

The Dark Side of the Universe

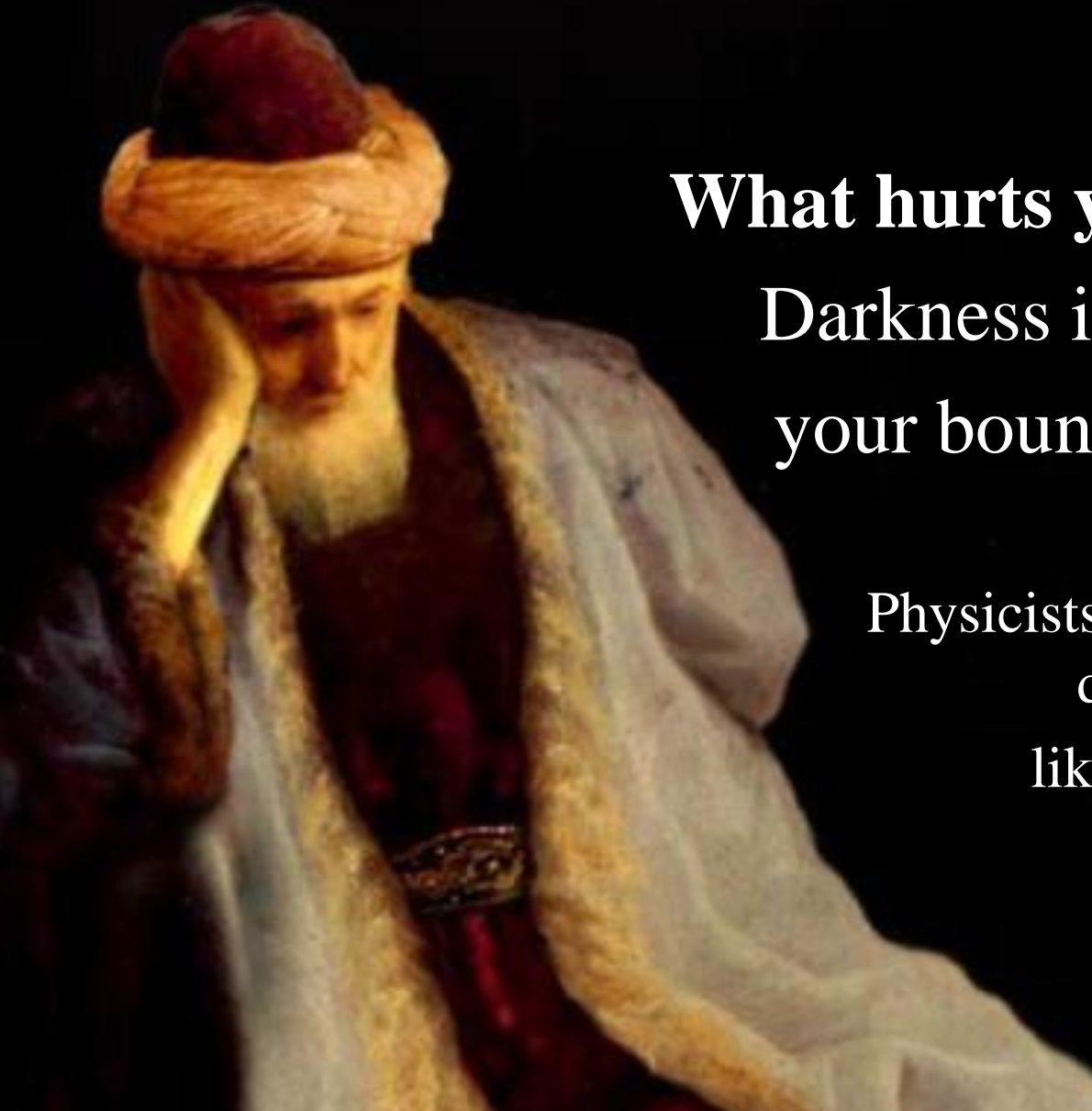
What hurts you, blesses you.

Darkness is your candle,
your boundaries are your quest

Physicists are attracted by what they
do not understand,
like moths by a candle

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The ‘Standard Model’

Describes all
the **VISIBLE**
matter in the
Universe

But what
about the
INVISIBLE
dark matter?

Summary of the Standard Model

- Particles and $SU(3) \times SU(2) \times U(1)$ quantum numbers:

L_L E_R	$\begin{pmatrix} \nu_e \\ e^- \end{pmatrix}_L, \begin{pmatrix} \nu_\mu \\ \mu^- \end{pmatrix}_L, \begin{pmatrix} \nu_\tau \\ \tau^- \end{pmatrix}_L$ e_R^-, μ_R^-, τ_R^-	$(1,2,-1)$ $(1,1,-2)$
Q_L U_R D_R	$\begin{pmatrix} u \\ d \end{pmatrix}_L, \begin{pmatrix} c \\ s \end{pmatrix}_L, \begin{pmatrix} t \\ b \end{pmatrix}_L$ u_R, c_R, t_R d_R, s_R, b_R	$(3,2,+1/3)$ $(3,1,+4/3)$ $(3,1,-2/3)$

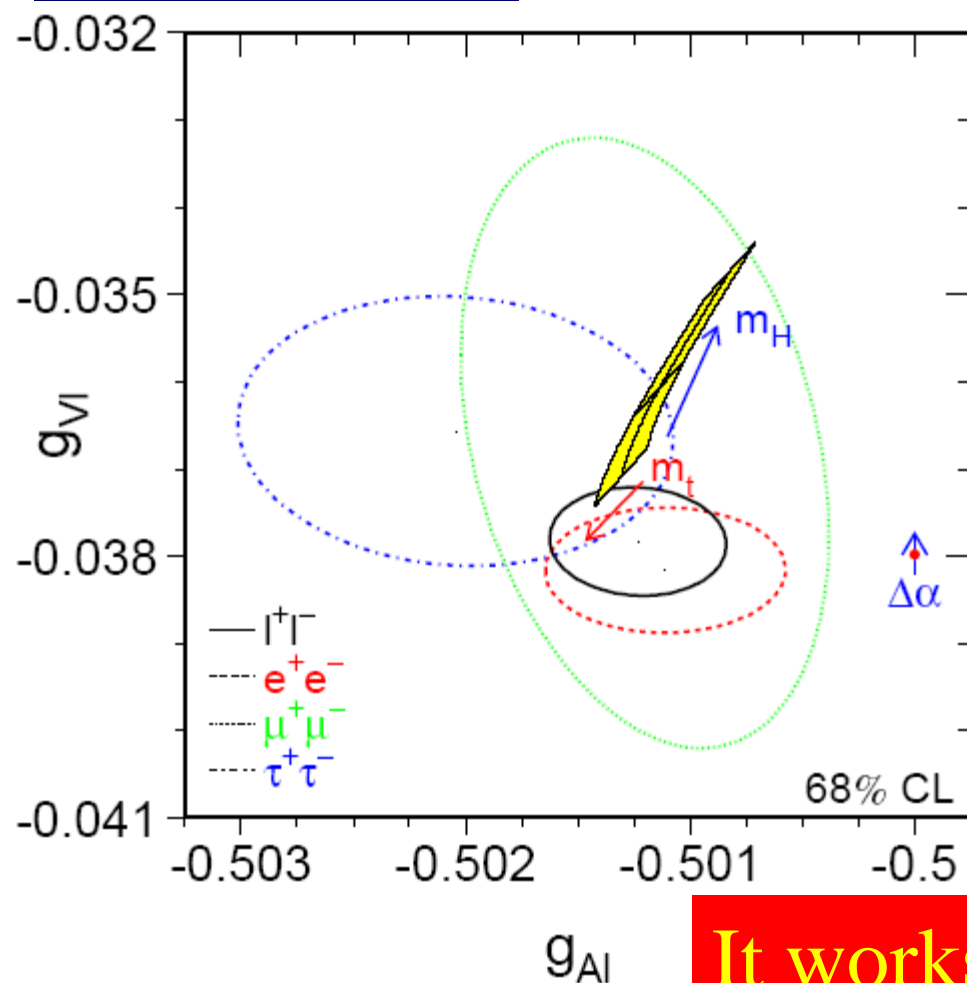
- Lagrangian:
$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L} = & -\frac{1}{4} F_{\mu\nu}^a F^{a\ \mu\nu} && \text{gauge interactions} \\ & + i\bar{\psi} \not{D}\psi + h.c. && \text{matter fermions} \\ & + \psi_i y_{ij} \psi_j \phi + h.c. && \text{Yukawa interactions} \\ & + |D_\mu \phi|^2 - V(\phi) && \text{Higgs potential} \end{aligned}$$

Many tests

Checked
only recently

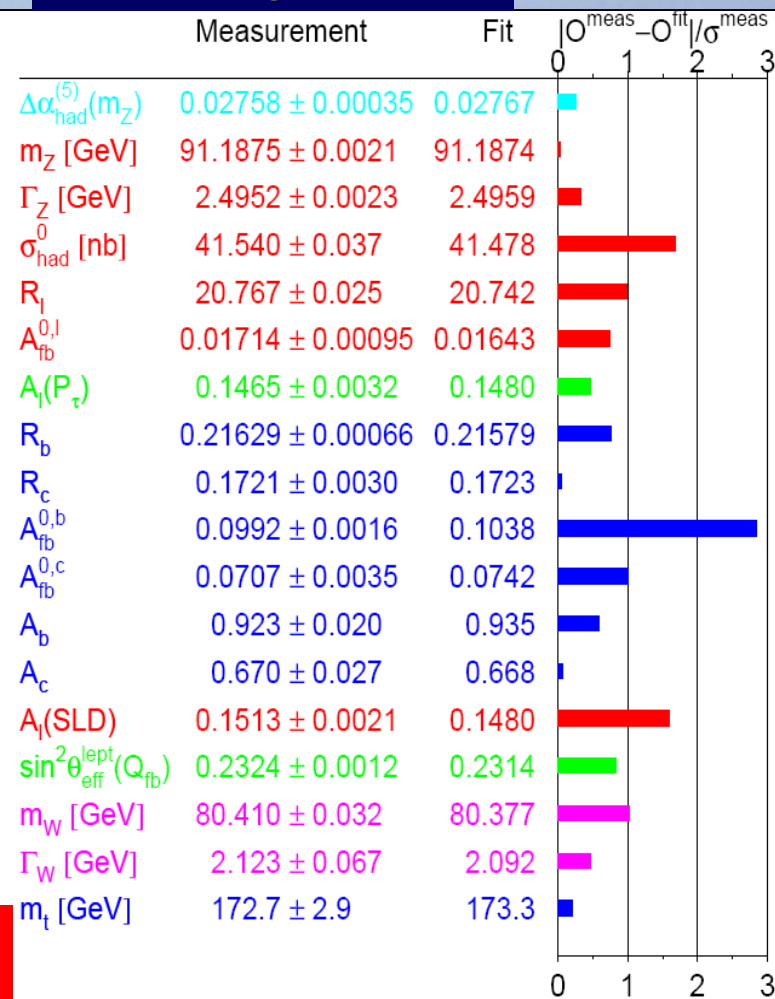
Precision Tests of the Standard Model

Lepton couplings



It works!

Pulls in global fit



A Phenomenological Profile of the Higgs Boson

- First attempt at systematic survey

A PHENOMENOLOGICAL PROFILE OF THE HIGGS BOSON

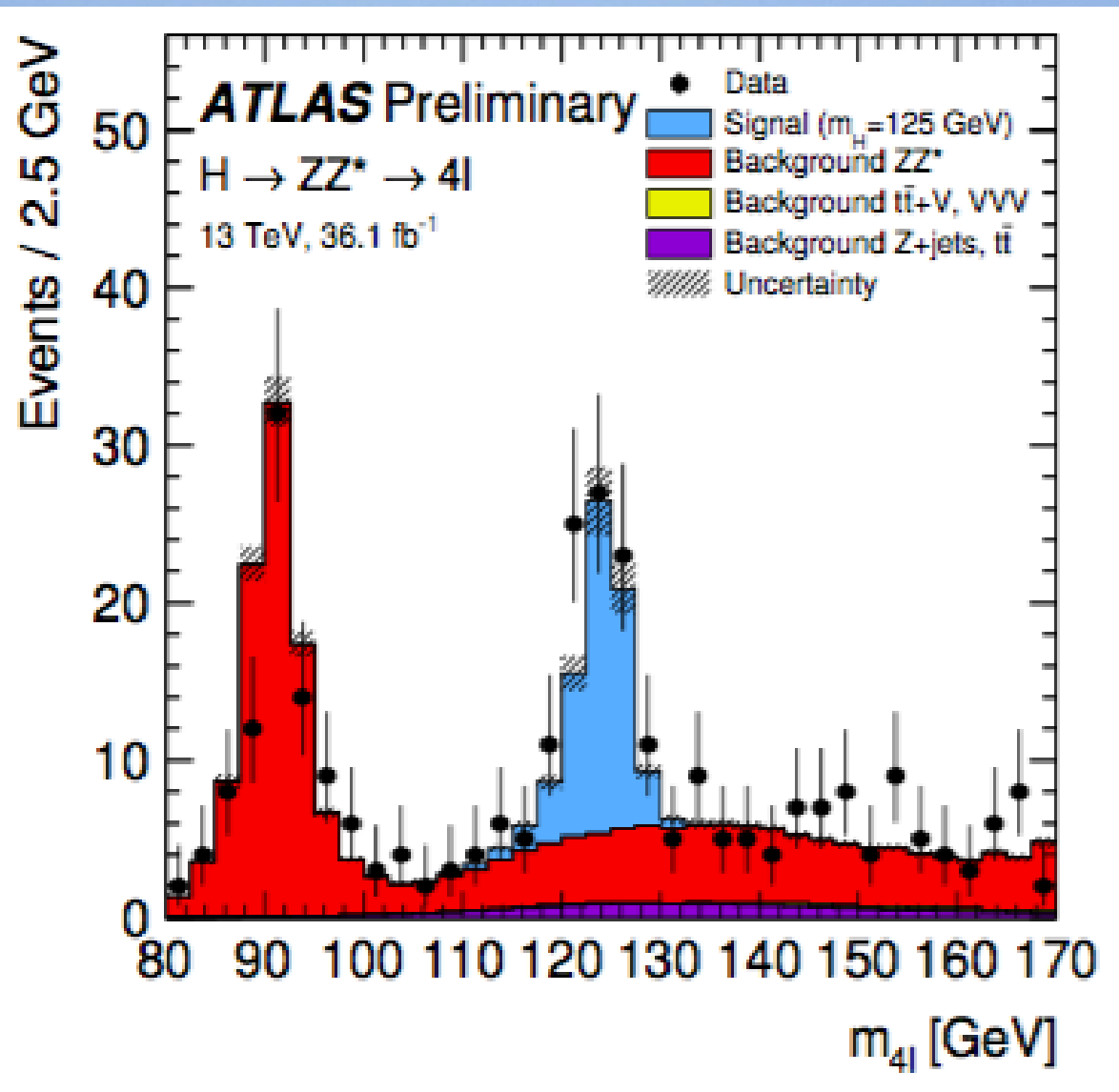
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A discussion is given of the production, decay and observability of the scalar Higgs boson H expected in gauge theories of the weak and electromagnetic interactions such as the Weinberg-Salam model. After reviewing previous experimental limits on the mass of

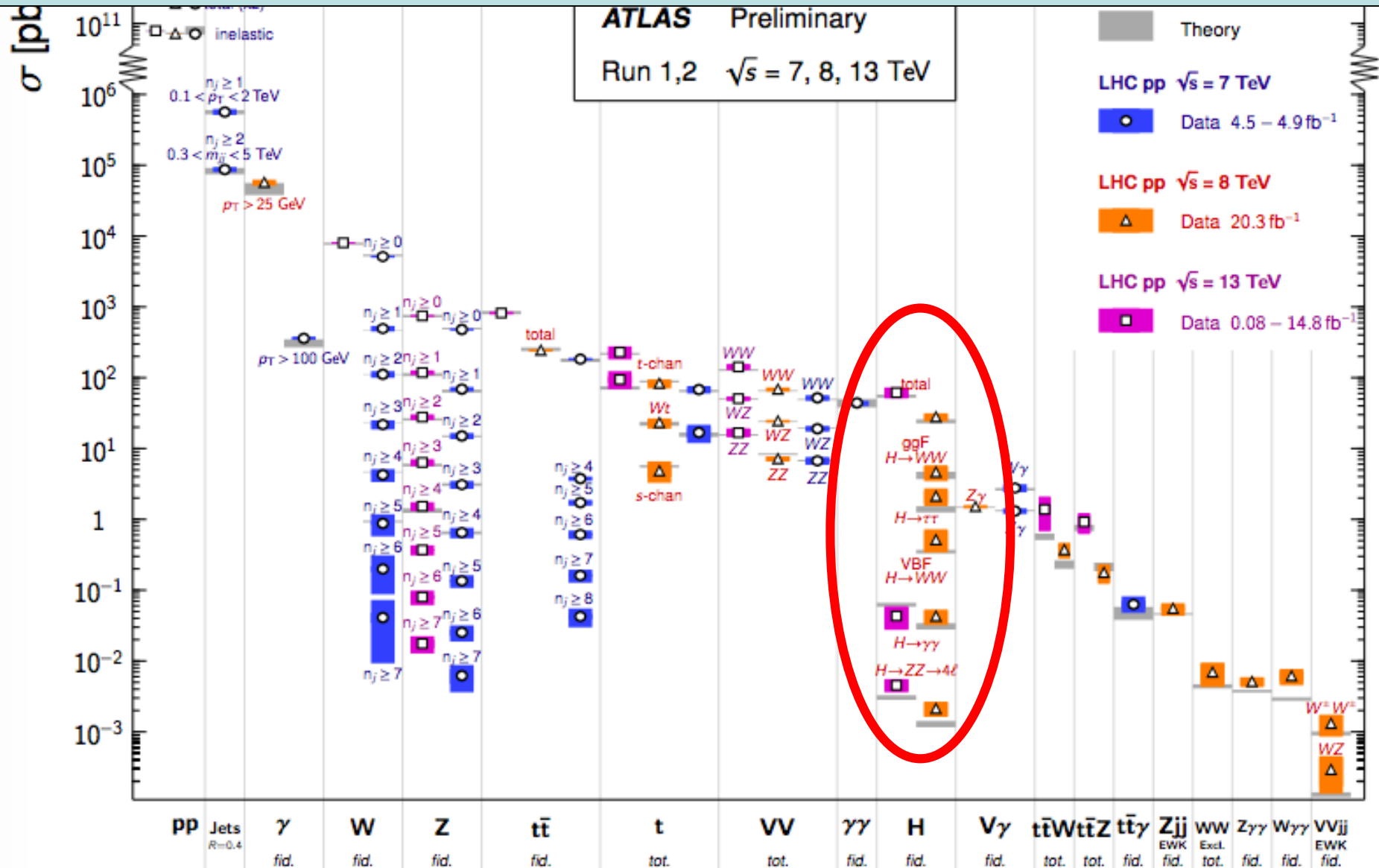
We should perhaps finish with an apology and a caution. We apologize to experimentalists for having no idea what is the mass of the Higgs boson, unlike the case with charm [3,4] and for not being sure of its couplings to other particles, except that they are probably all very small. For these reasons we do not want to encourage big experimental searches for the Higgs boson, but we do feel that people performing experiments vulnerable to the Higgs boson should know how it may turn up.

How the Higgs Signal Grew



“Stairway to Heaven”

Standard Model Cross-Sections @ LHC



New Accelerators:
HL-LHC, LBNF, ILC,
CLIC, CEPC, CEPC...

Cosmology & Astrophysics:
inflation, dark matter,
cosmic rays, grav. waves, ...

Beyond SM:
Supersymmetry? Composite models? ...

Standard Model EFT

Neutrinos:
CP, hierarchy, ...

Higgs:
CP, $\kappa_{V,f}$, flavour violation, ...

Electroweak:
 $\sin^2\theta$, TGCs, ...

Standard Model

Flavour:
Top, CKM, ...

QCD:
soft, heavy ions, PDFs, hard, ...

Lattice

The Dark Matter Hypothesis

- Proposed by Fritz Zwicky, based on observations of the Coma galaxy cluster
- The galaxies move too quickly
- The observations require a stronger gravitational field than provided by the visible matter
- **Dark matter?**



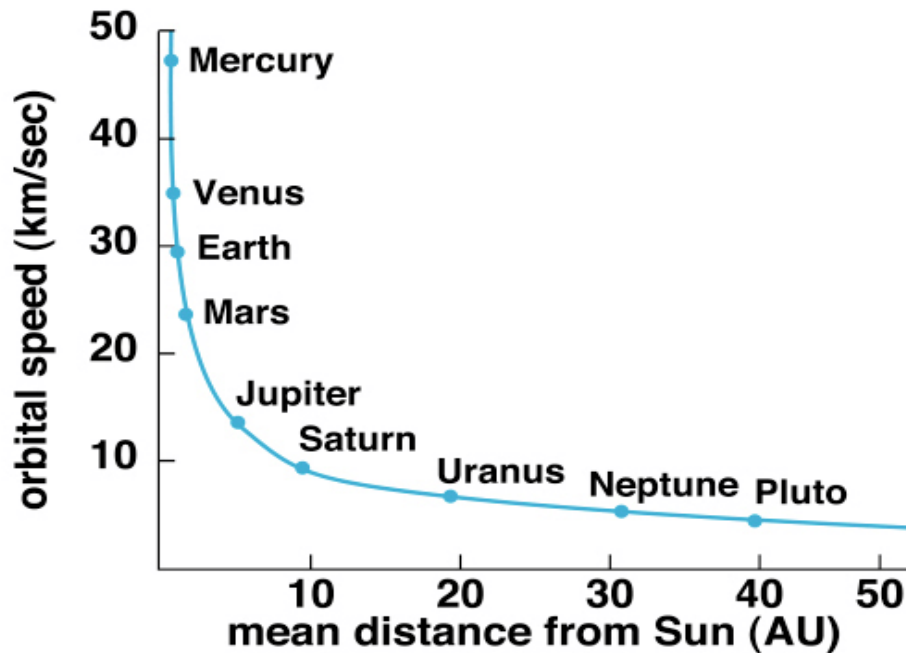
The Rotation Curves of Galaxies

- Measured by Vera Rubin
- The stars also orbit ‘too quickly’
- Her observations also required a stronger gravitational field than provided by the visible matter
- **Further strong evidence for dark matter**



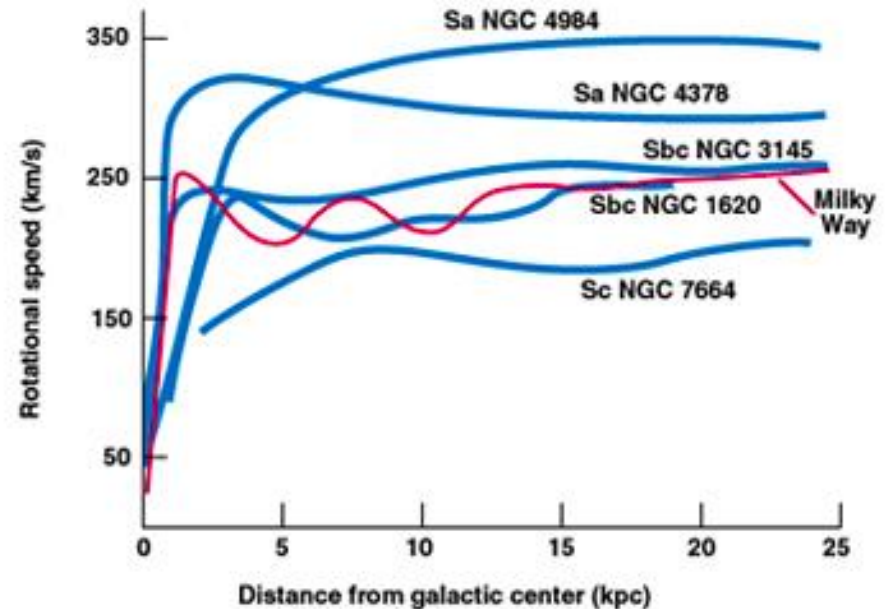
Rotation Curves

- In the Solar System



- The velocities decrease with distance from Sun
- Mass lumped at centre

- In galaxies



- The velocities do not decrease with distance
- Dark matter spread out

More Evidence for Dark Matter

Galaxies rotate more rapidly than allowed by centripetal force due to visible matter

X-ray emitting gas held in place by extra dark matter

Even a 'dark galaxy' without stars



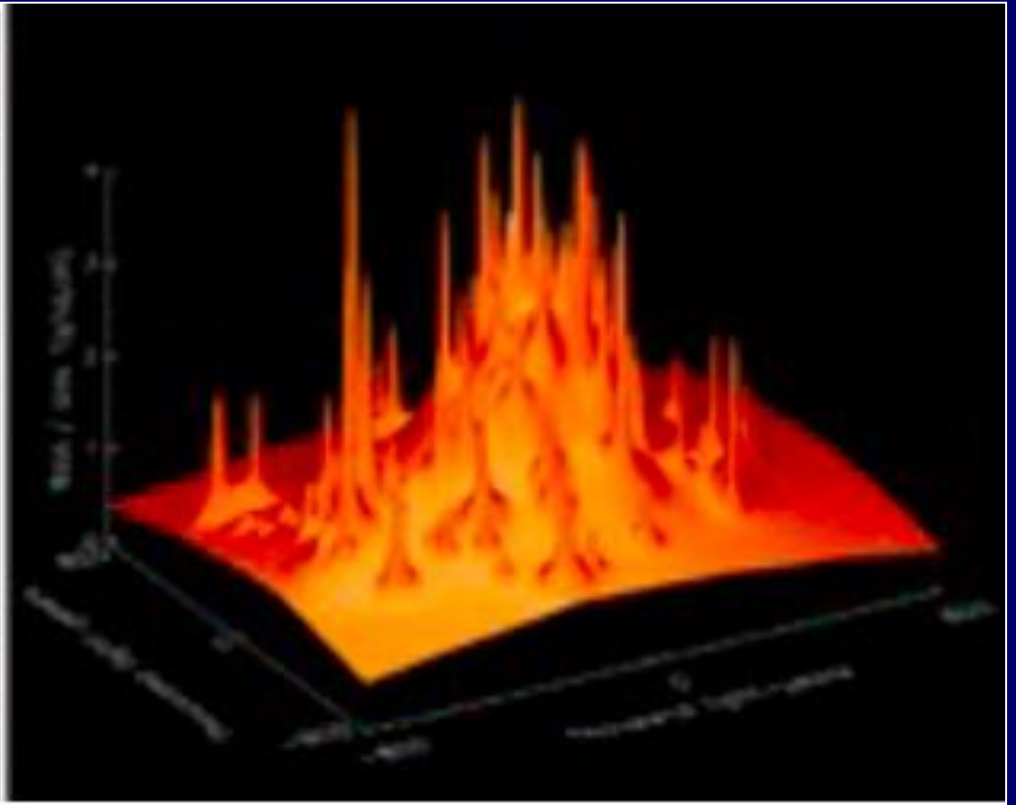
Gravity = Centripetal Acceleration

$$\frac{GM}{r^2} = \frac{v^2}{r}$$



Gravitational Lensing

- Reveal all the matter

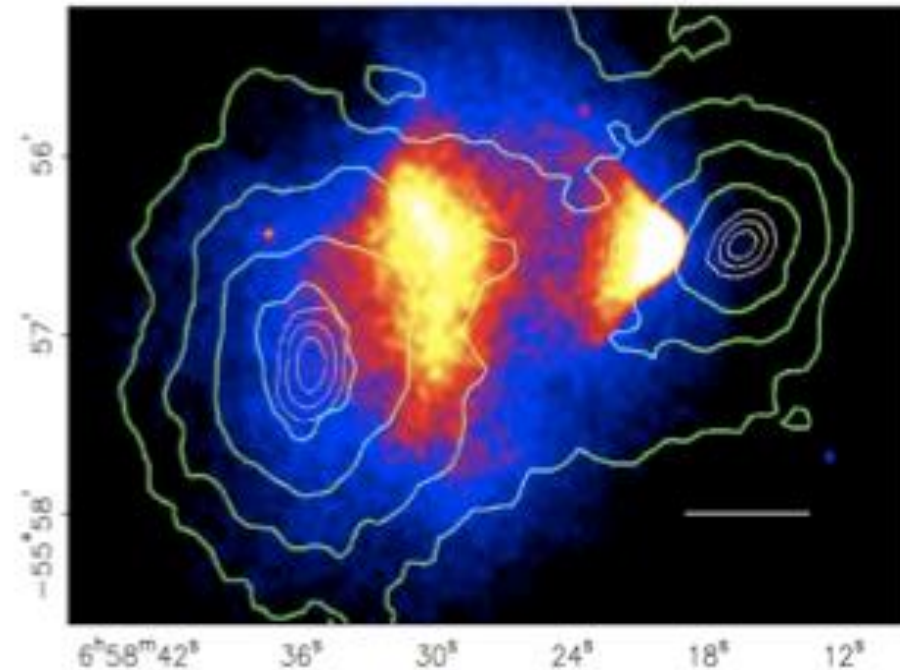
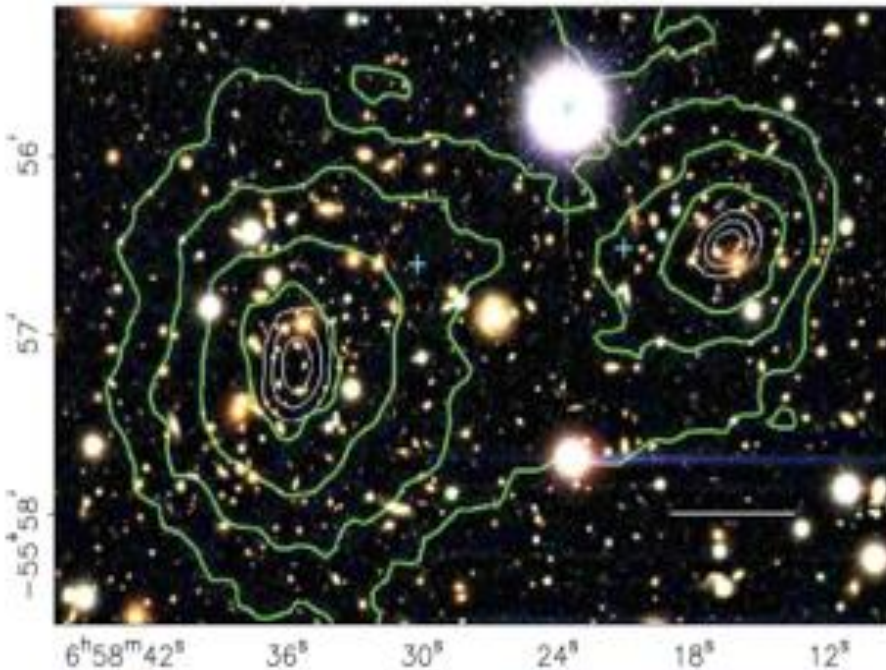


- Galaxies = peaks on a background of dark matter

More Evidence for Dark Matter

Collision between
2 clusters of galaxies:
Dark matter passes through

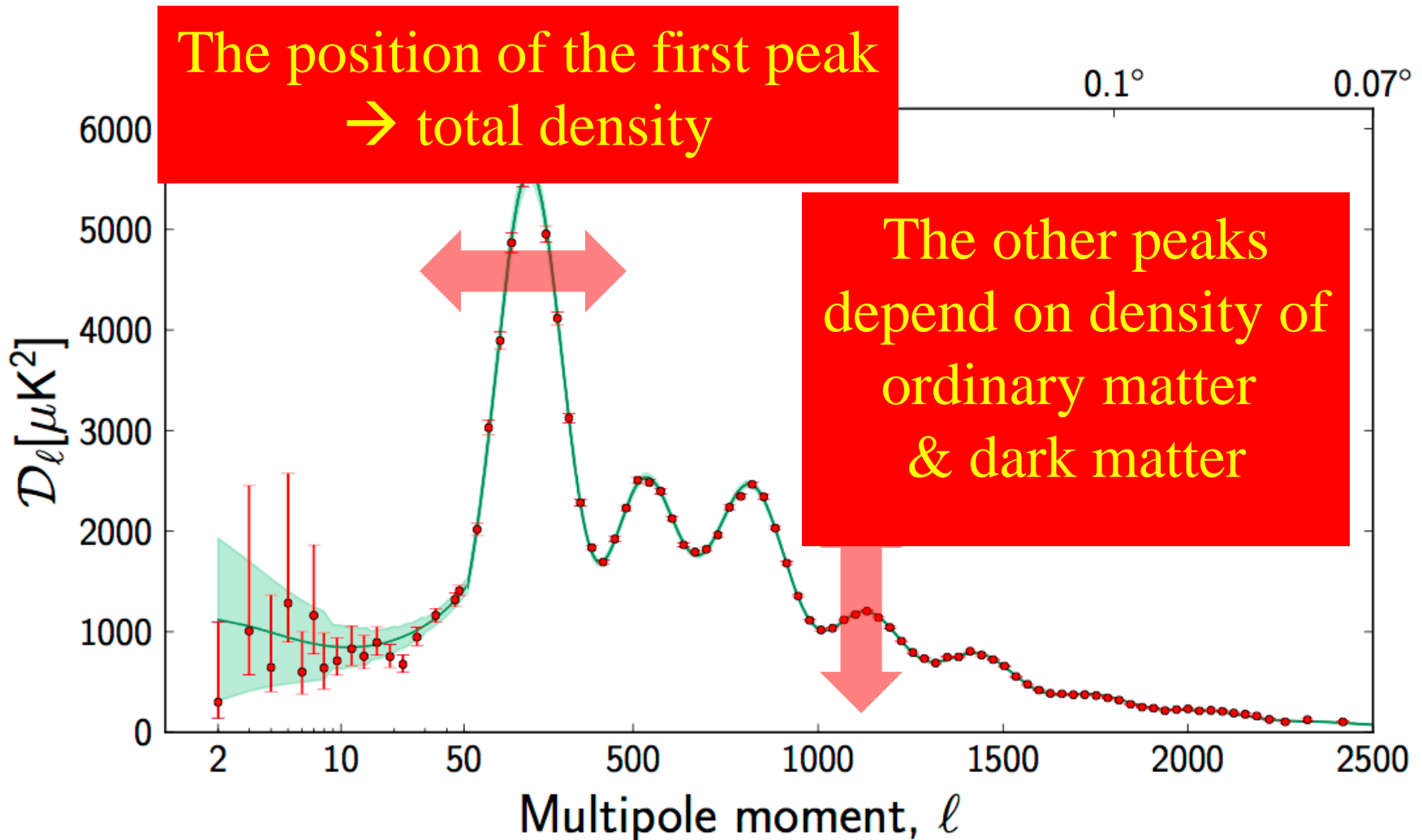
Collision between
2 clusters of galaxies:
Gas interacts, heats and stops



Clowe et al, 2006



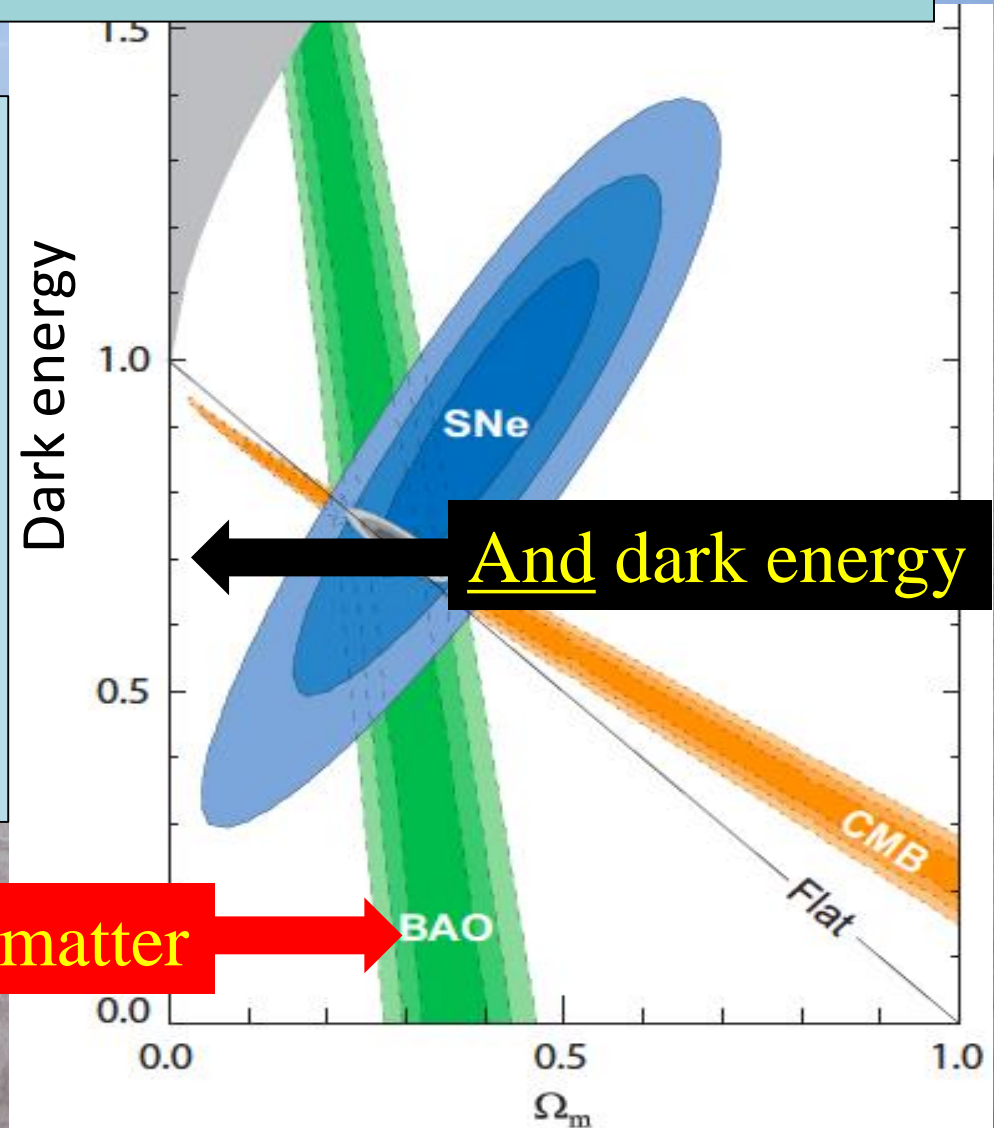
The Spectrum of Fluctuations in the Cosmic Microwave Background



The Content of the Universe

- According to
 - Microwave background
 - Supernovae
 - Structures (galaxies, clusters, ...) in the Universe

There is dark matter

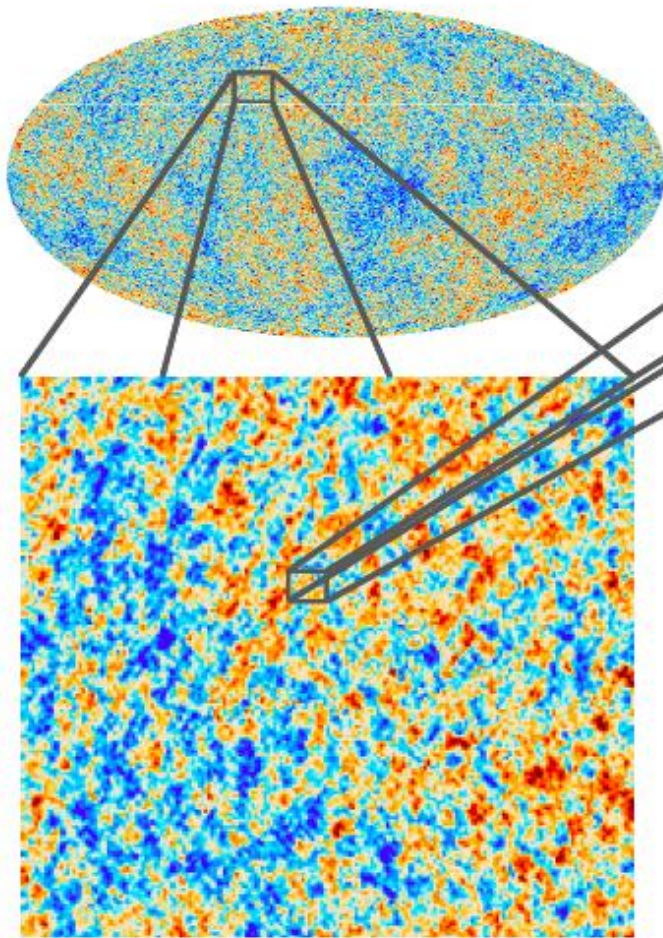


Dark Energy

- Energy density spread throughout space
- Not clustered like matter in galaxies, etc.
- Apparently \sim constant for billions of years
- Expect in many theories of fundamental physics, e.g., Higgs
- Mystery is why it is so small

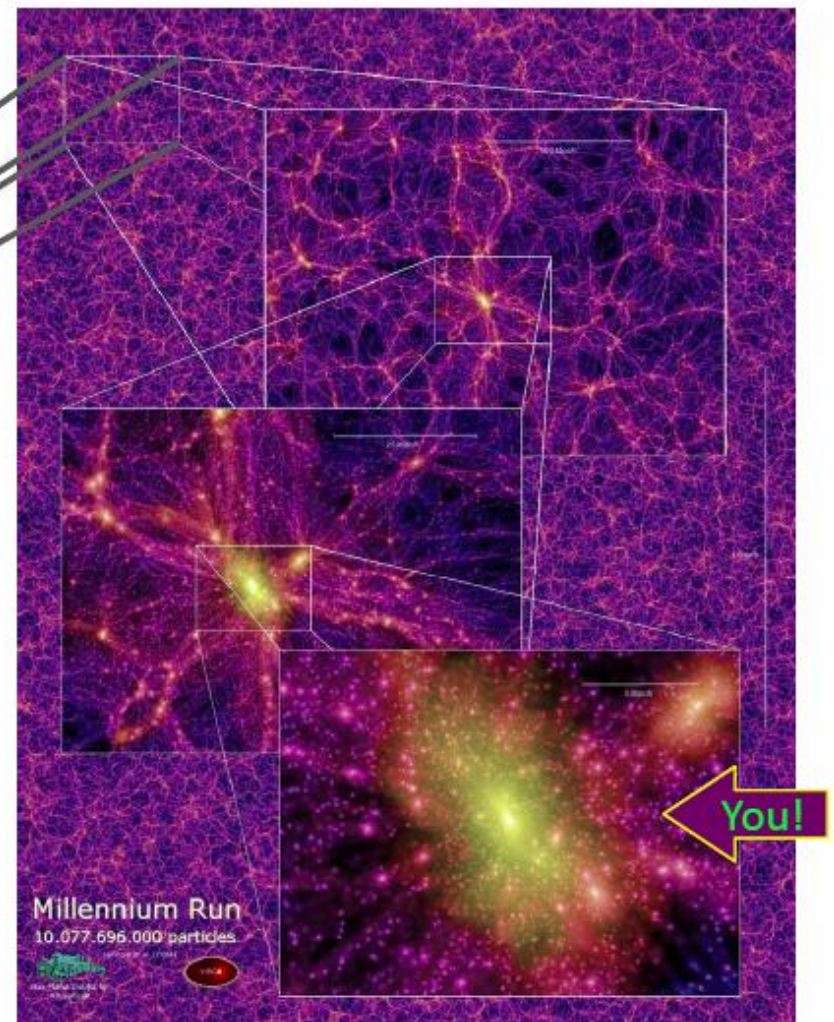
Perturbations Generate Structures

Planck



Primordial quantum perturbations as seen in the Cosmic Microwave Background

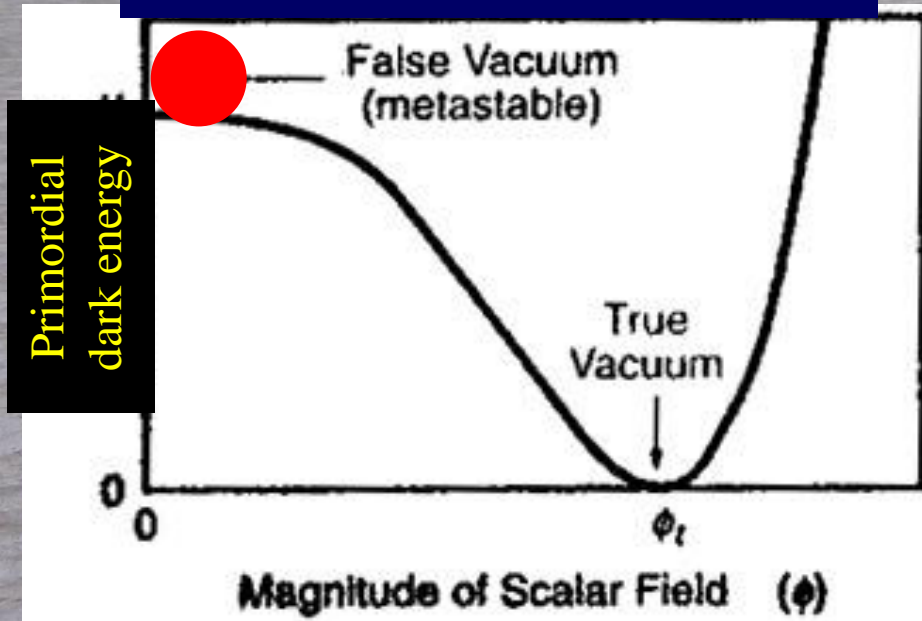
Dark matter distribution today (simulated)



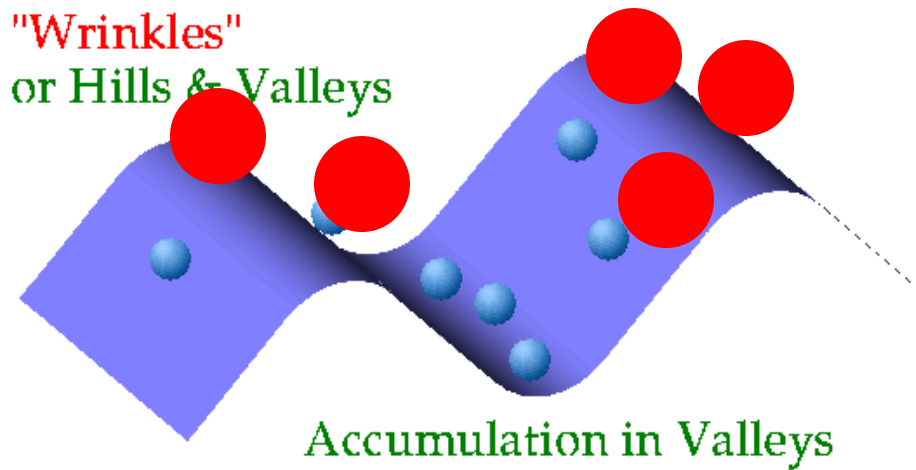
The Origin of Structures in the Universe

**Small primordial
quantum fluctuations:**
 $\sim 1/10^5$

Gravitational instability:
dark matter falls into the
gravitational potential wells,
visible matter follows



"Wrinkles"
or Hills & Valleys



Become density fluctuations

Become structures in Universe

A Successful Theory of the Formation of Structures in the Universe

Dark matter:

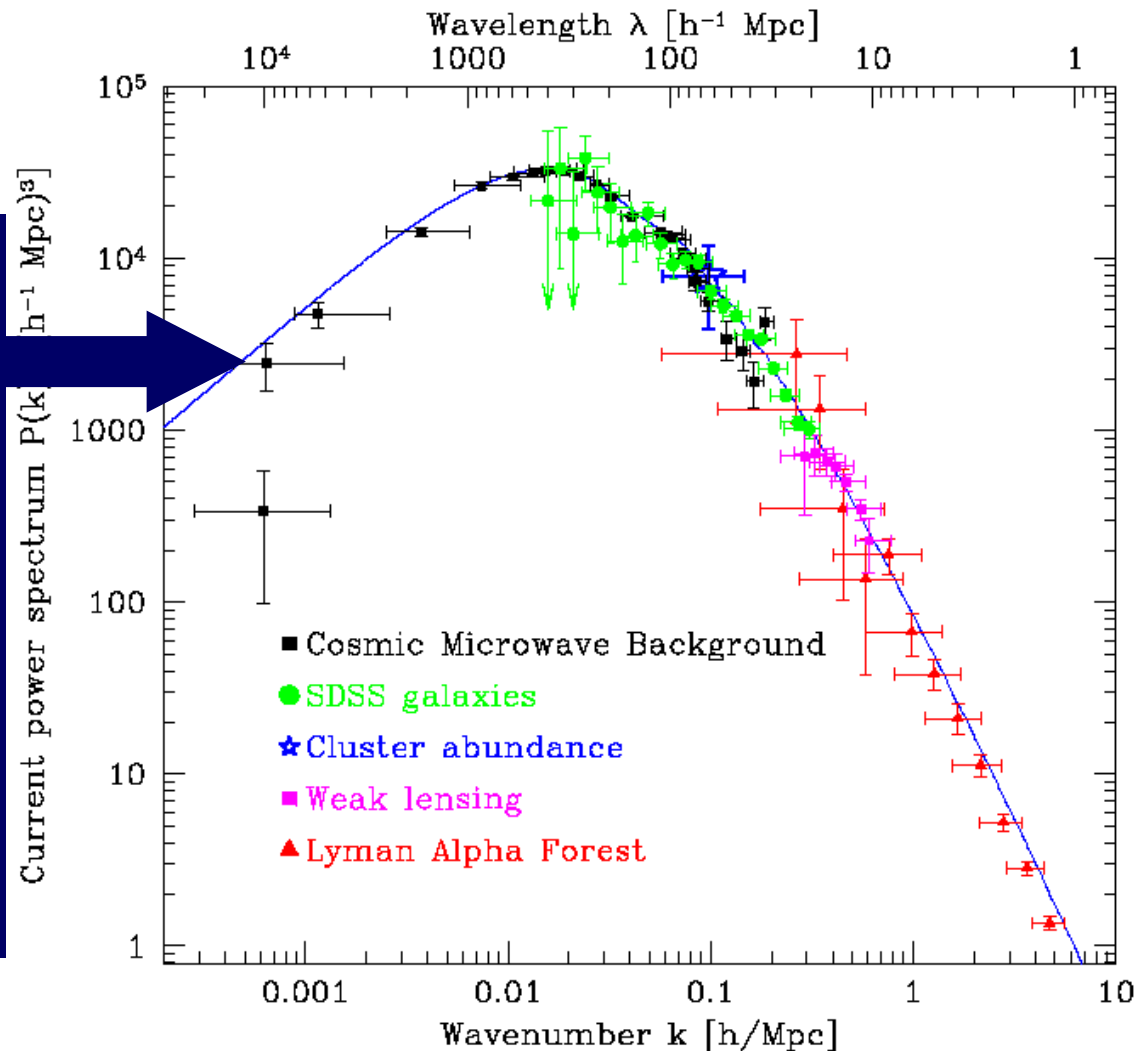
$$\Omega_{\text{CDM}} \sim 0.25,$$

visible matter:

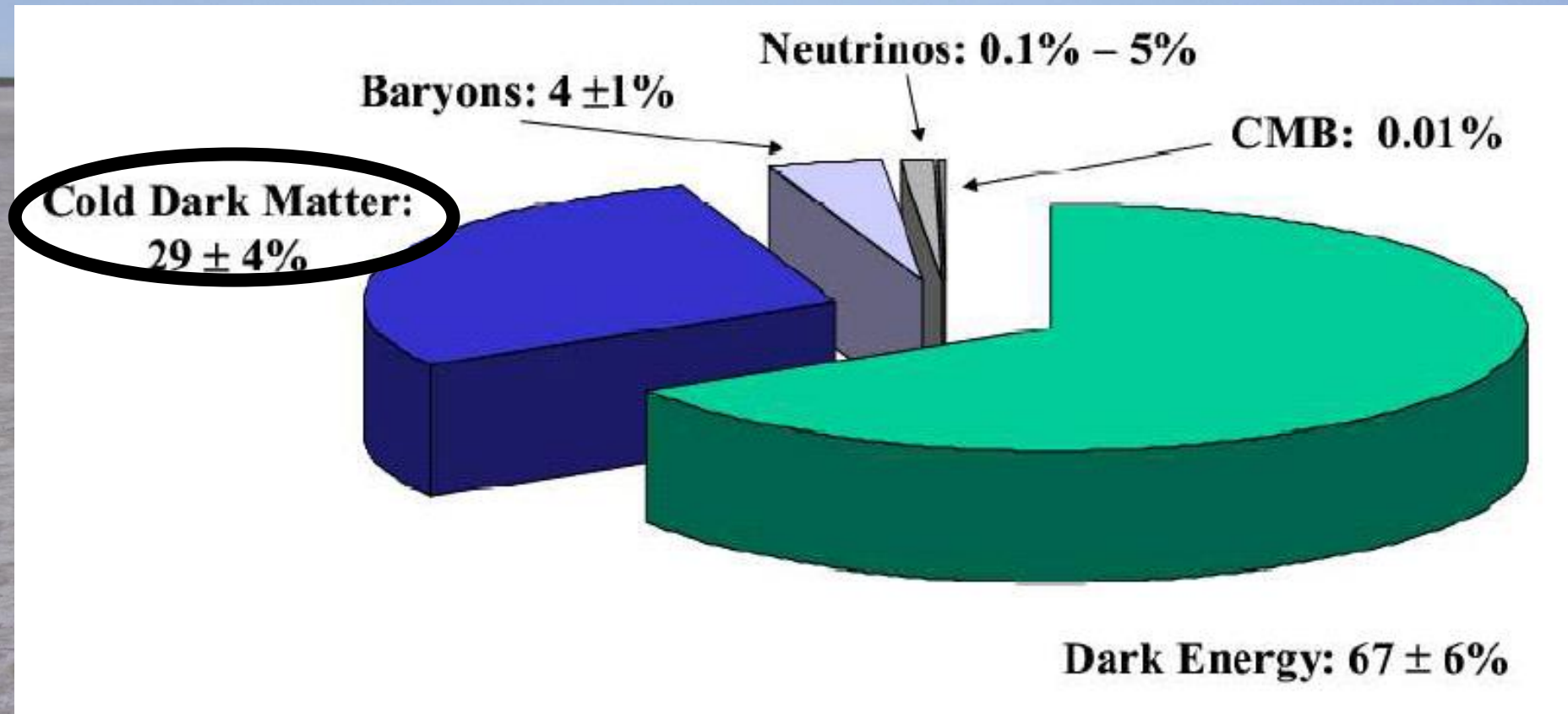
$$\Omega_b \sim 0.05,$$

Dark energy:

$$\Omega_\Lambda \sim 0.7$$



Strange Recipe for a Universe



The 'Standard Model' of the Universe
indicated by astrophysics and cosmology

Dark Matter in the Universe



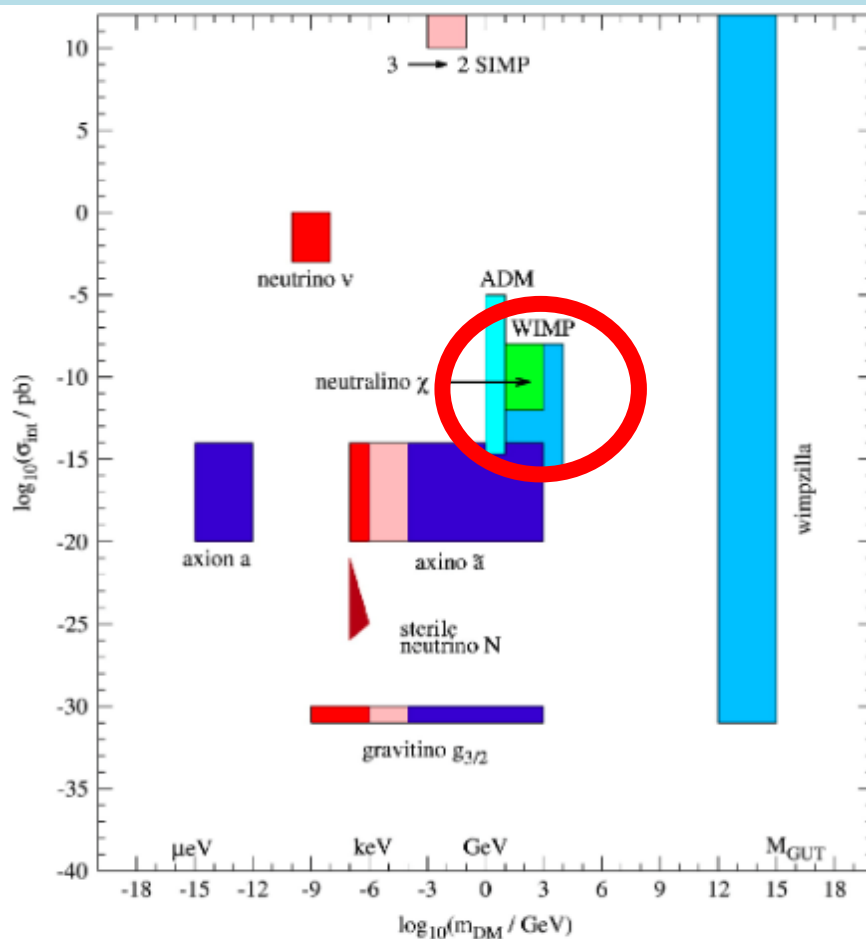
Astronomers say
that most of the
matter in the
Universe is
invisible
Dark Matter

Weakly-interacting massive
particles (WIMPs)?

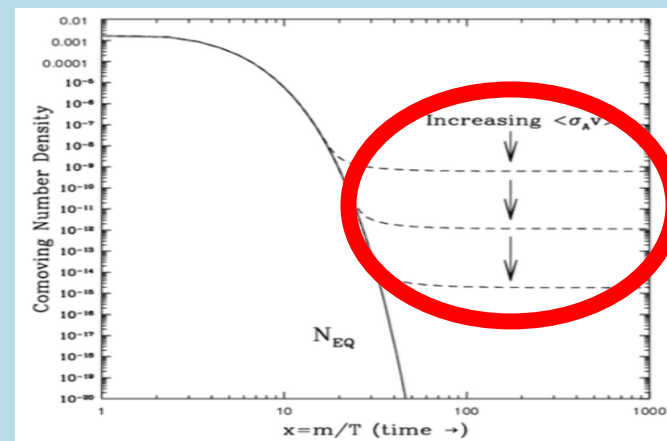
Searching for
them at the
LHC

Candidates for Dark Matter

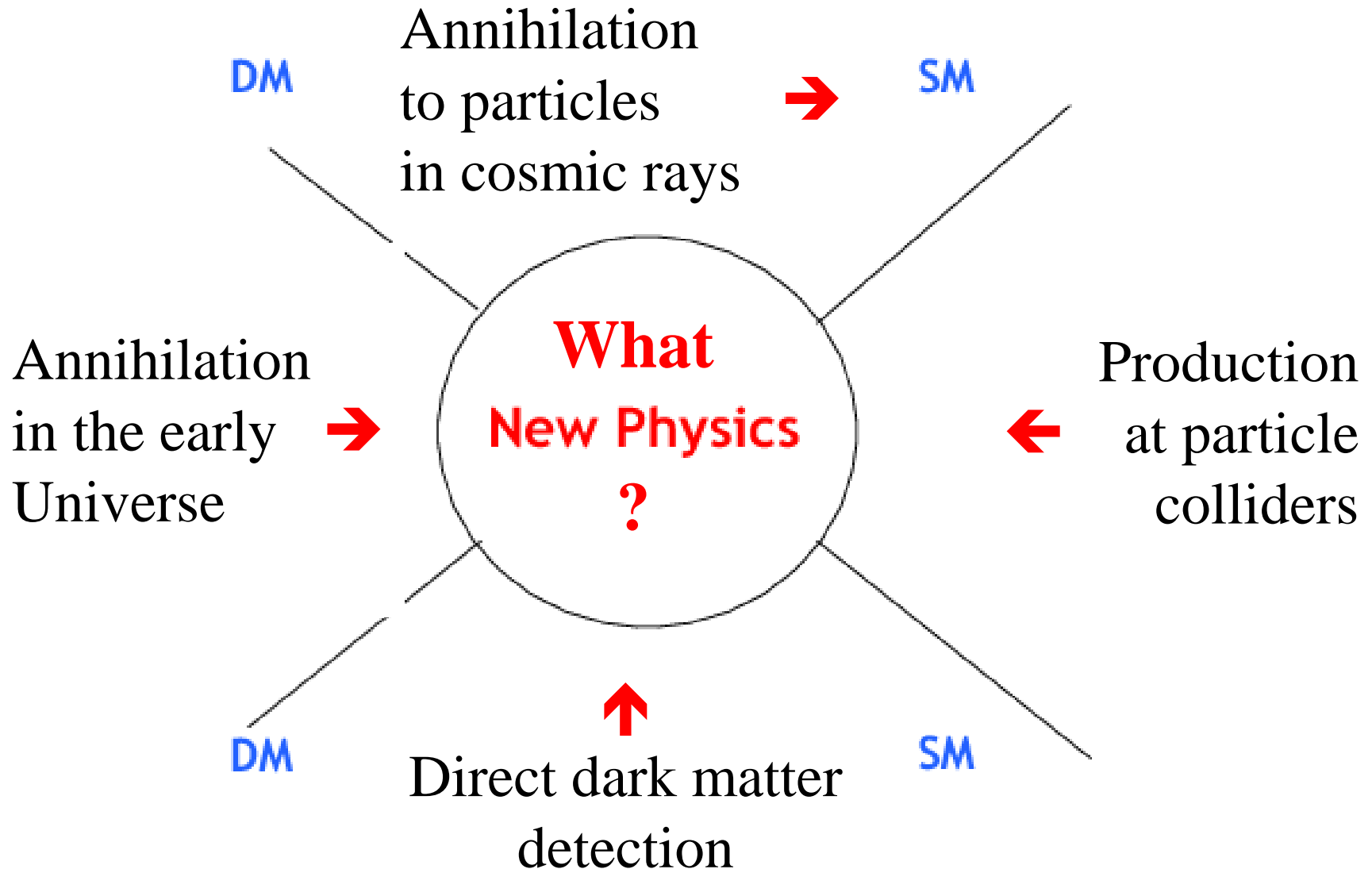
- Large range of possible masses and interactions



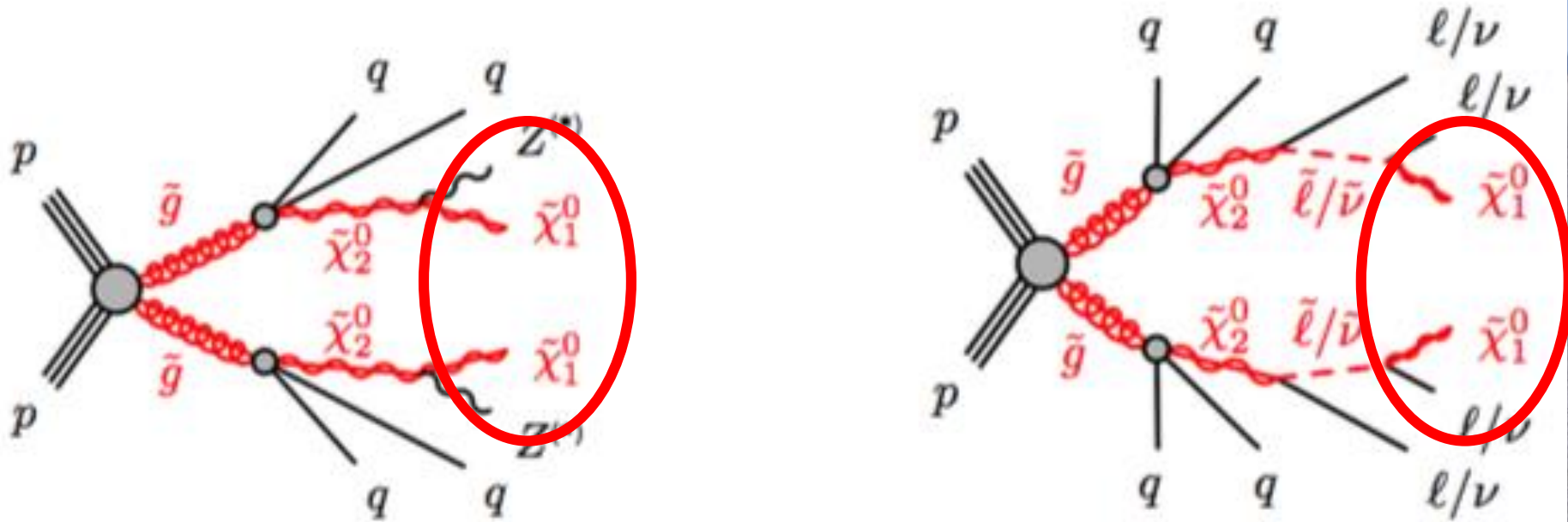
WIMPs: relic particles in thermal equilibrium in early Universe
Density freezes out as Universe expands



Searches for Dark Matter

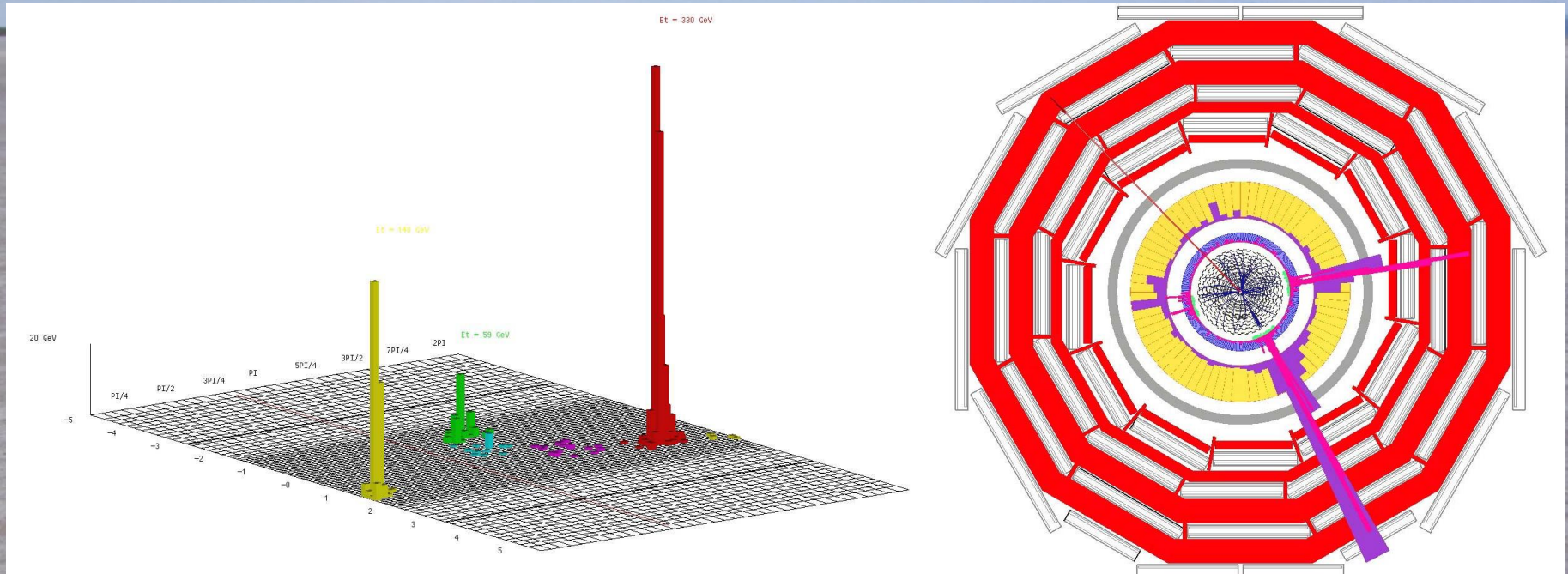


Dark Matter Searches at the LHC



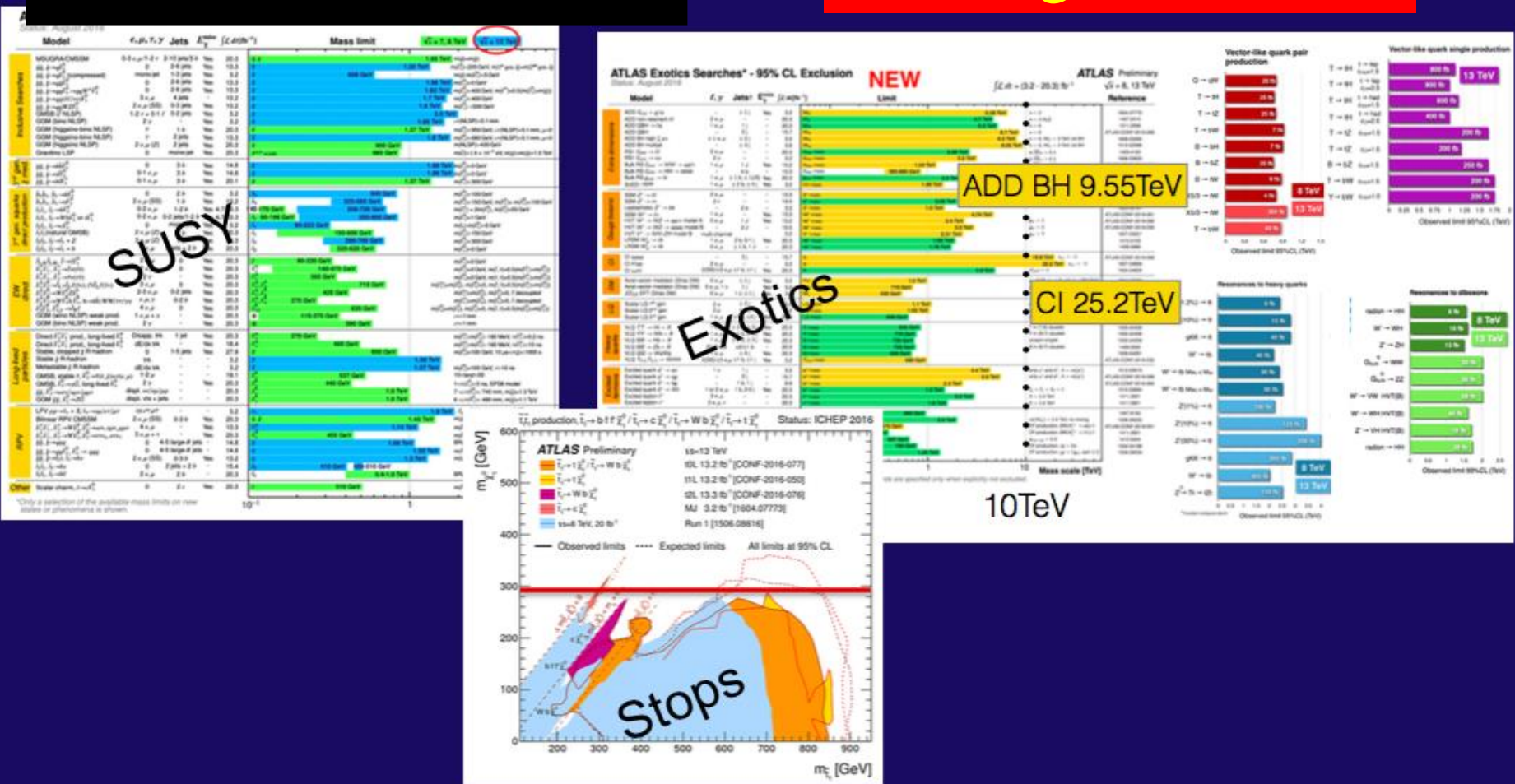
Missing transverse energy
carried away by dark matter particles

Classic Dark Matter Signature

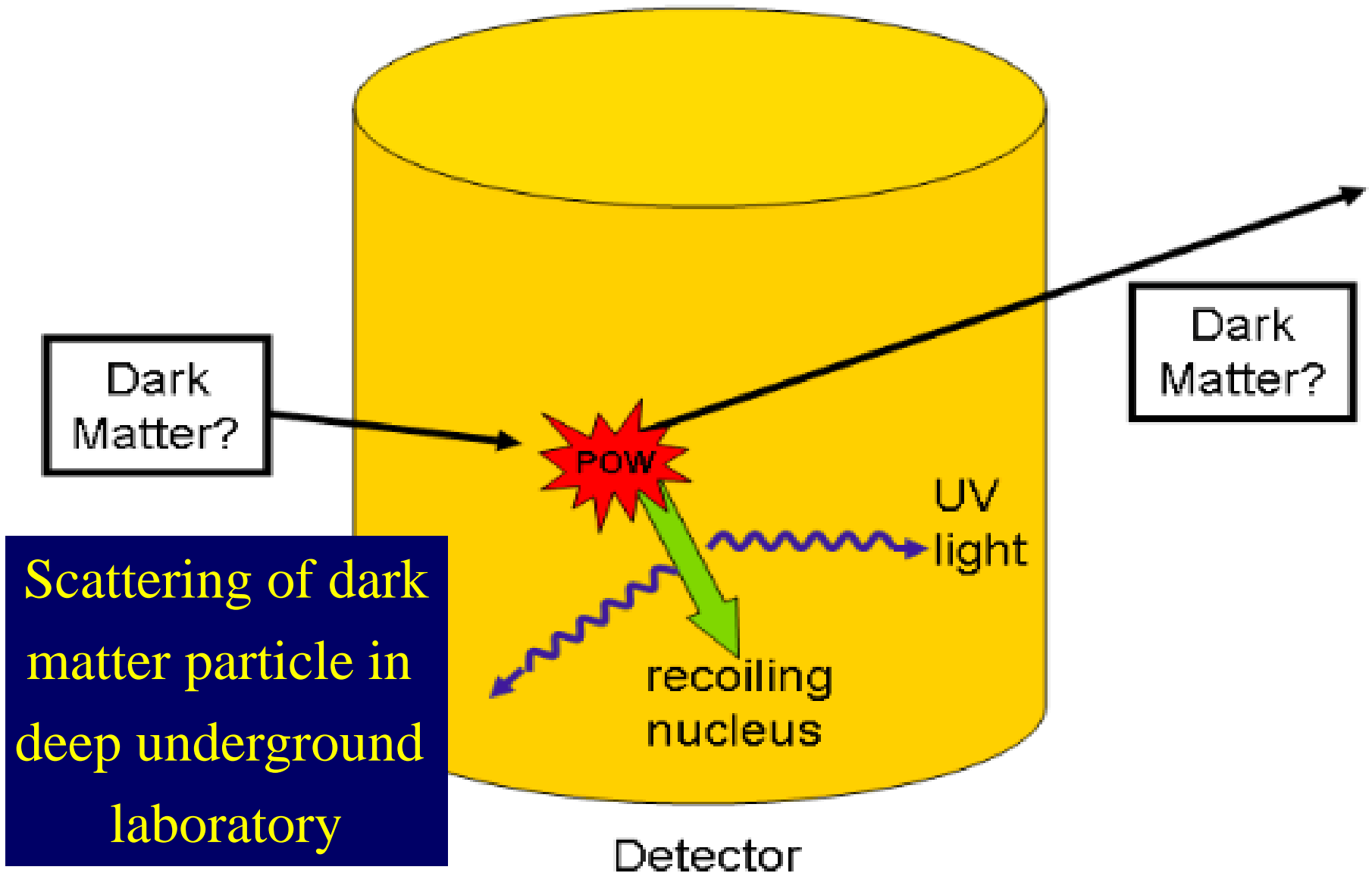


Missing transverse energy
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Nothing else, either

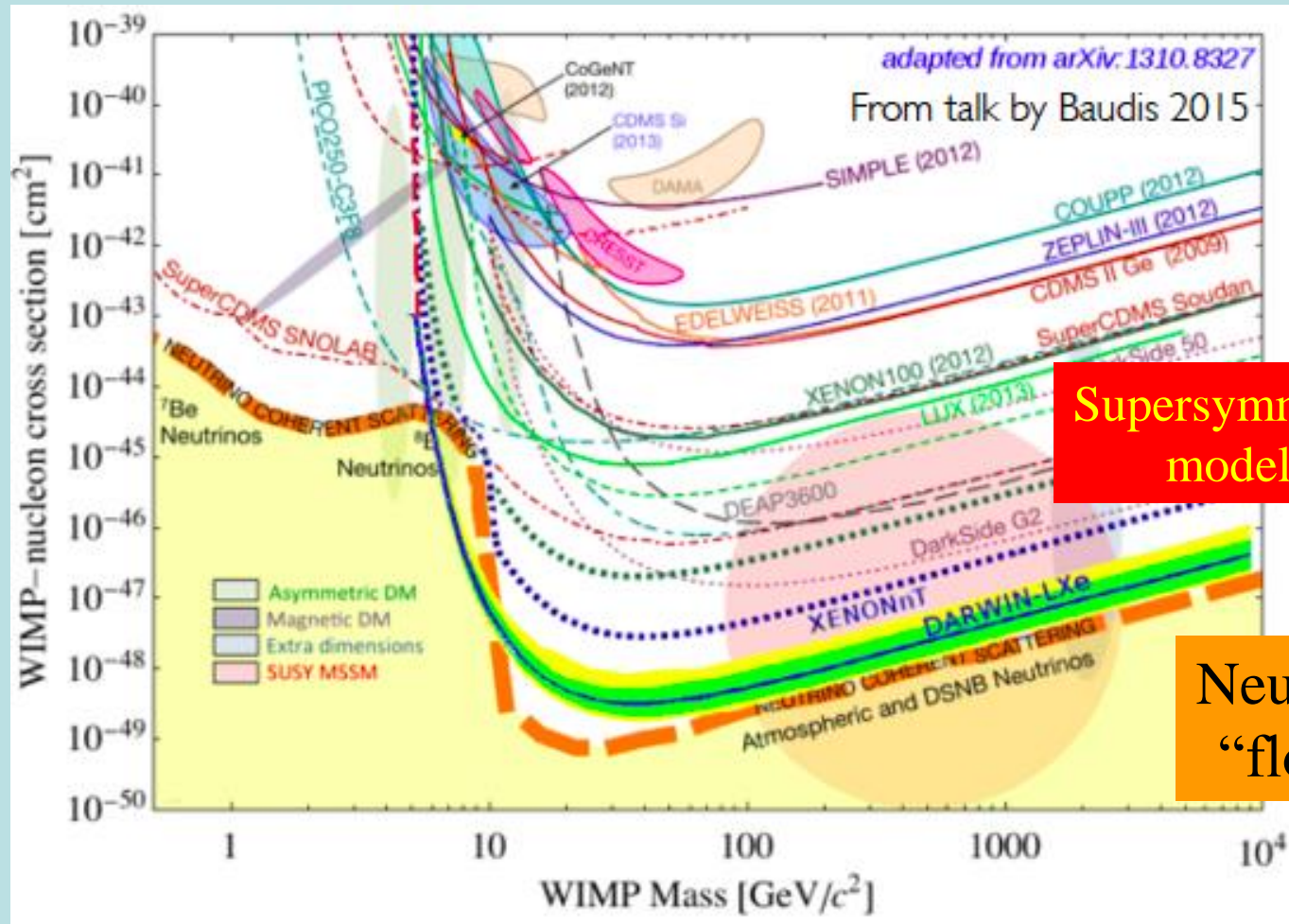


Direct Dark Matter Detection



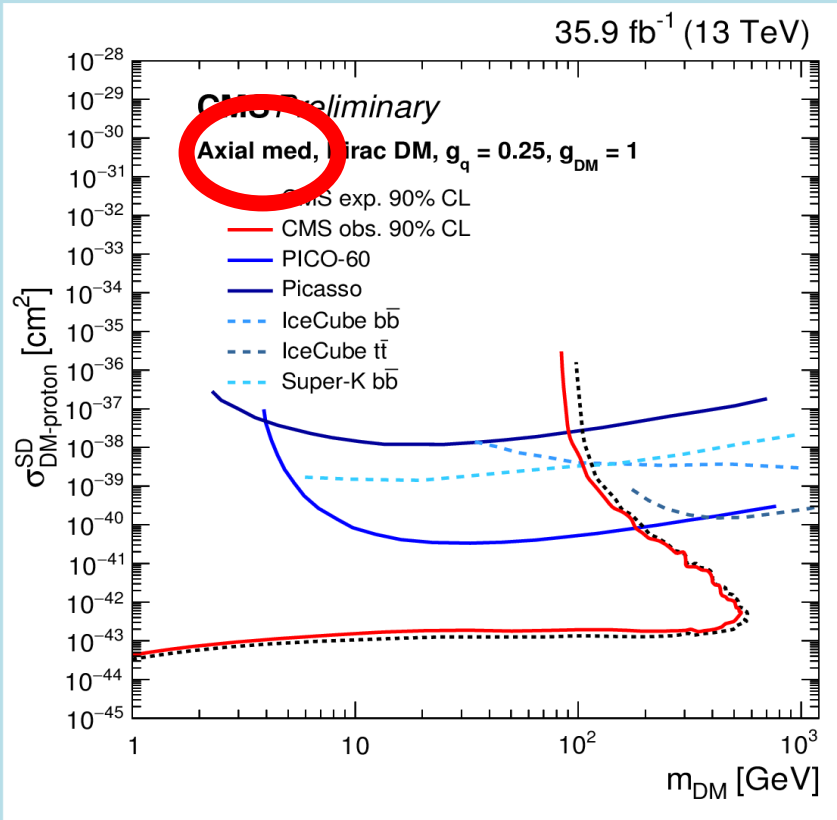
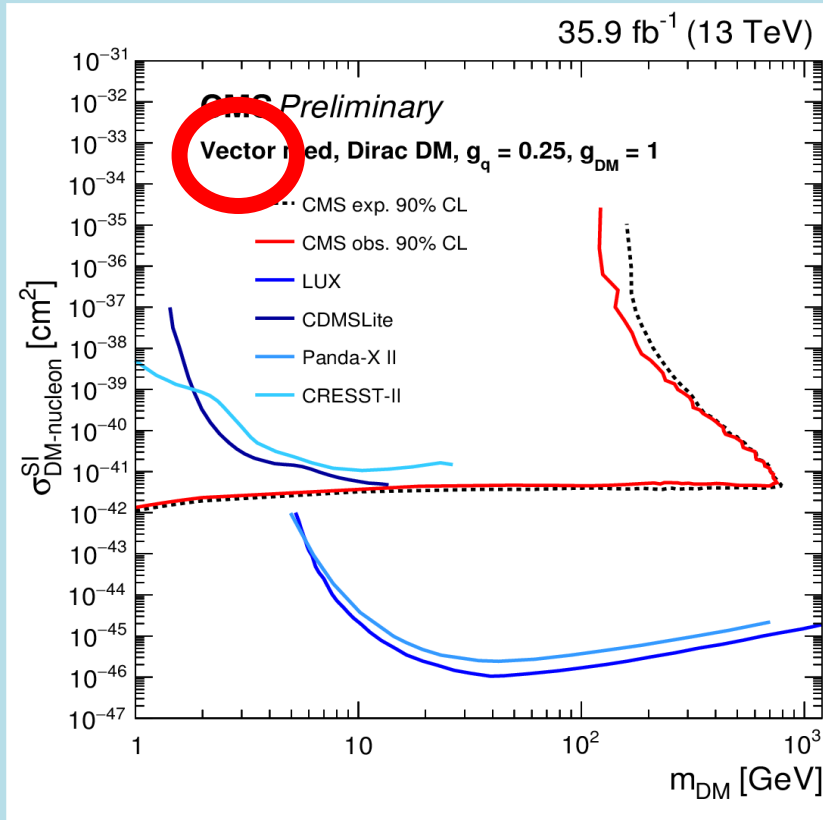
Direct Dark Matter Searches

- Compilation of present and future sensitivities



LHC vs Direct DM Searches

- Compilation of sensitivities to annihilations via Z'



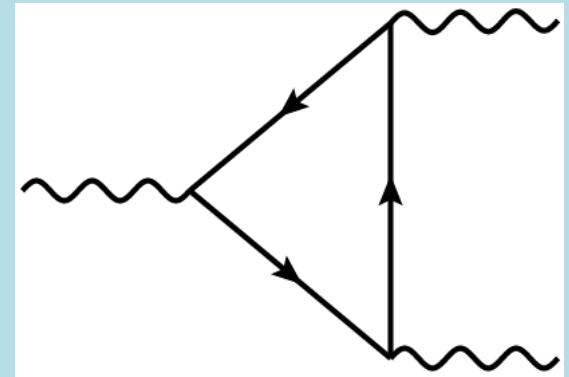
- LHC **loses** for vector, except small m_{DM}

- LHC **wins** for axial, except large m_{DM}

Model dependence

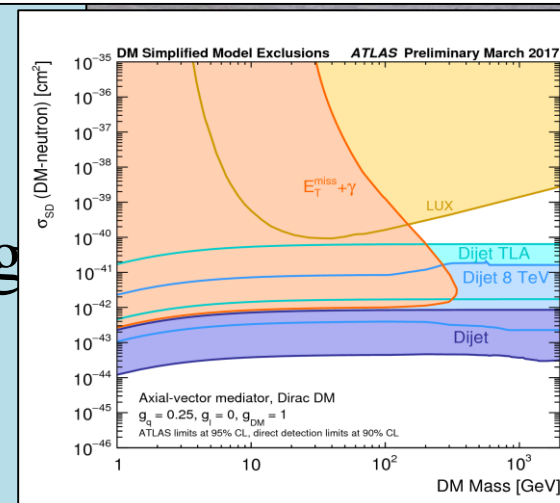
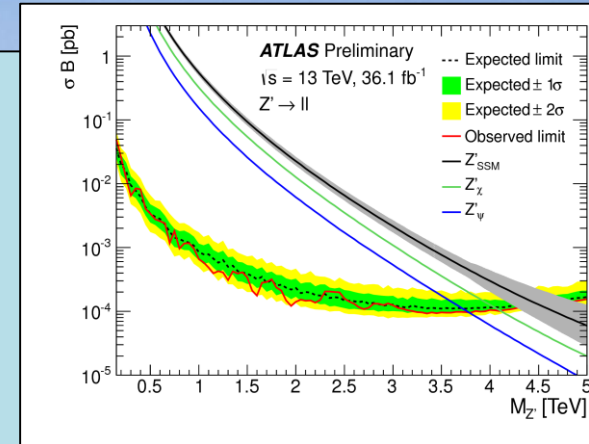
Simplified Dark Matter Models

- Involve bosonic mediator particles of spin 0 or 1
- The latter are gauge bosons of some $U(1)'$ with vector and/or axial-vector couplings
- Consistency of theory requires cancellation of anomalous triangle diagrams
- Standard Model has quark-lepton cancellation
- Should be re-examined in models with extra fermions and/or gauge bosons



Simplified Dark Matter Models

- Mass of Z' boson $>$ about 3 TeV if produced by 1st generation quarks and decays to leptons
- Impact of direct DM searches reduced if
 - DM particle has axial Z' coupling
 - DM particle has axial nuclear coupling
 - DM particle decouples from 1st/2nd generation
- What anomaly-free $U(1)'$ models are compatible with these desiderata?



Anomaly-Free Dark Matter Models are not so Simple

JE, Fairbairn & Tunney, arXiv:1704.03850

- If a single DM fermion and generation-independent $U(1)'$ charges for SM particles:
 - The SM leptons must have non-zero $U(1)'$ charges
 - The DM particle has vector $U(1)'$ coupling
- If DM fermion has axial coupling:
 - Must have 2nd 'dark' fermion
 - Z' still leptophilic
- Leptophobic models need DM particle + ≥ 2 other dark particles with different $U(1)'$ charges
- **Interesting experimental signatures?**

Supersymmetry?

- Would unify matter particles and force particles
- Related particles spinning at different rates

0 - $\frac{1}{2}$ - 1 - $\frac{3}{2}$ - 2

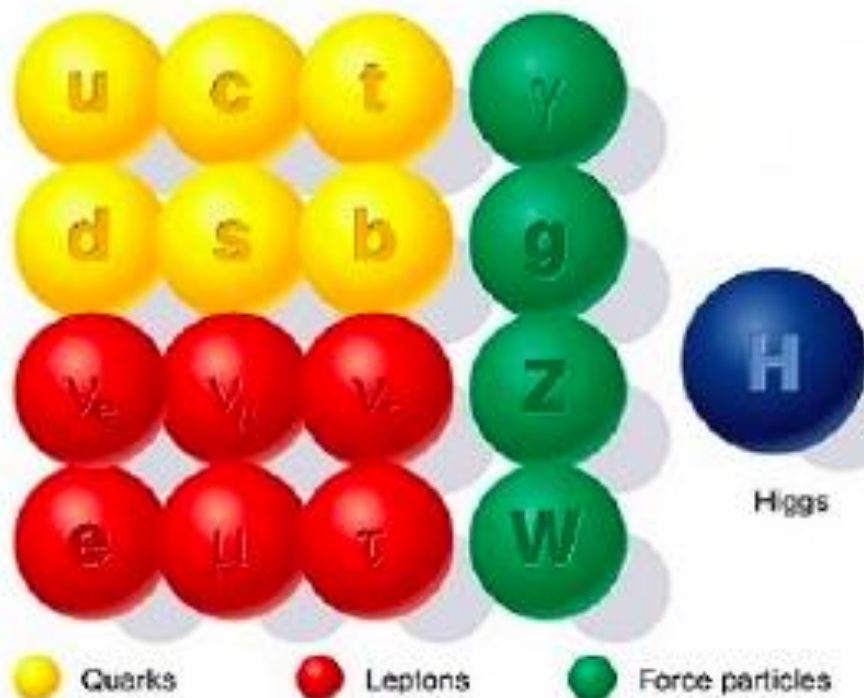
Higgs - Electron - Photon - Gravitino - Graviton

(Every particle is a 'ballet dancer')

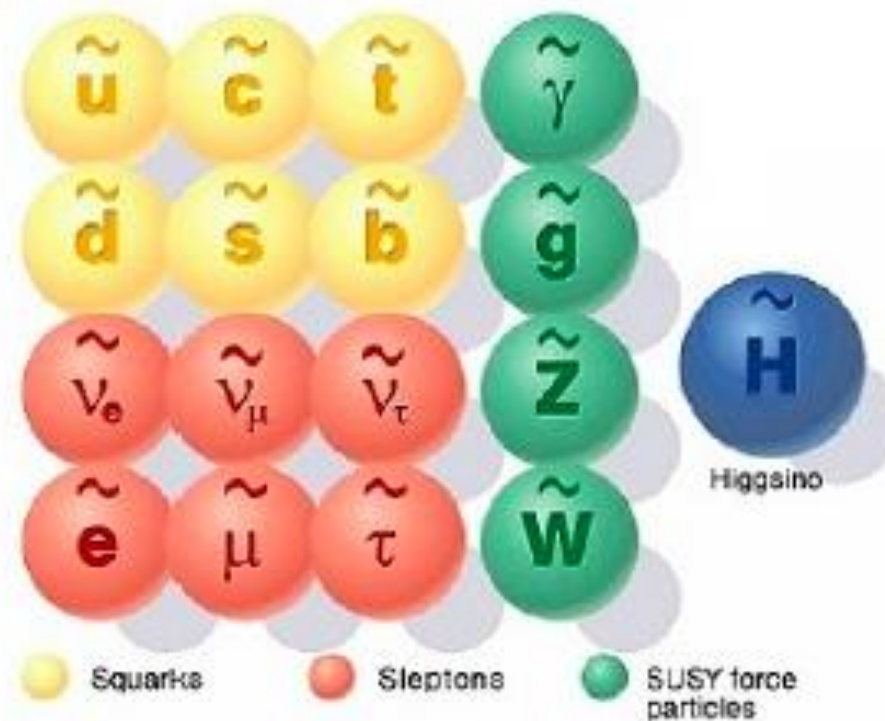
- Would help fix particle masses
- Would help unify forces
- Predicts light Higgs boson
- **Could provide dark matter for the astrophysicists and cosmologists**



Minimal Supersymmetric Extension of the Standard Model



Standard particles



SUSY particles

Lightest Supersymmetric Particle

- Stable in many models because of conservation of R parity:

$$\mathbf{R} = (-1)^{2S - L + 3B}$$

where S = spin, L = lepton #, B = baryon #

- Particles have $R = +1$, sparticles $R = -1$:

Sparticles produced in pairs

Heavier sparticles \rightarrow lighter sparticles

- **Lightest supersymmetric particle (LSP) stable**

Lightest Sparticle as Dark Matter?

- No strong or electromagnetic interactions
Otherwise would bind to matter
Detectable as anomalous heavy nucleus
- Possible weakly-interacting scandidates
Sneutrino
(Excluded by LEP, direct searches)
Lightest neutralino χ (partner of Z, H, γ)
Gravitino
(nightmare for detection)

SUPERSYMMETRIC RELICS FROM THE BIG BANG*

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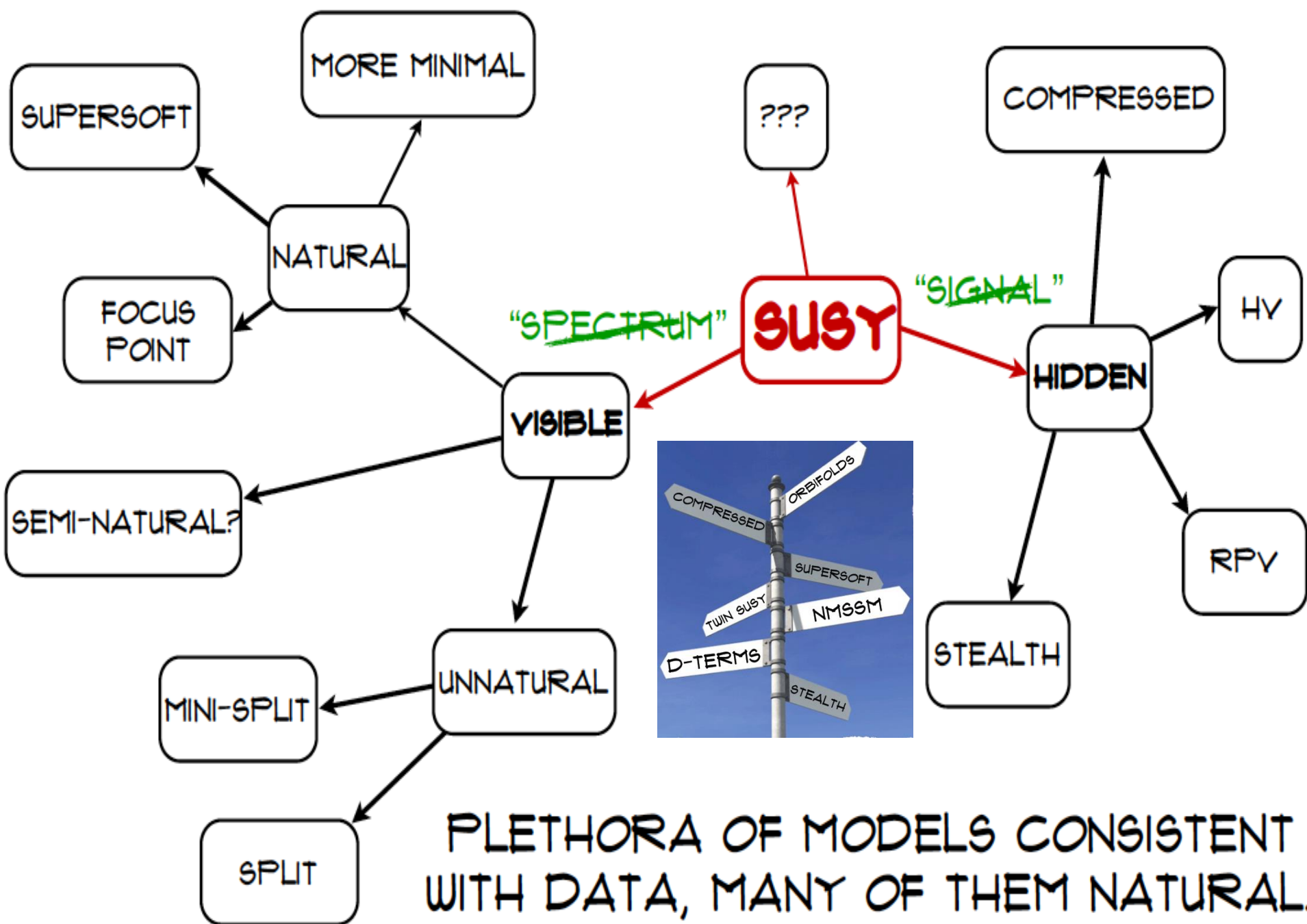
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We consider the cosmological constraints on supersymmetric theories with a new, stable particle. Circumstantial evidence points to a neutral gauge/Higgs fermion as the best candidate for this particle, and we derive bounds on the parameters in the lagrangian which govern its mass and couplings. One favored possibility is that the lightest neutral supersymmetric particle is predominantly a photino $\tilde{\gamma}$ with mass above $\frac{1}{2}$ GeV, while another is that the lightest neutral supersymmetric particle is a Higgs fermion with mass above 5 GeV or less than $O(100)$ eV. We also point out that a gravitino mass of 10 to 100 GeV implies that the temperature after completion of an inflationary phase cannot be above 10^{14} GeV, and probably not above 3×10^{12} GeV. This imposes constraints on mechanisms for generating the baryon number of the universe.



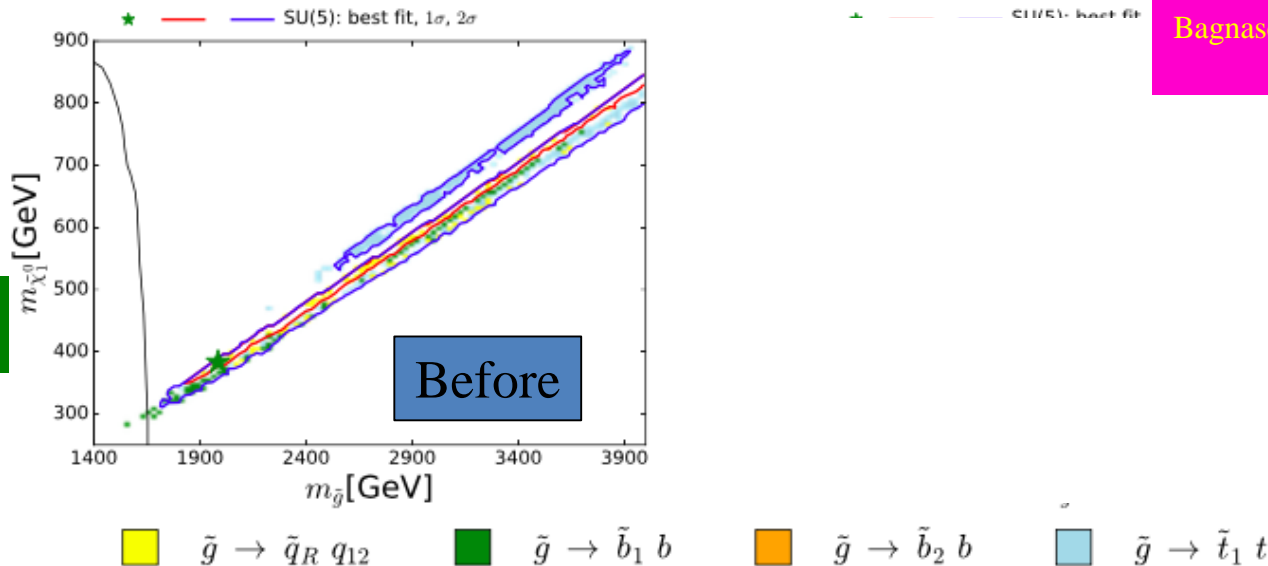
PLETHORA OF MODELS CONSISTENT
WITH DATA, MANY OF THEM NATURAL.
WHERE DOES THE DATA POINT US?

Impact of 13 TeV Data so far

Bagnaschi, Costa, Sakurai, JE et al:
arXiv:1610.10084

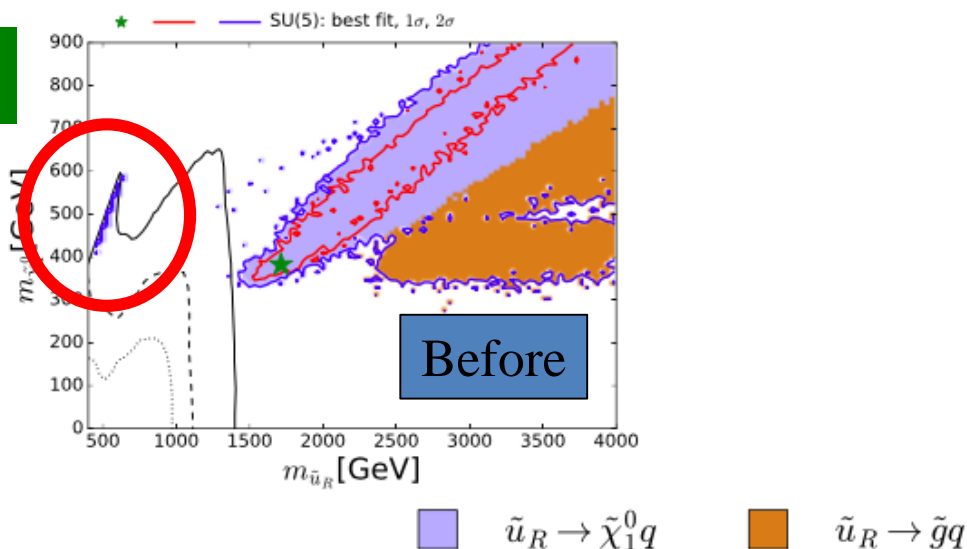
SU(5)
GUT

Gluino



Important to take decay branching ratios into account

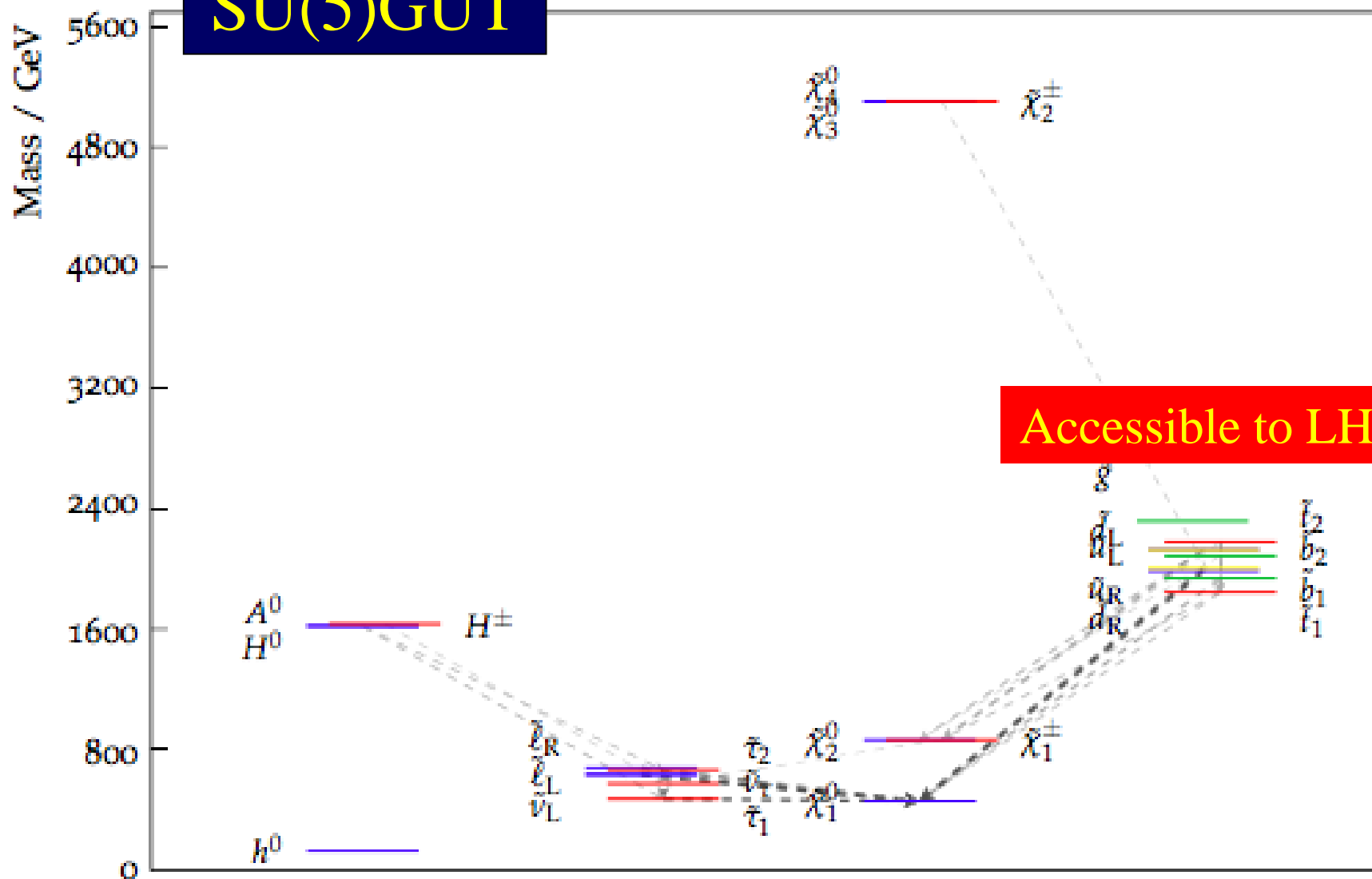
Squark



Light
up, charm
squarks?

Best-Fit Sparticle Spectrum

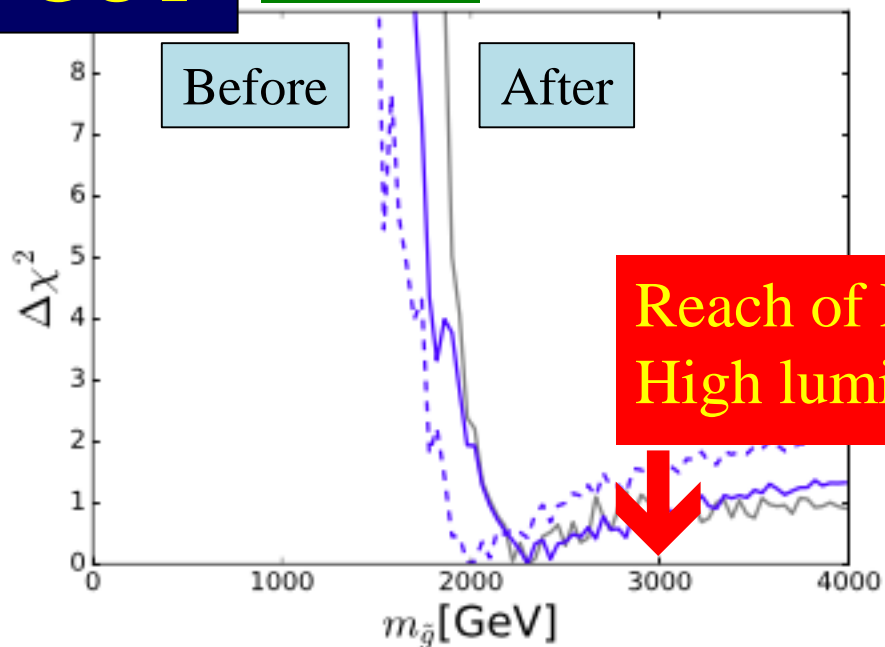
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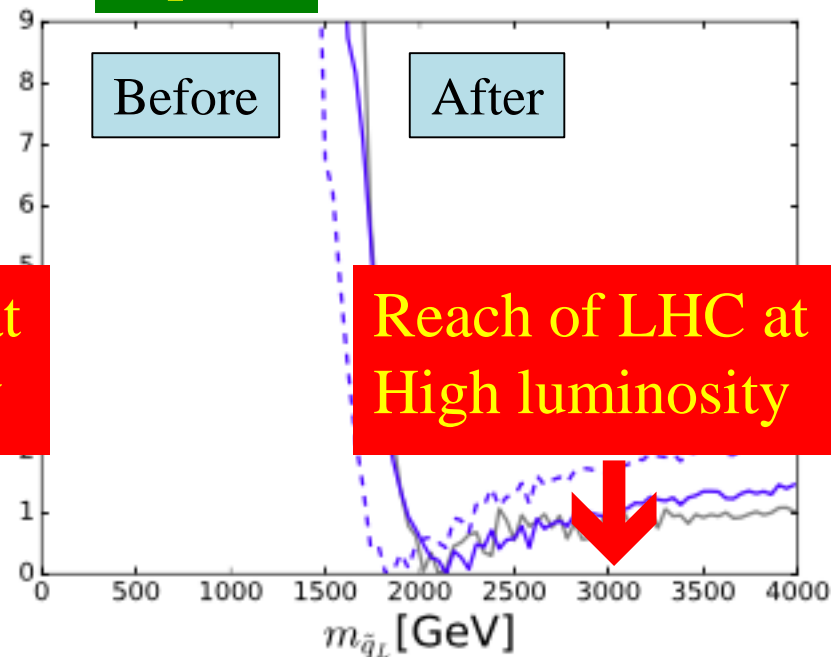
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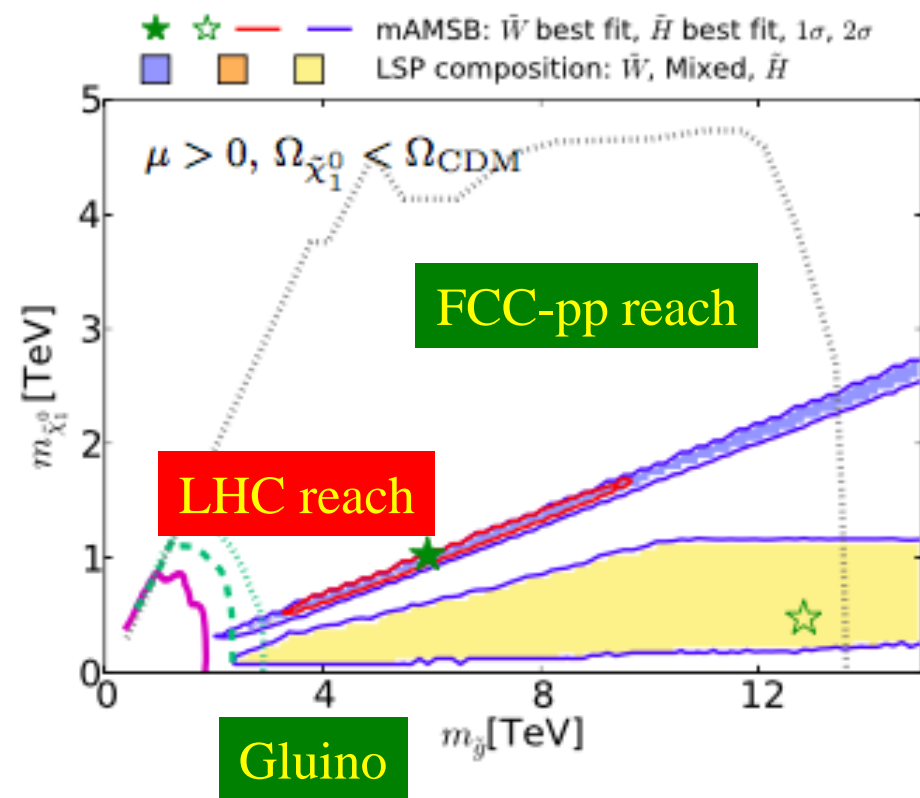


Limited impact of first 13/fb of 13 TeV data
Plenty of room for supersymmetry in future LHC runs
No guarantees!

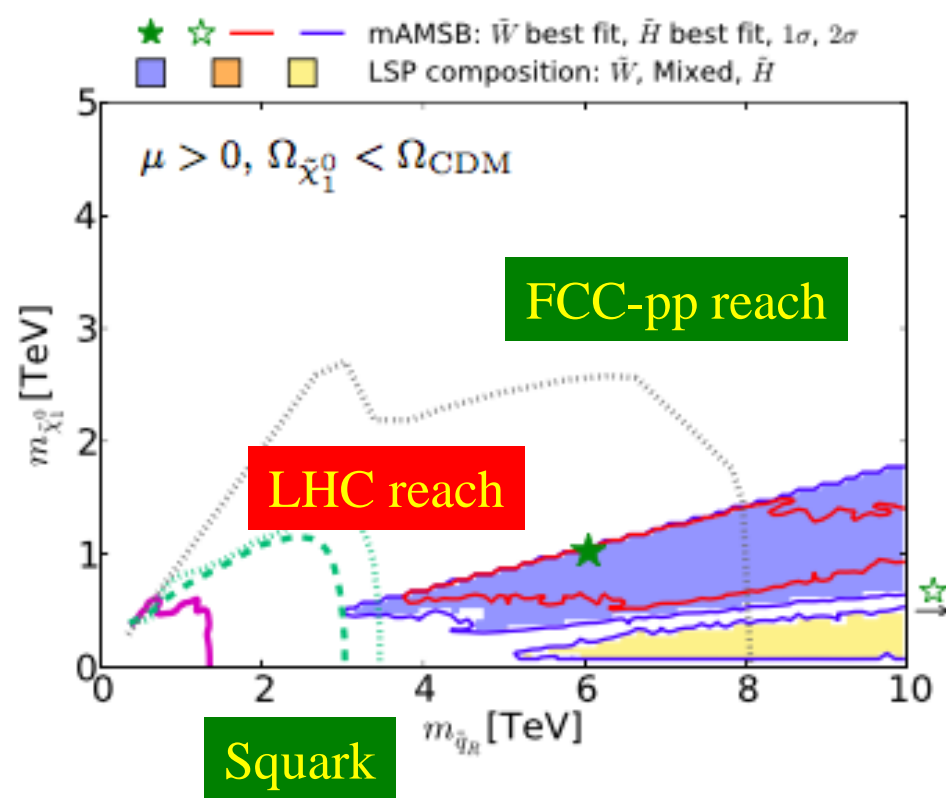
Minimal Anomaly-Mediated Supersymmetry-Breaking Model



LSP some of the dark matter



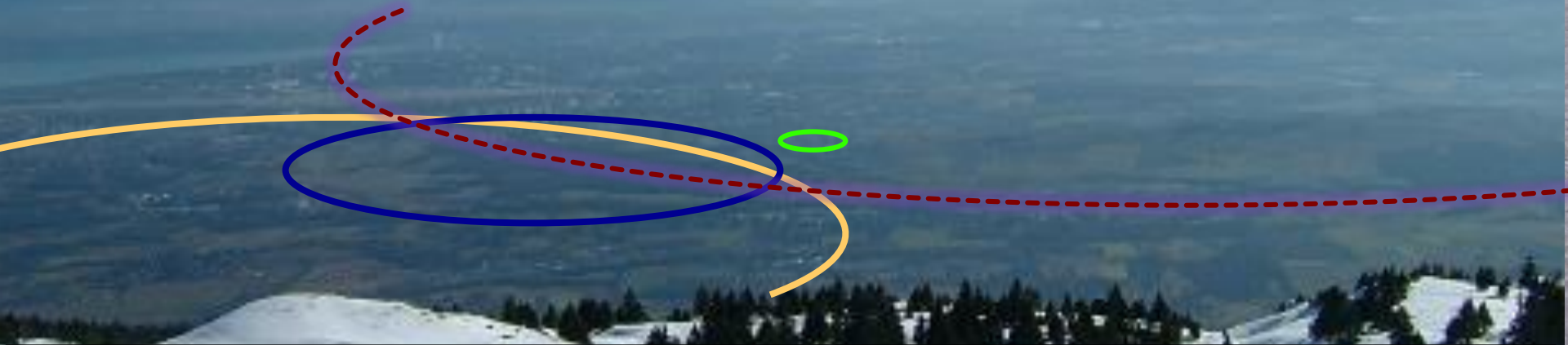
Wino Dark Matter



Higgsino Dark Matter



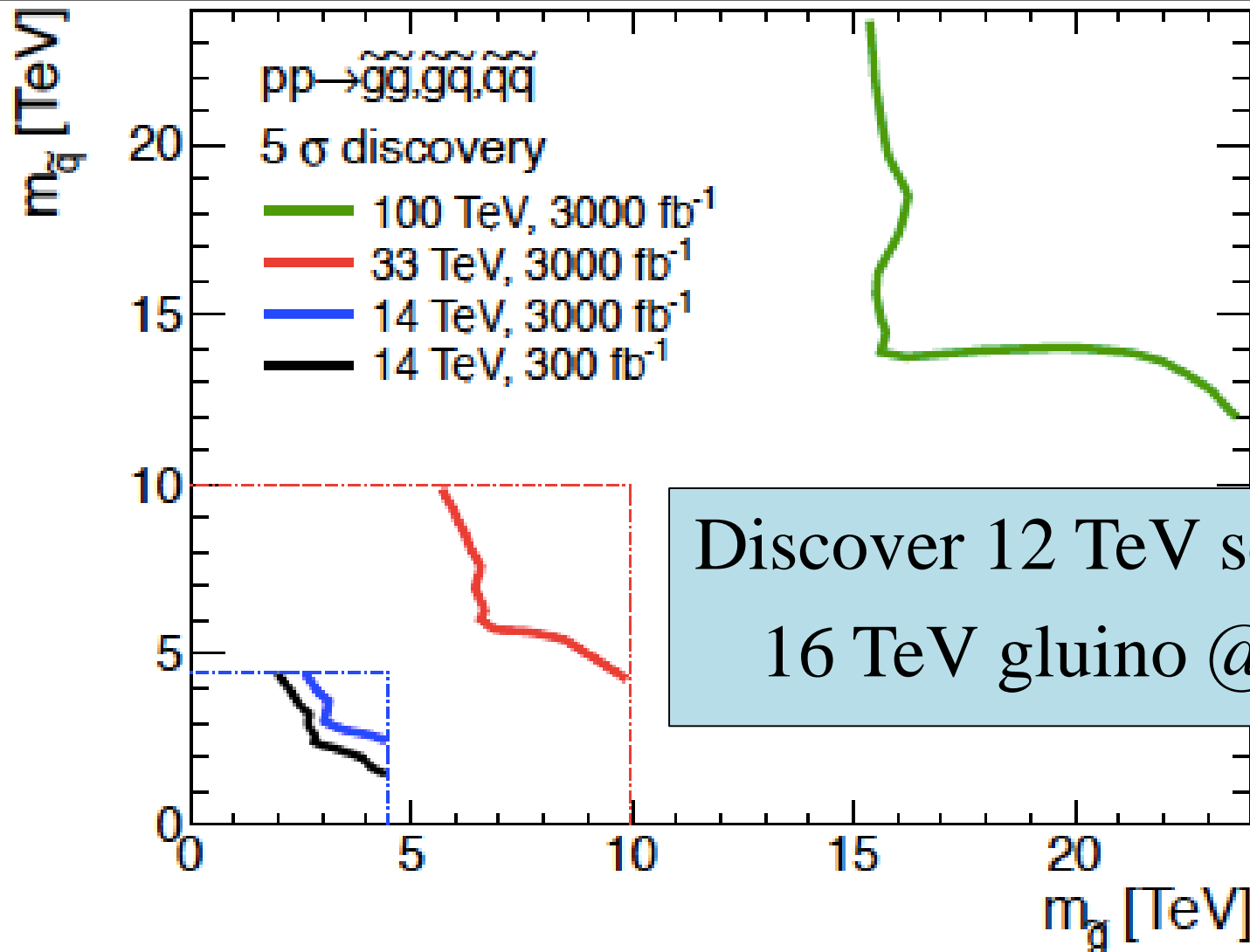
Future Circular Colliders



The vision:

explore 10 TeV scale directly (100 TeV pp) + indirectly (e^+e^-)

Squark-Gluino Plane



Summary

- Dark matter is the most pressing evidence for physics beyond the Standard Model
- It may be provided by particles within reach of current/forthcoming experiments
- Competition/complementarity between astrophysical and cosmological experiments
- Supersymmetry is a favoured candidate for dark matter
- **We should also think outside the “superbox”**