

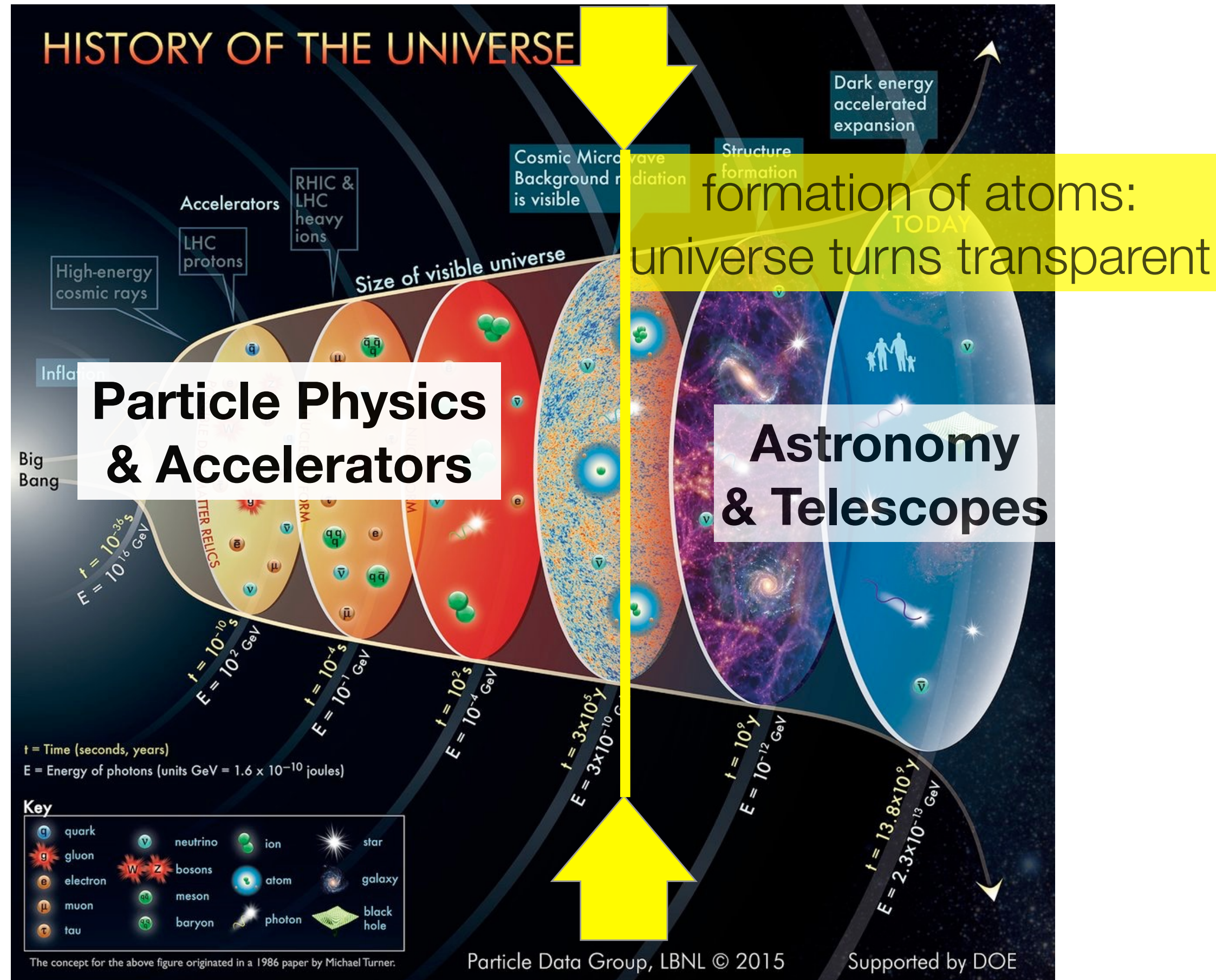
Physics at the ILC

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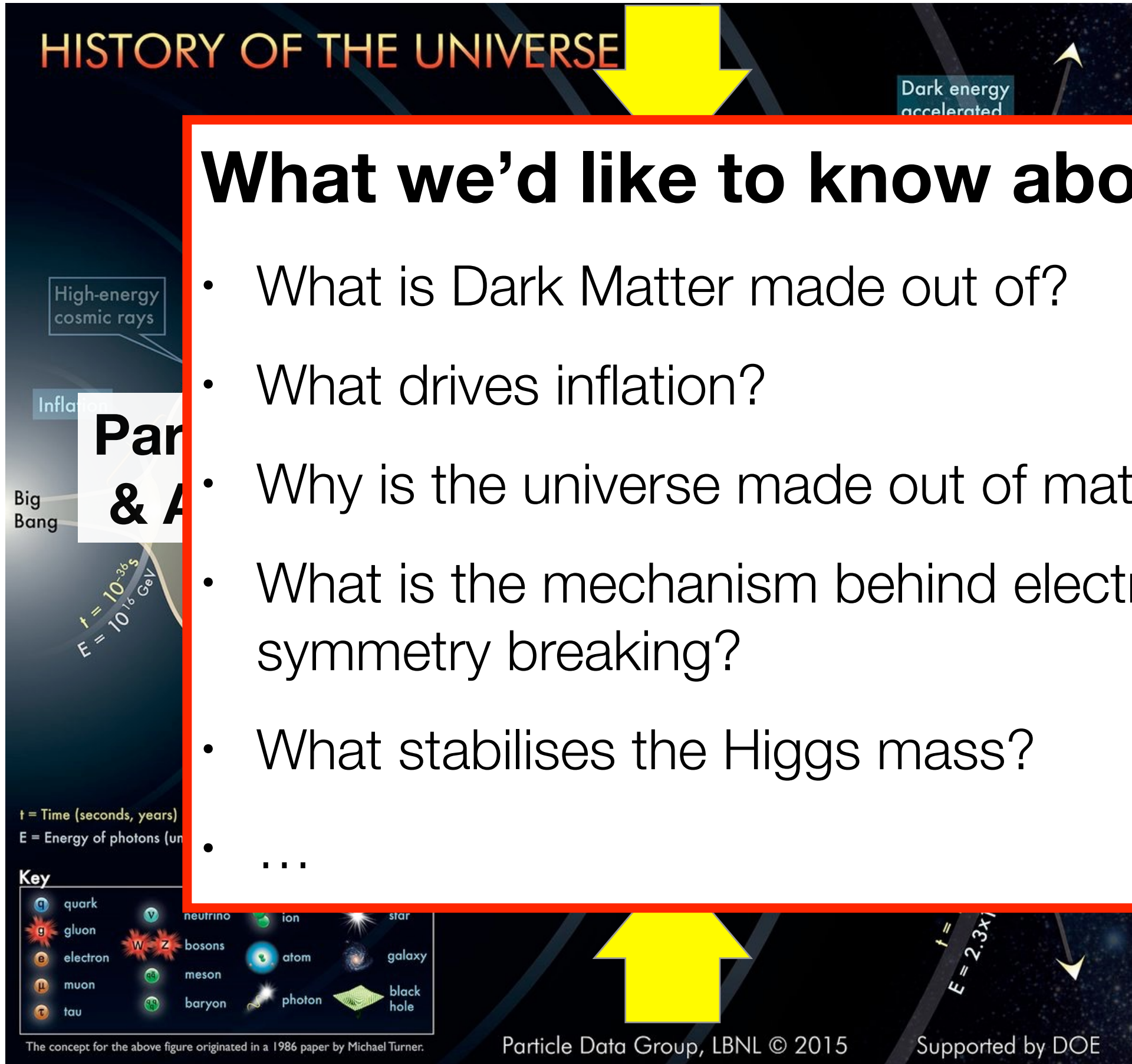


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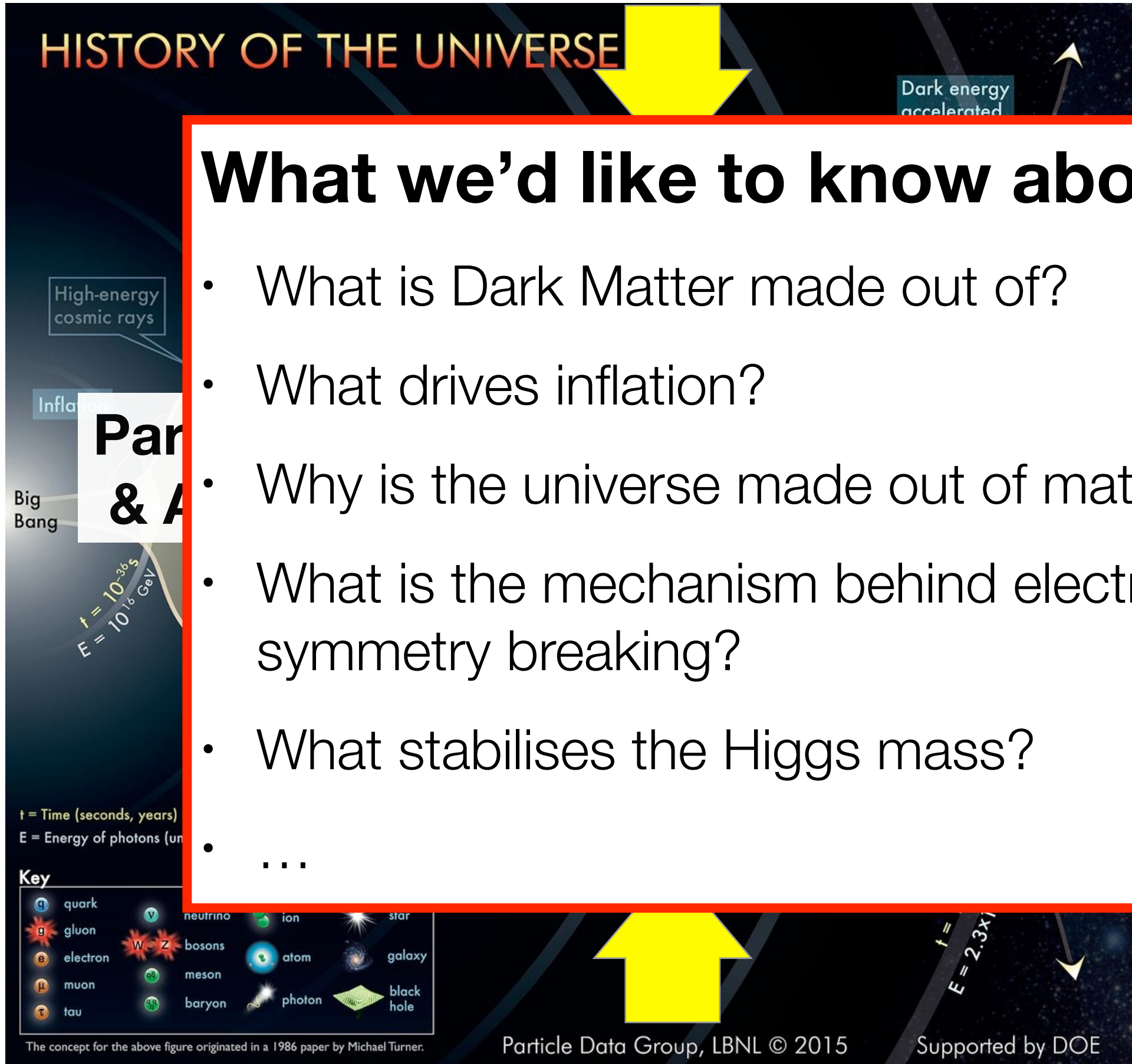


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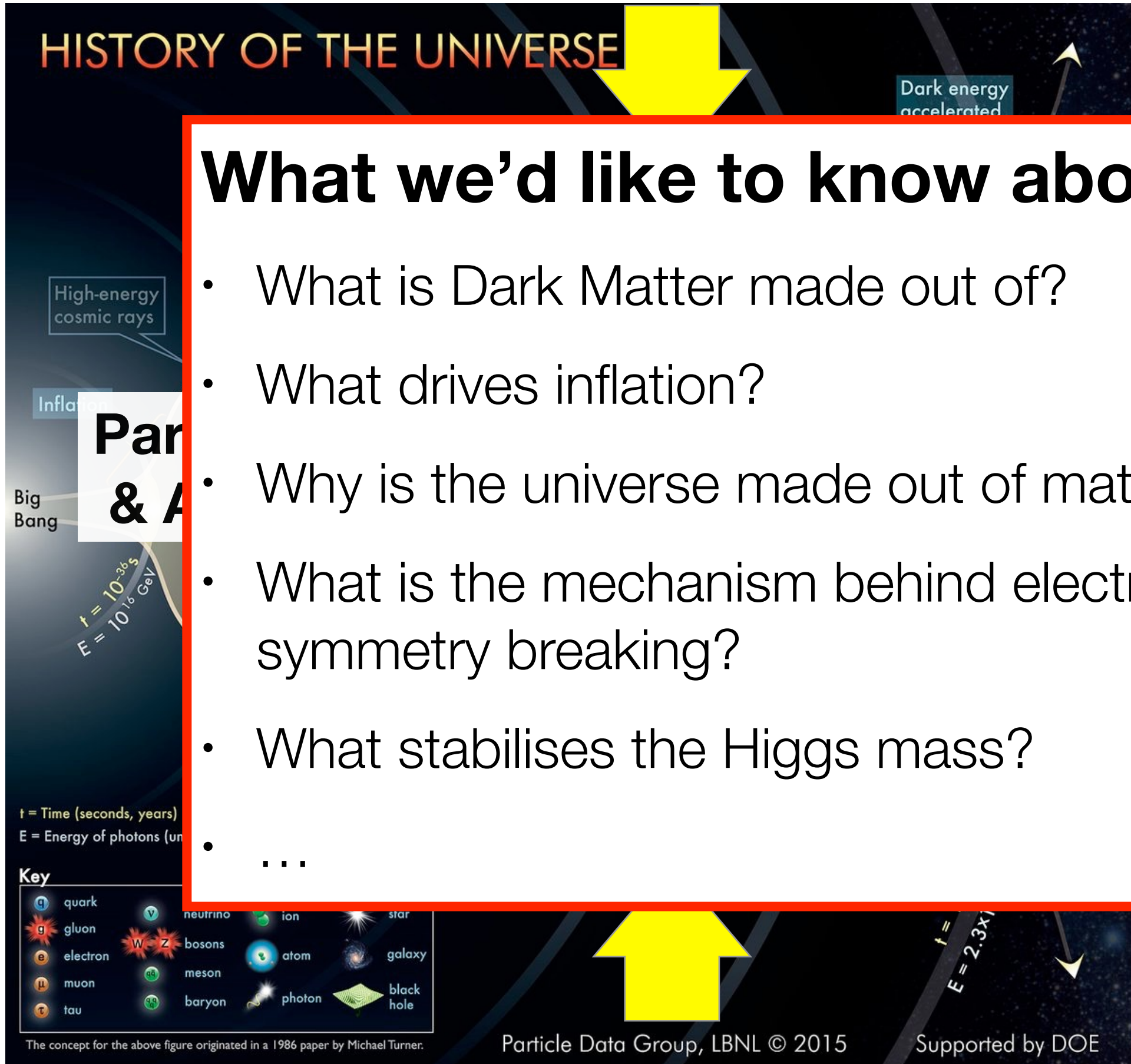
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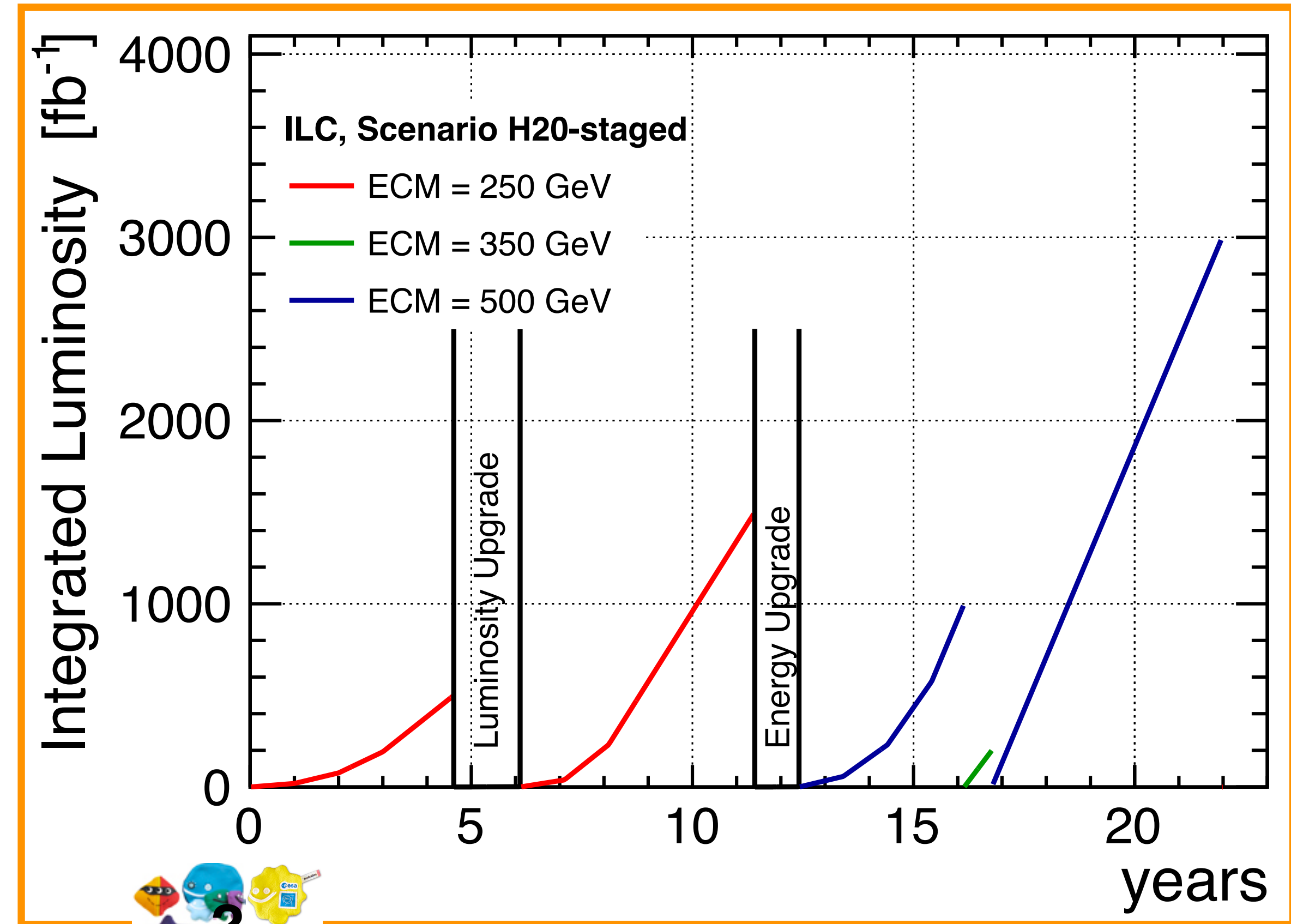
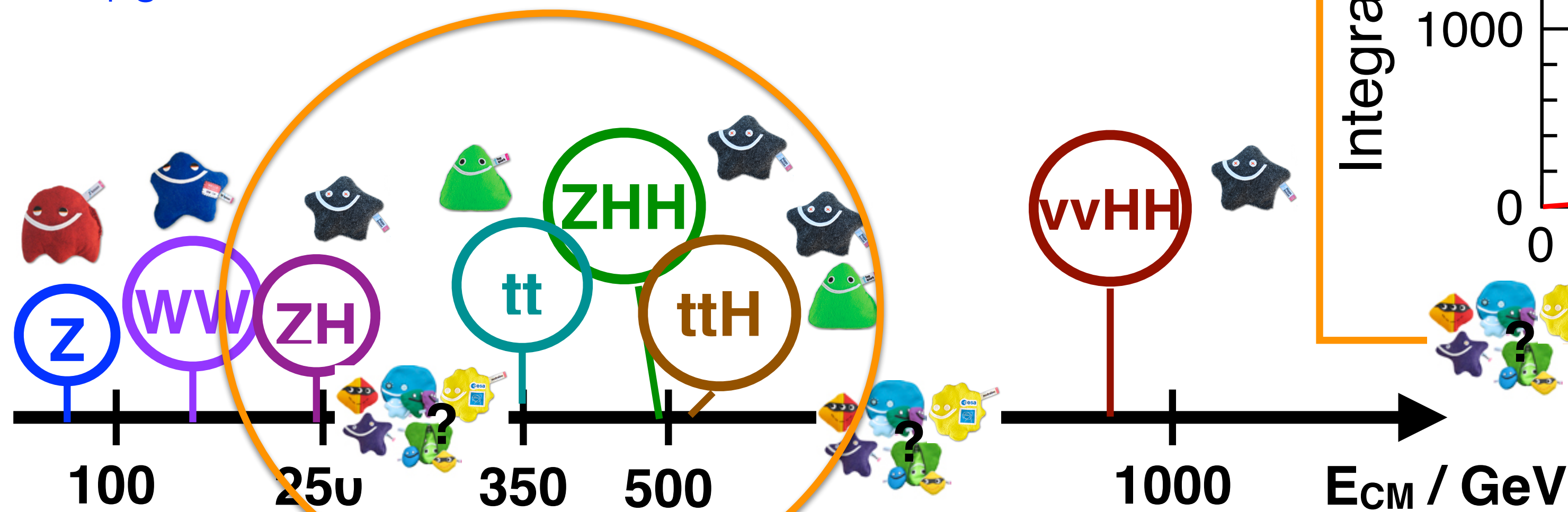
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The International Linear Collider in a nutshell

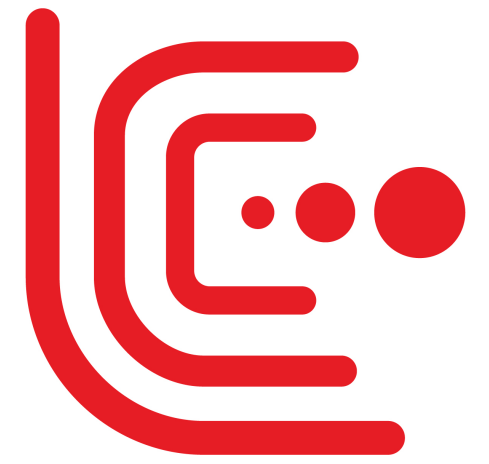
all up-to-date numbers
in ILC ESU Document

- e^+e^- centre-of-mass energy
 - first stage: 250 GeV
 - tunable
 - upgrades: **500 GeV**, **1 TeV**, **91 / 161 GeV**
- luminosity at 250 GeV:
 - $1.35 \times 10^{34} / \text{cm}^2 / \text{s}$
 - upgrade $2.7 \times 10^{34} / \text{cm}^2 / \text{s}$
- beam polarisation
 - $P(e^-) \geq 80\%$
 - $P(e^+) = 30\%$,
at 500 GeV
upgradable to 60%
- total length (250 GeV):
20.5 km



General references on polarised e^+e^- physics:

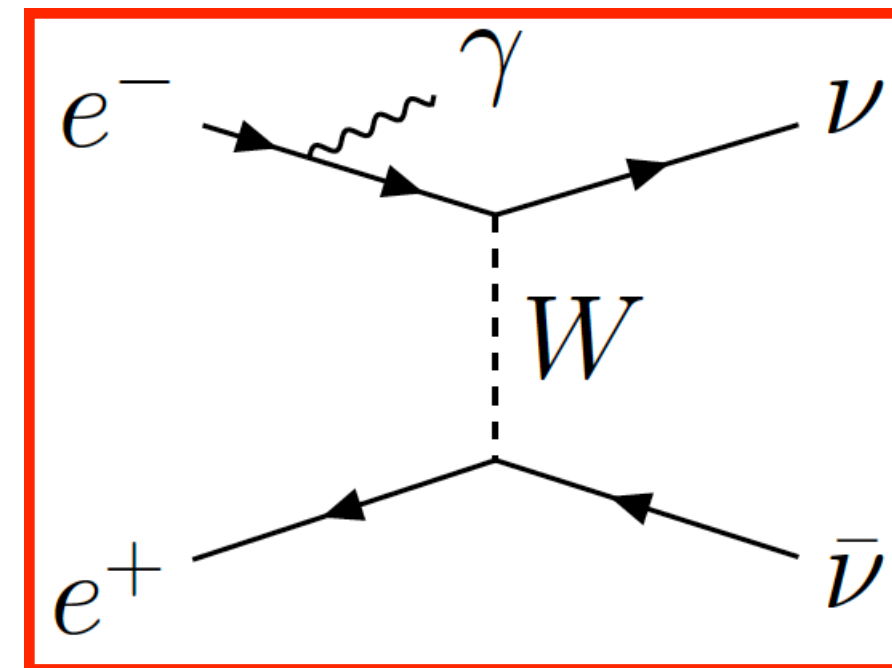
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Physics benefits of polarised beams

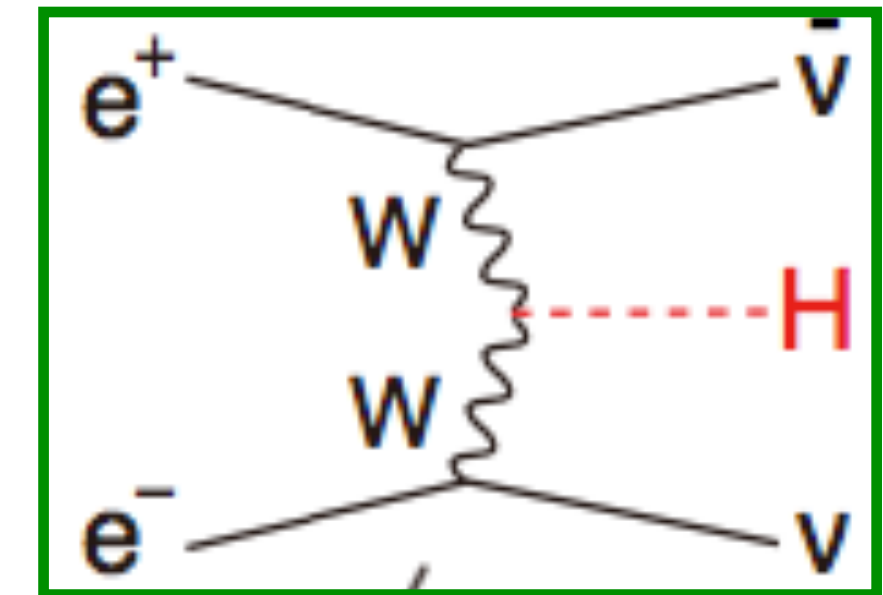
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- $e^+e^- \rightarrow WW / \nu\nu$
strongly P-dependent
since t-channel only
for $e^-_L e^+_R$



signal enhancement:

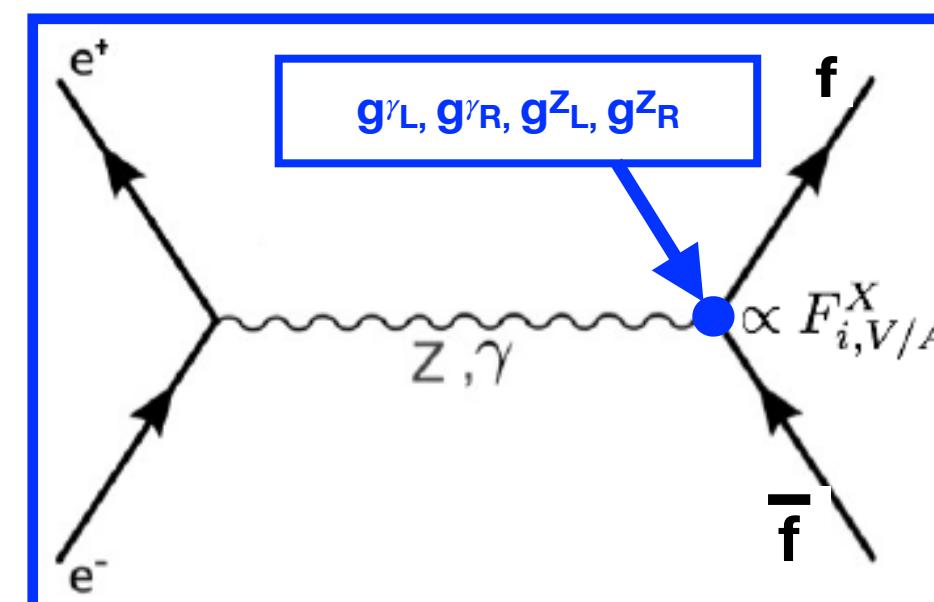
- Higgs production in WW fusion
- many BSM processes



have strong polarisation dependence => higher S/B

chiral analysis:

- SM: Z and γ differ in couplings to left- and right-handed fermions
- BSM:
chiral structure unknown, needs to be determined!



redundancy & control of systematics:

- “wrong” polarisation yields “signal-free” control sample
- flipping *positron* polarisation controls nuisance effects on observables relying on *electron* polarisation
- essential: fast helicity reversal for *both* beams!

New insights from old friends...



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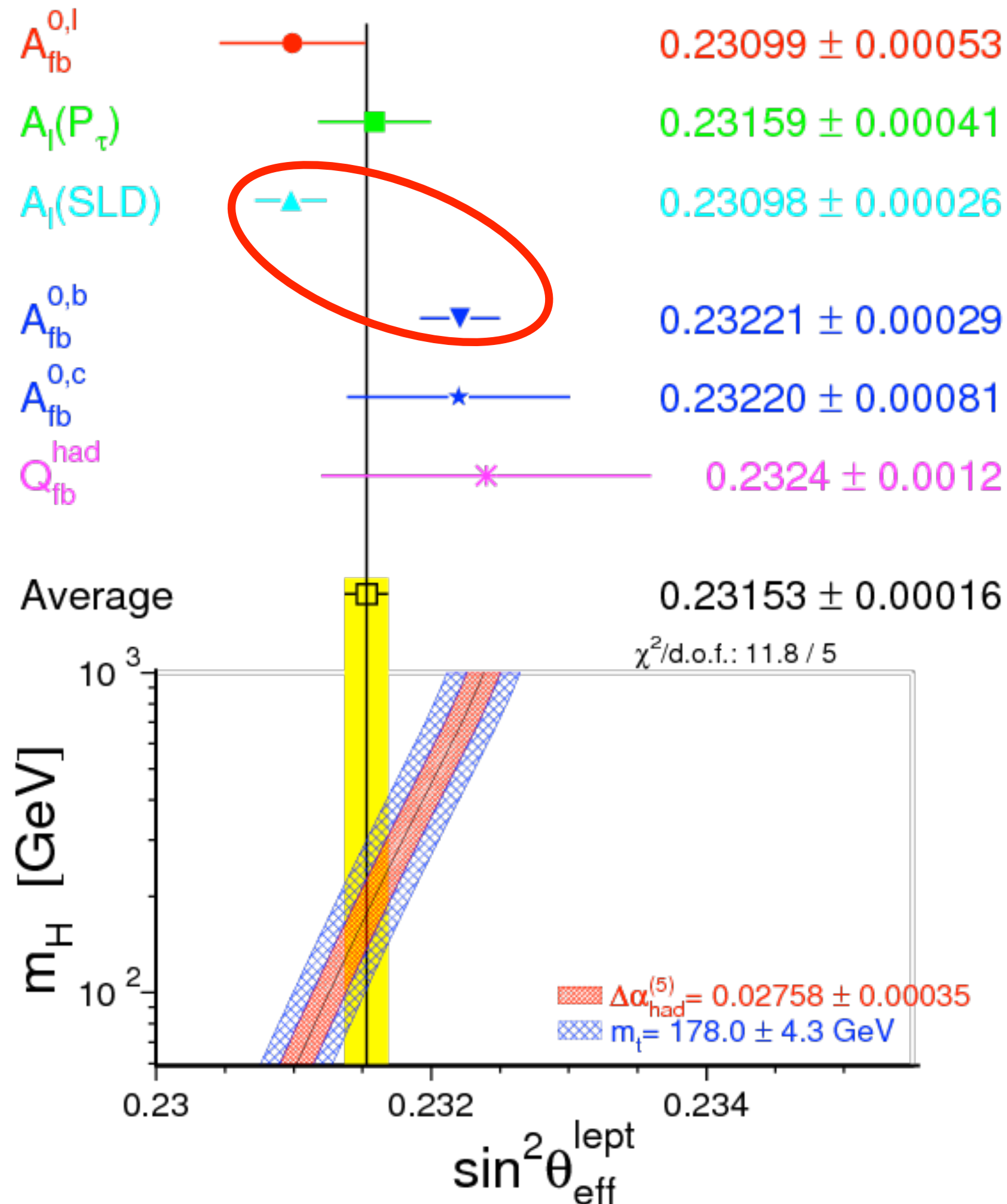
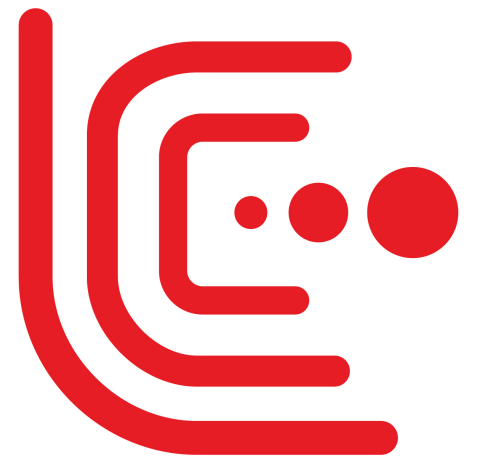


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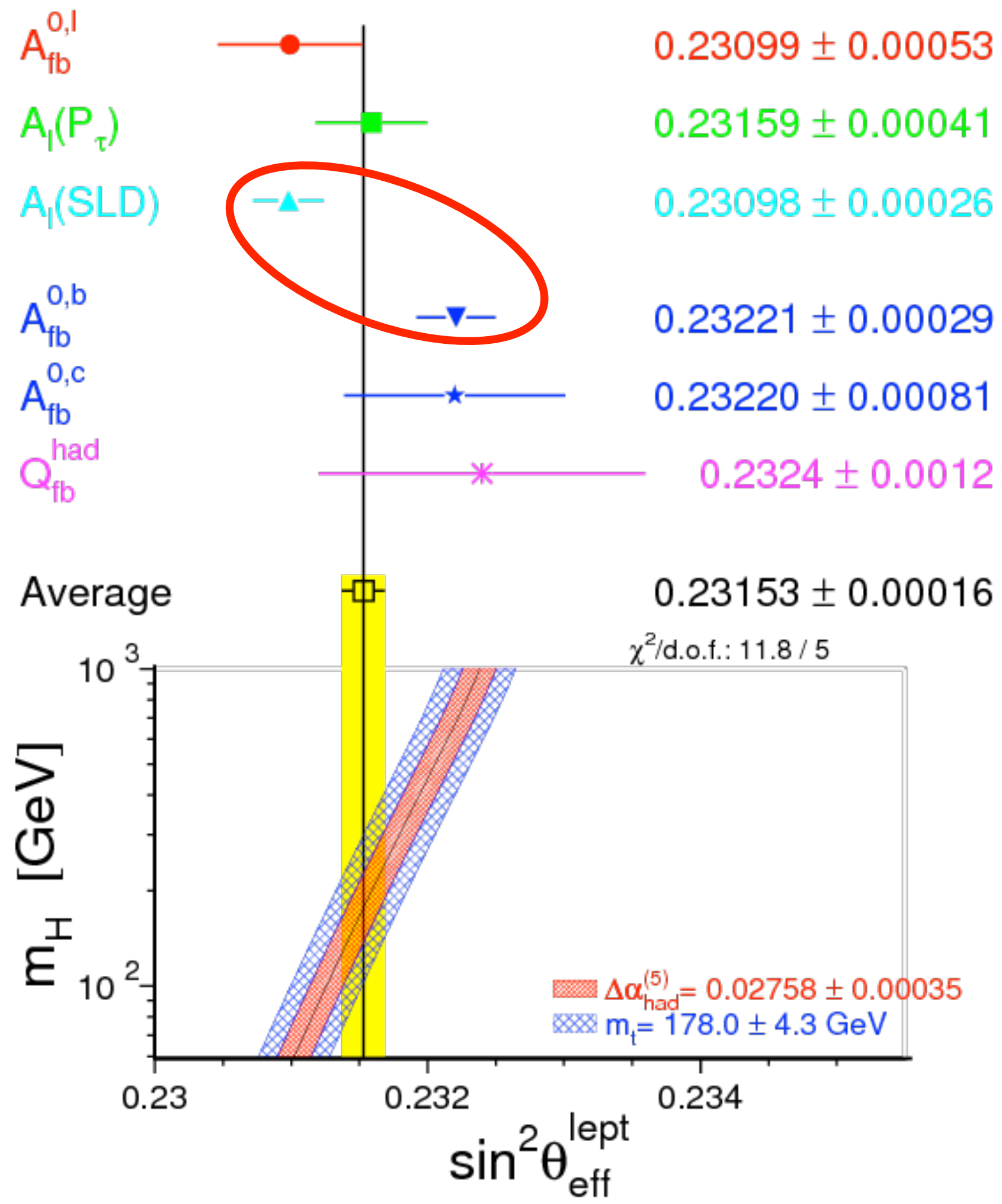
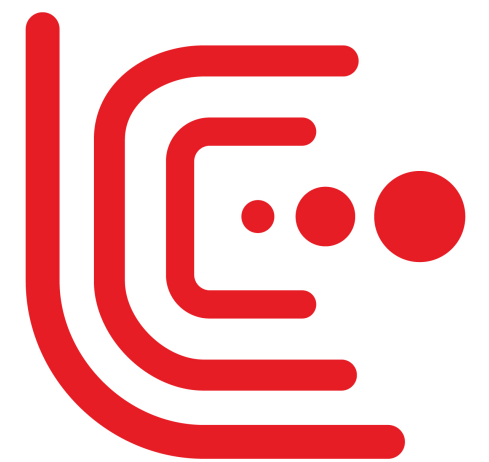


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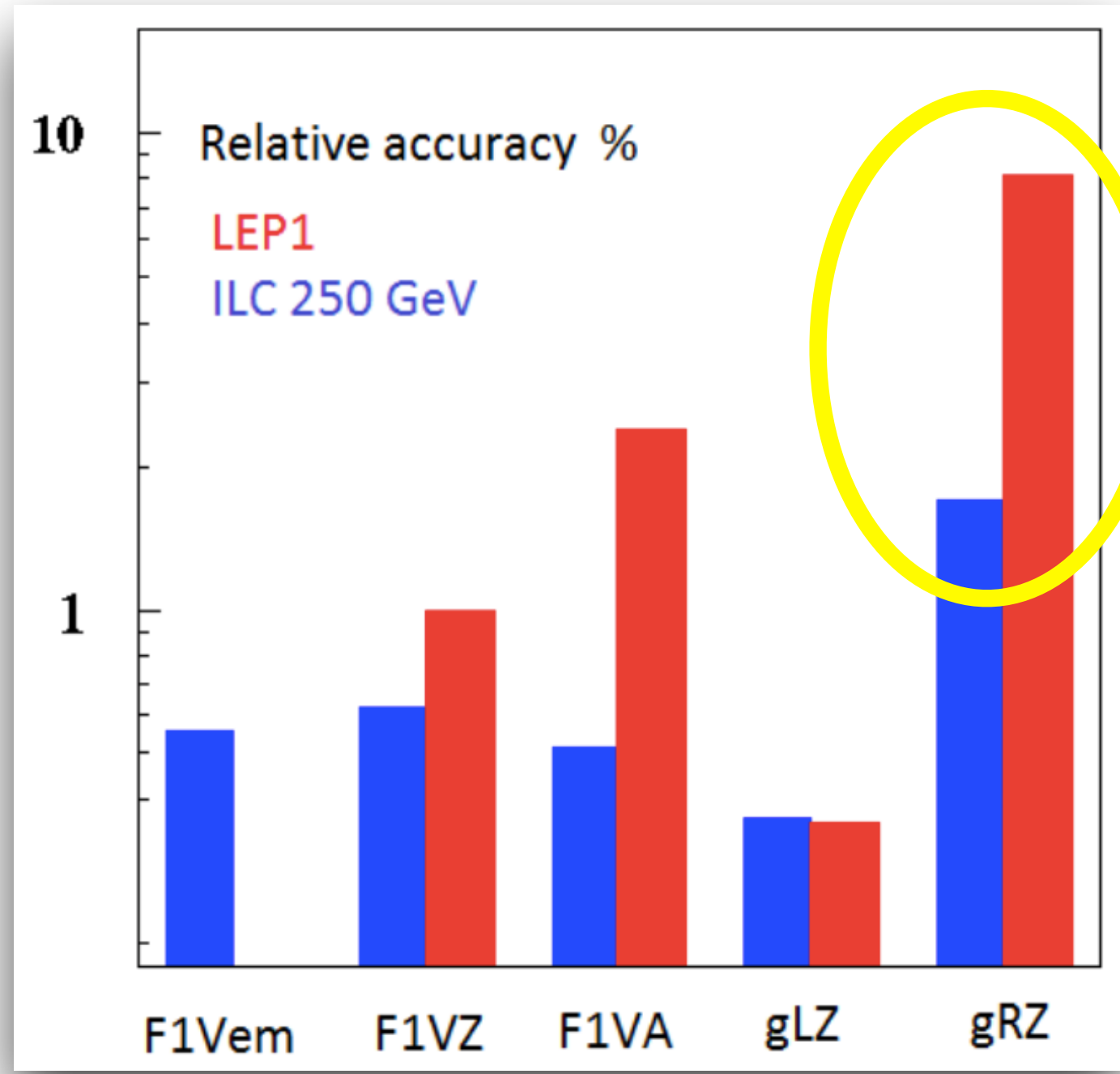
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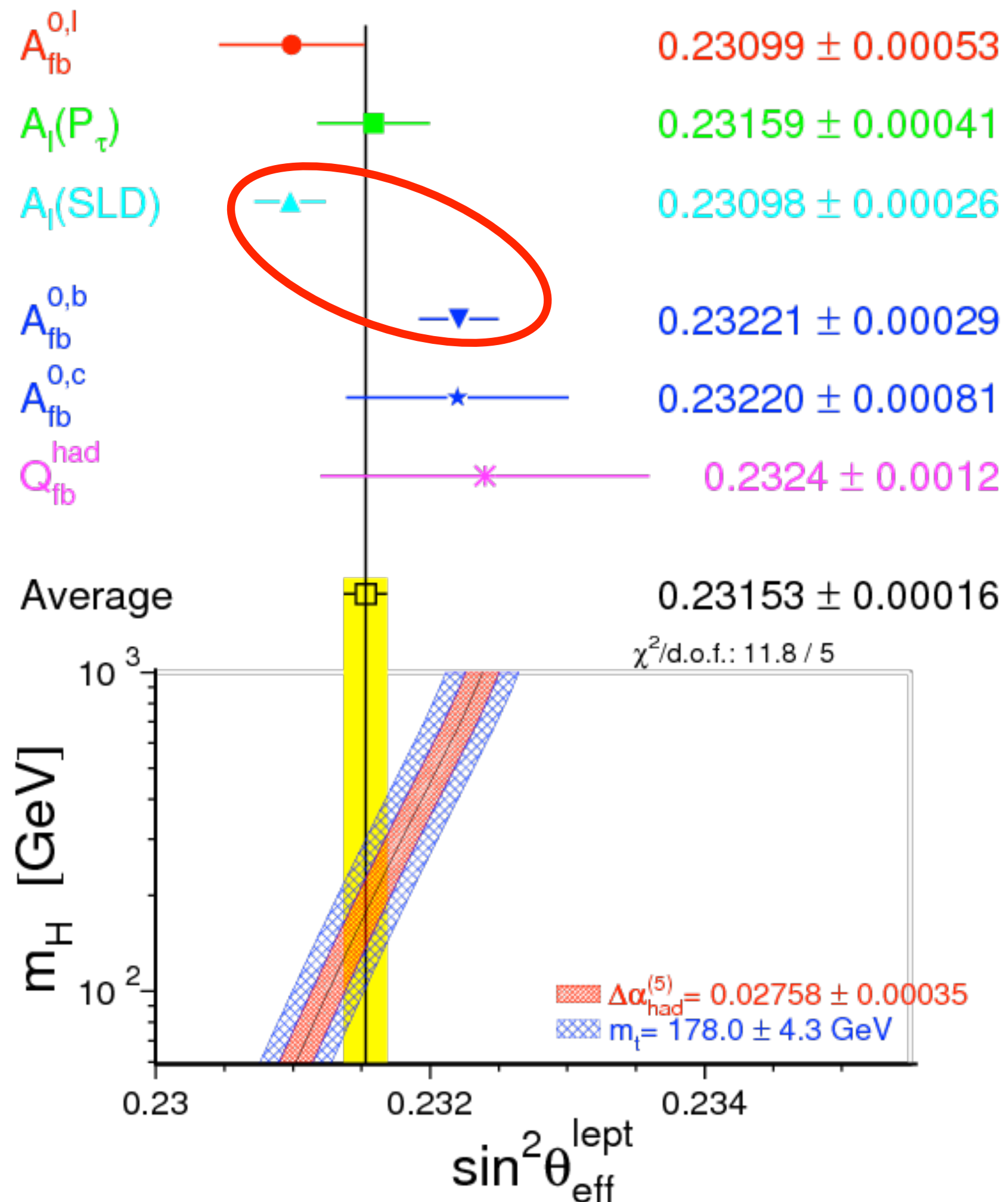
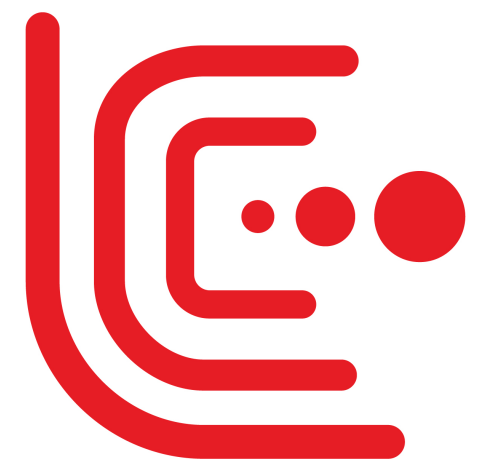
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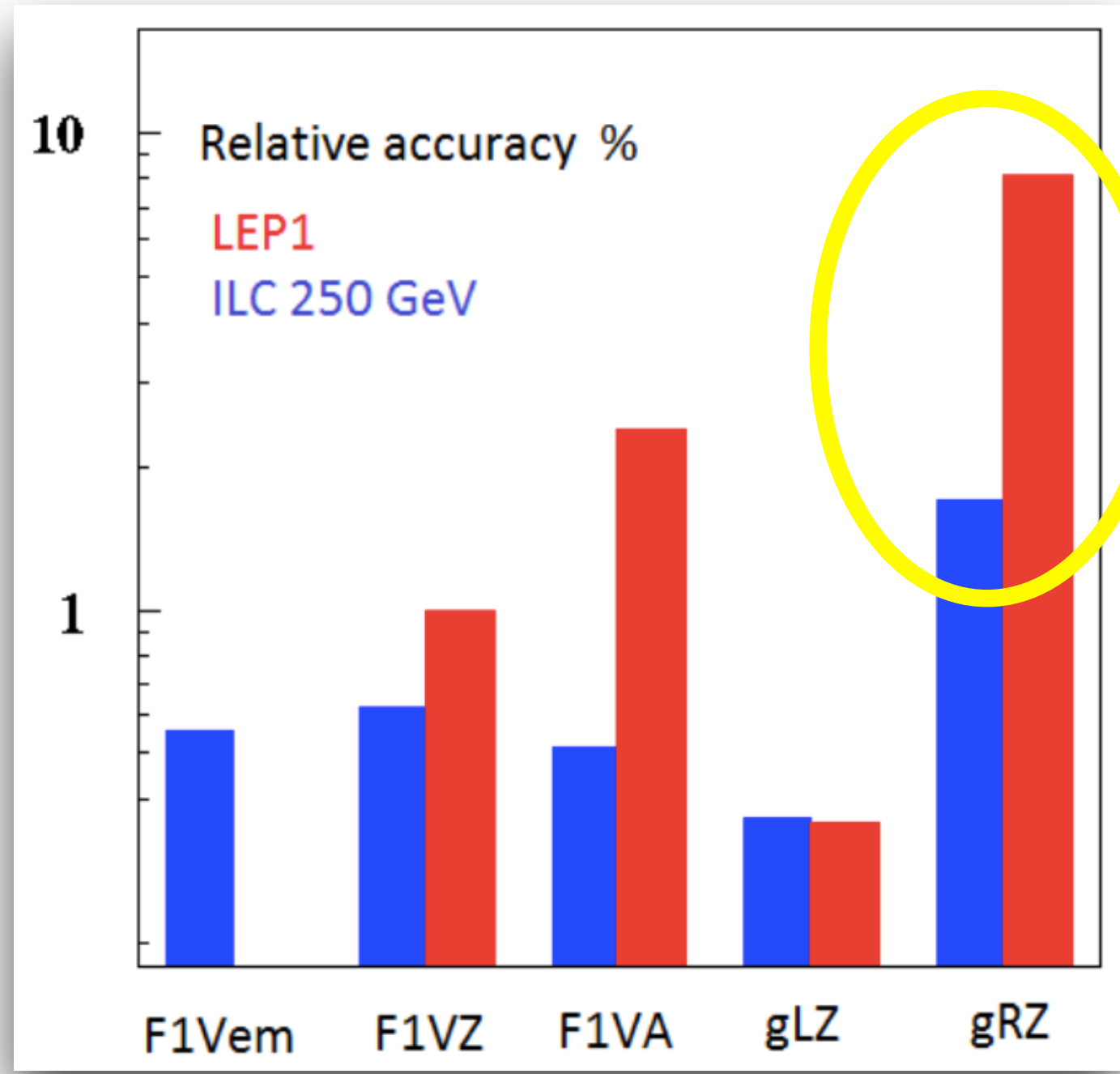
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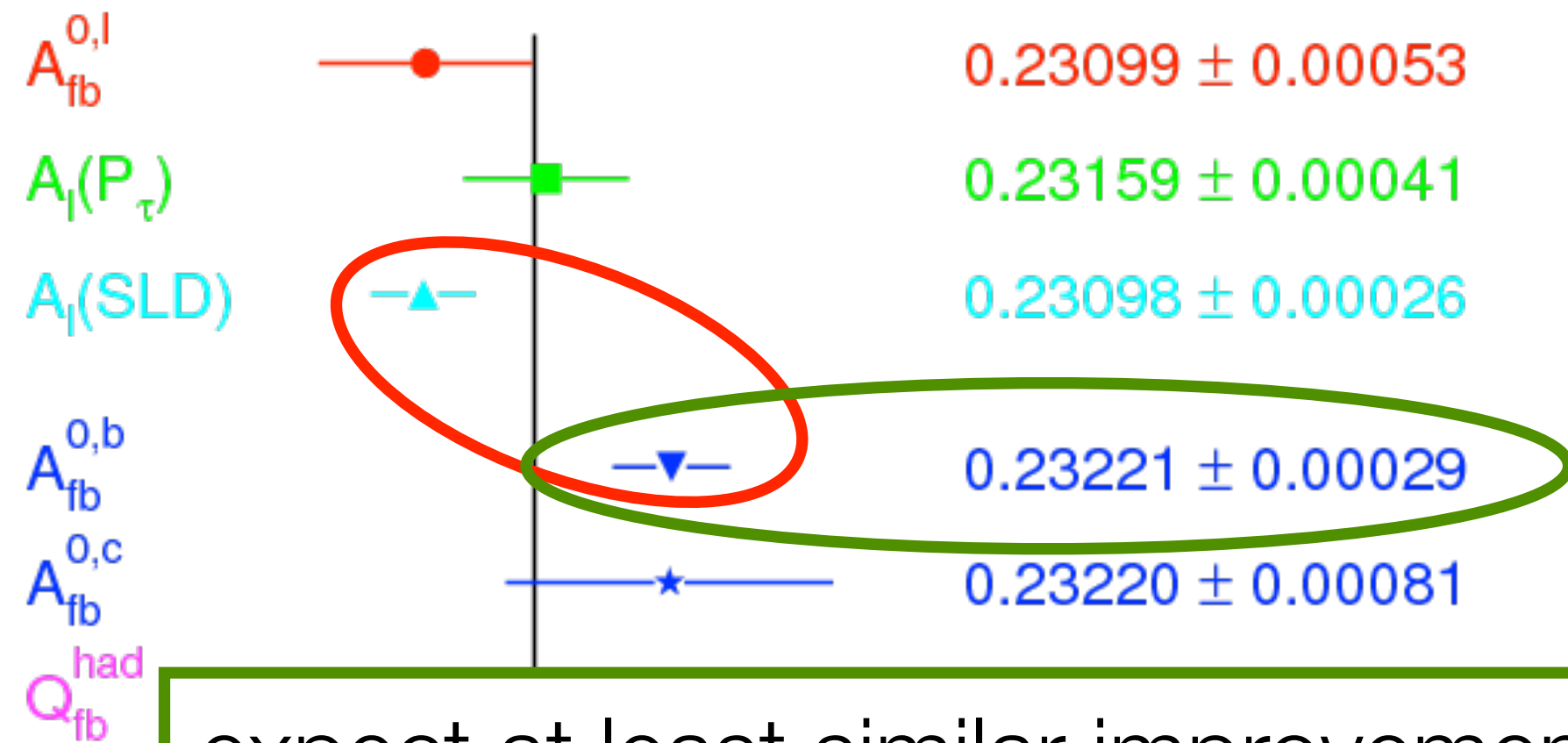
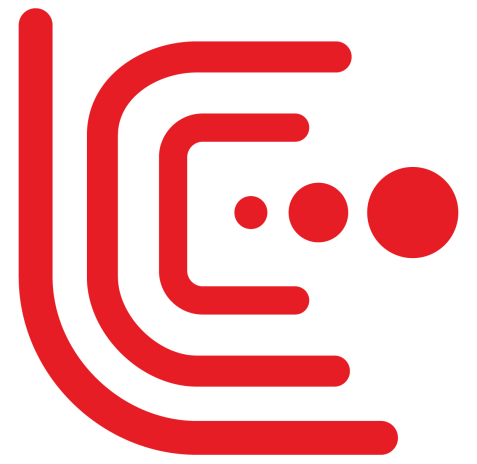
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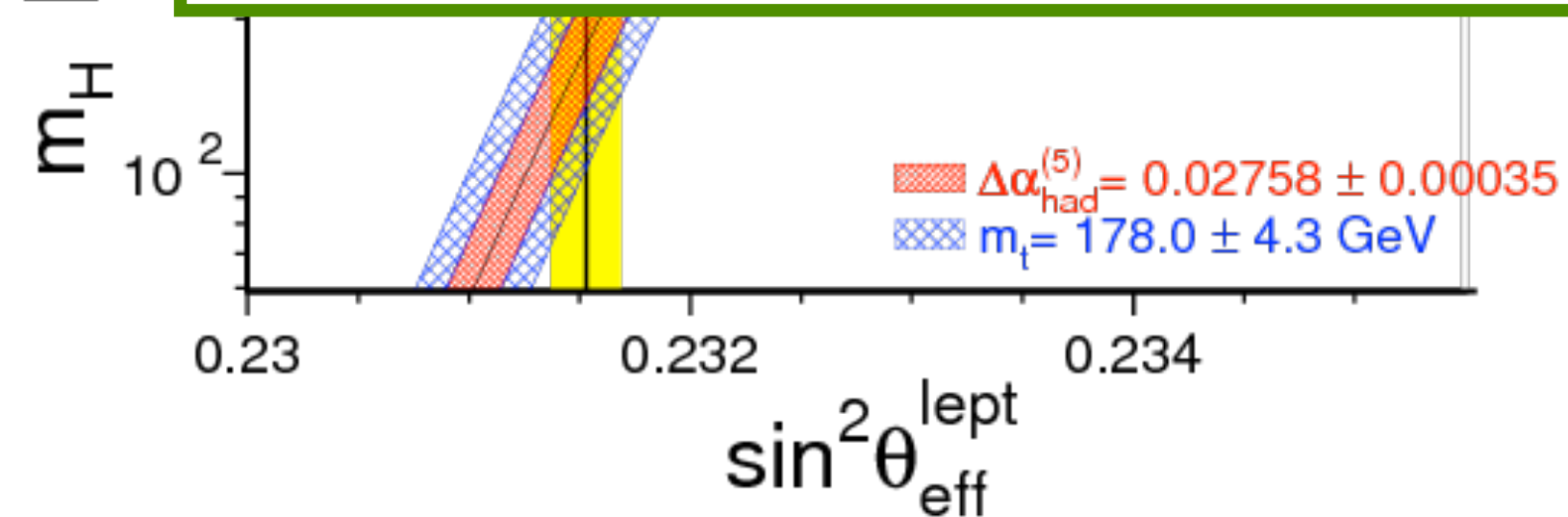
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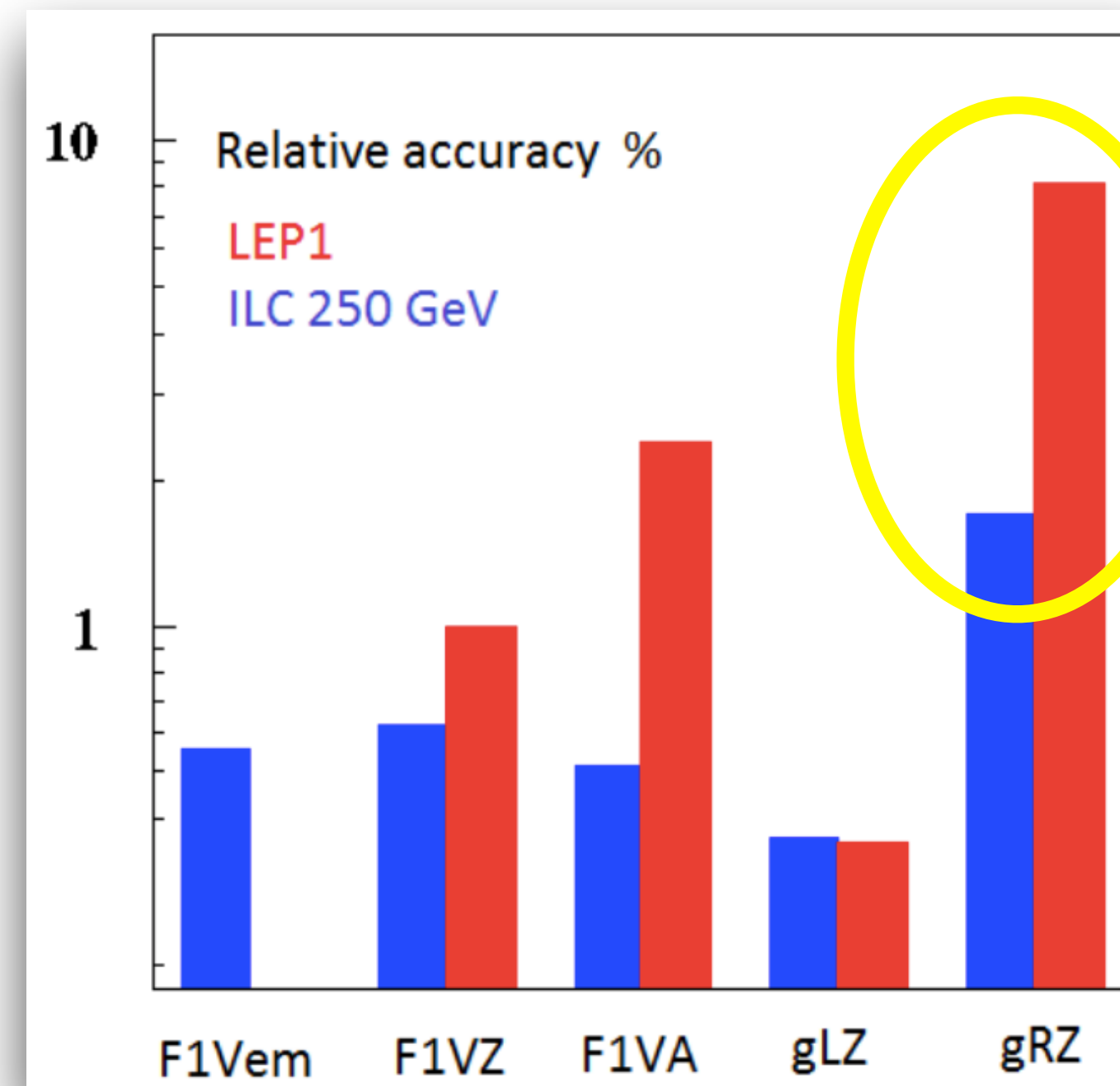
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expect at least similar improvement also for **charm quarks**
 => **profit from > 30 years of advances in detector technology!**



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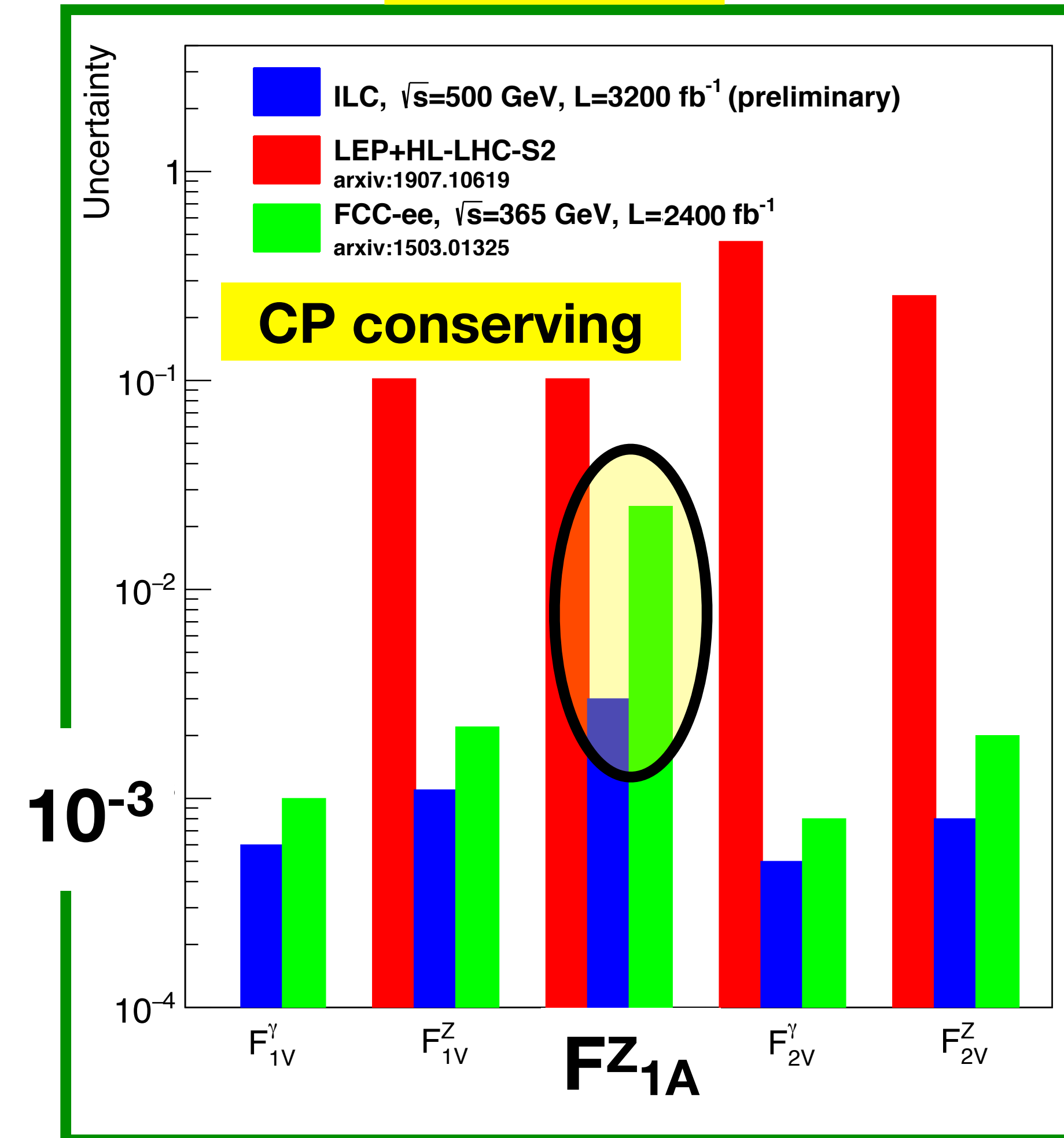
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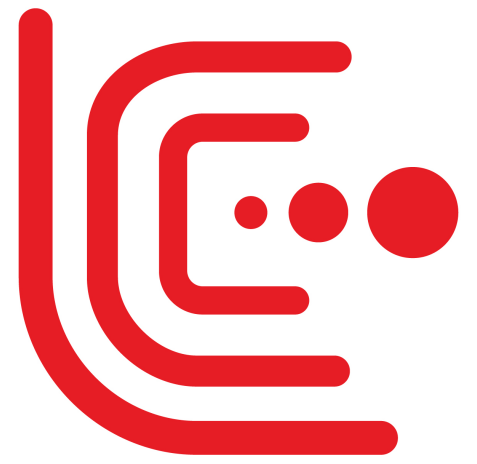
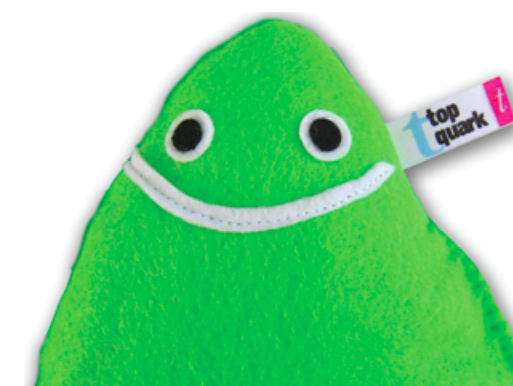
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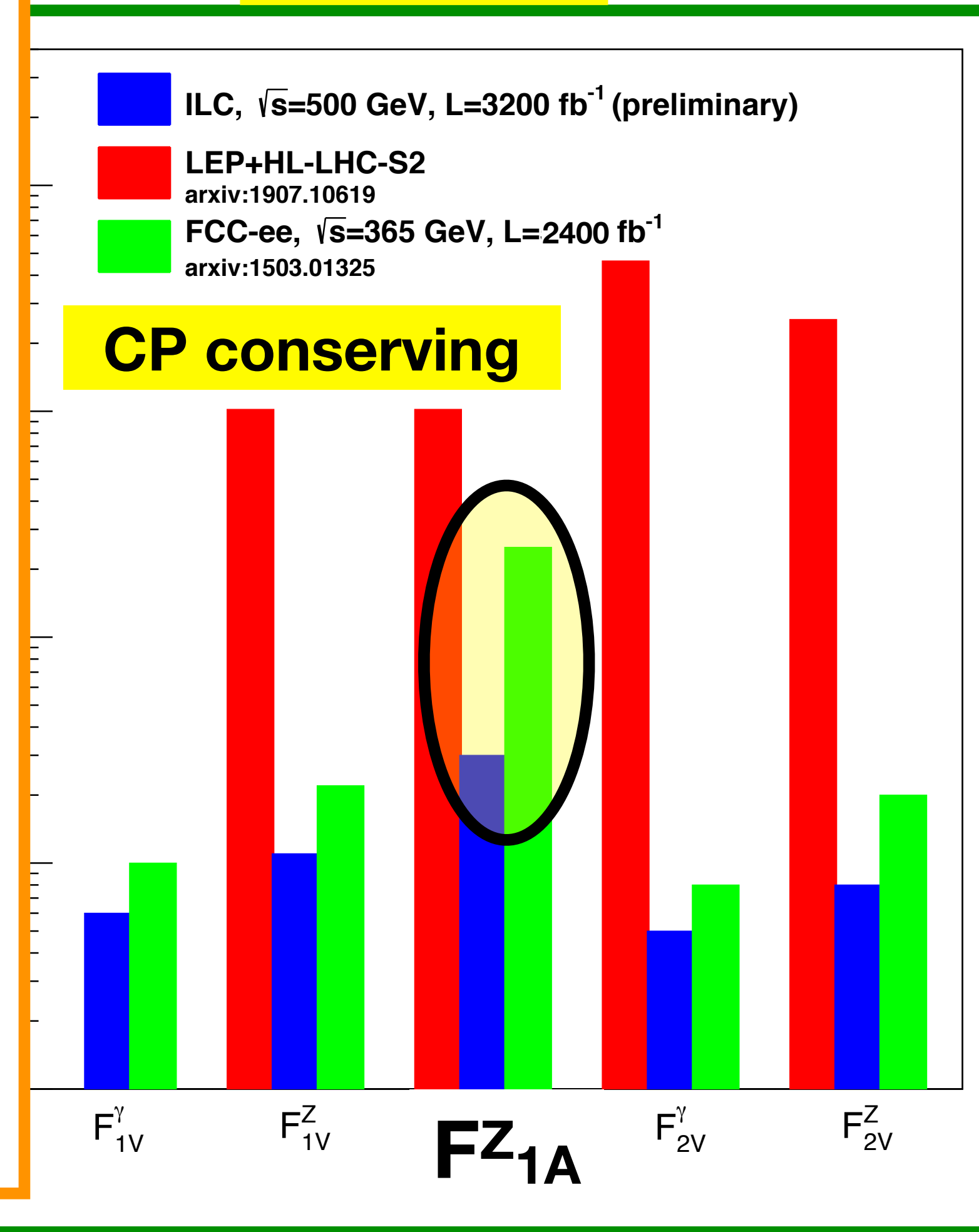
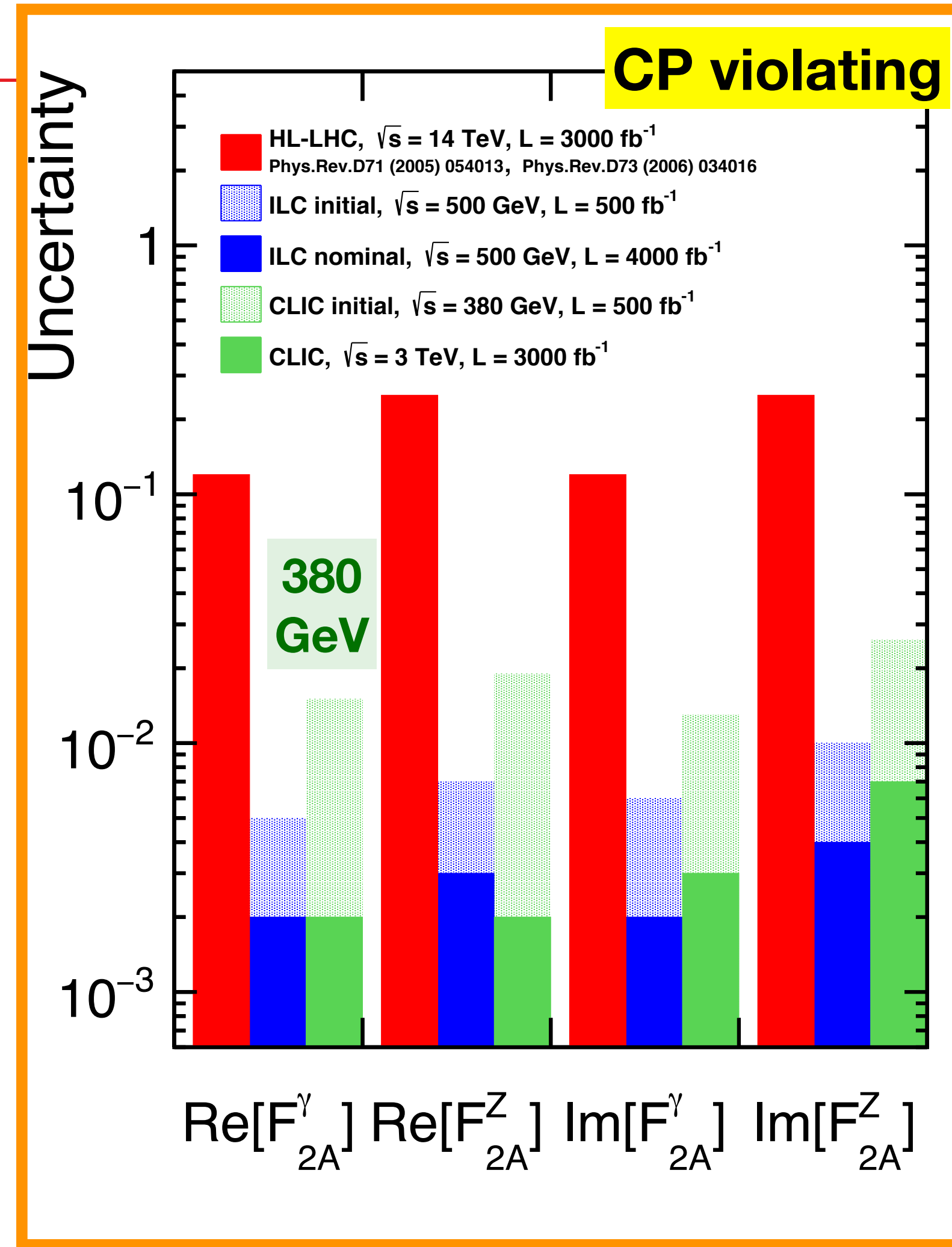


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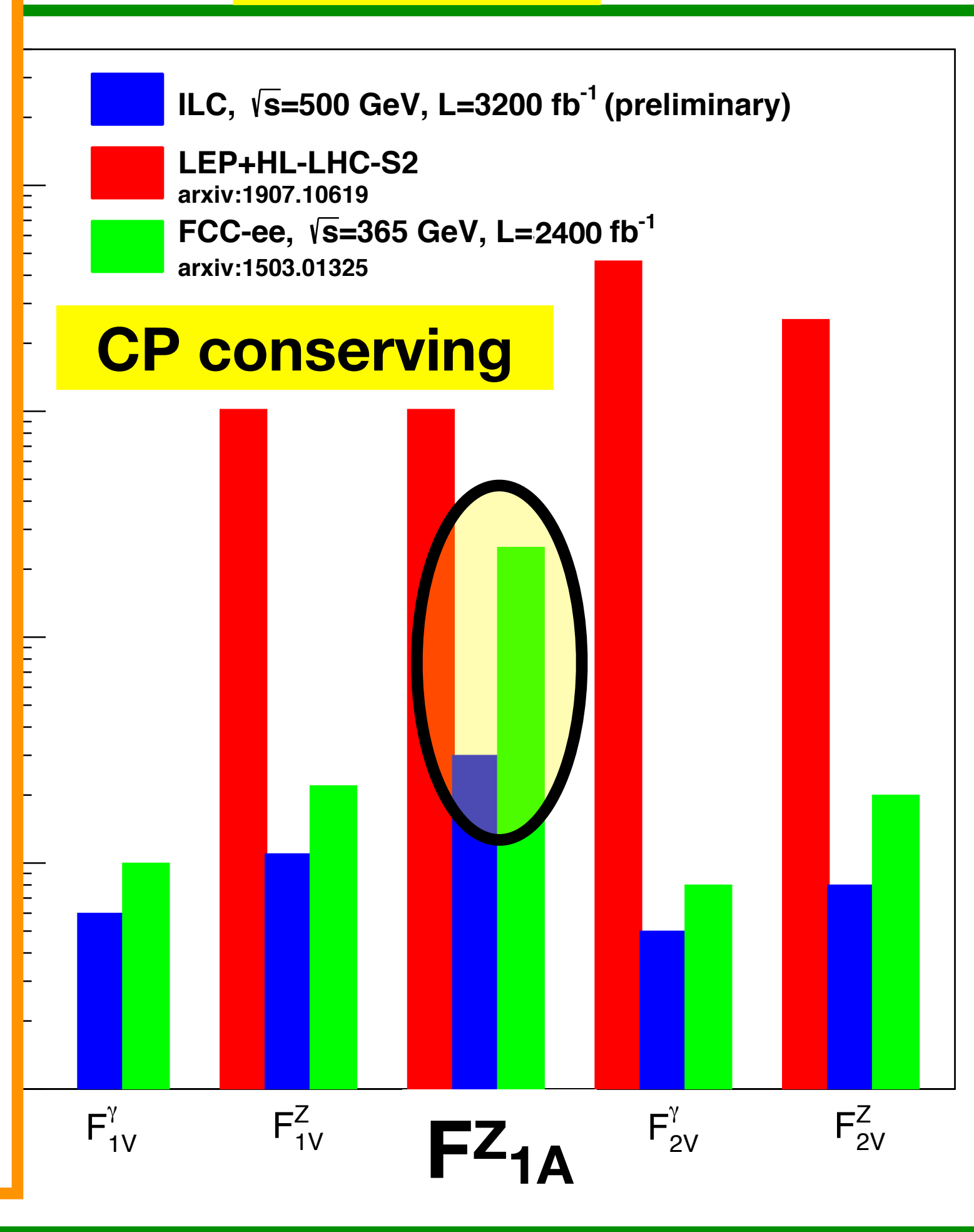
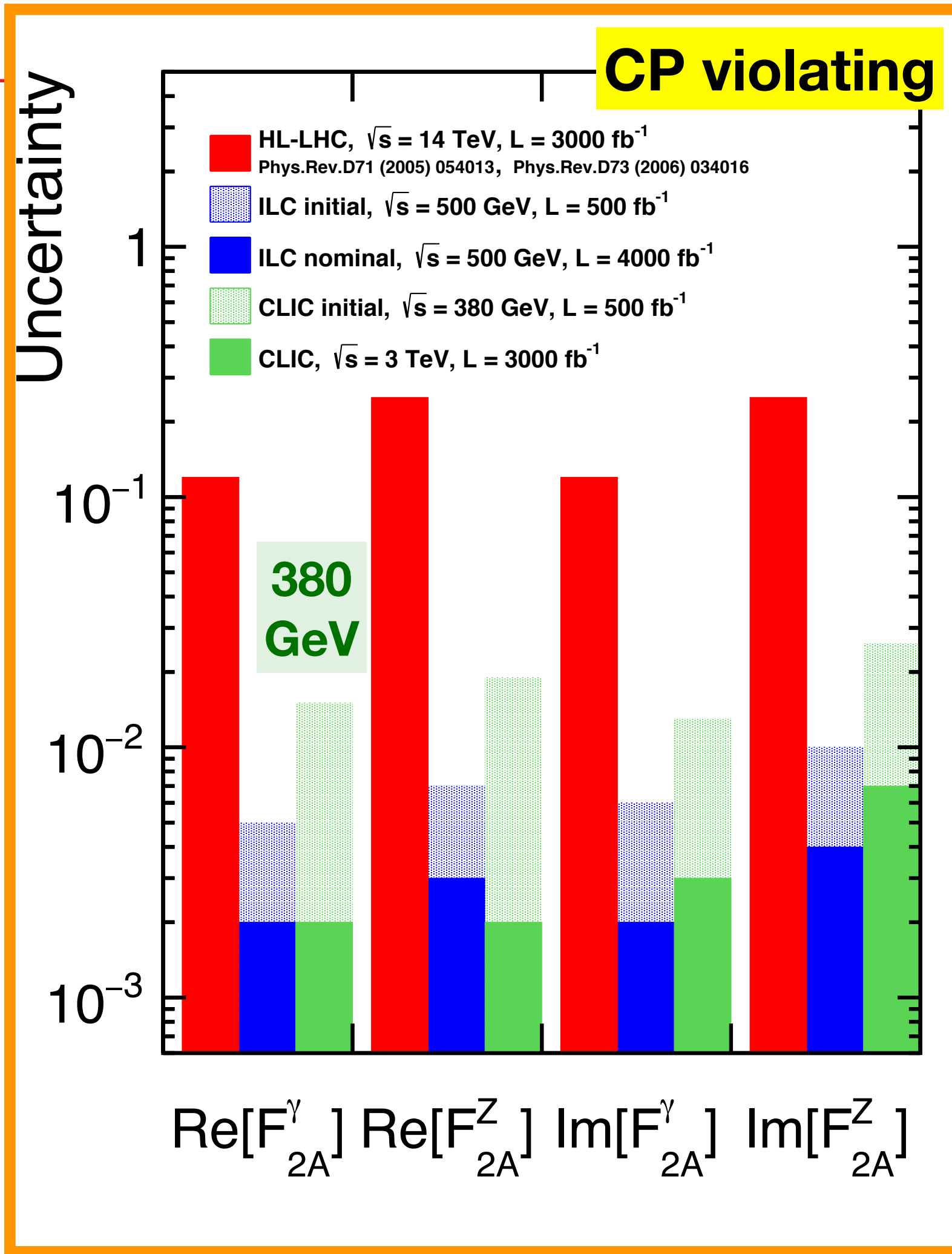
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full SM-EFT:

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- 4-fermion operators profit quadratically from higher energies



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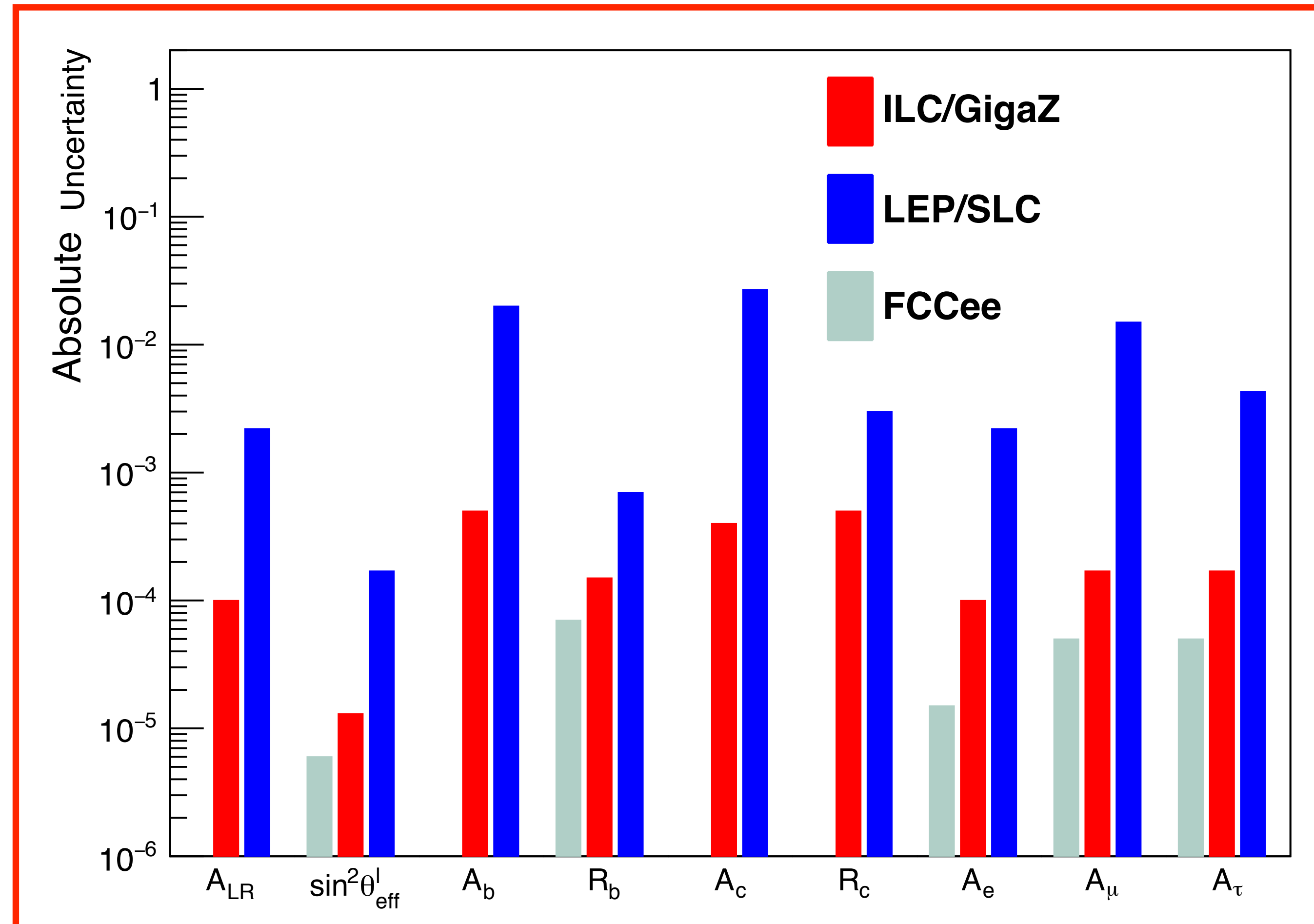


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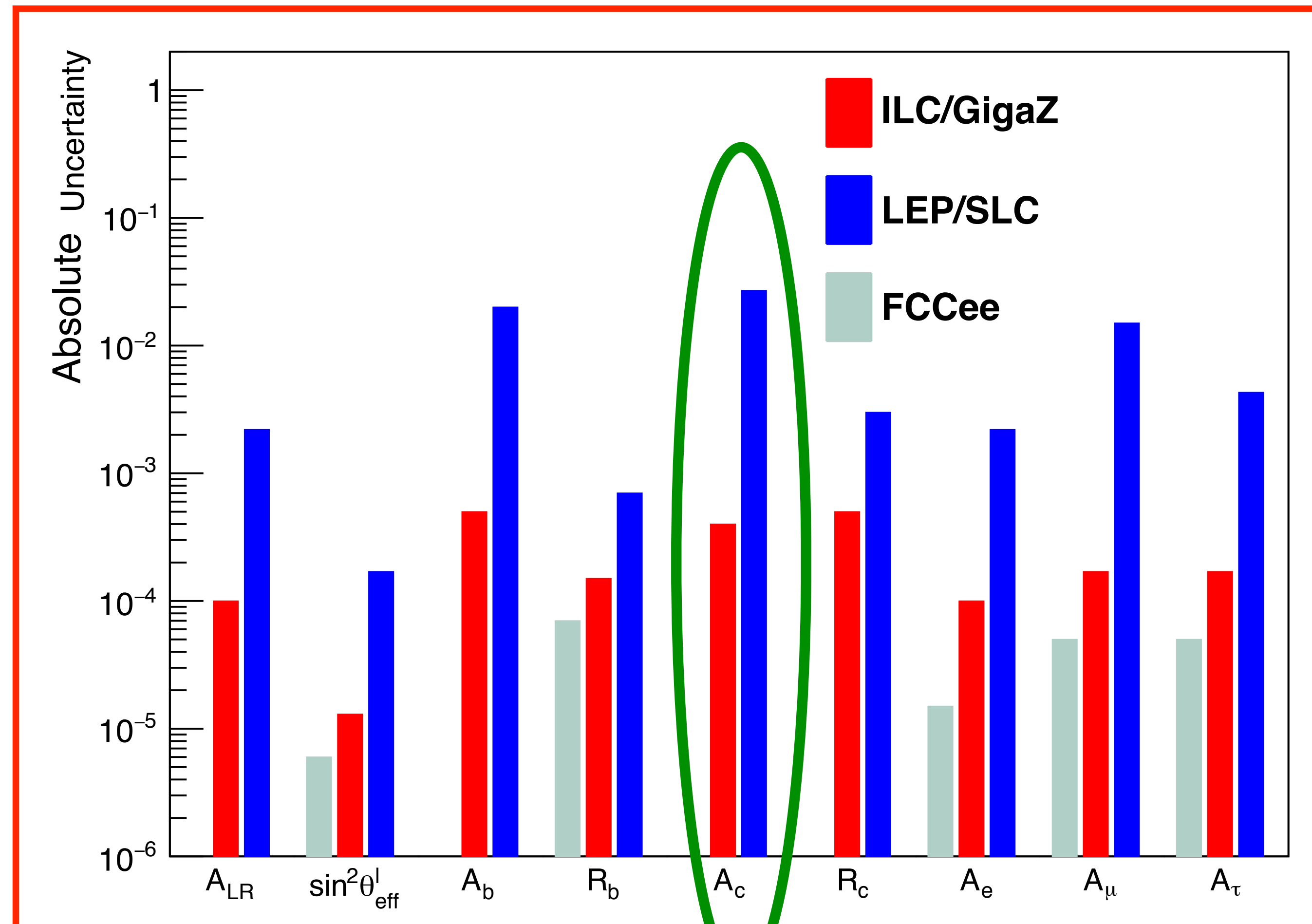


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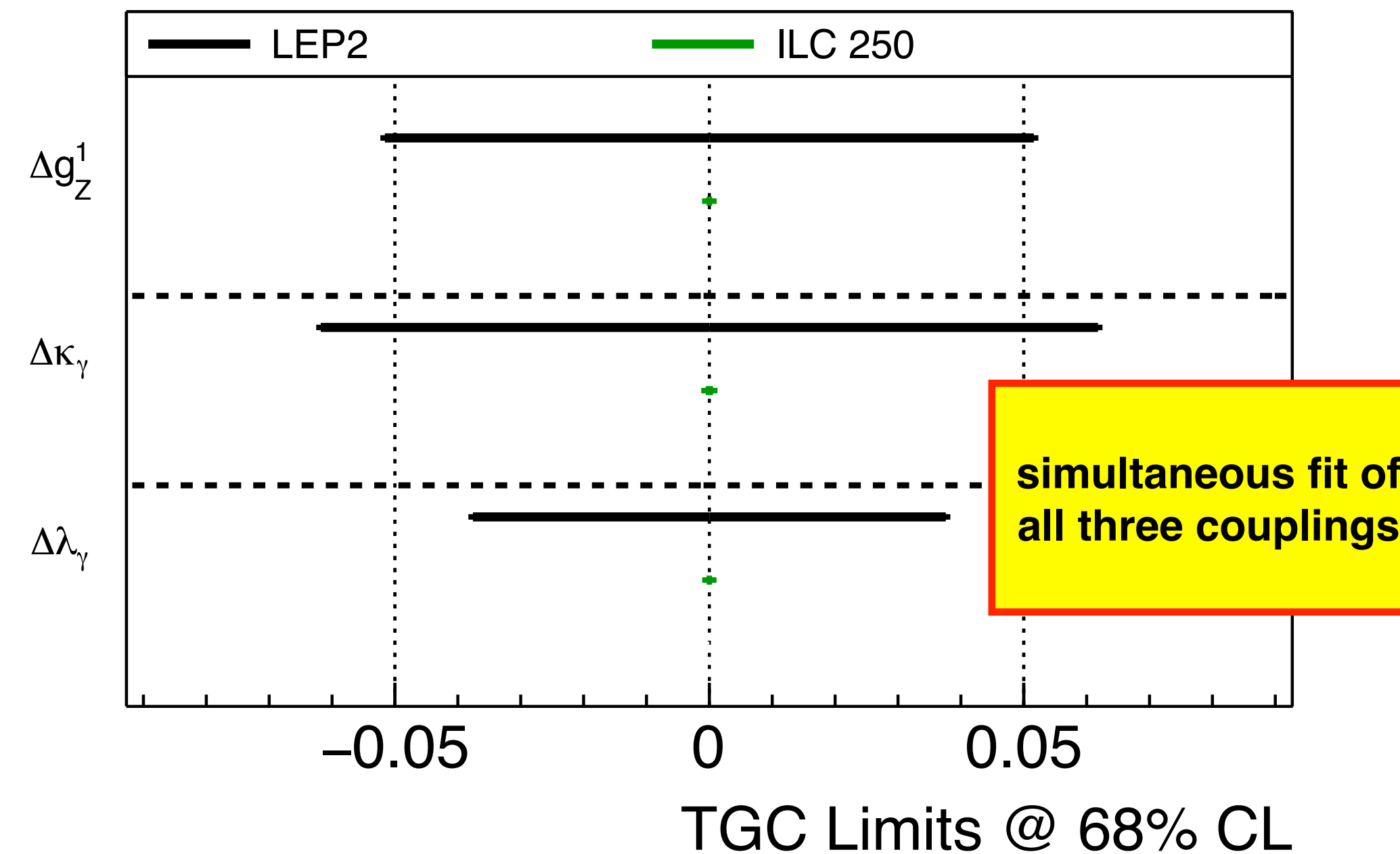
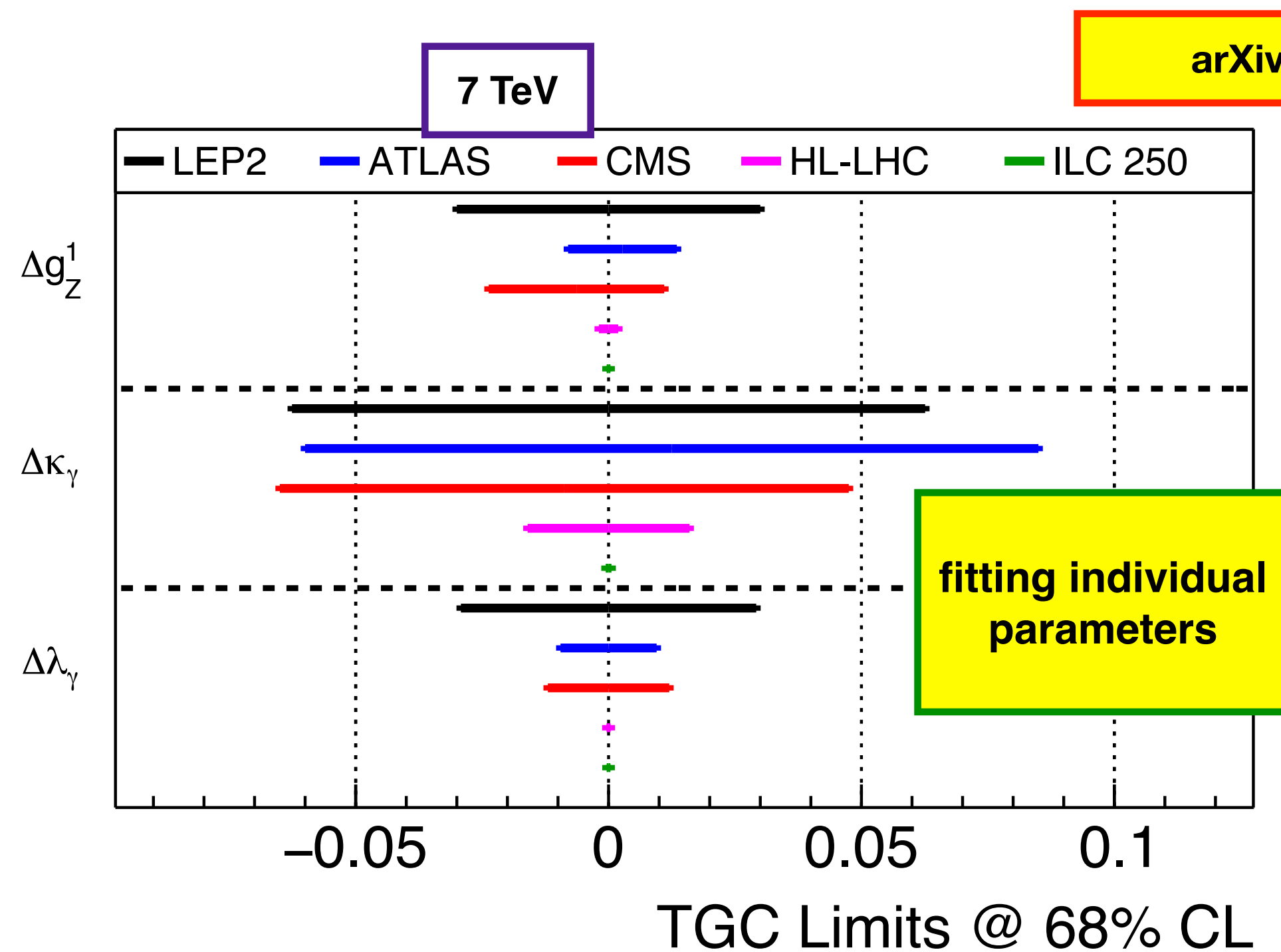


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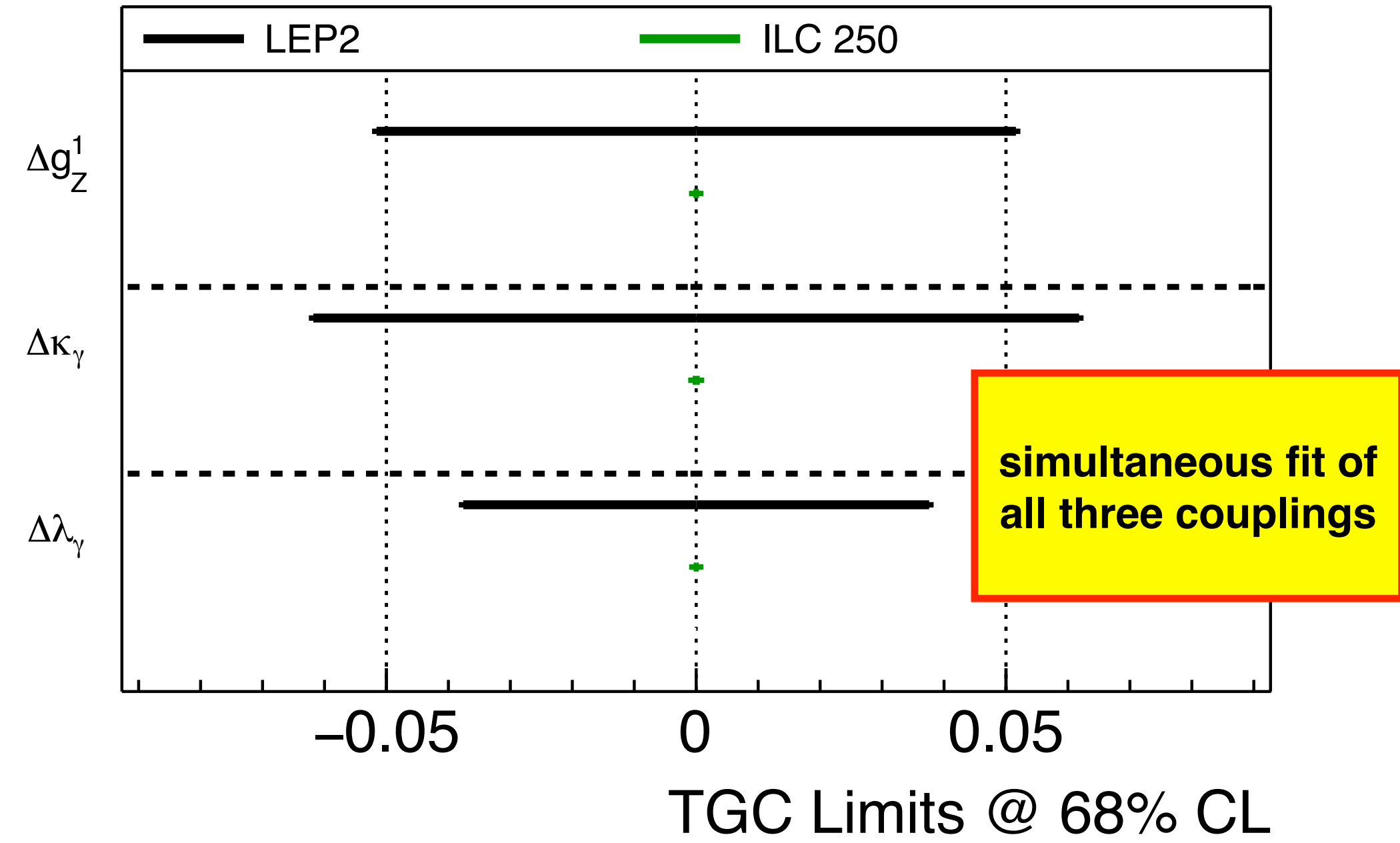
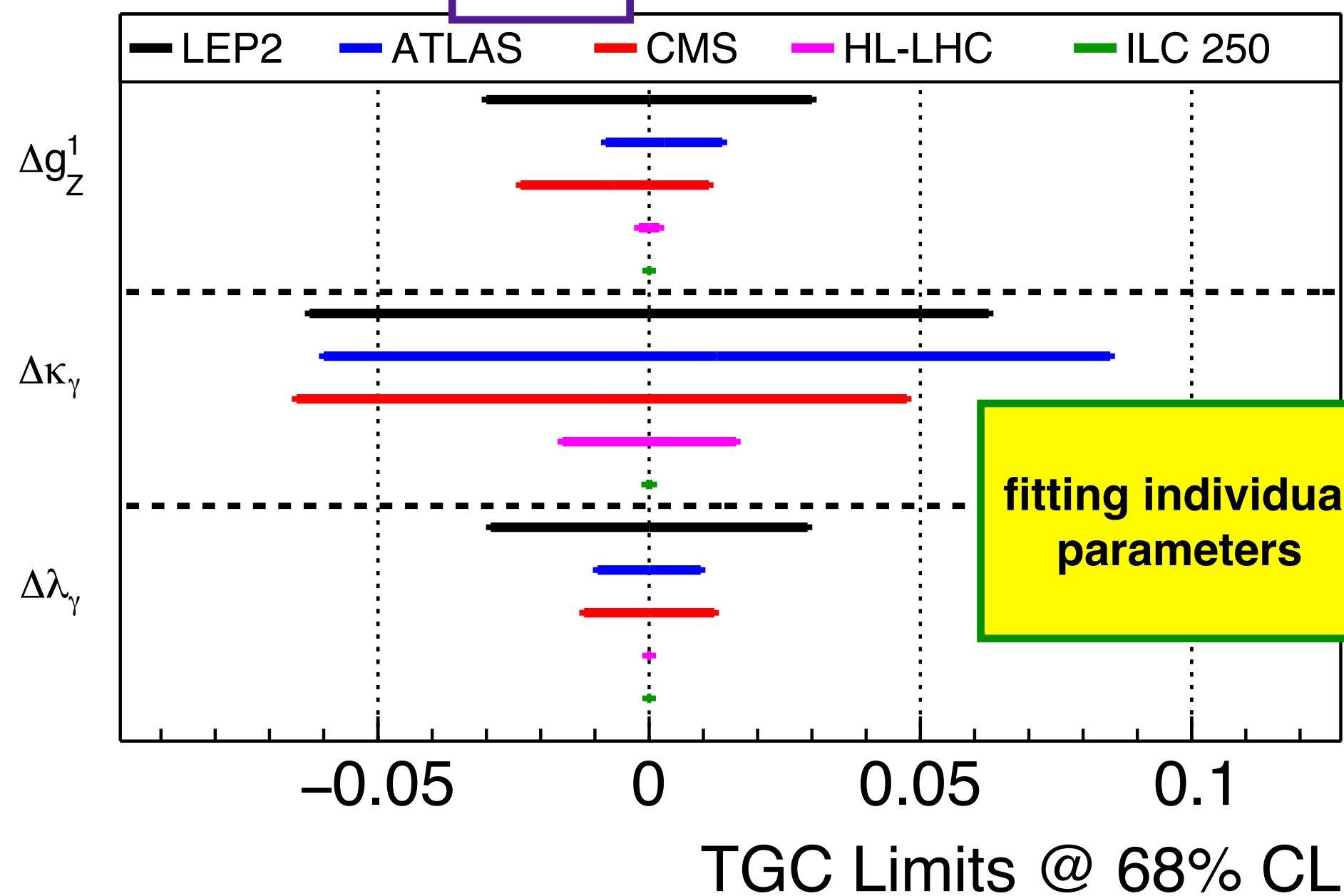
=> ILD just started a brand-new 250 GeV MC production

=> NOW is THE time to get started!

for now: extrapolations from 500 GeV (ILD) and ~200 GeV (LEP2)

arXiv:1710:07621

7 TeV



New insights from our new friend...



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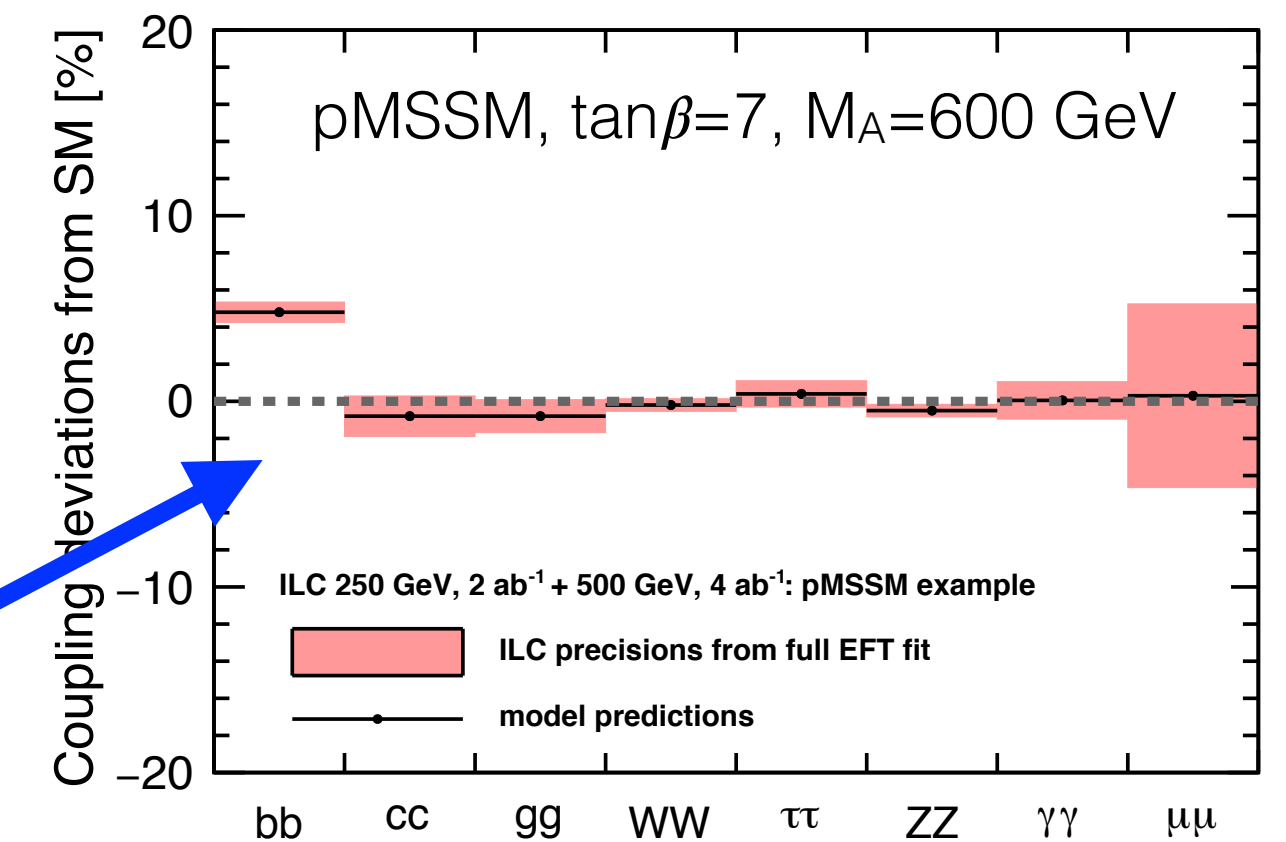
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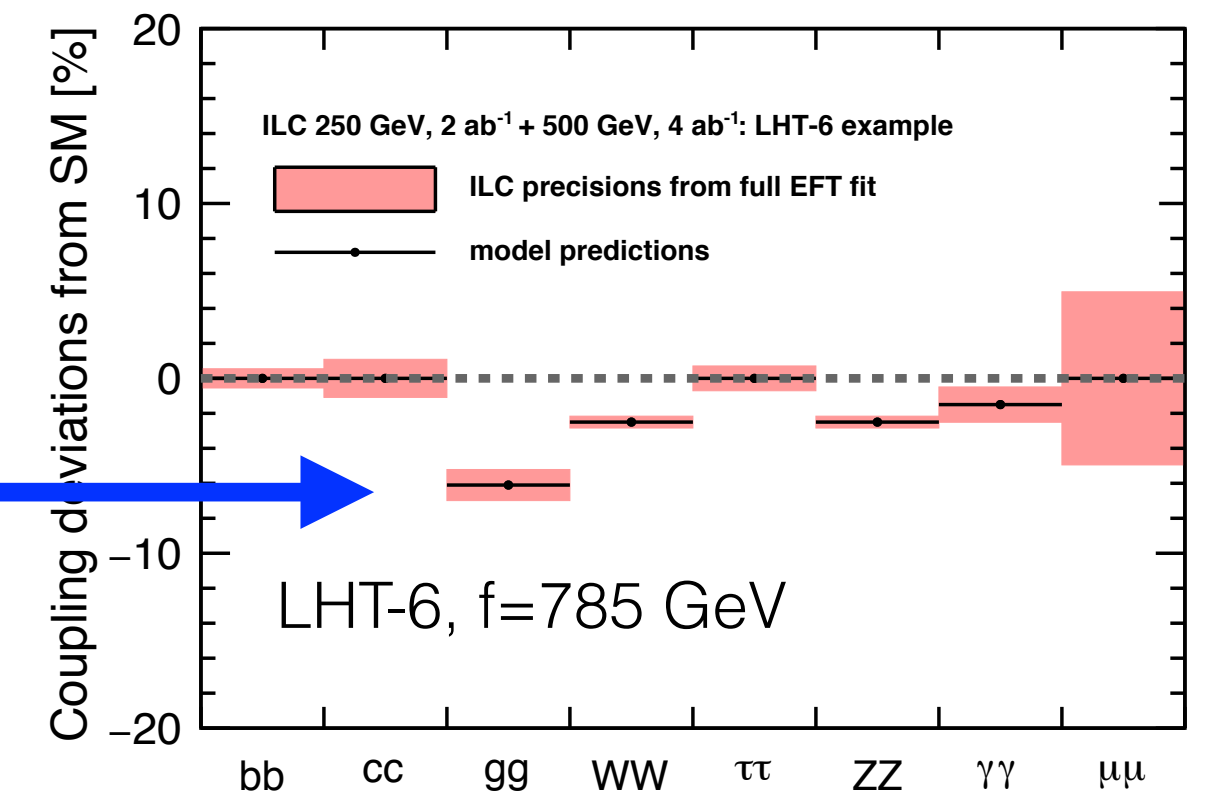
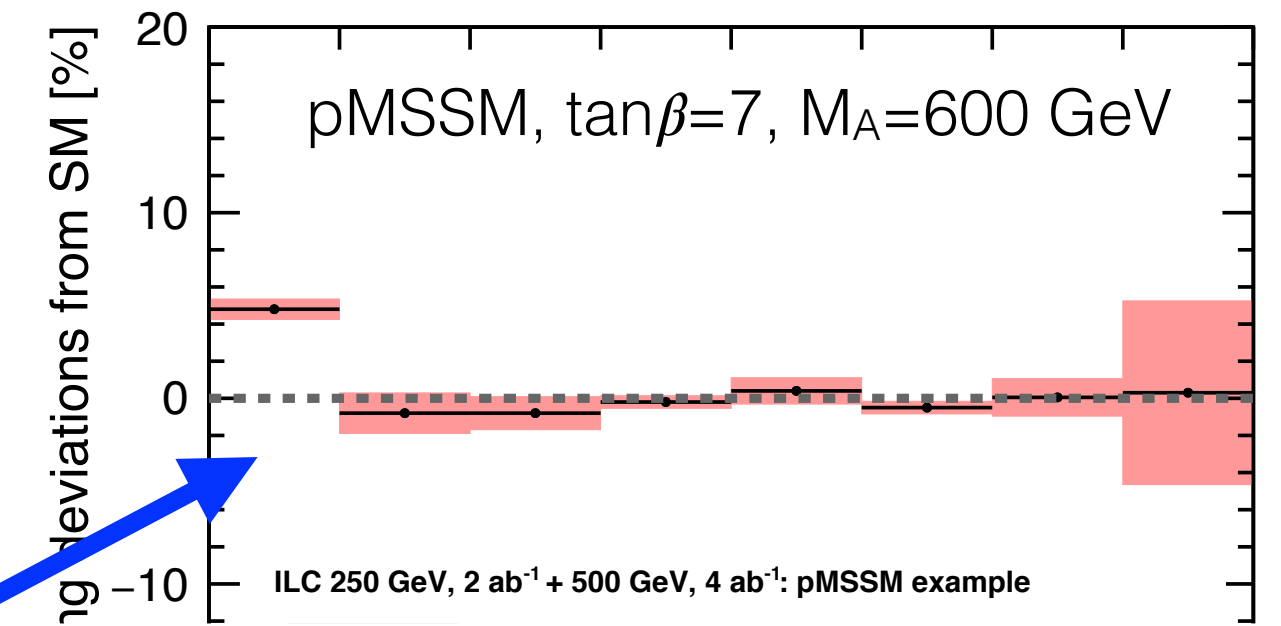
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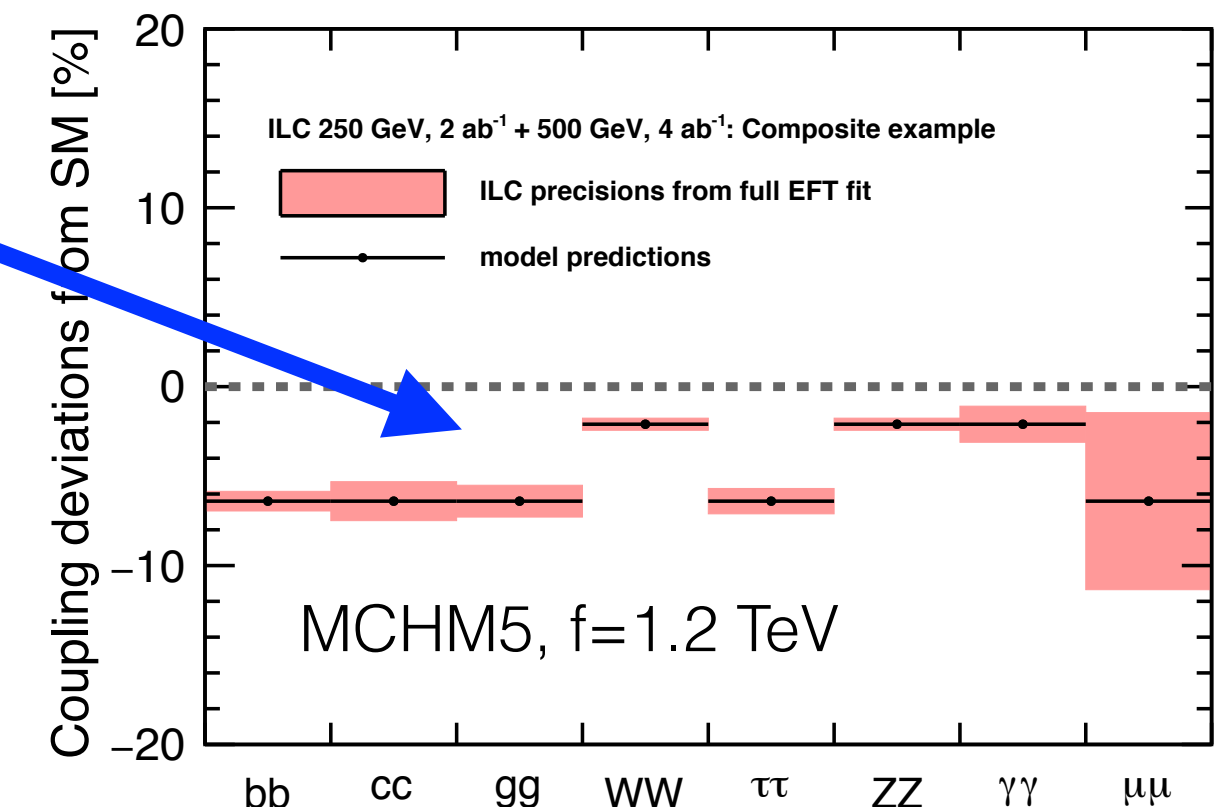
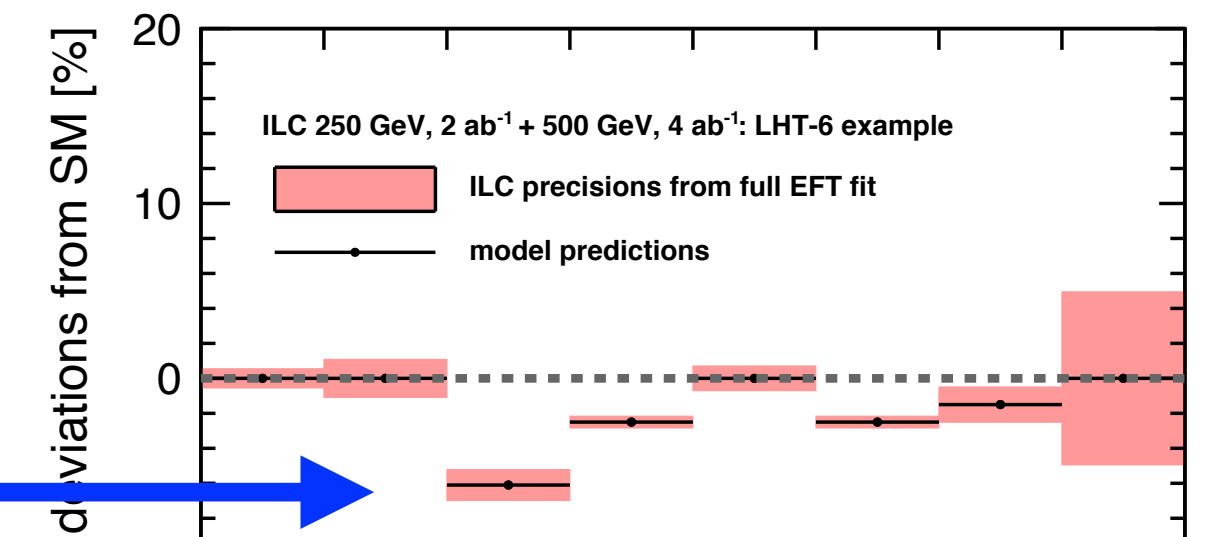
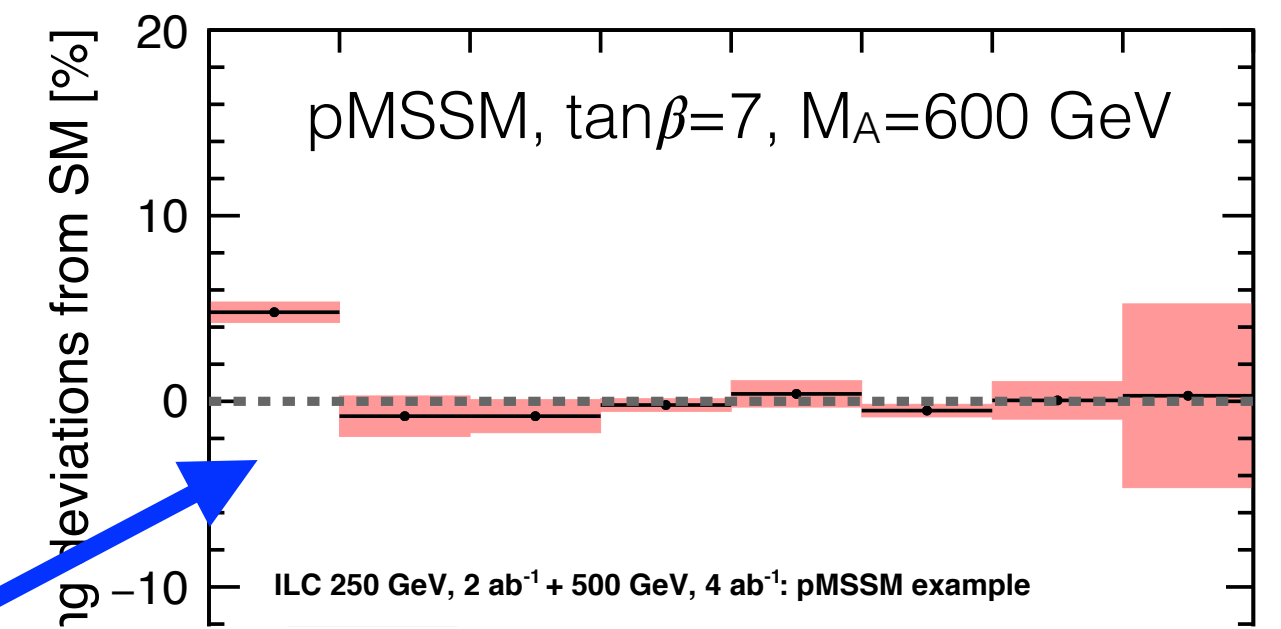
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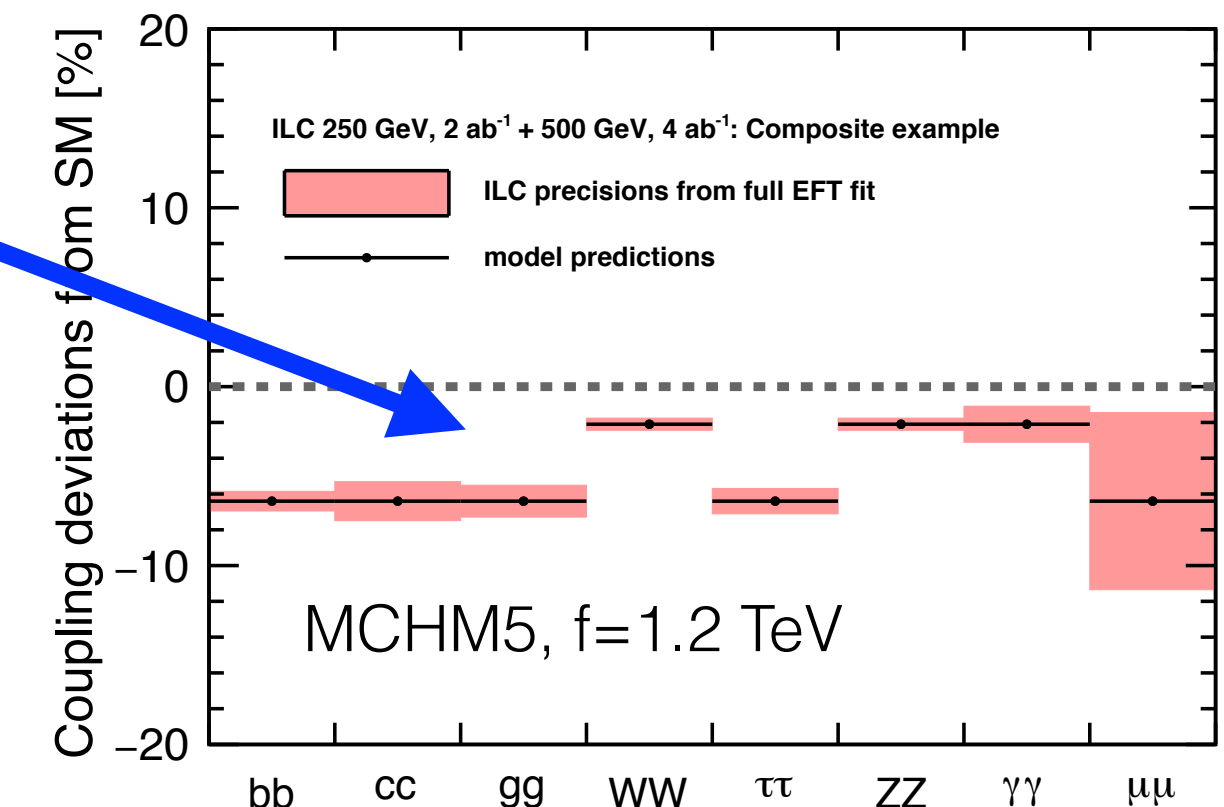
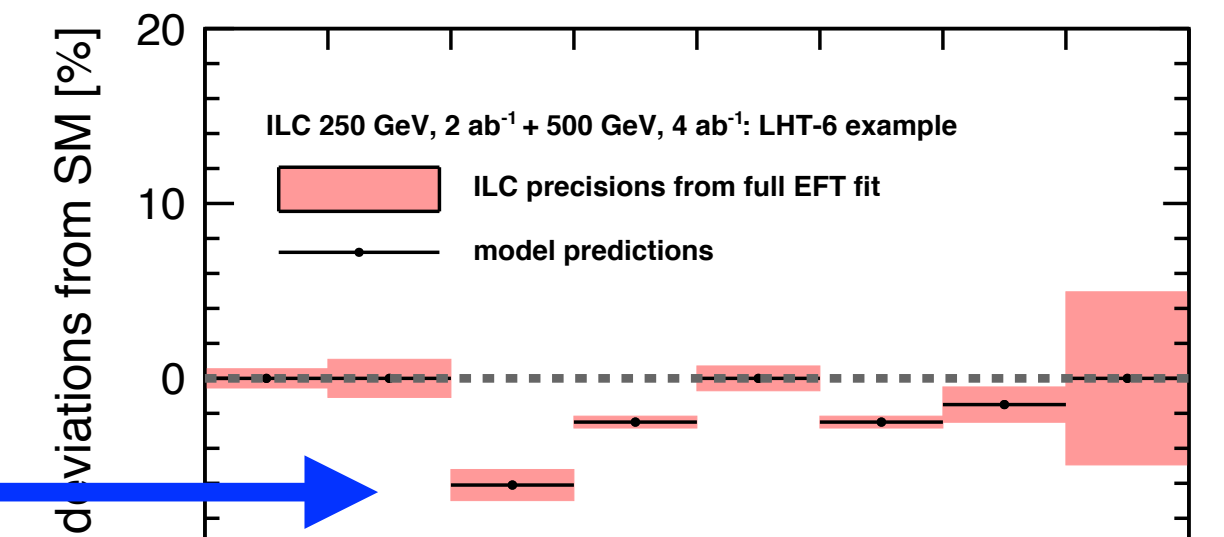
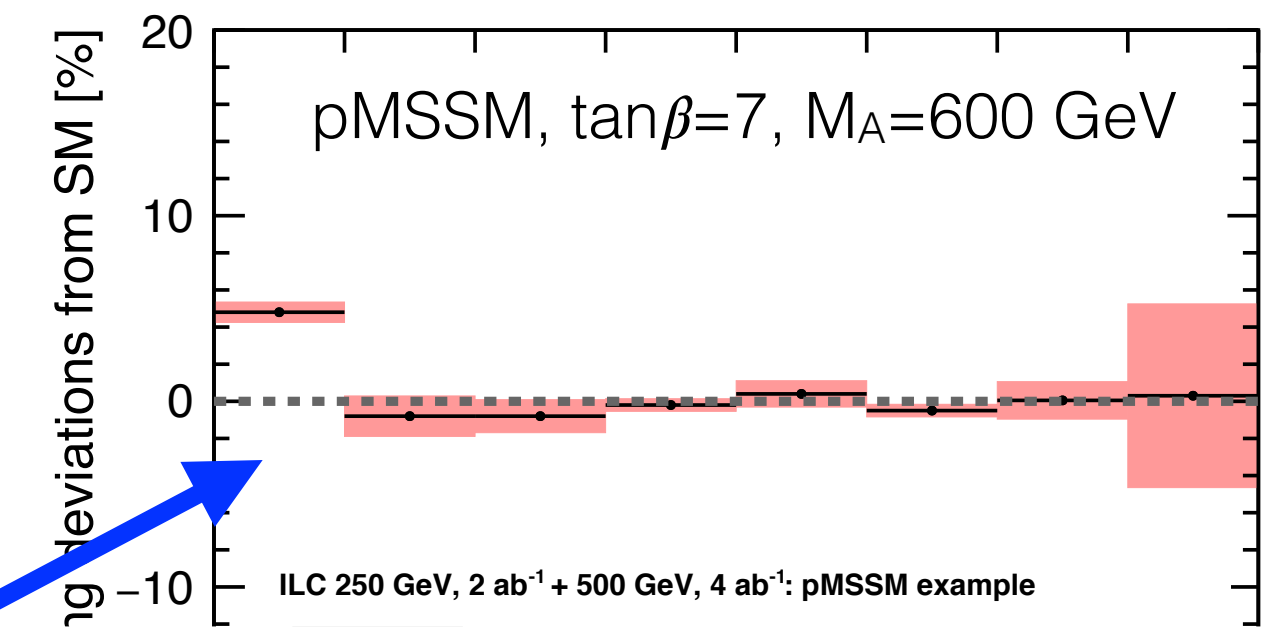
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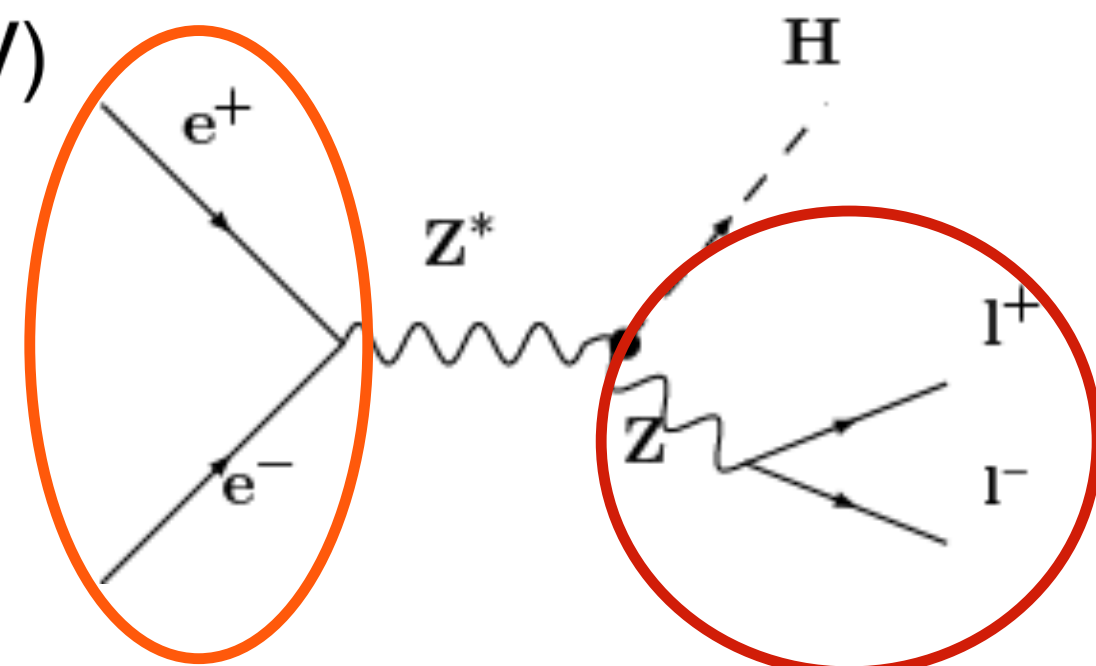
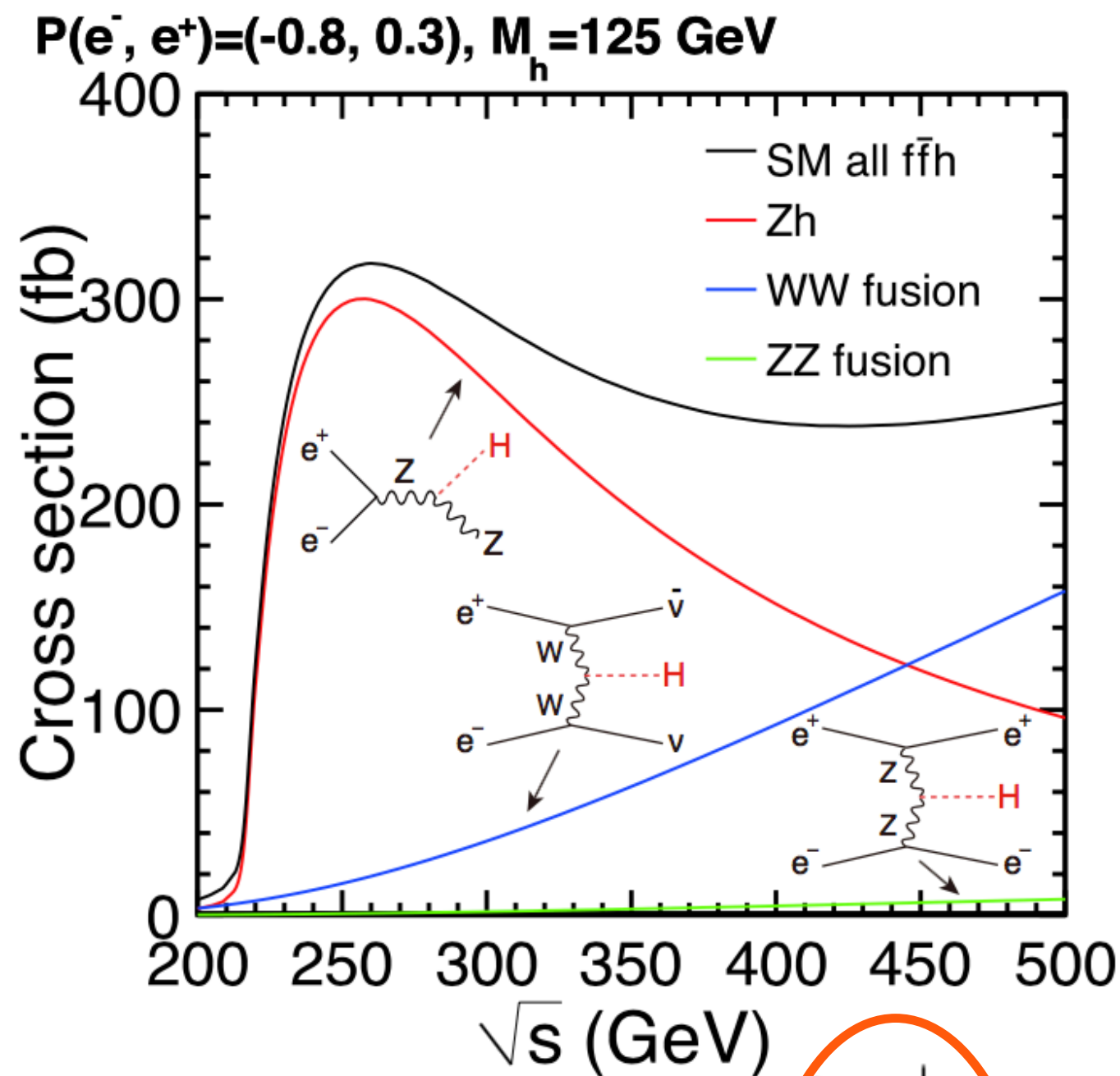
At least percent-level precision required!



Precision Higgs Physics @ 250 GeV



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$$M_H^2 = M_{recoil}^2 = s + M_Z^2 - 2E_Z\sqrt{s}$$

- production dominated by Zh
- **2 ab⁻¹ => ~600 000 Zh events**
- fantastic sample for measuring:
 - (recoil) mass
 - **total Zh cross section:**
the key to model-independent determination of absolute couplings!
 - **h-> invisible (Dark Matter!):**
expected limited < 0.3% @ 95%
 - all kinds of branching ratios
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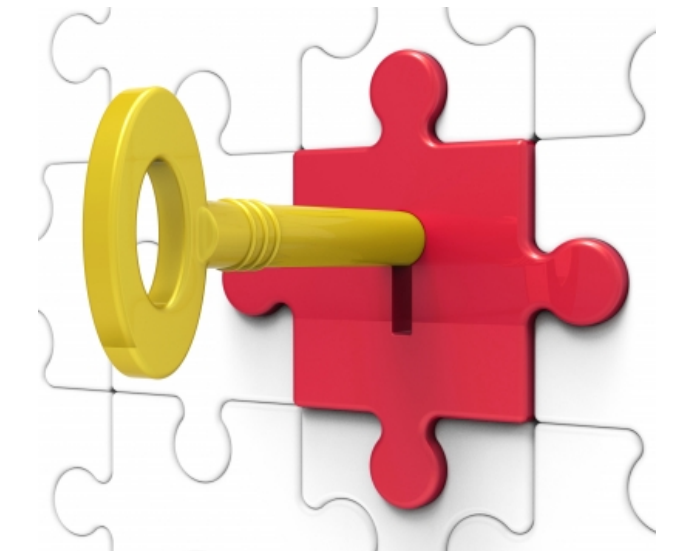


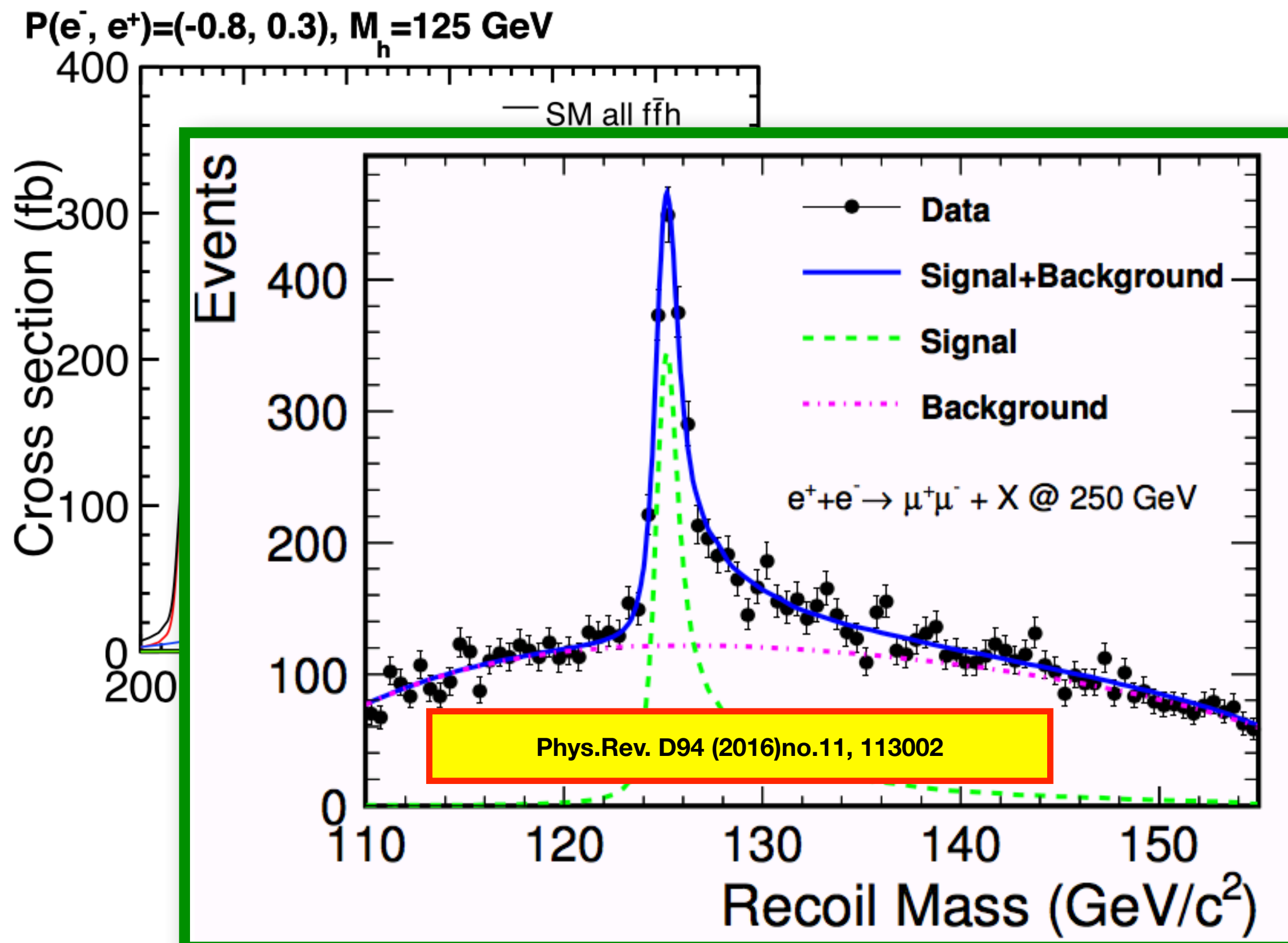
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Precision Higgs Physics @ 250 GeV



The Higgs Boson



- production dominated by Zh
- **$2 \text{ ab}^{-1} \Rightarrow \sim 600\,000 \text{ Zh events}$**
- fantastic sample for measuring:
 - (recoil) mass
 - **total Zh cross section:**
the key to model-independent determination of absolute couplings!
 - **h- \rightarrow invisible (Dark Matter!):**
expected limited $< 0.3\%$ @ 95%
 - all kinds of branching ratios
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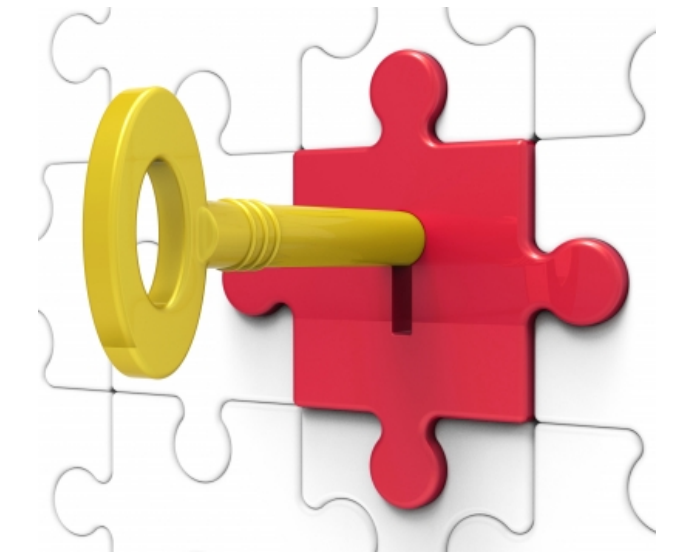


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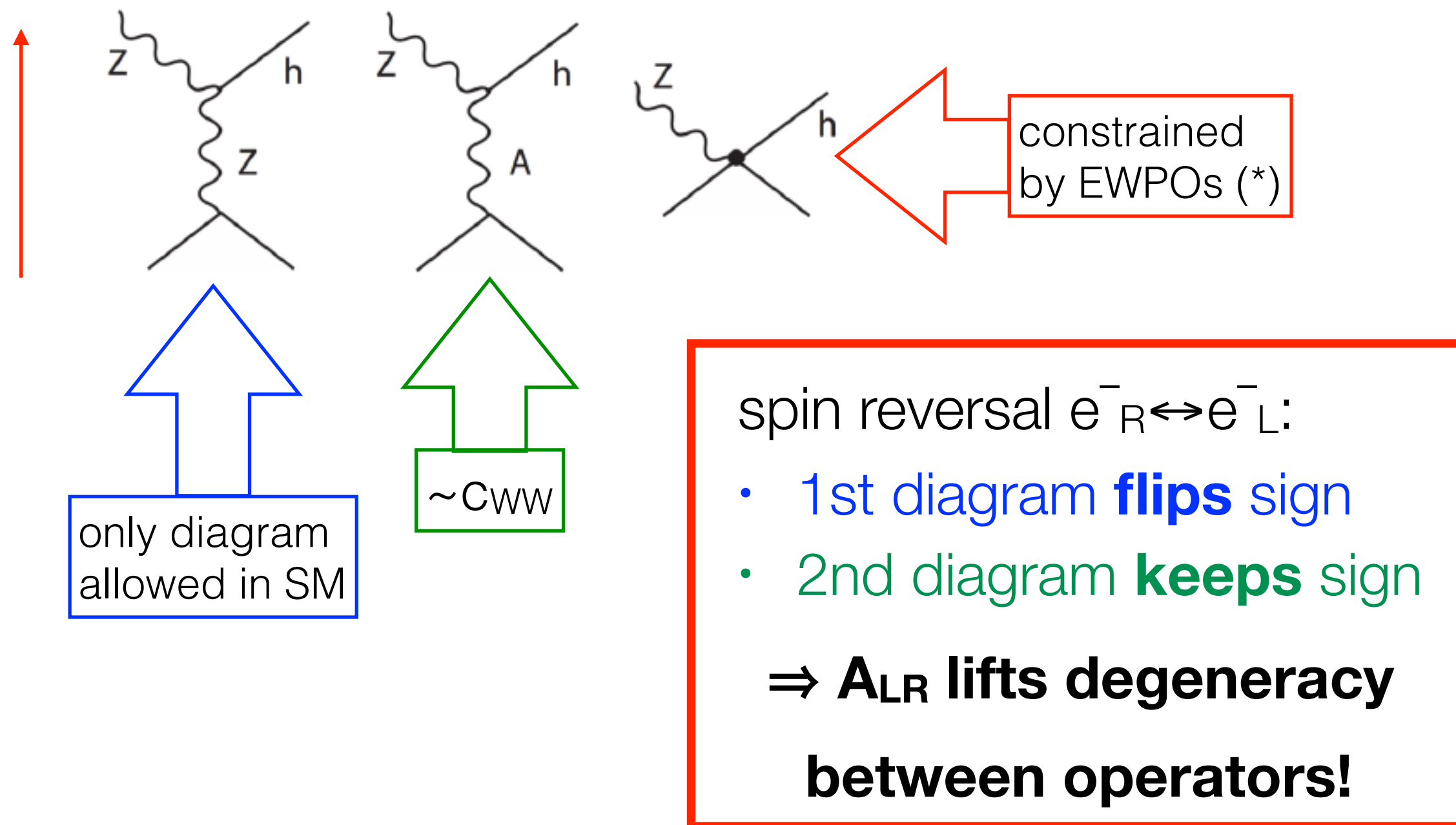
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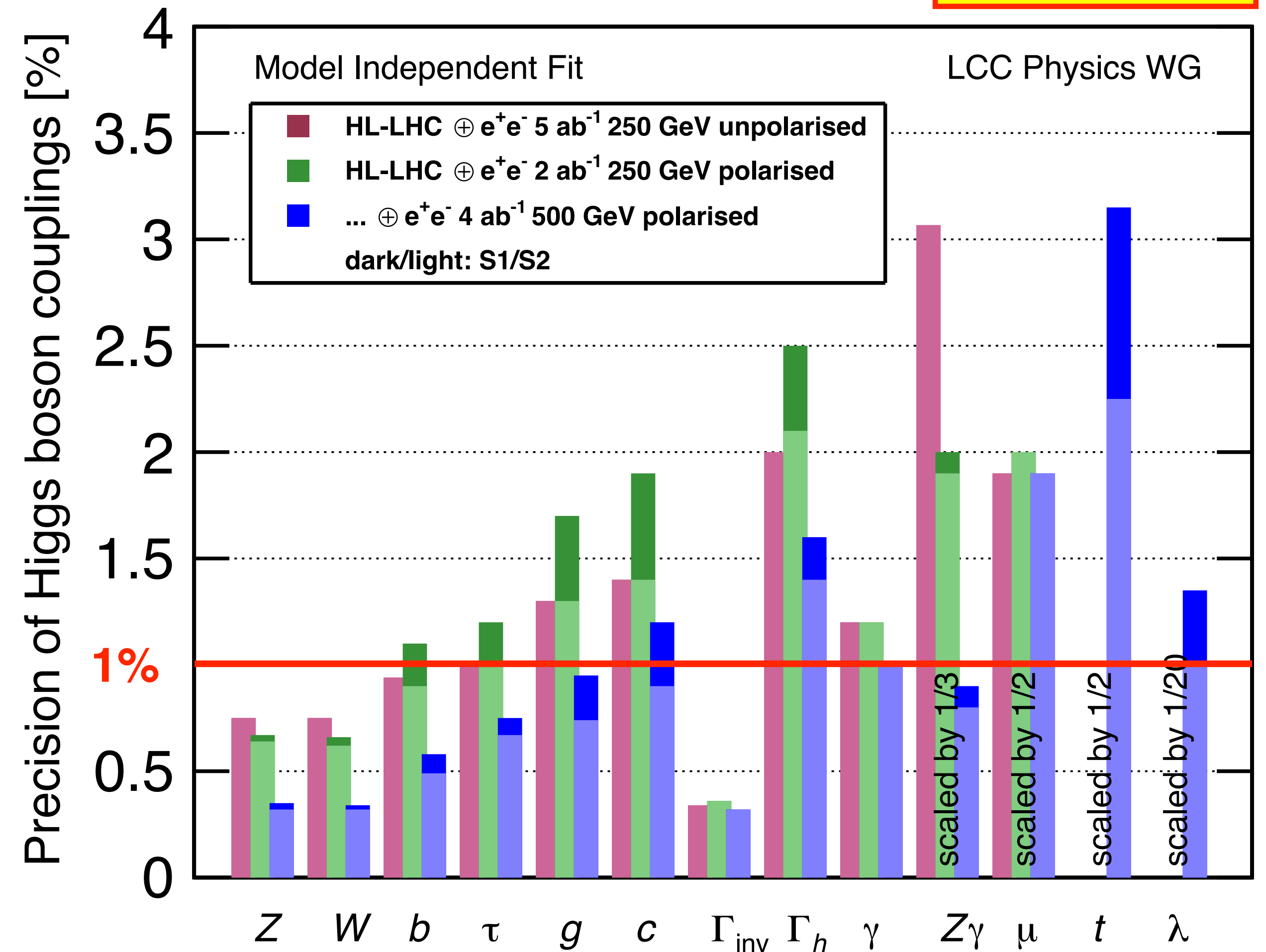
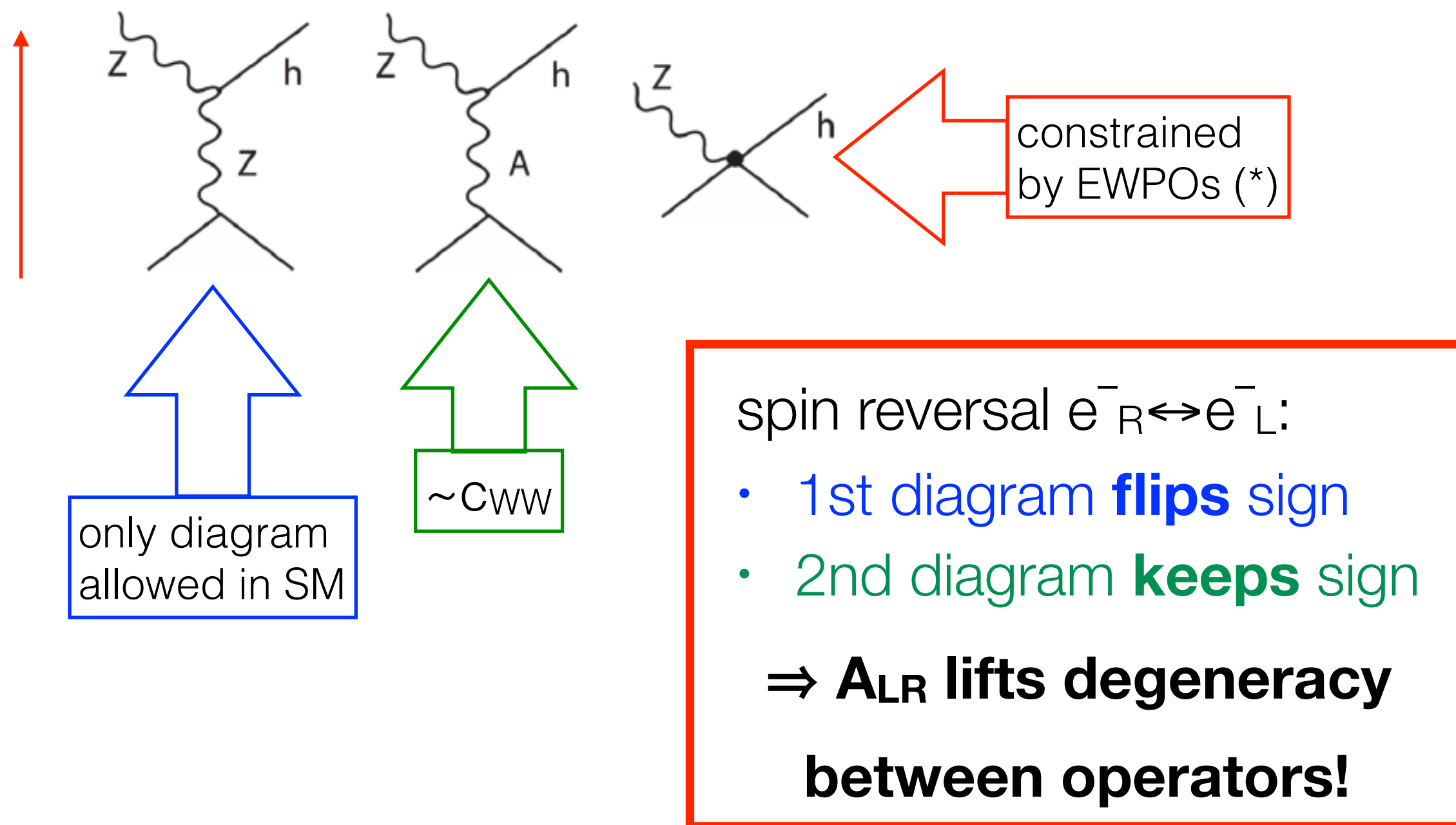
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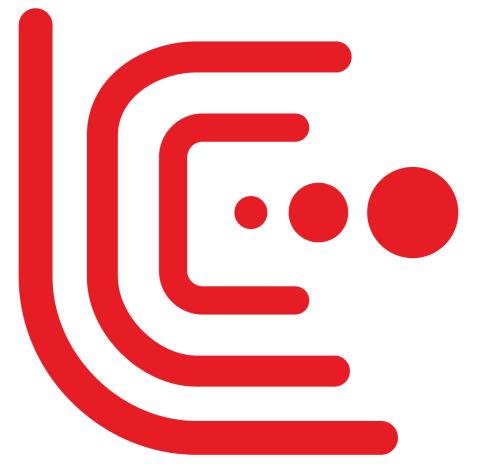
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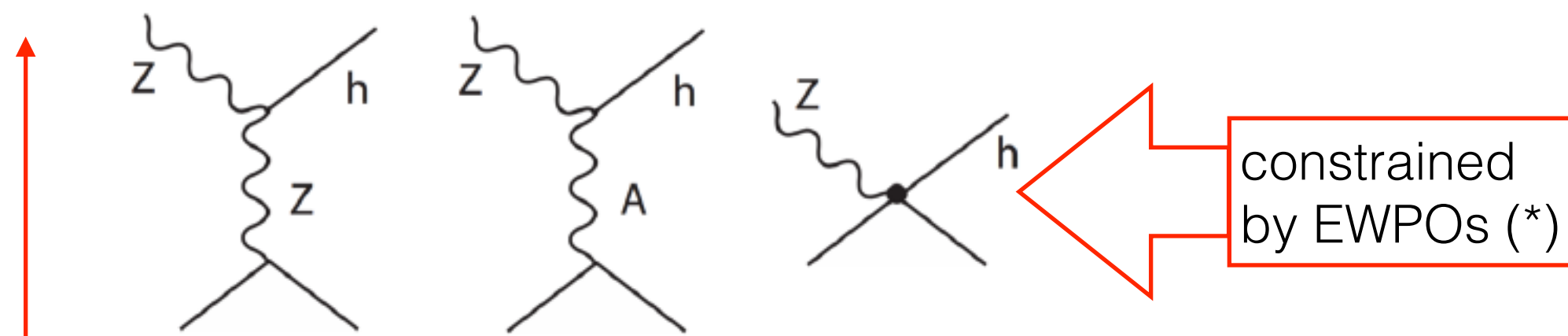


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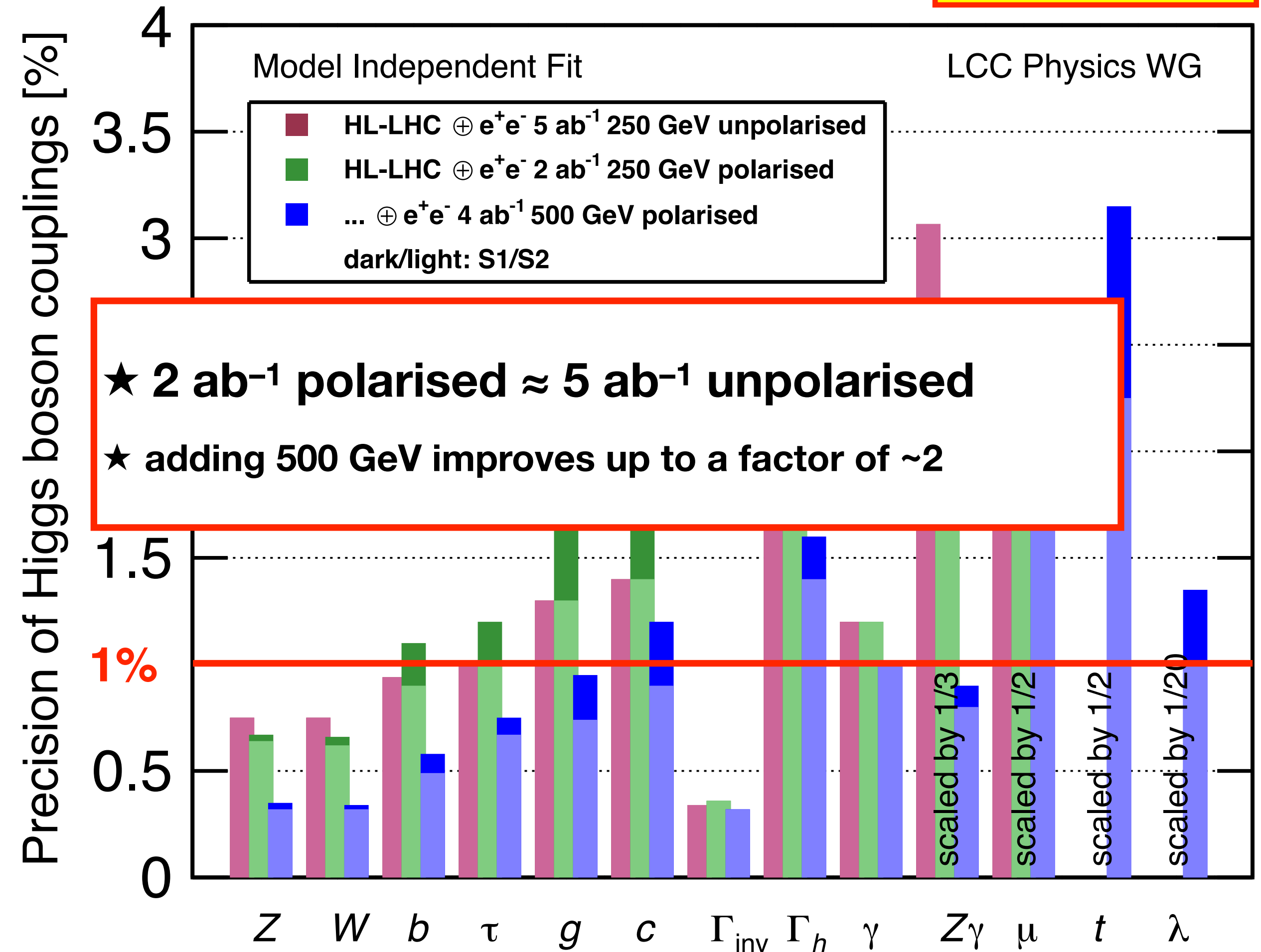
only diagram allowed in SM

$\sim C_{WW}$

spin reversal $e^-_R \leftrightarrow e^-_L$:

- 1st diagram **flips** sign
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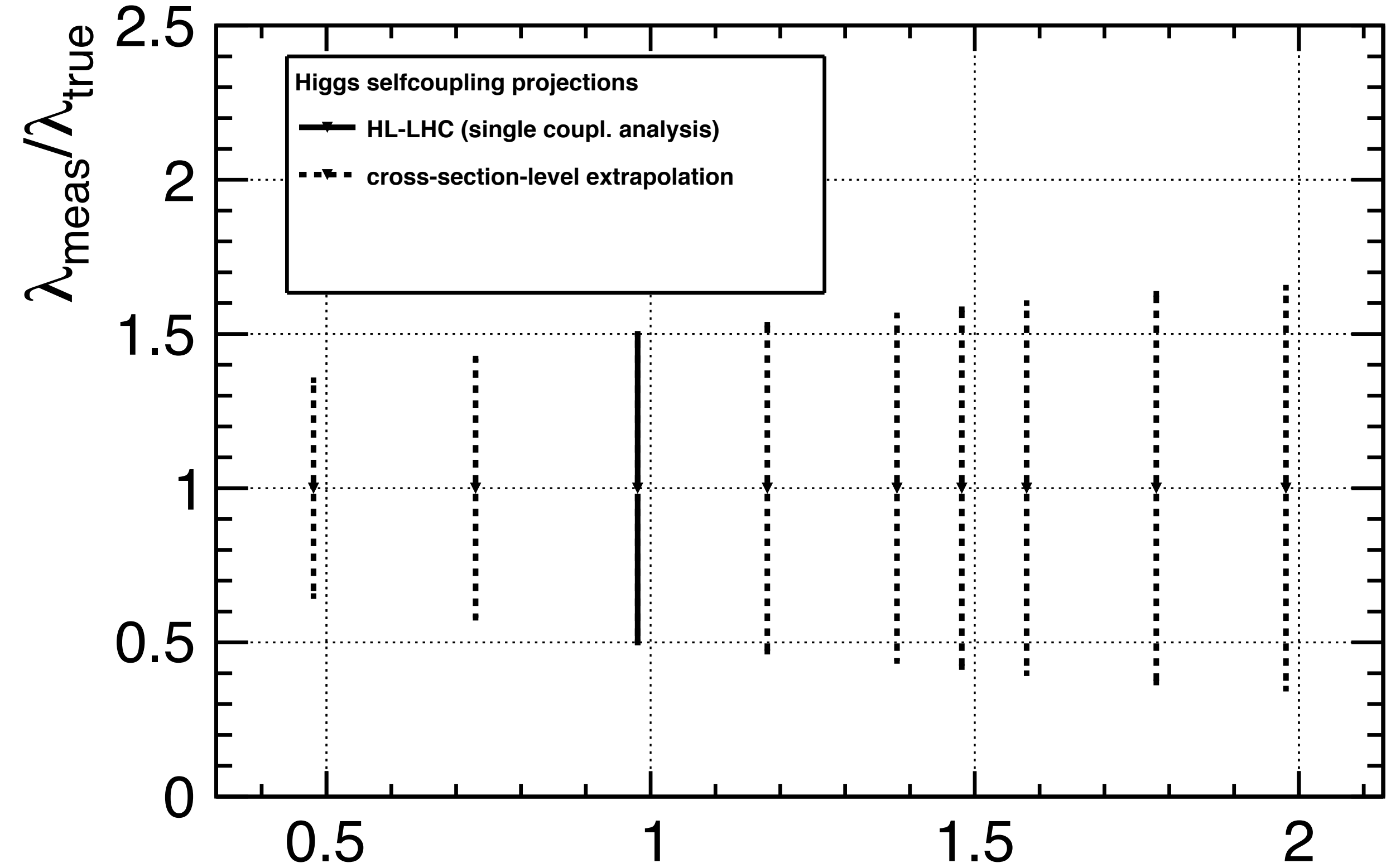
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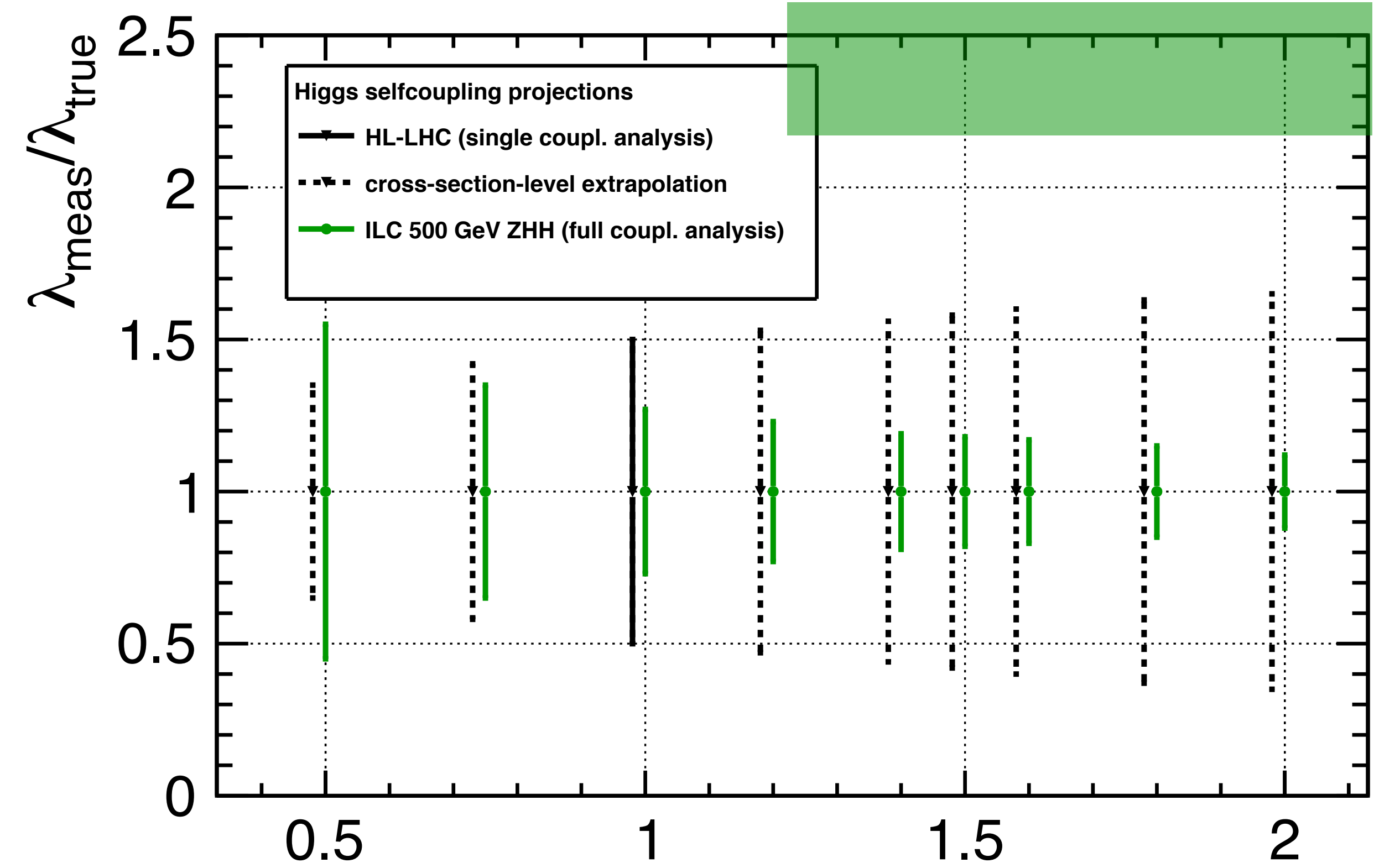
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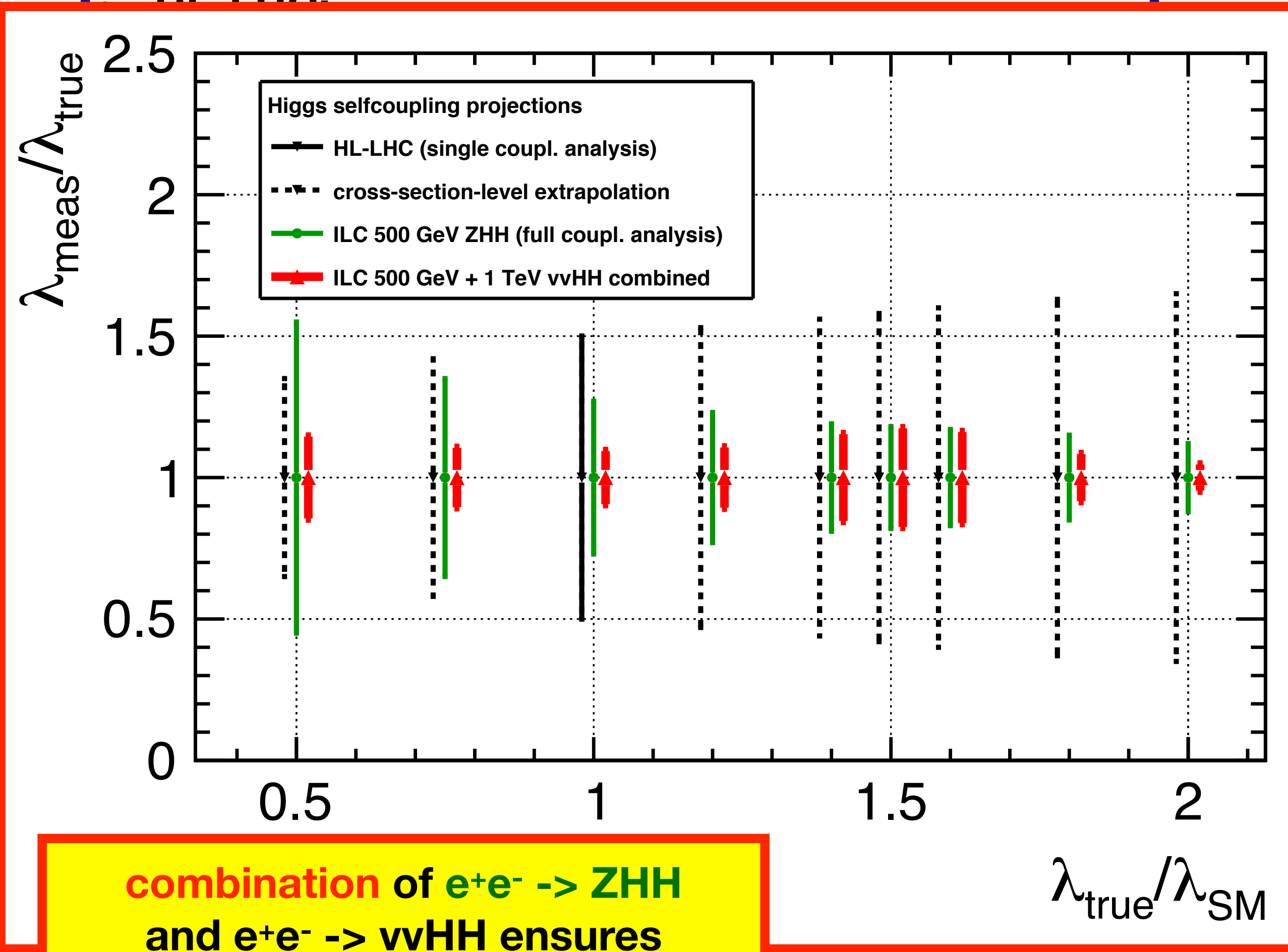
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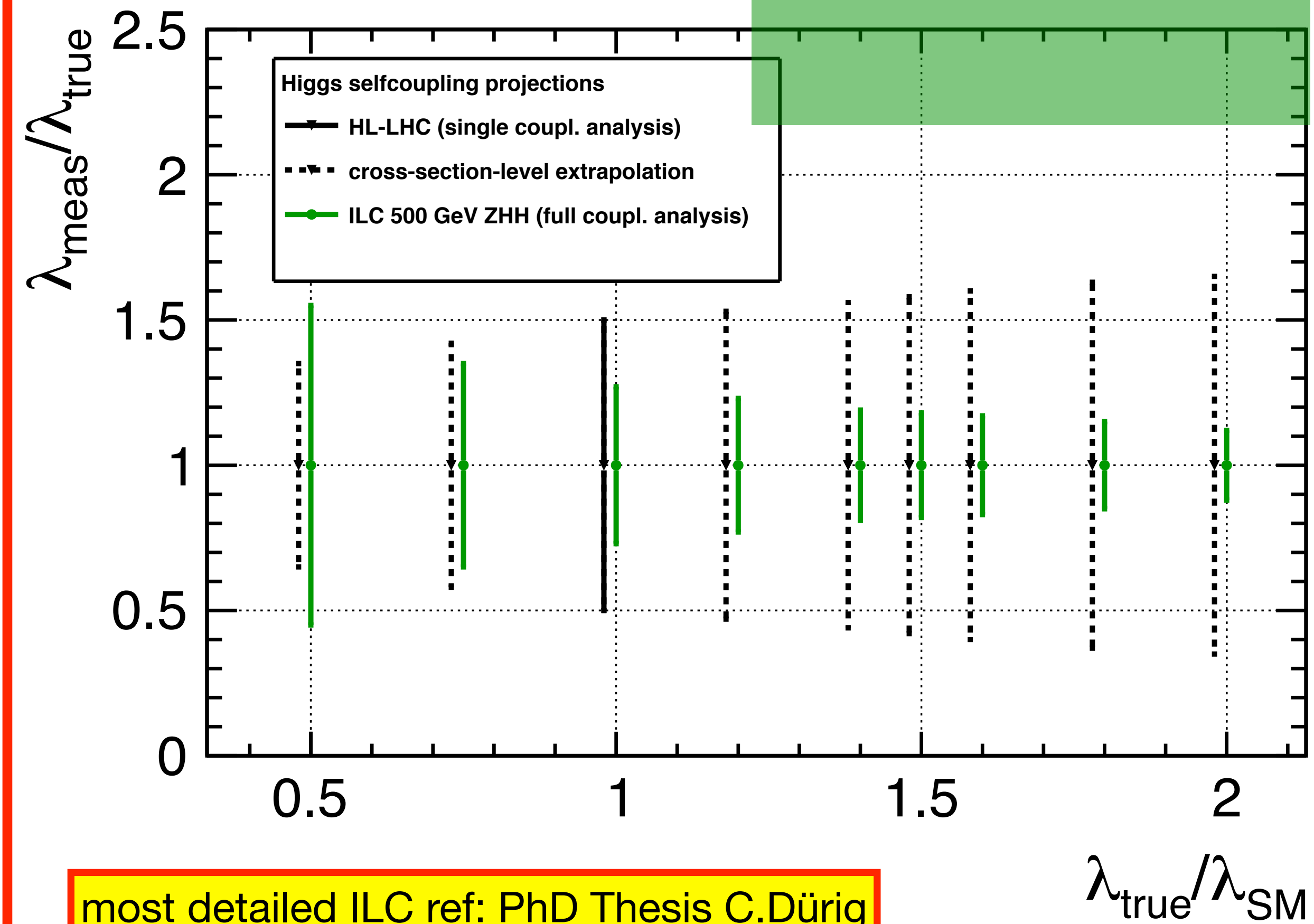
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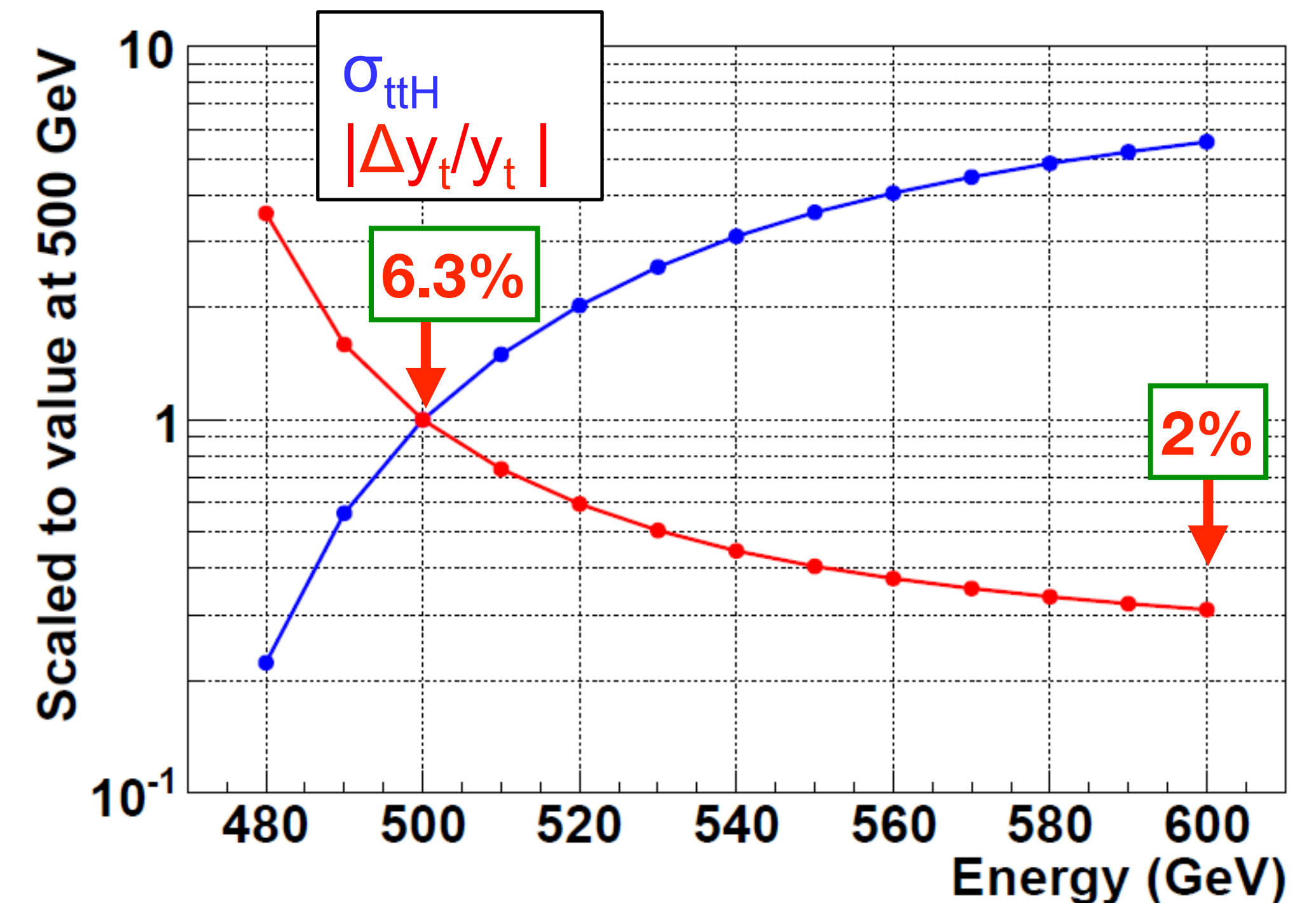


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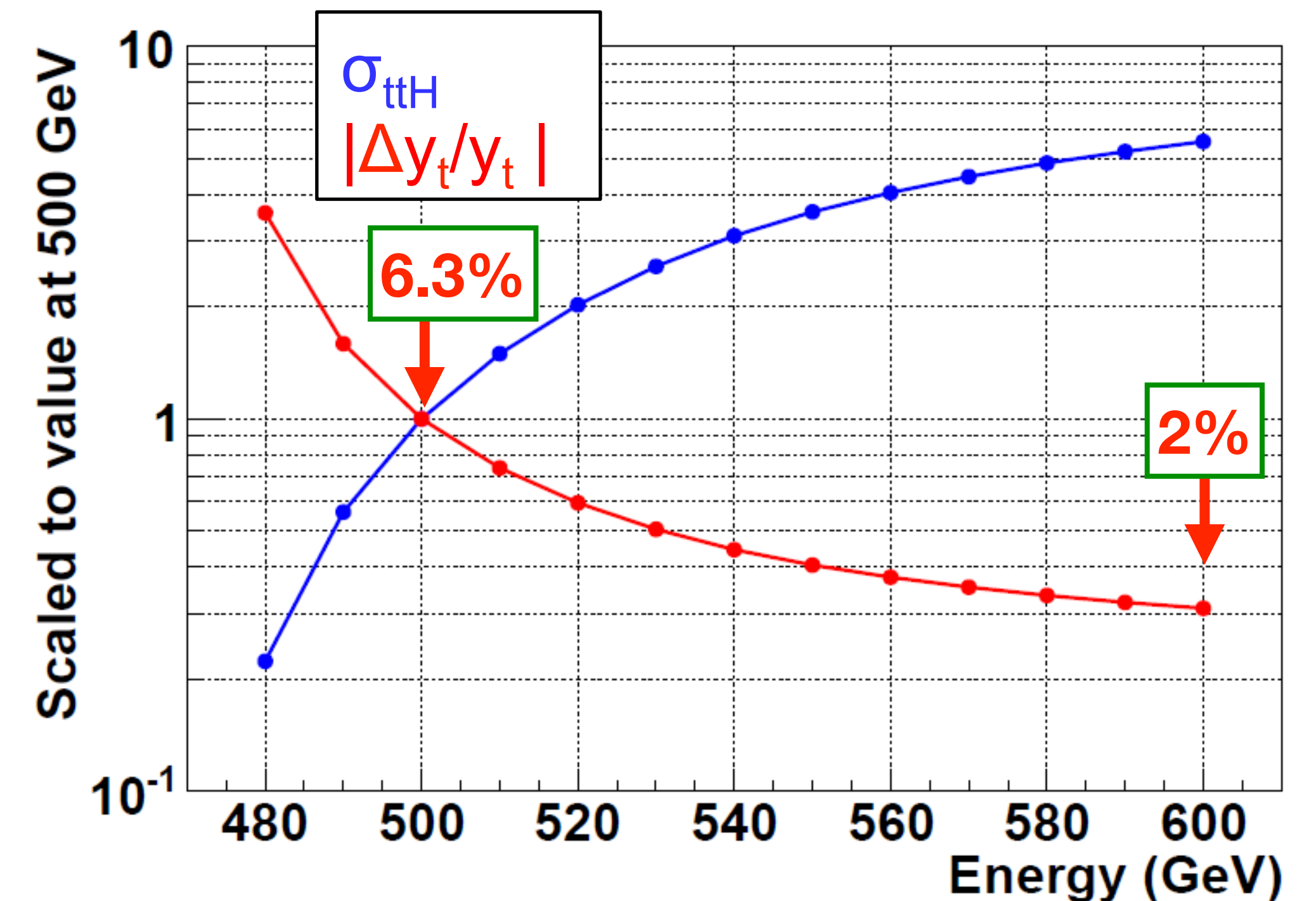


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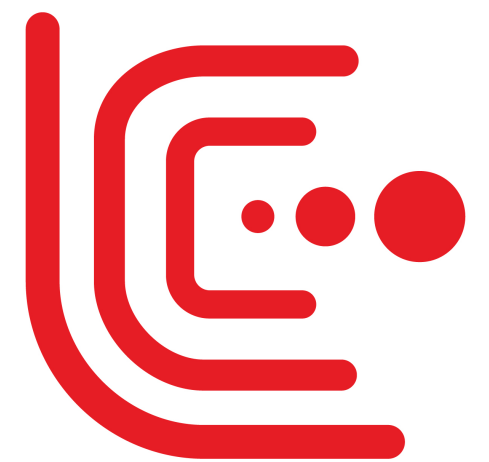
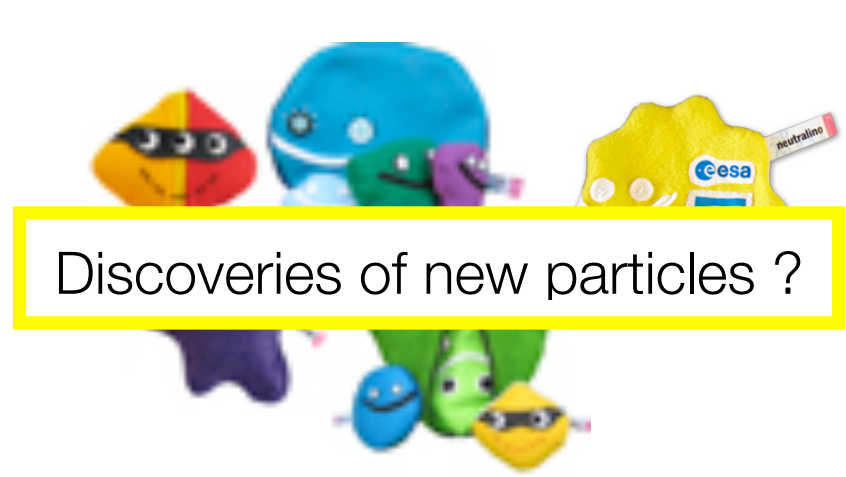
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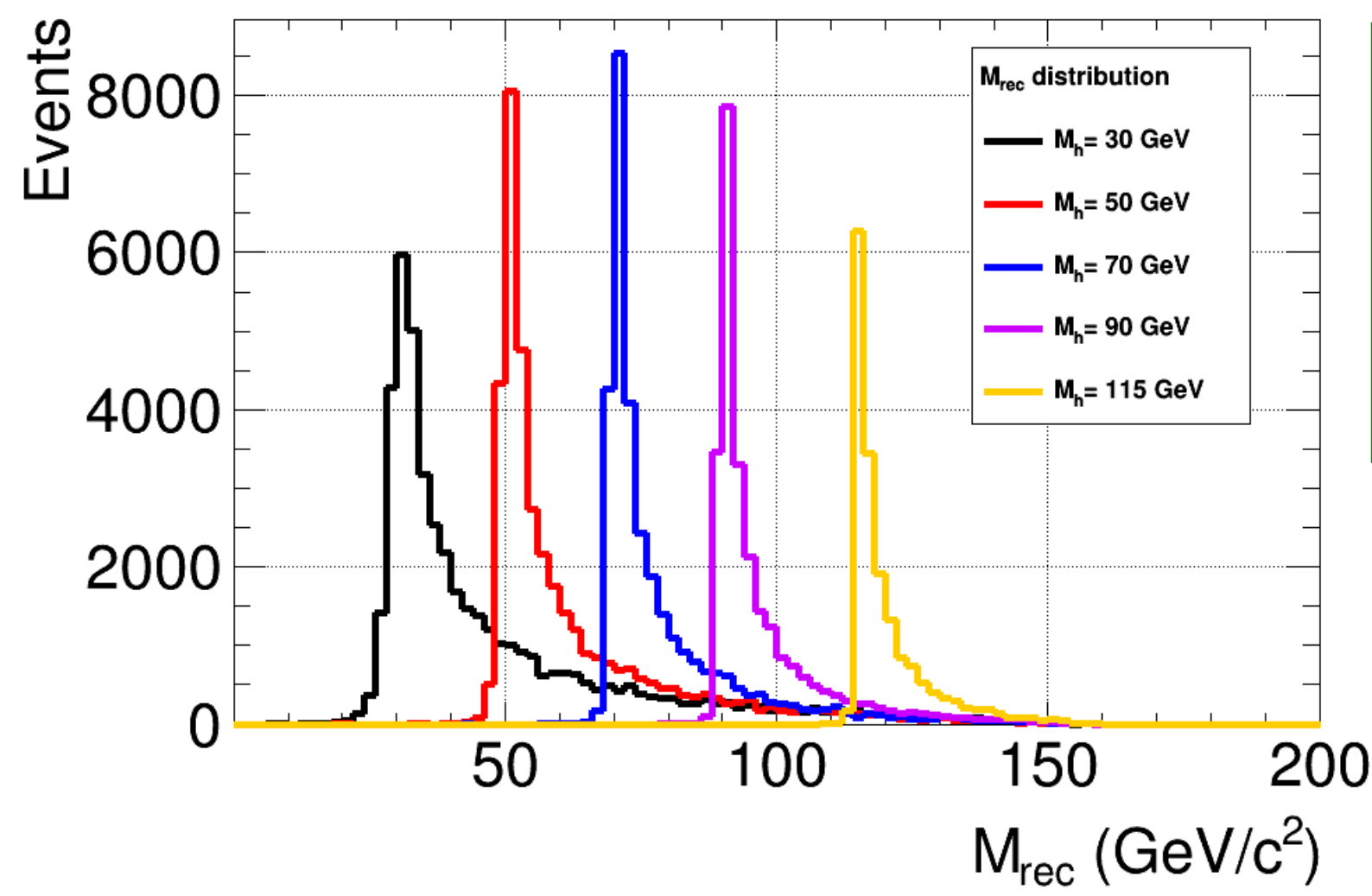
**=> any search channel *limited by rate* at LEP2
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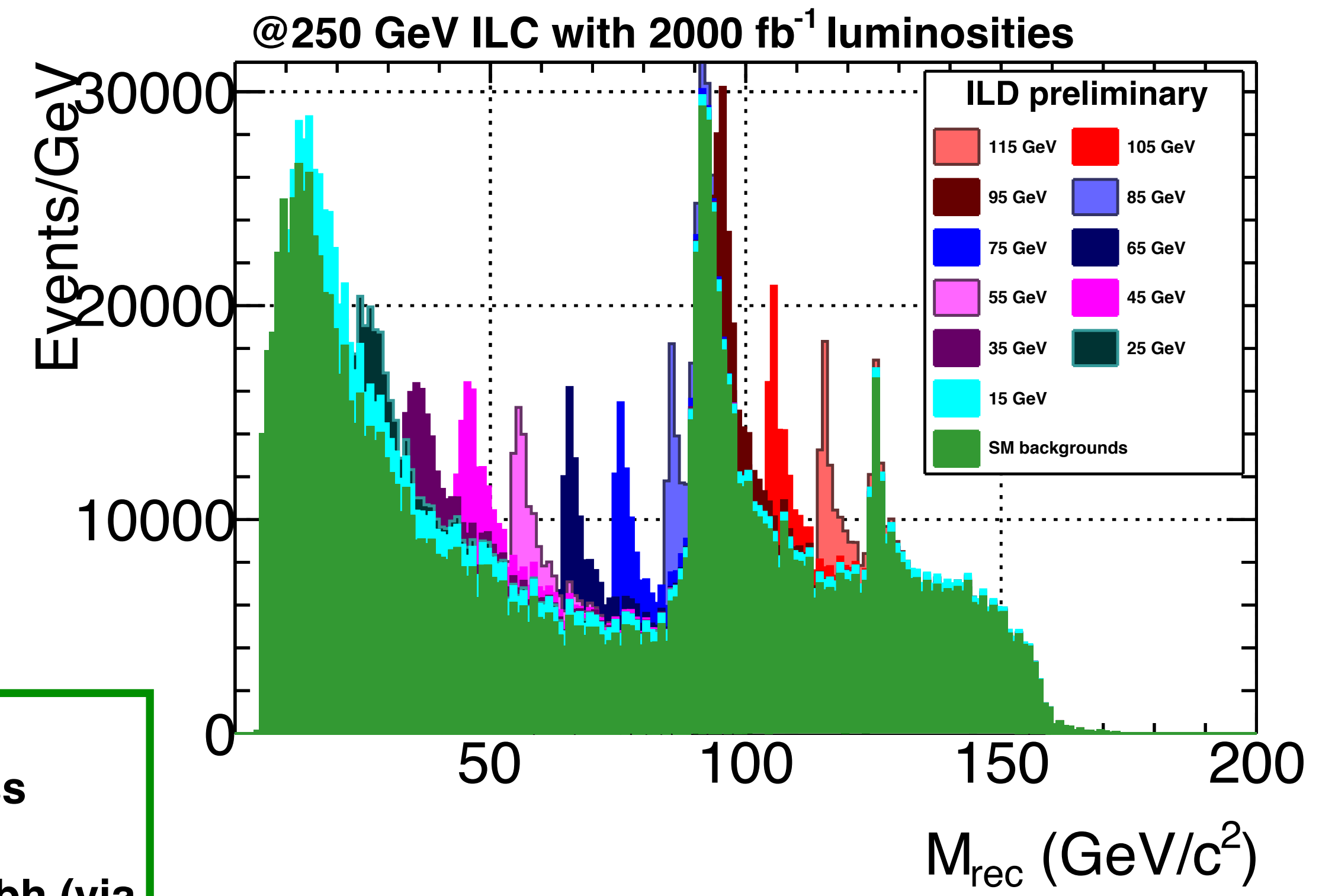
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- must “share” coupling to the Z with the 125-GeV guy:
 - $g_{HZZ}^2 + g_{hZZ}^2 \leq 1$
 - after ILC 250 GeV $g_{hZZ}^2 < 2.5\% g_{SM}^2$ excluded at 95% CL
- probe smaller couplings by **recoil of h against Z**

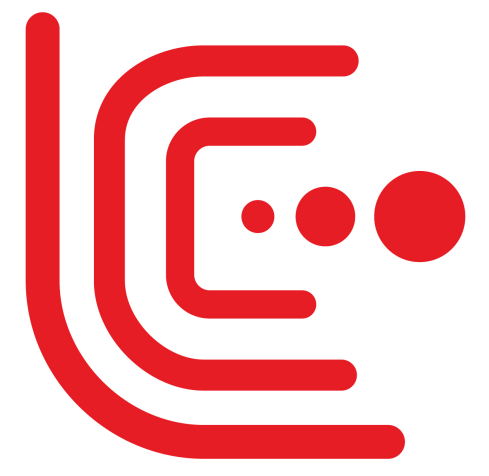
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• fully complementary to measurement of ZH cross section
 • other possibility: $ee \rightarrow bbh$ (via Yukawa coupling)

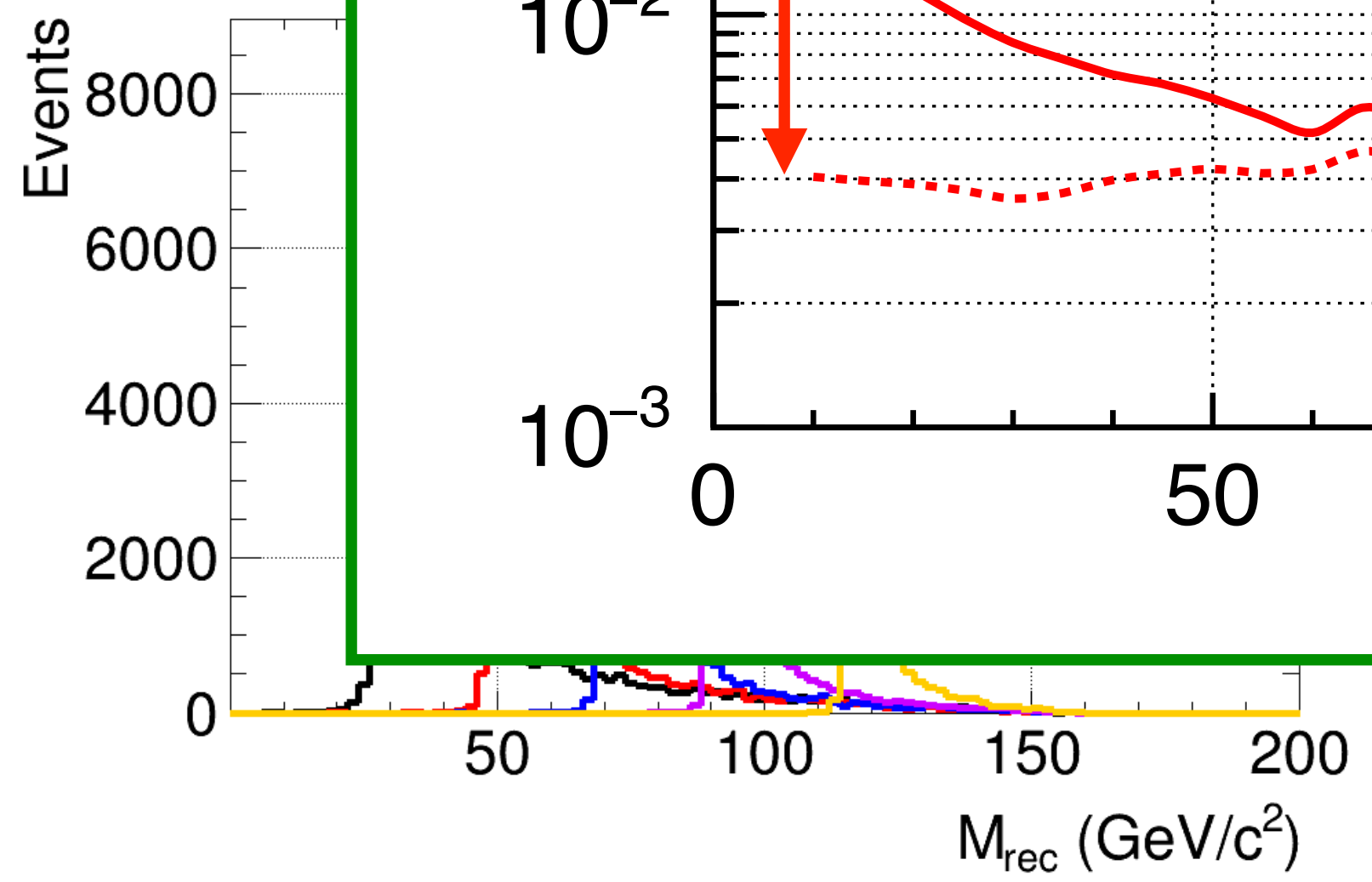
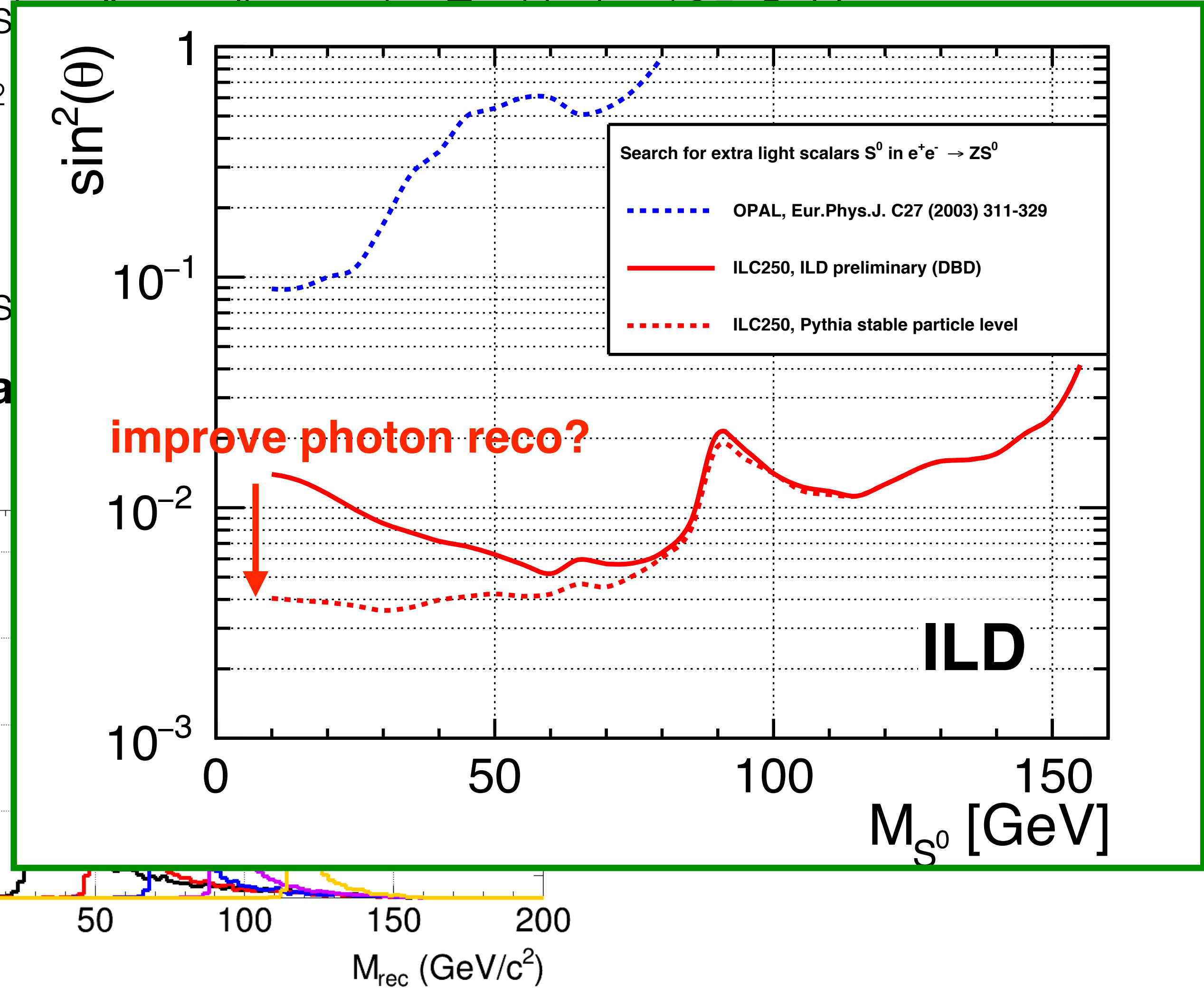


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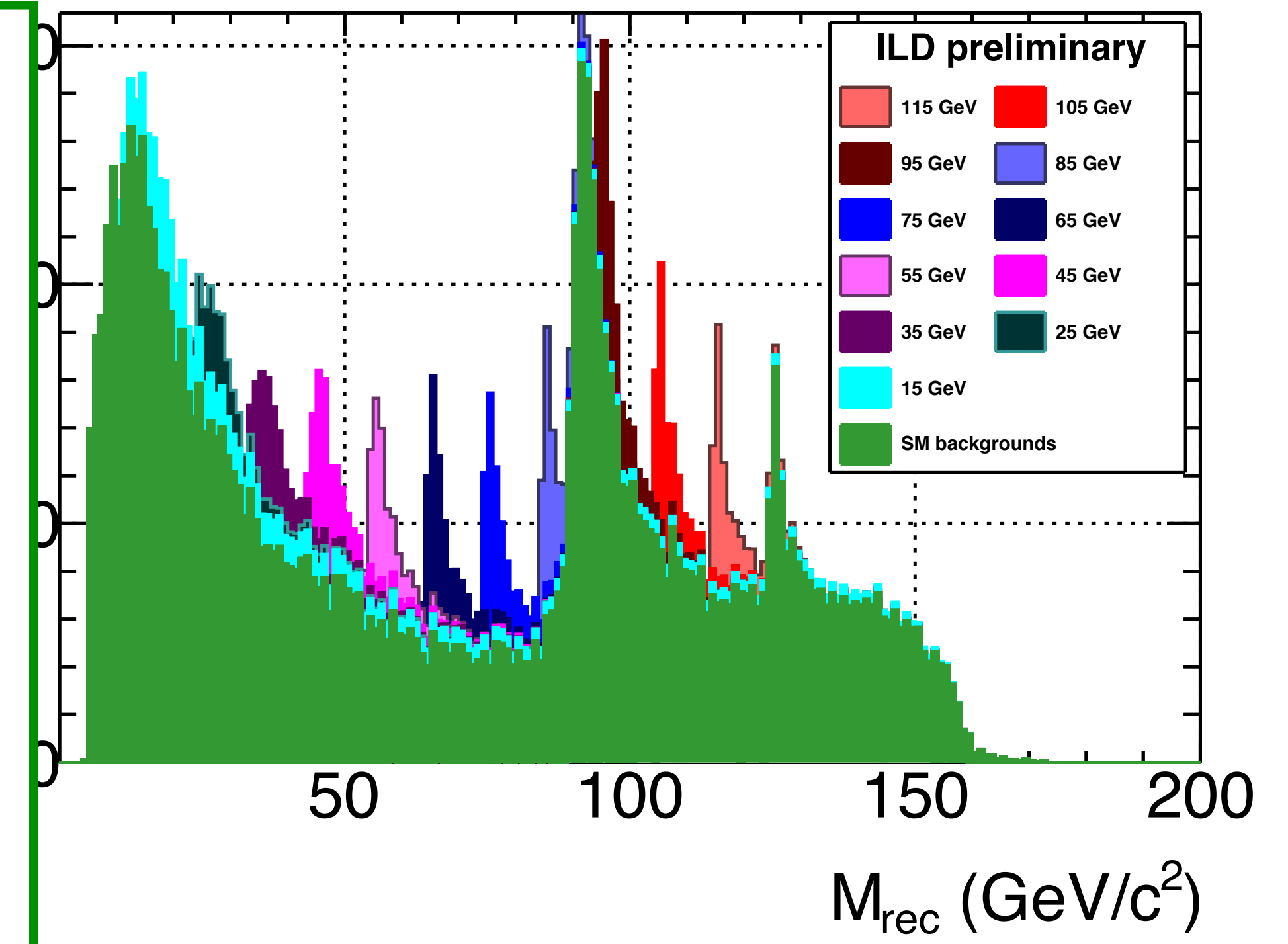


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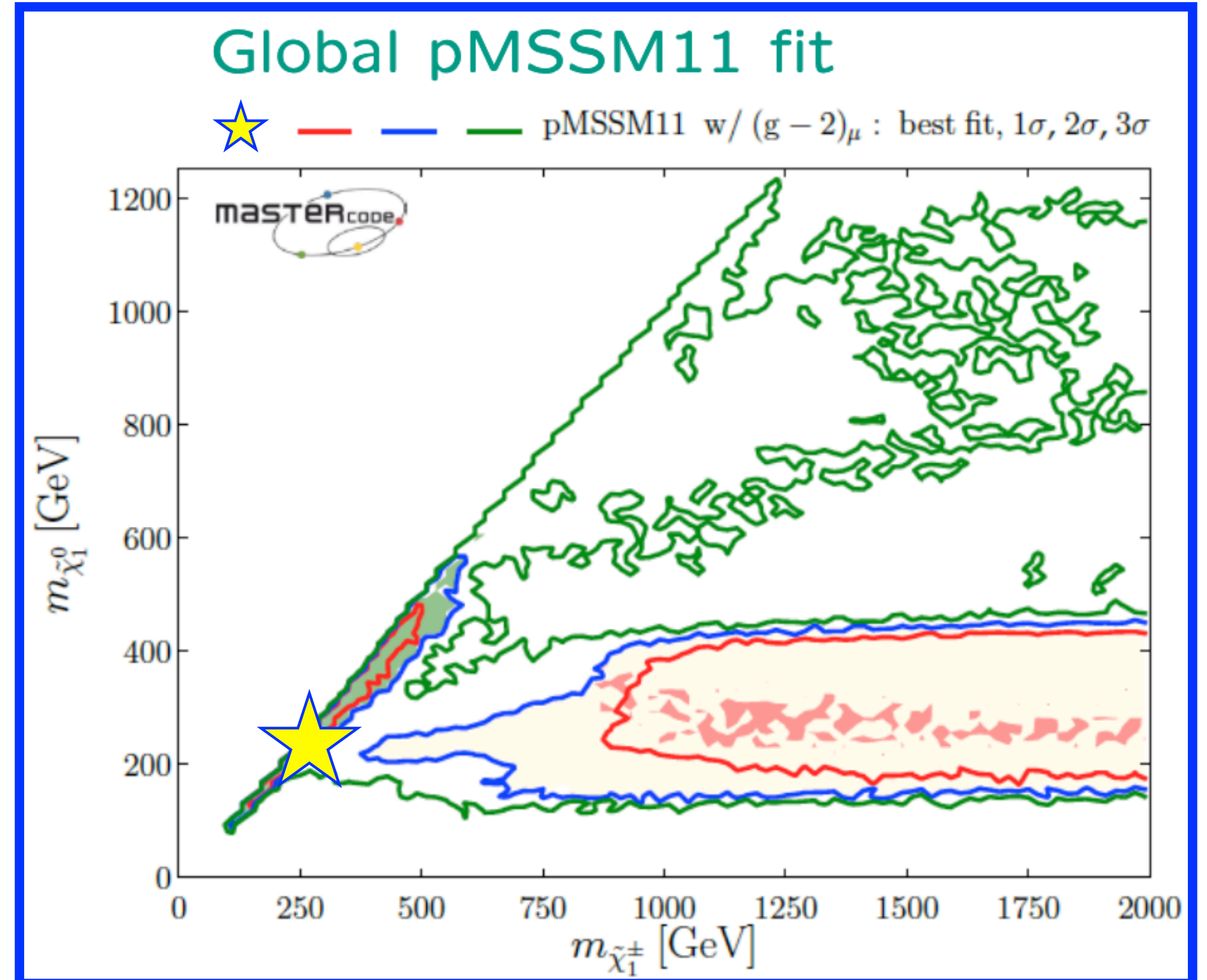


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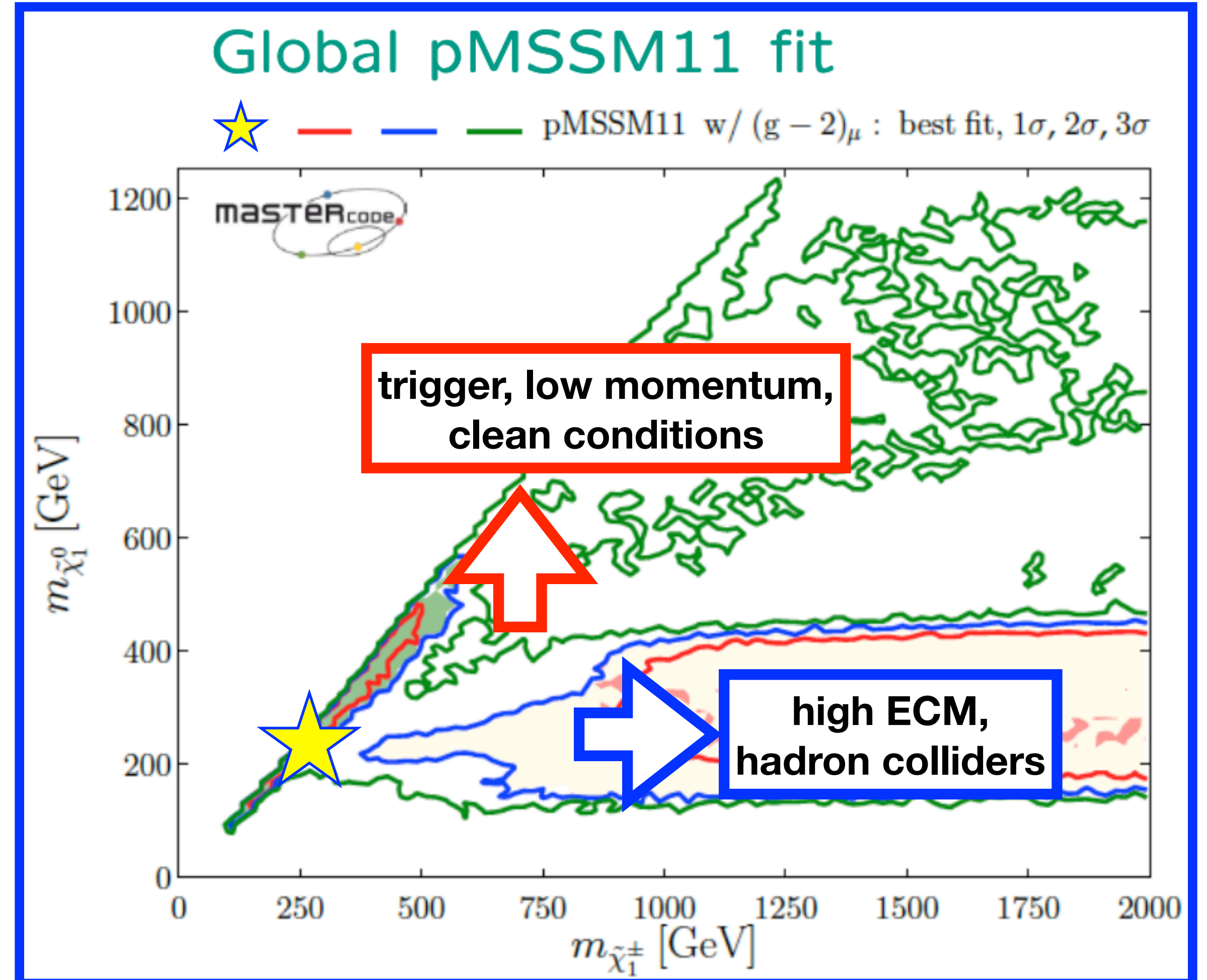


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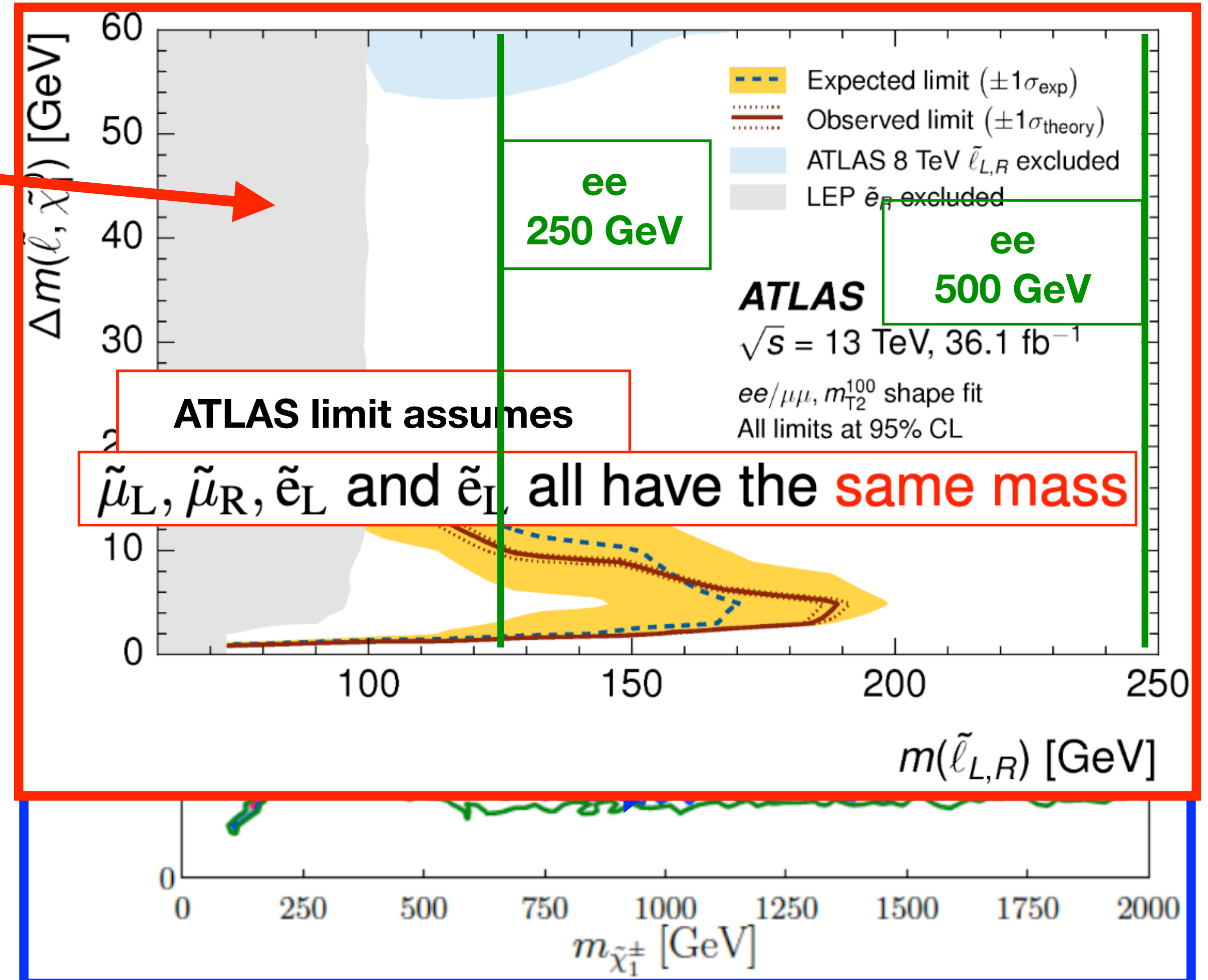


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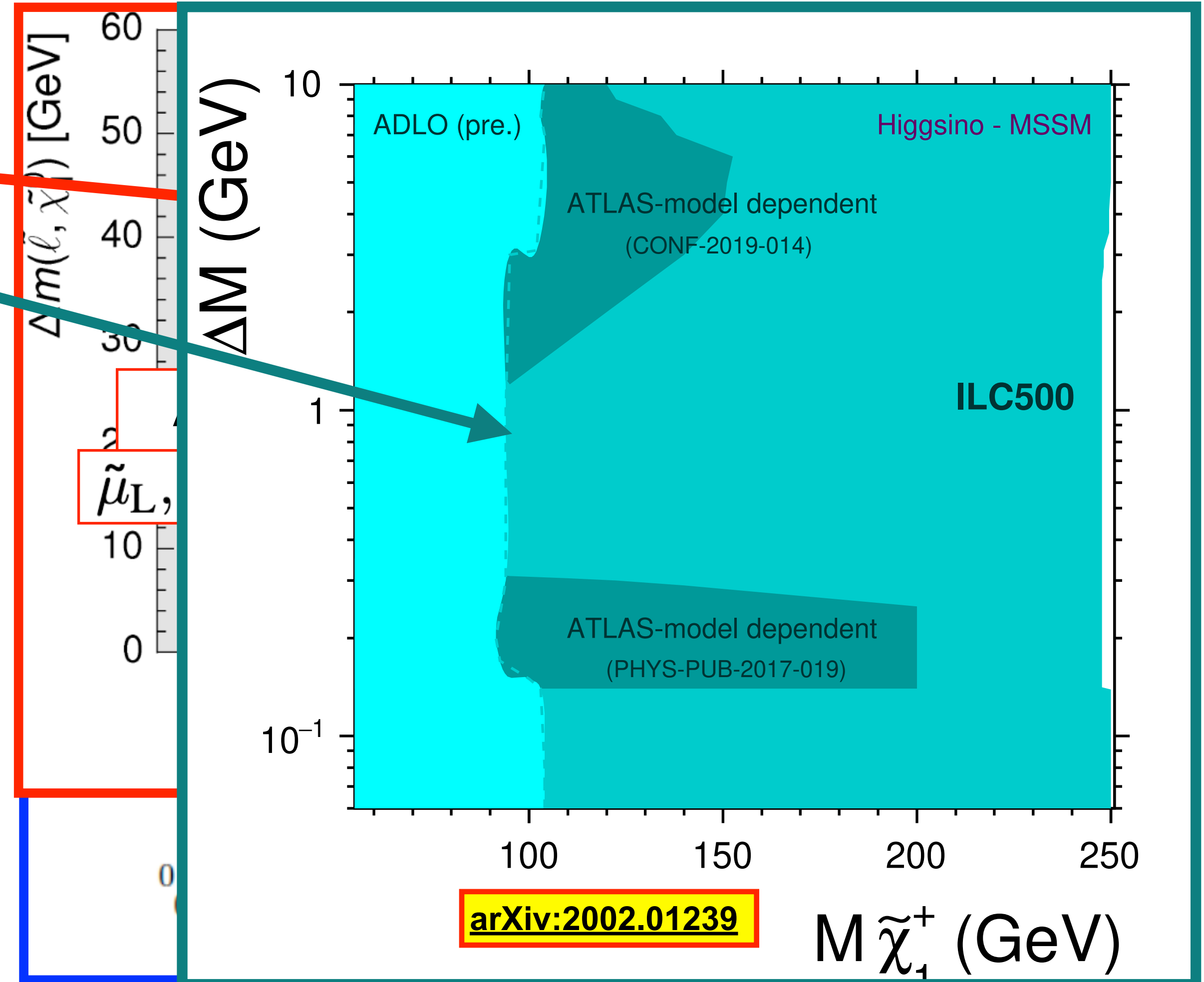


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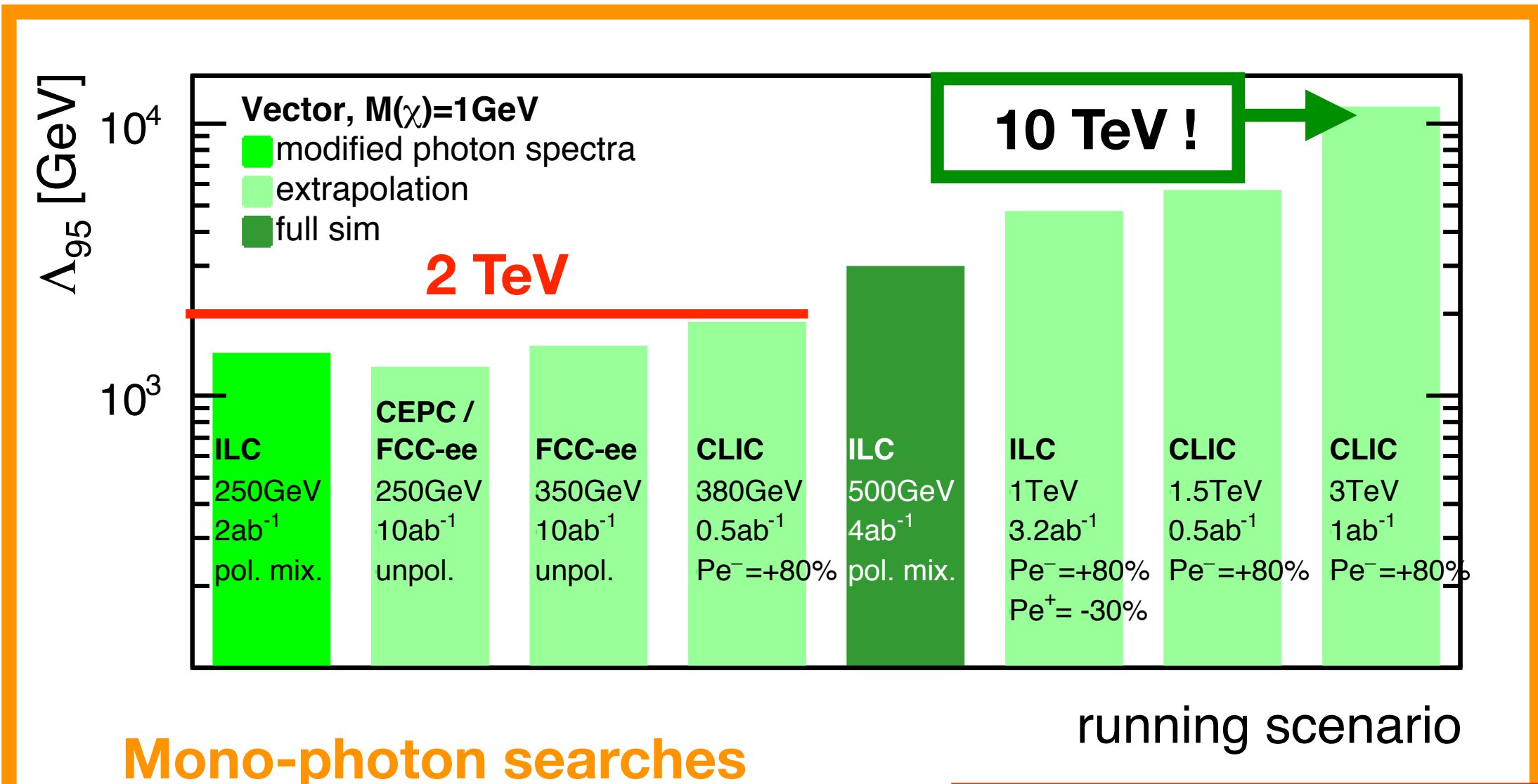


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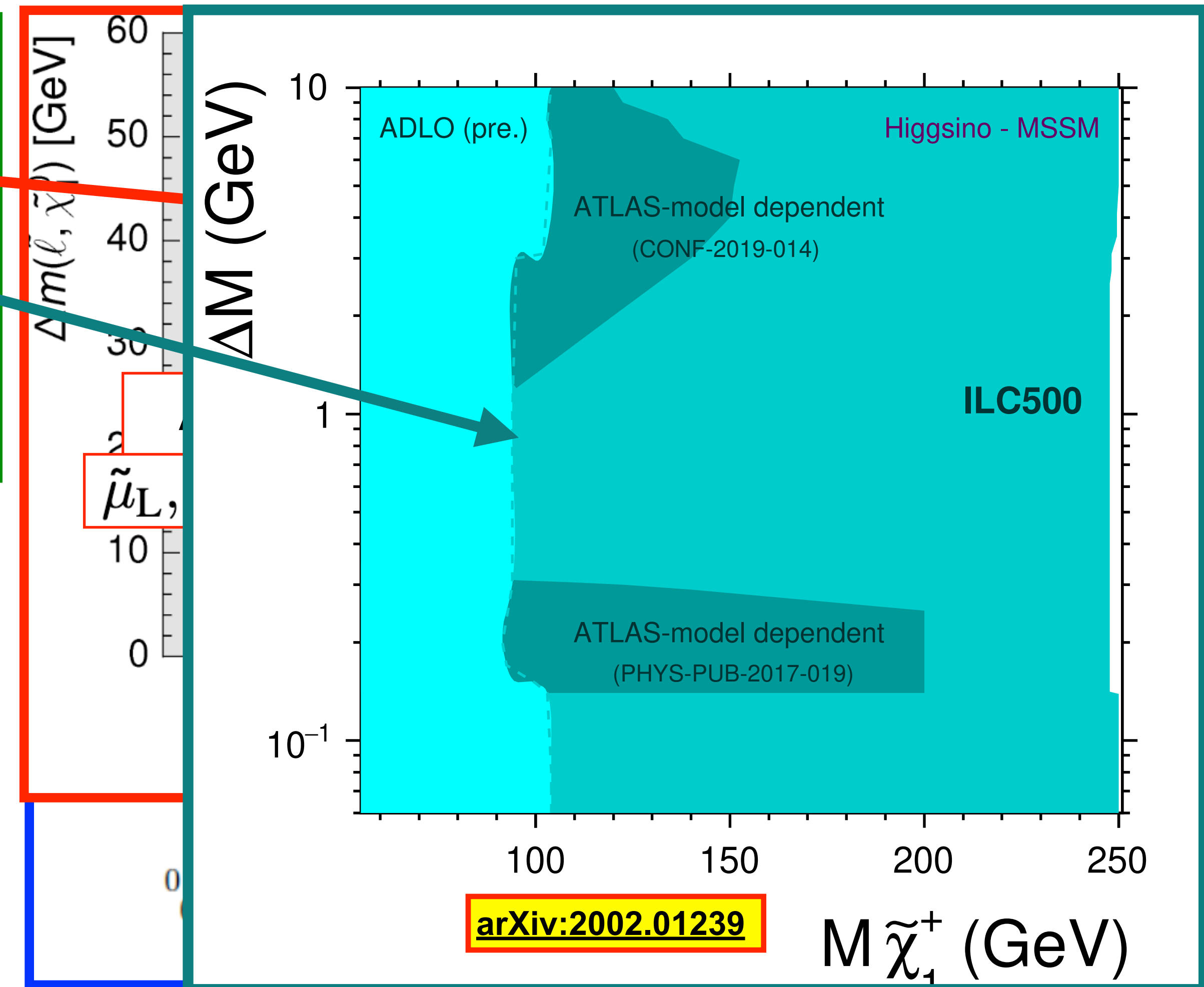


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Conclusions

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- **Therefore the next e^+e^- collider must be energy upgradable.**
- **CLIC and ILC both fulfill this criterion.**
- The exact physical and/or operational energy stages **beyond** the initial “Higgs factory” mode still can be defined, taking into account
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 - **technological innovations**
- **There is still a lot to do for the physics case, eg:**
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 - **Higgs self-coupling & ttH @ 500...600 GeV**
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 - **re-visit detector concepts: timing capabilities, vertex detector layout, ...**
 - **want to get involved? ILD Study Questions: [arXiv:2007.03650](https://arxiv.org/abs/2007.03650)**

Backup



Future e^+e^- Colliders and (longitudinally) Polarised Beams

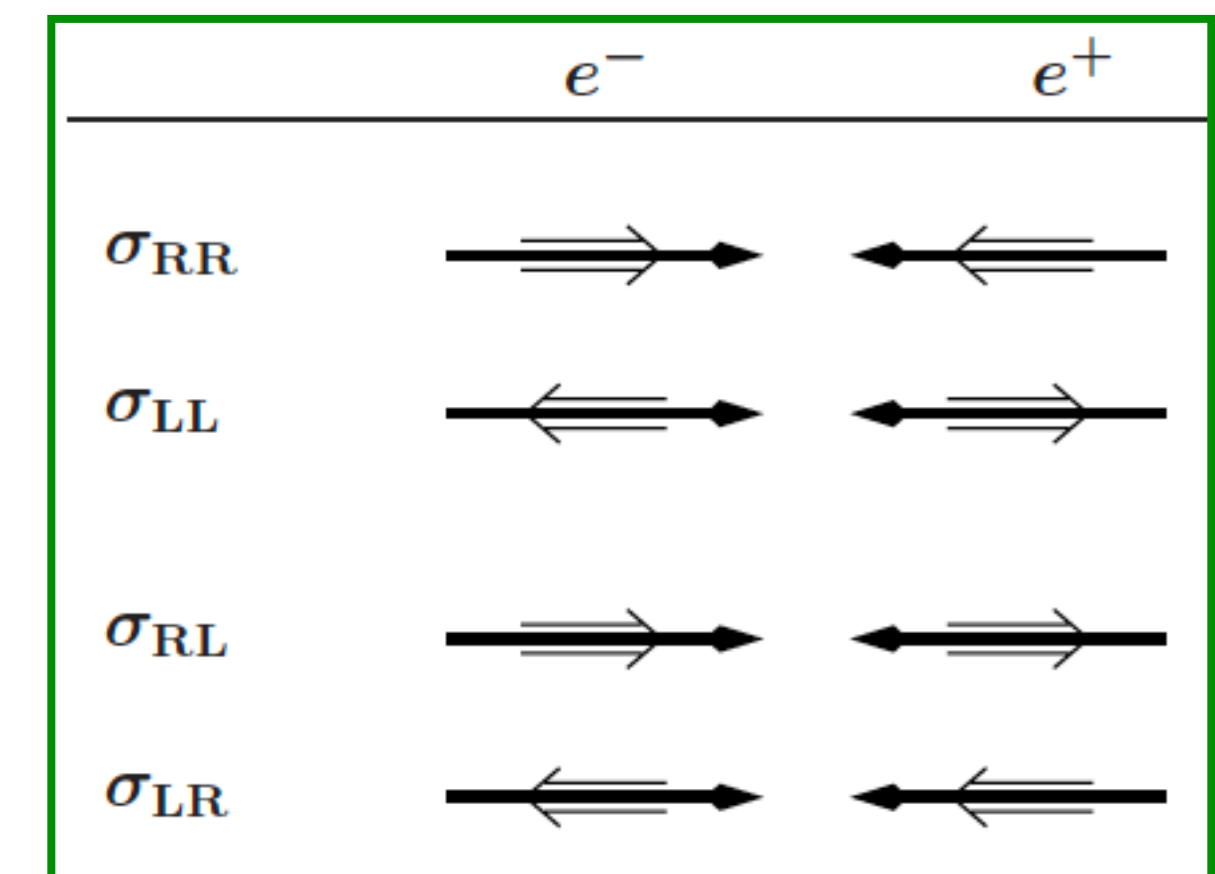
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$$P = \frac{N_R - N_L}{N_R + N_L}$$

- Electroweak interactions highly sensitive to chirality of fermions: $SU(2)_L \times U(1)$

- every cross section depends on beam polarisations
- **with both its beams polarised, ILC is “four colliders in one”:**



General references on polarised e^+e^- physics:

- [arXiv:1801.02840](https://arxiv.org/abs/1801.02840)
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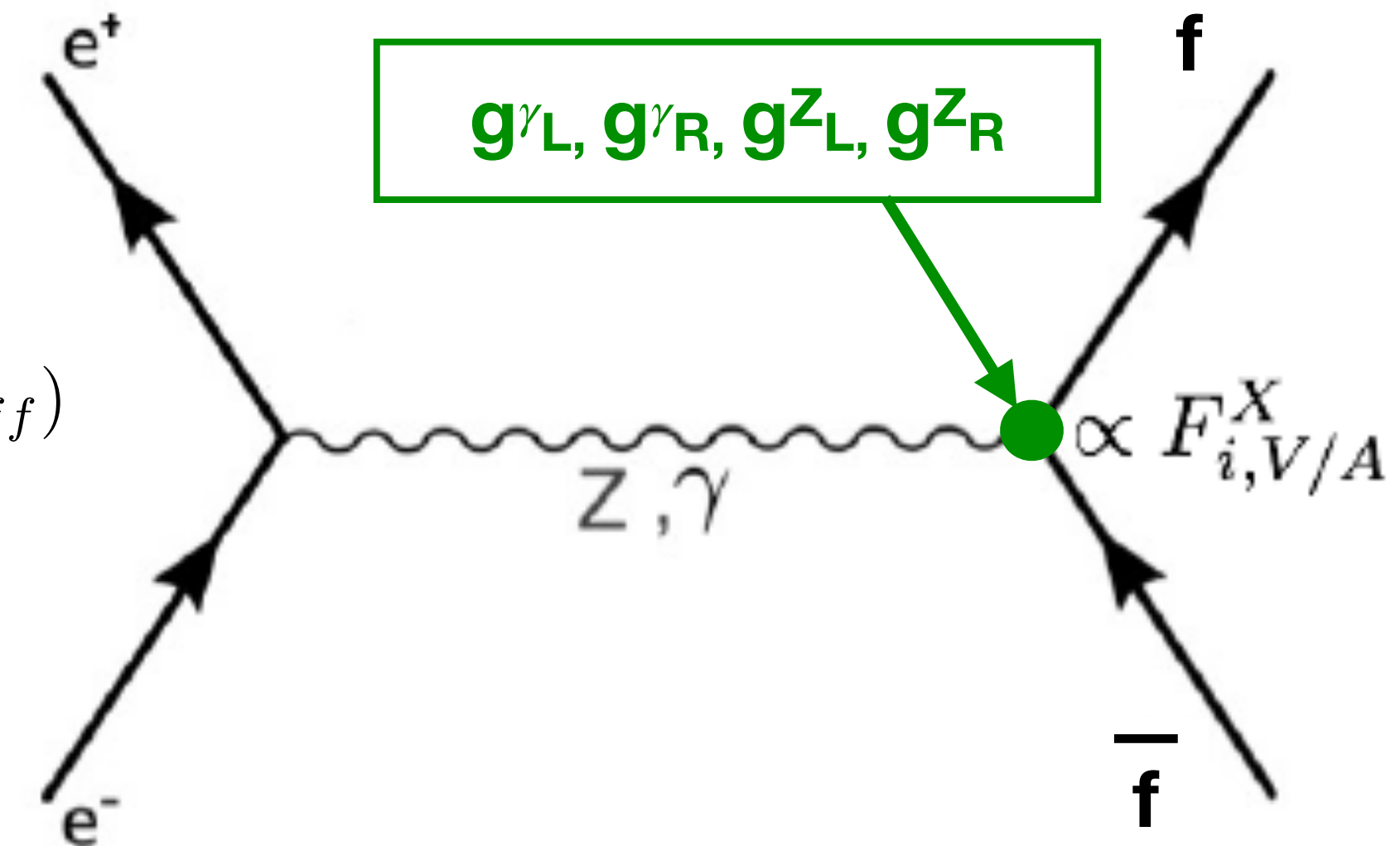
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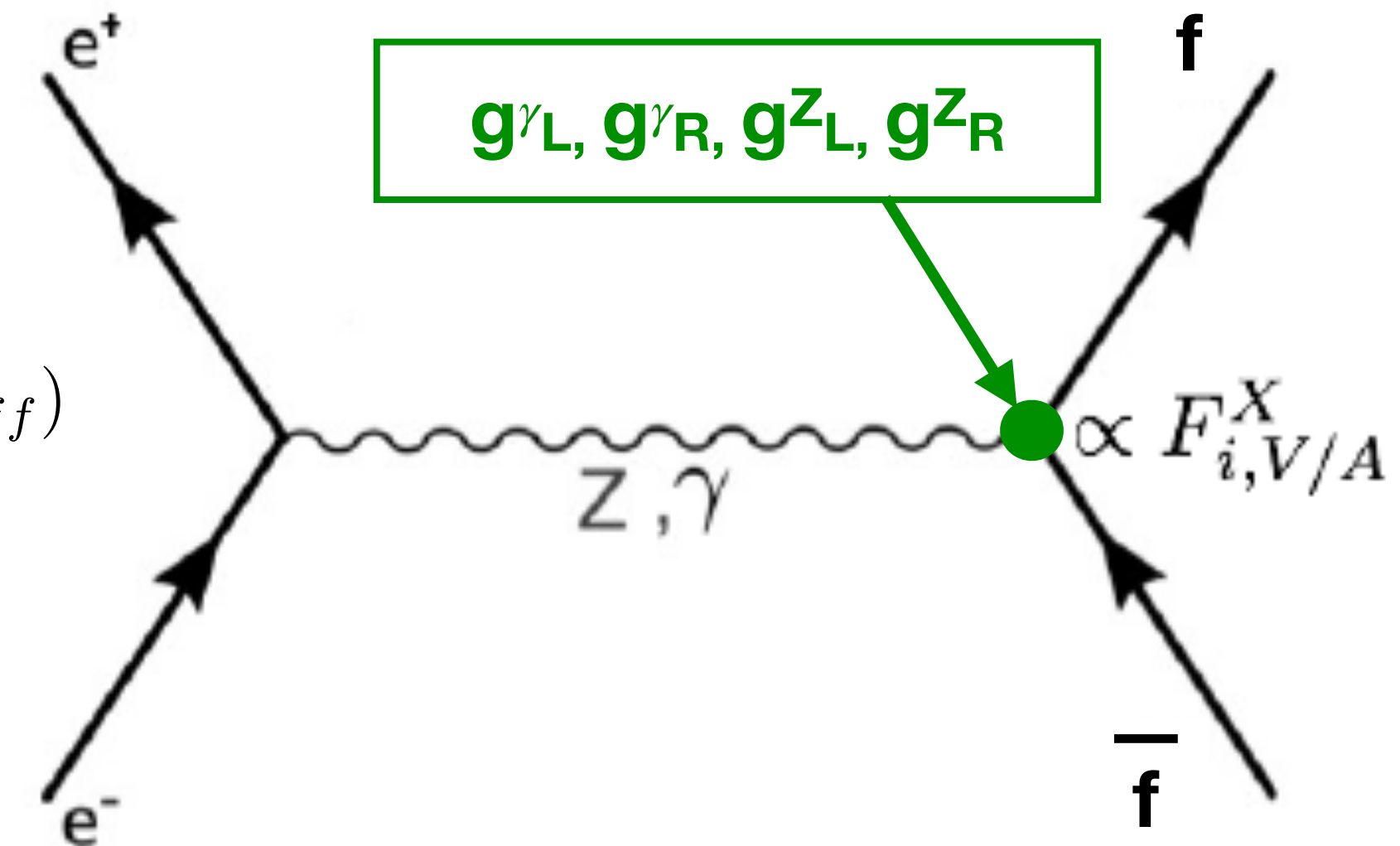
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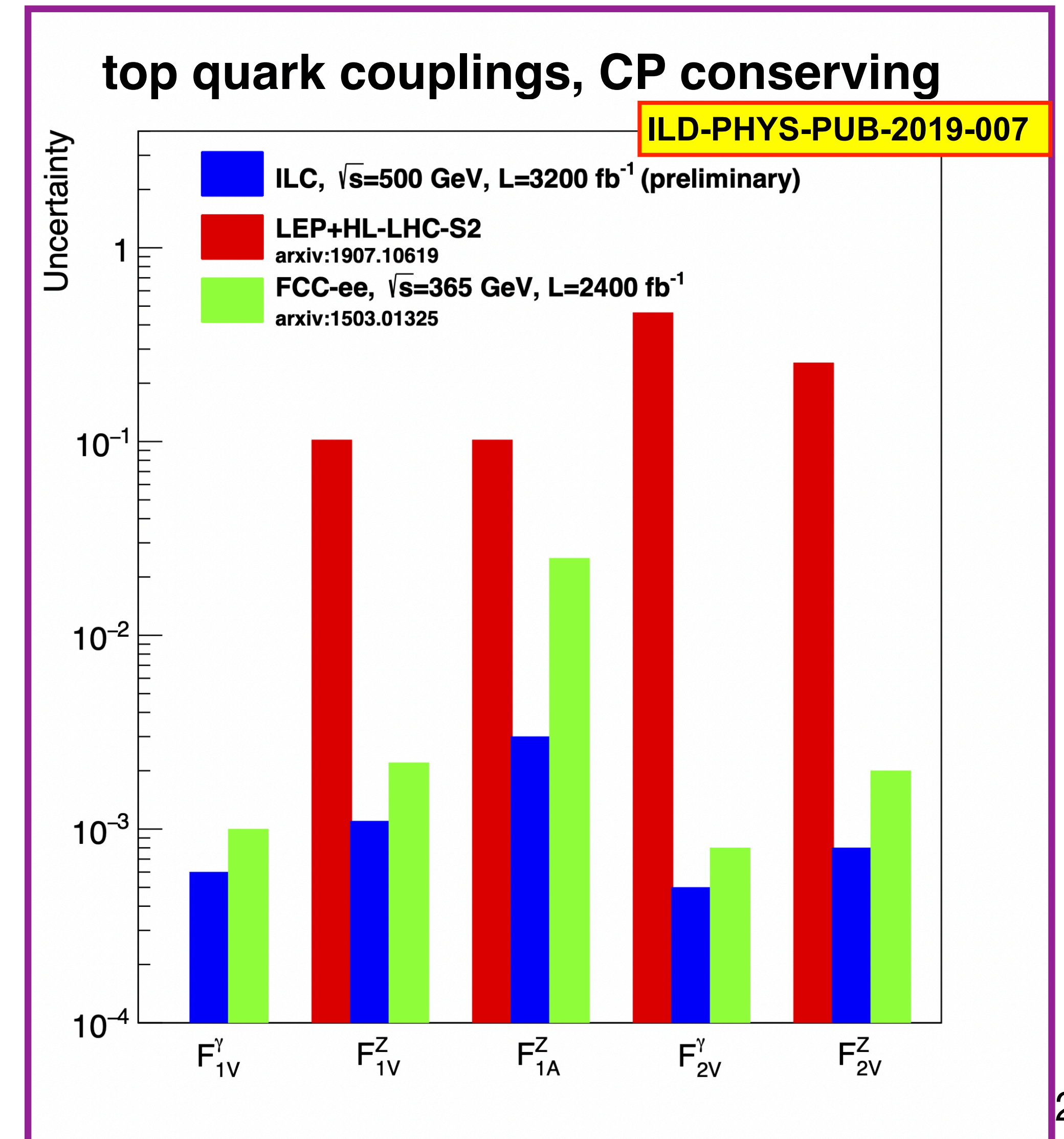
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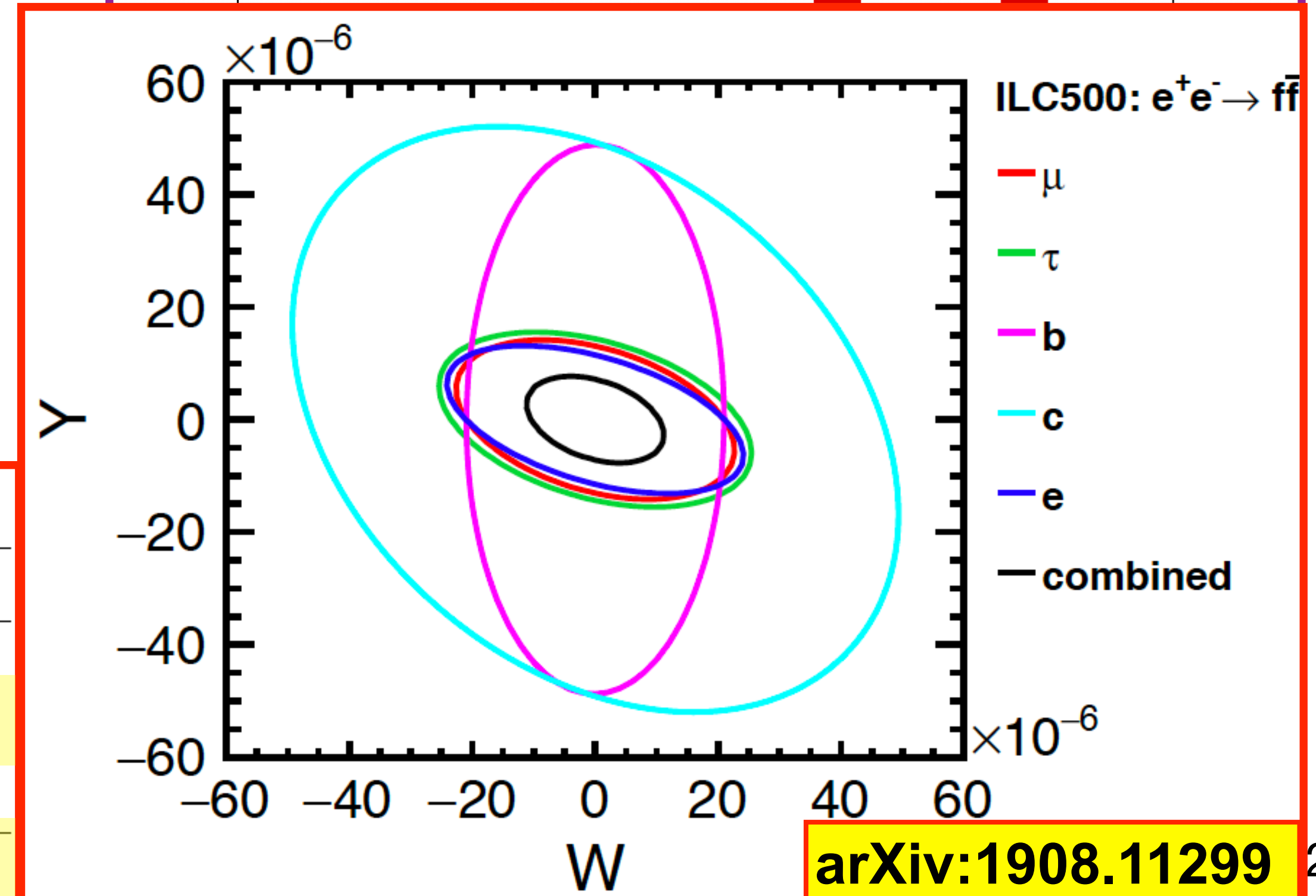
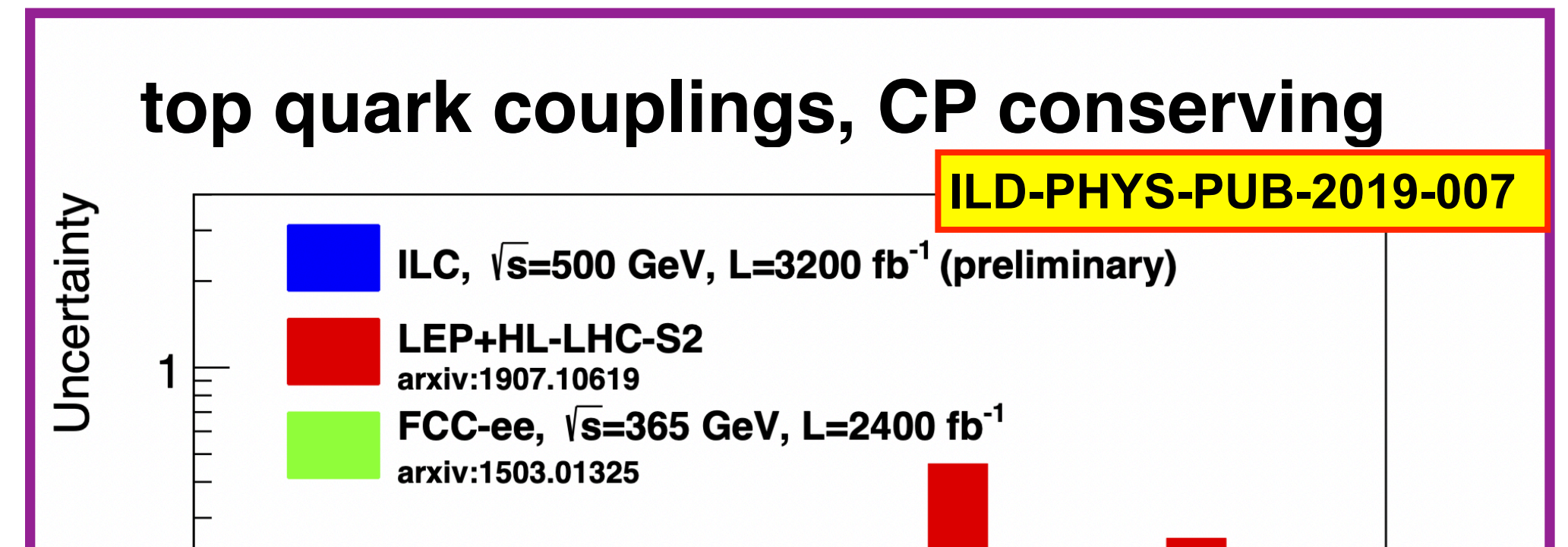




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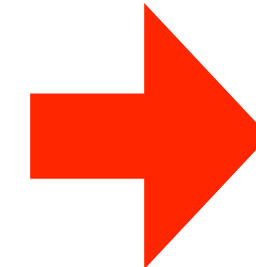
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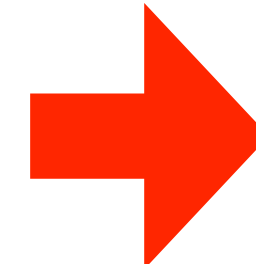
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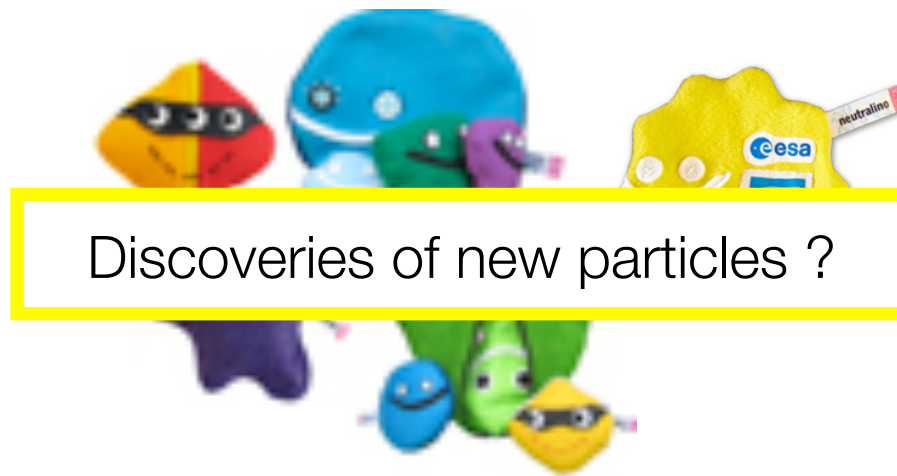
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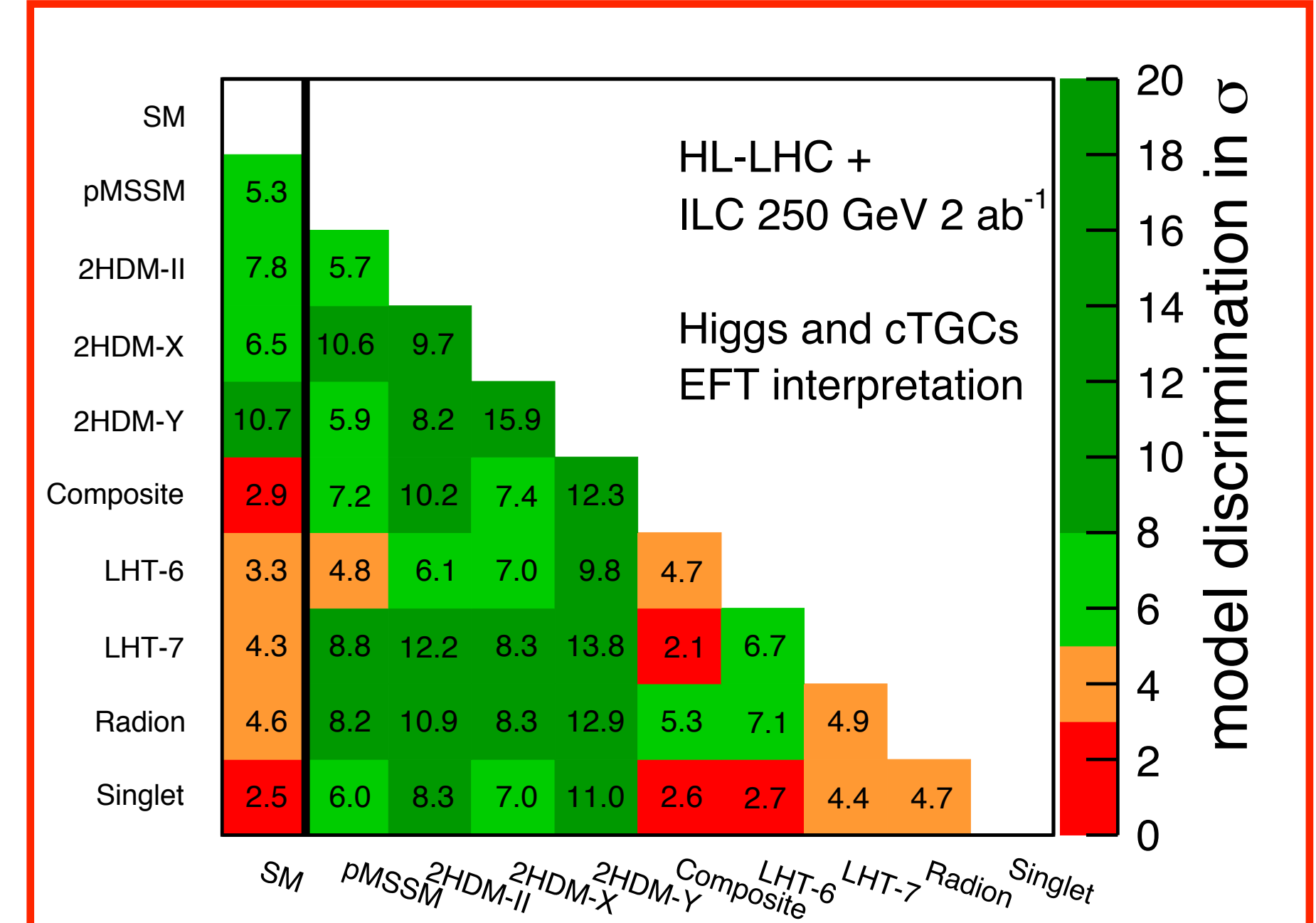


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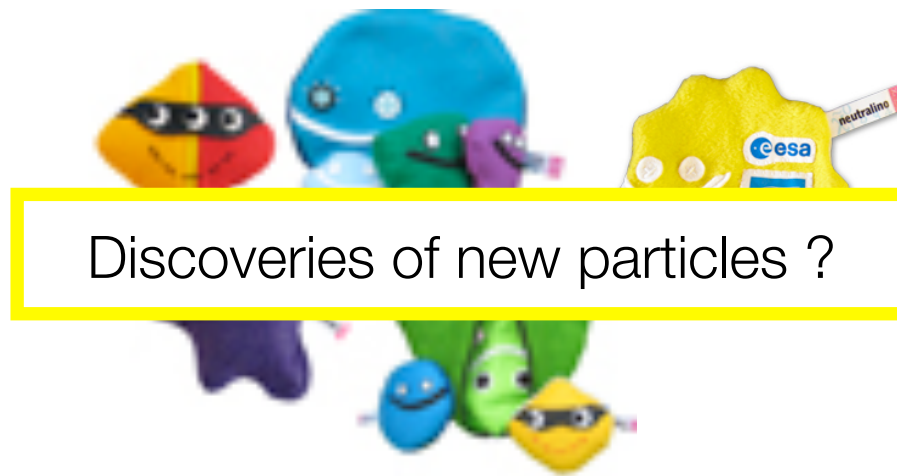
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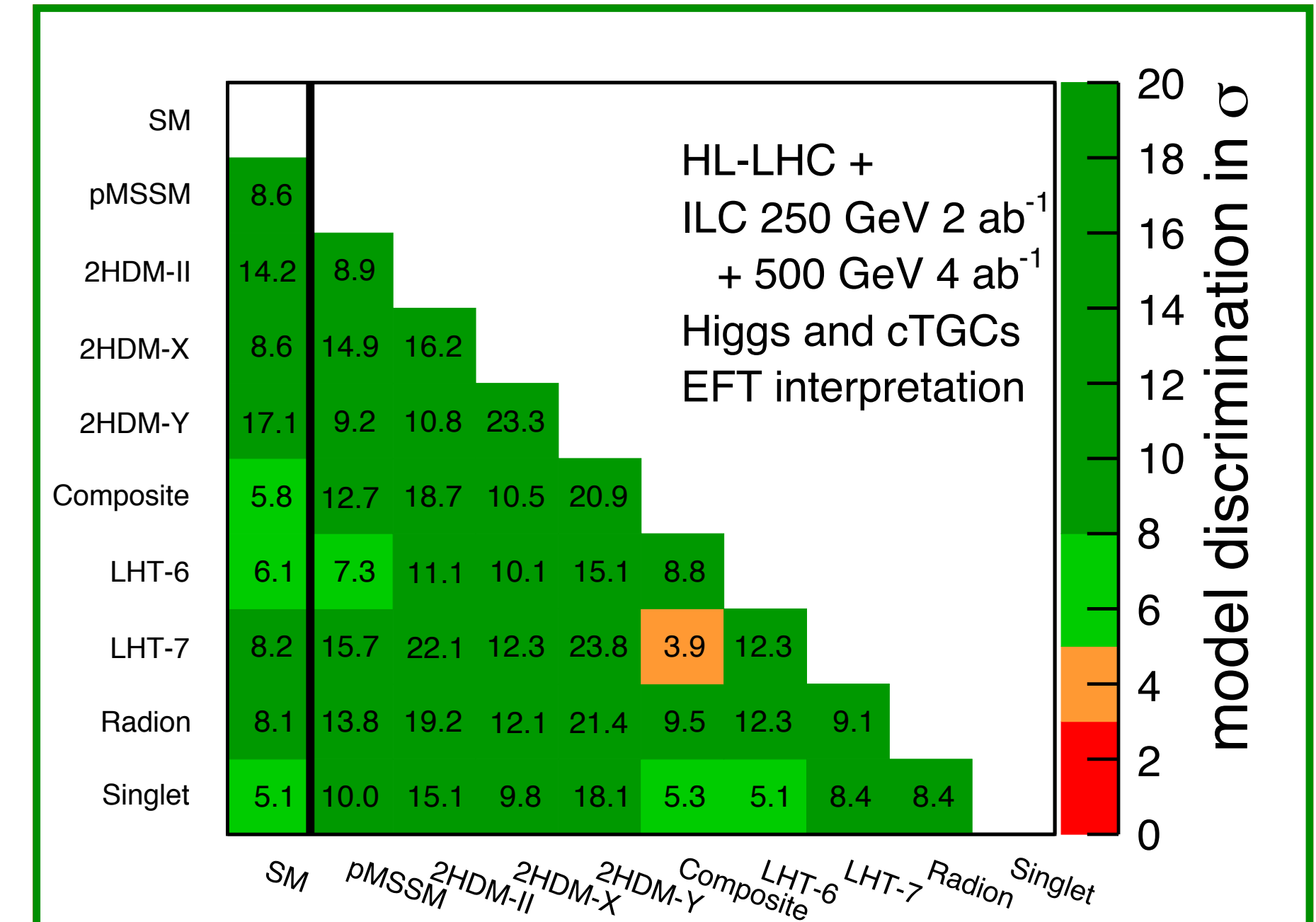


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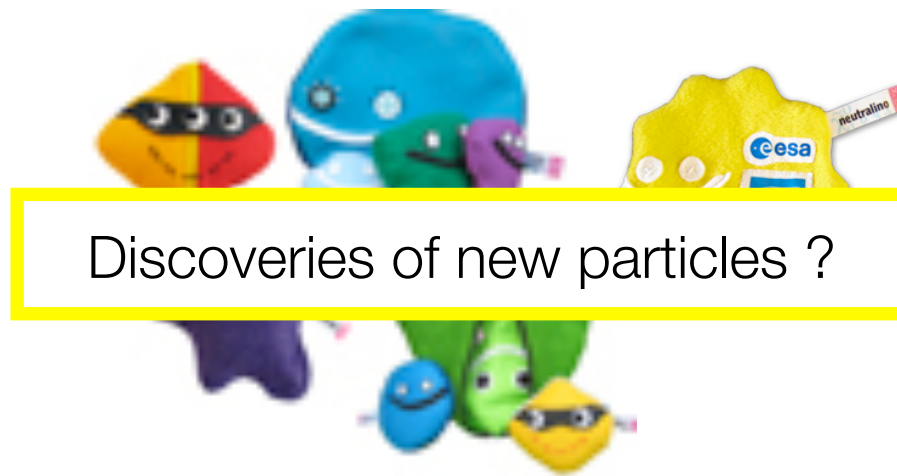
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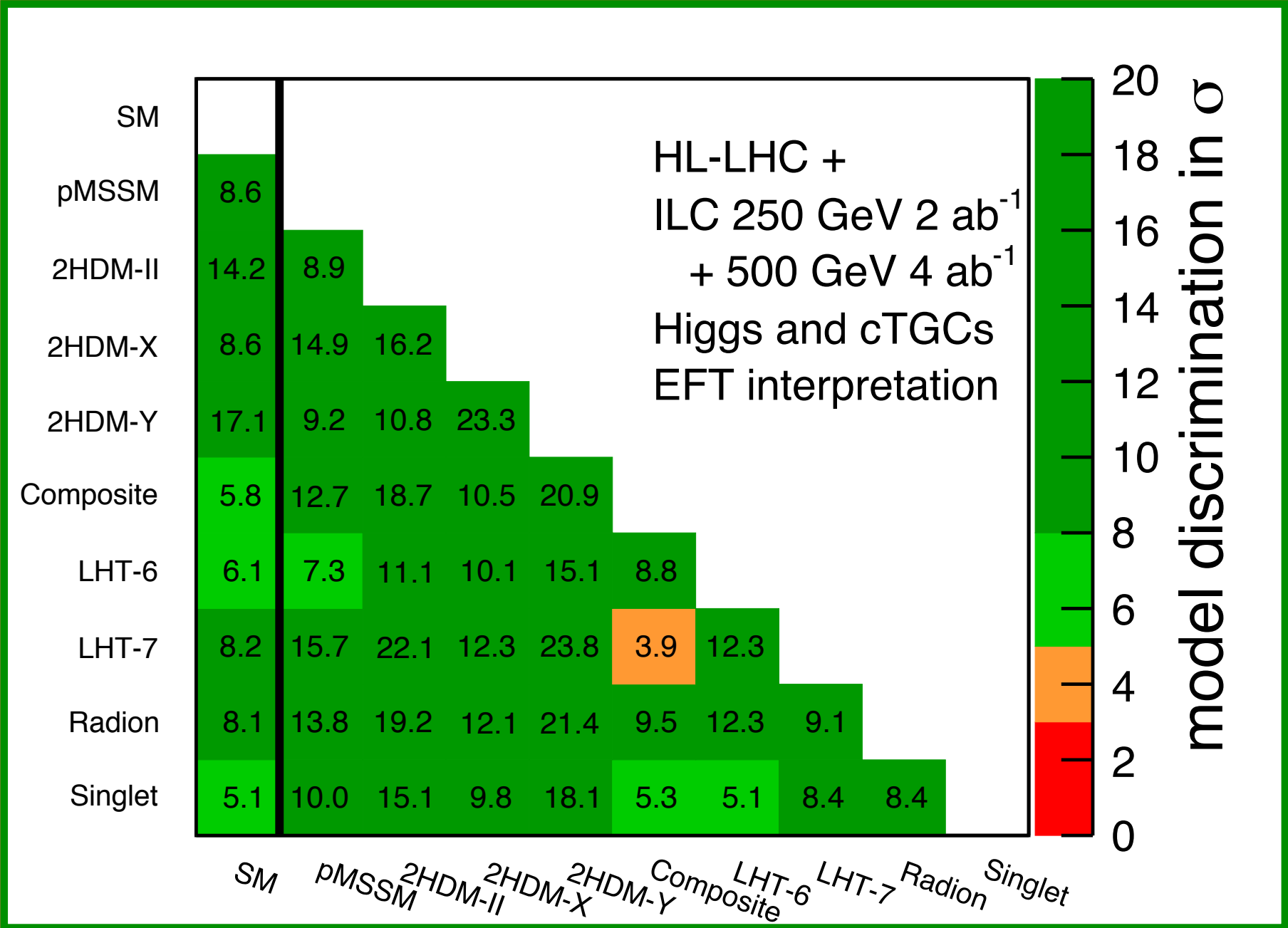


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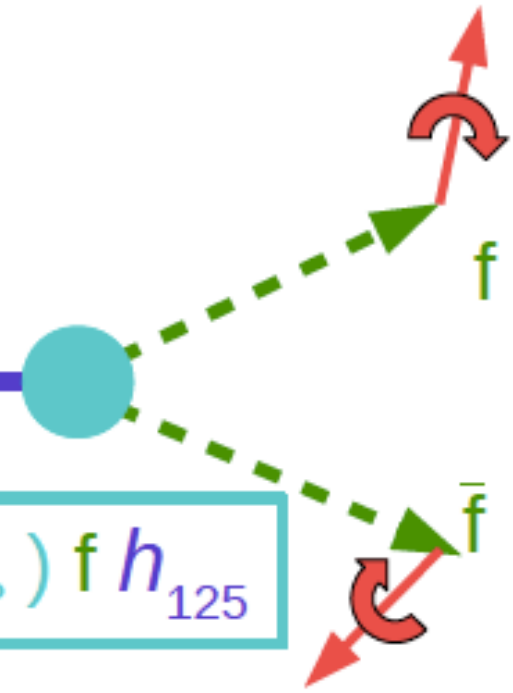


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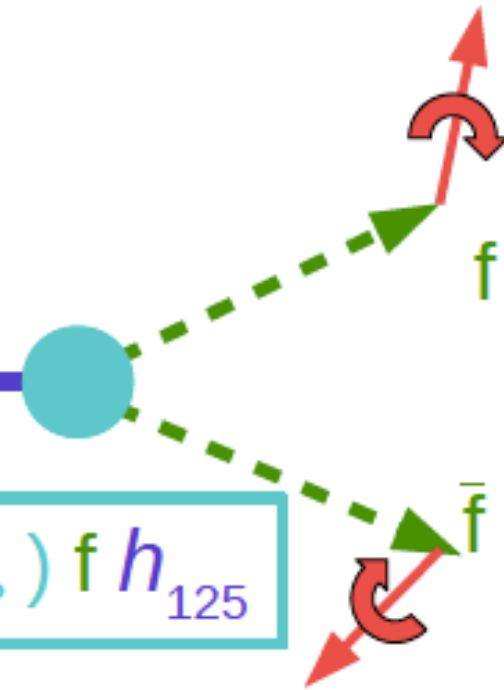


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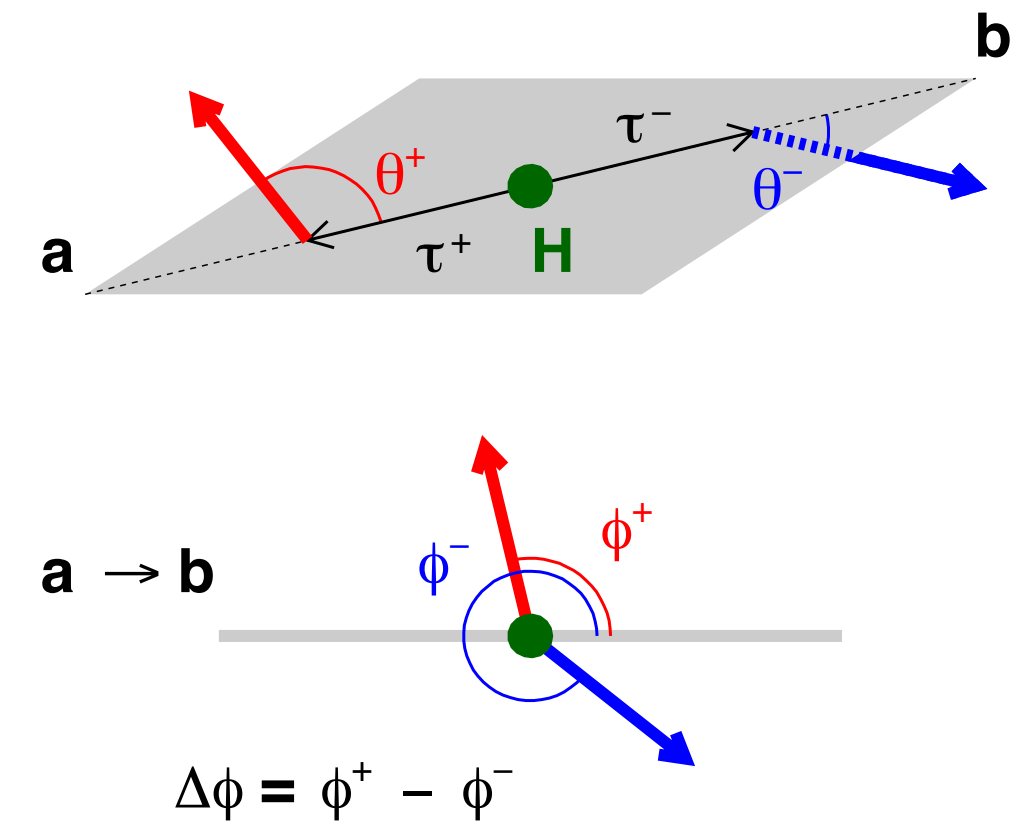
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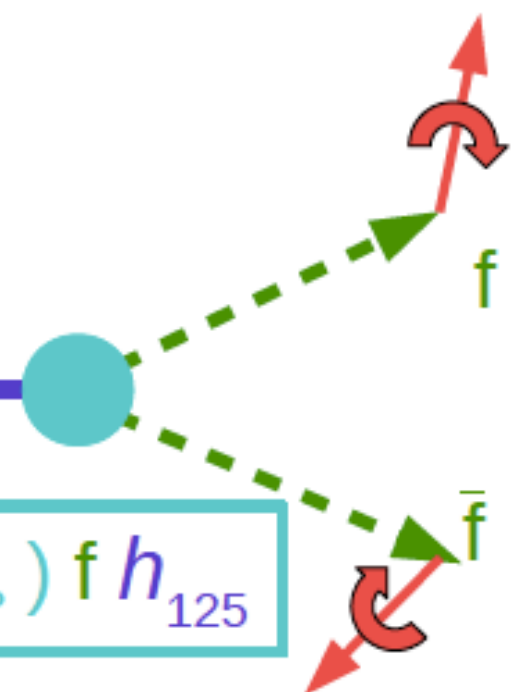
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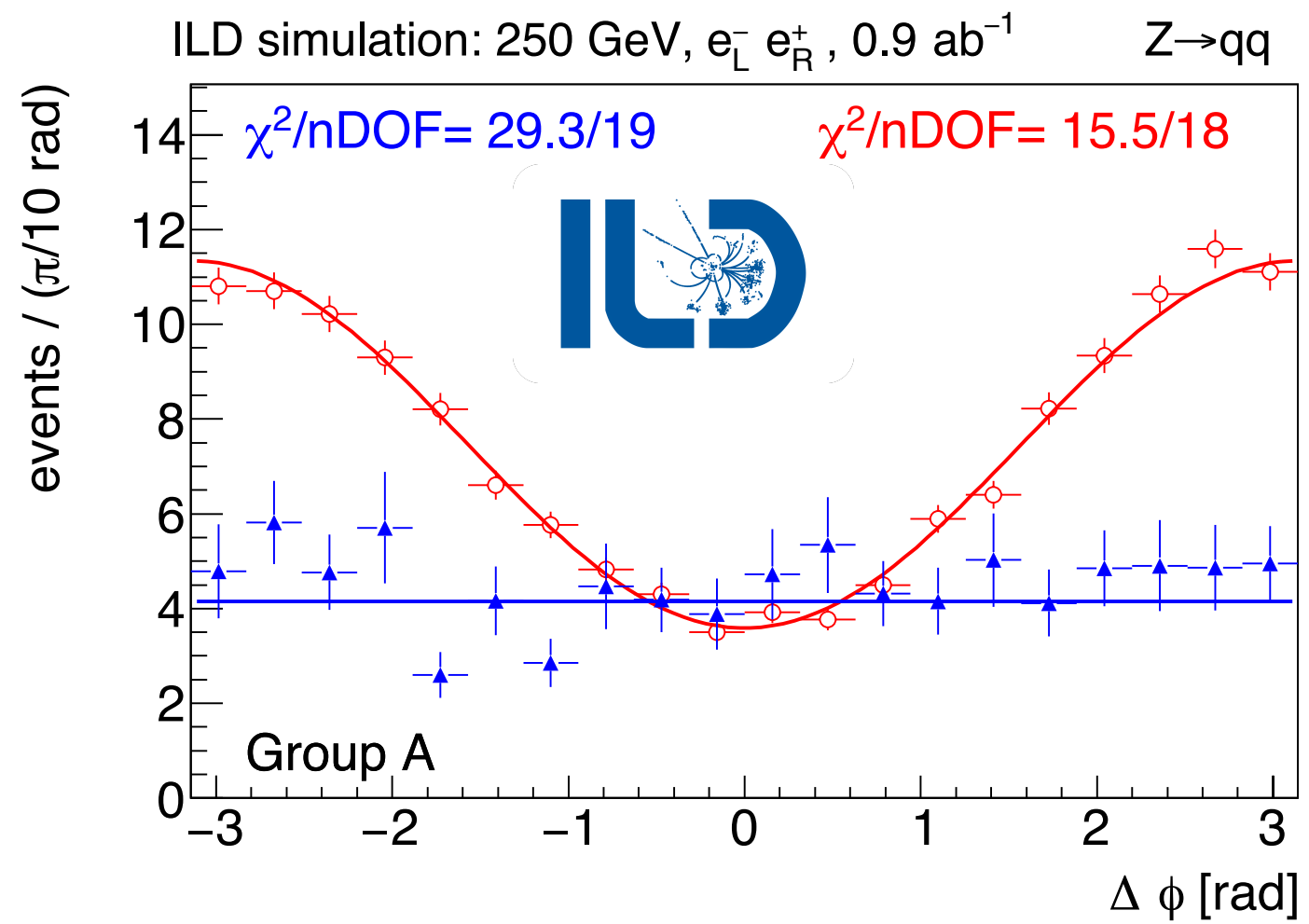
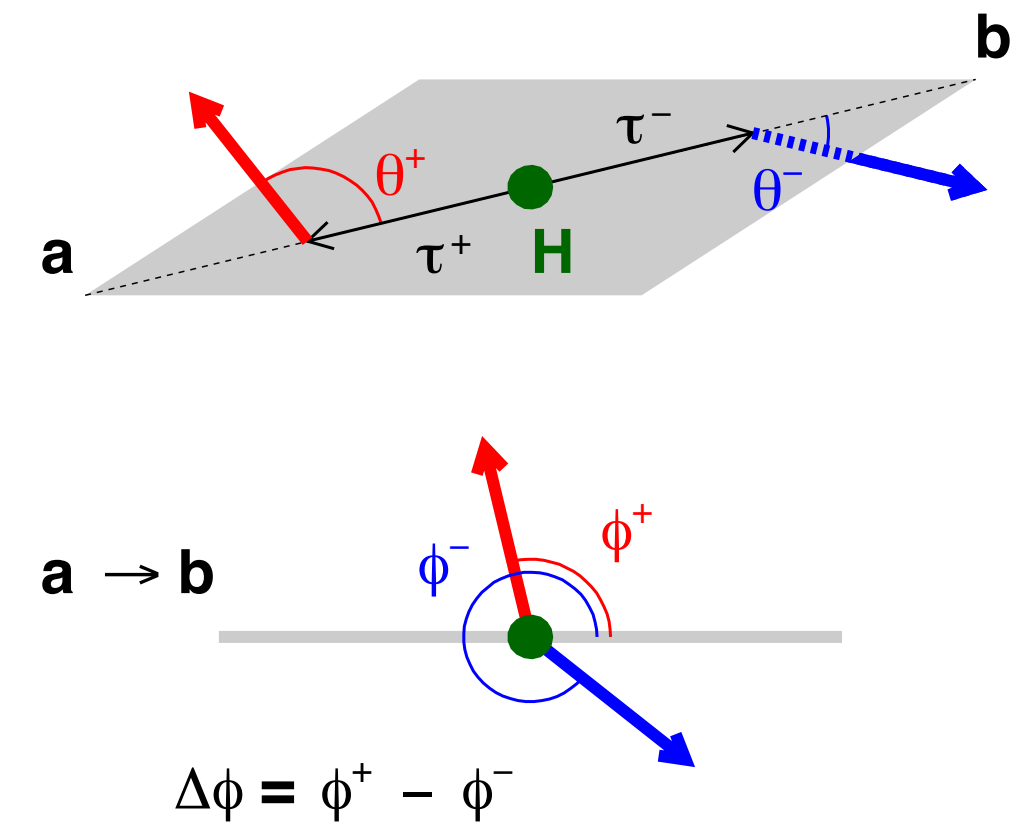
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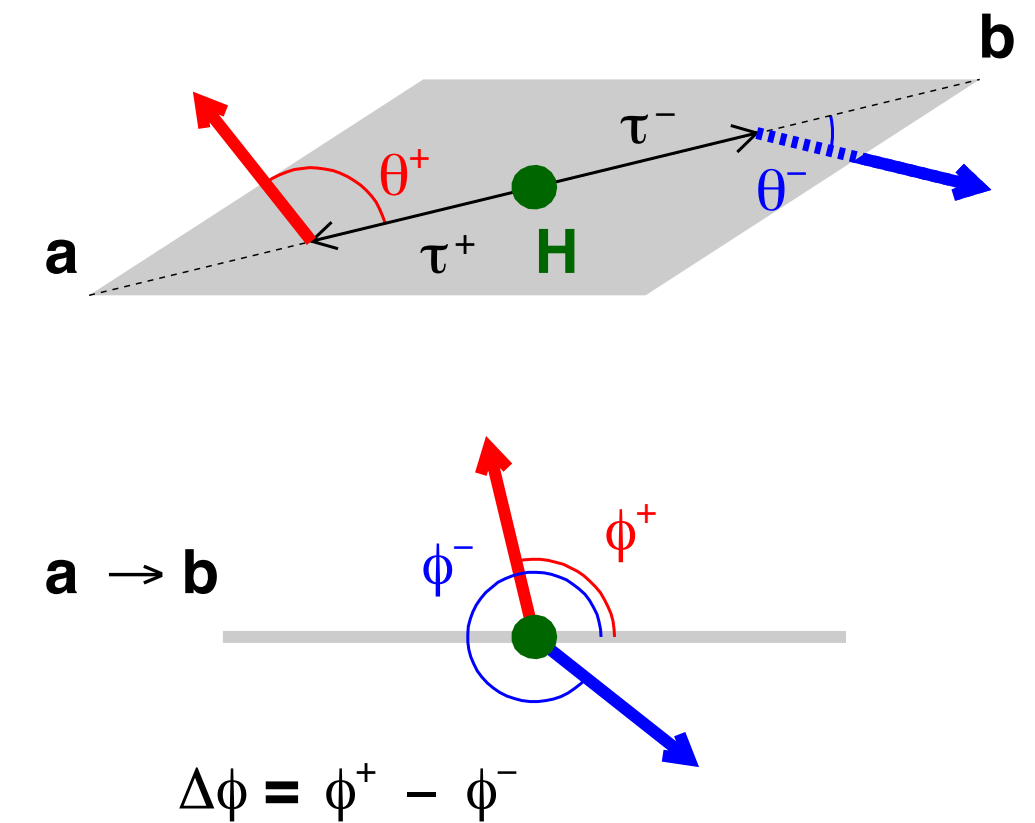
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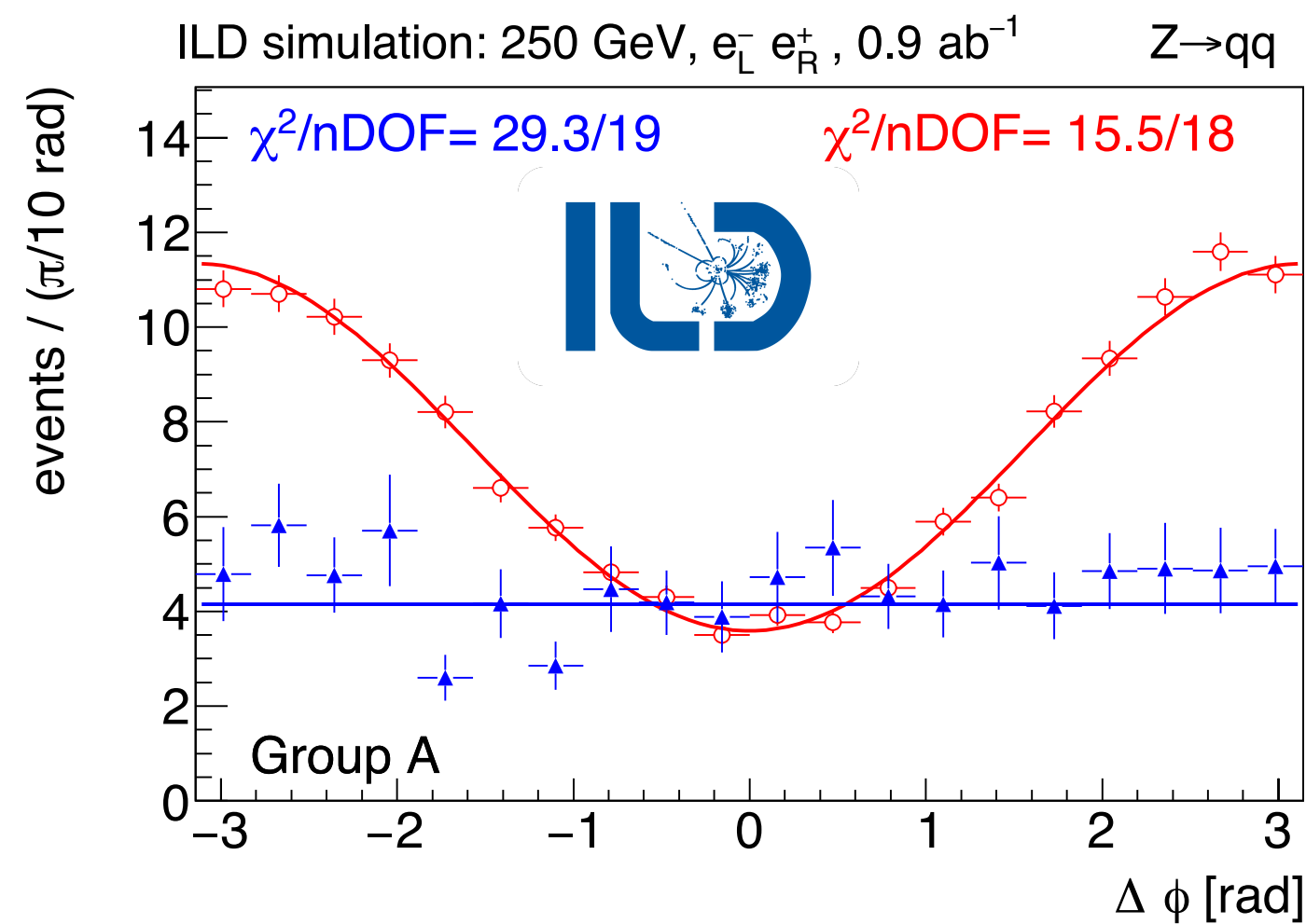
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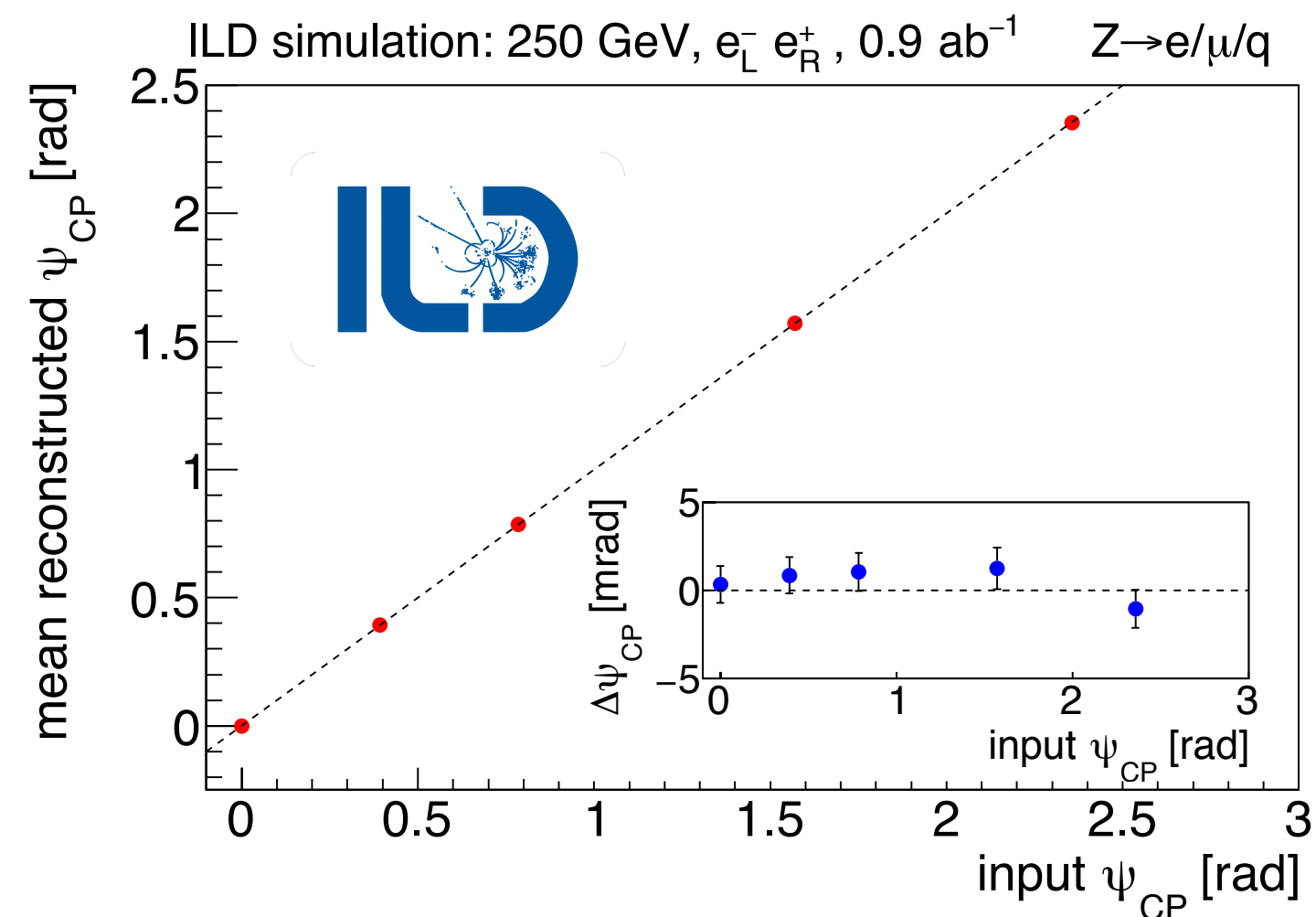
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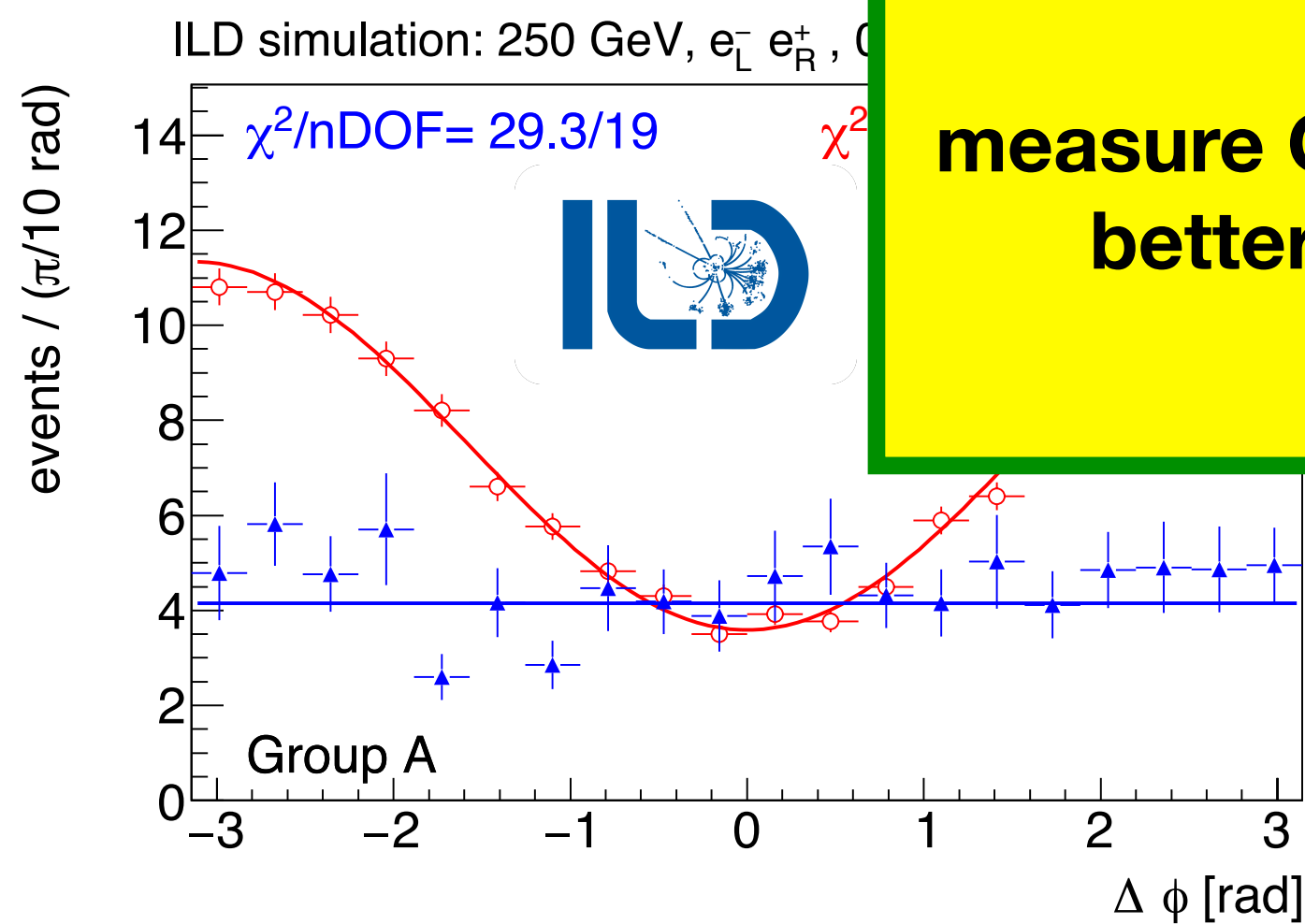
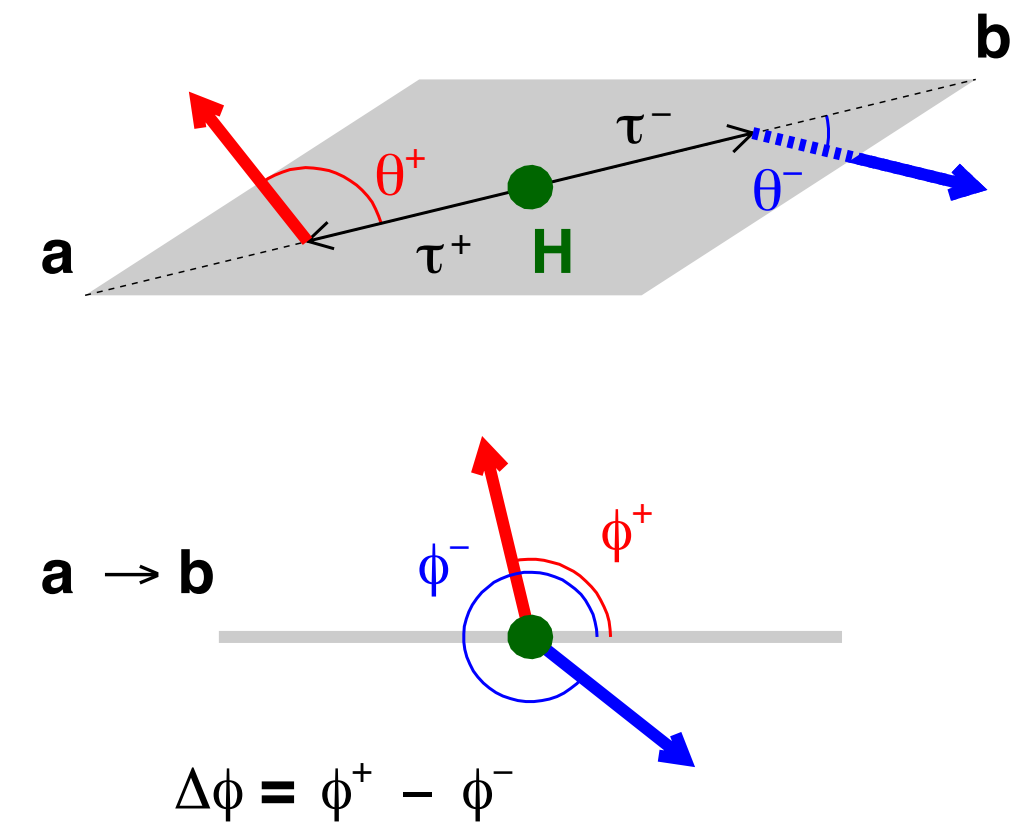


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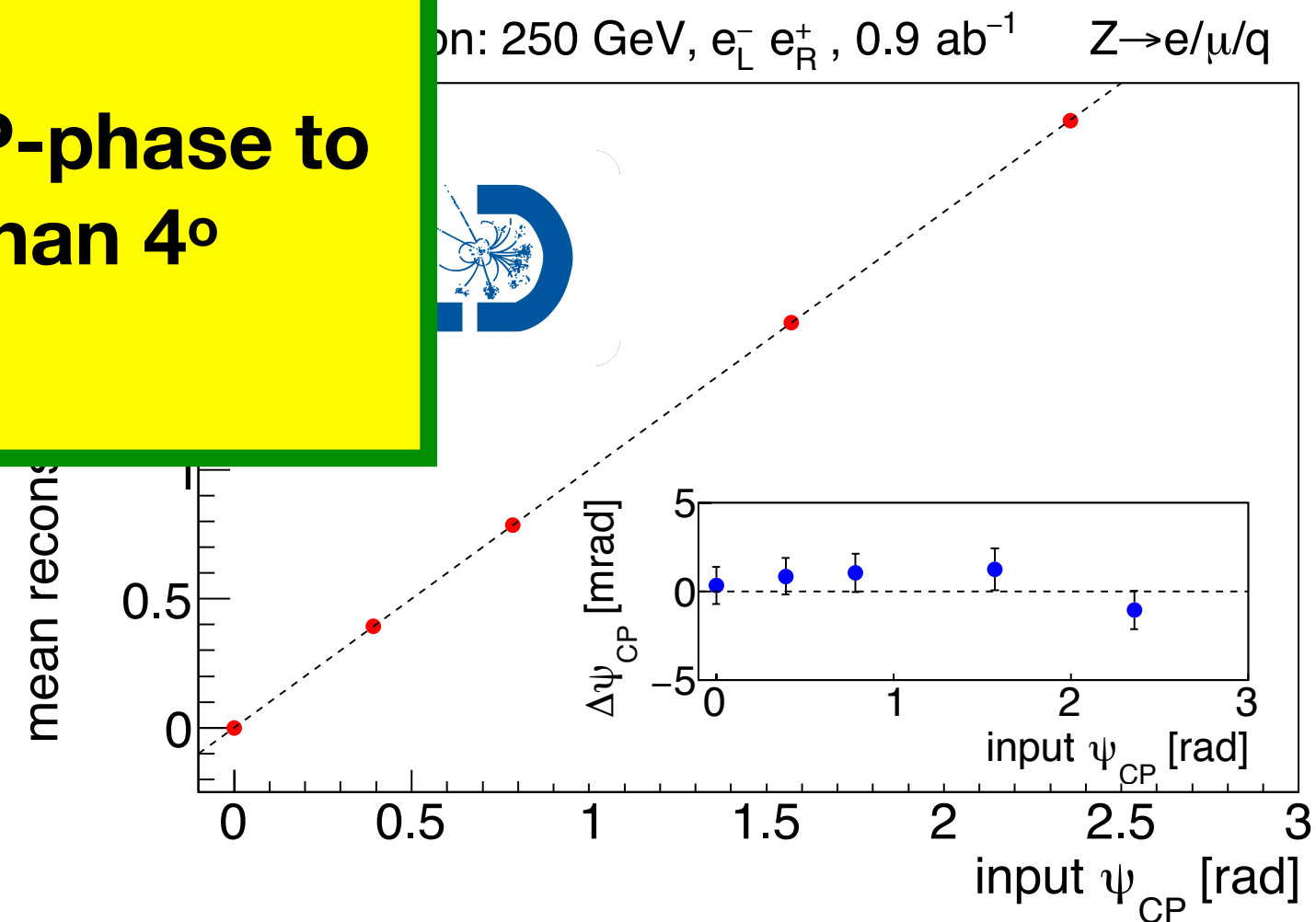
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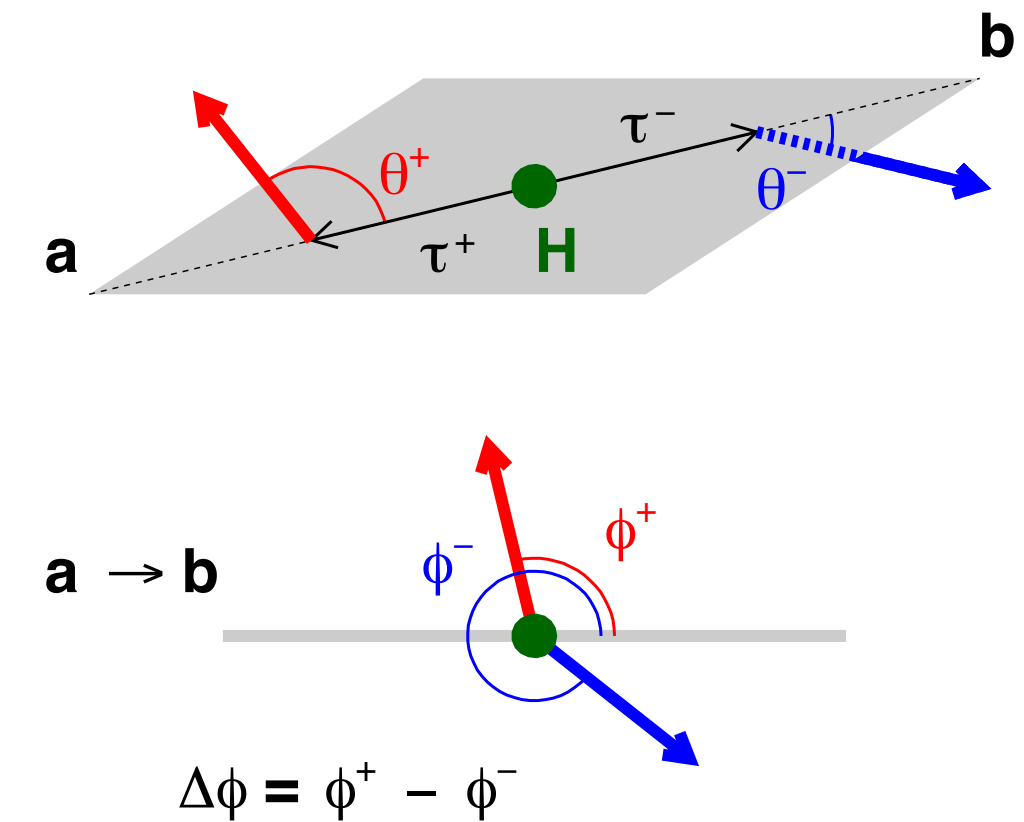


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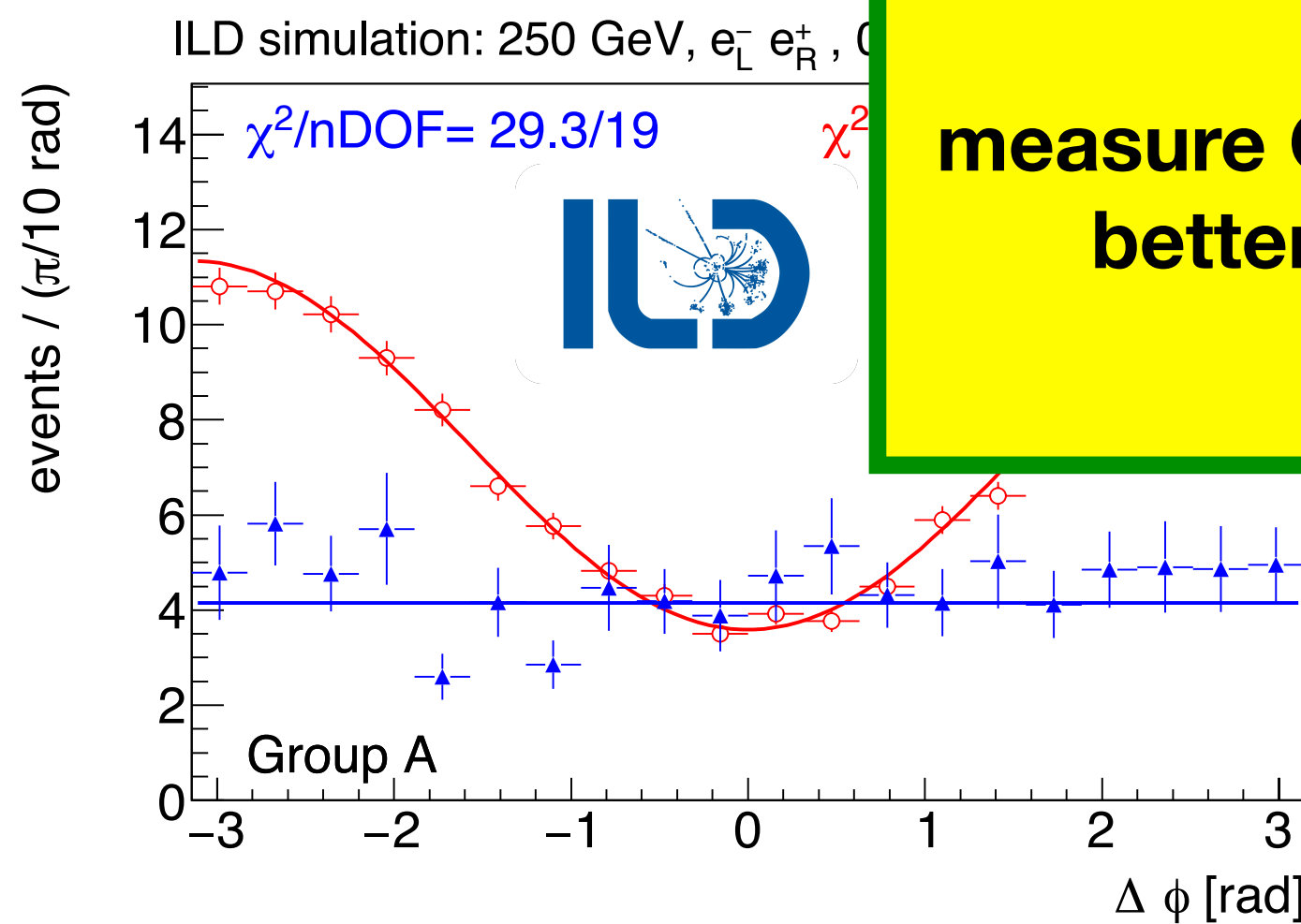
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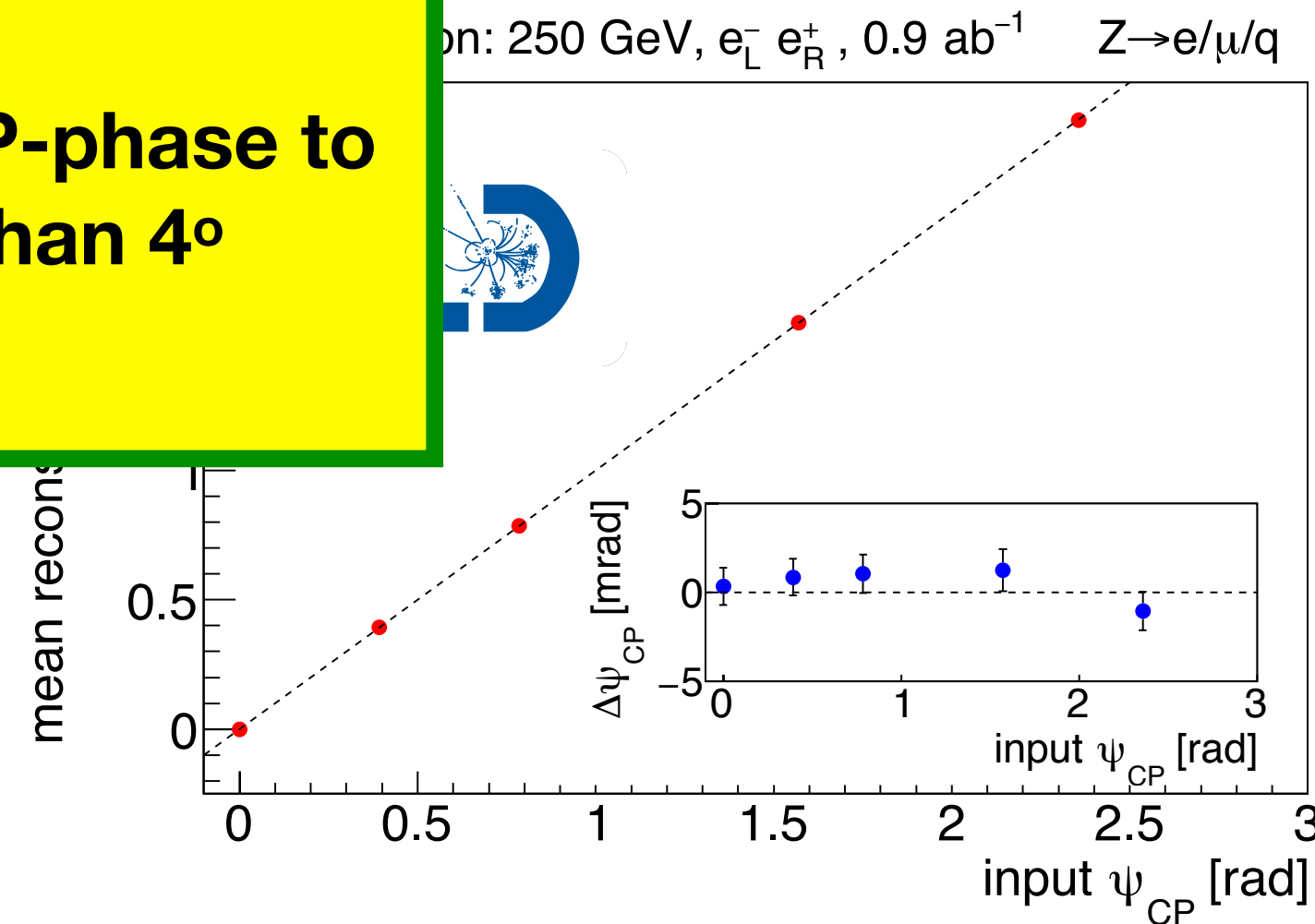
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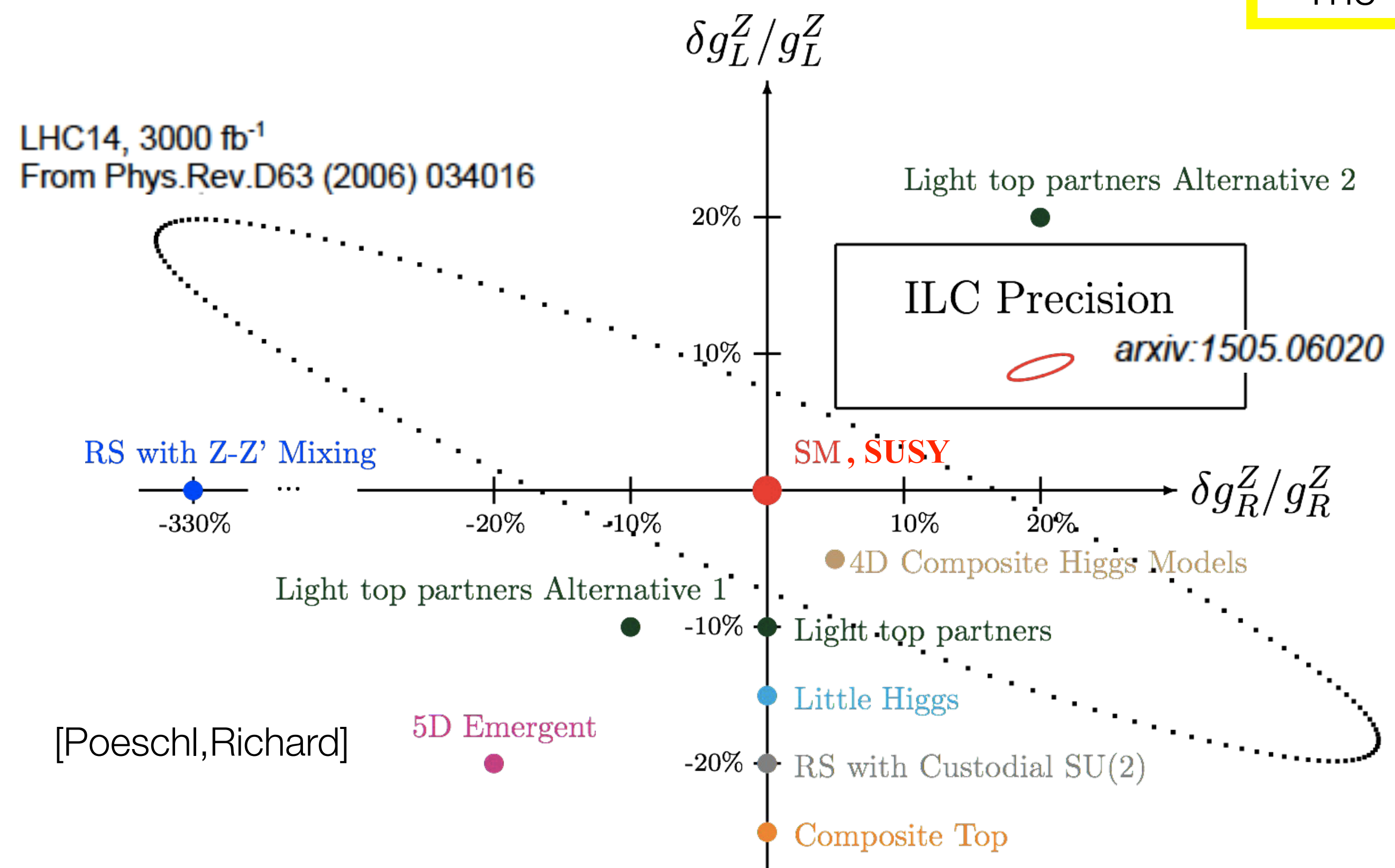
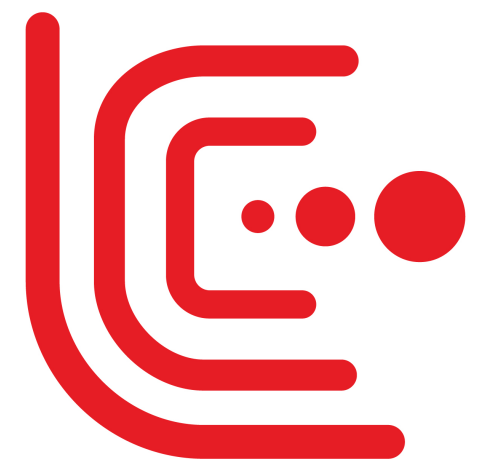
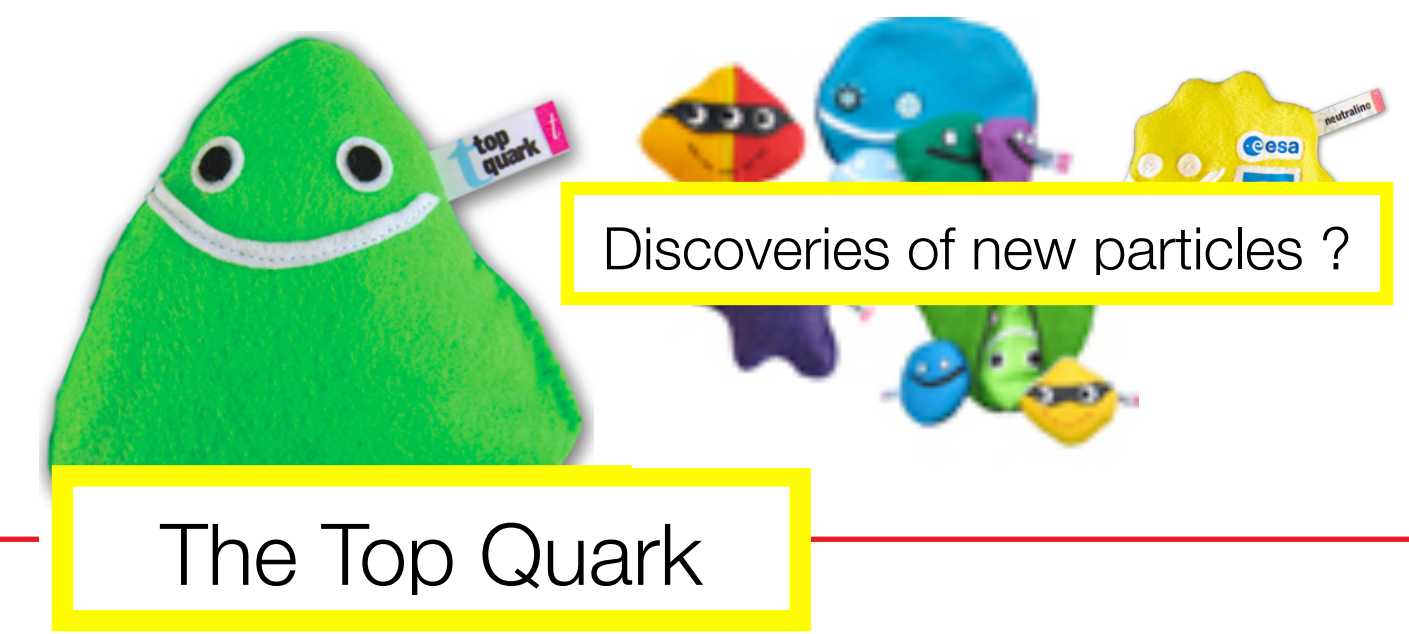
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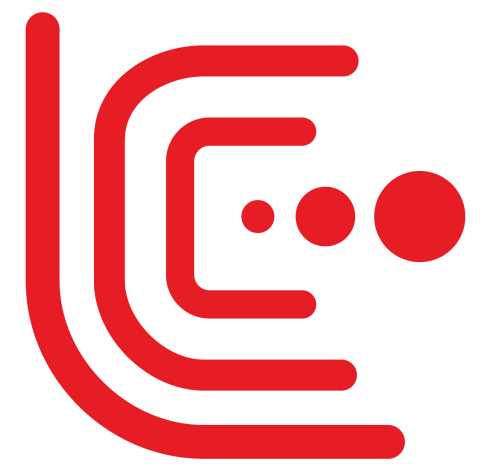
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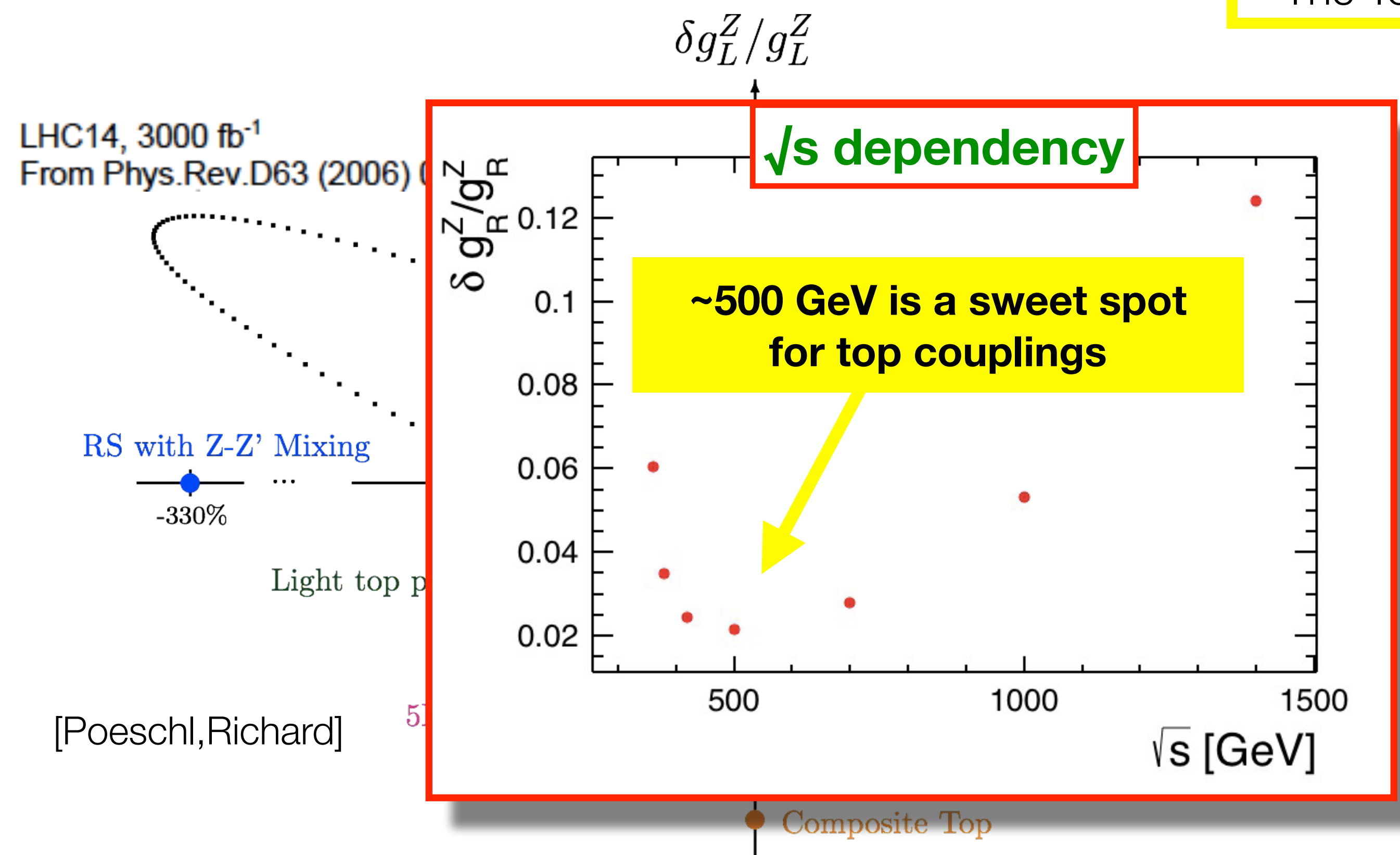
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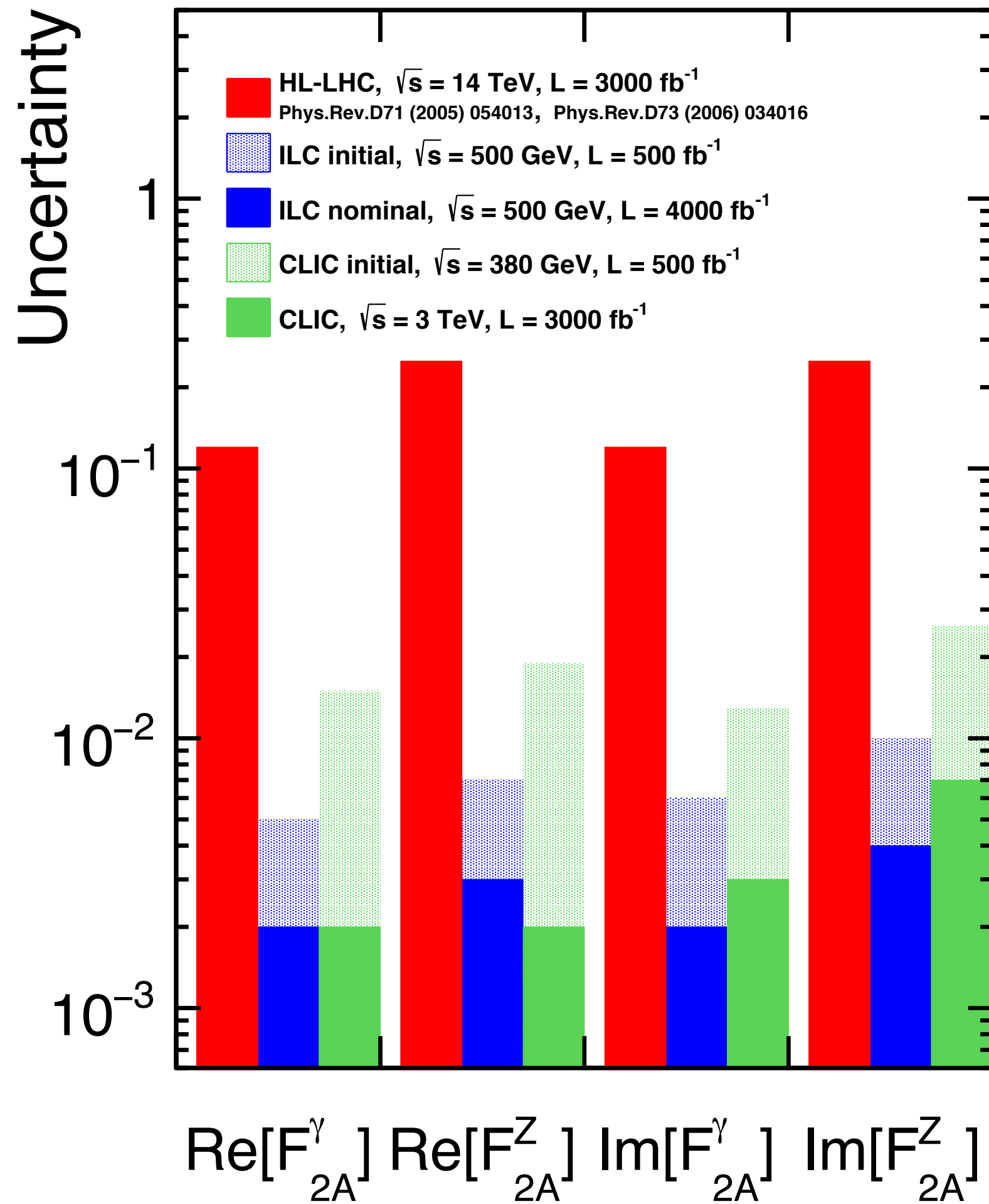
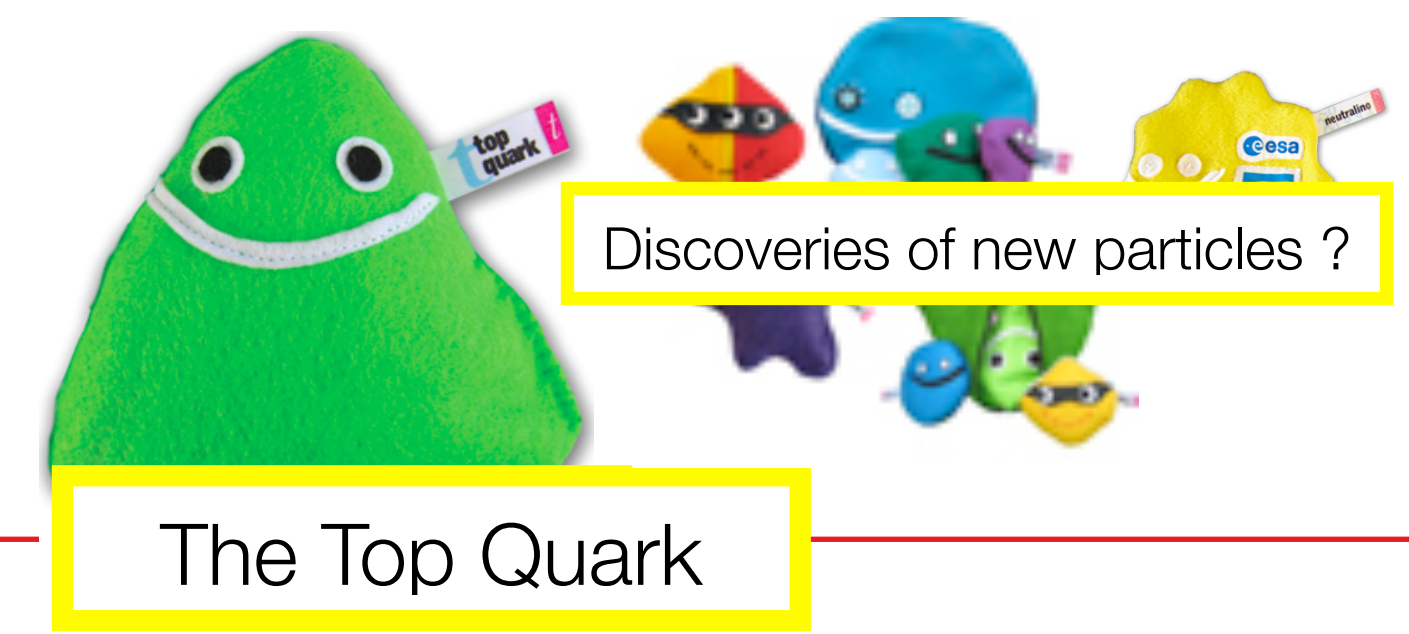
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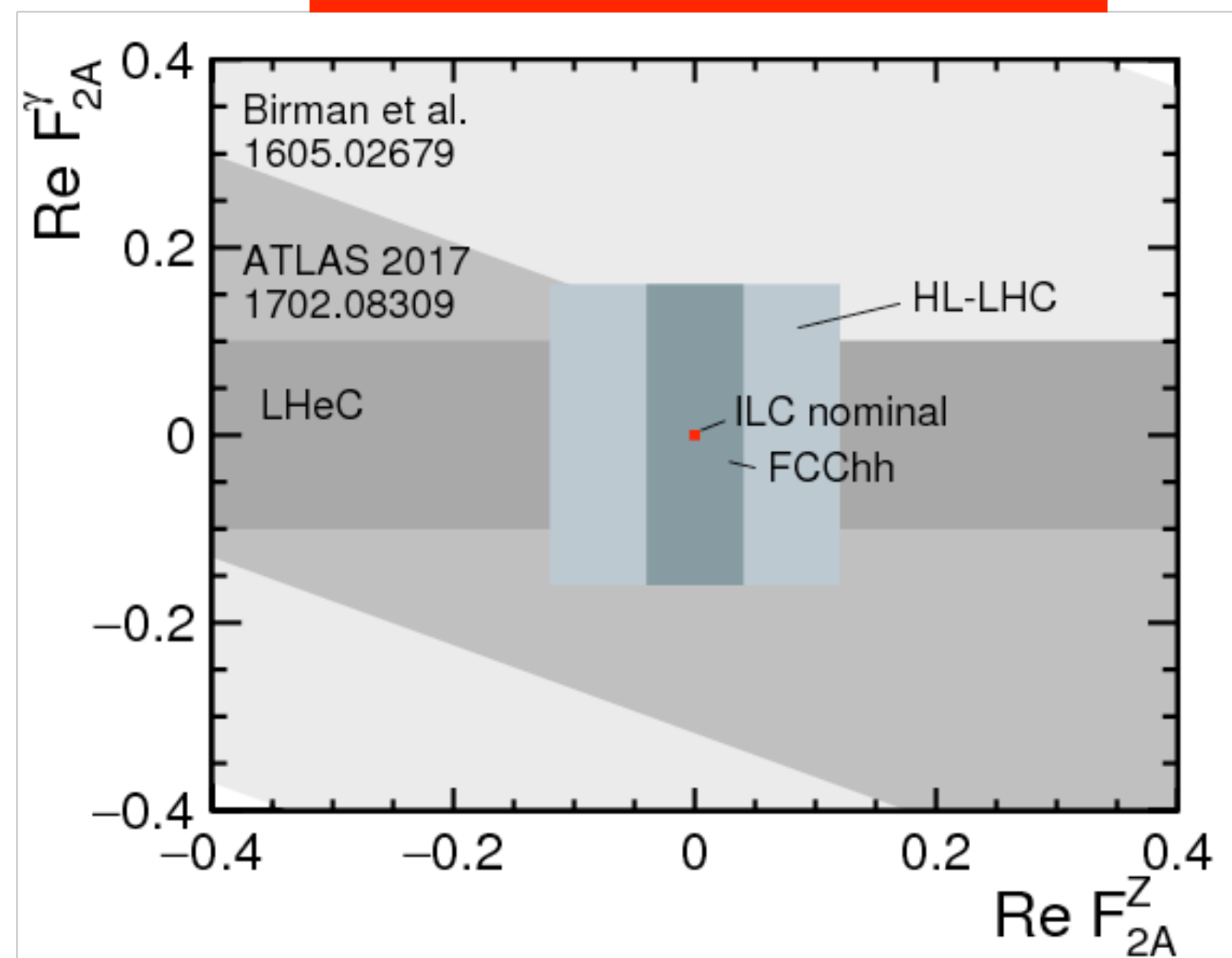
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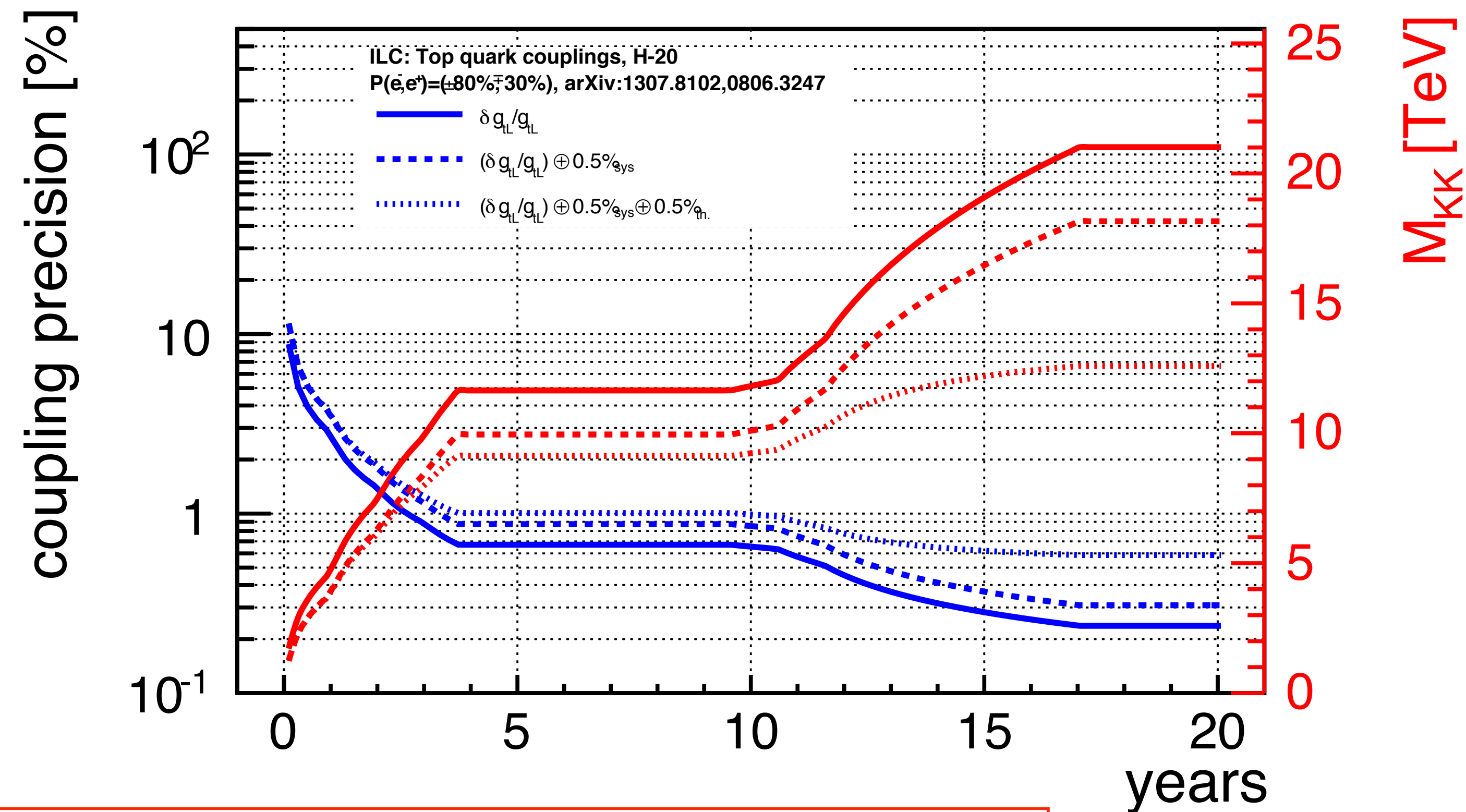
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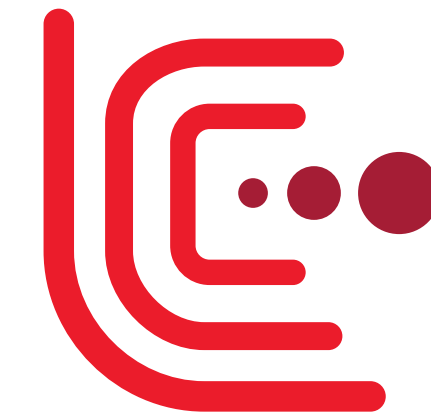
....for typical BSM scenarios with **composite Higgs/Top and/or extra dimensions**
based on phenomenology described in Pommerol et al. arXiv:0806.3247



Can probe scales of ~20 TeV in typical scenarios
(... and up to 80 TeV for extreme scenarios)



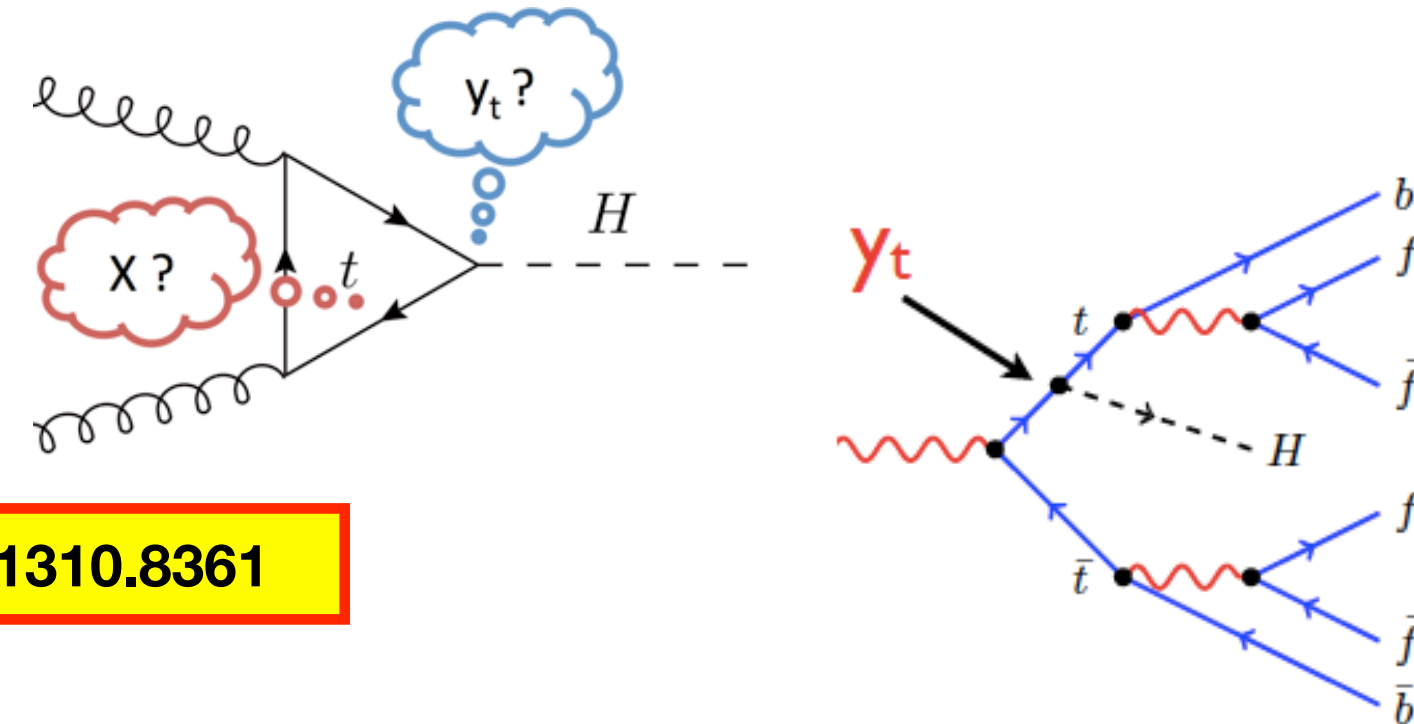
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Direct Determination of the Top Yukawa Coupling

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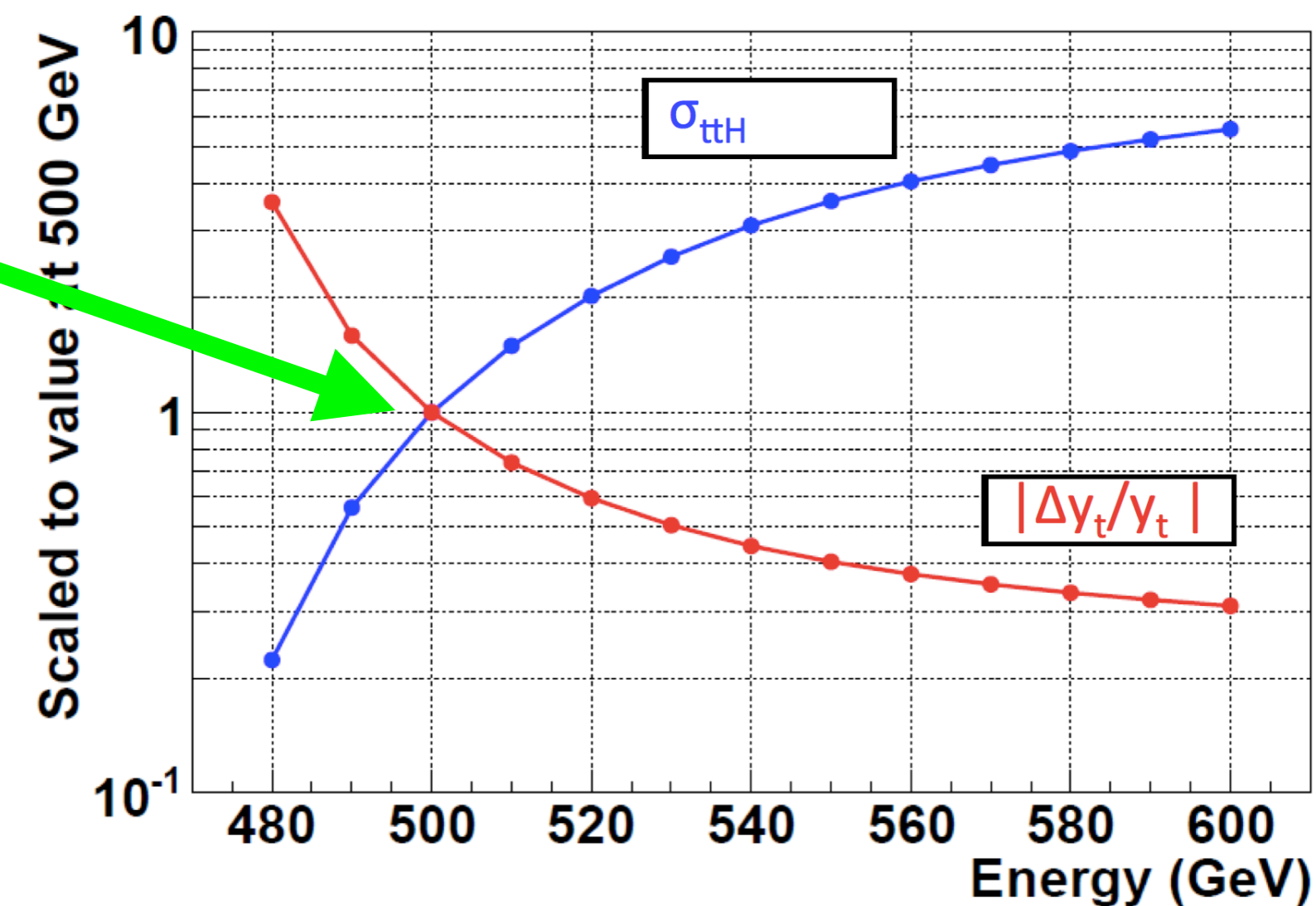
- SM $\sigma(ttH) = 0.6$ pb
- “theory” studies indicate $\delta y_t \sim 15\%$ ($\sim 10\%$) with 300fb^{-1} (3ab^{-1}) might be possible



arXiv:1310.8361

- **e+e-:**

- **threshold at $\sqrt{s} = 475$ GeV**
- SM $\sigma(ttH) = 0.45\text{fb}$ @ 500 GeV
=> ILC full running scenario:
 $\delta y_t = 6.3\%$
- could be **2.5%** if **$\sqrt{s} = 550$ GeV**
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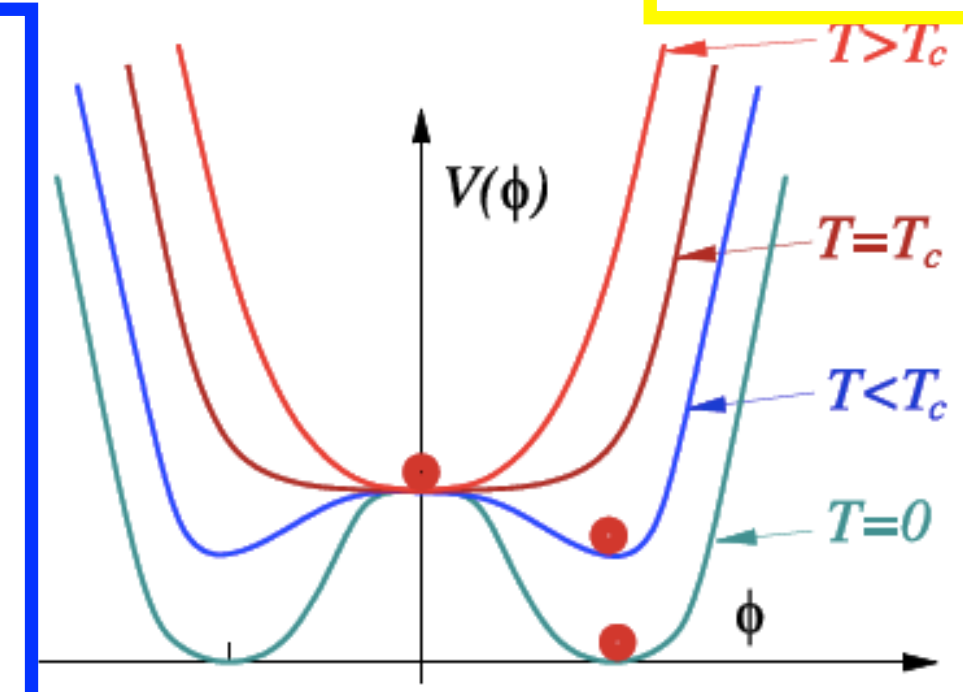
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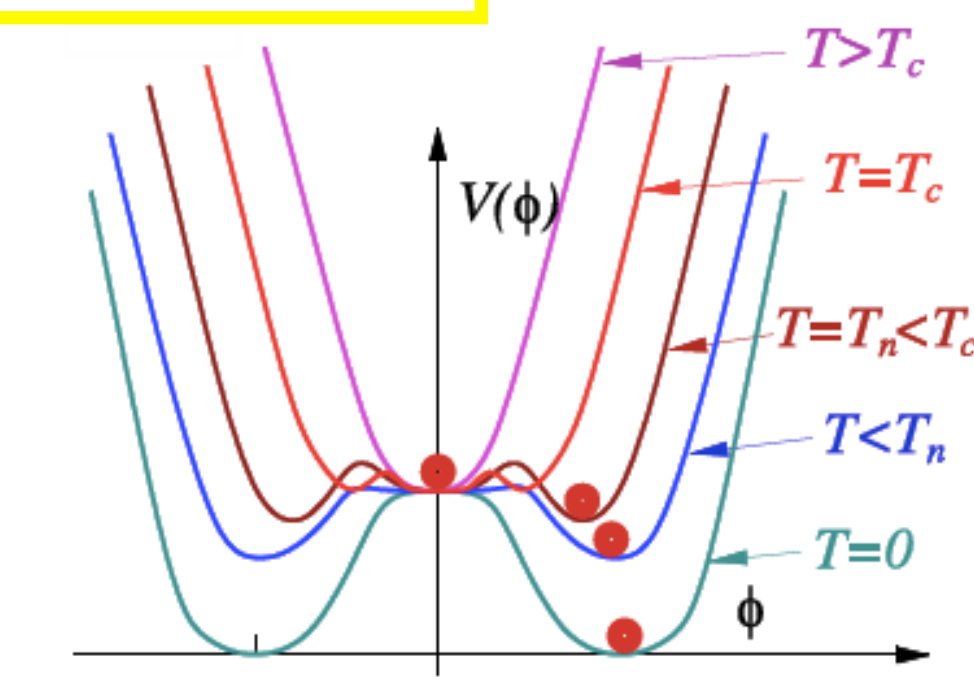
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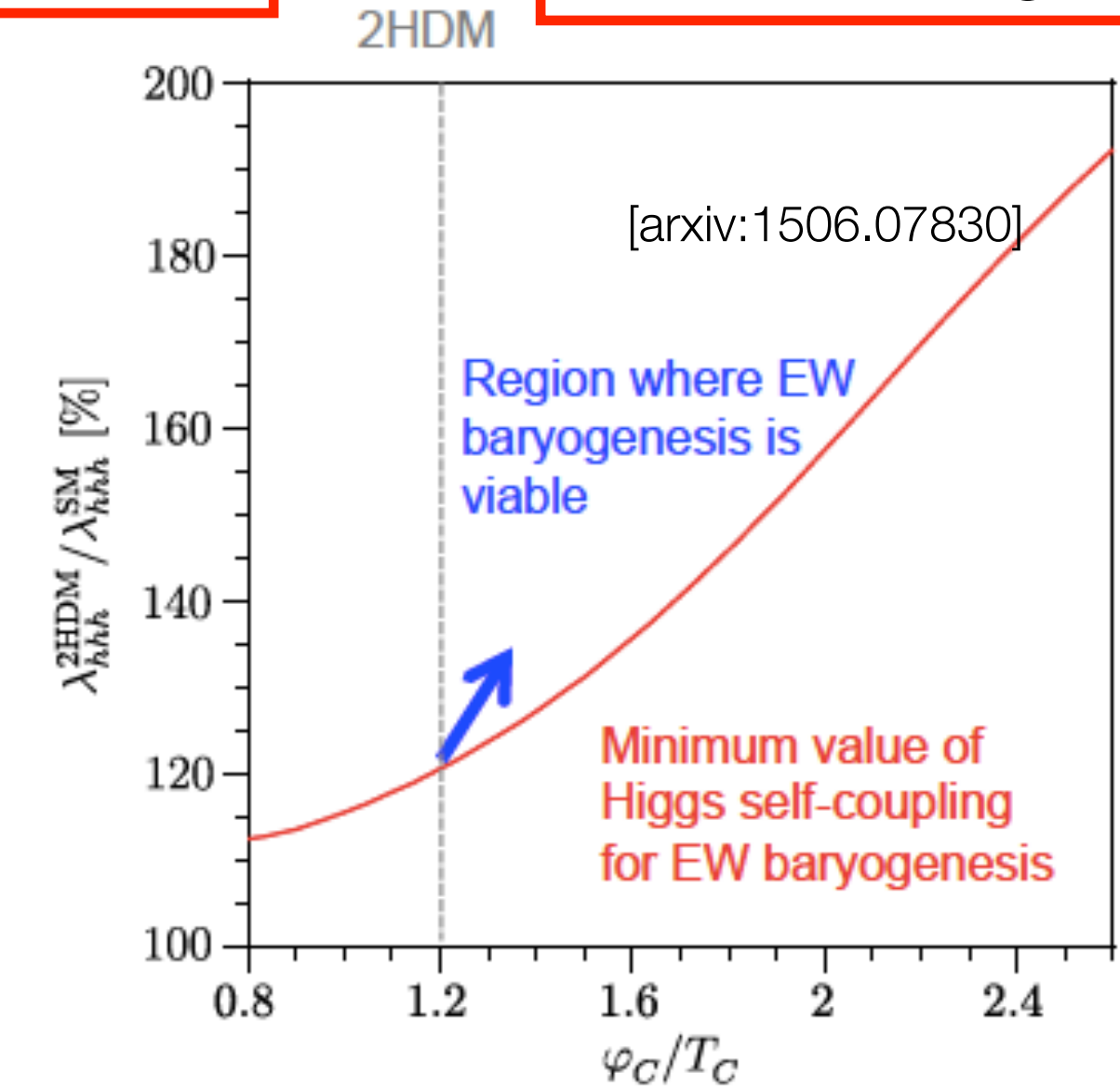
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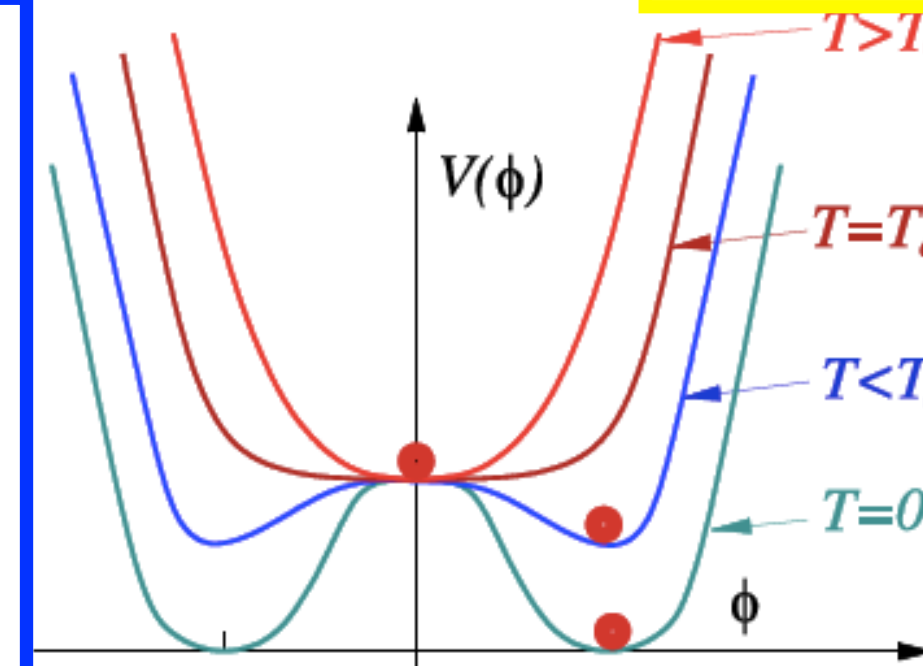


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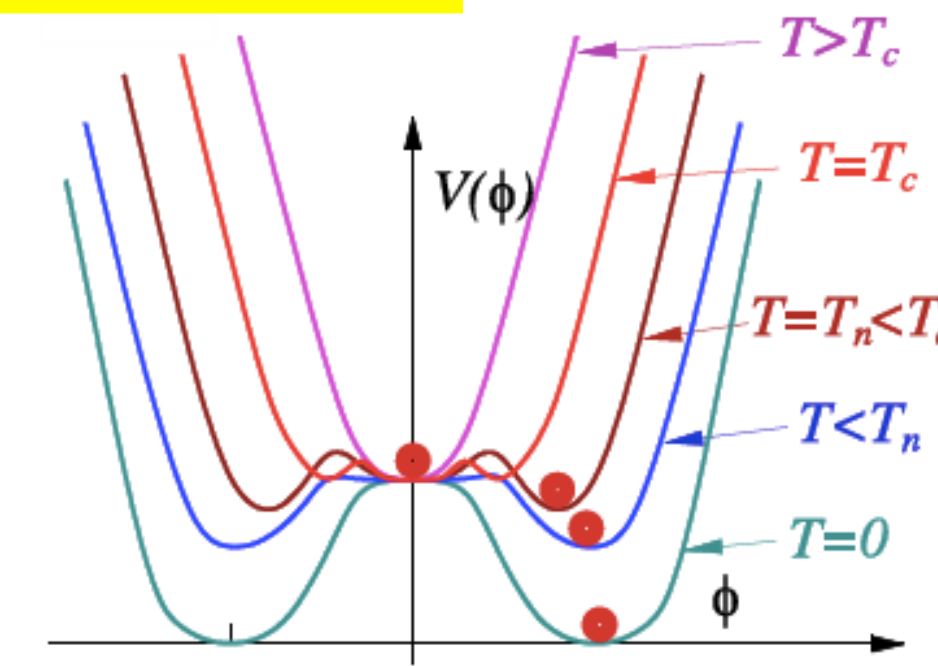
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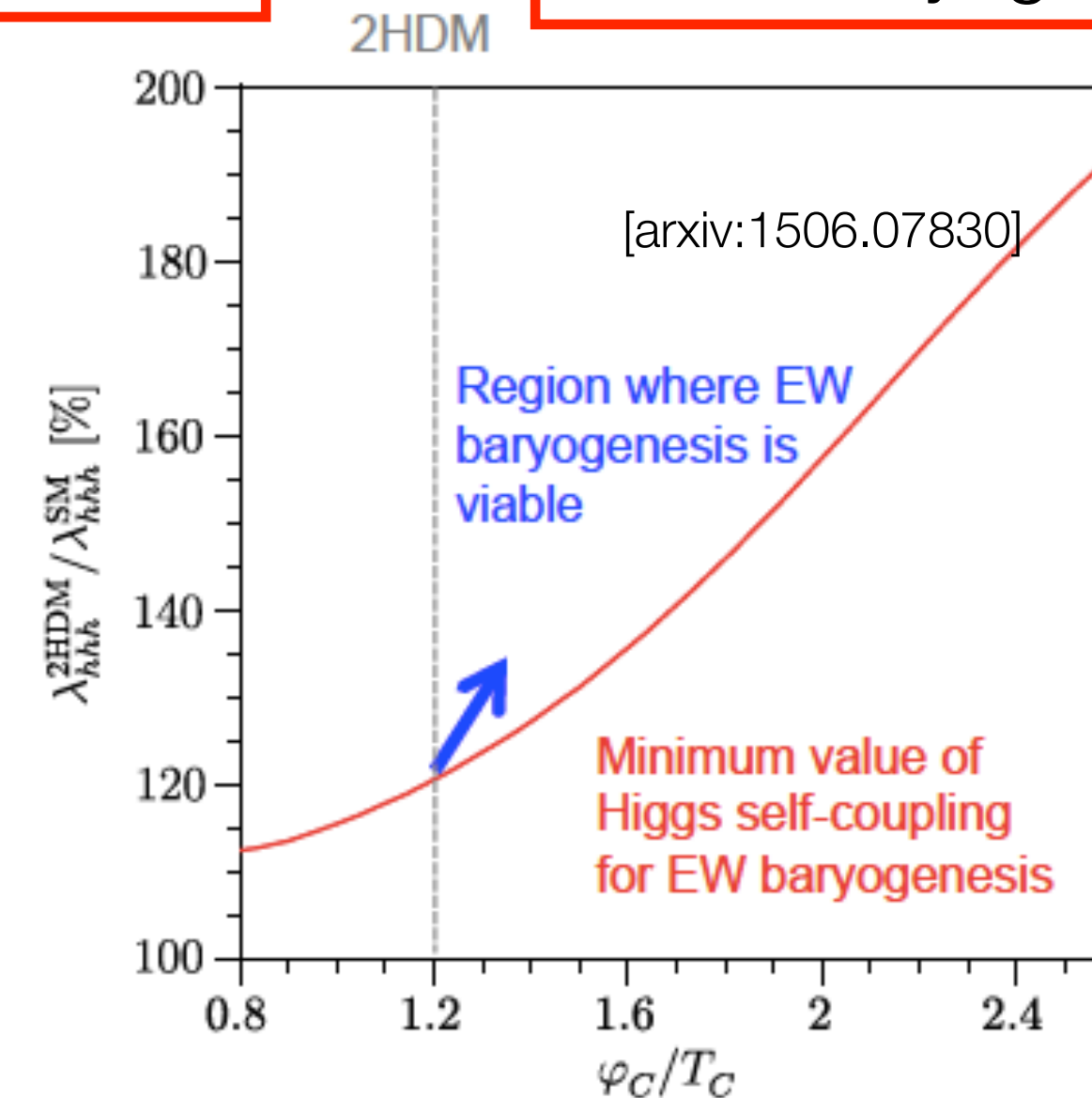


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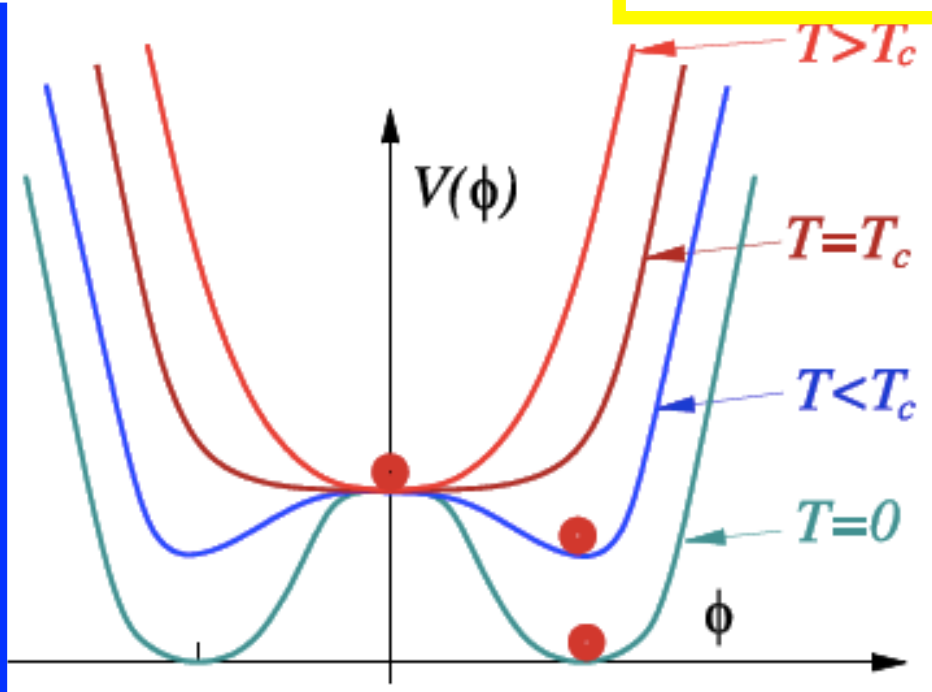
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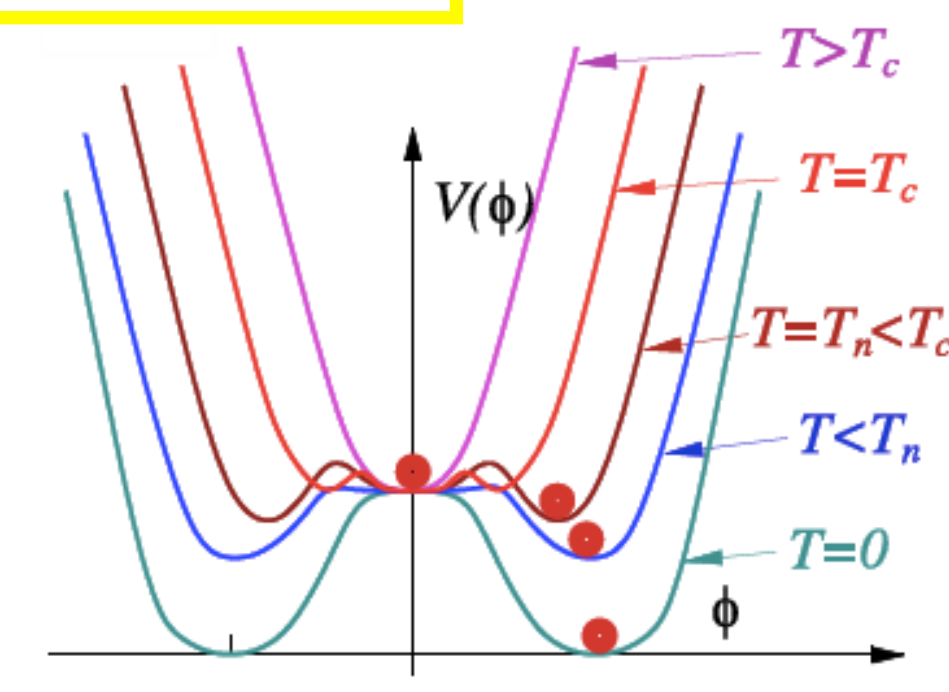
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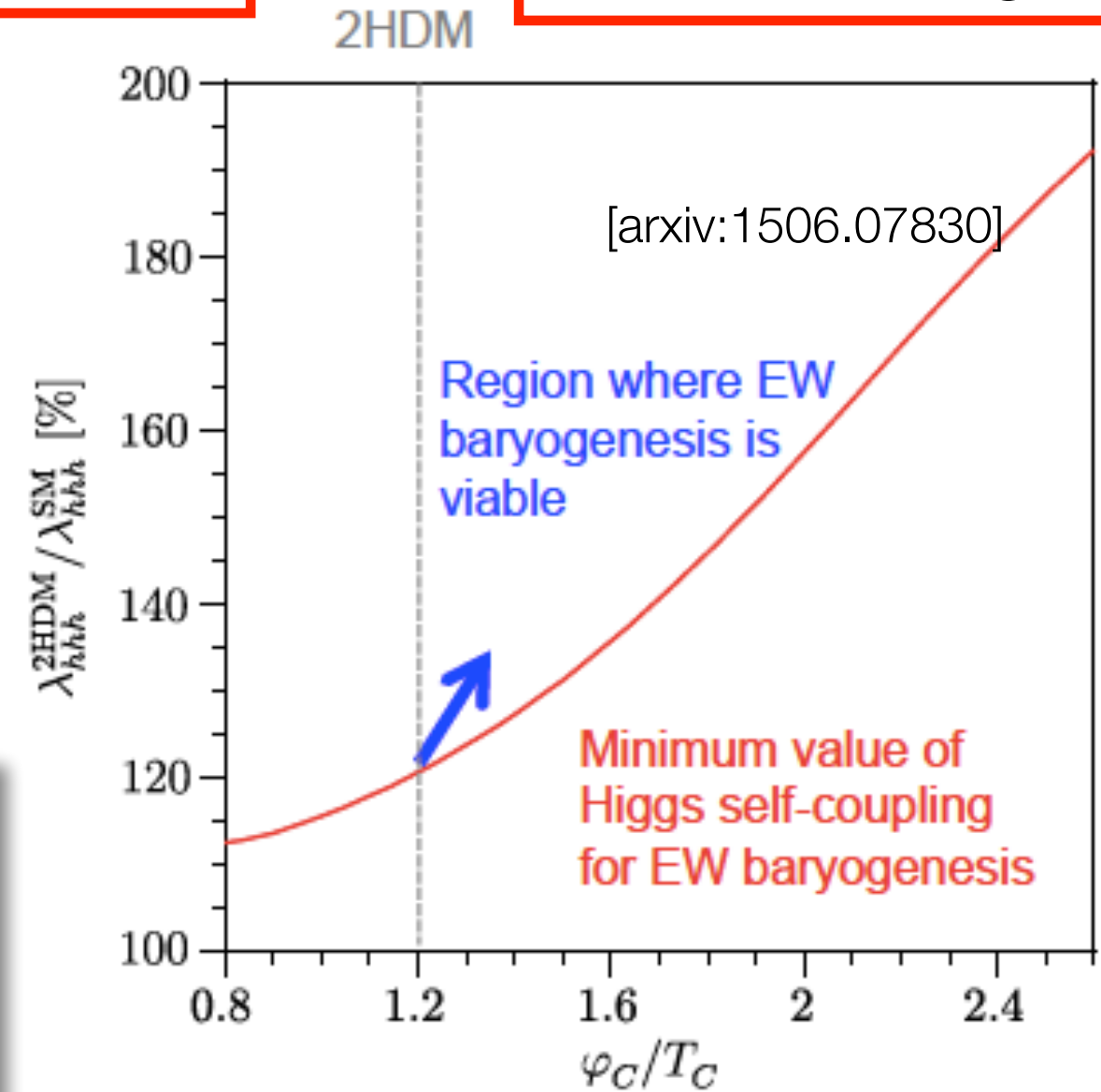
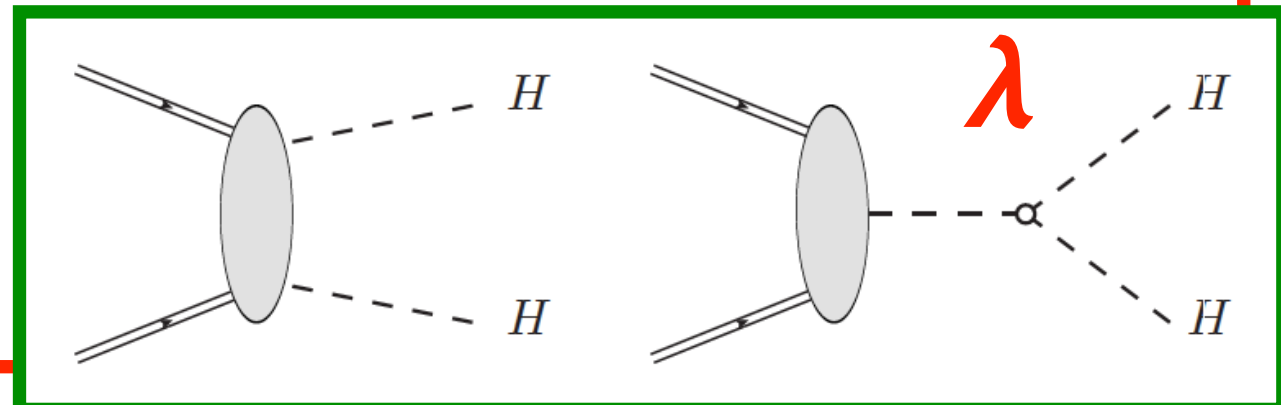


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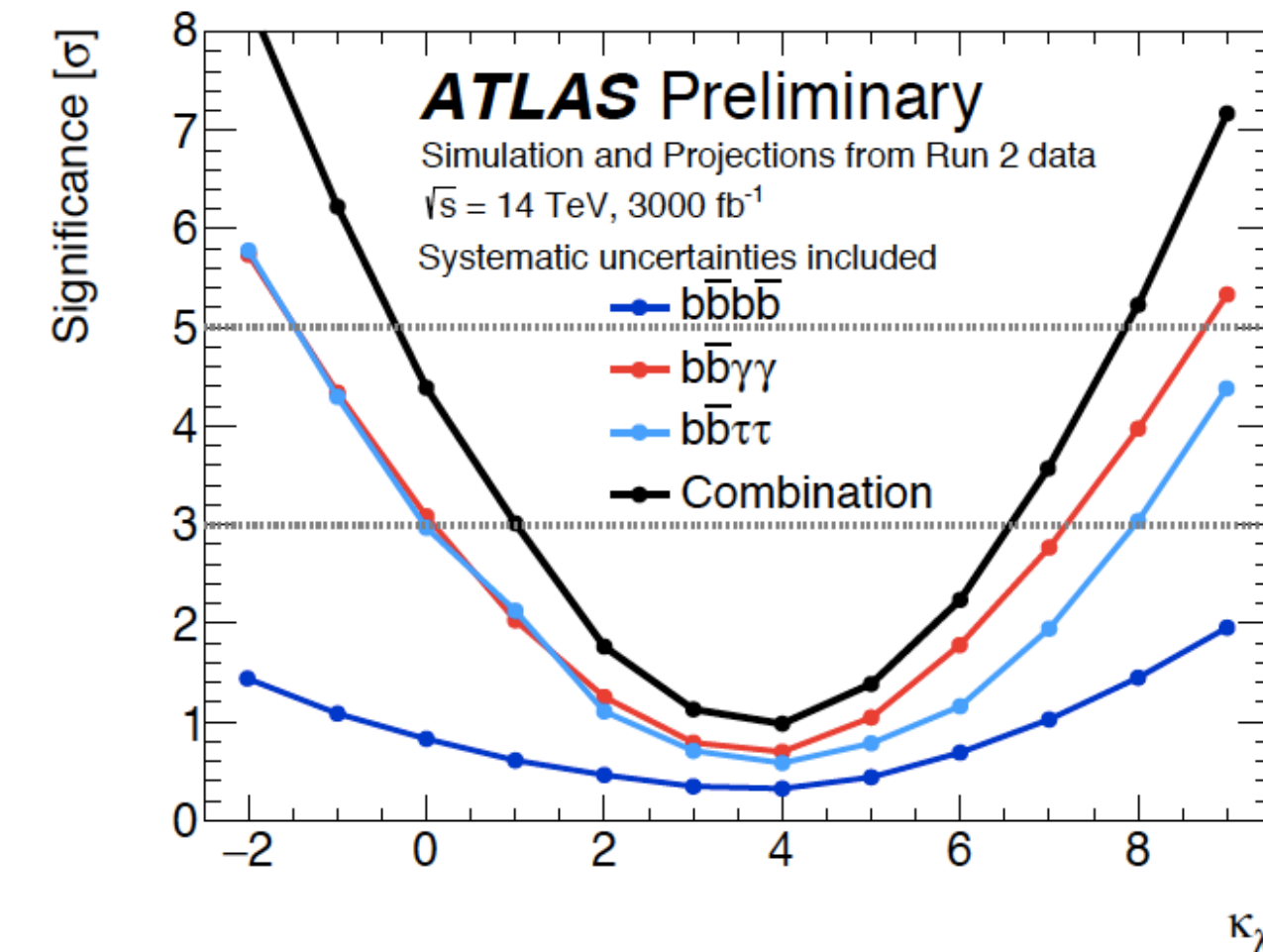
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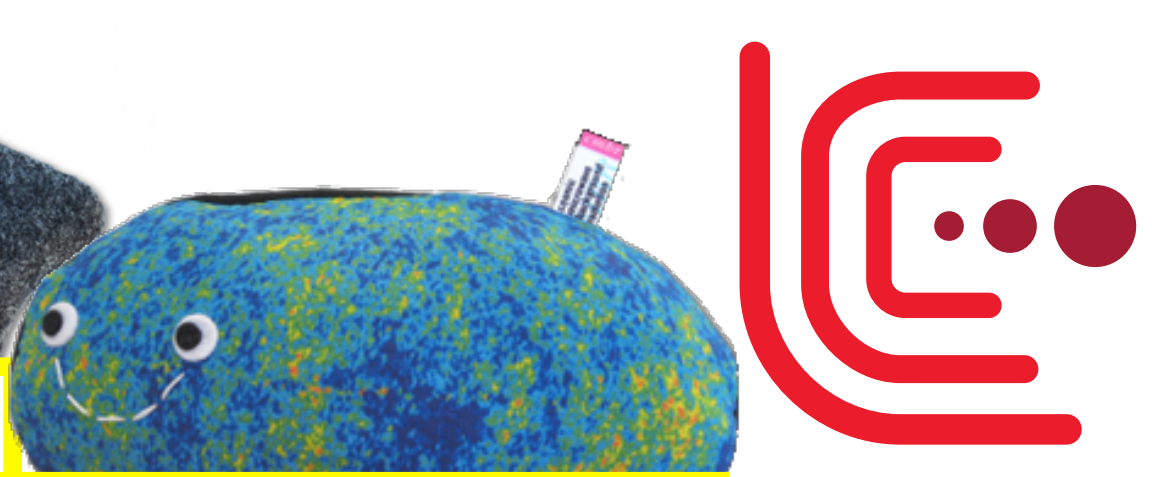
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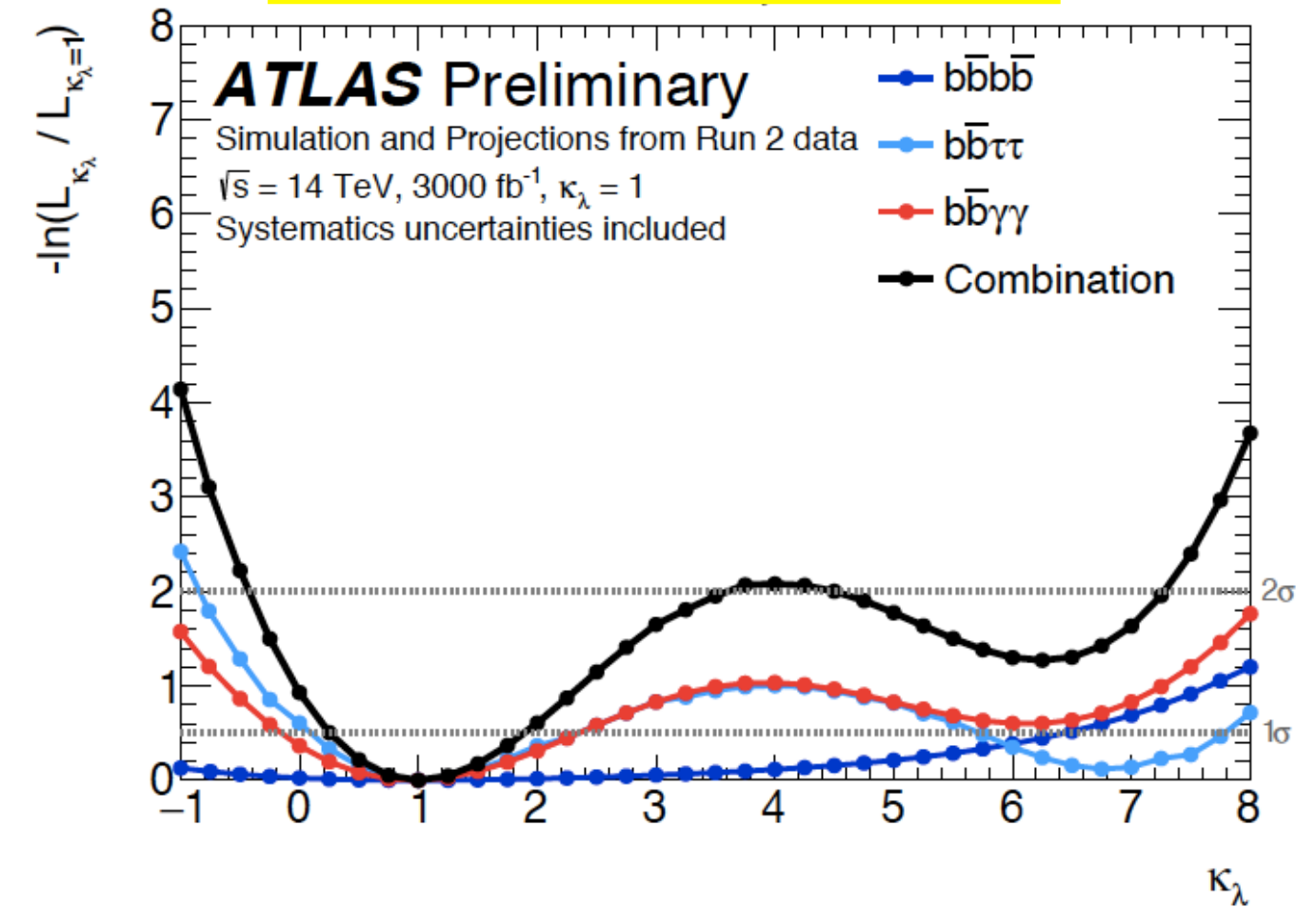


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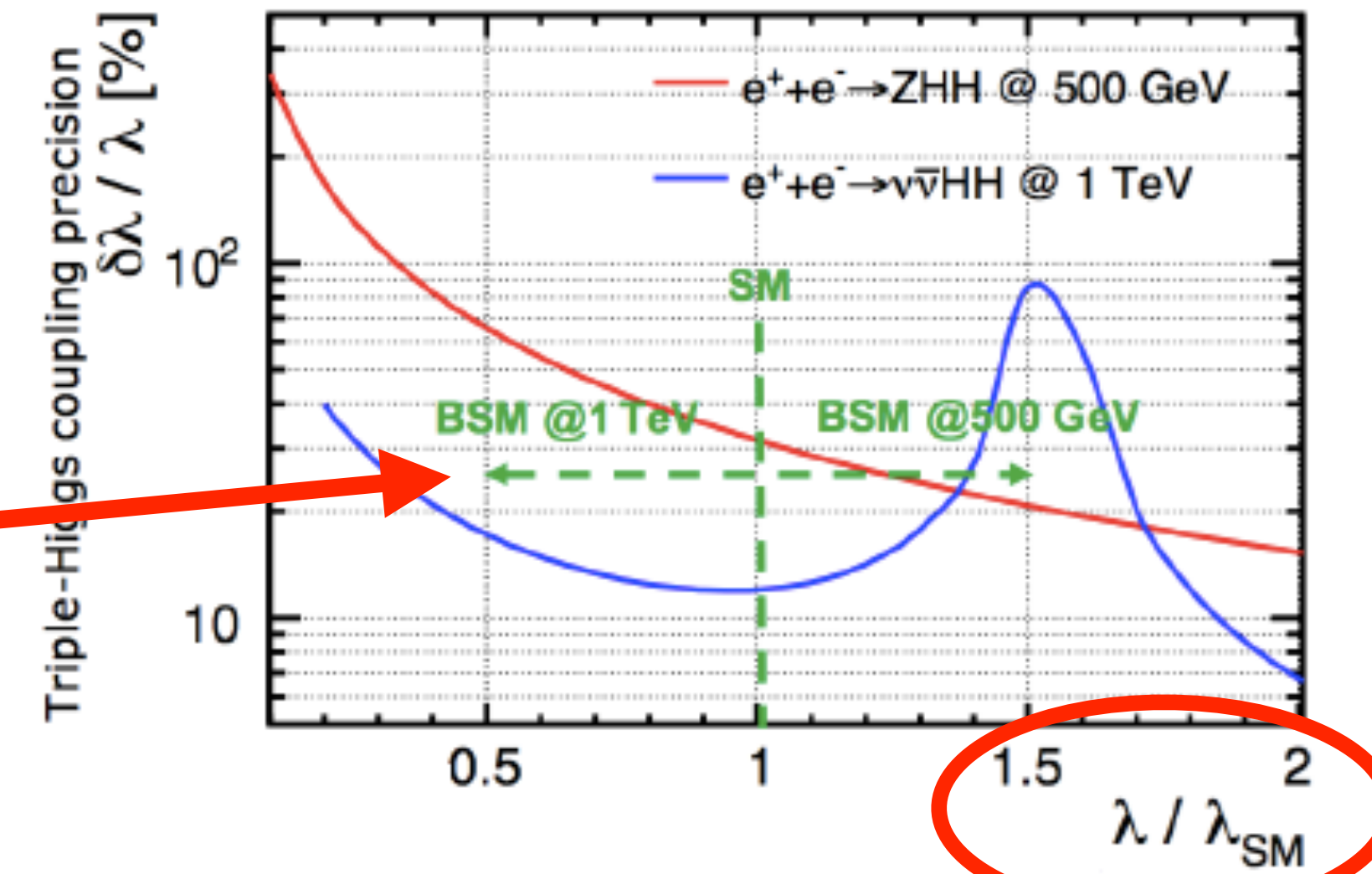
In any case: e^+e^- offers significant added value w.r.t. HL-LHC

Important: achievable precision depends strongly on actual value of λ !

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=> need combination of ZHH and $\nu\nu$ HH

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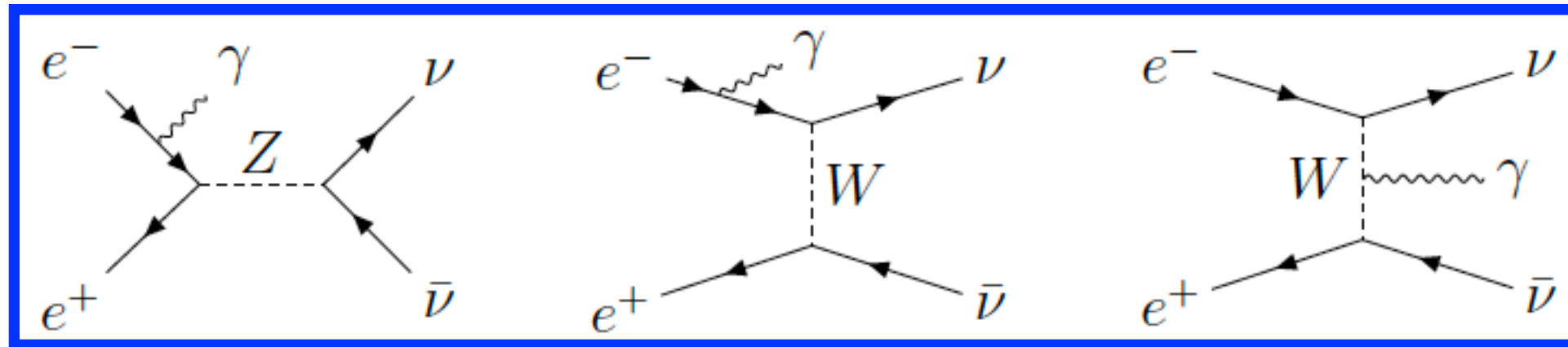
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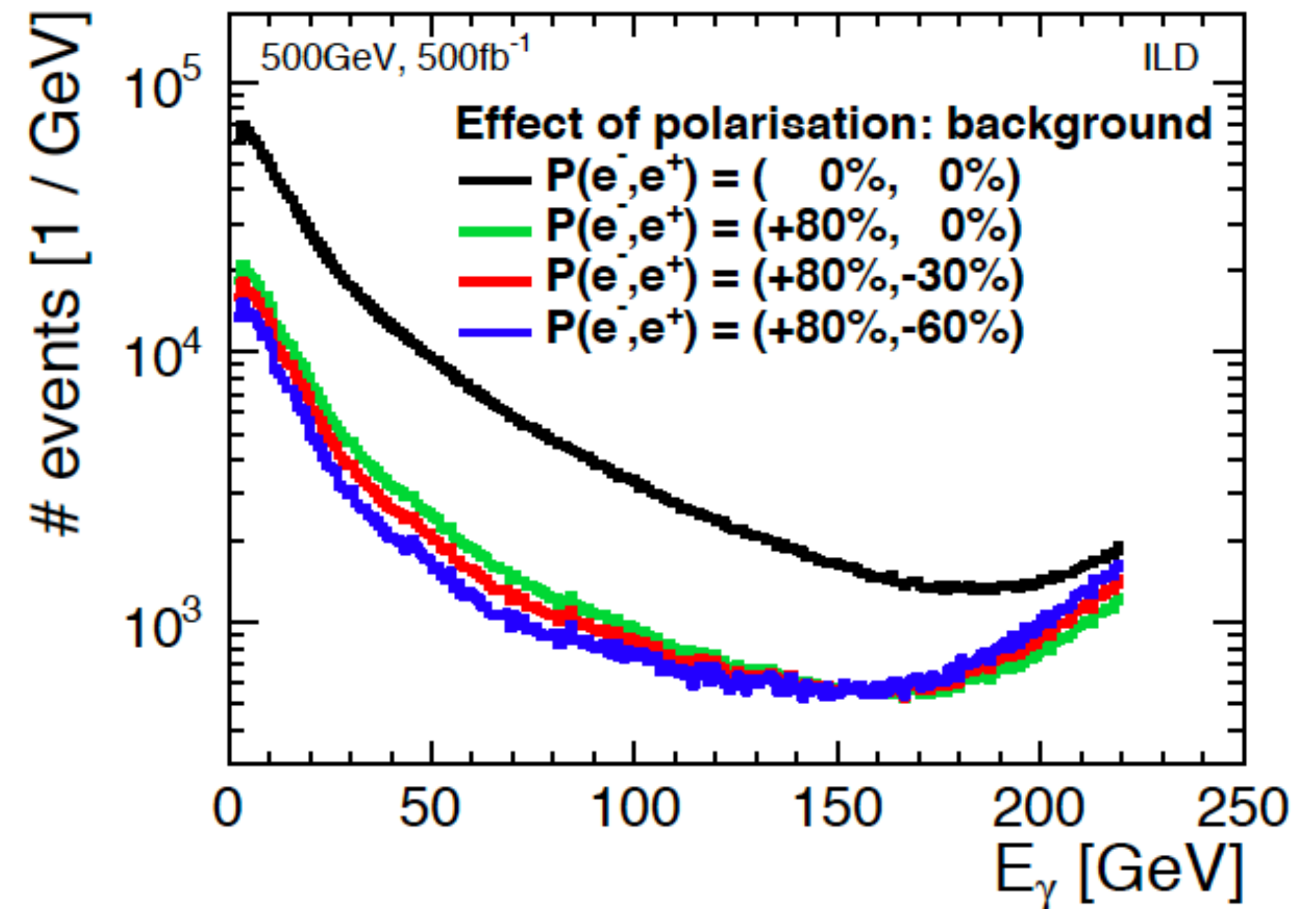


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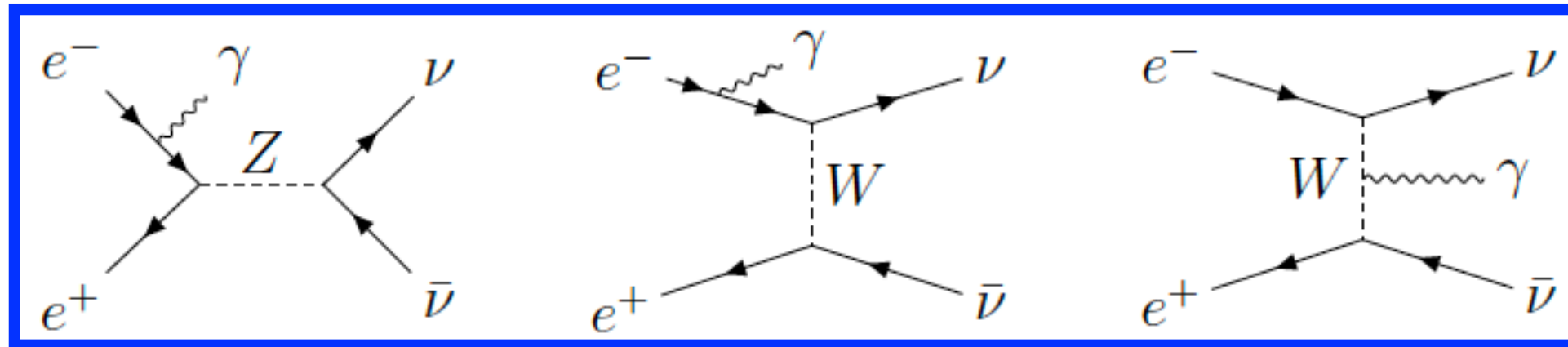




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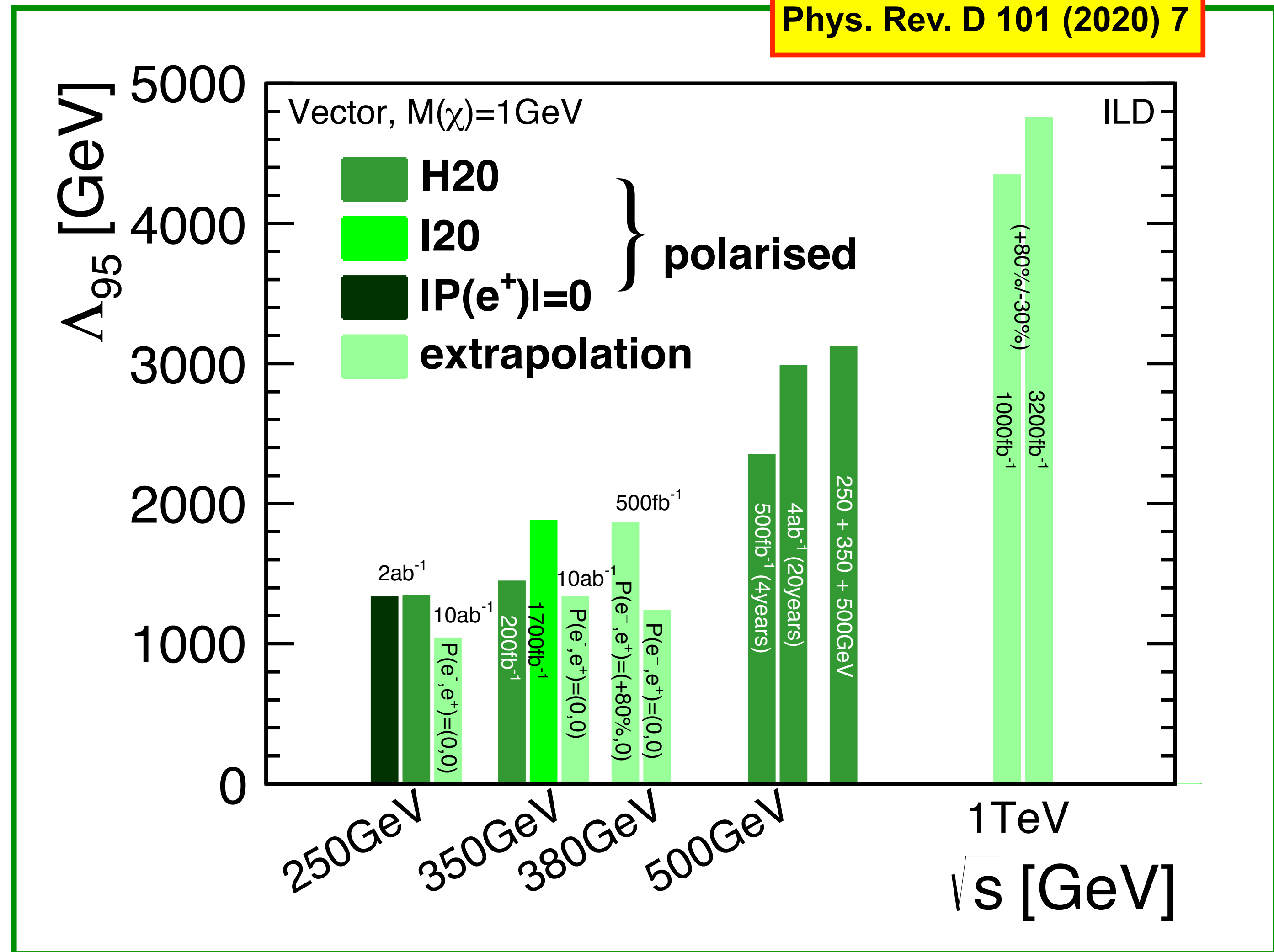
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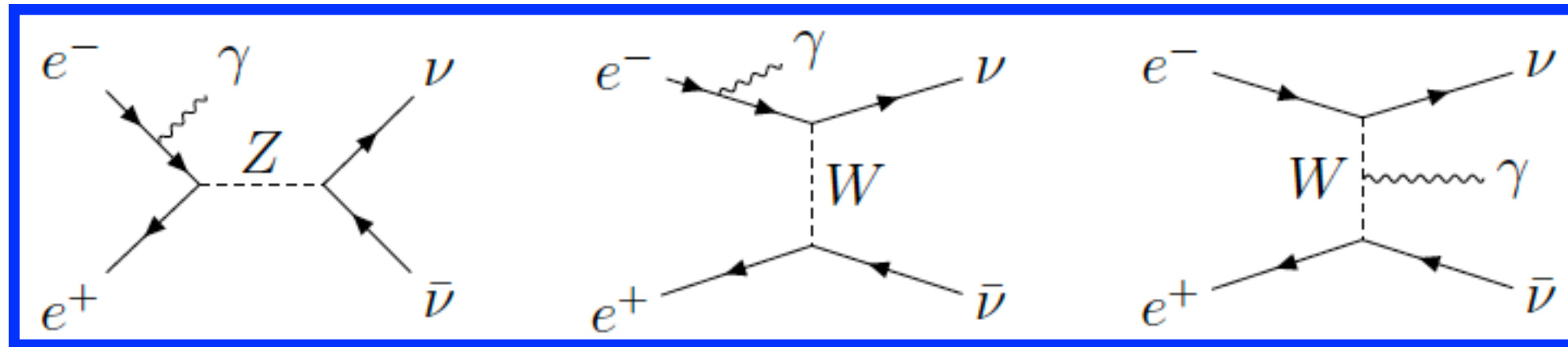




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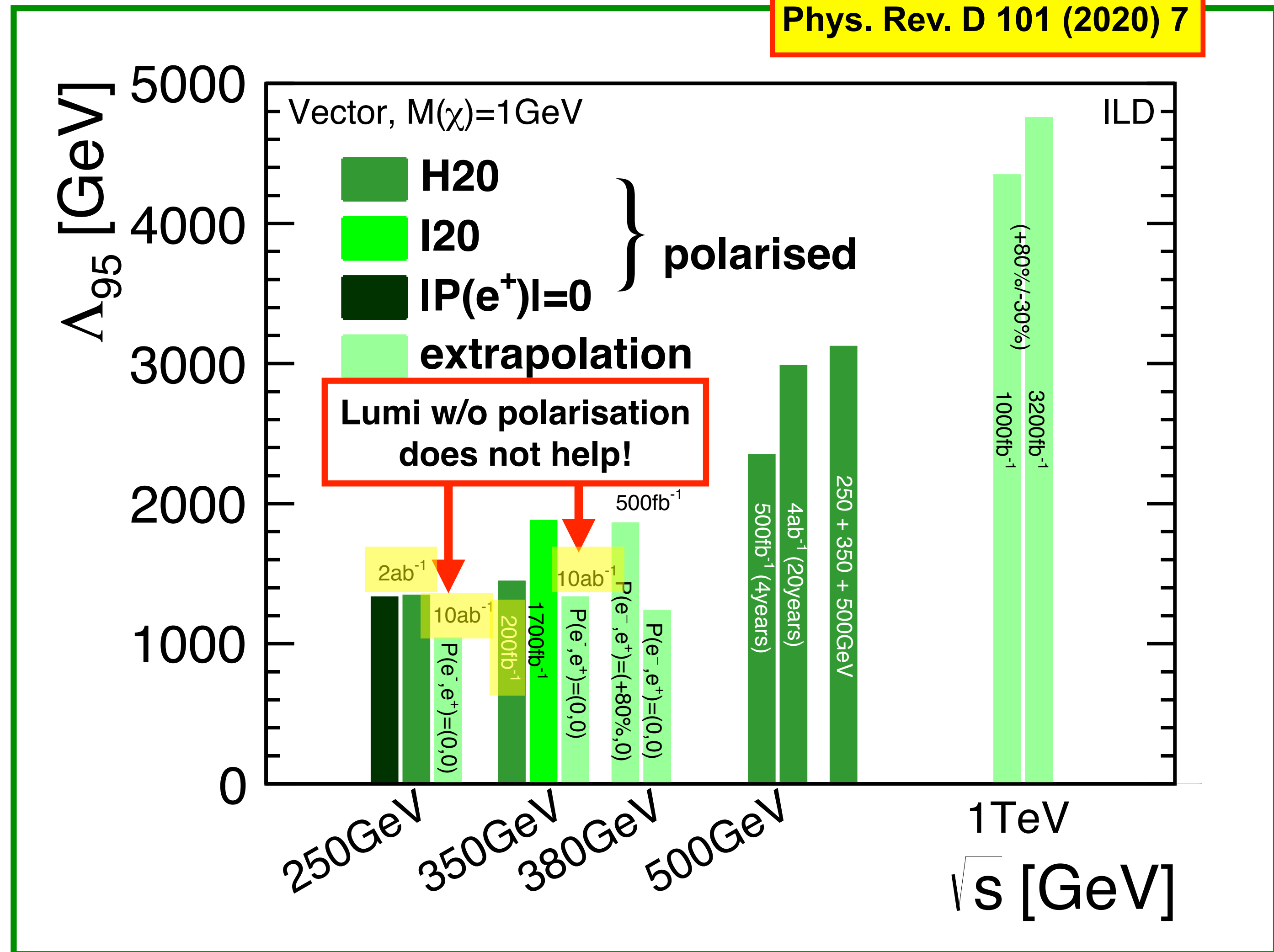
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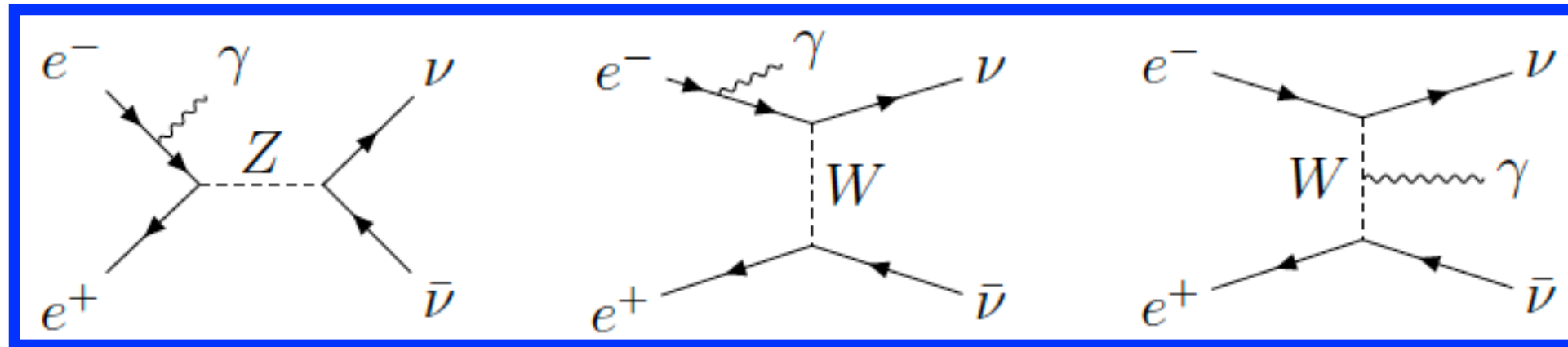




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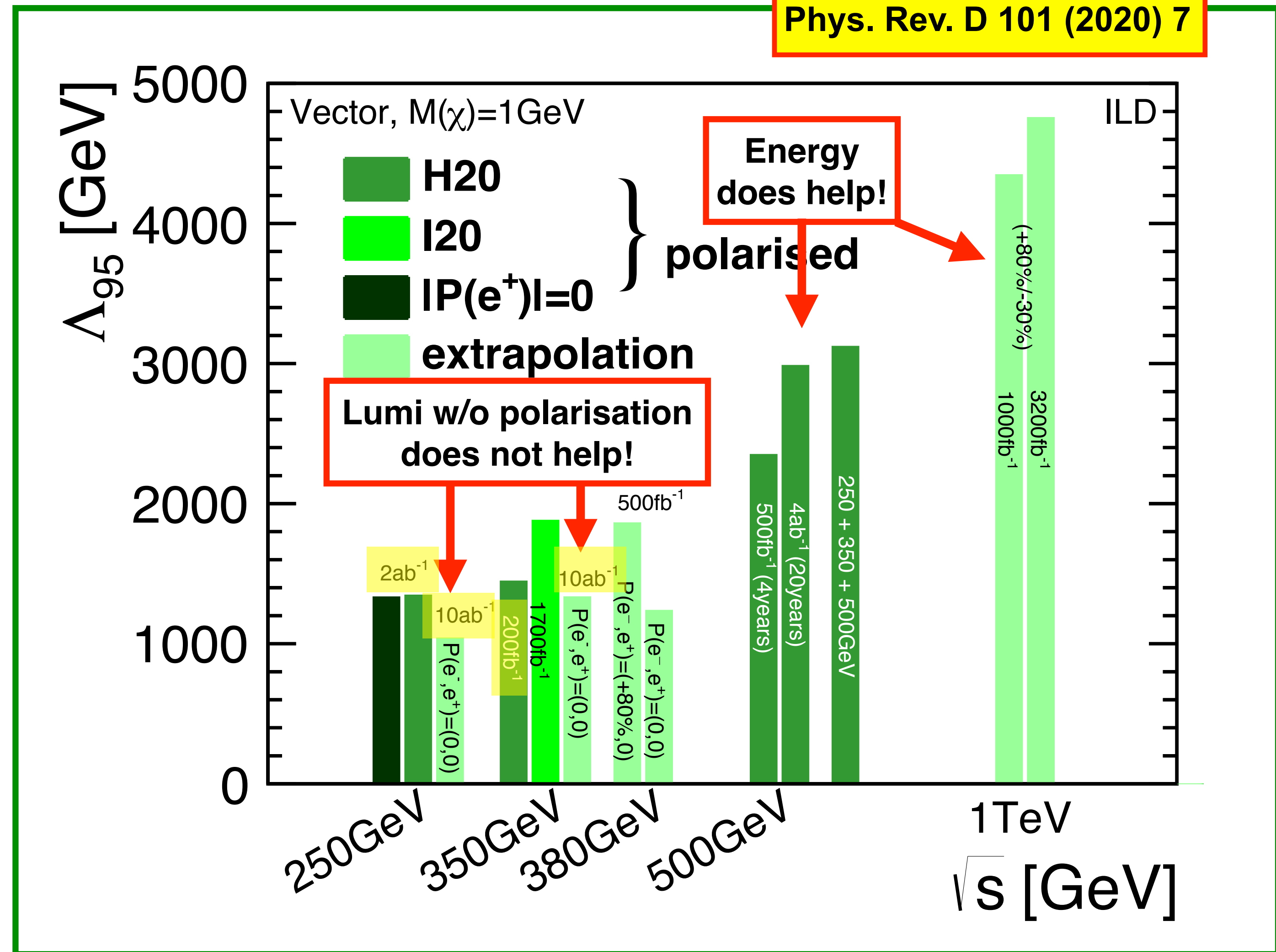
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 - ★ via precision measurements of fermions, gauge bosons and the Higgs boson
 - ★ via direct searches complementary to hadron collider reach
- **There is currently a unique window of opportunity for the Japanese government to express their interest to host the ILC250**
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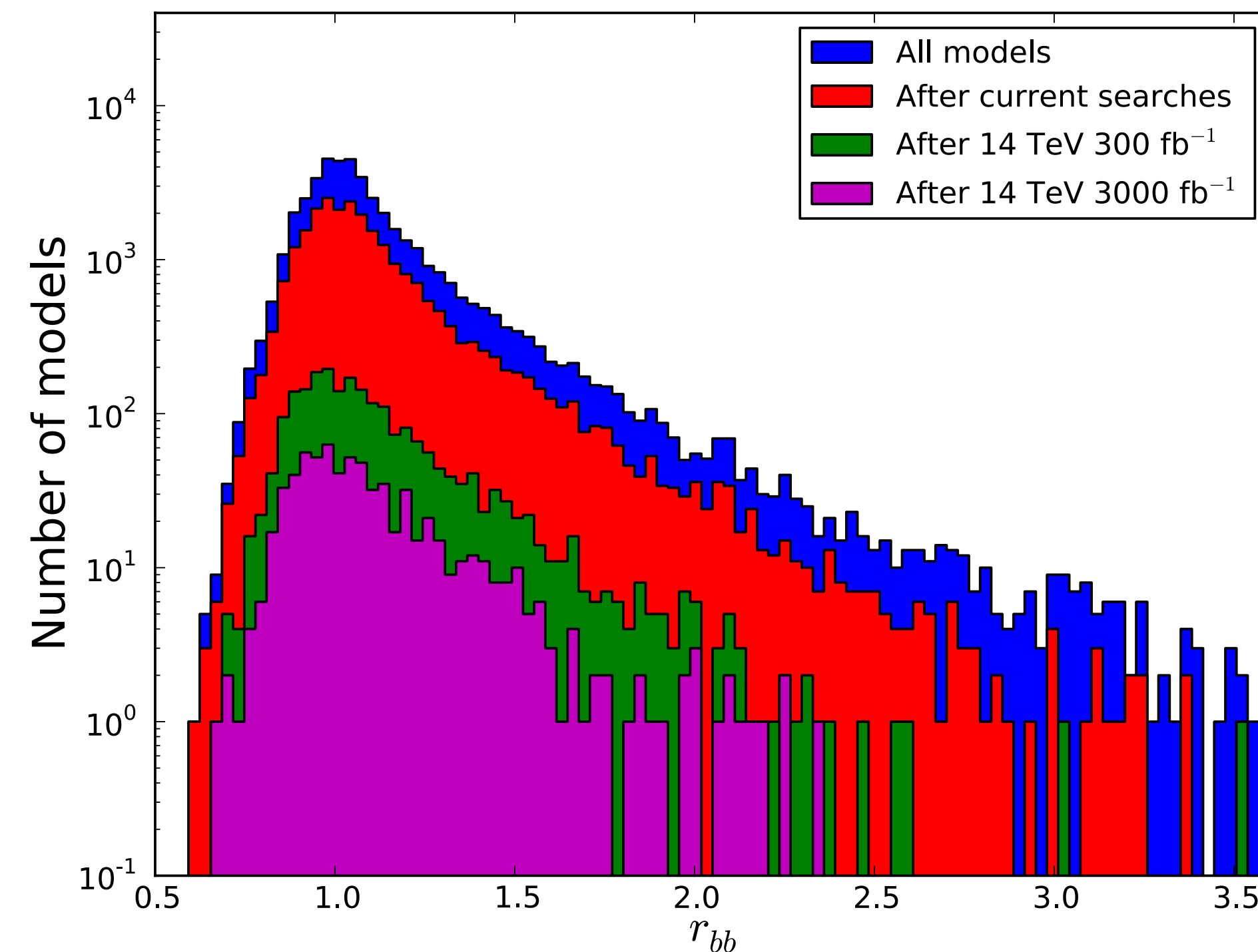


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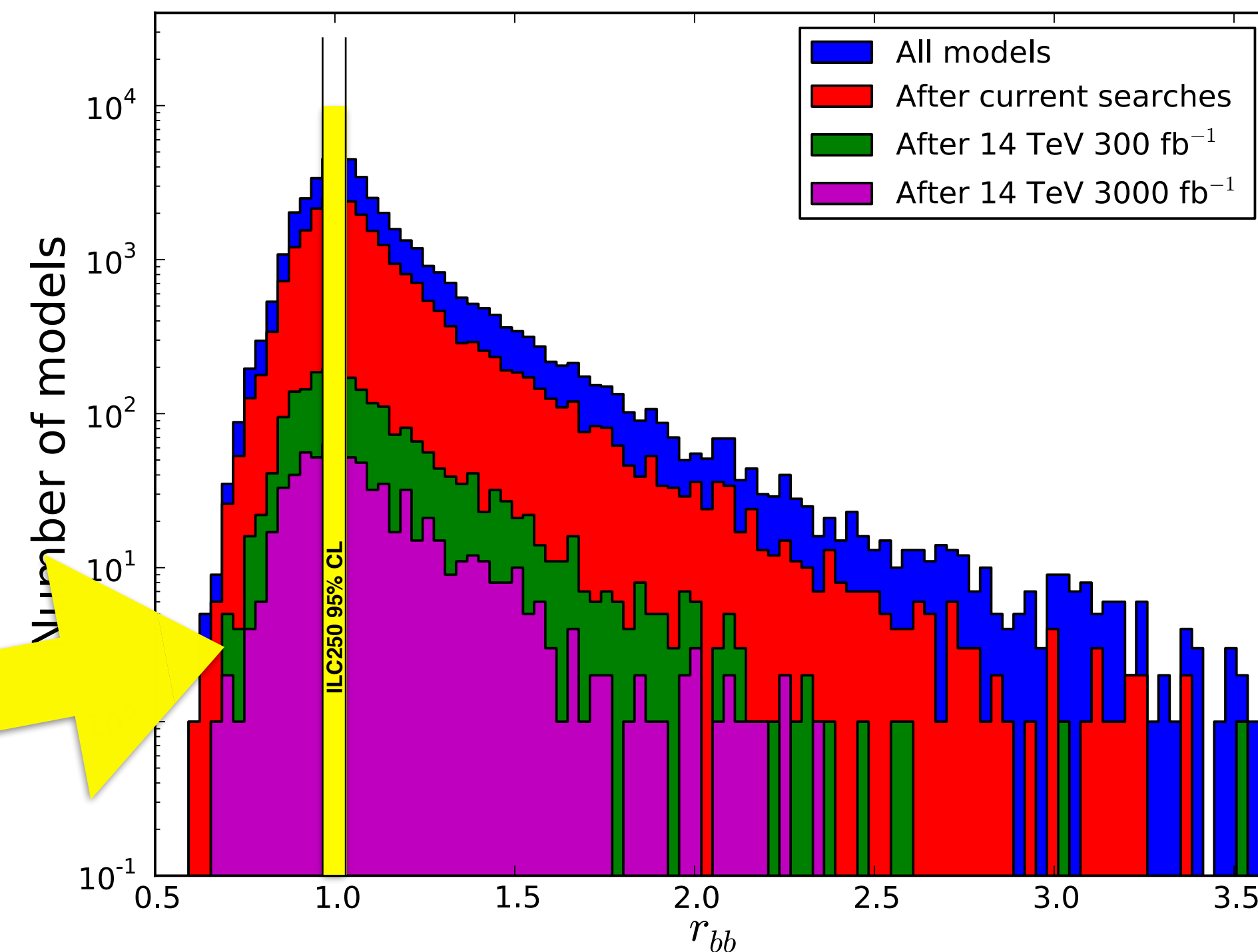
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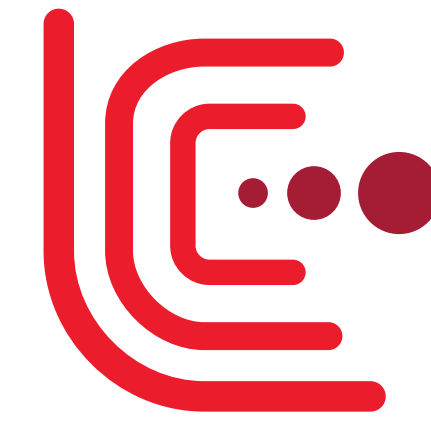
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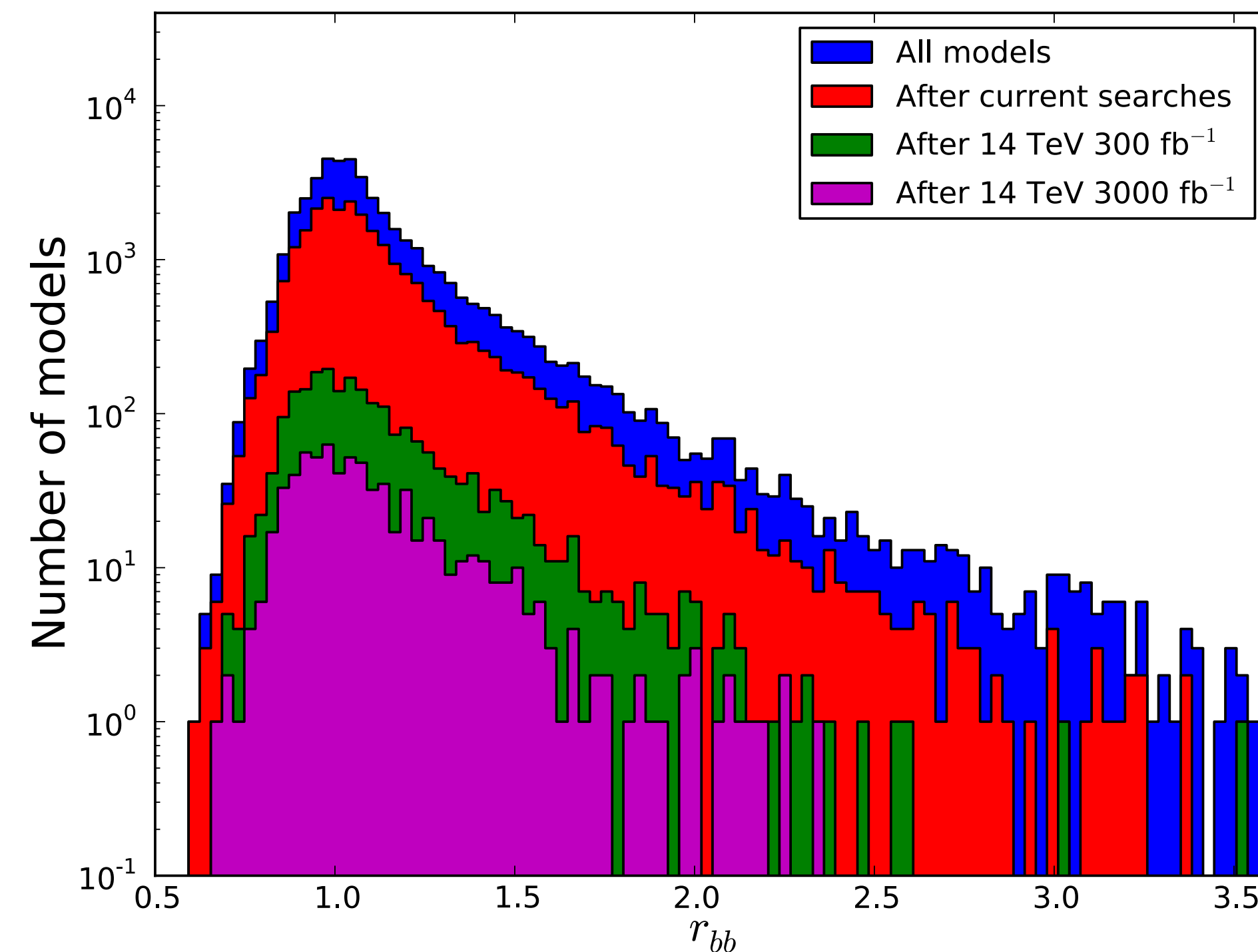


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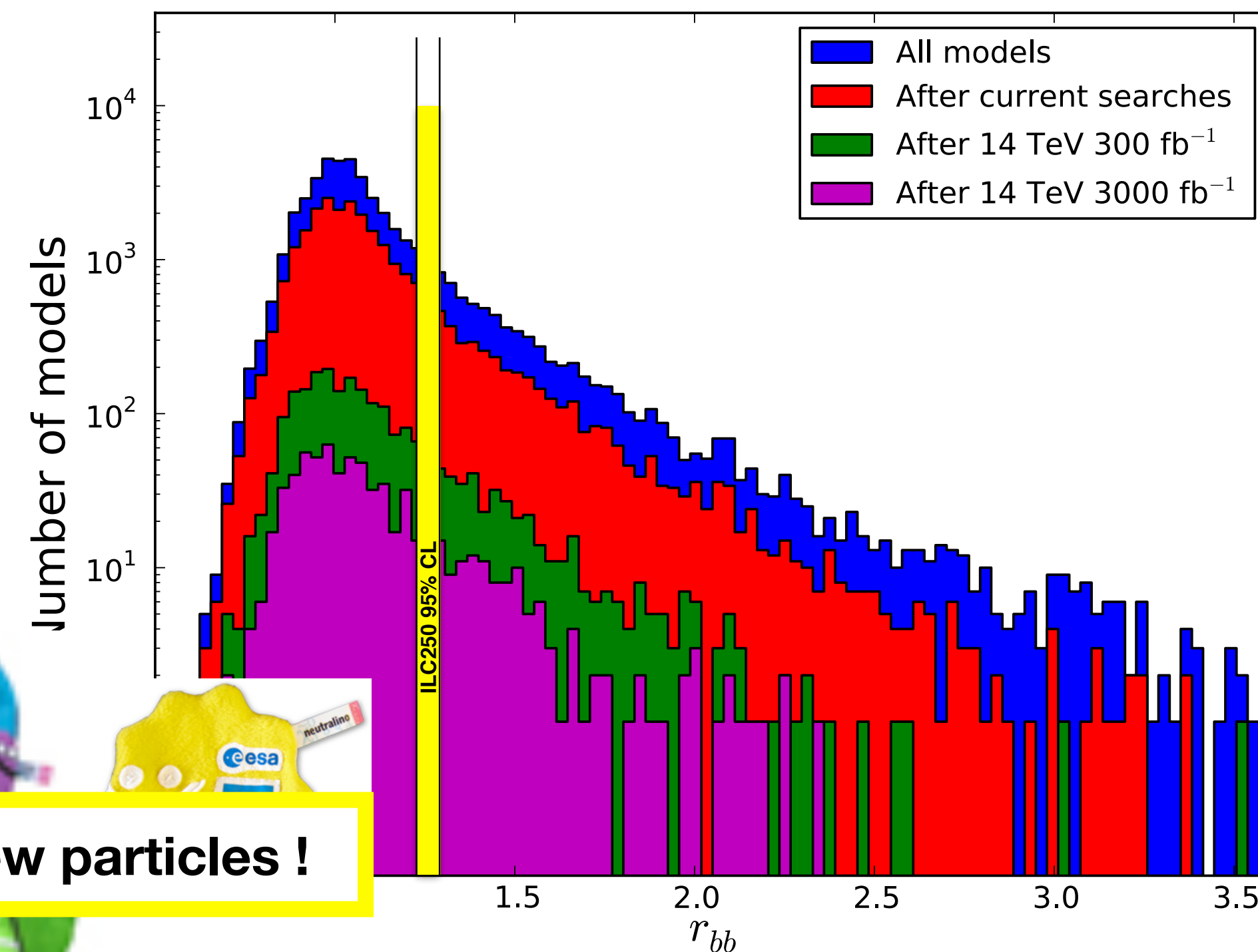
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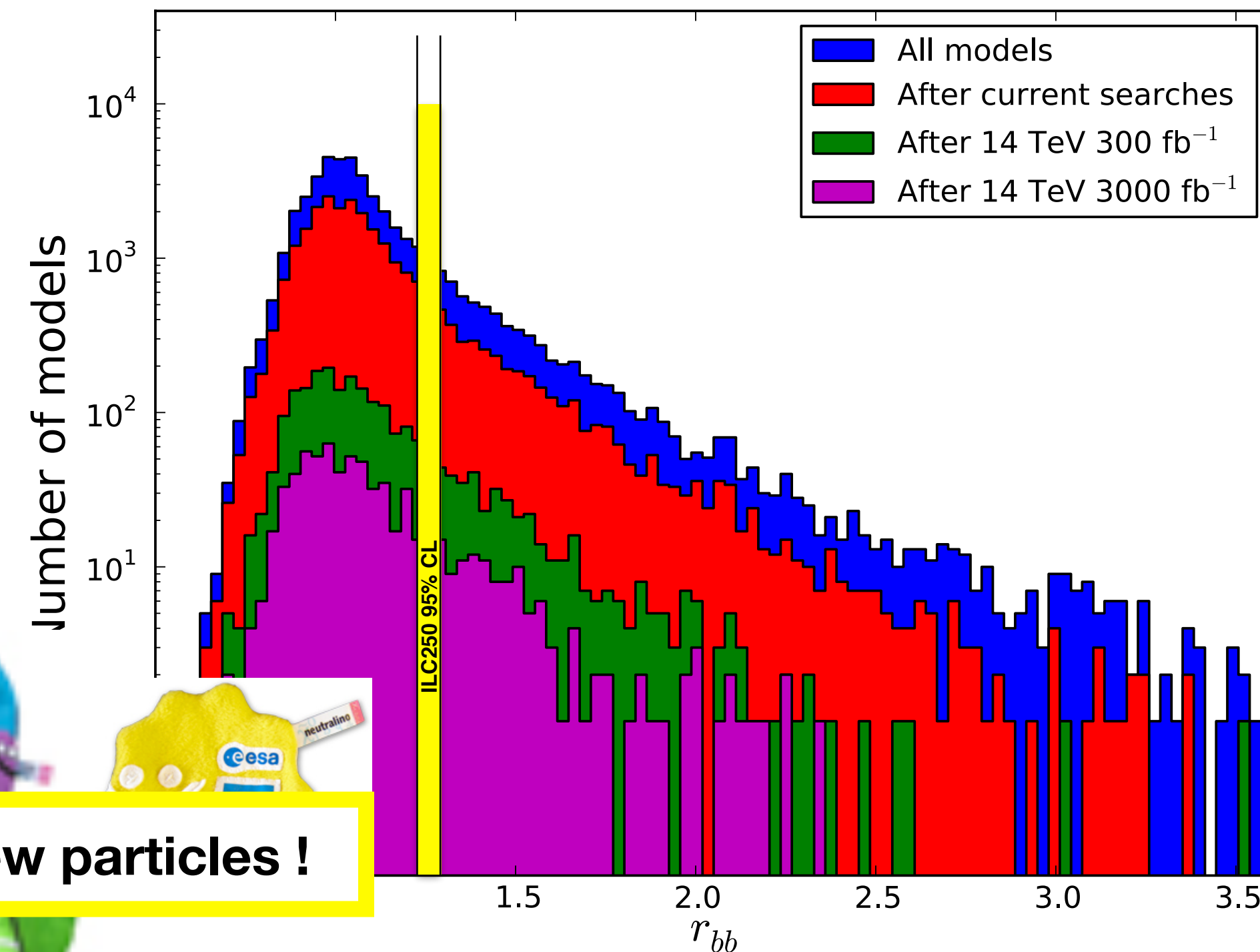
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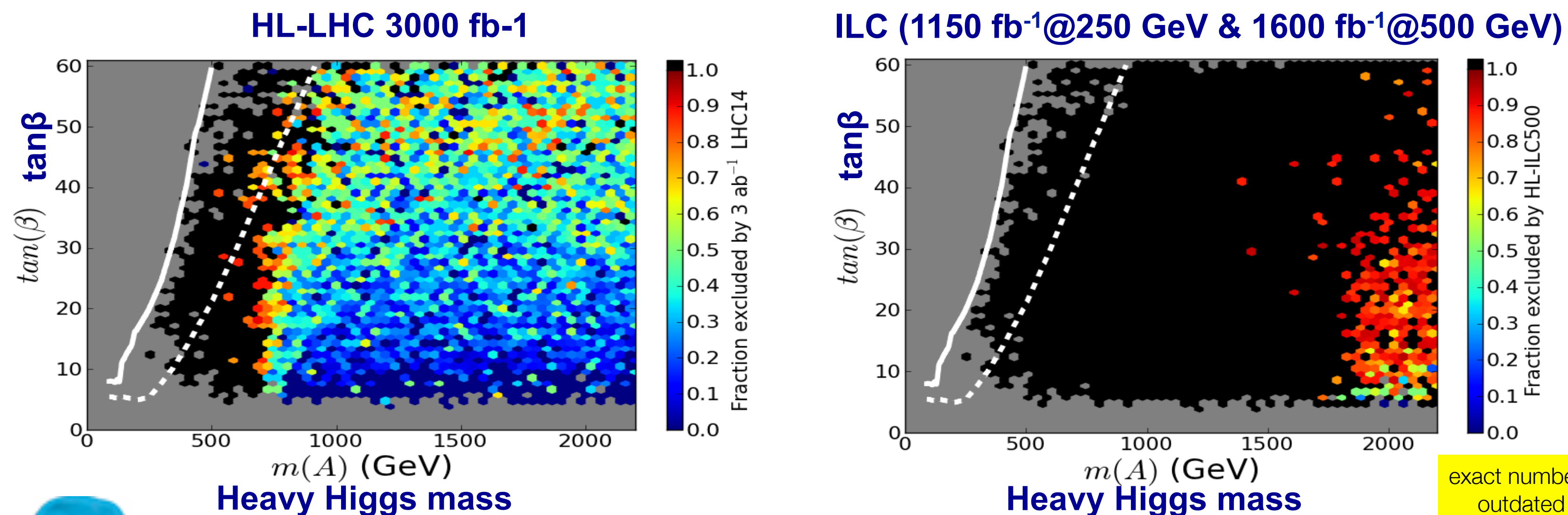
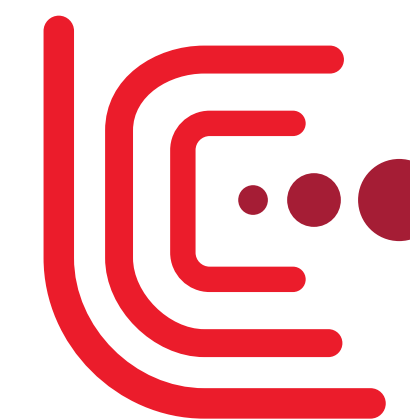
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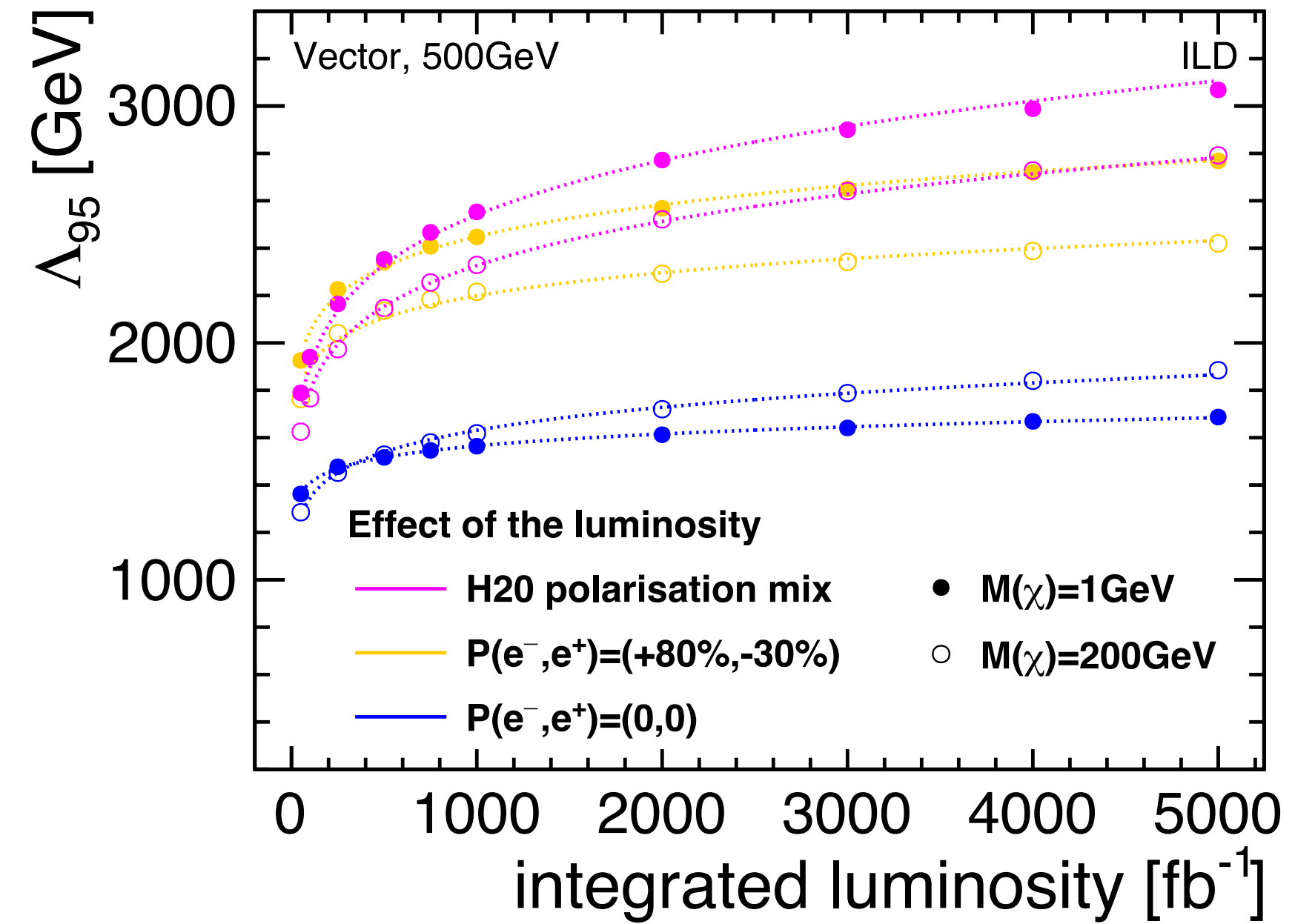
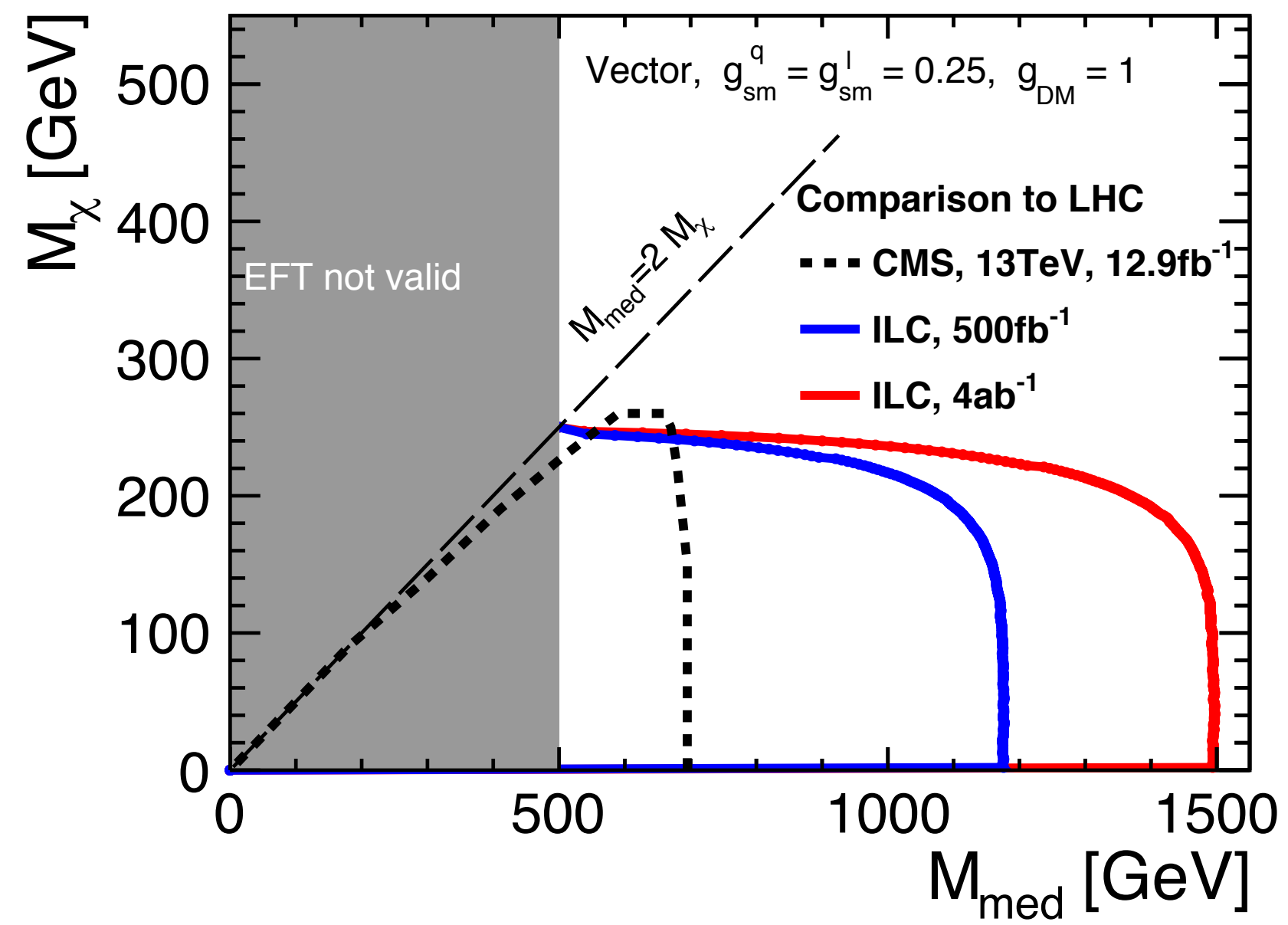
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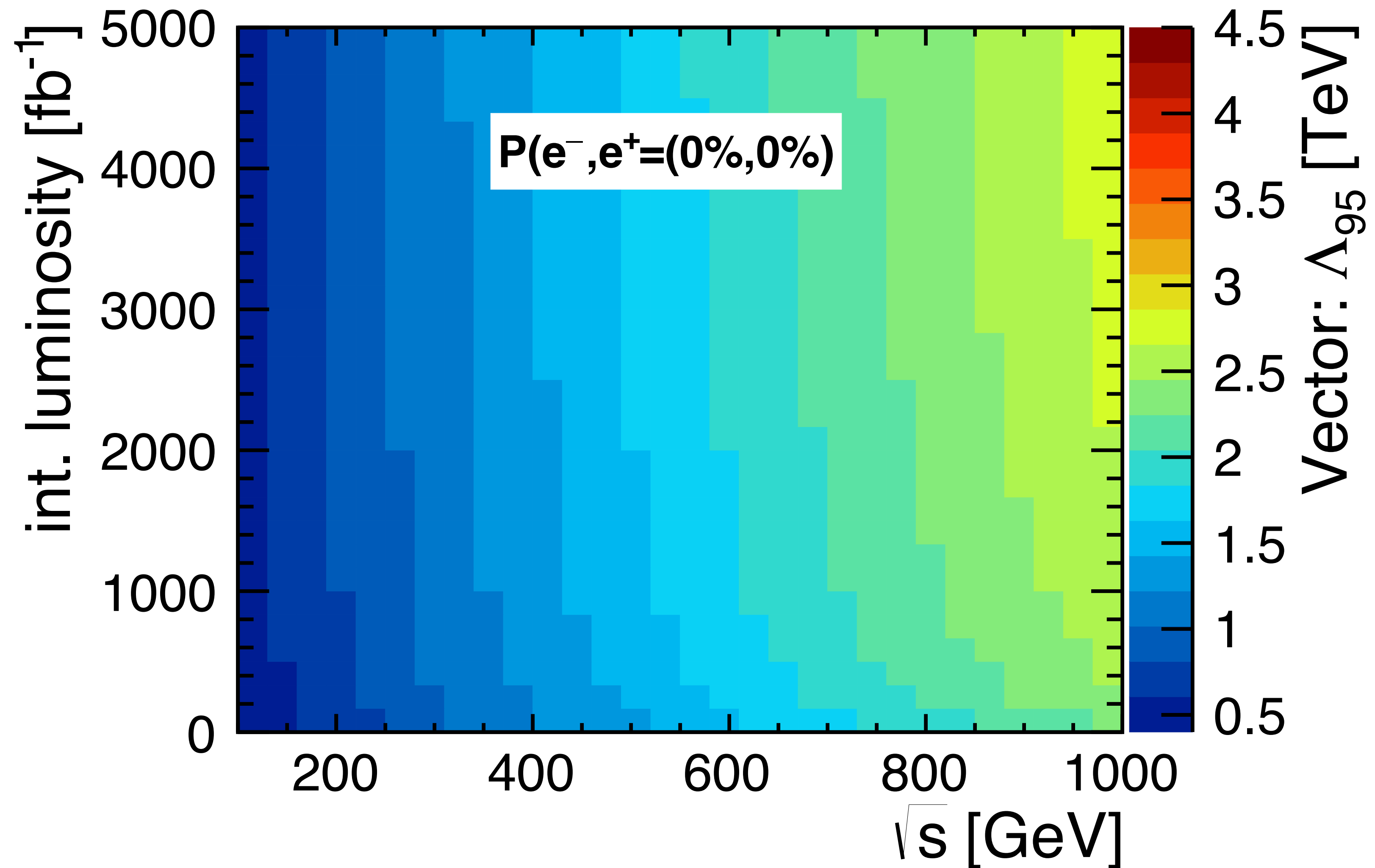
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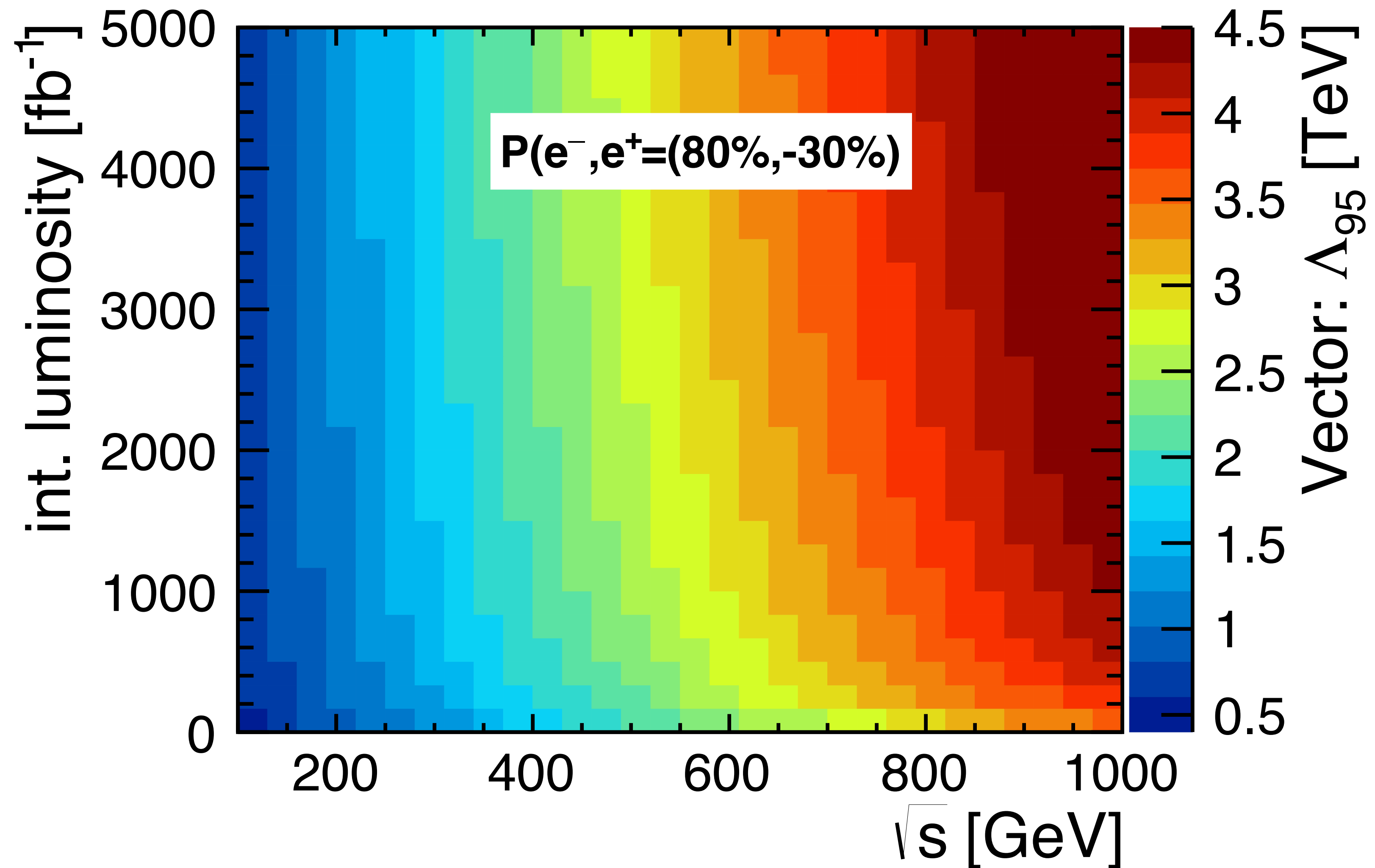
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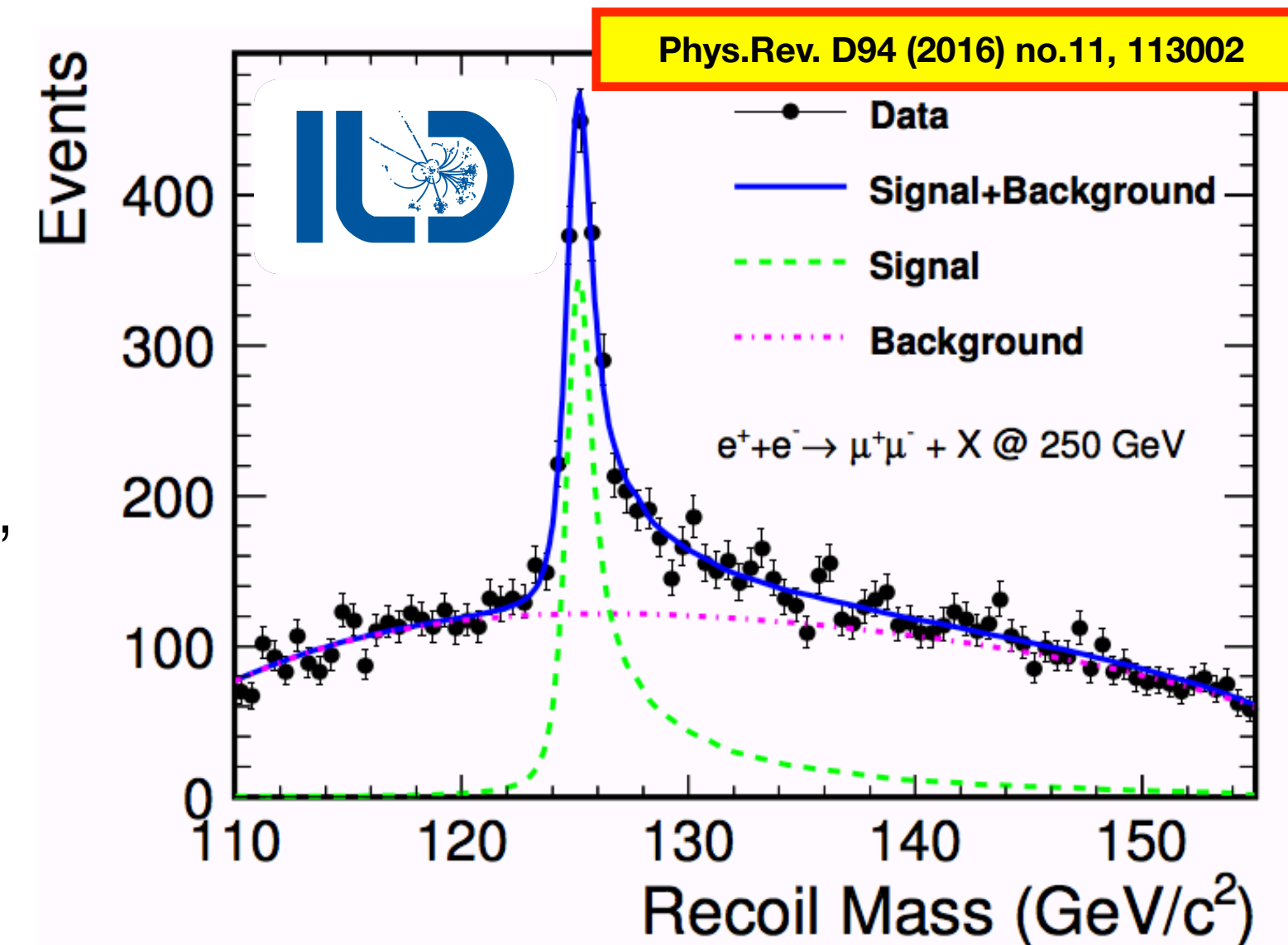
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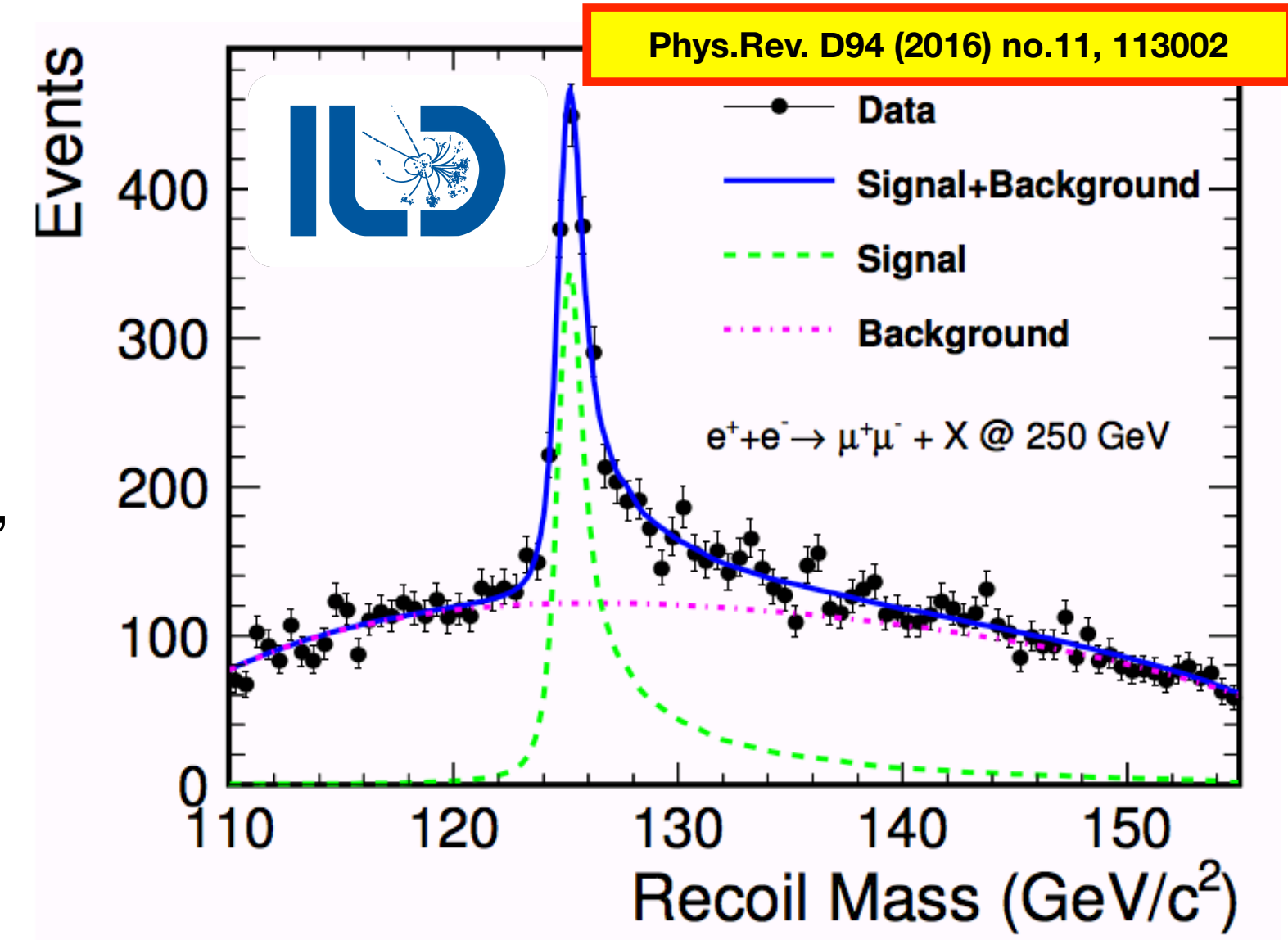
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$g(hcc)$	2.4	1.9	1.2	1.2
$g(hgg)$	2.2	1.7	0.97	0.95
$g(hWW)$	1.8	0.67	0.40	0.34
$g(h\tau\tau)$	1.9	1.2	0.80	0.74
$g(hZZ)$	0.38	0.68	0.30	0.35
$g(h\nu\nu)$	1.1	1.2	1.0	1.0
$g(h\nu\nu)/g(hZZ)$	2.9	5.1	2.6	2.6
$g(hWW)/g(hZZ)$	4.7	0.46	0.46	0.46
Γ_h	3.9	2.5	1.7	1.6
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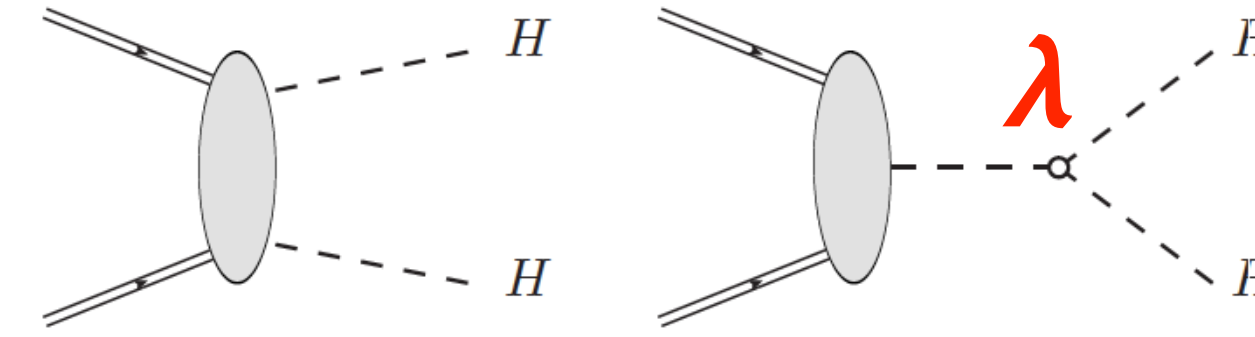
• 250 GeV does a great job

• + 500 GeV improves up to a factor of ~2



Double Higgs Production

- always multiple diagrams contributing - with and without Higgs self-coupling λ
- interference induces *non-trivial relations* between cross sections and λ
- VHH has opposite behaviour to VBF /ggF=> important independent information!
- largest sensitivity to λ near threshold => restriction to high energy / high mass does not help
- **unique for e^+e^- @ 500 GeV: access to VHH**



$e^+e^- \rightarrow XHH$

