

# Neutrino self-interaction effect in signals from Blazar TXS 0506+056

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- Blazar : AGN w/ a relativistic jets (mostly energetic  $p^+$ ,  $e^-$  above PeV scale)
- By the scatterings with X-ray photons or synchrotron radiations,



- photopion prod.  $p\gamma_{\text{bkg}} \rightarrow p\pi^0, n\pi^+$   
 $\pi^0 \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$   $\pi^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ \nu_\mu$   $n \rightarrow p e \nu_e$   
 $\mu \rightarrow e \nu \bar{\nu}$
- inverse compton  $e\gamma_{\text{bkg}} \rightarrow e\gamma$

- Usually both energetic neutrino around O(100) TeV - O(100) PeV and multi-wavelength (from optical to gamma-rays) photon fluxes are expected.

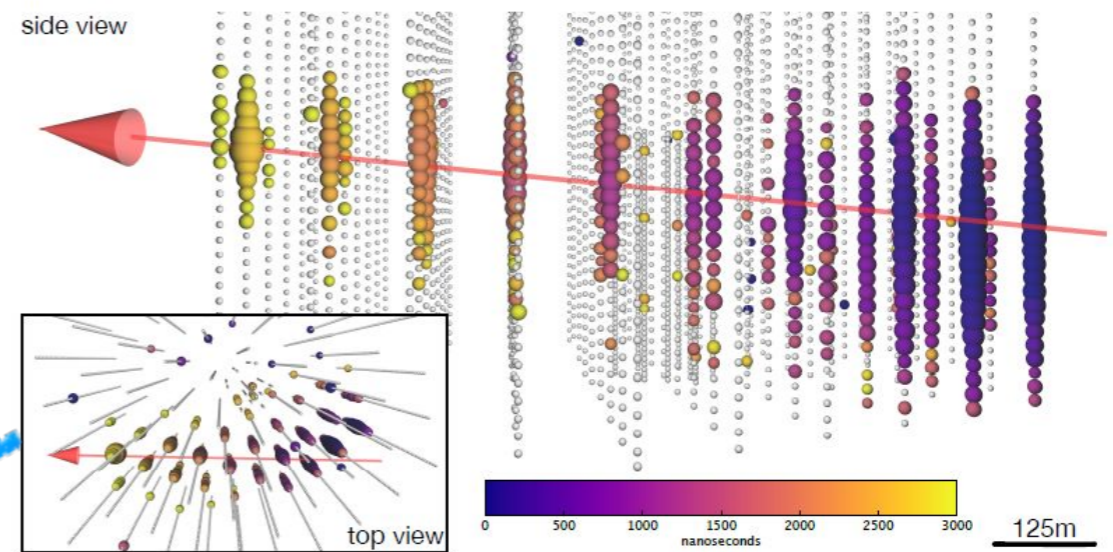
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- $\nu$  flare in TXS 0506+056 (2017) :  
the first complete set of  
multi-messenger observation  
including **both photon and  
neutrinos** from the **same  
astrophysical source**.

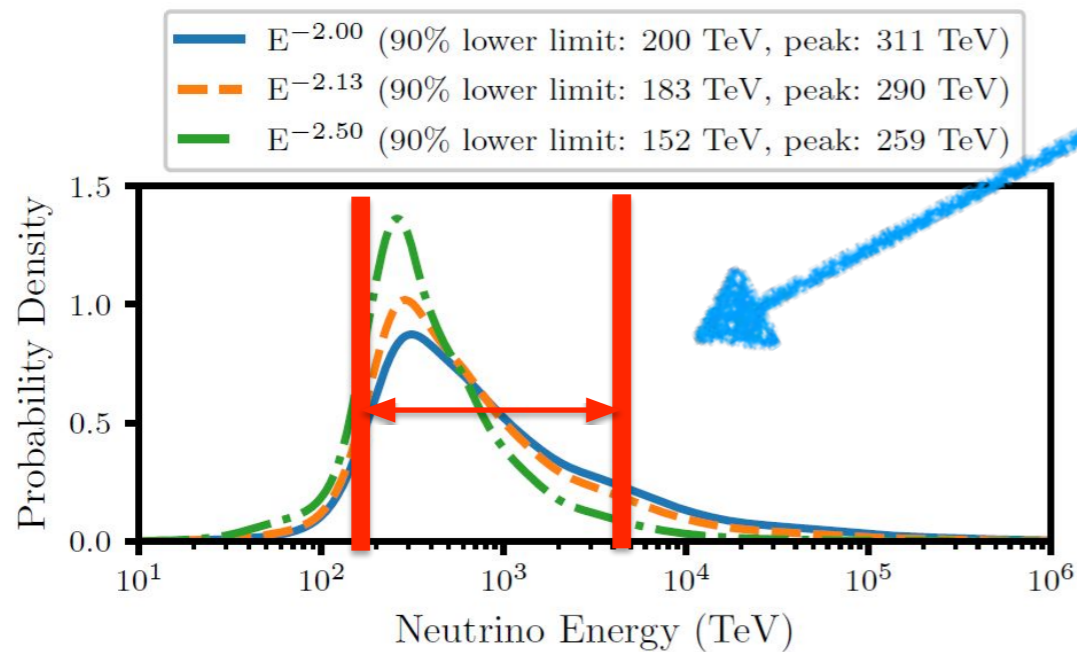
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O(100) TeV high E neutrino

IceCube

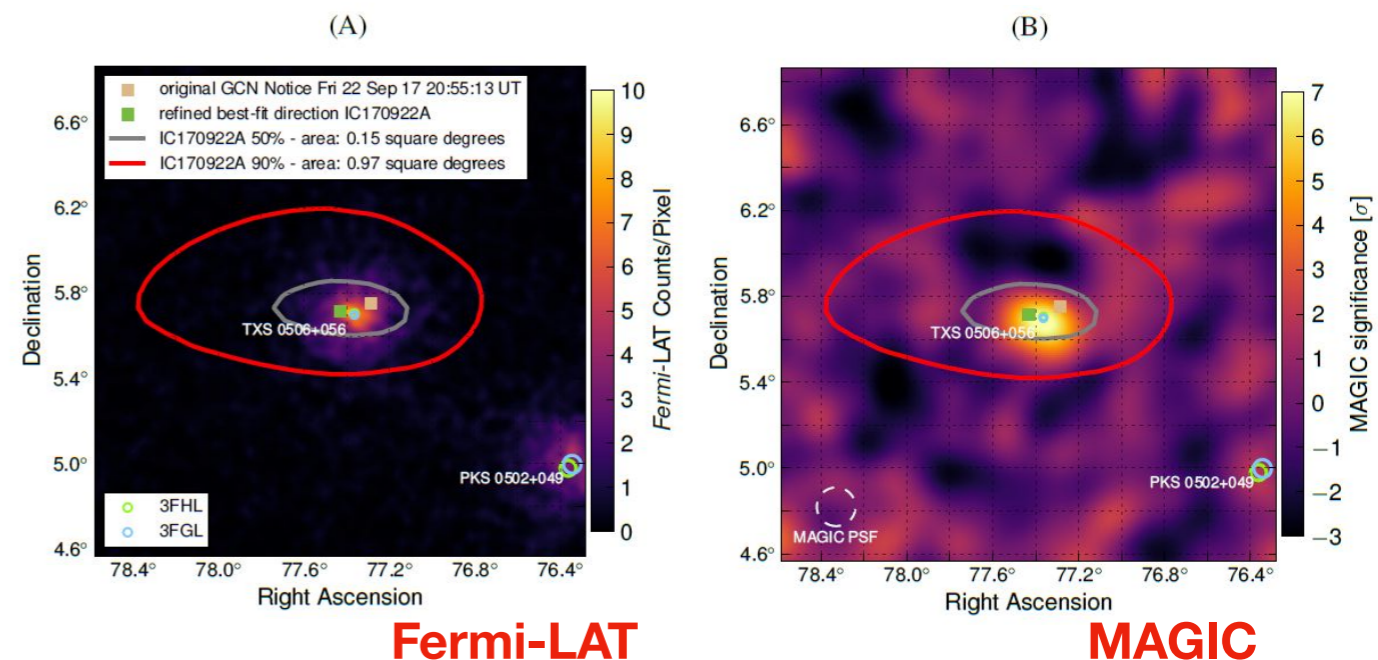


Gamma rays O(1-100) GeV



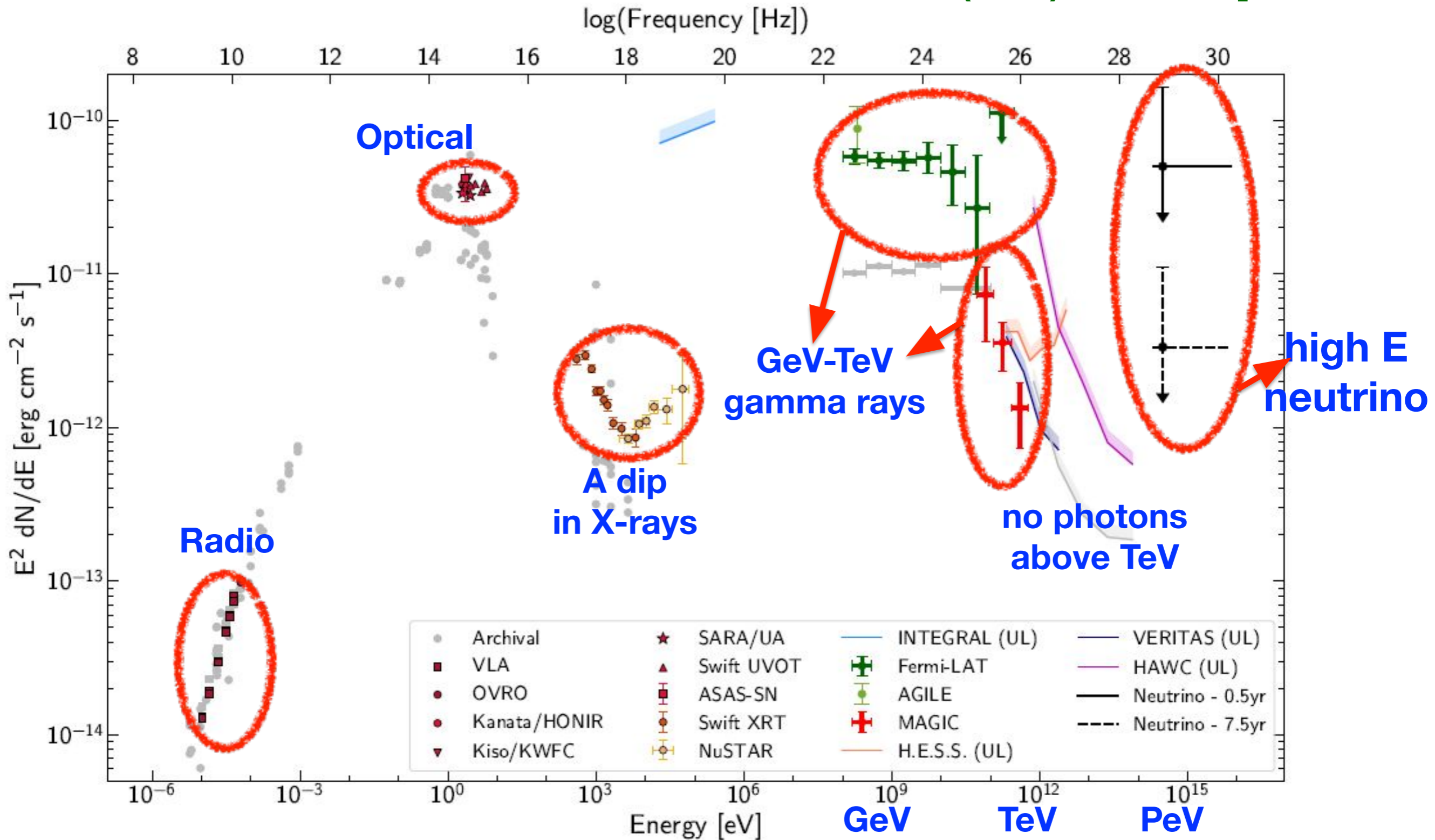
$E_\nu = 290$  TeV high E muon neutrino

$183 \text{ TeV} \leq E_\nu \leq 4.3 \text{ PeV}$  at 90% C.L.

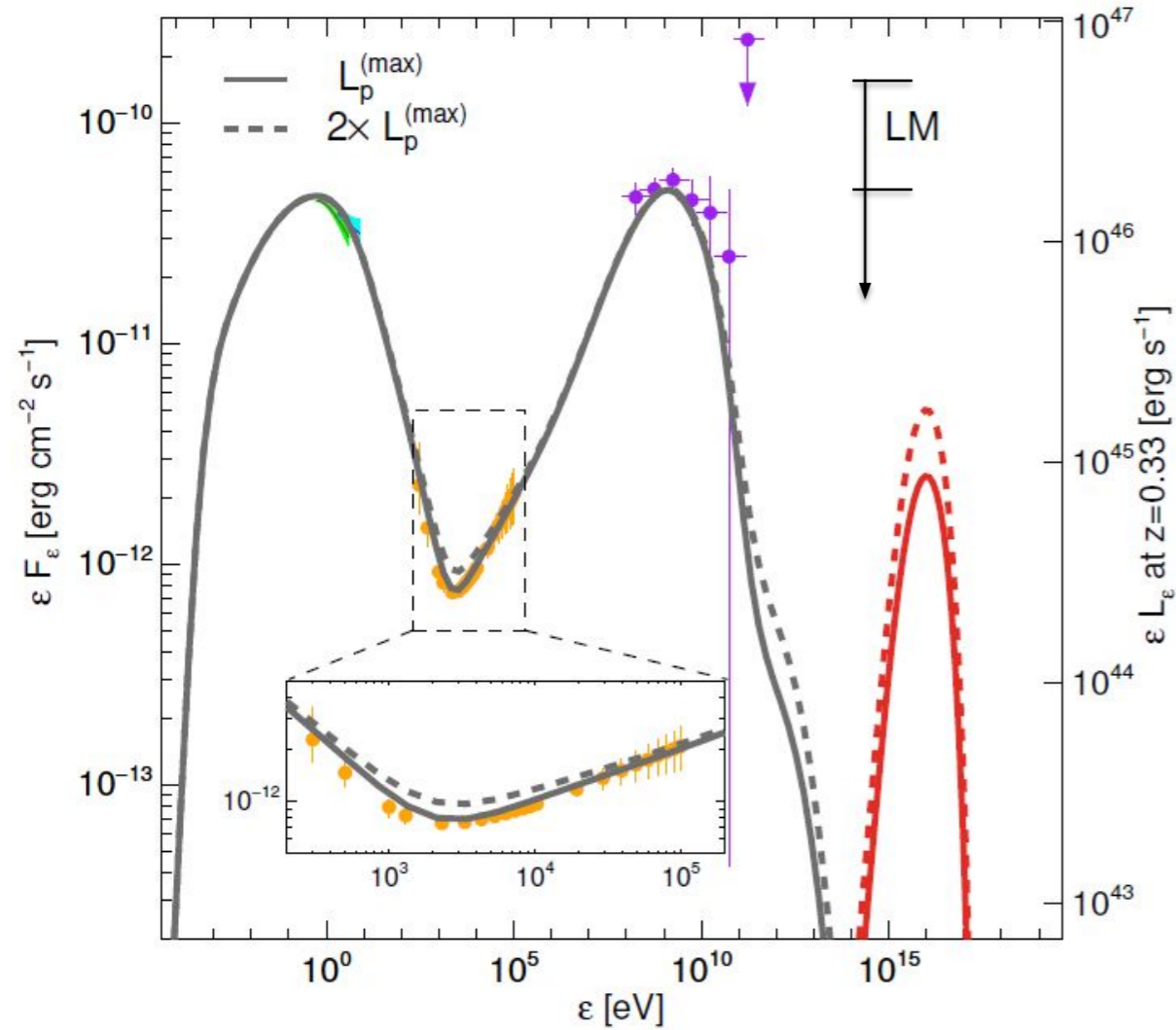


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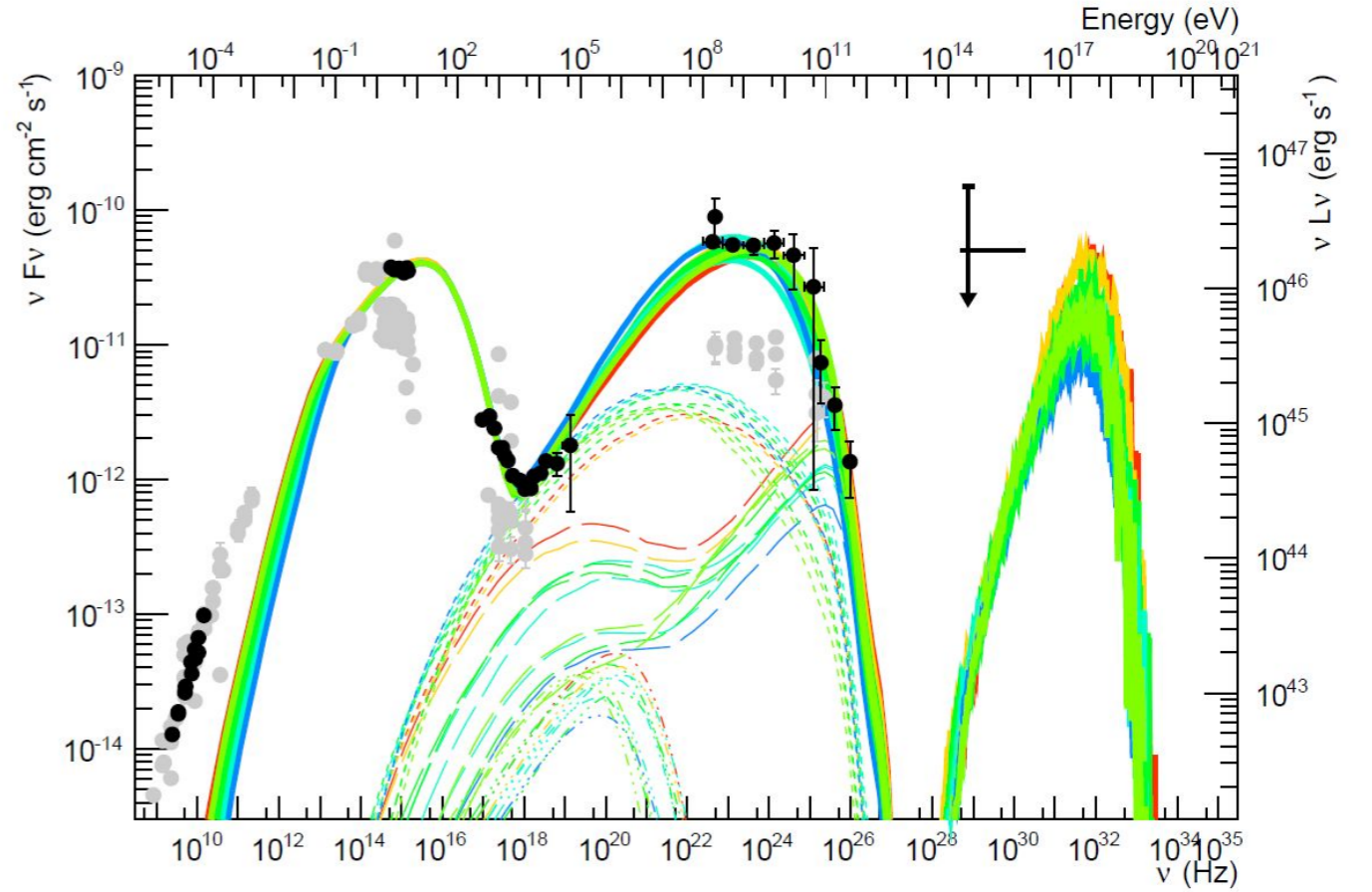
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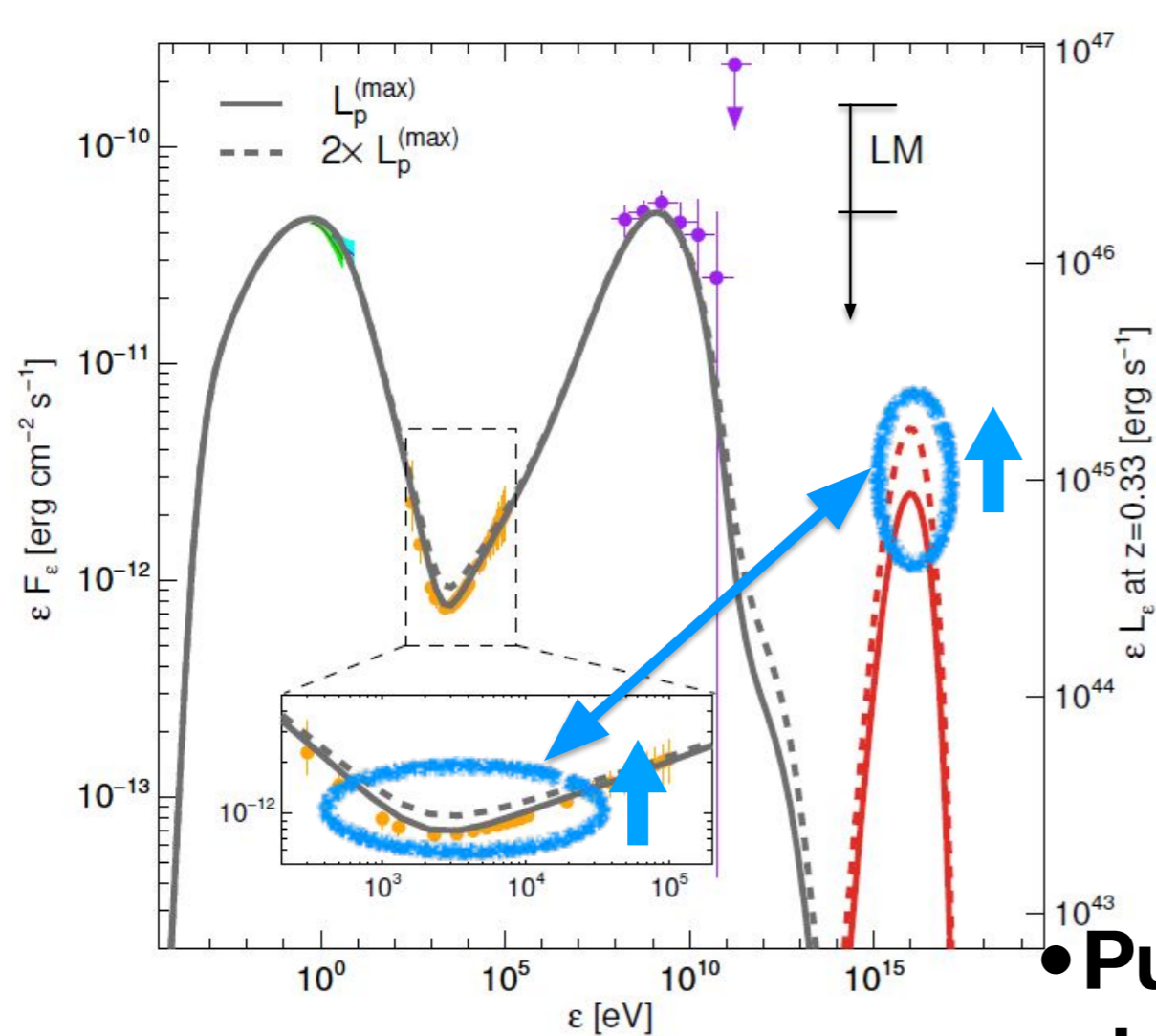


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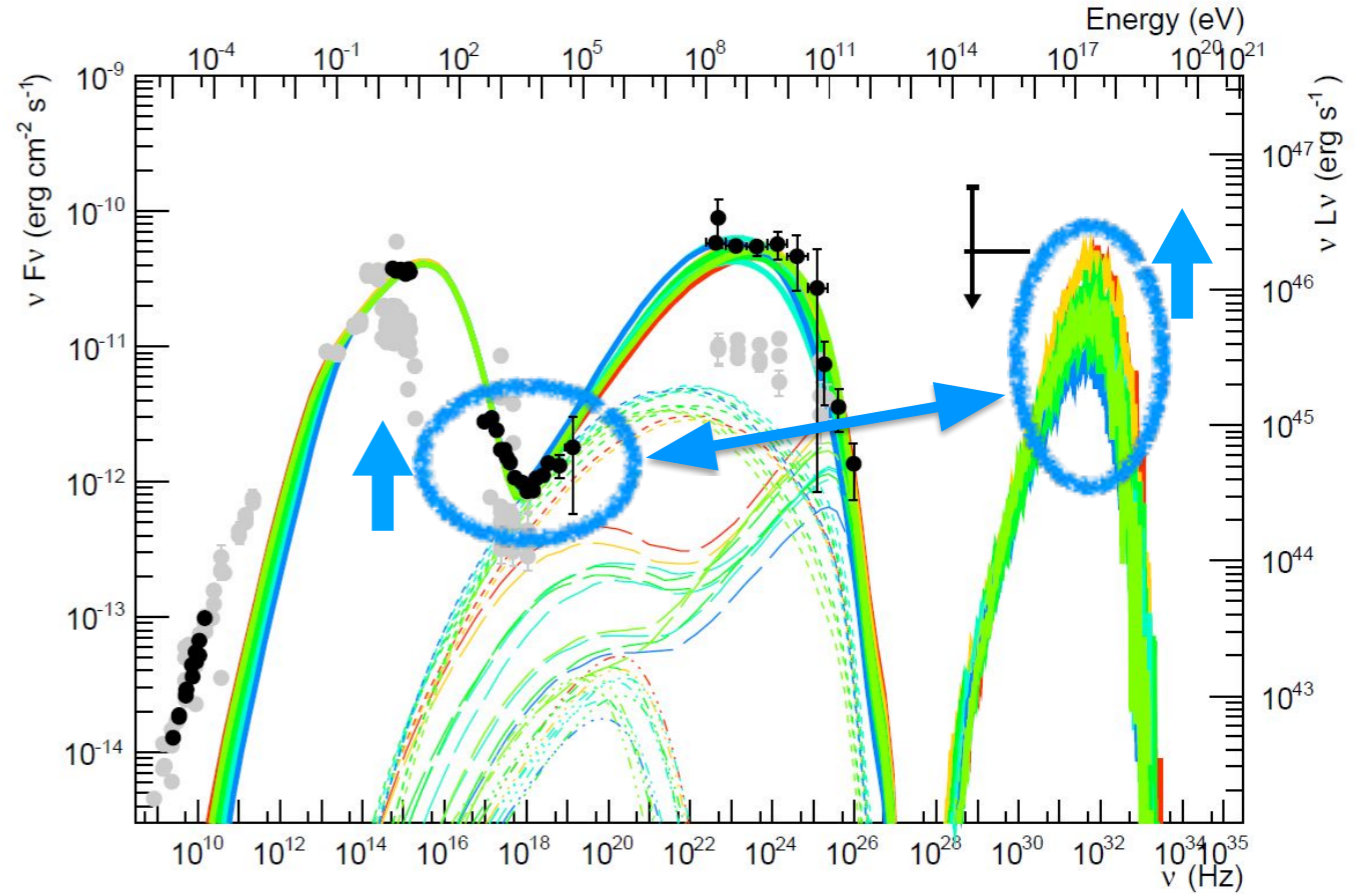


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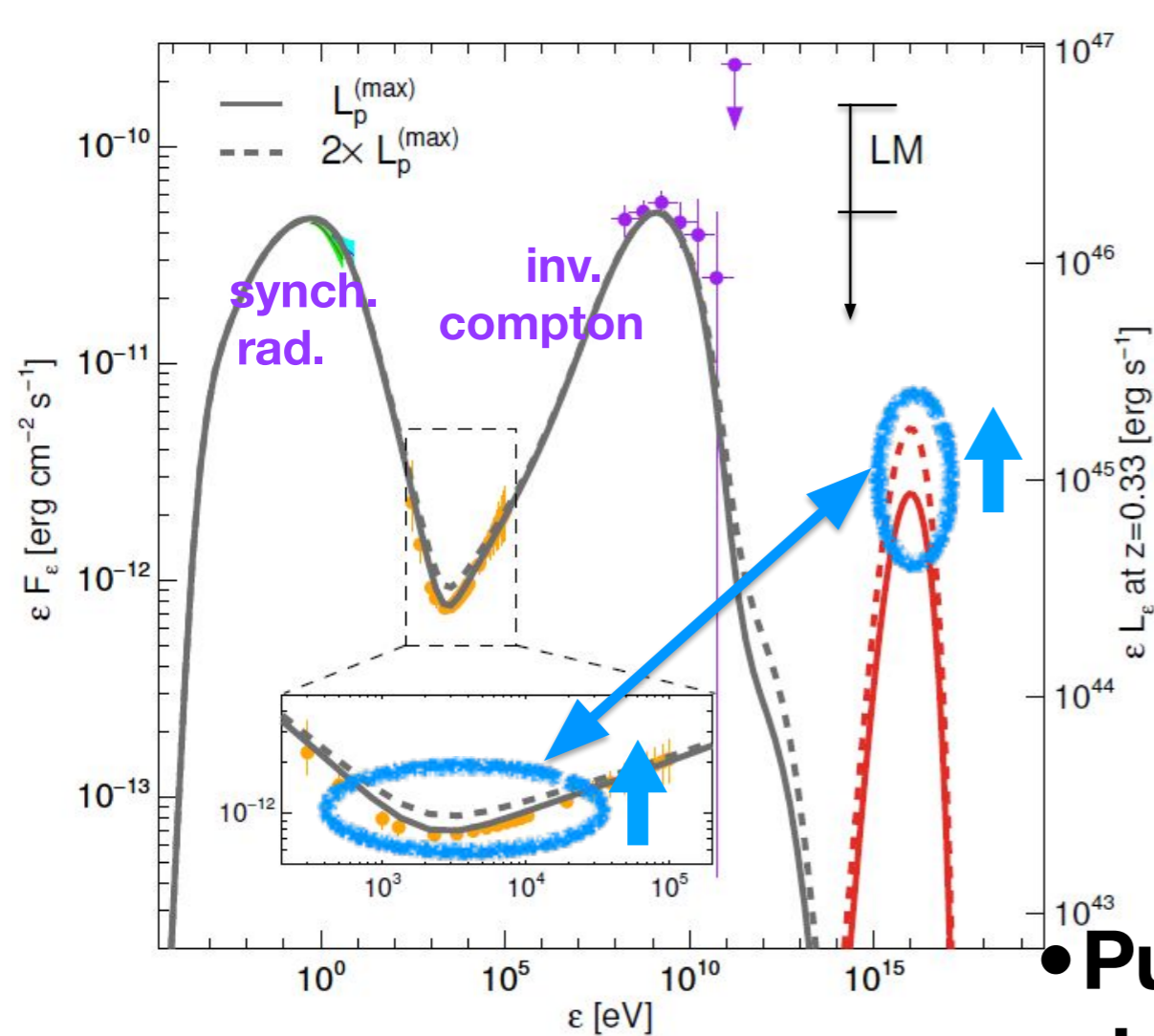
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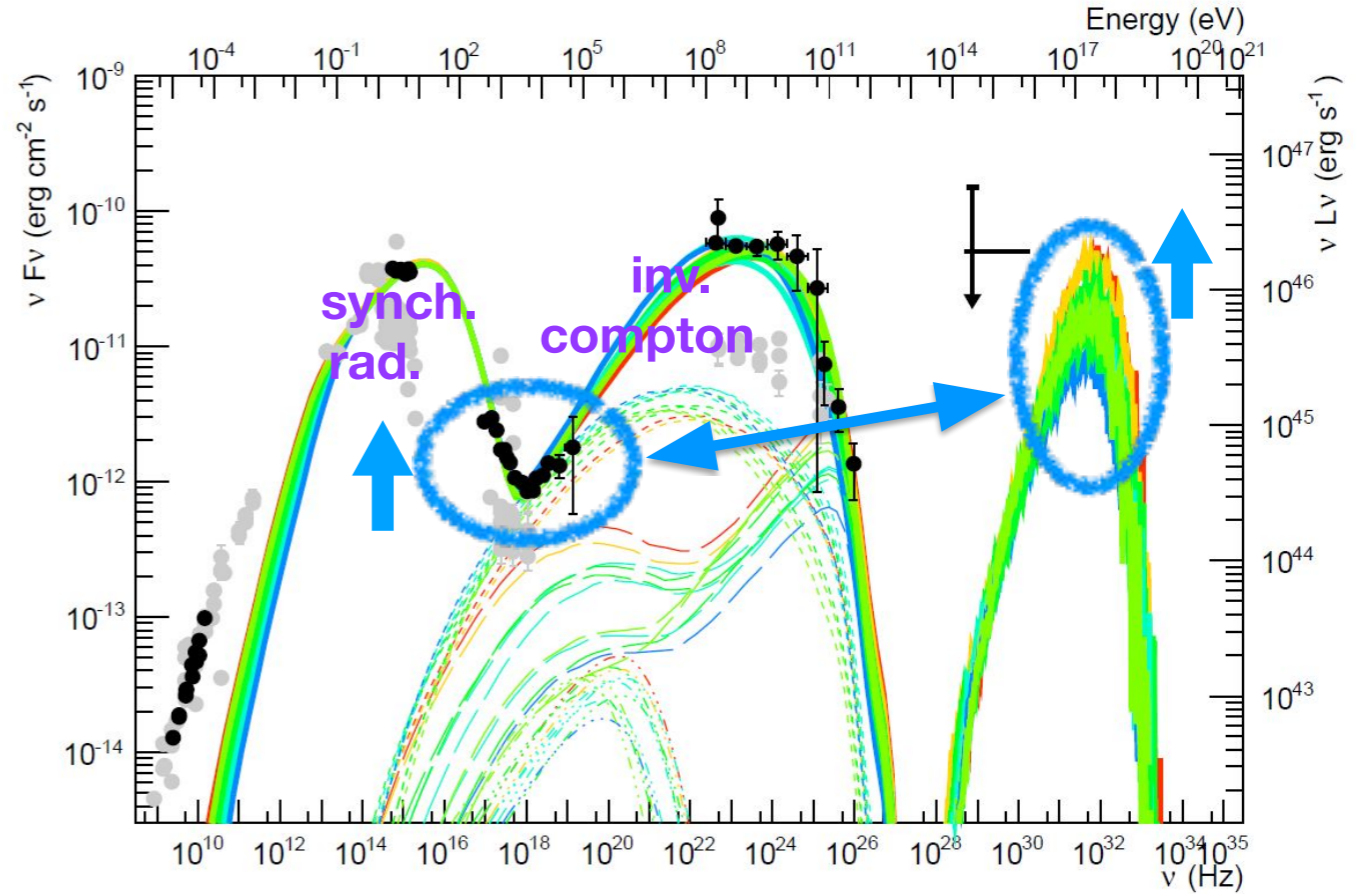
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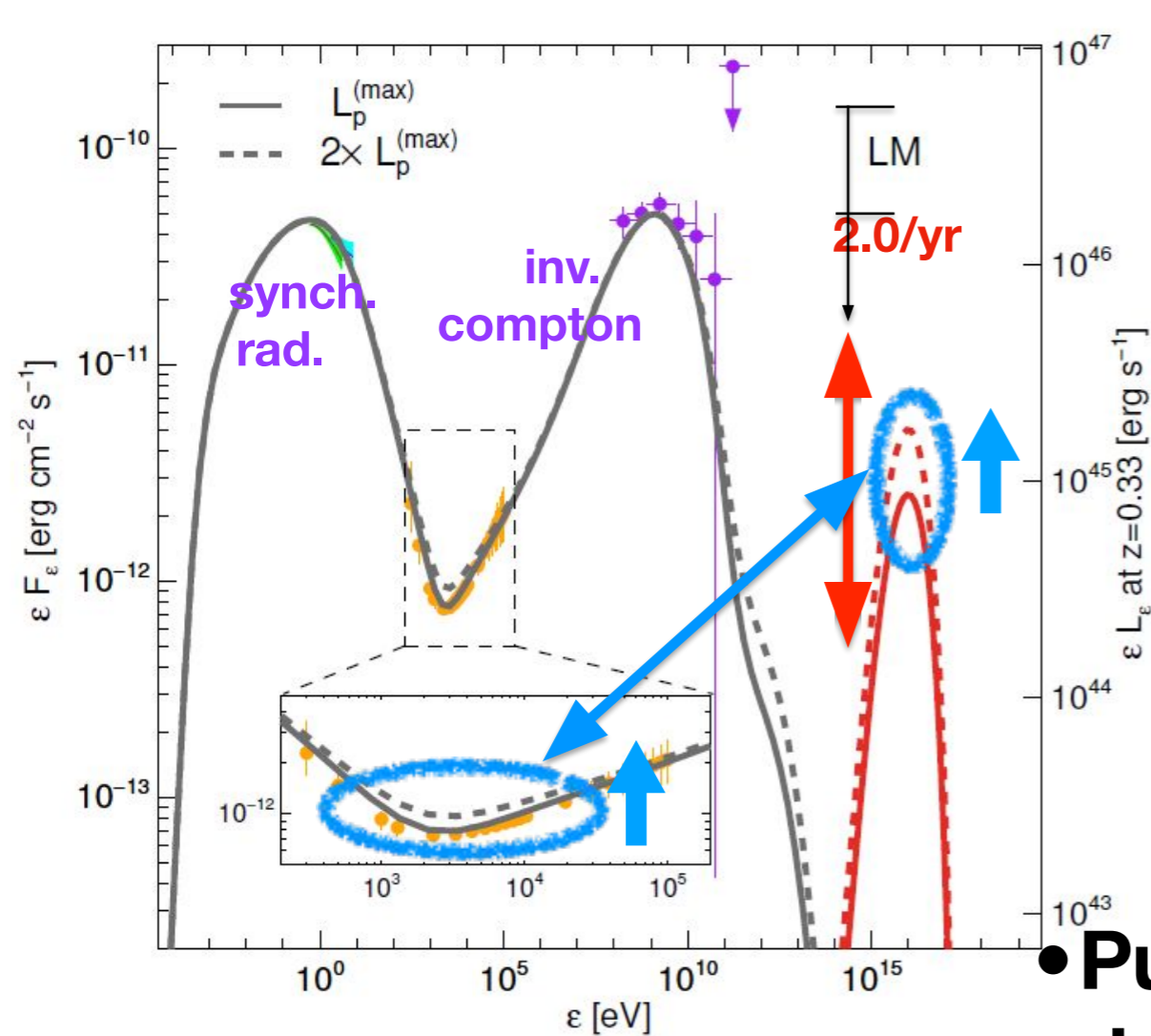


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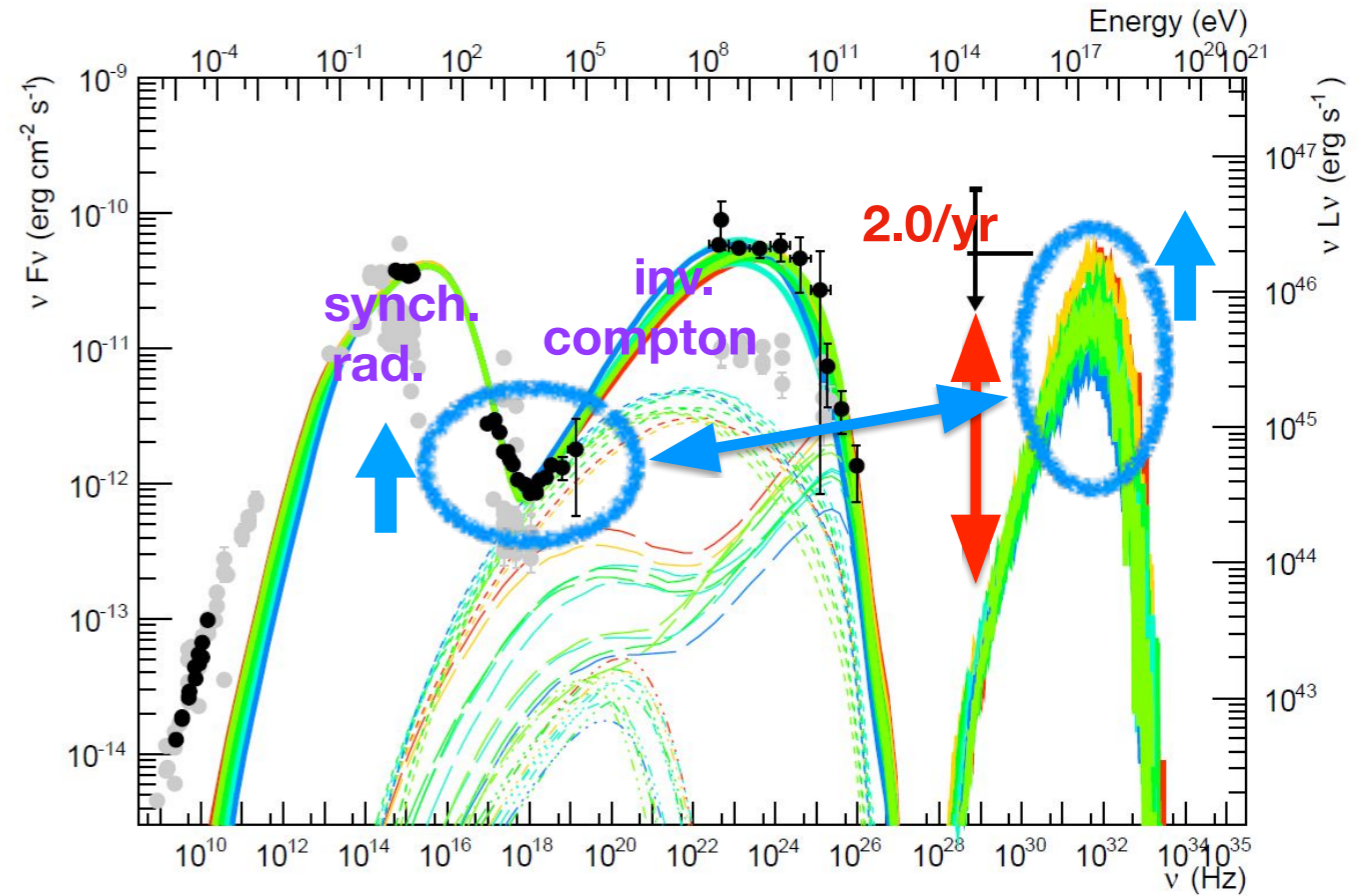
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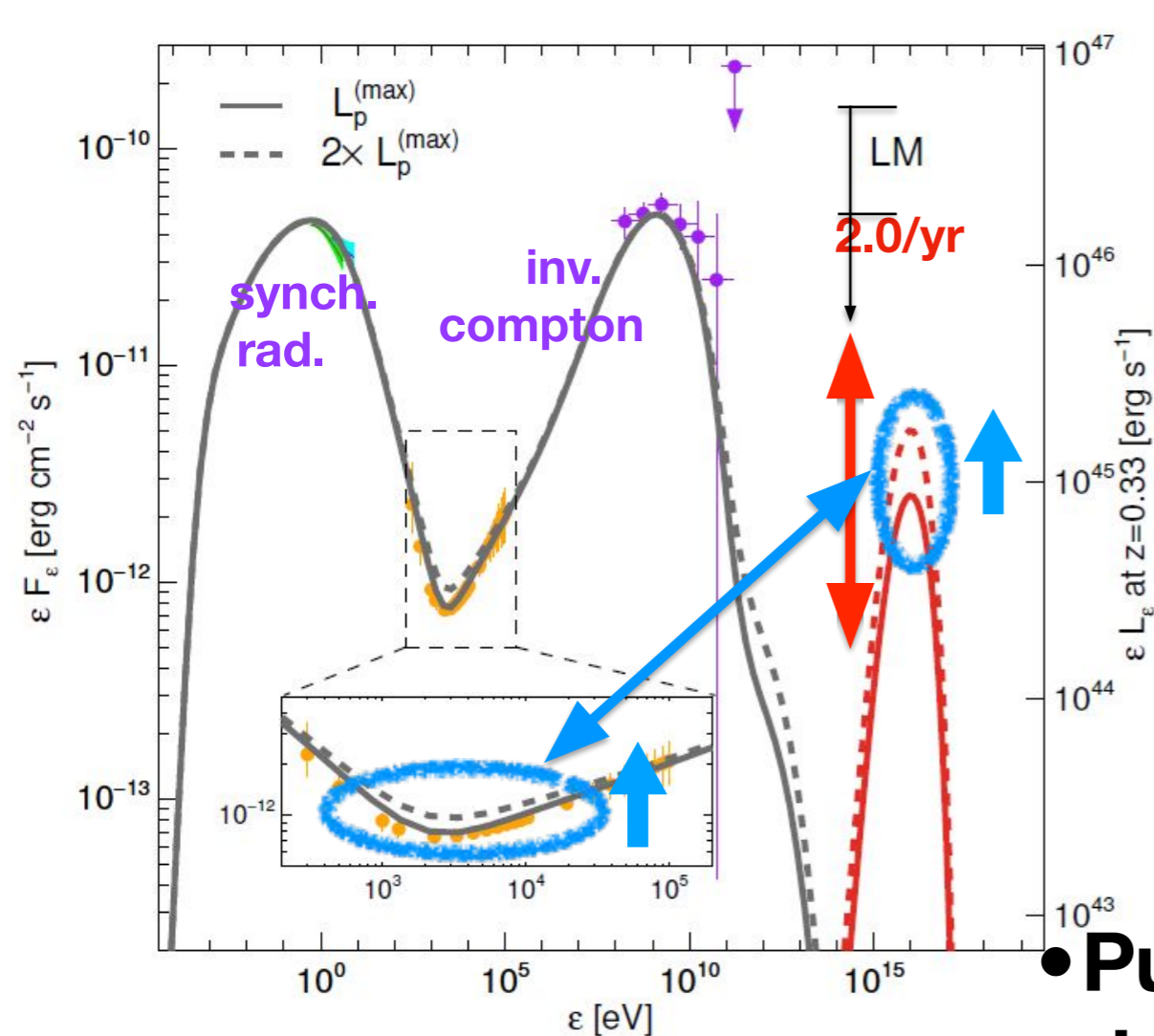


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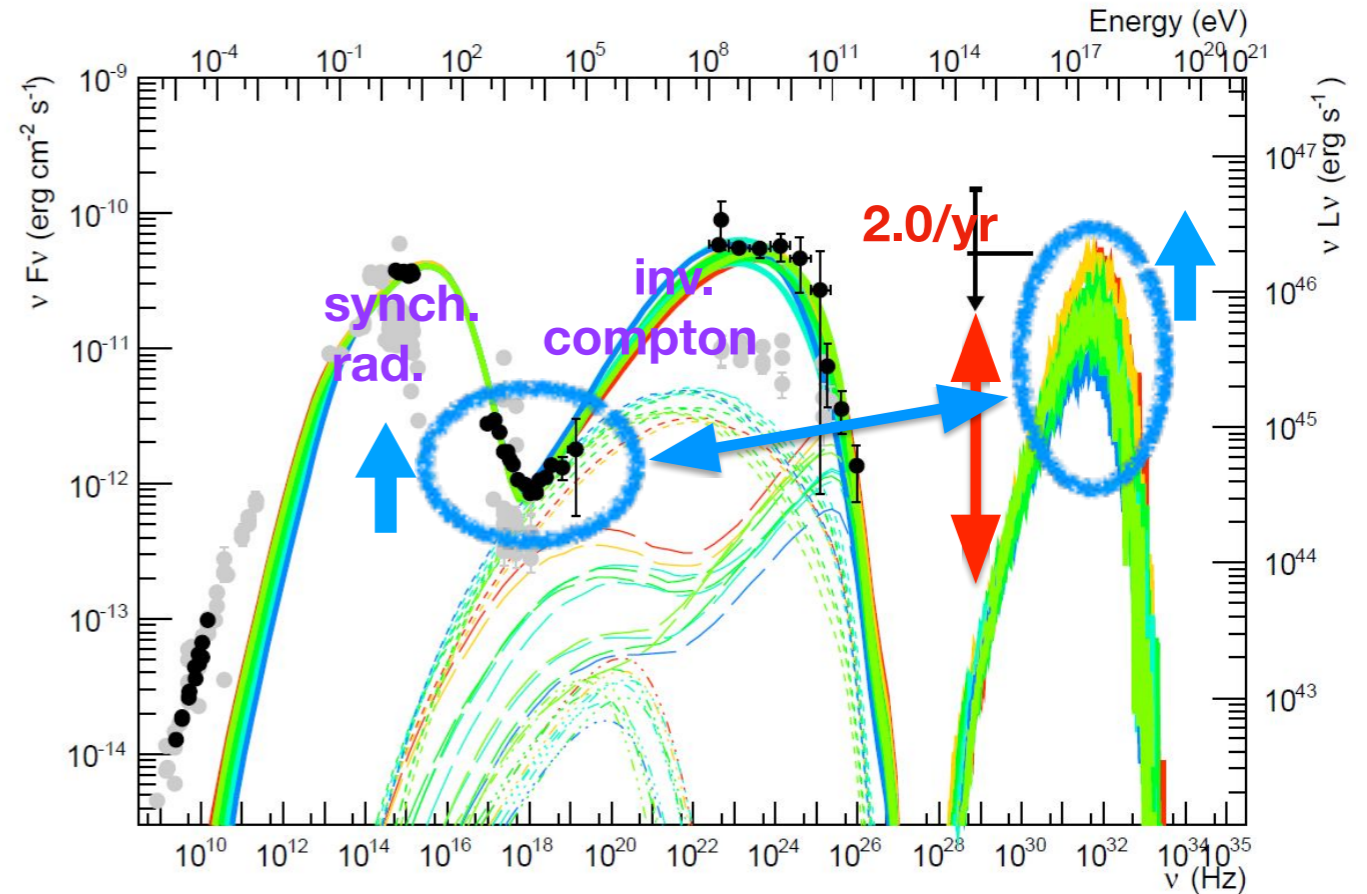
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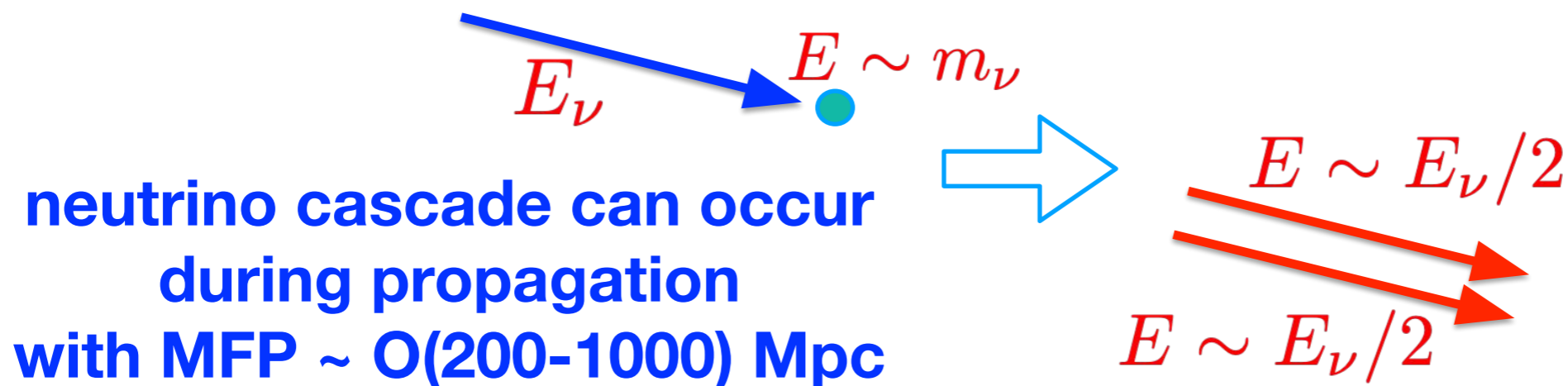
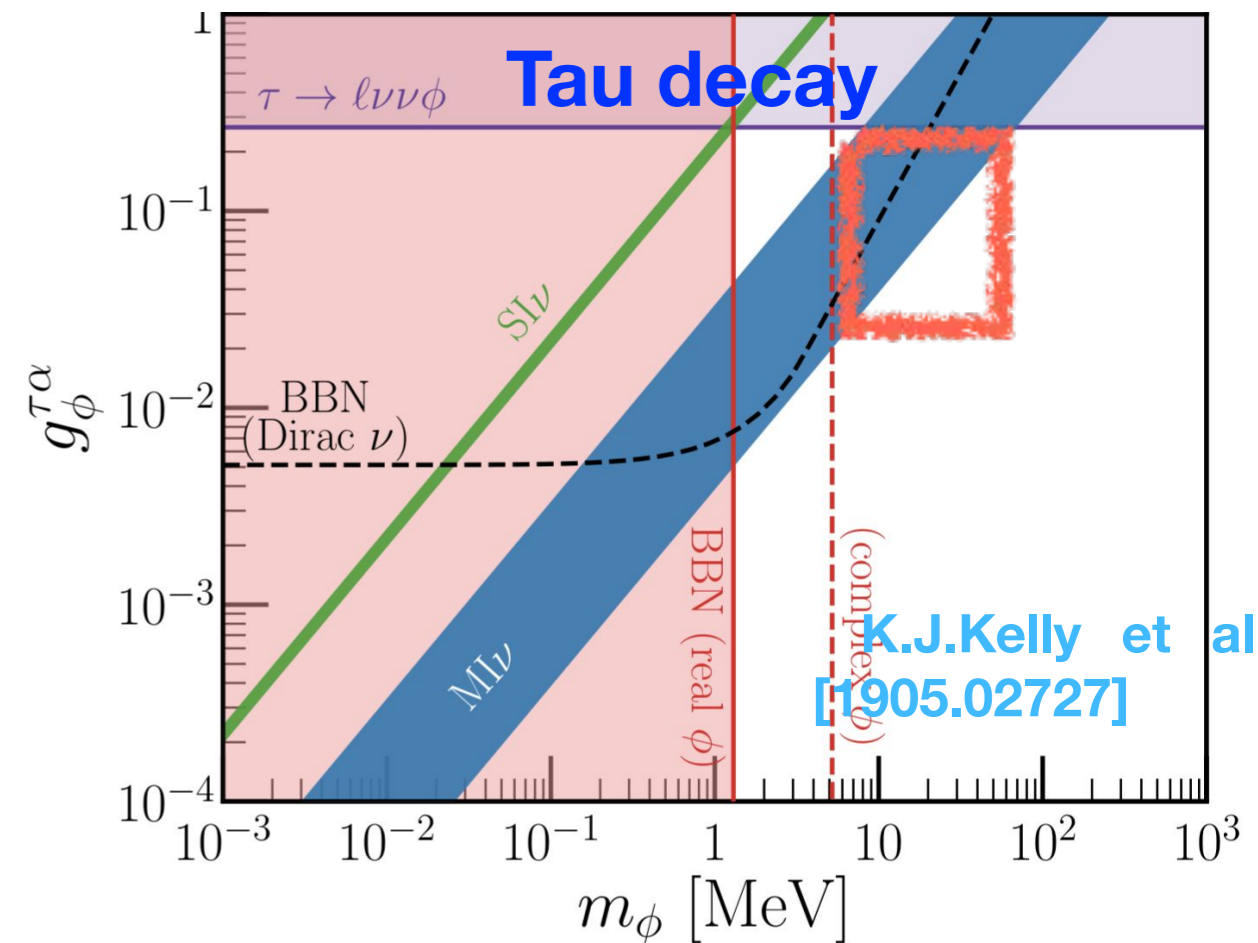
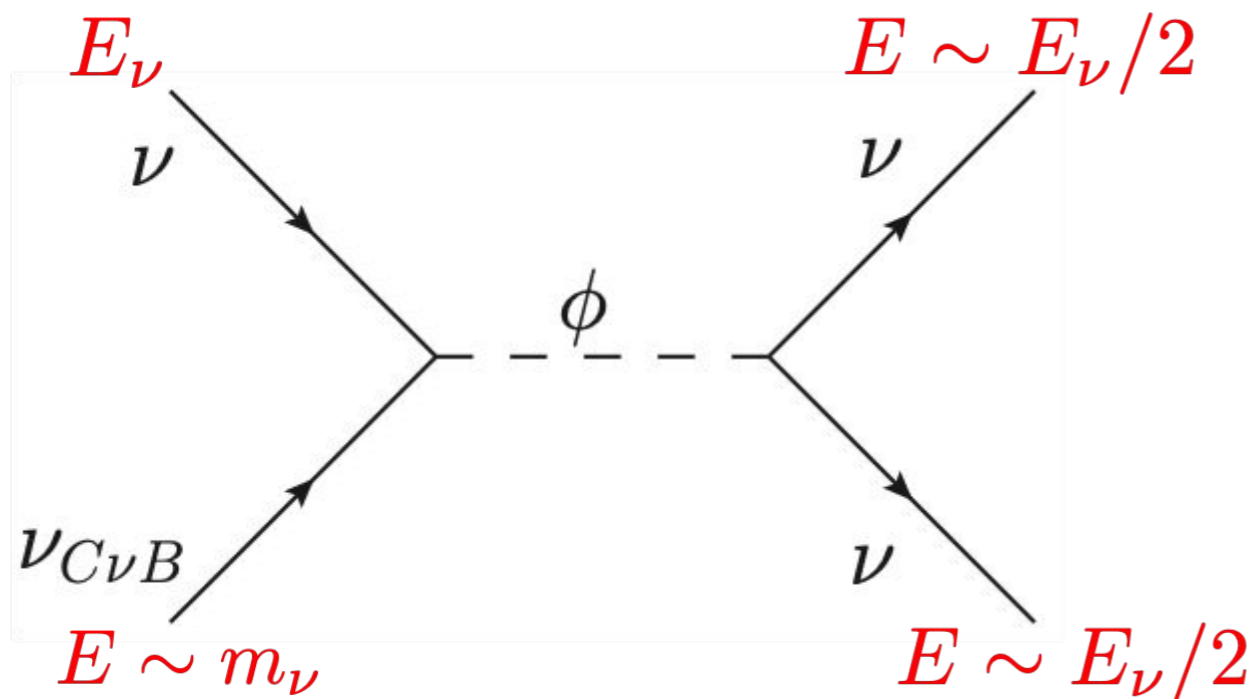
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  - Obtaining O(1)/yr event rate at IceCube is very tough within simplest astrophysical models.

# New self-interaction of neutrinos and neutrino cascade during propagation

- $\nu$  self-interaction with light mediator

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{eff}} \supset -g_\phi \bar{\nu}_\tau^c \nu_\tau \phi + \text{h.c.}$$

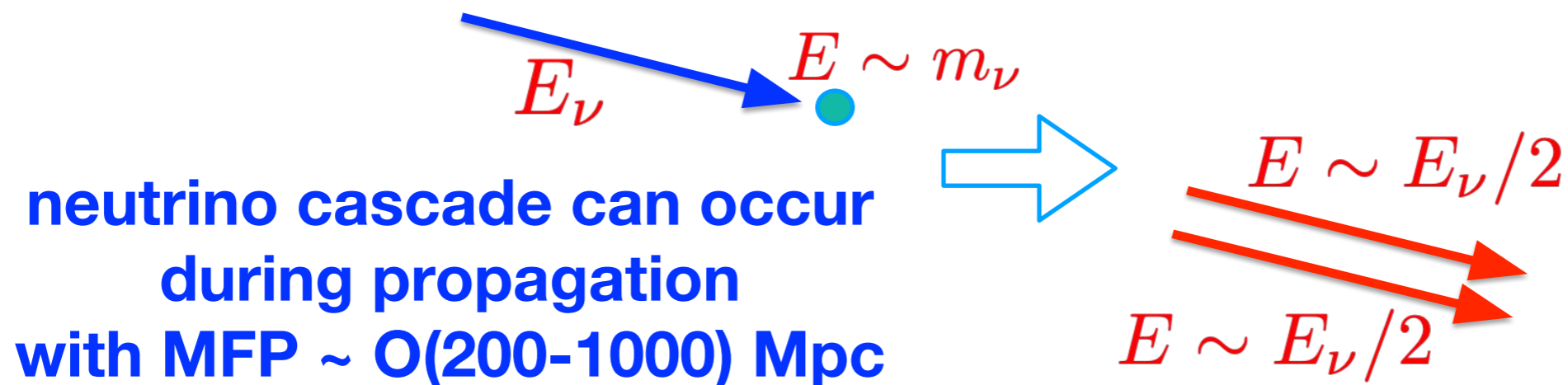


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- Obtaining the modified flux with simple neutrino cascades

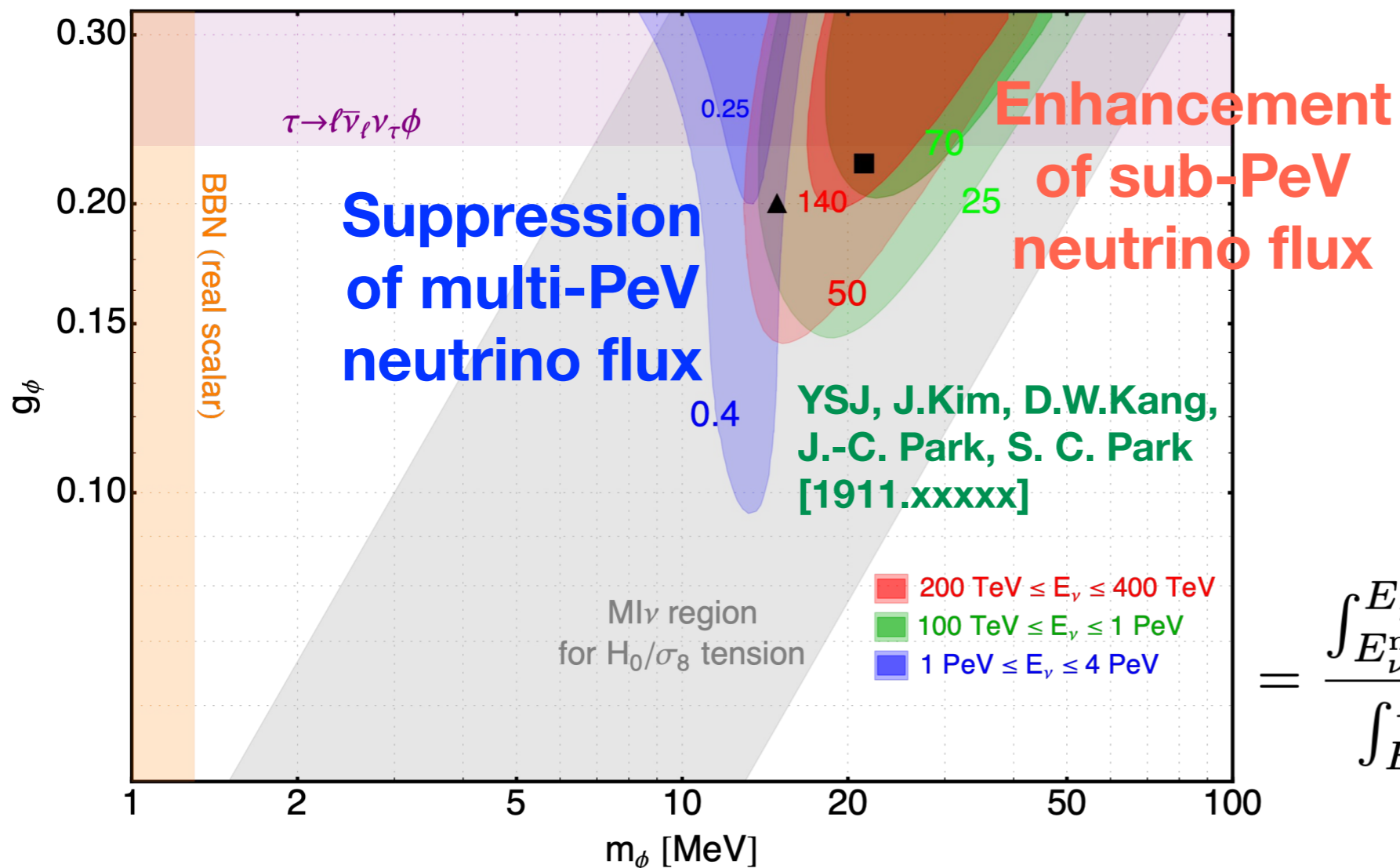
$$\frac{\partial f_\nu(\epsilon_\nu^{\text{obs}}, z)}{\partial t} = - \underbrace{\frac{c}{\lambda_\nu(\epsilon_\nu, z)} f_\nu(\epsilon_\nu^{\text{obs}}, z)}_{\text{Absorption of energetic neutrino by neutrino cascades}} + \underbrace{\frac{4c}{\lambda_\nu(2\epsilon_\nu, z)} f_\nu(2\epsilon_\nu^{\text{obs}}, z)}_{\text{Production of down-scattered secondary neutrinos}}$$

$$\lambda_\nu(\epsilon_\nu, z) = \frac{1}{n_\nu^{\text{C}\nu\text{B}}(z) \cdot \sigma_\nu^{\nu\text{SI}}(\epsilon_\nu)} \quad \sigma_\nu^{\nu\text{SI}}(\epsilon_\nu) \simeq \frac{g_\phi^4}{16\pi} \frac{s}{(s - m_\phi^2)^2 + m_\phi^2 \Gamma_\phi^2}$$



# Event spectrum at IceCube

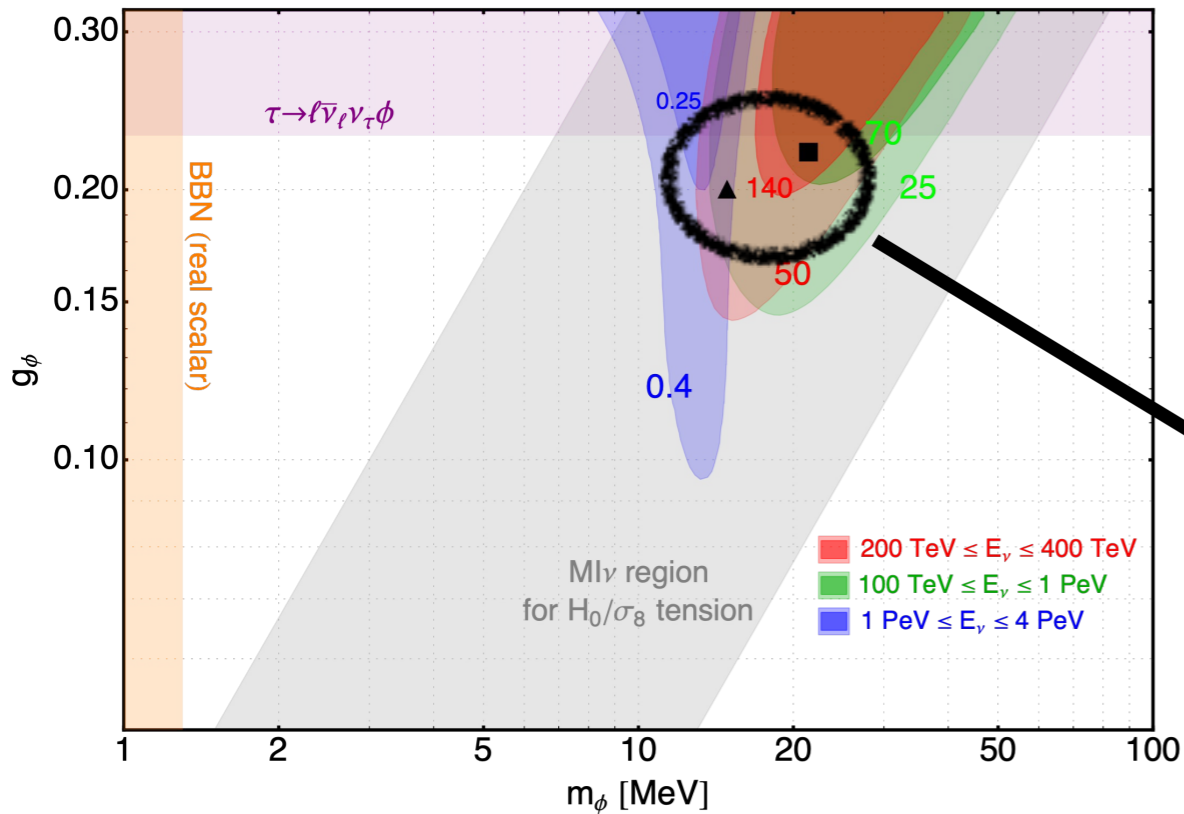
- Enhancement of neutrino flux at **100 TeV - 1 PeV**  $\simeq \mathcal{O}(10 - 100)$  without changing any EM component spectrum
- Suppression of neutrino flux at  $\sim 3-10$  PeV by resonance  
 ➔ The absence (or suppression) of multi-PeV neutrino events



**Enhanced  
# of events**

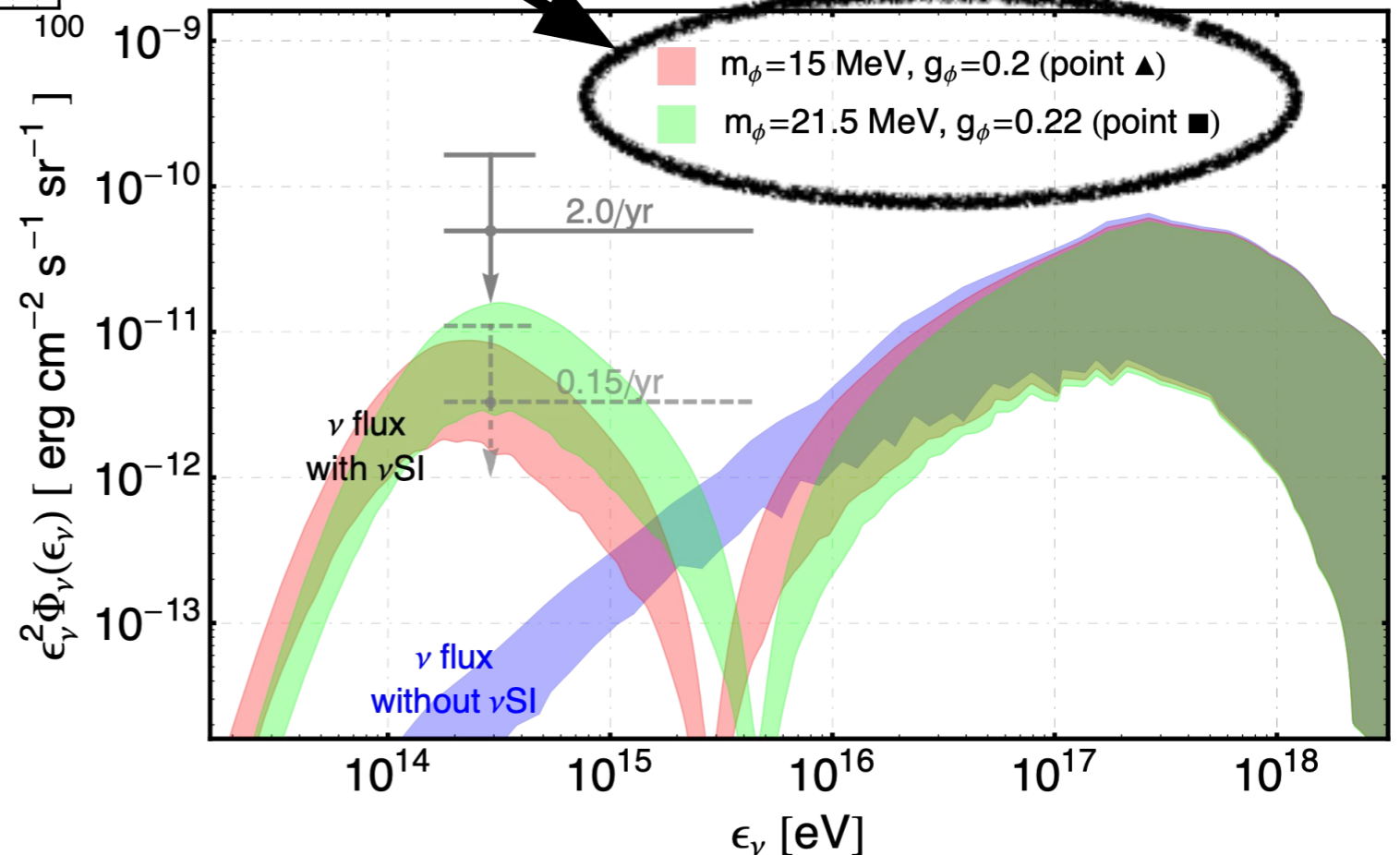
$$\begin{aligned}
 & R_\nu(E_\nu^{\min}, E_\nu^{\max}, m_\phi, g_\phi) \\
 & \equiv \frac{N_\nu^{\text{SM}+\phi}}{N_\nu^{\text{SM}}} \Big|_{E_\nu^{\min} \leq E_\nu \leq E_\nu^{\max}} \\
 & = \frac{\int_{E_\nu^{\min}}^{E_\nu^{\max}} A_{\text{eff}}(E_\nu) \Phi_\nu^{\text{SM}+\phi}(E_\nu) dE_\nu}{\int_{E_\nu^{\min}}^{E_\nu^{\max}} A_{\text{eff}}(E_\nu) \Phi_\nu^{\text{SM}}(E_\nu) dE_\nu}
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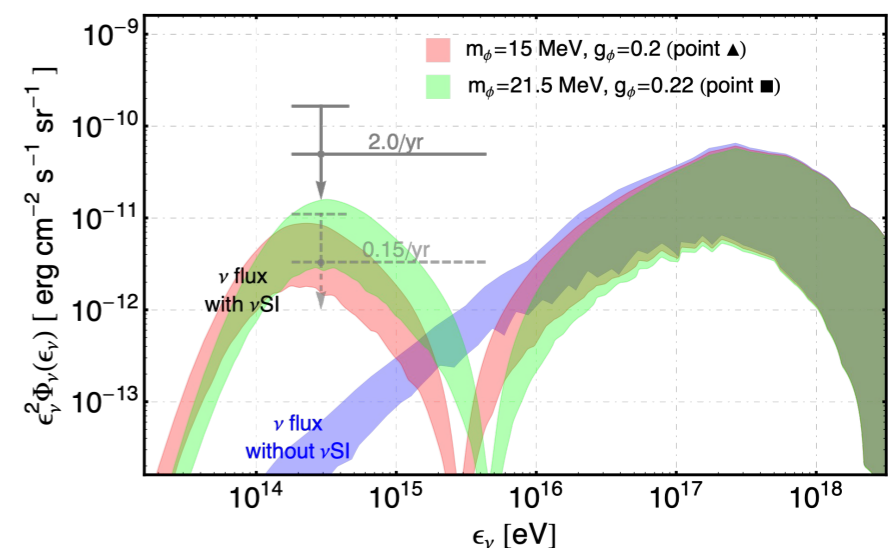
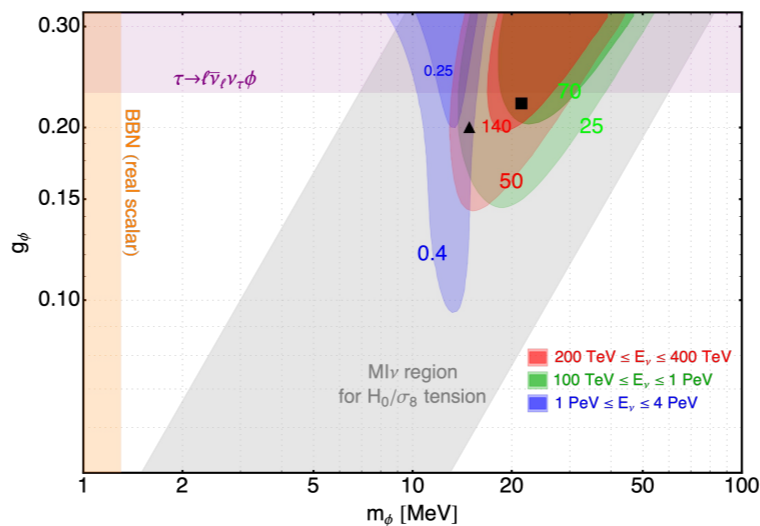
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- Observation of multi-PeV neutrinos from distant sources ( $> O(1)$  Gpc) can constrain this scenario in future.



# Conclusion

- The neutrino flare at TXS 0506+056 provides the **first complete set of multi-messenger observation** including **photons** and **neutrinos**.
- **Pure hadronic models are disfavored** and **Leptonic models** are suffered from the explanation of **IceCube neutrino** obs.
- **neutrino self-interaction** with a light mediator ( $m \sim 10\text{-}50$  MeV) **enhances in O(100) TeV neutrinos** and **suppresses O(1-10) PeV neutrinos** due to the neutrino cascade during propagation that can explain the observed anomaly.
- Future multi-messenger observation will increase the statistics for the test of this scenarios, providing the detailed features of low energy neutrino sector.



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