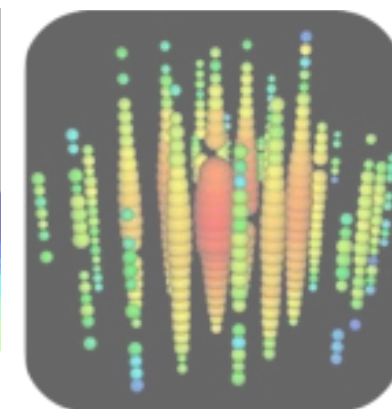
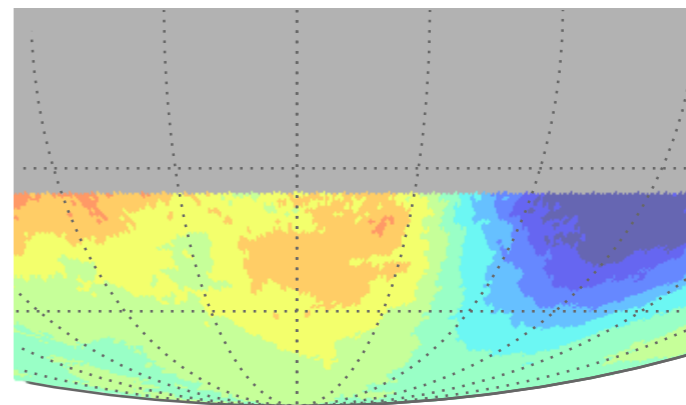




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# Cosmic Ray (and Neutrino) Astrophysics with the IceCube Observatory

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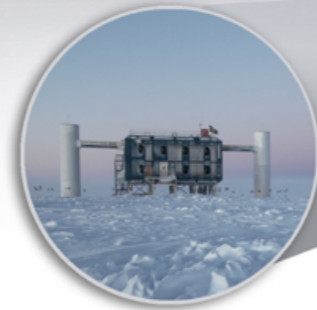
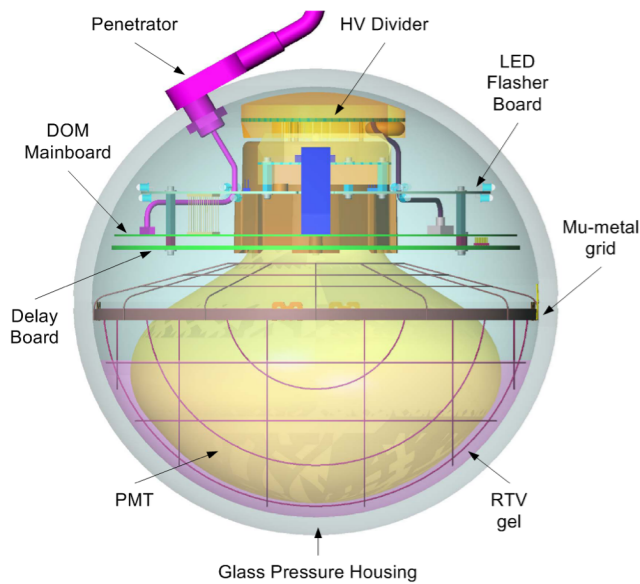
# IceCube Observatory

## the instrumentation



Digital Optical Module (DOM)

with 10" PMT & local DAQ electronics



**IceCube Laboratory**  
Data is collected here and sent by satellite to the data warehouse at UW-Madison



**Digital Optical Module (DOM)**  
5,160 DOMs deployed in the ice

50 m

Ice Top

1450 m

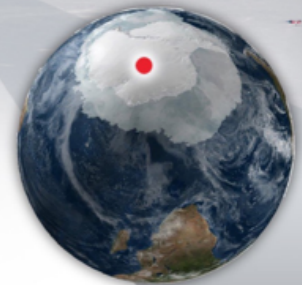
86 strings of DOMs, set 125 meters apart

2450 m

IceCube detector

DeepCore

Antarctic bedrock



**Amundsen-Scott South Pole Station, Antarctica**  
A National Science Foundation-managed research facility

60 DOMs on each string

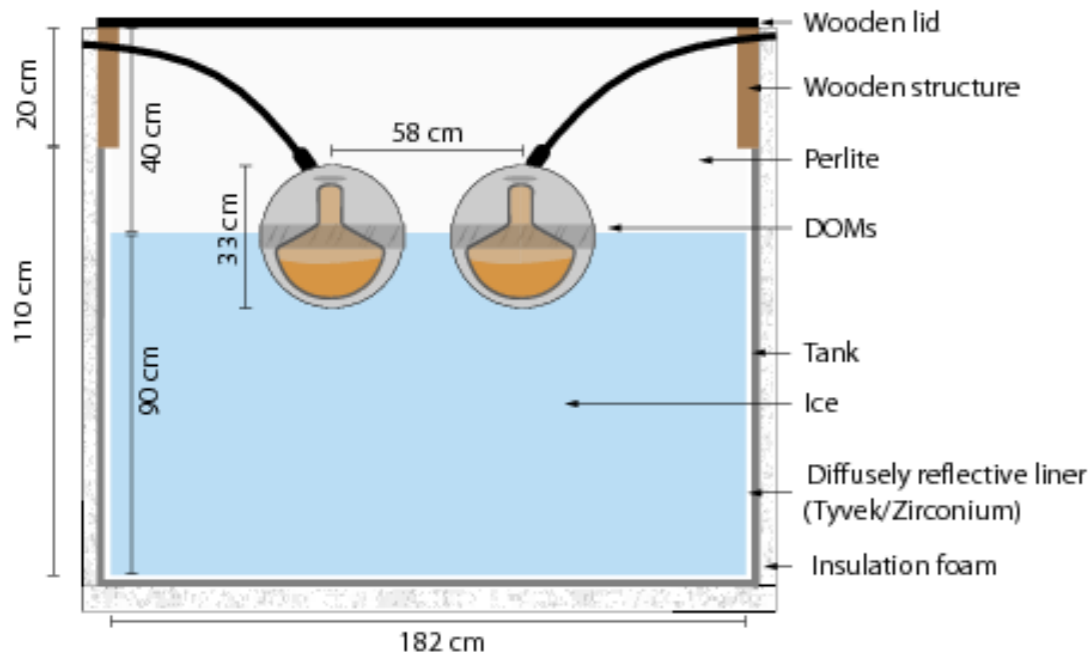
DOMs are 17 meters apart



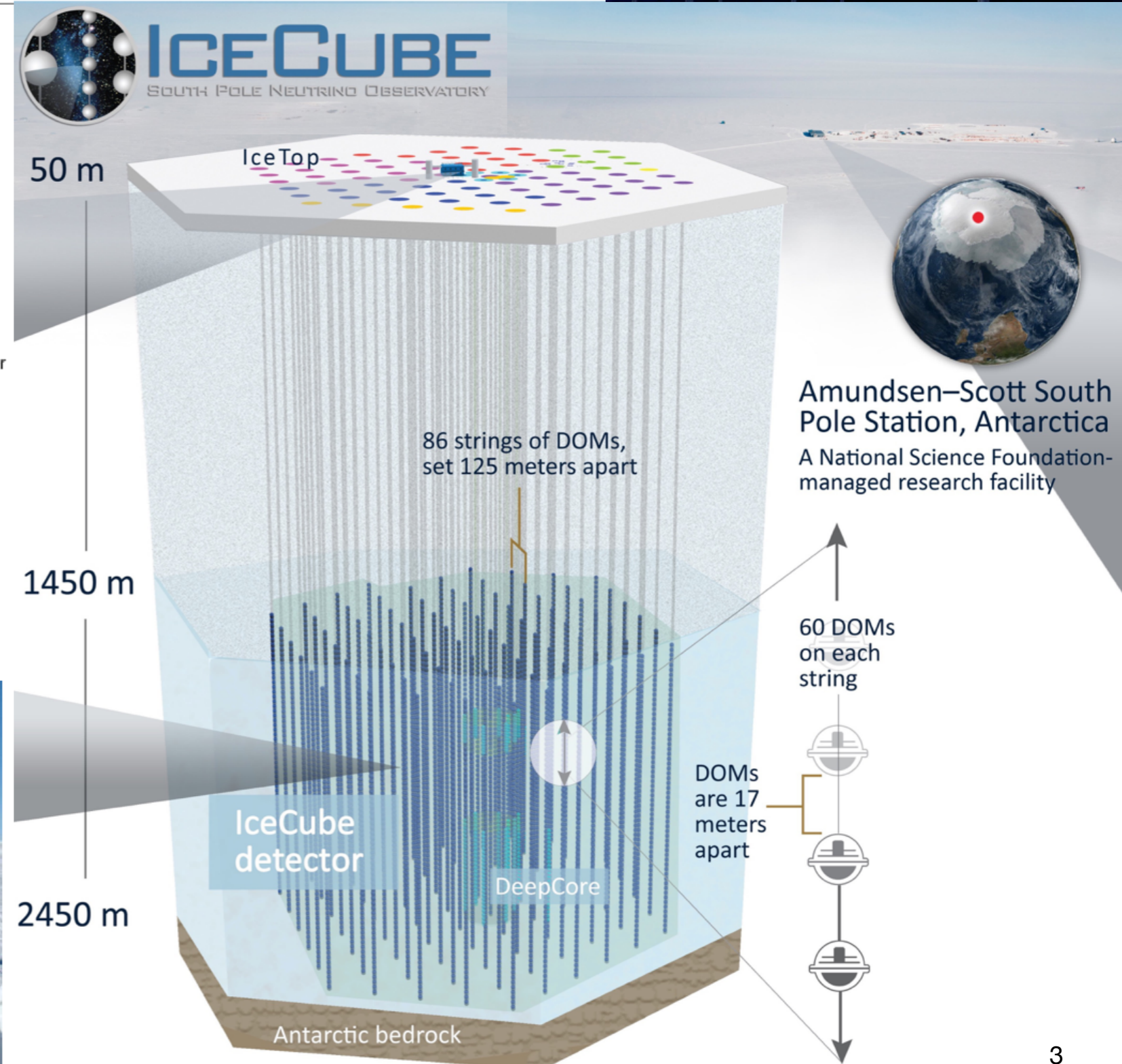
# IceCube Observatory

## the instrumentation

# KM<sup>3</sup> OBSERVATORY

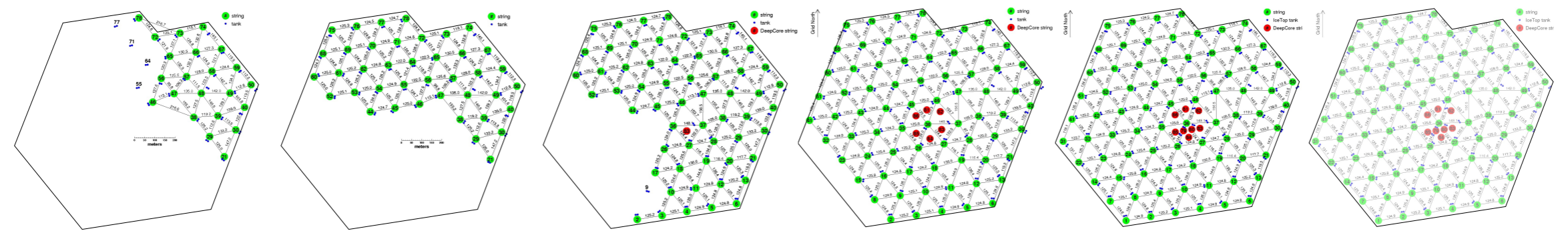
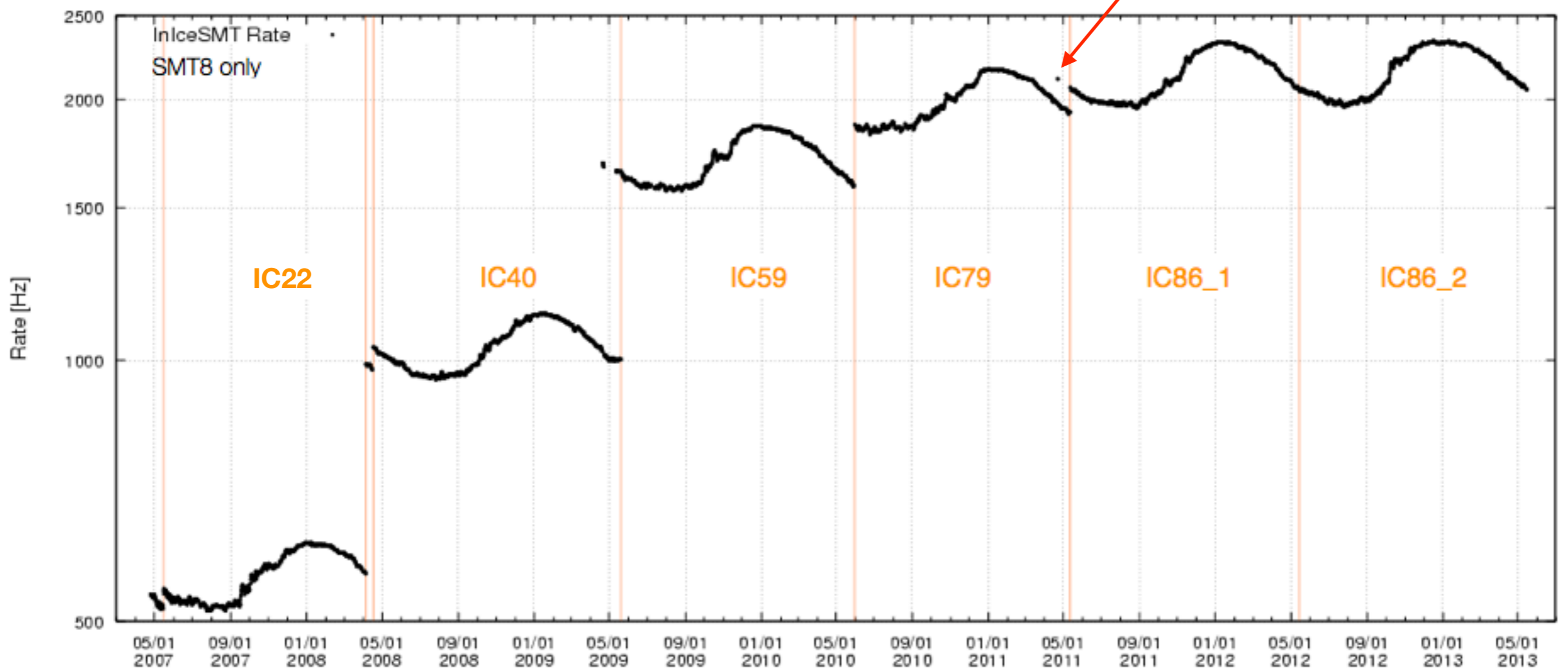


two tanks of one IceTop station



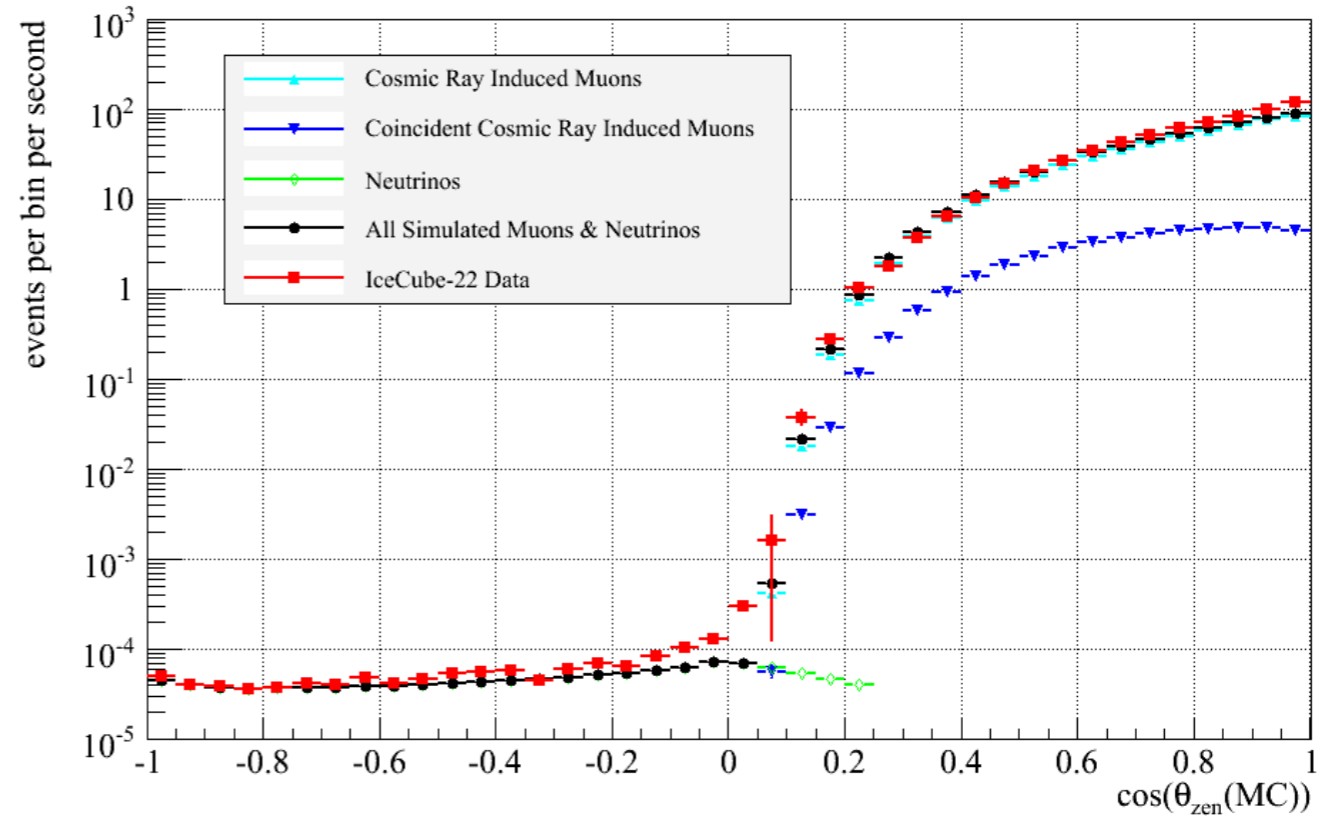
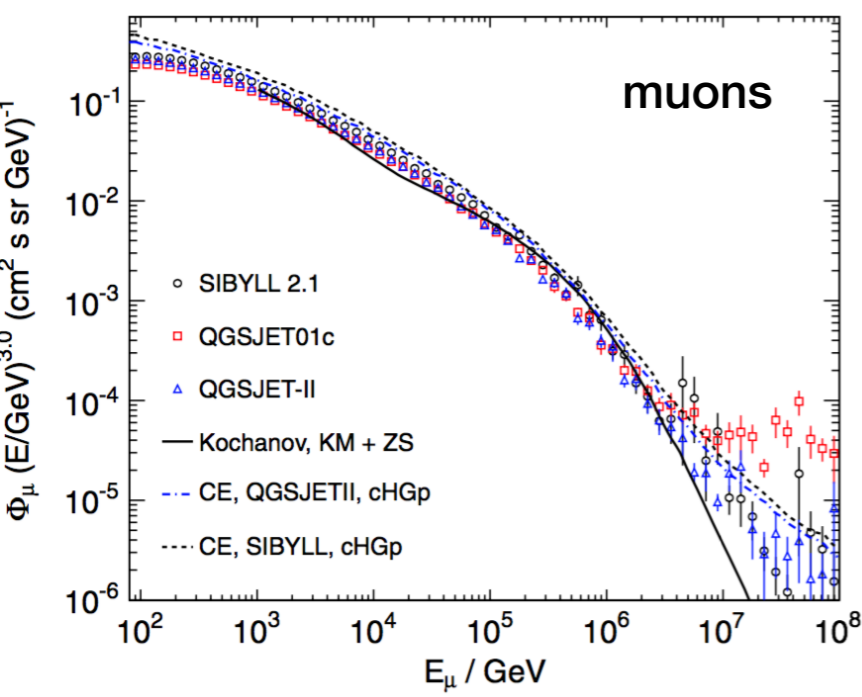
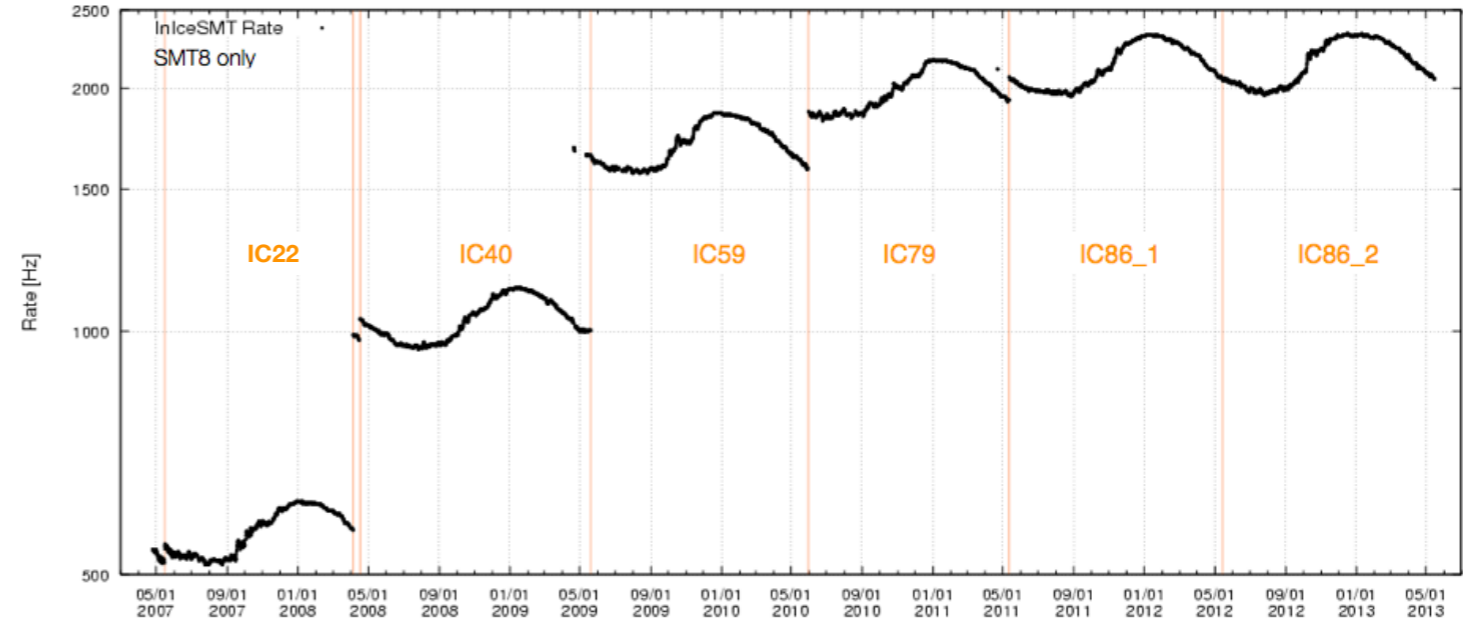
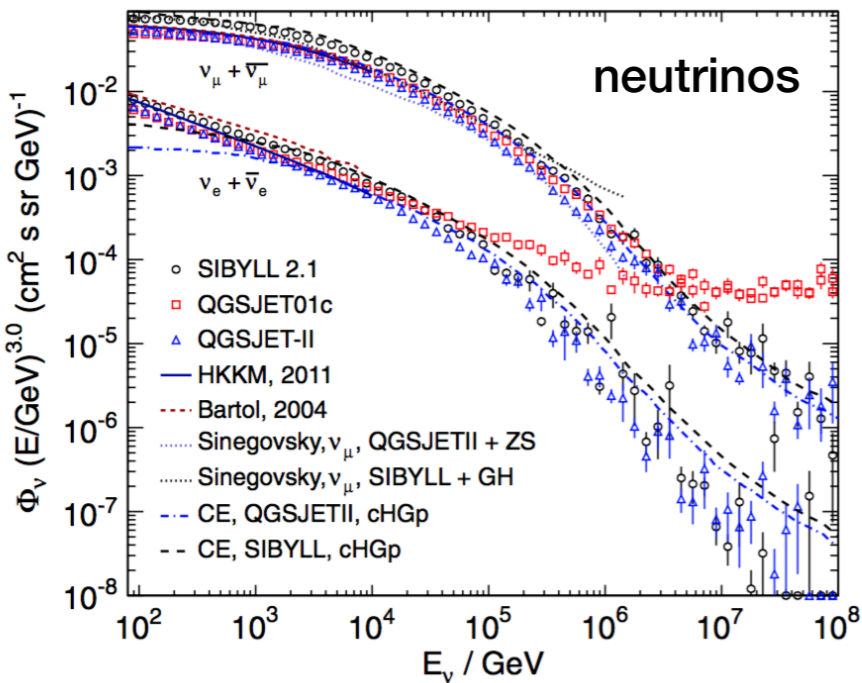
# event rate in IceCube growing experiment

IceCube completed  
December 18, 2010



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# cosmic ray muons and neutrinos



Fedynitch, Becker Tjus, PD, PRD 86, 114024

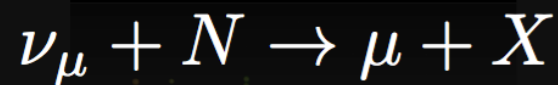
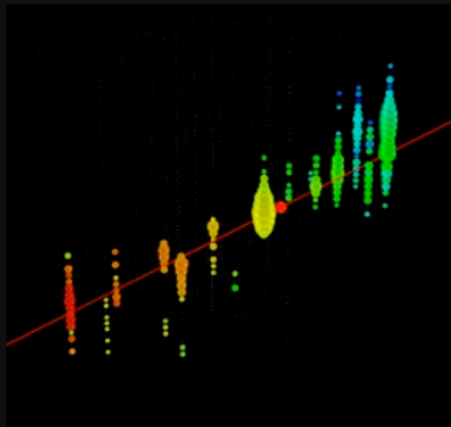
# neutrino detection

## event topologies

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### track

#### CC Muon Neutrino

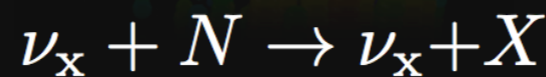
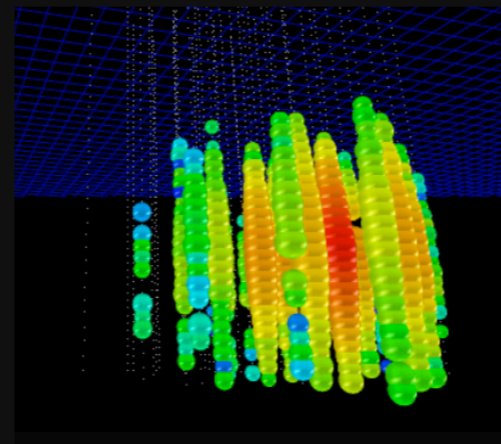


track (data)

factor of  $\approx 2$  energy resolution  
 $< 1^{\circ}$  angular resolution

### cascade

#### Neutral Current /Electron Neutrino

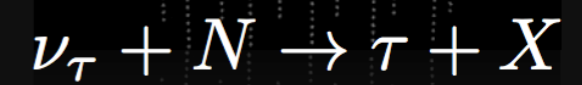
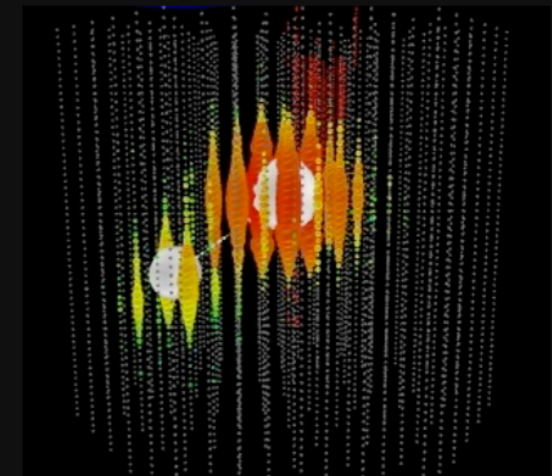


cascade (data)

$\approx \pm 15\%$  deposited energy resolution  
 $\approx 10^{\circ}$  angular resolution  
 (at energies  $\gtrsim 100$  TeV)

### hybrid

#### CC Tau Neutrino



“double-bang” and other signatures  
 (simulation)

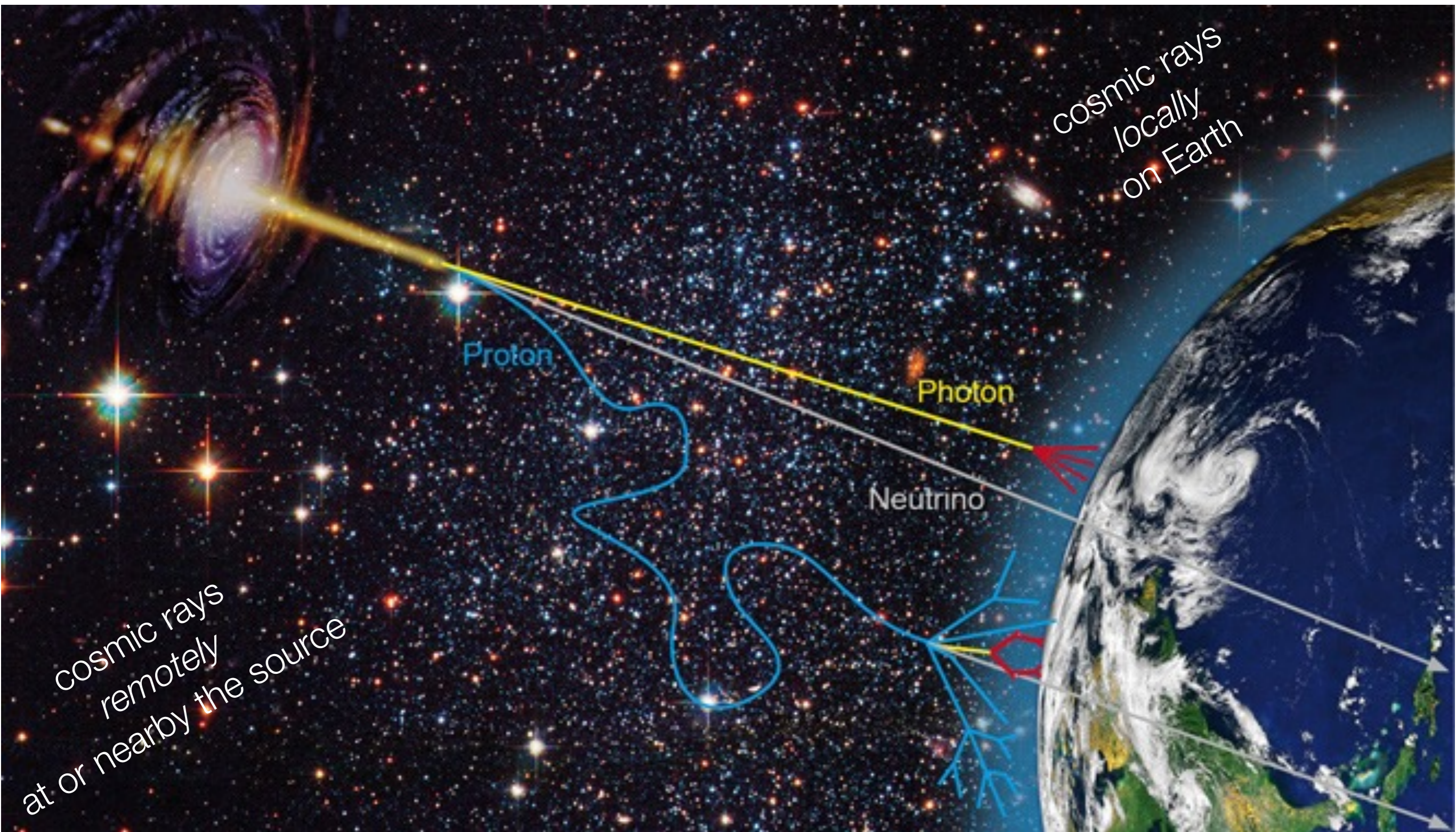
(not observed yet)

C. Kopper

# cosmic rays

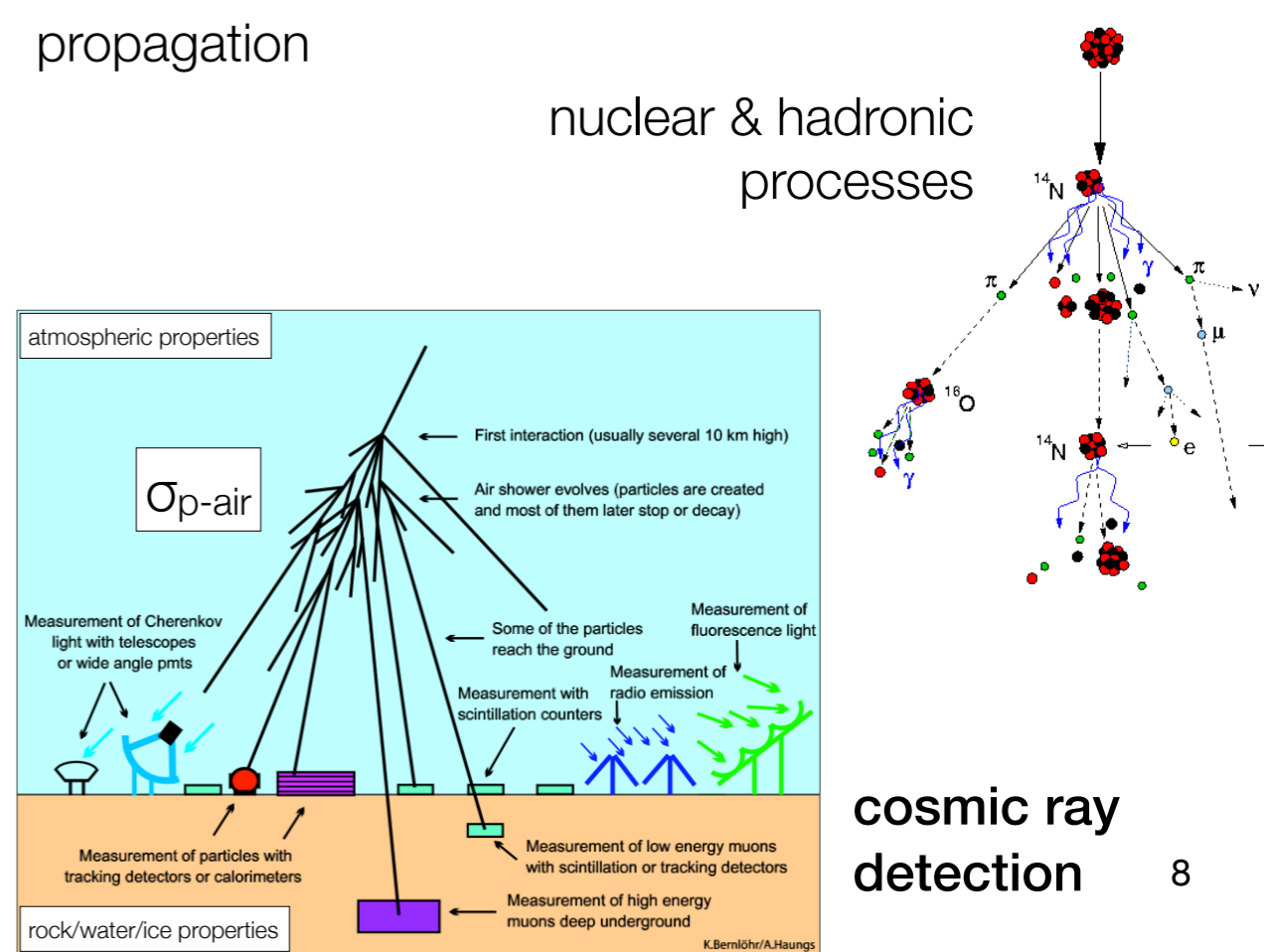
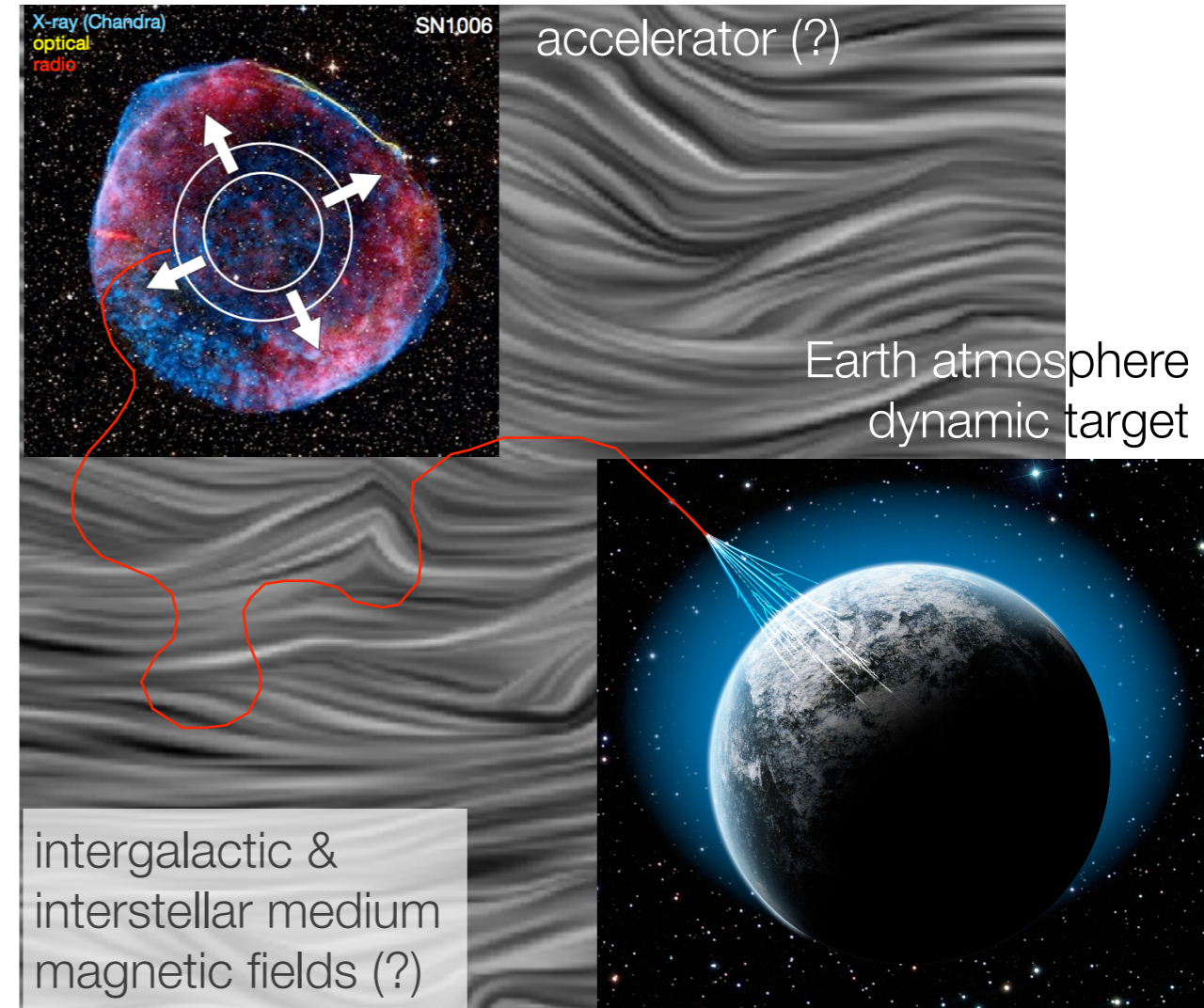
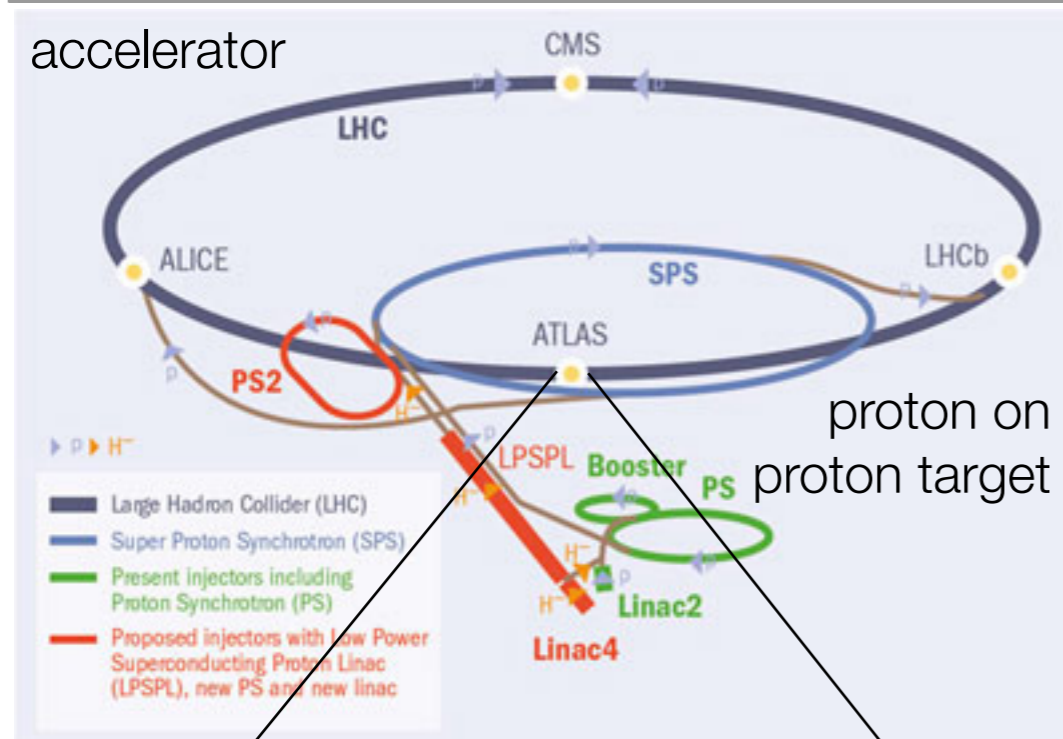
## a long journey

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# cosmic rays

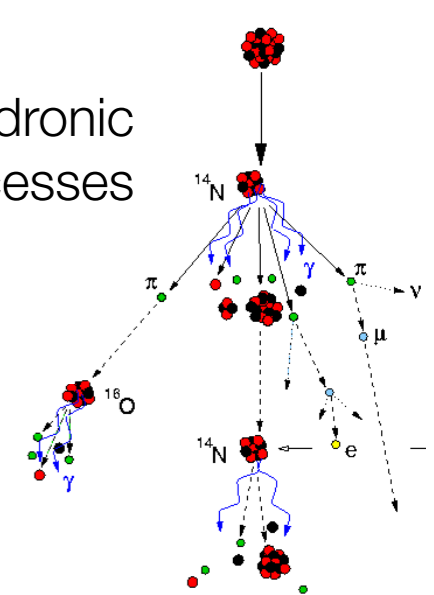
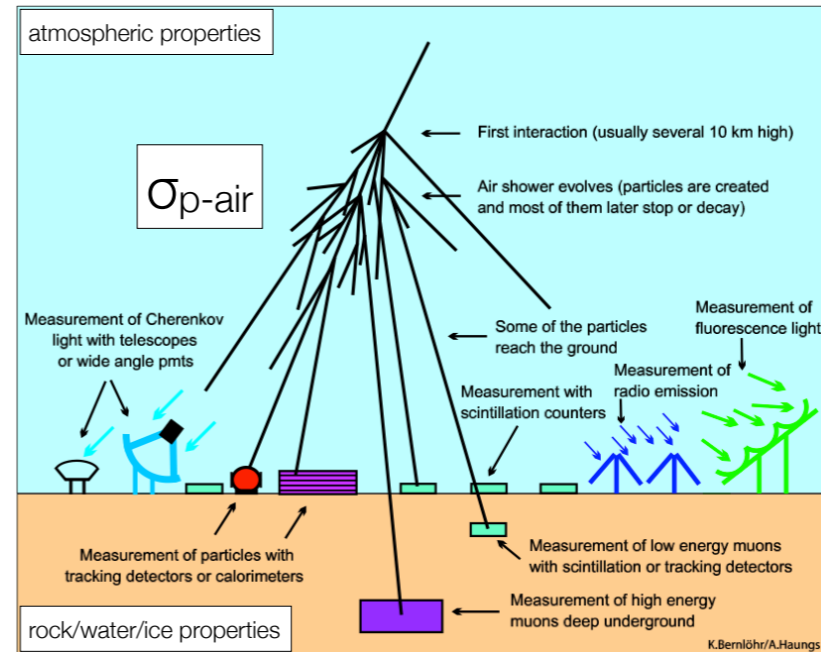
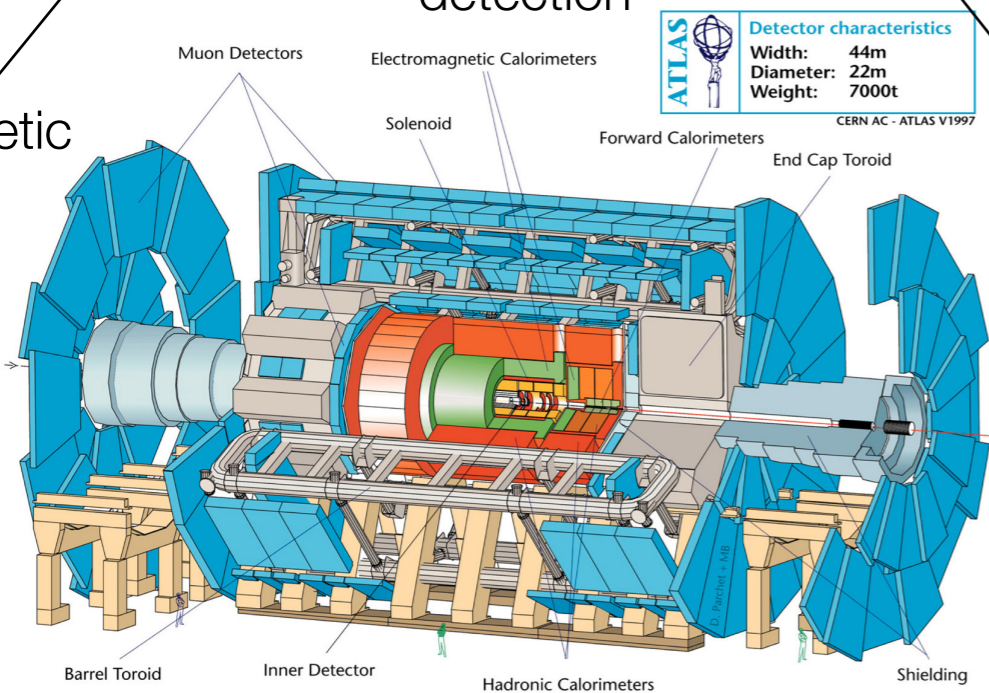
## a natural laboratory



propagation

detection

magnetic fields



cosmic ray detection

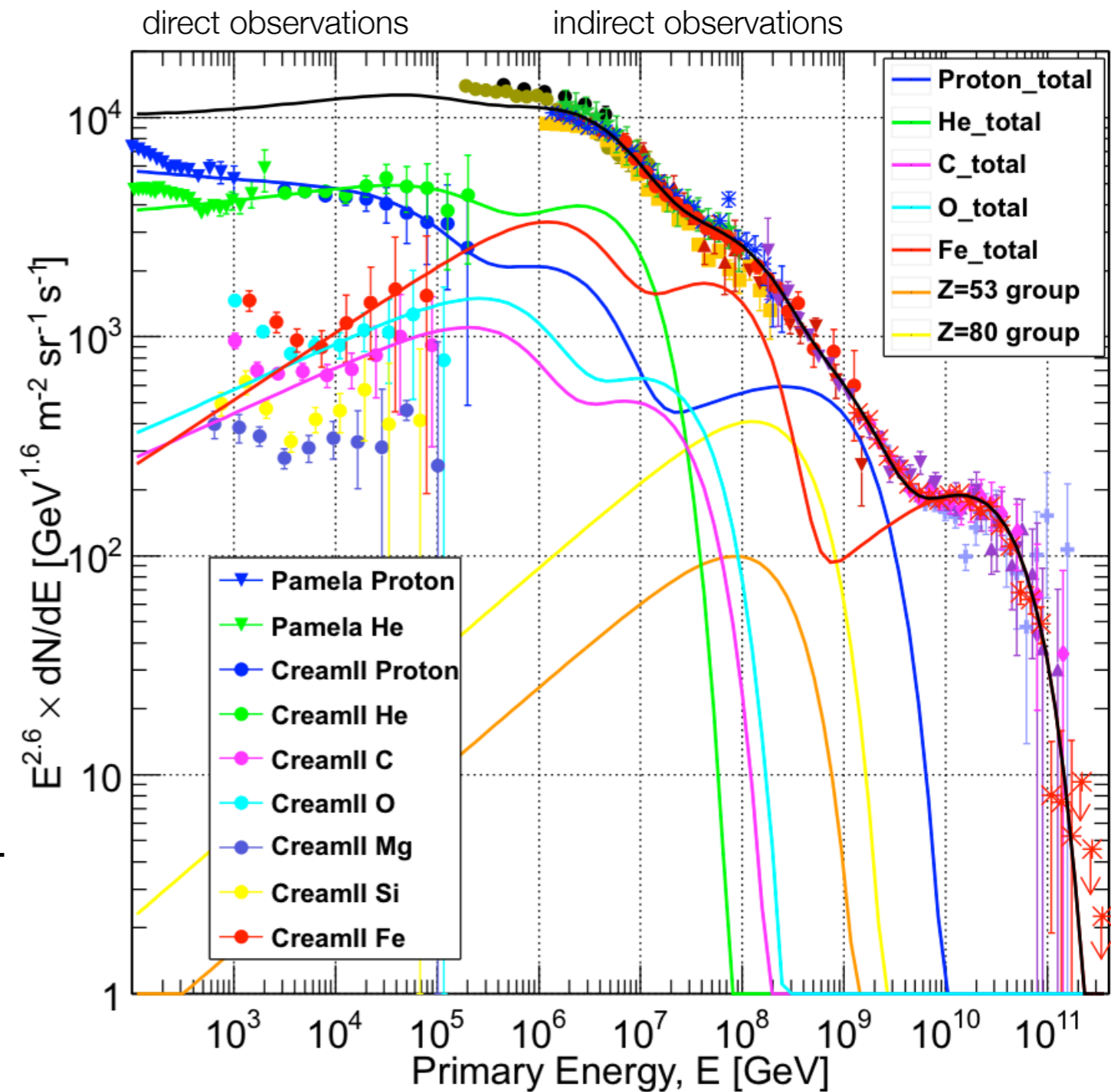


# primary cosmic rays

## spectrum

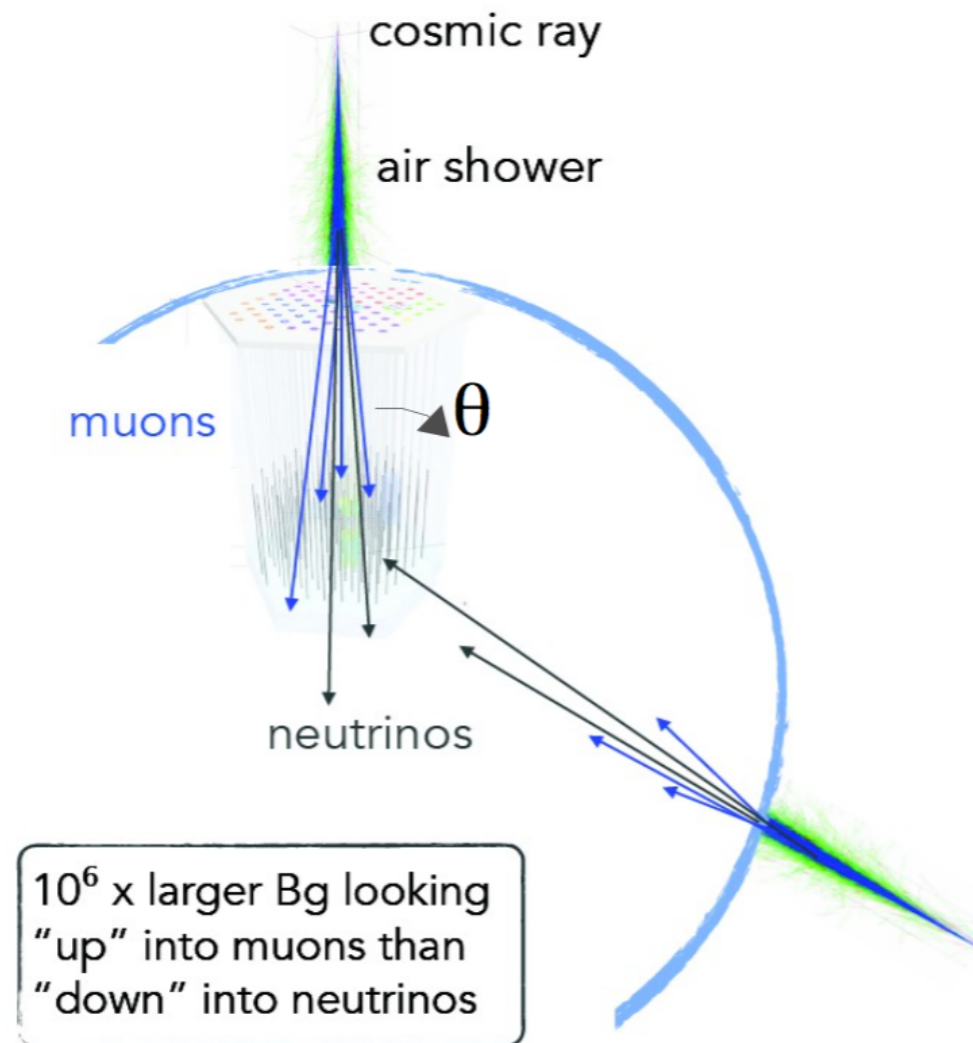
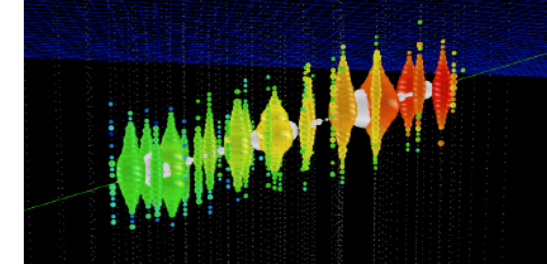
Gaisser, Stanev, Tilav, 2013 - arXiv:1303.3565

- $\sim E^{-2}$  (+cutoff) cosmic ray spectrum  
the sources
- cosmic ray spectrum at Earth  
**steeper**
- **knee** traces the end of galactic  
contribution ?
- **ankle** traces cross-over with extra-  
galactic contribution ?



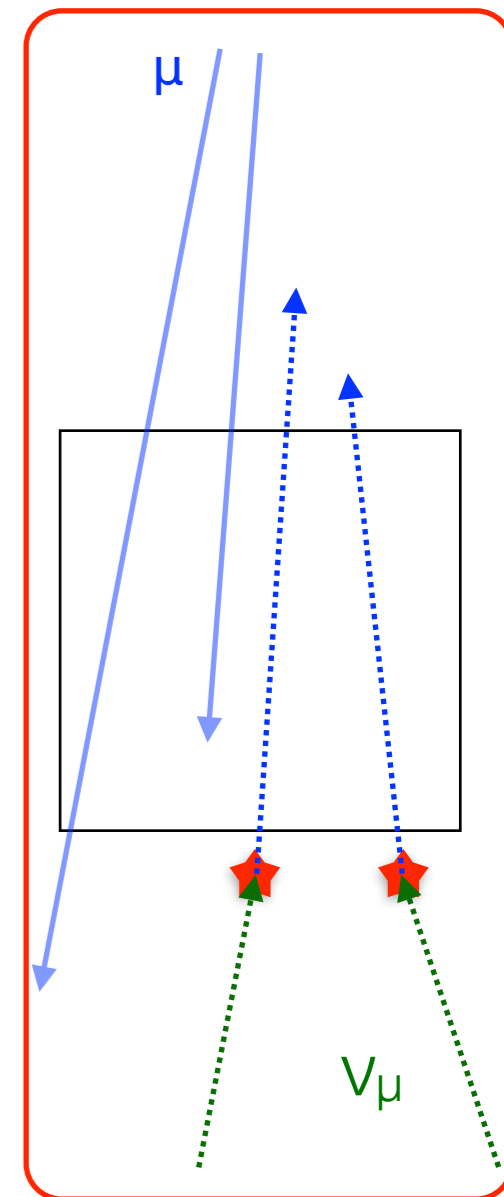
# searching for neutrinos

## background rejection



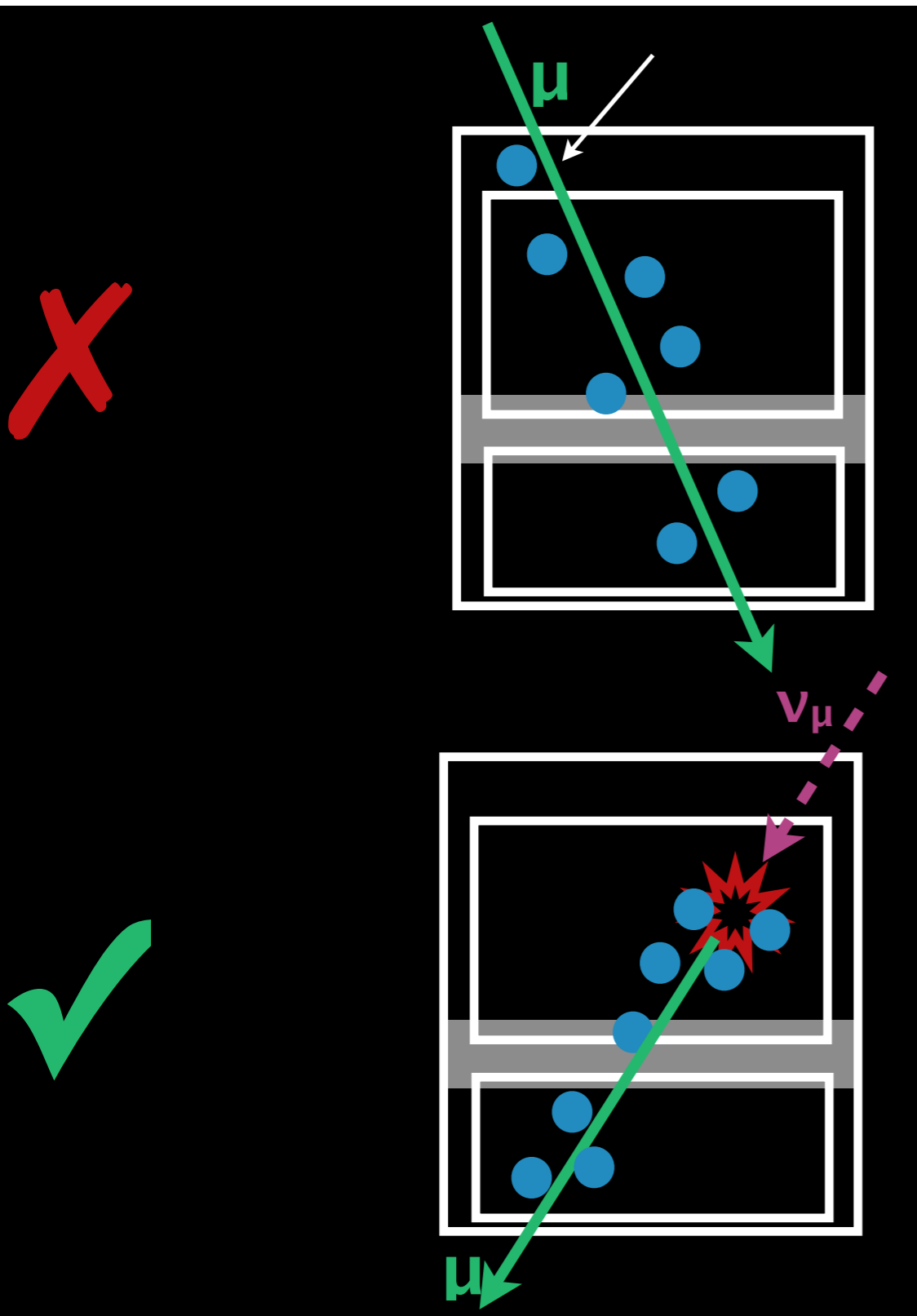
- use Earth as natural background absorber
  - search for up-going trajectories
  - wrongly reconstructed trajectories
- ▶ sensitive to  $\nu_\mu$
- ▶ sensitive to **northern sky**

**up-going  
through-going  
(tracks)**

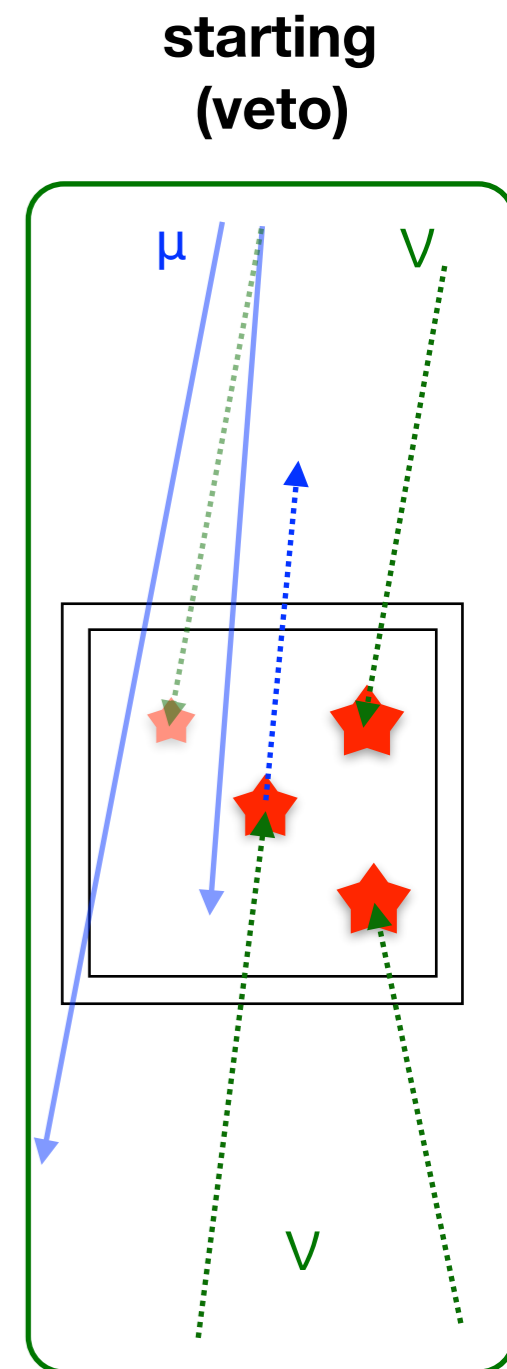


# neutrino identification

## active veto

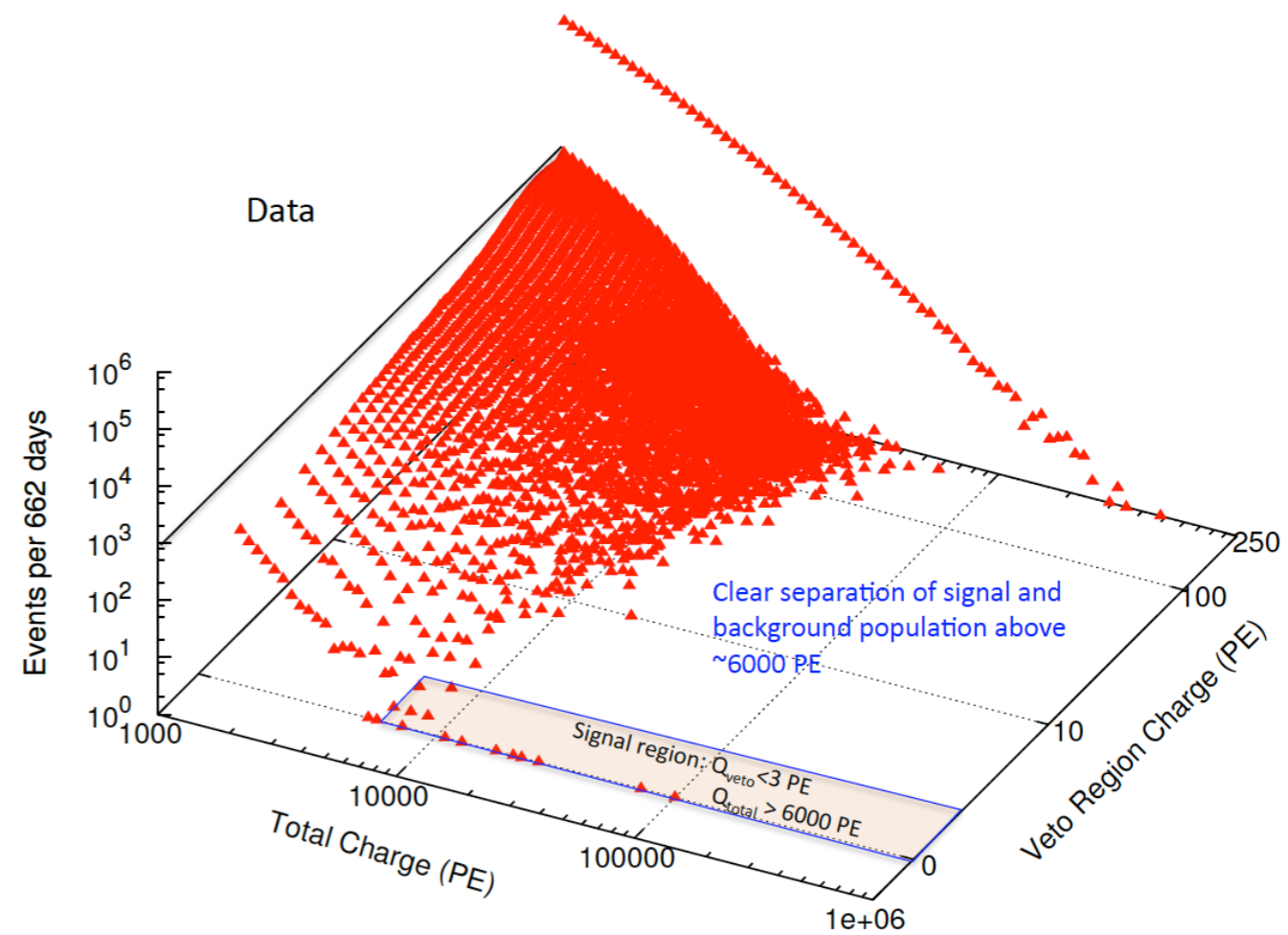
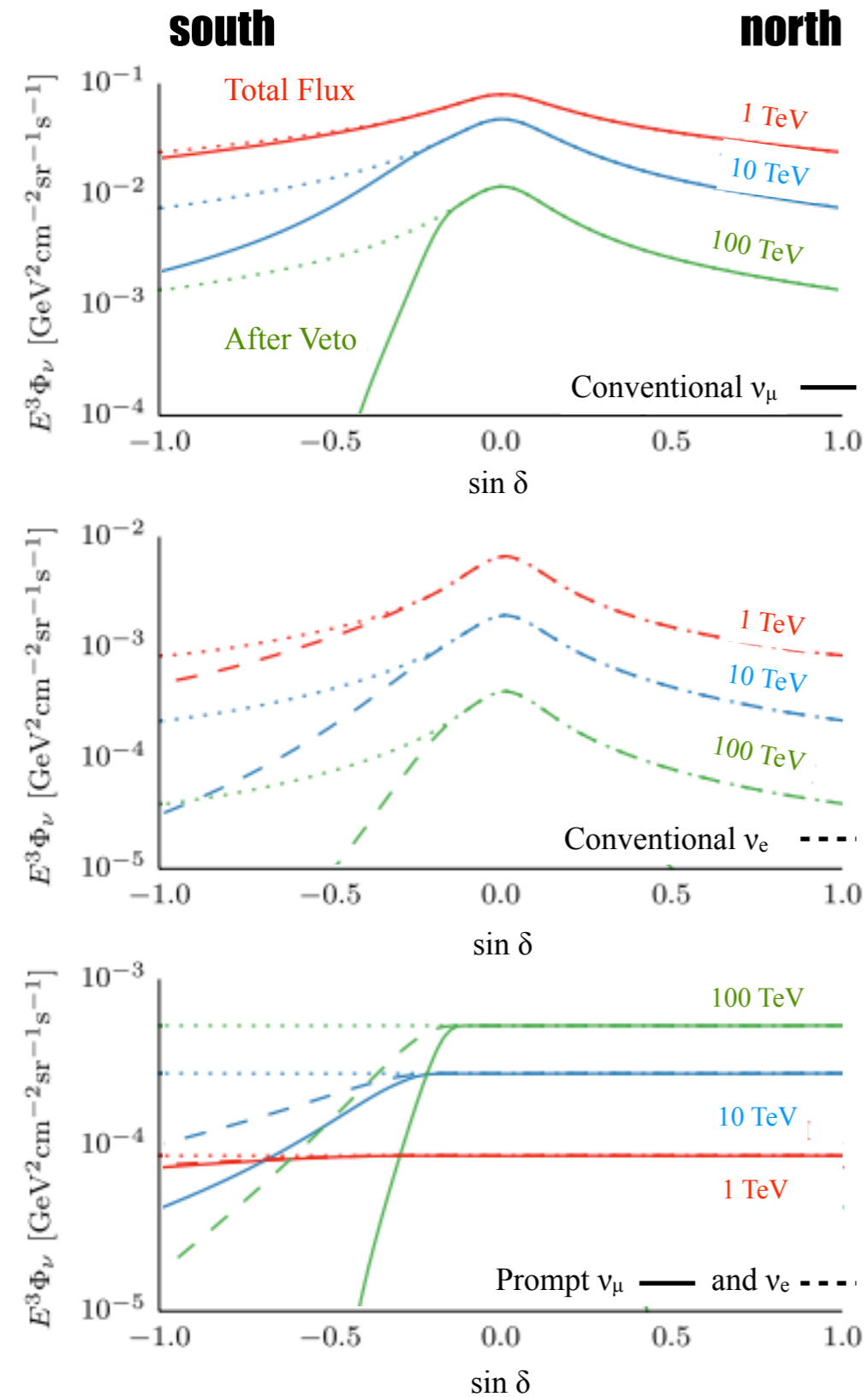
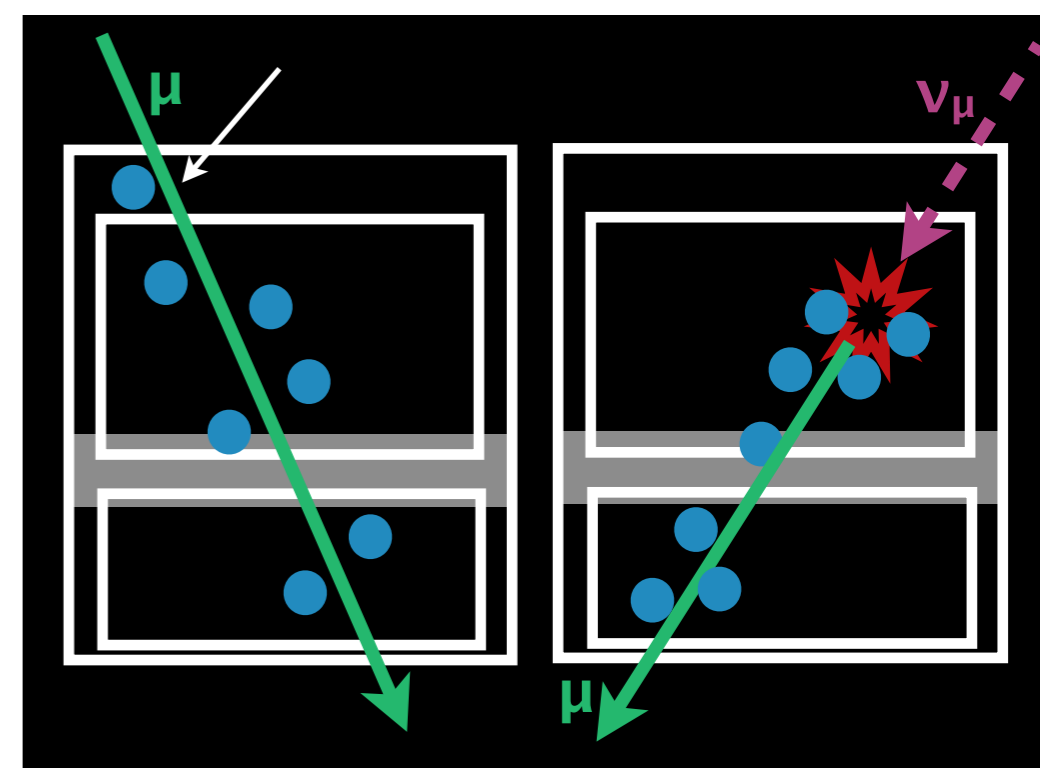


- outer detector veto to **reject muon tracks** passing the experiment boundary
  - collect **bright events** with total charge  $> 6000$  p.e.
  - identify only events **starting inside** the instrumented volume
  - active volume **420 Mton!**
- ▶ sensitive to **all flavors**
- ▶ sensitive to **whole sky**



# neutrino identification

## southern self veto



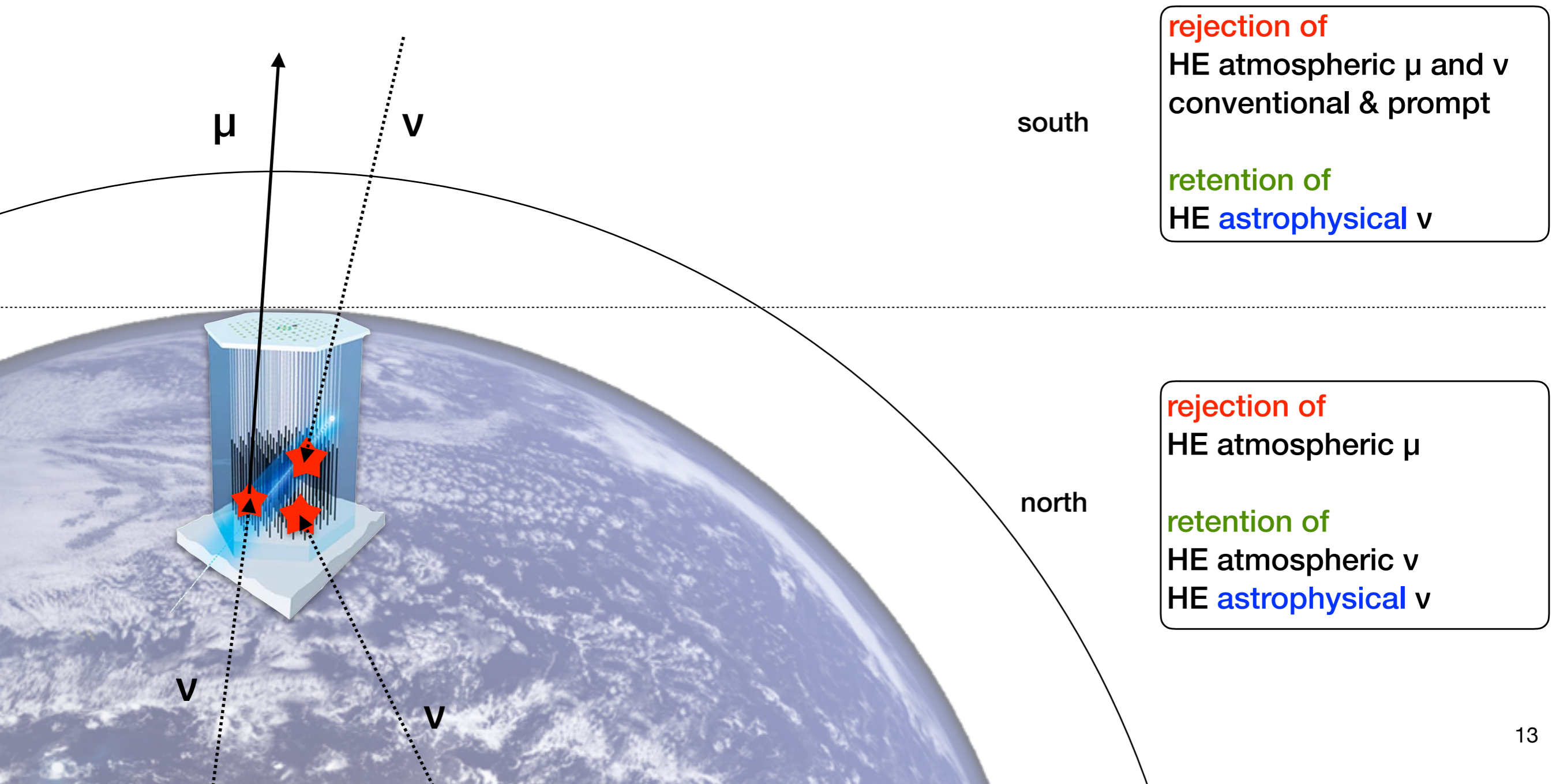
Schönert et al. Phys.Rev.D 79 (2009) 043009  
 Gaisser et al. Phys.Rev.D 90 (2014) 023009

# neutrino identification

diffuse flux

veto efficiency increases with energy

a window to **high energy astrophysical neutrino discovery**



**rejection of**  
HE atmospheric  $\mu$  and  $\nu$   
conventional & prompt

**retention of**  
HE **astrophysical**  $\nu$

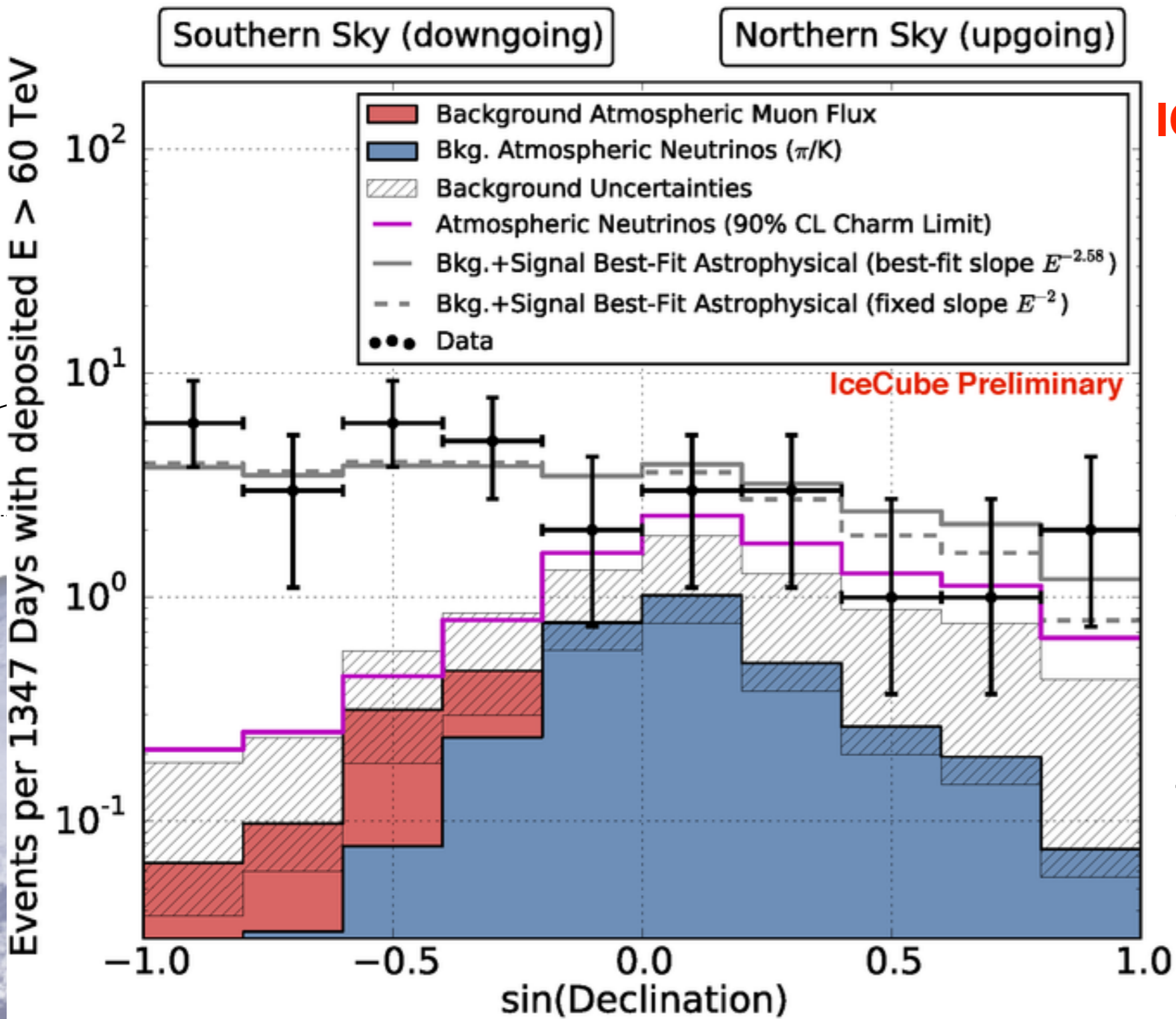
**rejection of**  
HE atmospheric  $\mu$

**retention of**  
HE atmospheric  $\nu$   
HE **astrophysical**  $\nu$

# neutrino identification

astrophysical neutrinos

4 years of HE starting events  
 $E_\nu > 60 \text{ TeV}$



**ICRC 2015**

rejection of  
 HE atmospheric  $\mu$  and  $\nu$   
 conventional & prompt

south

retention of  
 HE astrophysical  $\nu$

rejection of  
 HE atmospheric  $\mu$

north

retention of  
 HE atmospheric  $\nu$   
 HE astrophysical  $\nu$

# neutrino identification

## astrophysical neutrinos

4 years of HE starting events

- 53(+1) events found
- estimated background

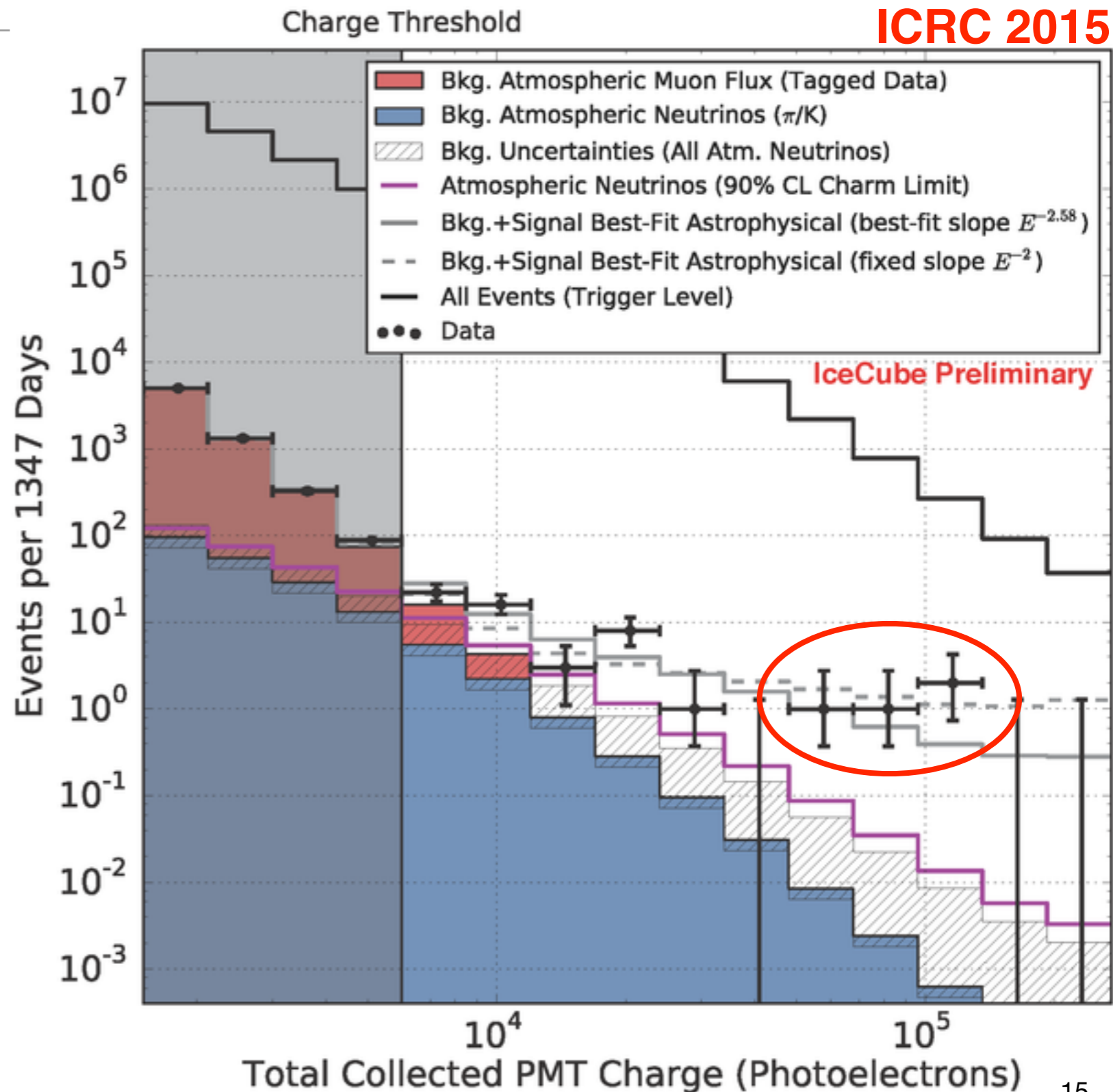
$9.0^{+8.0}_{-2.2}$  atm. neutrinos

$12.6 \pm 5.1$  atm. muons

1 atm. muon passing veto

coincident CR showers

**6.5  $\sigma$  significance**

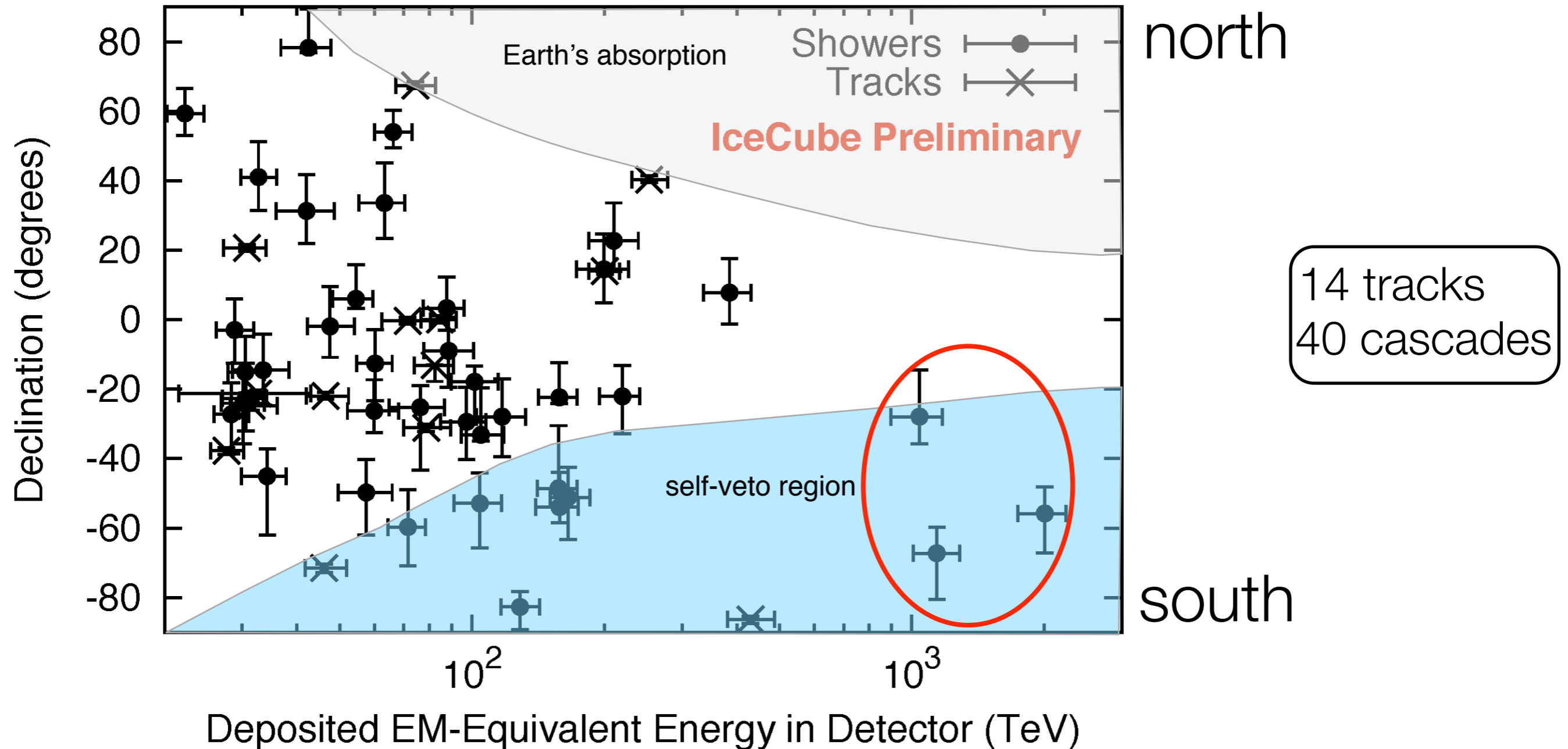


# neutrino identification

astrophysical neutrinos

4 years of HE starting events  
 $E_\nu > 10 \text{ TeV}$

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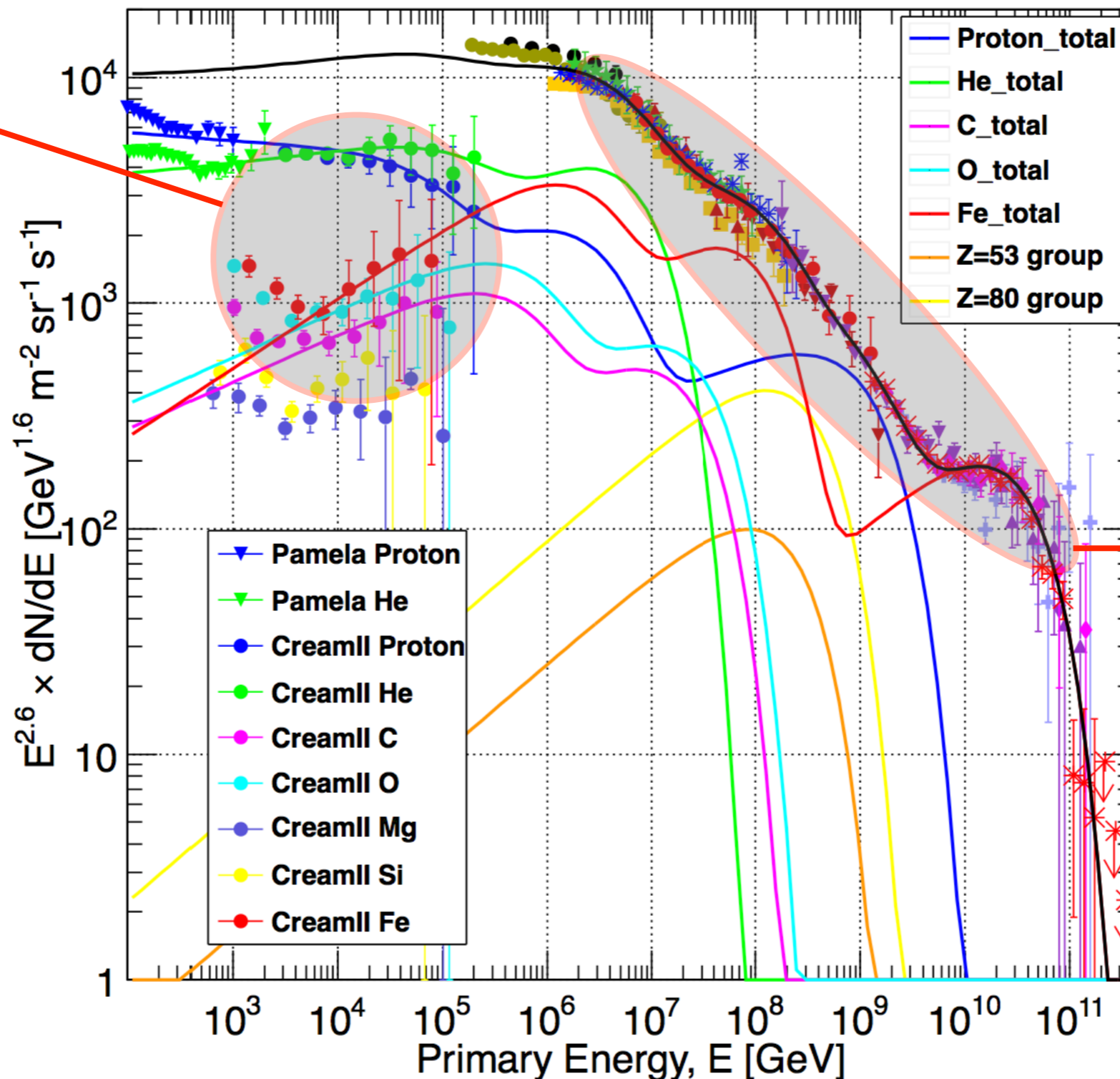




# primary cosmic rays spectrum and composition

disentangle **astrophysics** and  
**particle physics**

direct  
measurements



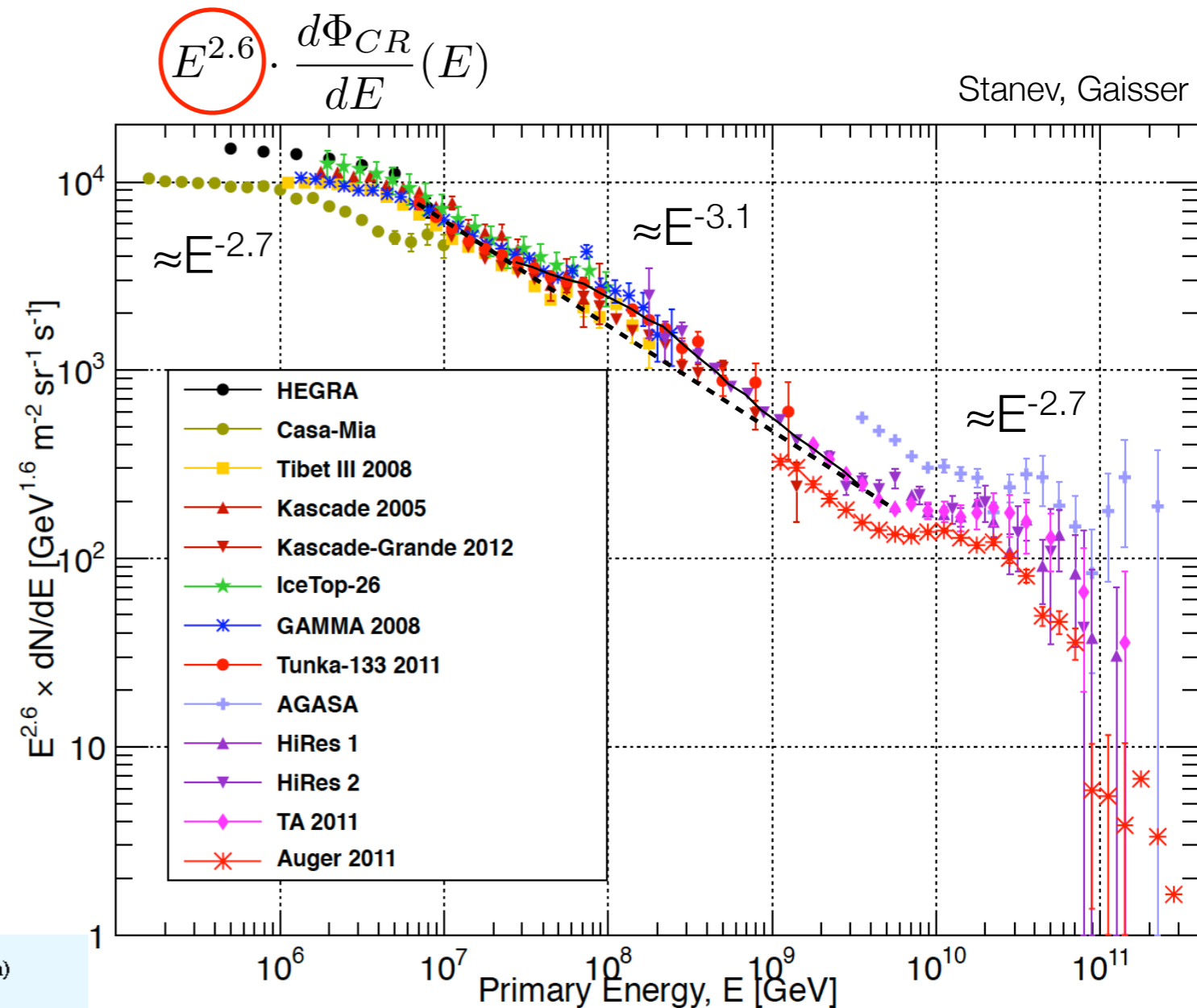
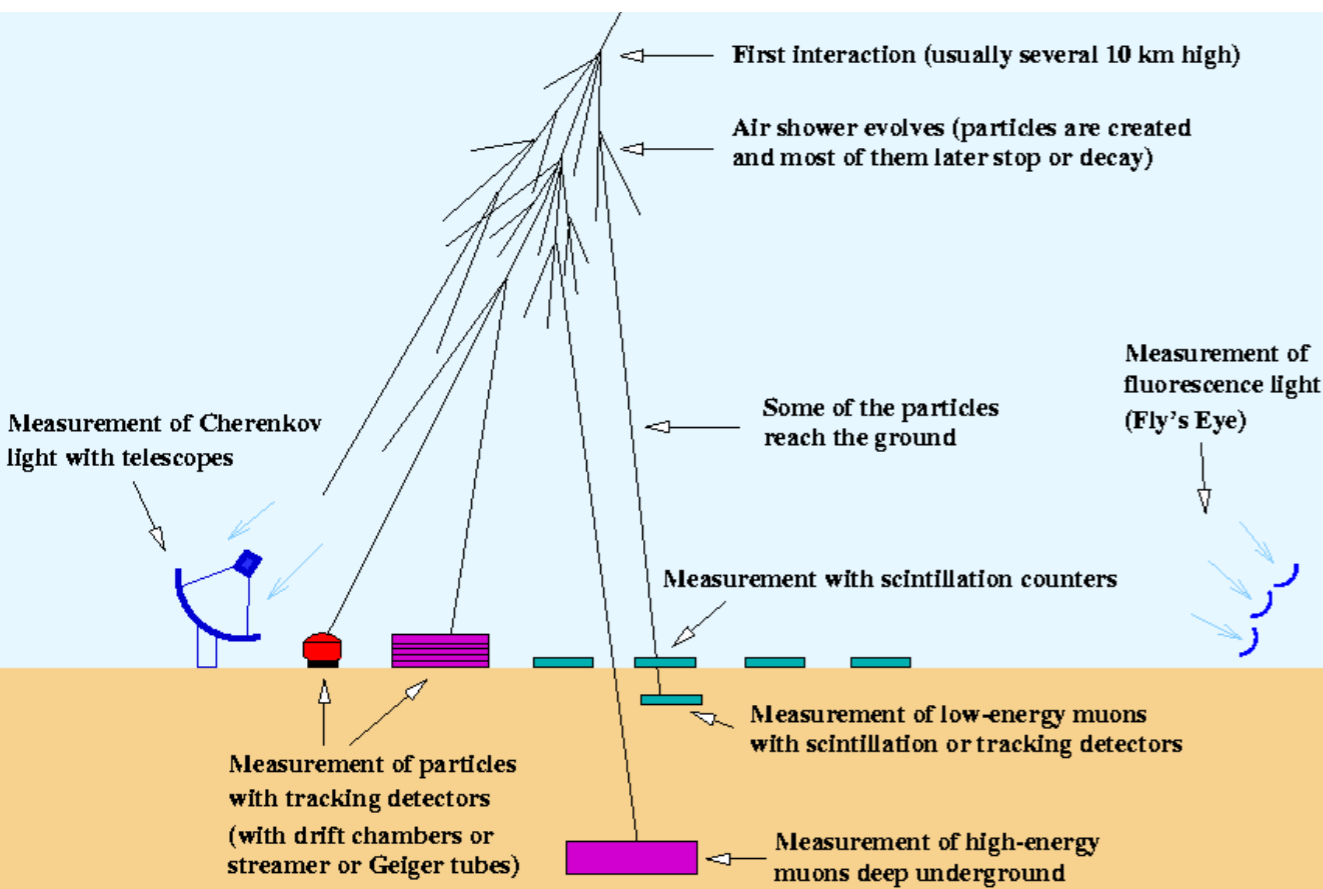
indirect  
measurements

Gaisser, Stanev, Tilav  
arXiv:1303.3565

# cosmic rays spectrum

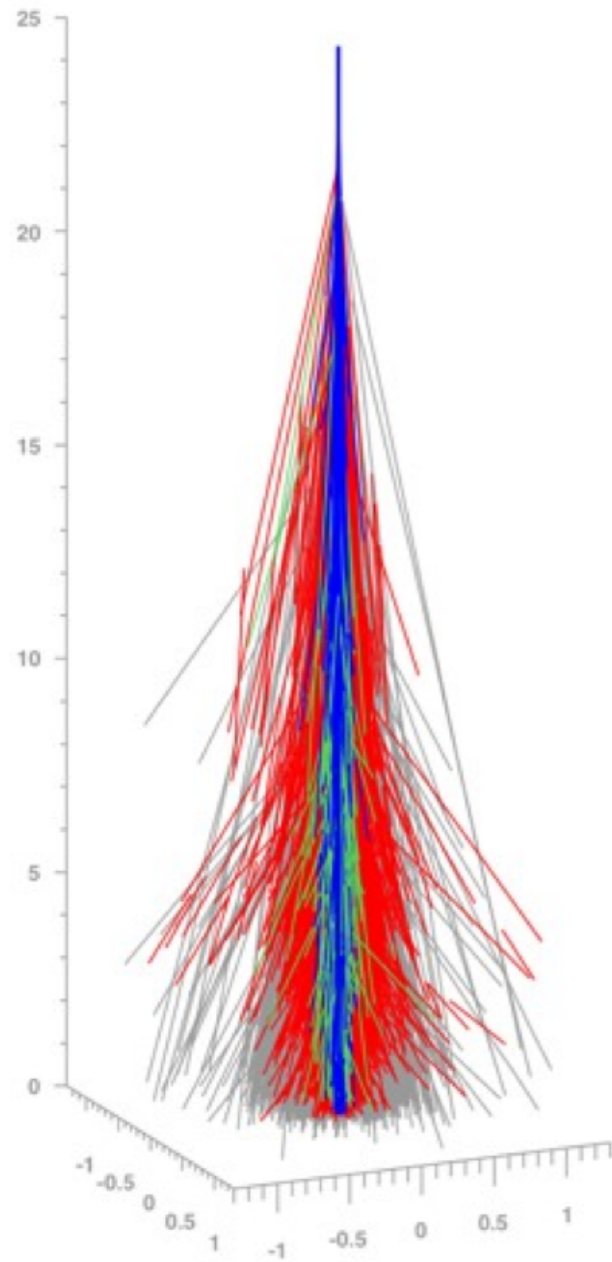
## indirect observations

- ▶ at **high energy** flux too small for direct observations
- ▶ ground-based, under-ground / water / ice detection



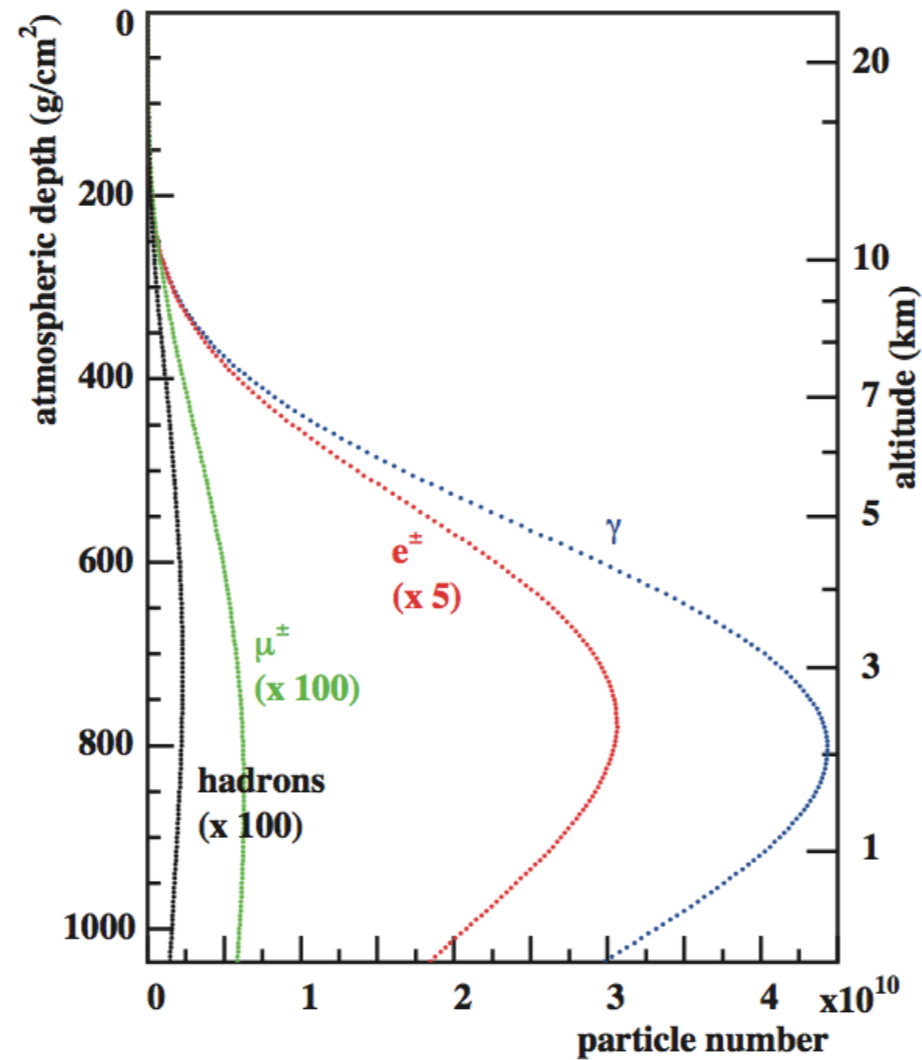
- ▶ **atmosphere & interaction** properties
- ▶ energy & mass observations **tangled**
- ▶ lower energy & mass **resolution**

# extensive air showers



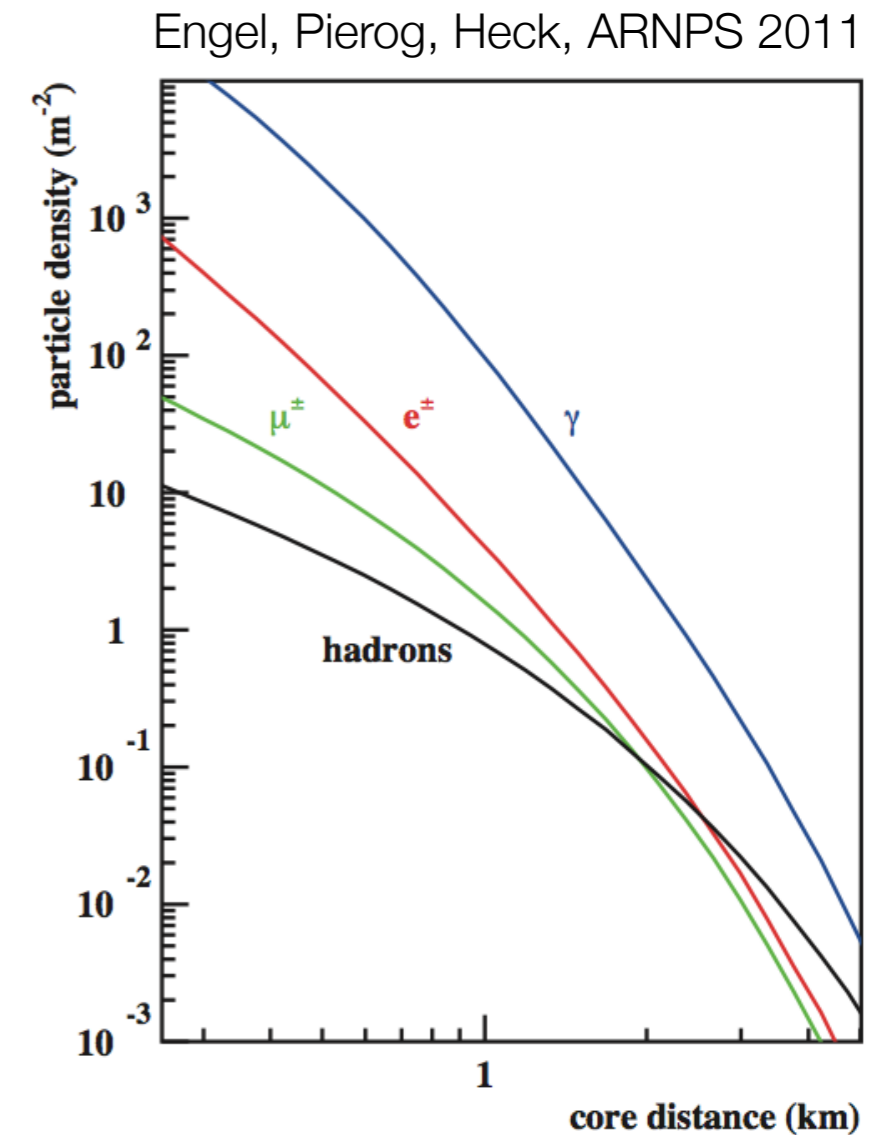
proton @  $10^{19}$  eV

### longitudinal profile



detected via:  
Cherenkov light  
fluorescence light of  $N_2$

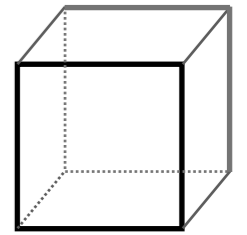
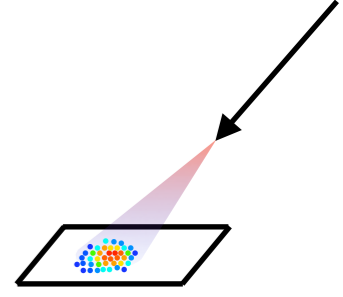
### lateral profile



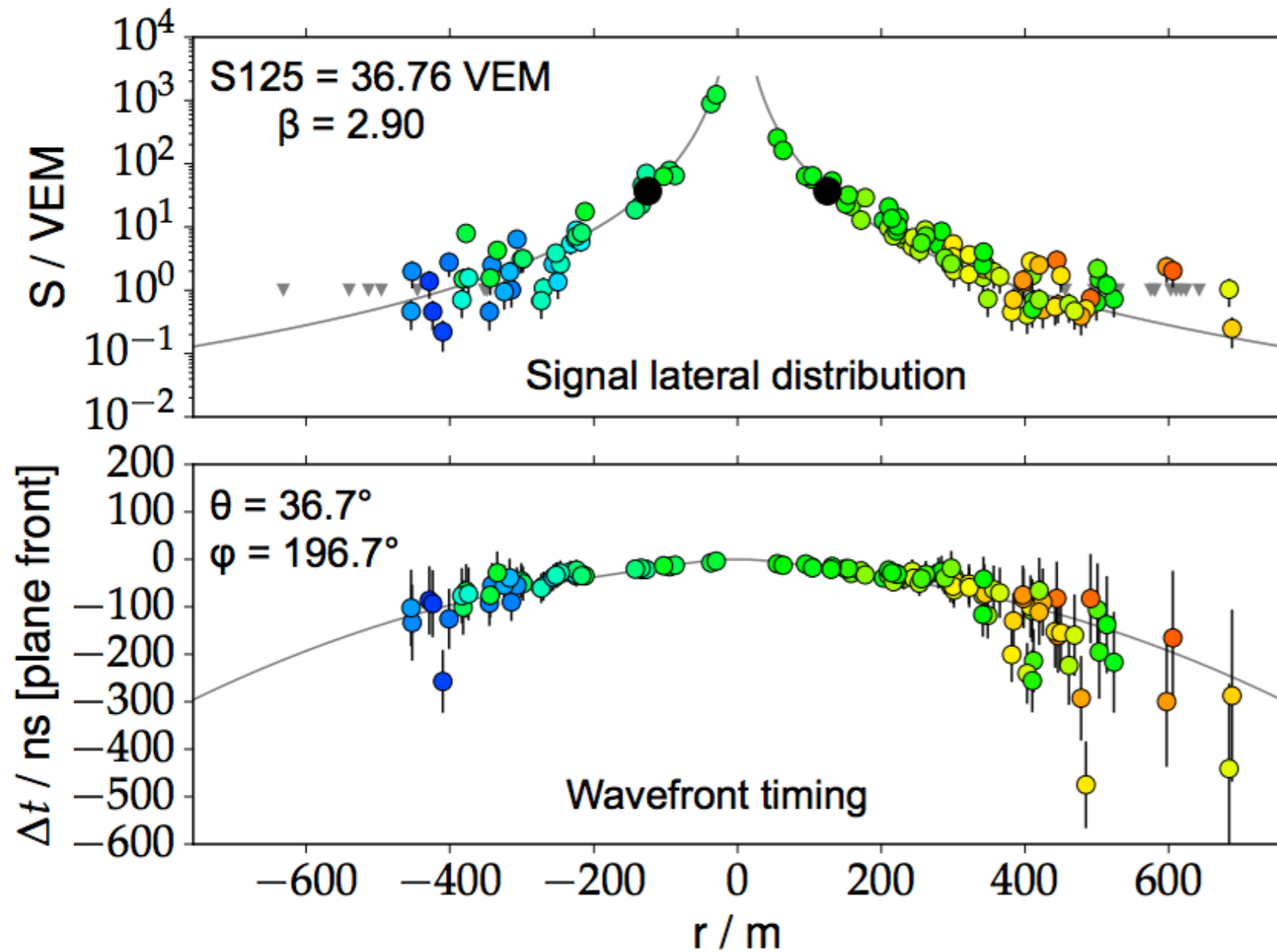
detected via:  
particle detector array on  
the ground

# cosmic rays spectrum

## all-particle energy spectrum



### IceTop



Signal lateral distribution:

$$S(r) = S_{125} e^{-\frac{d \sec \theta}{\lambda}} \left( \frac{r}{125 \text{ m}} \right)^{-\beta - \kappa \log\left(\frac{r}{125 \text{ m}}\right)}$$

Correction for attenuation in snow

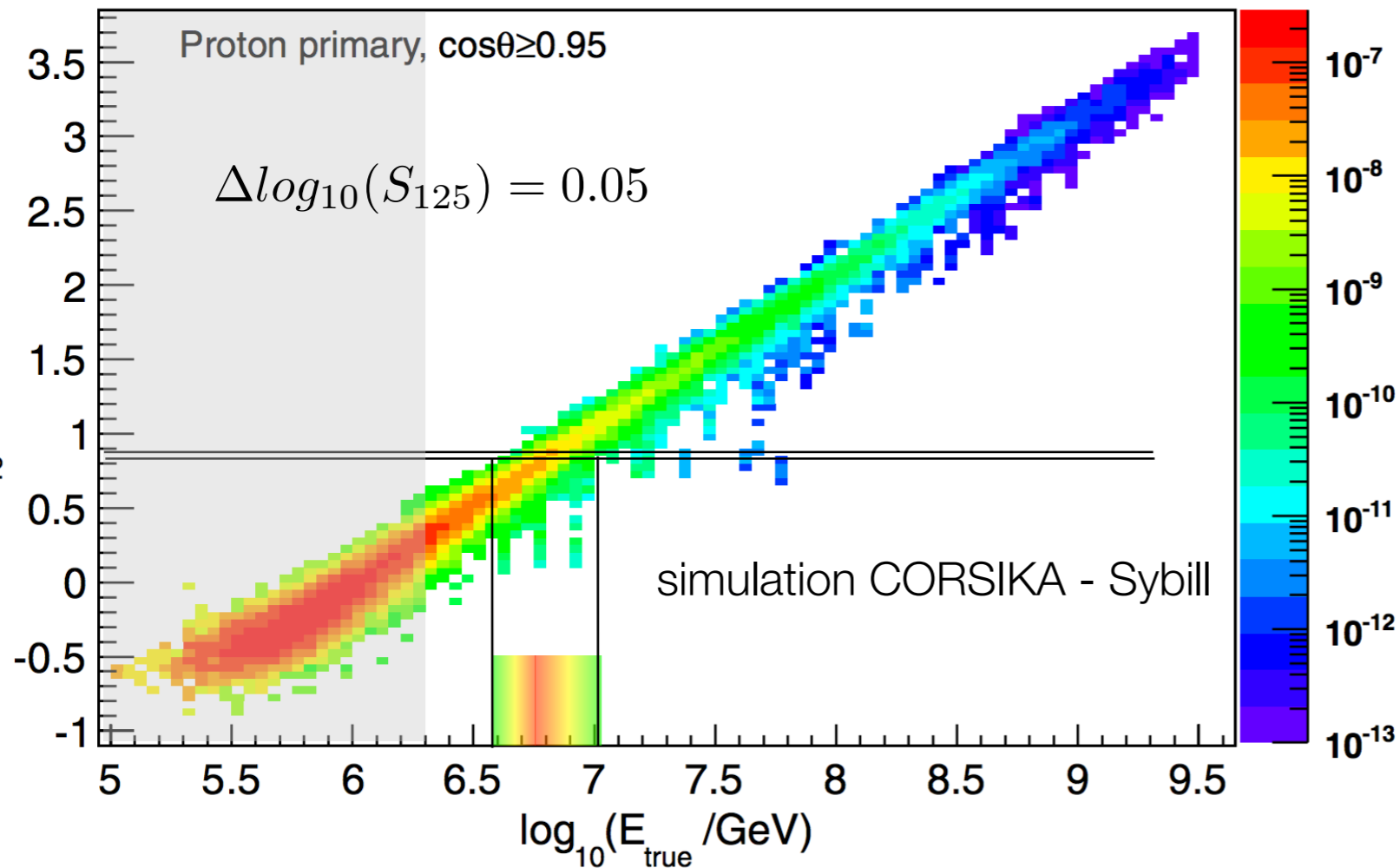
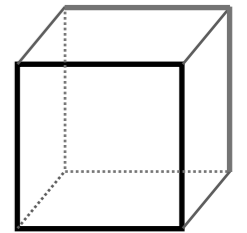
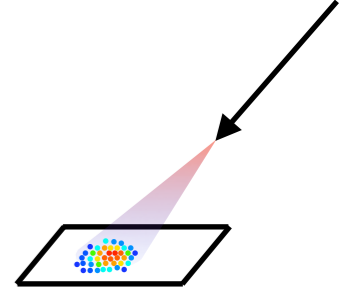
Wavefront timing:

$$t(\vec{x}) = t_0 + \frac{1}{c} (\vec{x} - \vec{x}_c) \cdot \vec{n} + \Delta t(r)$$

$$\Delta t(r) = ar^2 + b \left( 1 - \exp\left(-\frac{r^2}{2\sigma^2}\right) \right)$$

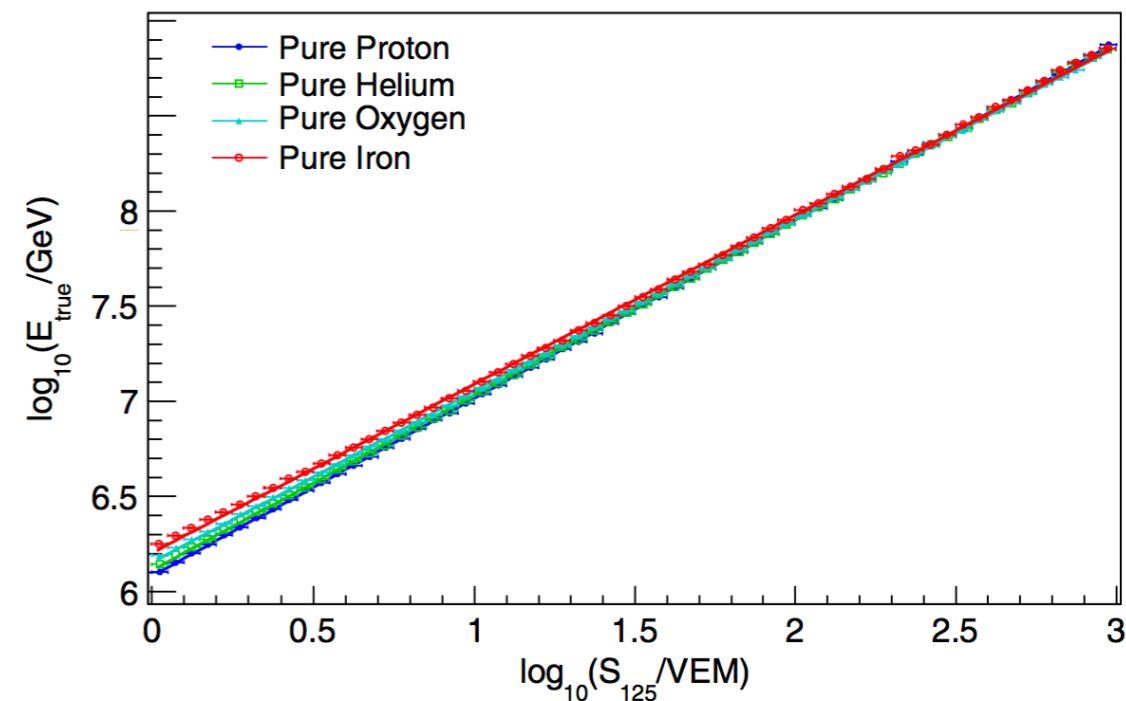
# cosmic rays spectrum

## all-particle energy spectrum



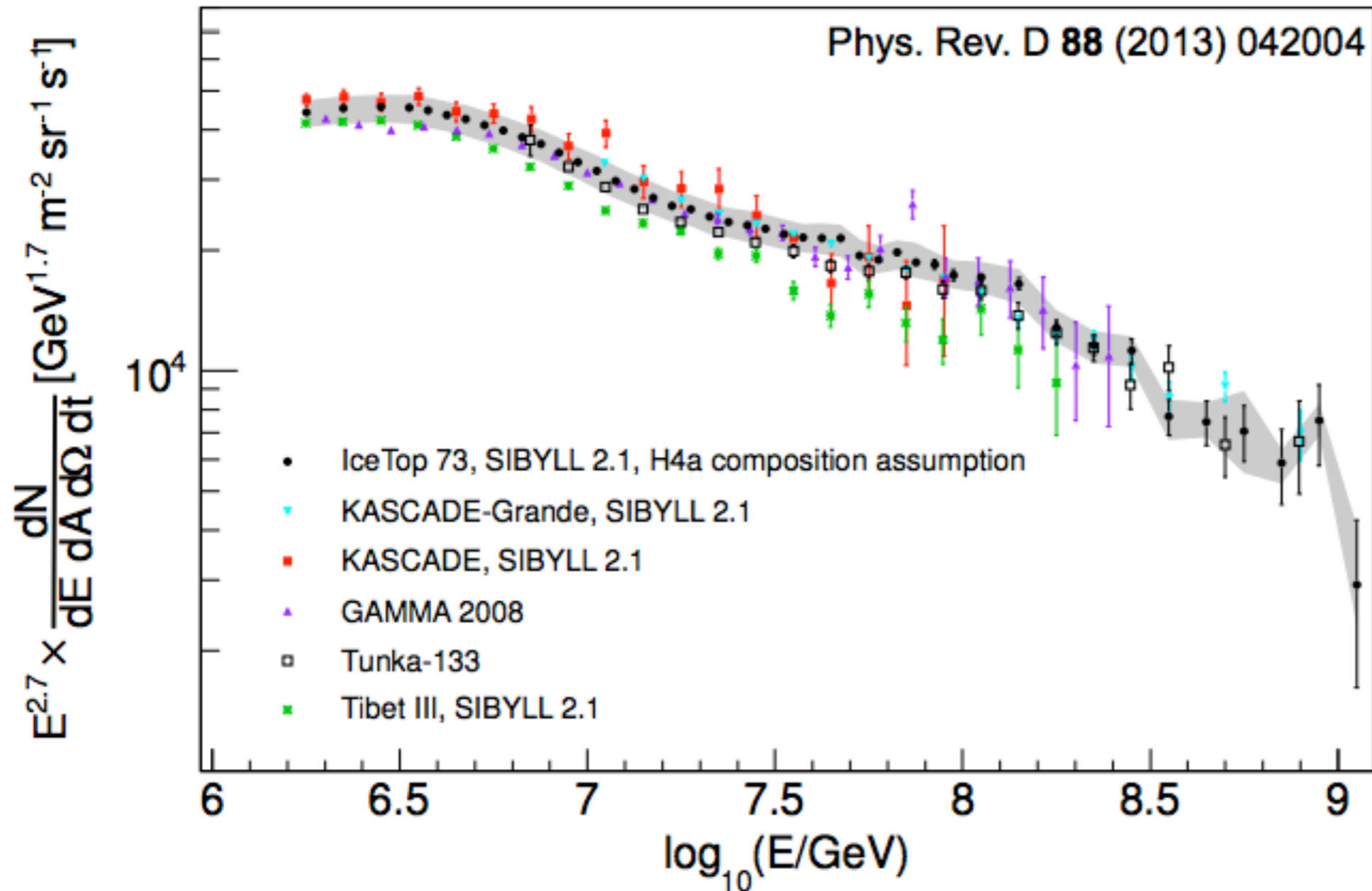
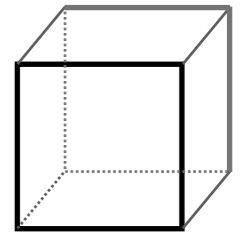
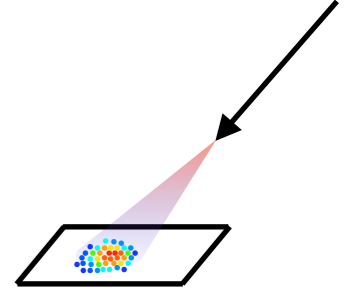
Aartsen et al. PRD 88 (2013) 042004

the relationship between  $S_{125}$  and primary energy depends on **mass** and **zenith angle**



# cosmic rays spectrum

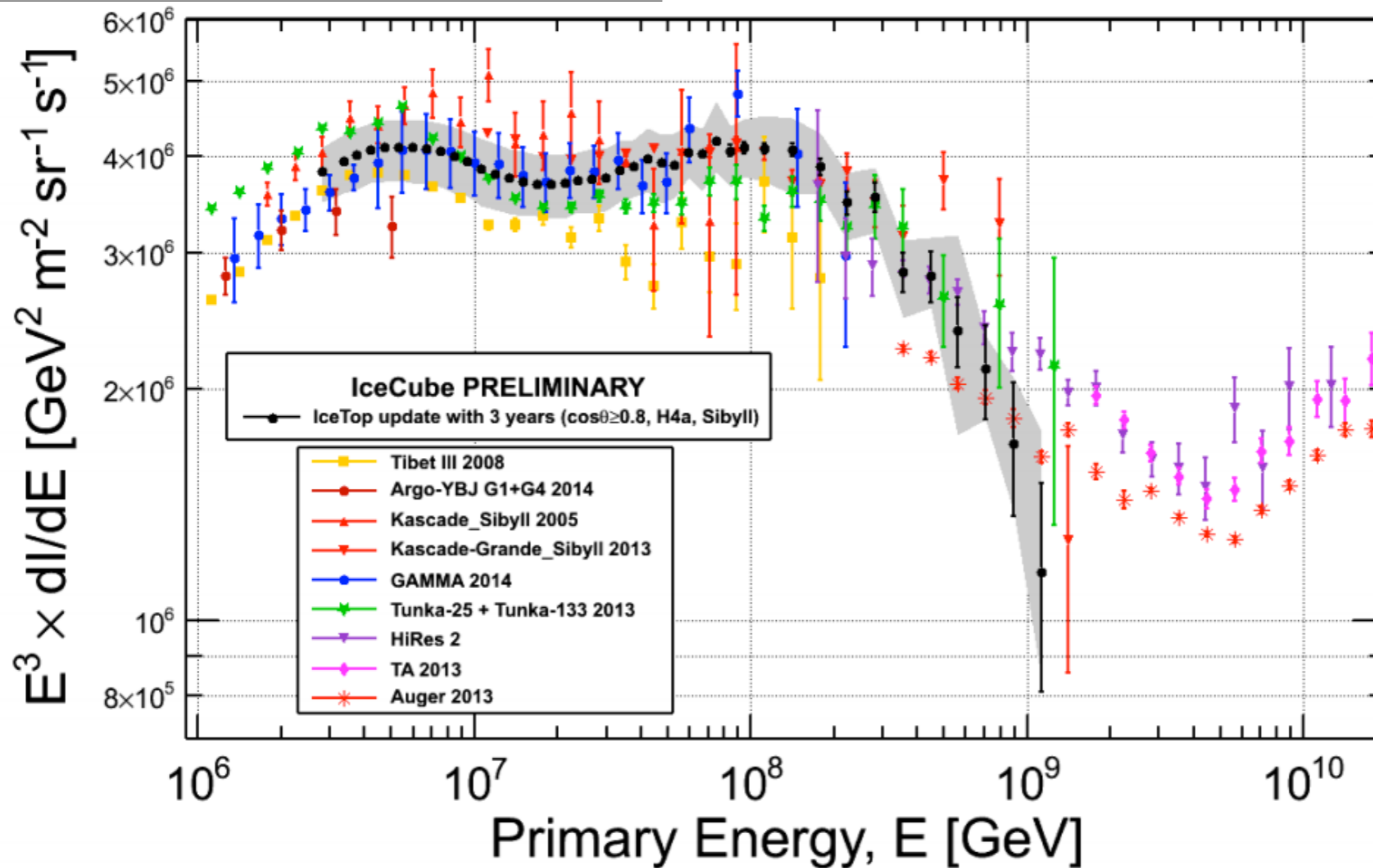
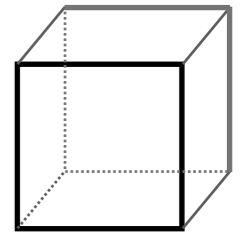
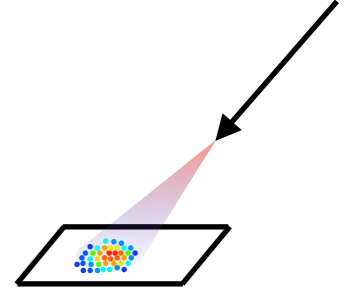
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all-particle spectrum depends on the *assumed* mass composition of primary particles

# cosmic rays spectrum

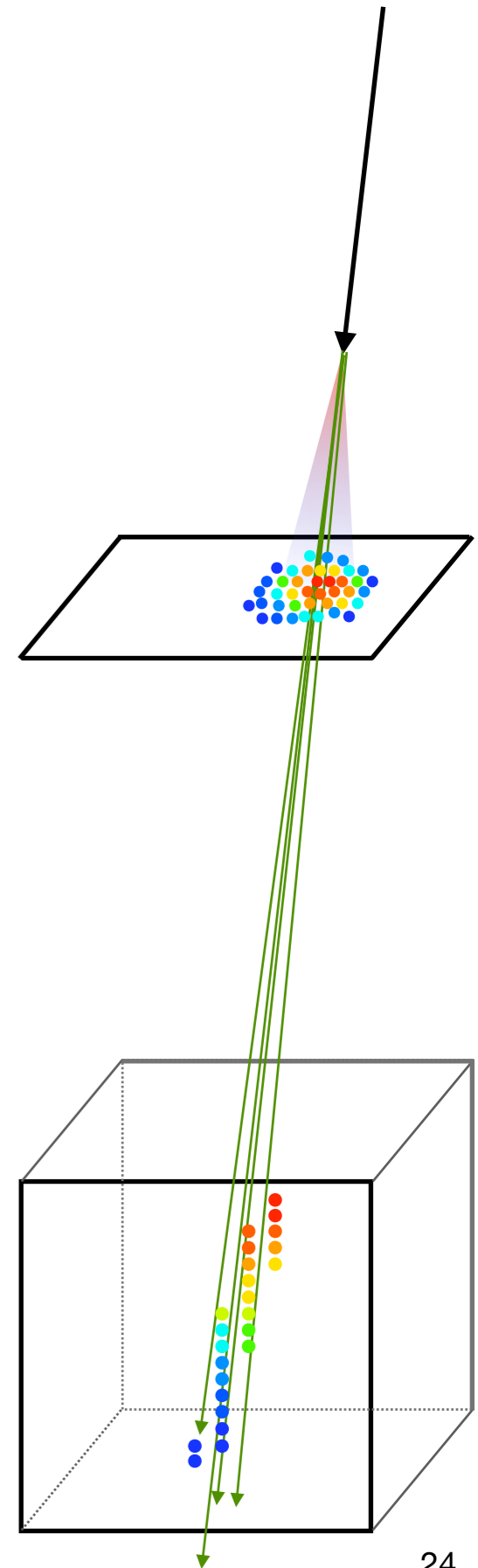
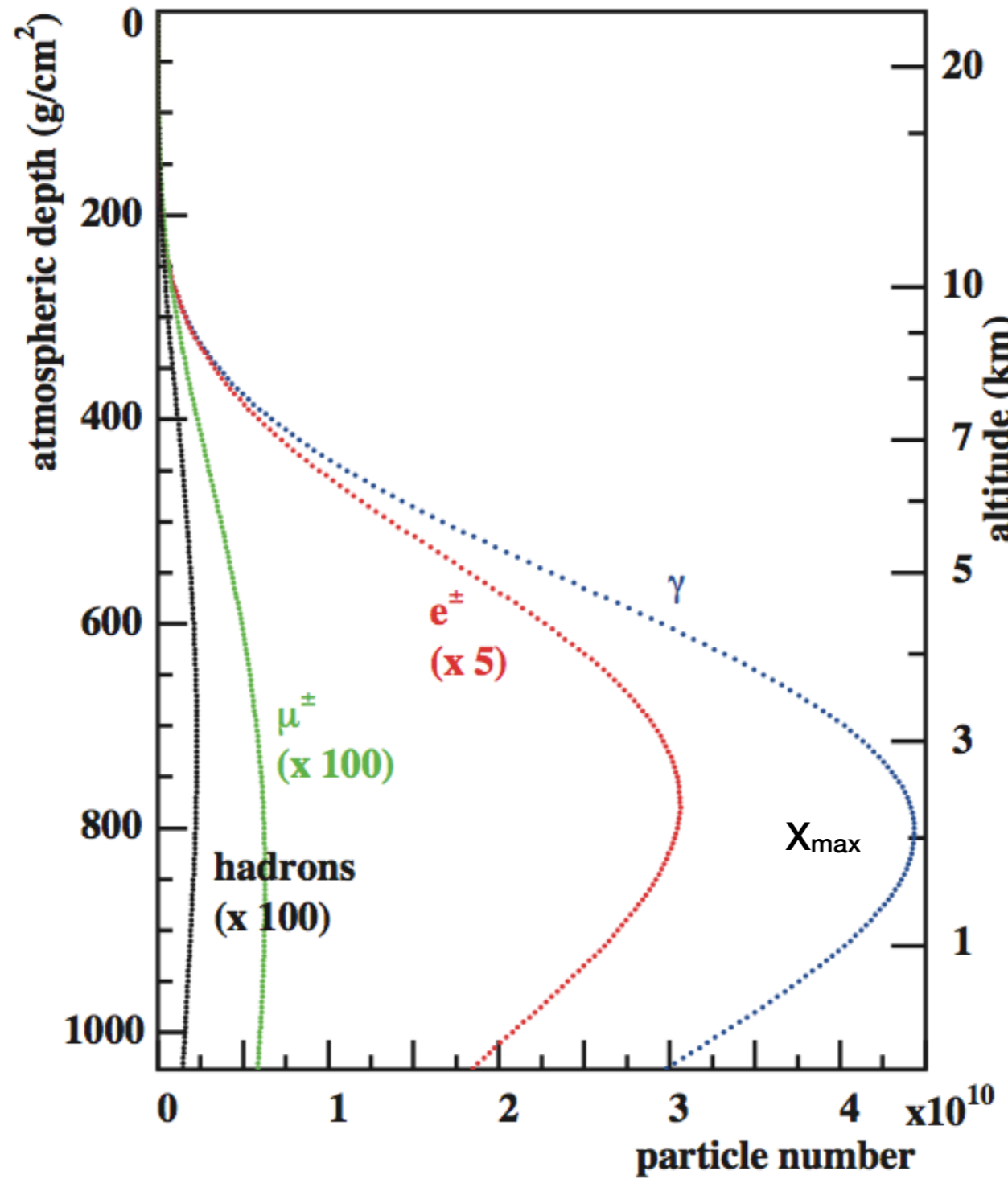
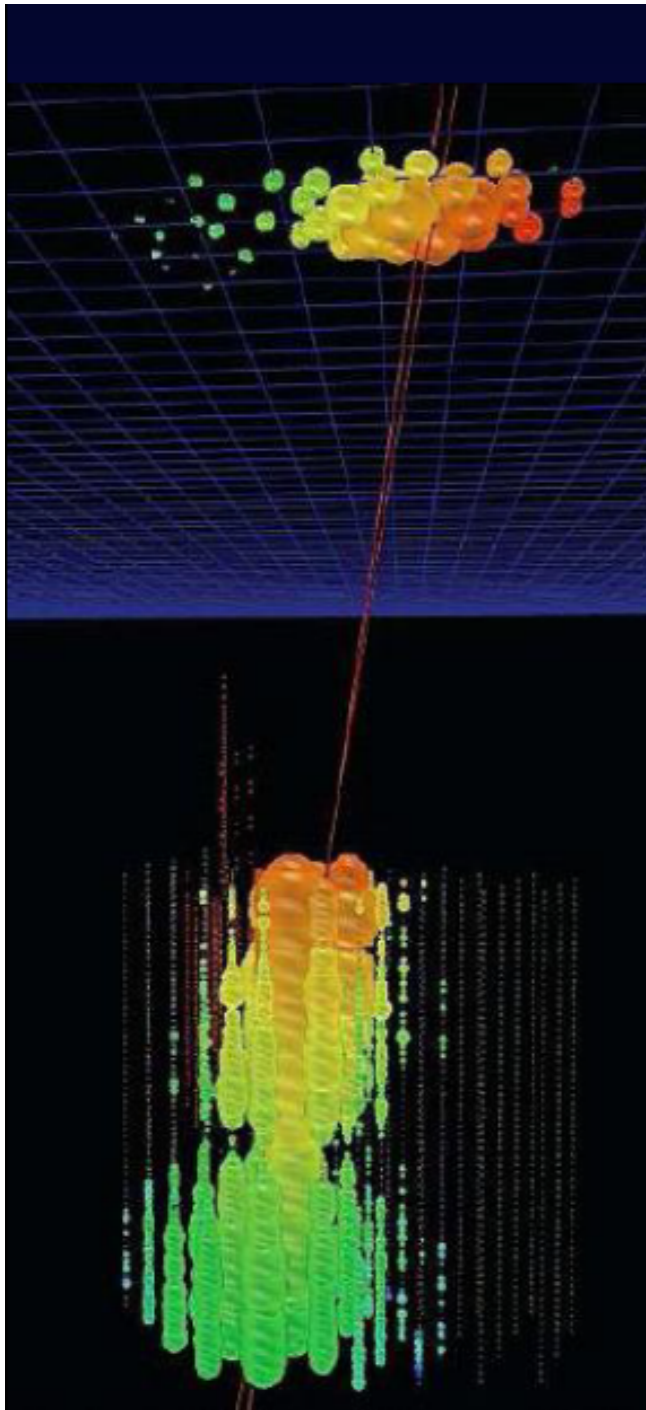
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# cosmic rays composition

## coincident events

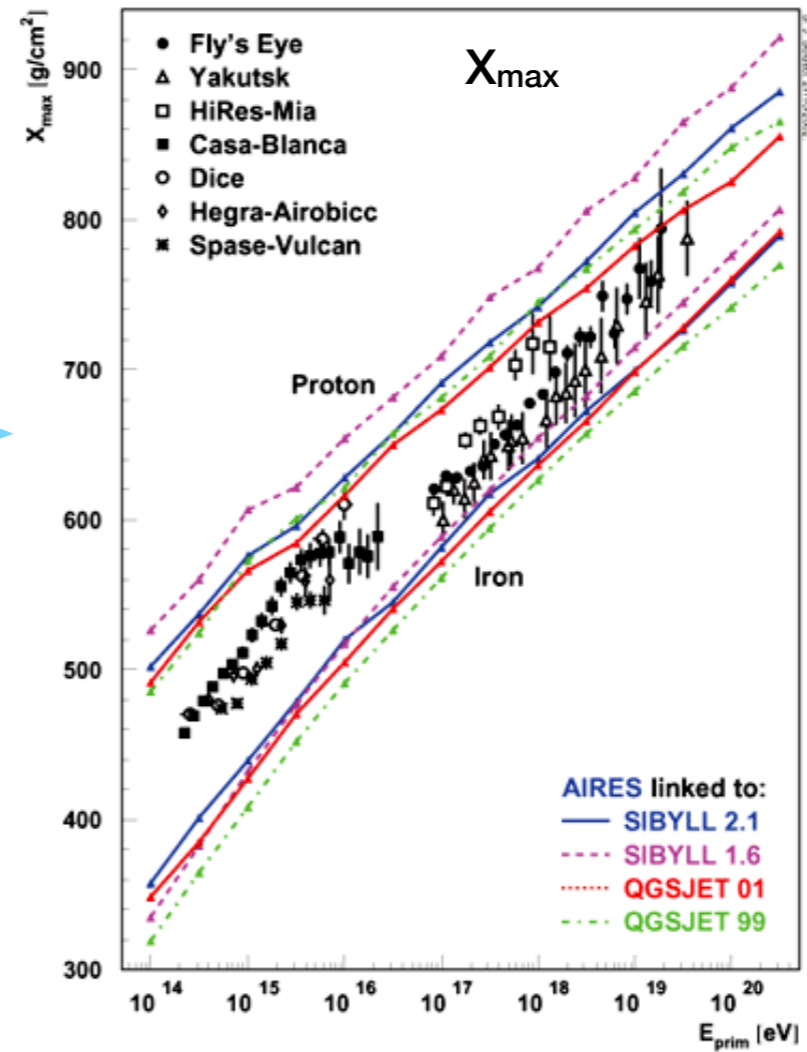




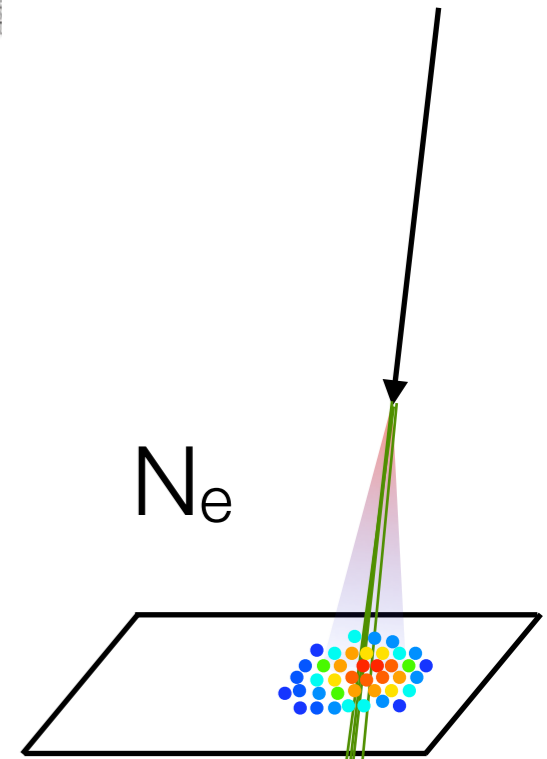
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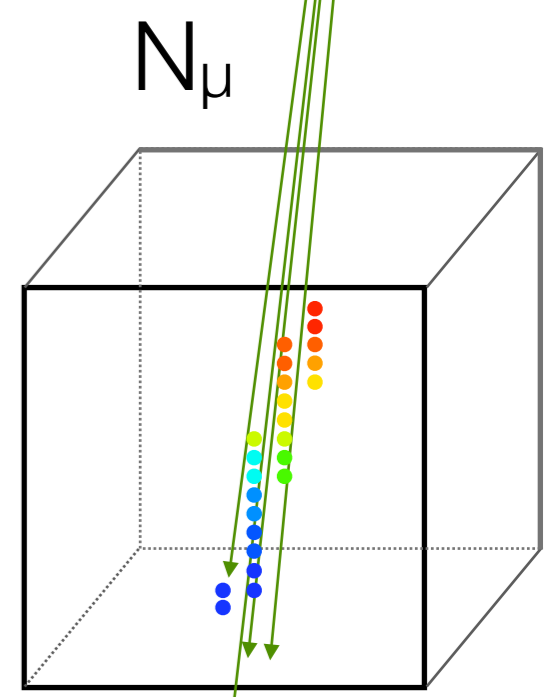
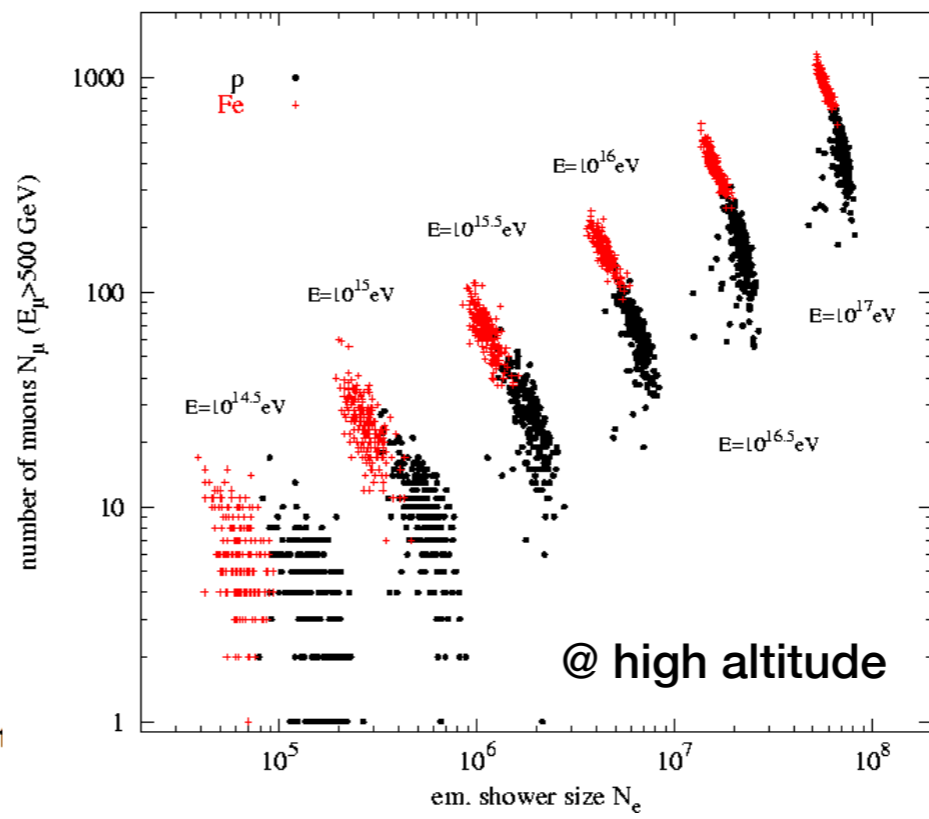
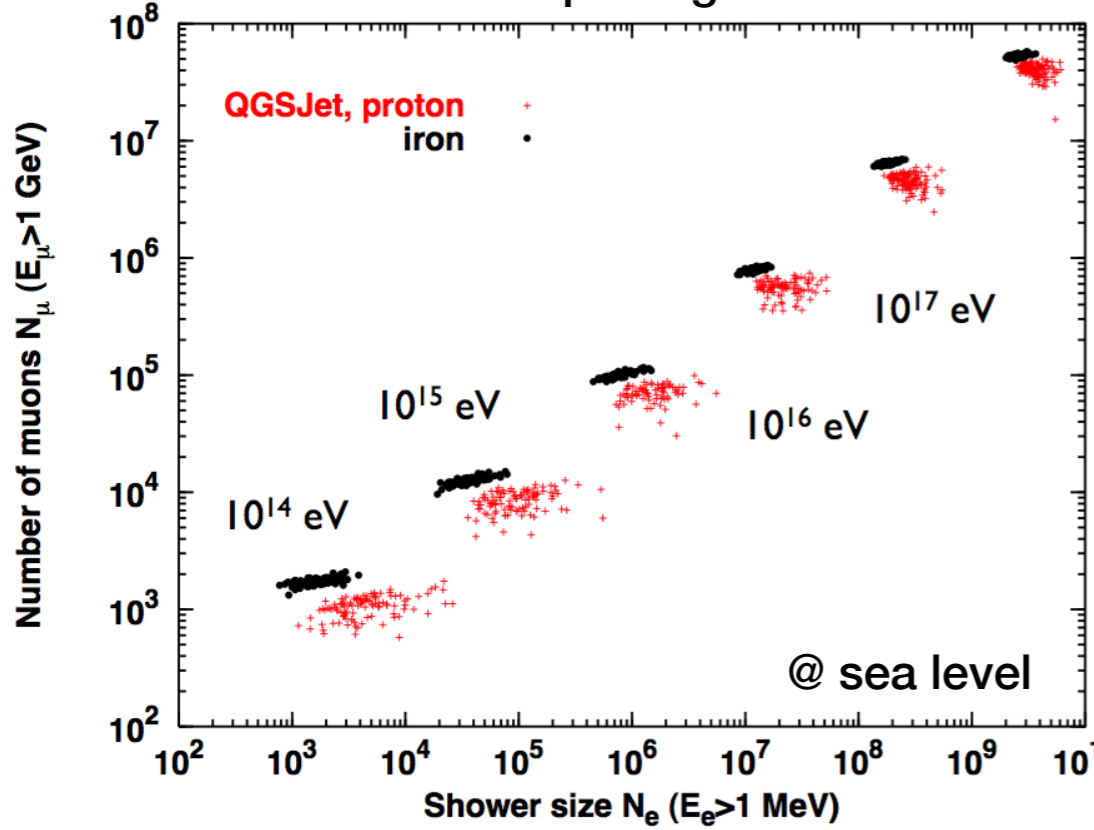
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← @sea level



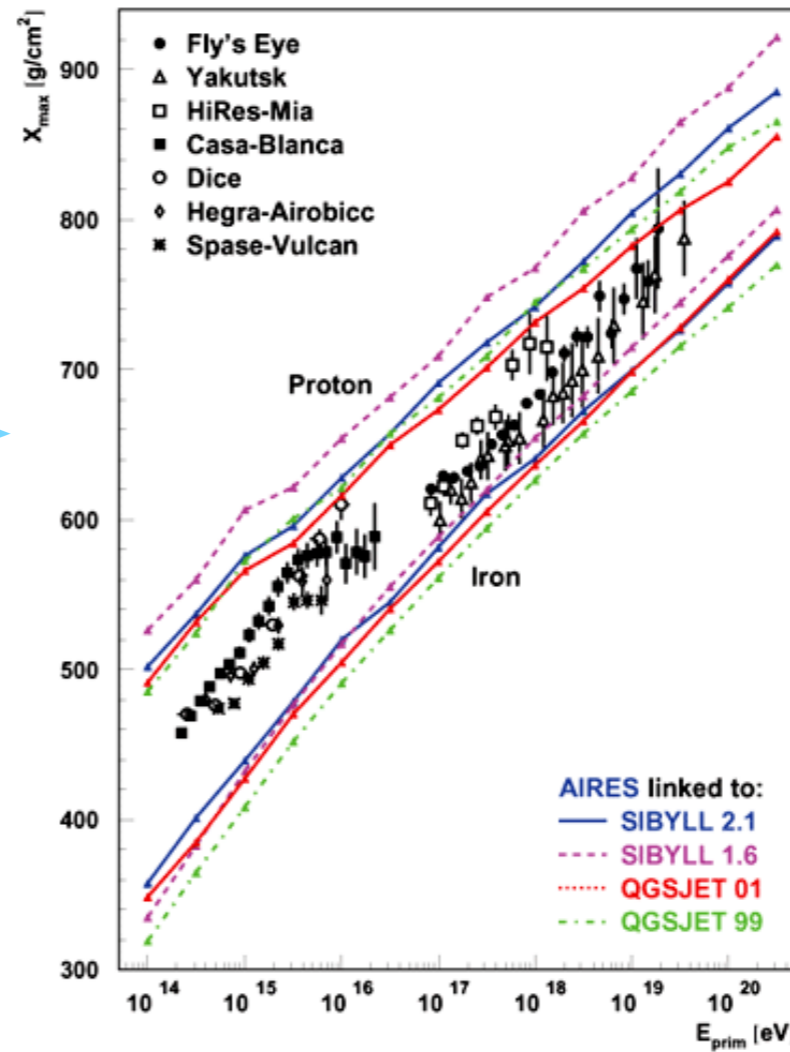
simulations - Ralph Engel



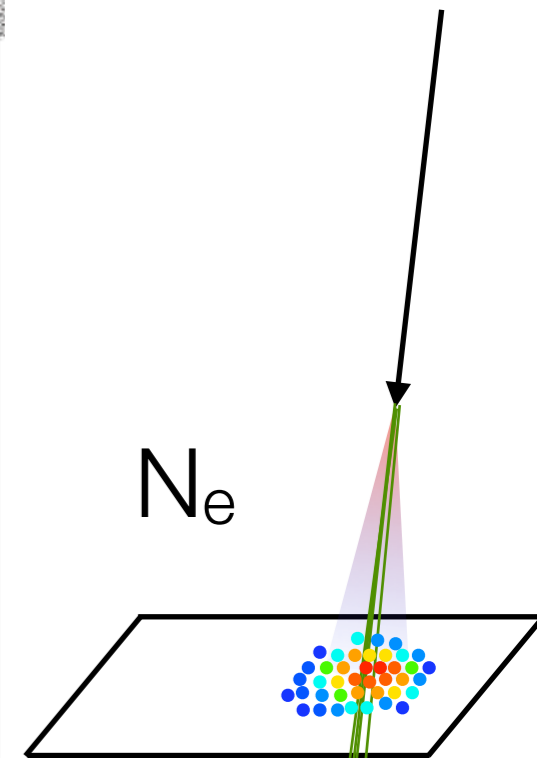
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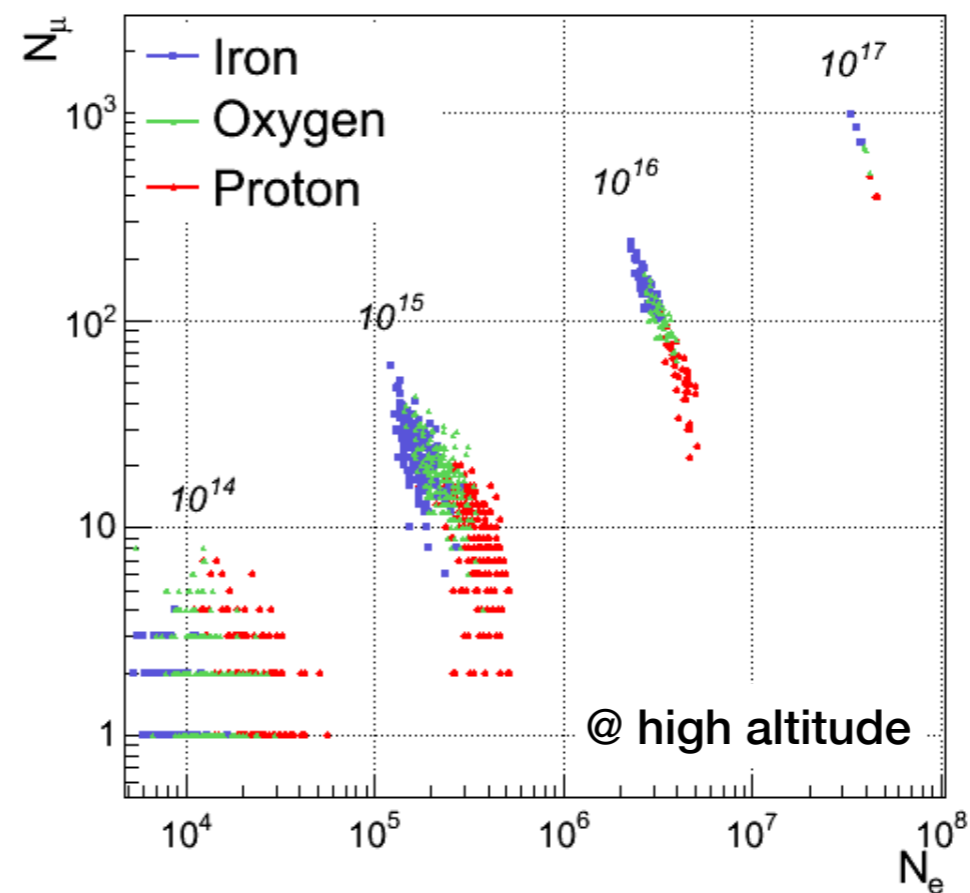
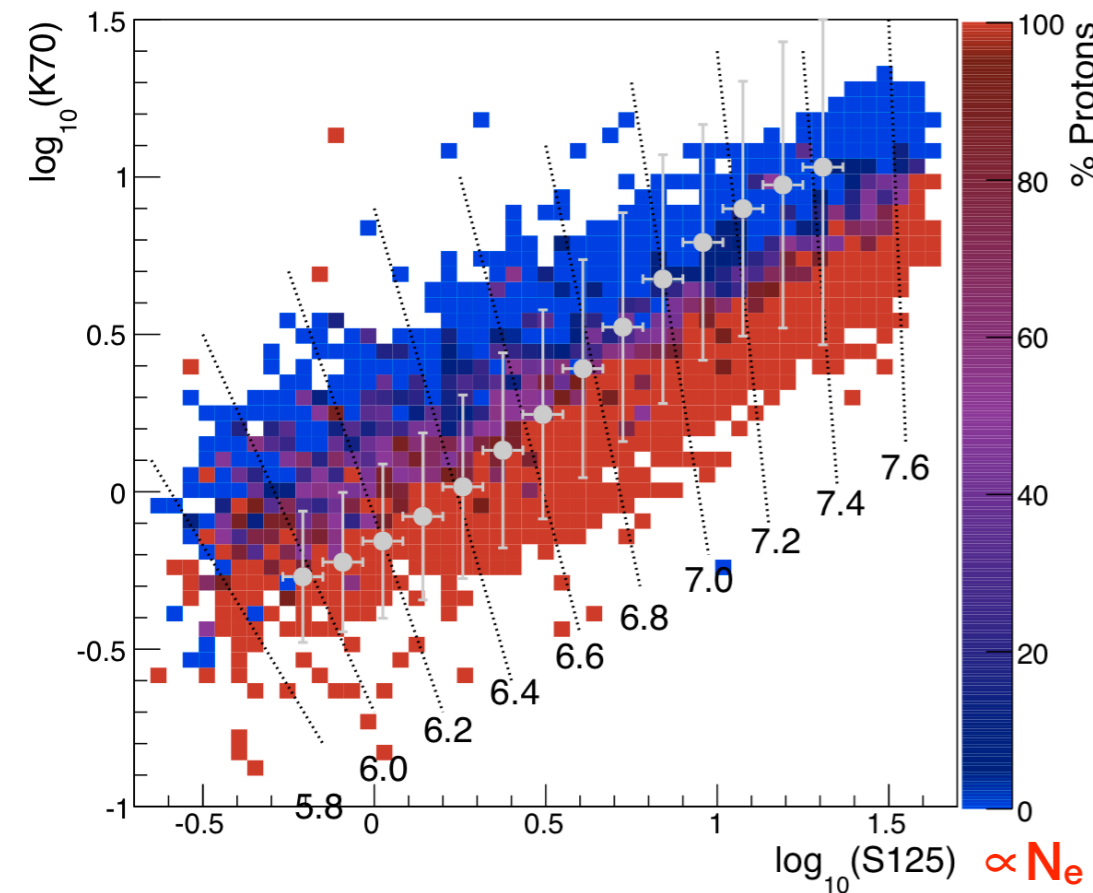


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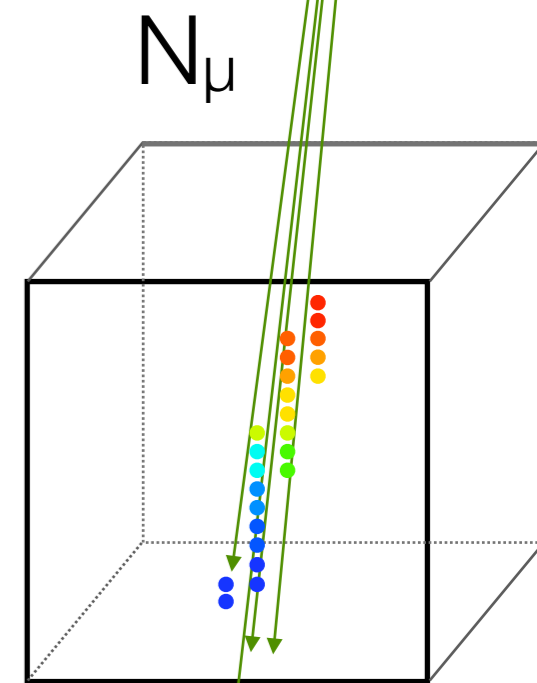


$N_e$

$\propto N_\mu$



@ high altitude



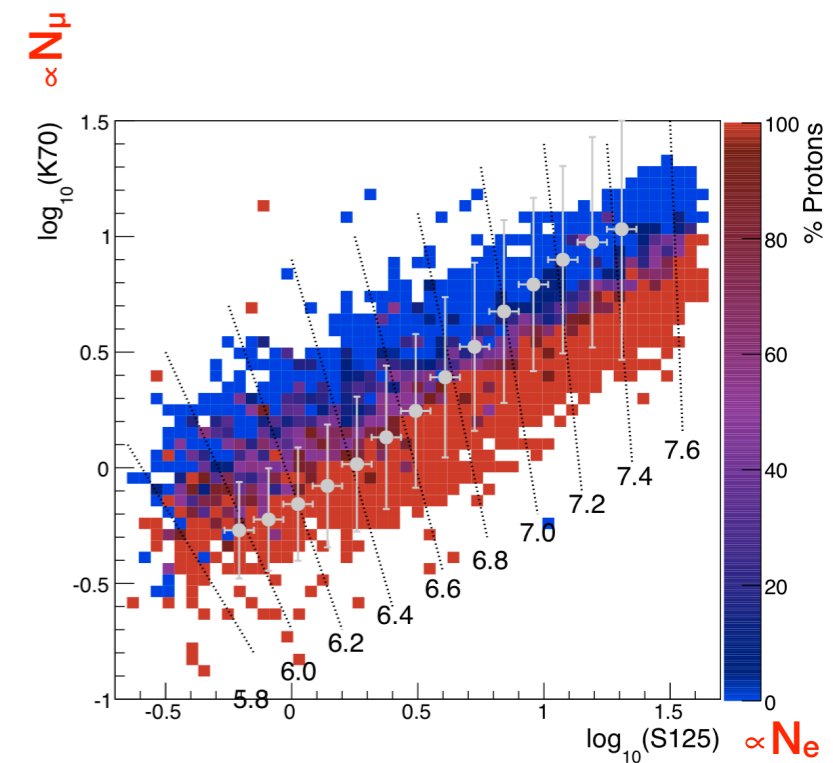
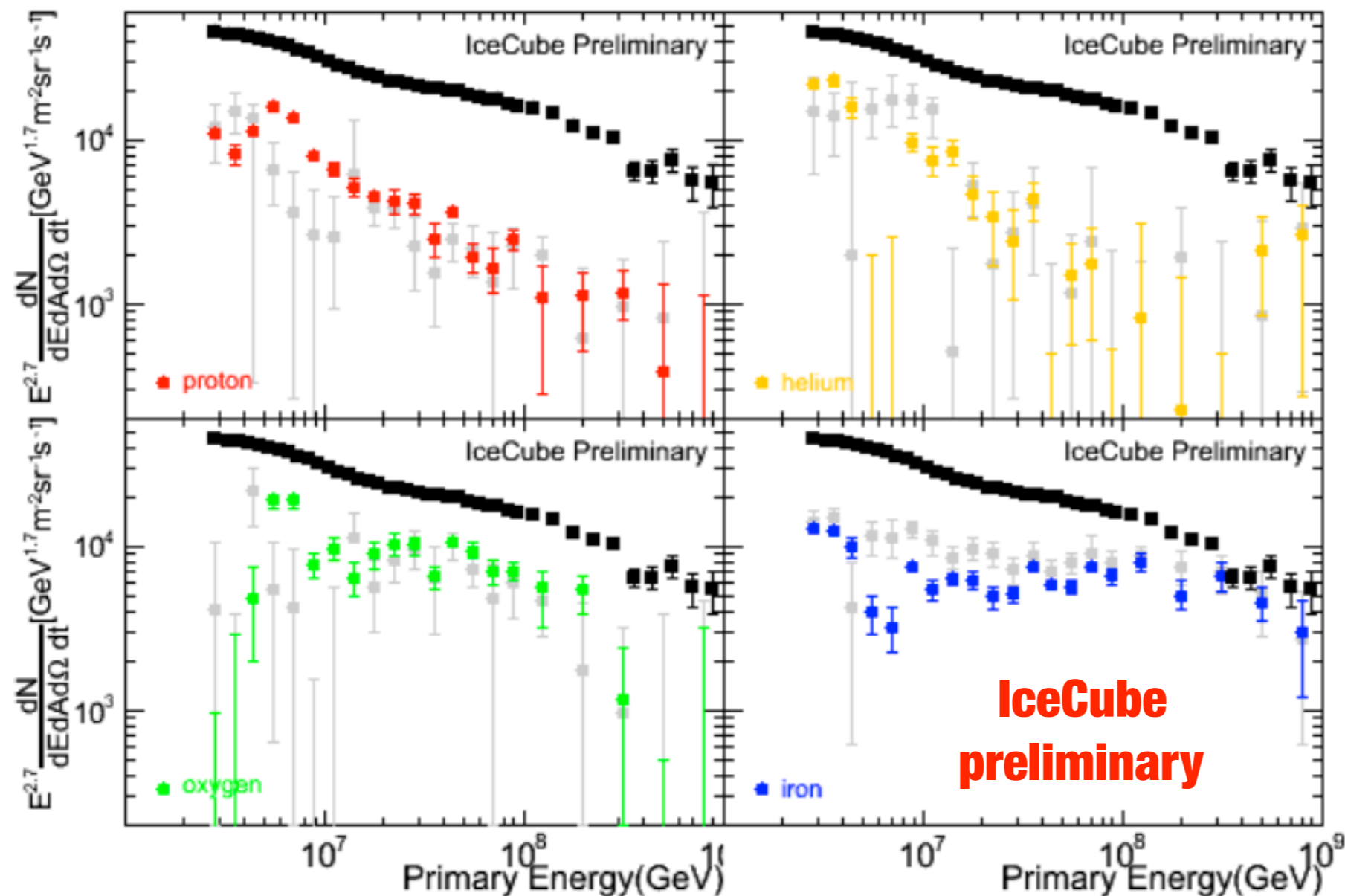
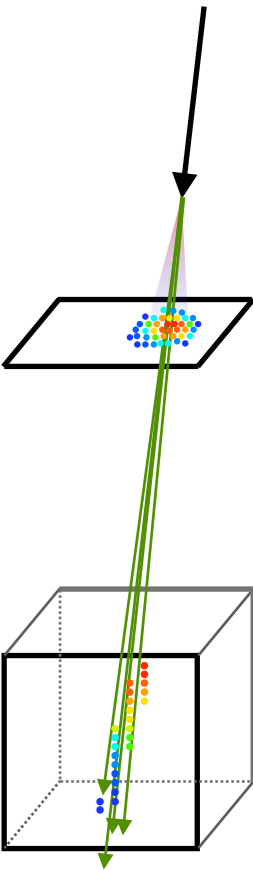
$N_\mu$

# cosmic rays composition

coincident events

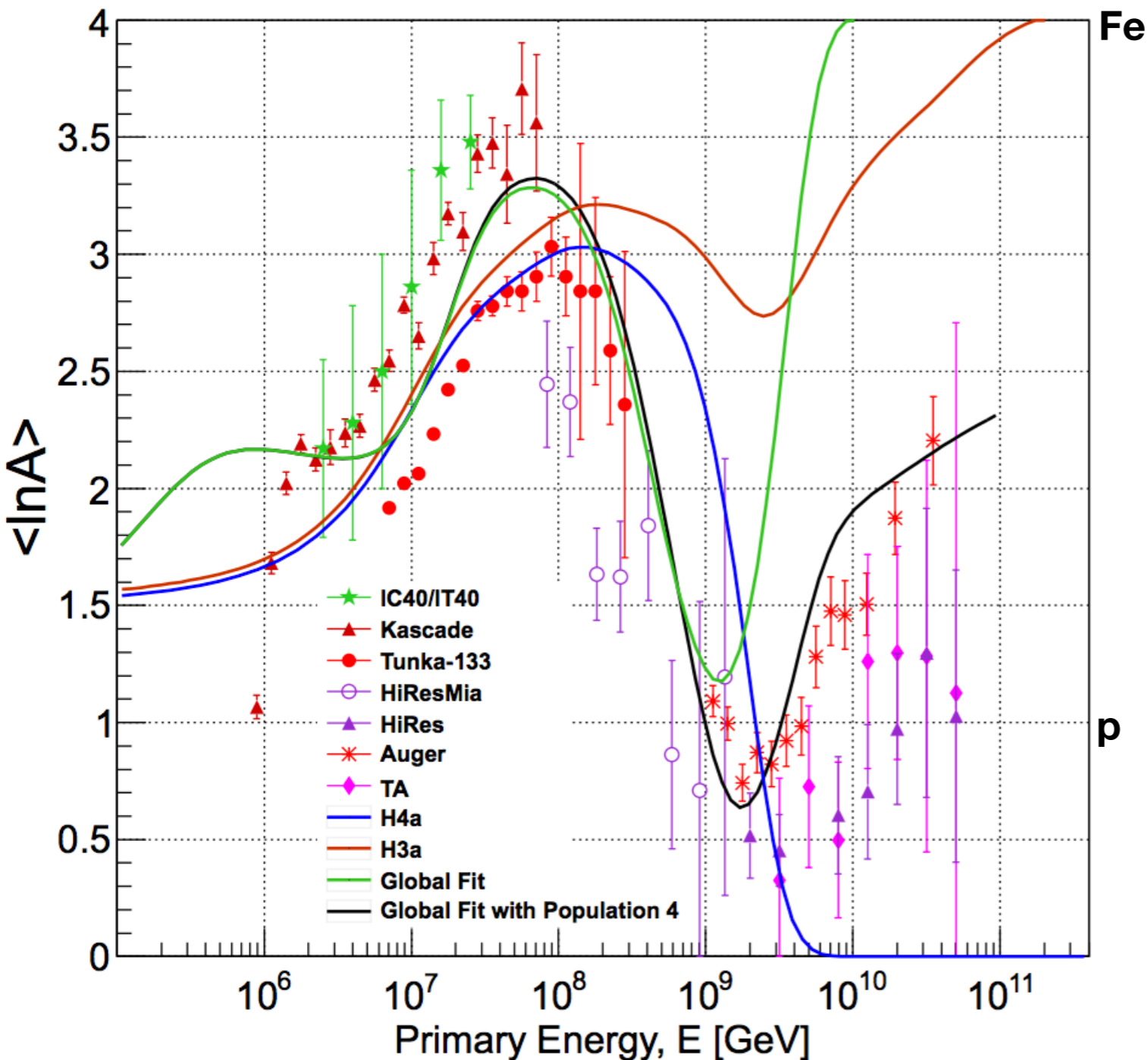
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effect of hadronic interaction models



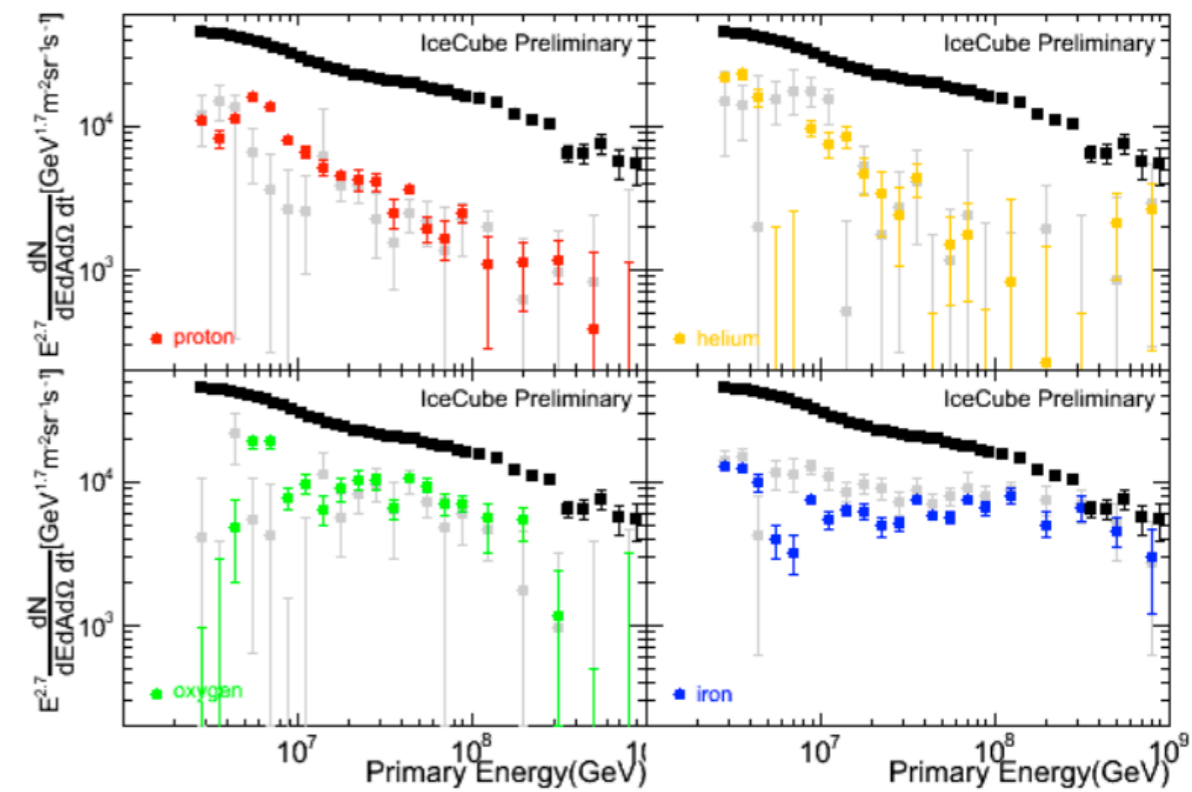
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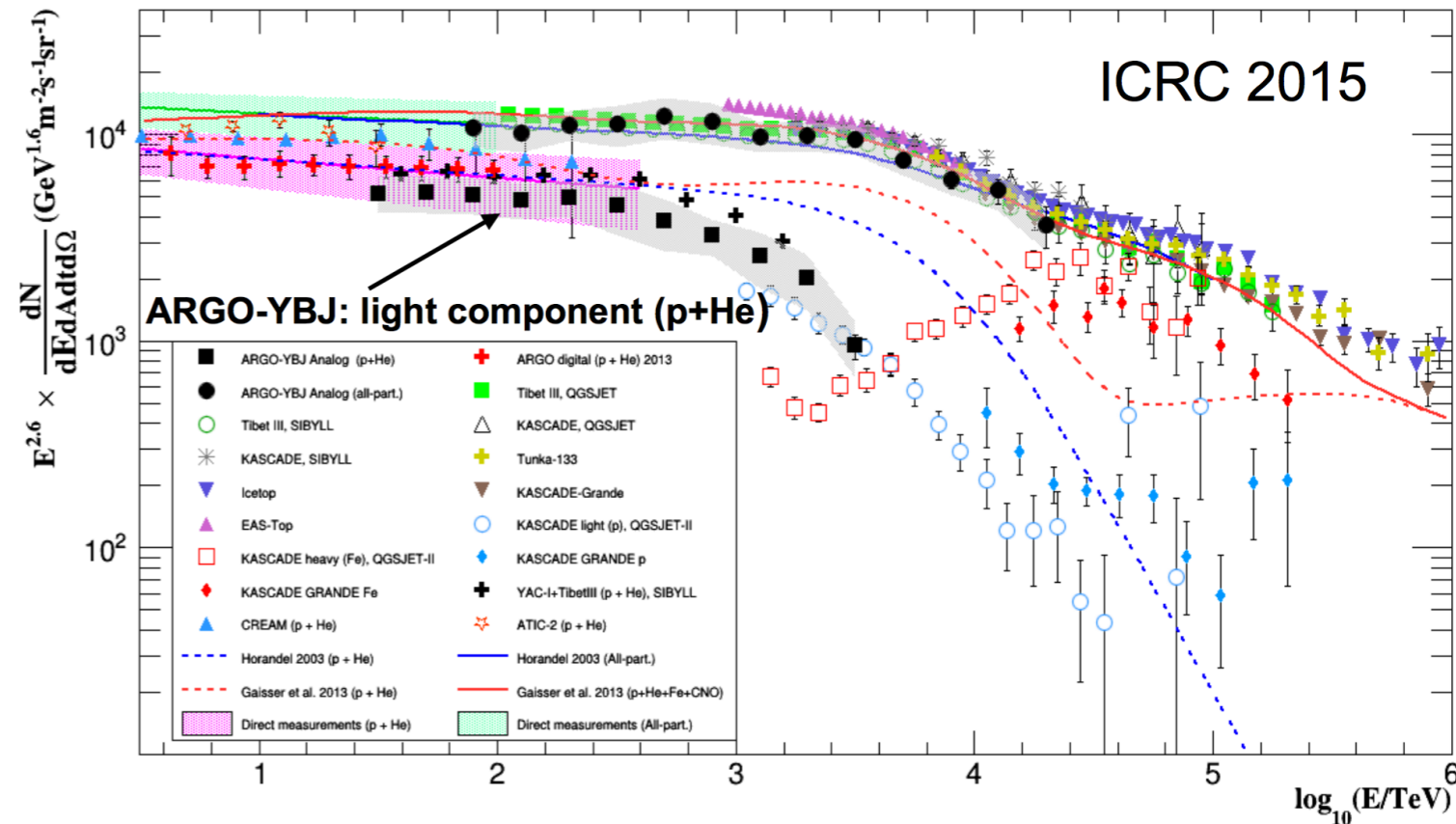
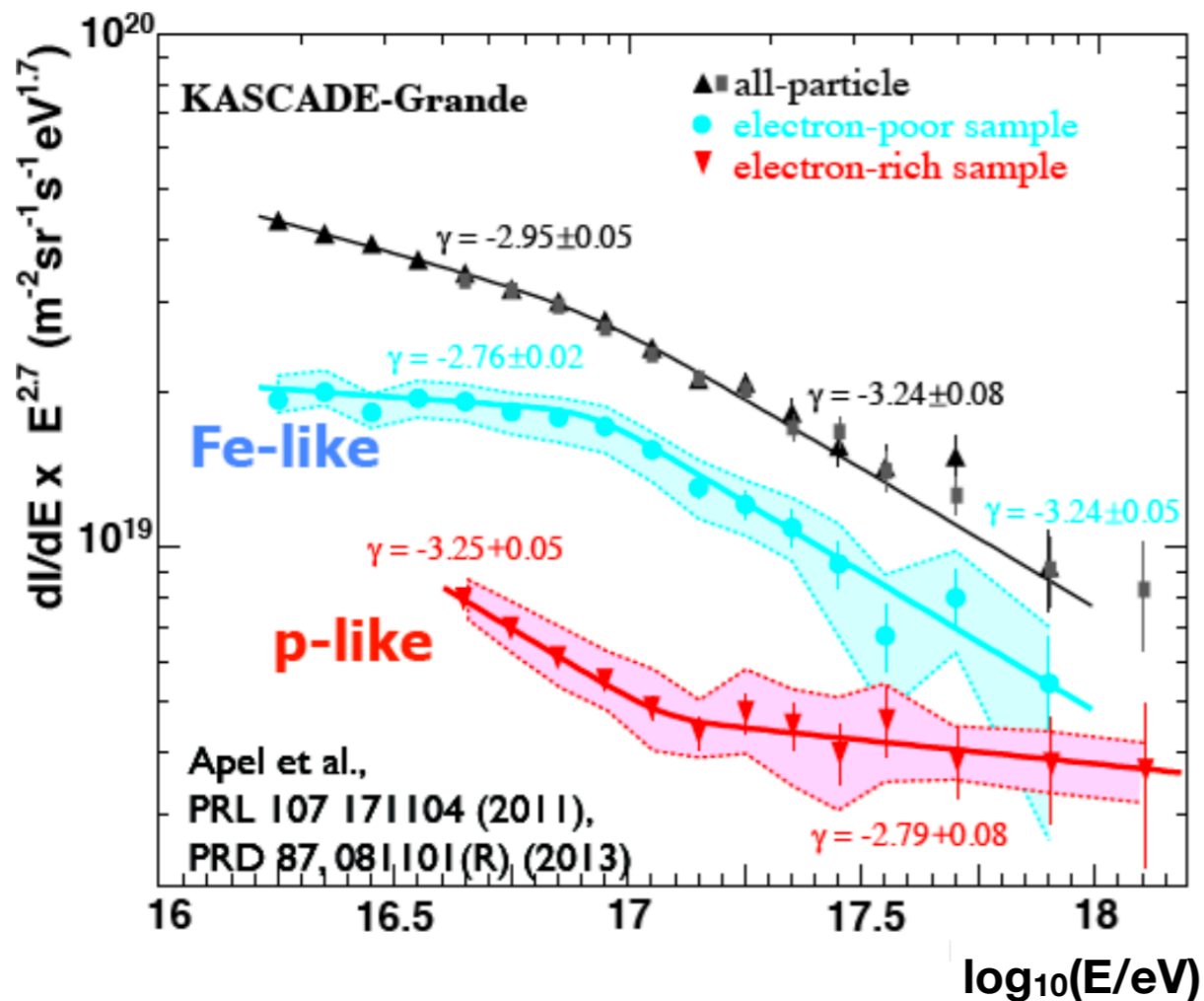
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## other experiments



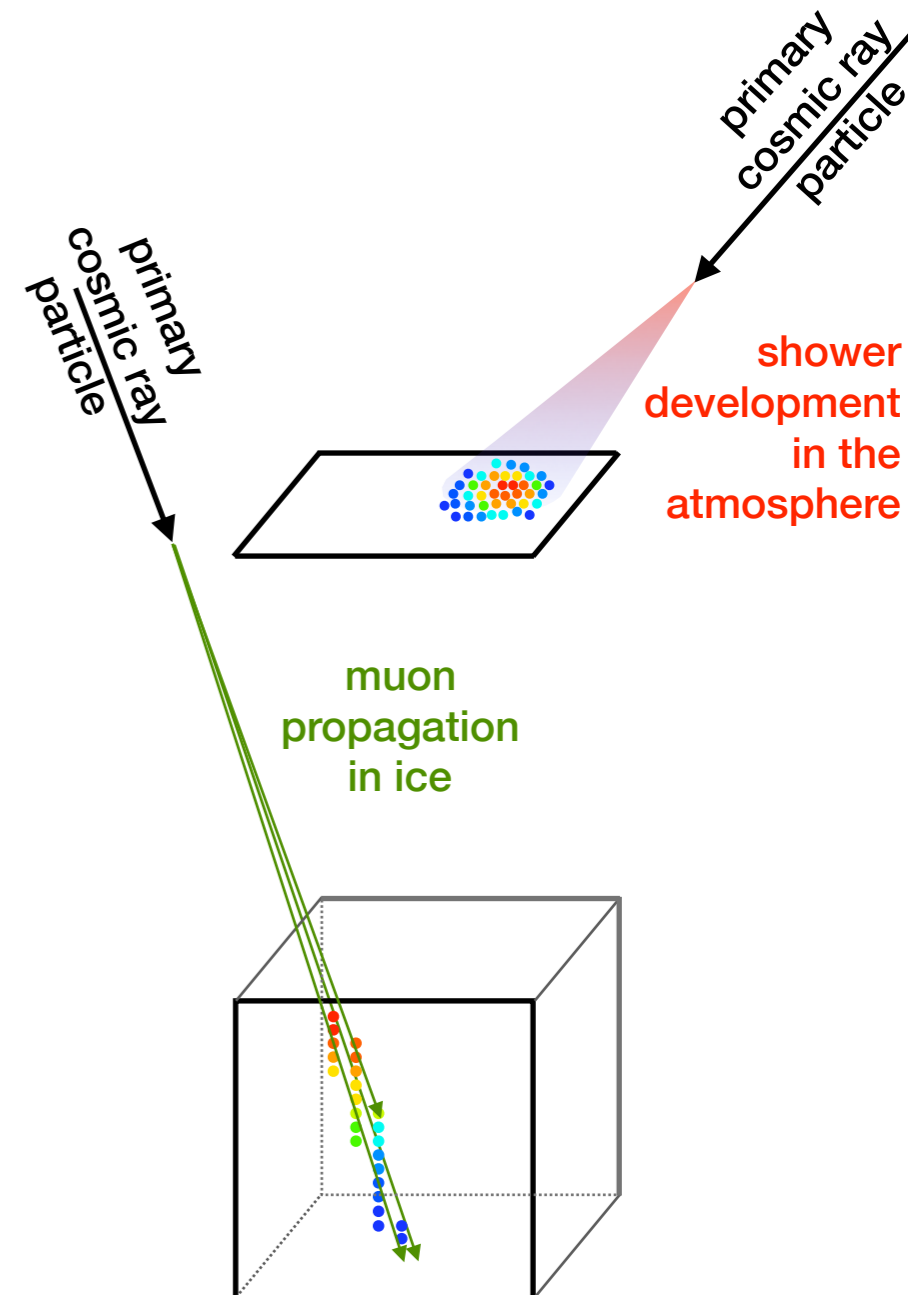
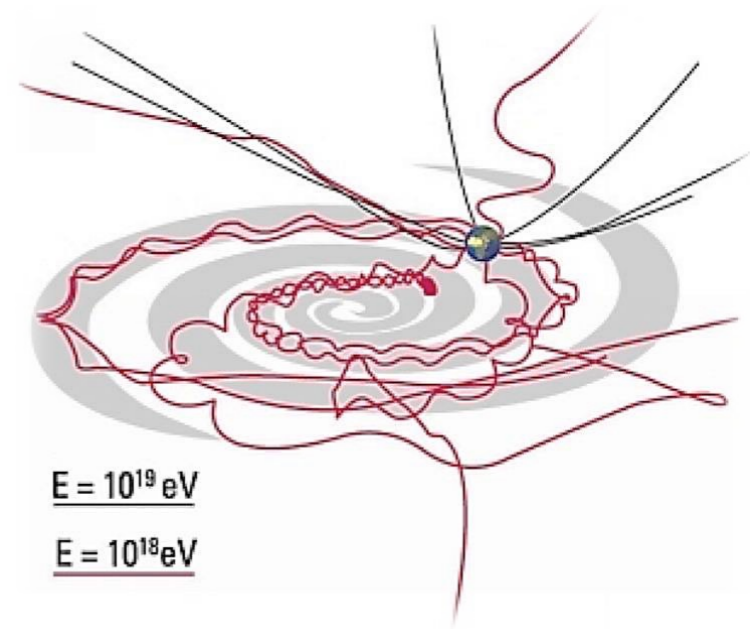
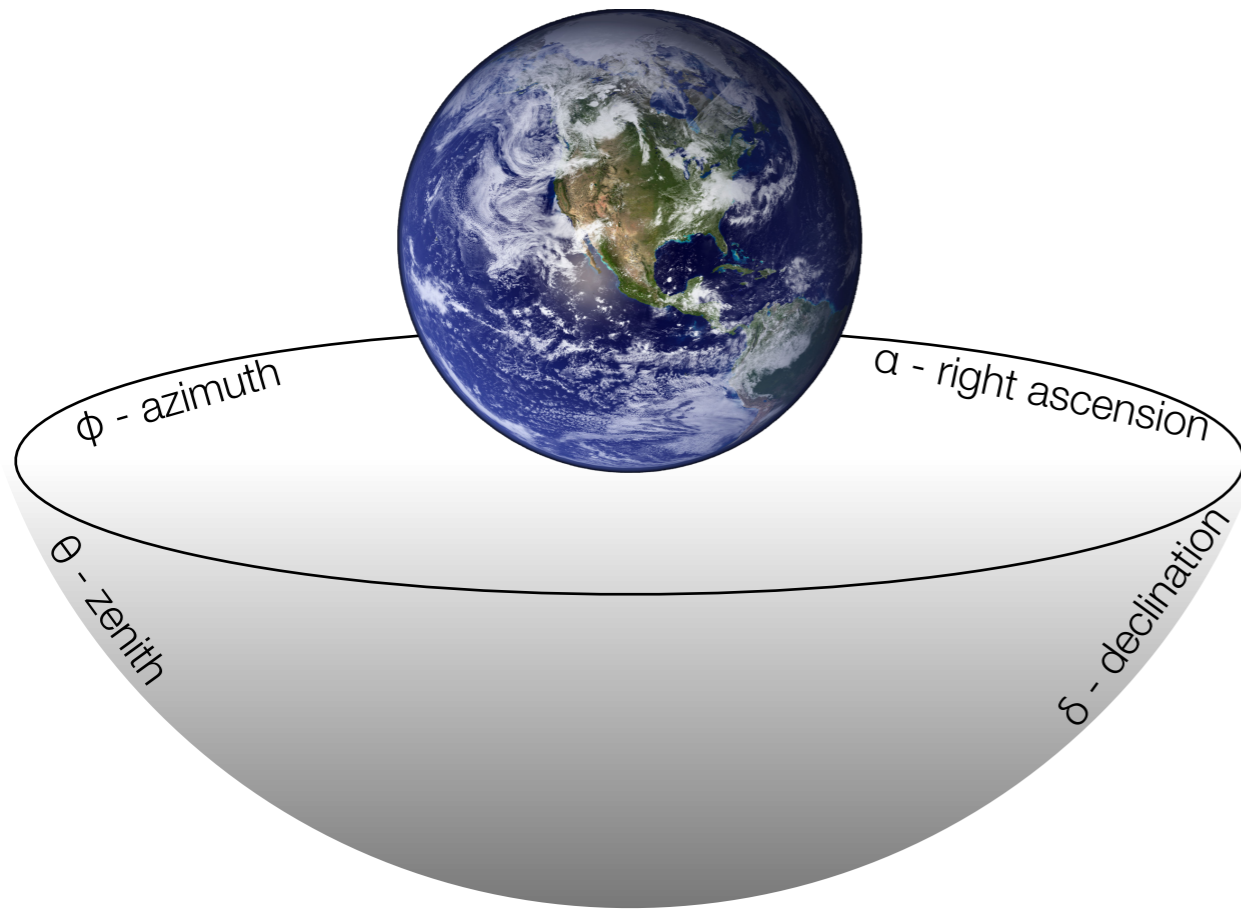
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# cosmic rays anisotropy

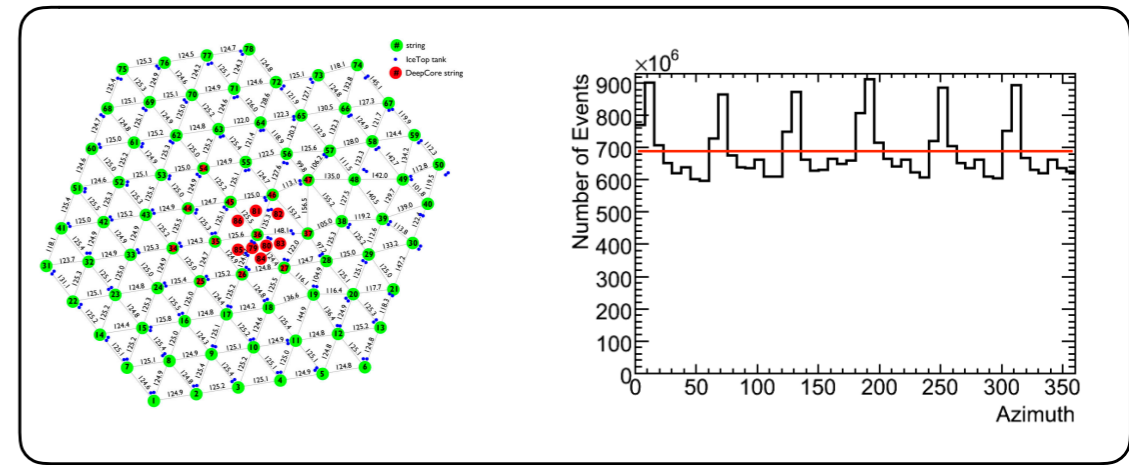
## arrival direction distribution

- cosmic rays expected to be **almost** isotropic
- **scrambled** by galactic magnetic field
- what does **isotropy** look like in IceCube ?

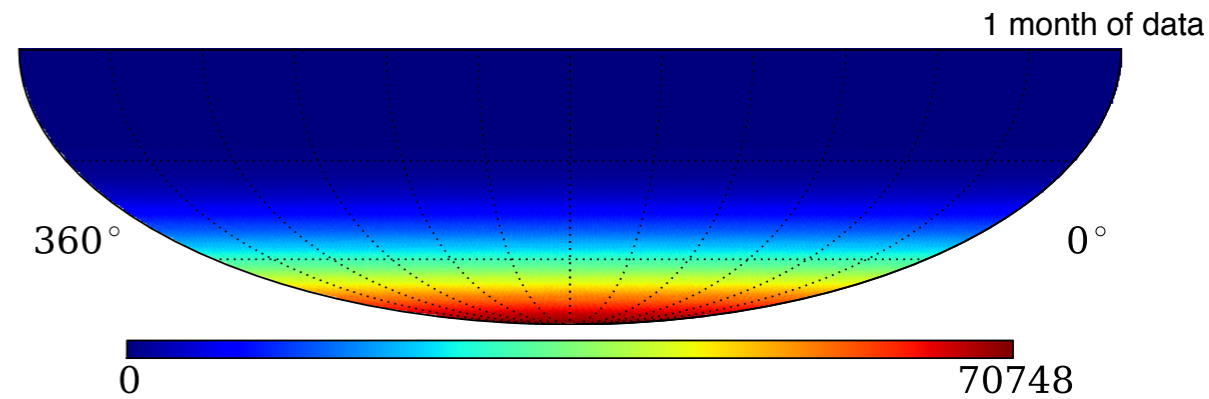


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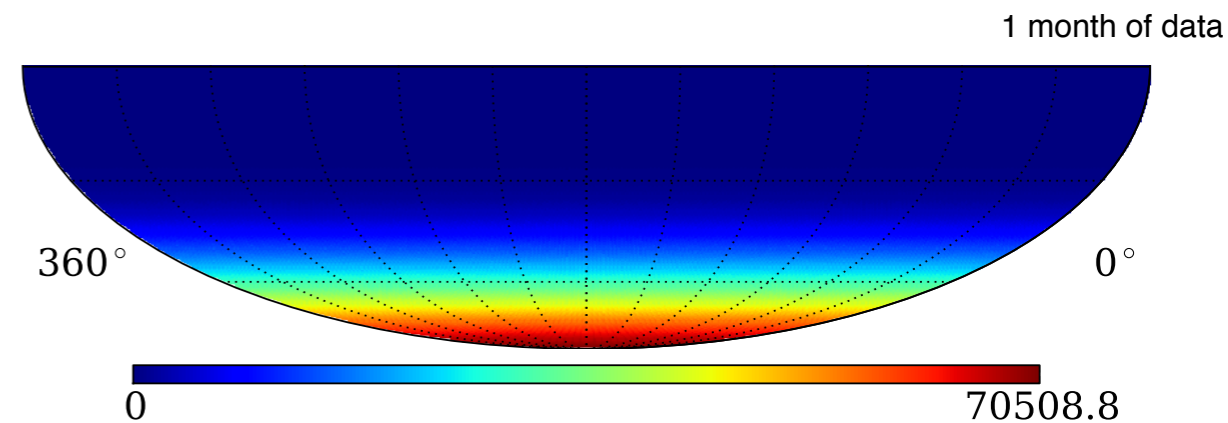
## arrival direction distribution



**raw map** of events in equatorial coordinates  $(\alpha, \delta)_i$

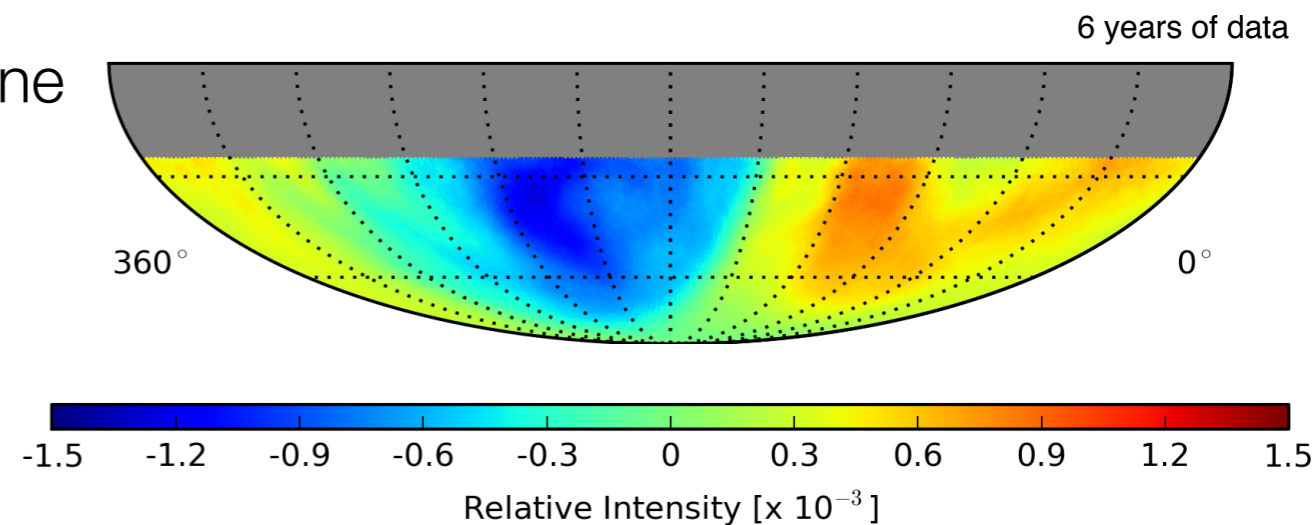


**reference map** from events scrambled over 24hr in  $\alpha$  (or time)

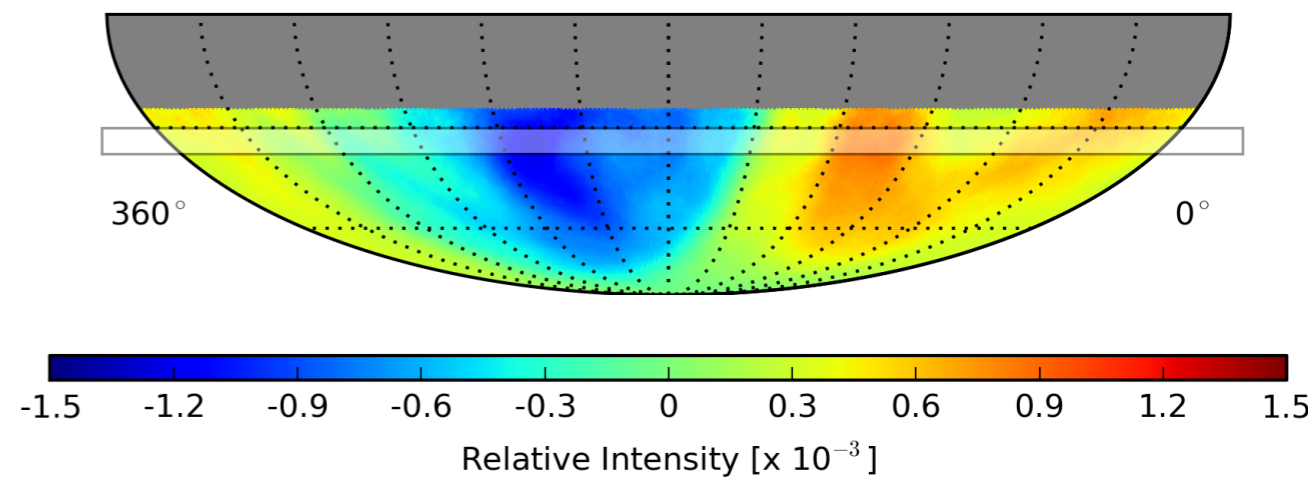
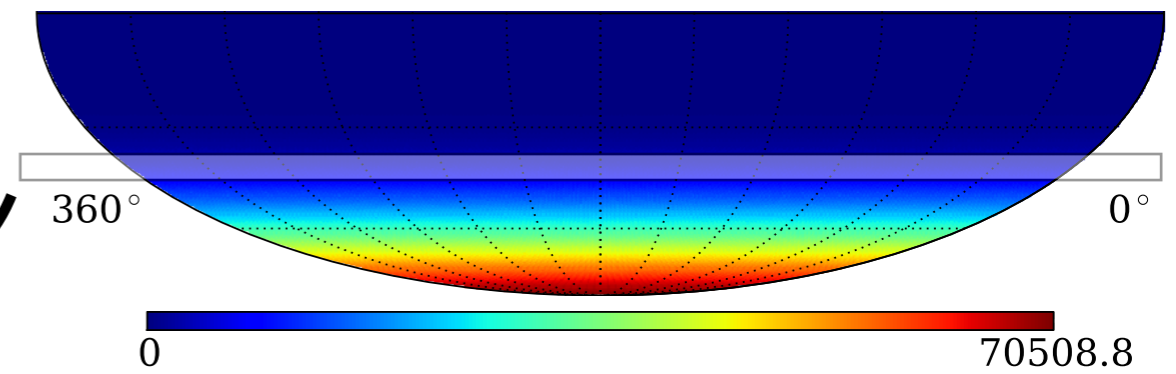
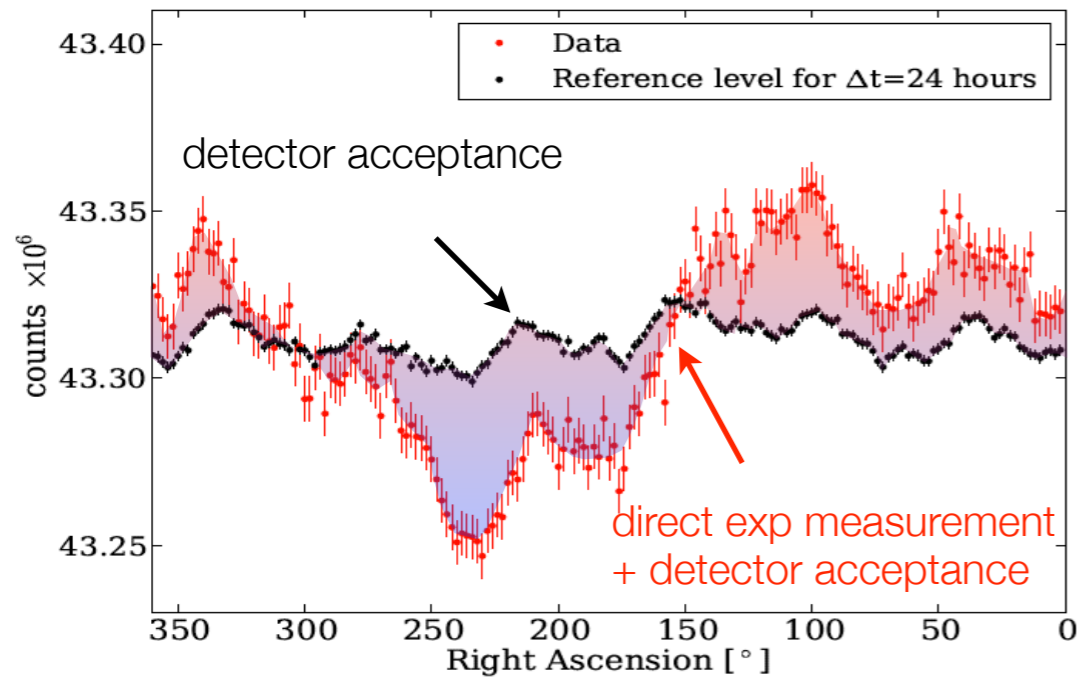
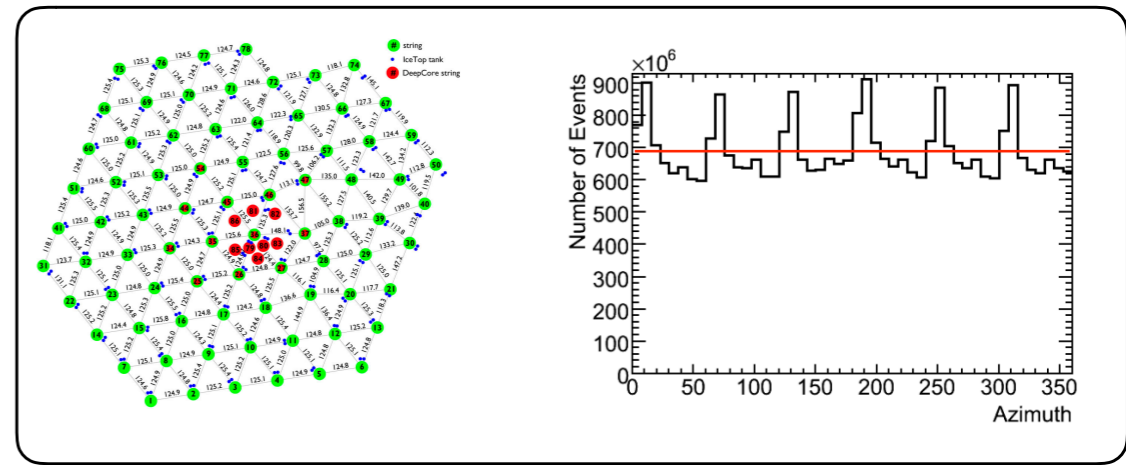


**subtract** reference map from raw map to determine the **residual relative intensity** map

$$\frac{\Delta I}{\langle I \rangle} \equiv \frac{N_i - \langle N \rangle}{\langle N \rangle}$$



# cosmic rays anisotropy arrival direction distribution



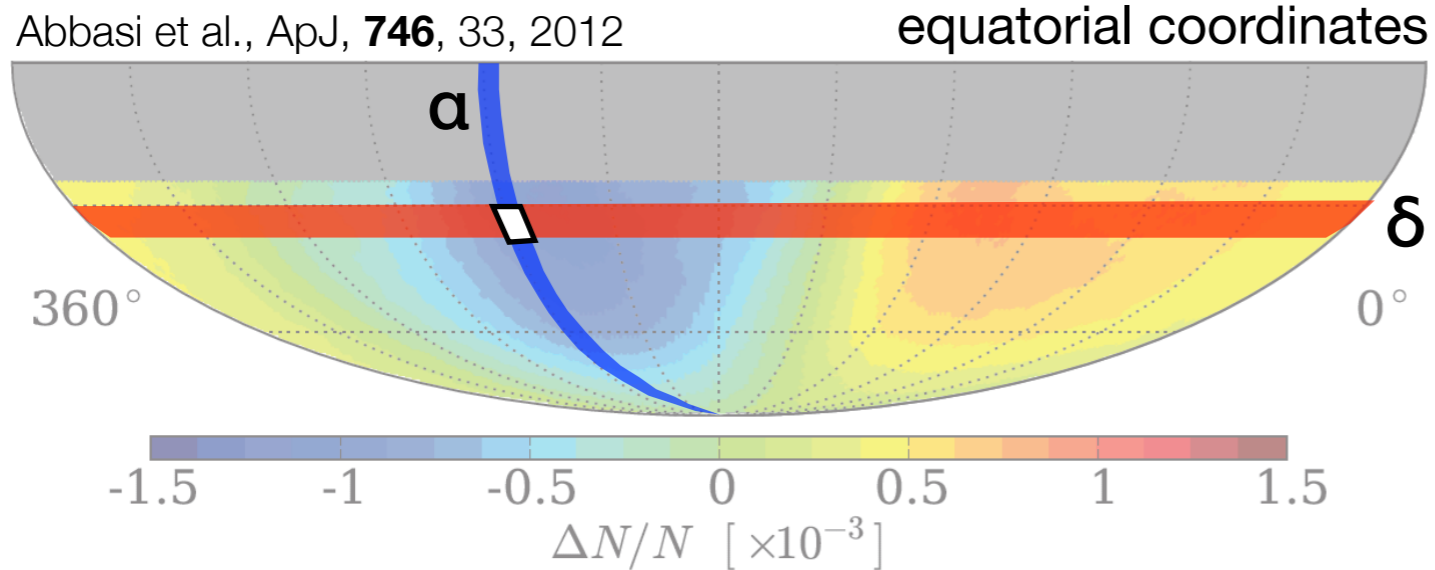
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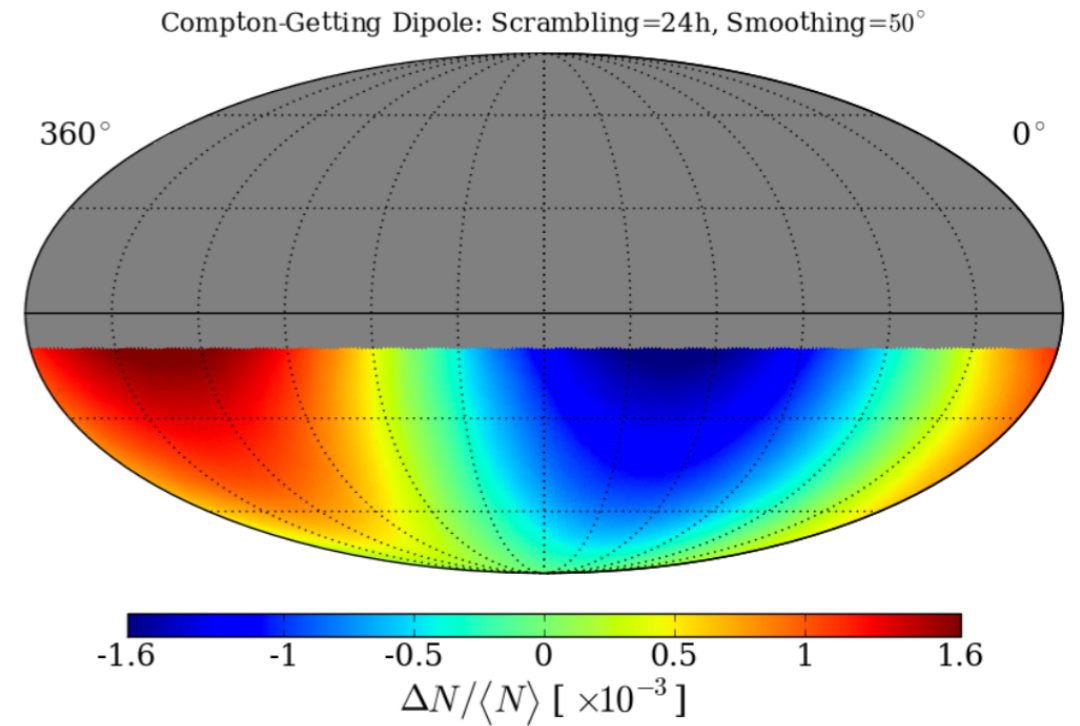
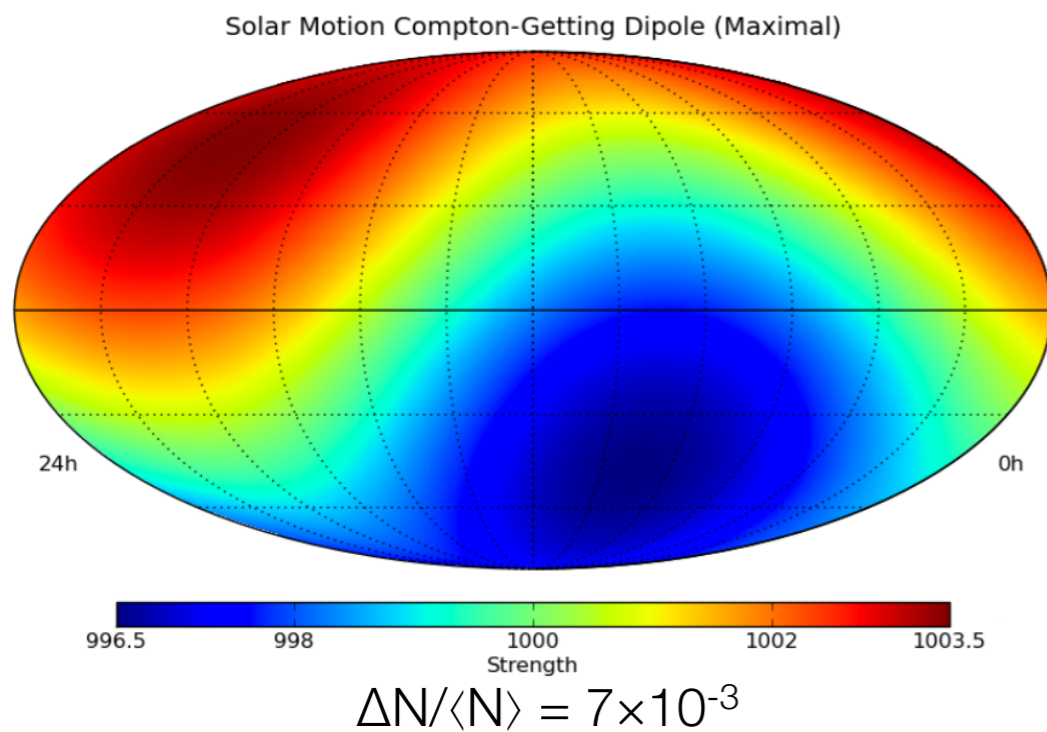
# measuring cosmic ray anisotropy

relative intensity

**DISCLAIMER**



$$\frac{\Delta N_i}{\langle N \rangle_i} = \frac{N_i(\alpha, \delta) - \langle N_i(\alpha, \delta) \rangle}{\langle N_i(\alpha, \delta) \rangle}$$

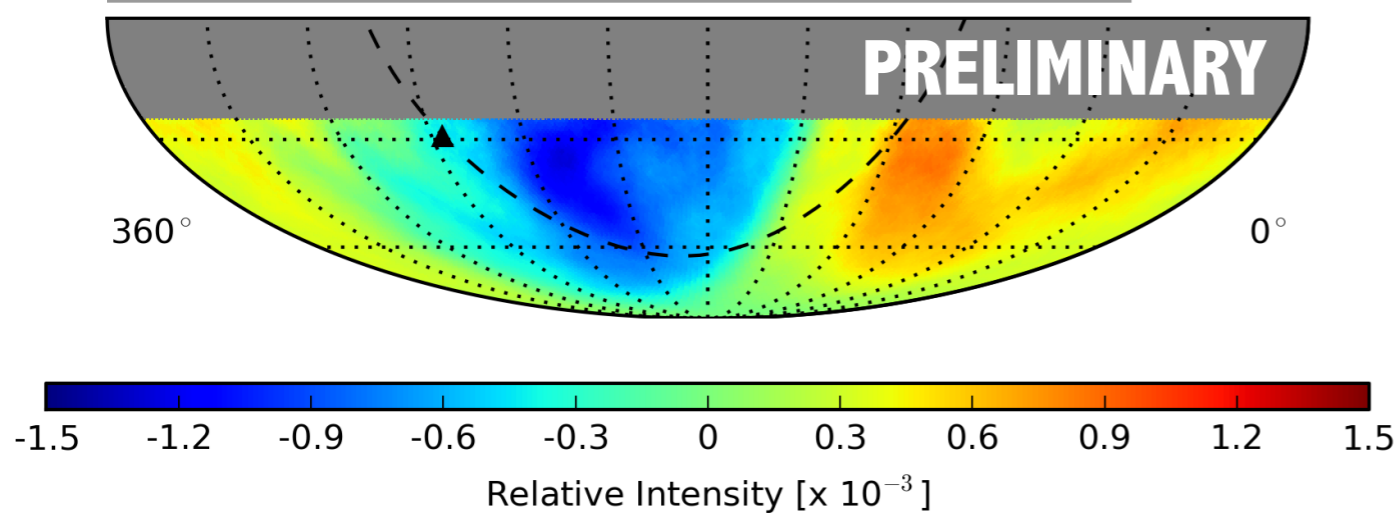


► sky maps show **ONLY** modulations across right ascension and **NOT** declination

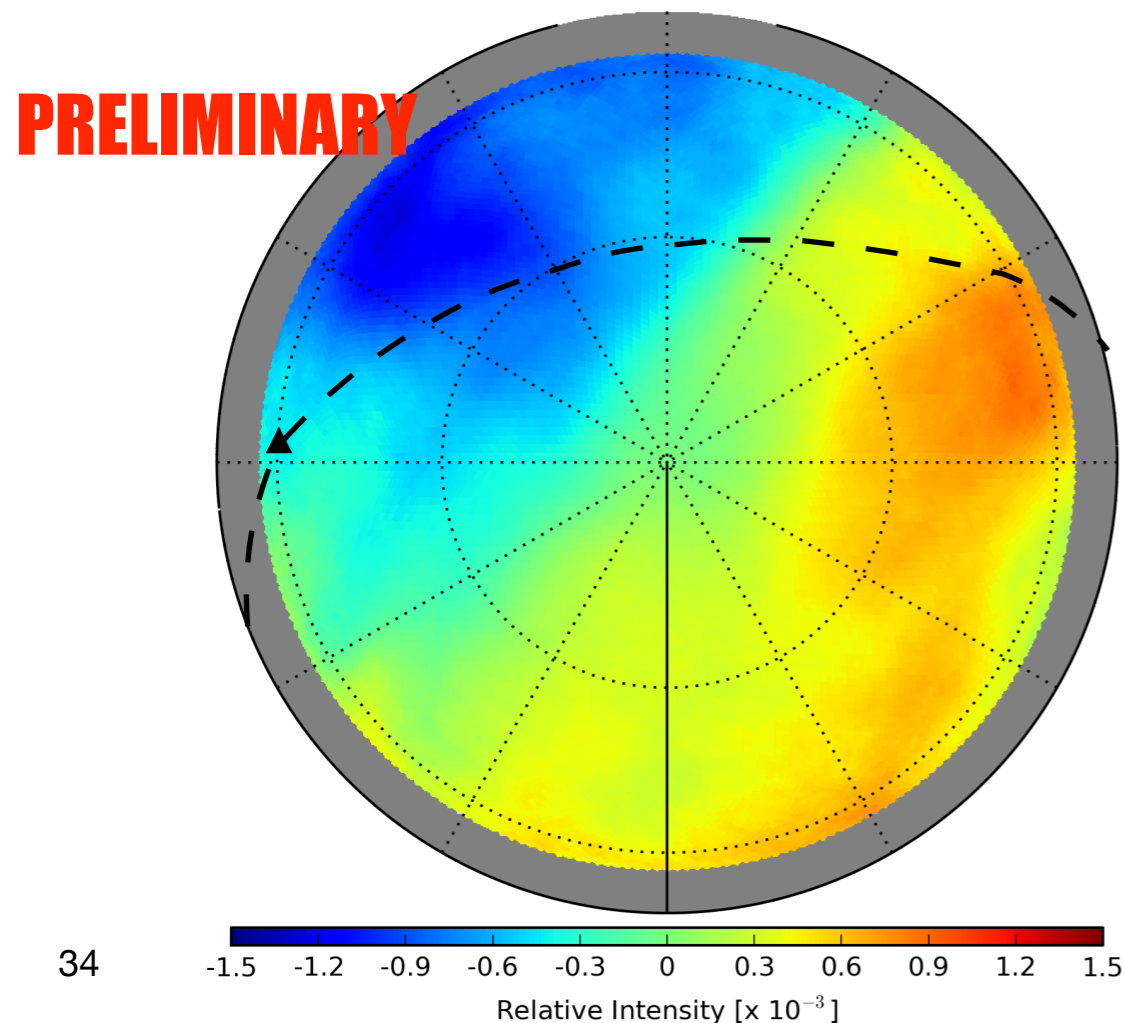
# cosmic rays anisotropy

## arrival direction distribution

to be submitted to ApJ



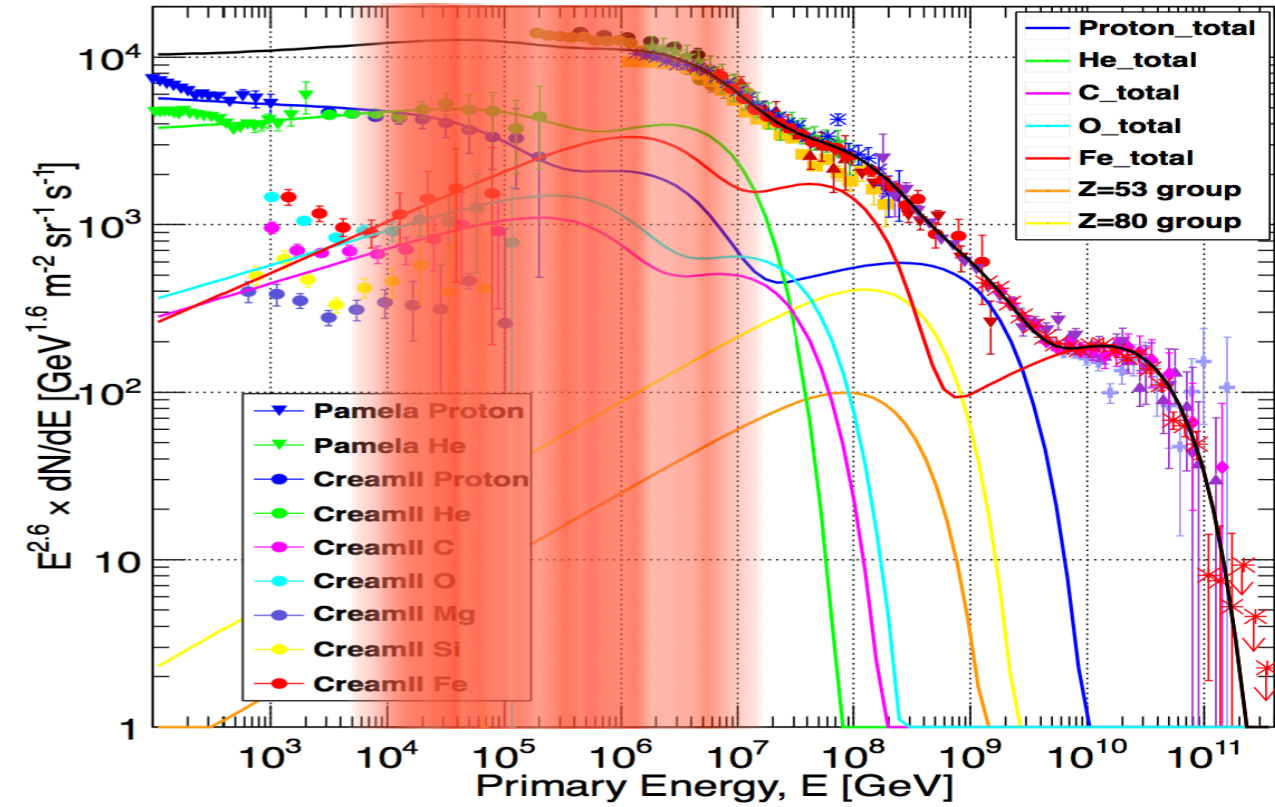
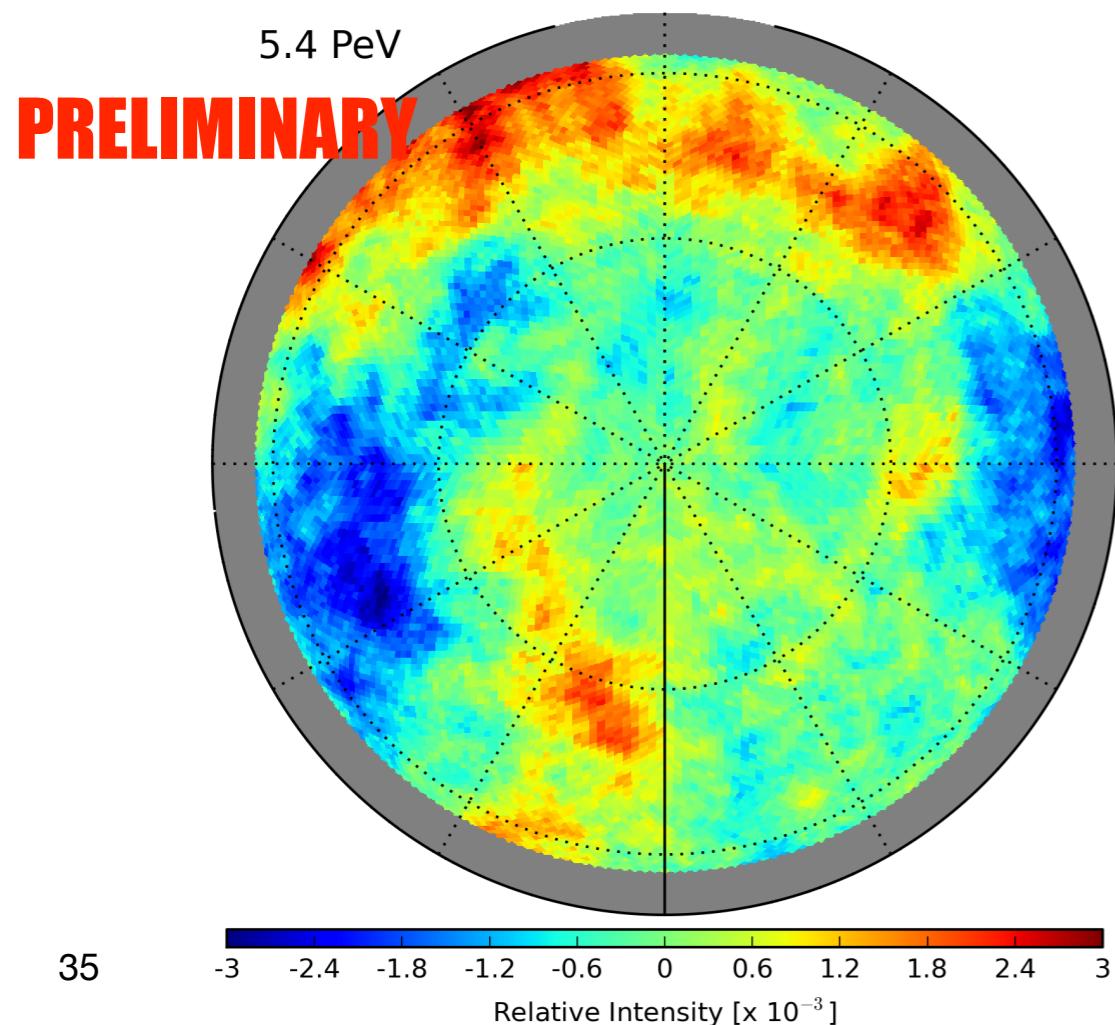
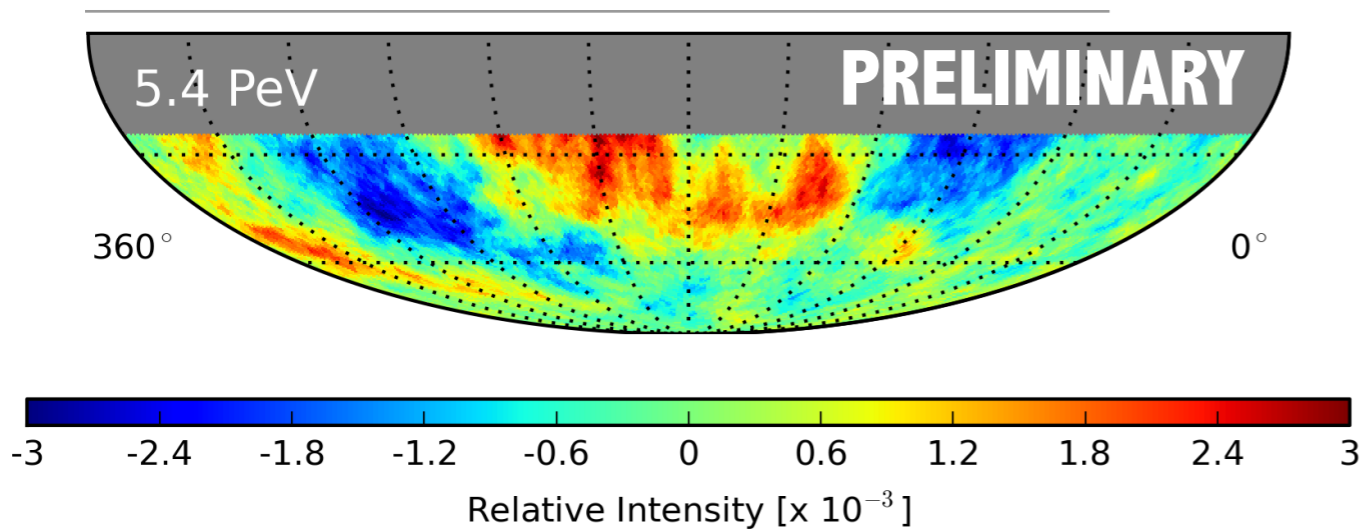
- 6 years of IceCube
- 300 billion events



- anisotropy on the level of  $10^{-3}$
- median cosmic ray energy **20 TeV**
- trace sources ? Magnetic fields ?

# cosmic rays anisotropy

## arrival direction distribution



**5.4 PeV**

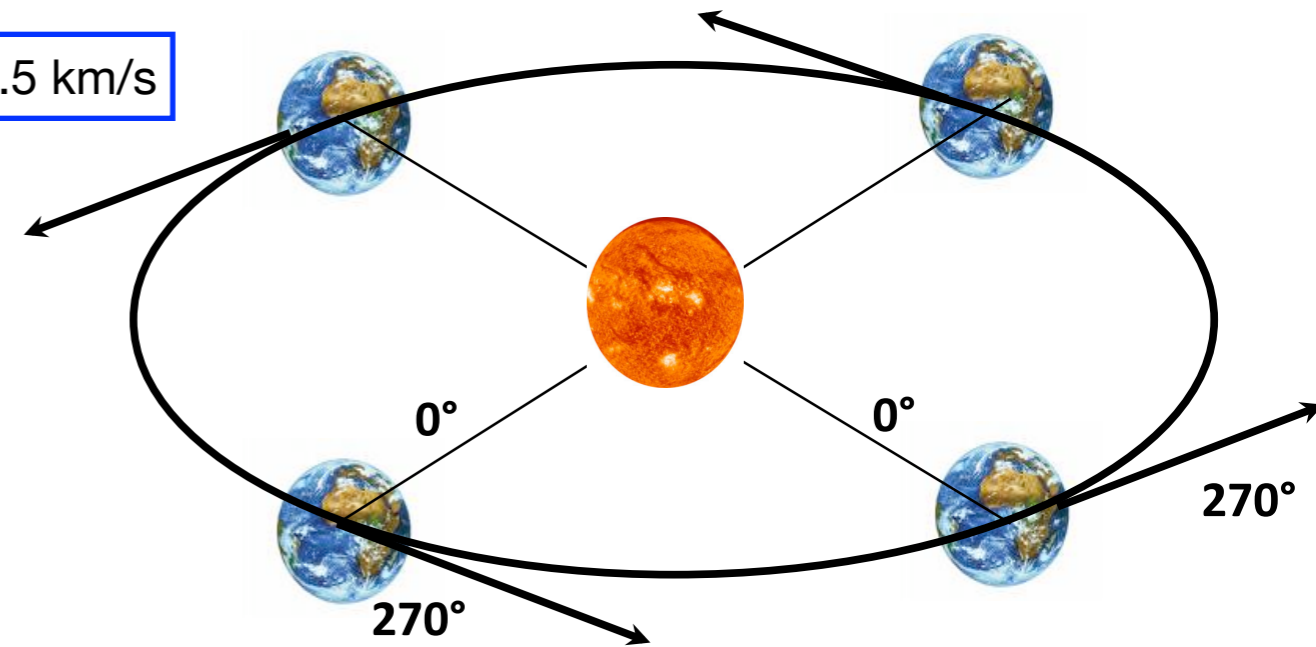
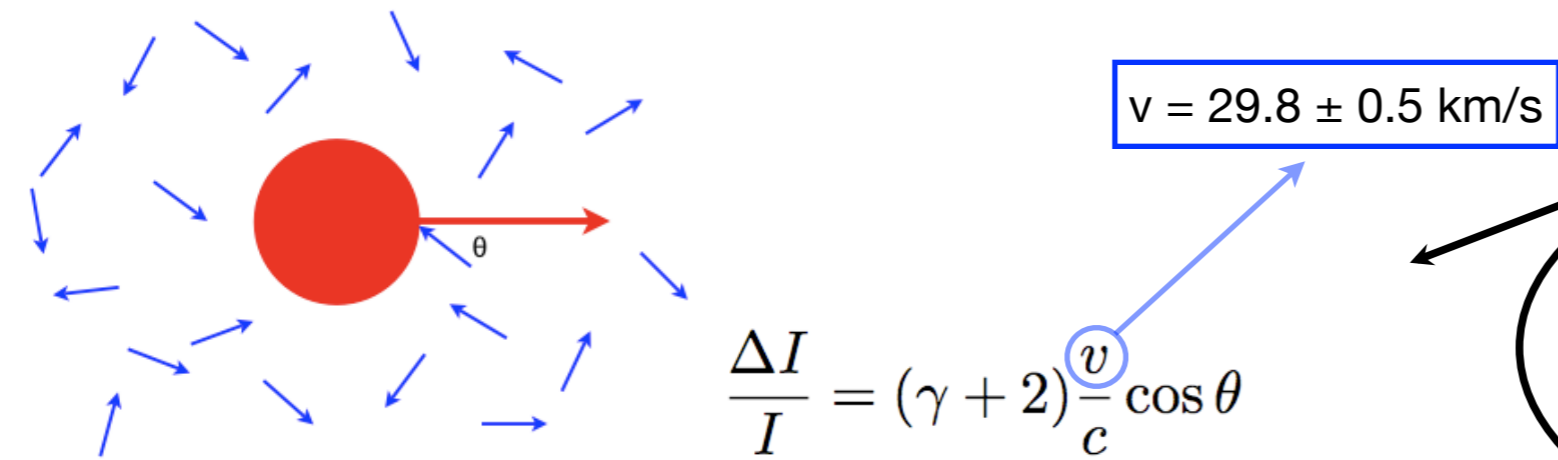
**IceTop**

- high energy observations **MISSING** in the northern hemisphere
- **overlapping observations** extending across the equator will help
- capable of energy/mass measurement

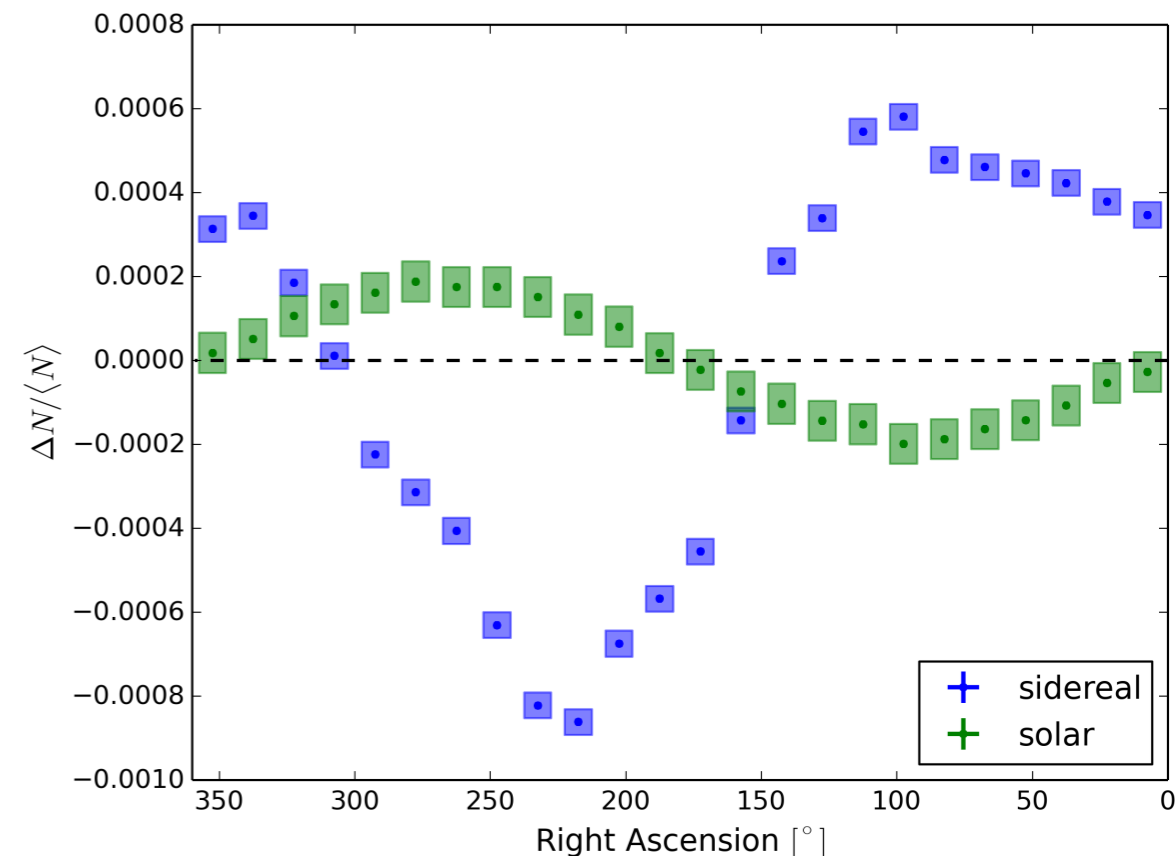
# a known anisotropy

## Earth's motion around the Sun

Compton & Getting, Phys. Rev. 47, 817 (1935)  
Gleeson, & Axford, Ap&SS, 2, 43 (1968)



- ▶ produced by Earth's revolution around the Sun
- ▶ visible as **solar diurnal modulation**
- ▶ **predictable** and used as **benchmark**

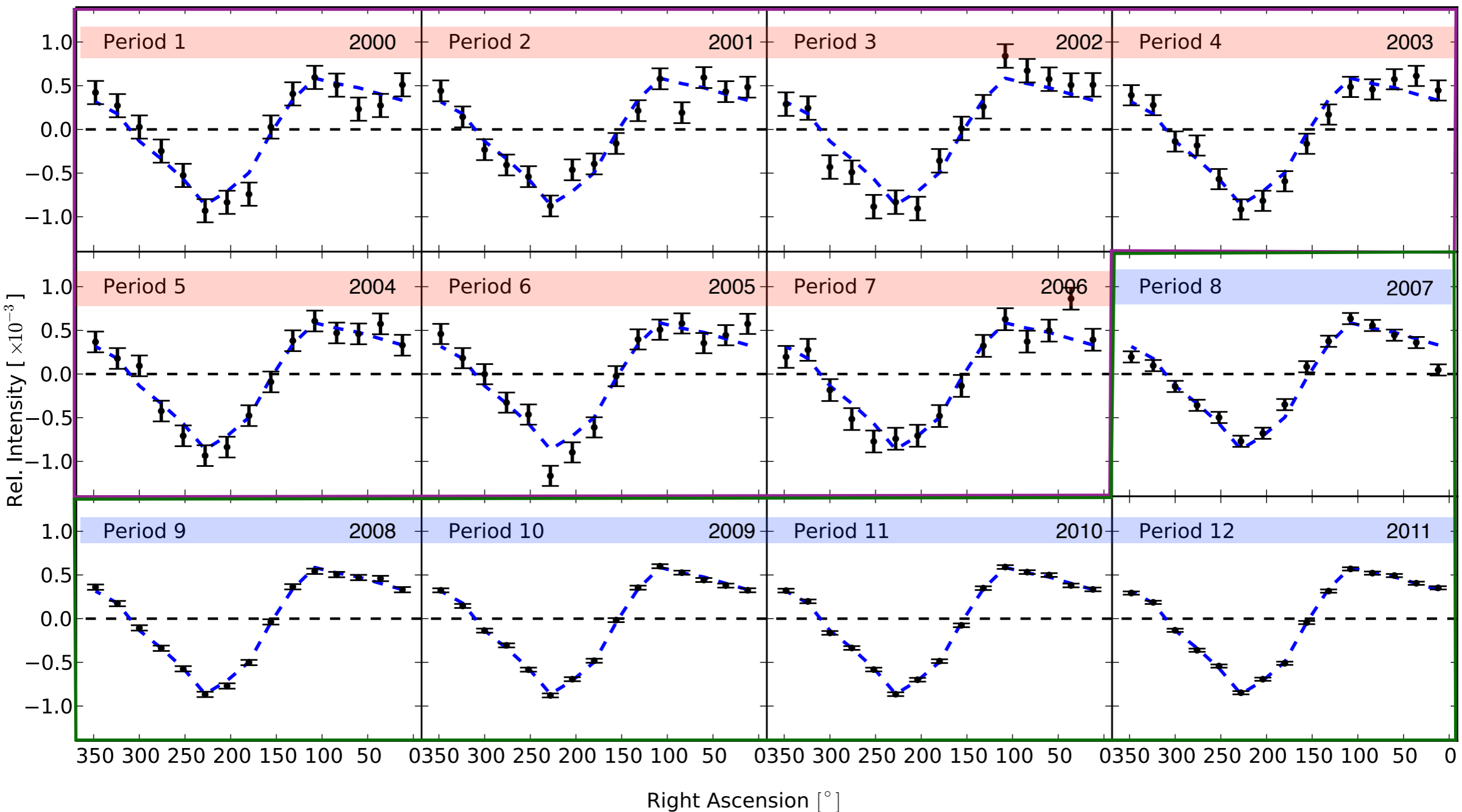


# cosmic ray anisotropy

AMANDA-IceCube 2000-2011

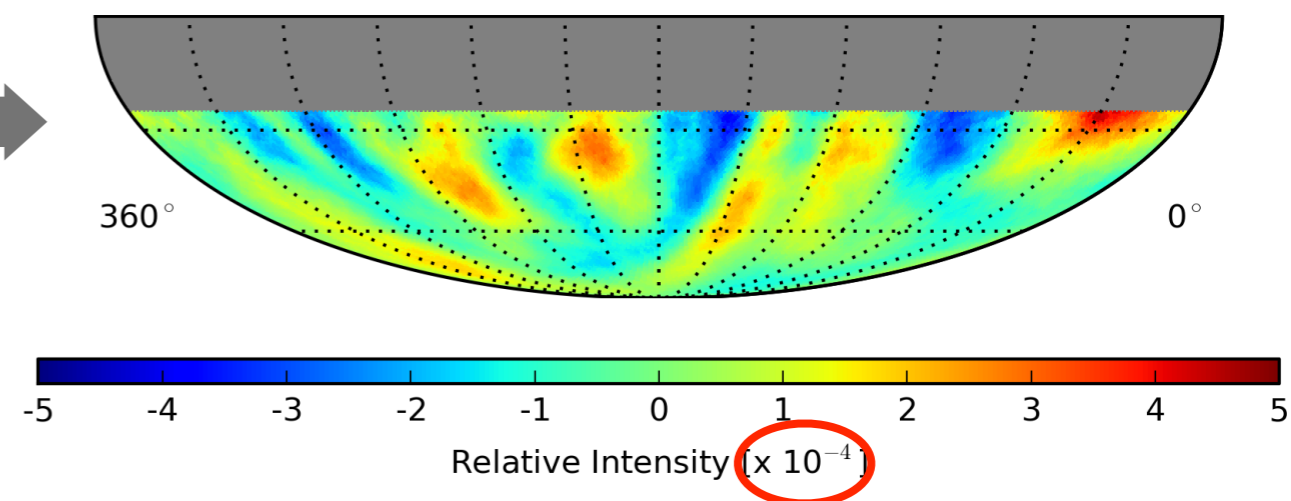
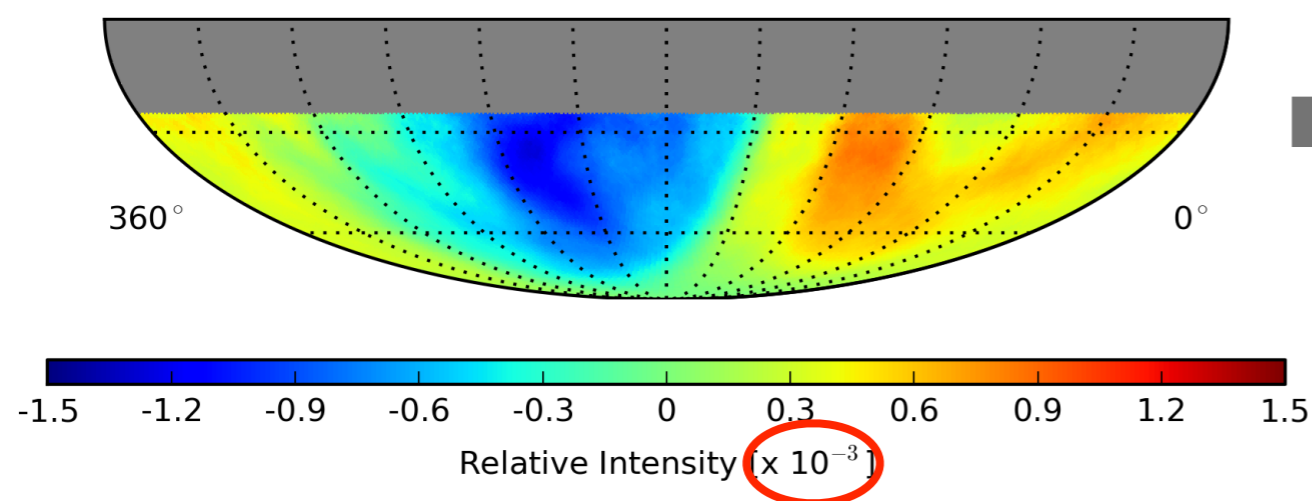
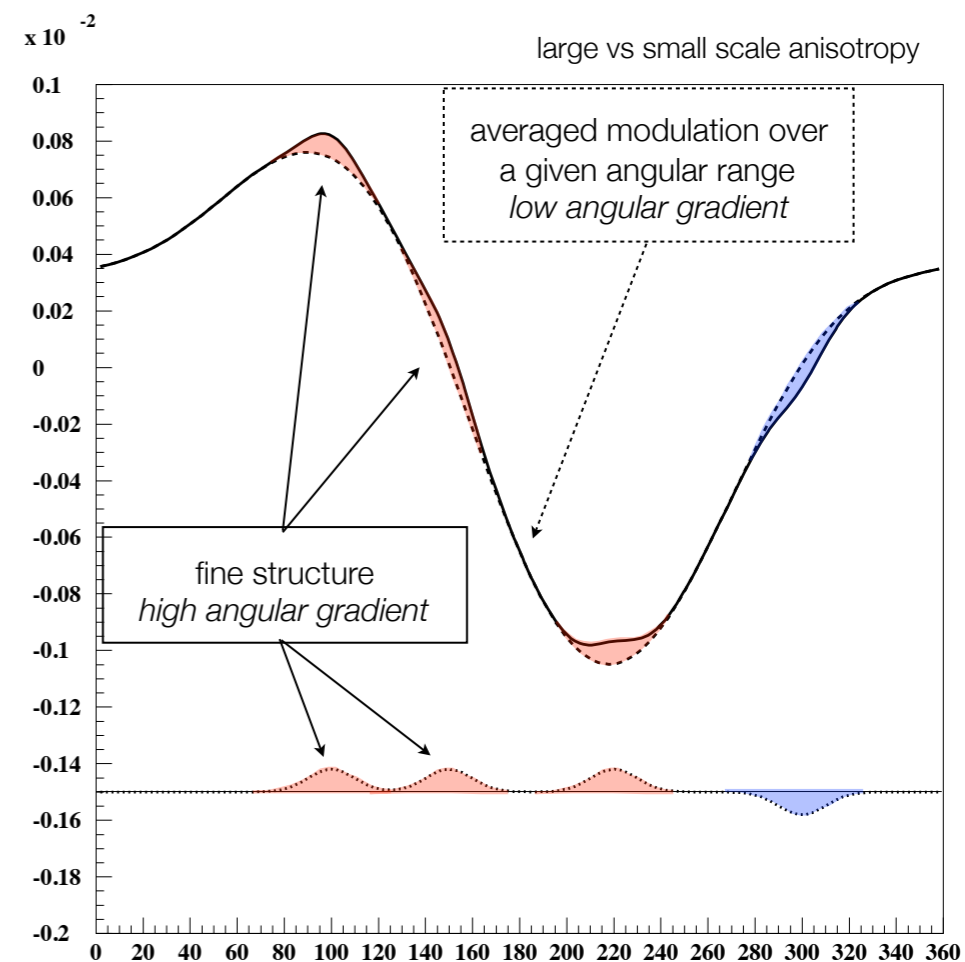
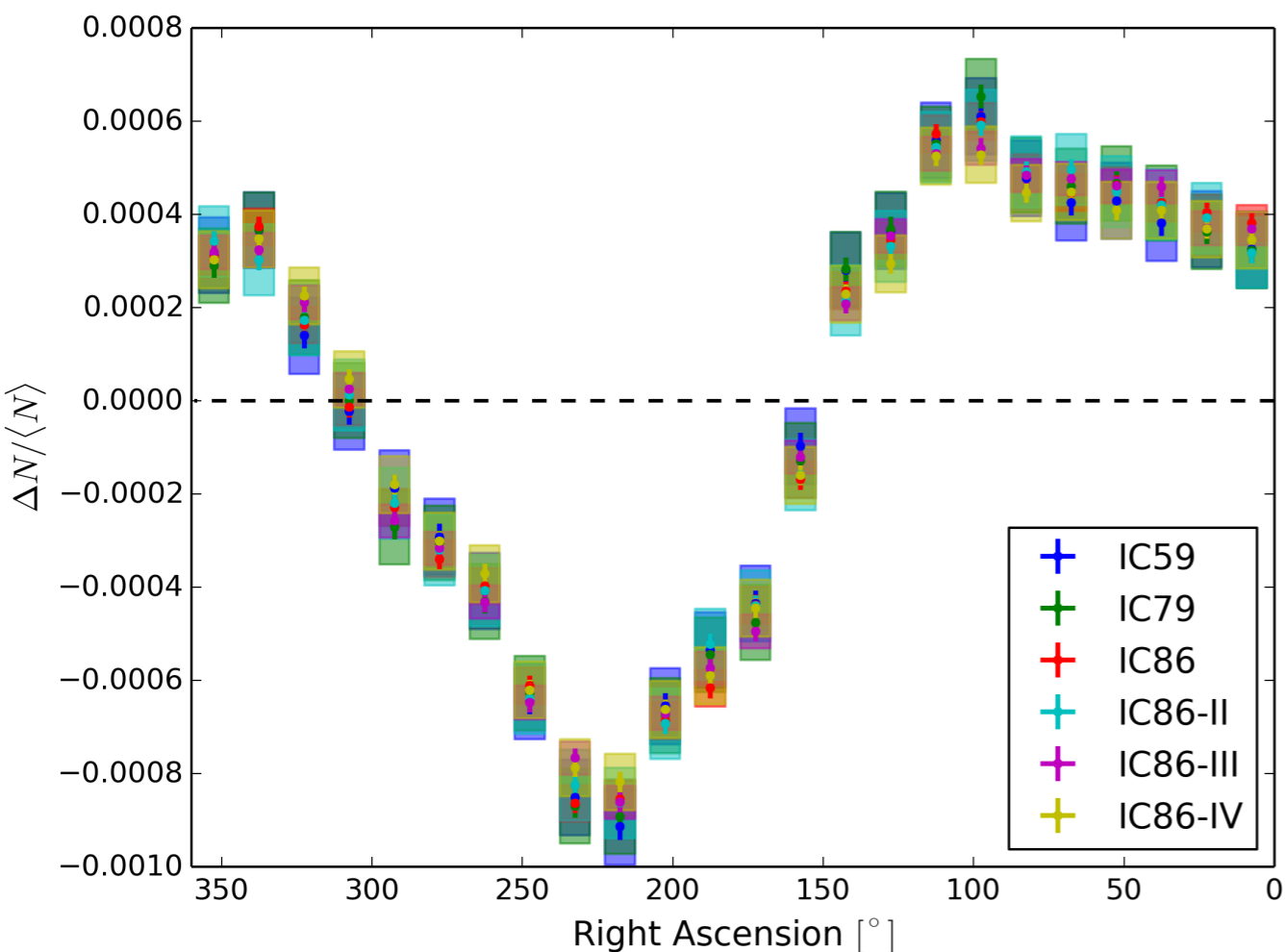


20 TeV



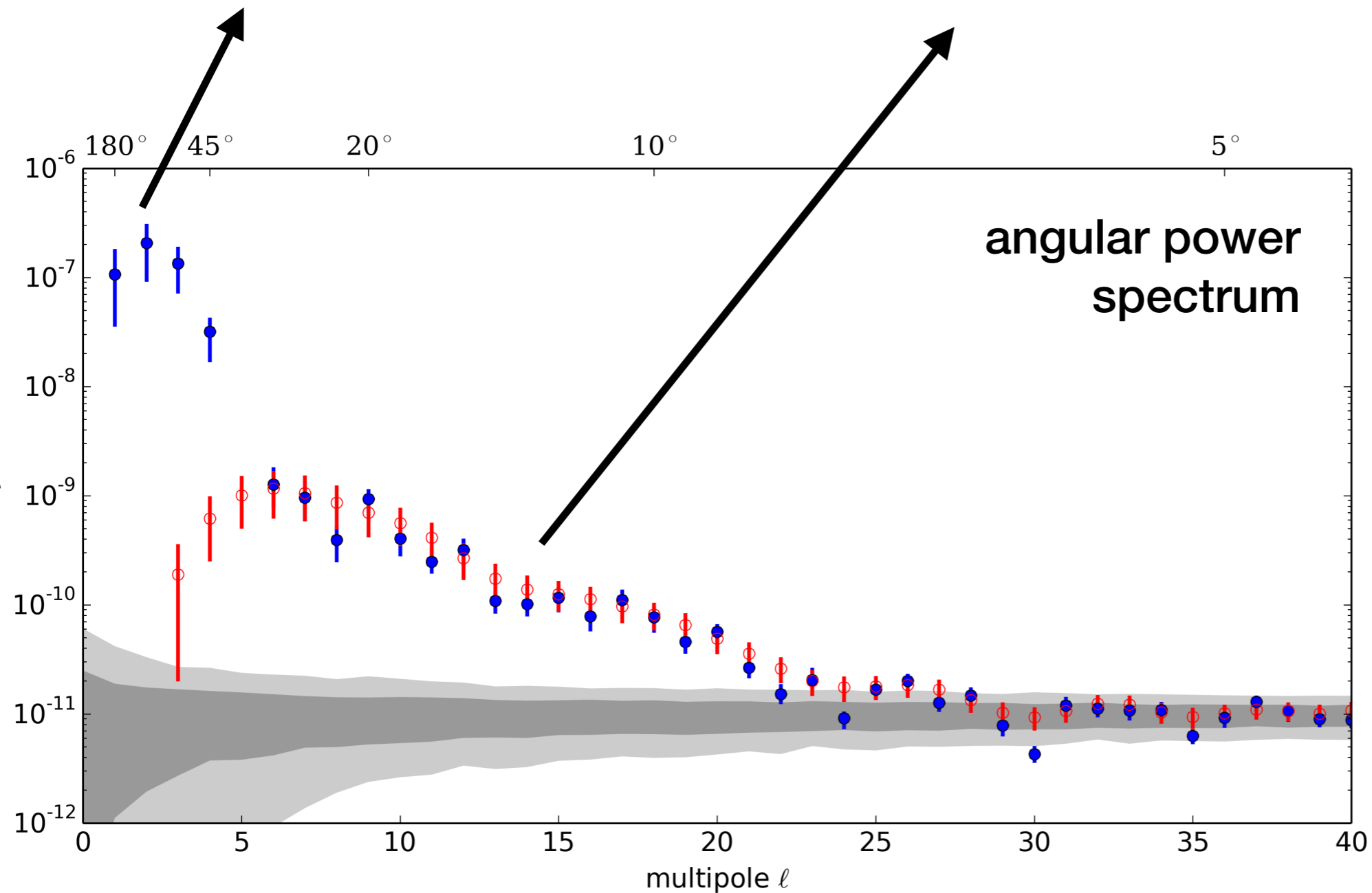
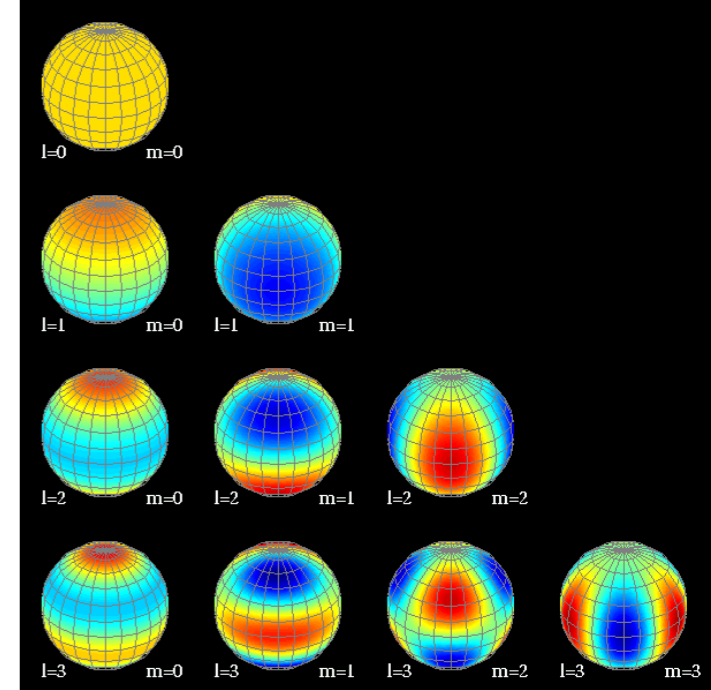
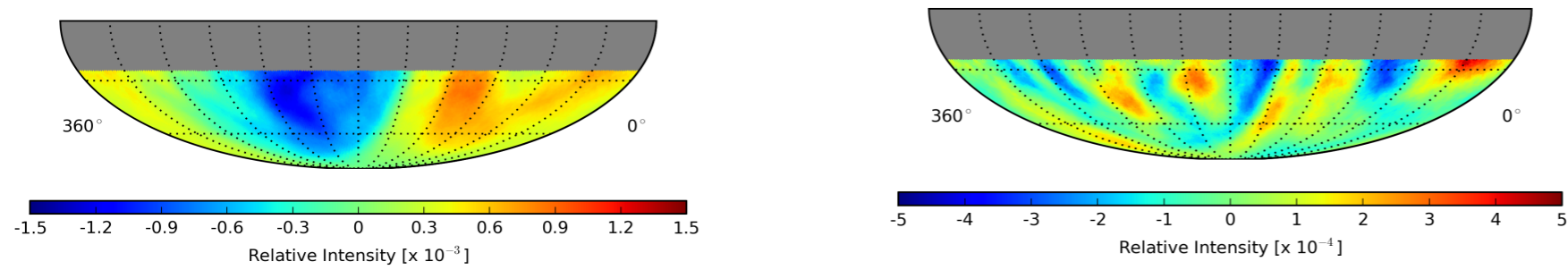
# cosmic rays anisotropy

## large and small angular scale



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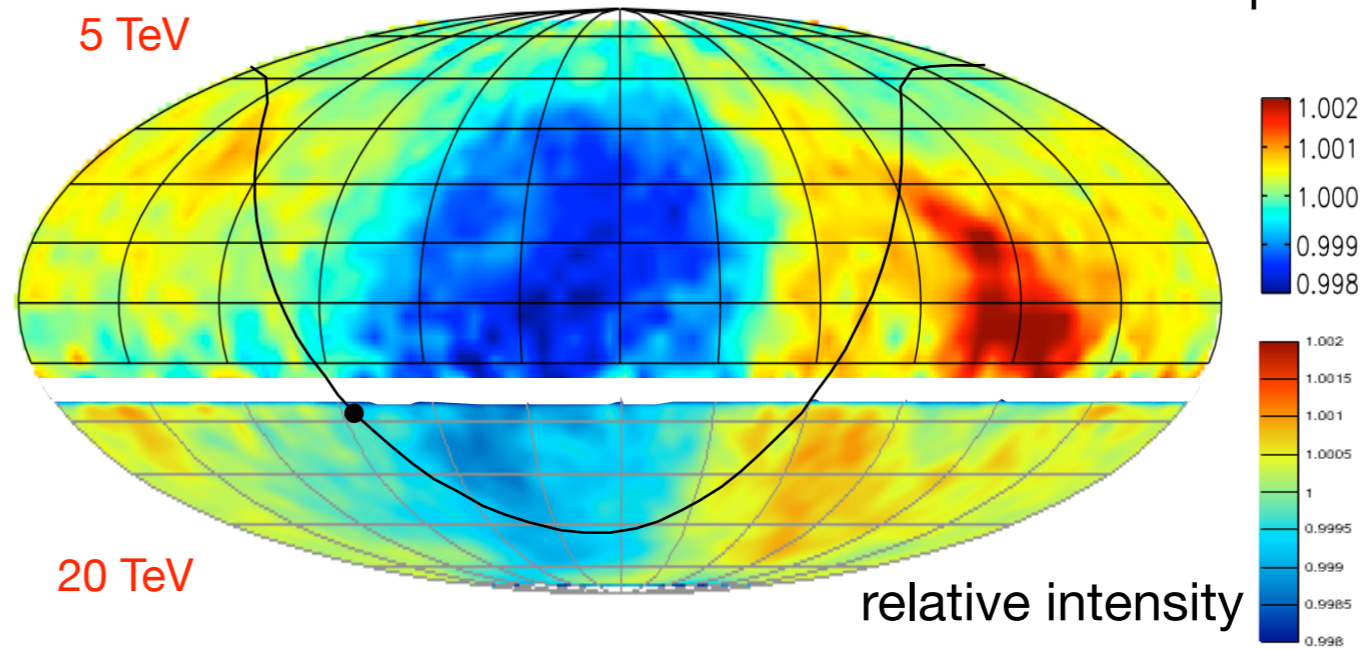
# TeV sidereal anisotropy

## Tibet-III

Amenomori et al., ICRC 2011

5 TeV

equatorial coordinates

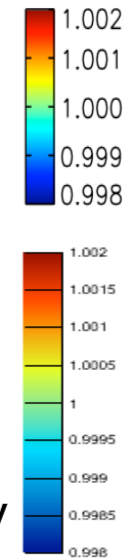


## IceCube-59

Abbasi et al., ApJ, **746**, 33, 2012

20 TeV

relative intensity



Milagro + IceCube TeV Cosmic Ray Data (10° Smoothing)

## Milagro

Abdo et al., PRL, **101**, 221101, 2008

1 TeV

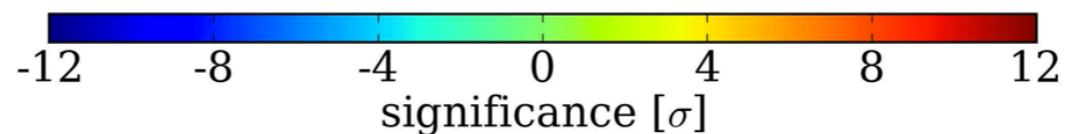
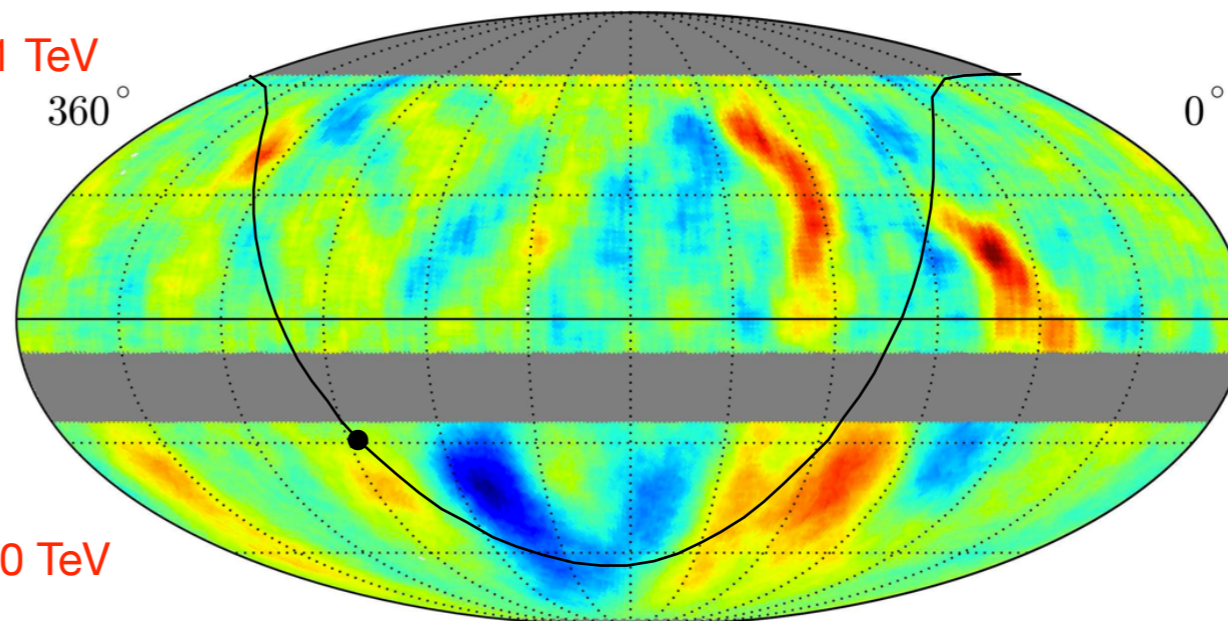
360°

0°

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Abbasi et al., ApJ, **740**, 16, 2011

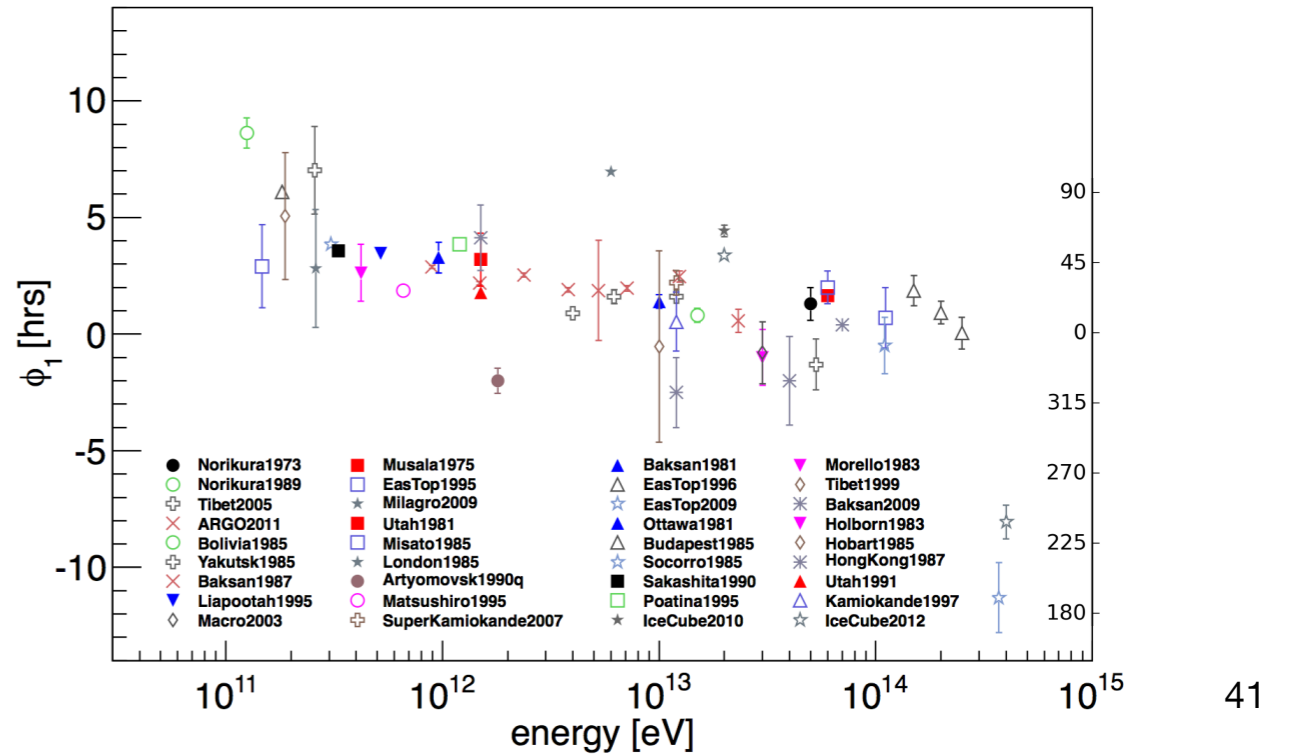
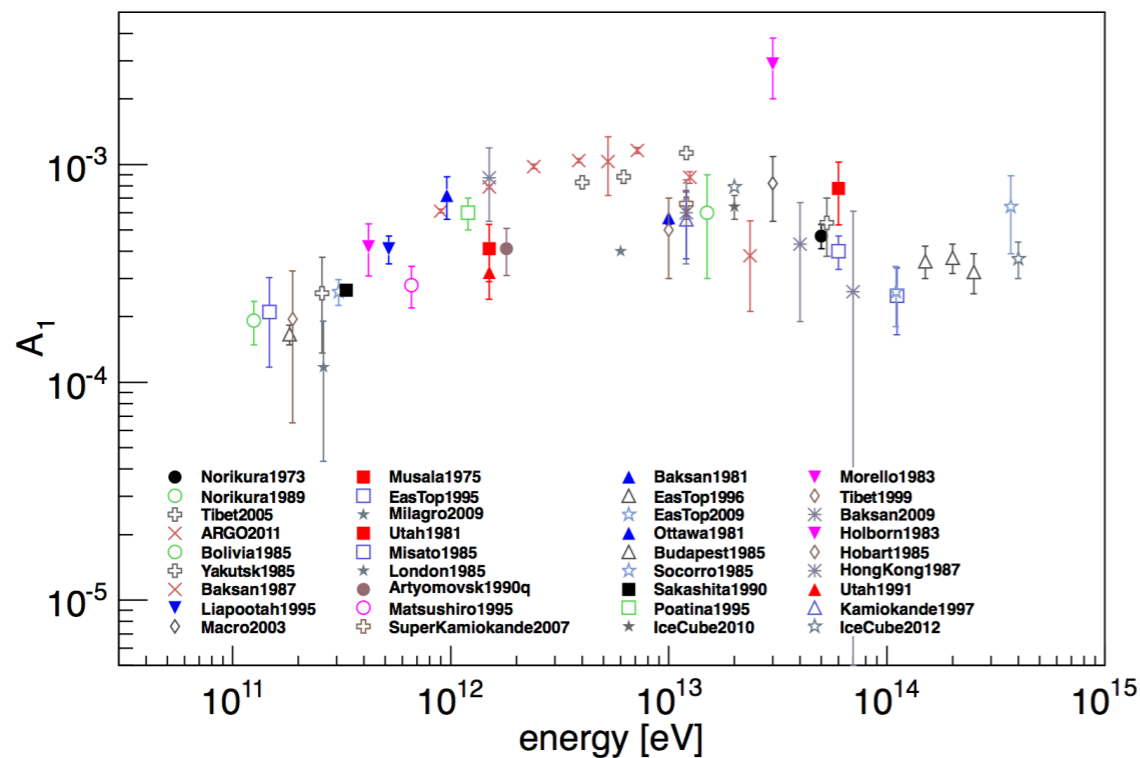
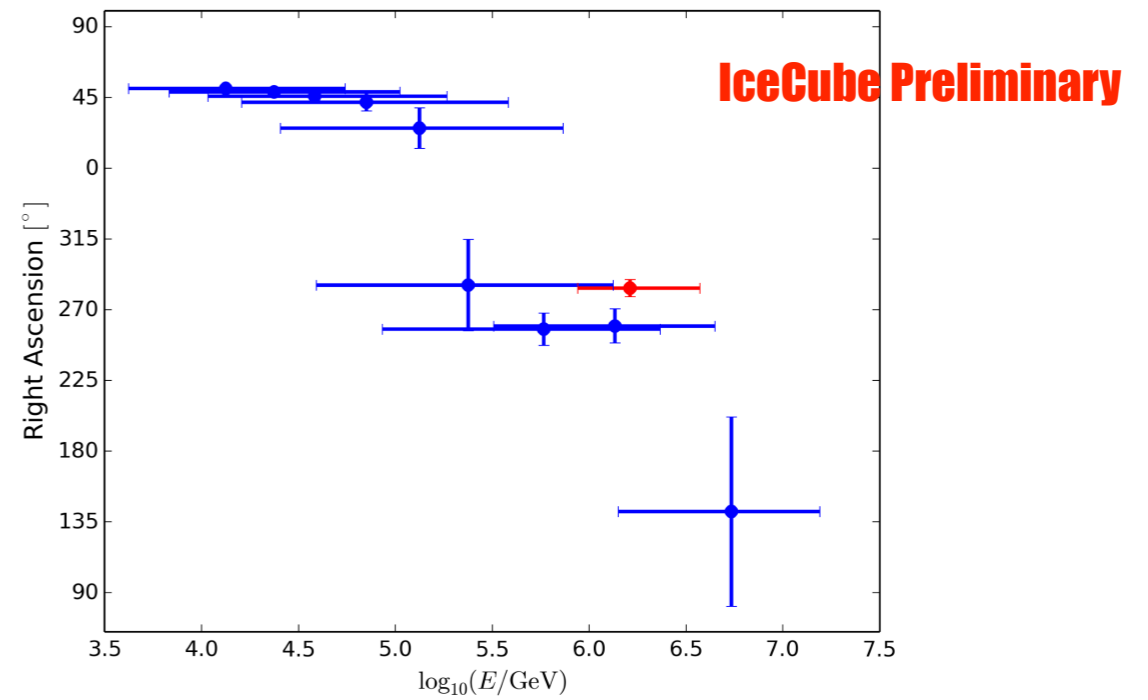
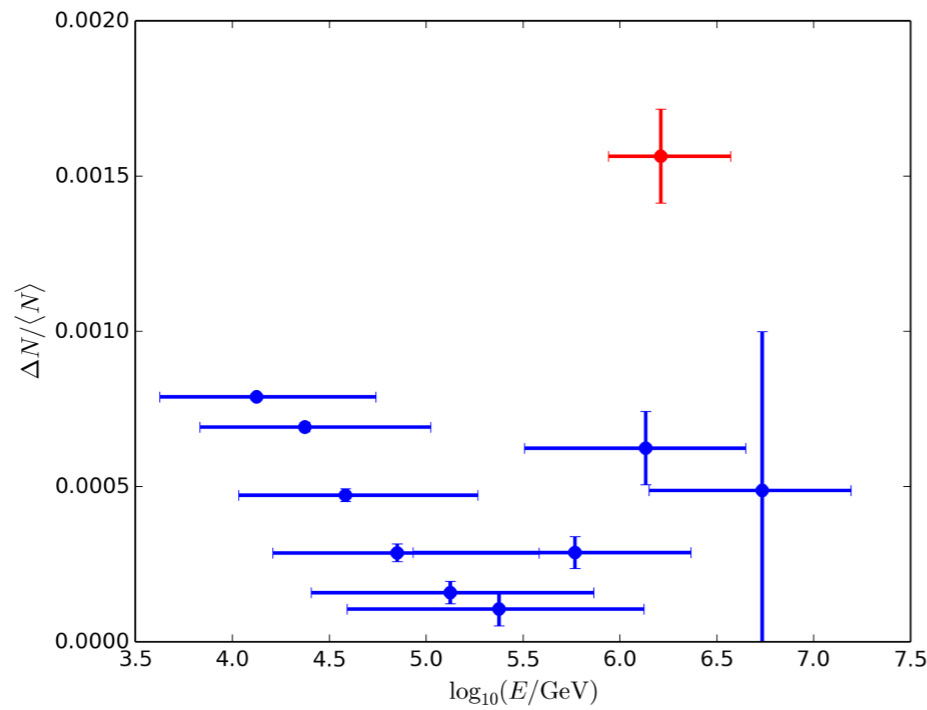
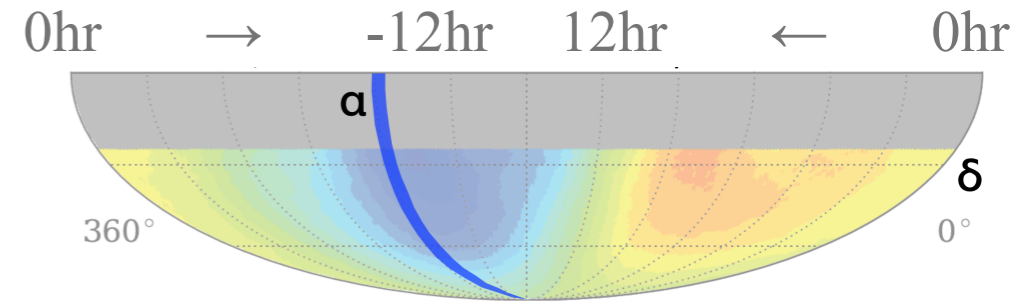
20 TeV





# large scale anisotropy

## dipole energy dependence



# astrophysics of cosmic ray anisotropy

probing sources & propagation of cosmic rays ?

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Blasi & Amato, 2011

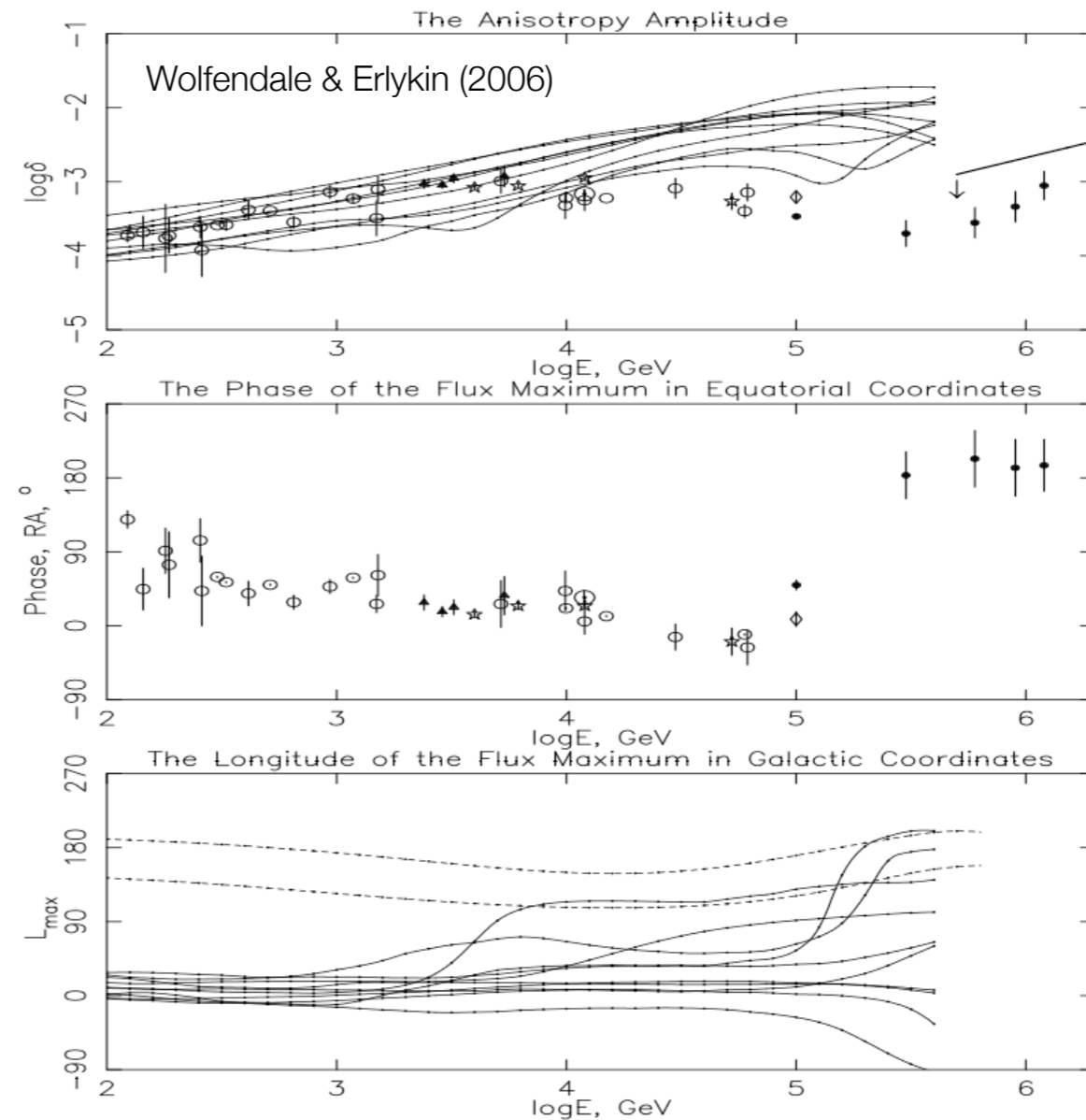
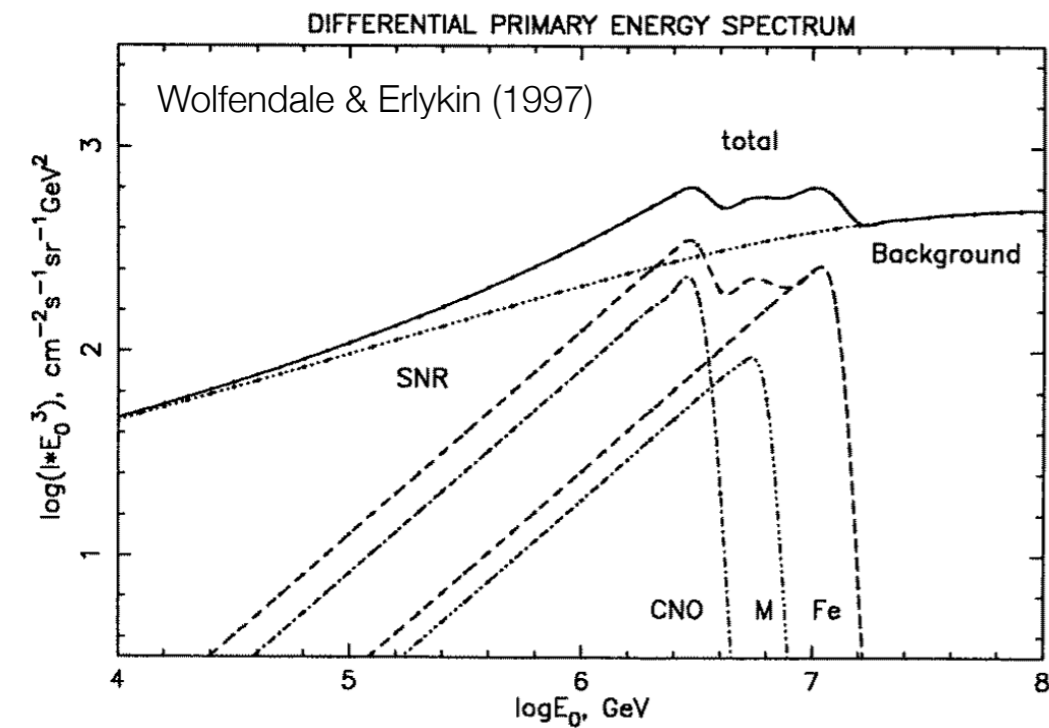
Ptuskin+, 2012

Pohl & Eichler, 2012

Sveshnikova+, 2013

Kumar & Eichler, 2014

Mertsch & Funk, 2014



**single source hypothesis explaining spectral structure & anisotropy connections ?**

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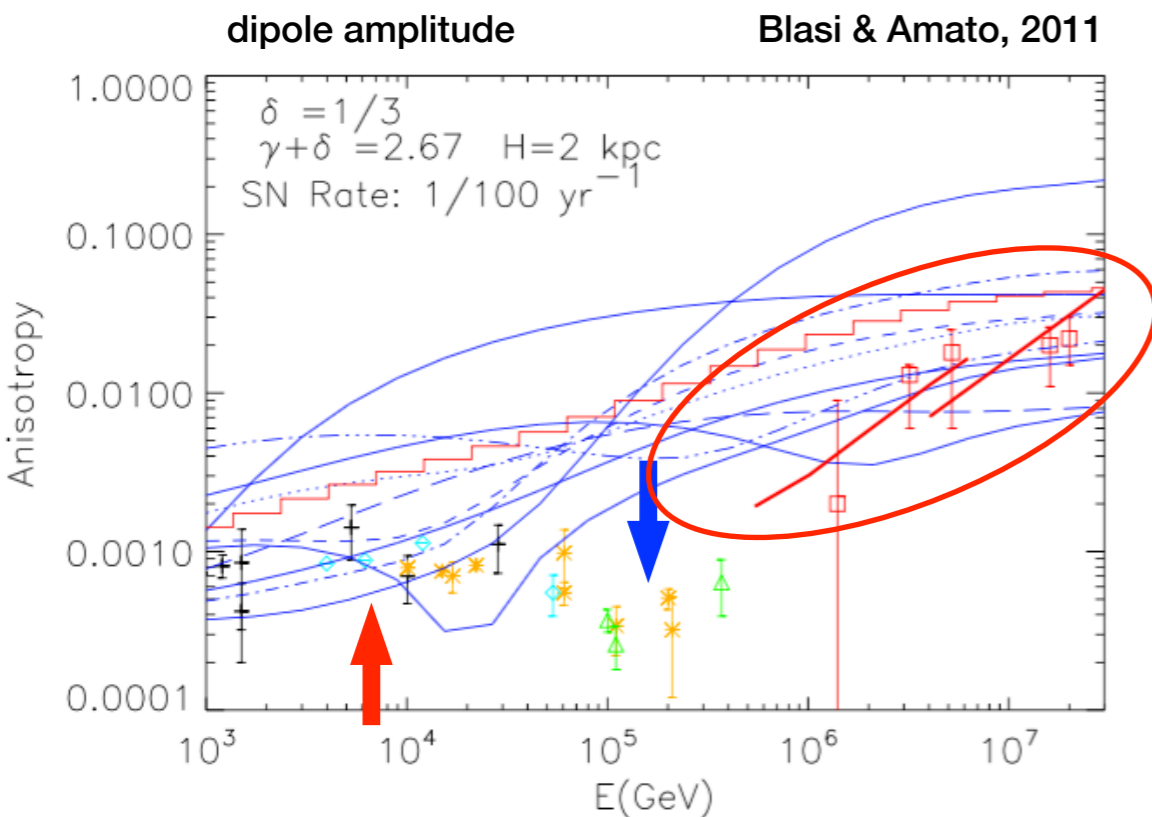
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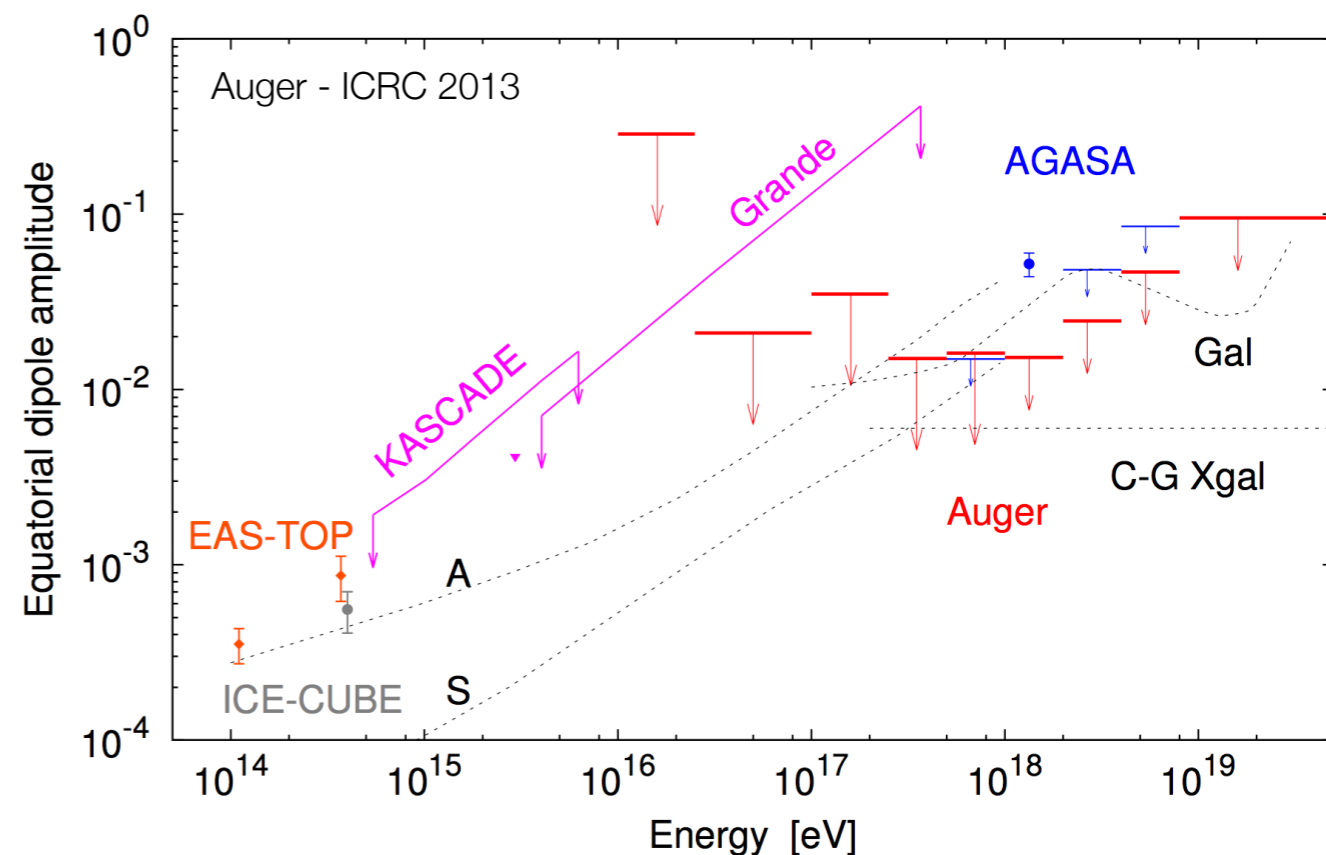
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not dipole observations

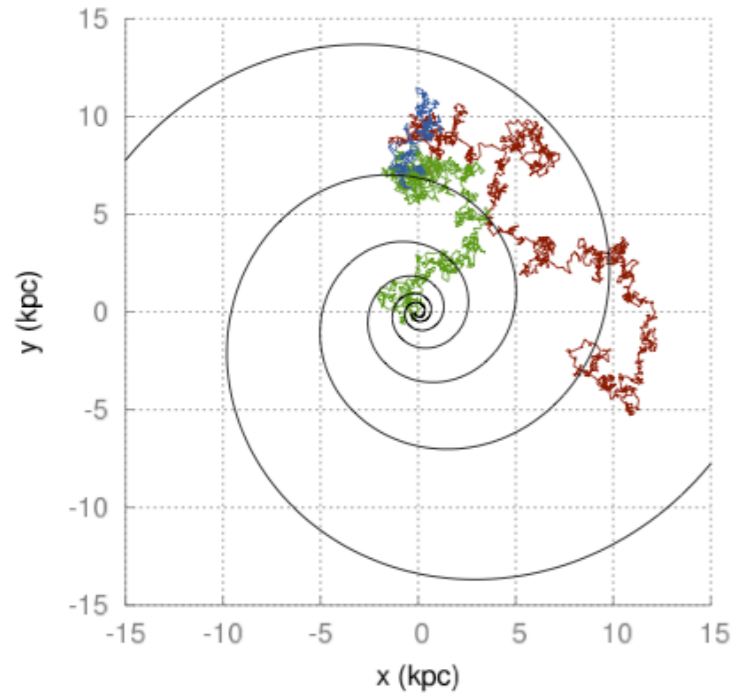
dipole components of the anisotropy typically **overestimated** by models



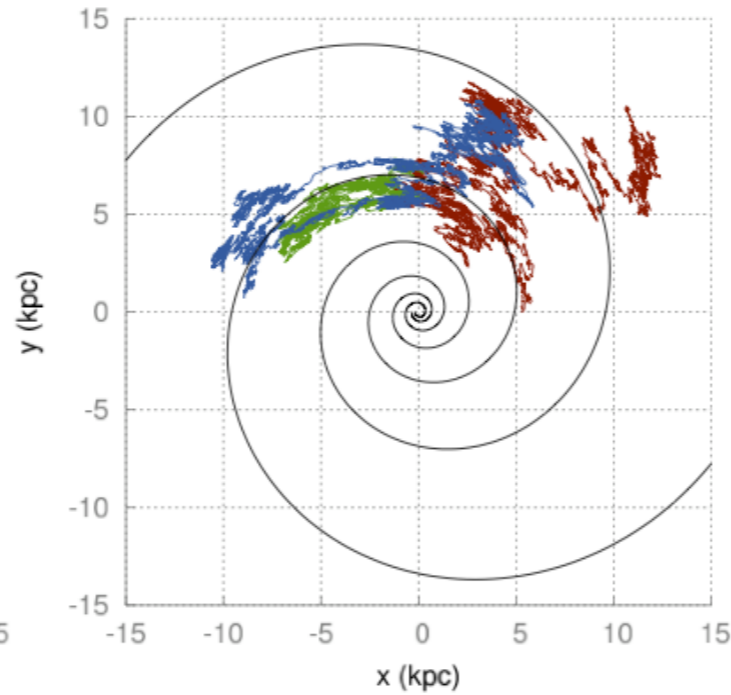
# cosmic ray anisotropy

## probing diffusion properties

anisotropic diffusion



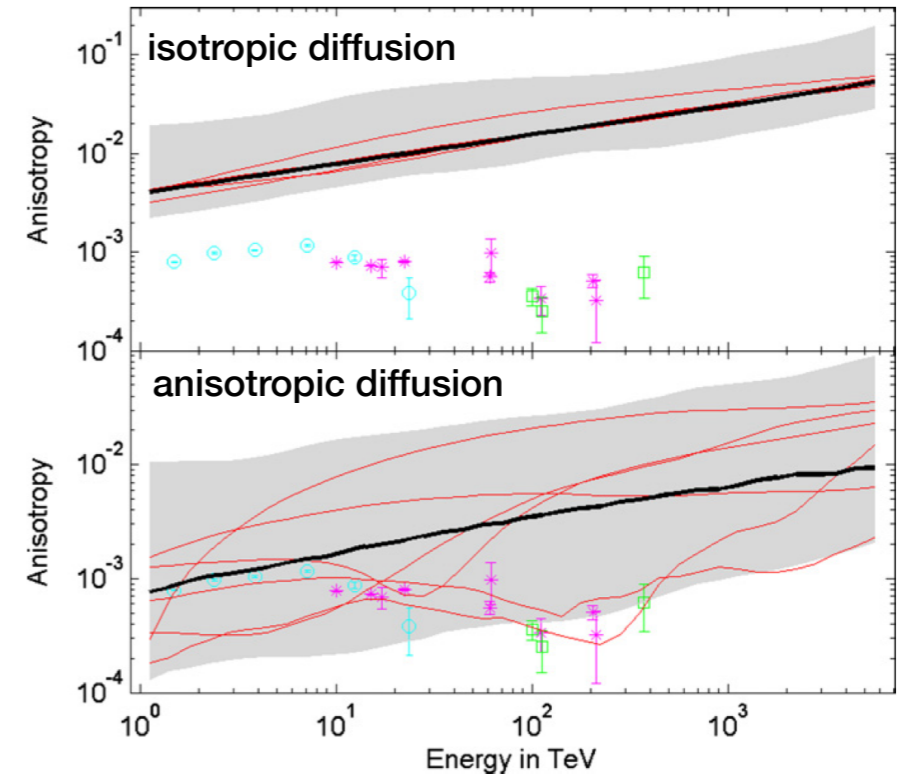
Effenberger+, 2012



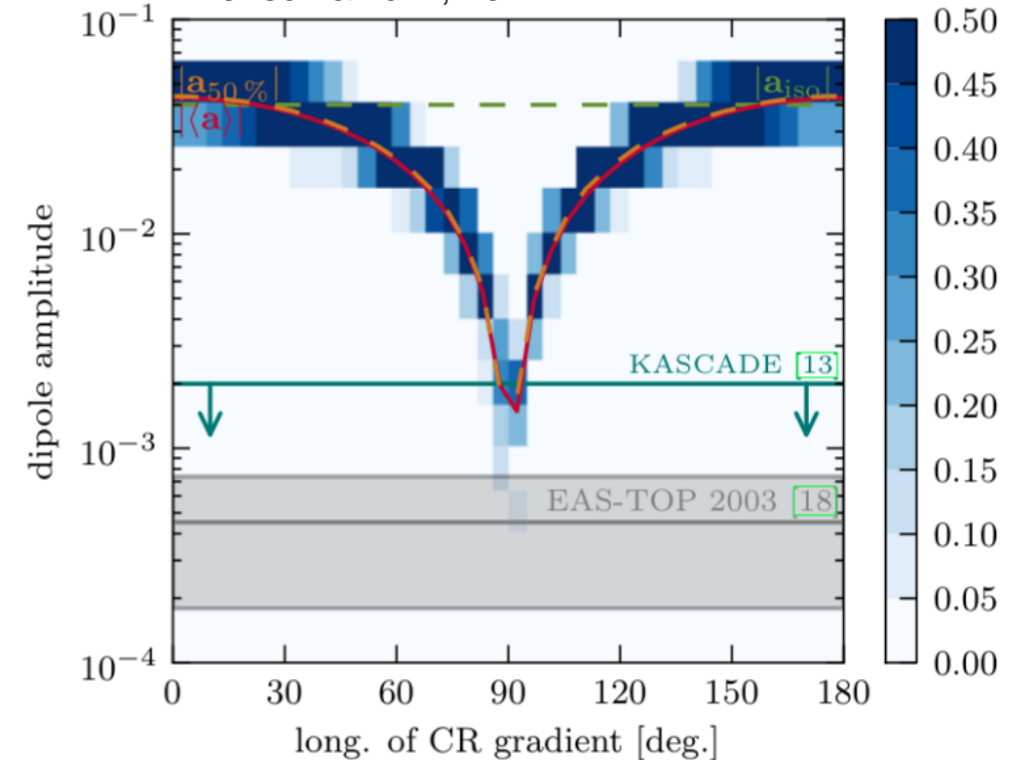
- ▶  $D_{\perp}/D_{\parallel} \ll 1$  - parallel projection of anisotropy
- ▶ cosmic ray **sources concealed** by propagation effects

diffusion coefficient hardly a single power law, homogeneous and isotropic

Kumar & Eichler, 2014

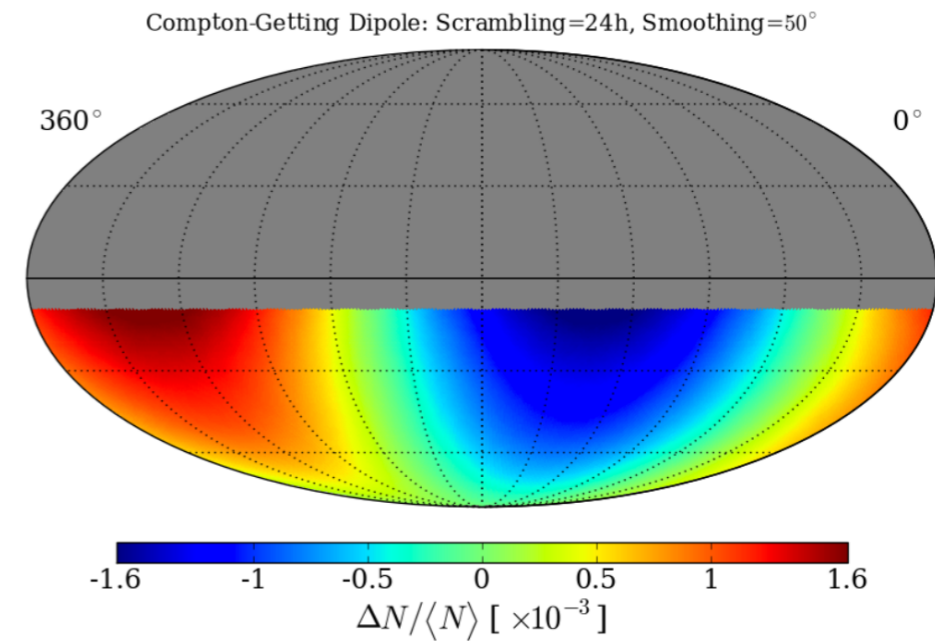
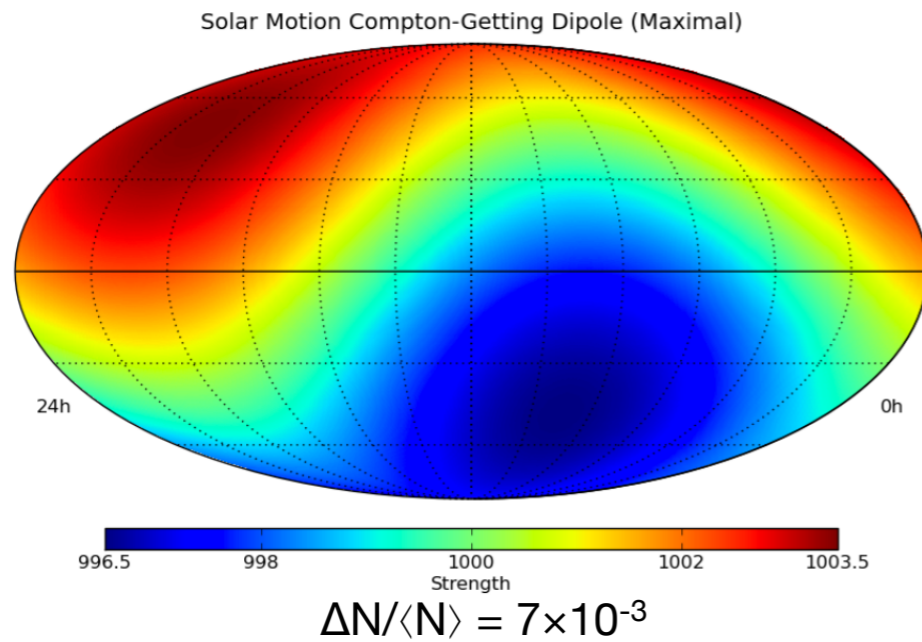


Mertsch & Funk, 2014

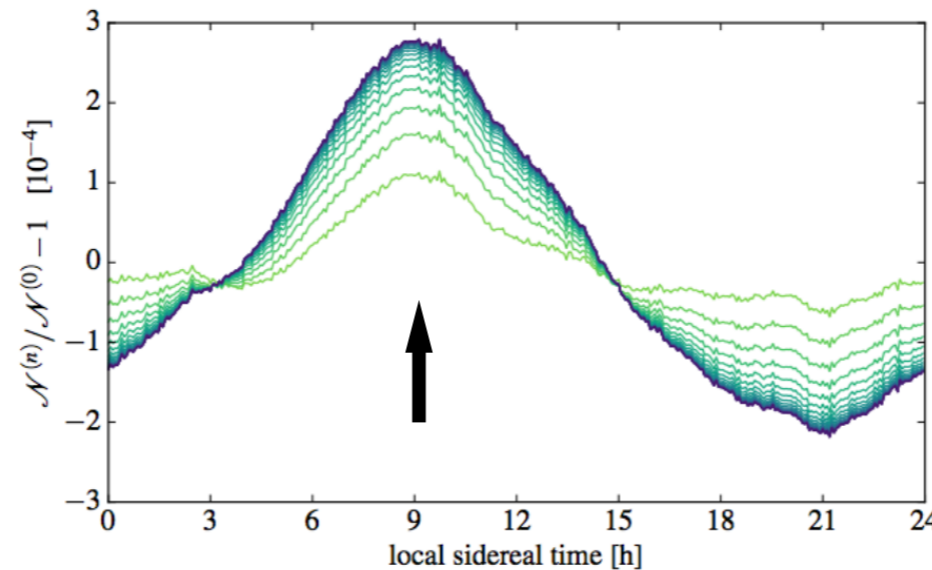
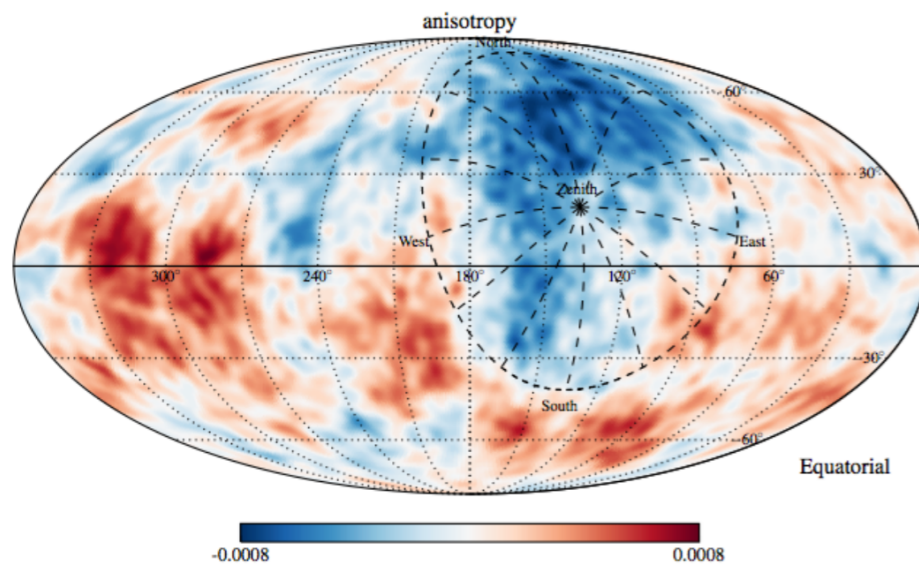


# cosmic ray anisotropy

## experimental biases



sky maps show **ONLY** modulations across right ascension and **NOT** declination



*wrong* background estimation to be recovered with **iterative methods**

Ahlers, BenZvi, PD, Díaz Vélez, Fiorino, Westerhoff  
arXiv:1601.07877

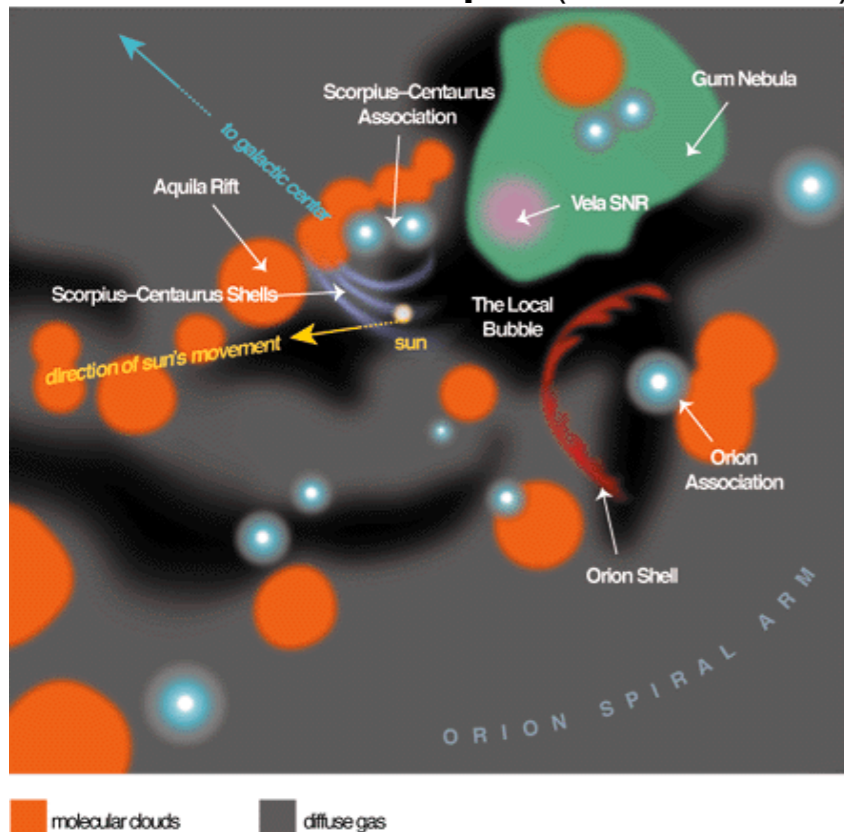
# cosmic ray anisotropy

## local interstellar medium

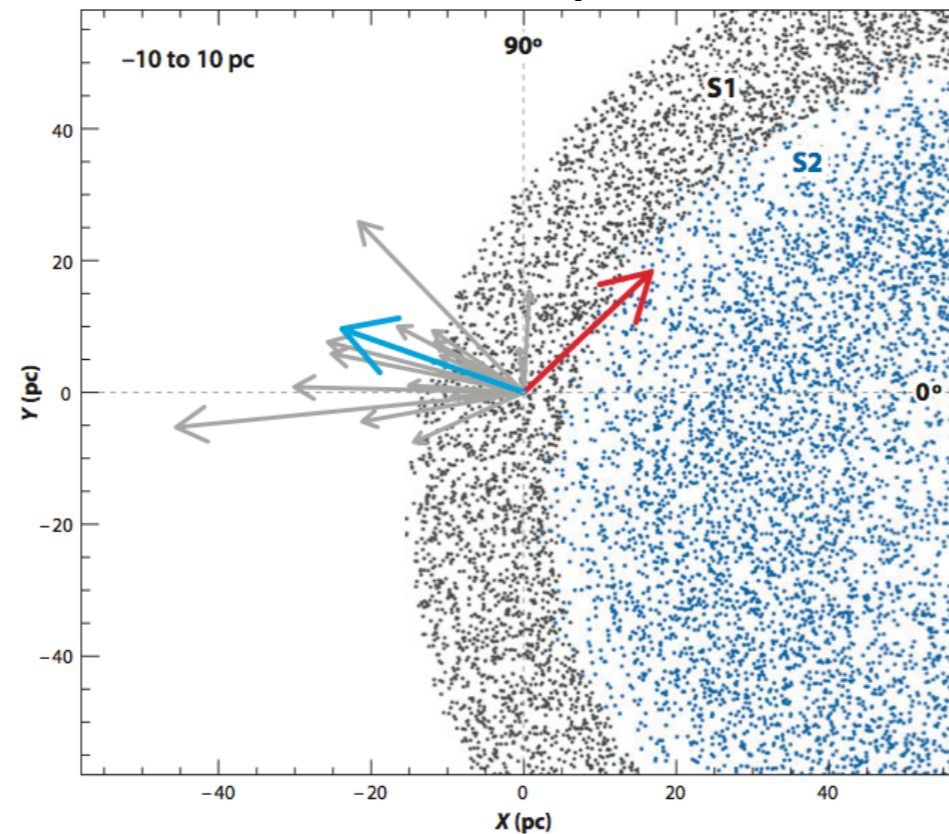
local ISMF shaped by LOOP I expansion  
sub-shell (with center ~60 pc away in  
Scorpius-Centaurus OB Association)

local cloudlets fragments of the  
shell moving at similar velocities

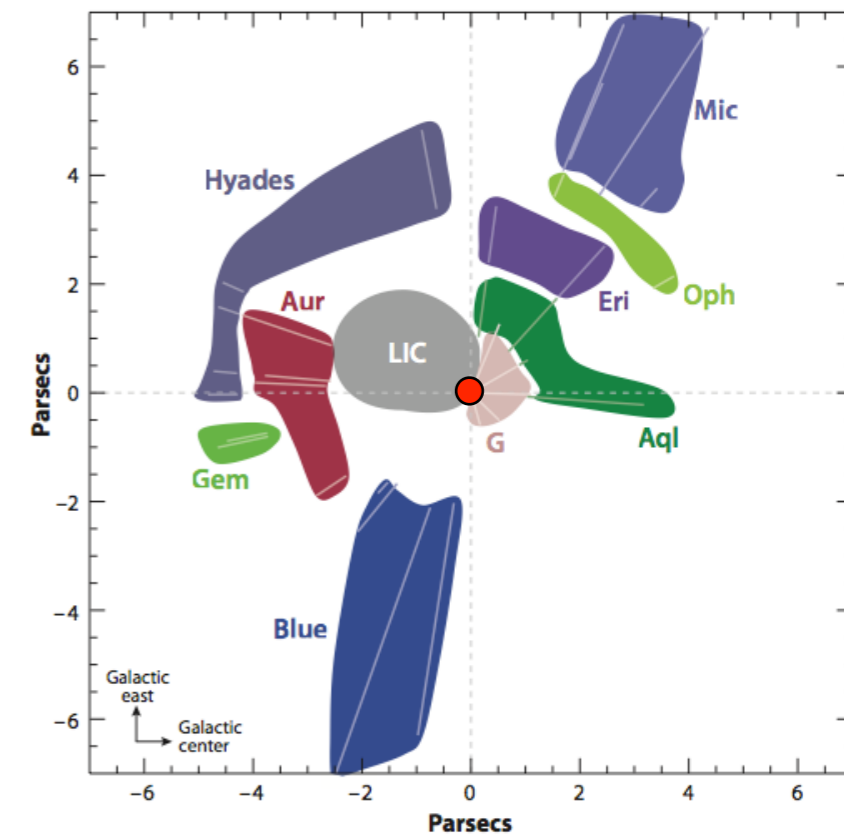
500 pc - (Priscilla Frisch)



100 pc - Wolleben, 2007



14 pc - Frisch+, 2011, 14



- ▶ interstellar magnetic field affected by inhomogeneities

Redfield & Linsky, 2008

- ▶ local ISMF relatively uniform over spacial scales of order 60-100 pc (inter-arm)

Frisch+, 2011

- ▶ magnetic turbulence affects propagation and diffusion properties

Giacalone & Jokipii, 1994, 99

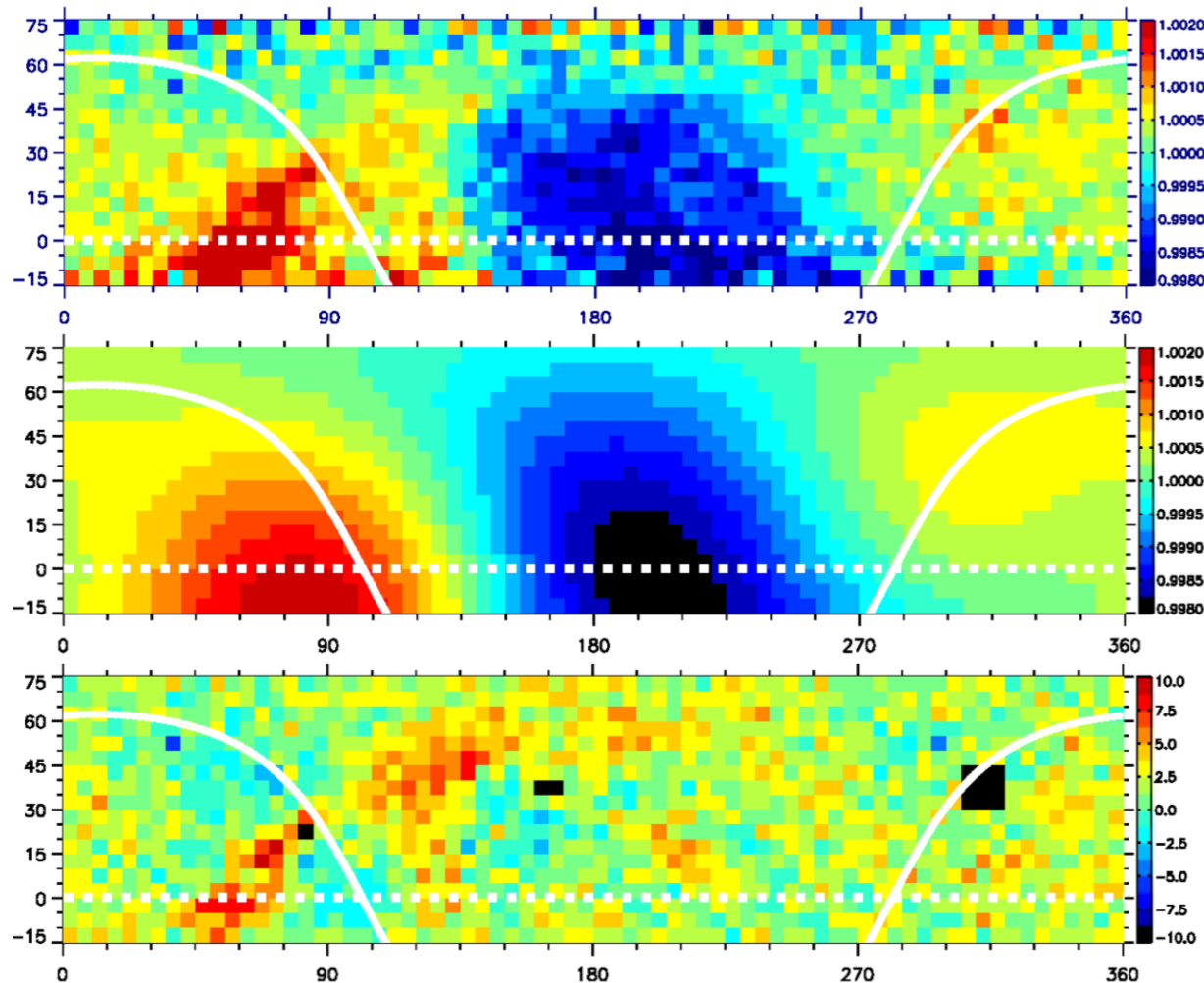
Yan, Lazarian, 2002,04,08

# large scale anisotropy

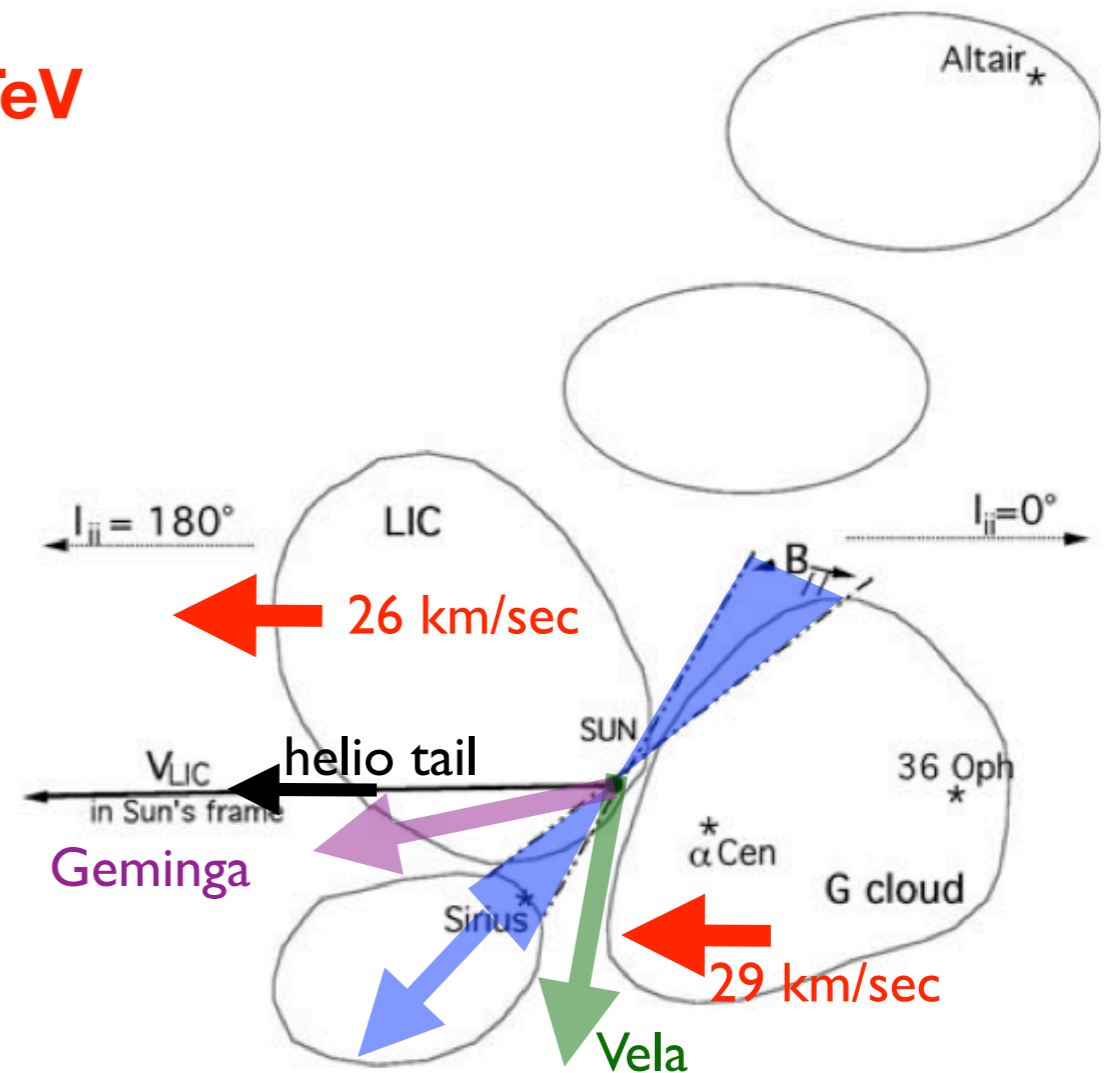
## topology

### Local Interstellar Medium

**Tibet ASy** Amenomori et al., ICRC 2007



**4 TeV**

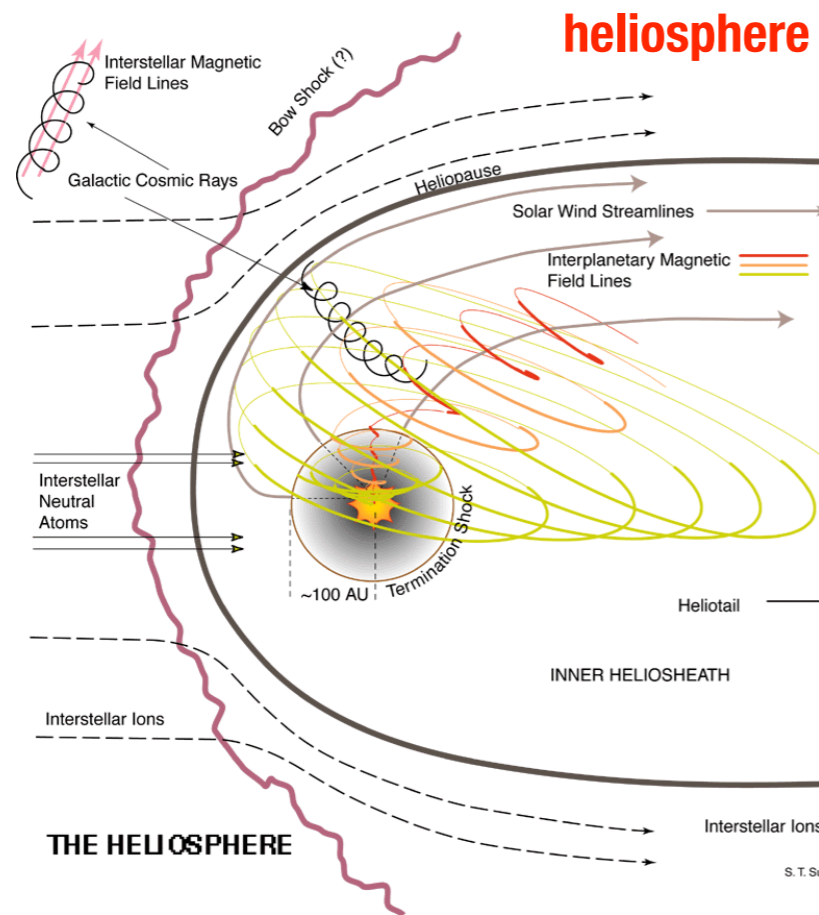


uni-directional (**dipole**) & bi-directional (**quadrupole**)  
anisotropy from CR density and Local Magnetic Field  
**gradients**

# cosmic ray anisotropy

## heliosphere

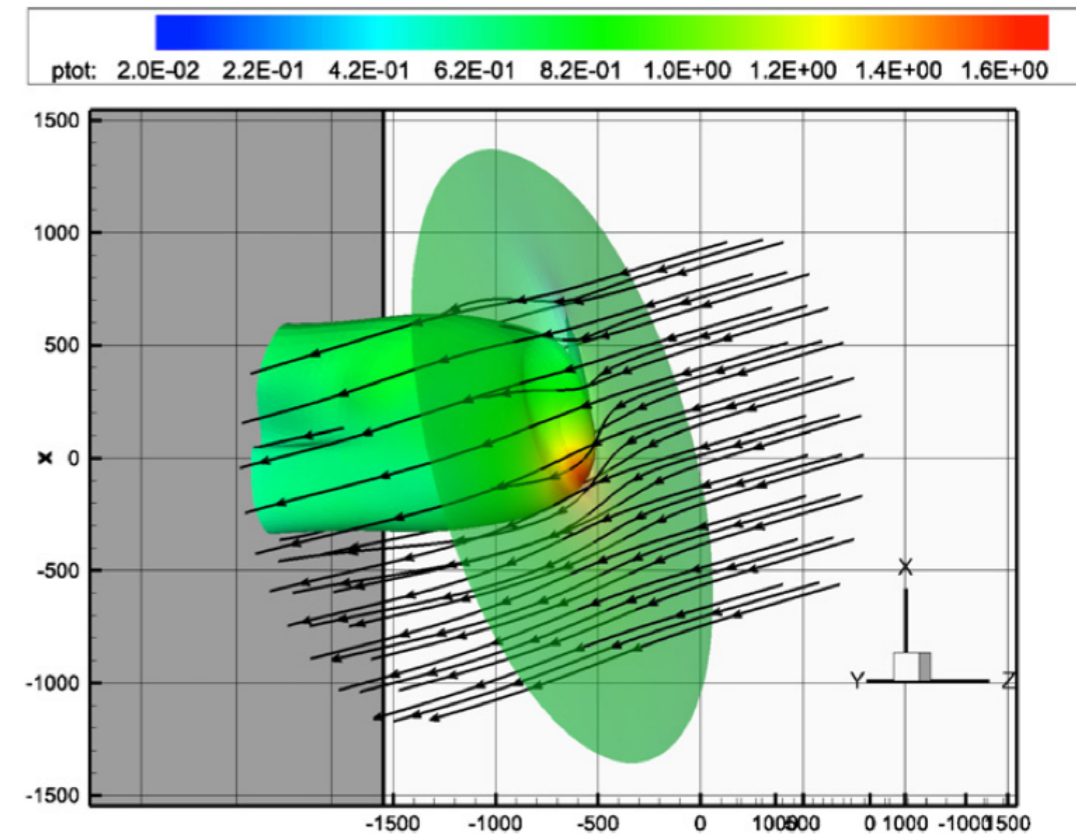
$$r_L \approx \frac{200}{Z} \frac{E(\text{TeV})}{B(\mu\text{G})} \text{ AU}$$



heliotail

local ISMF  
draping around  
heliosphere

Pogorelov+ 2011



▶ heliosphere as  $O(100-1000)$  AU magnetic perturbation of local ISMF

PD & Lazarian, 2013

▶ influence on  $\lesssim 10$  TeV protons ( $R_L \lesssim 600$  AU)

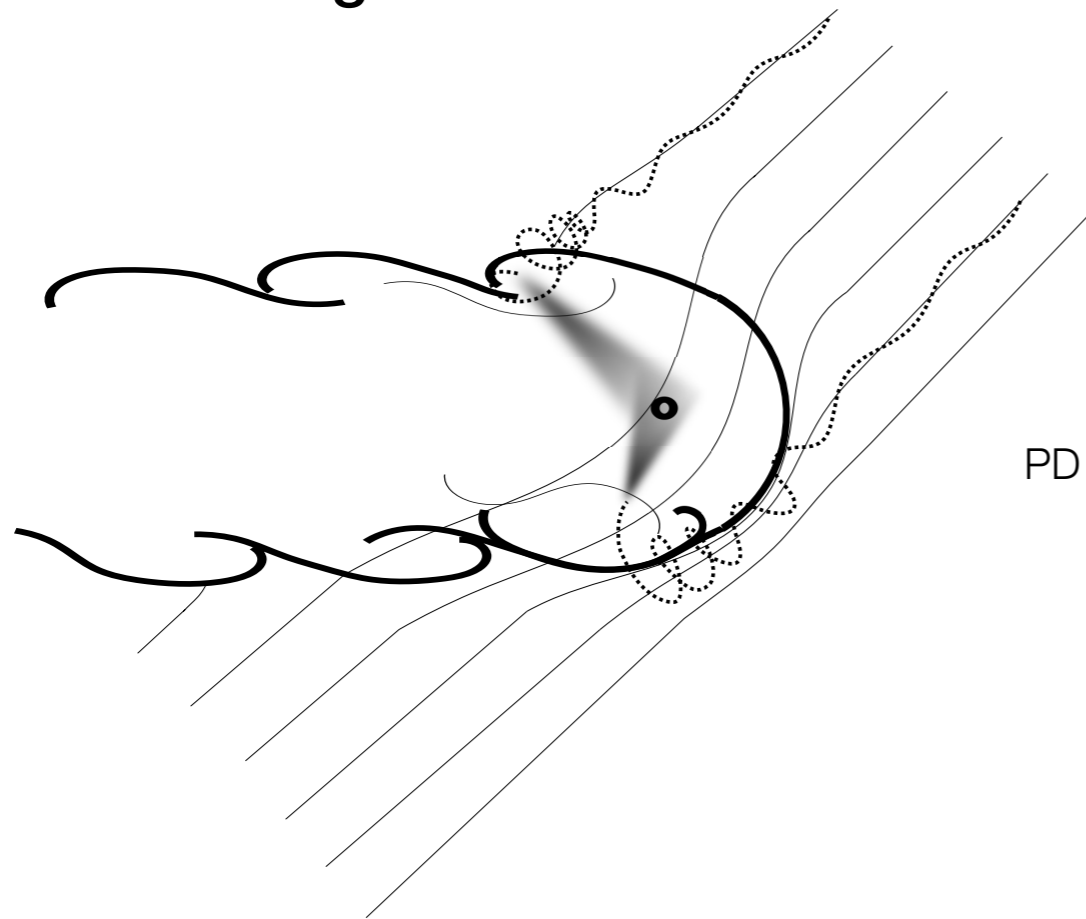
▶ cosmic rays  $>100$ 's TeV influenced by interstellar magnetic field (**change of anisotropy**)



# scattering at heliospheric boundary

## heuristic model

- ▶ resonant scattering to **re-direct** CR distribution
- ▶ **back-scattering** @ flanks back from downstream

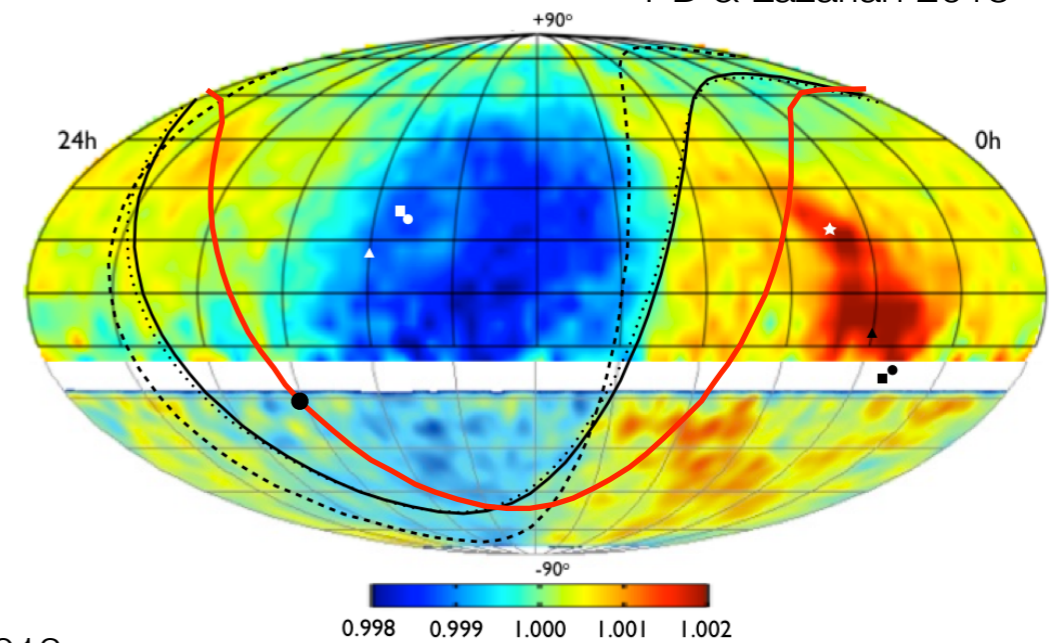


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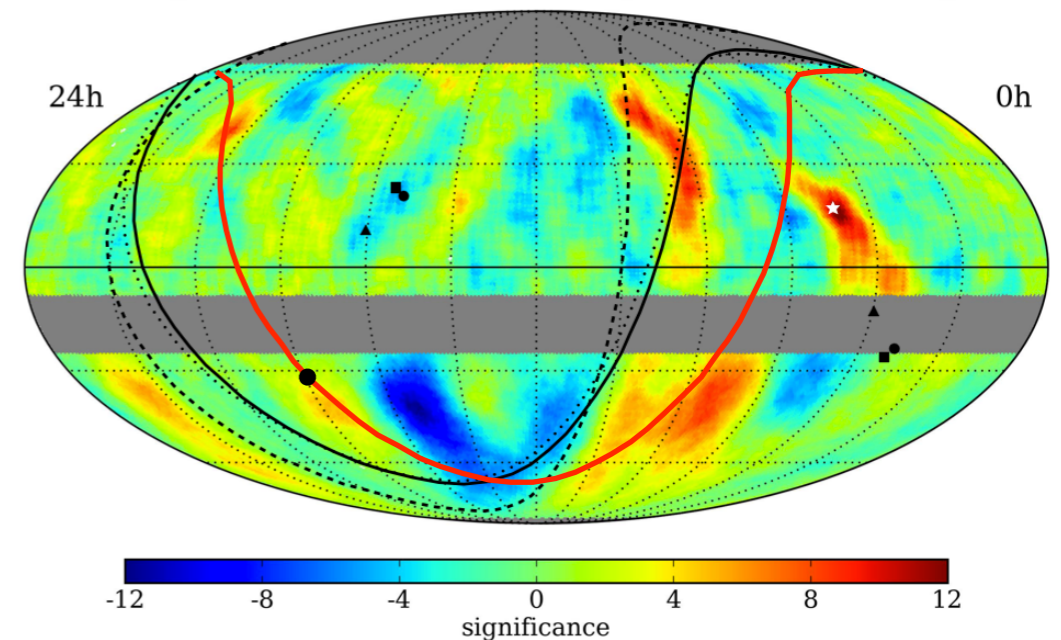
- ▶ global anisotropy with **large edge gradients**
- ▶ **magnetic reconnection**

Lazarian & PD 2010  
PD & Lazarian 2012

PD & Lazarian 2013



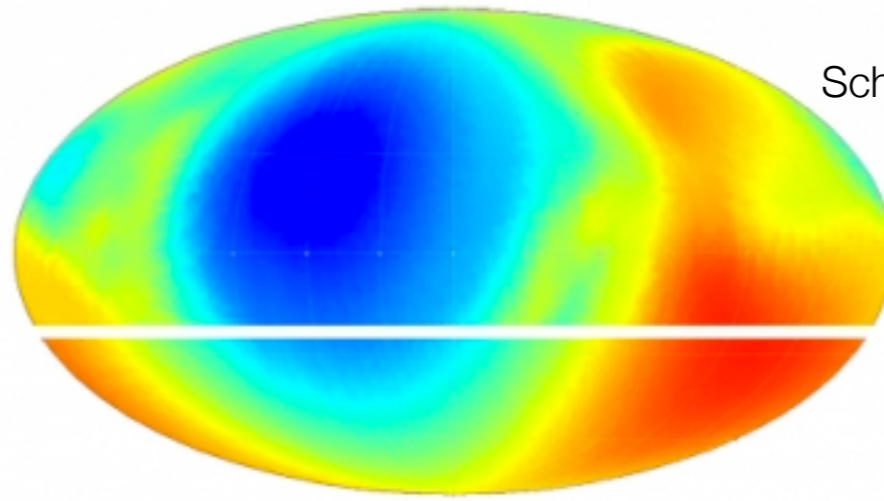
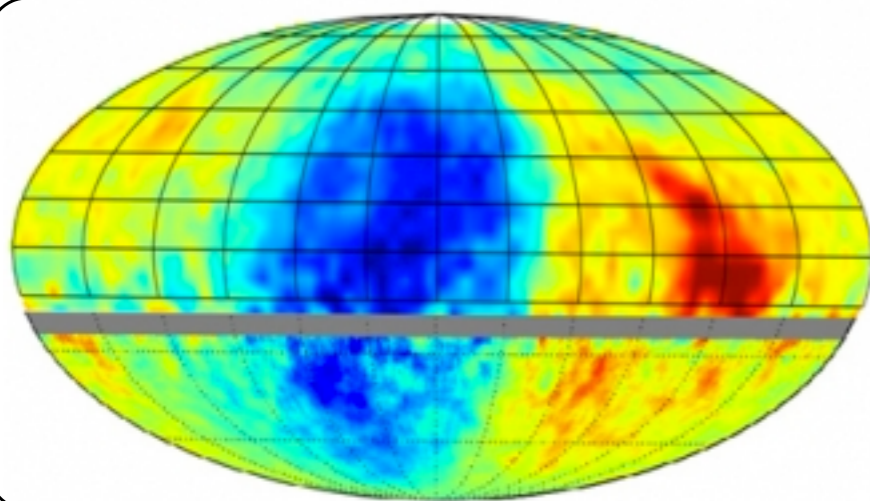
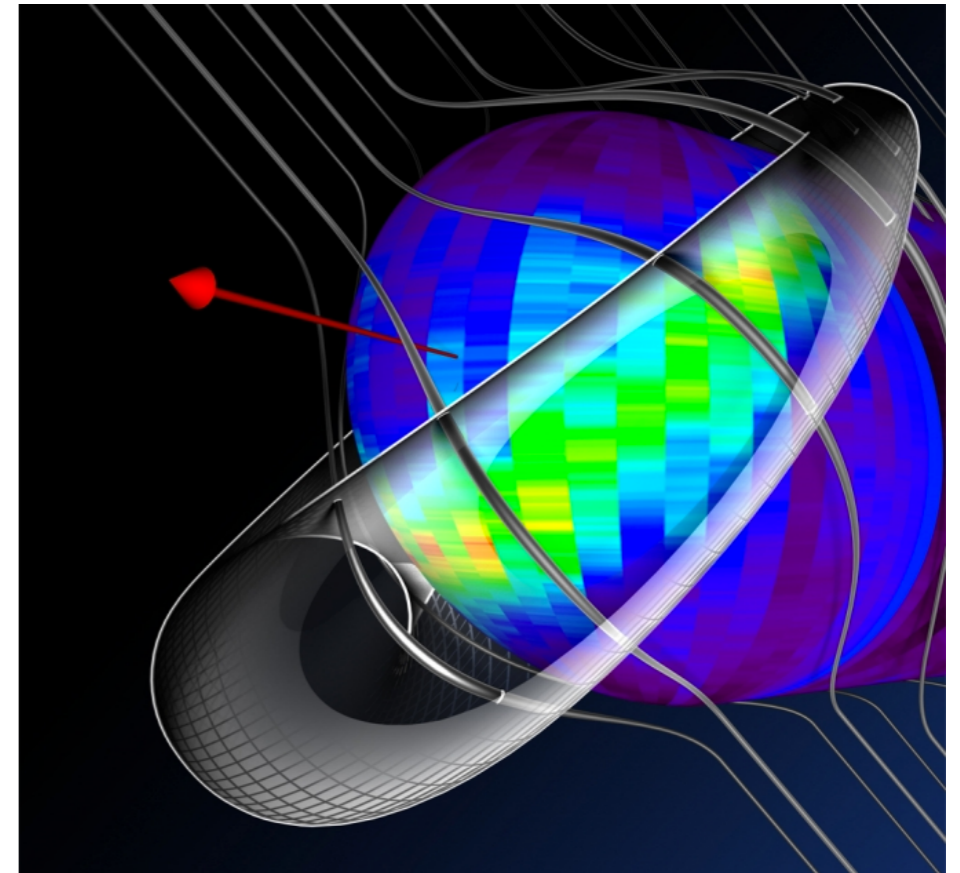
Milagro + IceCube TeV Cosmic Ray Data (10° Smoothing)



# anisotropy and local galactic environment

## low to high energy connection

- ▶ IBEX observations of keV Energetic Neutral Atoms
- ▶ determination of interstellar flow direction
- ▶ determination of interstellar magnetic field direction
- ▶ investigating the role of heliospheric turbulence



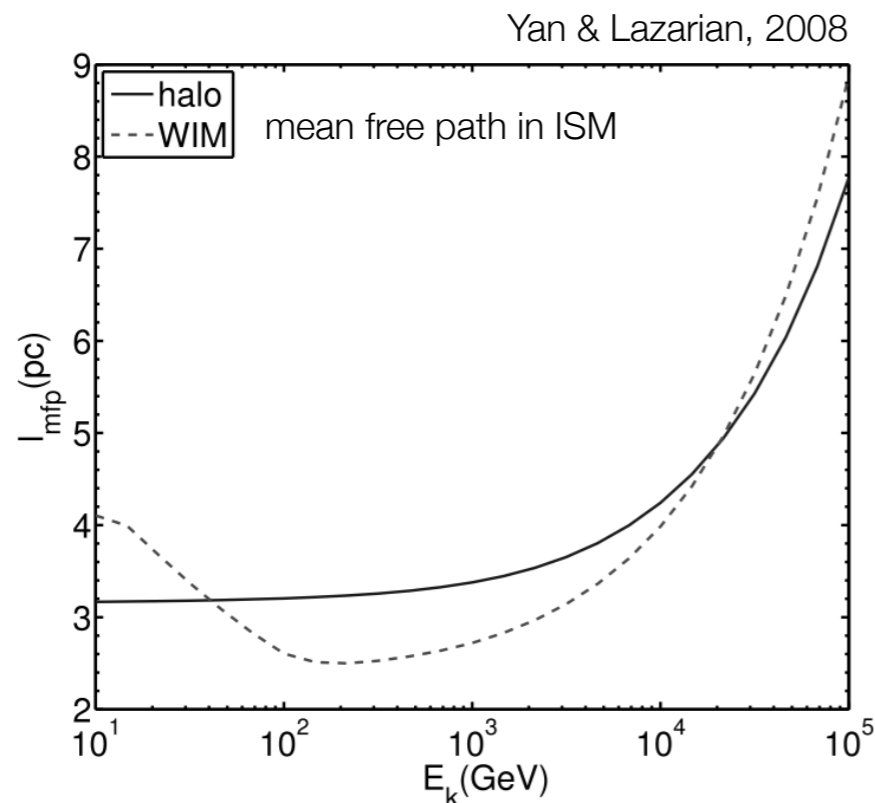
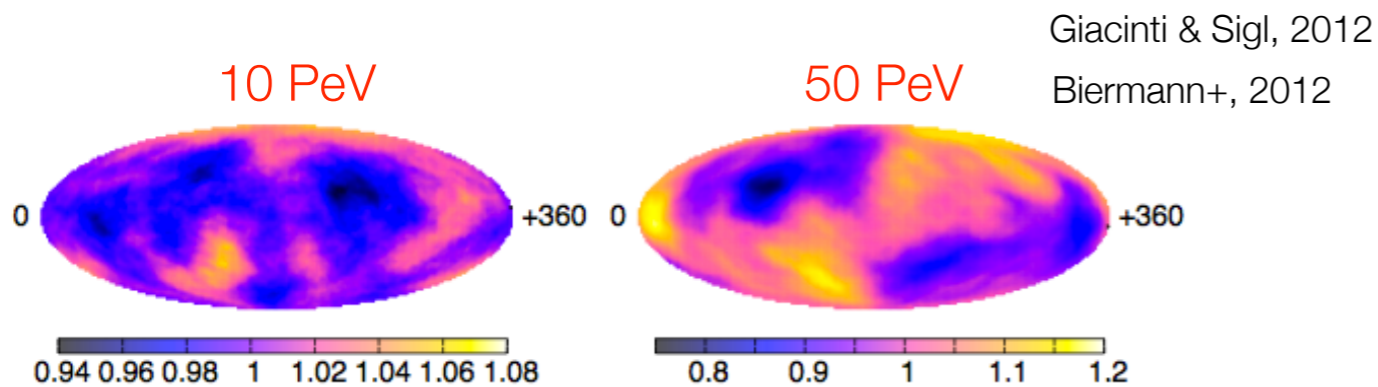
Schwadron, Adams, Christian, PD, Frisch, Funsten, Jokipii, McComas, Möbius, Zank  
Science, 1245026 (2014)

**perturbation** from  
heliospheric magnetic field

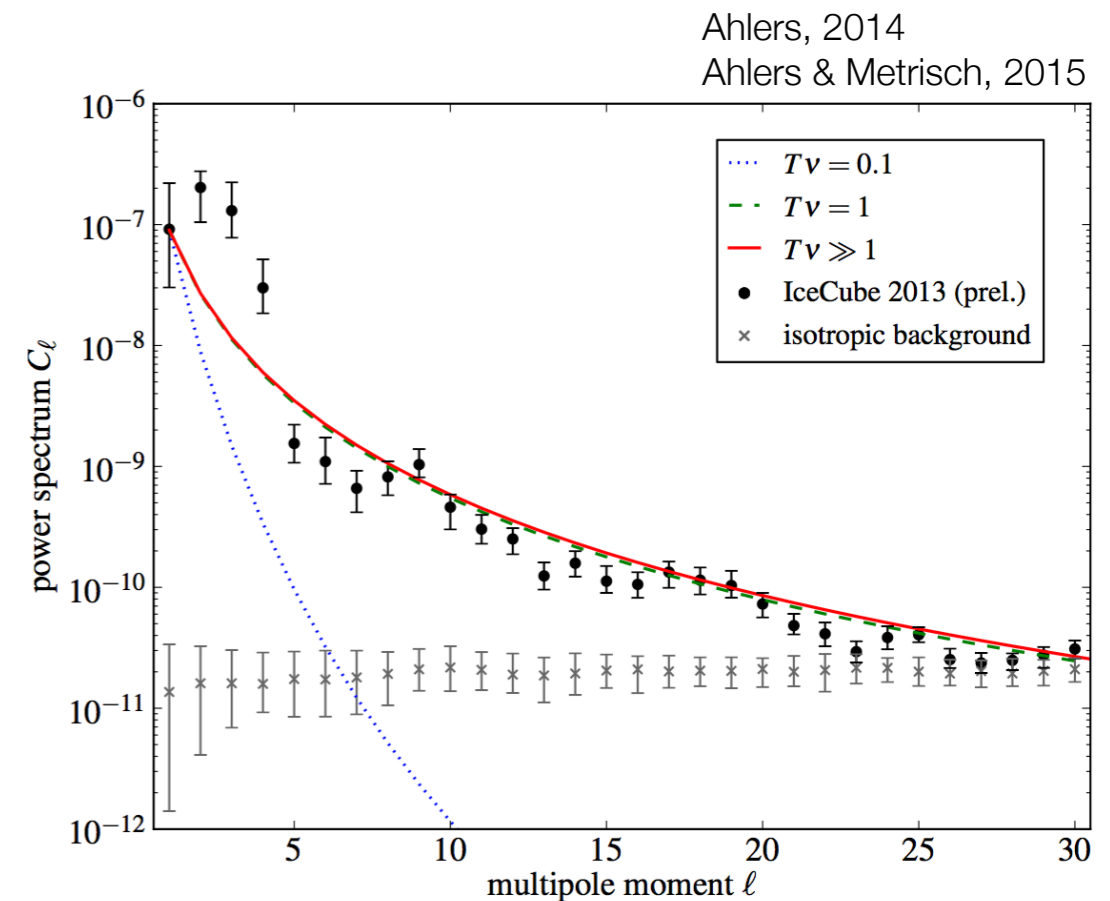
# cosmic ray anisotropy

## probing magnetic field turbulence ?

- propagation effect from turbulent realization of interstellar magnetic field within scattering mean free path



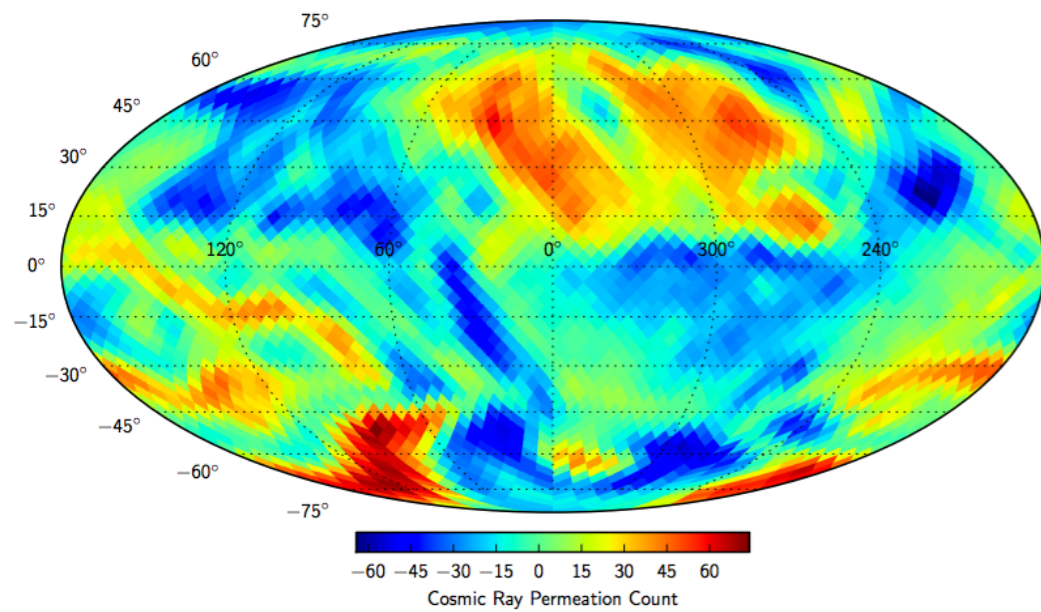
- angular structure of anisotropy spontaneously generated from a global dipole anisotropy as a consequence of Liouville Theorem in the presence of a local turbulent magnetic field (sum of multipoles is conserved)



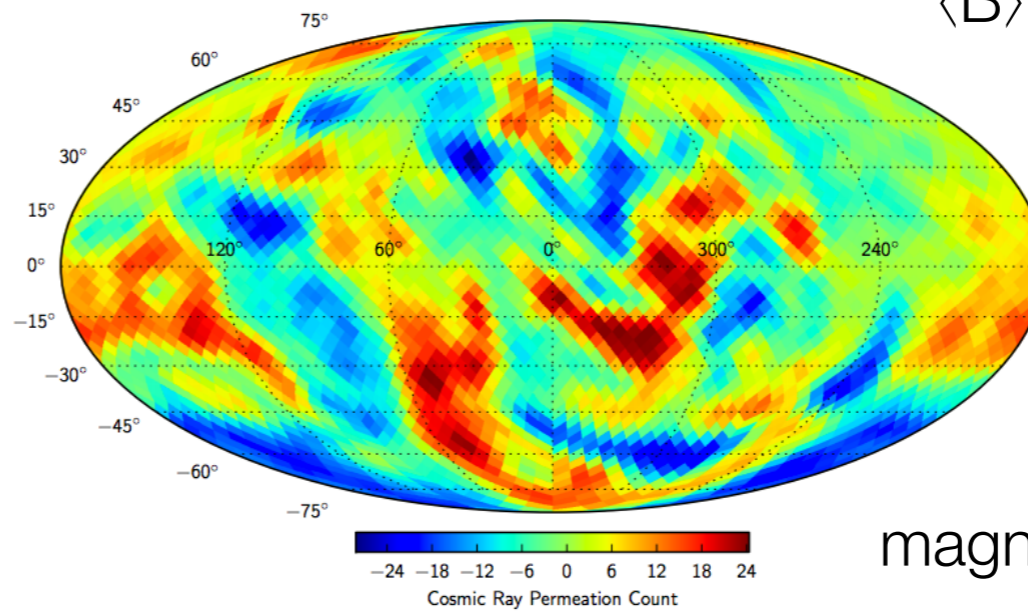
# cosmic ray anisotropy

probing magnetic field turbulence ?

MHD turbulence with  
 $\langle B \rangle = 3 \mu\text{G}$  and  $M_A \sim 0.7$



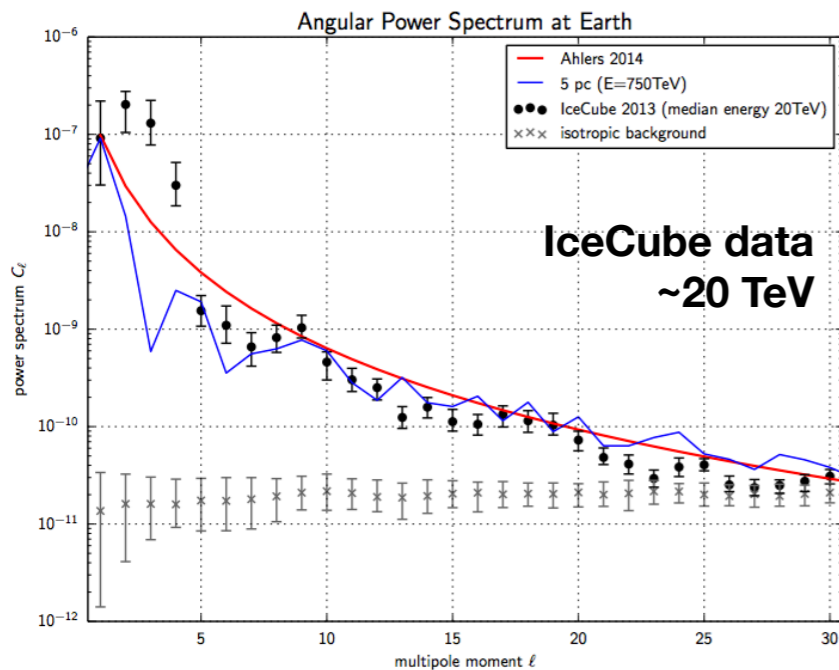
750 TeV



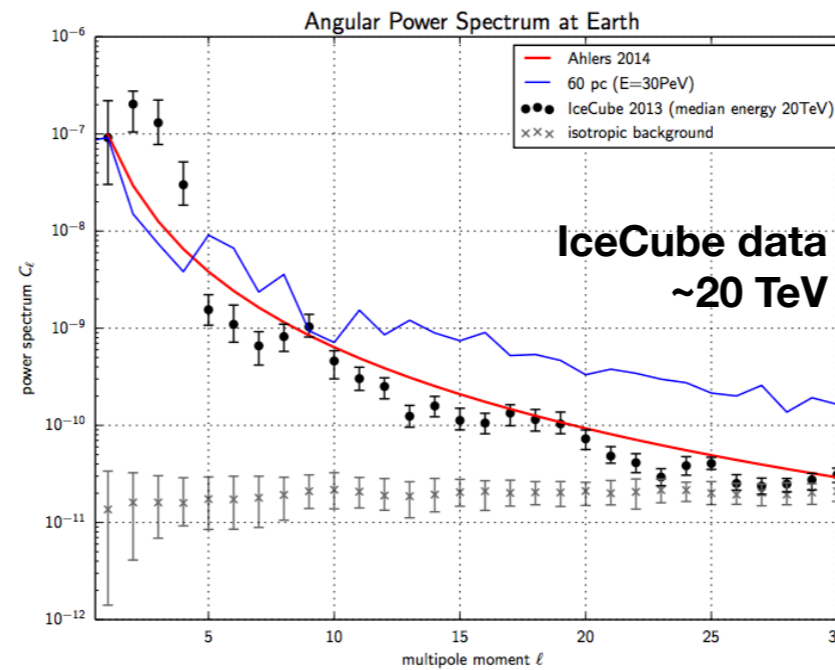
30 PeV

effect of **scattering** in  
 magnetic turbulence modes

mean free path as evolution  
*horizon*



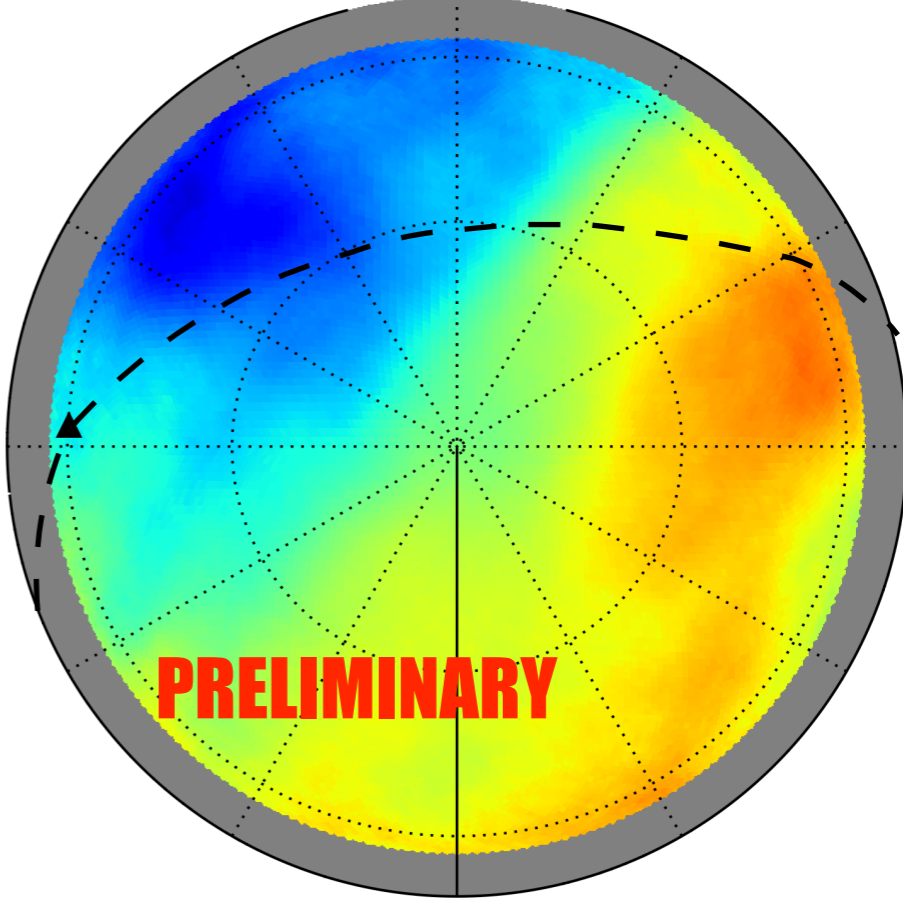
IceCube data  
 ~20 TeV



IceCube data  
 ~20 TeV

THANK YOU

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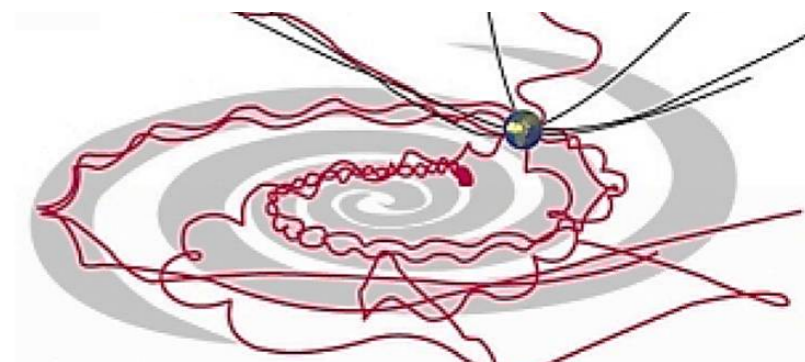
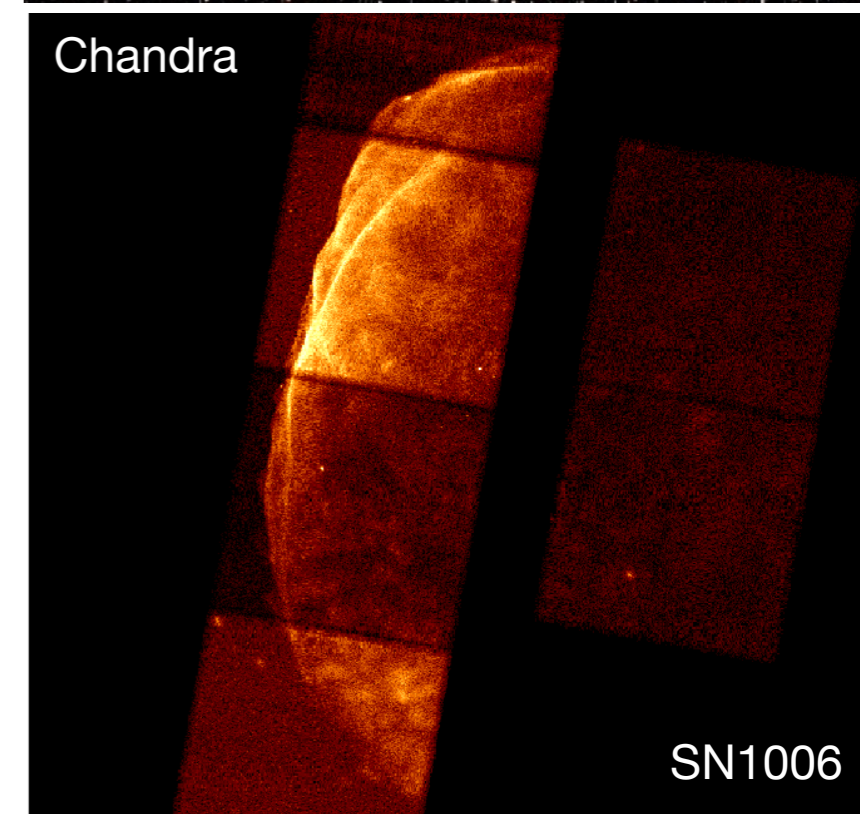
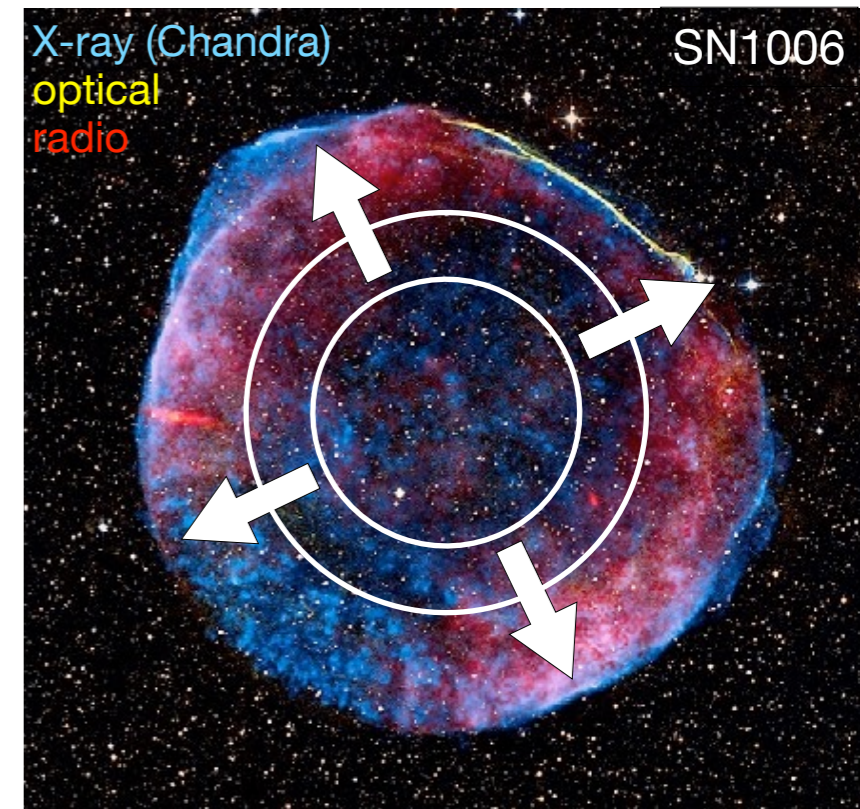


-1.5 -1.2 -0.9 -0.6 -0.3 0 0.3 0.6 0.9 1.2 1.5  
Relative Intensity [ $\times 10^{-3}$ ]



# possible origin of cosmic ray particles

- ▶ bulk of cosmic rays of **similar** composition of local interstellar medium - **OB associations within superbubbles**
  - ▶ **energy** needed to maintain galactic cosmic ray population - **diffusive shock acceleration in SNR**
  - ▶ back reaction of accelerated particles lead to non-linear magnetic field amplification & **efficient acceleration**
  - ▶ **spectral concavity** @ acceleration sites
- ▶ **propagation** in interstellar medium & **escape**



# cosmic ray acceleration in supernova remnants

## Remarks on Super-Novae and Cosmic Rays

We have recently called attention to a remarkable type of giant novae.<sup>1</sup> As the subject of super-novae is probably very unfamiliar we give here a few more details which are not contained in our original articles.

### 1. Distribution of super-novae

In our calculations we made use of the assumption that on the average one super-nova appears in each galaxy every thousand years. This estimate is based on the occurrence of super-novae in the following galaxies,

Our own galaxy	in 1572
Andromeda	1885
Messier 101	1907

These three systems are located within a sphere of radius

We wish to emphasize that all of these finds are chance finds since a systematic search for super-novae has been organized only recently.

From the estimate of one super-nova per galaxy per thousand years it follows that  $10^7$  super-novae appear per year in the  $10^{10}$  nebulae which are contained in a sphere of  $2 \times 10^9$  years radius (critical distance derived from the red shift of nebulae). If cosmic rays come from super-novae their intensity in points far away from any individual super-nova will be essentially independent of time.

### 2. Comparison with the lifetime of stars

The lifetime of stars is supposed to be of the order of at least  $10^{12}$  years. A nebula contains about  $10^9$  stars. These estimates, combined with the frequency of occurrence of one super-nova per galaxy suggest that

Baade & Zwicky 1934

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## On the Origin of the Cosmic Radiation

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A theory of the origin of cosmic radiation is proposed according to which cosmic rays are originated and accelerated primarily in the interstellar space of the galaxy by collisions against moving magnetic fields. One of the features of the theory is that it yields naturally an inverse power law for the spectral distribution of the cosmic rays. The chief difficulty is that it fails to explain in a straightforward way the heavy nuclei observed in the primary radiation.

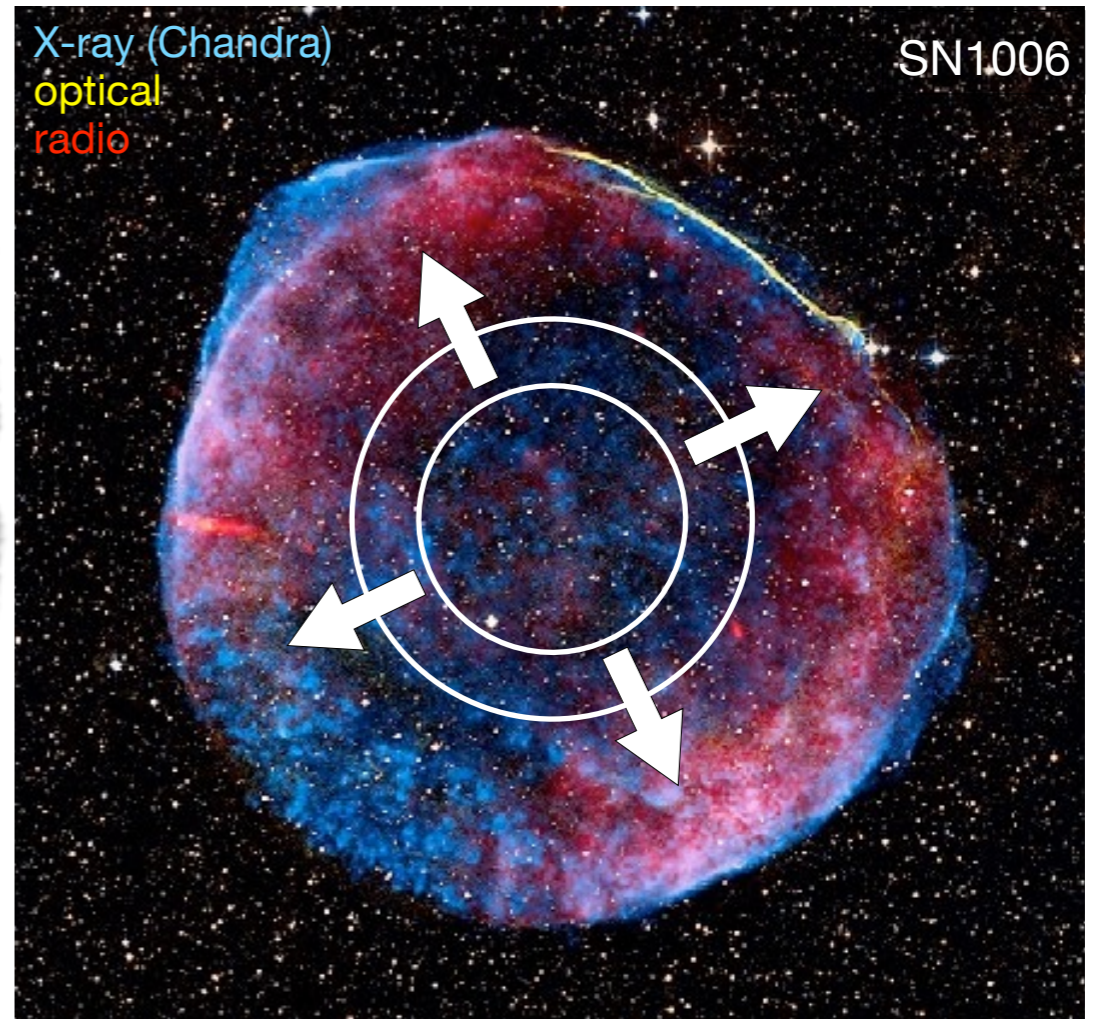
### I. INTRODUCTION

IN recent discussions on the origin of the cosmic radiation E. Teller<sup>1</sup> has advocated the view that cosmic rays are of solar origin and are kept

where  $H$  is the intensity of the magnetic field and  $\rho$  is the density of the interstellar matter.

One finds according to the present theory that a particle that is projected into the interstellar

Fermi 1949



► diffusive shock acceleration in galactic **supernova remnants**

# possible origin of cosmic ray energy

- ▶ **energy** needed to maintain galactic cosmic ray population

$$E_{GCR} \approx 10^{41} \text{ erg s}^{-1} = 10^{34} \text{ W}$$

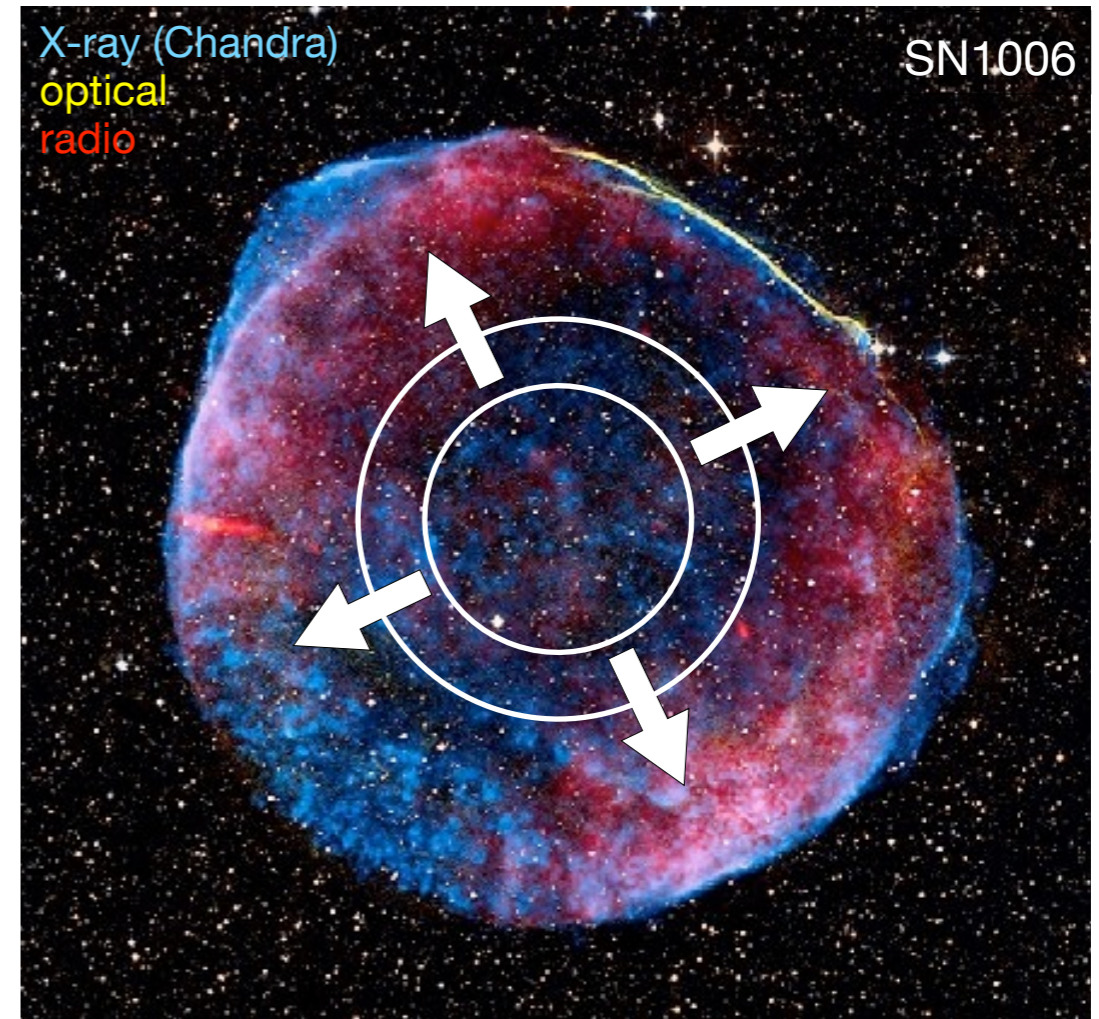
- ▶ energy released by **supernovae** that goes into particle acceleration

$$E_{SN} \approx \frac{10^{44} \text{ J}}{30 \text{ yr}} \times 10\% \approx 10^{34} \text{ W}$$

released mechanical energy

galactic supernova rate

energy into acceleration

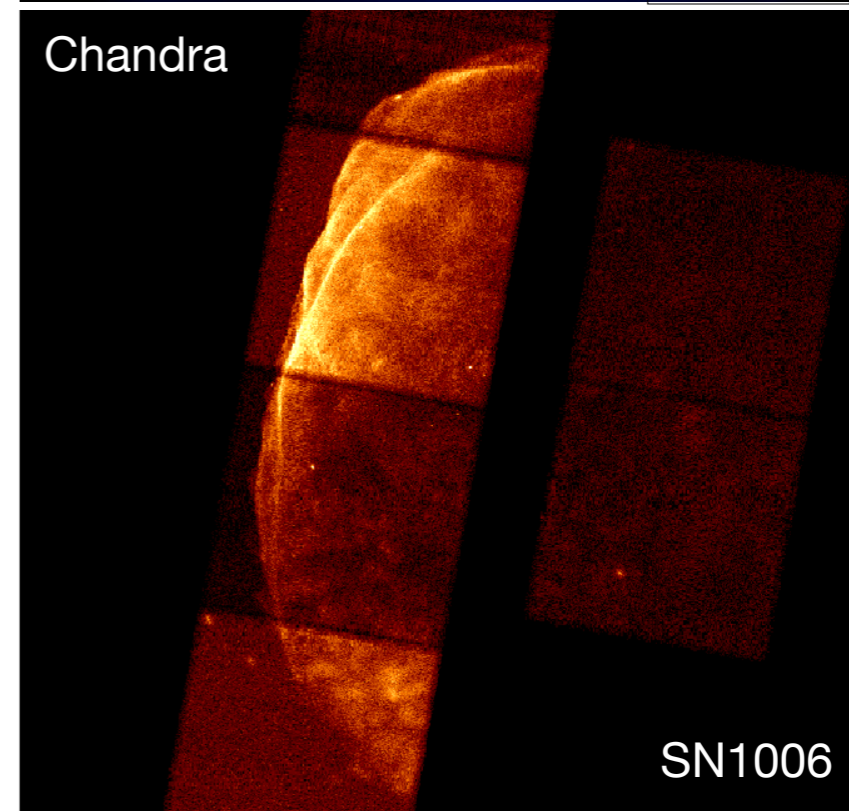
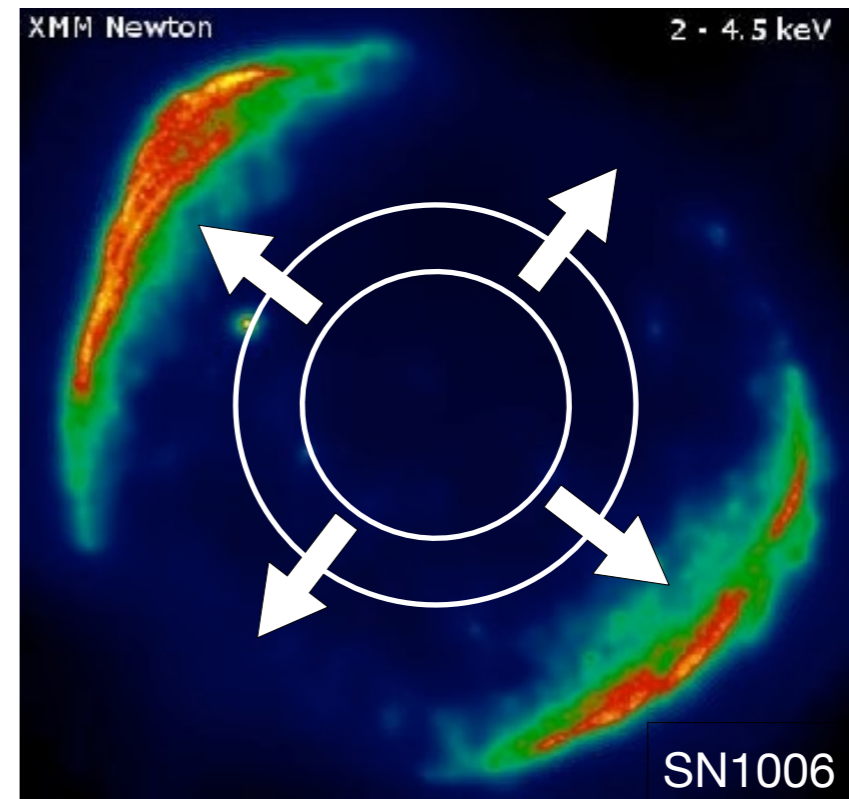


- ▶  $E_{\text{max}}$  associated to the knee of cosmic rays at  $\sim 3 \text{ PeV}$



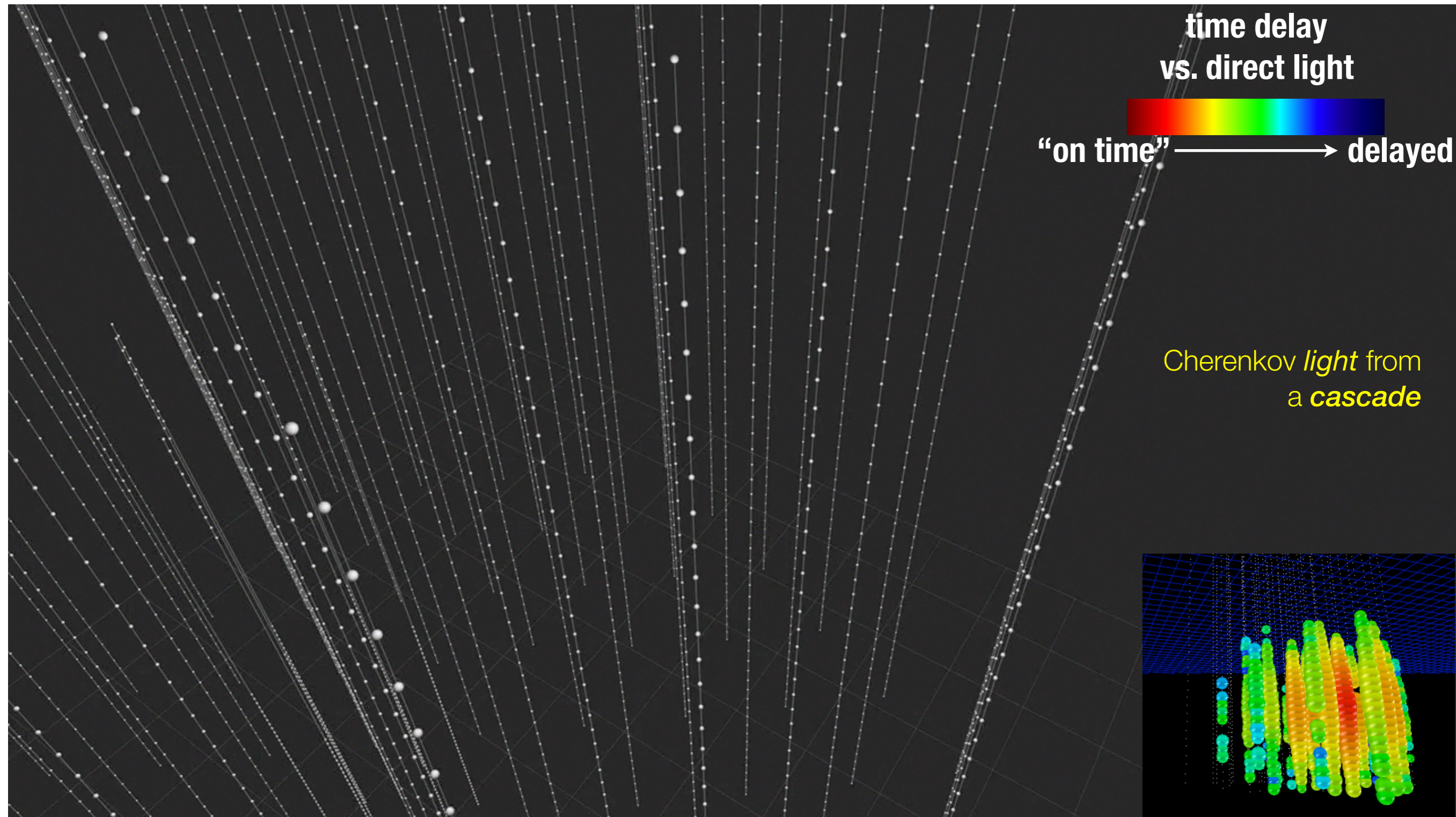
# cosmic ray acceleration in supernova remnants

- **efficient acceleration:** dynamical reaction of CR particle on SNR magnetic field
  - ▶ streaming instability induced by accelerated particles leads to **magnetic field amplification upstream**
  - ▶ in addition to magnetic field amplification by compression downstream
- ➔ non-linear diffusive shock acceleration
- ➔ predicts  $\propto E^{-2}$  (or **concave spectra**)



# detection principle - *cascade*

$\nu_e$   $\nu_\tau$  CC-int &  $\nu_i$  NC-int



$\approx \pm 15\%$  deposited energy resolution  
 $\approx 10^\circ$  angular resolution  
(at energies  $\approx 100\text{TeV}$ )

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# detection principle - *track*

$\nu_\mu$  CC-int

time delay  
vs. direct light



“on time” → delayed

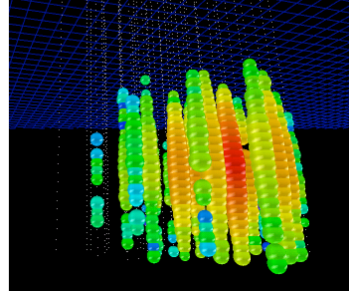
Cherenkov *light* from  
a *muon* track

factor of  $\approx 2$  energy resolution  
<  $1^\circ$  angular resolution

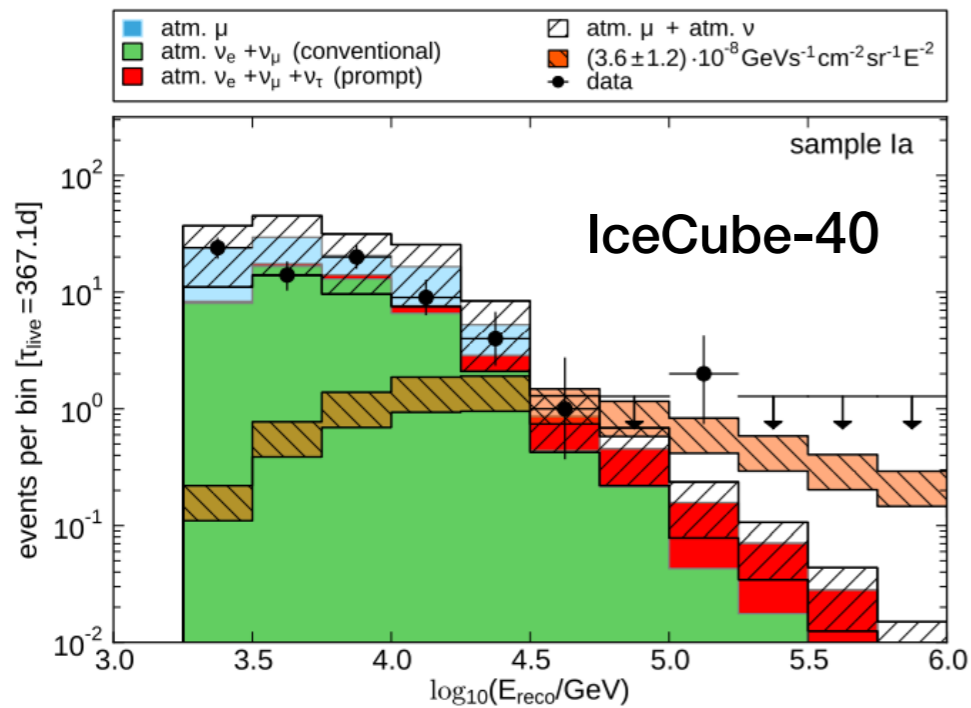
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# neutrino identification

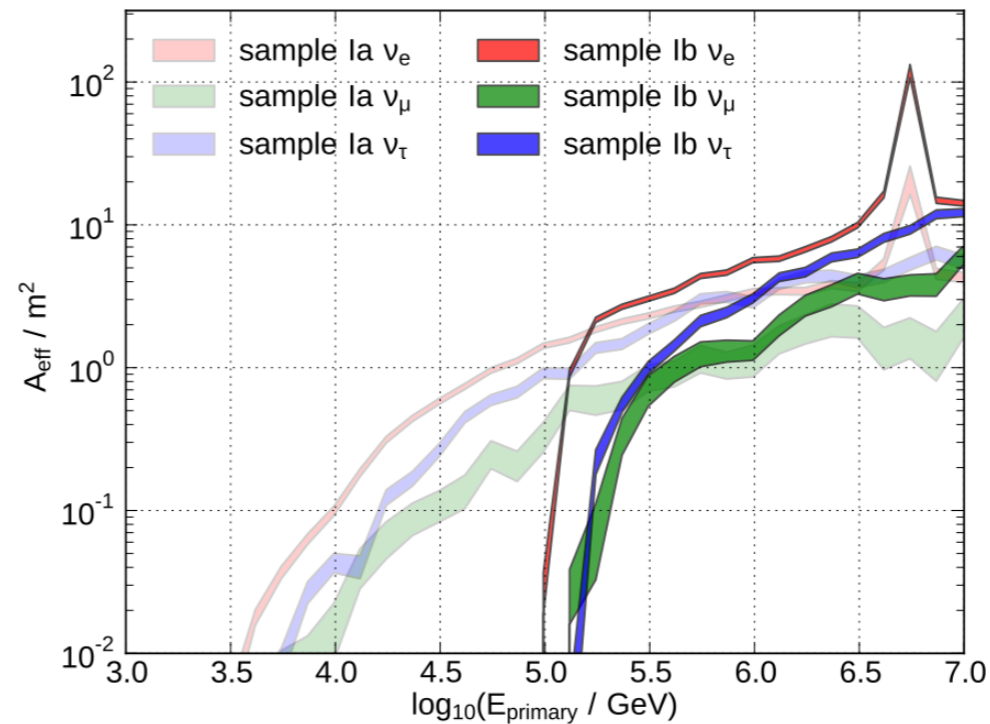
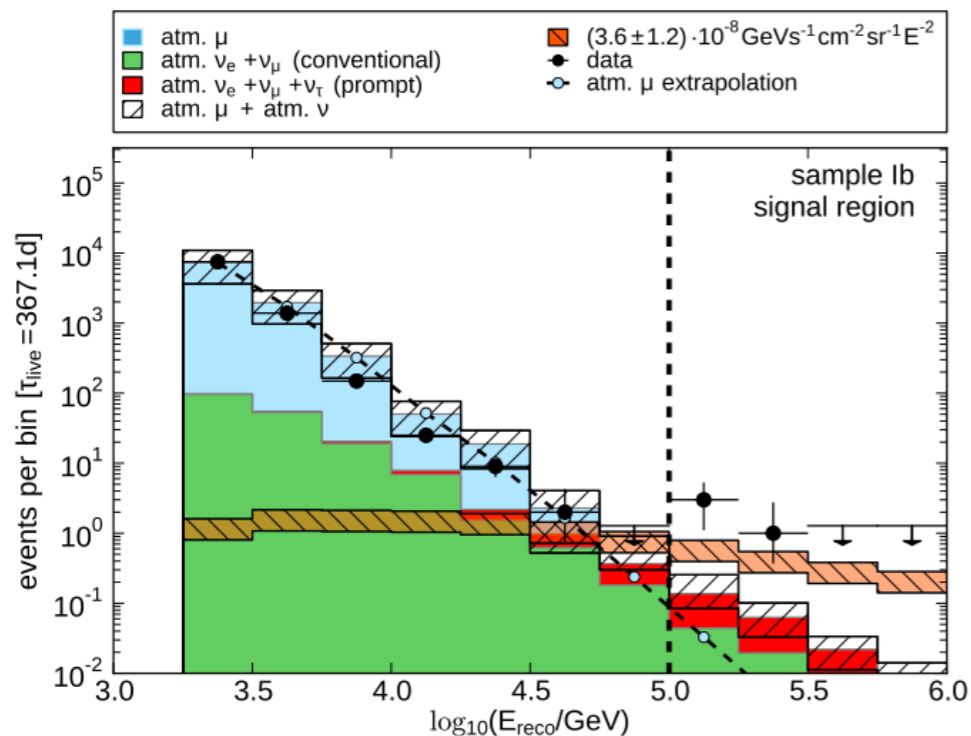
## diffuse flux



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(a) Deposited Energy in sample Ia

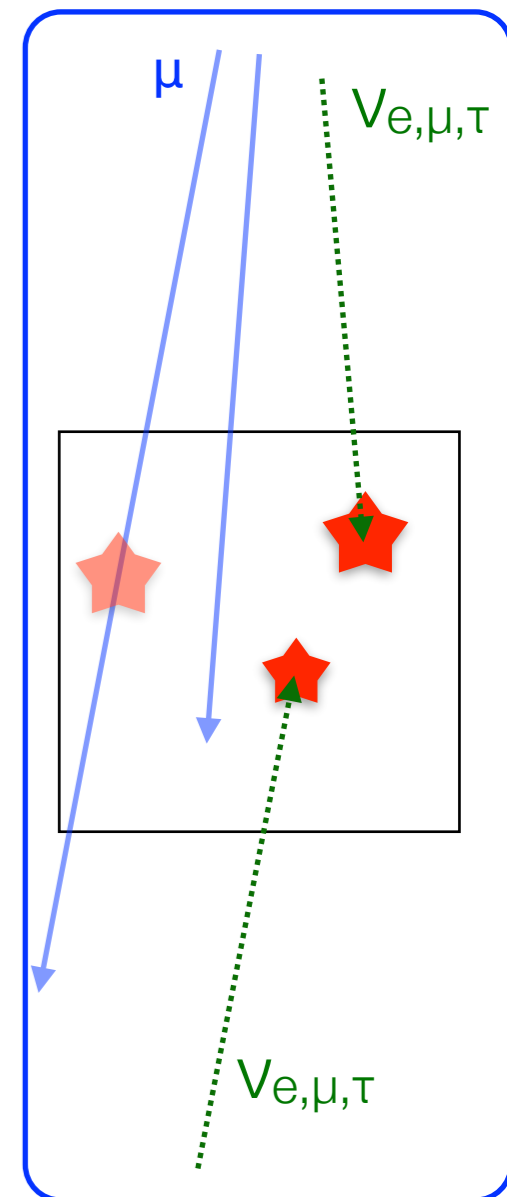


2.4  $\sigma$  excess over atmospheric expectation

$$\Phi_{90\%CL}^{astro}(E) = 7.46 \times 10^{-8} \times E^{-2} \text{ GeV}^{-1} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1} \text{ sr}^{-1}$$

all-flavor

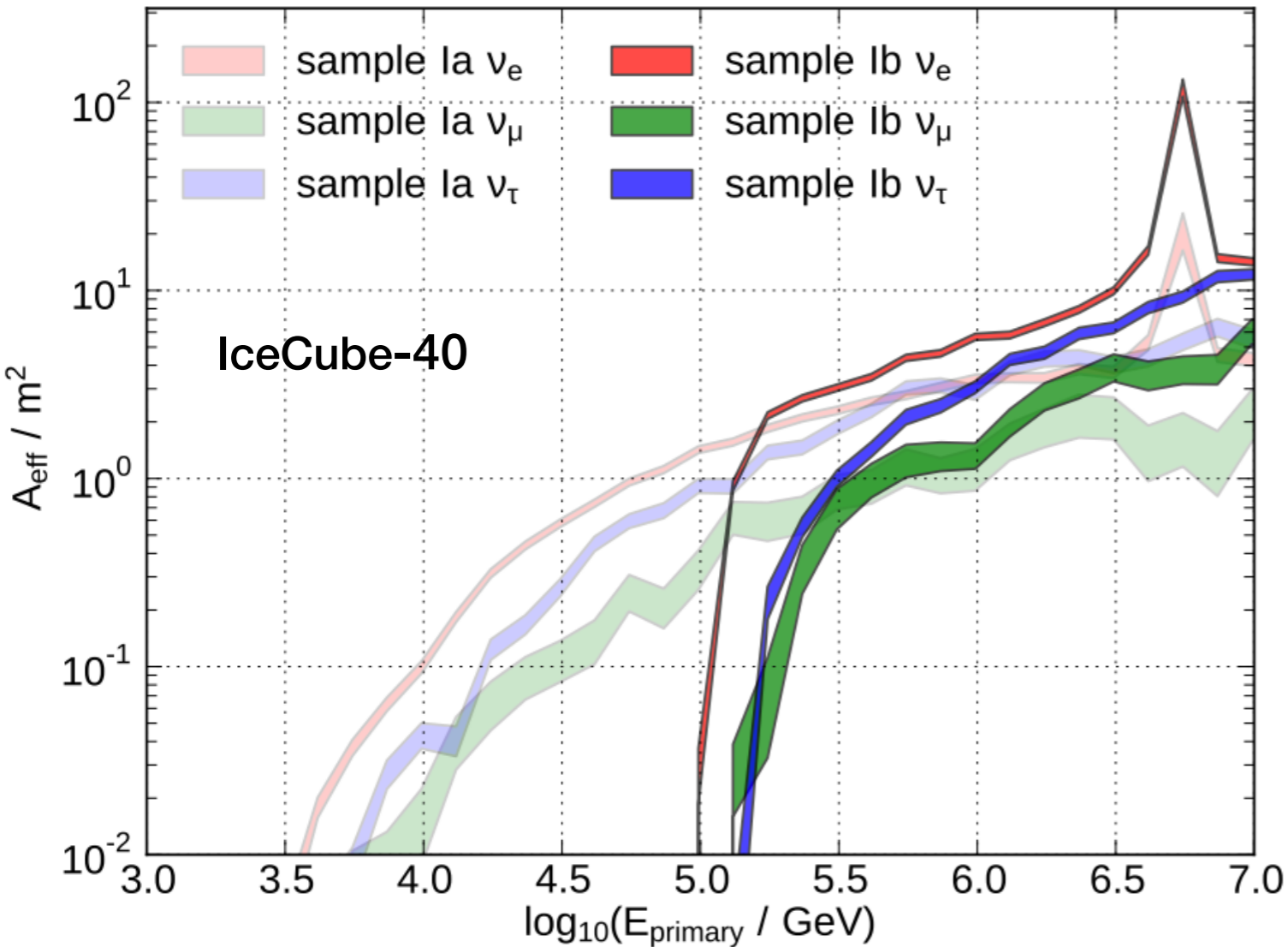
contained  
(cascades)



# neutrino identification

diffuse flux

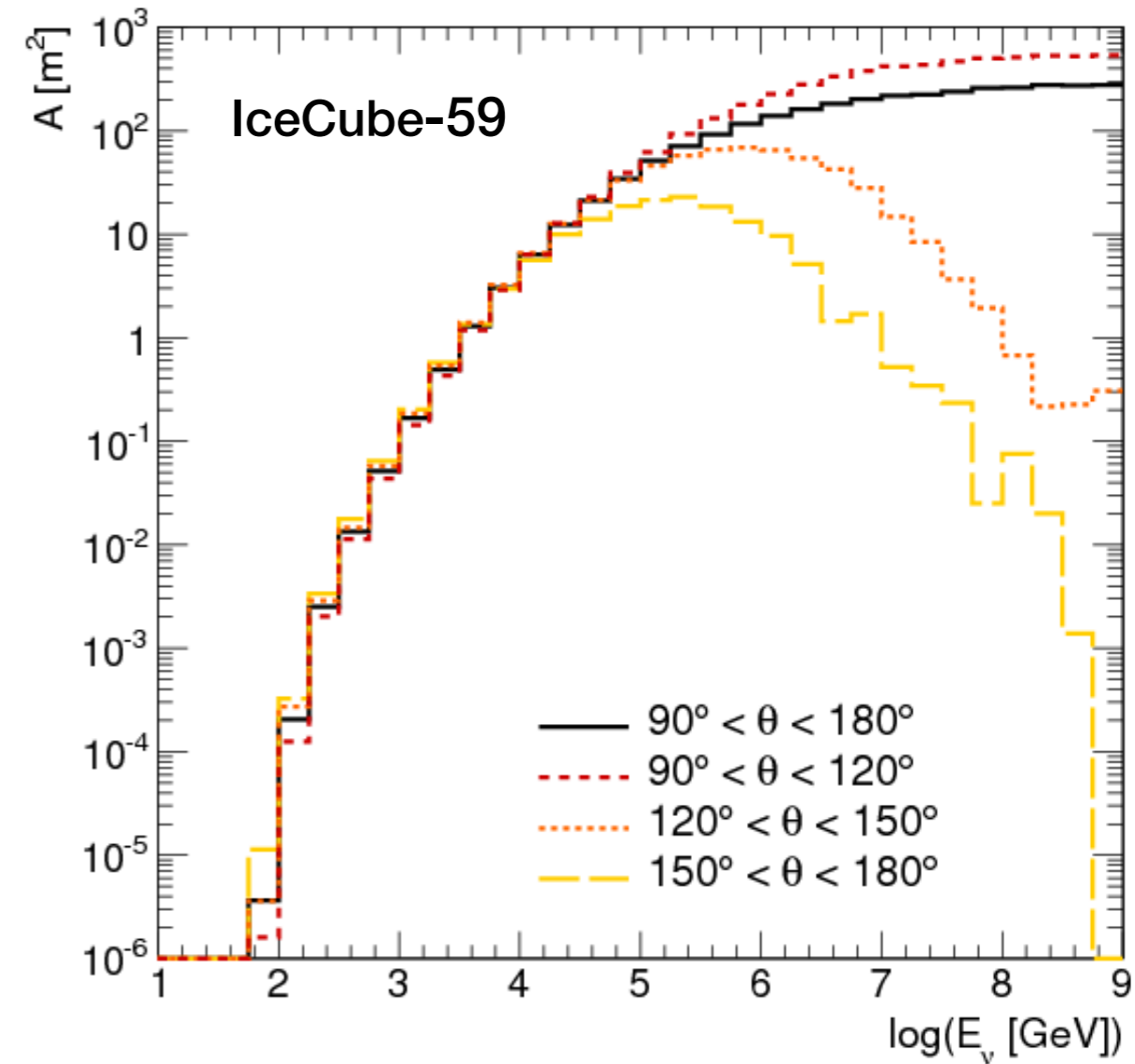
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**cascade-like events**  
**all neutrinos NC interactions &**  
**electron/tau neutrinos CC interactions**

# neutrino effective area

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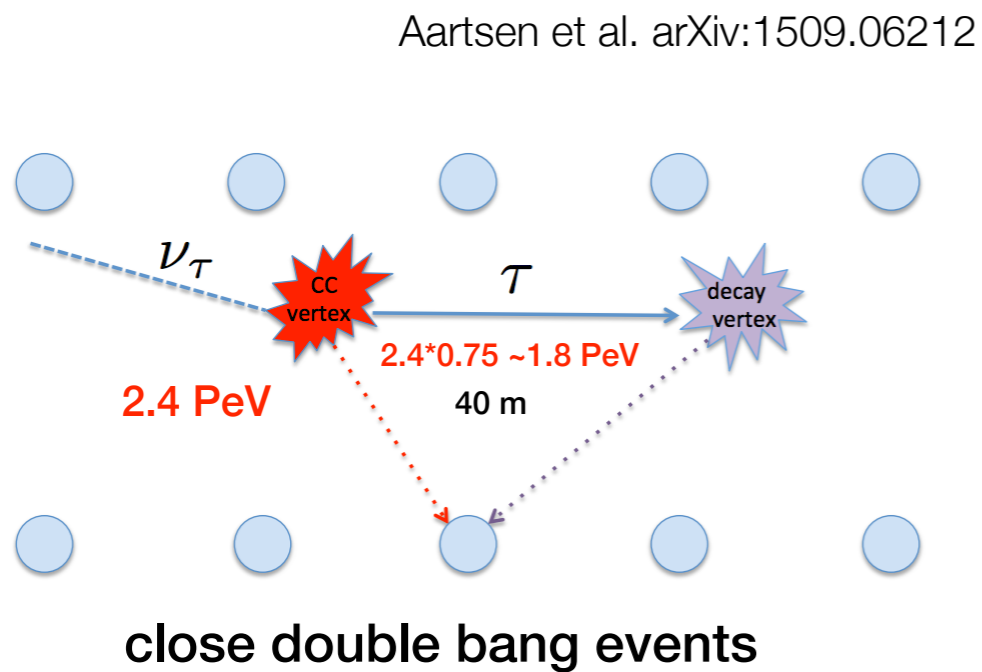


**track-like events**  
**muon neutrinos CC interactions**

# neutrino identification

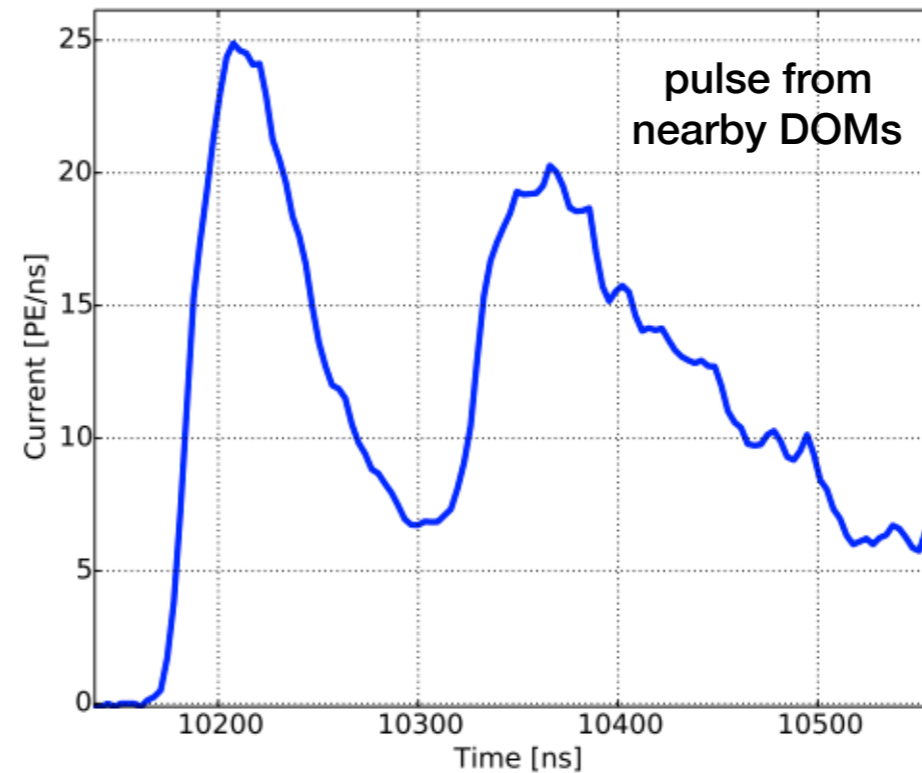
## diffuse flux

# tau neutrino searches



no contained events with double pulses found in 3 years of IceCube-86 data

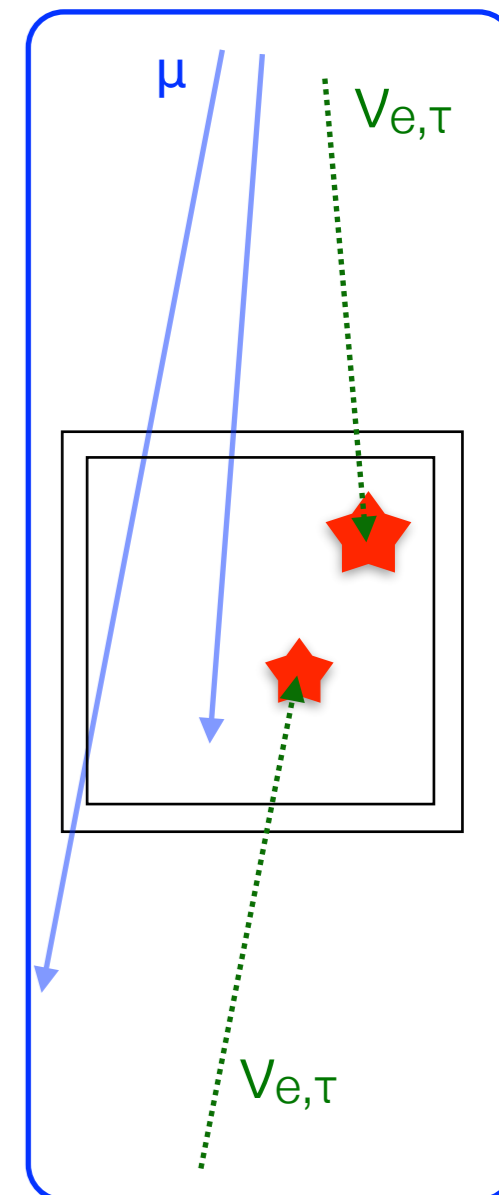
IceCube-86 × 3



$$\Phi_{90\%CL}^{\nu\tau}(E) = 5.1 \times 10^{-8} \times E^{-2} \text{ GeV}^{-1} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1} \text{ sr}^{-1}$$

214 TeV - 72 PeV

## contained (cascades)



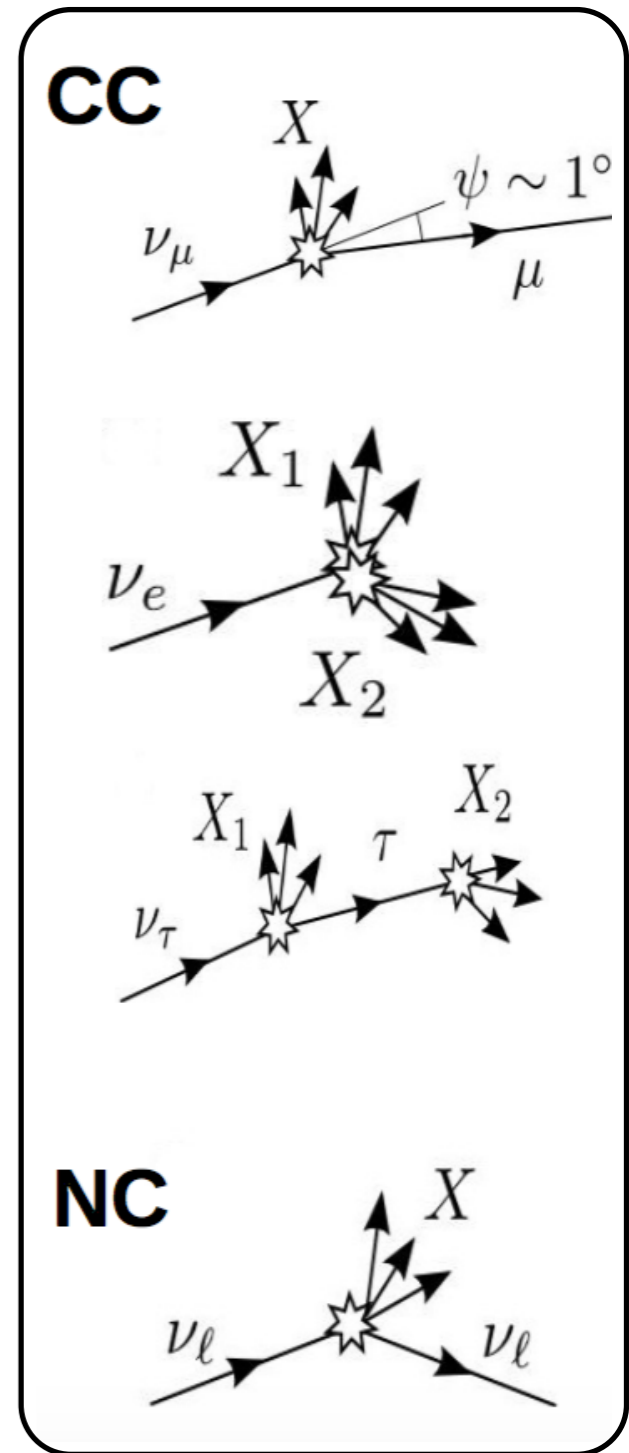
# neutrino identification

## flavor sensitivity

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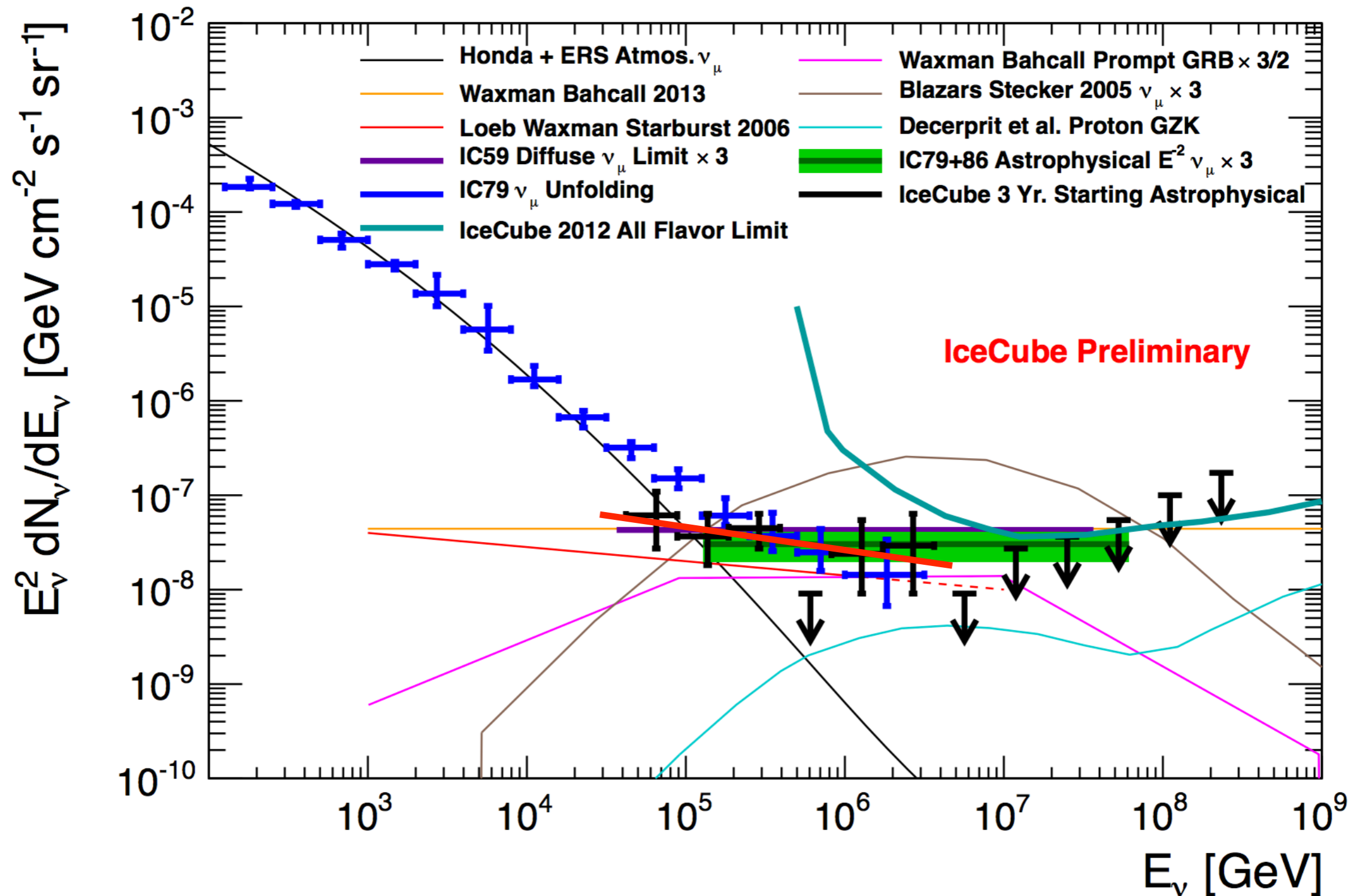
### TOO FEW TRACK-LIKE EVENTS ?

- track-like & cascade-like is an **experimental** definition
- in all-flavor searches track-like events are not common
- all flavors look alike in NC interactions
- $\mu$  in CC interactions may be concealed in showers
- $\tau$  have short tracks except above PeV energies
- flavor identification requires simulation data



# high energy neutrinos

transition from atmospheric to astrophysical



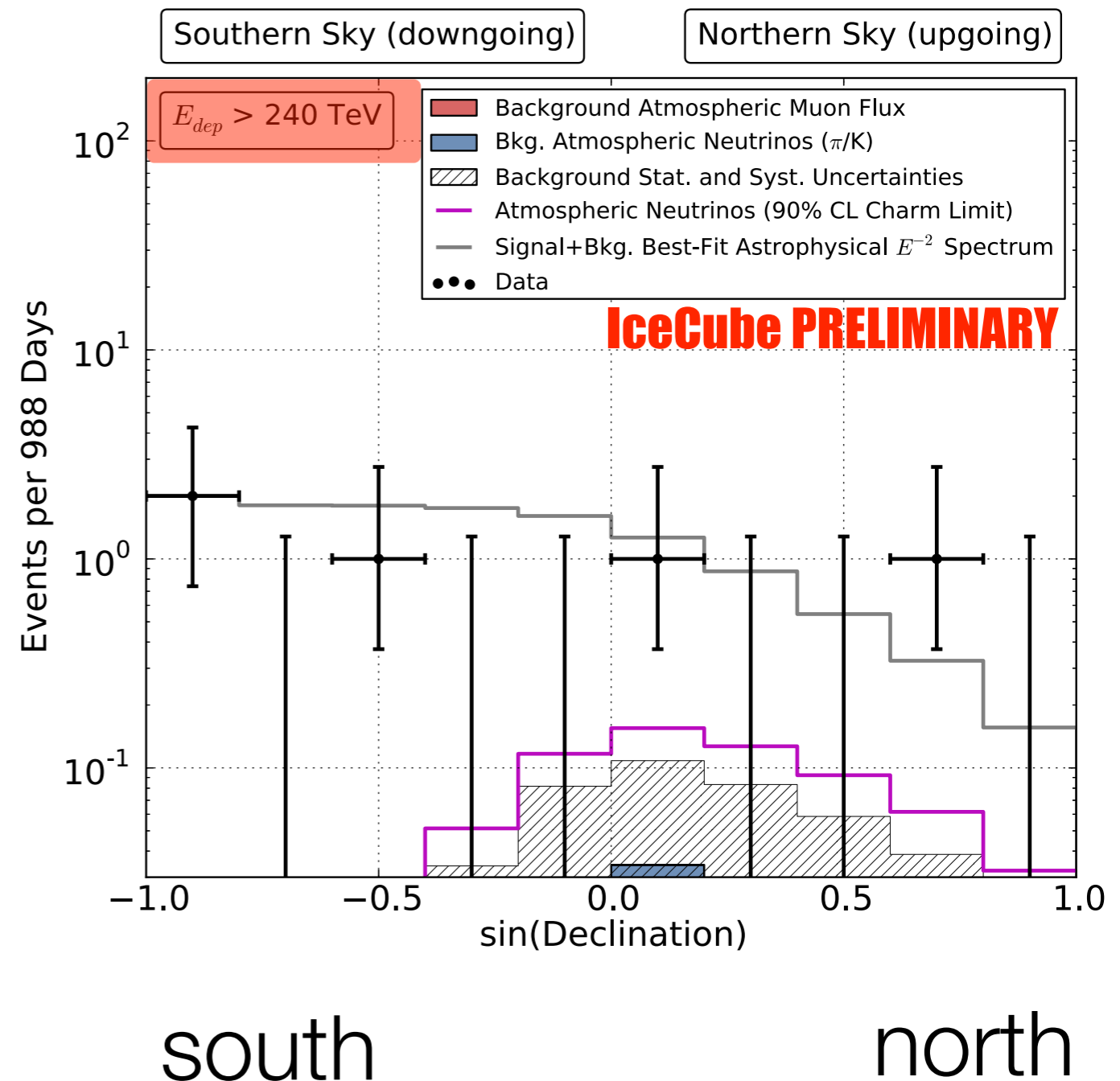


# high energy “starting” events

angular distribution

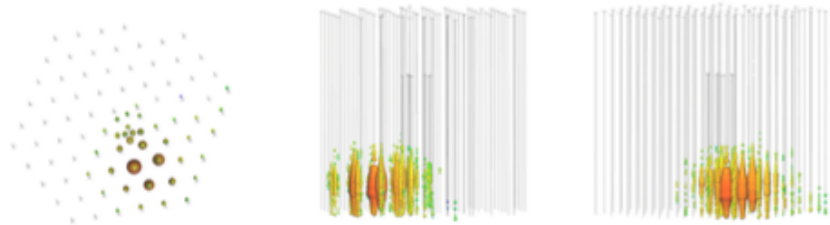
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- ▶ compatible with isotropic flux
- ▶ Earth absorption from Northern Hemisphere
- ▶ excess from south (self-veto)
- ▶ **charm production @north**
- ▶ forward physics with IceCube

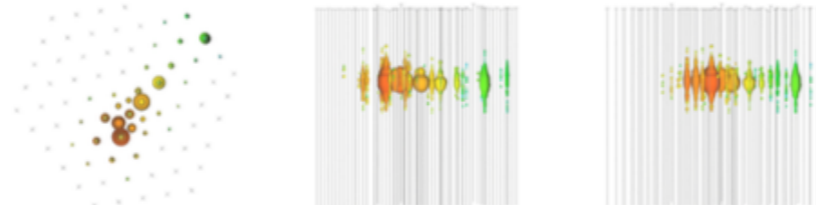
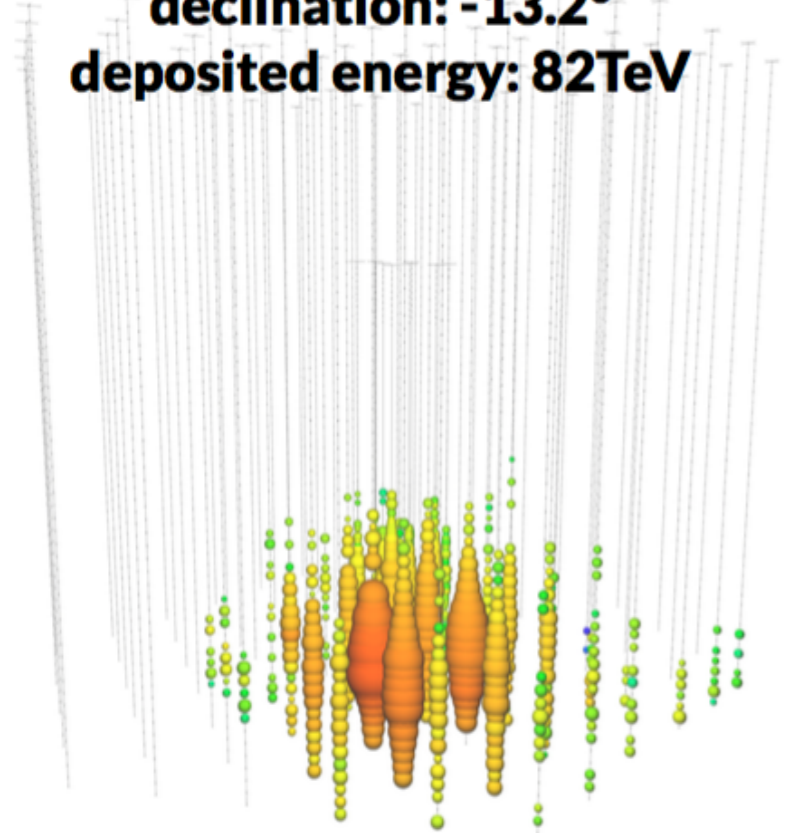


# neutrino identification

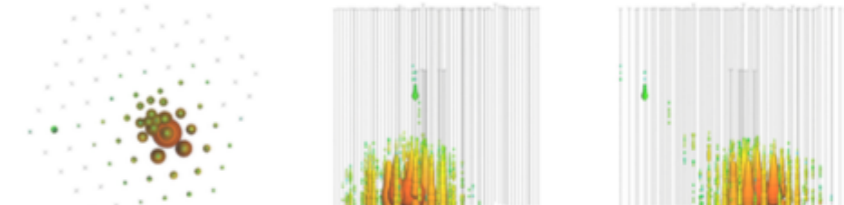
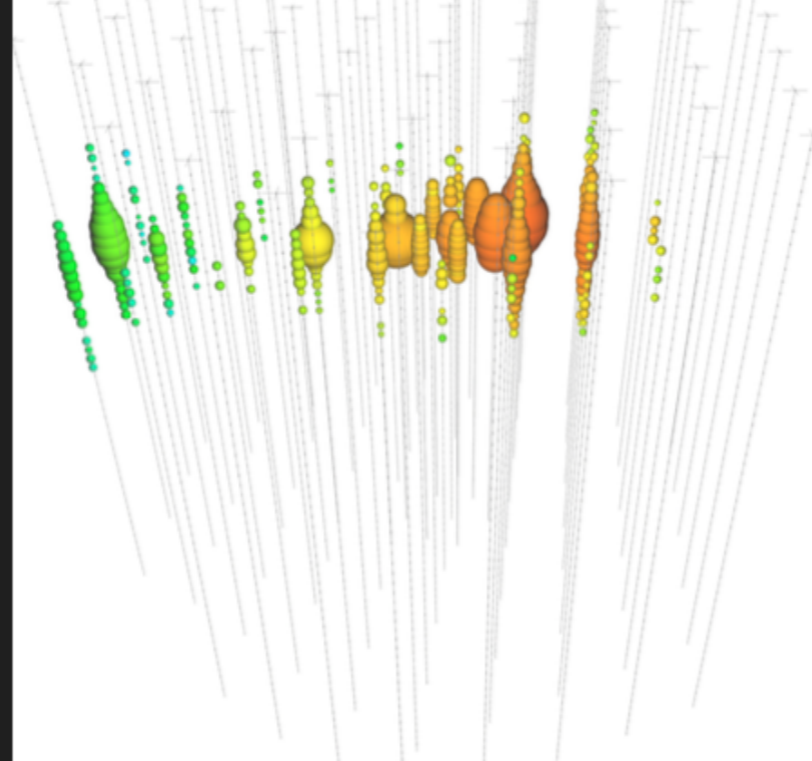
## astrophysical neutrinos



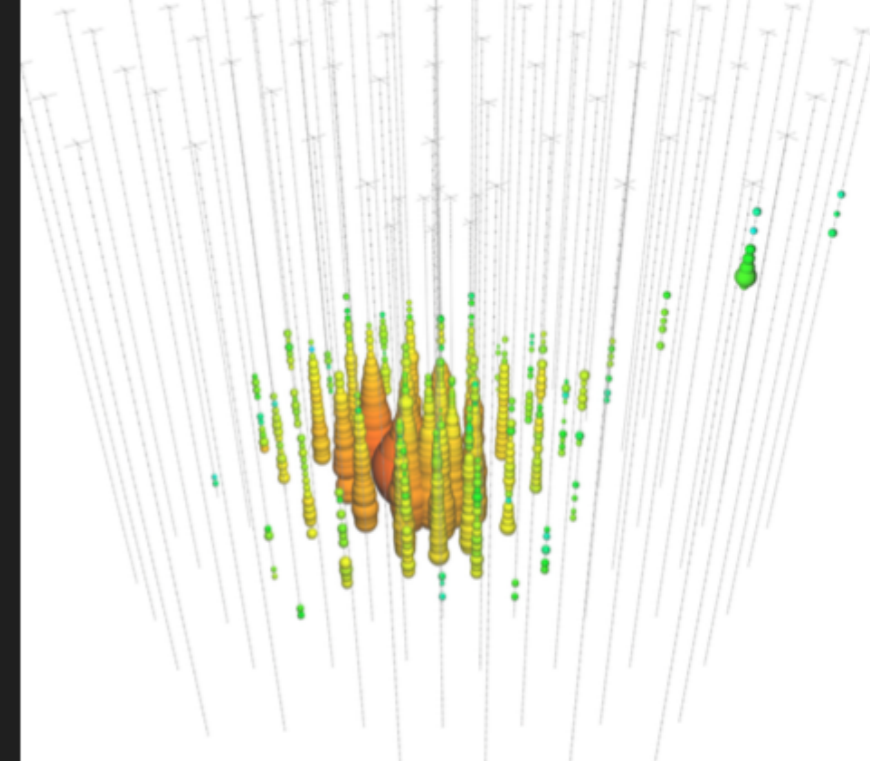
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**deposited energy: 82TeV**



**declination:  $-0.4^\circ$**   
**deposited energy: 71TeV**



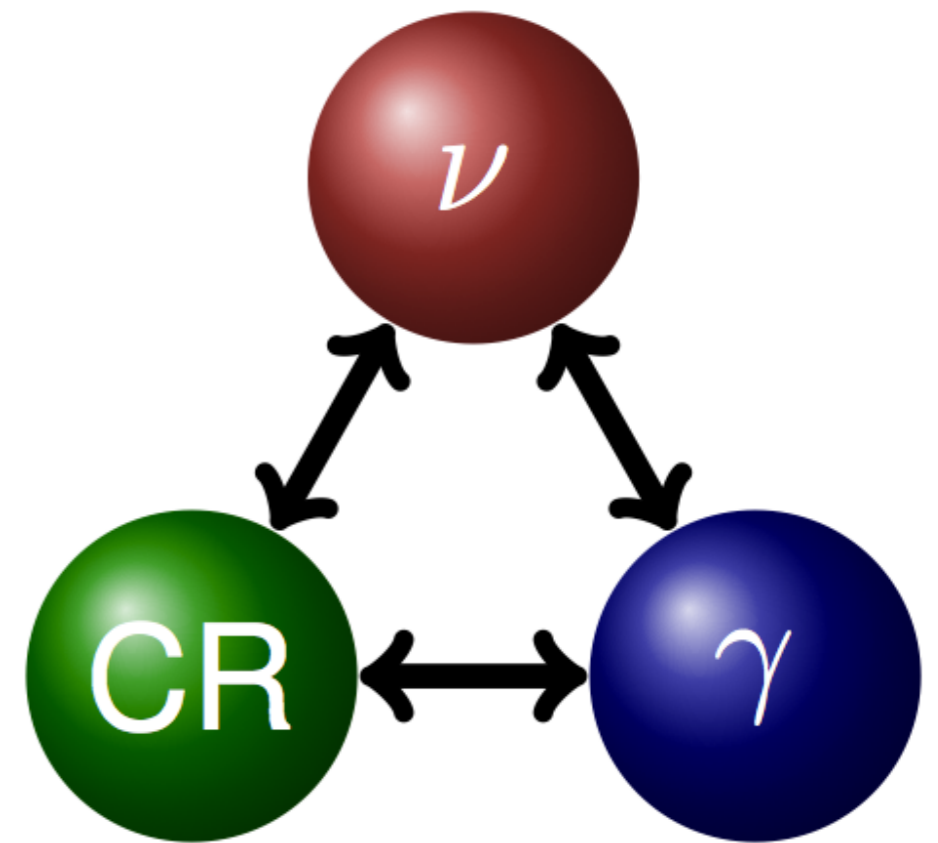
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# origin of high energy neutrinos ?

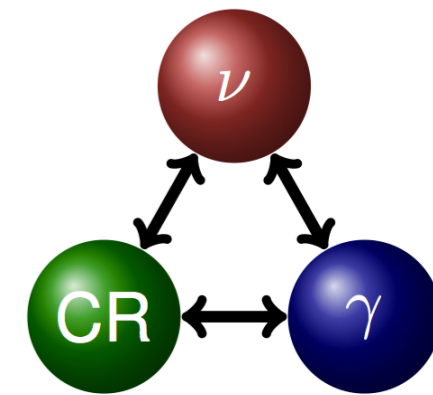
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- ▶ Glashow resonance ?
- ▶ galactic or extragalactic ?
- ▶ isotropic or point sources ?
- ▶ cosmic ray composition ?
- ▶ pp or p $\gamma$  origin ?
- ▶ **1 PeV neutrinos** ~ **20 TeV CR nucleon** ~ **2 PeV  $\gamma$ -rays**



# origin of high energy neutrinos ?

1 PeV neutrinos ~ 20 TeV CR nucleon ~ 2 PeV  $\gamma$ -rays



## • extragalactic sources:

- relation to the sources of UHE CRs [Kistler, Stanev & Yuksel 1301.1703]
- GZK from low  $E_{\max}$  blazars [Kalashev, Kusenko & Essey 1303.0300]
- cores of active galactic nuclei (AGN) [Stecker *et al.*'91; Stecker 1305.7404]
- low-power  $\gamma$ -ray bursts (GRB) [Murase & Ioka 1306.2274]
- starburst galaxies [Loeb&Waxman'06; He *et al.* 1303.1253; Murase, MA & Lacki 1306.3417]
- hypernova in star-forming galaxies [Liu *et al.* 1310.1263]
- galaxy clusters/groups [Berezinsky, Blasi & Ptuskin'97; Murase, MA & Lacki 1306.3417]

## • Galactic sources:

- heavy dark matter decay [Feldstein *et al.* 1303.7320; Esmaili & Serpico 1308.1105]
- peculiar hypernovae [Fox, Kashiyama & Meszaros 1305.6606; MA & Murase 1309.4077]
- diffuse Galactic  $\gamma$ -ray emission [e.g. Ingelman & Thunman'96; MA & Murase 1309.4077]

## • $\gamma$ -ray association:

- unidentified Galactic TeV  $\gamma$ -ray sources [Fox, Kashiyama & Meszaros 1306.6606]
- sub-TeV diffuse Galactic  $\gamma$ -ray emission [Neronov, Semikoz & Tchernin 1307.2158]

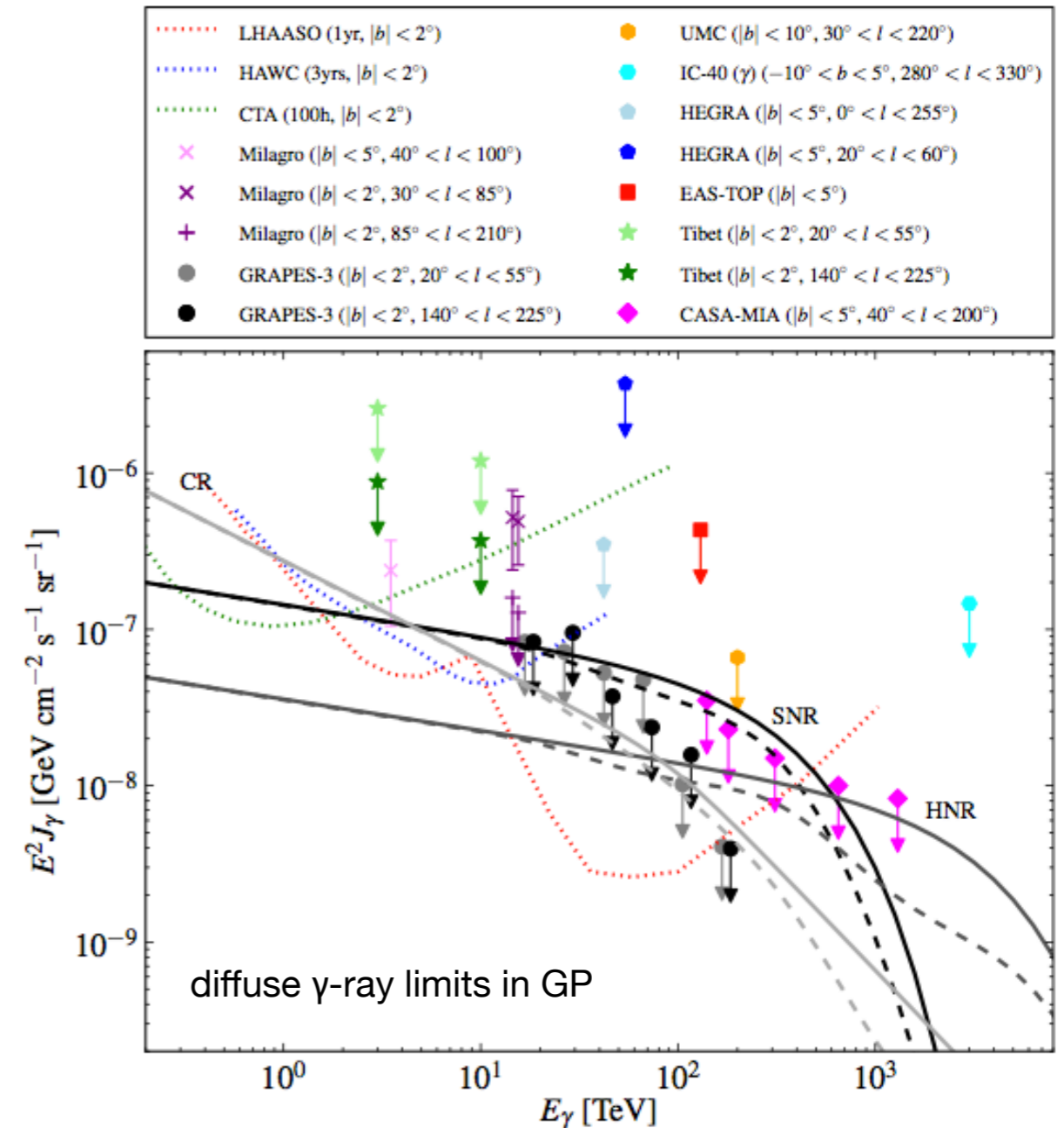
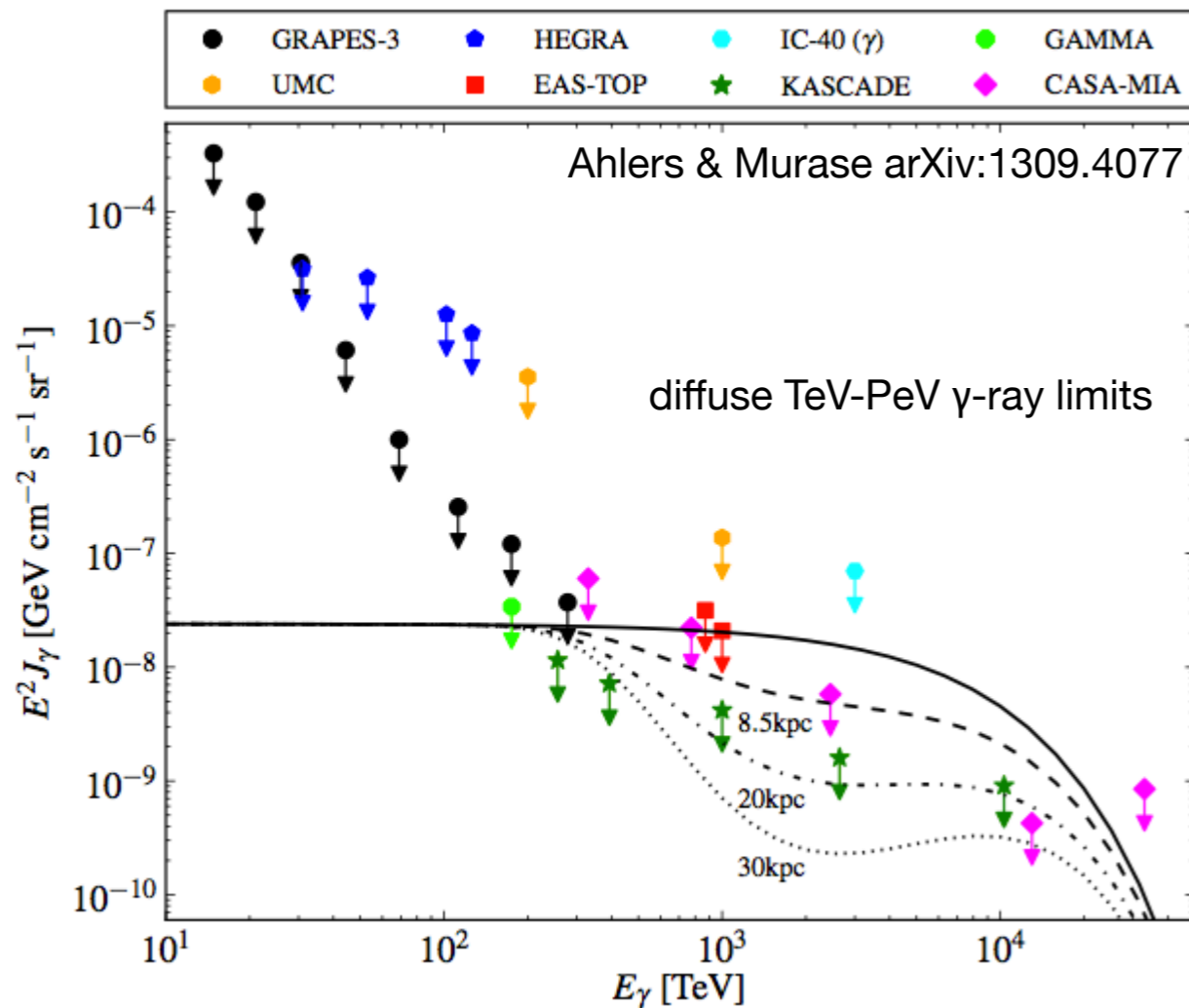
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# origin of high energy neutrinos ?

IceCube Coll. PRD 87, 062002, 2013

▶ strong **constraints** of galactic isotropic emission of  $\gamma$ -rays

▶ **disfavor** contribution from SNR & HyperNovae



# cosmic rays

## propagation effects

- ▶ cosmic ray spectrum affected by **propagation**
- ▶ escape faster with energy: **diffusion** coefficient

$$\frac{dN_{CR}}{dE} \approx E^{-\gamma_{inj}-\delta} \quad D(E) \propto E^\delta$$

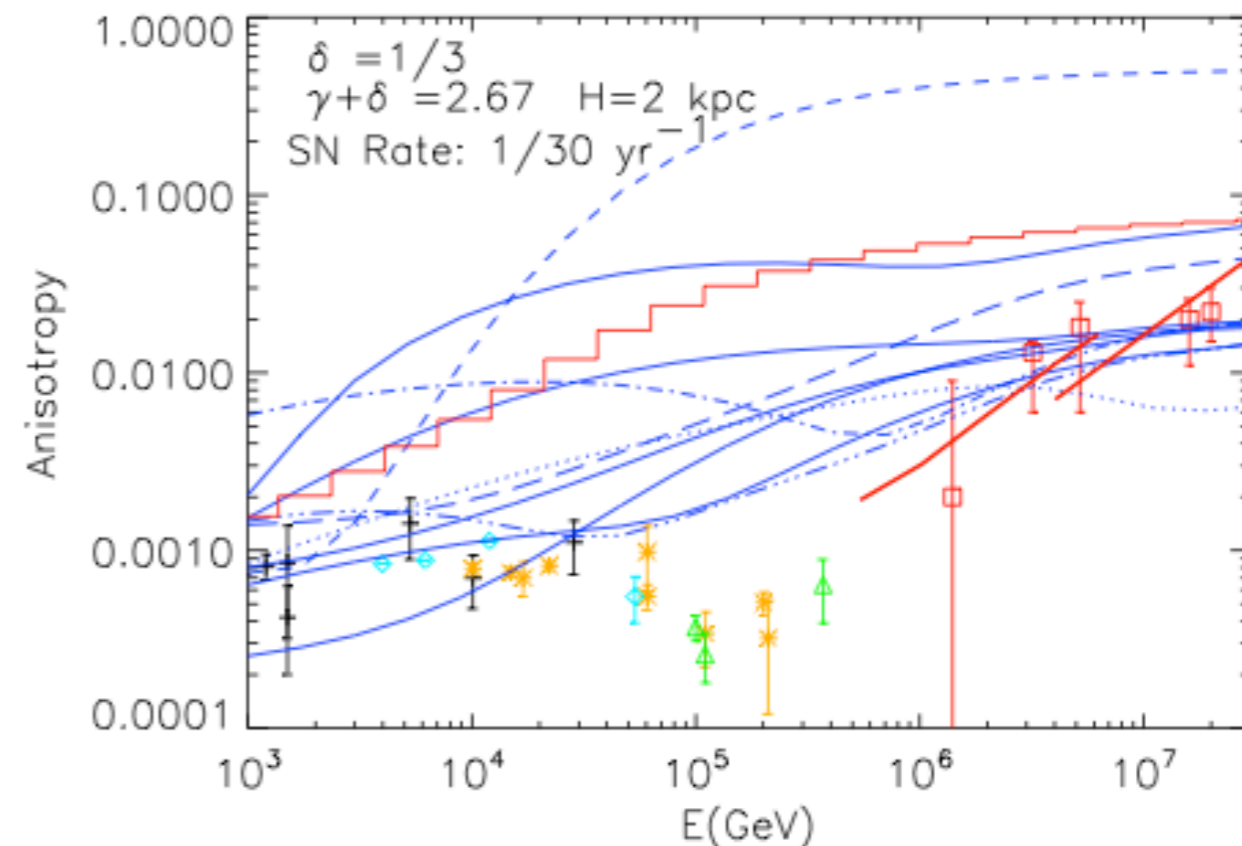
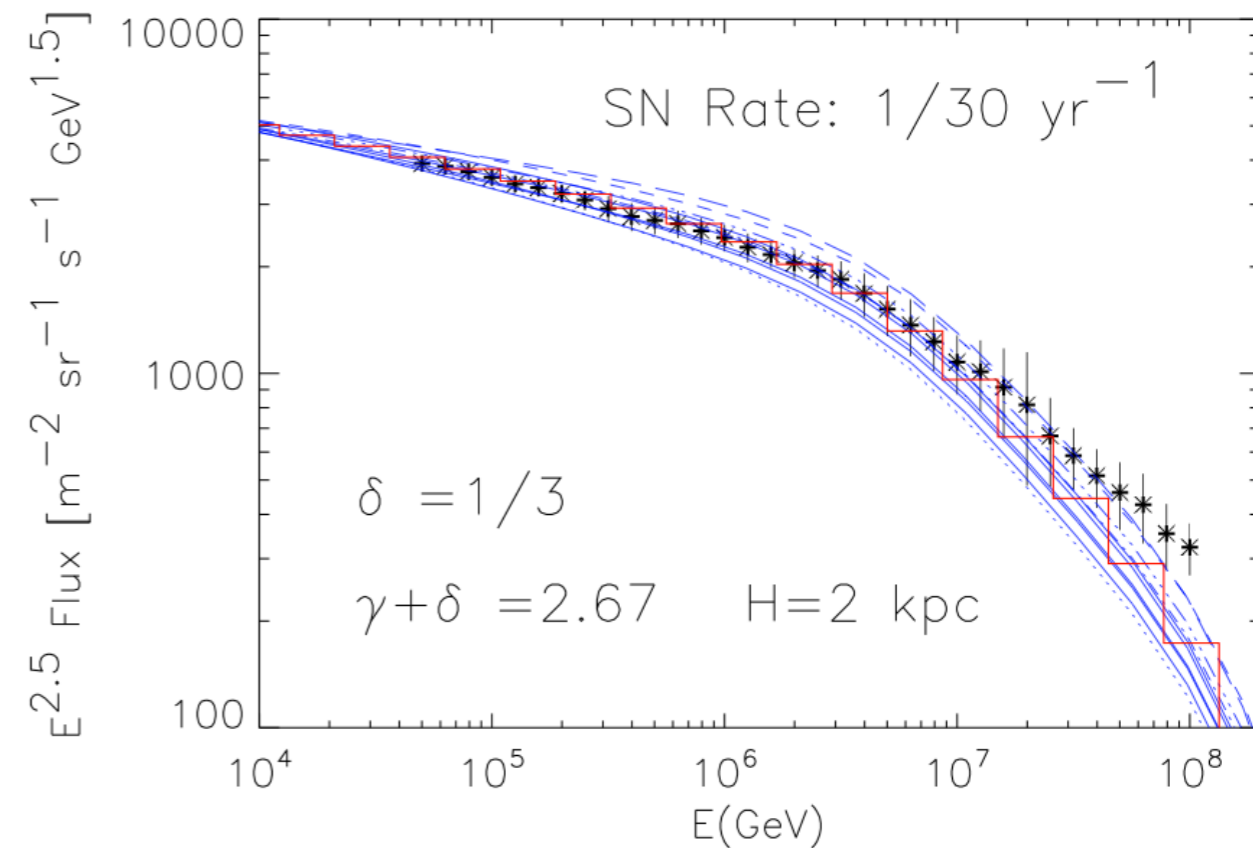
$$\delta \sim 0.3 - 0.6$$

- ▶ stochastic effects from individual sources

- ▶ spectral features & anisotropy

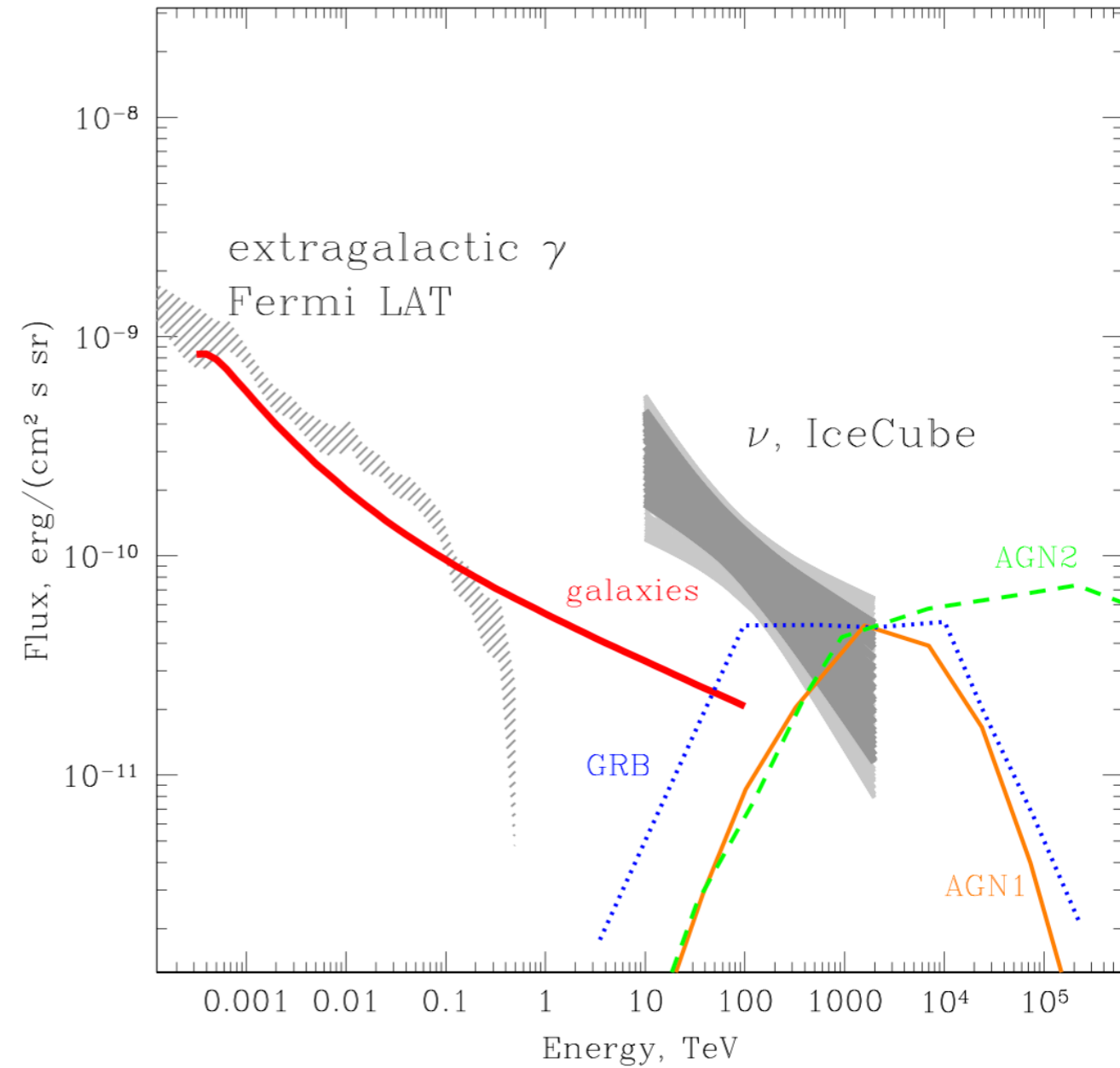
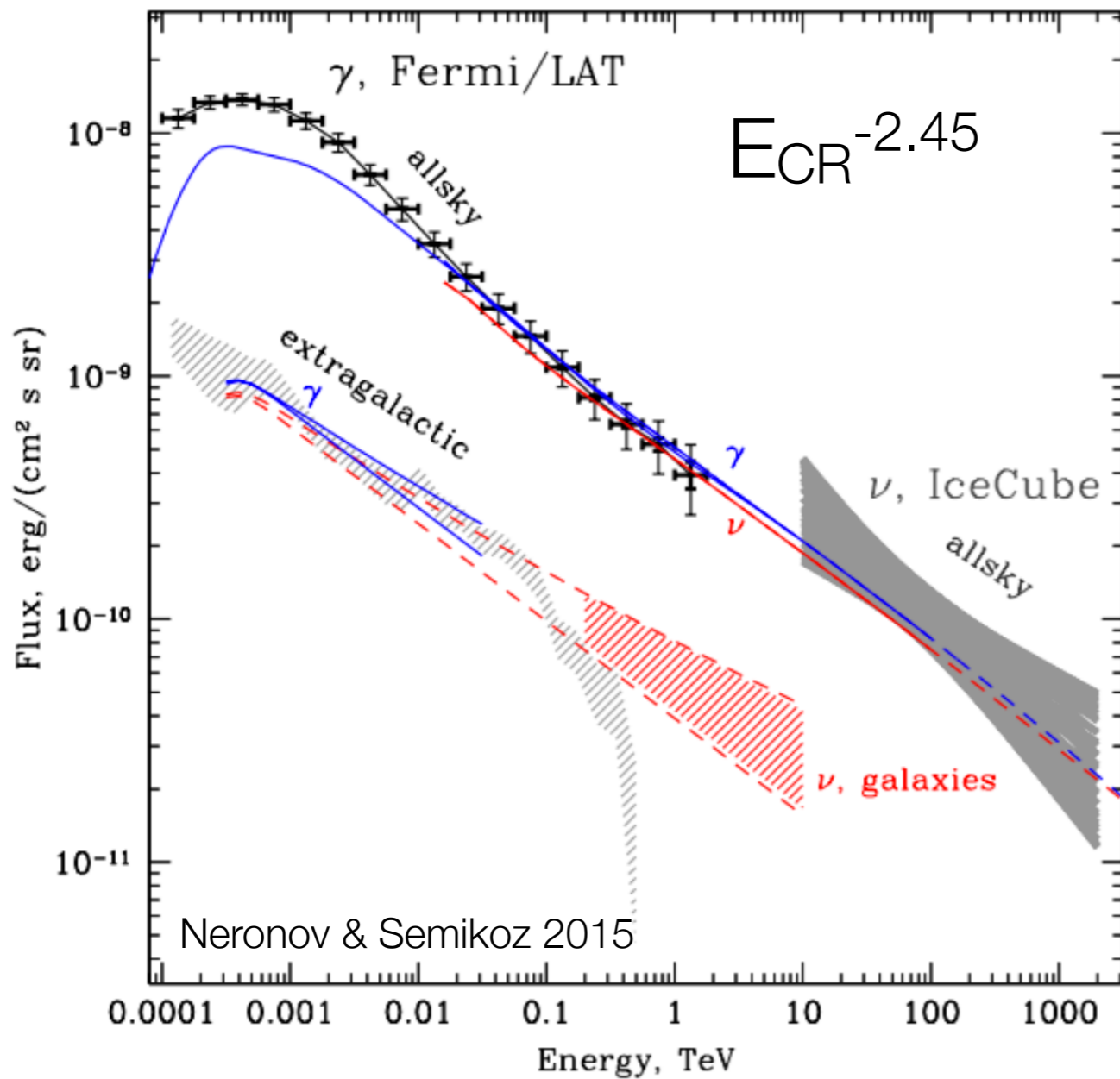
➔ simple diffusion model not sufficient

➔ non-diffusive processes within mean free path



# astrophysical neutrinos

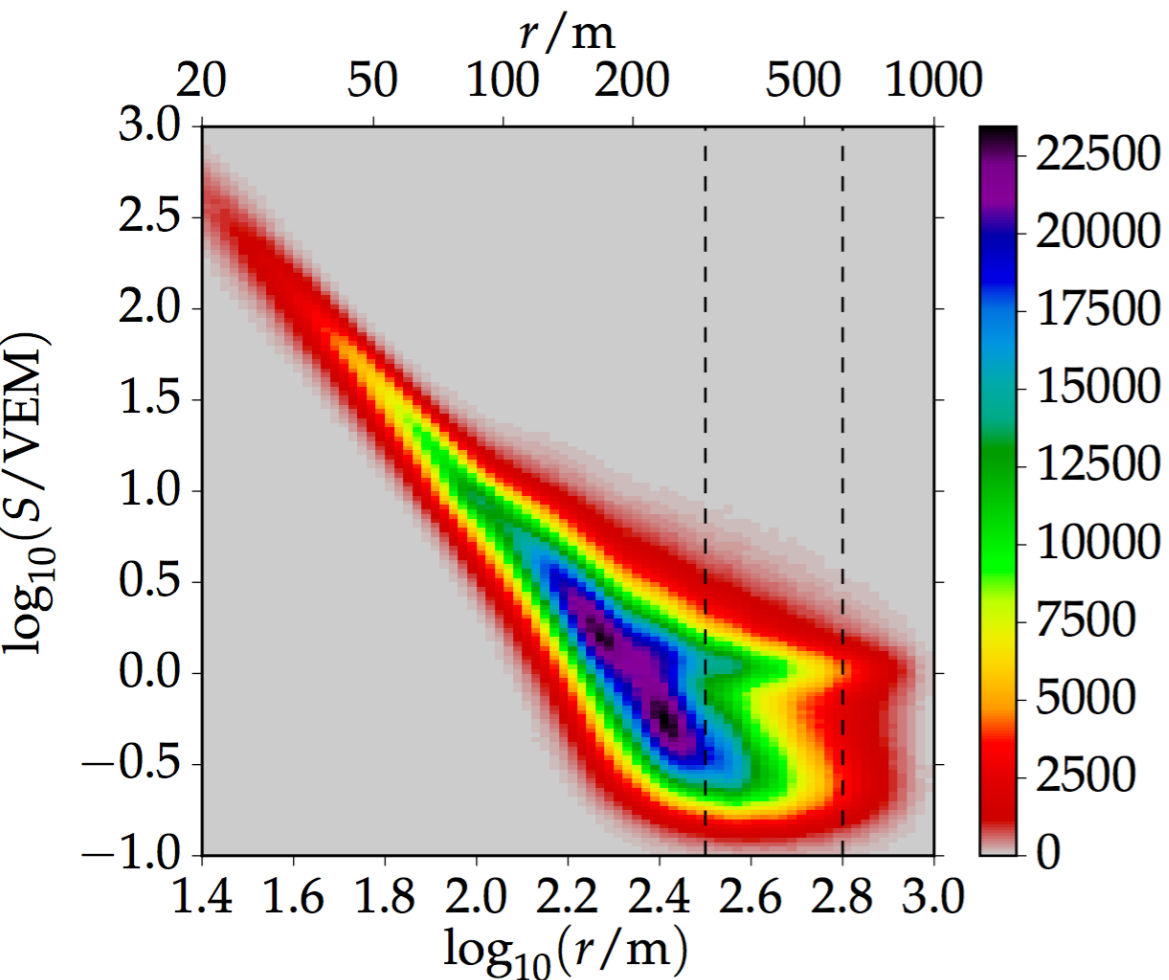
## galactic origin



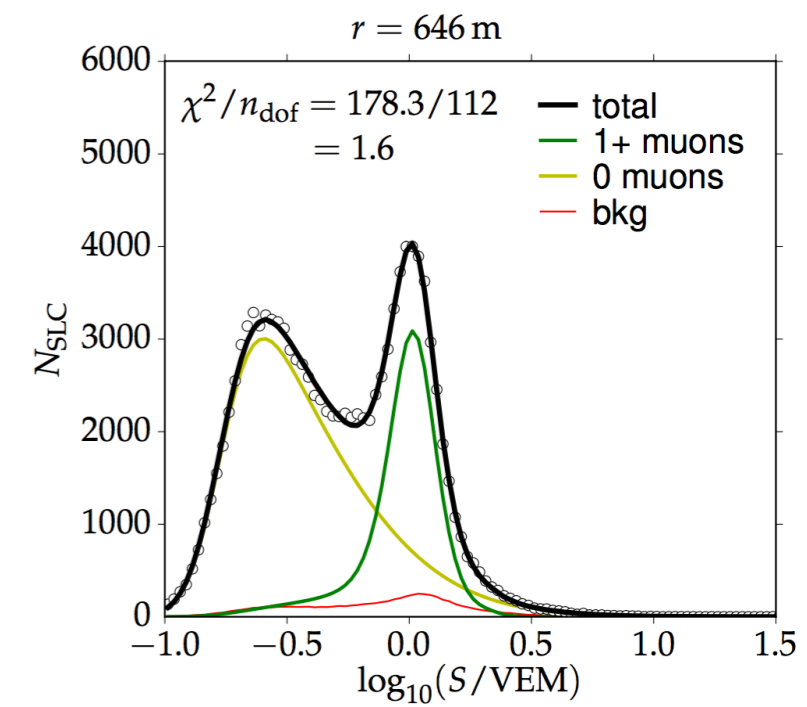
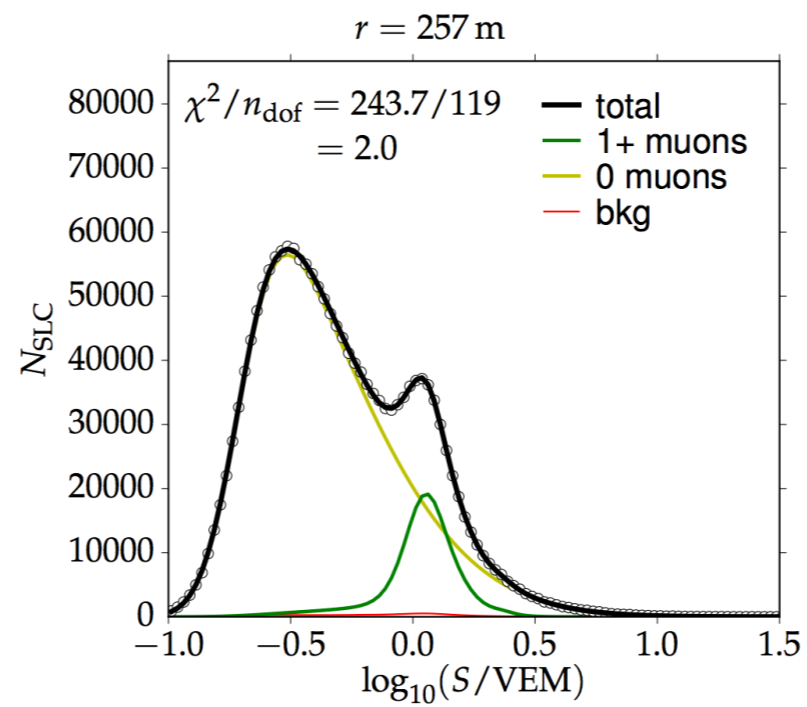
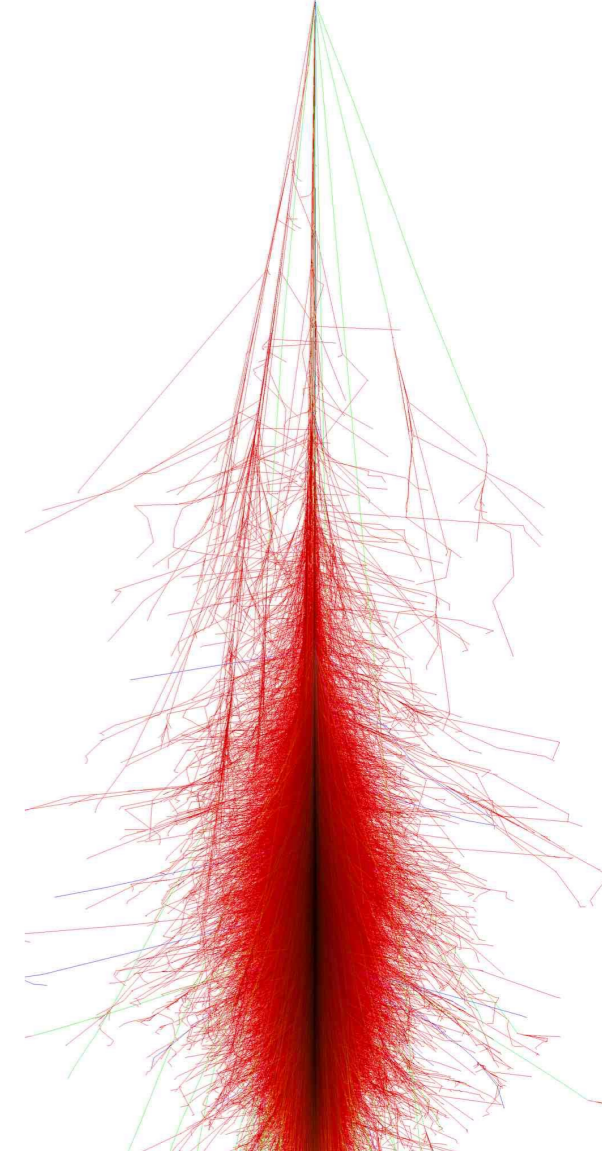
galactic cosmic rays with cut-off of 10 PeV ?

# cosmic ray muons

low energy muons in CR showers



muons at the **edge**  
of atmospheric  
showers

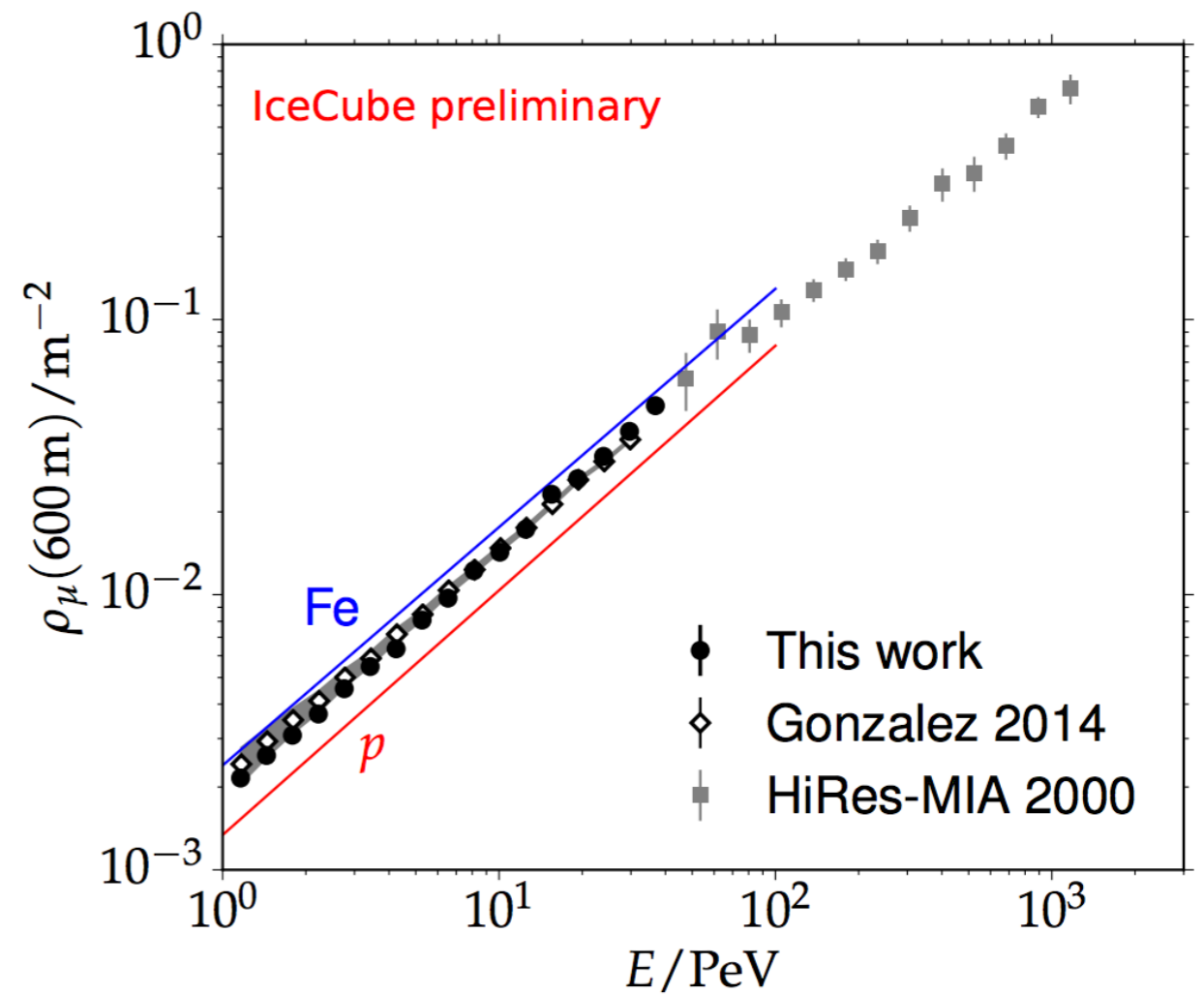
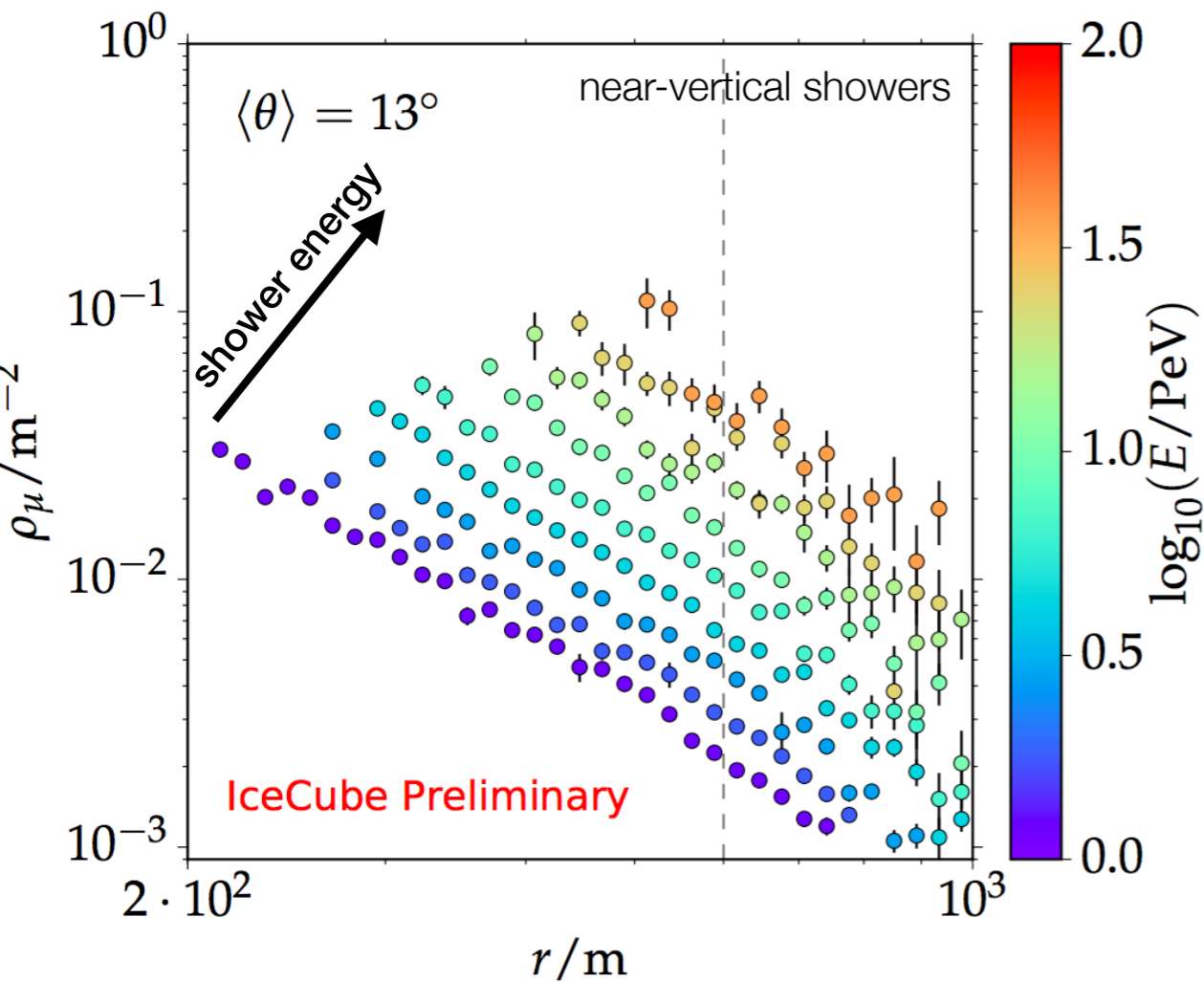
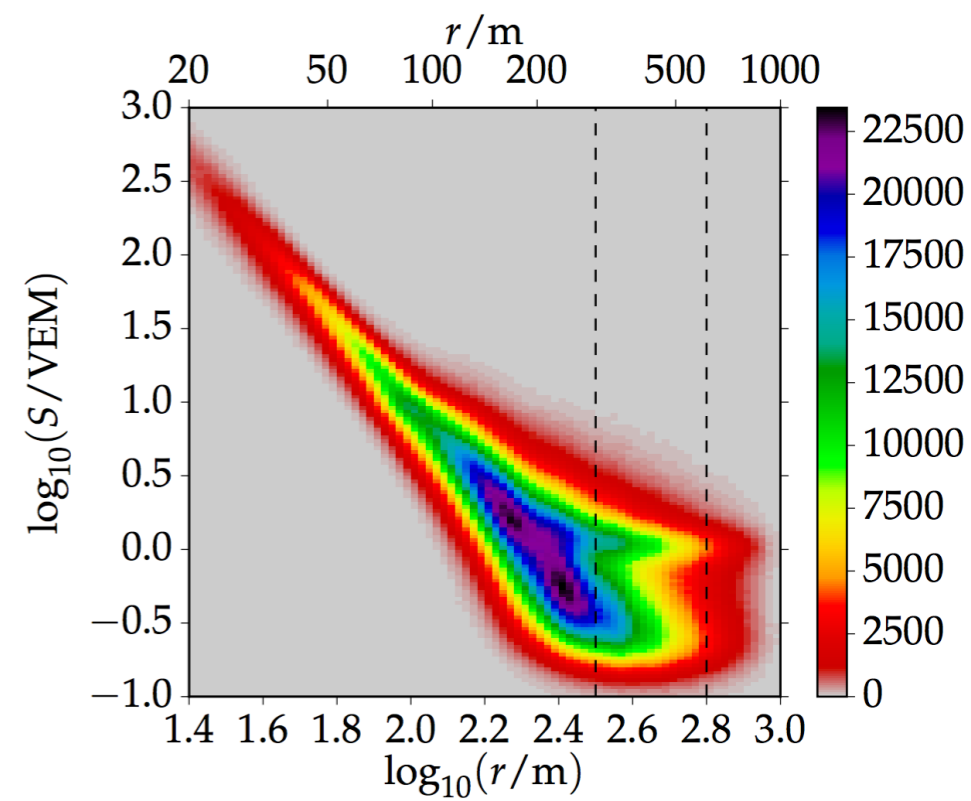




# cosmic ray muons

low energy muons in CR showers

muons **lateral** distribution function at 1-30 PeV CR energy



# cosmic ray anisotropy

AMANDA-IceCube 2000-2011

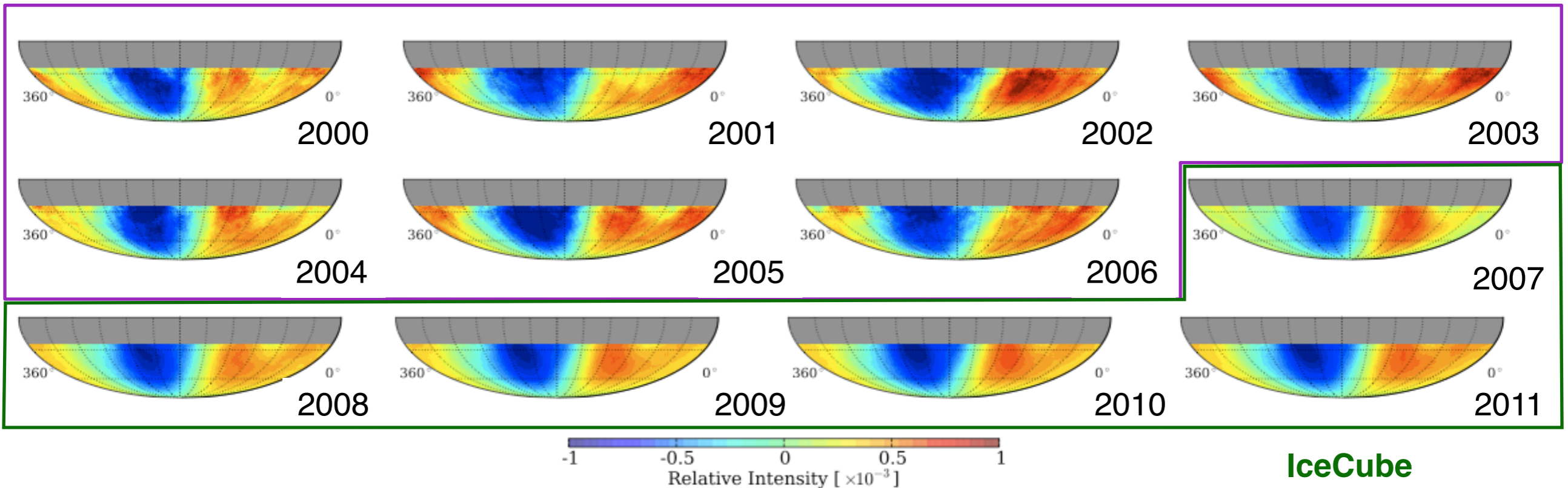
ICRC 2013

20 TeV

relative intensity

equatorial coordinates

AMANDA



▶ AMANDA and IceCube yearly data show long time-scale stability of global anisotropy within statistical uncertainties

▶ no apparent effect correlated to solar cycles

# high energy cosmic rays

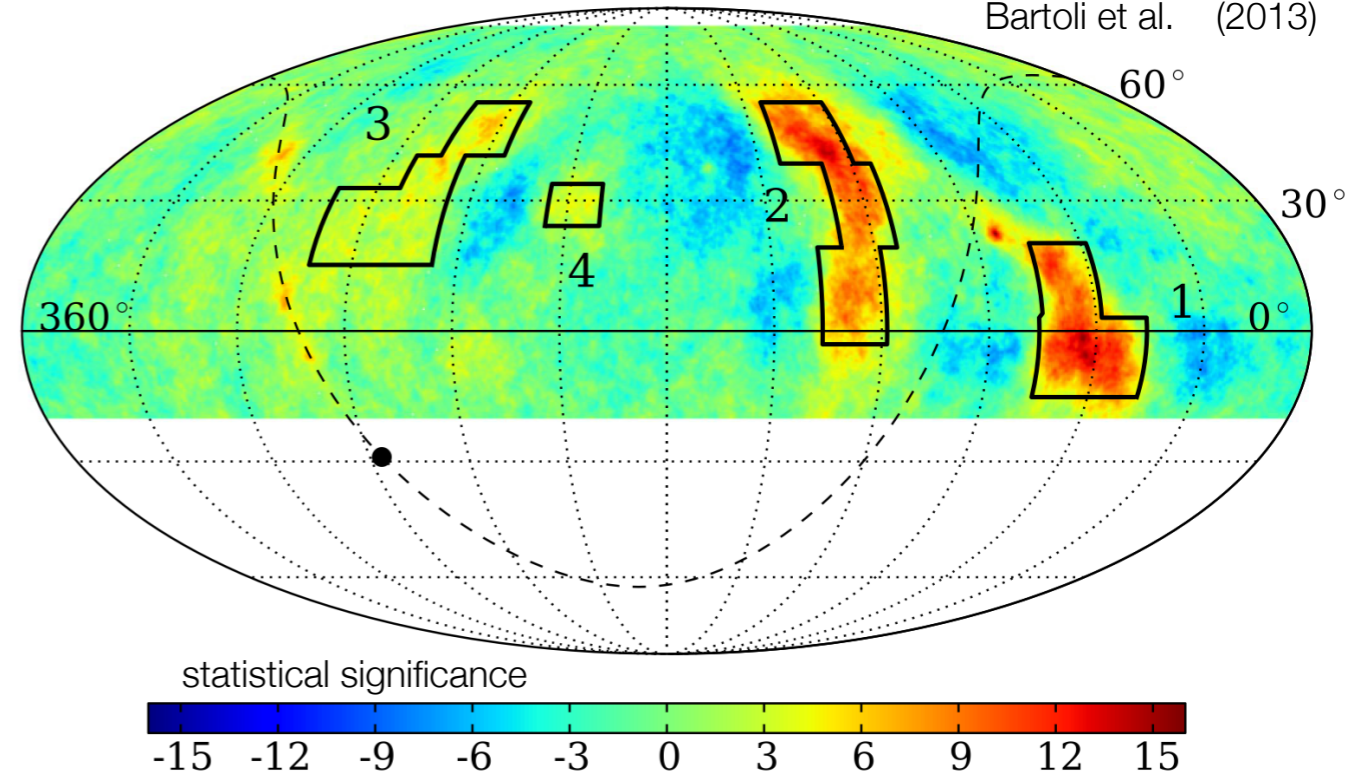
## small scale anisotropy

1-5 TeV

$\sim 10^{-4}$

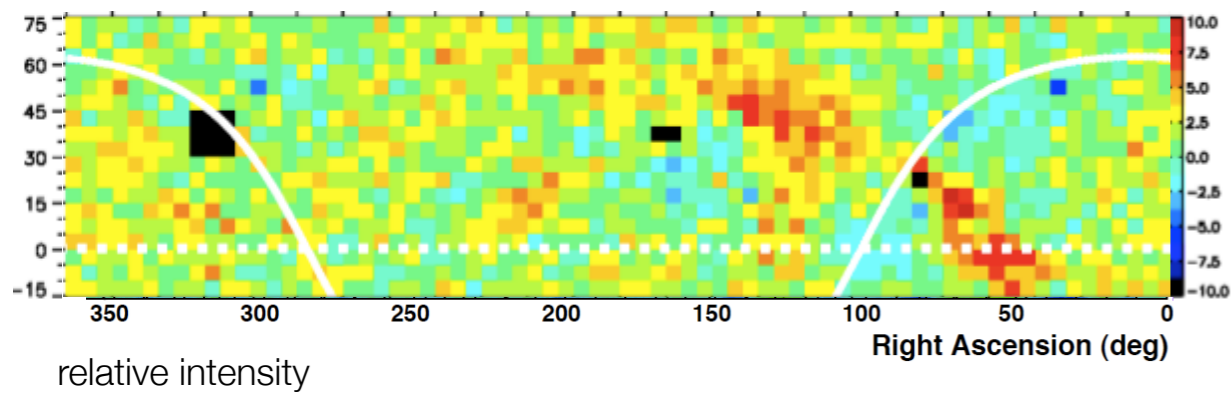
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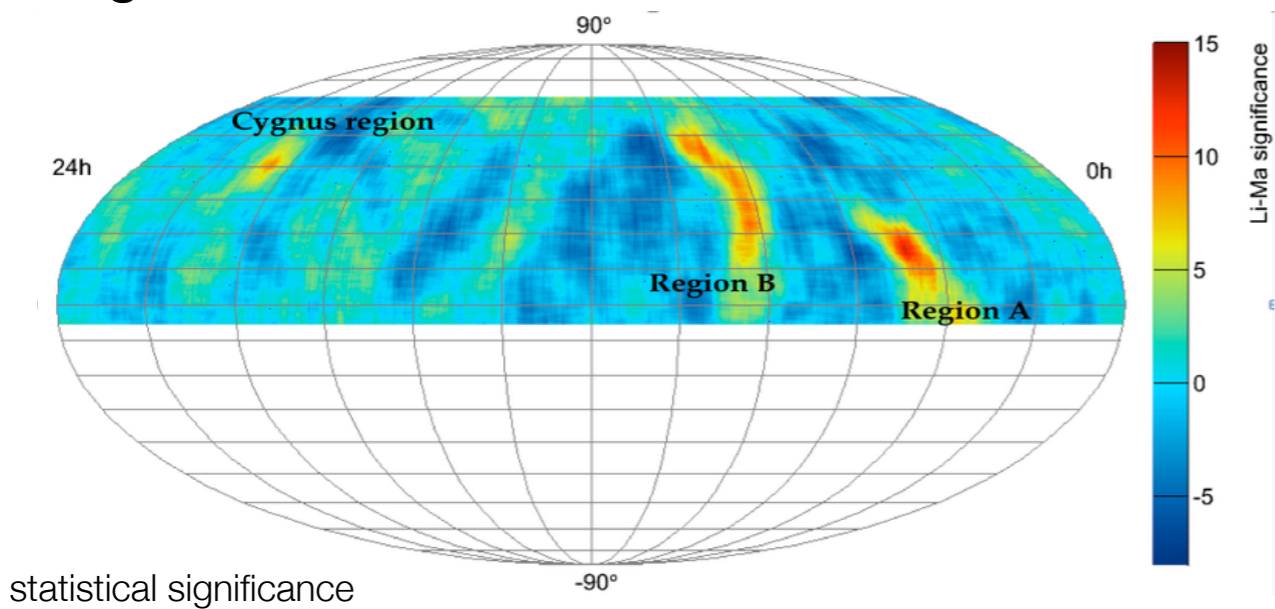
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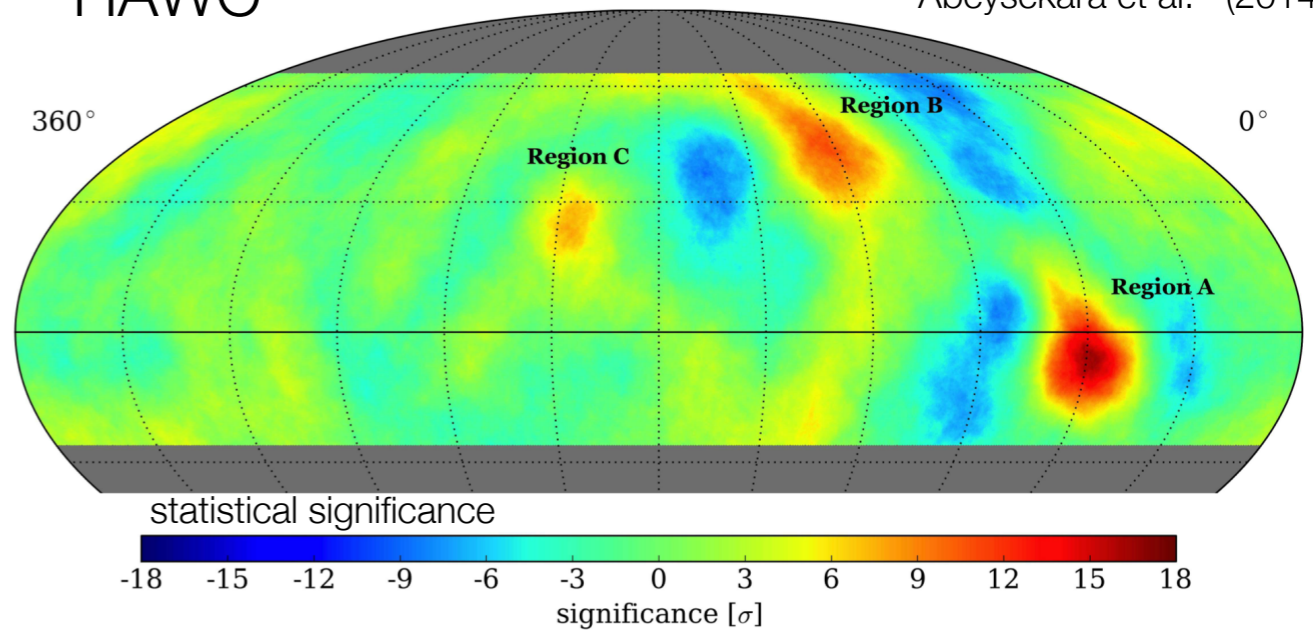
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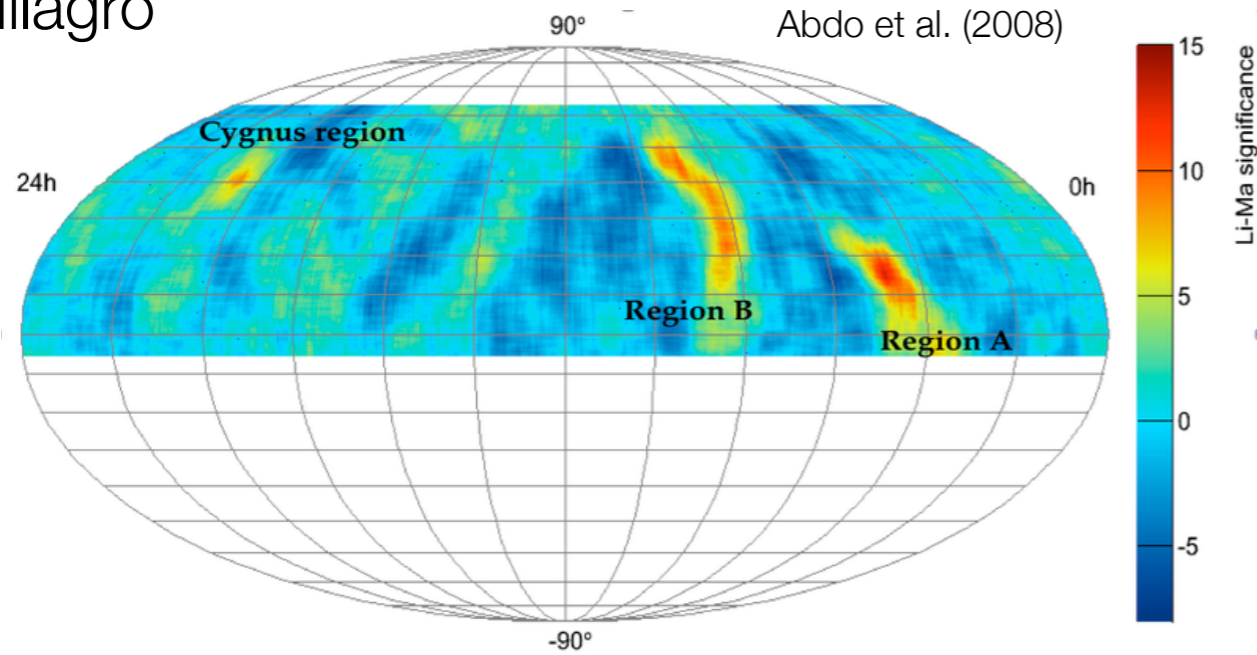


# high energy cosmic rays

## anisotropy & energy spectrum

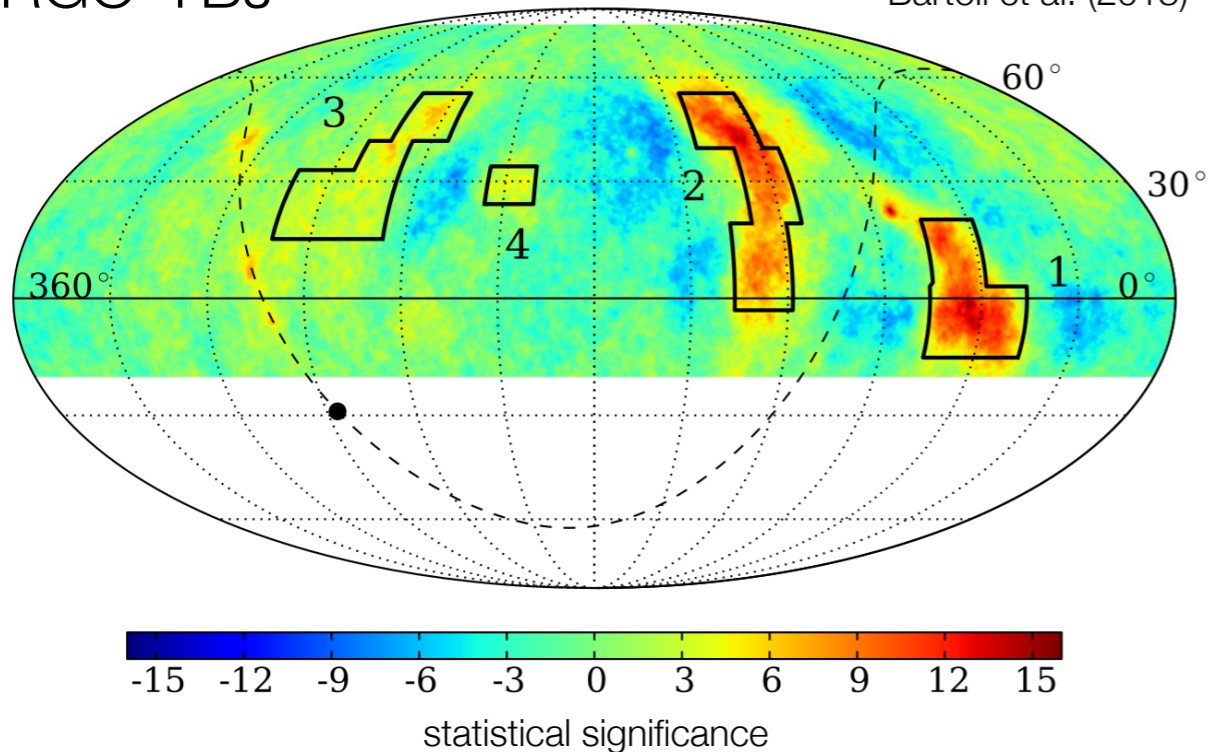
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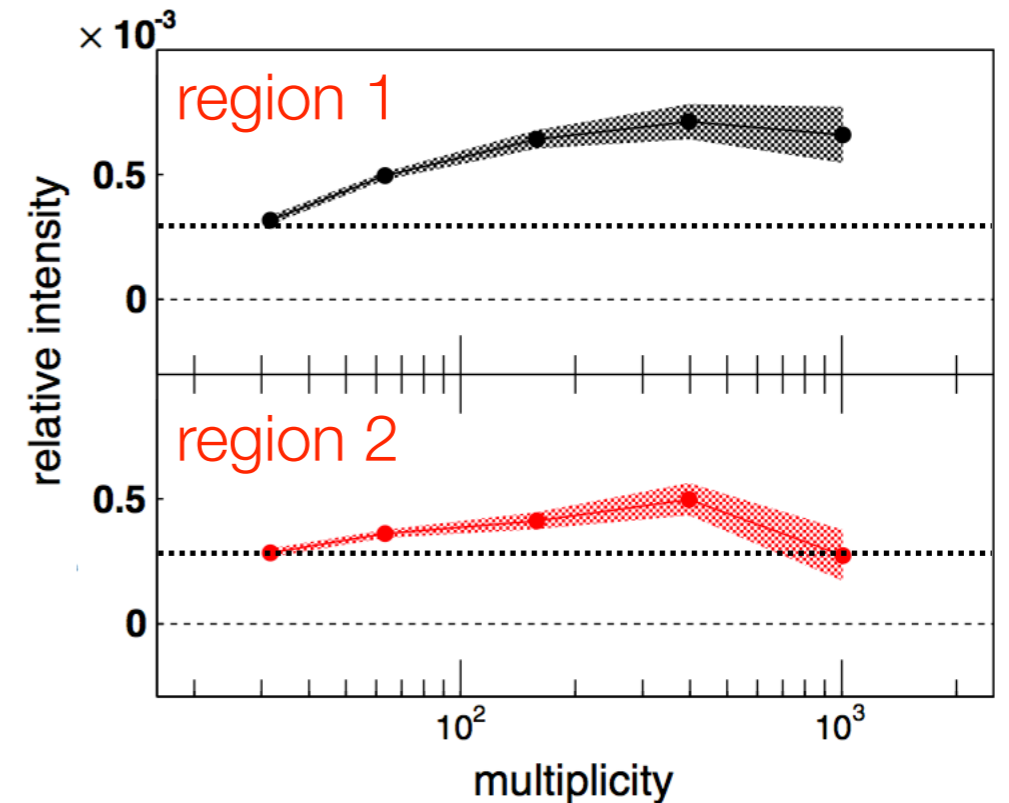
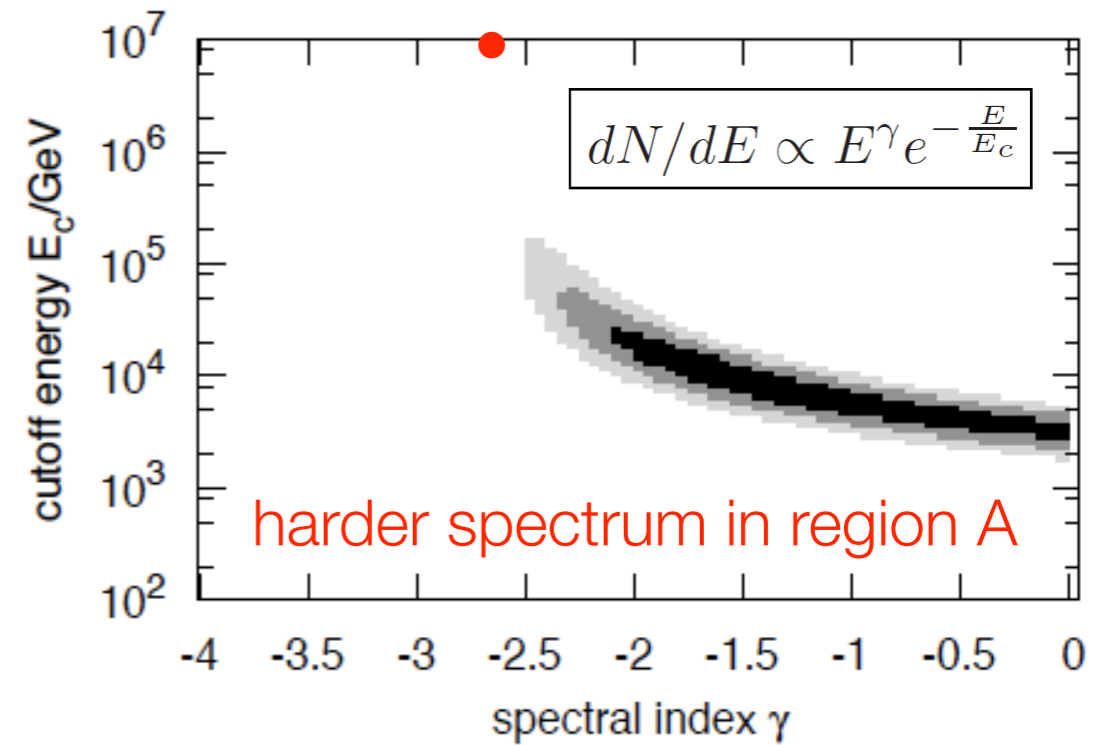


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**HAWC** results by S. BenZvi

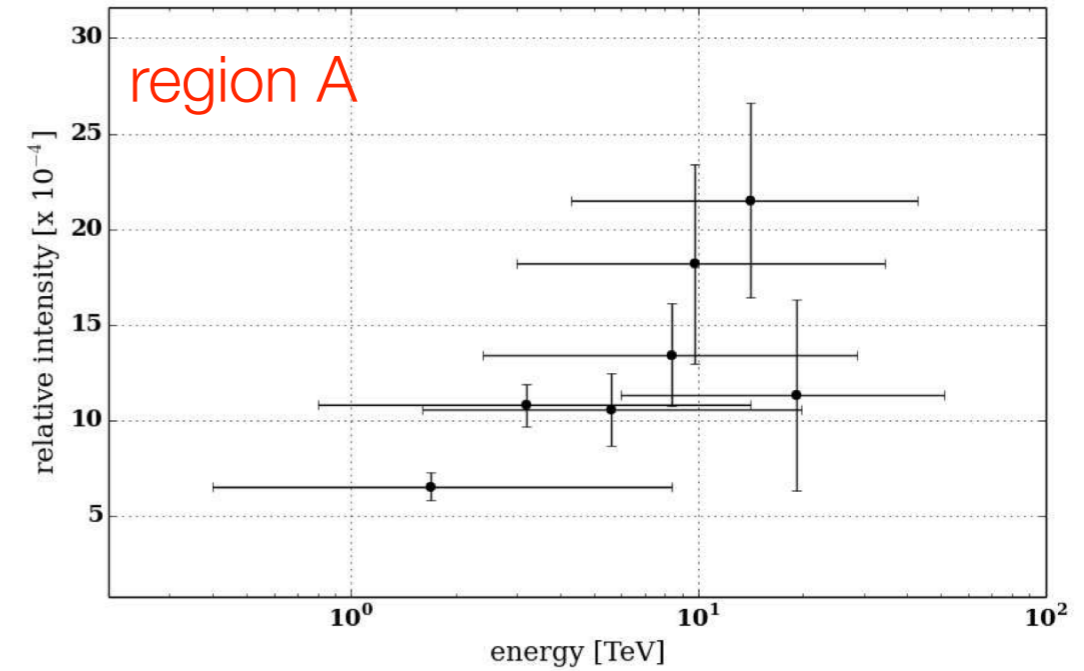
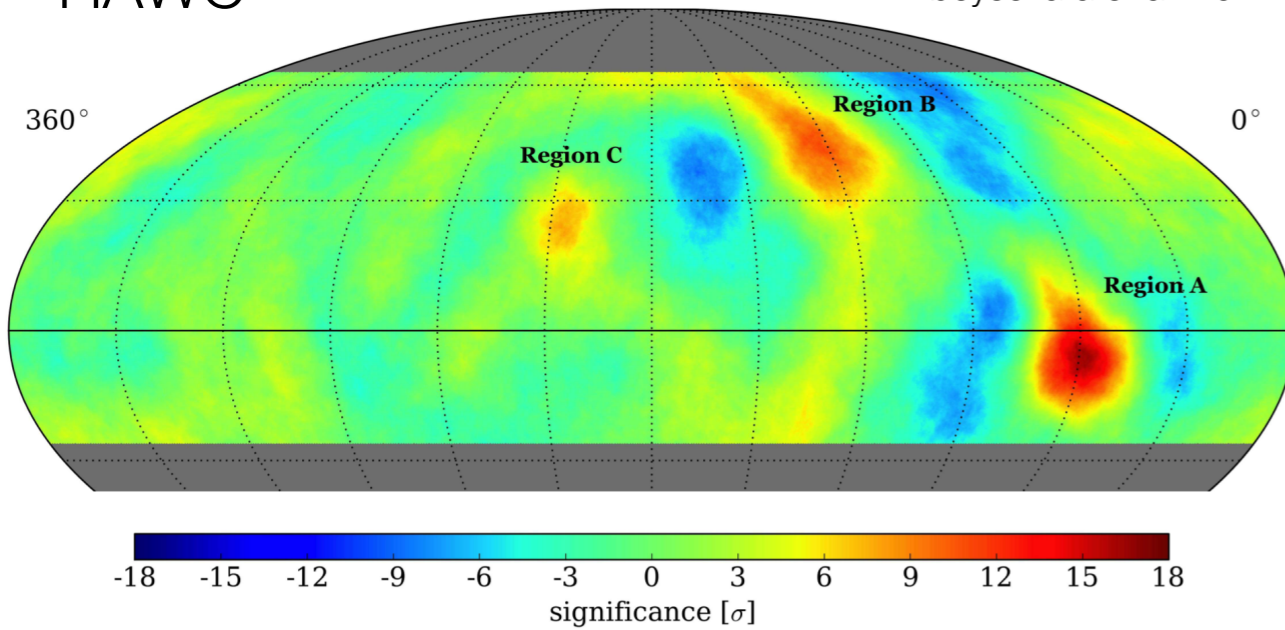


# high energy cosmic rays

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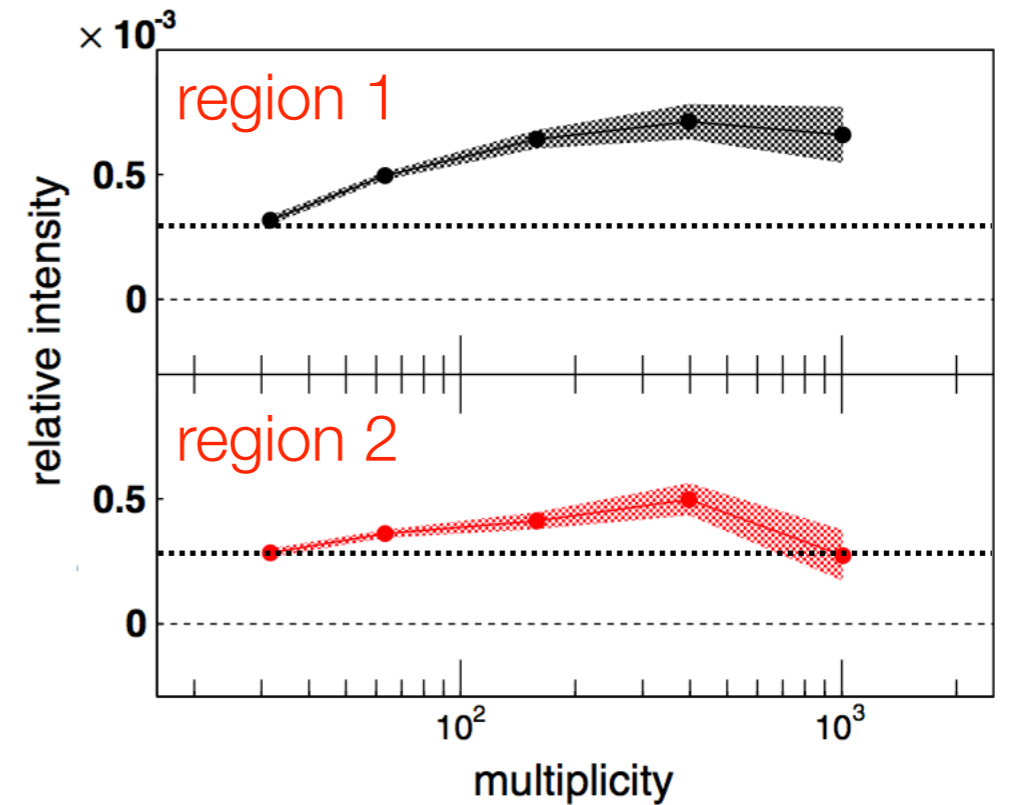
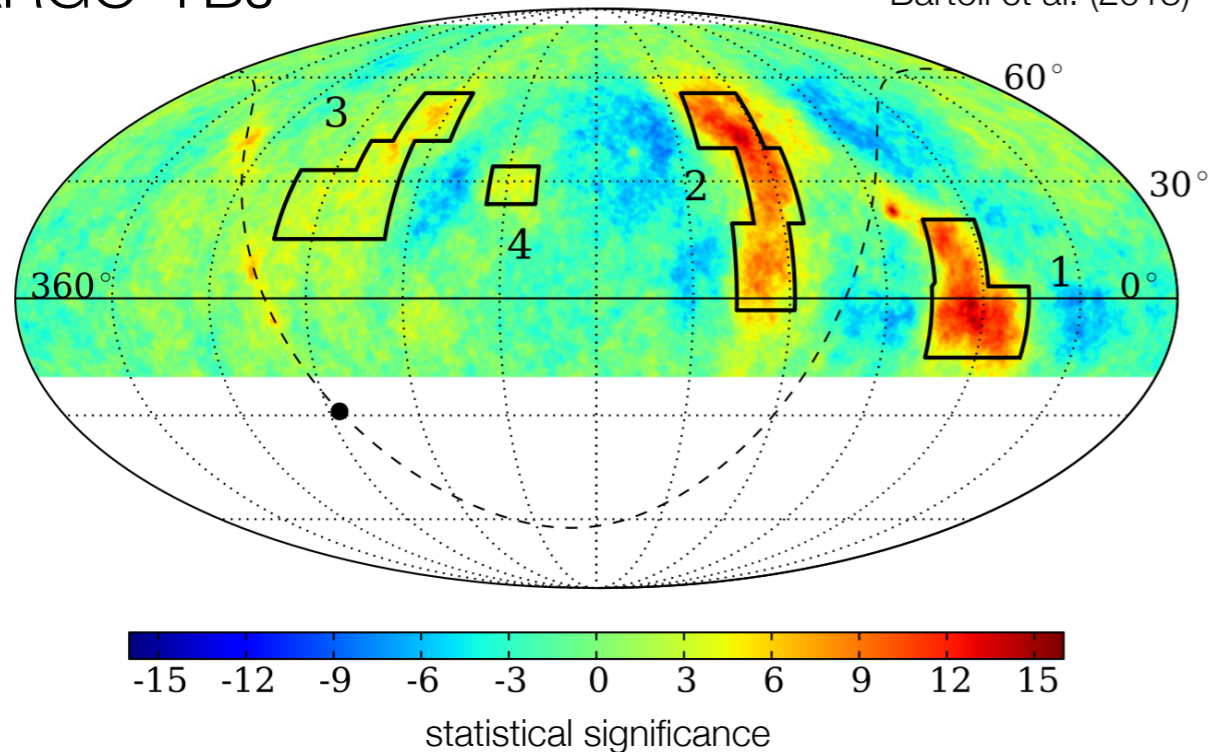
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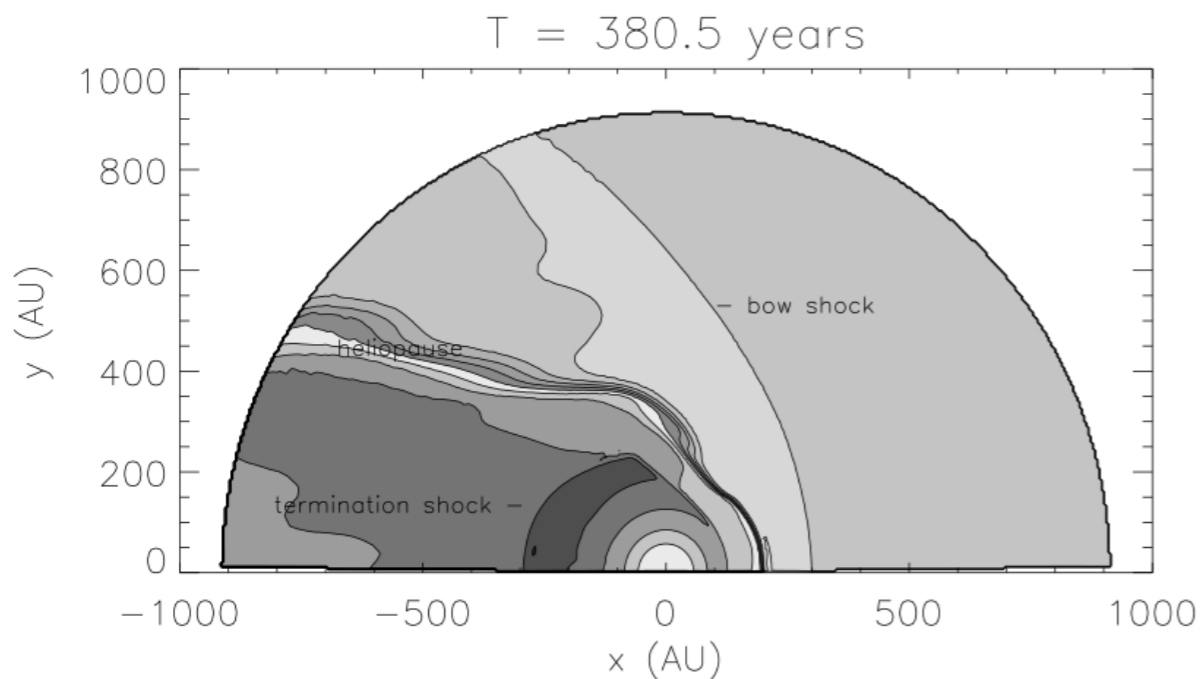
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# heliospheric perturbations

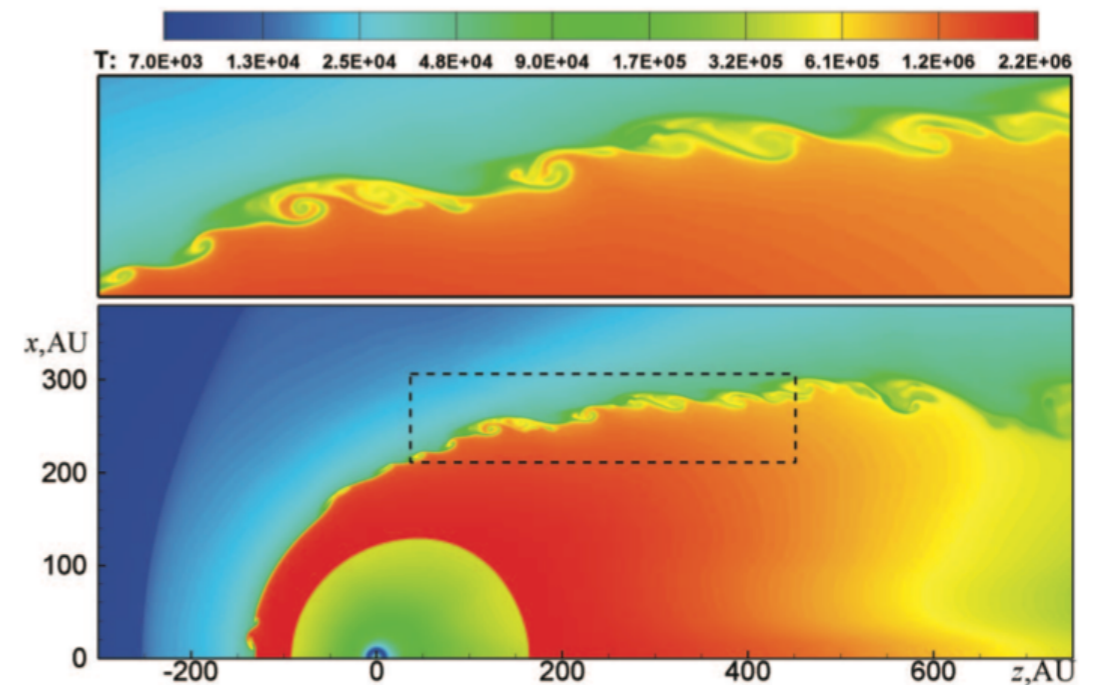
## heliopause instabilities

- Rayleigh-Taylor instabilities driven and mediated by interstellar neutral atoms



**Liewer+ 1996**  
Zank+ 1996

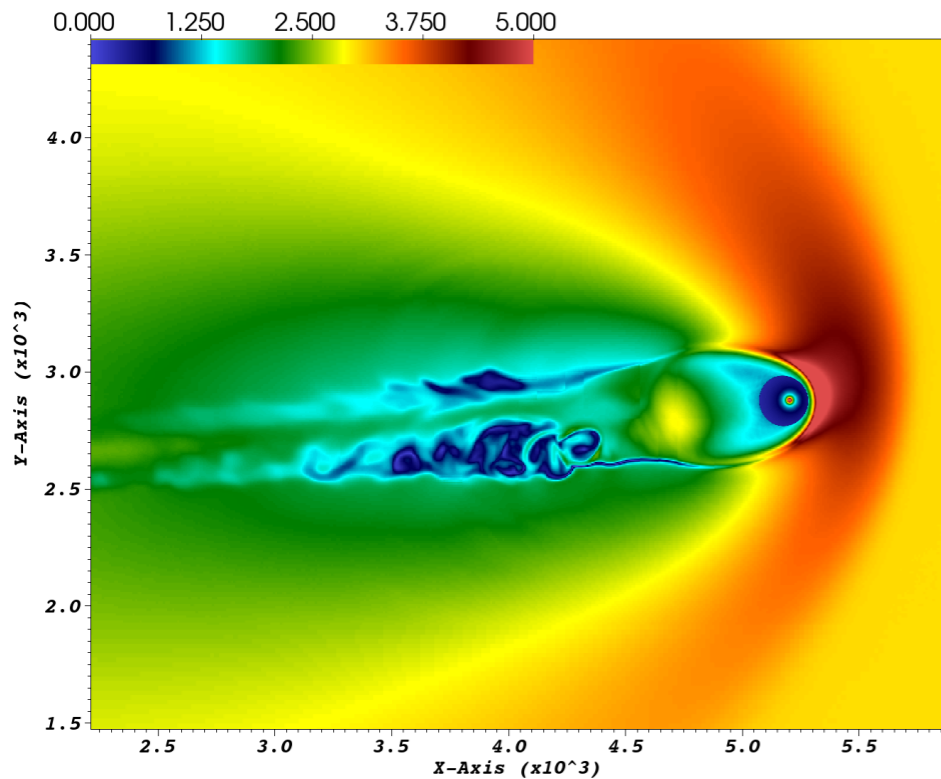
- plasma-fluid instabilities at the flank of HP by charge exchange processes



Zank 1999  
Florinski++ 2005  
**Borovikov+ 2008**  
Zank 2009  
Shaikh & Zank 2010

# cosmic ray anisotropy

probing heliospheric magnetic structure

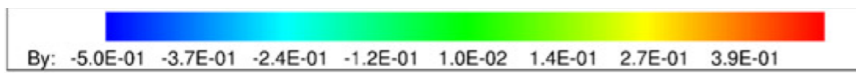


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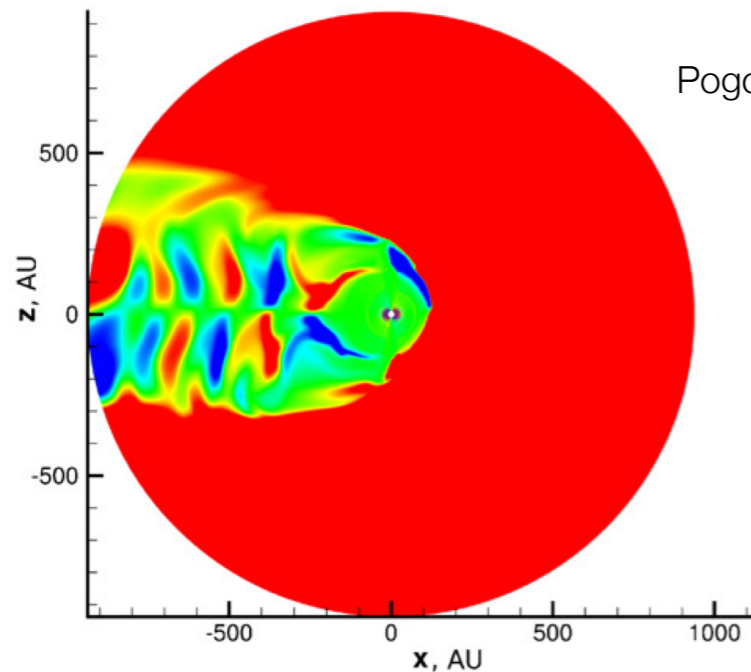
downstream instabilities on the flanks of heliotail

PD & Lazarian 2013

López-Barquero, Xu, PD, Lazarian



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Pogorelov et al., 2009

effects of magnetic polarity reversals from solar cycles

magnetic reconnection

Lazarian & PD 2010  
PD & Lazarian 2012

