

Cornering Higgsino at the LHC

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Based on

H. Fukuda, N. Nagata, H. Oide, H. Otono, and SS,
“Higgsino Dark Matter in High-Scale Supersymmetry,” [JHEP 1501 \(2015\) 029](#),
“Higgsino Dark Matter or Not,” [Phys.Lett. B781 \(2018\) 306](#)
“Cornering Higgsino: Use of Soft Displaced Track”, [arXiv:1910.08065](#)



1. Higgsino Dark Matter

2. Current Status of Higgsino @LHC
mono-jet, dilepton, disappearing track

3. Prospect of Higgsino
Use of soft track

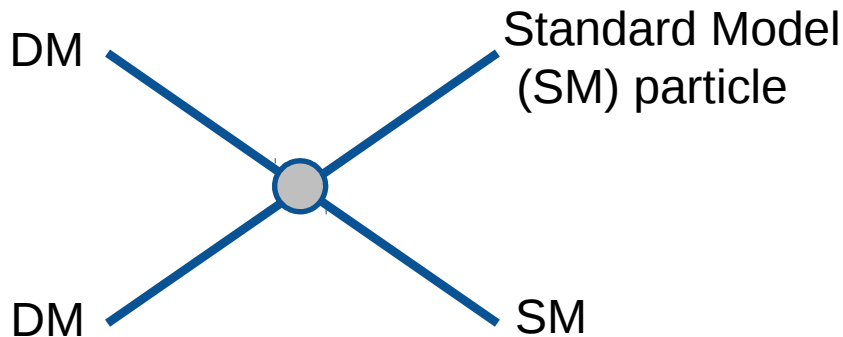
4. Summary

DM Candidates

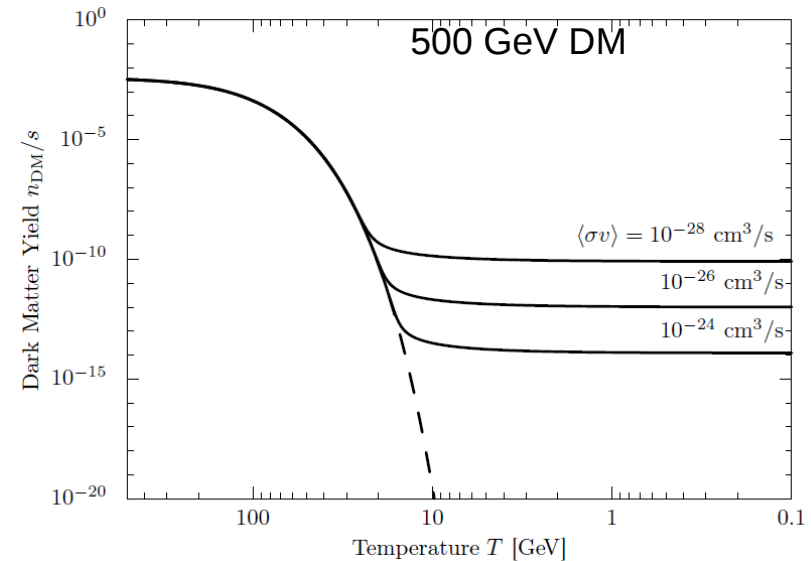
- Axion
- (Primordial) Black hole
- **WIMP**
- Others...

WIMP Dark Matter

Weakly Interacting Massive Particle



DM abundance



Time

WIMP Miracle

$$\Omega_{\text{DM}} \simeq 0.2 \left(\frac{\langle \sigma v \rangle}{10^{-26} \text{ cm}^3/\text{s}} \right)^{-1}$$

$$10^{-26} \text{ cm}^3/\text{s} \simeq 10^{-9} \text{ GeV}^{-2} \sim \frac{\pi \alpha^2}{m_{\text{DM}}^2}$$

$$m_{\text{DM}} < O(1) \text{ TeV}$$

What is Higgsino?

Higgsino is

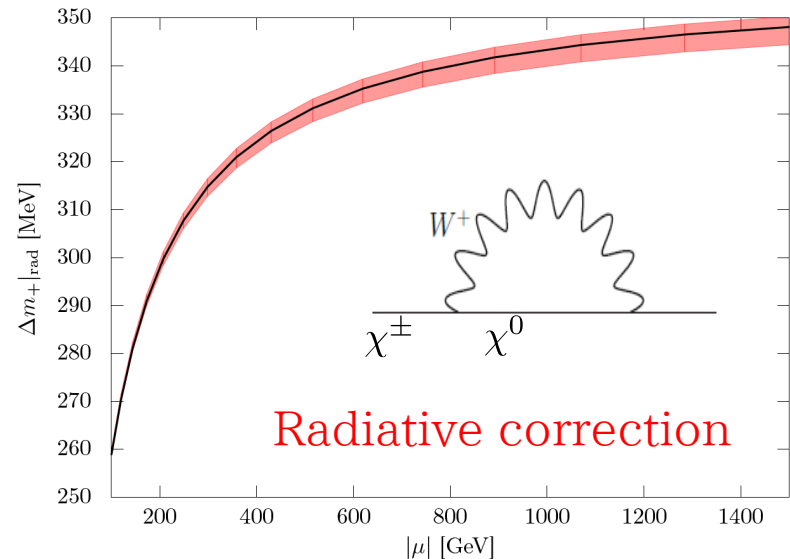
- (pseudo)Dirac fermion
- Hypercharge $|Y|=1/2$

- SU(2)doublet $\begin{pmatrix} \tilde{H}_u^+ \\ \tilde{H}_u^0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} \tilde{H}_d^0 \\ \tilde{H}_d^- \end{pmatrix}$

- <1 TeV $\Omega h^2 \simeq 0.1 \left(\frac{m_{\tilde{H}}}{1.1 \text{ TeV}} \right)^2$

Pure Higgsino Spectrum

$$\begin{pmatrix} \tilde{H}_u^+ \\ \tilde{H}_u^0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} \tilde{H}_d^0 \\ \tilde{H}_d^- \end{pmatrix} \longrightarrow \chi_D^0 \quad \chi^\pm \quad \text{two Dirac Fermions}$$



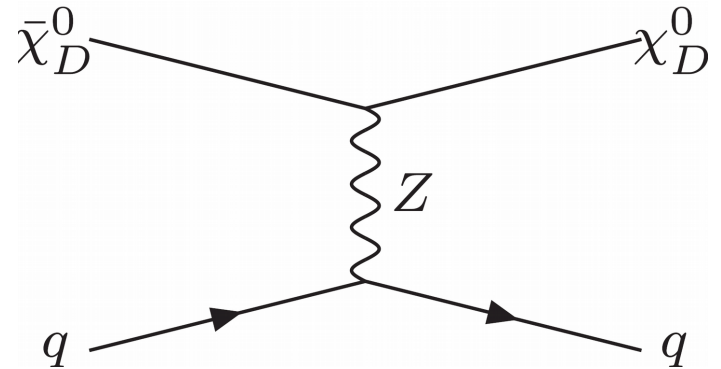
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$$\bar{\chi}_D^0 \gamma^\mu \chi_D^0 Z_\mu$$

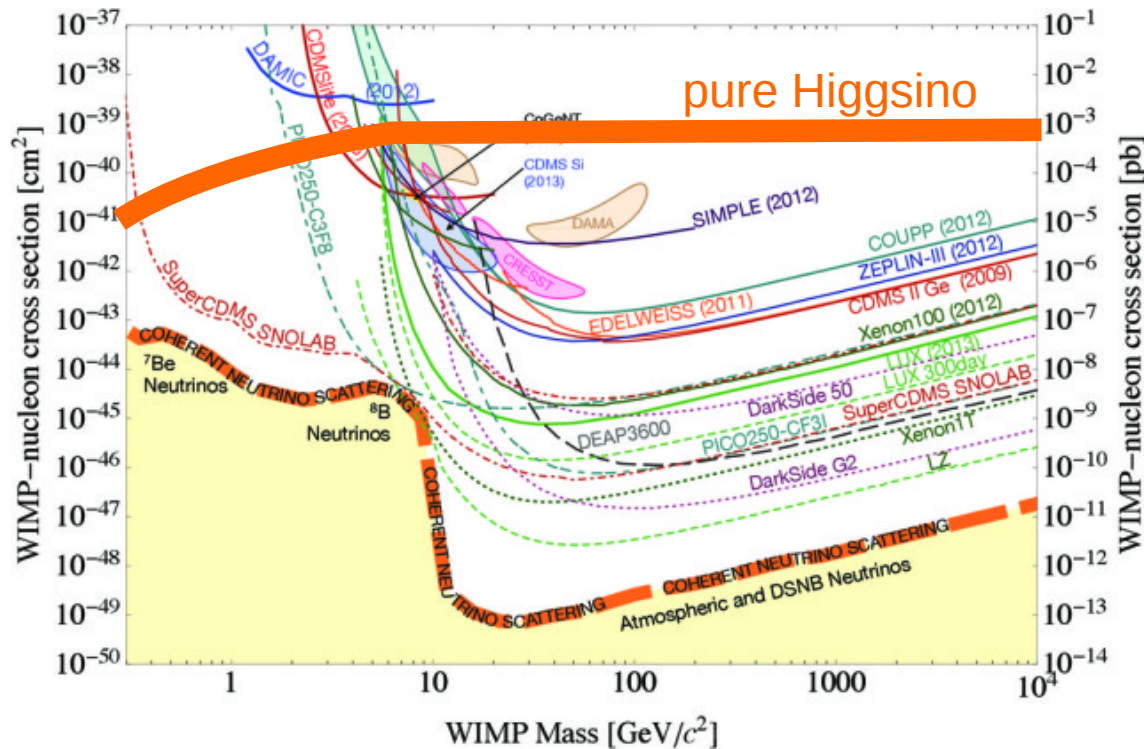
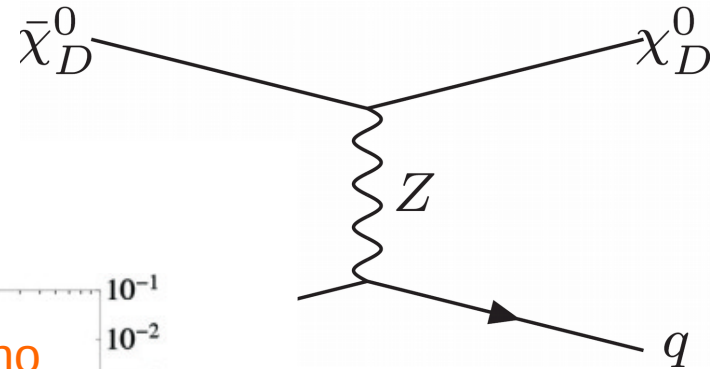


HUGE spin-independent cross section

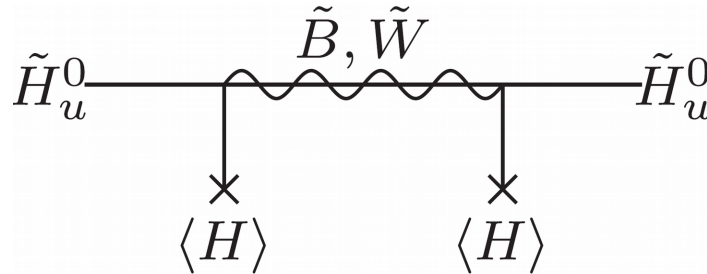


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Higgsino Spectrum (with gaugino)



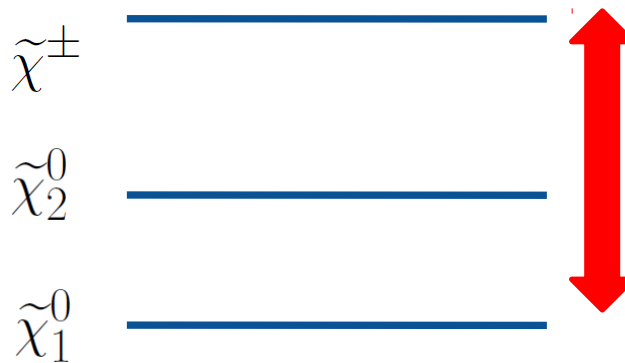
With Gauginos, fermion number is violated

$$\chi_D^0 \quad \longrightarrow \quad \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \quad \tilde{\chi}_2^0$$

Dirac fermion into two Majorana fermions

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Energy level diagram showing the mass splitting between the top and middle levels:

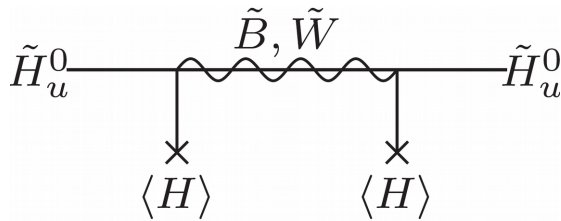
$$\Delta m \sim \frac{m_W^2}{m_{\text{gaugino}}} = O(100) \text{ MeV} \left(\frac{m_{\text{gaugino}}}{10 \text{ TeV}} \right)^{-1}$$

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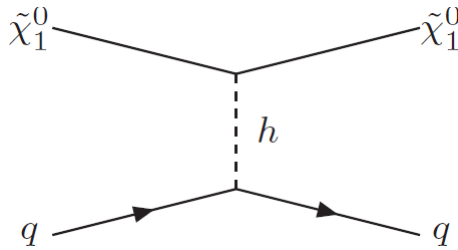
No SI elastic cross section via Z-boson

Gaugino induced Observables



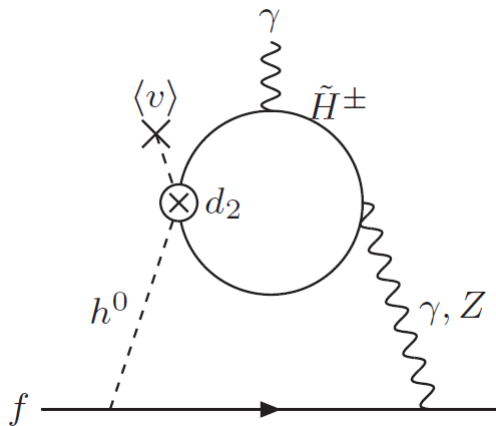
Mass splitting

$$\Delta m \propto M_{\text{gaugino}}^{-1}$$



DM direct detection

$$\sigma_{\text{SI}} \propto M_{\text{gaugino}}^{-2}$$



SM fermion EDM

$$d_e \propto M_{\text{gaugino}}^{-1}$$

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These observables are controlled by gaugino mass



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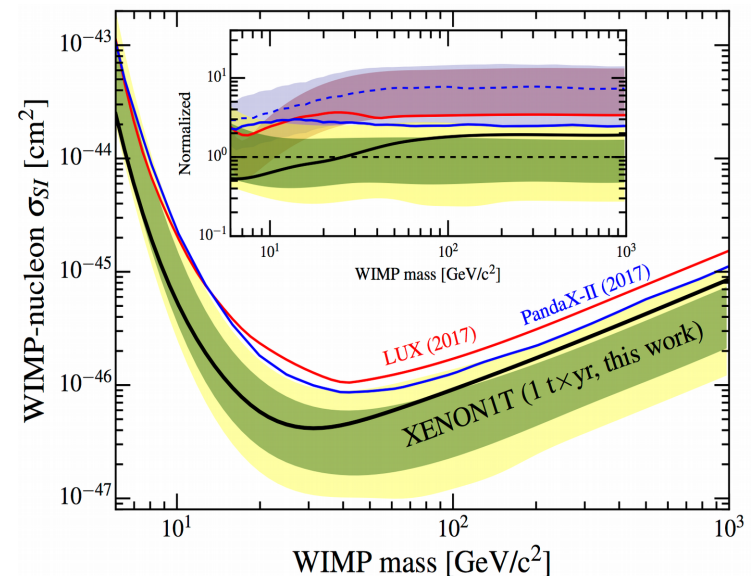
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XENON1T constraint

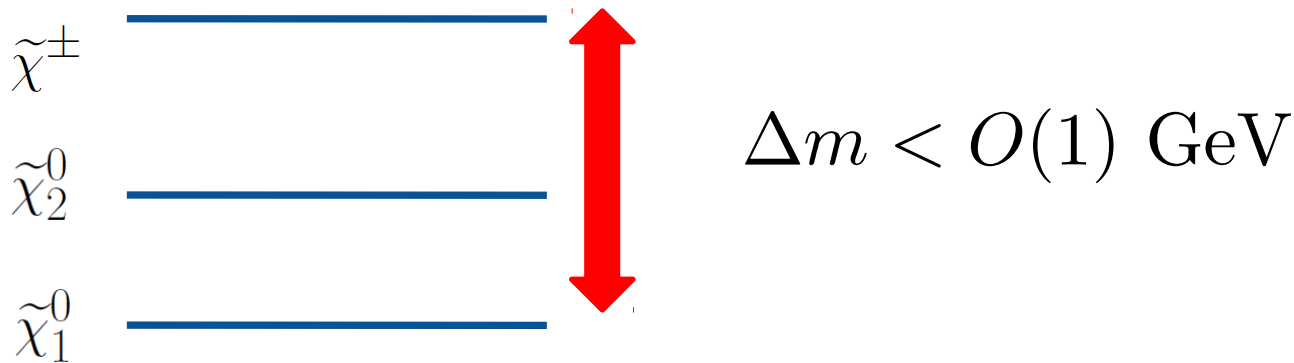


$$\Delta m < O(1) \text{ GeV}$$



Viability Higgsino Spectrum

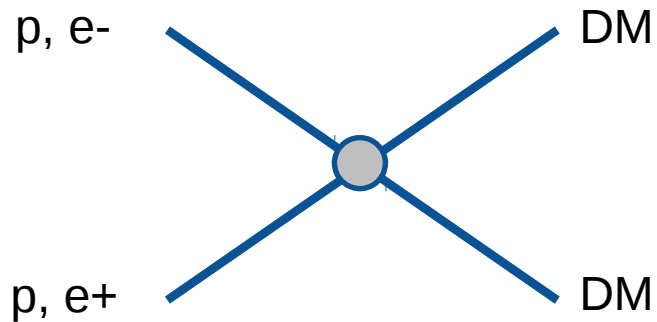
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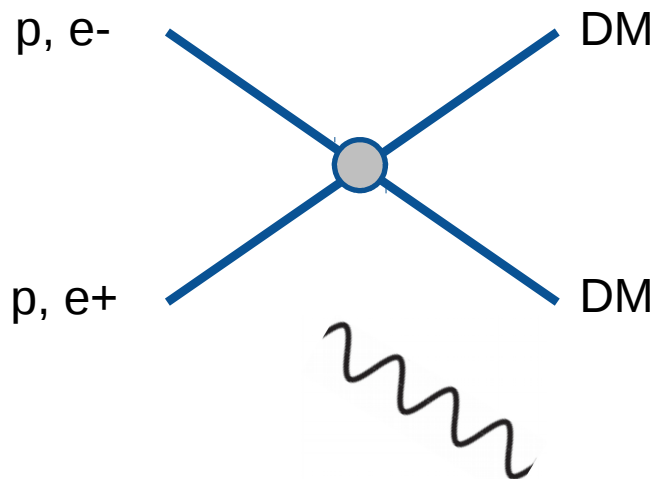
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Collider Signals of DM



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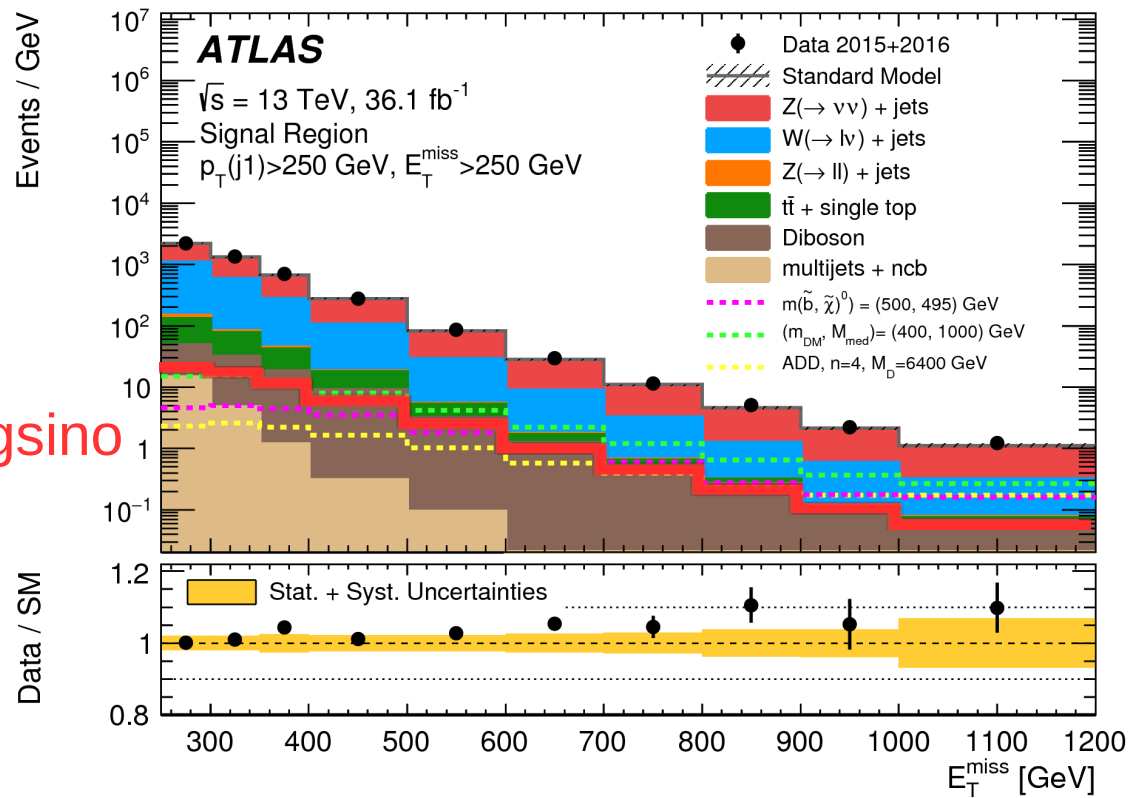
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to see DM.
Missing energy (MET) search

gluon photon, ...

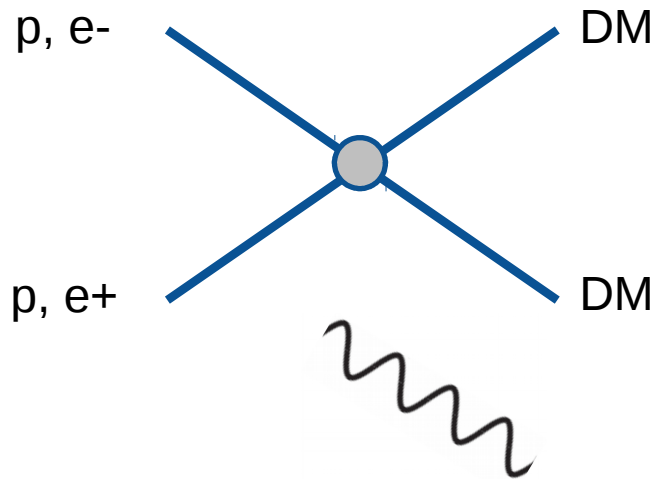
Mono-jet Signatures

100 GeV Higgsino



difficult to Higgsino signal

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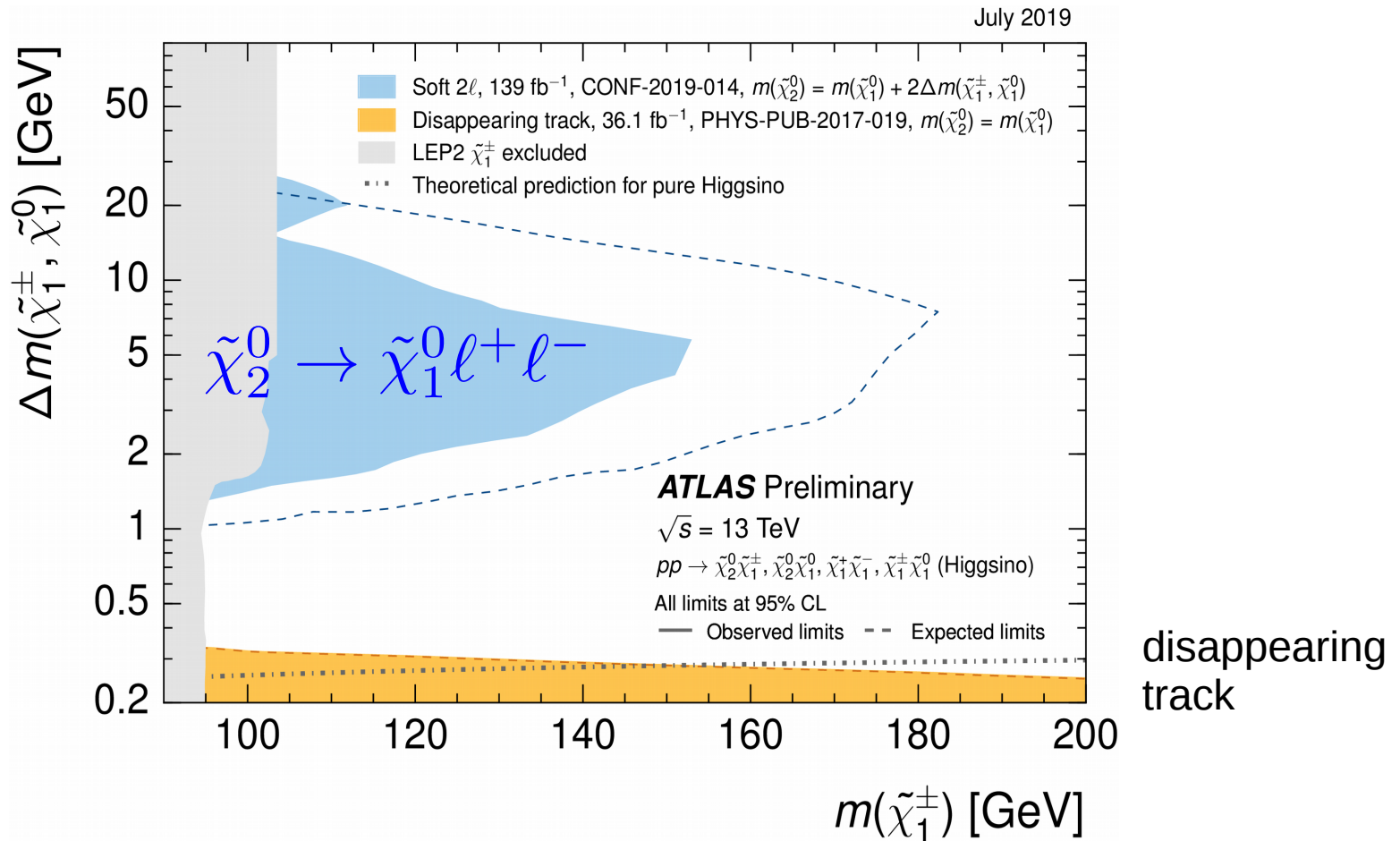
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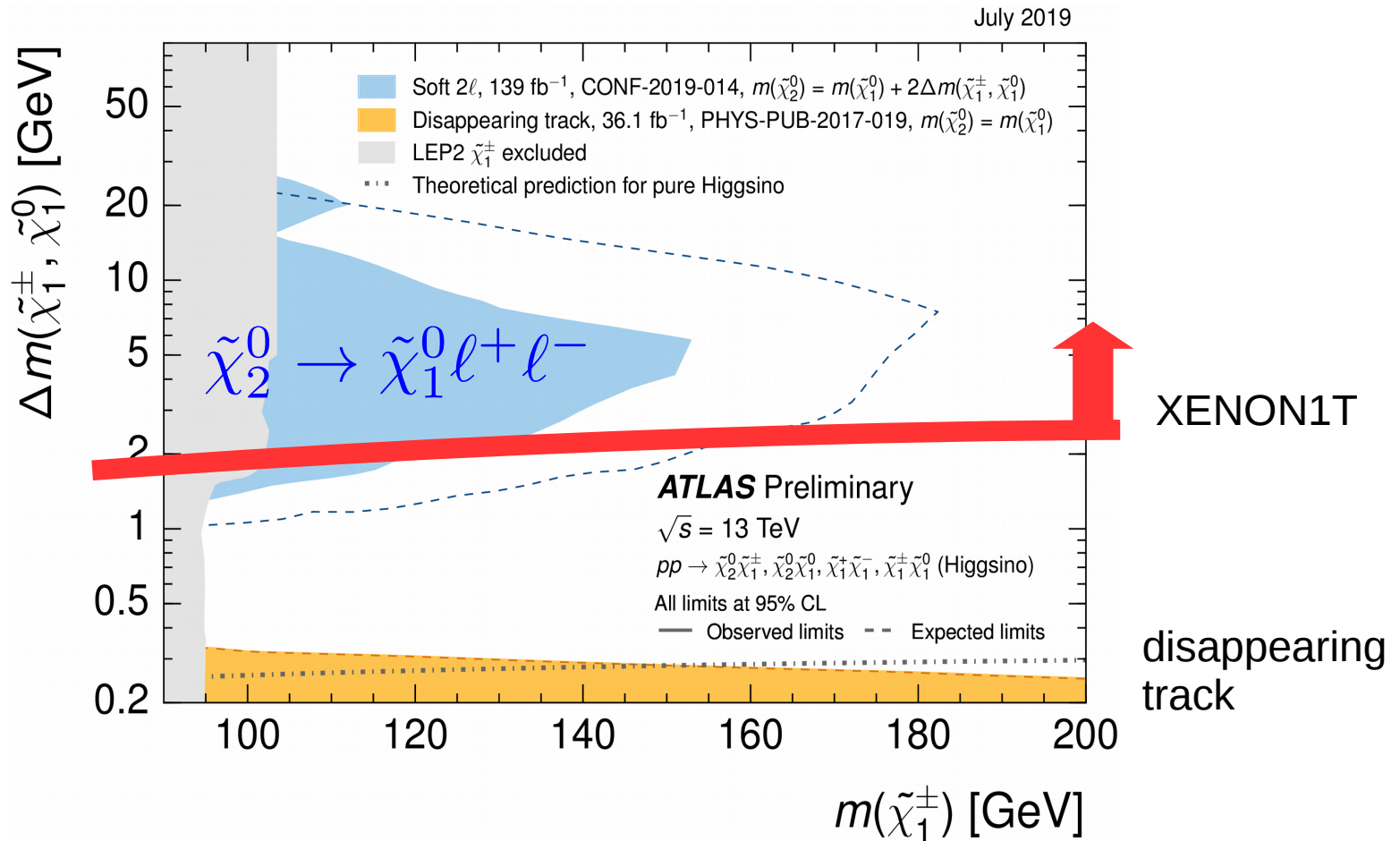
New observable are needed for efficient BG reduction

Decay of heavier Higgsino component

Current Constraint(higgsino)

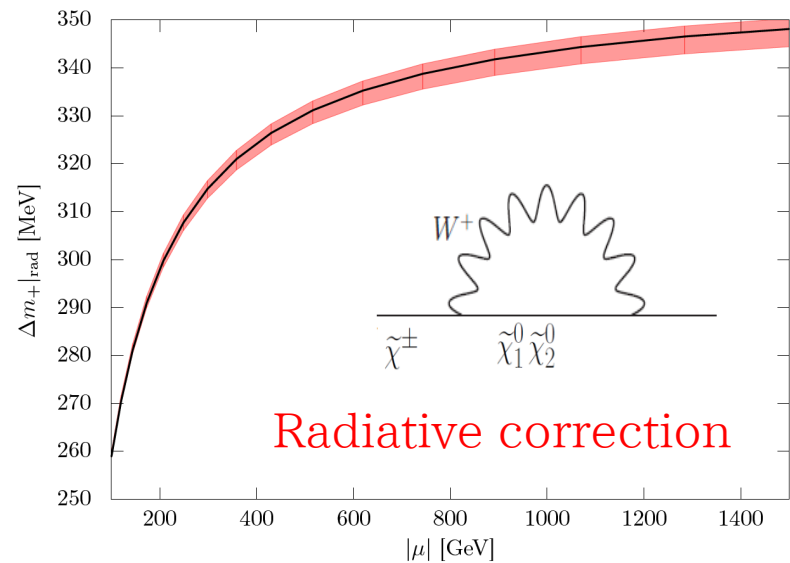
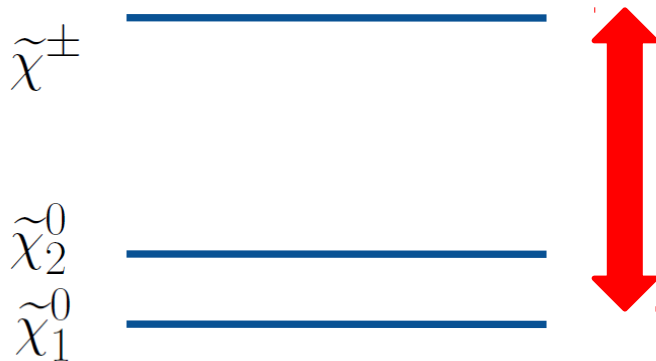


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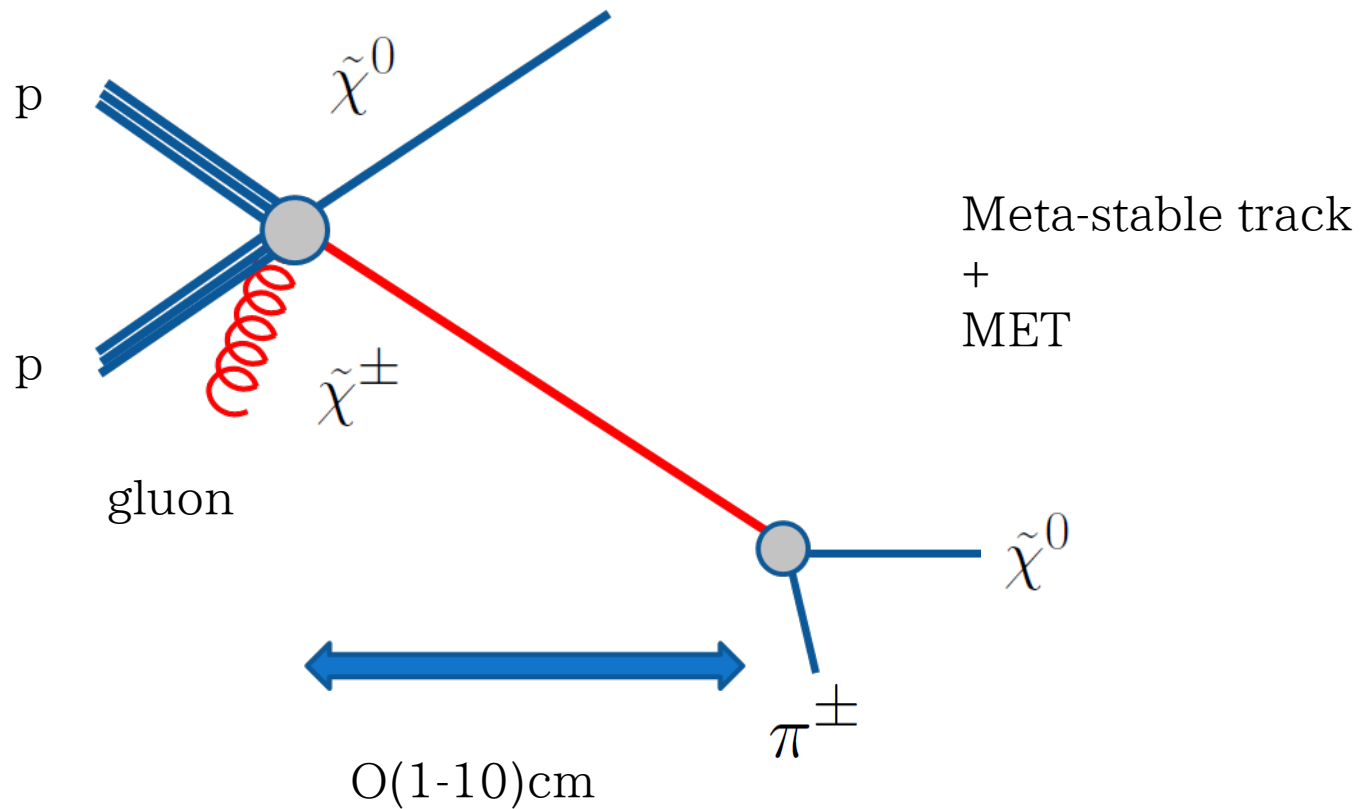
Almost Pure Higgsino Spectrum

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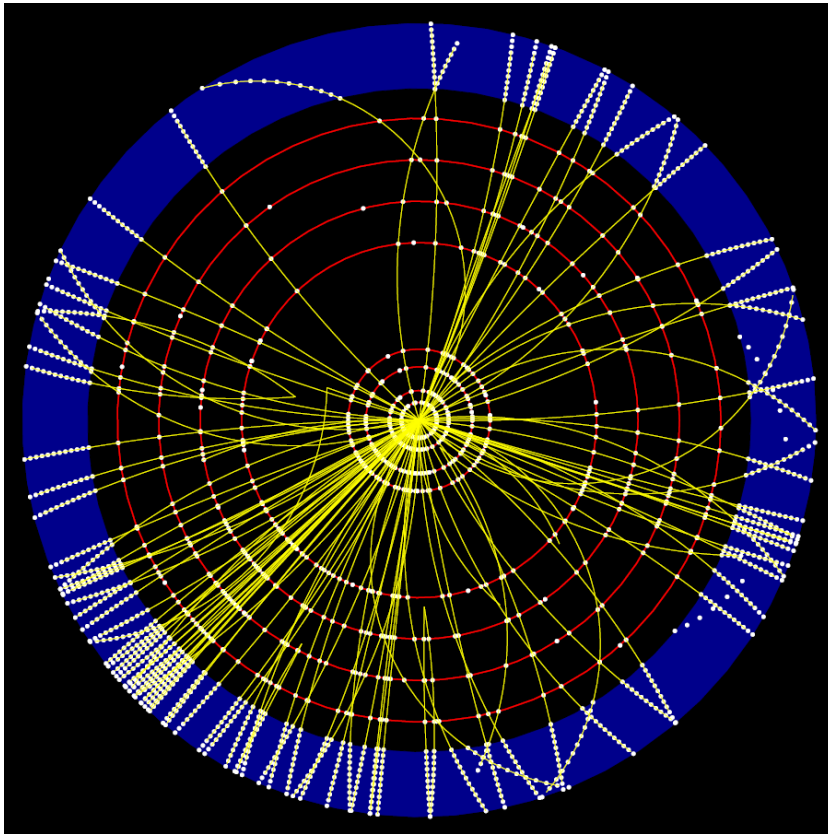


$$c\tau(\tilde{\chi}^\pm \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}^0 \pi^\pm) = 1.1 \text{ cm} \left(\frac{\Delta m_+}{300 \text{ MeV}} \right)^{-3} \left[1 - \frac{m_{\pi^\pm}^2}{\Delta m_+^2} \right]^{-1/2}$$

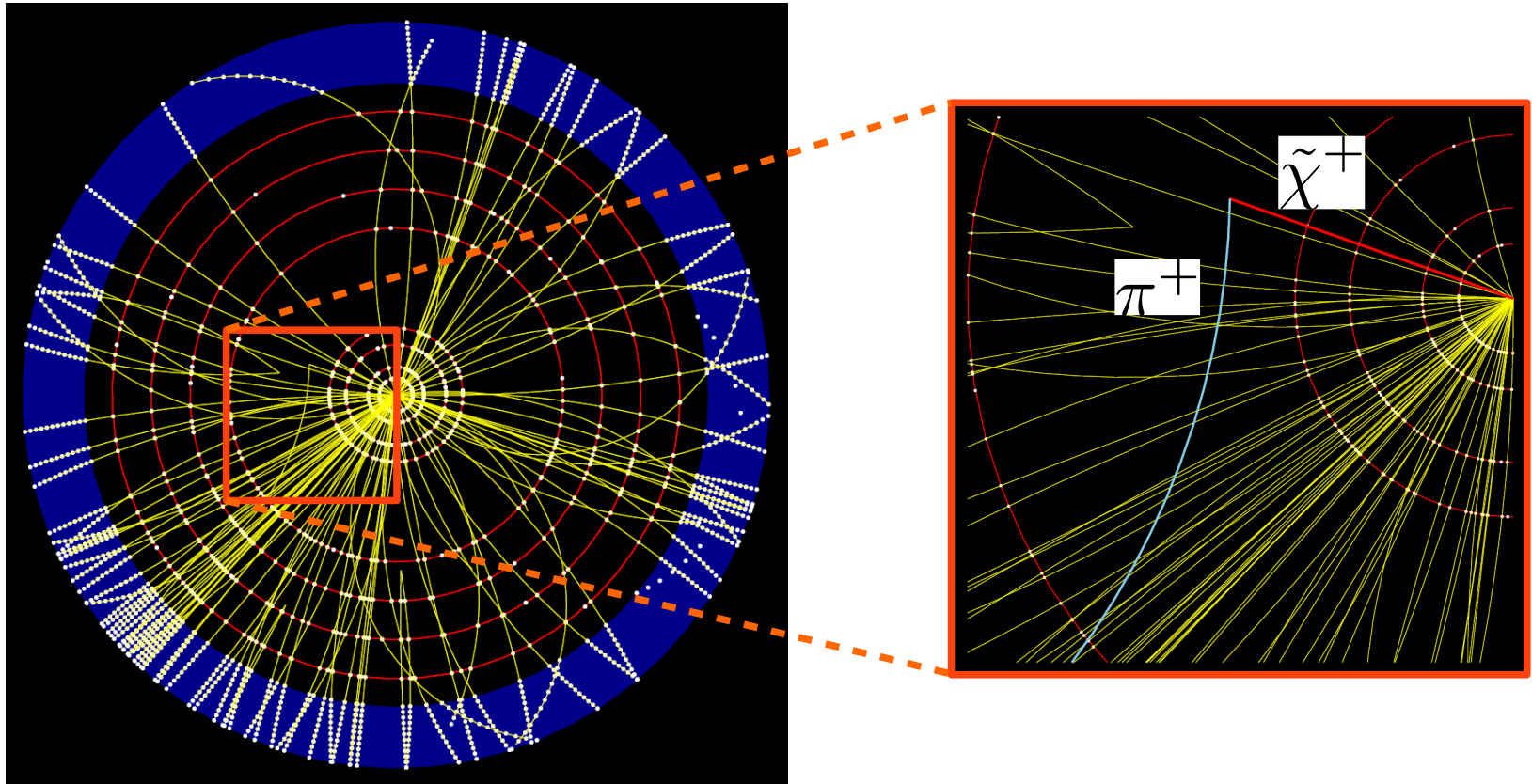
LHC Signals



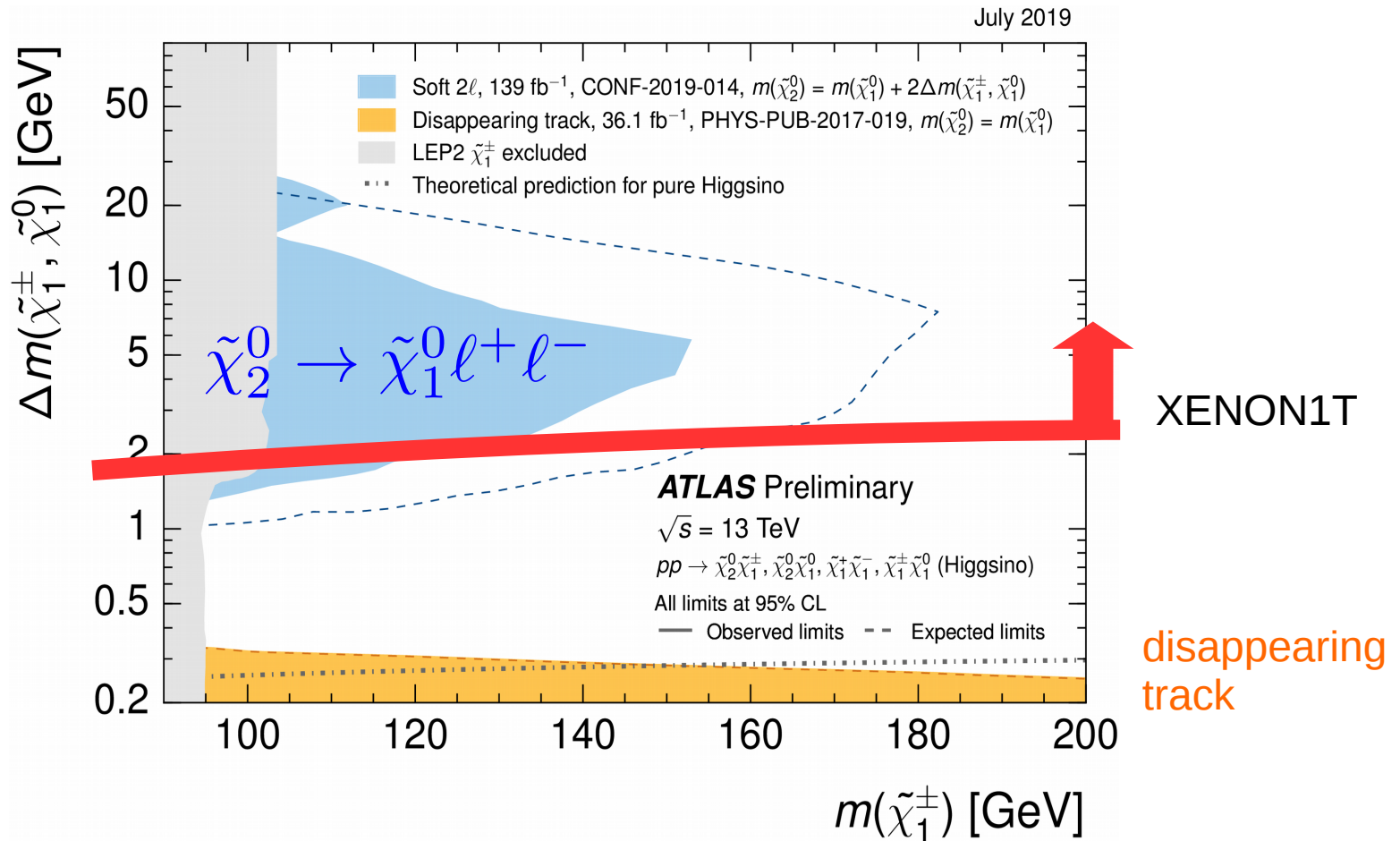
Event Display



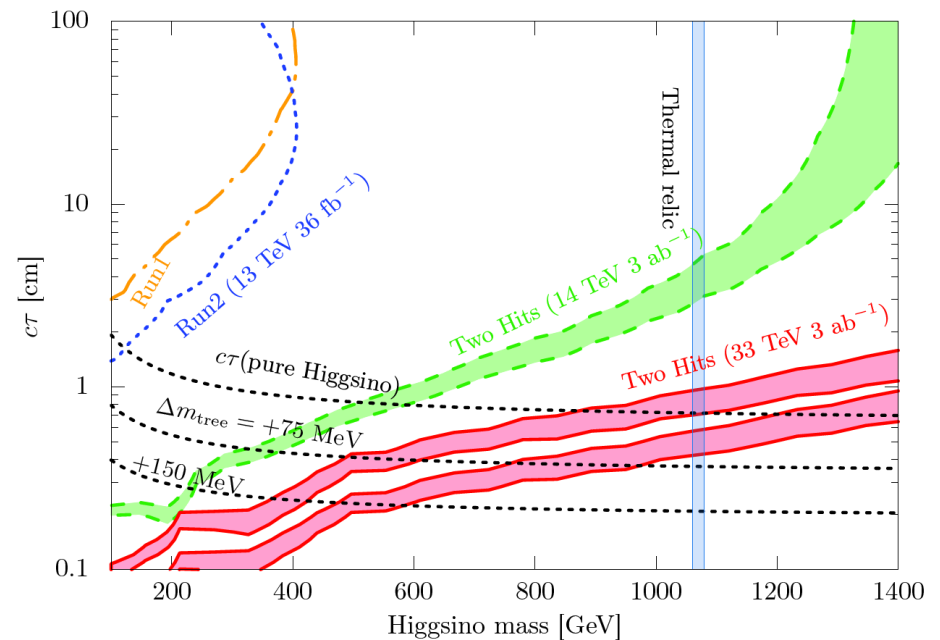
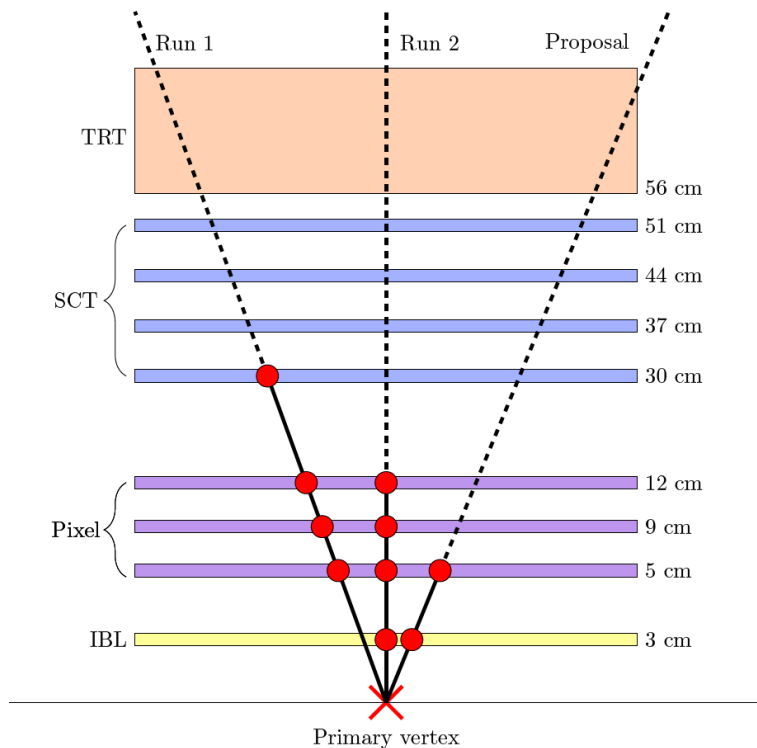
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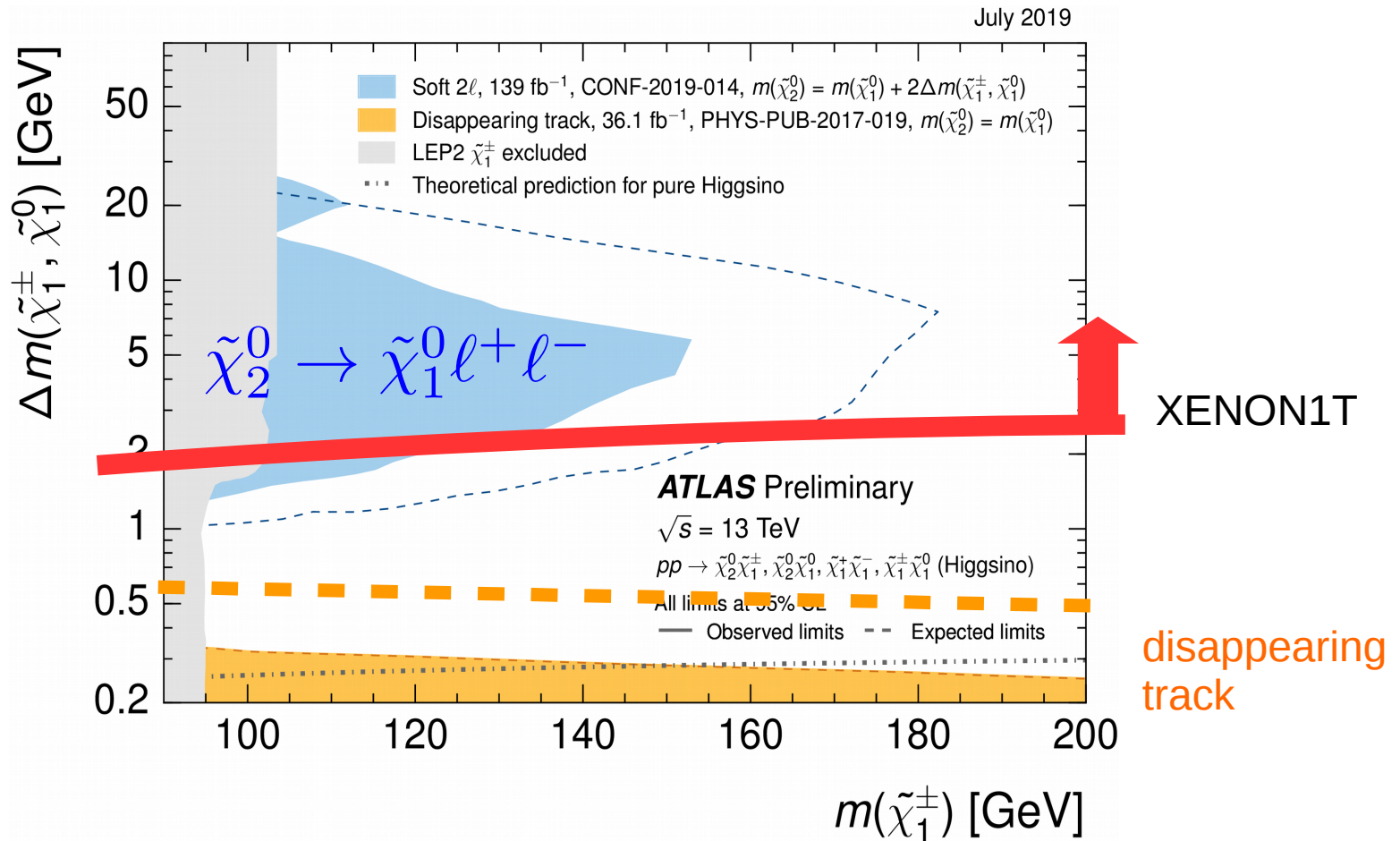


Improving Track Reconstruction

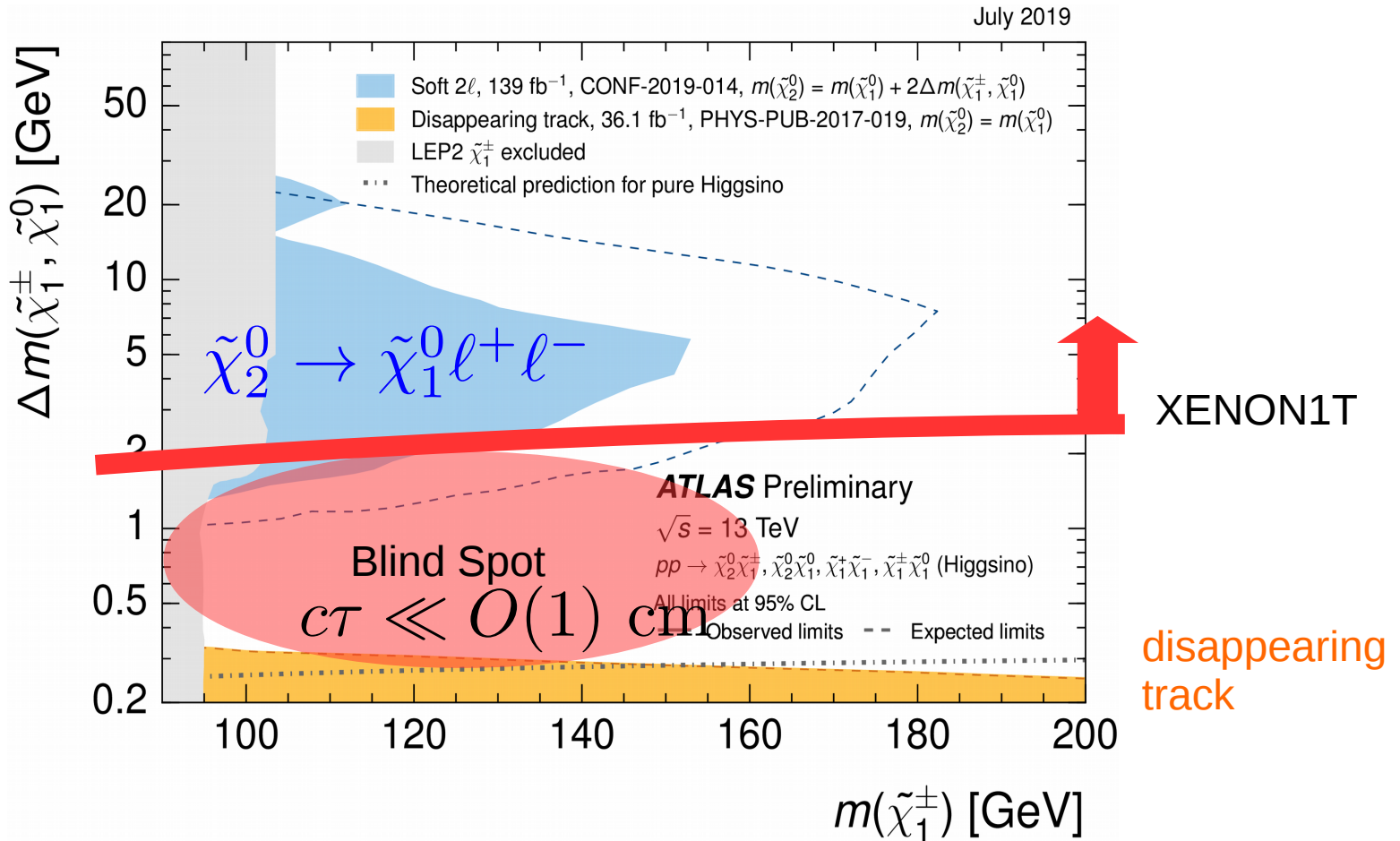


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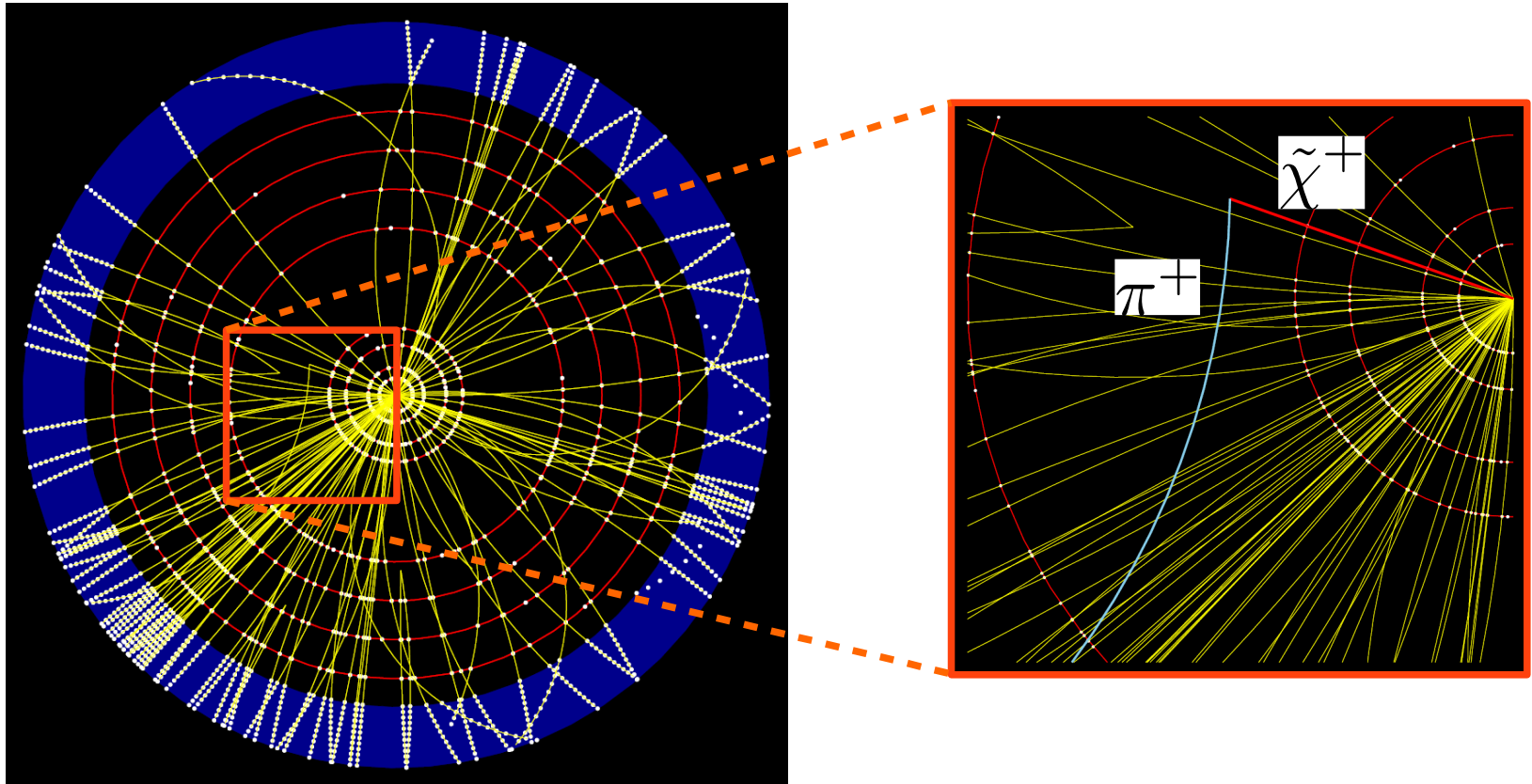
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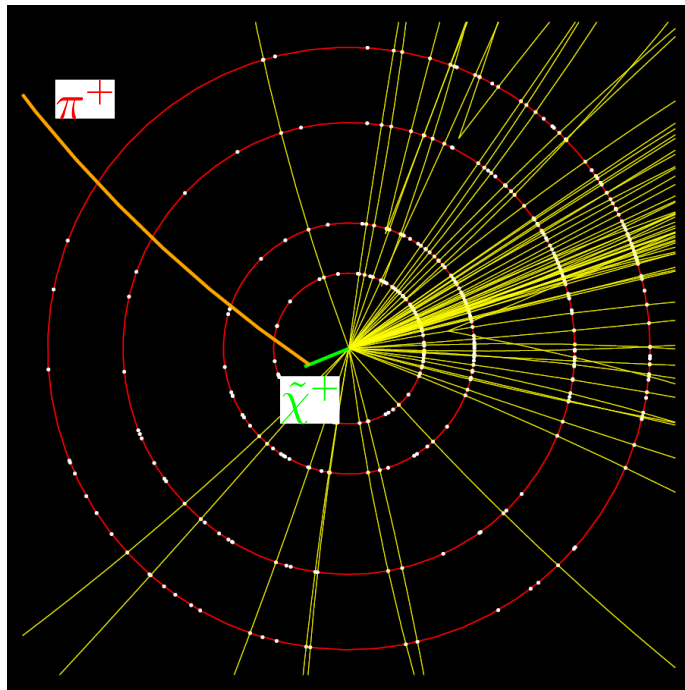
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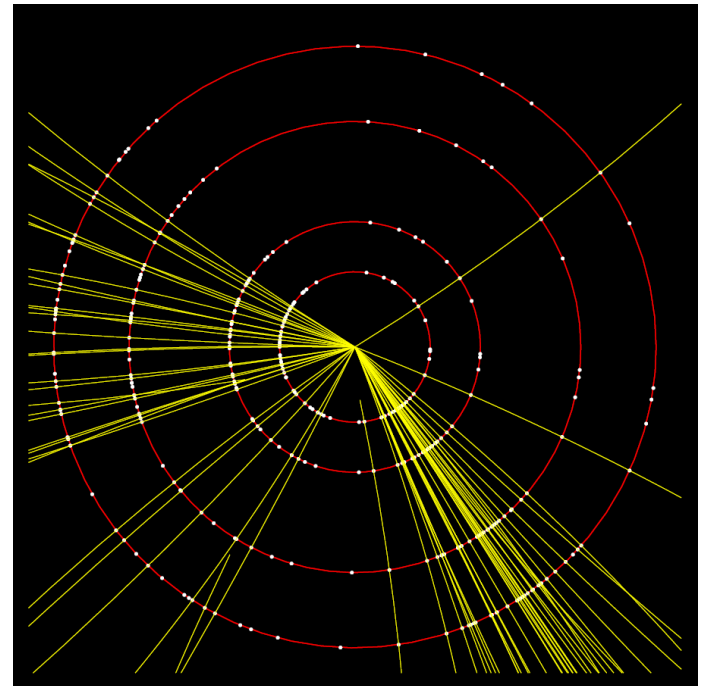


Use Soft Track

Event Display

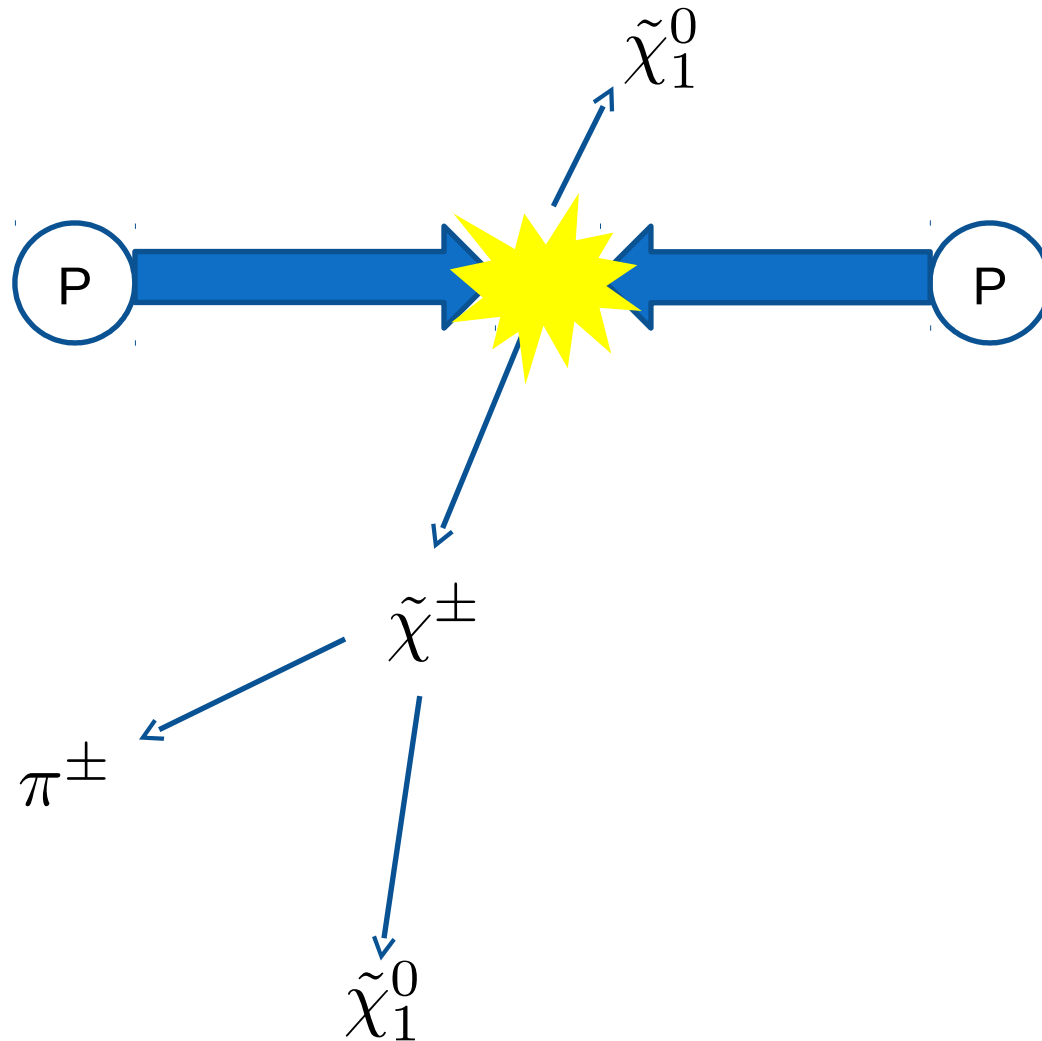


Signal

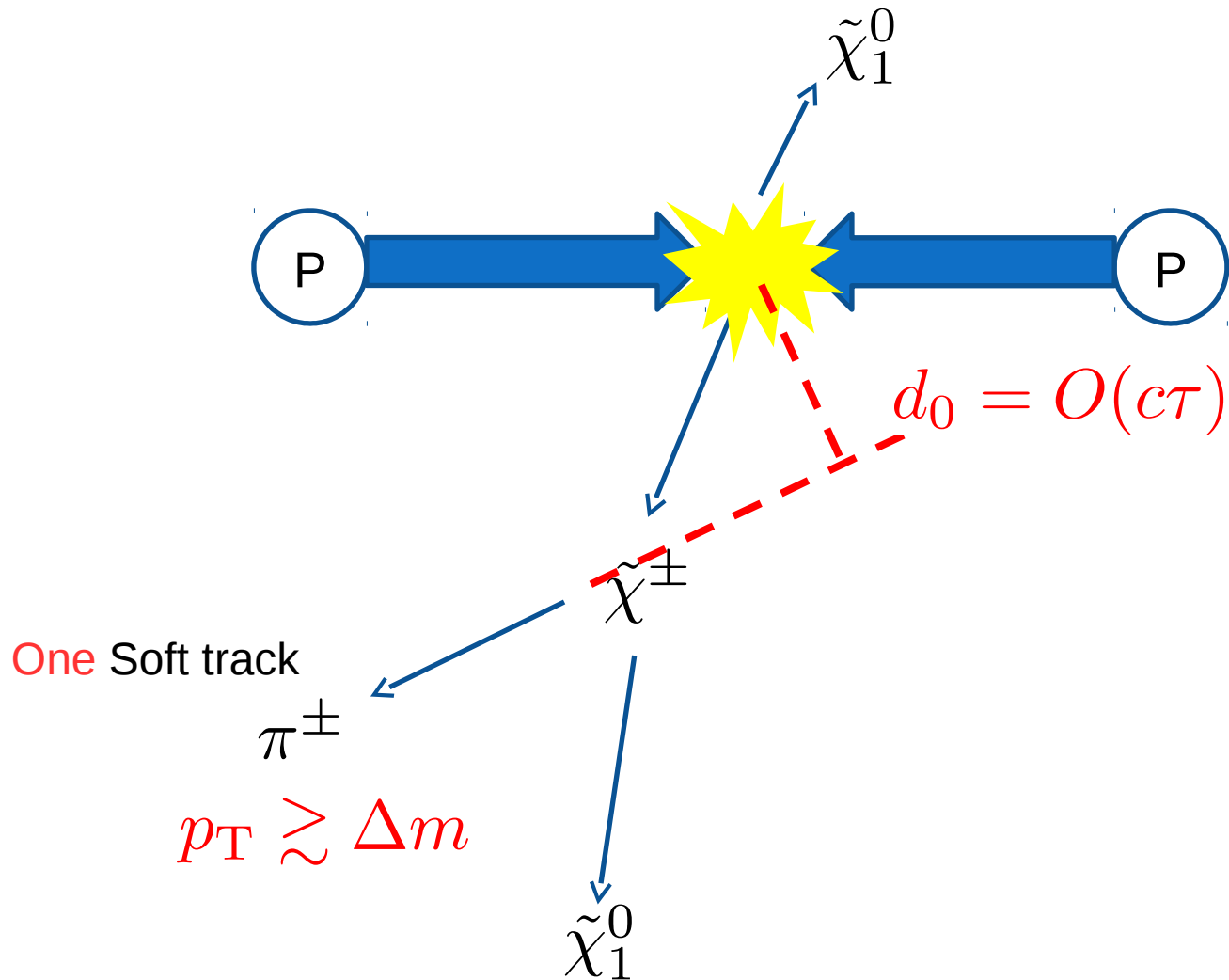


BG ($Z > \nu\nu$)

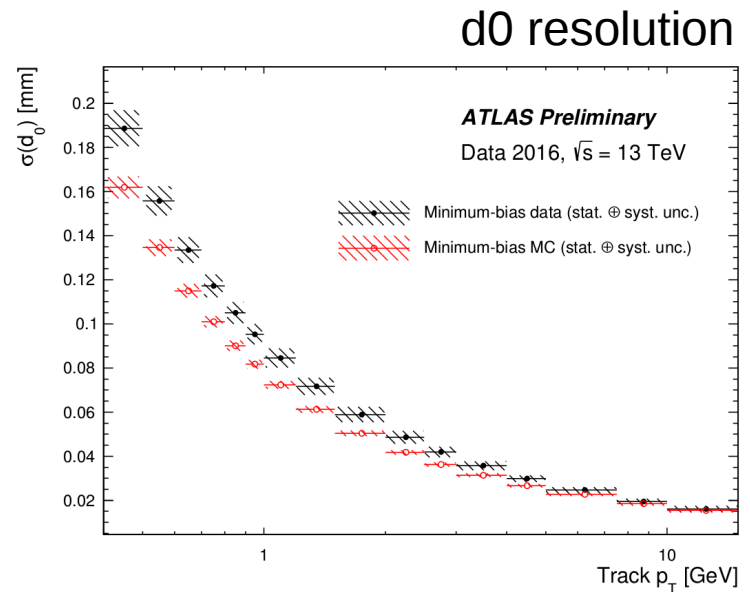
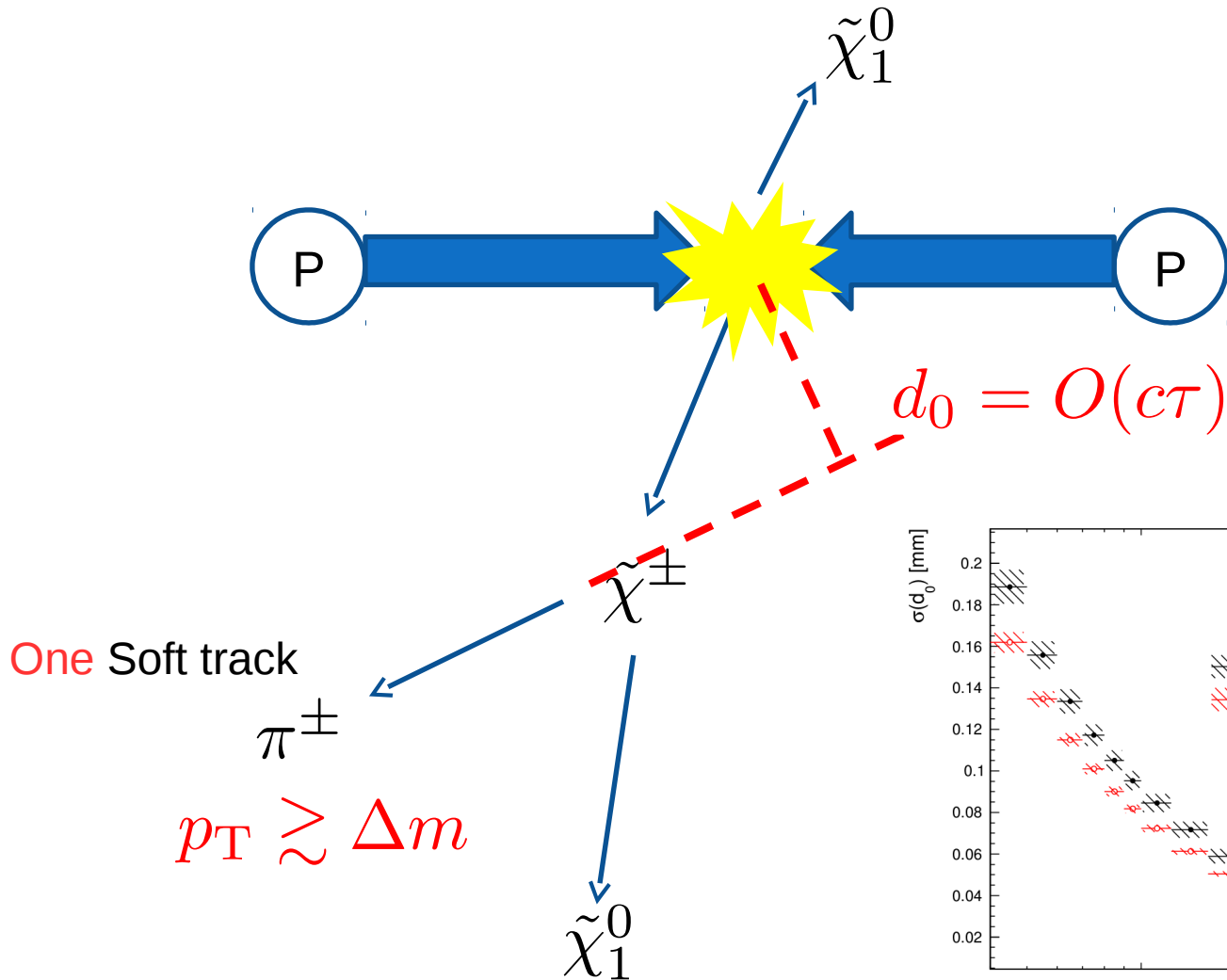
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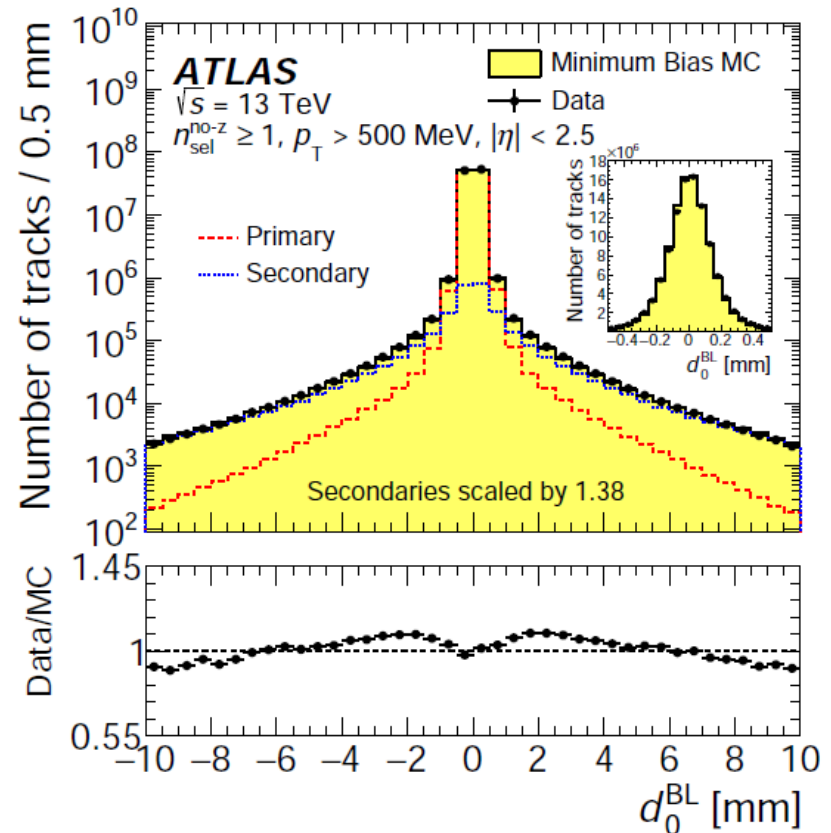


Background

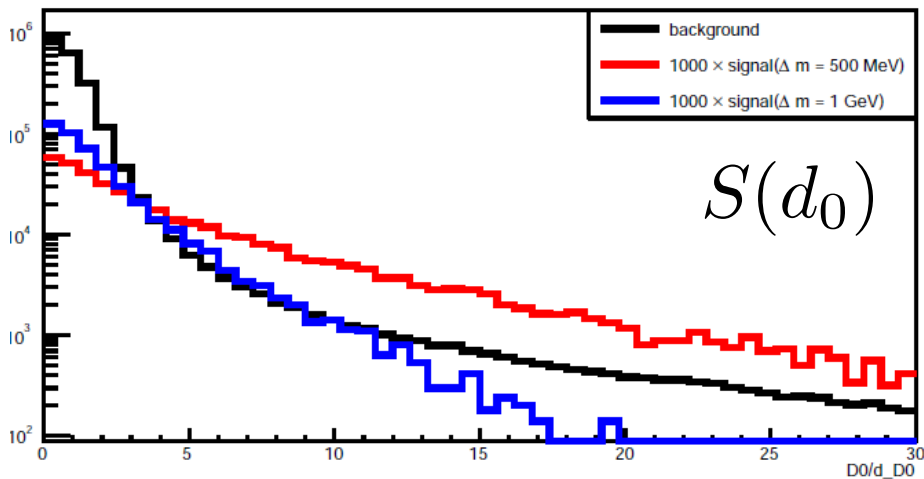
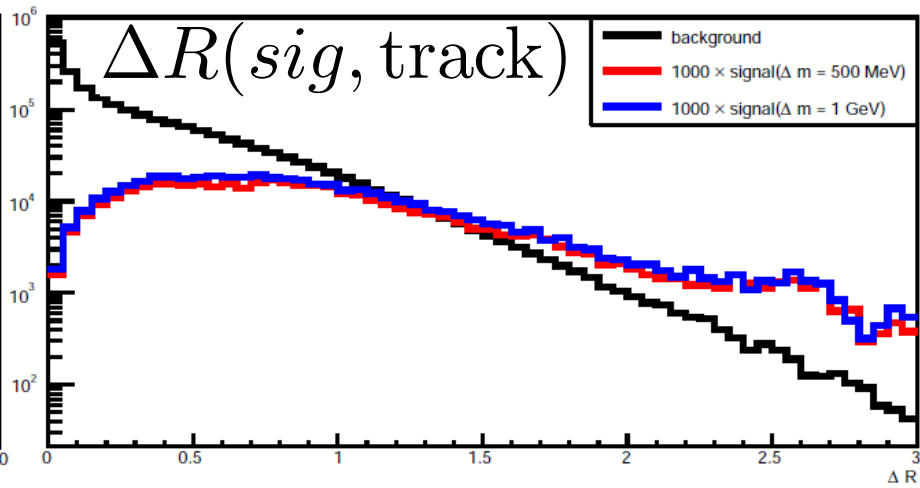
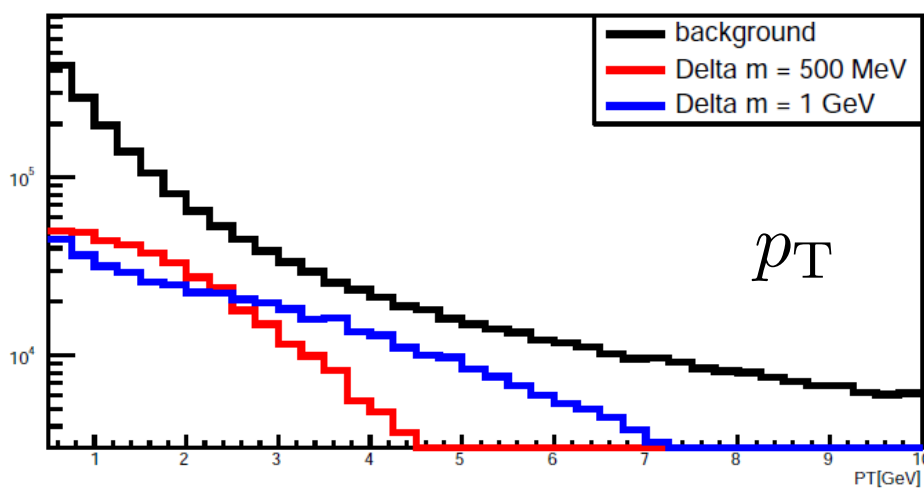
- Main BG event: Mono boson production: $Z \rightarrow \nu\nu$
- $O(100)$ tracks per event
- Tracks tend to be soft
- Most of tracks are close to each other
- Secondary track: long-lived particles decay: Ks, strange baryon
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Background vs Signal

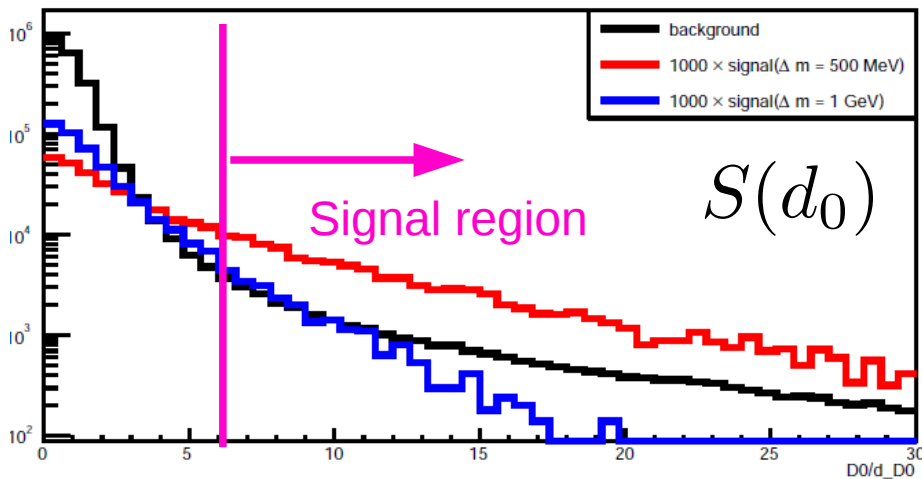
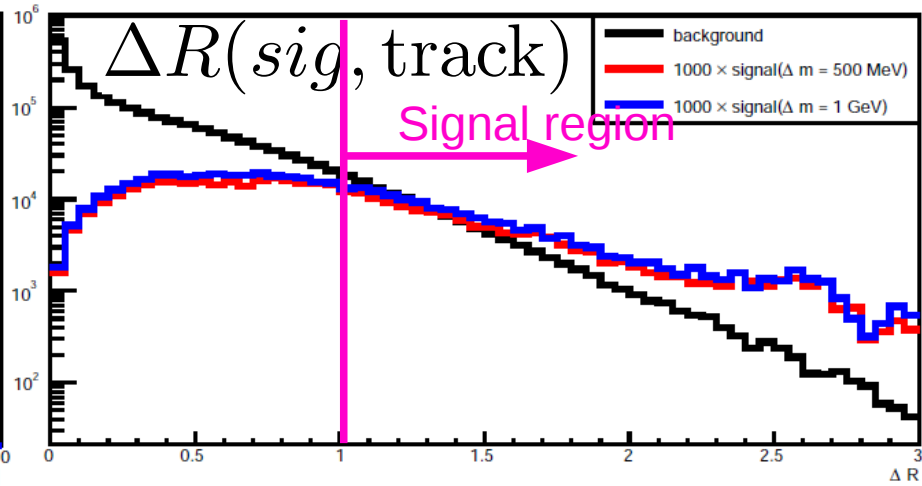
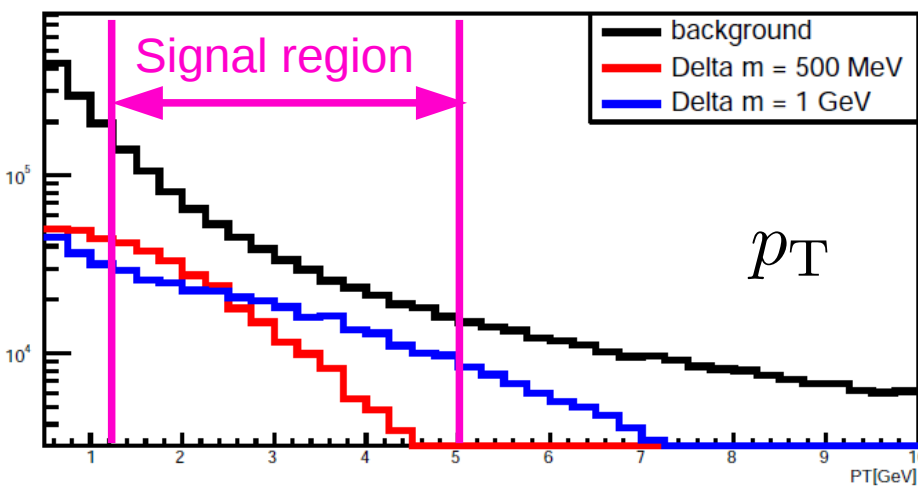


Signal: 150 GeV Higgsino

Delta m = 500 MeV: red line
ctau = 2 mm

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Event Selection

“Mono-jet event” with MET > 500 GeV and Signal track satisfying

- Basic Selection: $1.2 < p_T < 5$ GeV; $|\eta| < 1.5$; $|\Delta z_0 \sin(\theta)| < 1.5$, $|d_0| < 10$ mm, and IBL hit
- Isolation: The candidate track is separated by $\Delta R \equiv \sqrt{(\Delta\phi)^2 + (\Delta\eta)^2} > 1$ for any tracks with $p_T > 1$ GeV
- Displacement: The transverse impact parameter of the candidate is large: $S(d_0) \equiv |d_0|/\sigma_{d_0} > 6$.
- Alignment to MET direction: $\Delta\phi(\text{trk.}, \vec{p}_T^{\text{miss}}) < 1$.

Acceptance rate for

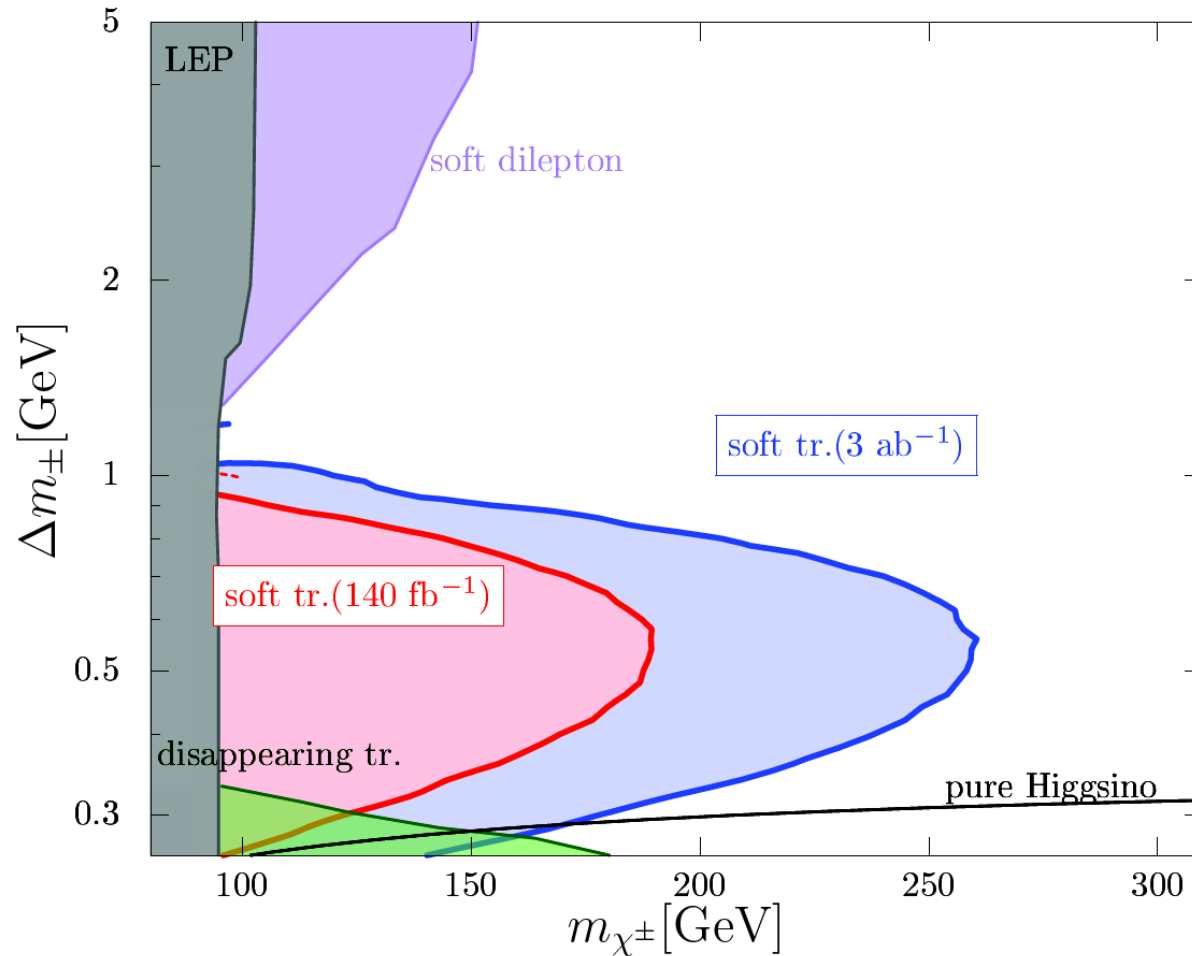
Higgsino with 0.5 GeV Delta M ~ 5%.

Background ~ 0.5%

50%: Kshort, Sigma,..., 30%: Mis-measurement, 20% Pileup

Result

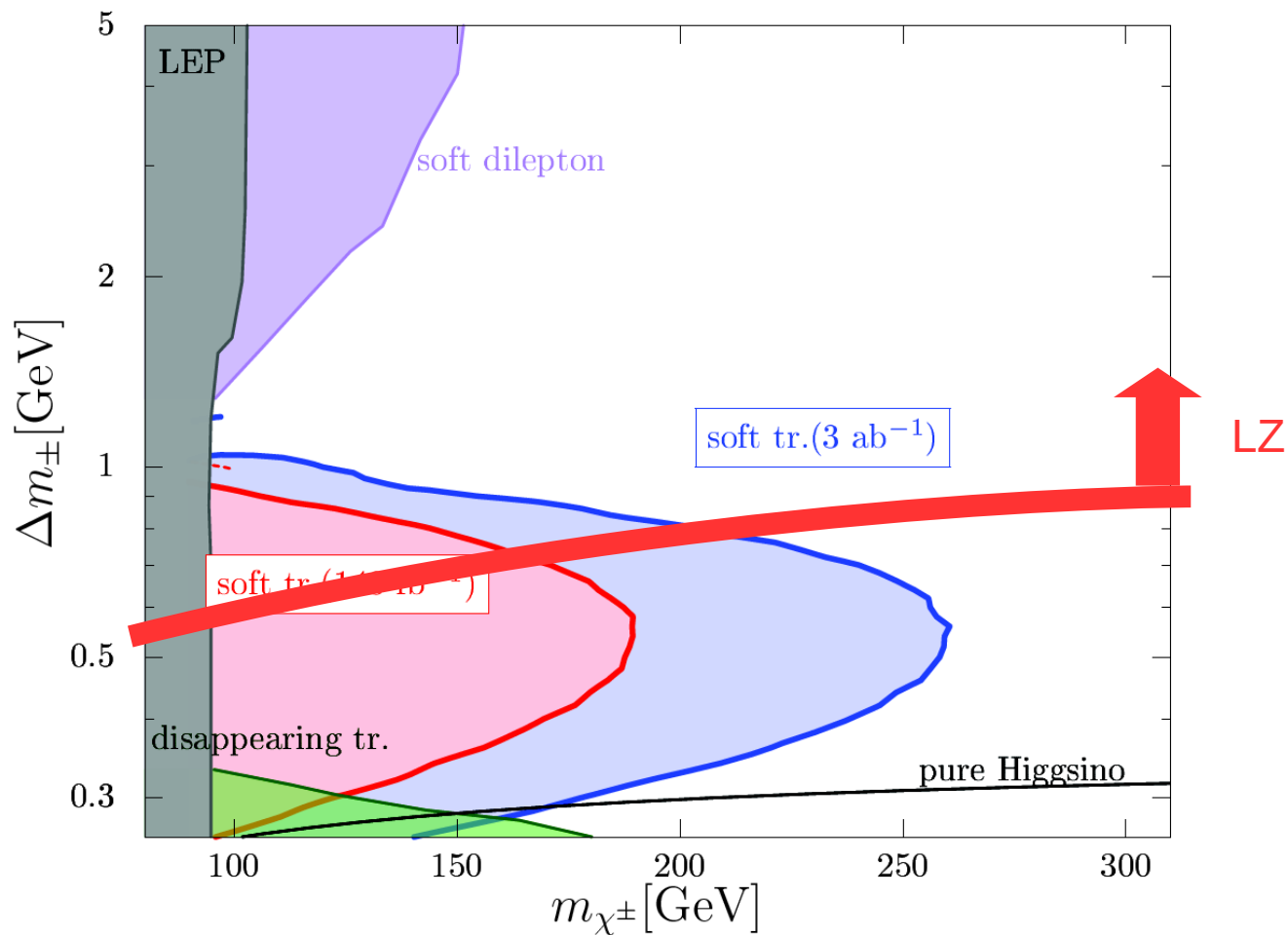
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Run2 # of BG ~ 250. 43

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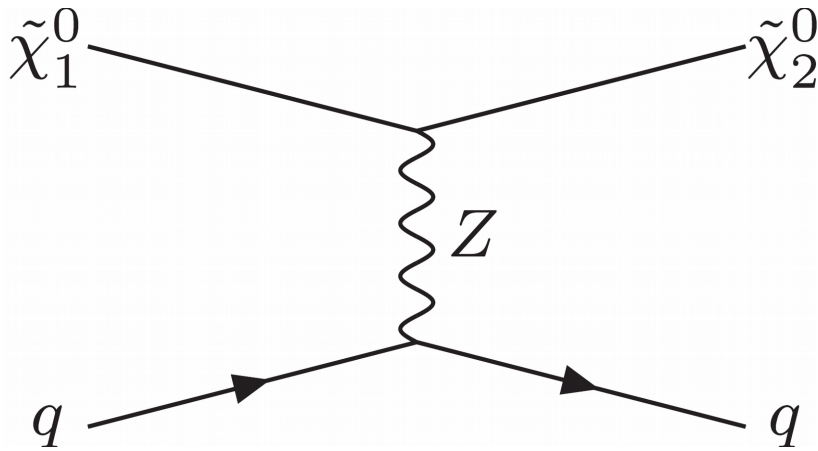


Run2 # of BG ~ 250.

Summary

- Compressed Higgsino has phenomenological importance
- Higgsino DM likely provide **meta-stable** particles
 - Complementary to DM direct detection
 - Disappearing track
 - Soft tracks
 - Can fill “Delta M” gap region
- Application to other BSM models:
Slepton coannihilation, minimal DM, wino.

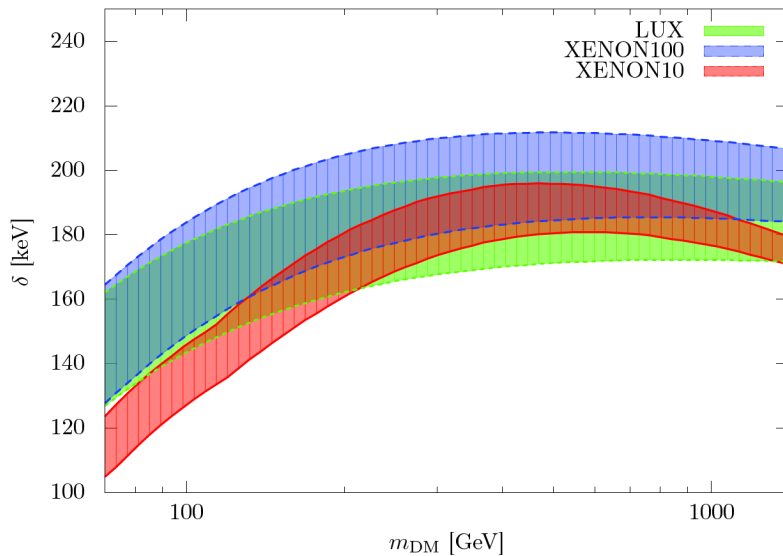
Inelastic Scattering



In DM direct detection,
the recoil energy is $O(100)$ keV



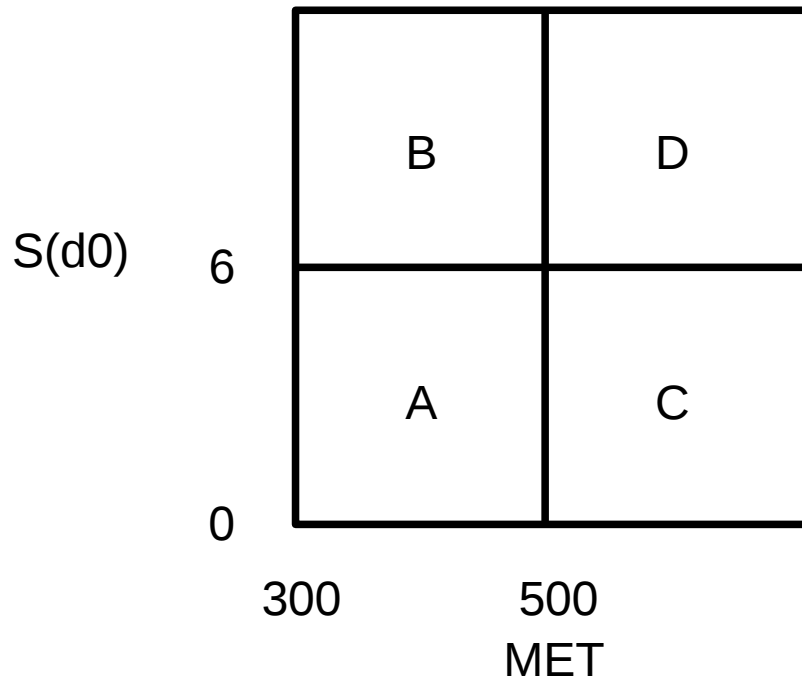
Mass difference $< O(100)$ keV is excluded



ABCD Method

In reality, we need data drive background estimation.

Acceptance rate of Signal track is almost independent on MET.



A, B, C: Control regions:
D: Signal region

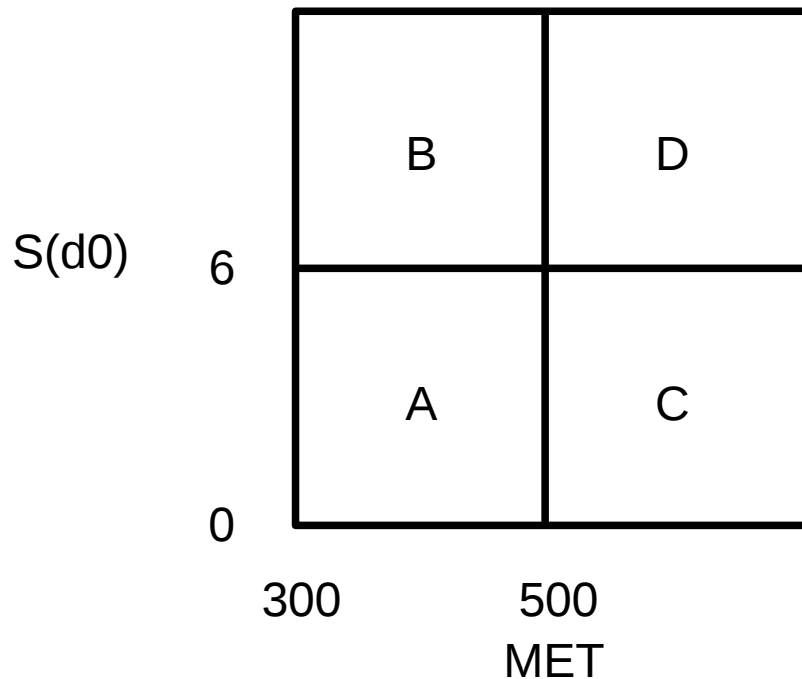
By using observed data for A, B, C we can estimate # of signal region D

$$D = B \times C / A$$

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Mock data

Pythia8 Run2

A: 103302

B: 2574

C: 10691

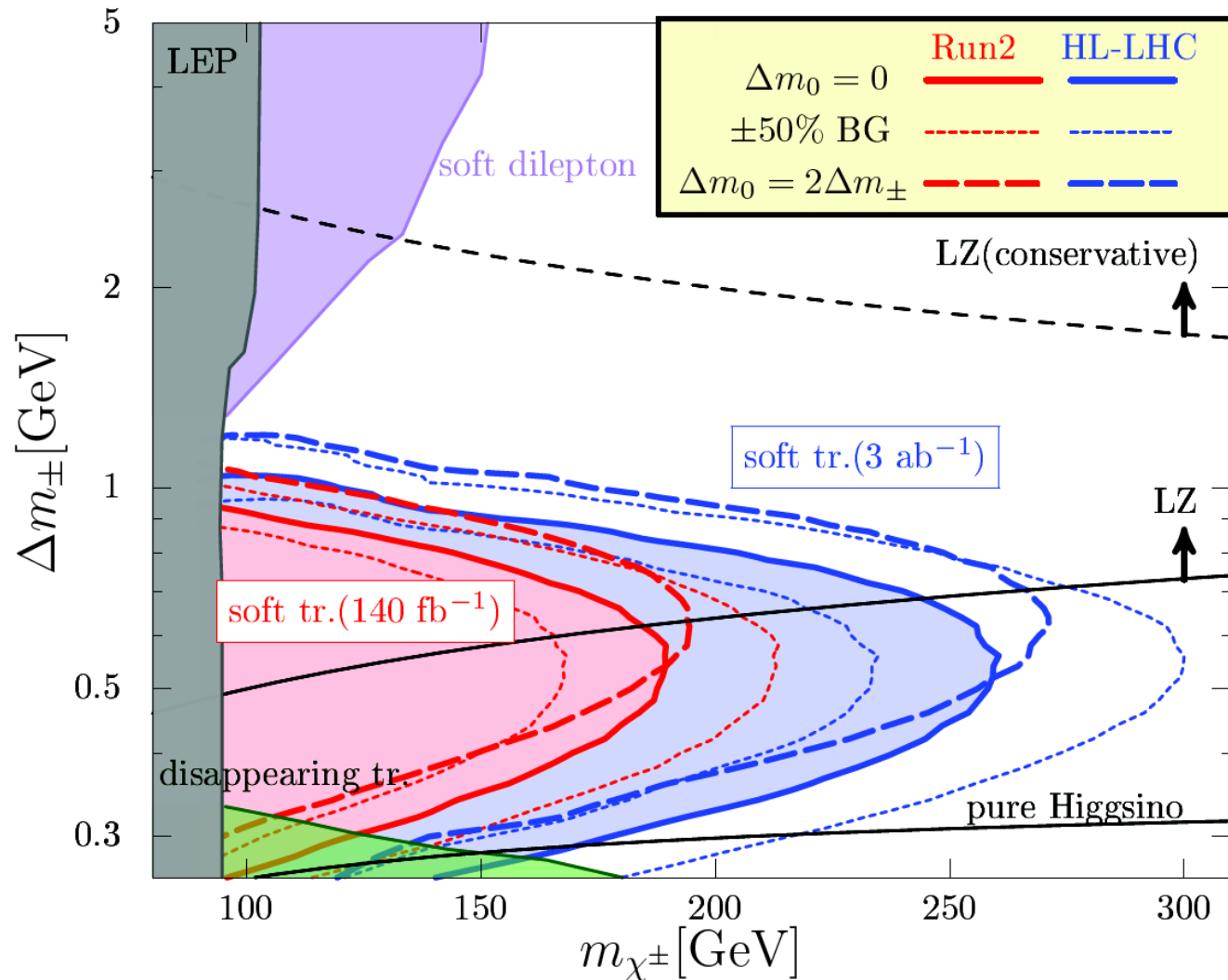
D: 261

Estimation by ABCD method:

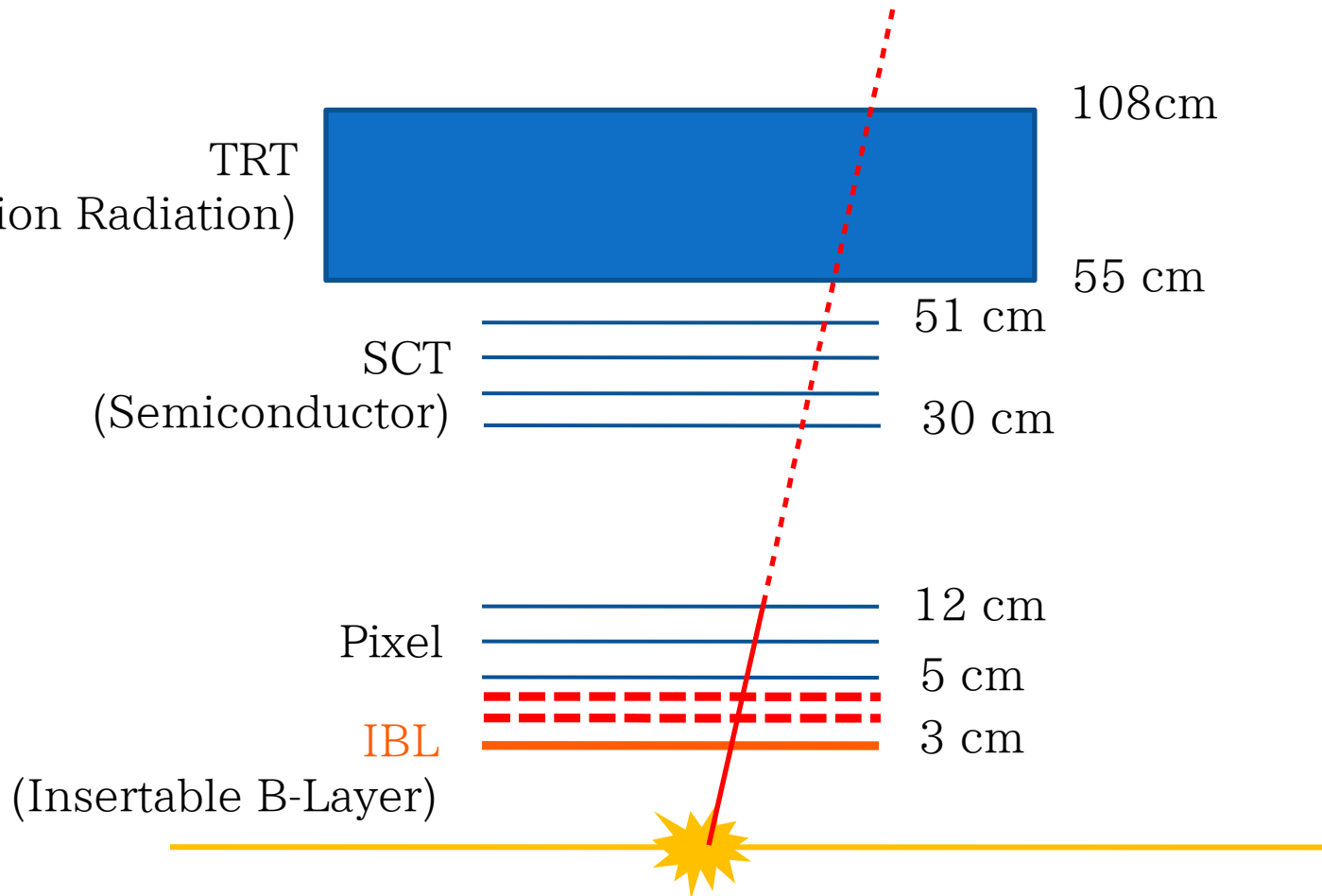
$$D = B \times C / A \\ = 266 \pm 6$$

BG systematic error ~3%.

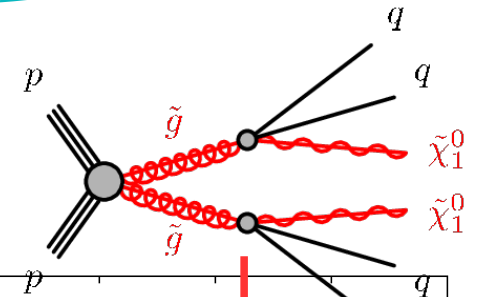
Full Result



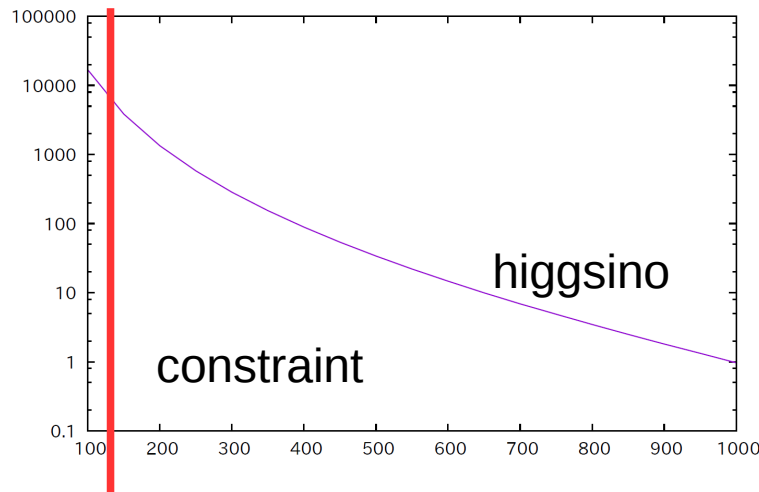
Tracker for Run???



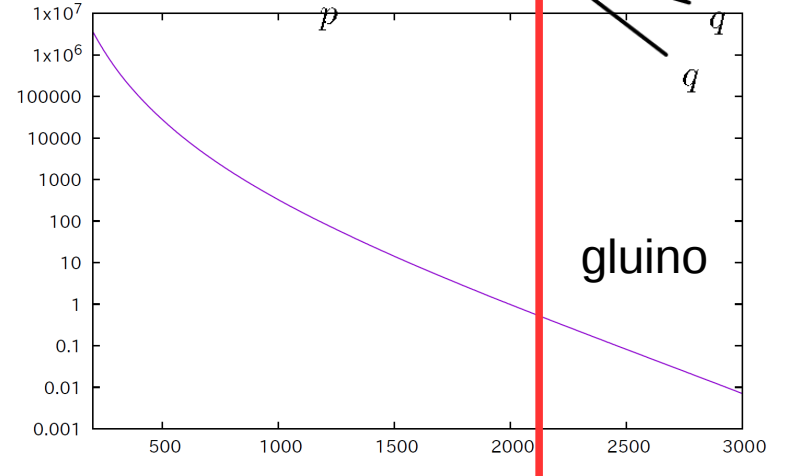
WIMP is hard target



cross section [fb]



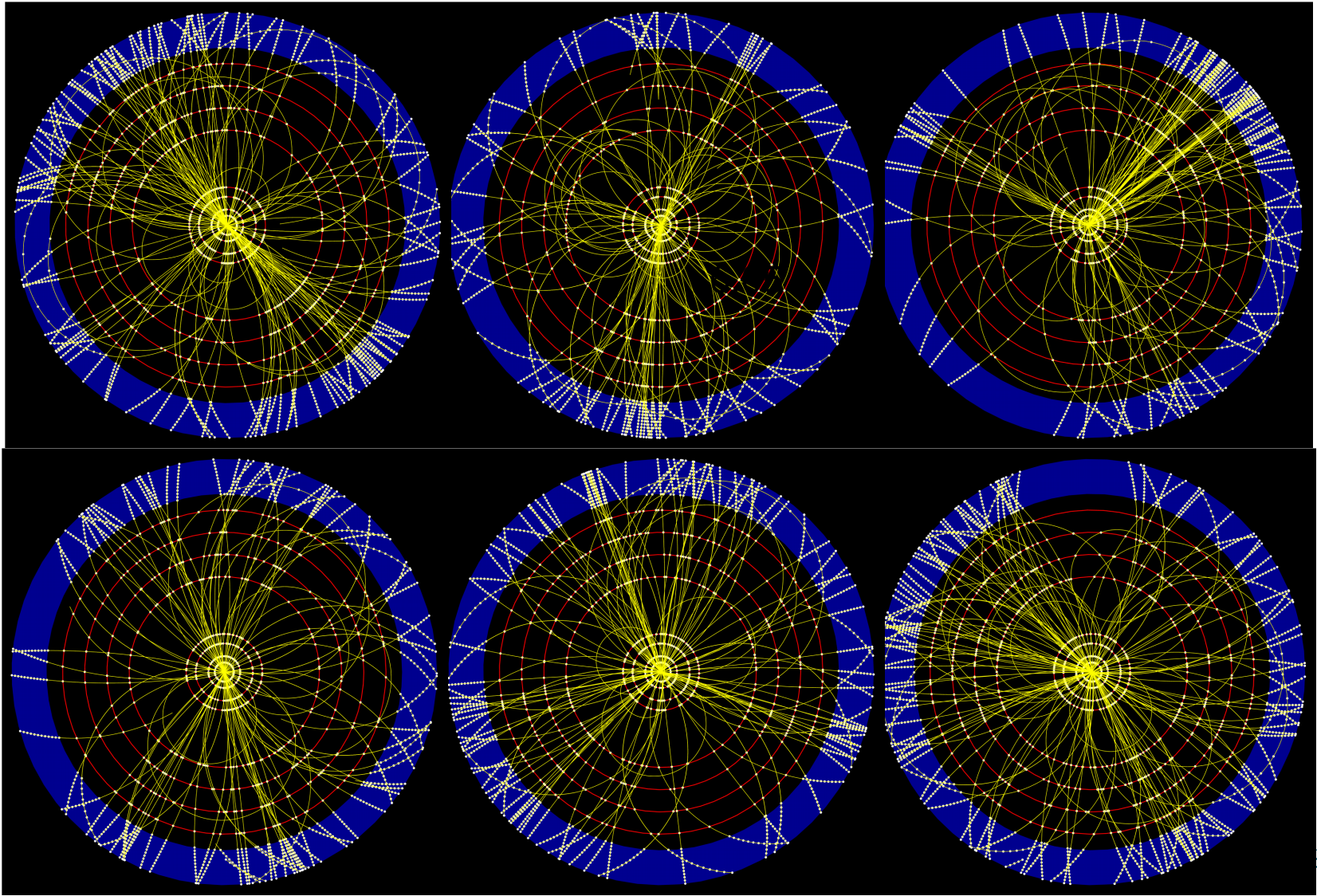
$O(10^5)$ particle production



$O(10)$ particle production

Efficient BG reduction and/or new observable are needed

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DM signal

