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# **LEPTOGENESIS AND COLLIDERS**

**11.10.2017**

**Collider Physics  
and the Cosmos**

**GGI Florence**

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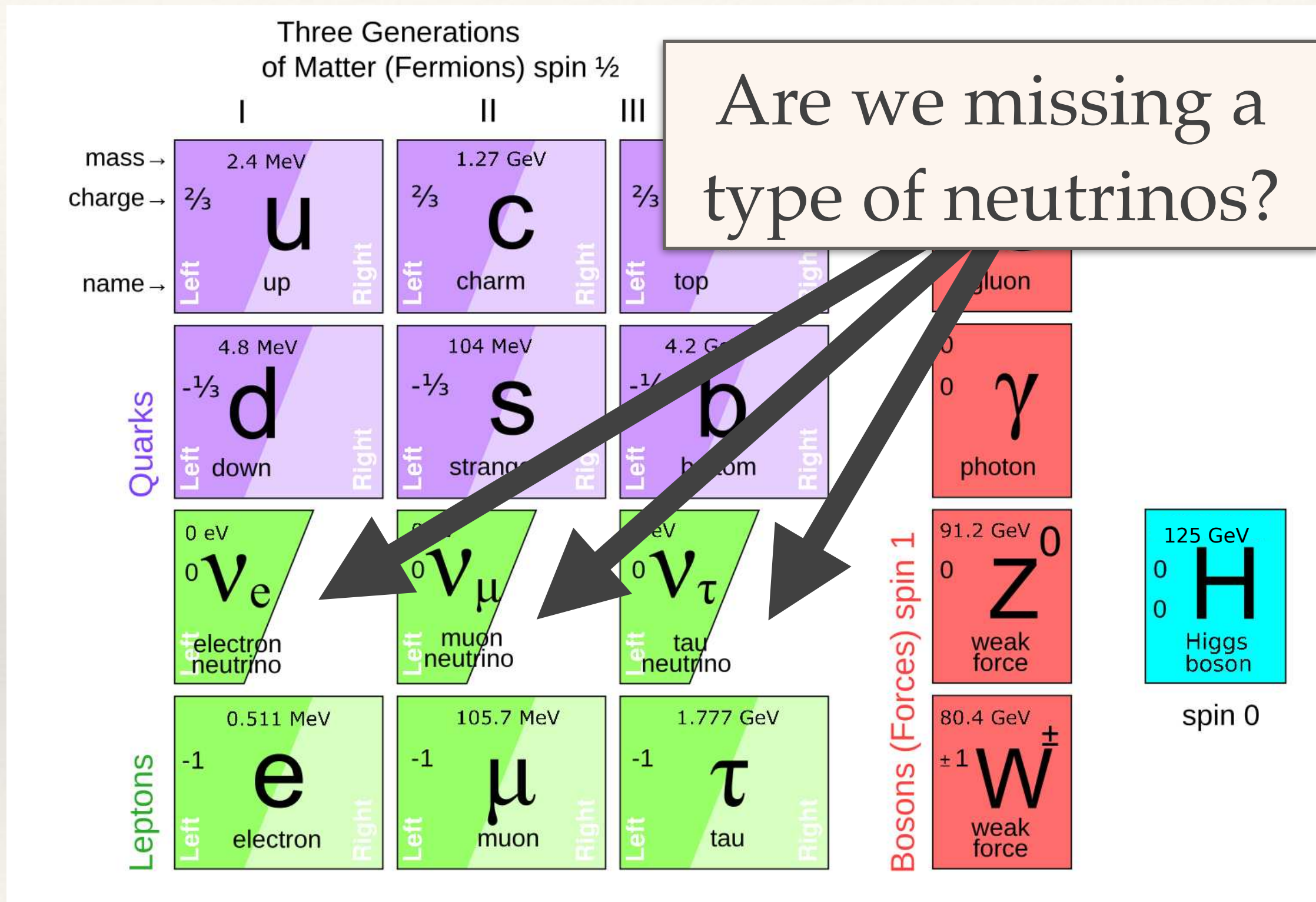
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name →	Left <b>u</b> Right up	Left <b>c</b> Right charm	Left <b>t</b> Right top	<b>g</b> gluon	
Quarks	4.8 MeV $-\frac{1}{3}$ <b>d</b> Right Left down	104 MeV $-\frac{1}{3}$ <b>s</b> Right Left strange	4.2 GeV $-\frac{1}{3}$ <b>b</b> Right Left bottom	0 0 <b><math>\gamma</math></b> photon	
	0 eV 0 <b><math>\nu_e</math></b> Left electron neutrino	0 eV 0 <b><math>\nu_\mu</math></b> Left muon neutrino	0 eV 0 <b><math>\nu_\tau</math></b> Left tau neutrino	Bosons (Forces) spin 1	91.2 GeV 0 <b><math>Z^0</math></b> weak force
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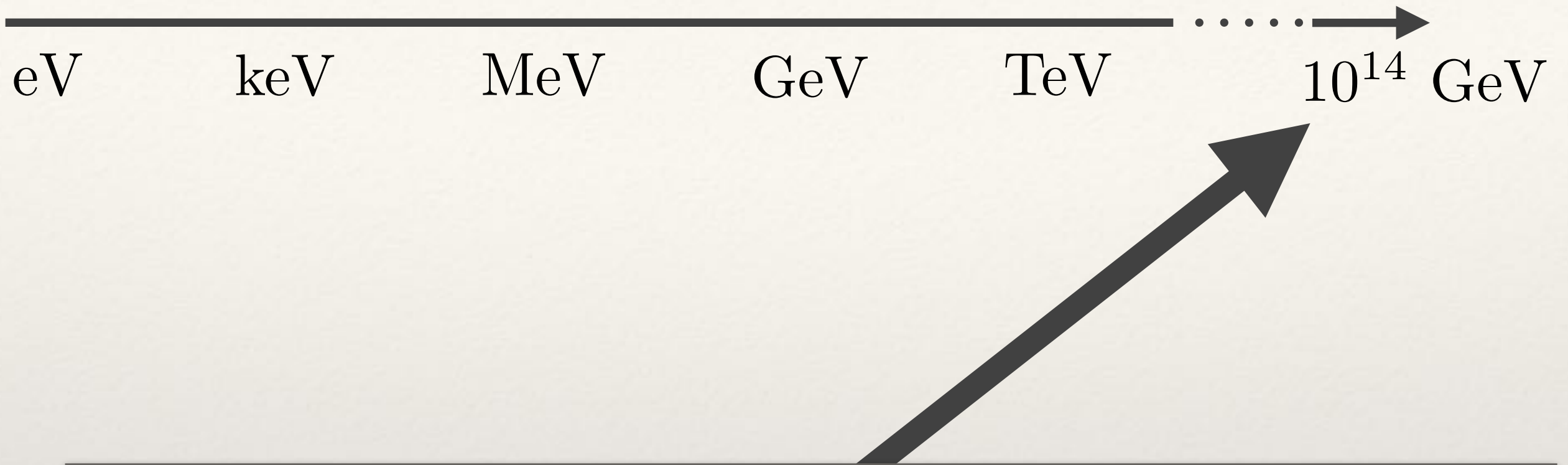
If yes, what is their mass?  
And what would their existence imply?

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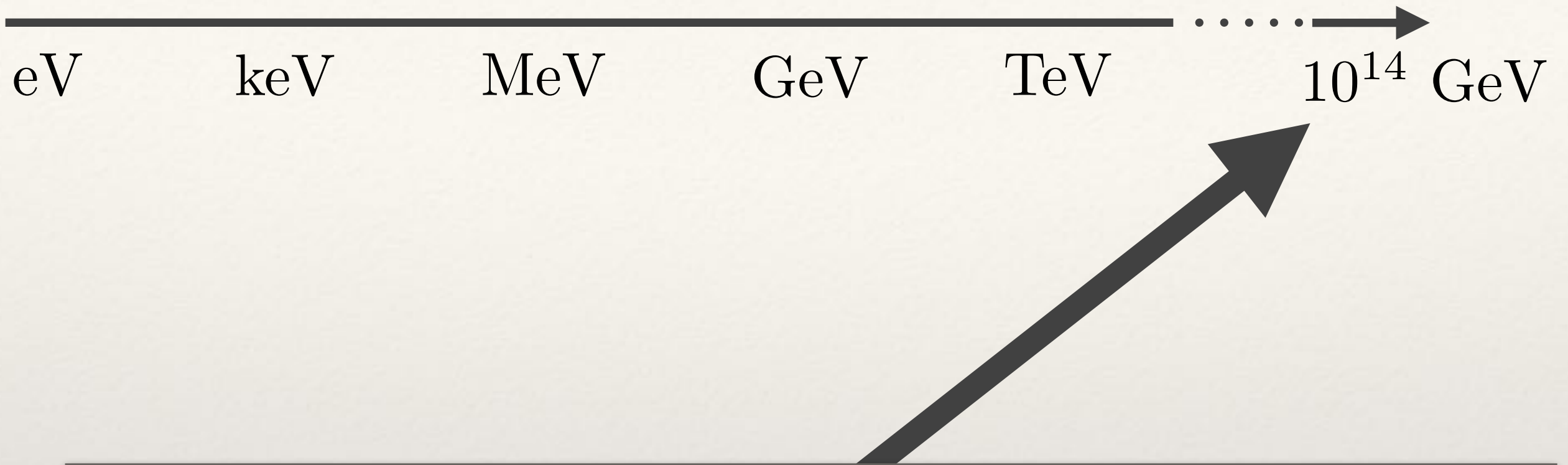
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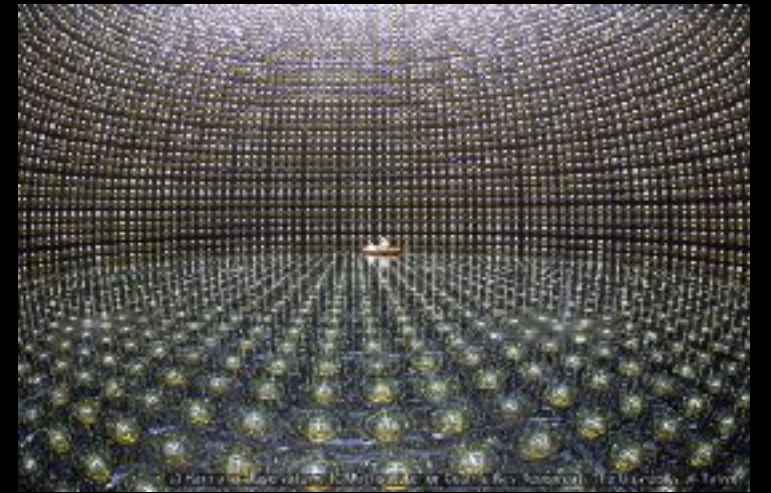


Understand the implications across the entire experimentally accessible mass range



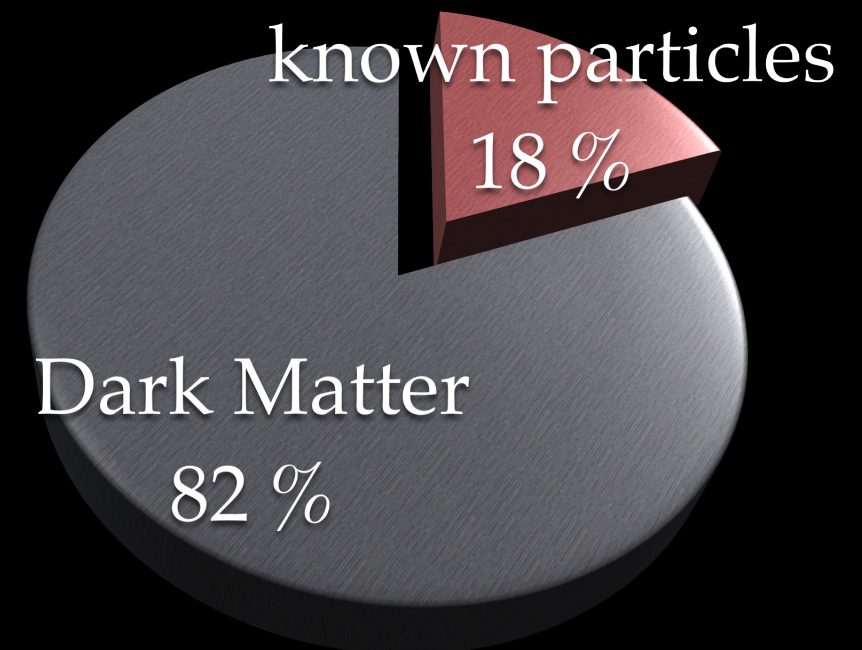
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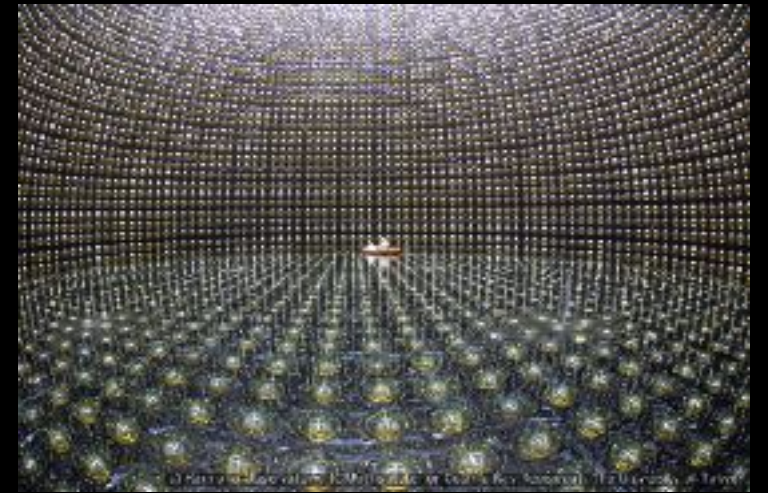
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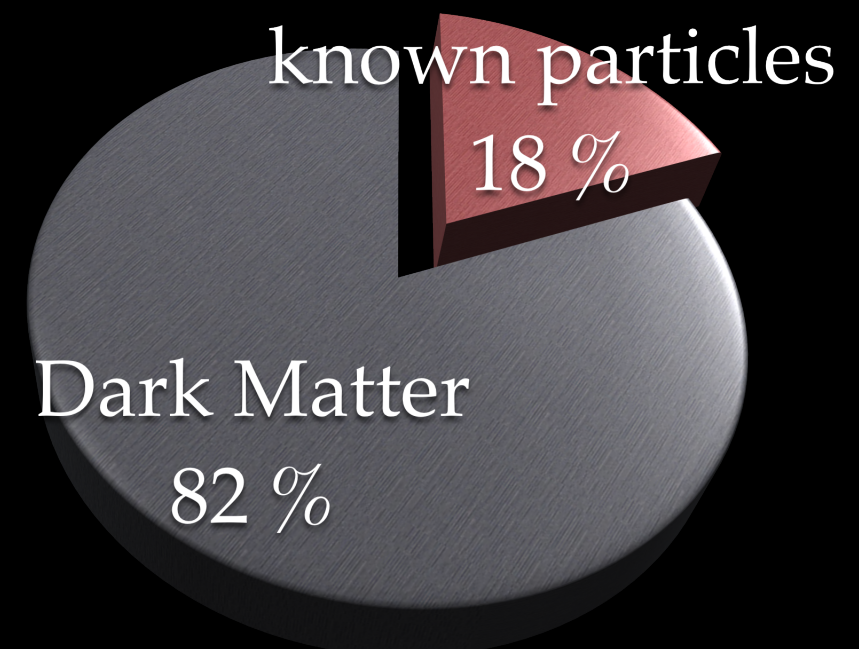
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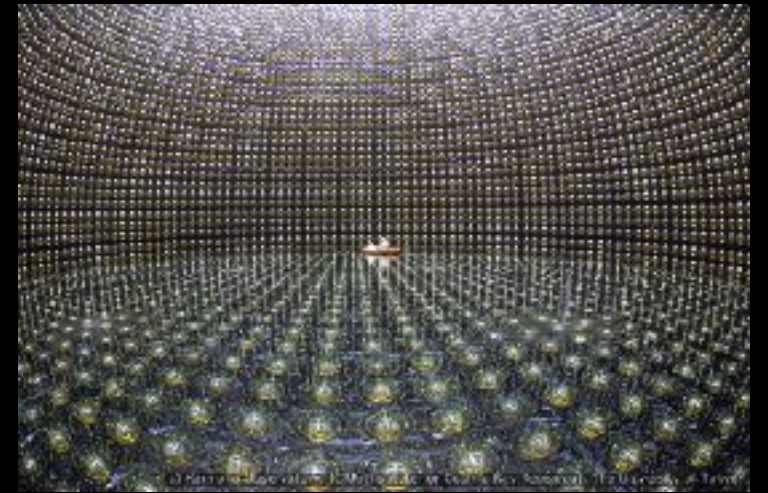




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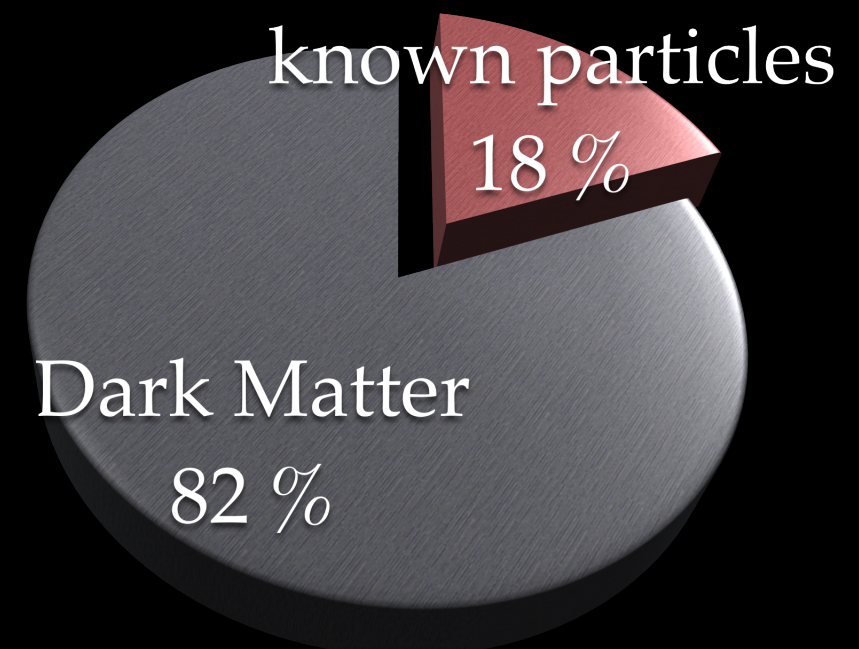
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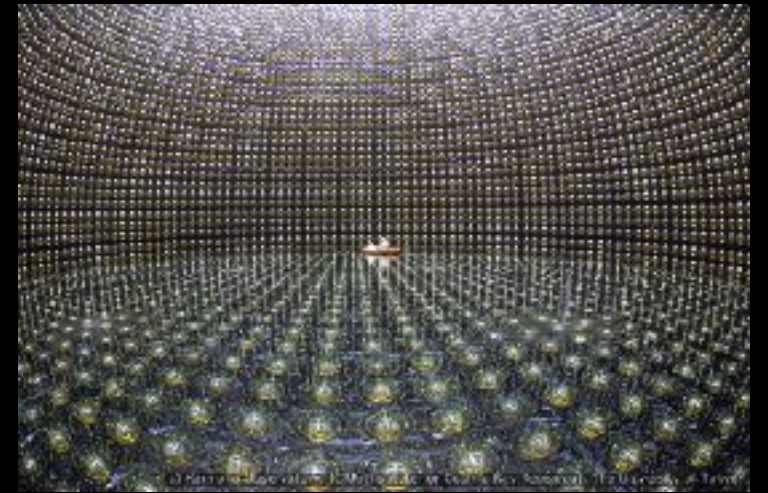




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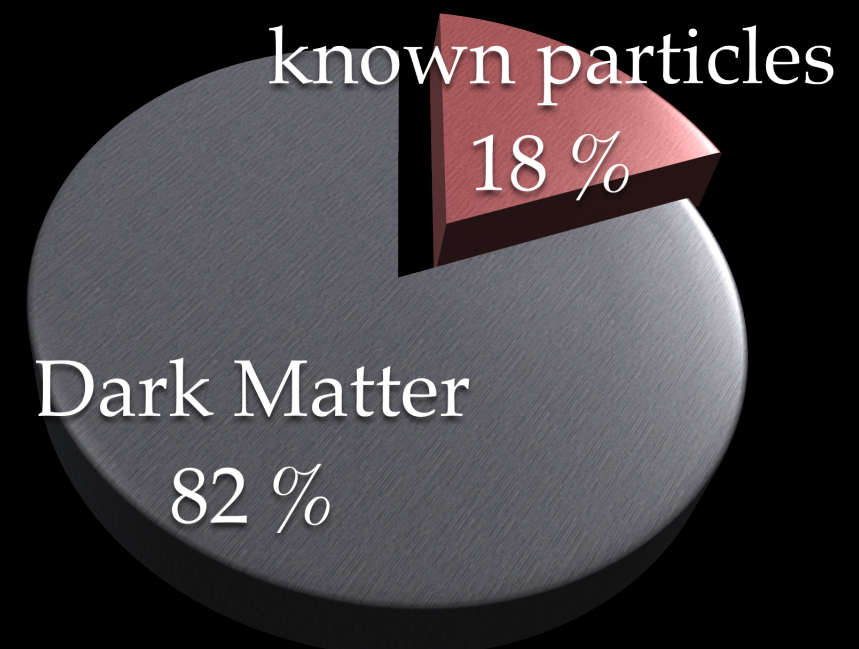


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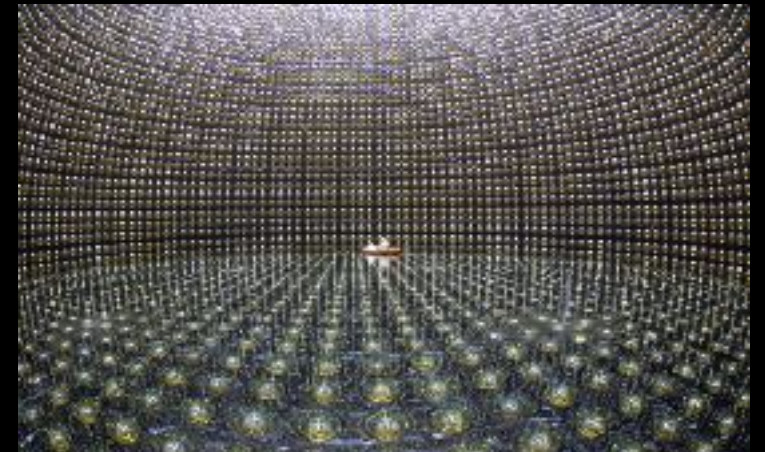
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$$\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}_{SM} + i\bar{\nu}_R \not{\partial} \nu_R - \bar{L}_L F \nu_R \tilde{H} - \tilde{H}^\dagger \bar{\nu}_R F^\dagger L - \frac{1}{2} (\bar{\nu}_R^c M_M \nu_R + \bar{\nu}_R M_M^\dagger \nu_R^c)$$

three light neutrinos mostly "active" SU(2) doublet

$$\nu \simeq U_\nu (\nu_L + \theta \nu_R^c)$$

with masses  $m_\nu \simeq \theta M_M \theta^T = v^2 F M_M^{-1} F^T$

three heavy mostly singlet neutrinos

$$N \simeq \nu_R + \theta^T \nu_L^c$$

with masses  $M_N \simeq M_M$

Minkowski 79, Gell-Mann/Ramond/  
Slansky 79, Mohapatra/Senjanovic 79,  
Yanagida 80, Schechter/Valle 80

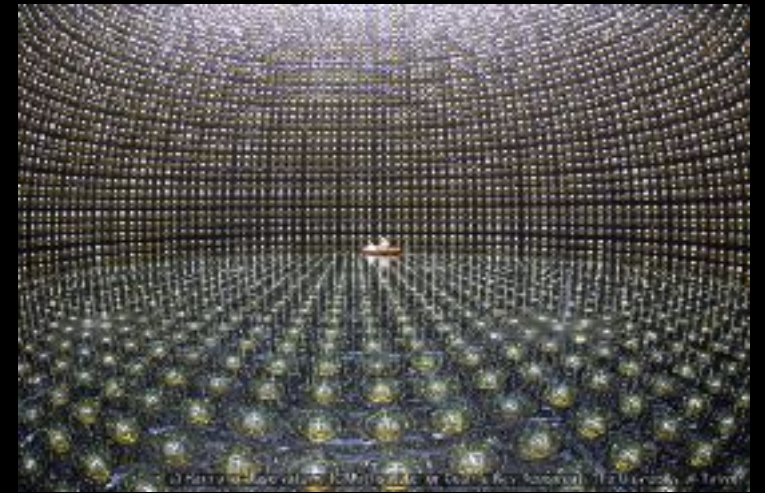




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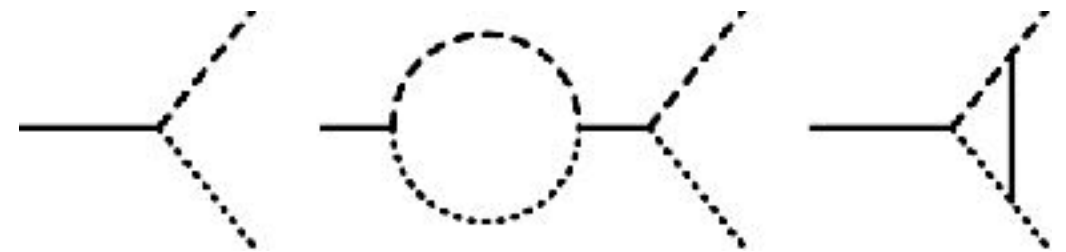
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## Leptogenesis

- Heavy neutrinos are unstable particles
- Can decay into matter or antimatter
- Quantum effects can make decay into matter more likely

⇒ **Nonequilibrium quantum process produces matter excess**





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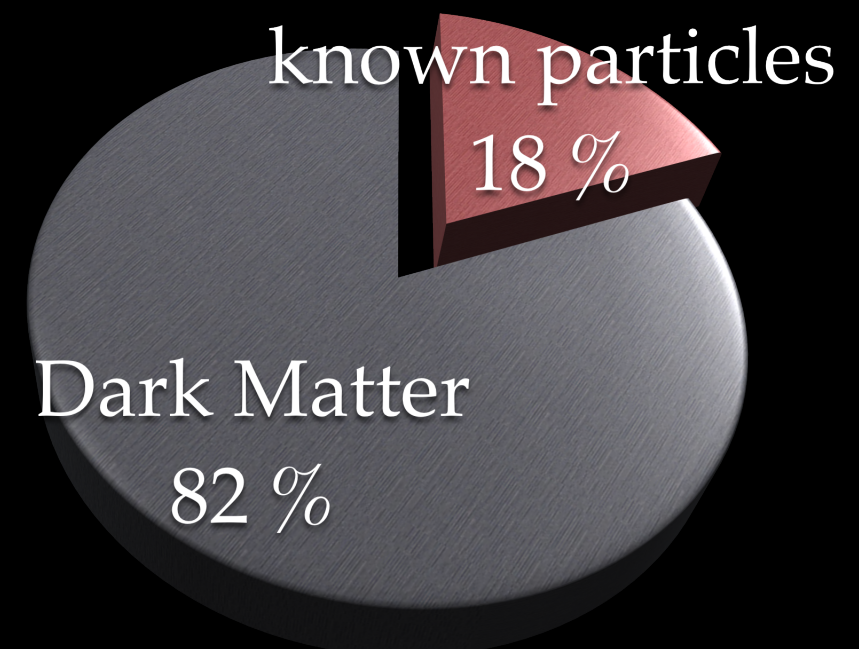
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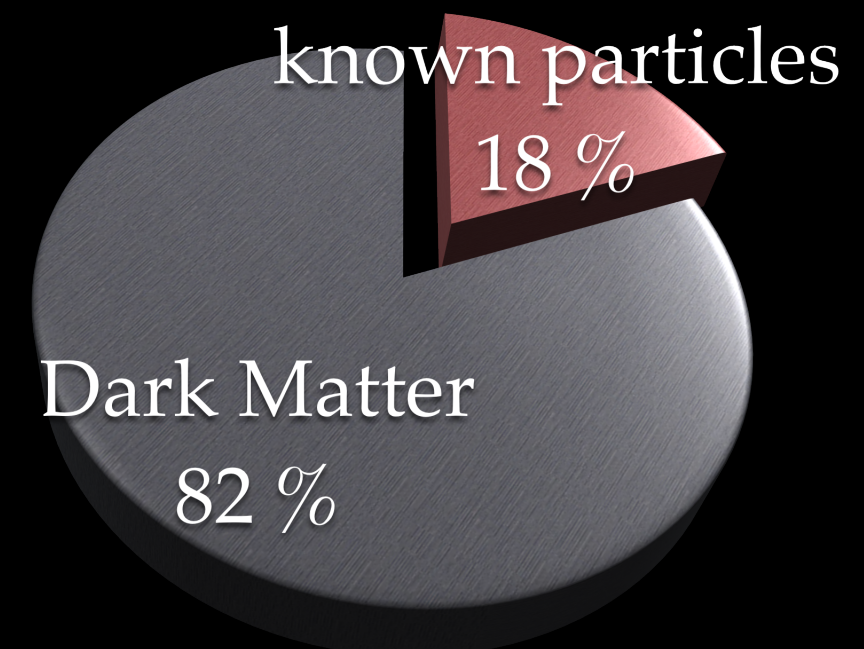
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Neutrinos are the only known particles that fulfil three conditions...

...but they are too light

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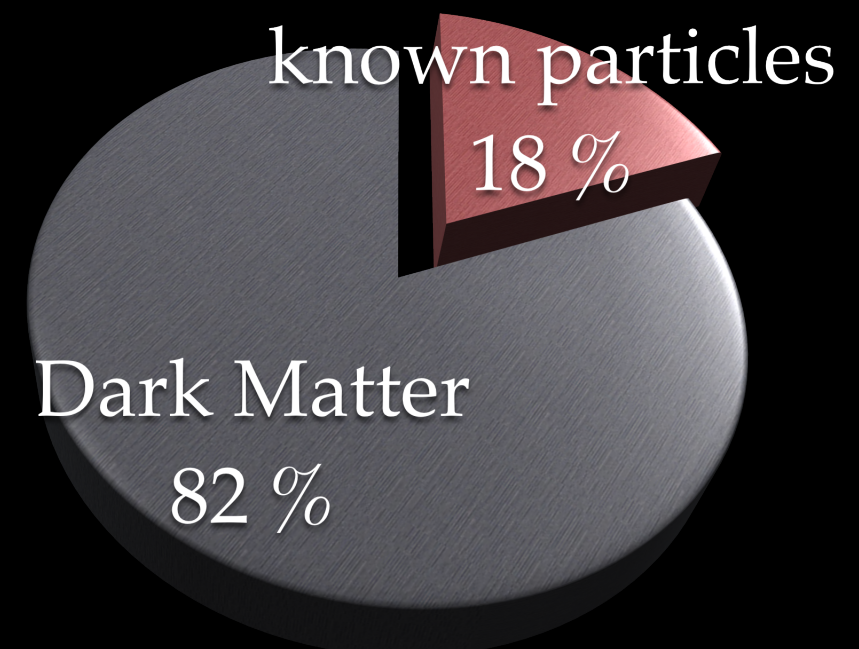
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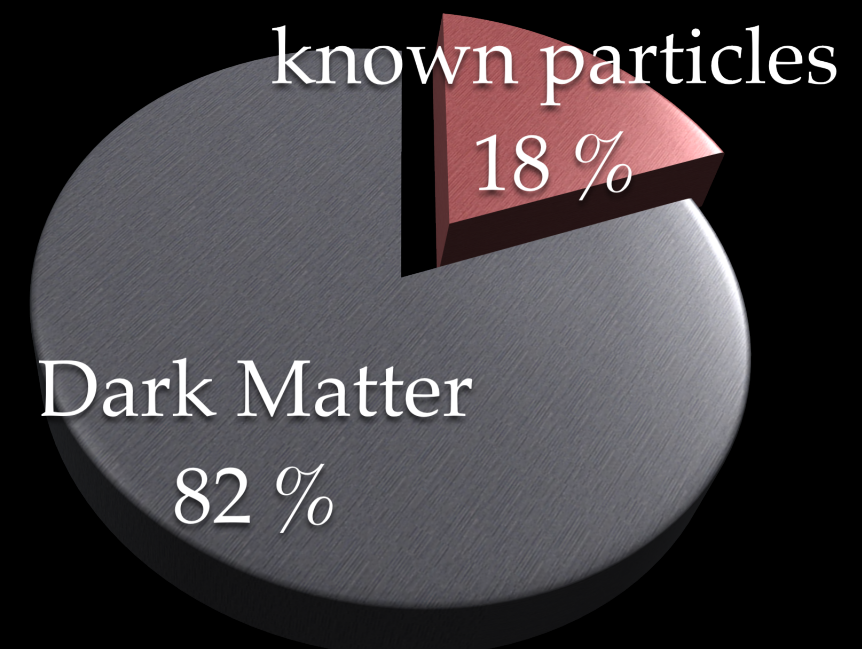
**Not today's topic.**

**Recent review: 1602.04816**

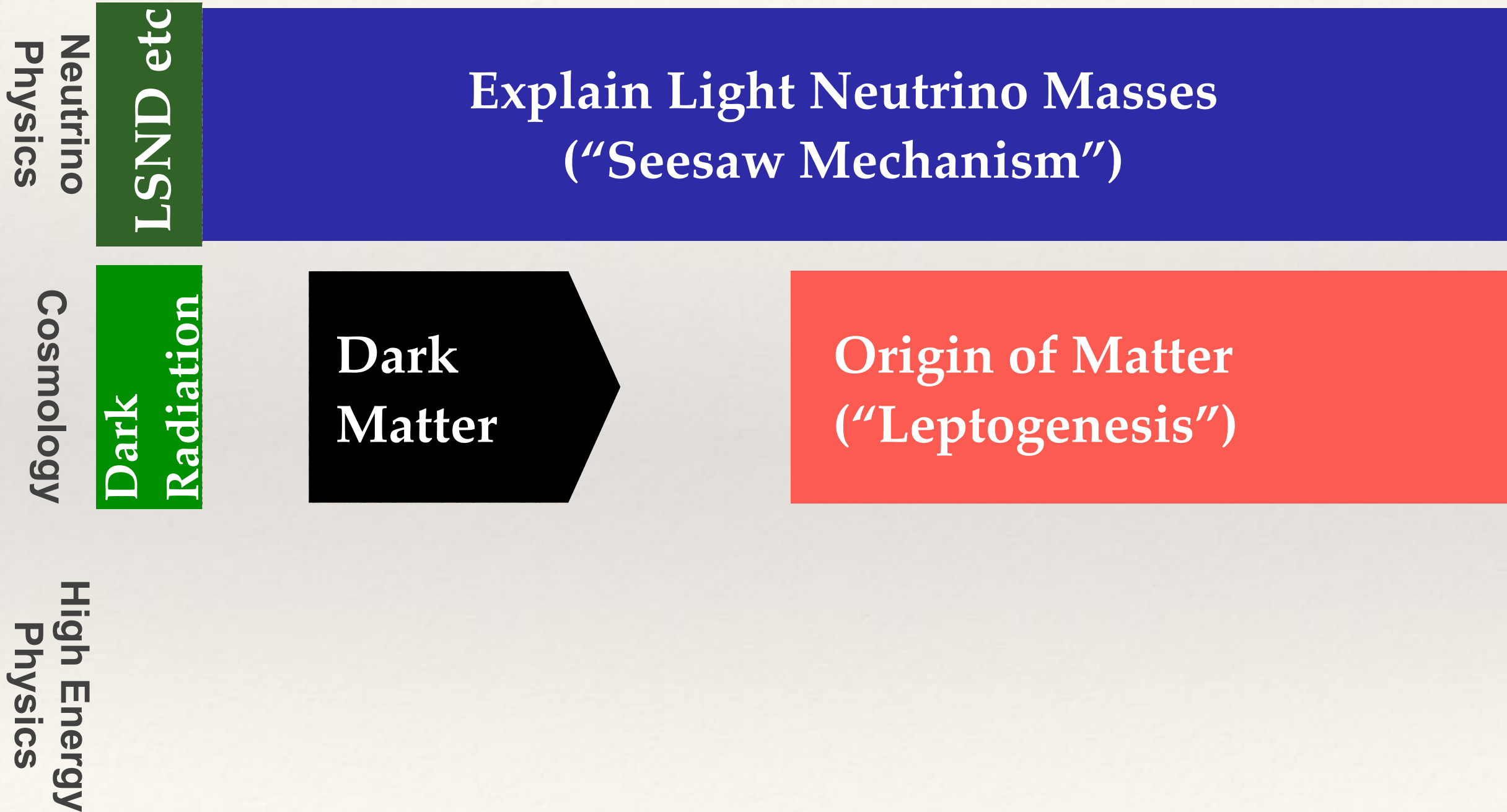
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# Right Handed Neutrinos and the Light Neutrino Masses



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Physics

Cosmology

High Energy  
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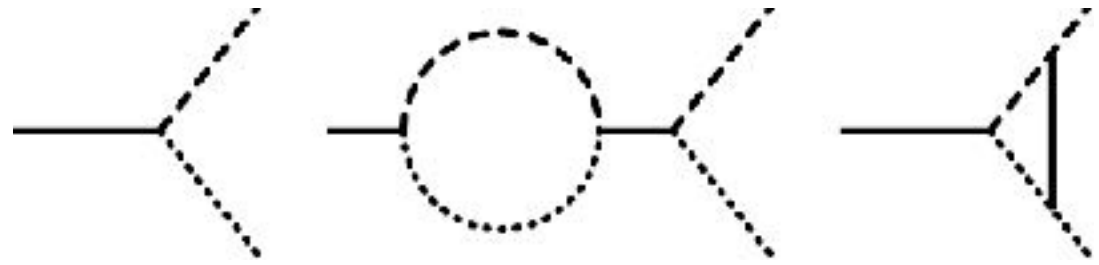
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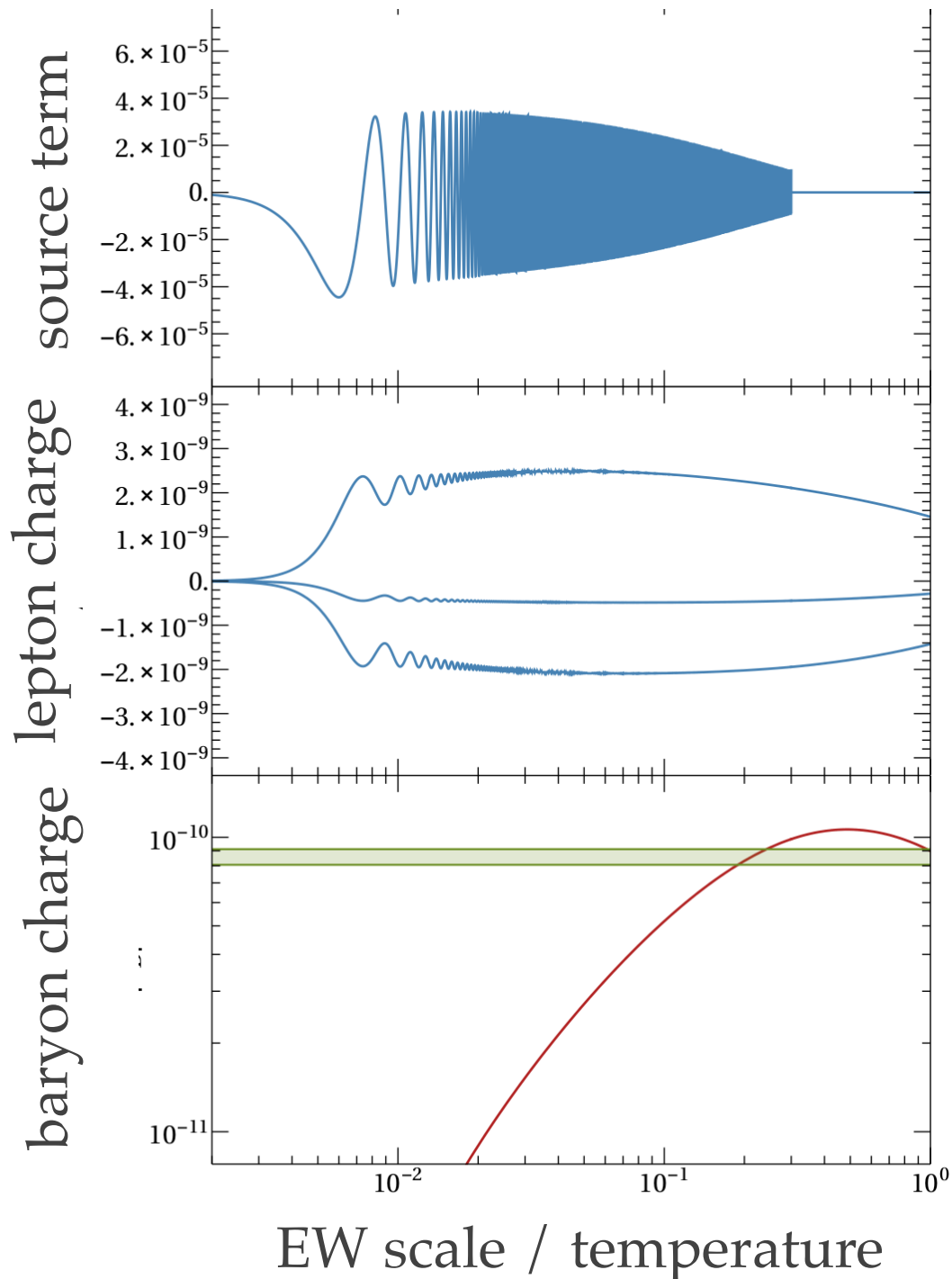
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## Leptogenesis from heavy neutrino oscillations

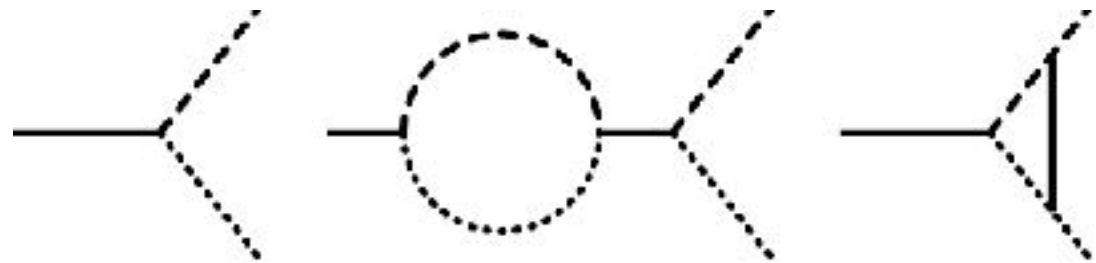


GeV

TeV

$10^{14}$  GeV

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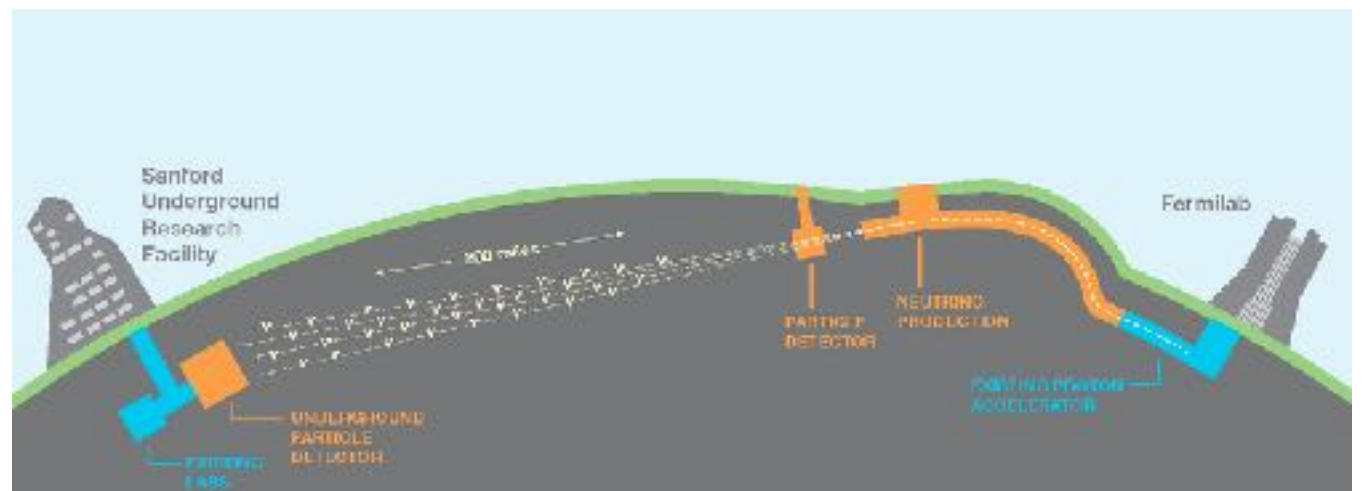
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indirect  
falsification,  
Deppisch/Harz 14



# How to Find Heavy Neutrinos?

nuclear  
decay spectra



TRISTAN,  
ECHO

fixed target  
experiments



SHiP

Search for Hidden Particles



b factories



proton colliders



electron colliders



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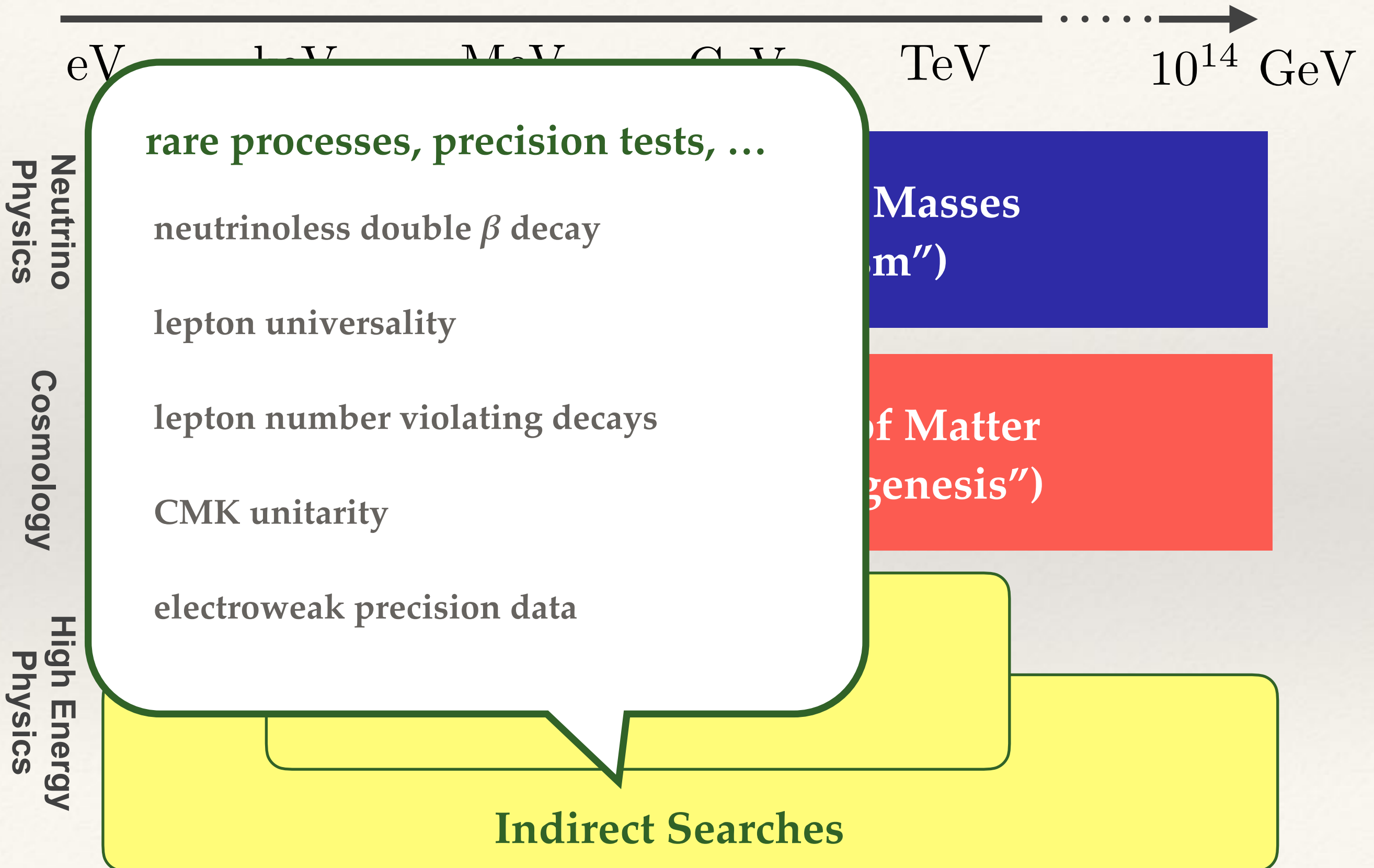
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Large branching  
ratios consistent  
with small  
neutrino masses ✓

meets  
neutrinoless  
double  $\beta$  decay  
constraints ✓

implies  
Heavy Neutrino  
mass degeneracy !

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suppresses  
LNV collider  
signatures !

# Neutrino masses vs collider searches

hard to distinguish signatures kinematically

cannot study heavy “flavours” individually

may observe CP violation in Heavy Neutrino decay

Cvetic/Kim/Saa 14

connection to leptogenesis?

“golden channels” suppressed

need to use other channels (LFV, displaced vertices)

implies Heavy Neutrino mass degeneracy

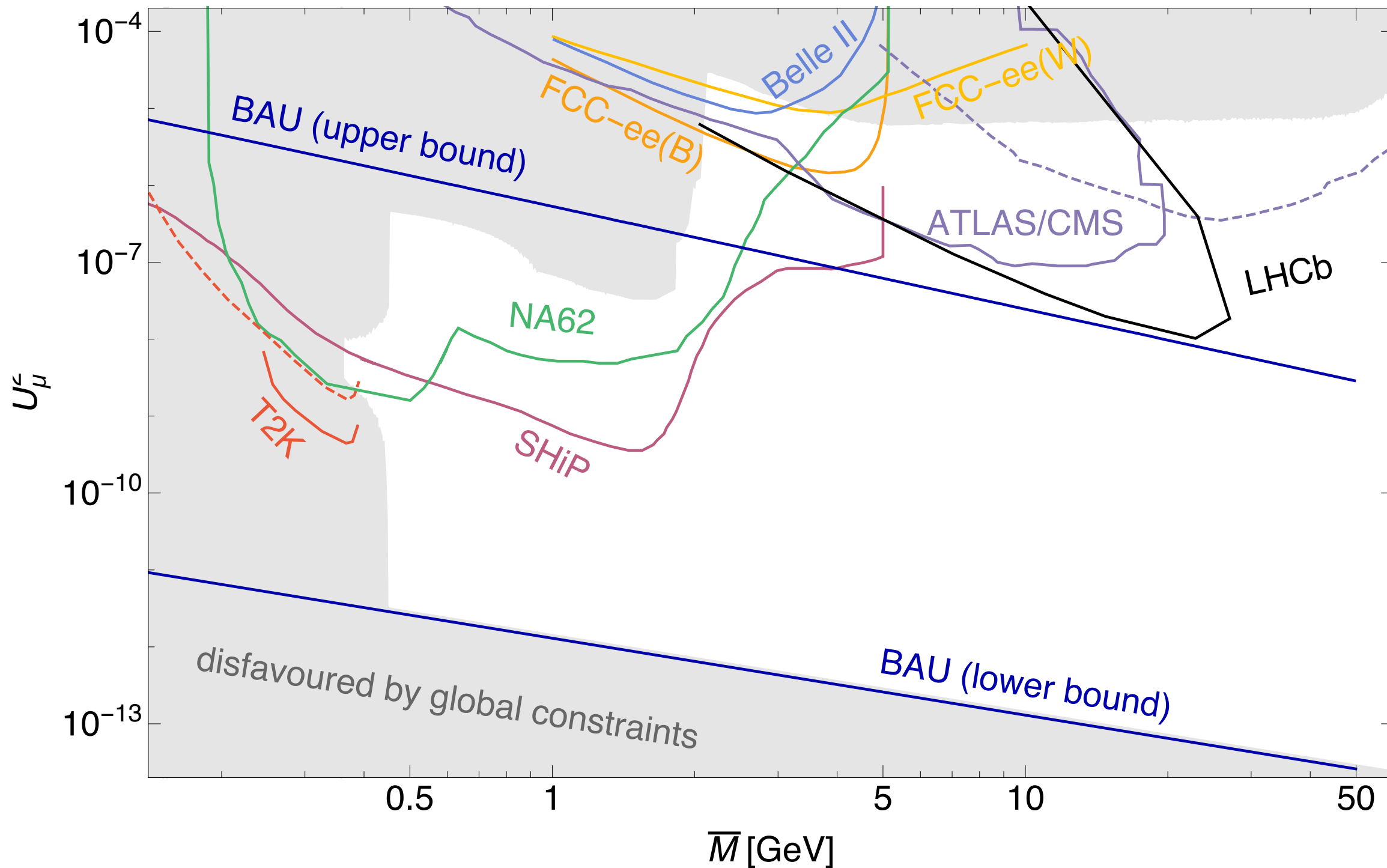


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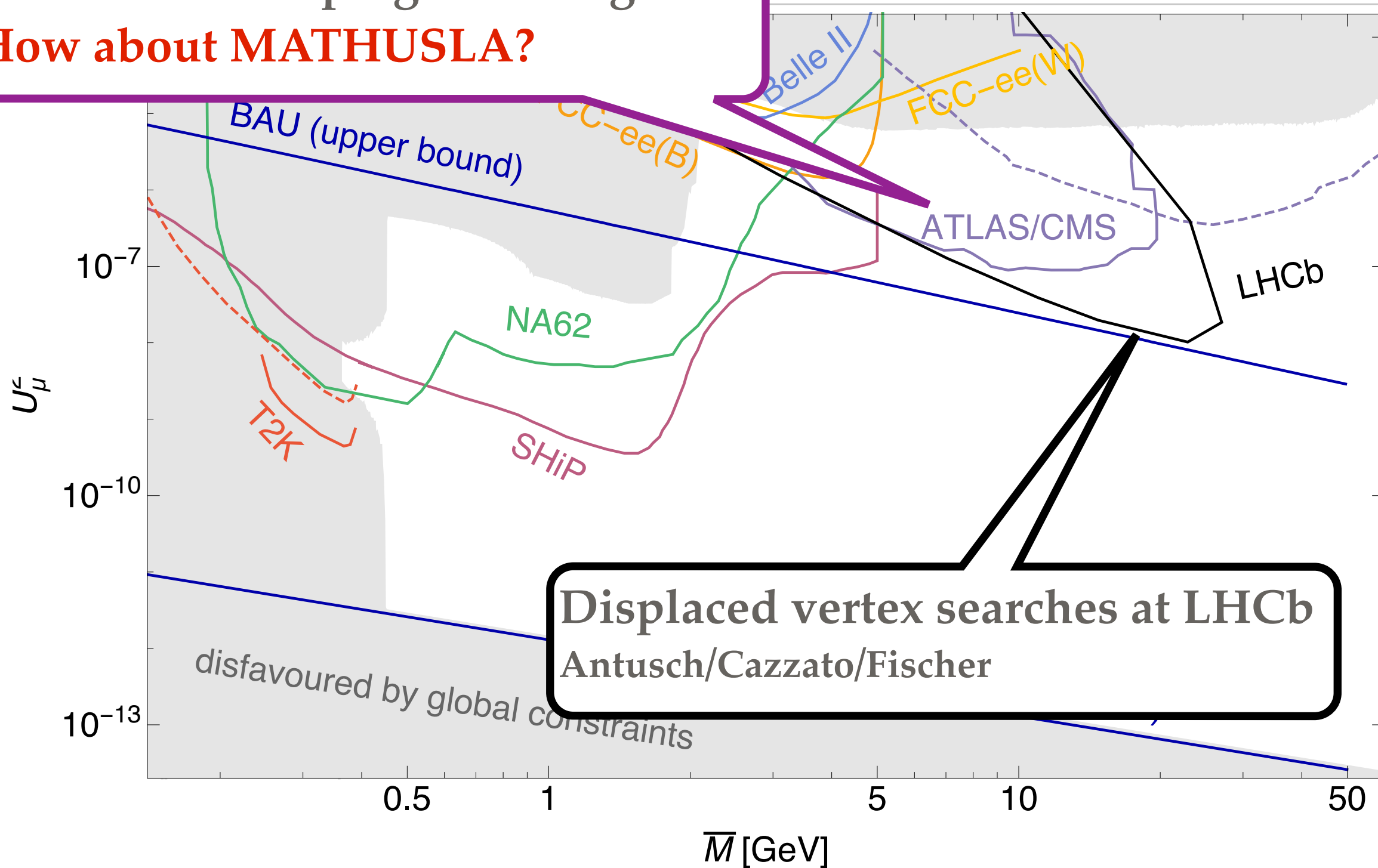
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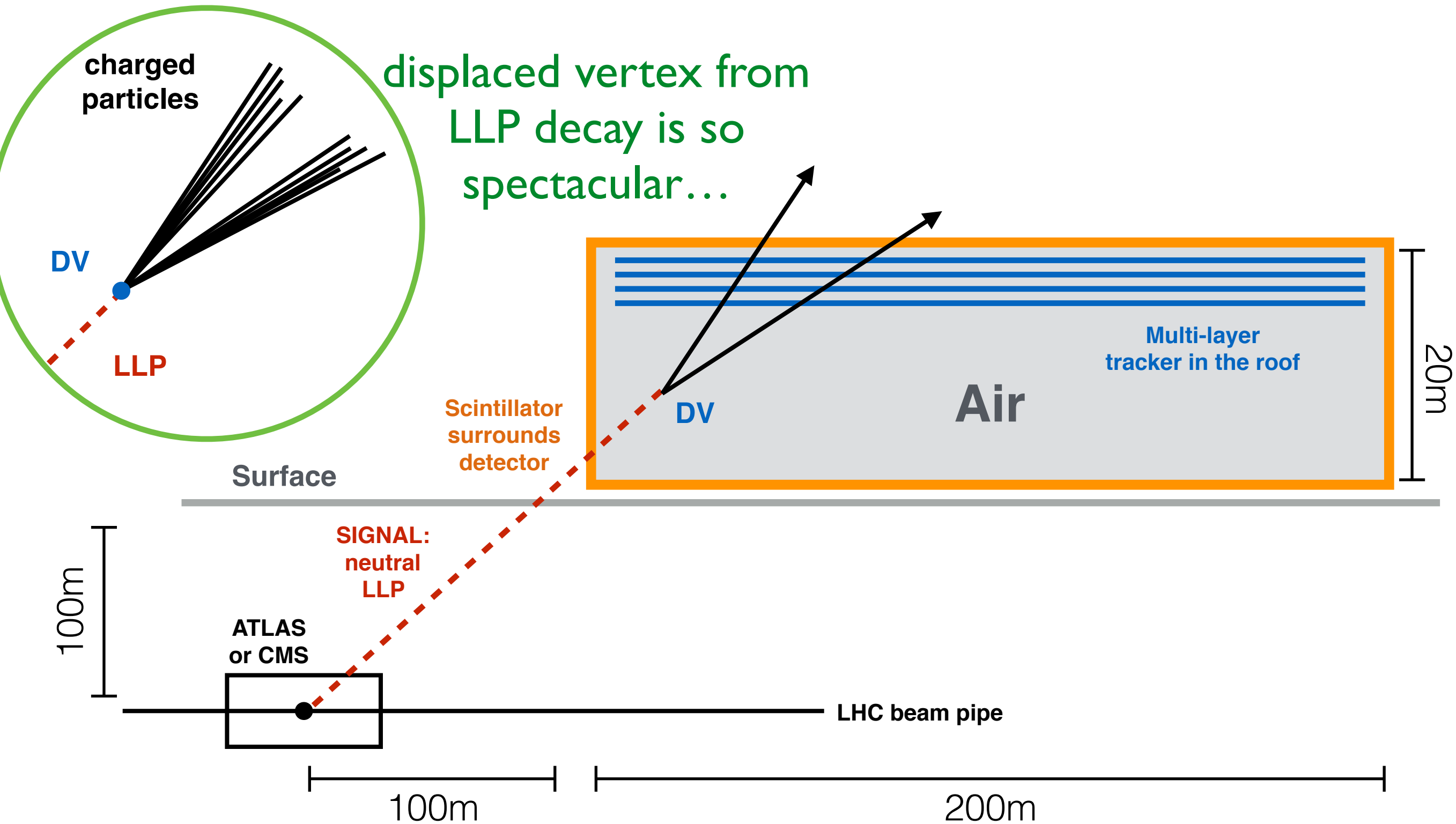
ATLAS/CMS (Izaguirre/Shuve)  
Hard to reach leptogenesis region  
**How about MATHUSLA?**



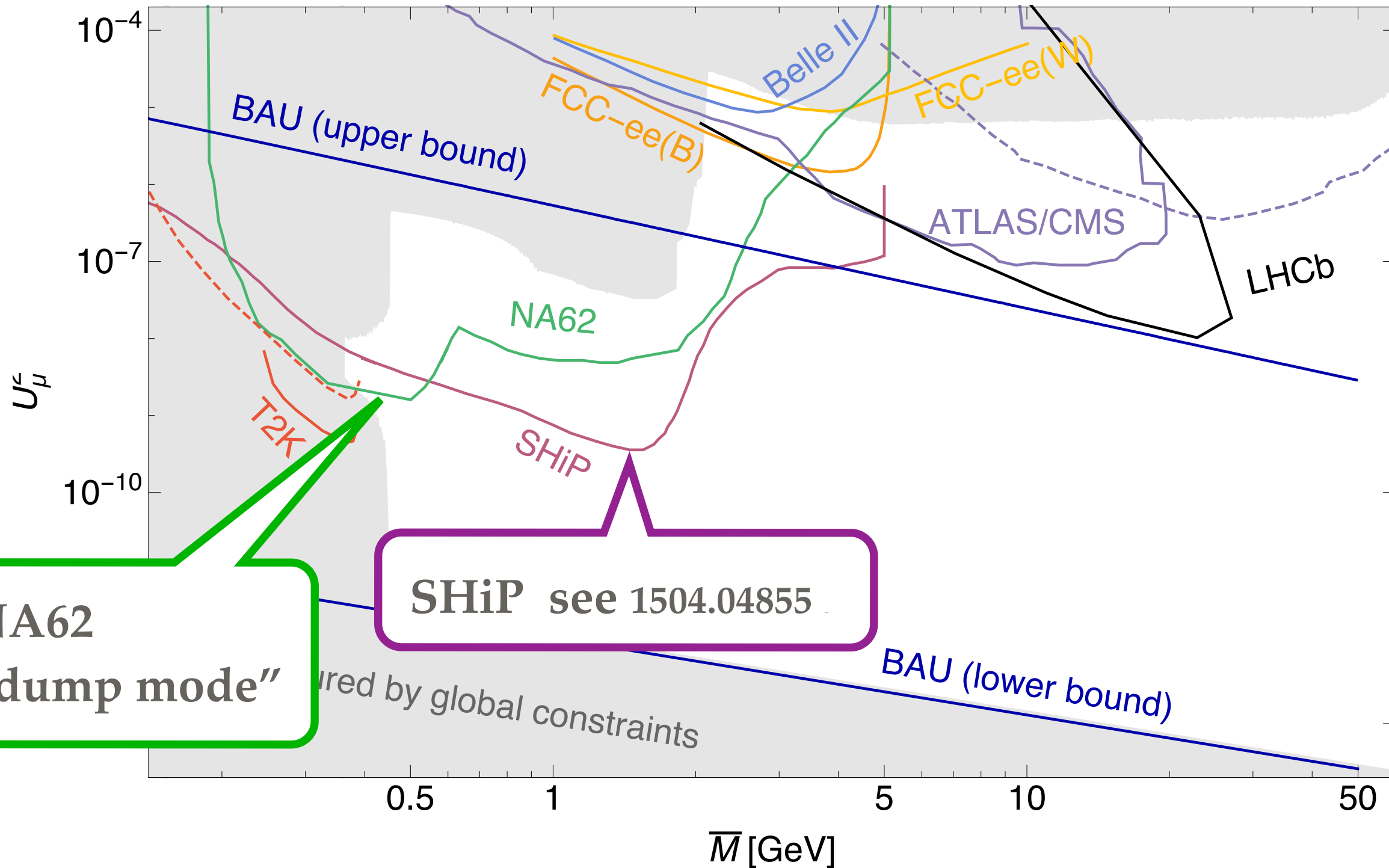
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# MATHUSIA

## MAssive Timing Hodoscope for Ultra-Stable Neutral L Particles



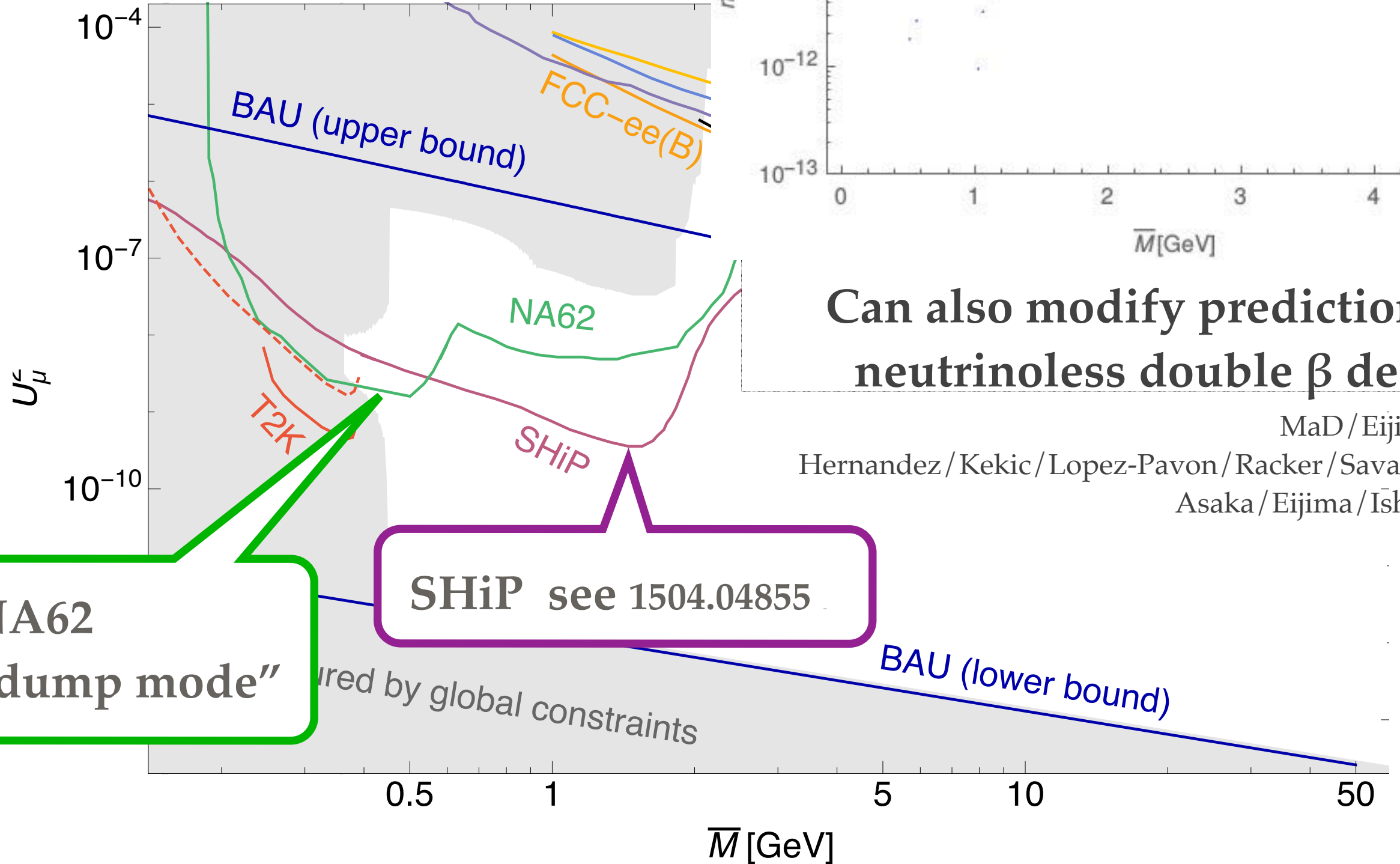
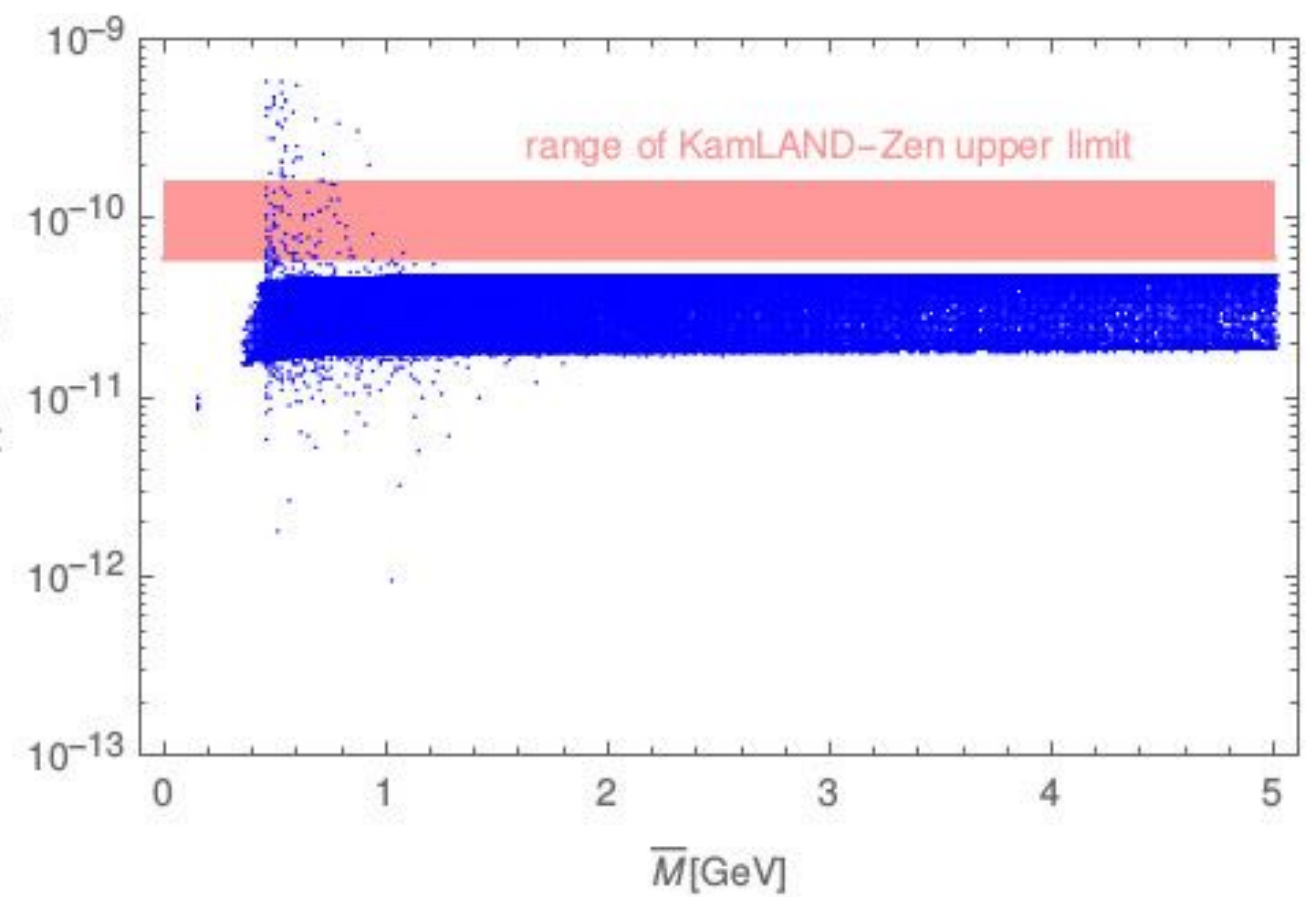
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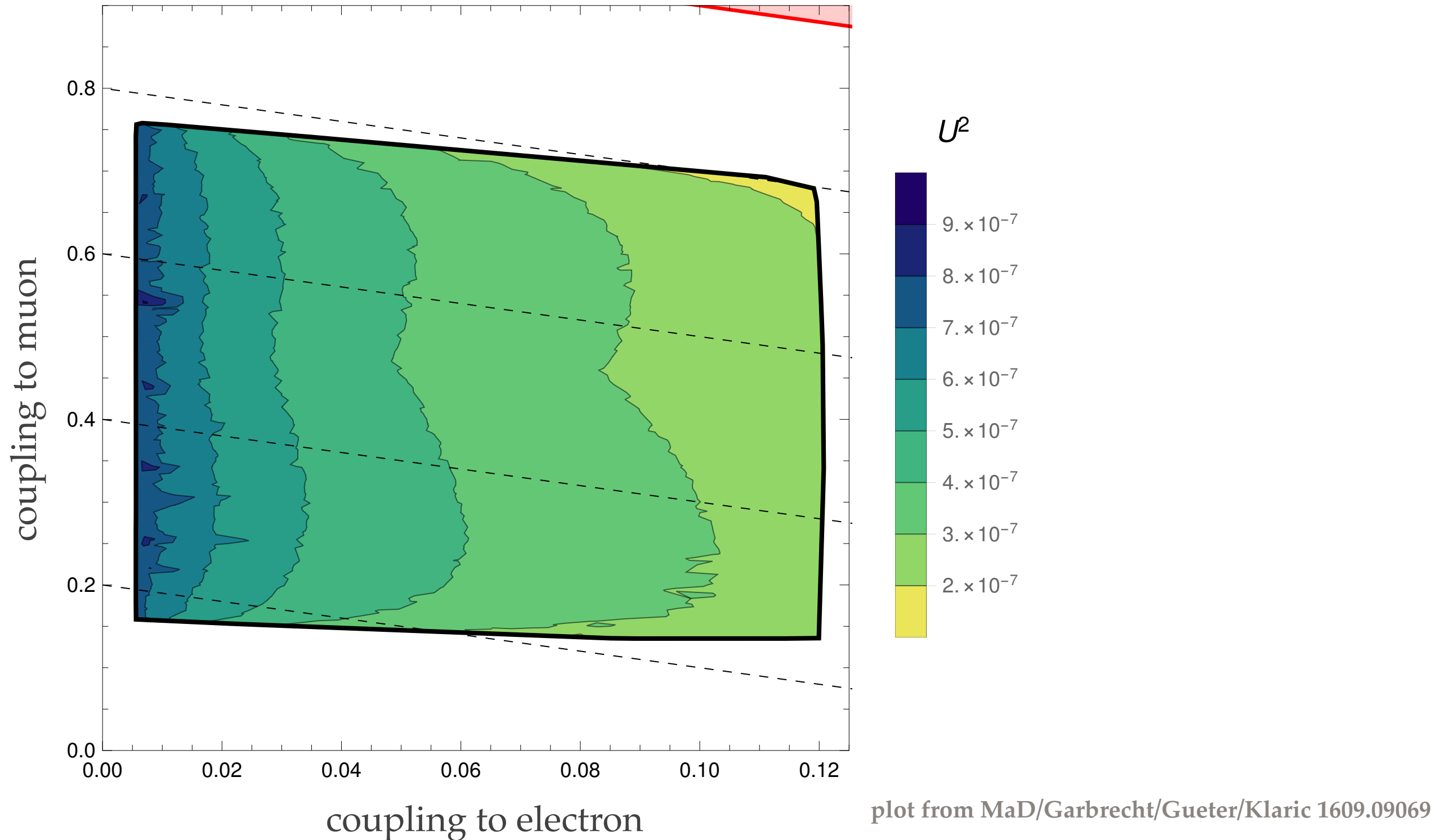
Can also modify prediction for neutrinoless double  $\beta$  decay

MaD/Eijima 16.  
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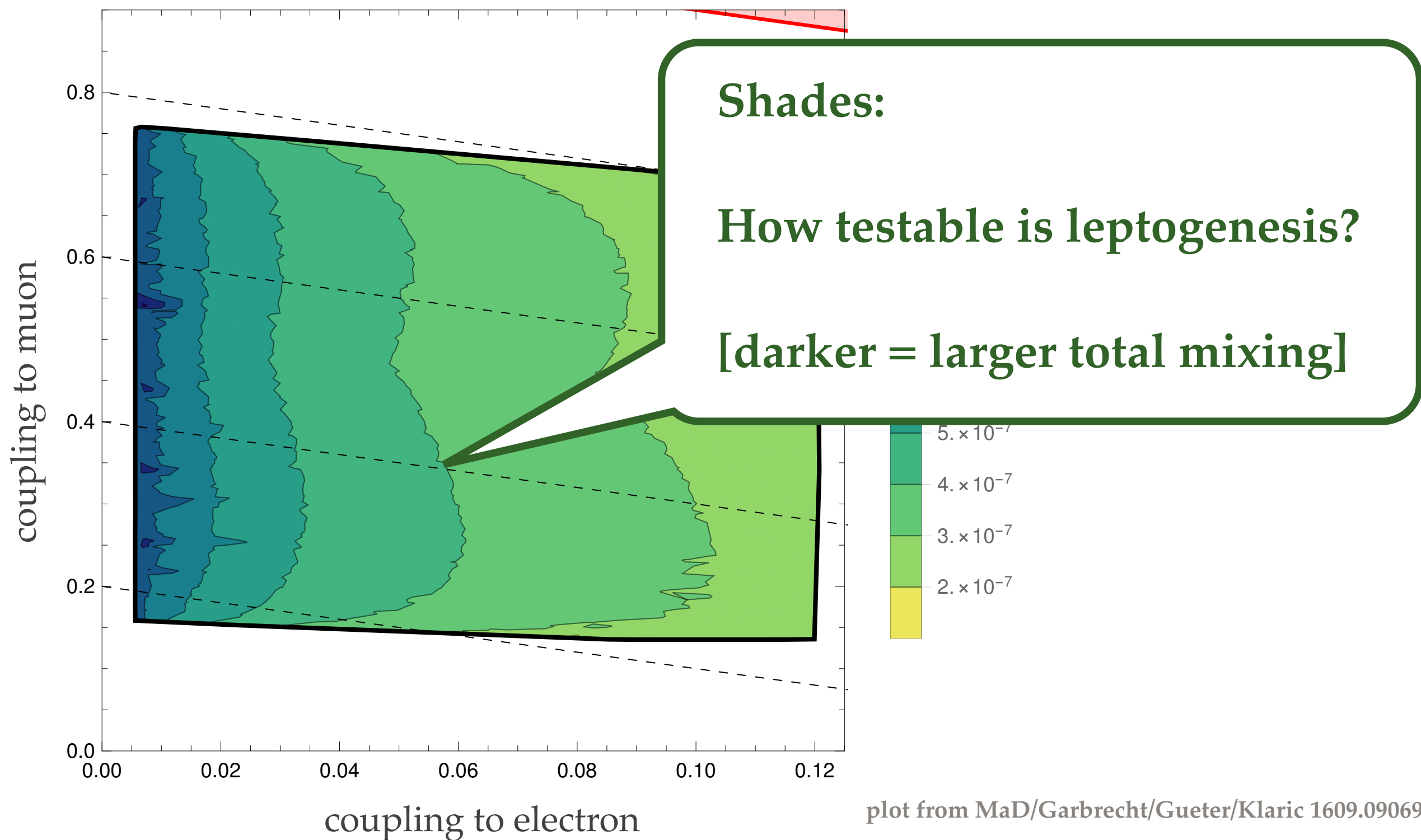
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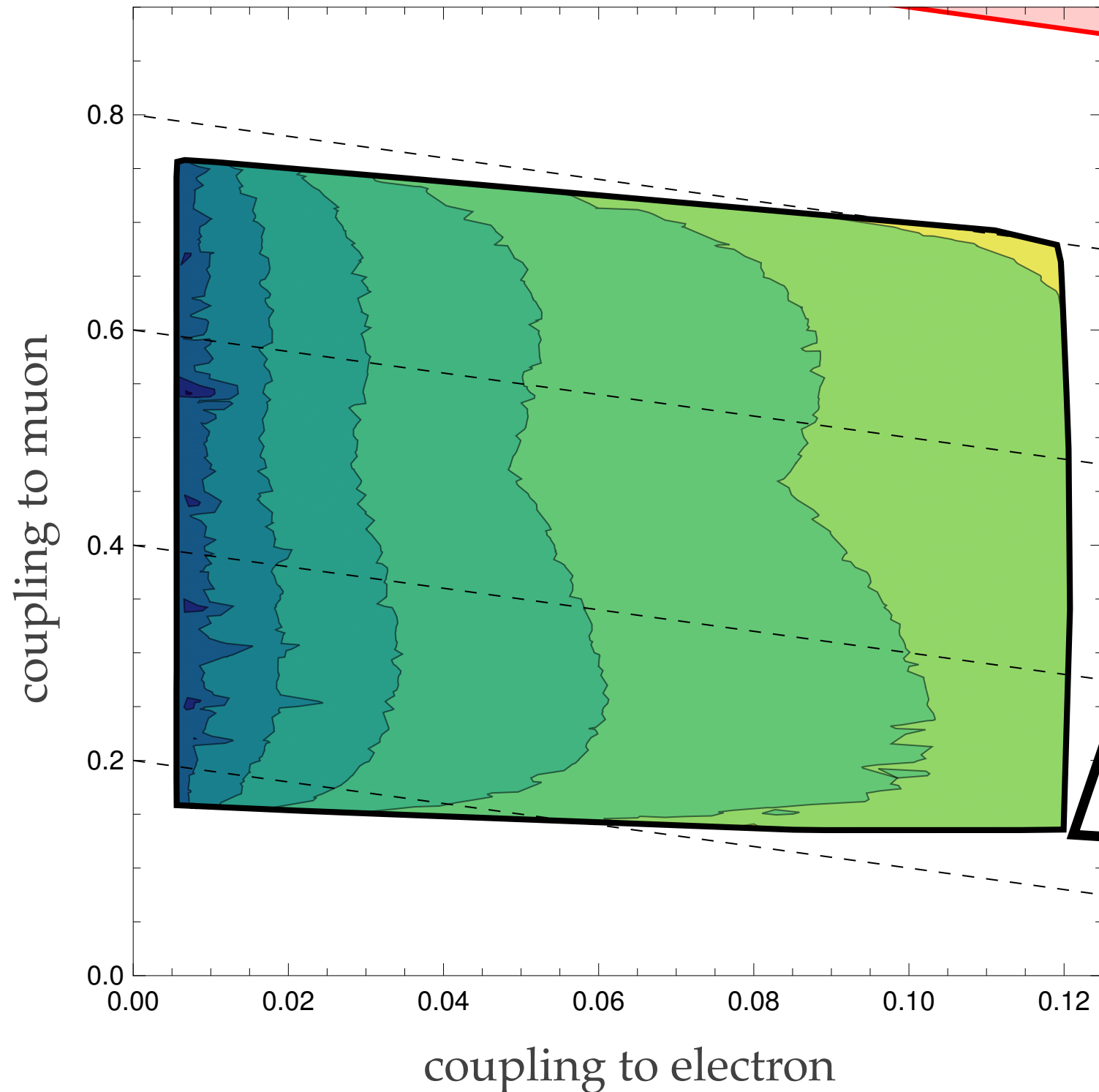
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**Area within black line:**

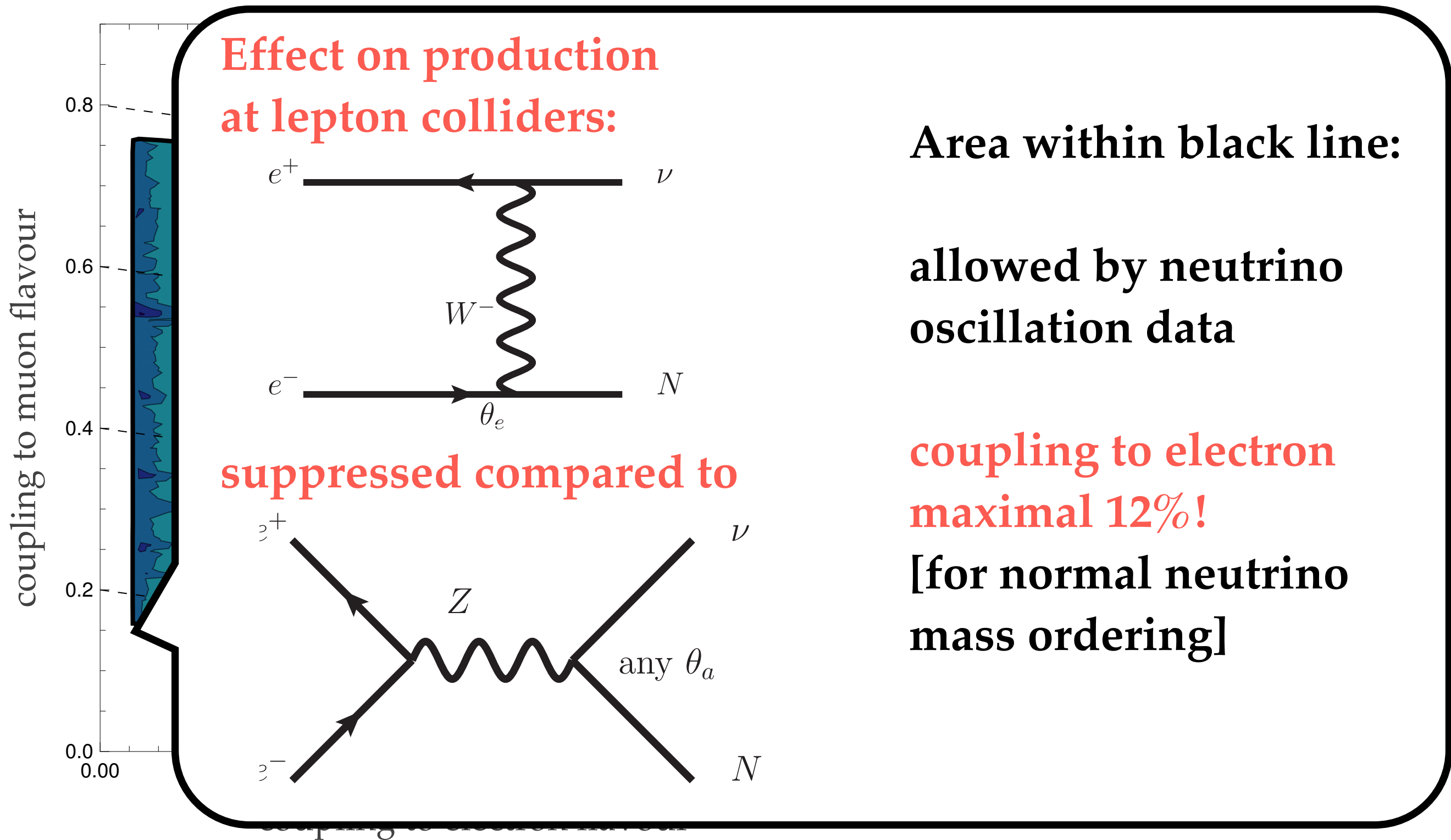
**allowed by neutrino  
oscillation data**

**coupling to electron  
maximal 12%!**

**[for normal neutrino  
mass ordering]**

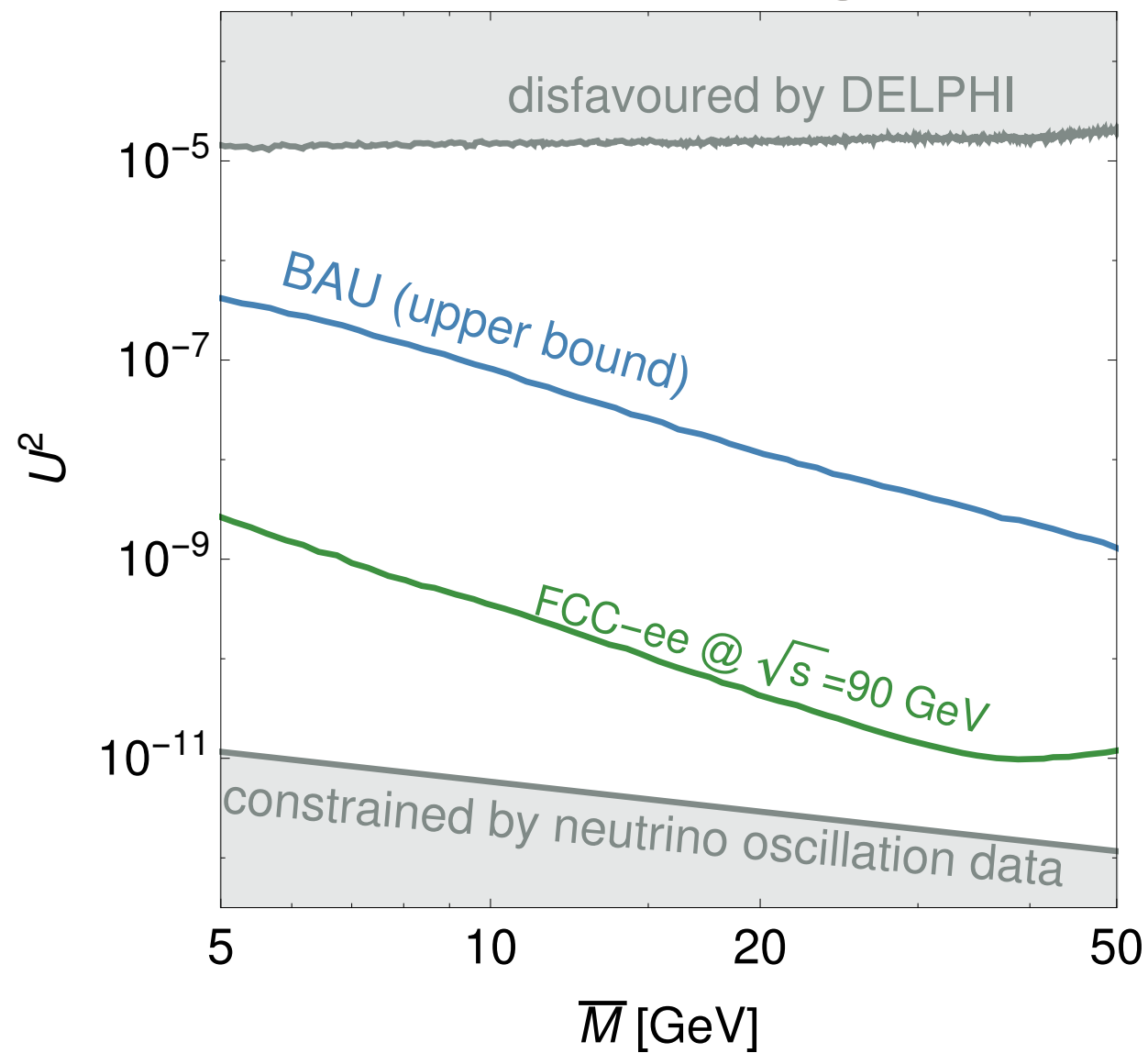


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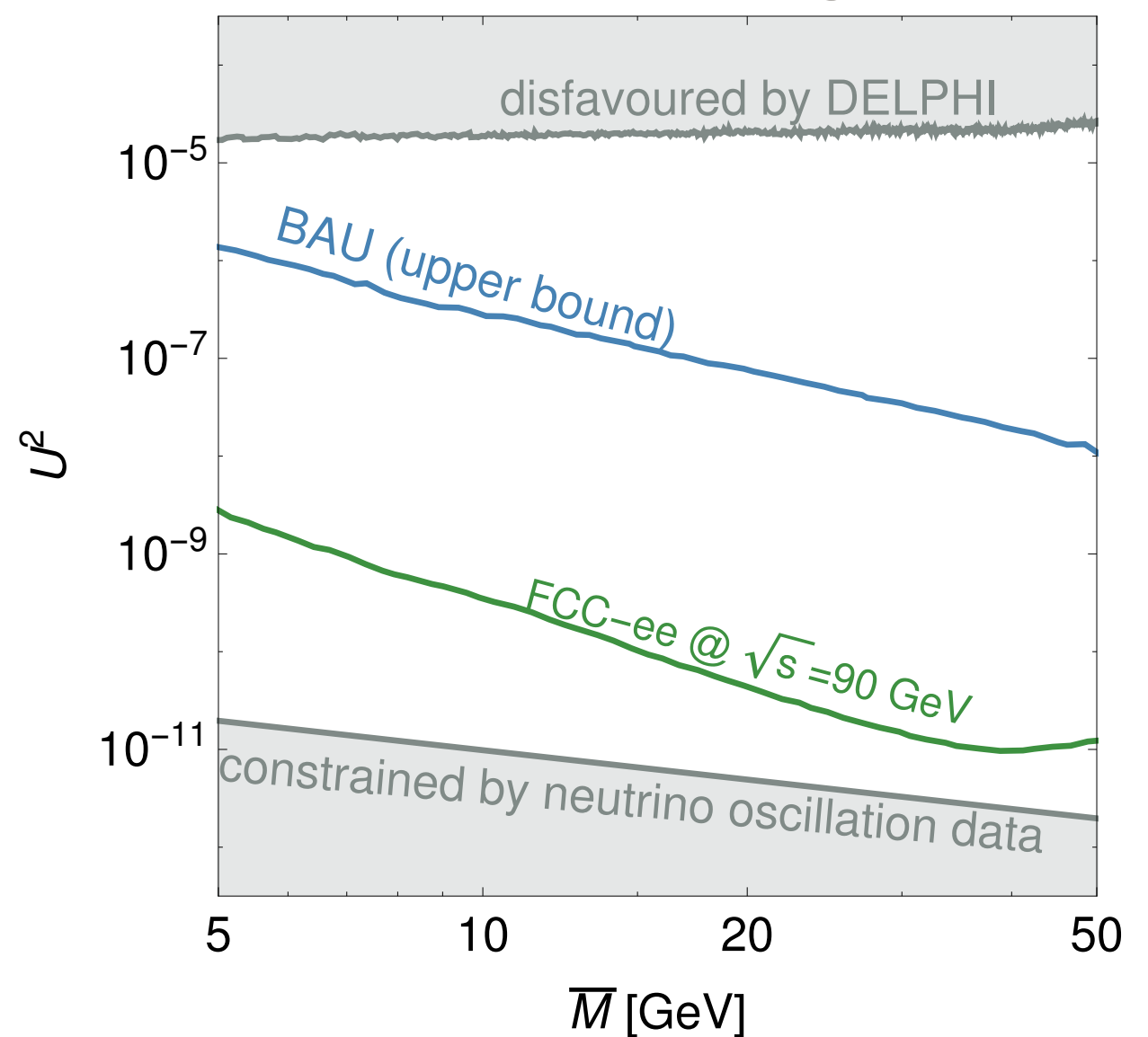


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normal ordering

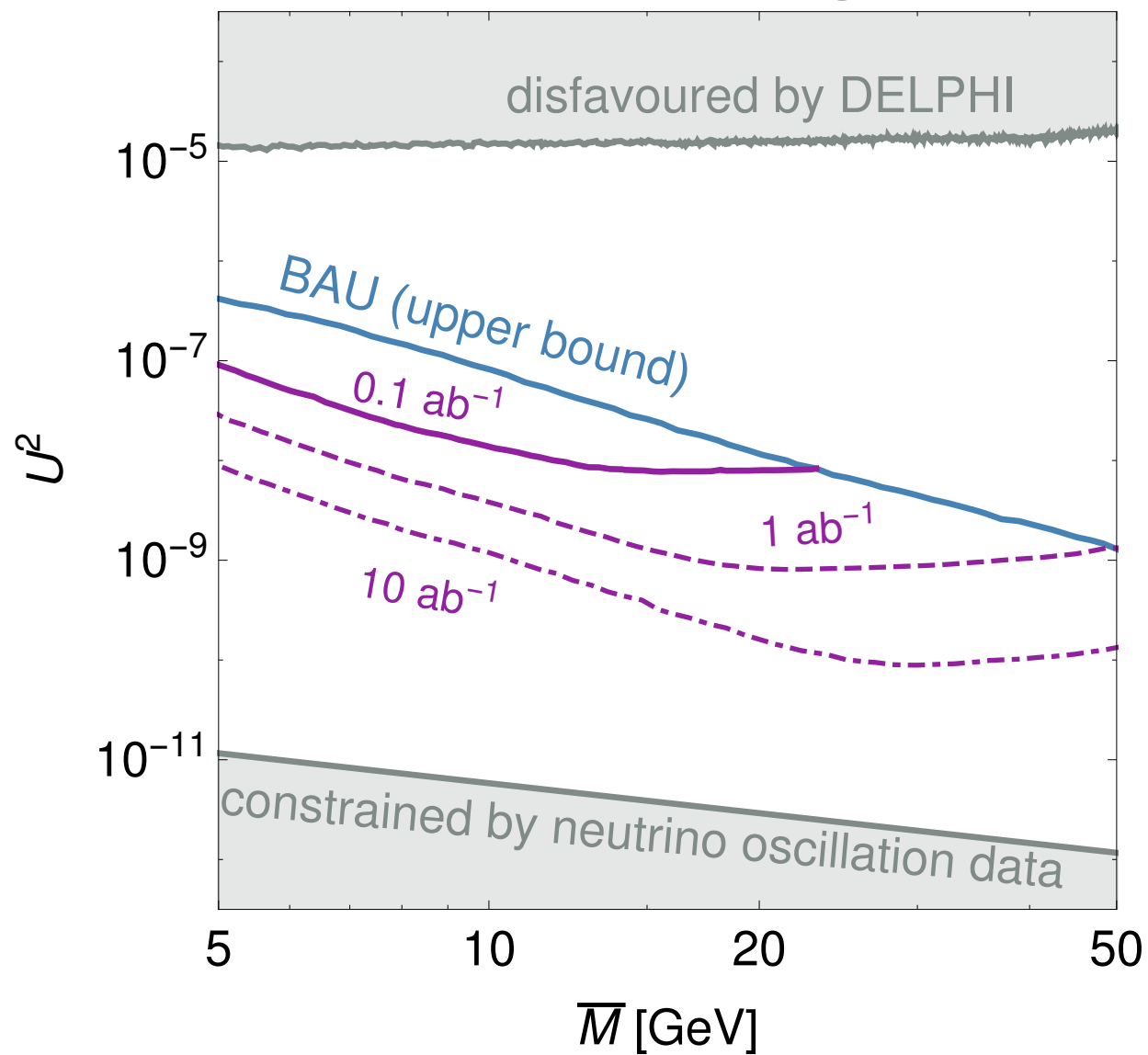


inverted ordering

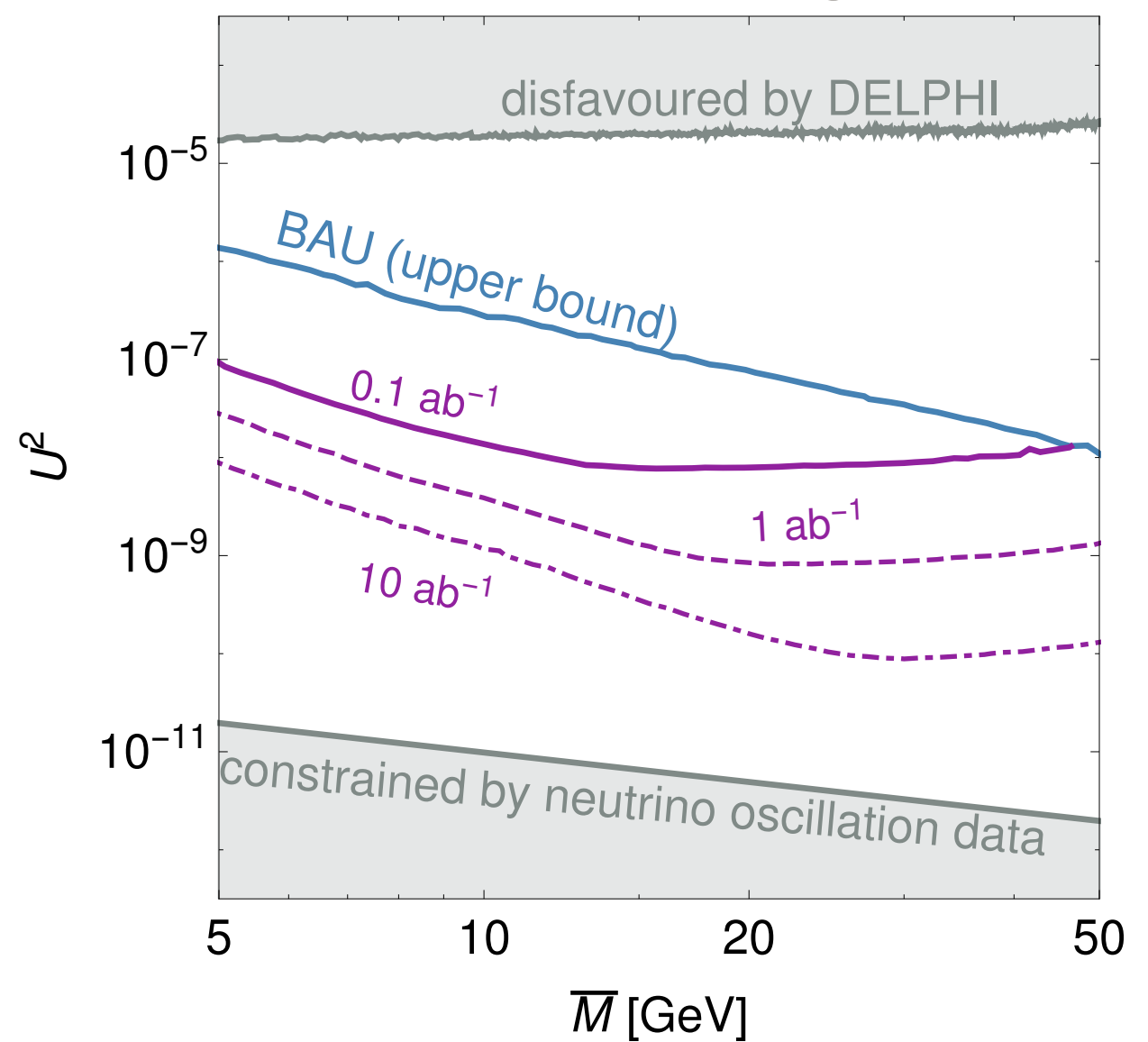


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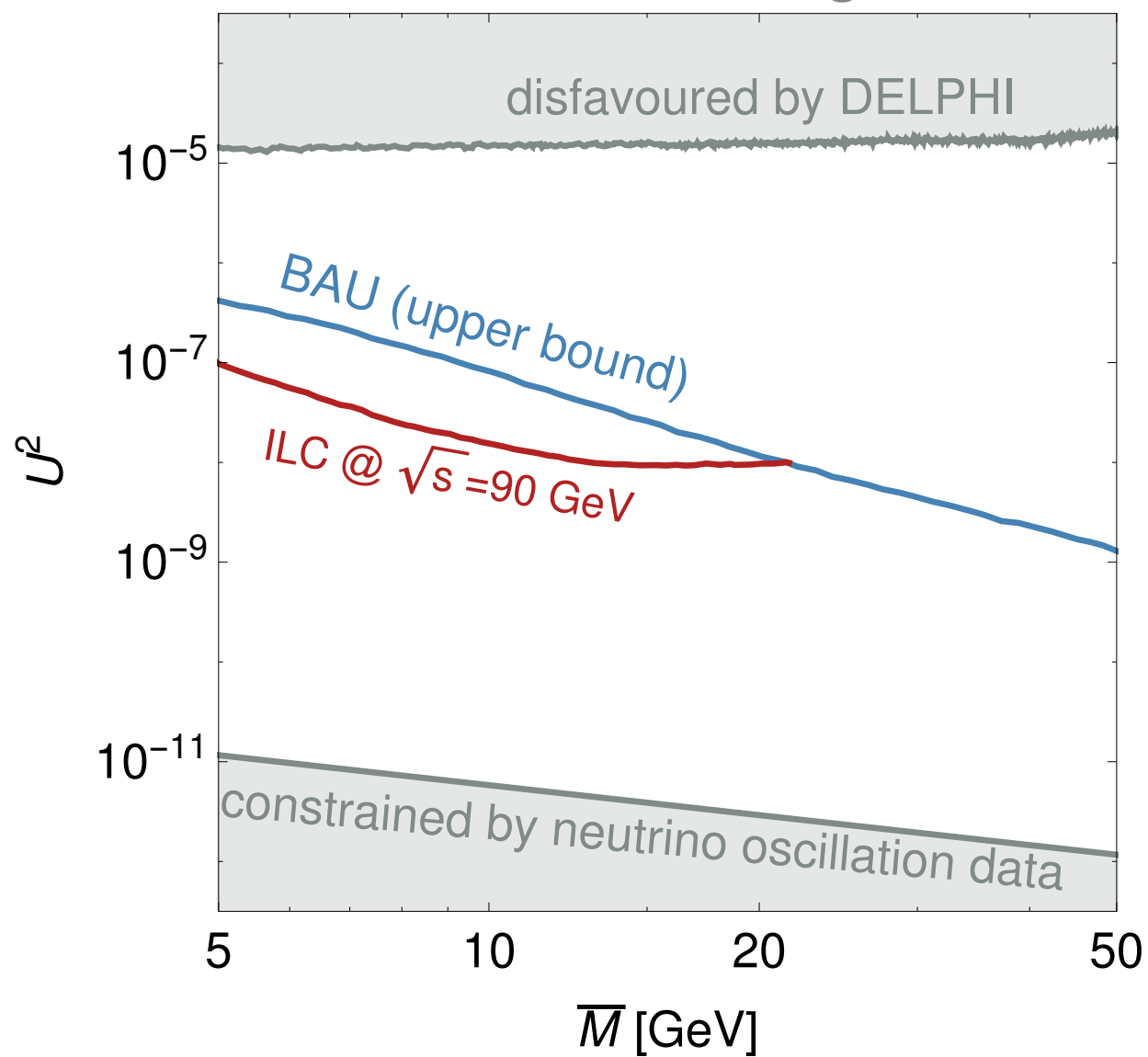


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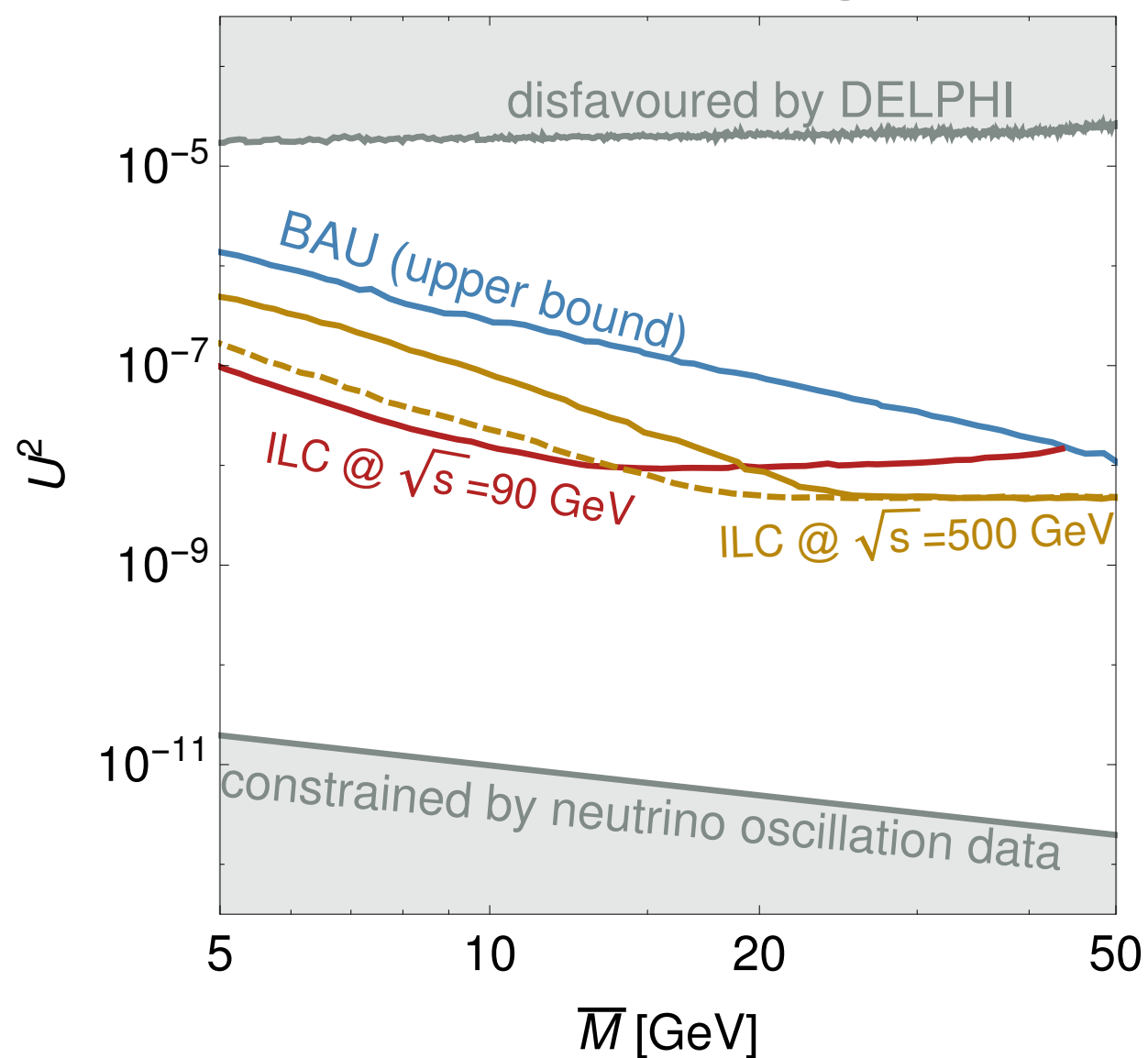


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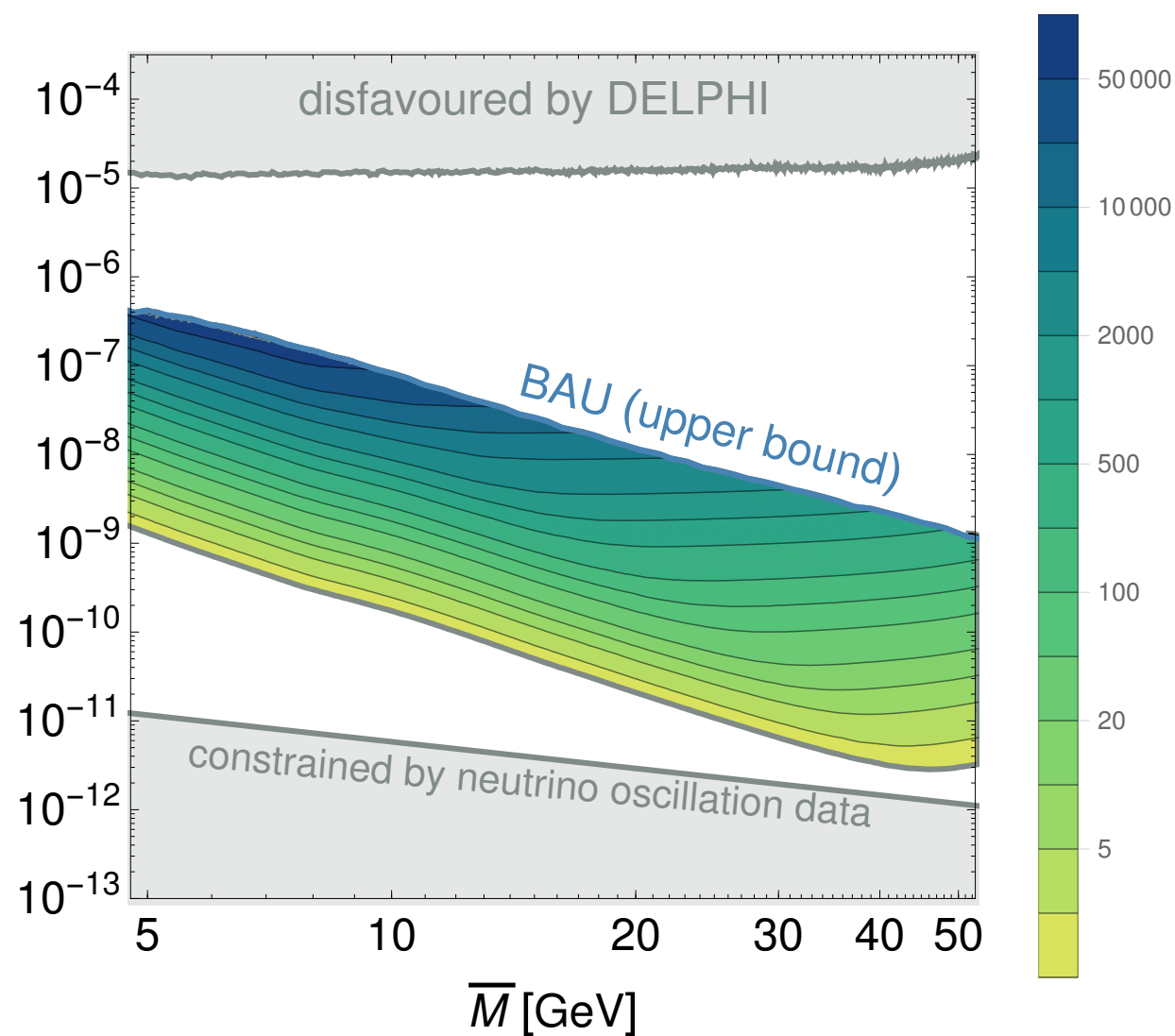
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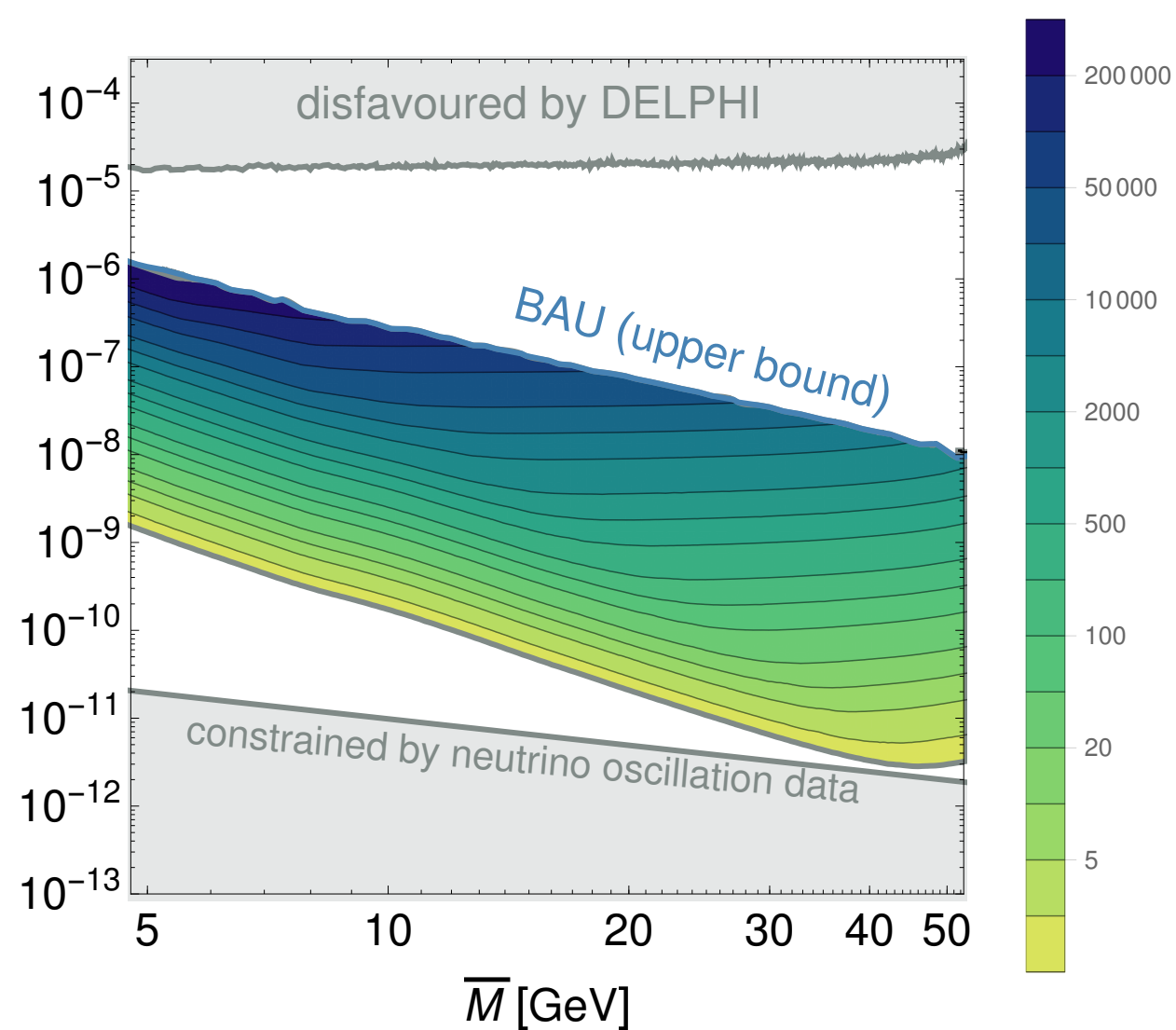


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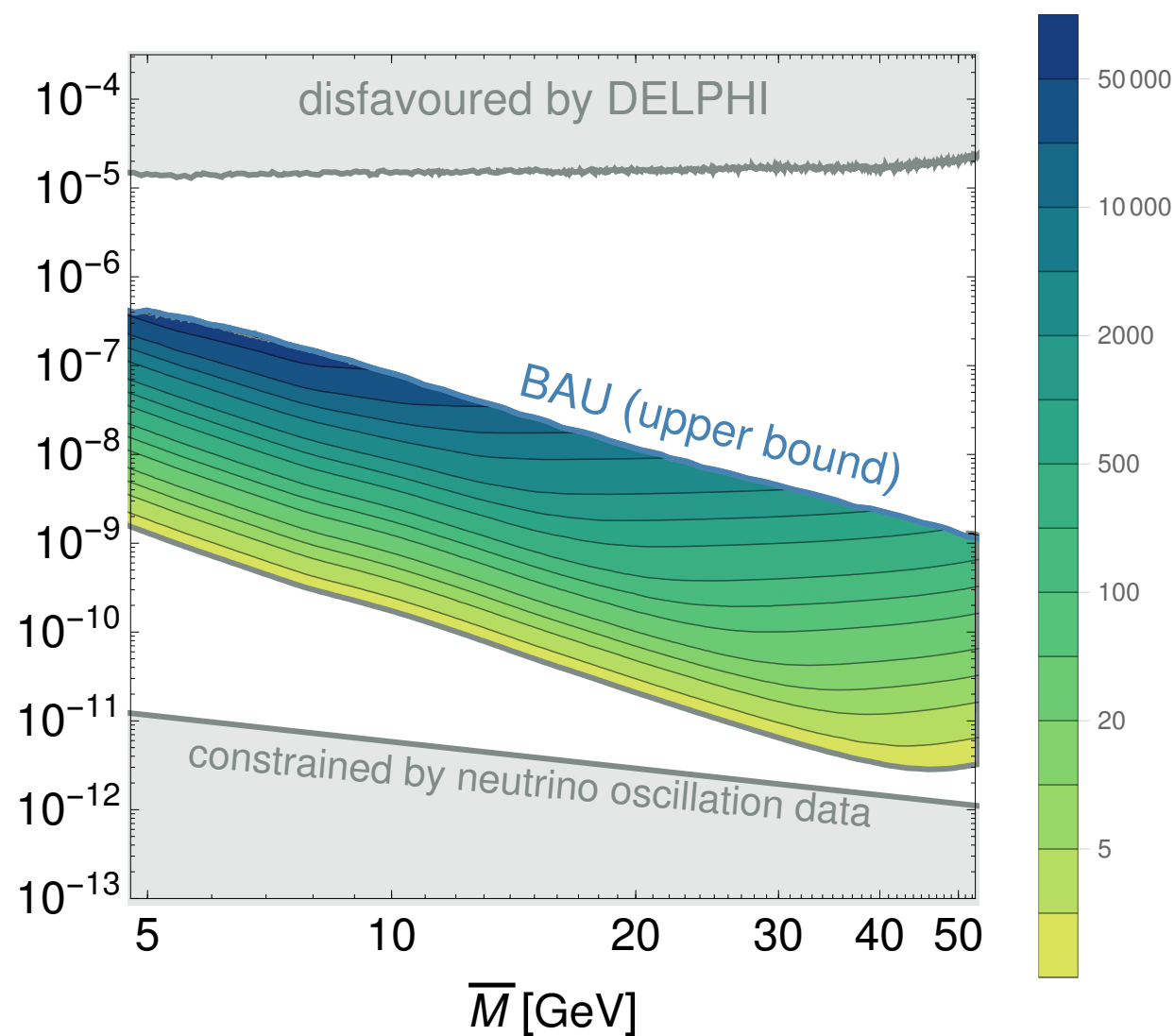


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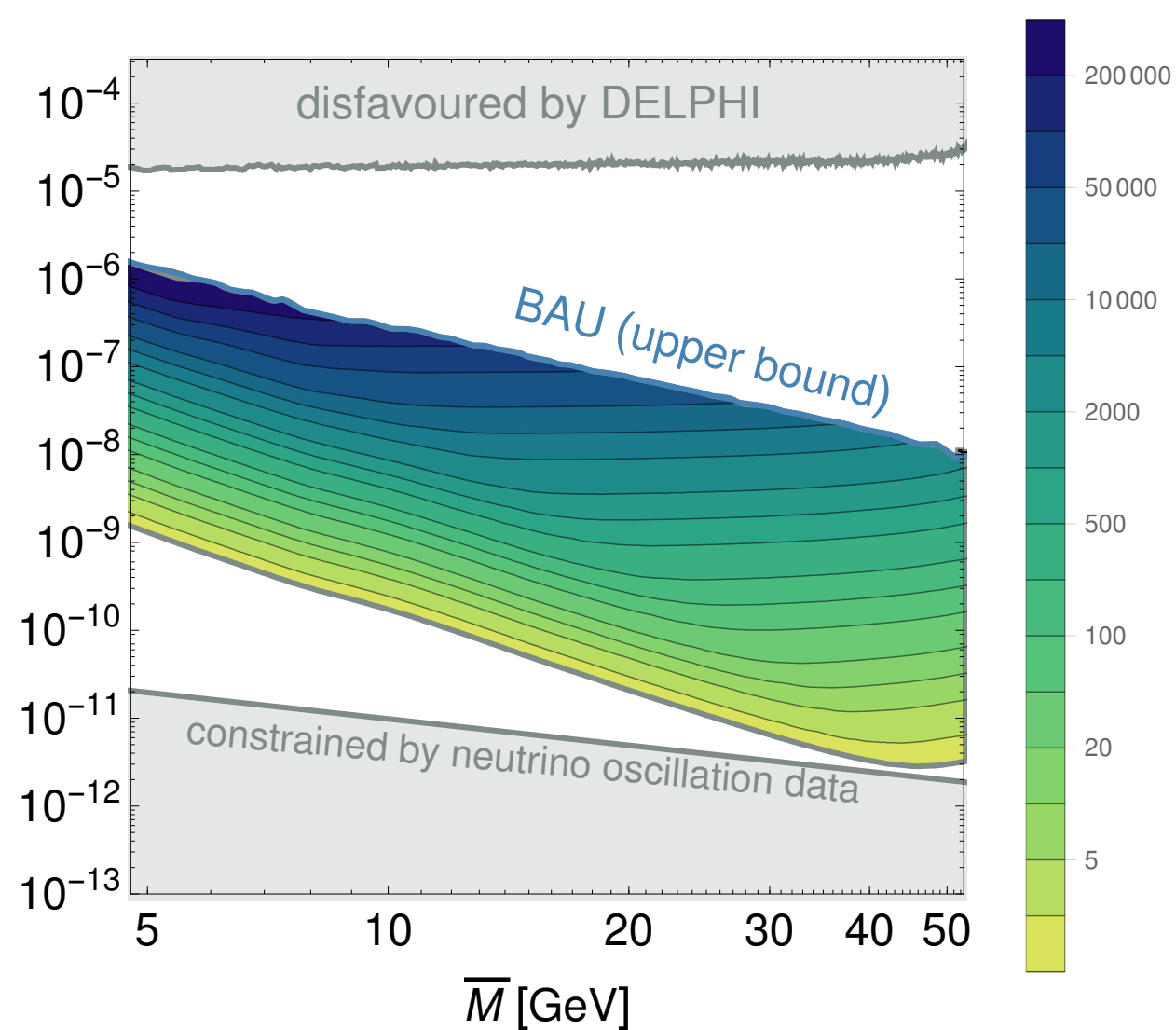


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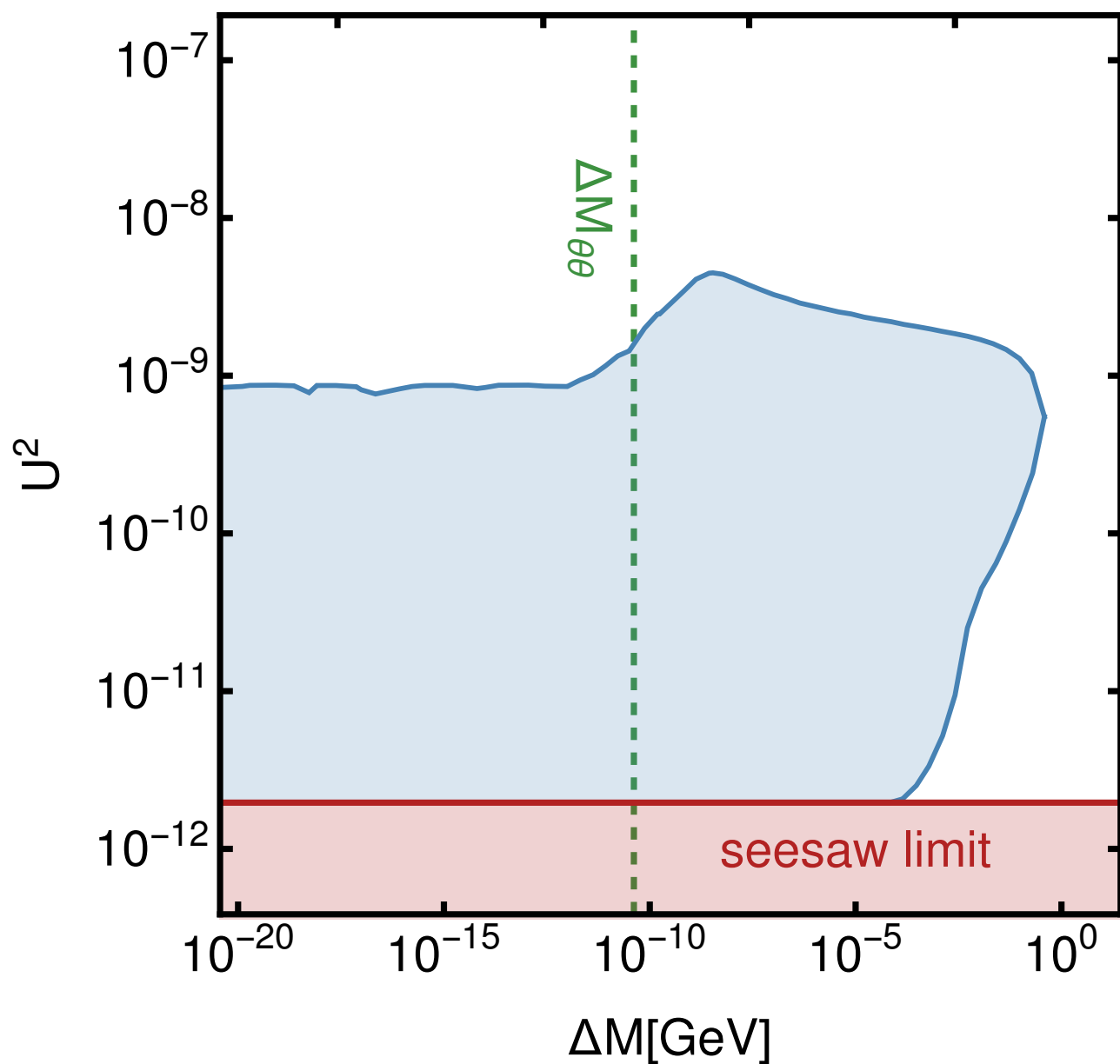
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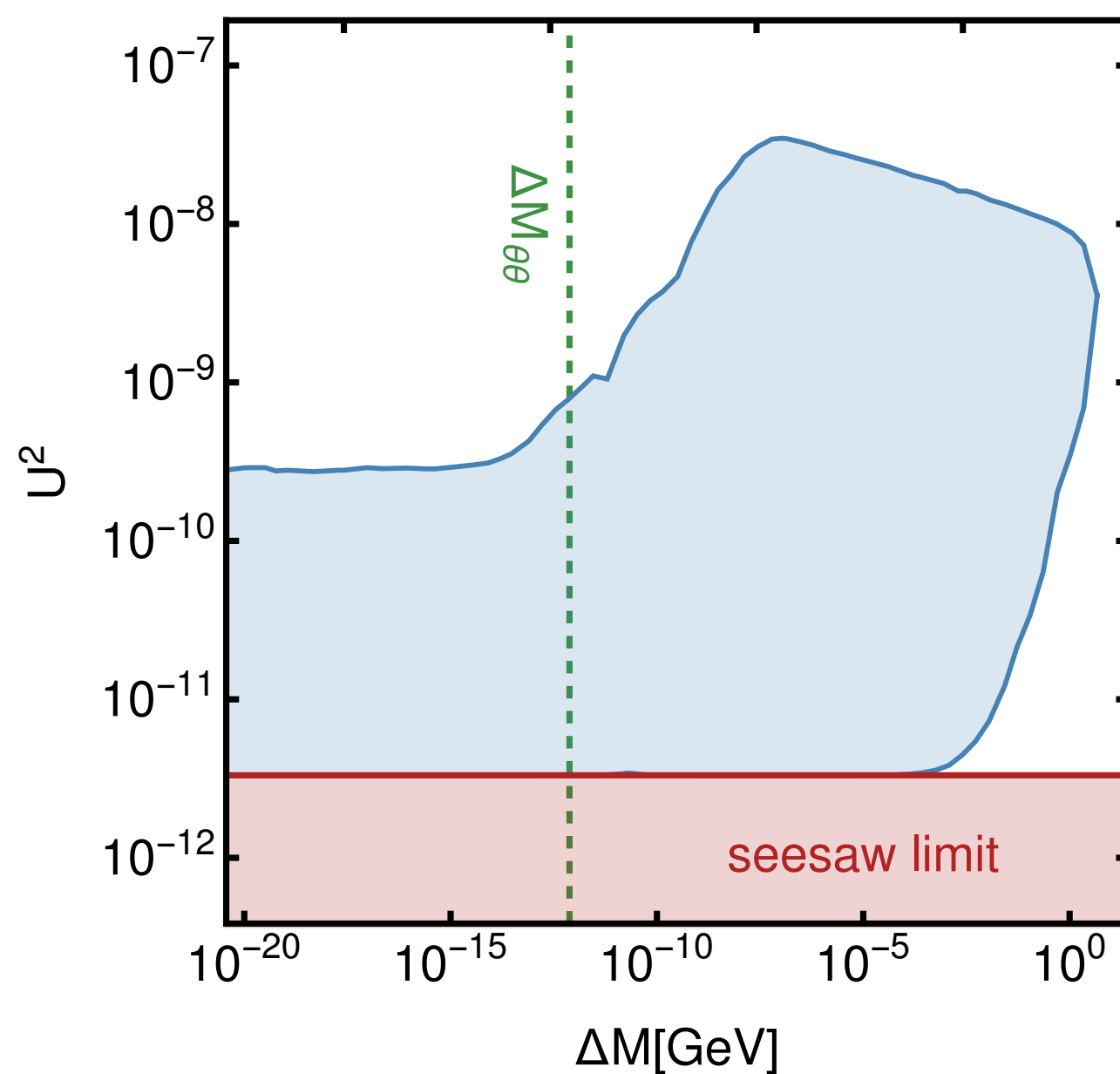
percent level measurement of flavour structure!

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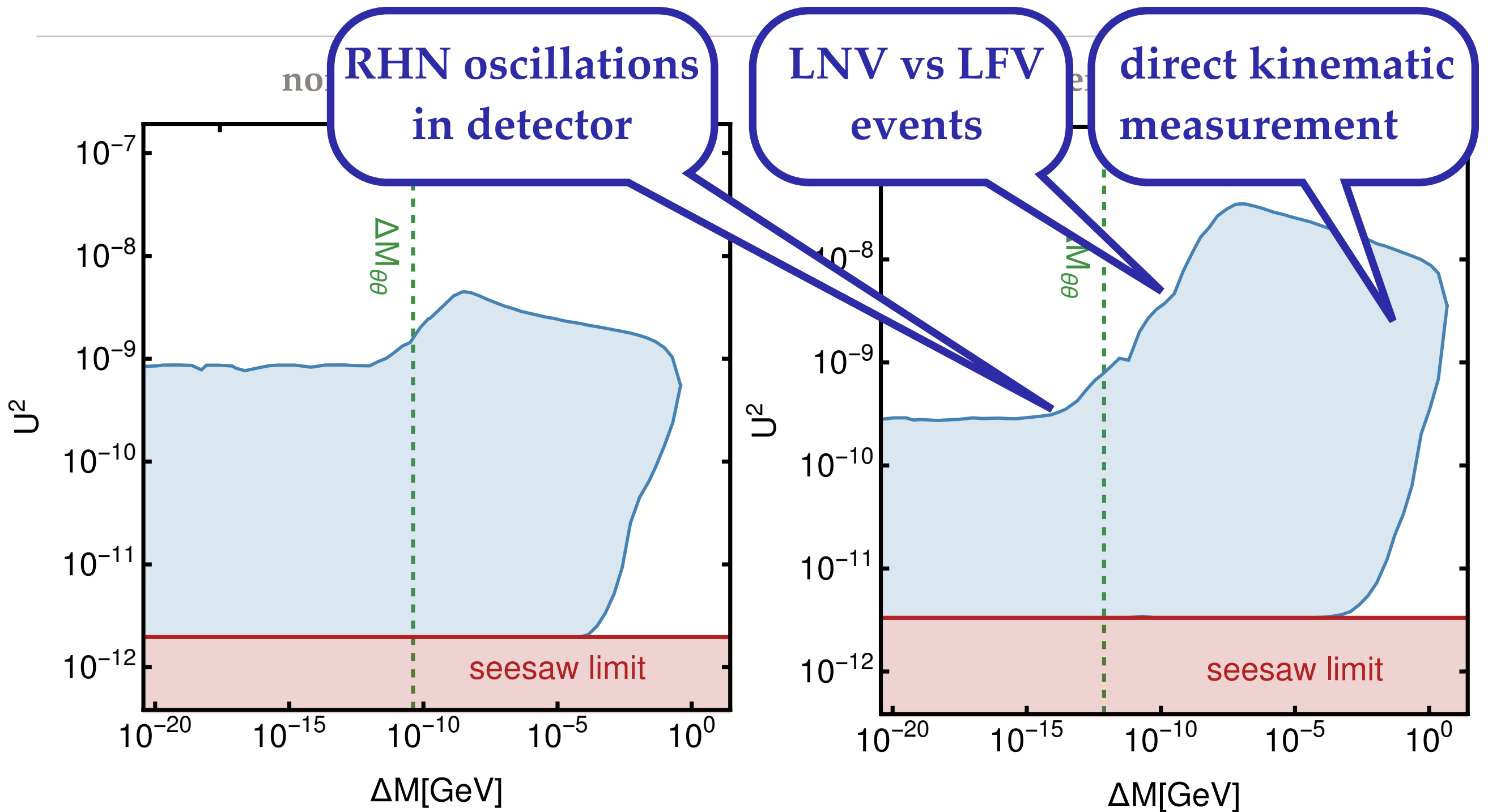
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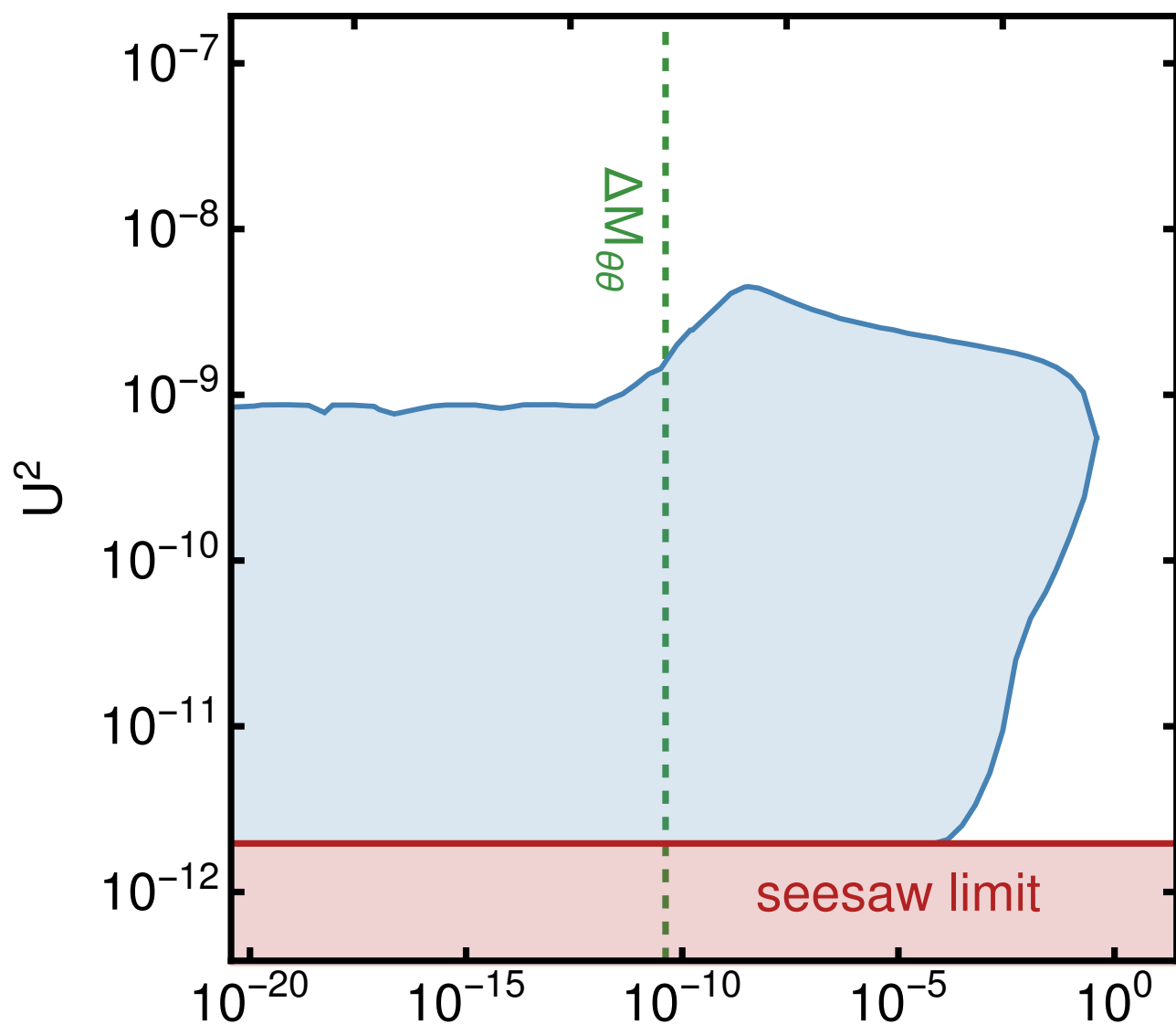
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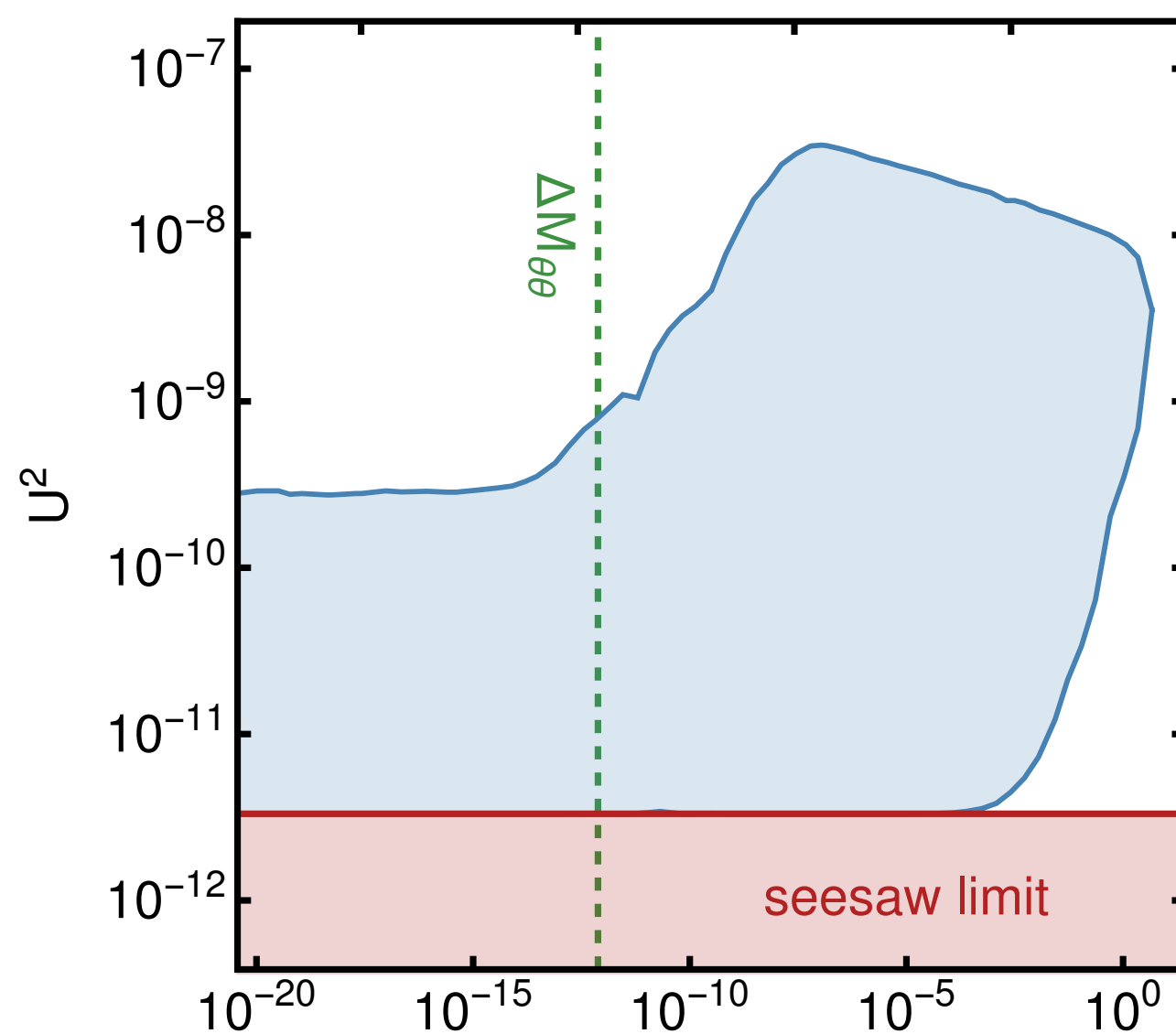


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with three RH neutrinos:  
no need for mass degeneracy for leptogenesis MaD/Garbrecht 12

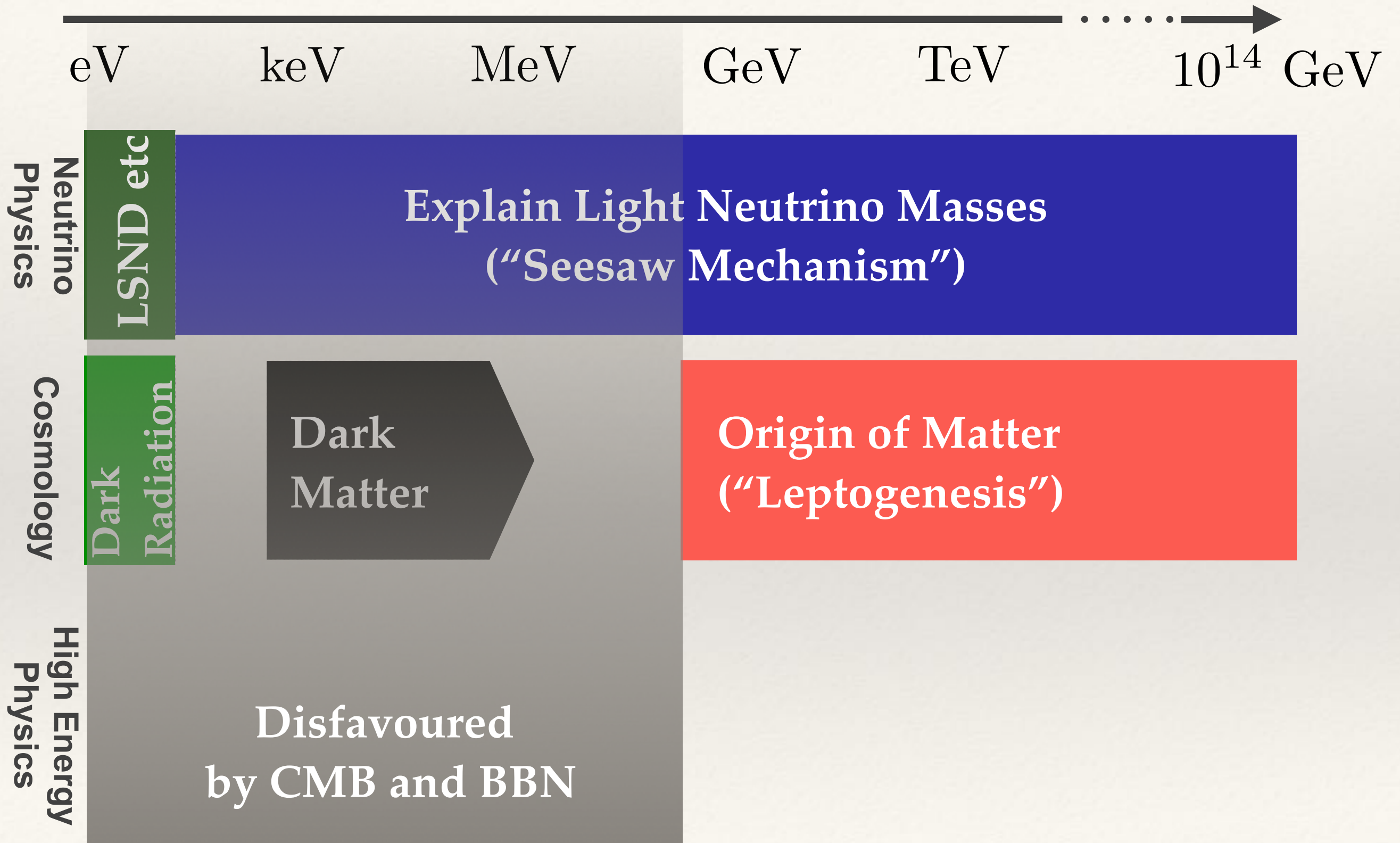
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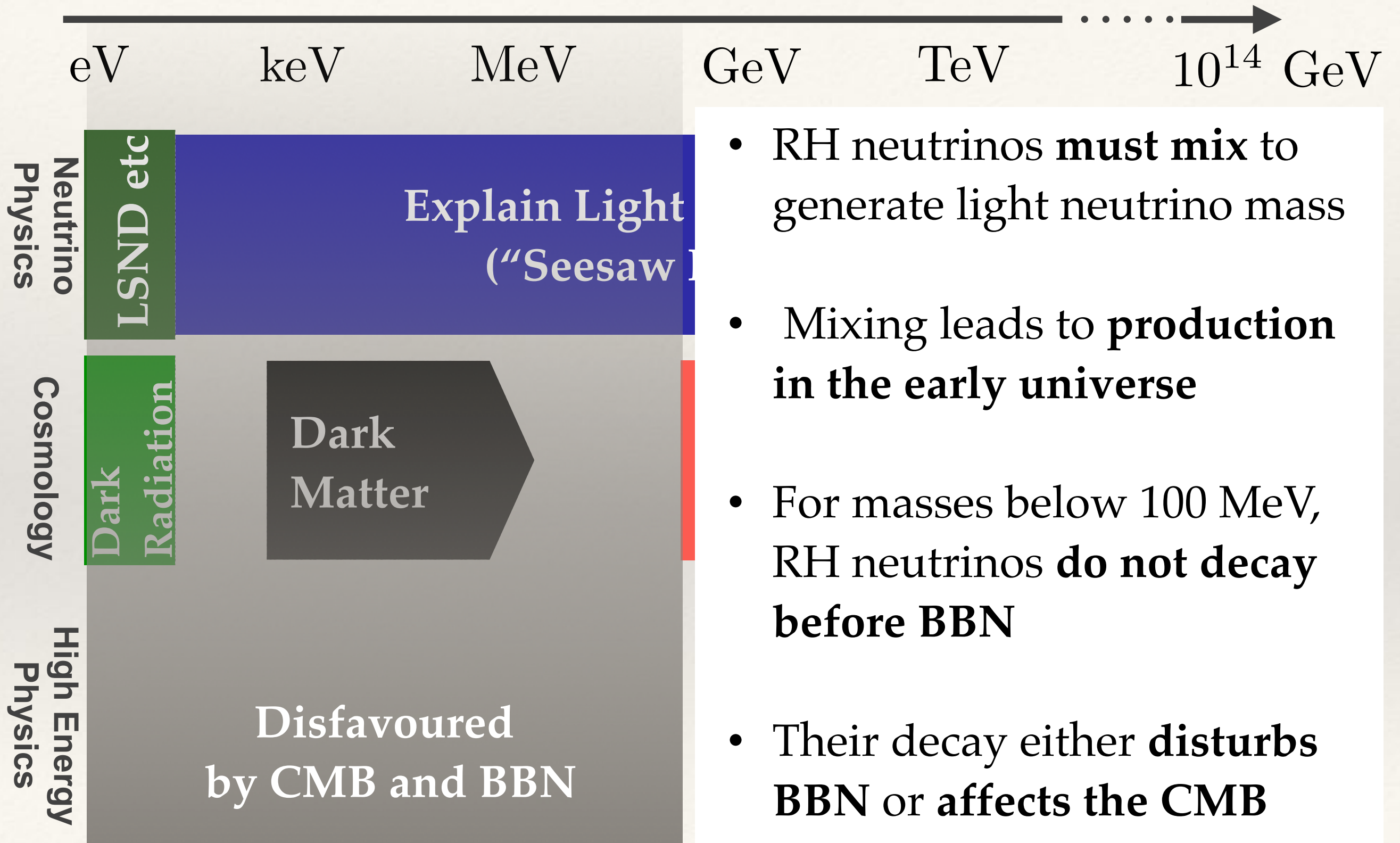
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- ❖ Heavy neutrinos can explain the origin of neutrino masses and matter in the universe
- ❖ Collider data + DUNE or NOvA can fully test the minimal seesaw model in the sub-TeV mass range
- ❖ non-collider data can help to guide collider searches (e.g. flavour structure, LNV vs LFV)
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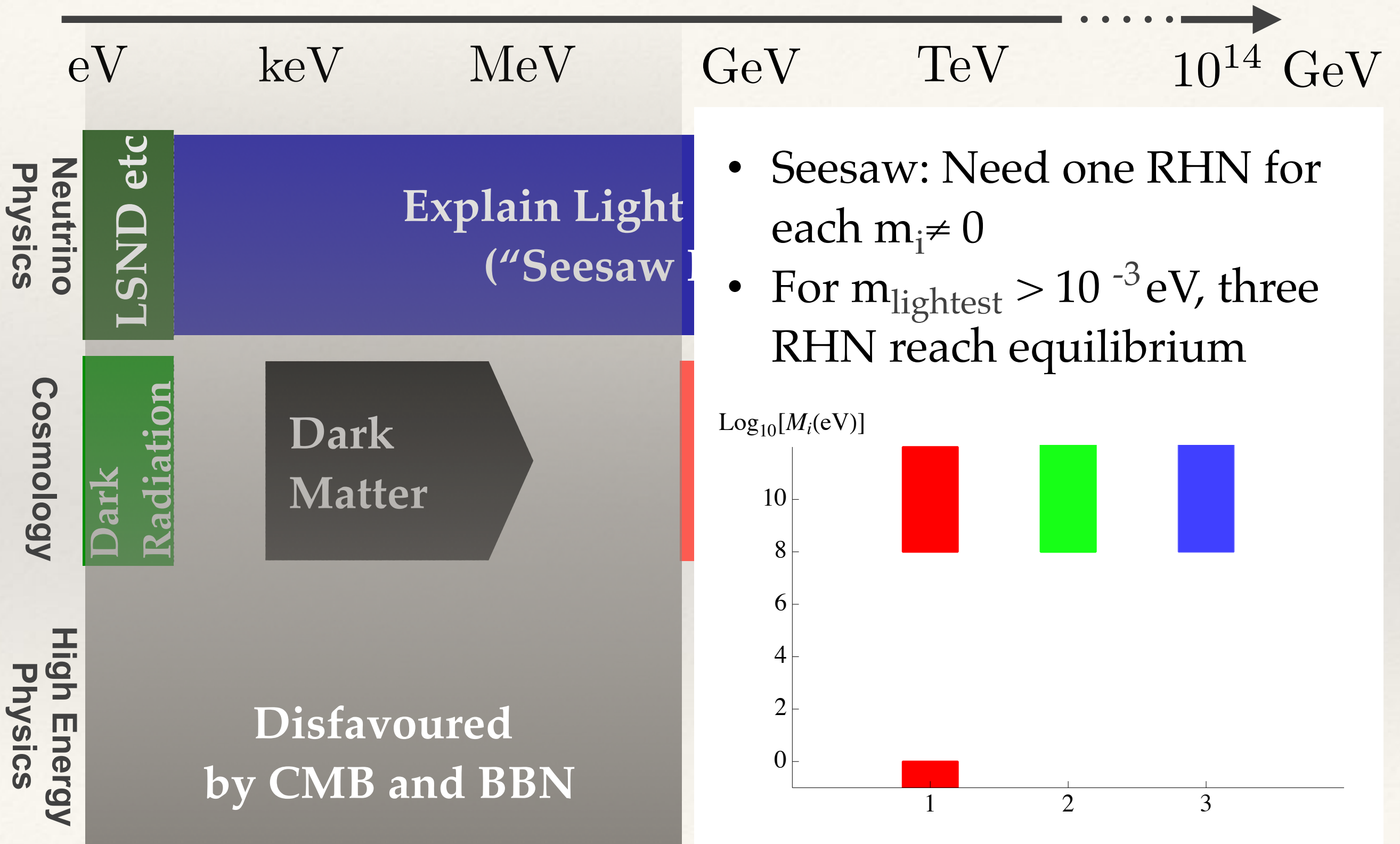
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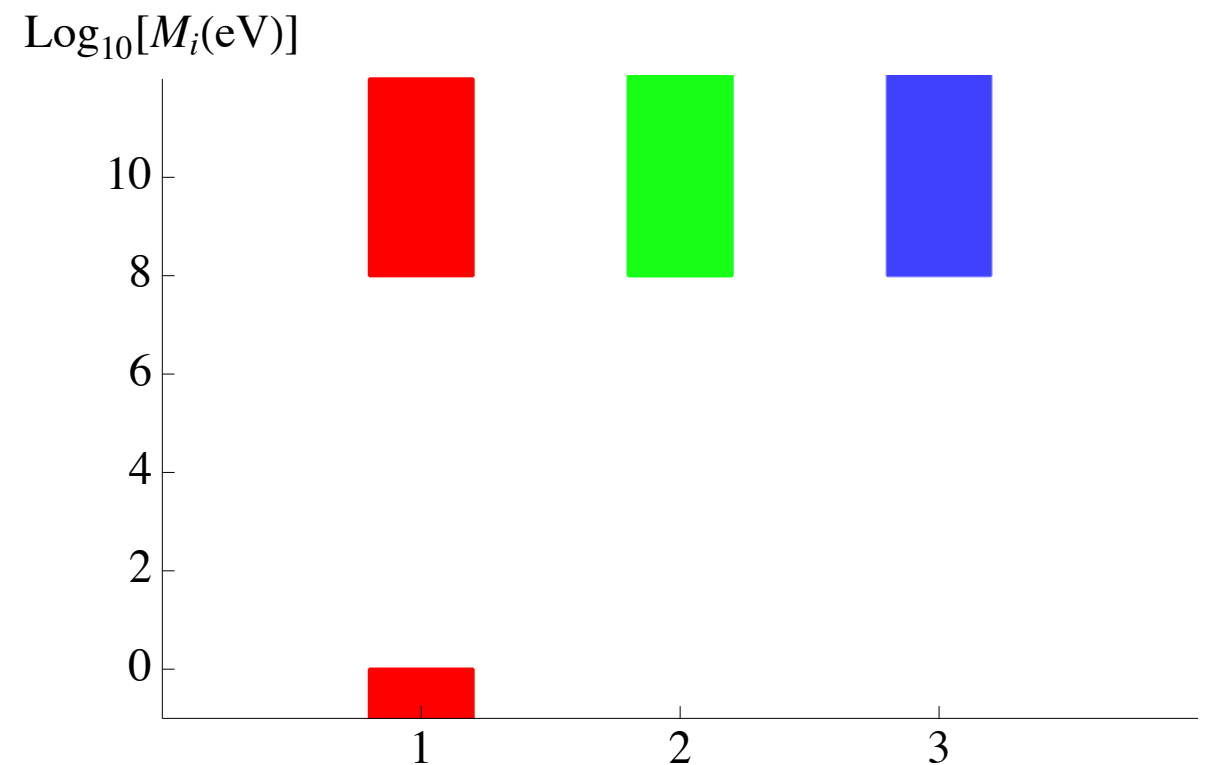
- RH neutrinos **must mix** to generate light neutrino mass
- Mixing leads to **production in the early universe**
- For masses below 100 MeV, RH neutrinos **do not decay before BBN**
- Their decay either **disturbs BBN** or **affects the CMB**



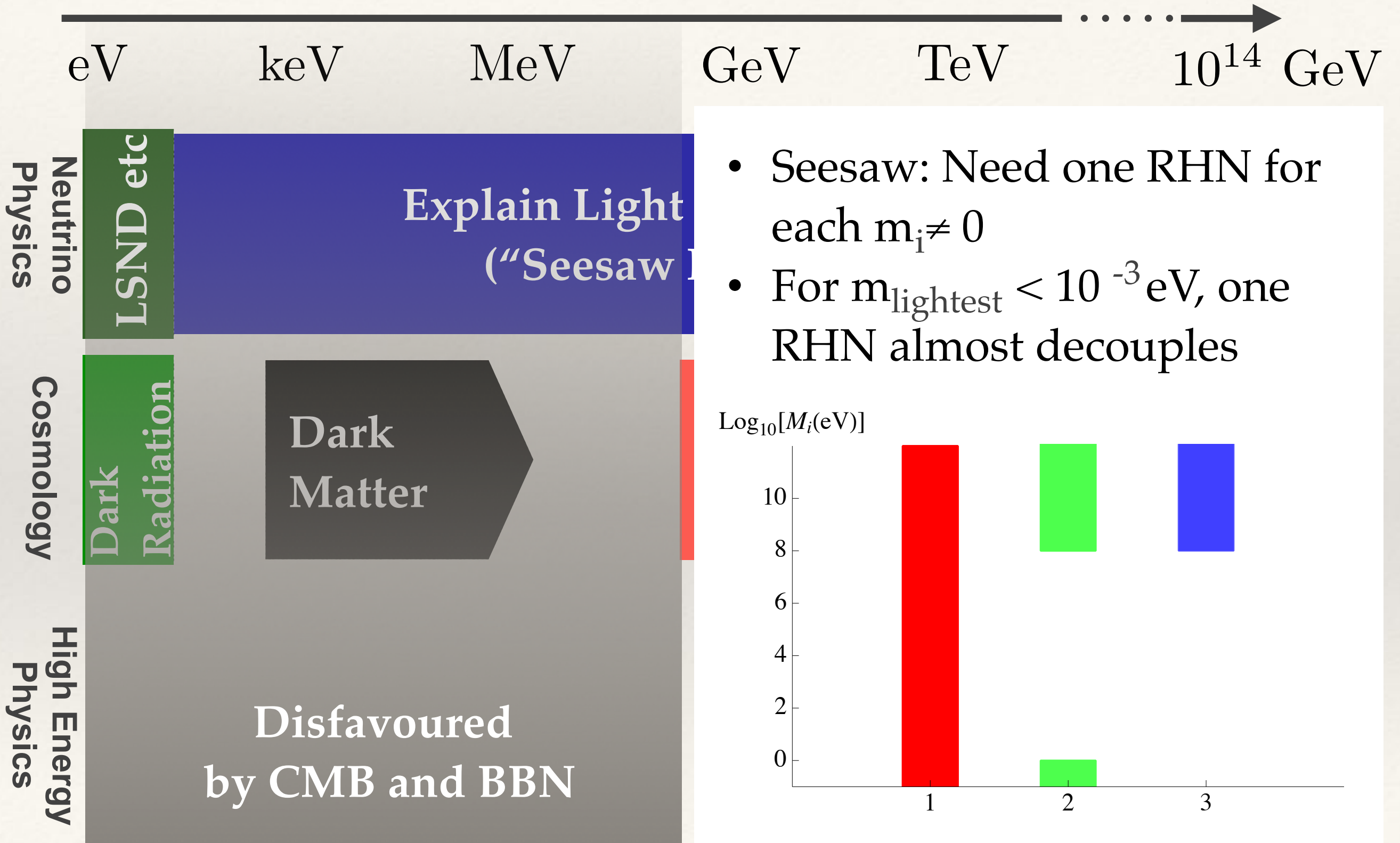
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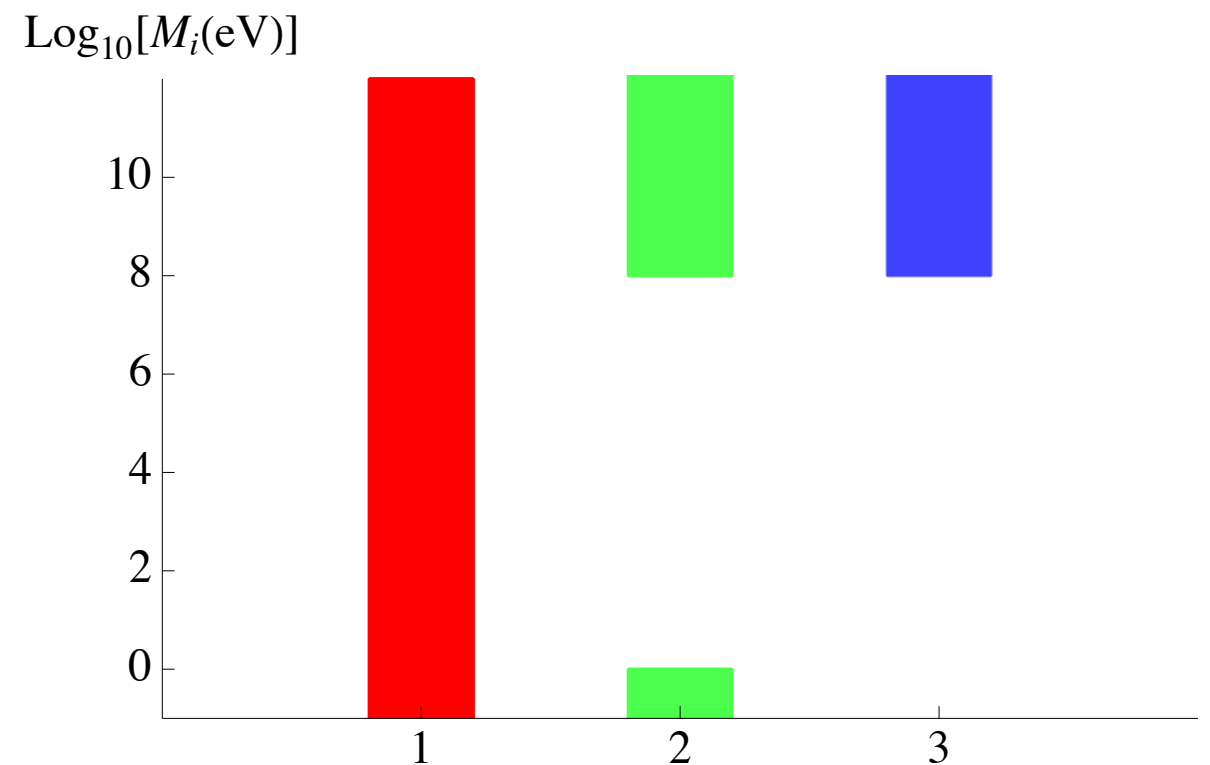
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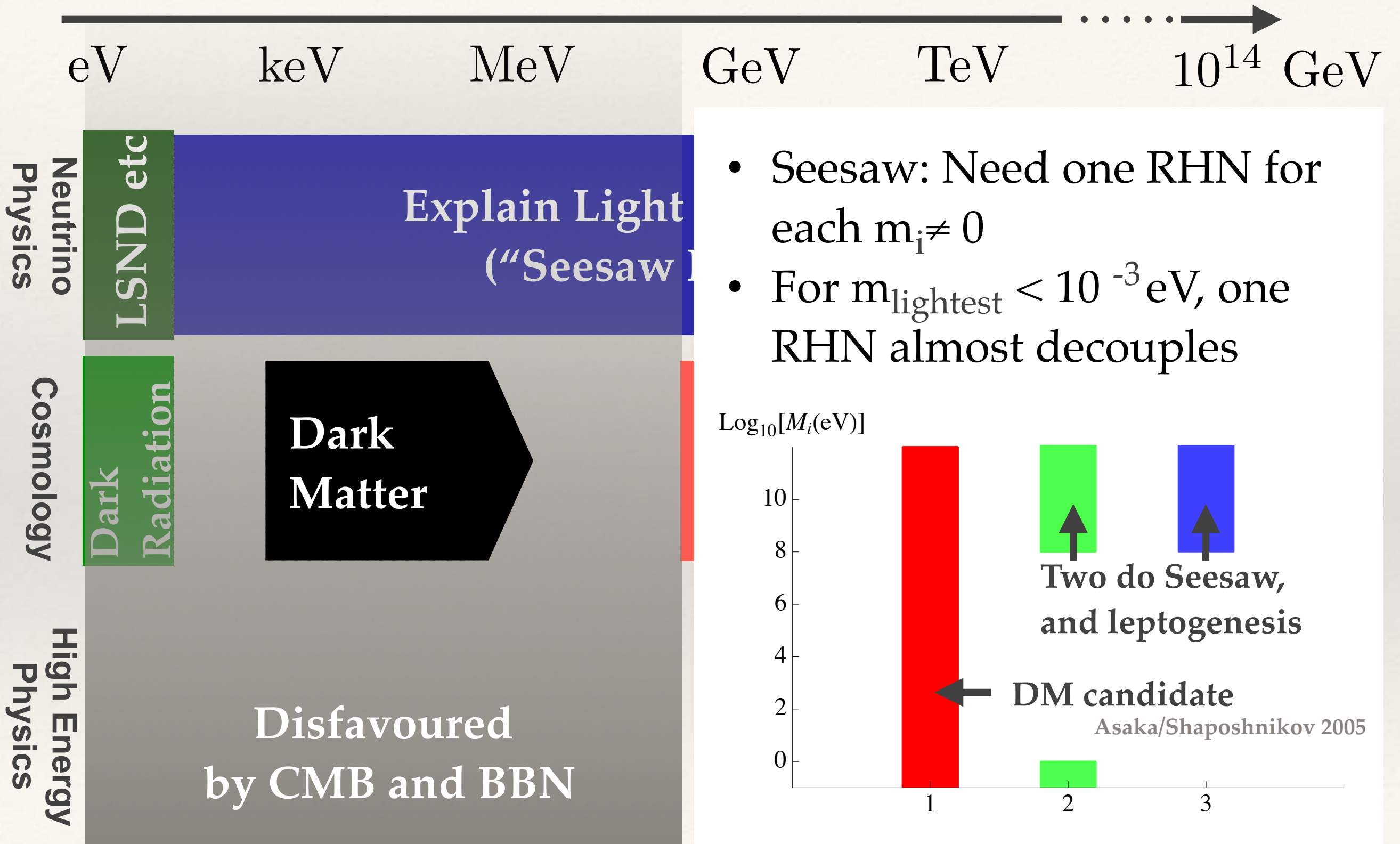
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