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Long-lived neutral scalar searches at FASER

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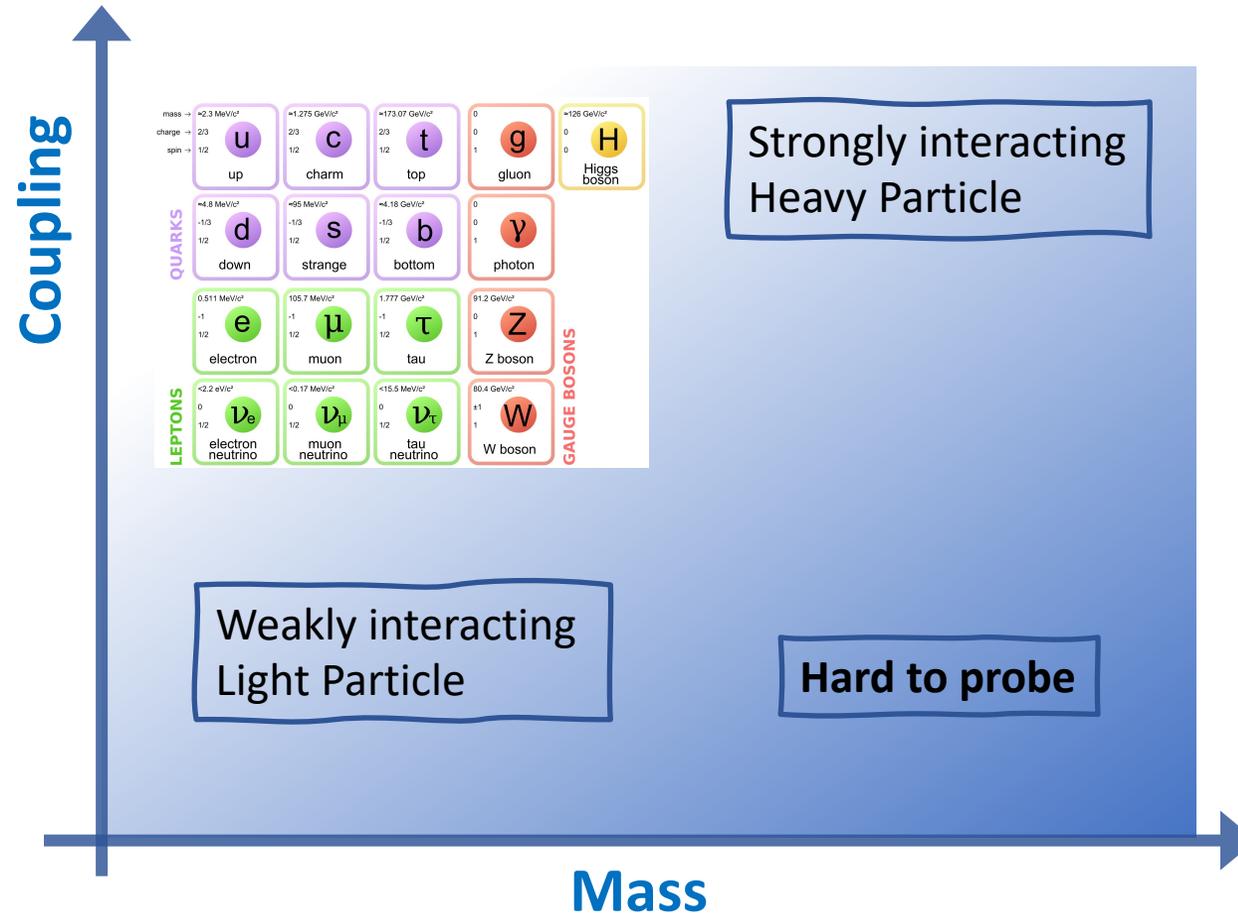


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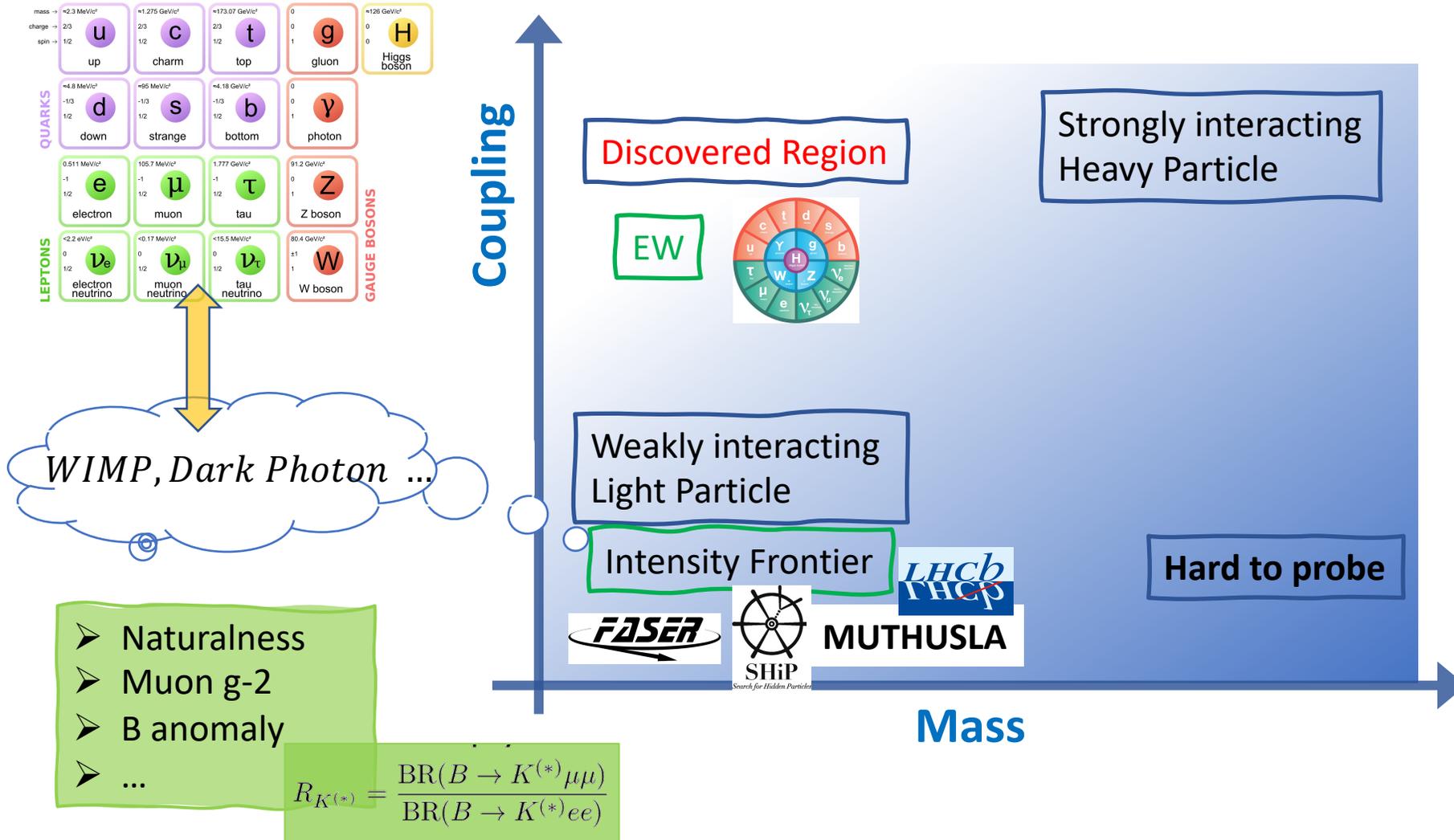
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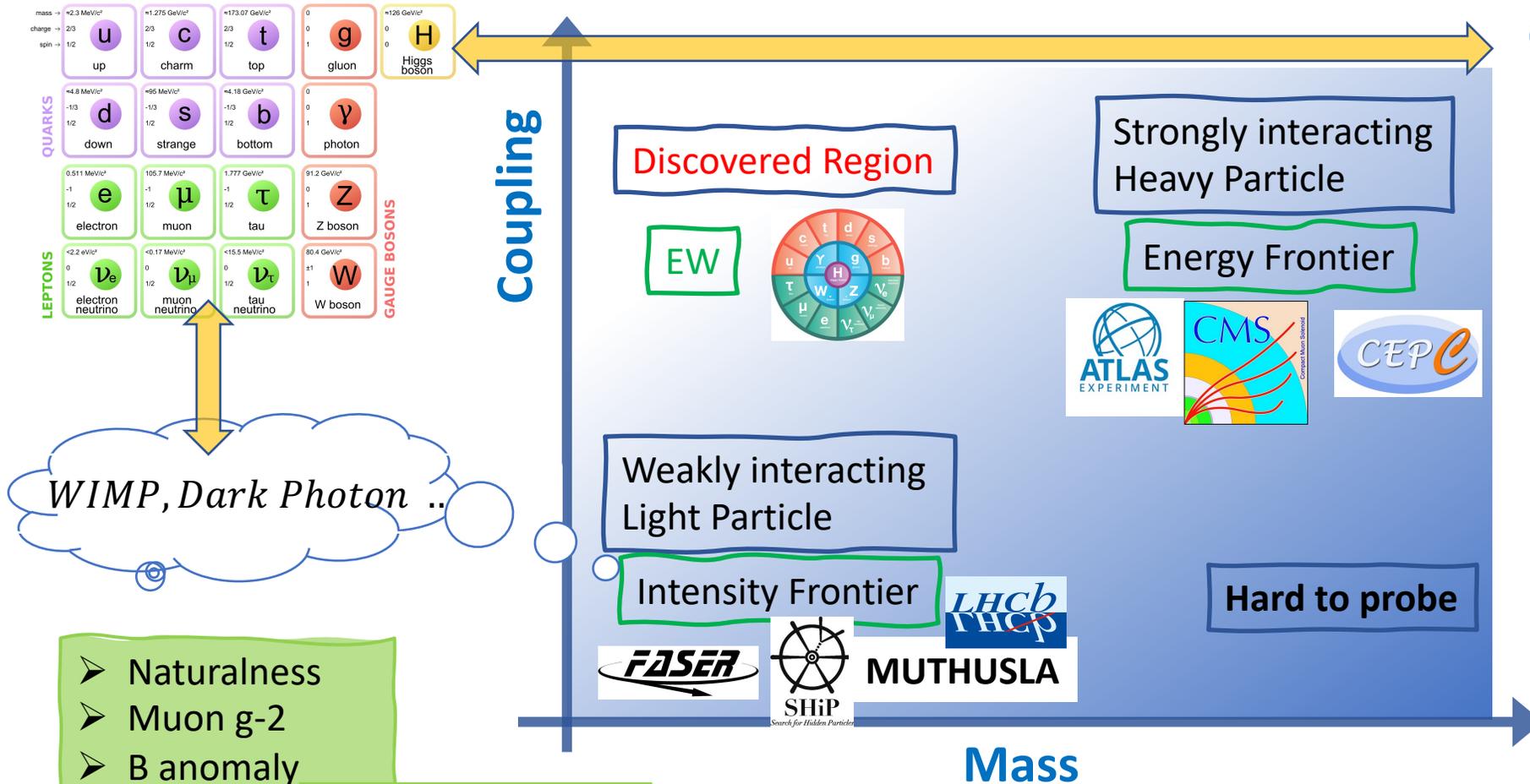
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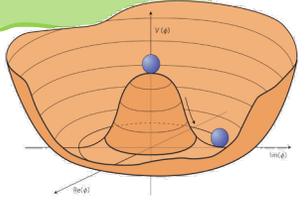


Motivation: LLP



DM, Dark Photon ...

- Naturalness
- Muon g-2
- Phase transition
- ...

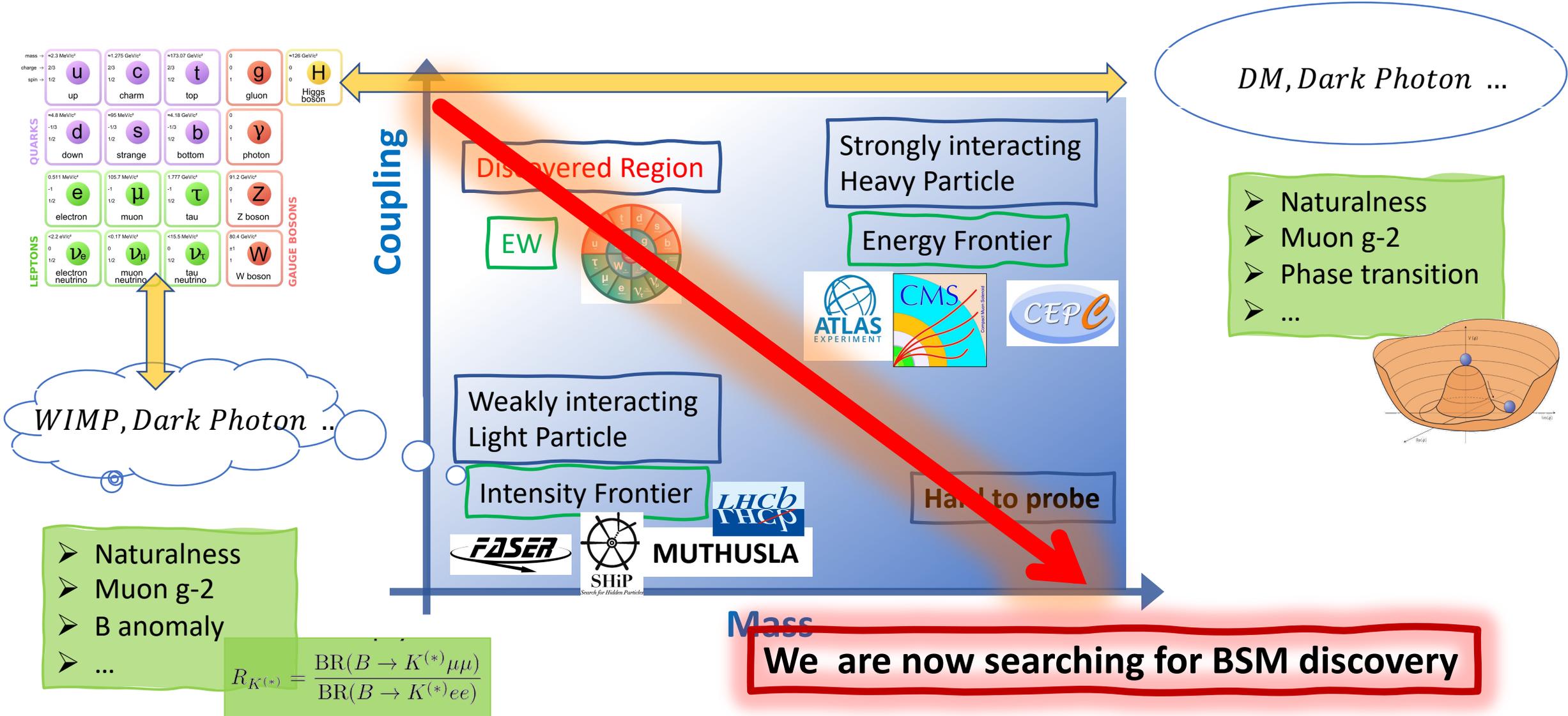


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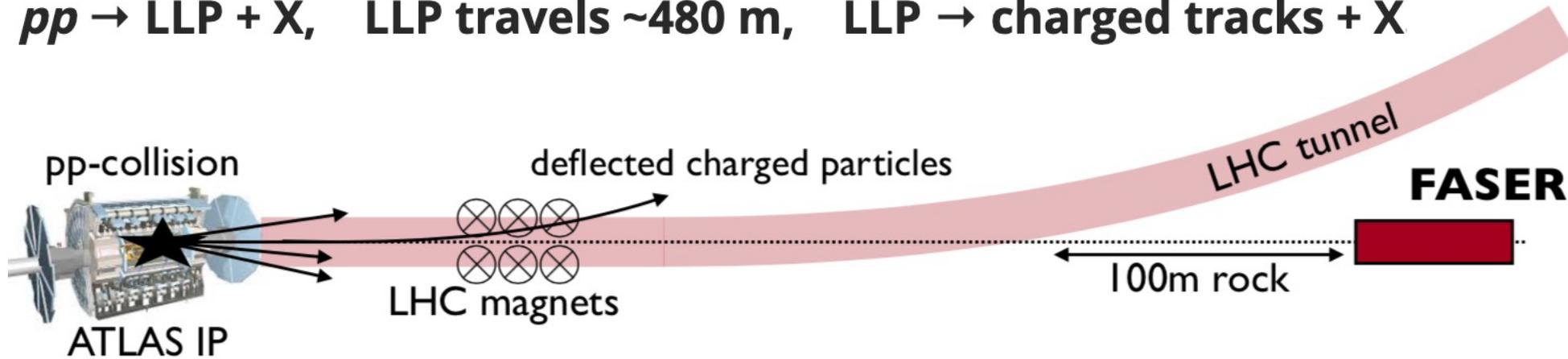
$$R_{K^{(*)}} = \frac{\text{BR}(B \rightarrow K^{(*)}\mu\mu)}{\text{BR}(B \rightarrow K^{(*)}ee)}$$

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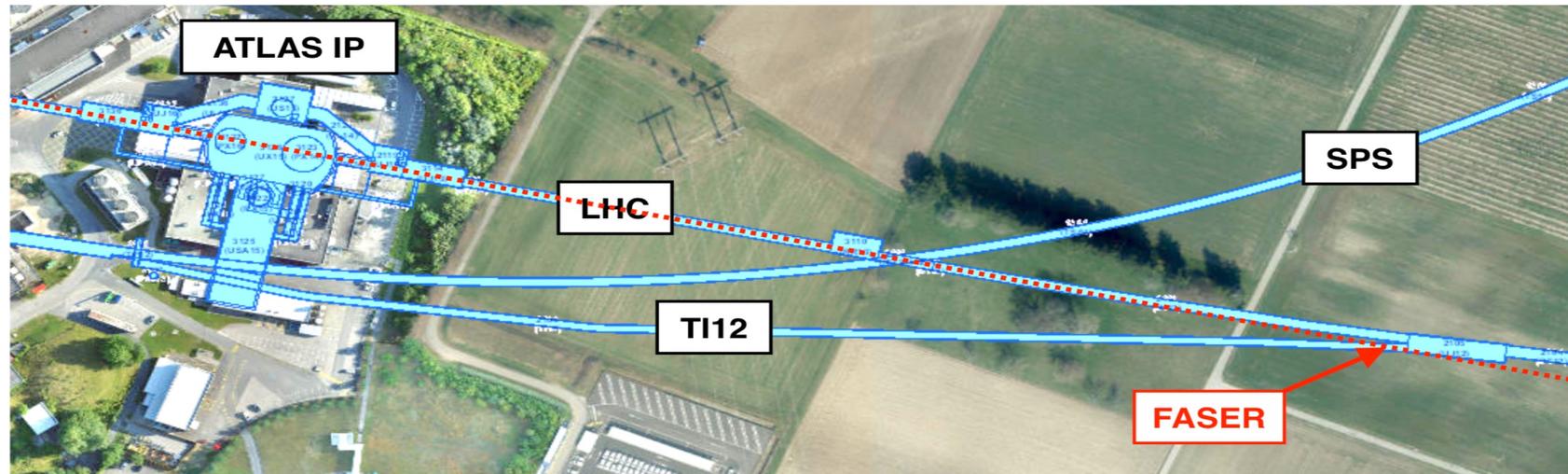


FASER: ForwArd Search ExpeRiment

$pp \rightarrow \text{LLP} + X$, LLP travels ~ 480 m, LLP \rightarrow charged tracks + X

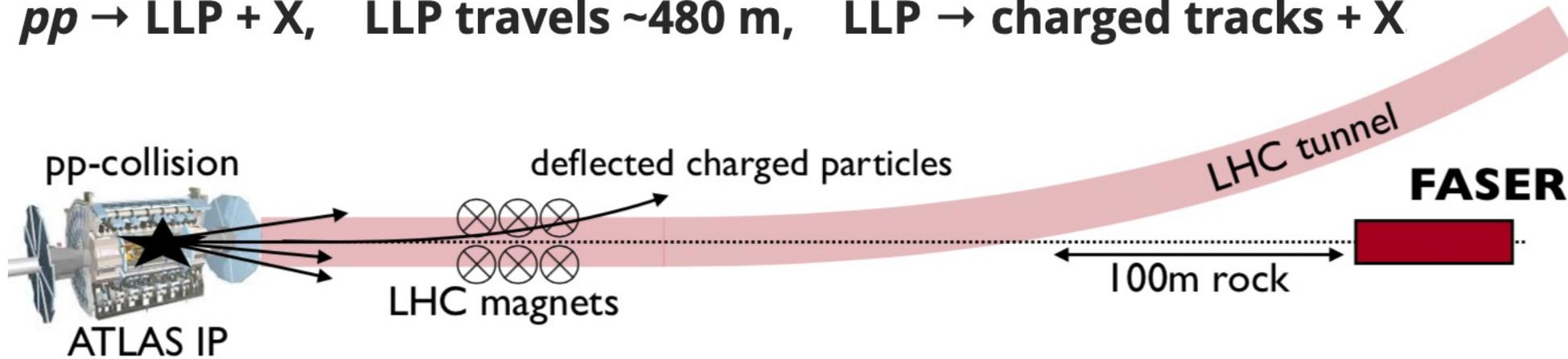


Weakly
interacting
Light Particle



FASER

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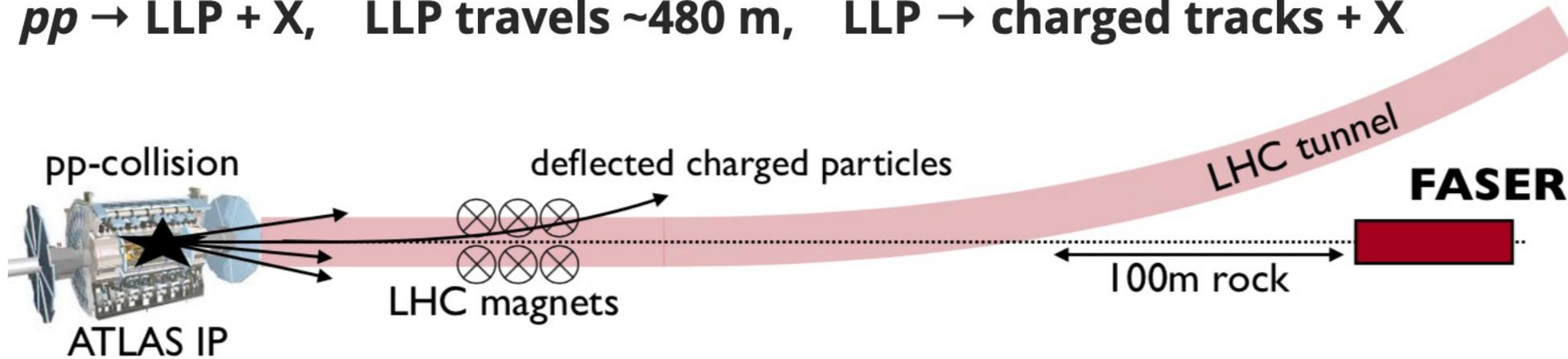


Production

- The most important one is, low P_T is not covered
- many hadrons: $10^{17} \pi$, $10^{16} K$, $10^{15} D$, $10^{14} B$ with $E \sim \text{TeV}$
- particles are collimated $\theta \sim \Lambda_{\text{QCD}}/E$

FASER

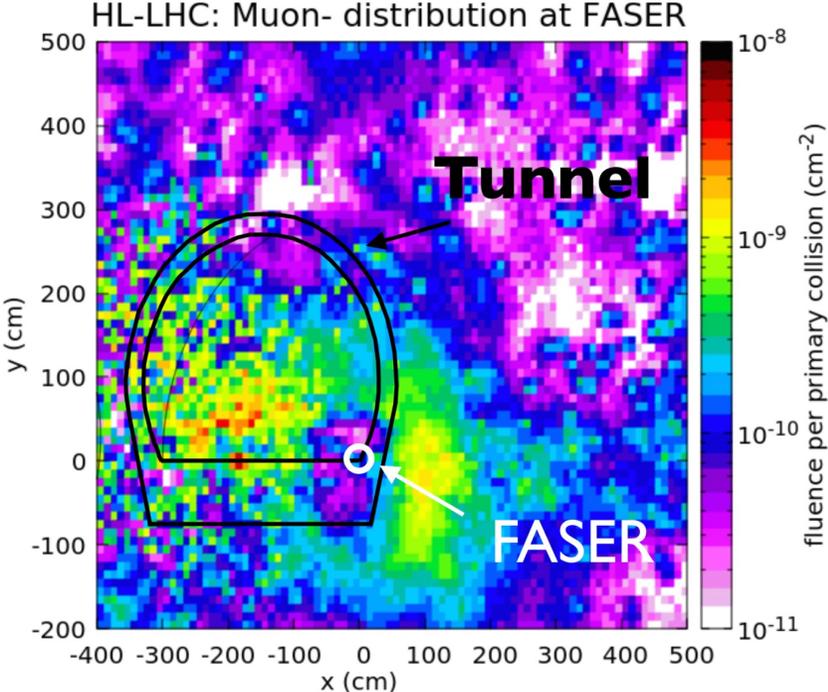
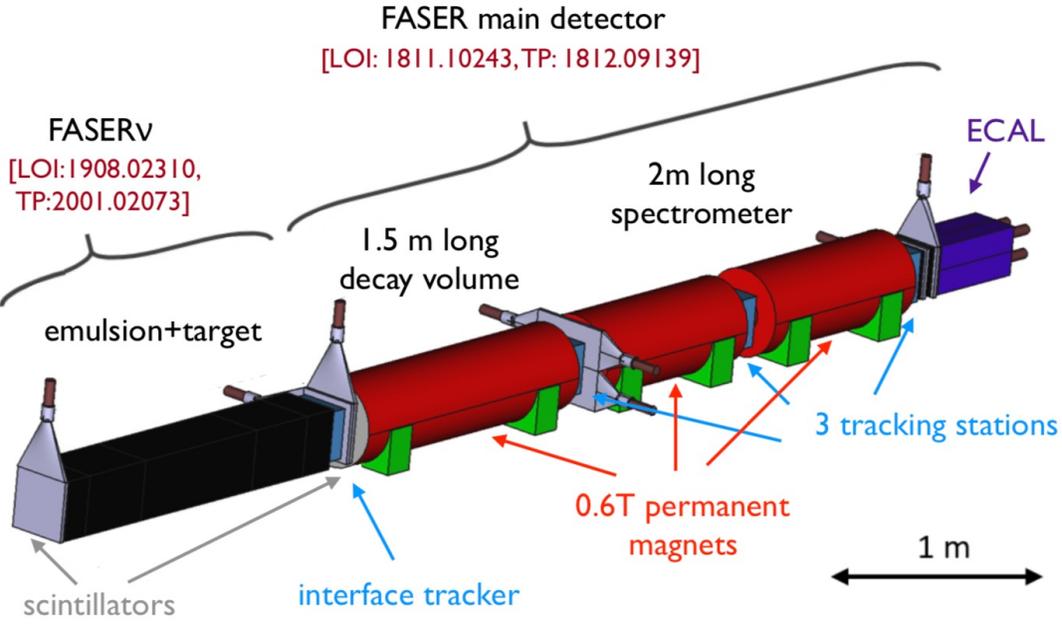
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Travel

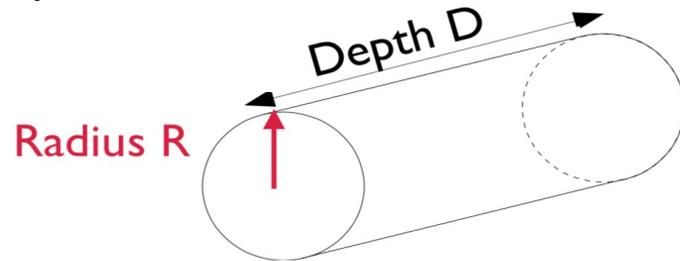
- Outside the LHC tunnel: a few hundred meters
- LHC infrastructure acts and rock act as shielding
- particles are still highly collimated

FASER: Detector

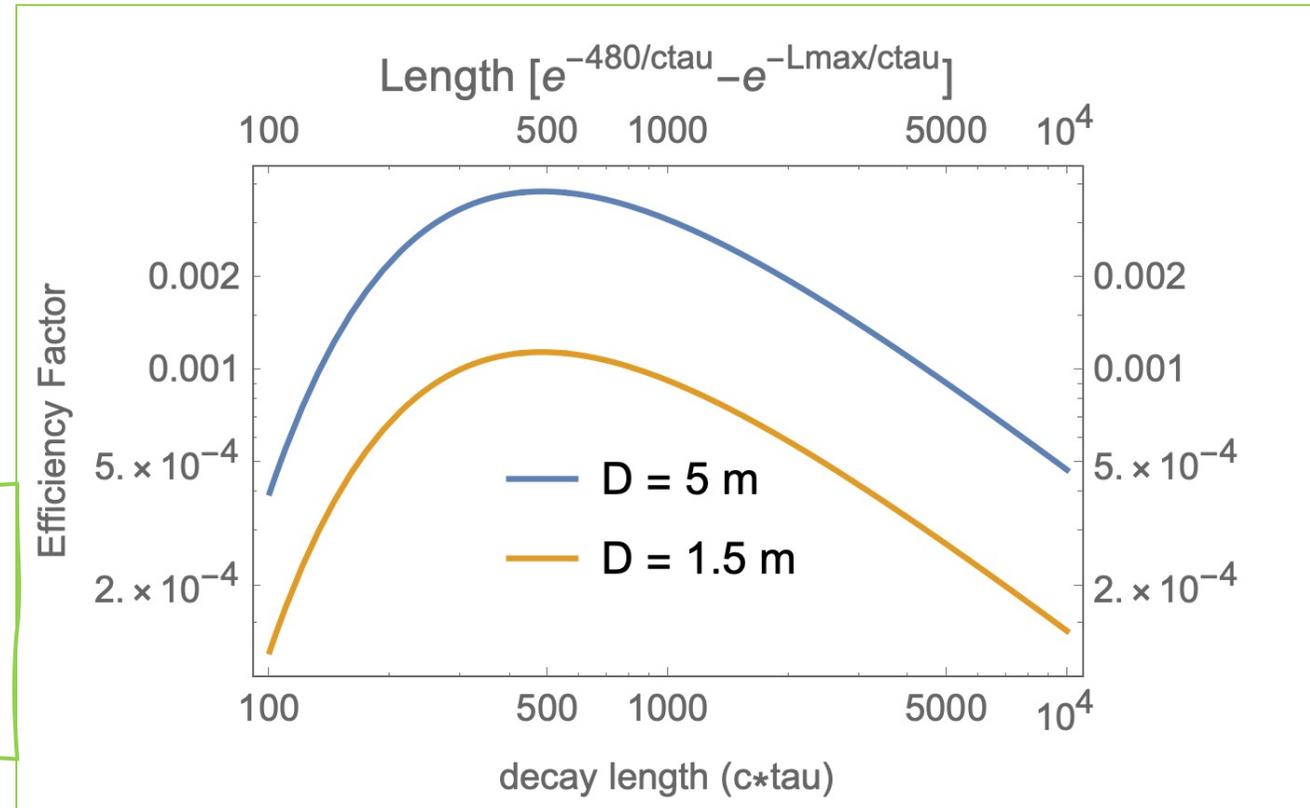


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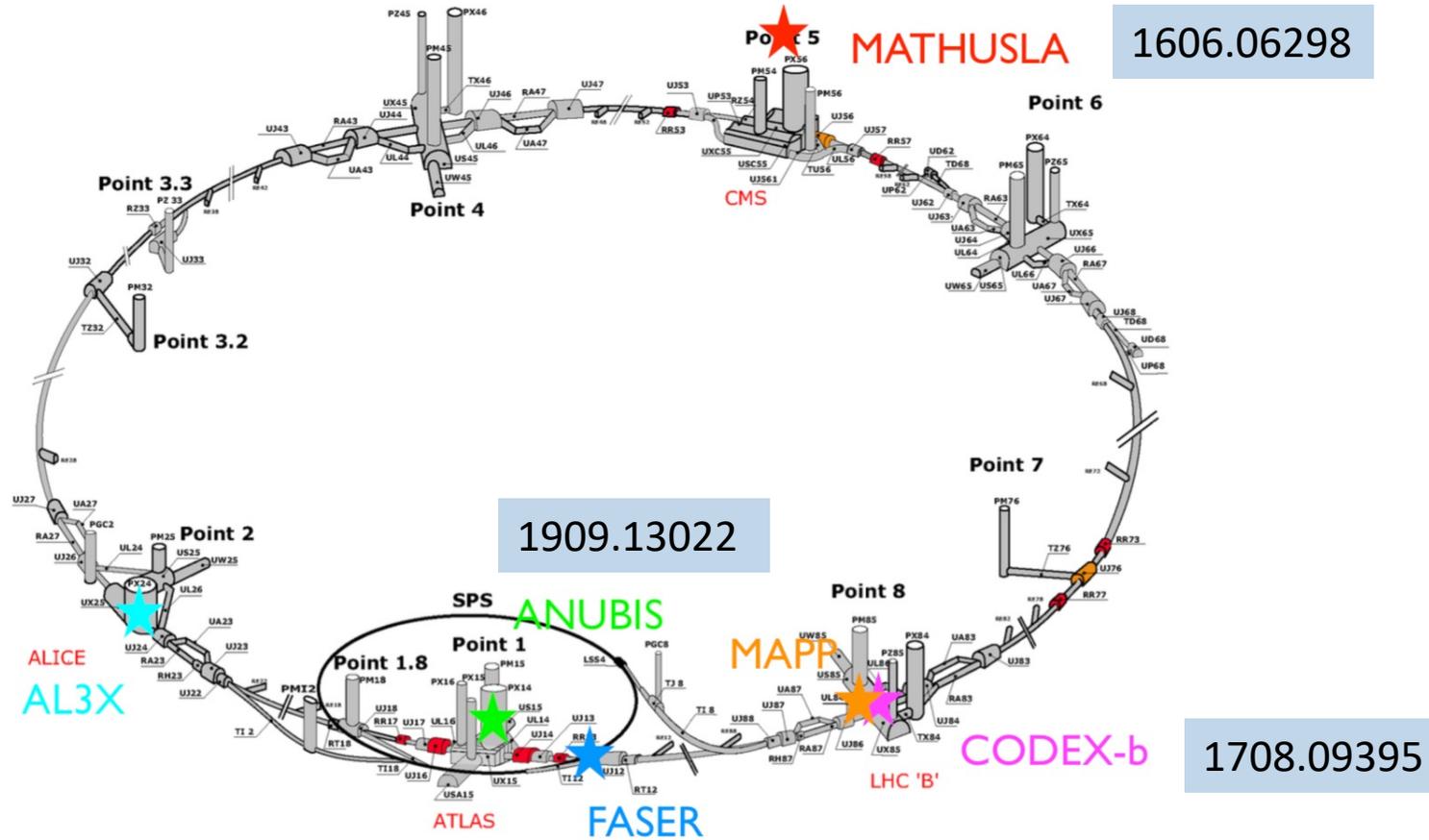
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FASER: radius $R = 10$ cm, length $D = 1.5$ m,
luminosity $L = 150 \text{ fb}^{-1}$,
FASER 2: radius $R = 1$ m, length $D = 5$ m,
luminosity $L = 3 \text{ ab}^{-1}$.



Other proposals for LLP

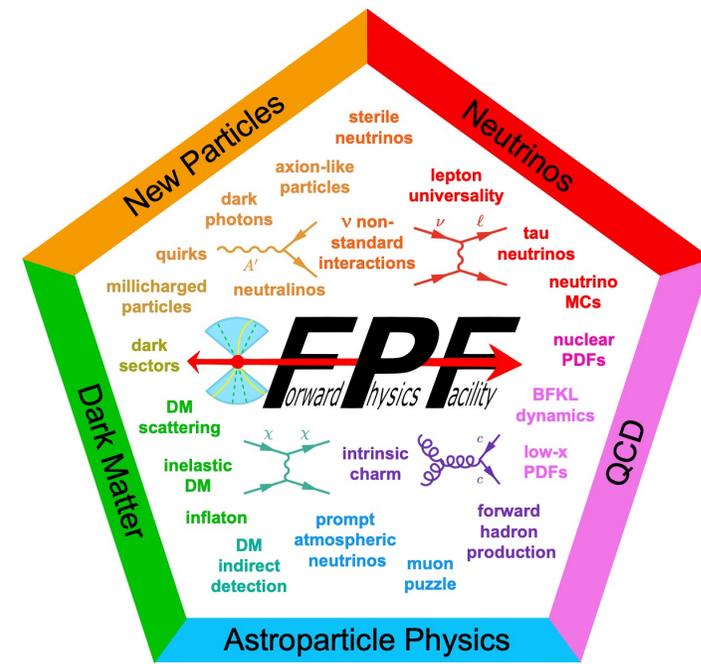


BSM @ FASER

<https://faser.web.cern.ch/physics>

- Heavy Neutral Leptons [arXiv: 1801.08947](https://arxiv.org/abs/1801.08947)
- Heavy Neutral Fermions [arXiv: 1803.02212](https://arxiv.org/abs/1803.02212)
- dark photons [arXiv: 1708.09389](https://arxiv.org/abs/1708.09389)
- Long-lived bivo [arXiv: 2103.01251](https://arxiv.org/abs/2103.01251)
- Dark Higgs Bosons [arXiv: 1710.09387](https://arxiv.org/abs/1710.09387)
- Axion like Particle [arXiv: 1806.02348](https://arxiv.org/abs/1806.02348)
- ...

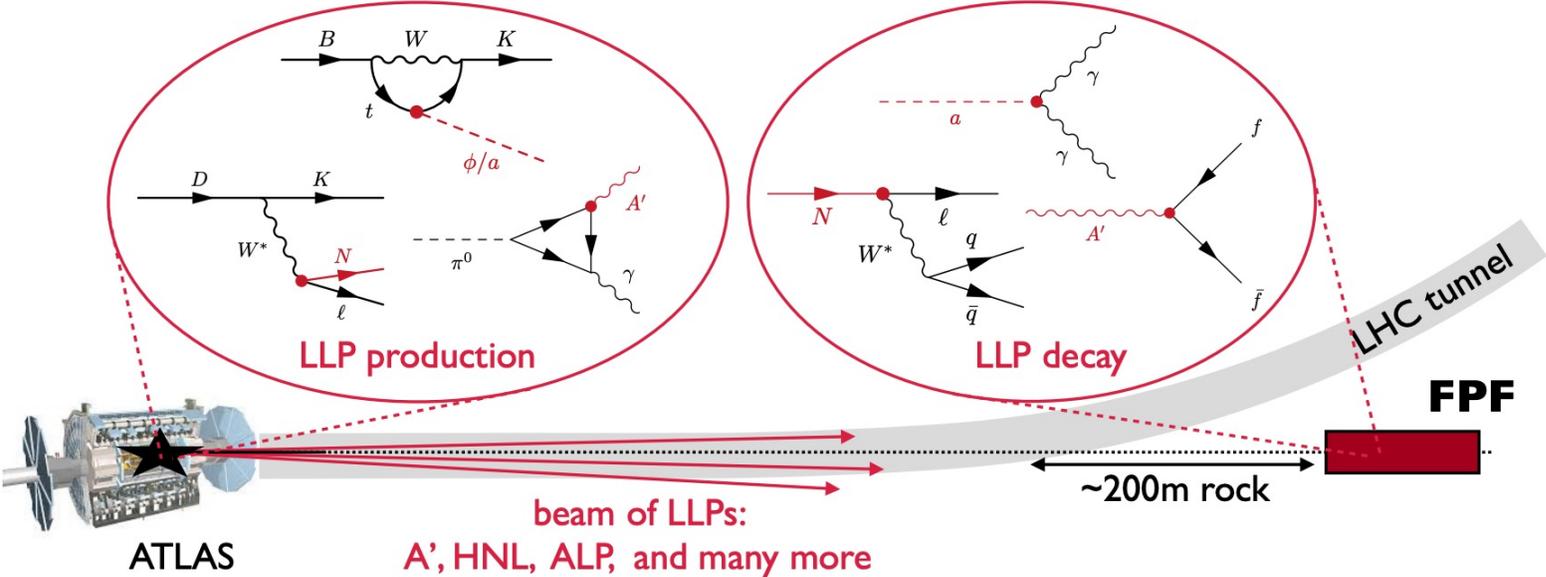
2022 Snowmass Summer Study [2203.05090](https://arxiv.org/abs/2203.05090)



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Production

- the `distance` from the IP in meter (default: 480)
- the `length` in meter (default: 5)
- the `luminosity` in units of fb⁻¹ (default: 3000)
- the `selection` depending in `x.x` and `x.y` (default: $\sqrt{x.x^2 + x.y^2} < 1$)
- the decay `channels` which the detector can see (default: None, meaning all of t

Data base: FORESEE

Particle category	Particles	Generators			
		EPOS-LHC	QGSJET II-04	SIBYLL 2.3c	Pythia 8.2
Photons	γ	✓	✓	✓	
Light hadrons	$\pi^0, \pi^+, \eta, \eta', \omega, \rho, \phi, n, p$ $K^+, K_L, K_S, K_0^*, K^{*+}, \Lambda$	✓	✓	✓	
Charm hadrons	$D^+, D^0, D_s^+, \Lambda_c$			✓	✓
Beauty hadrons	$B^0, B^+, B_s, B_c^+, \Lambda_b$				✓
Heavy quarks	c, b				✓
Quarkonia	$J/\Psi, \psi(2S), \Upsilon(nS)$				✓
Weak bosons	W^+, Z, h				✓

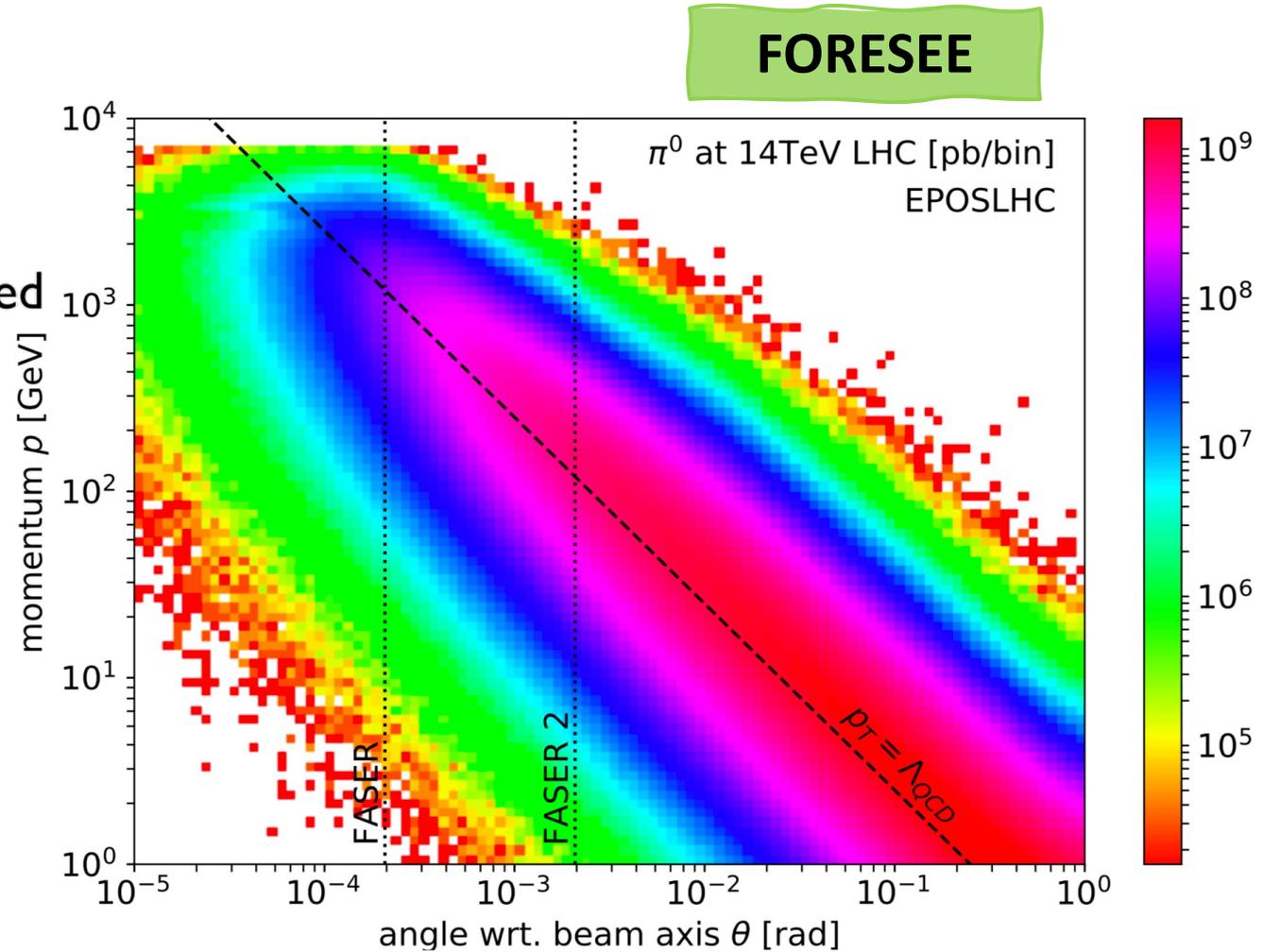
Production

Pion

boosted mesons highly collimated

$$p \cdot \theta = p_T \sim \Lambda_{QCD}$$

$$N_\pi = 10^{18} \text{ at } 3000 \text{ fb}^{-1}$$

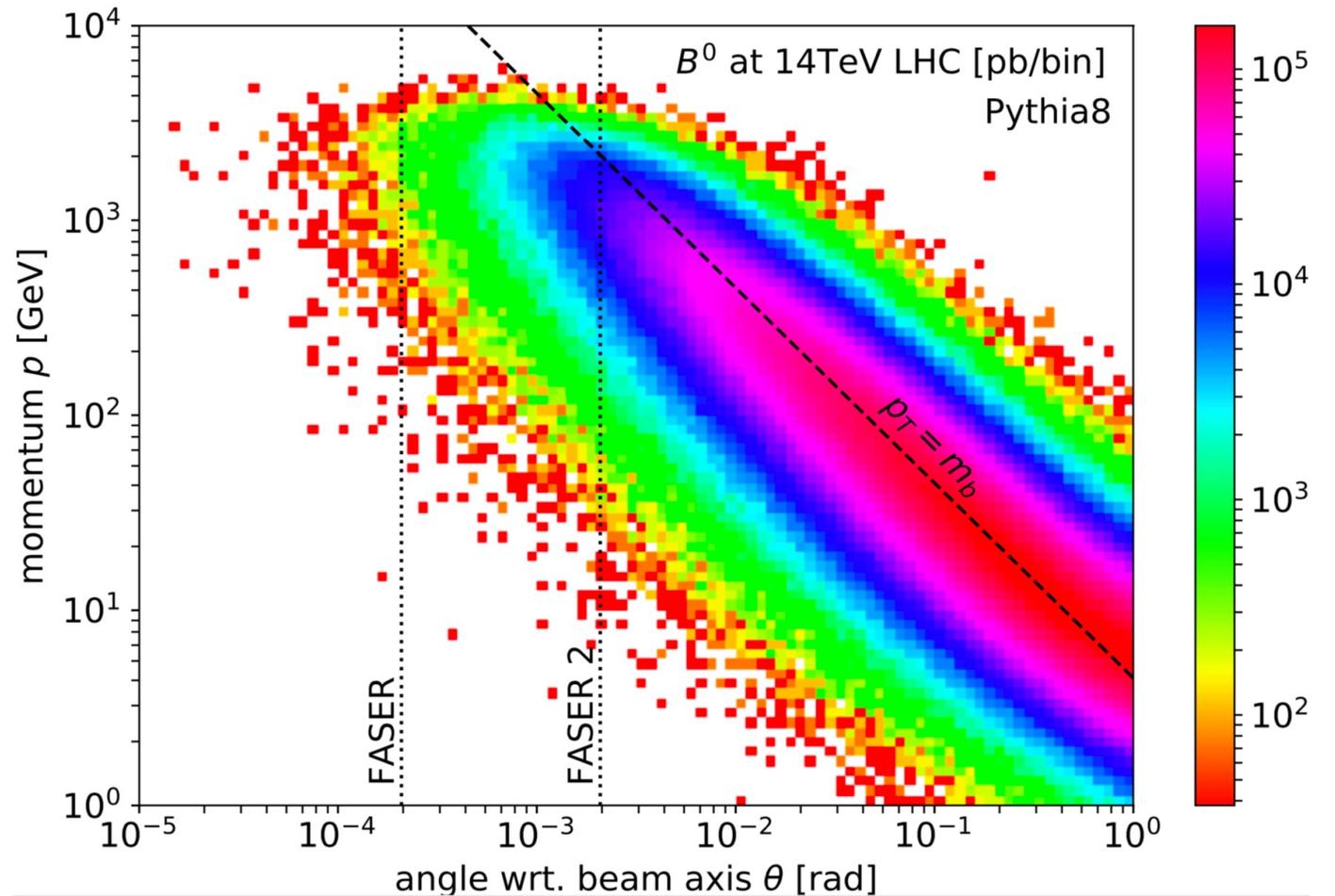


Production

B^0

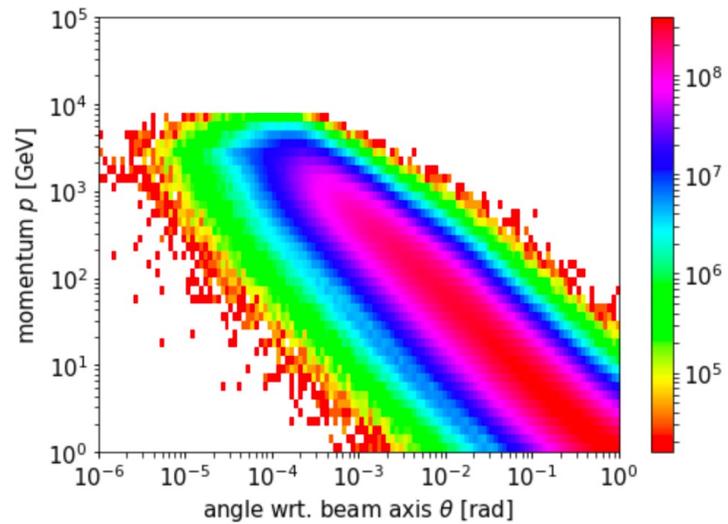
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$$p \cdot \theta = p_T \sim \text{Mb}$$

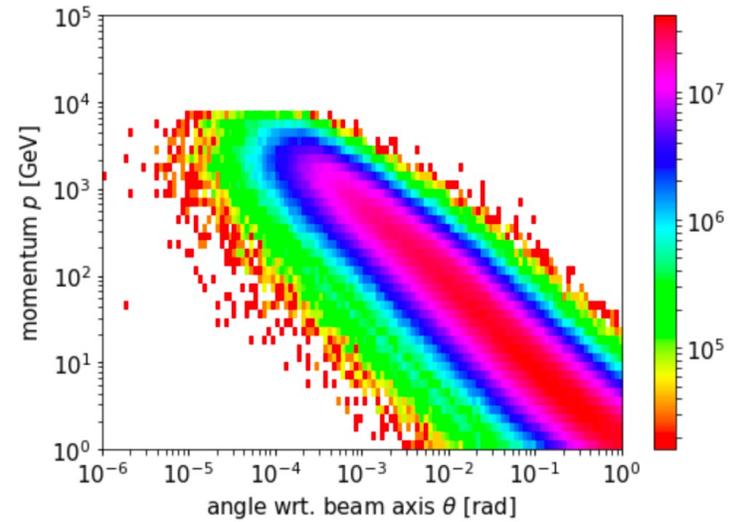


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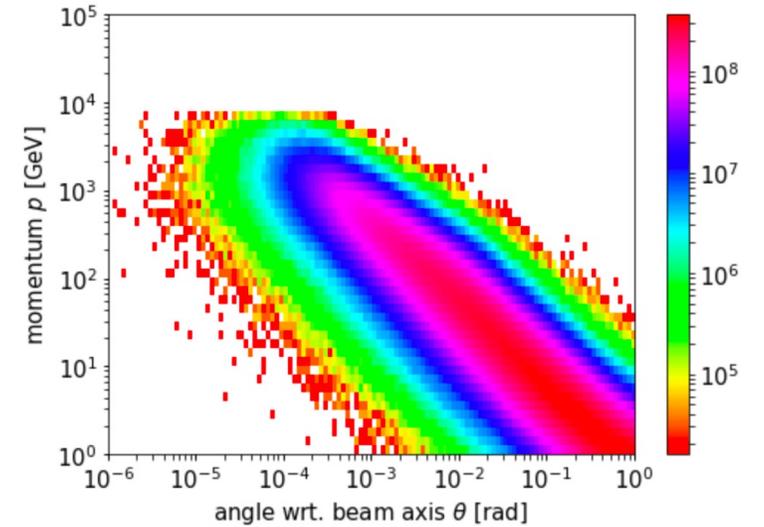
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K^+

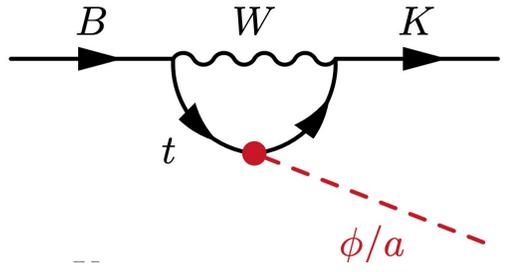
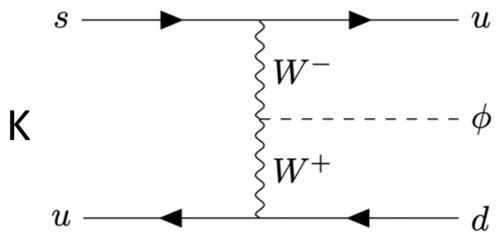
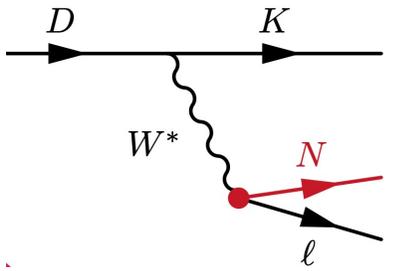
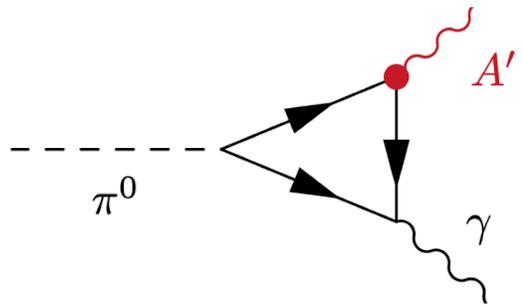


Production: CP even scalar

$$\mathcal{L} = -\frac{1}{2}m_\phi^2\phi^2 - \sum_f \xi_\phi^f \frac{m_f}{v} \phi \bar{f} f + \xi_\phi^W \frac{2m_W^2}{v} \phi W^{\mu+} W_\mu^- + \xi_\phi^Z \frac{m_Z^2}{v} \phi Z^\mu Z_\mu + \xi_\phi^g \frac{\alpha_s}{12\pi v} \phi G_{\mu\nu}^a G^{a\mu\nu} + \xi_\phi^\gamma \frac{\alpha}{4\pi v} \phi F_{\mu\nu} F^{\mu\nu}.$$

$$K \rightarrow \pi\phi, \eta^{(\prime)} \rightarrow \pi\phi, D \rightarrow X_u\phi, B \rightarrow X_s\phi$$

$$\pi^+ \rightarrow \ell\nu\phi \quad K^+ \rightarrow \ell\nu\phi \quad \Upsilon \rightarrow \phi\gamma$$



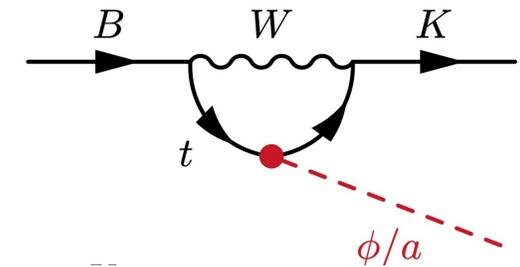
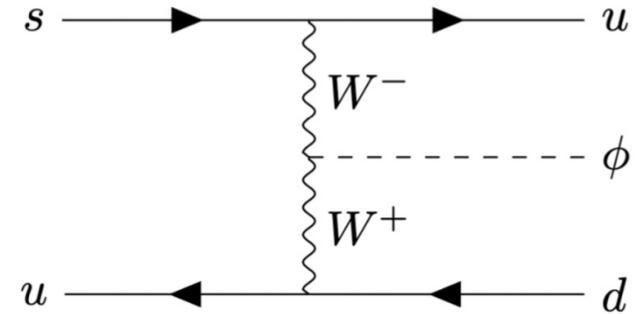
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Main contribution

$$\text{Br}(K^\pm \rightarrow \pi^\pm \phi) = \frac{1}{\Gamma_{K^\pm}} \frac{2p_\phi^0}{m_{K^\pm}} \frac{|\mathcal{M}|^2}{16\pi m_{K^\pm}},$$

$$\mathcal{M}(K^\pm \rightarrow \pi^\pm \phi) = G_F^{1/2} 2^{1/4} \xi_\phi^W \left[\frac{7\lambda(m_{K^\pm}^2 + m_{\pi^\pm}^2 - m_\phi^2)}{18} - \frac{7Am_{K^\pm}^2}{9} \right] + \frac{\xi_\phi^{ds}}{2v} m_s \frac{m_{K^\pm}^2 - m_{\pi^\pm}^2}{m_s - m_d} f_0^{K^\pm \pi^\pm}(q^2)$$

$$\frac{\text{Br}(B \rightarrow X_s \phi)}{\text{Br}(B \rightarrow X_c e \nu)} = \frac{\Gamma(b \rightarrow s \phi)}{\Gamma(b \rightarrow ce \nu)} = \frac{12\pi^2 v^2}{m_b^2} \left(1 - \frac{m_\phi^2}{m_b^2}\right)^2 \frac{1}{f(m_c^2/m_b^2)} \left| \frac{\xi_\phi^{bs}}{V_{cb}} \right|^2$$



Production: CP even scalar

$$\text{Br}(X \rightarrow \phi e \nu) = \frac{\sqrt{2} G_F m_X^4 \xi_\phi^{W^2}}{96 \pi^2 m_\mu^2 (1 - m_\mu^2/m_X^2)^2} \times \text{BR}(X \rightarrow \mu \nu) f\left(\frac{m_\phi^2}{m_X^2}\right) \left(1 - \frac{2n_h}{33 - 2n_l}\right)$$

$$\frac{\text{Br}_{\Upsilon \rightarrow \gamma \phi}}{\text{Br}_{\Upsilon \rightarrow \bar{e} e}} = \frac{\xi_\phi^{b^2} G_F m_b^2}{\sqrt{2} \pi \alpha} \left(1 - \frac{m_\phi^2}{m_\Upsilon^2}\right) \times \frac{2}{3} \left(1 - \frac{m_\phi^6}{m_\Upsilon^6}\right)$$

Weak contribution

$$\text{Br}(\eta^{(\prime)} \rightarrow \pi \phi) = \frac{1}{\Gamma_{\eta^{(\prime)}}} \frac{2p_\phi^0}{m_{\eta^{(\prime)}}} \frac{g_{\phi \eta^{(\prime)} \pi}^2}{16\pi m_{\eta^{(\prime)}}}$$

$$g_{\phi \eta^{(\prime)} \pi} = -\frac{1}{v} \left[m_u \xi_\phi^u - m_d \xi_\phi^d + \frac{2}{9} (m_u - m_d) \left(\xi_\phi^g + \sum_{q=c,b,t} \xi_\phi^q \right) \right] c_{\phi \eta^{(\prime)} \pi} B$$

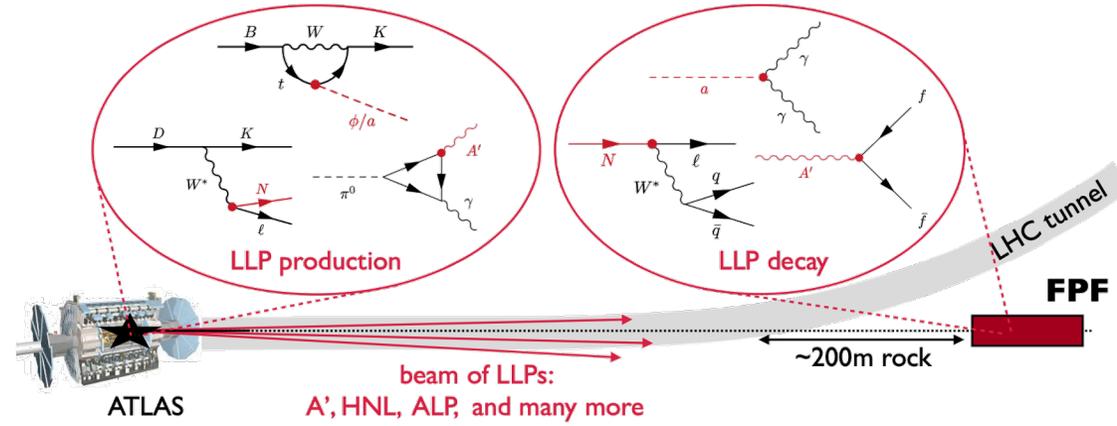
Production: CP odd scalar

$$\mathcal{L}_A = -\frac{1}{2}m_A^2 A^2 + \sum_{f=u,d,e} \xi_A^f \frac{im_f}{v} \bar{f} \gamma_5 f A + \xi_A^g \frac{\alpha_s}{4\pi v} A G_{\mu\nu}^a \tilde{G}^{a\mu\nu} + \xi_A^\gamma \frac{\alpha}{4\pi v} A F_{\mu\nu} \tilde{F}^{\mu\nu}.$$

$$\sigma_A \approx O_{A\pi^0}^2 \sigma_{\pi^0} + O_{A\eta}^2 \sigma_\eta + O_{A\eta'}^2 \sigma_{\eta'},$$

CP-odd particle mixing production: contribute mainly at mass peak

Decay



Well studied

?

Scale-ind

Scale > 2/3 GeV

$A \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$	$H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$
$A \rightarrow e^+e^-$	$H \rightarrow e^+e^-$
$A \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$	$H \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$
$A \rightarrow \tau^+\tau^-$	$H \rightarrow \tau^+\tau^-$
$A \rightarrow q\bar{q}$	$H \rightarrow c\bar{c}$
$A \rightarrow gg$	$H \rightarrow s\bar{s}$
	$H \rightarrow gg$

$H \rightarrow \pi\pi$
$H \rightarrow KK$
$H \rightarrow \pi\pi\pi\pi$

Chiral Perturbativity...

arXiv:1809.01876
arXiv:1612.06538

- $A \rightarrow \pi\pi\pi$
- $A \rightarrow \eta\pi\pi$
- $A \rightarrow \eta'\pi\pi$
- $A \rightarrow \eta\eta\pi$
- $A \rightarrow KK\pi$
- $A \rightarrow \gamma\pi\pi$
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- $A \rightarrow \eta\eta\eta$
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- $A \rightarrow \eta KK$
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Decay: CP even scalar

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$$\xi_\phi^g = \sum_{f \in q} \frac{3}{2} \xi_\phi^i \mathcal{A}_{1/2}^\phi(\tau_f^\phi),$$

$$\xi_\phi^\gamma = \sum_{f \in q, \ell} N_c Q_f^2 \xi_\phi^f \mathcal{A}_{1/2}^\phi(\tau_f^\phi) + \xi_\phi^V \mathcal{A}_1^\phi(\tau_W^\phi)$$

Decay: CP even scalar

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L} &\supset \frac{\Phi}{v} \left(\xi_{\Phi}^g \frac{\alpha_s}{12\pi} G_{\mu\nu}^a G^{a\mu\nu} - \xi_{\Phi}^u m_u \bar{u}u - \xi_{\Phi}^d m_d \bar{d}d - \xi_{\Phi}^s m_s \bar{s}s \right) \\ &= -\frac{\Phi}{v} \left\{ \xi_{\Phi}^g \left[\frac{2}{27} \Theta_{\mu}^{\mu} - \frac{2}{27} (m_u \bar{u}u + m_d \bar{d}d + m_s \bar{s}s) \right] + (\xi_{\Phi}^u m_u \bar{u}u + \xi_{\Phi}^d m_d \bar{d}d + \xi_{\Phi}^s m_s \bar{s}s) \right\}\end{aligned}$$

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Hadronic decays into pions and kaons for $m_{\phi} < 2 \text{ GeV}$

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$$\Gamma_{\pi\pi} = \frac{3G_F}{16\sqrt{2}\pi m_\Phi} \beta_\pi \left| \xi_\Phi^{gg} \frac{2}{27} (\Theta_\pi - \Gamma_\pi - \Delta_\pi) + \frac{m_u \xi_\Phi^u + m_d \xi_\Phi^d}{m_u + m_d} \Gamma_\pi + (\xi_\Phi^s) \Delta_\pi \right|^2$$

$$\Gamma_{KK} = \frac{G_F}{4\sqrt{2}\pi m_\Phi} \beta_K \left| \xi_\Phi^{gg} \frac{2}{27} (\Theta_K - \Gamma_K - \Delta_K) + \frac{m_u \xi_\Phi^u + m_d \xi_\Phi^d}{m_u + m_d} \Gamma_K + (\xi_\Phi^s) \Delta_K \right|^2$$

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Leading order chiral perturbation theory

$$\begin{aligned} \Gamma_\pi^0 &= m_\pi^2, & \Delta_\pi^0 &= 0, & \Theta_\pi^0 &= s + 2m_\pi^2 \\ \Gamma_K^0 &= \frac{1}{2} m_\pi^2, & \Delta_K^0 &= m_K^2 - \frac{1}{2} m_\pi^2, & \Theta_K^0 &= s + 2m_K^2 \end{aligned}$$

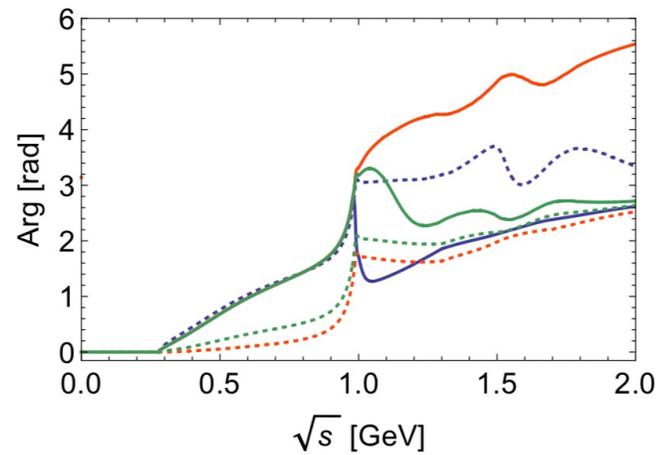
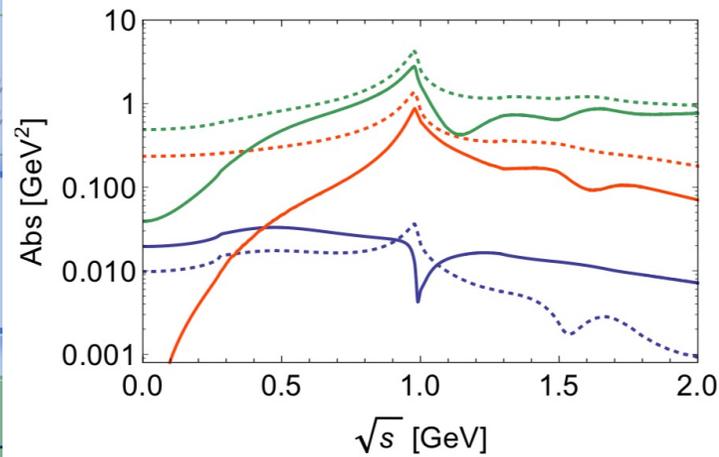
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Dispersive Analysis



$$\Gamma_\pi^0 = m_\pi^2,$$

$$\Delta_\pi^0 = 0,$$

$$\Theta_\pi^0 = s + 2m_\pi^2$$

$$\Gamma_K^0 = \frac{1}{2}m_\pi^2,$$

$$\Delta_K^0 = m_K^2 - \frac{1}{2}m_\pi^2,$$

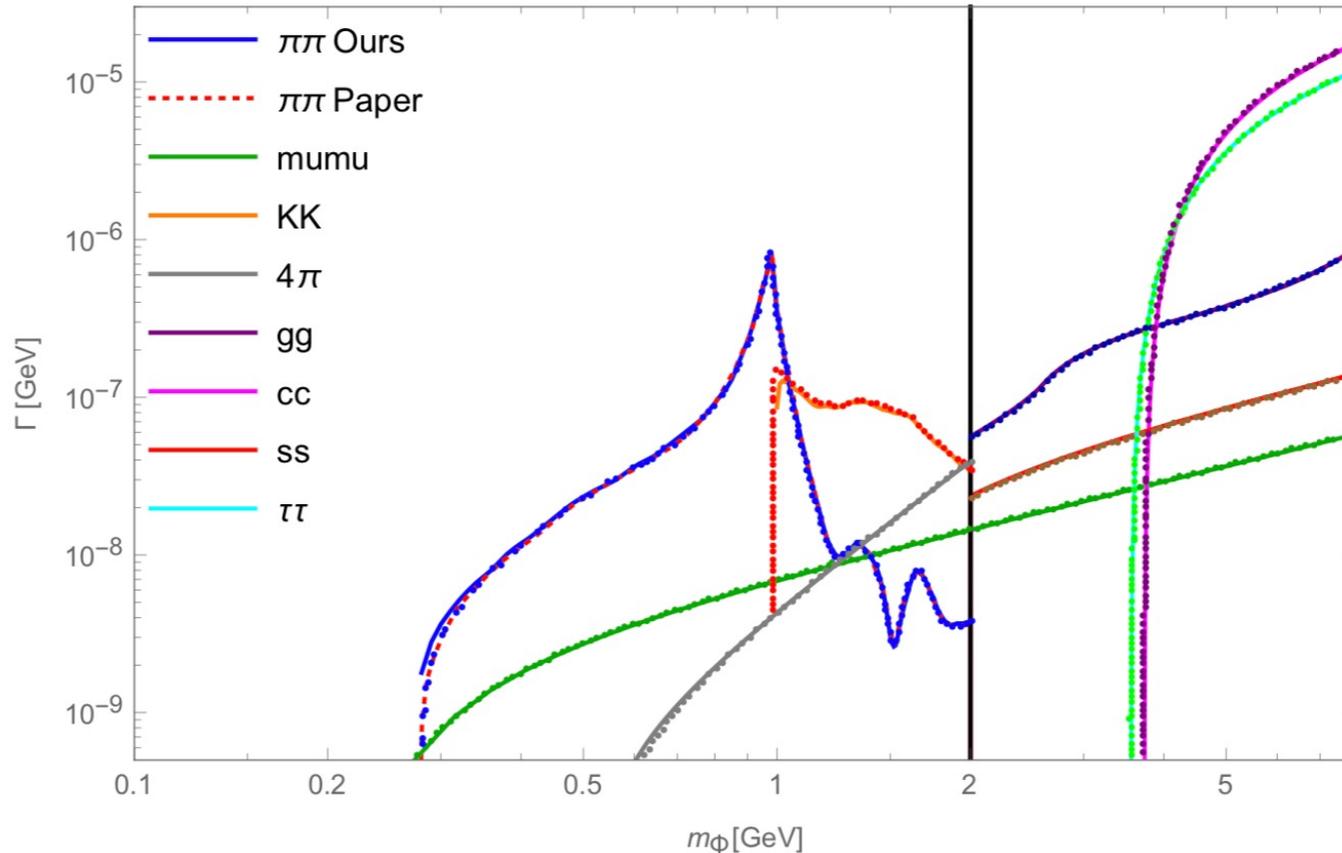
$$\Theta_K^0 = s + 2m_K^2$$

Decay: CP even scalar

$$\Gamma_{\pi\pi} = \frac{3G_F}{16\sqrt{2}\pi m_\Phi} \beta_\pi \left| \xi_\Phi^{gg} \frac{2}{27} (\Theta_\pi - \Gamma_\pi - \Delta_\pi) + \frac{m_u \xi_\Phi^u + m_d \xi_\Phi^d}{m_u + m_d} \Gamma_\pi + (\xi_\Phi^s) \Delta_\pi \right|^2$$

$$\Gamma_{KK} = \frac{G_F}{4\sqrt{2}\pi m_\Phi} \beta_K \left| \xi_\Phi^{gg} \frac{2}{27} (\Theta_K - \Gamma_K - \Delta_K) + \frac{m_u \xi_\Phi^u + m_d \xi_\Phi^d}{m_u + m_d} \Gamma_K + (\xi_\Phi^s) \Delta_K \right|^2$$

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SM + singlet

$$H \rightarrow \pi\pi$$

$$H \rightarrow KK$$

$$H \rightarrow \pi\pi\pi\pi$$

$$\phi \rightarrow 4\pi, \eta\eta, KK\pi\pi, \rho\rho \dots$$

$$\Gamma_{4\pi, \eta\eta, \rho\rho, \dots} = C(\xi_\phi^g)^2 m_\phi^3 \beta_{2\pi}$$

Match at m=2 GeV

Decay: CP odd scalar

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Hadronic decays into Tri-meson for $m_A \lesssim 1.3$ GeV

Radiative Hadronic Decays for $m_A \lesssim 1.3$ GeV

hadronic decays for 1.3 GeV $\lesssim m_A \lesssim 3$ GeV (Spectator Model)

$$A \rightarrow \pi\pi\pi$$

$$A \rightarrow \eta\pi\pi$$

$$A \rightarrow \eta'\pi\pi$$

$$A \rightarrow \eta\eta\pi$$

$$A \rightarrow KK\pi$$

$$A \rightarrow \gamma\pi\pi$$

$$A \rightarrow \eta\eta'\pi$$

$$A \rightarrow \eta'\eta'\pi$$

$$A \rightarrow \eta\eta\eta$$

$$A \rightarrow \eta\eta\eta'$$

$$A \rightarrow \eta\eta'\eta'$$

$$A \rightarrow \eta'\eta'\eta'$$

$$A \rightarrow \eta KK$$

$$A \rightarrow \eta' KK$$

Constraints

4 Constraints

There are a variety of constraints on light scalars, and here we have a brief list including the relevant experiments.

CHARM bounds The CHARM Collaboration has searched for light axion-like particles at LHC with a 400 GeV proton beam-dump experiment on a copper target [41]. Its results can be transmitted to the light scalar constraints [25, 42].

SuperNova A light, weakly coupled scalar can affect astrophysical processes. During supernova (SN) explosion, the scalar emission can significantly contribute to the energy loss [43], shortening the neutrino pulse duration. Such an observable would place constraints on the light scalar [44–46].

B meson decays Below the B threshold, searches for semi-leptonic B decays become relevant in our study region. The leading constraints come from LHCb measurements B meson decays $B \rightarrow K^* \phi$ with $\phi \rightarrow \mu\mu$ at Ref. [47] and $B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \chi (\mu^+ \mu^-)$ at Ref. [48]. We digitized the provided constraints for further model study.

Kaon decays Kaon decays also contribute to the searches for light scalar region. The latest important experiments of K^+ decays are $K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ X$ with X scalar or pseudo-scalar particle to $\nu\bar{\nu}$, NA62 [49] (90% C.L.), $K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \chi (e^+ e^-)$ at MicroBooNE [50] (95% C.L.), and $\mathcal{B}(K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ X)$ at E949 [51] (90% C.L.). All of them provides constraints based on the light scalar decay lifetime hypotheses.

D meson decays Those are typically not considered, since in most models $\text{BR}(D^+ \rightarrow \pi\phi)$ (corresponding to $\text{BR}(c \rightarrow u\phi)$) is rather small. You can find the current limits in PDG, but also this really recent LHCb paper [52].

LEP Wei: add...

Case study: 2HDM

- Two Higgs Doublet Model

$$\Phi_i = \begin{pmatrix} \phi_i^+ \\ (v_i + \phi_i^0 + iG_i)/\sqrt{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$v_u^2 + v_d^2 = v^2 = (246\text{GeV})^2$$

$$\tan \beta = v_u/v_d$$

	ϕ_1	ϕ_2
Type I	u,d,l	
Type II	u	d,l
lepton-specific	u,d	l
flipped	u,l	d

$$\begin{pmatrix} H^0 \\ h^0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \alpha & \sin \alpha \\ -\sin \alpha & \cos \alpha \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \phi_1^0 \\ \phi_2^0 \end{pmatrix},$$

$$A = -G_1 \sin \beta + G_2 \cos \beta$$

$$H^\pm = -\phi_1^\pm \sin \beta + \phi_2^\pm \cos \beta$$

- Parameters (CP-conserving, Flavor Limit, Z_2 Symmetry)

$$m_{11}^2, m_{22}^2, \lambda_1, \lambda_2, \lambda_3, \lambda_4, \lambda_5$$



$$v, \tan \beta, \alpha, m_h, m_H, m_A, m_{H^\pm}$$

Soft Z_2 symmetry breaking: m_{12}^2

246 GeV

125. GeV

Case study: 2HDM

$$\text{Generally: } \cos(\beta - \alpha) = 0$$

	ξ_H^u	ξ_H^d	ξ_H^ℓ	ξ_A^u	ξ_A^d	ξ_A^ℓ
Type-I	$\cot \beta$	$\cot \beta$	$\cot \beta$	$\cot \beta$	$-\cot \beta$	$-\cot \beta$
Type-II	$\cot \beta$	$-\tan \beta$	$-\tan \beta$	$\cot \beta$	$\tan \beta$	$\tan \beta$
Type-L	$\cot \beta$	$\cot \beta$	$-\tan \beta$	$\cot \beta$	$-\cot \beta$	$\tan \beta$
Type-F	$\cot \beta$	$-\tan \beta$	$\cot \beta$	$\cot \beta$	$\tan \beta$	$-\cot \beta$

Small couplings

- Type-I: easy at large $\tan \beta$ for both A and H
- A: impossible for other 3 types
- H: hard for other 3 types (fine-tuned)

Constraint

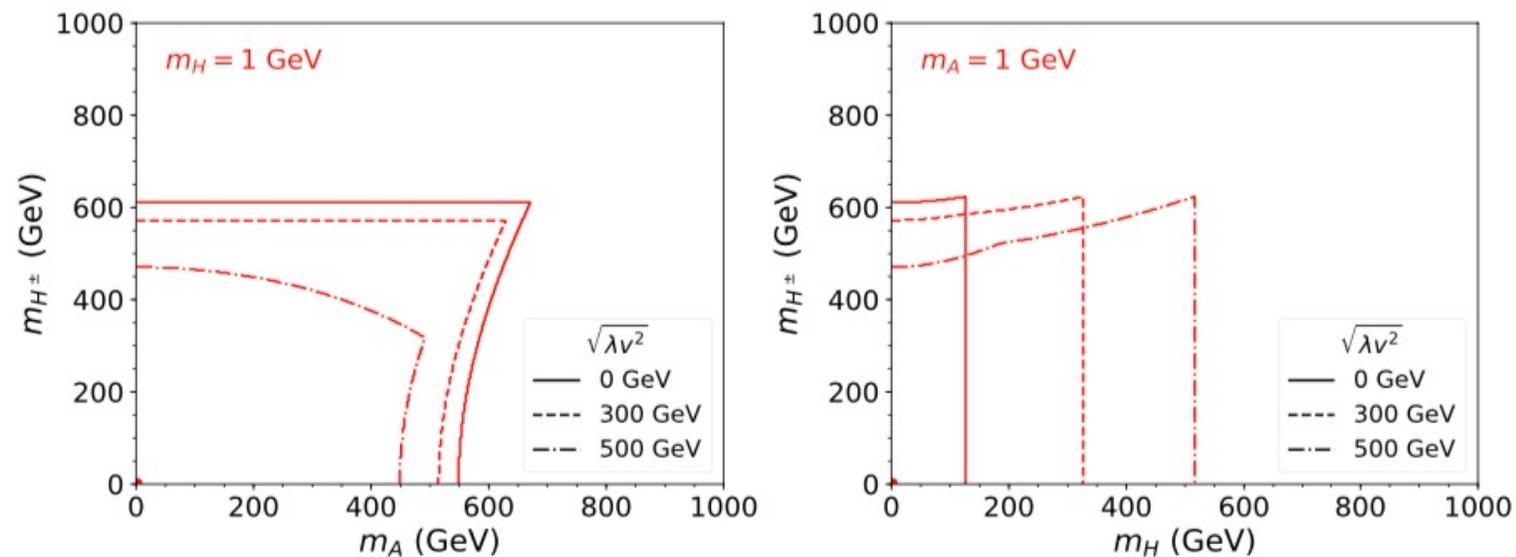
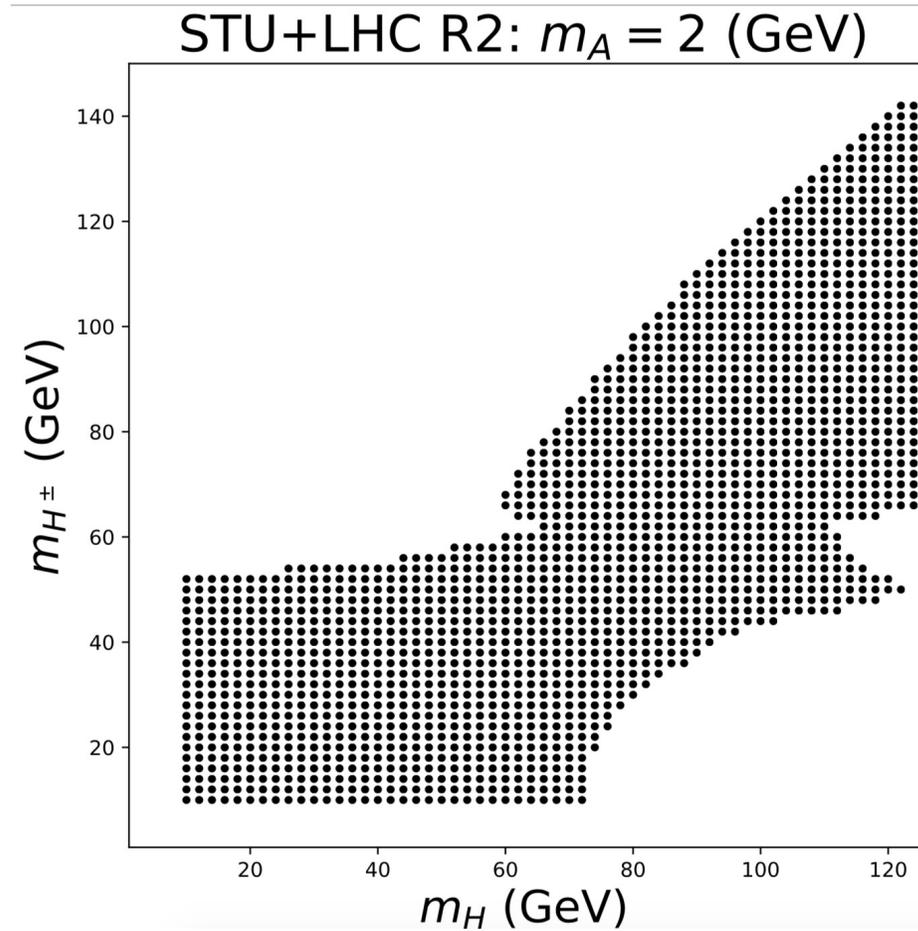
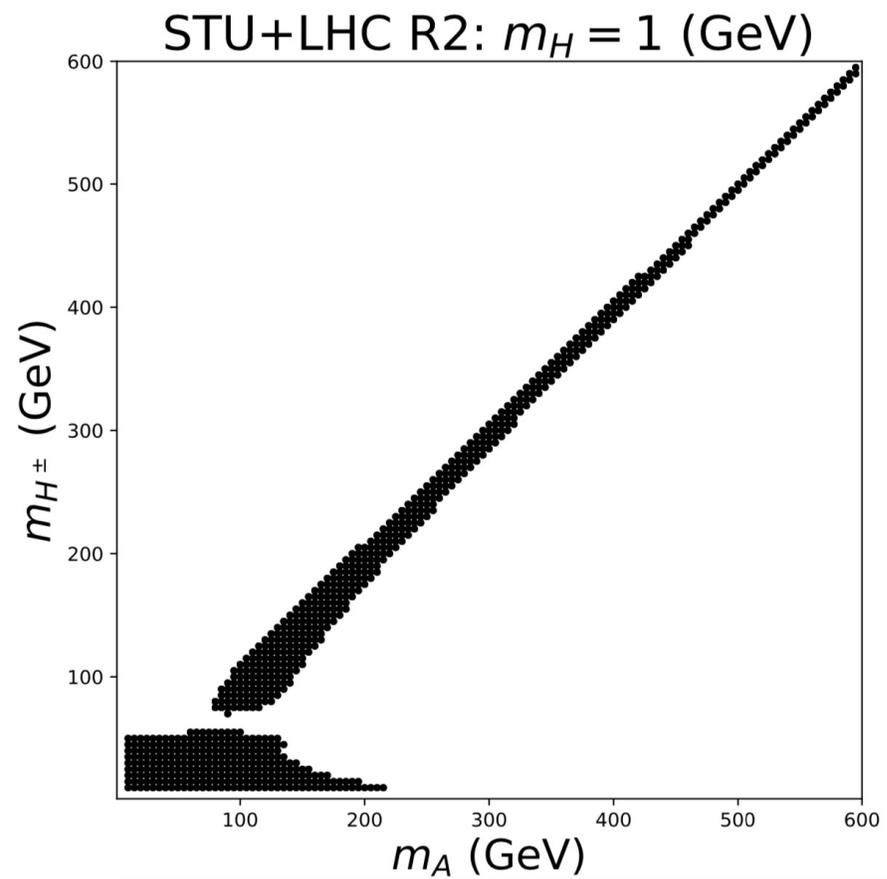


Figure 2. Allowed region by theoretical constraints for $m_H = 1 \text{ GeV}$ (left panel) and $m_A = 1 \text{ GeV}$ (right panel) for various values of λv^2 .



5.2.4 Invisible Higgs decays

For a light H/A with long lifetime, $h \rightarrow HH/AA$ is constrained from the invisible Higgs decay of $\text{Br}(h \rightarrow \phi\phi) < 0.24$ [61–63] The Branch fraction of Higgs invisible decay is given by [10]

$$\text{Br}(h \rightarrow \phi\phi) = \frac{\Gamma(h \rightarrow \phi\phi)}{\Gamma_h} \approx \frac{1}{\Gamma_h^{\text{SM}}} \frac{g_{h\phi\phi}^2}{8\pi m_h^2} \left(1 - \frac{4m_H^2}{m_h^2}\right)^{1/2} \simeq 4700 \cdot \left(\frac{g_{h\phi\phi}}{v}\right)^2 \quad (5.9)$$

here ϕ is light H or A .

$$\text{Light } H : \cos(\beta - \alpha) = \tan 2\beta \frac{2\lambda v^2 + m_h^2}{2(m_H^2 - 3\lambda v^2 - m_h^2)} \approx \frac{1}{\tan \beta},$$

$$\text{Light } A : \cos(\beta - \alpha) = \tan 2\beta \frac{2\lambda v^2 + m_h^2 + 2m_A^2 - 2m_H^2}{2(m_H^2 - \lambda v^2 - m_h^2)} \approx \frac{1}{\tan \beta} \frac{2m_H^2 - m_h^2}{m_H^2 - m_h^2},$$

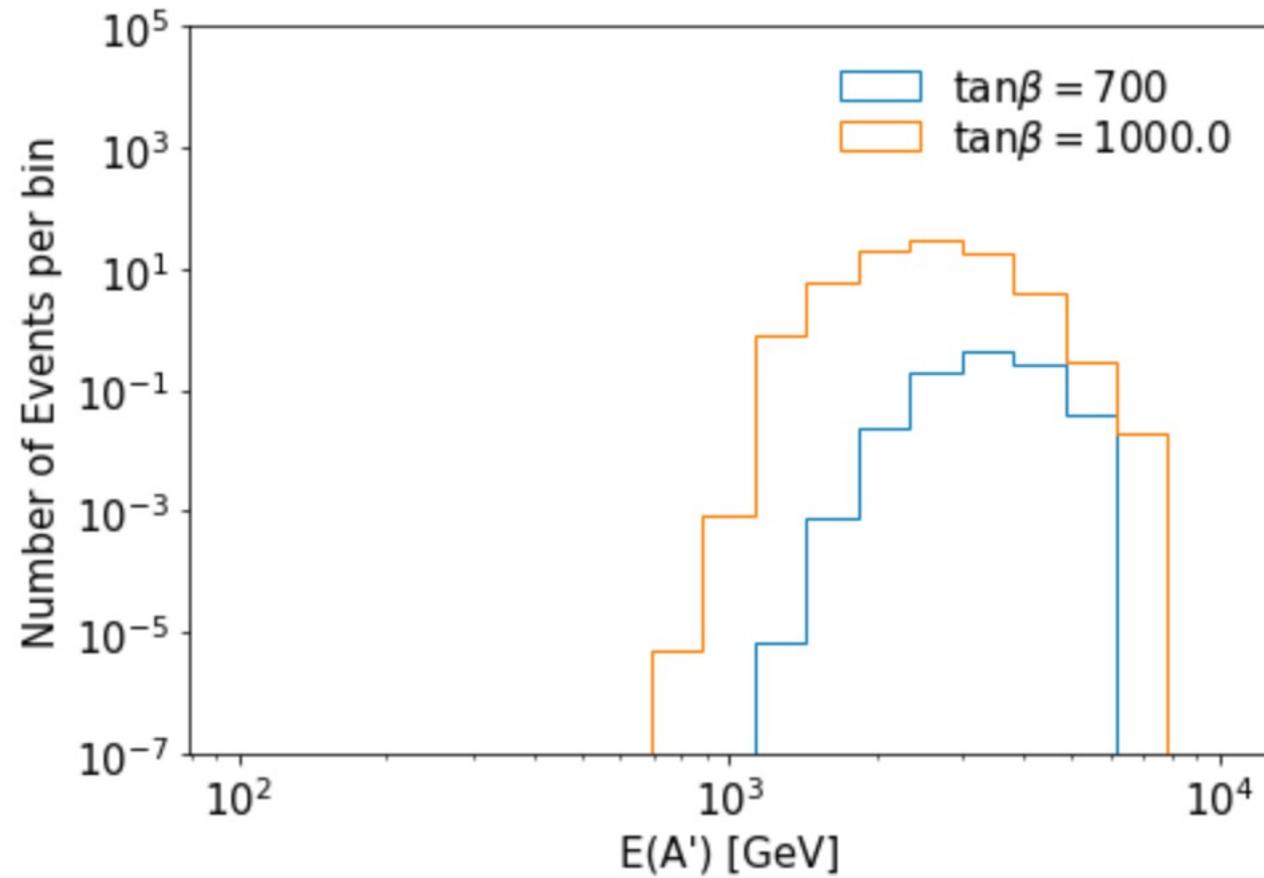
Benchmark Scenario

$$\textit{Light H} : \cos(\beta - \alpha) = \frac{1}{\tan \beta}, \quad m_A = m_{H^\pm} = 600 \text{ GeV}, \quad \lambda v^2 = 0 \text{ GeV}^2,$$

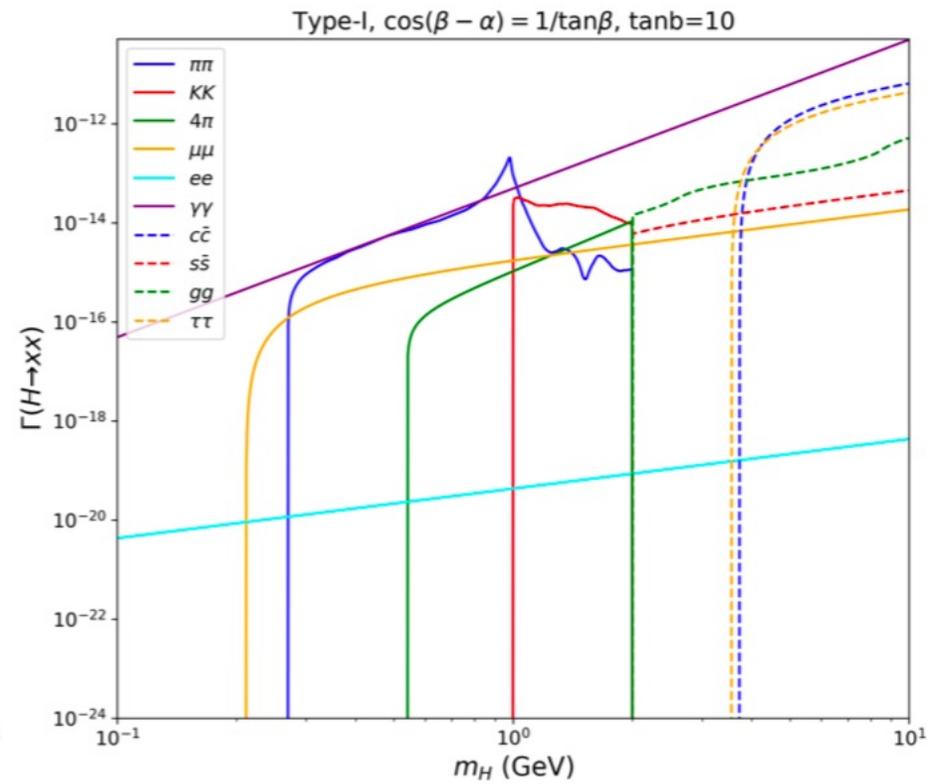
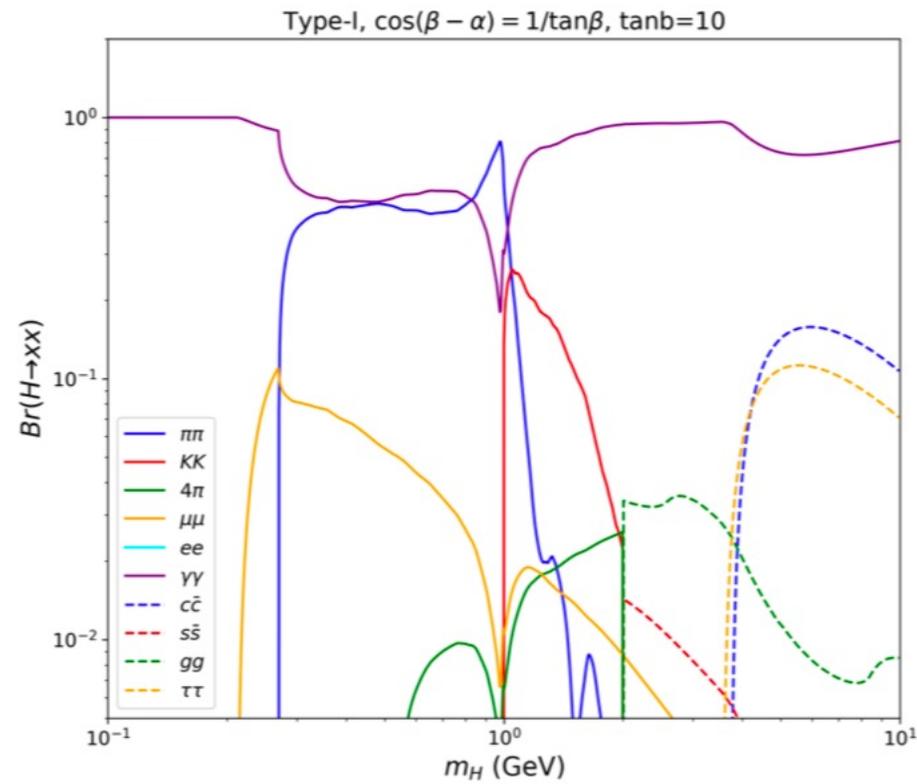
$$\textit{Light A} : \cos(\beta - \alpha) = 0, \quad m_H = m_{H^\pm} = 90 \text{ GeV}, \quad \lambda v^2 = 0 \text{ GeV}^2 .$$

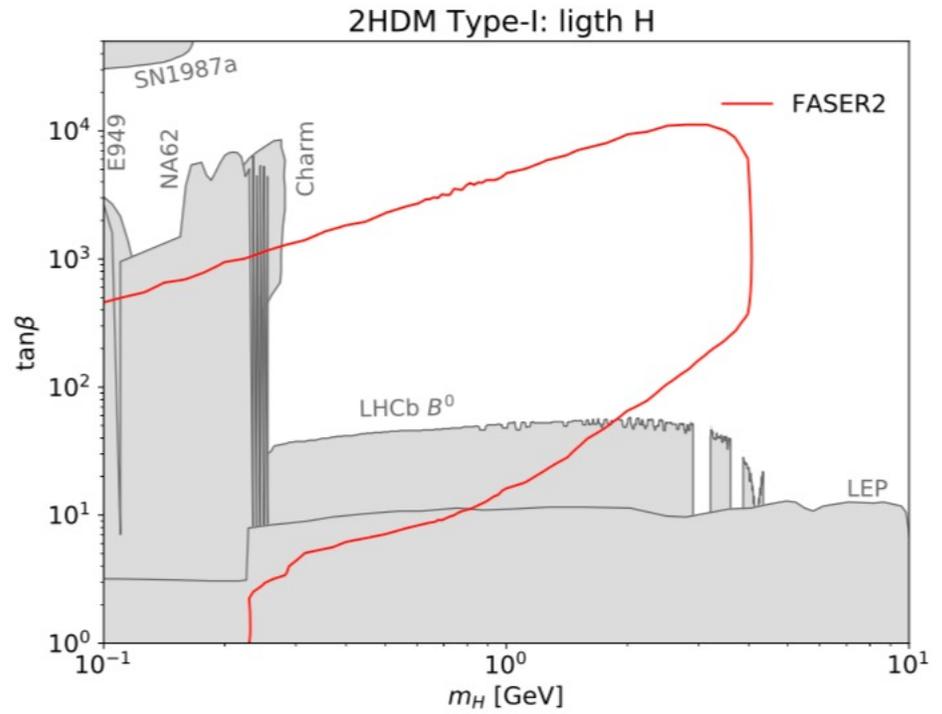
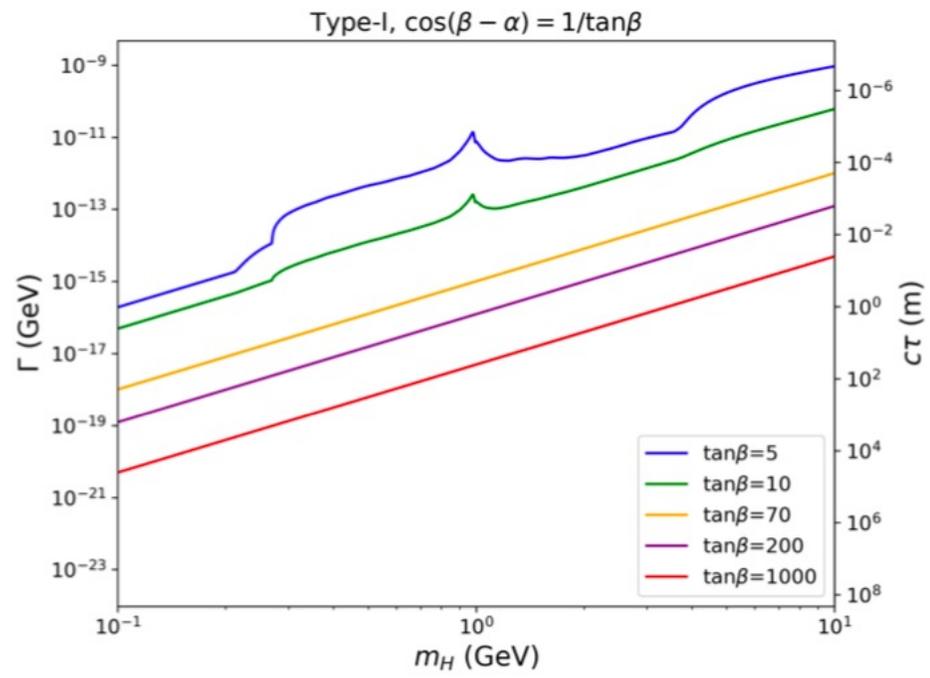
$$\begin{aligned} \xi_H^V &= c_{\beta-\alpha} = 1/\tan \beta, \\ \xi_H^f &= c_{\beta-\alpha}(1 - s_{\beta-\alpha}) \approx \frac{1}{2}c_{\beta-\alpha}^3 + \mathcal{O}(c_{\beta-\alpha}^5). \end{aligned}$$

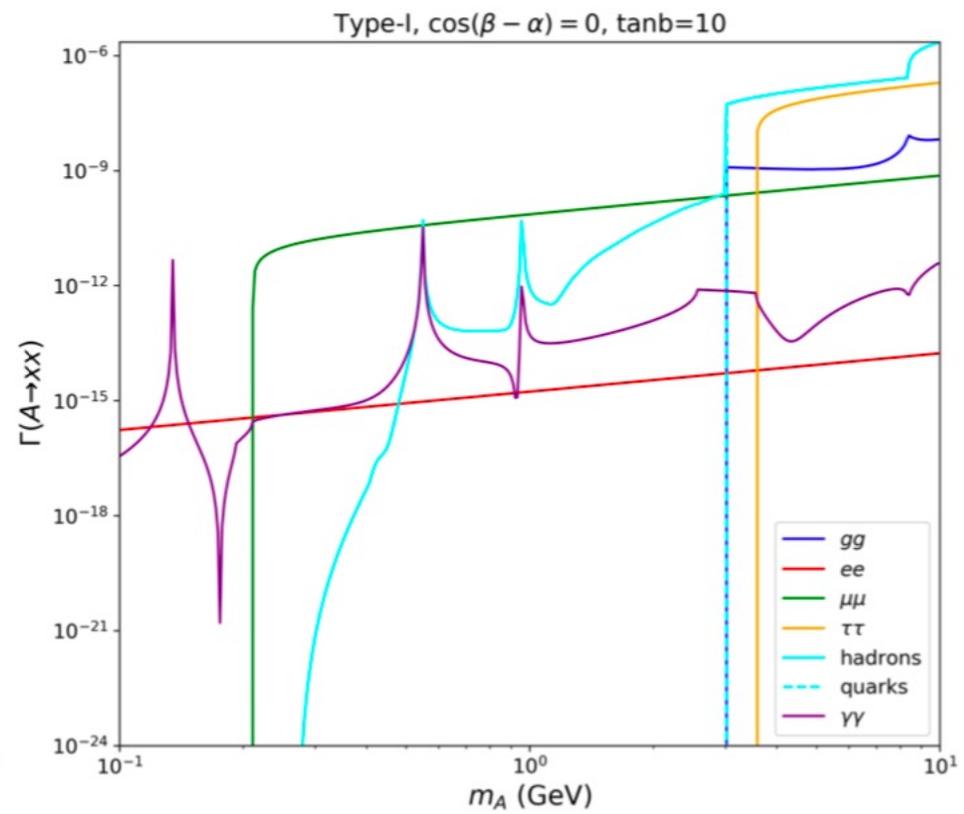
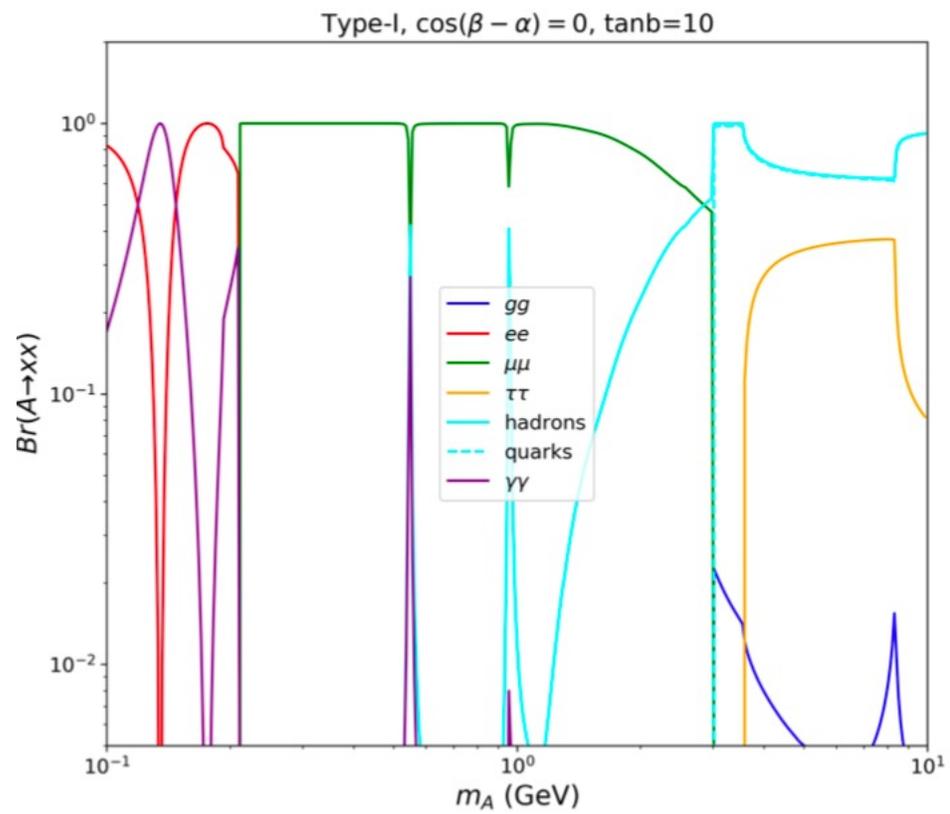
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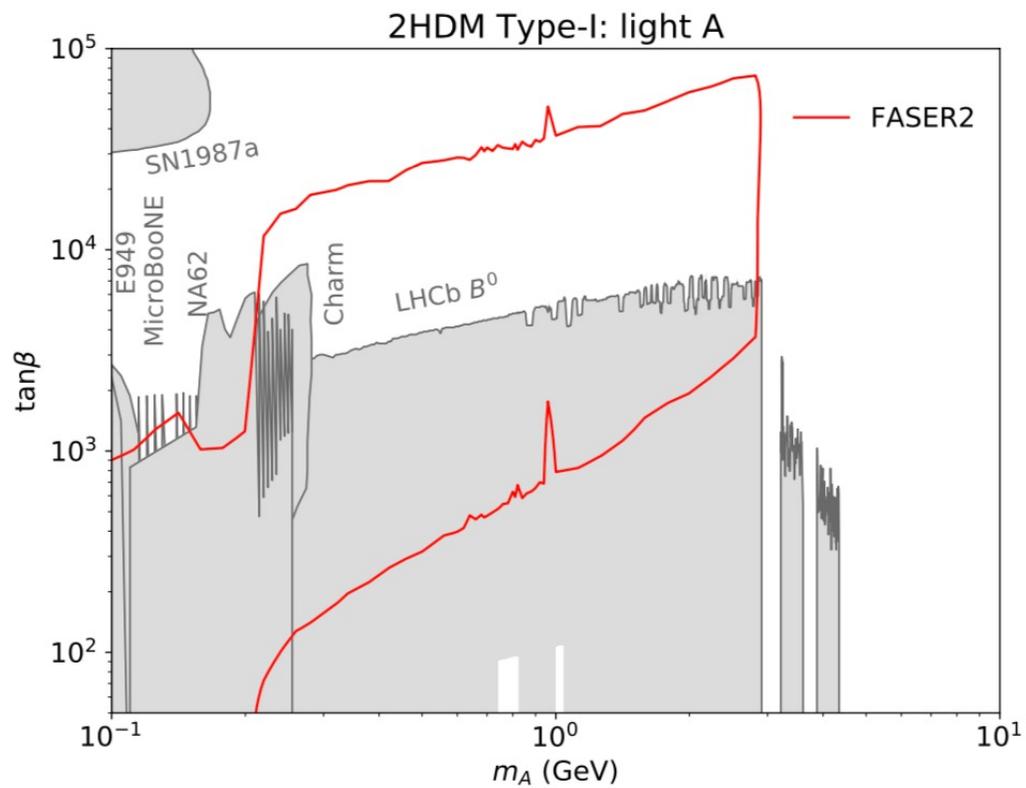
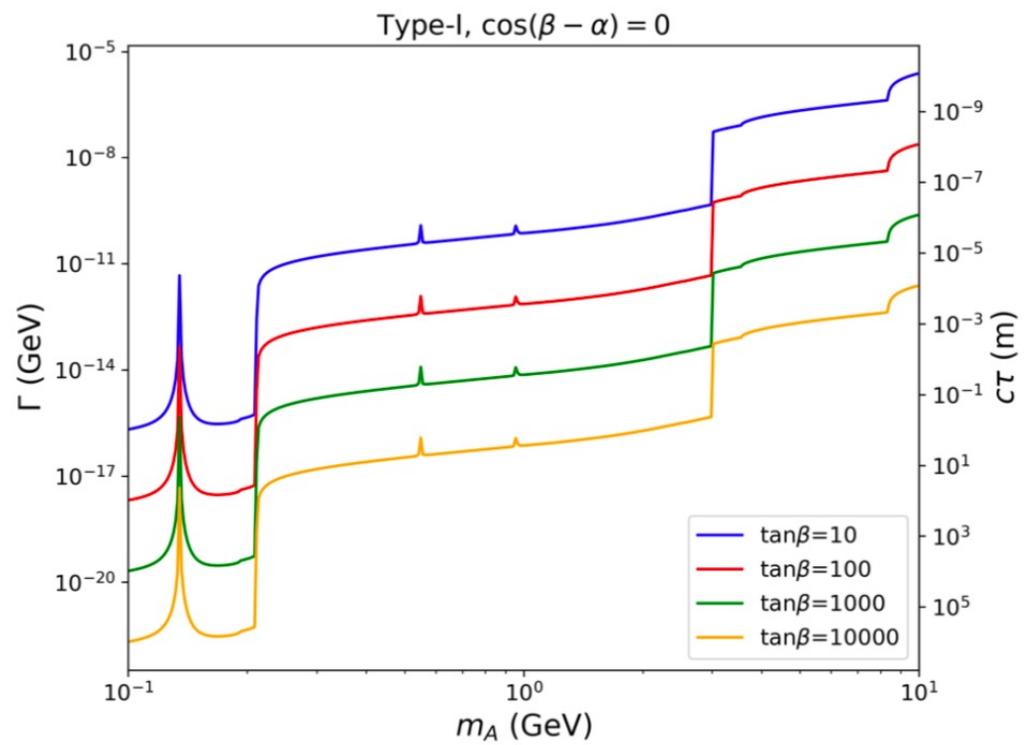


decay



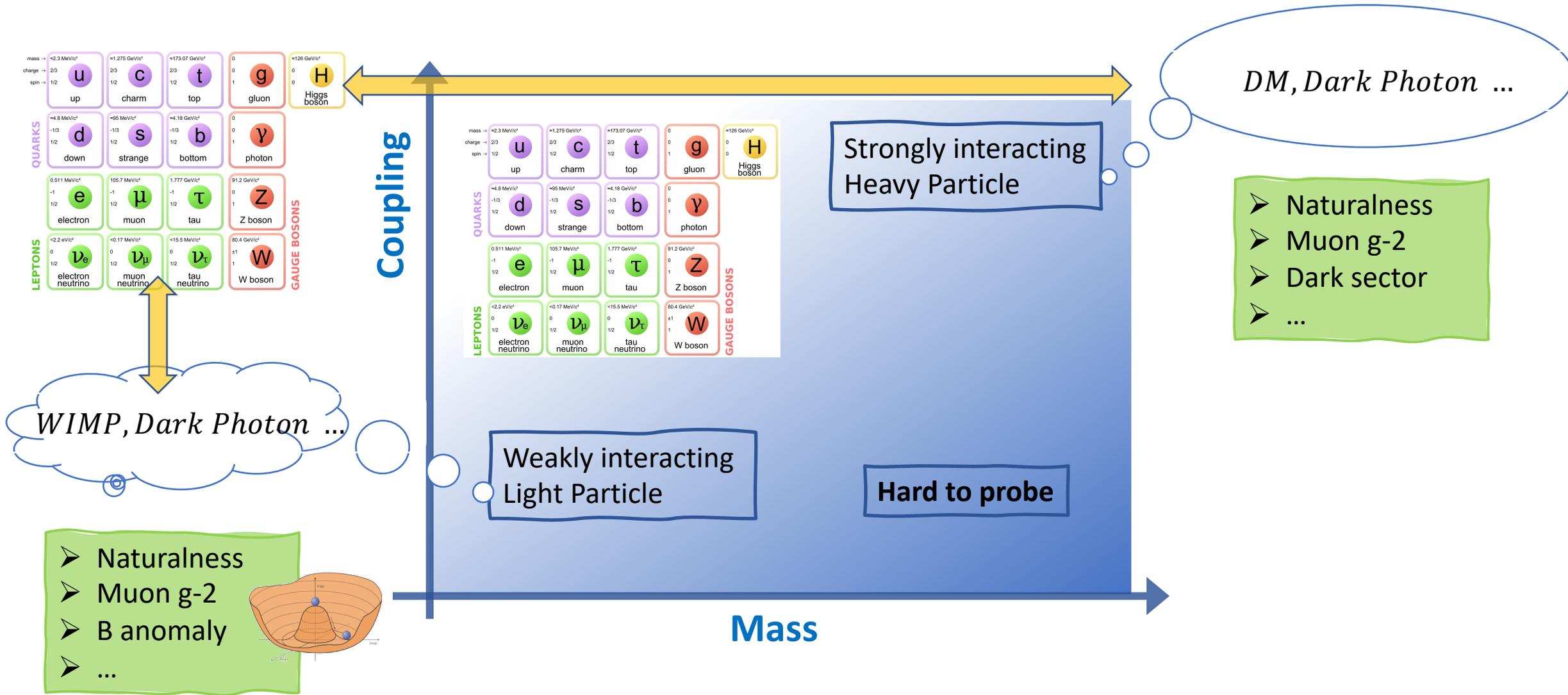






Thanks !

Motivation: LLP

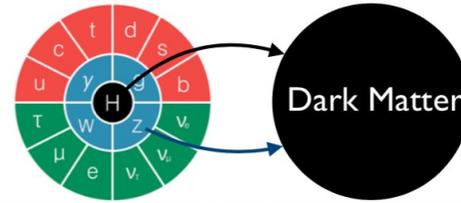


Motivation: BSM hints

Strongly Interacting Heavy Particles

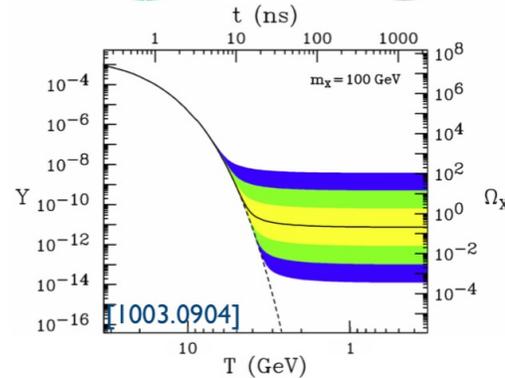
WIMP Miracle

- dark matter solid evidence for new particles
- thermal freeze out: $\Omega_{DM} \sim 1/\langle\sigma v\rangle \sim m^2/g^4$
- WIMP miracle: $m \sim m_{weak}, g \sim g_{weak}$



Electroweak Hierarchy Problem

- Why is Higgs mass small? $m_h \ll M_{Pl}$
- Higgs mass seems fine tuned
 $m_h^2 = m_{h0}^2 + \Delta m^2, \quad \Delta m^2 \sim \Lambda^2$
- avoided if $\Lambda \lesssim 1 \text{ TeV}$



Anomalies

- muon g-2
- anomalies in B-physics

$$R_{K^{(*)}} = \frac{\text{BR}(B \rightarrow K^{(*)}\mu\mu)}{\text{BR}(B \rightarrow K^{(*)}ee)} \quad R_{D^{(*)}} = \frac{\text{BR}(B \rightarrow D^{(*)}\tau\nu)}{\text{BR}(B \rightarrow D^{(*)}\ell\nu)}$$

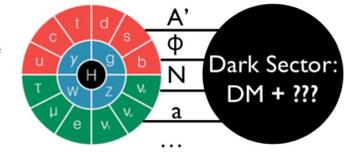
We are now searching for BSM discovery

Motivation

Weakly Interacting Light Particles

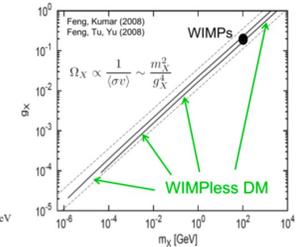
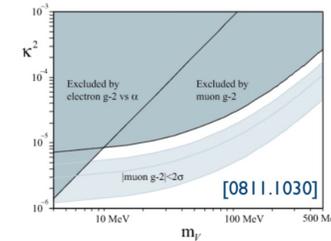
WIMPless Miracle

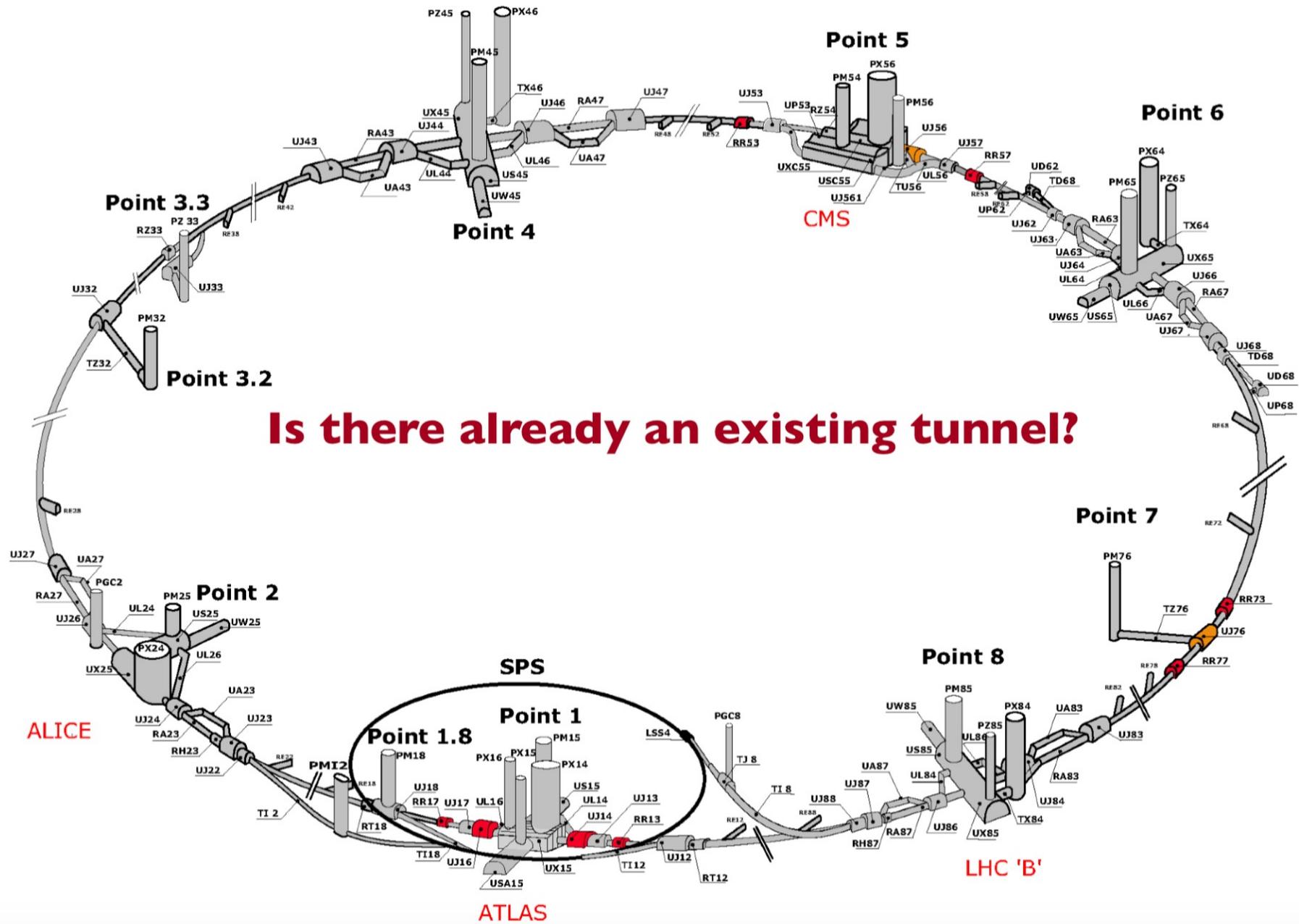
- thermal freeze out: $\Omega_{DM} \sim 1/\langle\sigma v\rangle \sim m^2/g^4$
- "broader" WIMP: $m < m_{weak}, g < g_{weak}$
- new mediators
 \rightarrow dark sector



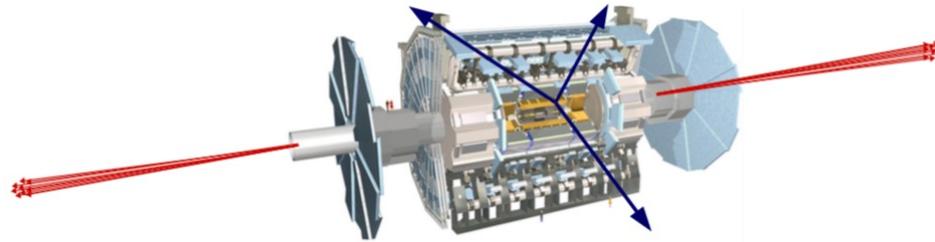
Anomalies

- muon g-2
- Be-8 anomaly





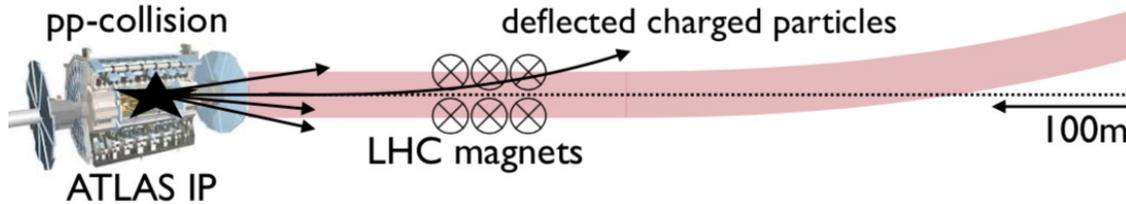
- LHC searches/experiments focus on **central region**, which is motivated by heavy, strongly interacting particles
 - * small rates: $\sigma \sim \text{fb} - \text{pb}$ or $N_H \sim 10^7$ at $\mathcal{L} = 300 \text{ fb}^{-1}$
 - * high p_T , produced \sim isotropical



- For light and weakly interacting particles, this may be completely misguided
 - * light: we can produce them in π , K, D, B decays
 - * weakly-interacting: need extremely large SM event rate to see them
- We should go where the pions are: **forward region** along the beam line
 - * enormous event rates: $\sigma_{\text{inel}} \sim 100 \text{ mb}$ or $N_\pi \sim 10^{17}$ at $\mathcal{L} = 300 \text{ fb}^{-1}$
 - * highly energetic beam remnants: $E \sim \text{TeV}$
 - * low $p_T \sim \Lambda_{\text{QCD}} \rightarrow$ particles are collimated $\theta \sim \Lambda_{\text{QCD}}/E \sim \text{mrad}$

Introduction

- We can't place a reasonably-sized detector on the beam line
 - * blocks the proton beams, subject to large radiation
- However, weakly-interacting particles do not interact with matter
 - place detector few 100m away along the "collision axis" after the LHC magnets
 - * LHC infrastructure acts and rock act as shielding
- At this location, particles are still highly collimated
 - * 100m x mrad ~ 10cm spread in transverse plane



- This motivates small, fast and cheap inexpensive detector
- FASER: ForwArd Search ExpeRiment at the LHC**
- Applications for light long-lived particles searches and neutrinos

Detector Design

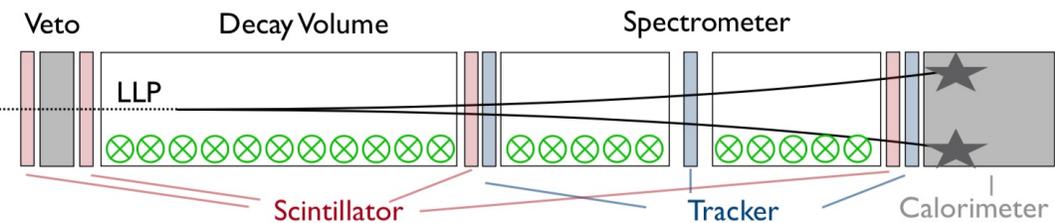
$$pp \rightarrow \text{LLP} + X, \quad \text{LLP travels } \sim 480 \text{ m}, \quad \text{LLP} \rightarrow \text{charged tracks} + X$$

Features of the Signal:

- two oppositely charged energetic tracks: $E > 500 \text{ GeV}$
- vertex inside detector volume
- combined momentum points towards IP
- no incoming tracks

Proposed Detector Design:

- FASER needs tracking, charge identification, rough energy estimate, timing
 - tracking based technology, with a magnet, scintillators and a calorimeter



The effective Lagrangian involving CP-odd scalar A and its interaction with SM be expressed as² [14]

$$\mathcal{L}_A = -\frac{1}{2}m_A^2 A^2 + \sum_{f=u,d,e} \xi_A^f \frac{im_f}{v} \bar{f} \gamma_5 f A + \xi_A^g \frac{\alpha_s}{4\pi v} A G_{\mu\nu}^a \tilde{G}^{a\mu\nu} + \xi_A^\gamma \frac{\alpha}{4\pi v} A F_{\mu\nu} \tilde{F}$$

where $\tilde{F}_{\mu\nu} \equiv 1/2\varepsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} F_{\rho\sigma}$ for completely anti-symmetric symbol $\varepsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma}$, and similarly. The SM contributions to loop-induced effective couplings, ξ_A^γ and ξ_A^g by [14, 33]

$$\xi_A^g = -\frac{1}{4} \sum_{f \in q} \xi_A^f \mathcal{A}_{1/2}^A(\tau_f^A),$$

$$\xi_A^\gamma = -\frac{1}{2} \sum_{f \in q, \ell} N_c^f Q_f^2 \xi_A^f \mathcal{A}_{1/2}^A(\tau_f^A).$$

The pseudoscalar A shares its quantum numbers with some of the mesons (e.g. π^0 , η and η'), which typically induces a mixing among these states as shown in Appendix C. We will still use the notation A to refer to the mass eigenstate which contains mostly of original CP-odd state $A_{\text{CP-odd}}$ (denoted as A in the Lagrangian of Eq. (3.1)) and can be approximately expressed as:

$$A \approx O_{A\pi^0} \pi^0 + O_{A\eta} \eta + O_{A\eta'} \eta' + O_{AA} A_{\text{CP-odd}}, \quad (3.4)$$

Here O_{Ai} is the orthogonal transition matrix from gauge state to mass state, whose expressions are given in Appendix C. O_{Ai} are typically small, except in the resonance region when $m_A \sim m_i$ for $i = \pi^0, \eta$, and η' .

