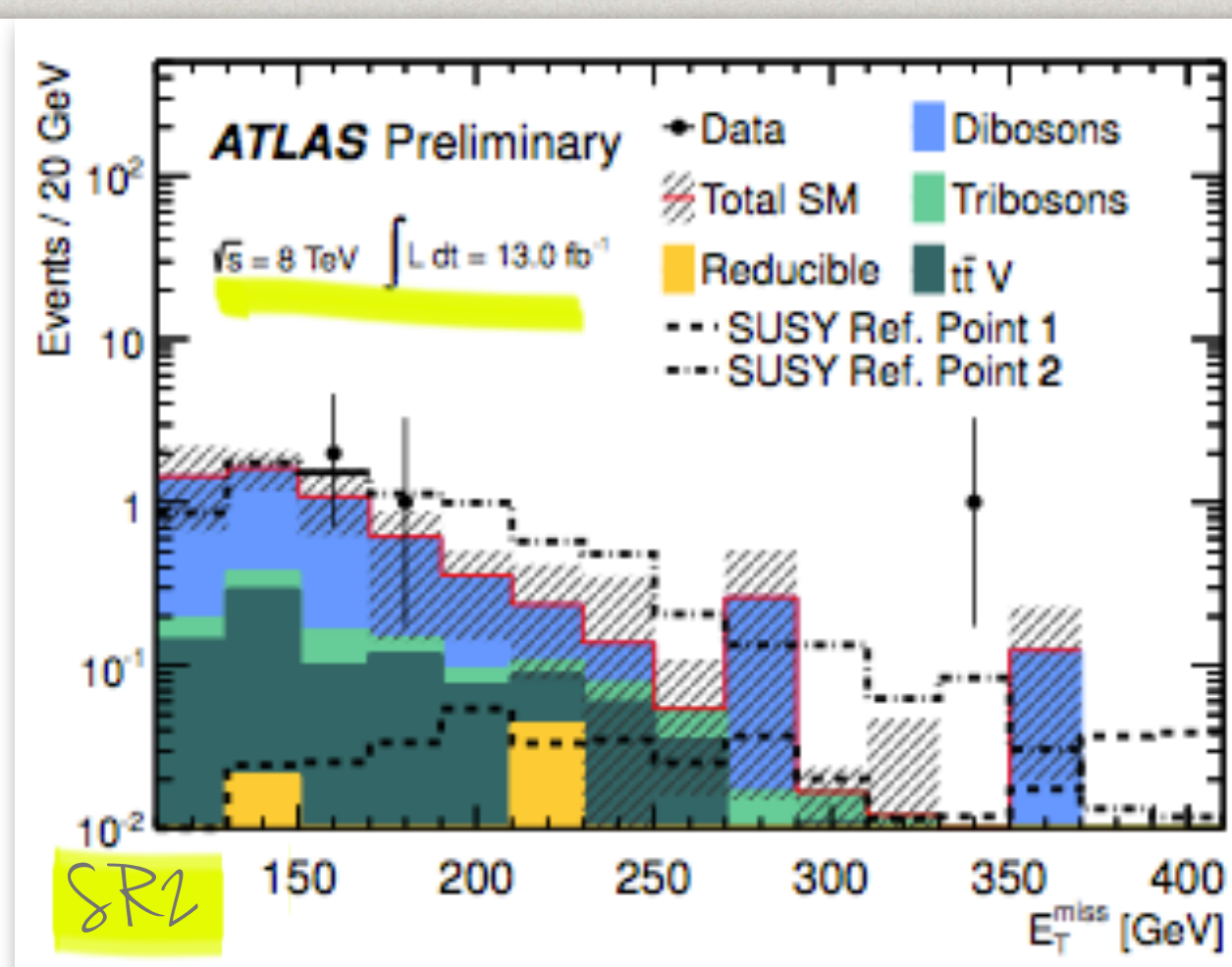
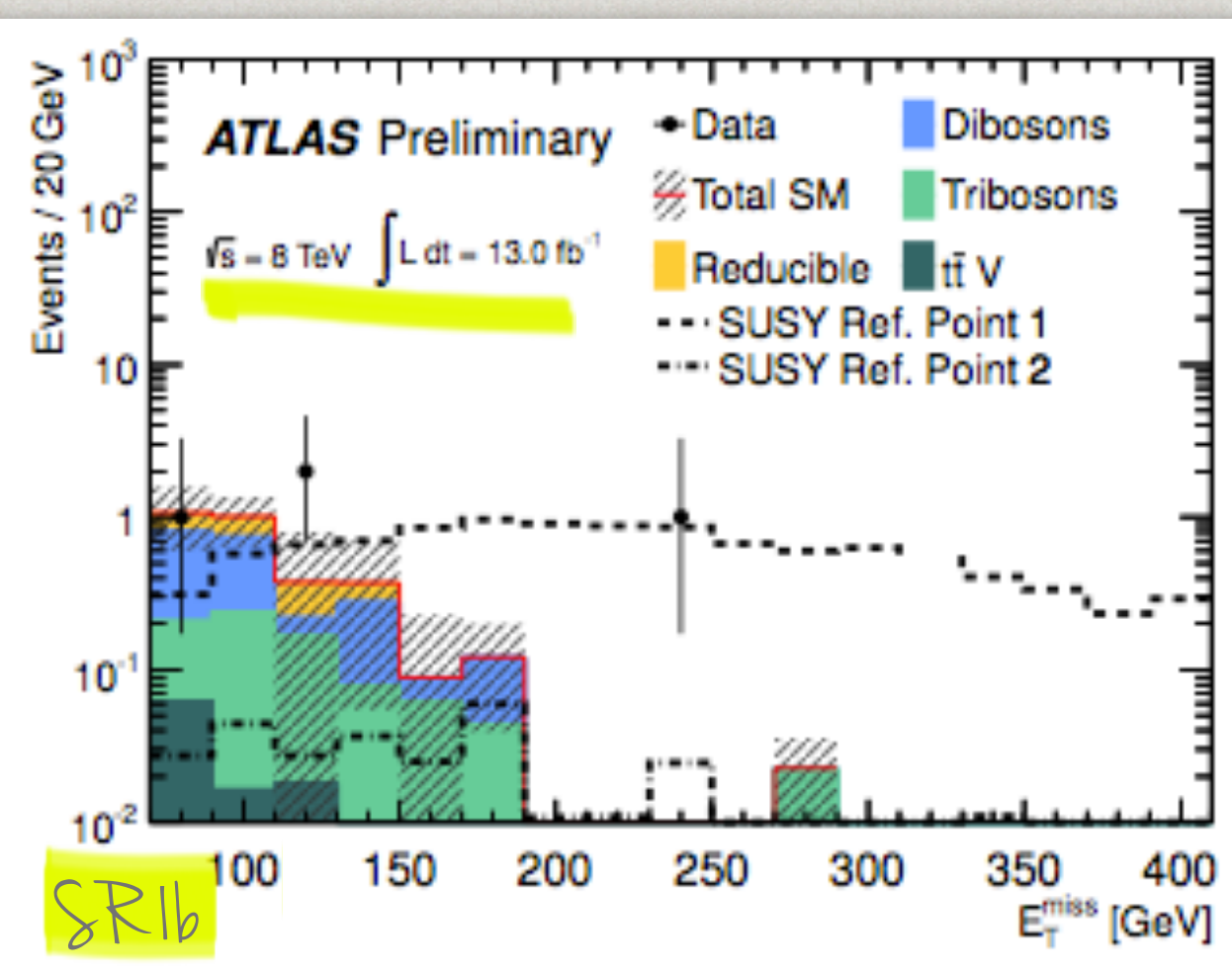
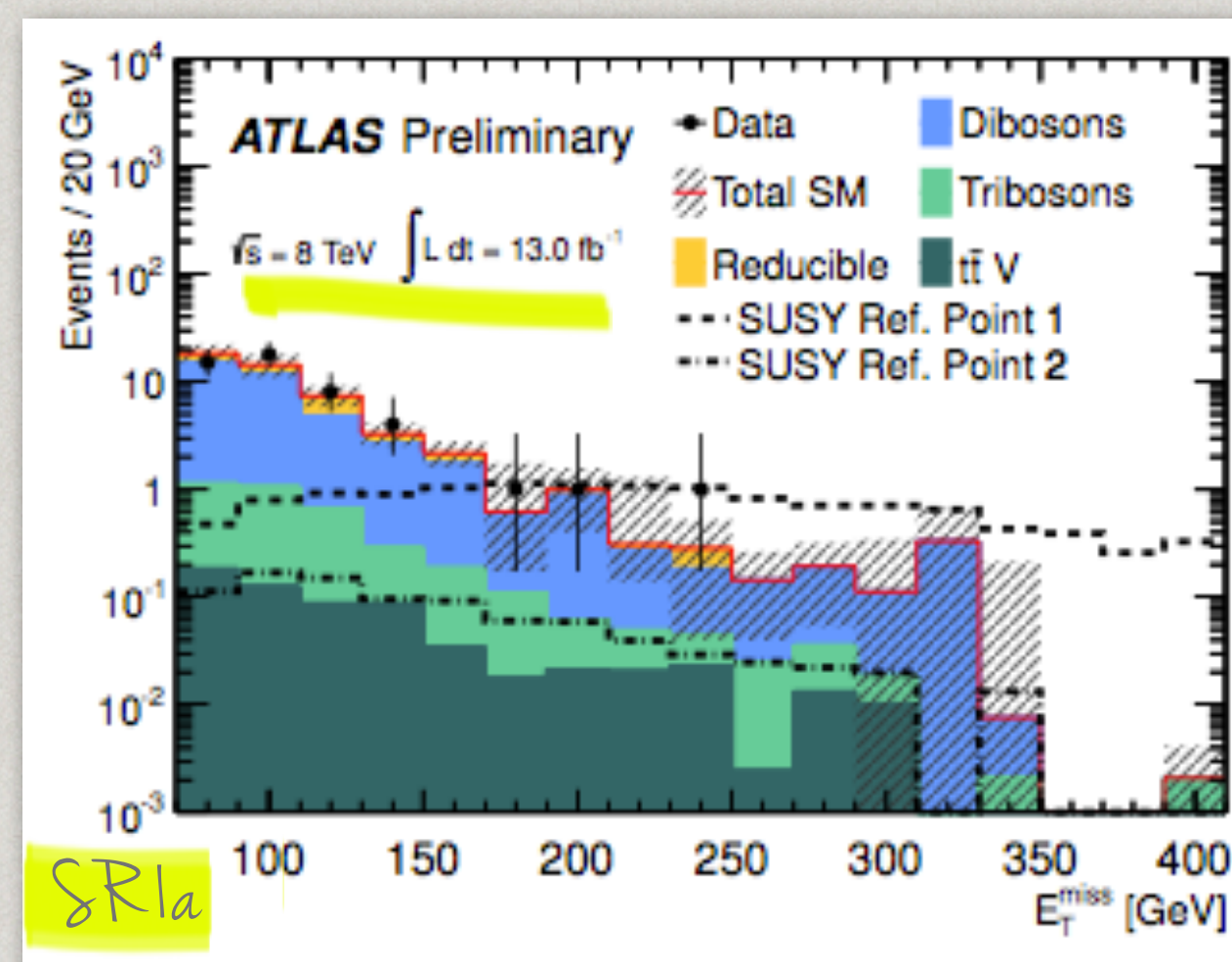
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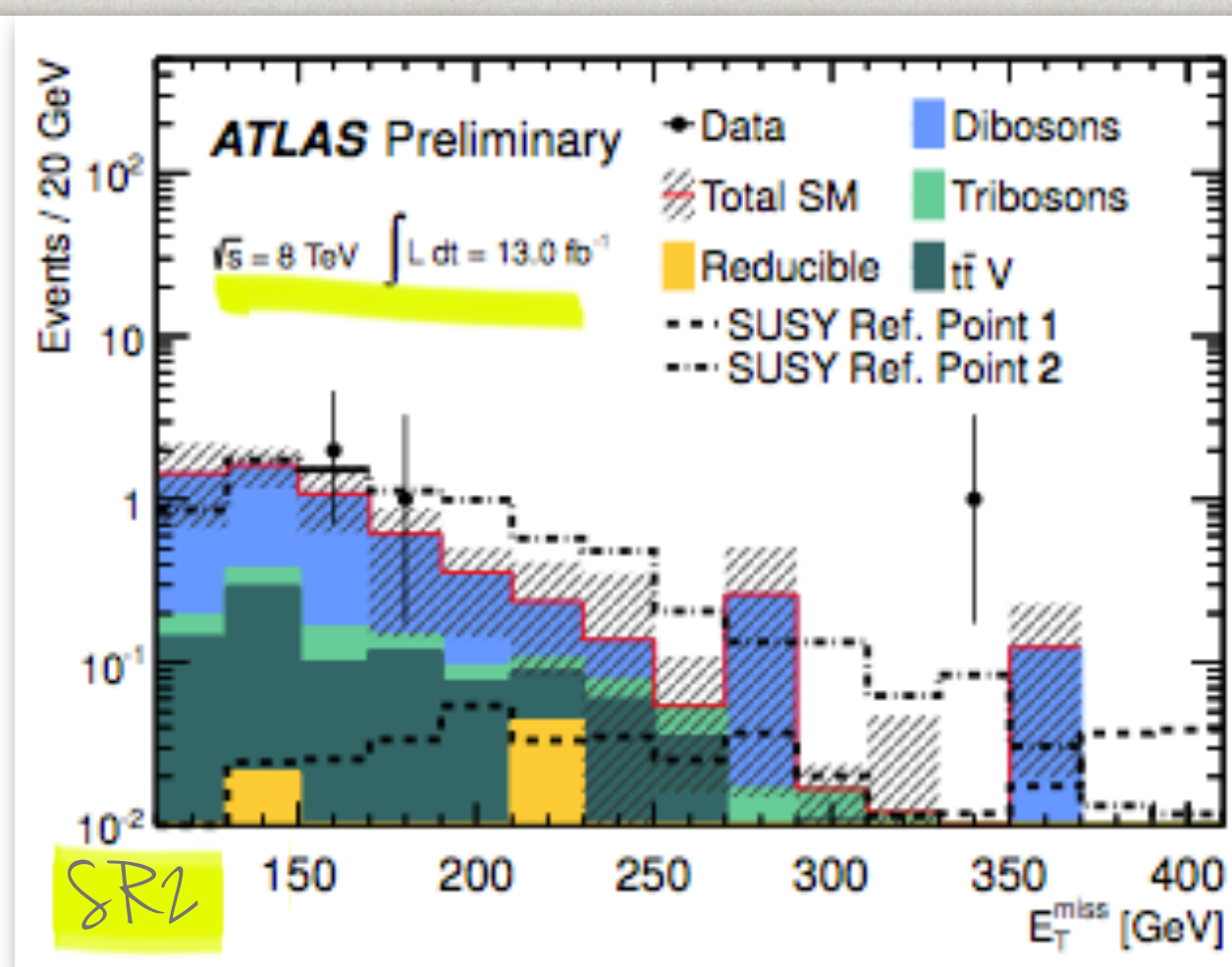
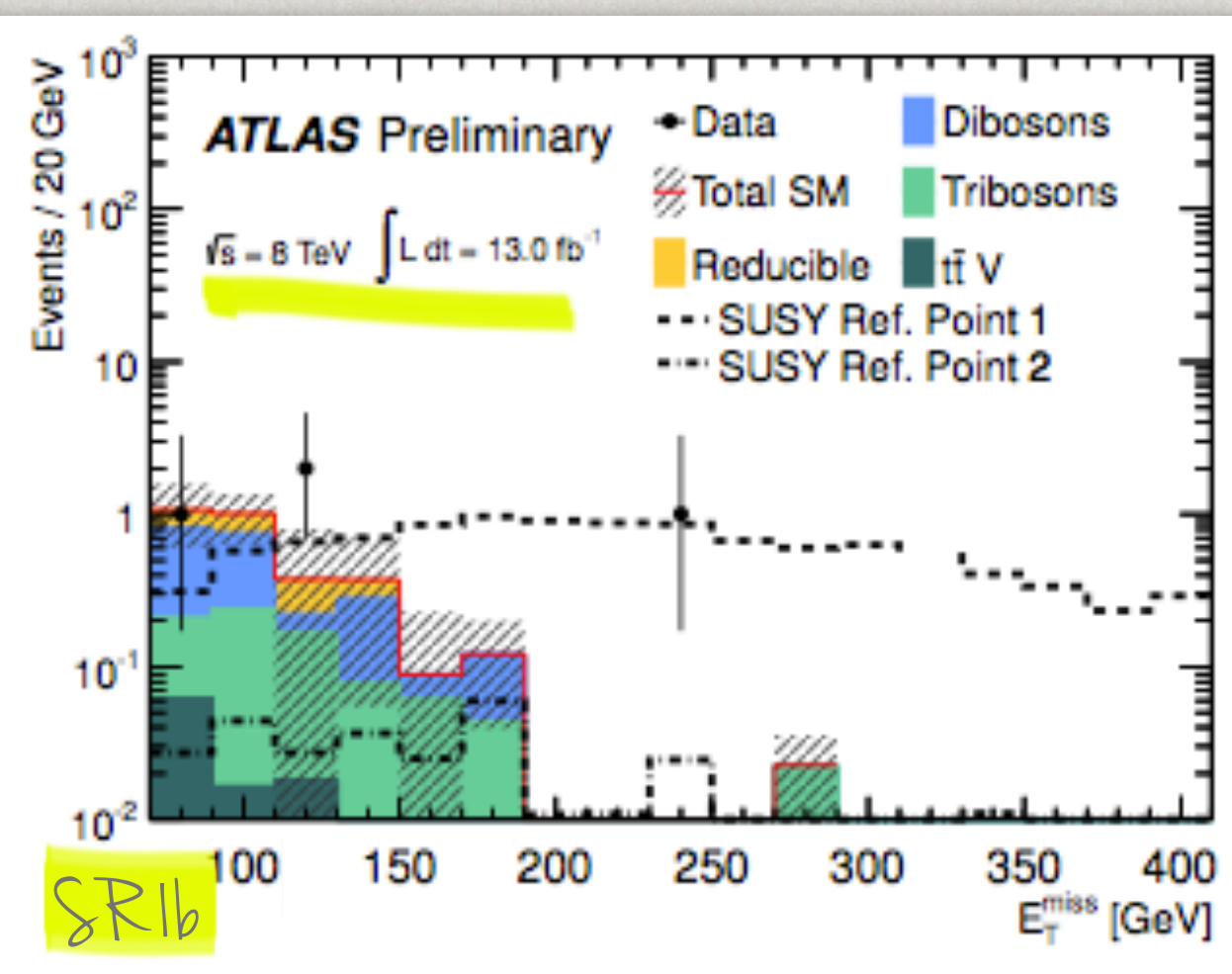
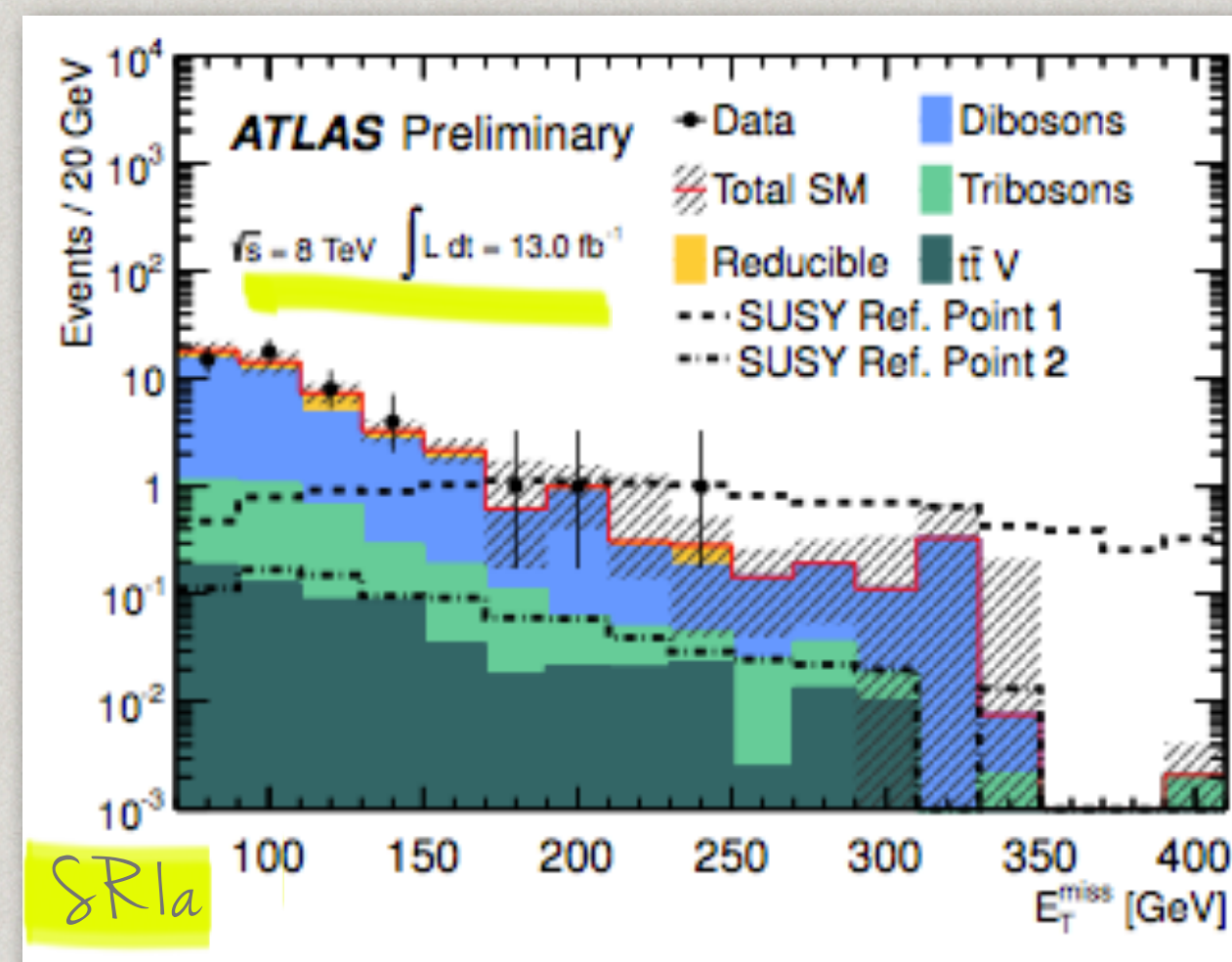
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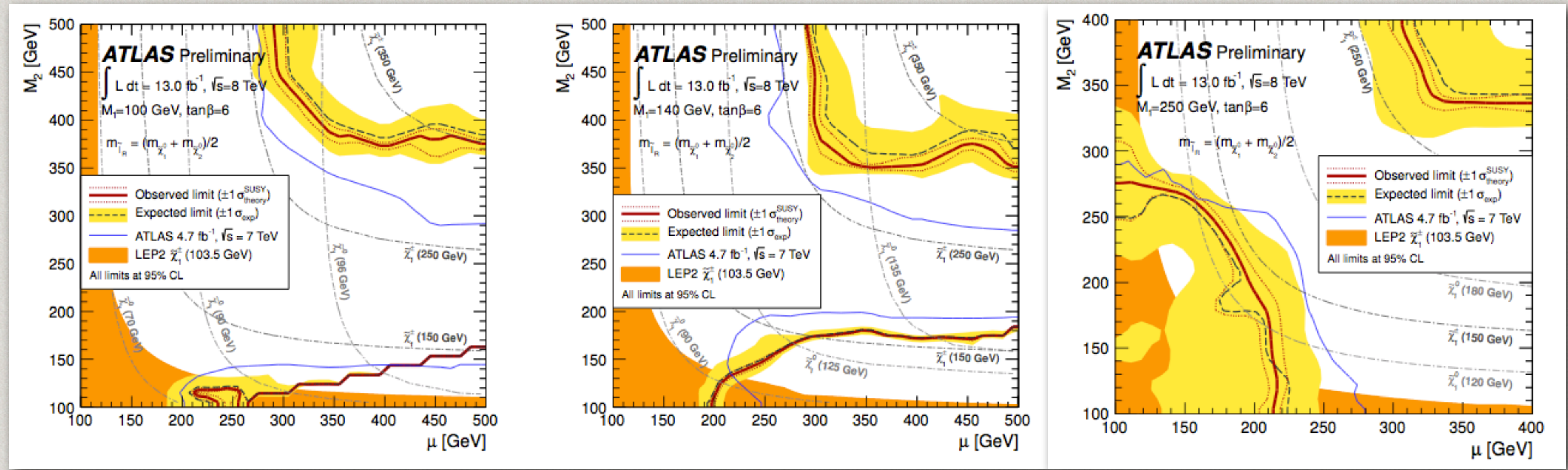
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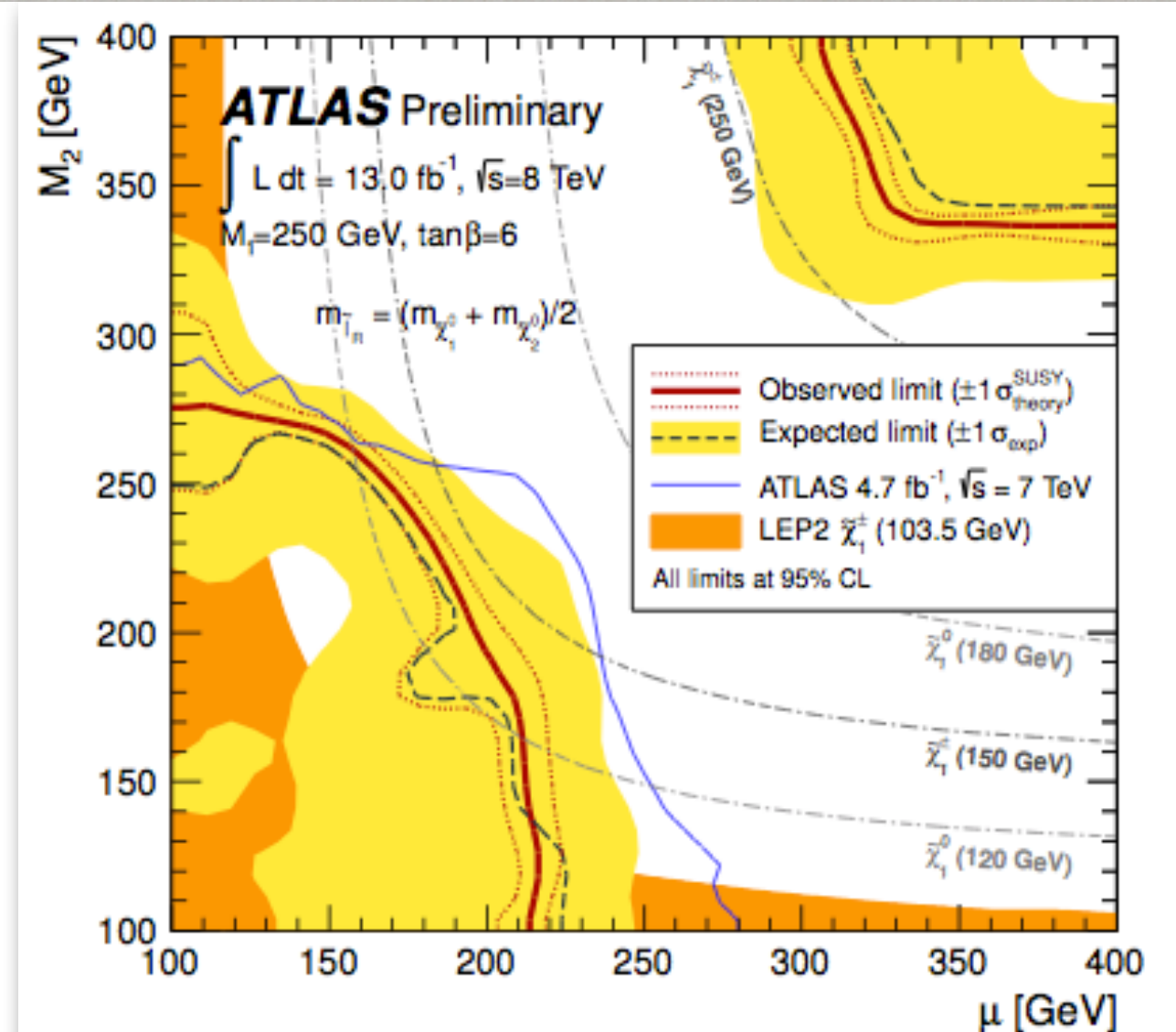
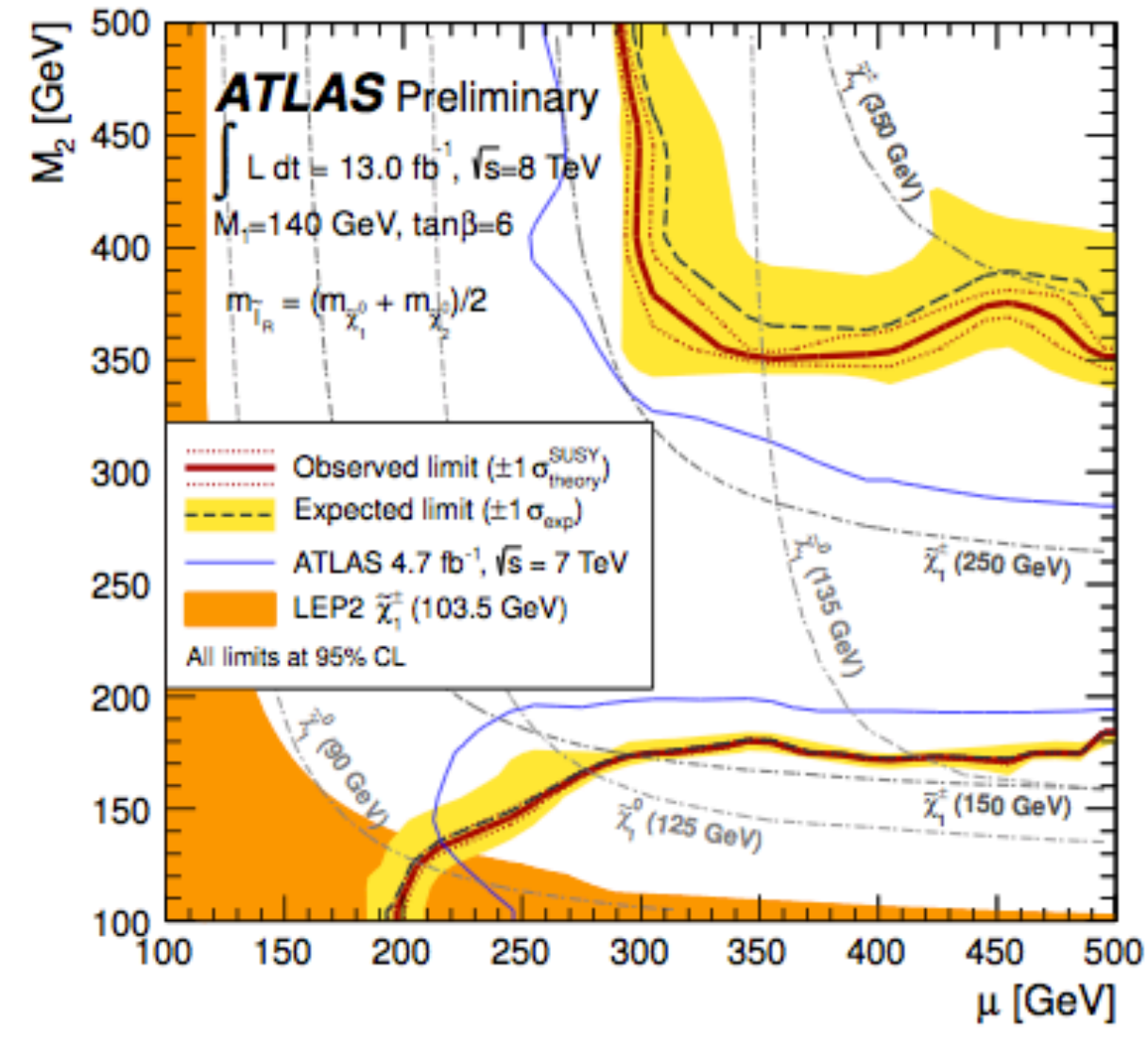
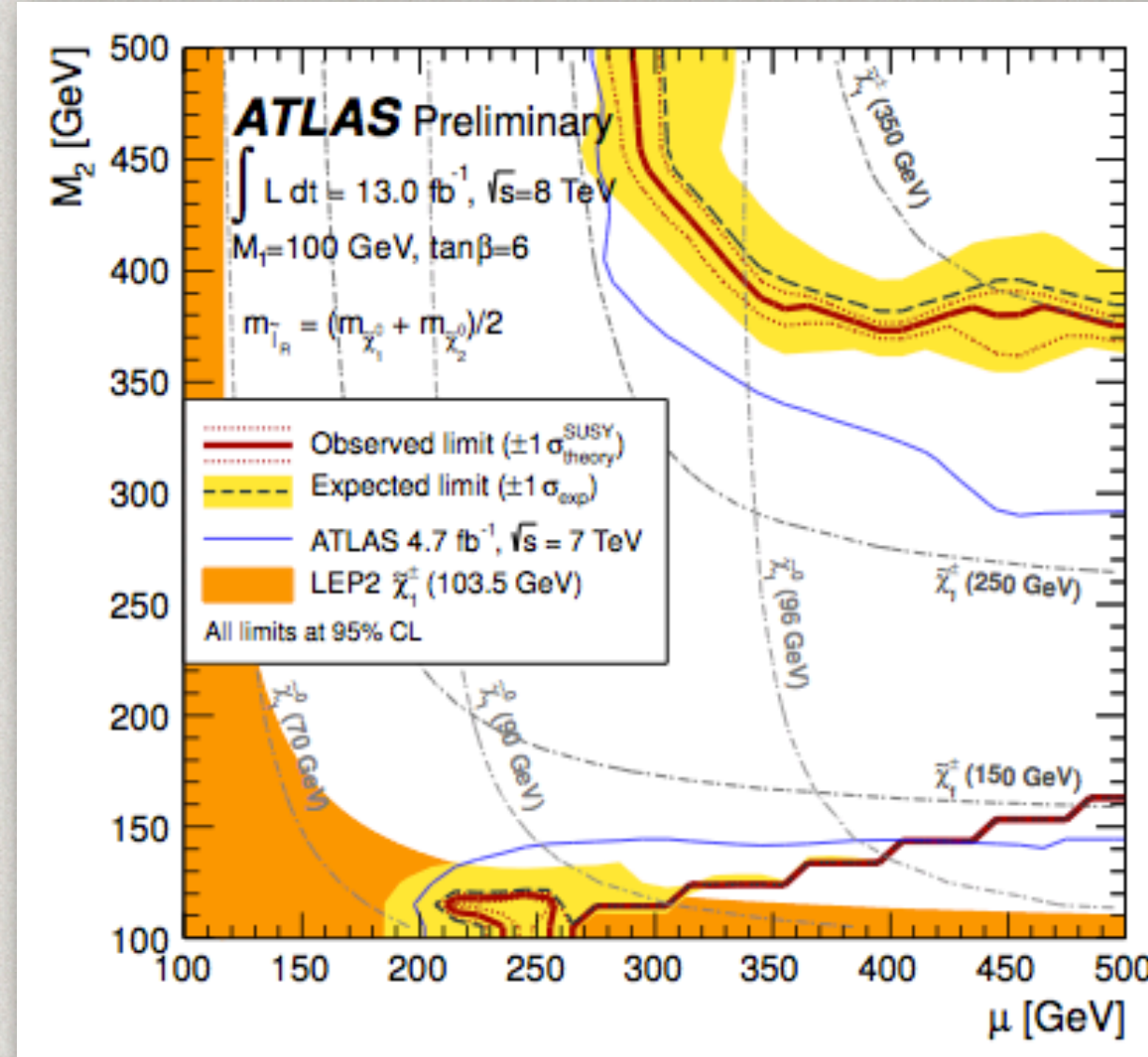
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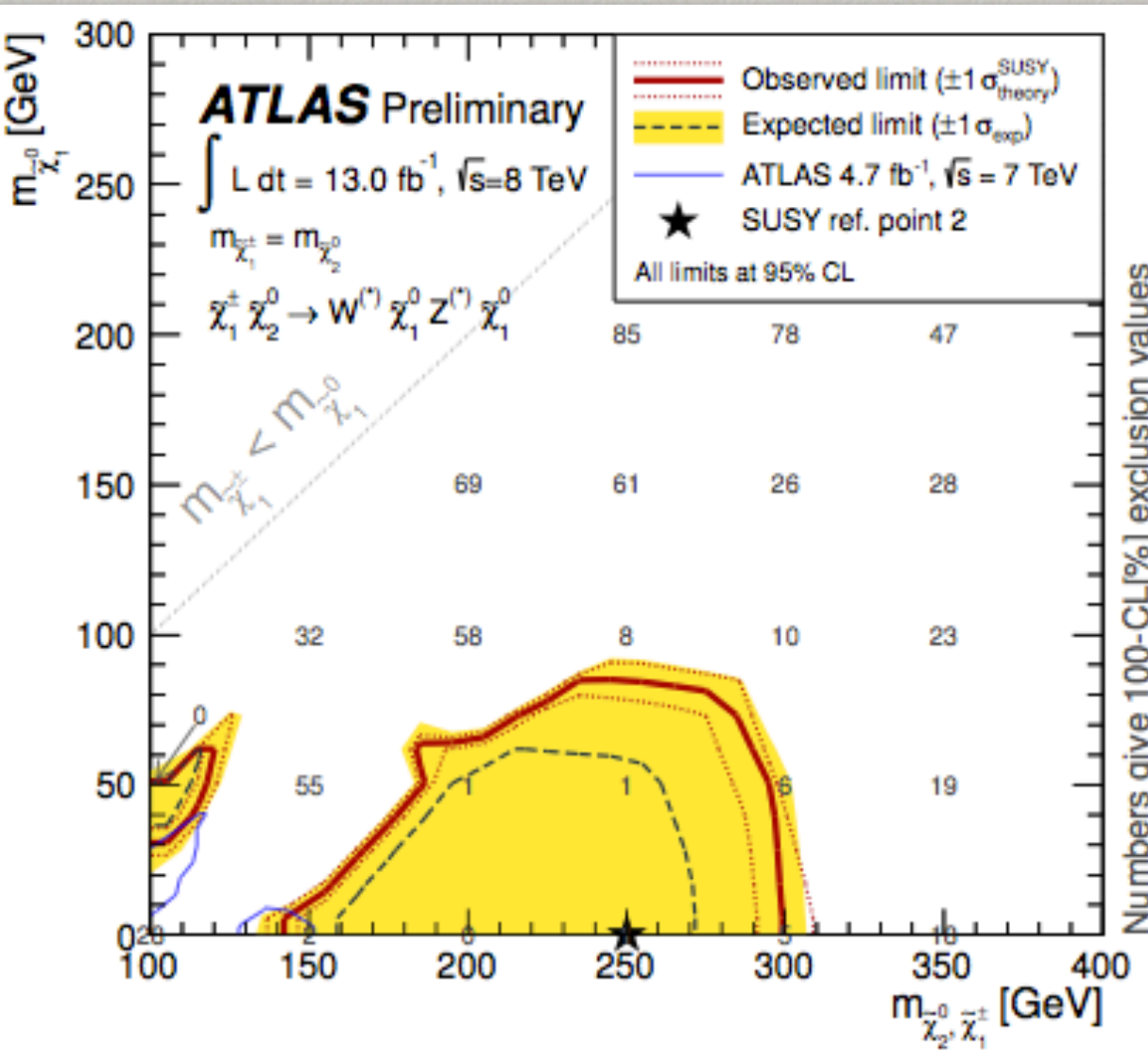
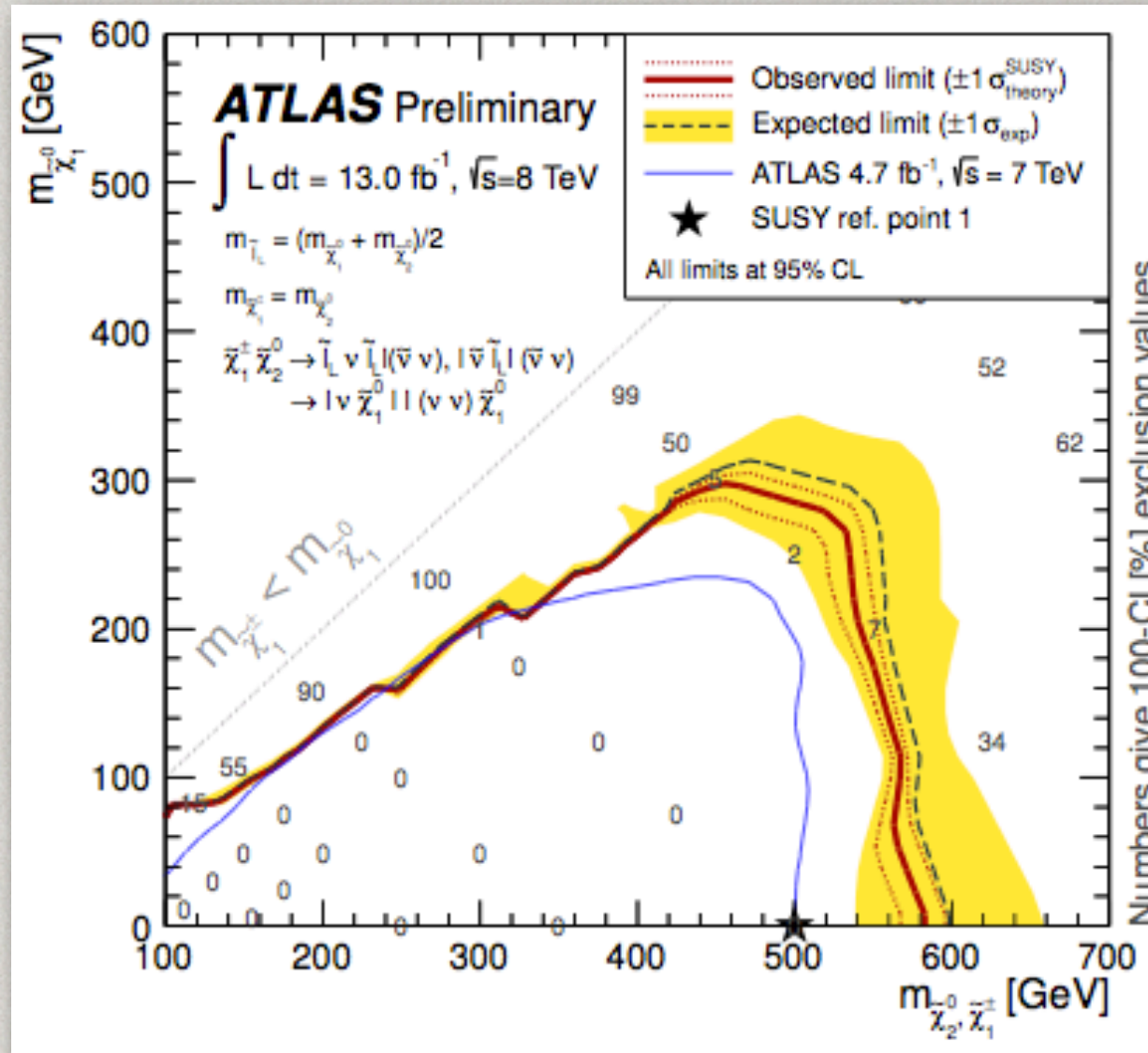
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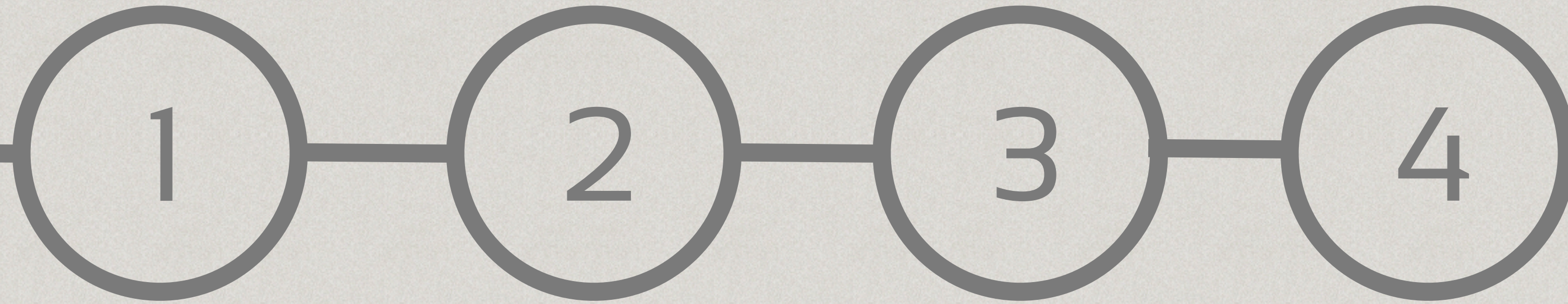


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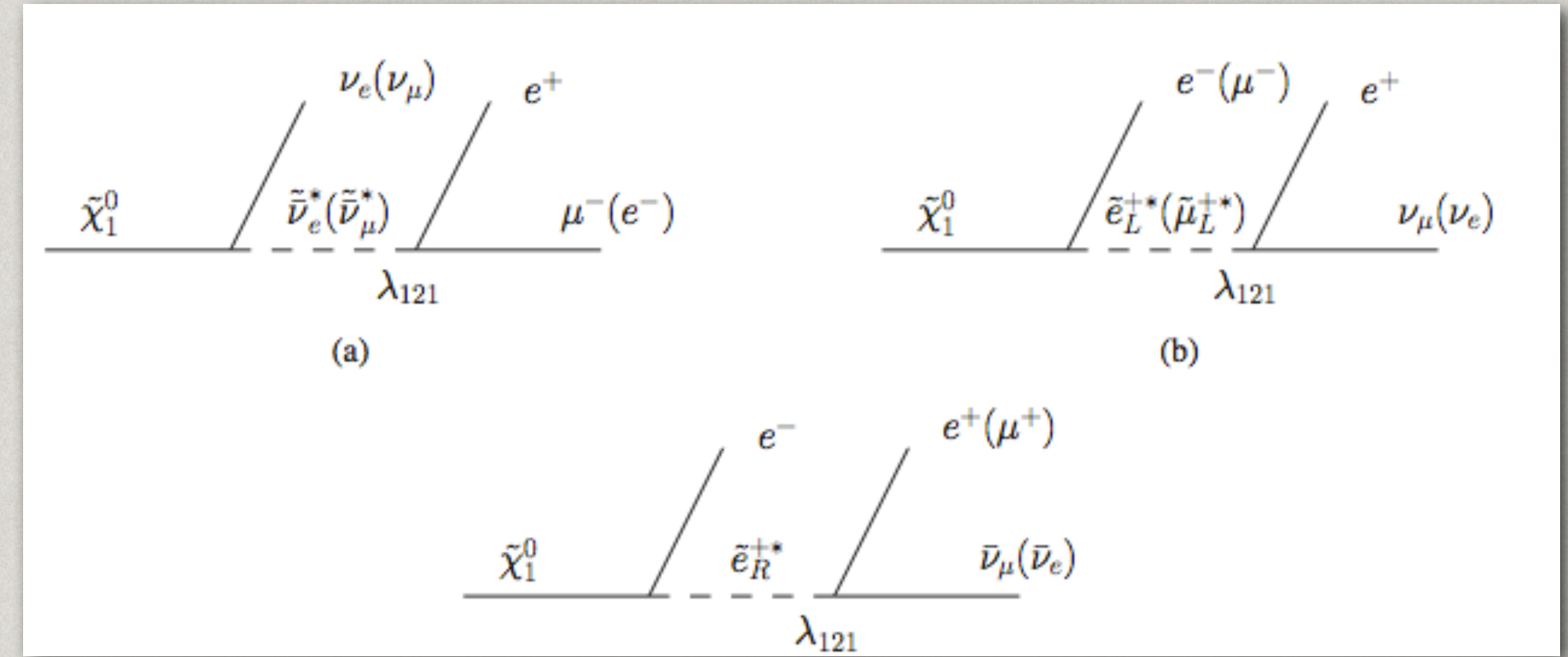
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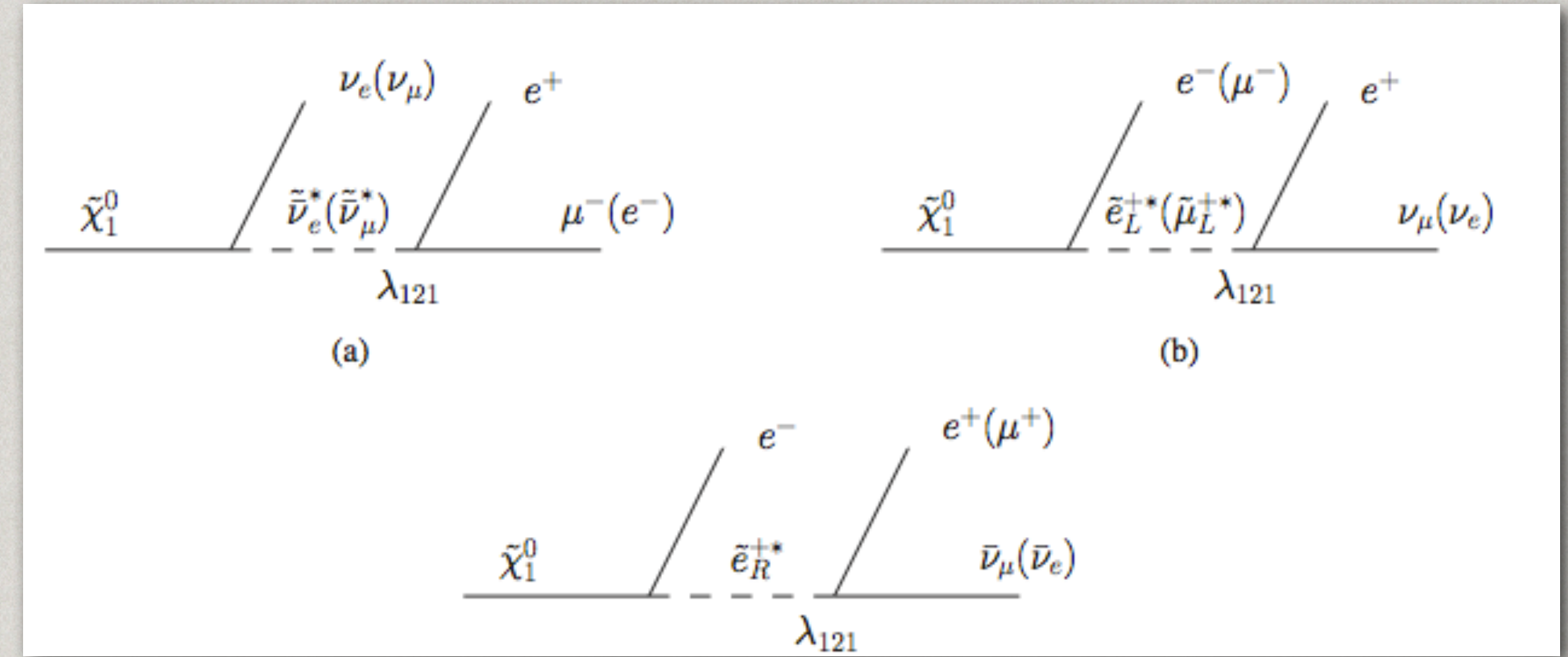
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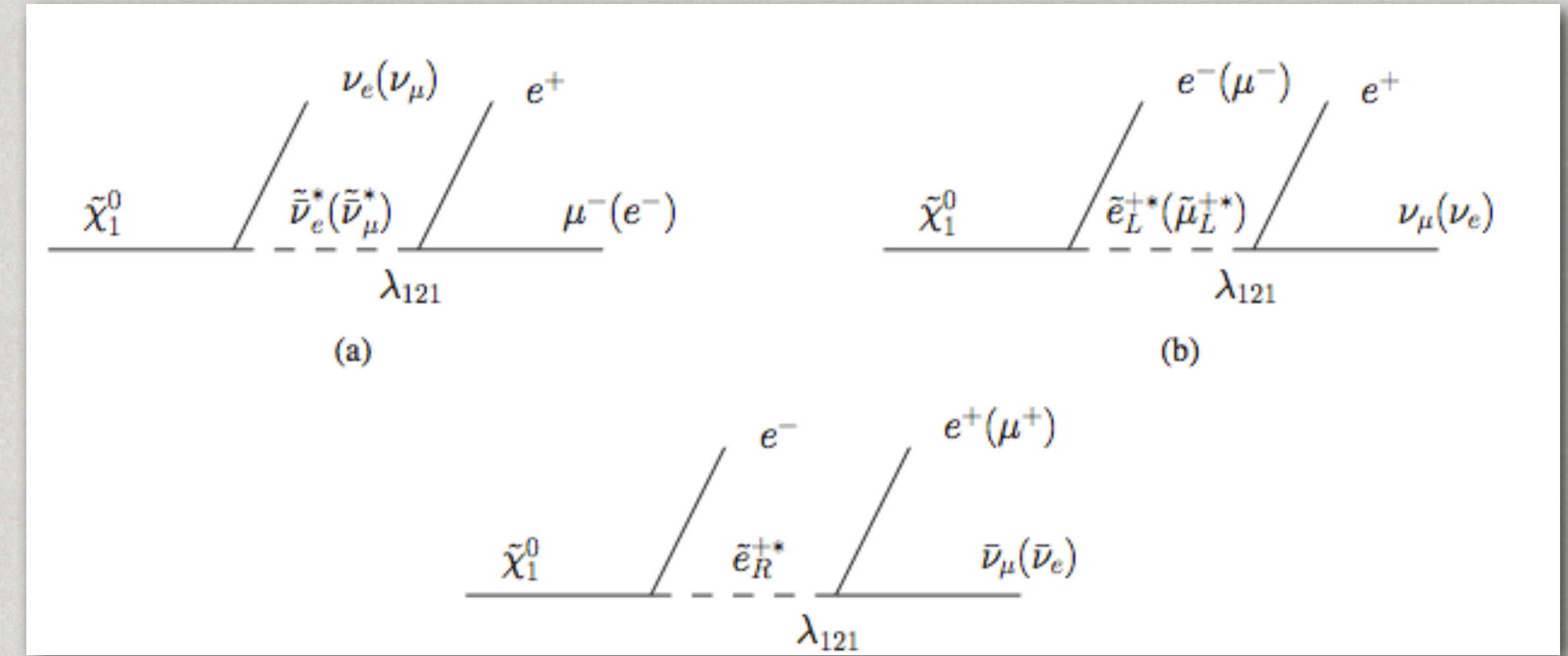
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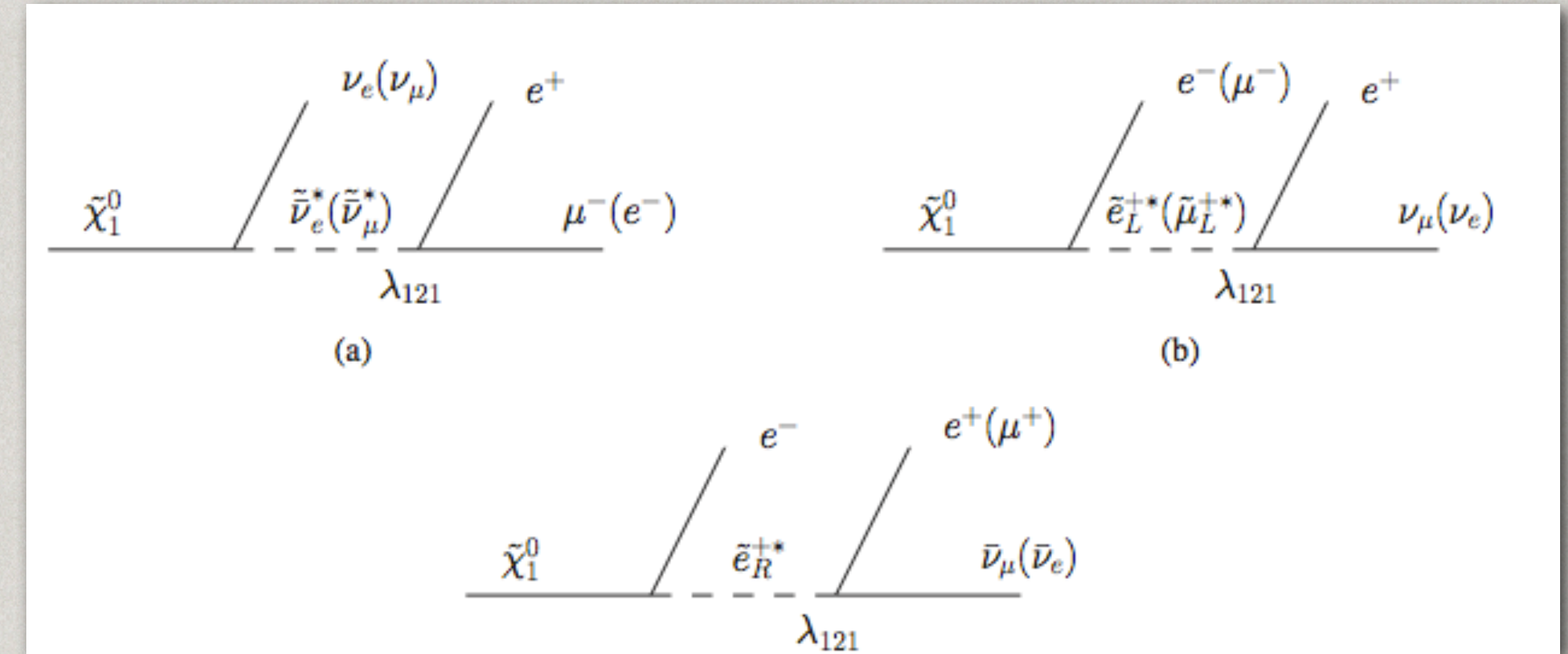


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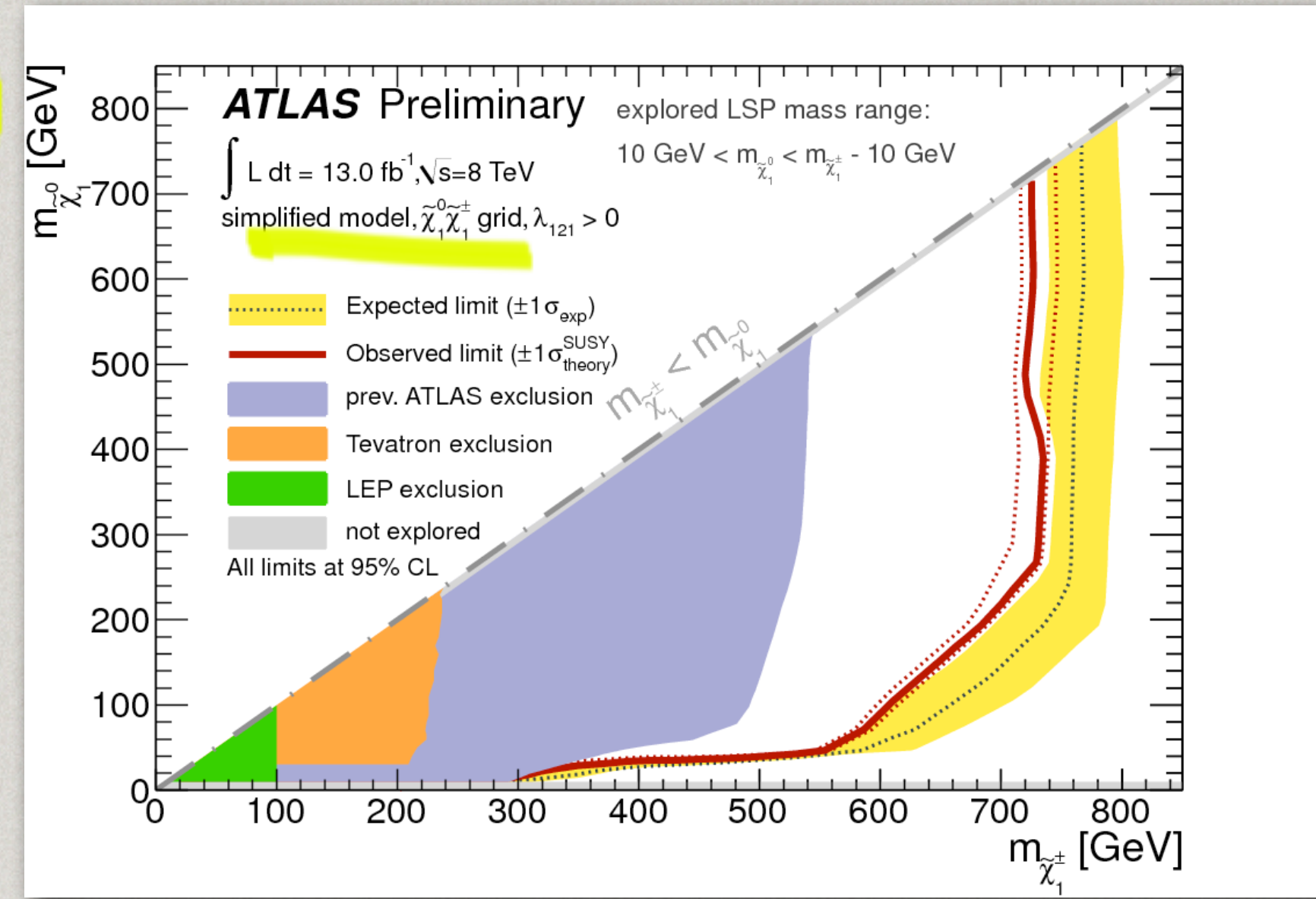
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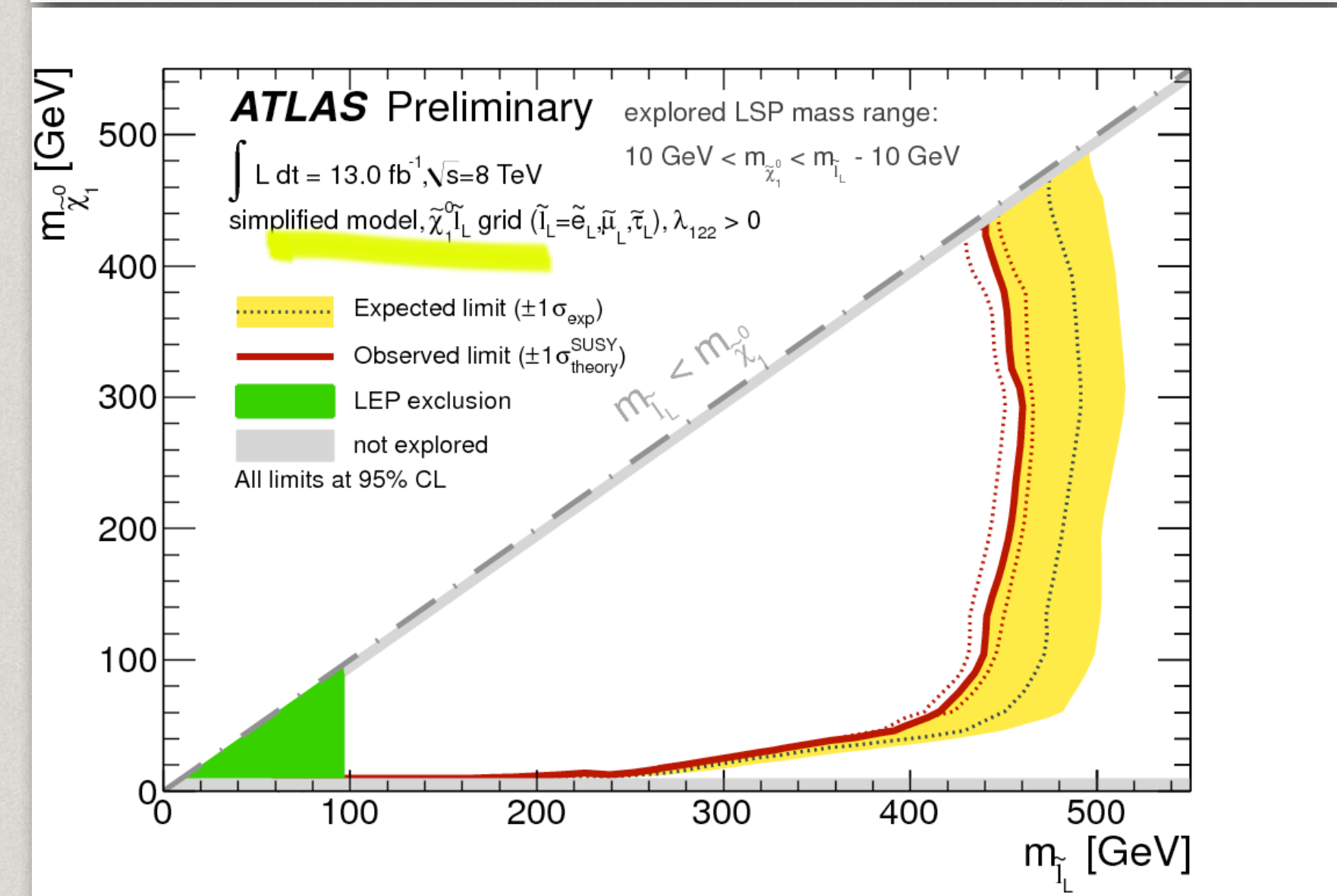
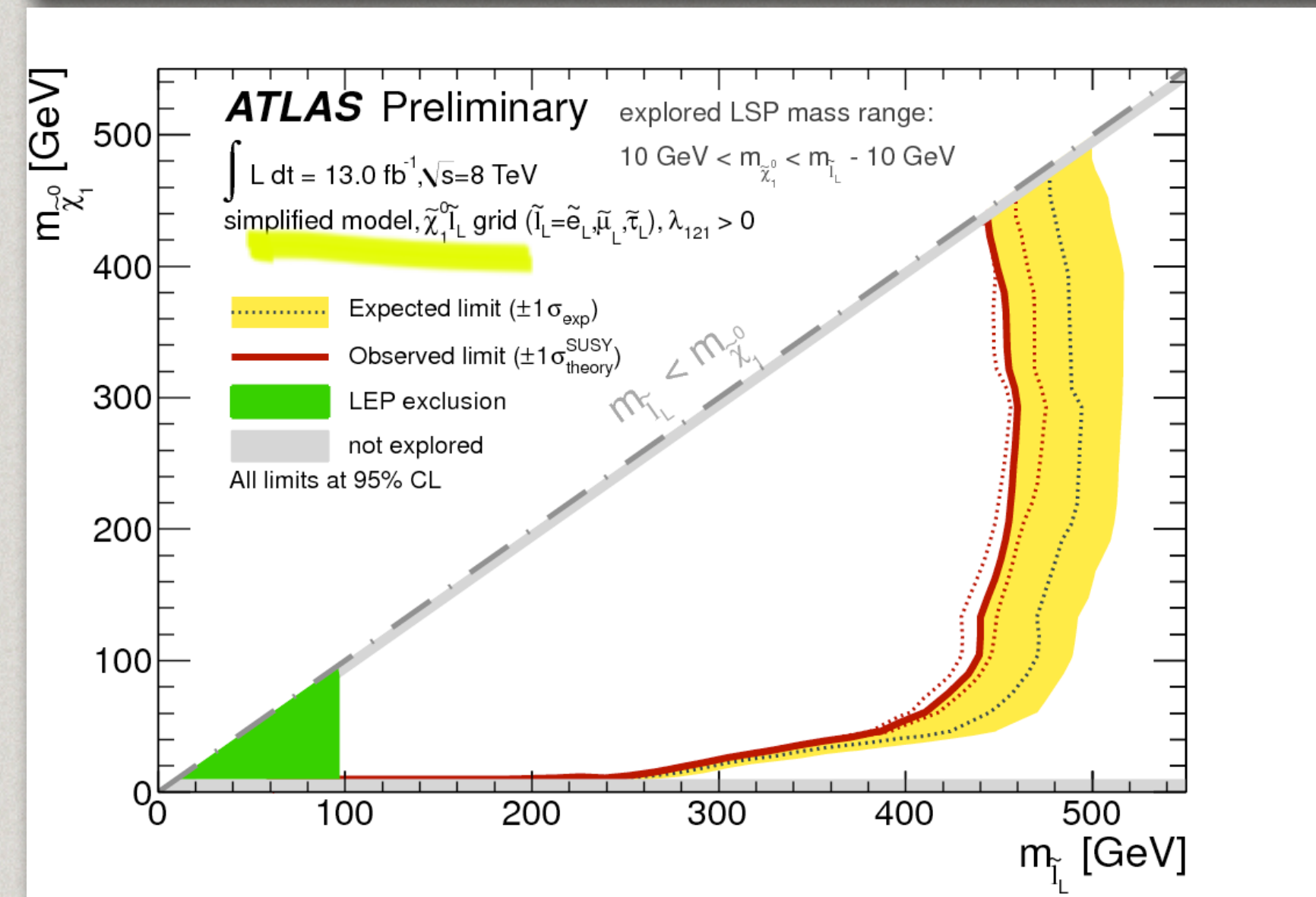
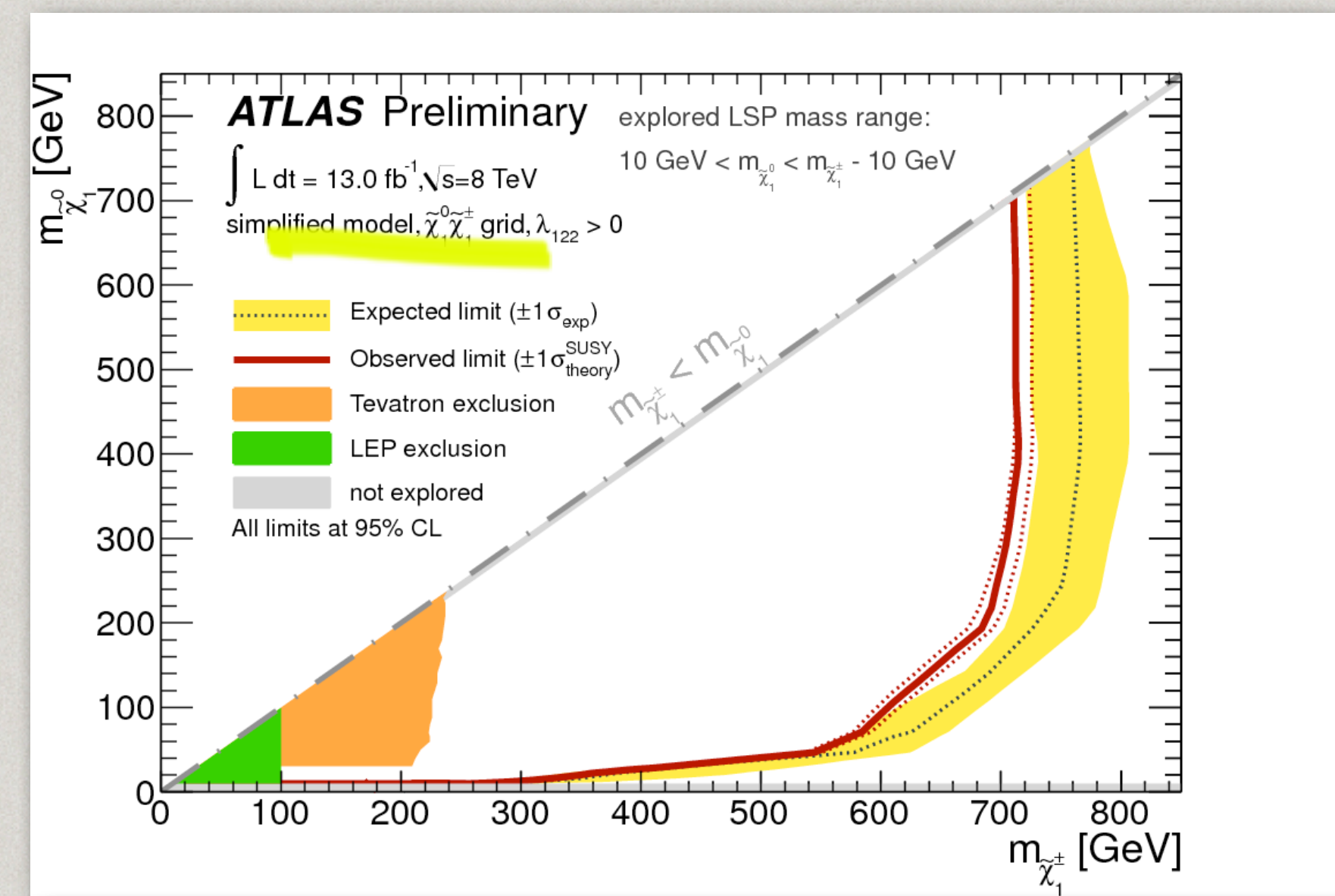
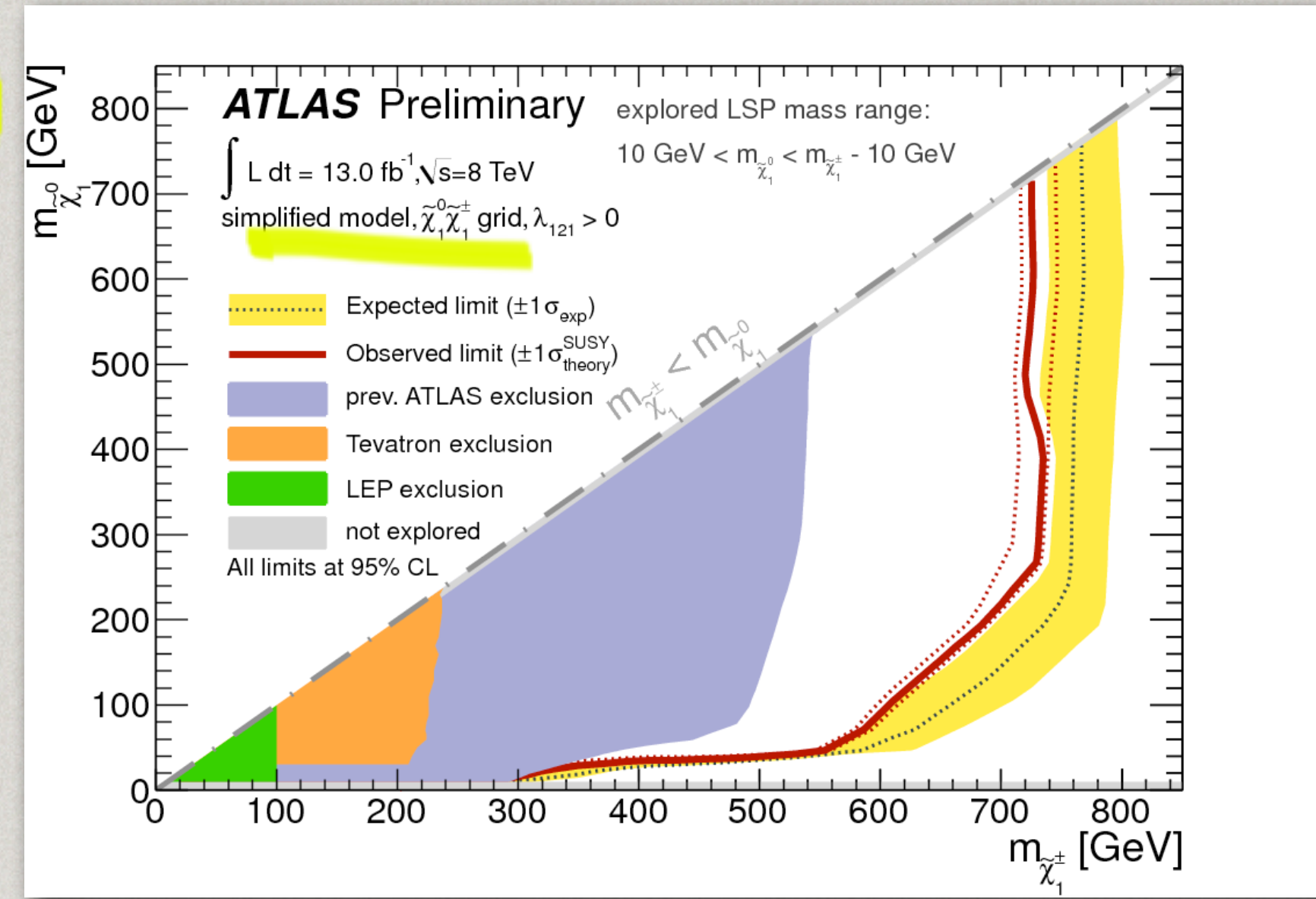
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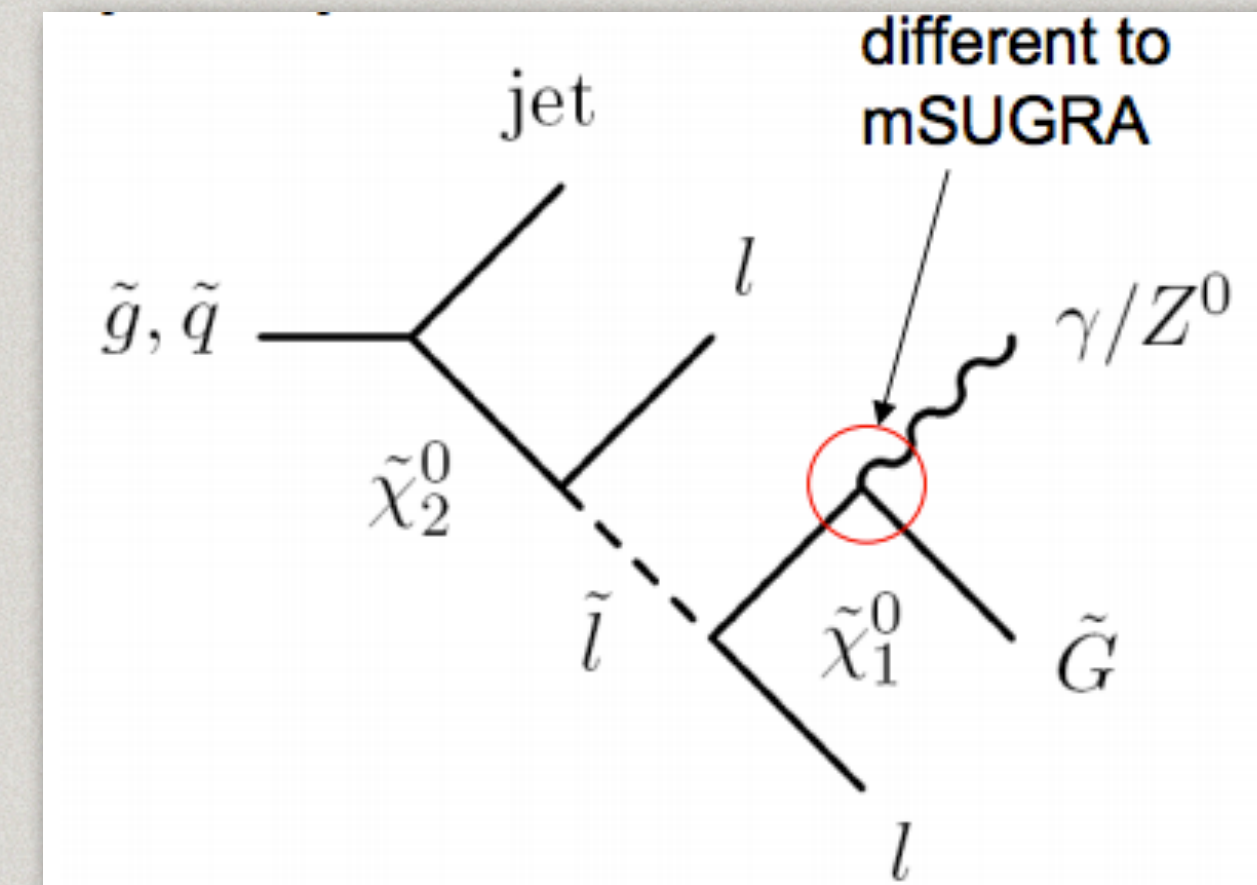
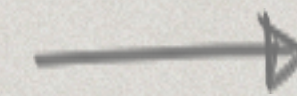
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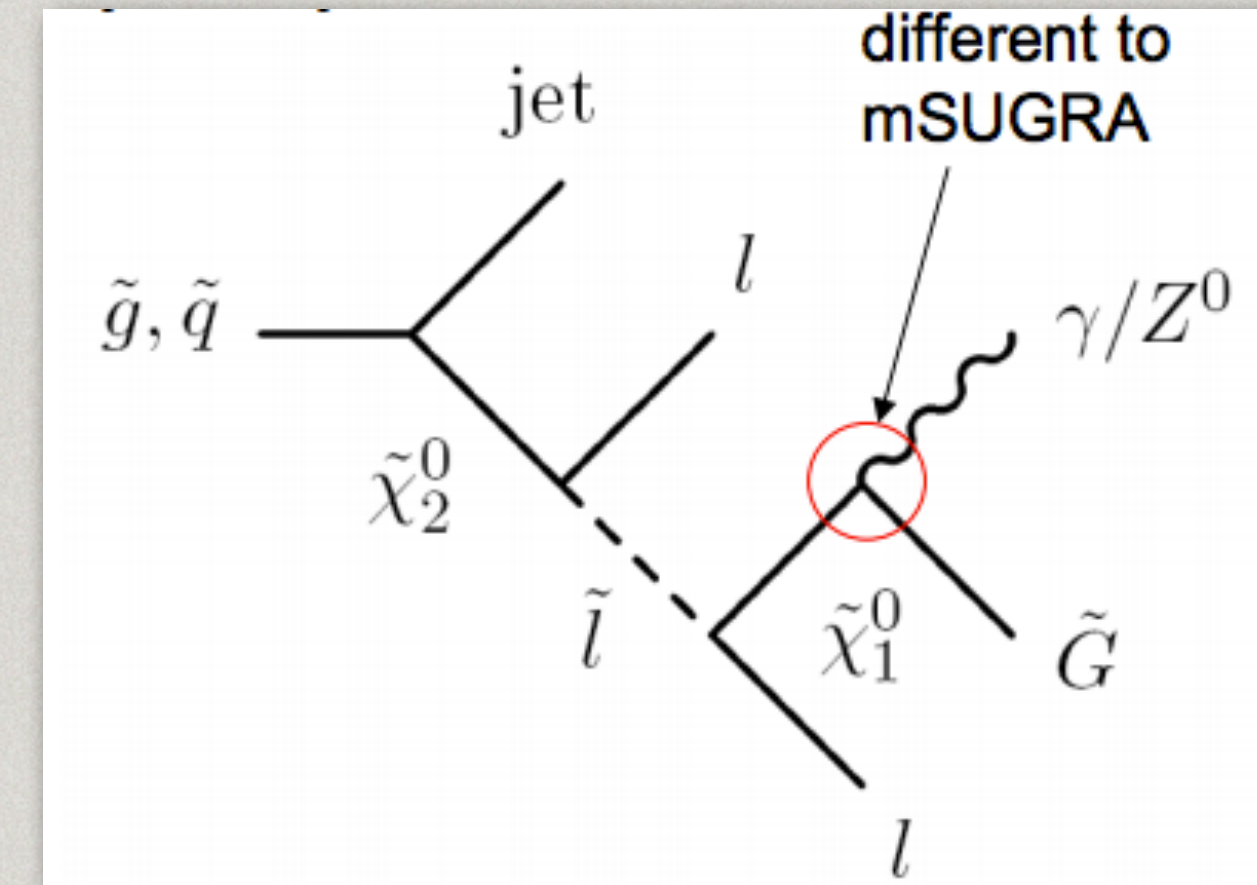
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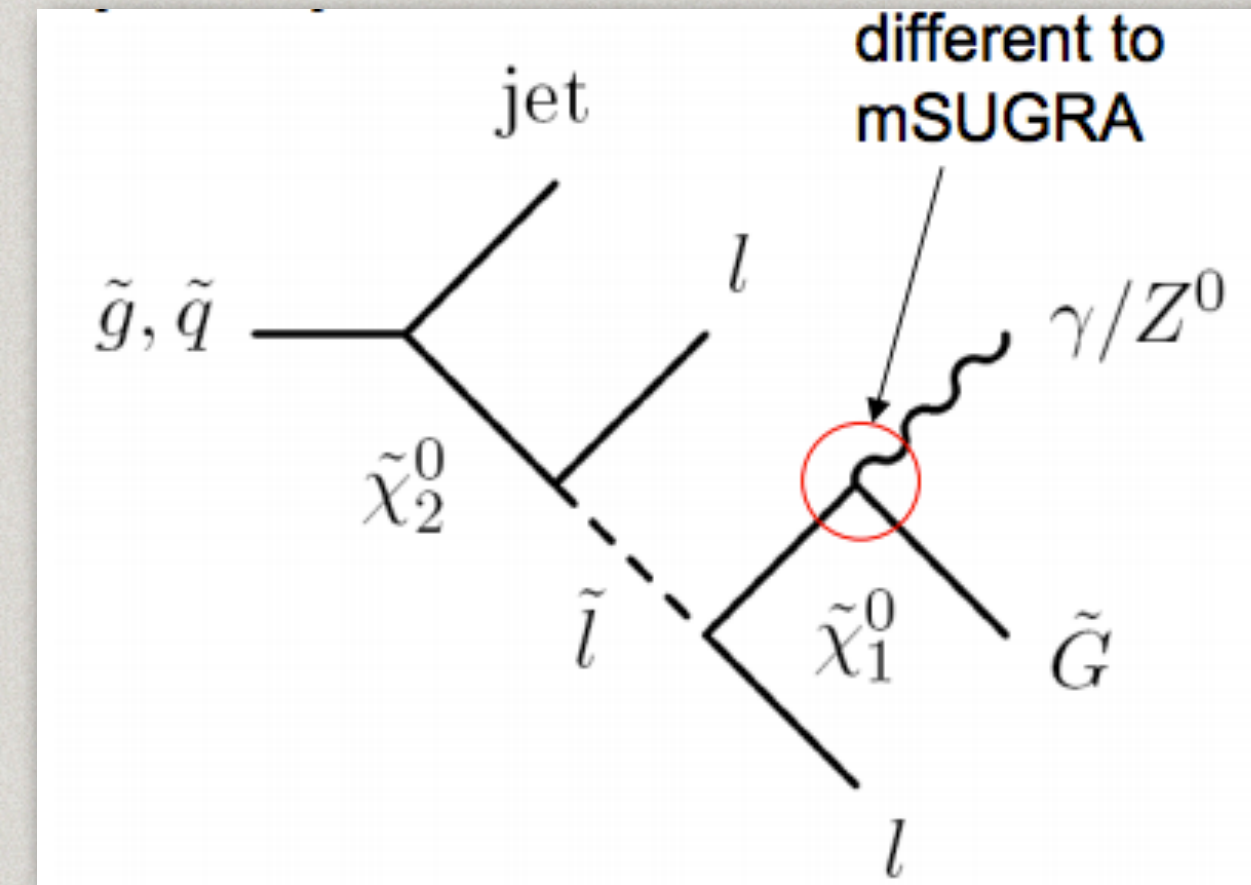
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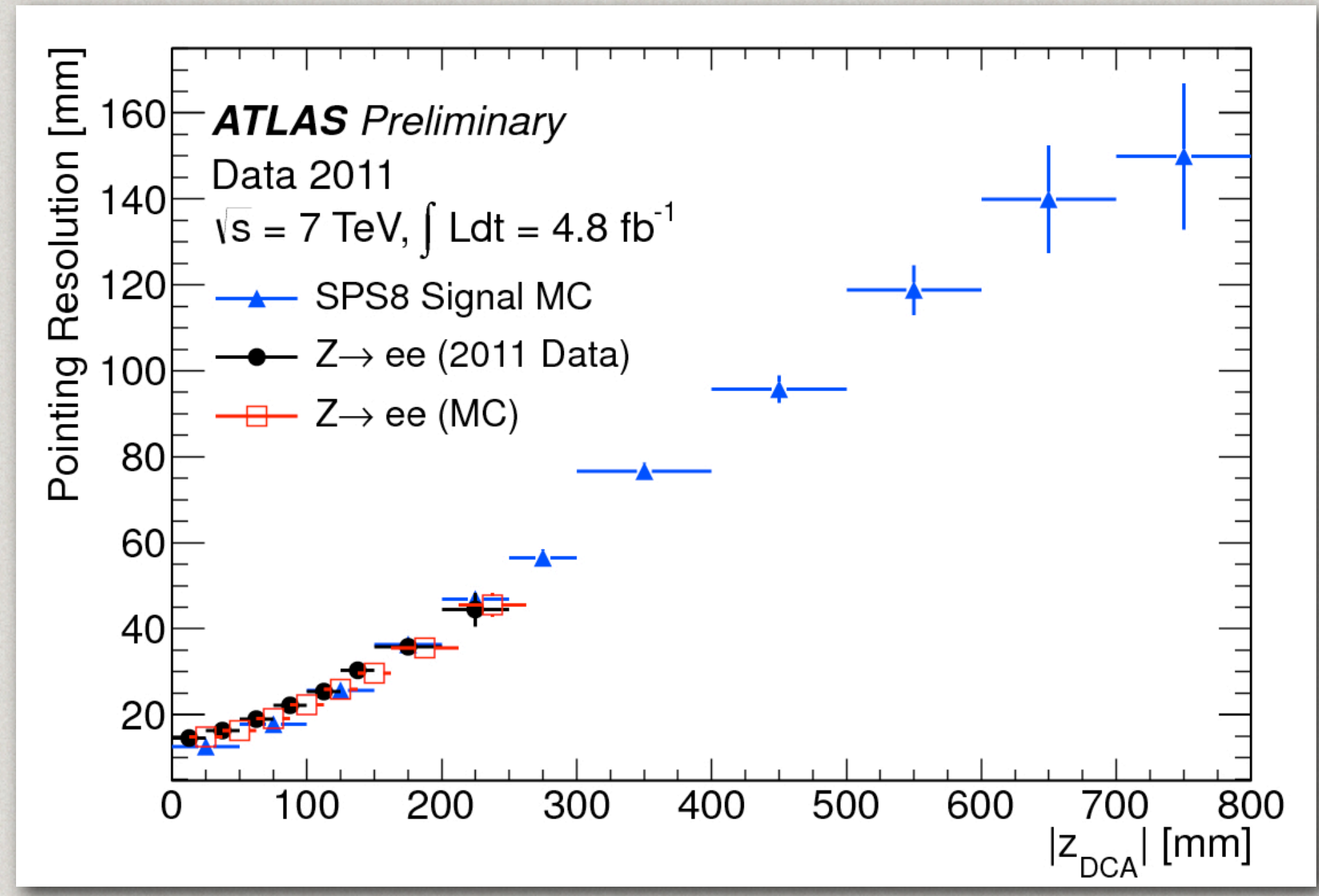
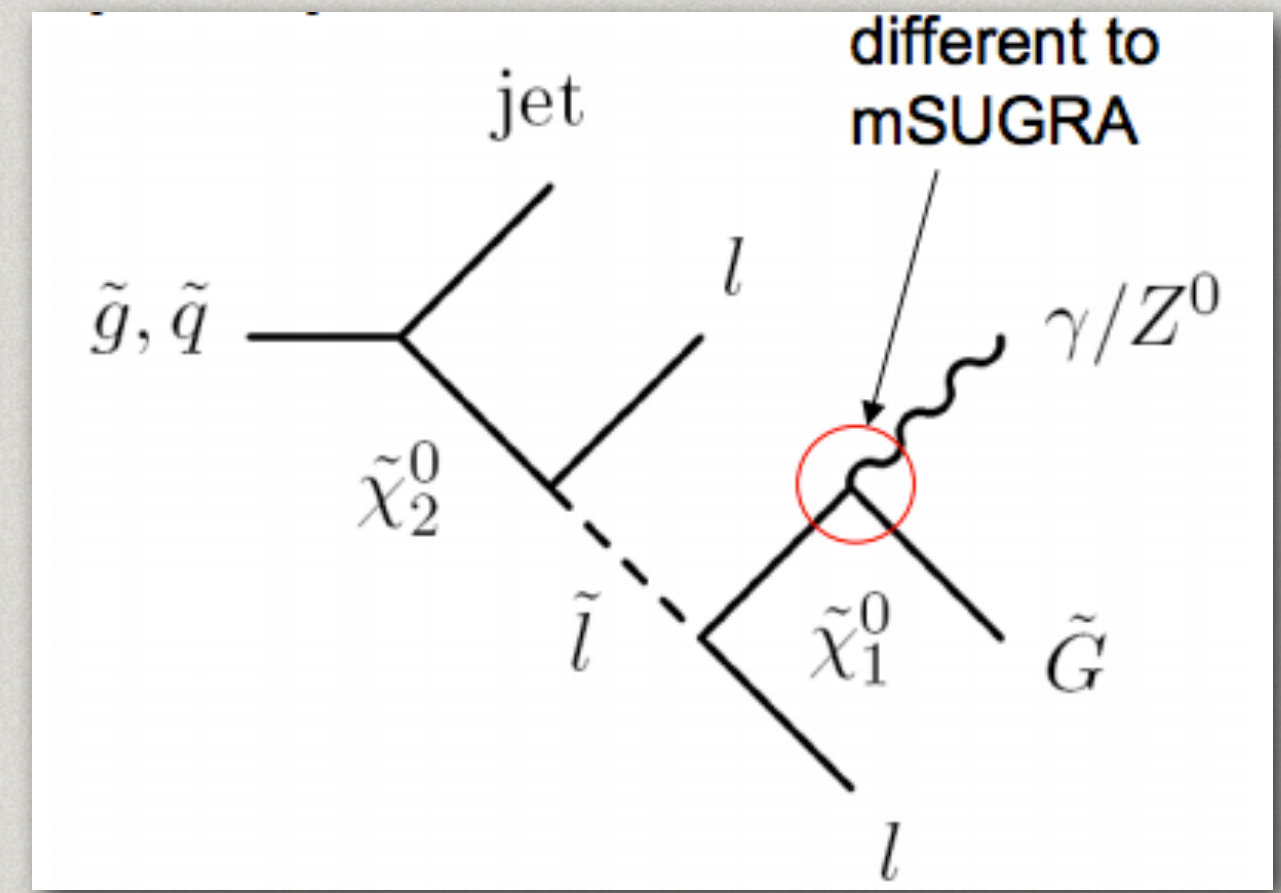
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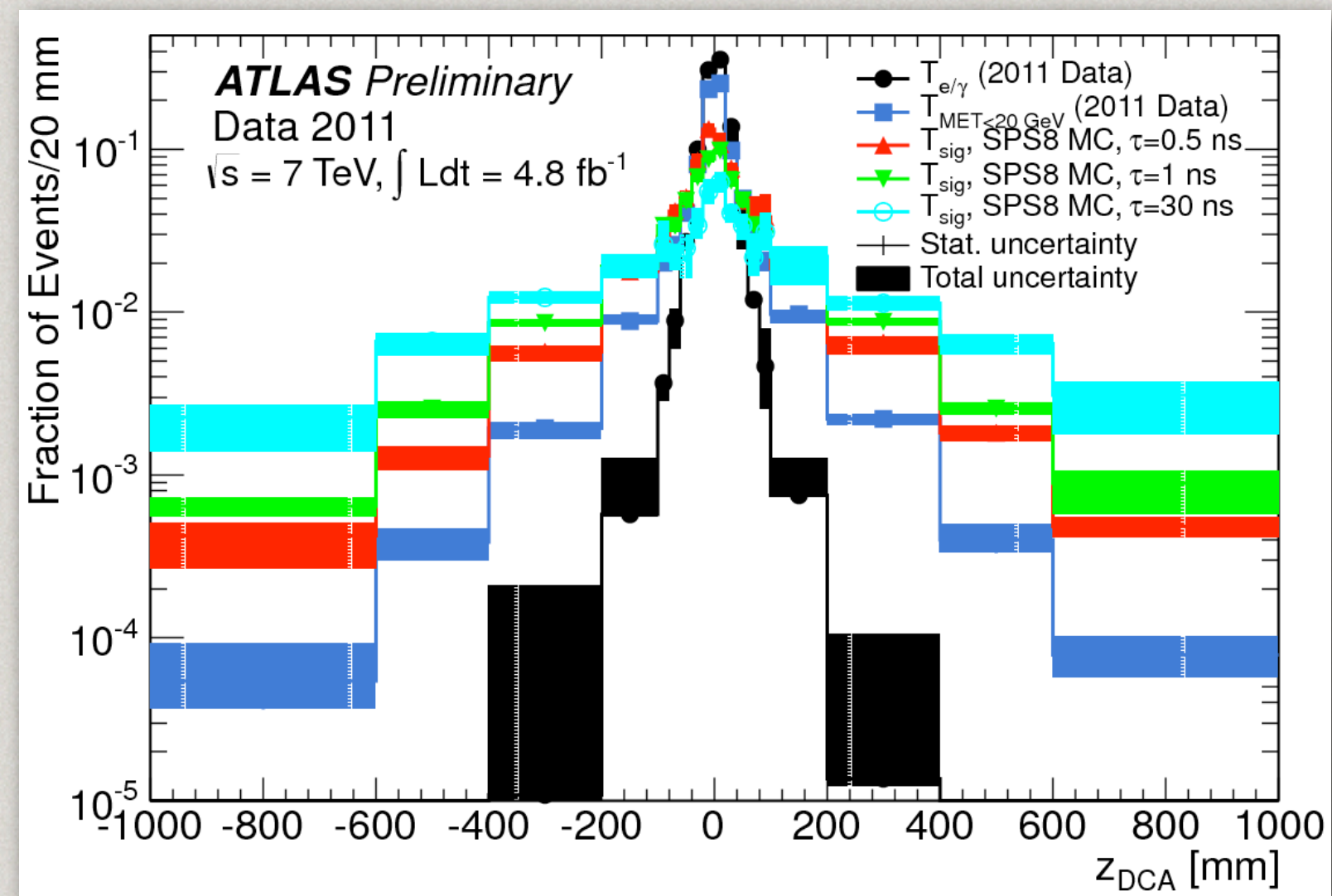
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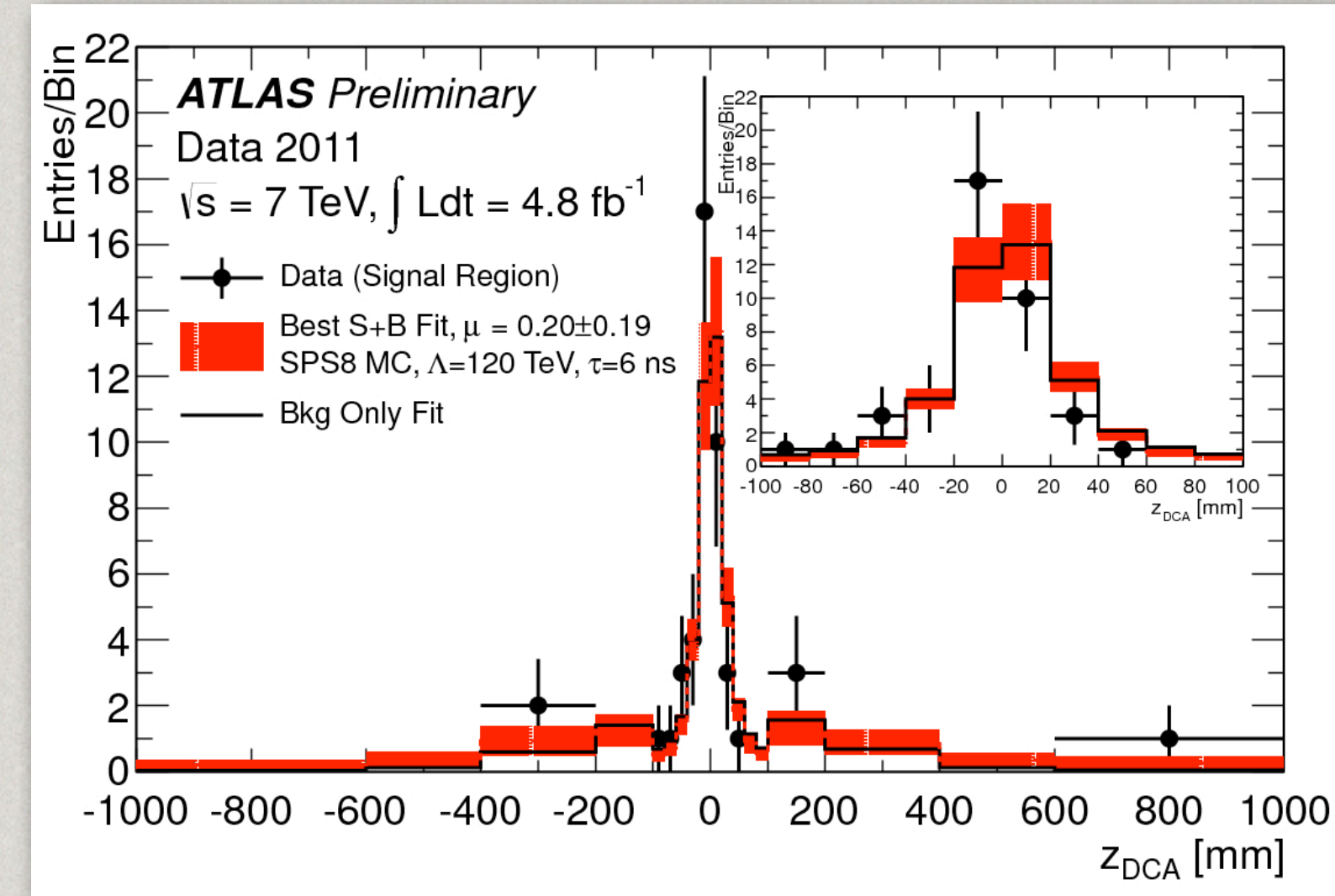


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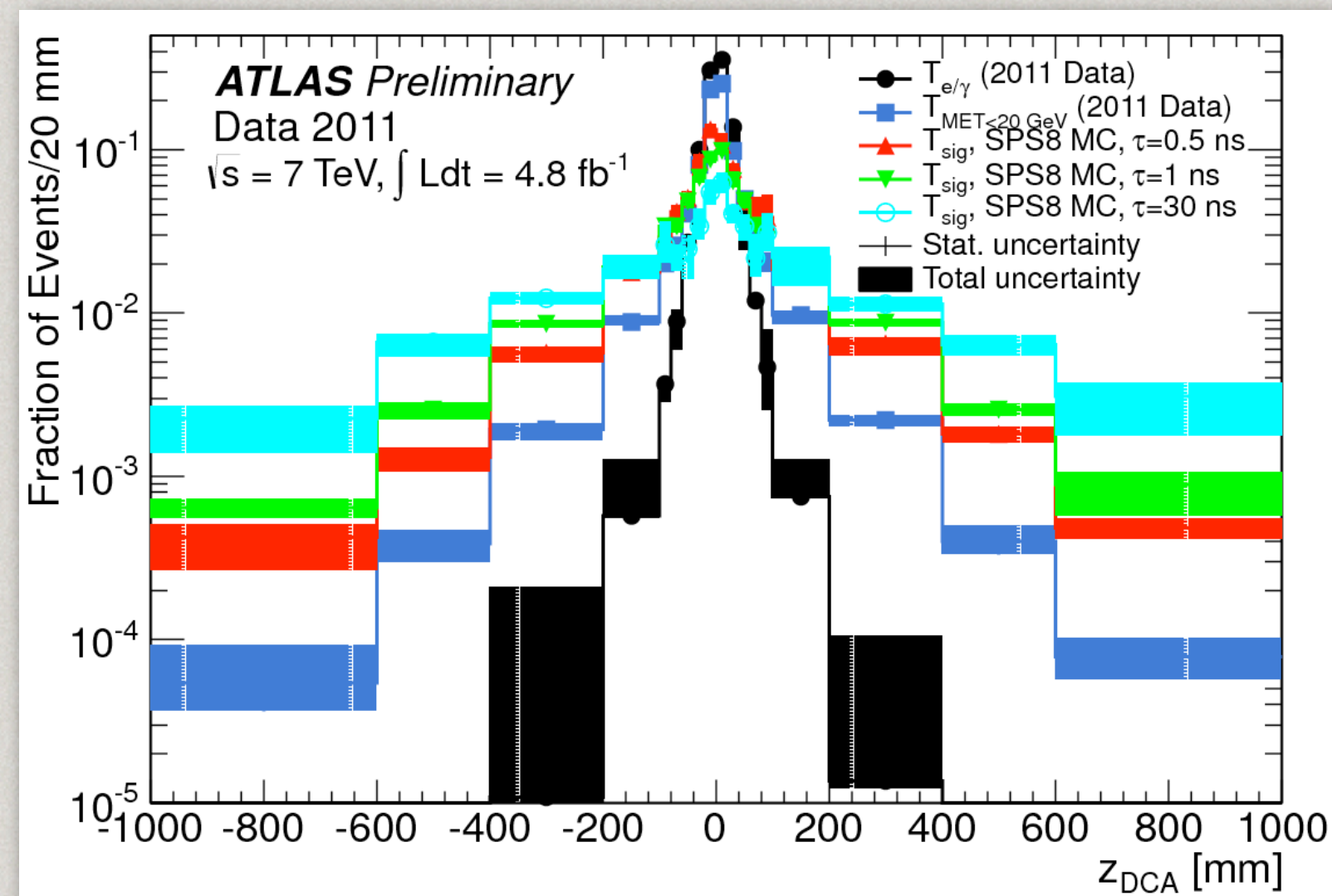
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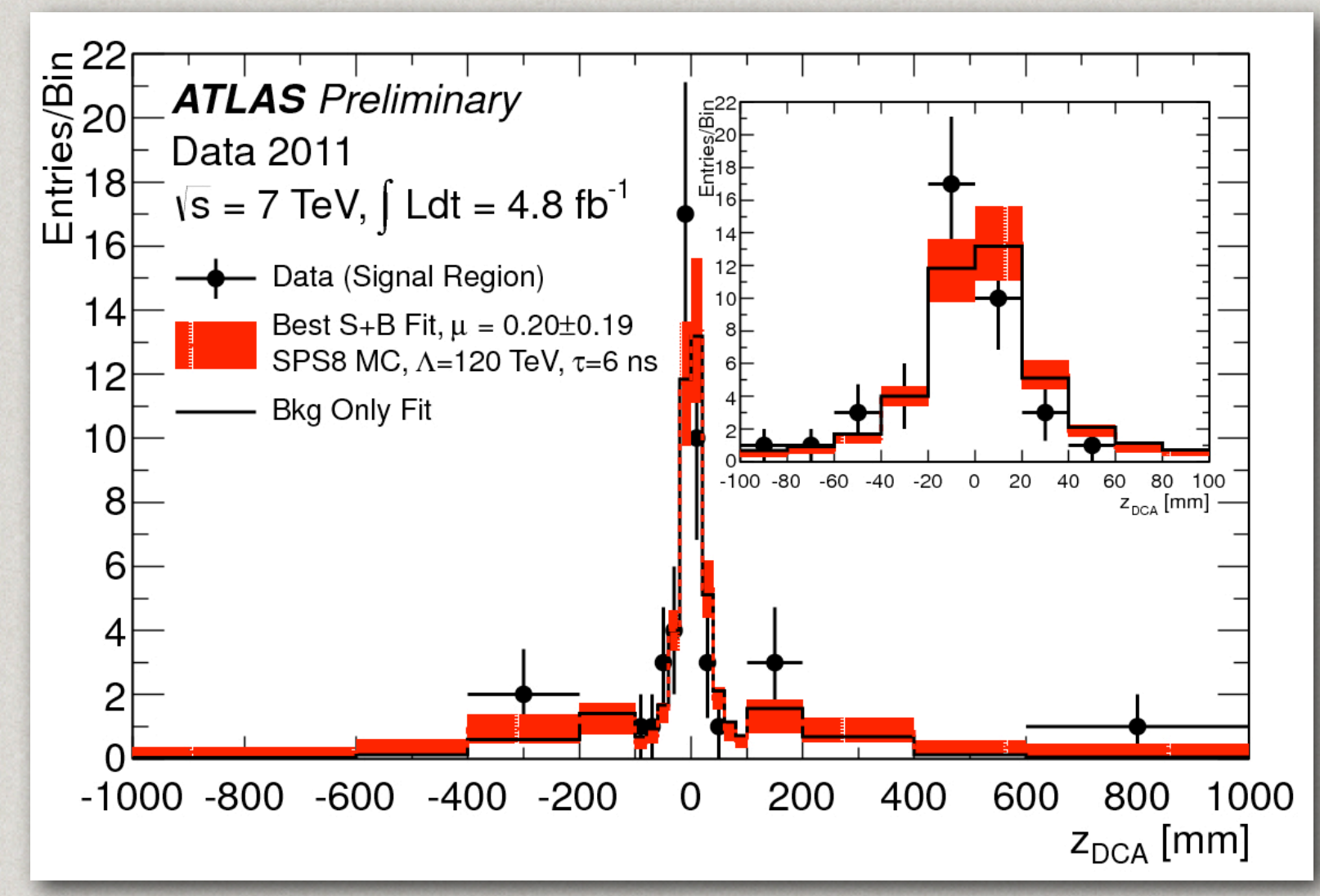


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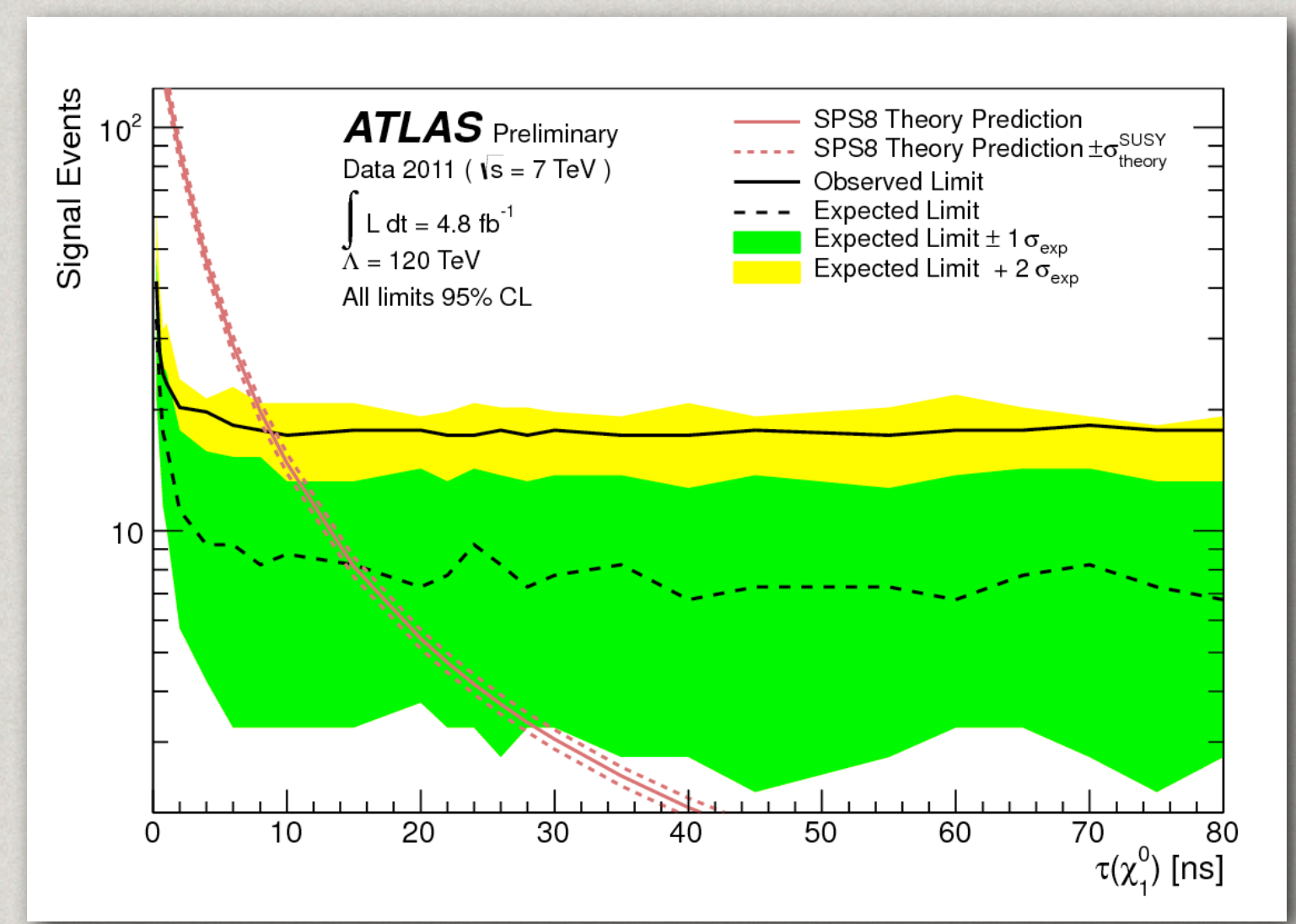
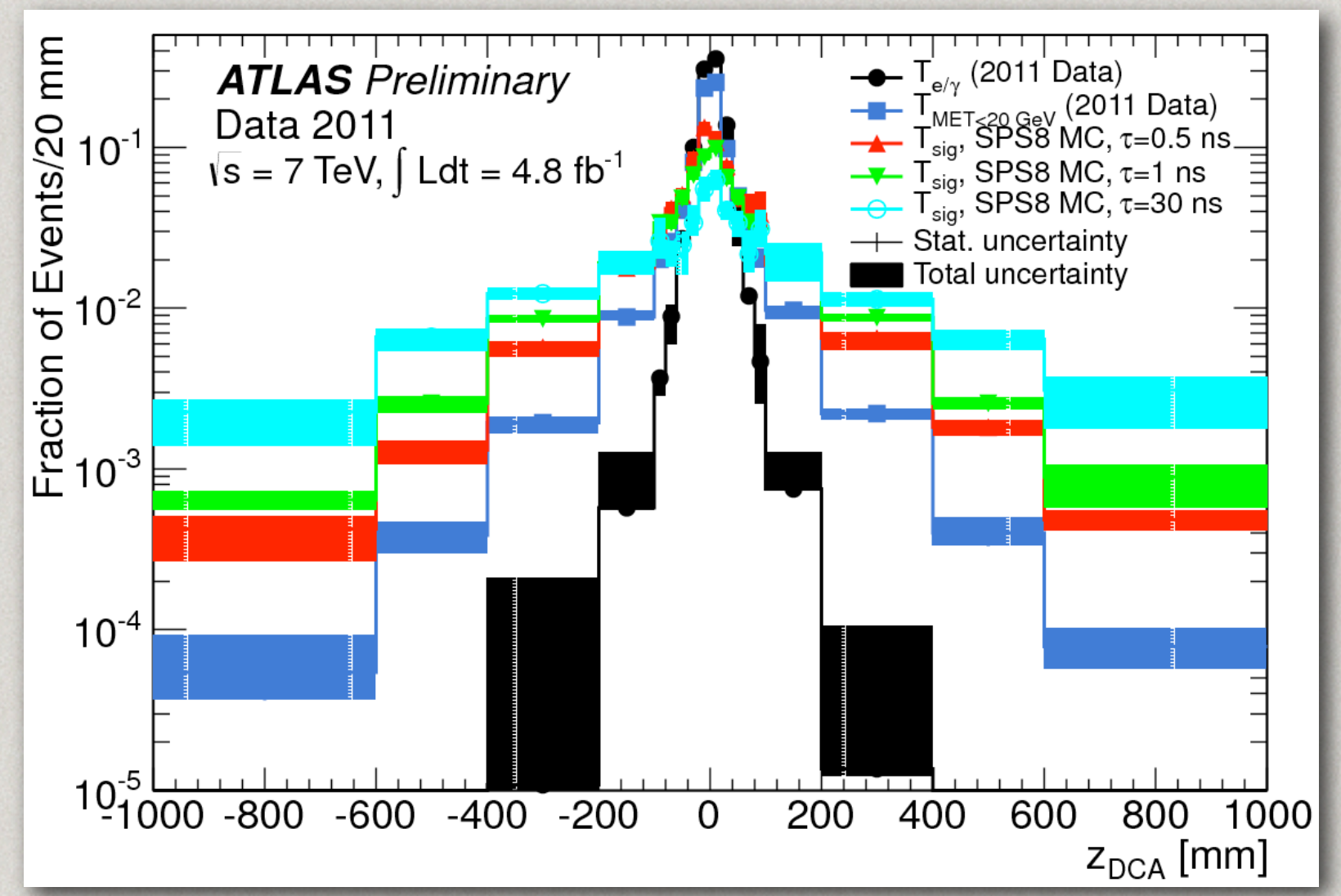
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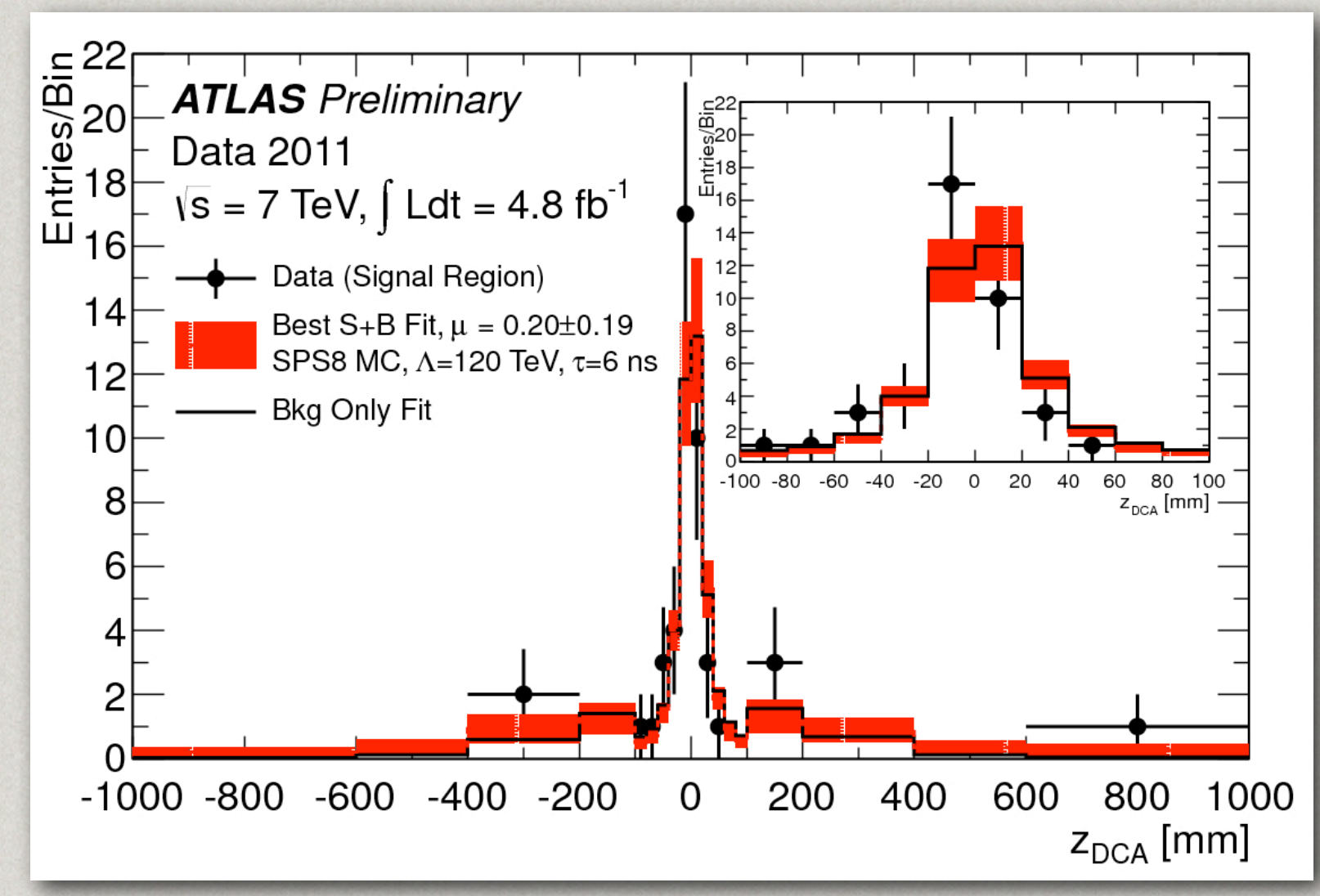


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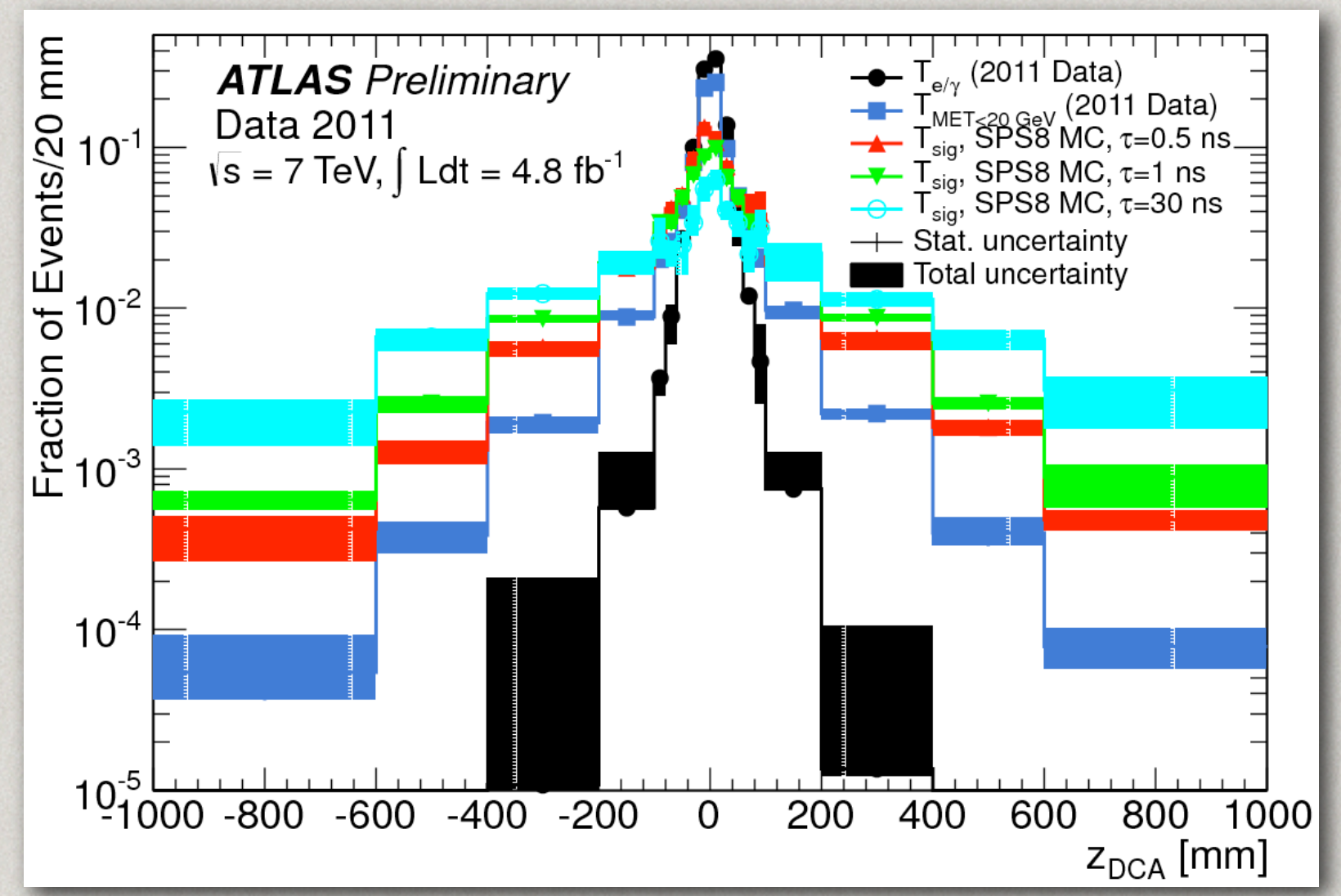
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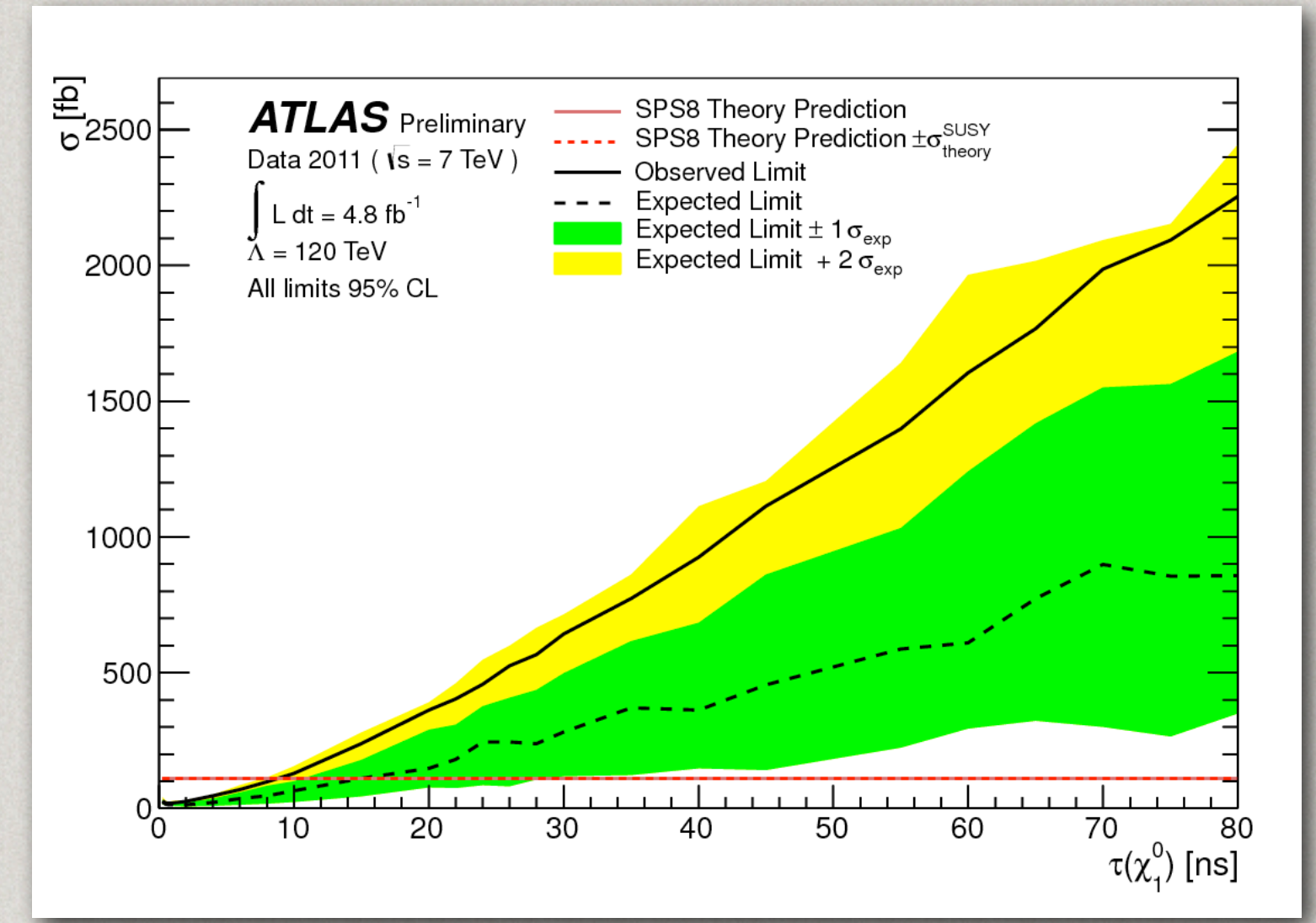
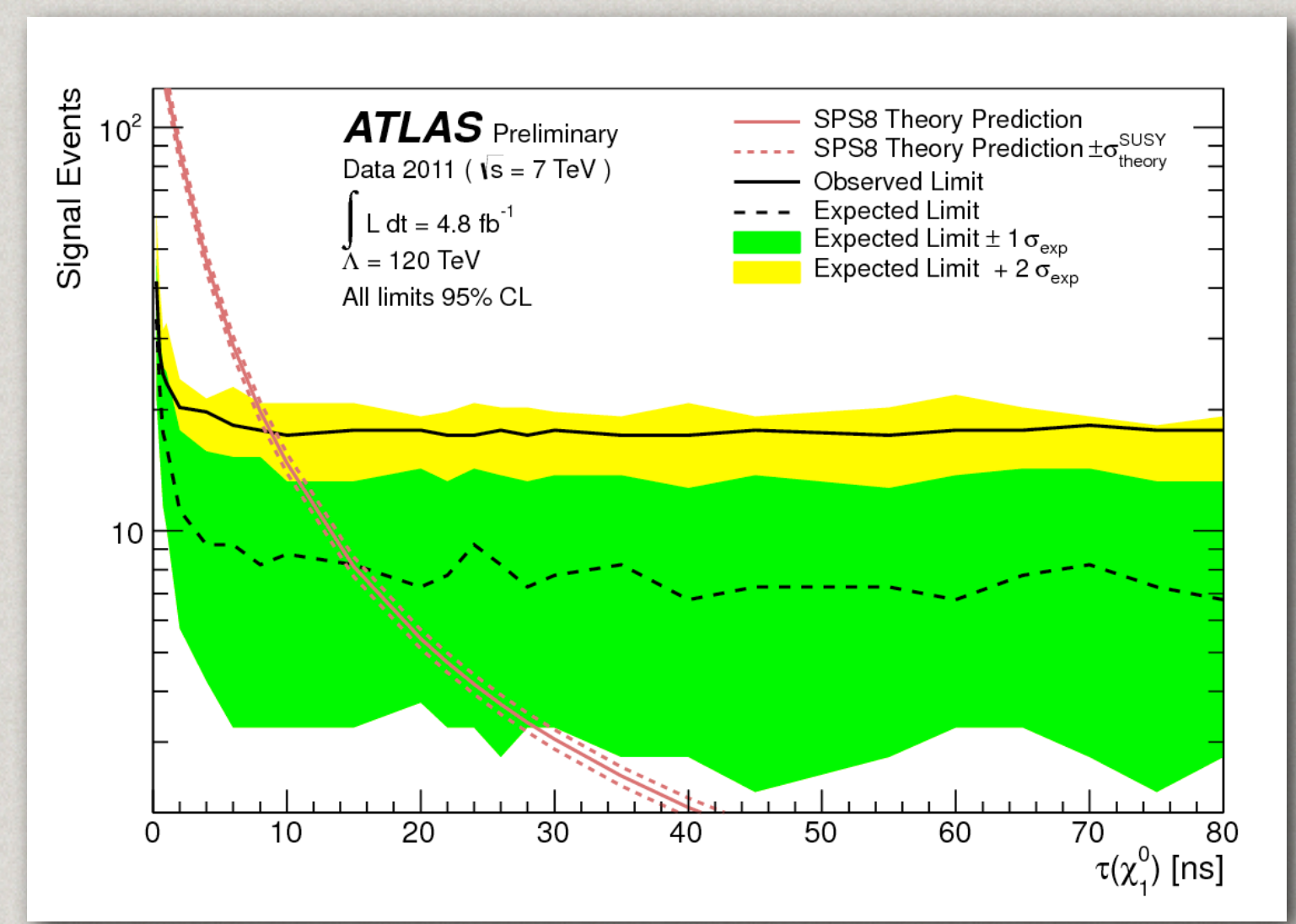


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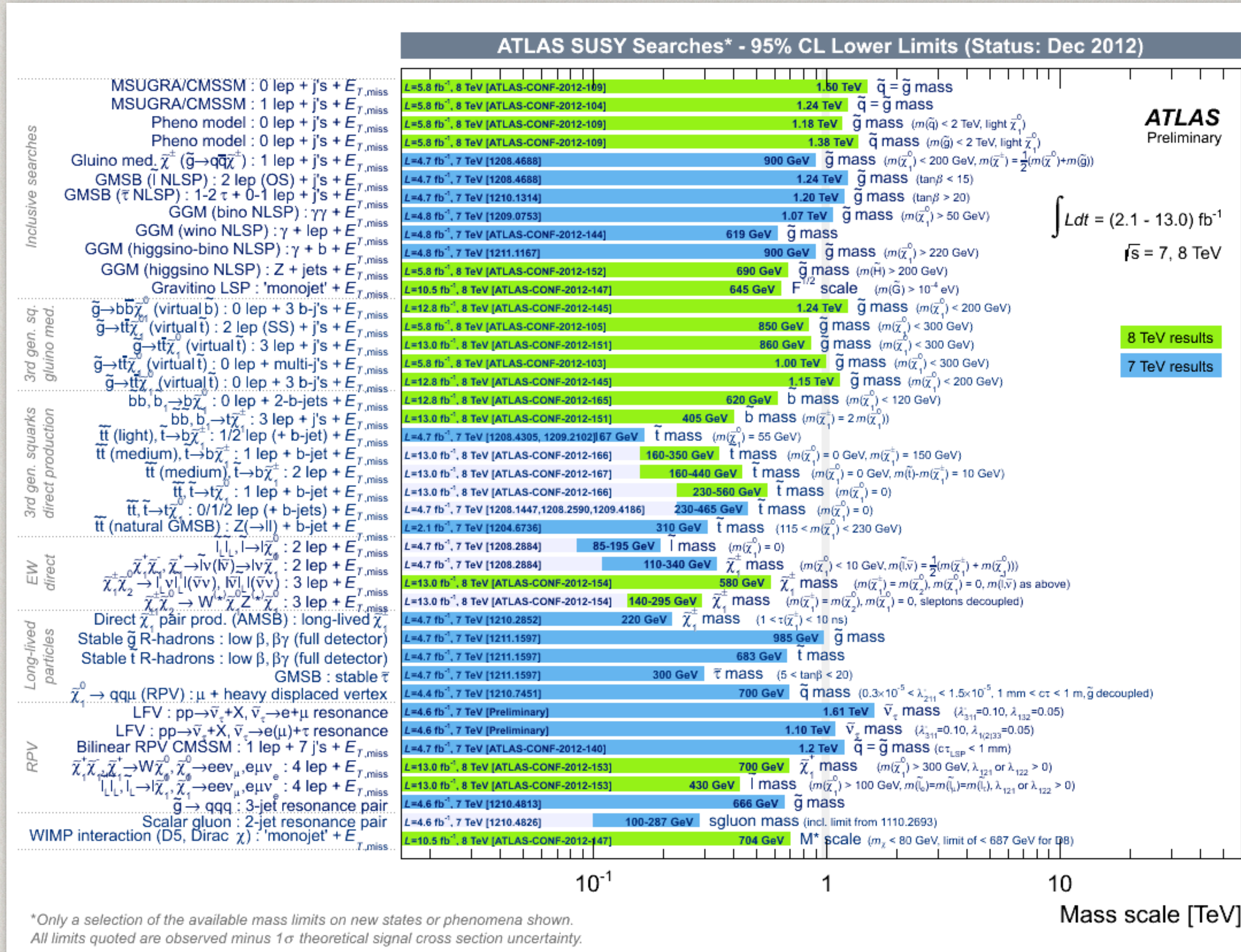
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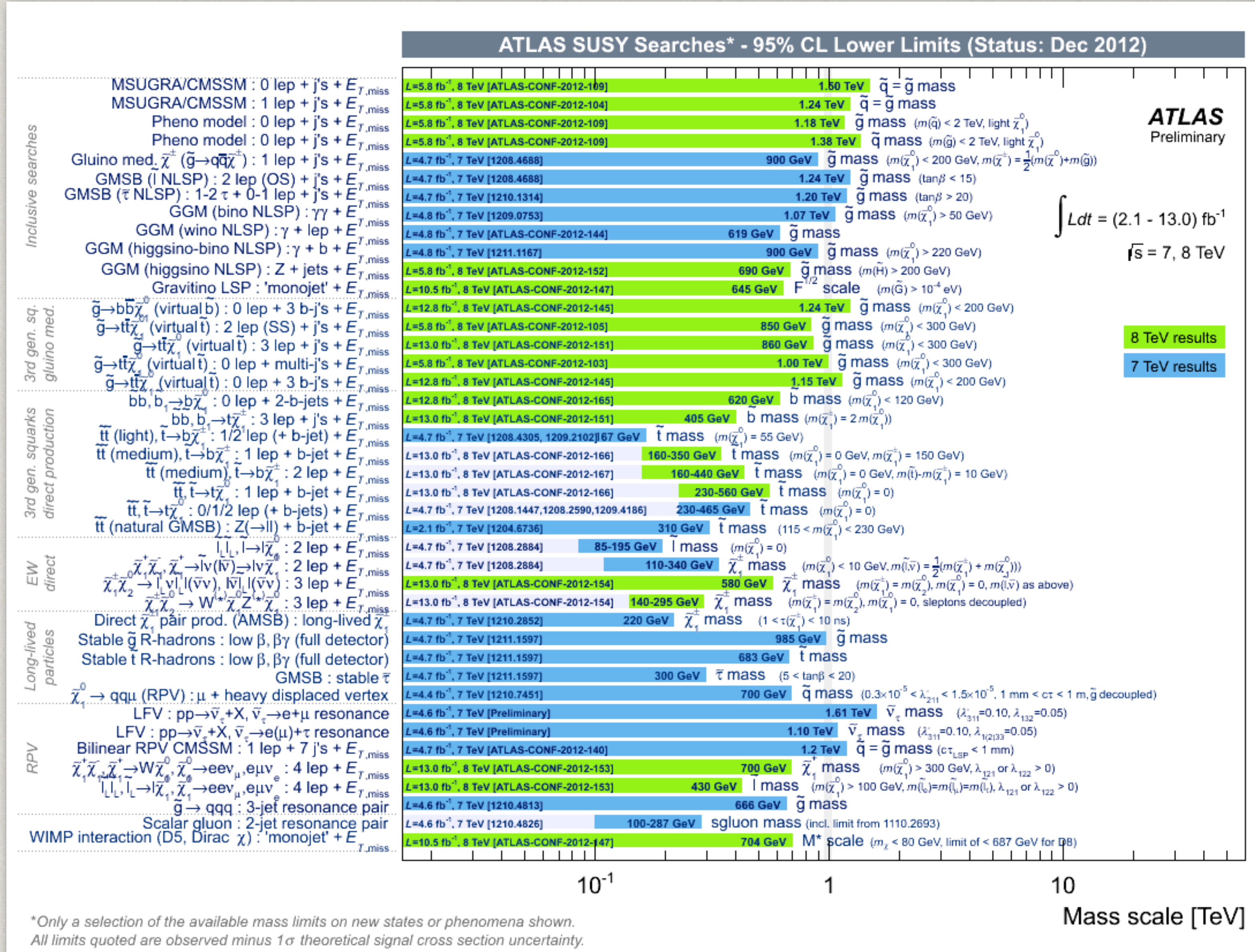
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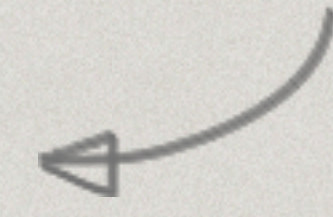
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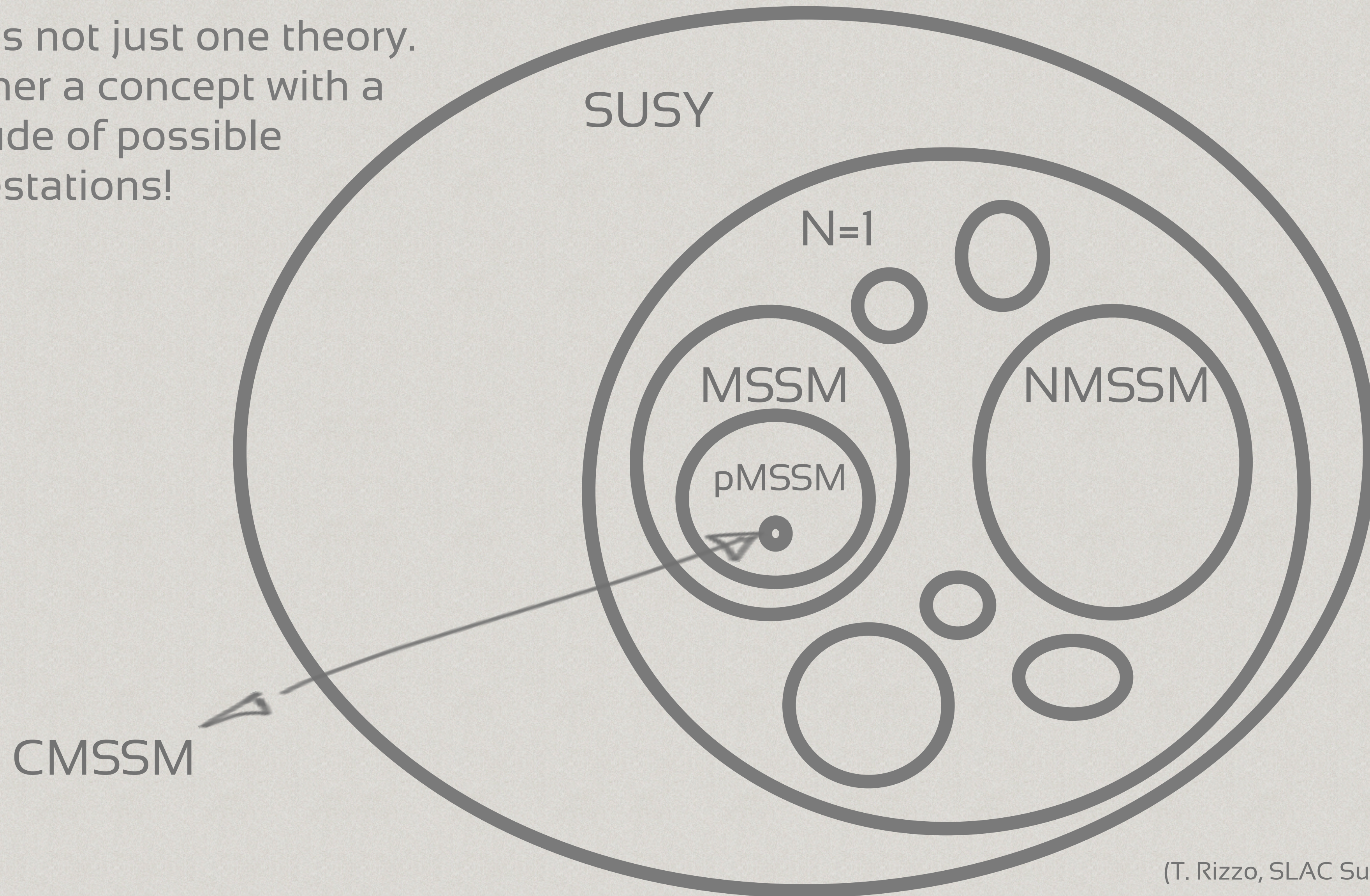
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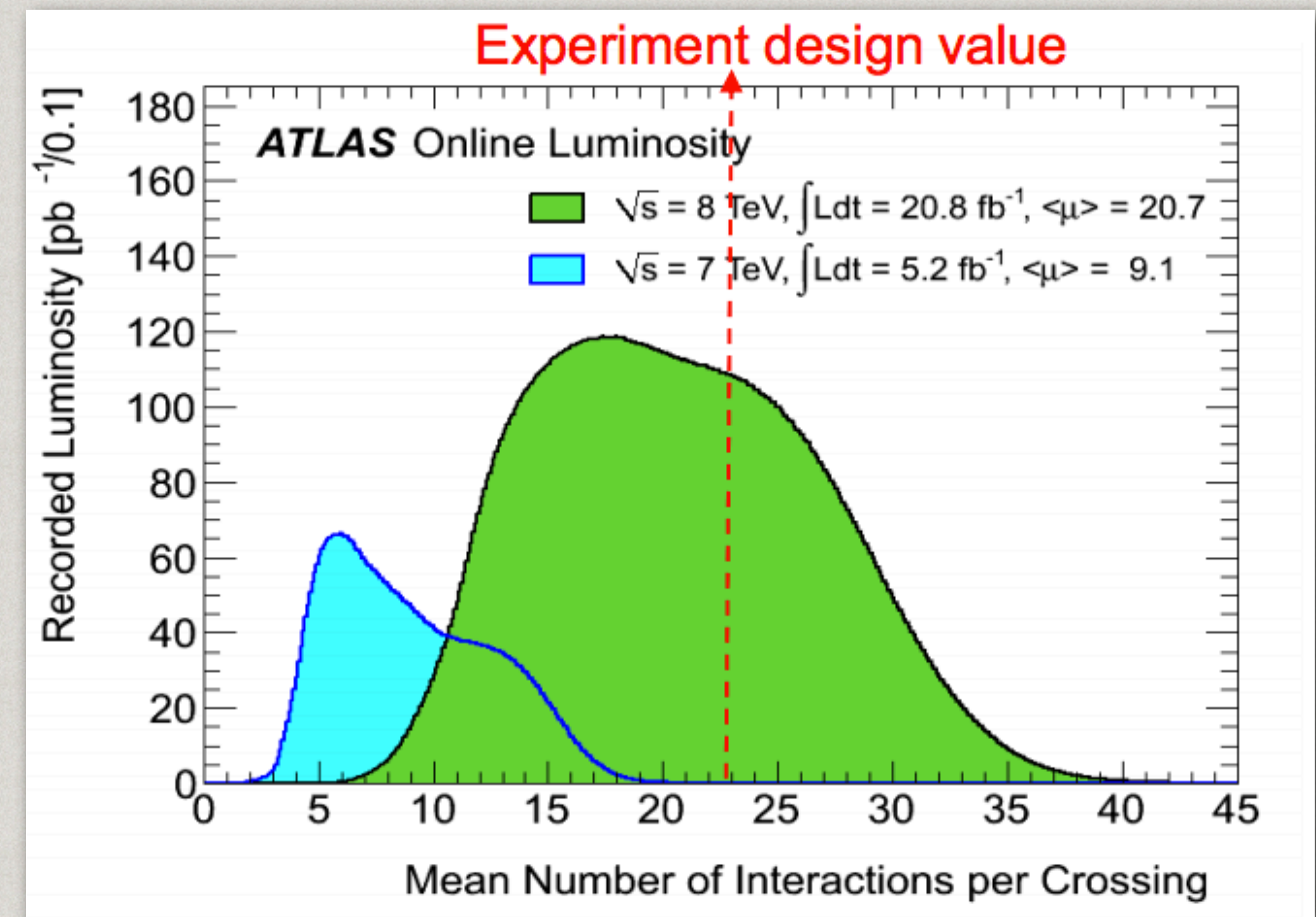
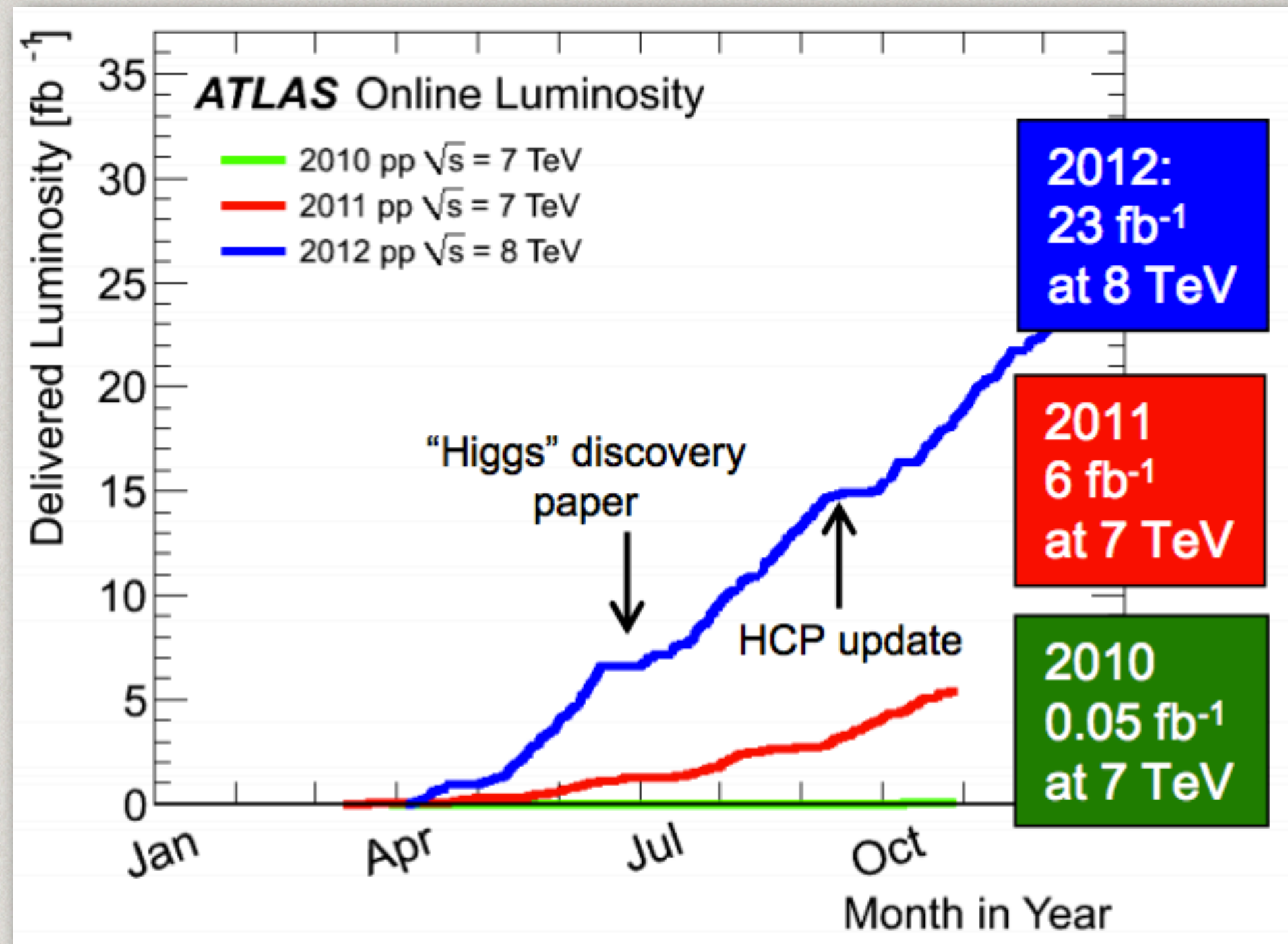
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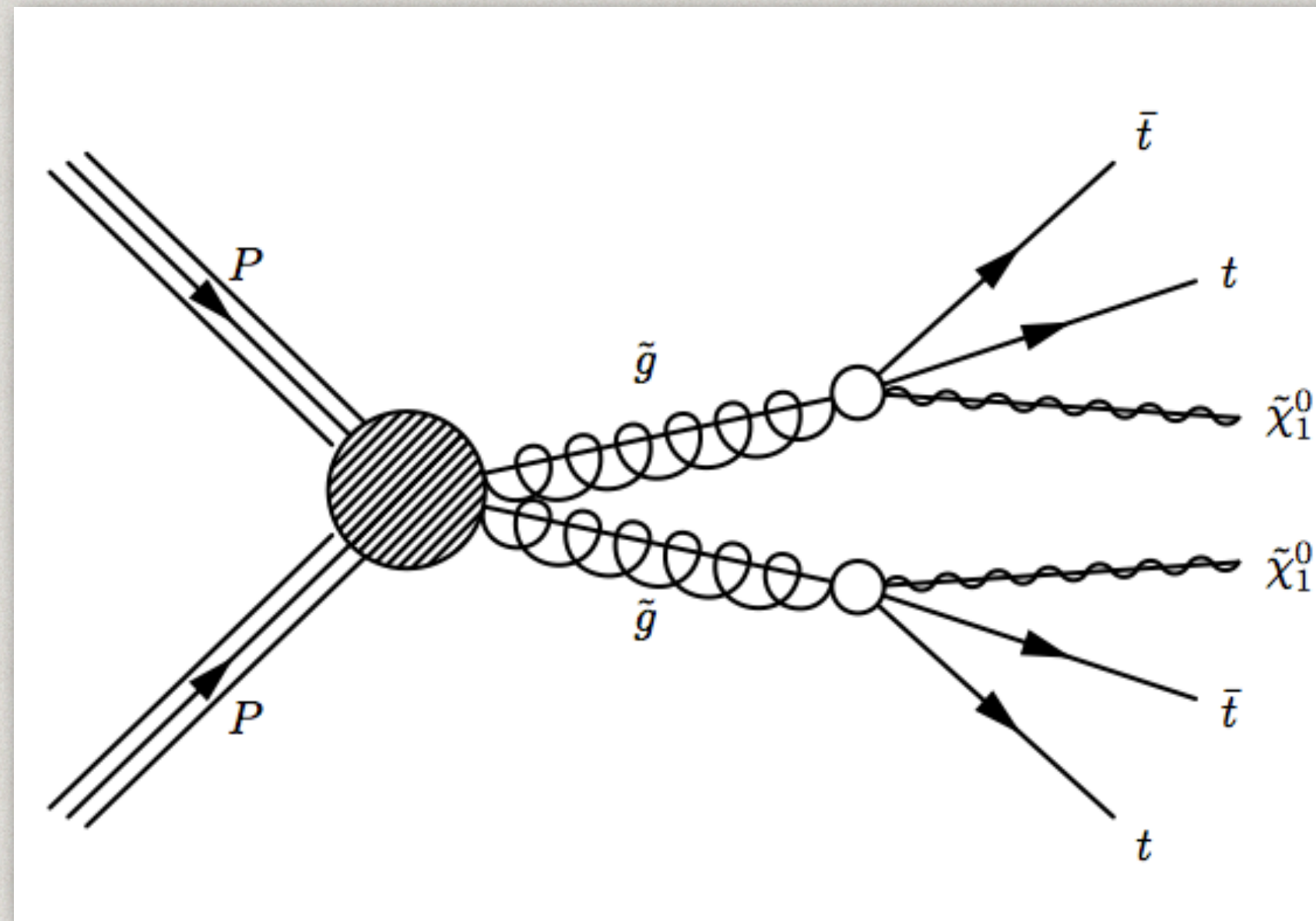
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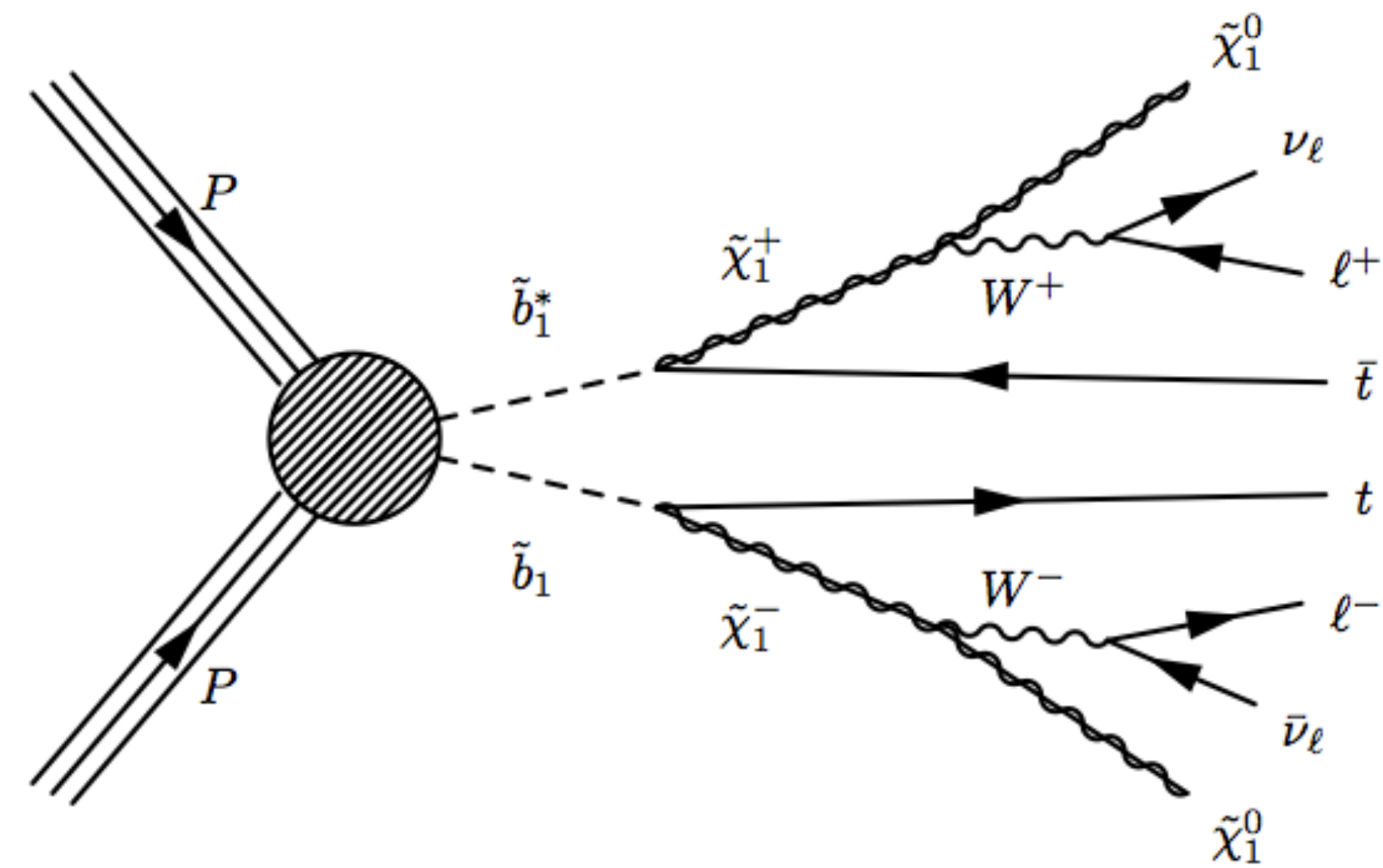
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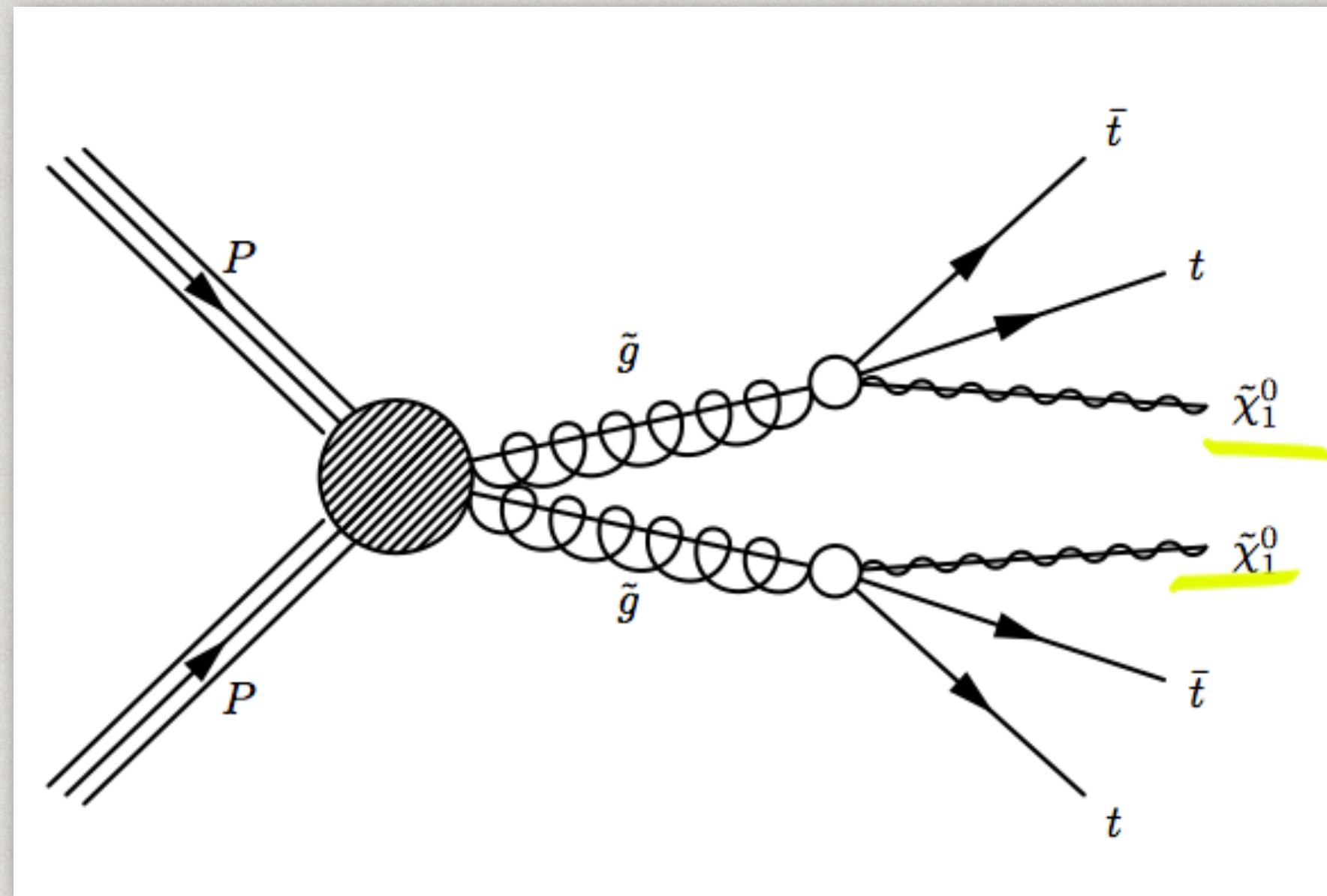


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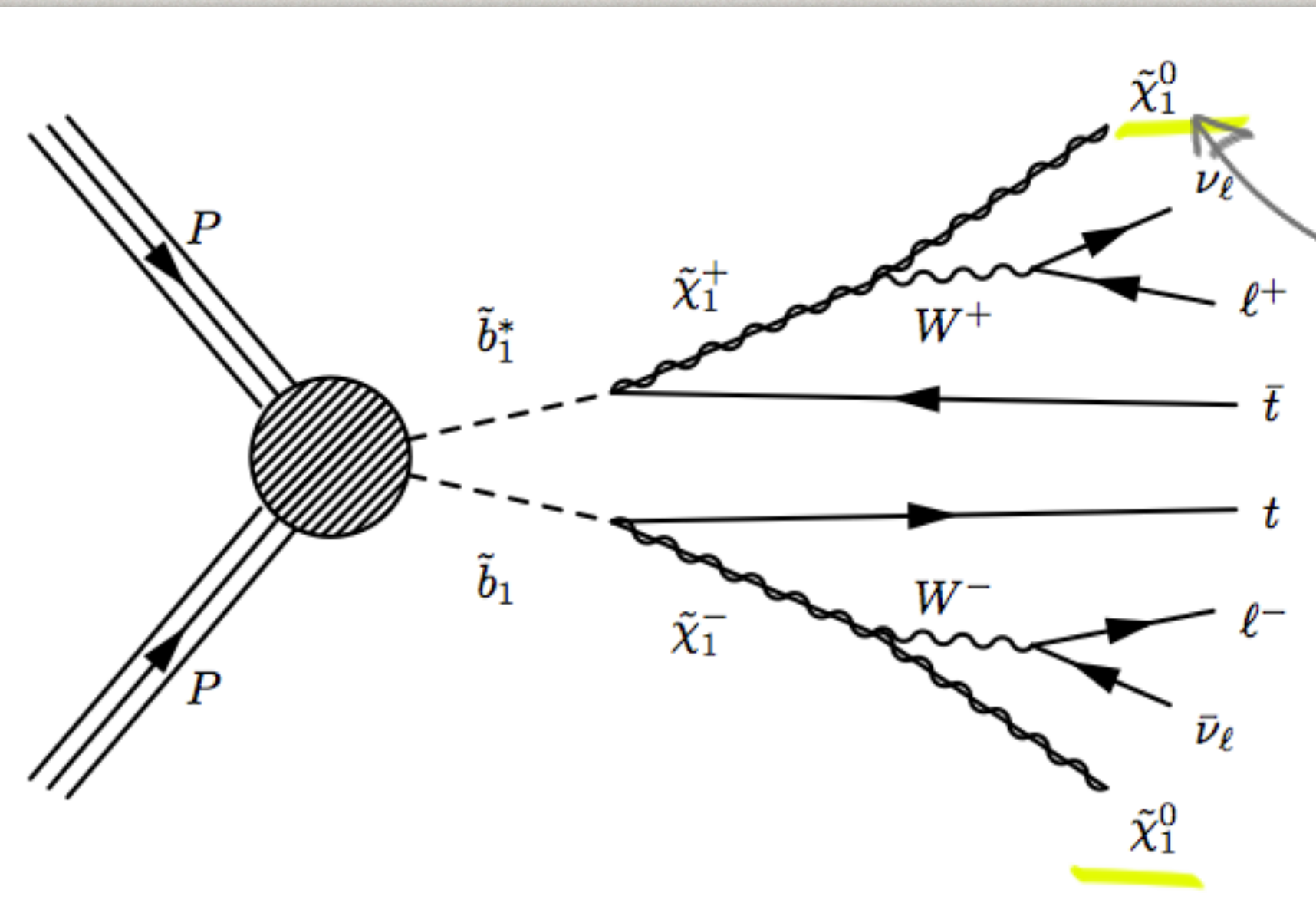
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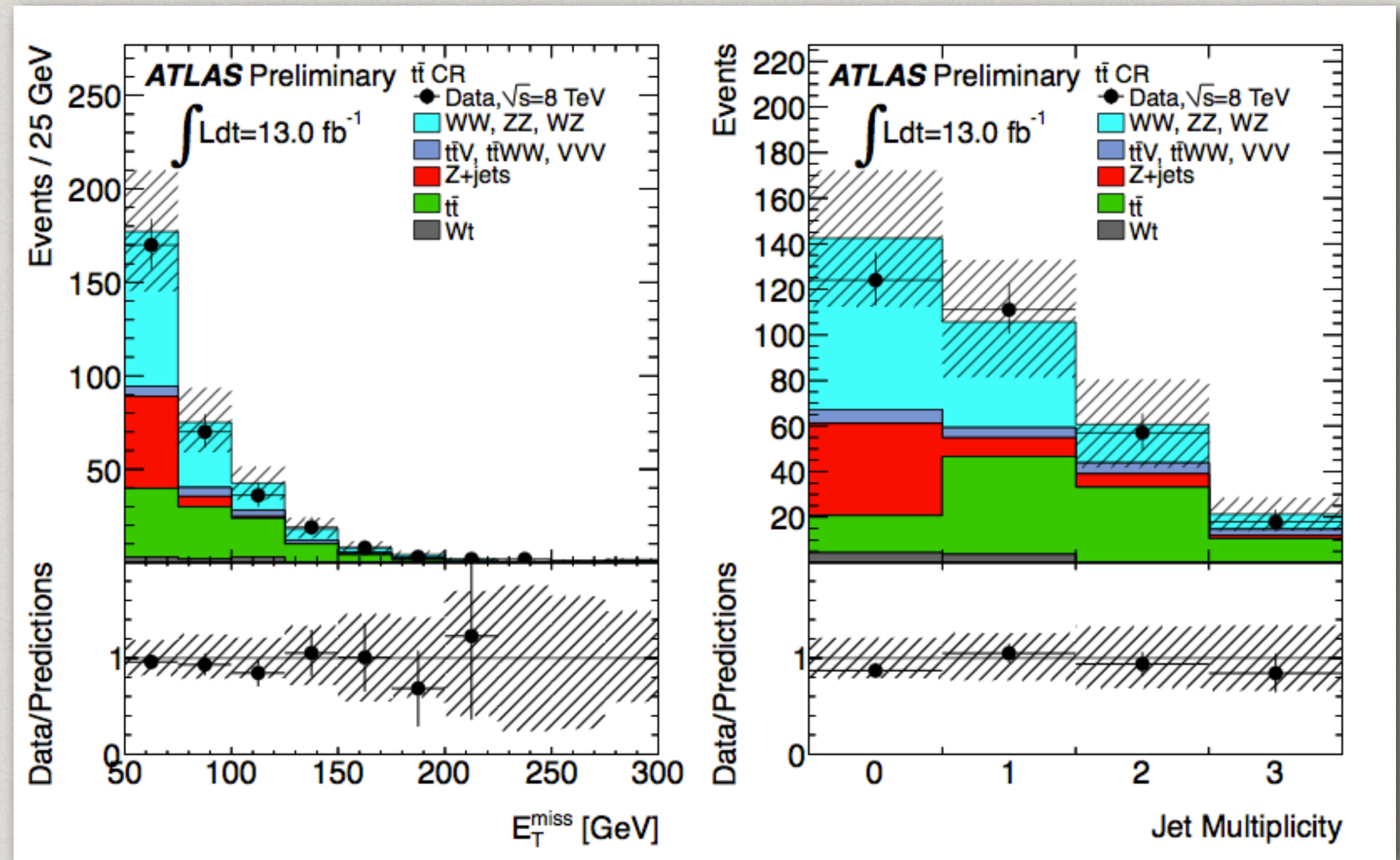


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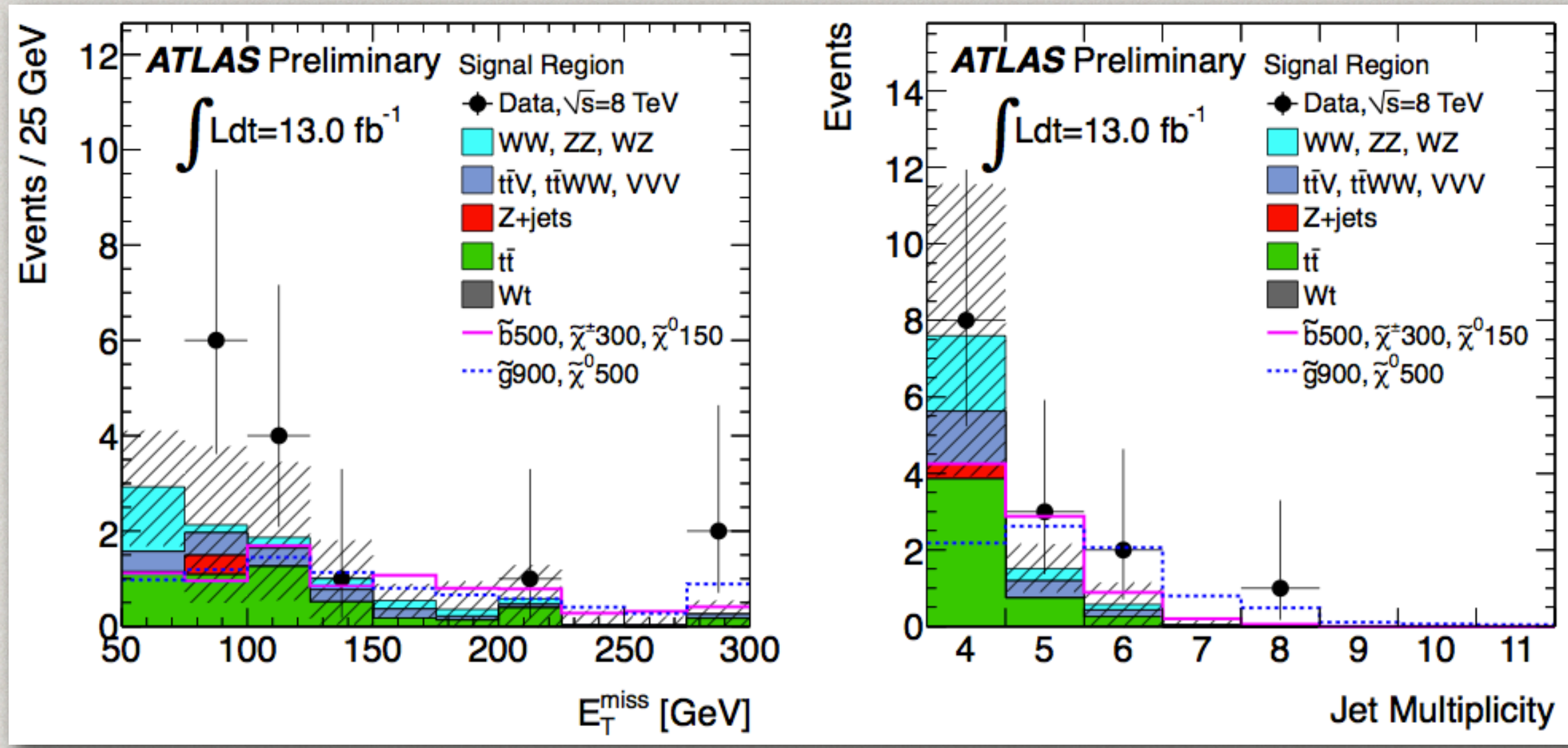
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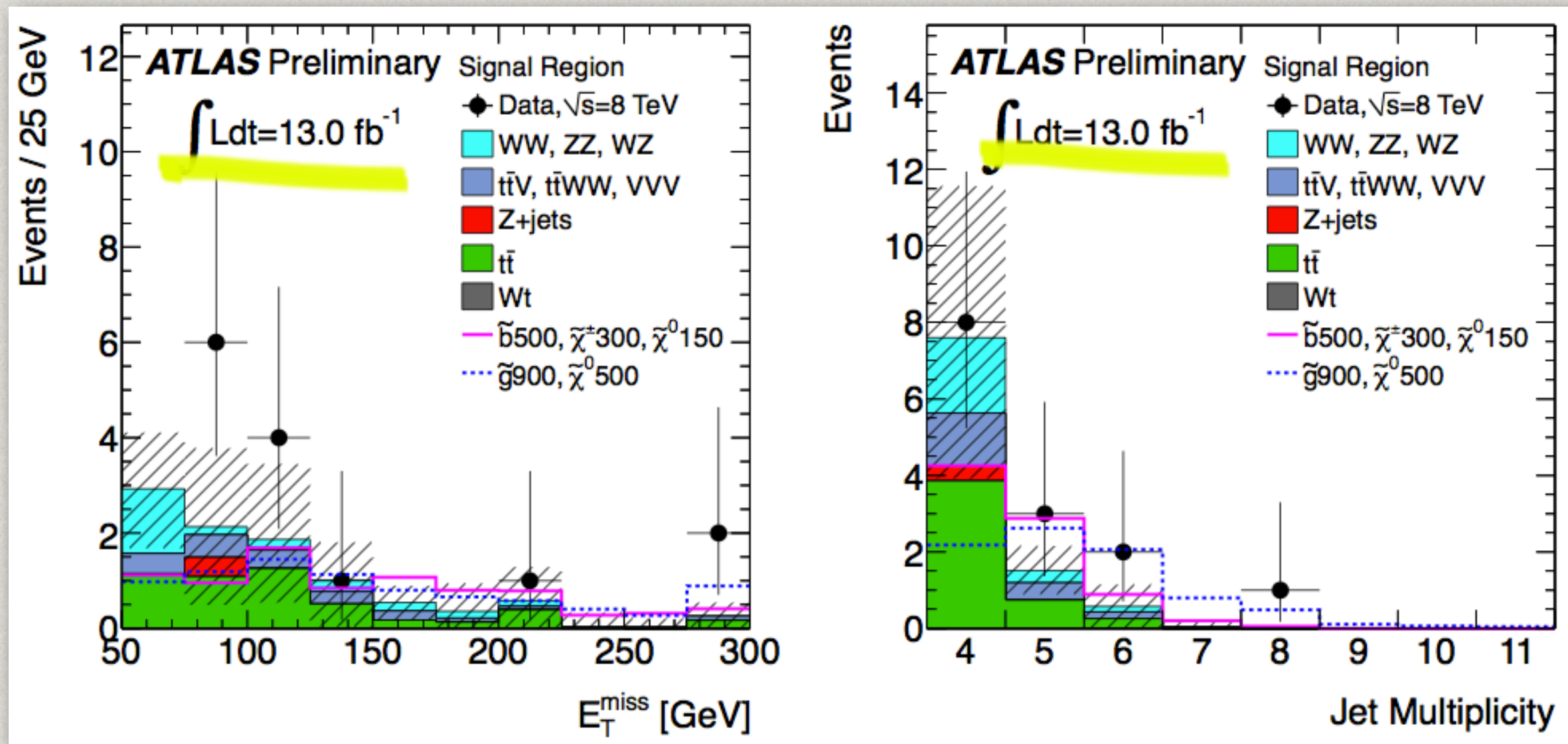


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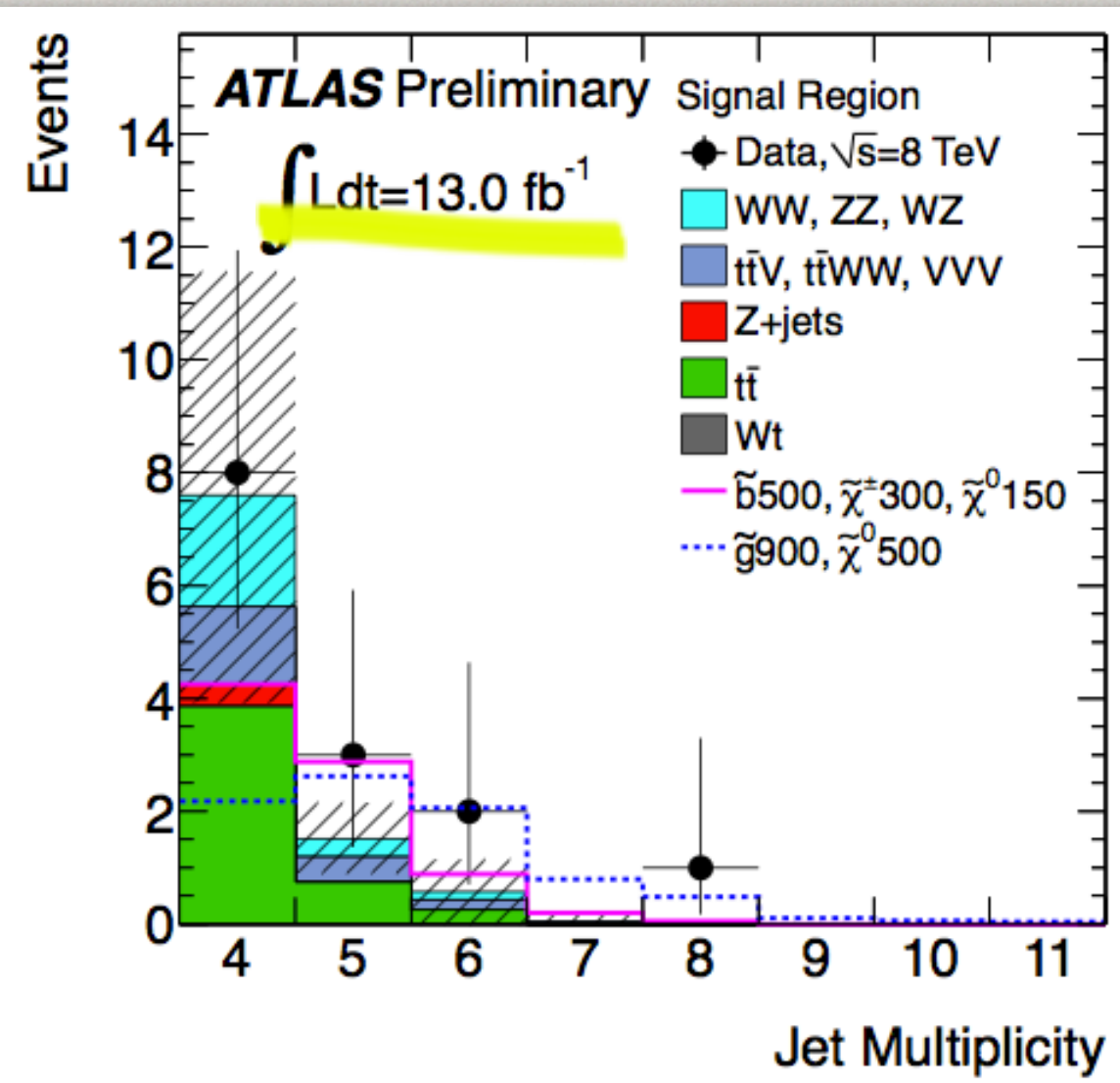
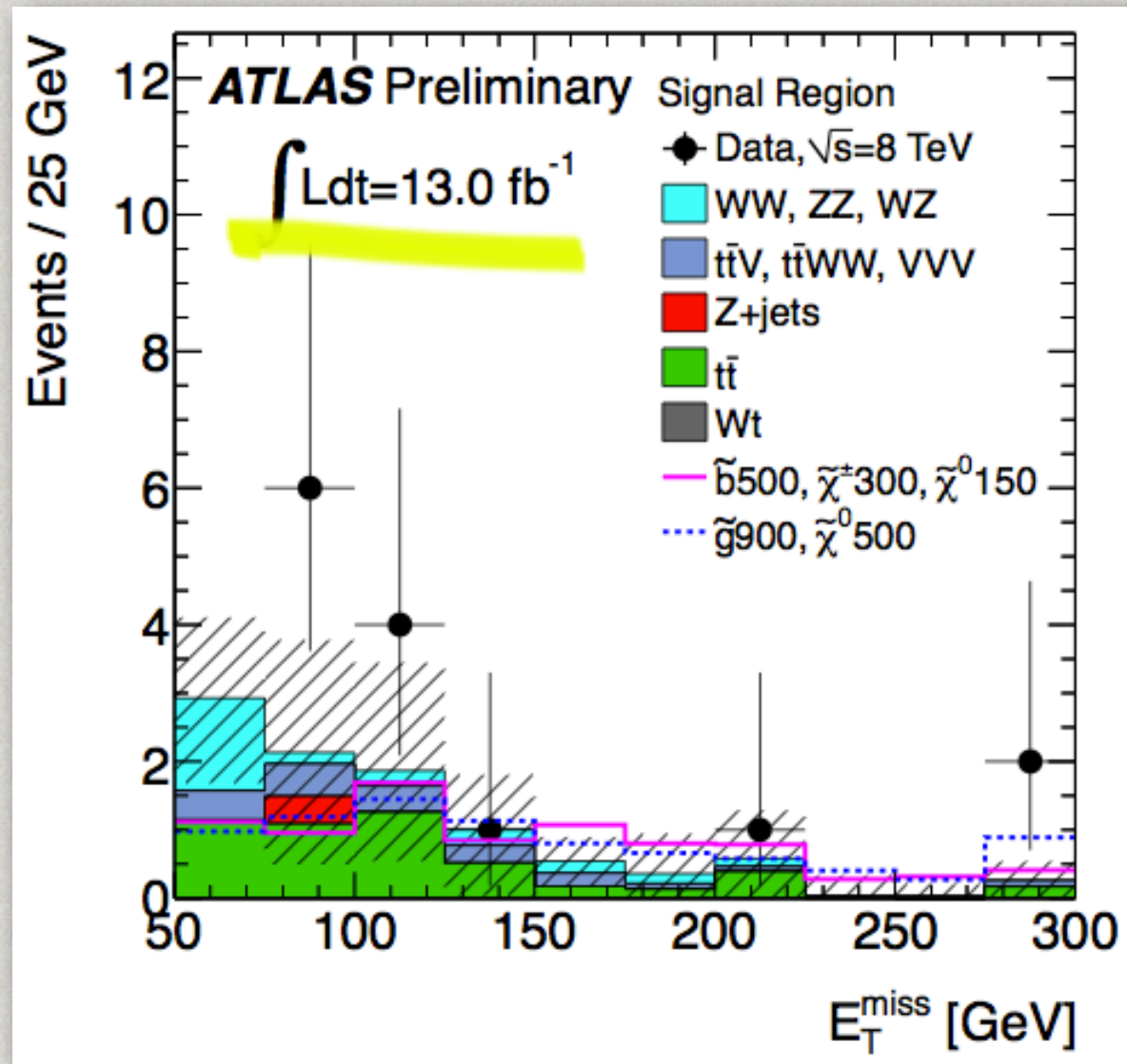


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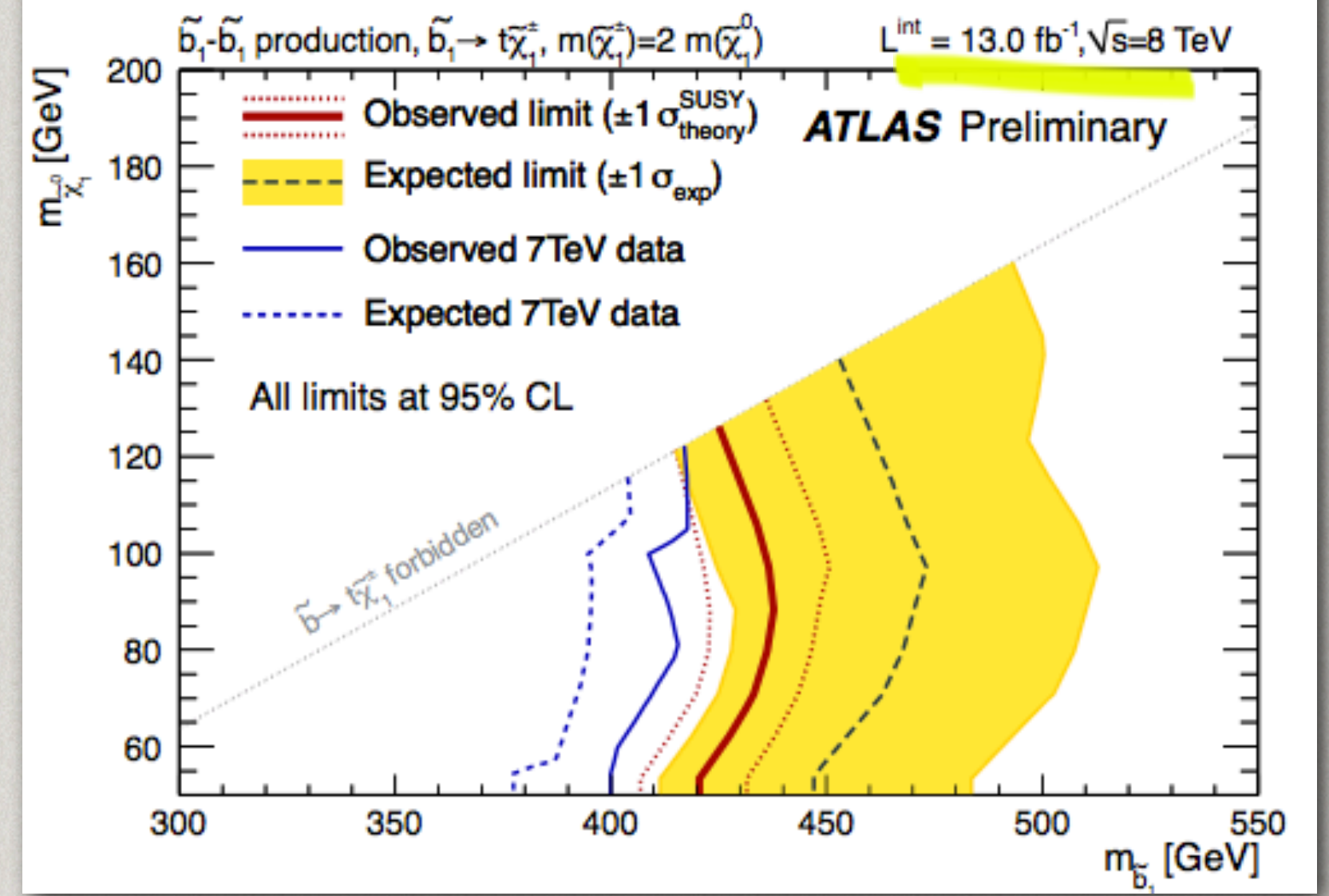
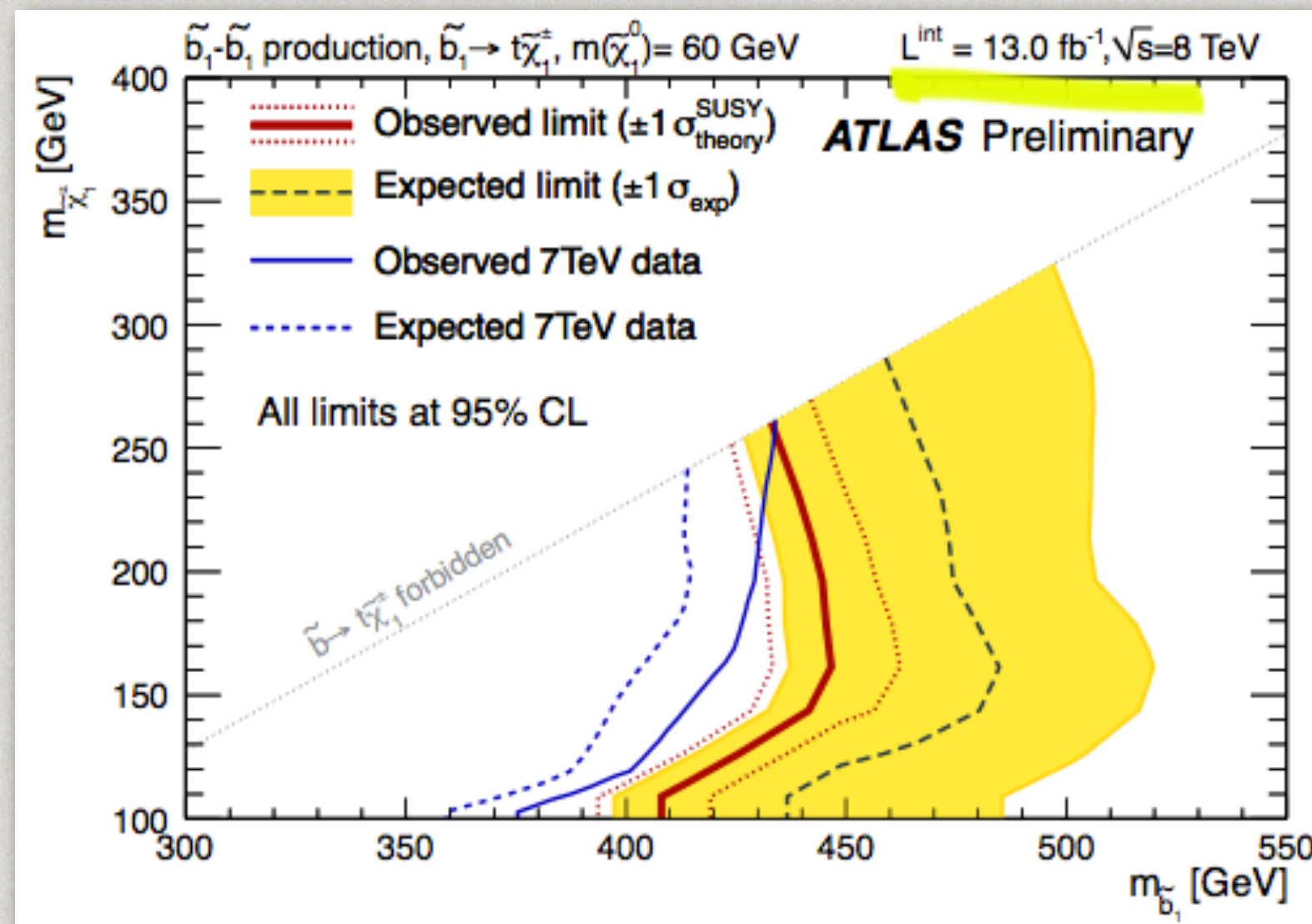
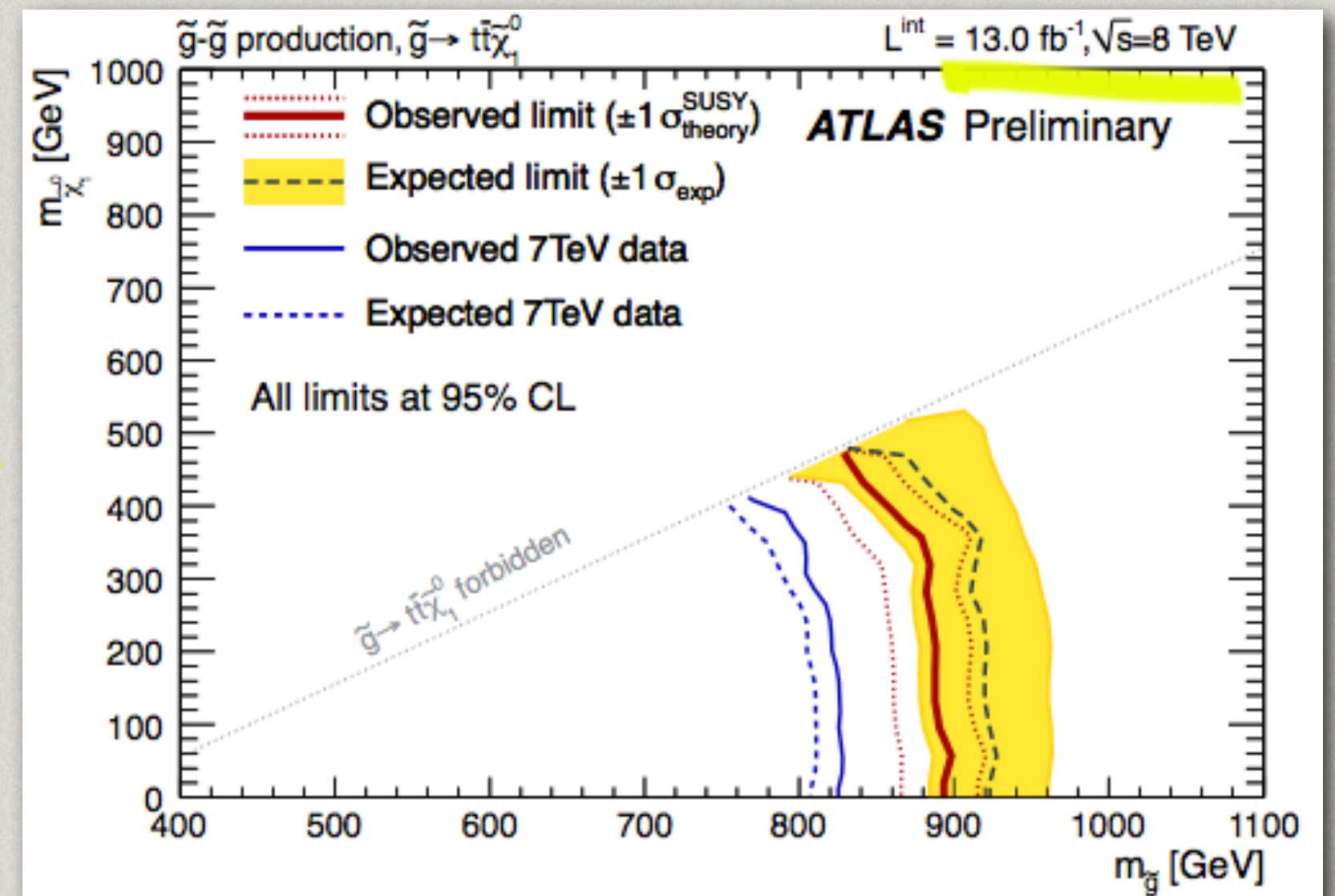
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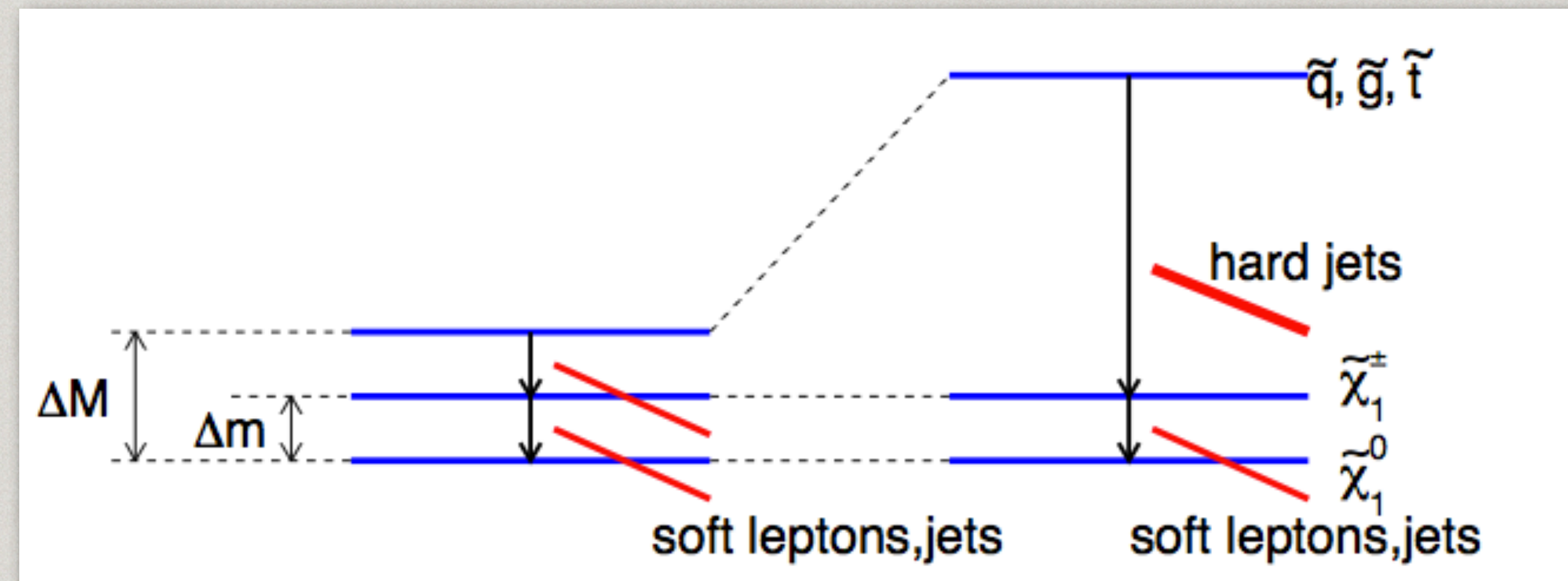
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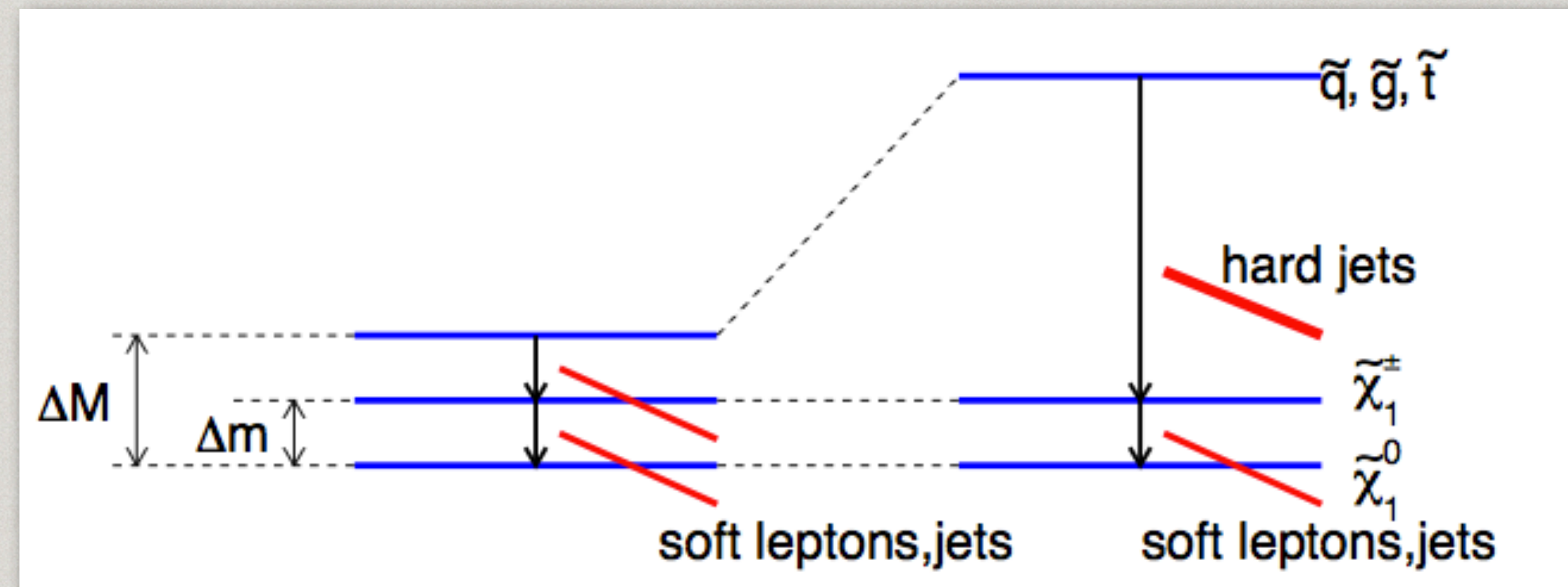
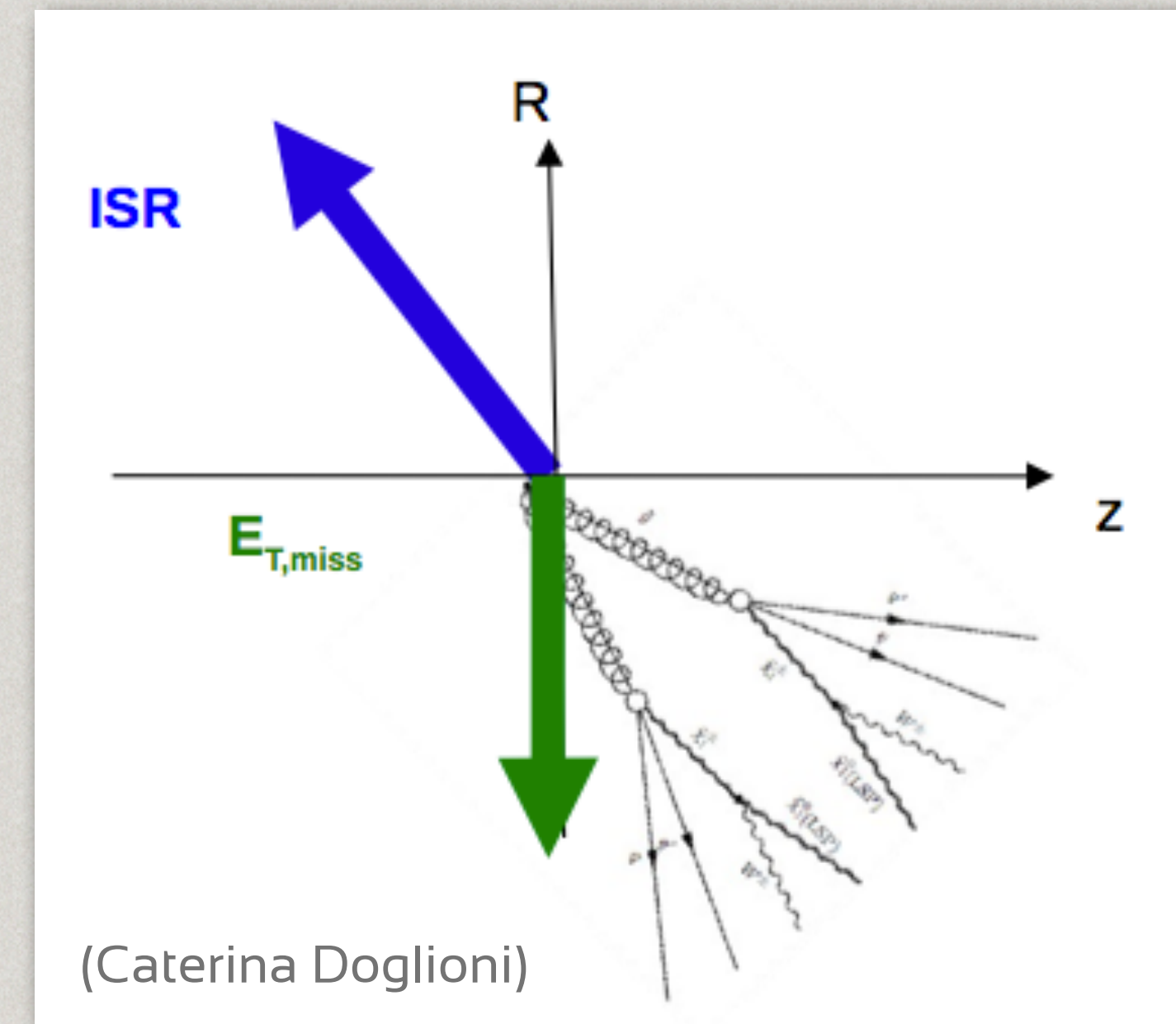
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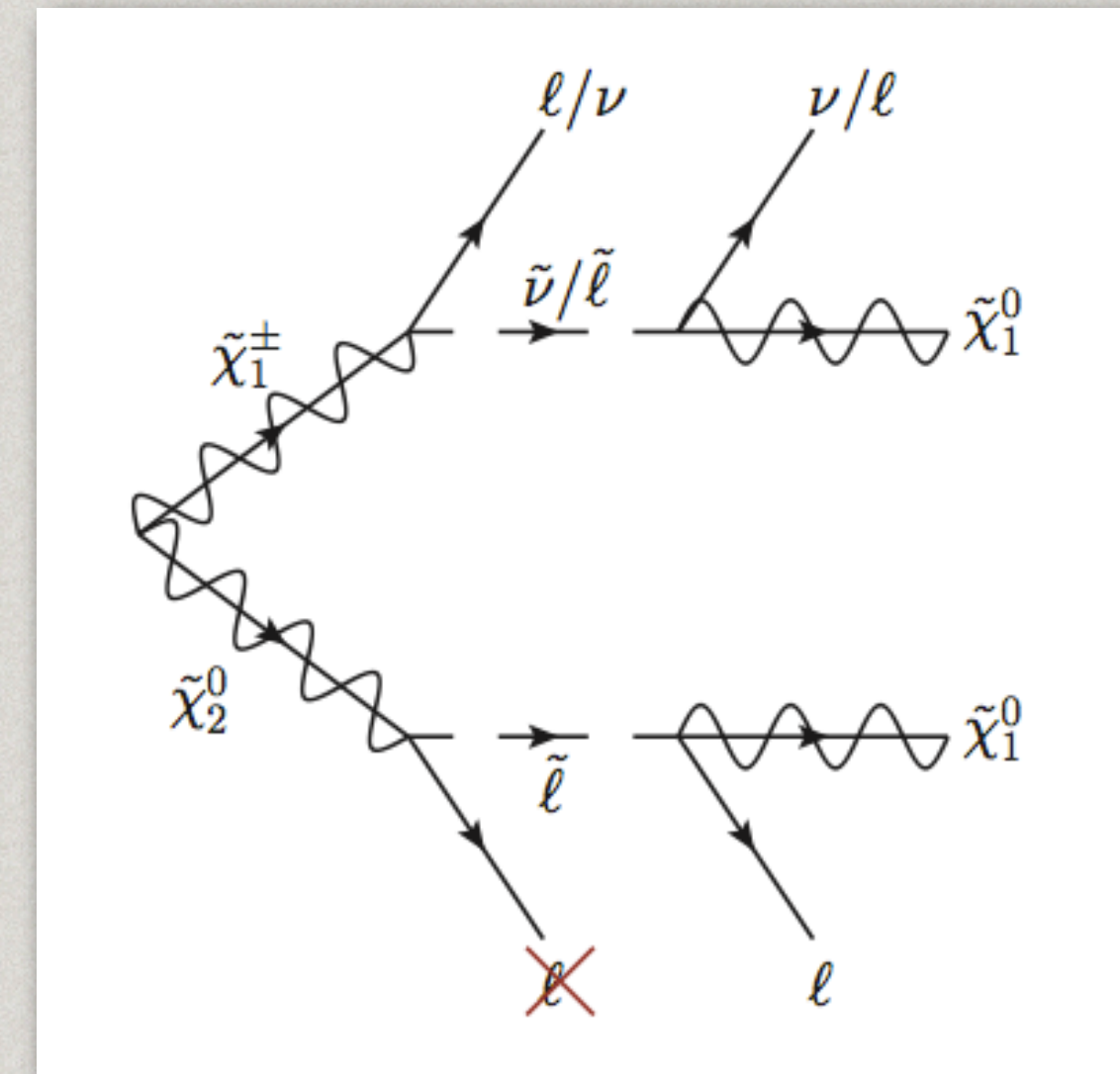
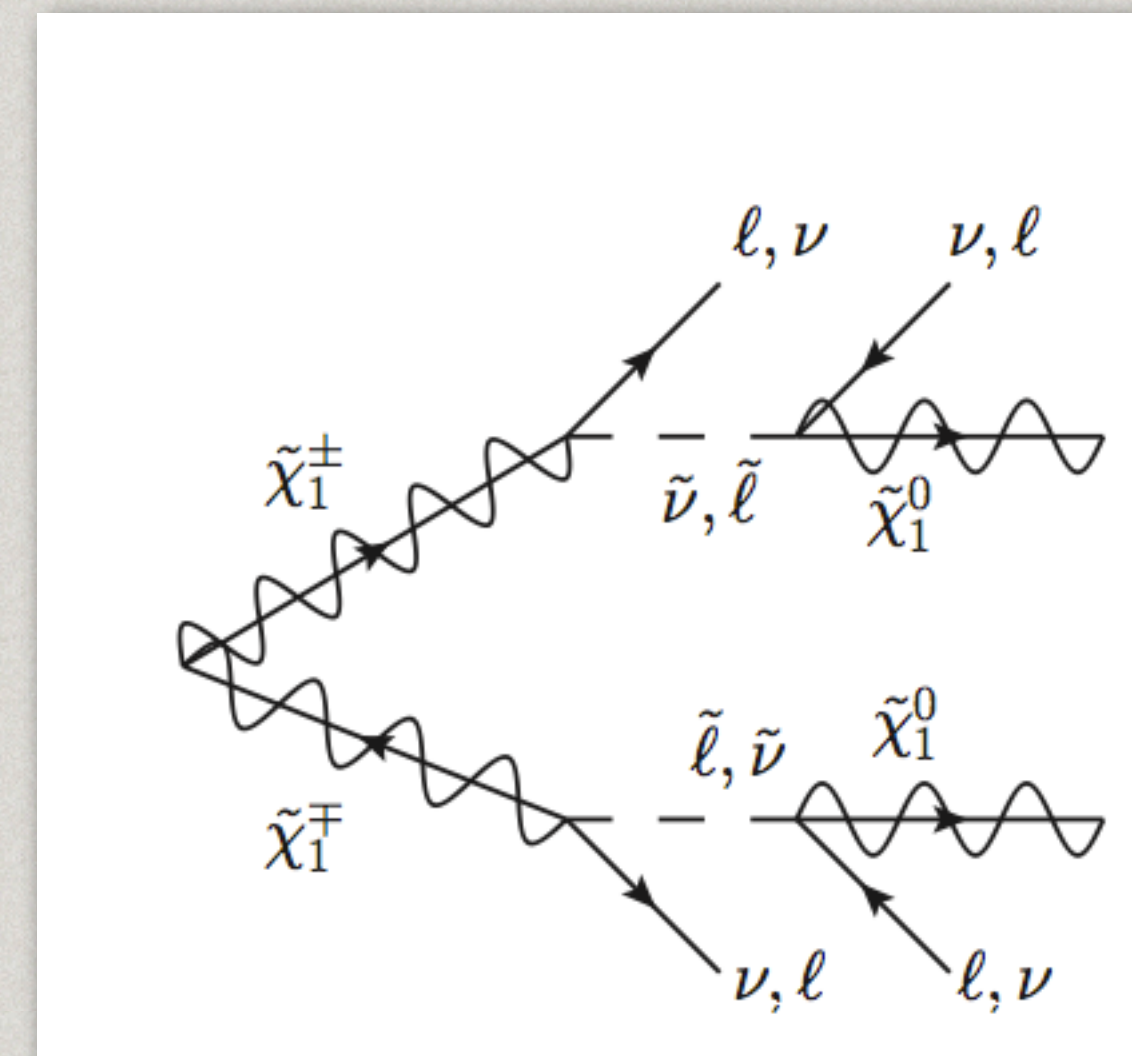
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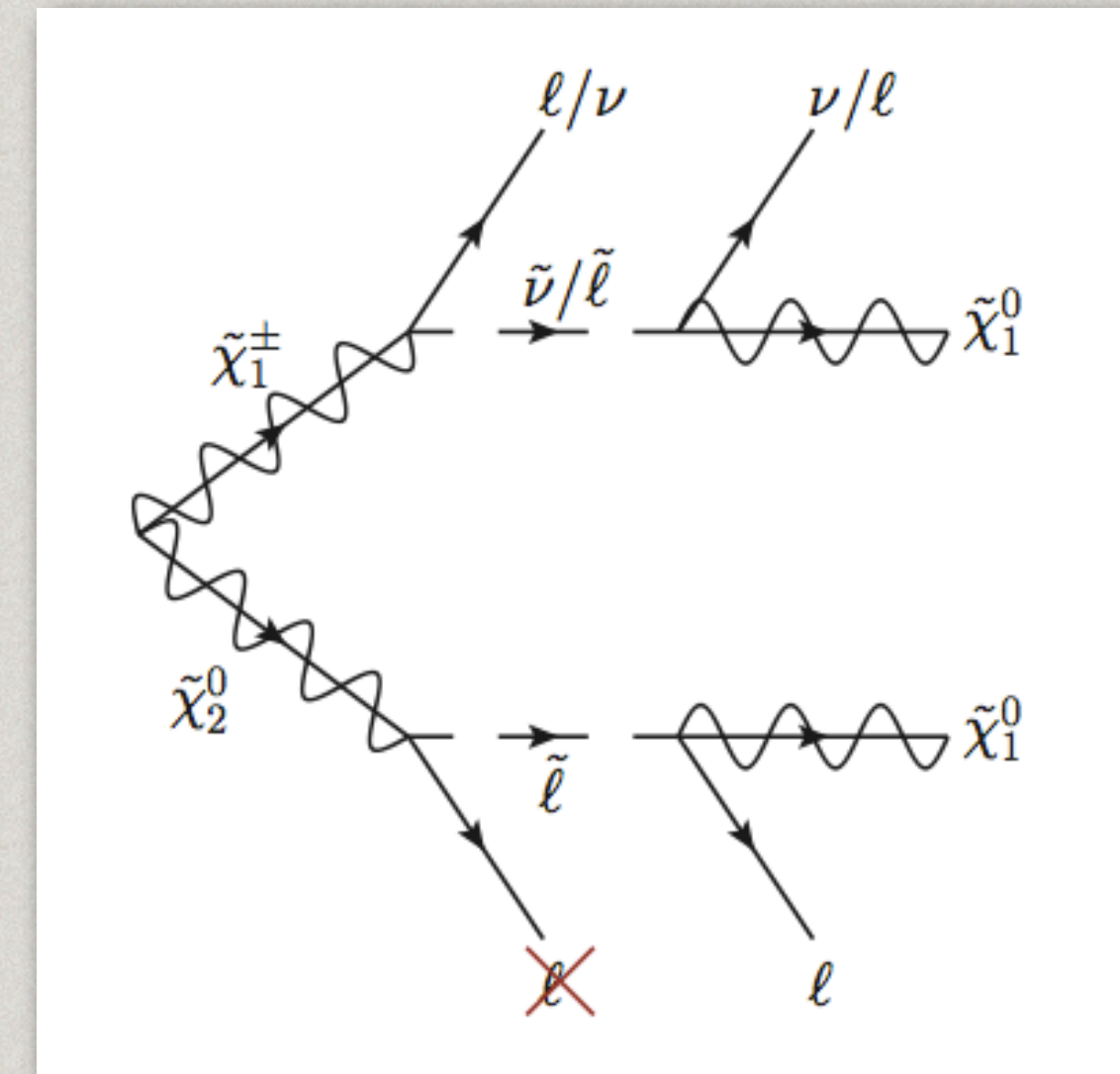
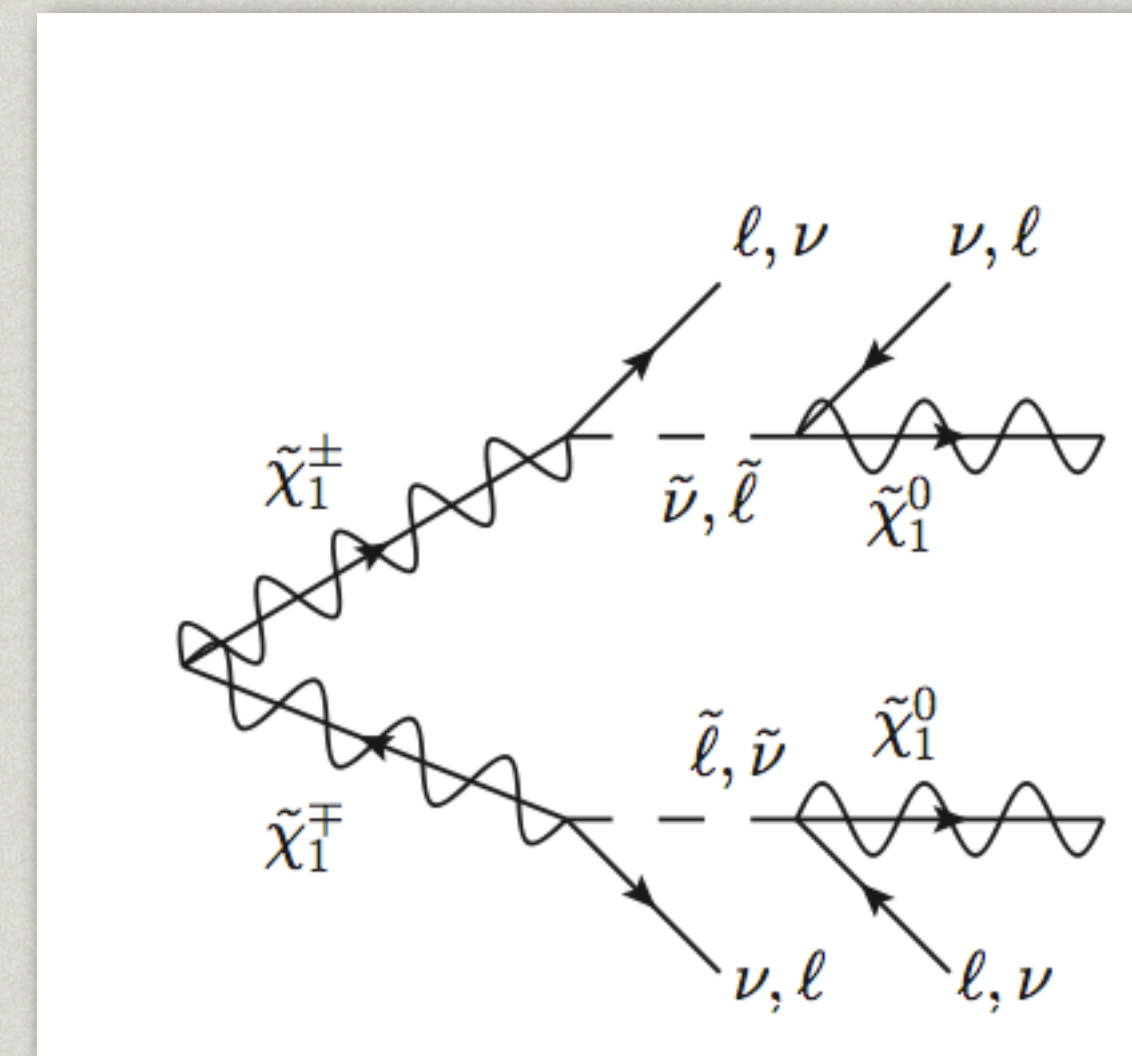
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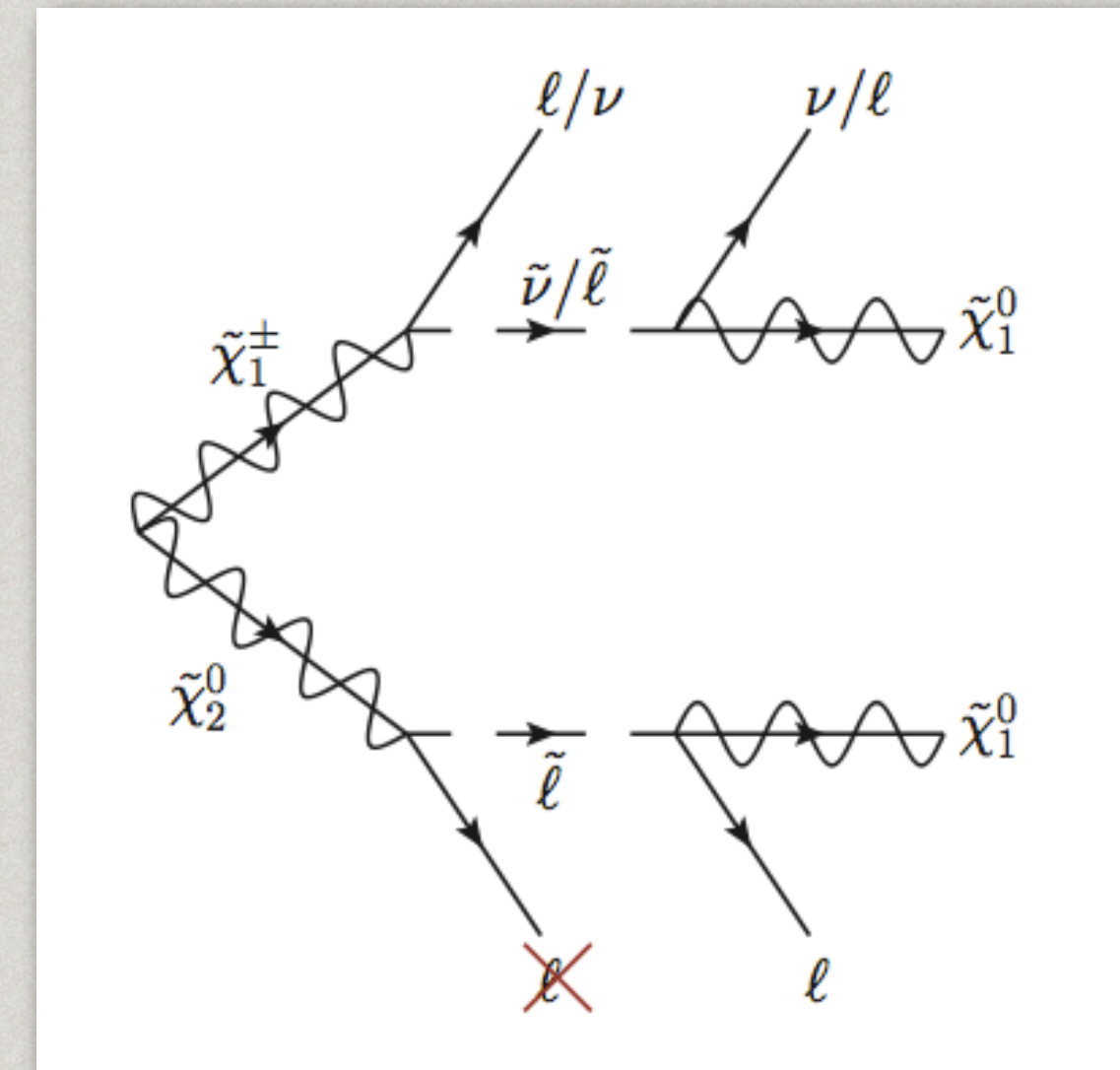
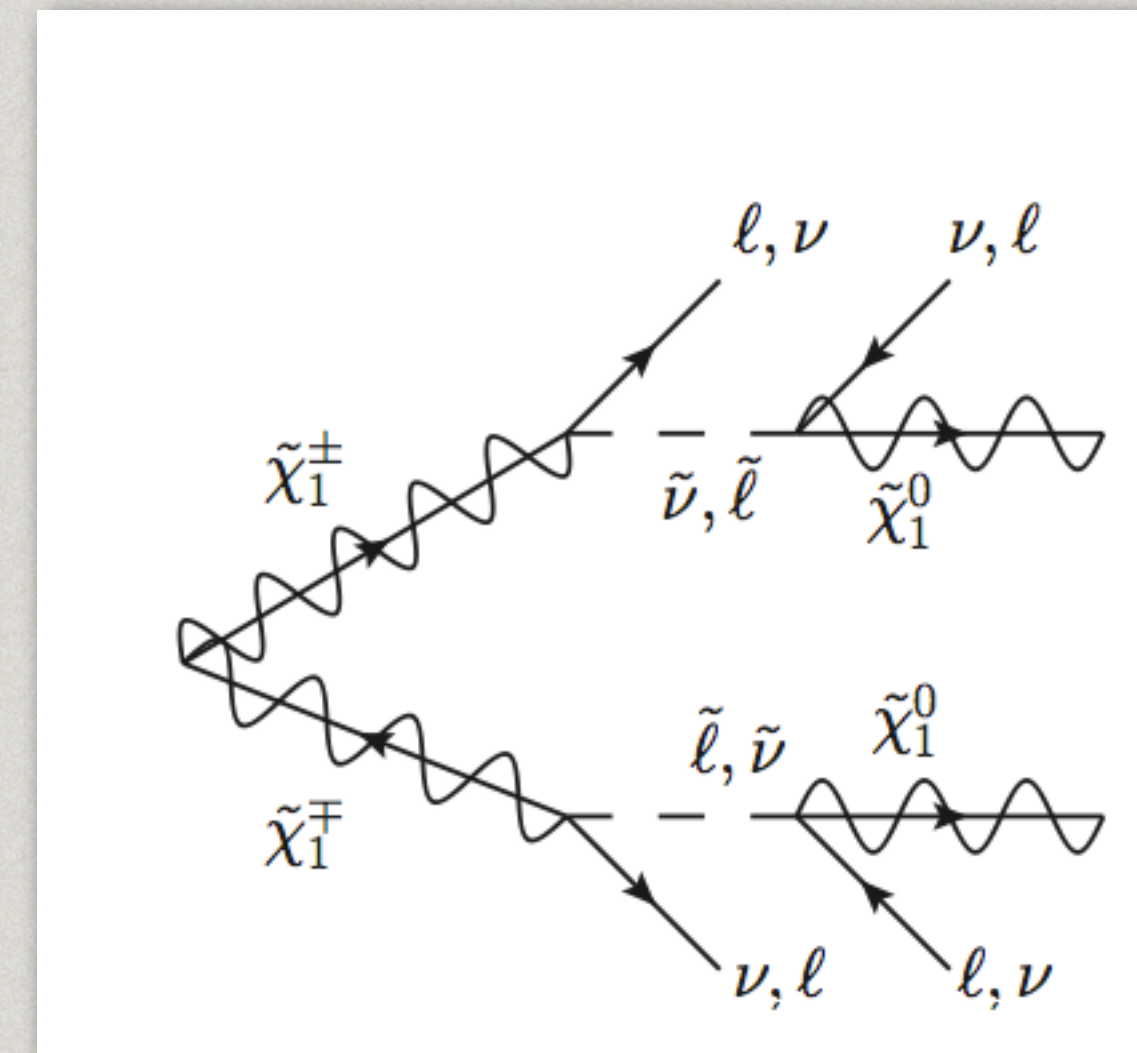
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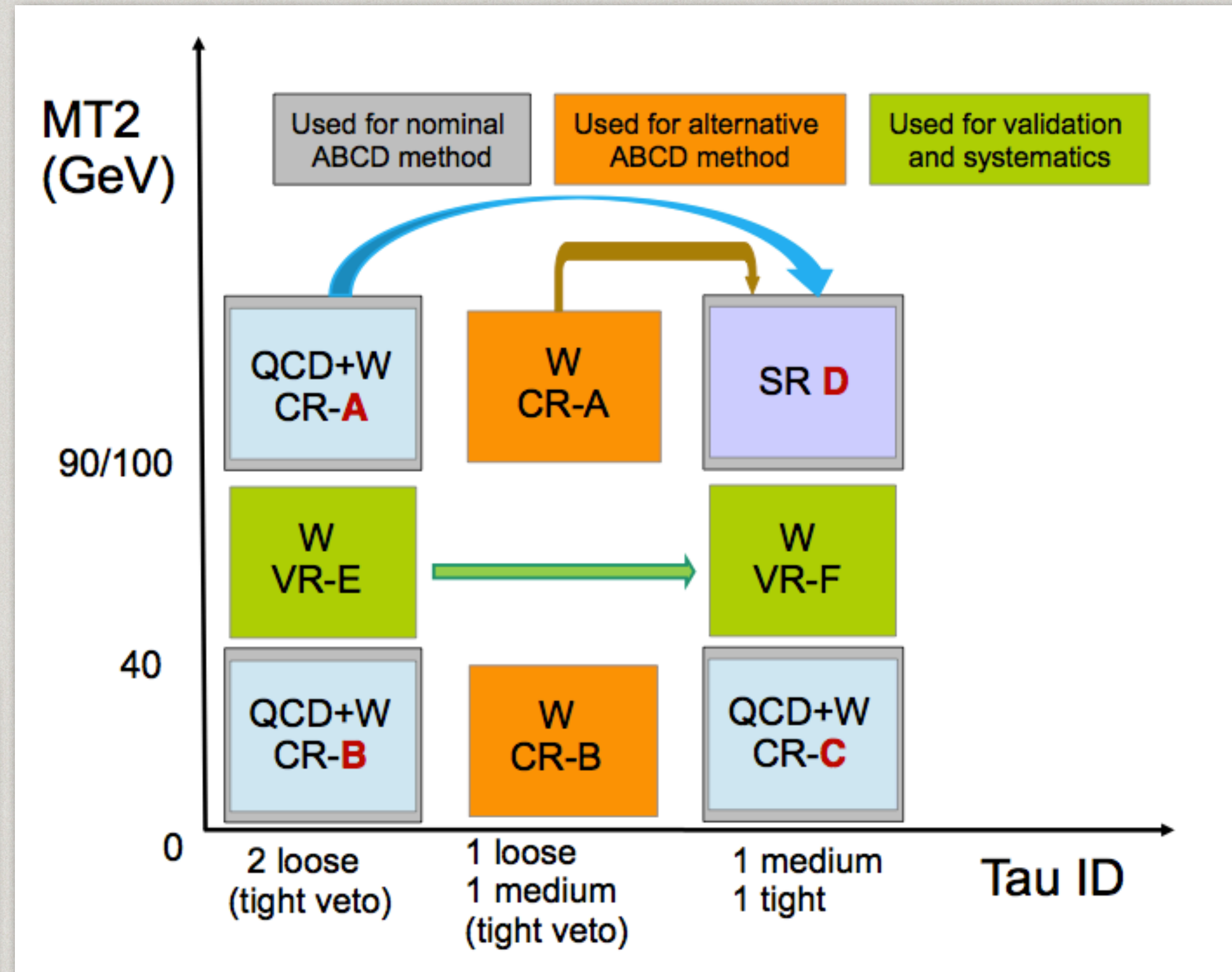
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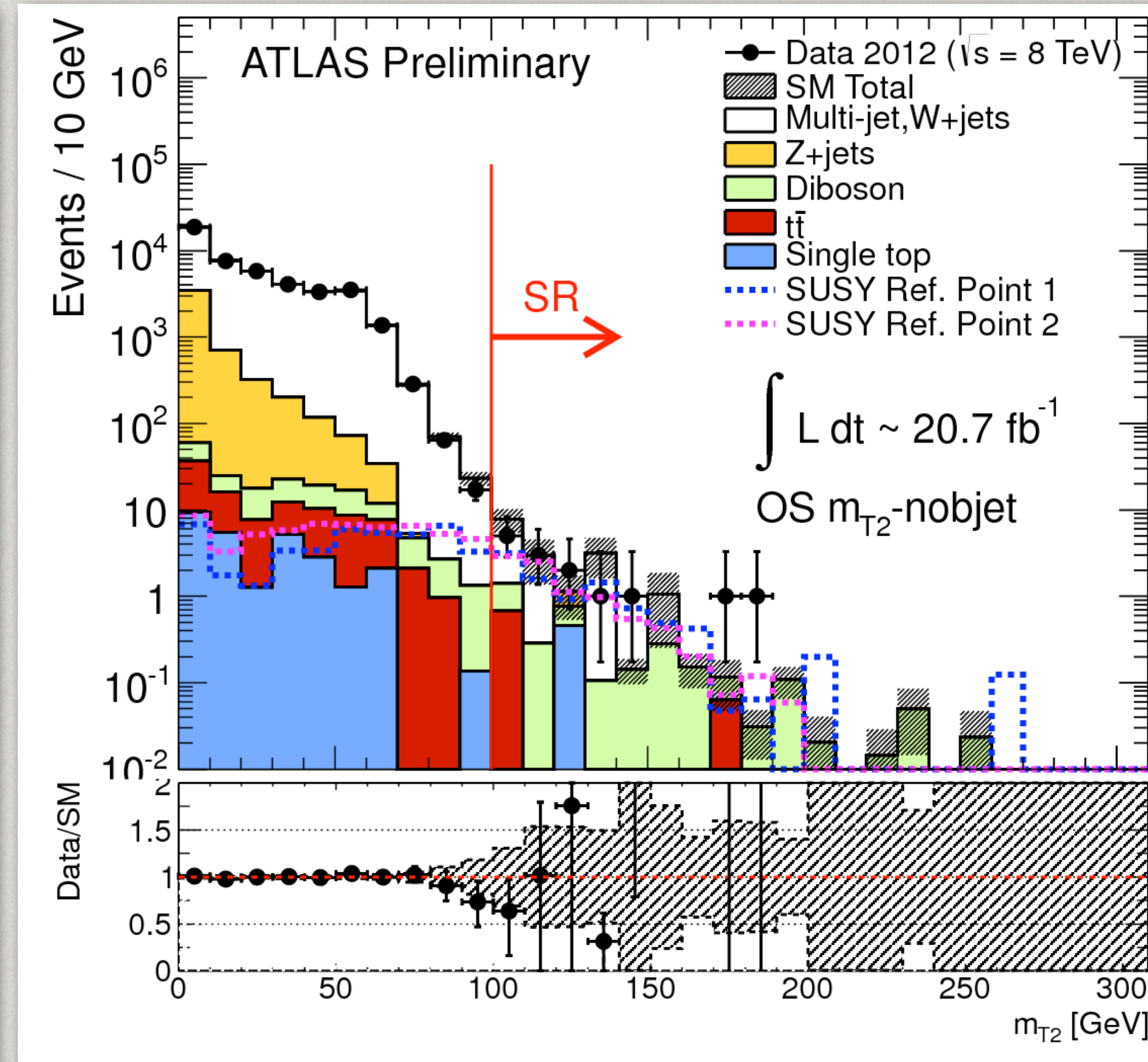
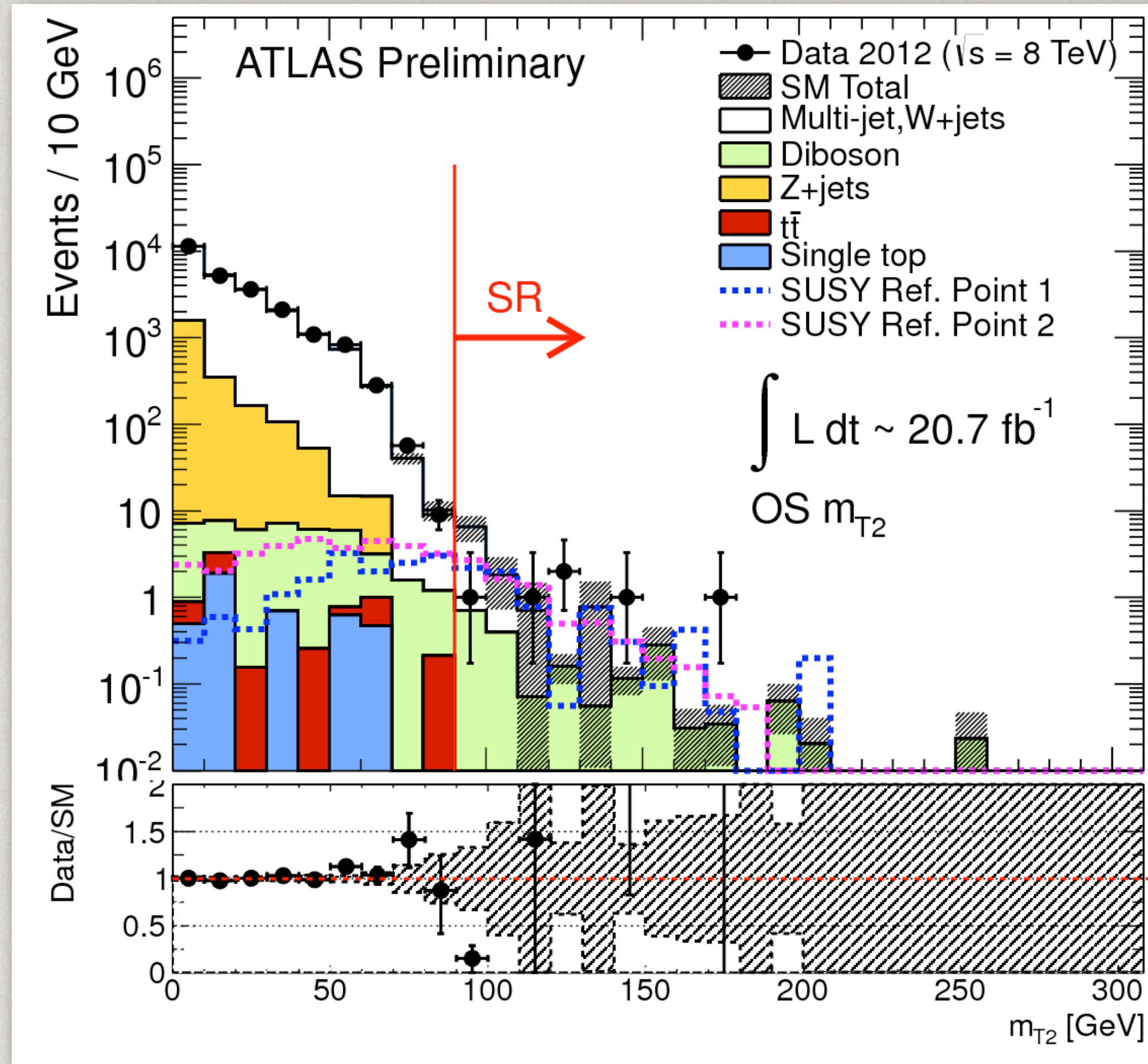
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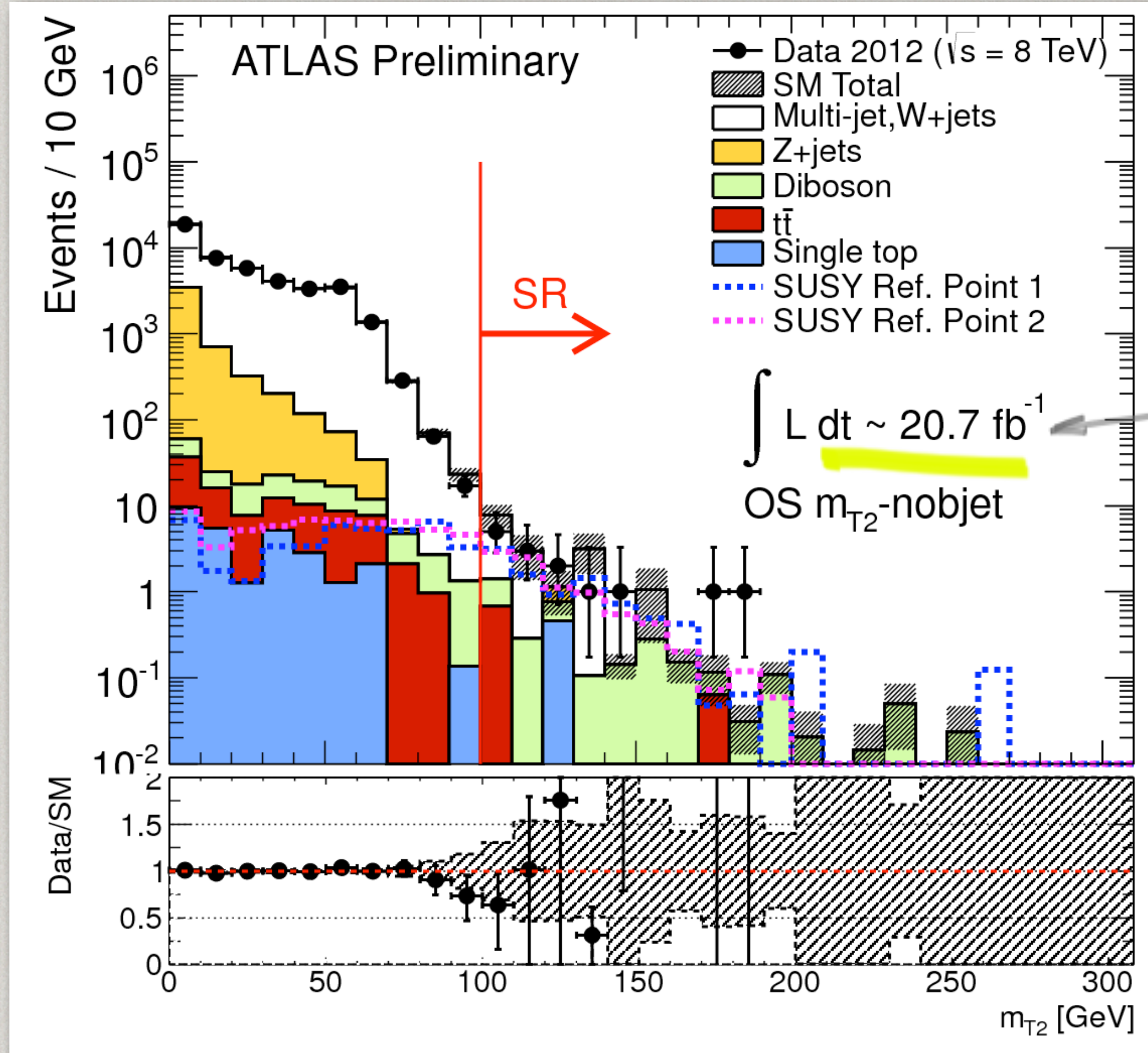
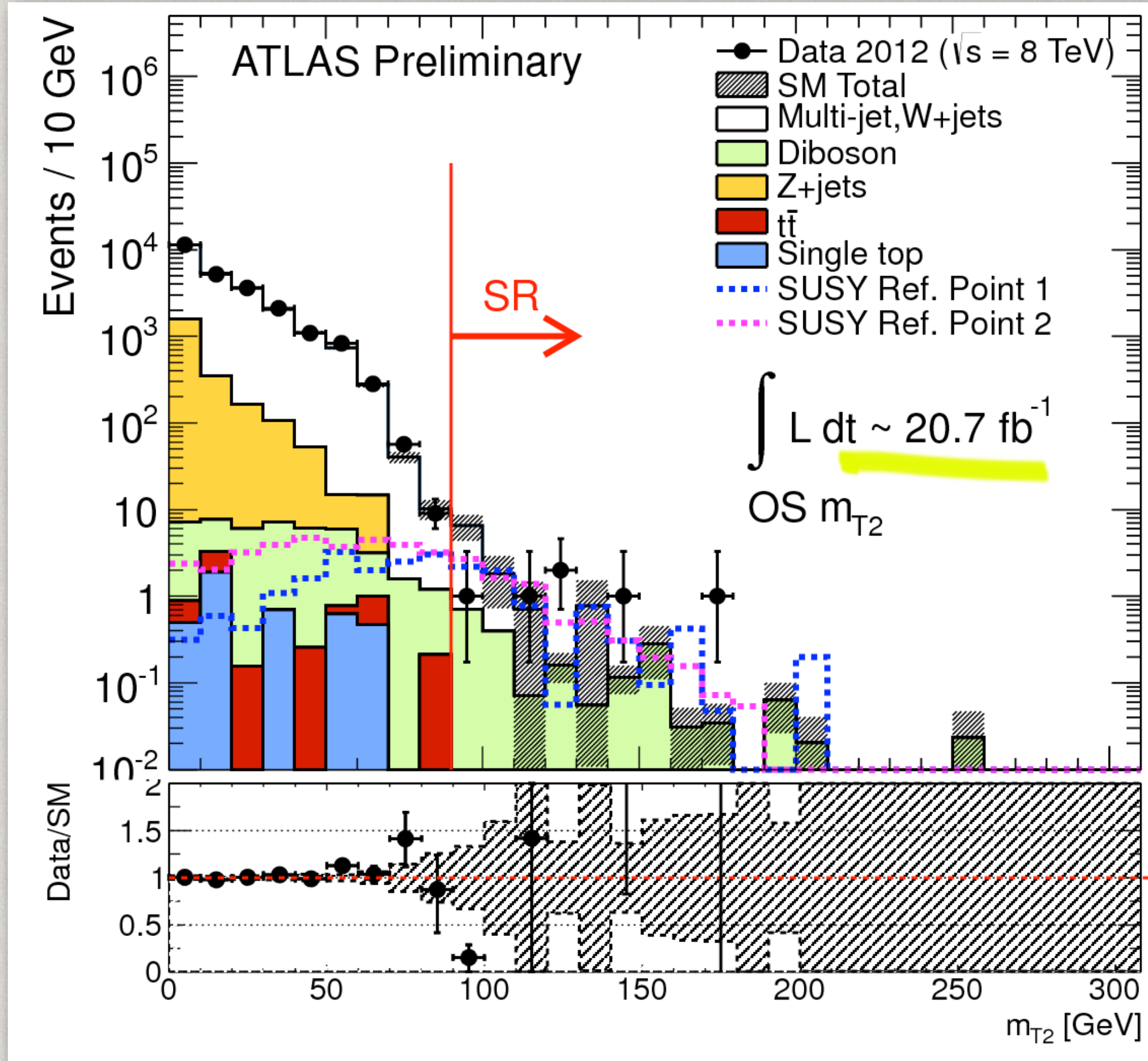
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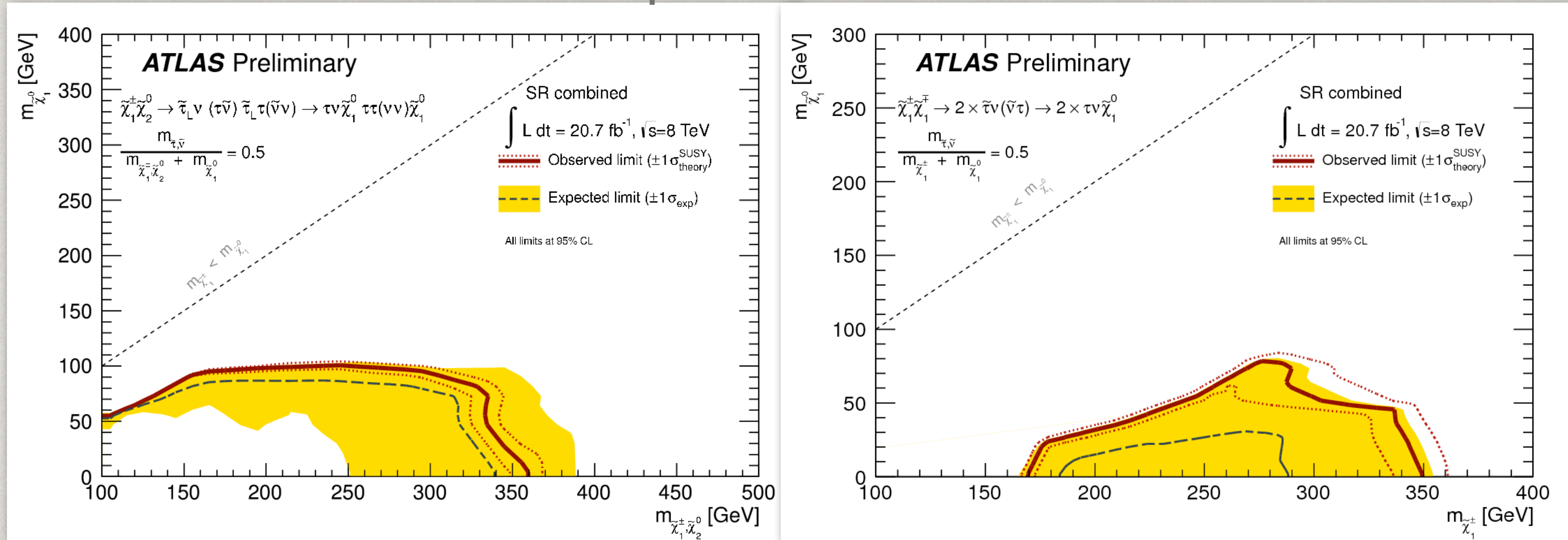


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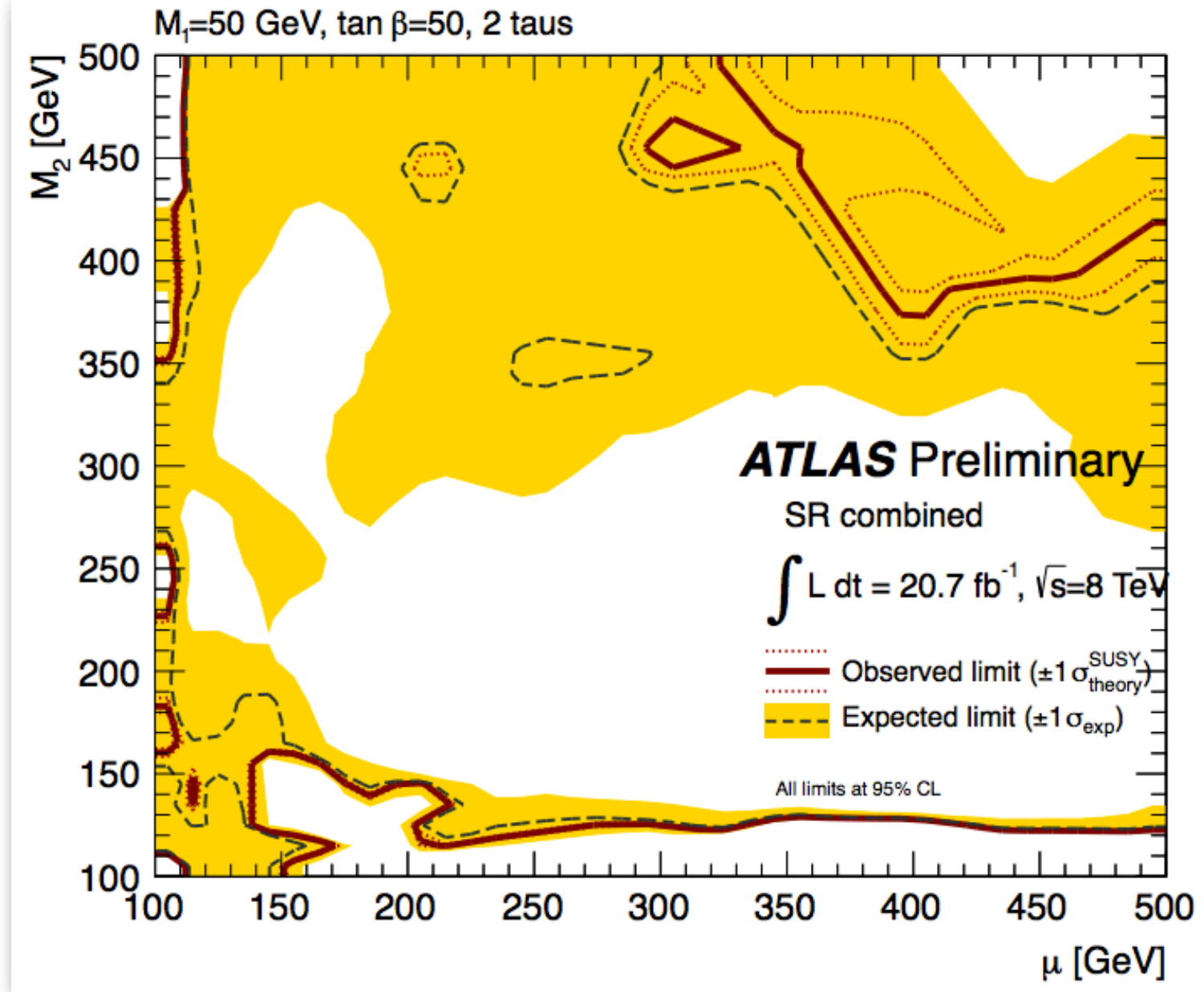
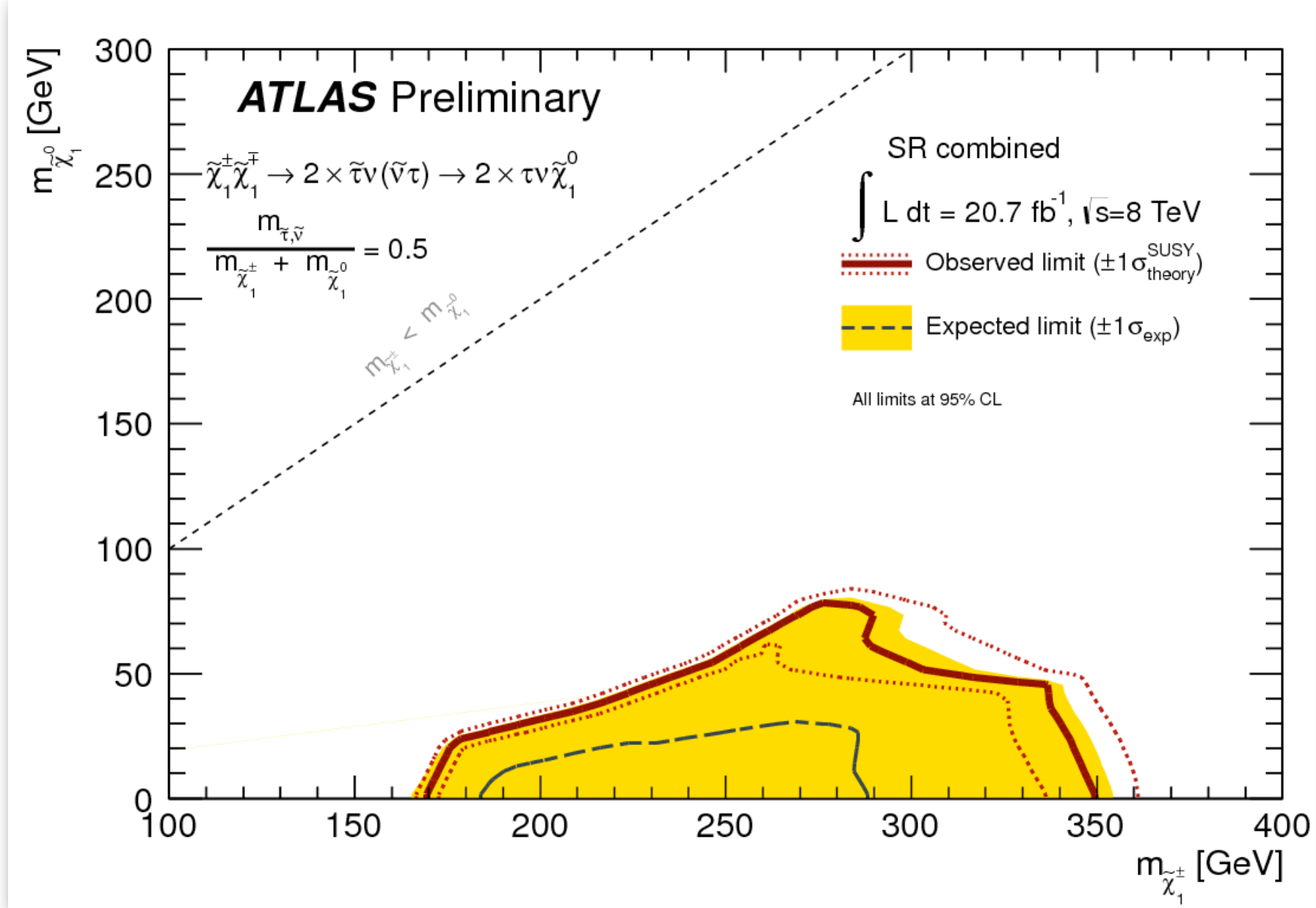
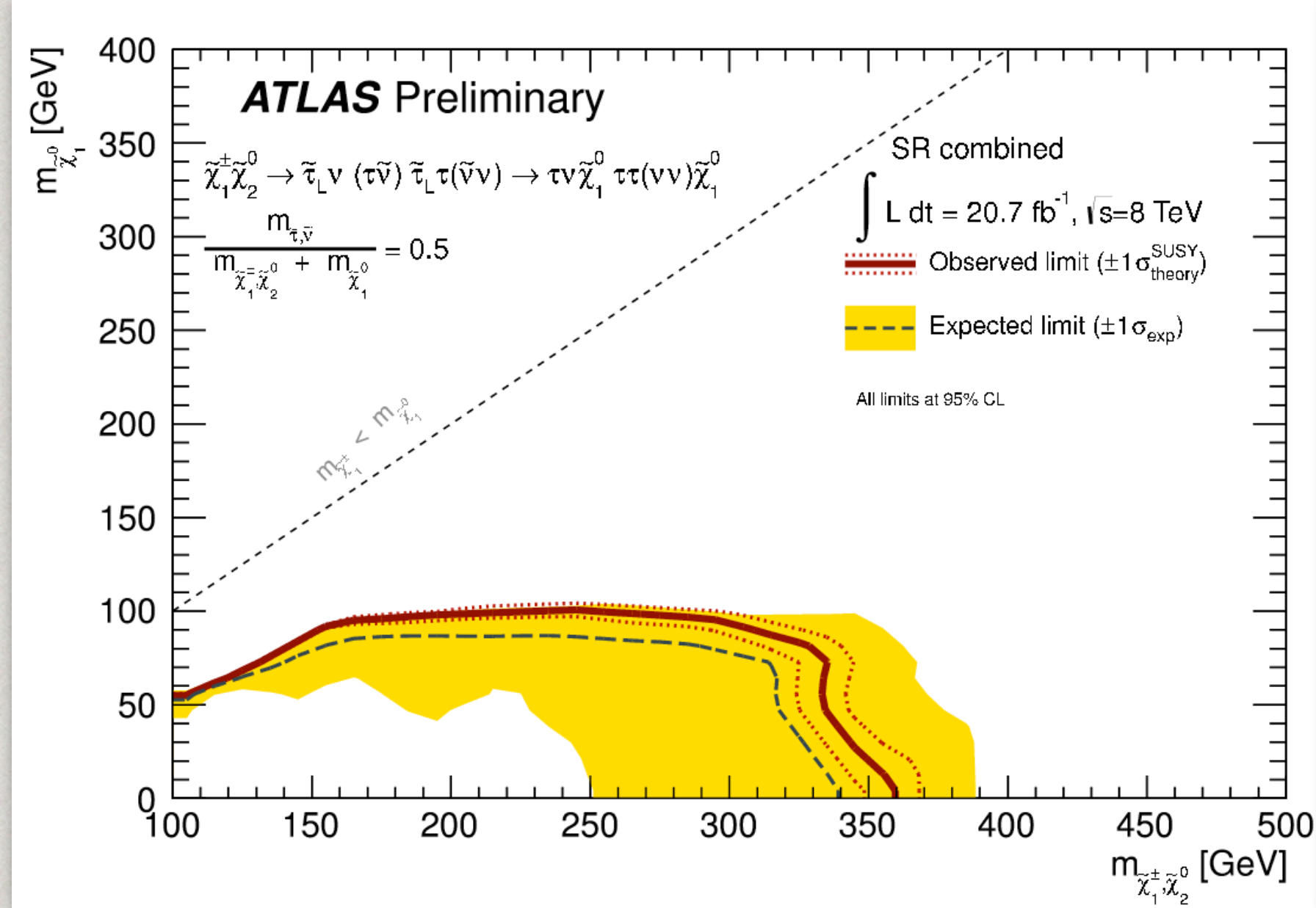
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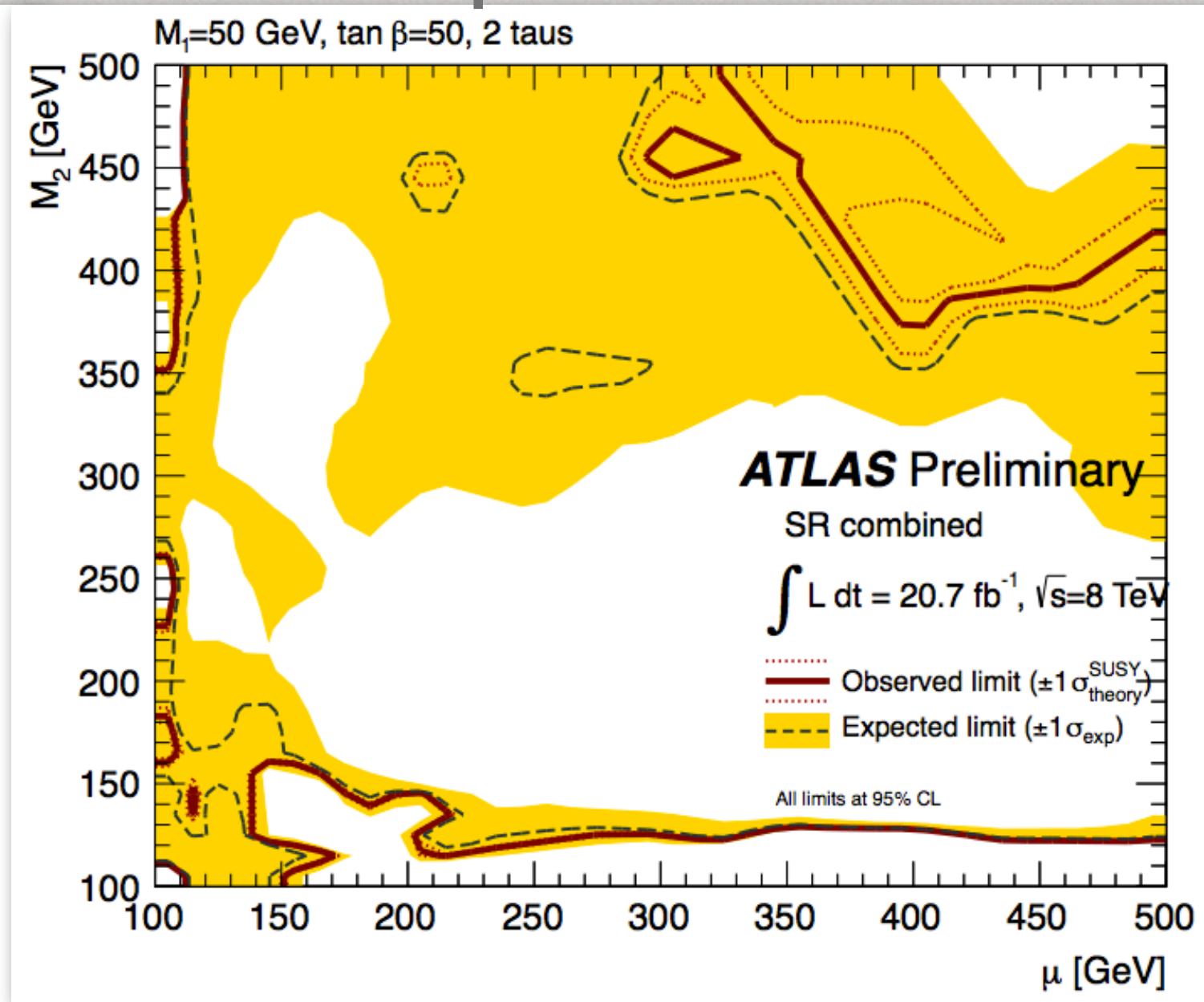
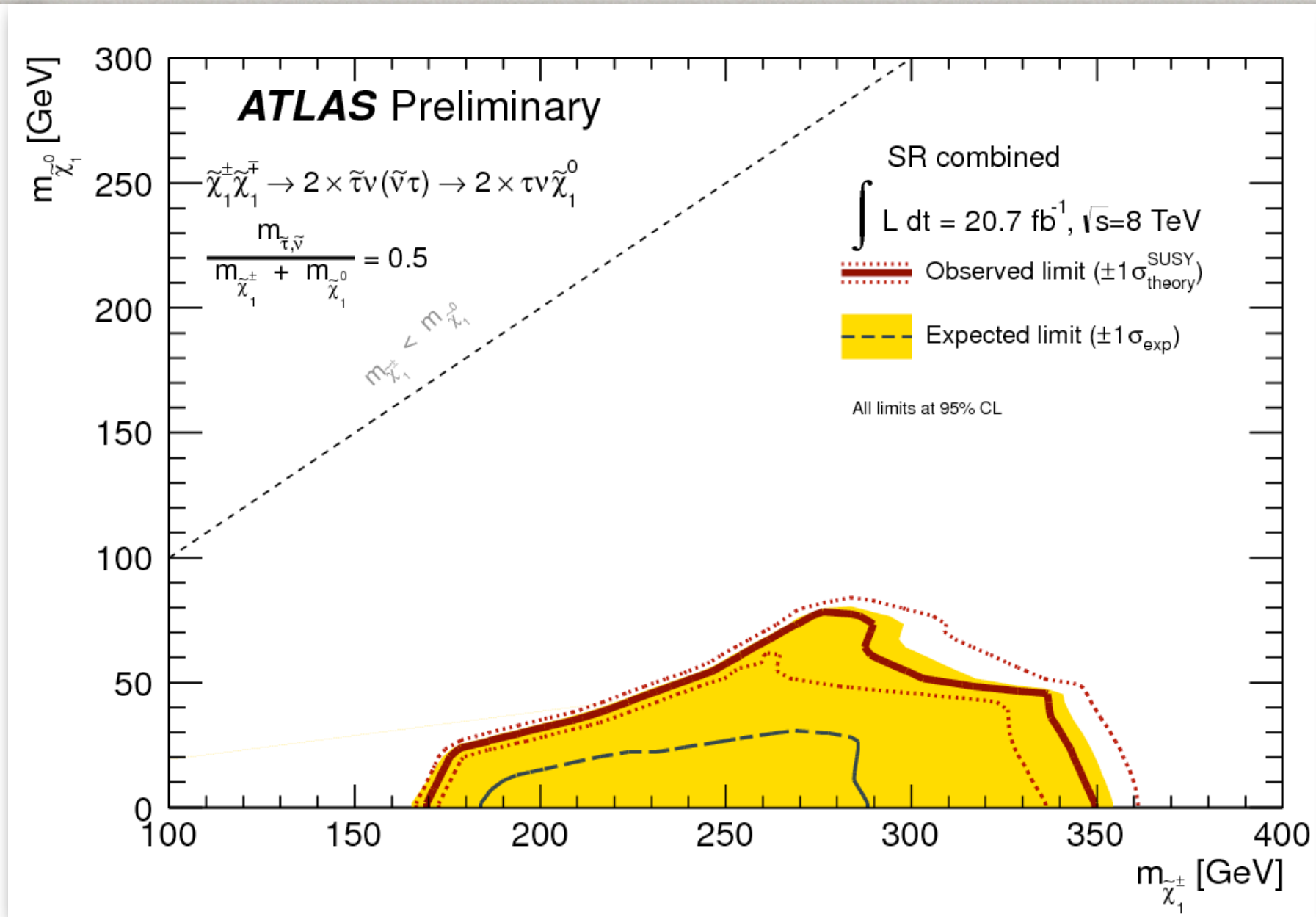
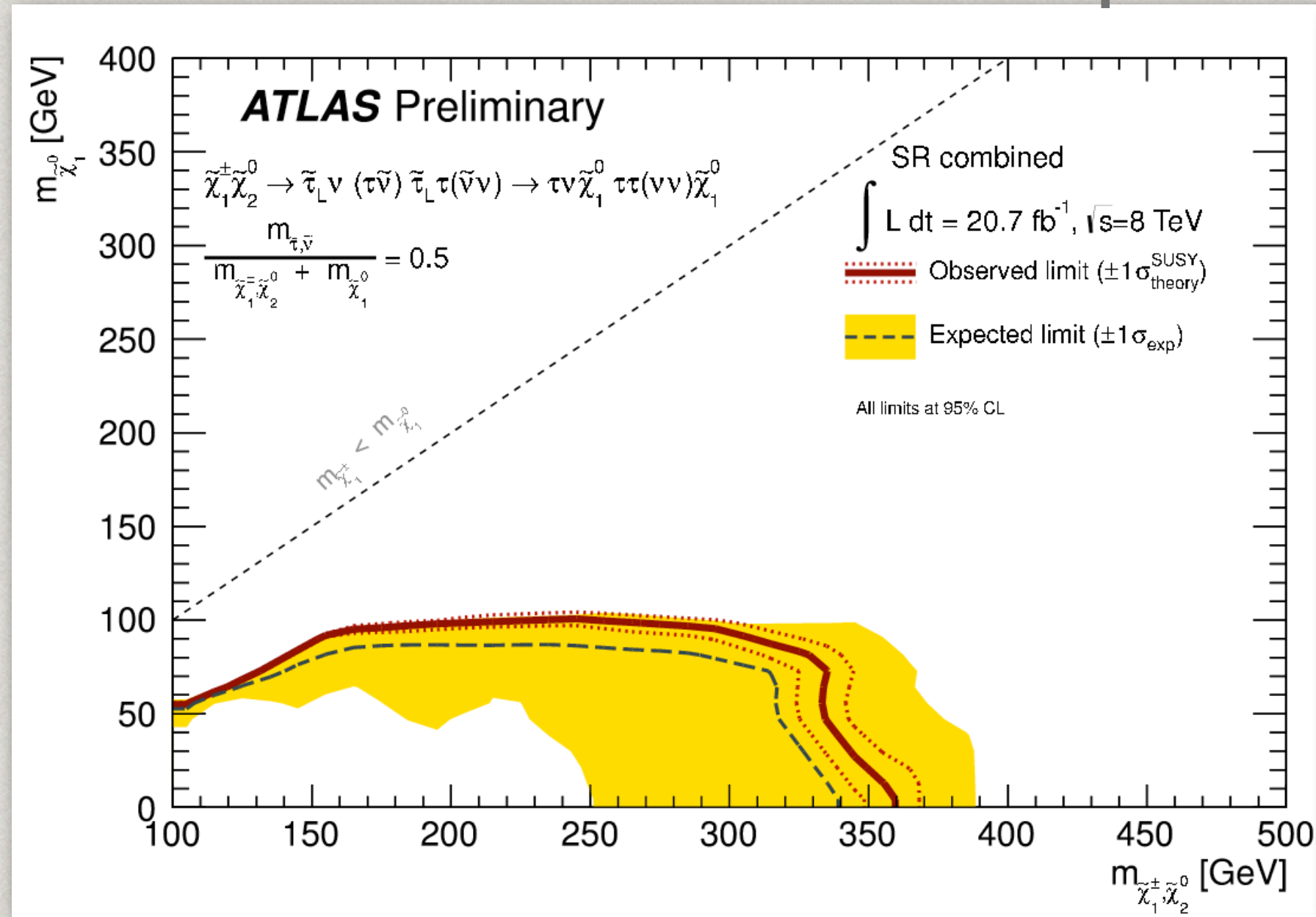
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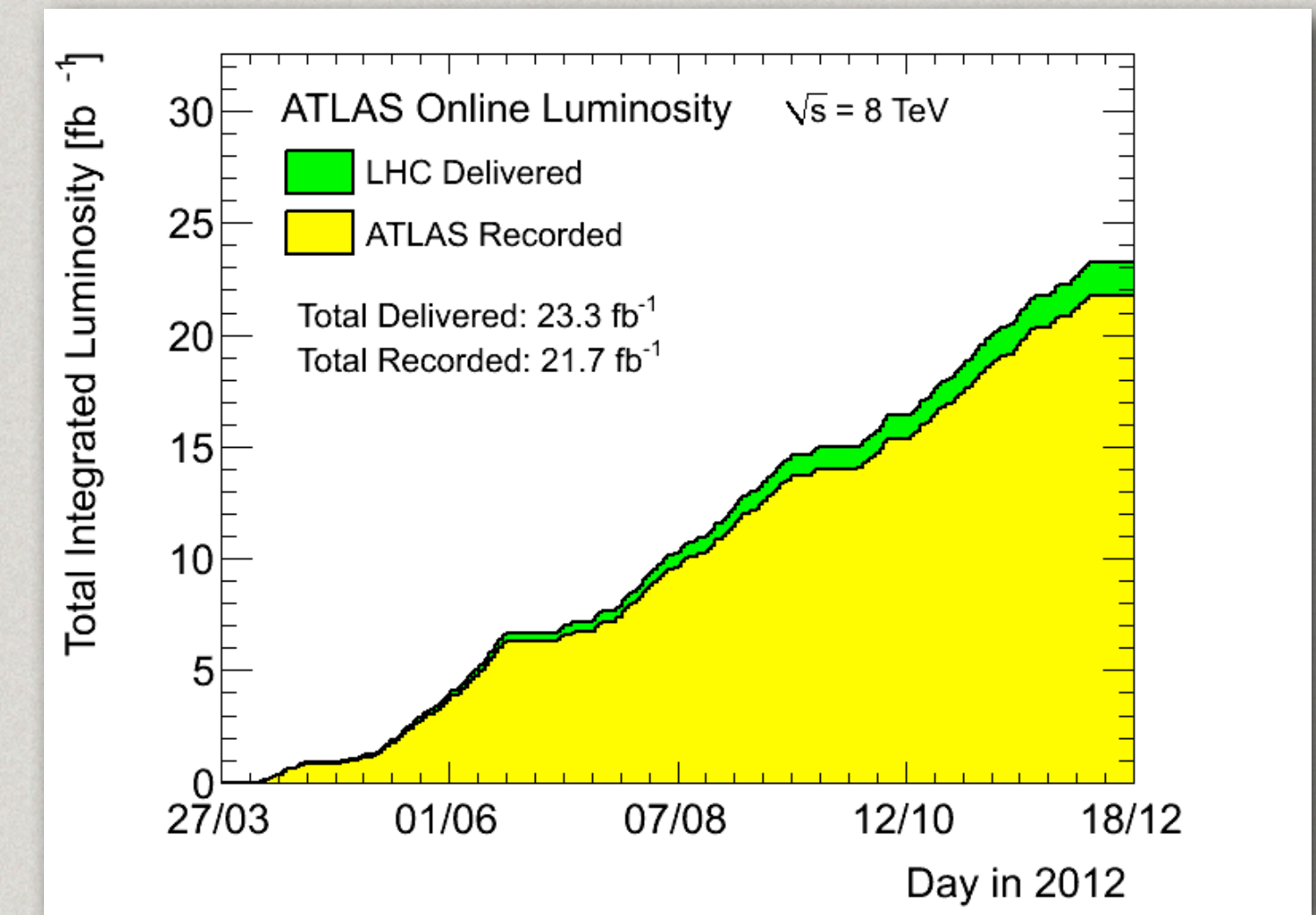
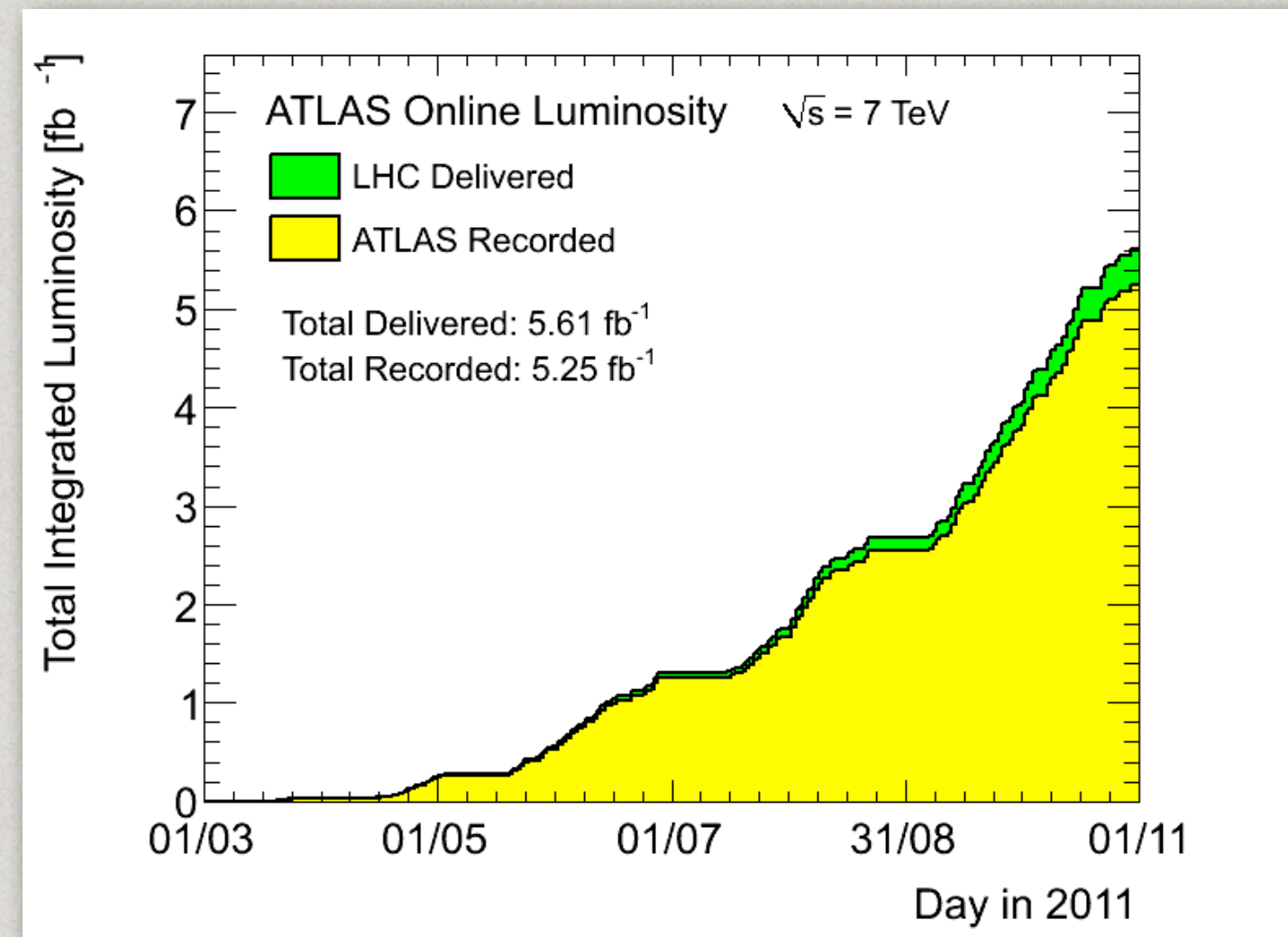
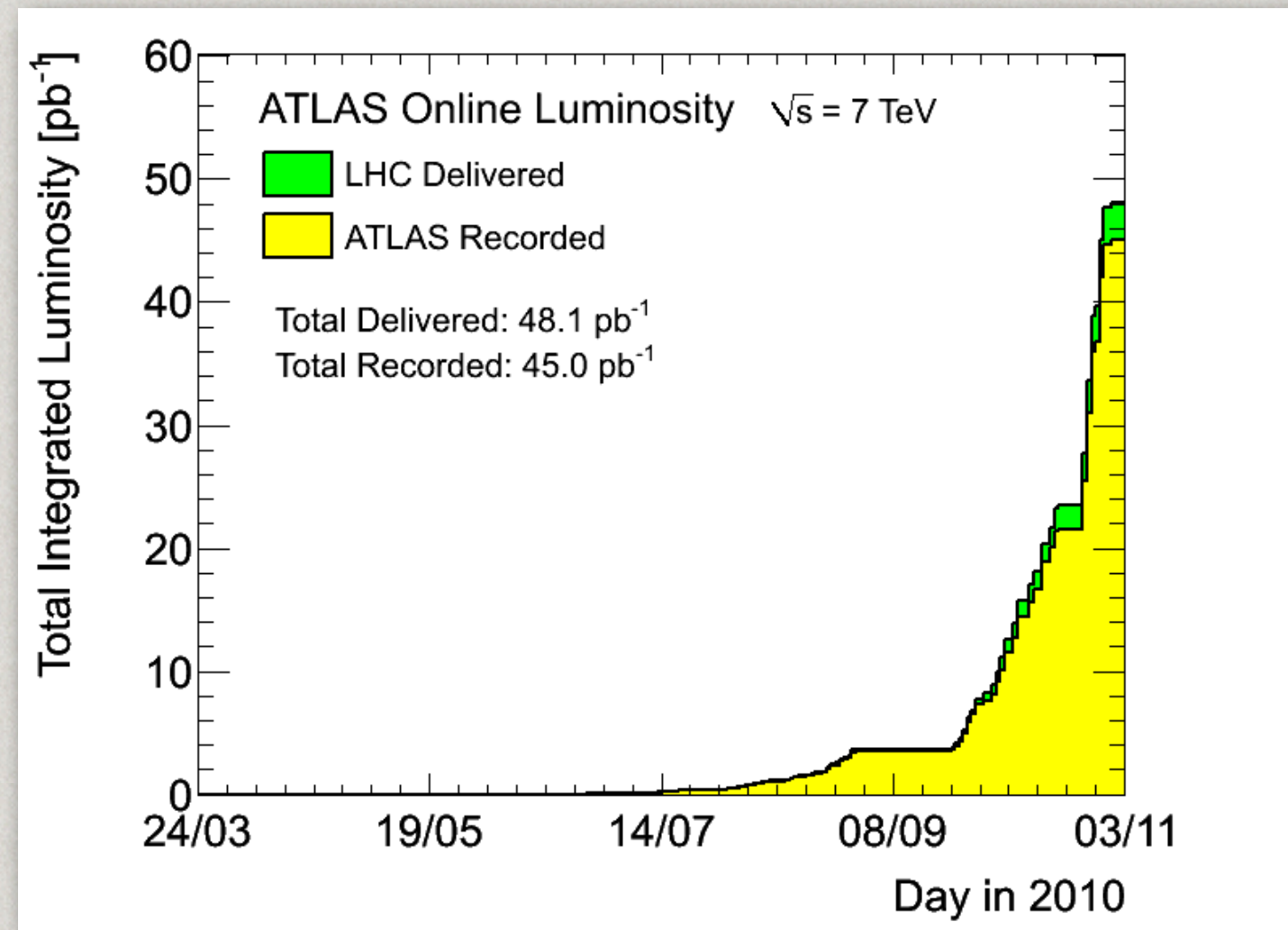
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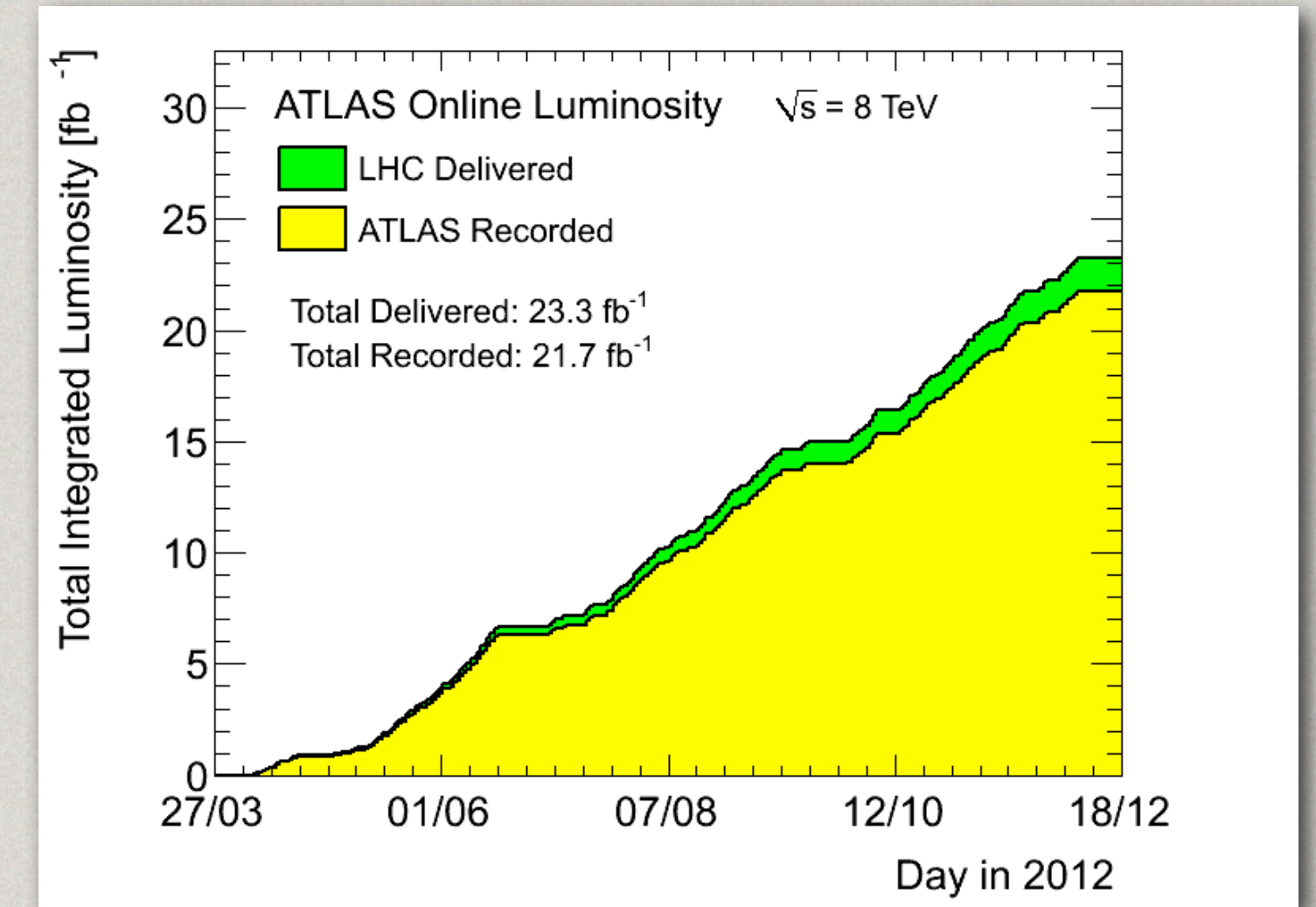
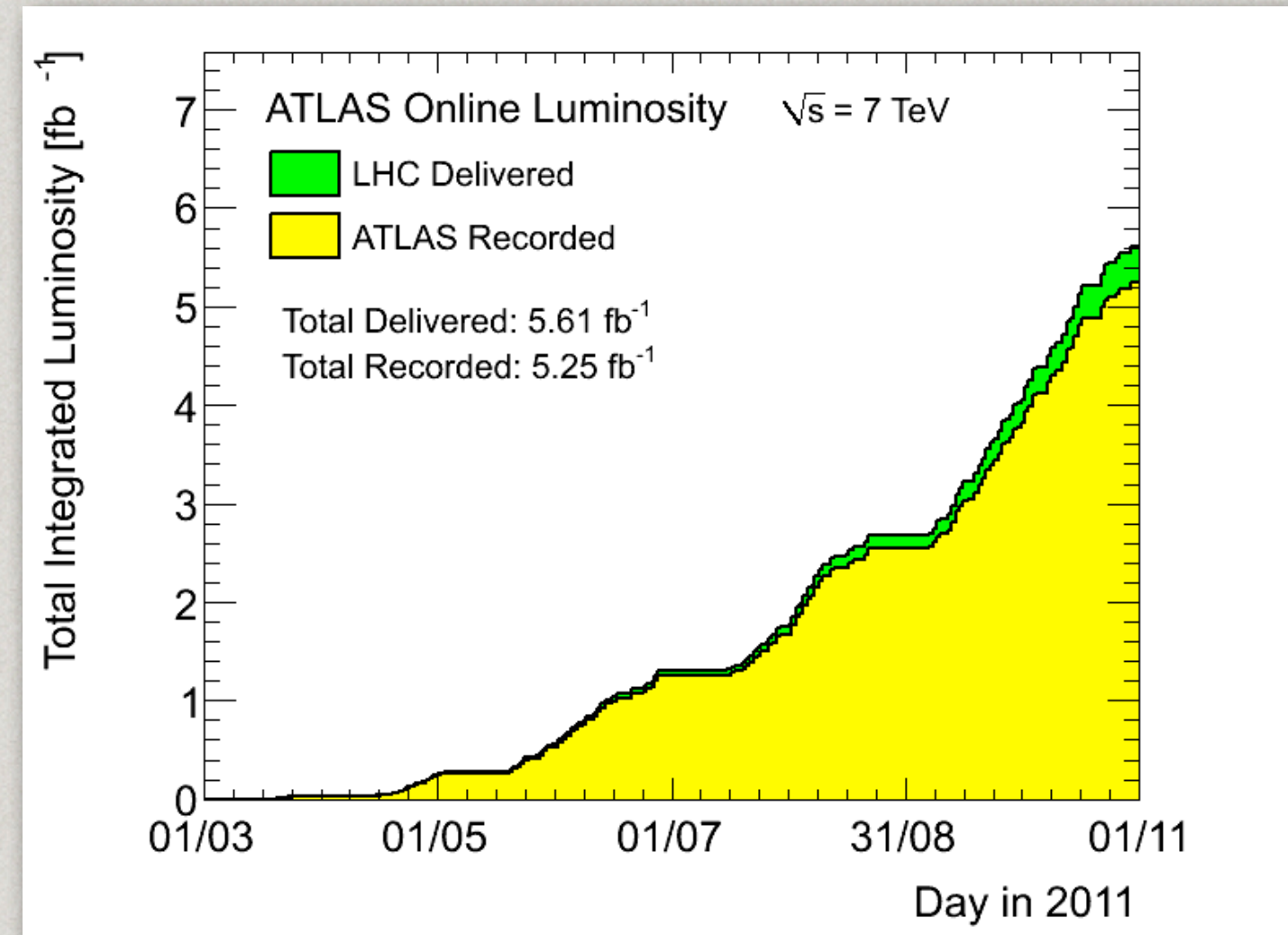
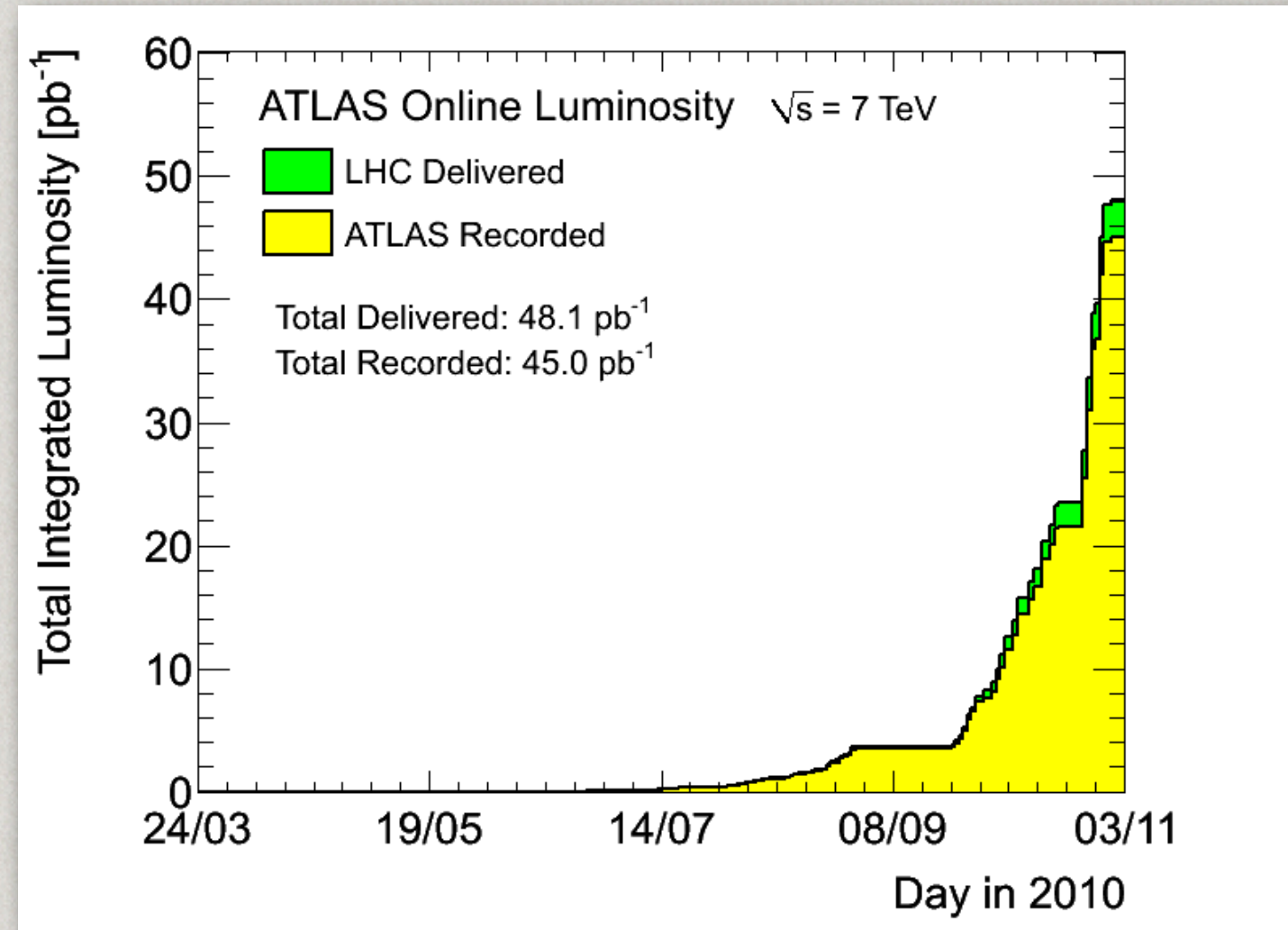


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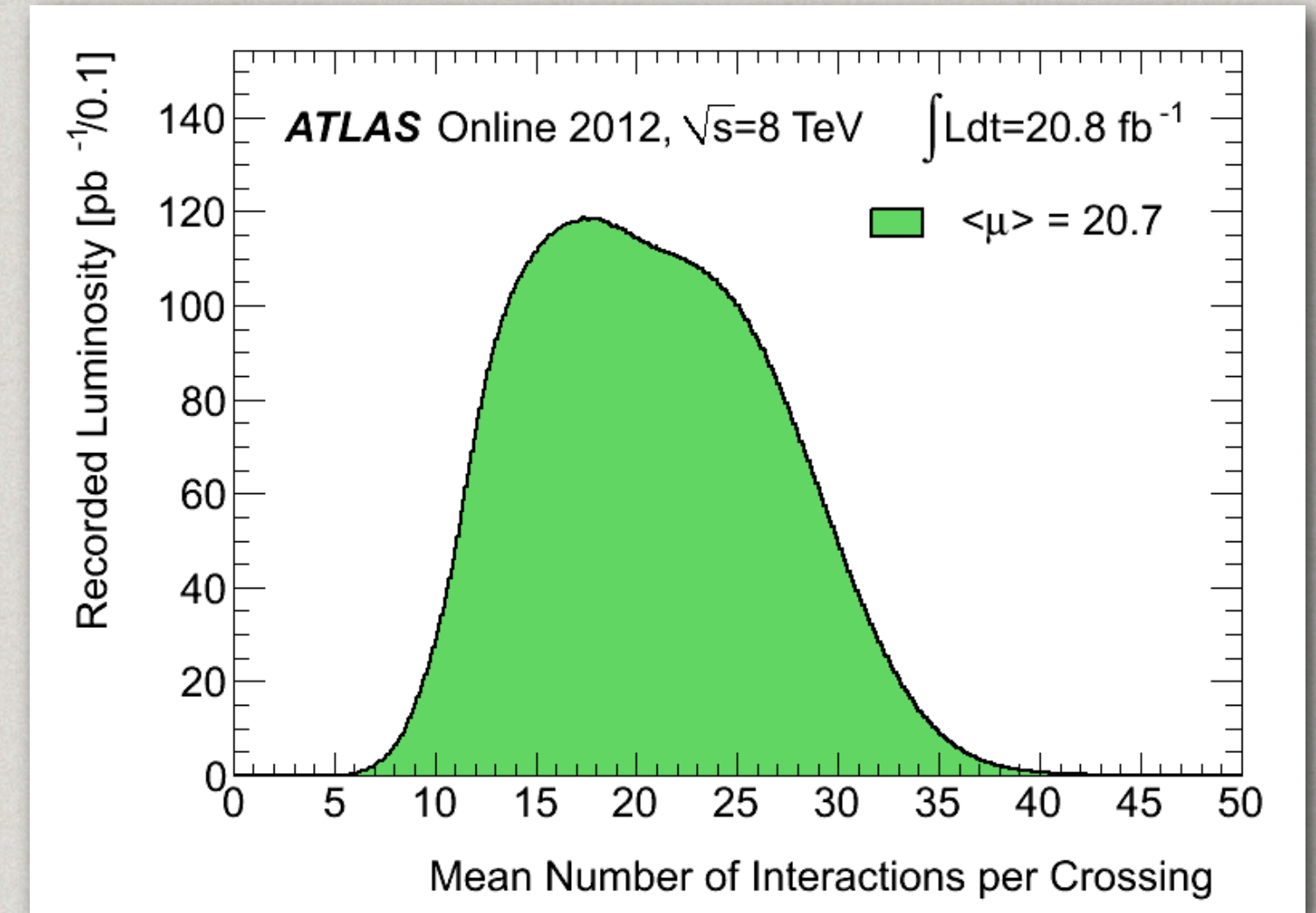
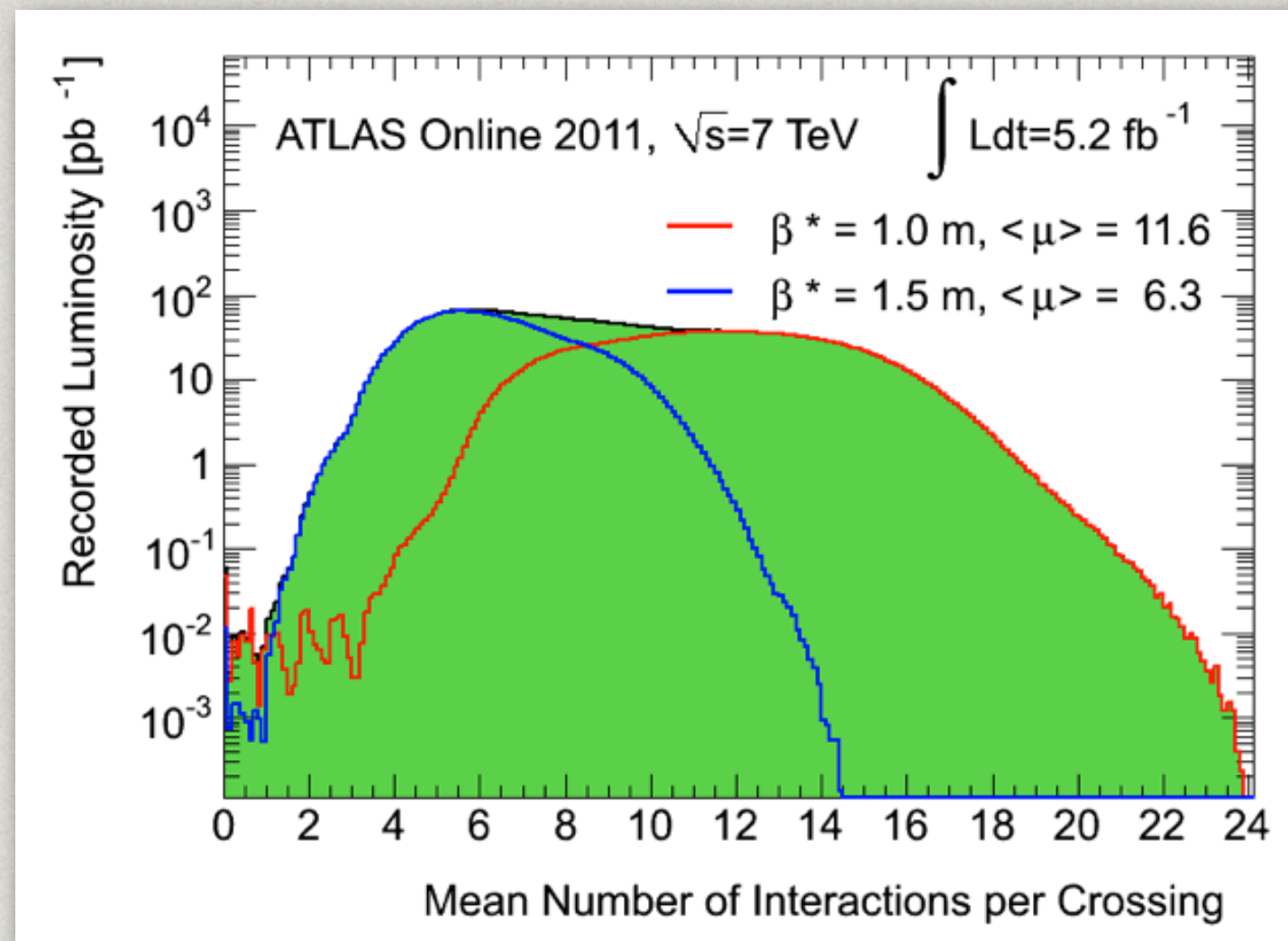
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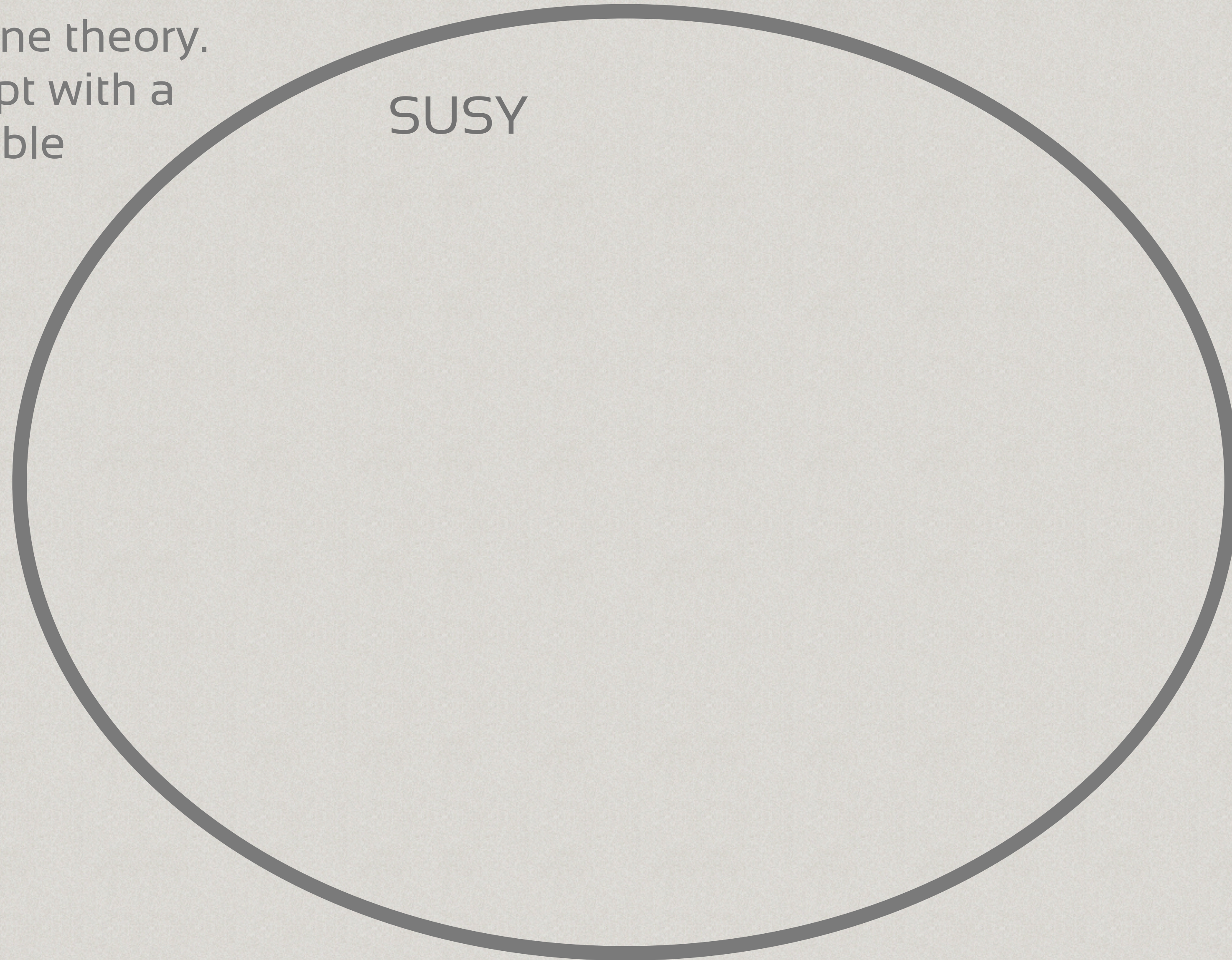
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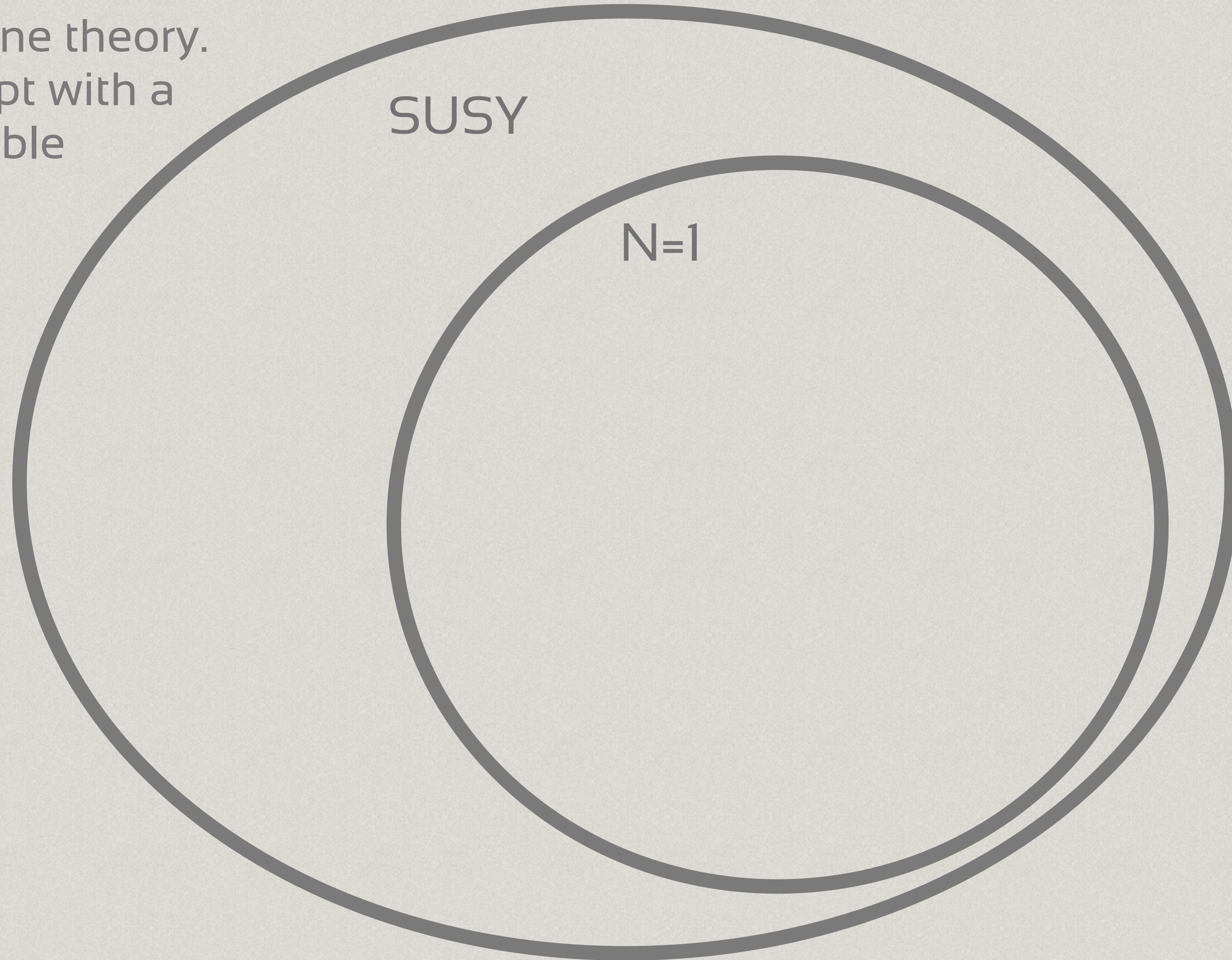
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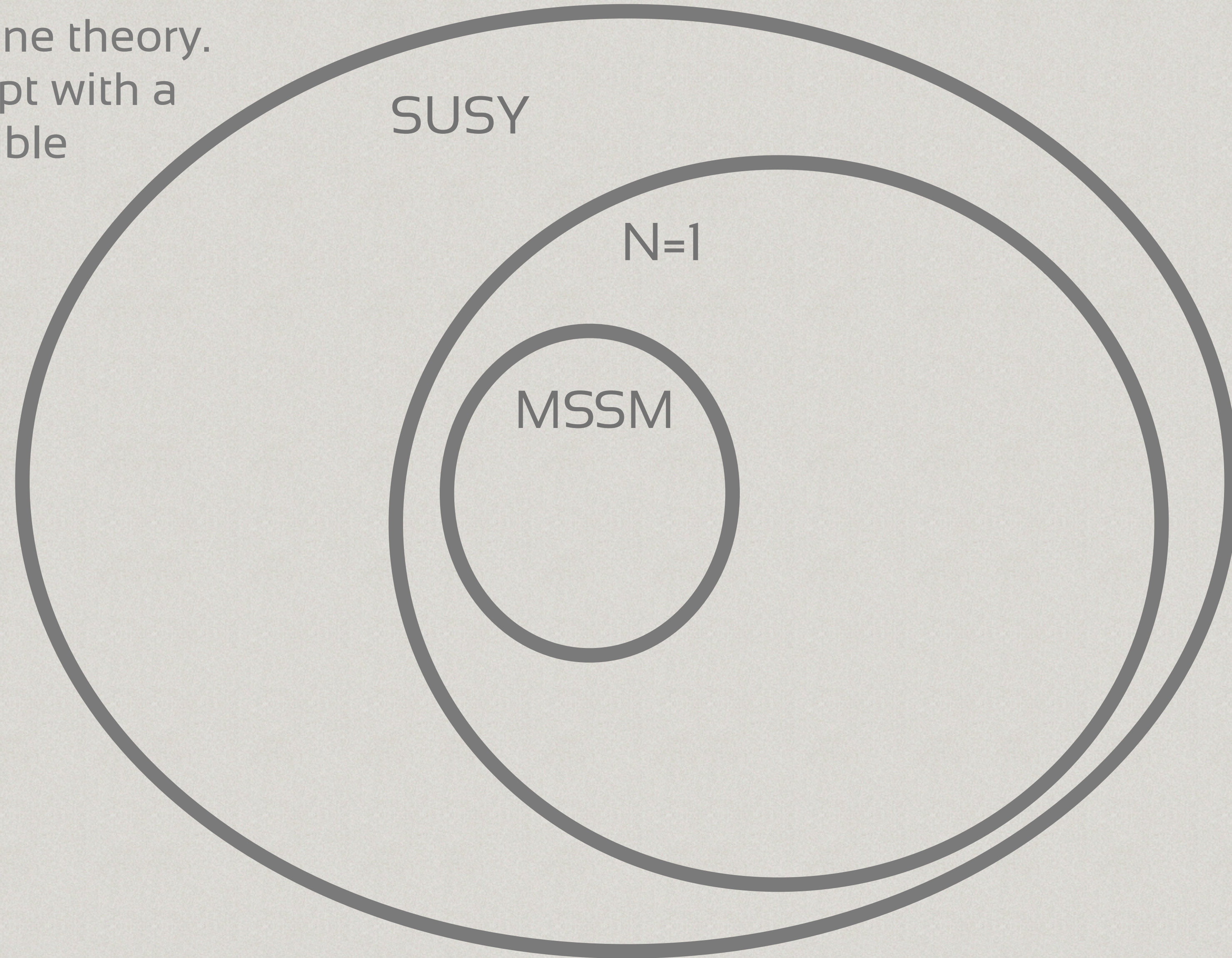
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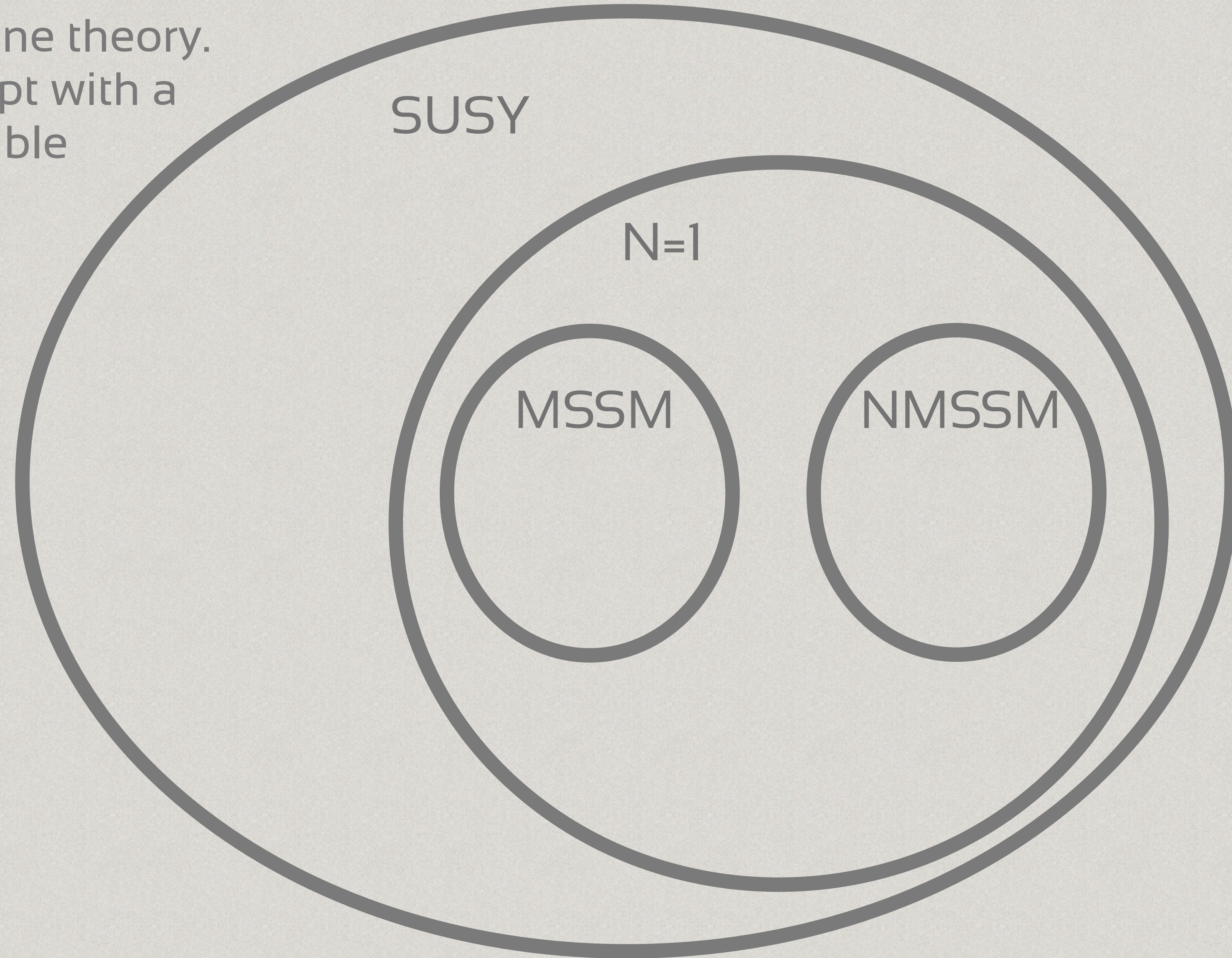
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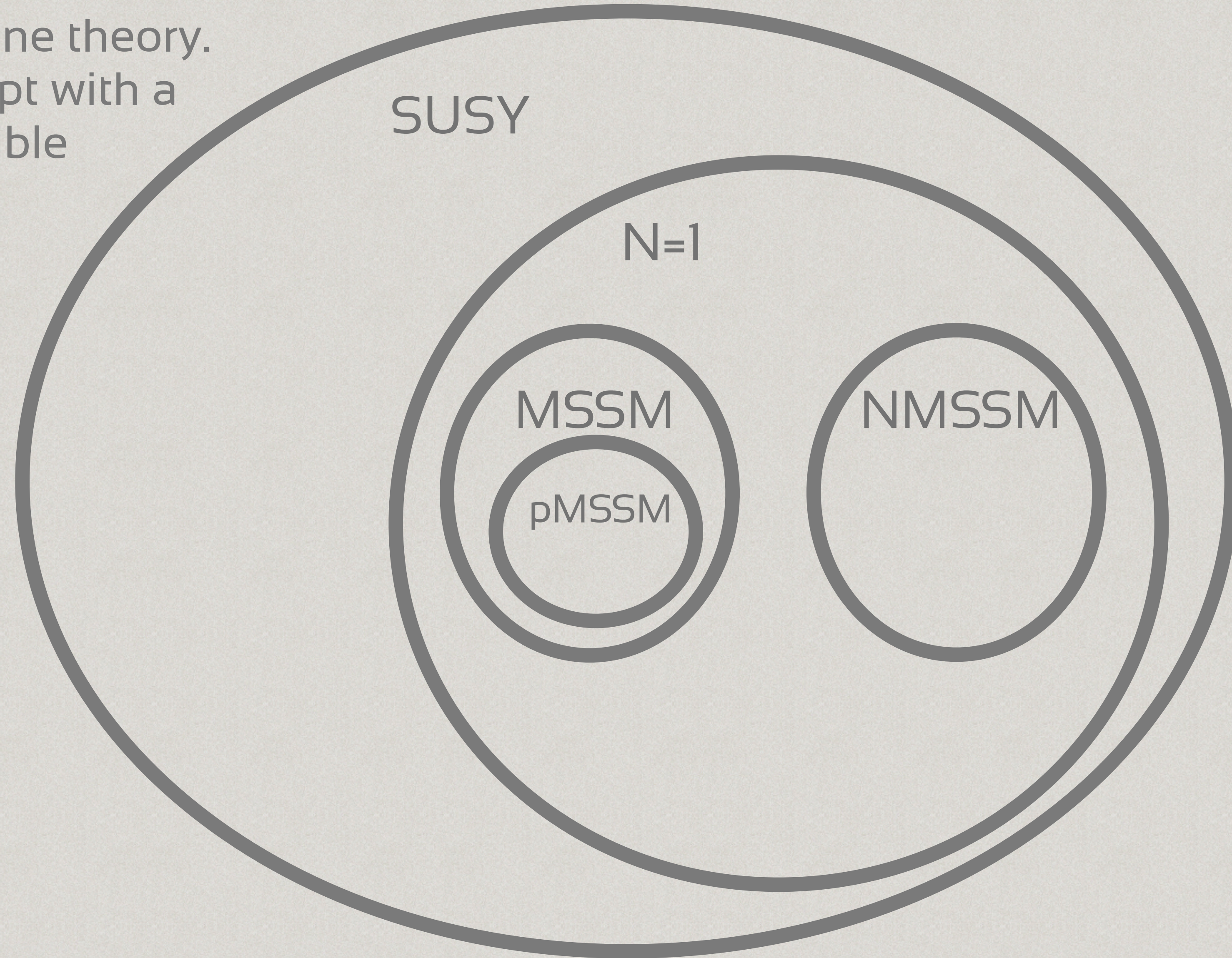
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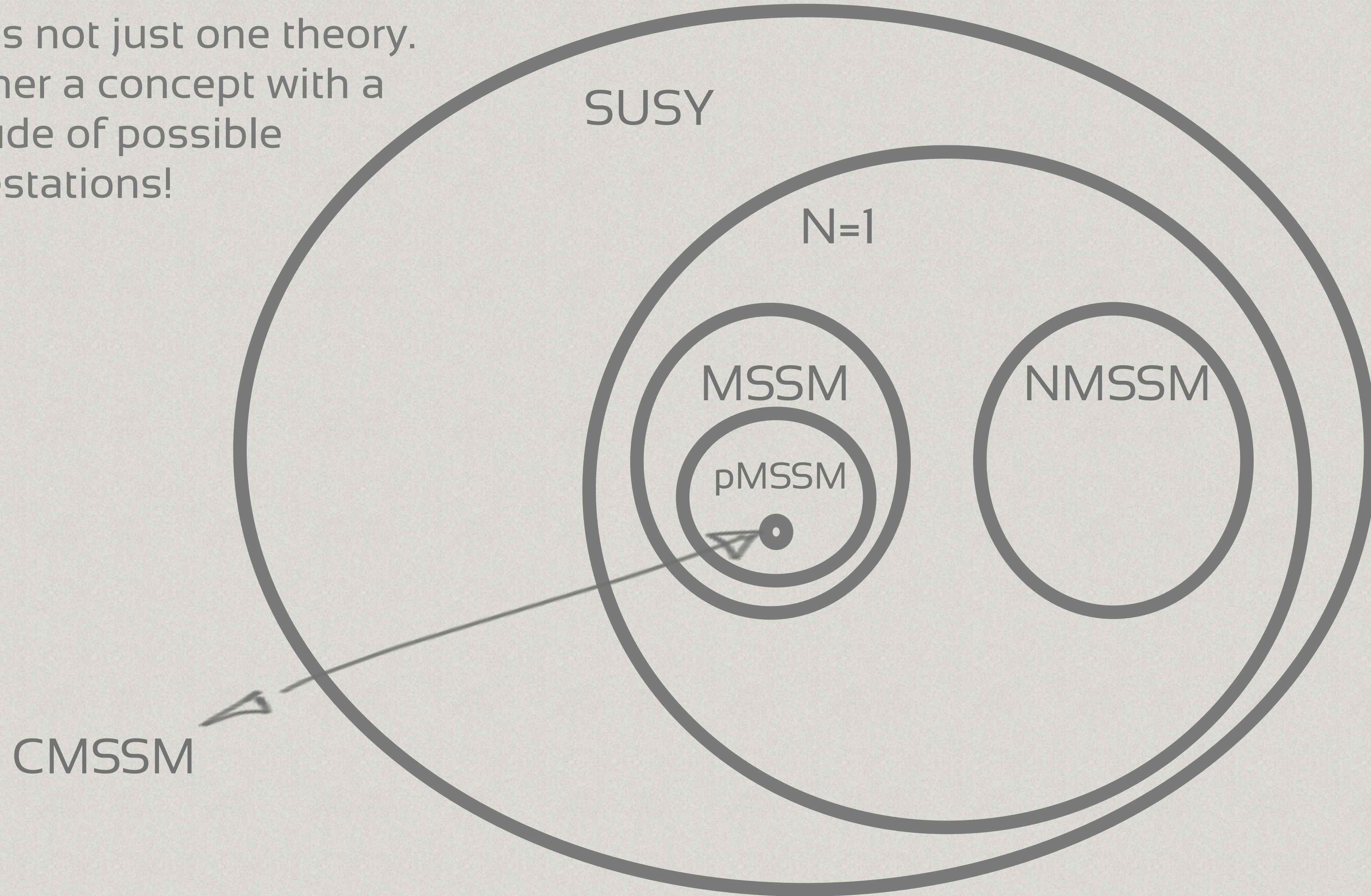
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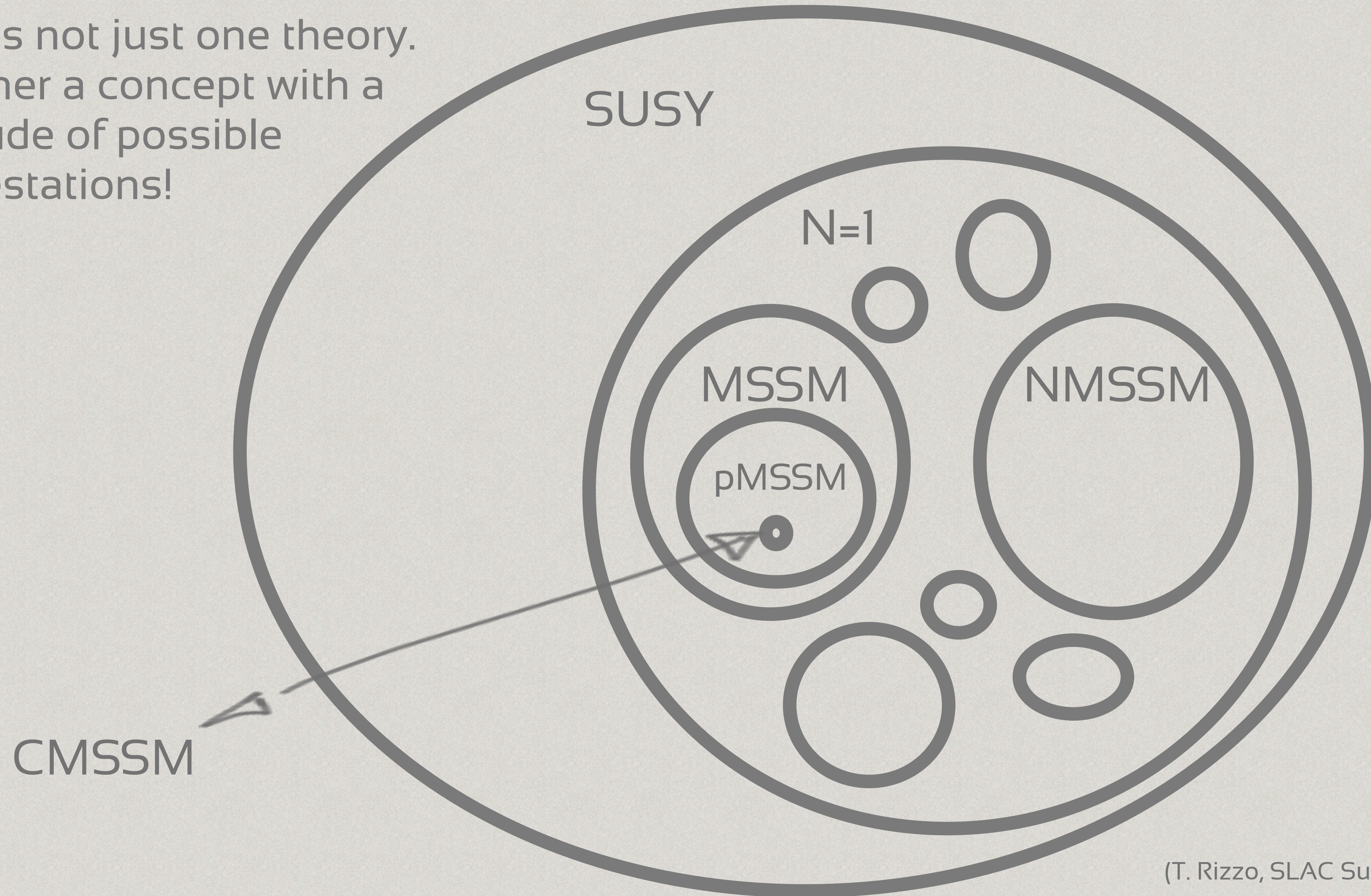
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