

# FERMION PORTAL DARK MATTER

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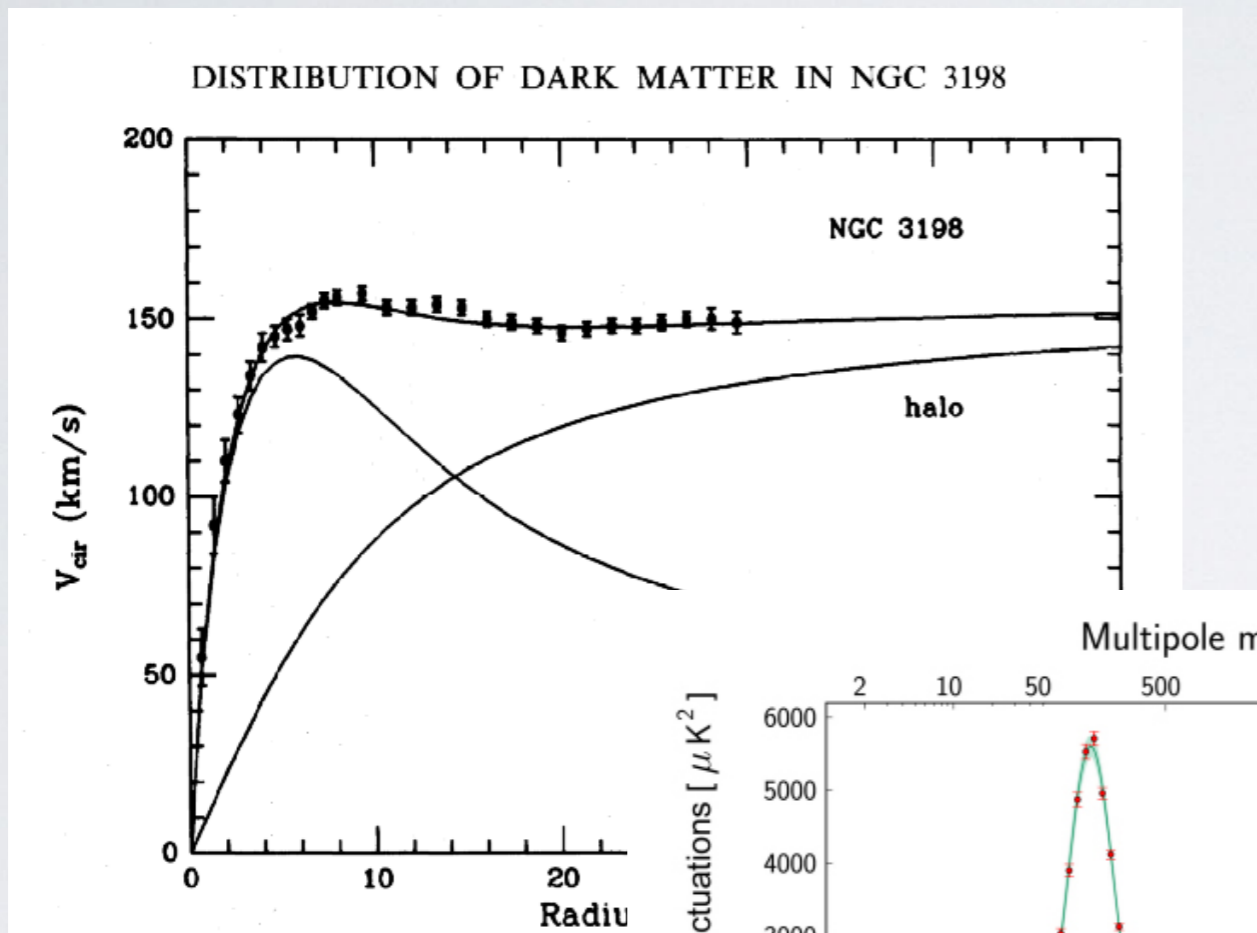
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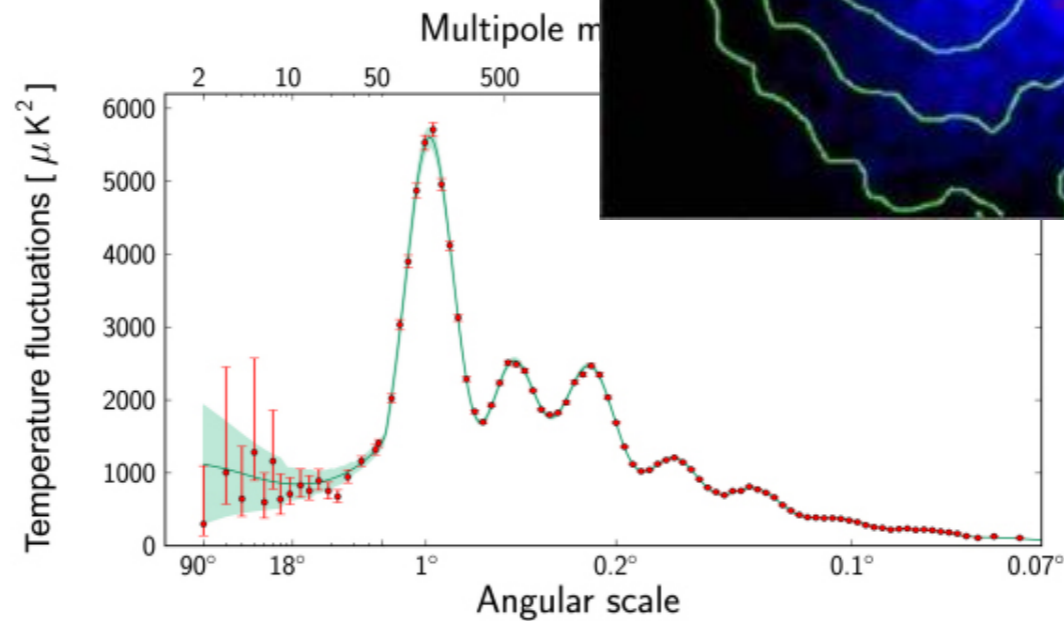
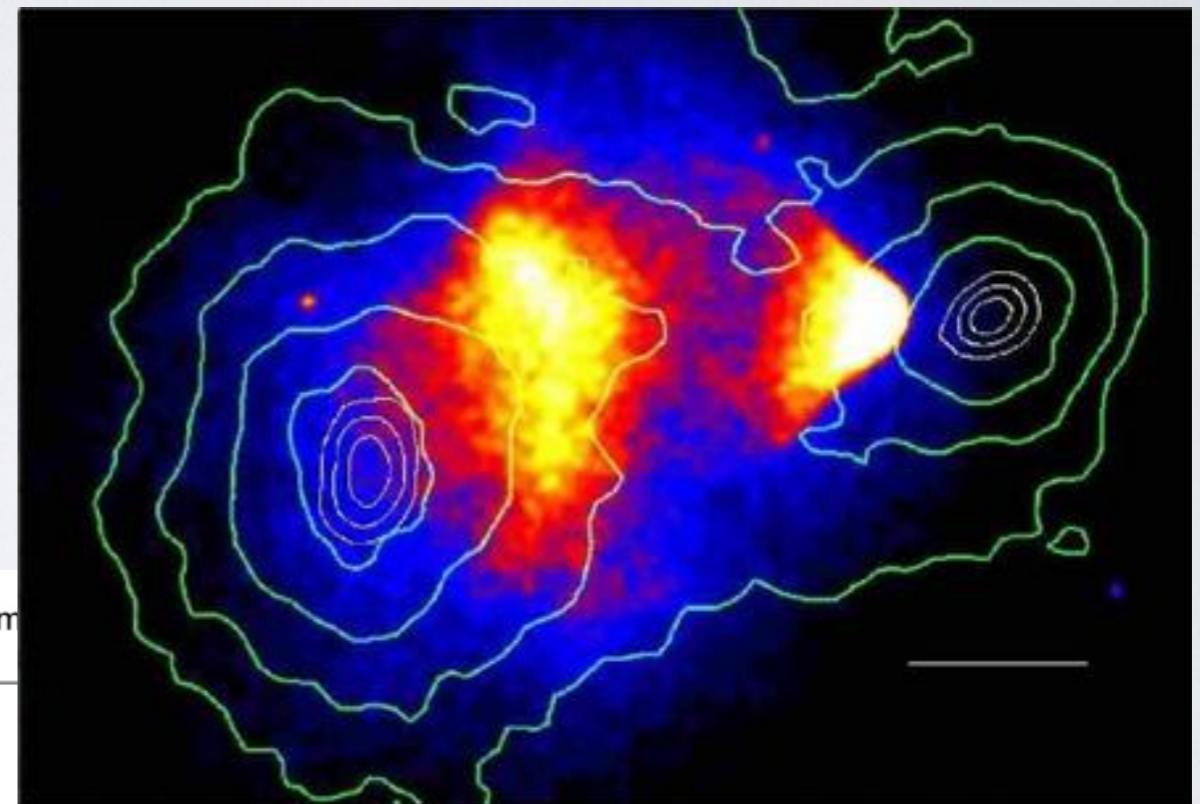
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# A HOLE IN THE SM



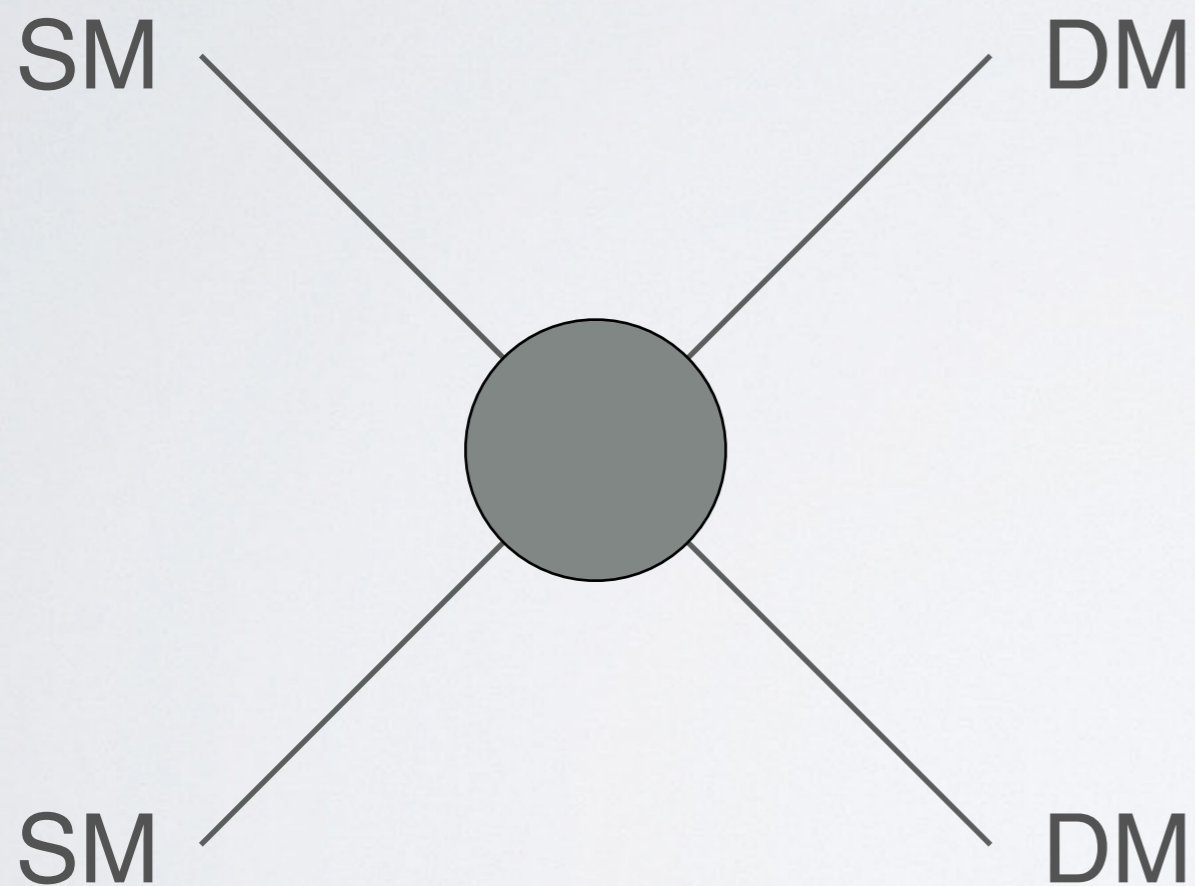
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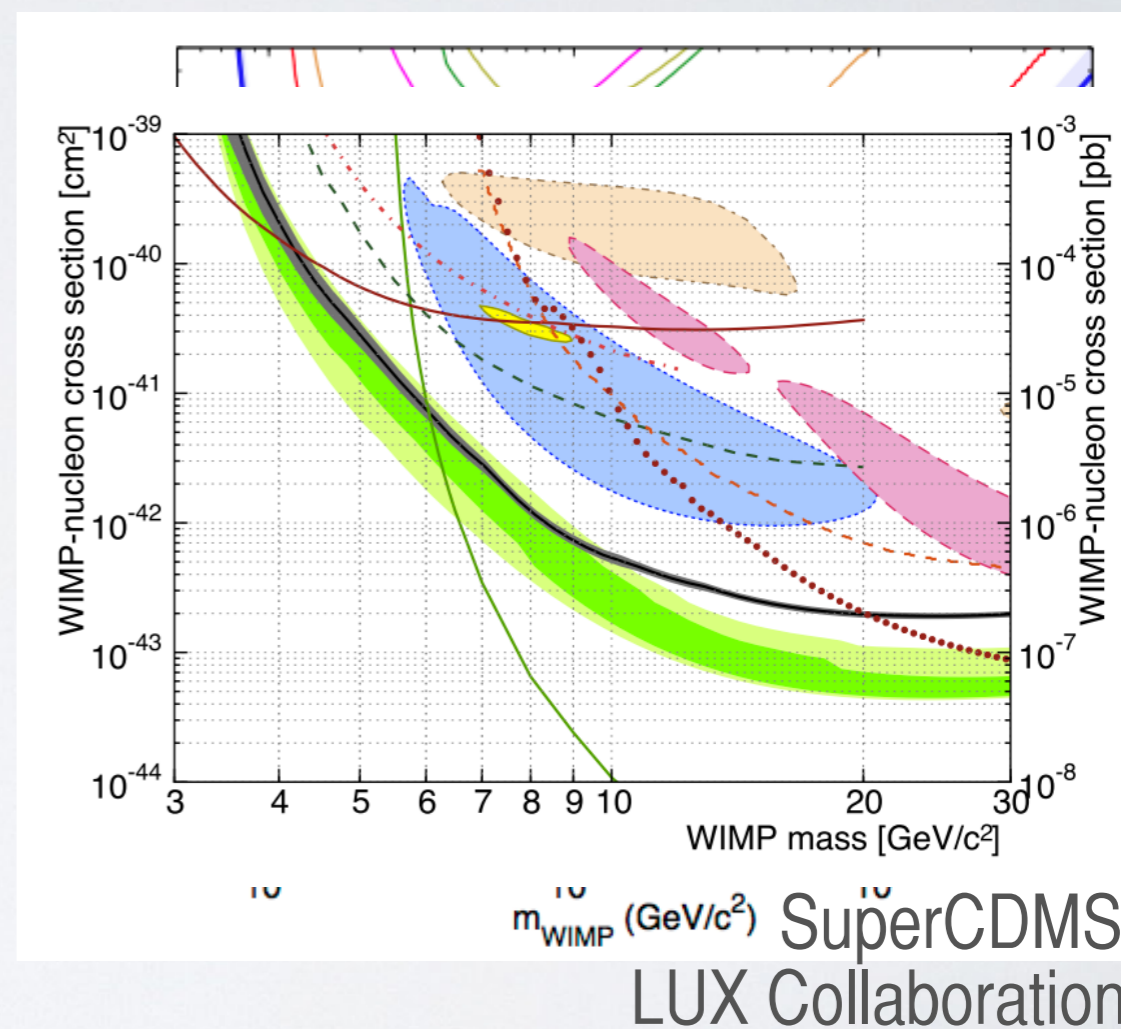
Planck Collaboration

- What else can we learn about Dark Matter?

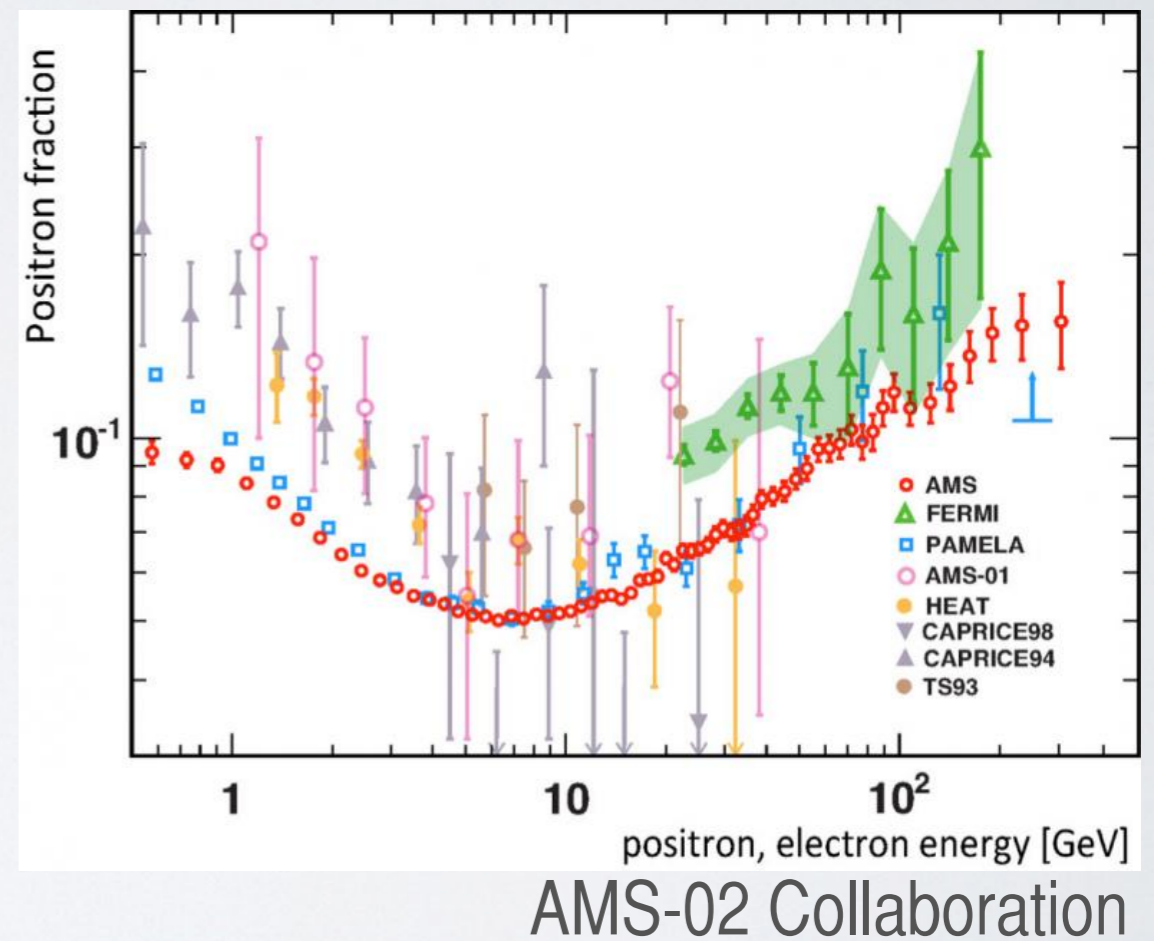
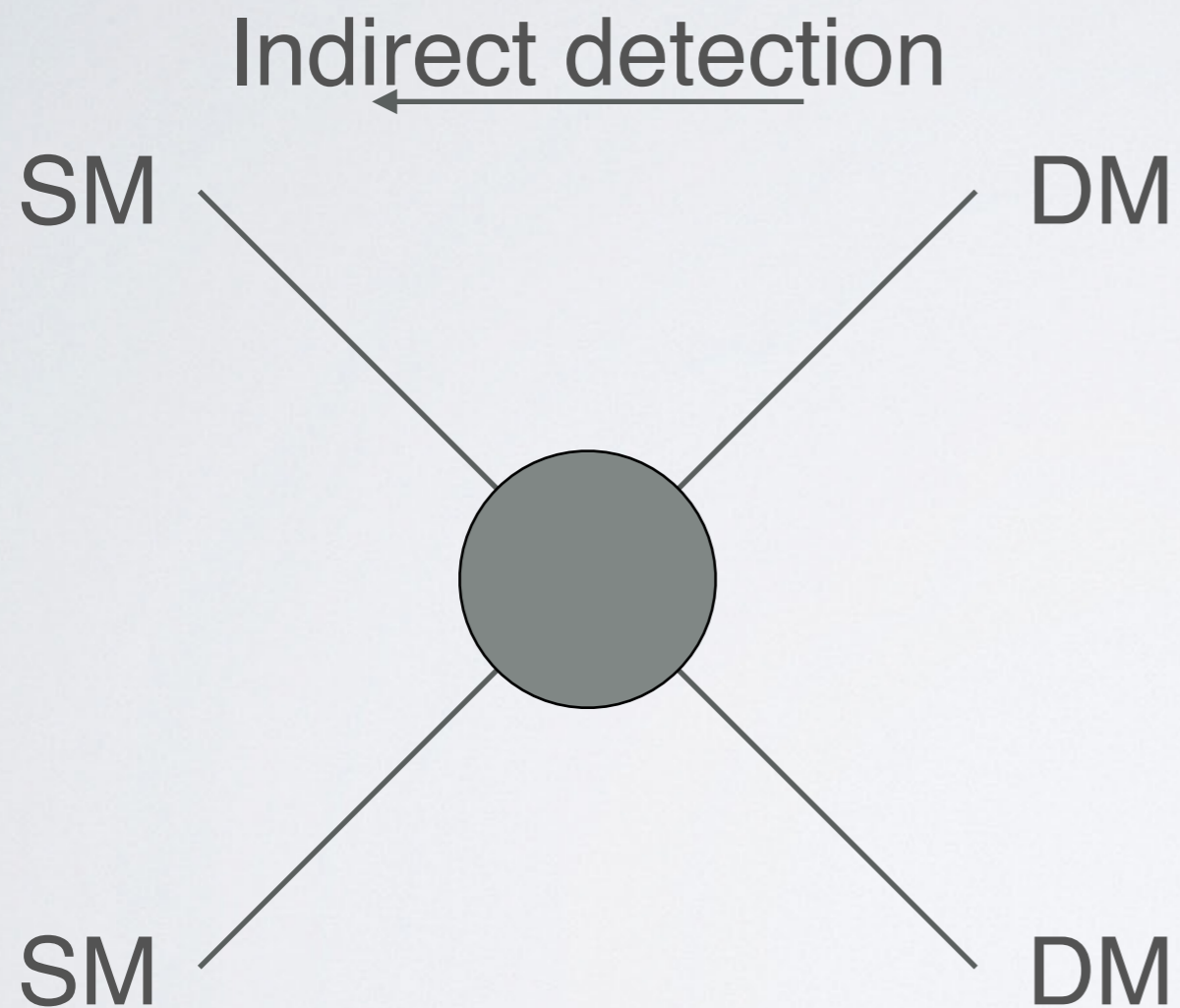
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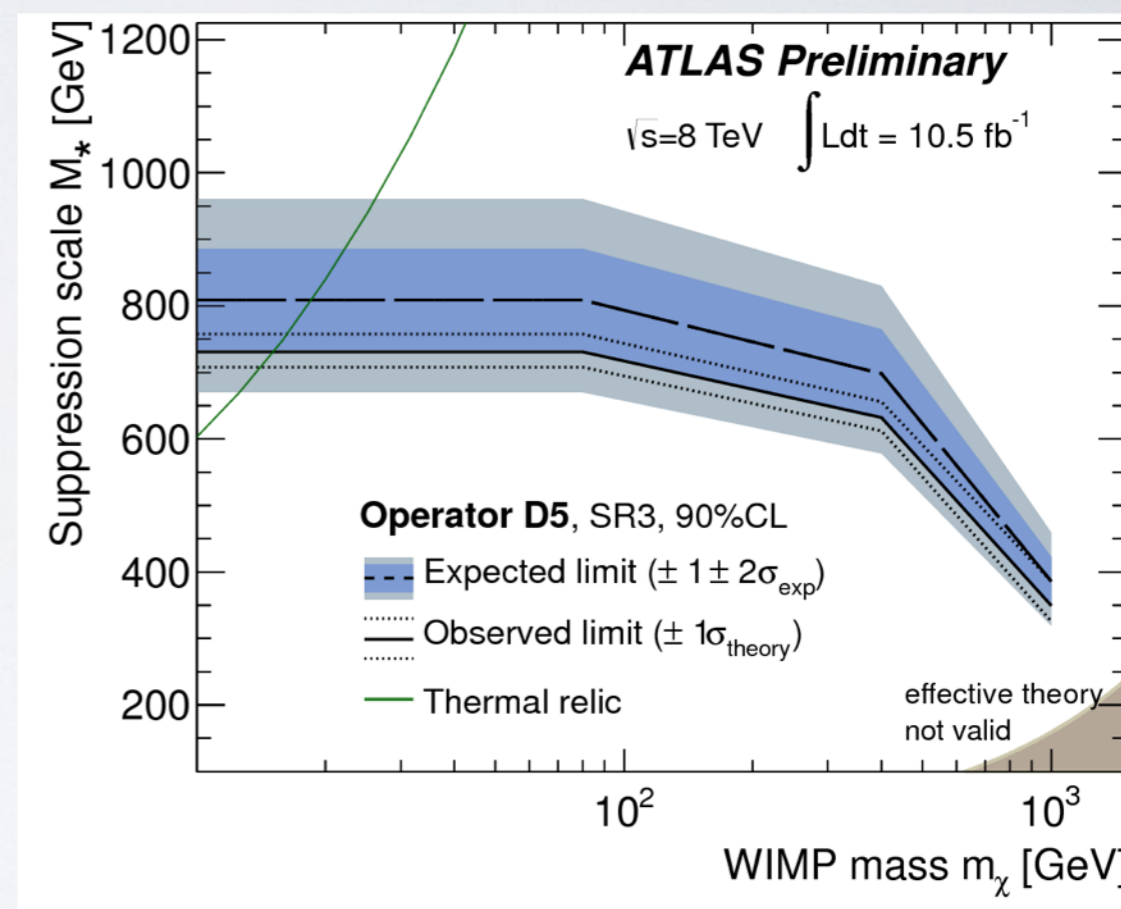
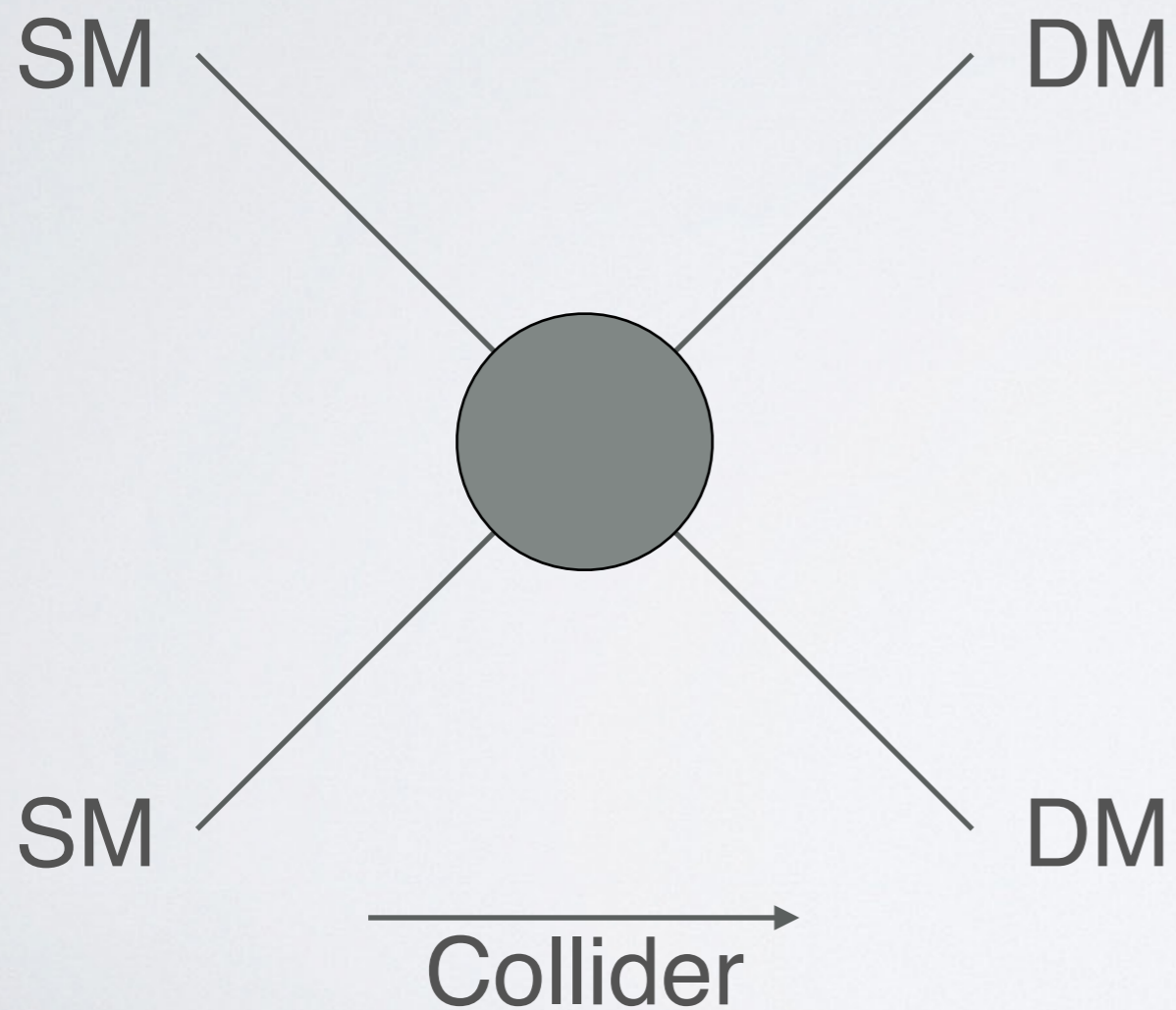
Direct detection



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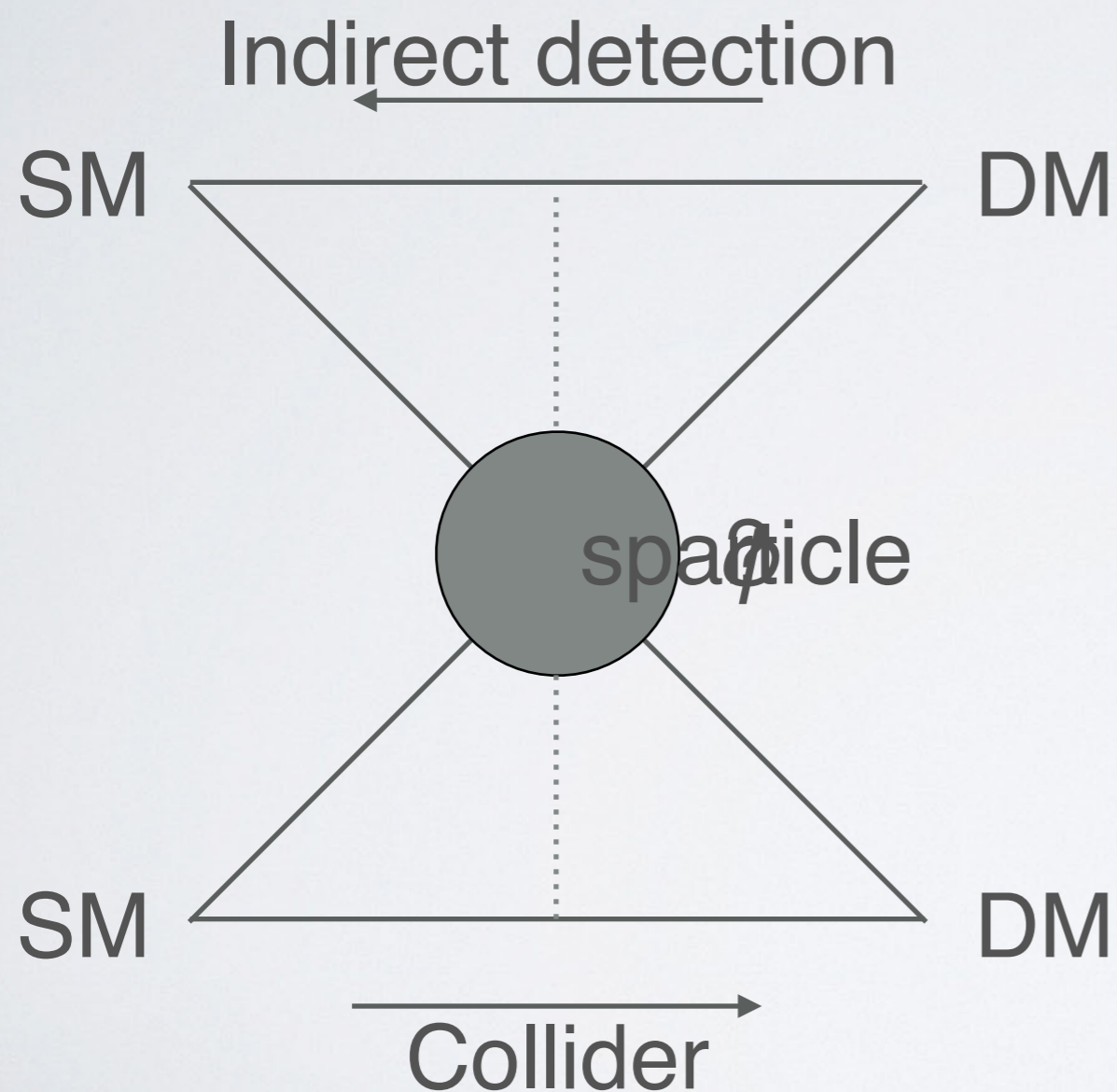


# THE SEARCH IS ON



ATLAS Collaboration

# WHAT'S IN THE BLOB?

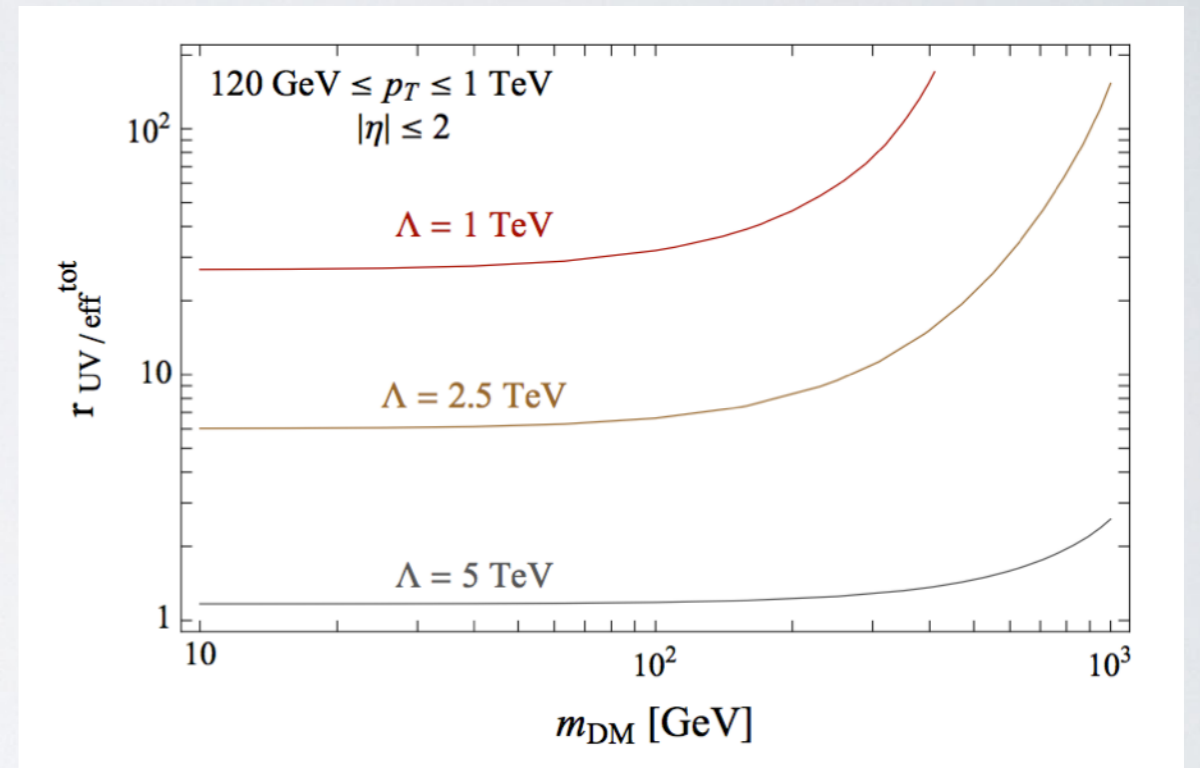


Direct detection

- Irrelevant operator?
- Mediators from UV?
- Somewhere in between!

# WAIT, WHY NOT EFT?

$$\sigma_{\text{monojet}} \propto \begin{cases} \frac{1}{p_T^2}, & M \lesssim p_T \\ \frac{p_T}{M^4}, & M \gtrsim p_T \end{cases}$$



Busoni, De Simone, Morgante, Riotto

- Behavior changes for light mediator
- Collision energy  $\gg$  Mediator mass

# A SIMPLIFIED FRAMEWORK

- Aim for minimal UV bias
- Renormalizable interactions with SM, aka Portal
- Portals of old:
  - Higgs portal:  $(H^\dagger H)(\phi^* \phi)$
  - Gauge portal:  $F^{\mu\nu} F'_{\mu\nu}$
  - Neutrino portal:  $\bar{L}_L H \chi_R$



# THE FERMION PORTAL

- Two categories:
  - Part 1 - Quark portal:  $\bar{q} \chi \phi$
  - Part 2 - Lepton portal:  $\bar{l} \chi \phi$

See also:


Chang, Edezhath, Hutchinson, Luty, 1307.8120

An, Wang, Zhang, 1308.0592

DiFranzo, Nagao, Rajaraman, Tait, 1308.2679

# QUARK PORTAL

# FOUR CASES

- Depending on Lorentz representation of DM
  - Dirac fermion DM (Scalar mediator) ~ **limit of MSSM**
  - Majorana fermion DM (Scalar mediator) 
  - Complex scalar DM (Fermionic mediator)
  - ~~Real scalar DM (Fermionic mediator)~~

# THE INTERACTIONS

- Fermionic DM:  $\mathcal{L} = \lambda_i \bar{q}_i \chi \phi_i + \text{h.c.}$ 
  - $\chi$ : DM,  $\phi_i$ : Scalar triplet mediator
- Scalar DM:  $\mathcal{L} = \lambda_i \bar{q}_i \psi_i X + \text{h.c.}$ 
  - $X$ : DM,  $\psi_i$ : Fermionic triplet mediator
- One flavor at a time: DM exp't constraints only

# CONSTRAINTS OVERVIEW

- Direct detection
  - Dirac & Complex: Spin independent
  - Majorana: Spin dependent
- Collider
  - Constraints from both Jets + MET and Monojets
- Abundance via “WIMP miracle”

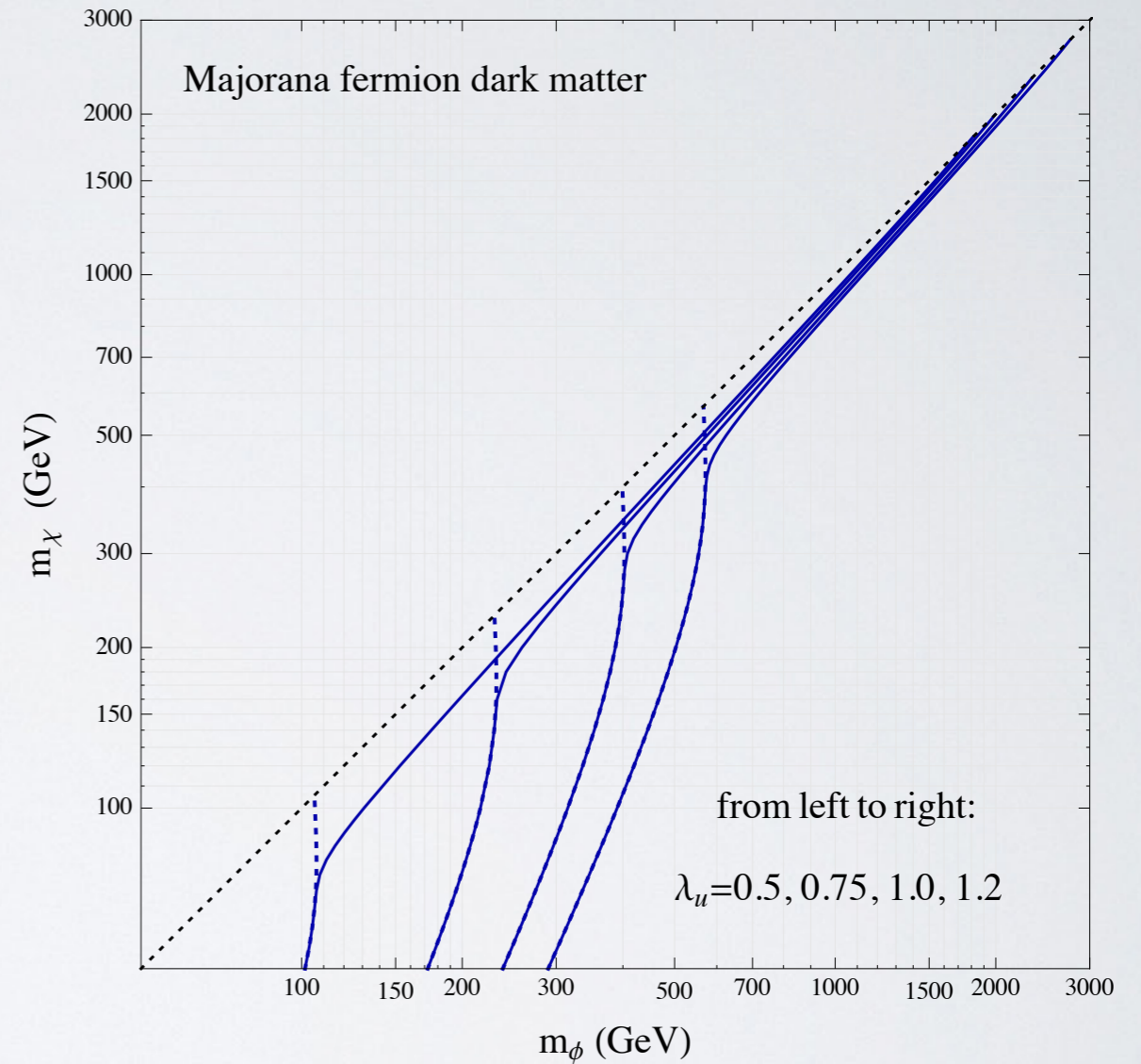
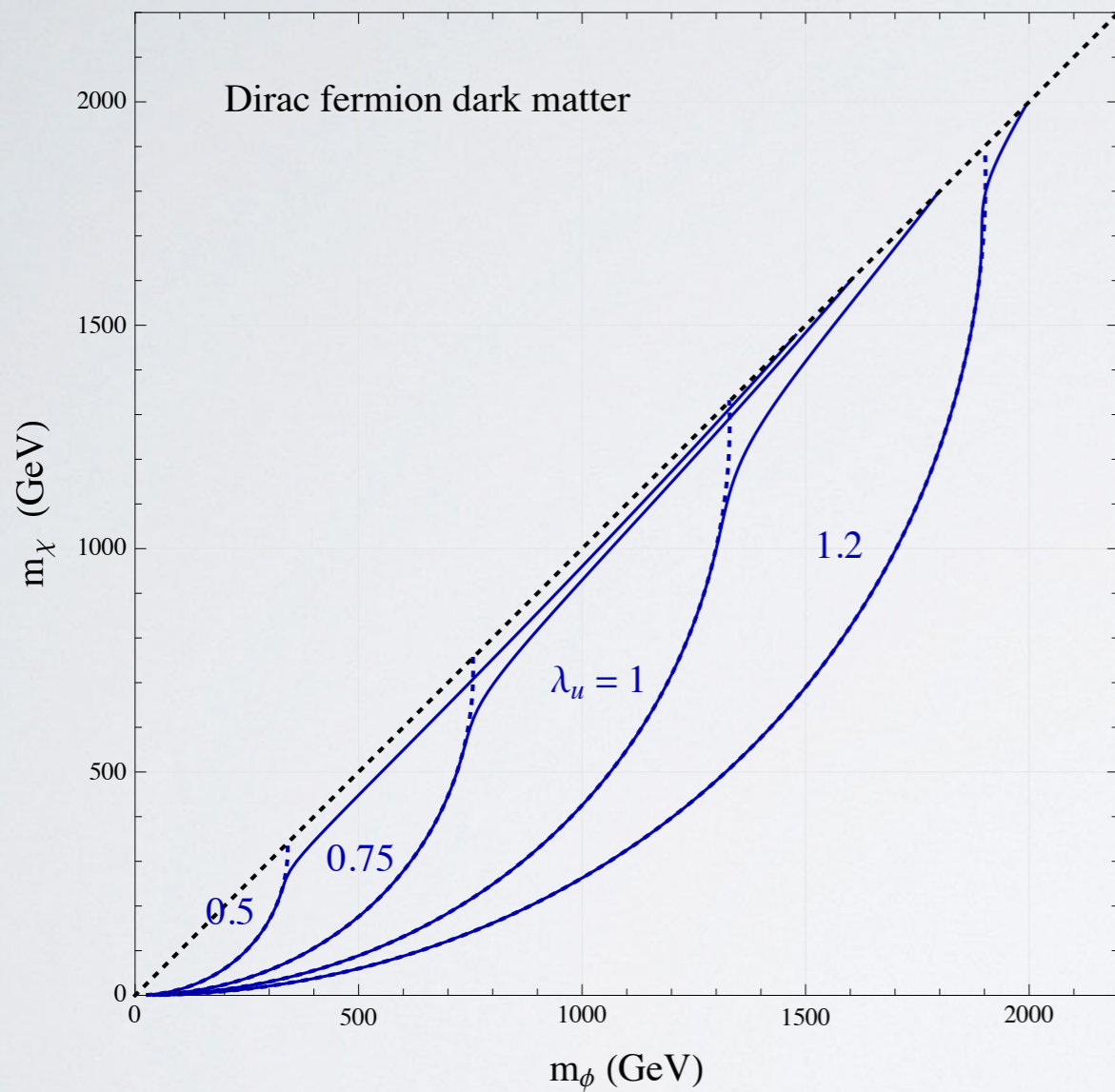
# FERMION PORTAL AS WIMP

- For weak-scale mediator, DM can be thermal relic

$$\langle \sigma v \rangle = s + p v^2$$

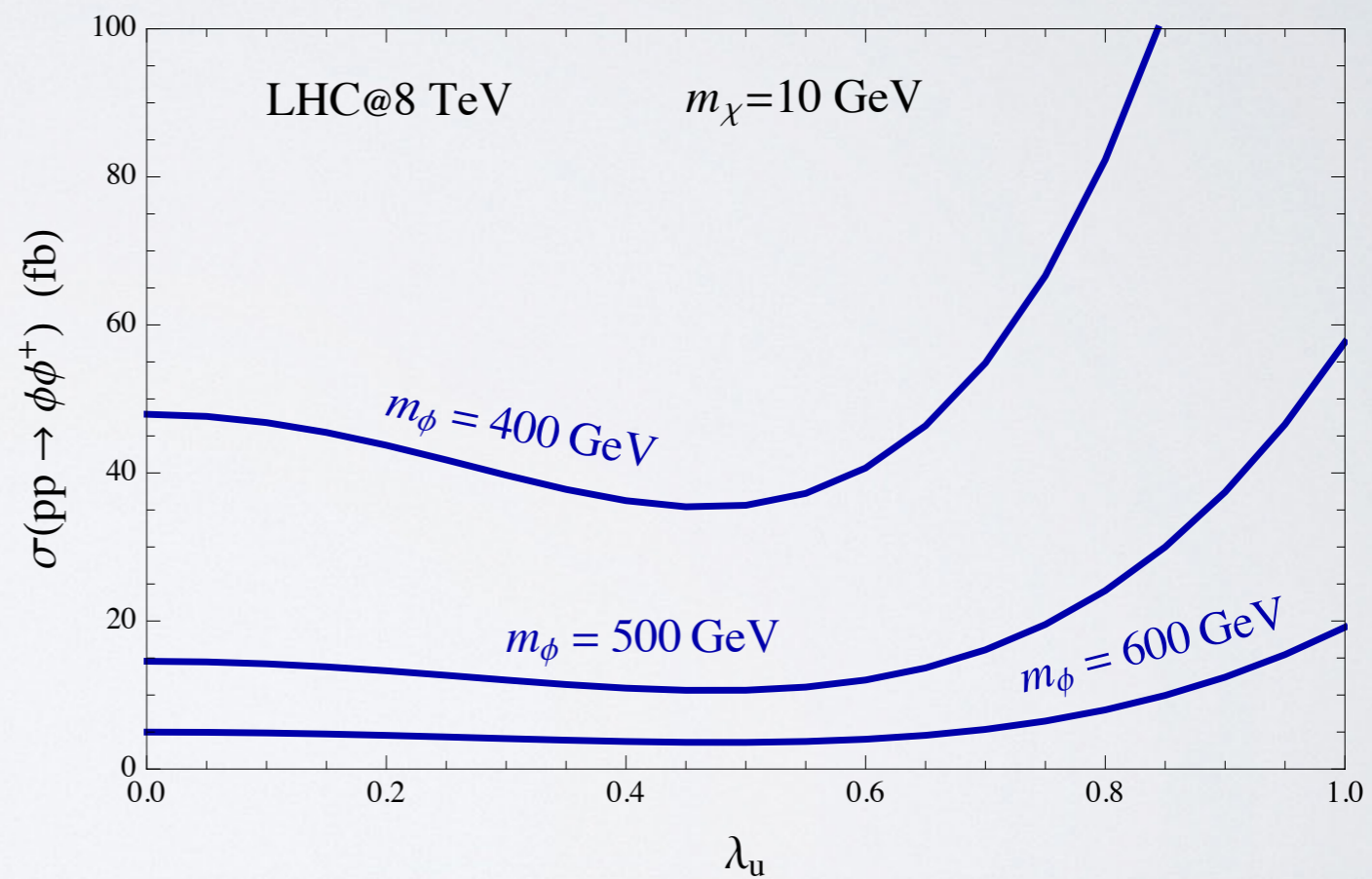
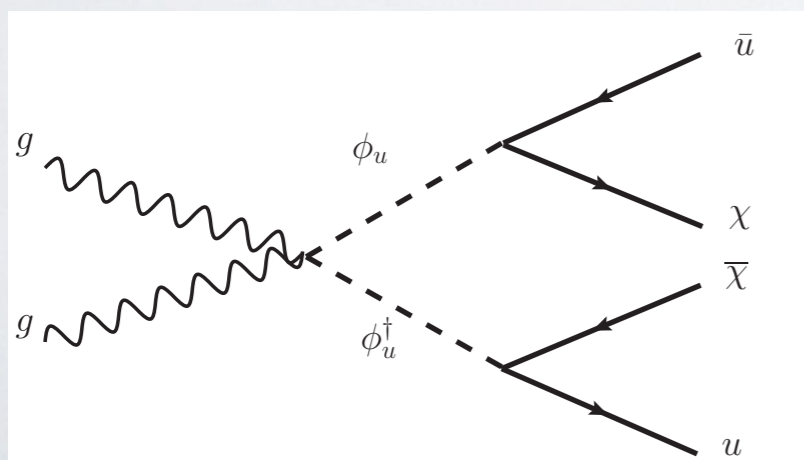
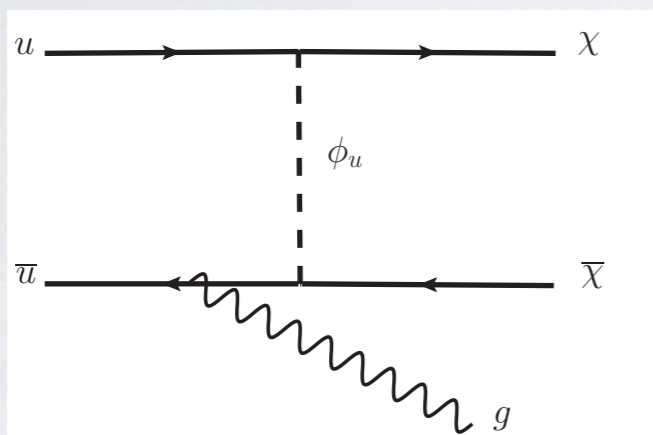
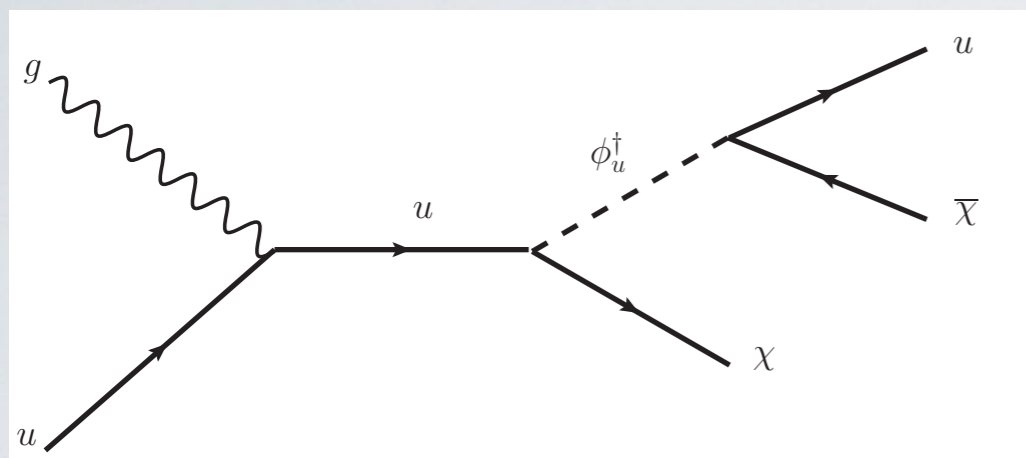
- Dirac DM: s-wave annihilation allowed
- Majorana, Complex DM: p-wave suppression

# THERMAL ABUNDANCE



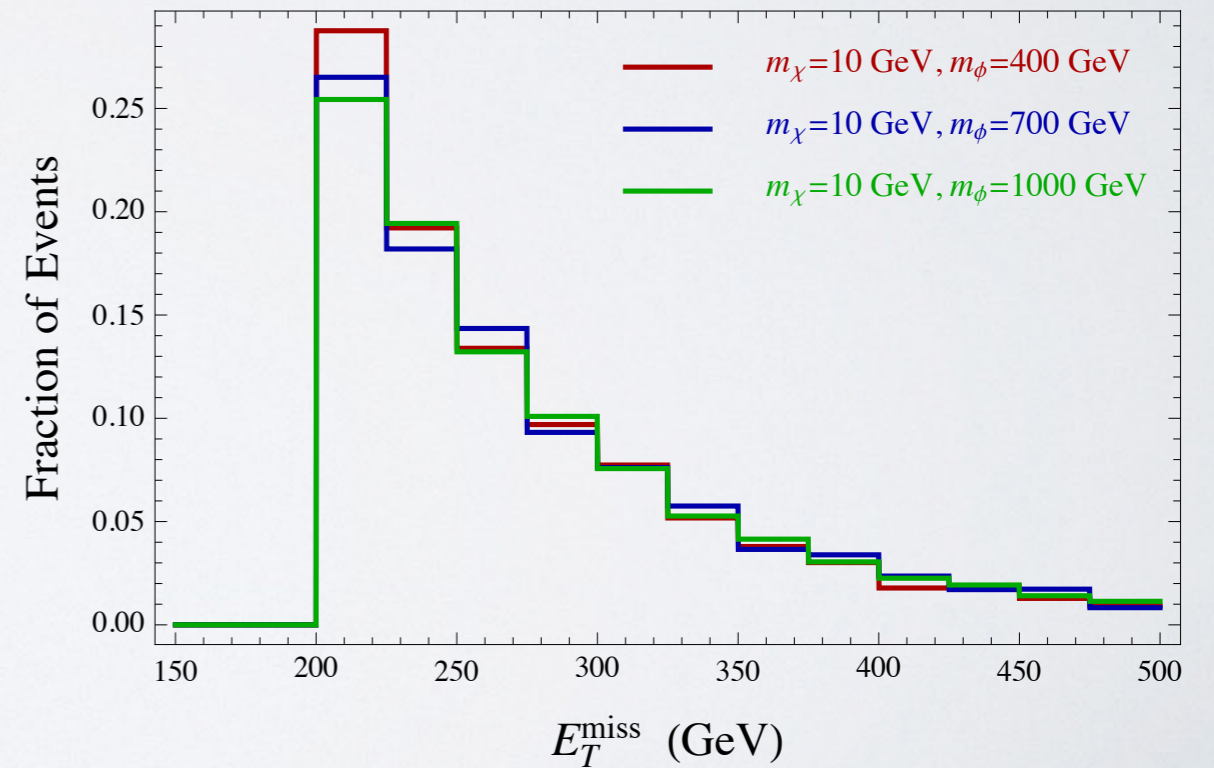
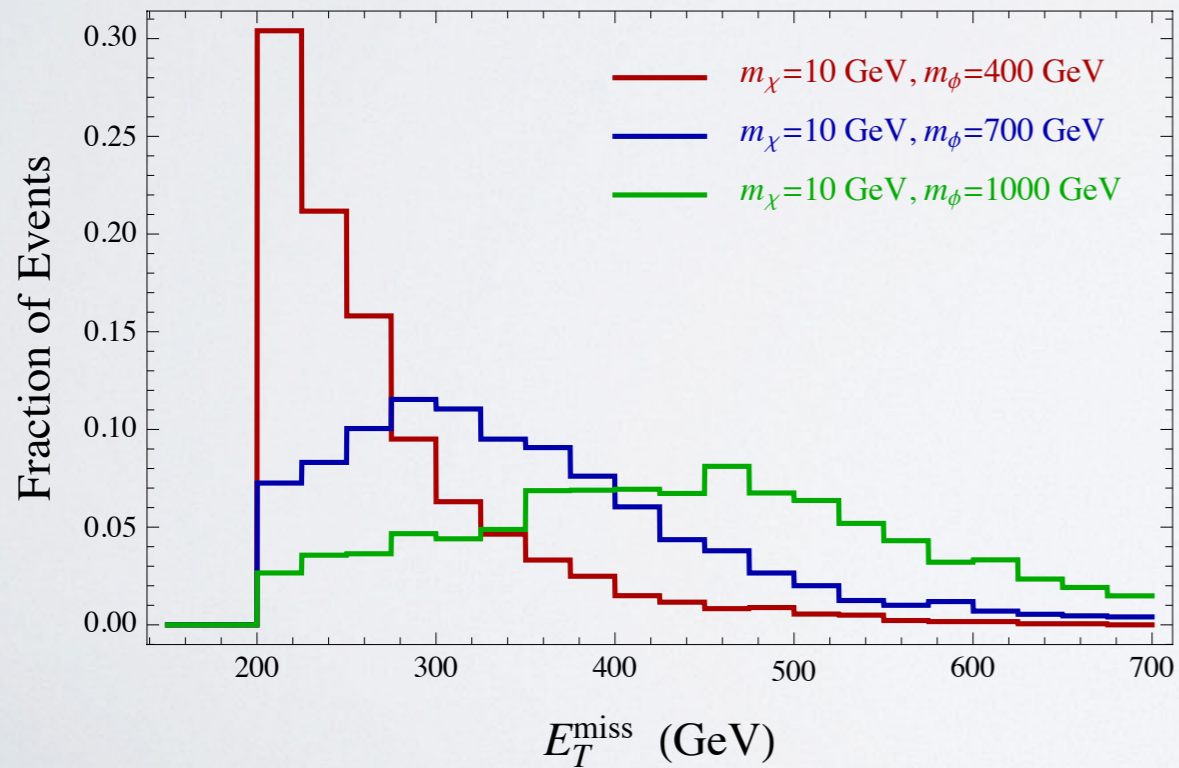
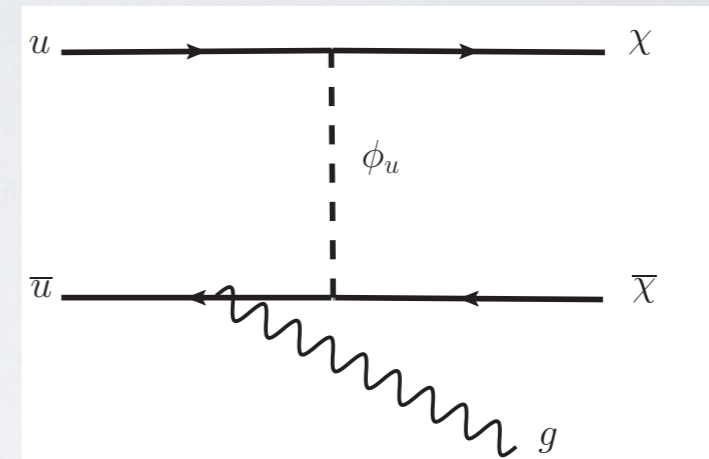
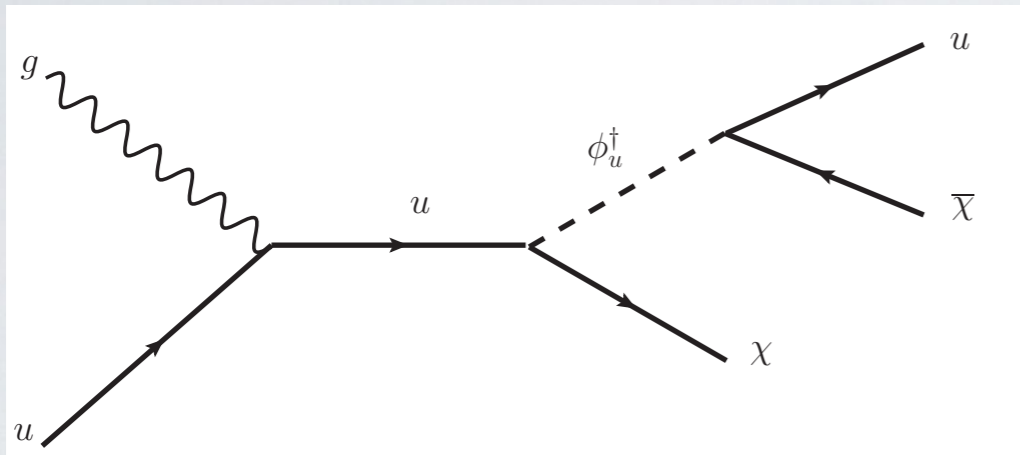
$$\Omega_\chi h^2 = 0.1199 \pm 0.0027$$

# COLLIDER PRODUCTION



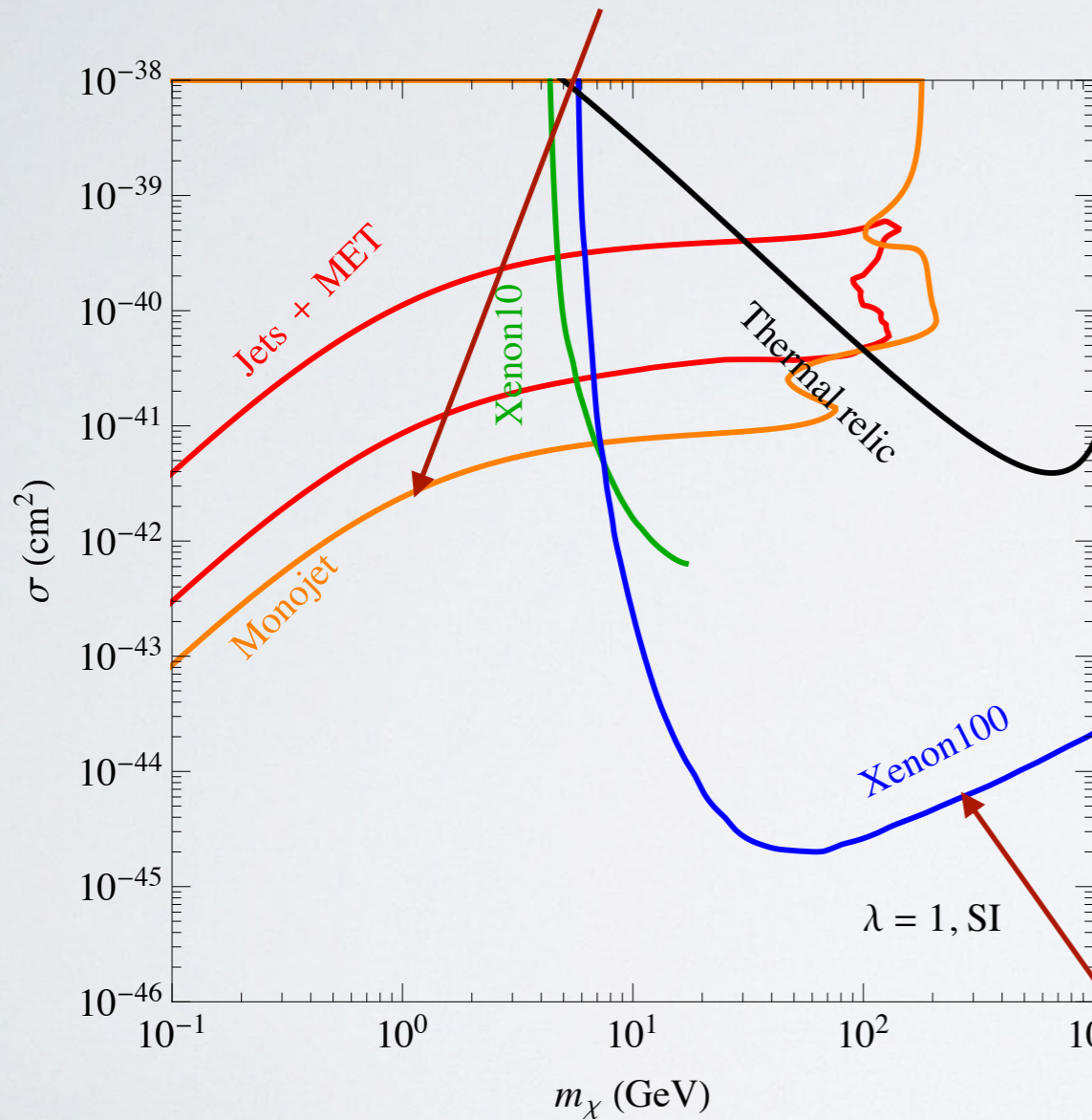


# EVENT SHAPE

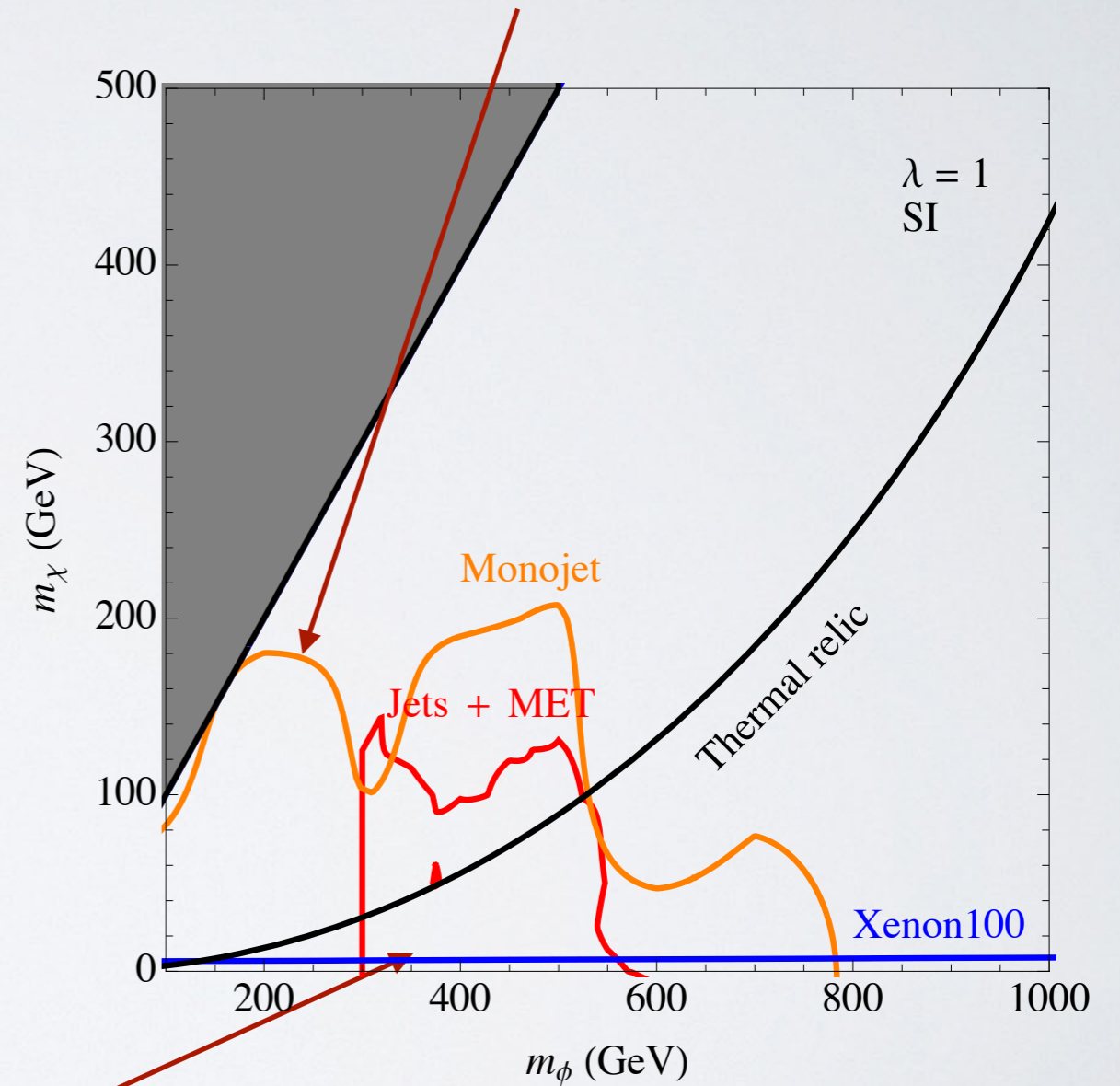


# DIRAC DM LIMITS

need colliders @ low mass



monojets win near degeneracy

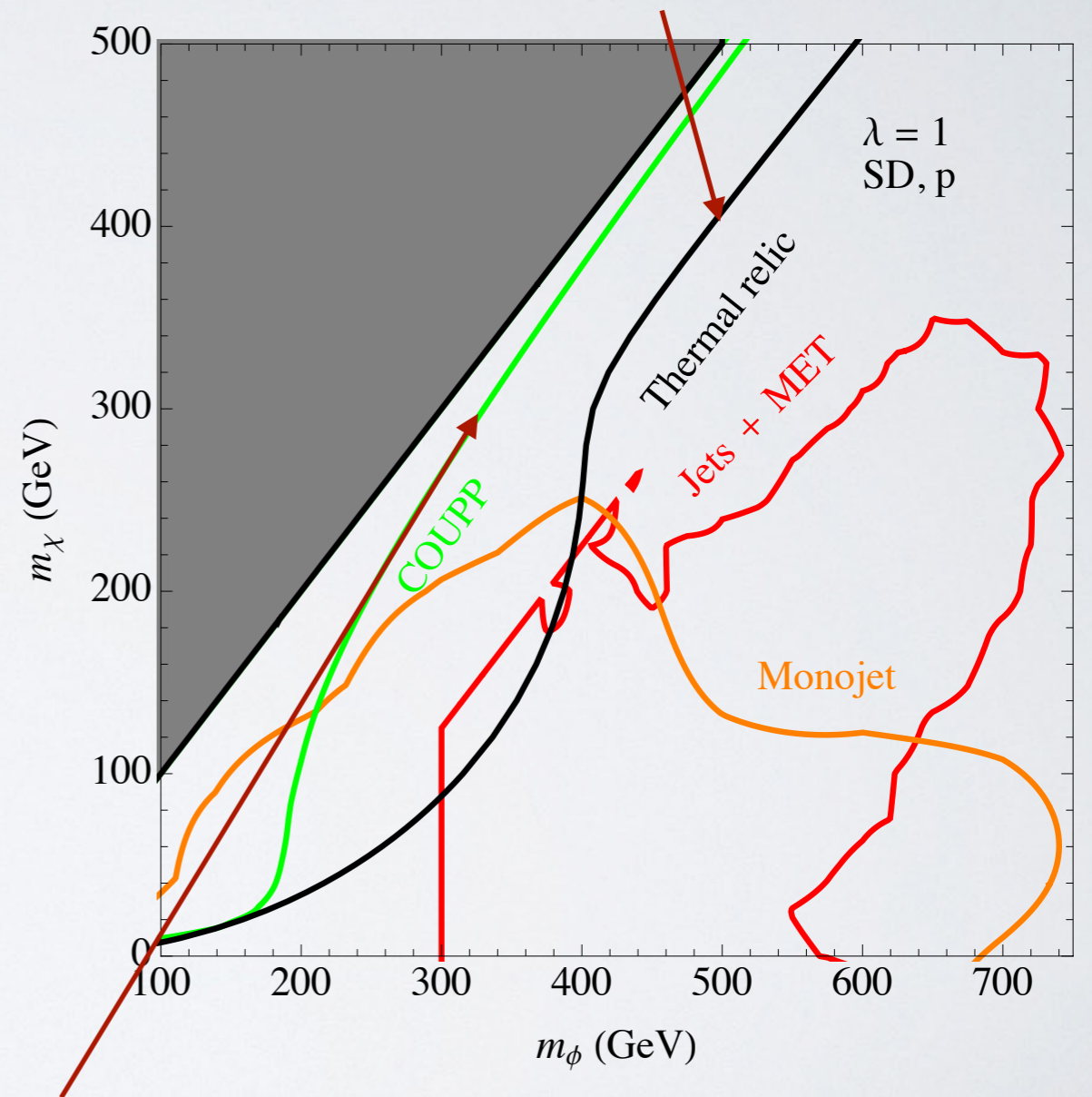
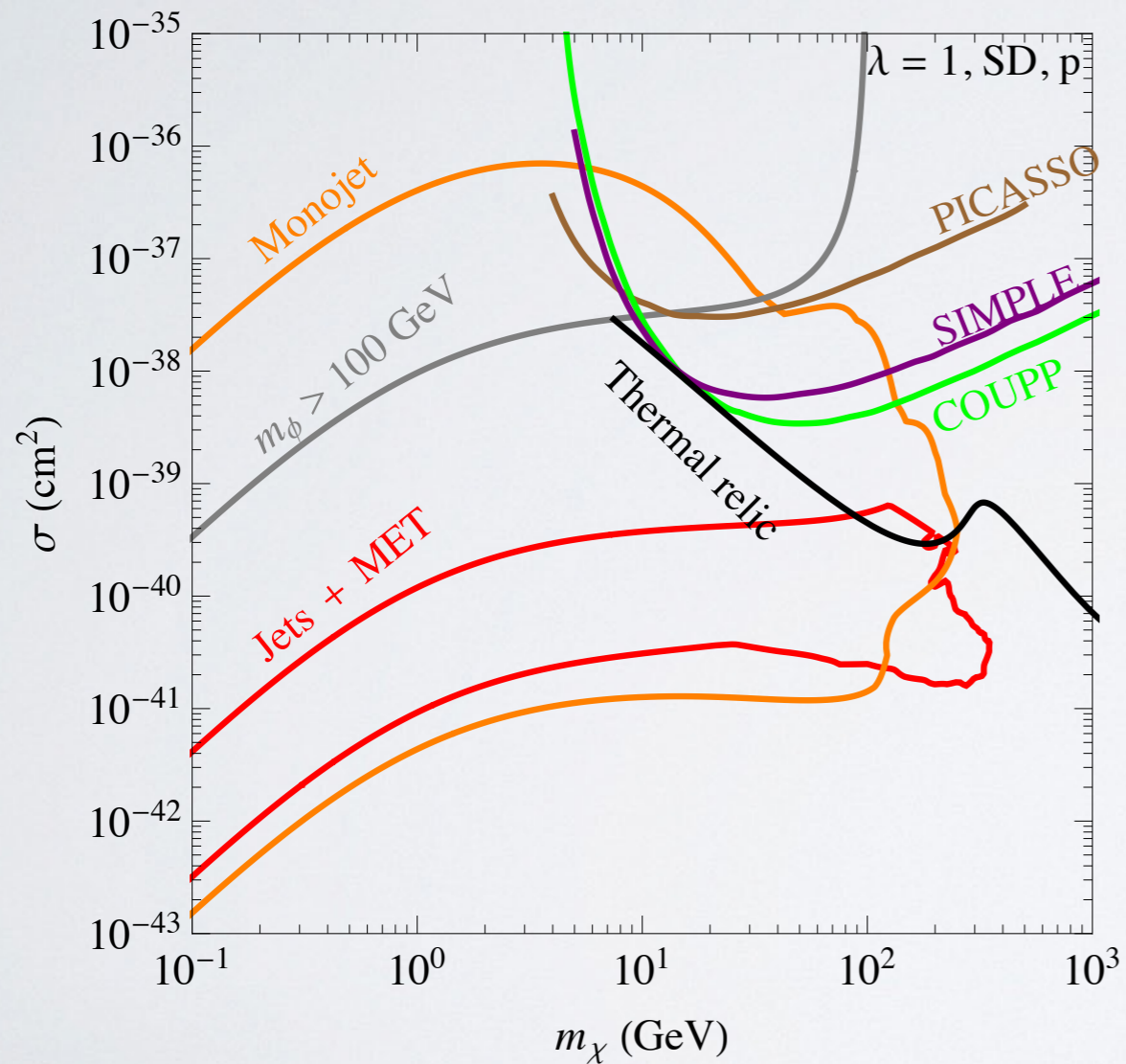


direct detection extremely powerful

# MAJORANA DM LIMITS

Scattering off proton

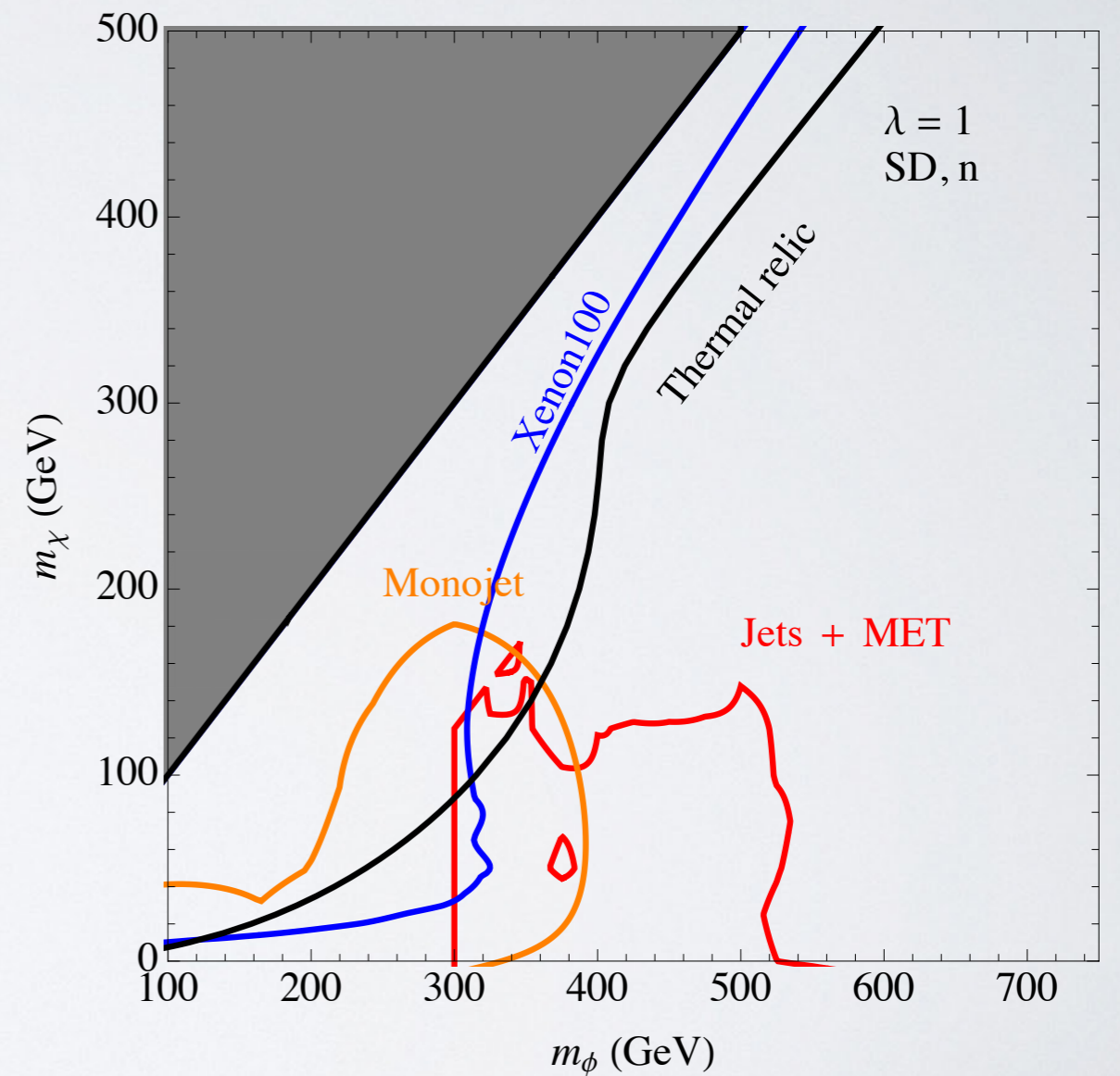
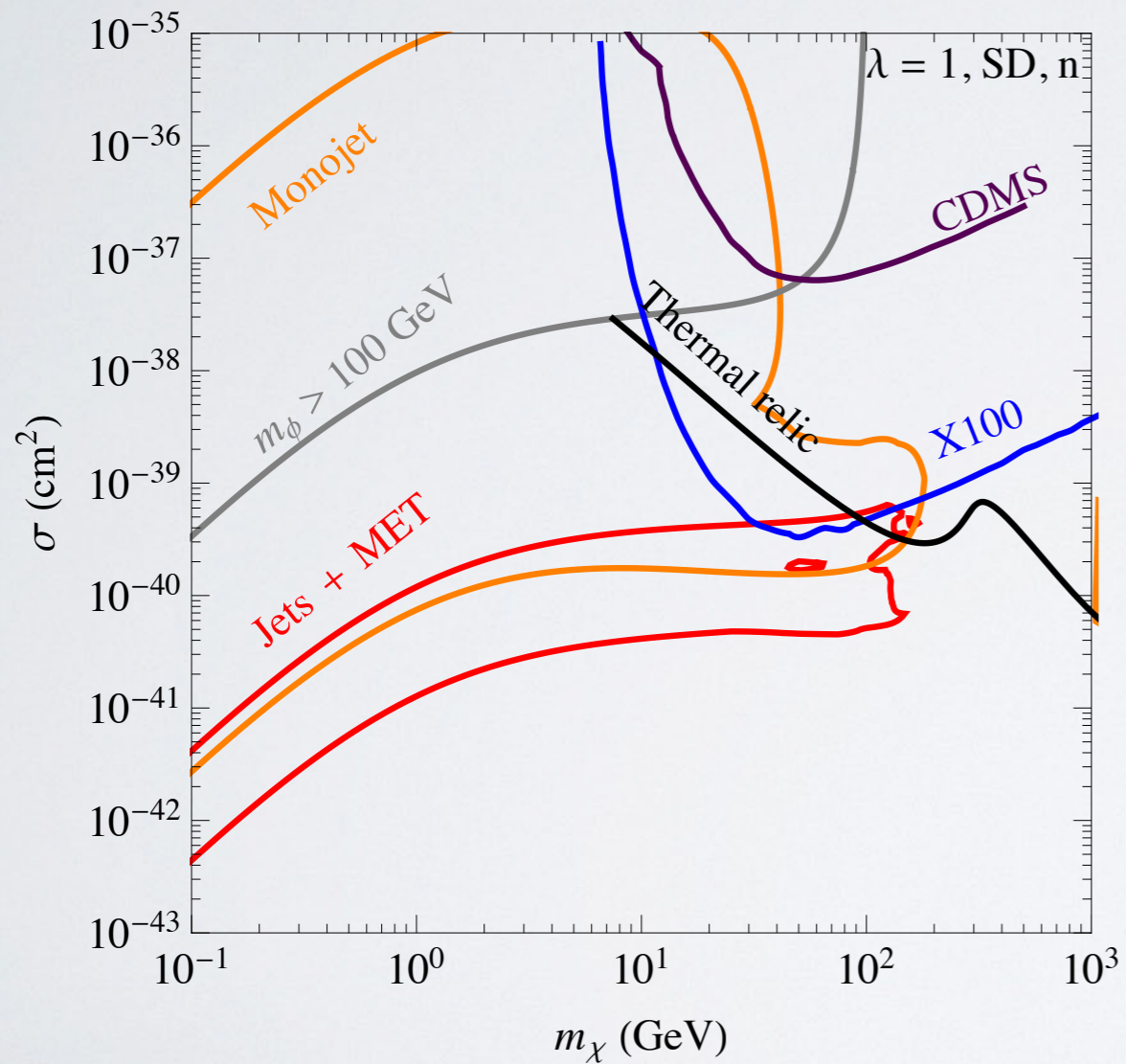
coannihilation



DD resonant enhancement near degeneracy

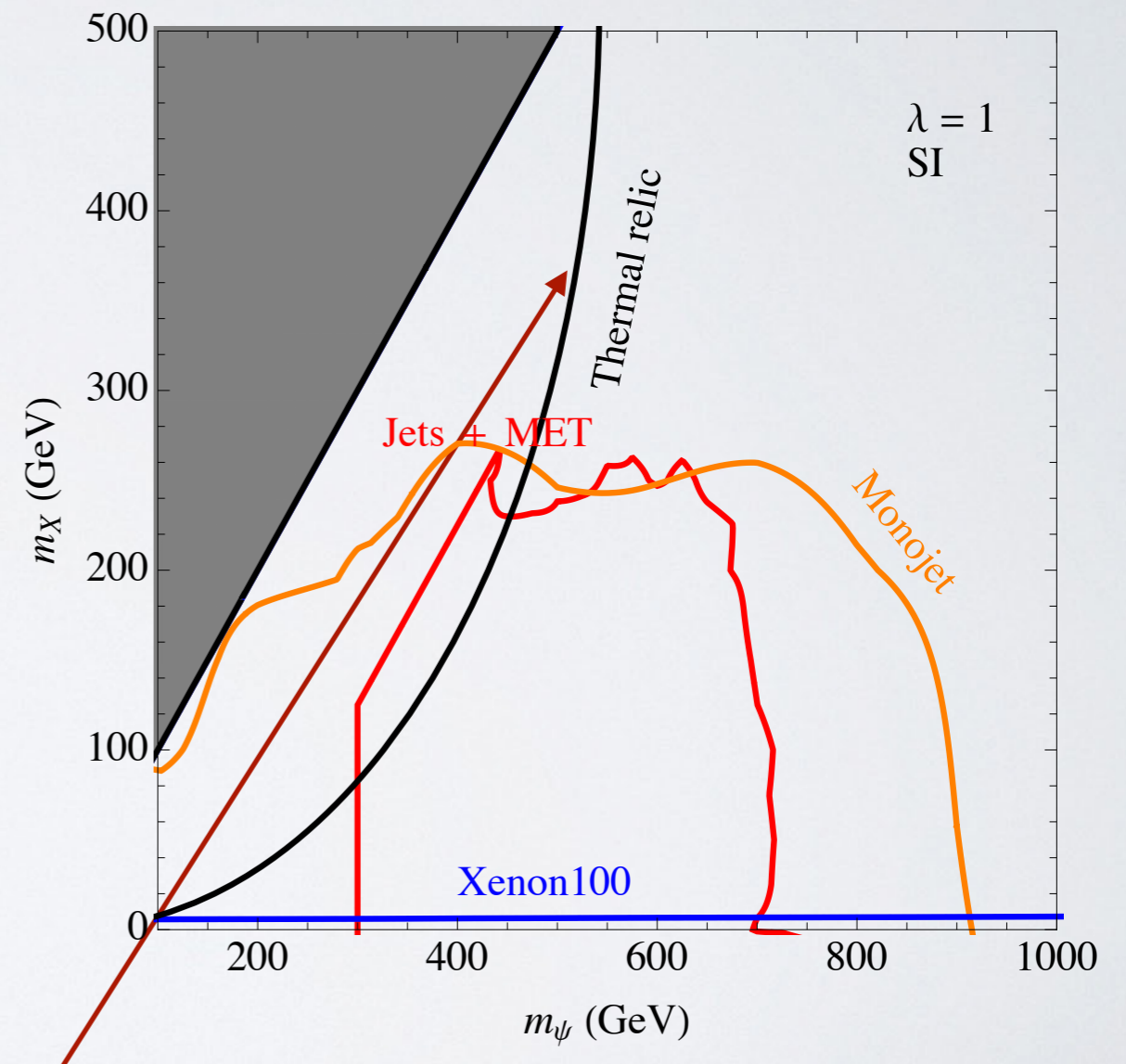
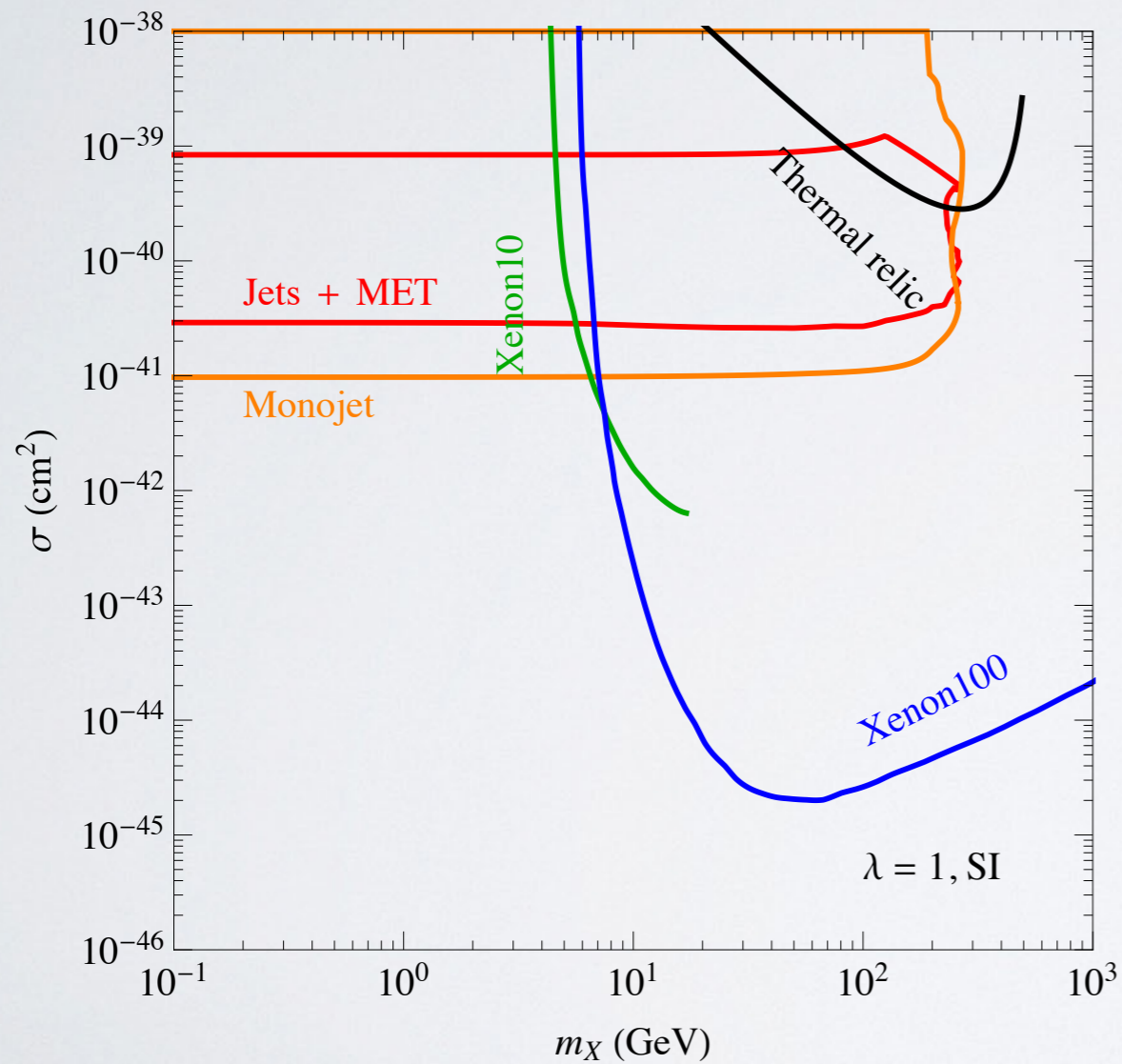
# MAJORANA DM LIMITS

## Scattering off neutron



scattering off neutrons wins

# COMPLEX DM LIMITS



thermal relic for smaller masses (p-wave suppression)

# QUARK PORTAL WRAP UP

- Quark portal provides a simple framework for DM phenomenology studies
- Parameter space being complementarily probed by both collider searches & DD
- Specific kinematic features may help at colliders

# LEPTON PORTAL

# SOME NEW CASES

- Consider coupling to each generation in turn
- Now: strong, but different constraints on all
- Assume flavor diagonal couplings



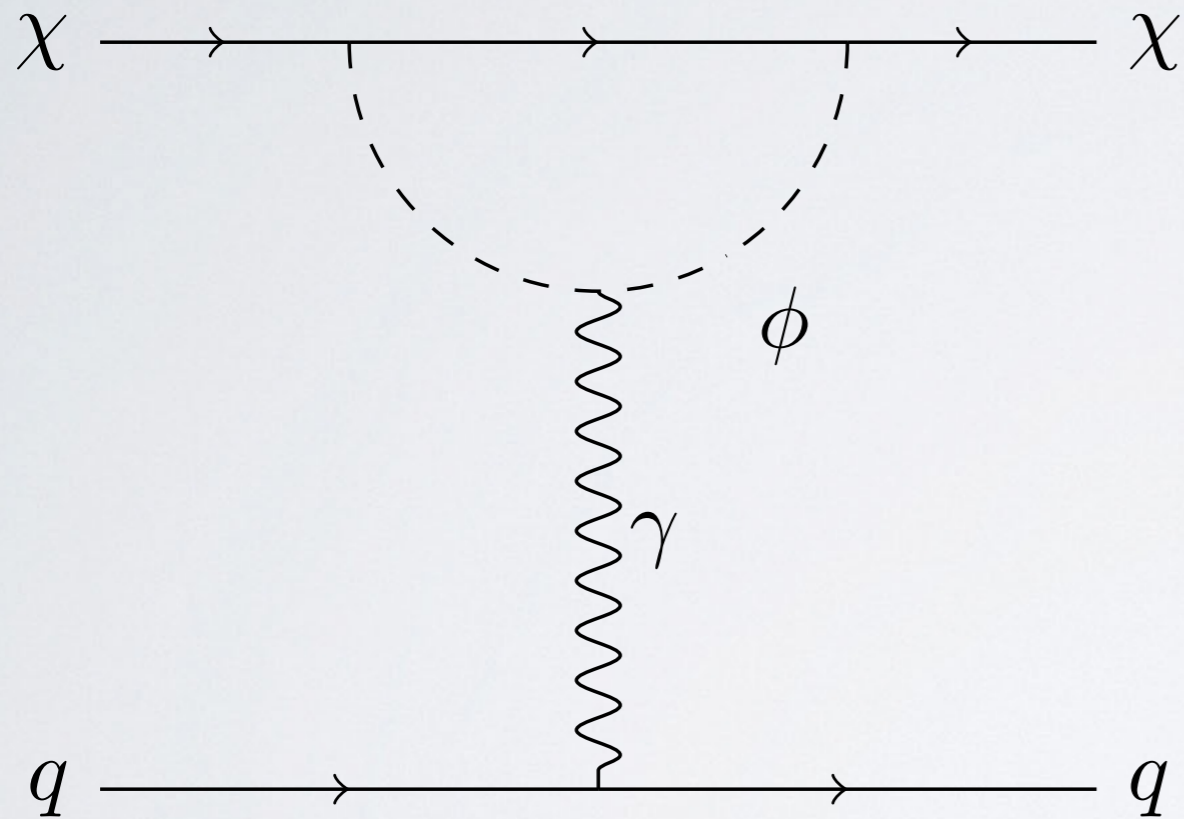
# SOME NEW CONSTRAINTS

- DD from loop-generated photon coupling
- Collider from dilepton + MET
- ID from high energy positrons
- $(g-2)_\mu$  constraint (or explanation?)

# REMINDER: THERMAL RELIC PARAMETER SPACE

- Story is the same as for quark portal
- Dirac DM: s-wave annihilations
- Majorana, Complex DM: p-wave annihilations

# DD @ 1 LOOP



- Dim 5:
  - Breaks chiral sym.
- Dim 6:
  - Several operators

# THE OPERATORS

Dirac

$$\mathcal{O}_1 = [\bar{\chi}\gamma^\mu(1 - \gamma^5)\partial^\nu\chi + \text{h.c.}]F_{\mu\nu}$$

$$\mathcal{O}_2 = [i\bar{\chi}\gamma^\mu(1 - \gamma^5)\partial^\nu\chi + \text{h.c.}]F^{\alpha\beta}\epsilon_{\mu\nu\alpha\beta}$$

Agrawal, Blanchet, Chacko, Kilic

C,P even: charge radius, magnetic dipole; C,P odd: anapole

Majorana

$$\mathcal{O}_1 = [-\bar{\chi}\gamma^\mu\gamma^5\partial^\nu\chi + \text{h.c.}]F_{\mu\nu}$$

Only anapole allowed

Complex

$$\mathcal{O} = \partial_\mu X^\dagger \partial_\nu X F^{\mu\nu}$$

Only charge radius allowed

# FERMION CASE

$$c_1 = \frac{\lambda^2 e}{64\pi^2 m_\phi^2} \left( \frac{1}{2} + \frac{2}{3} \log \frac{m_e^2}{m_\phi^2} \right), \quad c_2 = \frac{\lambda^2 e}{256\pi^2 m_\phi^2}$$

$$\sigma_{XN} = c_1^2 e^2 Z^2 \frac{\mu_{XN}^2}{A^2 \pi}$$

- $c_1 \gg c_2$  from log enhancement
- Majorana case: only  $v$ -suppressed anapole-charge coupling

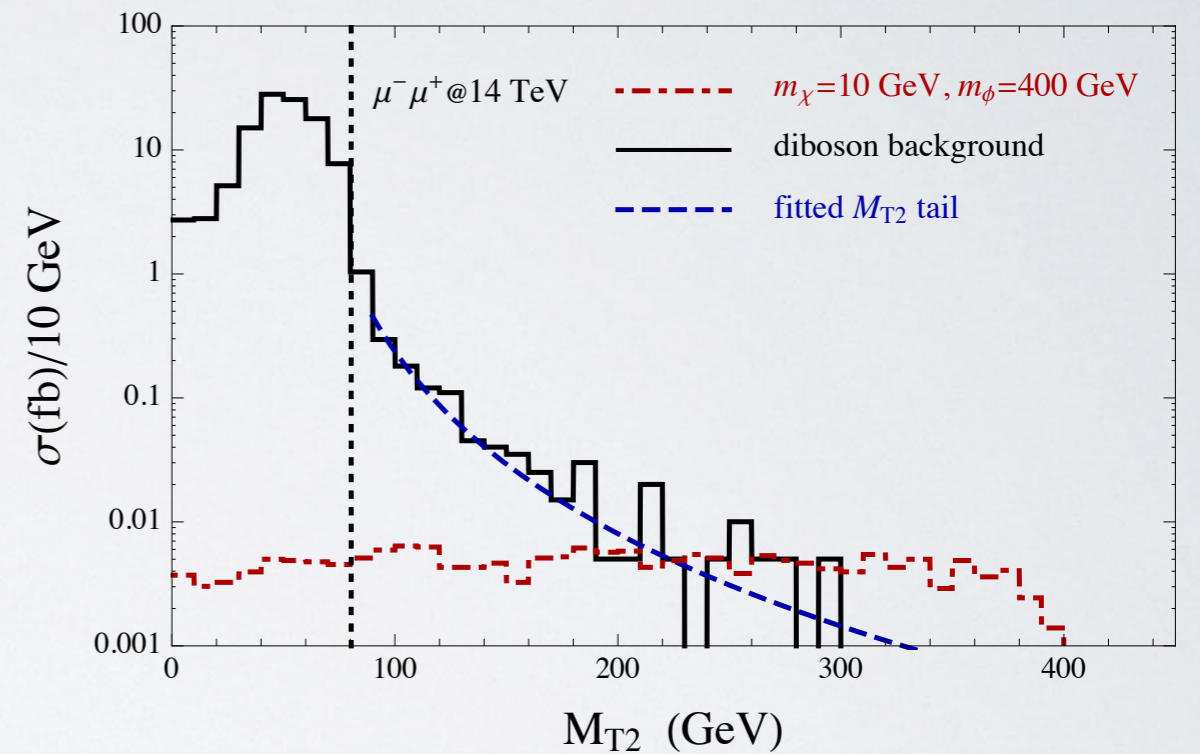
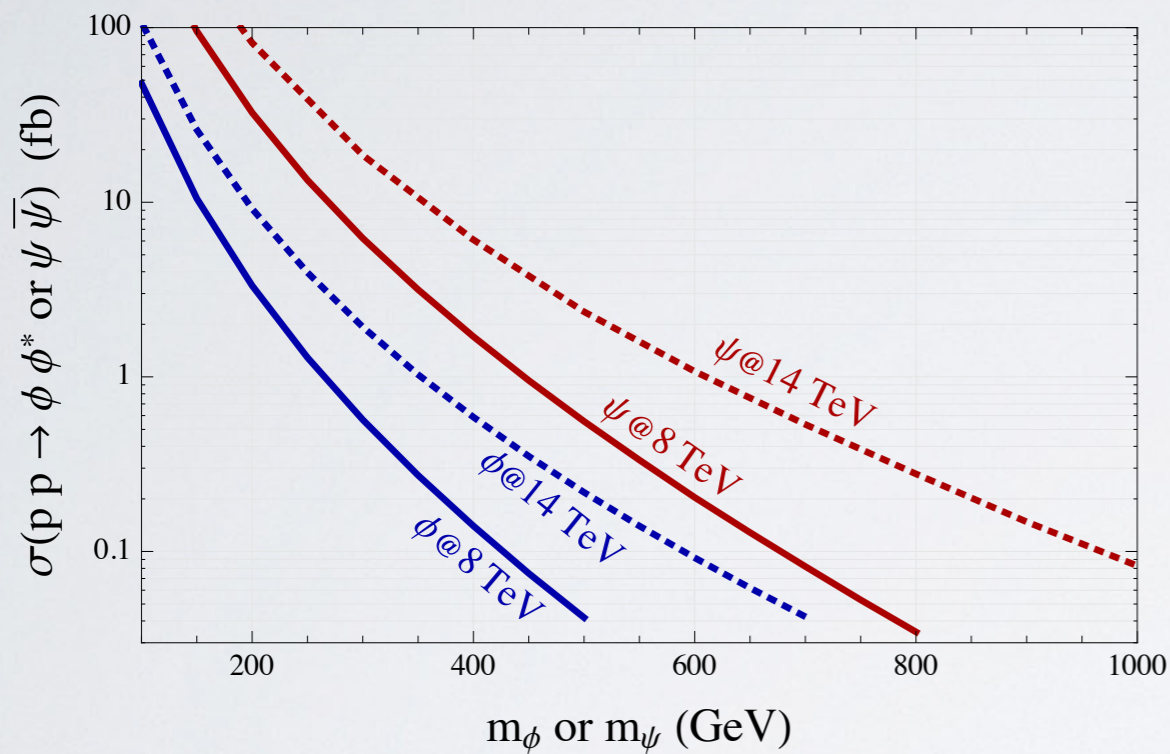
# SCALAR CASE

$$C = -\frac{\lambda^2 e}{64\pi^2 m_\psi^2} \left( 1 + \frac{2}{3} \log \frac{m_e^2}{m_\psi^2} \right)$$

$$\sigma_{XN} = C^2 e^2 Z^2 \frac{\mu_{XN}^2}{A^2 \pi}$$

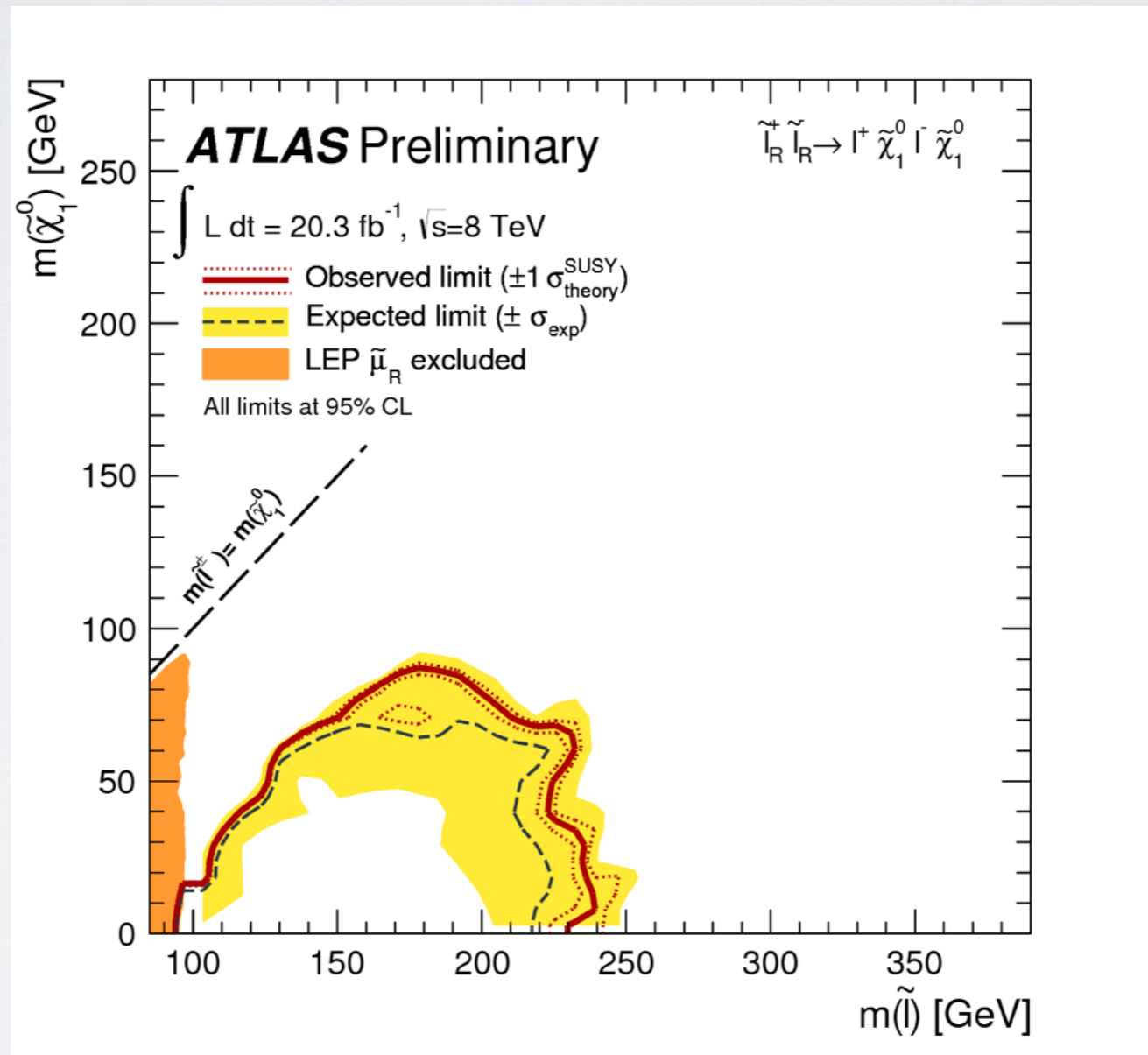
- Unsuppressed charge radius-charge coupling

# COLLIDER CONSTRAINTS



$$F(M_{T2}) = \frac{N_0}{[\eta M_{T2}^2 - M_W^2]^2 + \eta^2 M_{T2}^4 \Gamma_W^2 / M_W^2}$$

# CURRENT LIMITS

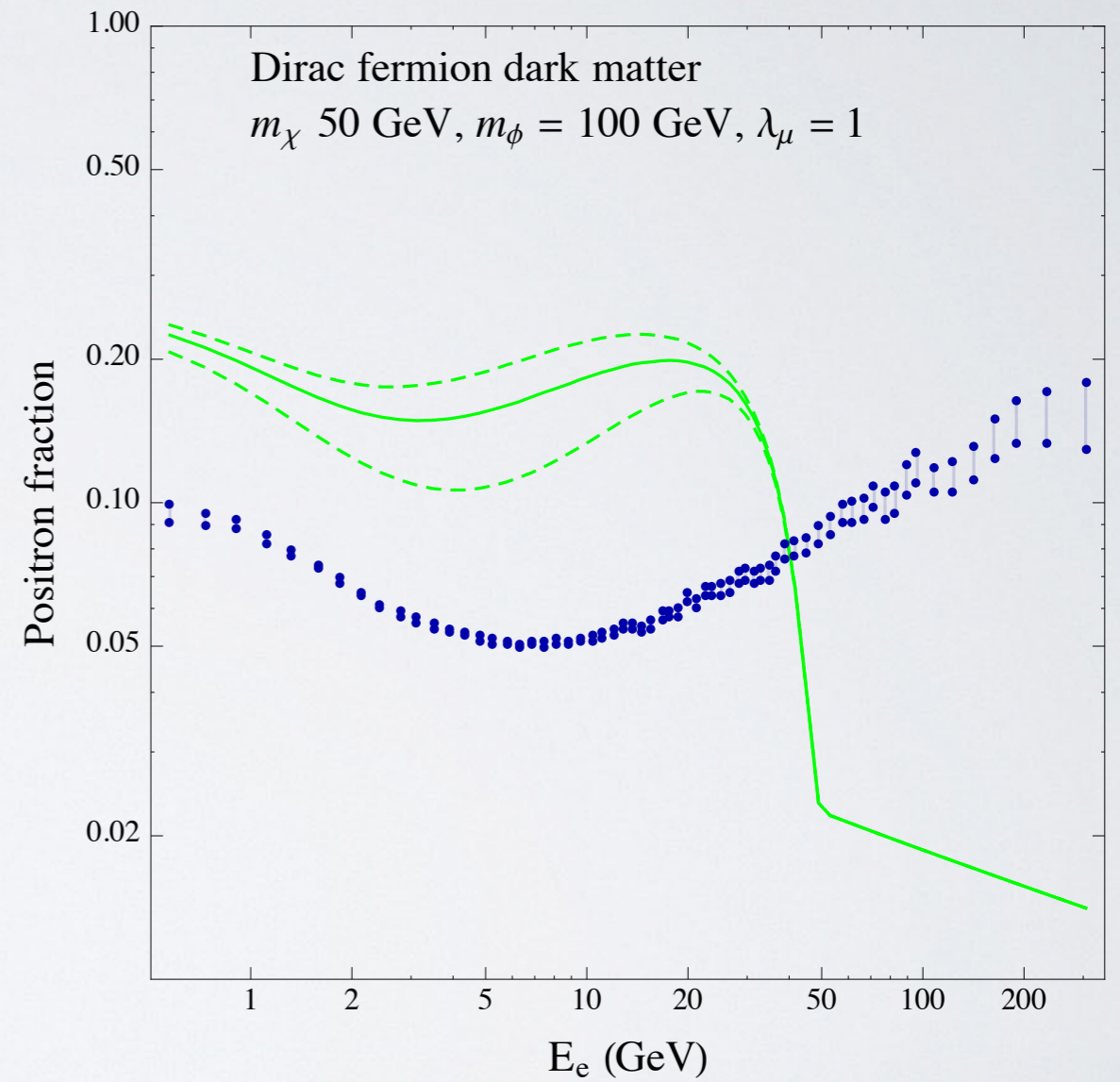
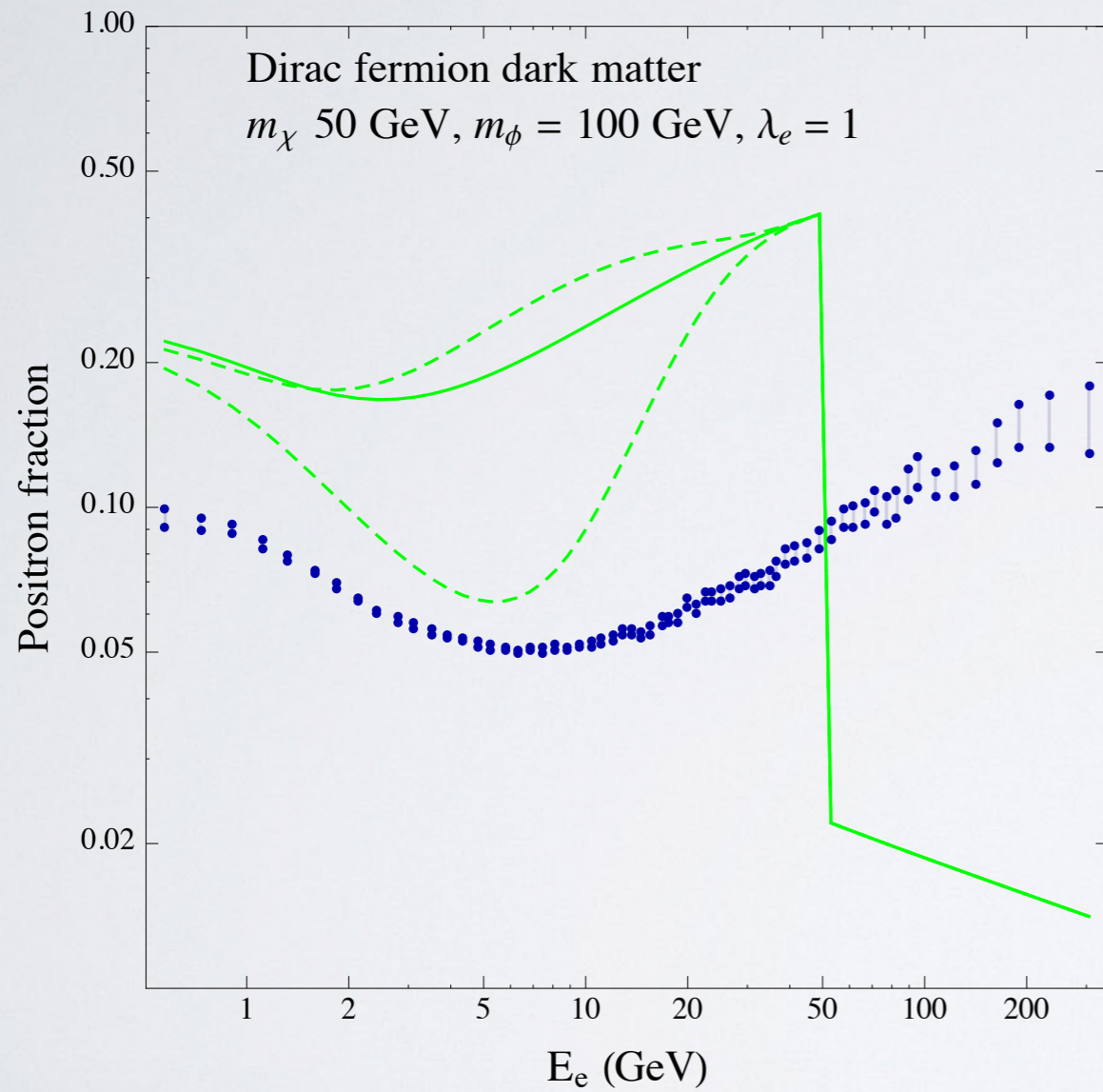




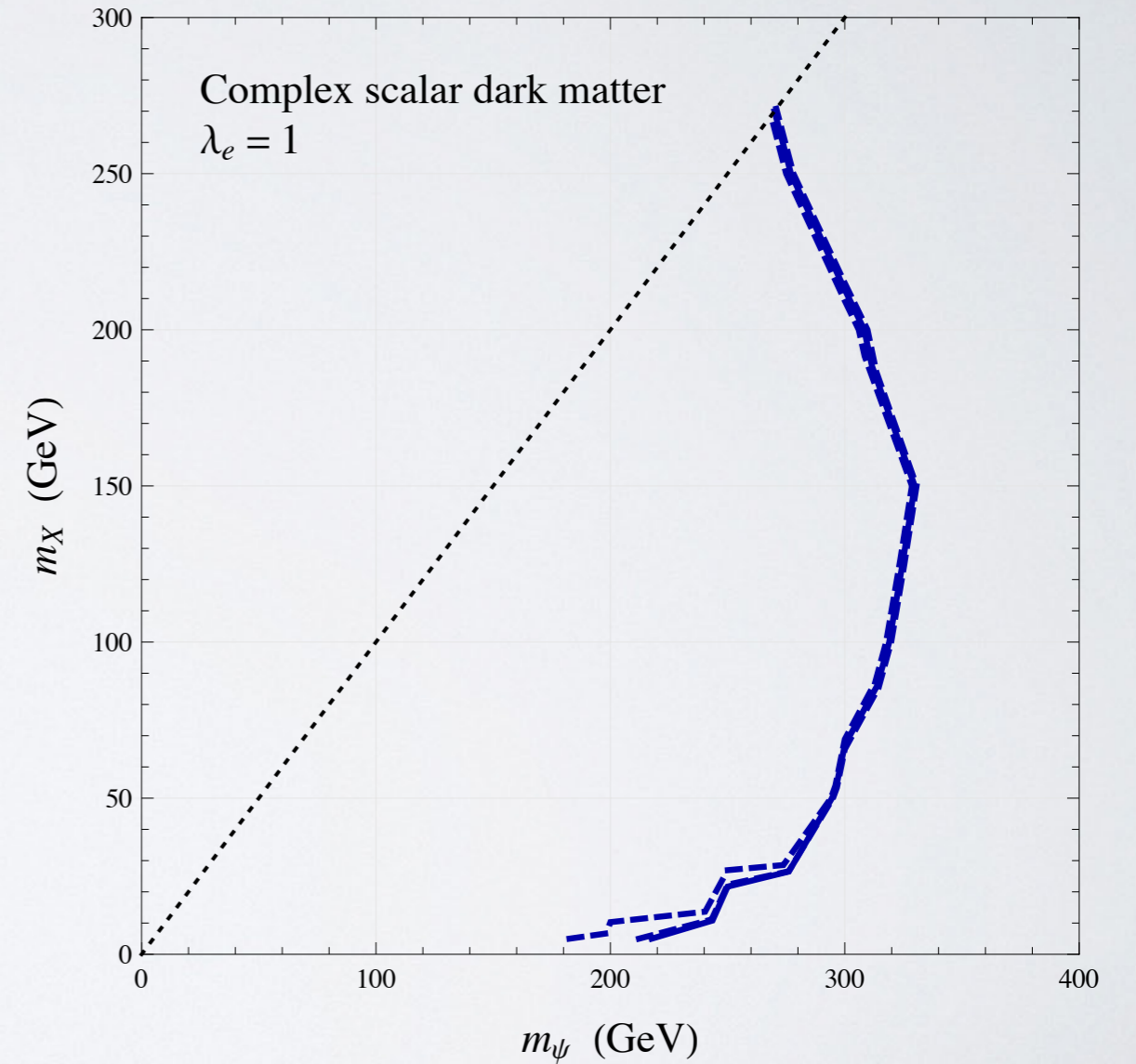
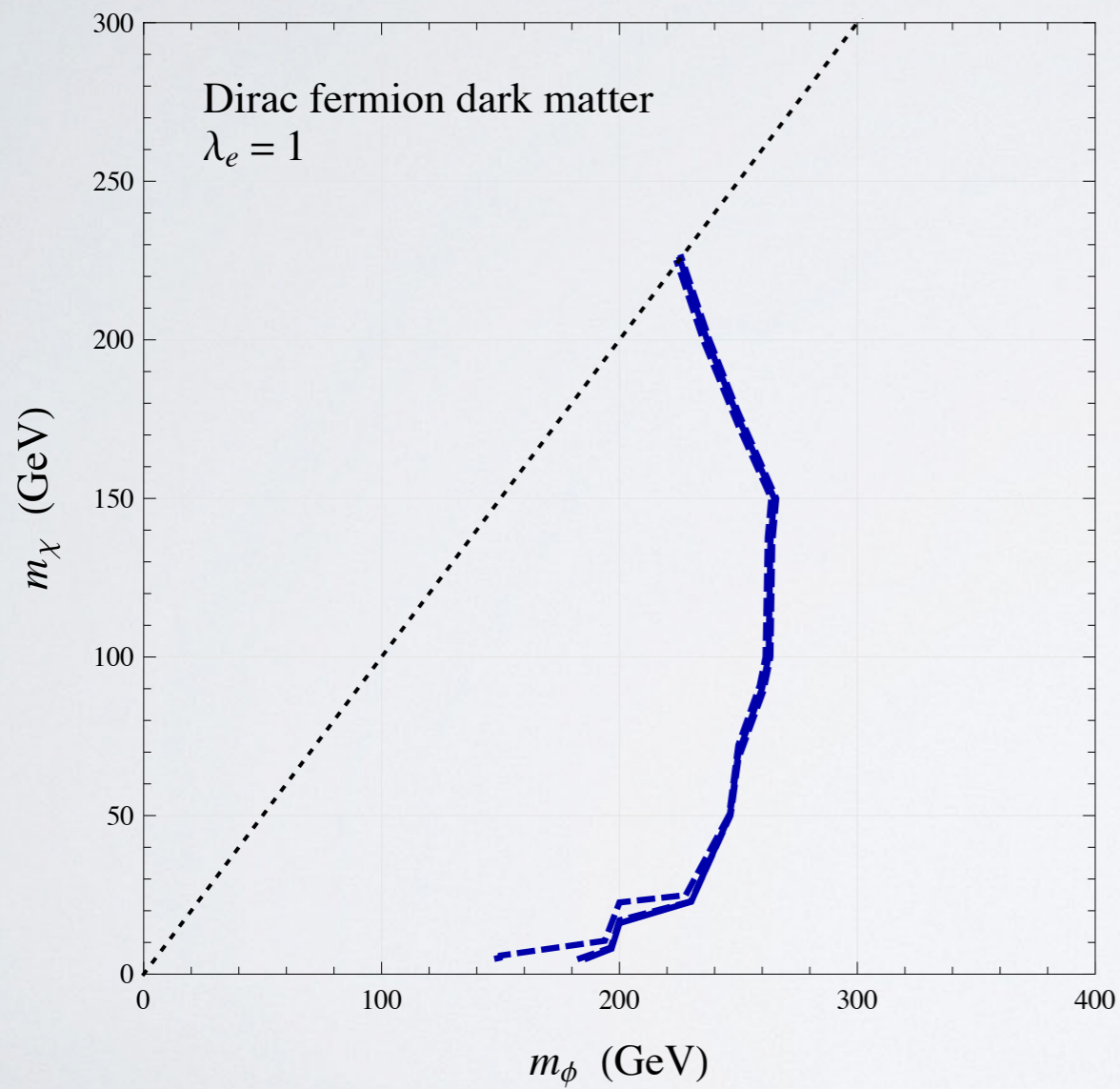
# POSITRON FLUX @ AMS

- Parametrize the transfer function to go from injection spectrum to flux
- Three different sets of “standard” astrophysical assumptions
- Compare bin-by-bin to total positron flux and excluded if there is a  $2\sigma$  excess in any bin

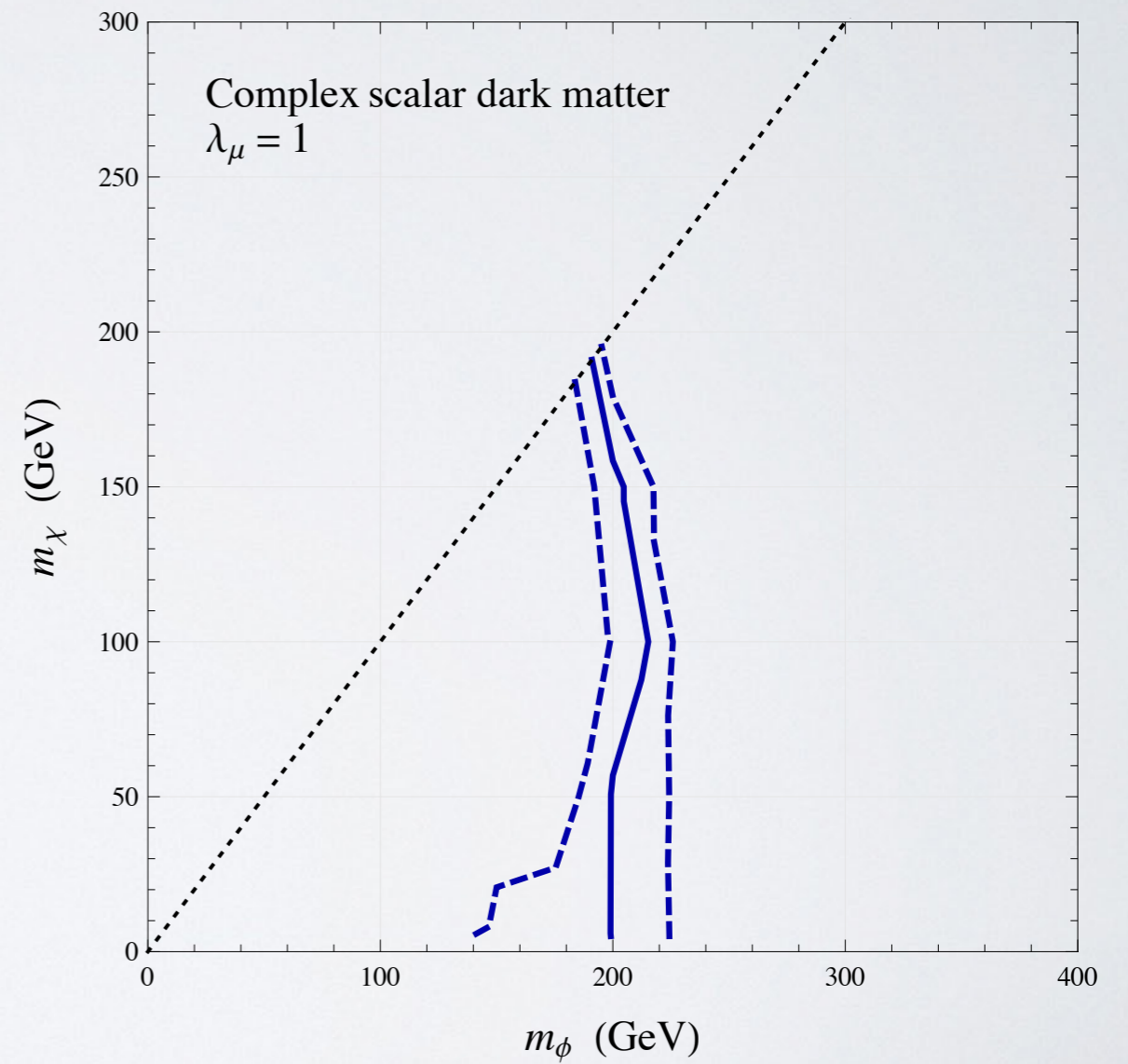
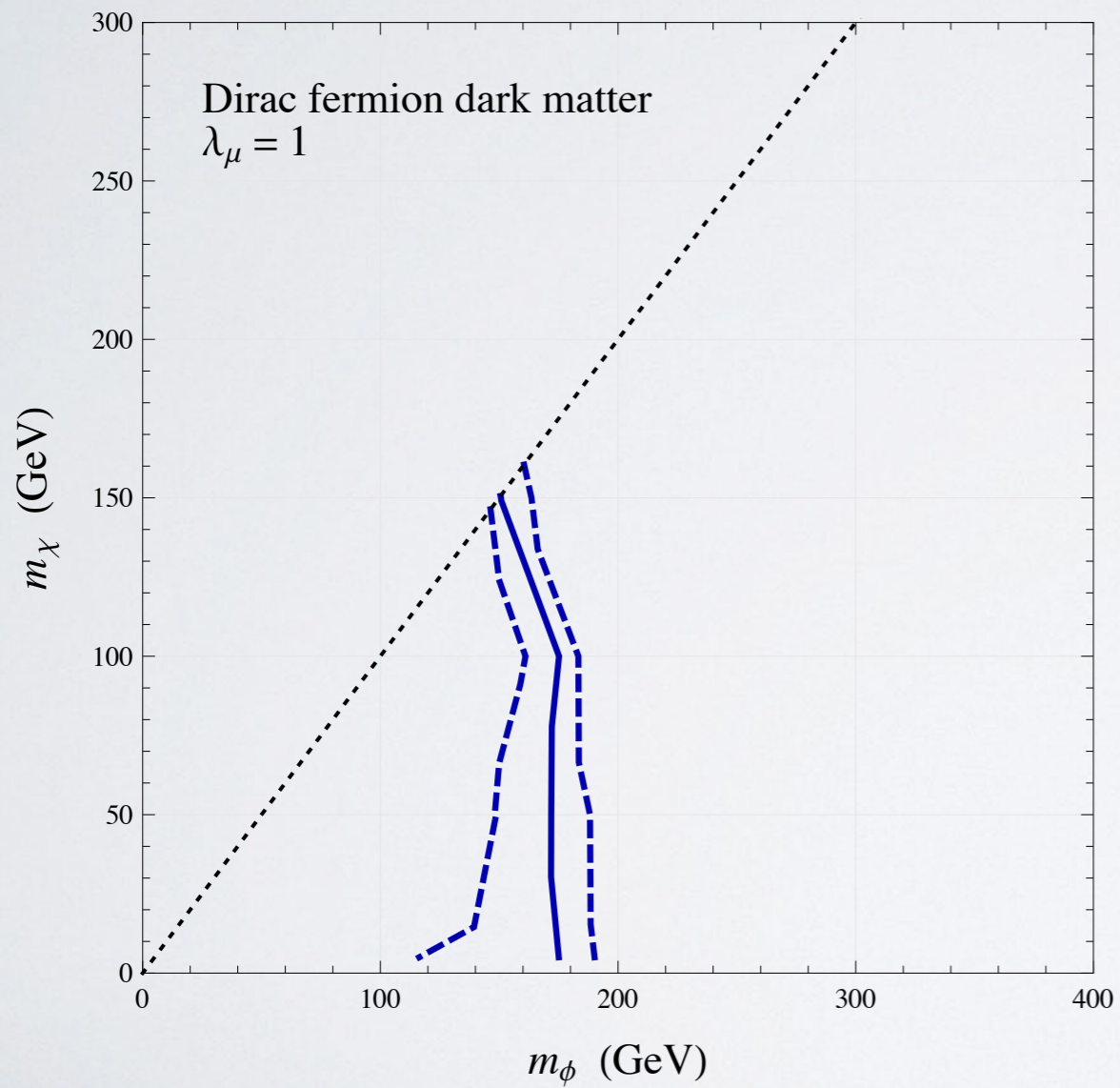
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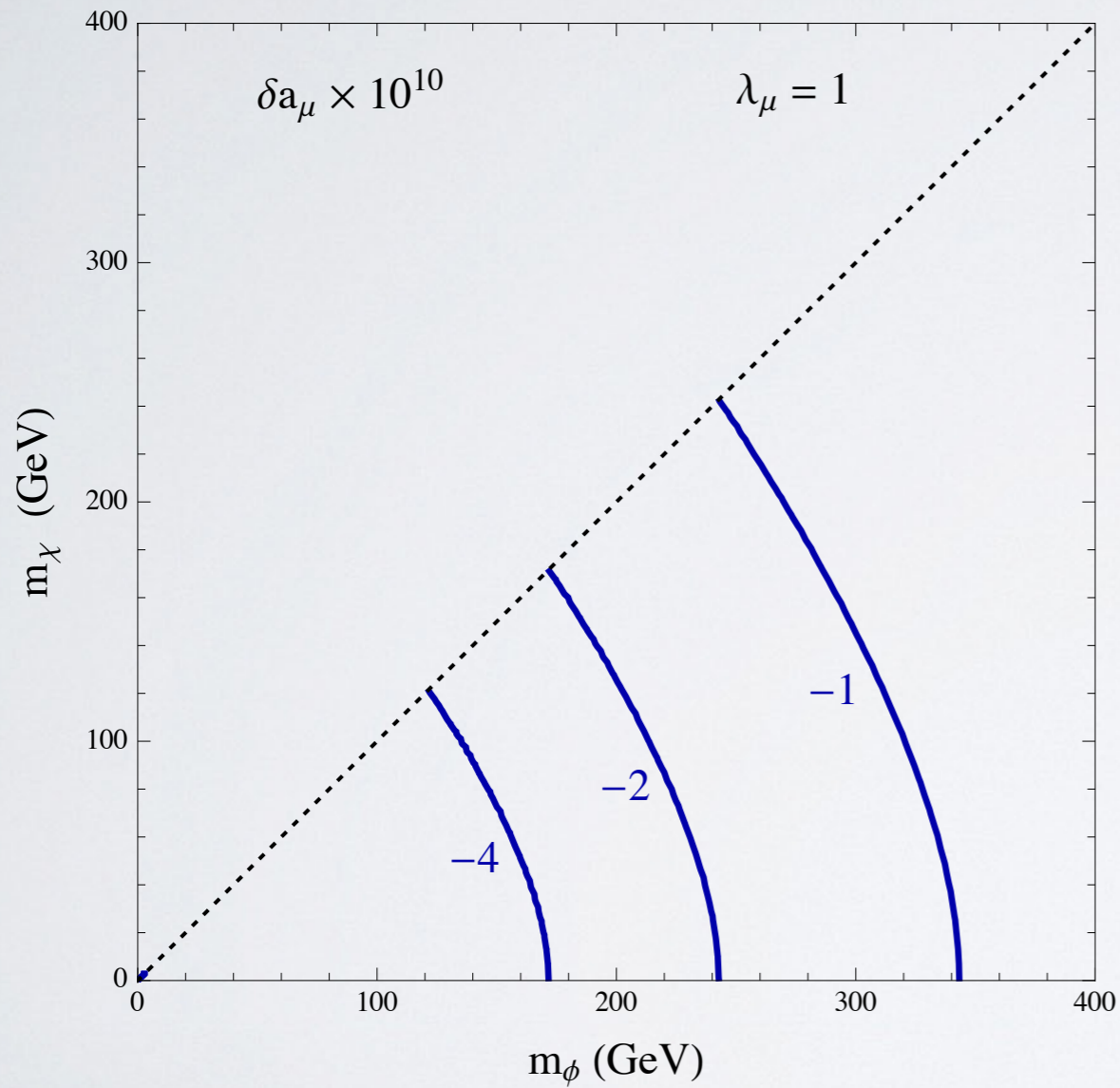
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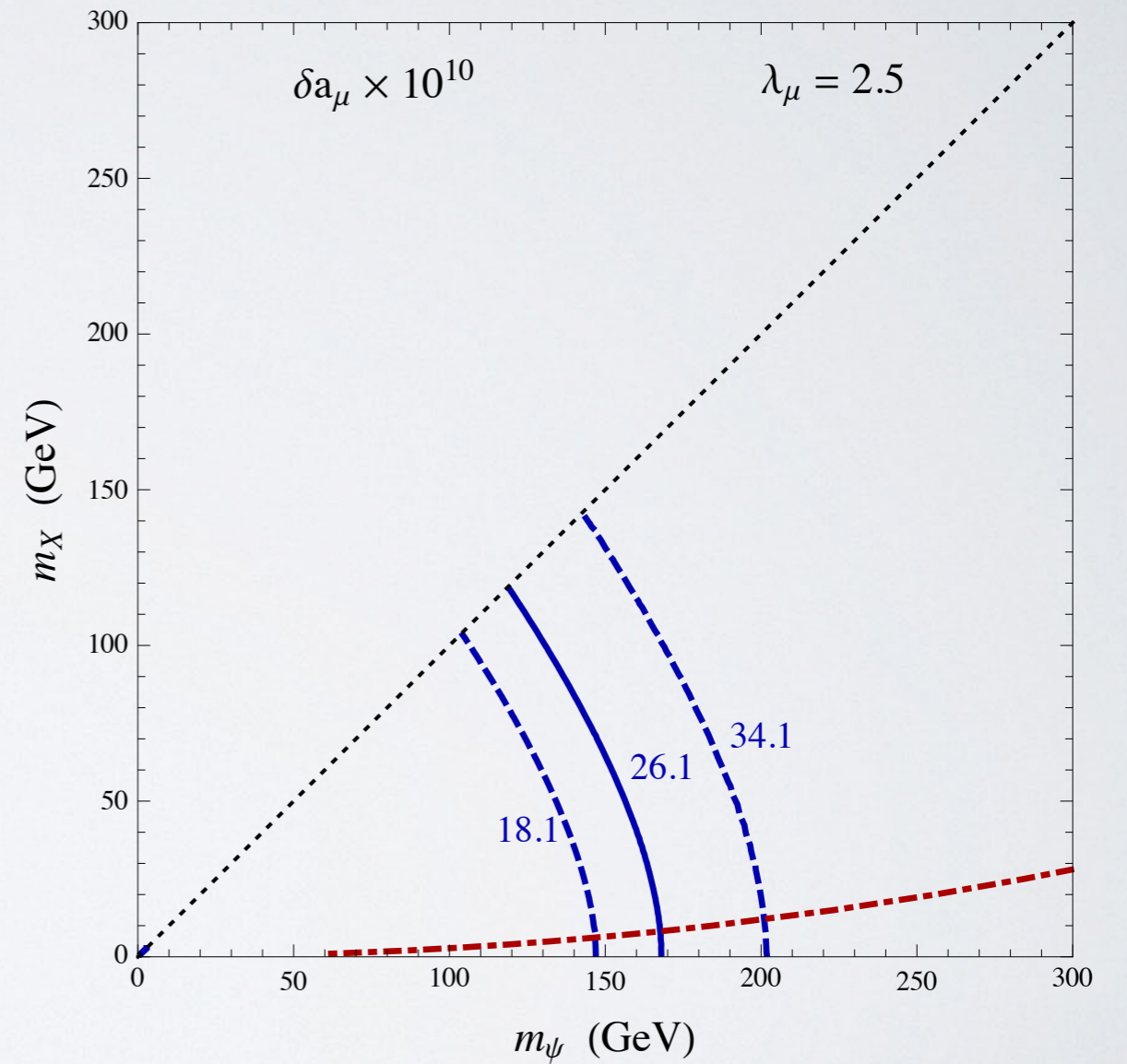
# INDIRECT DETECTION MUON PORTAL



# MUON $g-2$

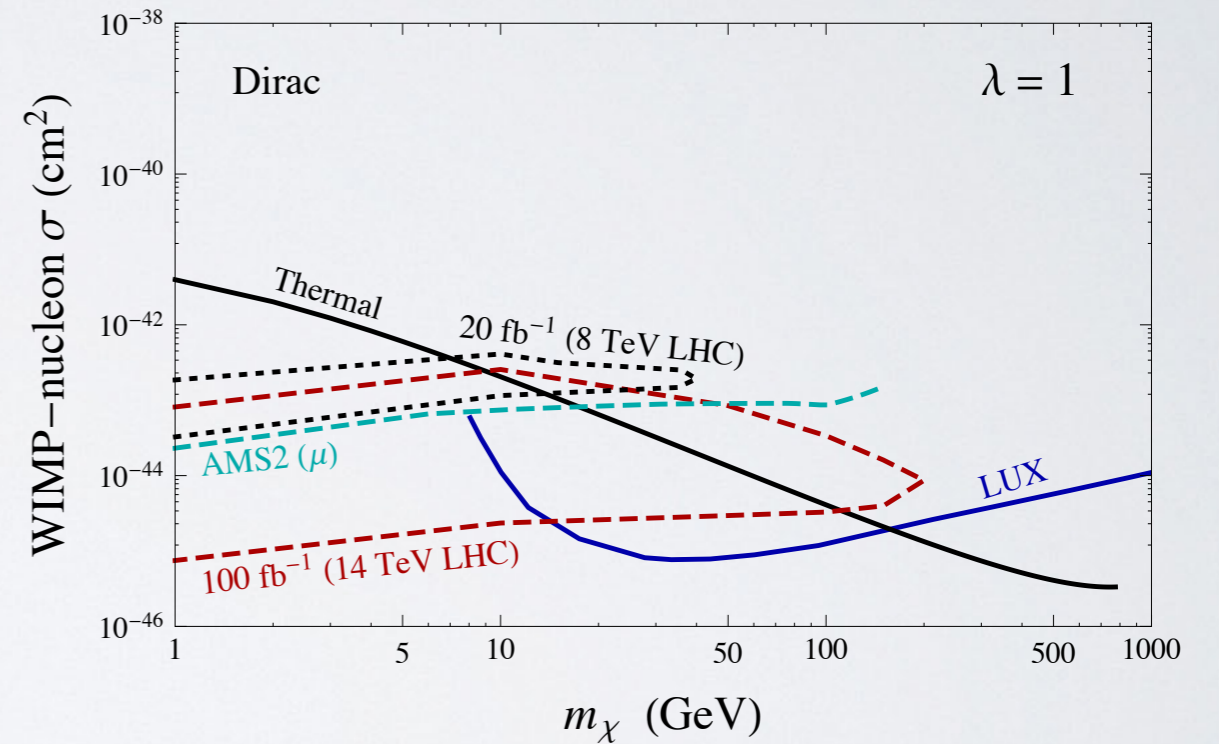
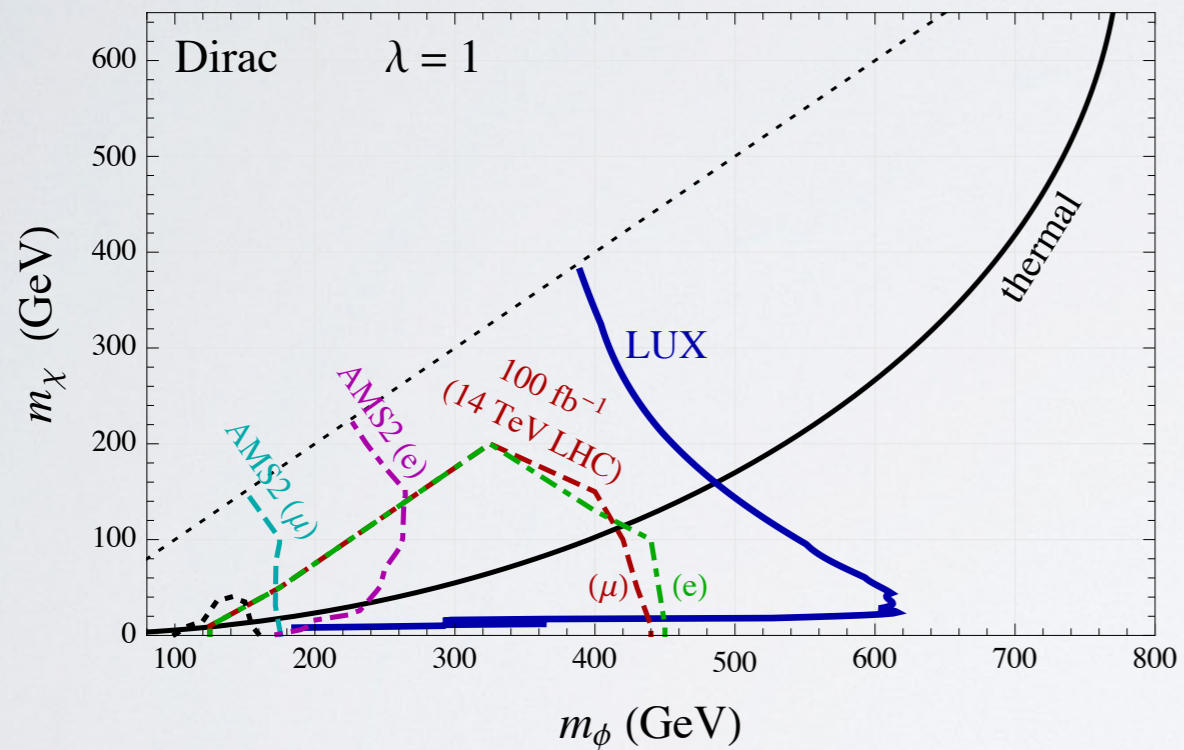


Dirac DM

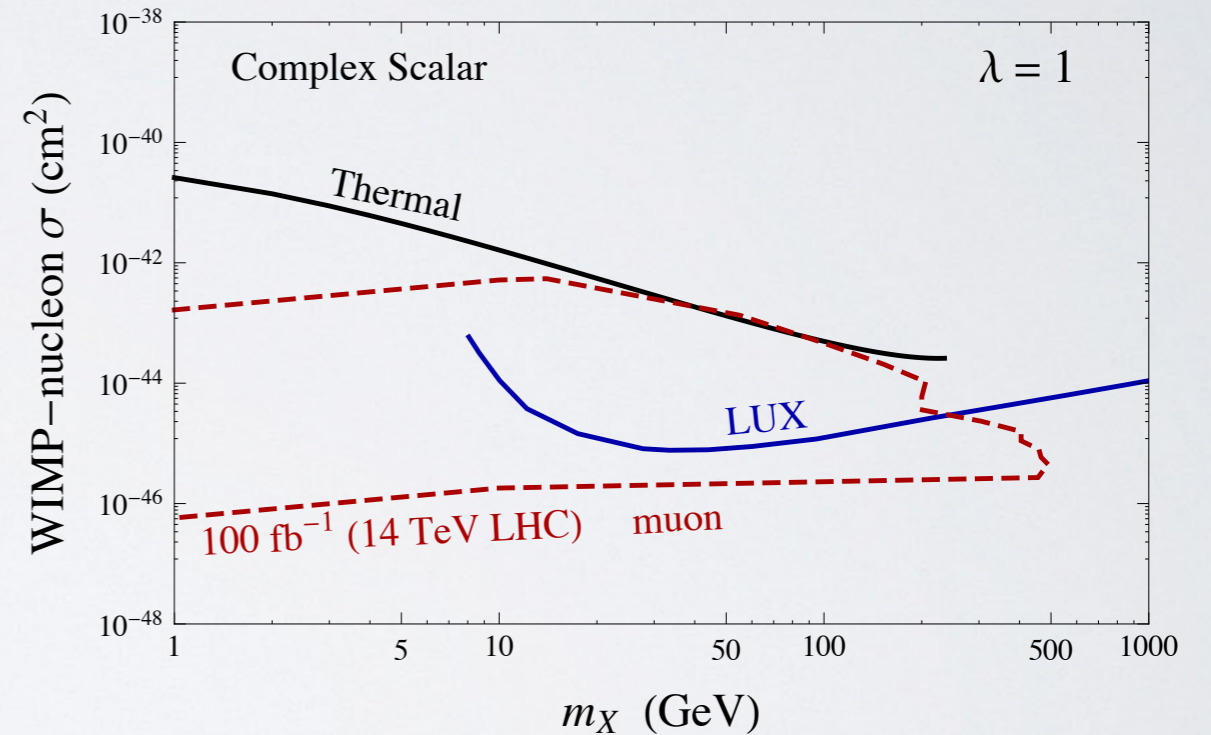
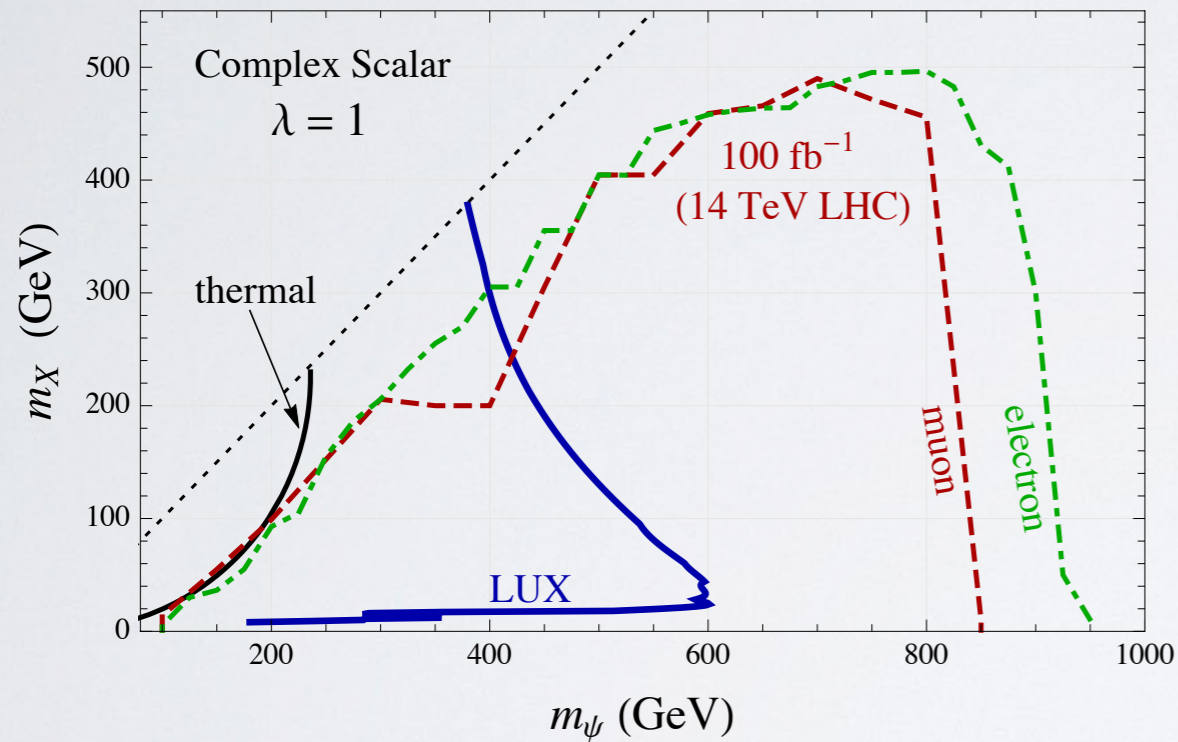


Complex Scalar DM

# COMBINED FERMION RESULTS



# COMBINED SCALAR RESULTS



# LEPTON PORTAL WRAP UP

- Lepton portal models have a rich array of signatures, with parameter space waiting to be explored
- All three methods of DM search (+  $g-2$ ) provide important constraints



# CONCLUSIONS

# STATUS REPORT

- Effective theories may not be sufficient to make predictions for all DM searches
- The fermion portal framework is one possible simple alternative
- It exhibits complementarity between various searches for both quark and lepton couplings

# FUTURE PROGRESS

- More complete study of collider constraints
- Distinctive features in interaction spectra
- From experiment: More data from LUX, AMS-02 = pulsars?, new g-2, LHC13+, ILC?