

Introduction to Gamma-ray Astrophysics - Active Galactic Nuclei & Cosmic Gamma-ray Background -

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極限宇宙セル（極限宇宙現象とそれらを支配する時空と物質の起源の解明）

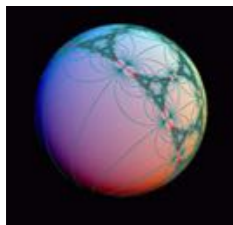
物理学・計算科学・数学の協働により、時空の起源と物質の起源を解明する。特に京コンピュータ及びその後継機を用いた素粒子原子核の大規模シミュレーションを推進するとともに、その超新星爆発・ガンマ線バーストの大規模数値計算の融合を達成し、国内外の加速器実験データ・宇宙観測データと併せて物質の起源を解明する。更に、現代数学と素粒子物理学及び宇宙物理学の融合を図り、ブラックホール時空創成や宇宙初期時空創成の謎の挑戦する。



加速器実験データ・宇宙観測データによる極限天体中の元素合成計算の精度向上。



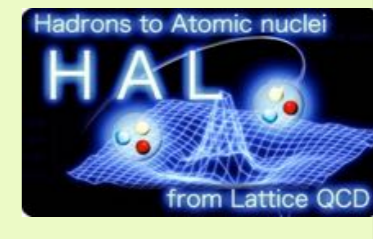
素粒子・原子核・極限天体の大規模かつ高精度シミュレーション。



現代数学との協働によるブラックホール時空時空の解明。

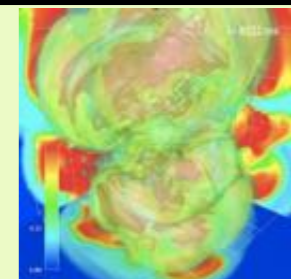
極限物質

- 2体核力の起源、3体力・4体力の起源を素粒子計算により解明。
- 素粒子原子核計算に立脚した最先端の高密度状態方程式を構築。
- 高密度状態方程式に基づく中性子星の構造の理解。



極限天体

- 超新星・ガンマ線バーストの爆発機構を大規模数値計算で解明。
- 極限天体で起こる元素合成過程計算の高精度予言。
- 極限天体で発生する重力波・ニュートリノの高精度予言。



極限宇宙

- 極限天体で形成される古典的ブラックホールの活動性解明。
- 数学と素粒子論の協働による量子的ブラックホールの理解。
- 宇宙時空構造創成の原理解明。

$$G^{\mu}_{\mu} = 8\pi G \langle T^{\mu}_{\mu} \rangle$$
$$= \gamma \mathcal{F} - \alpha \mathcal{G} + \frac{2}{3} \beta \square R$$

時空と物質の起源解明

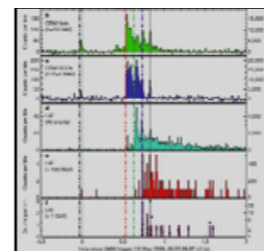
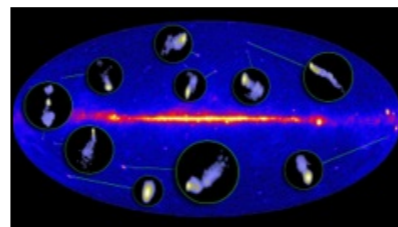
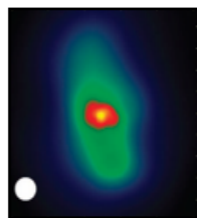
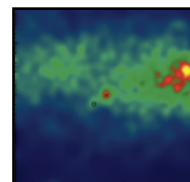
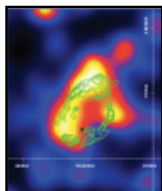
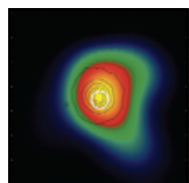
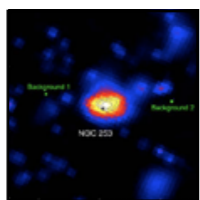
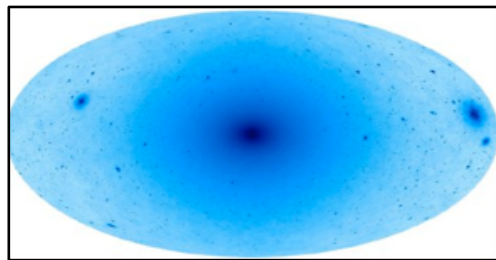
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Introduction

Gamma-ray Objects

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Globular Clusters

Radio Galaxies

Blazars

GRBs

Galactic

Extragalactic

Terrestrial γ -ray Flashes

Unidentified Sources

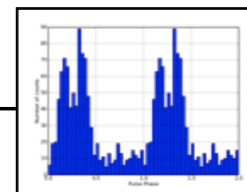
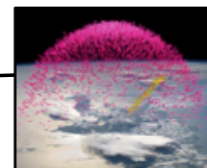
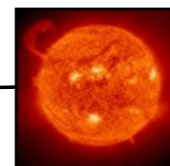
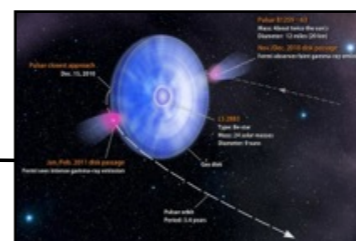
Pulsars: isolated, binaries, & MSPs

Sun: flares & CR interactions

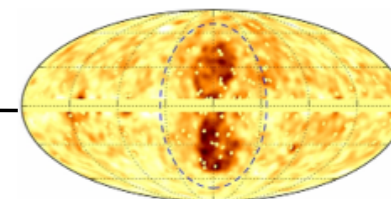
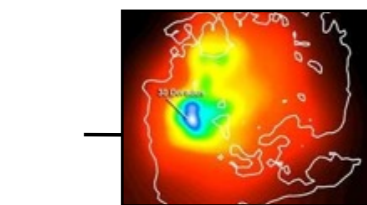
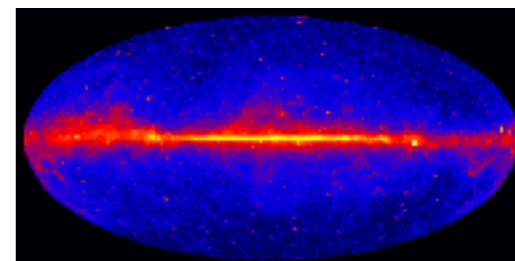
γ -ray Binaries

Fermi Bubbles

LMC & SMC



Background



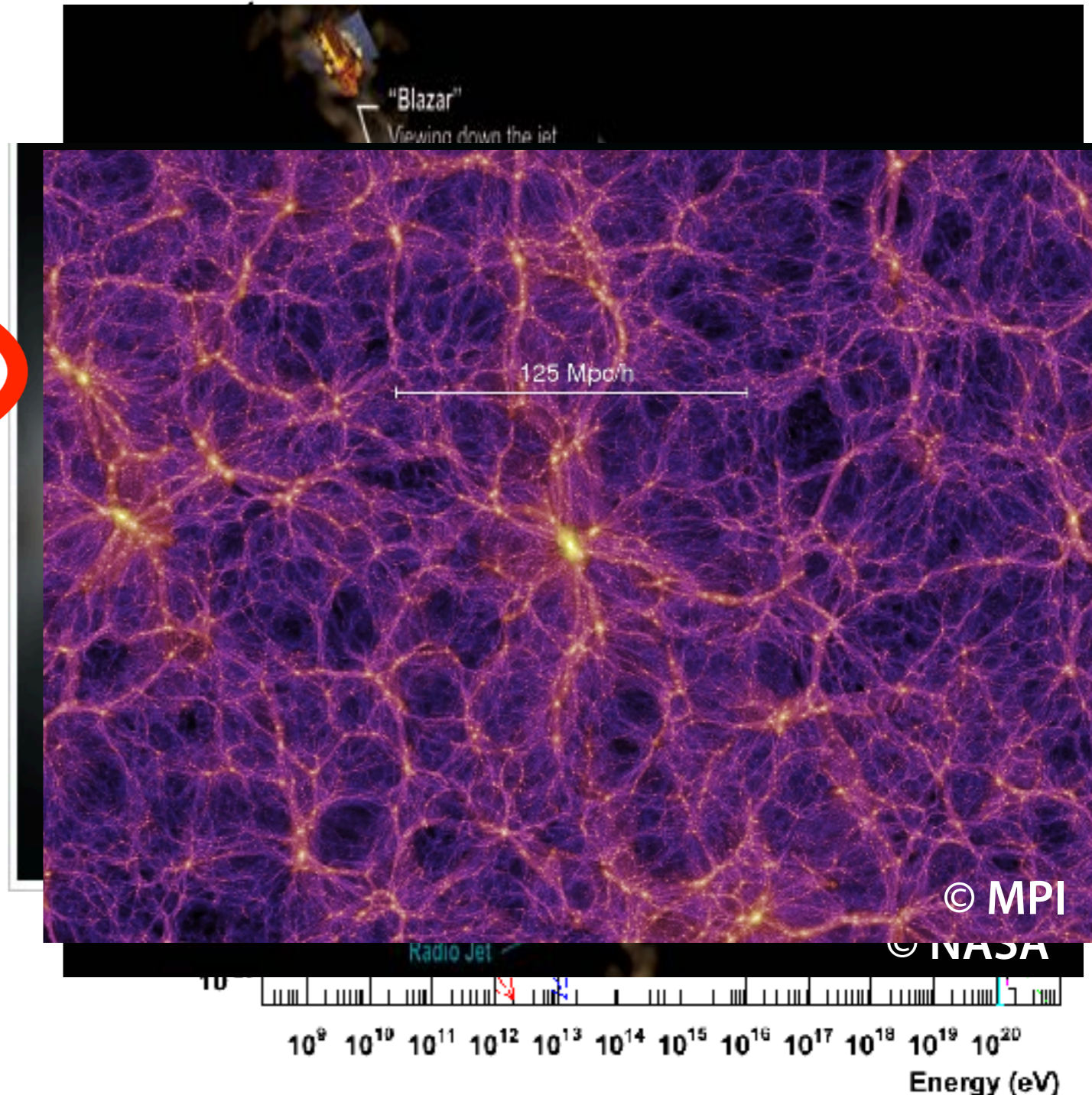
Why Gamma-ray Astrophysics?

Cosmic Ray Spectra of Various Experiments

- Probe the origin of cosmic rays

Understand relativistic jets

- Measure intergalactic photon/magnetic fields
- Hunt dark matter signals



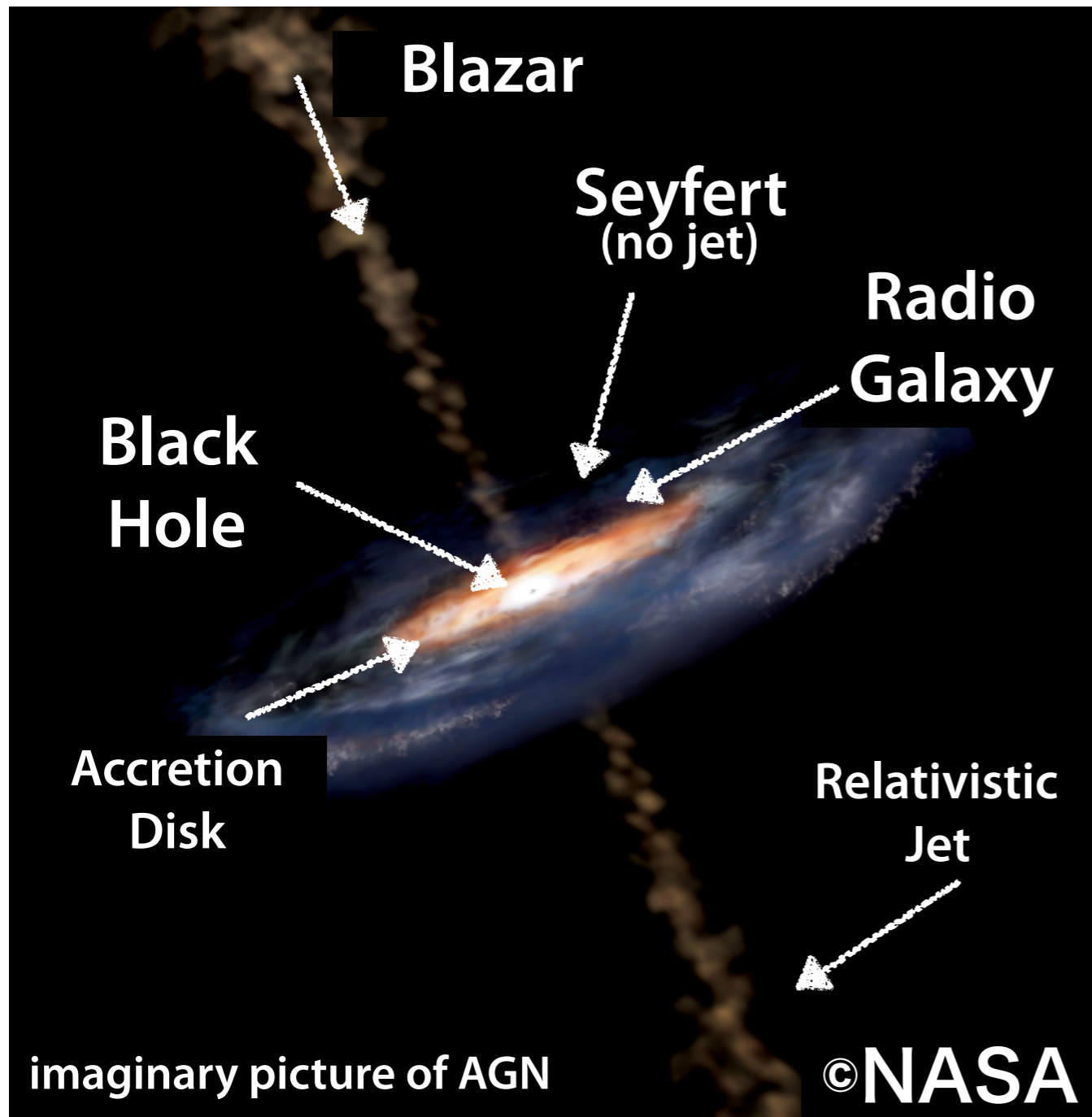
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Active Galactic Nuclei

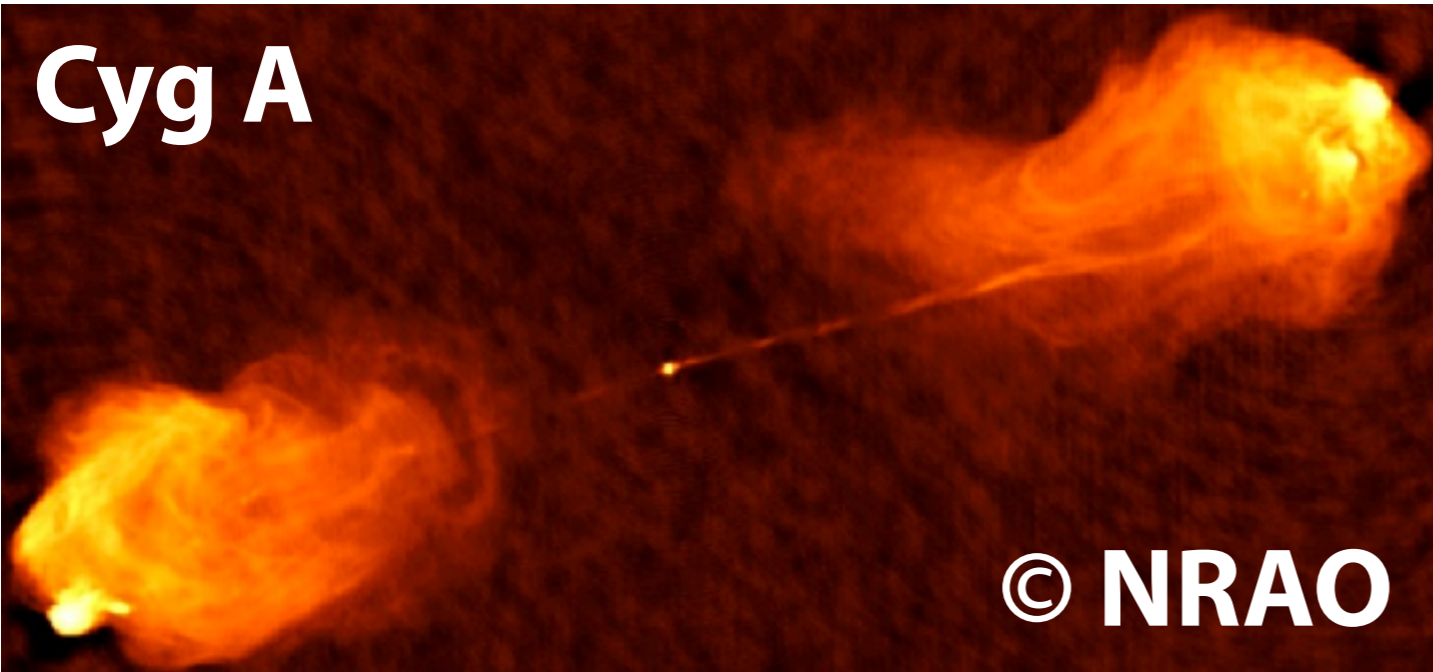
Active Galactic Nuclei (AGNs)



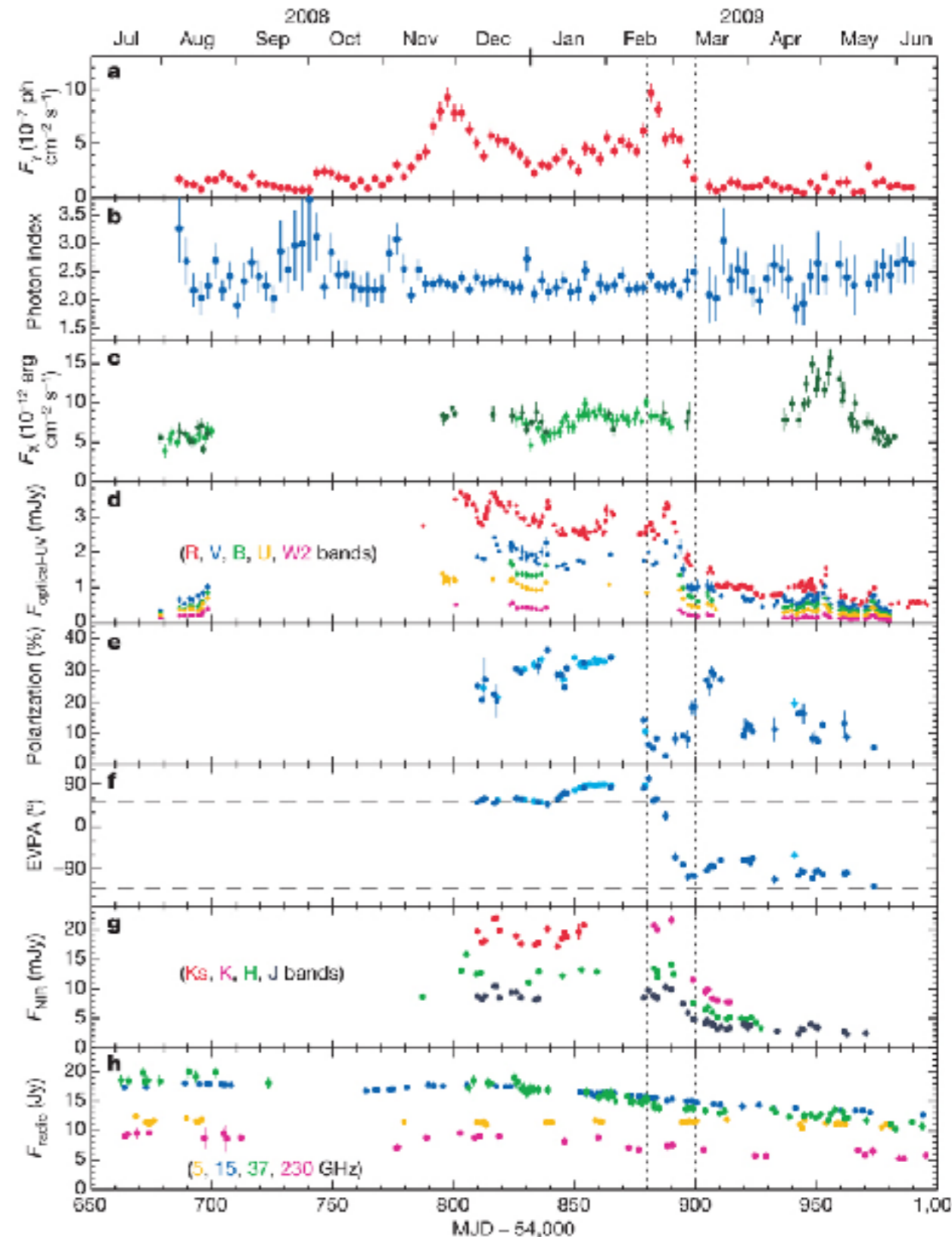
- $>10^6$ solar mass @ galactic center
 - Correlate with various physical parameters of host galaxies
- Gas accretion \rightarrow brighter than the galaxy (active galactic nuclei: AGNs)
 - Various population
 - Relativistic jet
 - Ultra-high-energy cosmic rays / high-energy neutrinos (?)
- The SMBH of our galaxy does not show strong activities

Blazars

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- AGNs whose relativistic jets pointing at us.
- Variable ($\Delta t \sim 1$ day)
- $\sim 10\%$ polarization

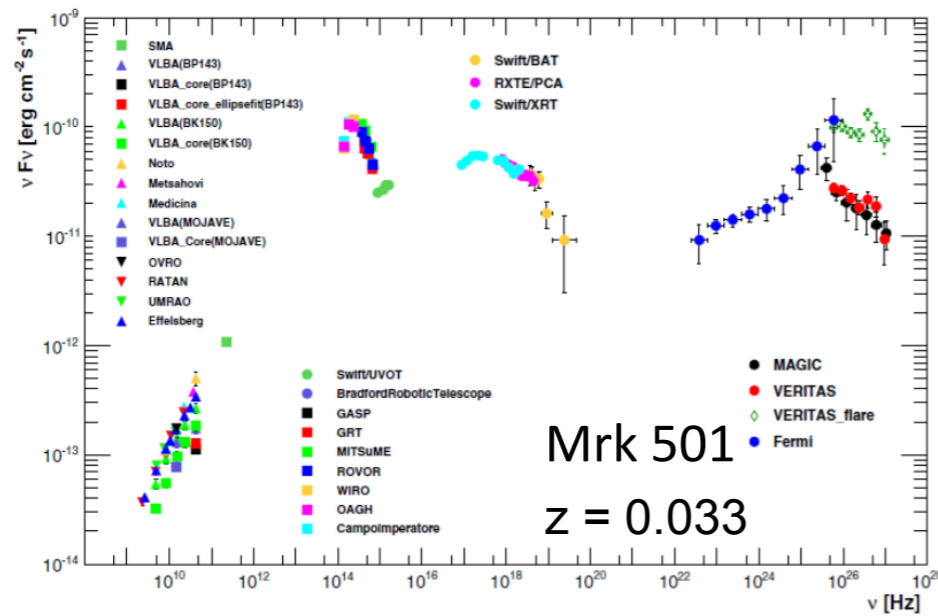


Abdo+'10

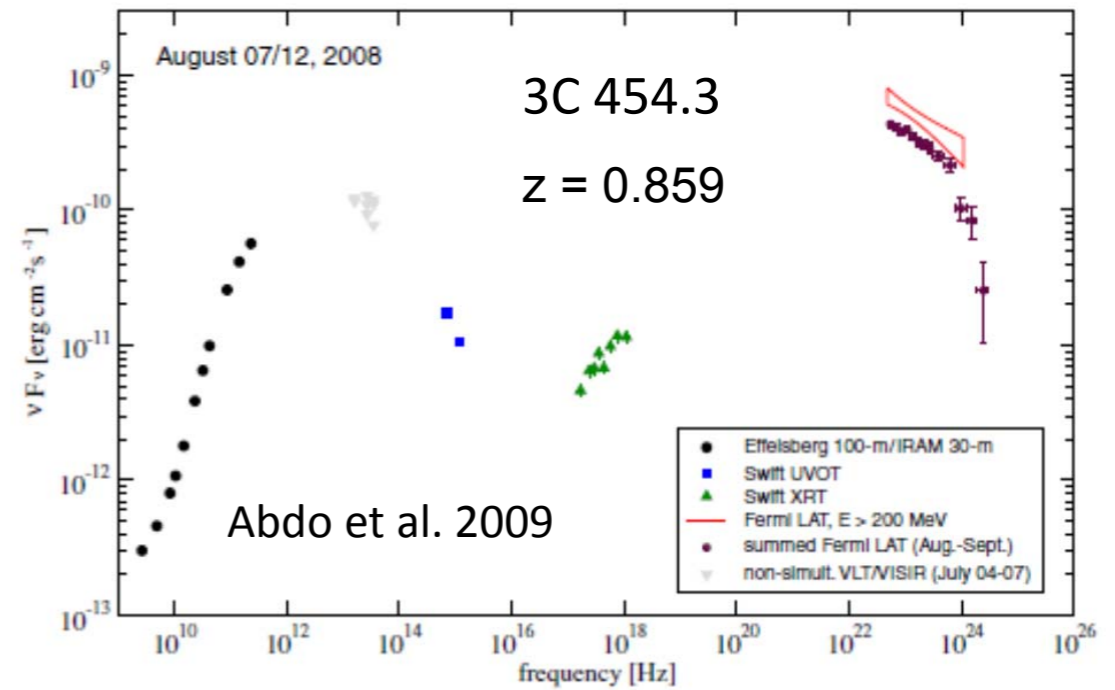
Blazar Spectra

FSRQs: cutoffs at GeV with VHE episodes

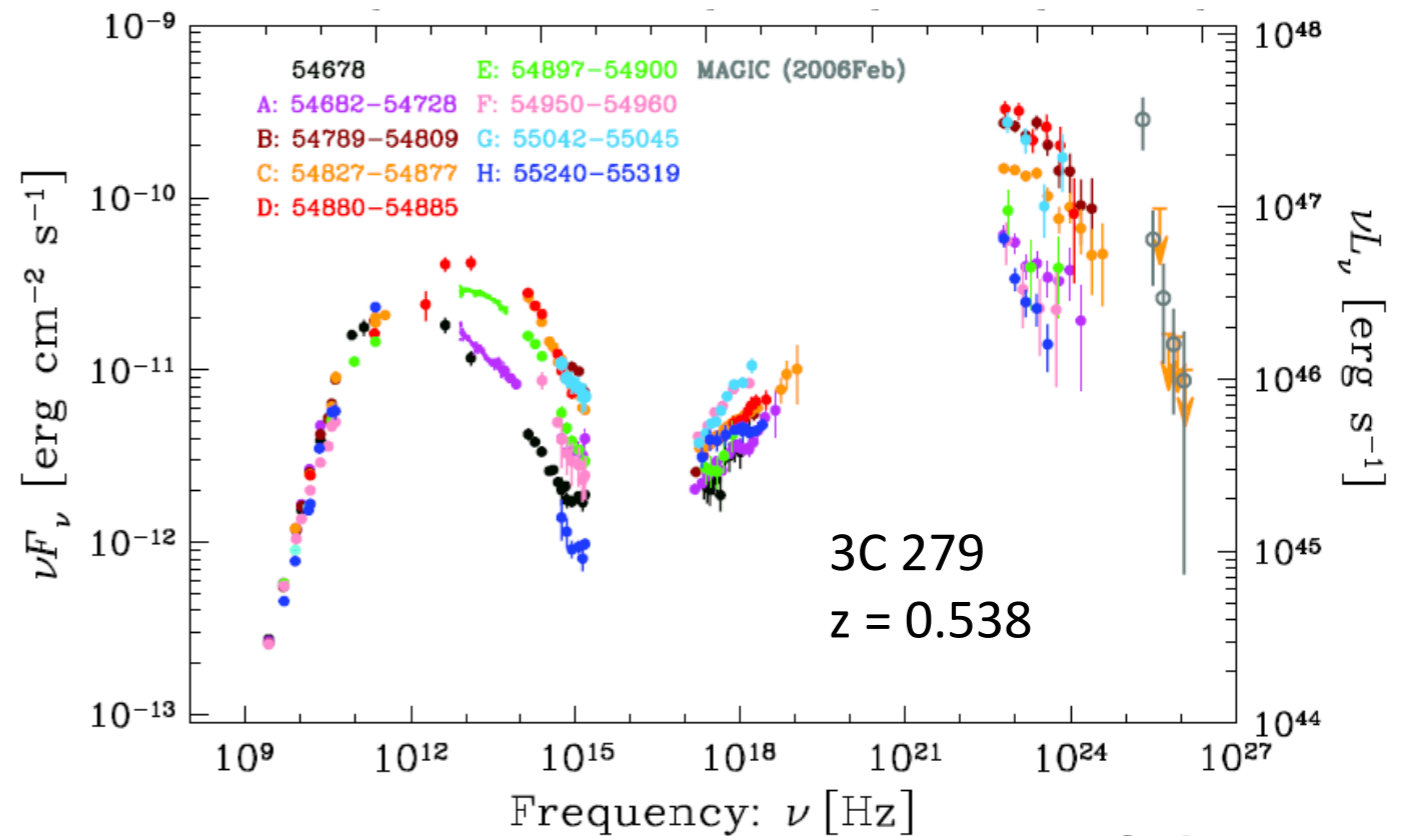
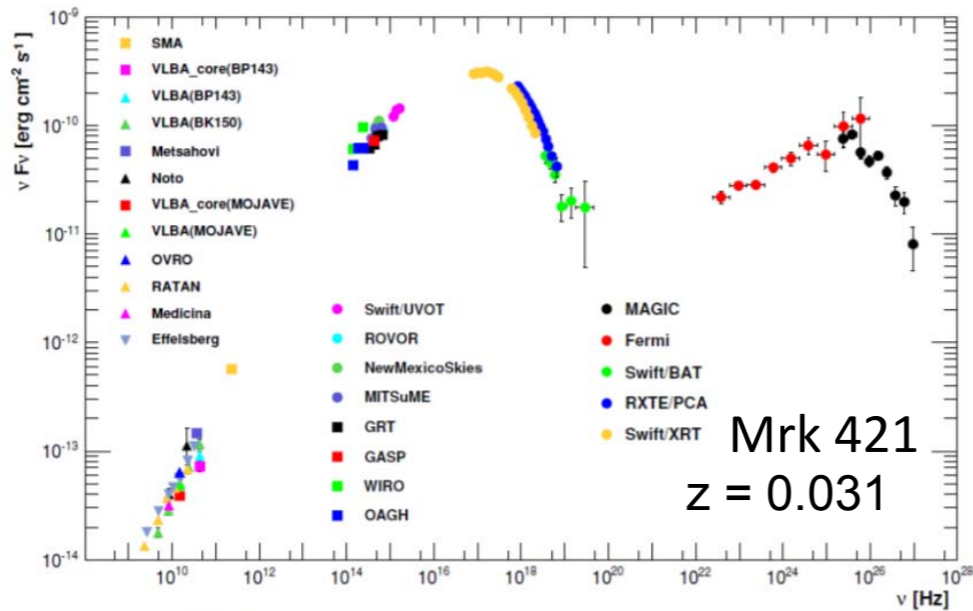
BL Lacs: emission to VHE/TeV energies



Abdo et al. 2011a

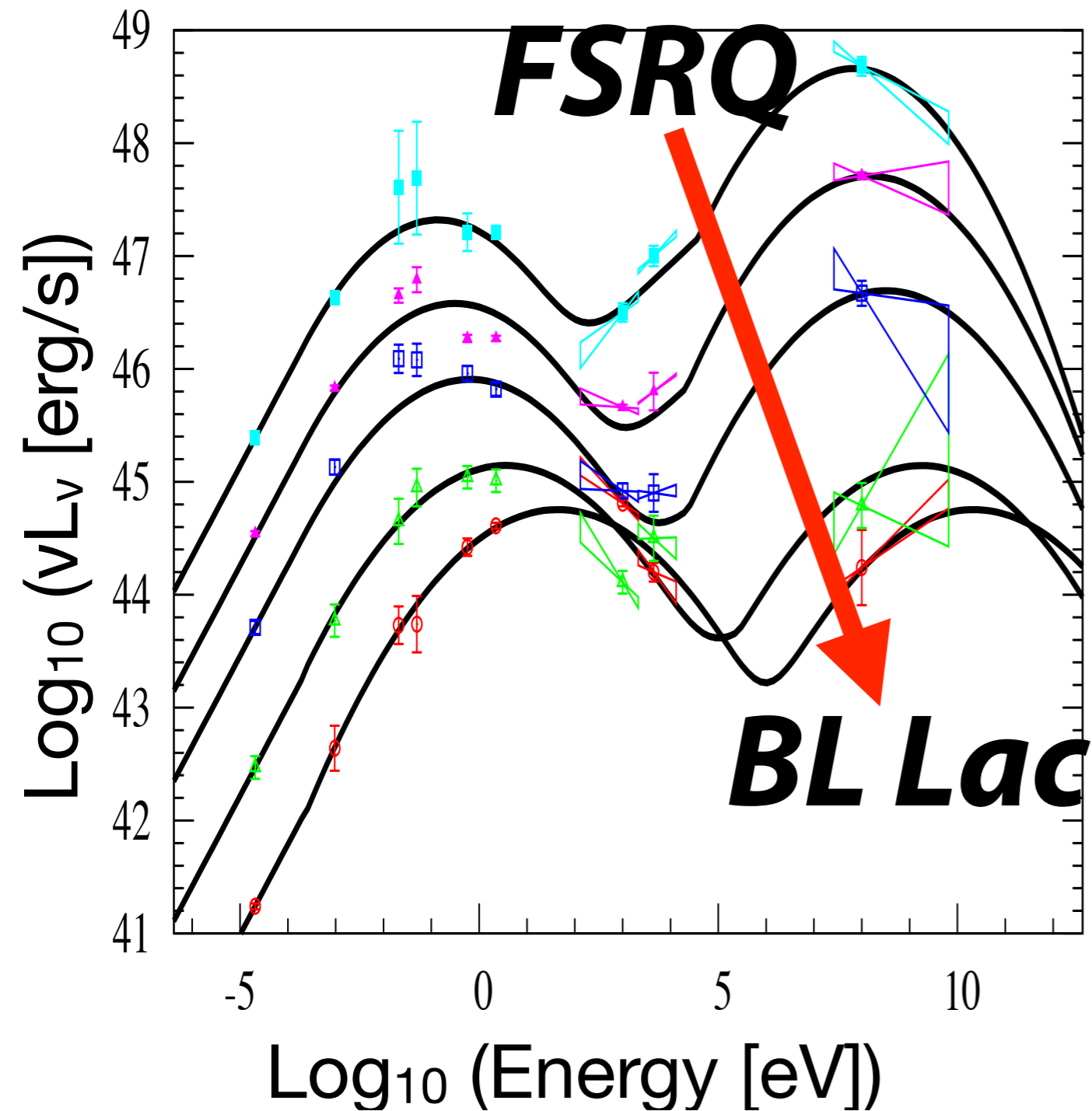


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VHE (> 100 GeV)

Typical Spectra of Blazars

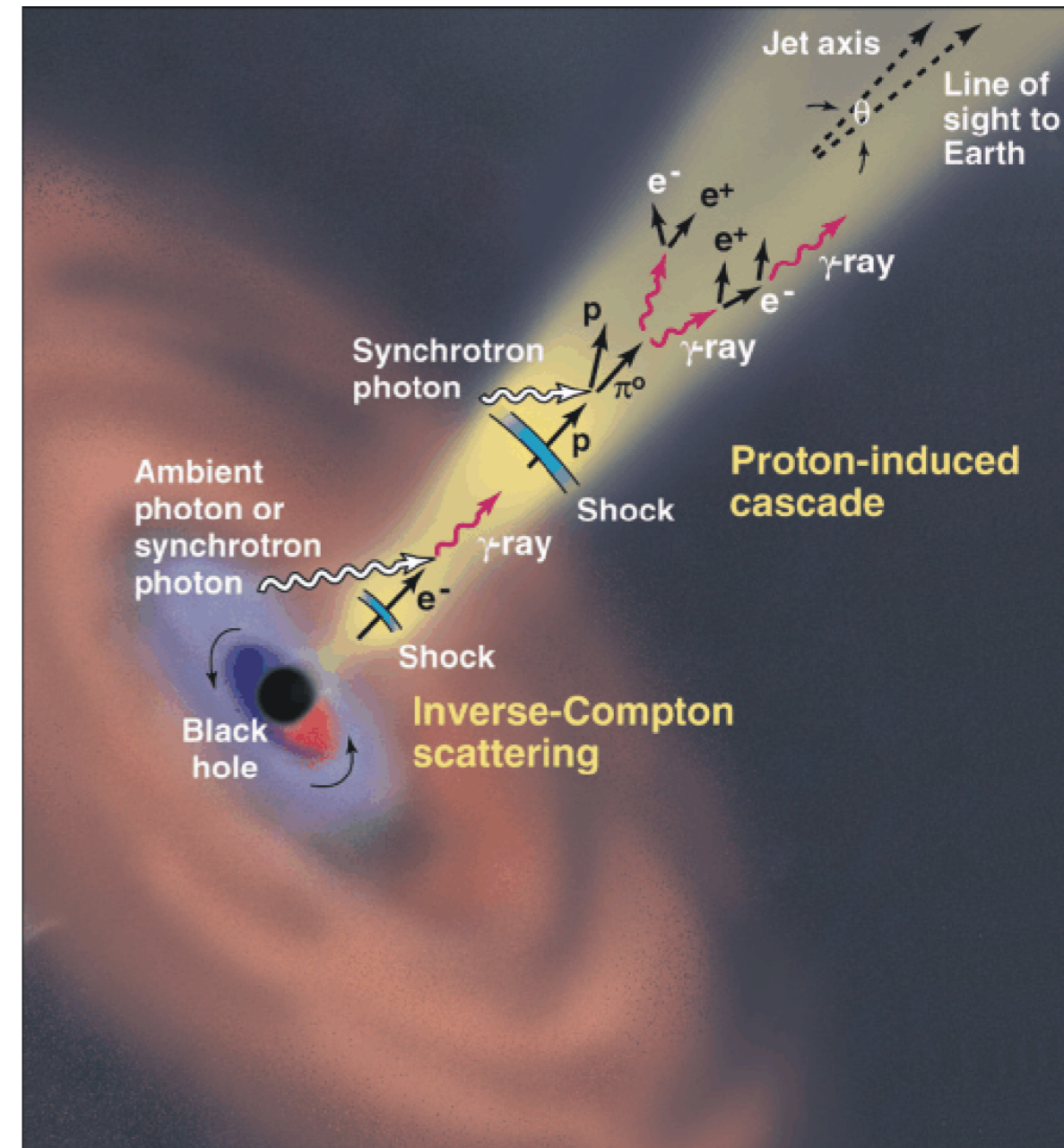


Fossati+'98, Kubo+'98,
YI & Totani '09

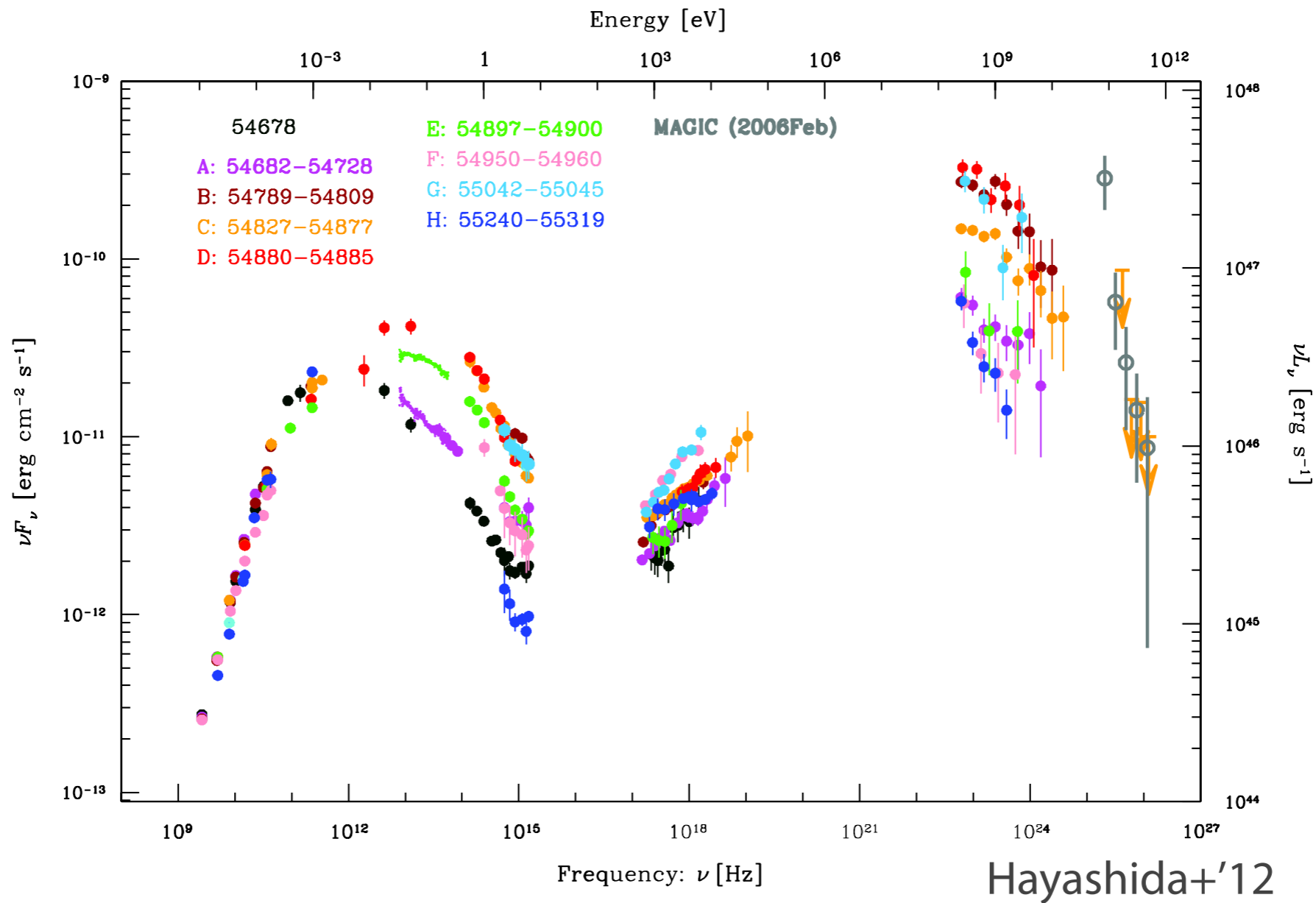
- Non-thermal emission from radio to gamma-ray
- Two peaks
 - Synchrotron
 - Inverse Compton
 - Hadronic?
- Luminous blazars (Flat Spectrum Radio Quasars: FSRQs) tend to have lower peak energies (Fossati+'98, Kubo+'98)

Blazar Emission Mechanism

- Non-thermal gamma rays
 - relativistic particles and intense photon fields
- **Leptonic model**
 - non-thermal synchrotron associated w/ Synchrotron-Self-Compton (SSC) or External Compton (EC) components
- **Hadronic model**
 - secondary nuclear production, proton synchrotron, photomeson production
 - But, requires super-Eddington jet $P_{\text{jet}} \sim 100 L_{\text{Edd}}$? (Sikora+'09, Zdziarski & Bottcher '15)

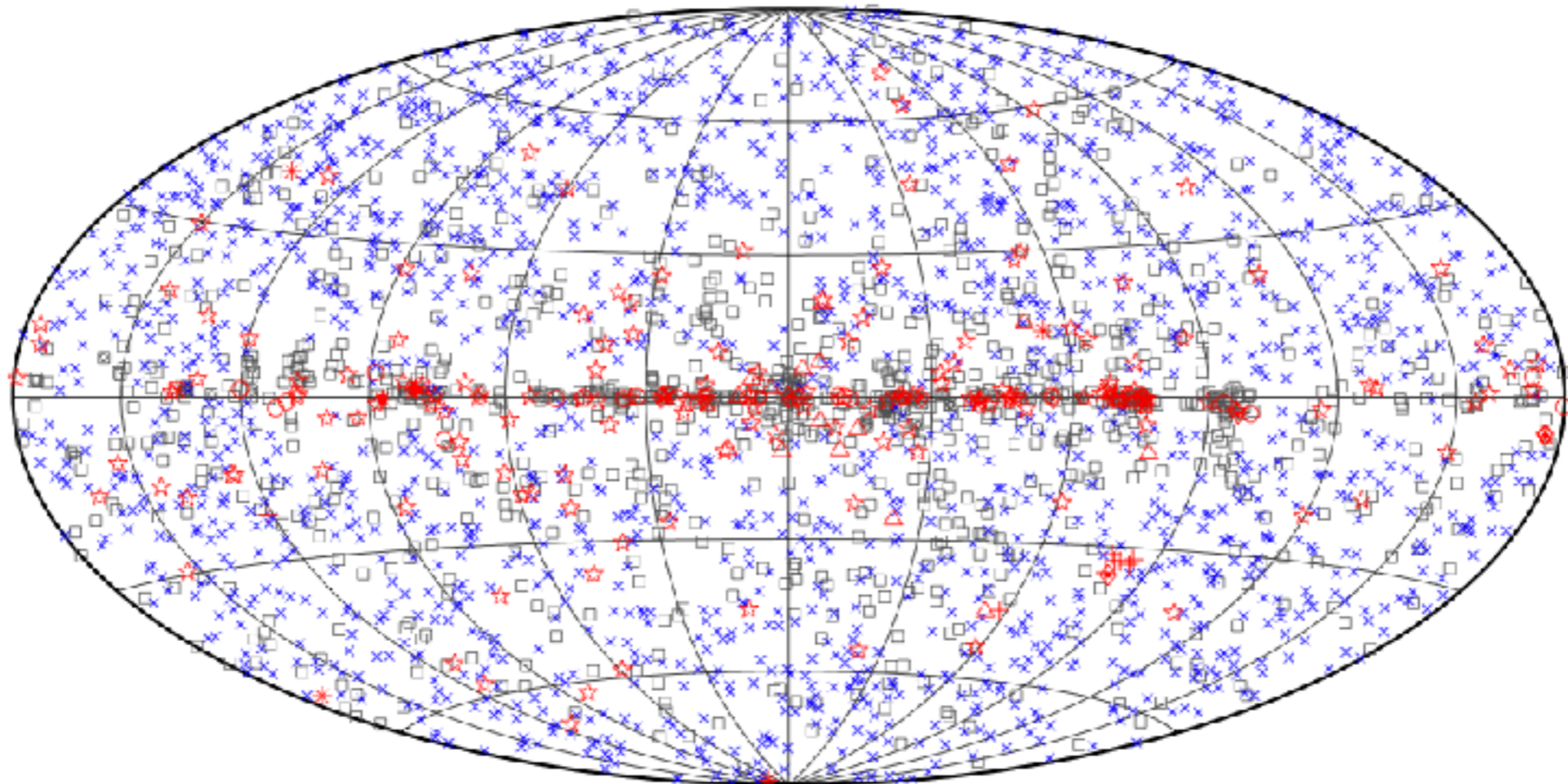


Why Gamma-ray for Blazars?



- Spectral energy distribution (SED) of a blazar 3C279
- Jet radiative power is dominated by gamma-ray.

Golden Era for Blazar Studies

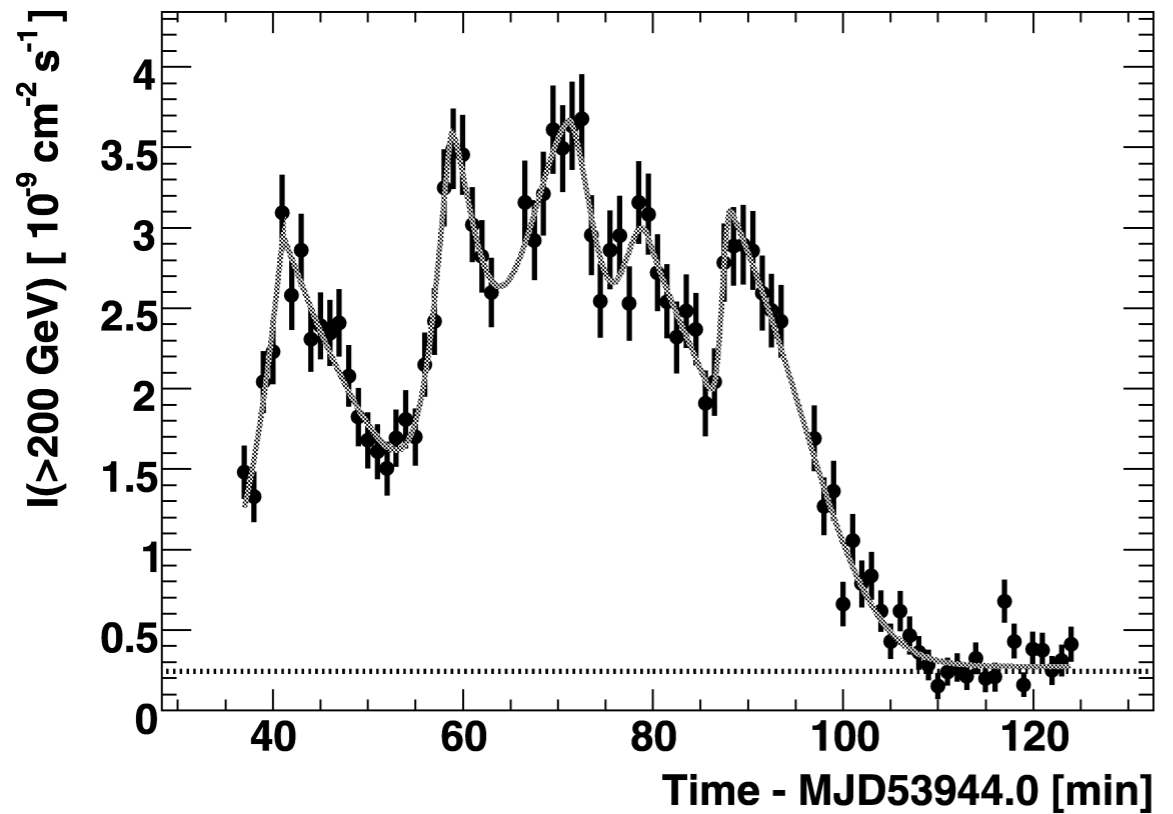


□ No association	■ Possible association with SNR or PWN	× AGN
☆ Pulsar	△ Globular cluster	◆ PWN
⊠ Binary	+ Galaxy	○ SNR
★ Star-forming region		★ Nova

Ackerman+'15

- Fermi has detected 3033 sources in its 4-year survey.
 - 1591 AGN samples (467 FSRQs and 632 BL Lacs)
 - But, do we understand blazar physics?

Short time Variability



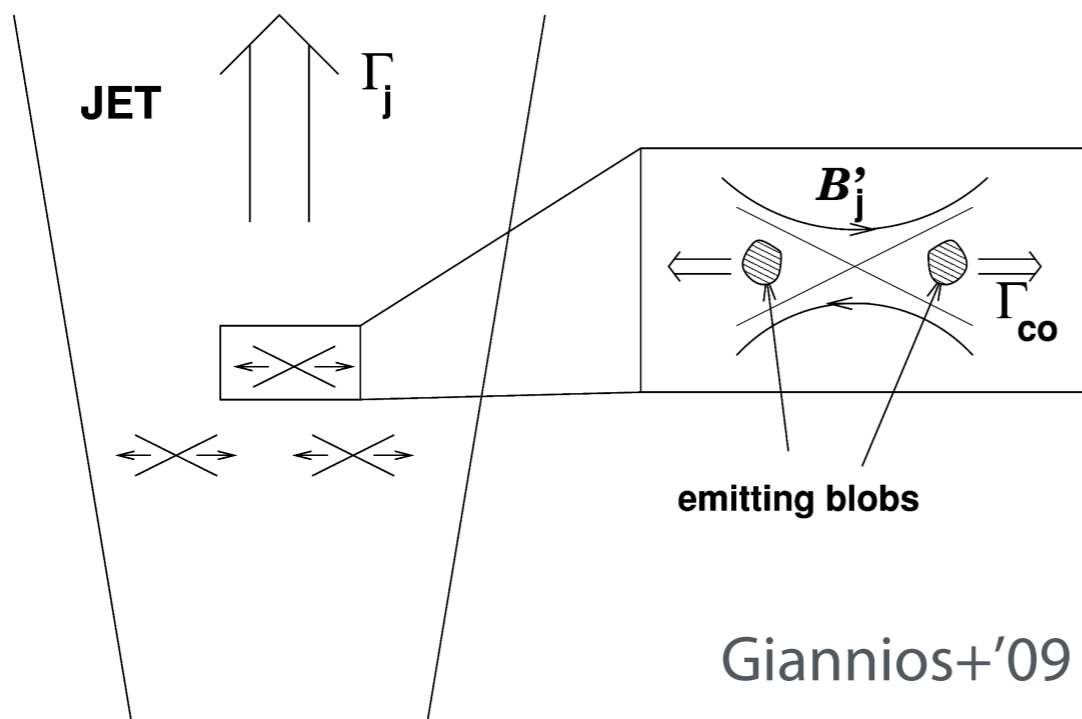
Aharonian+'07

- Fast variabilities ~ 200 s
(Aharonian+'07, Albert+'08)

- requires very compact emitting region with $\Gamma \sim 100$

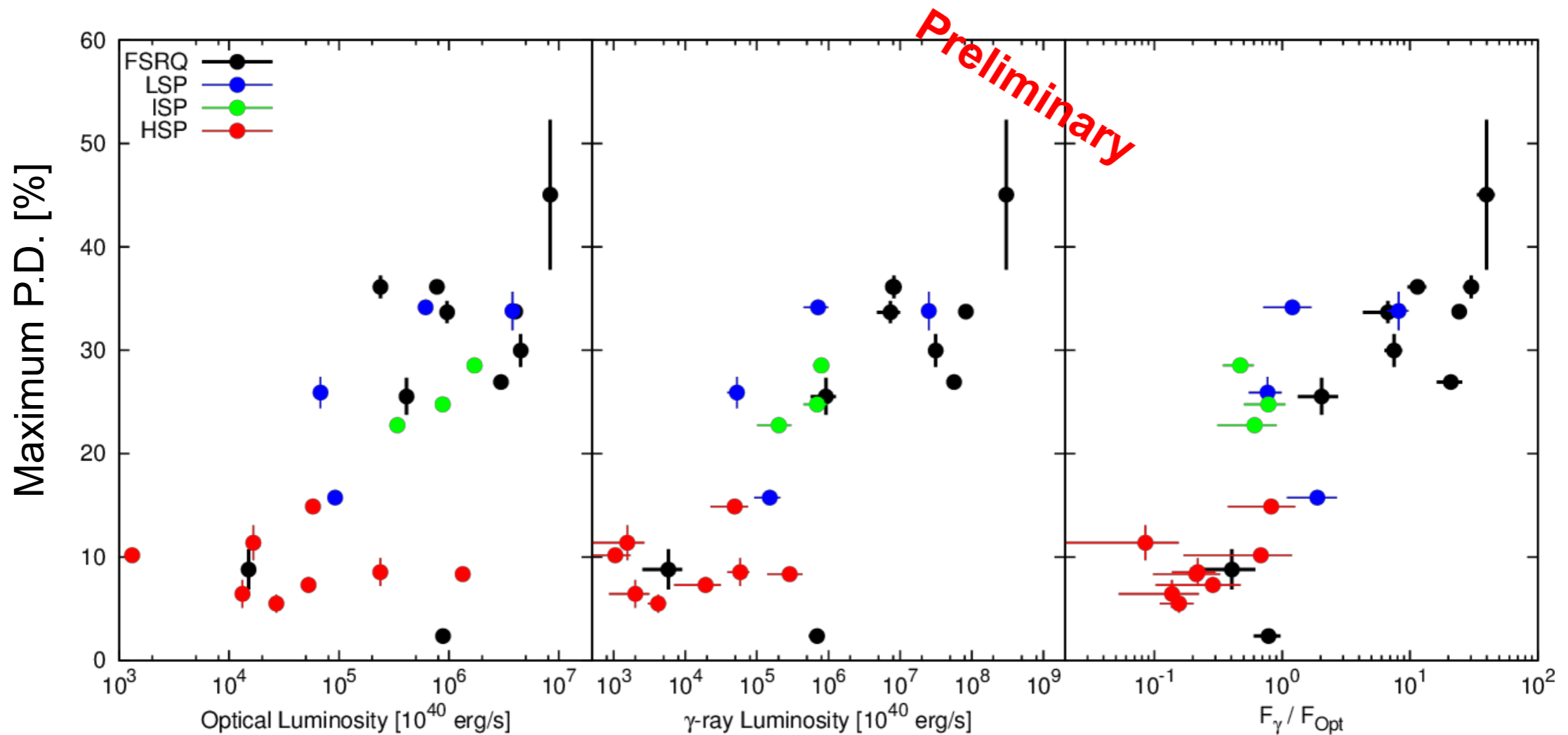
- Jet-in-Jet (Giannios+'09) ?

- But, anisotropic distribution required
(Aharonian+'17)



Giannios+'09

Polarization



Itoh+'16

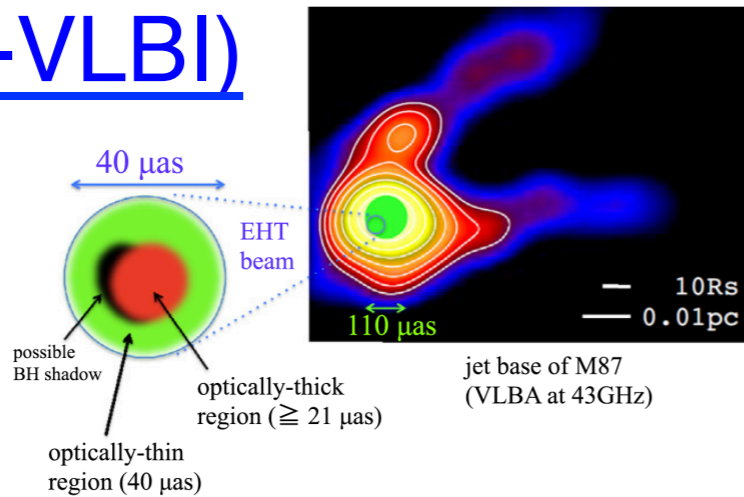
- Polarization tells the magnetic field environment in jets
- Gamma-ray luminous blazars tend to show higher maximum polarization degrees.
- Superposition of multiple emission regions in spine-sheath jet (Itoh+'16)?

Jet Energetics

radio (mm-VLBI)

(Kino+15,16)

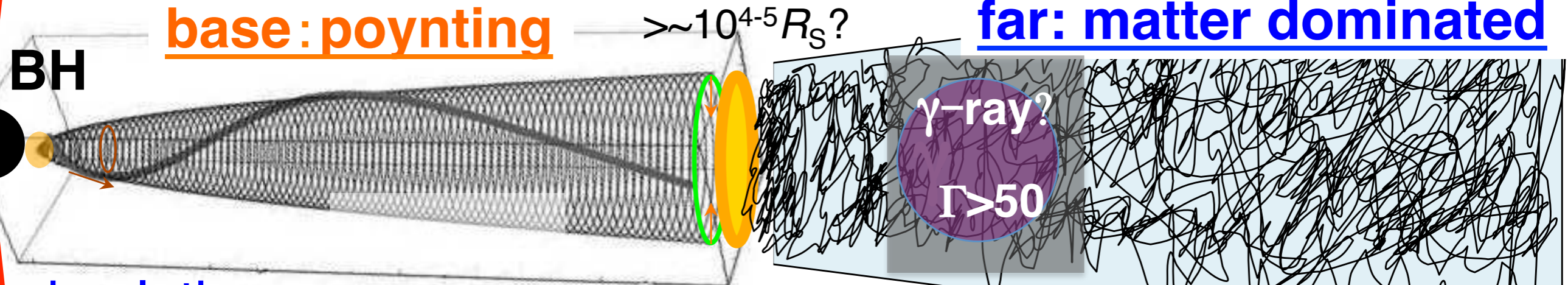
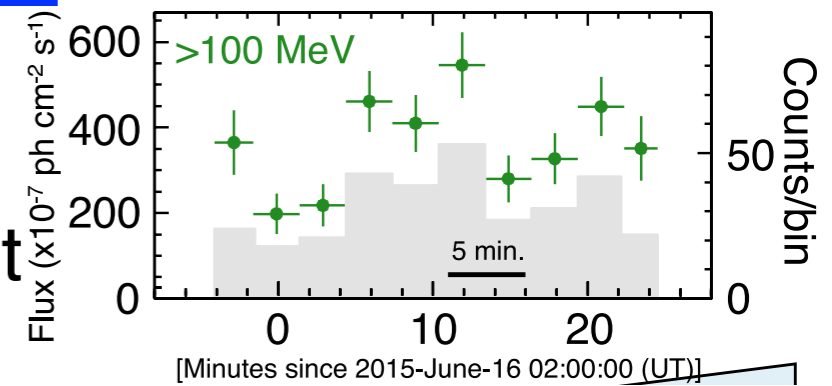
poynting dominated
@ a few-10Rs



Gamma-ray

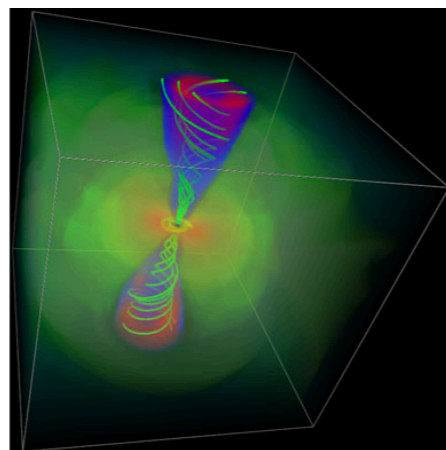
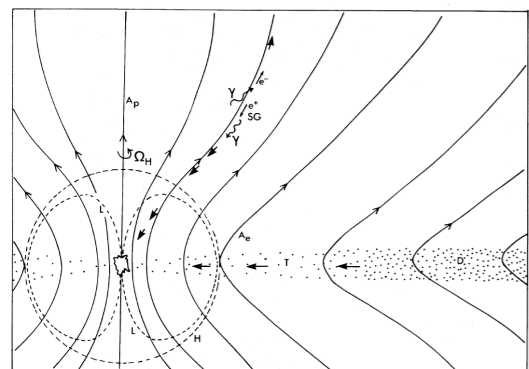
(LAT collab.16, MH+16)

minute-scale
variability
→ very compact
→ high $\Gamma (>50)$

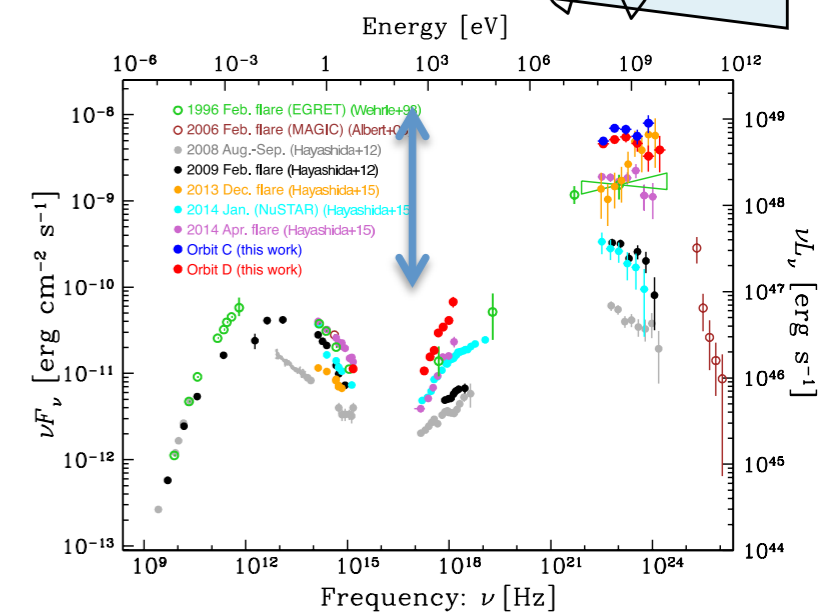


simulation

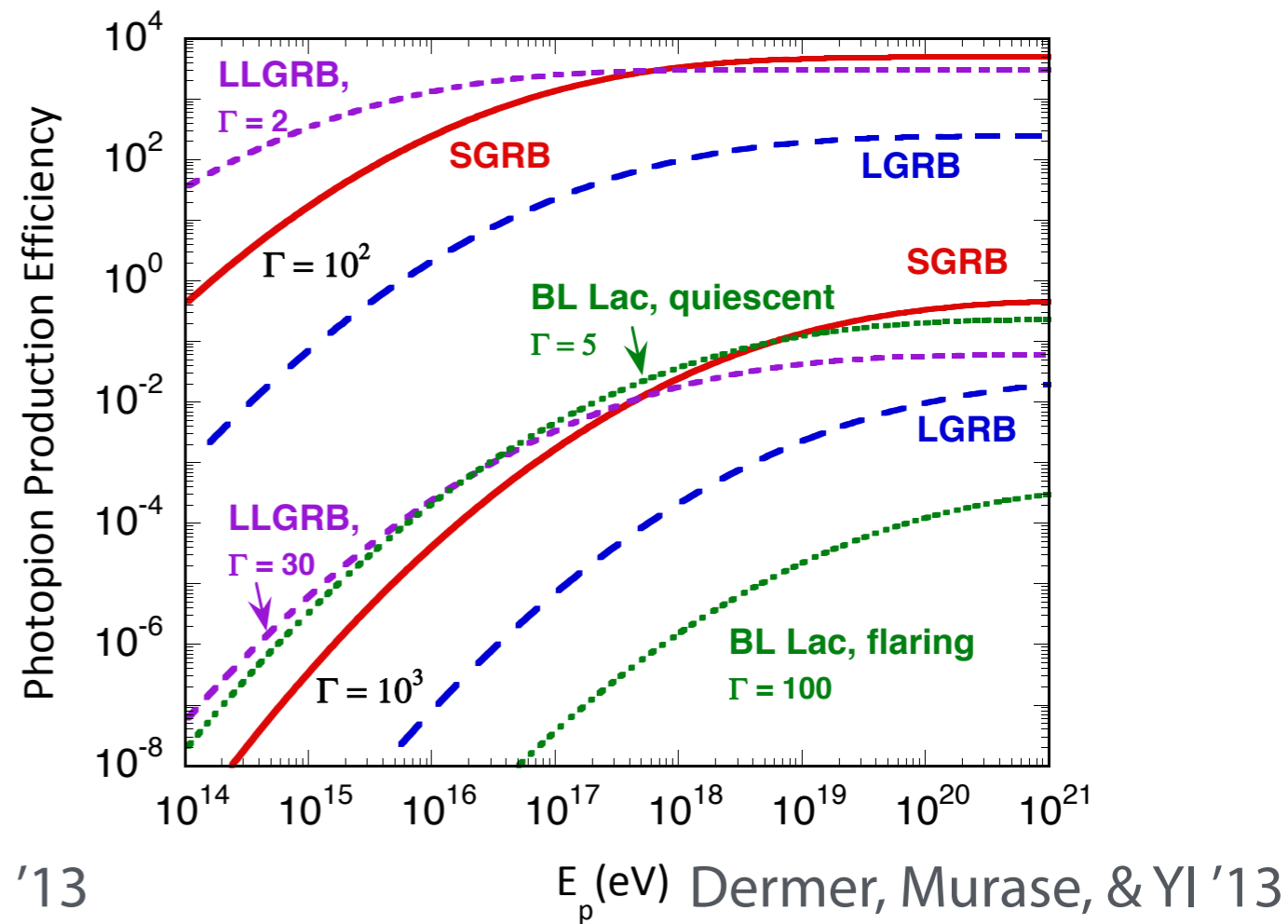
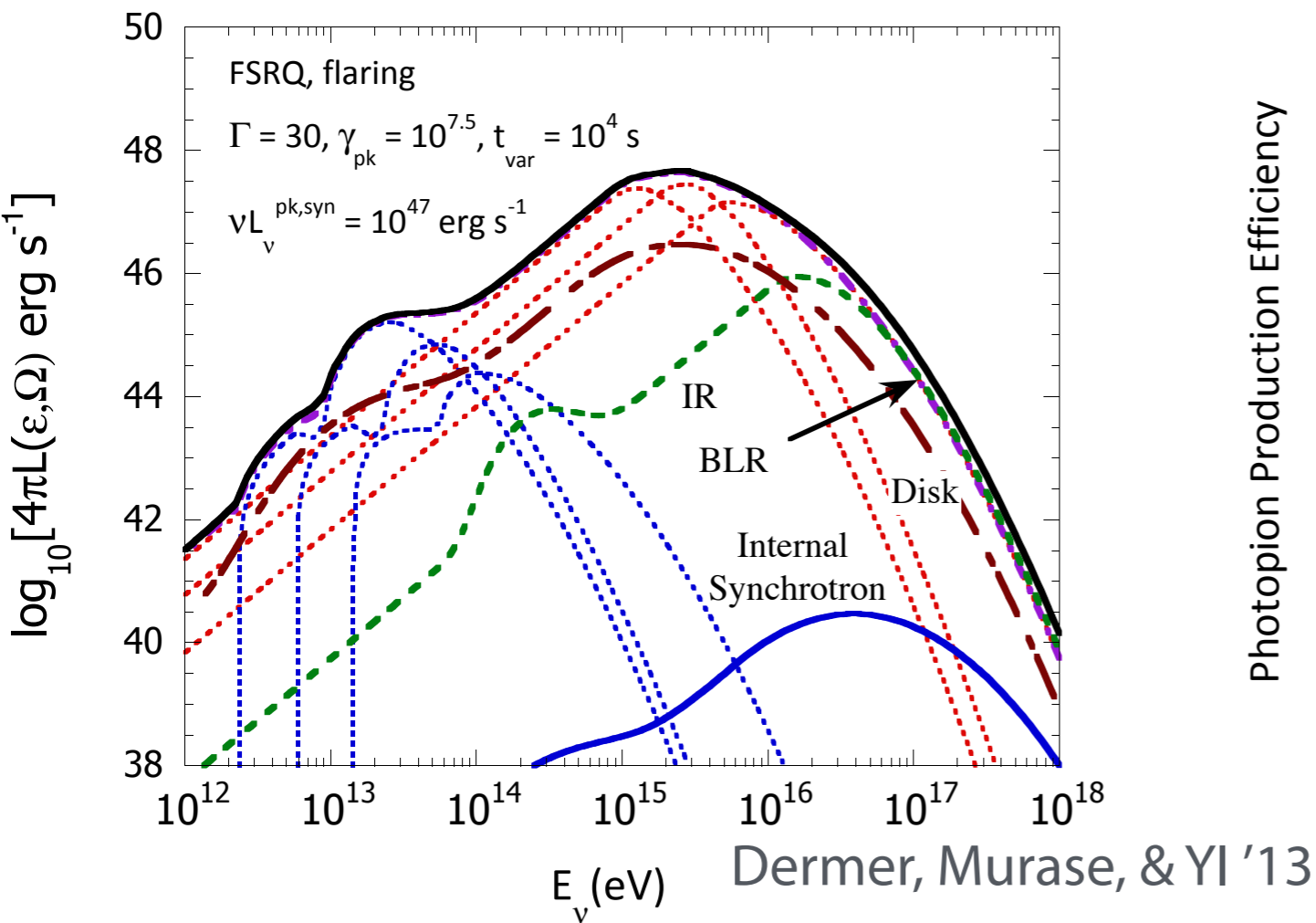
magnetically driven jet
(e.g., BZ mechanism)



high-Compton
dominance
→ matter
dominated jet

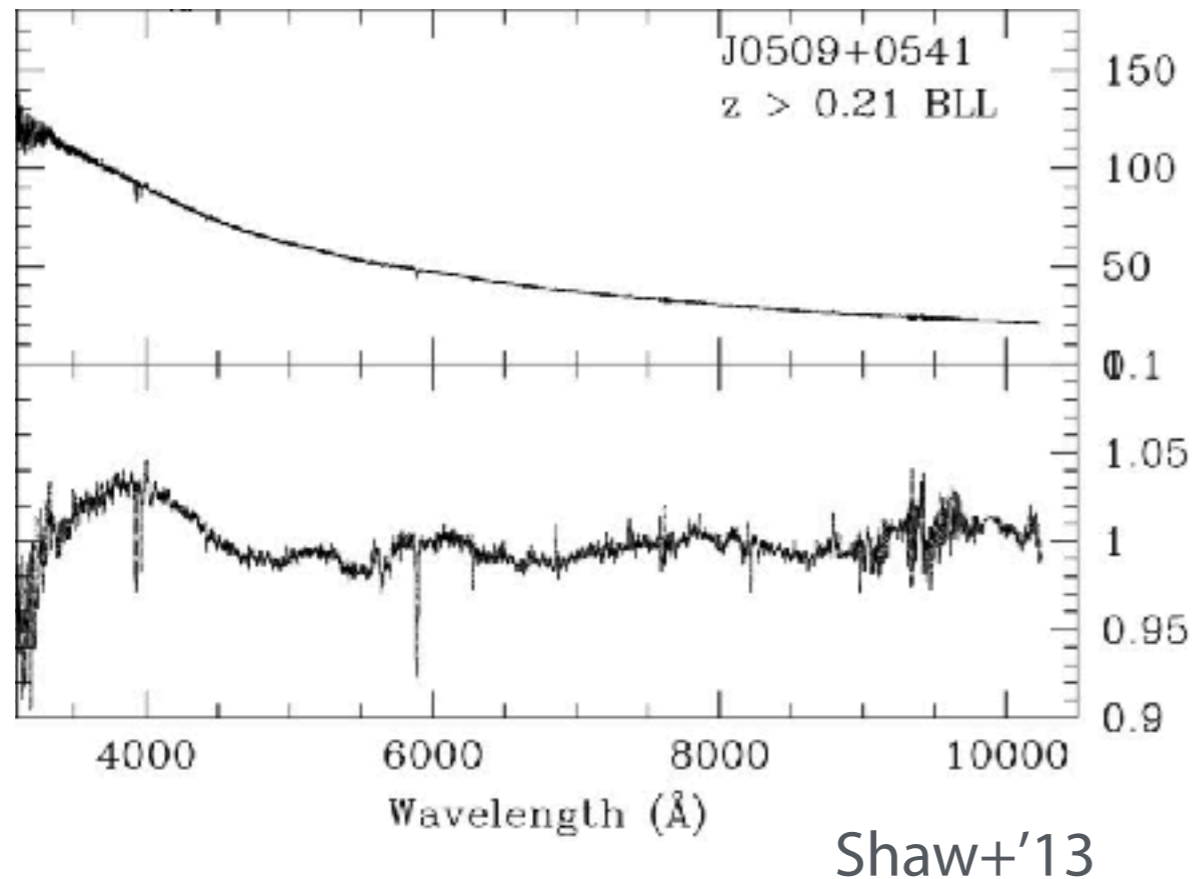


Neutrinos



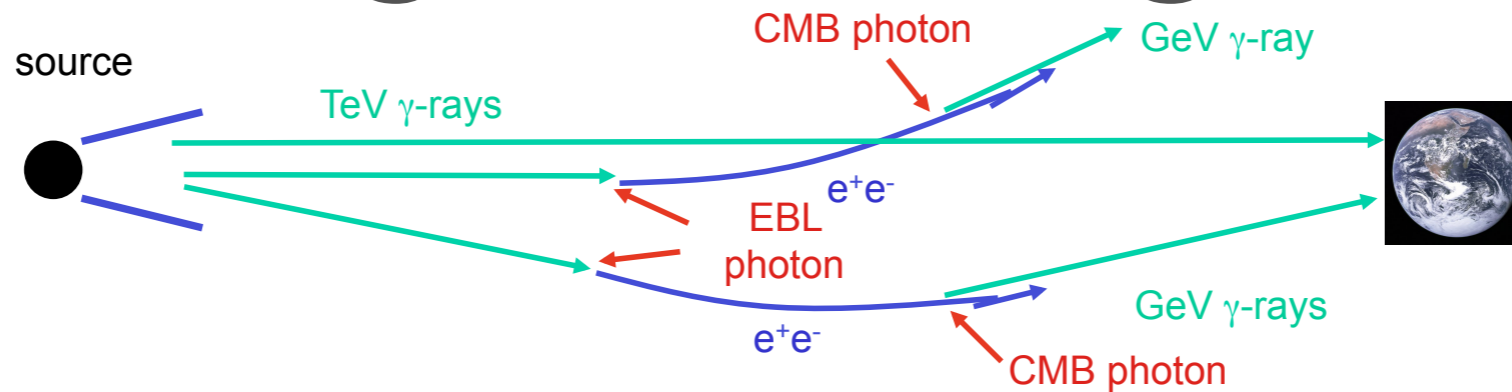
- FSRQs would have a peak at \sim PeV due to BLR photons
 (e.g. Dermer, Murase, & YI '13; Murase, Dermer, & YI '13)
- BL Lacs are inefficient neutrino factories
 (e.g. Dermer, Murase, & YI '13; Murase, Dermer, & YI '13)

Do we know distances to blazars?



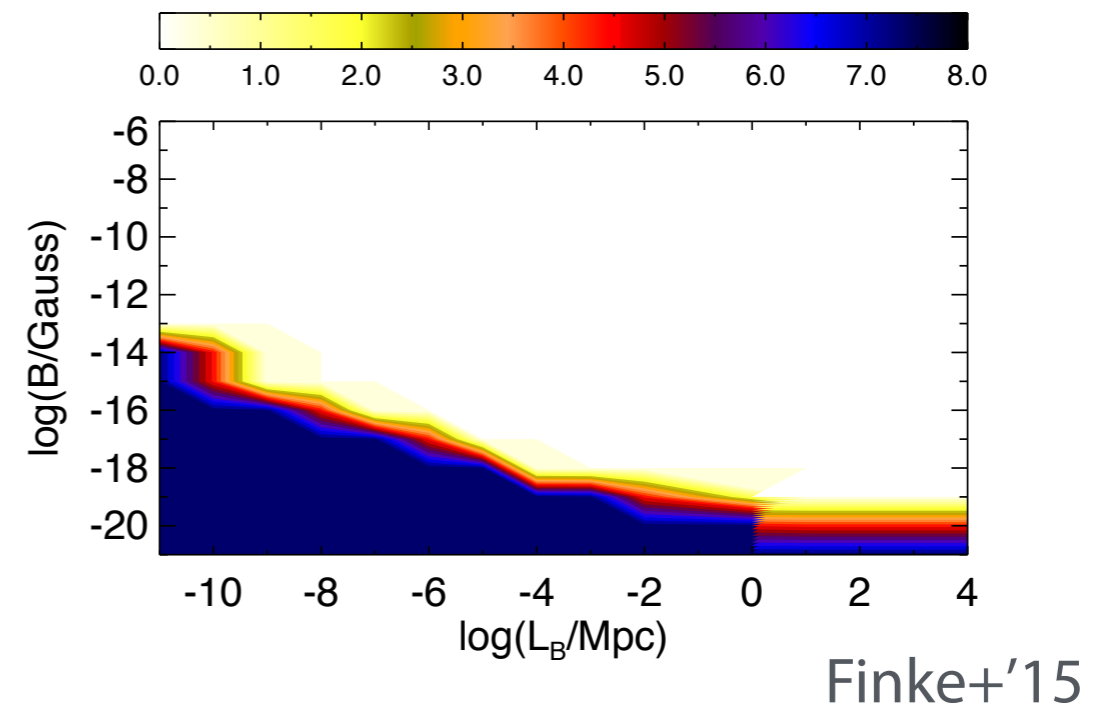
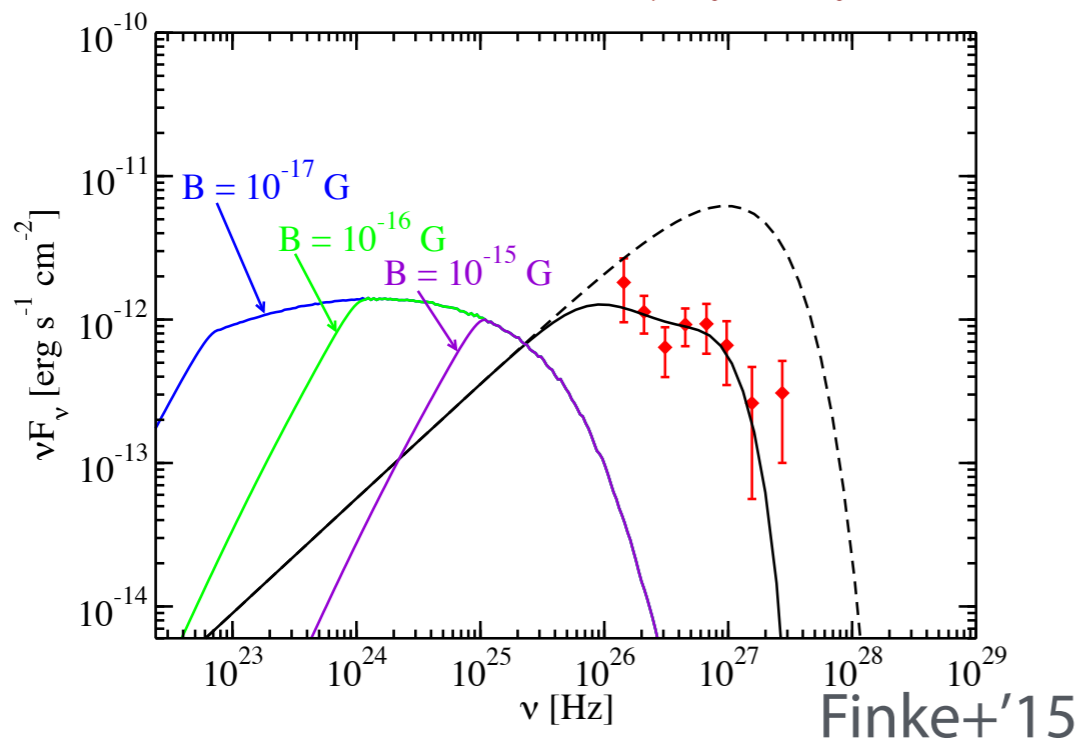
- Definition of BL Lacs: EW of emission lines $< 5\text{\AA}$
 - weak emission lines
 - $\sim 50\%$ of Fermi BL Lacs do not have spectroscopic redshifts
- One example:
 - Fermi/MAGIC detected gamma-ray flare events from TXS 0506+056 (ATel #10791, 10817)
 - 6 arcmin from IceCube-170922A (GCN #21916)
 - But, redshift is not determined,,,

Probing Intergalactic Magnetic Fields?



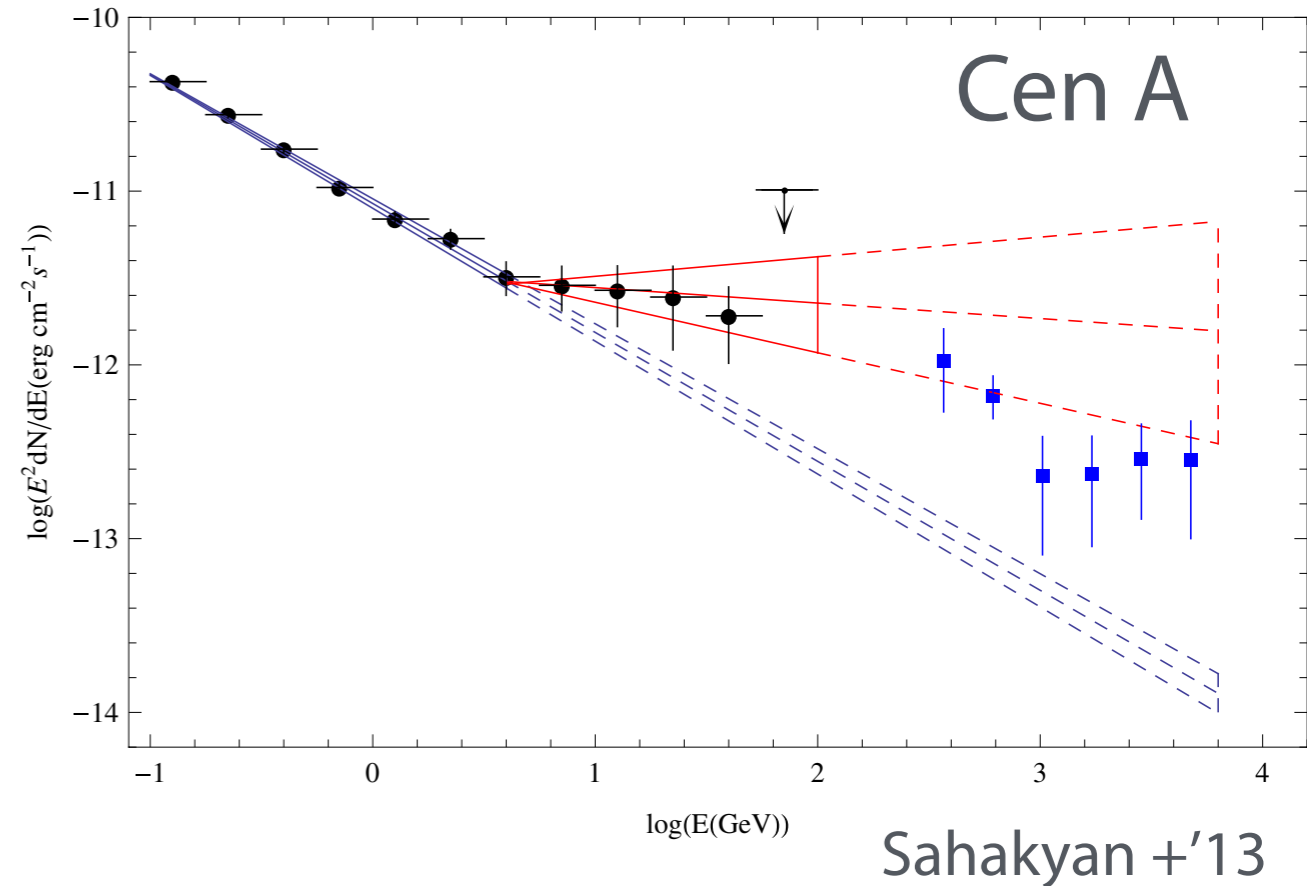
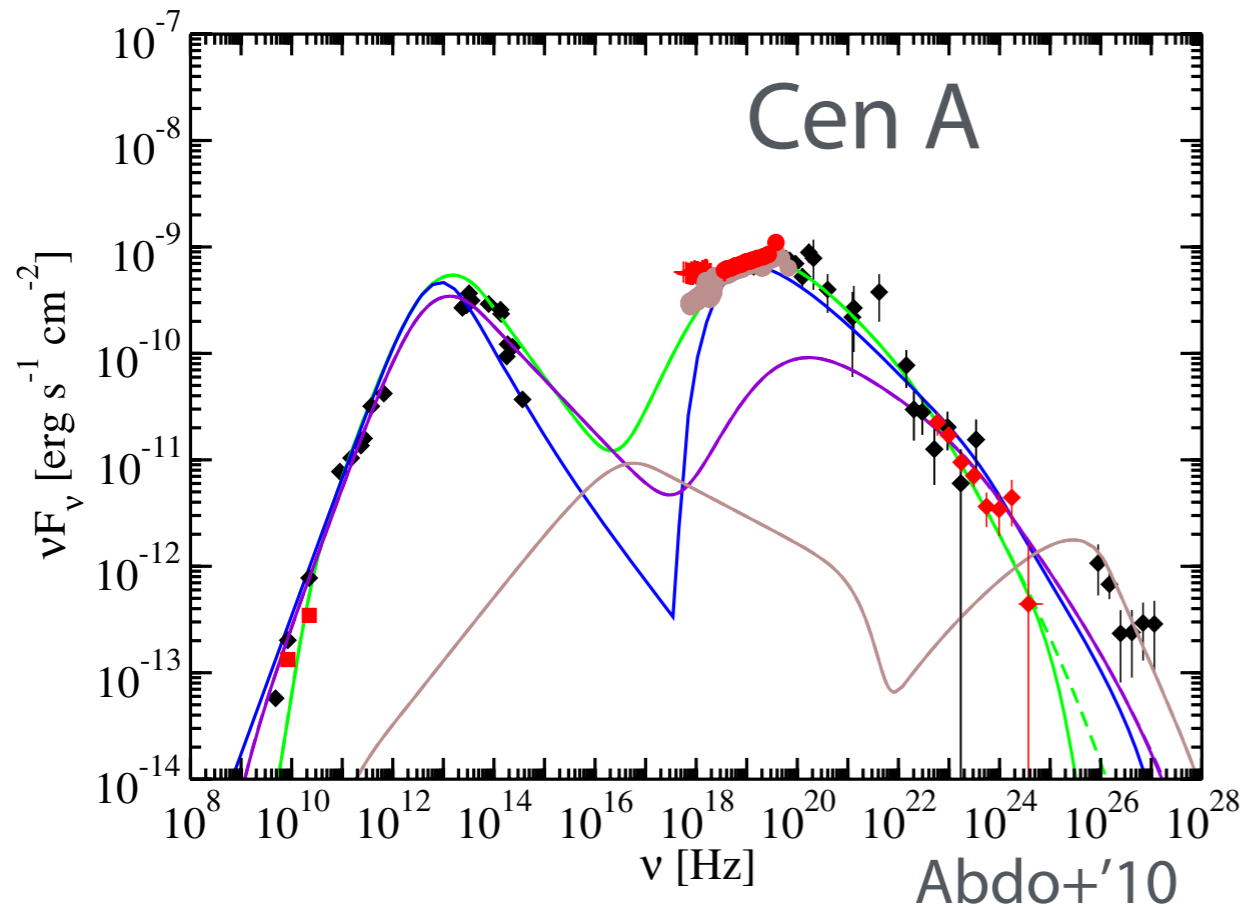
GeV γ -rays delayed due to slower e^+e^- speed and greater distance traveled

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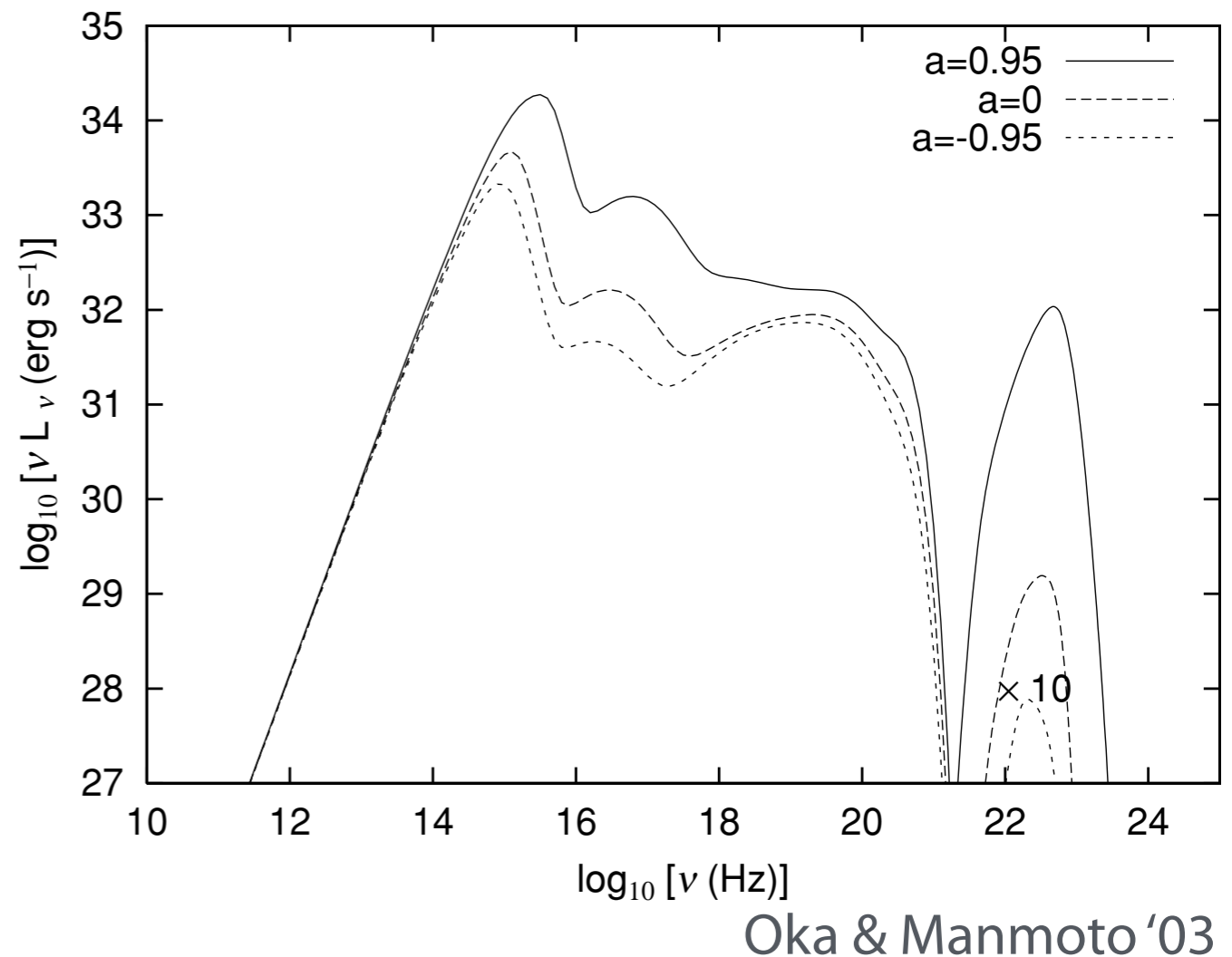
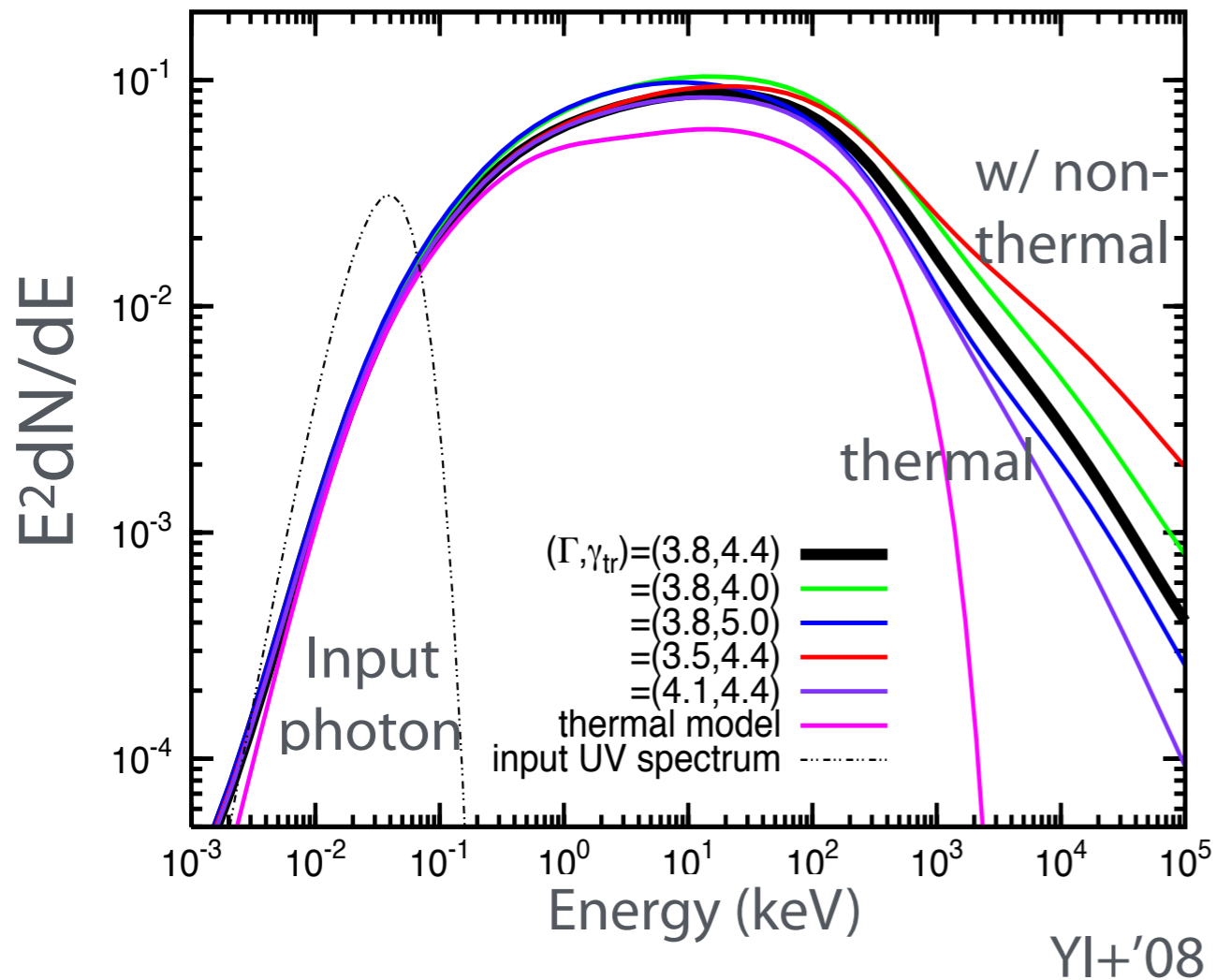
- Delayed cascade emission and pair halos are probes of intergalactic magnetic fields (Plaga'95, Neronov & Semikoz '07, Ichiki+'08,...)
- Current constraint rules out low B values, $B < 10^{-19}$ G for $L_B > 1$ Mpc (Finke+'15).
- Can we see pair halos? delayed emission?

Radio galaxy



- Spectral hardening from ~ 4 GeV (Sahakyan+'13).
- BH magnetosphere? multi components? hadronic? knots? cascade in torus? IC of host galaxy starlight?

Seyfert & low-luminosity AGNs



- Non-thermal tail from corona (YI+'08)?
- pp/py interaction in RIAF (Oka & Manmoto '03, Niedźwiecki+'13, Kimura+'15)?
- No clear detection yet (Teng+'11, Hayashida+'12)

Other problems

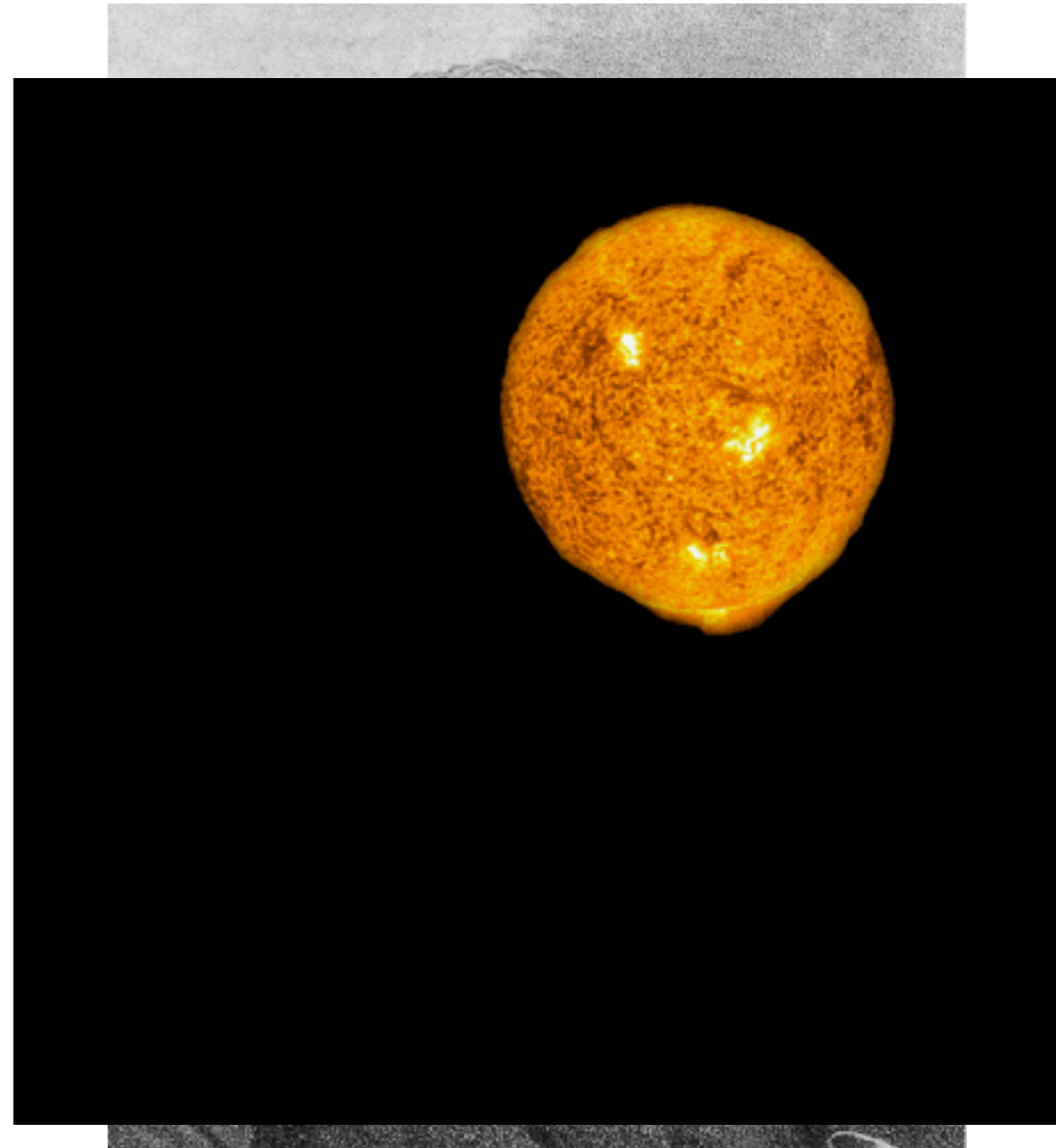
- Particle acceleration
 - diffusive shock acceleration? turbulence? reconnection?
 - ultra-high energy cosmic rays?
- Jet composition
 - proton? pairs?
- constraining intergalactic radiation field
 - EBL evolution? extrapolation OK?
- connection between radio and gamma-ray
- and so on,,,

Break

Cosmic Gamma-ray Background

Olbers' Paradox

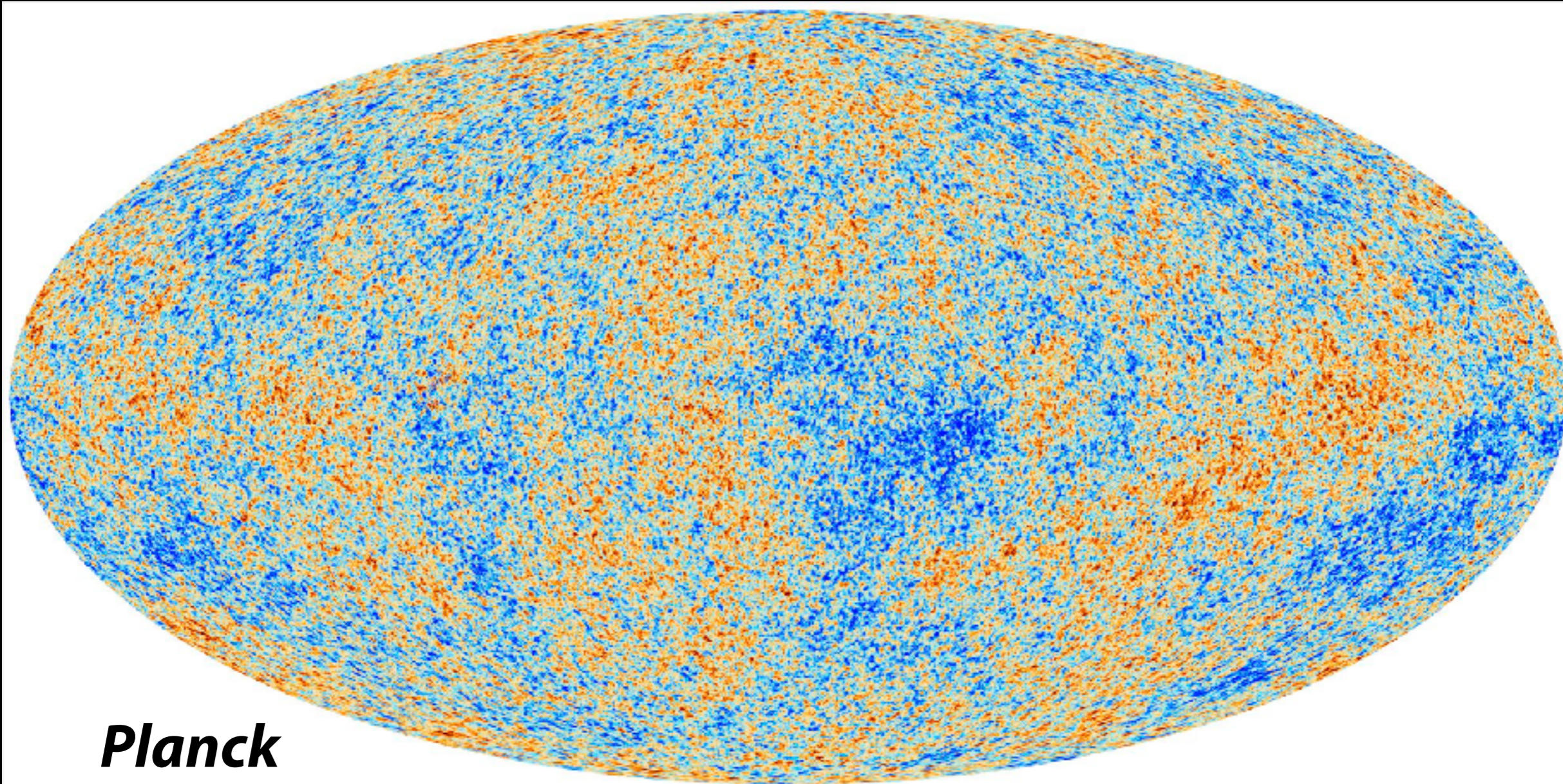
- Heinrich Wilhelm Matthias Olbers (1758-1840)
- *“Why is the sky dark at night?”*
- If the Universe is infinite and has infinitely many stars, the sky should be as bright as the surface of the Sun.
- Answer: the Universe is ***not*** infinite.



Is the sky truly dark?

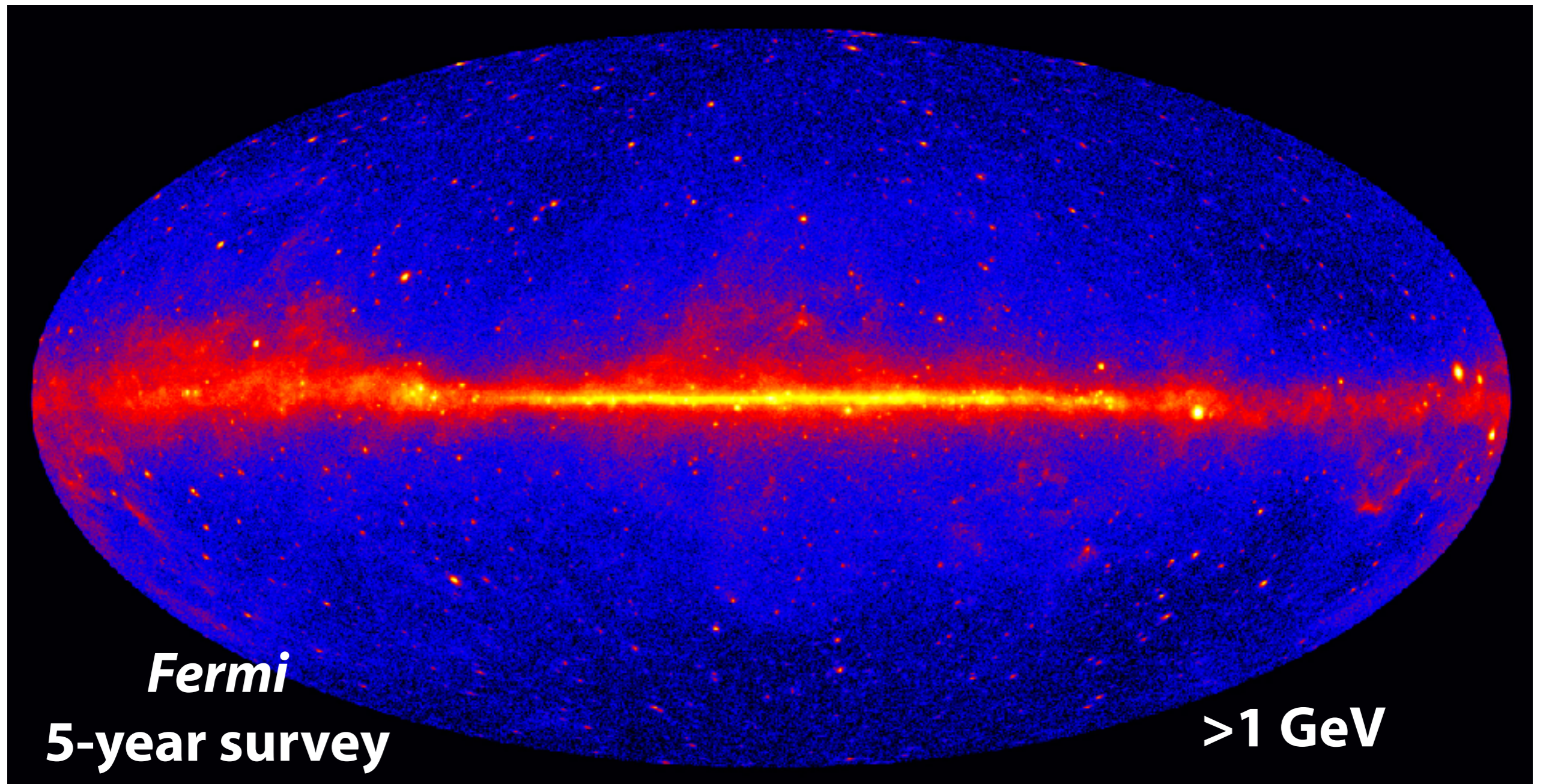
- No.
- There is faint but almost isotropic emission in the entire sky.
- “Cosmic Background Radiation”.
 - cumulative emission of the universe in its entire history.

Sky in Microwave



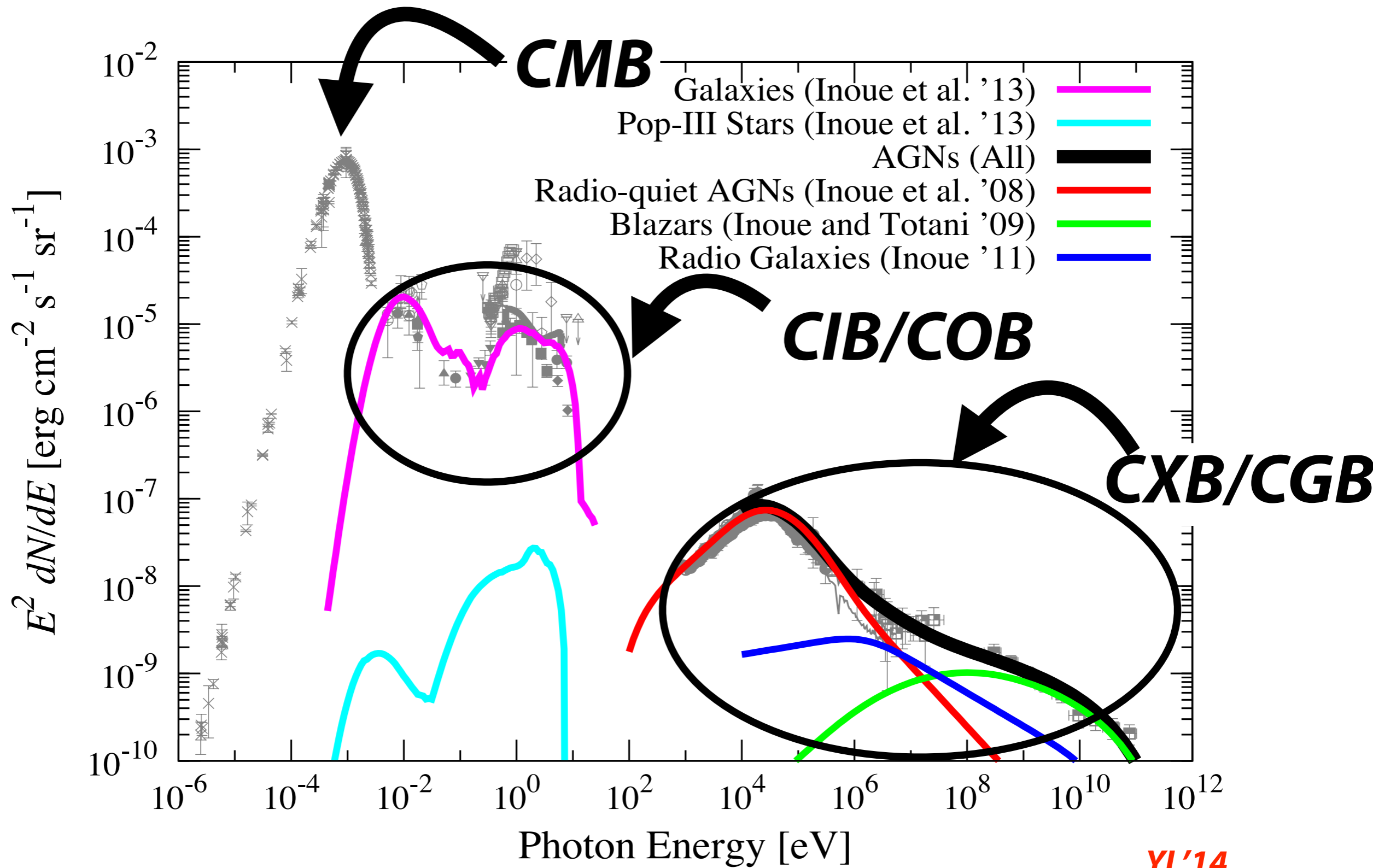
Planck

Sky in GeV Gamma rays

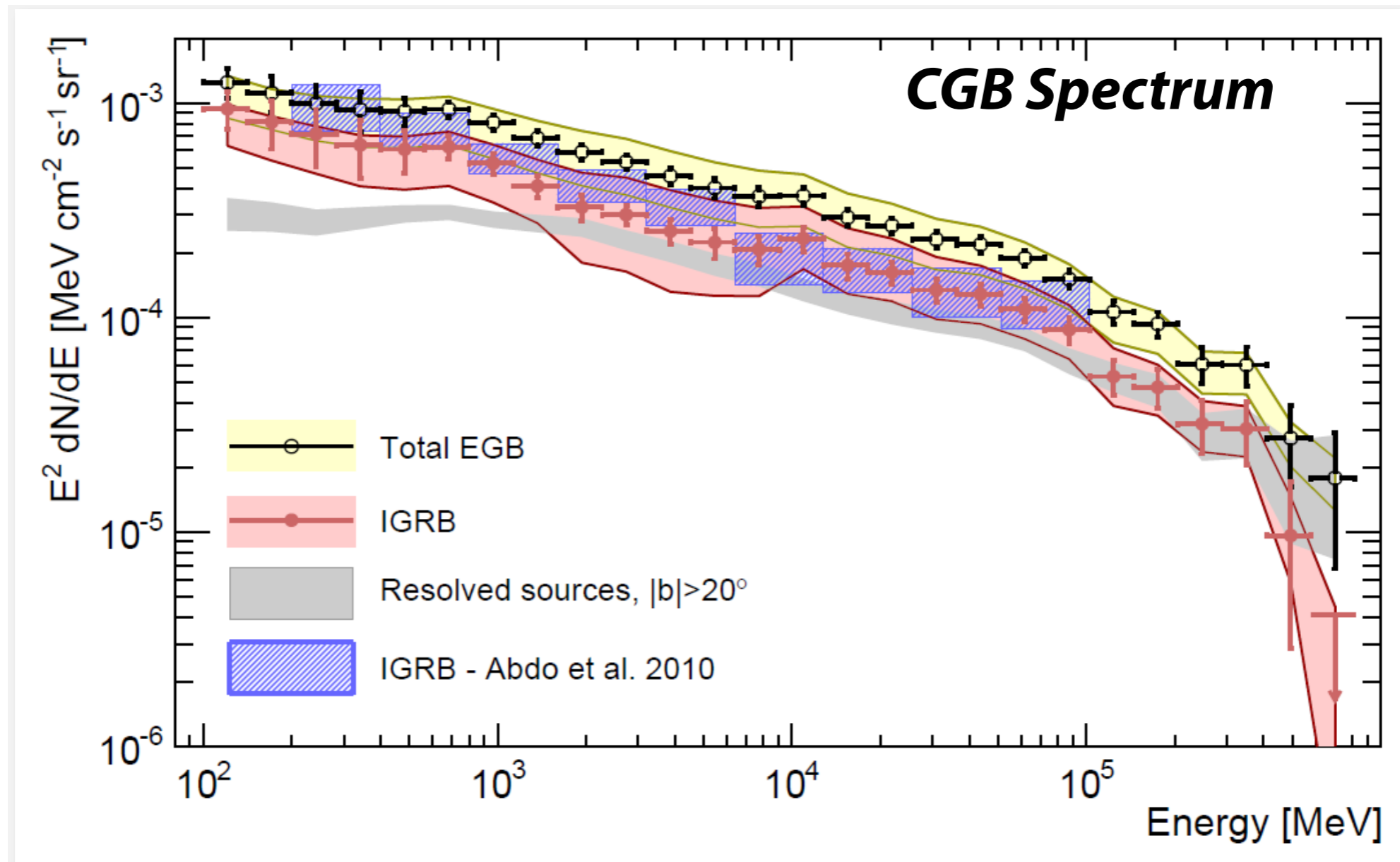


- Numerous sources are buried in the cosmic gamma-ray background (CGB).

Cosmic Background Radiation Spectrum



Cosmic Gamma-ray Background Spectrum at >0.1 GeV

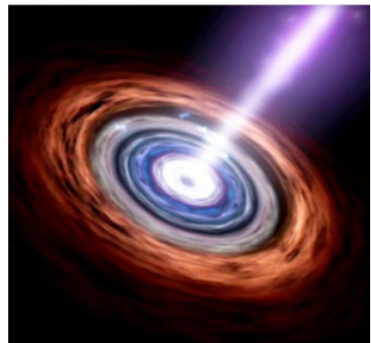


Ackerman+'15

- Fermi has resolved 30% of the CGB at ~ 1 GeV and more at higher energies.

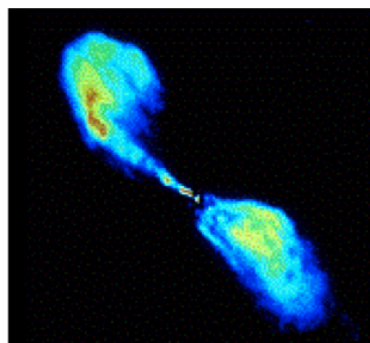
Possible Origins of CGB at GeV

Unresolved sources



Blazars

Dominant class of LAT extra-galactic sources. Many estimates in literature. EGB contribution ranging from 20% - 100%



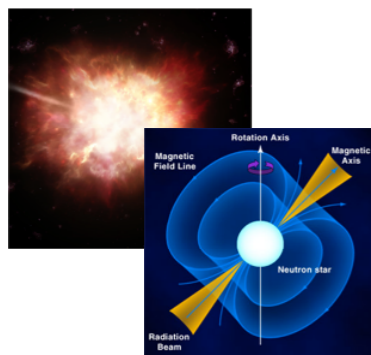
Non-blazar active galaxies

27 sources resolved in 2FGL
~ 25% contribution of radio galaxies to EGB expected.
(Inoue 2011)



Star-forming galaxies

Several galaxies outside the local group resolved by LAT. Significant contribution to EGB expected. (e.g. Pavlidou & Fields, 2002)



GRBs

High-latitude pulsars

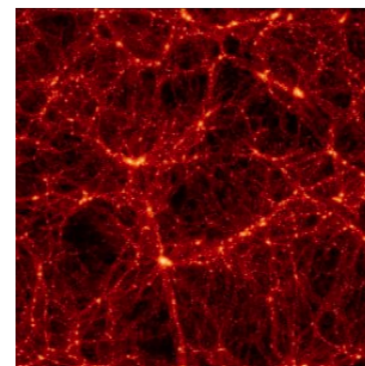
small contributions expected.
(e.g. Dermer 2007, Siegal-Gaskins et al. 2010)

Diffuse processes



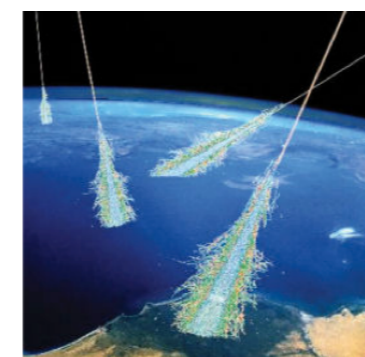
Intergalactic shocks

widely varying predictions of EGB contribution ranging from 1% to 100% (e.g. Loeb & Waxman 2000, Gabici & Blasi 2003)



Dark matter annihilation

Potential signal dependent on nature of DM, cross-section and structure of DM distribution
(e.g. Ullio et al. 2002)



Interactions of UHE cosmic rays with the EBL

dependent on evolution of CR sources, predictions varying from 1% to 100 % (e.g. Kalashev et al. 2009)



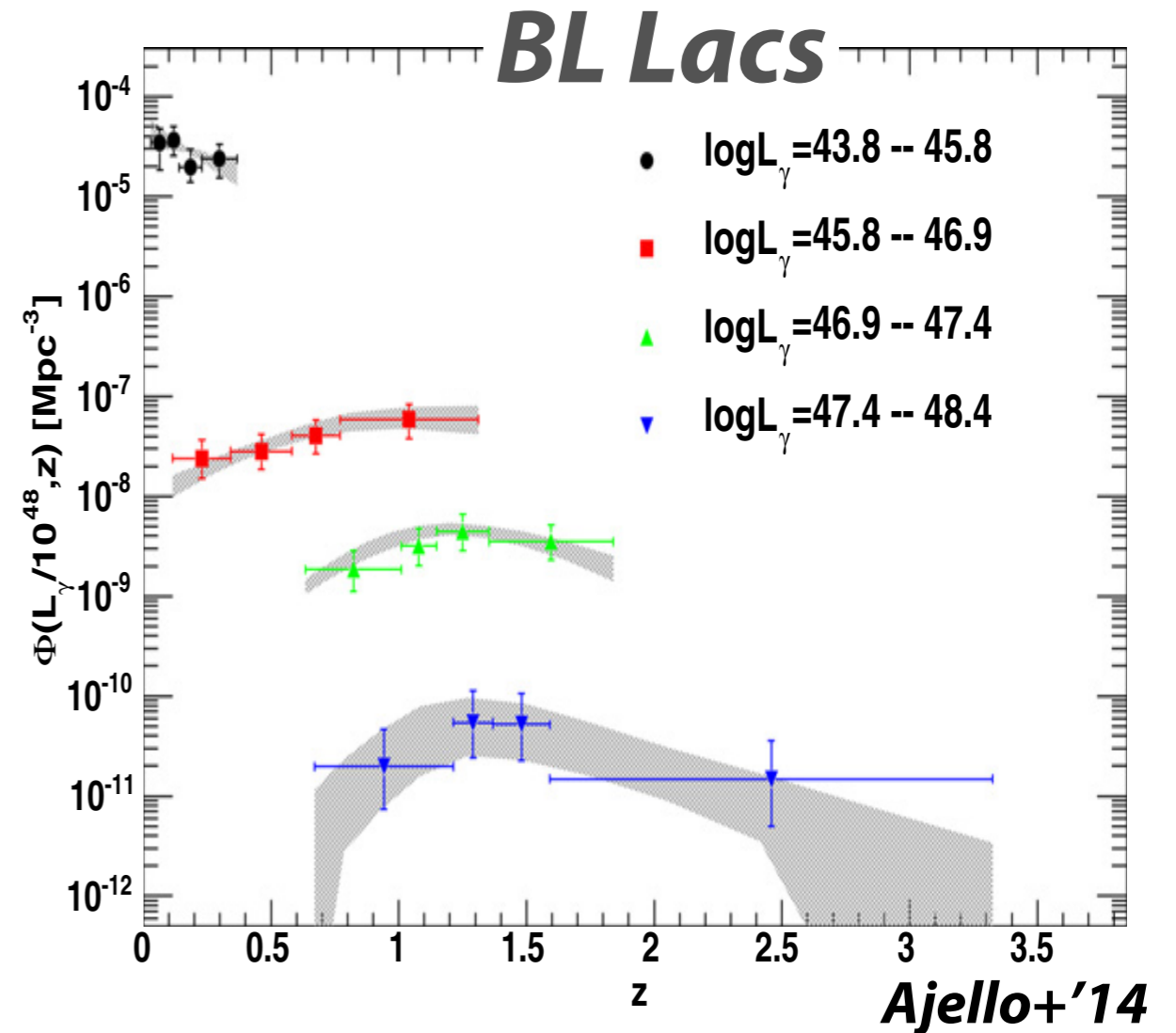
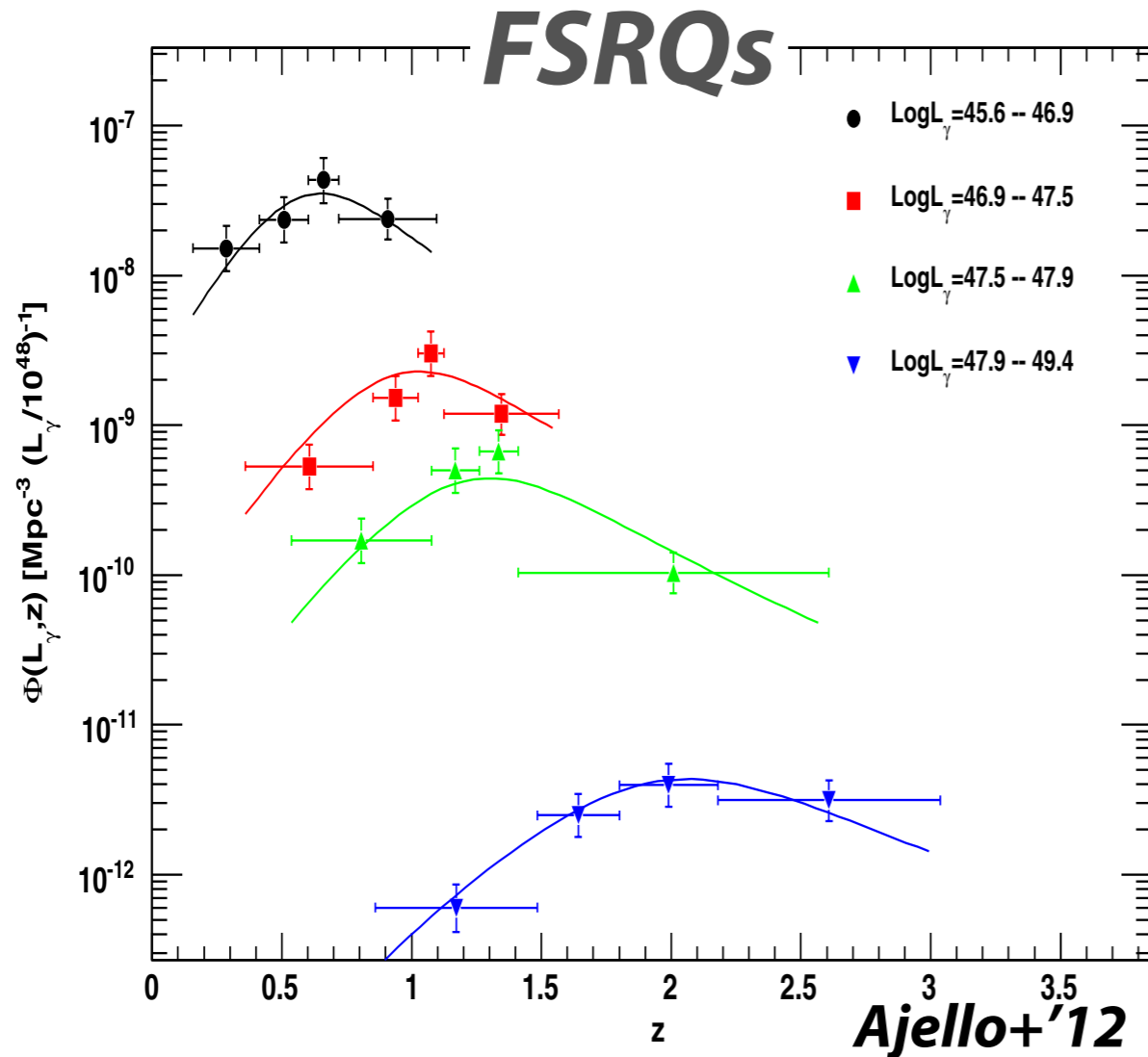
Extremely large galactic electron halo

(Keshet et al. 2004)

CR interaction in small solar system bodies

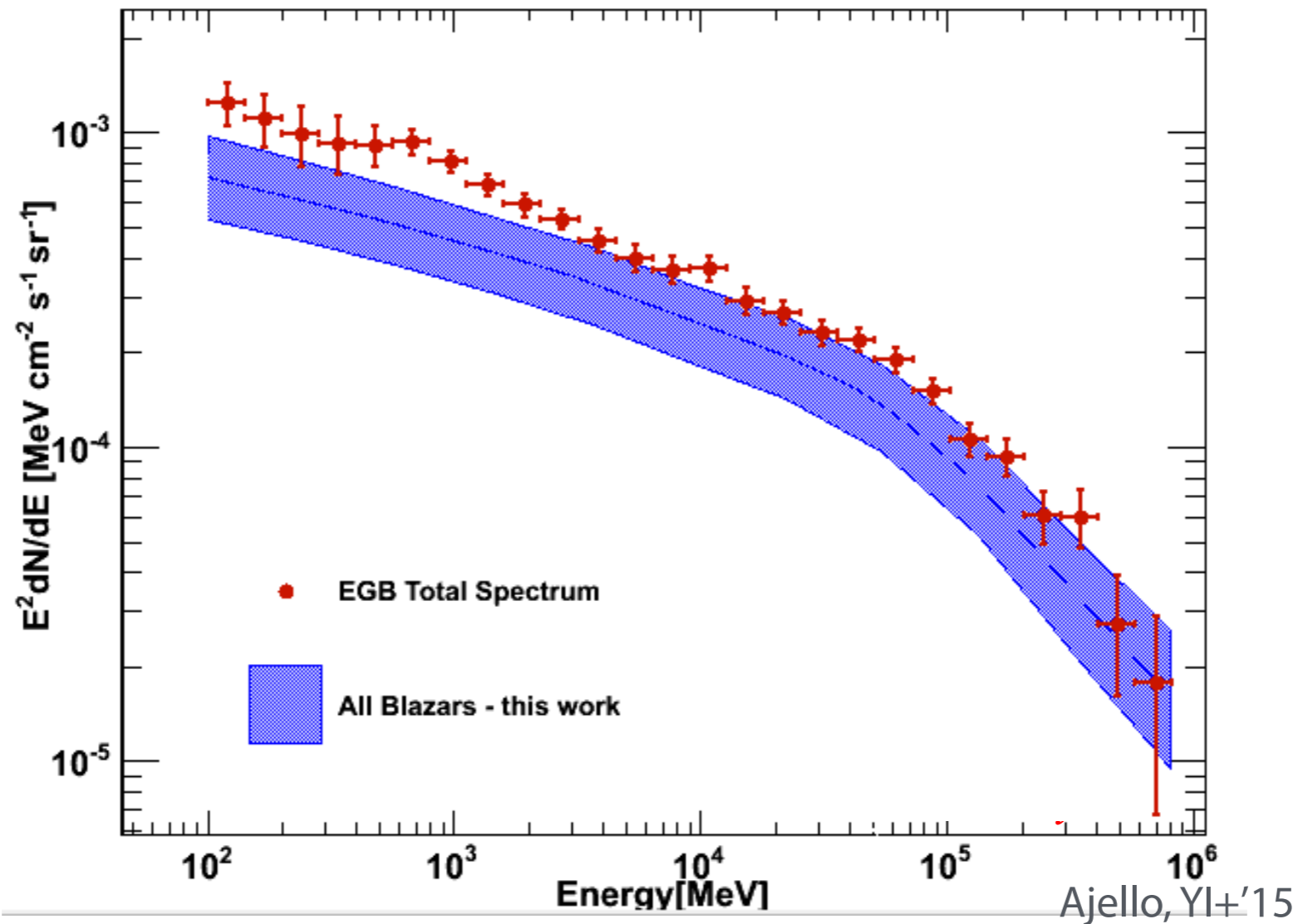
(Moskalenko & Porter 2009)

Cosmological Evolution of Blazars



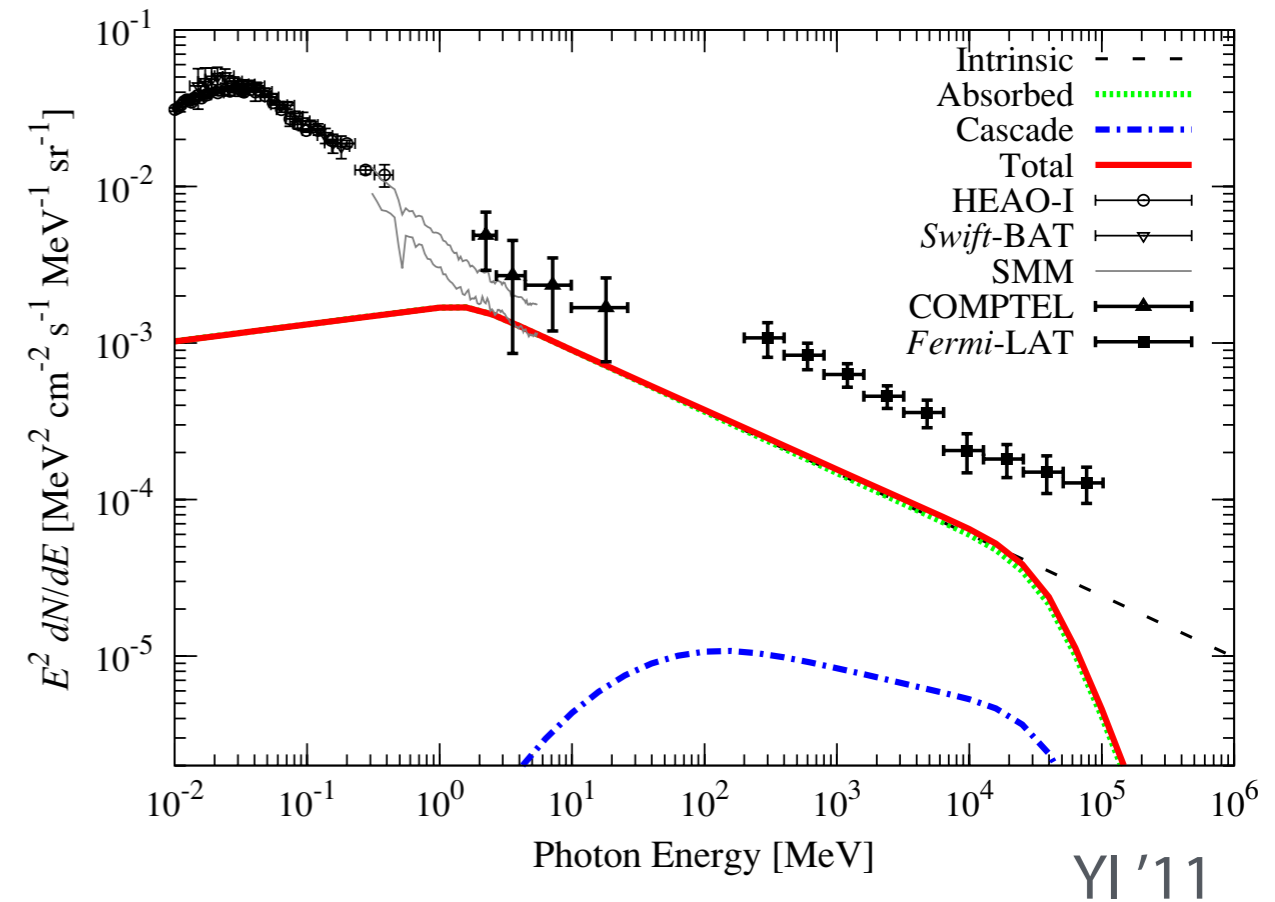
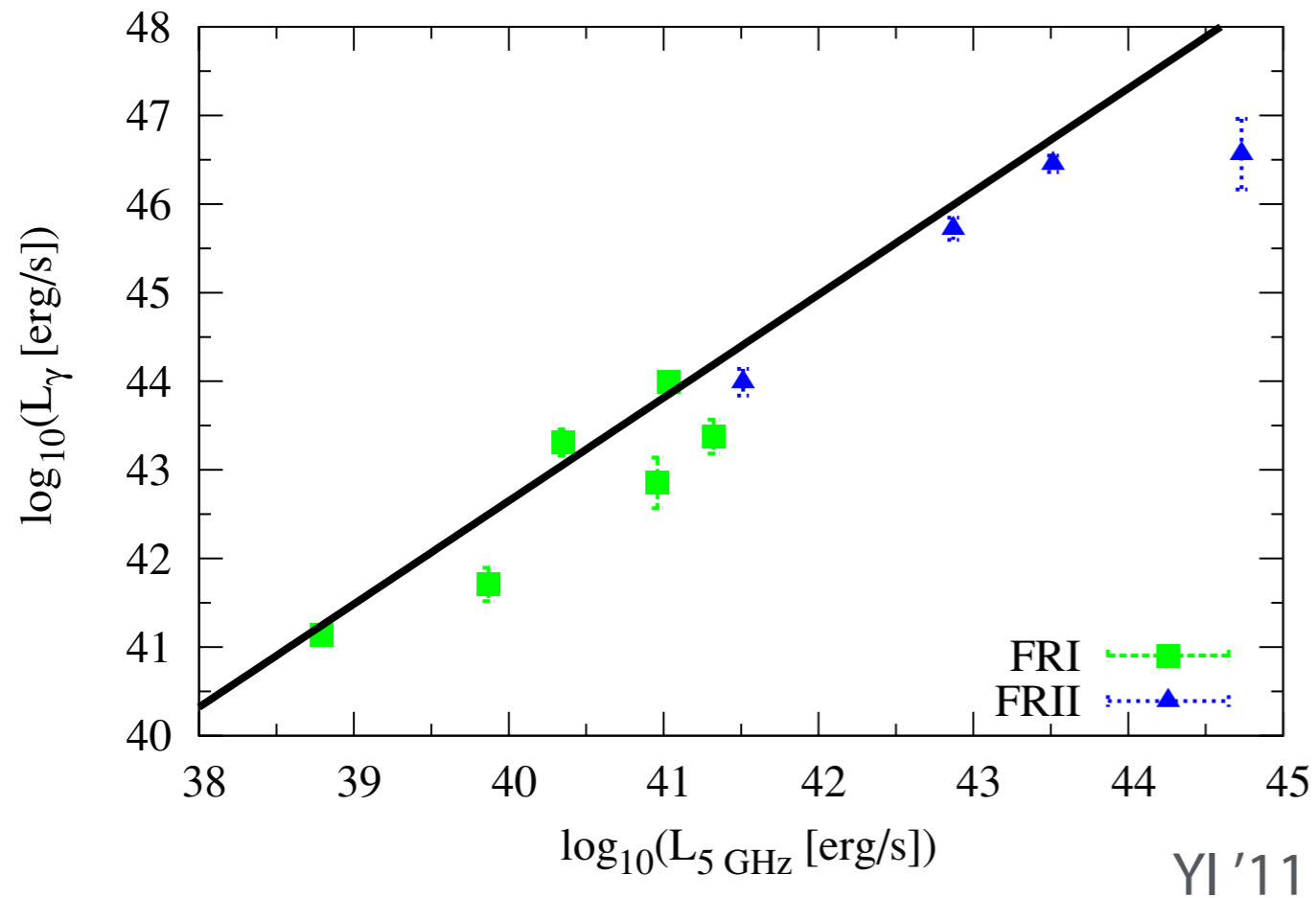
- FSRQs, luminous BL Lacs show positive evolution.
- low-luminosity BL Lacs show negative evolution unlike other AGNs.

Blazar contribution to CGB



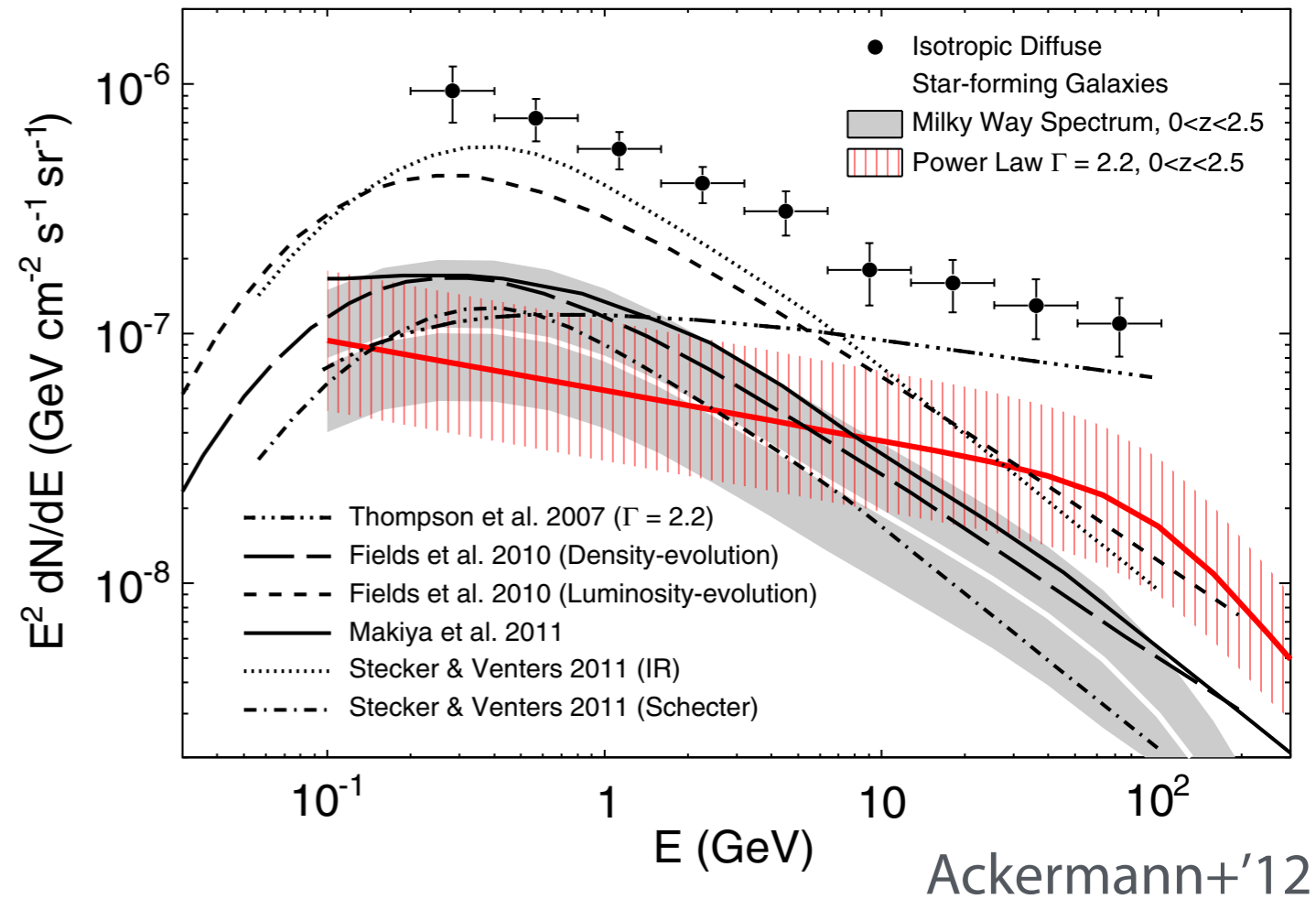
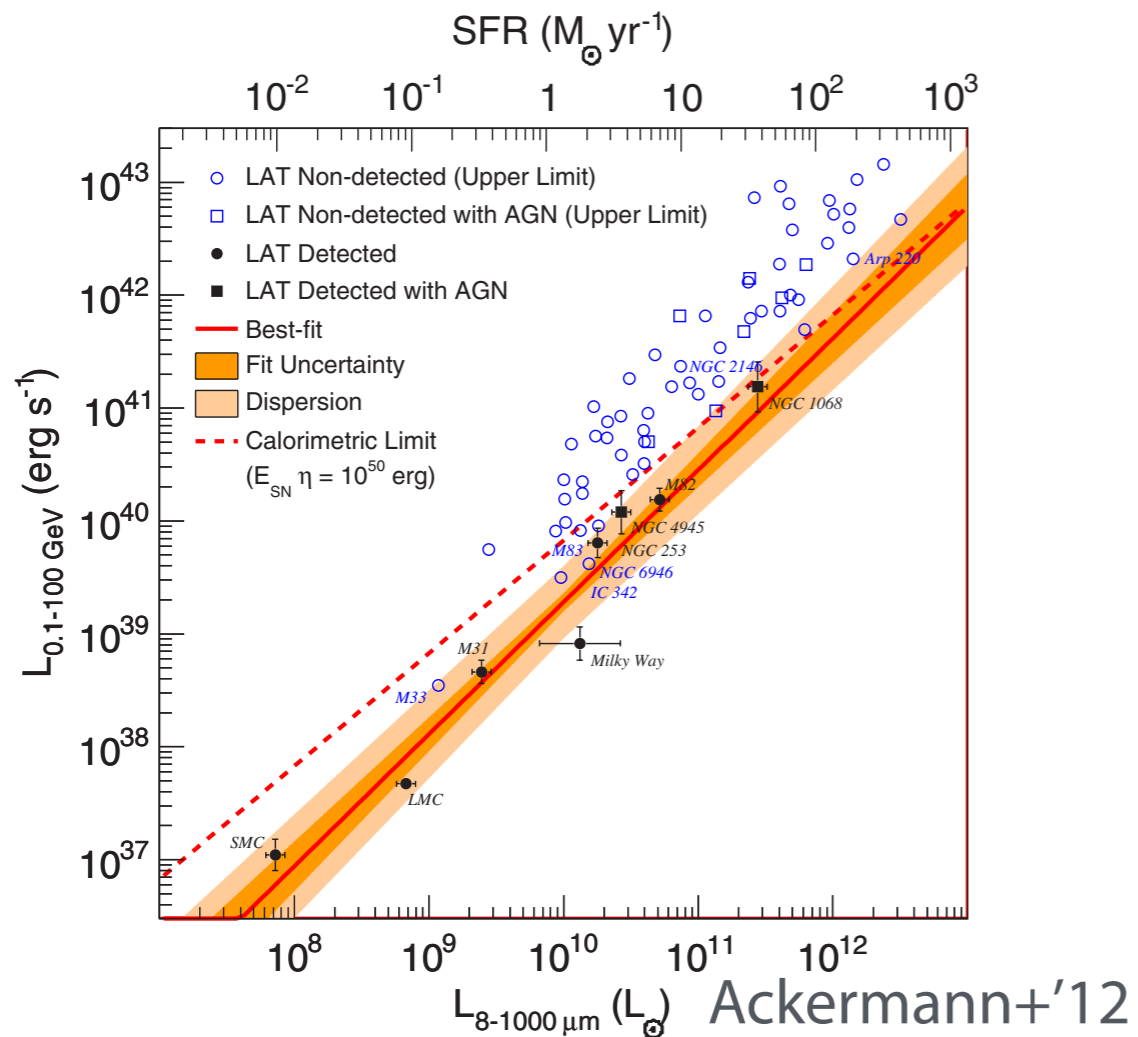
- Padovani+'93; Stecker+'93; Salamon & Stecker '94; Chiang + '95; Stecker & Salamon '96; Chiang & Mukherjee '98; Mukherjee & Chiang '99; Muecke & Pohl '00; Narumoto & Totani '06; Giommi + '06; Dermer '07; Pavlidou & Venters '08; Kneiske & Mannheim '08; Bhattacharya +'09; **Yi & Totani '09**; Abdo+'10; Stecker & Venters '10; Cavadini+'11, Abazajian+'11, Zeng+'12, Ajello+'12, Broderick+'12, Singal+'12, Harding & Abazajian '12, Di Mauro+'14, Ajello+'14, Singal+'14, Ajello, Yi, +'15,
- Blazars explain ~50% of CGB at 0.1-100 GeV.
 - explain ~100% of CGB at >100 GeV.

Radio Galaxies



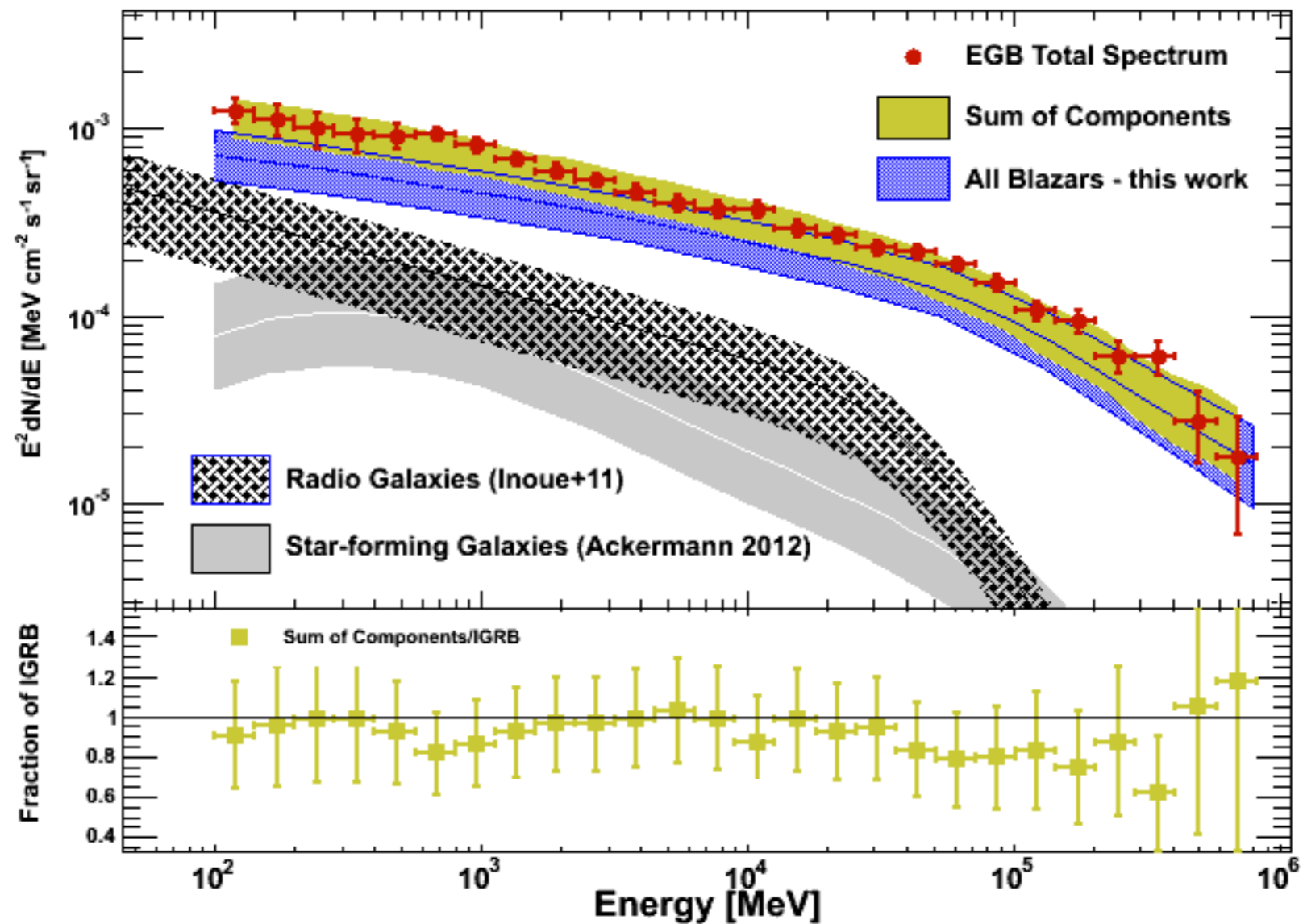
- Strong+'76; Padovani+'93; YI '11; Di Mauro+'13; Zhou & Wang '13
- Use gamma-ray and radio luminosity correlation.
- ~20% of CGB at 0.1-100 GeV.
- But, only ~10 sources are detected by Fermi.

Star-forming Galaxies



- Soltan '99; Pavlidou & Fields '02; Thompson + '07; Bhattacharya & Sreekumar 2009; Fields et al. 2010; Makiya et al. 2011; Stecker & Venter 2011; Lien+'12, Ackermann+'12; Lacki+'12; Chakraborty & Fields '13; Tamborra+'14
- Use gamma-ray and infrared luminosity correlation
- ~10-30% of CGB at 0.1-100 GeV.
- But, only ~10 sources are detected by Fermi.

Components of Cosmic Gamma-ray Background



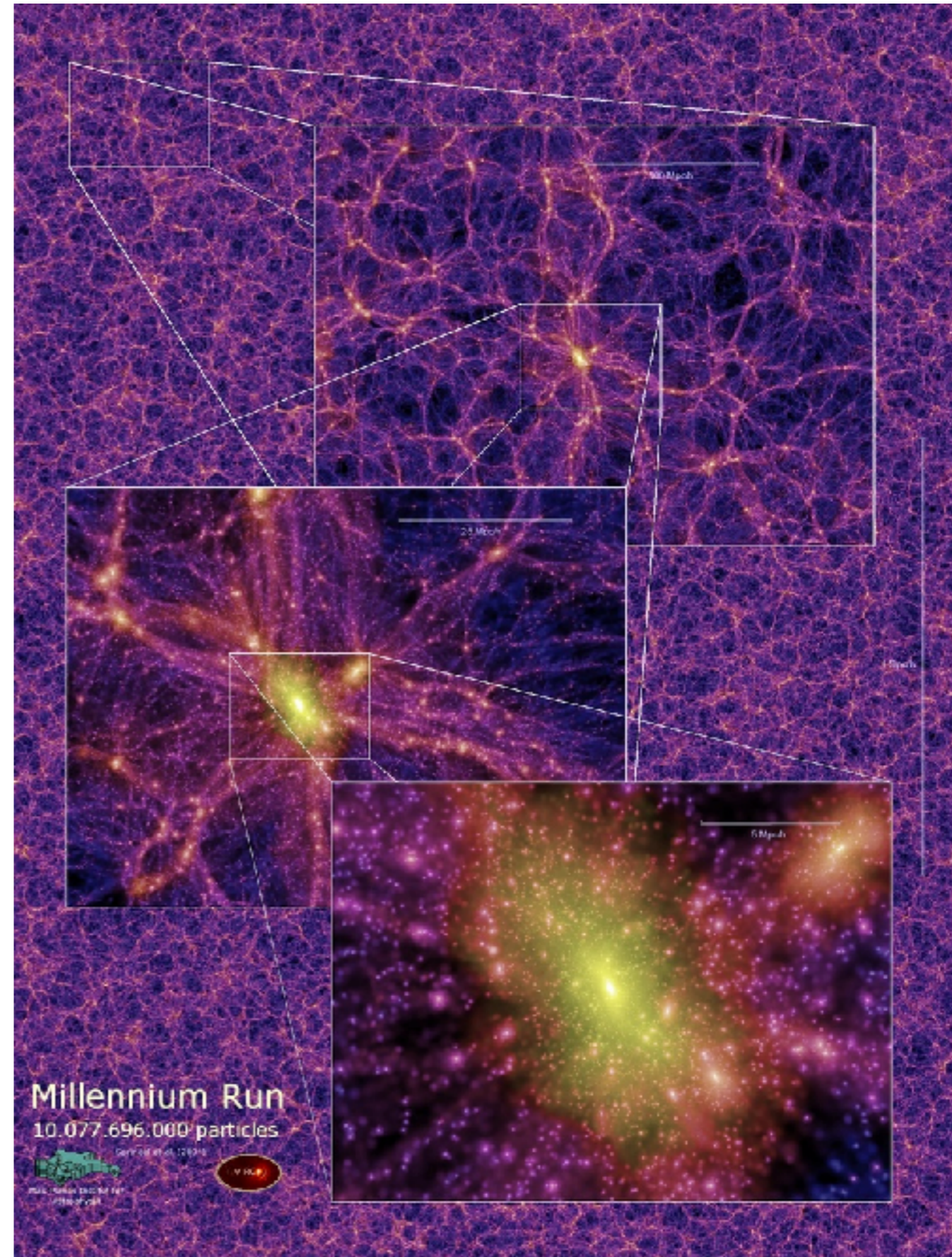
Ajello, Yi + '15

- FSRQs (Ajello+'12), BL Lacs (Ajello+'14), Radio gals. (Yi'11), & Star-forming gals. (Ackermann+'12) makes almost 100% of CGB from 0.1-1000 GeV.

Dark Matter Contribution to the CGB

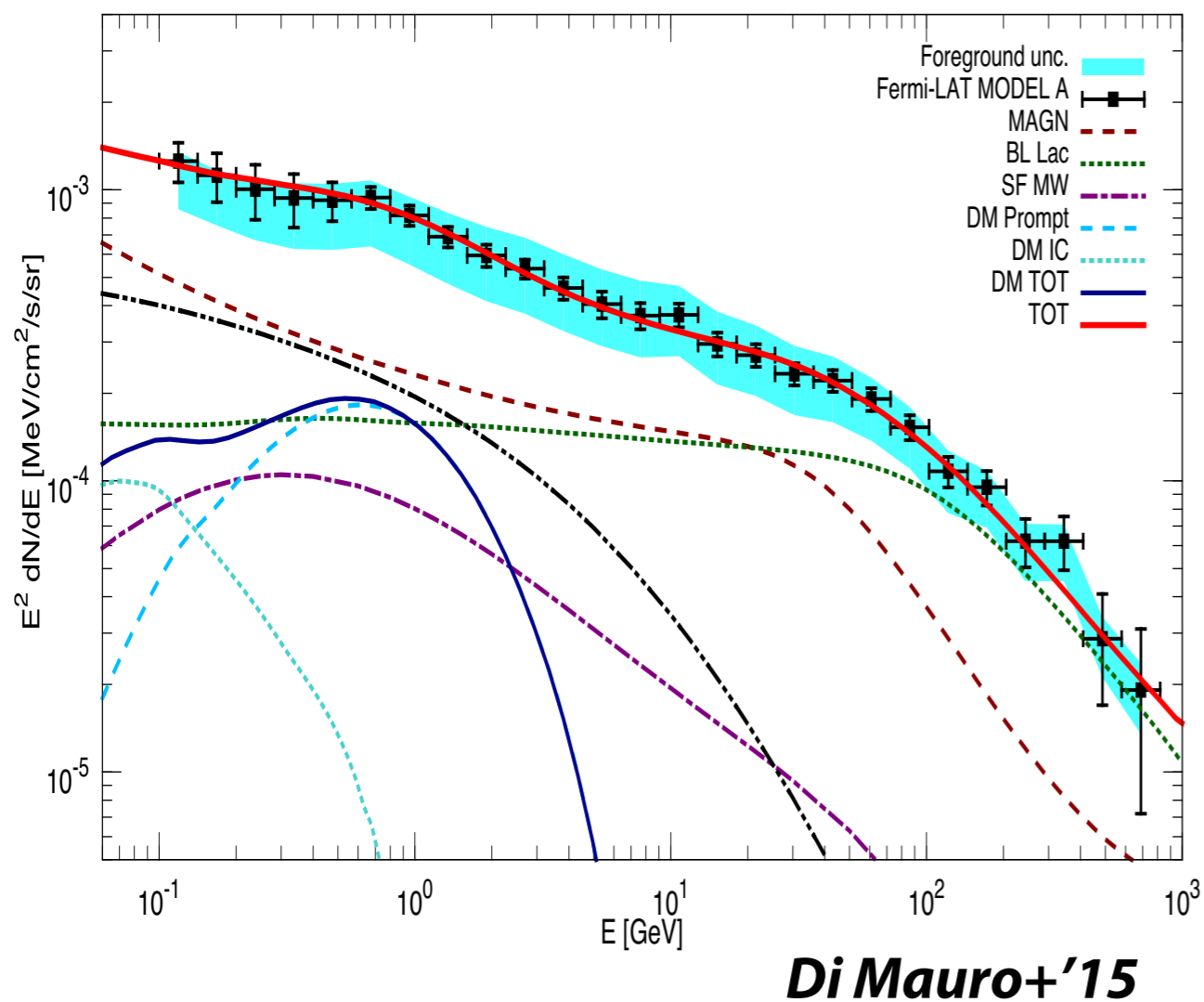
- Dark matter particles should have been annihilating/decaying since the beginning of the universe.
- The annihilation flux depends on the square of density.

$$I_{\gamma}(\hat{n}) \propto \frac{\langle \sigma v \rangle}{m_{\chi}^2} \int d\chi \rho_{\chi}^2(\chi \hat{n})$$

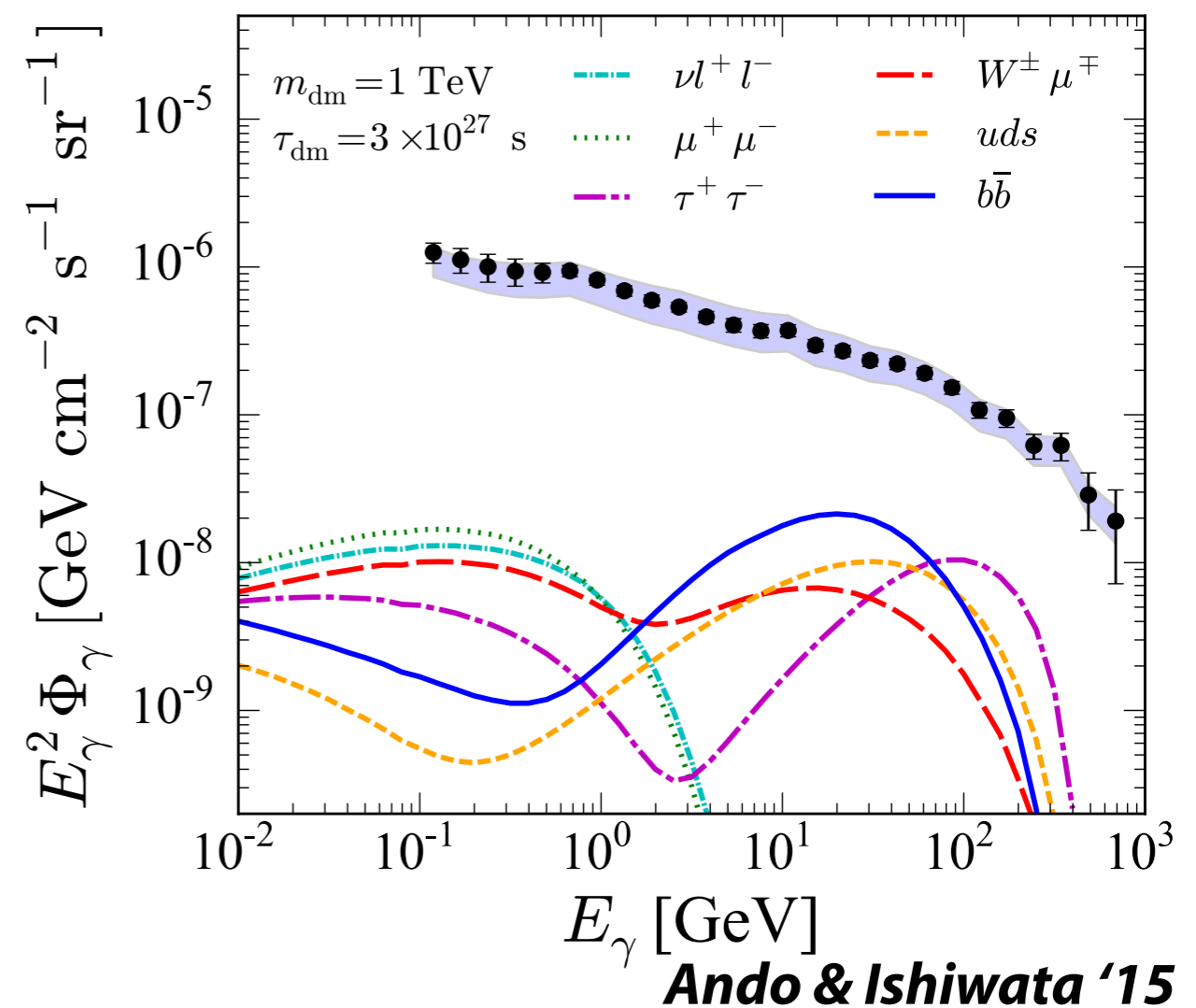


CGB spectrum from DM particles

Annihilation



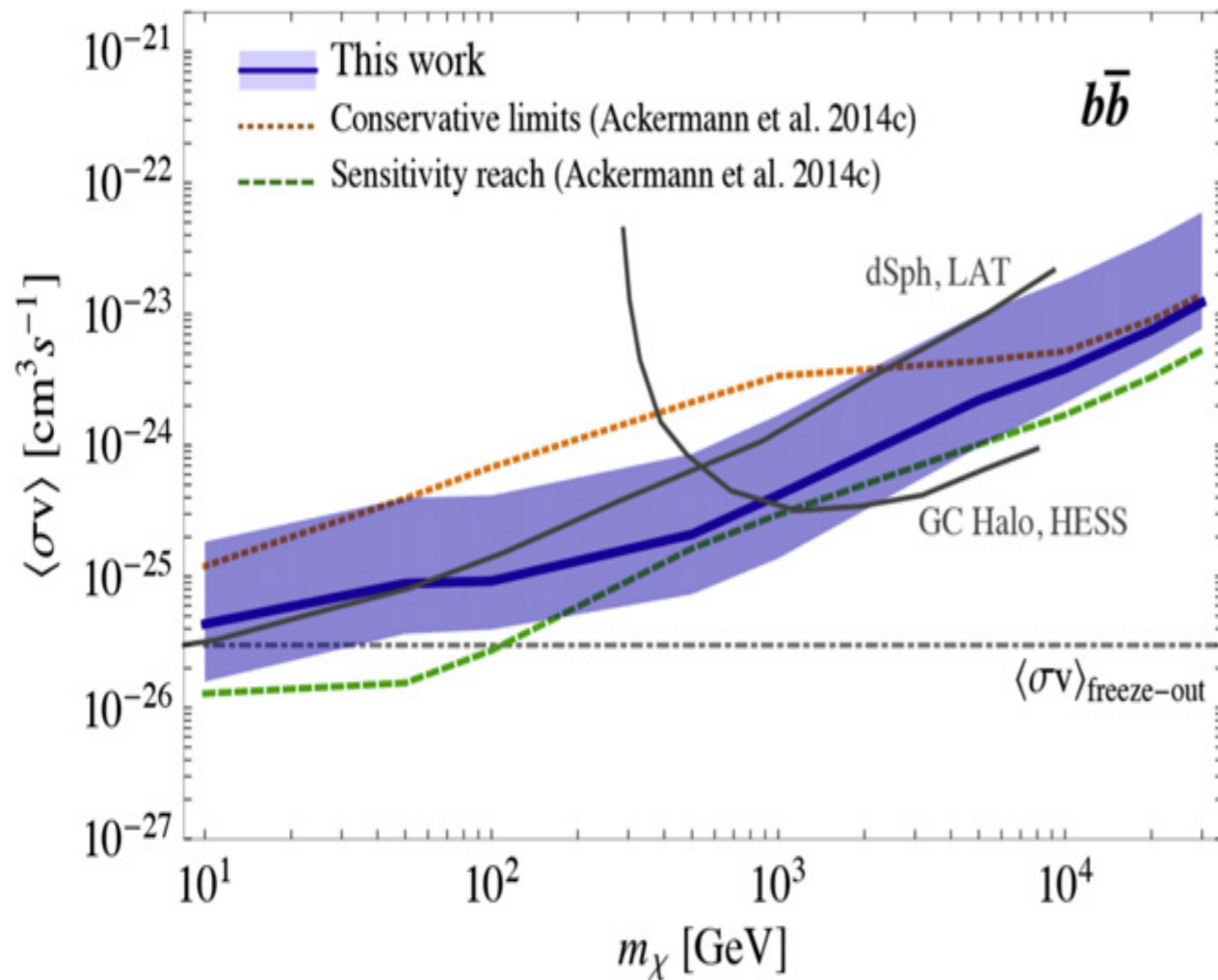
Decay



- DM annihilation/decay creates a feature in the spectrum.

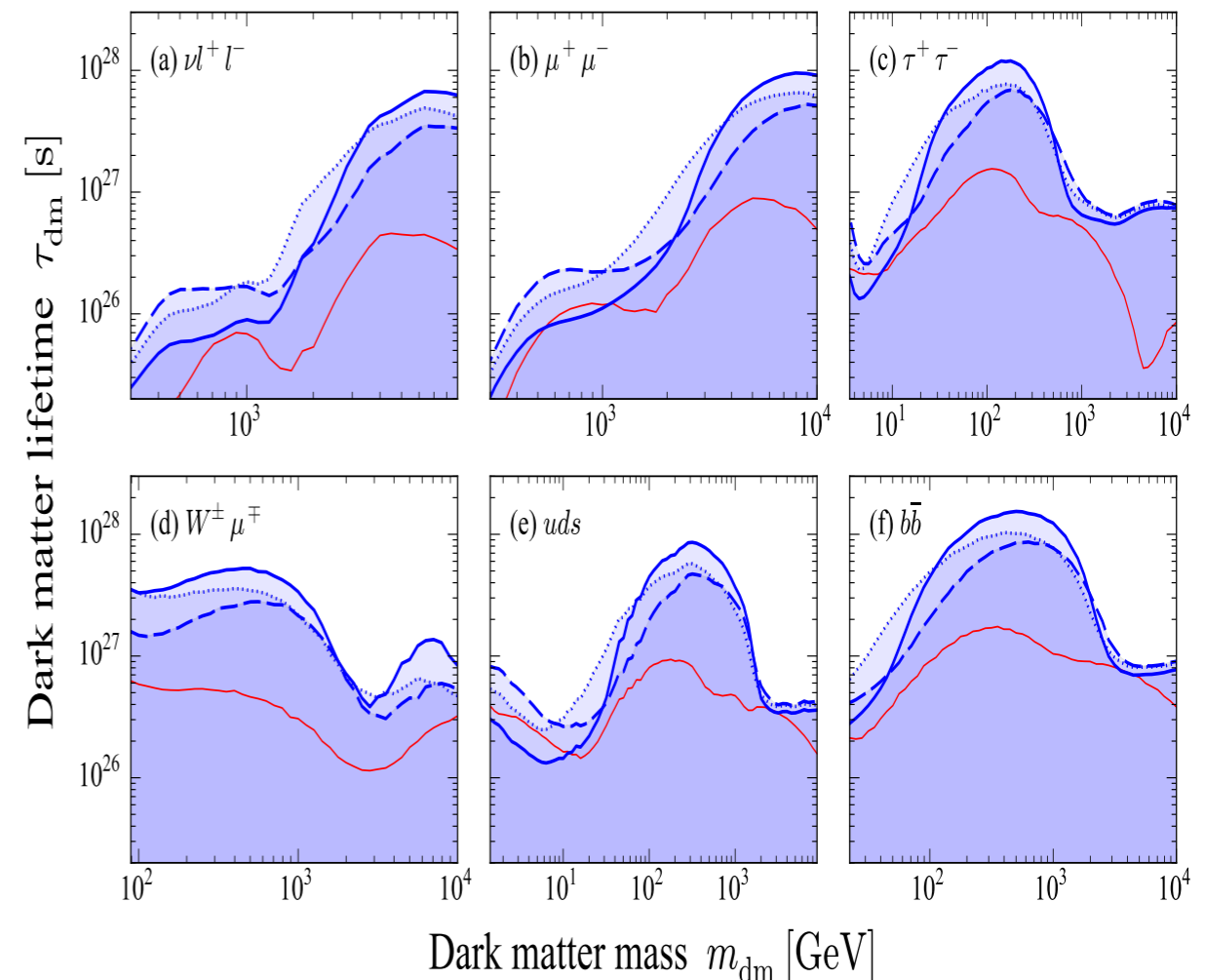
Constraints on DM parameters

Annihilation



Ajello, YI + '15

Decay



Ando & Ishiwata '15

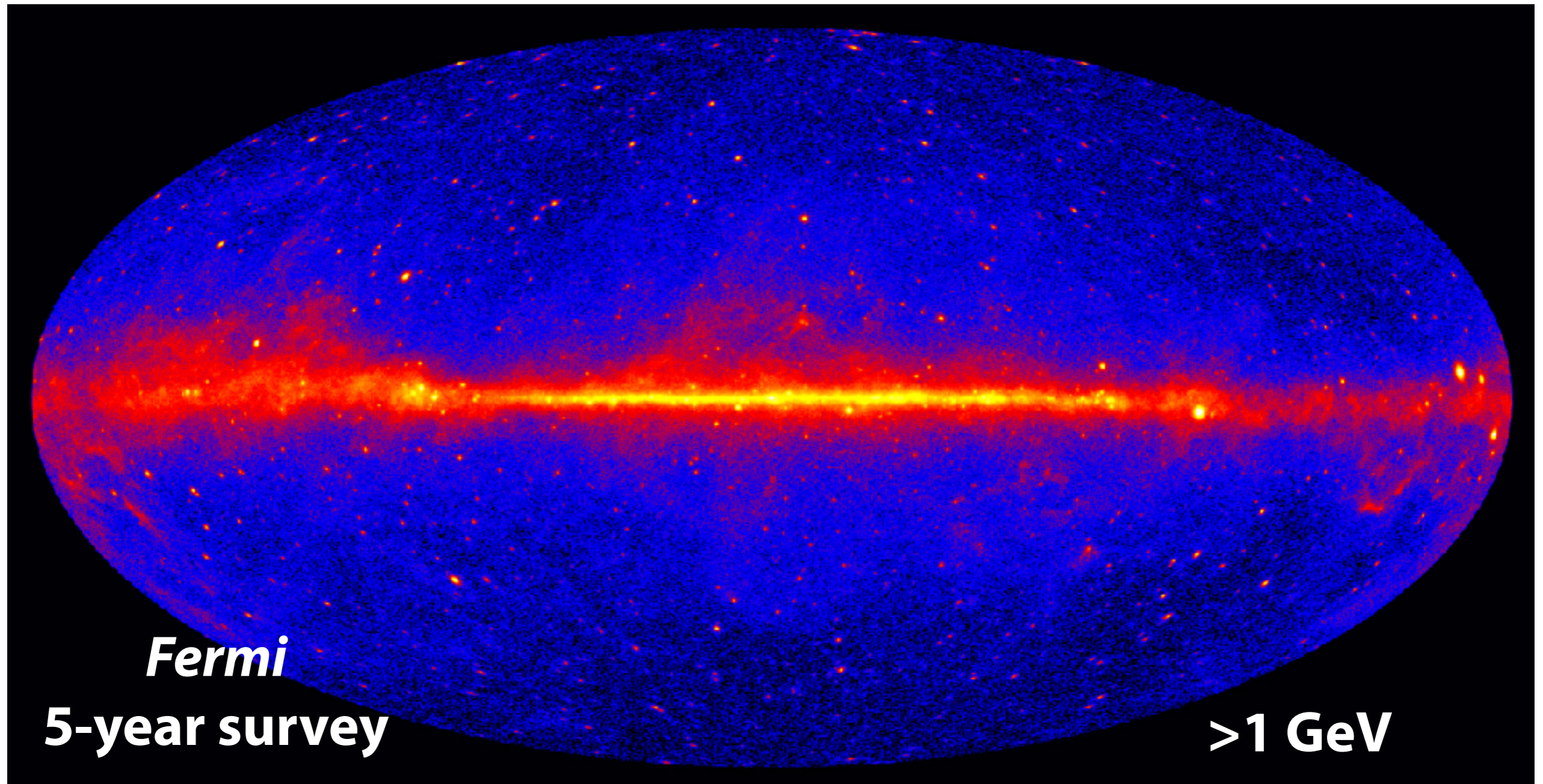
- Annihilation: comparable to constraints from dwarfs by Fermi
- Decay: $> 10^{27}\text{s}$

Future Gamma-ray Astronomy

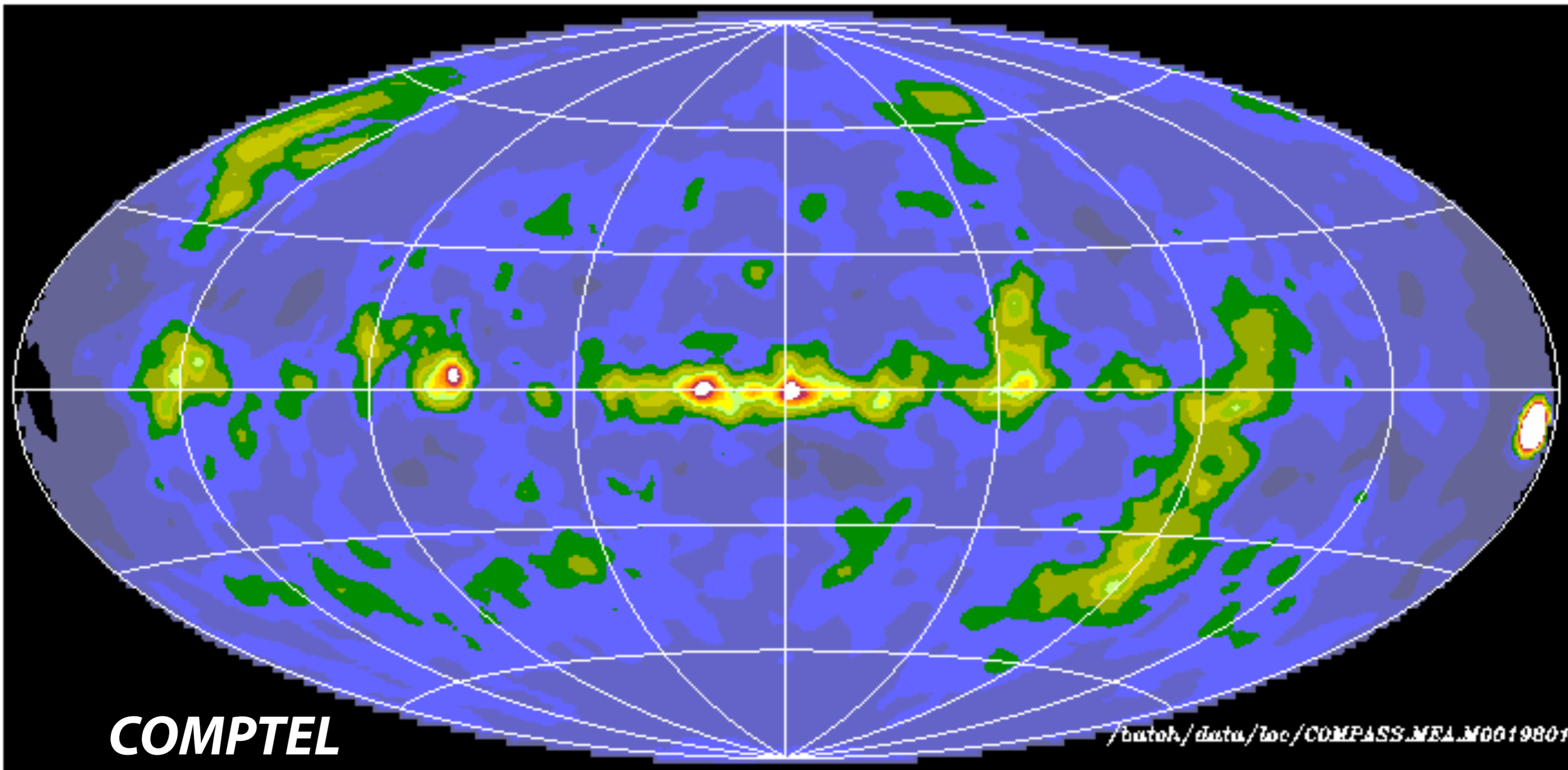
Projects

- CTA, HAWC, LHASSO, DAMPE,,,,
- Further future:
 - MeV Gamma-ray?
 - COSI, GRAINE, e-ASTROGAM, AMEGO,,,,???

GeV Gamma-ray Sky



MeV Gamma-ray Sky



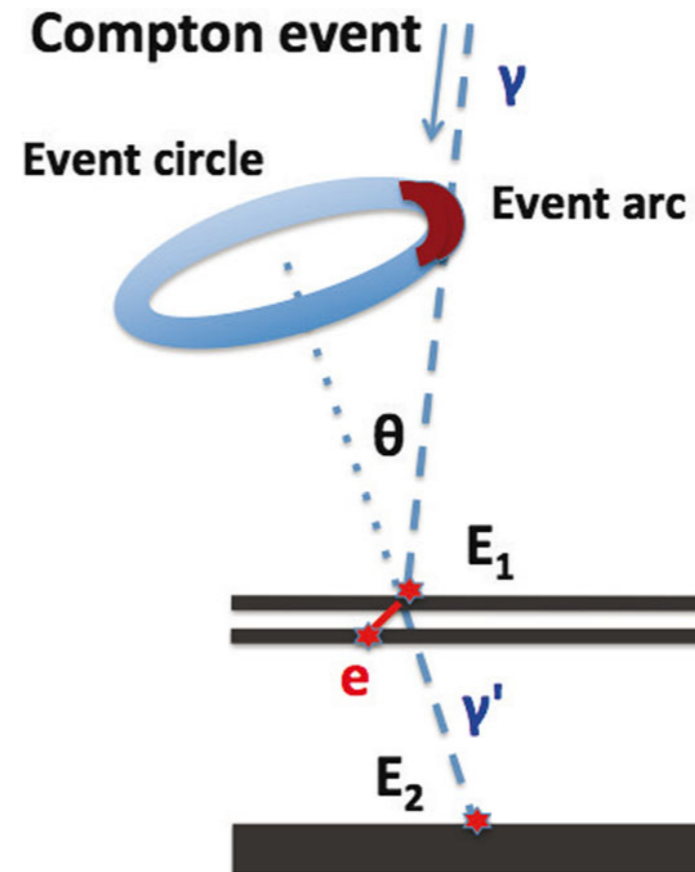
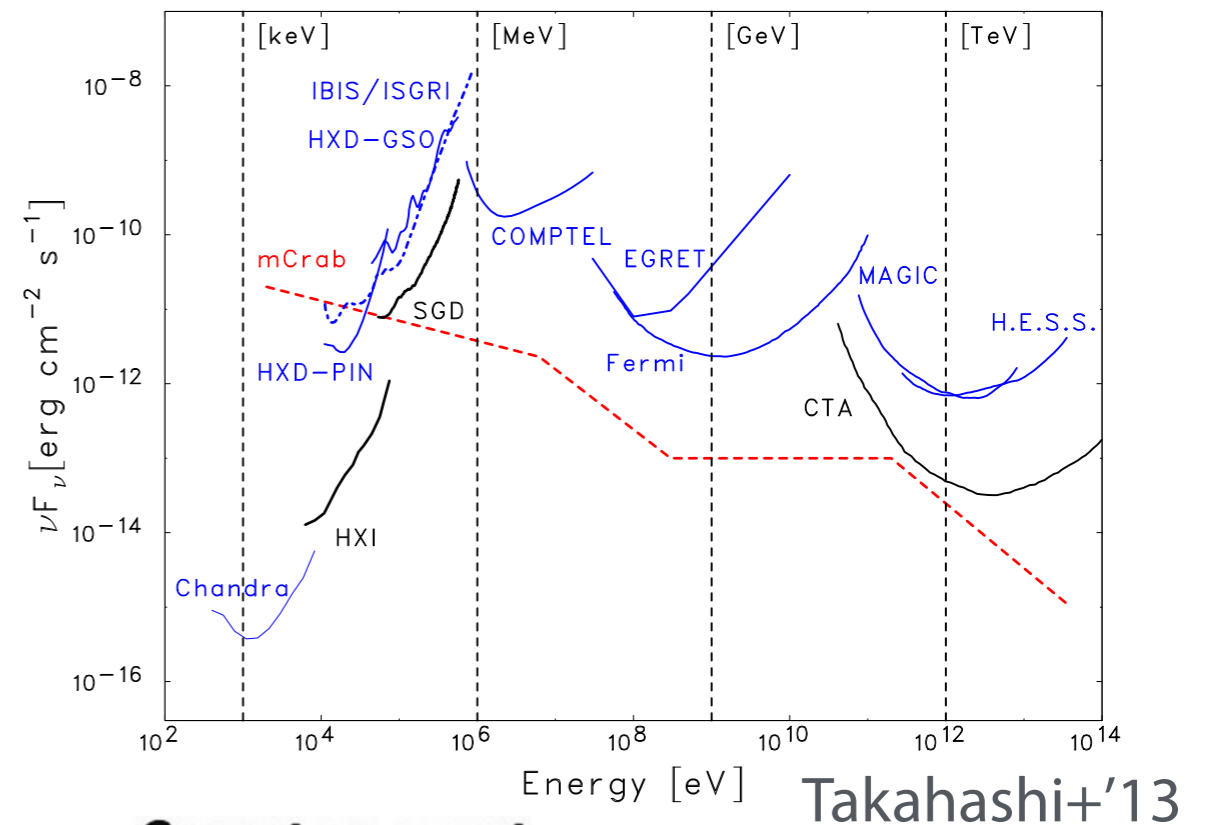
MeV Gamma-ray Observations

- Poor sensitivity

- 32 srcs in MeV
- 1.25M srcs in X-ray, 3000 srcs in GeV, ~150 srcs in TeV

- Compton Camera

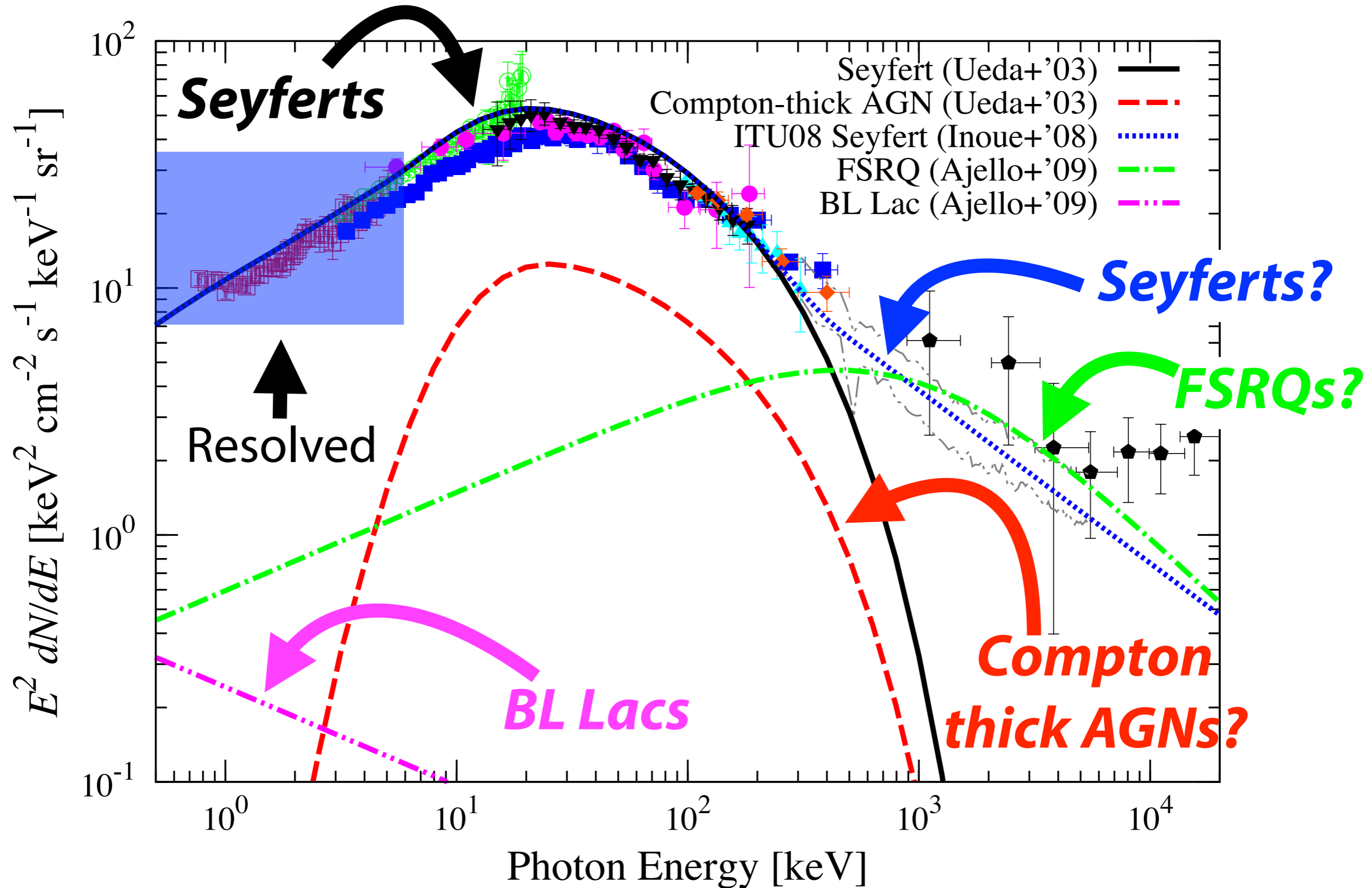
- Detect Compton scattering events



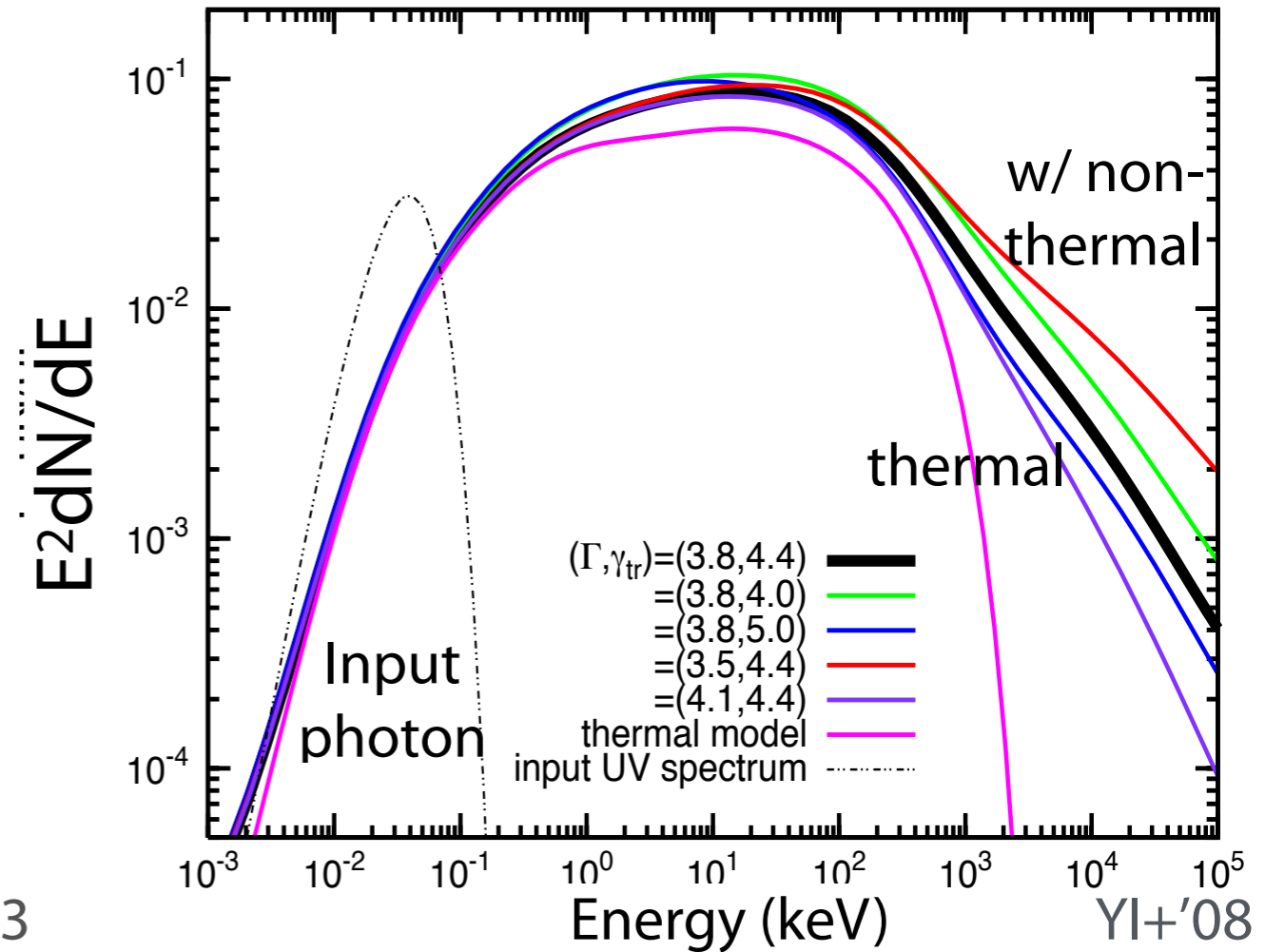
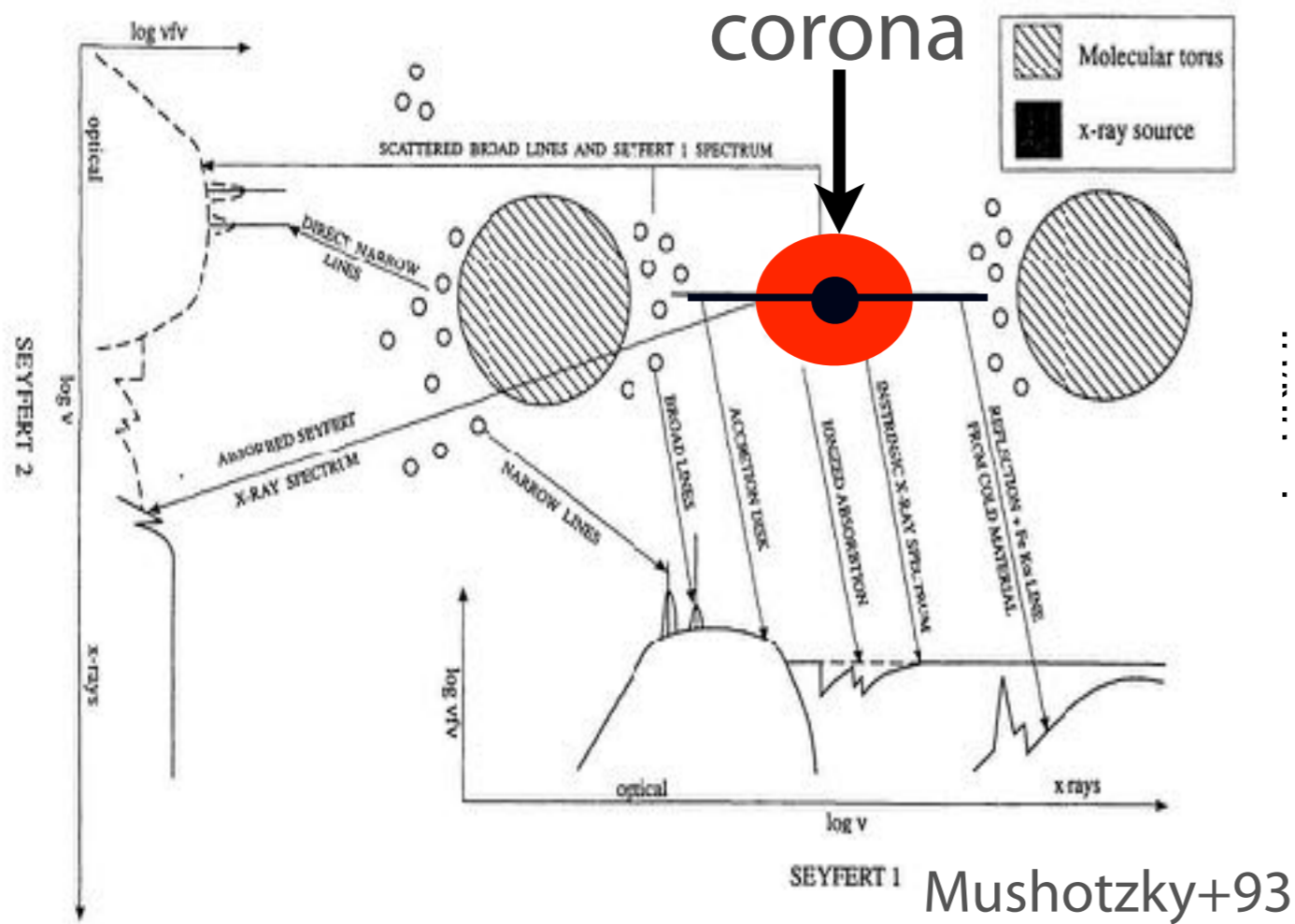
MeV Gamma-ray Science



Cosmic X-ray/MeV Gamma-ray Background

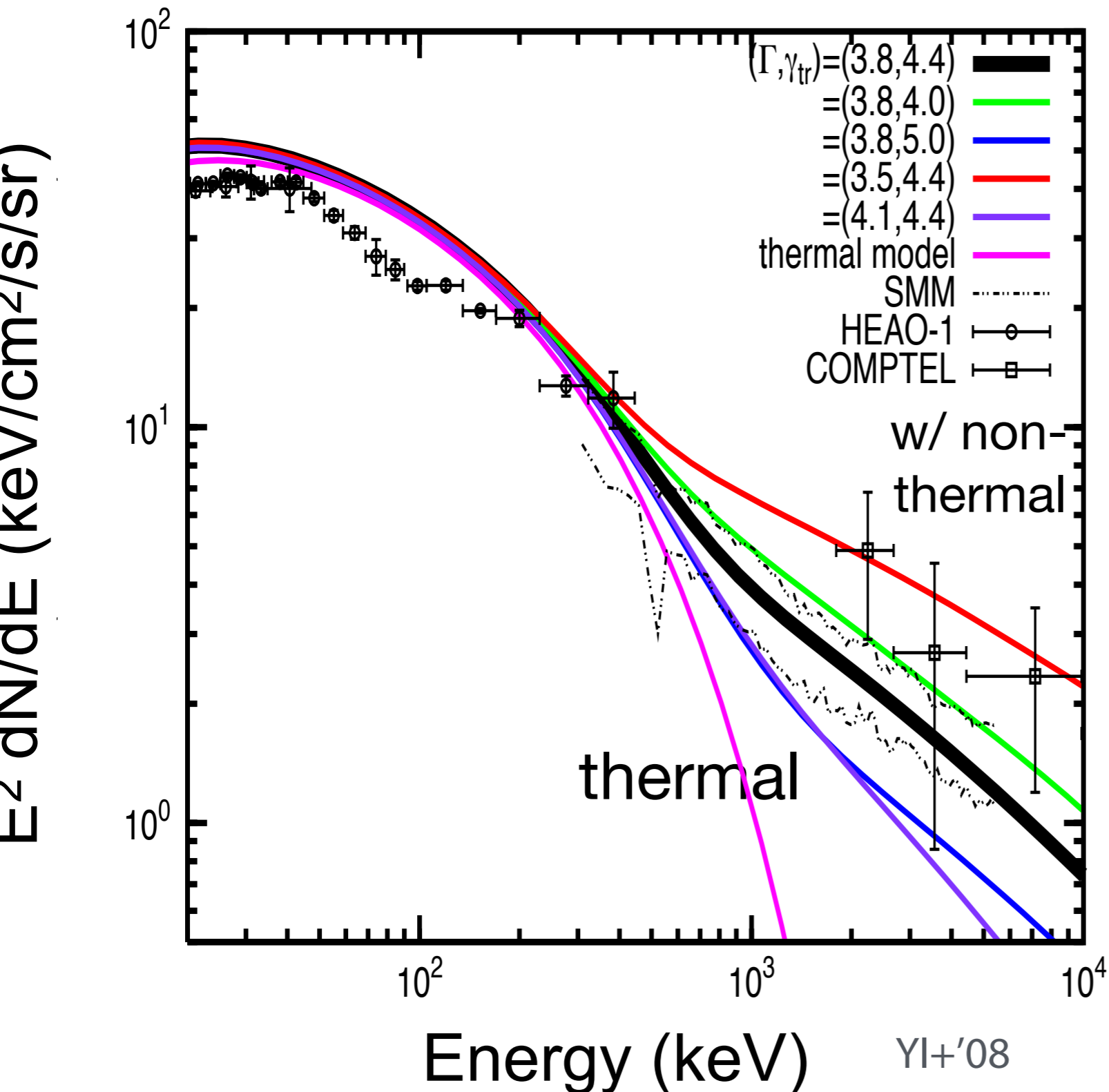


Hard X-ray Spectra (Seyfert)



- Comptonization in a hot corona above the disk.
- If non-thermal electrons exist in a corona, non-thermal tail is expected (e.g. YI+ '08).

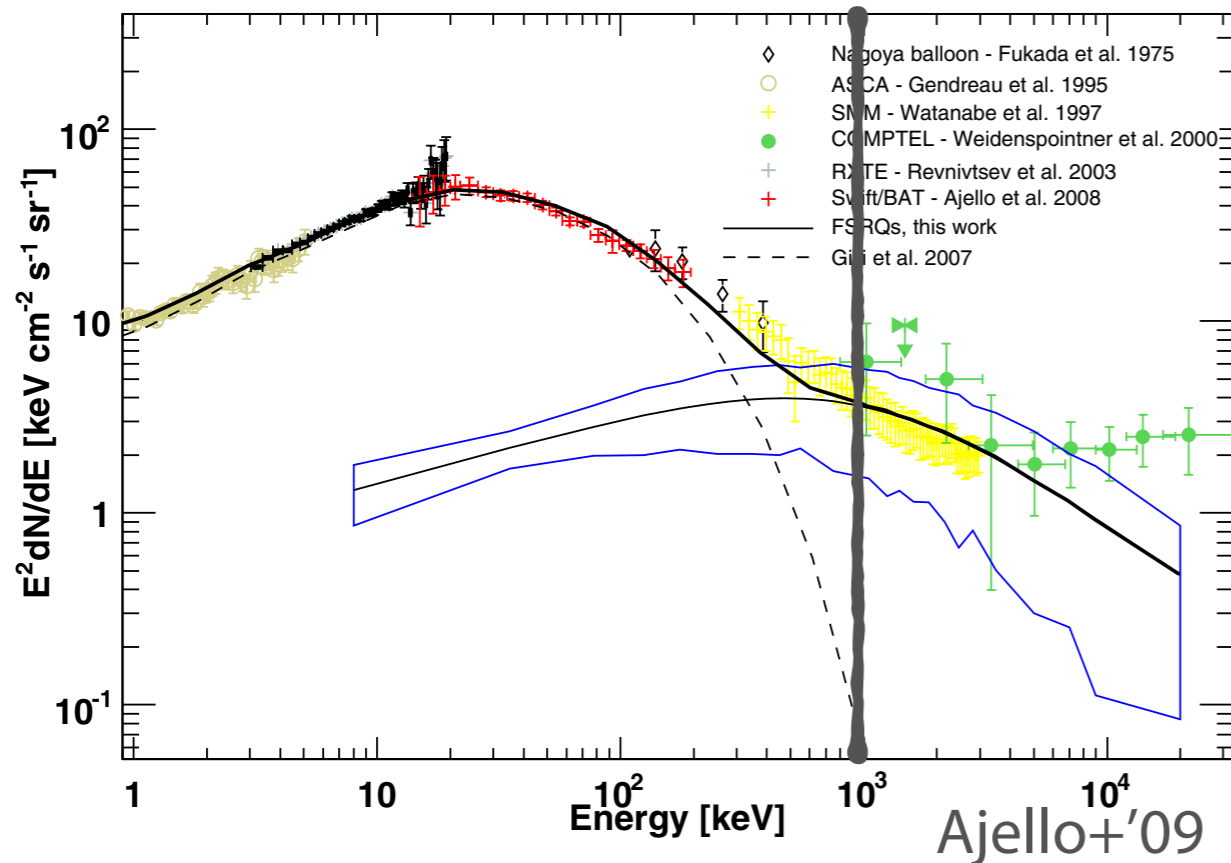
Seyferts and Cosmic MeV Gamma-ray Background



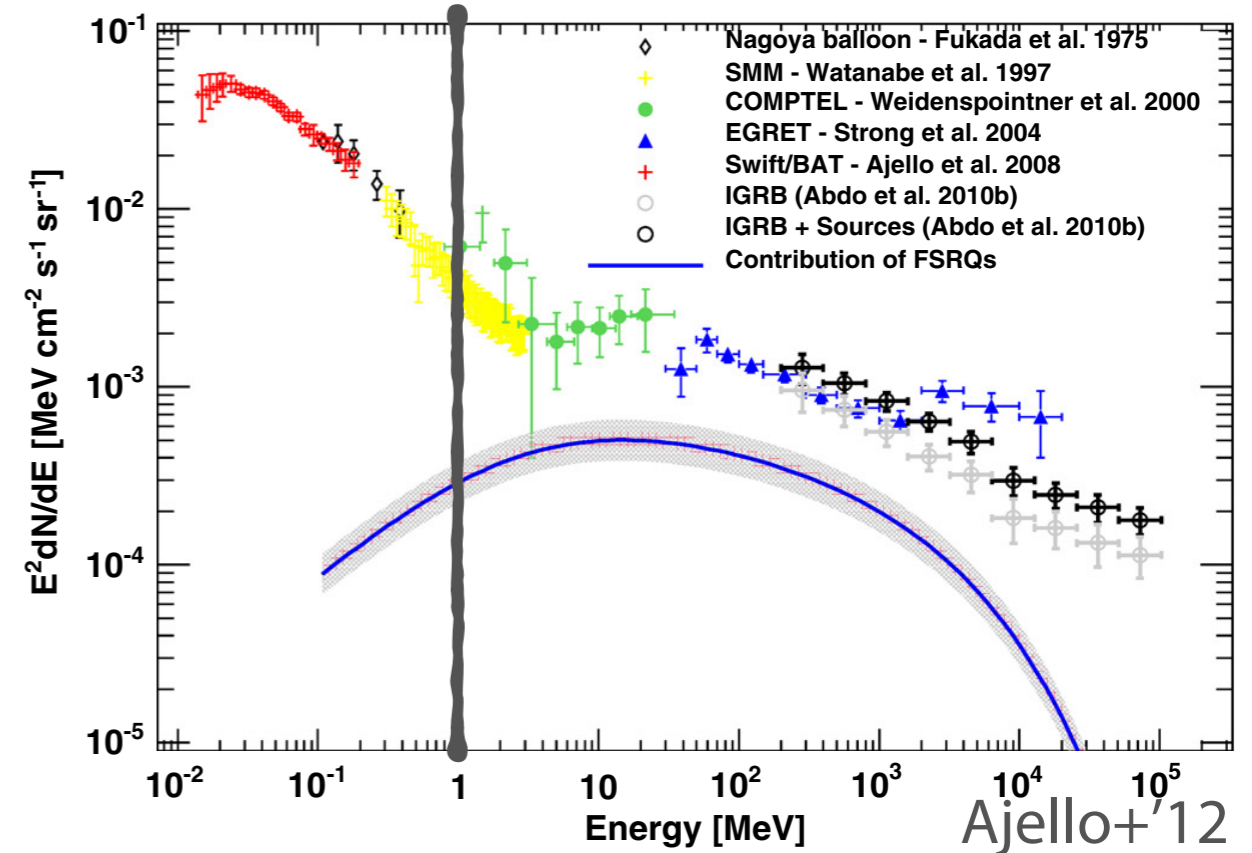
- Required non-thermal electron distribution is similar to that in solar flares and Earth's magnetotail
 - ➔ Magnetic reconnection-heated corona? (Liu, Mineshige, & Shibata '02)
- ALMA may probe the corona heating scenario through synchrotron emission (YI & Doi '14).
- Yes, we are doing ALMA observations.

Blazars and Cosmic MeV Gamma-ray Background

Based on Swift-BAT

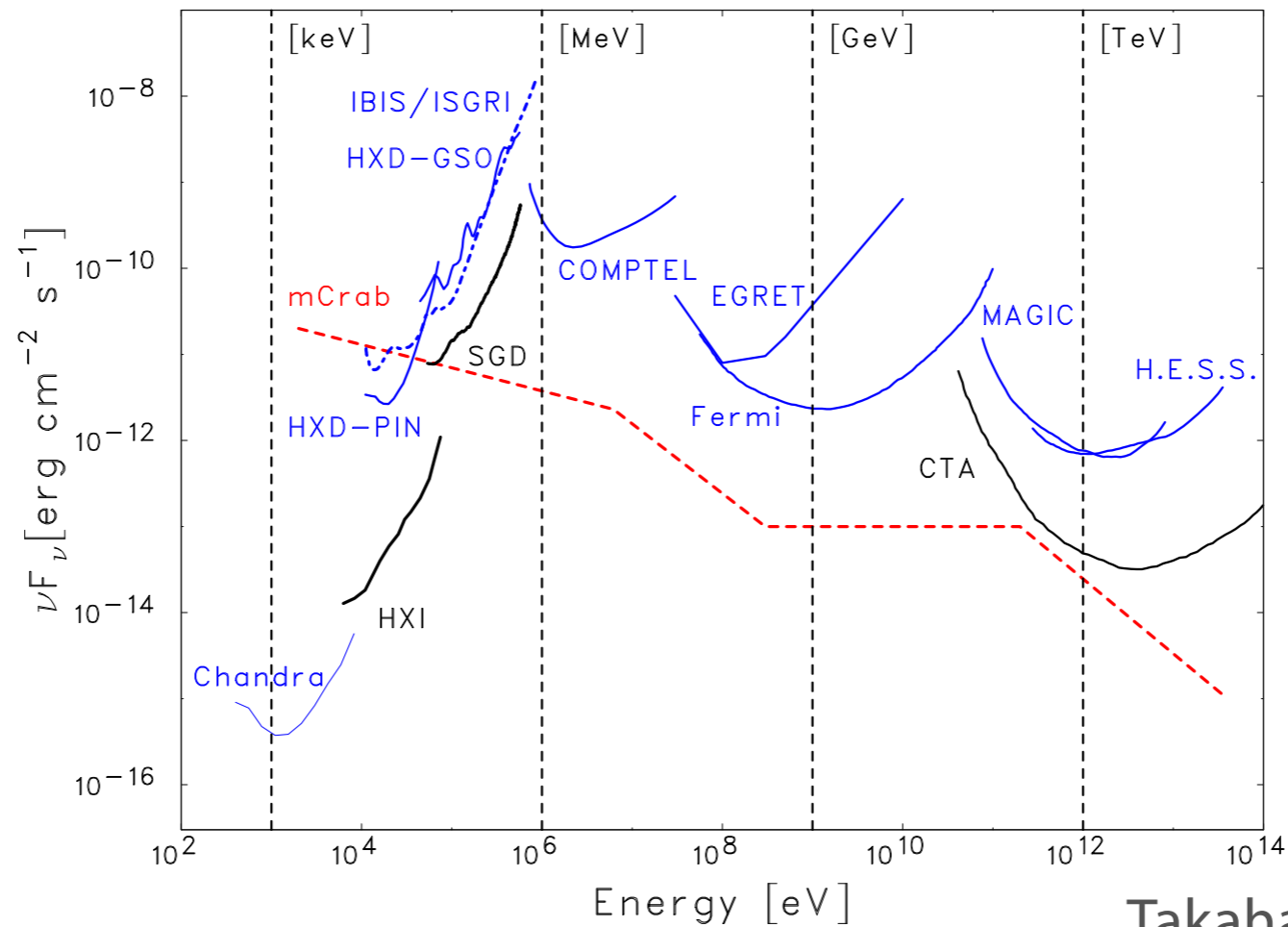


Based on Fermi-LAT



- FSRQs contribute to the GeV background with a peak at ~ 100 MeV (e.g. Yi & Totani '09, Ajello +'12)
- FSRQs could explain the whole MeV background (Ajello+'09)
 - ➔ Two components in gamma-ray spectra or two FSRQ populations?

It is not easy to resolve the MeV sky.

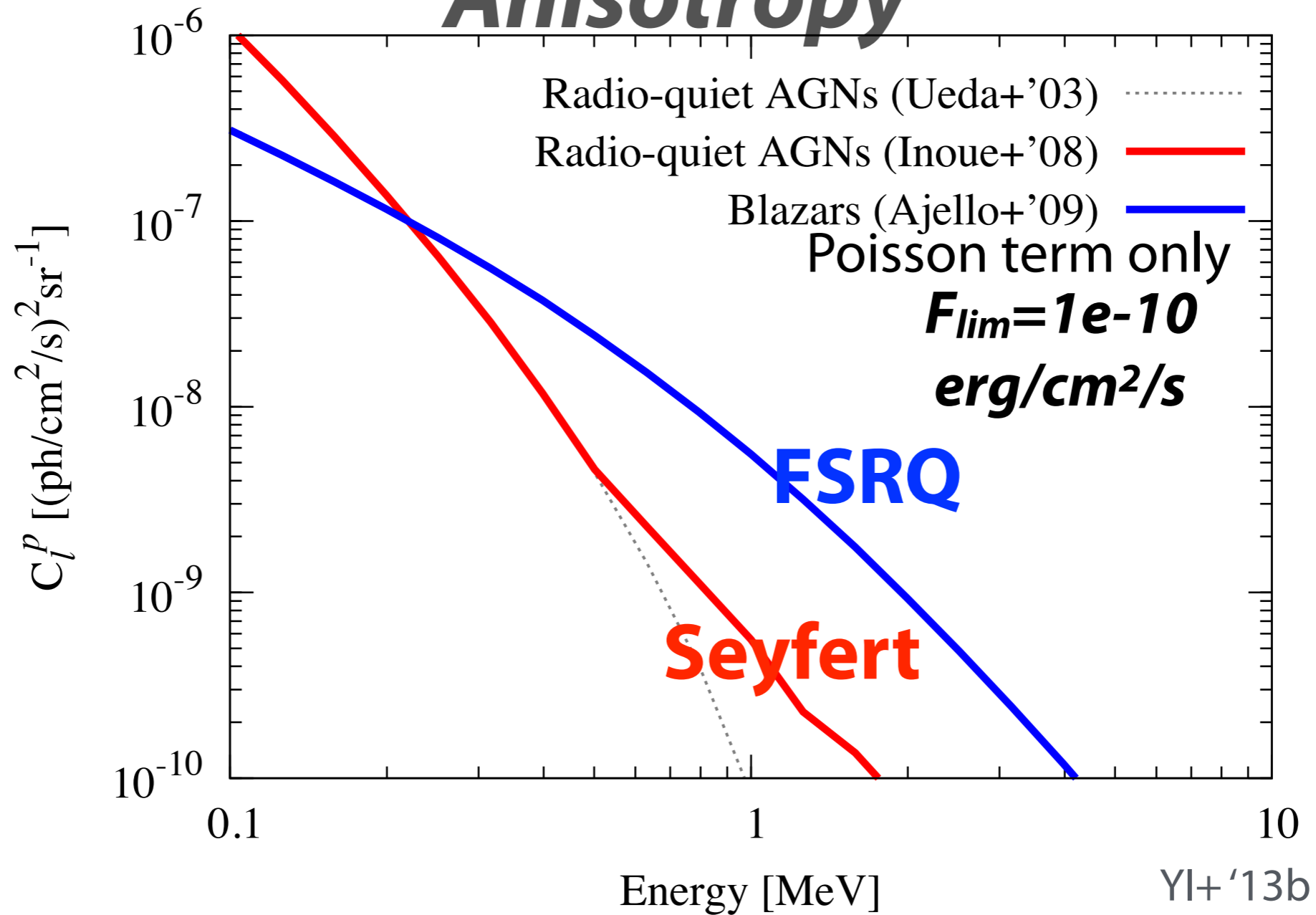


Takahashi+'13

- Even achieving the sensitivity of $10^{-11} \text{ erg/cm}^2/\text{s}$, it is hard to resolve the MeV sky (YI+'15).
- Answers are in "**Anisotropy**".
 - Cosmic background radiation is not isotropic.
 - There is anisotropy due to the sky distribution of its origins.

Cosmic MeV Gamma-ray Background

"Anisotropy"



- Future MeV satellites will distinguish Seyfert & blazar scenarios through anisotropy in the sky.

Summary

- A variety of gamma-ray (> 0.1 GeV) objects are detected now.
- You are in the golden era of gamma-ray/MWL astrophysics
 - still a lot of unsolved problems in gamma-ray sciences
- What will you do in the next decade?