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Standard Model at 50: Successes and Challenges
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Challenging the Standard Model with nuclei, atoms, and molecules -2

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Plan of the lectures

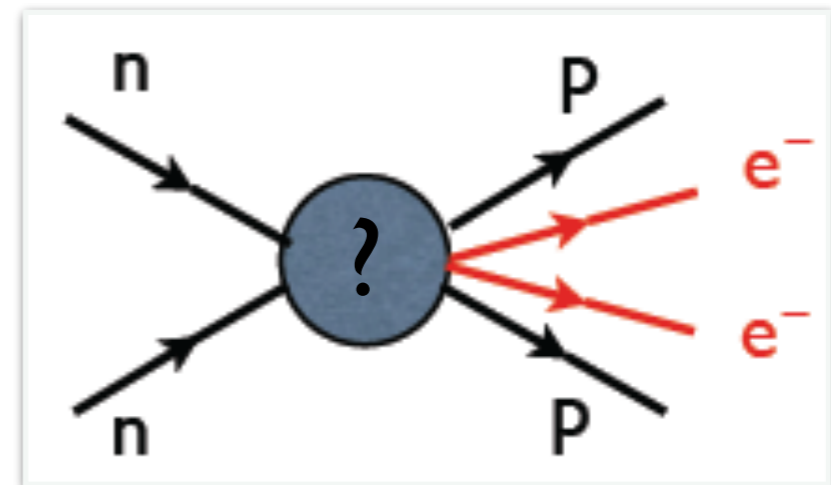
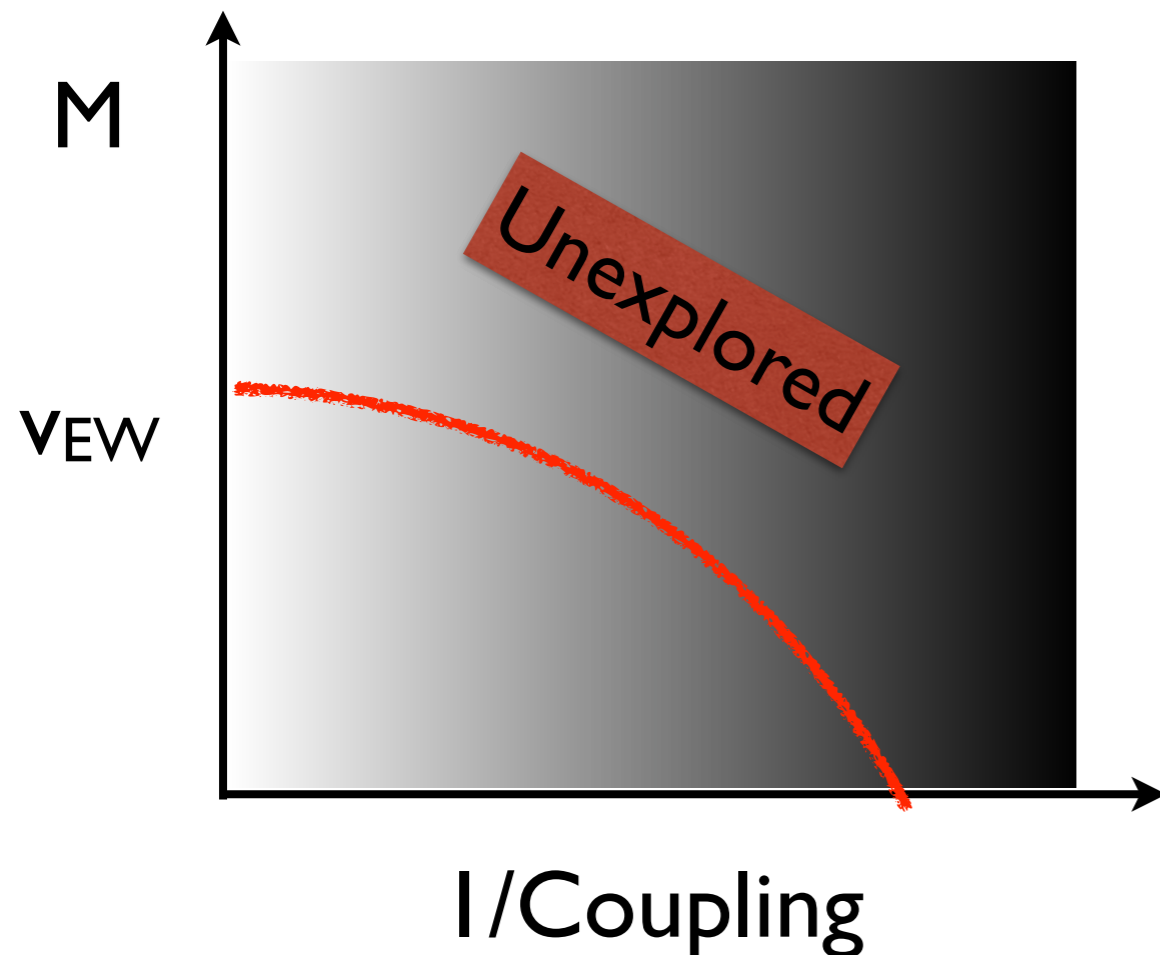
- Introduction:
 - Nuclei / atoms / molecules as probes of the Standard Model (exact or approximate) symmetries and what may lie beyond
- Selected topics:
 - **Nuclear beta decays:** gauge coupling universality
 - **Neutrinoless double beta decay:** B-L violation and nature of ν 's
 - **Permanent Electric Dipole Moments:** CP violation

Neutrinoless double beta decay: B-L violation and nature of ν 's

Experimental aspects discussed in Krishna Kumar's lecture

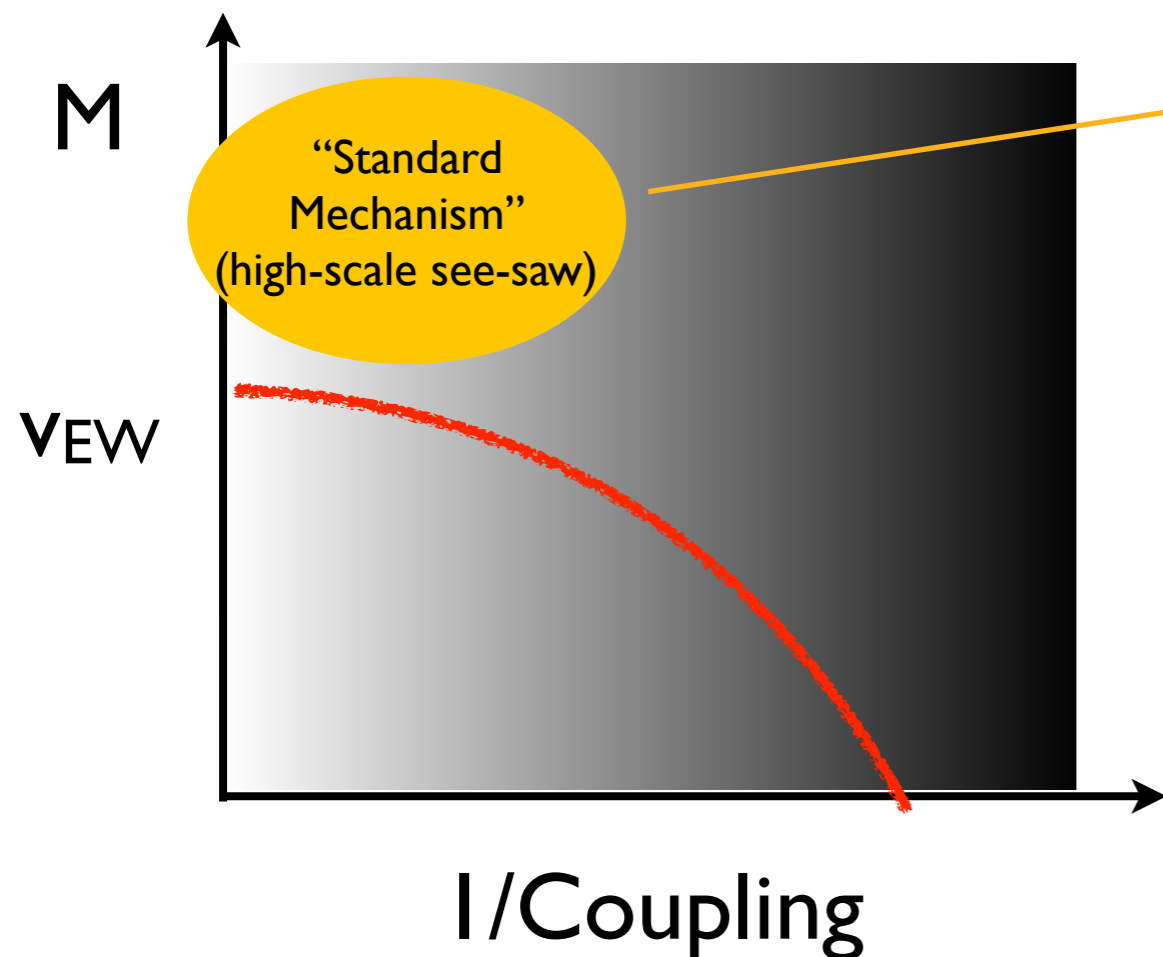
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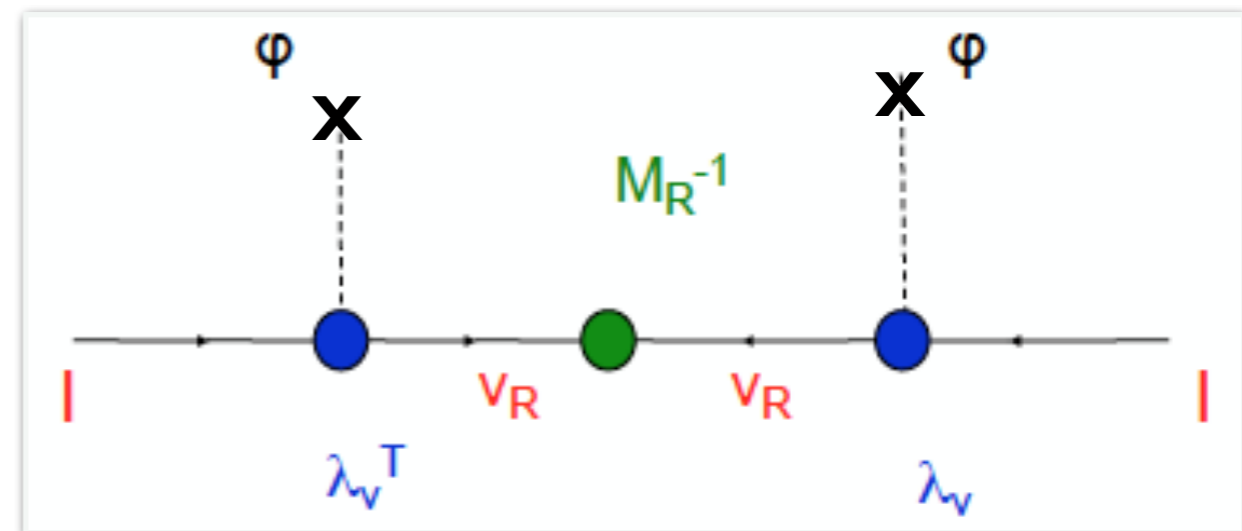
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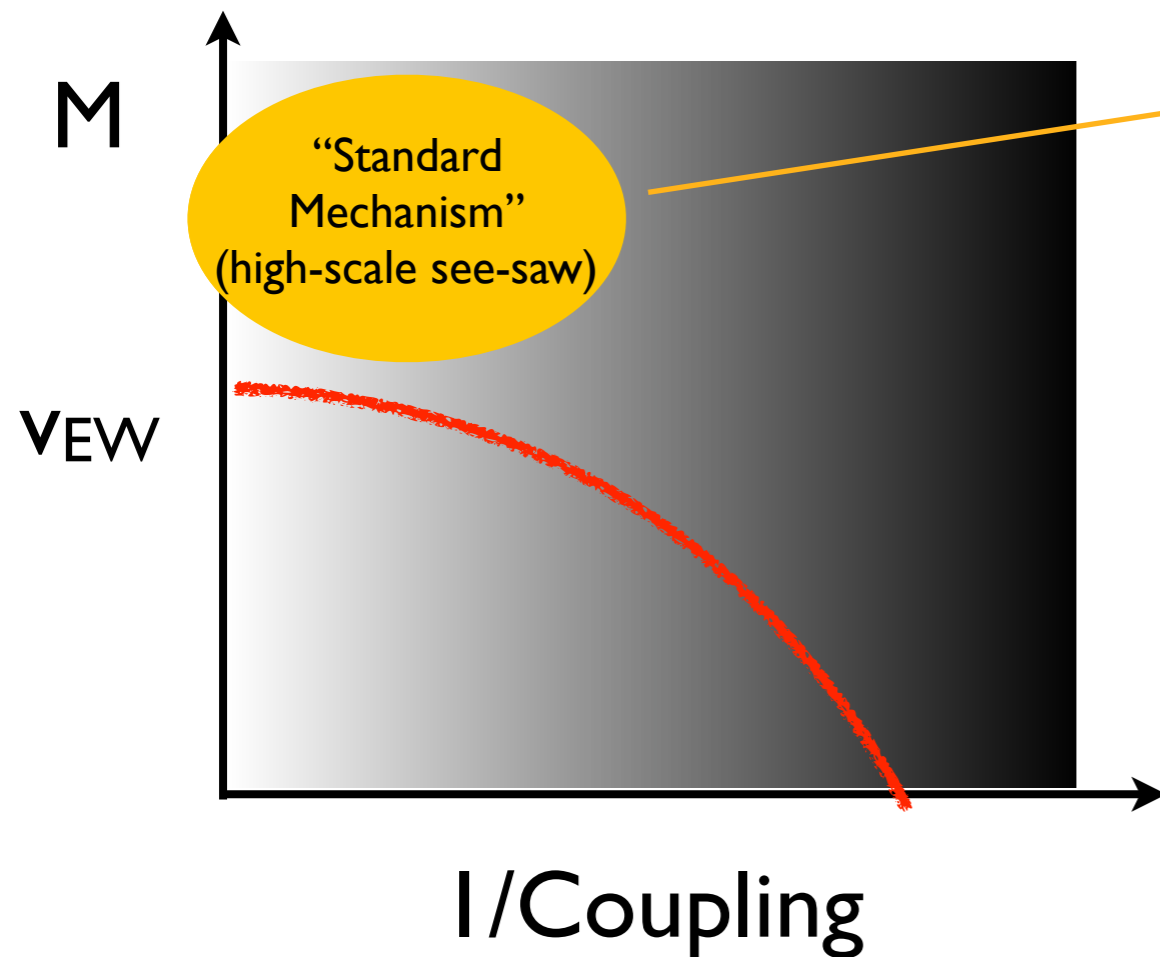
Example: 3 heavy R-handed neutrinos
This generates Weinberg's dim5 operator



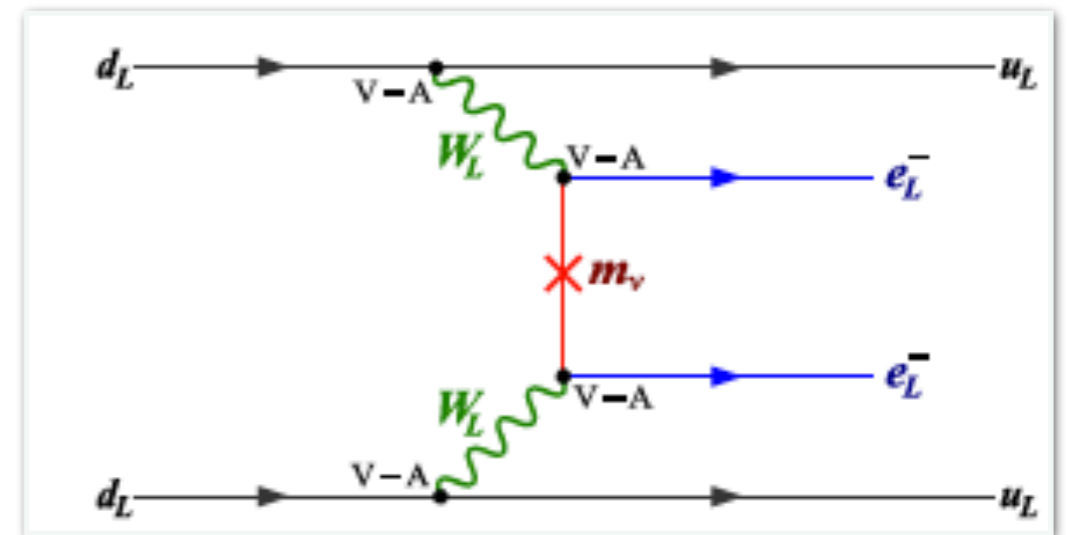
$$m_\nu \sim (v_{EW})^2 \lambda_\nu^T M_R^{-1} \lambda_\nu$$

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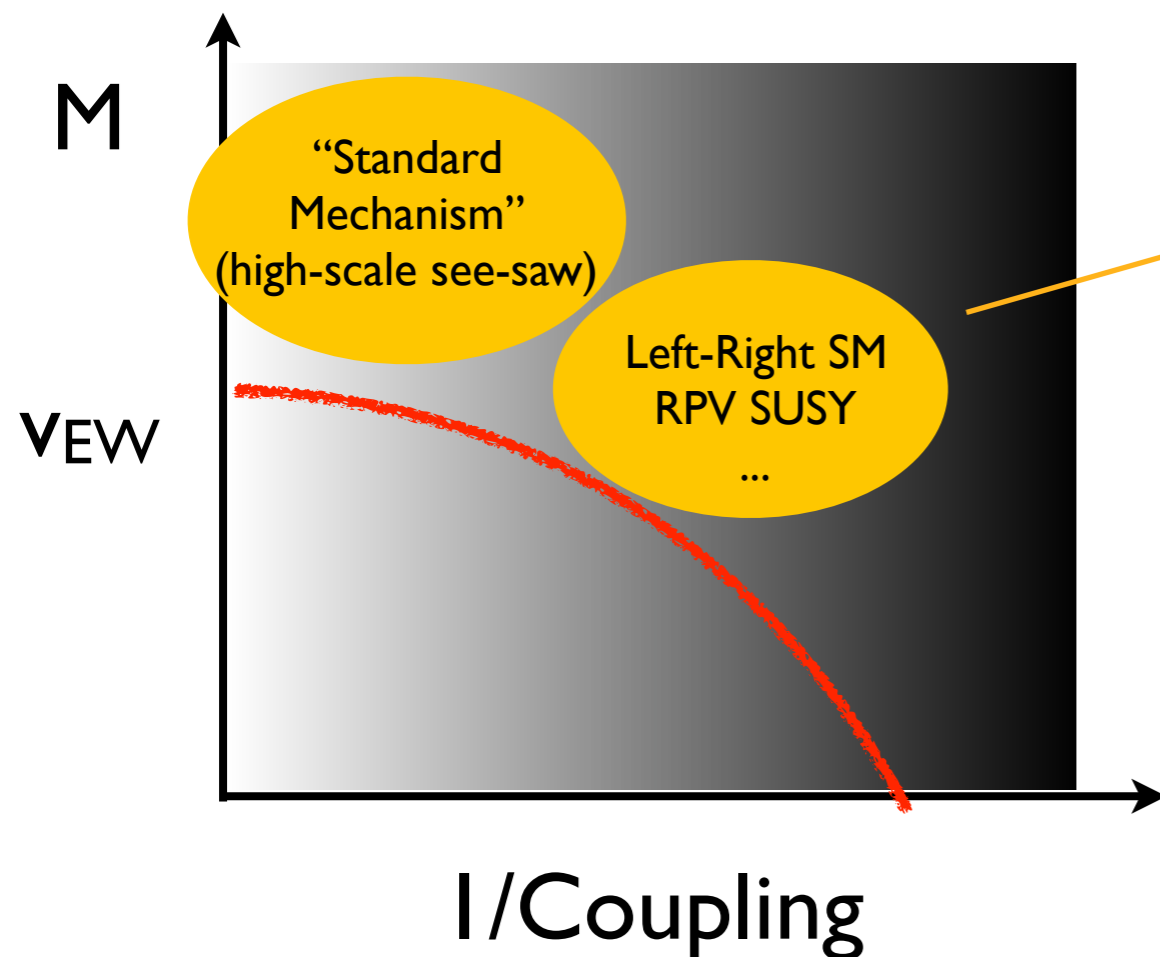


Amplitude proportional to

$$m_{\beta\beta} = \sum U_{ei}^2 m_i$$

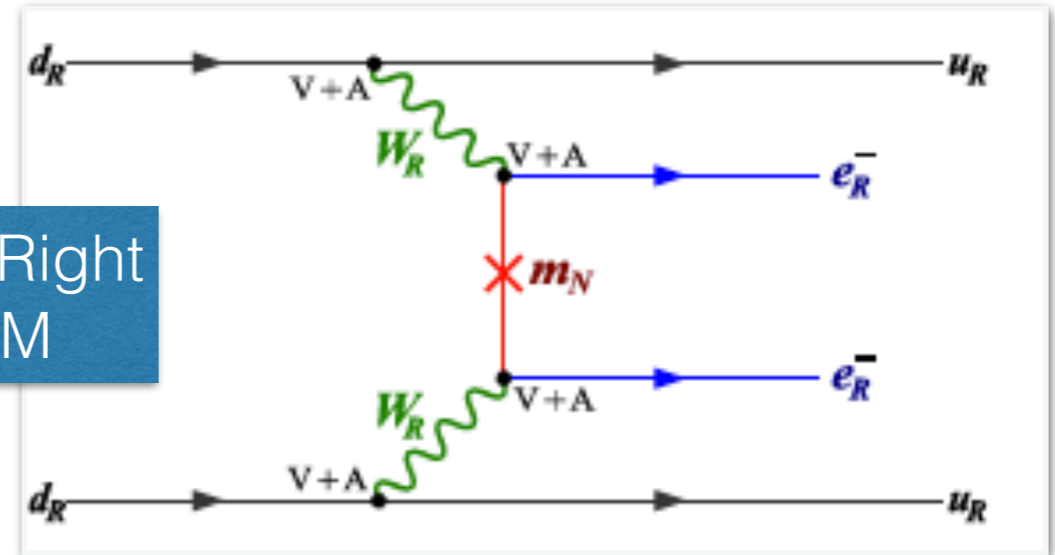
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LNV dynamics at $M \sim \text{TeV}$:
 1) new contribution to $0\nu\beta\beta$ not related to light neutrino mass;
 2) $pp \rightarrow eejj$ at the LHC

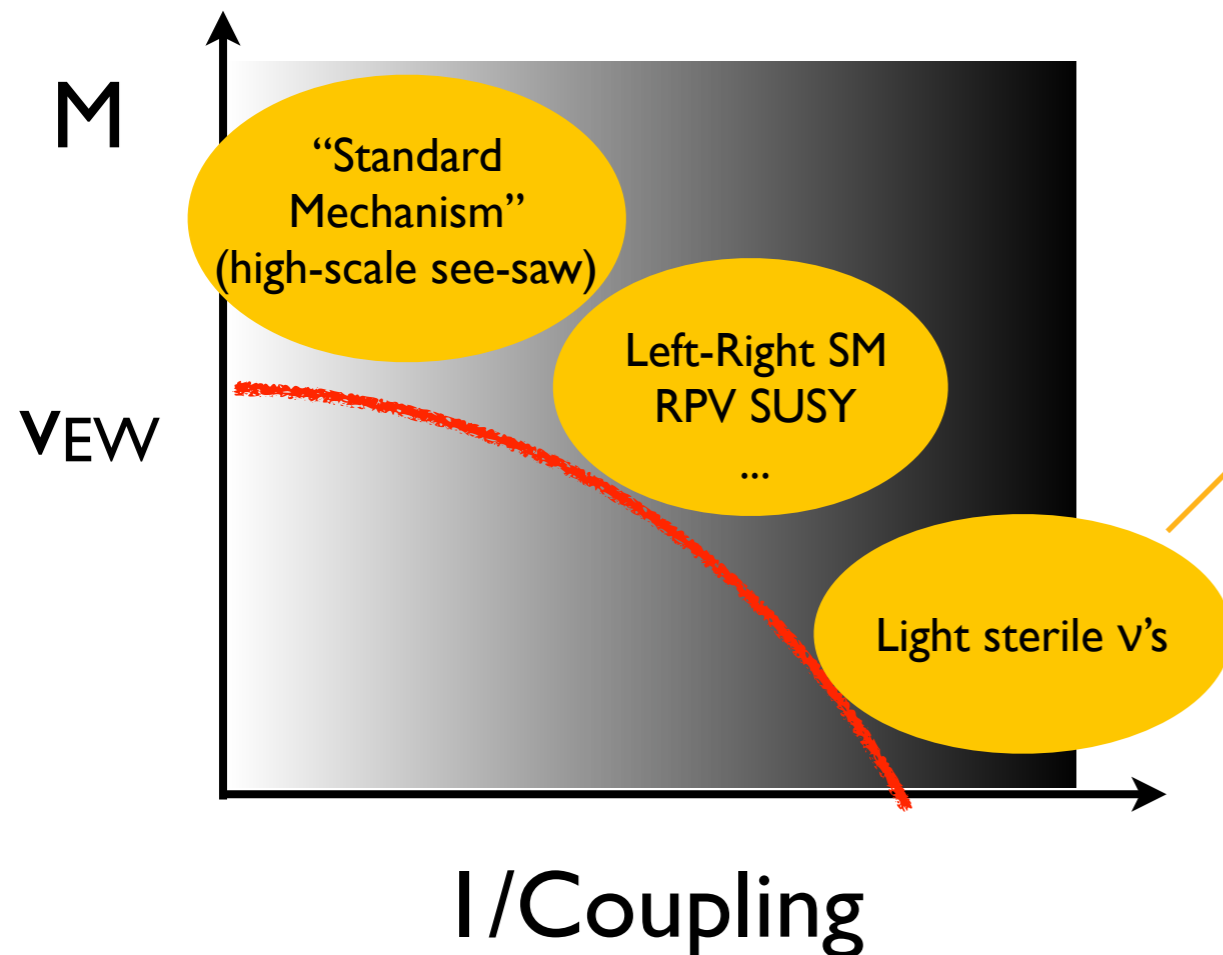
Left-Right SM



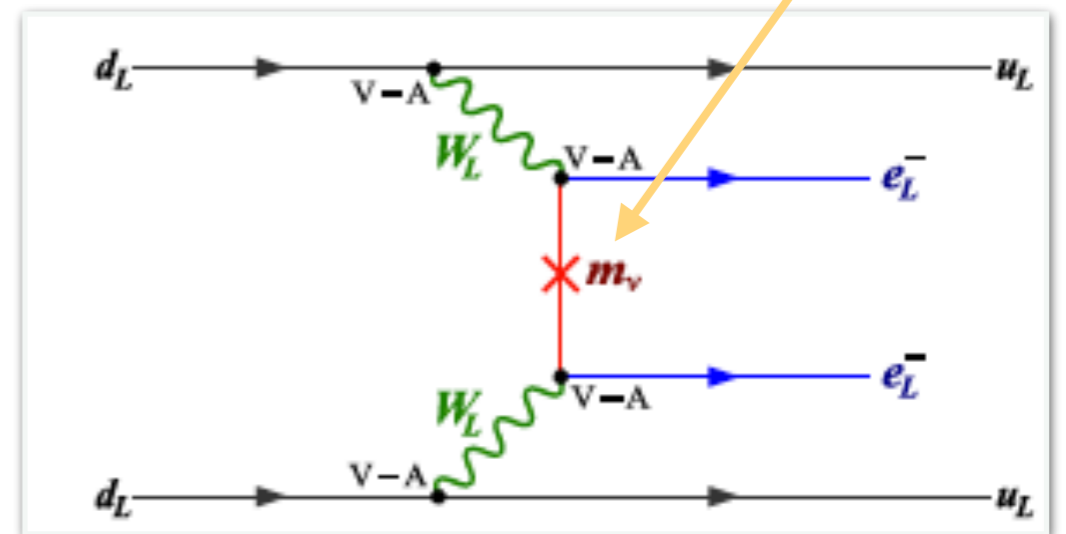
This generates dim9 operators (dim7 also possible)

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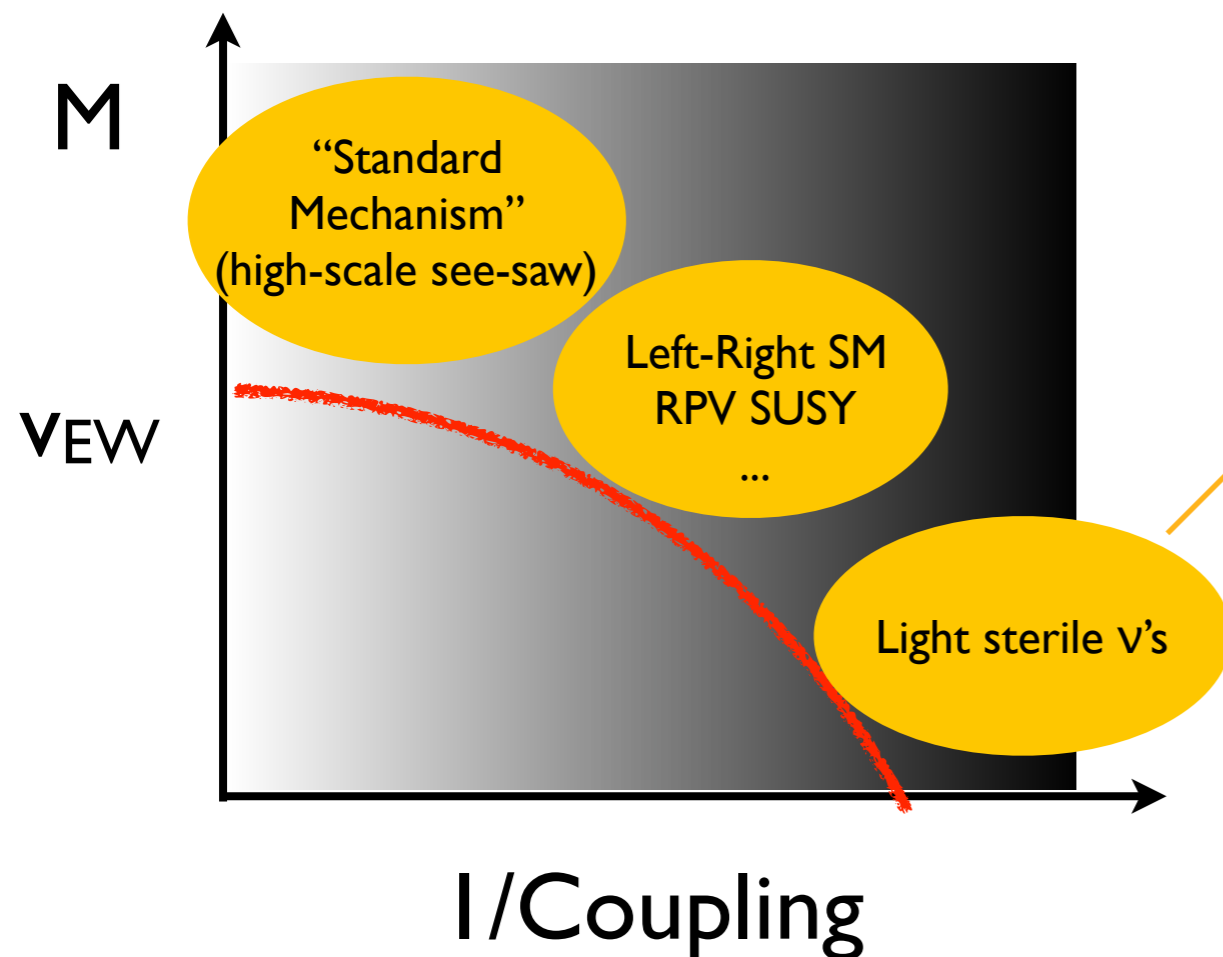
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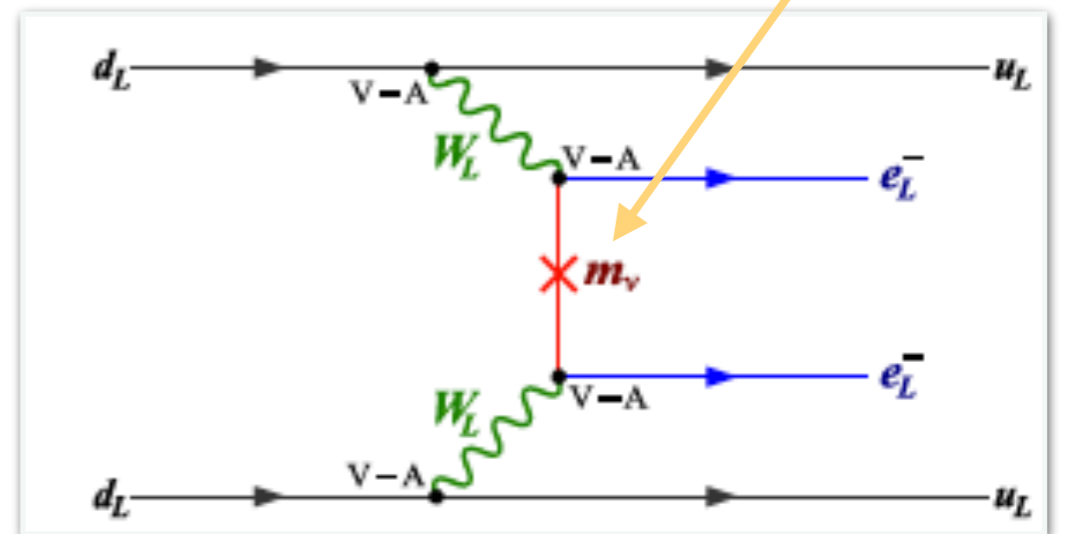
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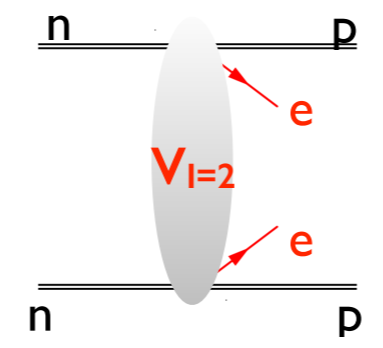
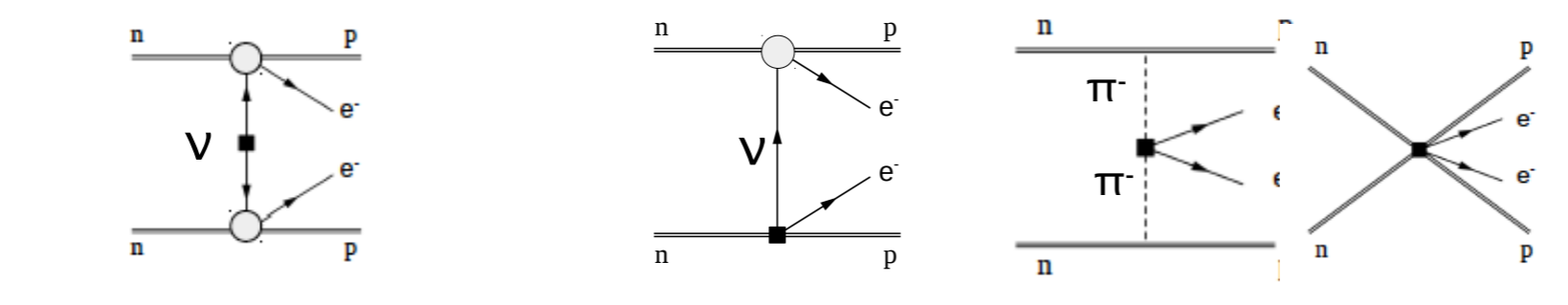
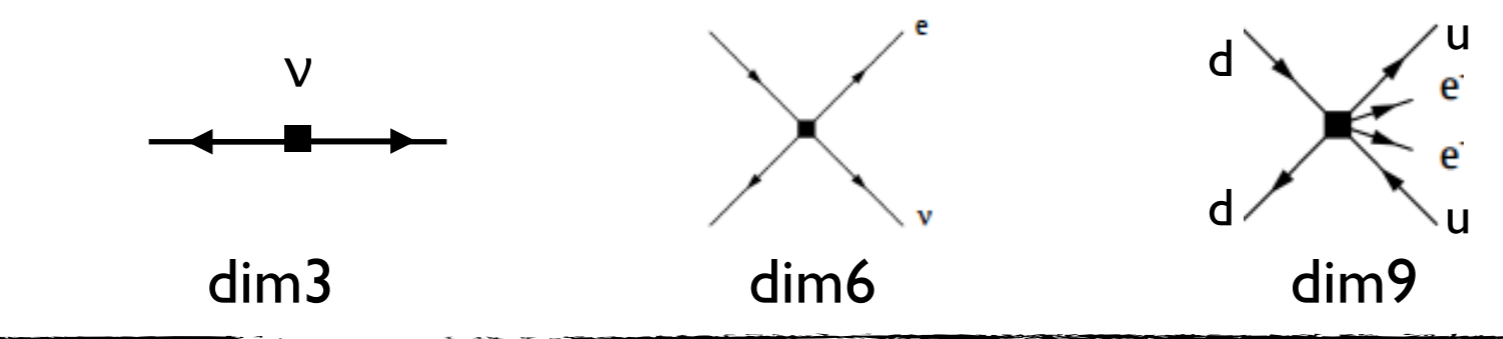
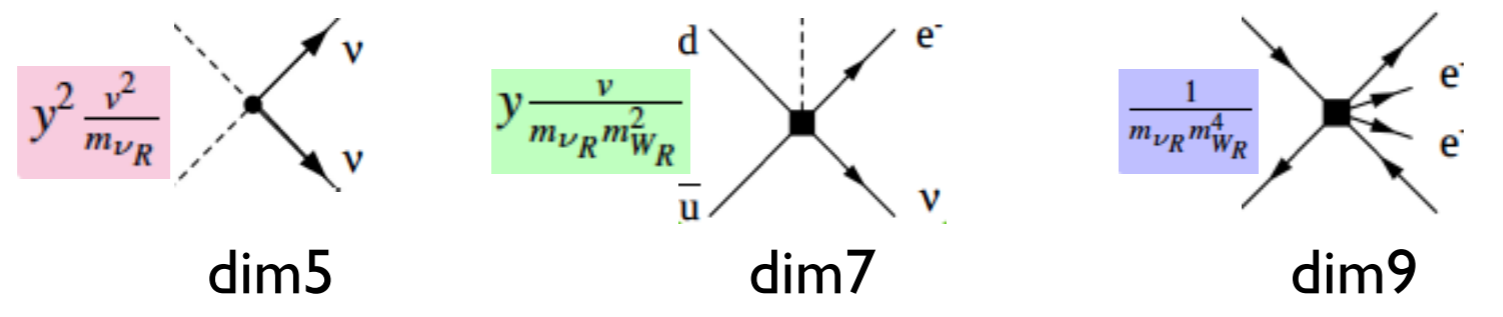
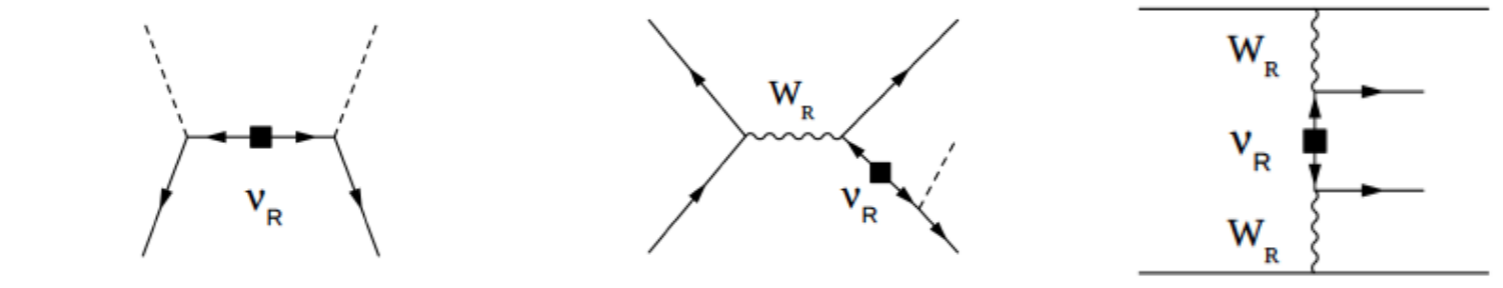
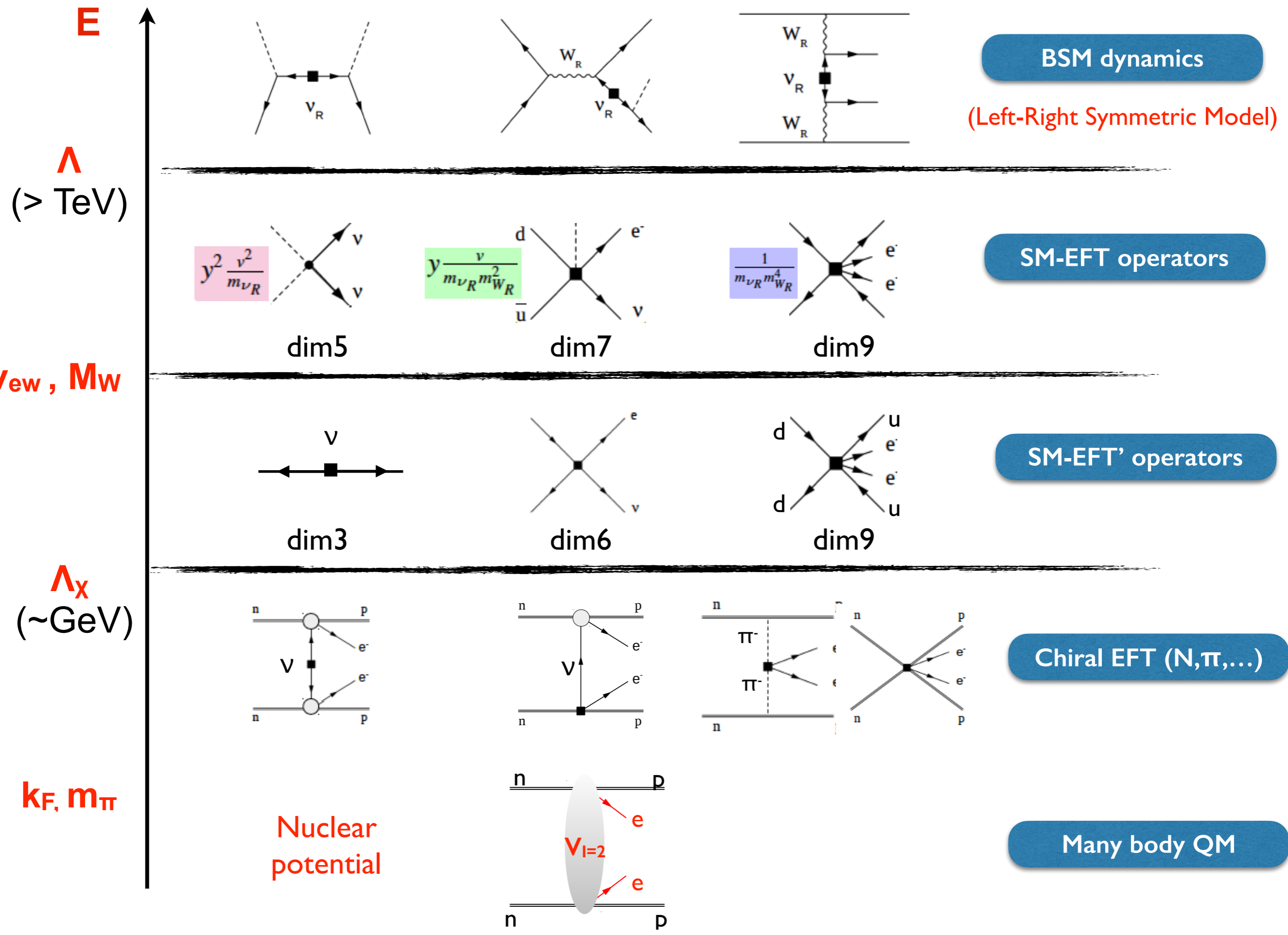


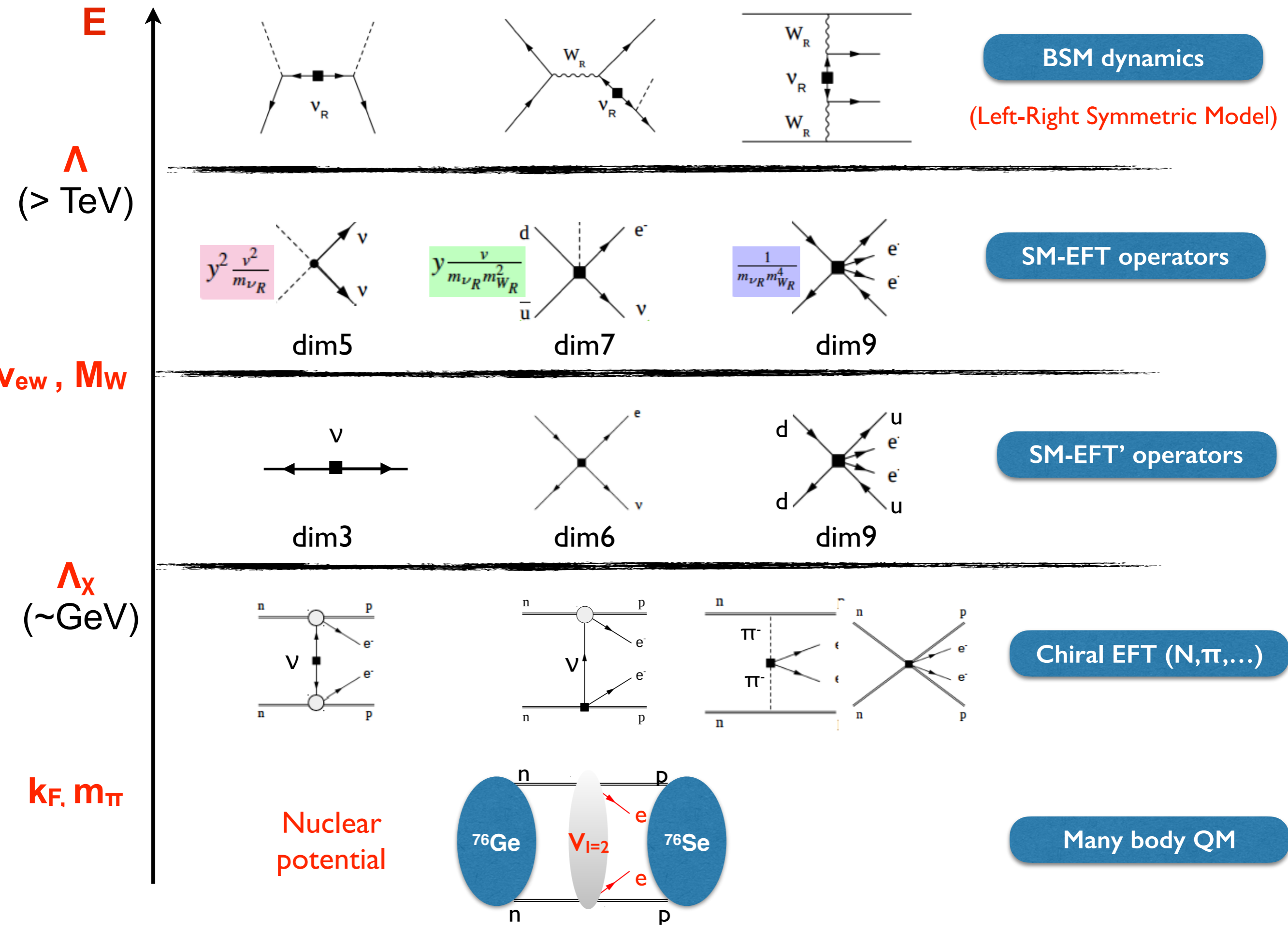
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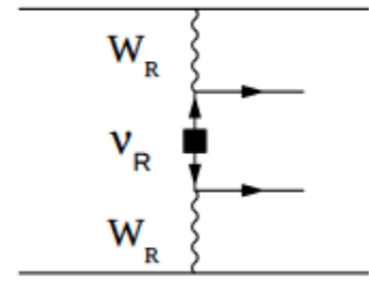
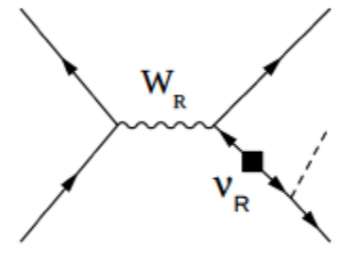
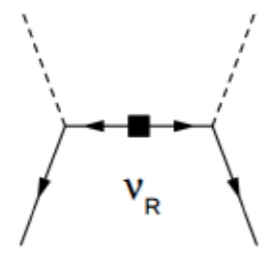
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Impact of $0\nu\beta\beta$ searches most efficiently analyzed in EFT framework





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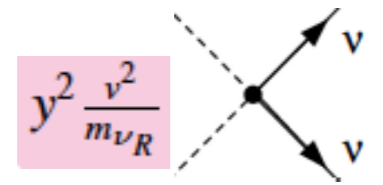


BSM dynamics

(Left-Right Symmetric Model)

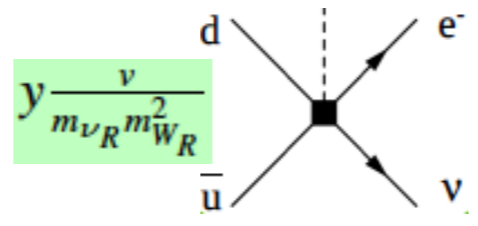
Λ

(> TeV)



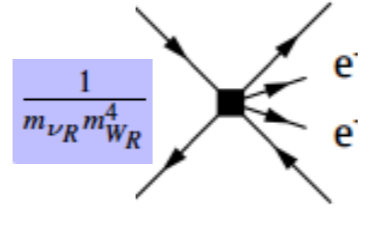
$$y^2 \frac{v^2}{m_{\nu R}}$$

dim5



$$y \frac{v}{m_{\nu R} m_{W_R}^2}$$

dim7

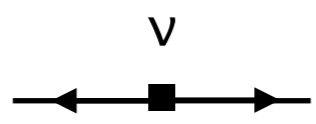


$$\frac{1}{m_{\nu R} m_{W_R}^4}$$

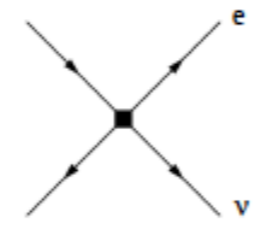
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SM-EFT operators

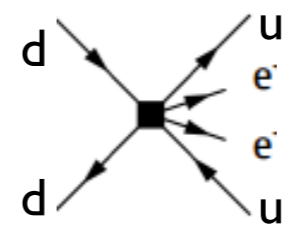
V_{ew}, M_W



dim3



dim6

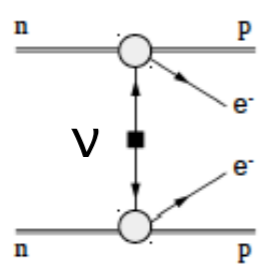


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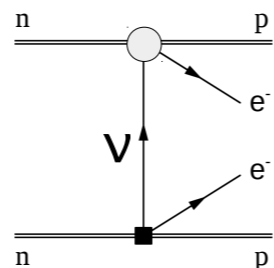
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Λ_χ

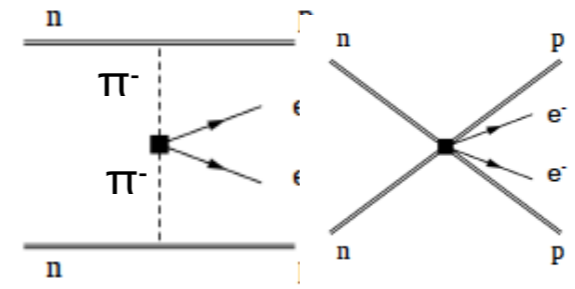
(~GeV)



V



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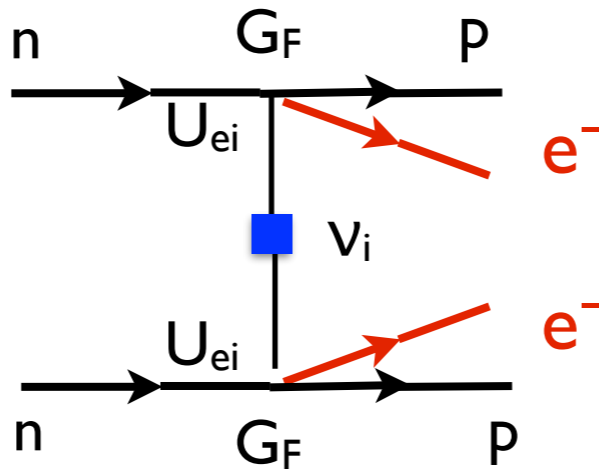
Chiral EFT (N,π,...)

k_F, m_π

$$V_{I=2} = m_{\beta\beta} V_{\nu} + \frac{m_{\pi}^2}{v} (c_{\pi\pi} V_{\pi\pi} + c_{\pi N} V_{\pi N} + c_{NN} V_{NN}) + \dots$$

Many body QM

$0\nu\beta\beta$ from light ν_M exchange



Decay amplitude

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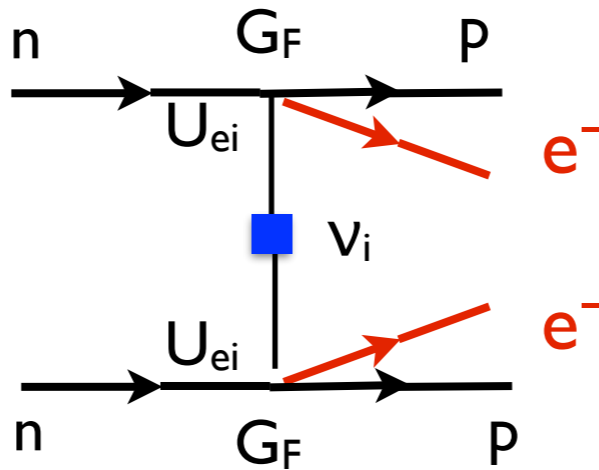
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(traditional non-EFT-based analyses)

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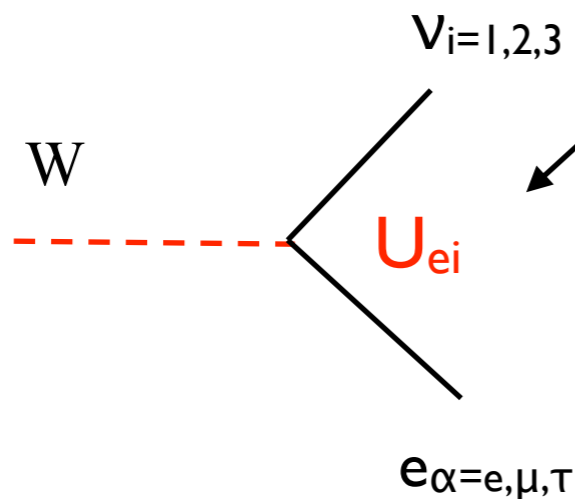
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In this case $0\nu\beta\beta$ is a *direct* probe of ν mass and mixing: $\Gamma \propto |M_{0\nu}|^2 (m_{\beta\beta})^2$

$m_{\beta\beta}$ phenomenology

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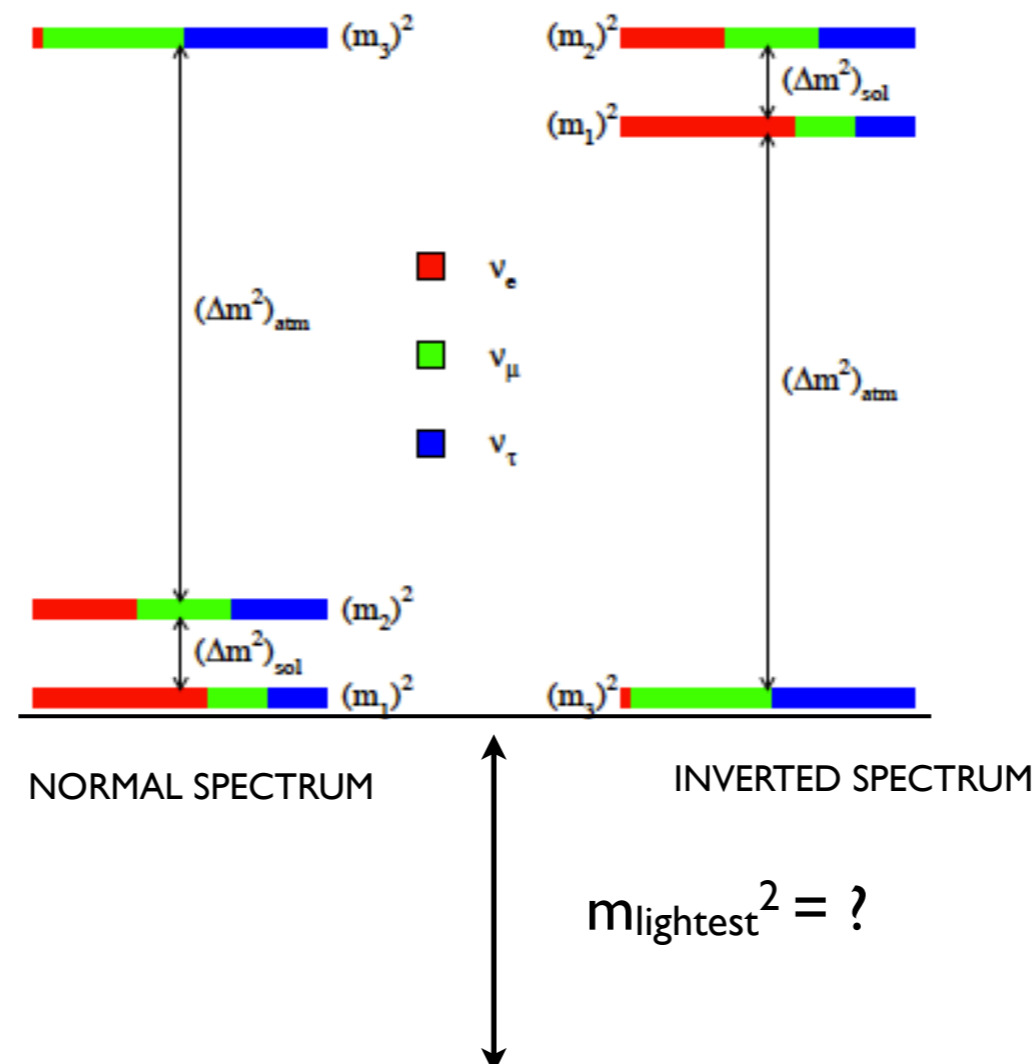
$$\frac{g}{\sqrt{2}} W_{\mu}^{-} \bar{e}_{L}^{\alpha} \gamma^{\mu} U^{\alpha i} \nu_{L}^{i}$$

Unitary mixing in CC vertex:
3 angles (known), 1+2 phases (unknown)

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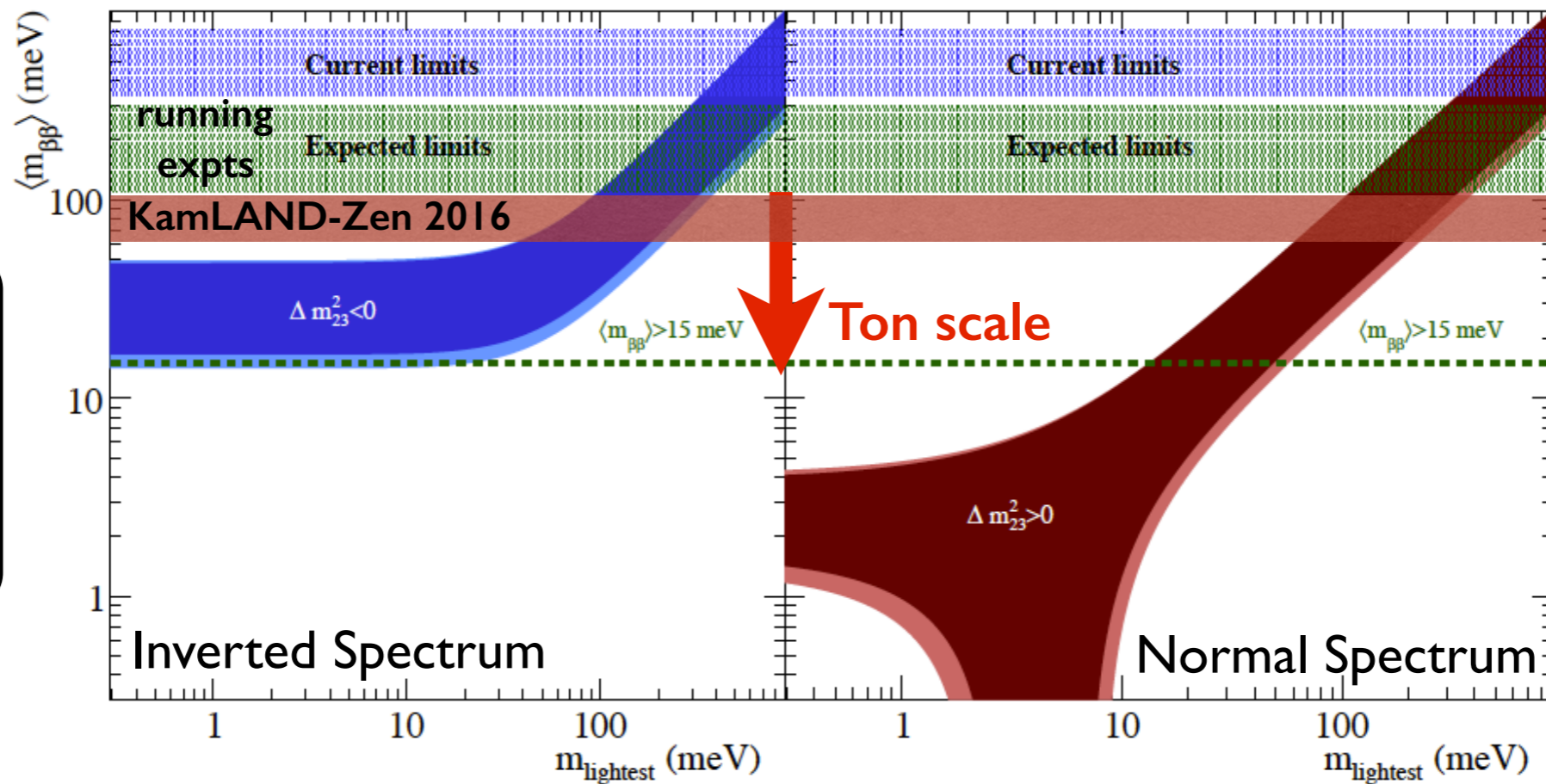


Mass ordering still
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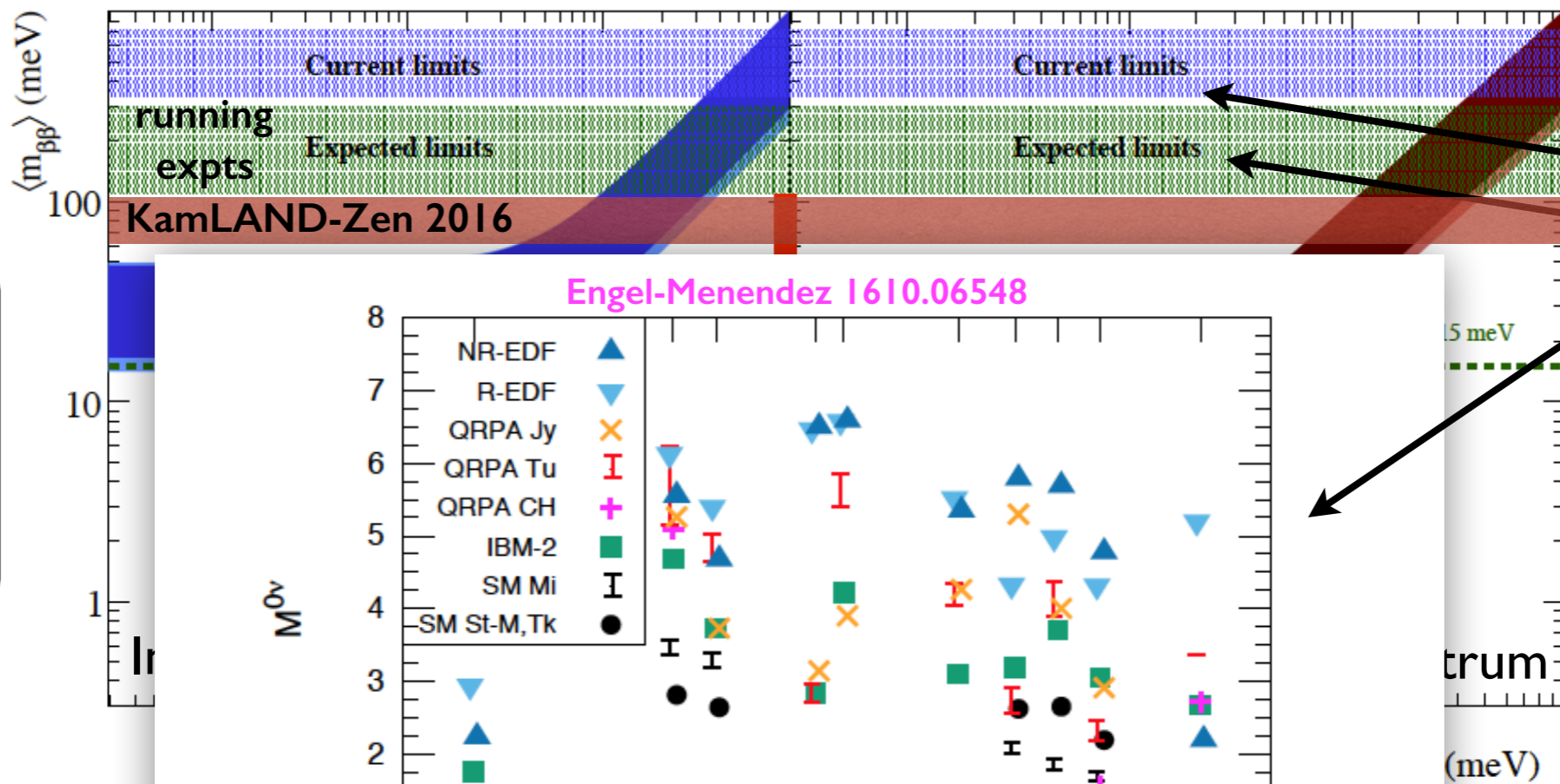
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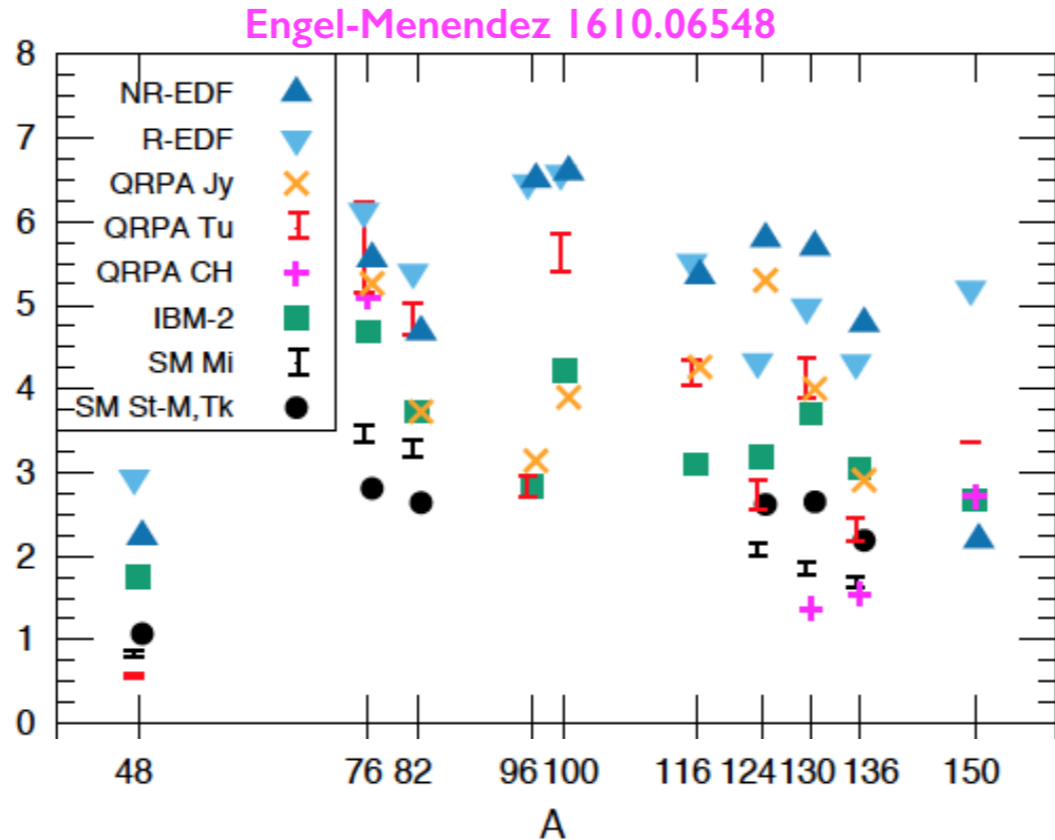


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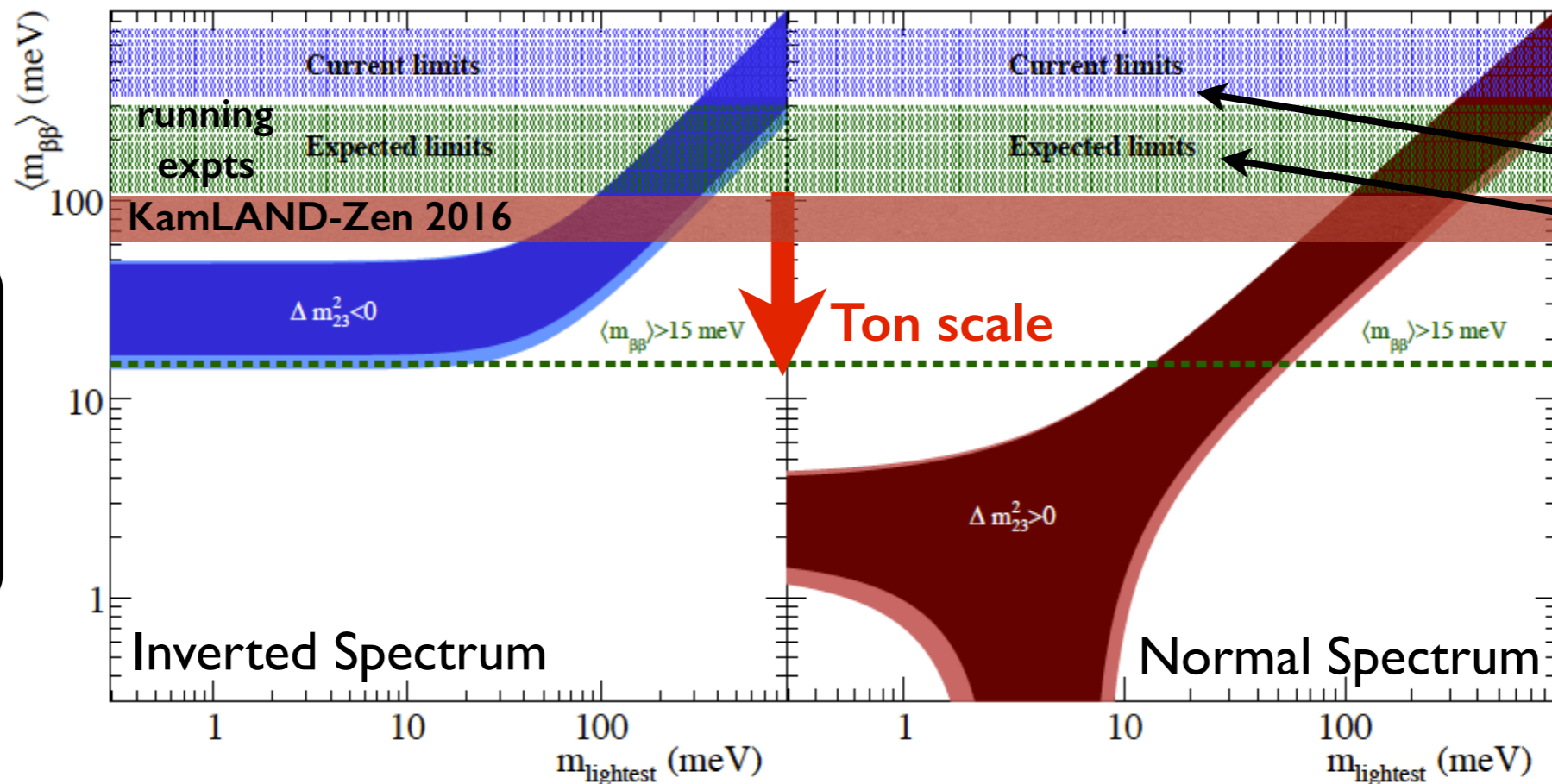
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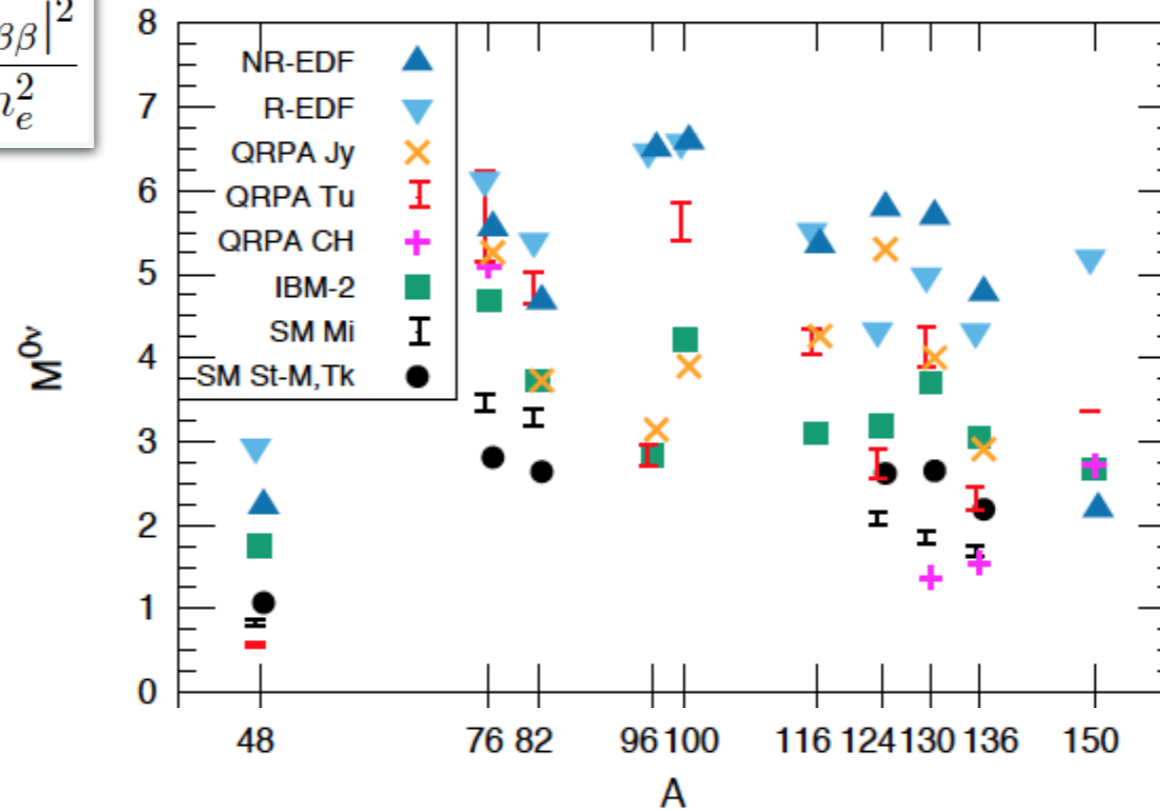
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- Assuming current range for matrix elements, discovery *possible* for **inverted spectrum** or **$m_{\text{lightest}} > 50$ meV**

Room for improvement?

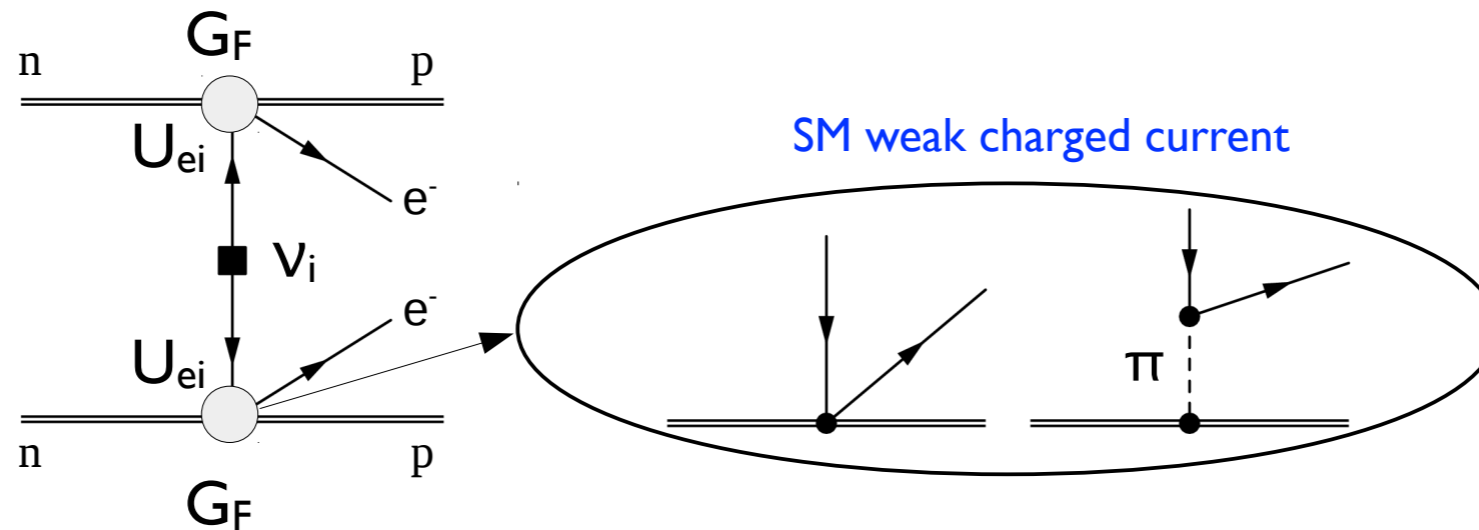
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- Steps towards controllable uncertainties in matrix elements:
 - Use chiral EFT as guiding principle
 - Use exact results in light nuclei as a benchmark
 - “Ab initio” nuclear structure in sight for ^{48}Ca , with QCD-rooted chiral potentials

Light V_M exchange in chiral EFT

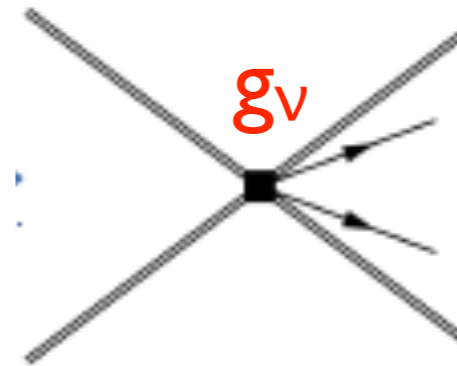
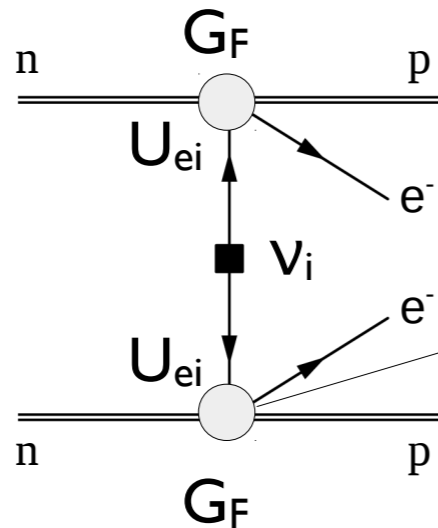


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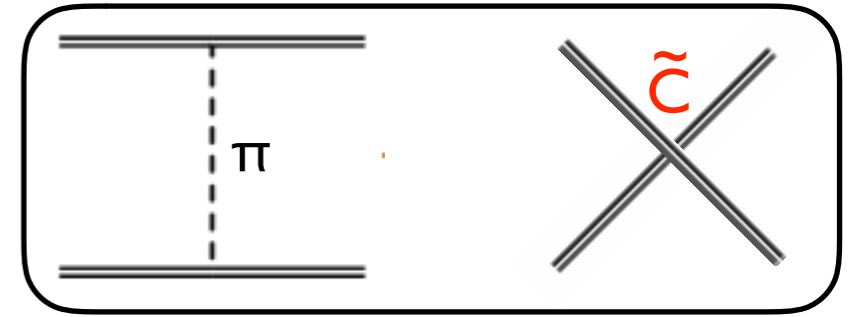
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- Renormalization of $nn \rightarrow ppee$ amplitude in presence of LO strong potential requires a leading order counterterm $g_V \sim 1/F_\pi^2 \sim 1/k_F^2$

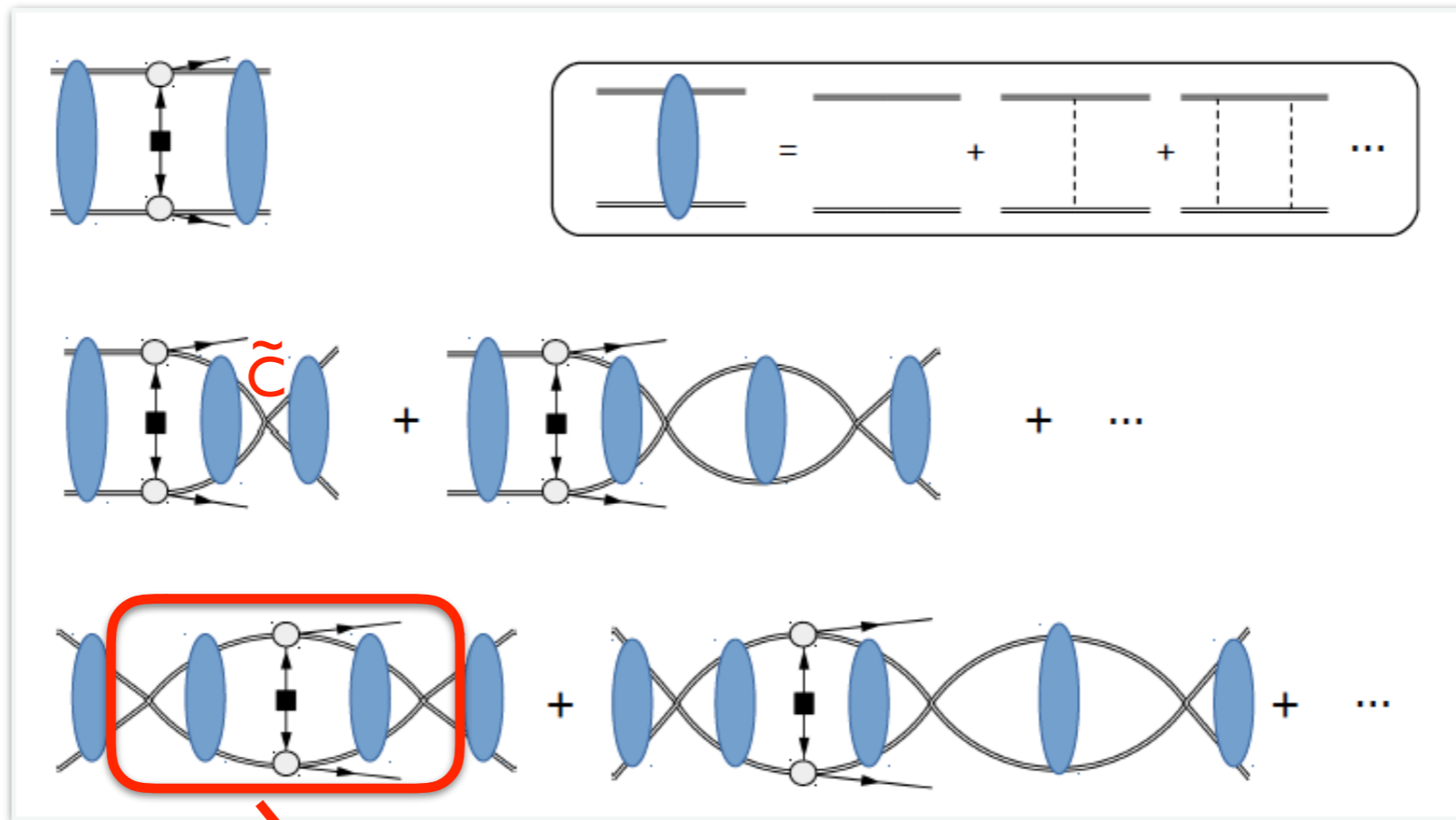
$$V_{\nu,CT}^{(a,b)} = -2 g_V \tau^{(a)} + \tau^{(b)}$$

Scaling of contact term in $0\nu\beta\beta$

- $nn \rightarrow ppee$ amplitude with LO strong potential



Weinberg 1991



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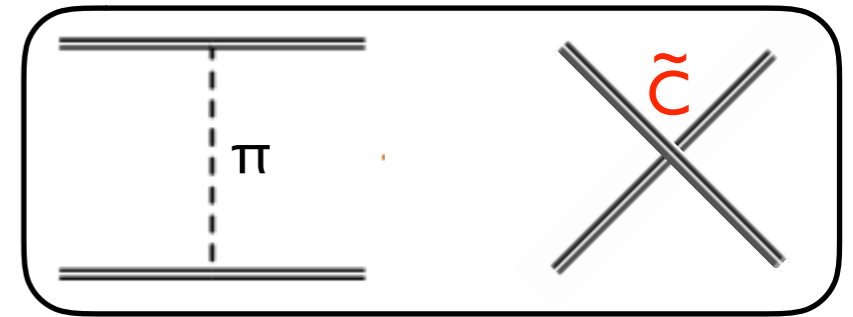
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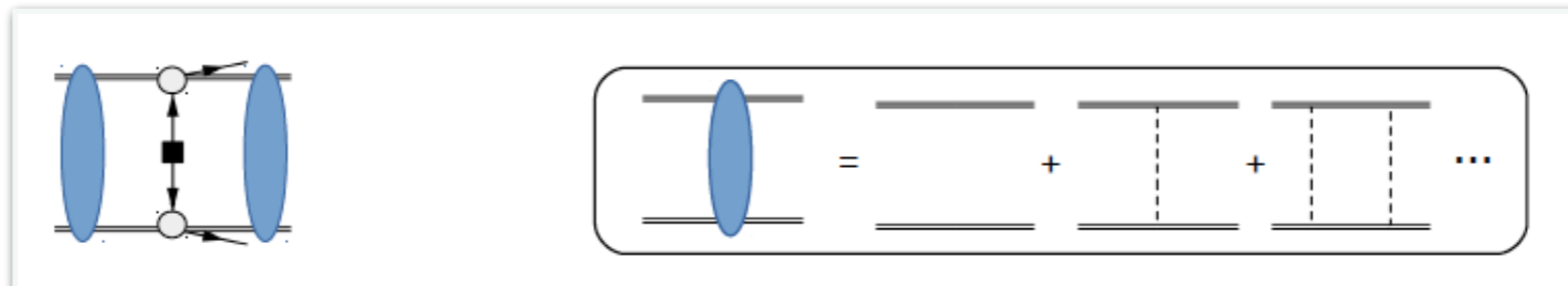
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- This effect is not an artifact of dimensional regularization
- It is not included in current nuclear matrix element calculations
- Finite part of the “low-energy coupling” is currently unknown



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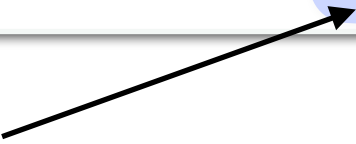
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Estimating finite part of g_V

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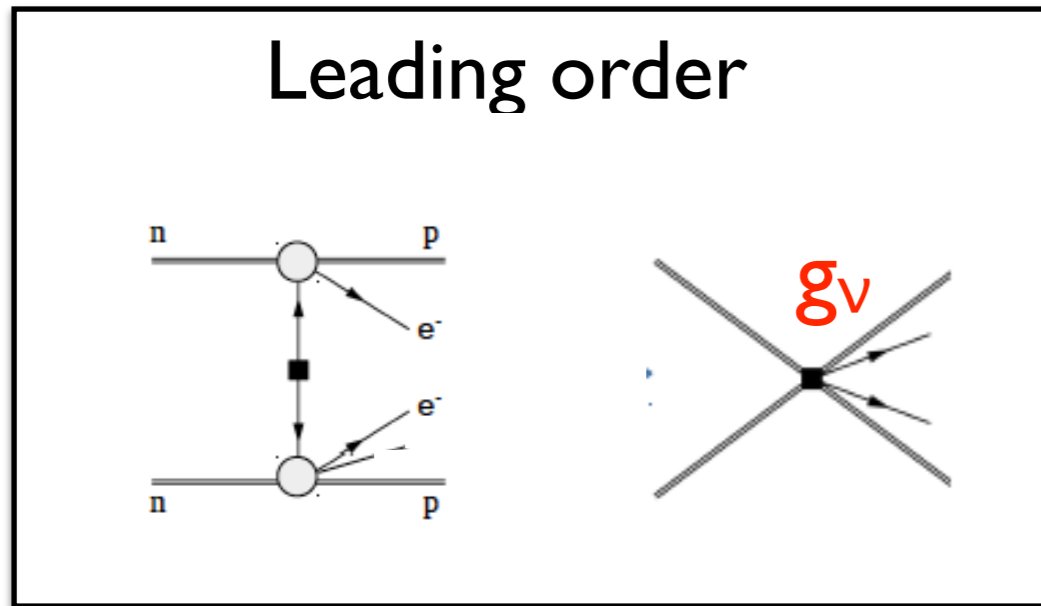
$(J_+ \times J_+)$ vs $(J_{EM} \times J_{EM})_{I=2}$

2) **Chiral symmetry** relates g_V to one of two $I=2$ EM LECs

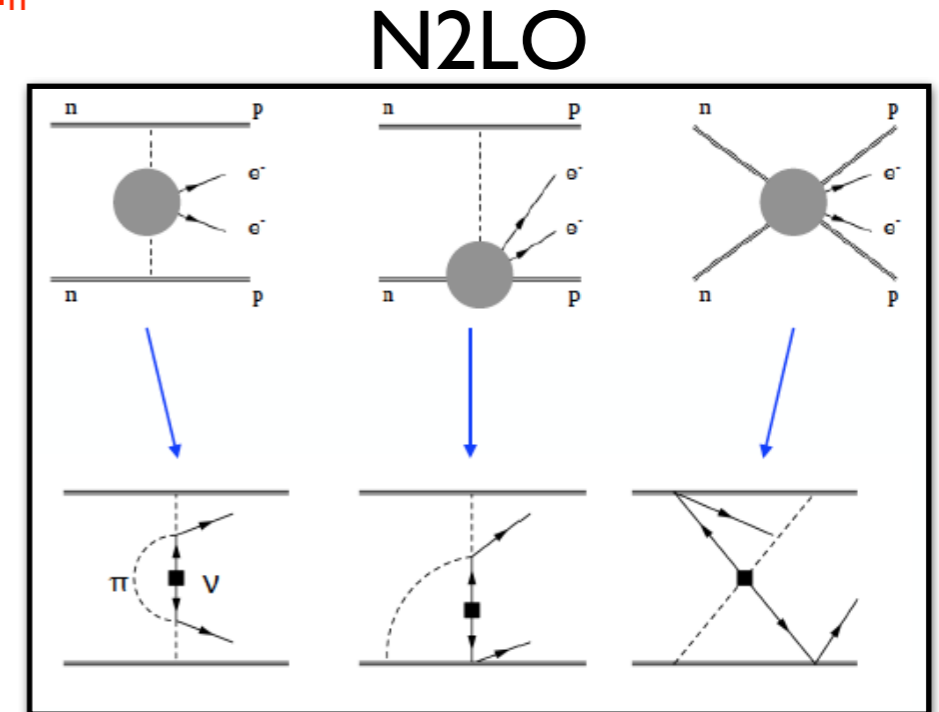
- Only one combination of the EM constants fixed by NN scattering
- Using this as rough estimate of g_V get $O(50\%)$ shift of the matrix element in light nuclei
- **Strong motivation to pursue lattice QCD calculation**

Anatomy of $0\nu\beta\beta$ amplitude

Expansion parameter Q/Λ_χ
with $Q \sim k_F \sim m_\pi$ and $\Lambda_\chi \sim M_n$



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Related to matrix elements and excitation energies needed to predict $2\nu\beta\beta$ decay

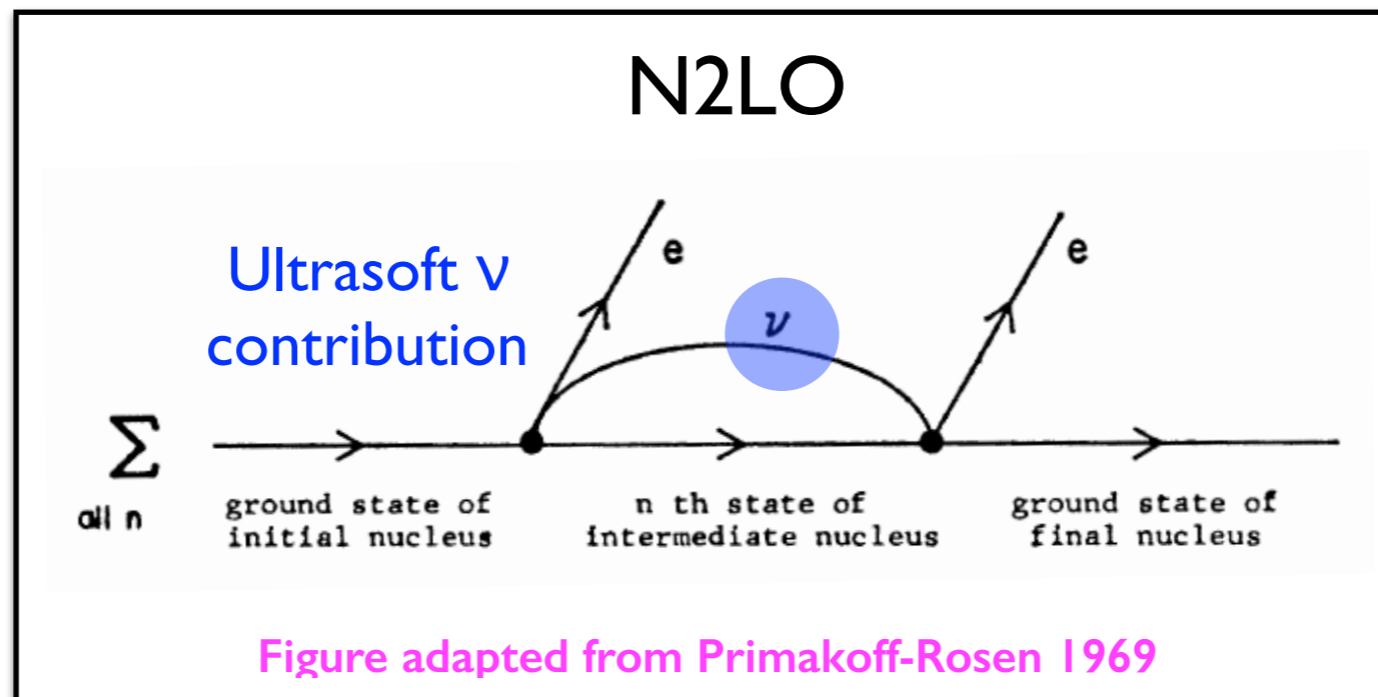
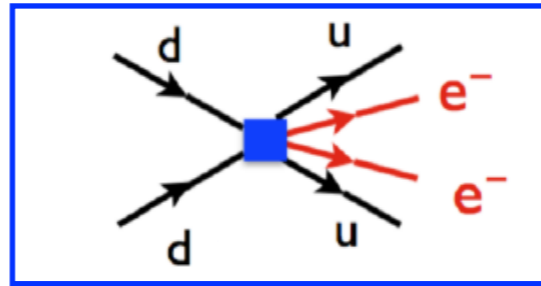


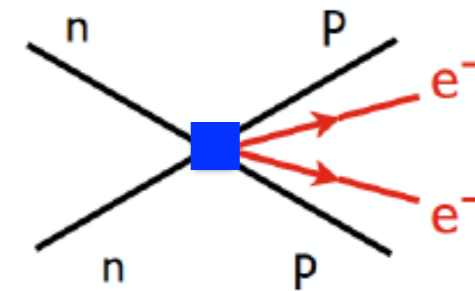
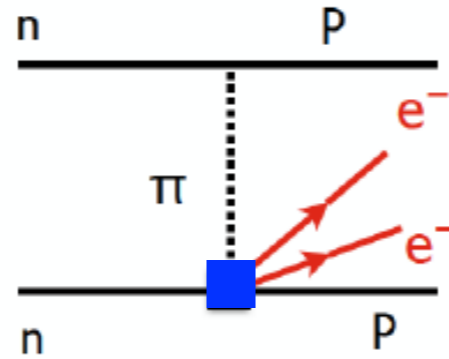
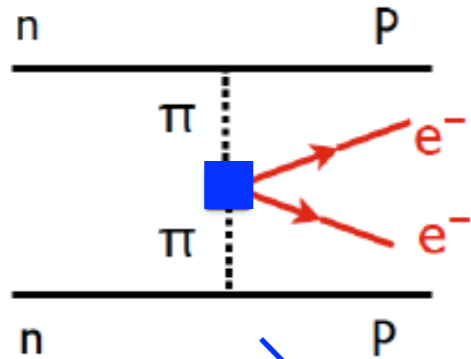
Figure adapted from Primakoff-Rosen 1969

$0\nu\beta\beta$ from $\mathcal{L}^{(9)}_{\Delta L=2}$

Pion-range effects



Short-range effects



$$V_{I=2} \supset (c_{\pi\pi} V_{\pi\pi} + c_{\pi N} V_{\pi N} + c_{NN} V_{NN})$$

Prezeau, Ramsey-Musolf, Vogel hep-ph/0303205

$c_\alpha \sim$ short-distance coupling (model-dep.) \times **hadronic matrix element**

$0\nu\beta\beta$ from $\mathcal{L}_{\Delta L=2}^{(9)}$

- Example: scalar operators

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$$\mathcal{O}_1 = \bar{u}_L \gamma^\mu d_L \bar{u}_L \gamma_\mu d_L$$

$$\mathcal{O}_2 = \bar{u}_L d_R \bar{u}_L d_R, \quad \mathcal{O}_3 = \bar{u}_L^\alpha d_R^\beta \bar{u}_L^\beta d_R^\alpha$$

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- Hadronic realization depends on \mathcal{O}_i 's chiral properties

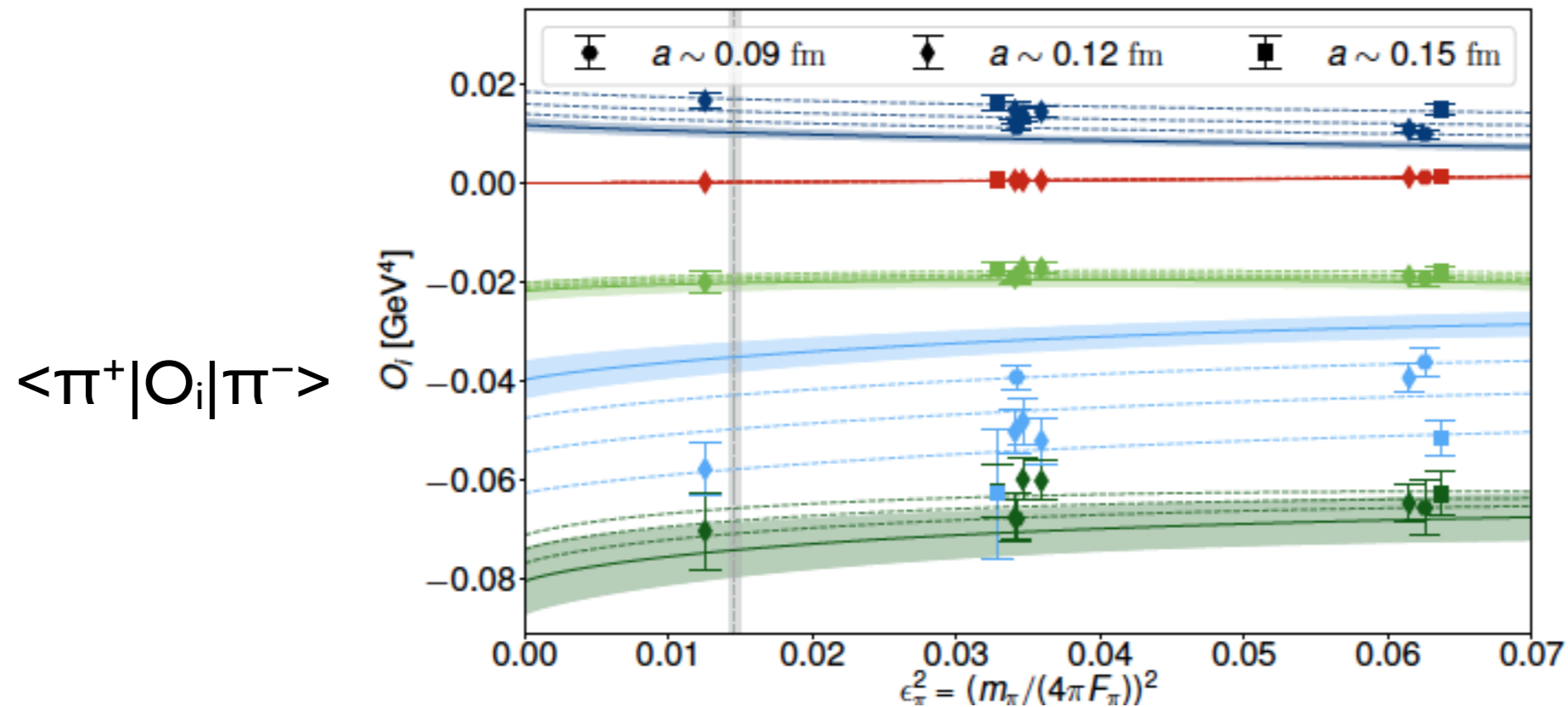
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$$\mathcal{L}_\pi = \frac{F_0^2}{2} \left[\frac{5}{3} g_1^{\pi\pi} C_{1L}^{(9)} \partial_\mu \pi^- \partial^\mu \pi^- + \left(g_4^{\pi\pi} C_{4L}^{(9)} + g_5^{\pi\pi} C_{5L}^{(9)} - g_2^{\pi\pi} C_{2L}^{(9)} - g_3^{\pi\pi} C_{3L}^{(9)} \right) \pi^- \pi^- \right] \times \frac{\bar{e}_L C \bar{e}_L^T}{v^5} + (L \leftrightarrow R) + \dots$$

$$g_1^{\pi\pi} \sim \mathcal{O}(1), \quad g_{2,3,4,5}^{\pi\pi} \sim \mathcal{O}(\Lambda_\chi^2) \quad g_1^{NN} \sim \mathcal{O}(1), \quad g_{2,3,4,5}^{NN} \sim \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{\Lambda_\chi^2}{F_\pi^2}\right)$$

Pion matrix elements from LQCD

Nicholson et al., 1805/02634



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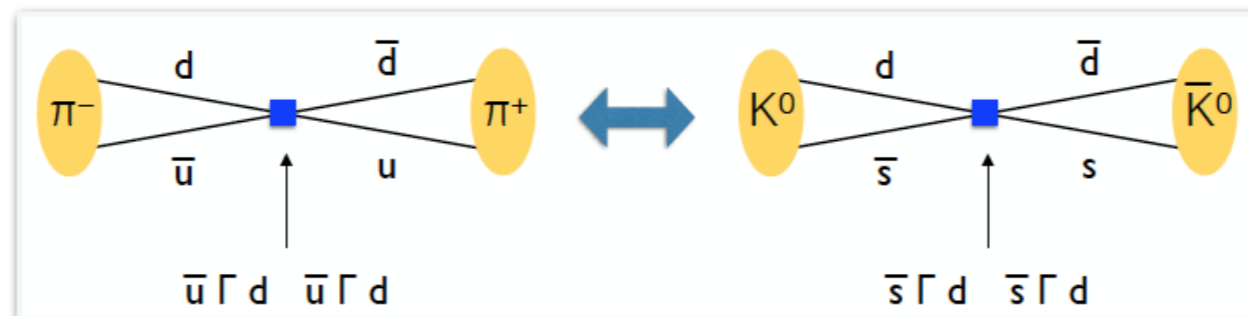
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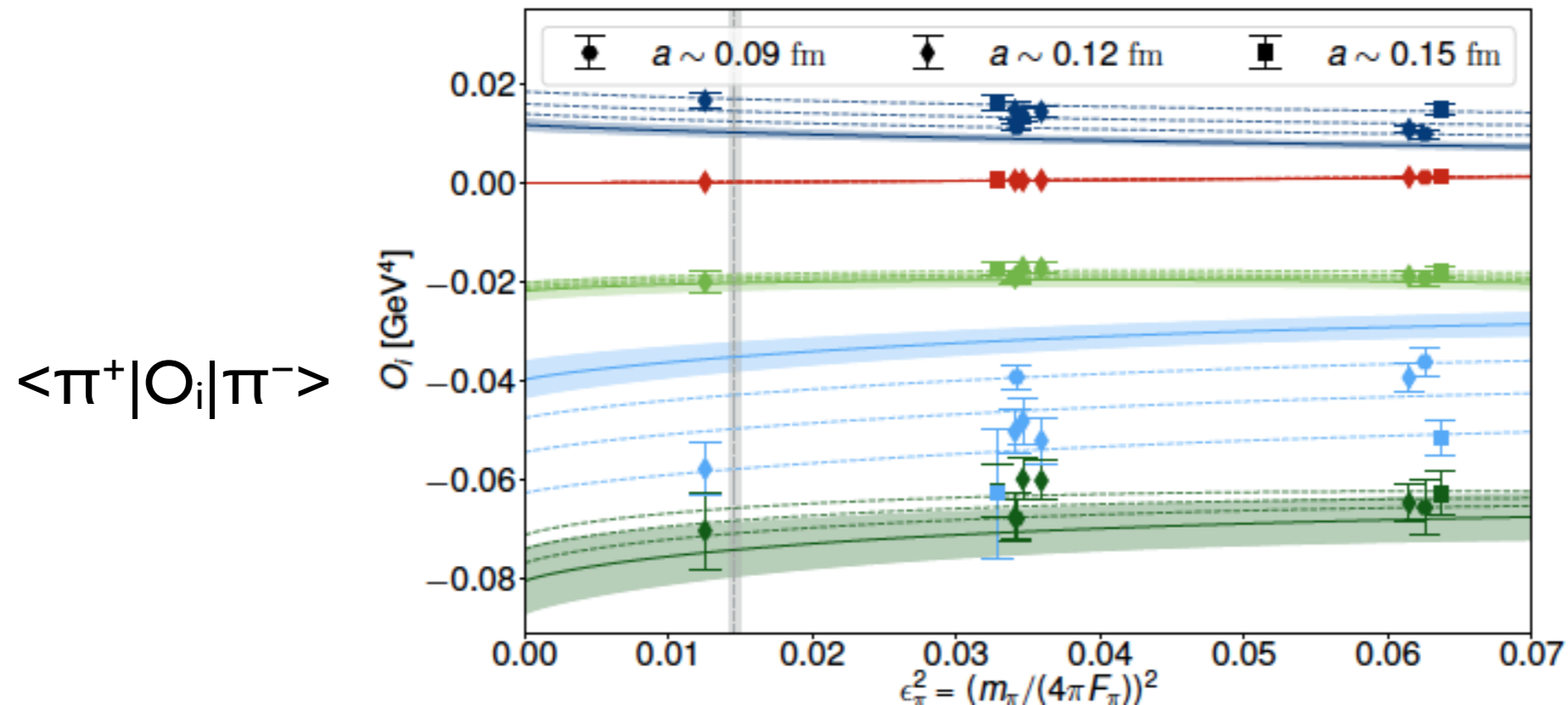
- Quite consistent with result obtained from kaon m.e. via chiral SU(3)



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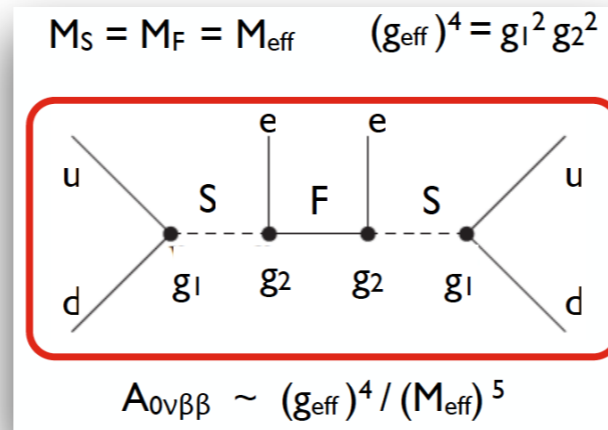
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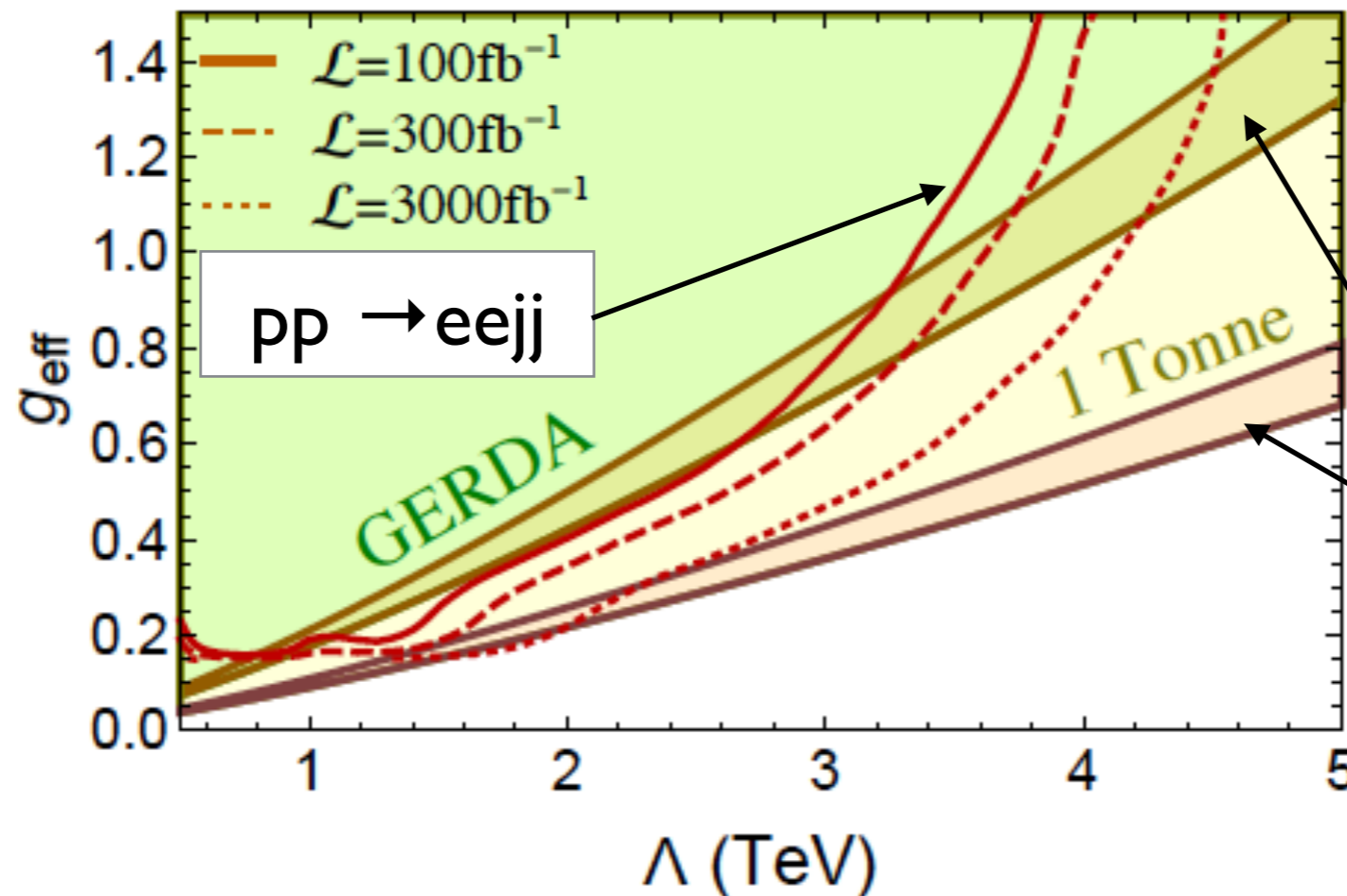
- Result is $< 1/2$ x “vacuum insertion approximation”, commonly used in literature!
- $\langle pp | O_i | nn \rangle$ ($\langle p\pi^+ | O_i | n \rangle$) not yet known from LQCD (only factorization model)
- In some instances, using “wrong hadronization” (e.g. no pion range) leads to factor > 10 change in sensitivity to short-distance couplings

Impact on phenomenology

- Dim-9 ops ($O_{2,3}$) from TeV-scale simplified model \sim RPV-SUSY



Peng, Ramsey-Musolf,
Winslow, 1508.0444



Sensitivity study:
 $0\nu\beta\beta$ vs LHC
(current and future)

Plot assumes 30%
uncertainty in the
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matrix elements
and VIA for $\pi\pi\pi$
matrix element
($> 2 \times$ lattice result)

Electric Dipole Moments

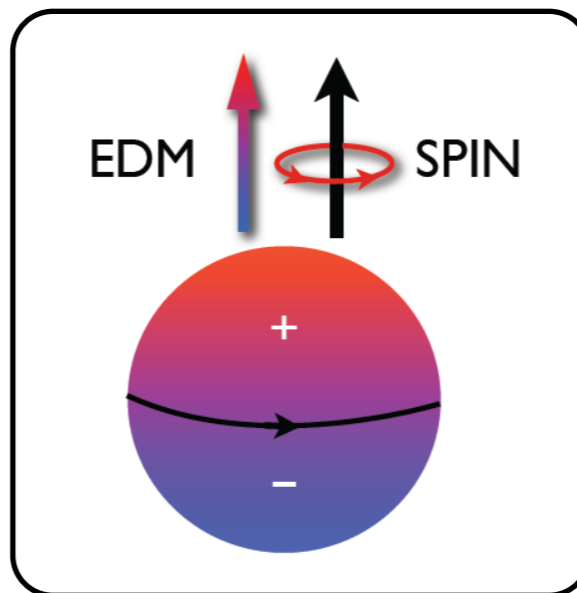
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Classical picture →

Quantum level:
Wigner-Eckart theorem



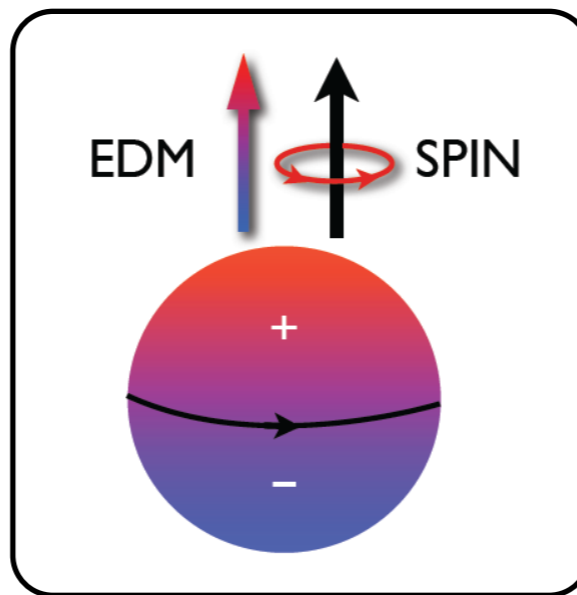
$$\vec{d} = \sum_i q_i \vec{r}_i$$

$$\vec{d} = d \vec{J}$$

CPT invariance \Rightarrow nonzero EDMs signal CP violation

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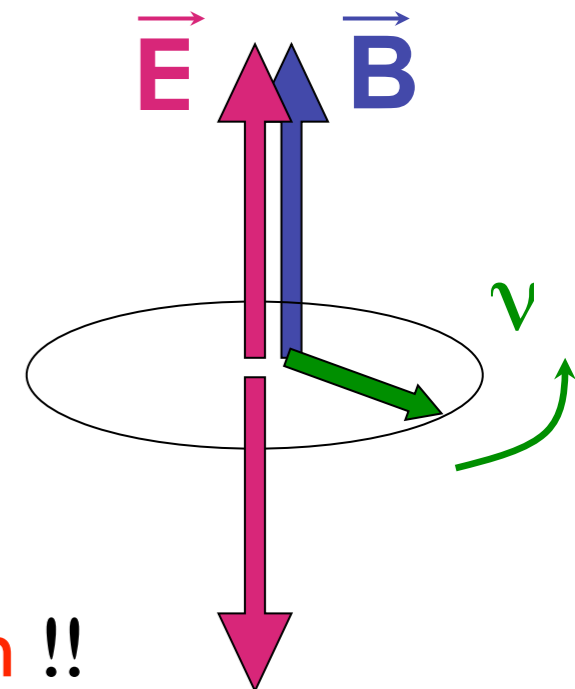


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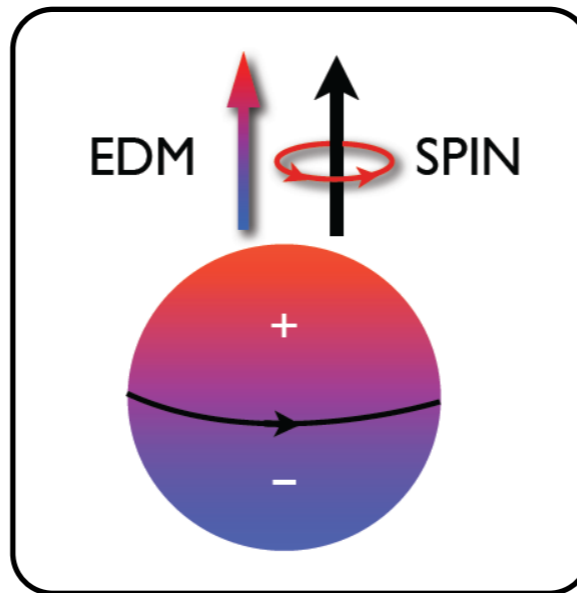
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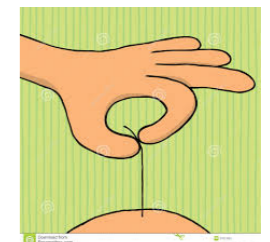


Neutron = Earth



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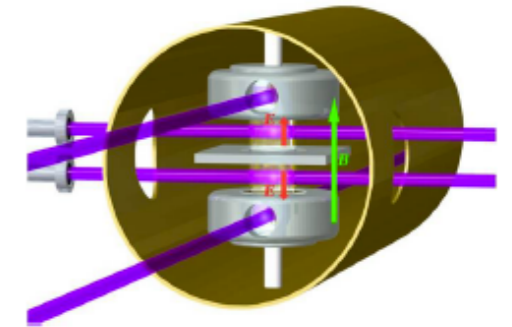
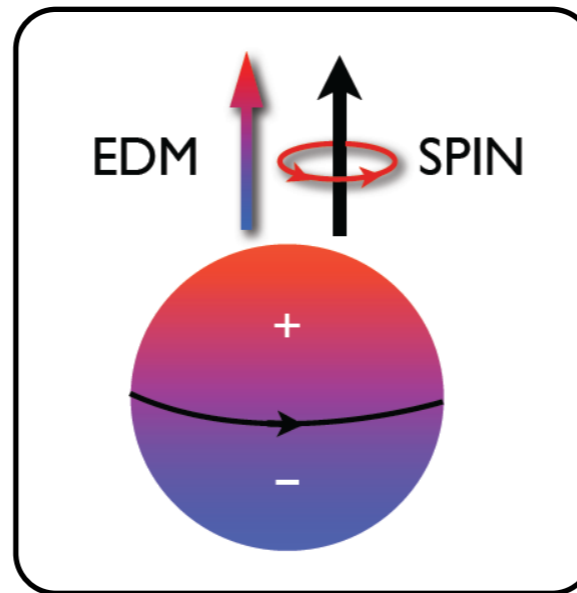


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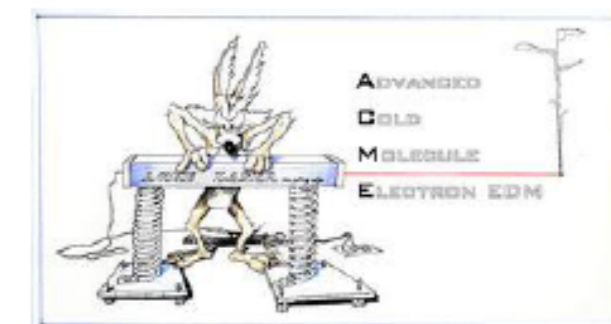
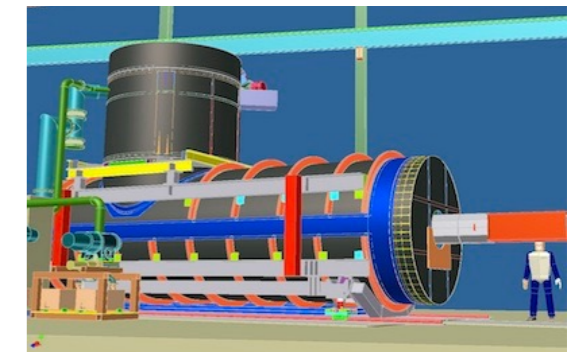
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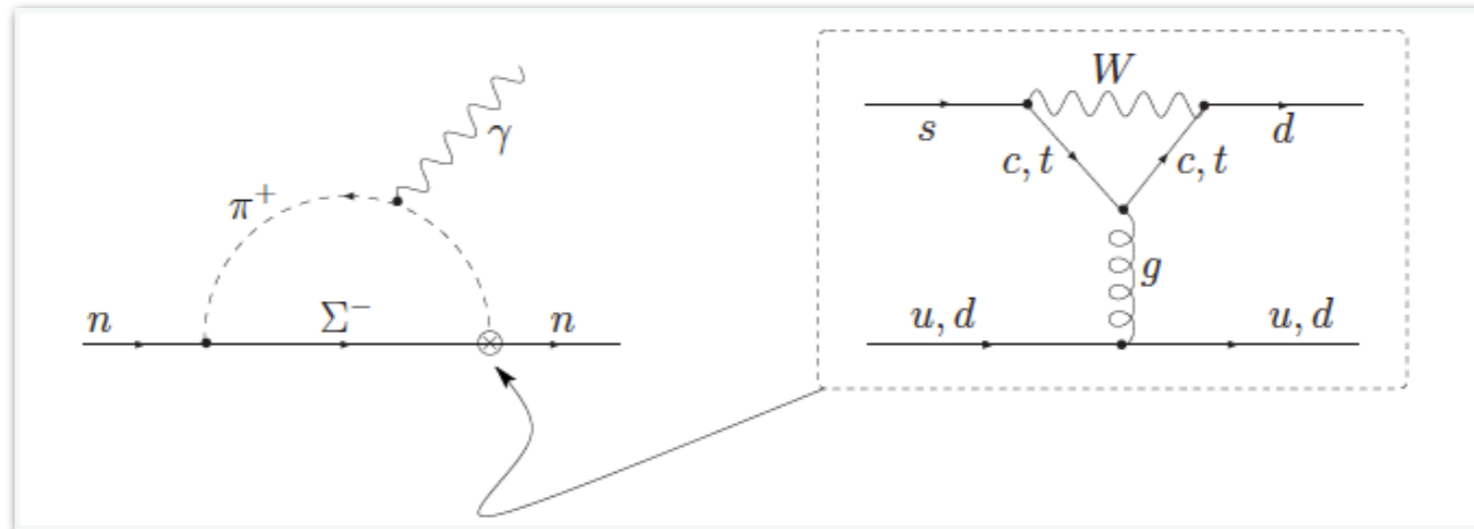
- Ongoing** and planned searches in several systems, probing different sources of T (CP) violation

- ★ n, p
- ★ Light nuclei: d, t, h
- ★ Atoms: diamagnetic ($^{129}\text{Xe}, ^{199}\text{Hg}, ^{225}\text{Ra}, \dots$);
paramagnetic ($^{205}\text{Tl}, \dots$)
- ★ Molecules: $\text{YbF}, \text{ThO}, \dots$



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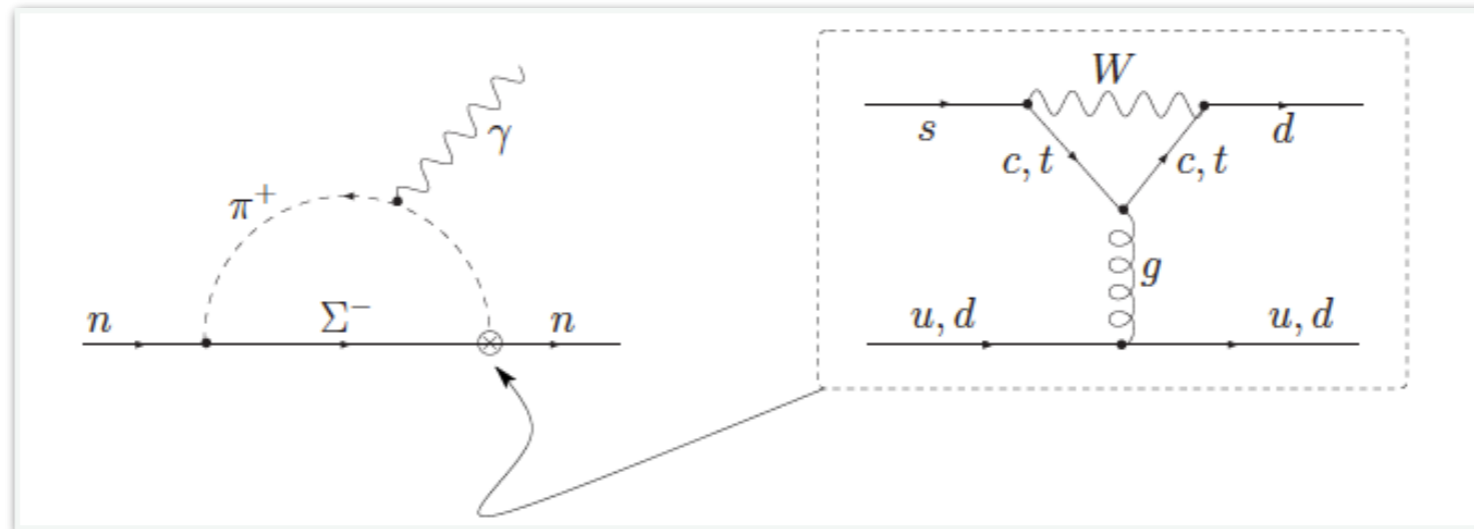
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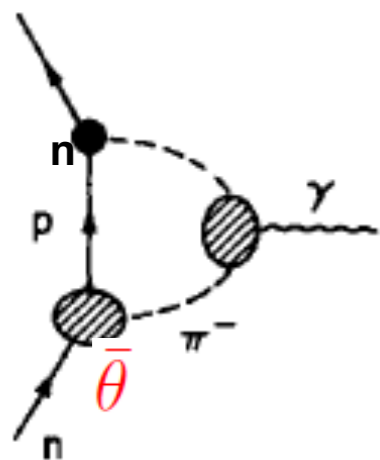


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$$d_n \sim \frac{m_*}{\Lambda_{\text{had}}^2} e \bar{\theta} \sim 10^{-17} \bar{\theta} \text{ e cm} \rightarrow |\bar{\theta}| < 10^{-9}$$

$$m_* = \frac{1}{\sum_i (1/m_i)} \simeq \frac{m_u m_d}{m_u + m_d}$$

Motivated mechanisms to dynamically relax $\bar{\theta}$ to zero

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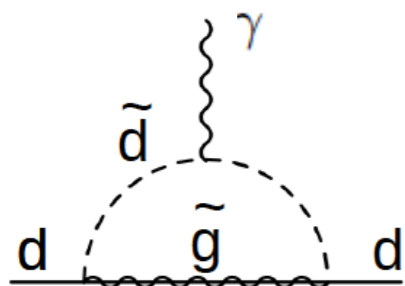
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$$\frac{\alpha_s}{4\pi} \frac{v^2}{M_{SUSY}^2} \times \phi_{CP} \times 10^{-22} \text{ e cm}$$

- Probe key ingredient for baryogenesis (CPV in SM is insufficient)

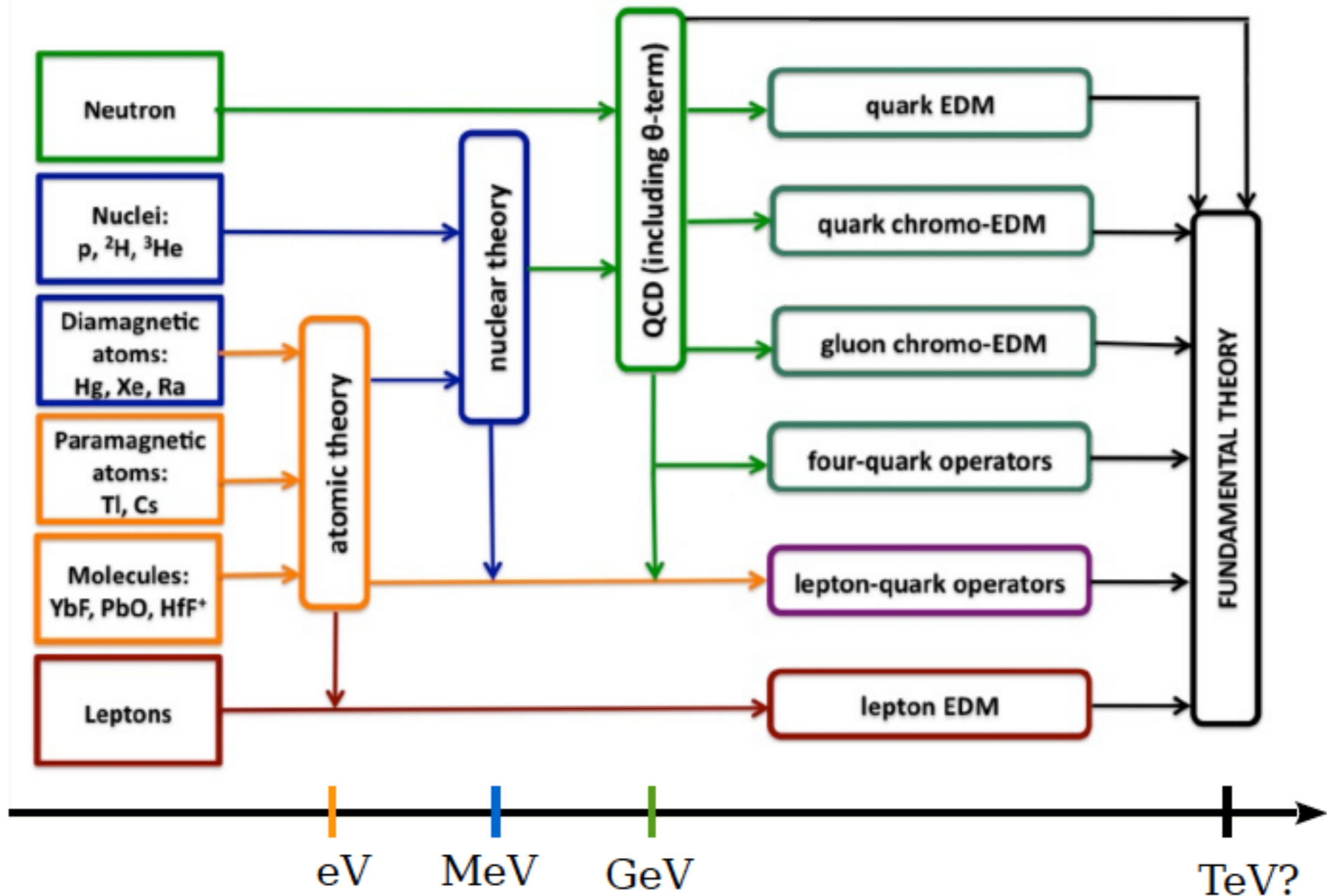
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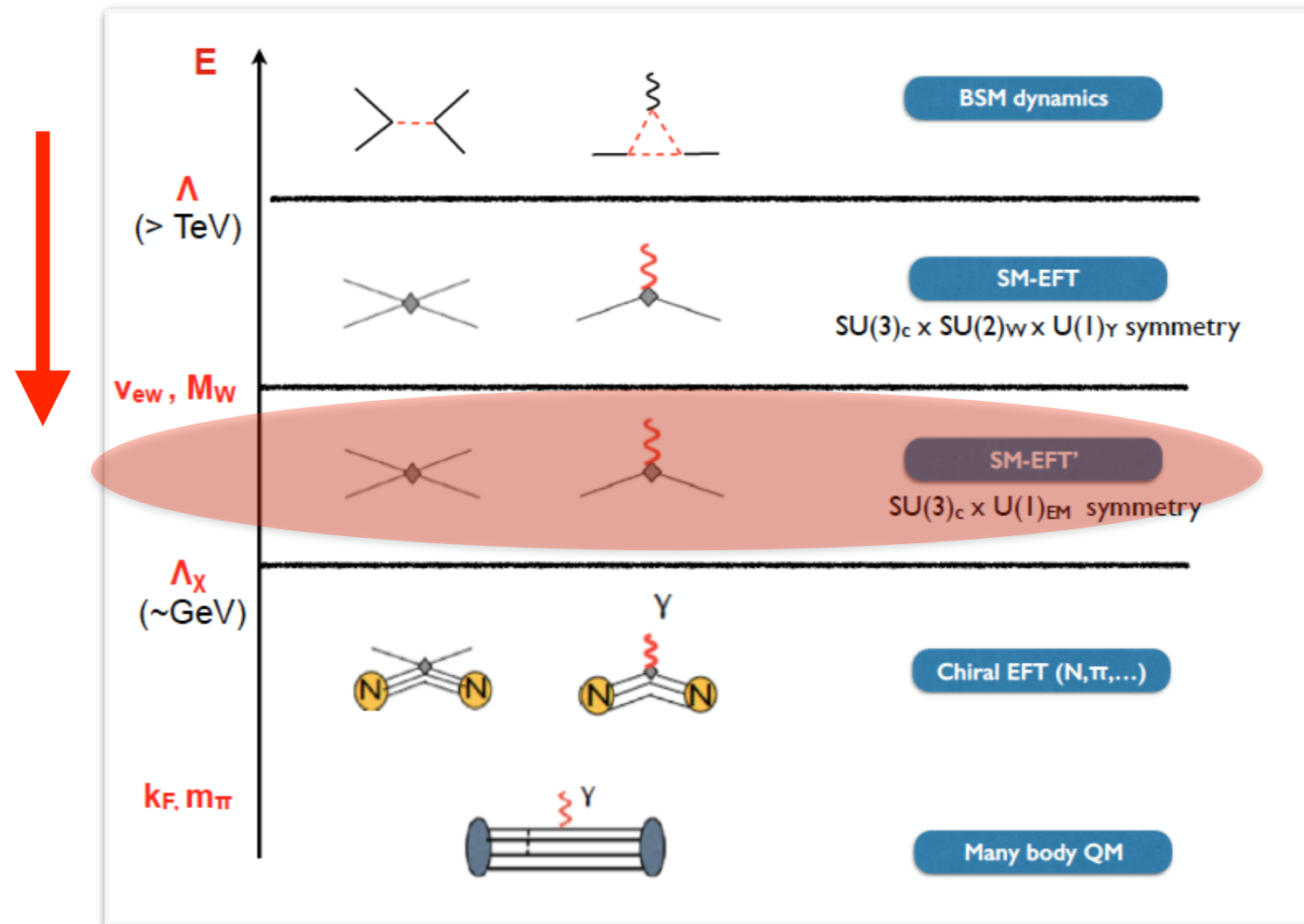
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Electric and chromo-electric
dipoles of fermions

Gluon chromo-EDM
(Weinberg operator)

Semileptonic and
4-quark

$$d_f, \tilde{d}_q \sim \frac{v_{ew}}{\Lambda^2}$$

$$d_W \sim \frac{1}{\Lambda^2}$$

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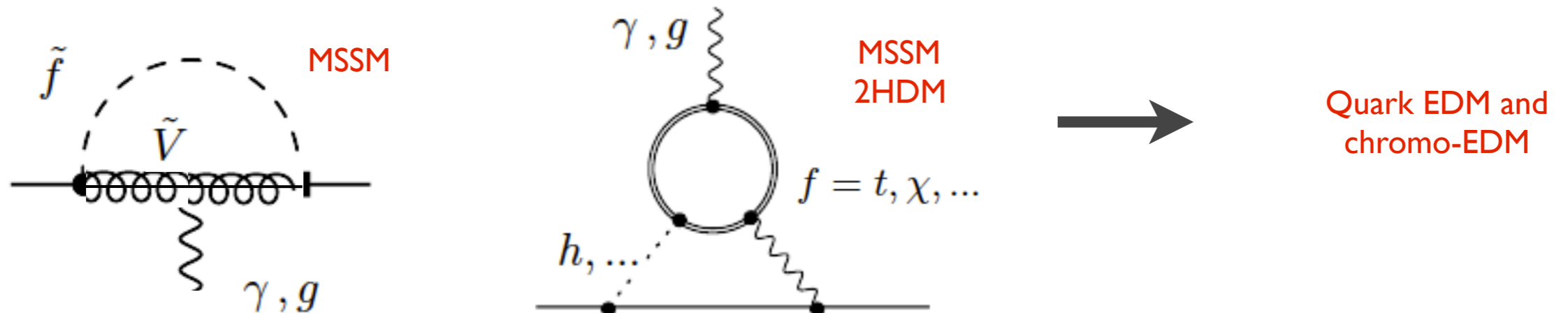
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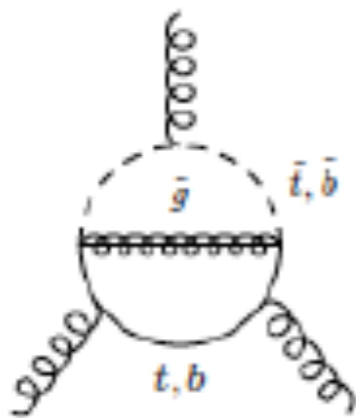


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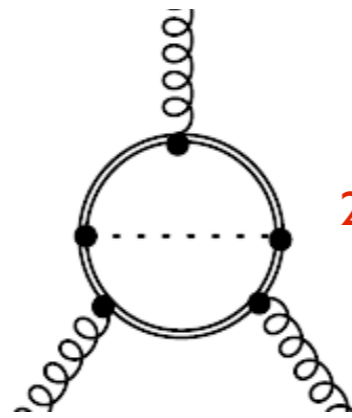
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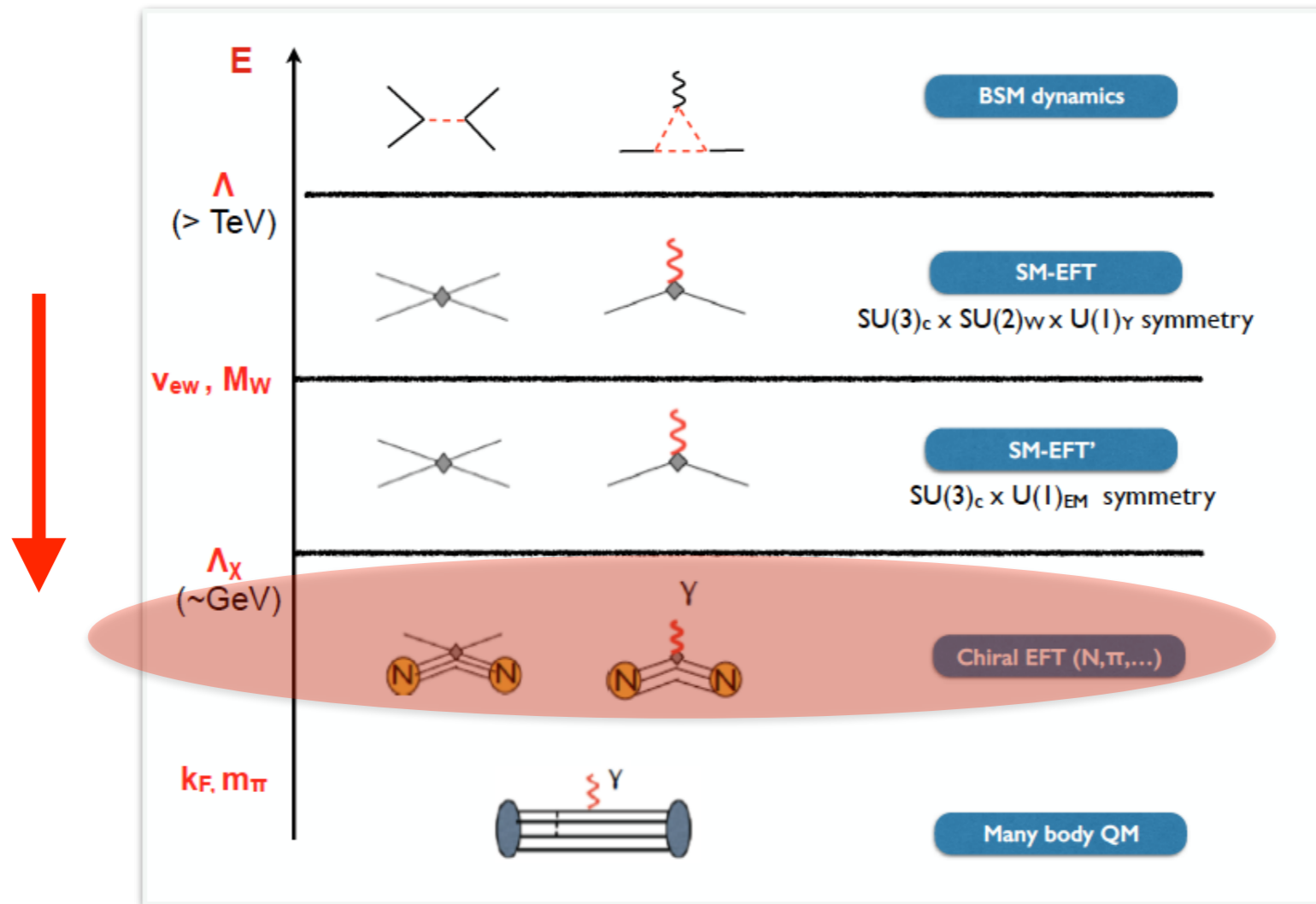
2HDM



Weinberg operator

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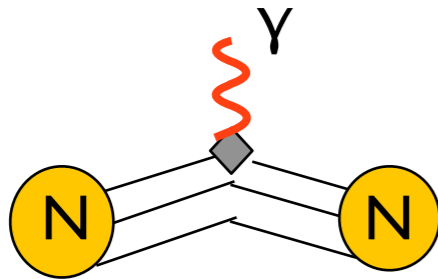


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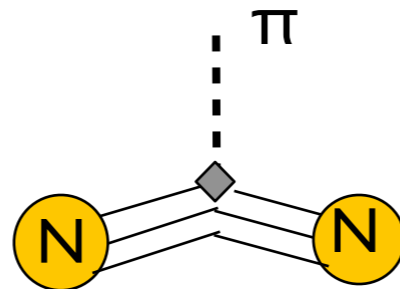
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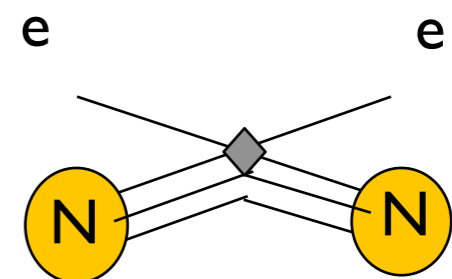
Electron and Nucleon EDMs



T-odd P-odd pion-nucleon couplings



Short-range 4N and 2N2e coupling



$d_N[d_q]$ known with 10% uncertainty (lattice QCD)

Other $d_N[c_\alpha] \quad \bar{g}_{0,1}[c_\alpha] \quad \dots$ $\mathcal{O}(100\%)$ uncertainty

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Lattice QCD calculation: Bhattacharya et al 1506.04196

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QCD Sum Rules (50% guesstimate)

QCD Sum Rules + NDA (~100%)

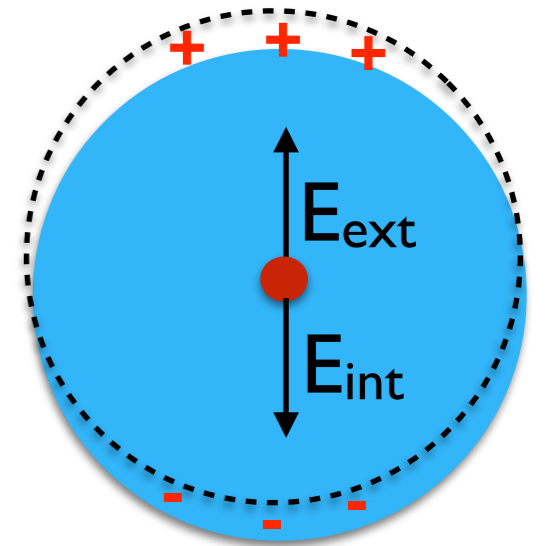
$$\bar{g}_0 = (5 \pm 10)(\tilde{d}_u + \tilde{d}_d) \text{ fm}^{-1}, \quad \bar{g}_1 = (20_{-10}^{+40})(\tilde{d}_u - \tilde{d}_d) \text{ fm}^{-1}$$

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Towards lattice QCD calculation: Walker-Loud and Mereghetti

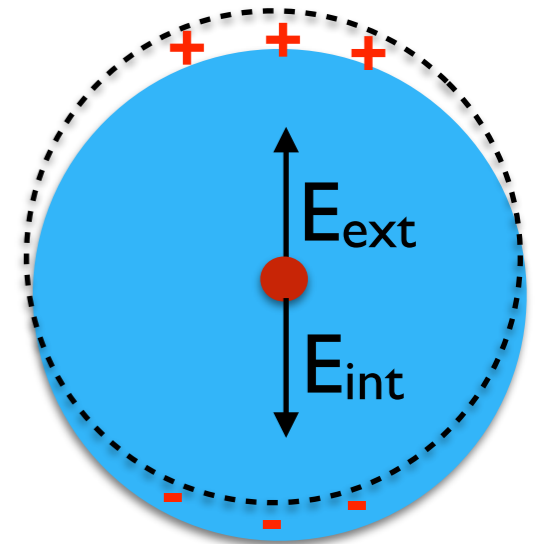
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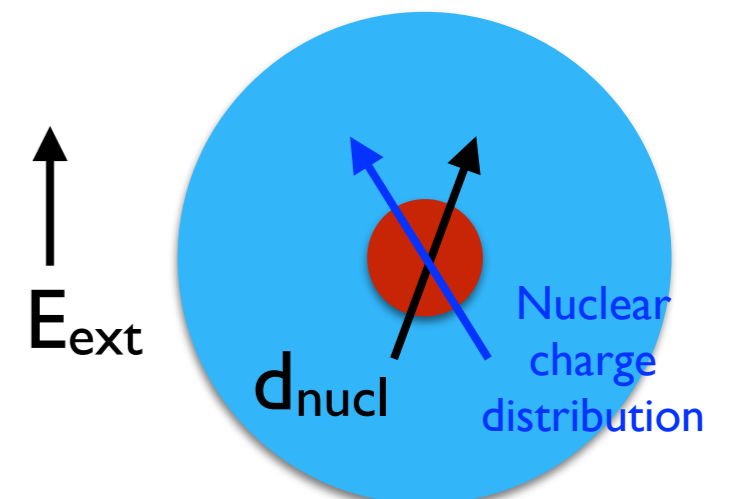
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Suppression $d_A \sim Z^2 (R_N/R_A)^2 d_{\text{nucl}}$

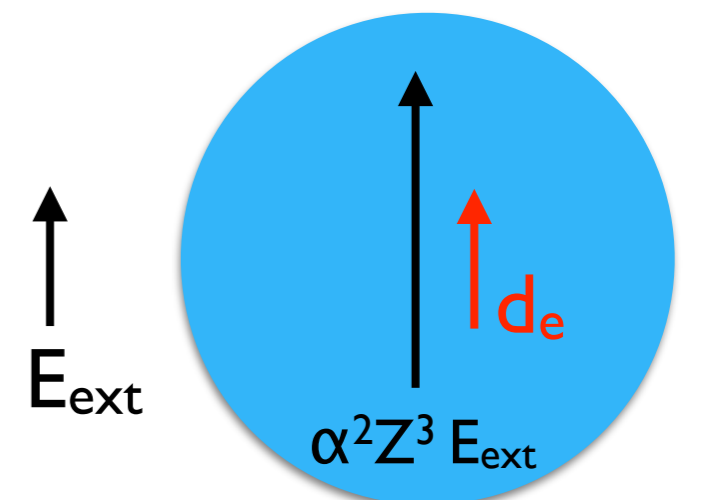
Schiff 1963



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Enhancement $d_A \sim \alpha^2 Z^3 d_e$

Sandars 1965



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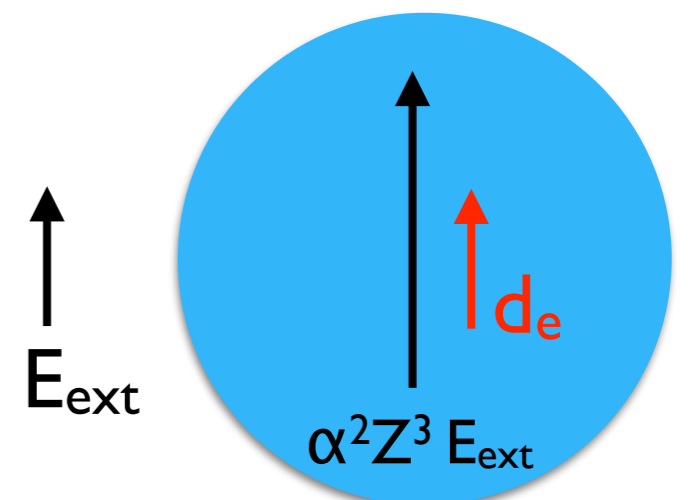
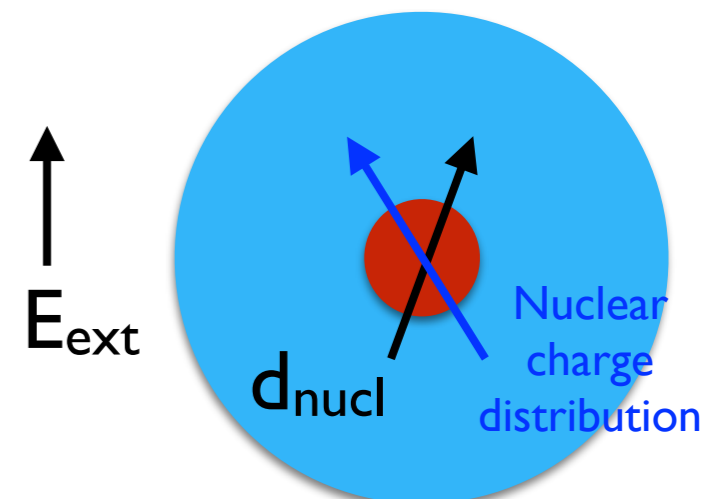
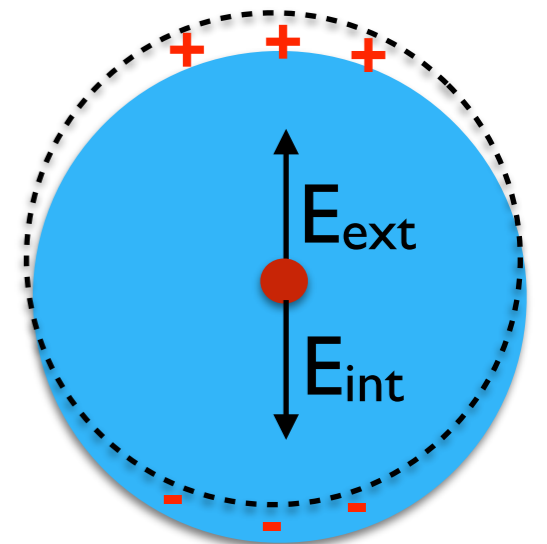
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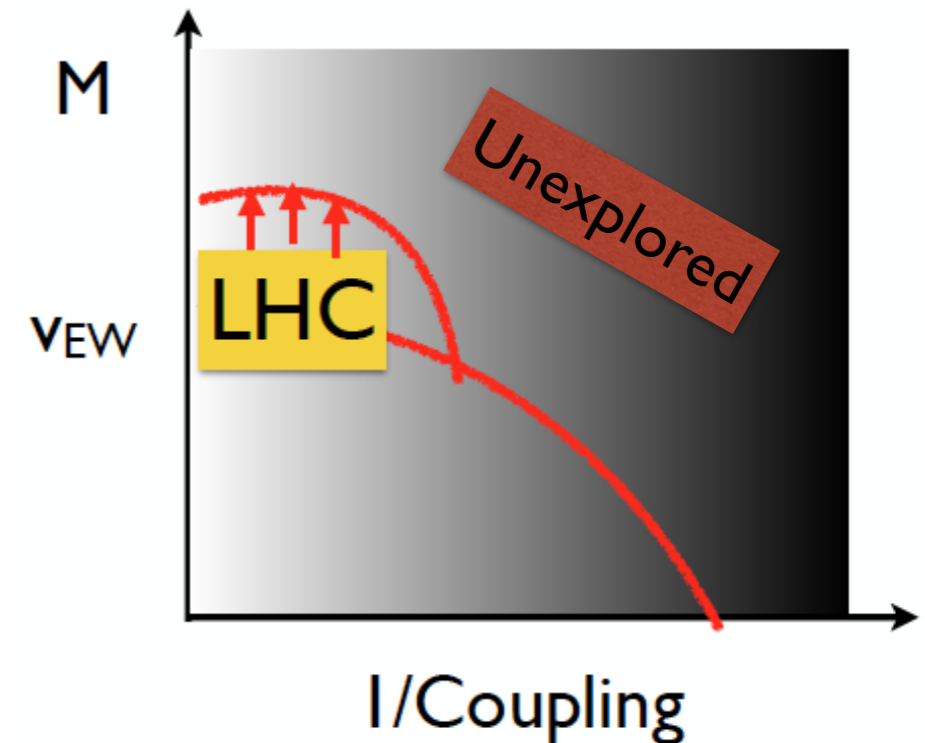
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EDMs in the LHC era

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 - Higgs boson @ 125 GeV
 - Everything else is quite heavier (or very light)

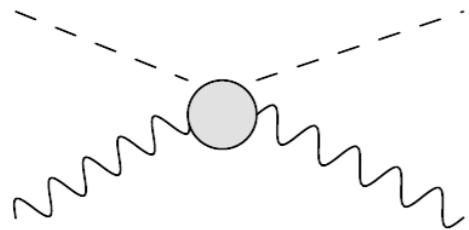


- *EDMs more relevant than ever:*
 - Strong constraints of non-standard **CPV Higgs couplings**
 - One of few observables probing **PeV scale supersymmetry**

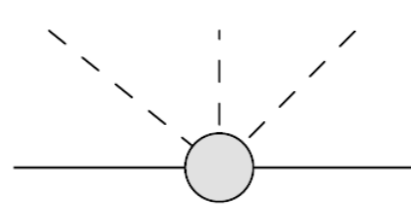
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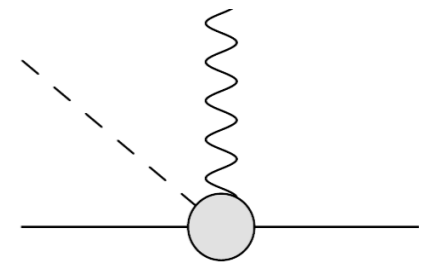
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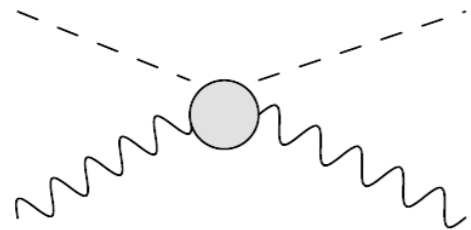


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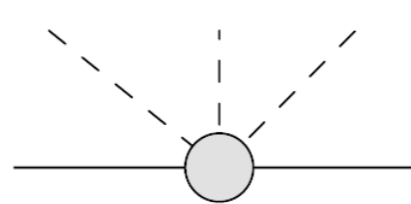
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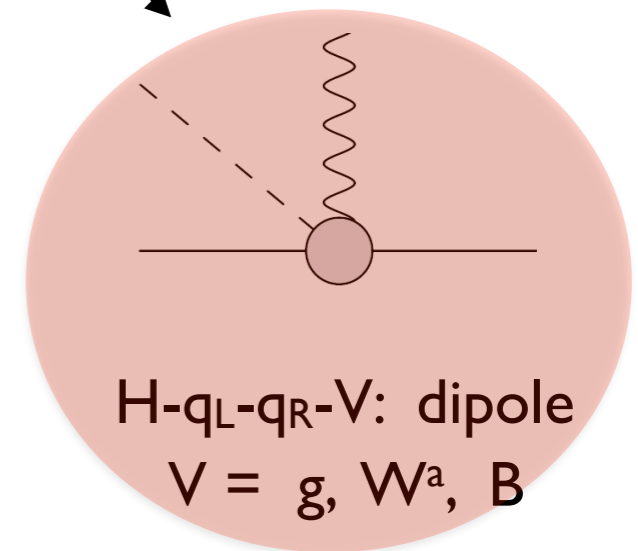
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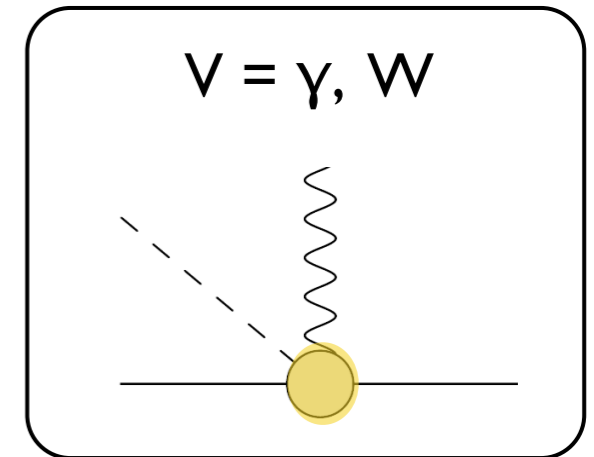
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Rich literature. Here discuss only case of top quark EW dipoles

Higgs-top couplings

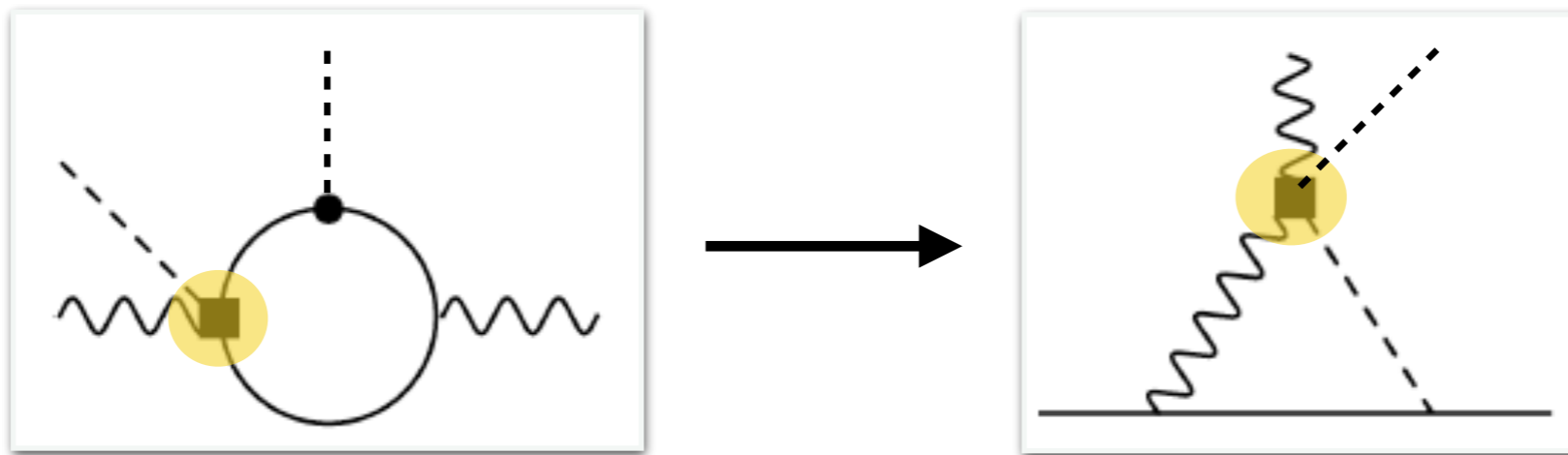
- **Top quark particularly interesting:** strongest coupling to Higgs; largest deviations from SM in several BSM scenarios; LHC is a top factory

C_γ, C_{Wt}



H- t_L - t_R -V: EW top dipoles

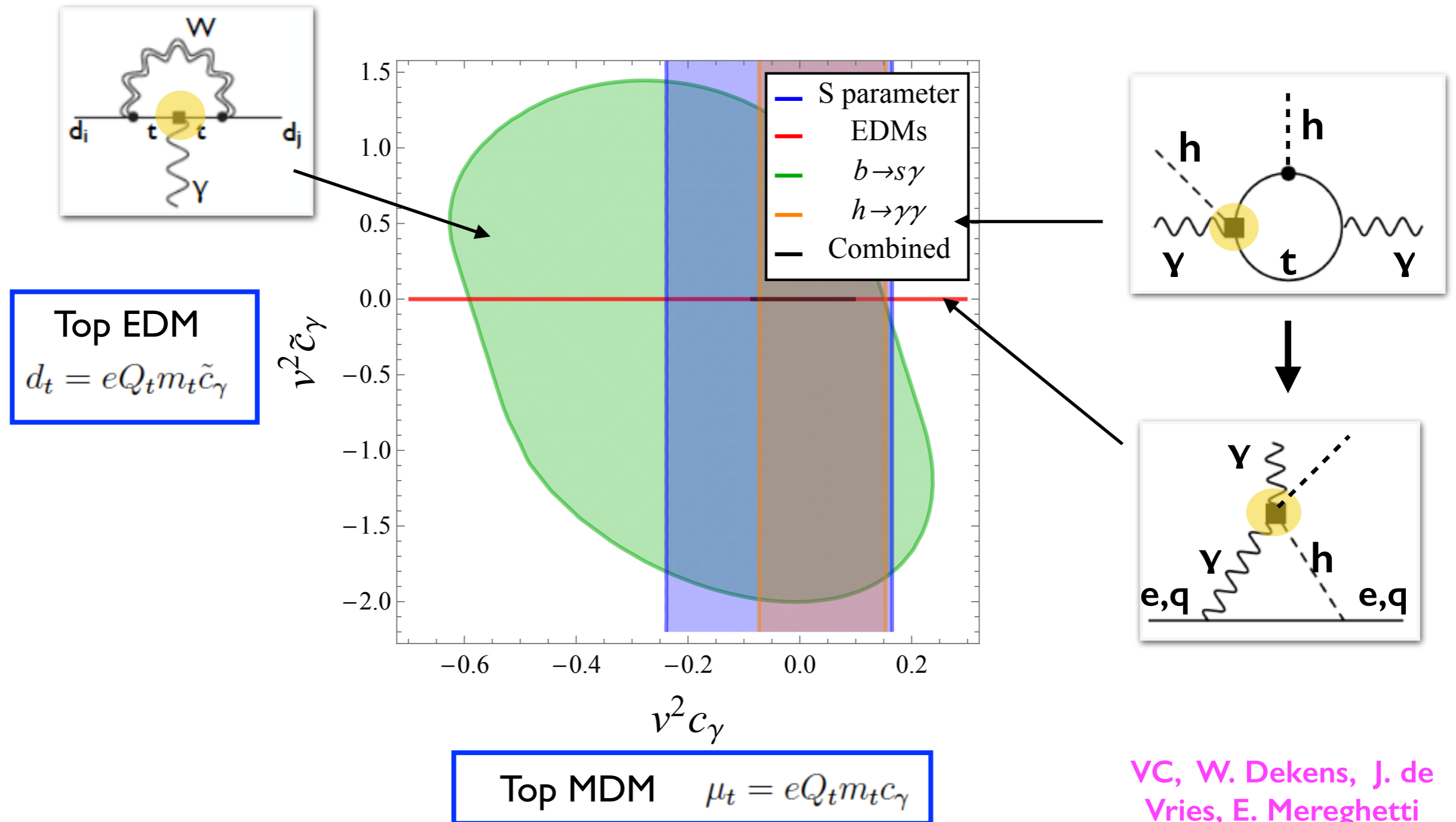
- C_γ, C_{Wt} affect eEDM and qEDMs via two-step mixing



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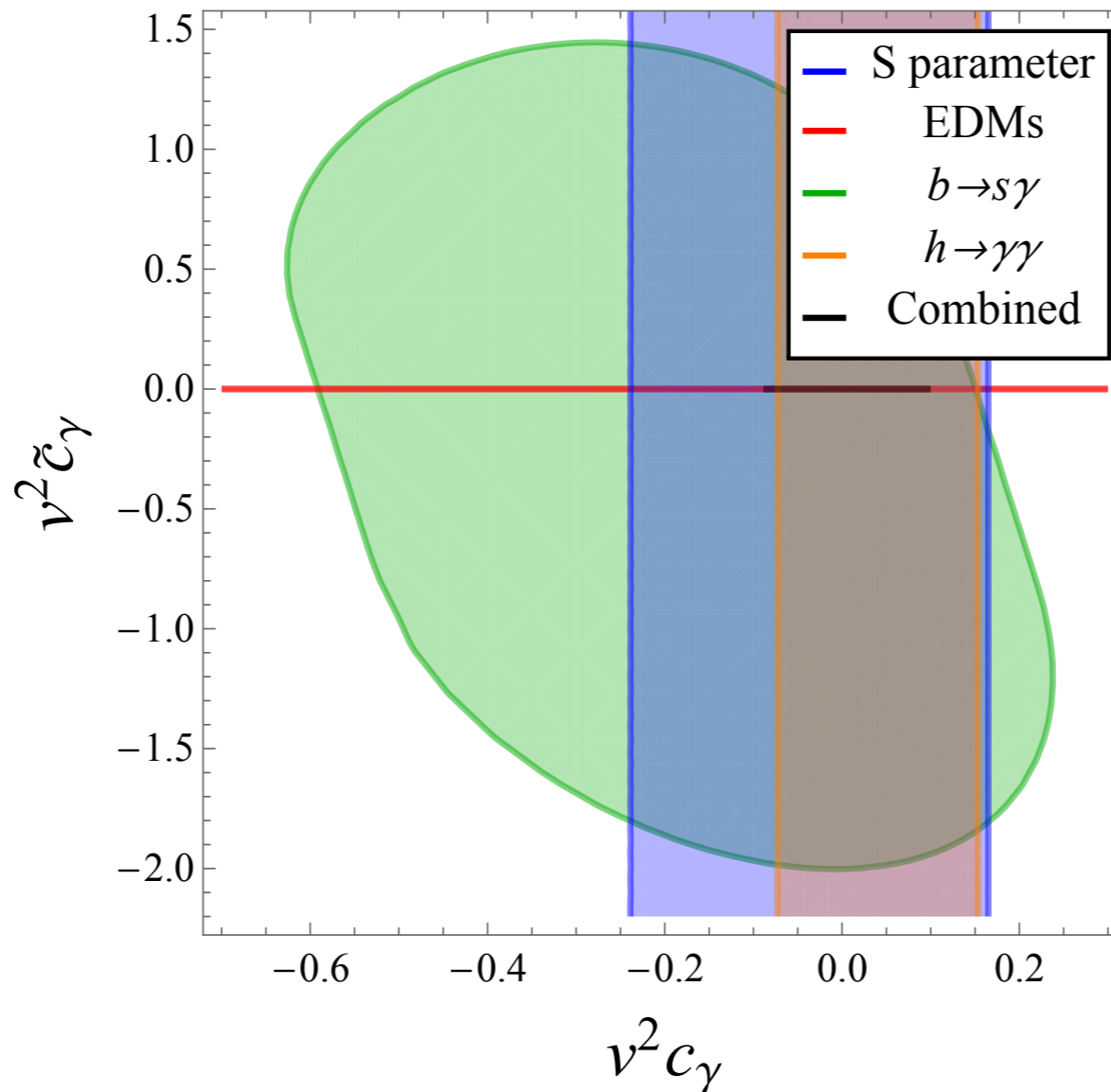
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Top EDM
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Top MDM $\mu_t = eQ_t m_t c_\gamma$

Bound on top EDM improved by three orders of magnitude:
 $|d_t| < 5 \times 10^{-20}$ e cm

Dominated by eEDM

1000x stronger than direct LHC sensitivity
 (pp \rightarrow jet t γ)

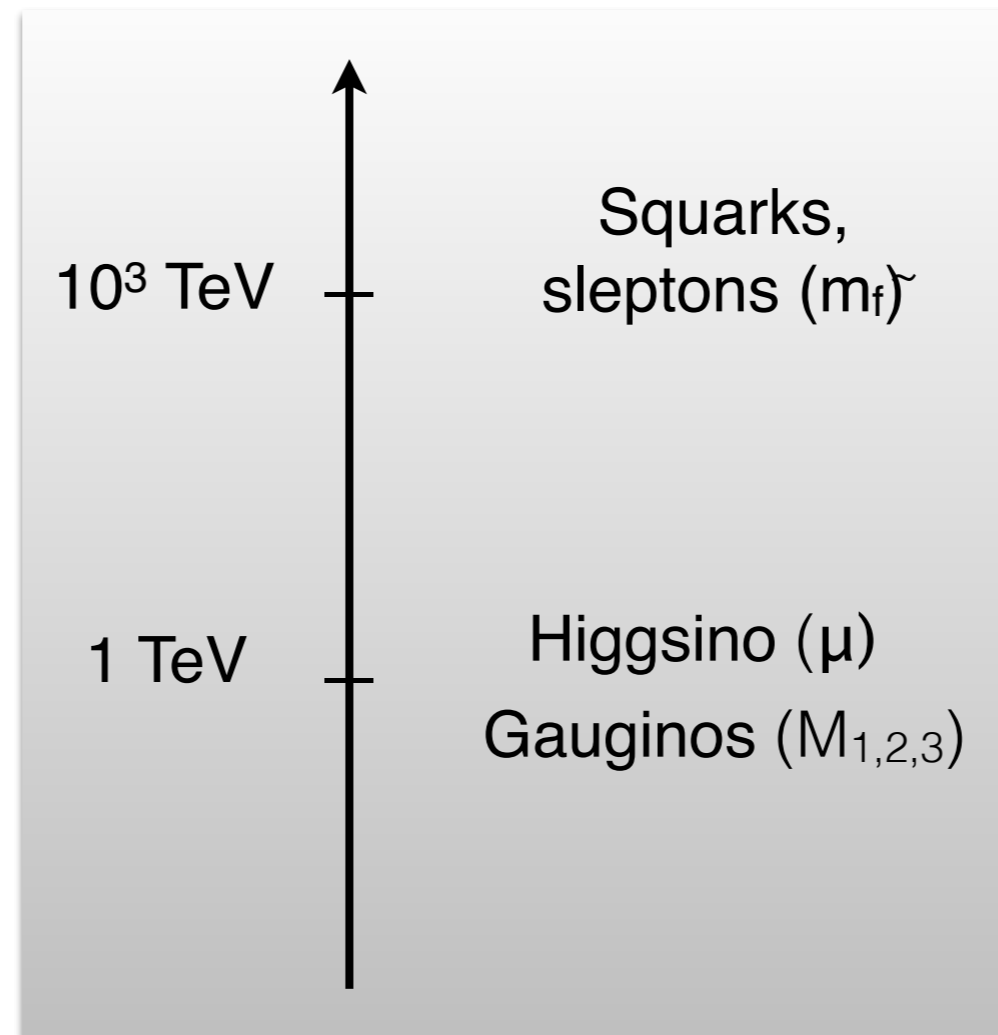
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EDMs in high-scale SUSY (I)

- Higgs mass + absence of other signals point to heavy super-partners
- “Split-SUSY”: retain gauge coupling unification and DM candidate

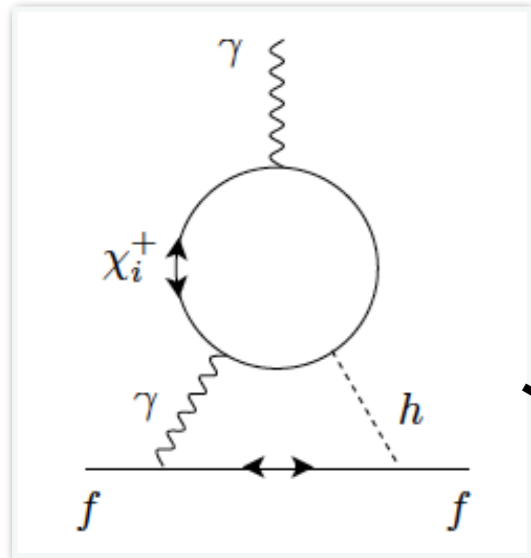
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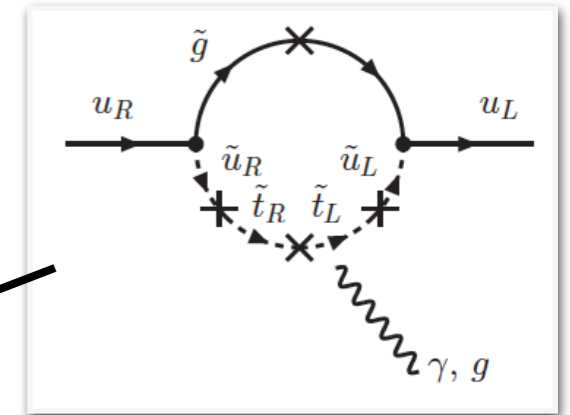
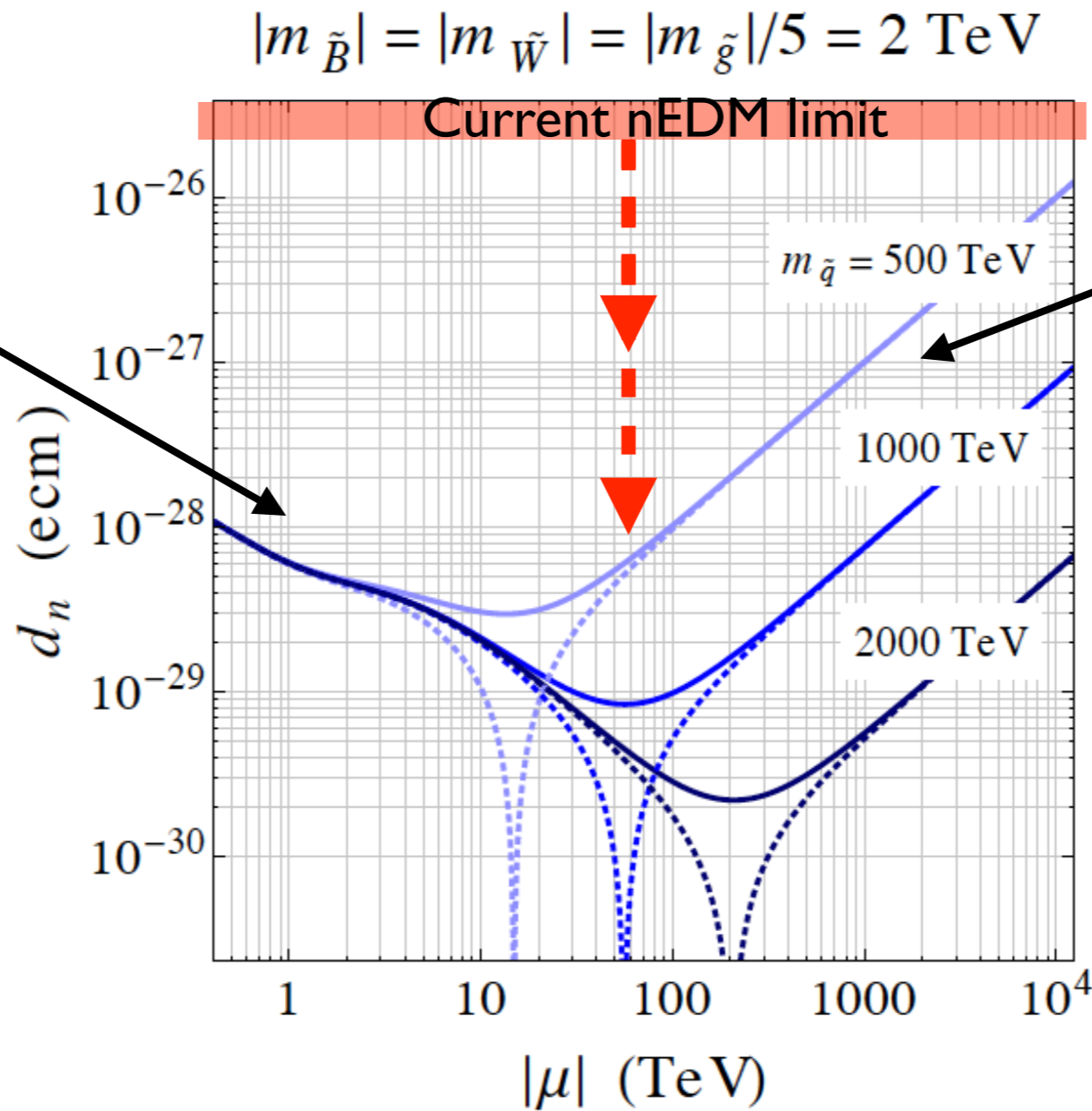
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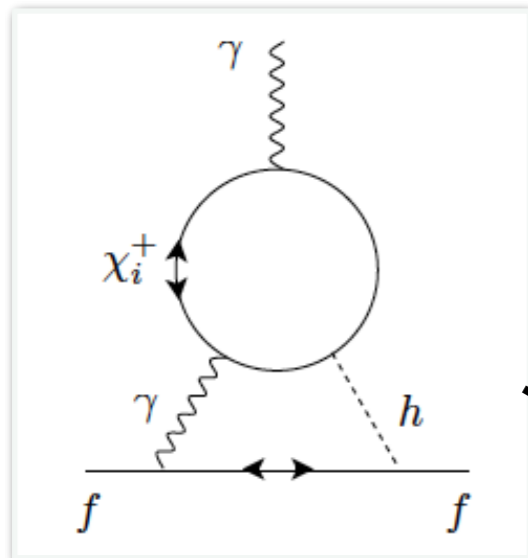


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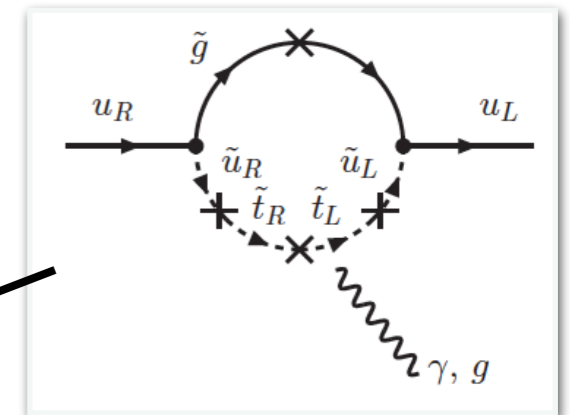
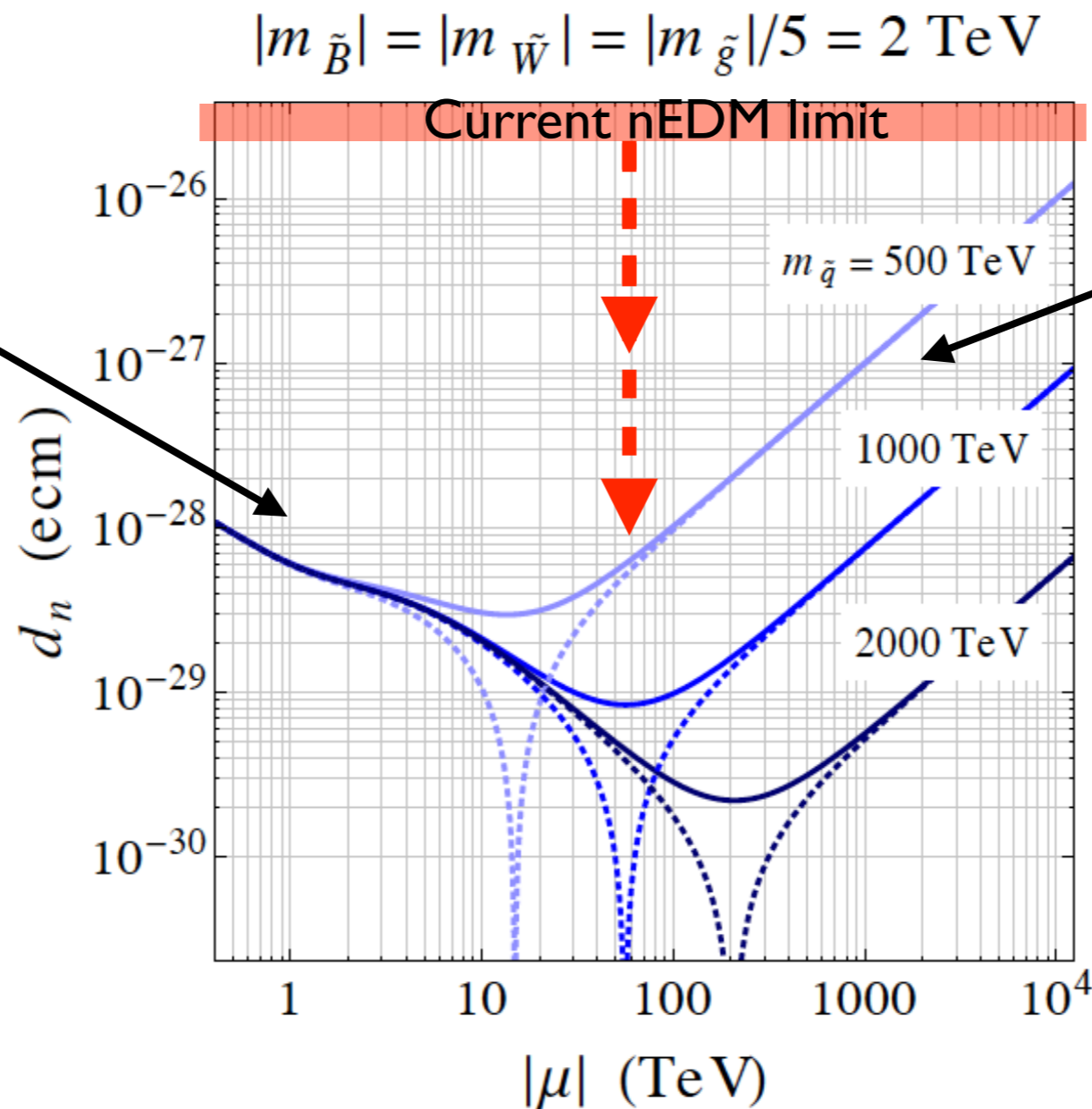
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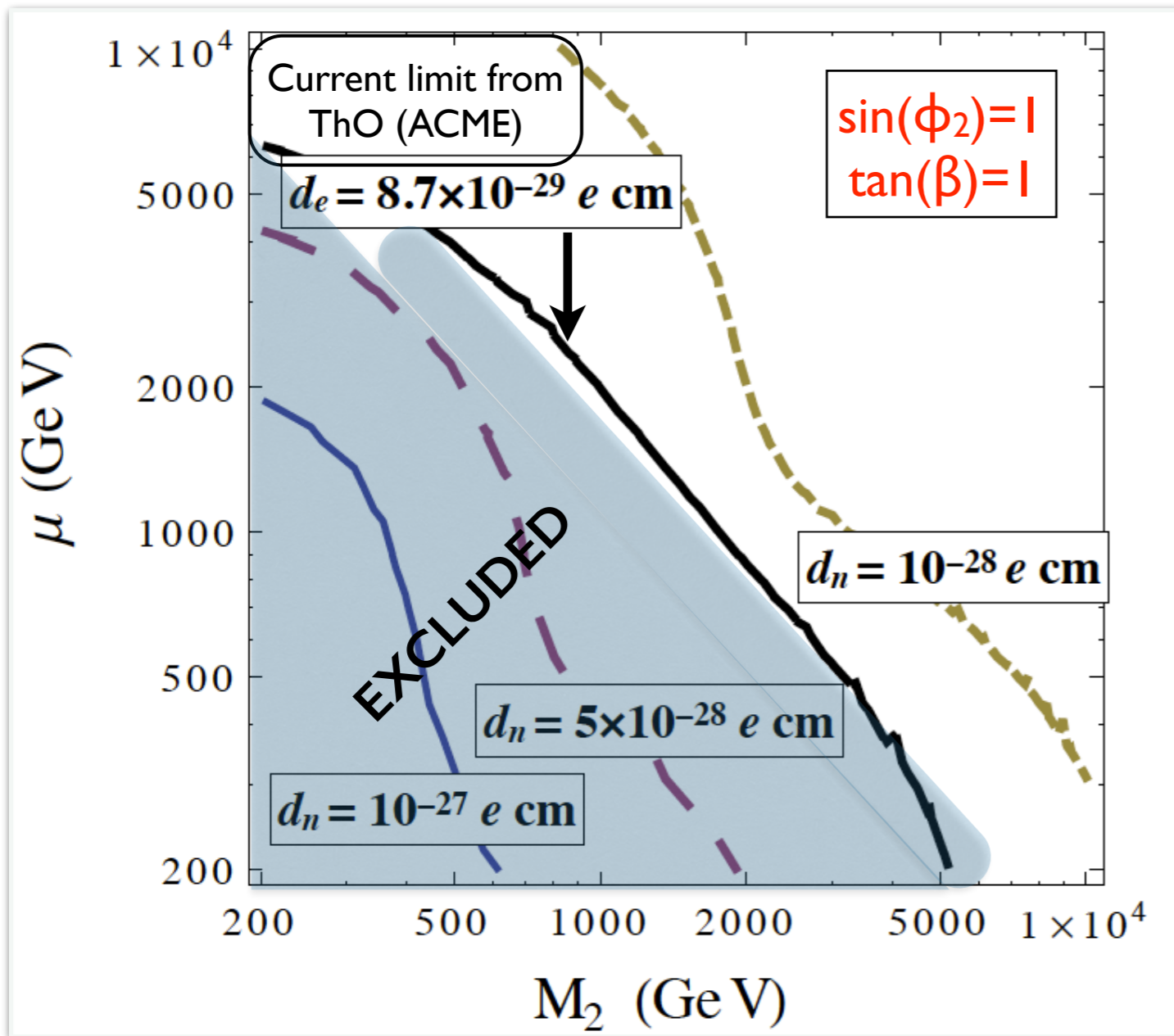
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For $|\mu| < 10 \text{ TeV}$, $m_{\tilde{q}} \sim 1000 \text{ TeV}$, same CPV phase controls $d_e, d_n \rightarrow$ correlation?

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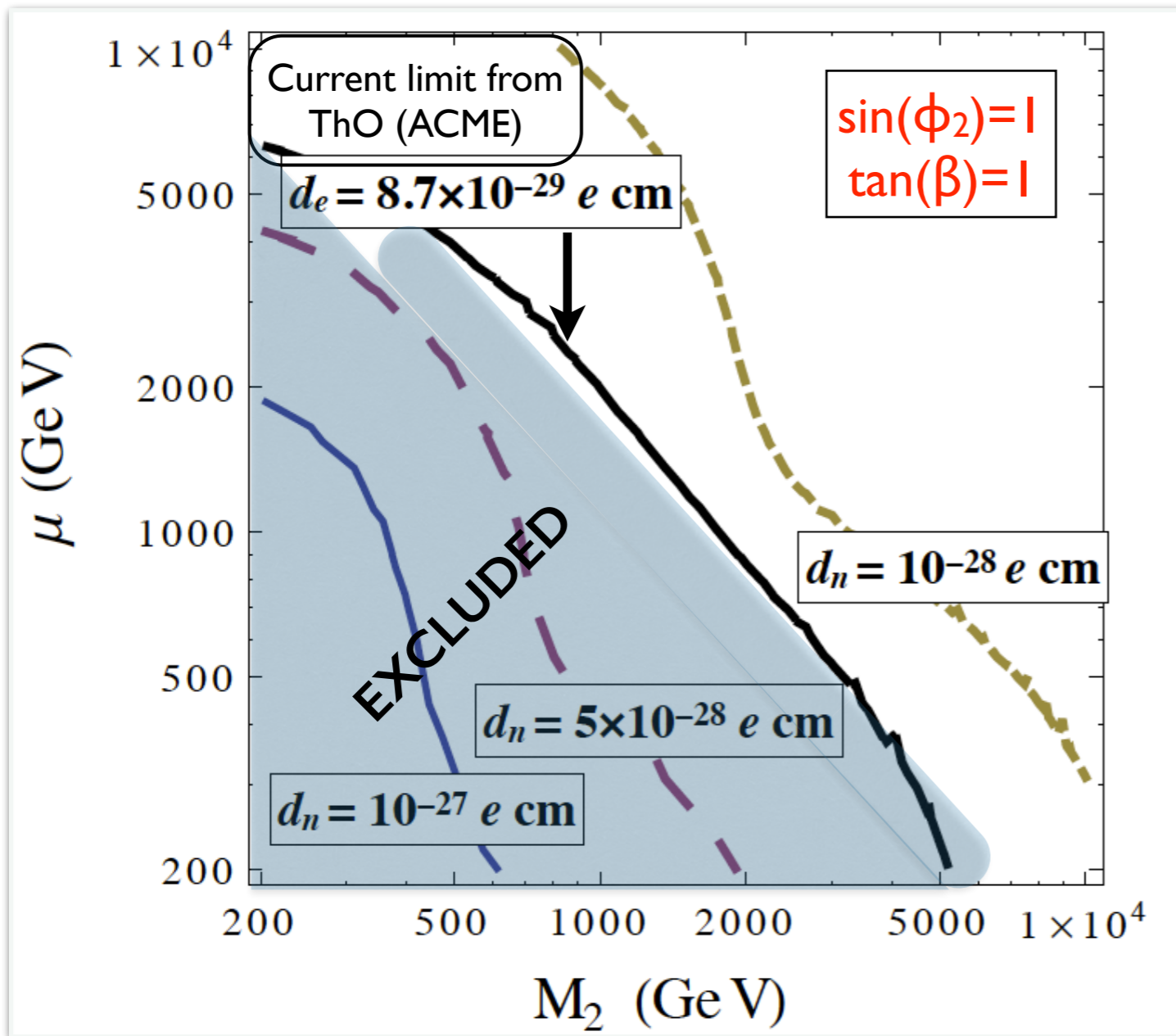
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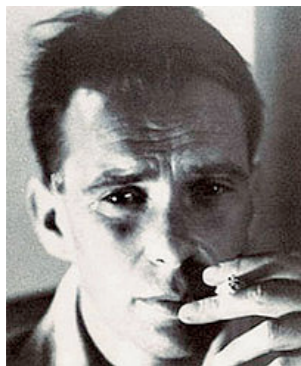
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- Split-SUSY can be falsified by current nEDM searches

Example of model diagnosing enabled by multiple measurements (e,n) and controlled theoretical uncertainty

Summary

- Nuclei played a central role in the making of the Standard Model (“V-A was the key”, S. Weinberg)
- Nowadays, nuclei, atoms, molecules allow us to push the SM limits
 - Probing the structure of both CC and NC weak interactions
 - Searching for processes that break global ($L_{e,\mu\tau}, L$) or discrete (CP) symmetries (sensitive to very high mass scale)
- Significant theoretical challenges associated with the interpretation of a positive or null signals!
 - Improvable by systematic use of chiral EFT and lattice QCD

Thank you!



A drawing by
Bruno Tuschek

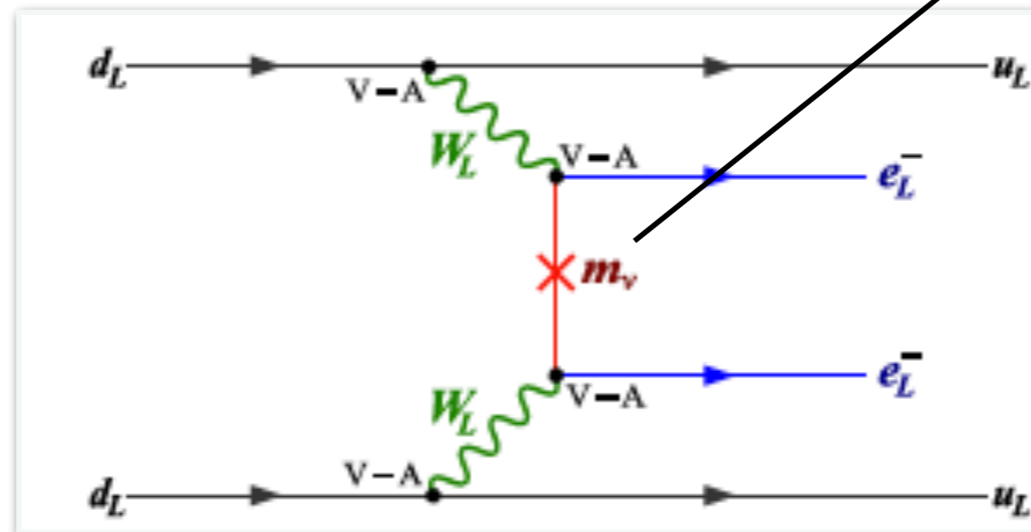
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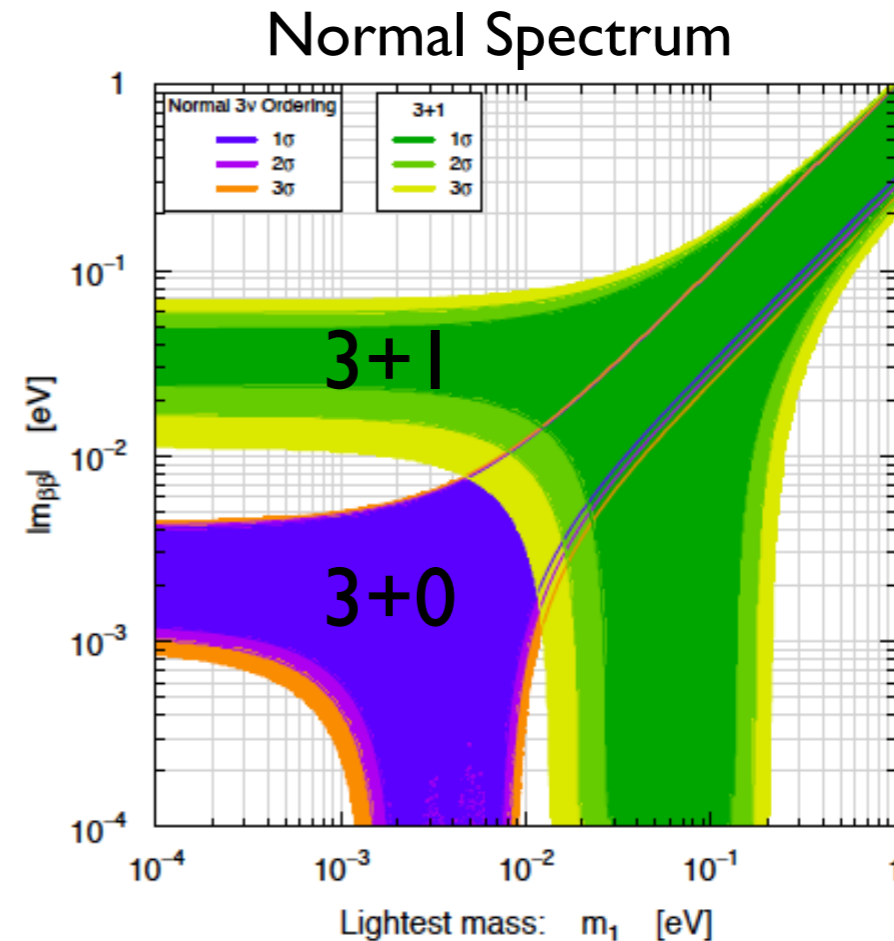
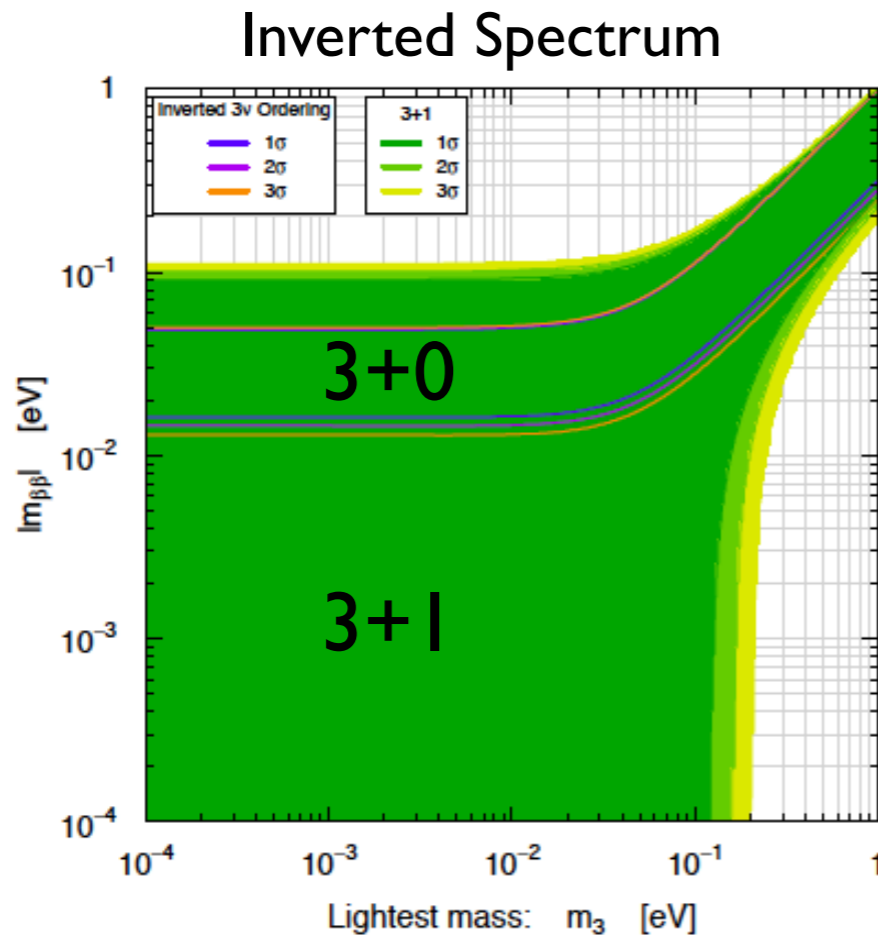
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Usual phenomenology turned around !

$m_{\beta\beta}$ vs other mass probes

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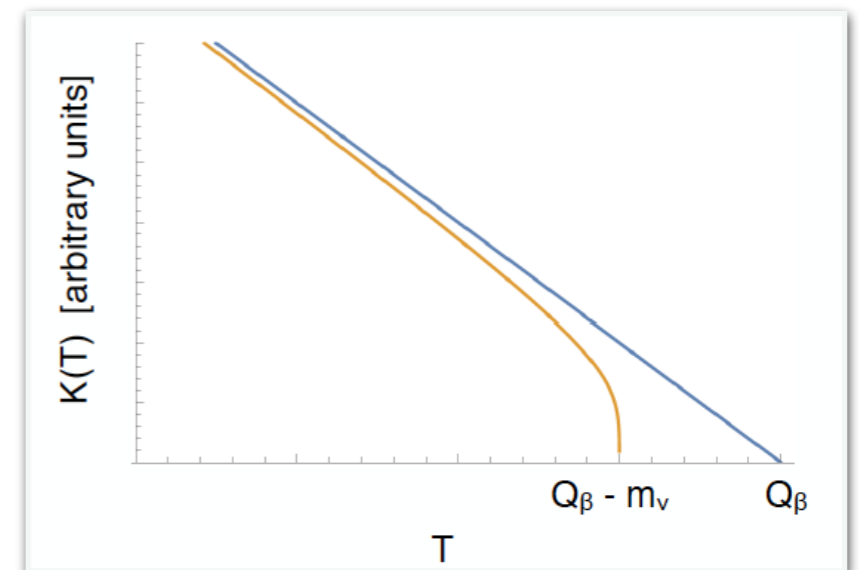
Tritium beta decay →

$$m_{\beta} = \sqrt{\sum_i |U_{ei}|^2 m_i^2}$$

Cosmology →

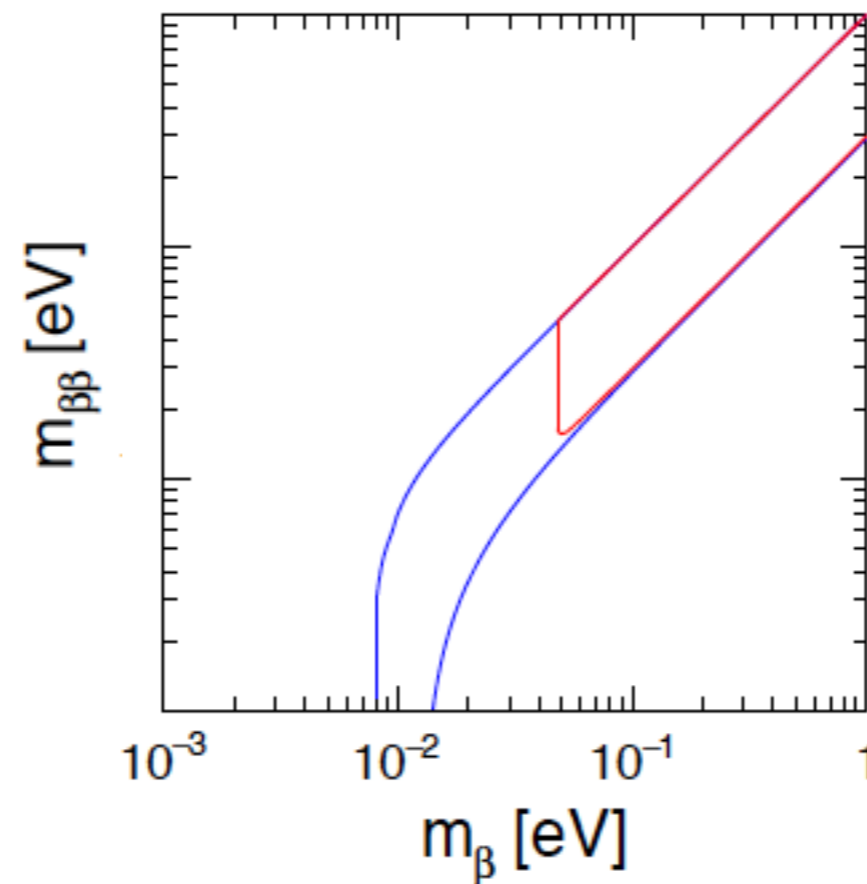
$$\Sigma = \sum_i m_i$$

Electron spectrum endpoint



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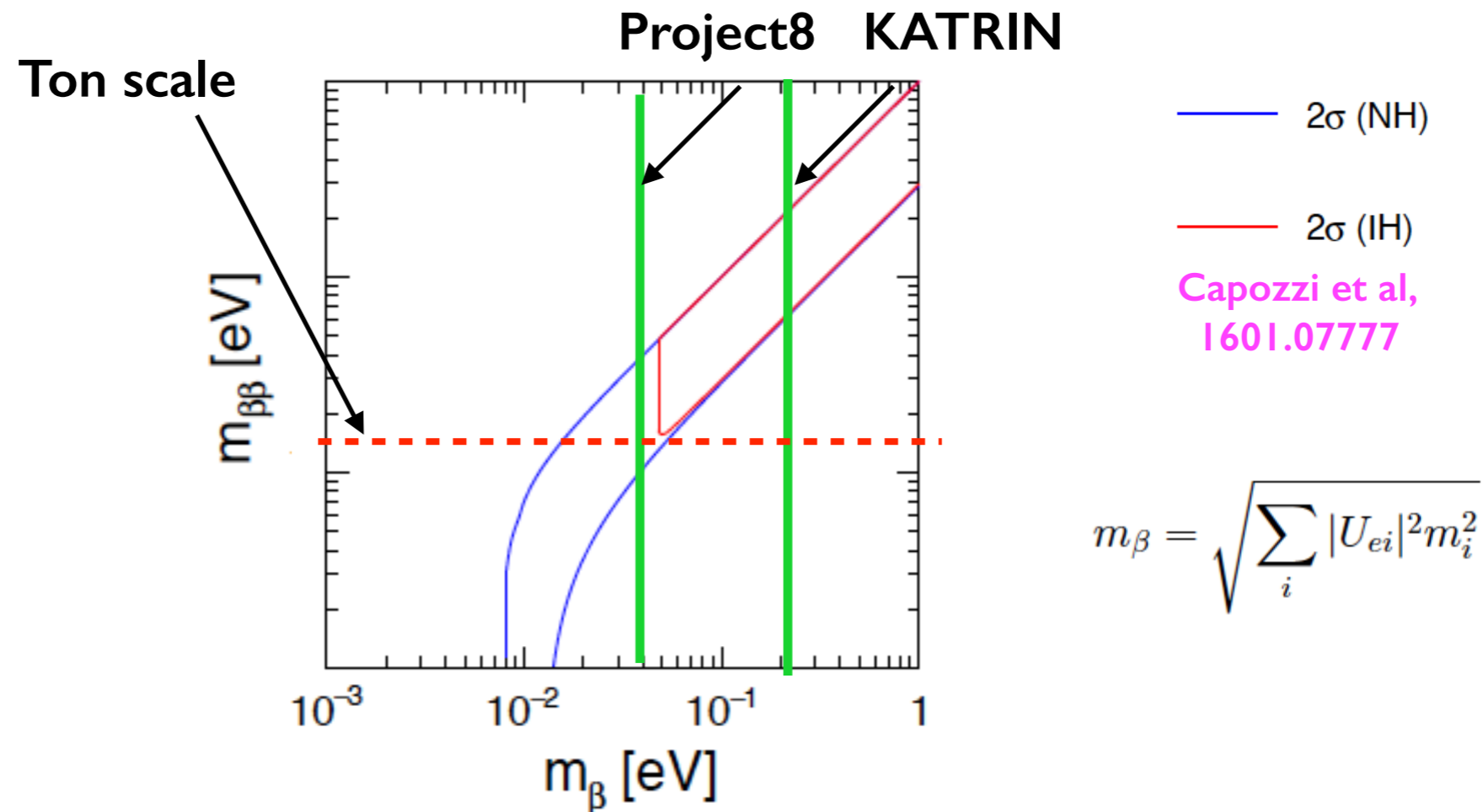
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Capozzi et al,
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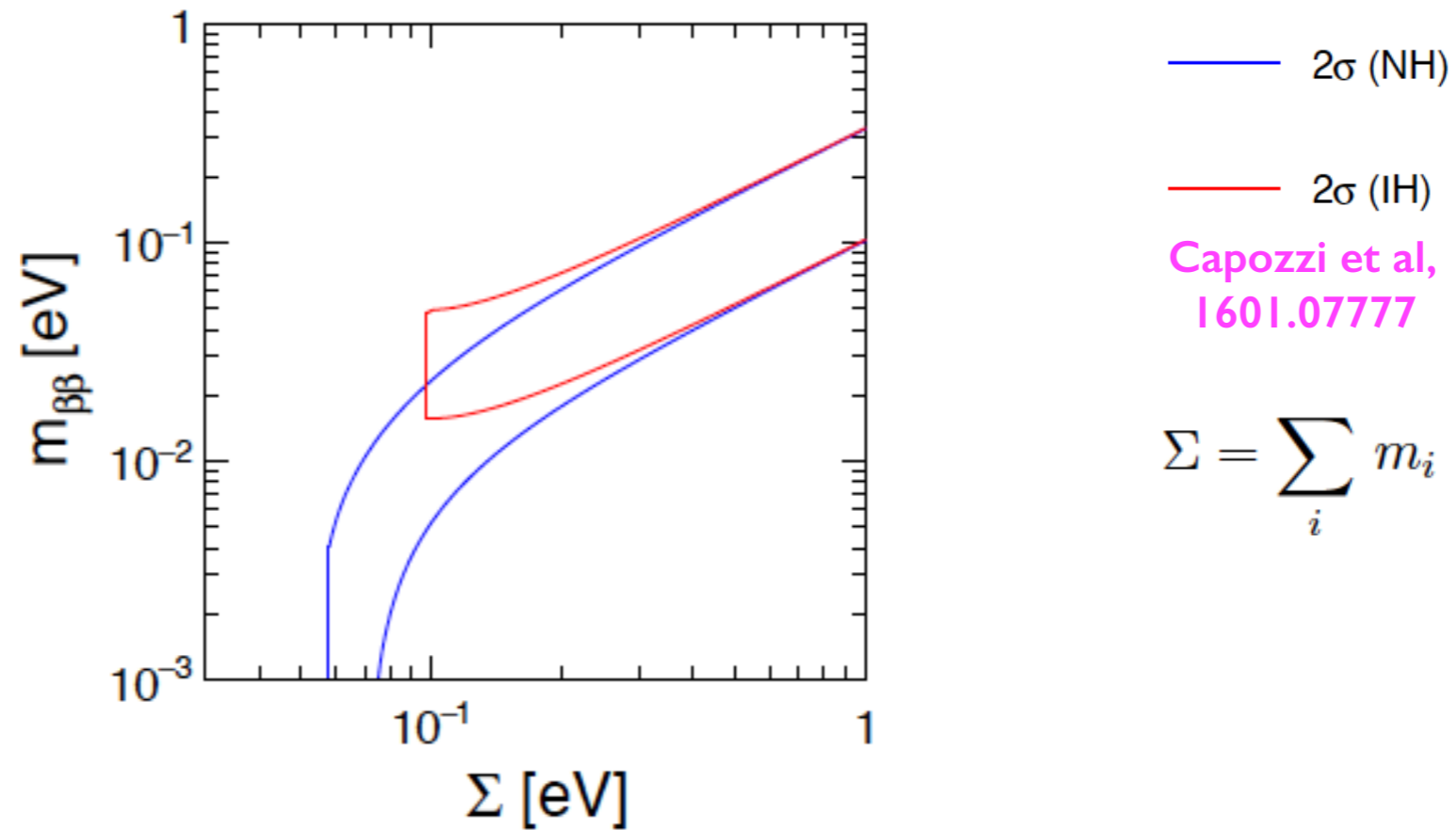
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- Positive result in KATRIN, Project8 would imply $0\nu\beta\beta$ within reach

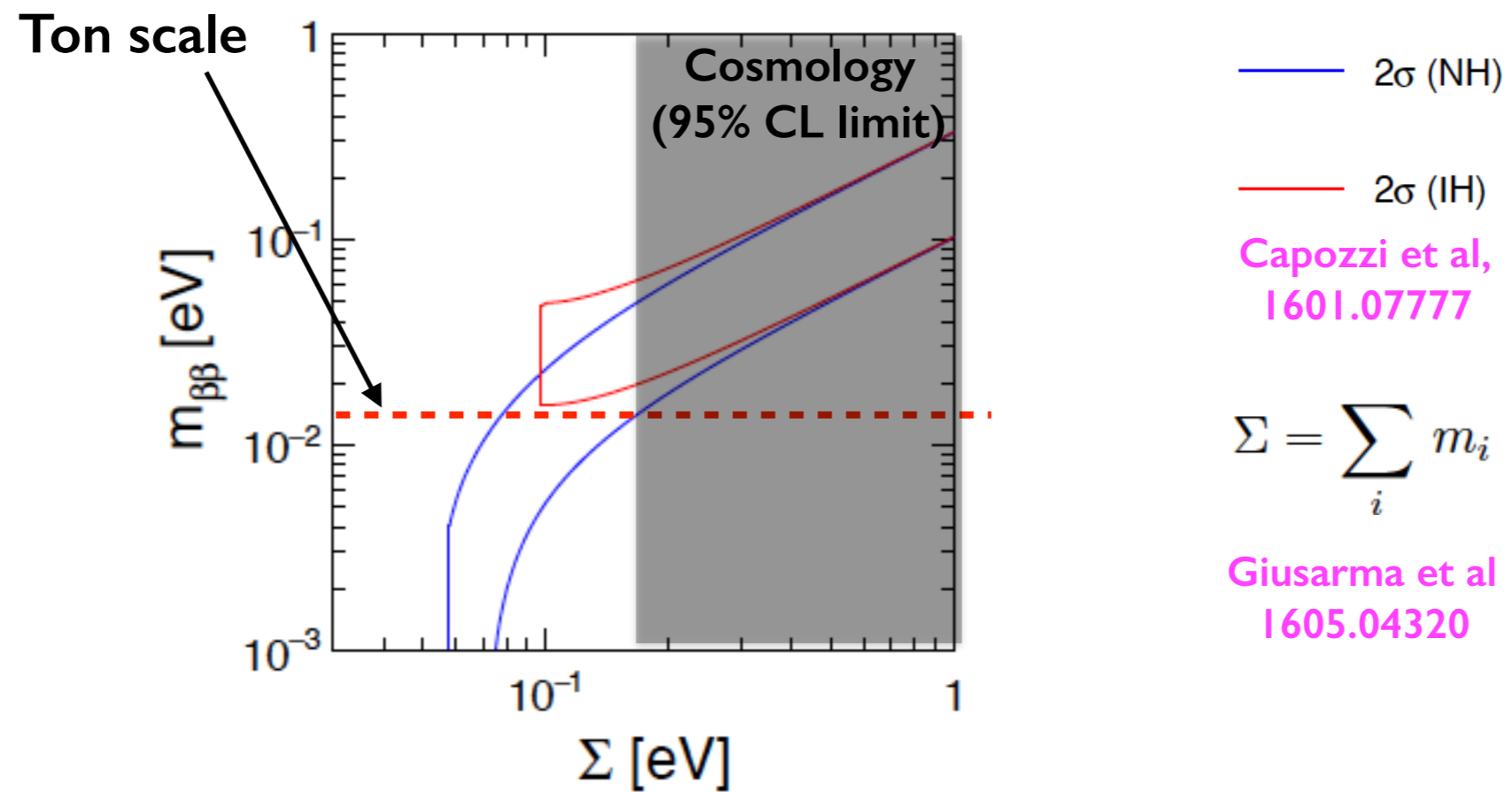
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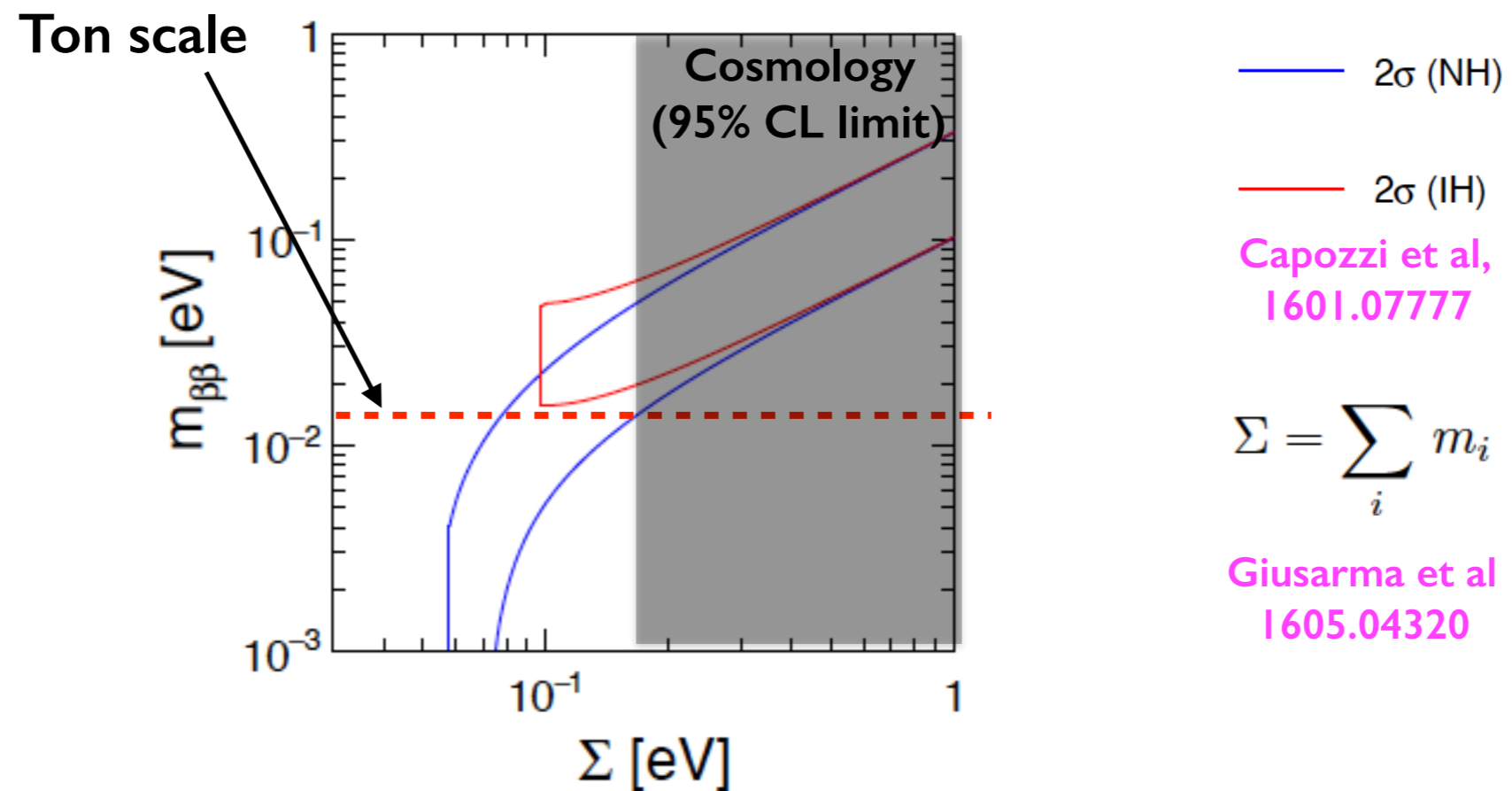
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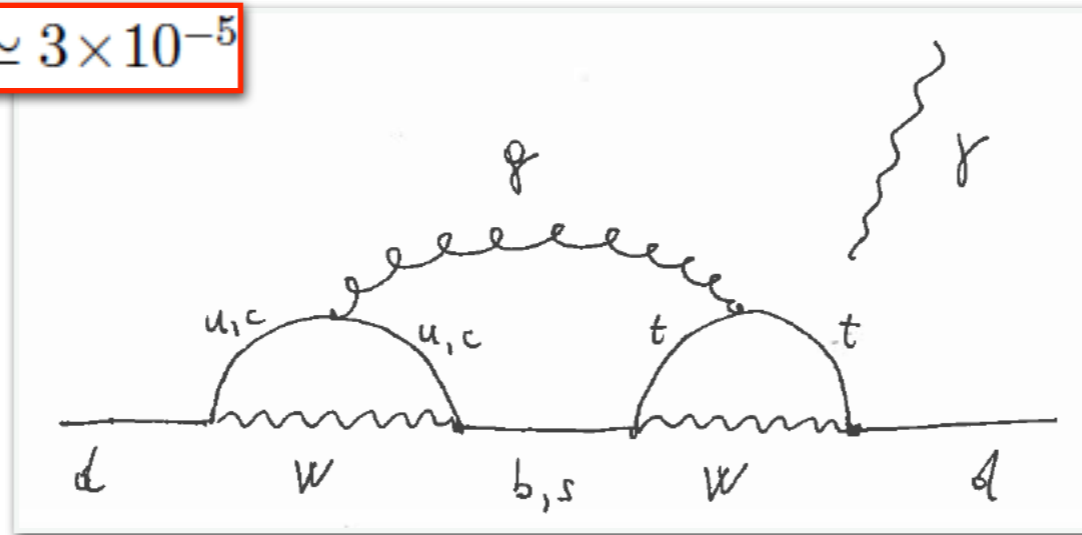
- Interplay with cosmic frontier: expose new physics in cosmology (is “ Λ CDM + m_ν ” the full story?) or in $0\nu\beta\beta$ (new sources of LNV?)
- Assuming we know correct range for nuclear matrix elements

Backup material — EDMs

EDMs in the SM: CKM phase

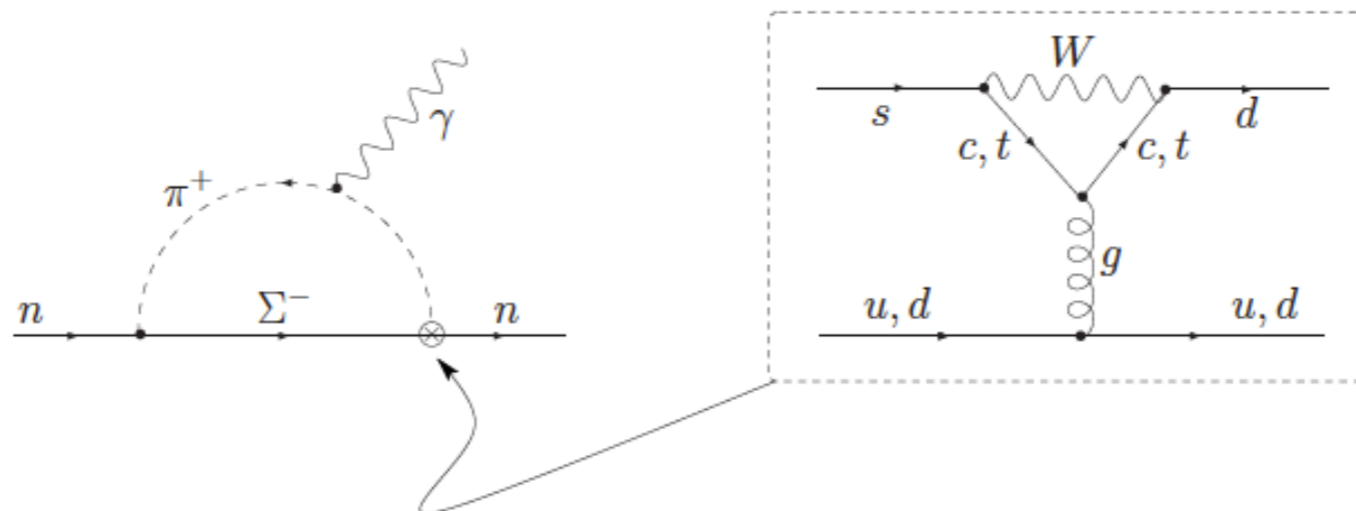
- Highly suppressed “short-distance” contributions start at 3 loops

$$J_{CP} = \text{Im}(V_{tb}V_{td}^*V_{cd}V_{cb}^*) \simeq 3 \times 10^{-5}$$



$$d_q \sim 10^{-34} \text{ e cm}$$

- Dominant “long-distance” contribution to nEDM still fairly small



$$d_n \sim 1-6 \cdot 10^{-32} \text{ e cm}$$

Chien-Yeah Seng
1411.1476 [hep-ph]

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EDMs in the SM: QCD

Baluni 1979

Crewther, Di Vecchia, Veneziano, Witten 1979

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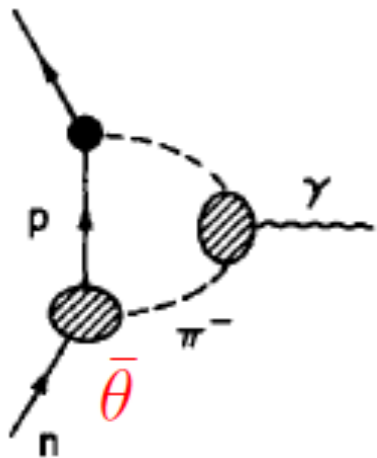
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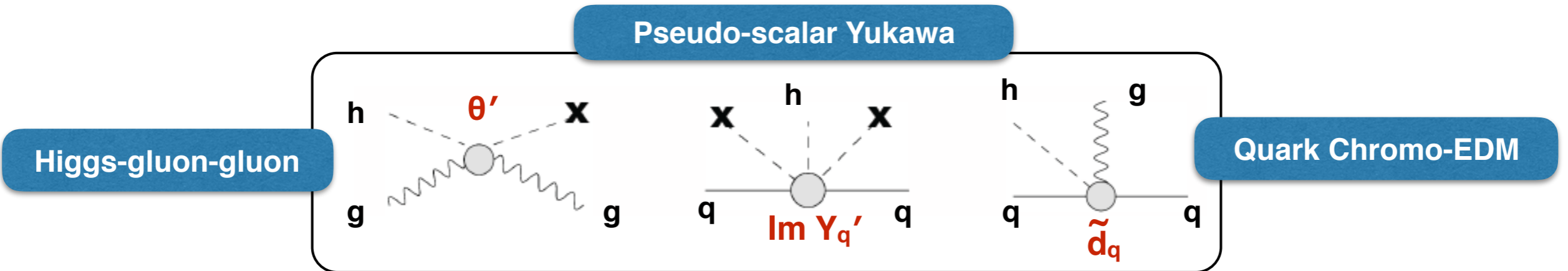


$$d_n \sim \frac{m_*}{\Lambda_{\text{had}}^2} e \bar{\theta} \sim 10^{-17} \bar{\theta} \text{ ecm} \rightarrow |\bar{\theta}| < 10^{-9}$$

Motivated mechanism that relax dynamically $\bar{\theta}$ to zero (e.g. axions)

CPV Higgs couplings (I)

- Leading interactions with q, g strongly constrained by gauge invariance

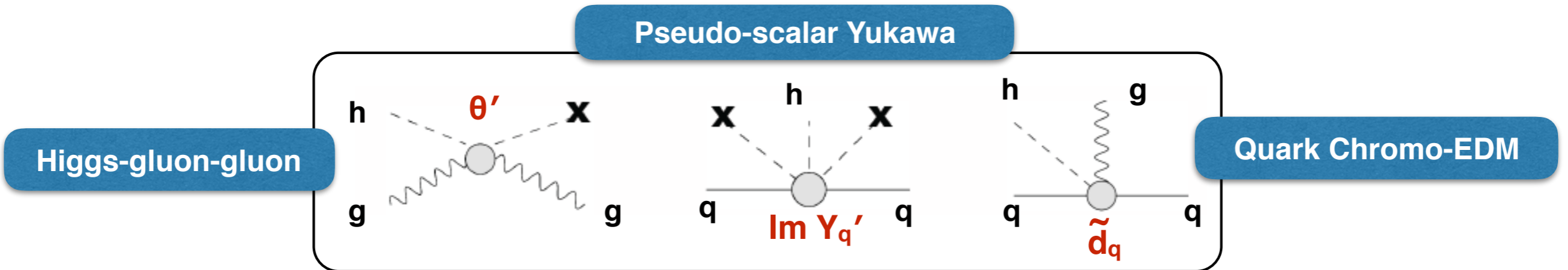


$$\theta', \text{Im} Y'_q \sim \frac{1}{\Lambda^2} \quad \tilde{d}_q \sim \frac{v}{\Lambda^2}$$

- Affect Higgs **production and decay at LHC** and **EDMs** (n, ^{199}Hg , e)

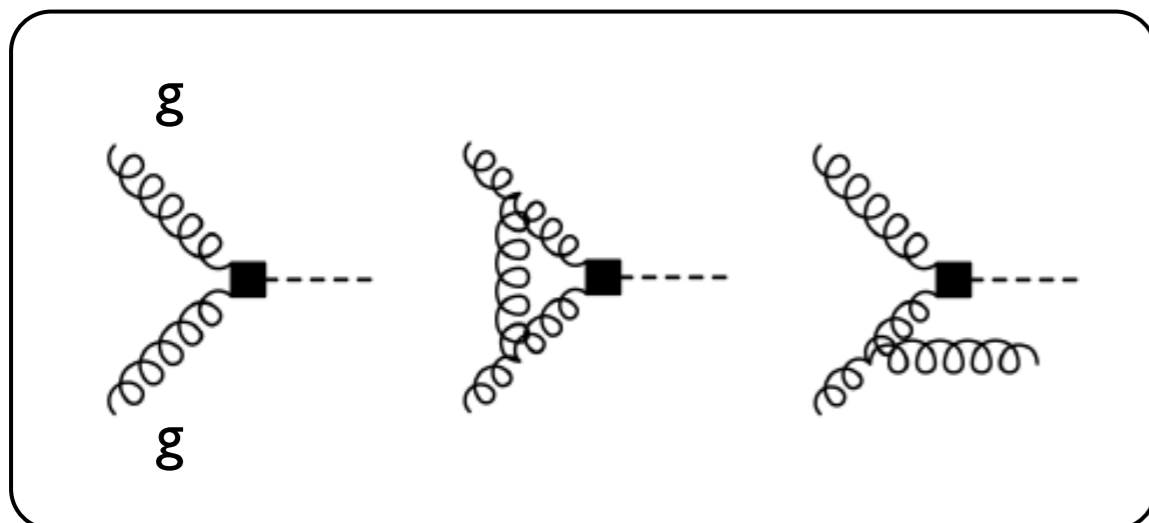
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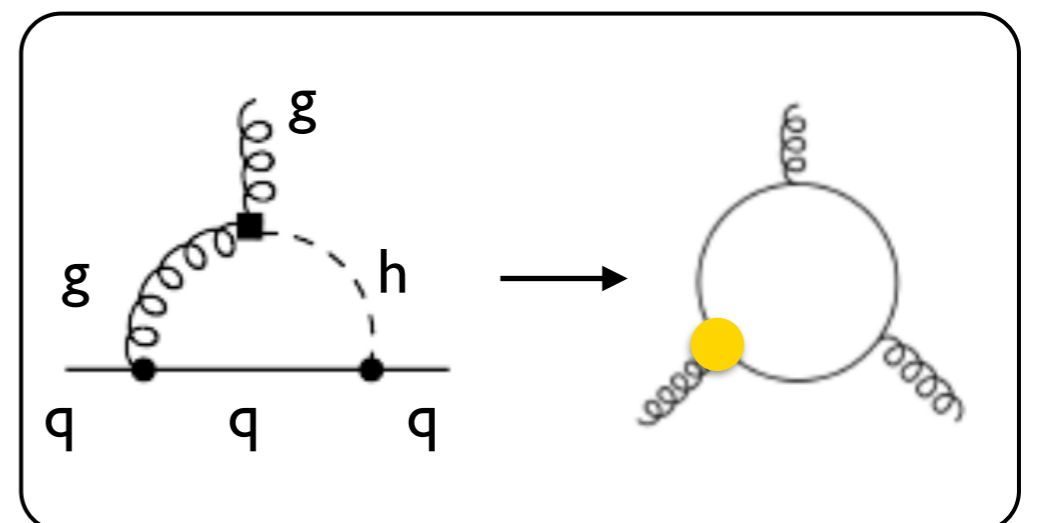


- Signatures of various operators: **Higgs-gluon-gluon (θ')**

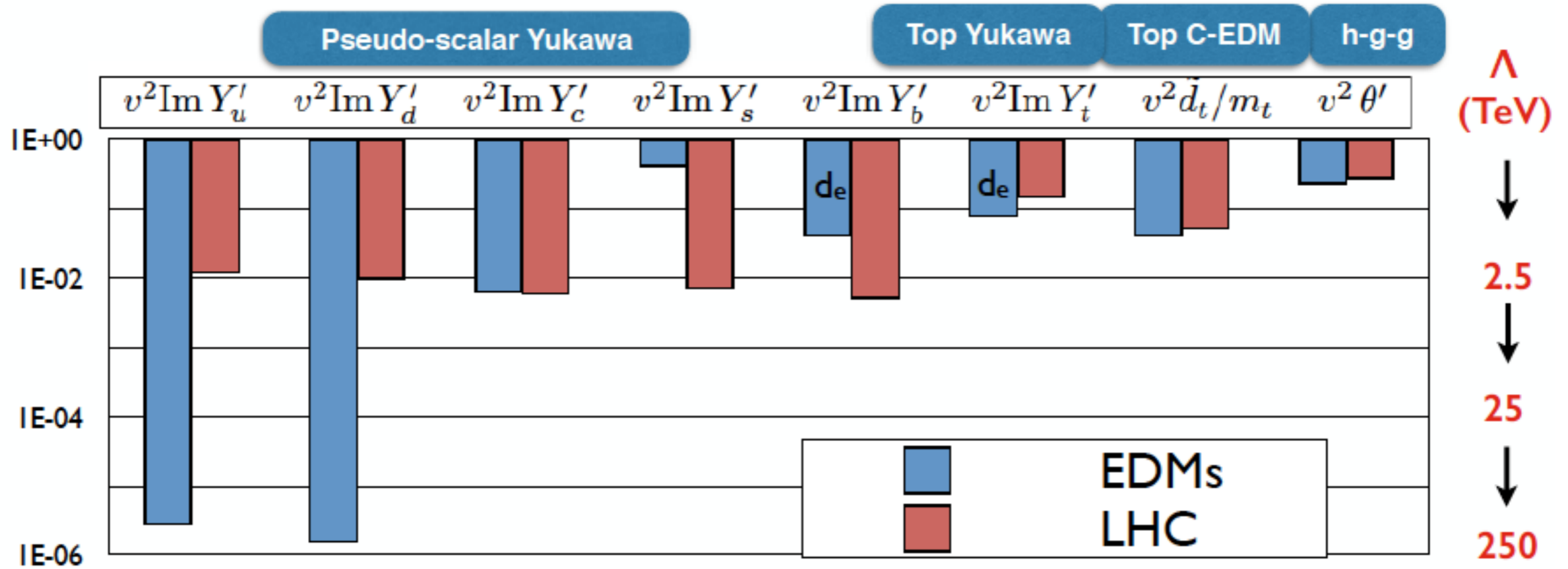
LHC: Higgs production via gluon fusion



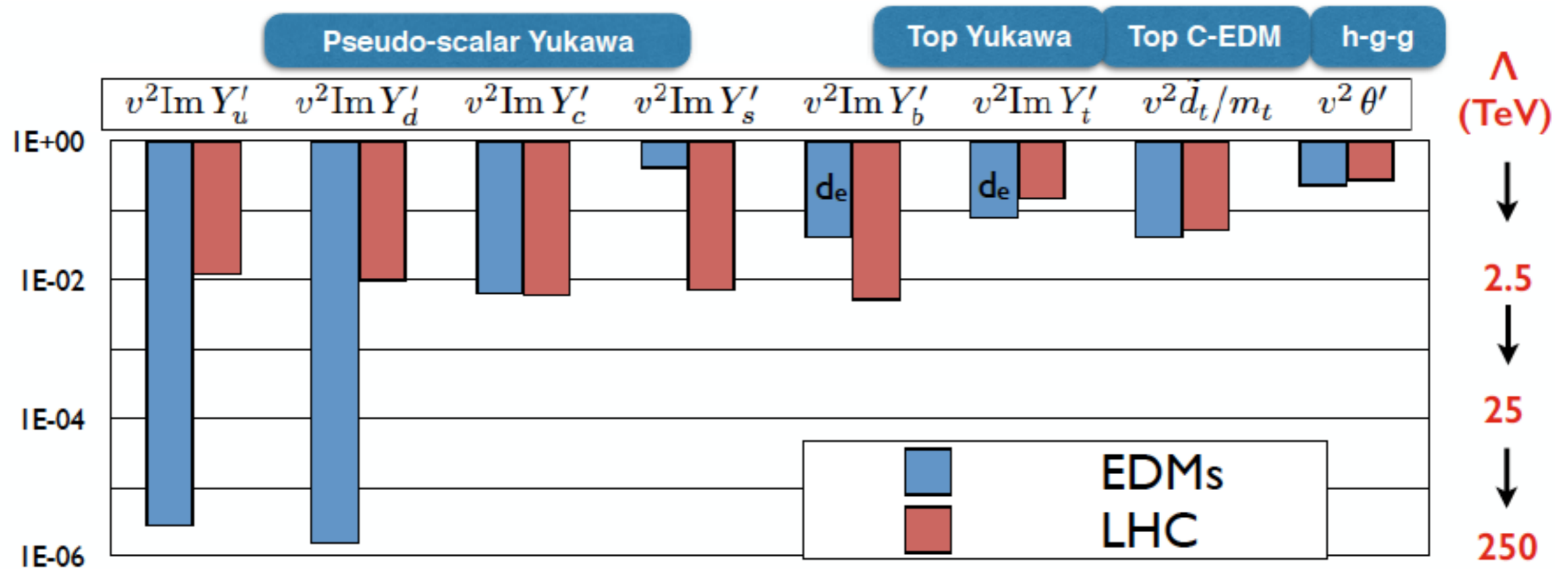
Low Energy: quark (C)EDM + Weinberg



CPV Higgs couplings (2)



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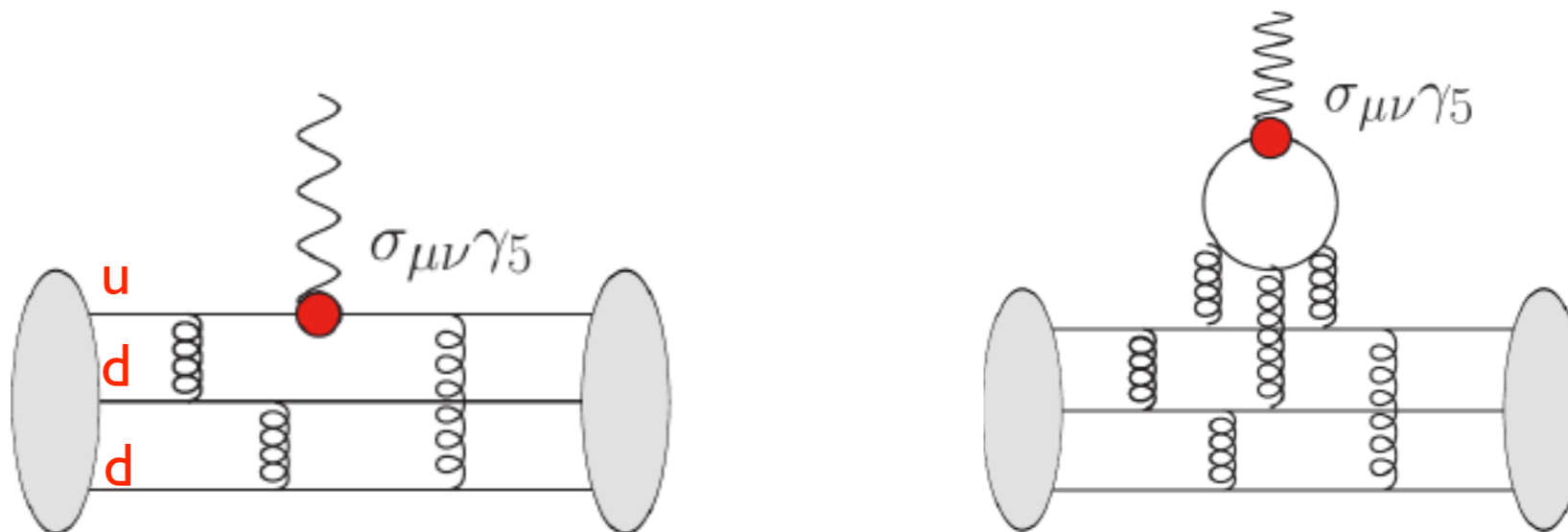


- Neutron EDM is teaching us something about the Higgs!
- Future: factor of 2 at LHC; EDM constraints scale linearly
- Uncertainty in matrix elements strongly dilutes EDM constraints

Neutron EDM from quark EDM

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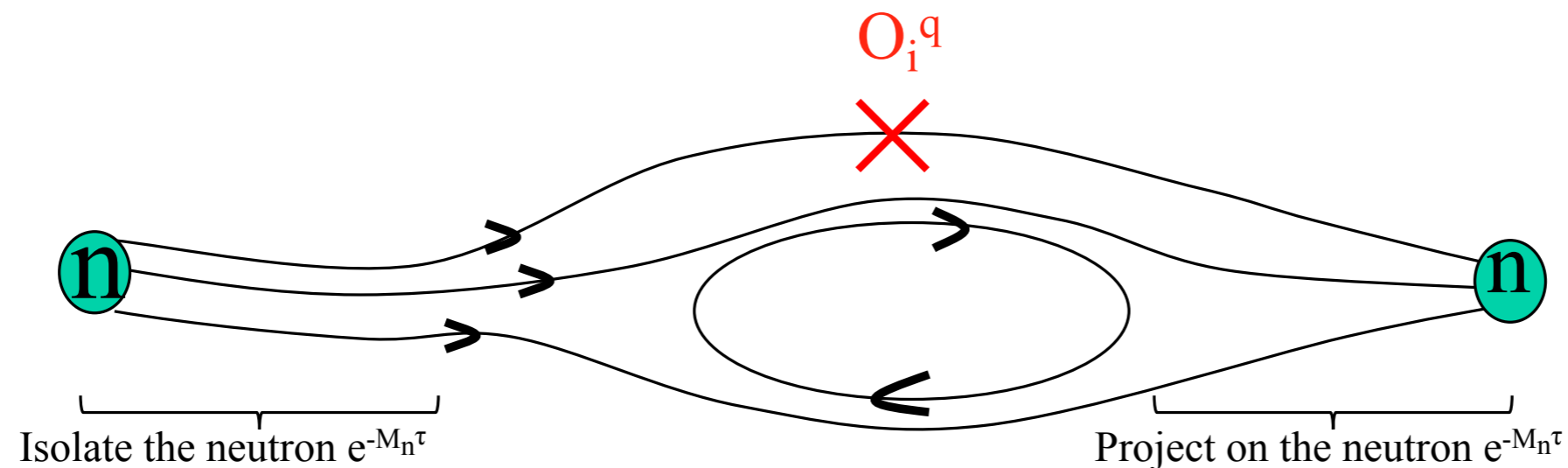
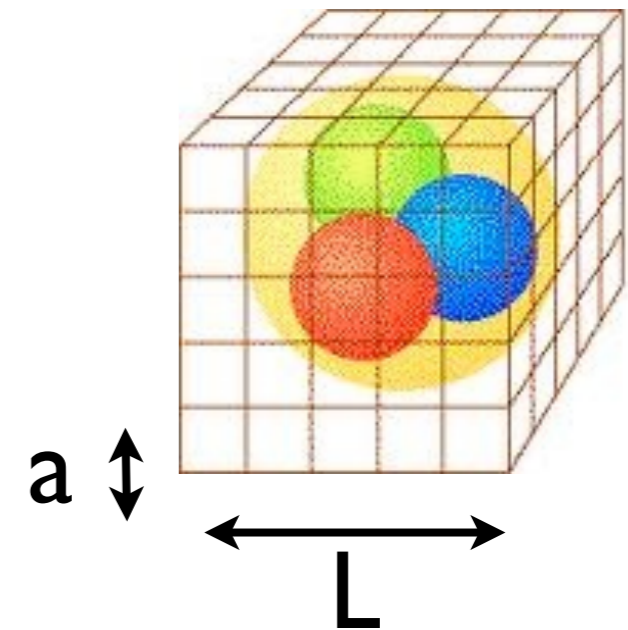
- Problem “factorizes”: need so-called tensor charge of the neutron

$$d_N = d_u g_T^{(N,u)} + d_d g_T^{(N,d)} + d_s g_T^{(N,s)}$$

$$\langle N | \bar{q} \sigma_{\mu\nu} q | N \rangle \equiv g_T^{(N,q)} \bar{\psi}_N \sigma_{\mu\nu} \psi_N$$

Neutron EDM from quark EDM

- Discretize space-time into a finite Euclidean lattice $(a, V) \rightarrow$ perform Monte Carlo integration of the path integral



- Do it on many little universes with different m_q , a , V

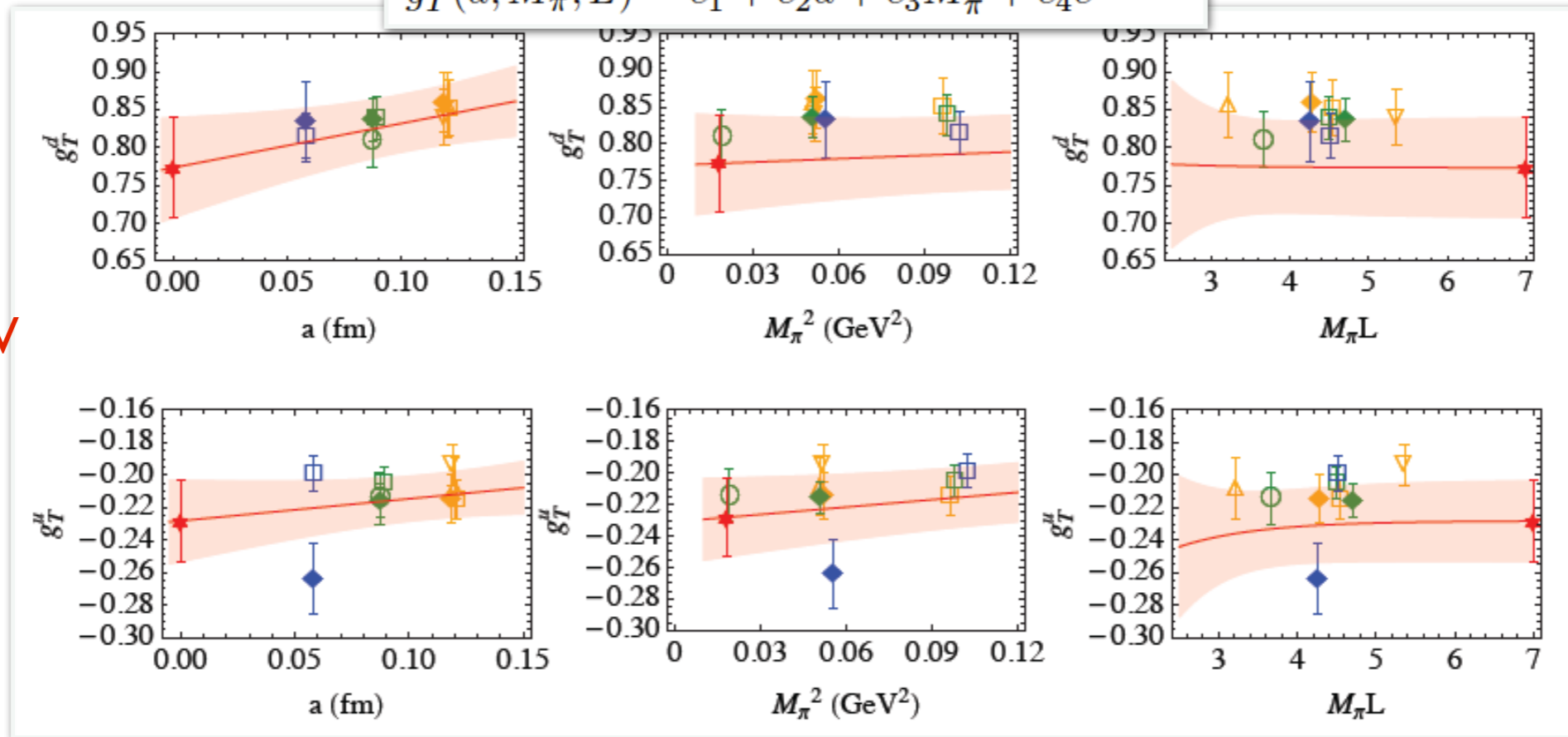
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$$g_T^{(n,u)} = -0.23(3)$$

$$g_T^{(n,d)} = 0.77(7)$$

$$g_T^{(s)} = 0.008(9)$$

$$g_T(a, M_\pi, L) = c_1 + c_2 a + c_3 M_\pi^2 + c_4 e^{-M_\pi L}$$



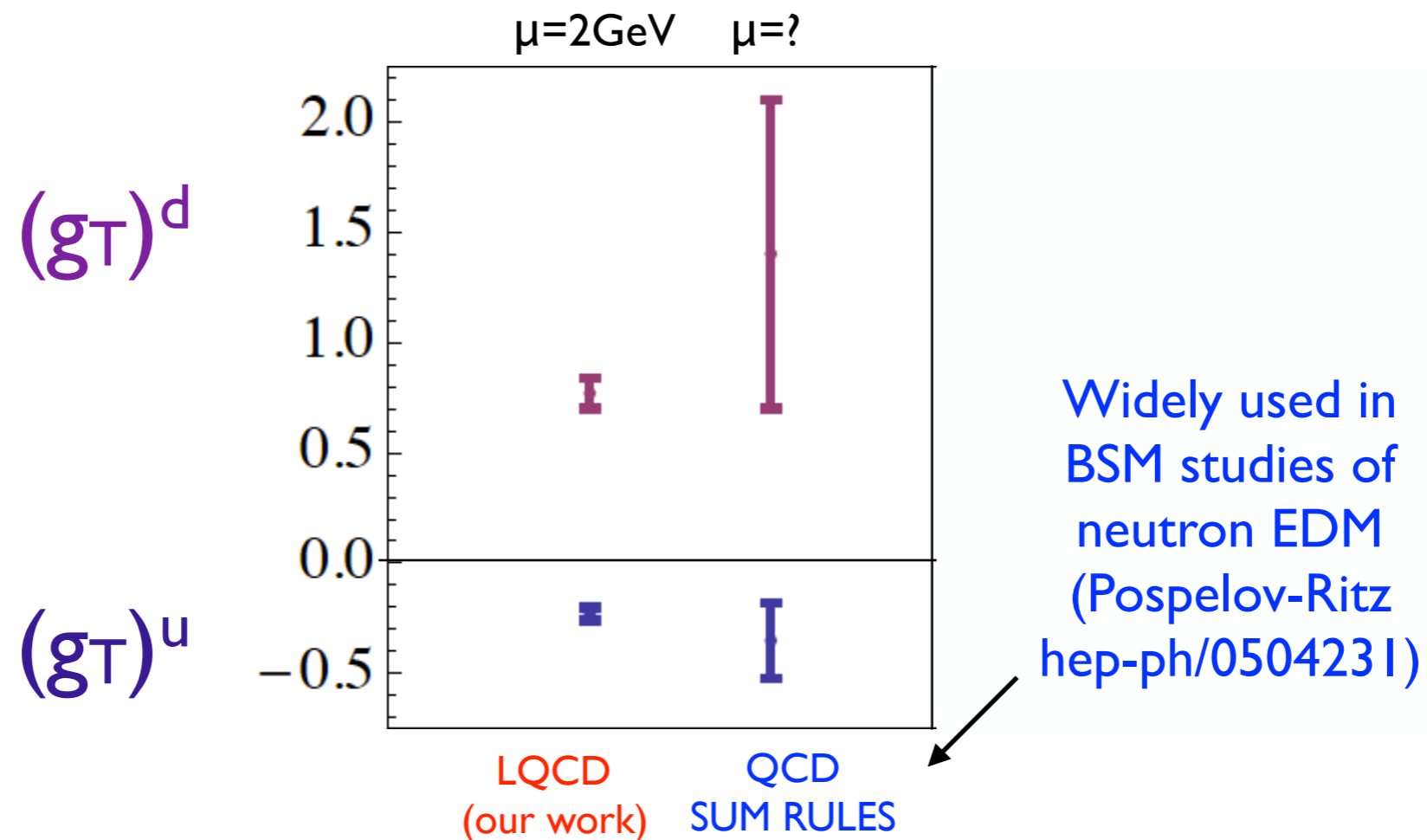
\overline{MS} @ 2 GeV

Bhattacharya, VC,
Gupta, Lin, Yoon,
PRL 115 (2015)
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O(10%) error including all systematics: excited states, continuum, quark masses, volume

Neutron EDM from quark EDM

- Impact of Lattice results:



Smaller (50% \rightarrow 10%) & controlled error; scale/scheme dependence.
Smaller central values of g_T 's $\Rightarrow d_n$ "less sensitive" to new physics in d_q

Ongoing efforts by LANL, BNL, LBL groups to tackle other operators

Conditions for Baryogenesis

“...The Universe is asymmetrical with respect to the number of particles and antiparticles (C asymmetry). In particular, the absence of antibaryons [...] implies a non-zero baryon charge (baryon asymmetry).

Sakharov '67



We wish to point out a possible explanation of C asymmetry in the **hot model of the expanding Universe**, by making use of the effects of **CP invariance violation**. To explain baryon asymmetry, we propose in addition an **approximate character for the baryon conservation law.**”

“According to our hypothesis, the occurrence of C asymmetry is the consequence of violation of CP invariance in the nonstationary expansion of the hot Universe during the superdense stage, as manifest in the difference between the partial probabilities of the charge-conjugate reactions.”

Conditions for Baryogenesis (recap)

- The dynamical **generation of net baryon number** during cosmic evolution requires the concurrence of three conditions:

1. B (baryon number) violation

- To depart from initial $B=0$

2. C and CP violation

$$\Gamma(i \rightarrow f) \neq \Gamma(\bar{i} \rightarrow \bar{f})$$

- To distinguish baryon and anti-baryon production

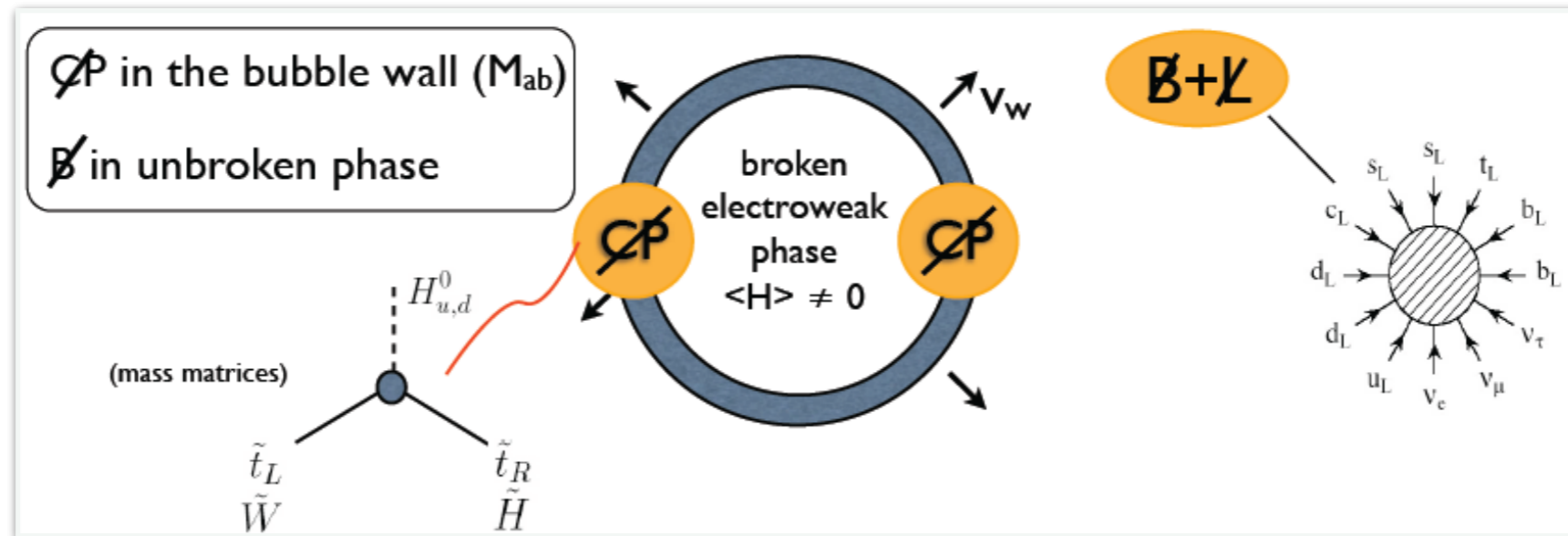
3. Departure from thermal equilibrium (or CPT violation)

- $\langle B(t) \rangle = \langle B(0) \rangle = 0$ in equilibrium
(and assuming CPT invariance)

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EDMs and EW baryogenesis (I)



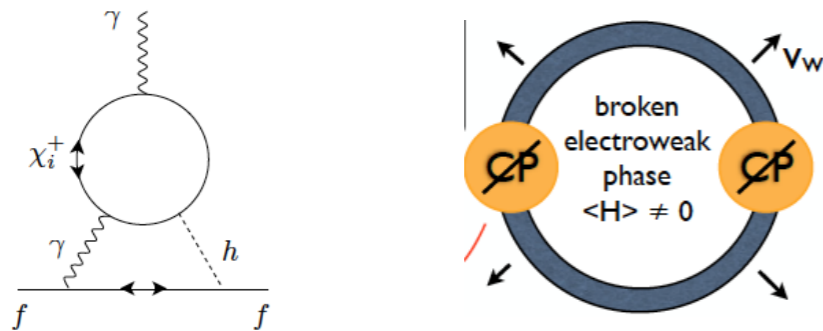
For a review see: [Morrissey & Ramsey-Musolf 1206.2942](#)

- Requirements on BSM scenarios:
 - 1st order phase transition: new particles, testable at LHC
 - New CPV: EDMs often provide strongest constraint.
- Rich literature: (N)MSSM, Higgs portal (scalar extensions), flavored baryogenesis,...

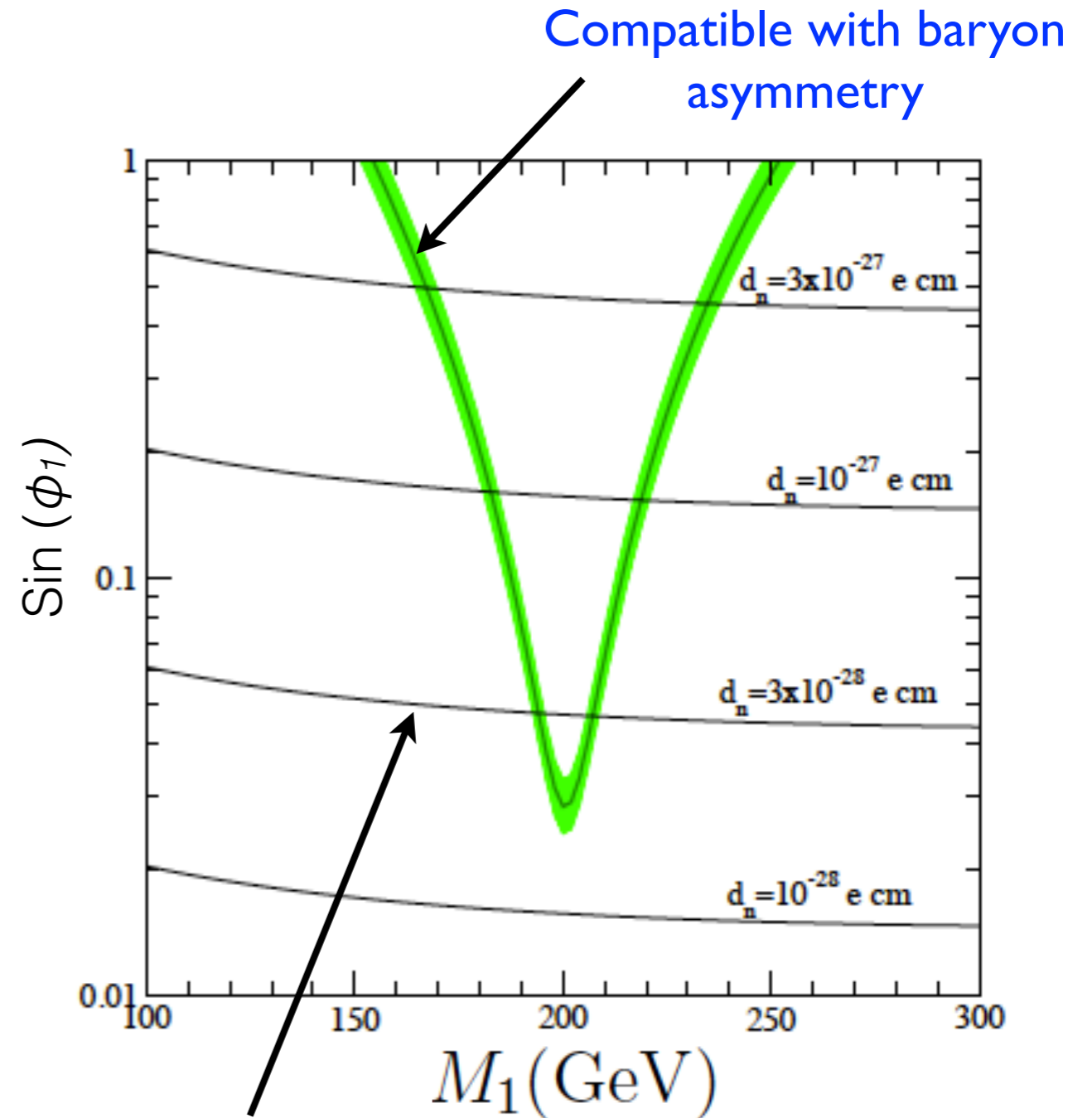
See [M. Ramsey-Musolf talk at APS April Meeting 2018](#)

EDMs and EW baryogenesis (2)

- In Supersymmetry, 1st order phase transition disfavored by LHC in minimal model (MSSM), need singlet extension (NMSSM)
- CPV phases appearing in the gaugino-higgsino mixing contribute to both BAU and EDM



- In scenario with universal phases $\varphi_1 = \varphi_2$, successful baryogenesis implies a “guaranteed signal” for next generation EDMs searches



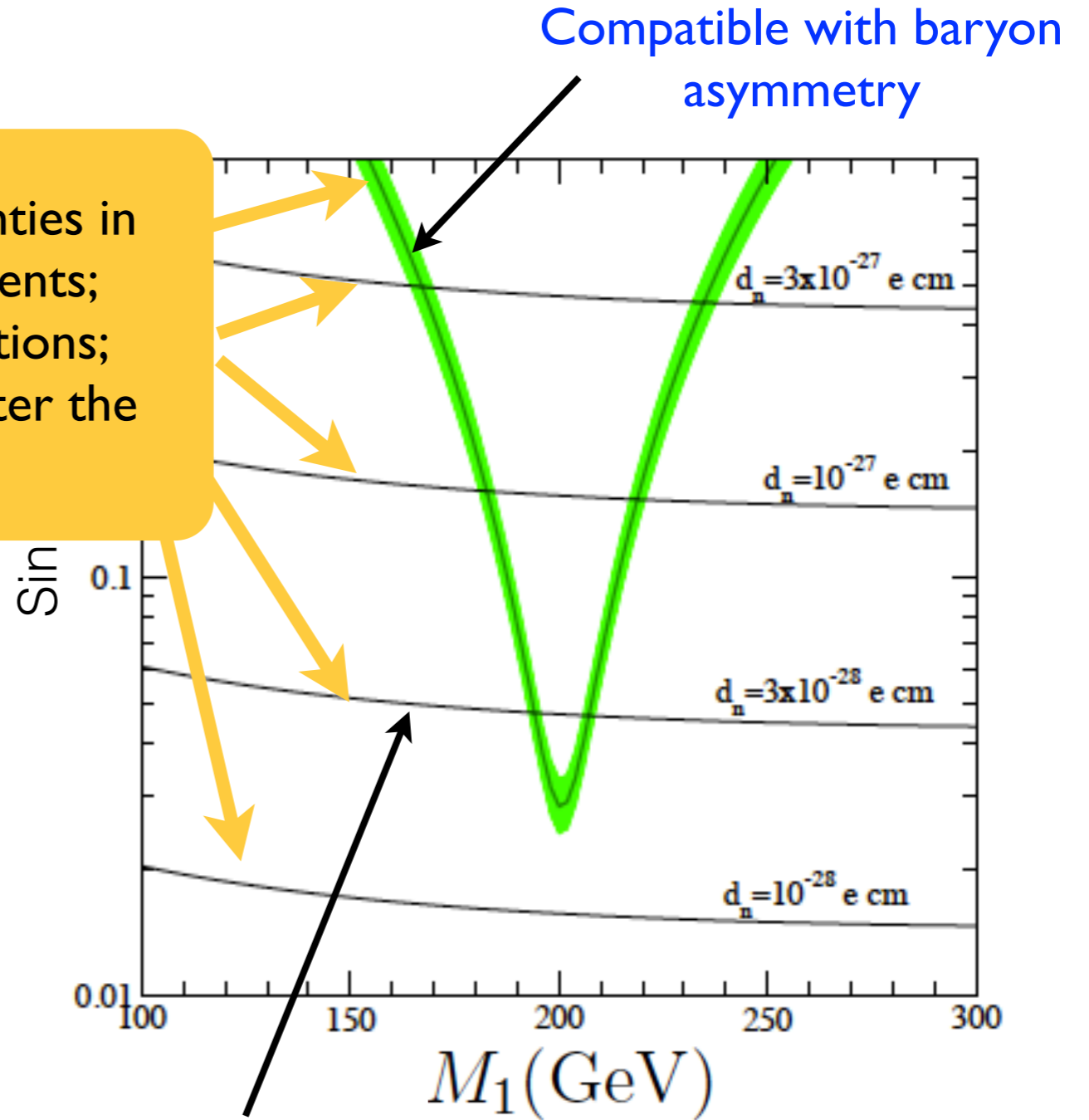
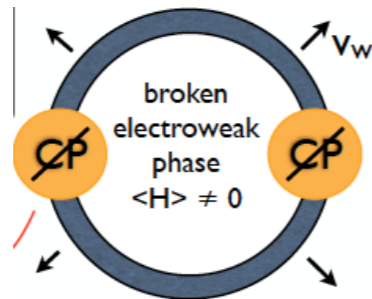
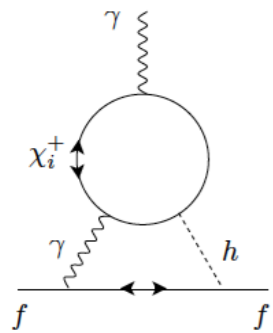
Next generation
neutron EDM

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EDMs and EW baryogenesis (2)

- In Supersymmetry, 1st order phase transition disfavored by LHC in mini-landscapes, need singlet
- CPV phases from gaugino-higgs contribute to both BAO and EDMs

CAVEAT: current uncertainties in
 1) hadronic matrix elements;
 2) early universe calculations;
 may shift these lines and alter the conclusions



- In scenario with universal phases $\varphi_1 = \varphi_2$, successful baryogenesis implies a “guaranteed signal” for next generation EDMs searches