

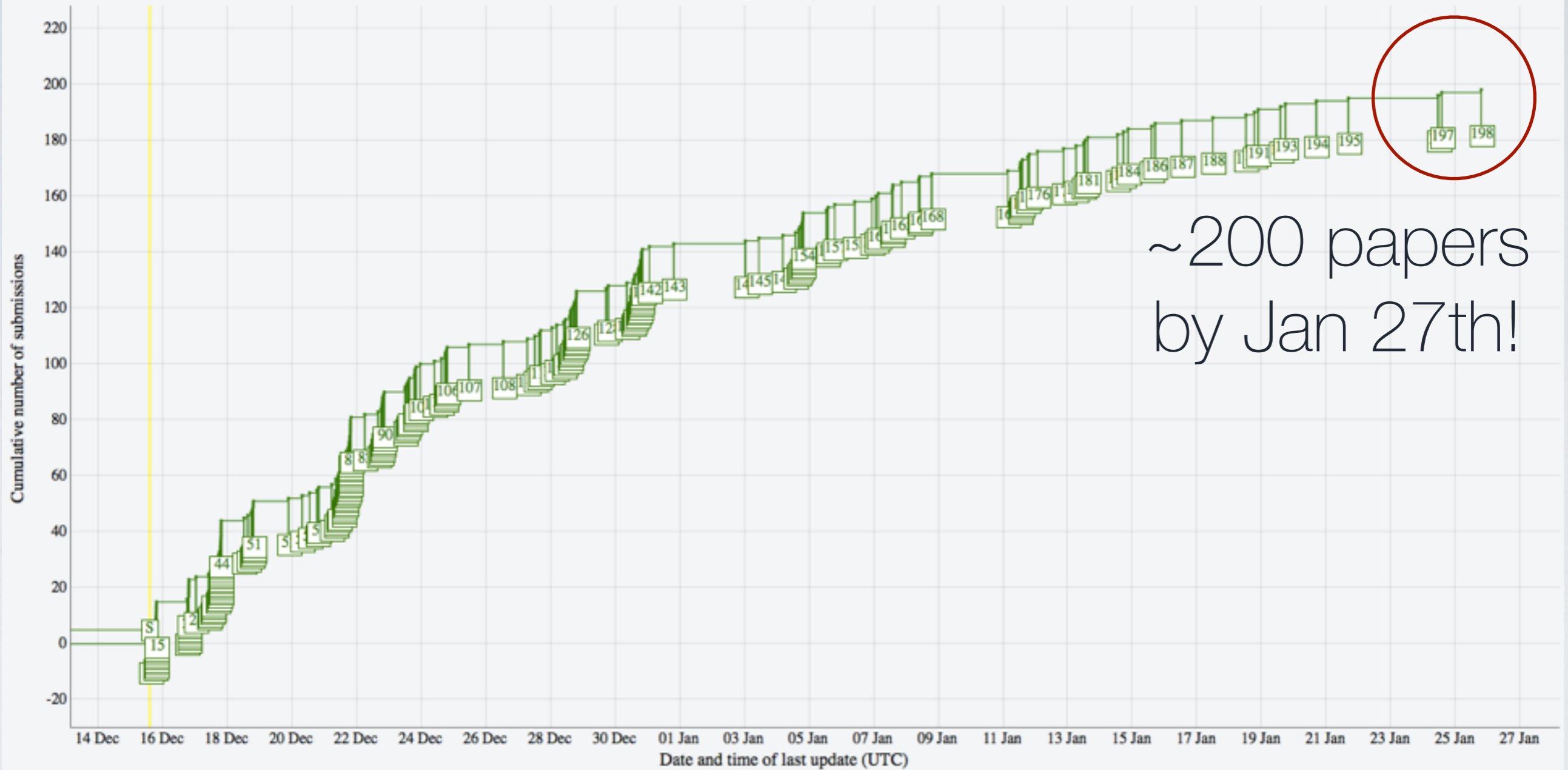
“**Vanilla scenario**” for the di-photon resonance



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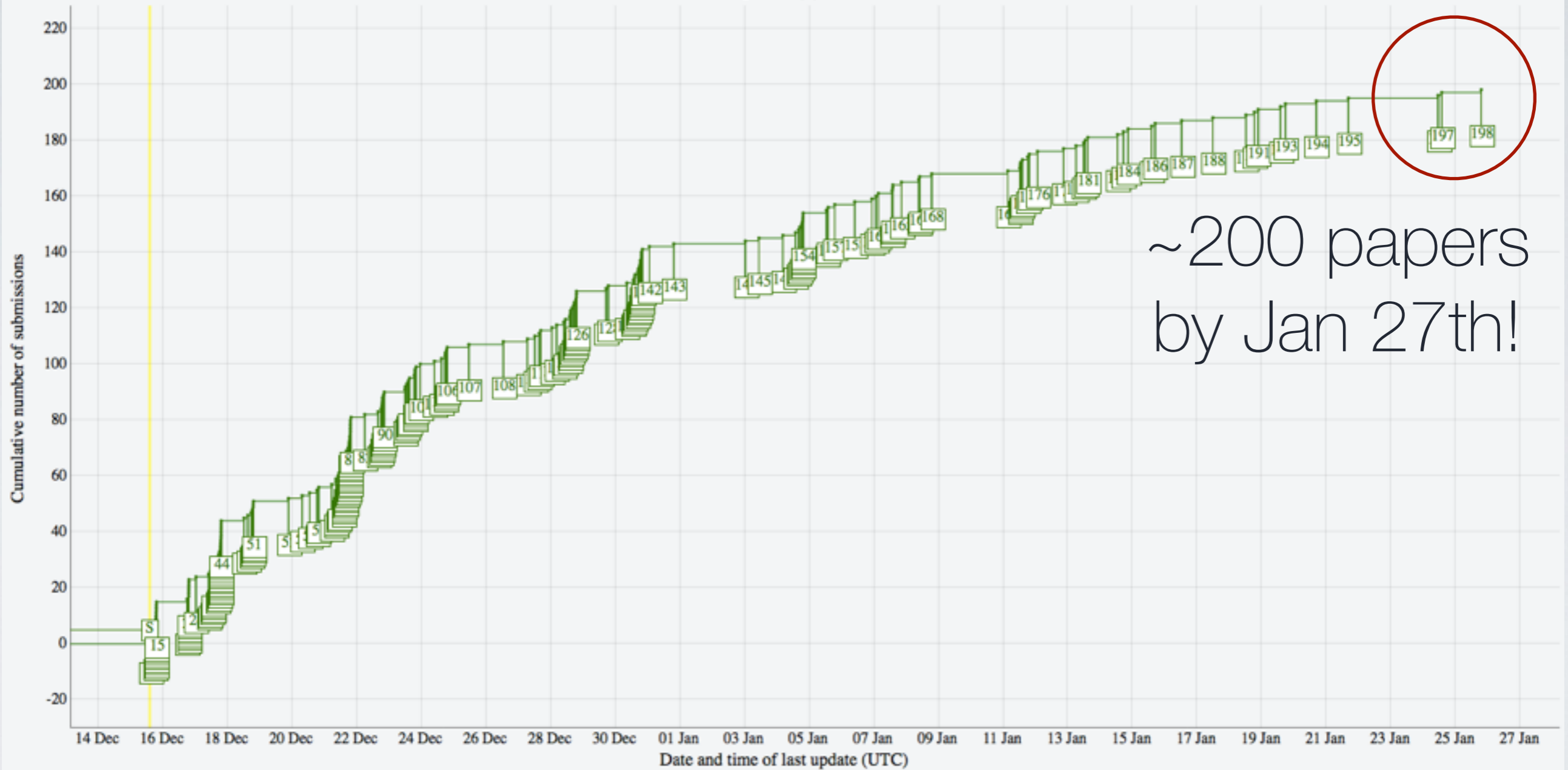
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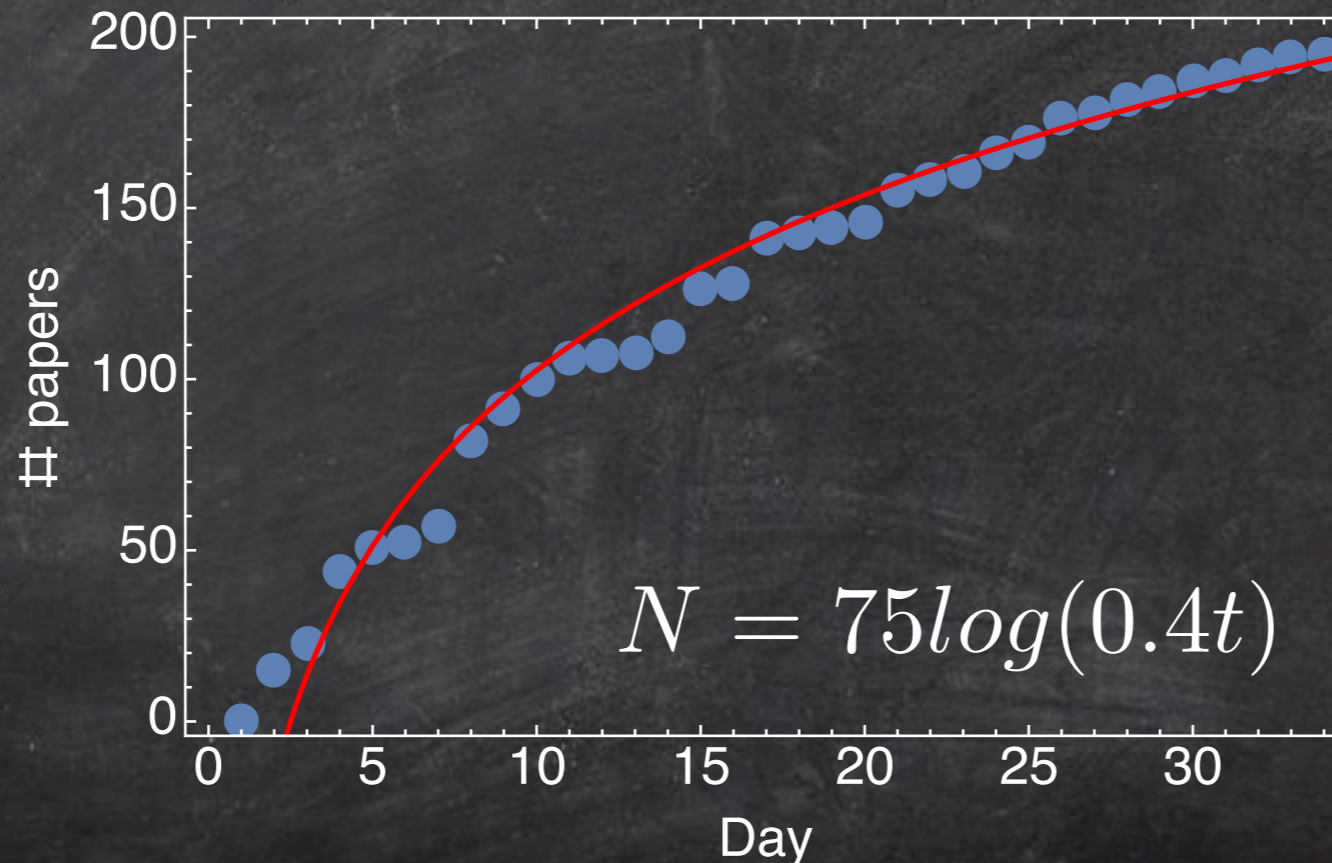
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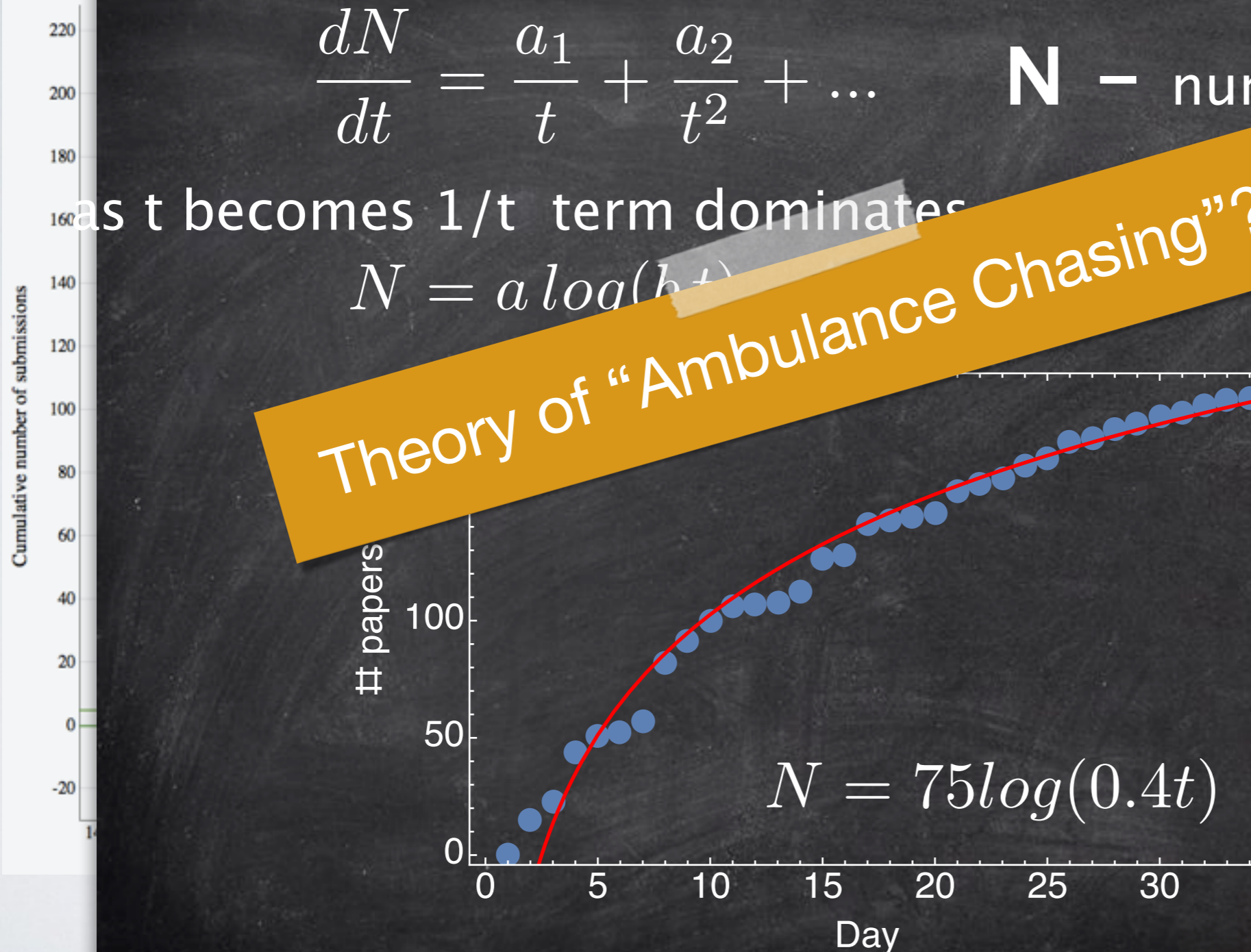
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Theory of “Ambulance Chasing”?!?



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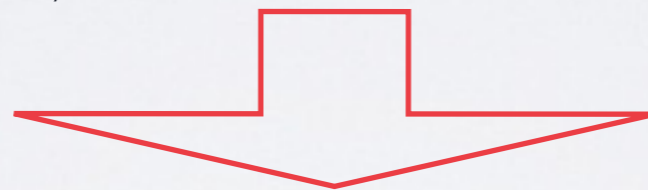


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Most of this works for pseudo-scalars as well

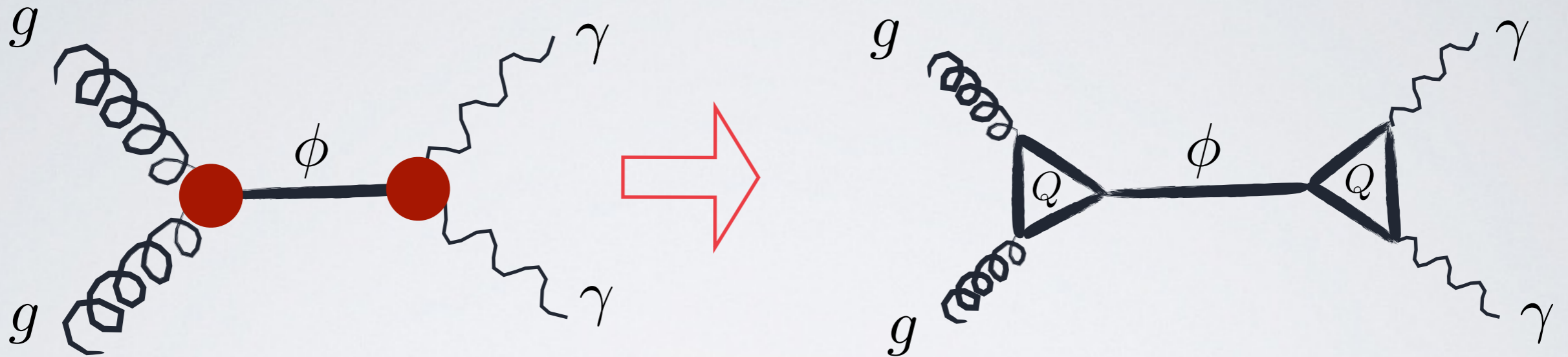
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New Vectorlike fermions

The effective coupling to gluons and photons should be fairly large ($O(1)$) to accommodate $\sigma_{\gamma\gamma} \sim 1 - 10 \text{ fb}$



- Loop-suppressed
- How many vector-like generations do you need to fit the excess?
- What kind of couplings do you need?

Issue of the total width

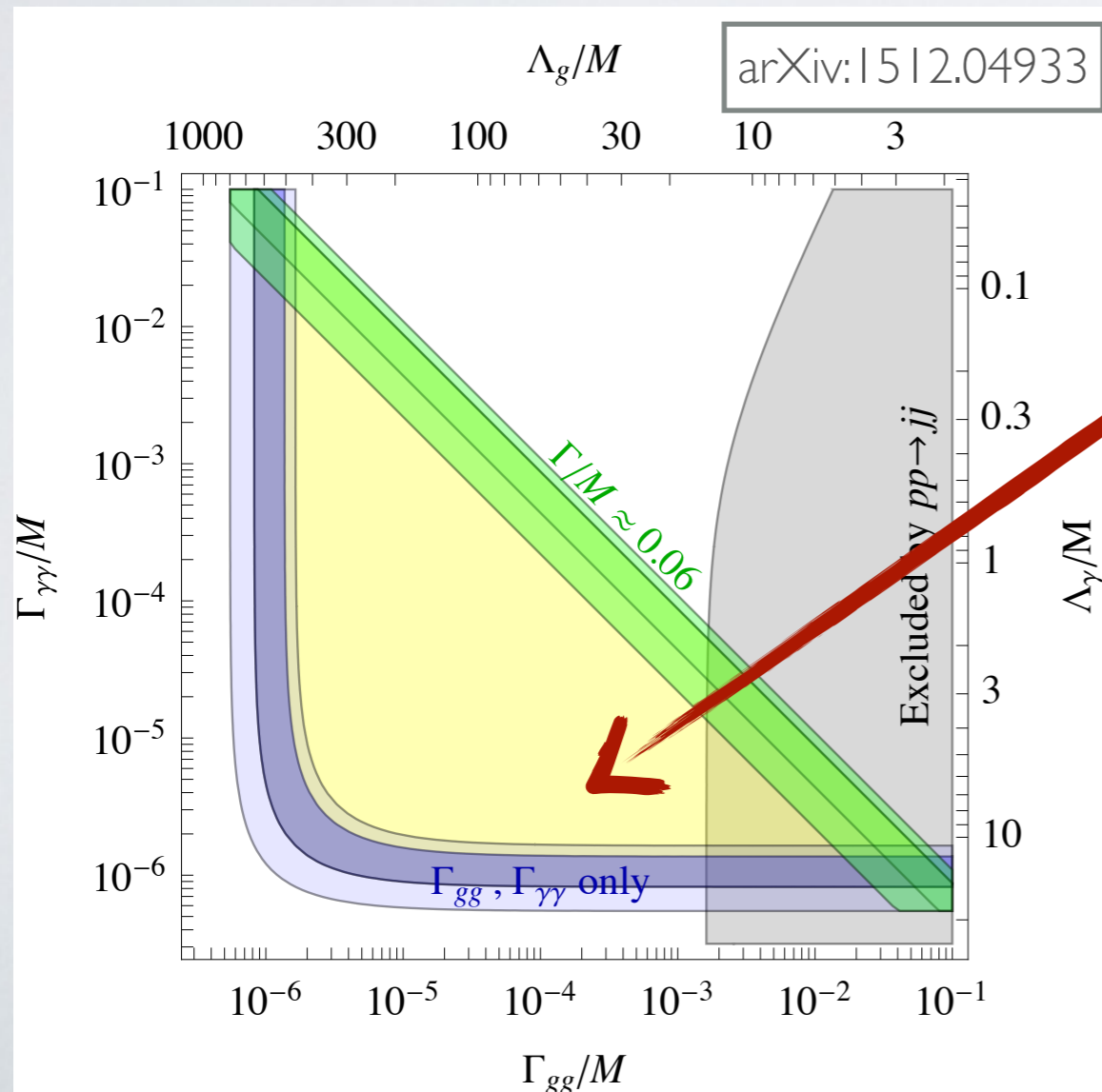
$$\Gamma[\phi \rightarrow gg] = \frac{2g_{GG}^2}{\Lambda^2} \frac{m_\phi^3}{\pi}$$

$$g_{GG} \sim \alpha_s/4\pi \times O(1)$$

similar exp. for photons

Generically difficult to boost up the couplings. **Big problem with all models.**

Narrow width ($< O(1)$ GeV)?

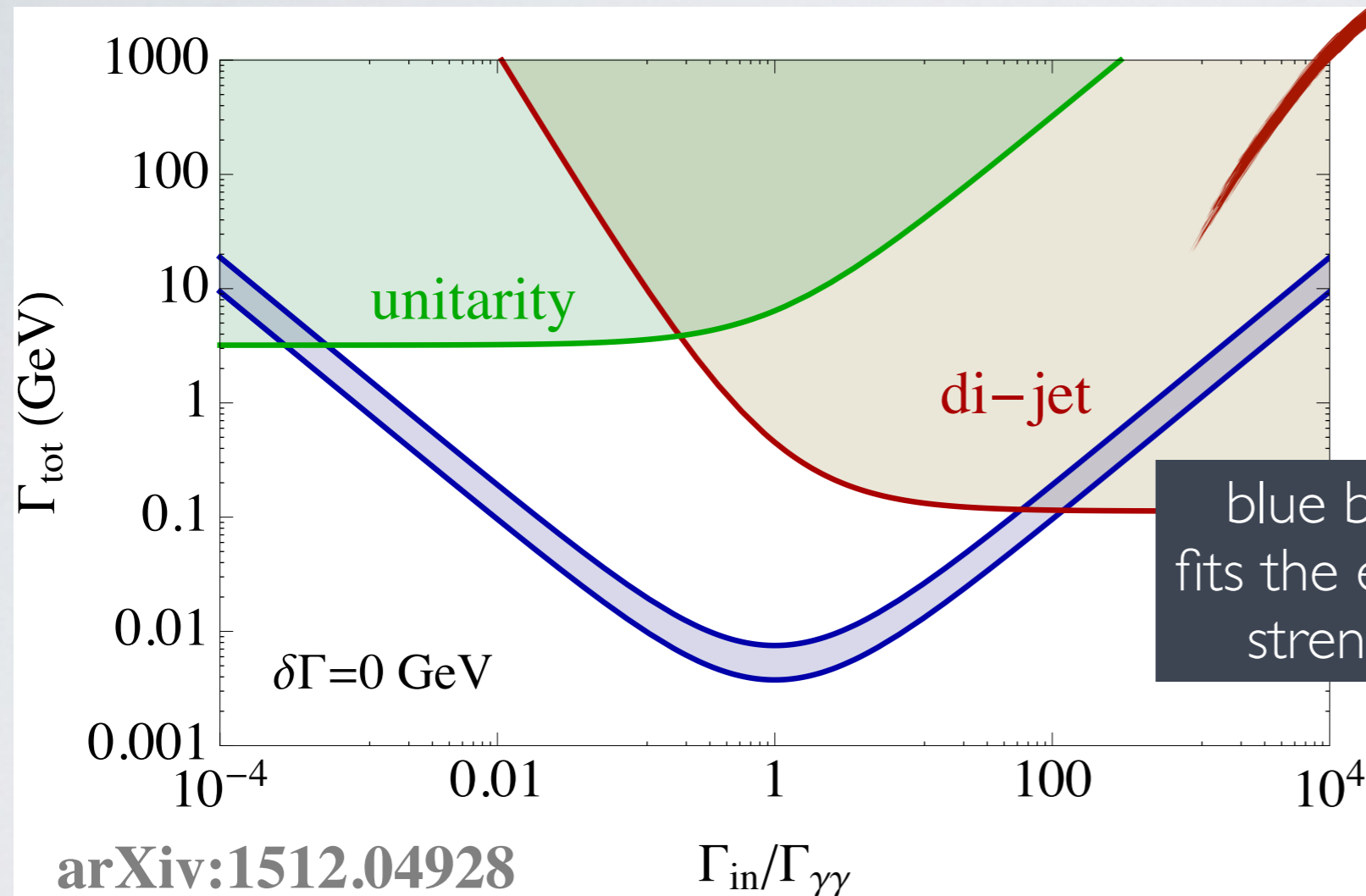


- Yellow region can fit the signal strength.
- Dark blue band can fit the signal strength assuming **only decays to photons and gluons.**

No real problems!
photons and gluons alone are
sufficient
if the width is small!

Issue of the total width

Large width ($> O(1)$ GeV)?



You can not get a width of $O(10)$ GeV that is not ruled out and fits the signal with photons and gluons only.

blue band fits the excess strength

The resonance must decay to states other than photons and gluons!

Issue of the total width

Large width ($> O(1)$ GeV)?

What else could the new resonance decay to?

We haven't observed any charged states with mass of $O(100)$ GeV...

Invisible particles?

Dark Matter?
Hidden Valleys?

Degenerate states?

Large width and DM

Add a **Dirac Fermion Dark Matter** to the minimal Lagrangian

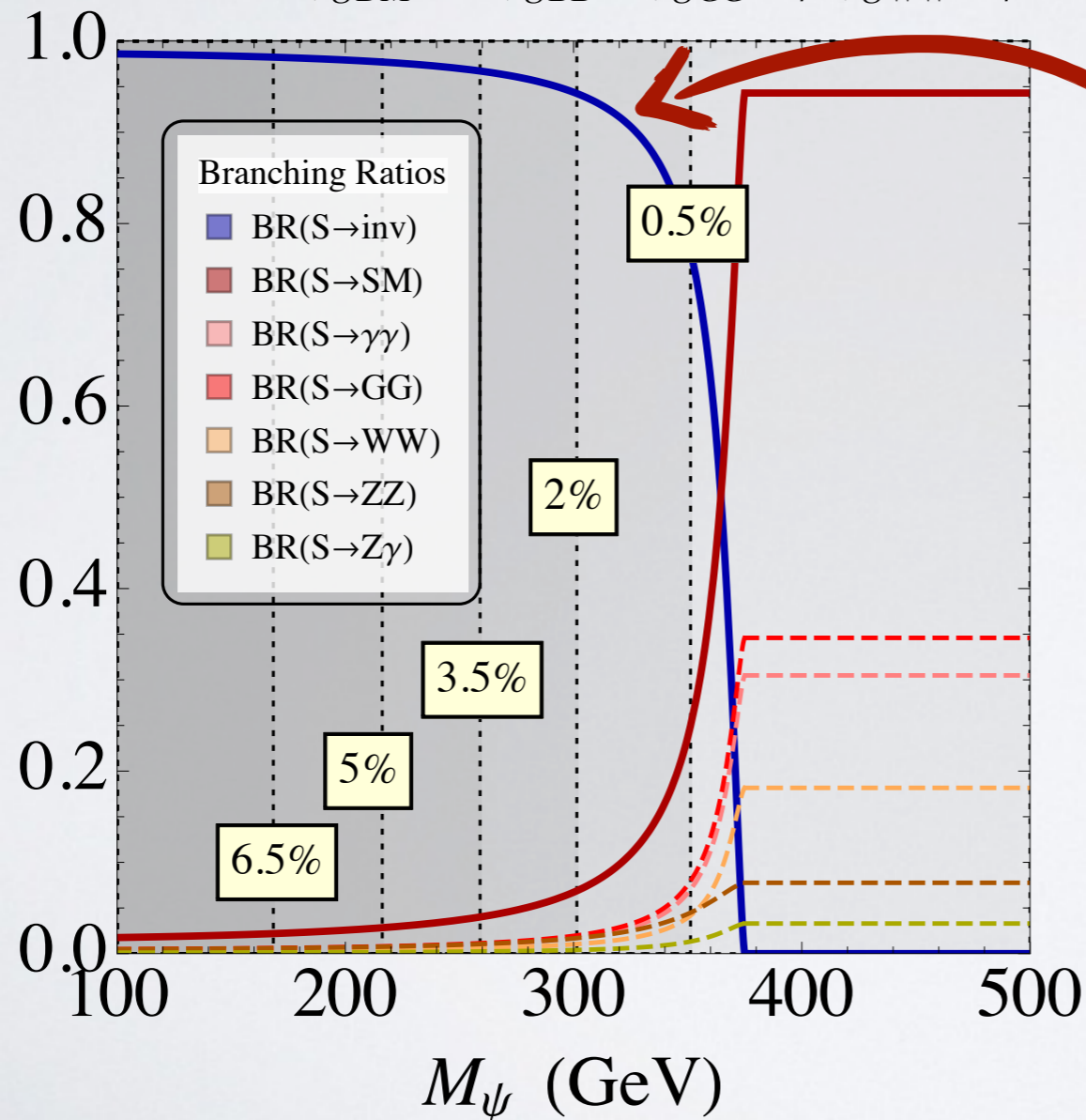
$$\mathcal{L}_{NP}^+ = \frac{1}{2}(\partial S)^2 + \frac{m_S^2}{2}S^2 + \bar{\psi}\phi\psi + (g_{DM}S + M_\psi)\bar{\psi}\psi$$

$$+ \frac{g_{GG}}{\Lambda}SG^{\mu\nu}G_{\mu\nu} + \frac{g_{WW}}{\Lambda}SW^{\mu\nu}W_{\mu\nu} + \frac{g_{BB}}{\Lambda}SB^{\mu\nu}B_{\mu\nu}$$

$S = \text{new resonance}$

arXiv:1512.04917

$\Lambda=10 \text{ TeV}, g_{DM}=1.5, g_{BB}=1, g_{GG}=1/3, g_{WW}=1/2$



Most of the width generically comes from invisible decays

Large width and DM

Signal strength

$$\frac{g_{BB} \times g_{GG}}{g_{DM}^2}$$

$$g_{DM}^2$$

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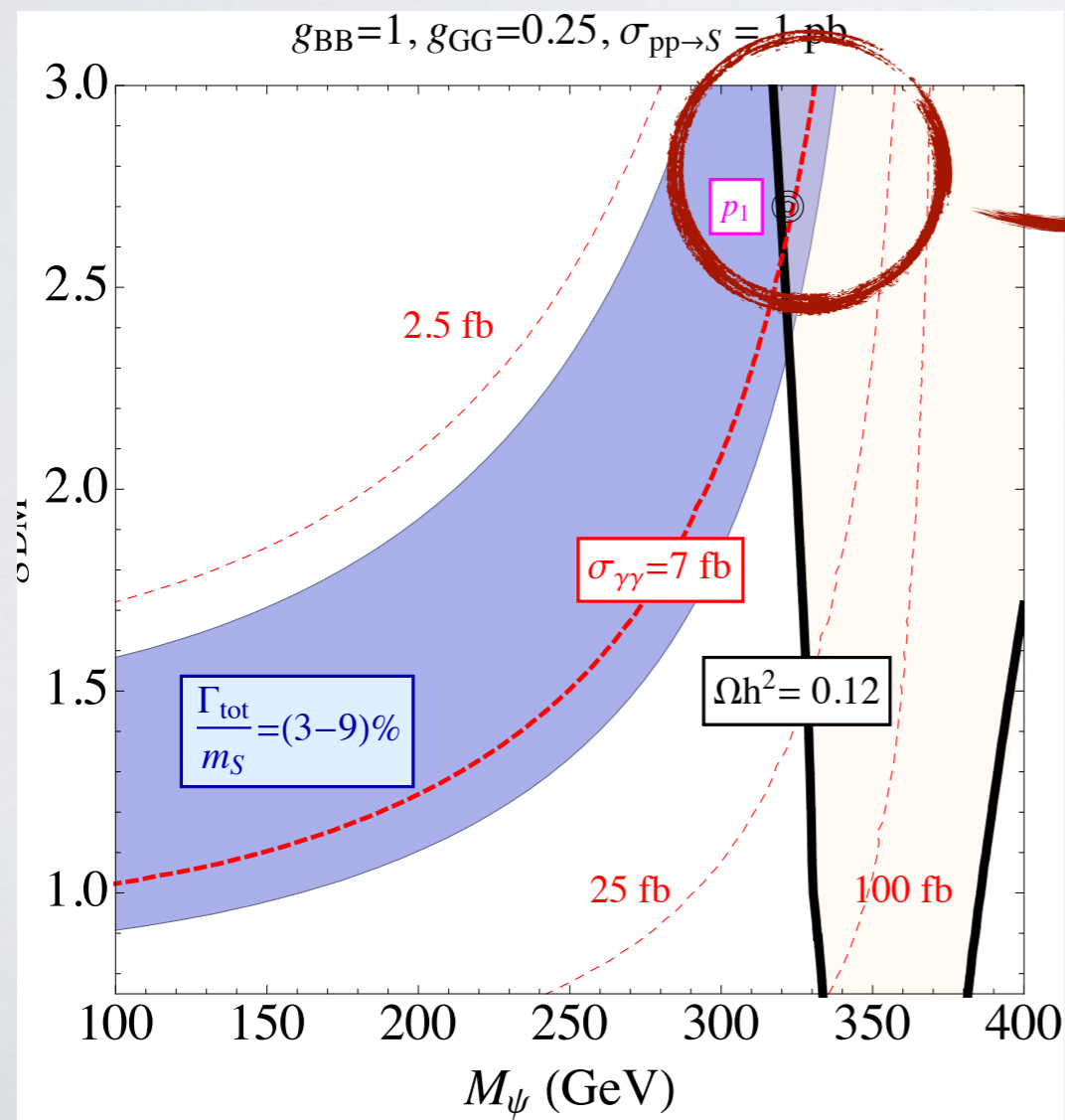
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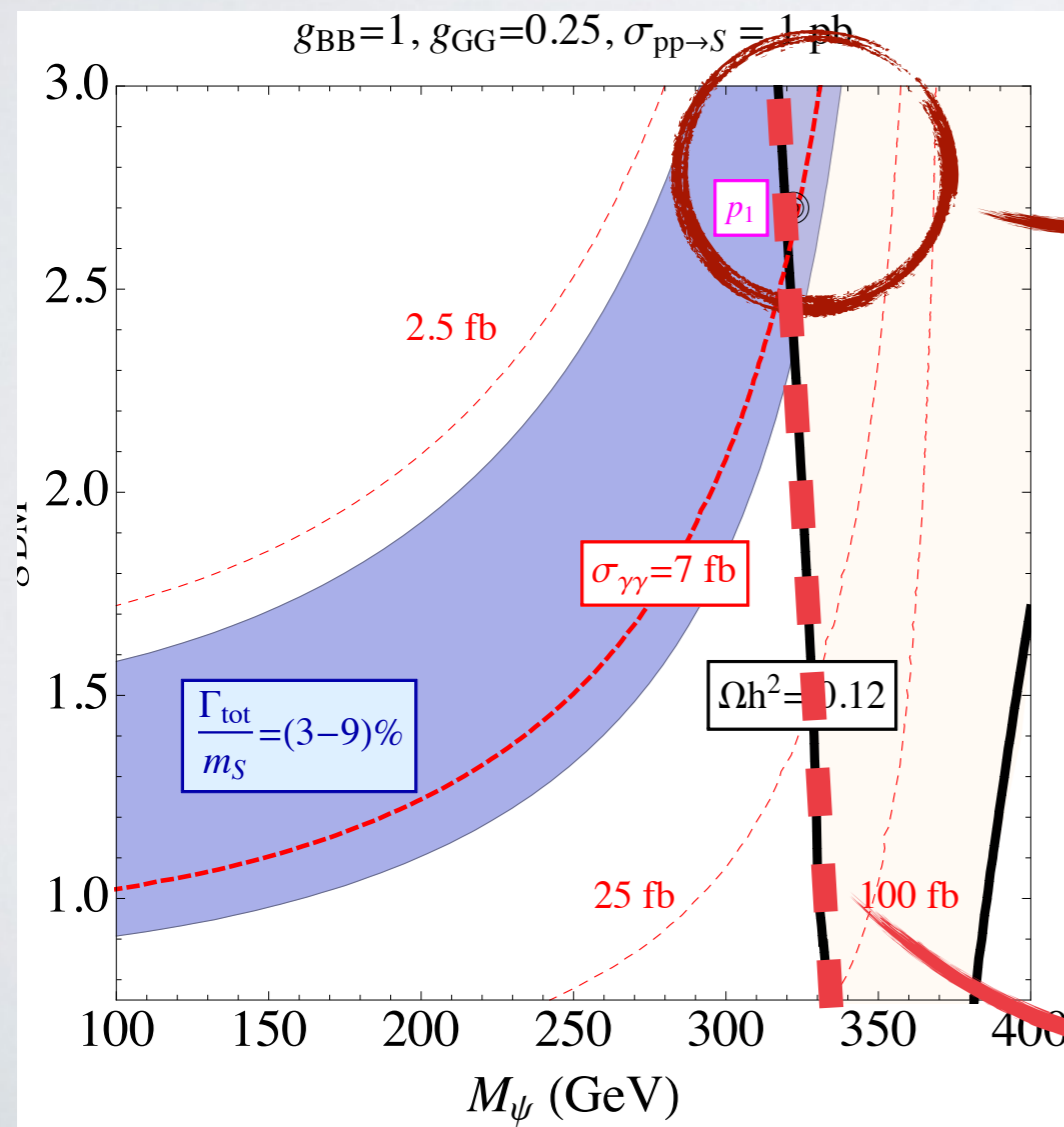
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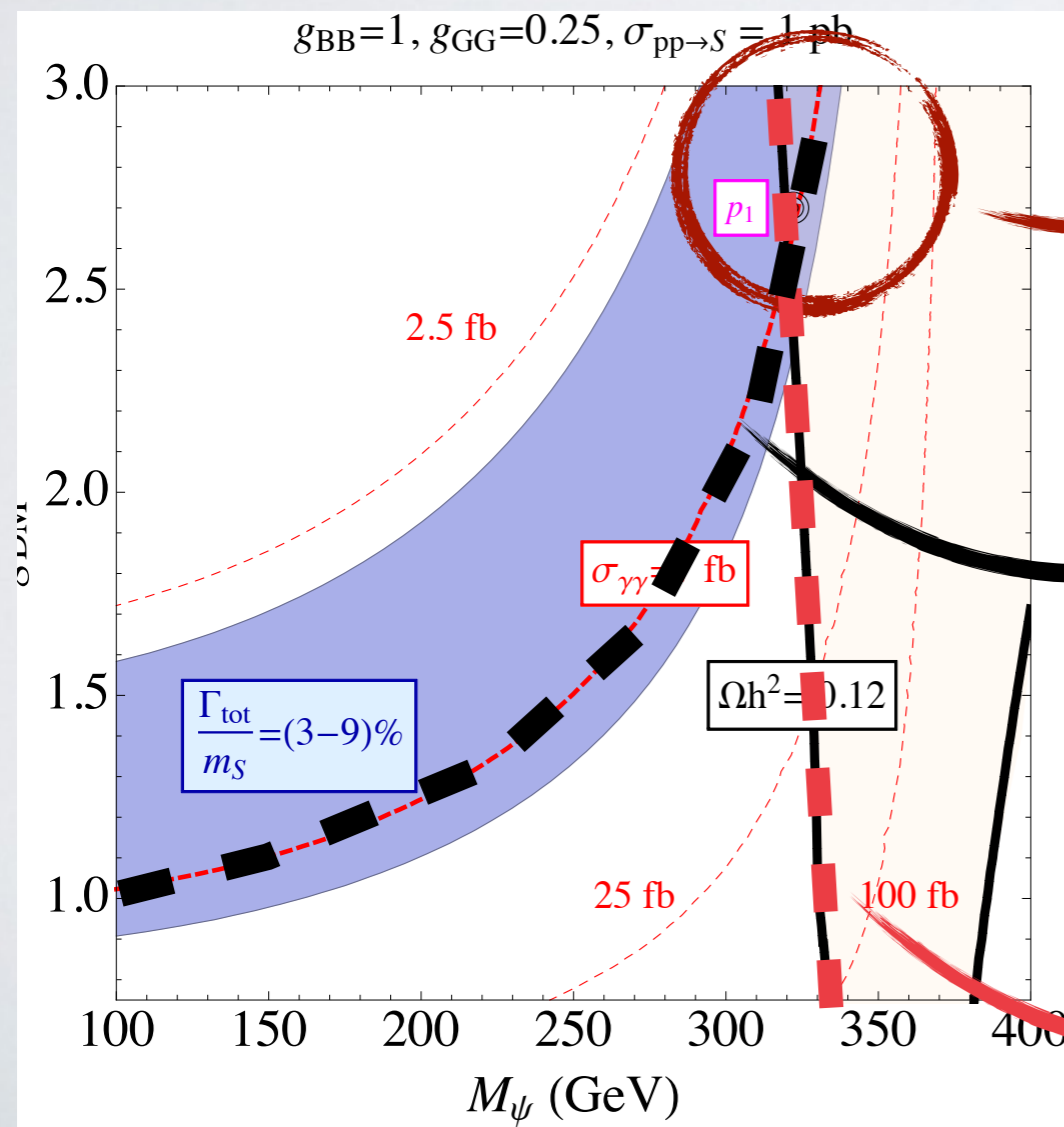
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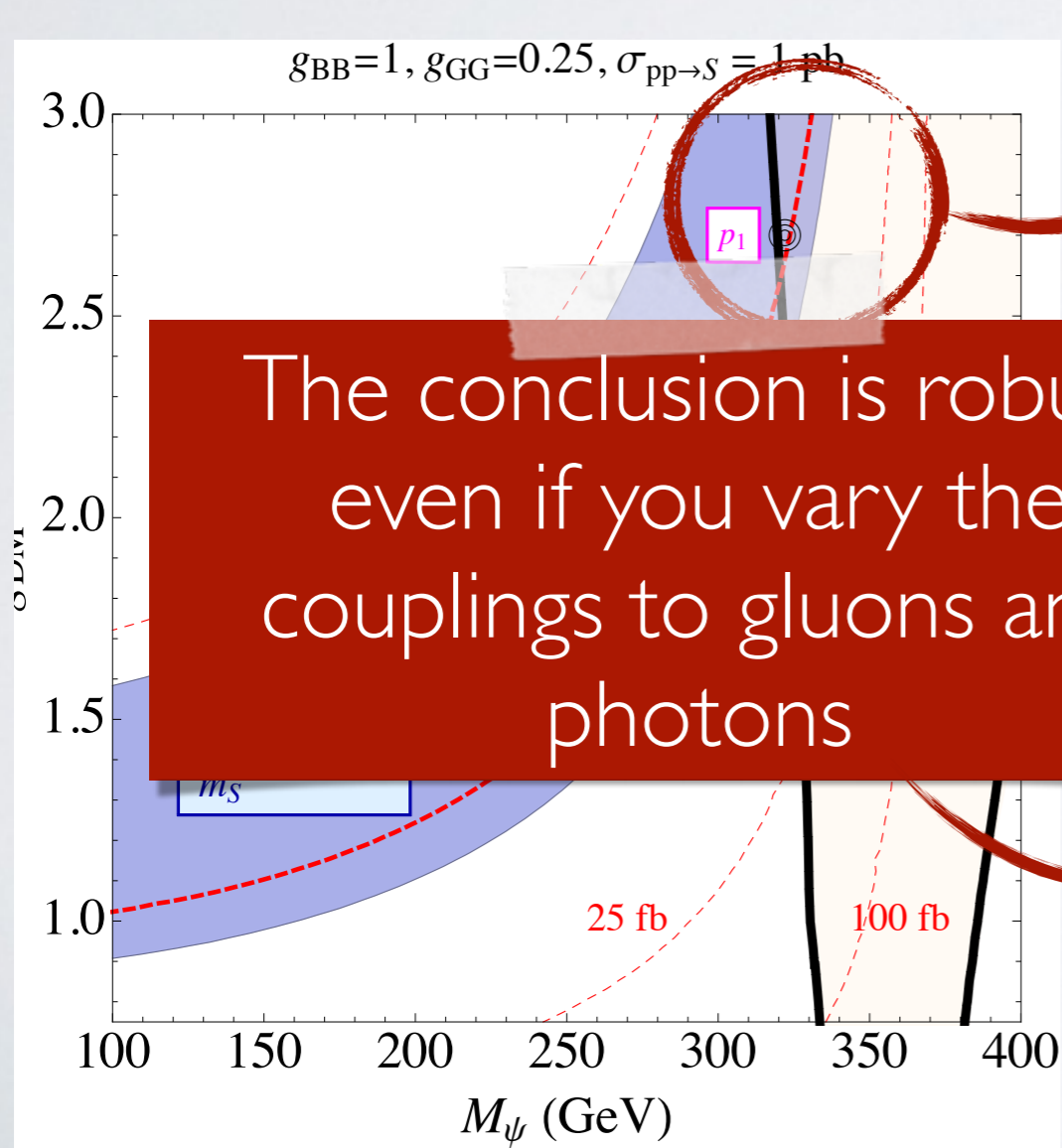
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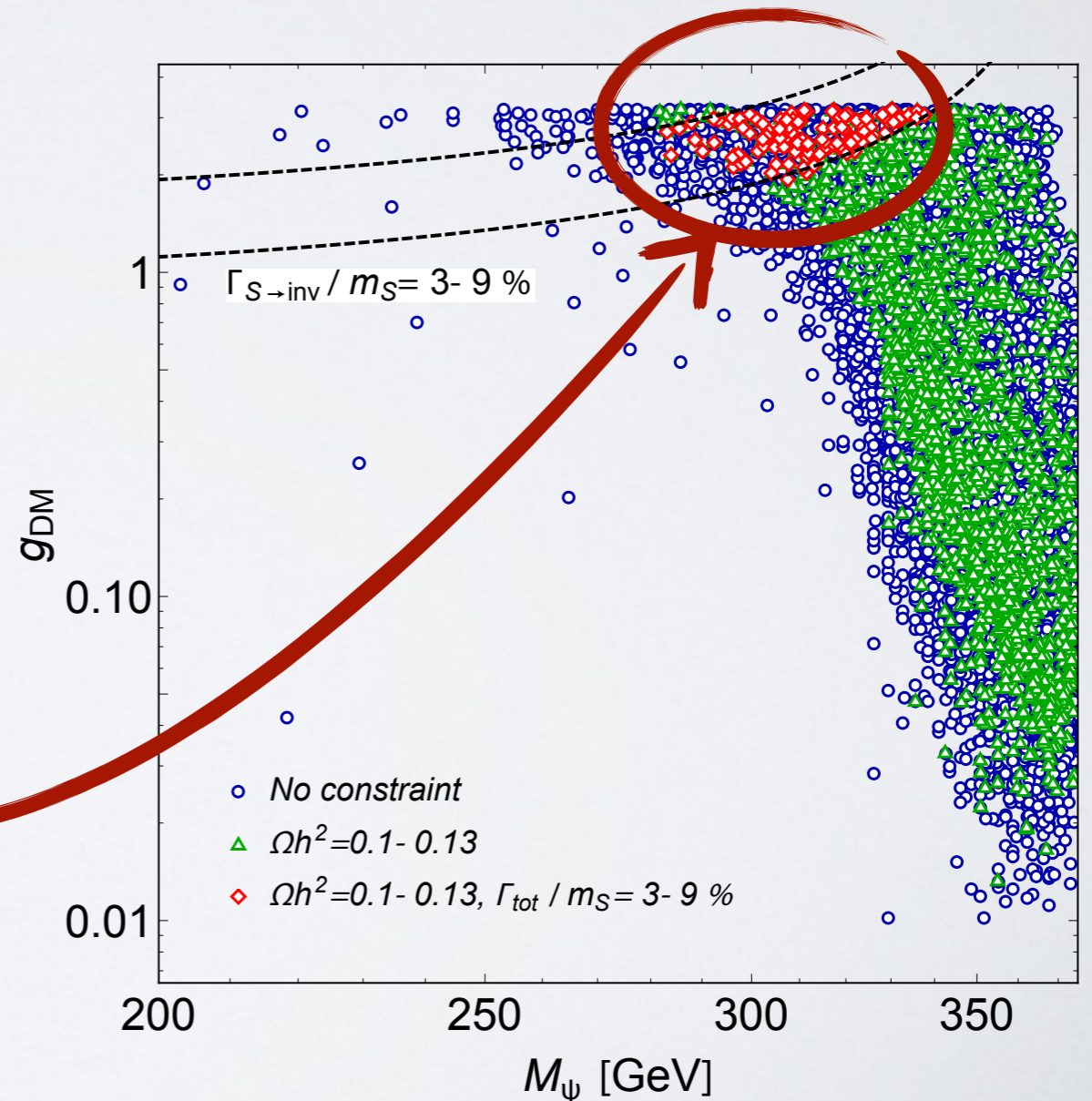
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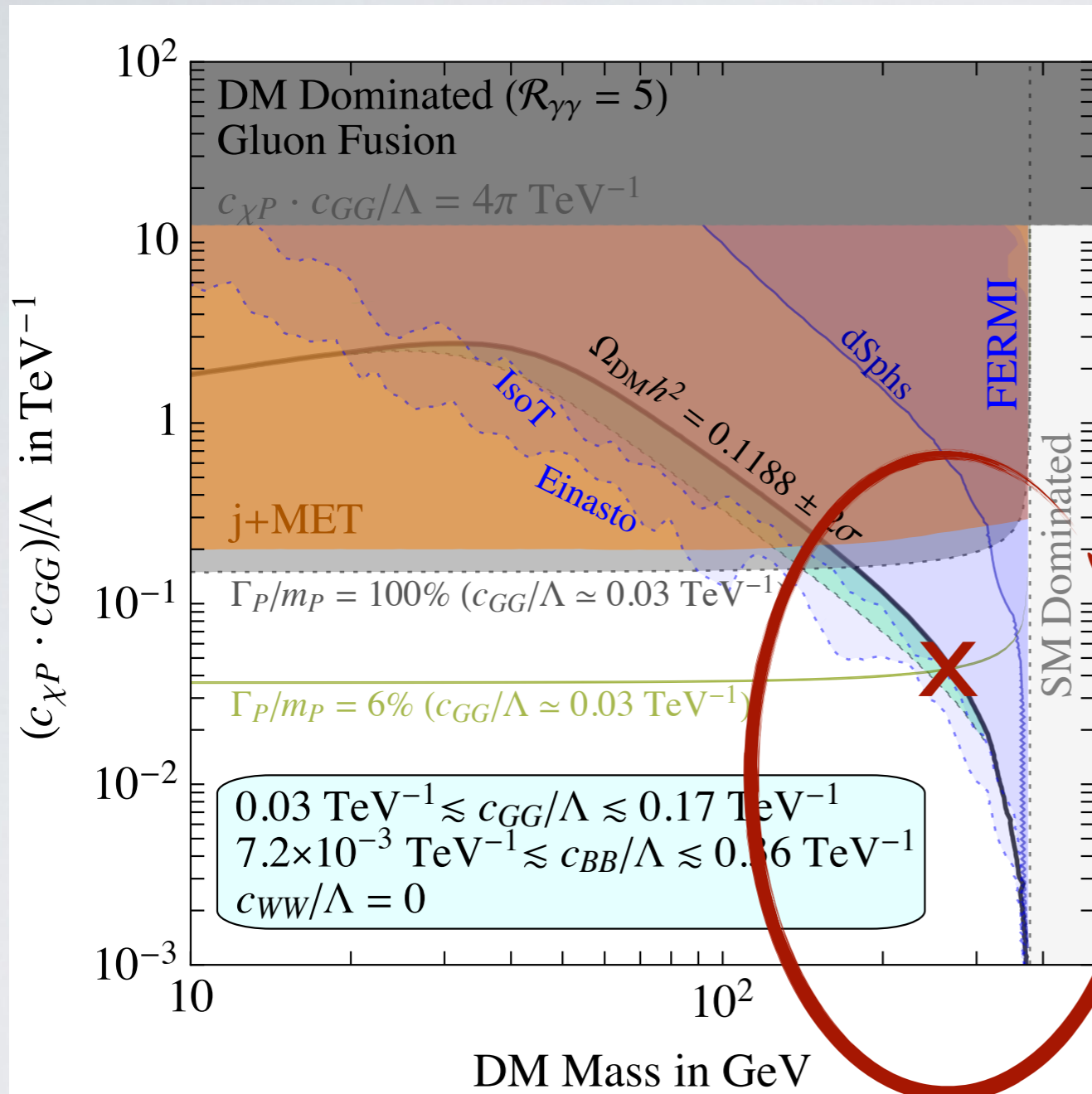


The conclusion is robust even if you vary the couplings to gluons and photons



Can the DM mediator be a pseudo-scalar ?

arXiv:1601.01571



Annihilation cross section of two **Dirac fermions** via a pseudo scalar **not velocity suppressed!**

More susceptible to the limits from Indirect Detection (ID)

Requiring correct relic density and the large width is ruled out.

It might be possible to be consistent with ID bounds, either by requiring under-abundant DM or by changing the coupling to the W...


If the di-photon signal is indeed real...
... and the large width is explained by
Dirac fermion DM ...

... a signal consistent with a 750 GeV DM mediator
and 300 GeV DM with $O(1)$ couplings
should appear in the MET+j channel

... and a signal consistent with ~ 300 GeV DM
particle should appear in direct detection

Is the prediction reasonable?

example points which give
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benchmark	(g_{GG}, g_{BB})	g_{DM}	M_ψ (GeV)	Γ_{tot} (GeV)	$\sigma_{\gamma\gamma}$ (fb) at 13TeV	Ωh^2
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Predictions

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	< 3.5 fb	< 6 fb	< 2 fb	$< 10^3$ fb	$< 10^{-28} \frac{\text{cm}^3}{\text{s}}$	$< 4 \times 10^{-45} \text{cm}^2$
p_1	0.86	3.7	1.4	1.3	$3.9 \cdot 10^{-32}$	$6.9 \cdot 10^{-46}$
p_2	3.6	3.5	6.0	1.4	$5.5 \cdot 10^{-32}$	$4.6 \cdot 10^{-46}$
p_3	0.3	1.2	0.48	0.14	$4.1 \cdot 10^{-32}$	$2.3 \cdot 10^{-46}$
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Constraints



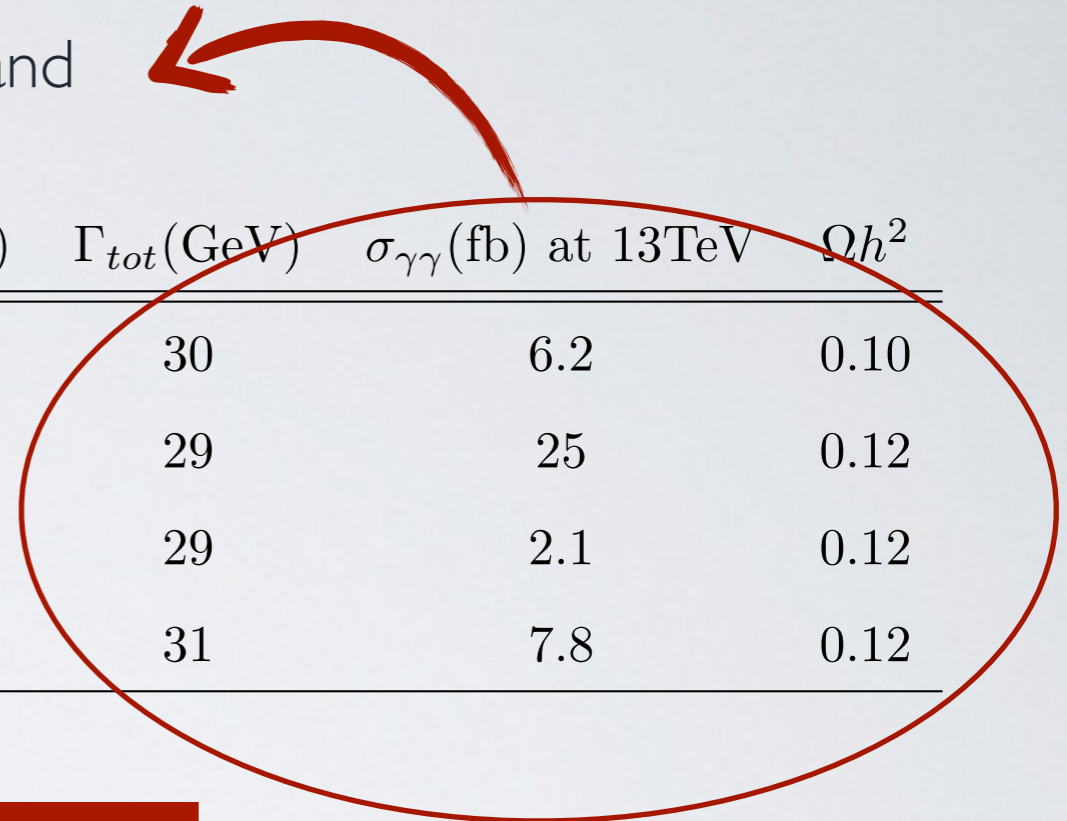
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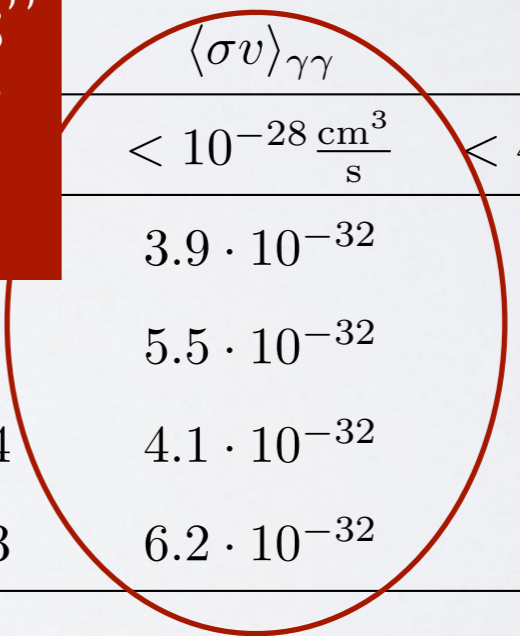
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Indirect detection "favors" pure scalars because of p -wave suppression

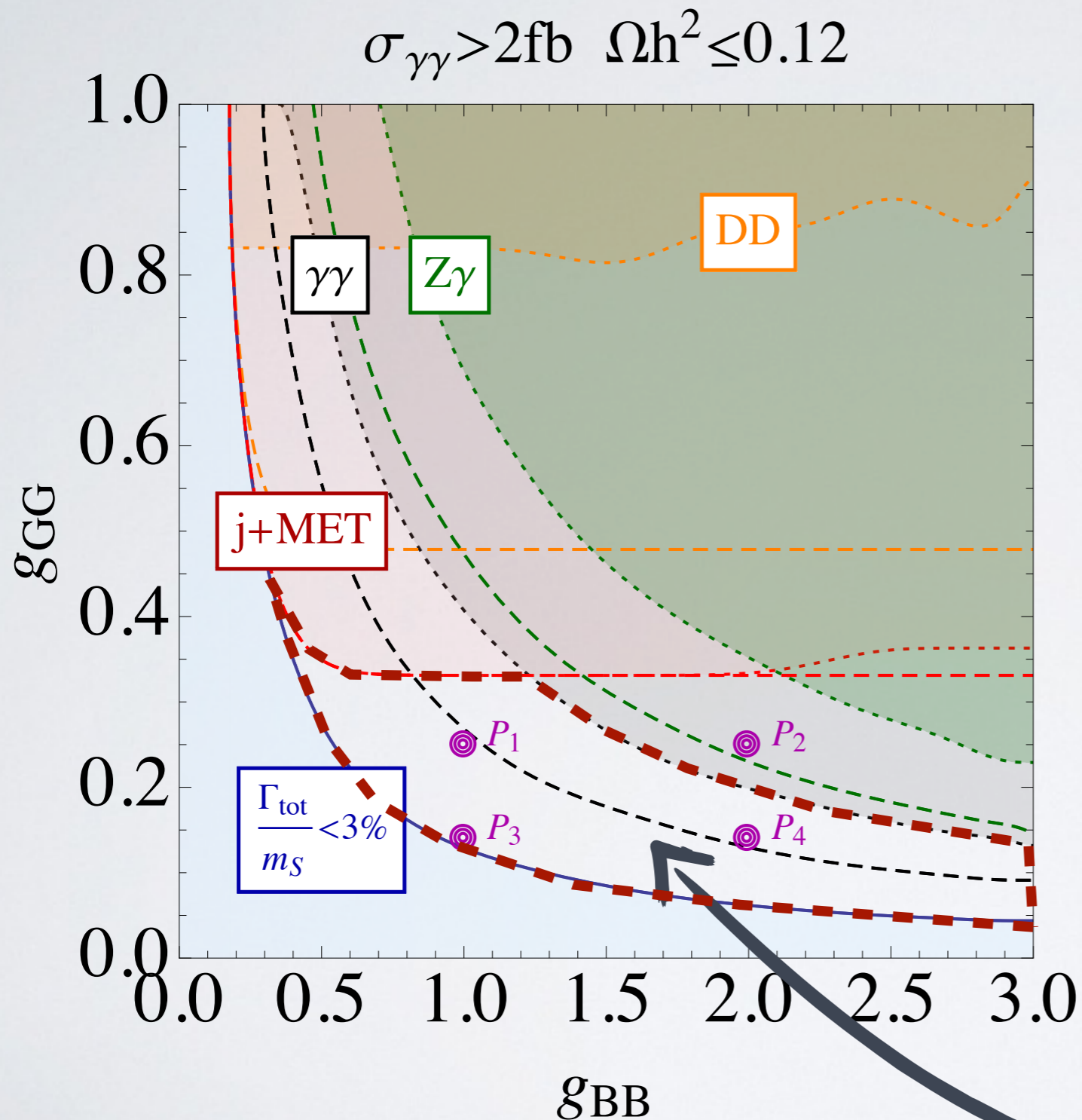
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4-dimensional par. space
projected onto g_{GG} and g_{BB}

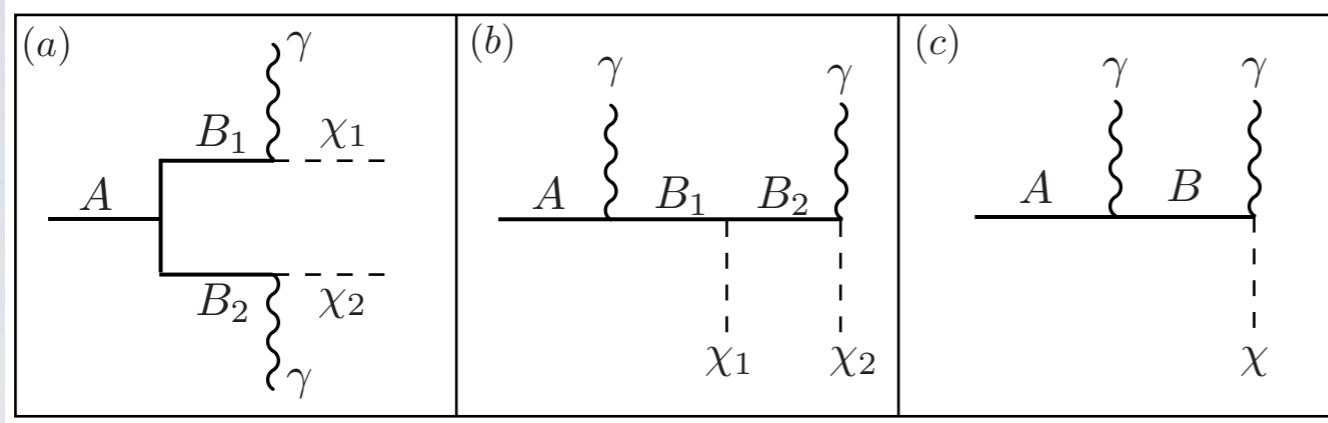
Dashed/dotted curves
represent the
strongest/weakest bounds
(depending on the values of
DM mass and coupling)

Allowed parameter
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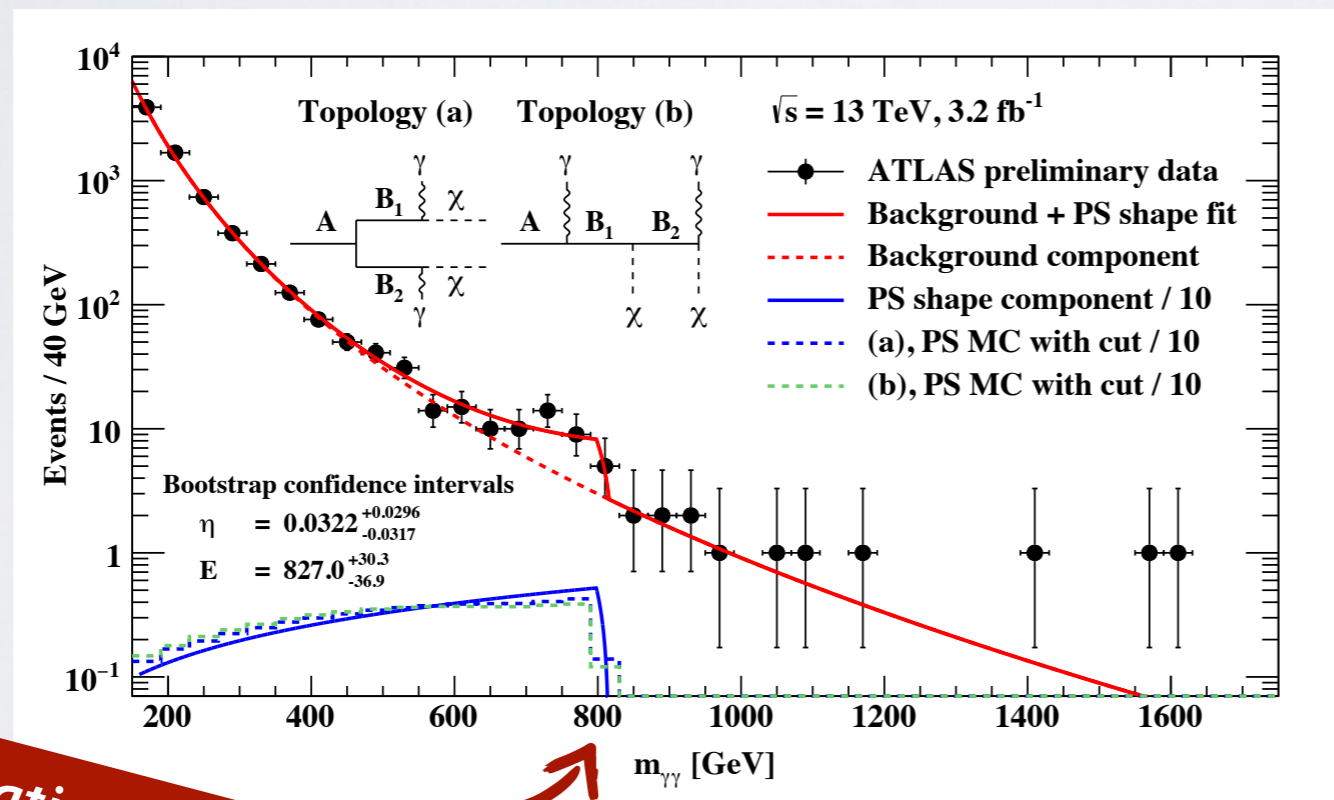
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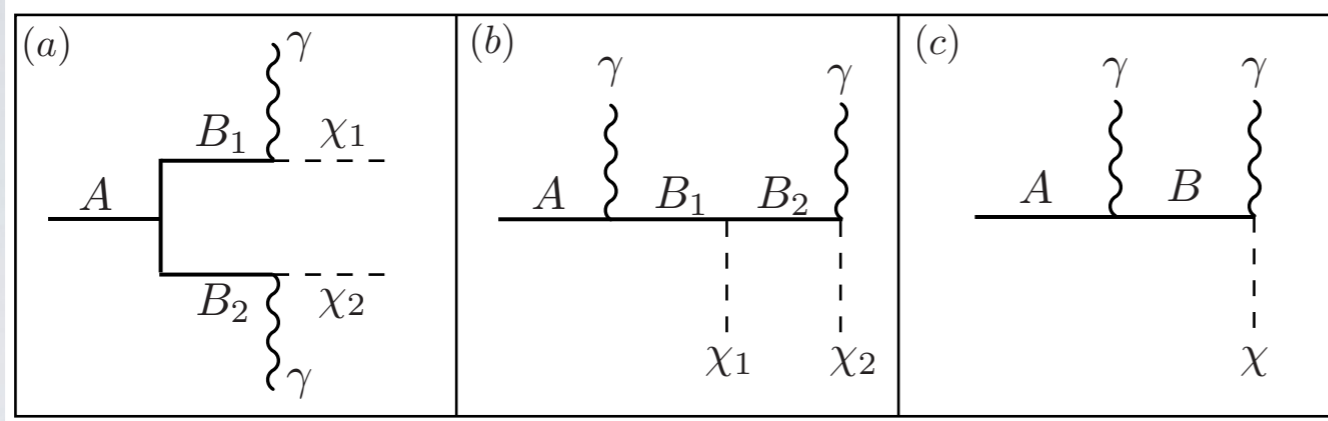


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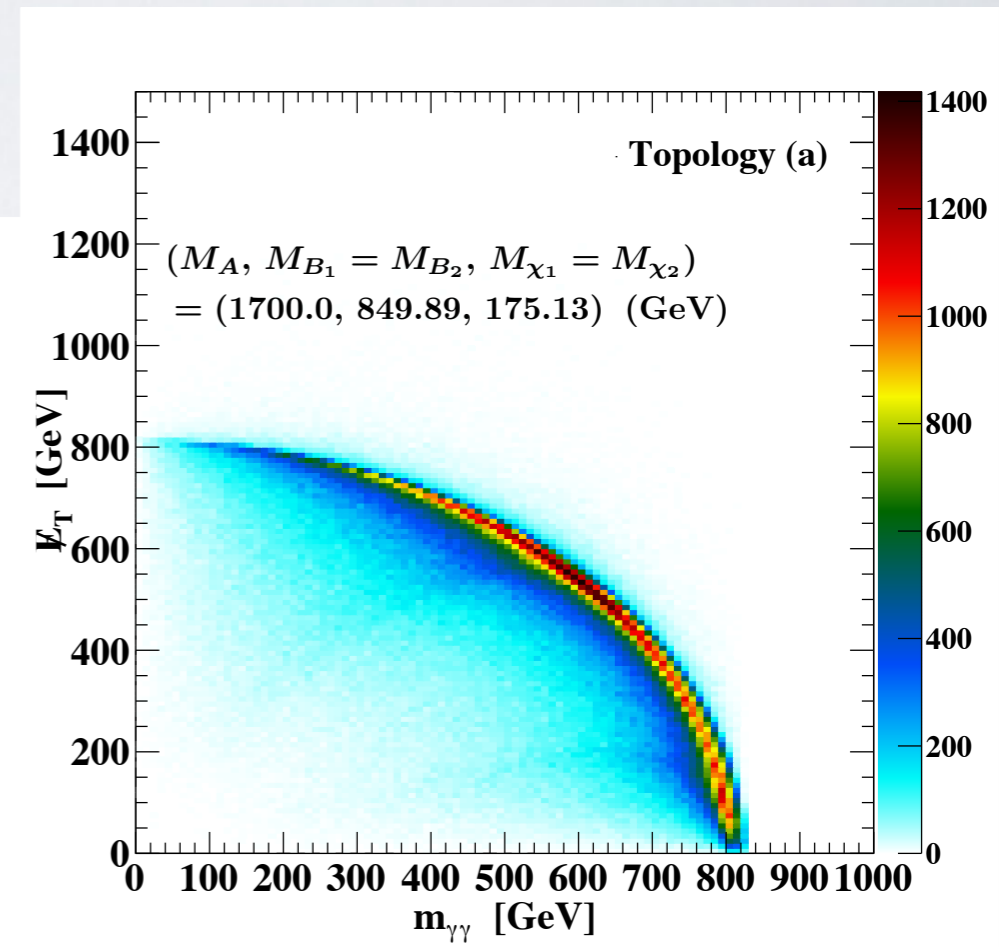
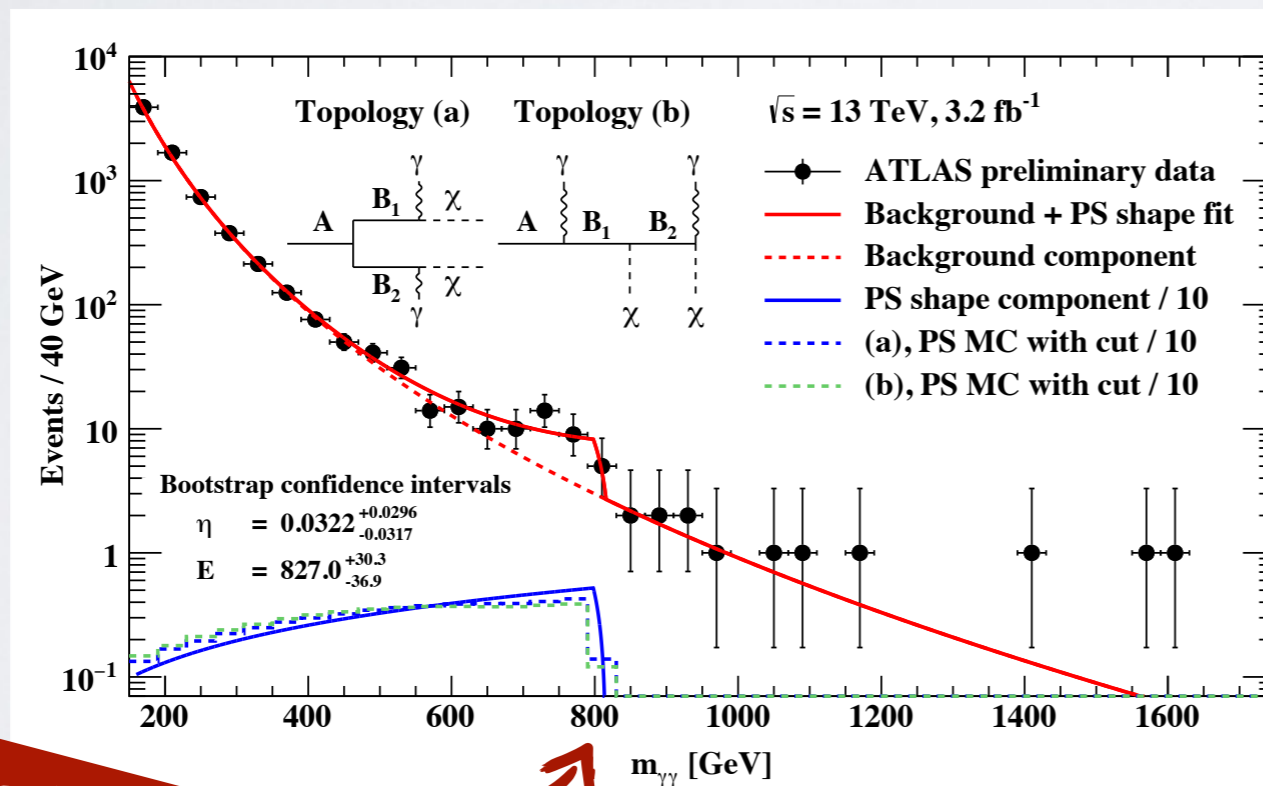
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