

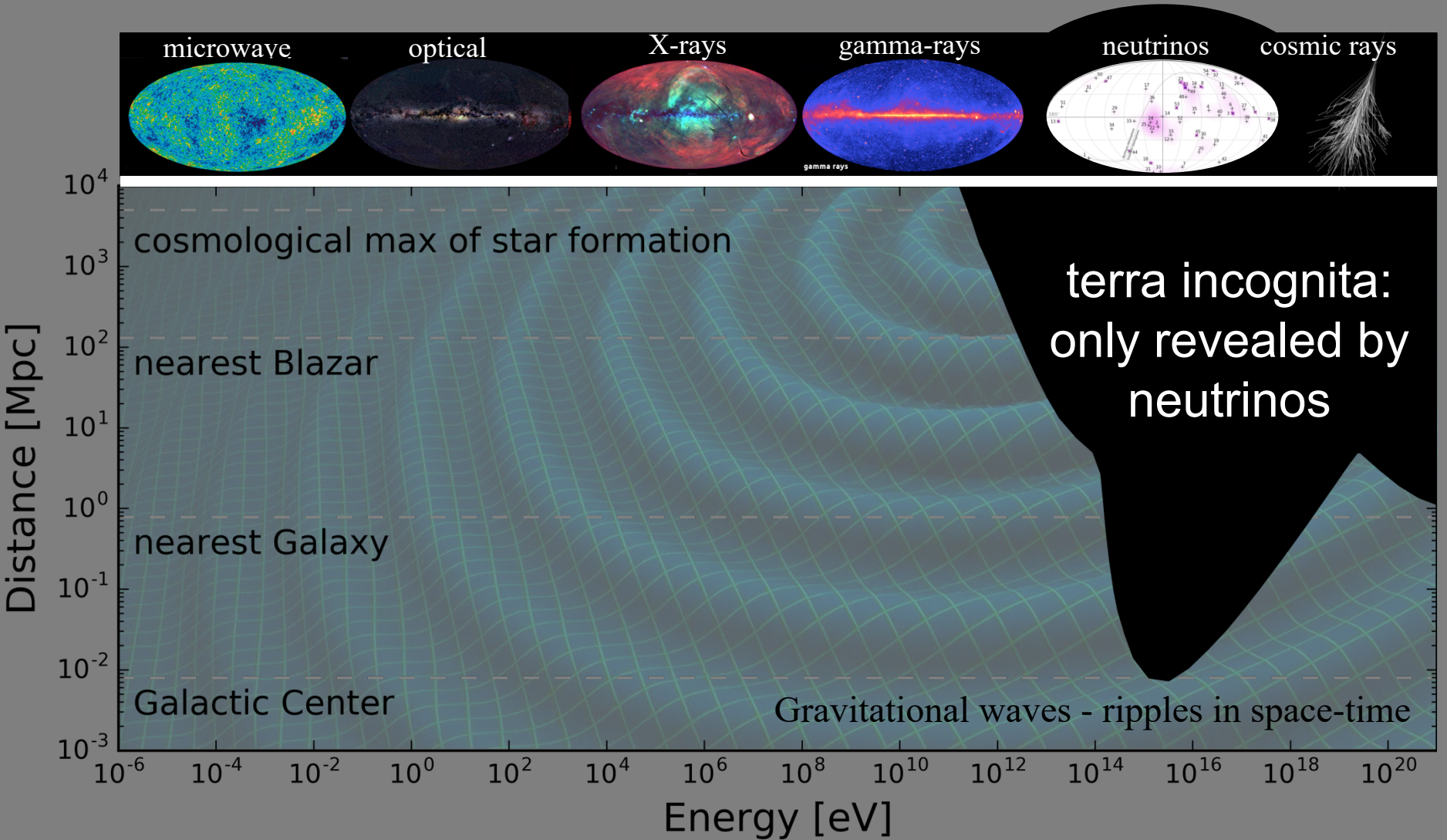
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## IceCube: the discovery of cosmic neutrinos francis halzen

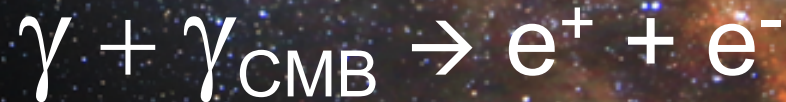
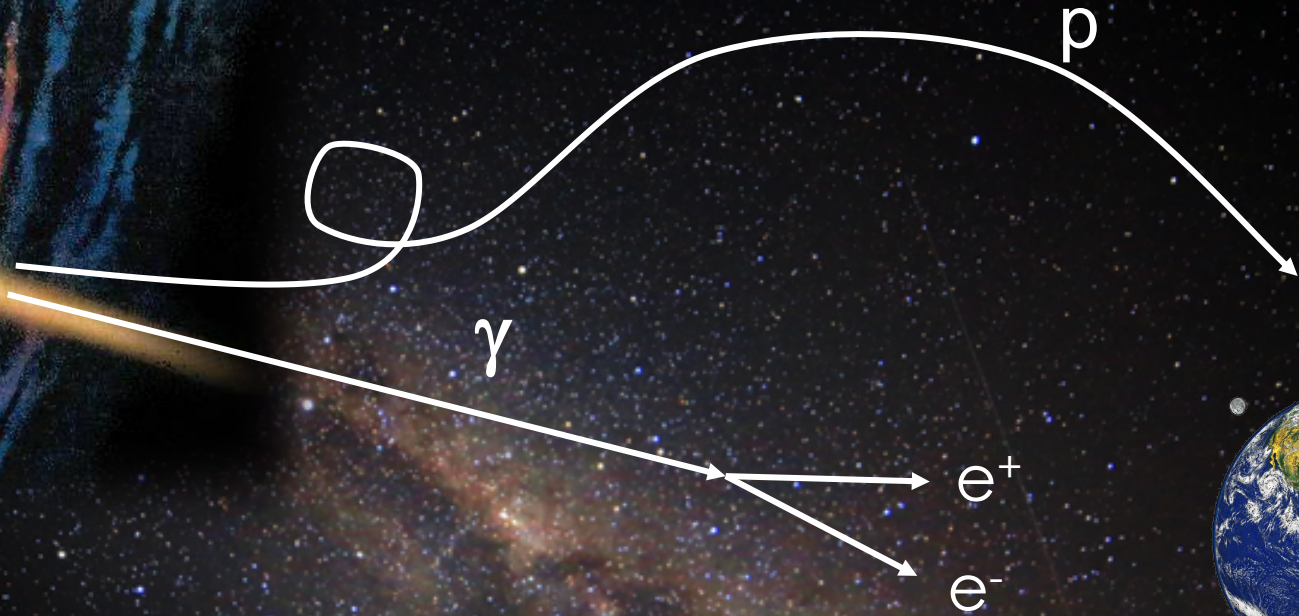
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# highest energy “radiation” from the Universe: neutrinos and cosmic rays



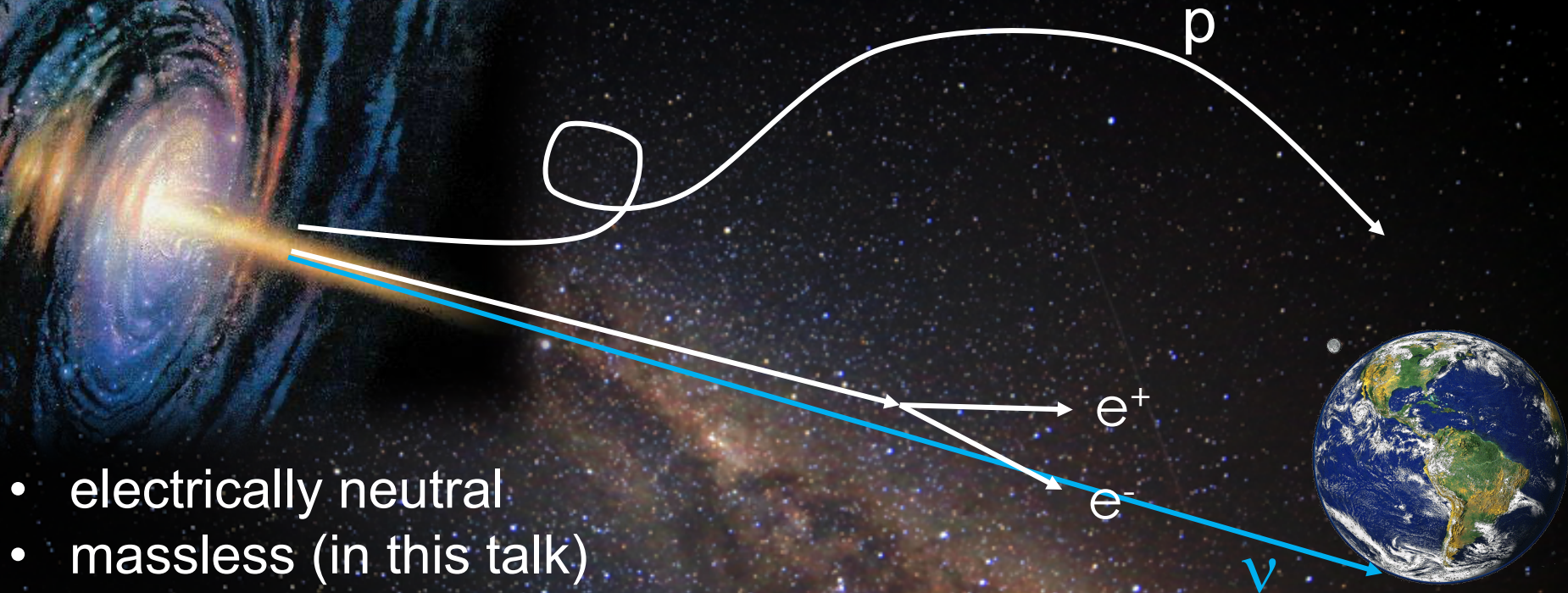
Universe is opaque above  $\sim 100$  TeV energy

# The opaque Universe

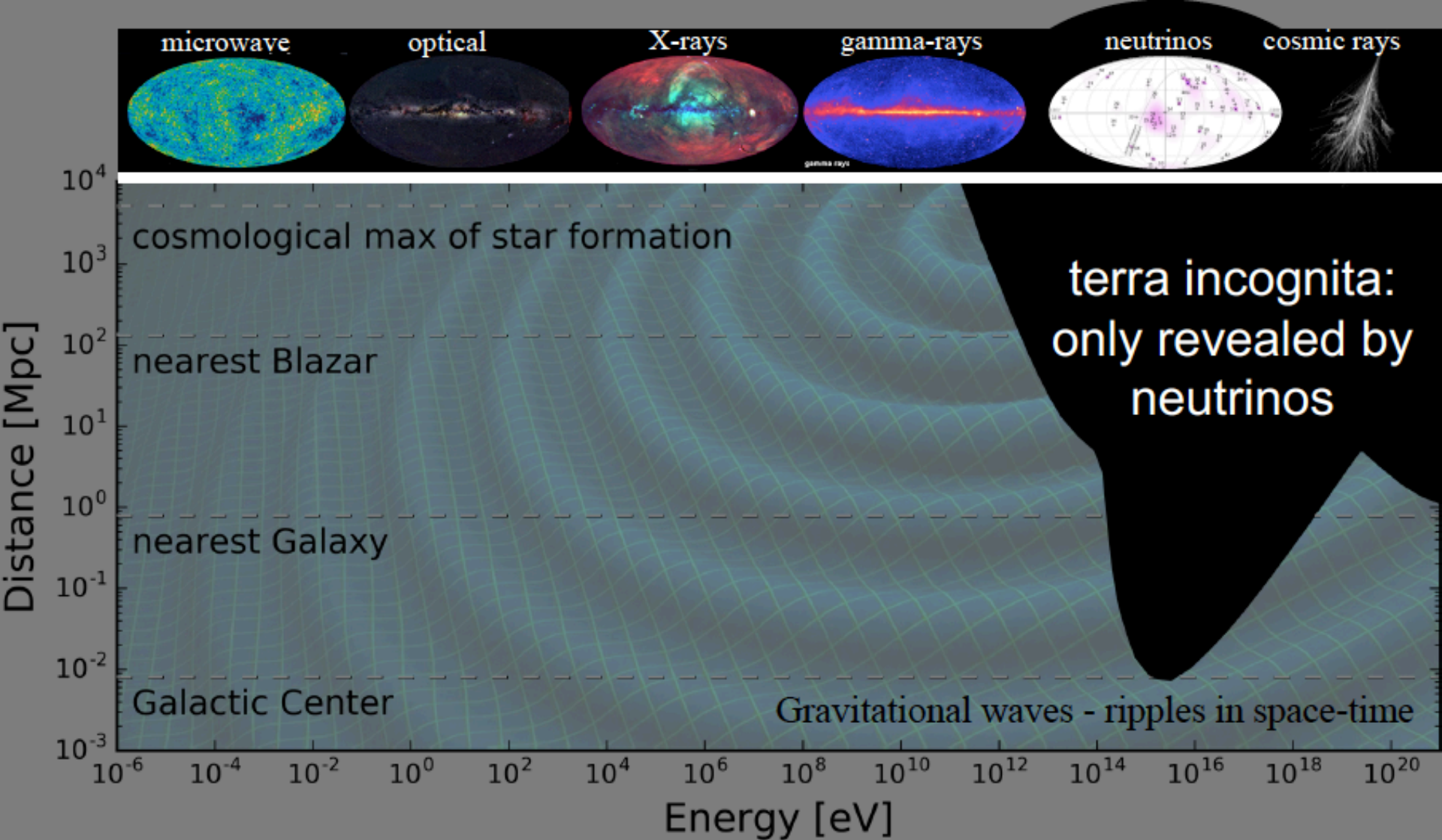


PeV photons interact with microwave photons  
( $411/\text{cm}^3$ ) before reaching our telescopes  
enter: neutrinos

# Neutrinos? Perfect Messenger



- electrically neutral
- massless (in this talk)
- unabsorbed
- tracks protons (that produce pions that decay into neutrinos)
- reveal the sources of cosmic rays
- ... but difficult to detect

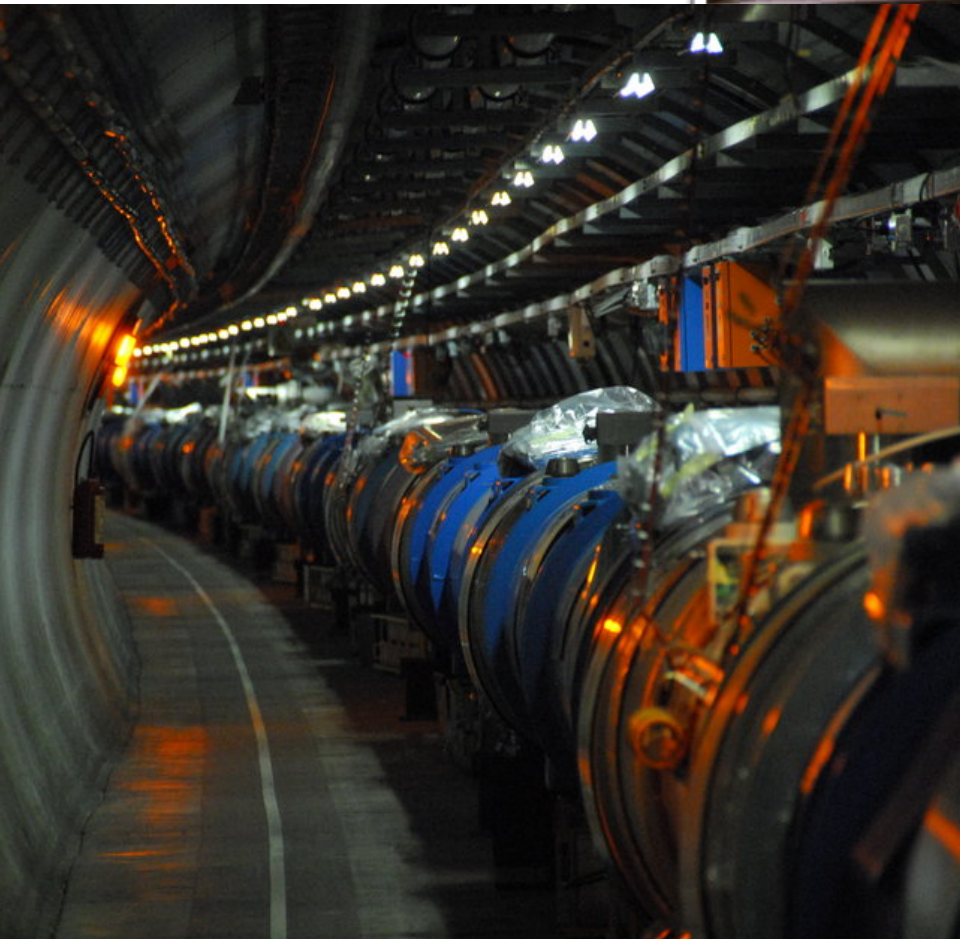


- the extreme Universe is opaque to the EM spectrum
- non-thermal Universe powered by cosmic accelerators
- probed by gravitational waves and neutrinos

# highest energy radiation from the Universe: protons!

high energy  
high luminosity

LHC accelerator should have circumference  
of Mercury orbit to reach  $10^{20}$  eV!

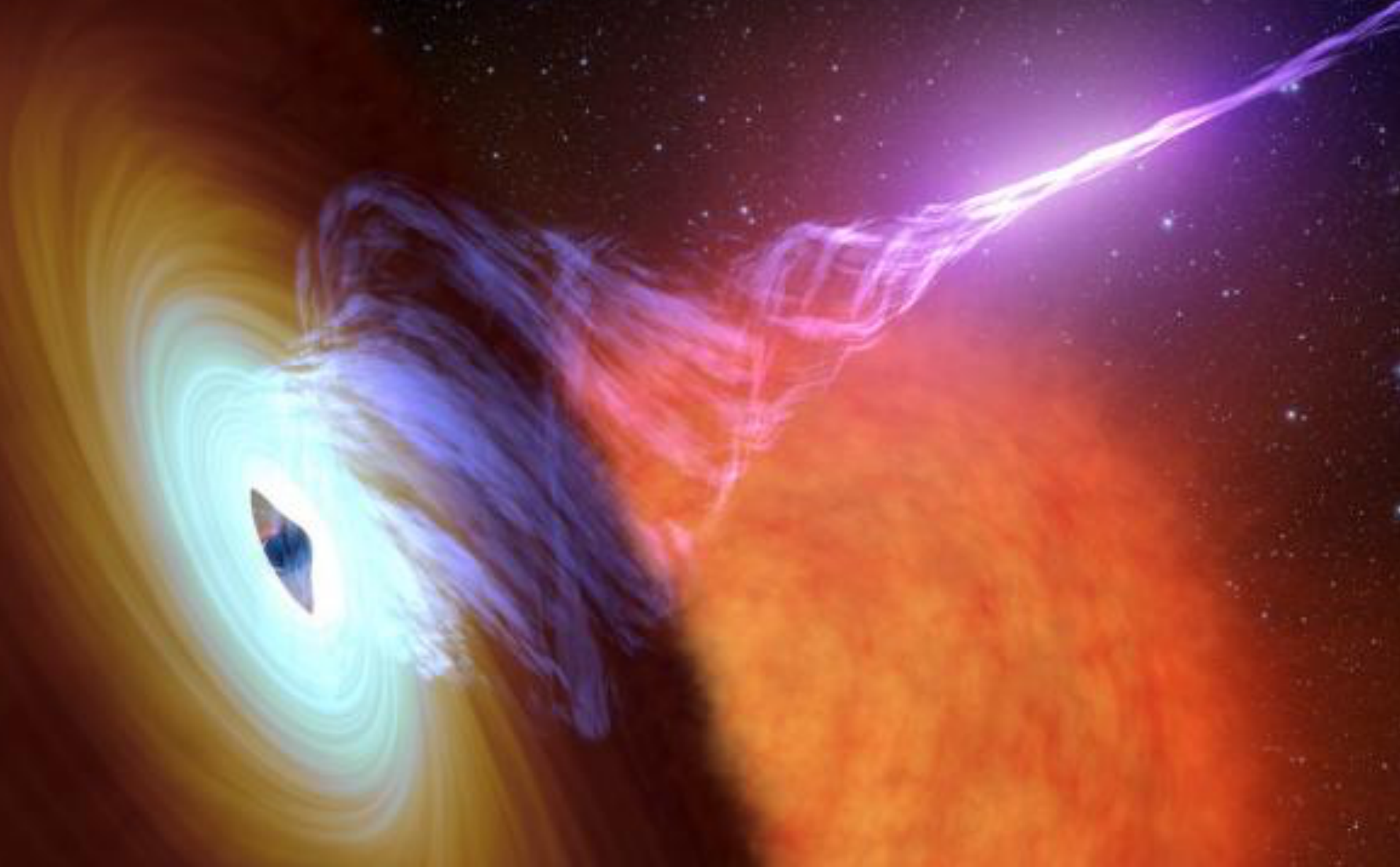


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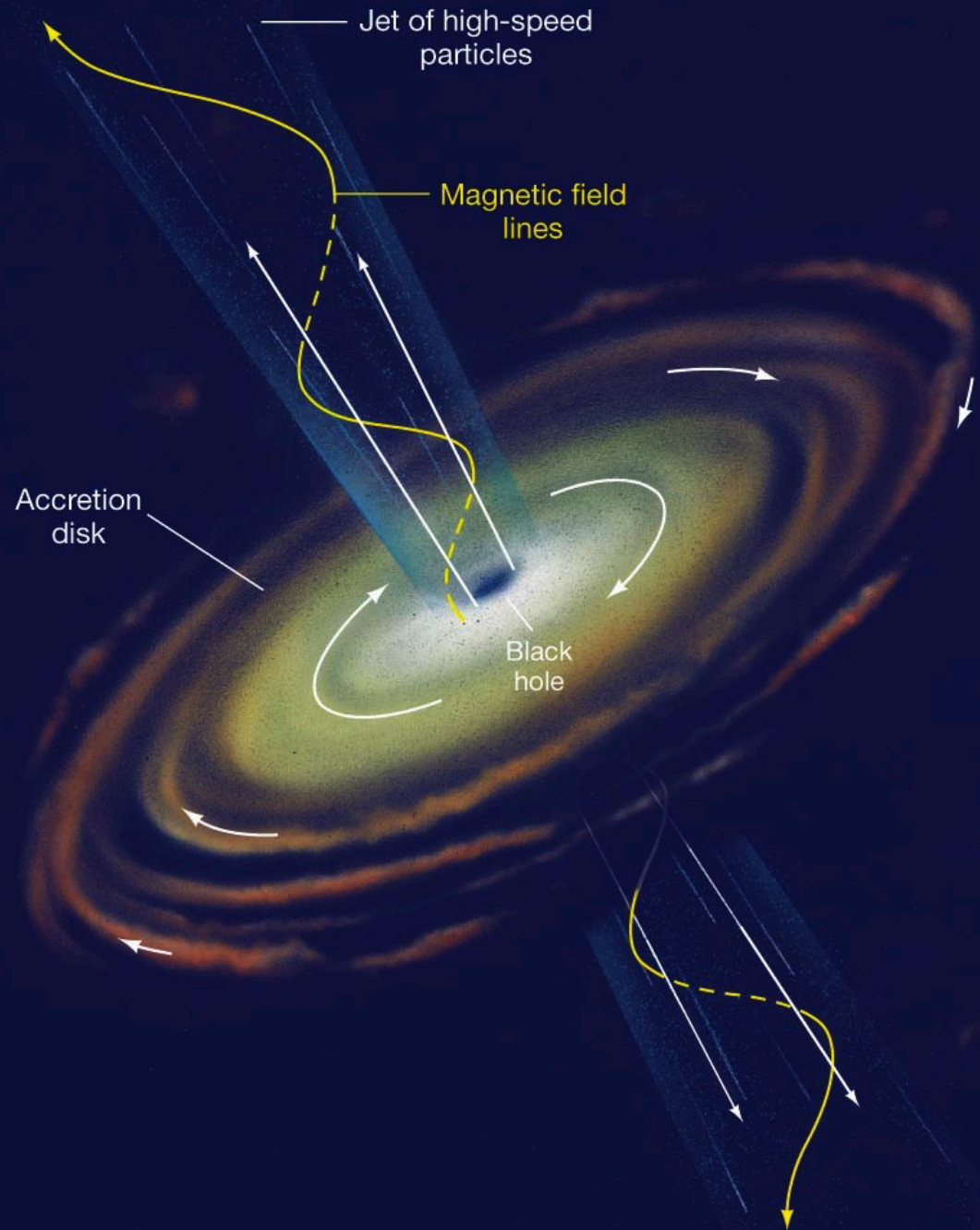
Fly's Eye 1991

300,000,000 TeV

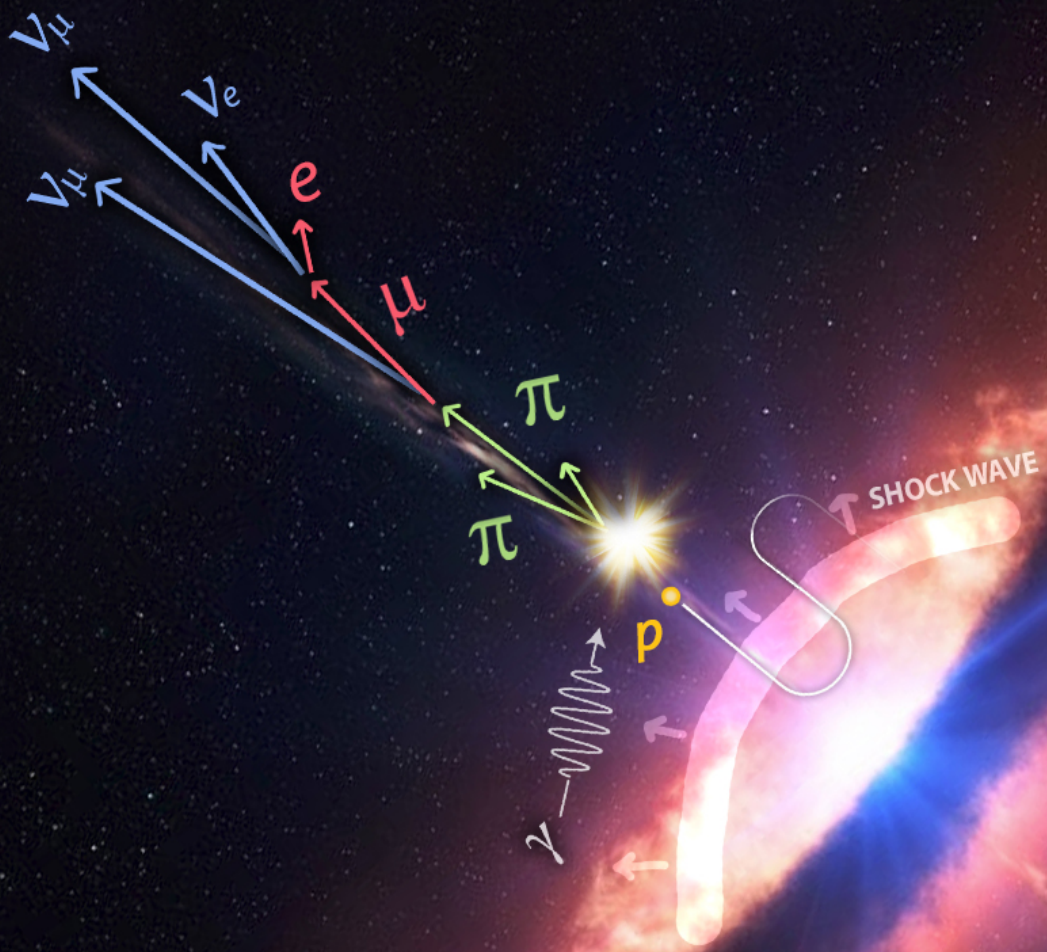
some of the matter falling into a supermassive black hole is accelerated in a jet along its rotation axis



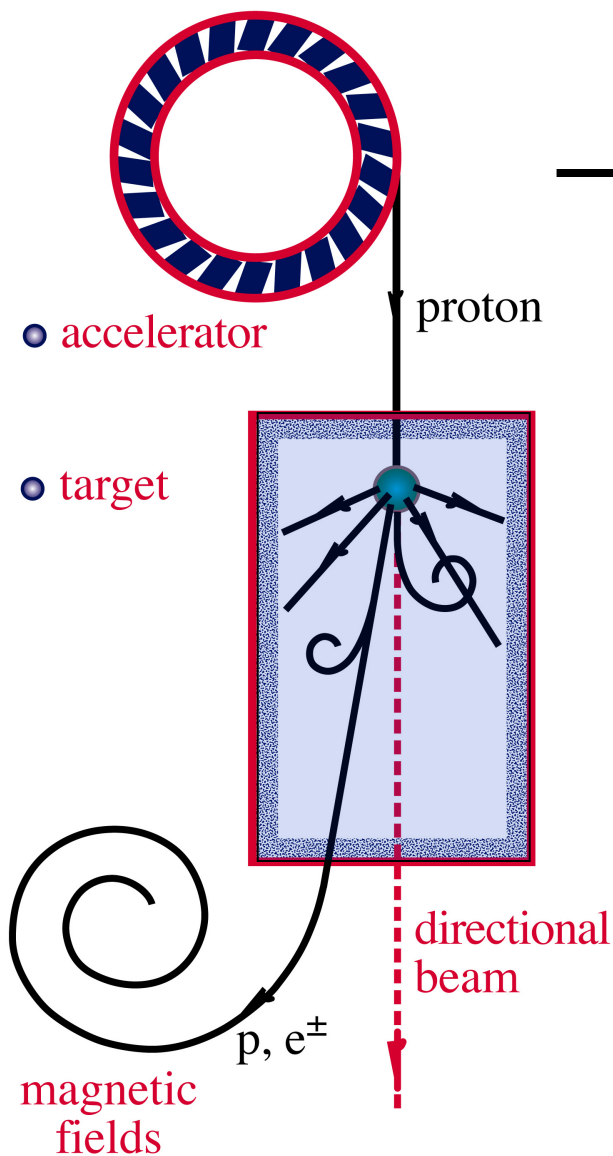
- fast spinning infalling matter comes in contact with rotating black hole
- spacetime around spinning black hole drags on the field winding it into a tight cone around the rotation axes
- plasma from the accretion disk is then flung out along these lines







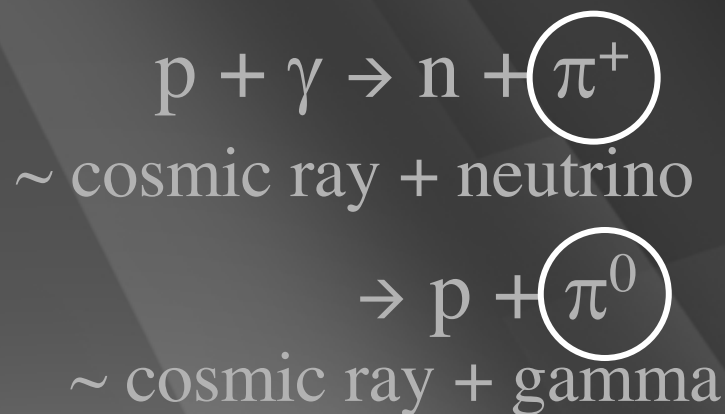
# $\nu$ and $\gamma$ beams : heaven and earth



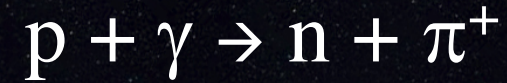
accelerator is powered by large gravitational energy

→ **supermassive black hole**

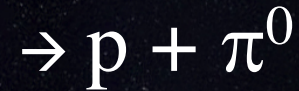
→ **nearby radiation**



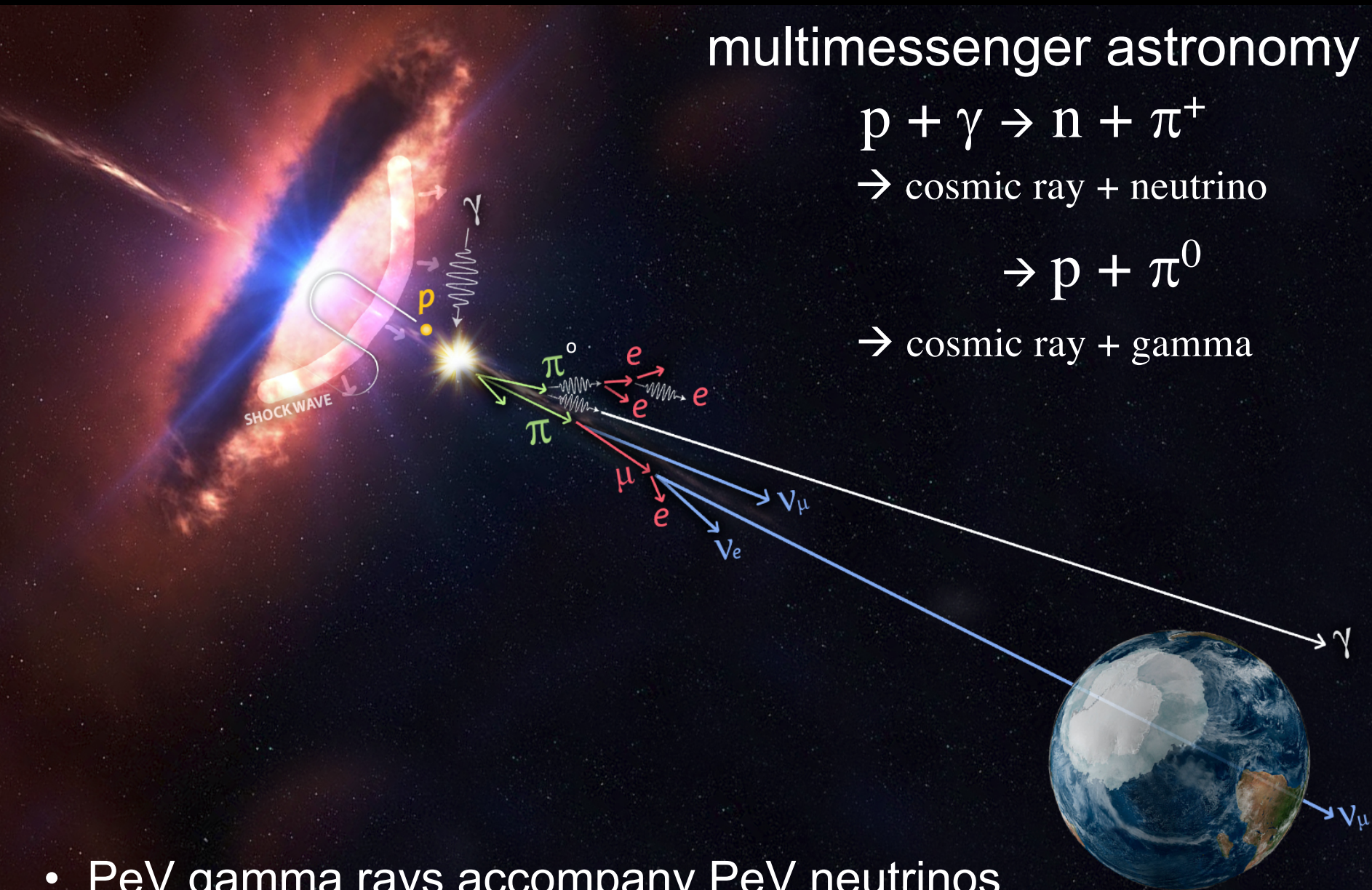
# multimessenger astronomy



→ cosmic ray + neutrino

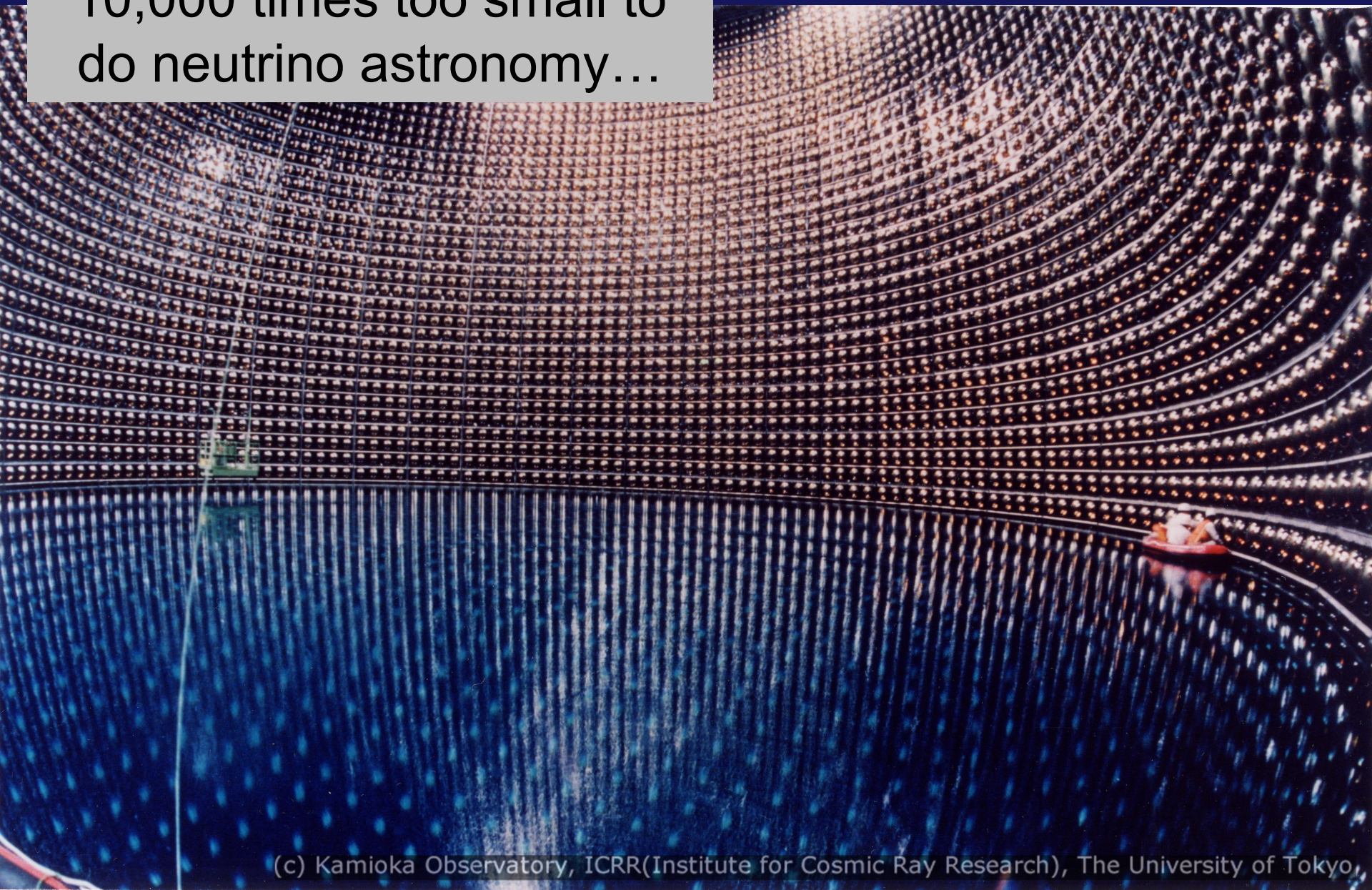


→ cosmic ray + gamma

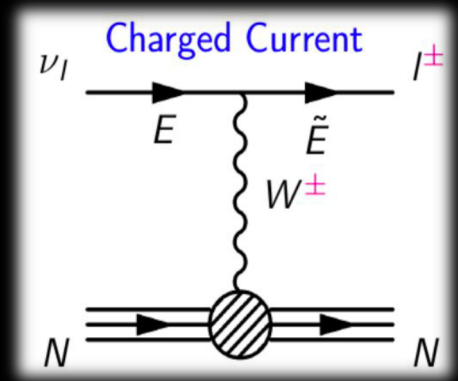
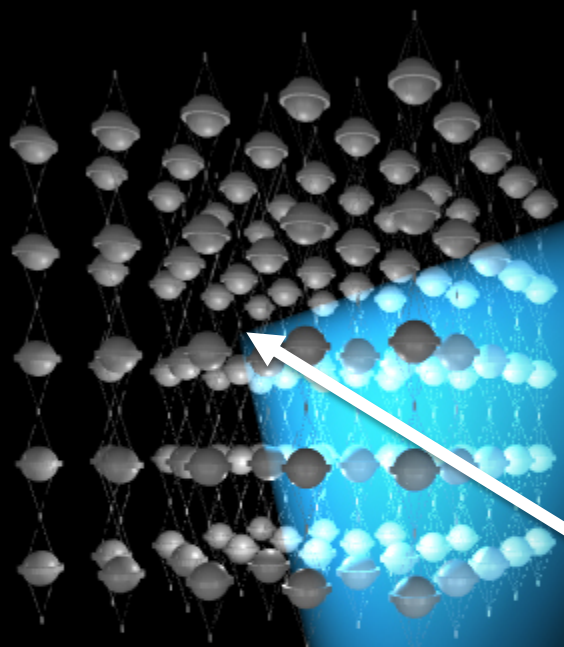


- PeV gamma rays accompany PeV neutrinos
- PeV gamma rays are absorbed by CMB photons

10,000 times too small to  
do neutrino astronomy...



(c) Kamioka Observatory, ICRR(Institute for Cosmic Ray Research), The University of Tokyo,



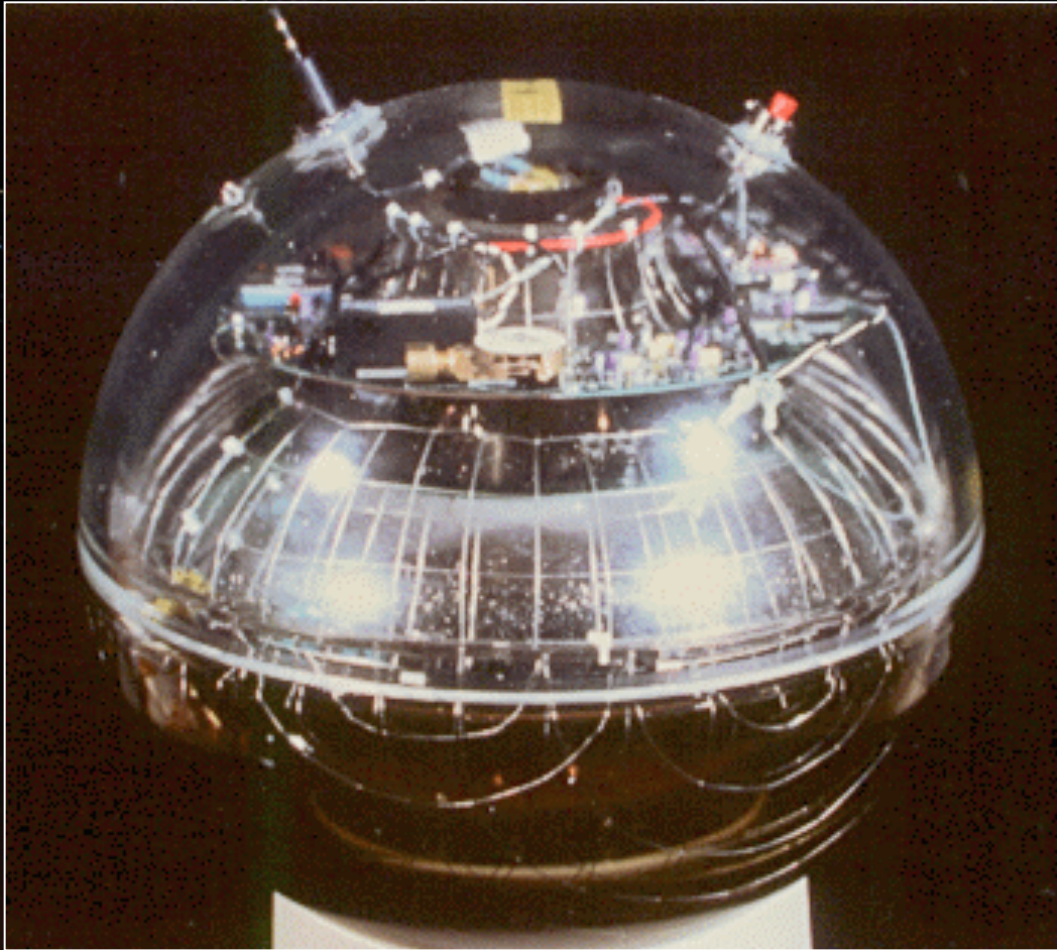
a muon neutrino produces a muon  
with a range of kilometers

• lattice of photomultipliers

neutrino

# standing on the shoulder of giants

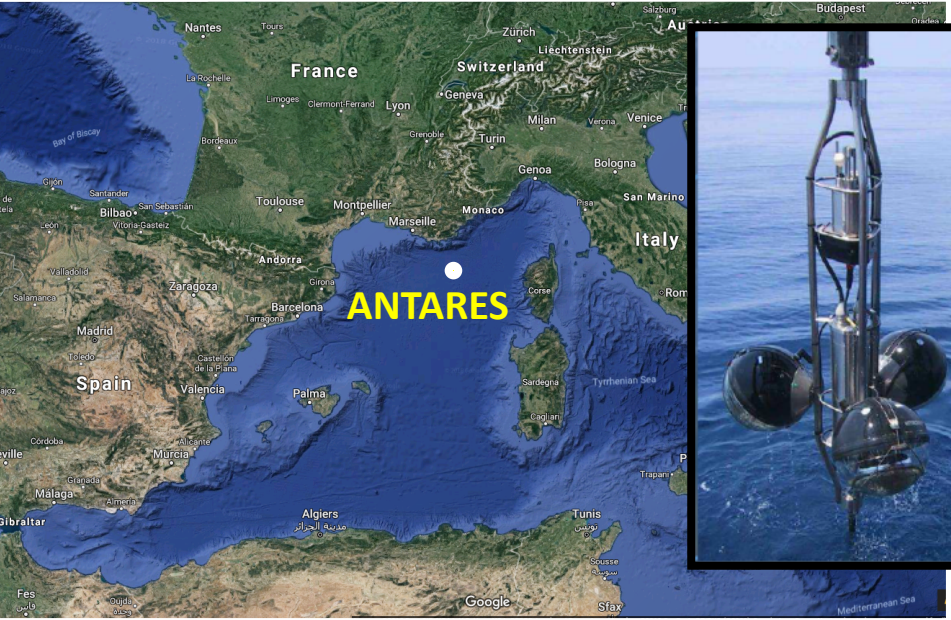
1987: DUMAND test string



... success with Baikal and Antares

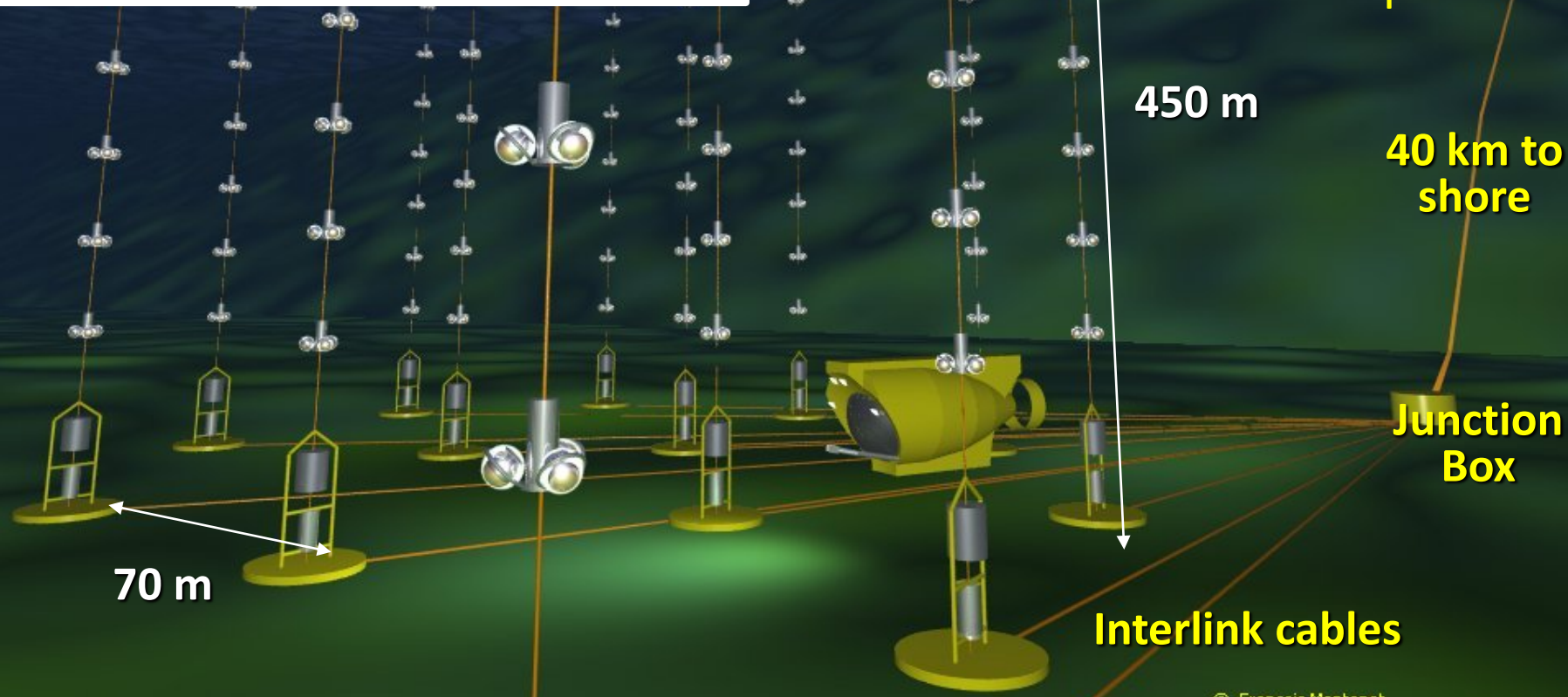
Lake Baikal experiment reaches  $\sim 0.5 \text{ km}^3$





# ANTARES

- Running since 2007
- 885 10" PMTs
- 12 lines
- 25 storeys/line
- 3 PMTs / storey
- 2500 m deep



450 m

40 km to shore

Junction Box

70 m

Interlink cables



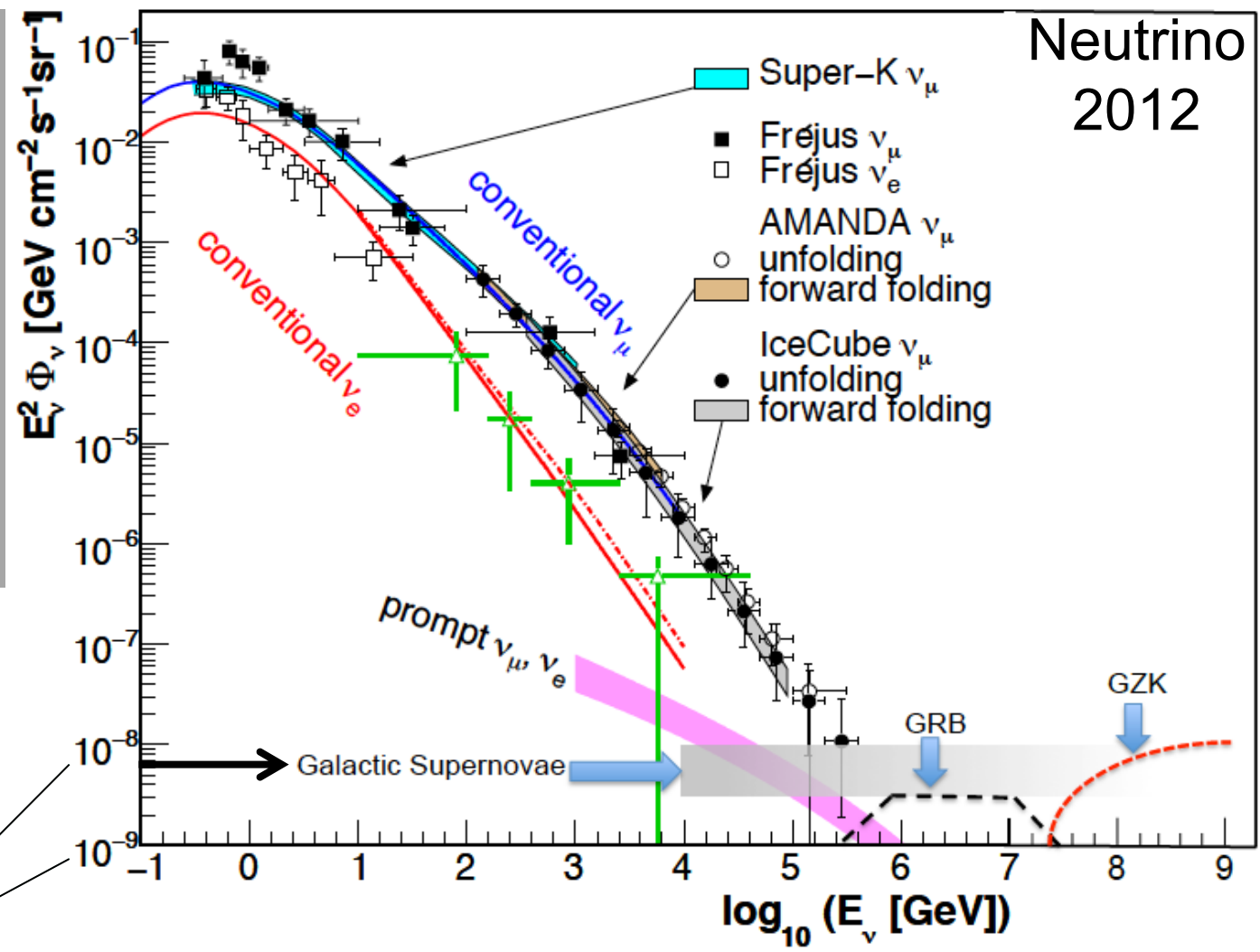
# Neutrino 2012

above 100 TeV

- cosmic neutrinos
- atmospheric background disappears

$$dN/dE \sim E^{-2}$$

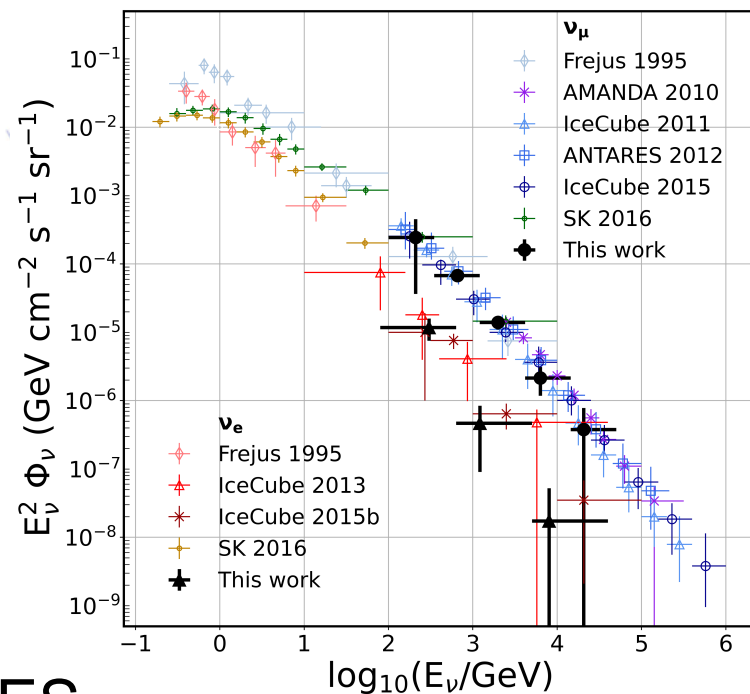
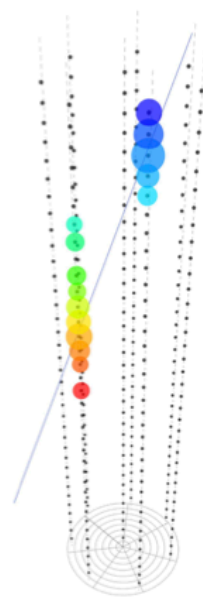
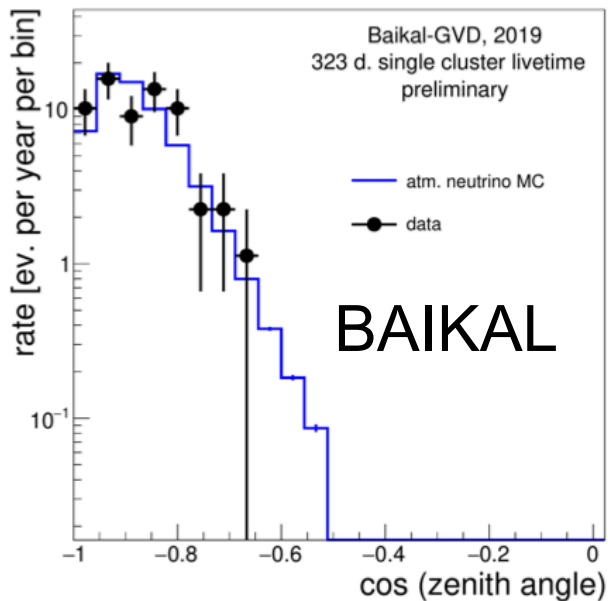
10—100 events per year for fully efficient detector



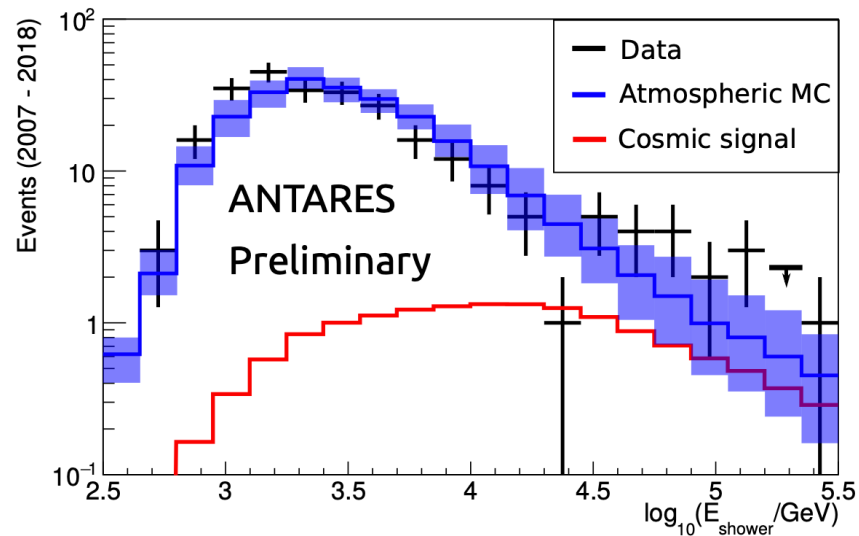
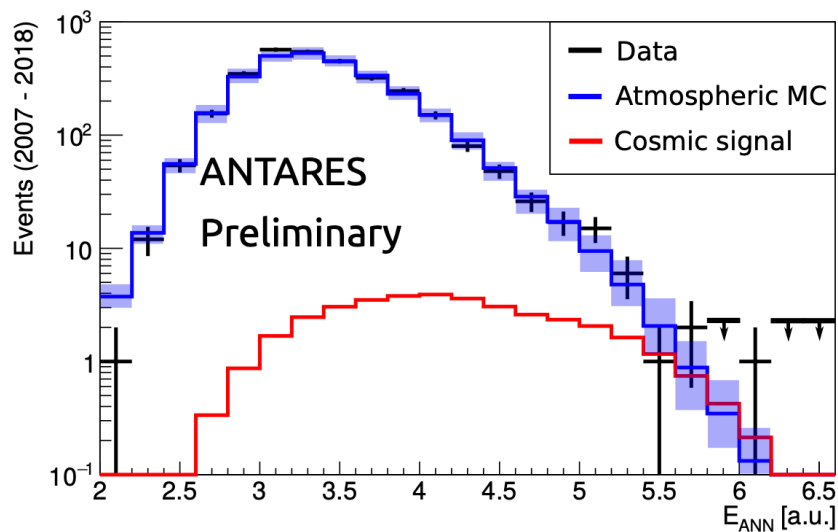
atmospheric

cosmic

100 TeV

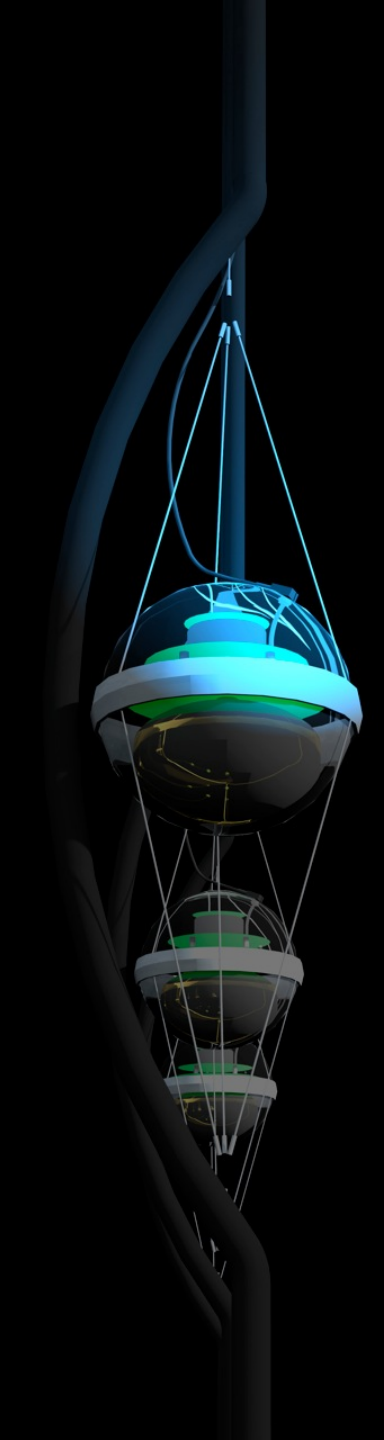


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ultra-transparent ice below 1.35 km

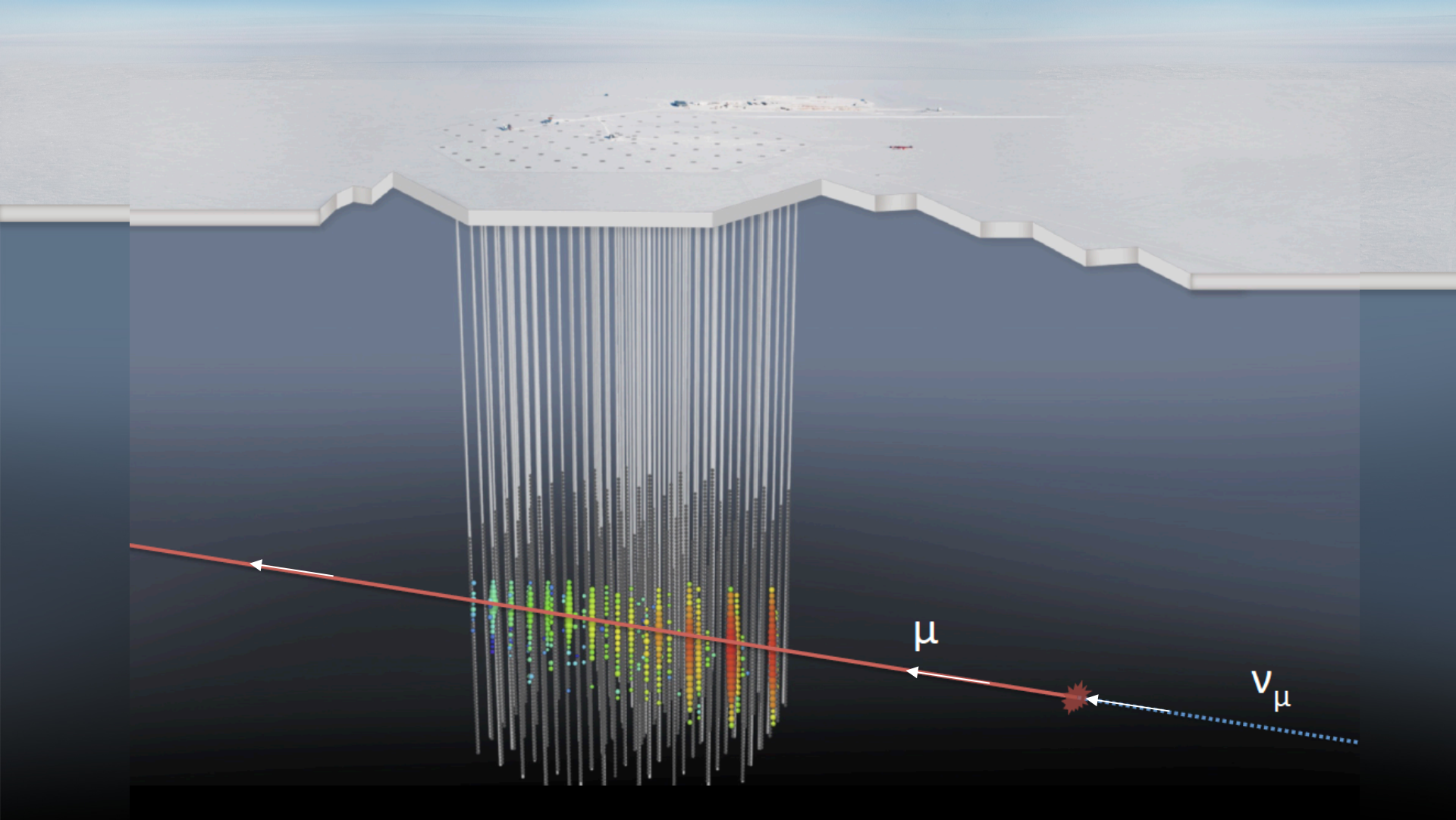


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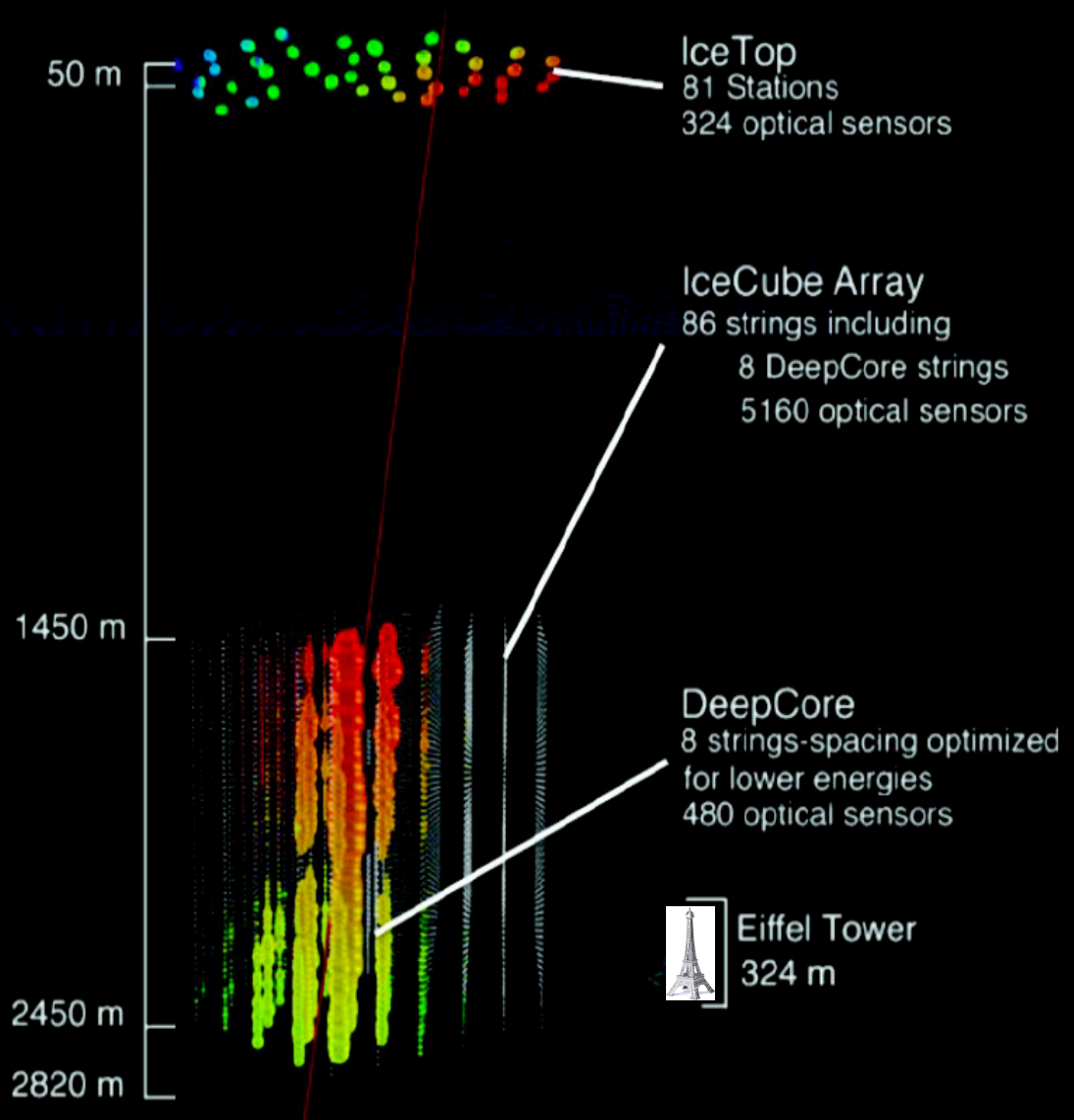
instrument 1 cubic kilometer of natural ice below 1.45 km



# the IceCube Neutrino Observatory



5160 DOMs  
instrumenting 1 km<sup>3</sup>  
(1 GT) of clear ice  
2 ns time resolution



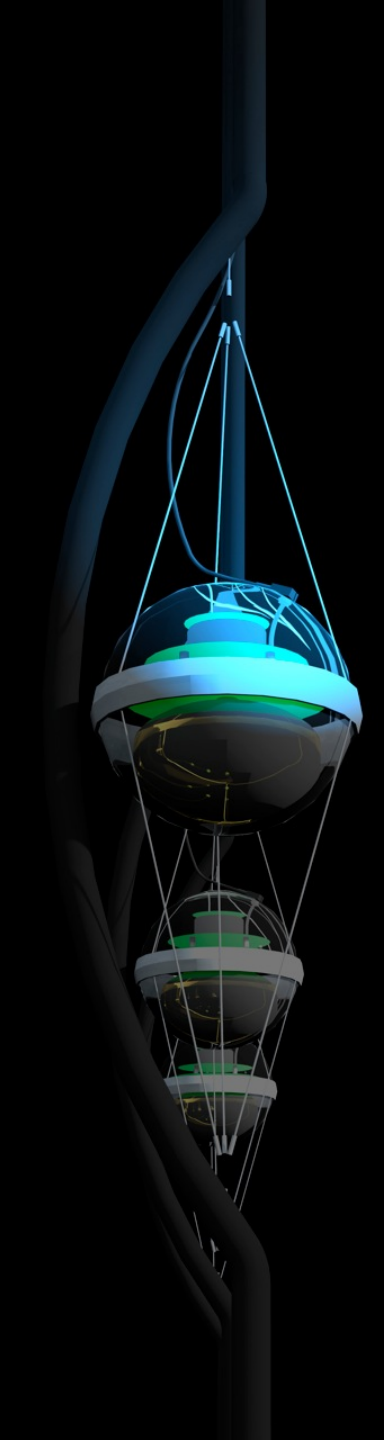
# signal and background

muons detected per year:

- atmospheric\*  $\mu$   $\sim 10^{11}$
- atmospheric\*\*  $\nu \rightarrow \mu$   $> 10^5$
- cosmic  $\nu \rightarrow \mu$   $> 120$

\* 3000 per second

\*\* 1 every 5 minutes



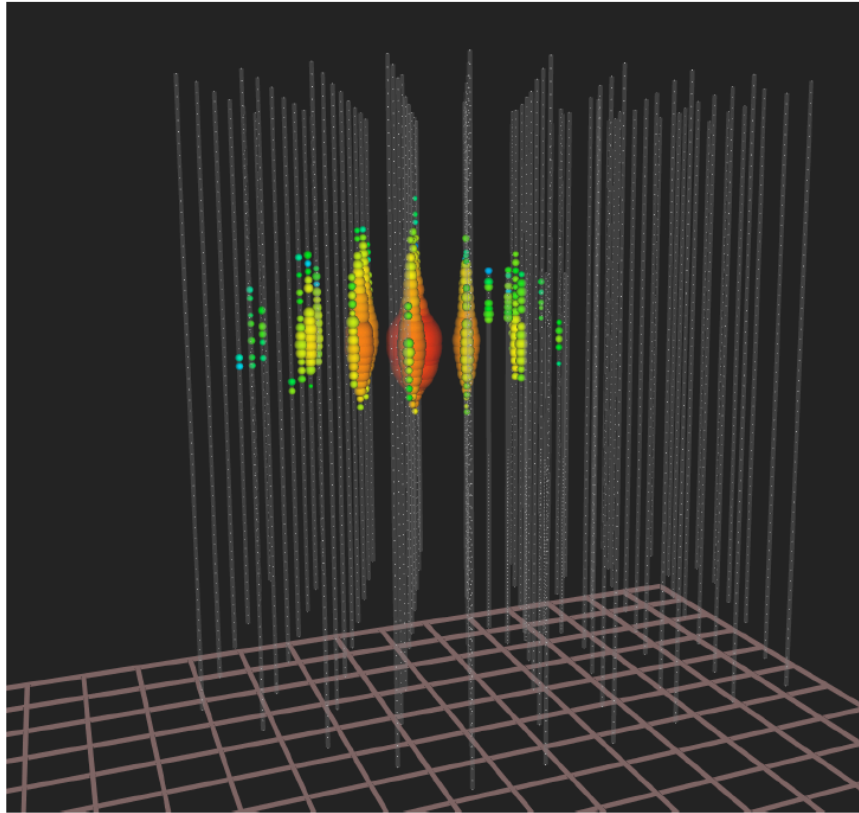
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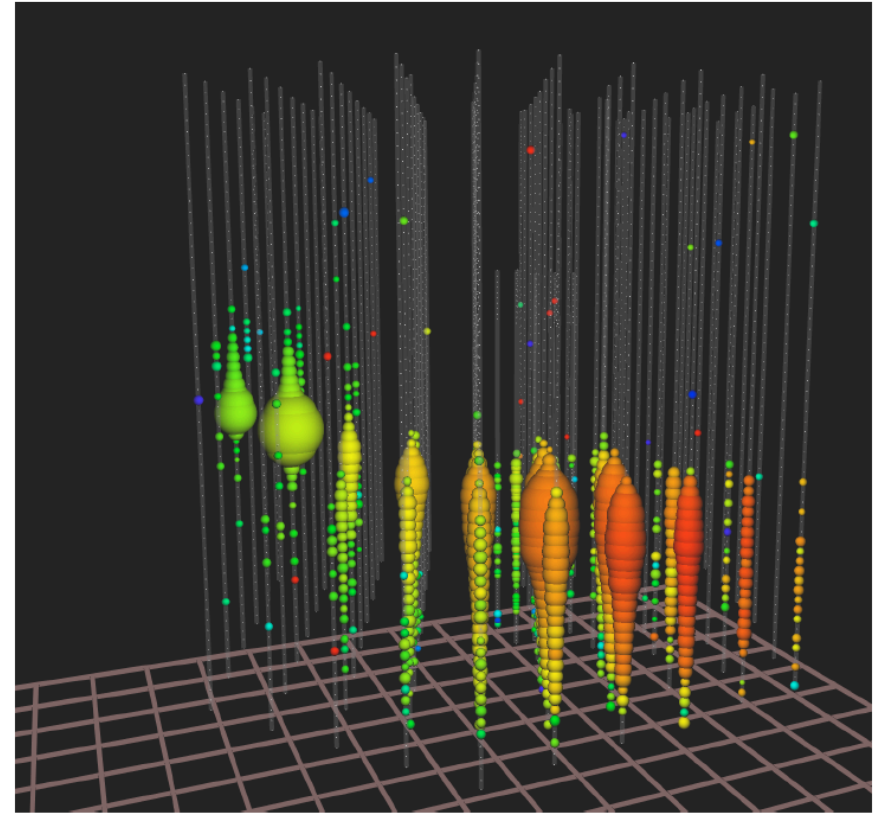
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neutrinos interacting  
inside the detector

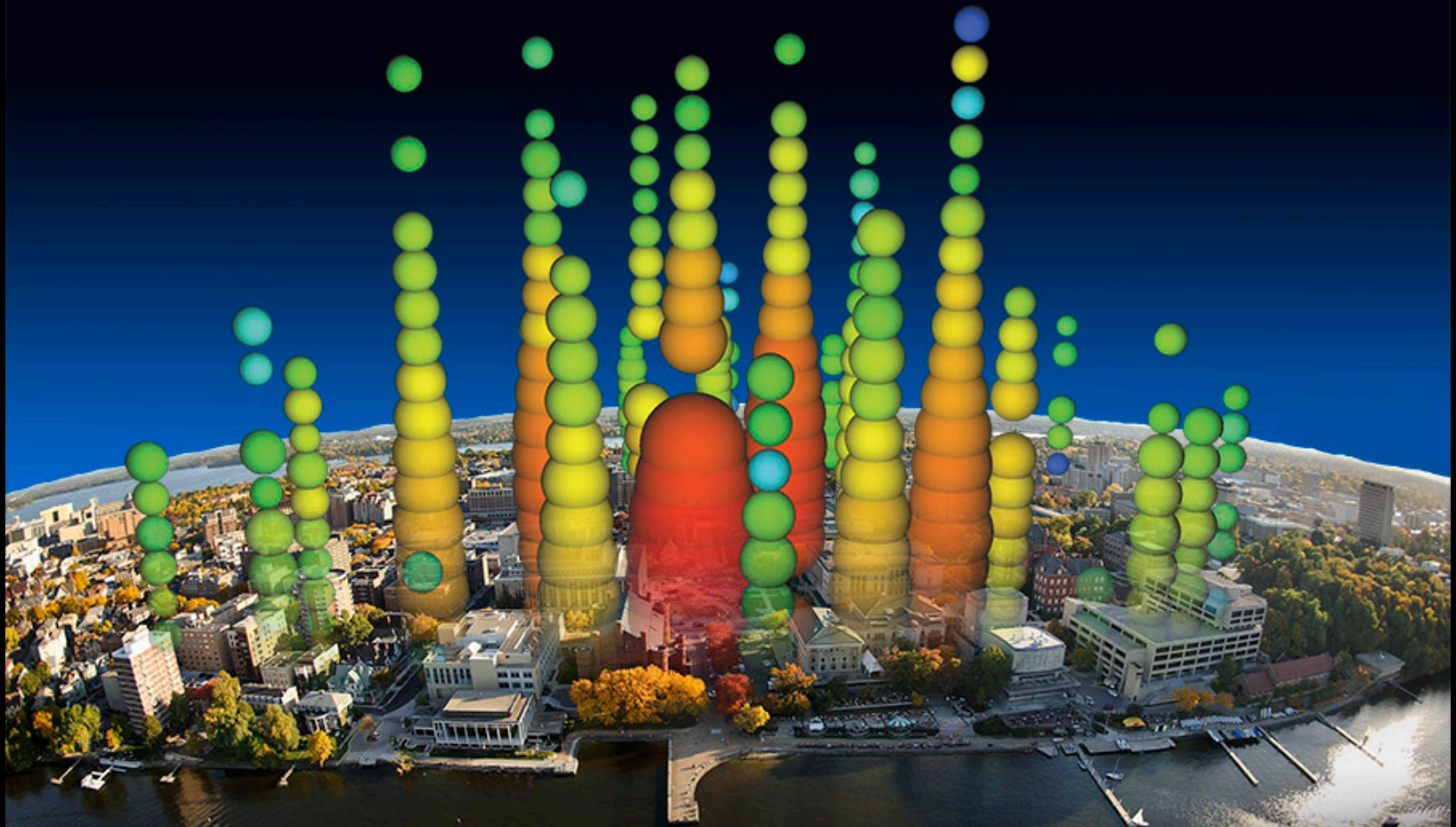


muon neutrinos  
filtered by the Earth



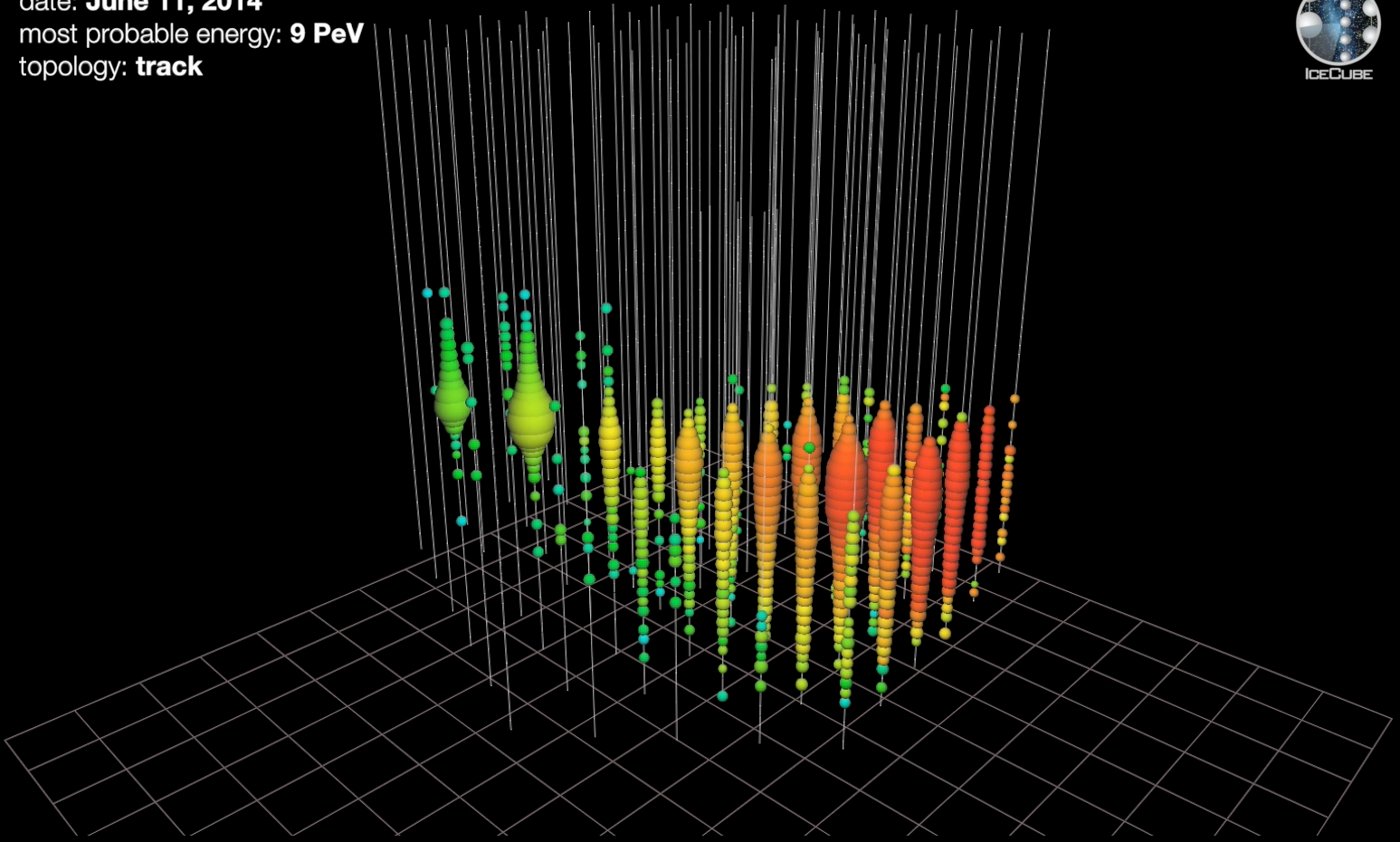
total energy measurement  
to 10%, all flavors, all sky

astronomy: angular resolution  
superior ( $0.2\sim 0.4^\circ$ )



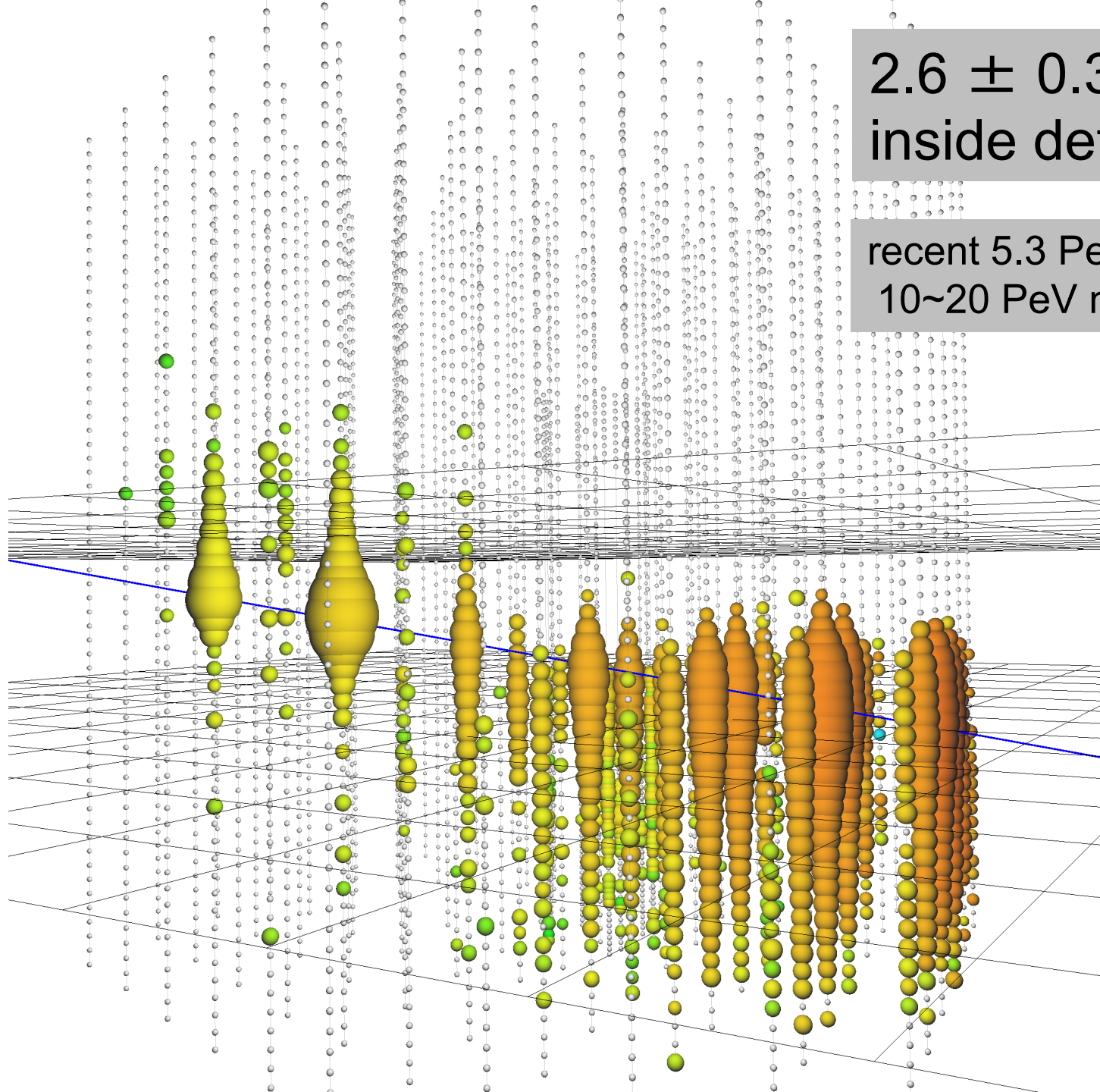
Cherenkov radiation from PeV electron (tau) shower  
> 300 sensors > 100,000 pe reconstructed to 2 nsec

date: **June 11, 2014**  
most probable energy: **9 PeV**  
topology: **track**

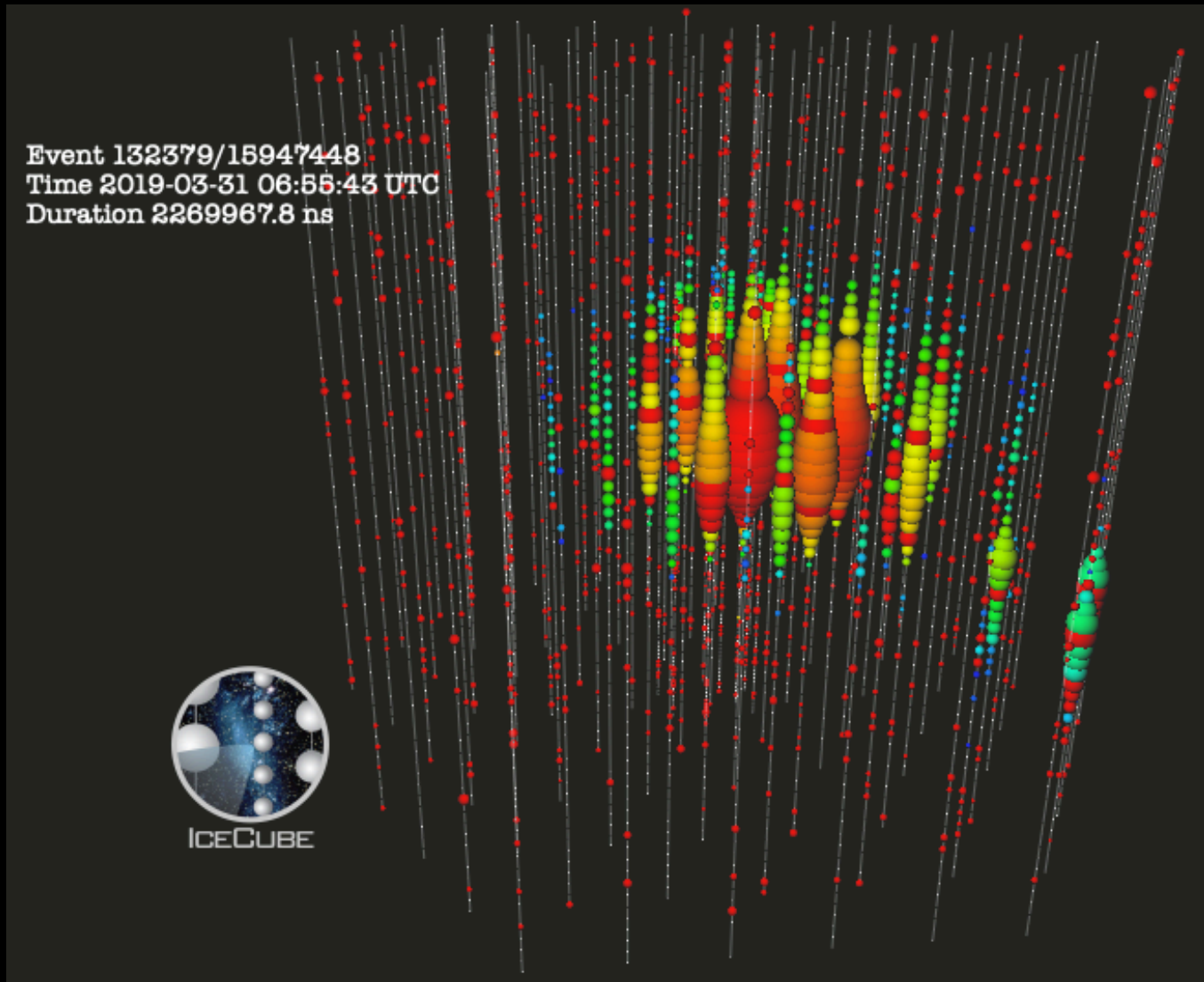


$2.6 \pm 0.3$  PeV  
inside detector

recent 5.3 PeV event  
10~20 PeV neutrino



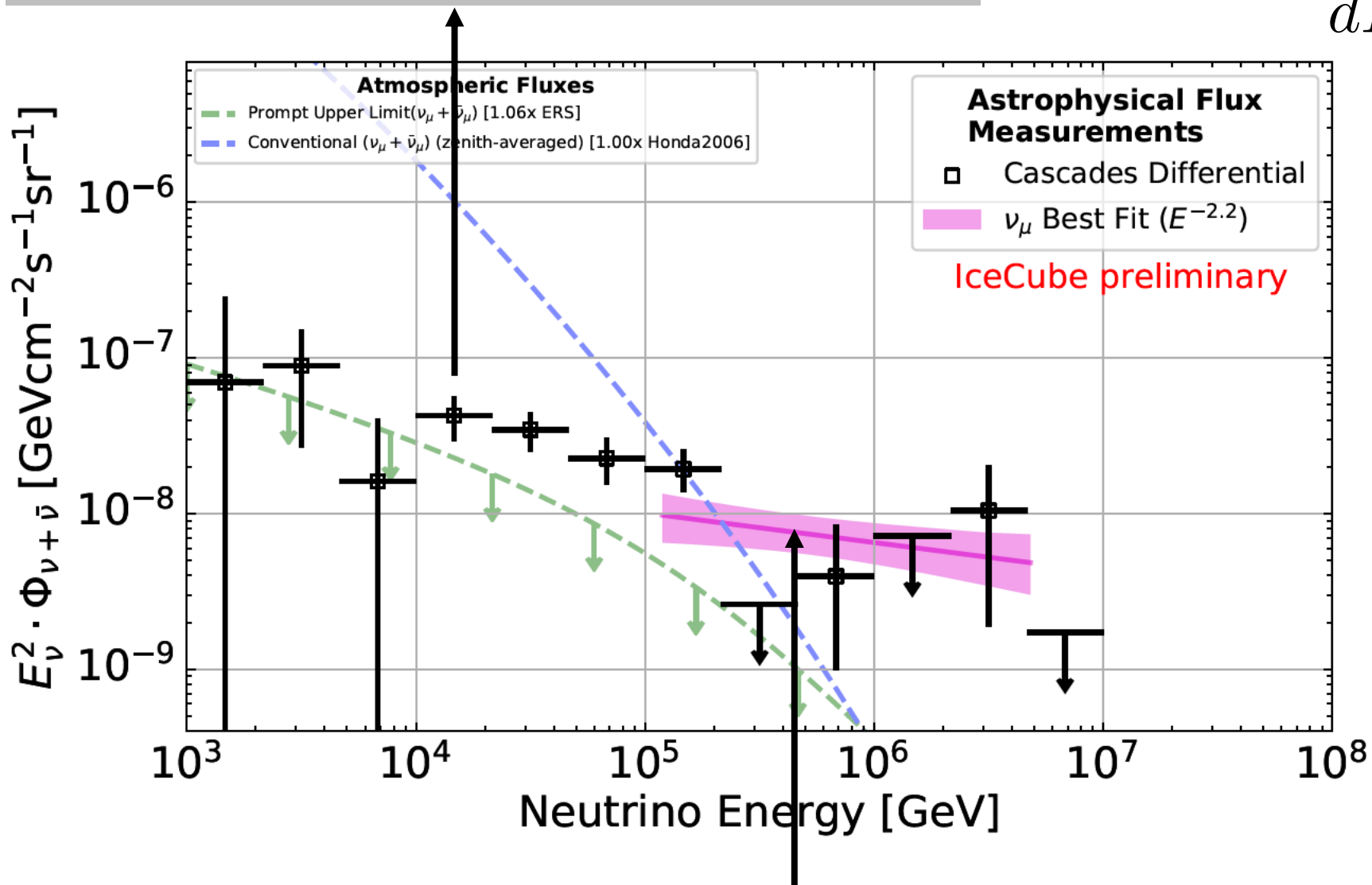
# IC190331: 5300 TeV deposited inside the detector



initial neutrino energy  $> 10$  PeV

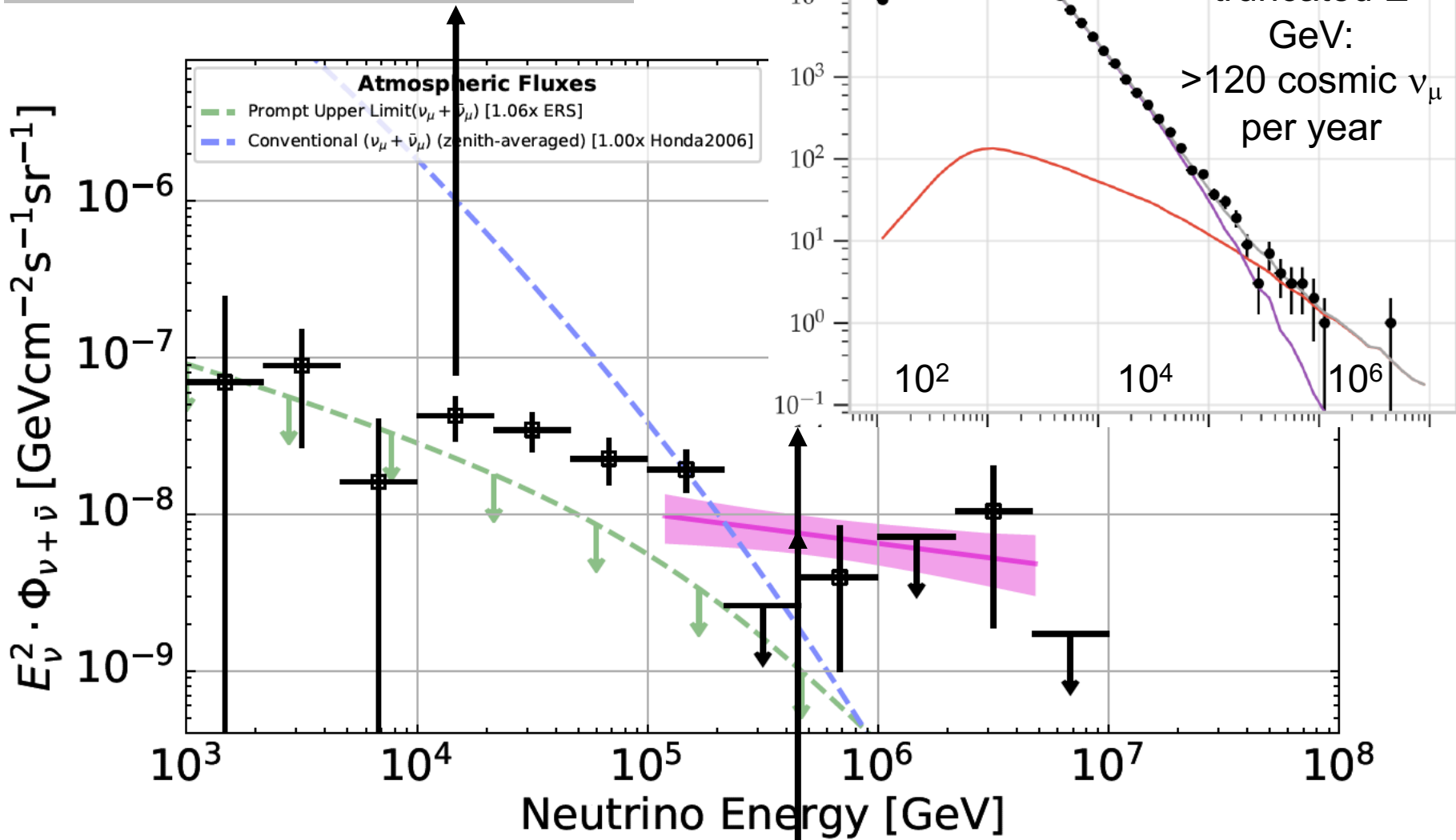
electron and tau neutrinos (showers only)

$$E \times E \frac{dN}{dE}$$

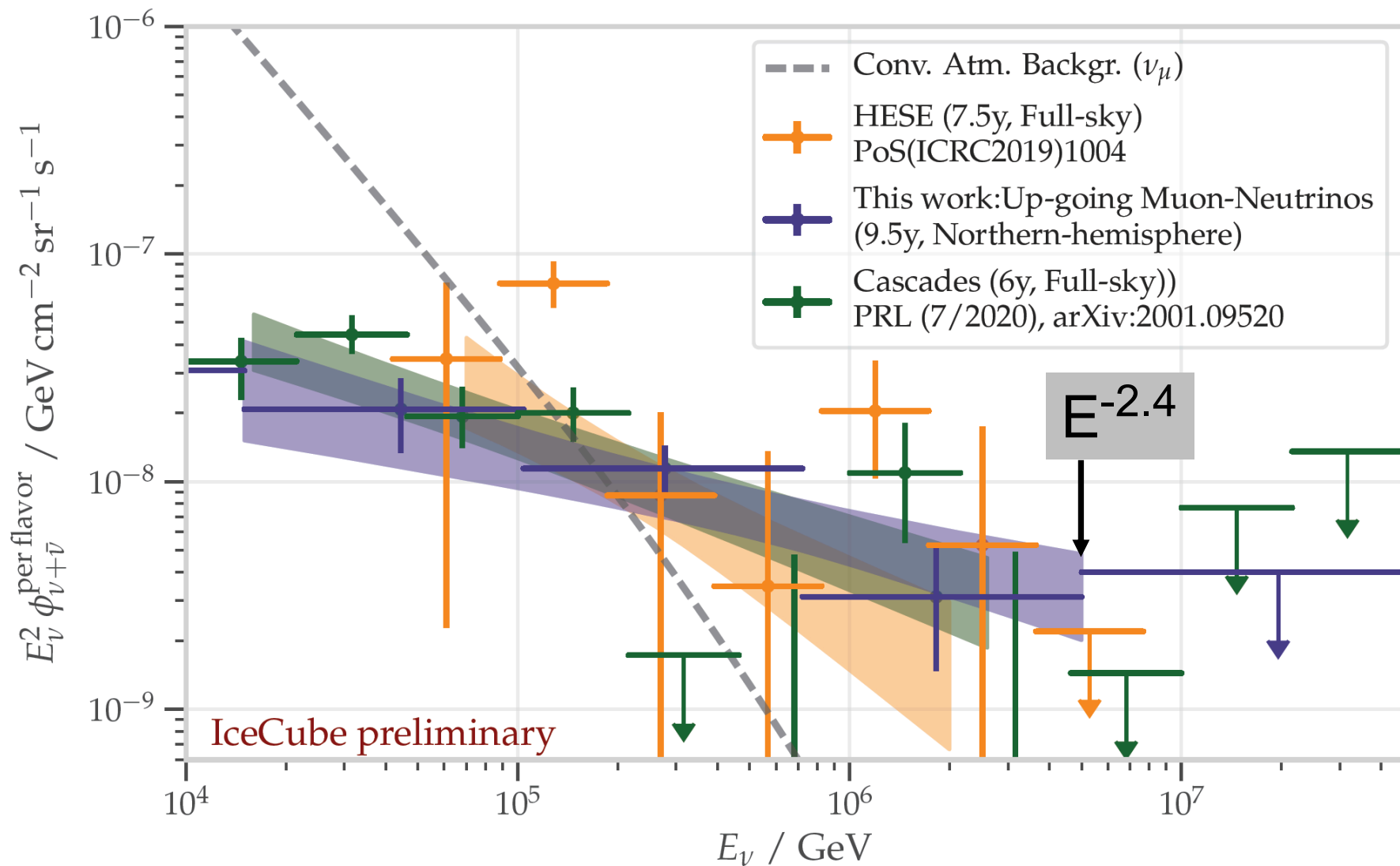


muon neutrinos (tracks through Earth)

# electron and tau neutrinos



muon neutrinos



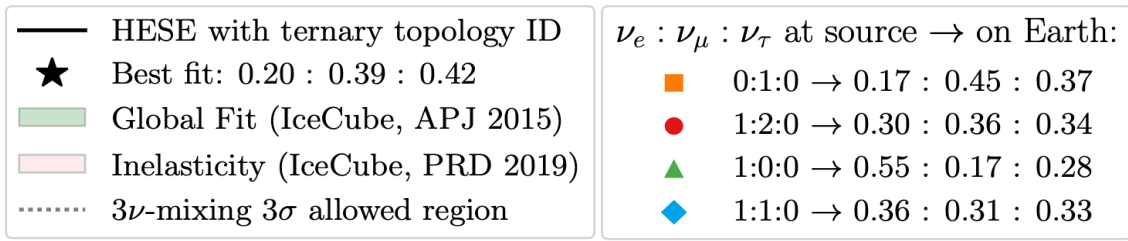
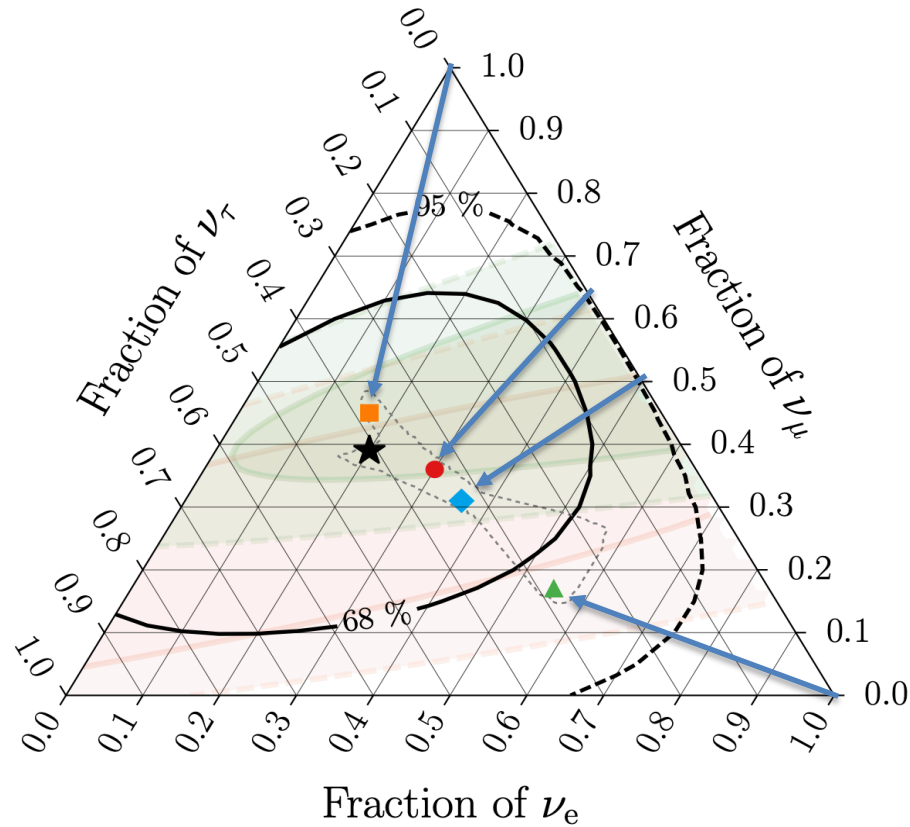
coming soon:

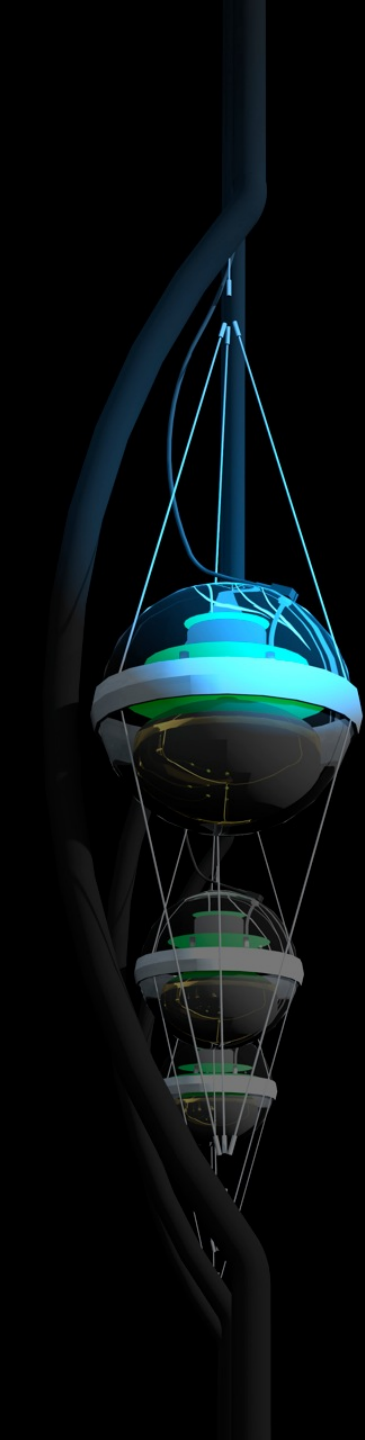
- superior calibration of the detector (pass 2),
- improved simulation, and
- better energy and directional reconstruction with better neural nets



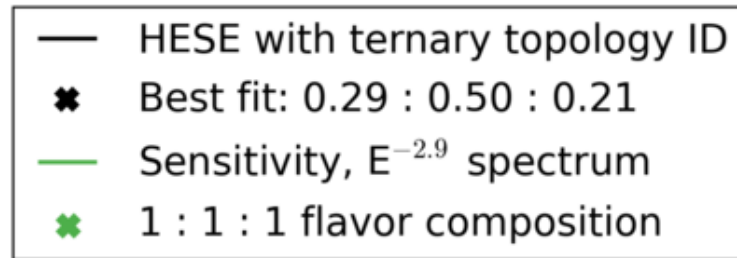
# new neutrino physics ?

## oscillating PeV neutrinos (7.5 years HESE)

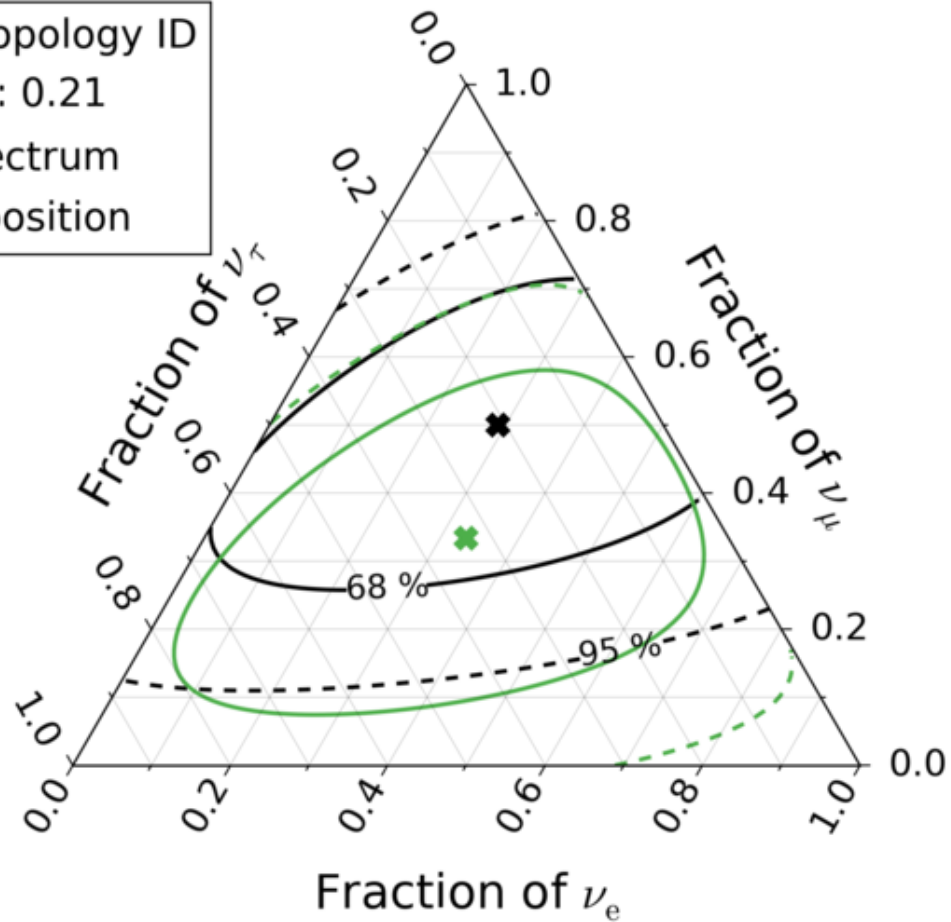


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- cosmic neutrinos: four independent observations
- muon neutrinos through the Earth
  - starting neutrinos: all flavors
  - tau neutrinos produced by oscillation over cosmic distances
  - Glashow resonance event

# high-energy starting events – 7.5 yr



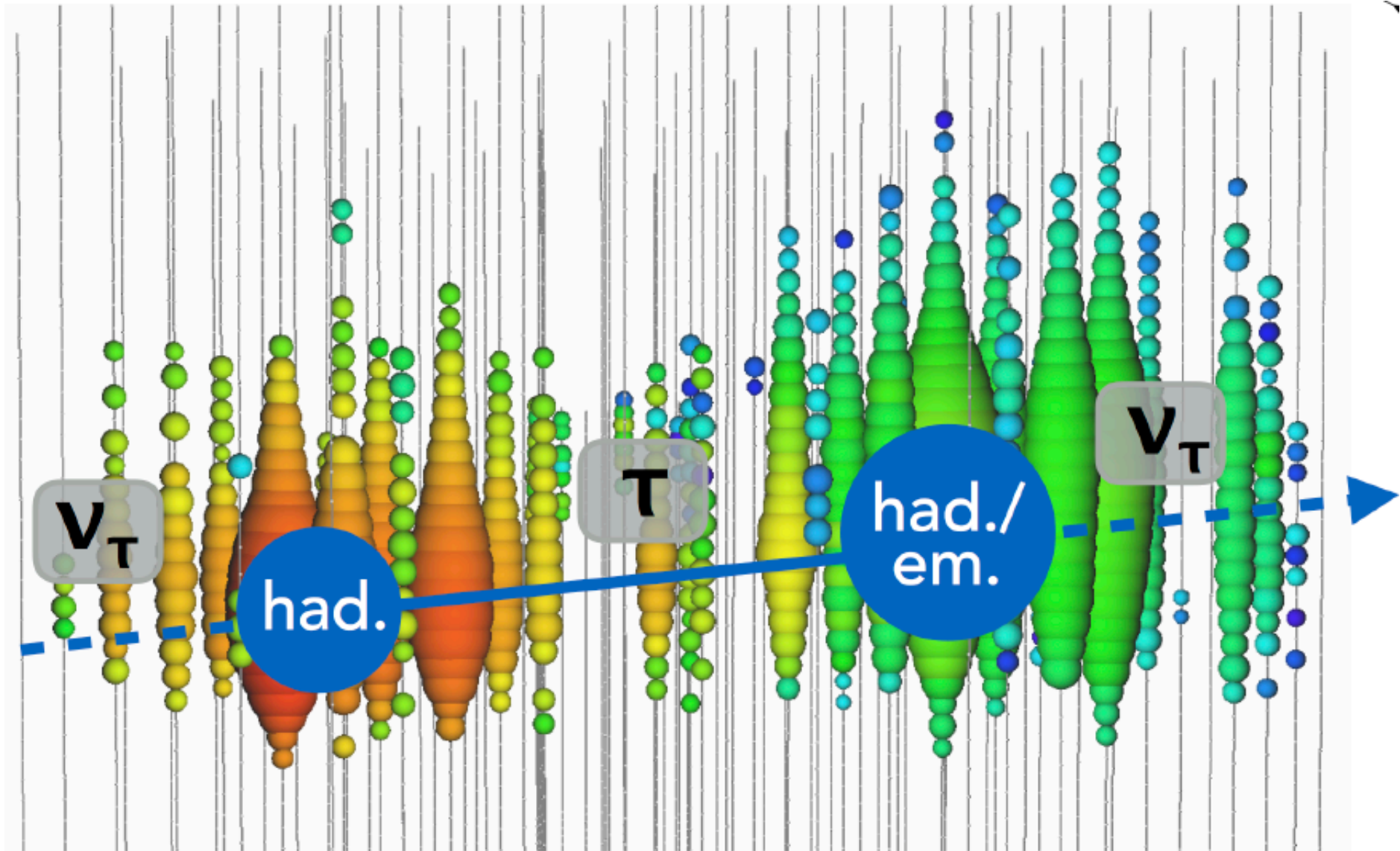
WORK IN PROGRESS



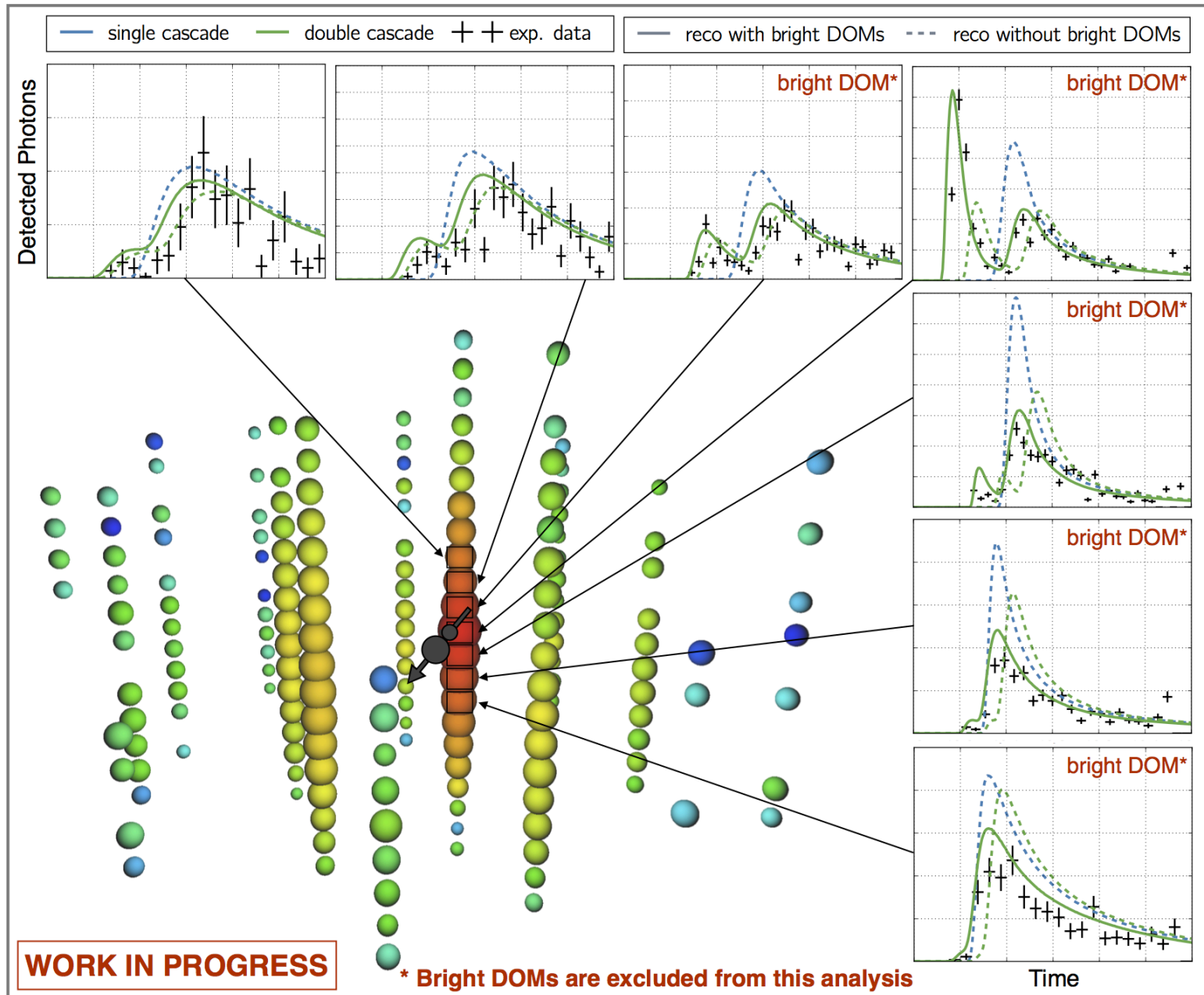
oscillations of PeV neutrinos over cosmic distances to 1:1:1

# tau production and decay

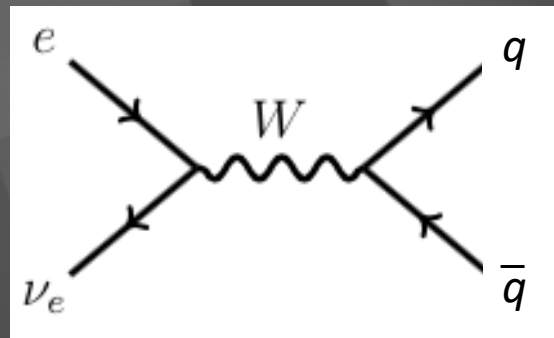
tau decay length:  
 $\gamma c\tau = 50\text{m per PeV}$



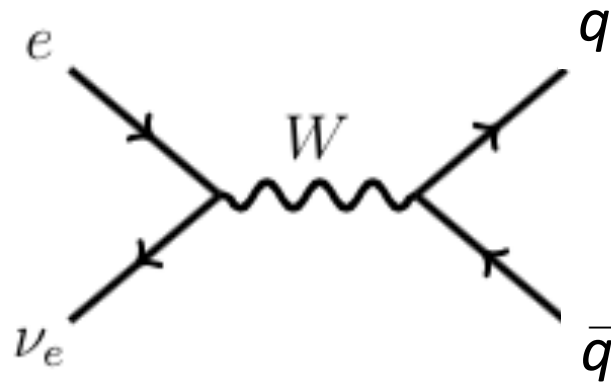
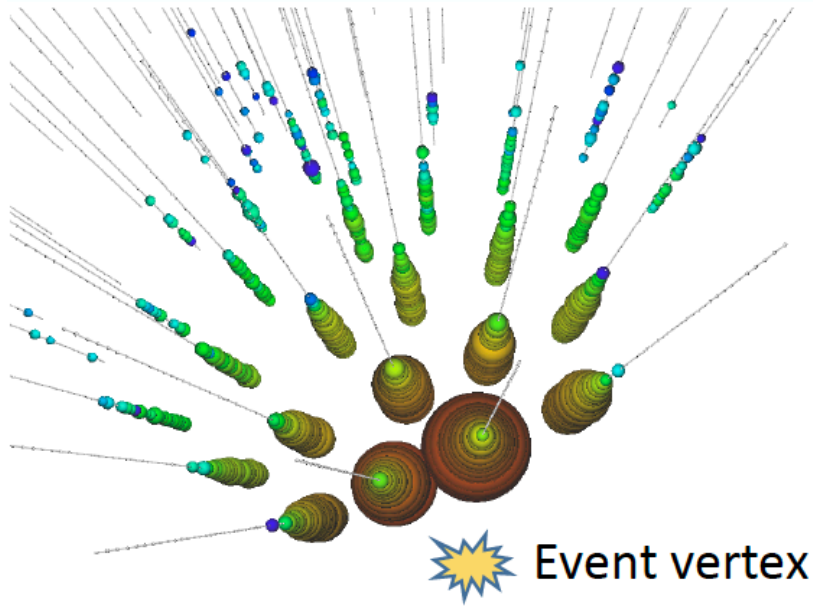
# a cosmic tau neutrino: livetime 17m



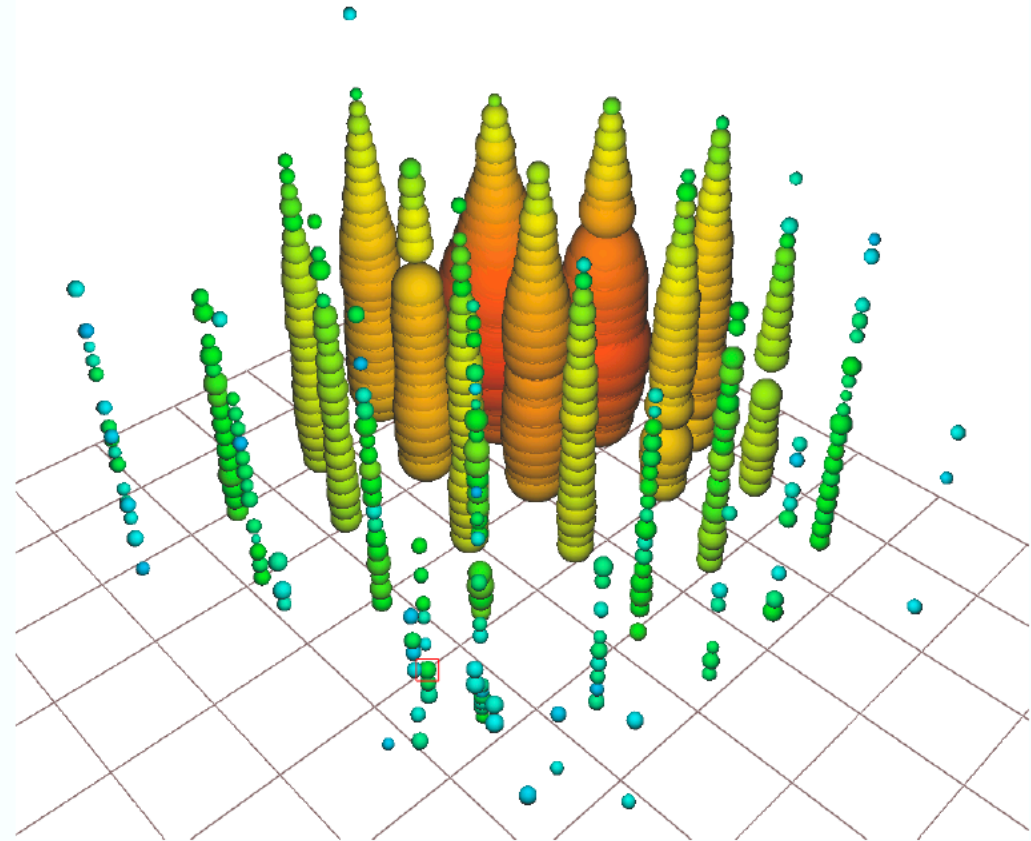
the first Glashow resonance event:  
anti- $\nu_e$  + atomic electron  $\rightarrow$  real  $W$  at 6.3 PeV



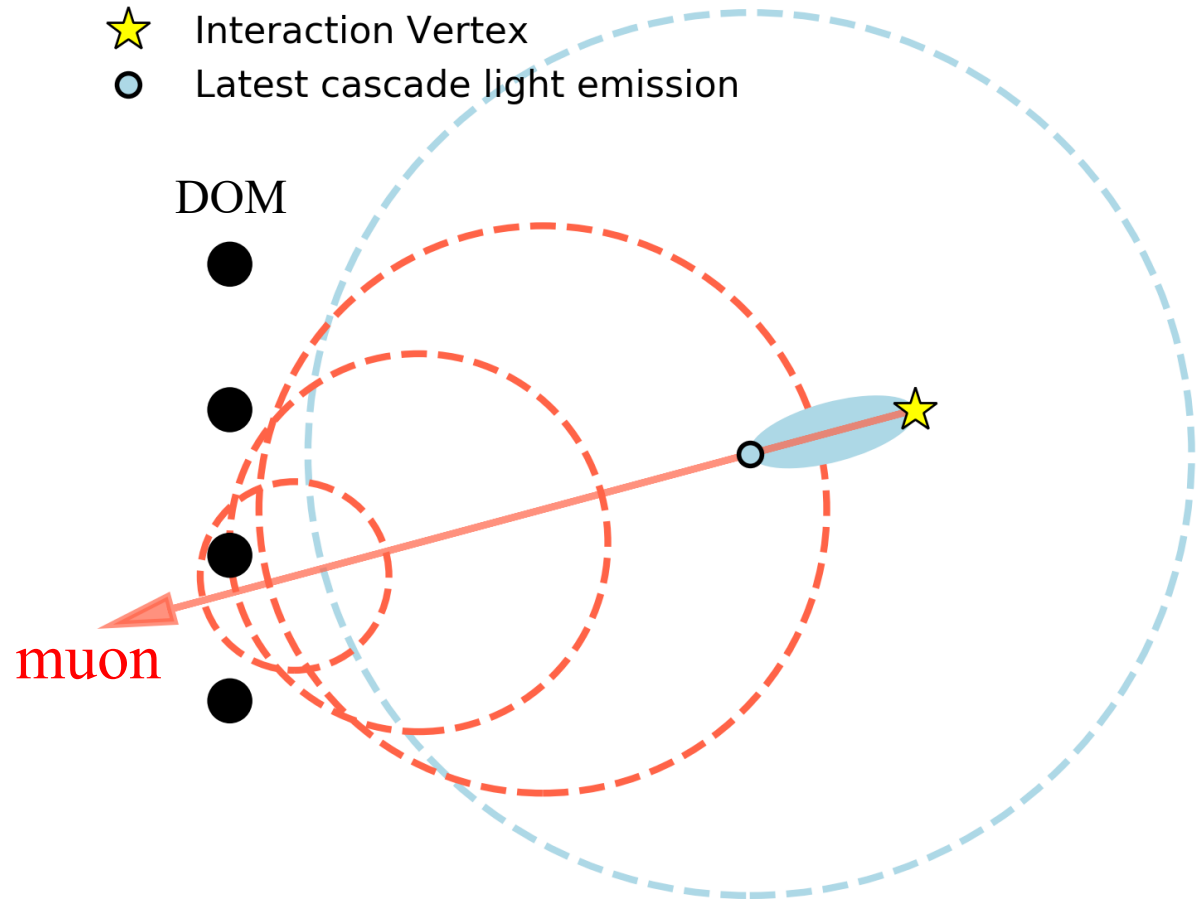
# partially contained event with energy 6.3 PeV



resonant production of a weak intermediate boson by an anti-electron neutrino interacting with an atomic electron

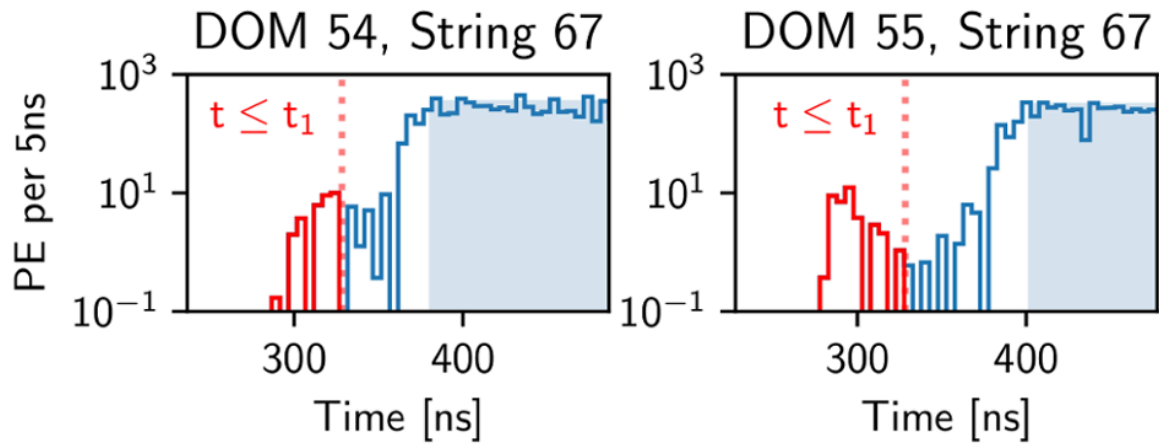
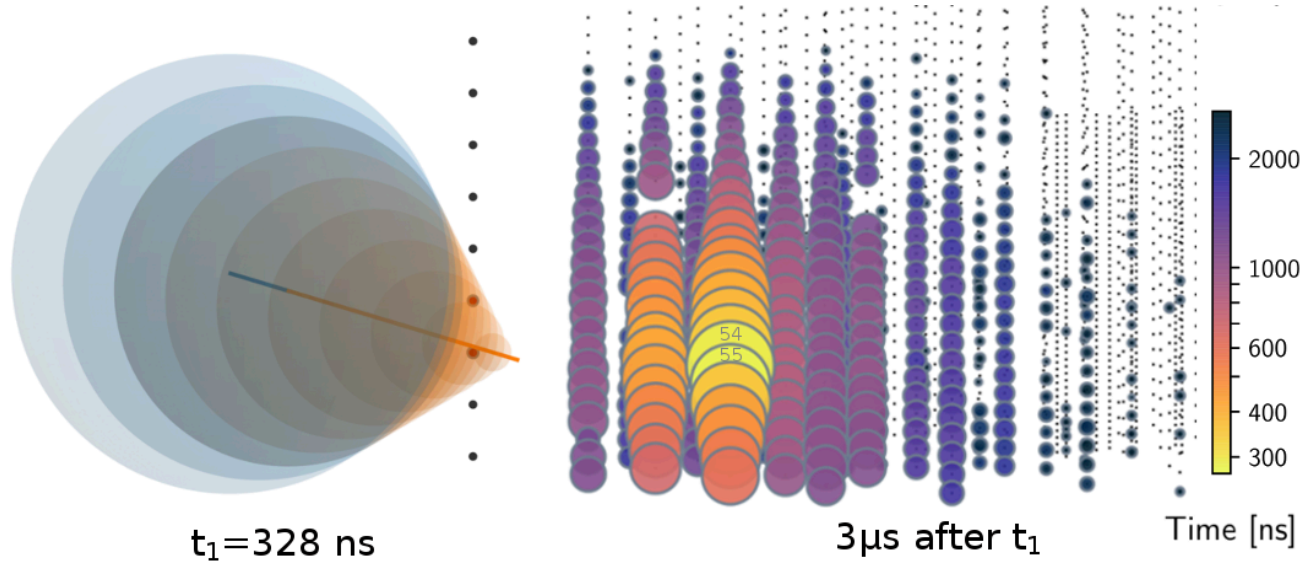


- hadronic (quark-antiquark decay of the W) versus electromagnetic shower radiated by a high energy background cosmic ray muon?
- muons from pions ( $v=c$ ) outrace the light propagating in ice that is produced by the electromagnetic component ( $v<c$ )

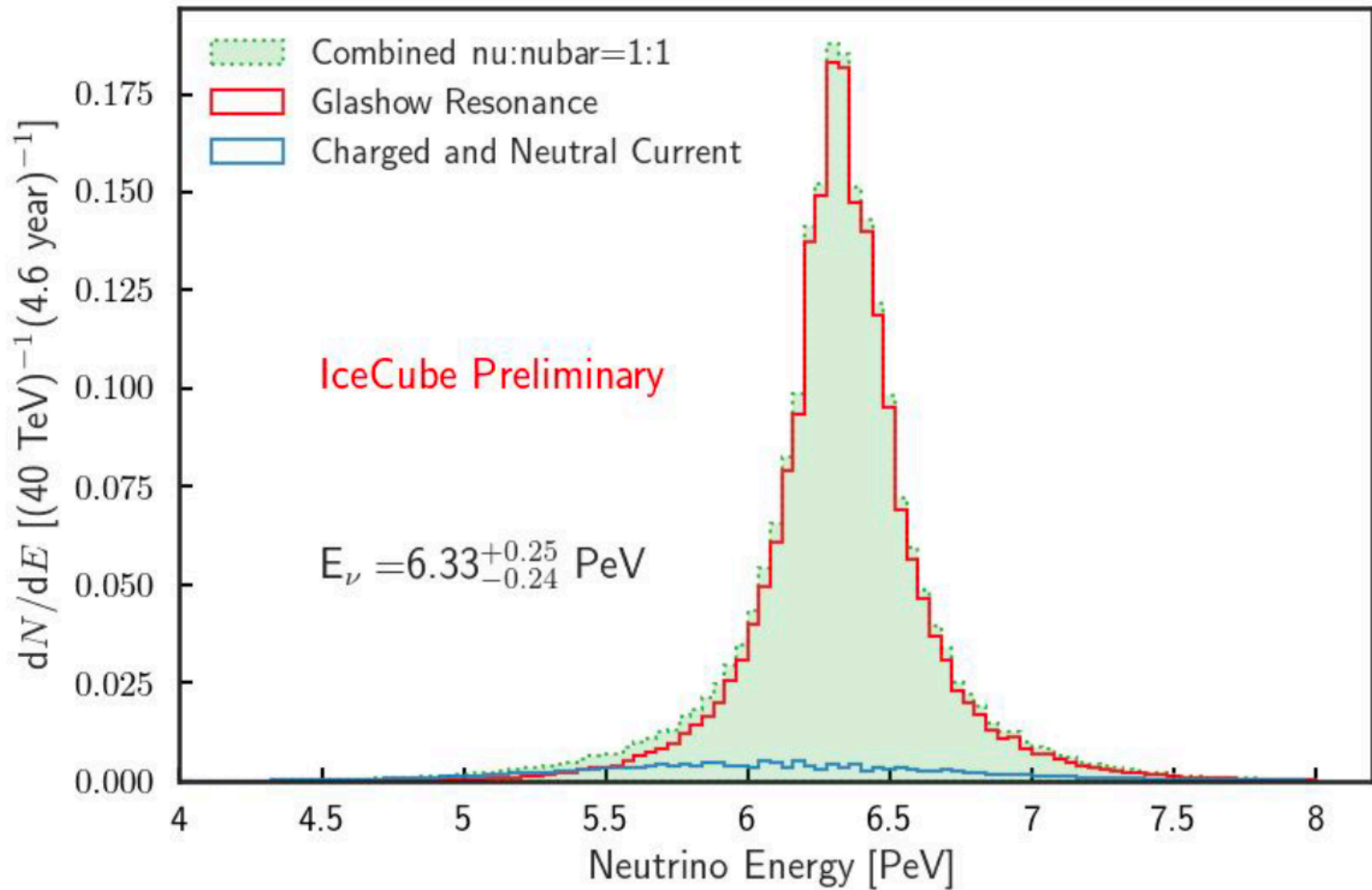
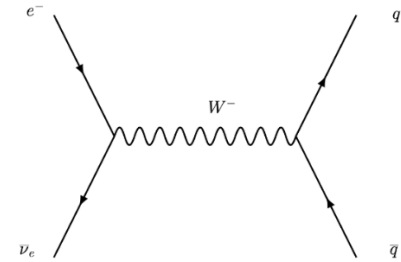




hadronic shower from W-decay:  
early muons followed by electromagnetic shower



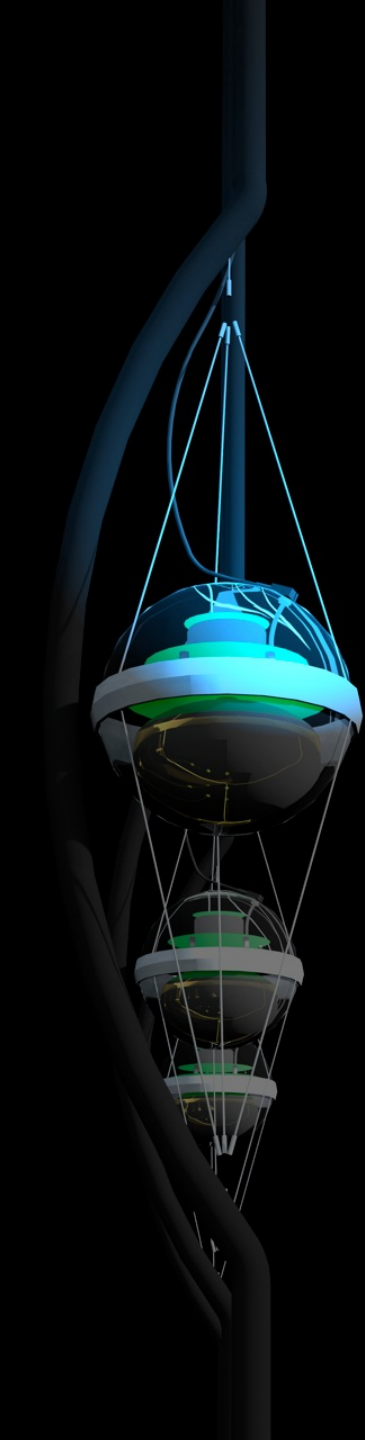
- energy measurement understood
- identification of anti-electron neutrinos



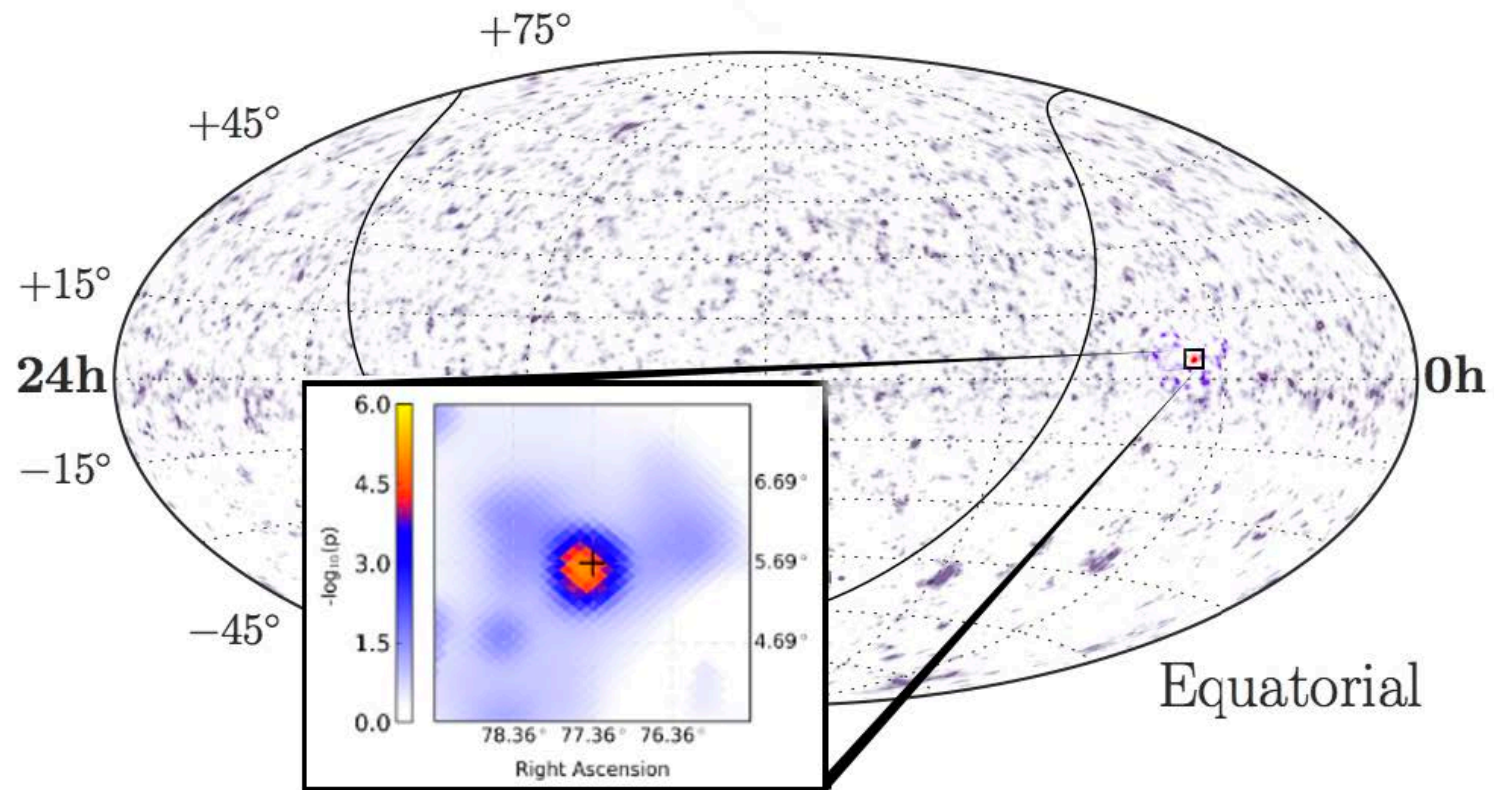
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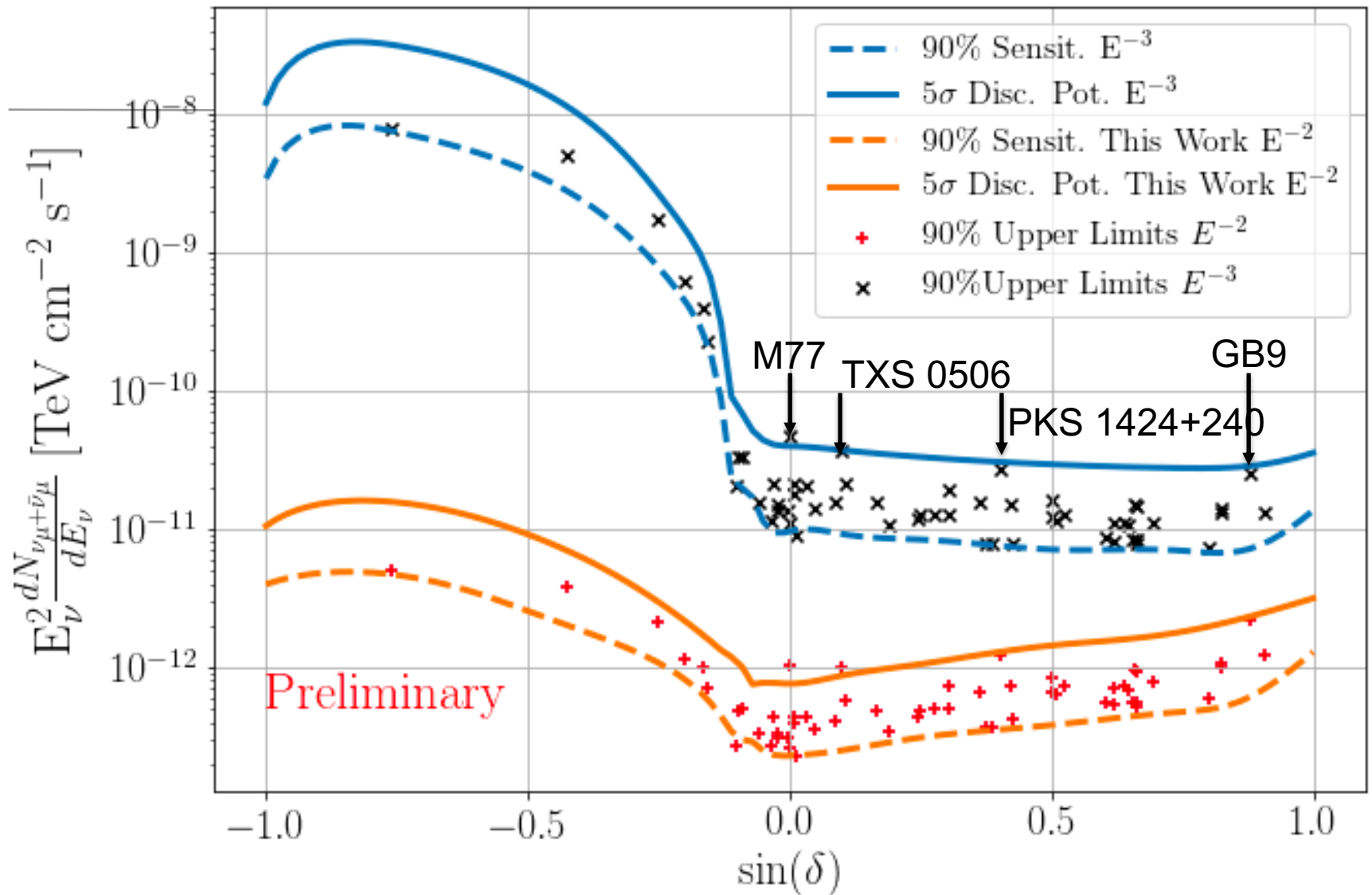
# pre-trial p-value map



hottest spot coincident with  
NGC 1068 (M77)

evidence for non-uniform skymap in 10 years of IceCube data :  
mostly resulting from 4 extragalactic source candidates

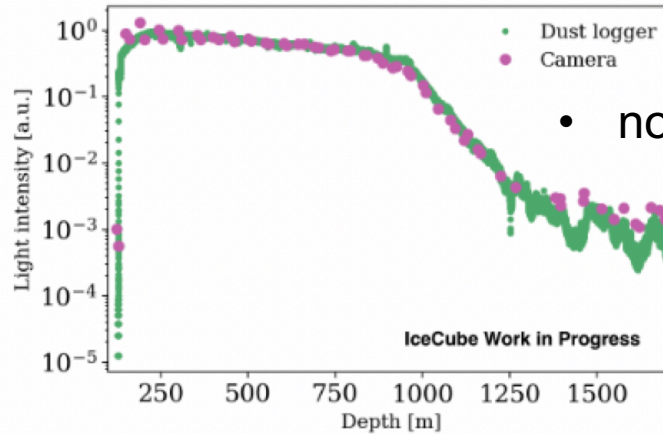
# limits and interesting fluctuations (?)



data and simulation released: <https://arxiv.org/abs/2101.09836>

# ice: step by step

- hole ice ?

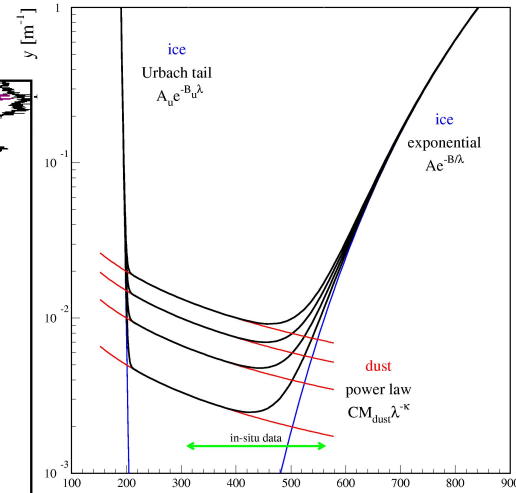
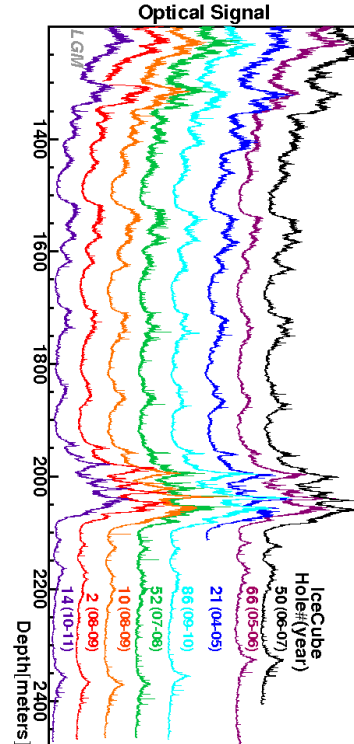
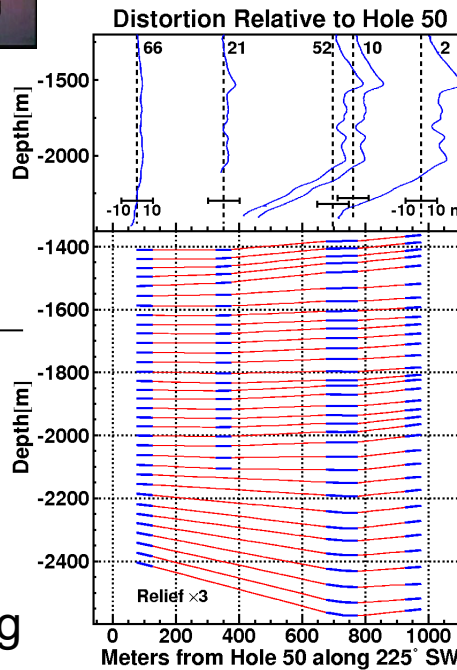


- no air bubbles/hydrates below 1350 m

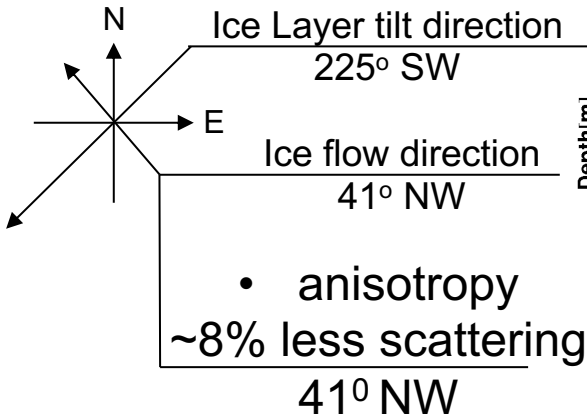
- > 100 m absorption length limited by dust

- ice layers

- tilted ice layers

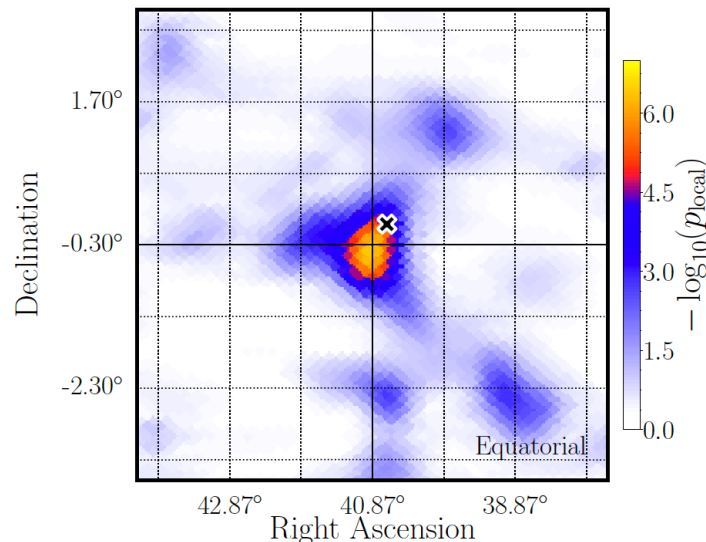


- birefringence of the crystal boundaries ?



coming soon:

- improved muon track reconstruction
- DNN (energy) and BDT (pointing) reconstruction
- point spread function consistent with simulation
- insensitive to systematics



## Molecular line emission in NGC 1068 imaged with ALMA\*

### I. An AGN-driven outflow in the dense molecular gas

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#### ABSTRACT

**Aims.** We investigate the fueling and the feedback of star formation and nuclear activity in NGC 1068, a nearby ( $D = 14$  Mpc) Seyfert 2 barred galaxy, by analyzing the distribution and kinematics of the molecular gas in the disk. We aim to understand if and how gas accretion can self-regulate.

**Methods.** We have used the Atacama Large Millimeter Array (ALMA) to map the emission of a set of dense molecular gas ( $n(\text{H}_2) \approx 10^{5-6} \text{ cm}^{-3}$ ) tracers (CO(3–2), CO(6–5), HCN(4–3), HCO<sup>+</sup>(4–3), and CS(7–6)) and their underlying continuum emission in the central  $r \sim 2$  kpc of NGC 1068 with spatial resolutions  $\sim 0.3''$ – $0.5''$  ( $\sim 20$ – $35$  pc for the assumed distance of  $D = 14$  Mpc).

**Results.** The sensitivity and spatial resolution of ALMA give an unprecedented detailed view of the distribution and kinematics of the dense molecular gas ( $n(\text{H}_2) \geq 10^{5-6} \text{ cm}^{-3}$ ) in NGC 1068. Molecular line and dust continuum emissions are detected from a  $r \sim 200$  pc off-centered circumnuclear disk (CND), from the 2.6 kpc-diameter bar region, and from the  $r \sim 1.3$  kpc starburst (SB) ring. Most of the emission in HCO<sup>+</sup>, HCN, and CS stems from the CND. Molecular line ratios show dramatic order-of-magnitude changes inside the CND that are correlated with the UV/X-ray illumination by the active galactic nucleus (AGN), betraying ongoing feedback. We used the dust continuum fluxes measured by ALMA together with NIR/MIR data to constrain the properties of the putative torus using CLUMPY models and found a torus radius of  $20^{+6}_{-10}$  pc. The Fourier decomposition of the gas velocity field indicates that rotation is perturbed by an inward radial flow in the SB ring and the bar region. However, the gas kinematics from  $r \sim 50$  pc out to  $r \sim 400$  pc reveal a massive ( $M_{\text{out}} \sim 2.7^{+0.9}_{-1.2} \times 10^7 M_{\odot}$ ) outflow in all molecular tracers. The tight correlation between the ionized gas outflow, the radio jet, and the occurrence of outward motions in the disk suggests that the outflow is AGN driven.

**Conclusions.** The molecular outflow is likely launched when the ionization cone of the narrow line region sweeps the nuclear disk. The outflow rate estimated in the CND,  $dM/dt \sim 63^{+21}_{-37} M_{\odot} \text{ yr}^{-1}$ , is an order of magnitude higher than the star formation rate at these radii, confirming that the outflow is AGN driven. The power of the AGN is able to account for the estimated momentum and kinetic luminosity of the outflow. The CND mass load rate of the CND outflow implies a very short gas depletion timescale of  $\leq 1$  Myr. The CND gas reservoir is likely replenished on longer timescales by efficient gas inflow from the outer disk.

## evidence for M77 (NGC1086)

- agn activity
- dense molecular clouds near black hole
- merger (with a star-forming region or satellite galaxy)

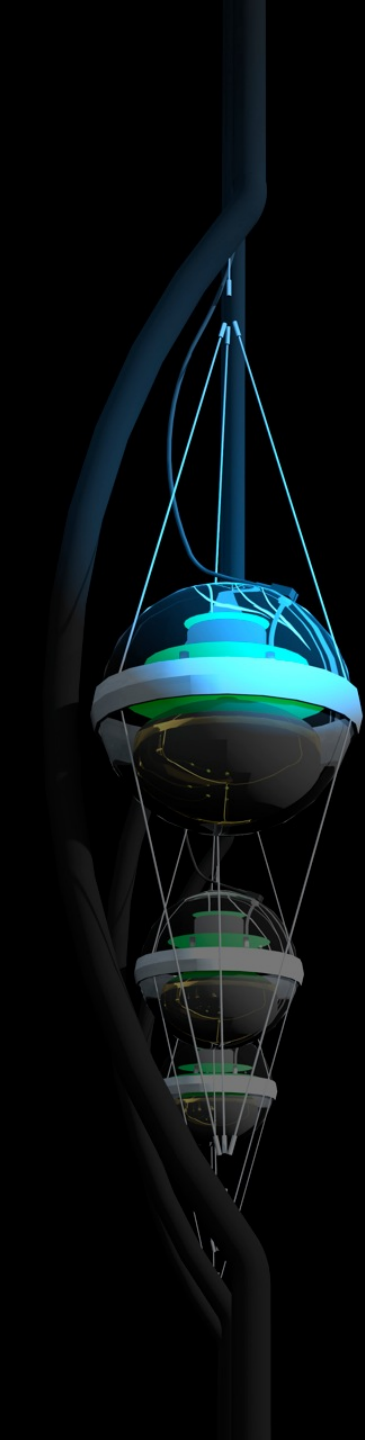


- we observe a diffuse flux of neutrinos from extragalactic sources
- energy density of neutrinos in the non-thermal Universe is the same as that in gamma-rays
- a subdominant Galactic component cannot be excluded

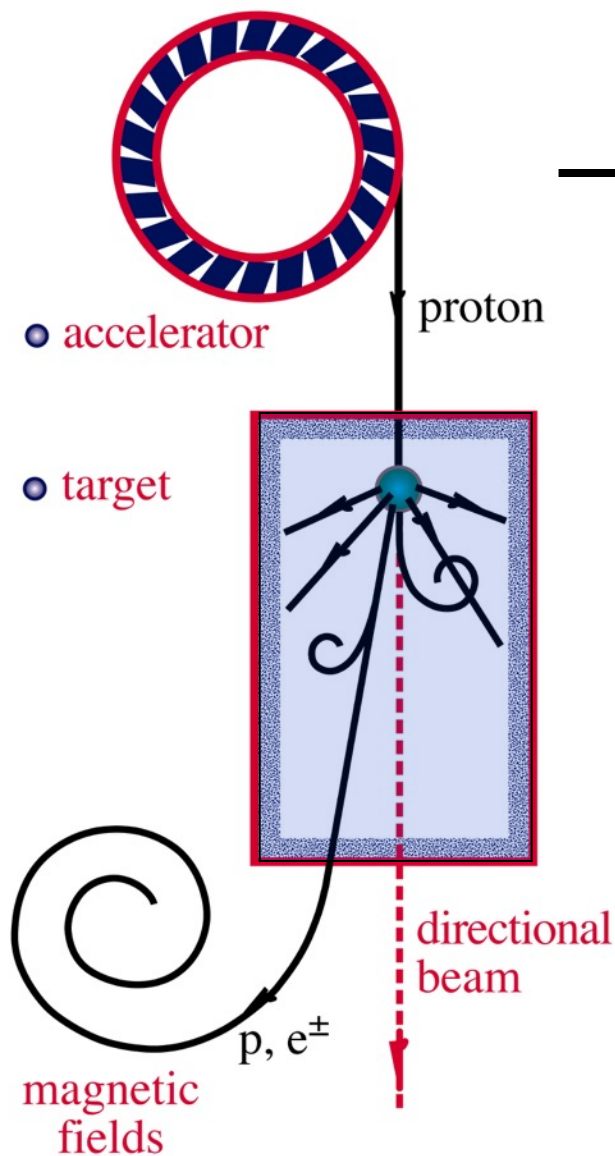
# IceCube: the discovery of cosmic neutrinos

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- neutrino astronomy and the origin of cosmic rays
- IceCube
- the discovery of cosmic neutrinos
- **IceCube neutrinos and Fermi photons**
- where do they come from?
- the first cosmic ray accelerator(s)



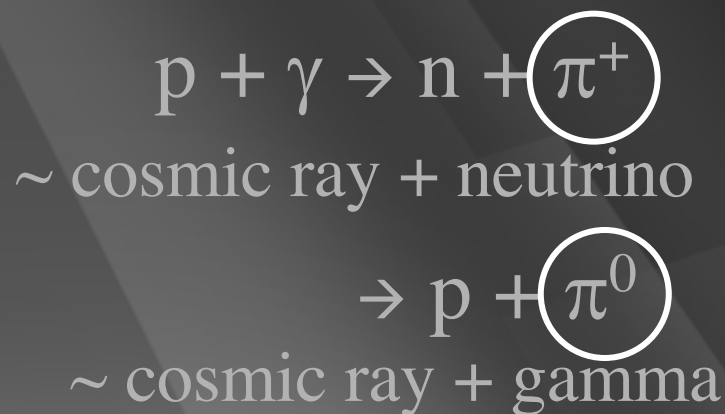
# $\nu$ and $\gamma$ beams : heaven and earth



where are the gamma rays ?

supermassive black hole

nearby radiation



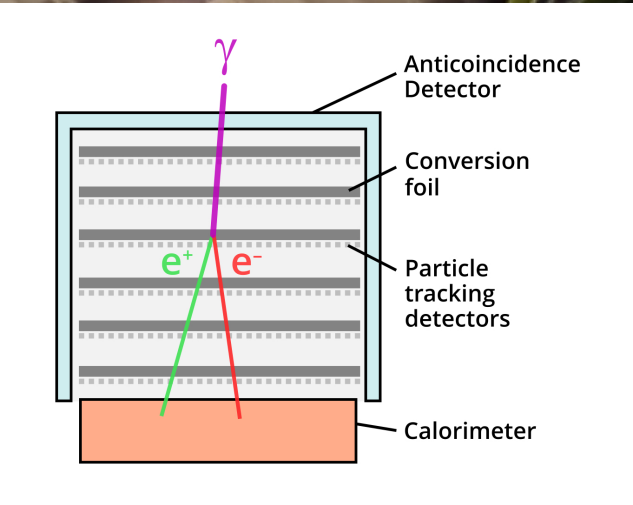
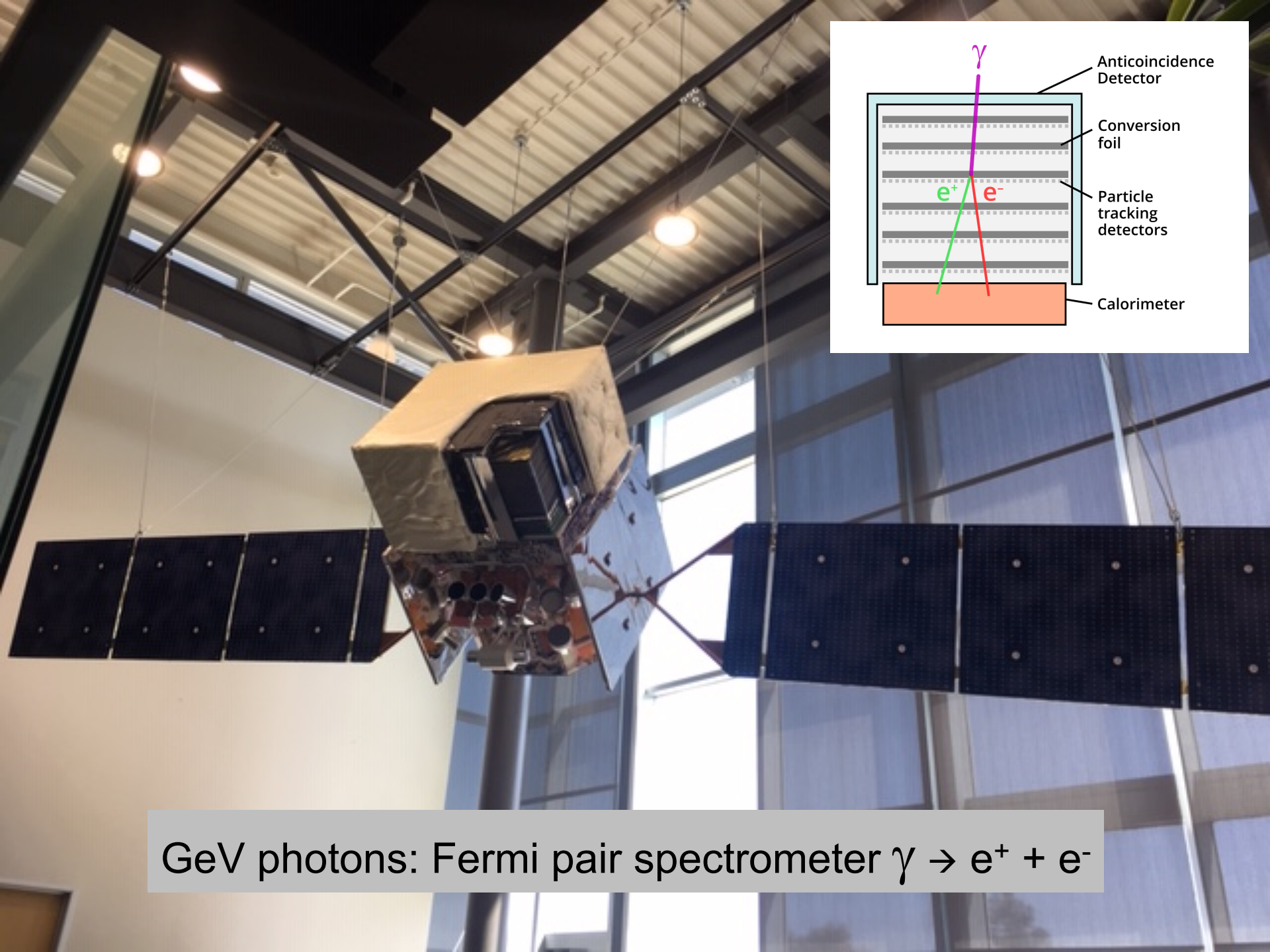


gamma ray

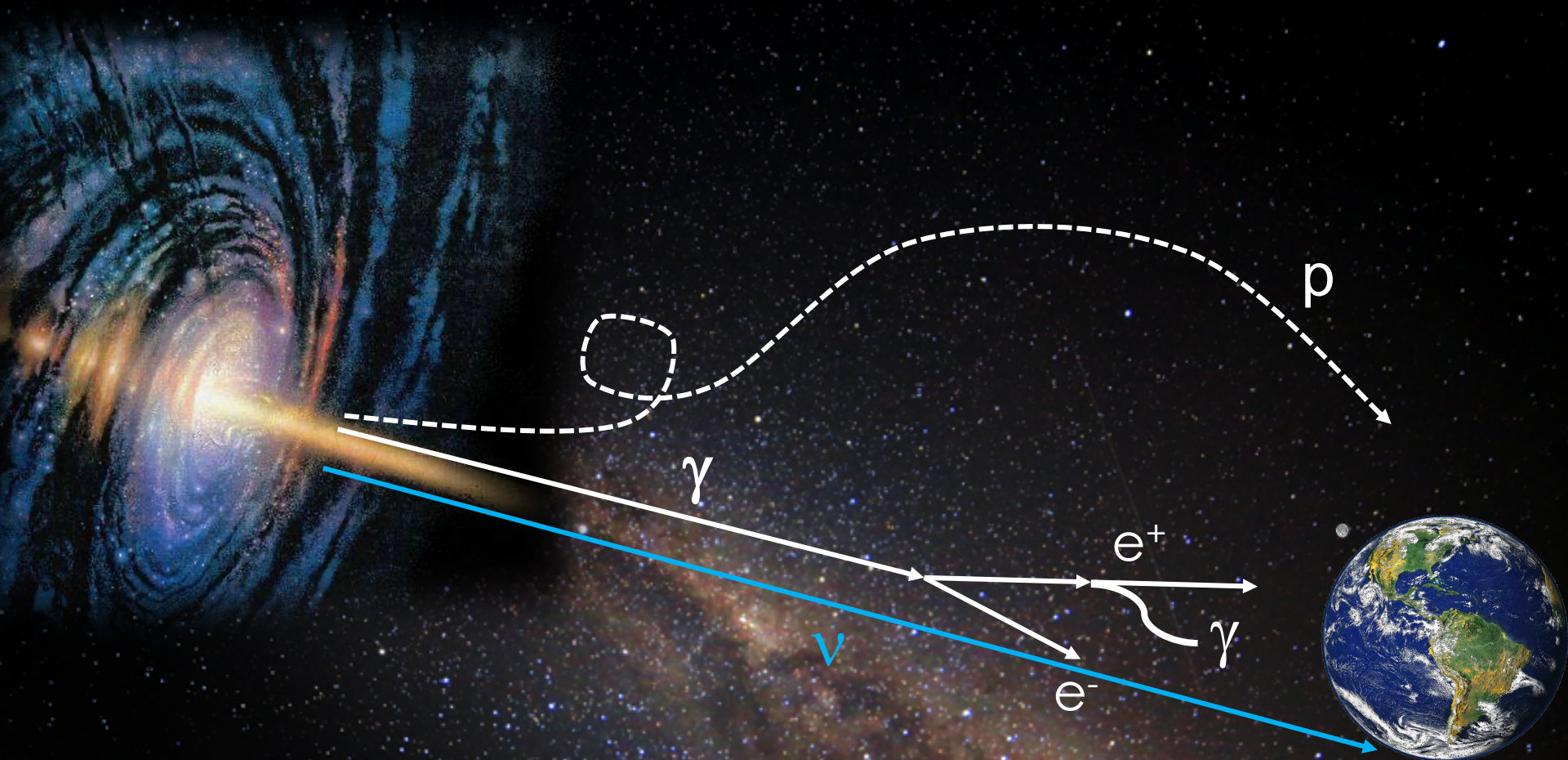
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atmospheric Cherenkov  
telescopes

HESS, MAGIC, VERITAS

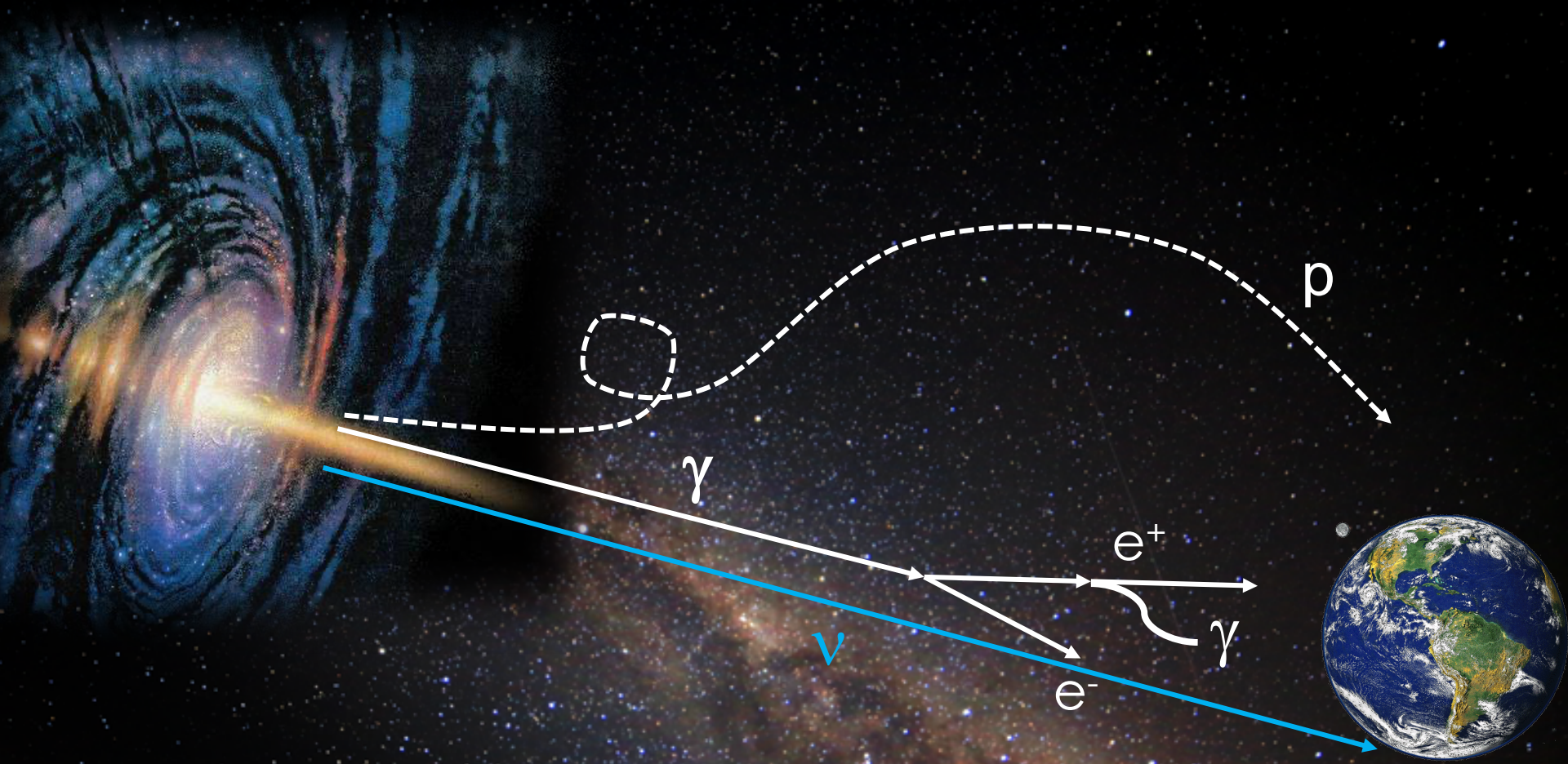




GeV photons: Fermi pair spectrometer  $\gamma \rightarrow e^+ + e^-$



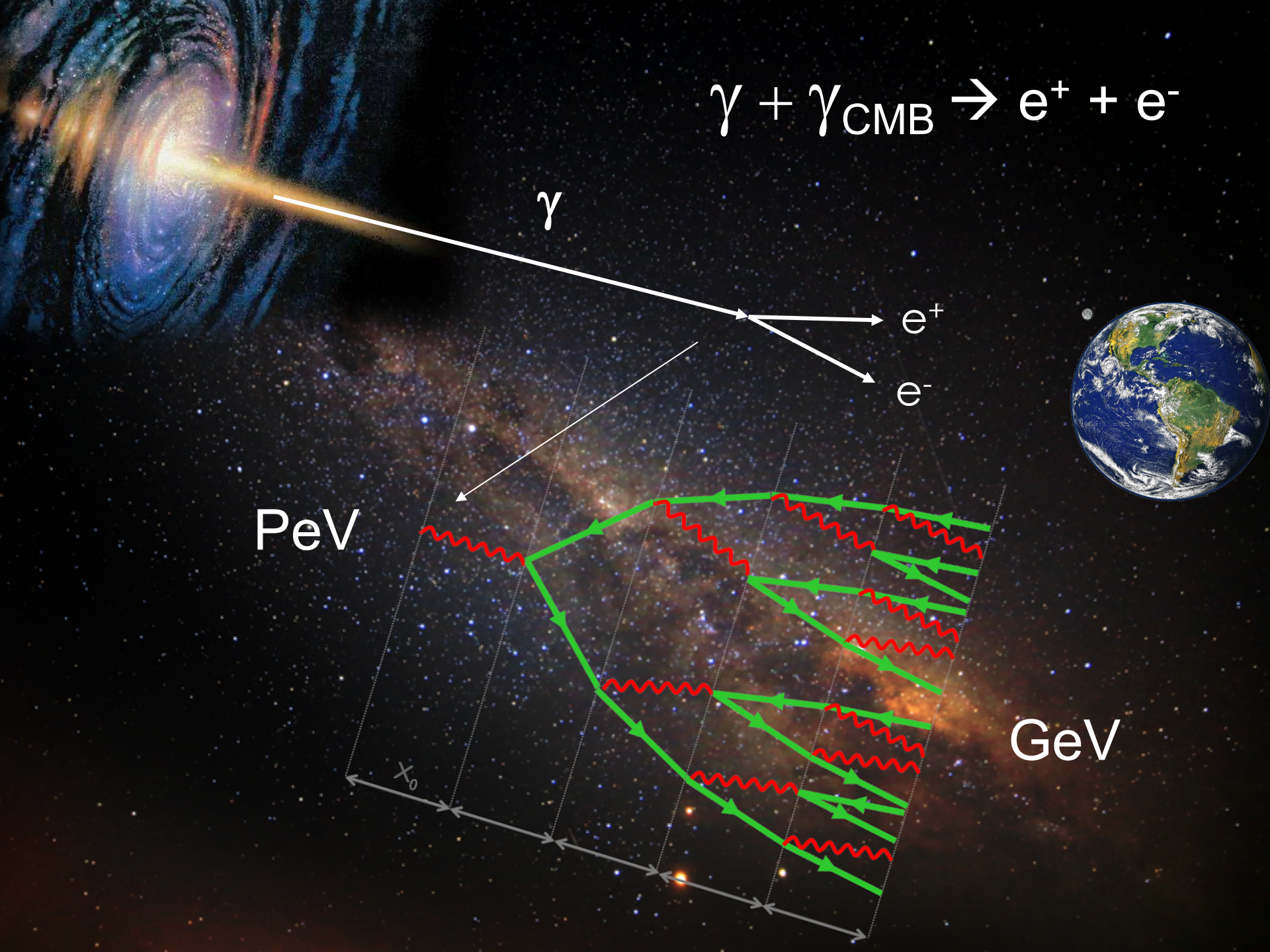
gamma rays accompanying IceCube neutrinos interact with interstellar photons and fragment into multiple lower energy gamma rays that reach earth



target may not be transparent to gamma rays:

gamma rays accompanying IceCube neutrinos lose energy in the source and in the interstellar medium and fragment into lower energy gamma rays, X-rays... that reach earth

$$\gamma + \gamma_{\text{CMB}} \rightarrow e^+ + e^-$$



$\gamma$

$e^+$

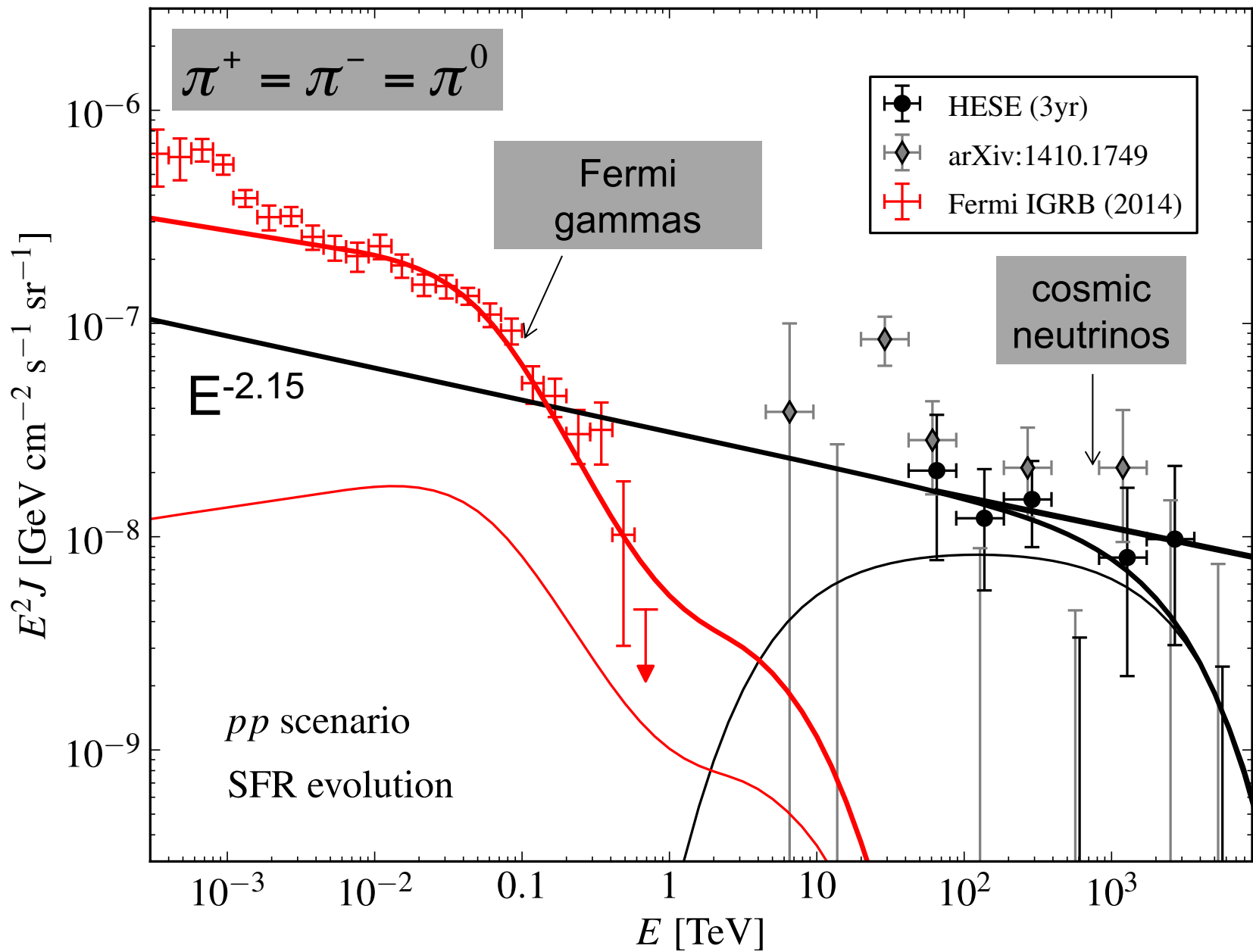
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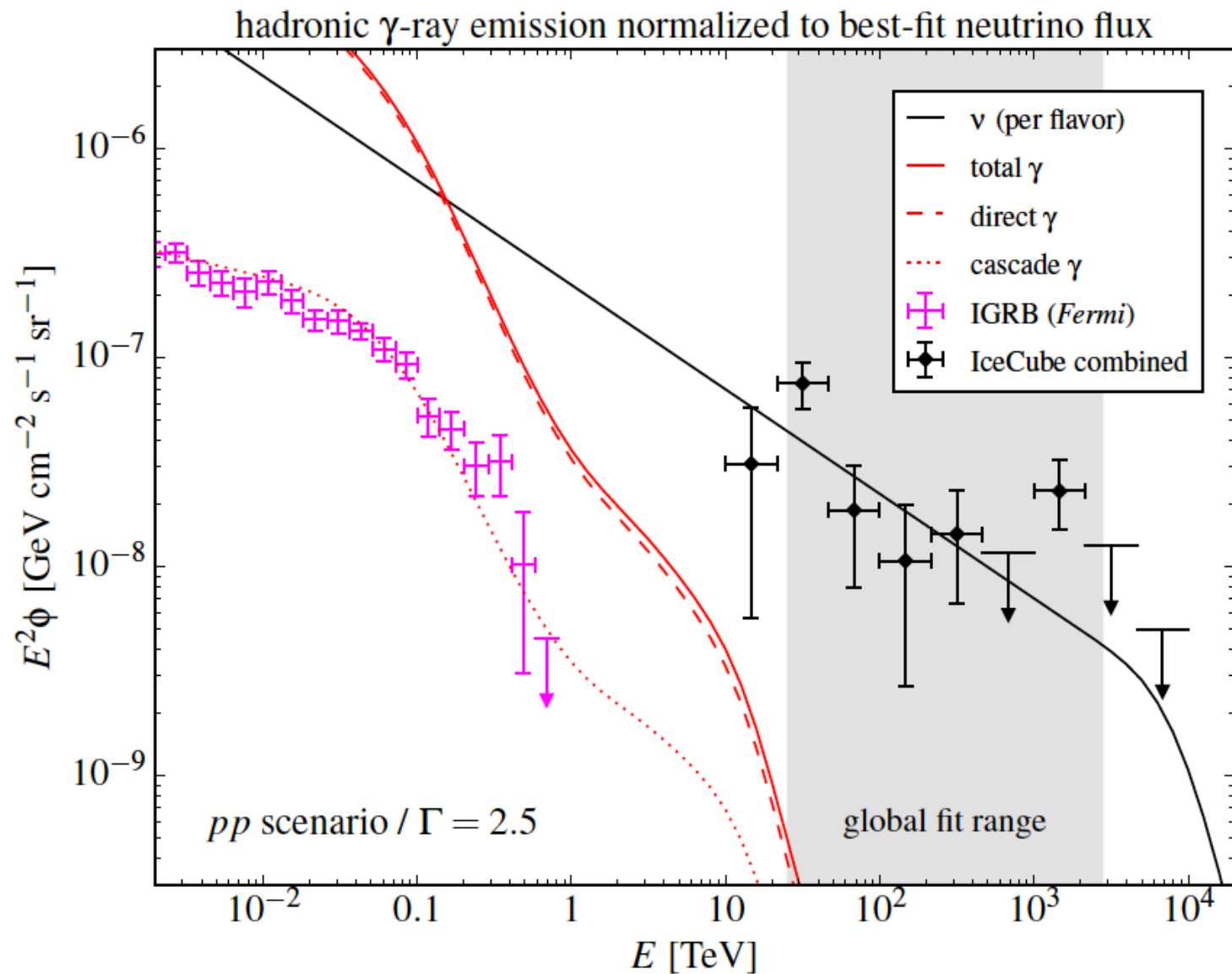
PeV

GeV

$x_0$



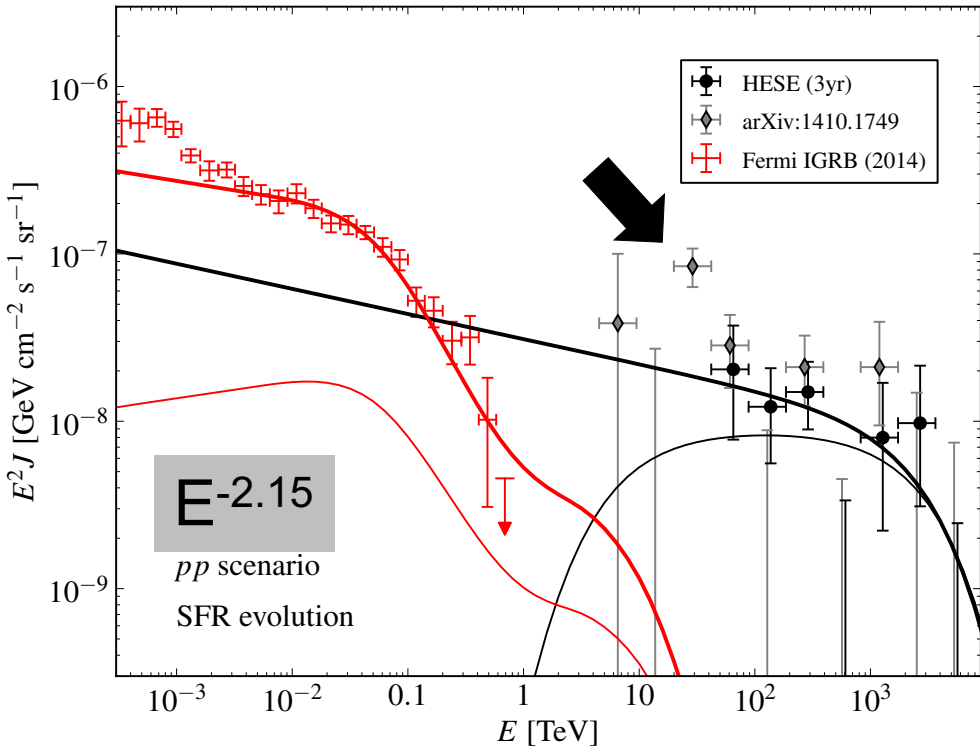




dark sources below 100 TeV not seen in  $\gamma$ 's ?  
 gamma rays cascade in the source to lower energy

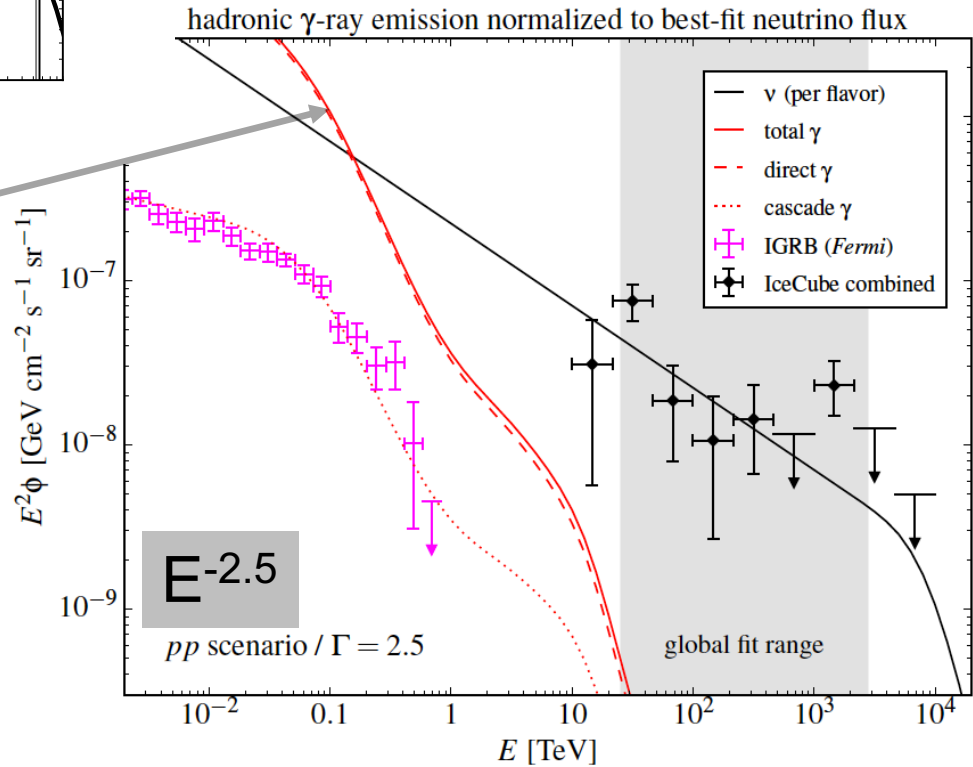
a source opaque to protons that efficiently produces neutrinos is opaque to gamma rays

dark sources with opacity  $\tau_{\gamma\gamma} \sim 1$  ?



**E<sup>-2.15</sup>**  
*pp* scenario  
 SFR evolution

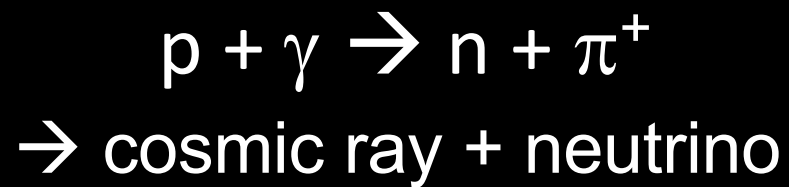
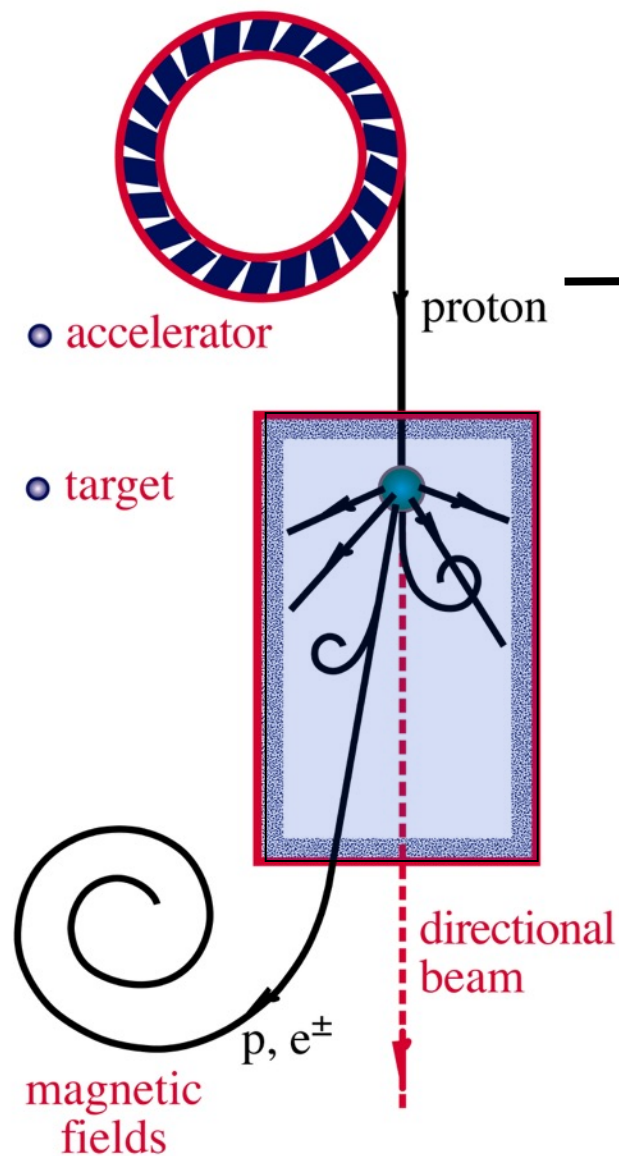
- the pionic photons accompanying the neutrinos lose energy in the source even before reaching the extragalactic background.
- as a result, the photons emerge below Fermi threshold, at MeV energies and below, in X-rays, ... radio.



**E<sup>-2.5</sup>**  
*pp* scenario /  $\Gamma = 2.5$

global fit range

$\nu$  and  $\gamma$  beams : heaven and earth



**supermassive  
black hole**

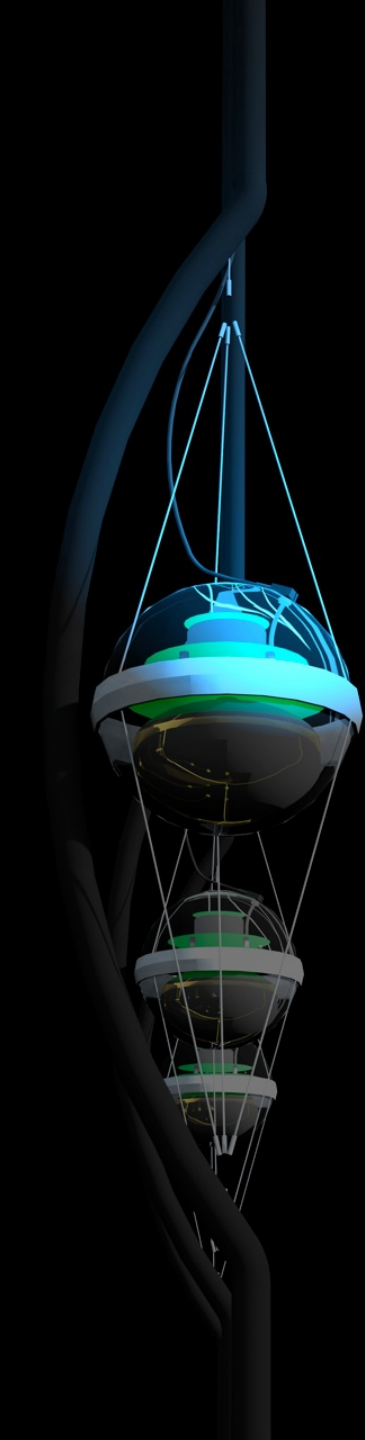
**target ?**

- a neutrino source needs an accelerator and a target
- the target is likely opaque to gamma rays

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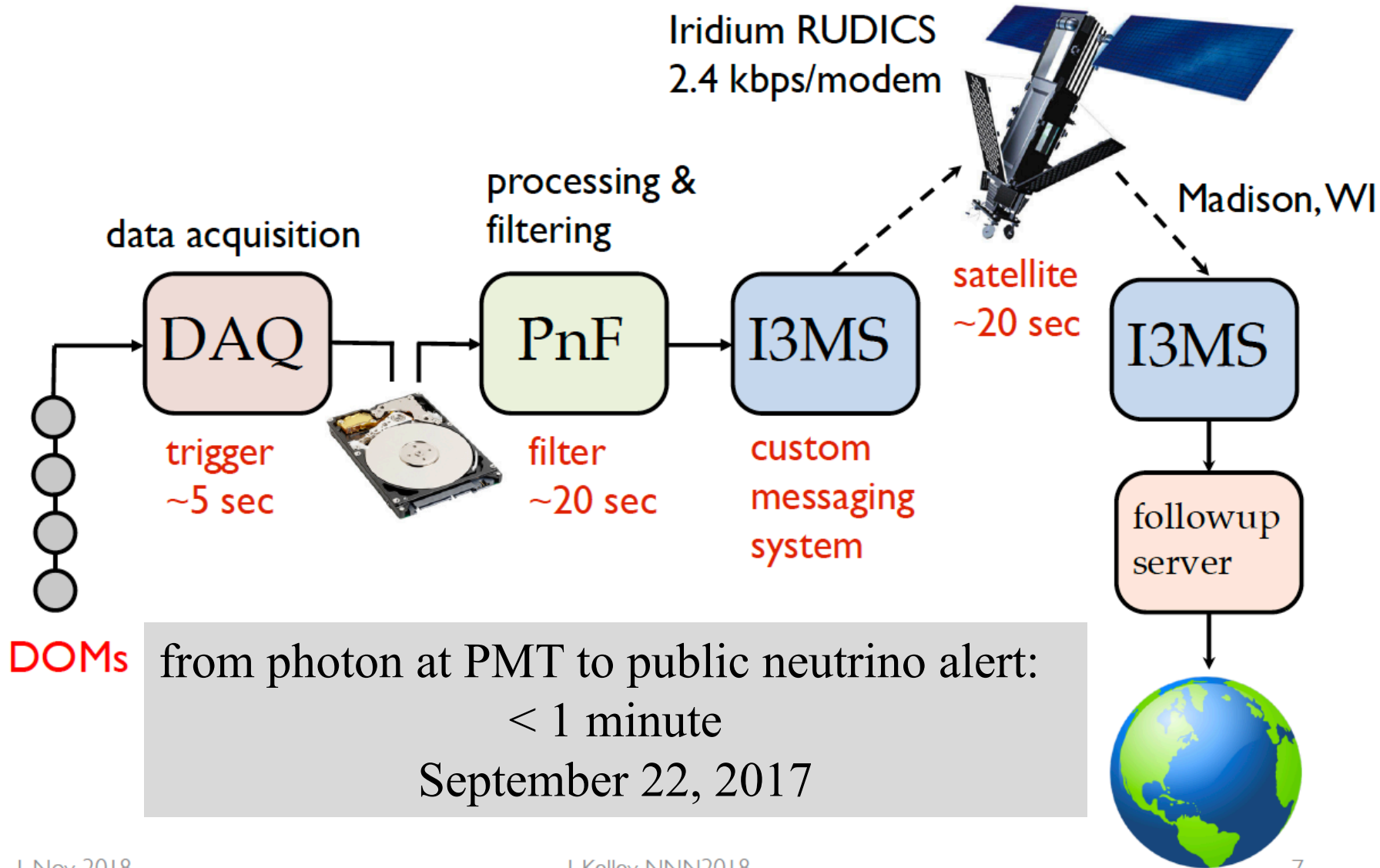
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# HIGH-ENERGY EVENTS NOW PUBLIC ALERTS!

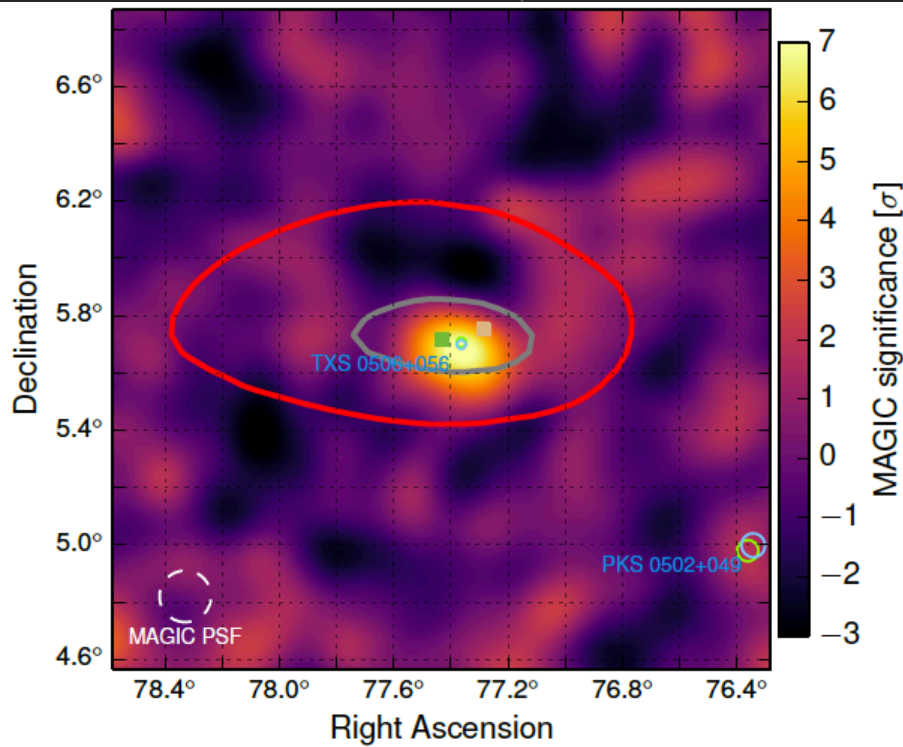
*We send our high-energy events in real-time as public GCN alerts now!*



# IceCube Trigger

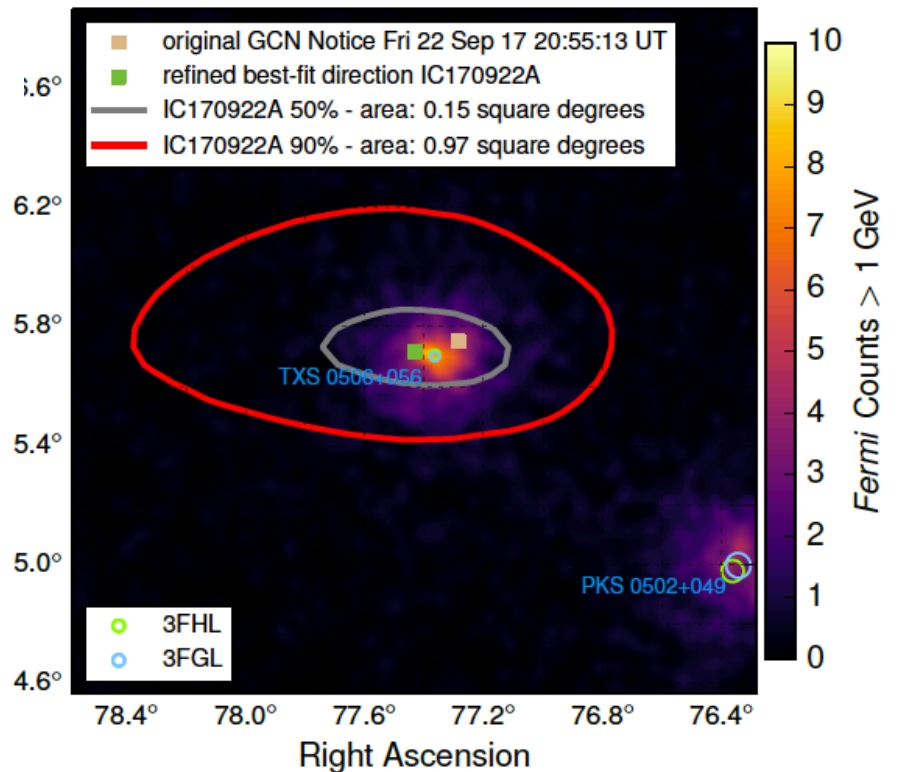
43 seconds after trigger, GCN notice was sent

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                     77.5221d {+05h 10m 05s} (current),  
                     76.6176d {+05h 06m 28s} (1950)  
SRC_DEC:              +5.7517d {+05d 45' 06"} (J2000),  
                     +5.7732d {+05d 46' 24"} (current),  
                     +5.6888d {+05d 41' 20"} (1950)  
SRC_ERROR:            14.99 [arcmin radius, stat+sys, 50% containment]  
DISCOVERY_DATE:       18018 TJD;   265 DOY;   17/09/22 (yy/mm/dd)  
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REVISION:              0  
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SIGNALNESS:           5.6507e-01 [dn]  
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IceCube 170922  
290 TeV

Fermi  
detects a flaring  
blazar within 0.06°



MAGIC  
detects emission of  
> 100 GeV gammas



# MASTER robotic optical telescope network: after 73 seconds



## Follow-up detections of IC170922 based on public telegrams



# THE REDSHIFT OF THE BL LAC OBJECT TXS 0506+056.

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## ABSTRACT

The bright BL Lac object TXS 0506+056 is a most likely counterpart of the IceCube neutrino event EHE 170922A. The lack of this redshift prevents a comprehensive understanding of the modeling of the source. We present high signal-to-noise optical spectroscopy, in the range 4100-9000 Å, obtained at the 10.4m Gran Telescopio Canarias. The spectrum is characterized by a power law continuum and is marked by faint interstellar features. In the regions unaffected by these features, we found three very weak ( $EW \sim 0.1$  Å) emission lines that we identify with [O II] 3727 Å, [O III] 5007 Å, and [NII] 6583 Å, yielding the redshift  $z = 0.3365 \pm 0.0010$ .

*Keywords:* galaxies: BL Lacertae objects: individual (TXS 0506+056) – distances and redshifts – gamma rays: galaxies –neutrinos

- we do not see our own Galaxy
- we do not see the nearest extragalactic sources
- we find a blazar at 4 billion lightyears!

# multiwavelength campaign launched by IC 170922

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IceCube, *Fermi* –LAT, MAGIC, Agile, ASAS-SN, HAWC, H.E.S.S, INTEGRAL, Kapteyn, Kanata, KISO, Liverpool, Subaru, *Swift*, VLA, VERITAS

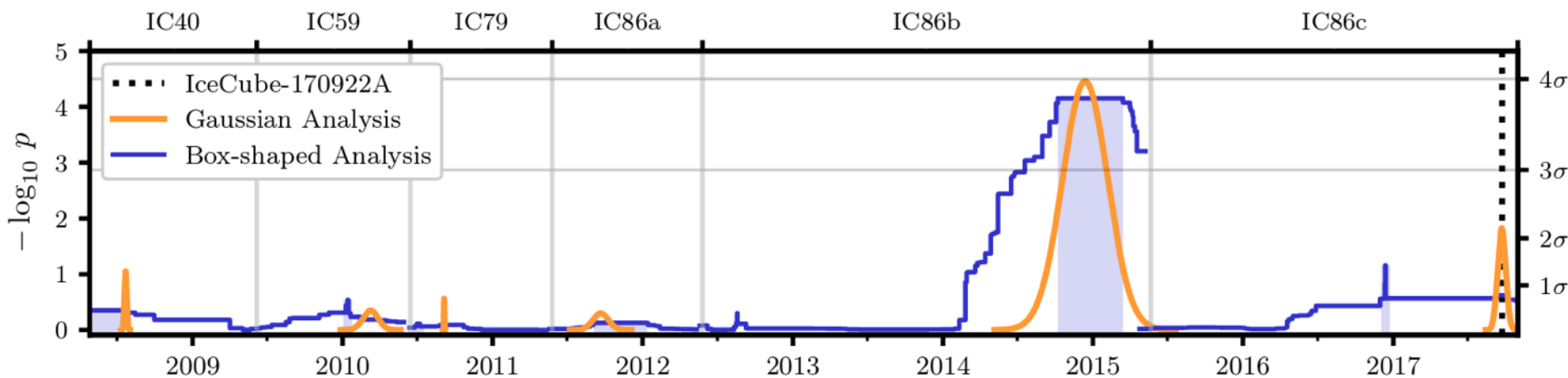
- neutrino: time 22.09.17, 20:54:31 UTC  
energy 290 TeV  
direction RA 77.43° Dec 5.72°
- Fermi-LAT: flaring blazar within 0.06° (7x steady flux)
- MAGIC: TeV source in follow-up observations (daily variations)
- follow-up by more telescopes

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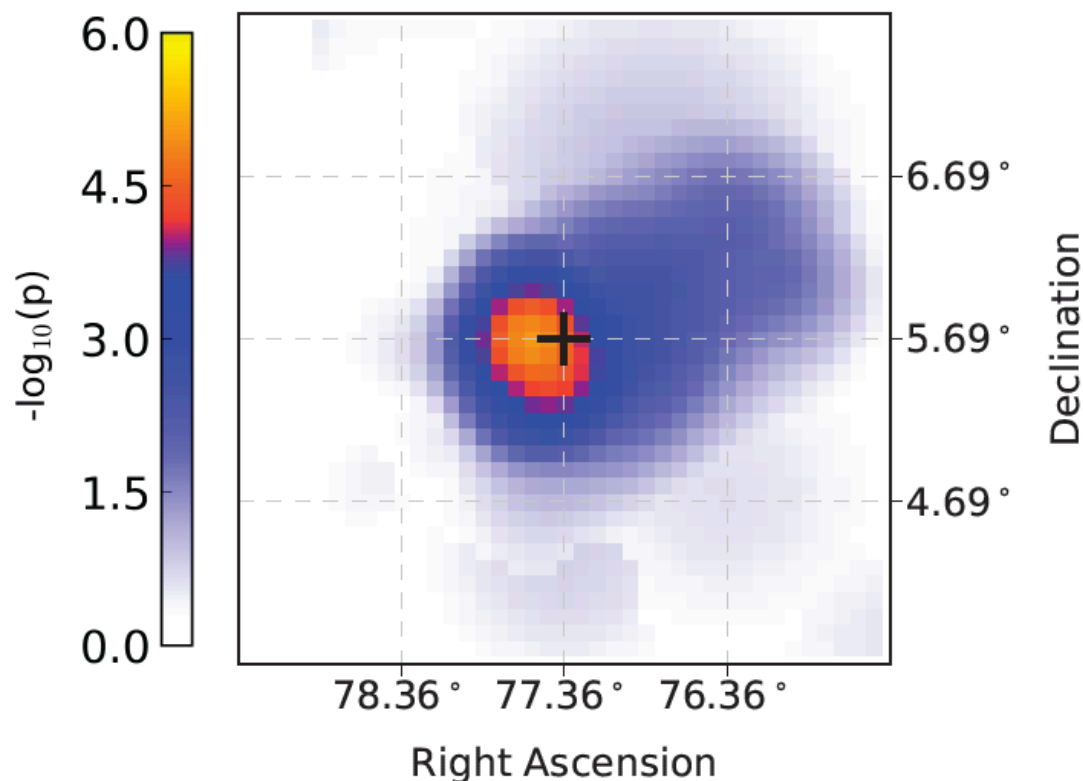
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- IceCube archival data
- MAGIC, HESS, VERITAS
- optical observation
- radio interferometry imaging

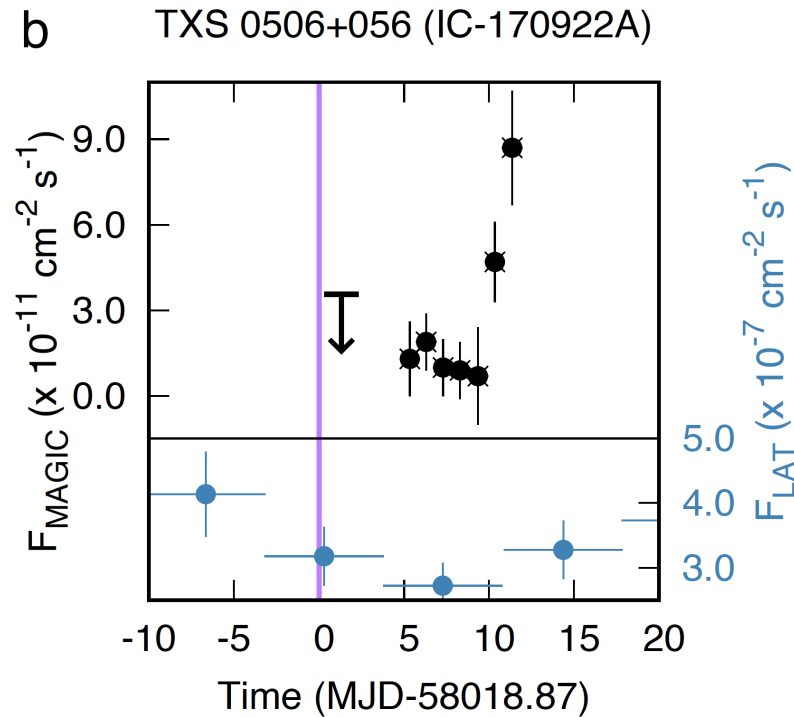


search in archival  
IceCube data:

- 100-day flare in 2014
- spectrum  $E^{-2.2}$
- $L_\nu > 10^{47}$  erg/s
- no gamma ray flare



no gamma rays at the time the neutrino is produced !



- MAGIC, HESS and VERITAS: no TeV gamma rays at the time the neutrino was produced
- MAGIC: onset of the TeV flux 5 days after IC170922
- MASTER: the blazar switches from the “off” to “on” state 2 hours after the neutrino

global robotic network of  
optical telescopes  
connects TXS 0506+056  
to IC170922A



“MASTER found the blazar in the off-state *after one minute*  
and then switched to on-state two hours after the event.  
The effect is observed at a 50-sigma significance level”

### Optical Observations Reveal Strong Evidence for High Energy Neutrino Progenitor

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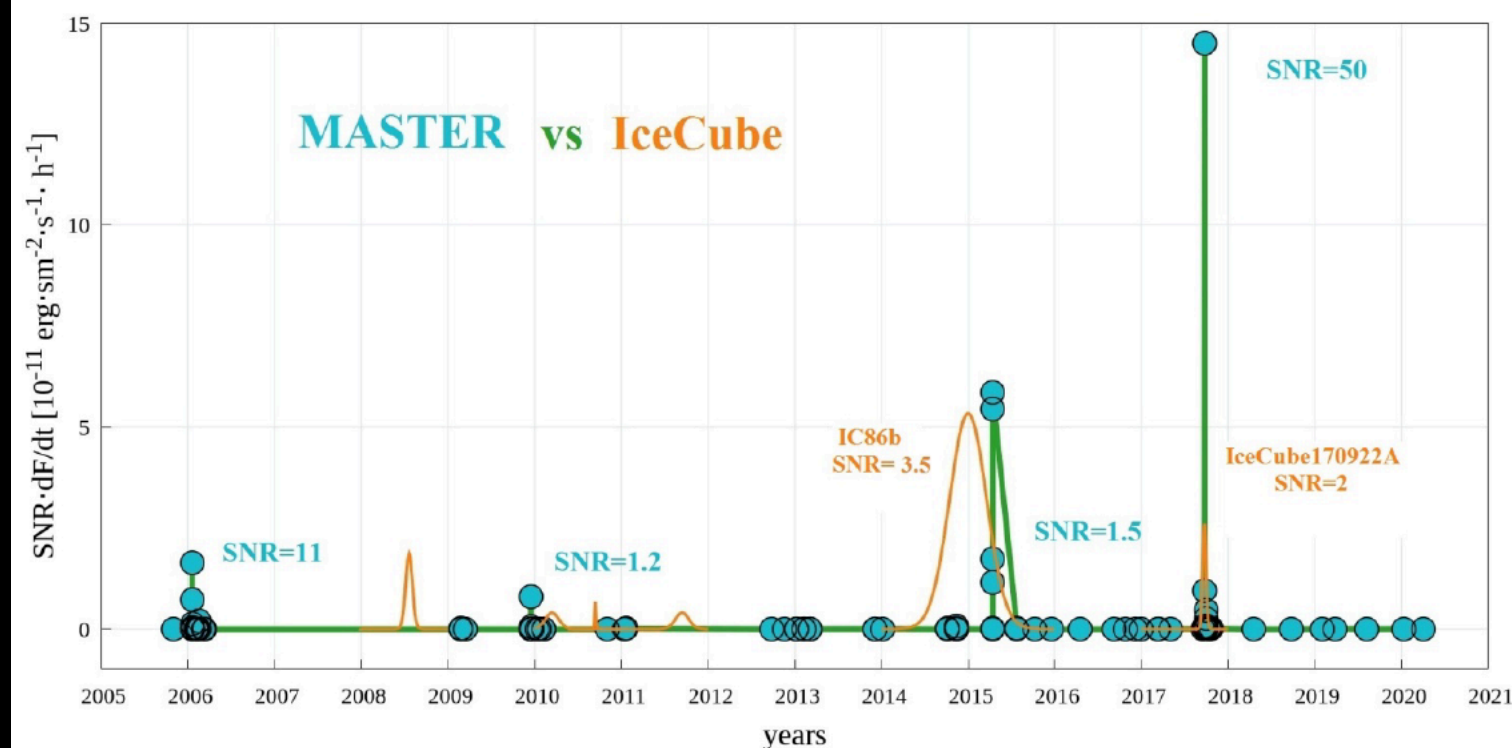
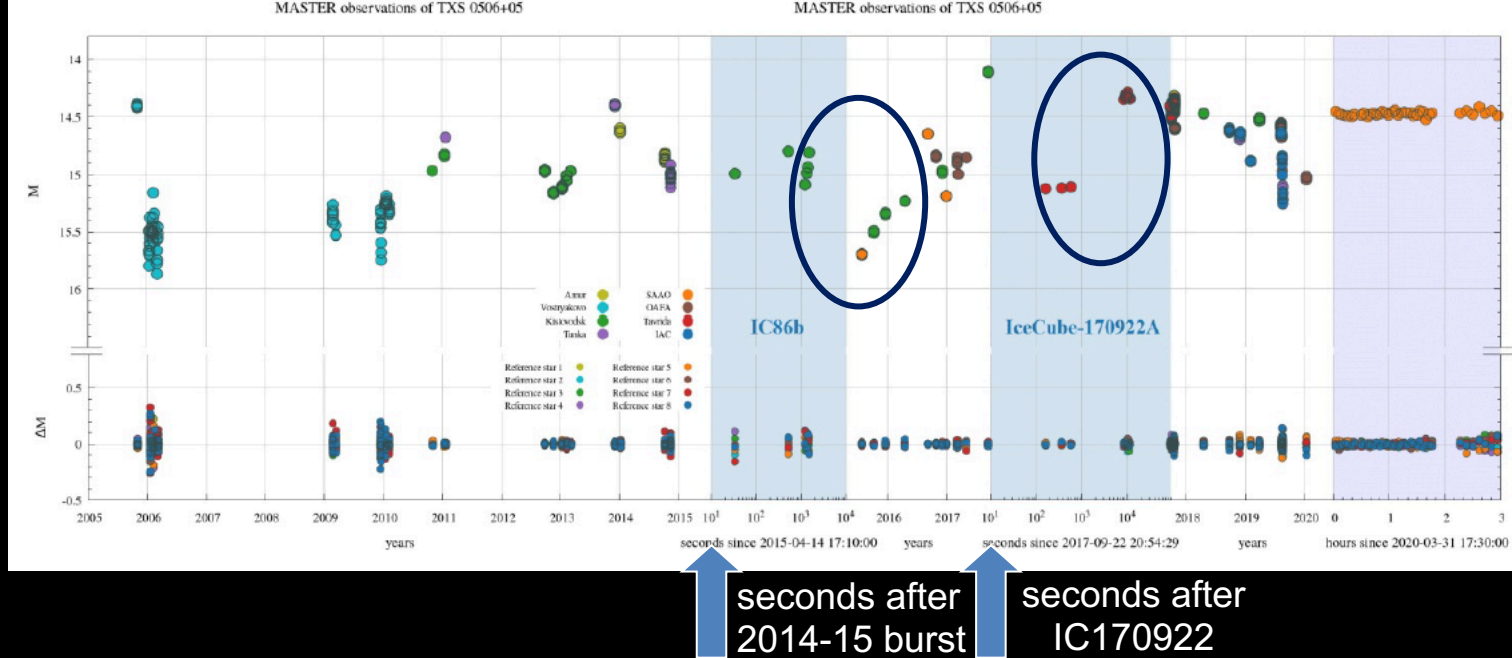
robotic network

optical observations  
TXS 0506+056  
since 2005

blue panels:  
expanded time axis  
years  $\rightarrow$  seconds

time variation of flux  
times  
signal-to-noise

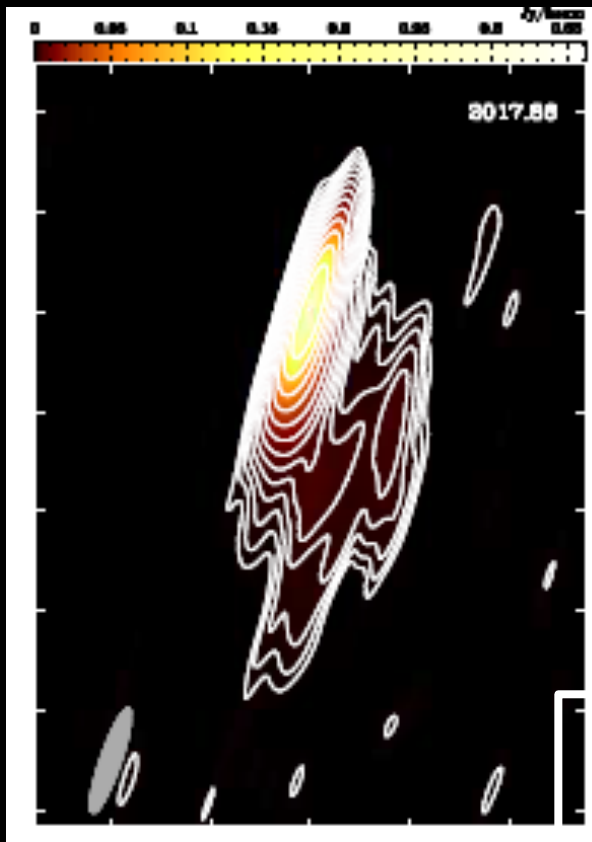
hour-scale  
variability of the  
source after  
neutrino emission





radio interferometry  
images show the target  
that produces the  
neutrinos and obscures  
the gamma rays

- core brightening observed  
in a radio burst that started  
5 years ago
- core expands with  
superluminal velocity

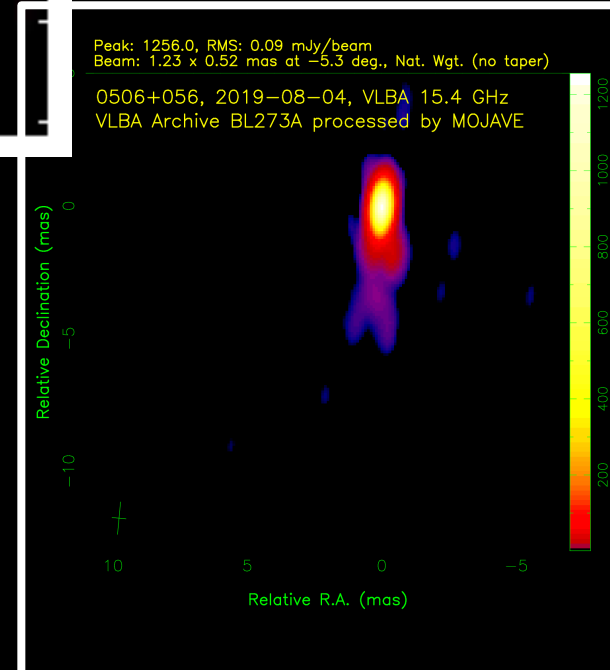


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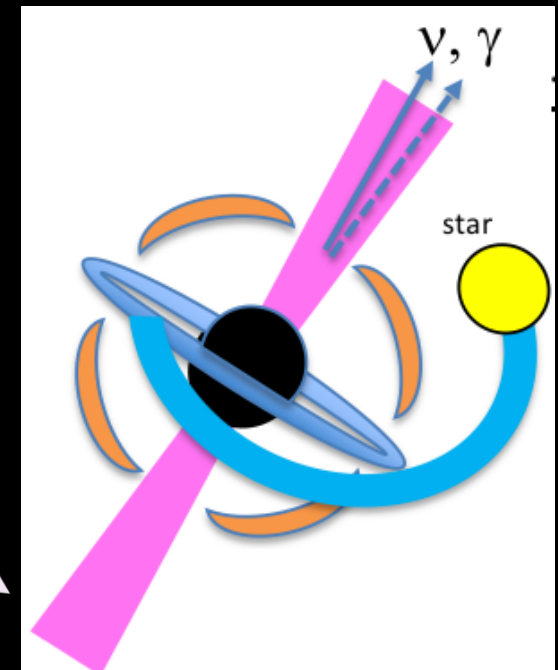
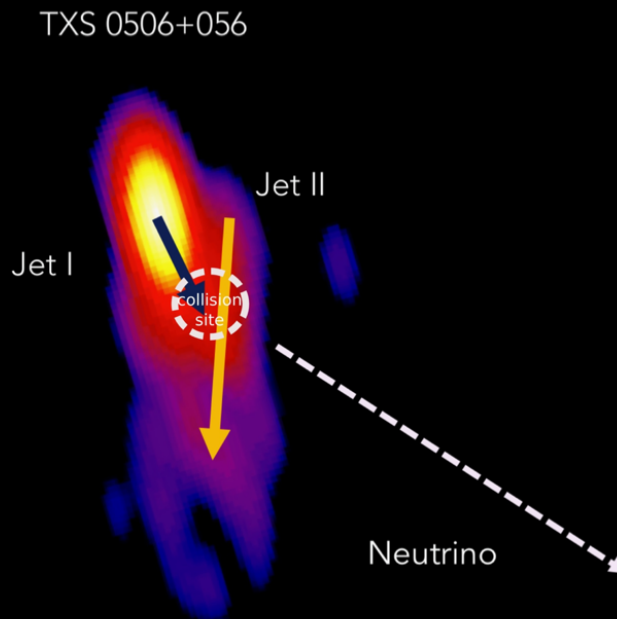
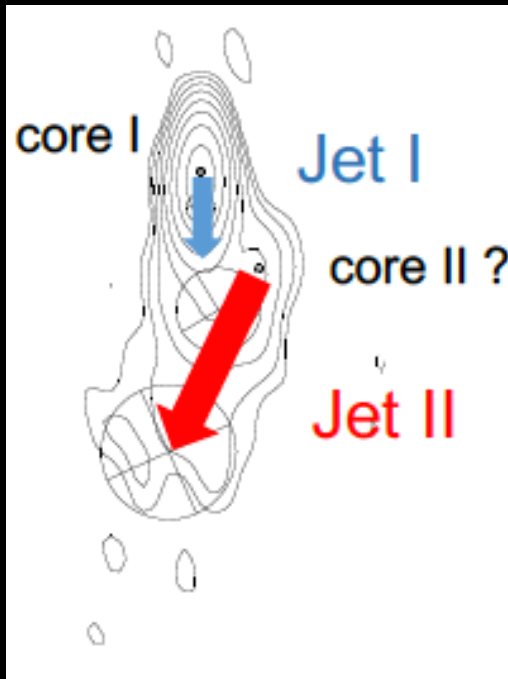
- beyond 5 milliarcseconds the jet  
loses its tight collimation...
- jet found a target after ~ tens of  
pc to produce neutrinos

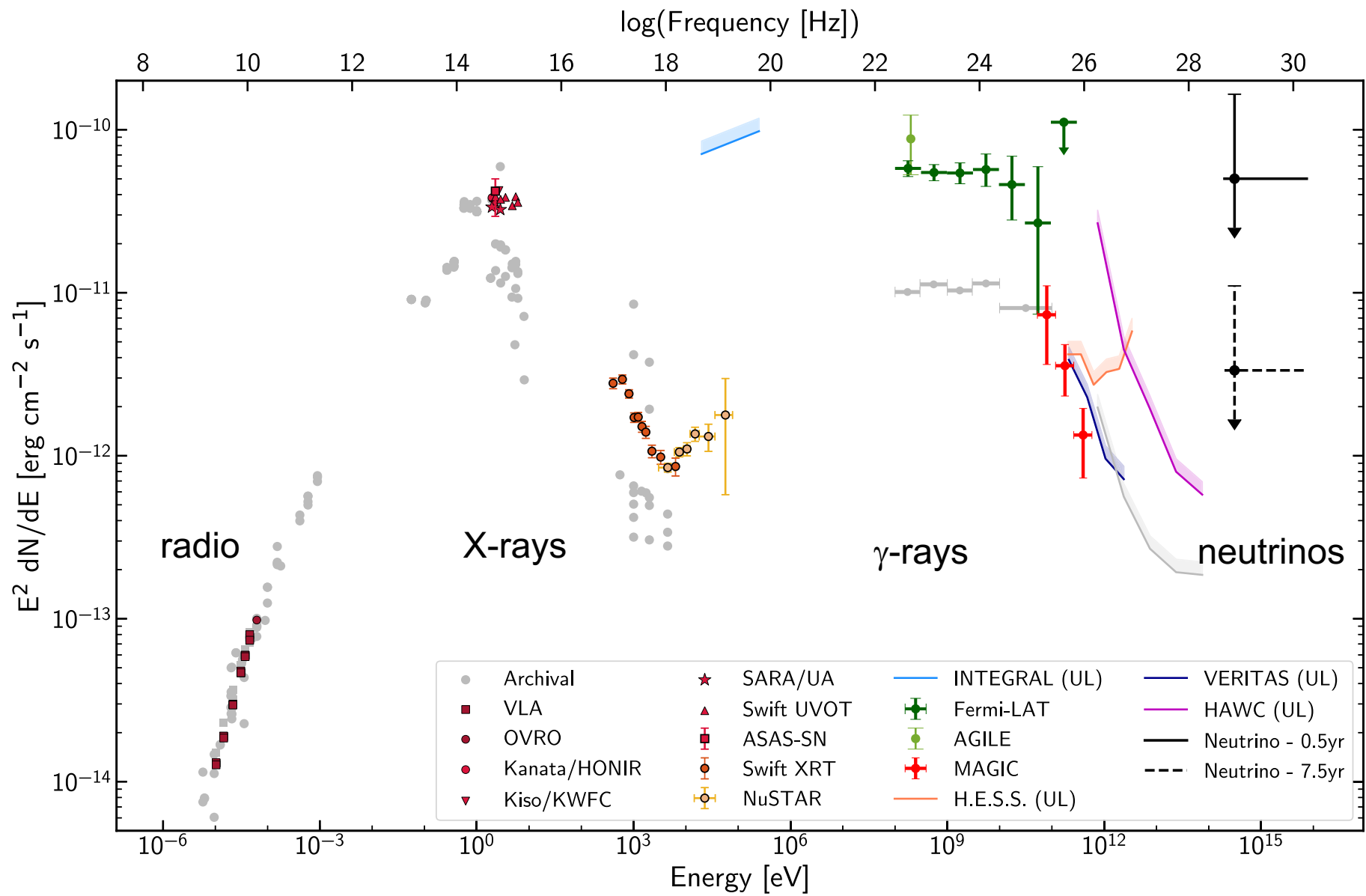
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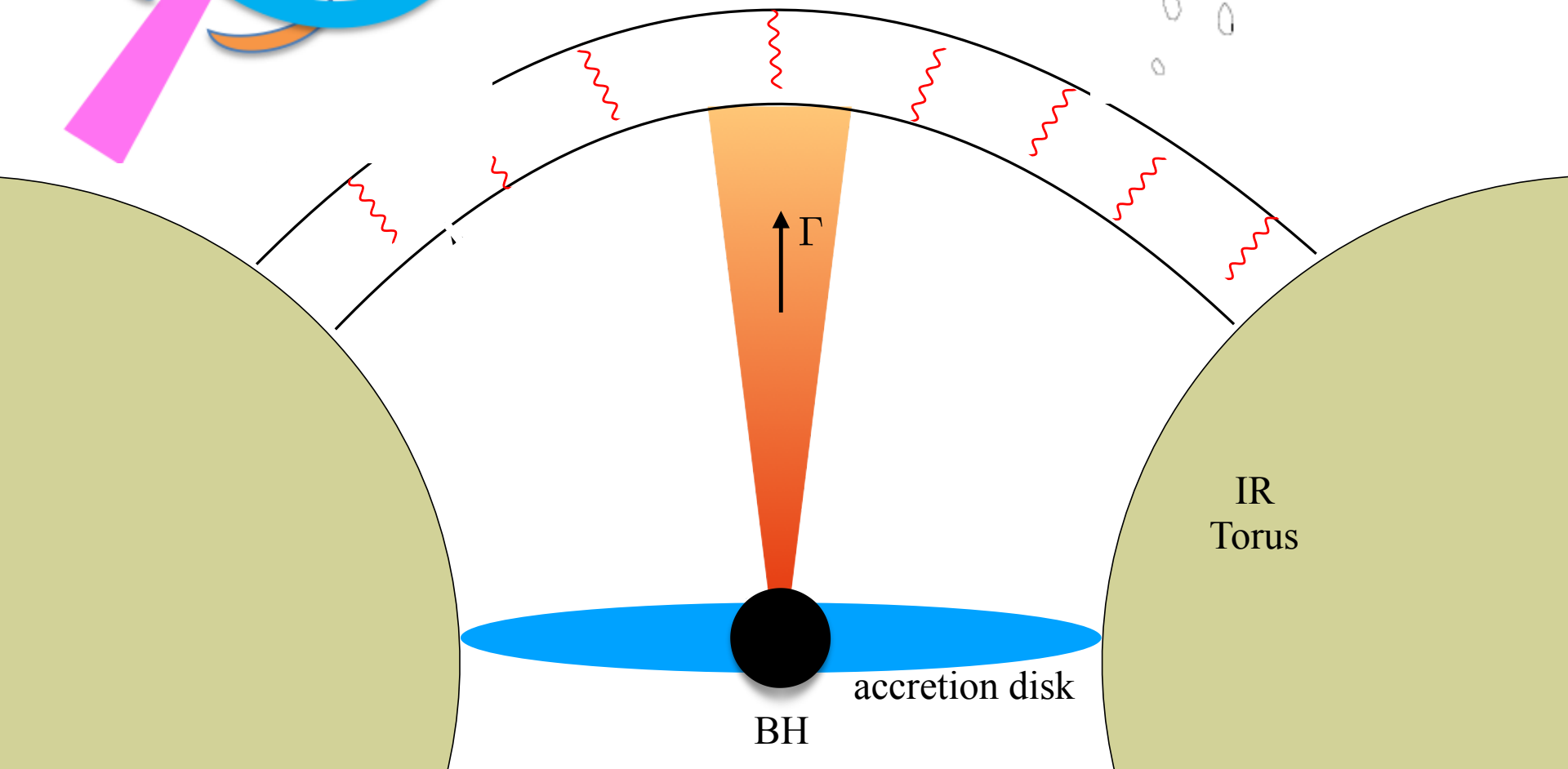
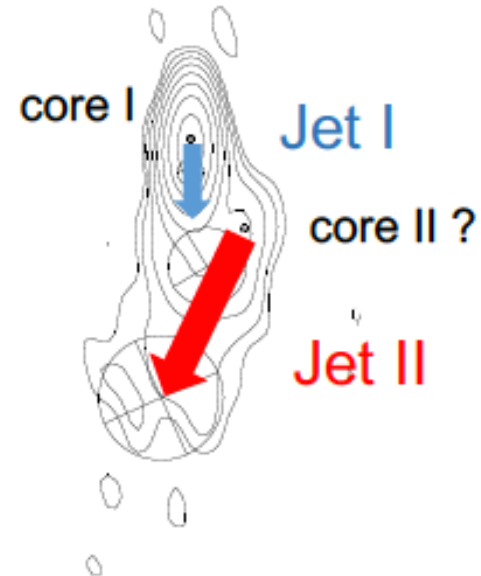
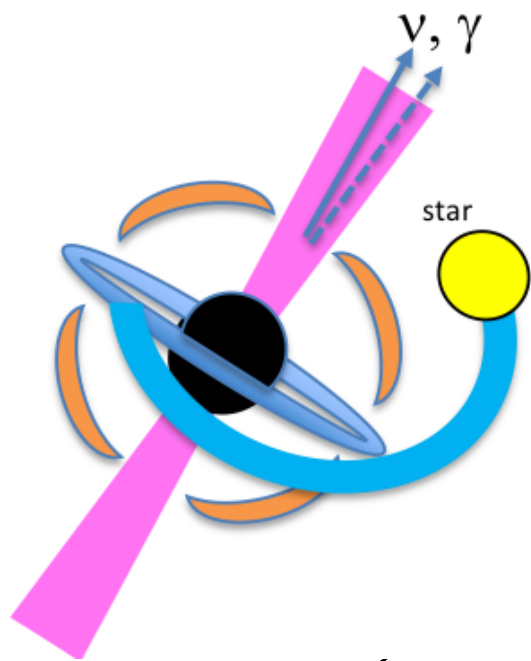
- radio interferometry images show that the jet interacts with a target close to the base of the jet
- a massive star in the host galaxy, the jet of a merging galaxy?
- the gamma rays accompanying the neutrinos lose their energy in the target that produces them





blazar models cannot produce a single neutrino at this level

# agn burst

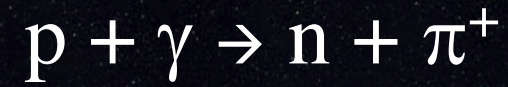


THEORY “PROBLEM” RESOLVED: TXS IS NOT A  
BLAZAR AT TIMES THAT NEUTRINOS ARE PRODUCED

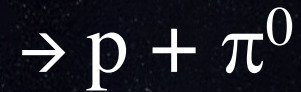
IceCube's neutrinos are detected from temporally gamma-suppressed blazars

- TXS is *not* a blazar at times that neutrinos are produced.
- When a source is transparent to high energy gamma rays there is an insufficient photon or matter target density to produce neutrinos. (The opacity to photons is  $\sim 100$  times that to protons).
- TXS cannot be a “vanilla” blazar, otherwise blazars would overproduce the diffuse flux ([1605.06119](#) [astro-ph.HE])
- some other intriguing events: 190730, 191001, 200107...

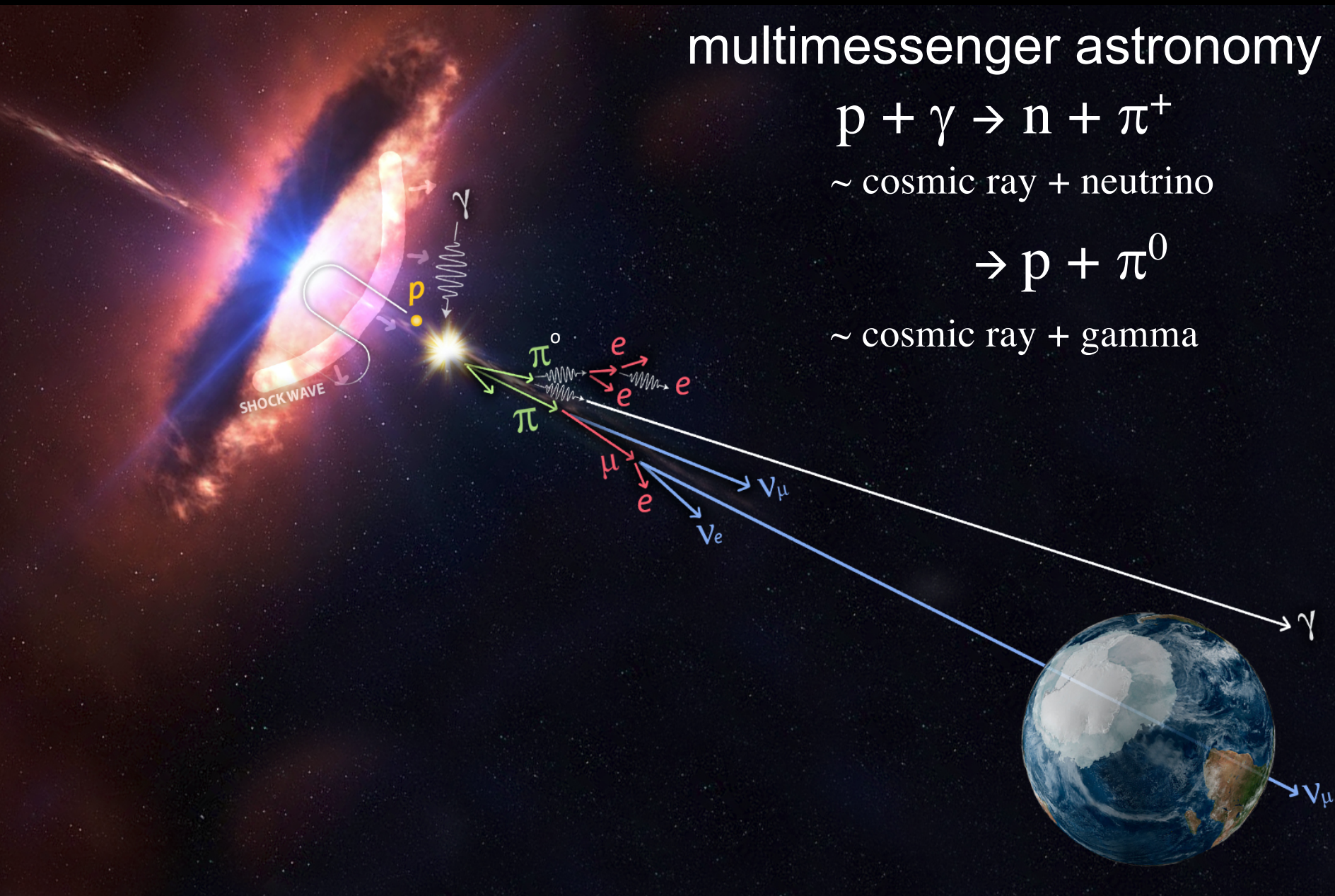
# multimessenger astronomy



~ cosmic ray + neutrino



~ cosmic ray + gamma



injection rate of cosmic rays in the universe:  $\rho L_p = \frac{dE}{dt}$

$$(4\pi t_H) E_{\nu_\mu}^2 \Phi_{\nu_\mu} = \frac{1}{2} \tau_{p\gamma} [\rho L_p] = [\rho L_\nu]$$

diffuse flux measured by IceCube

TXS flux (10y average)

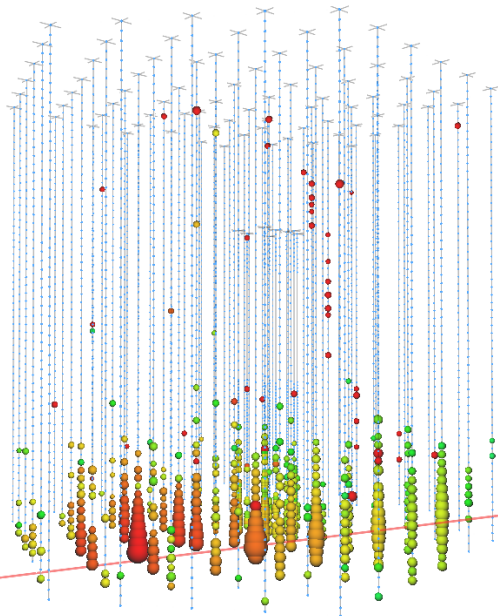
solution:

opacity of the source to protons ( $f_\pi$ )

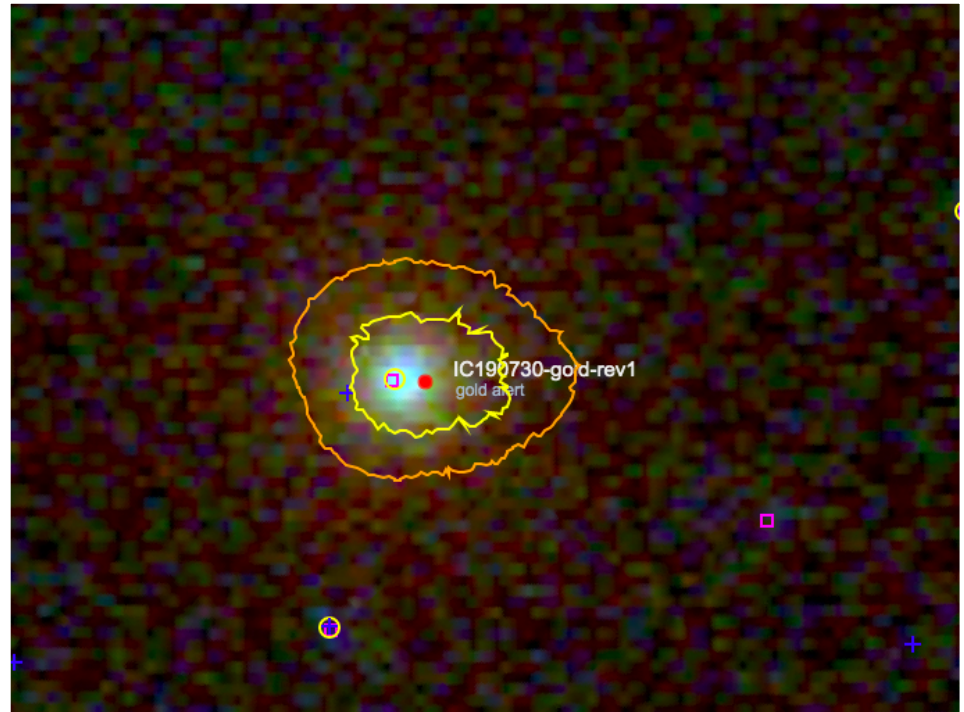
$$\rho \simeq 10^{-11} \text{ per Mpc}^3 \quad \text{and} \quad \tau_{p\gamma} \geq 0.4$$

- sources are opaque to gamma rays with  $\tau_{\gamma\gamma} \gg \tau_{p\gamma} \geq 0.4$
- for instance, ~ few % of blazars

# a second cosmic ray source ?



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IC 190730: 300 TeV

- coincident with PKS 1502+106
- radio burst

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## Neutrino candidate source FSRQ PKS 1502+106 at highest flux density at 15 GHz

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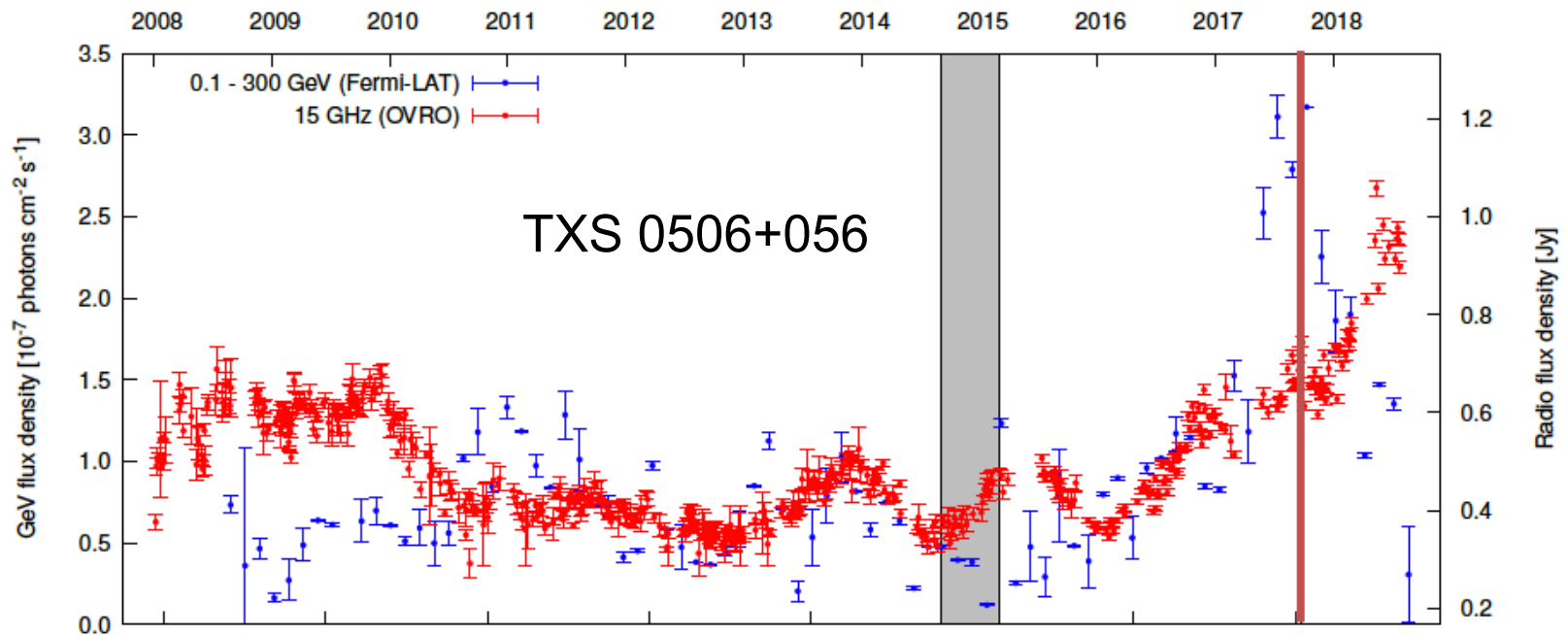
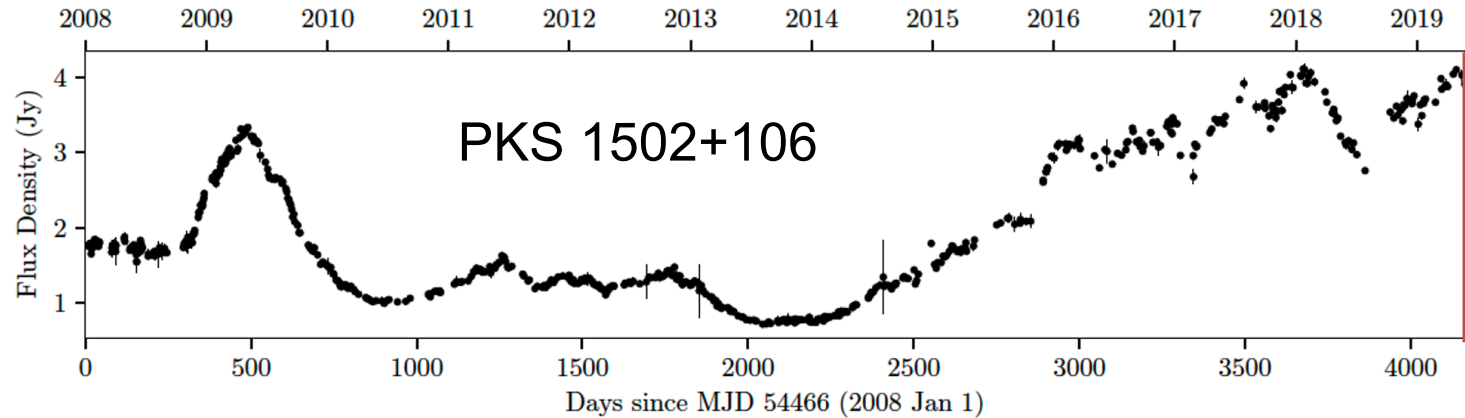
On 2019/07/30.86853 UT IceCube detected a high-energy astrophysical neutrino candidate (ATel #12967). The FSRQ PKS 1502+106 is located within the 50% uncertainty region of the event. We report that the flux density at 15 GHz measured with the OVRO 40m Telescope shows a long-term outburst that started in 2014, which is currently reaching an all-time high of about 4 Jy, since the beginning of the OVRO measurements in 2008. A similar 15 GHz long-term outburst was seen in TXS 0506+056 during the neutrino event [IceCube-170922A](#).

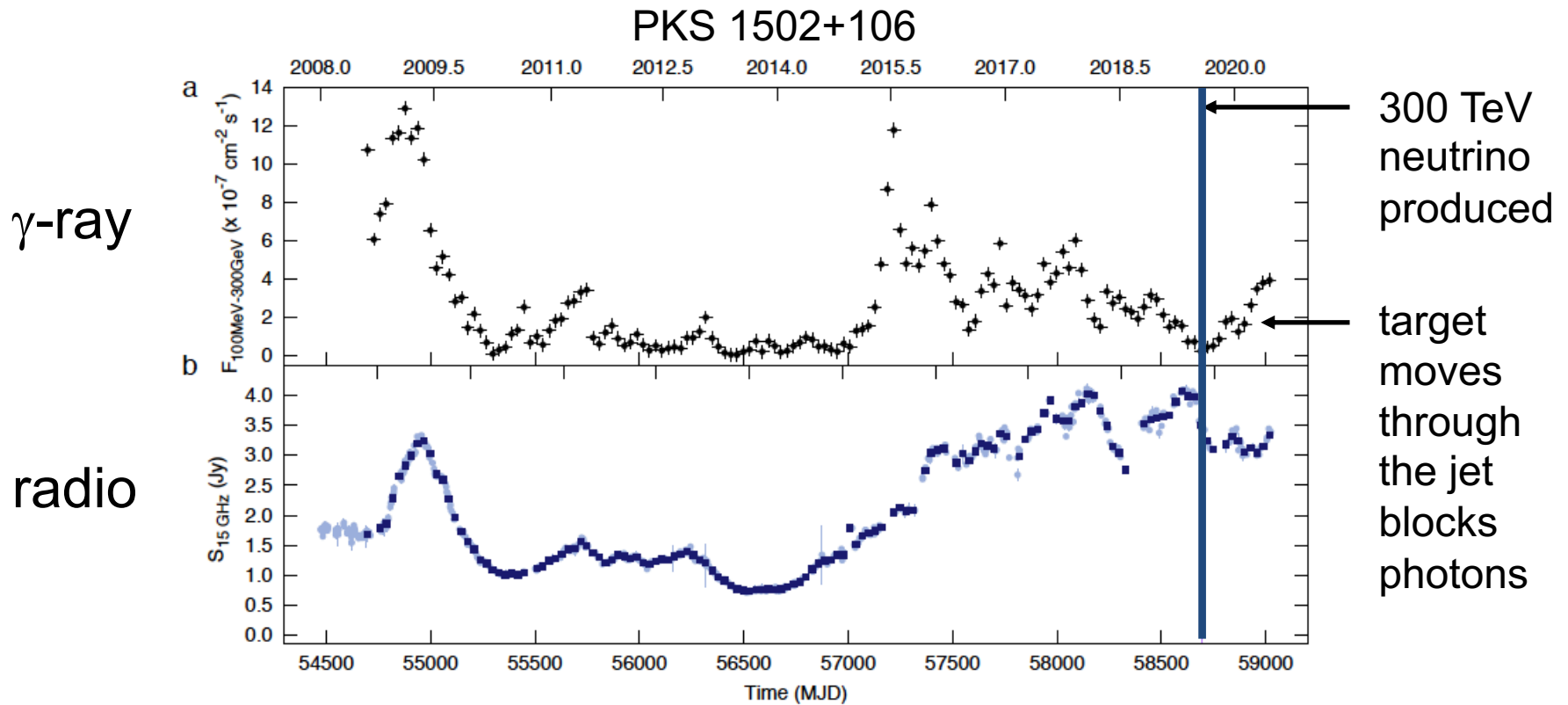
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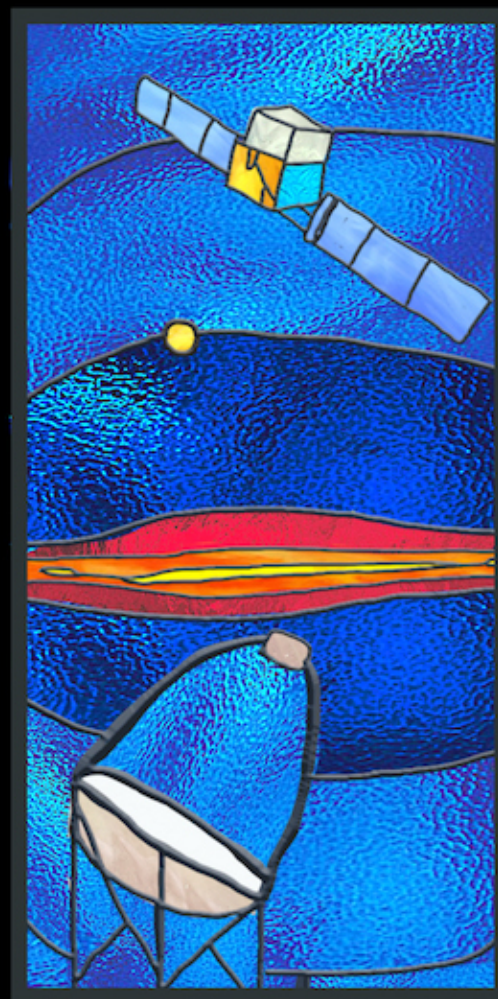
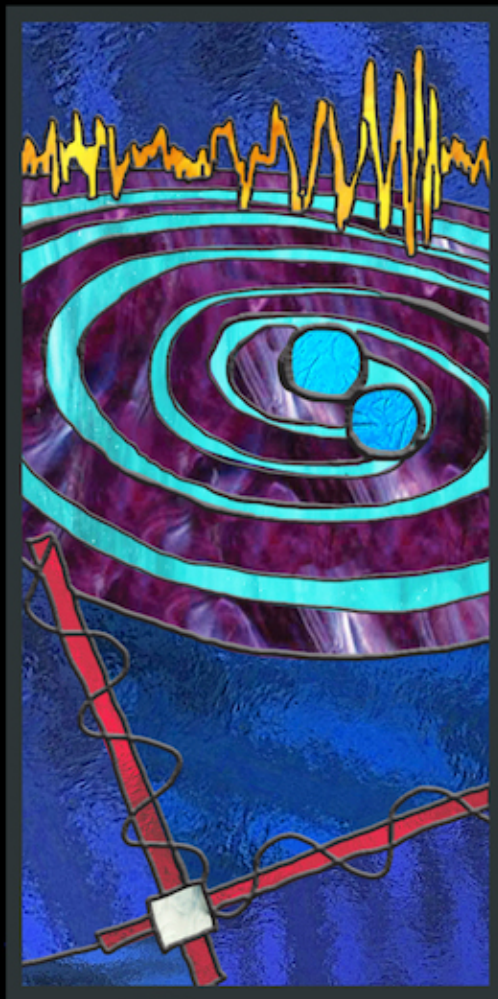
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the two highest energy ( $300 \text{ TeV } \nu_{\mu}$ ) IceCube neutrino alerts are coincident with radio flares (see also [2001.00930 \[astro-ph.HE\]](#))







next attraction: gravitational waves + neutrinos?

(August 17, 2017 neutron star merger: jet not aligned)



## neutrino astronomy 2021

- it exists
- more neutrinos, better neutrinos
- closing in on cosmic ray sources

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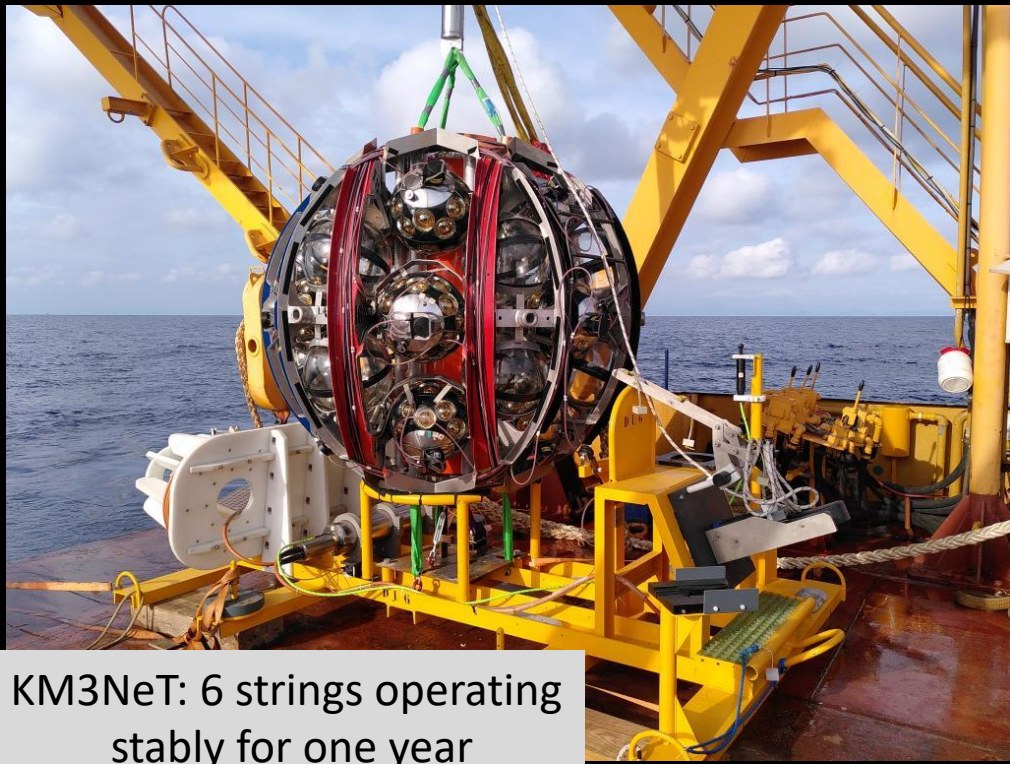
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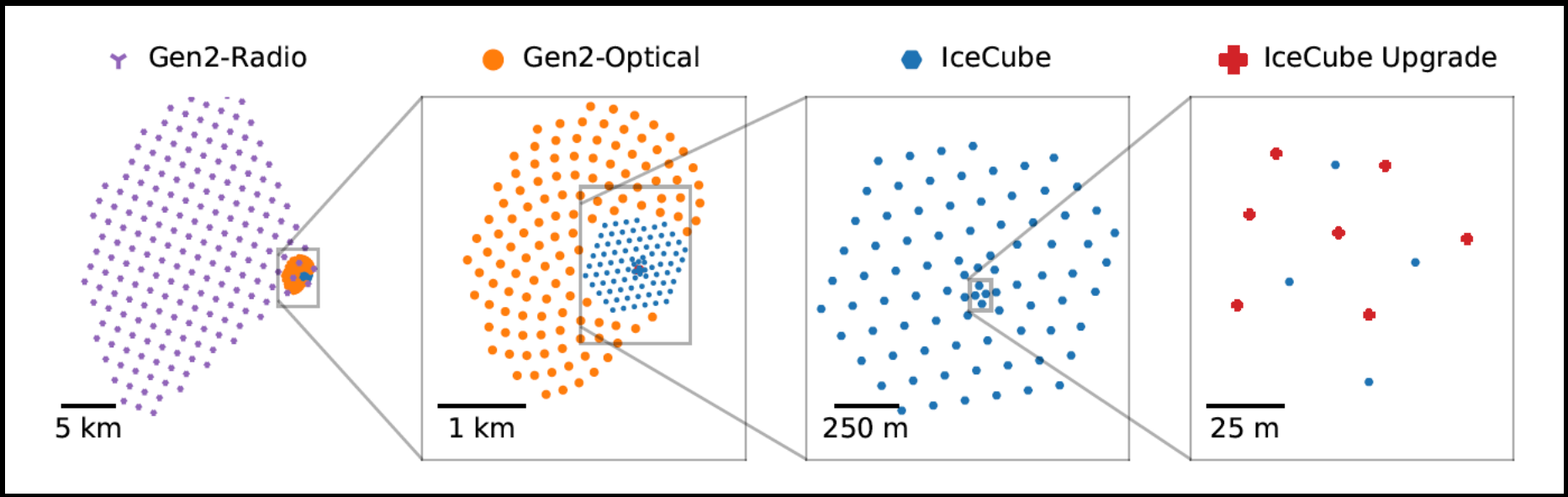
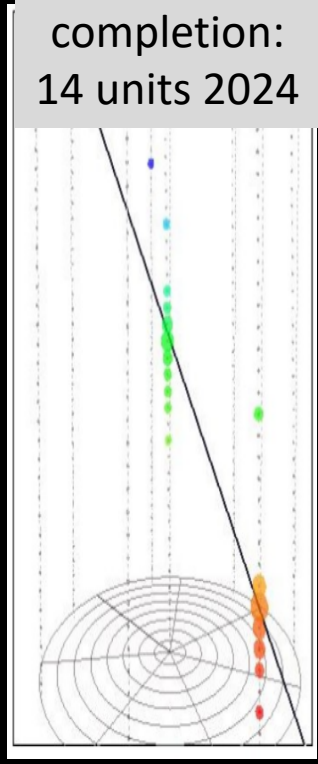
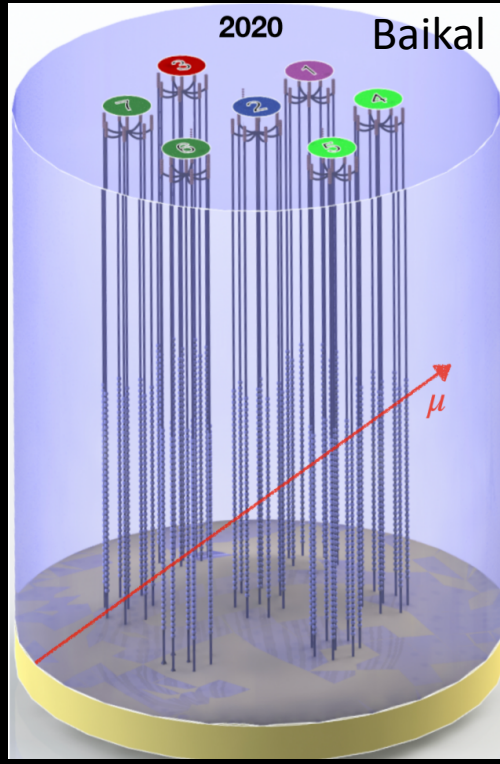
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overflow sides



KM3NeT: 6 strings operating stably for one year







**Radio Array | Station**



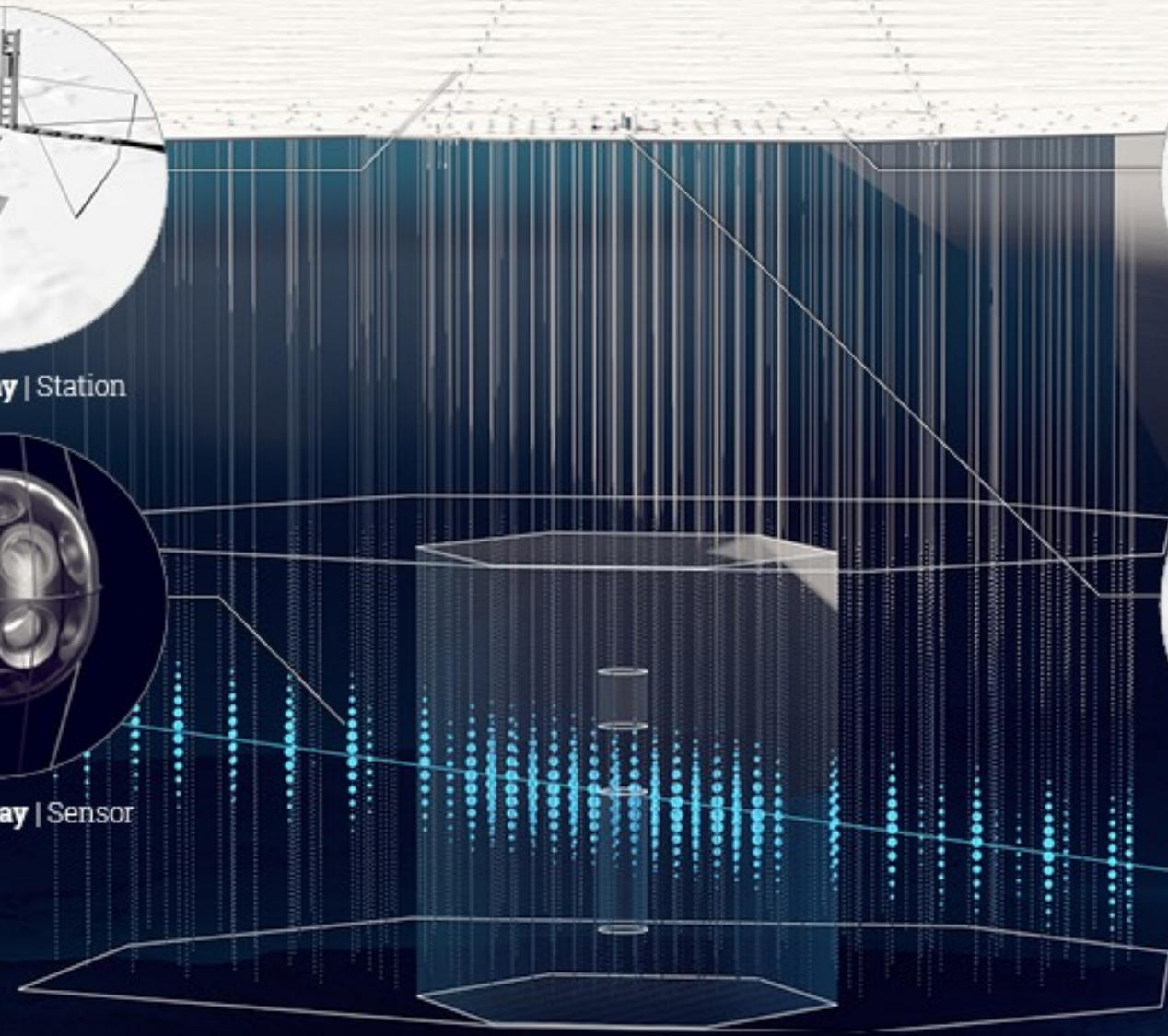
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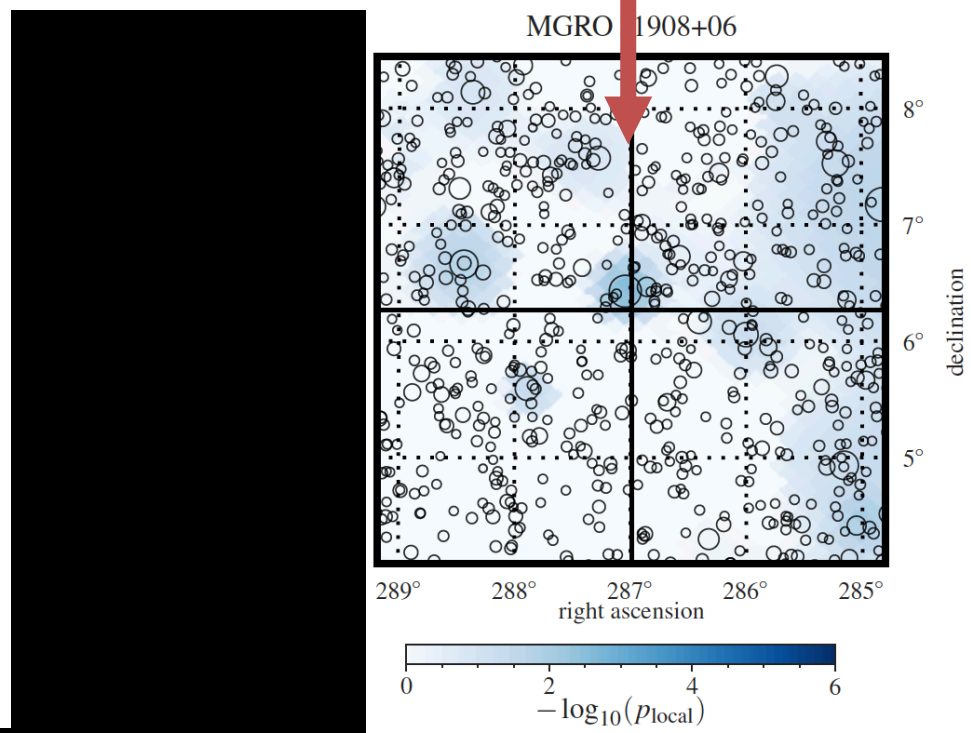
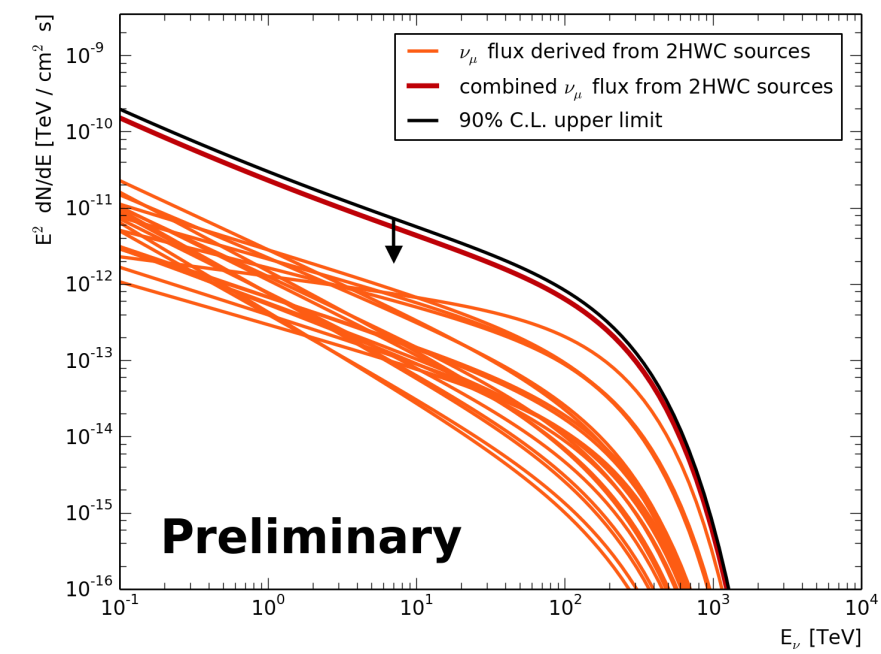
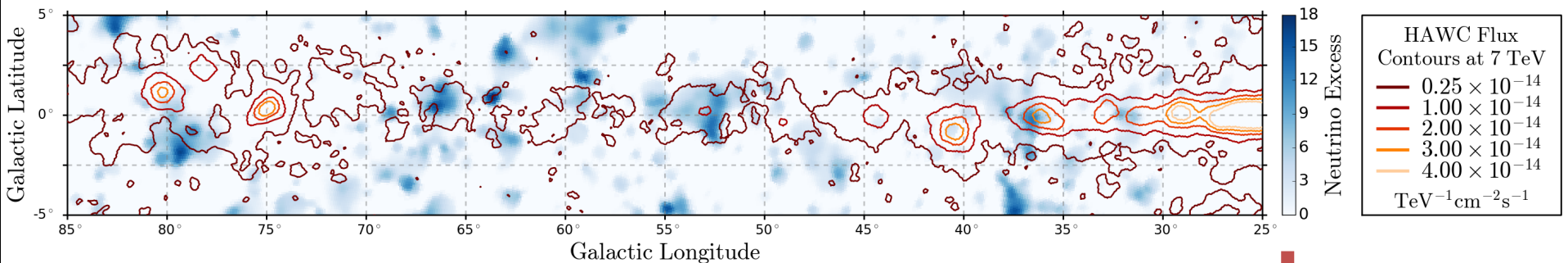
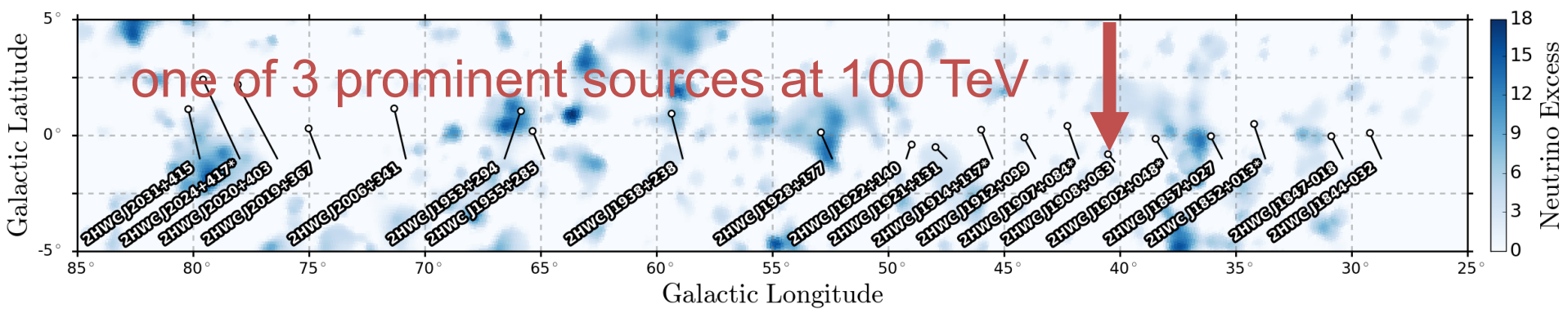


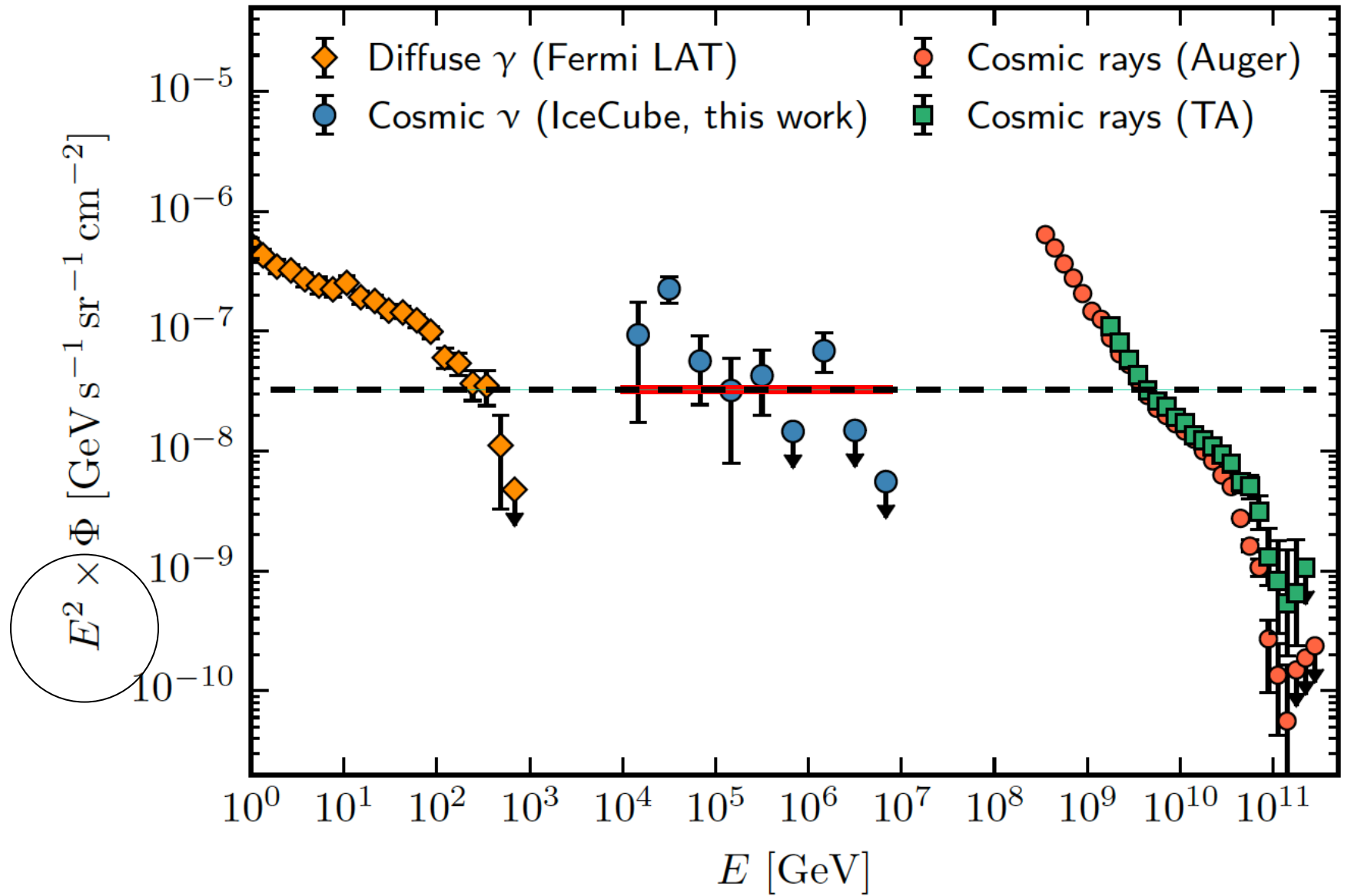
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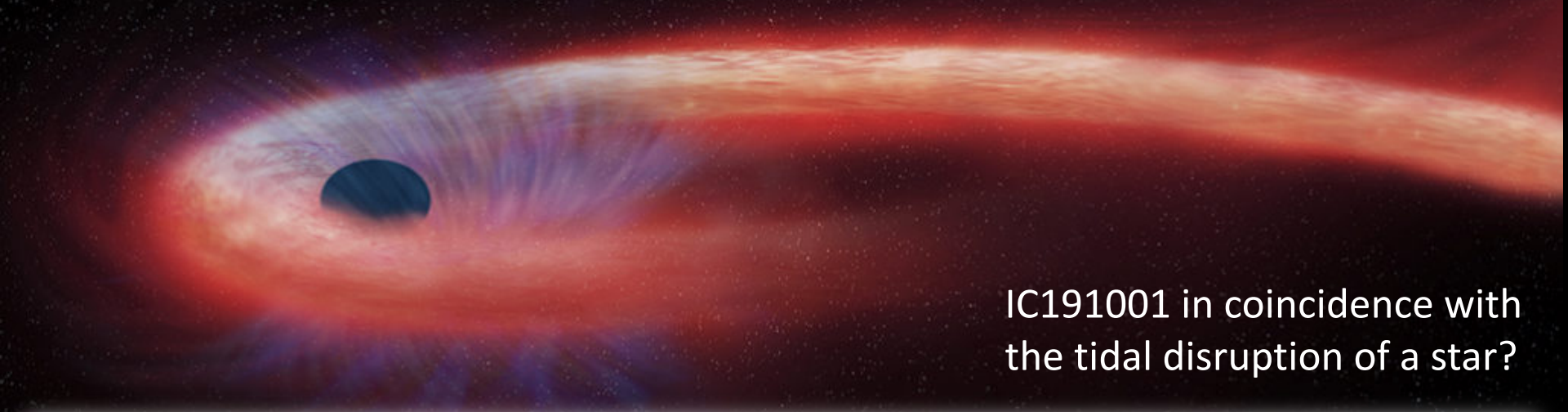
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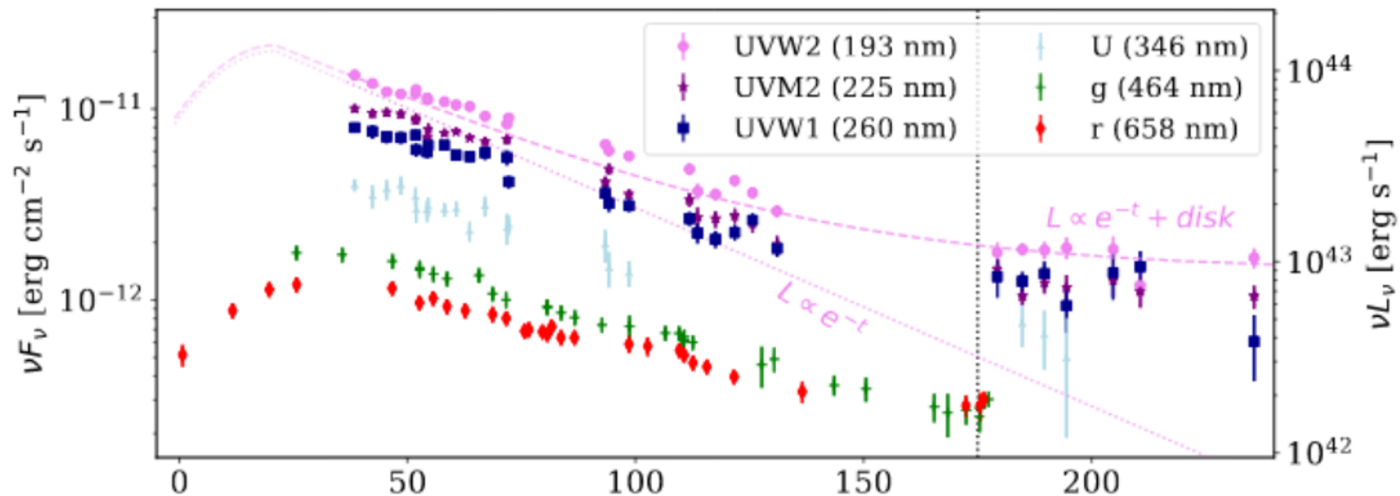


energy in the Universe in gamma rays, neutrinos and cosmic rays



IC191001 in coincidence with the tidal disruption of a star?

## IC191001 close to luminous TDE of the Zwicky Transit Factory



Discovered in April 2019 by ZTF, lots of data! Neutrino arrived  $\sim 175$  days post-discovery.

Relatively early/bright plateau, consistent with accretion disk formation.

As for most TDEs, well-described by thermal emission ( $T \sim 10^{4.6}$  K,  $R \sim 10^{14.5}$  cm,  $L_{\text{peak}} \sim 10^{44.5}$  erg s $^{-1}$ )