

# *Revisiting the Dark Photon Interpretation of the Muon $g-2$ anomaly*

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# Standard Model of Particle Physics

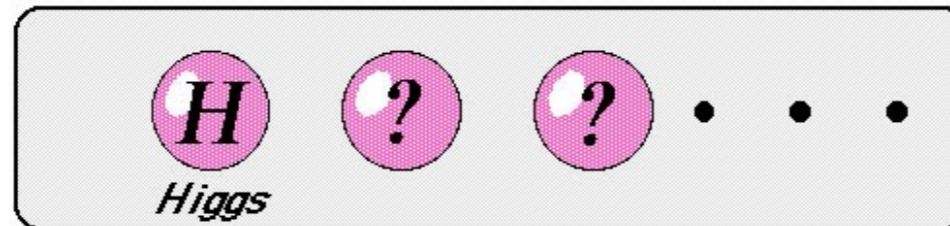
matter particles

gauge particles

	1st gen.	2nd gen.	3rd gen.
Q U A R K	 <i>u</i> <i>up</i>	 <i>c</i> <i>charm</i>	 <i>t</i> <i>top</i>
	 <i>d</i> <i>down</i>	 <i>s</i> <i>strange</i>	 <i>b</i> <i>bottom</i>
L E P T O N	 <i><math>\nu_e</math></i> <i>e neutrino</i>	 <i><math>\nu_\mu</math></i> <i><math>\mu</math> neutrino</i>	 <i><math>\nu_\tau</math></i> <i><math>\tau</math> neutrino</i>
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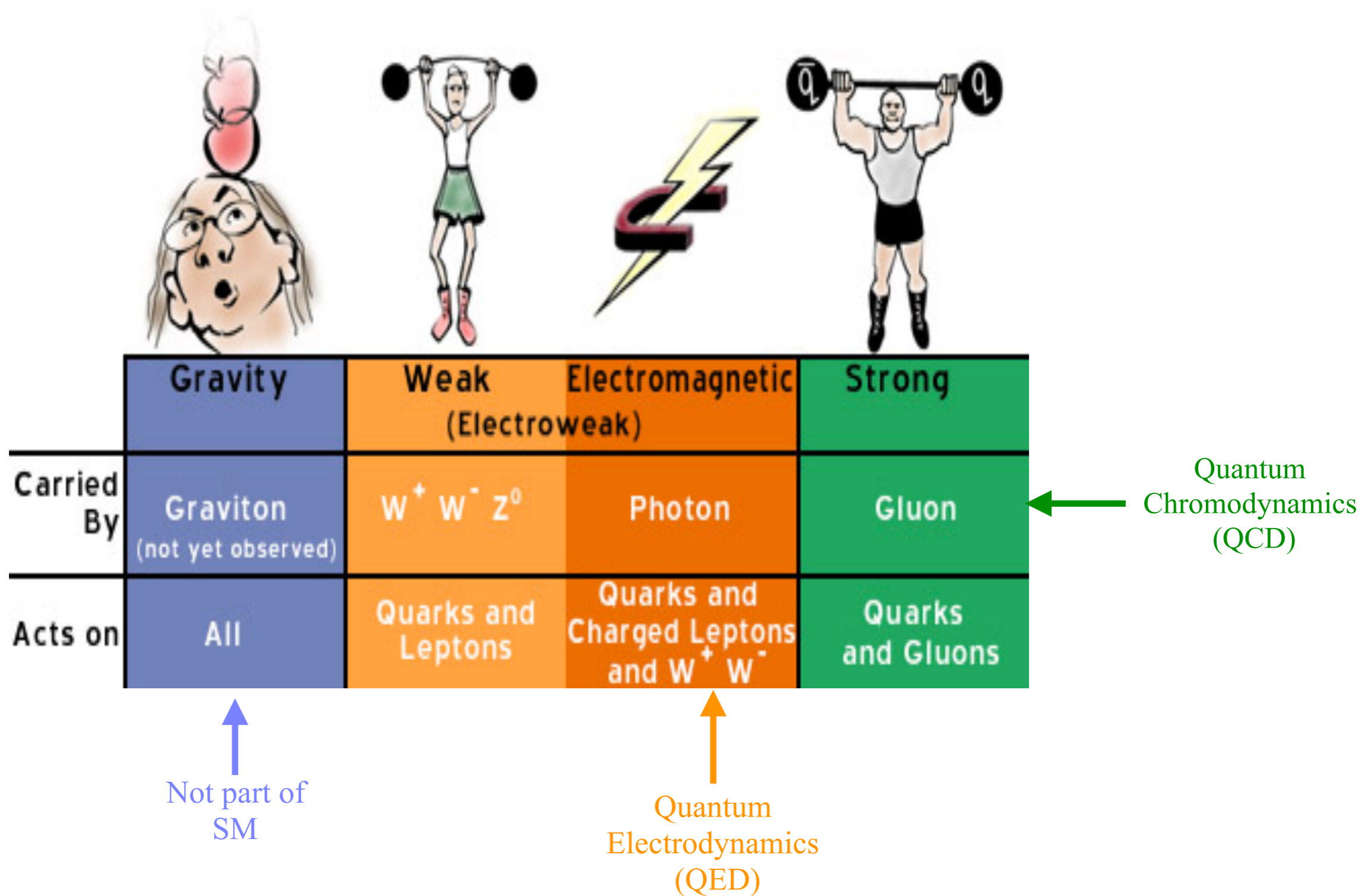
<p>Strong Force</p>  <i>g</i> <i>Gluon</i>
<p>Electro-Magnetic Force</p>  <i><math>\gamma</math></i> <i>photon</i>
<p>Weak Force</p>    <i>W<sup>+</sup></i> <i>W<sup>-</sup></i> <i>Z</i> <i>W bosons</i> <i>Z boson</i>

scalar particle(s)



Elements of the Standard Model

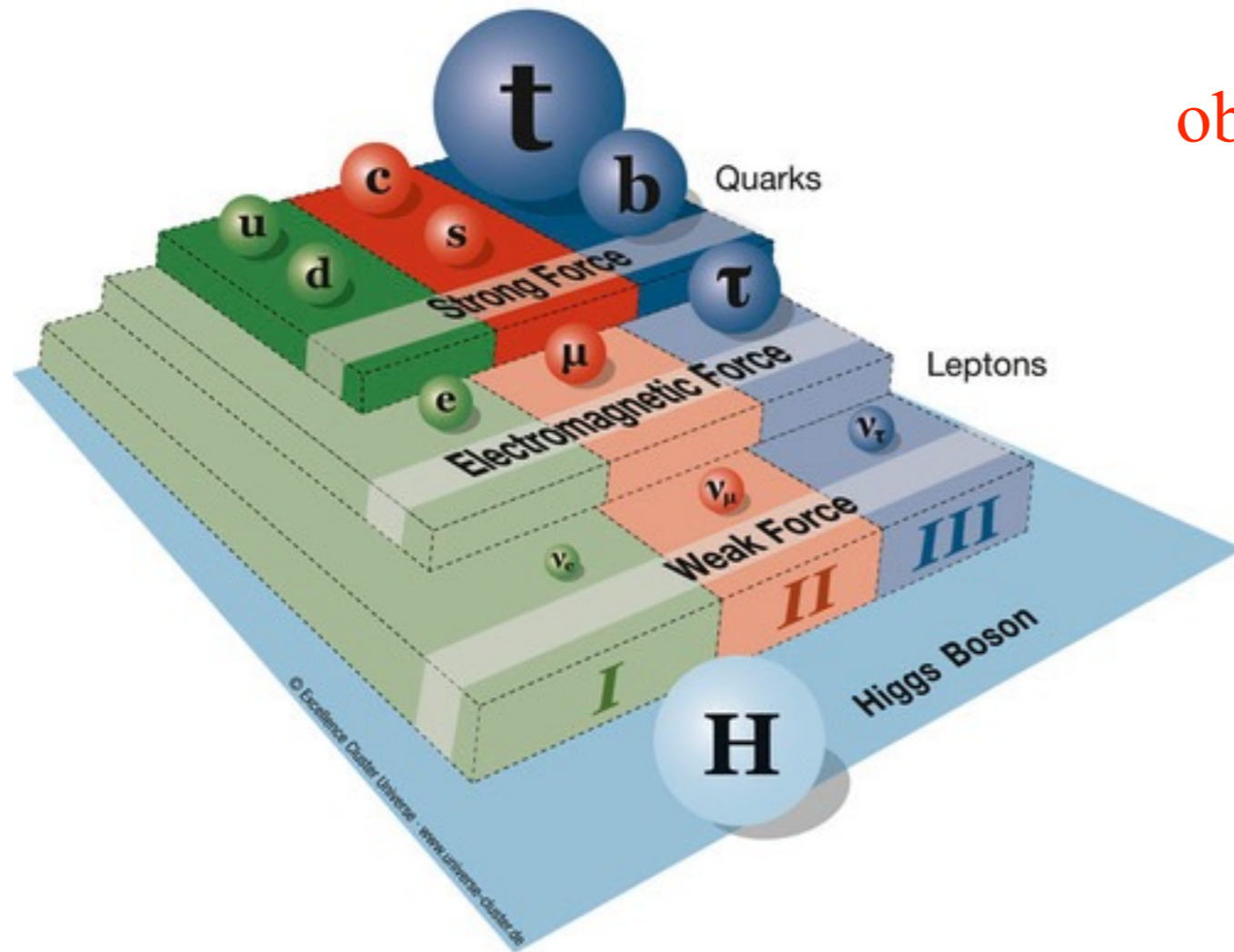
# Standard Model of Particle Physics



Represented by gauge group  $SU(3)_c \times SU(2)_W \times U(1)_Y$

# Current Status of Particle Physics

Standard Model has been very successful in explaining much of the observed particle physics phenomena.



To date all SM particles been detected

Yet we have hints that it does not tell the complete story of the Universe.

Some of the aspects the SM cannot explain include:

- Dark Matter
- Dark Energy
- Neutrino Mass origin
- Matter-Antimatter Asymmetry
- Many others ...

These require some New Physics beyond the Standard Model  
(BSM) !!!

Theorists & Experimentalists are hard at work trying to turn **hints** into **evidence**

# New Physics may show itself in different complementary forms:

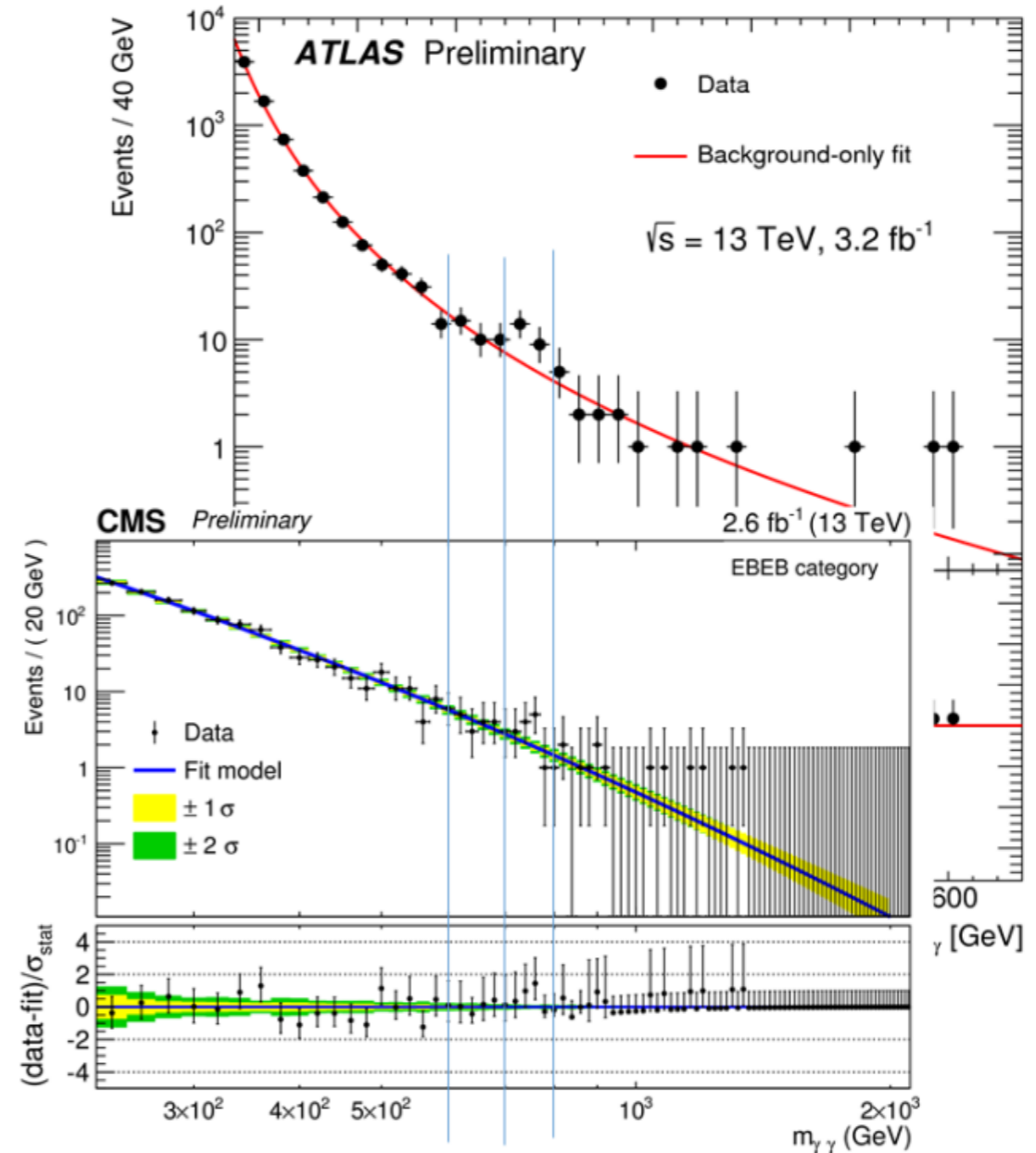
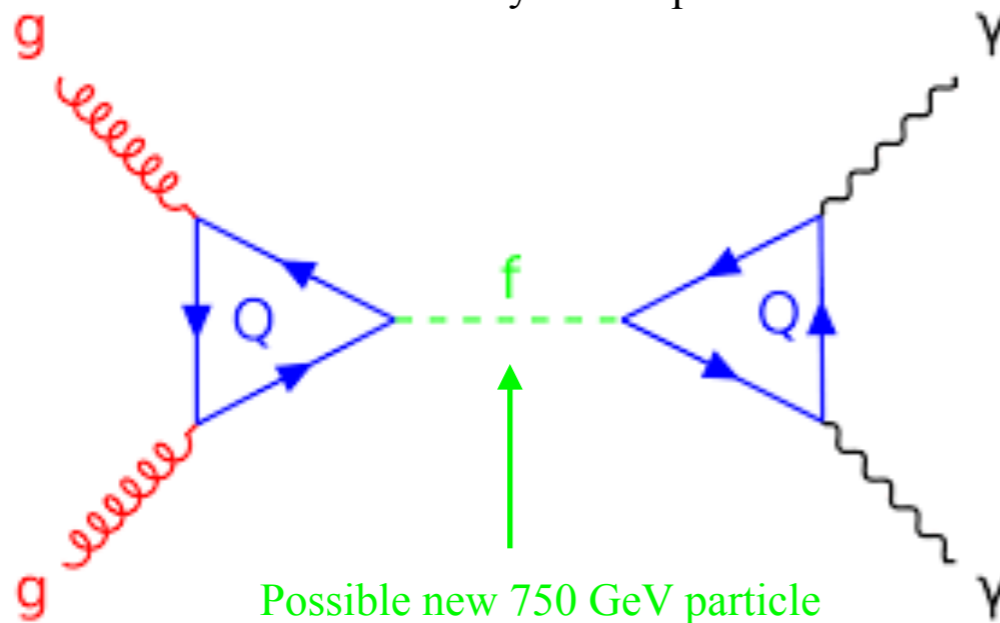
- High energy experiments

Please refer back to  
Jori Sonneveld's talk from last week

e.g. Direct production of new particles at colliders

➔ New heavy resonances produced at the LHC/bump hunting

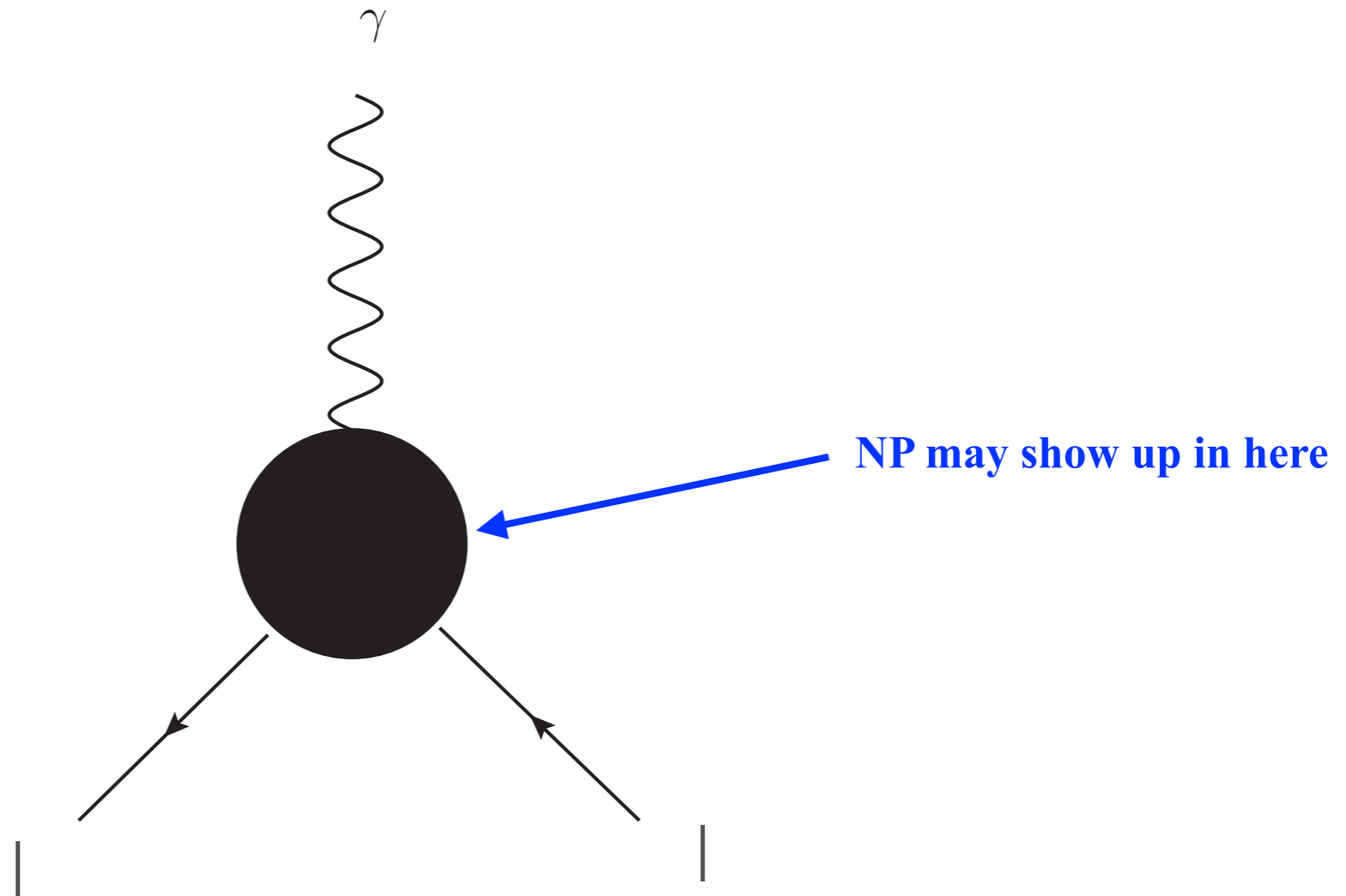
Feynman Diagram showing how  
NP may show up



- Low energy precision physics

e.g. Anomalous Couplings: Indirect effects of new particles may show up in quantum corrections.

➔ Anomalous magnetic moments of leptons



## In this Talk

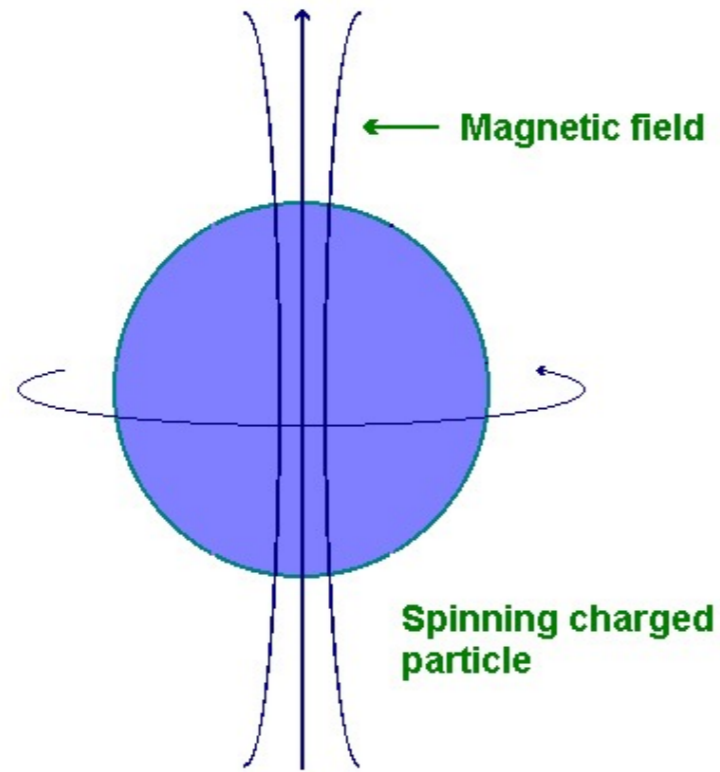
- Discuss how precision physics can help uncover new physics

### Muon anomalous magnetic moment

- Introduce anomalous magnetic moment and ongoing efforts from theory & experiment
- Discuss possible new physics contributions to muon magnetic moment
- Briefly give results
- Conclusions

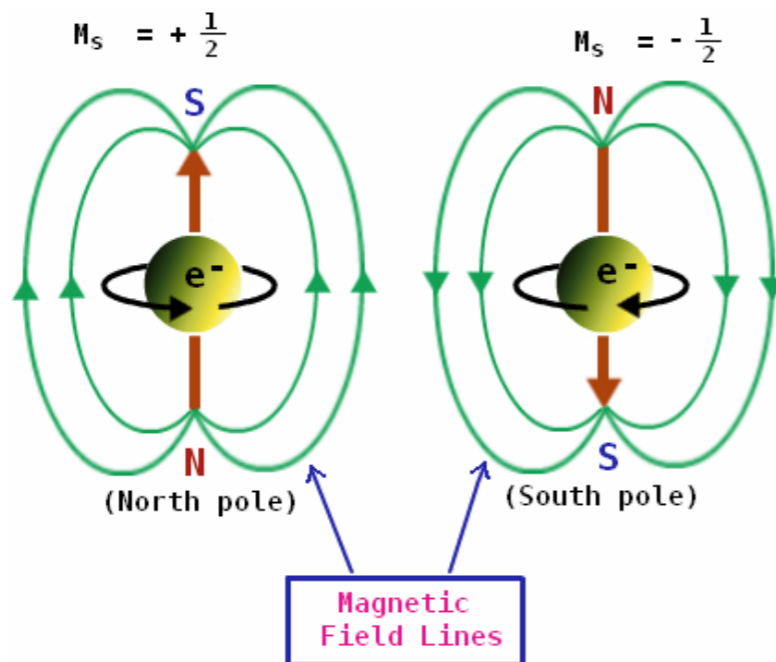


# Quick Recap



Spinning charged particle in uniform magnetic field induces magnetic dipole moment

$$\bar{\mu}_l = \frac{g_l Q}{2m_l} \bar{s}$$



Anomalous part of dipole moment

$$a_l = \frac{g_l - 2}{2}$$

# Muon Anomalous Magnetic Moment

## Experiment: BNL E821

[BNL Muon g-2 collaboration, PRD73, 072003 (2006)]

$$a_{\mu}^{exp} = 1.16592089(63) \times 10^{-3}$$

measured to (0.54 ppm)

## Theory: Calculation in the SM

$$a_{\mu}^{SM} = 1.16591795(62) \times 10^{-3}$$

Jegerlehner & Nyffeler, 2009

Davier et al, 2010

Hagiwara et al, 2011

### g-2 Experiment at BNL

Cross-Section View of Storage Ring

Ring SC Coil

Yoke of Dipole Ring Magnet

Dipole Field  $B = 1.5 \text{ T}$

Toroidal Field

$\mu$  Storage Ring Orbit

$\mu$  Injection Orbit

SC Coil

SC

Inflector

Contribution to very high precision magnetic field in main muon storage ring:  
 - SC coil, Iron pole piece, and SC inflector

US-Japan HEP Collaboration 30th Anniversary Symposium

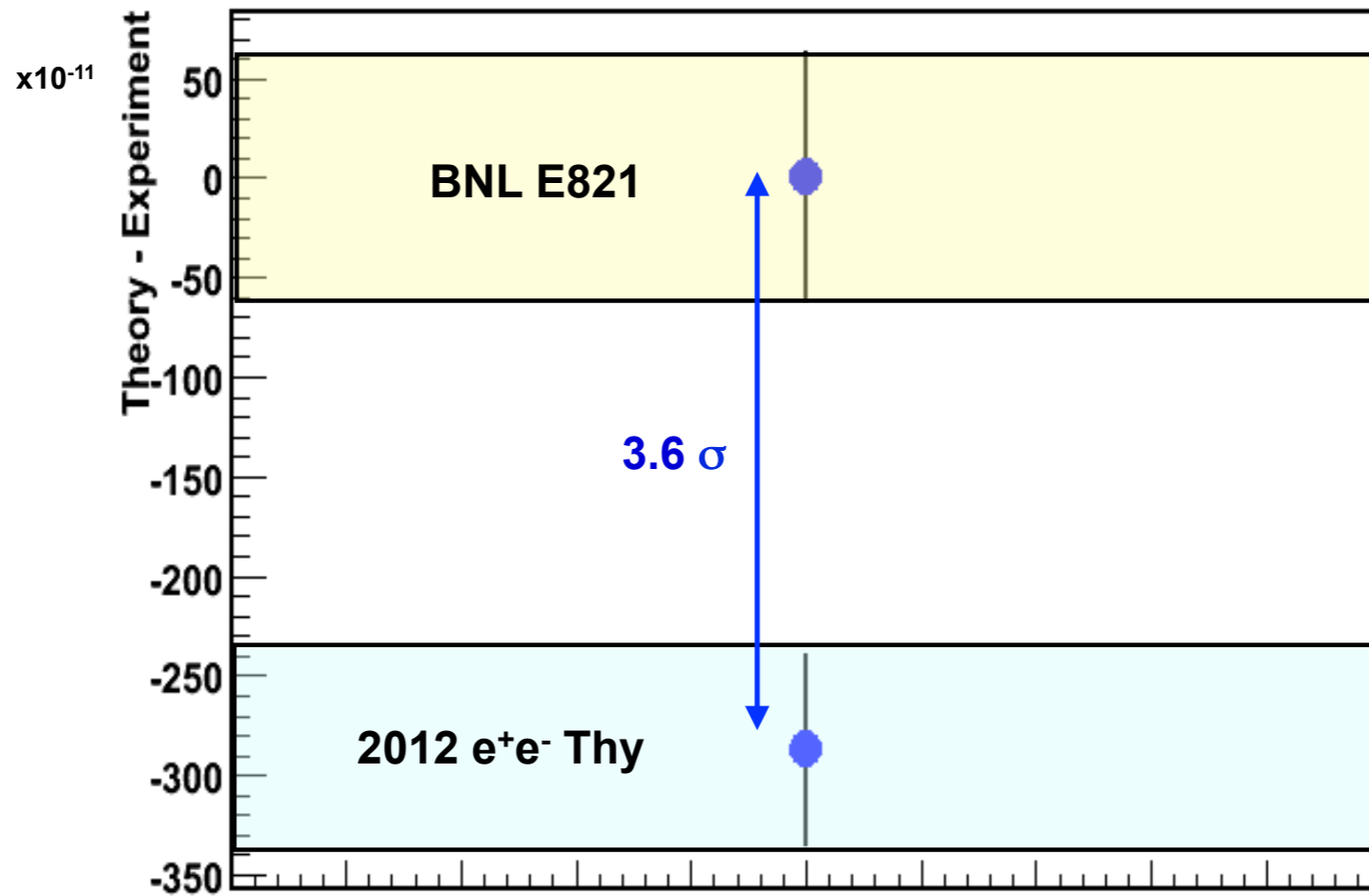
## Comparison in 9th decimal place

Experiment: 0.00116592089

Theory: 0.00116591795

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta a_\mu &\equiv a_\mu^{exp} - a_\mu^{SM} \\ &= (28.1 \pm 3.6_{th} \pm 6.3_{exp}) \times 10^{-10}\end{aligned}$$

Hagiwara et al, Nucl.Part.Phys.Proc. 287-288 (2017) 33-38



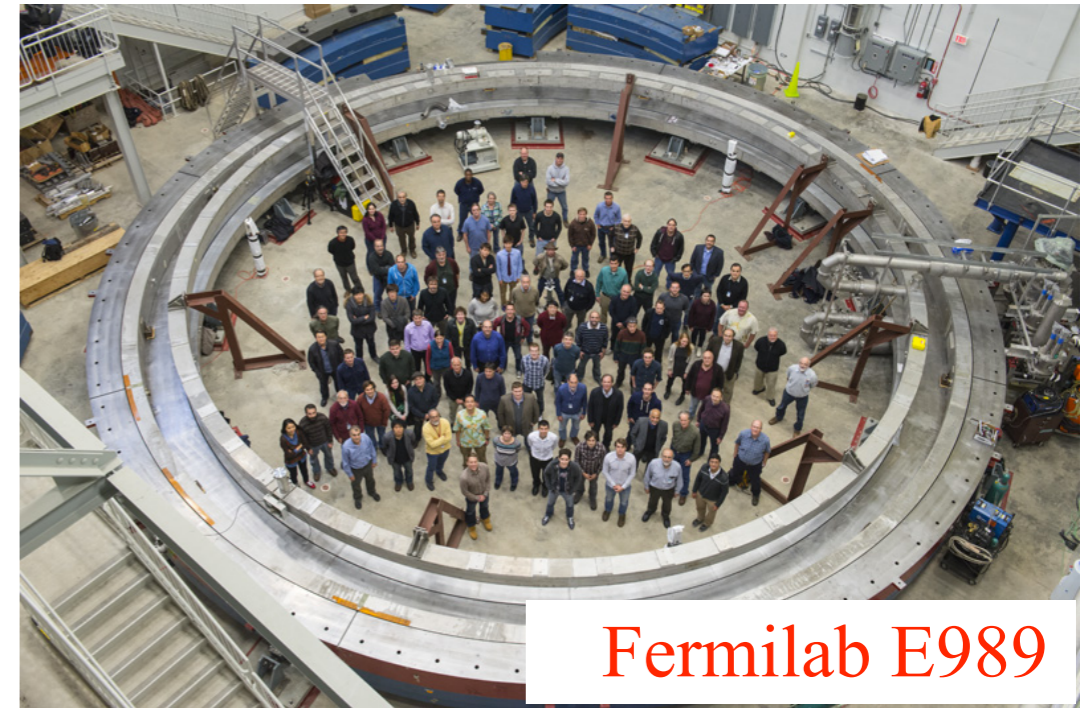
3.3 - 3.6  $\sigma$  discrepancy

D.Hertzog, 2014

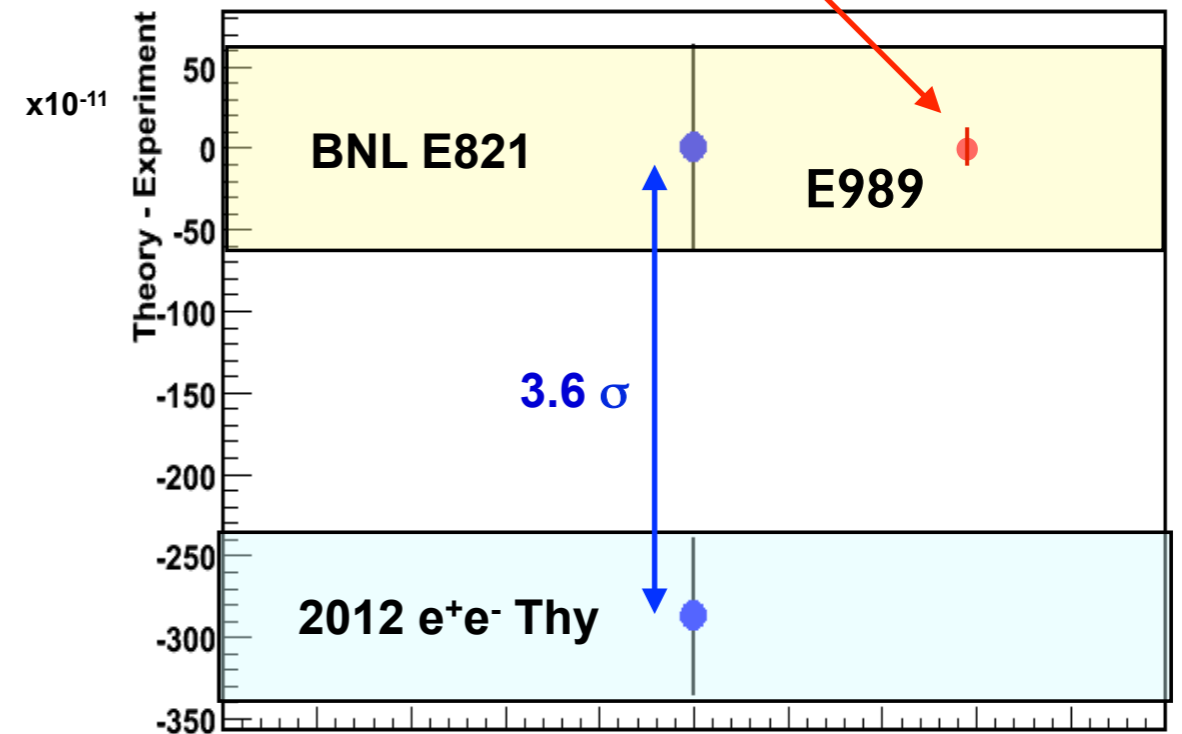
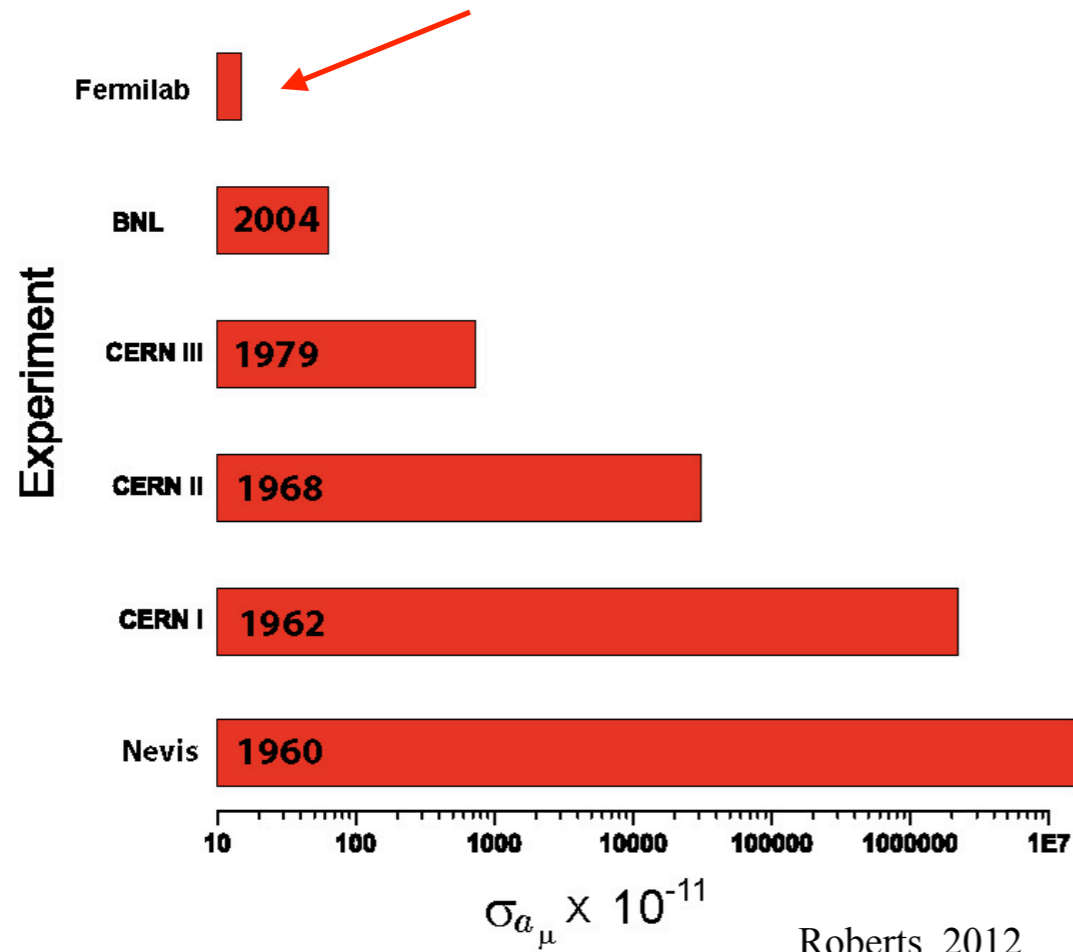
What is the origin of the discrepancy?

*Ongoing effort in the experimental community*

- Fermilab E989 experiment
- J-PARC E34 experiment

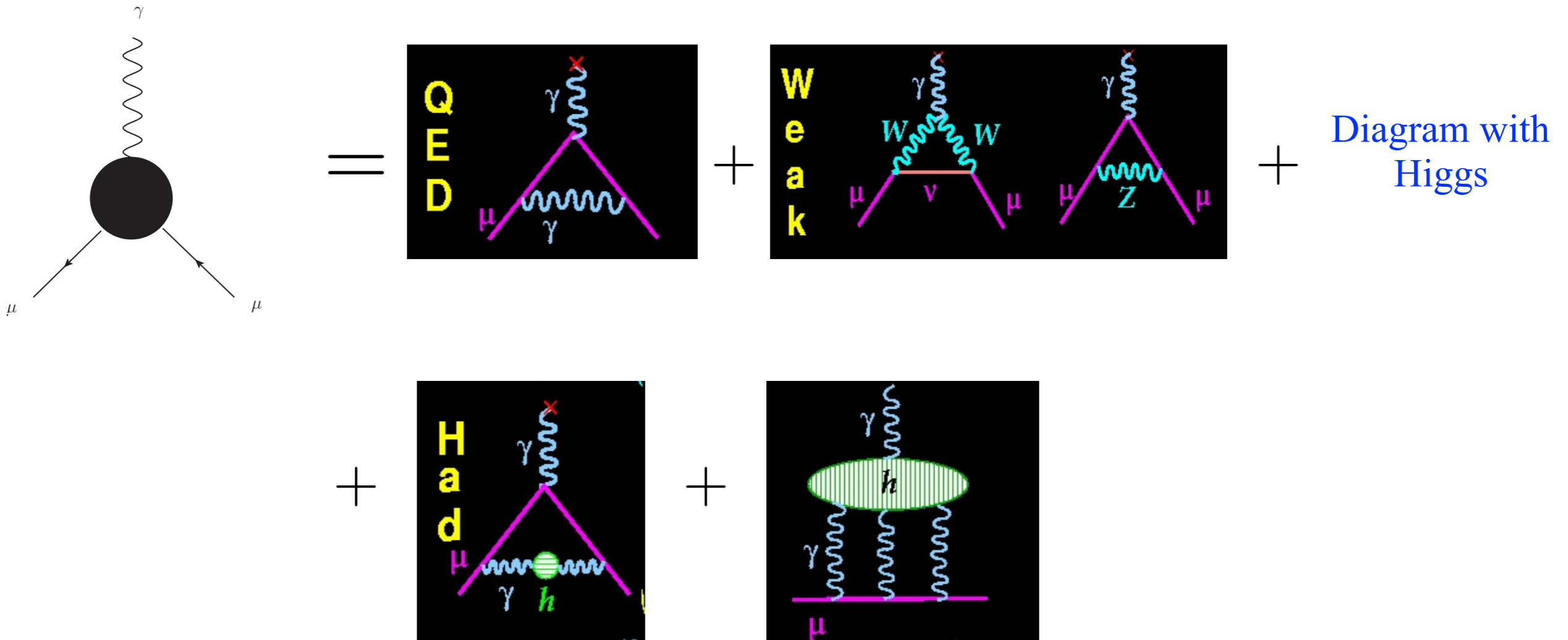


Set to decrease experimental errors by factor 40

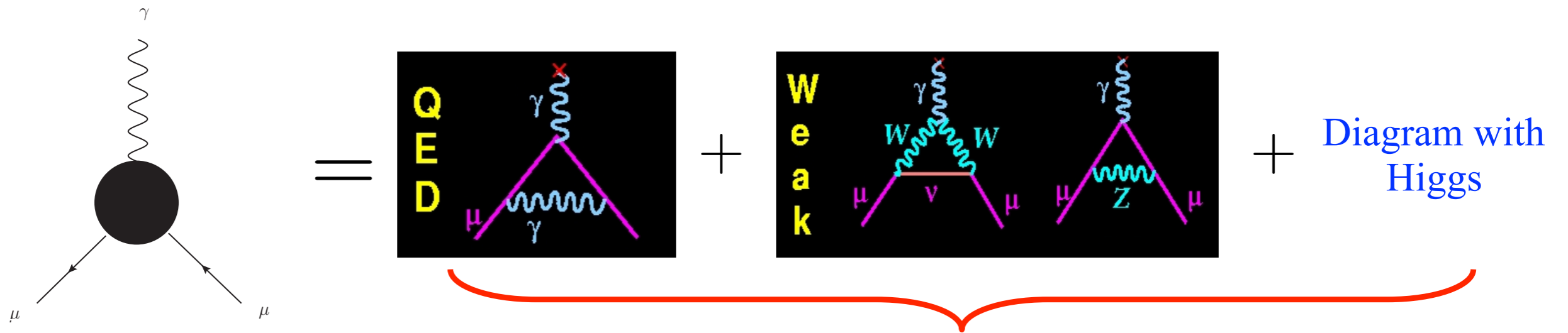


# On the Theory side

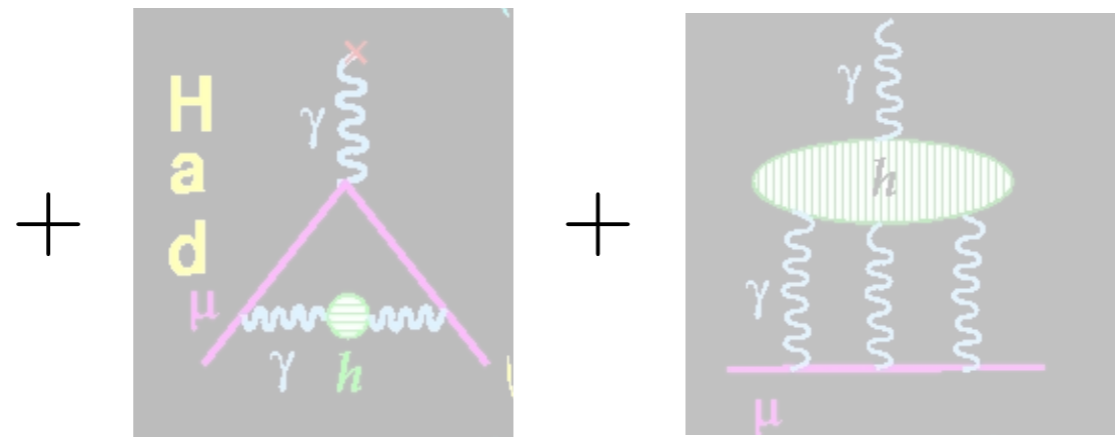
Contributions from SM:



# Contributions from SM:



QED + Electroweak Contribution: Well Known



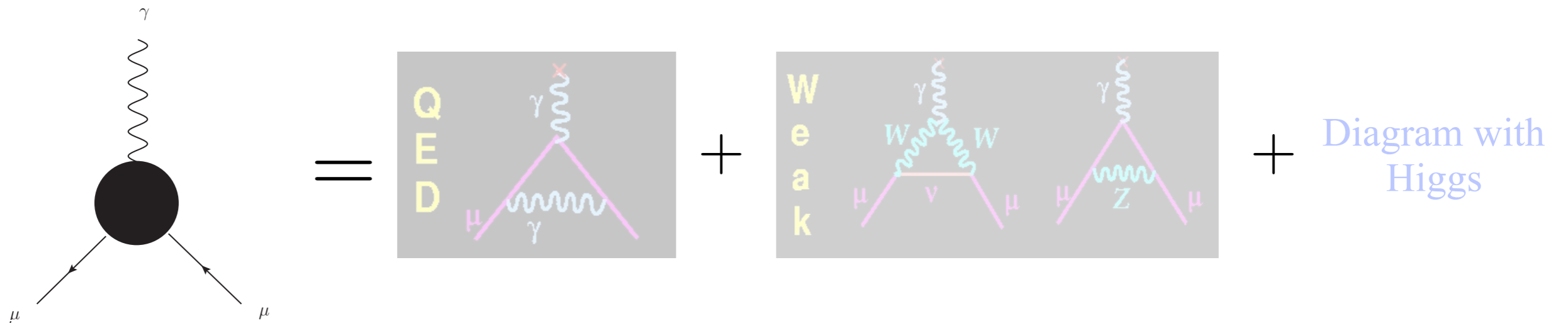
Aoyama et al: Phys.Rev.Lett. 109 (2012) 111808

Aoyama et al: Phys.Rev. D85 (2012) 033007

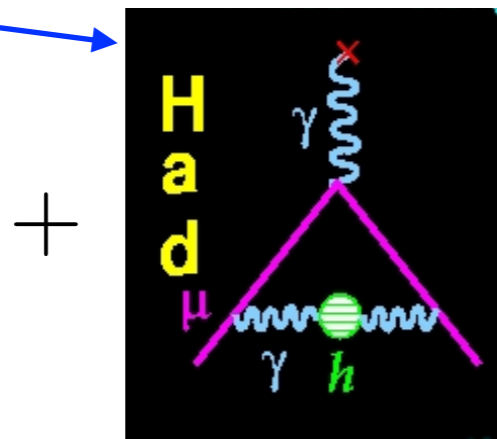
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& many others

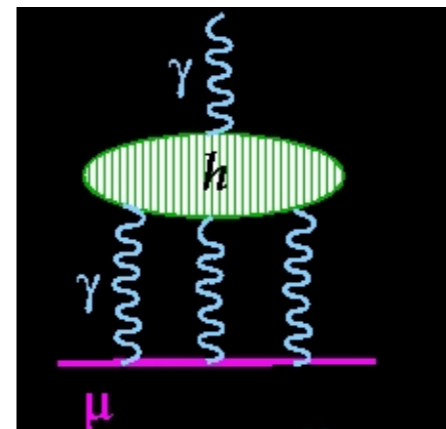
# Contributions from SM:



Hadronic vacuum polarization



Hadronic Light-by-light scattering



Davier et al., Eur.Phys.J. C71(2011) 1515

Aoyama et al: Phys.Rev. D85 (2012) 093013

HP QCD collaboration:  
PoS LATTICE2016 (2016) 377

RBC &UKQCD collaboration:  
EPJ Web Conf. 175 (2018) 01024

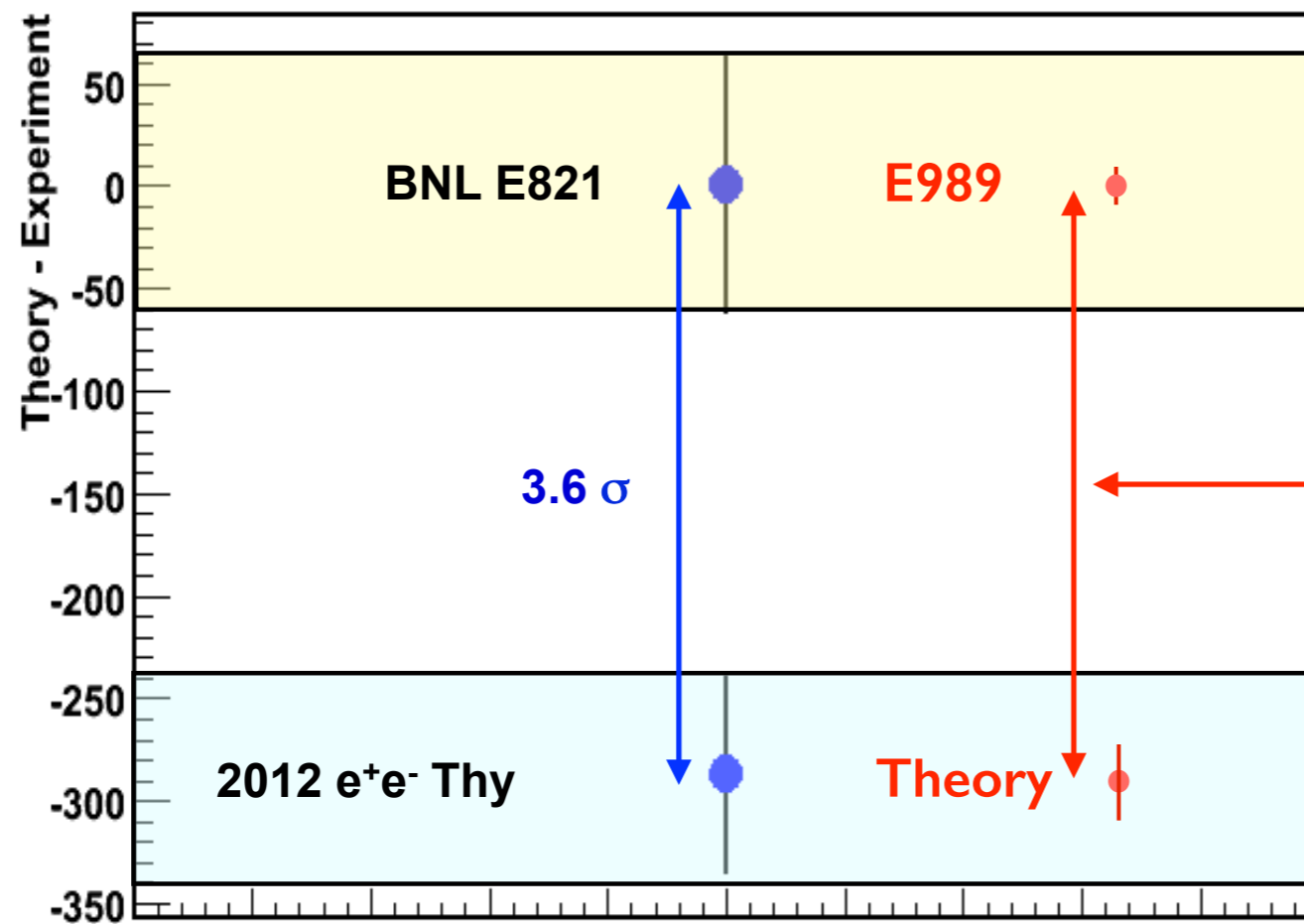
**QCD Contribution: Significant progress being made**

& many others

Numerous other high precision calculations  
by Professor Kinoshita with Collaborators & Professor Lepage  
& Collaborators

# What does it all mean?

3.6 $\sigma$  simply not enough to celebrate  
New Physics



More precise measurement and  
Significant reduction  
theory uncertainty could mean  
New Physics contribution



What possible BSM physics might be responsible  
for this Anomaly?

There are many theories to consider ...

# Focus for this talk: **Dark Photon** $A'$

Massive gauge boson in  $U(1)'$  extension of SM

$$\mathcal{L} \supset \epsilon F^{\mu\nu} F'_{\mu\nu} + \frac{m_{A'}}{2} A'_\mu A'^\mu + \underbrace{\bar{\psi}_D i\gamma_\mu D^\mu \psi_D}_{\text{Coupling to}} + \underbrace{\epsilon \bar{\psi}_{sm} i\gamma_\mu D^\mu \psi_{sm}}_{\text{Coupling to visible}}$$

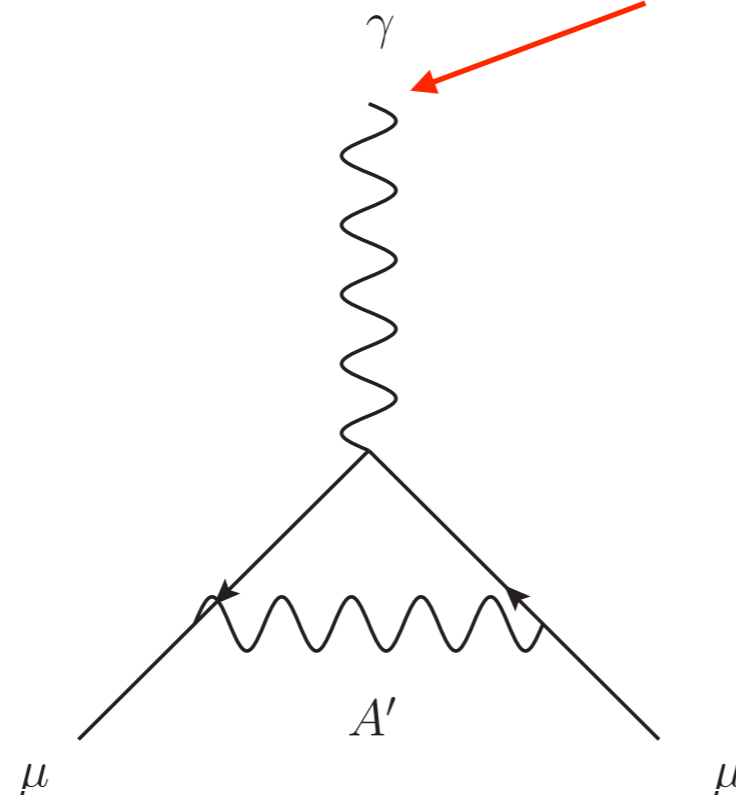
**Kinetic mixing with SM photon**

**Coupling to**

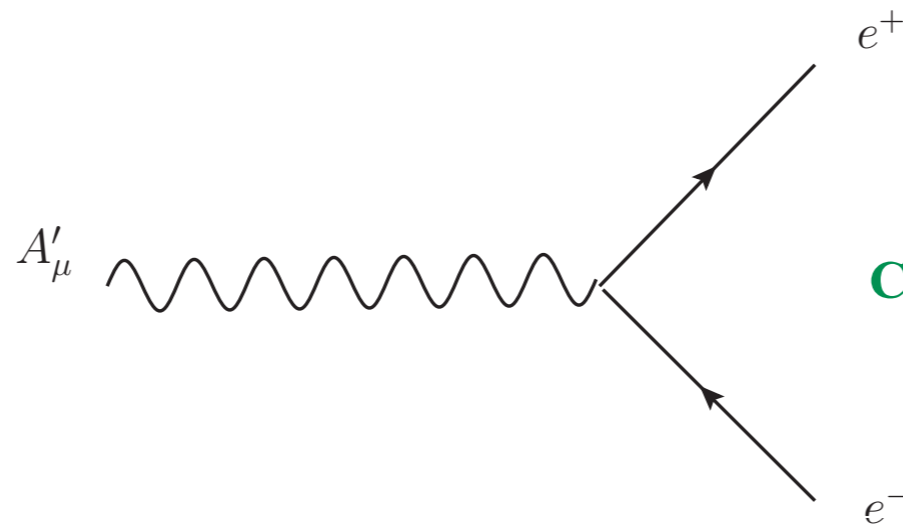
**Coupling to visible**

$$D_\mu = \partial_\mu + ig_D A'_\mu$$

**Contribution to g-2**



$$\Delta a_\mu = \frac{\alpha \epsilon^2}{2\pi} \int_0^1 dz \frac{2z(1-z)^2}{(1-z)^2 + (m_{A'}/m_\mu)^2 z}$$

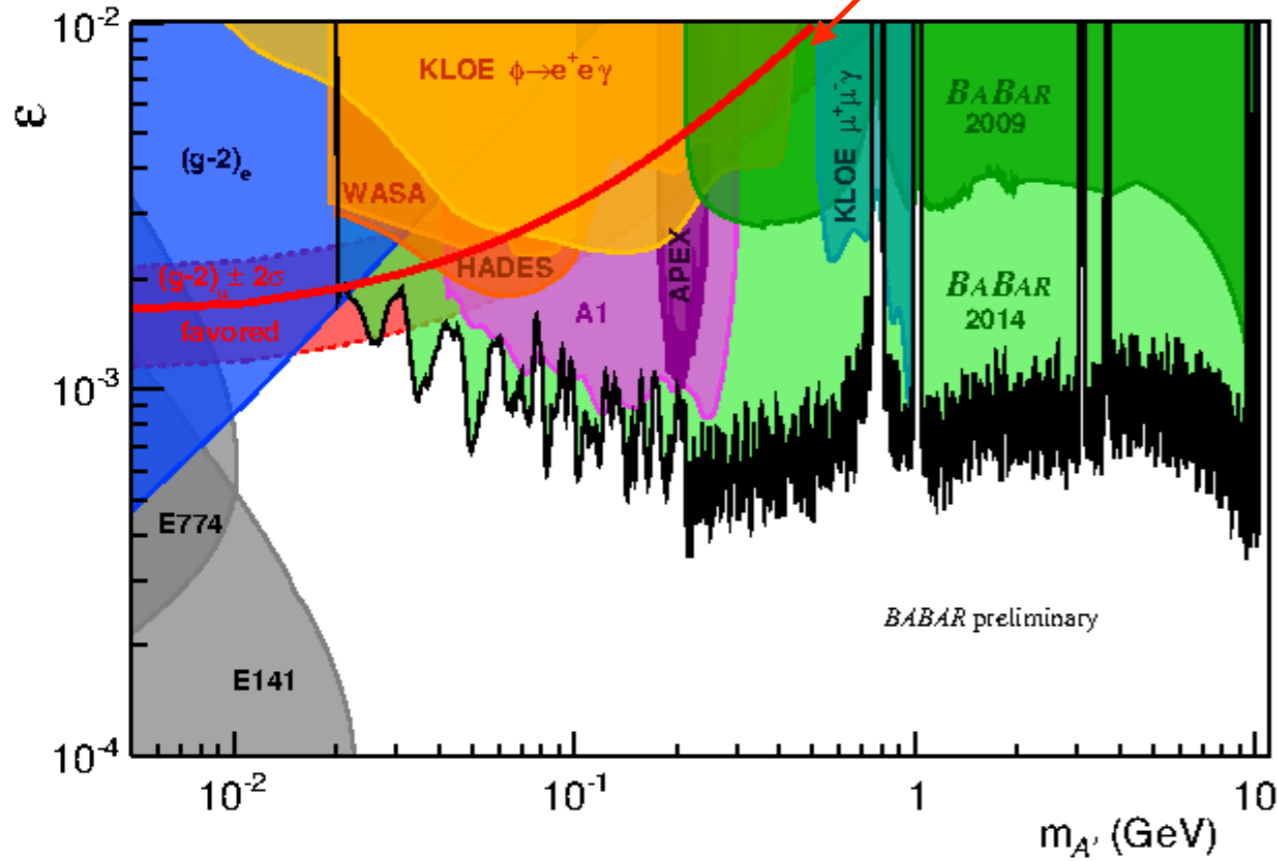


$$\epsilon \bar{\psi}_{sm} i \gamma_{\mu} D^{\mu} \psi_{sm}$$

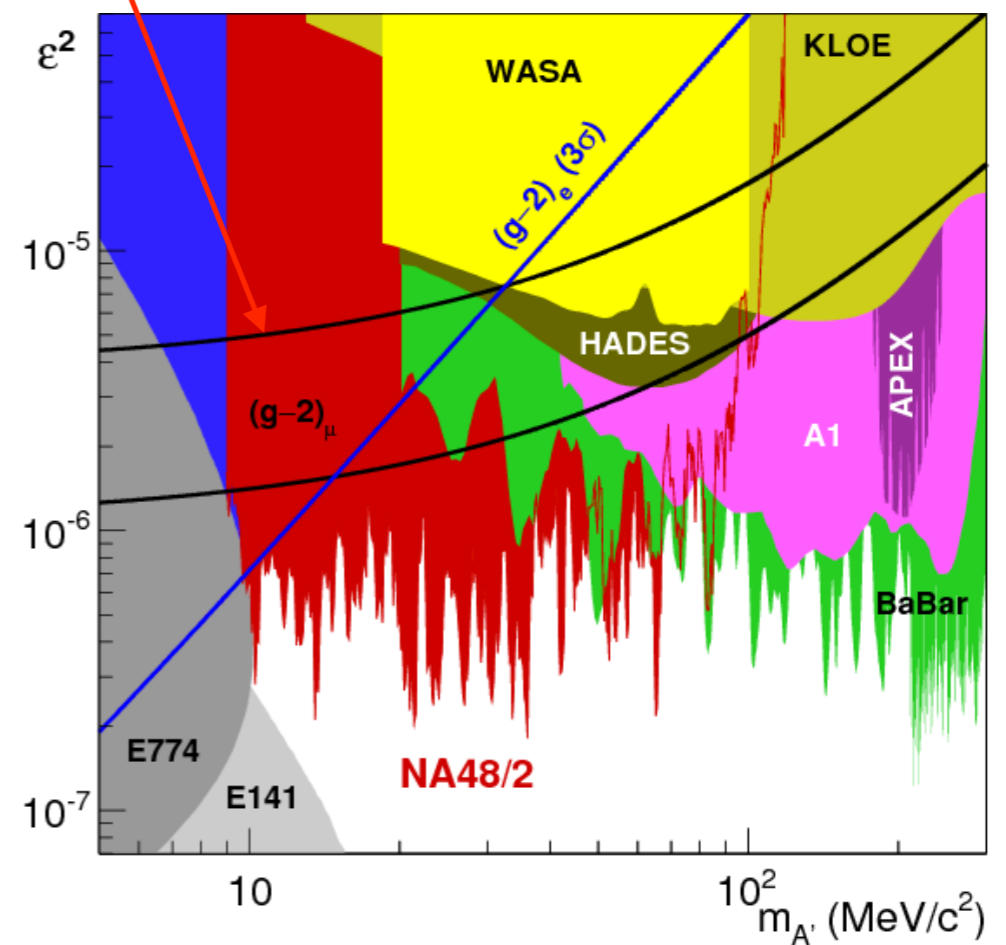
Coupling to visible sector been searched for

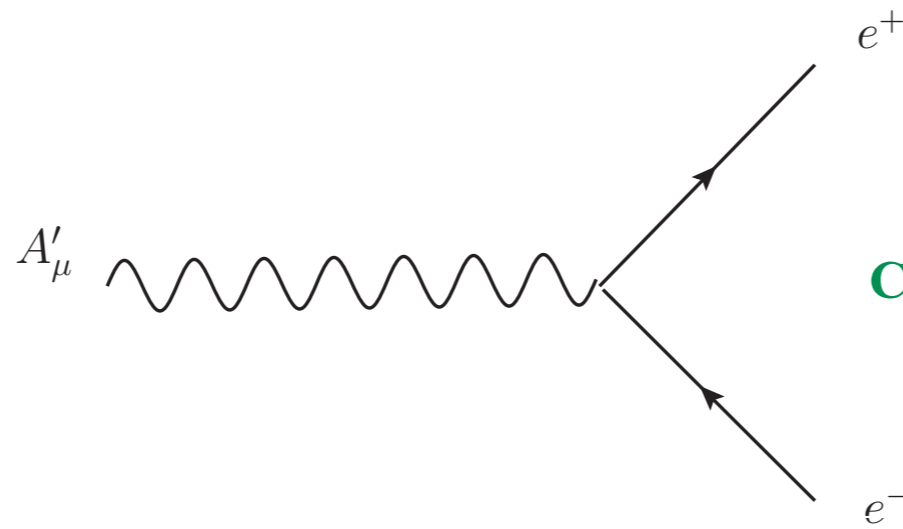
Favored to explain muon g-2

BABAR collaboration: Phys.Rev.Lett. 113 (2014) no.20, 201801



NA 48 collaboration: Phys.Lett. B746 (2015) 178-185



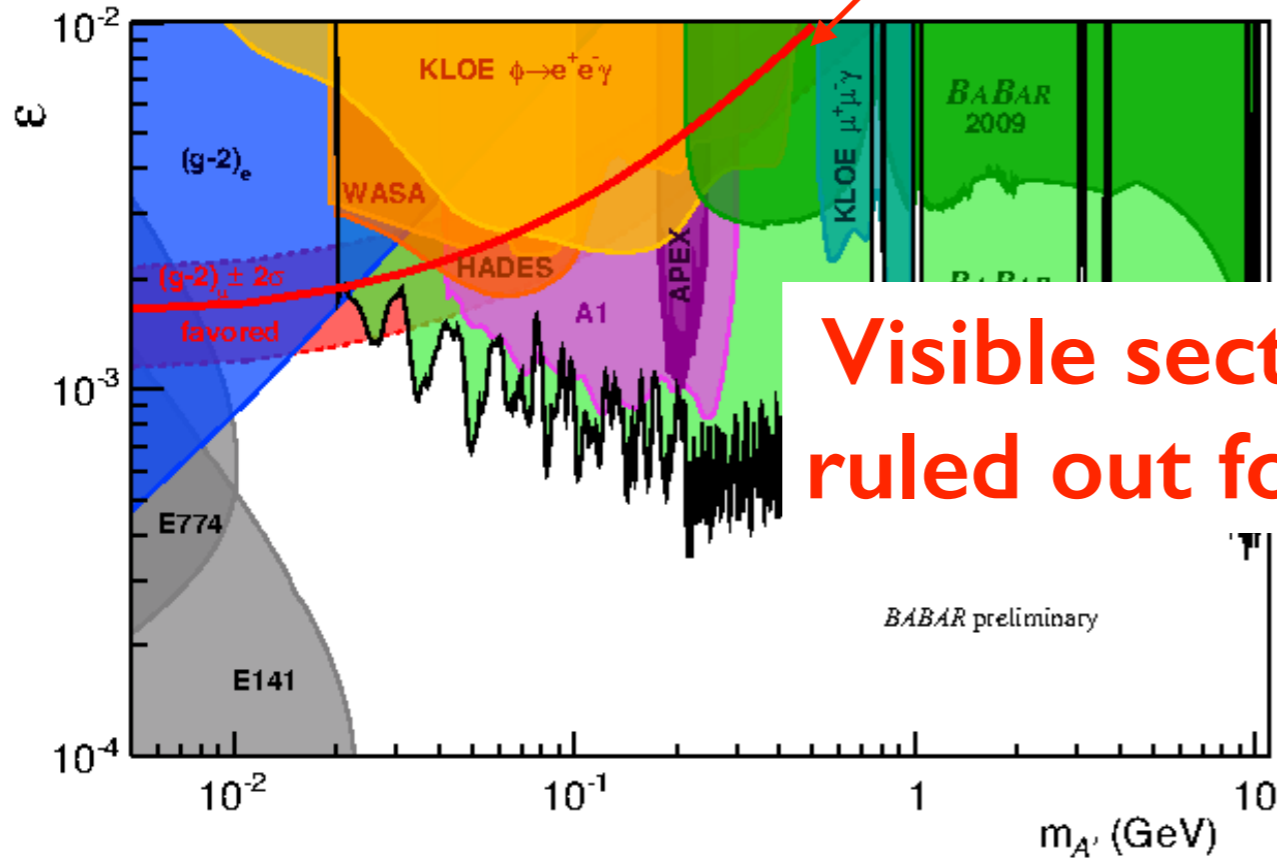


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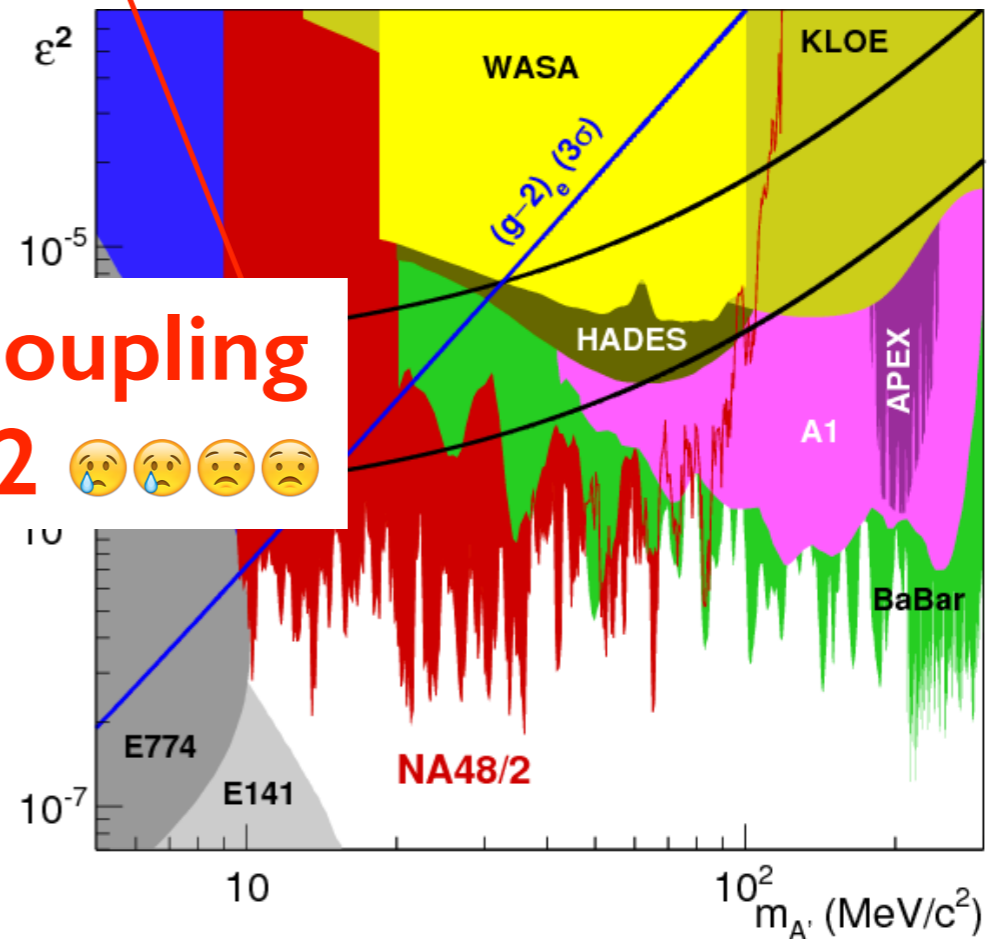
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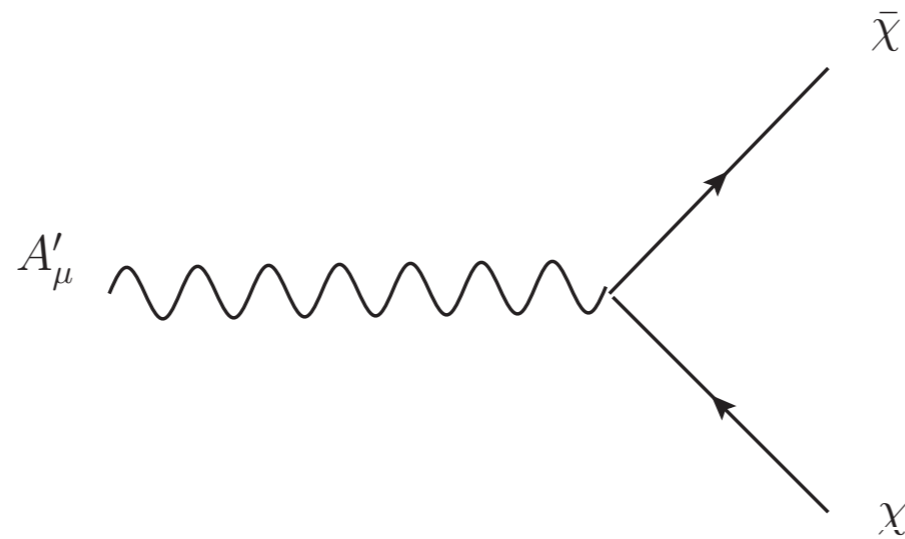


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Visible sector coupling ruled out for g-2 😞😞😞😞

*There is still hope*

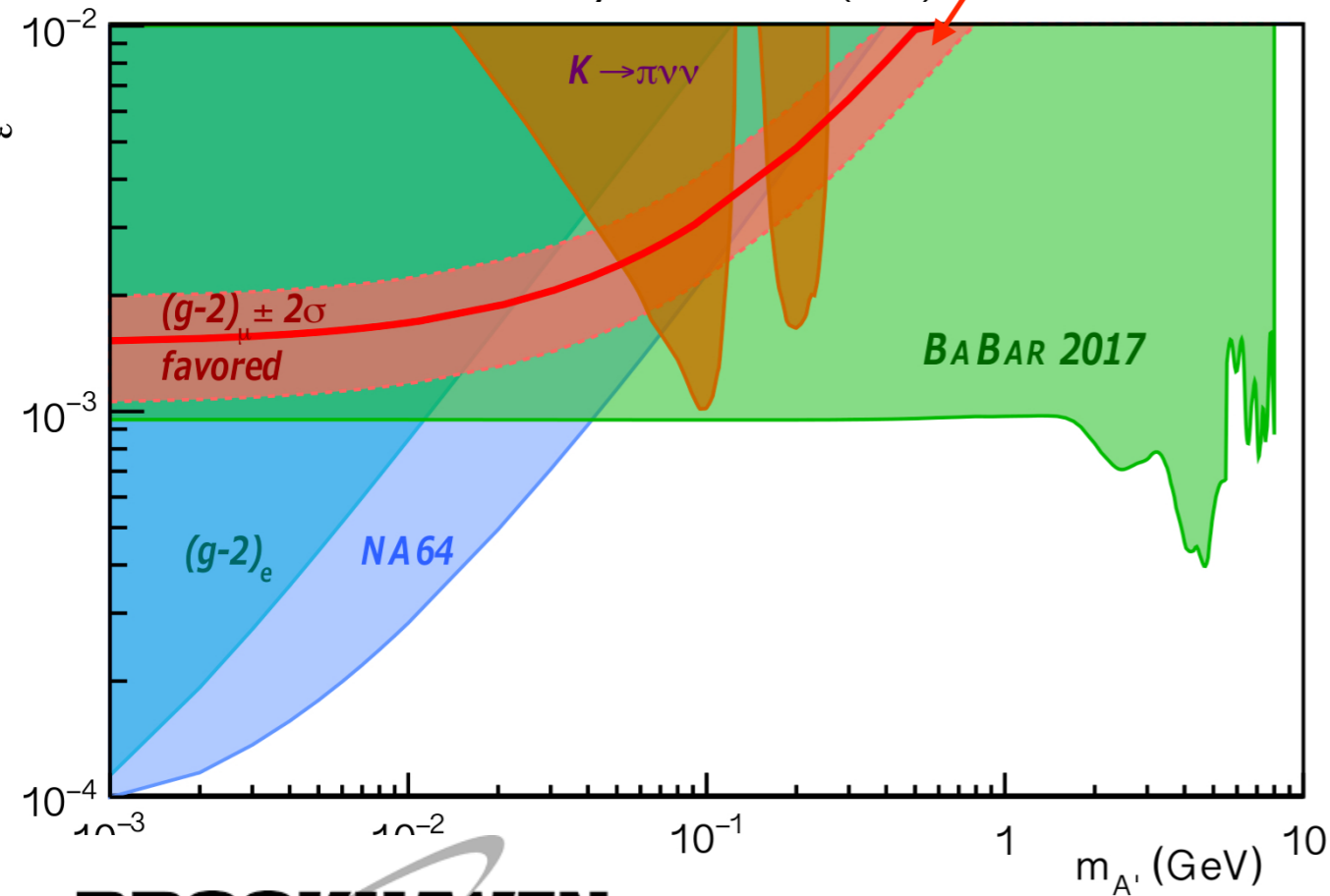


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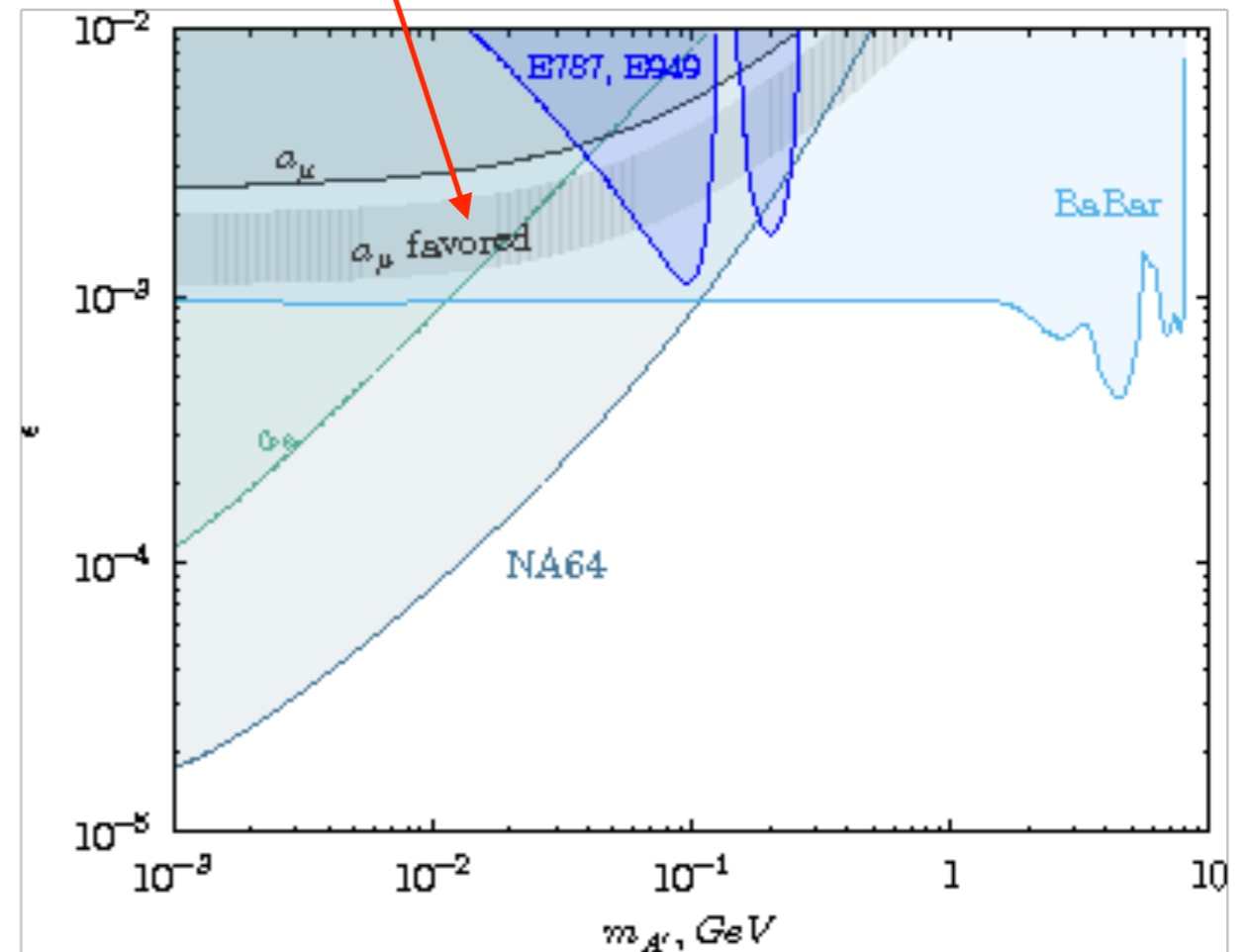
Look for coupling to sector

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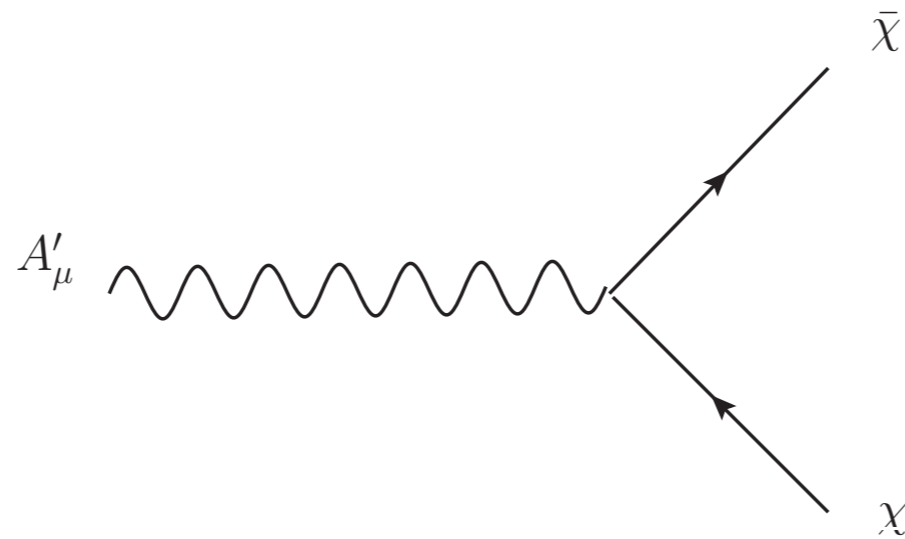
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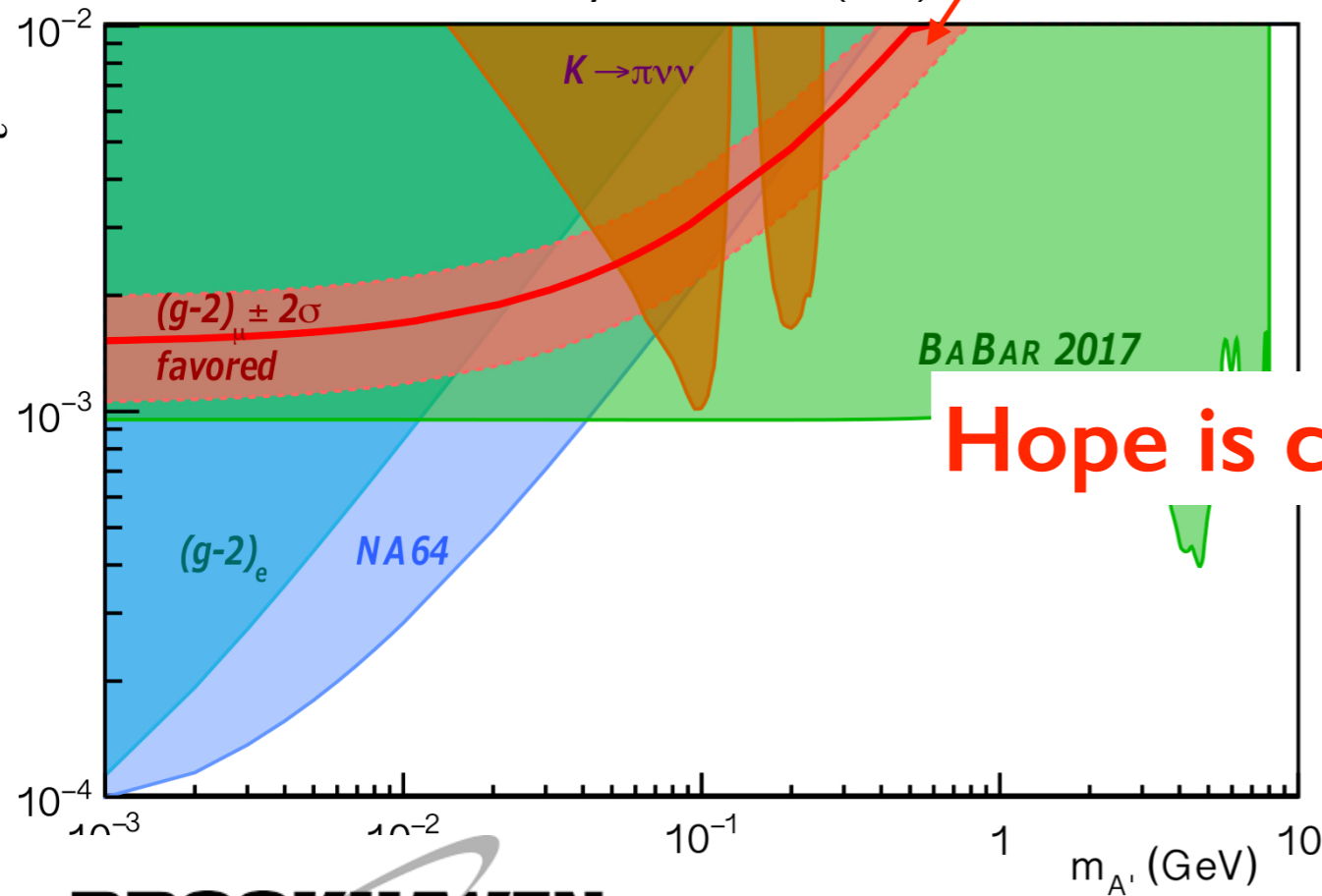


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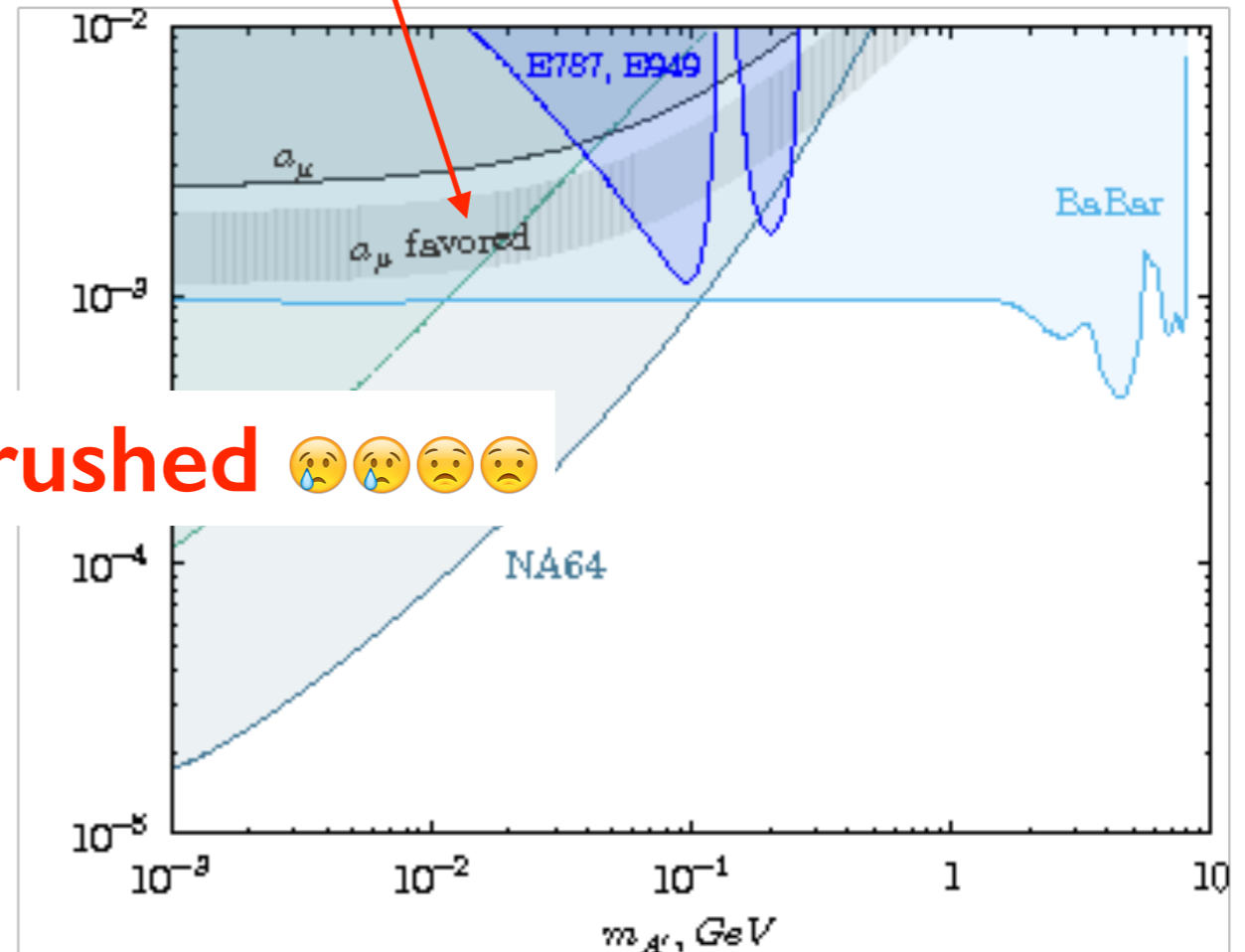
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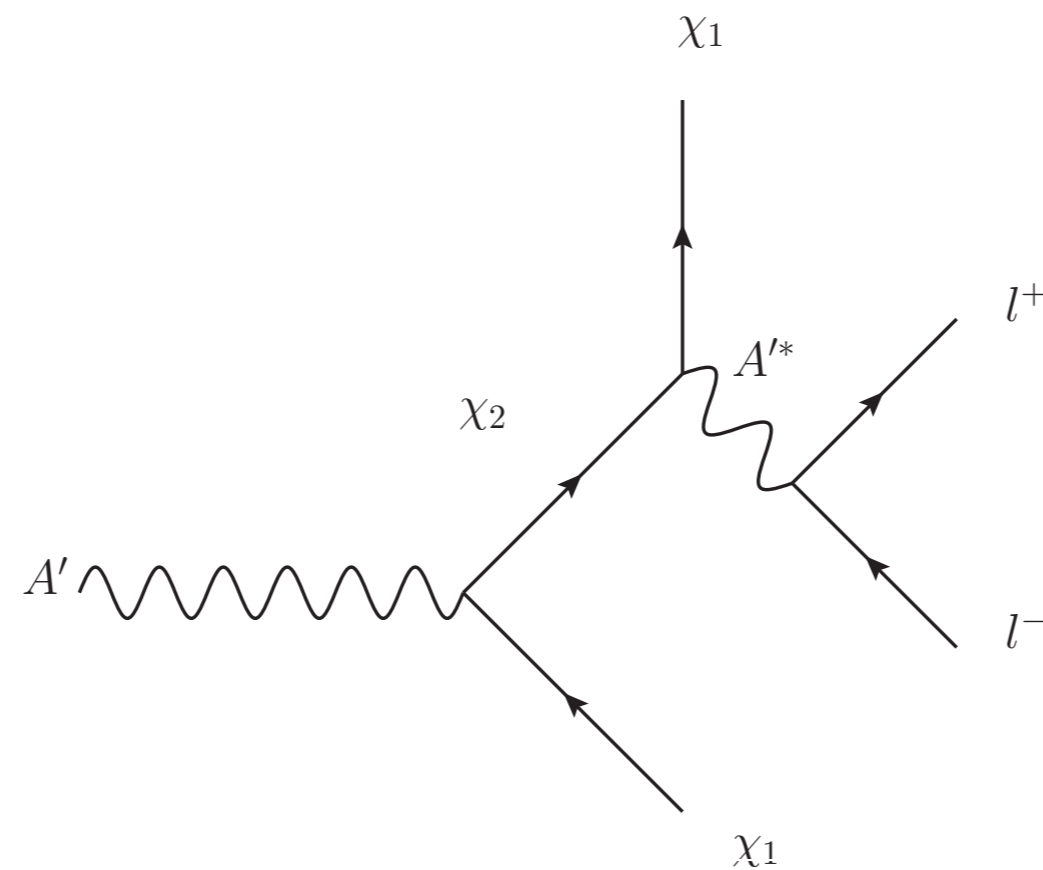
Hope is crushed 😞😞😞😞

# Pseudo-Dirac Dark Fermions $\chi_1$ & $\chi_2$

with coupling  $\mathcal{L} \supset g_D A'_\mu \bar{\chi}_2 \gamma^\mu \chi_1 + h.c$

With mass splitting  $\Delta \equiv m_2 - m_1$

## Semi-visible Decay

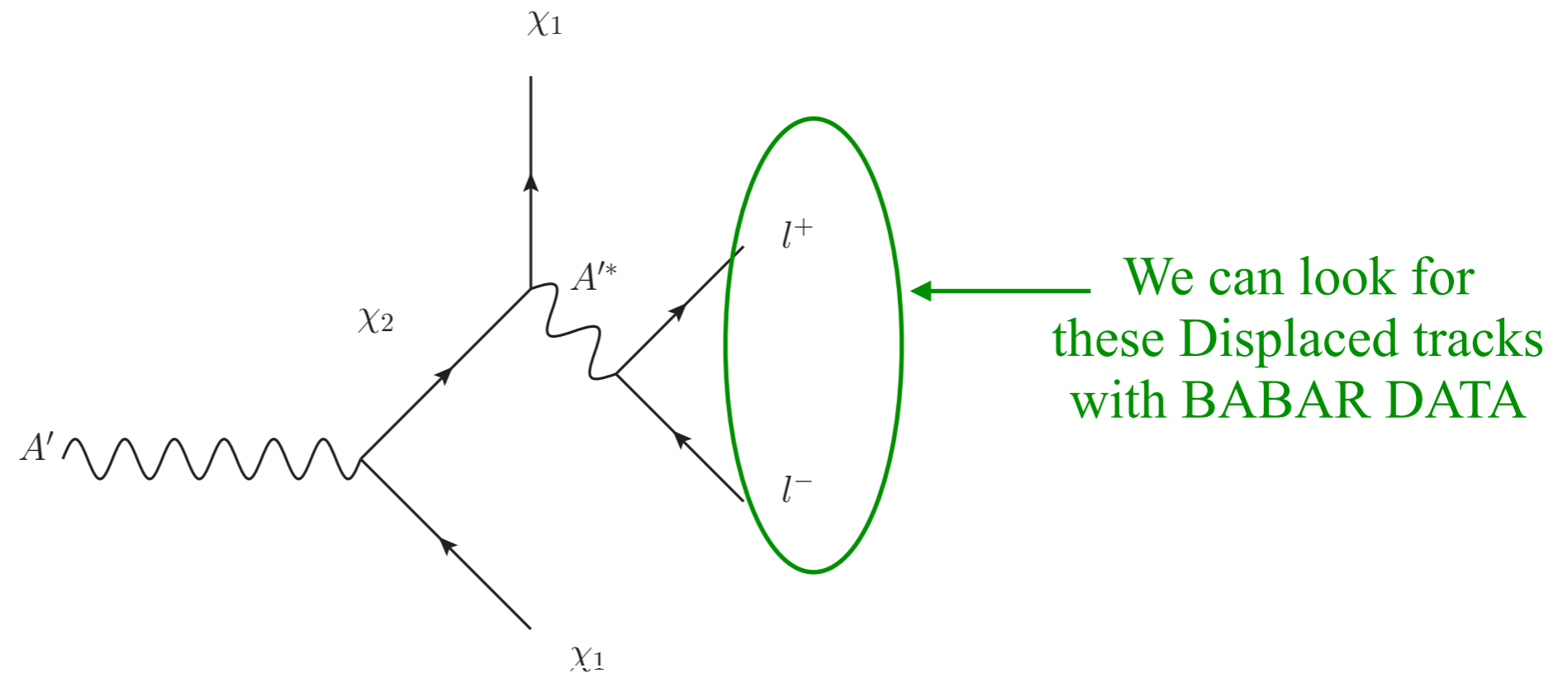


Heavier state decay into lighter state & SM states

Izaguirre, Krnjaic & Shuve: Phys.Rev. D93 (2016) no.6, 063523

New Signal with  
semi-visible decay

If  $\chi_2$  decays inside detector  $\Rightarrow$  soft displaced leptons



Its possible BABAR could have Vetoed  
these in their invisible decay search

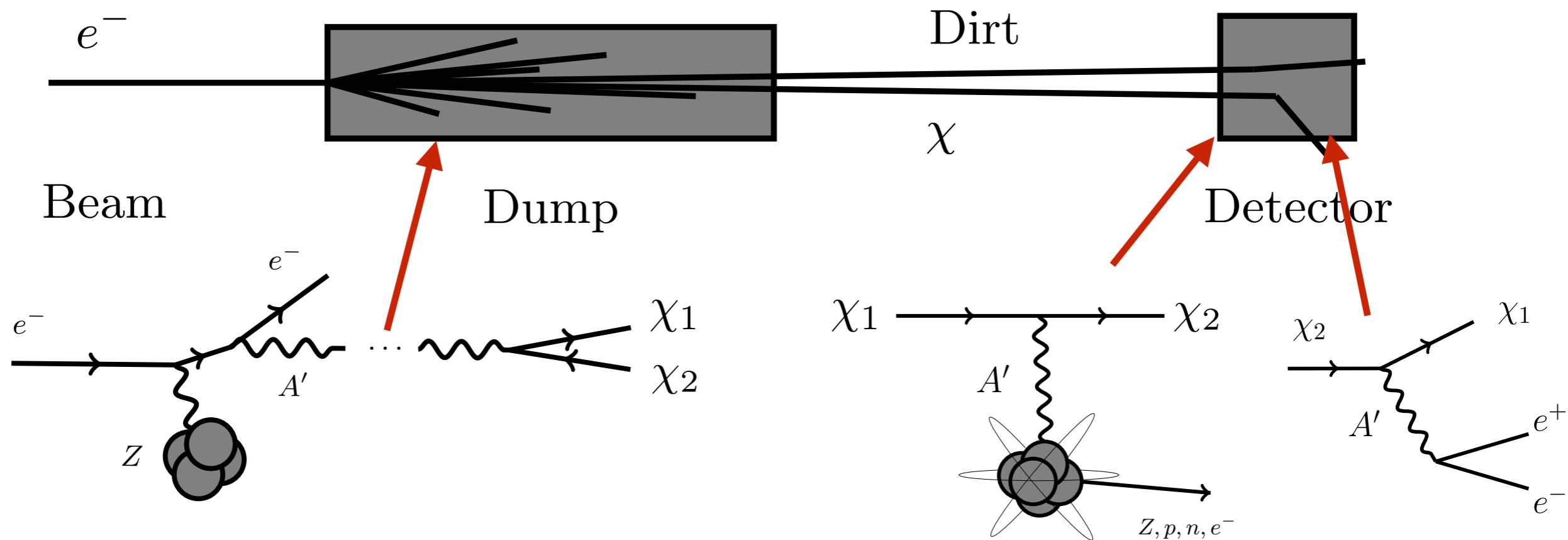
Belle II: With dedicated Mono-Photon Trigger, Search for Invisible  
& Semi-Visible events



Where can we search for this NP?

# Signatures @ Electron Beam Dumps

(quasi) elastic scattering & decays



$A'$  production modes

- Dark Bremsstrahlung

E137 (SLAC 1988)

$E \sim 20$  GeV,  $1e20$  EOT

$\sim 400$  m baseline, no BG

BDX (JLab 2020?)

$E \sim 11$  GeV,  $1e22$  EOT

$\sim 20$  m baseline, few BG evts.

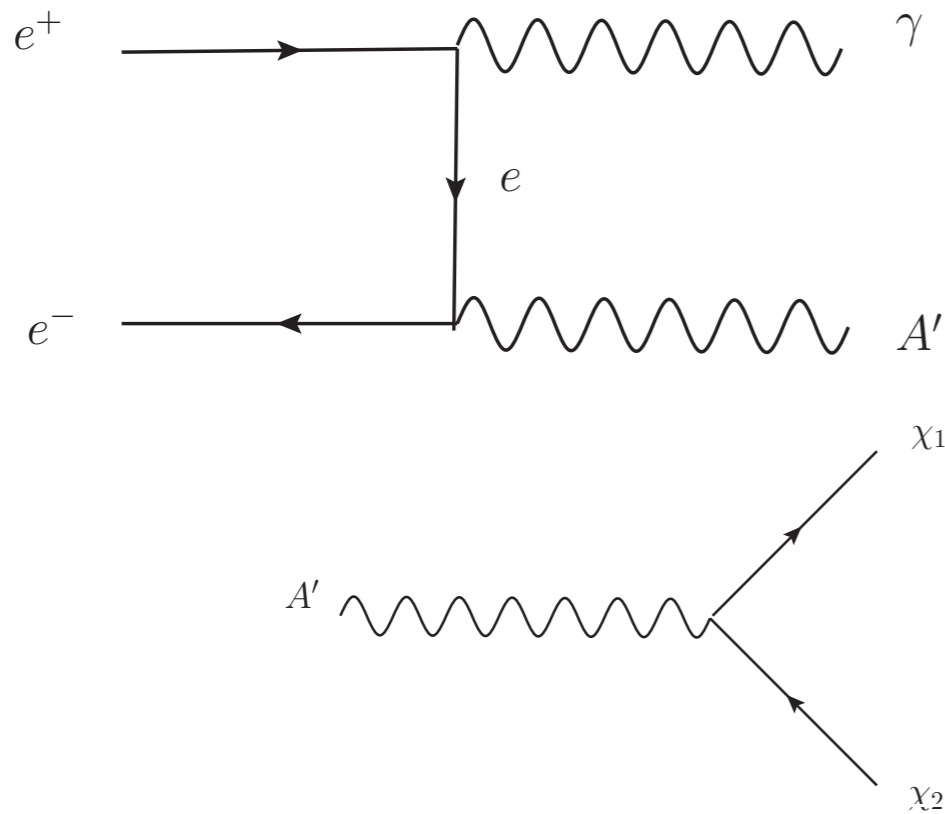
E137 Recast : Batell, Essig, Zurjuron 1406.2698

BDX: Izaguirre, Krnjaic, Schuster, Toro 1307.6554

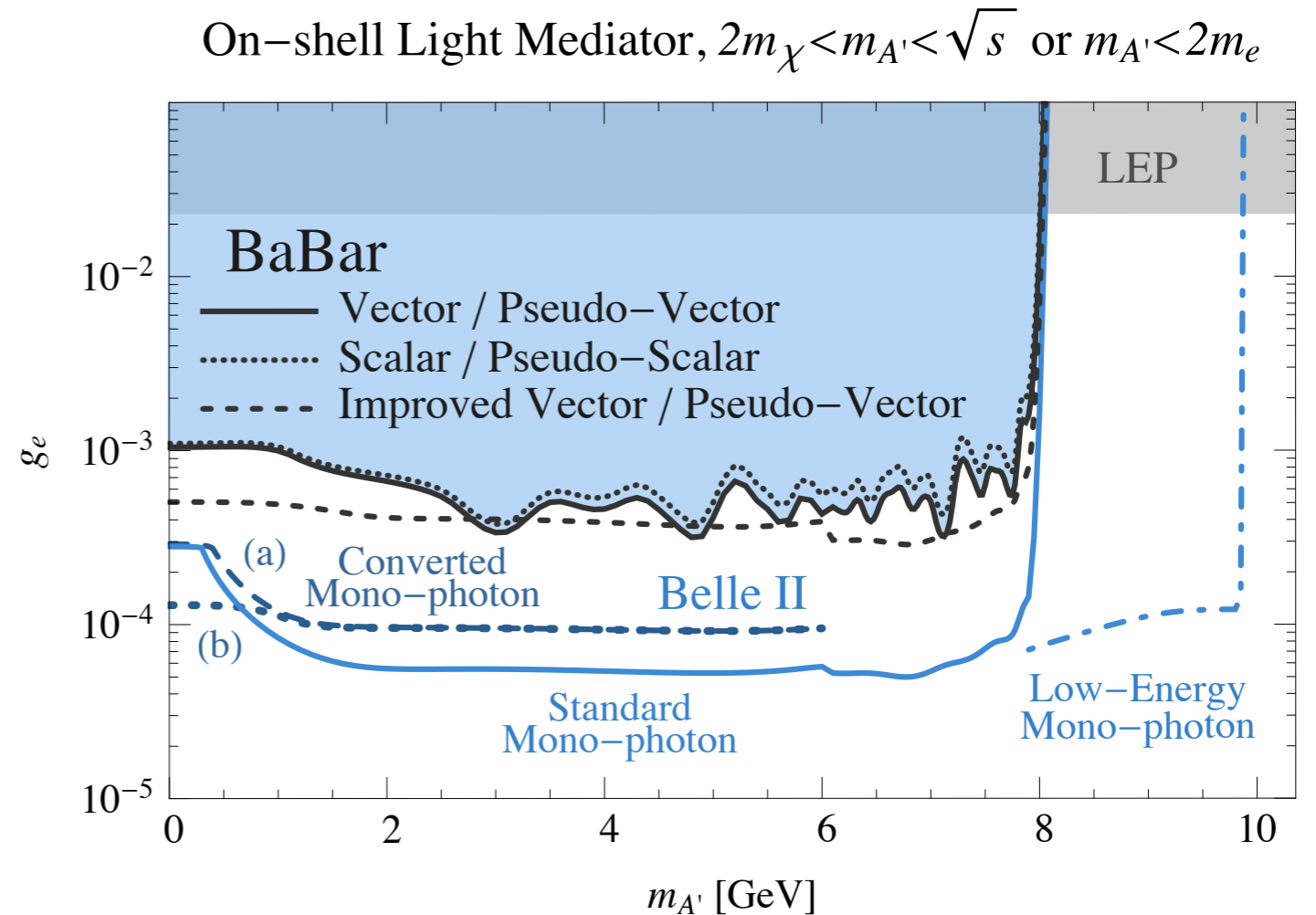
BDX Collaboration 1607.01390

# Signatures @ B-Factories

mono photon + missing energy



Signatures from displaced vertices and/or missing energy



Essig, Mardon, Papucci, Volansky Zhong 1309.5084

**BABAR**

$E \sim 10.5$  GeV

$L \sim 53$  fb<sup>-1</sup>

**BELLE II**

$E \sim 11$  GeV

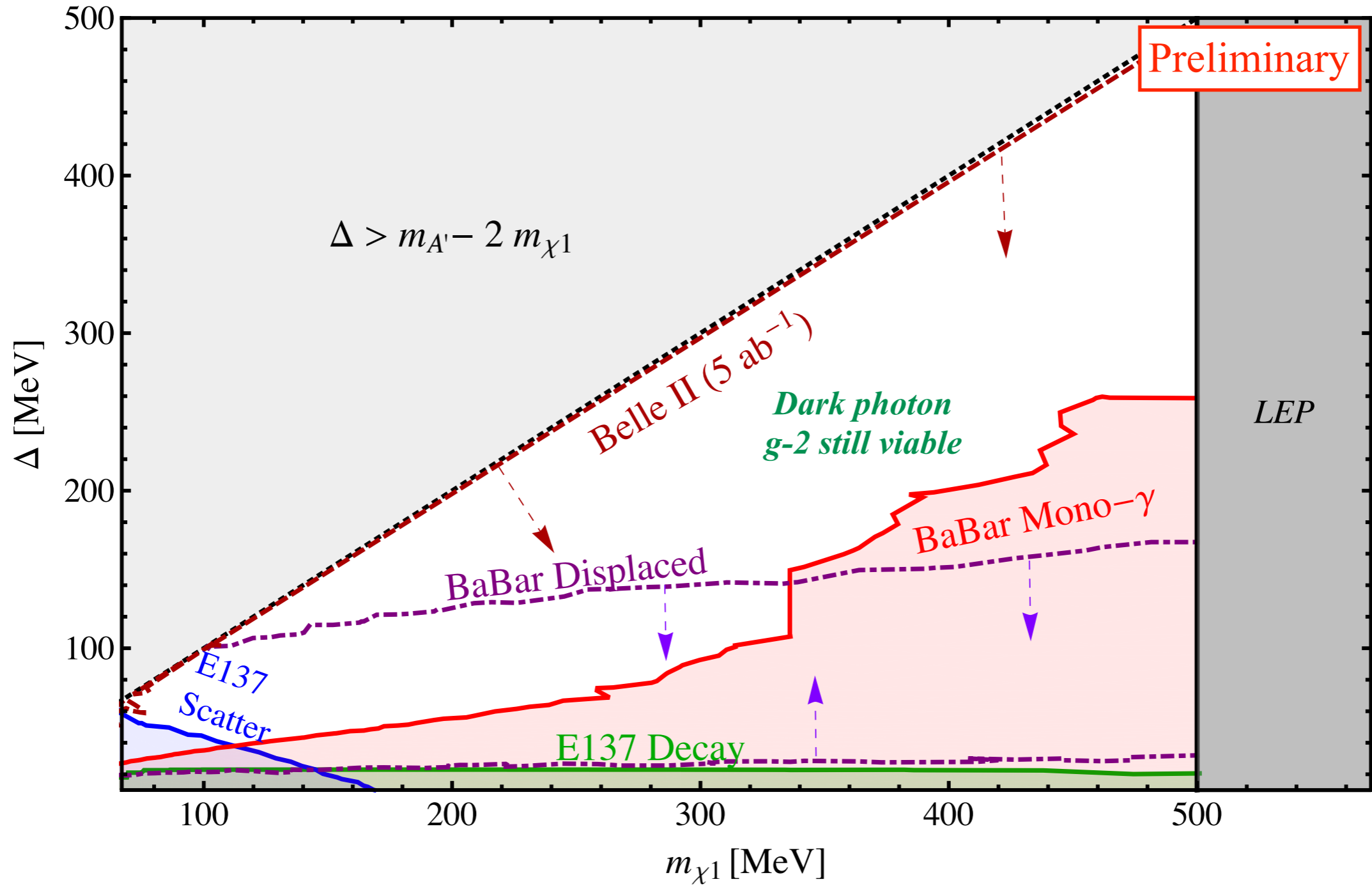
$L \sim 50$  ab<sup>-1</sup> by 2025

Izaguirre, Krnjaic, Schuster, Toro 1307.6554

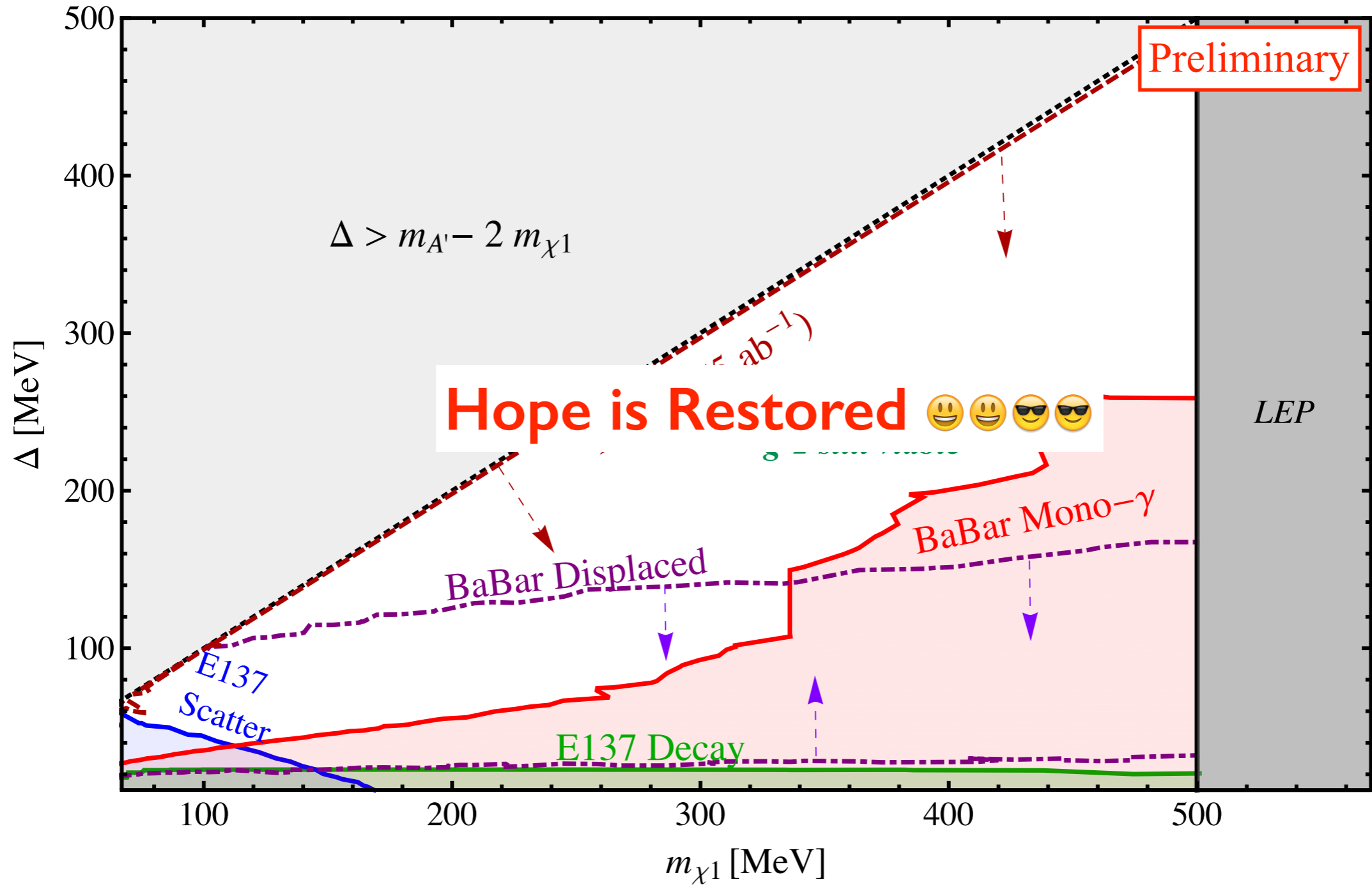
# Results

For what splitting can we still explain g-2

$$m_{A'} = 3 m_{\chi_1}, \epsilon_{g-2}, \alpha_D = 0.1$$



$$m_{A'} = 3 m_{\chi_1}, \epsilon_{g-2}, \alpha_D = 0.1$$



# *Conclusions*

- Is the Dark Photon Contribution to muon  $g-2$  completely dead, dead?

**Most Certainly NOT**

- Semi-Visible decay channel opens up narrow parameter space in which to search for Signal
- BABAR & Belle II should search for this signal

**Why am I so excited about this?**

If nothing is found, we would kill the dark photon contribution to  $g-2$  dead dead.

**Definite Progress**

*Thanks for your Attention*



*Back up Slides*

**In fact:** anomalous magnetic moment of the electron  
is one of the most precisely calculated and  
measured quantities in nature.

**Theory:** Calculated up to 10th order in QED

Aoyama, Hayakama, Kinoshita & Nio:  
PRL 109 (2012) 111808

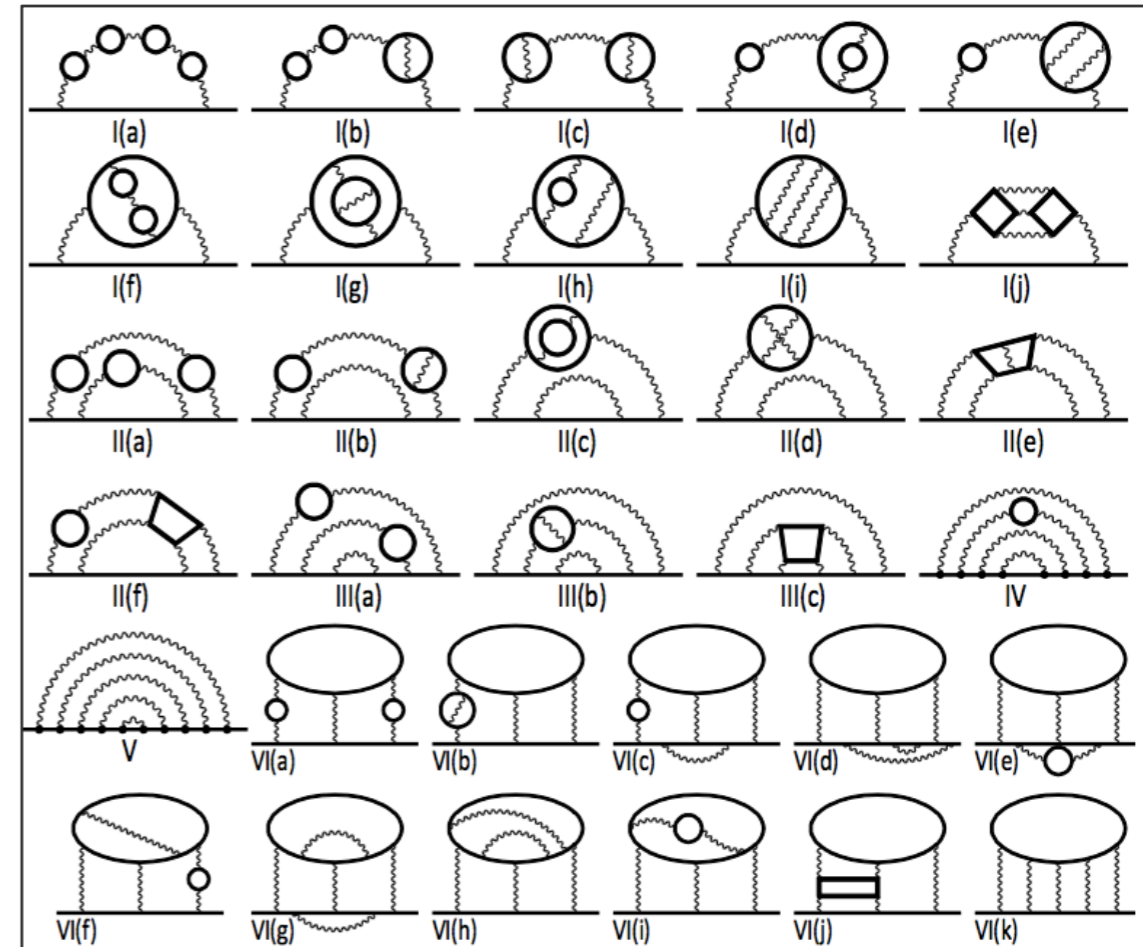
$$a_e^{SM} = 1.159652182032(13) \times 10^{-3}$$

**Experiment:** Measured with very high  
precision at Harvard using cylindrical  
Penning trap

$$a_e^{exp} = 1.15965218073(28) \times 10^{-3}$$

measured to (0.24 ppb)

Hanneke, Fogwell, Gabrielse, PRL 100 (2008) 120801

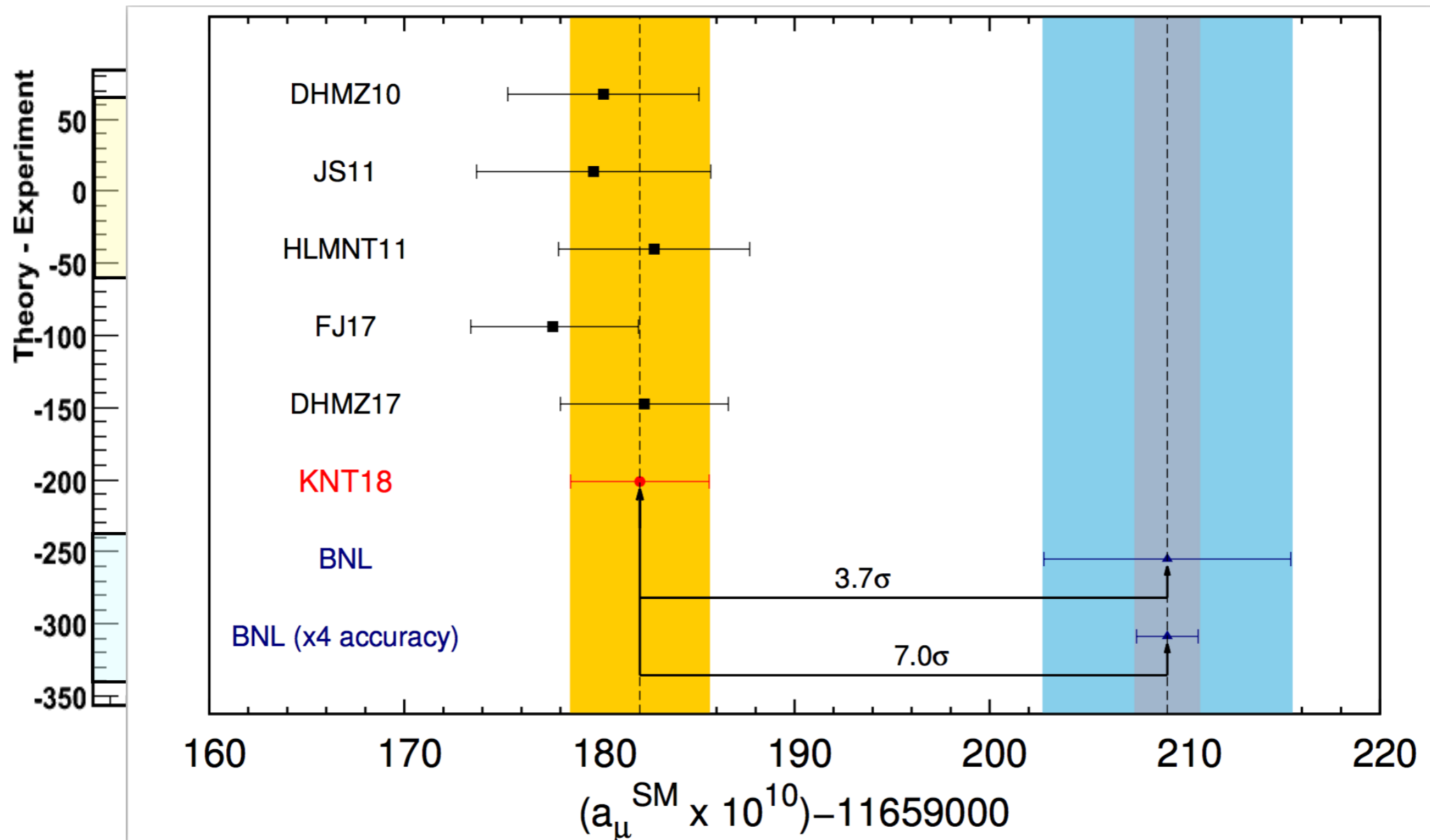


$$\begin{aligned} \Delta a_e &\equiv a_e^{exp} - a_e^{SM} \\ &= -1.3 \pm 0.77 \times 10^{-12} \end{aligned}$$

Aoyama et al, Phys.Rev. D97 (2018) no.3, 036001

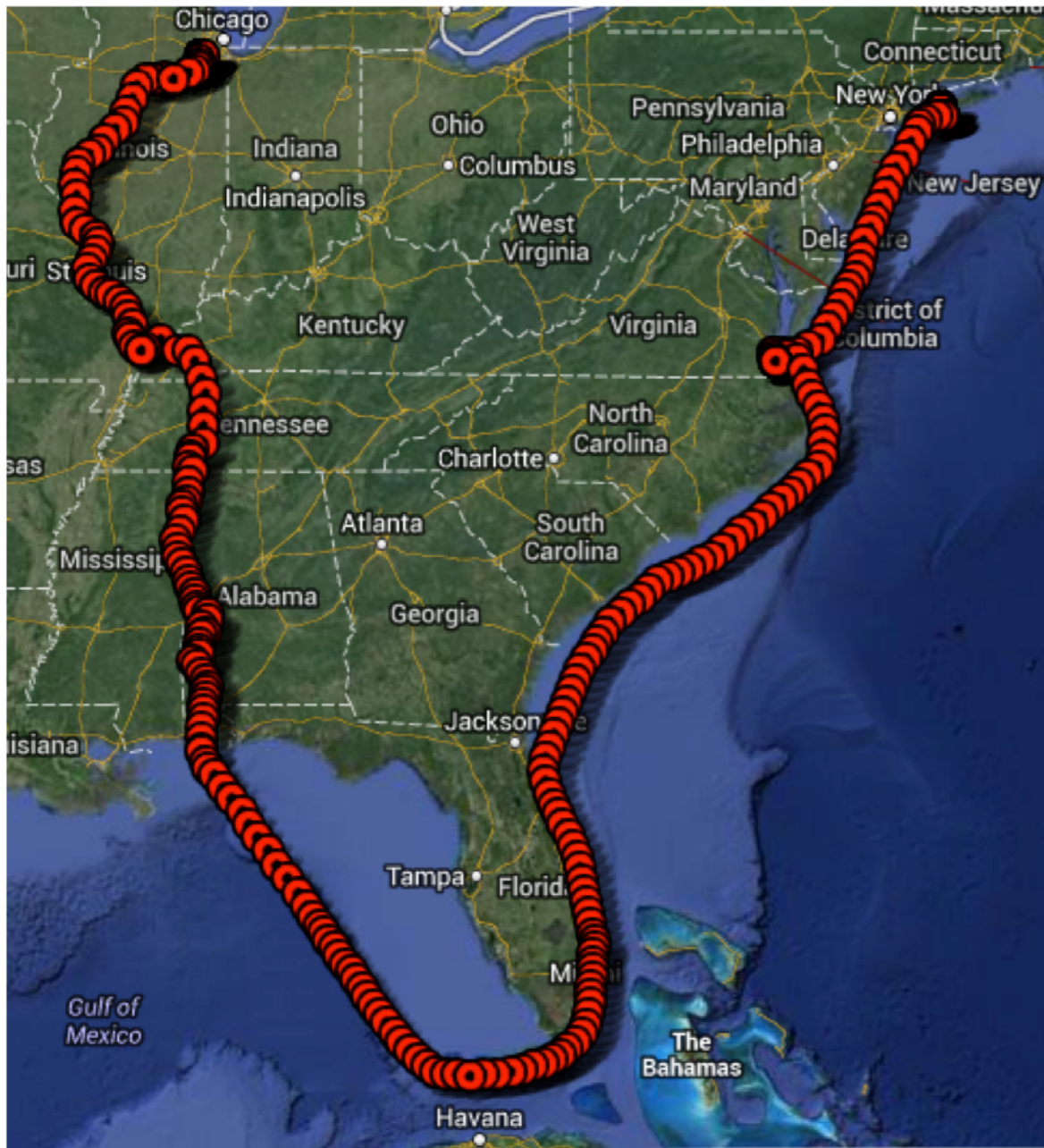
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# Transport of the muon g-2 storage ring

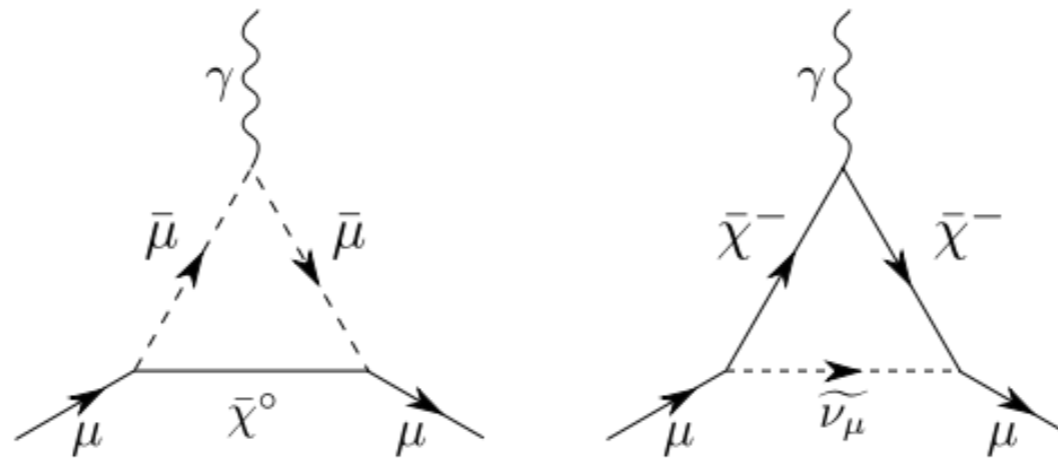


# *If New Physics Shows up this way, what could it be?*

Many viable scenarios have been considered  
Including:

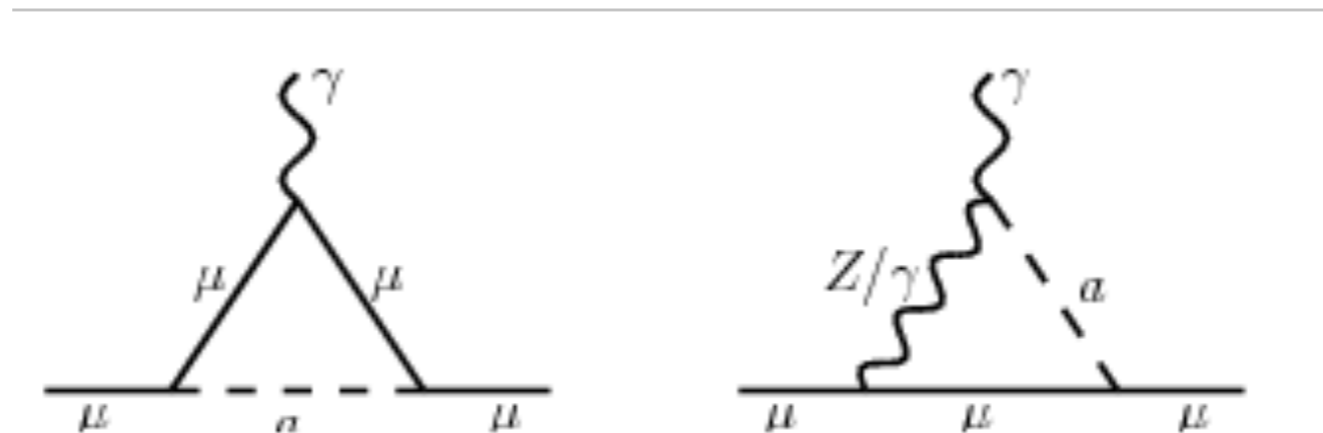
- Supersymmetry:

Czarnecki & Marciano, Phys.Rev. D64 (2001) 013014



- Axion like particle:

Bauer, Neubert & Thamm, Phys.Rev.Lett. 119 (2017) no.3, 031802



And many more...

*Turns out there could still be more hope*

Look to the dark sector for help

Consider Dirac Spinor:  $\psi_D = (\eta \quad \xi^\dagger)$  s.t.  $\bar{\psi}_D \gamma^\mu \psi_D = \eta^\dagger \bar{\sigma}^\mu \eta - \xi^\dagger \bar{\sigma}^\mu \xi$

In limit where Majorana masses smaller than Dirac mass  $\longrightarrow$  Off-Diagonal couplings

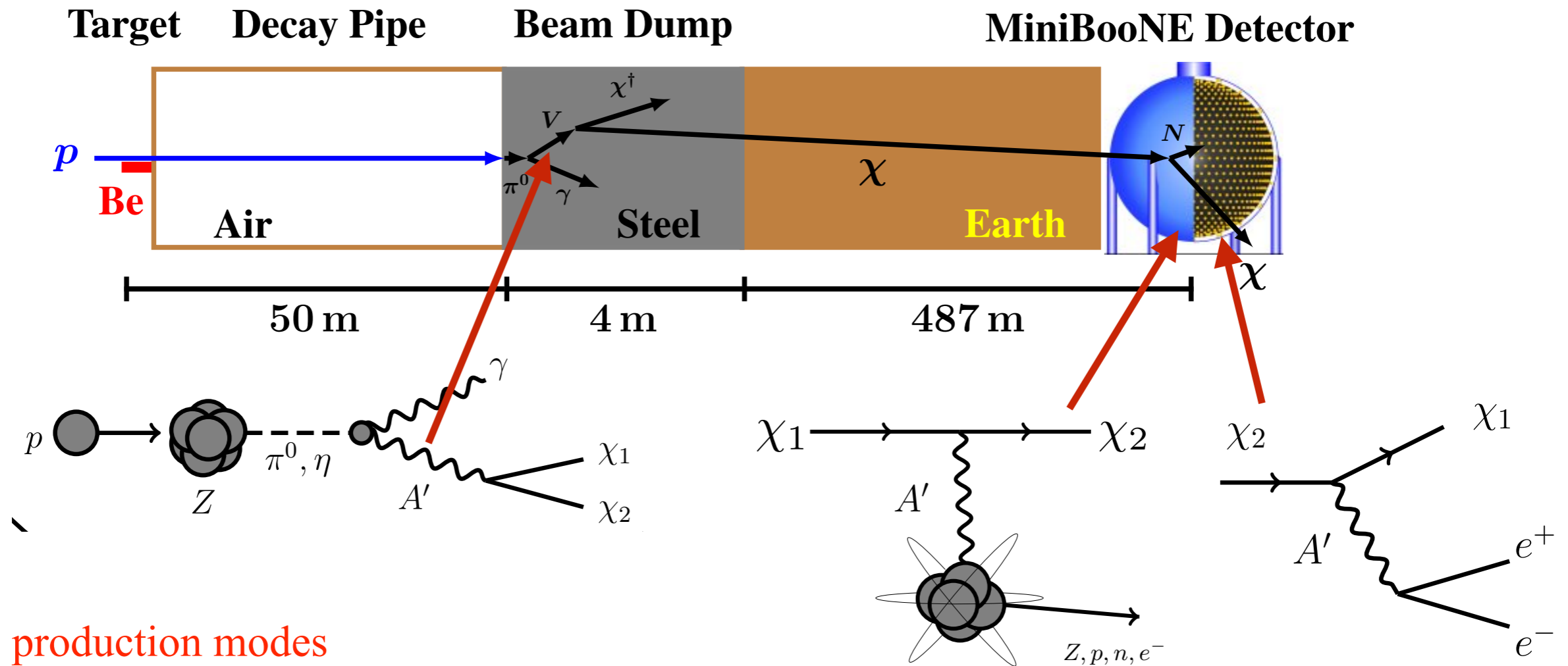
i.e.  $\bar{\psi}_D \gamma^\mu \psi_D = \chi_1^\dagger \bar{\sigma}^\mu \chi_2 - \chi_2^\dagger \bar{\sigma}^\mu \chi_1$

Spectrum is split into mass eigenstates which couple inelastically to dark photon

With mass splitting  $\Delta \equiv m_2 - m_1$

# Signatures @ Proton Beam Dumps

(quasi) elastic scattering & decays



$A'$  production modes

- neutral meson decay
- Dark Bremstrahlung

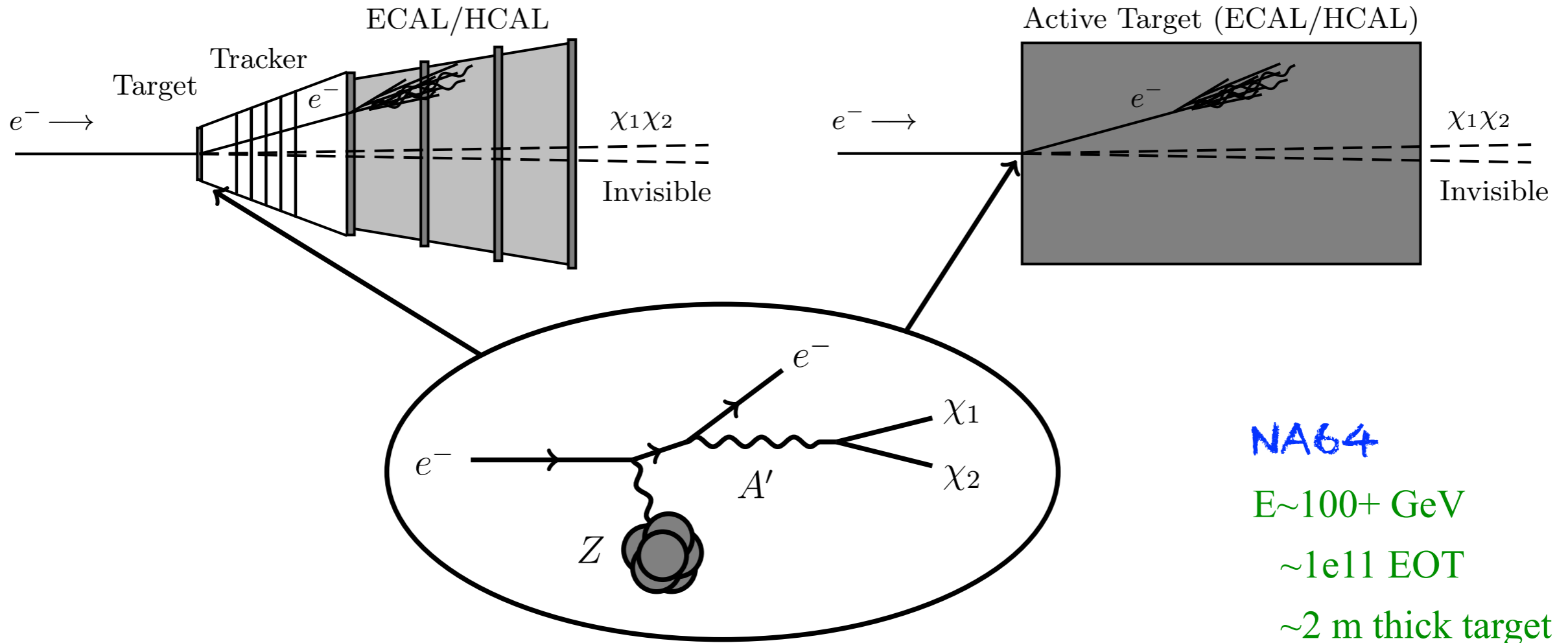
LSND (2001)

$E \sim 800$  MeV,  $1e^{24}$  POT

MINIBOONE (2017)

$E \sim 9$  GeV,  $1e^{20}$  POT

# Signatures @ Missing Momentum Experiments



**NA64**

$E \sim 100+ \text{ GeV}$

$\sim 1e11 \text{ EOT}$

$\sim 2 \text{ m thick target}$

**LDMX**

$E \sim 8 \text{ GeV}$

$\sim 3e16 \text{ EOT}$

$\sim 0.1 \text{ rad. length}$

$\text{thin target}$

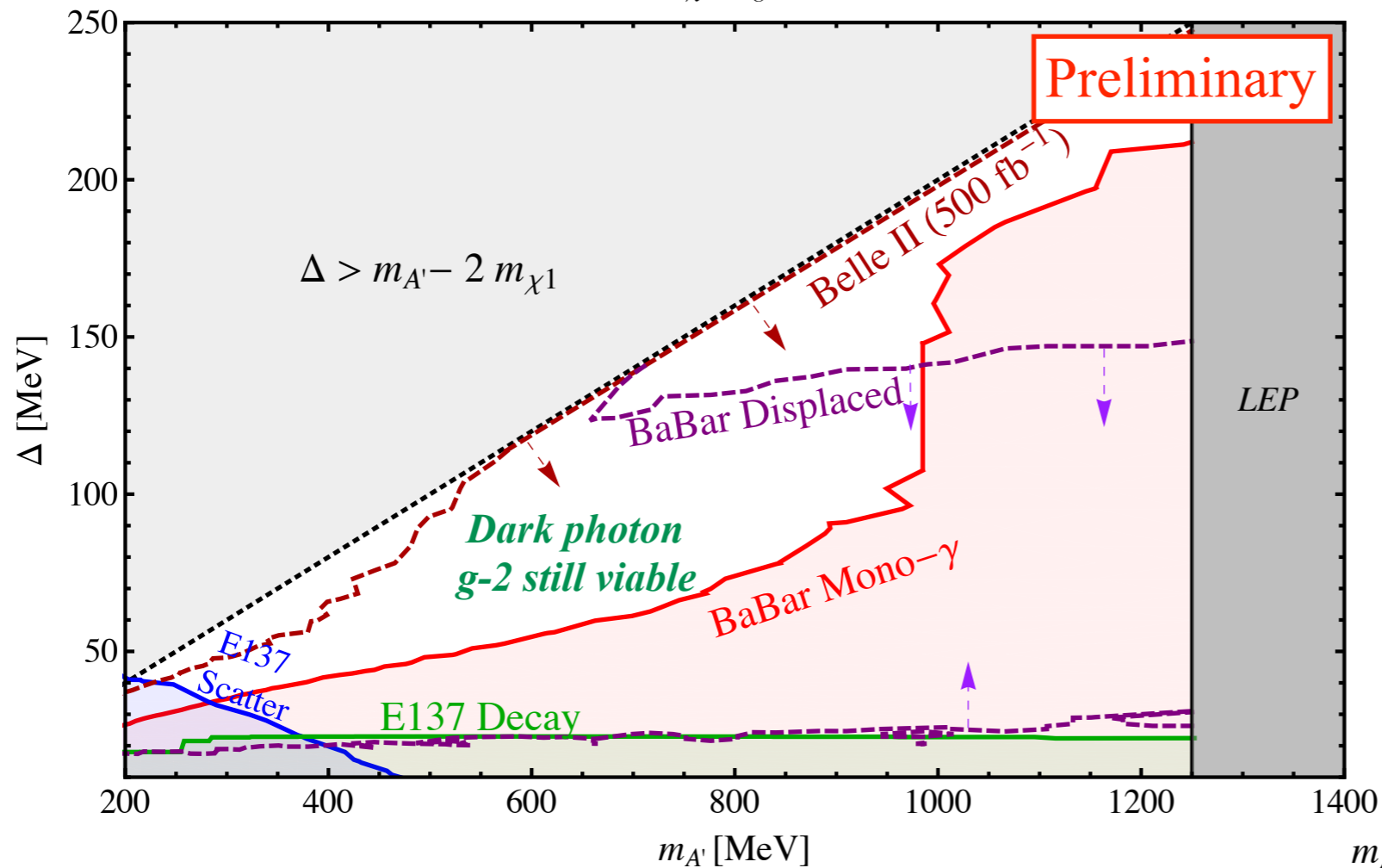
NA64 Collaboration 1610.02988

Izaguirre, Krnjaic, Schuster, Toro 1307.6554

Observe recoiling electron  
with large missing energy and/or  
mass (veto SM)

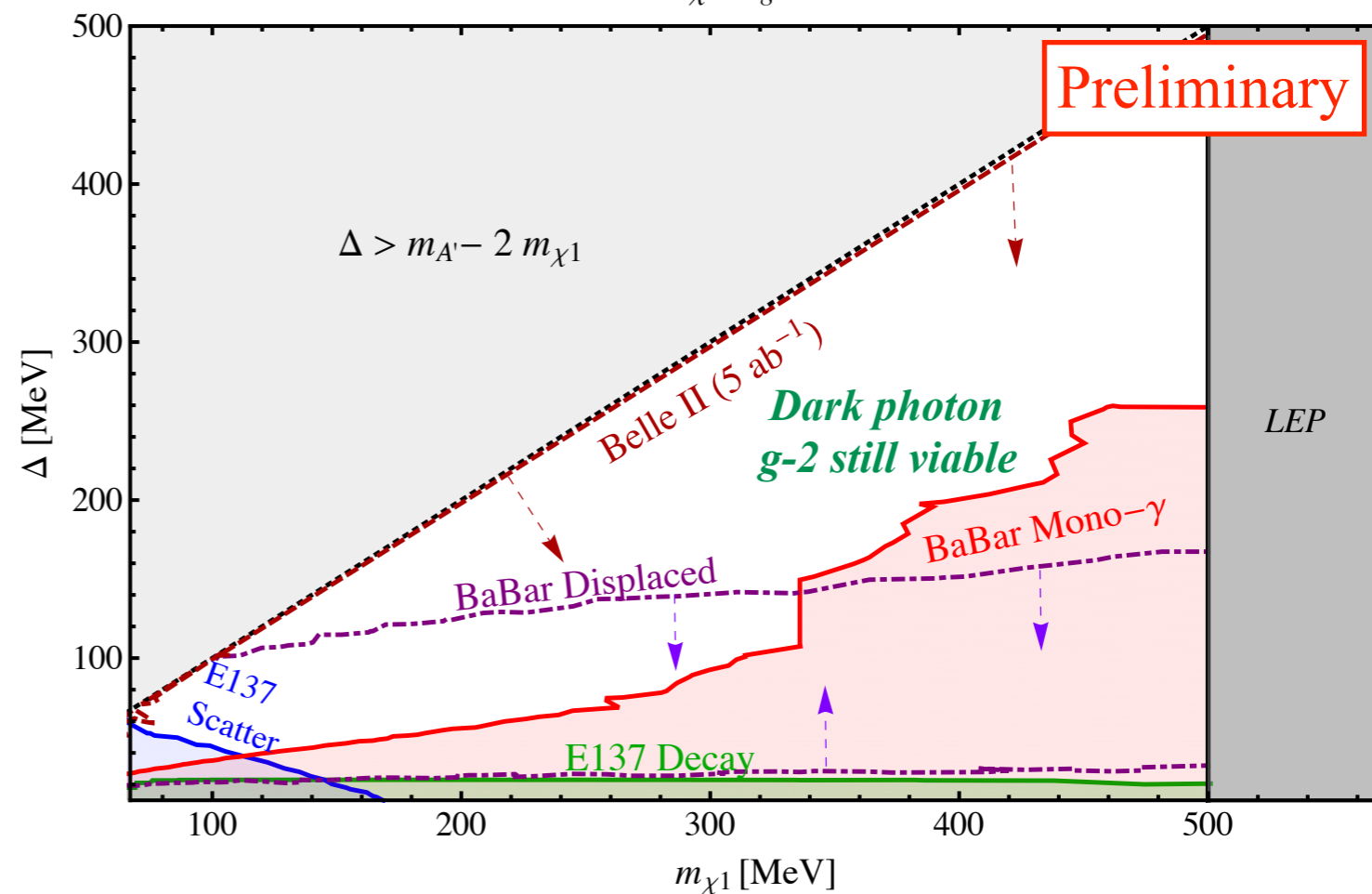


$$m_{A'} = 2.5 m_{\chi_1}, \epsilon_{g-2}, \alpha_D = 0.1$$

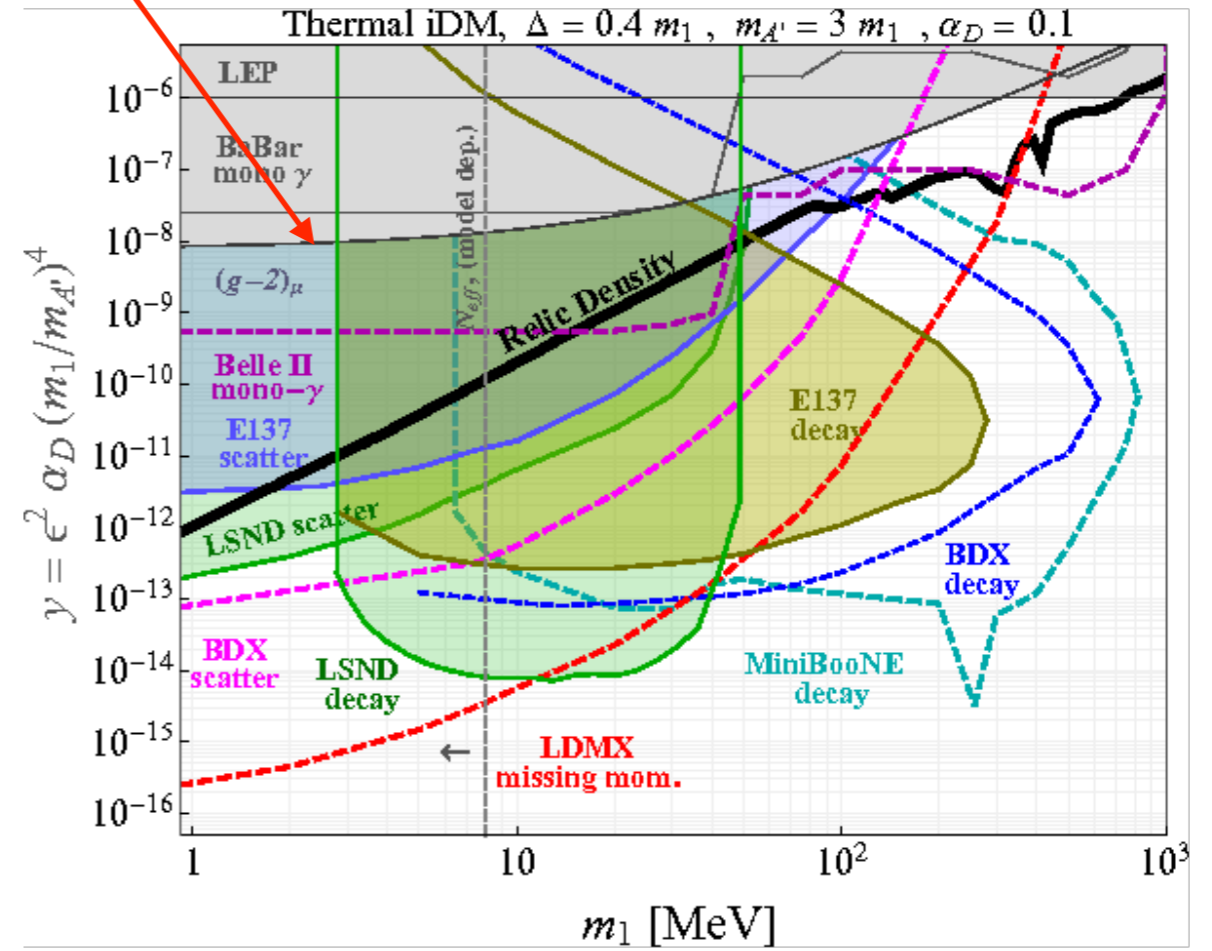
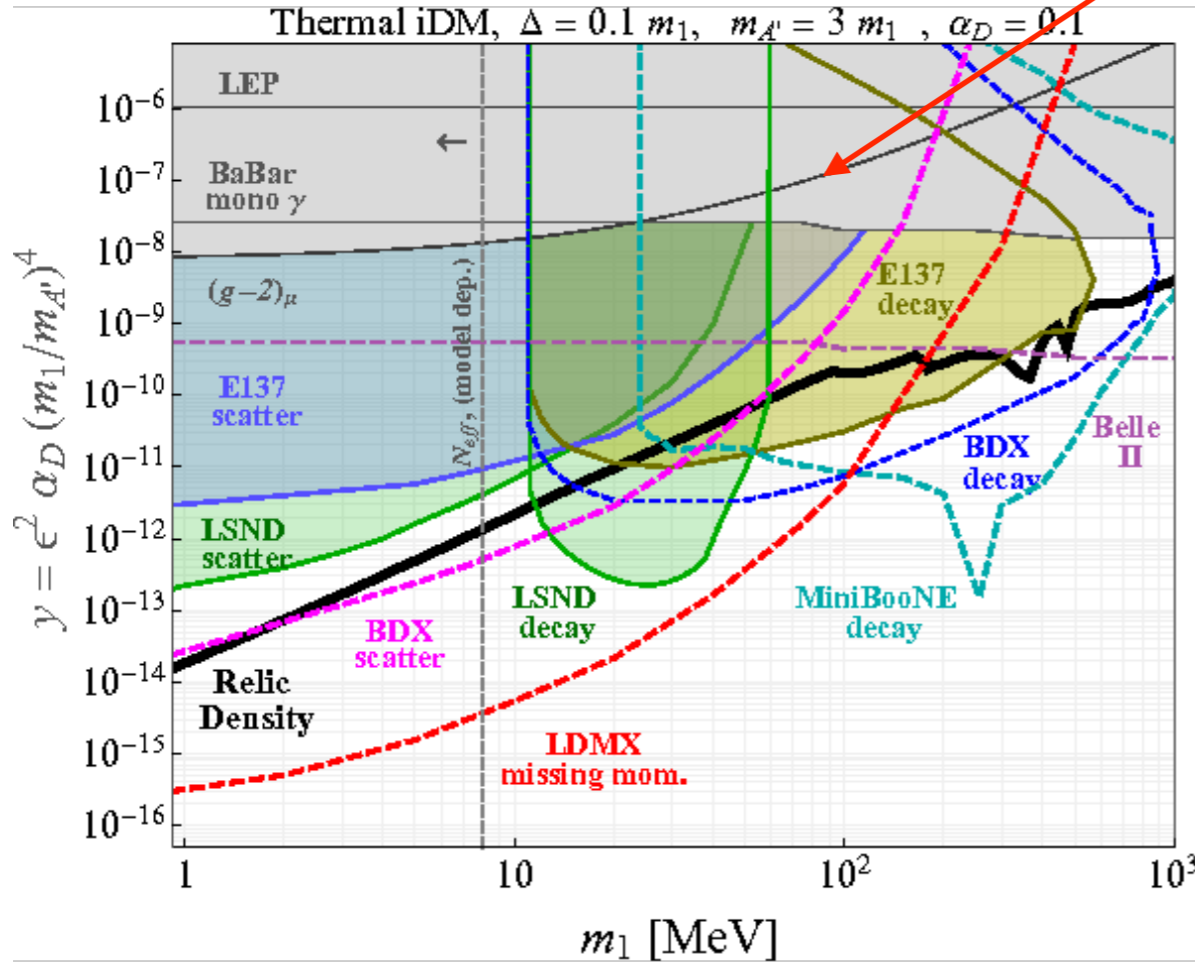


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$$m_{A'} = 3 m_{\chi_1}, \epsilon_{g-2}, \alpha_D = 0.1$$



**Muon  
g-2 line**



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