# The Future of Particle Physics

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# Three Cheers for Multimessenger Astronomy!

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## GW170817: Observation of Gravitational Waves from a Binary Neutron Star Inspiral

B. P. Abbott *et al.*[*]
(LIGO Scientific Collaboration and Virgo Collaboration)

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On August 17, 2017 at 12:41:04 UTC the Advanced LIGO and Advanced Virgo gravitational-wave detectors made their first observation of a binary neutron star inspiral. The signal, GW170817, was detected with a combined signal-to-noise ratio of 32.4 and a false-alarm-rate estimate of less than one per $8.0 \times 10^4$ years. We infer the component masses of the binary to be between 0.86 and 2.26 $M_\odot$, in agreement with masses of known neutron stars. Restricting the component spins to the range inferred in binary neutron stars, we find the component masses to be in the range 1.17–1.60 $M_\odot$, with the total mass of the system $2.74^{+0.04}_{-0.01} M_\odot$. The source was localized within a sky region of 28 deg$^2$ (90% probability) and had a luminosity distance of $40^{+8}_{-14}$ Mpc, the closest and most precisely localized gravitational-wave signal yet. The association with the $\gamma$-ray burst GRB 170817A, detected by Fermi-GBM 1.7 s after the coalescence, corroborates the hypothesis of a neutron star merger and provides the first direct evidence of a link between these mergers and short $\gamma$-ray bursts. Subsequent identification of transient counterparts across the electromagnetic spectrum in the same location further supports the interpretation of this event as a neutron star merger. This unprecedented joint gravitational and electromagnetic observation provides insight into astrophysics, dense matter, gravitation, and cosmology.

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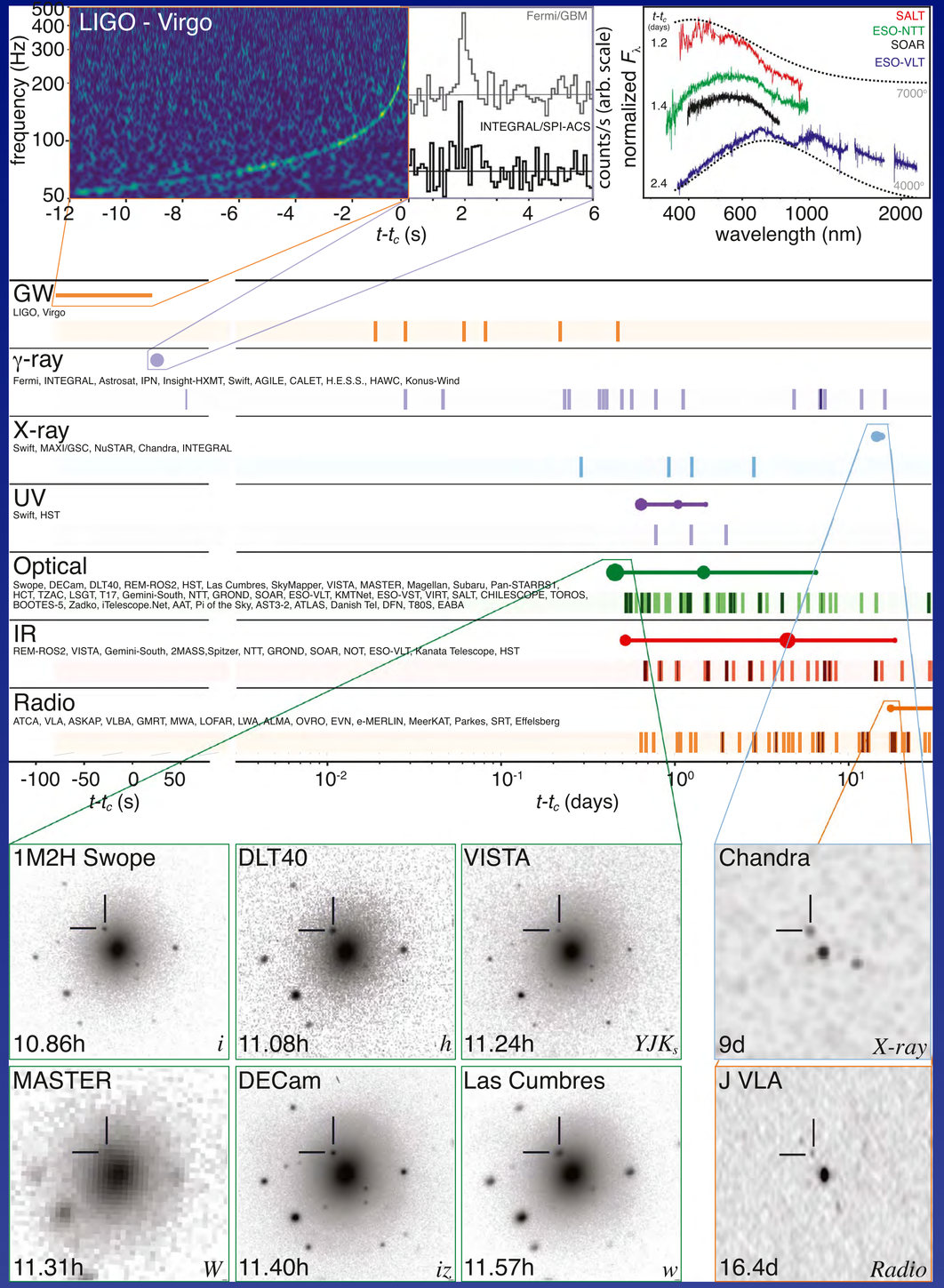
GW + prompt short GRB, EM transients:
test gravity theories, $H_0$ determination,
heavy-element production
(no UHE CRs, ν)




Fermilab's Greatest Hits @DPF2017

# 50 years ago: How little we knew

# Problems of High-Energy Physics (NAL Design Report, January 1968)

We would like to have answers to many questions. Among them are the following:

Which, if any, of the particles that have so far been discovered, is, in fact, elementary, and is there any validity in the concept of "elementary" particles?

What new particles can be made at energies that have not yet been reached? Is there some set of building blocks that is still more fundamental than the neutron and the proton?

Is there a law that correctly predicts the existence and nature of all the particles, and if so, what is that law?

Will the characteristics of some of the very short-lived particles appear to be different when they are produced at such higher velocities that they no longer spend their entire lives within the strong influence of the particle from which they are produced?

Do new symmetries appear or old ones disappear for high momentum-transfer events?

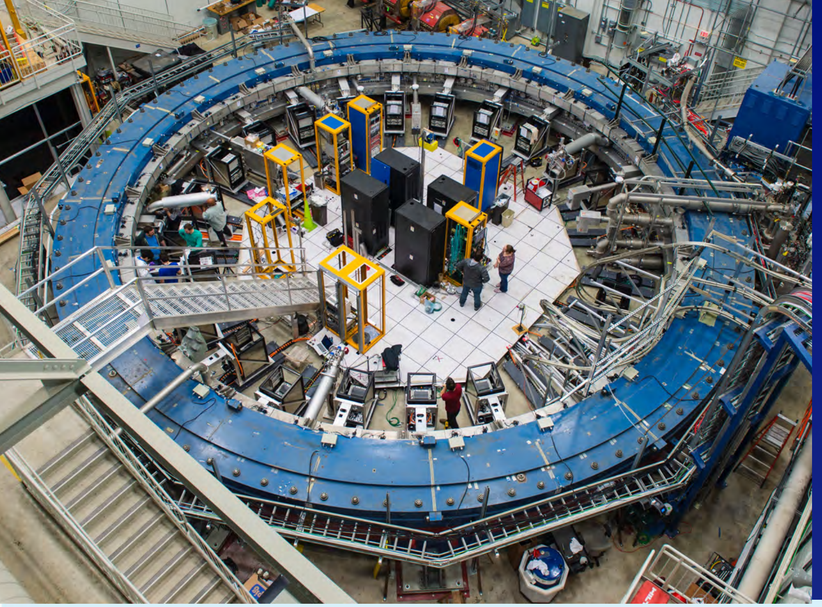
What is the connection, if any, of electromagnetism and strong interactions?

Do the laws of electromagnetic radiation, which are now known to hold over an enormous range of lengths and frequencies, continue to hold in the wavelength domain characteristic of the subnuclear particles?

What is the connection between the weak interaction that is associated with the massless neutrino and the strong one that acts between neutron and proton?

Is there some new particle underlying the action of the "weak" forces, just as, in the case of the nuclear force, there are mesons, and, in the case of the electromagnetic force, there are photons? If there is not, why not?

In more technical terms: Is local field theory valid? A failure in locality may imply a failure in our concept of space. What are the fields relevant to a correct local field theory? What are the form factors of the particles? What exactly is the explanation of the electromagnetic mass difference? Do "weak" interactions become strong at sufficiently small distances? Is the Pomeranchuk theorem true? Do the total cross sections become constant at high energy? Will new symmetries appear, or old ones disappear, at higher energy?



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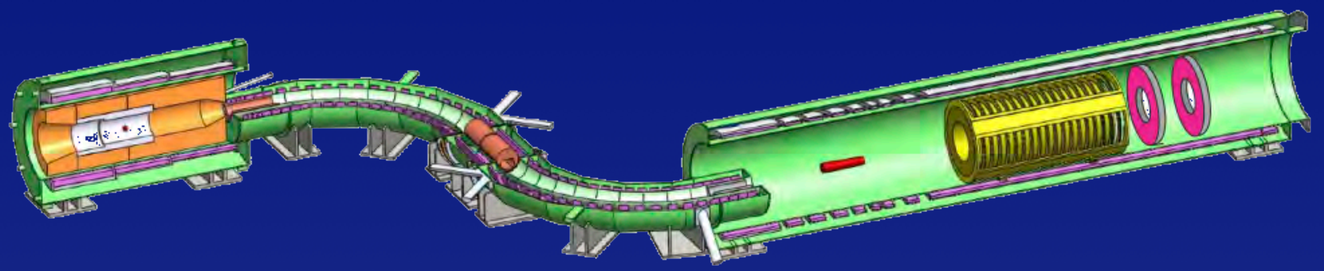
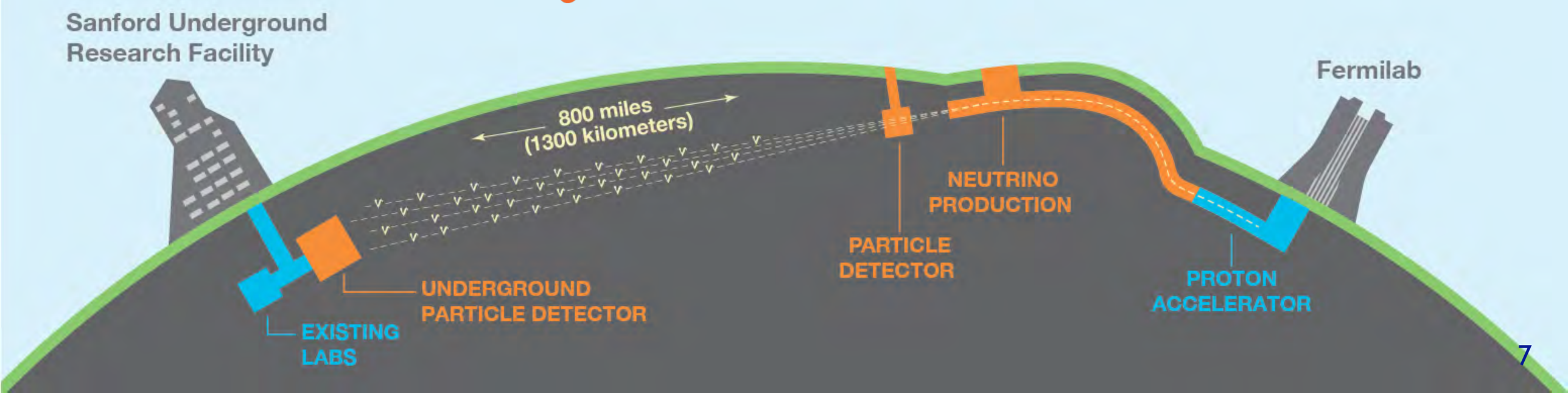
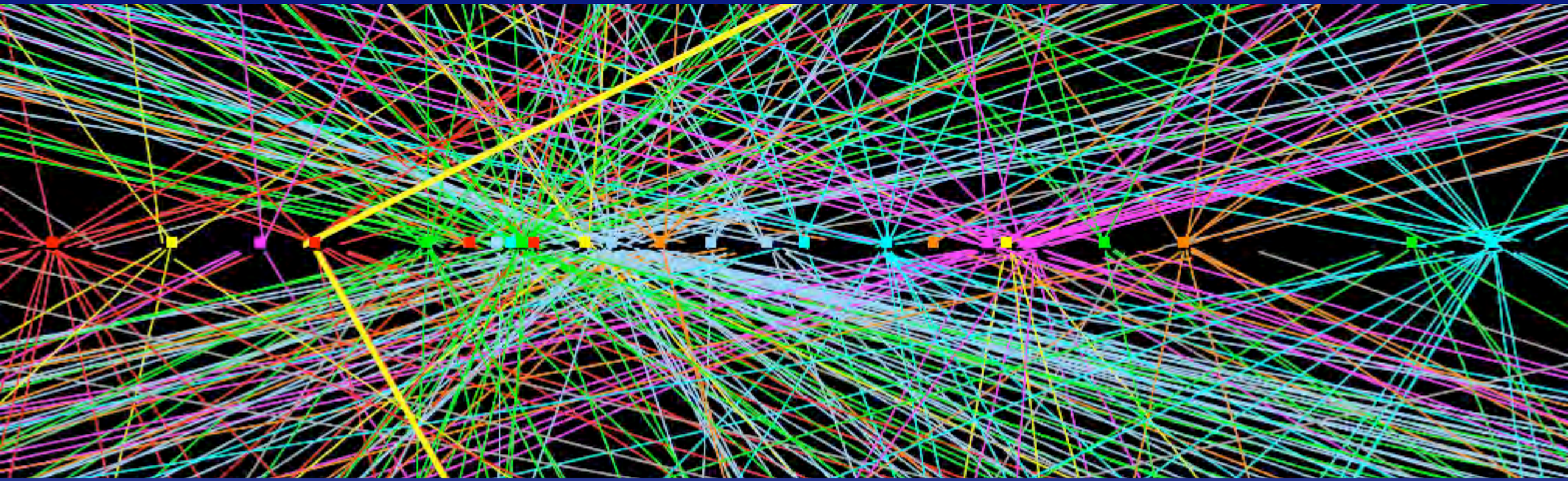


DUNE DEEP UNDERGROUND NEUTRINO EXPERIMENT




Large Hadron Collider
CMS
LHCb
ALICE
ATLAS

# Very-High-Rate Experiments



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The Allure of Ultrasensitive Experiments

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# Standard Model Production Cross Section Measurements

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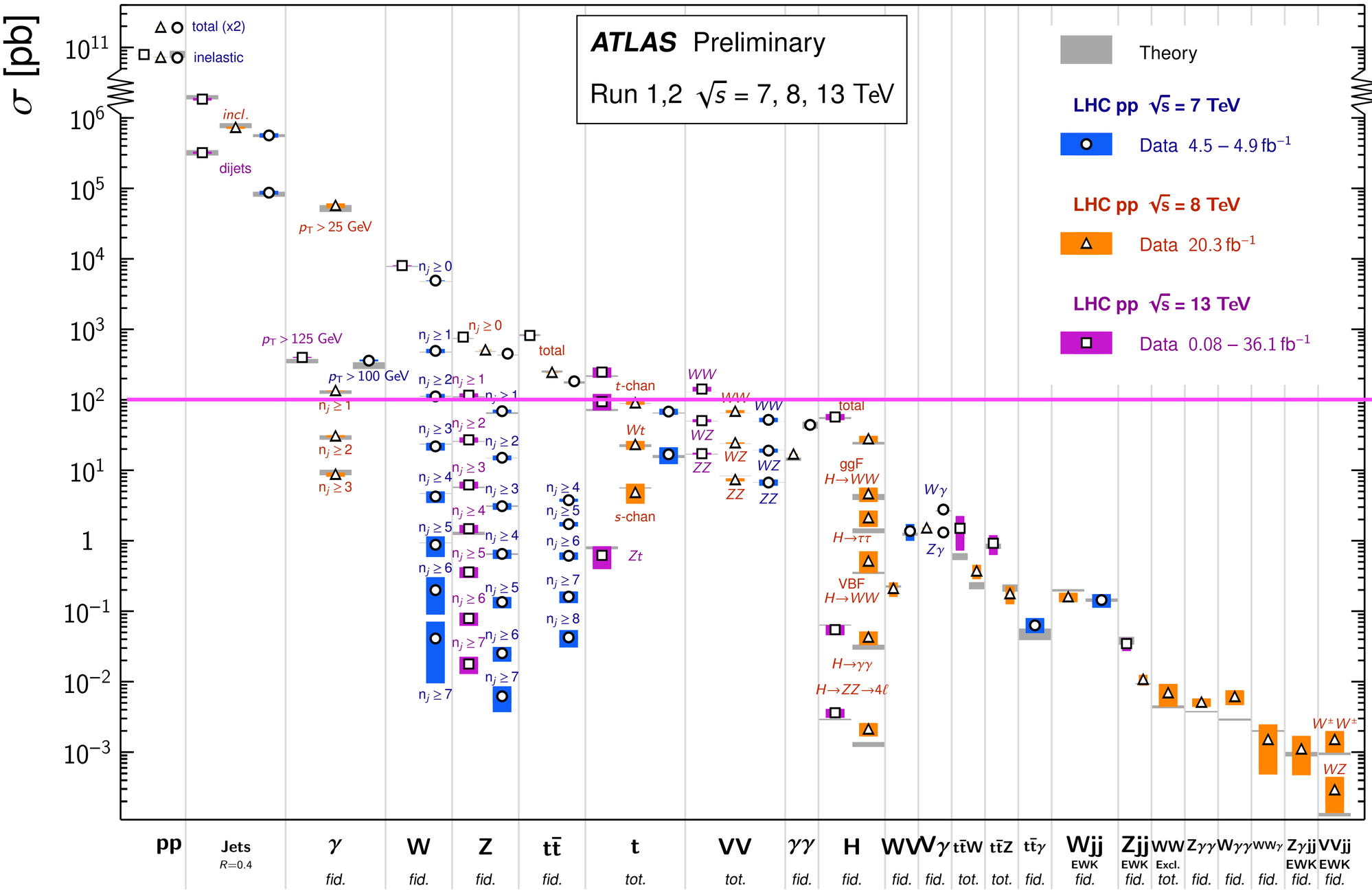
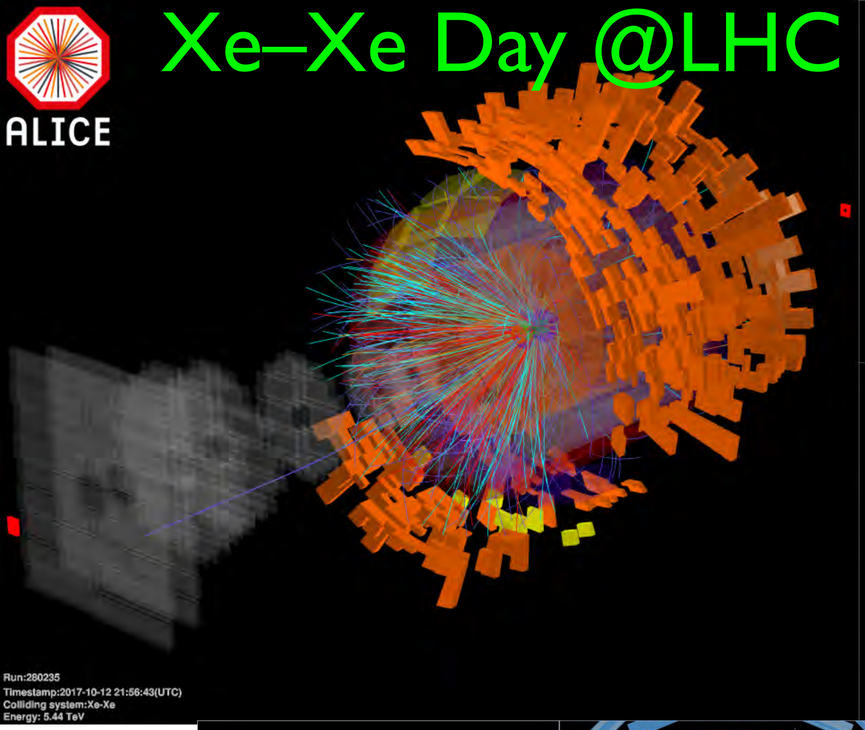



~1 Hz

# Xe–Xe Day @LHC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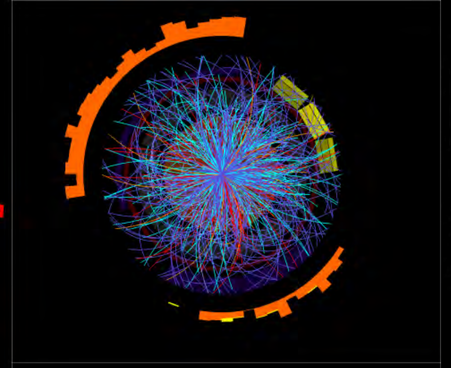

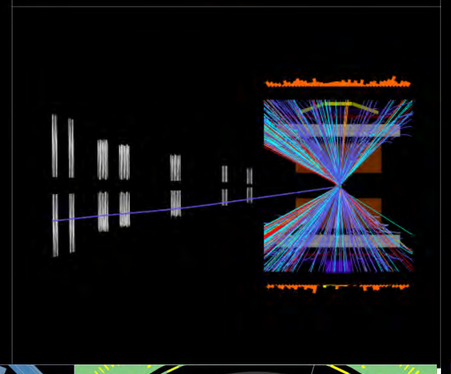

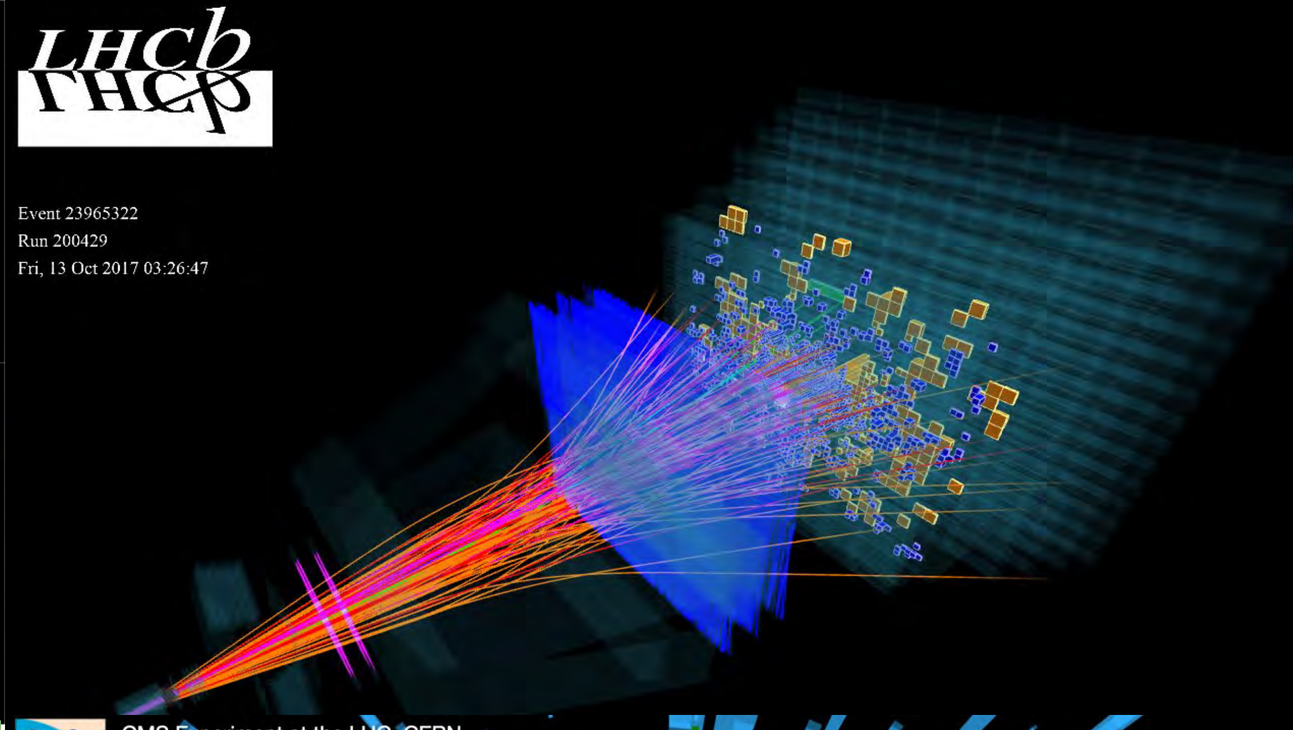
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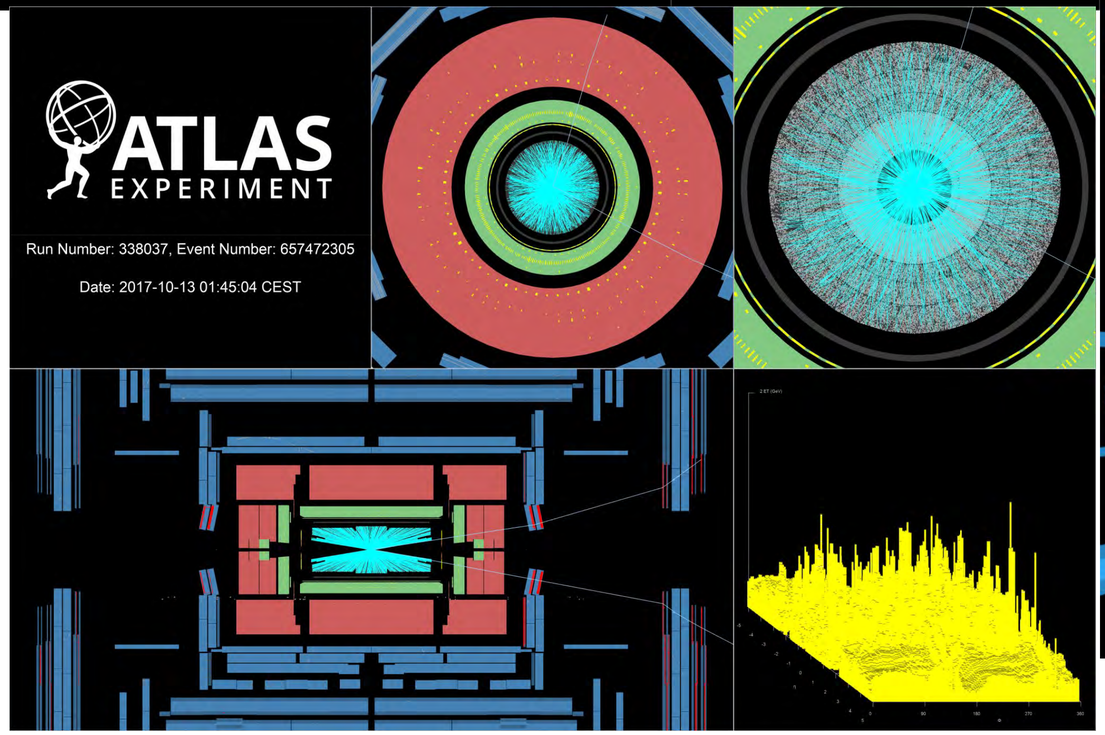
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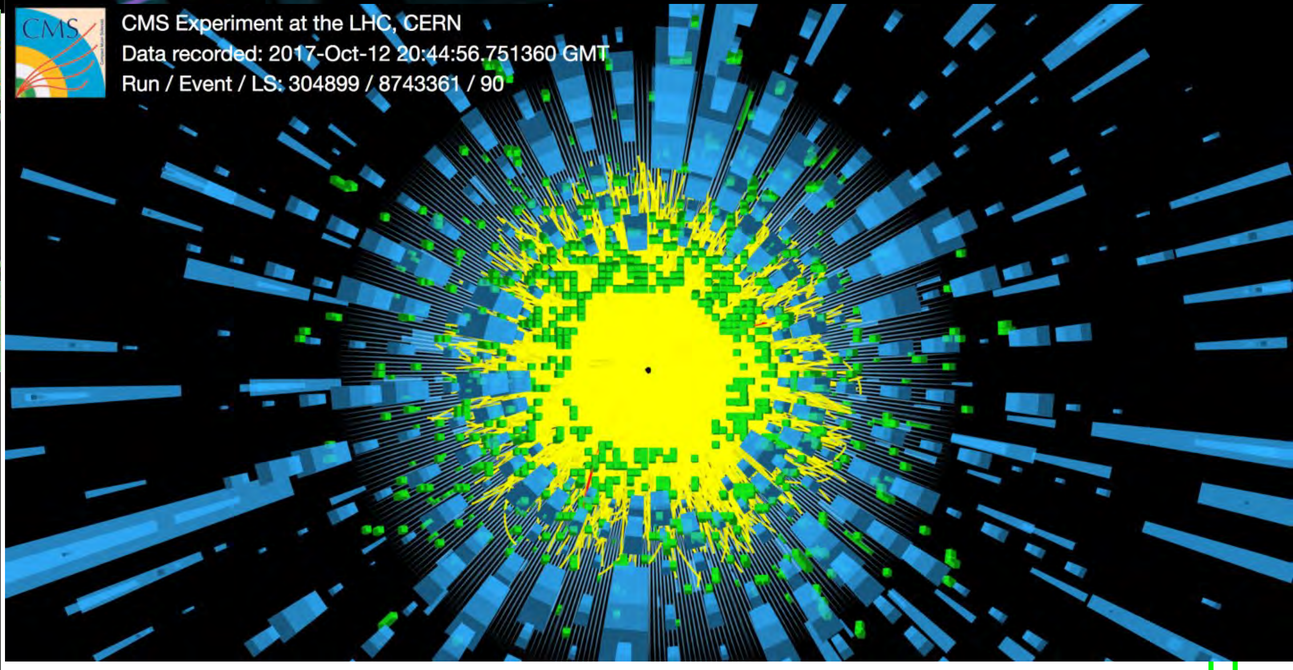
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# To-do / wish list for particle physics & friends, from 2005

## In a decade or two, we can hope to . . .

Understand electroweak symmetry breaking
*Observe the Higgs boson*
Measure neutrino masses and mixings
*Establish Majorana neutrinos ($\beta\beta_{0\nu}$)*
Thoroughly study CP violation in $B$ decay
*Exploit rare decays ($K$, $D$, . . . )*
Observe $n$ EDM, pursue $e^-$ EDM
*Use top as a tool*
Observe new phases of matter
*Understand hadron structure quantitatively*
Uncover QCD's full implications
*Observe proton decay*
Understand the baryon excess
*Catalogue matter & energy of universe*
Measure dark energy equation of state
*Search for new macroscopic forces*
Determine GUT symmetry

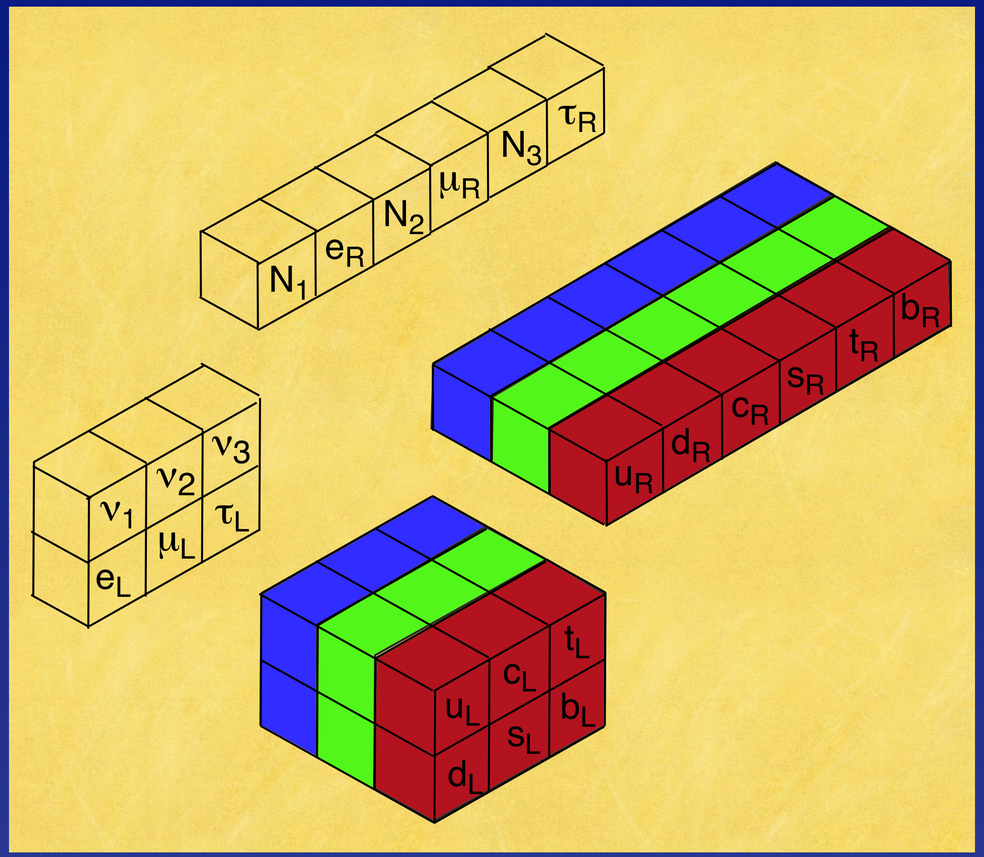
*Detect neutrinos from the universe*
Learn how to quantize gravity
*Learn why empty space is nearly weightless*
Test the inflation hypothesis
*Understand discrete symmetry violation*
Resolve the hierarchy problem
*Discover new gauge forces*
Directly detect dark-matter particles
*Explore extra spatial dimensions*
Understand origin of large-scale structure
*Observe gravitational radiation*
Solve the strong CP problem
*Learn whether supersymmetry is TeV-scale*
Seek TeV dynamical symmetry breaking
*Search for new strong dynamics*
Explain the highest-energy cosmic rays
*Formulate problem of identity*
. . .

. . . learn the right questions to ask

. . . and rewrite the textbooks!

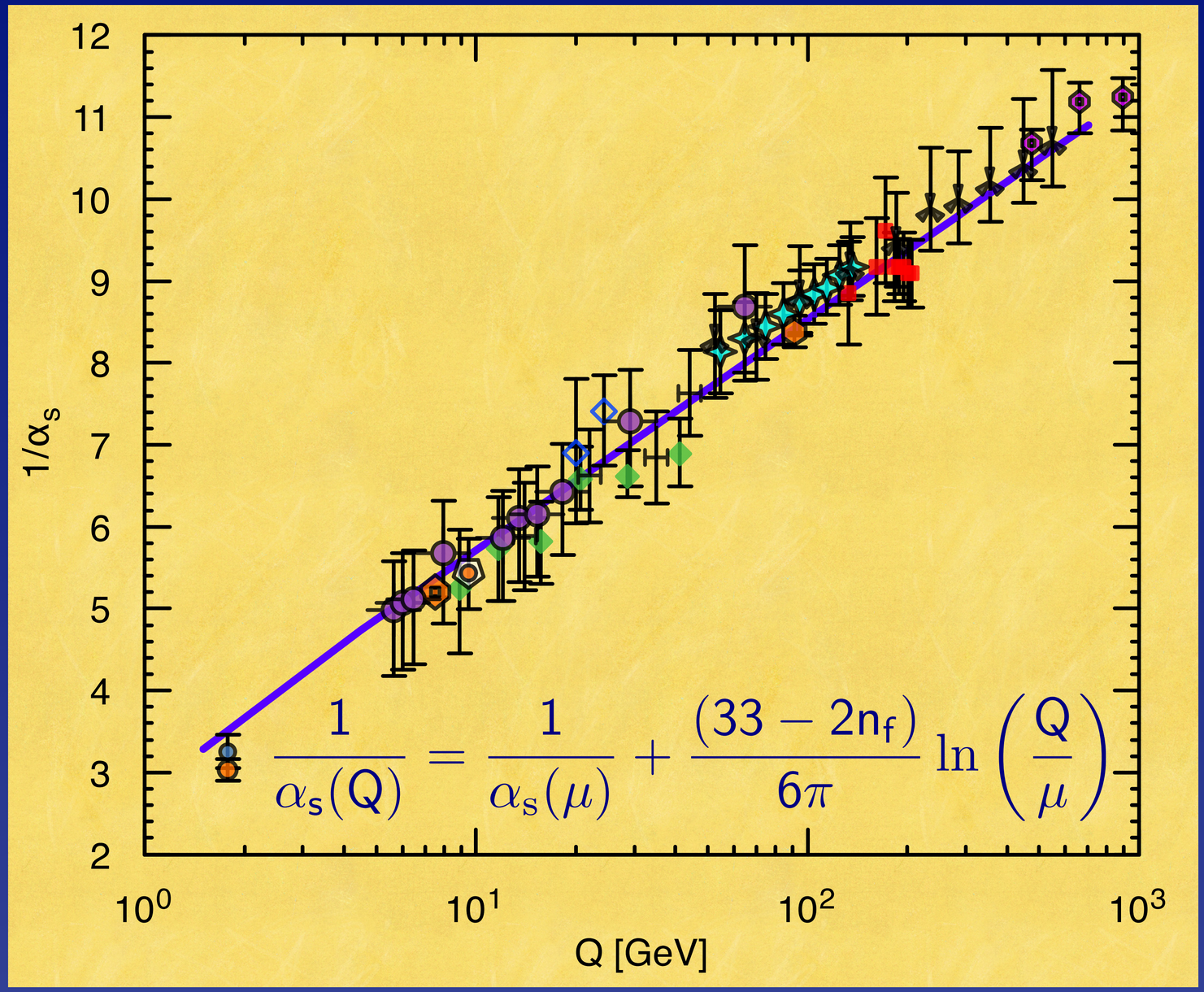
Before LHC

# Two then-new Laws of Nature + pointlike *quarks & leptons*




Interactions: $SU(3)_c \otimes SU(2)_L \otimes U(1)_Y$ gauge symmetries

# Antiscreening evolution of the strong coupling "constant"



# The World's Most Powerful Microscopes

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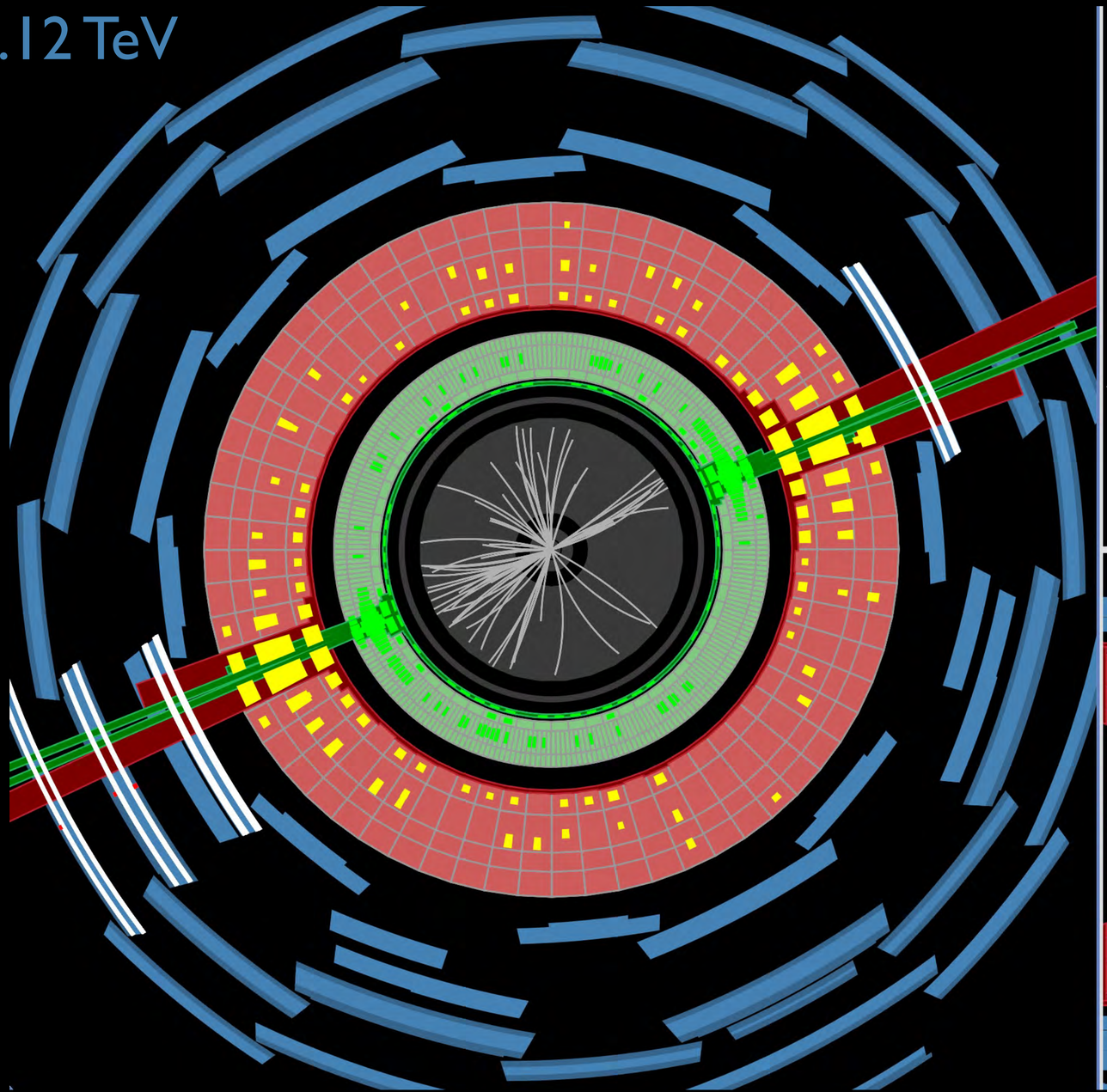
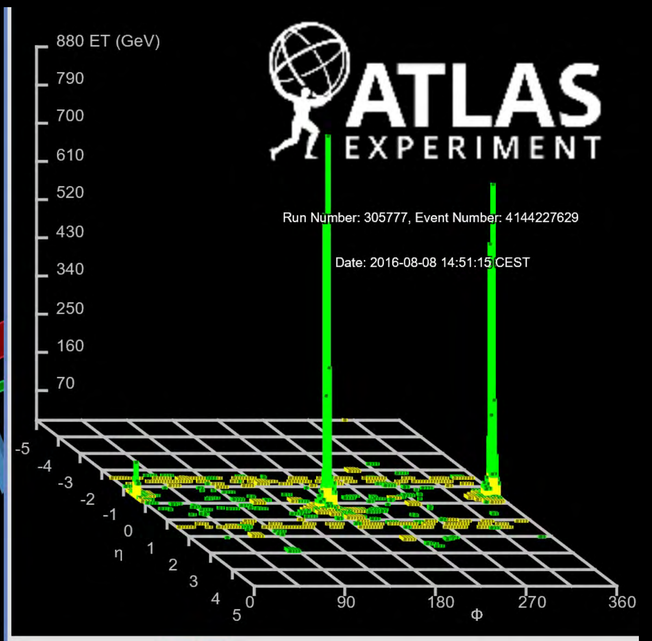
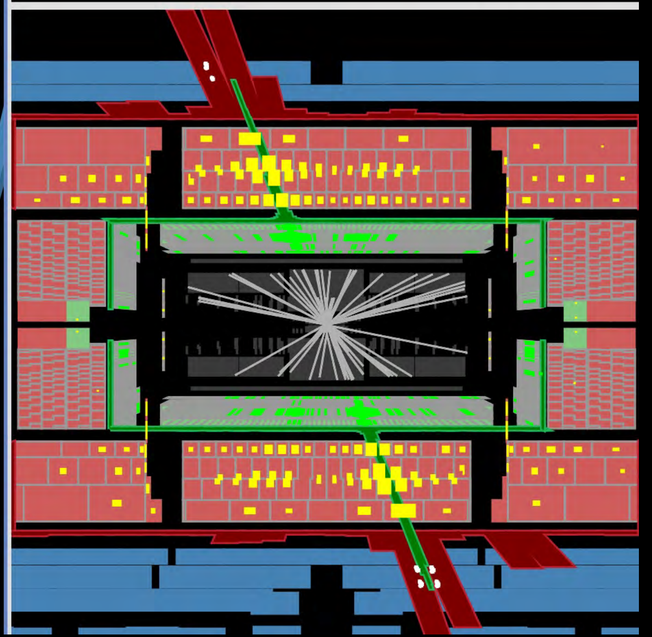
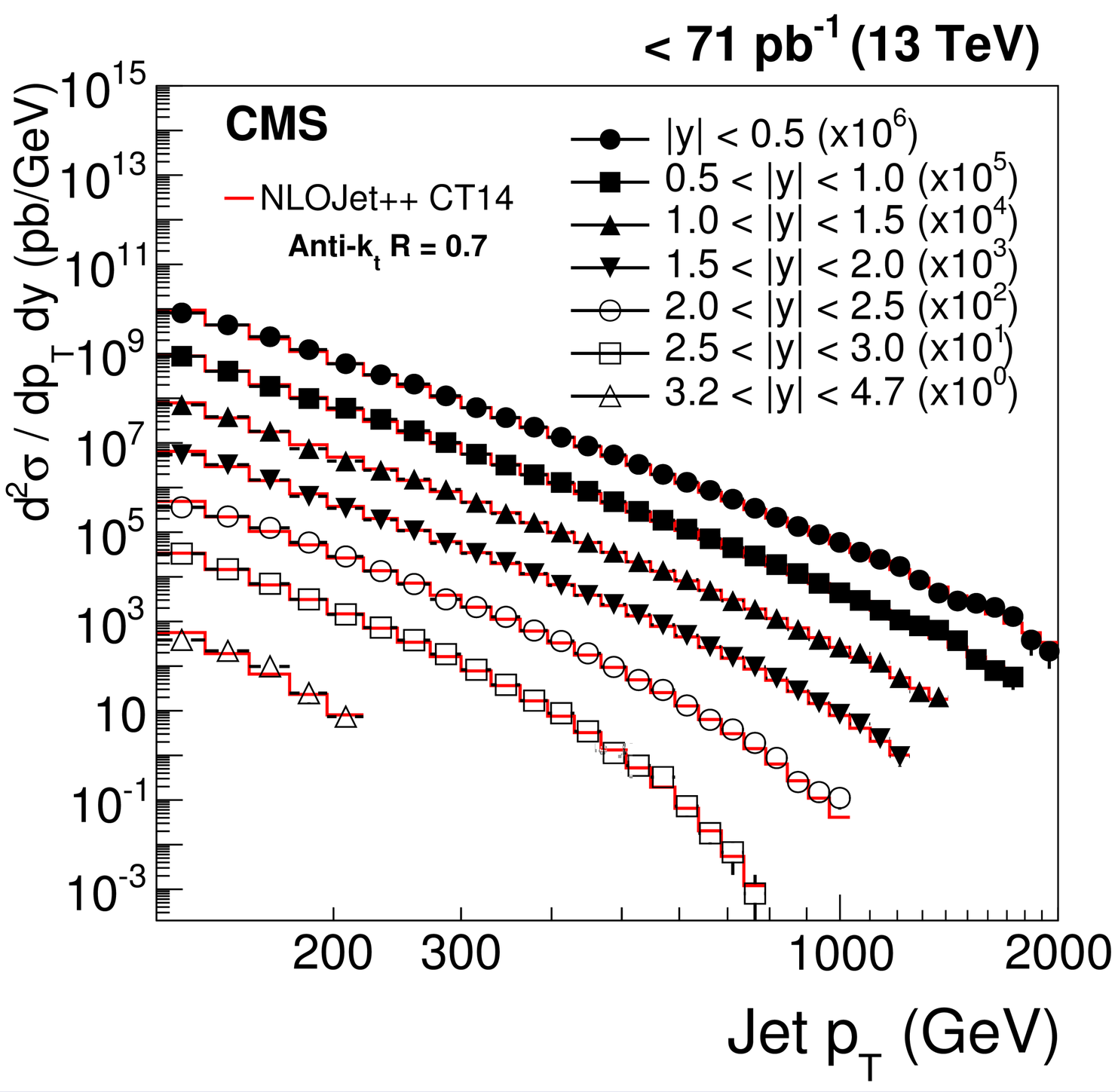
8.12 TeV






< 71 pb-1 (13 TeV)
CMS
NLOJet++ CT14
Anti-kt R = 0.7
|y| < 0.5 (x10^6)
0.5 < |y| < 1.0 (x10^5)
1.0 < |y| < 1.5 (x10^4)
1.5 < |y| < 2.0 (x10^3)
2.0 < |y| < 2.5 (x10^2)
2.5 < |y| < 3.0 (x10^1)
3.2 < |y| < 4.7 (x10^0)
d2σ / dpT dy (pb/GeV)
10^15
10^13
10^11
10^9
10^7
10^5
10^3
10
10^-1
10^-3
200
300
1000
2000
Jet pT (GeV)

sum of parts

rest energy

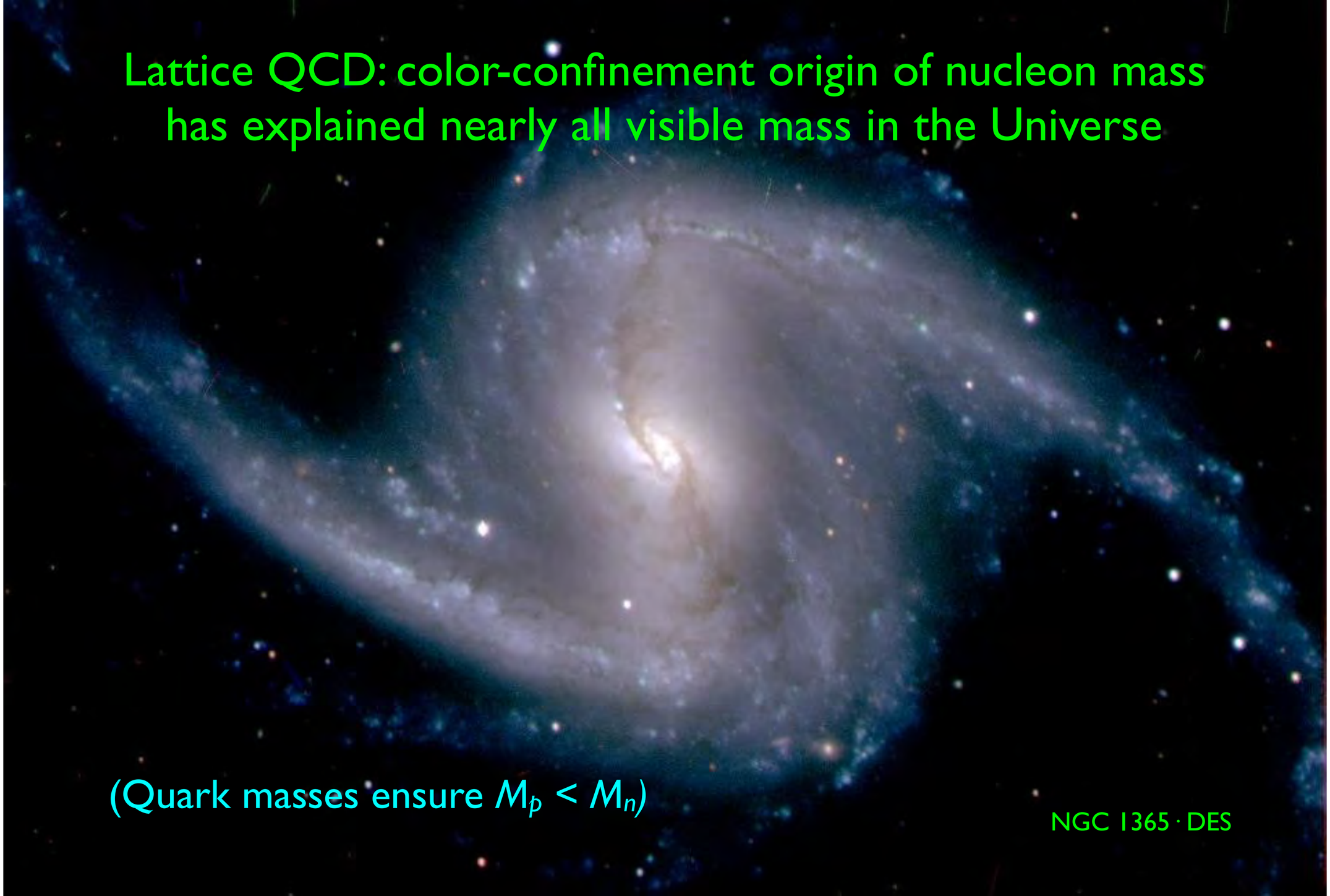
Nucleon mass (~940 MeV): exemplar of $m = E_0/c^2$

up and down quarks contribute few %

$$3\,\frac{m_u + m_d}{2} = 10 \pm 2 \text{ MeV}$$

χPT: $M_N \hookrightarrow$ 870 MeV for massless quarks

# Lattice QCD: color-confinement origin of nucleon mass has explained nearly all visible mass in the Universe



(Quark masses ensure $M_p < M_n$)

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QCD could be complete*, up to $M_{Planck}$

… but that doesn't prove it must be

*Prepare for surprises!*

How might QCD Crack?

(Breakdown of factorization)

Free quarks / unconfined color

New kinds of colored matter

Quark compositeness

Larger color symmetry containing QCD

# New phenomena within QCD?

*Multiple production beyond diffraction + short-range order?*

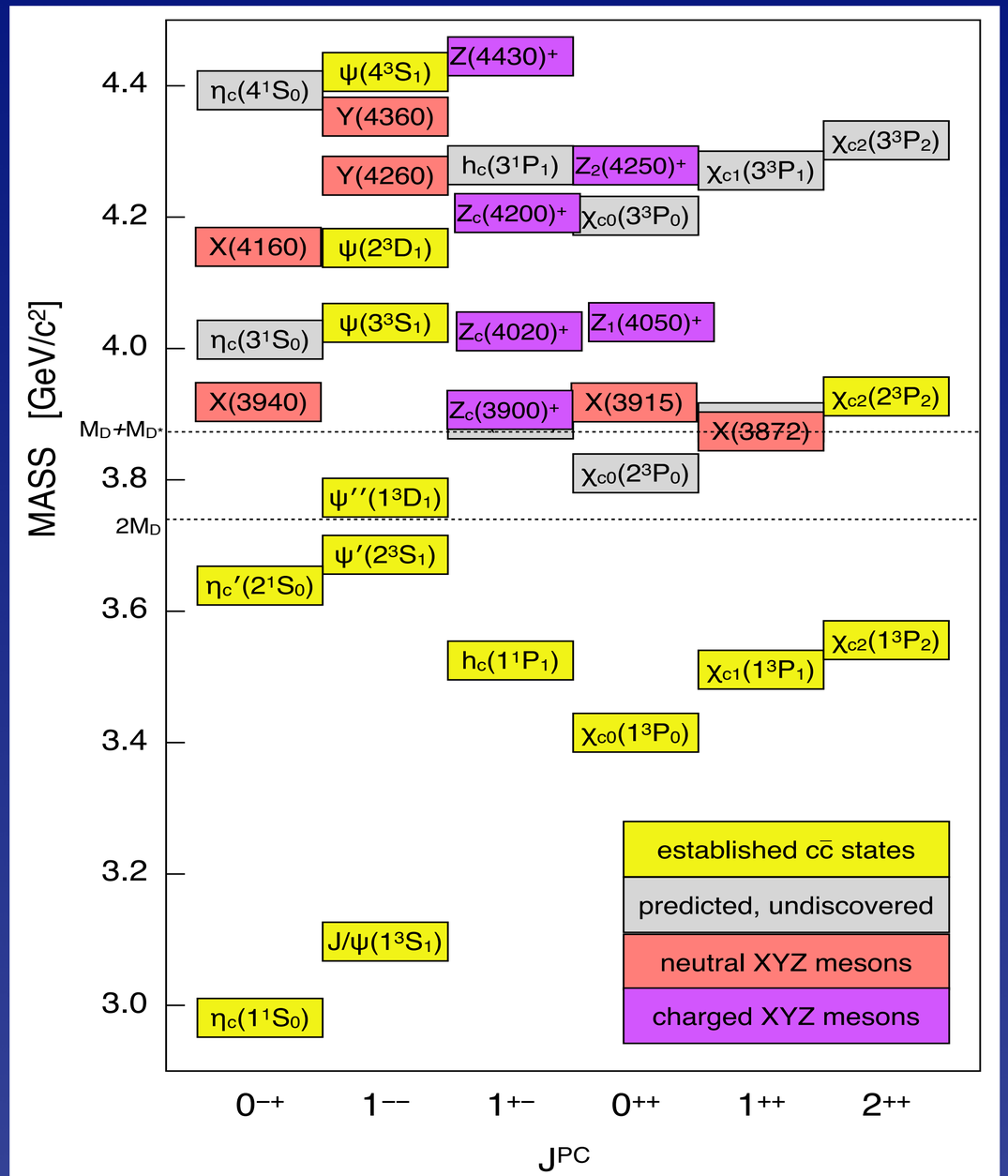
*High density of few-GeV partons … thermalization?*

*Long-range correlations in y?*

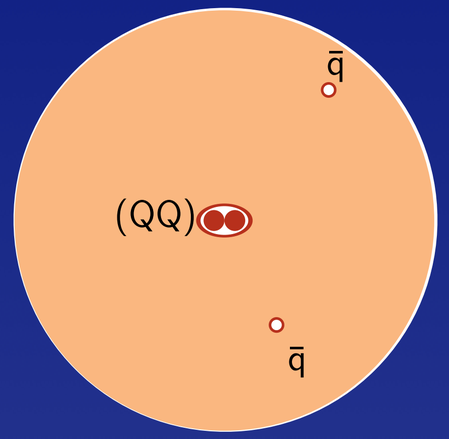
*Unusual event structures …*

Look at events in informative coordinates.
More is to be learned from the river of events
than from a few specimens!

# New spectroscopy of quarkonium–associated states

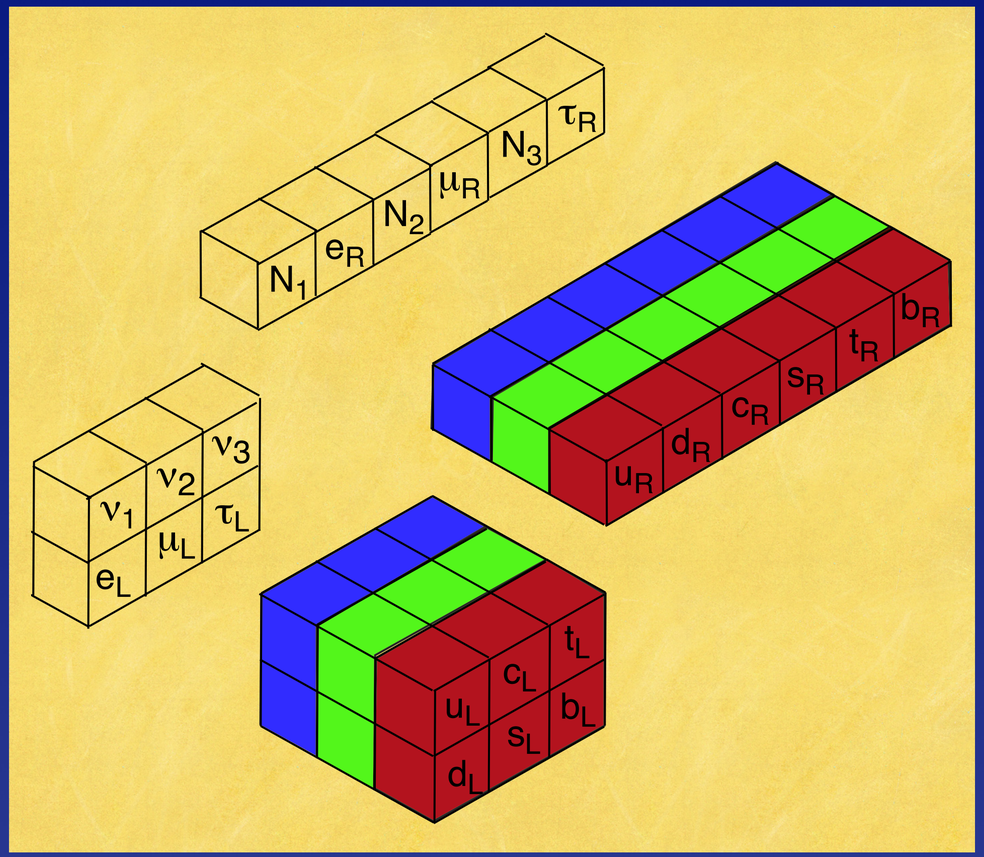



## Stable doubly heavy tetraquark mesons




Eichten & CQ, PRL

# Electroweak Symmetry Breaking




Interactions: $SU(3)_c \otimes SU(2)_L \otimes U(1)_Y$ gauge symmetries → $U(1)_{EM}$

# The Importance of the 1-TeV Scale

EW theory does not predict Higgs-boson mass

Thought experiment: *conditional upper bound*

$W^+W^-$, $ZZ$, $HH$, $HZ$ satisfy s-wave unitarity,

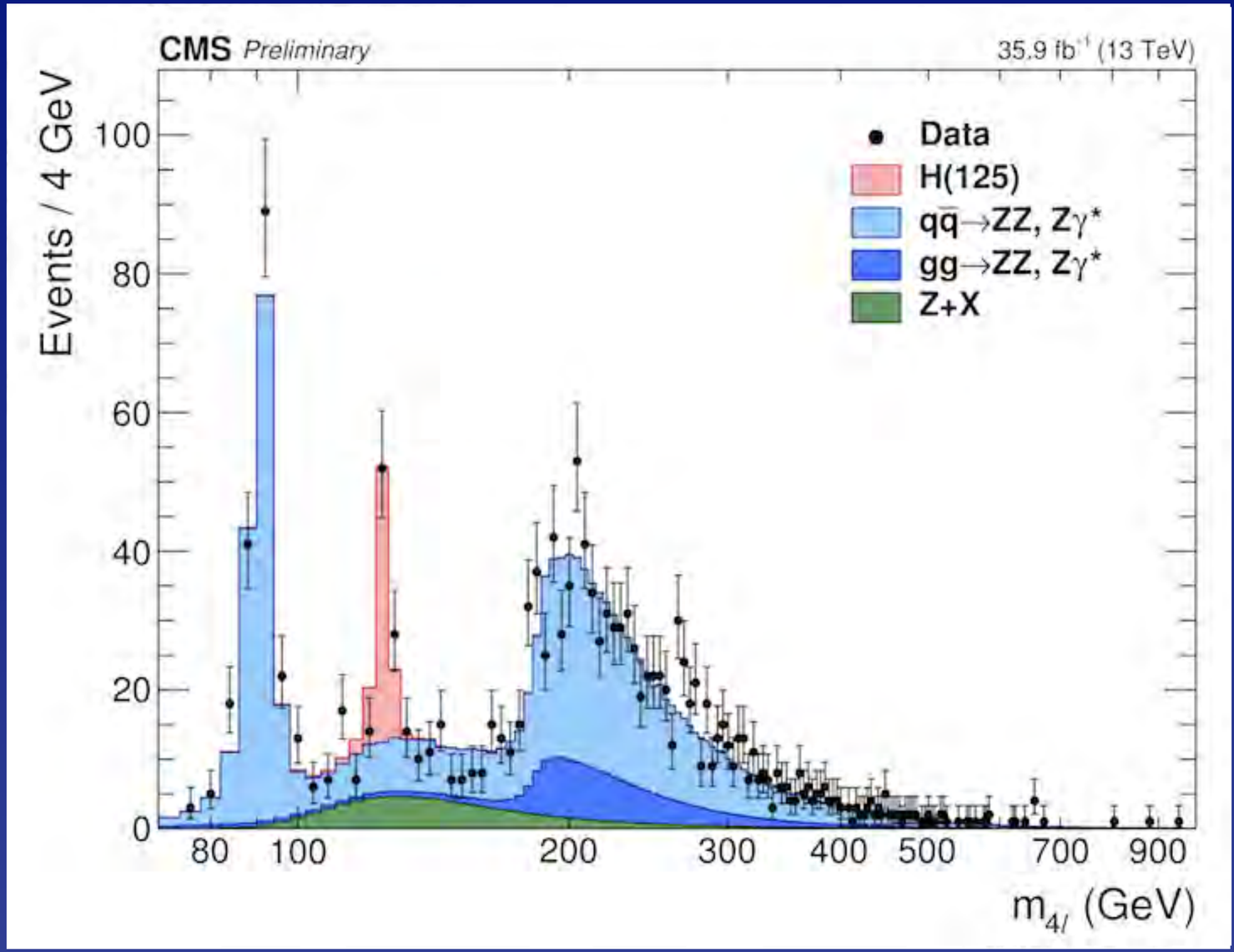
provided $M_H \leq (8\pi\sqrt{2}/3G_F)^{1/2} \approx 1$ TeV

If bound is respected, perturbation theory is everywhere" reliable

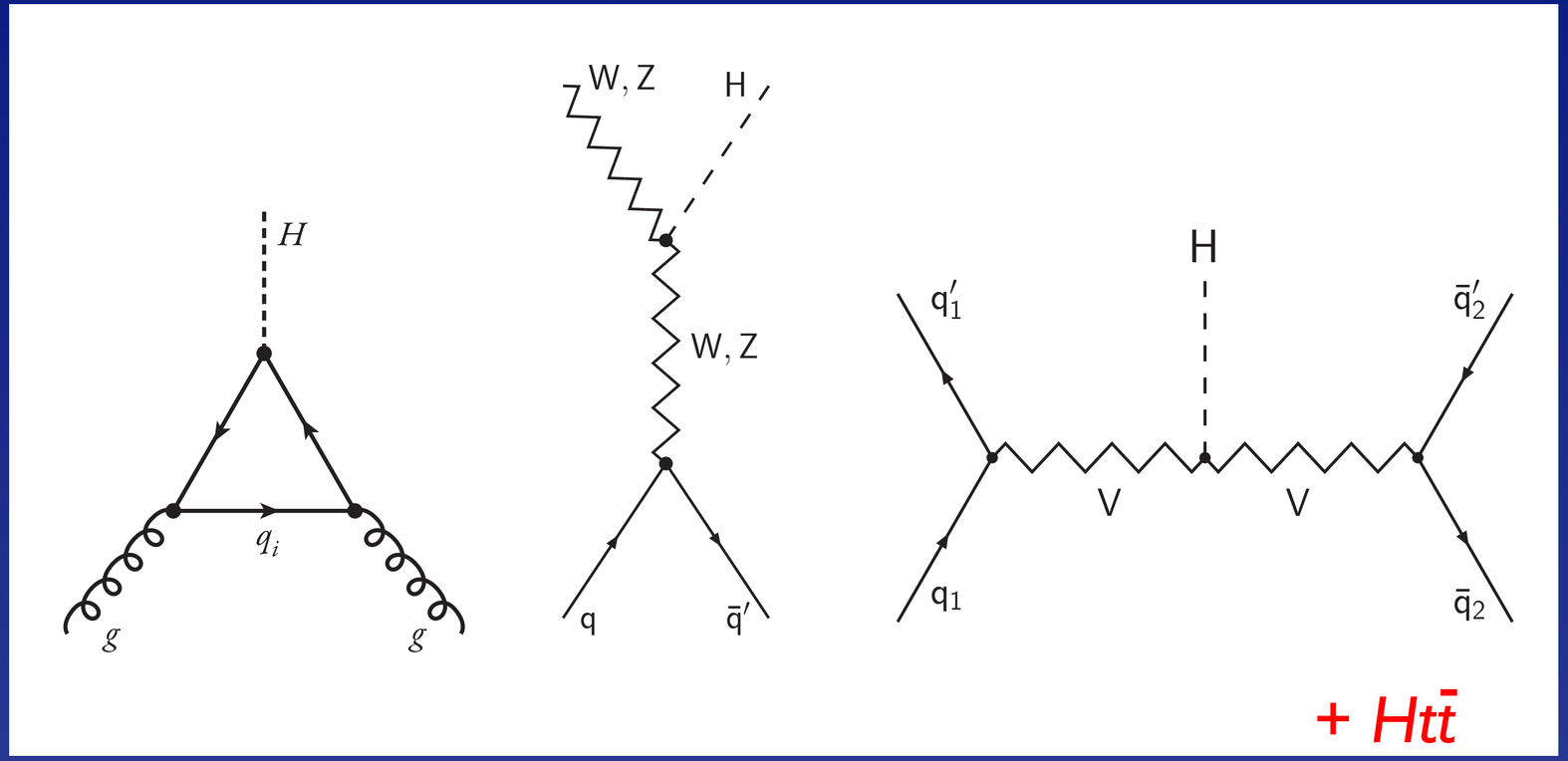
If not, weak interactions among $W^{\pm}$, $Z$, $H$ become strong on 1-TeV scale

*New phenomena are to be found around 1 TeV*

# Evolution of CMS 4-lepton Signal

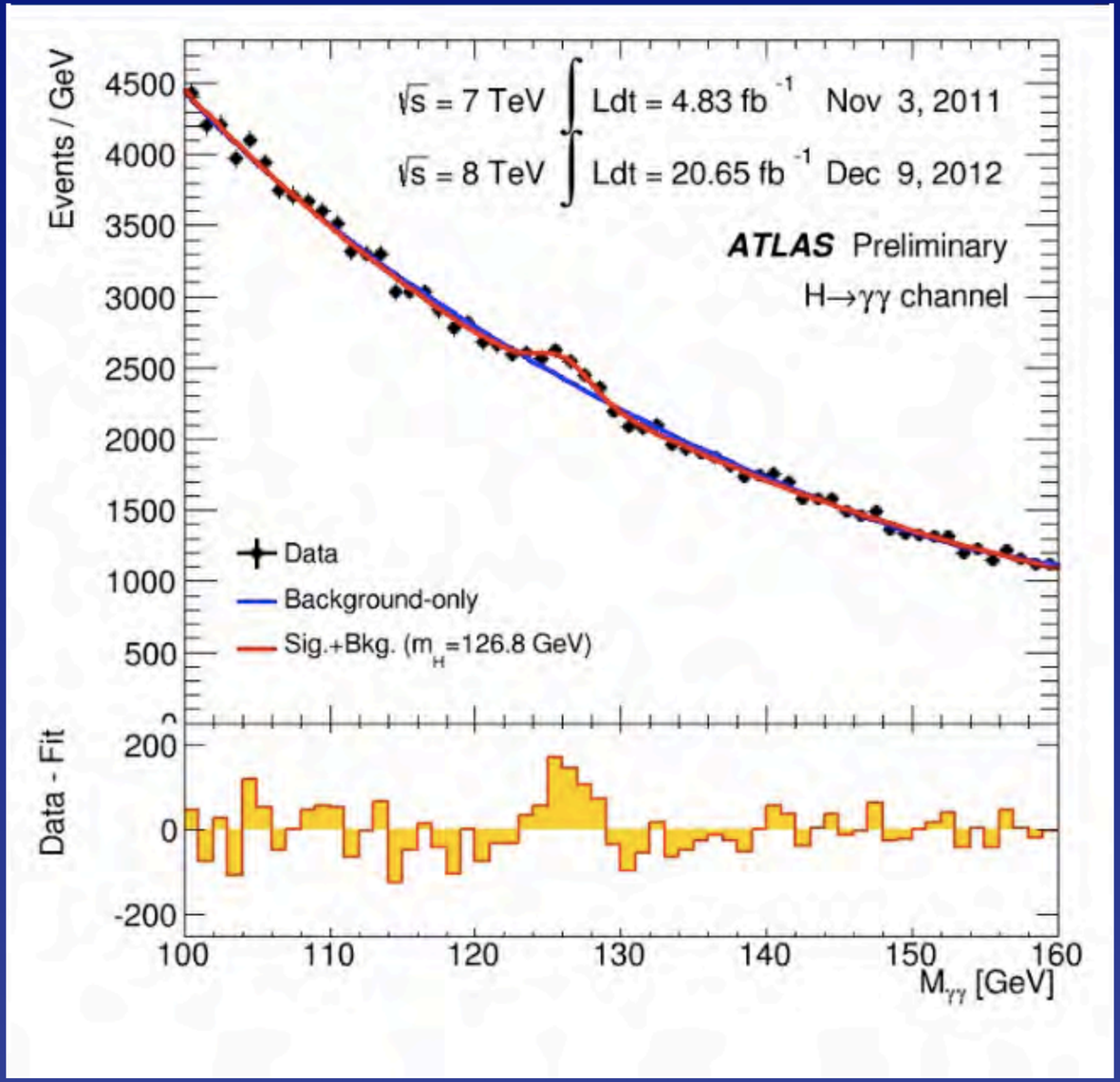


# LHC can study Higgs boson in many channels




$\gamma\gamma$, $WW^*$, $ZZ^*$, $\tau^+\tau^-$, $b$ pairs, …

# Evolution of ATLAS γγ Signal



# What the LHC has told us about *H* so far

Evidence is developing as it would for a "standard-model" Higgs boson

Unstable neutral particle near 125 GeV

$M_H = 125.09 \pm 0.24$ GeV

Motivates HL-LHC, electron–positron Higgs factory

decays to $\gamma\gamma$, $W^+W^-$, $ZZ$

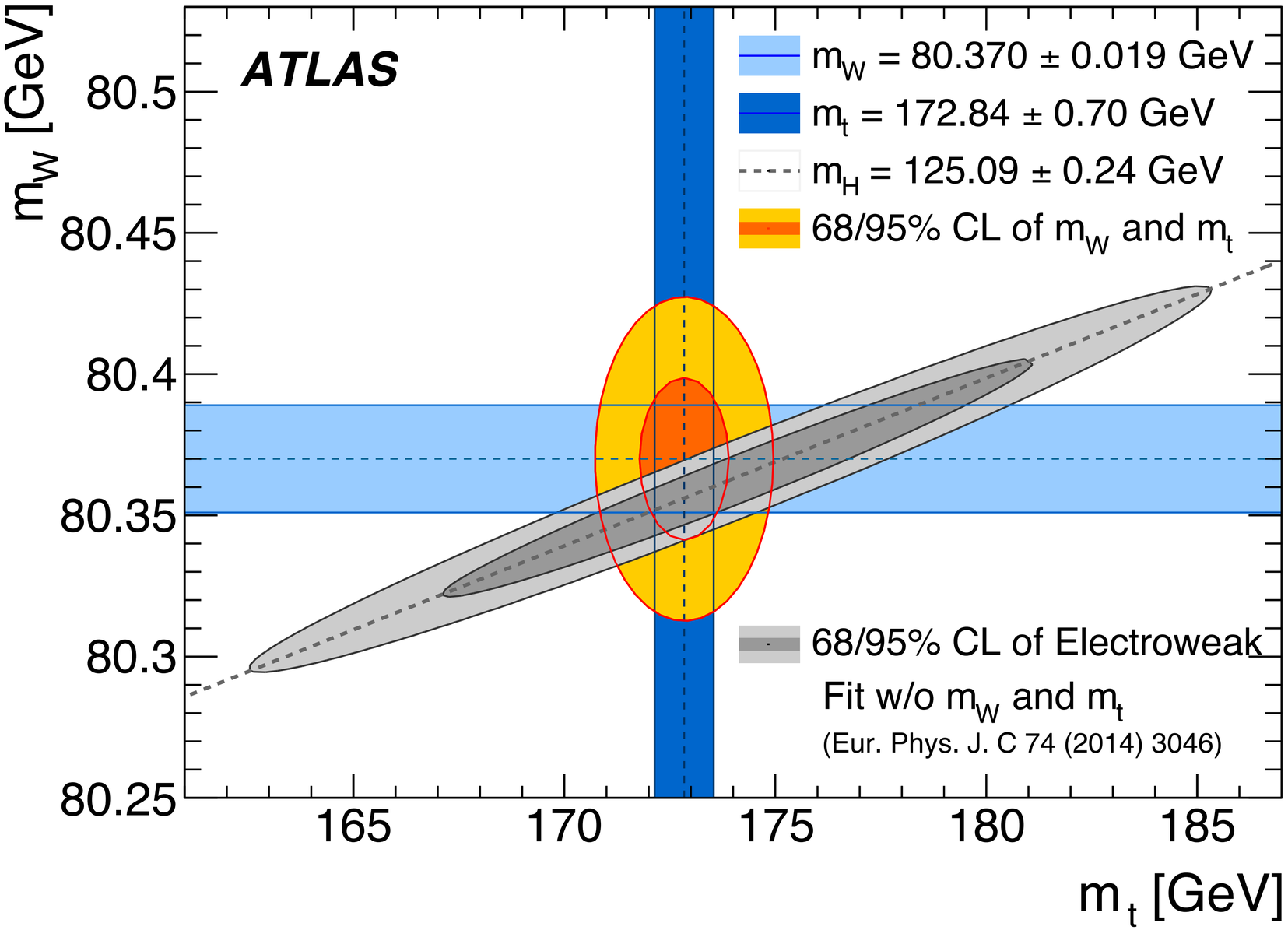
dominantly spin-parity $0^+$

$H\bar{f}f$ couplings not universal

evidence for $\tau^+\tau^-$, $b\bar{b}$, $t\bar{t}$; $\mu^+\mu^-$ limited

*Only third-generation fermions tested*

# Quantum corrections test electroweak theory



# Why does discovering the agent matter?

Imagine a world without a symmetry-breaking (Higgs) mechanism at the electroweak scale

Electron and quarks would have no mass via Higgs

QCD would confine quarks into protons, etc.

*Nucleon mass little changed*

*Surprise:* QCD would hide EW symmetry,

give tiny masses to *W, Z*

Massless electron: atoms lose integrity

No atoms means no chemistry, no stable composite structures like liquids, solids, …

… no template for life.

arXiv:0901.3958

## *What we expect of the standard-model Higgs sector*

Hide electroweak symmetry

Give masses to *W, Z, H*

Regulate Higgs-Goldstone scattering

Motivates VLHC

Account for quark masses, mixings

Account for charged-lepton masses

} ΦBSM

A role in neutrino masses?

Fully accounts for EWSB ($W$, $Z$ couplings)?

Couples to fermions?

*t from production, $Ht\bar{t}$*

*need direct observation for b, τ*

Accounts for fermion masses?

*Fermion couplings ∝ masses?*

Are there others?

Quantum numbers? ($J^P = 0^+$)

SM branching fractions to gauge bosons?

Decays to new particles?

All production modes as expected?

Implications of $M_H \approx 125$ GeV?

Any sign of new strong dynamics?

More new physics on the TeV scale?

WIMP dark matter

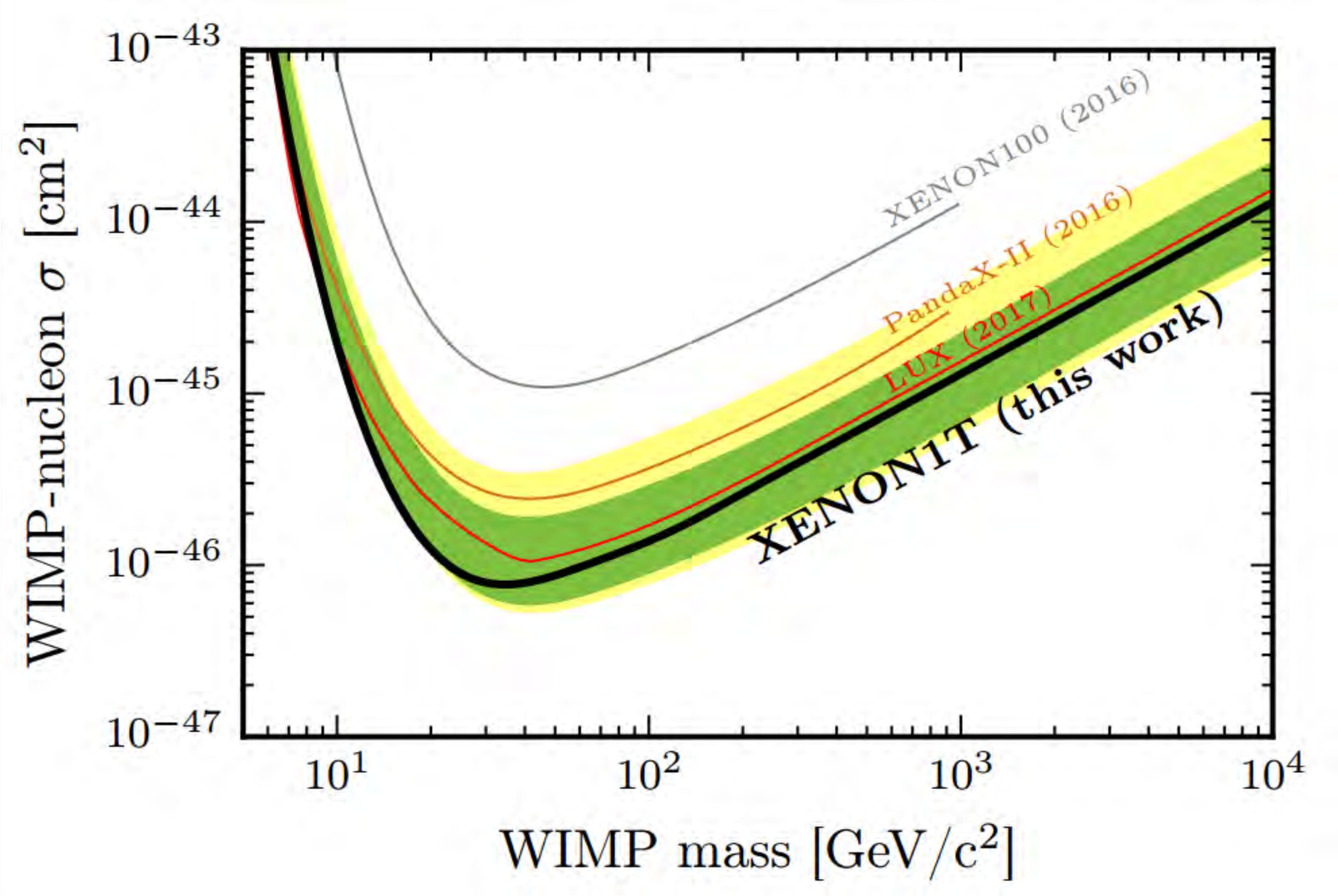
"Naturalness"

Hierarchy problem: EW scale ≪ Planck scale

Vacuum energy problem

Clues to origin of EWSB

# Direct searches for WIMP dark matter



Supersymmetry could respond to many SM problems,
but (as we currently understand it) it is
largely unprincipled!

*R*-parity (overkill for proton stability)
gives dark-matter candidate
μ problem (getting TeV scale right)
Taming flavor-changing neutral currents
*All these are added by hand!*

Very promising: search in EW production modes
reexamine squark + EWino, too.

How have we misunderstood
the hierarchy problem?

*If other physical scales are present,*
*there is something to understand*

We originally sought once-and-done remedies,
such as supersymmetry or technicolor

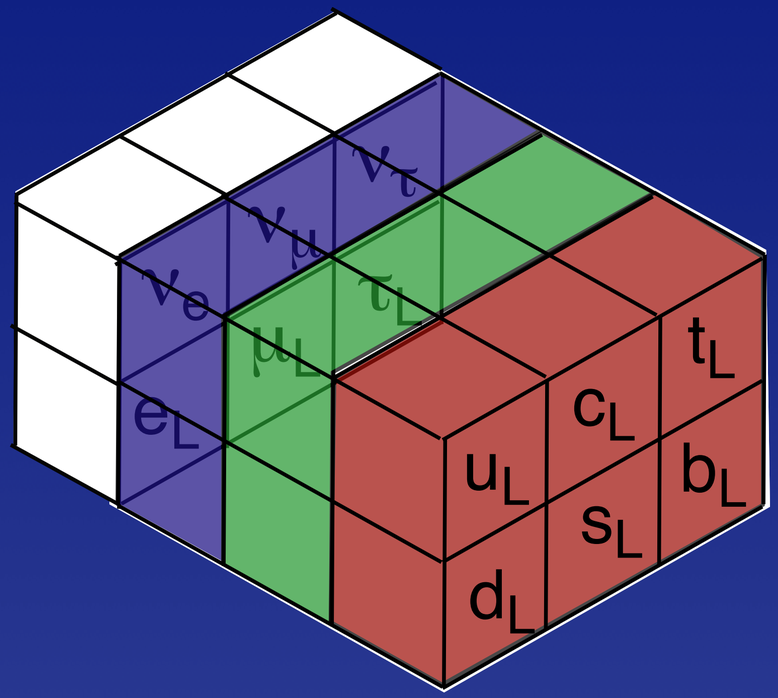
*Go in steps, or reframe the problem?*

*The unreasonable effectiveness of the standard model*

arXiv:09053187 arXiv:1503.01756 arXiv:1507.02977

# A Unified Theory?

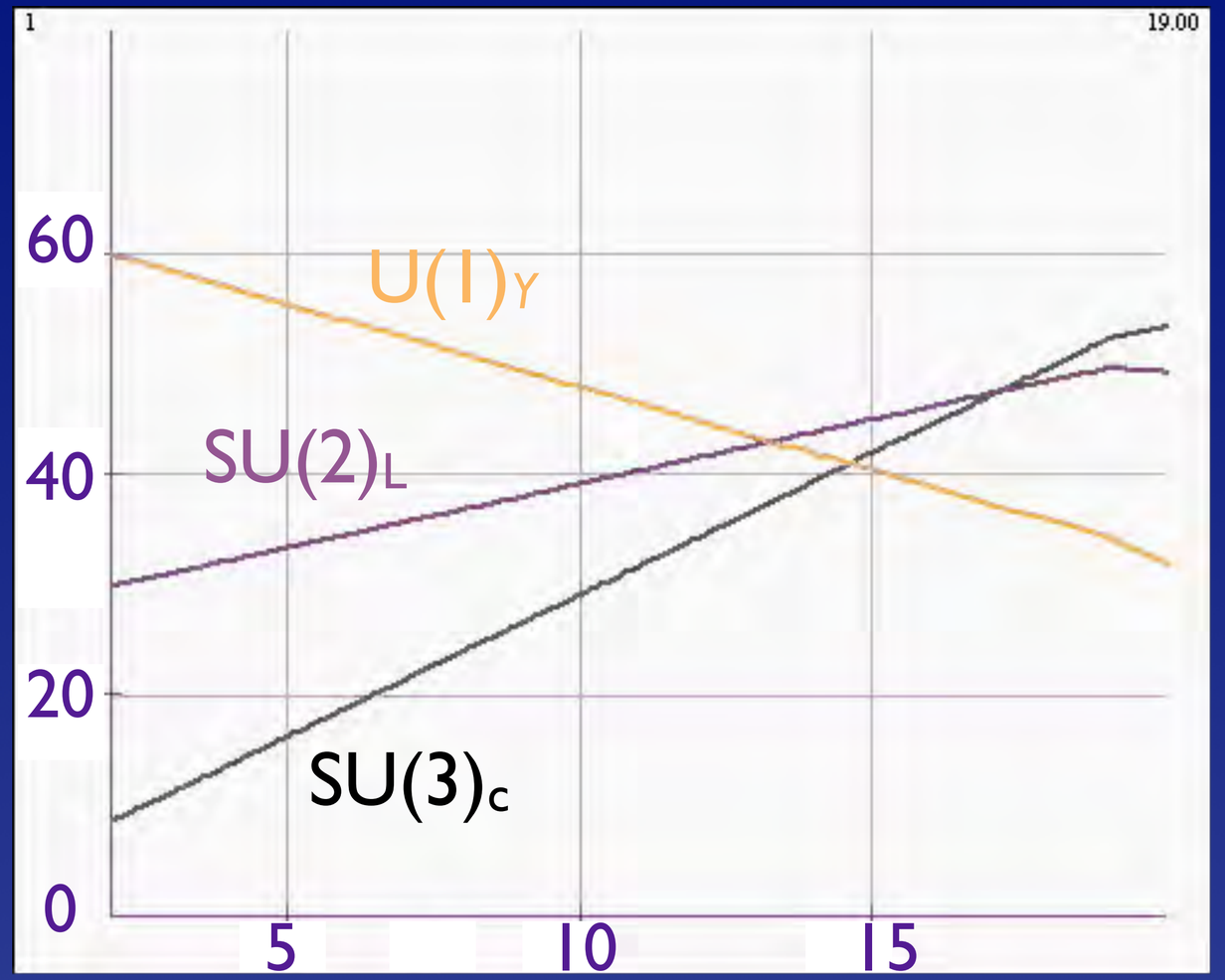
*Why are atoms so remarkably neutral?*



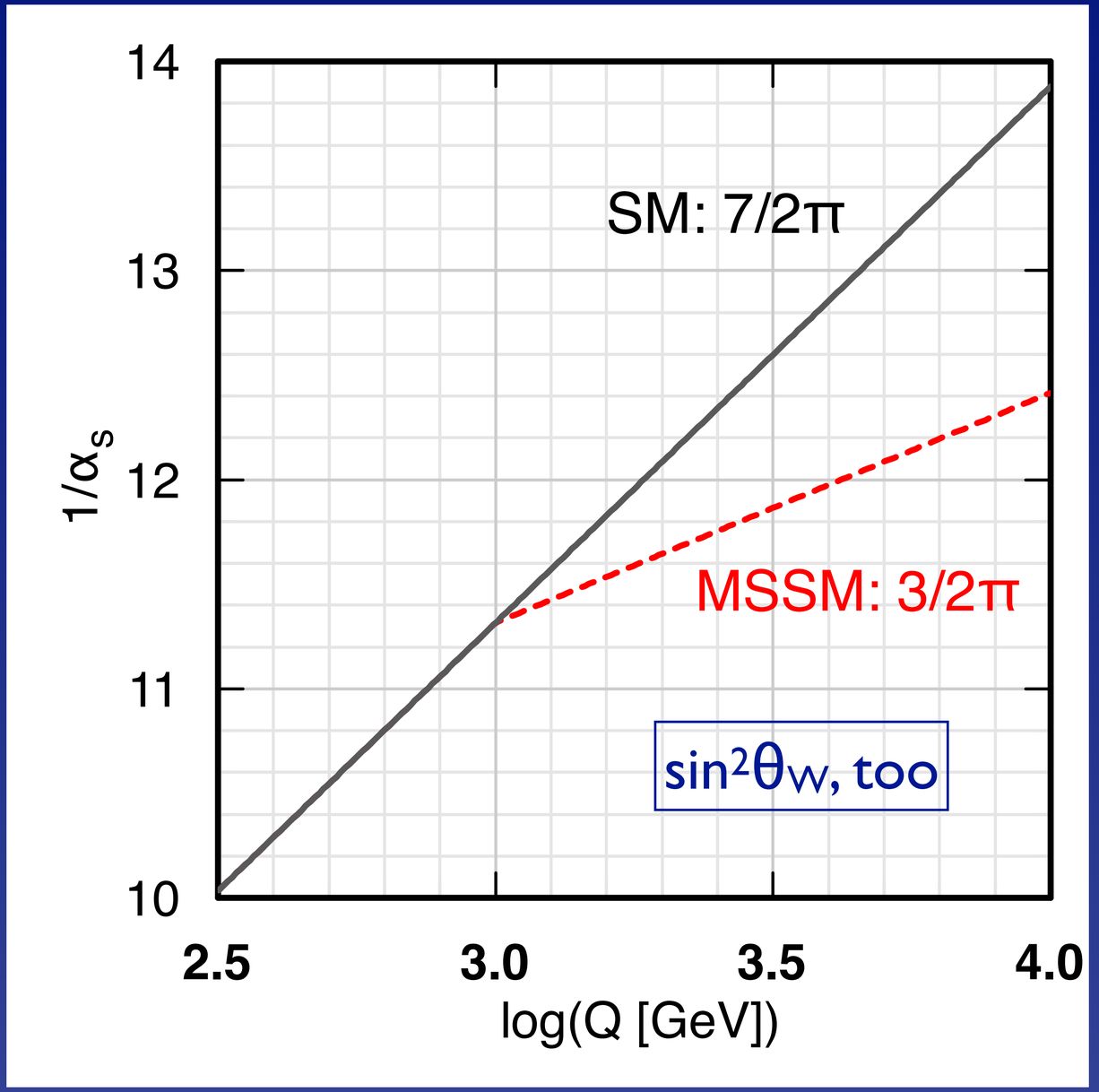

*Coupling constant unification?*

Extended quark–lepton families:
proton decay!  n–$\bar{n}$ oscillations

# Unification of Forces?



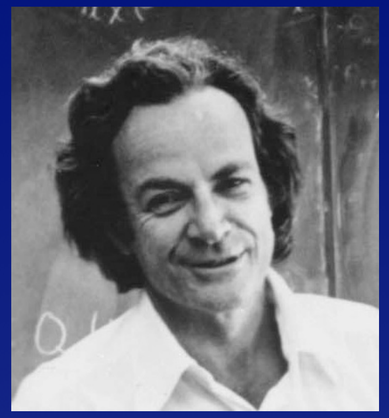
# Might (HE-)LHC (or 100-TeV) see change in evolution?



# Parameters of the Standard Model

| | |
|---|---|
| 3 | coupling parameters $\alpha_s, \alpha_{\mathsf{em}}, \sin^2\theta_W$ |
| 2 | parameters of the Higgs potential |
| 1 | vacuum phase (QCD) |
| 6 | quark masses |
| 3 | quark mixing angles |
| 1 | CP-violating phase |
| 3 | charged-lepton masses |
| 3 | neutrino masses |
| 3 | leptonic mixing angles |
| 1 | leptonic CP-violating phase (+ Majorana . . . ) |
| $26^+$ | arbitrary parameters |

*Flavor physics may be where we see, or diagnose, the break in the SM.*



*Why* does the muon weigh?

*gauge symmetry allows*

$$\zeta_e \left[(\bar{e}_L \Phi) e_R + \bar{e}_R (\Phi^\dagger e_L)\right] \rightsquigarrow m_e = \zeta_e v/\sqrt{2}$$

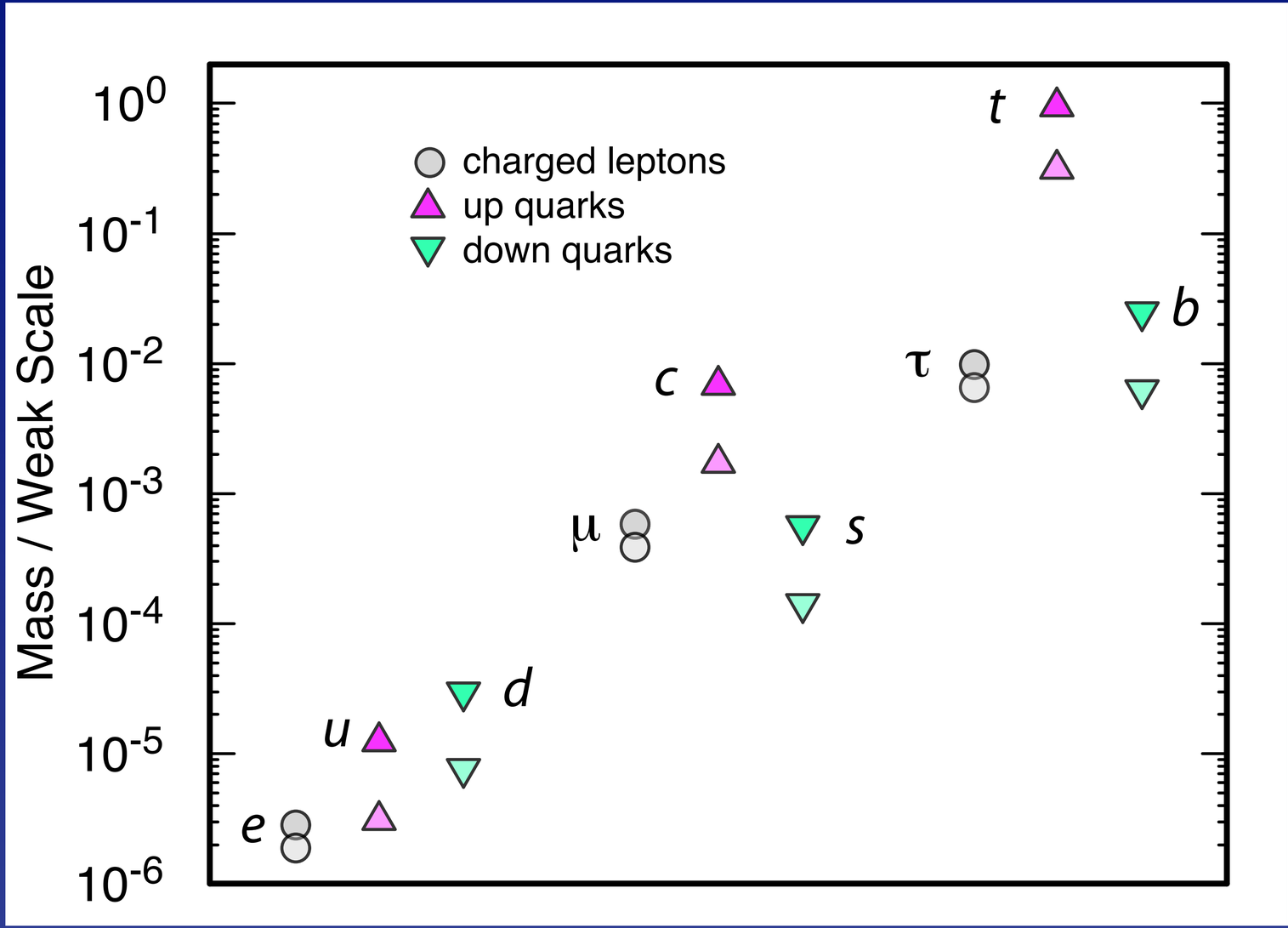
*after spontaneous symmetry breaking*

*What* does the muon weigh?

$\zeta_e$ : picked to give right mass, not predicted

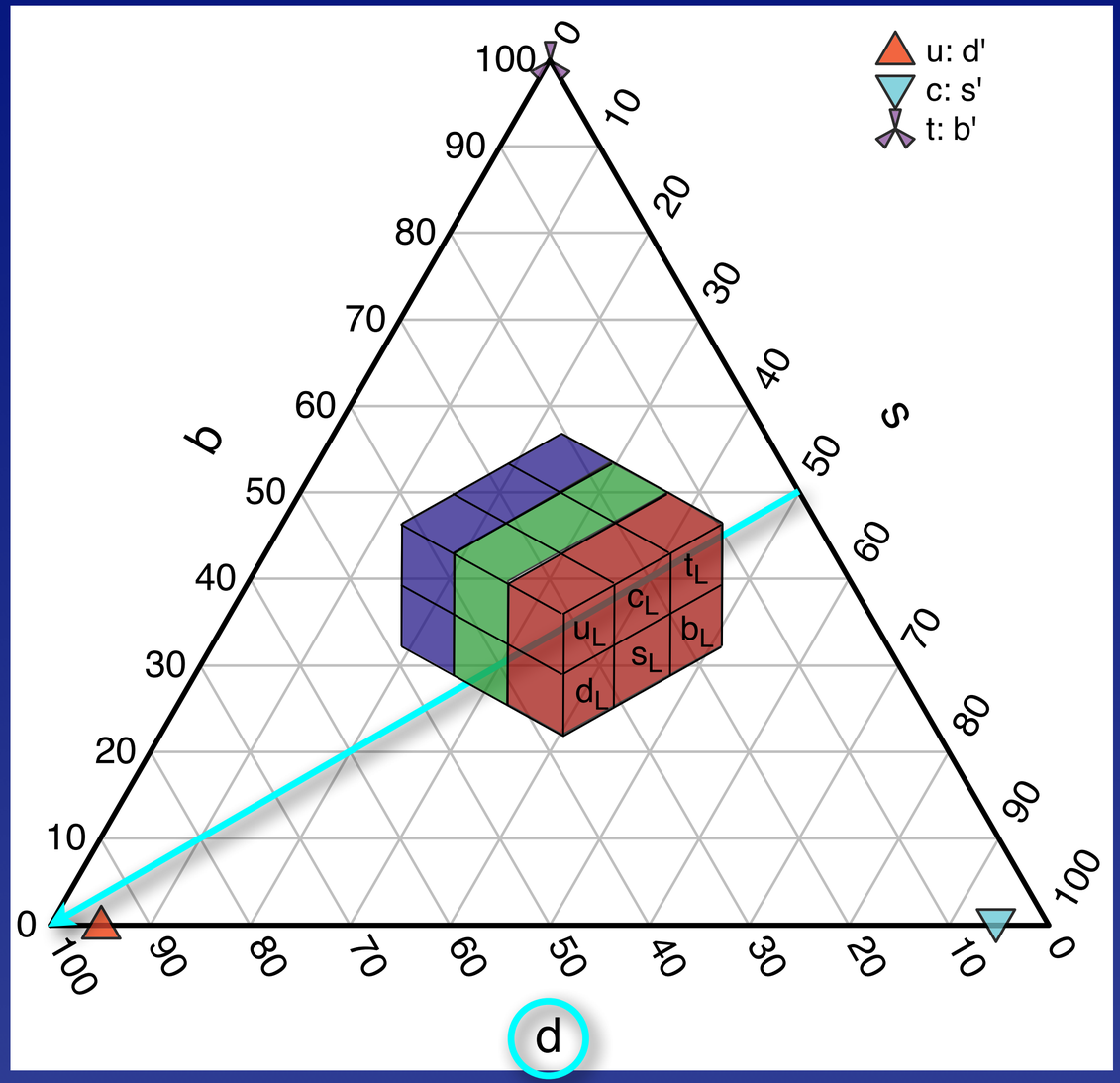
*fermion mass implies physics beyond the standard model*

# Charged Fermion Masses

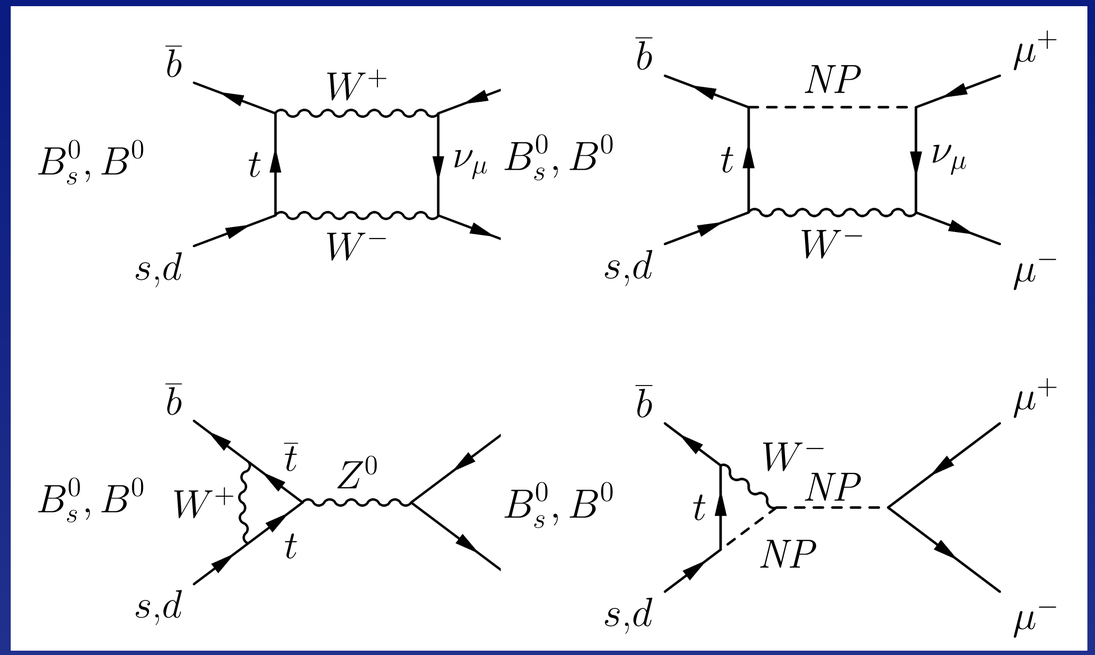



Running mass $m(m)$ … $m(U)$

# Quark family patterns: *generations*

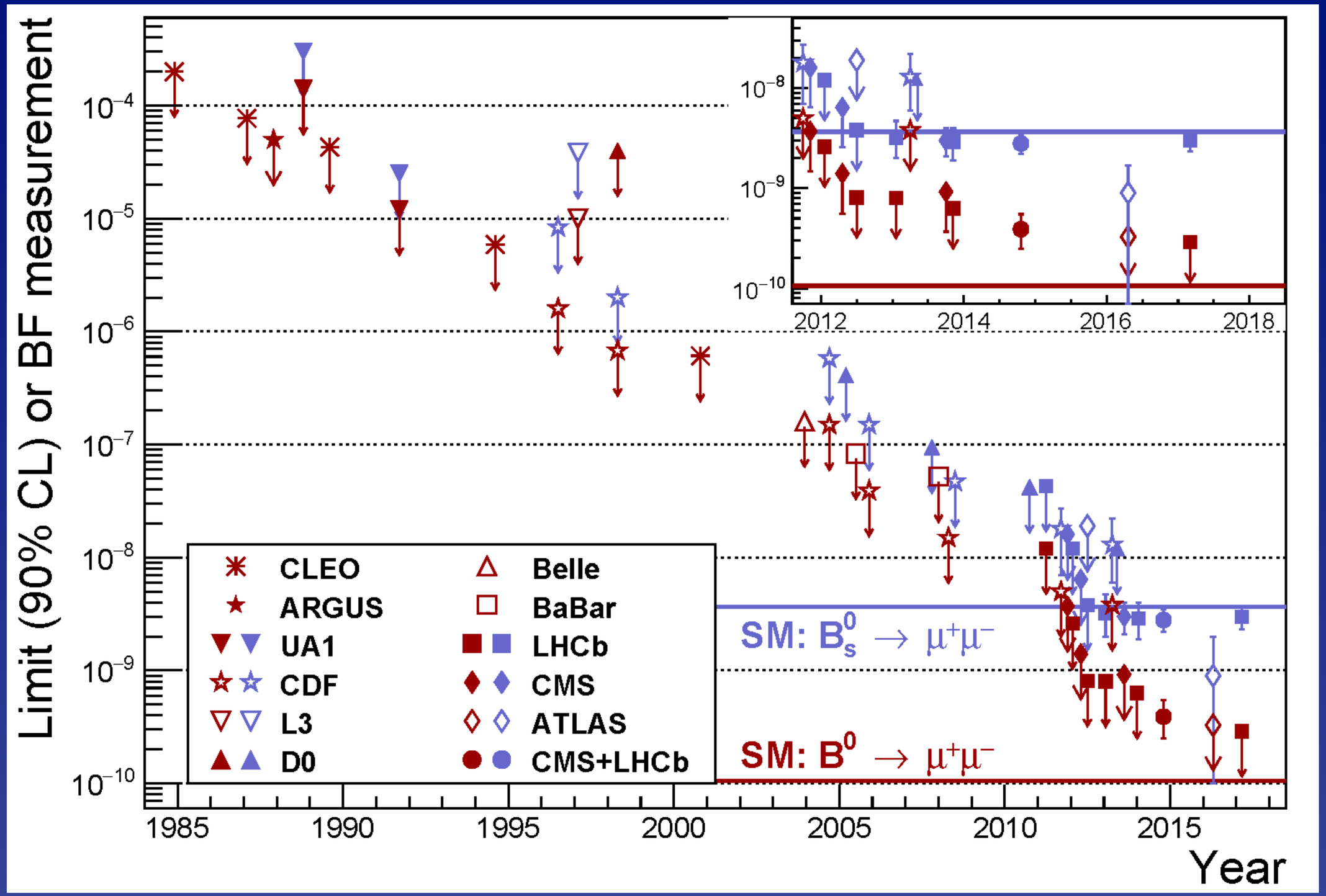


# Rare Processes: Flavor-changing neutral currents




$$\text{SM: } \mathrm{BR}(\mathrm{B_s} \to \mu^+\mu^-) = (3.65 \pm 0.30) \times 10^{-9}$$

$$\text{MSSM: } \mathrm{BR}(\mathrm{B_s} \to \mu^+\mu^-) \propto \frac{\mathrm{m_b^2 m_t^2}}{\mathrm{M_A^4}} \tan^6 \beta$$


Limit (90% CL) or BF measurement
$10^{-4}$
$10^{-5}$
$10^{-6}$
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$10^{-8}$
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1985
1990
1995
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CLEO
ARGUS
UA1
CDF
L3
D0
Belle
BaBar
LHCb
CMS
ATLAS
CMS+LHCb
SM: $B_s^0 \to \mu^+\mu^-$
SM: $B^0 \to \mu^+\mu^-$
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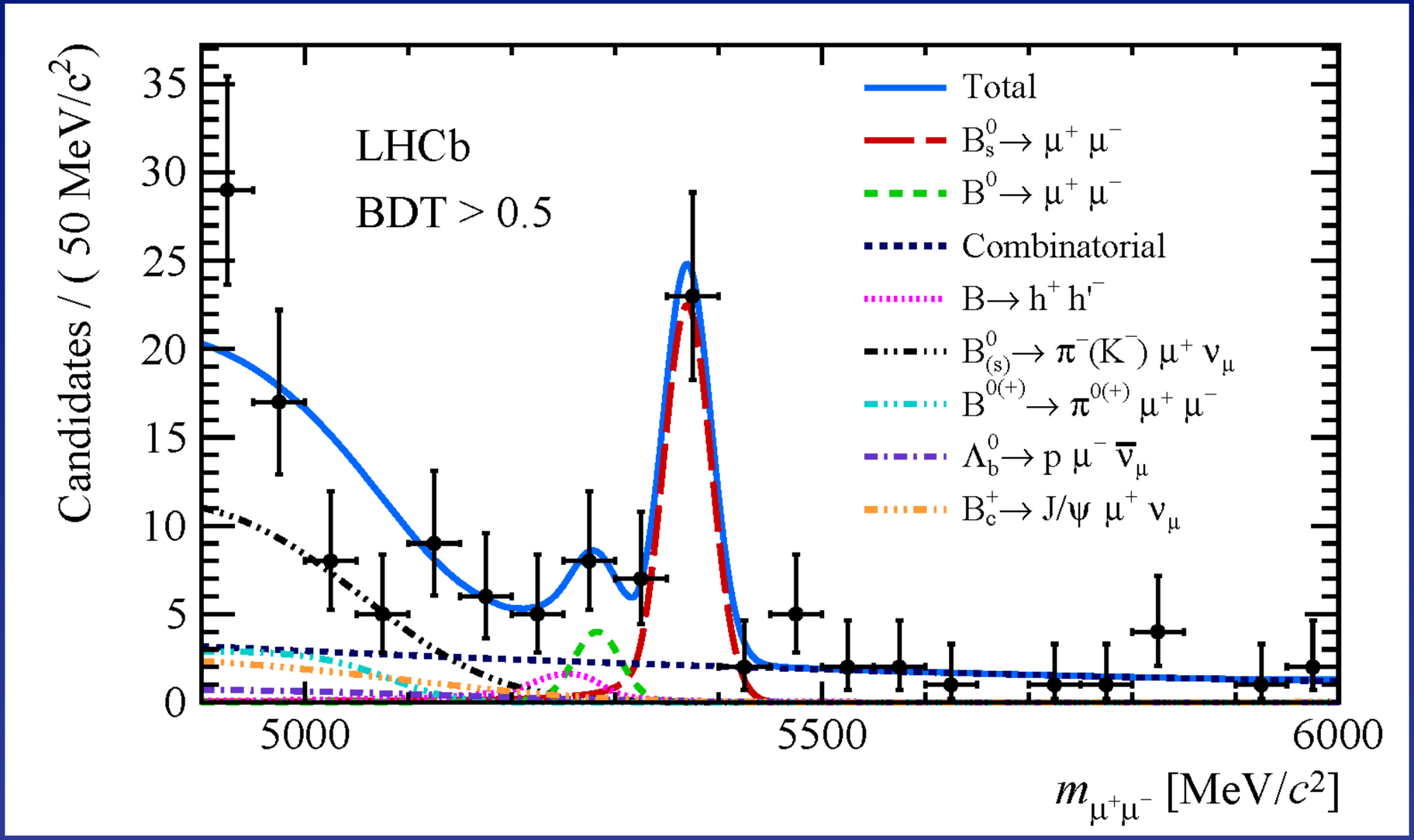
2012
2014
2016
2018

# $(B^0, B_s) \to \mu^+\mu^-$

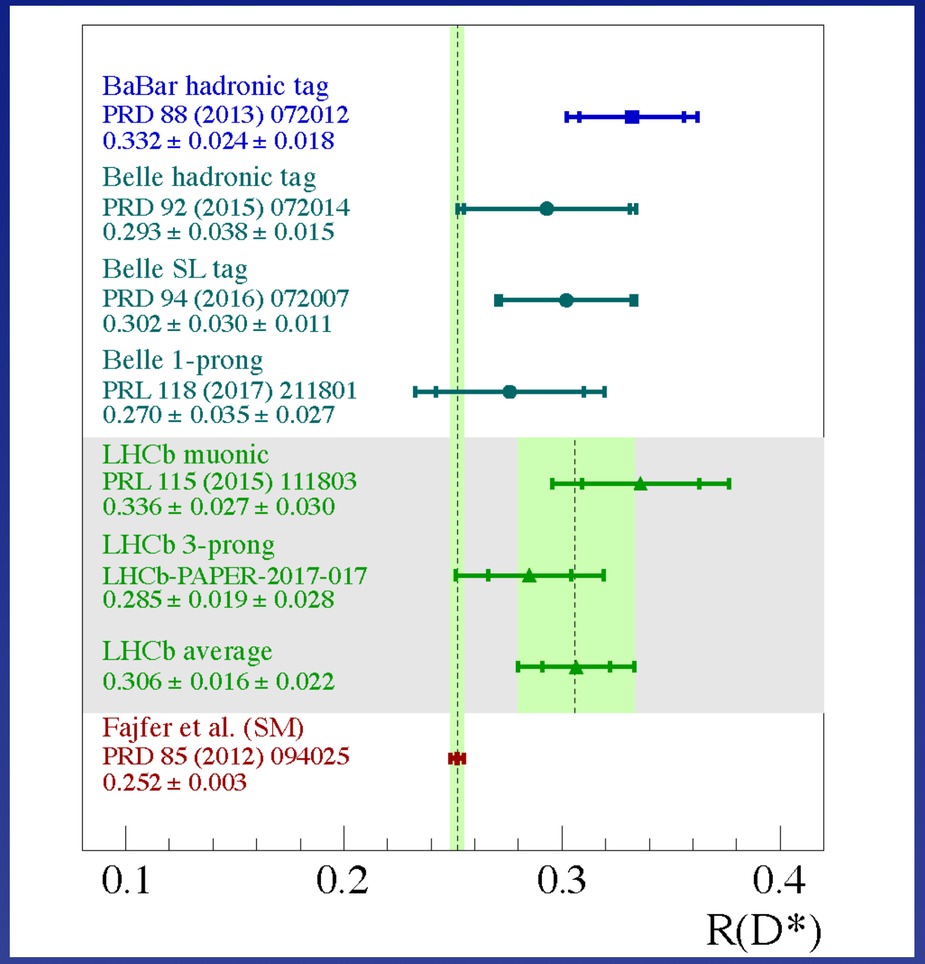



LHC$b$: $\mathrm{BR}(B_s \to \mu^+\mu^-) = (3.0^{+0.7}_{-0.6}) \times 10^{-9}$

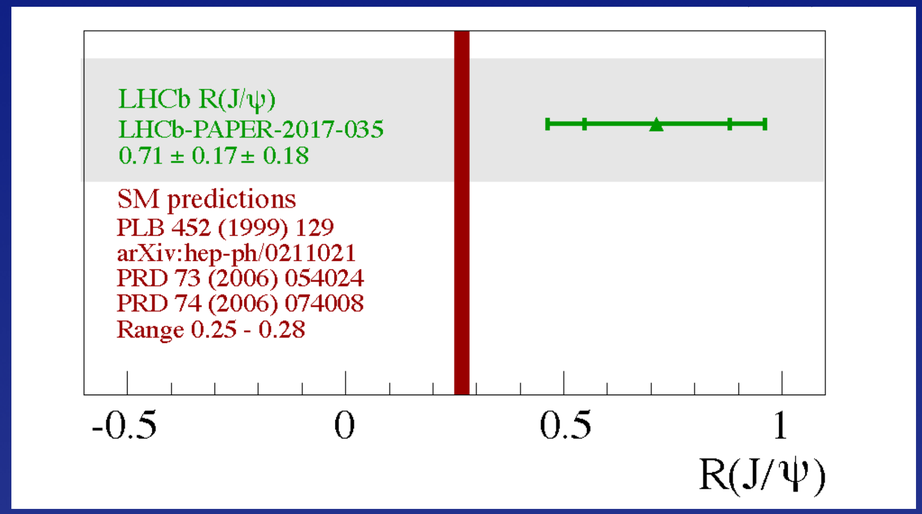
# Flavor anomalies

## LHC*b* sees several hints of flavor nonuniversality

$B^0 \to D^{*-}\tau^+\nu_\tau$ / $B^0 \to D^{*-}\mu^+\nu_\mu$




$B_c^+ \to J/\psi\tau^+\nu_\tau$ / $B_c^+ \to J/\psi\mu^+\nu_\mu$




Too many τ; other evidence for excess $\mu^+\mu^-$ / $e^+e^-$

# Some outstanding questions in ν physics
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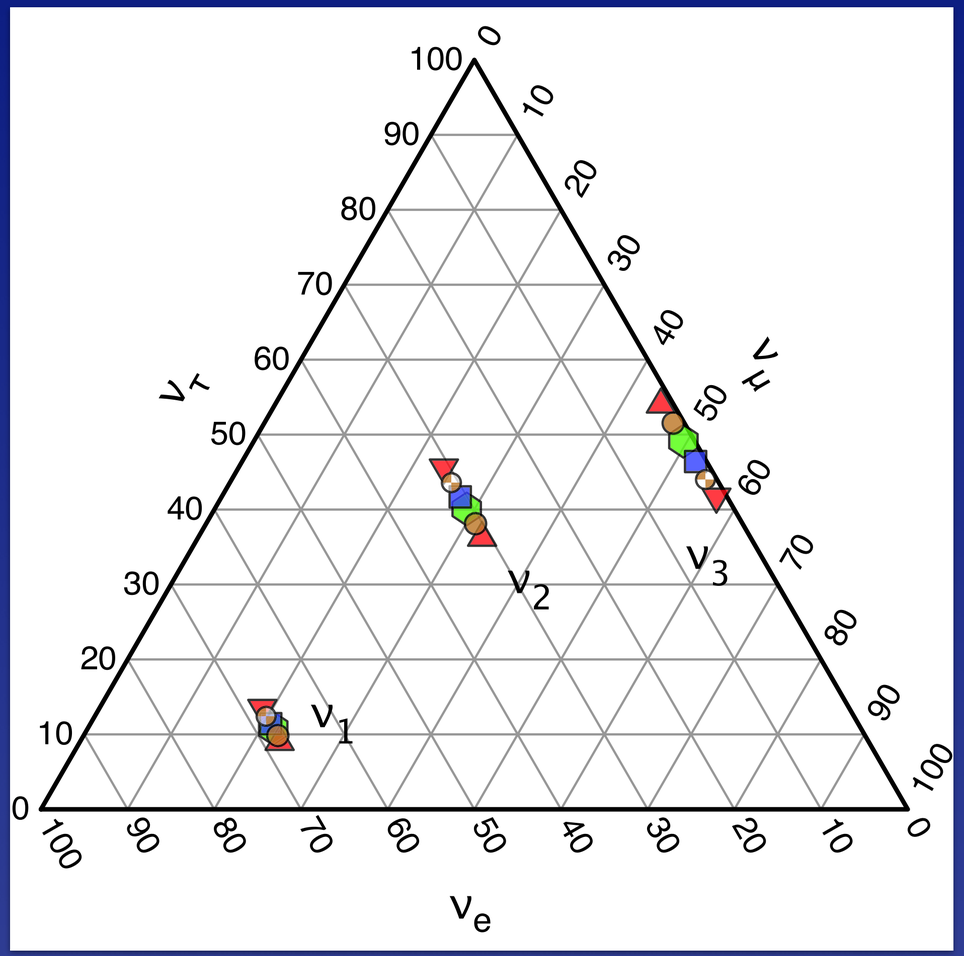


Before most-recent experiments

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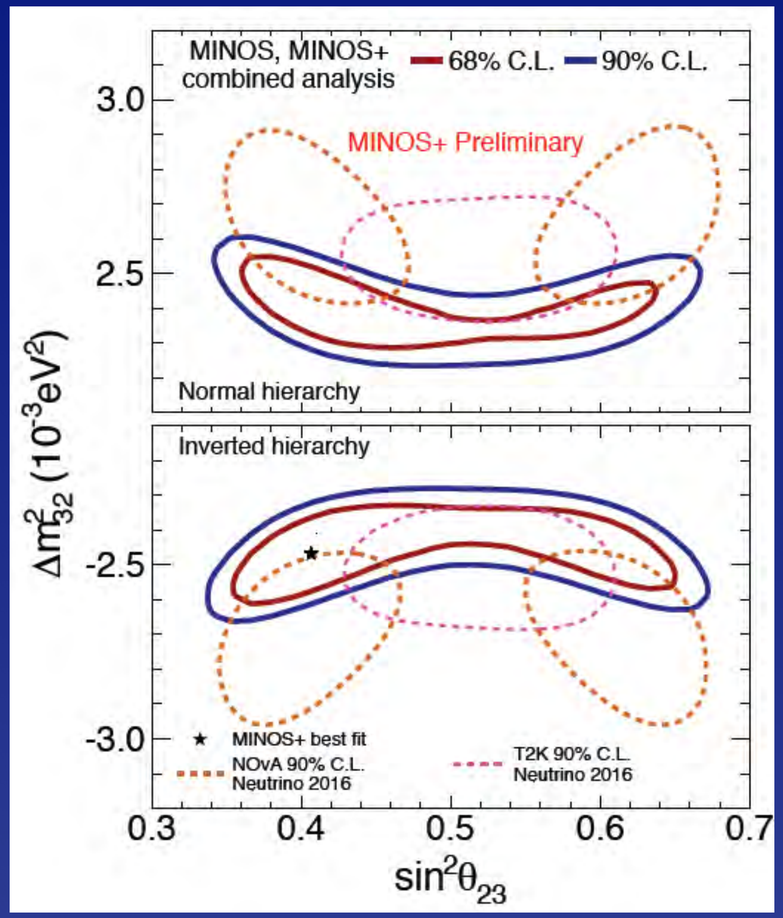


T2K favors maximal mixing, NOνA nonmaximal

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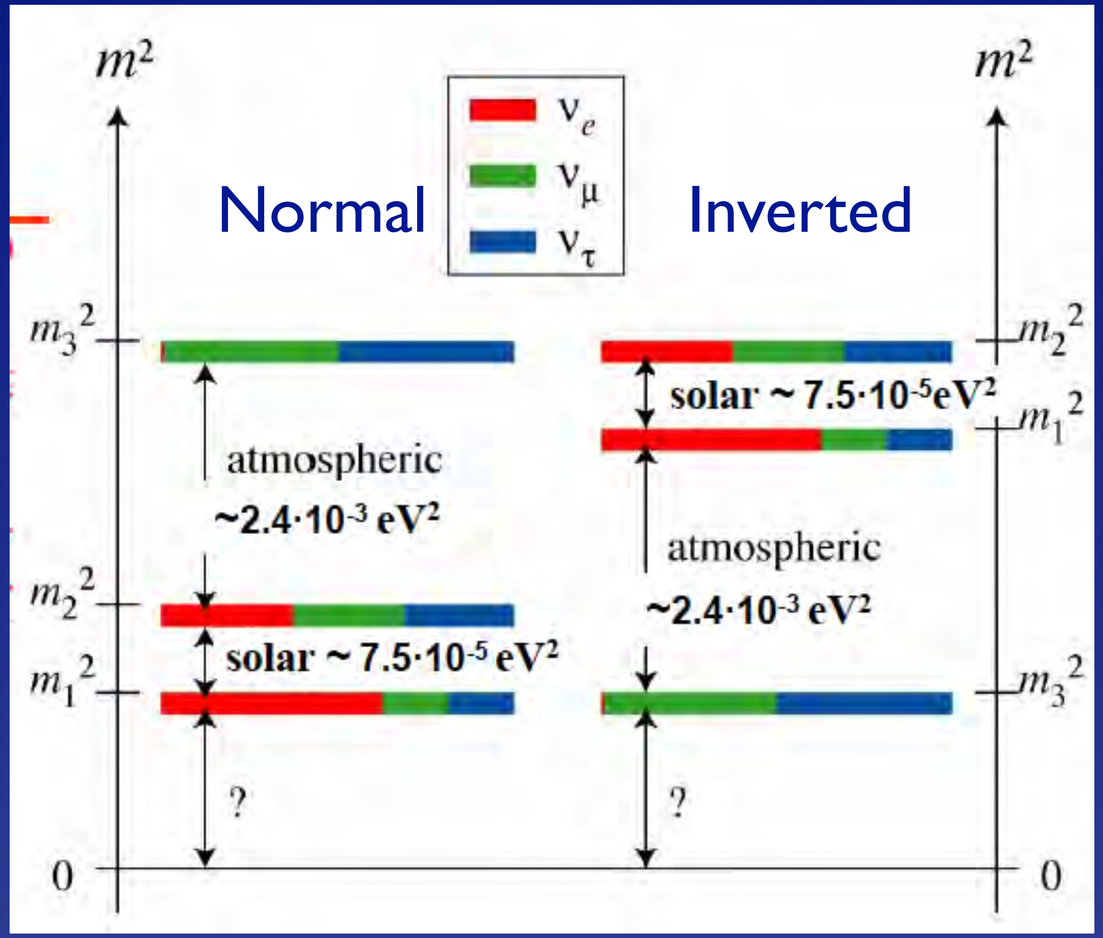


NOνA, T2K $\nu_e$ appearance *begin to hint* normal hierarchy

# Some outstanding questions in ν physics

CP Violation?

T2K disfavors $0 < \delta < \pi$ at 90% CL

NOνA shows some sensitivity

Are neutrinos Majorana particles?

Search for $(Z,A) \rightarrow (Z+2,A) + ee$: $\beta\beta_{0\nu}$

Do 3 light neutrinos suffice?

Are there light sterile ν?

Short baseline ν experiments test for light steriles

Might neutrinos decay?

Can we detect the cosmic ν background?

# Tabletop precision experiments

## Electric dipole moment $d_e$: CP/T violation

$|d_e| < 8.7 \times 10^{-29}$ e · cm

ACME Collaboration, ThO

$|d_e| < 1.3 \times 10^{-28}$ e · cm

NIST, trapped $^{180}Hf^{19}F^+$

(SM phases: $d_e < 10^{-38}$ e · cm)

# Tabletop precision experiments

## (Anti)proton magnetic moments: CPT test

$$\mu_{\bar{p}} = -\ 2.792\ 847\ 344\ 1(42)\ \mu_N$$

vs.

$$\mu_p = +\ 2.792\ 847\ 350\ (9)\ \mu_N$$

*BASE Collaboration @CERN Antiproton Decelerator*

# Accelerator and magnet R&D

HE-LHC (x2 in energy) requires ~15 T magnets:

NbTi → $Nb_3Sn$ …

Nuclear & particle physics consider e(p,A)

electron positron, circular or linear Higgs factory

high-energy lepton collider

*More attention to neutrino factory*

# Issues for the Future *(Starting now!)*

1. *There is a Higgs boson!* Might there be several?
2. Does the Higgs boson regulate *WW* scattering?
3. Is the Higgs boson elementary or composite? How does it interact with itself? What triggers EWSB?
4. Does the Higgs boson give mass to fermions, or only to the weak bosons? What sets the masses and mixings of the quarks and leptons? *(How) is fermion mass related to the electroweak scale?*
5. Are there new flavor symmetries that give insights into fermion masses and mixings?
6. What stabilizes the Higgs-boson mass below 1 TeV?

# Issues for the Future (Now!)

7. Do the different CC behaviors of LH, RH fermions reflect a fundamental asymmetry in nature's laws?
8. What will be the next symmetry we recognize? Are there additional heavy gauge bosons? Is nature supersymmetric? Is EW theory contained in a GUT?
9. Are all flavor-changing interactions governed by the standard-model Yukawa couplings? Does "minimal flavor violation" hold? If so, why? At what scale?
10. Are there additional sequential quark & lepton generations? Or new exotic (vector-like) fermions?
11. What resolves the strong CP problem?

# Issues for the Future (Now!)

12. What are the dark matters? Any flavor structure?
13. Is EWSB an emergent phenomenon connected with strong dynamics? How would that alter our conception of unified theories of the strong, weak, and electromagnetic interactions?
14. Is EWSB related to gravity through extra spacetime dimensions?
15. What resolves the vacuum energy problem?
16. (When we understand the origin of EWSB), what lessons does EWSB hold for unified theories? … for inflation? … for dark energy?

# Issues for the Future (Now!)

17. What explains the baryon asymmetry of the universe? Are there new (CC) CP-violating phases?
18. Are there new flavor-preserving phases? What would observation, or more stringent limits, on electric-dipole moments imply for BSM theories?
19. (How) are quark-flavor dynamics and lepton-flavor dynamics related (beyond the gauge interactions)?
20. At what scale are the neutrino masses set? Do they speak to the TeV, unification, Planck scale, …?
21. Could our laws of nature be environmental?

22. How are we prisoners of conventional thinking?