

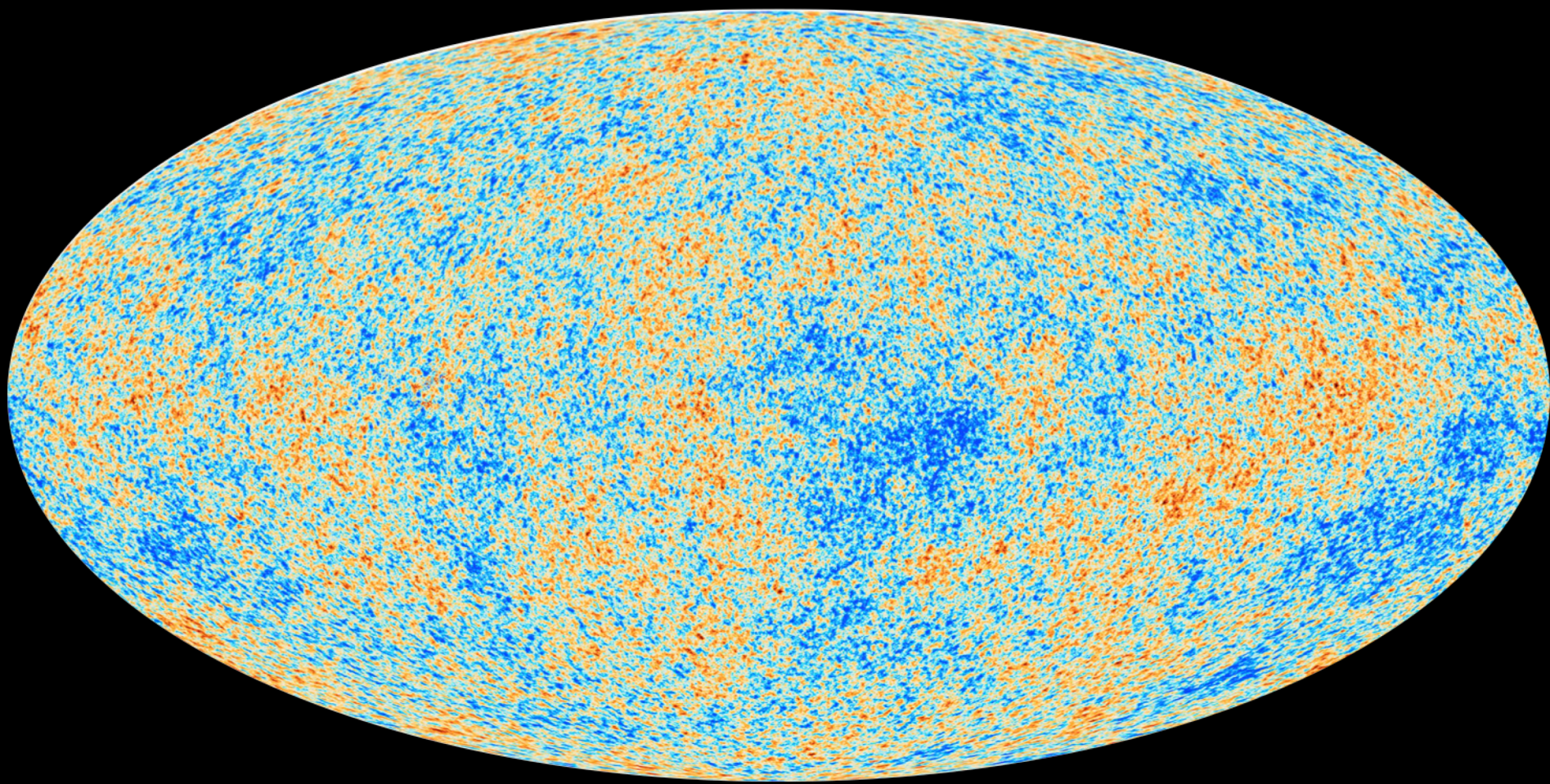
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IceCube: the discovery of cosmic neutrinos francis halzen

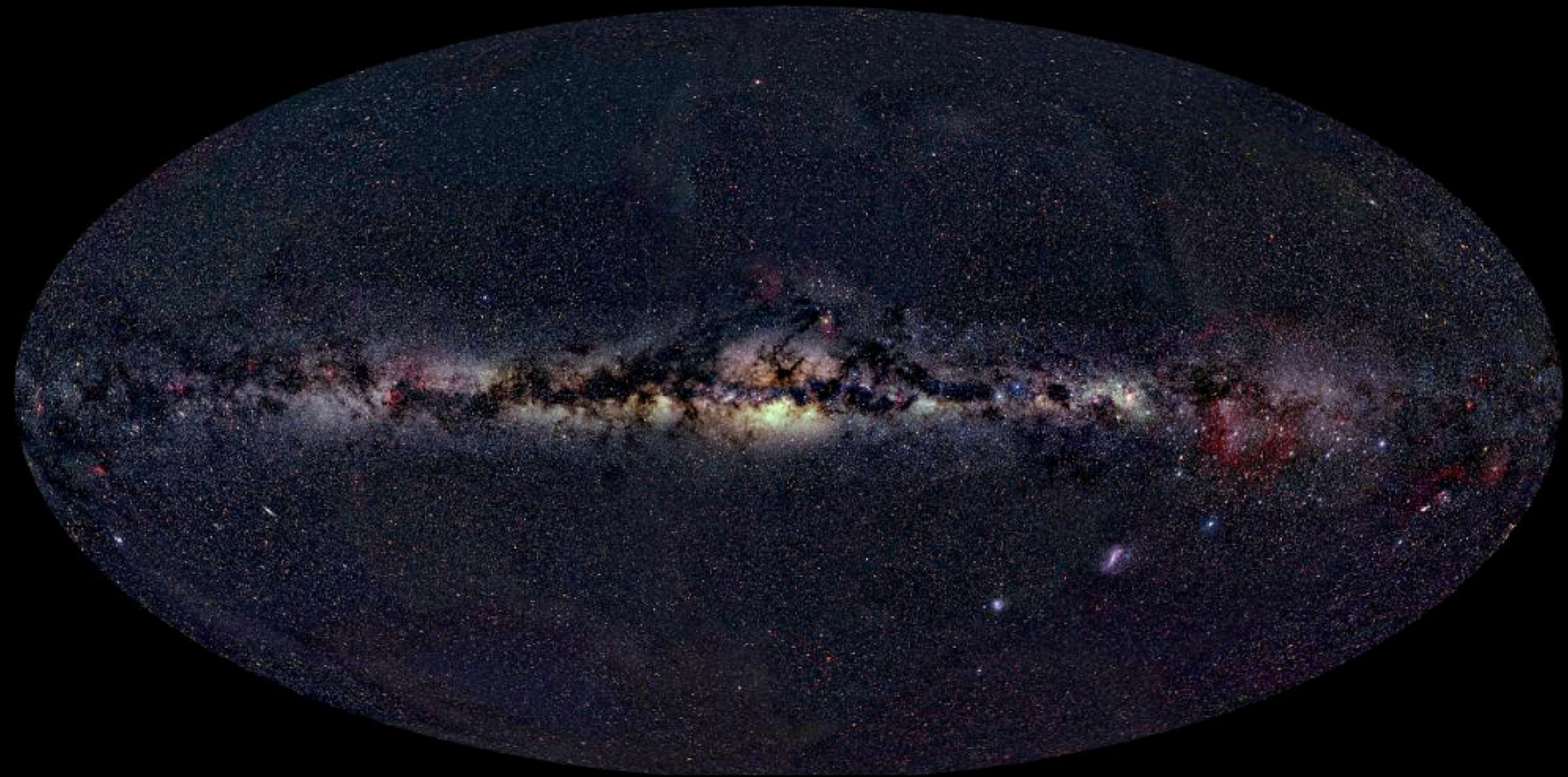
- some history, cosmogenic neutrinos
- cosmic ray accelerators
- IceCube a discovery instrument
- the discovery of cosmic neutrinos
- where do they come from?
- beyond IceCube

Cosmic Horizons – Microwave Radiation 380.000 years after the Big Bang



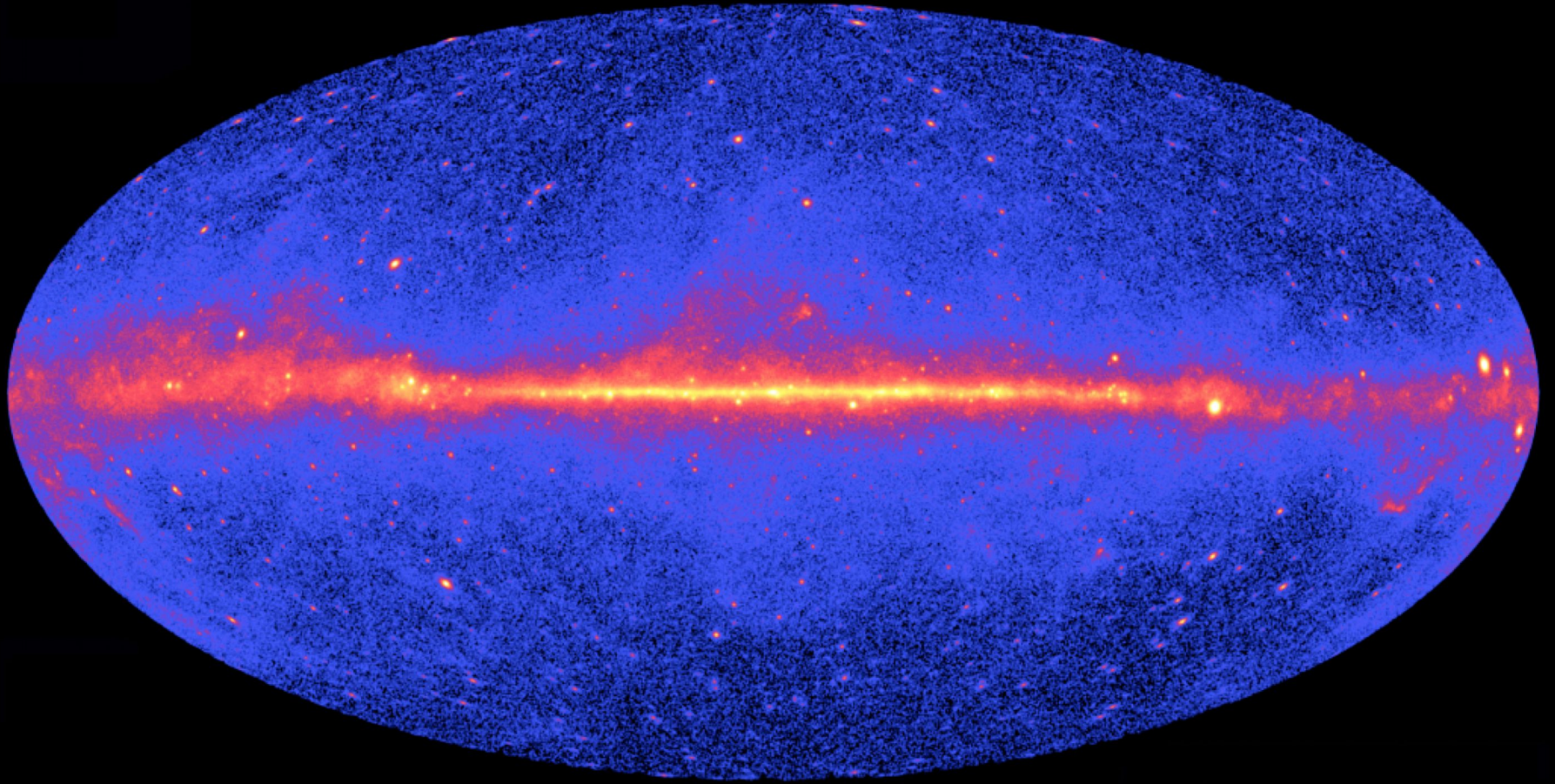
wavelength = 1 mm \Leftrightarrow energy = 10^{-4} eV

Cosmic Horizons – Optical Sky



wavelength = 10^{-6} m \Leftrightarrow energy = 1 eV

Cosmic Horizons – Gamma Radiation



wavelength = 10^{-15} m \Leftrightarrow energy = 10^9 eV

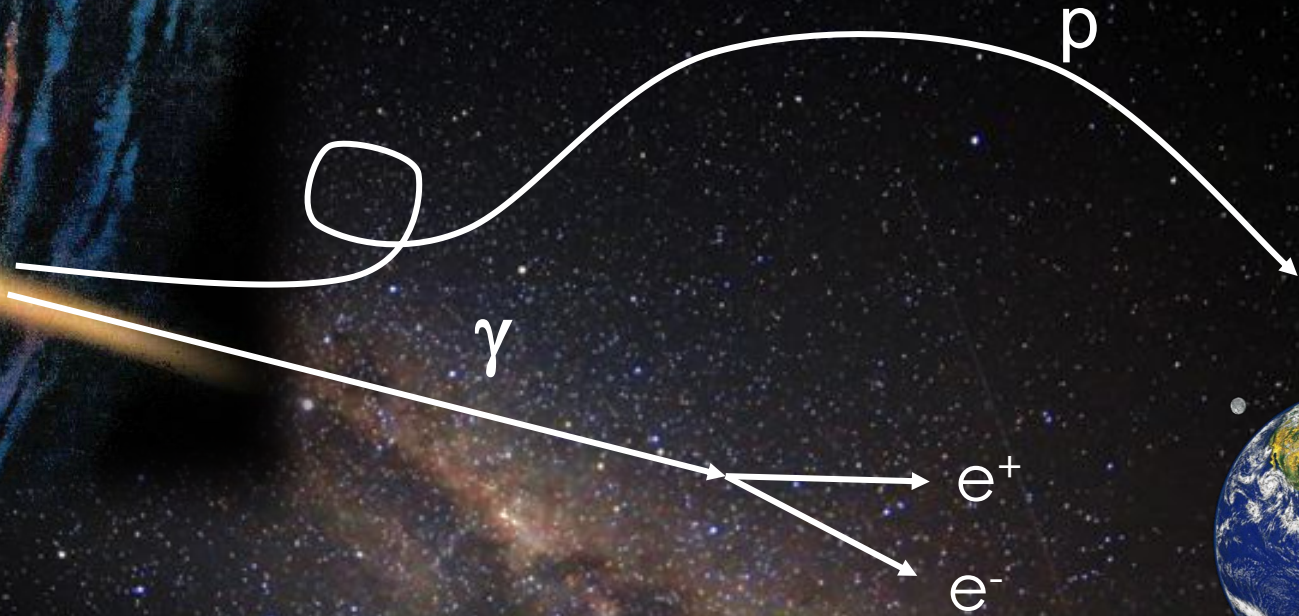
Cosmic Horizons – Gamma Radiation

$$\text{energy} = 10^{15} \text{ eV} ?$$

Cosmic Horizons – Highest Energies

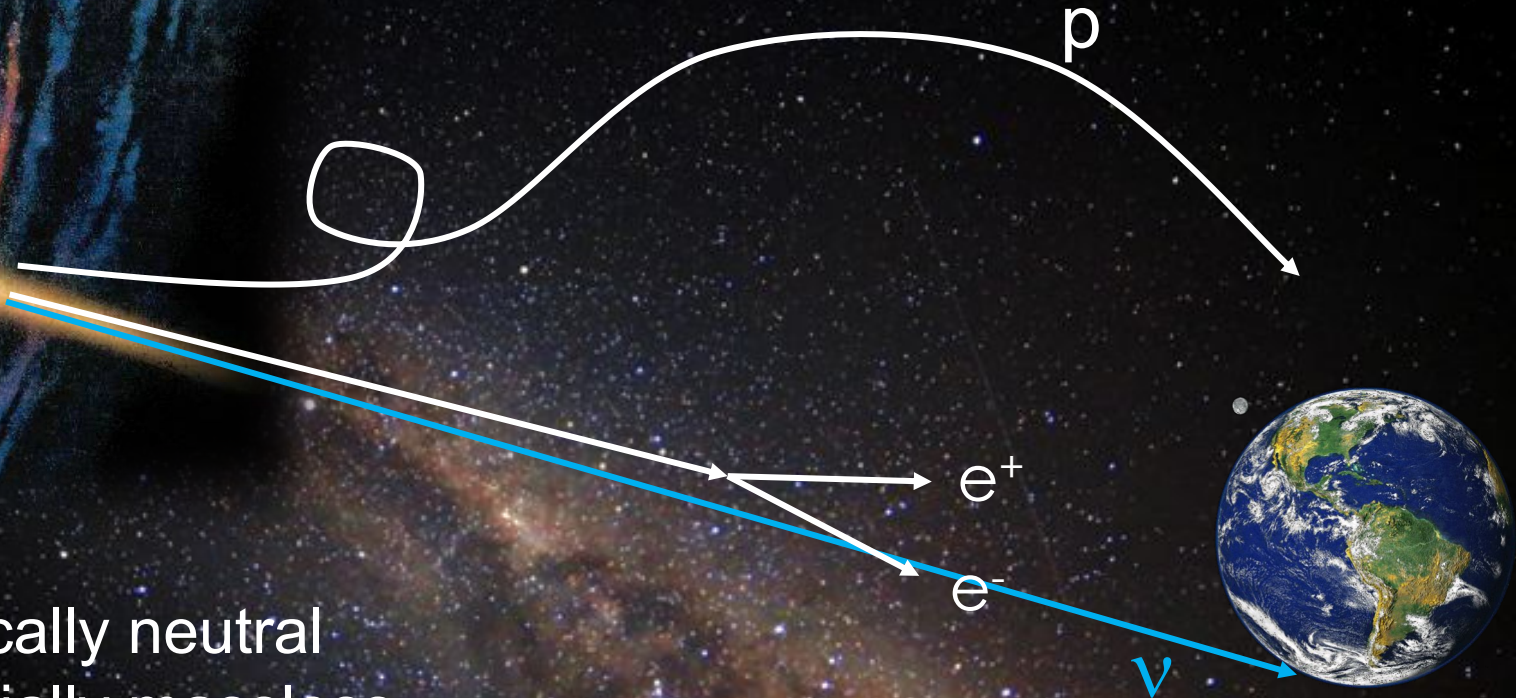
$$\text{wavelength} = 10^{-21} \text{ m} \Leftrightarrow \text{energy} = 10^3 \text{ TeV}$$

The opaque Universe

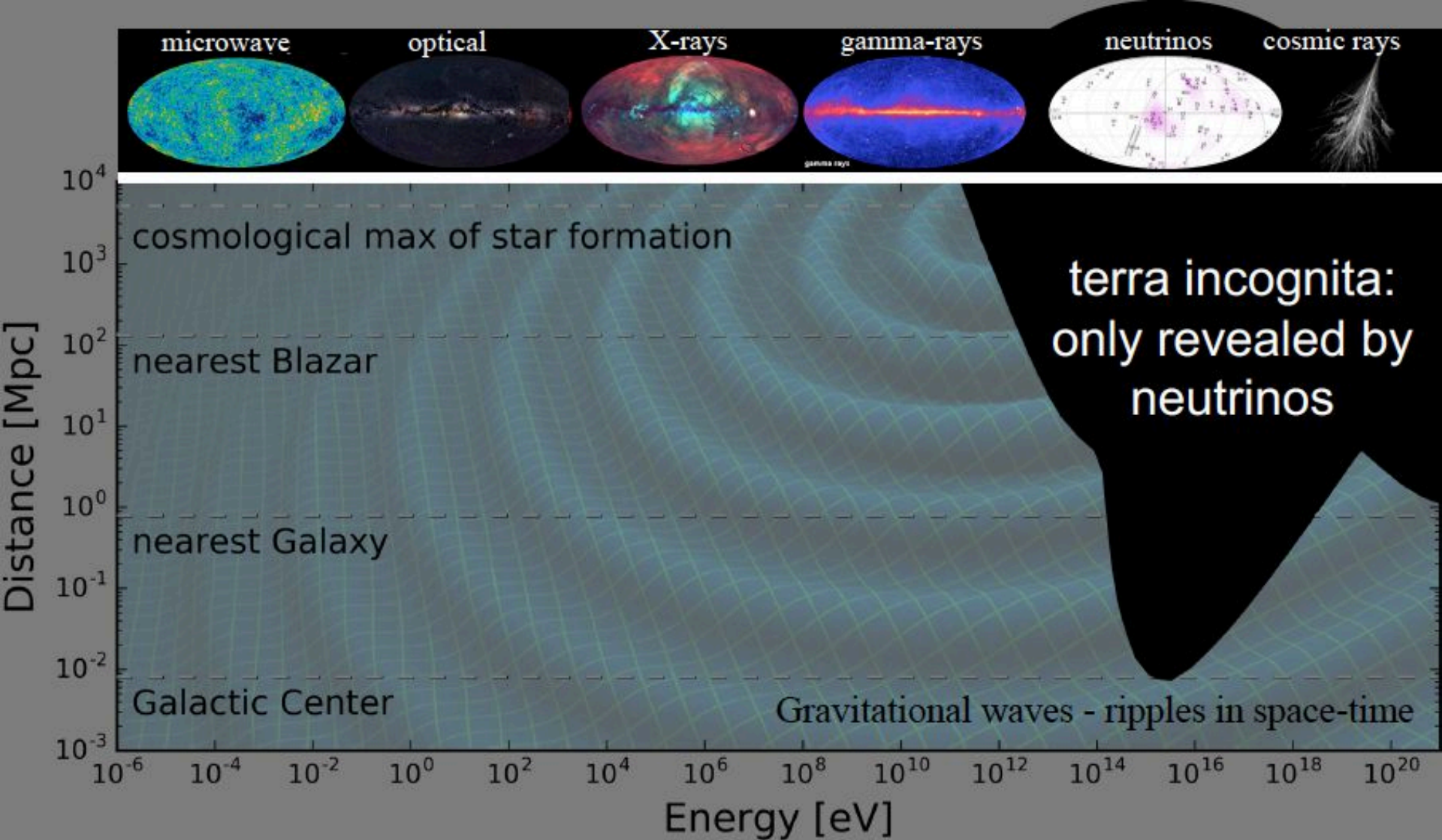


PeV photons interact with microwave photons
($411/\text{cm}^3$) before reaching our telescopes
enter: neutrinos

Neutrinos? Perfect Messenger



- electrically neutral
- essentially massless
- essentially unabsorbed
- tracks nuclear processes
- reveal the sources of cosmic rays
- ... but difficult to detect: how large a detector?



- 20% of the Universe is opaque to the EM spectrum
- non-thermal Universe powered by cosmic accelerators
- probed by gravity waves, neutrinos and cosmic rays

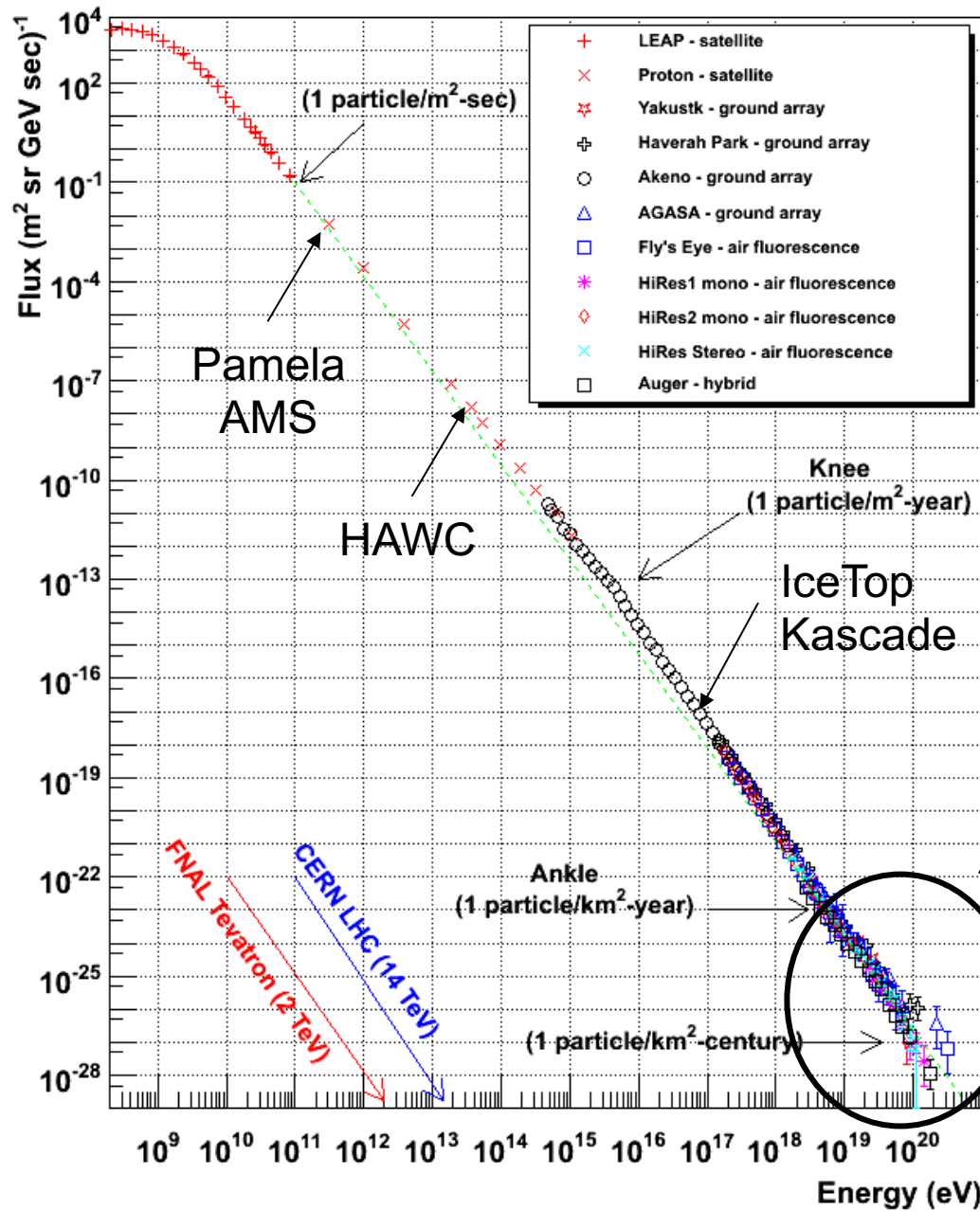


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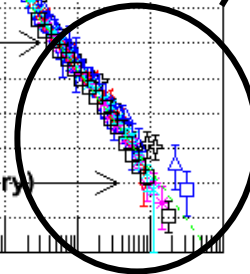
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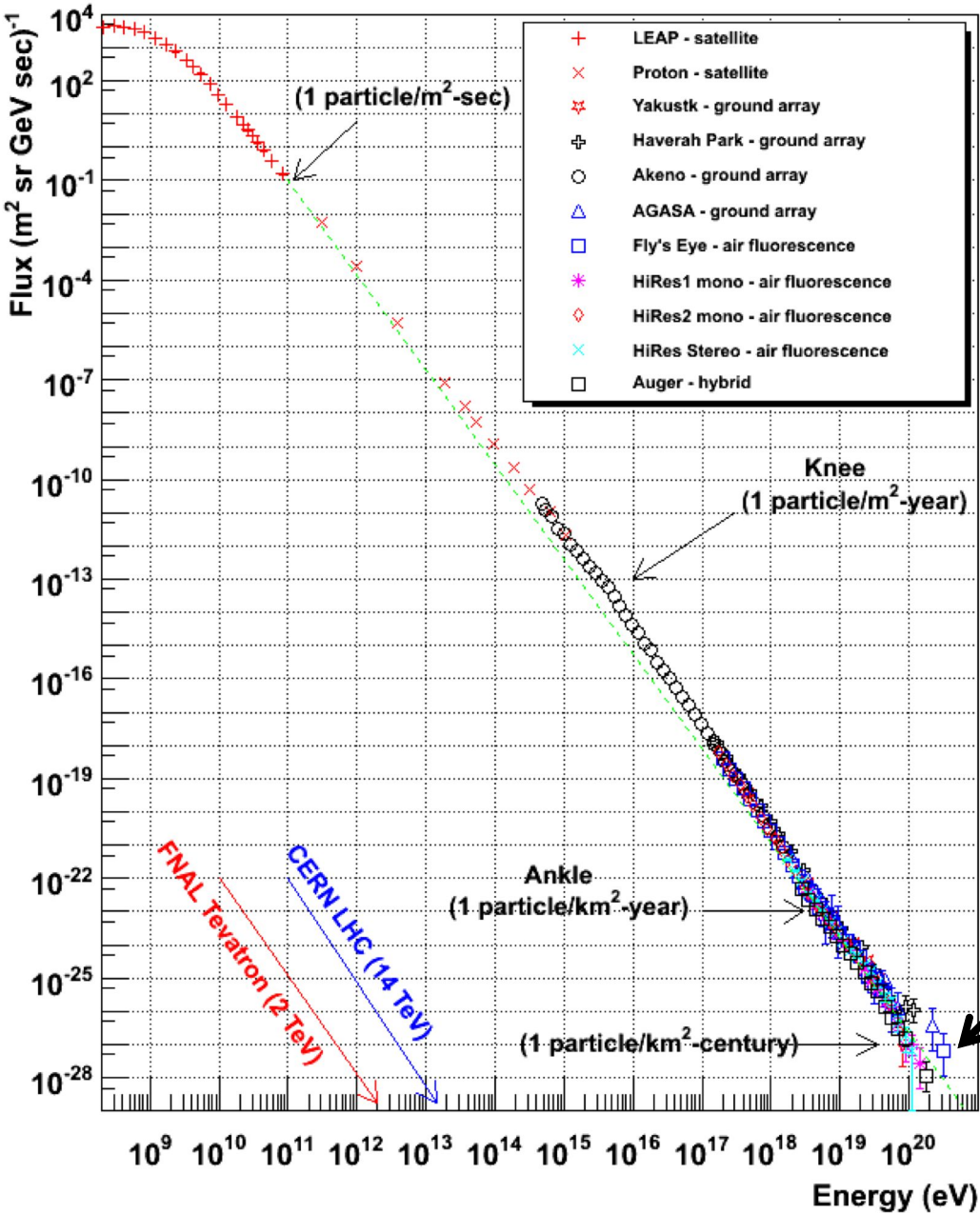
Cosmic Ray Spectra of Various Experiments



populate the Universe



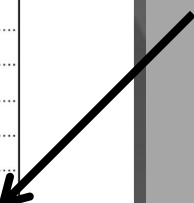
origin of cosmic rays: oldest problem in astronomy



cosmic ray challenge

both the energy of the particles and the *luminosity* of the accelerators are large

gravitational energy from collapsing stars is converted into particle acceleration?



cosmic ray accelerators

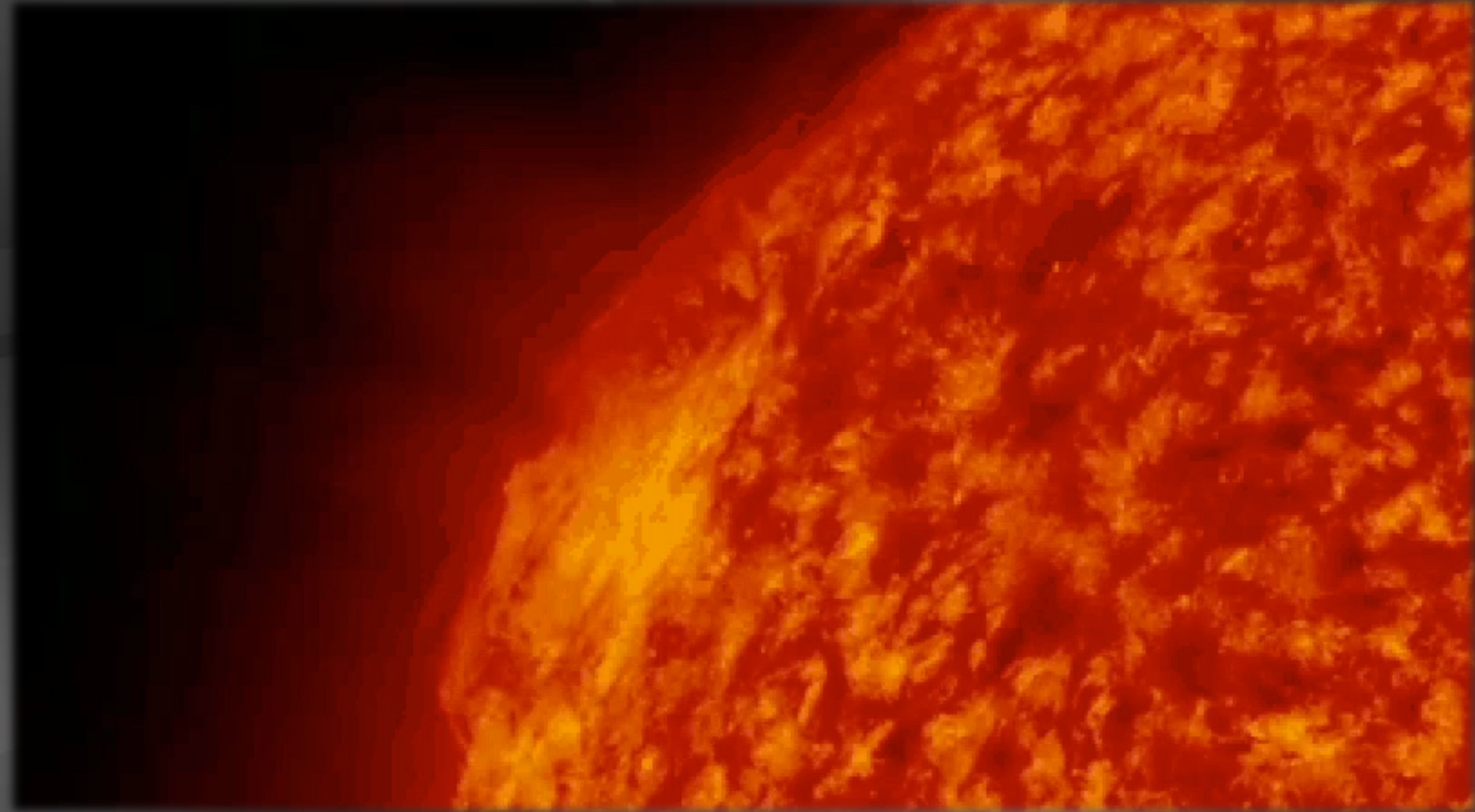
LHC accelerator should have circumference of Mercury orbit to reach 10^{20} eV!



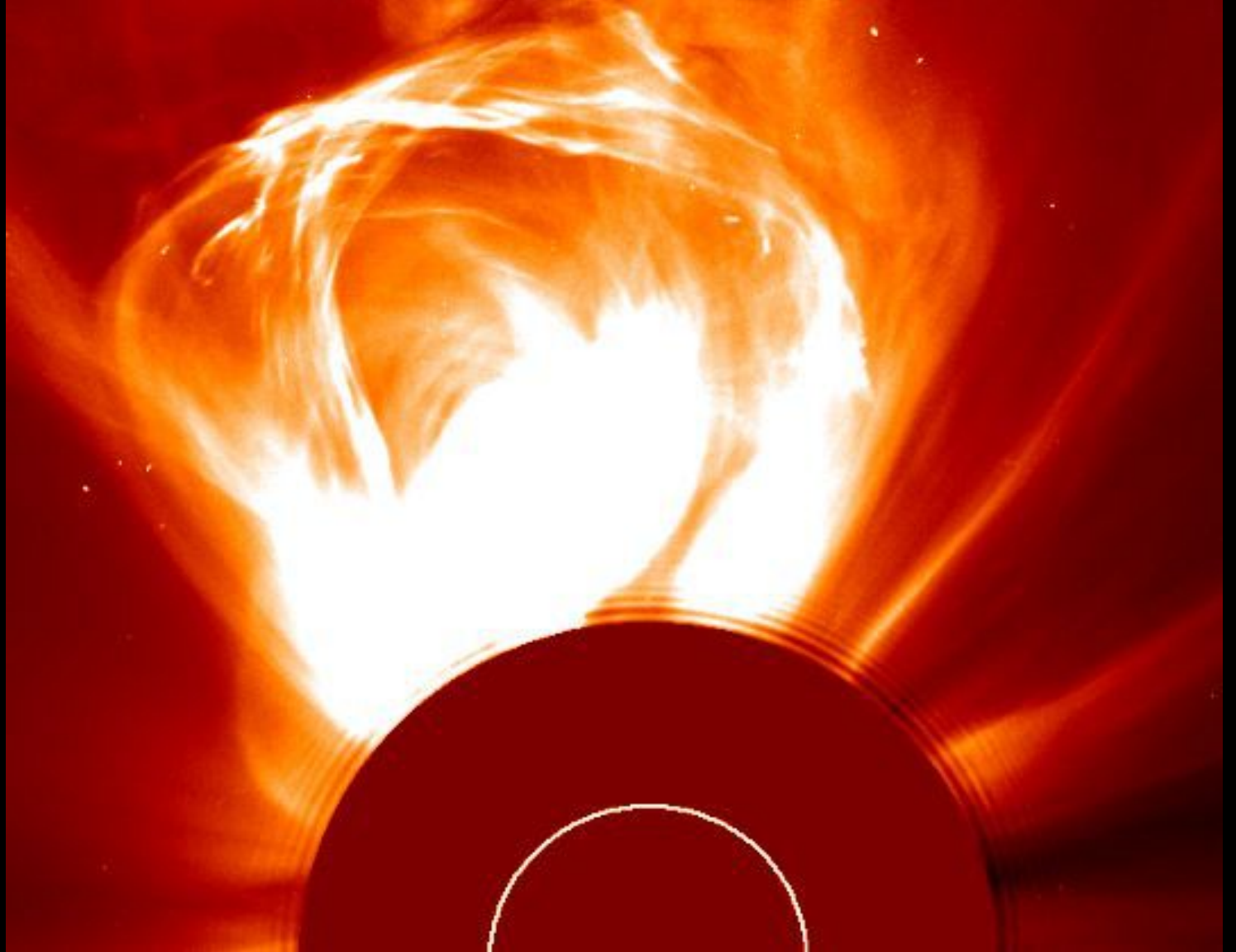
Courtesy M. Unger

accommodating energy and luminosity are challenging

the sun constructs an accelerator



the sun constructs an accelerator



- accelerator must contain the particles

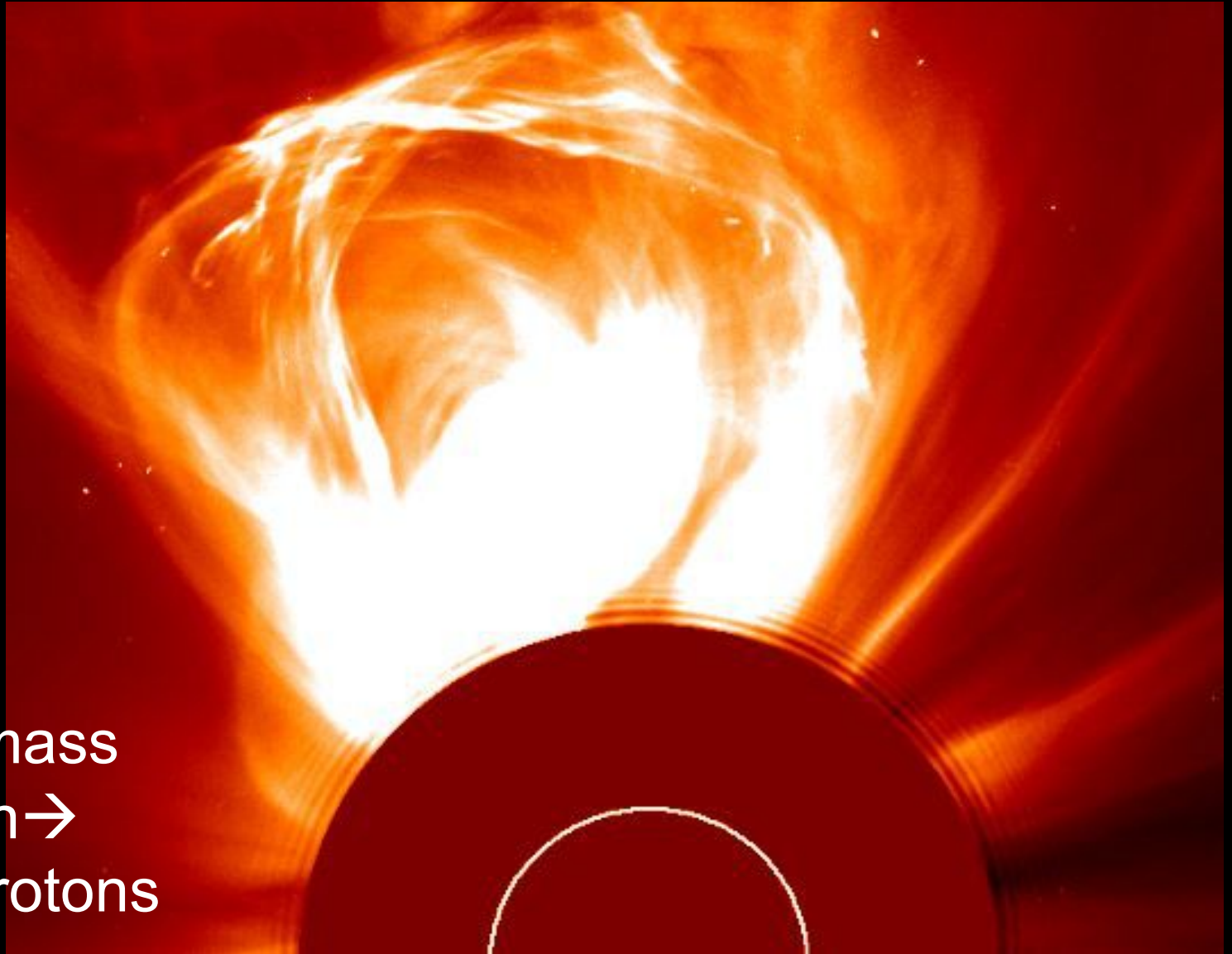
$$R_{gyro} \left(= \frac{E}{vqB} \right) \leq R$$

$$E \leq v qBR$$

challenges of cosmic ray astrophysics:

- dimensional analysis, difficult to satisfy
- accelerator luminosity is high as well

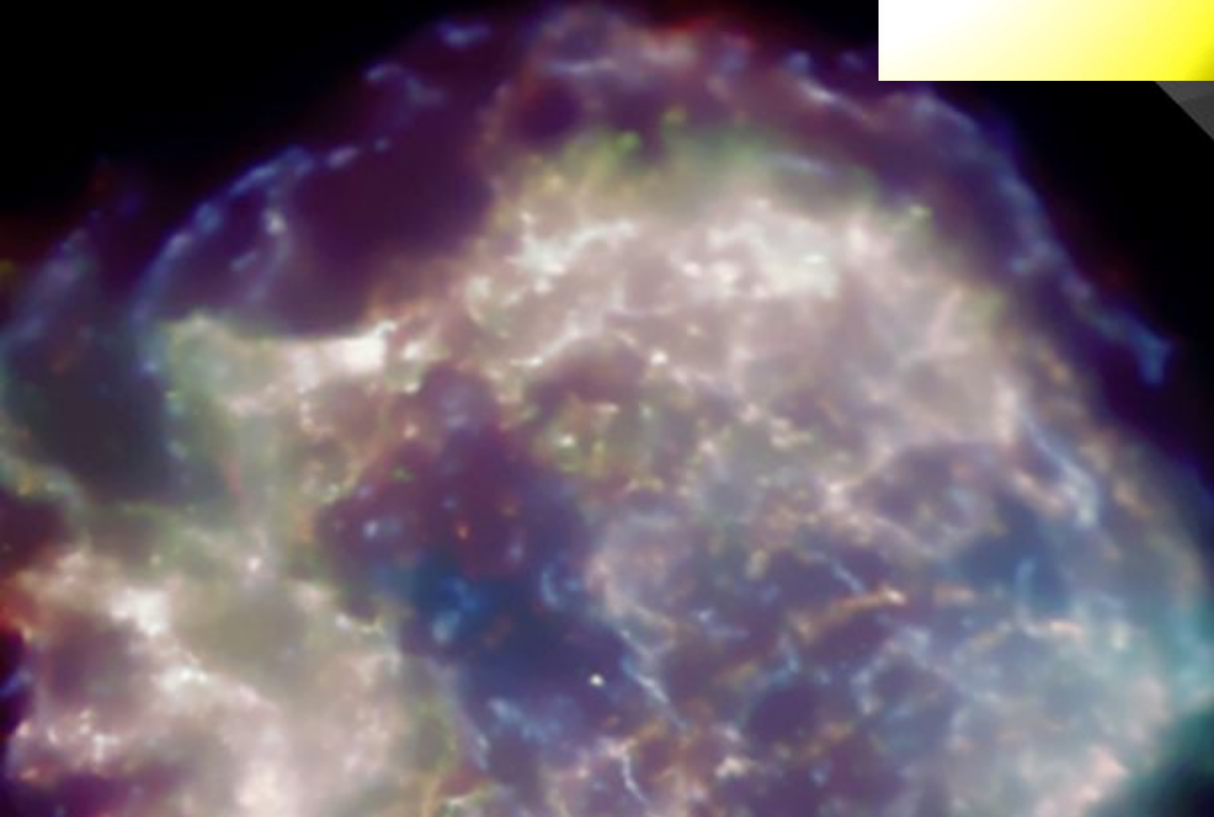
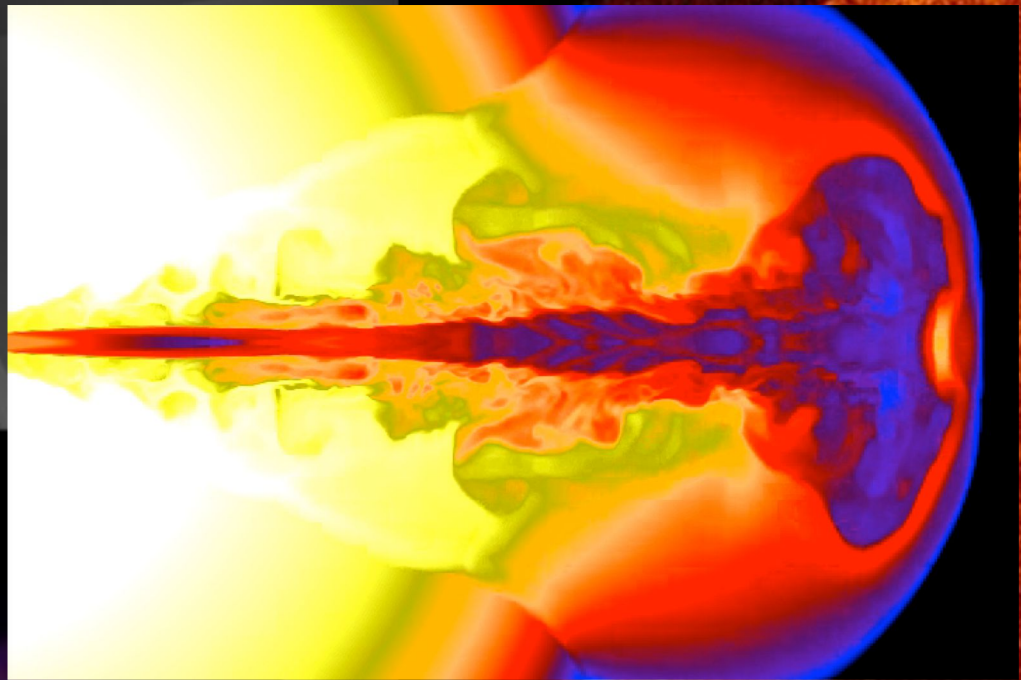
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coronal mass
ejection →
10 GeV protons

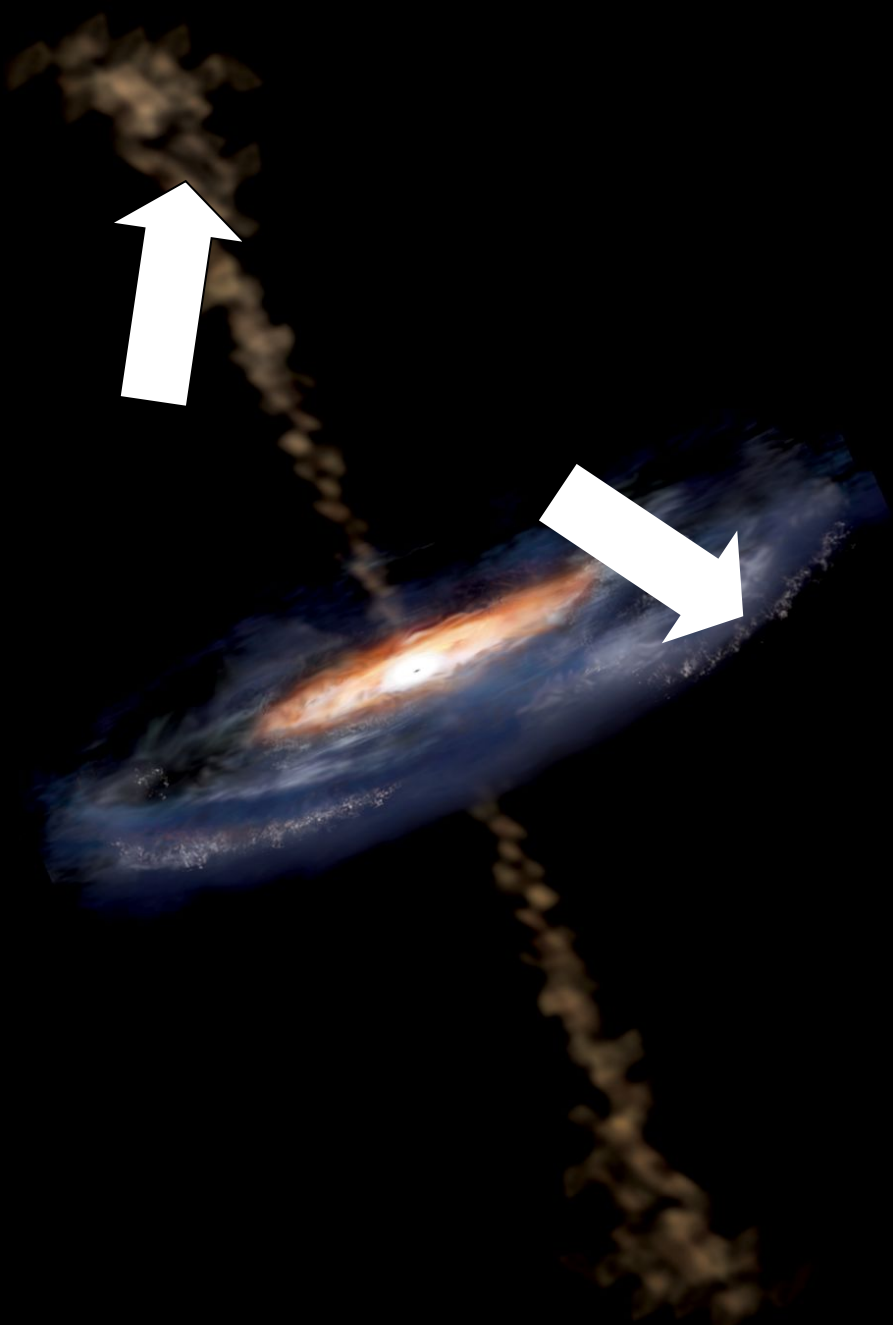
supernova remnants

Chandra
Cassiopeia A



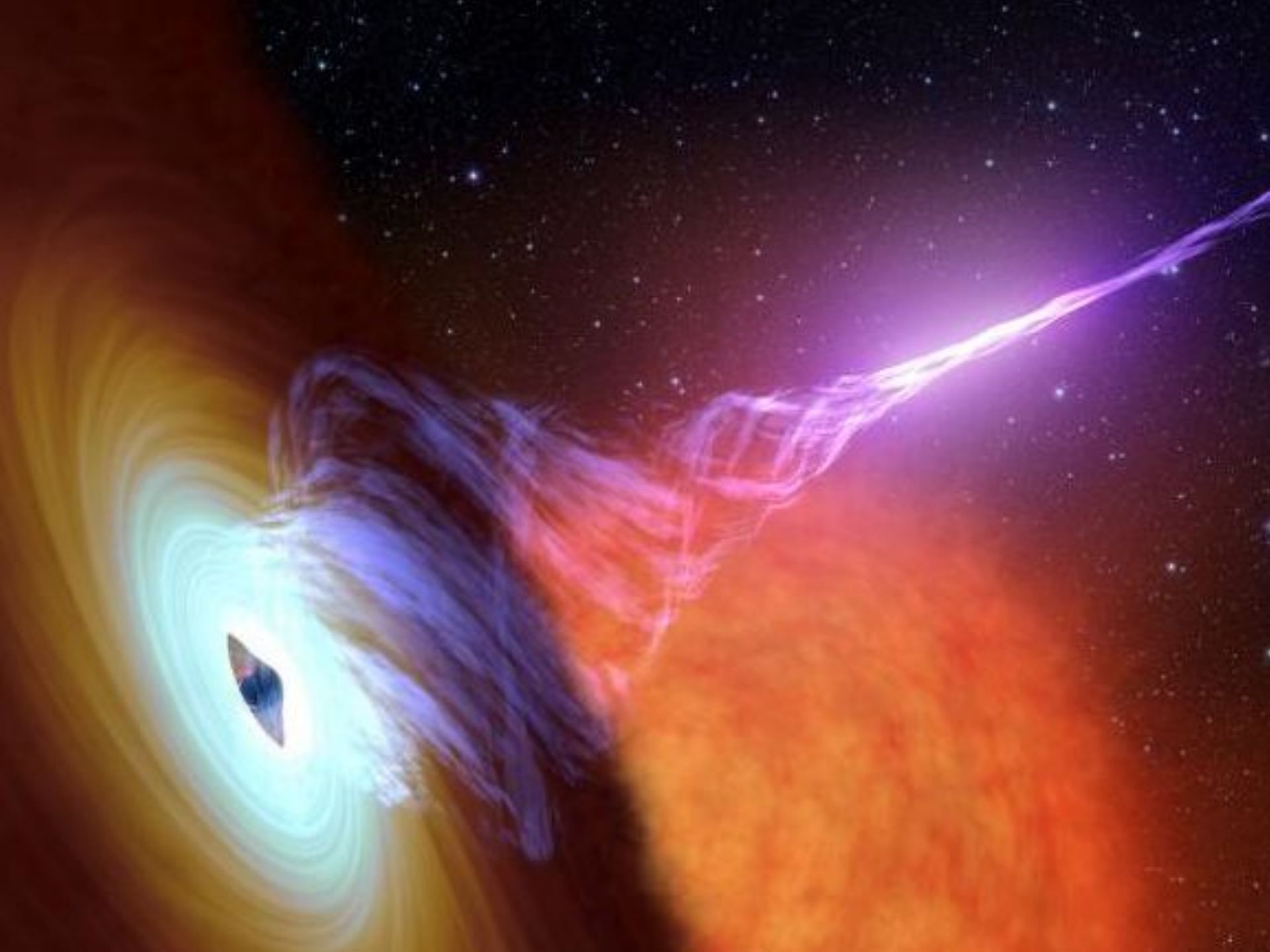
gamma
ray
bursts

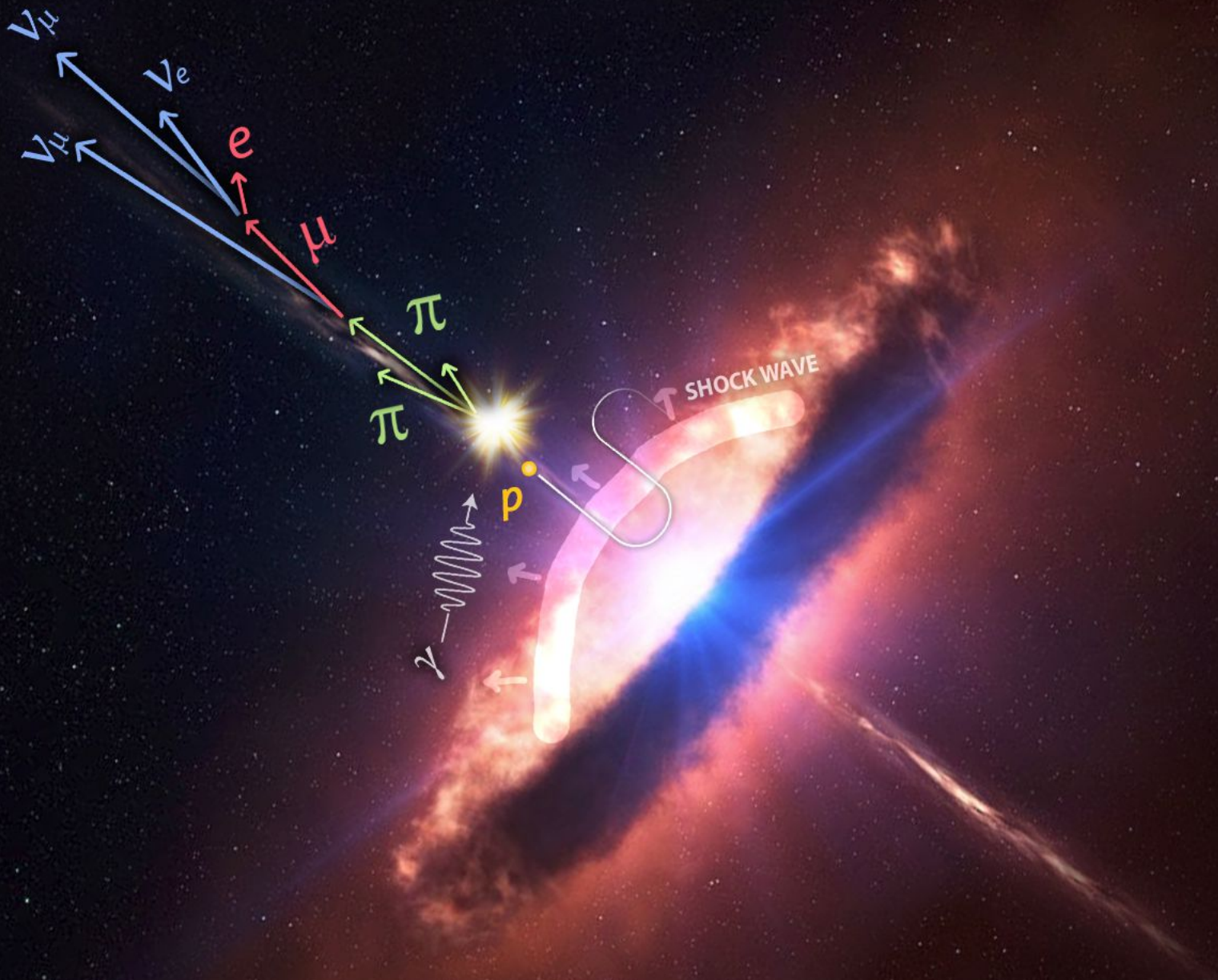




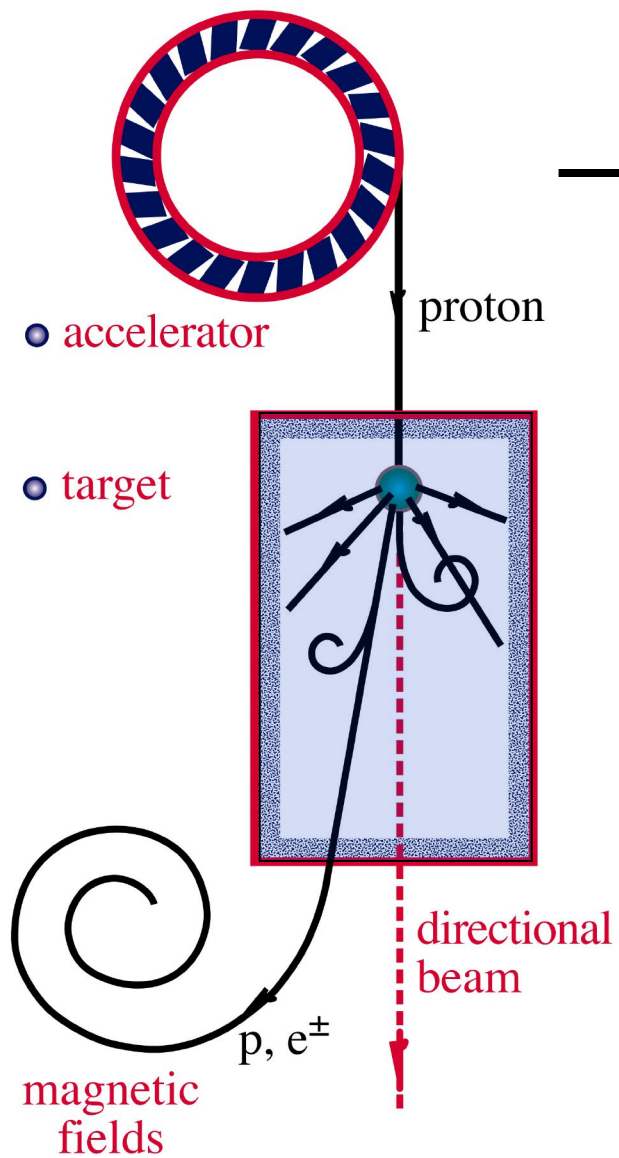
active galaxy

particle flows near
supermassive
black hole





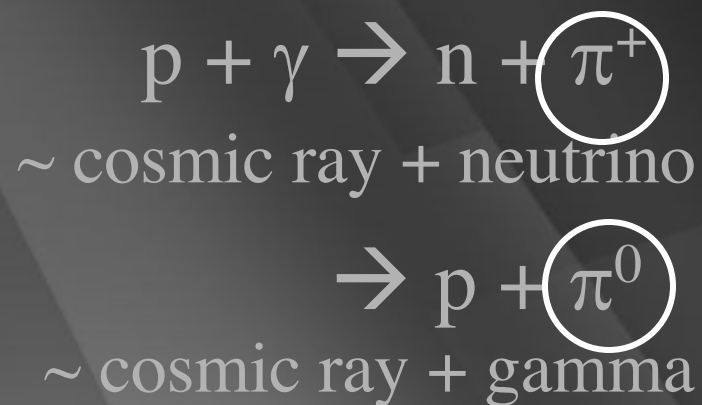
ν and γ beams : heaven and earth



accelerator is powered by large gravitational energy

**black hole
neutron star**

**radiation
and dust**

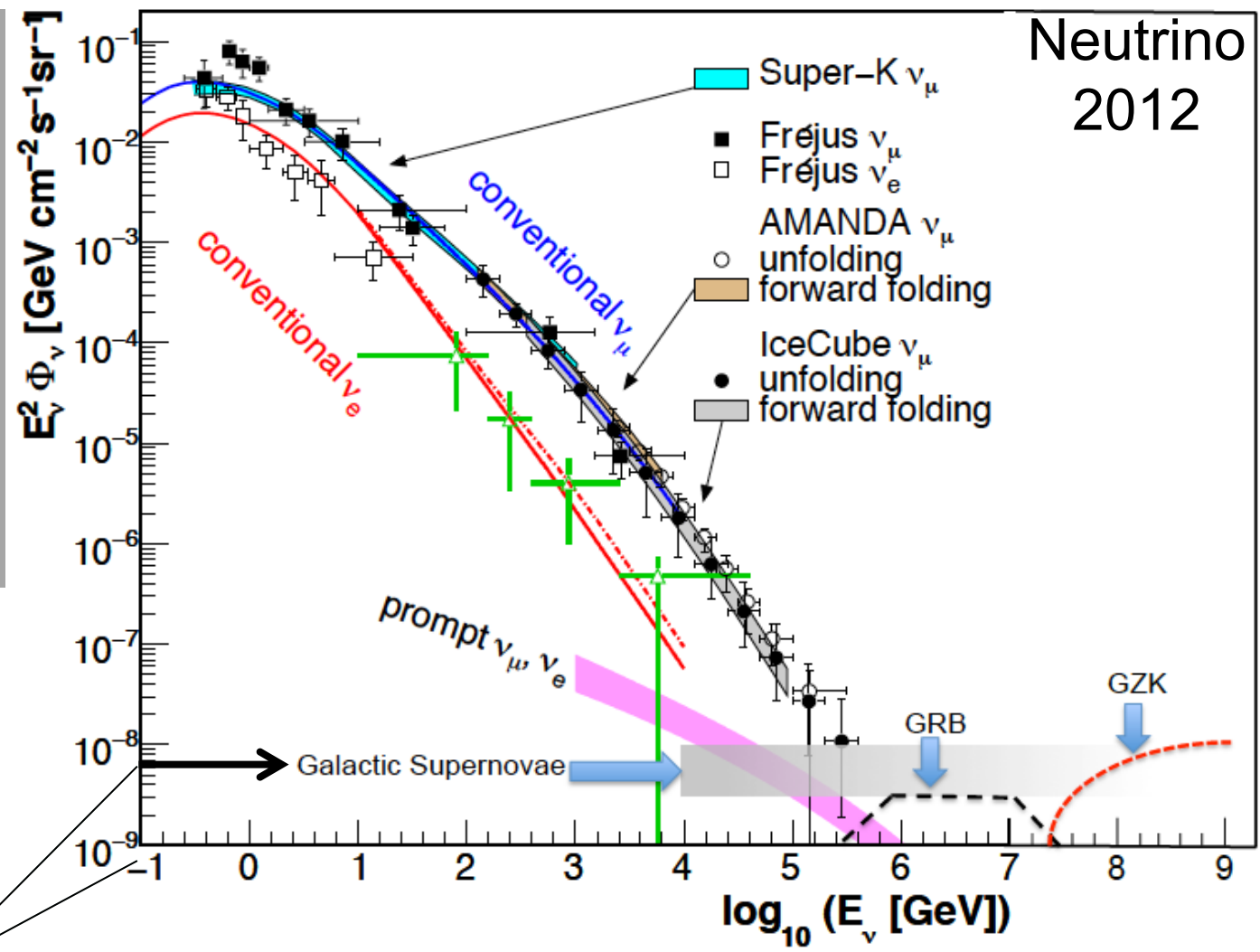


above 100 TeV

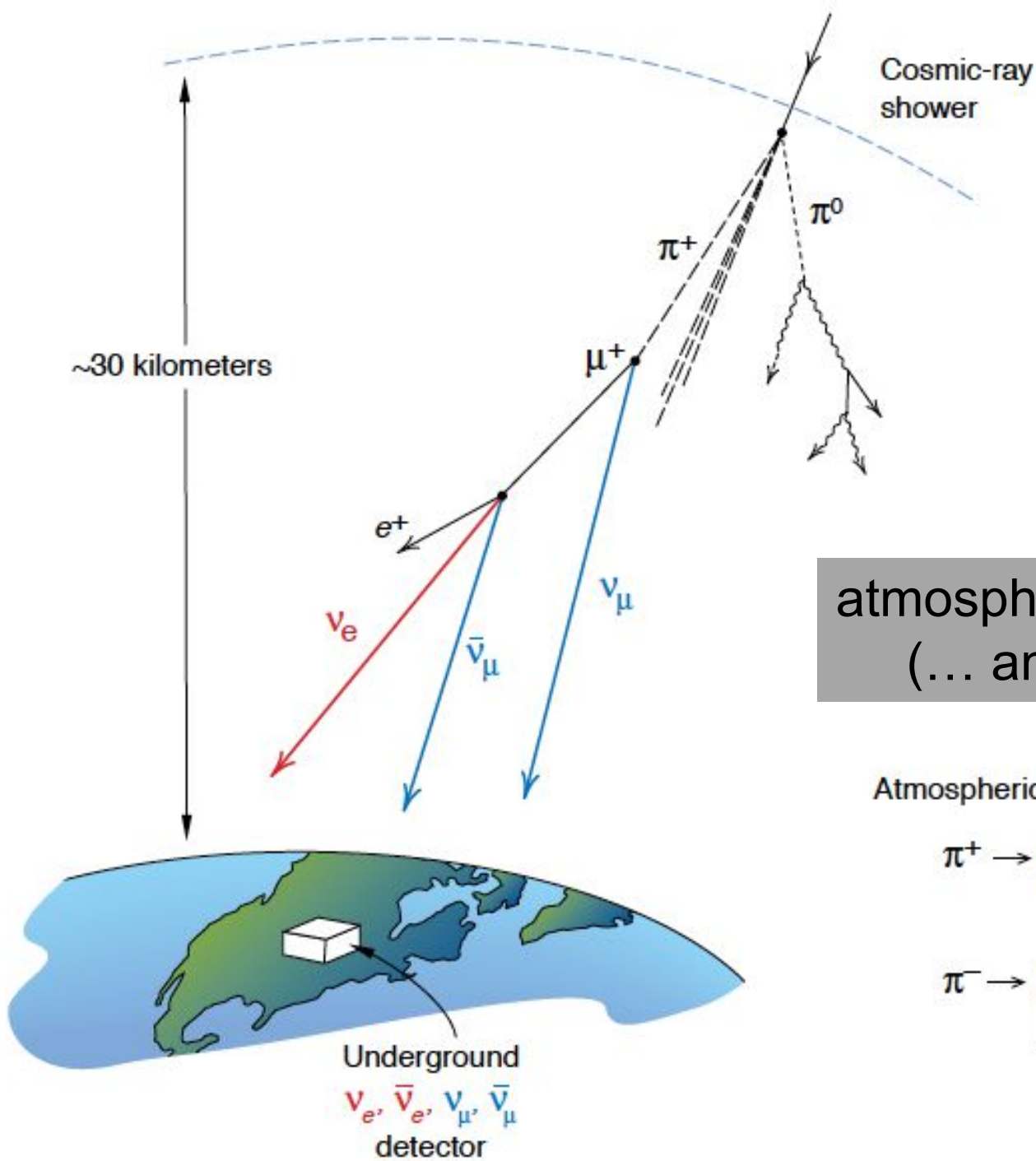
- cosmic neutrinos
- atmospheric background disappears

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

10-10² events per year for a fully efficient km³ detector

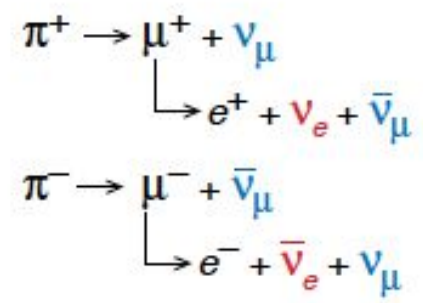


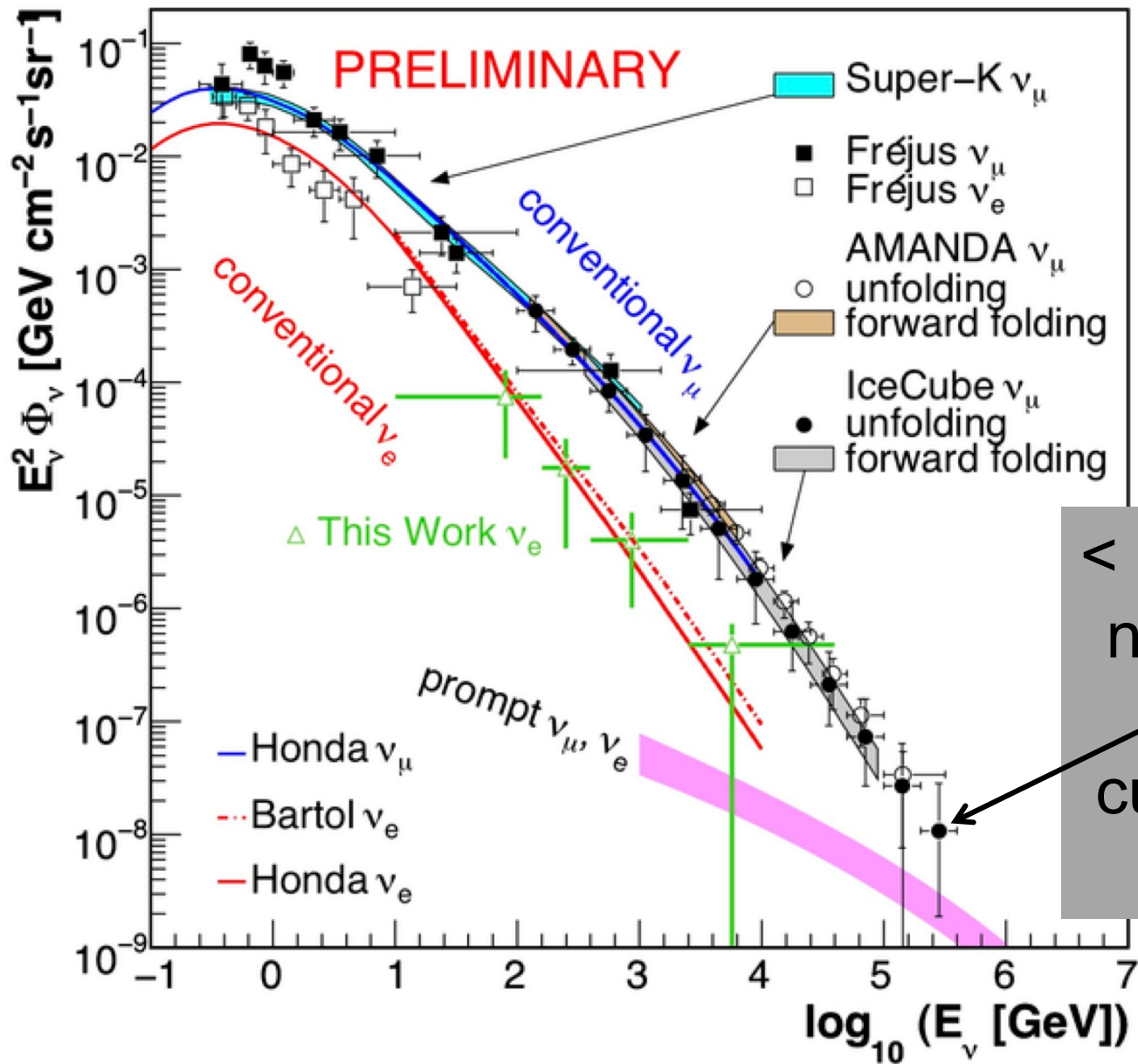
atmospheric \uparrow cosmic
100 TeV



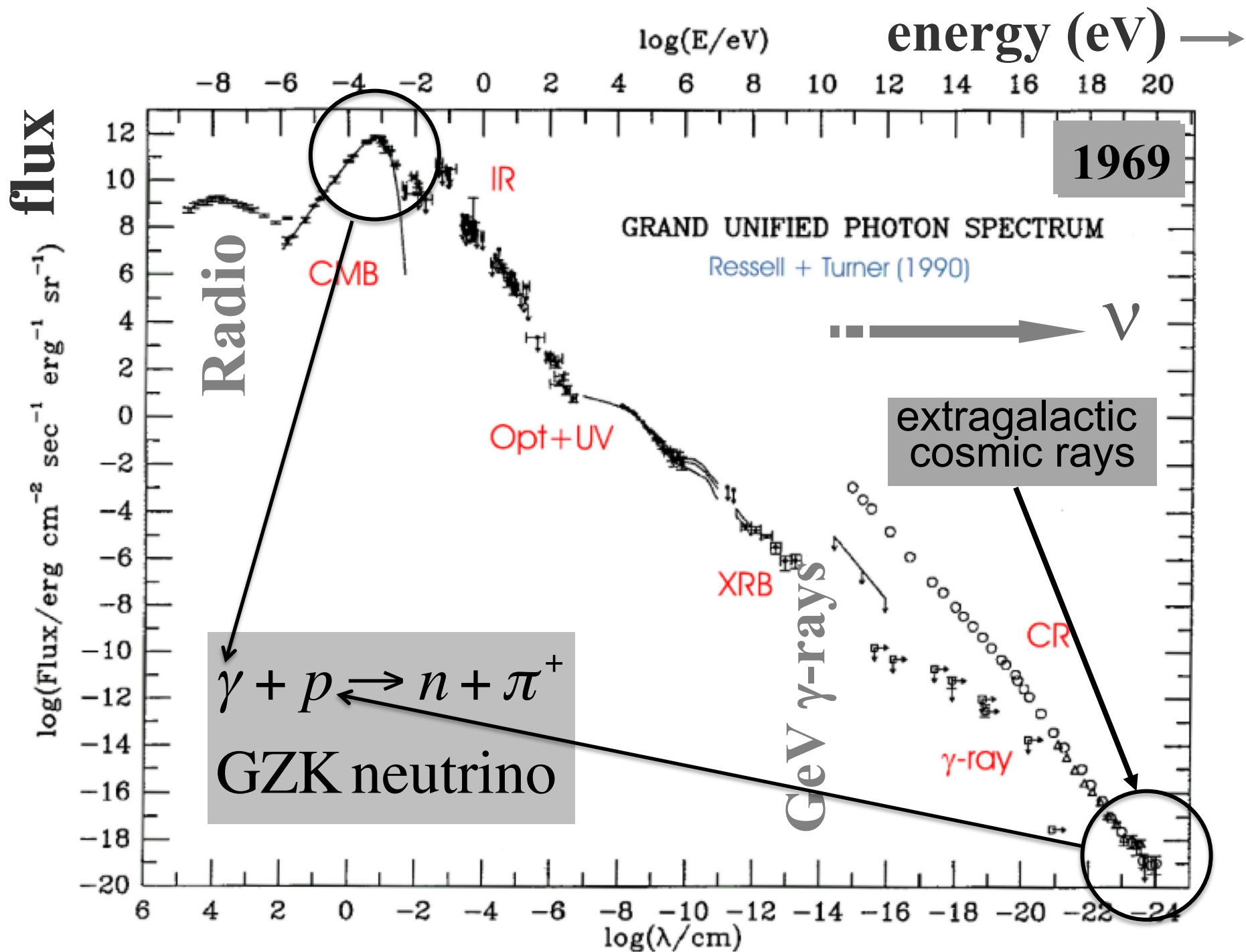
atmospheric neutrinos
(... and muons!)

Atmospheric neutrino source

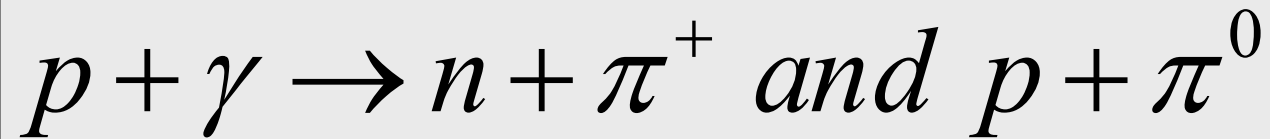




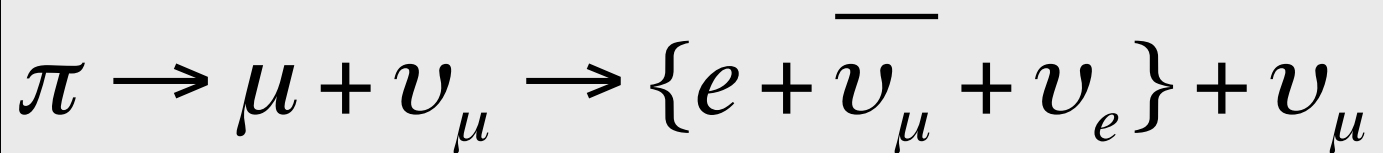
atmospheric neutrino spectrum



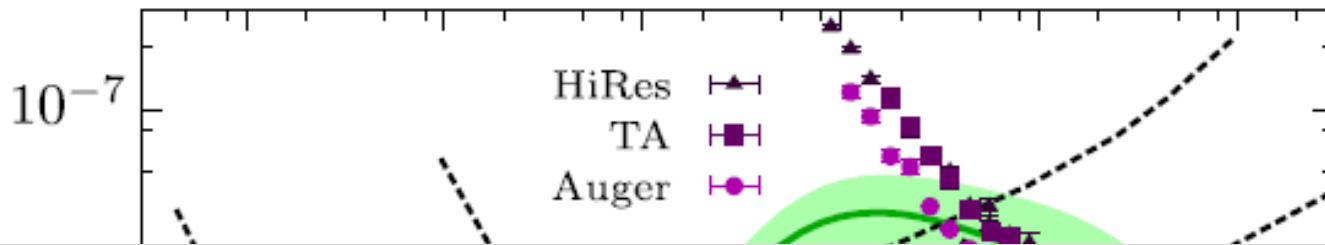
cosmic rays interact with the
microwave background



cosmic rays disappear, neutrinos with
EeV (10⁶ TeV) energy appear

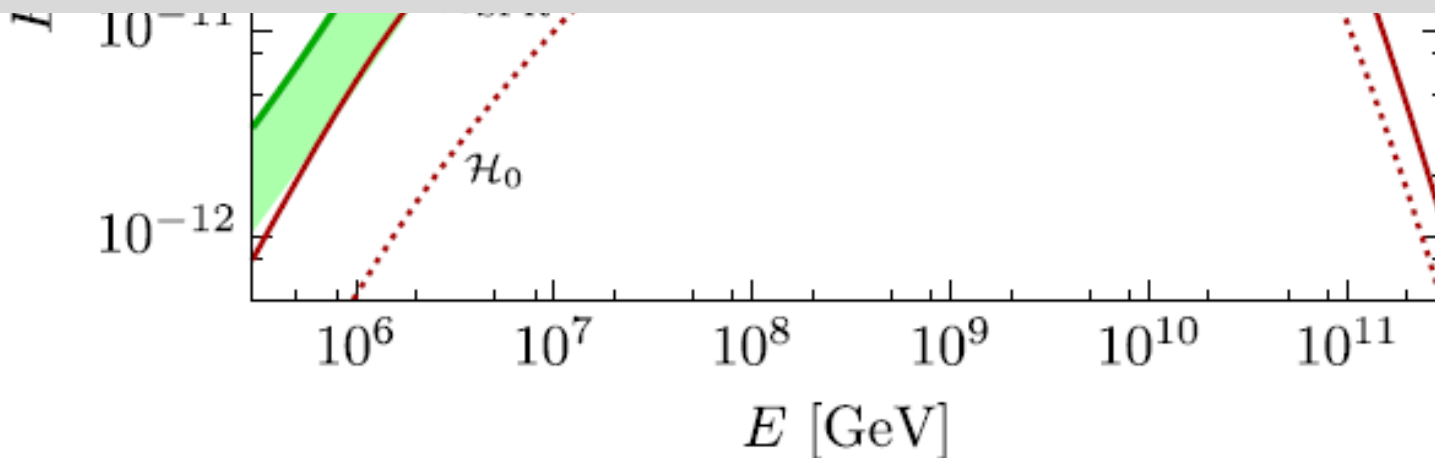


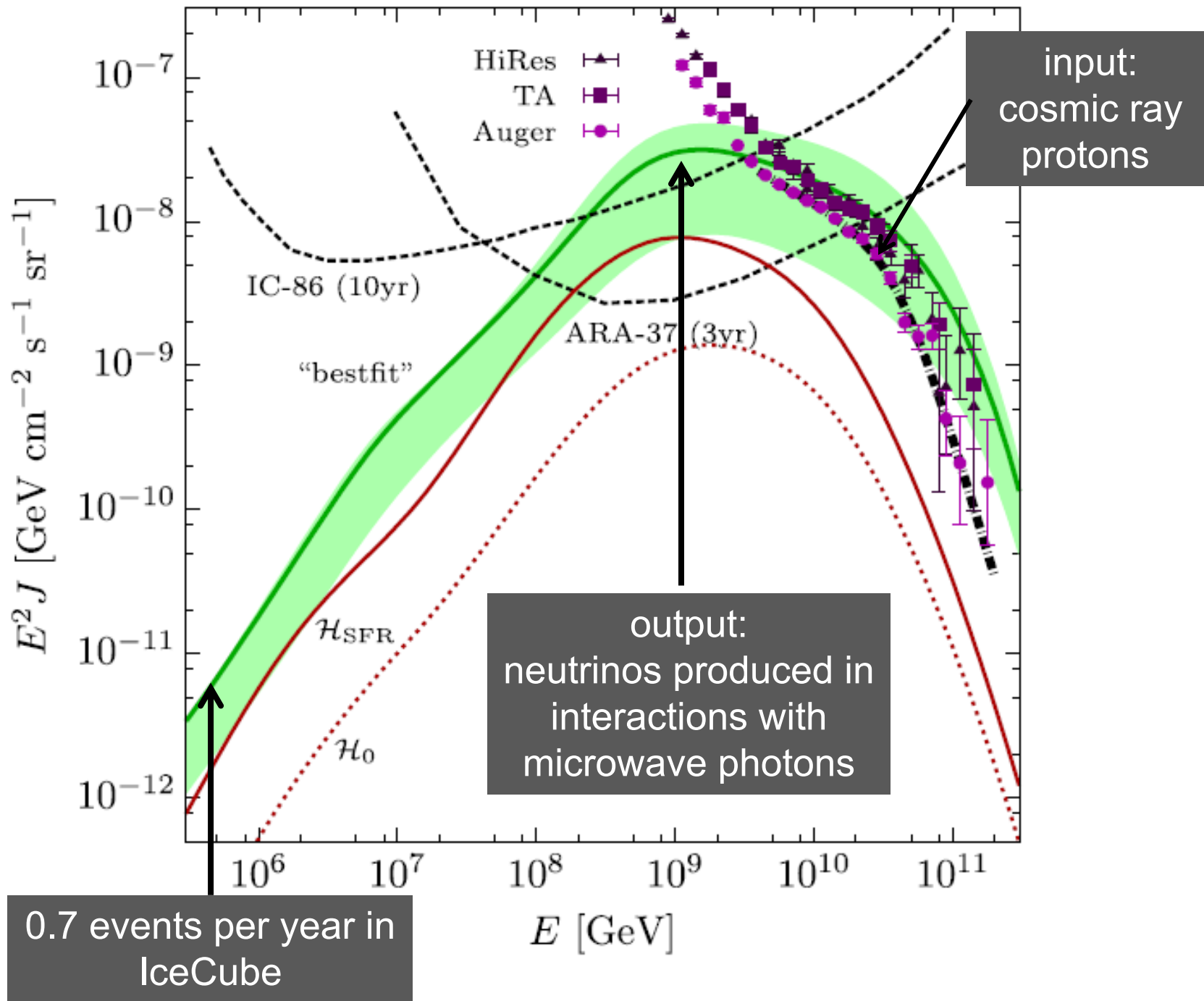
1 event per cubic kilometer per year
...but it points at its source!

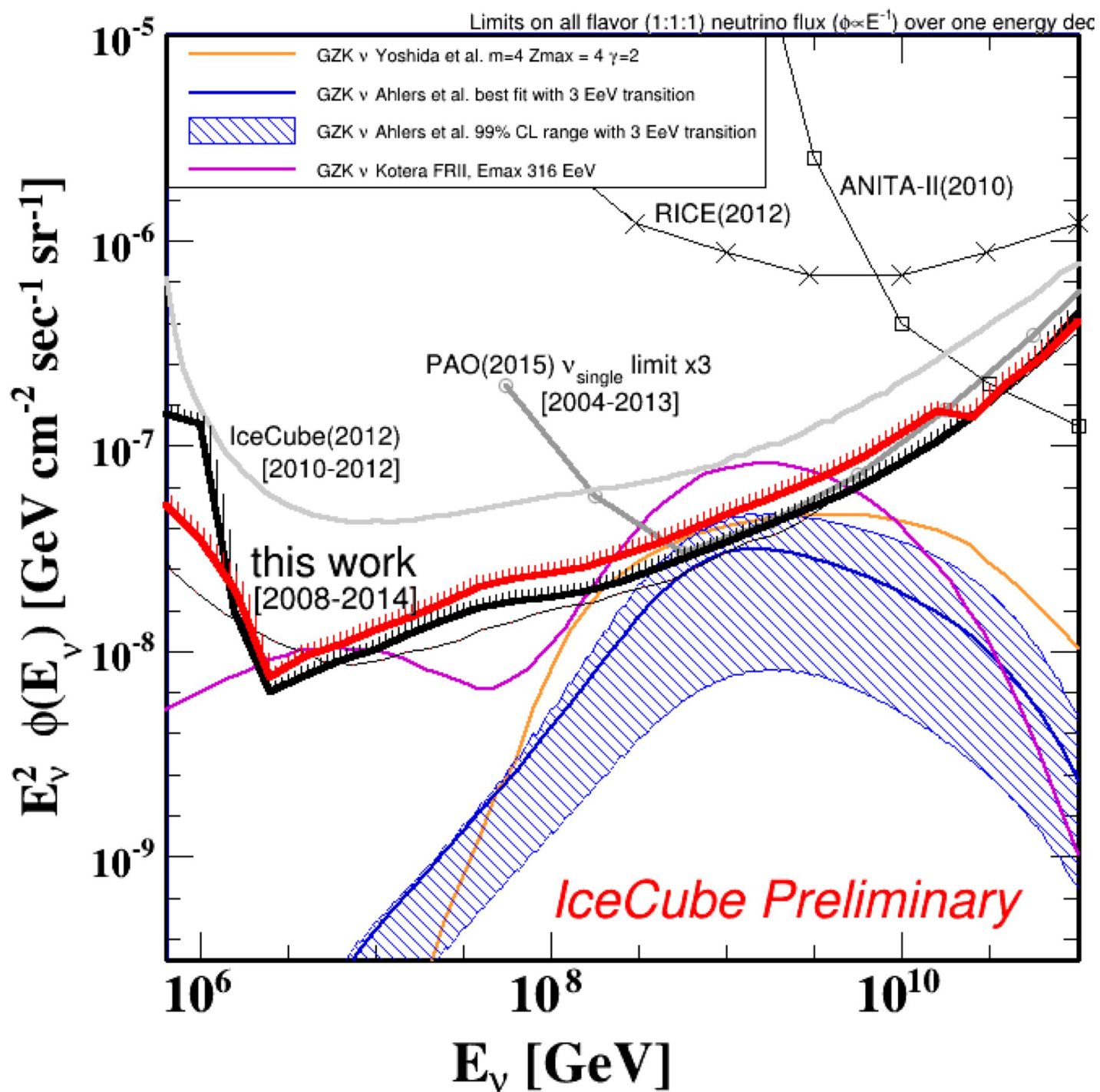


the extragalactic accelerators: knobs to turn

- slope of power-law energy spectrum
- minimum energy
- maximum energy
- composition \rightarrow assume protons
- cosmological evolution







flux < 1% of astrophysical
neutrino flux observed
Nature 484 (2012) 351-353

timing/localization
from satellites



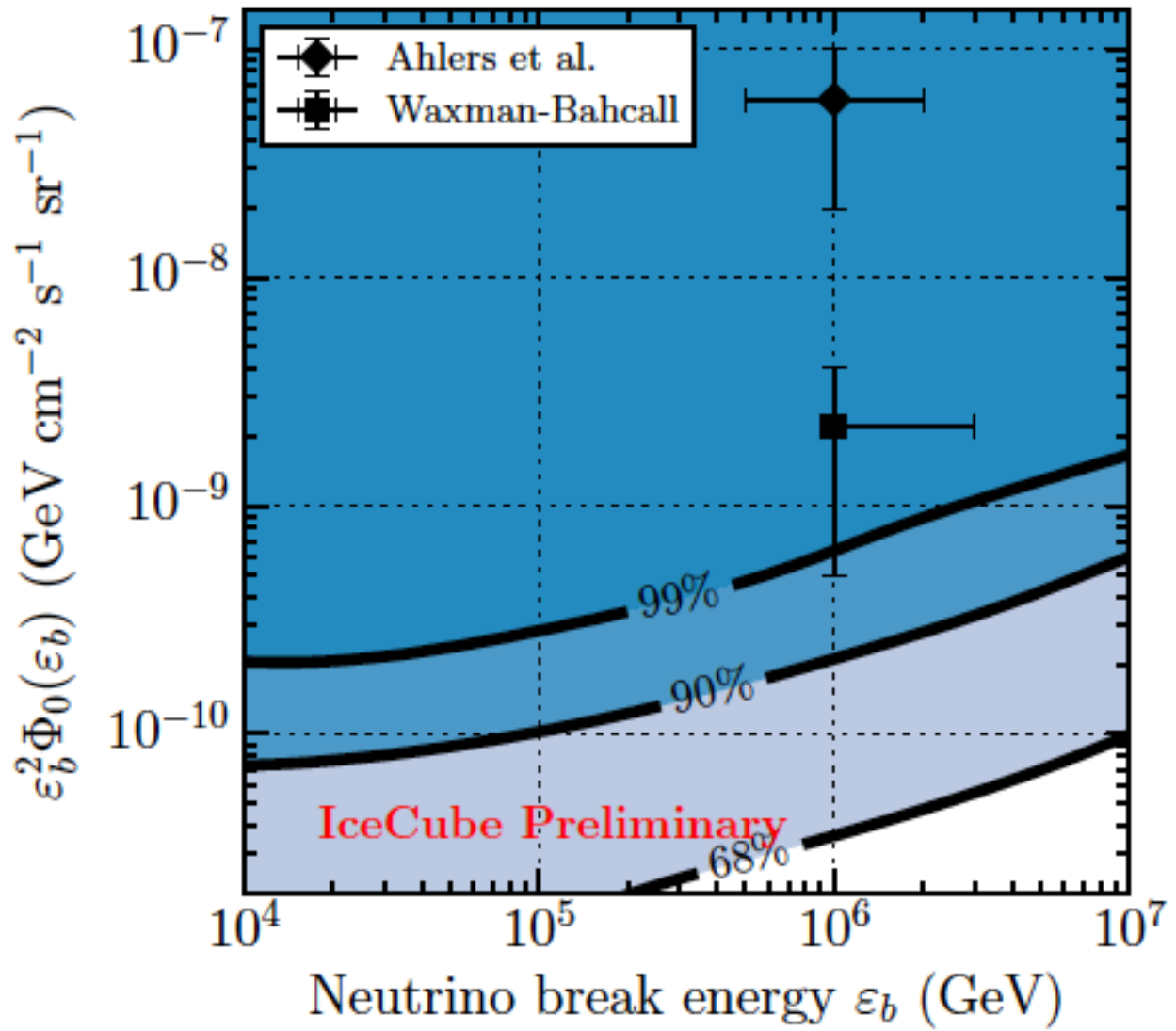
timing + direction
→ low background



γ

ν







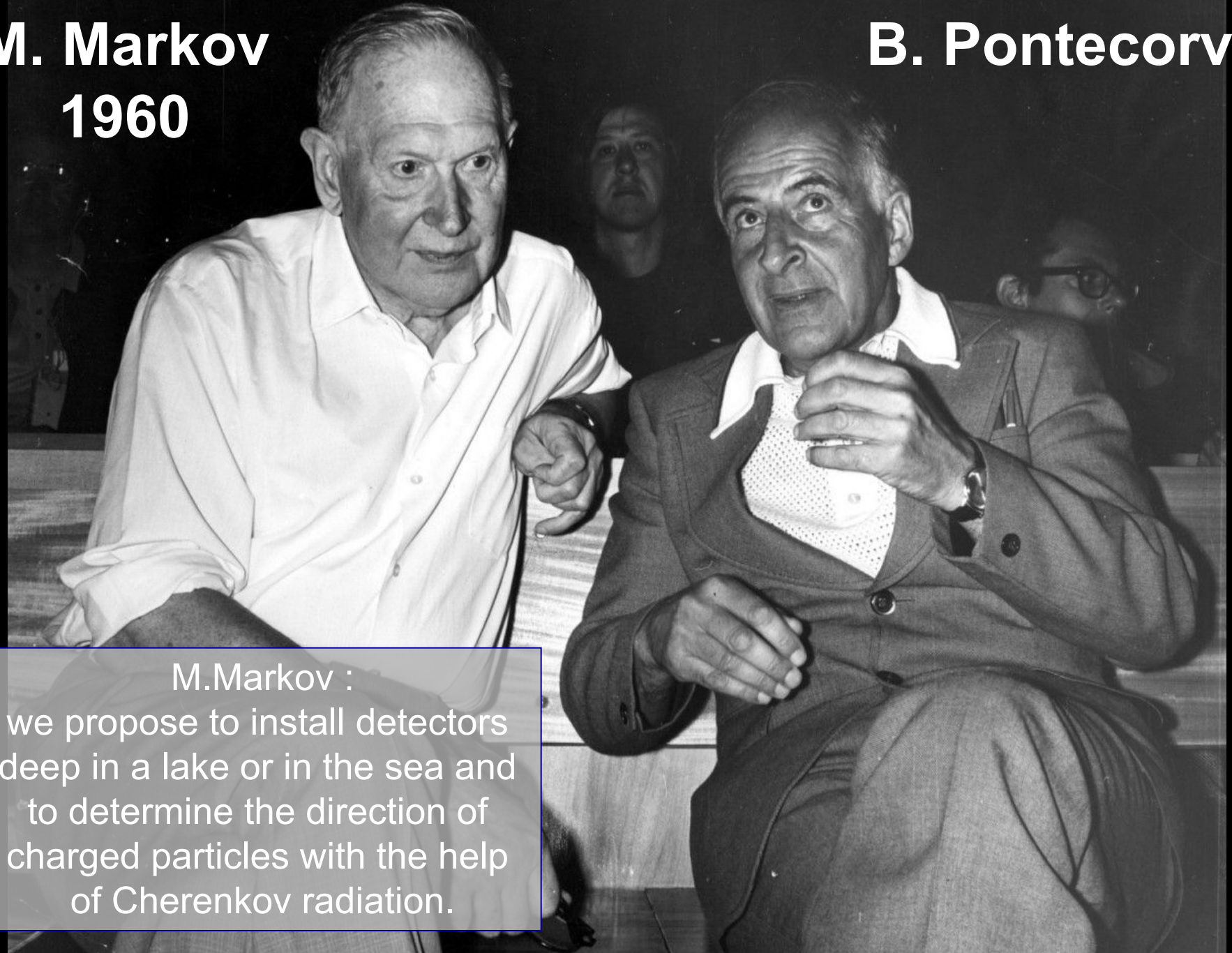
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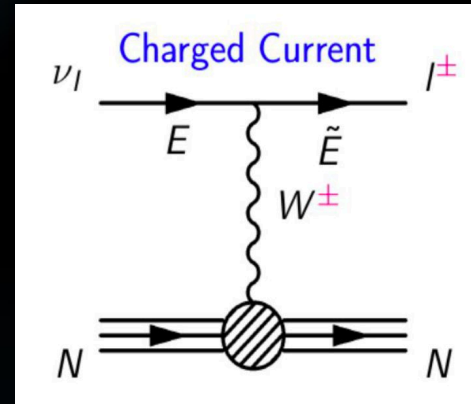
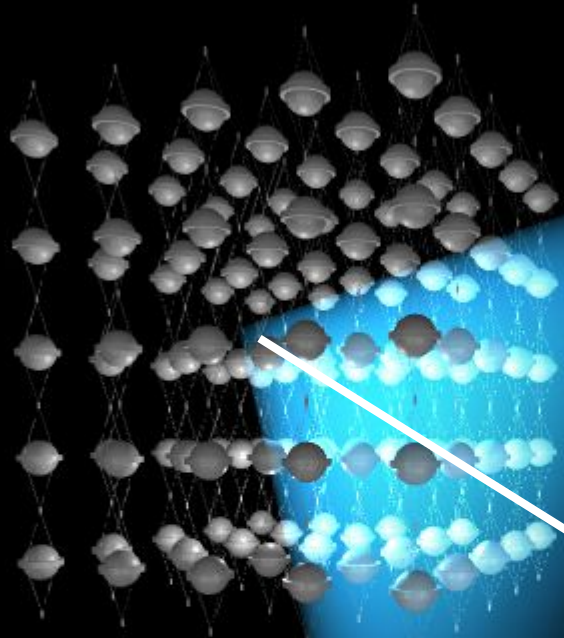
M. Markov
1960

B. Pontecorvo



M.Markov :
we propose to install detectors
deep in a lake or in the sea and
to determine the direction of
charged particles with the help
of Cherenkov radiation.

charged secondary
particles produced
as the neutrino
disappears

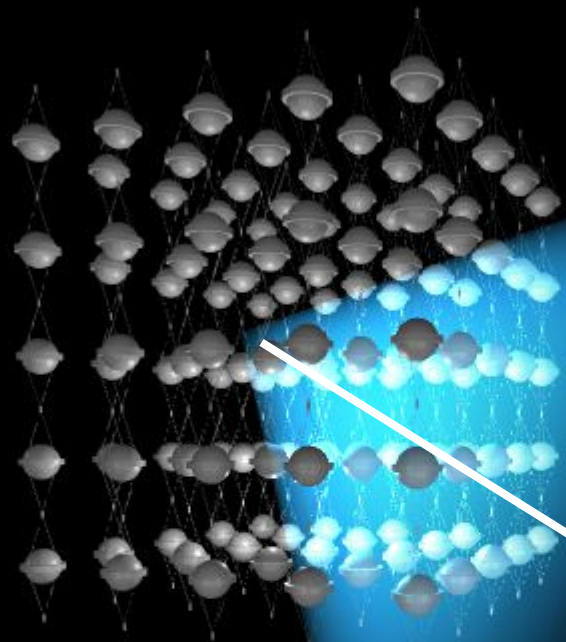


nuclear
interaction

neutrino

• lattice of photomultipliers

- speed of light in water $< c$
- muon travels from 50 m to 50 km through the water at the speed of light emitting blue light along its track



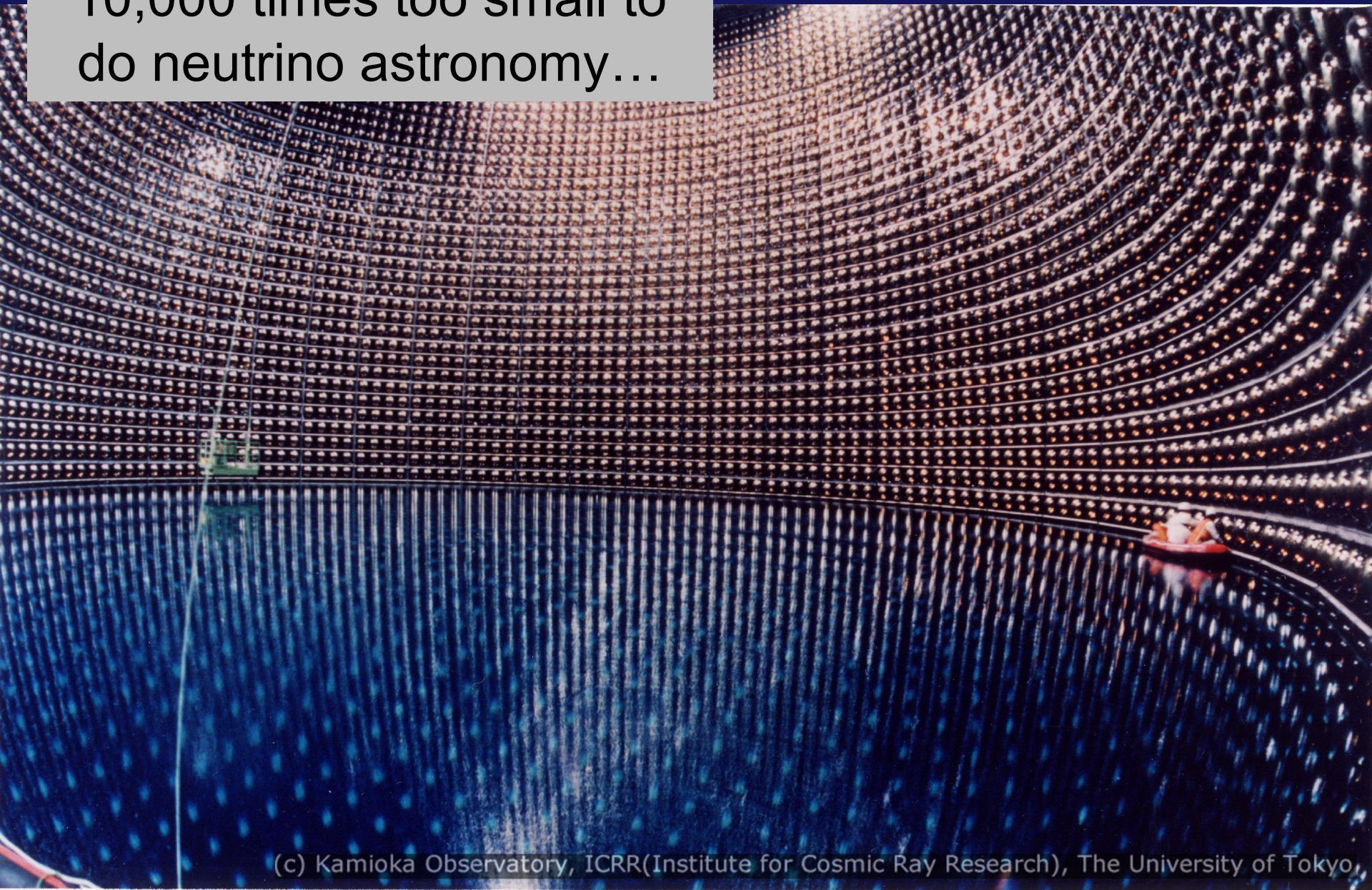
muon

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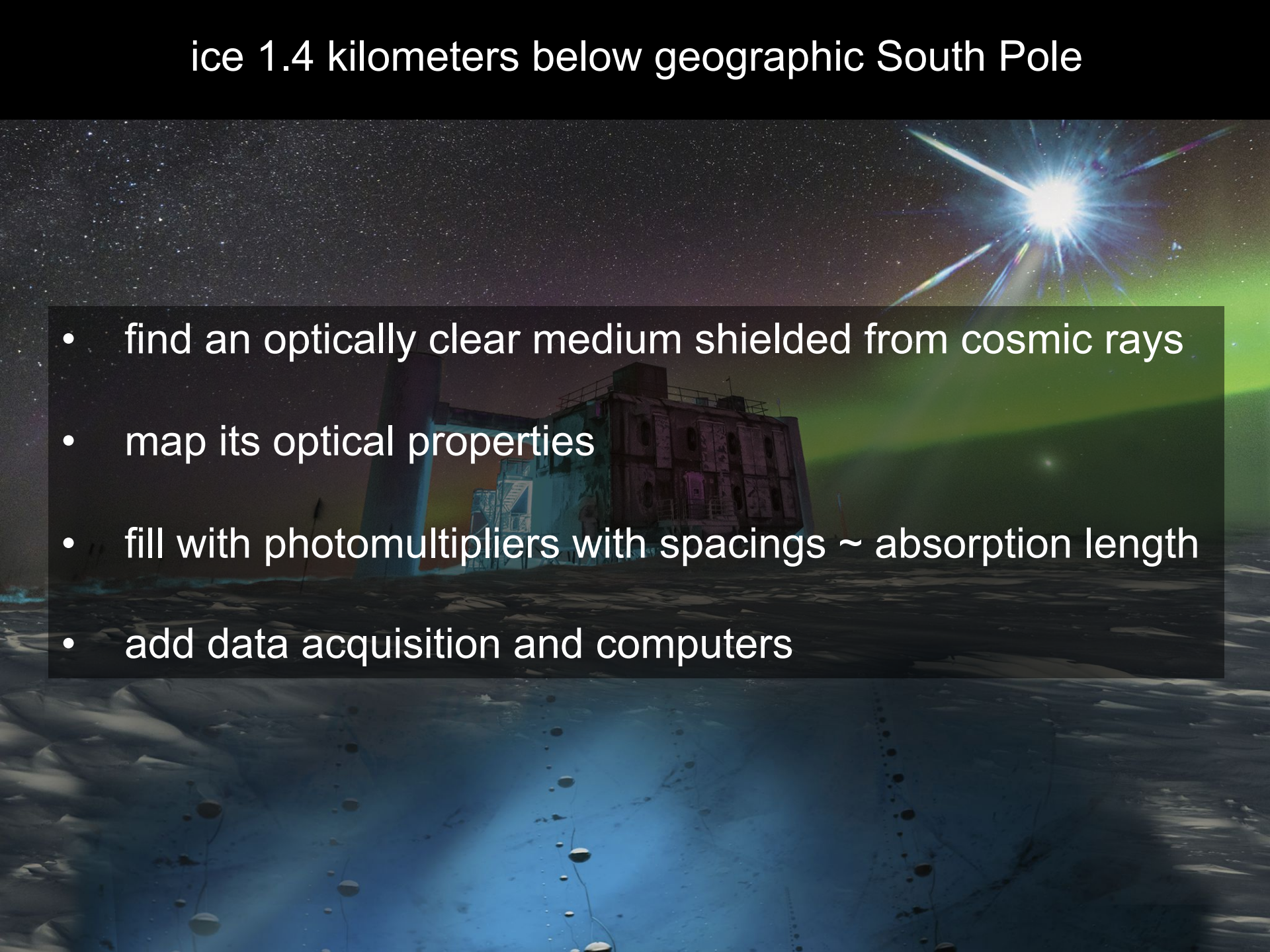
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10,000 times too small to
do neutrino astronomy...



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

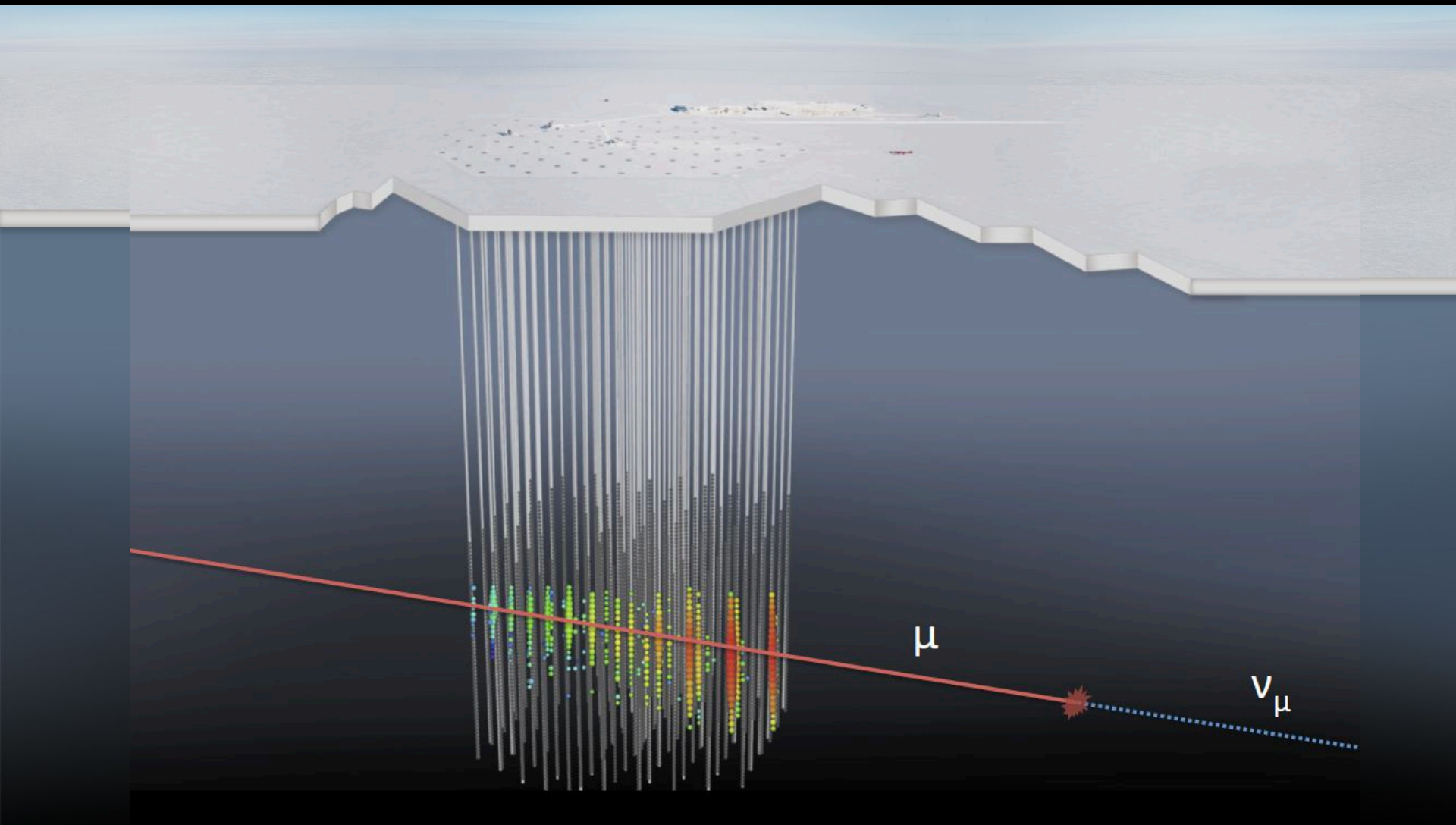
ice 1.4 kilometers below geographic South Pole

- find an optically clear medium shielded from cosmic rays
 - map its optical properties
 - fill with photomultipliers with spacings \sim absorption length
 - add data acquisition and computers
- 
- The background image is a composite. The top half shows a dark night sky filled with stars, with a prominent bright starburst in the upper right quadrant. The bottom half shows a snowy, icy landscape at night, illuminated by a greenish light. In the center of the landscape, there is a dark, rectangular structure that appears to be a building or a piece of equipment, possibly related to the scientific experiment mentioned in the text.

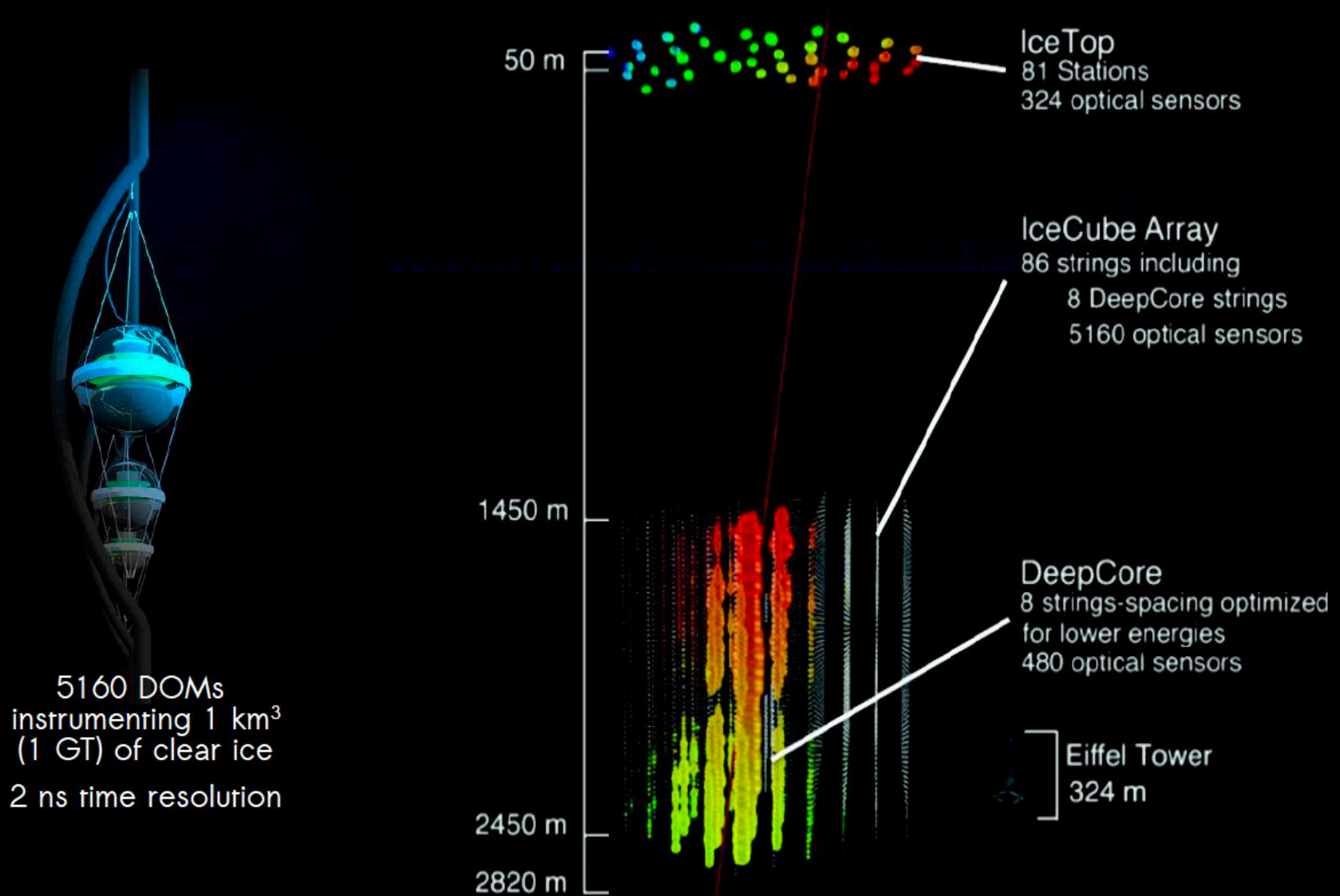


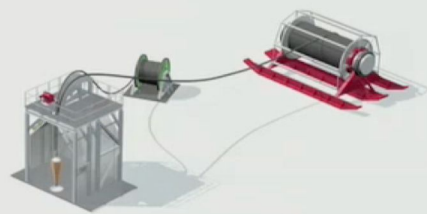
ultra-transparent ice below 1.5 km

instrument 1 cubic kilometer of natural ice below 1.45 km



the IceCube Neutrino Observatory





photomultiplier
tube -10 inch

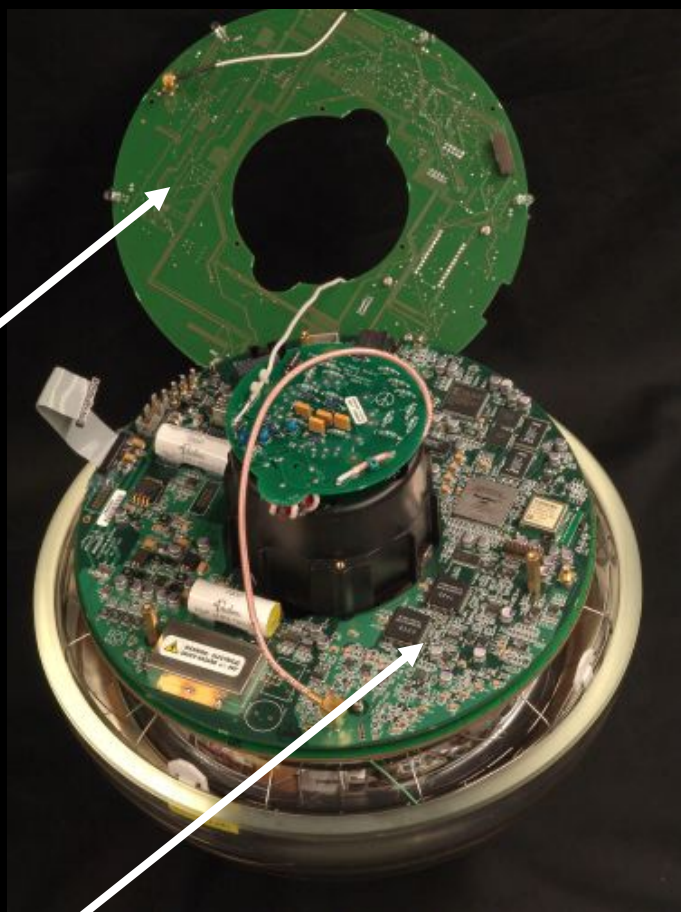


architecture of independent DOMs

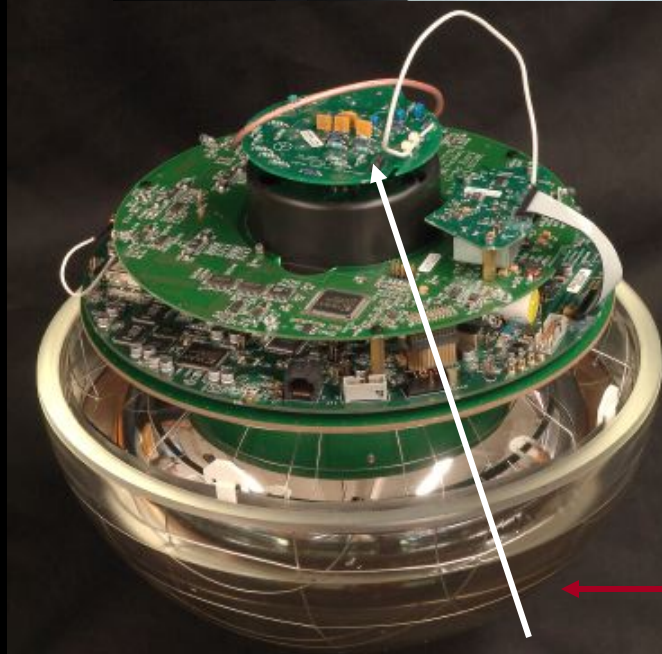
10 inch pmt →



LED
flasher
board

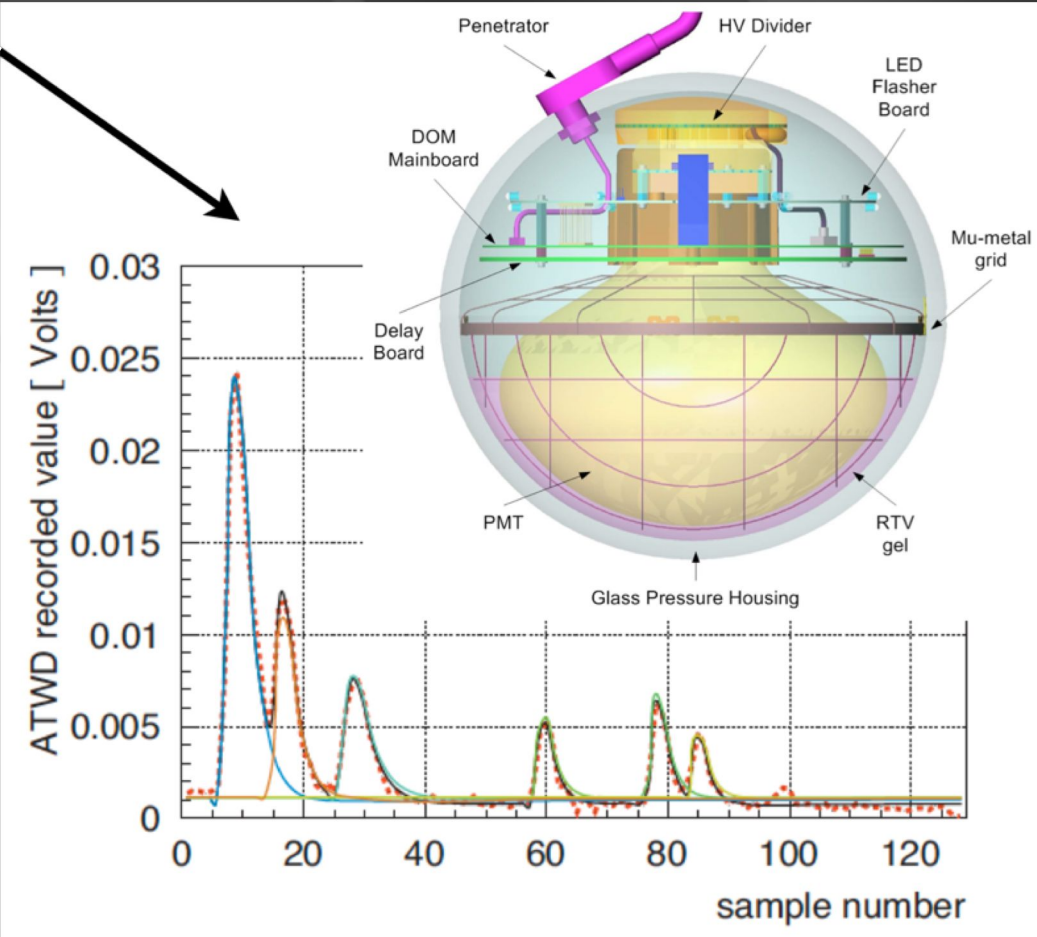


main
board

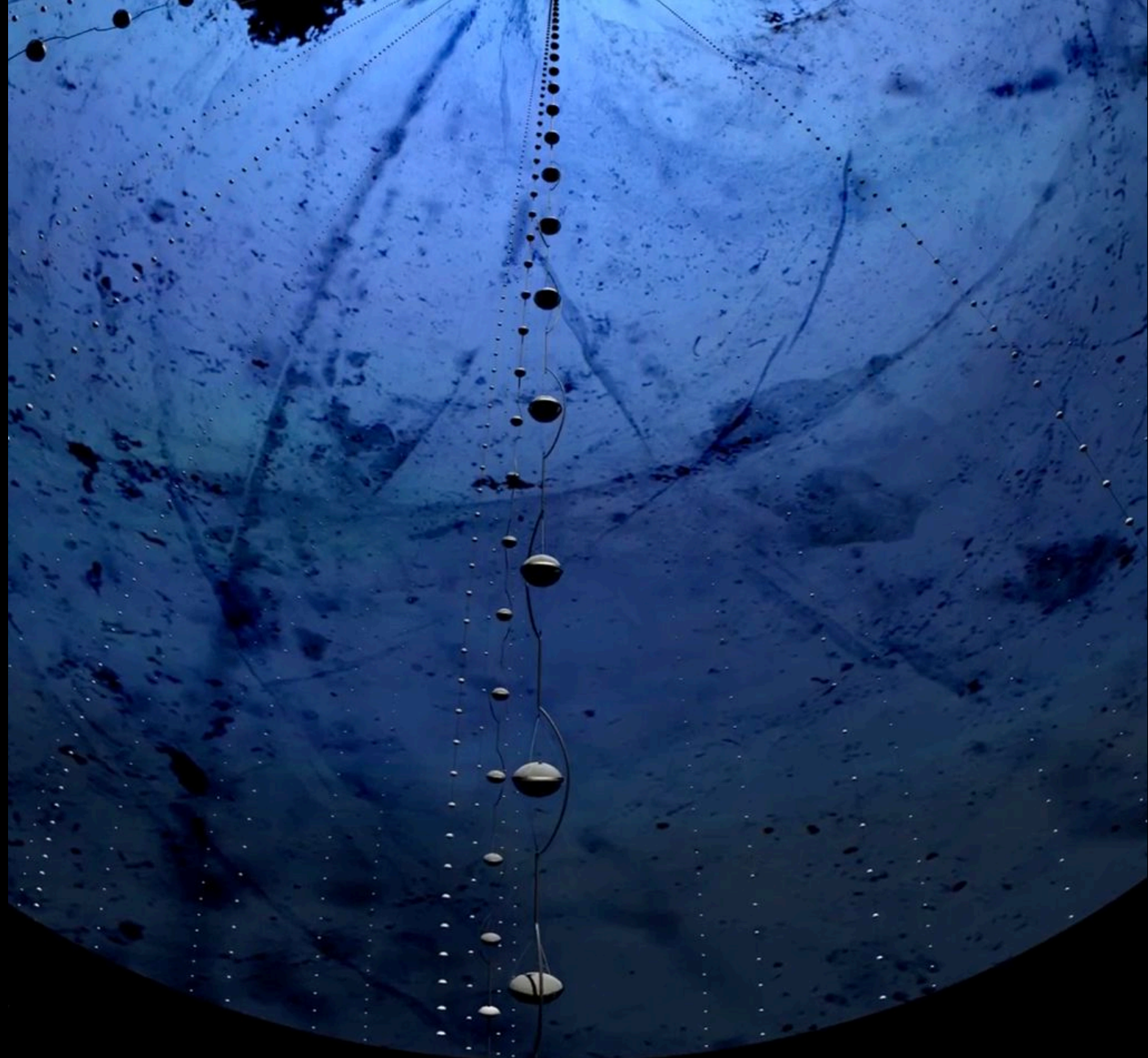


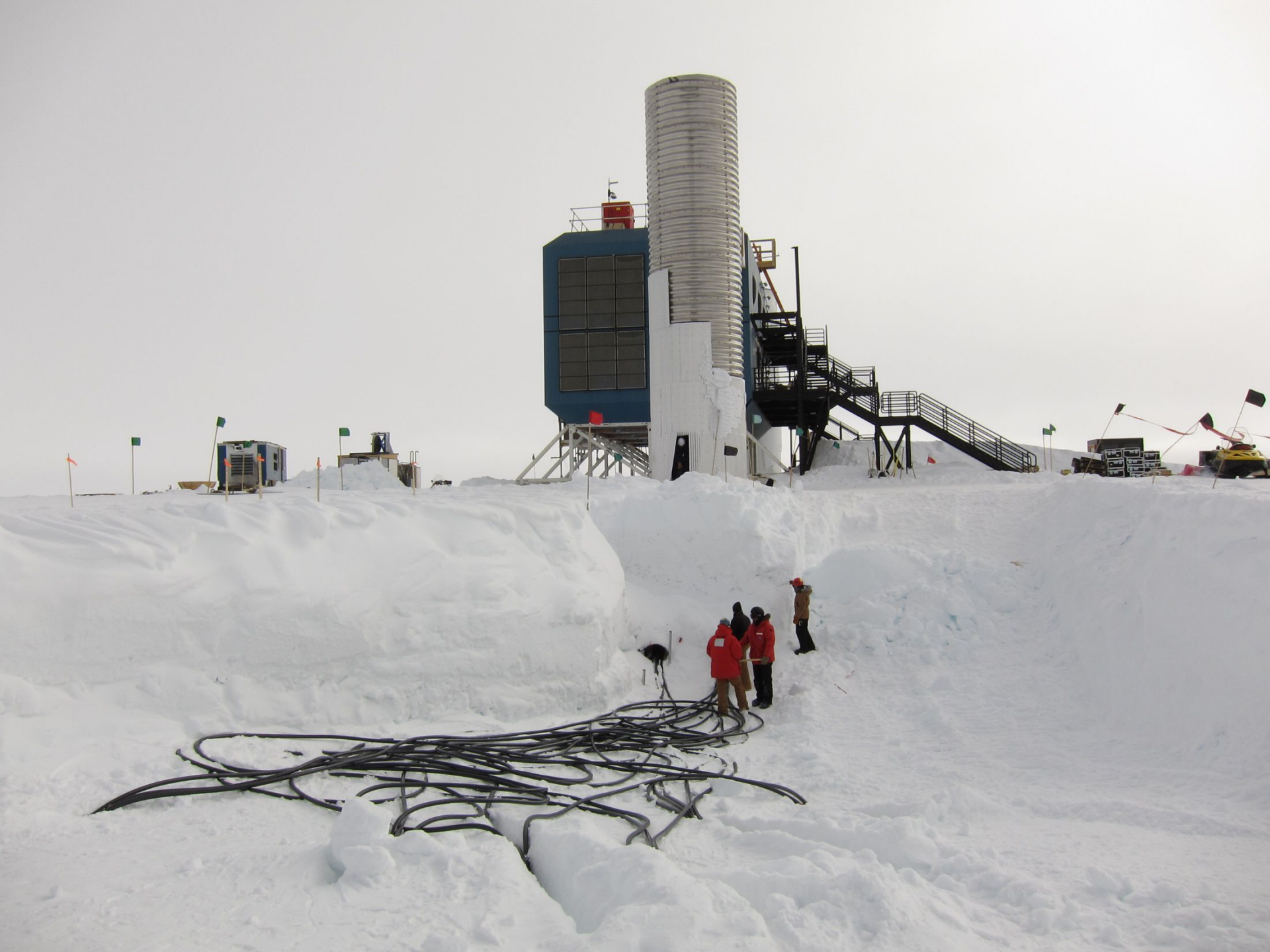
HV board

... each Digital Optical Module independently collects light signals like this, digitizes them,

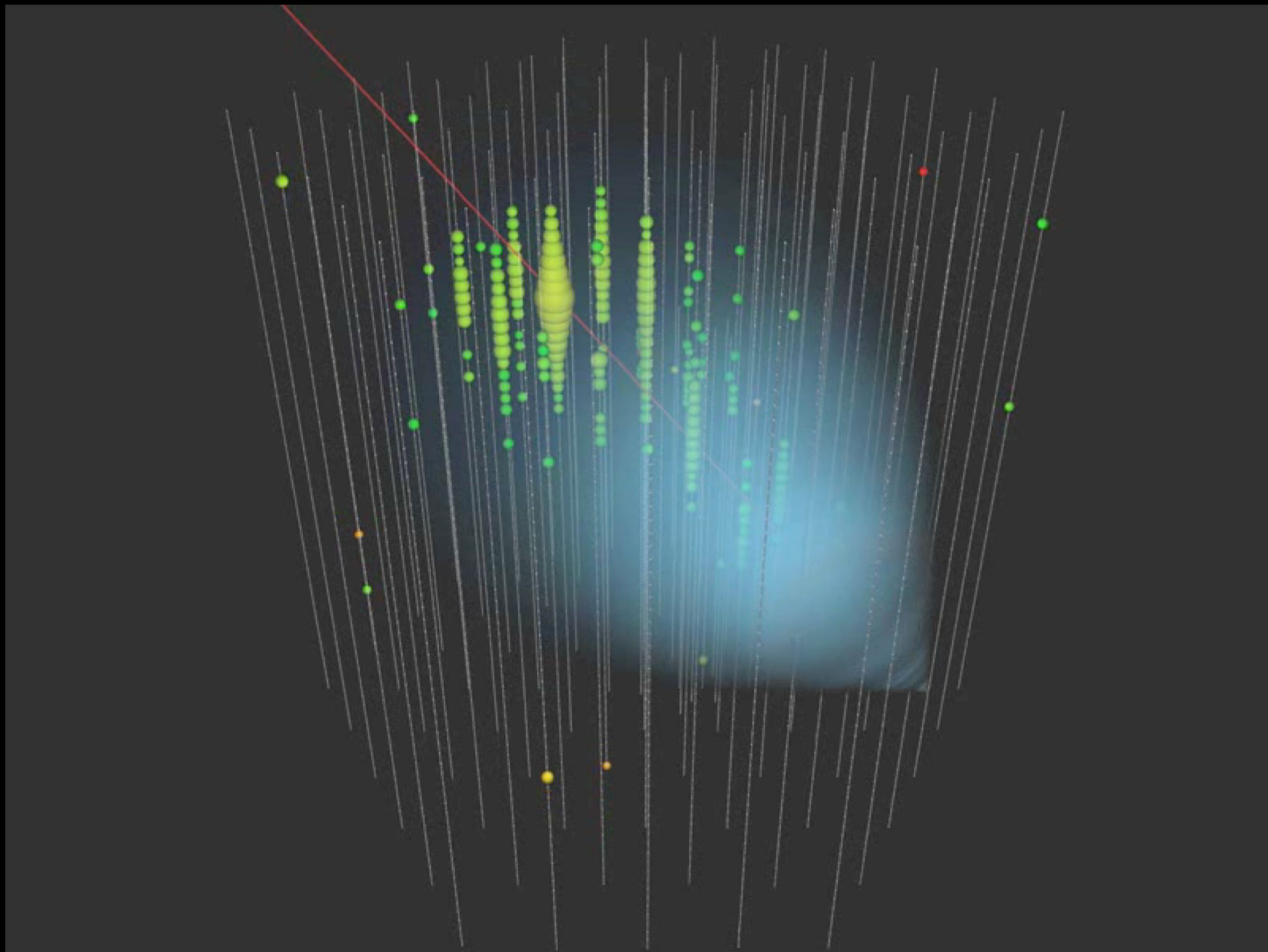


...time stamps them with 2 nanoseconds precision, and sends them to a computer that sorts them events...

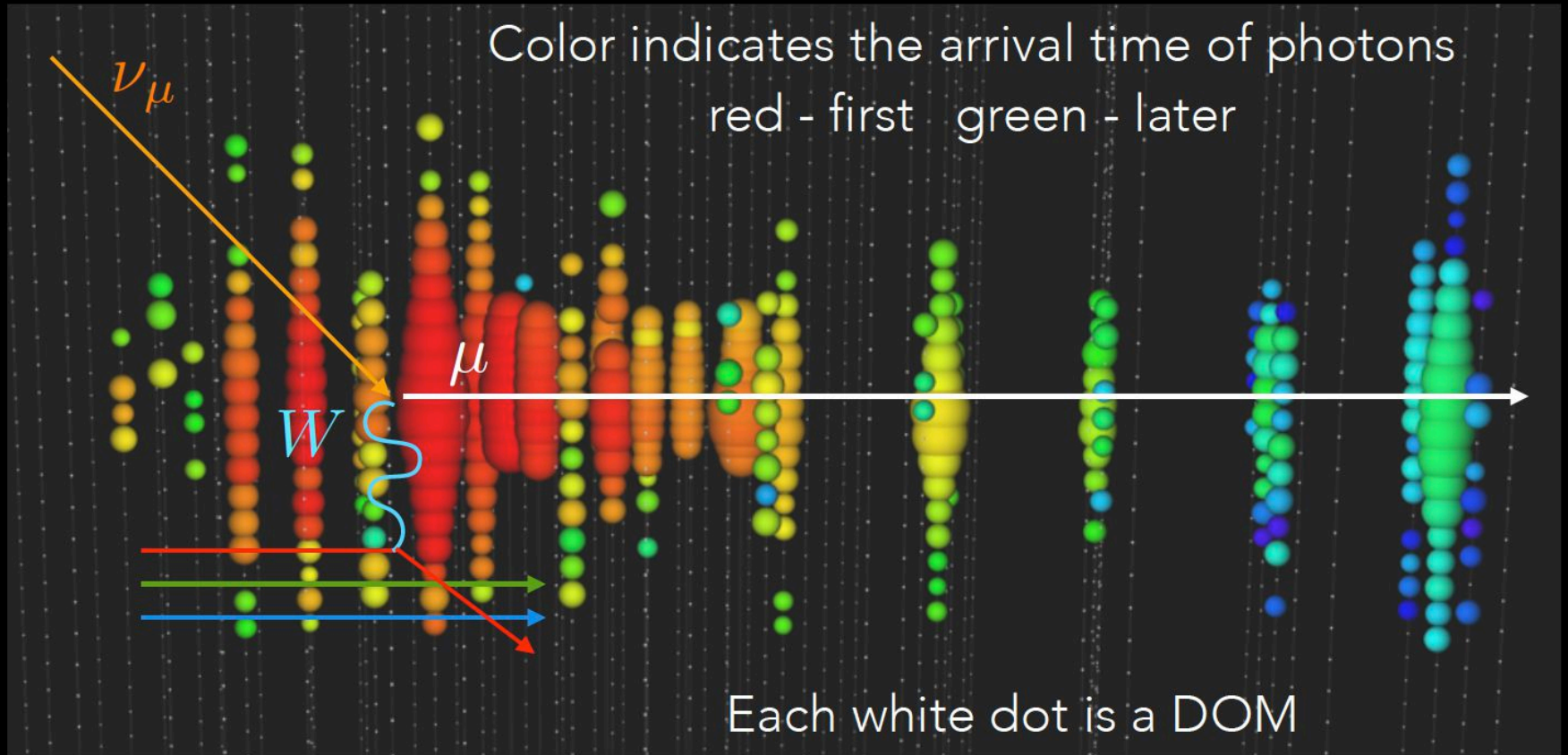




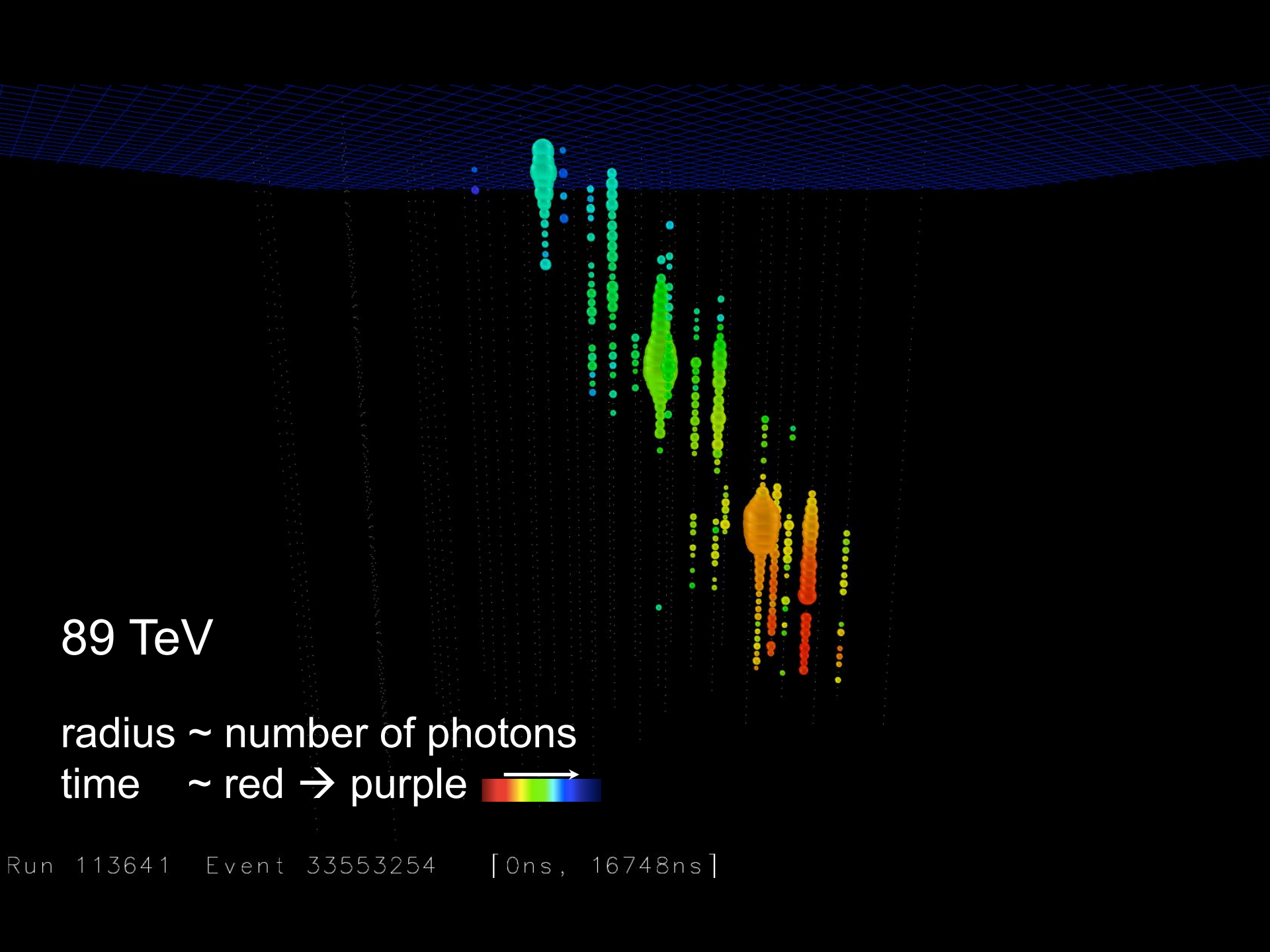




muon track: color is time; number of photons is energy



Nov.12.2010, duration: 3,800 nanosecond, energy: 71.4TeV



89 TeV

radius ~ number of photons

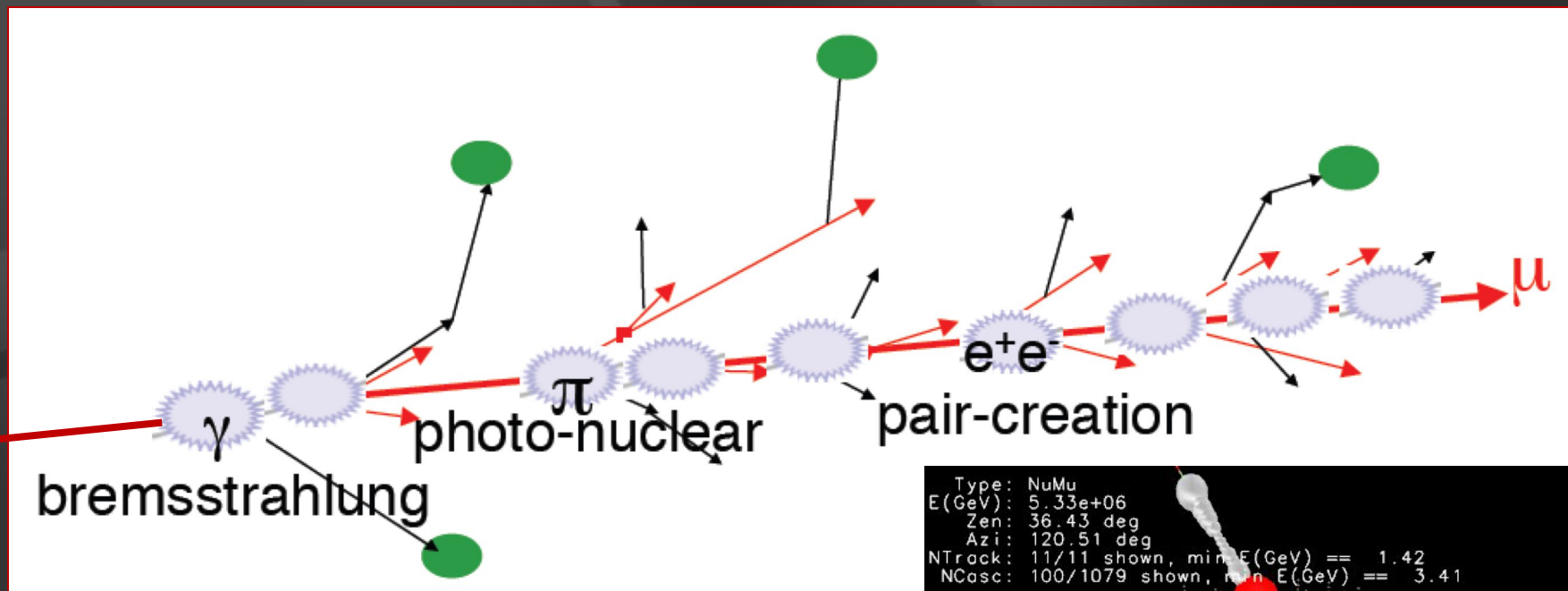
time ~ red → purple 

Run 113641 Event 33553254 [0ns, 16748ns]

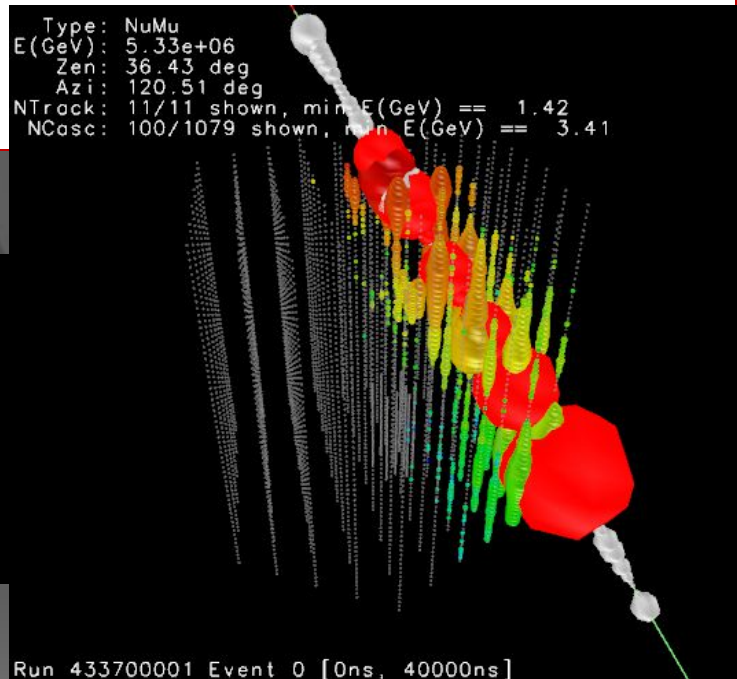
93 TeV muon: light ~ energy

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Type: NuMu  
E(GeV): 9.30e+04  
Zen: 40.45 deg  
Azi: 192.12 deg  
NTrack: 1/1 shown, min E(GeV) == 93026.46  
NCasc: 100/427 shown, min E(GeV) == 7.99
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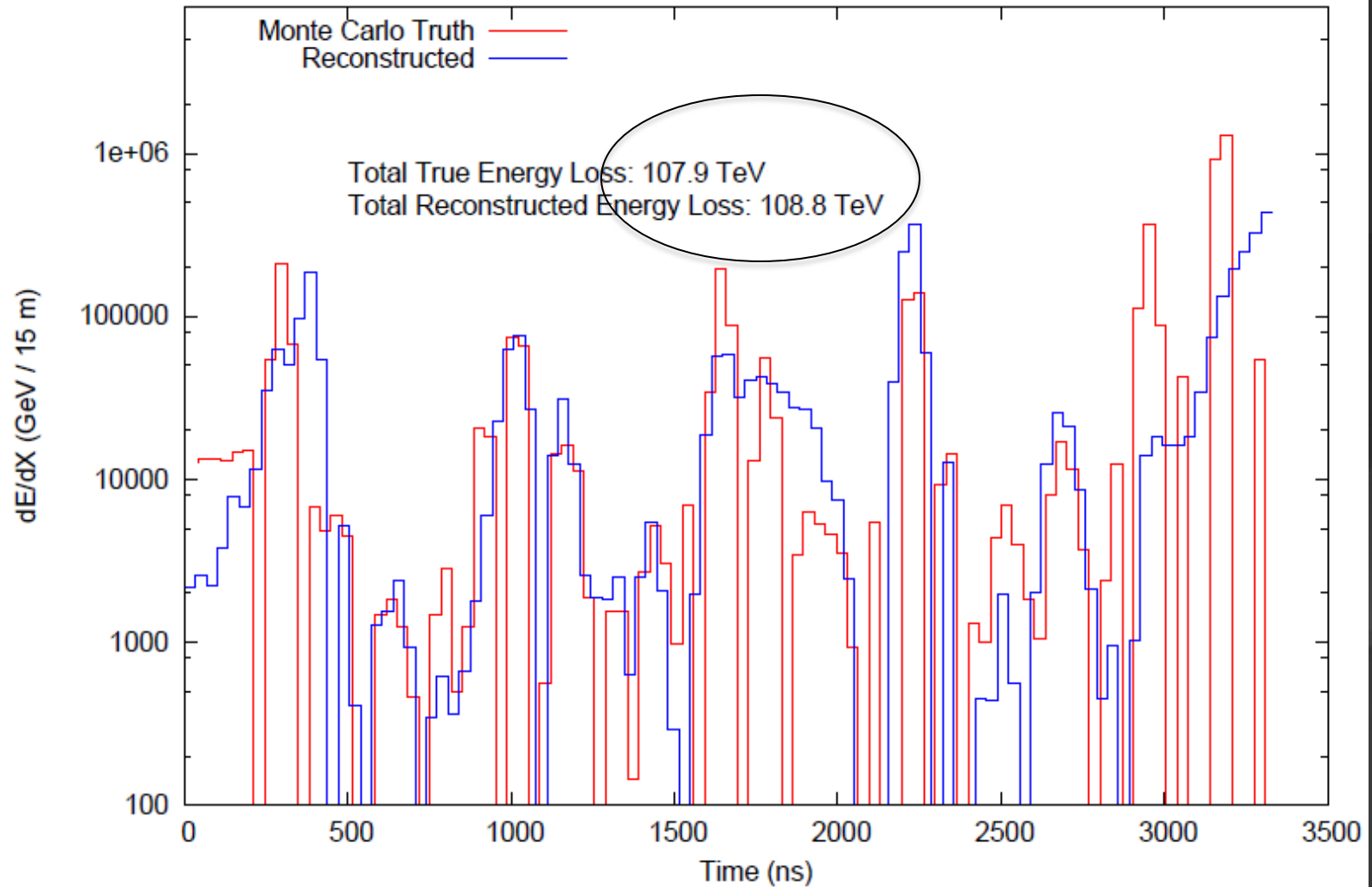
energy measurement (> 100 TeV)



convert the amount of light emitted to a measurement of the muon energy (number of optical modules, number of photons, dE/dx , ...)



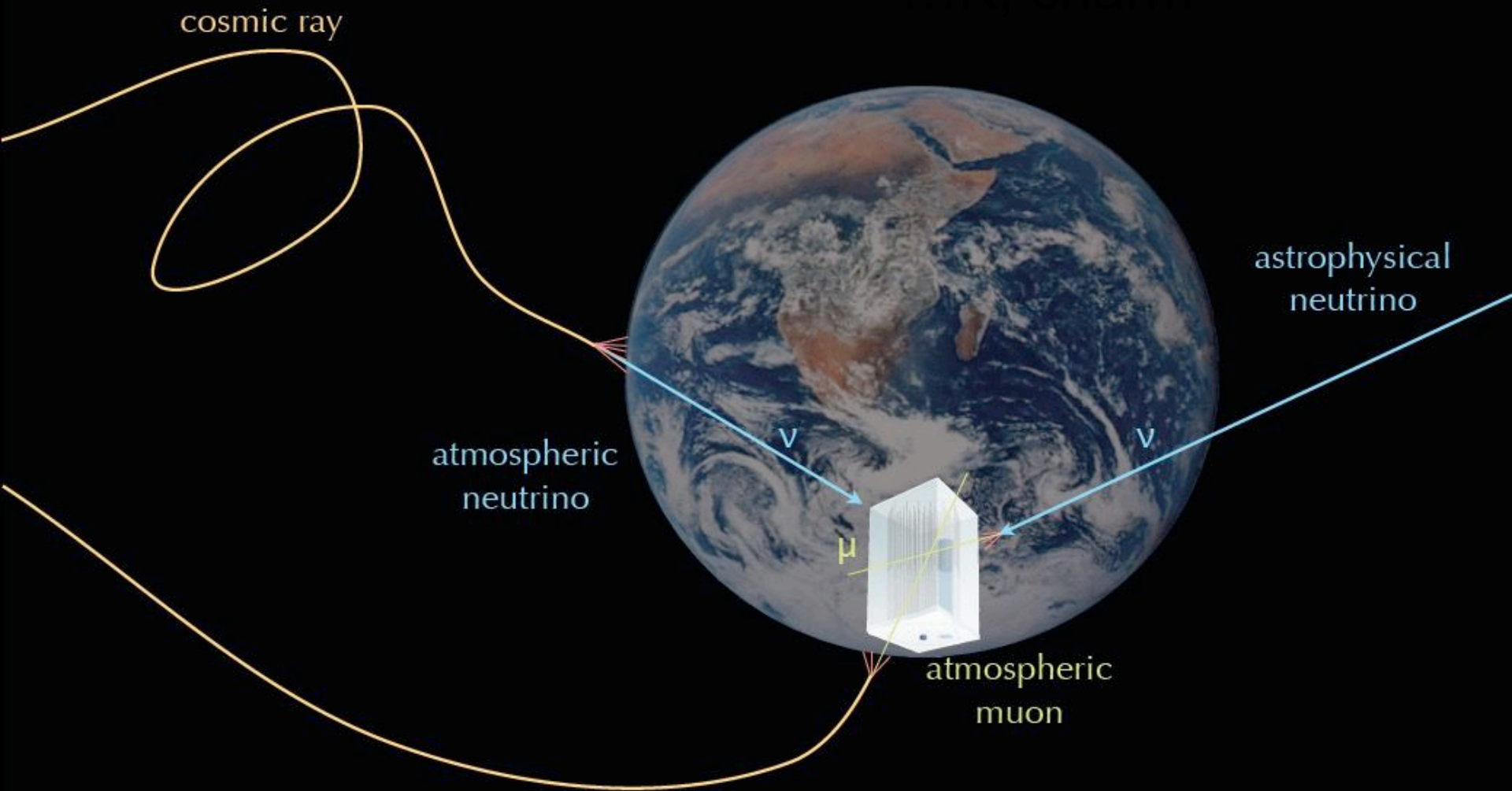
Differential Energy Reconstruction of 5 PeV Muon in IC-86

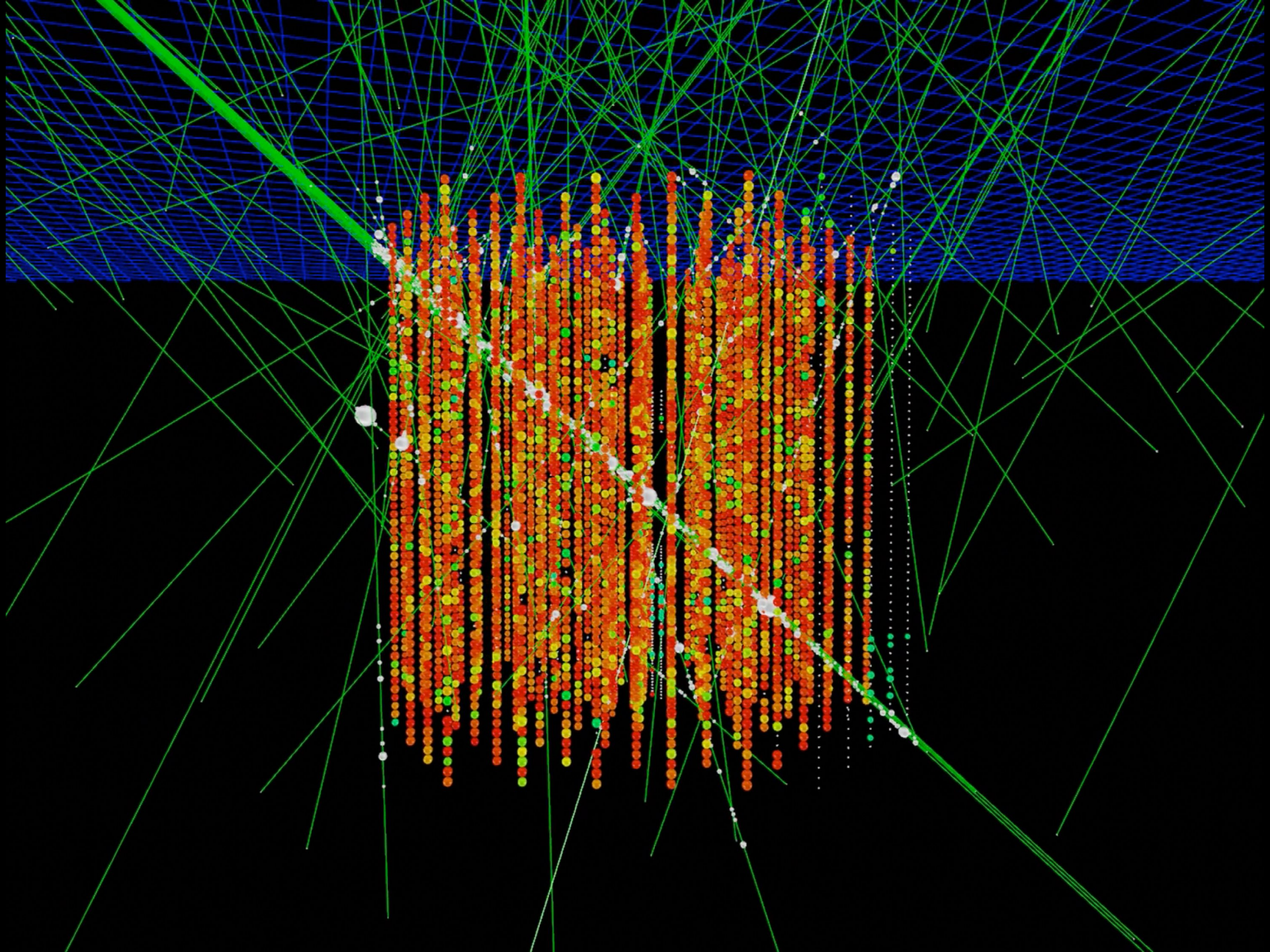


← 1.1 km →

improving angular and energy resolution

Signals and Backgrounds





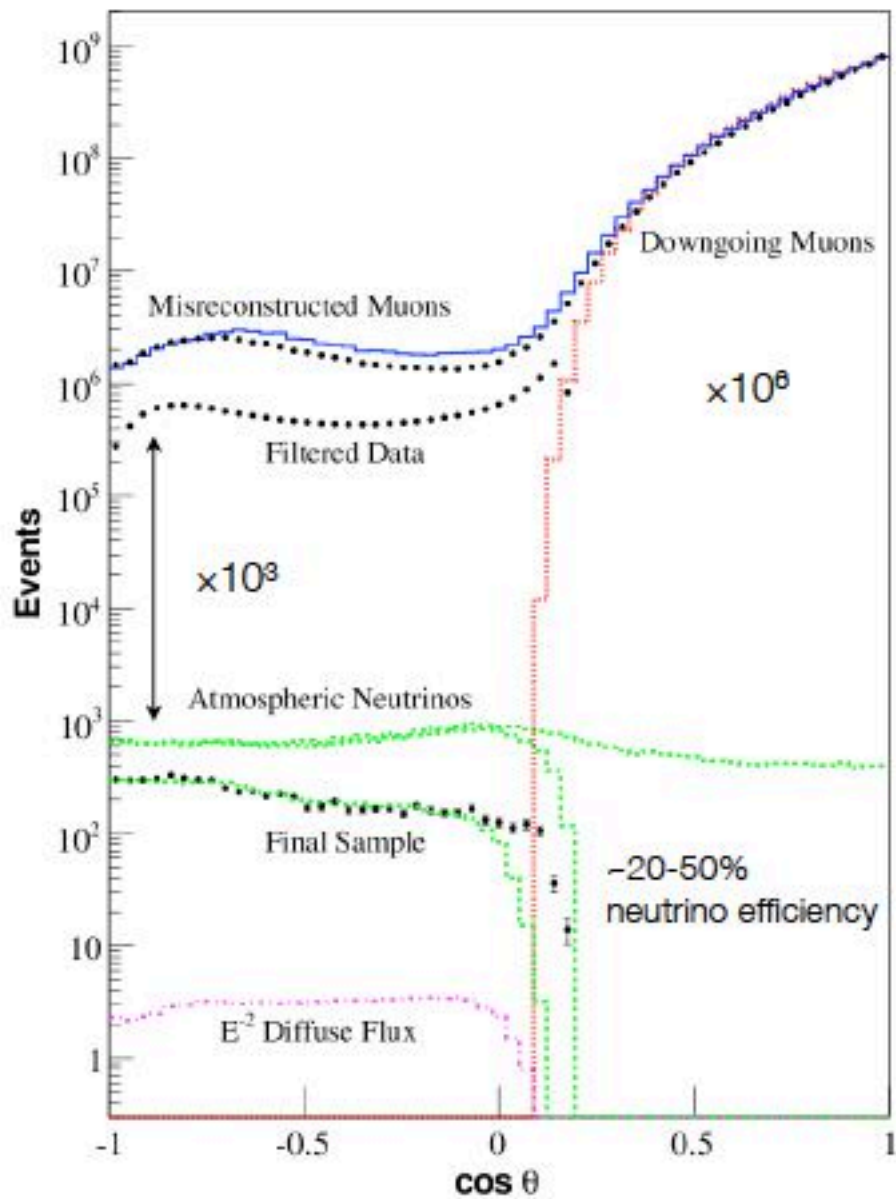
... you looked at 10msec of data !

muons detected per year:

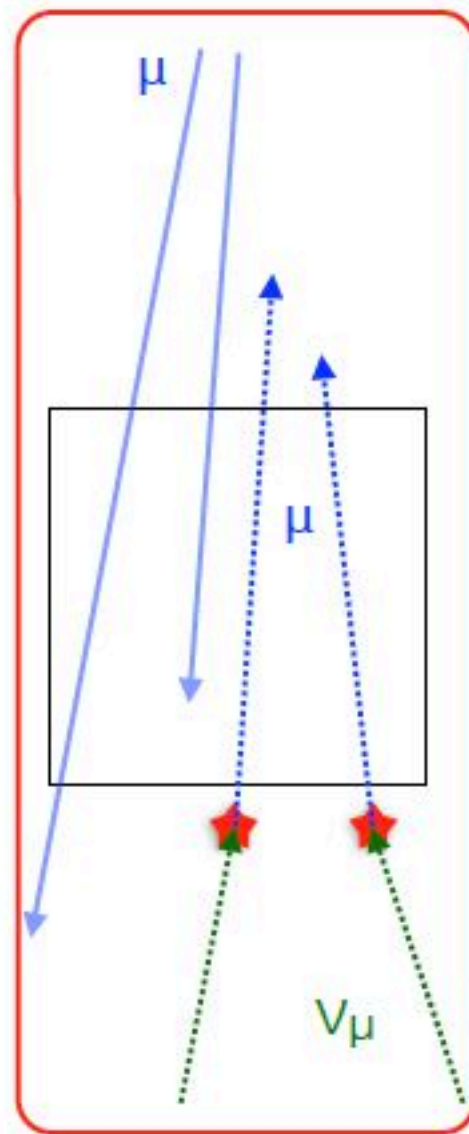
- atmospheric* μ $\sim 10^{11}$
- atmospheric** $\nu \rightarrow \mu$ $\sim 10^5$
- cosmic $\nu \rightarrow \mu$ ~ 120

* 3000 per second

** 1 every 6 minutes



through-going
(tracks)

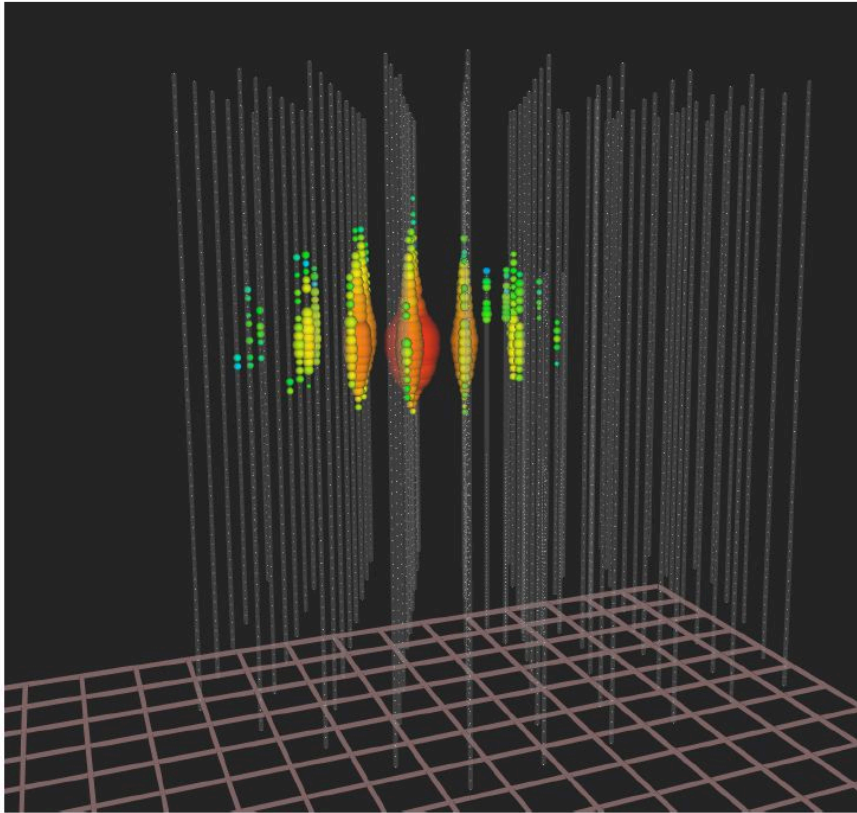


selection cuts for on-line numu extraction

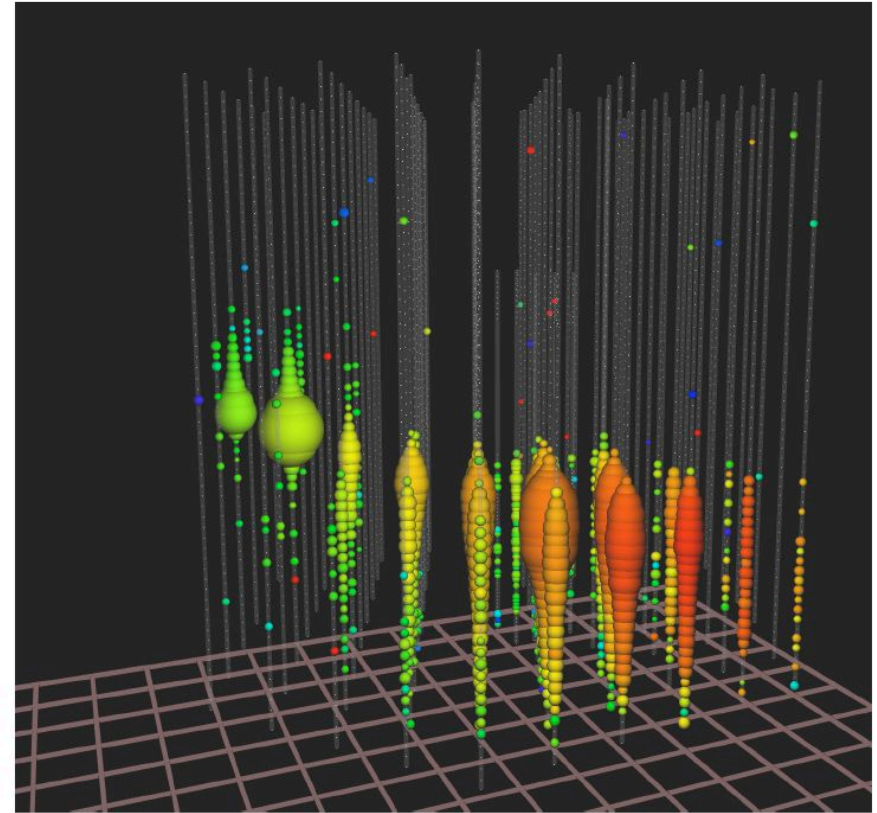
Cut Level	Selection criterion	Atms. μ (mHz)	Data (mHz)	Atms. ν_μ (mHz)	Astro. $\times 10^{-3}$ (mHz)
0	$\cos \theta_{\text{MPE}} \leq 0$	1010.5	1523.81	7.166	6.23
1	$\text{SLogL}(3.5) \leq 8$	282.49	504.44	5.826	5.62
2	$N_{\text{Dir}} \geq 9$	8.839	22.01	3.076	4.06
3	$((\cos \theta_{\text{MPE}} > -0.2) \text{ AND } (L_{\text{Dir}} \geq 300 \text{ m}))$ OR $((\cos \theta_{\text{MPE}} \leq -0.2) \text{ AND } (L_{\text{Dir}} \geq 200 \text{ m}))$	1.124	4.30	2.313	3.69
4	$\Delta_{\text{Split/MPE}} < 0.5$	0.100	2.15	1.899	3.26
5	$((\cos \theta_{\text{MPE}} \leq -0.07))$ OR $((\cos \theta_{\text{MPE}} > -0.07) \text{ AND } (\Delta_{\text{SPE/Bayesian}} \geq 35))$	0.080	2.08	1.880	3.25
6	$((\cos \theta_{\text{MPE}} \leq -0.04))$ OR $((\cos \theta_{\text{MPE}} > -0.04) \text{ AND } (\Delta_{\text{SPE/Bayesian}} \geq 40))$	0.075	2.06	1.875	3.24

Table 2. IceCube neutrino selection cuts and corresponding passing event rate for the IC-2012 season. At a final selection an event has to fulfill all cut criteria to pass the selection (i.e. a logical AND condition between the cut levels is applied). The atmospheric-neutrino flux is based on the prediction by Honda [71], but atmospheric-muon rate is calculated from CORSIKA simulations. The event rate for IceCube data stream corresponds to the total livetime of 332.36 days. The astrophysical neutrino flux is estimated assuming $dN/dE = 1 \cdot 10^{-8} \text{ GeV cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1} (\frac{E}{\text{GeV}})^{-2}$. (Atms. = atmospheric, Astro. = astrophysical)

neutrinos interacting
inside the detector



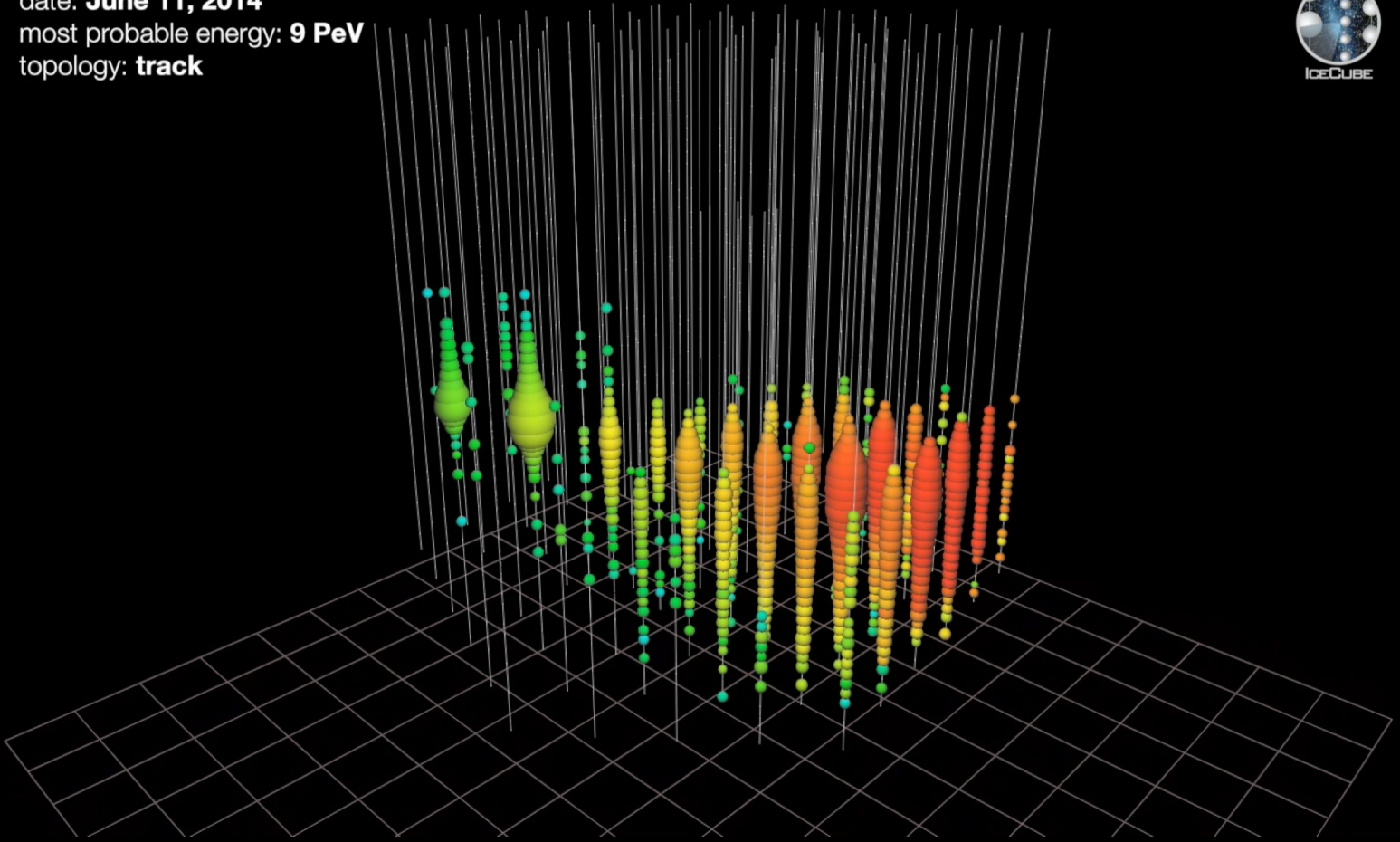
muon neutrinos
filtered by the Earth

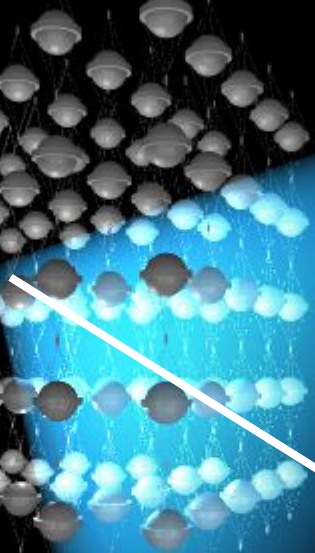
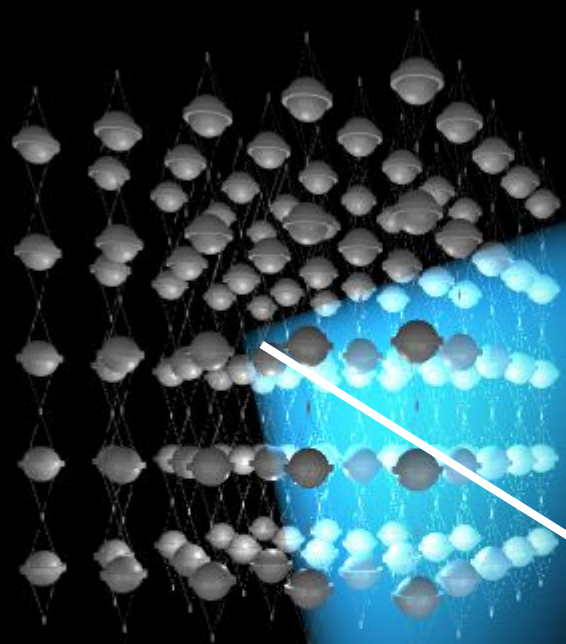


total energy measurement
all flavors, all sky

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

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



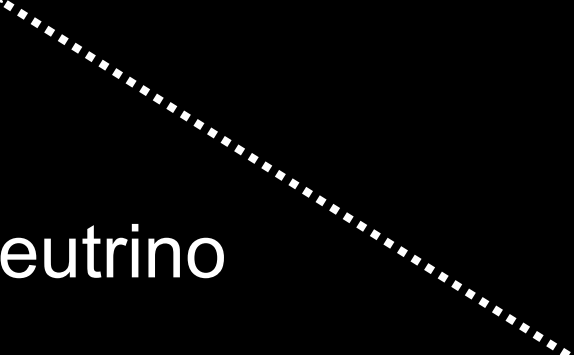


muon

interaction

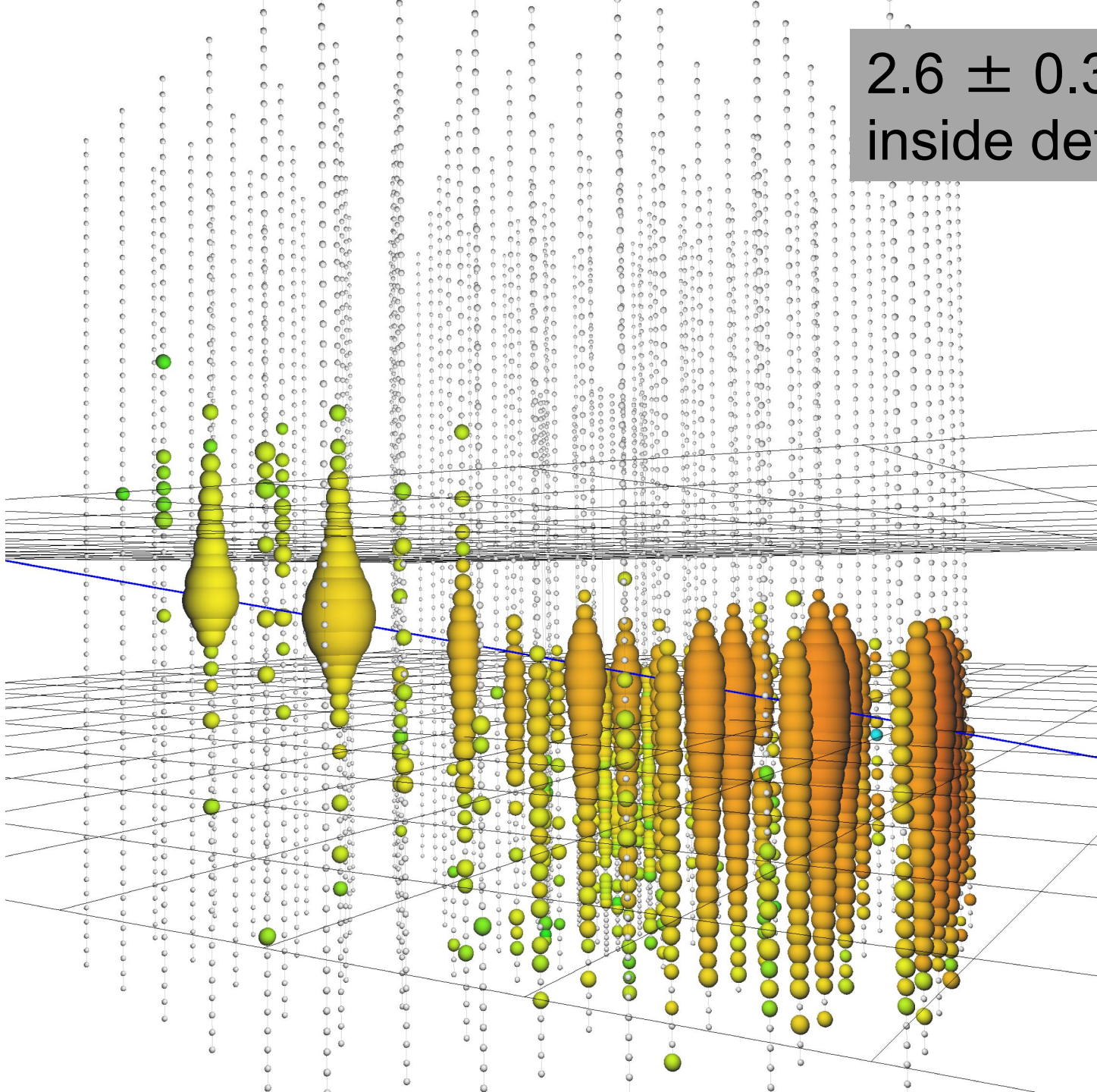


neutrino



• lattice of photomultipliers

2.6 ± 0.3 PeV
inside detector



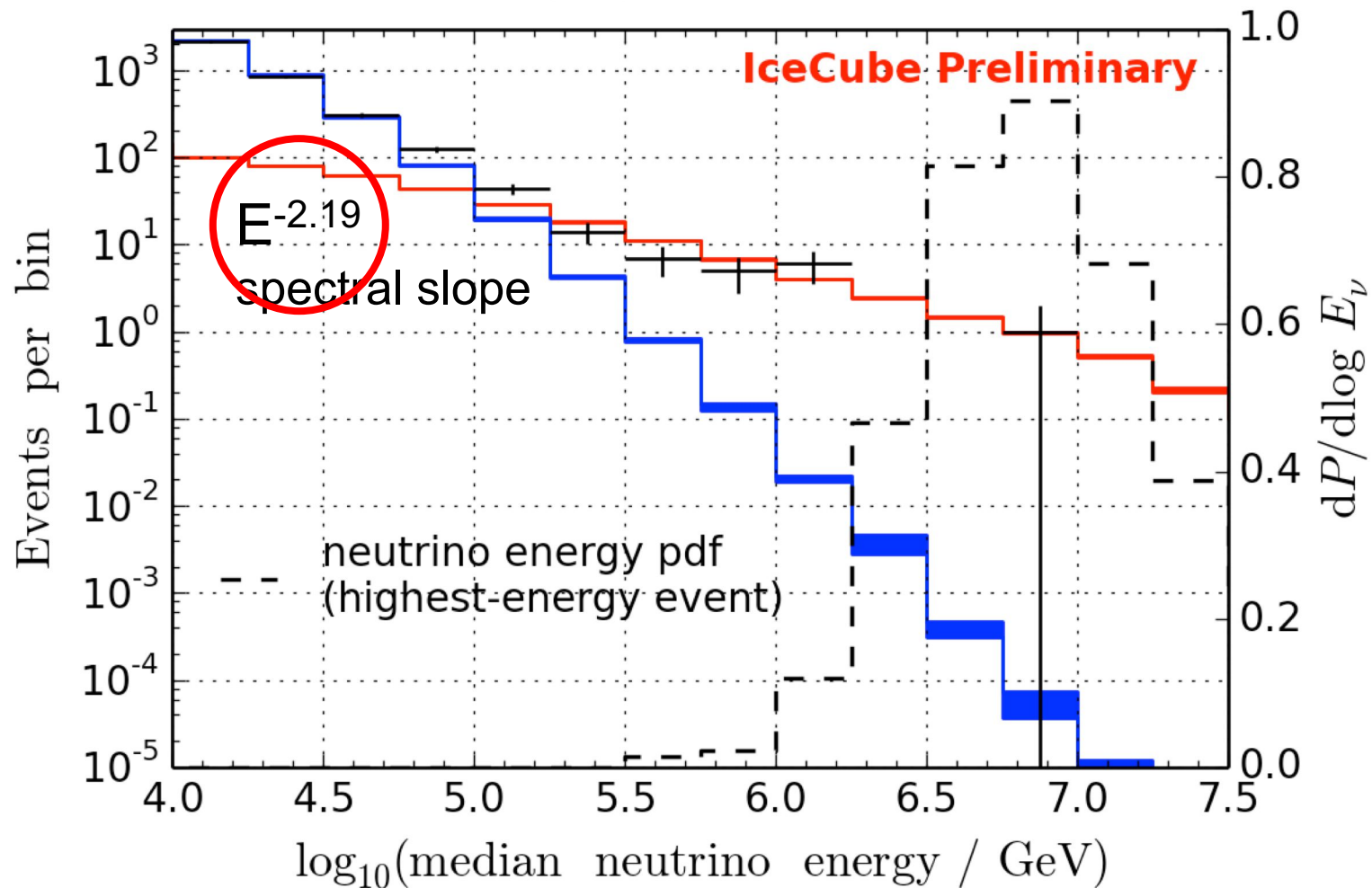
~ 550 cosmic neutrinos in a background of ~340,000 atmospheric
atmospheric background: less than one event/deg²/year

Assuming best-fit power law:

+++ Unfolding

■ Conv. atmospheric $\nu_\mu + \bar{\nu}_\mu$

■ Astrophysical $\nu_\mu + \bar{\nu}_\mu$



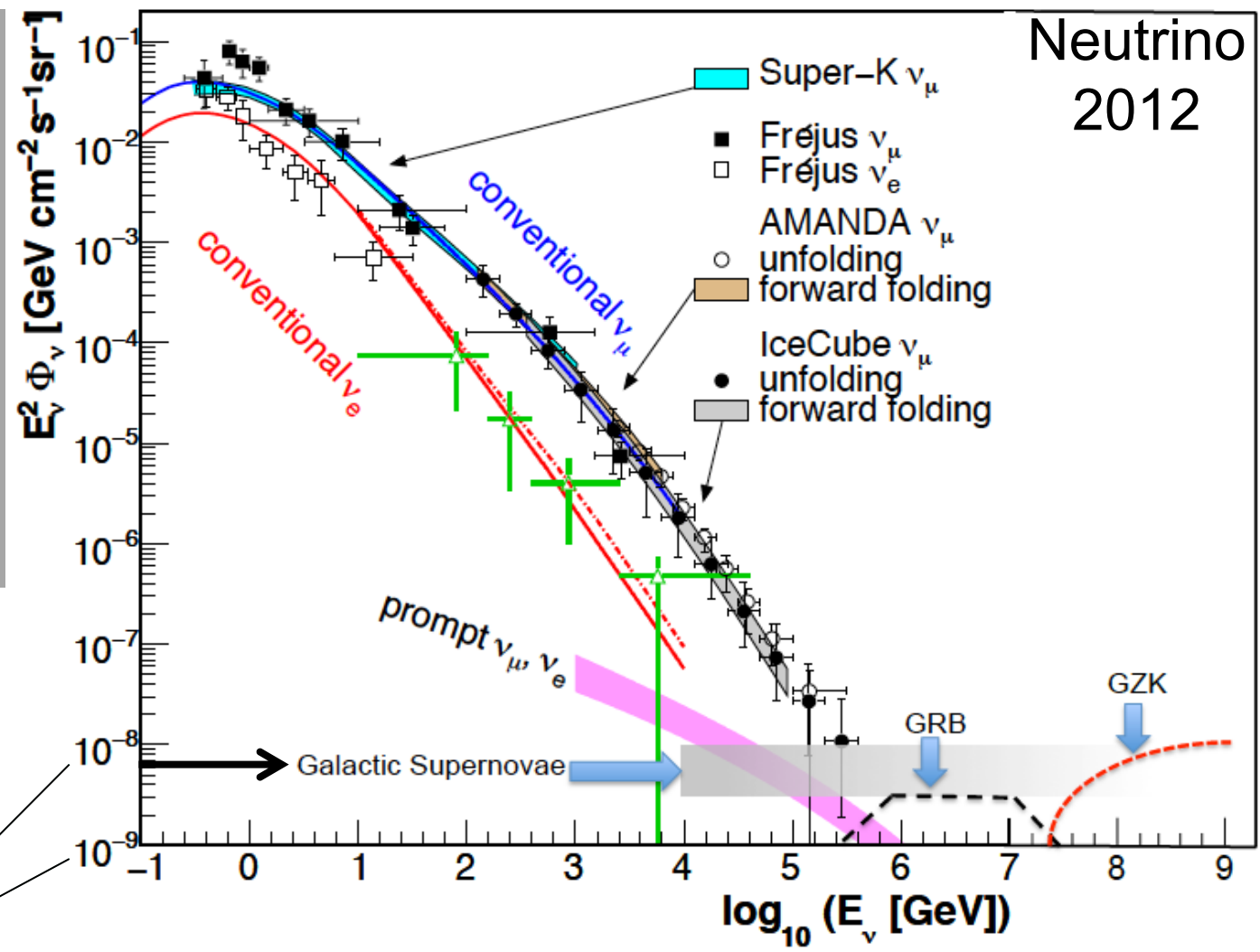
Neutrino 2012

above 100 TeV

- cosmic neutrinos
- atmospheric background disappears

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

10—100 events per year for fully efficient detector

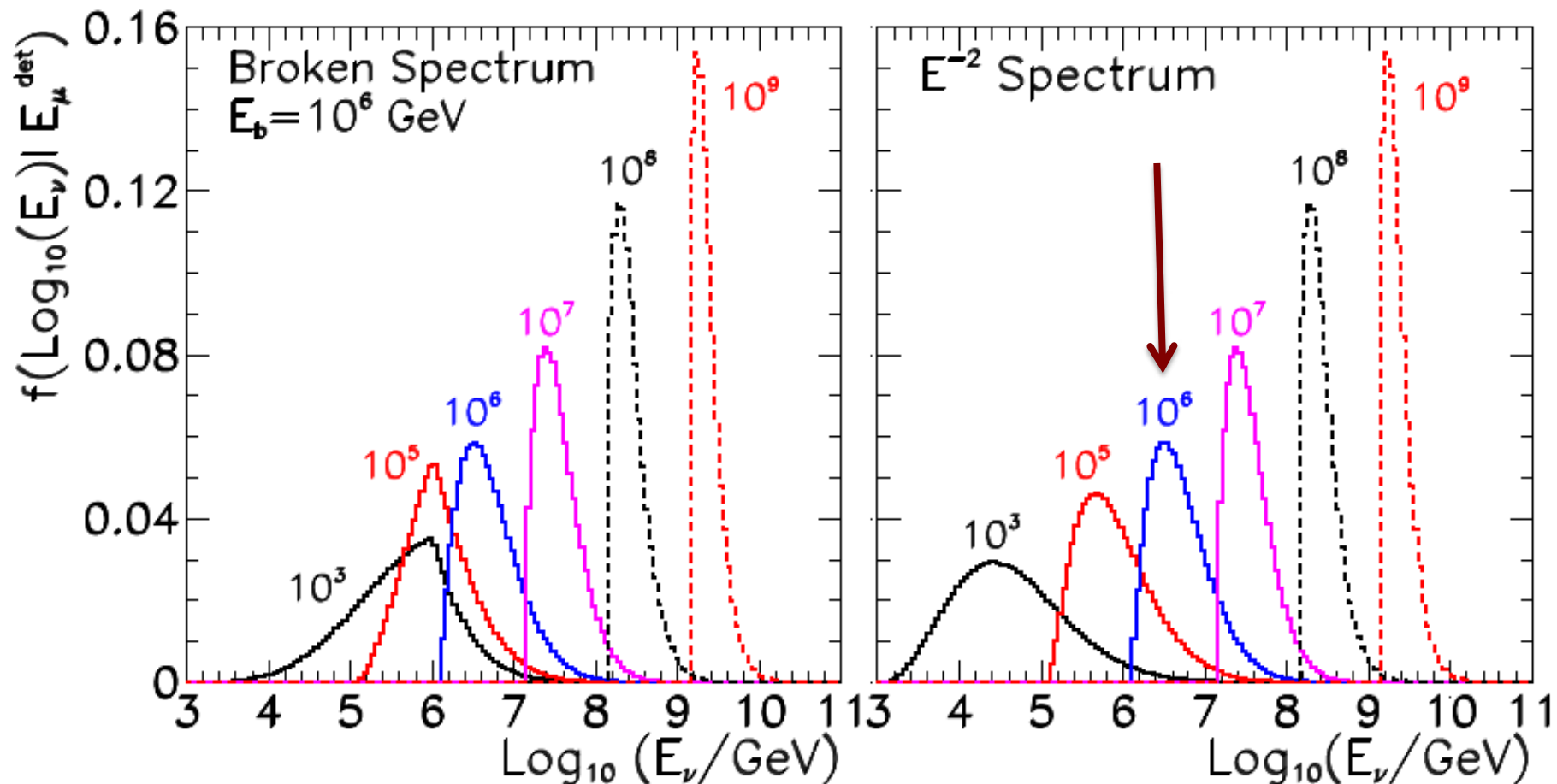


atmospheric

cosmic

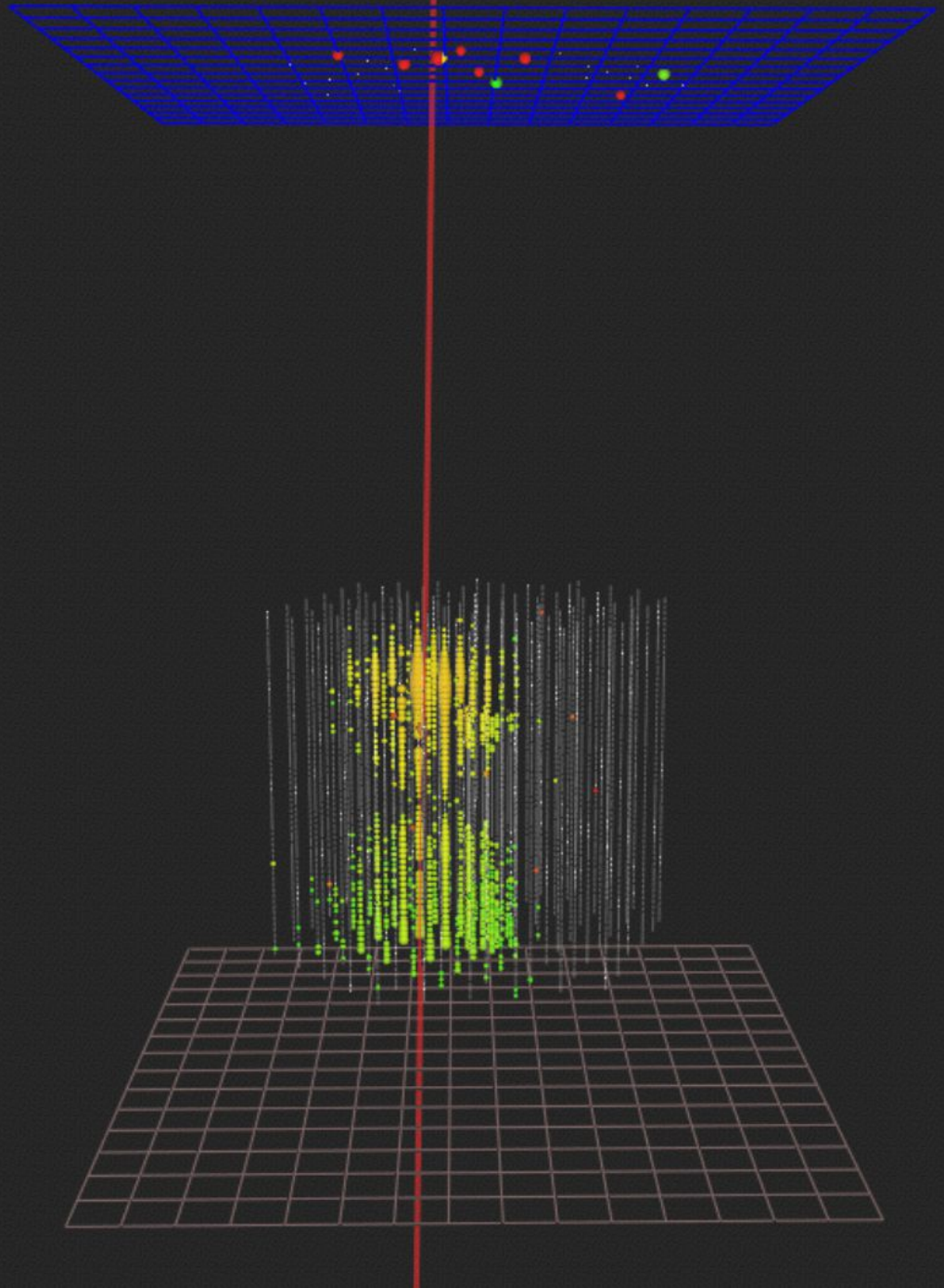
100 TeV

distribution of the parent neutrino energy corresponding to the energy deposited by the secondary muon inside IceCube



430 TeV inside
detector
PeV ν_μ
no air shower

all cosmic
neutrinos are
isolated by
self-veto



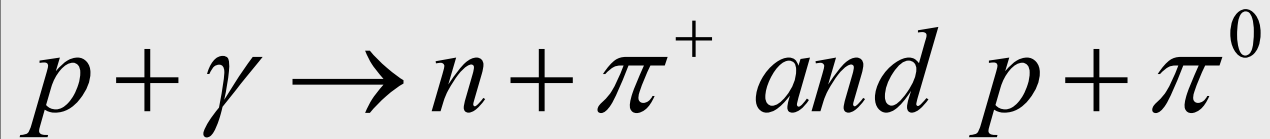


IceCube: the discovery of cosmic neutrinos

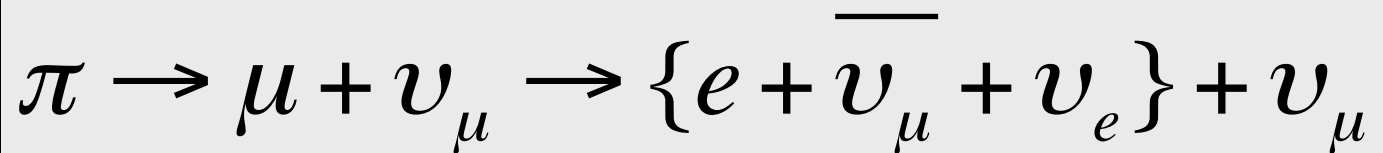
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- cosmogenic neutrinos
- cosmic ray accelerators
- IceCube a discovery instrument
- **the discovery of cosmic neutrinos**
- where do they come from?
- beyond IceCube

cosmic rays interact with the
microwave background



cosmic rays disappear, neutrinos with
EeV (10⁶ TeV) energy appear



1 event per cubic kilometer per year
...but it points at its source!

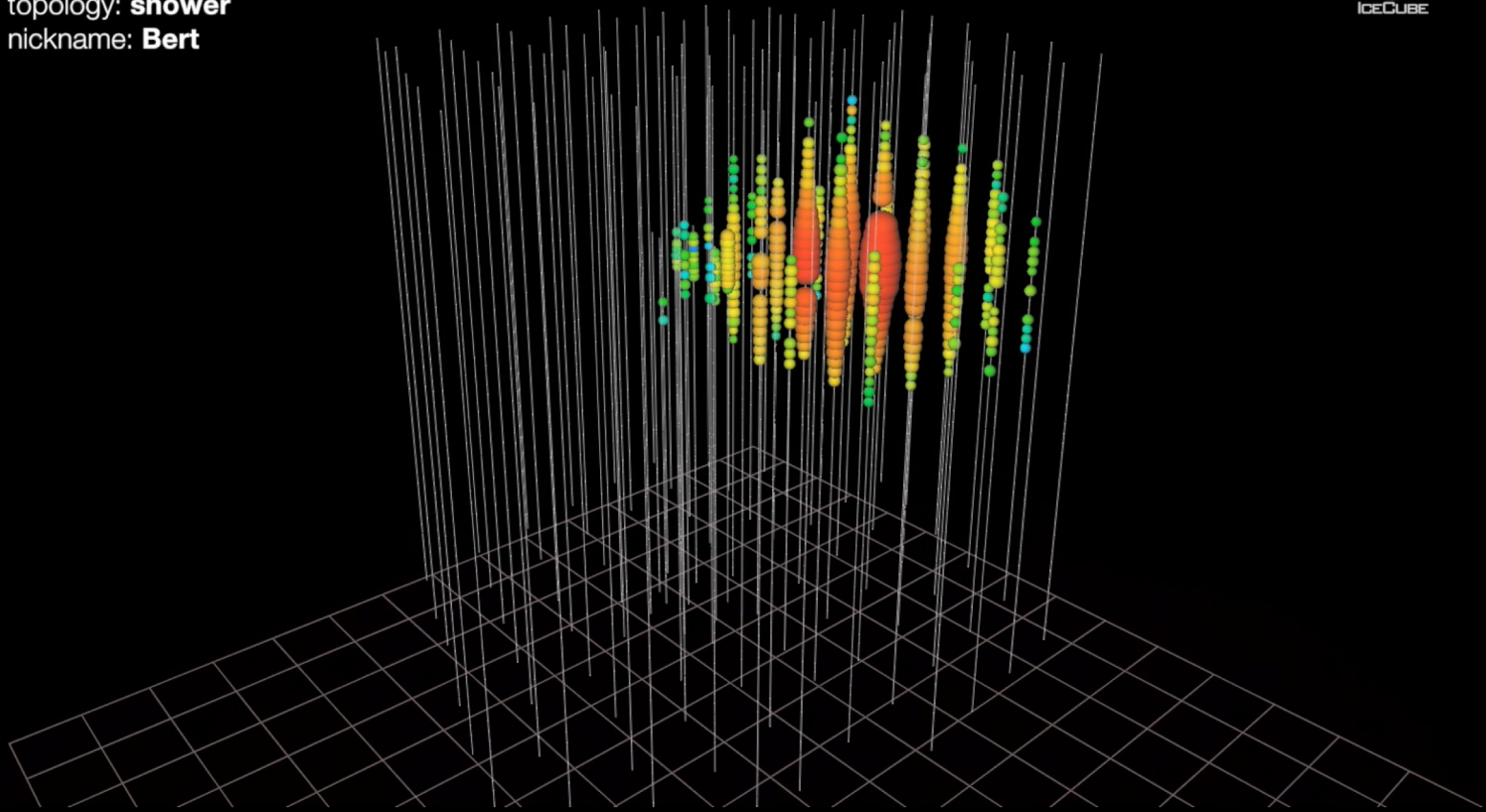
GZK neutrino search: two neutrinos with $> 1,000$ TeV

date: **August 9, 2011**

energy: **1.04 PeV**

topology: **shower**

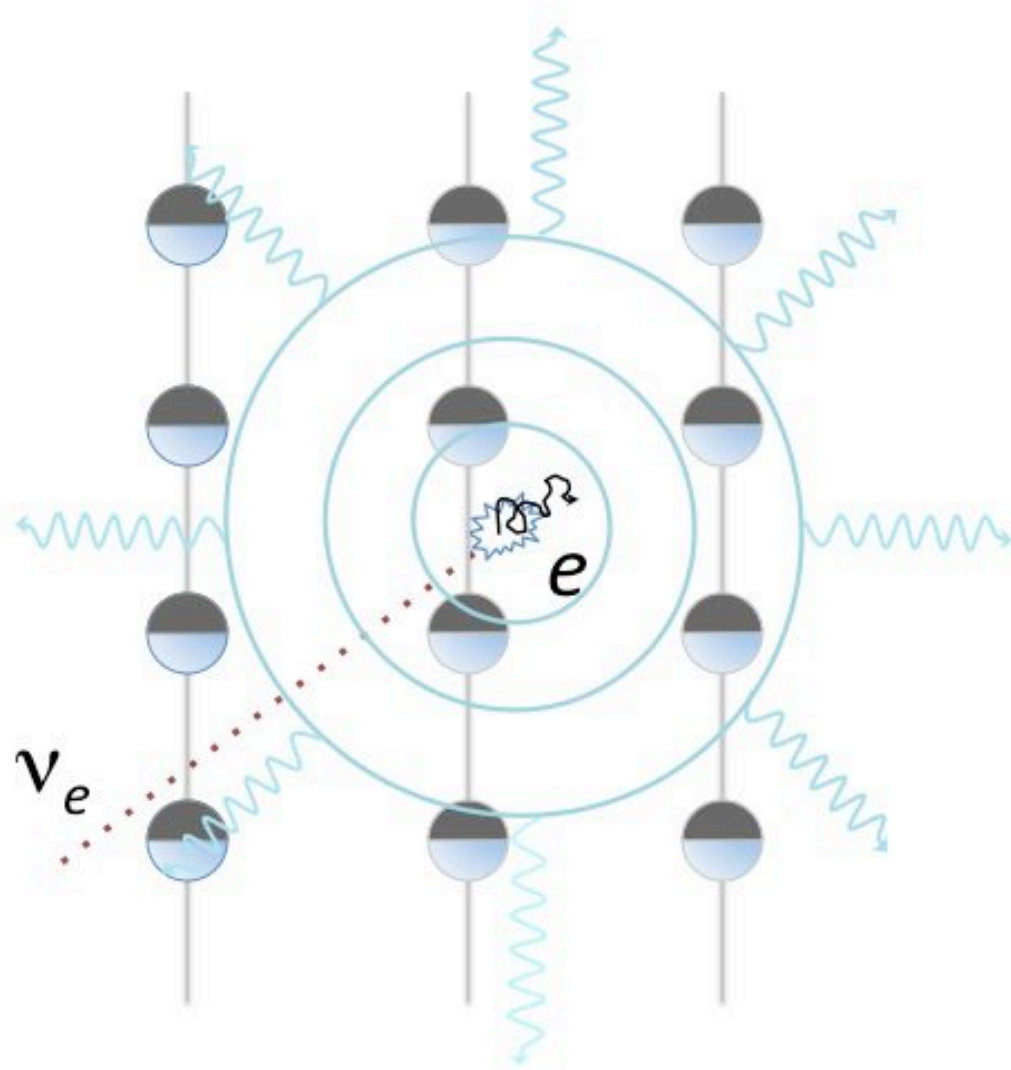
nickname: **Bert**

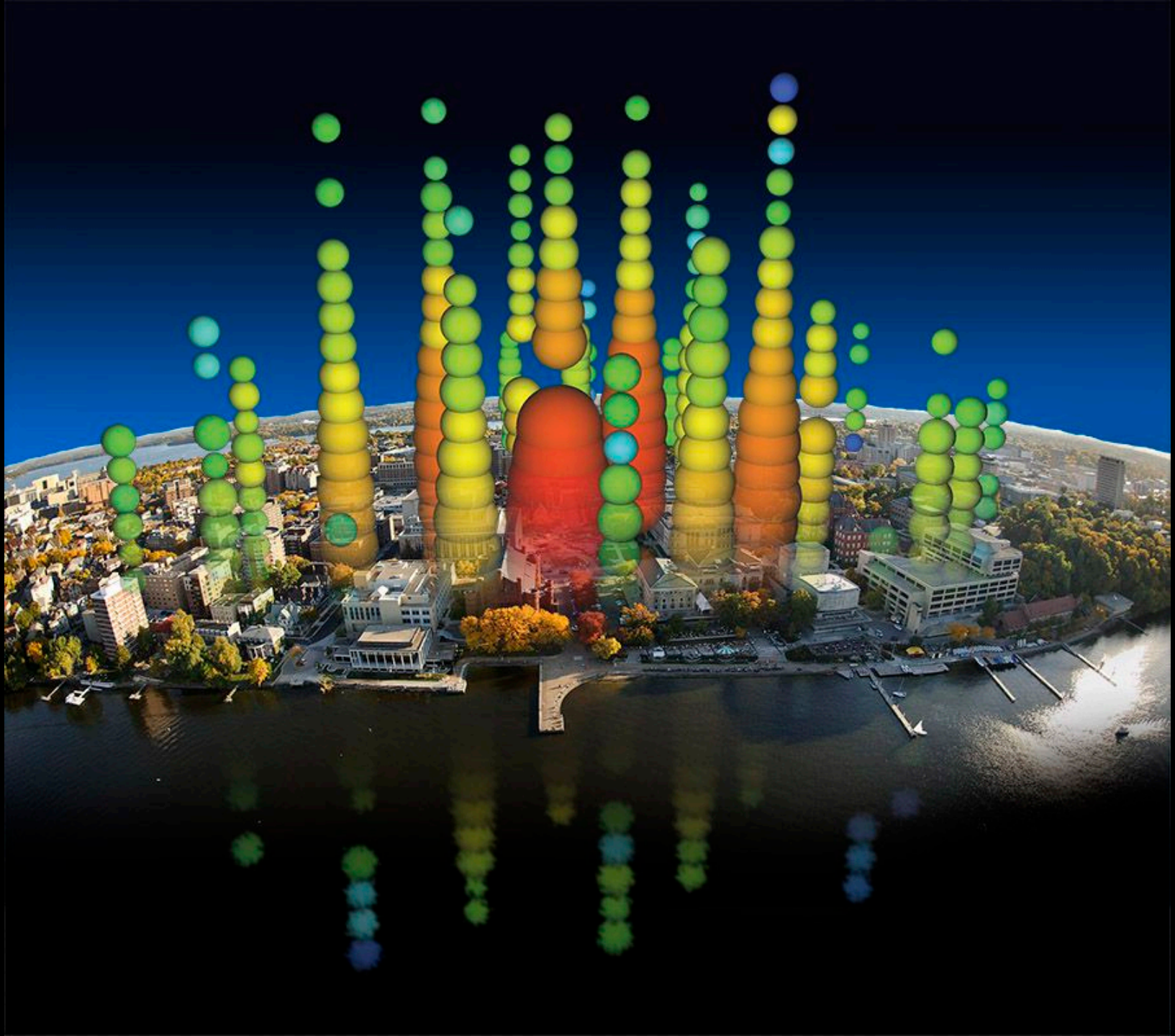


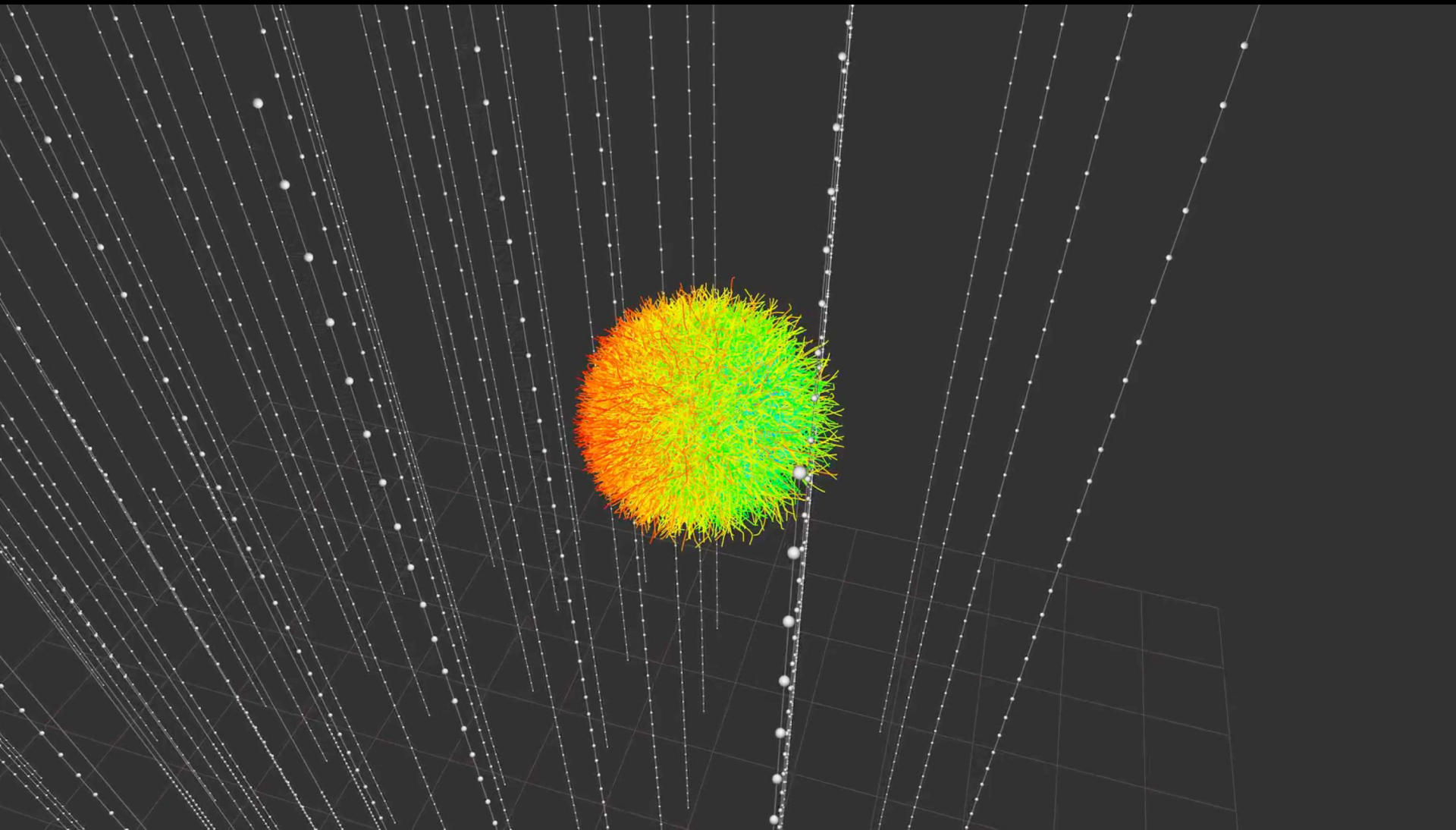
electron showers versus muon tracks

PeV ν_e and ν_τ
showers:

- 10 m long
- volume $\sim 5 \text{ m}^3$
- isotropic after 25~50 m

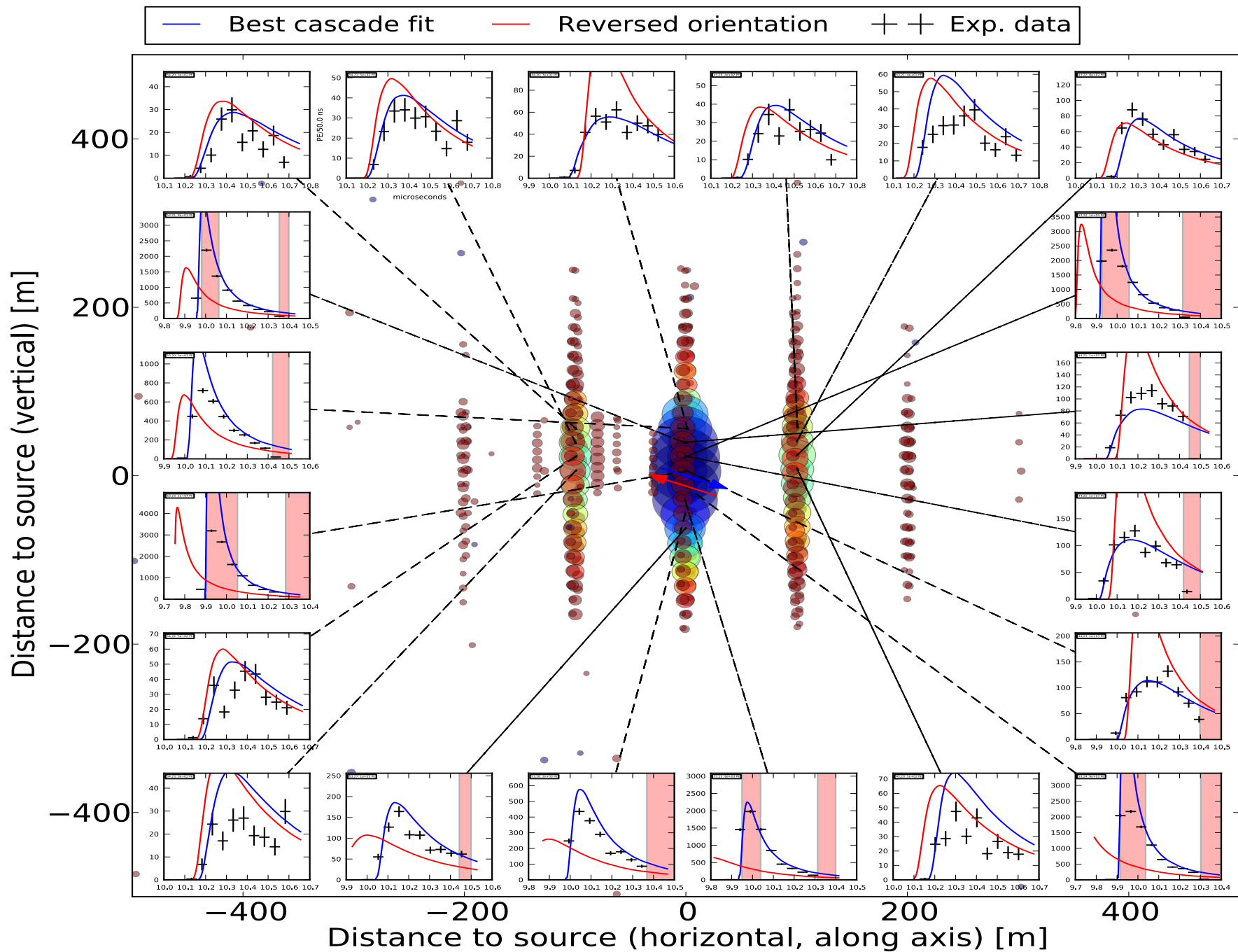




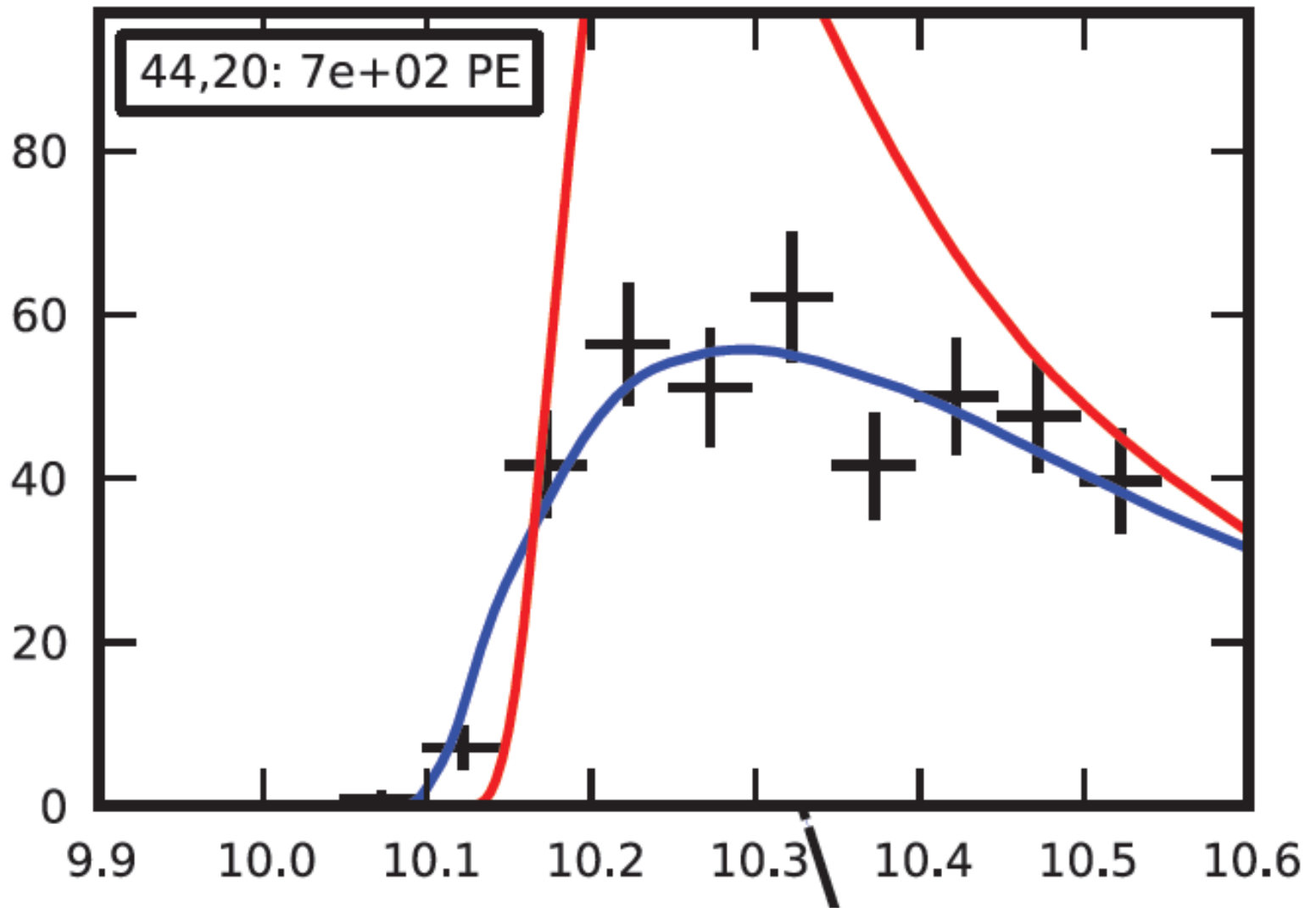


size = energy

color = time = direction



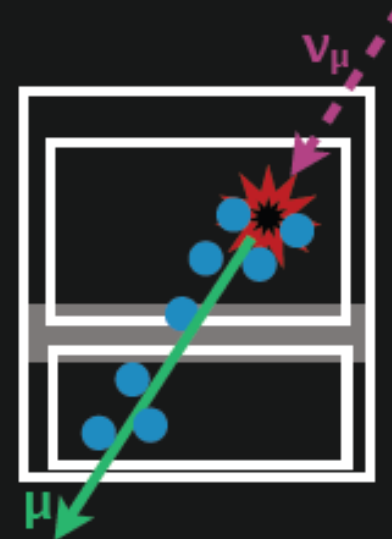
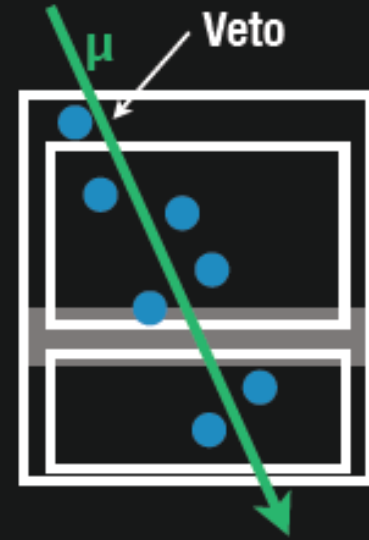
reconstruction limited by computing, not ice !



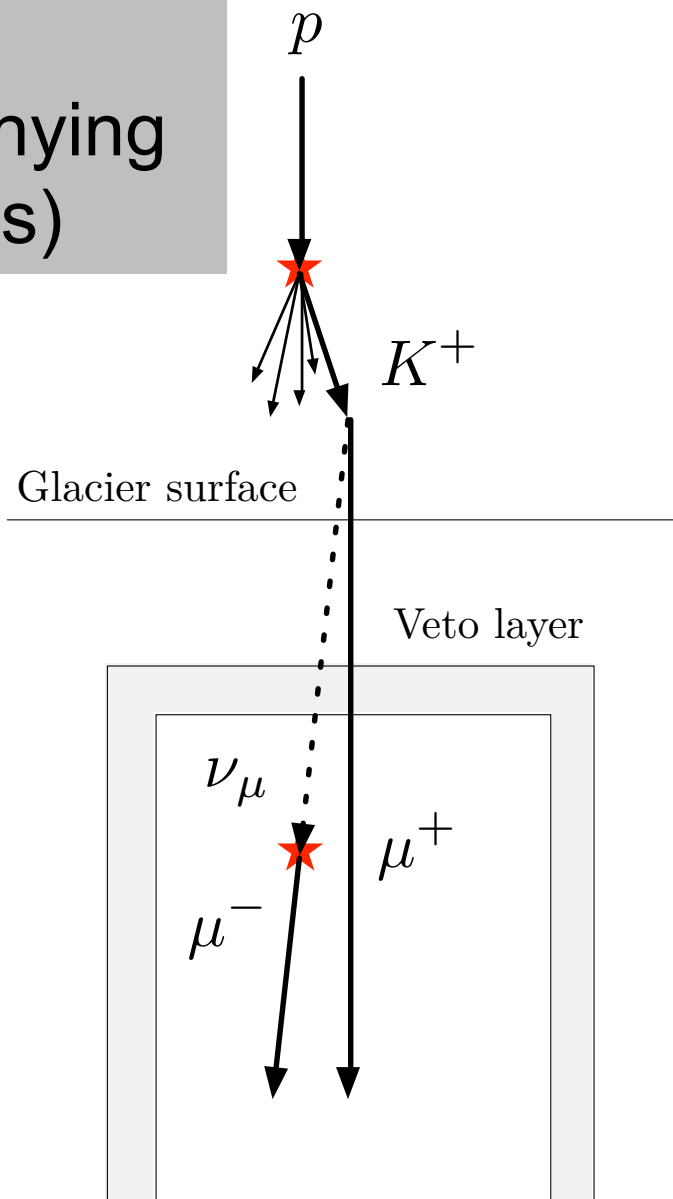
Blue: best-fit direction, red: reversed direction

events starting inside the detector

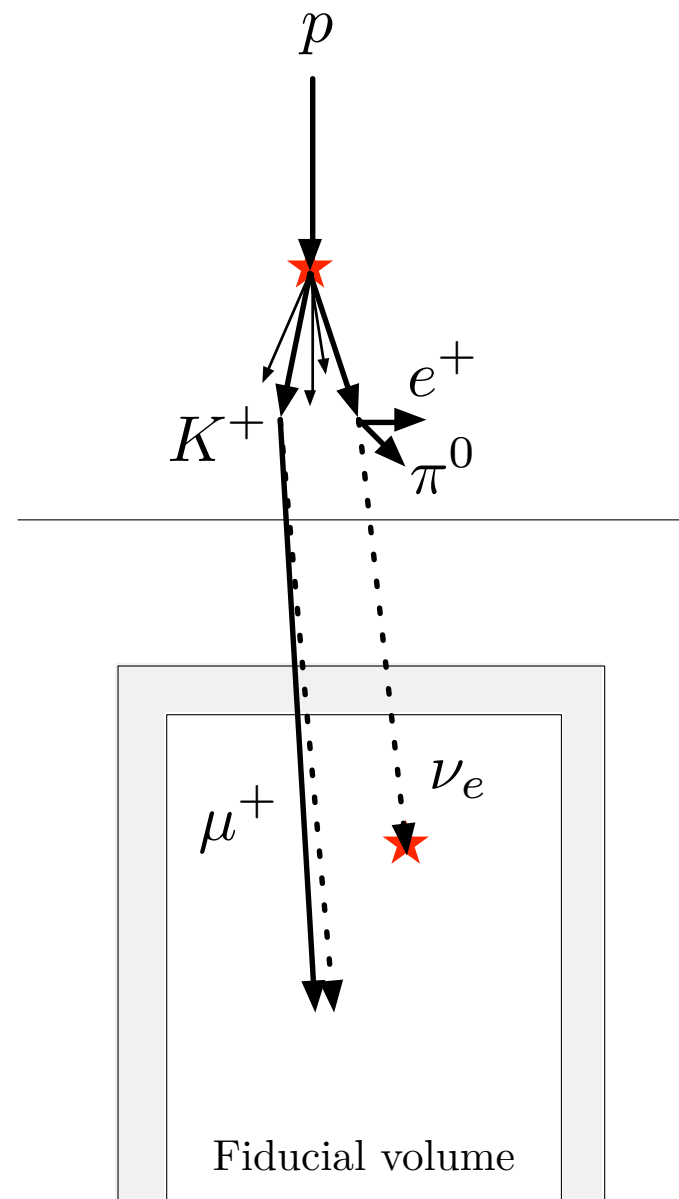
- ✓ select events interacting inside the detector only
- ✓ no light in the veto region
- ✓ veto for *atmospheric* neutrinos (which are typically accompanied by muons)
- ✓ energy measurement: total absorption calorimetry



no
accompanying
muon(s)

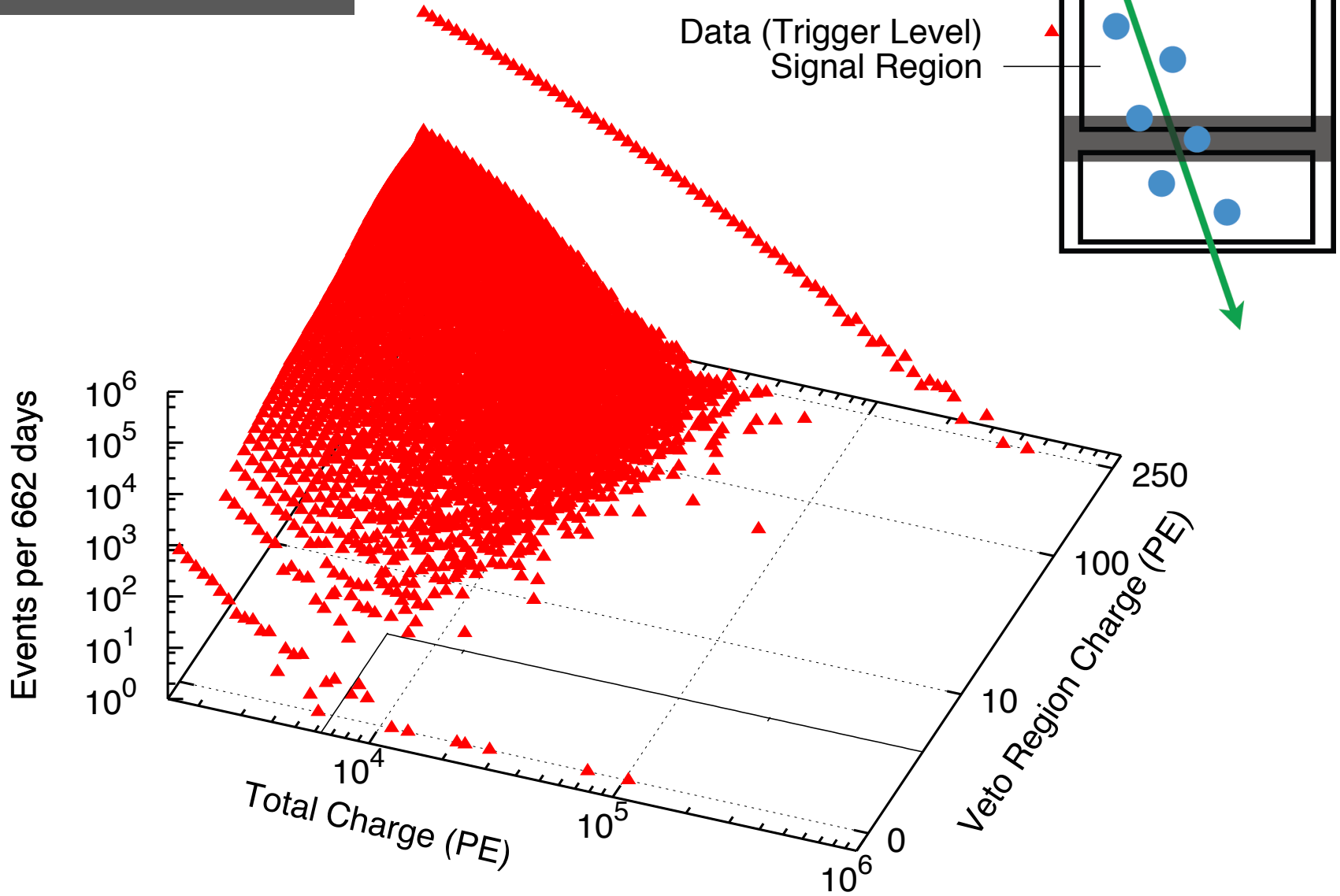


Veto by correlated muon



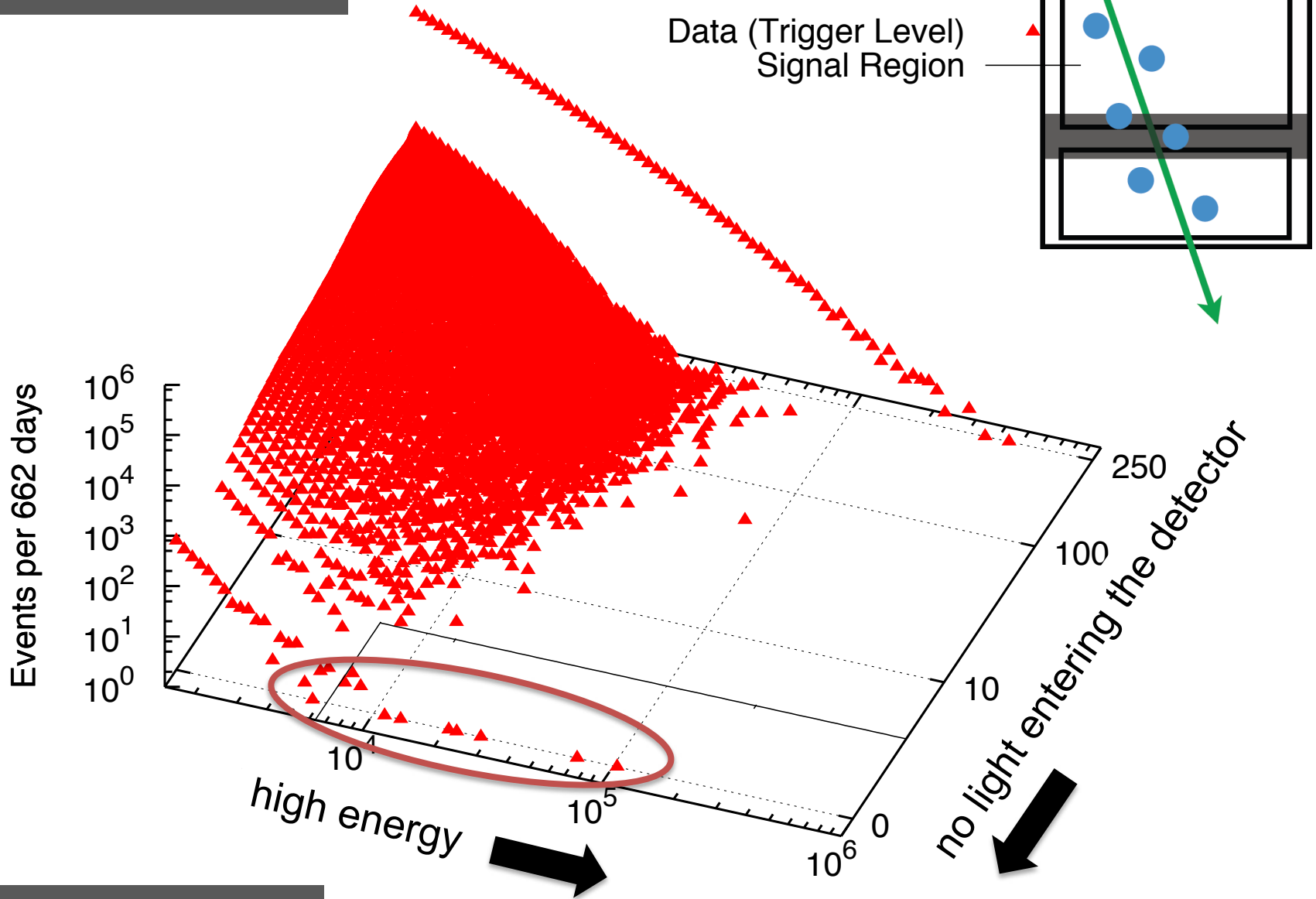
Veto by uncorrelated muon

...and then there were 26 more...



data: 86 strings one year

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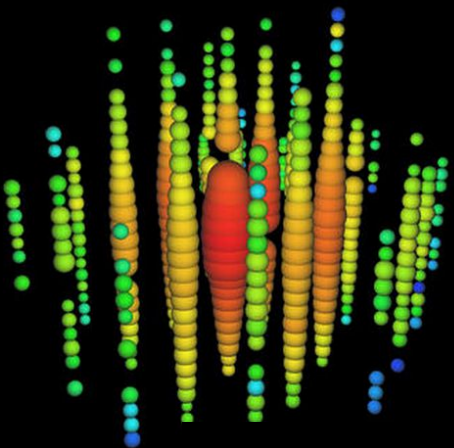
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RESEARCH

Evidence for High-Energy Extraterrestrial Neutrinos at the IceCube Detector

IceCube Collaboration*

Introduction: Neutrino observations are a unique probe of the universe's highest energy

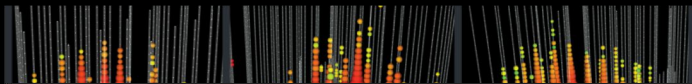
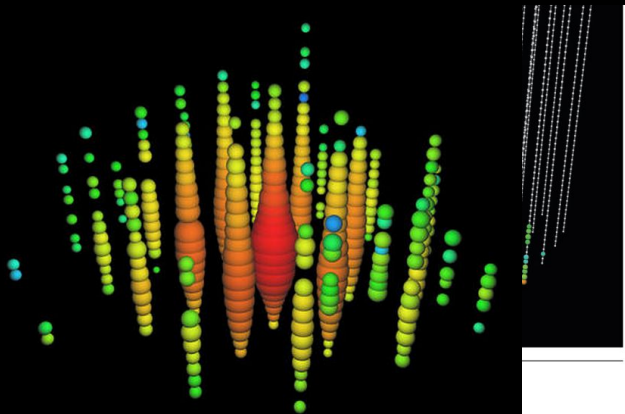
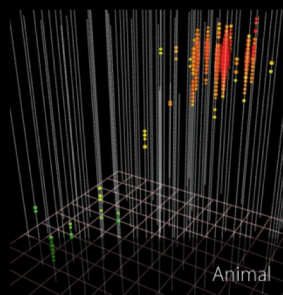
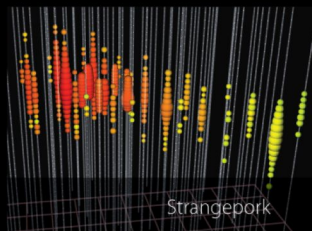


...tified high-energy galactic or accelerators.

A 250 TeV neutrino interaction in interaction point (bottom), a large with a muon produced in the interac left. The direction of the muon indi original neutrino.

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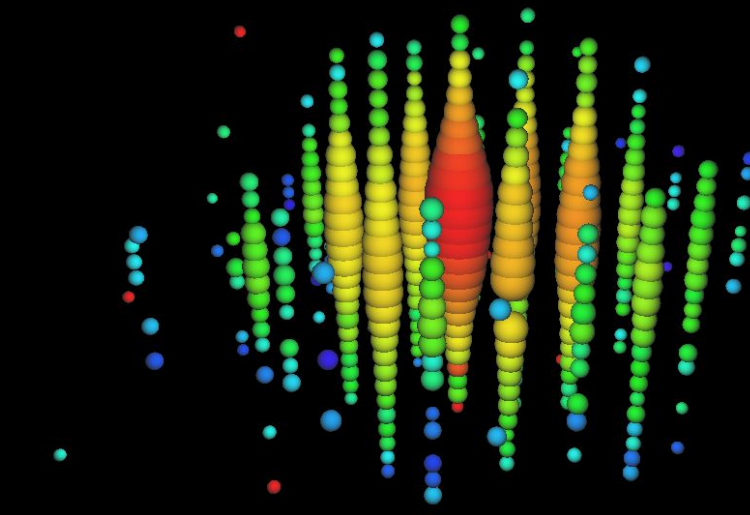
28 High Energy Events



22 November 2013 | \$10

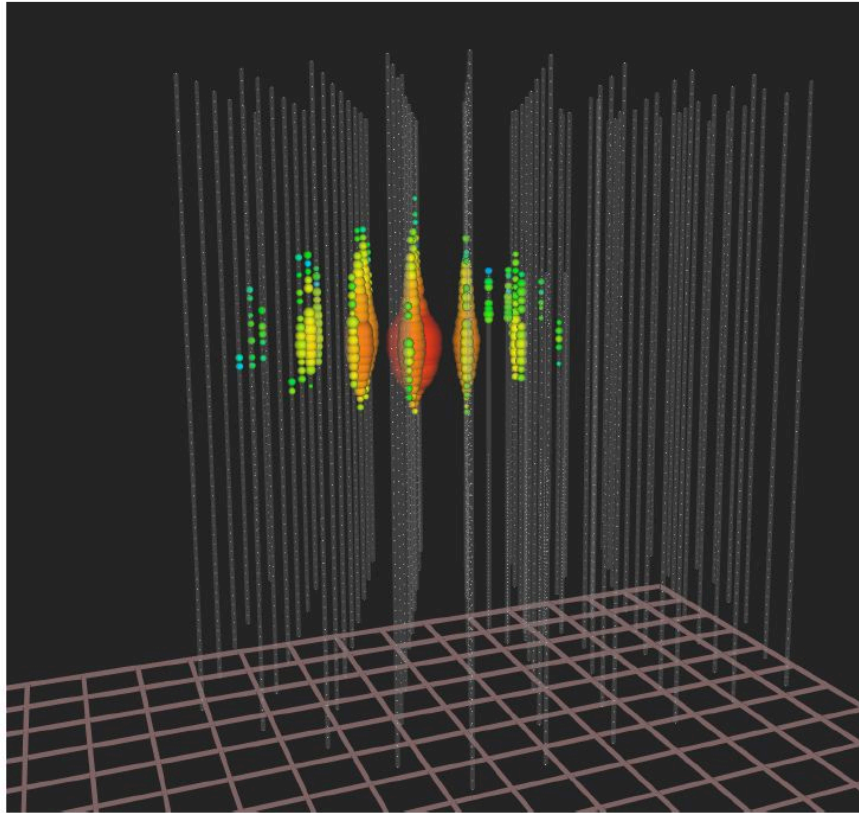
Science

doubled the data since 2013

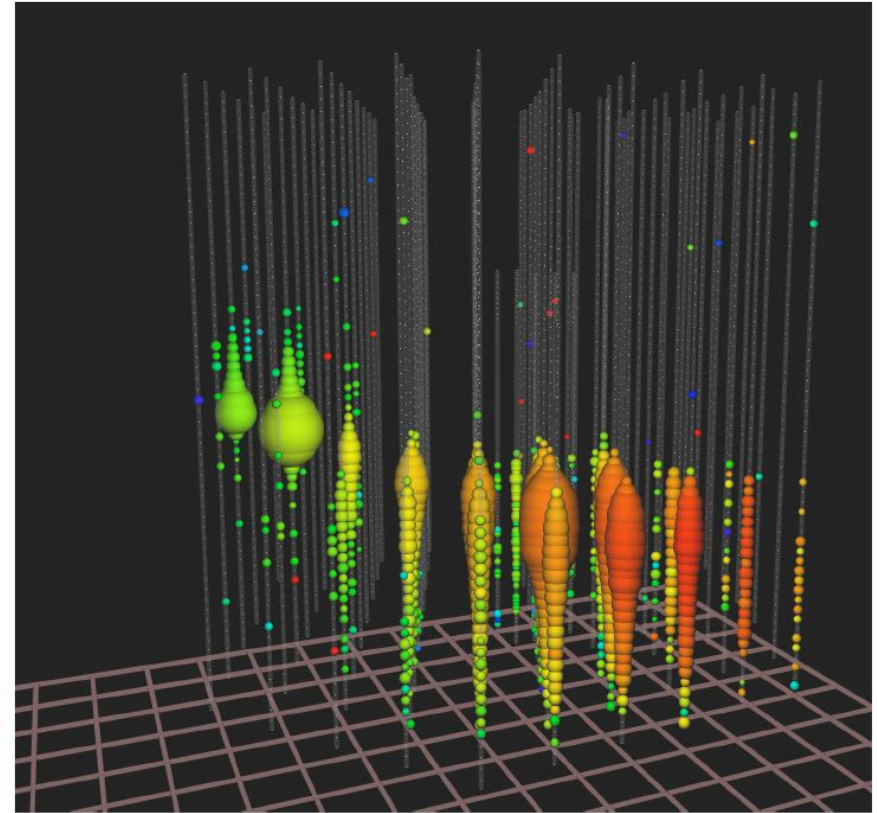


2004 TeV event in year 3

neutrinos interacting
inside the detector



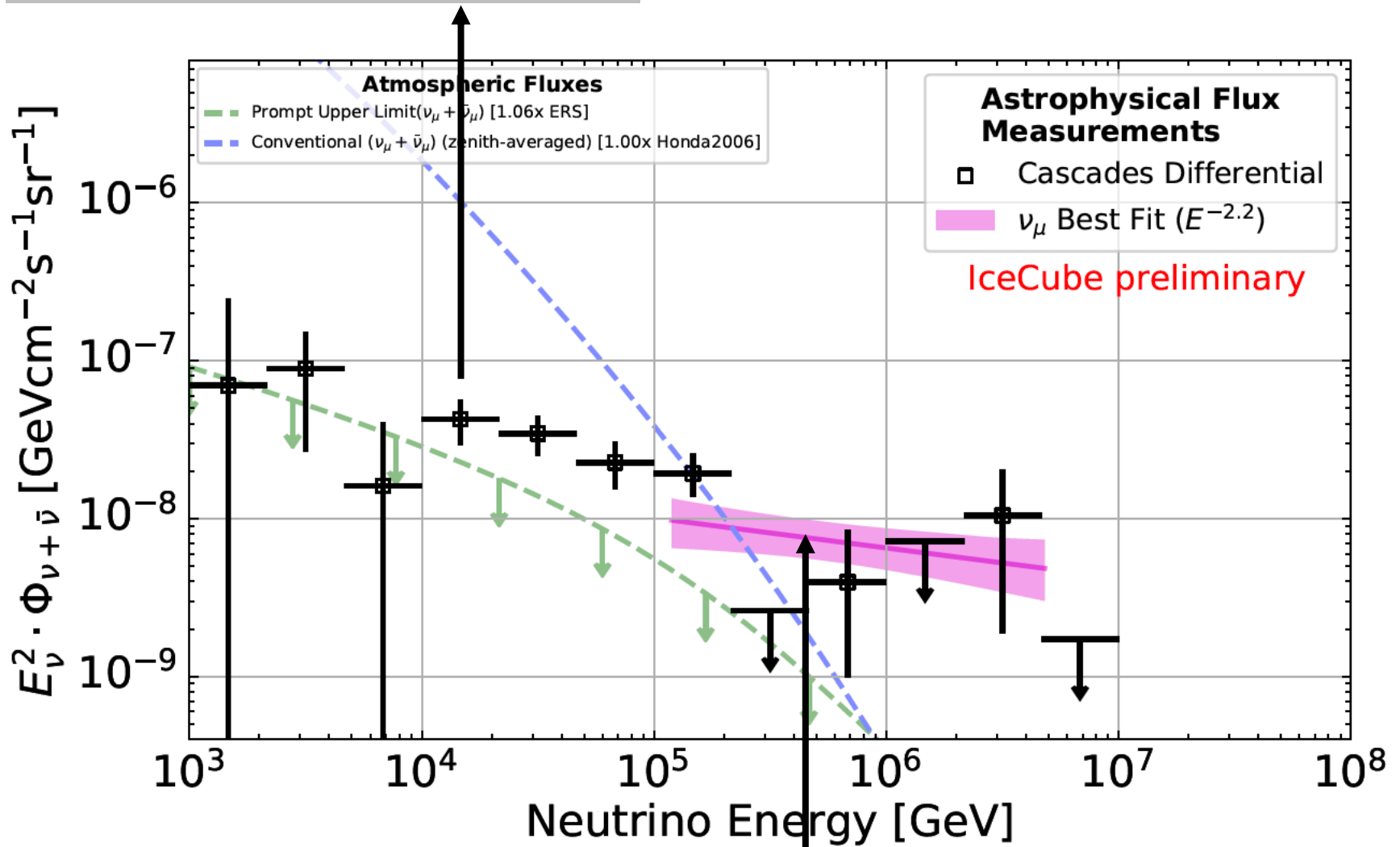
muon neutrinos
filtered by the Earth



total energy measurement
all flavors, all sky

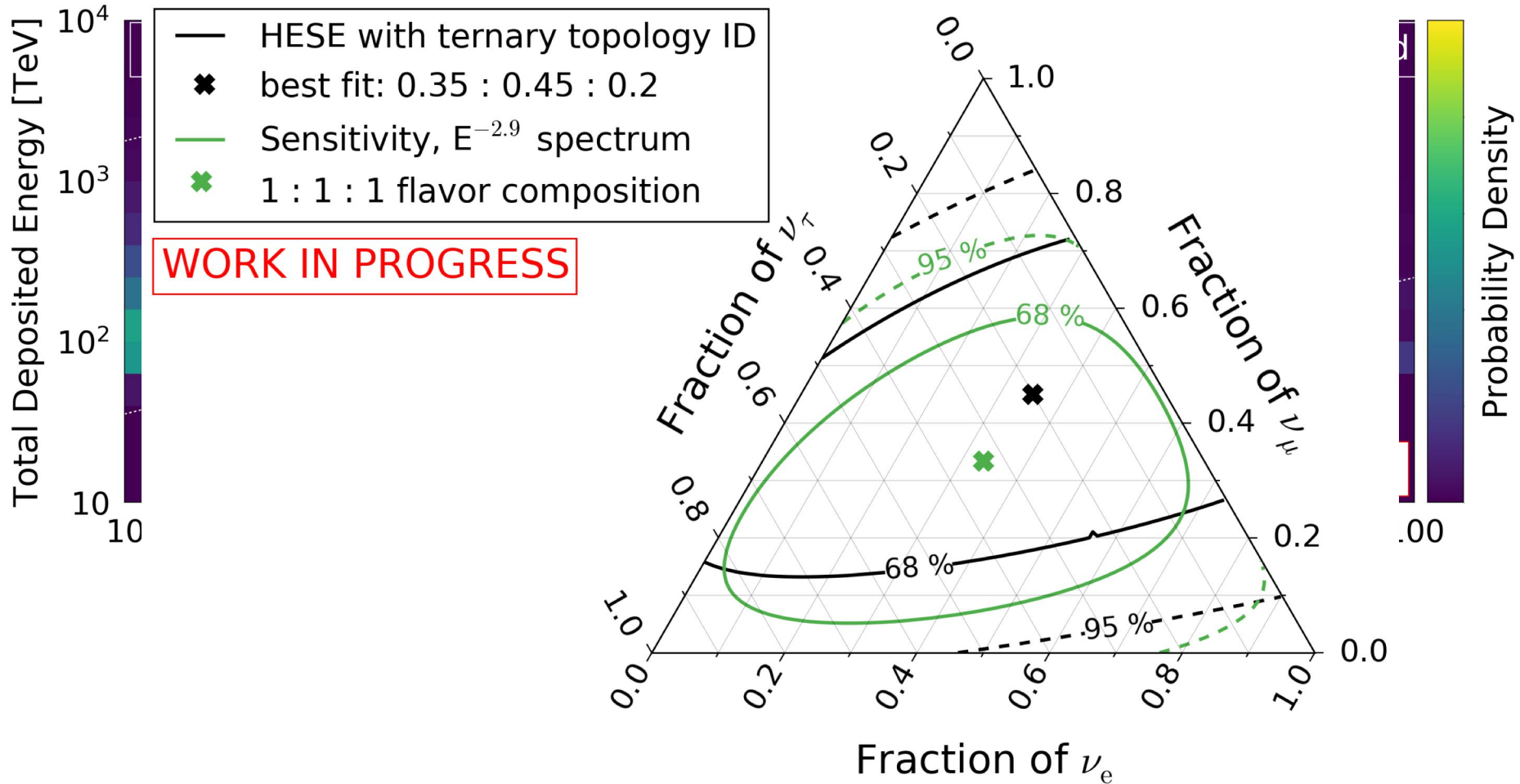
astronomy: angular resolution
superior ($<0.4^\circ$)

electron and tau neutrinos



muon neutrinos

high-energy starting events – 7.5 yr

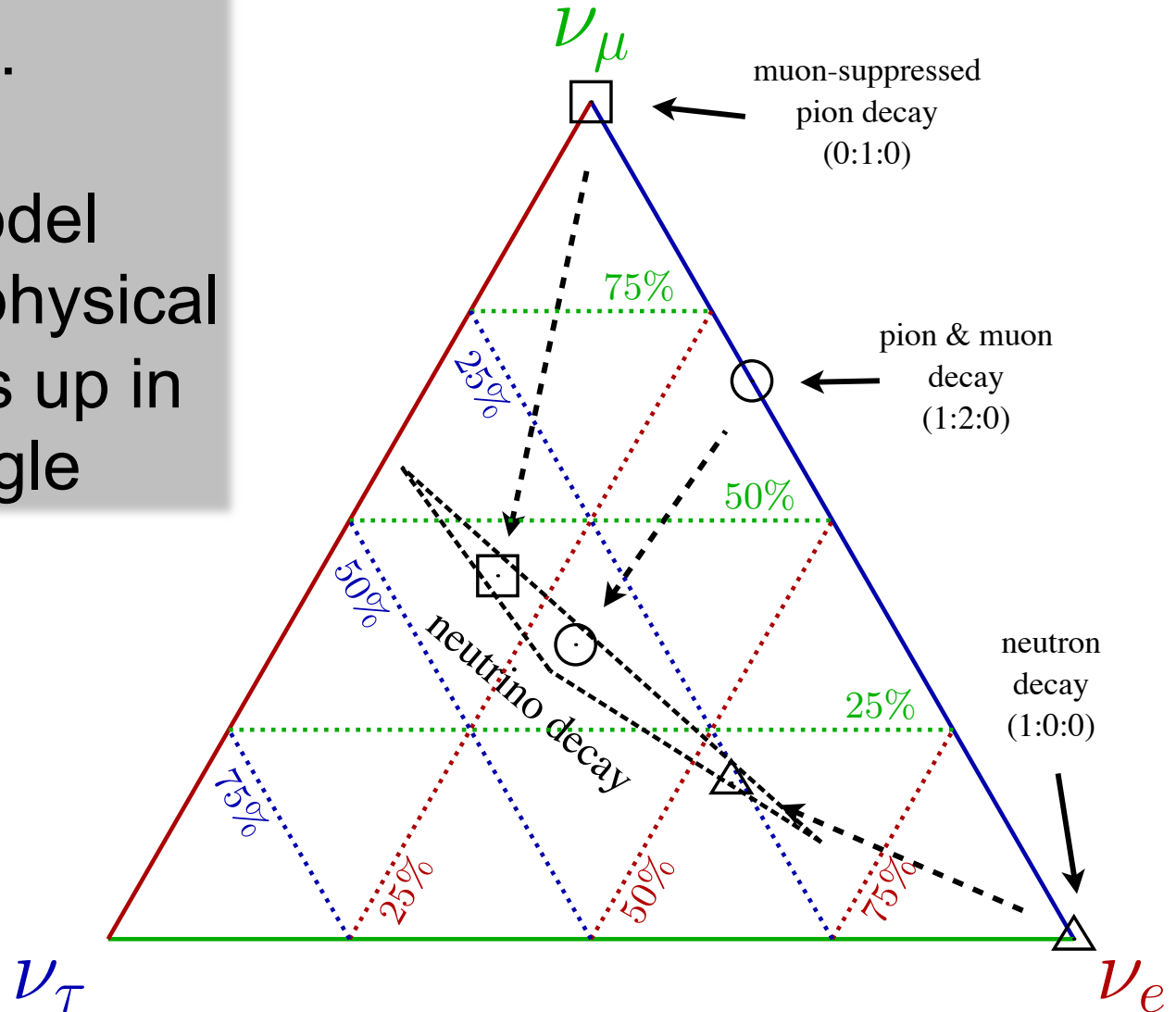


oscillations of PeV neutrinos over cosmic distances to 1:1:1

new physics ?

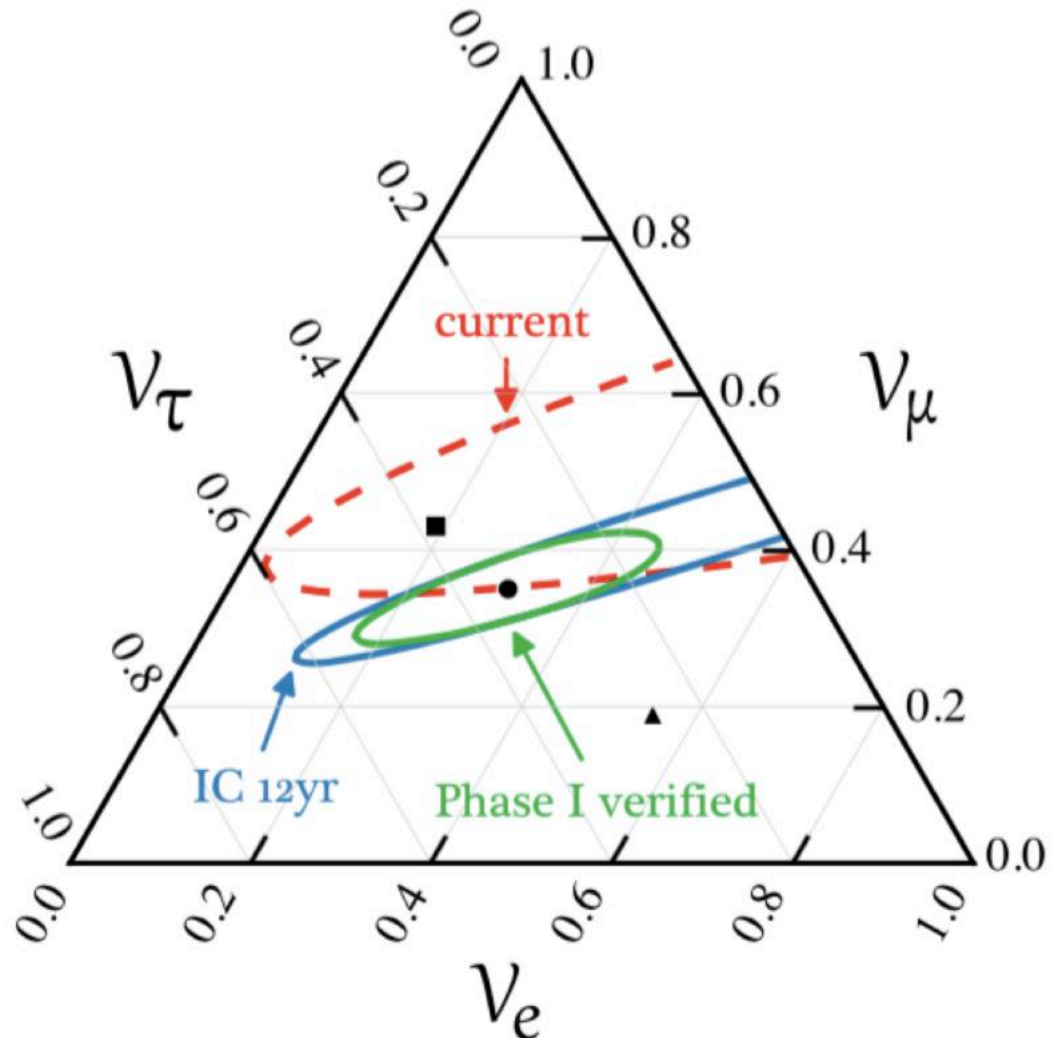
if not...

every model
for the astrophysical
source ends up in
the triangle



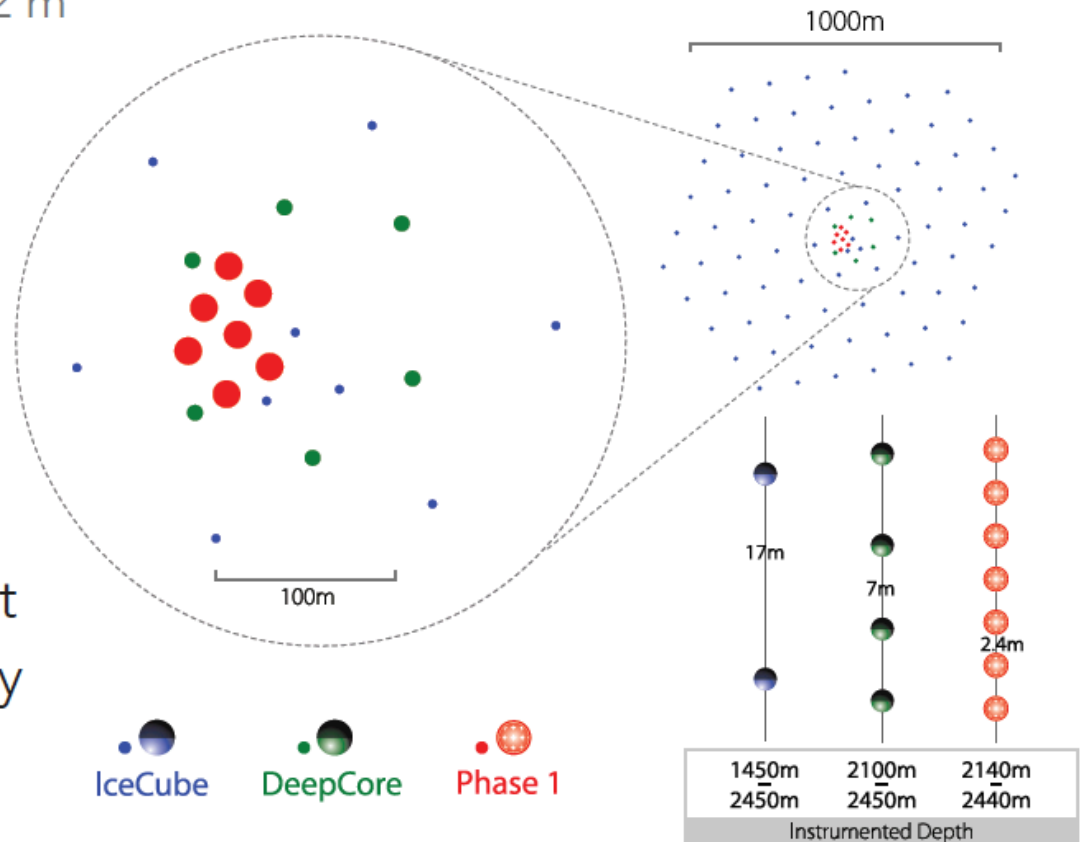
ongoing upgrade:
2022 deployment

- neutrino oscillation at PeV energy
- nutau: test of the 3-neutrino scenario
- neutrino physics BSM
- IceCube Gen2 pathfinder



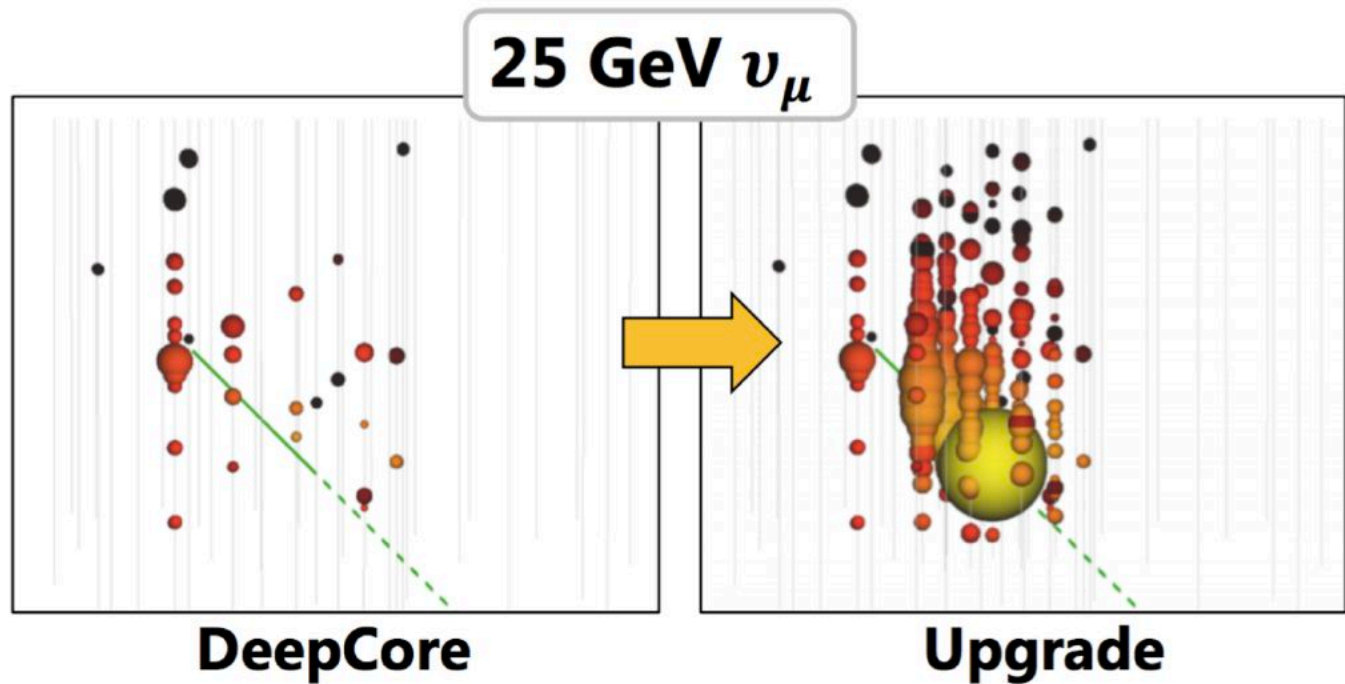
Next Step: the IceCube Upgrade (2022)

- Seven new strings of multi-PMT mDOMs in the DeepCore region
 - Inter-string spacing of ~ 22 m
- Suite of new calibration devices to boost IceCube calibration initiatives
- Improve scientific capabilities of IceCube at both high and low energy



→ recalibration IceCube to reach 0.1° degree ang.res.

Low energy neutrinos in the Upgrade





neutrino astronomy

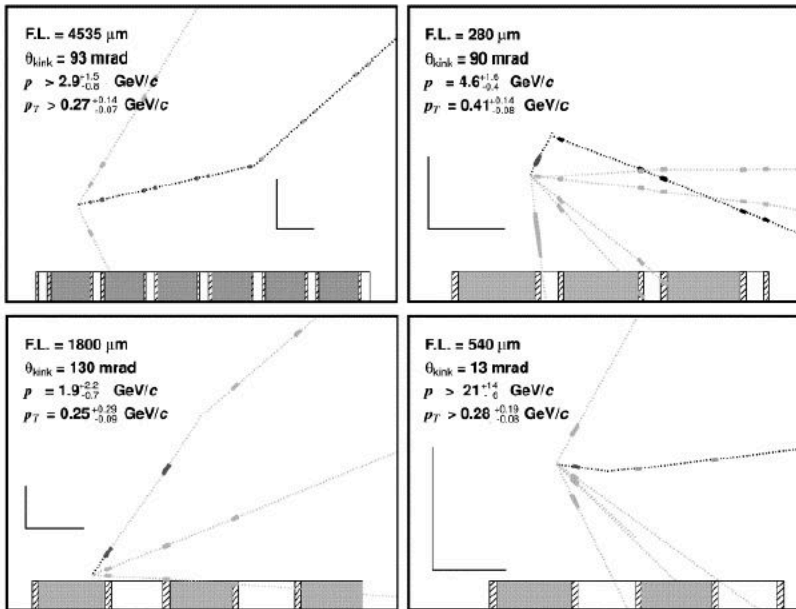
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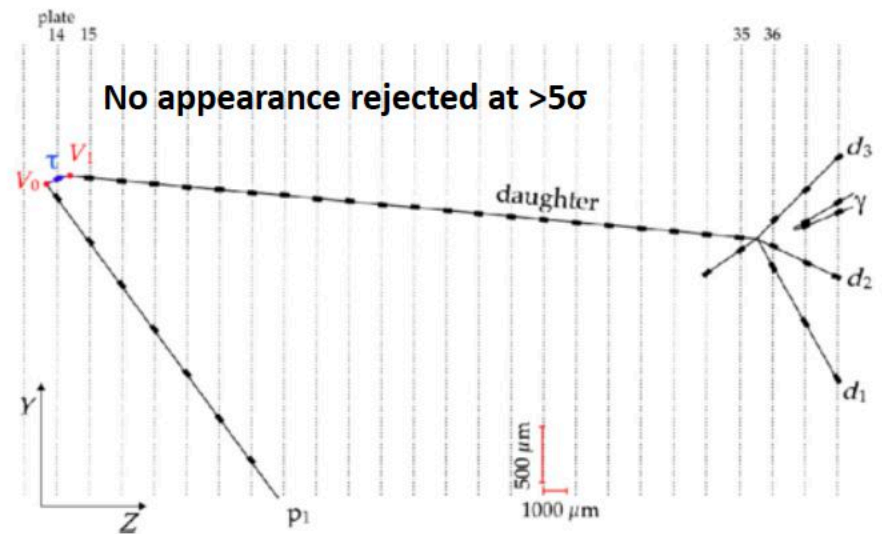
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tau neutrinos at Fermilab-- DONUT

DONUT: charmed mesons (no oscillation) and emulsion

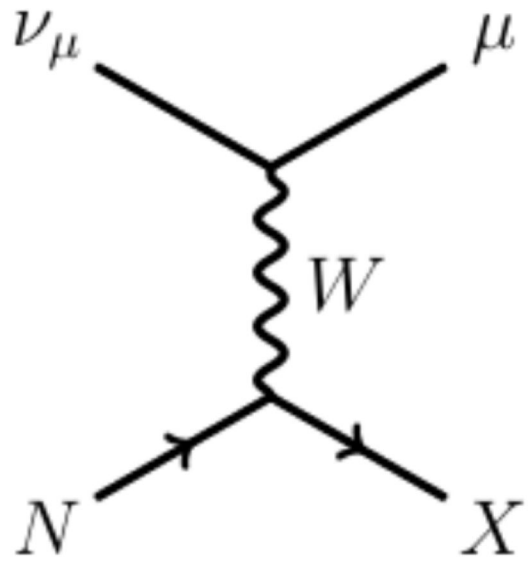


OPERA: oscillation (appearance from CNGS muon neutrino beam) and emulsion

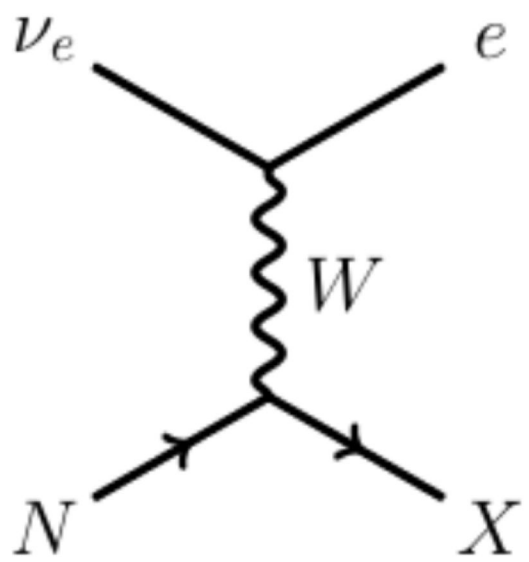
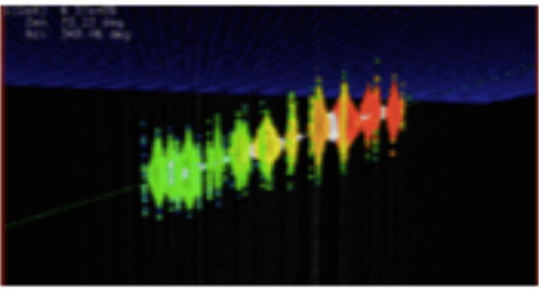


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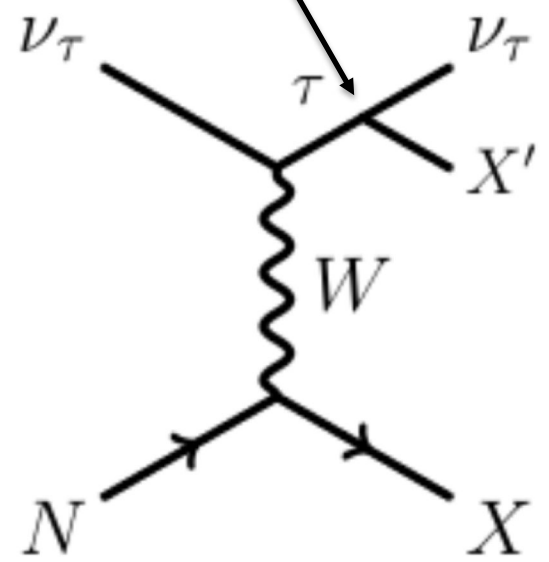
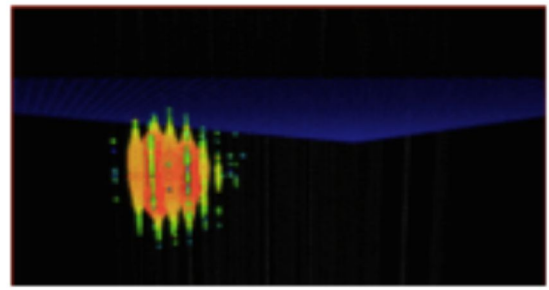
tau decay length:
50m per PeV



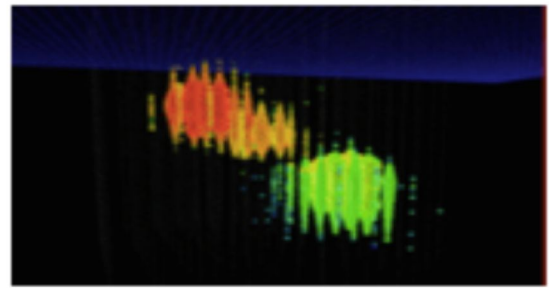
track



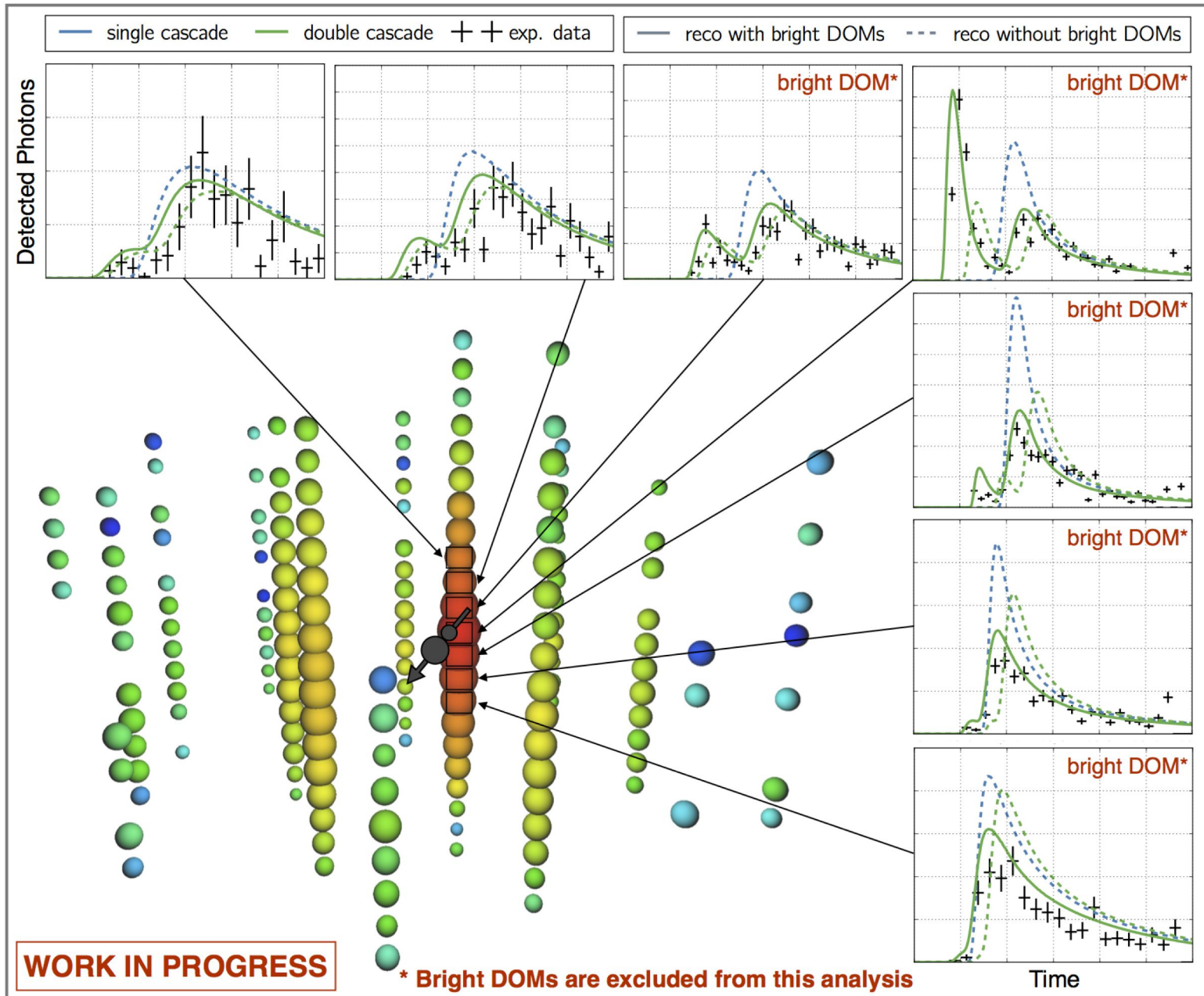
shower



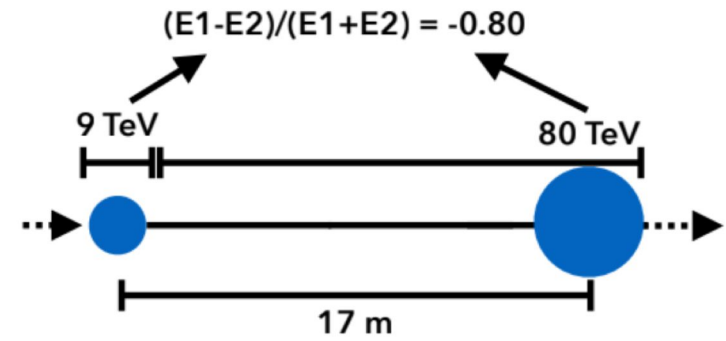
double bang*



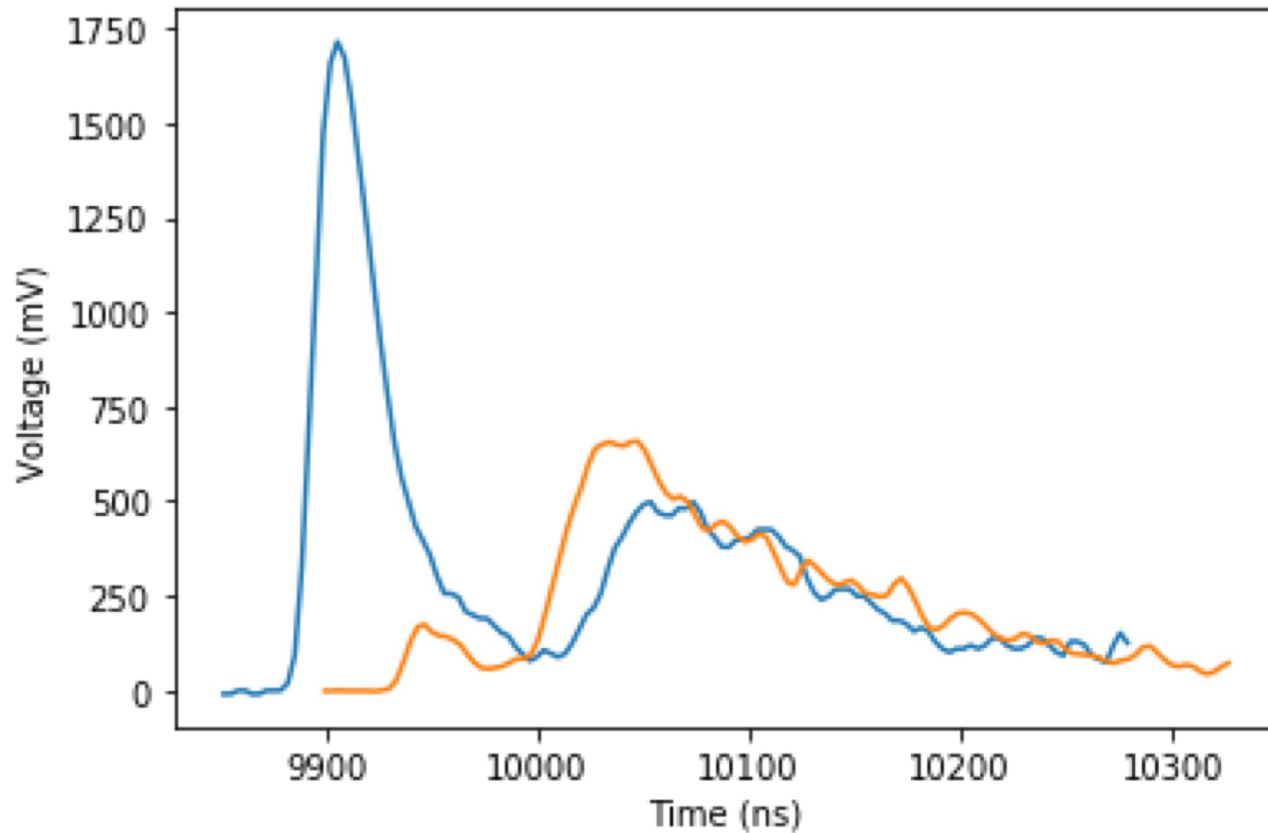
a cosmic tau neutrino: livetime 17m



event found in 3 different analyses



2014 Event





neutrino astronomy

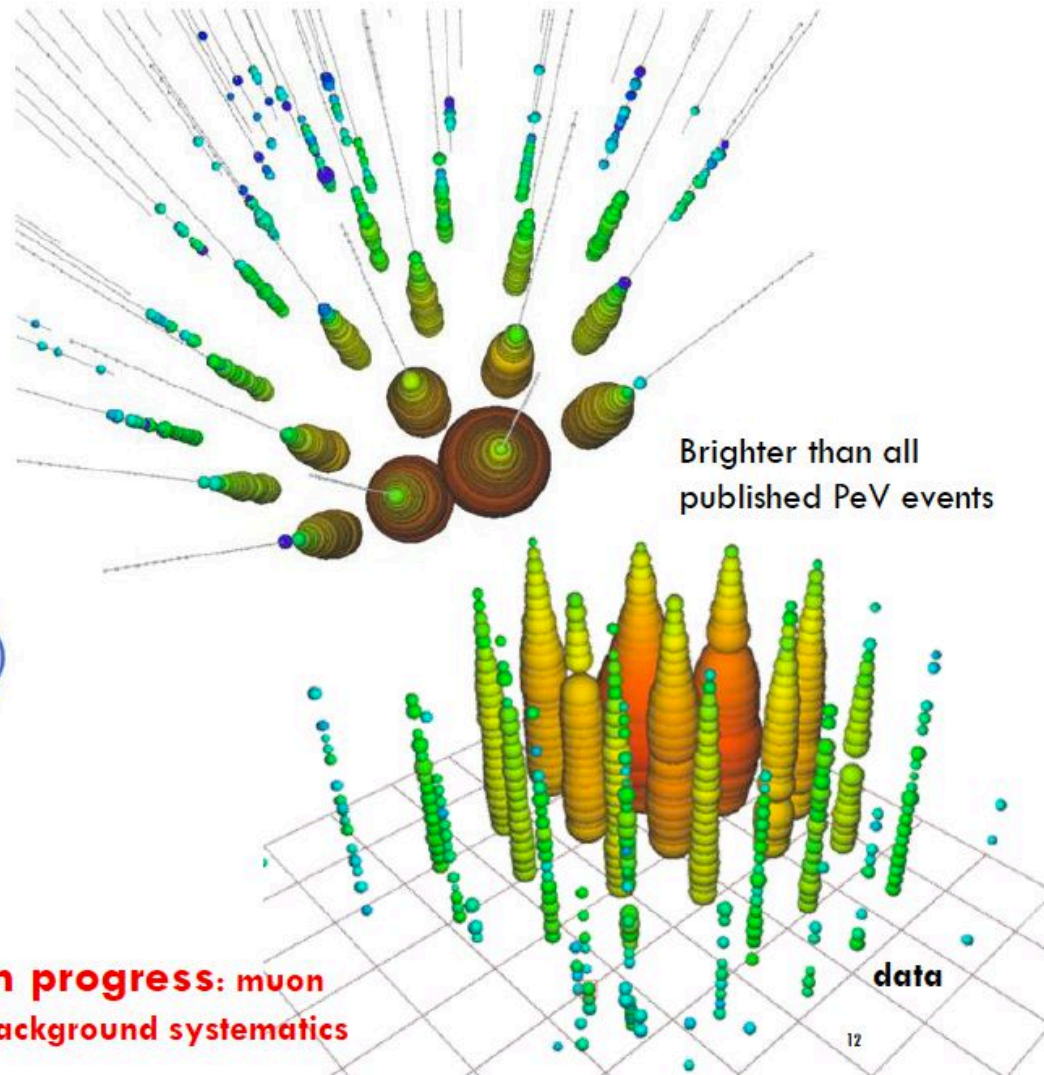
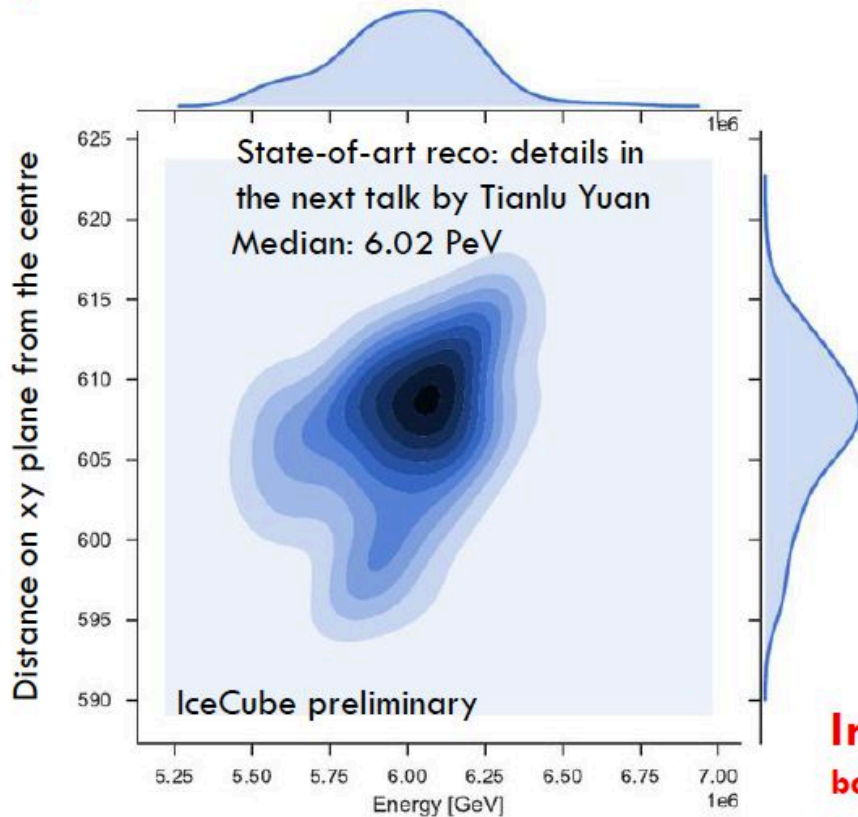
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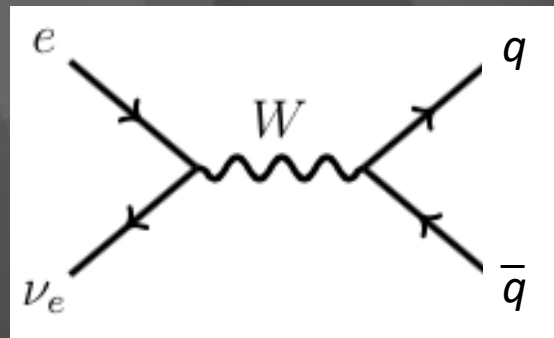
partially contained event with energy of 6.3 PeV

HIGHEST-ENERGY NEUTRINO CANDIDATE

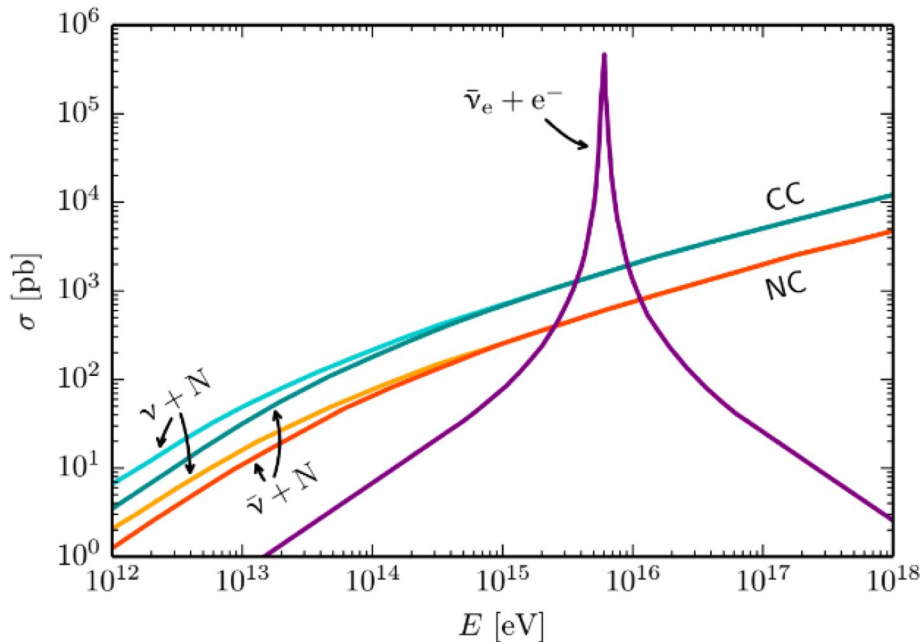
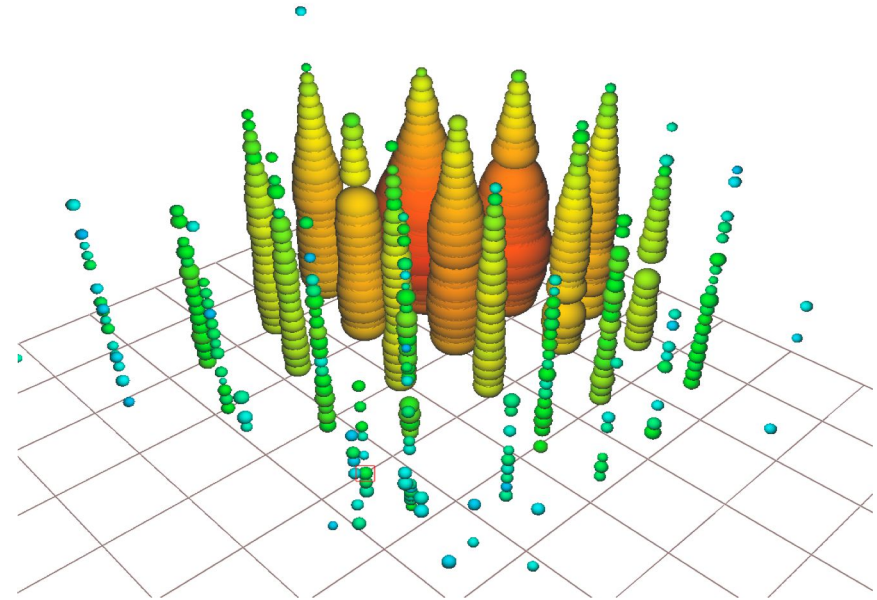
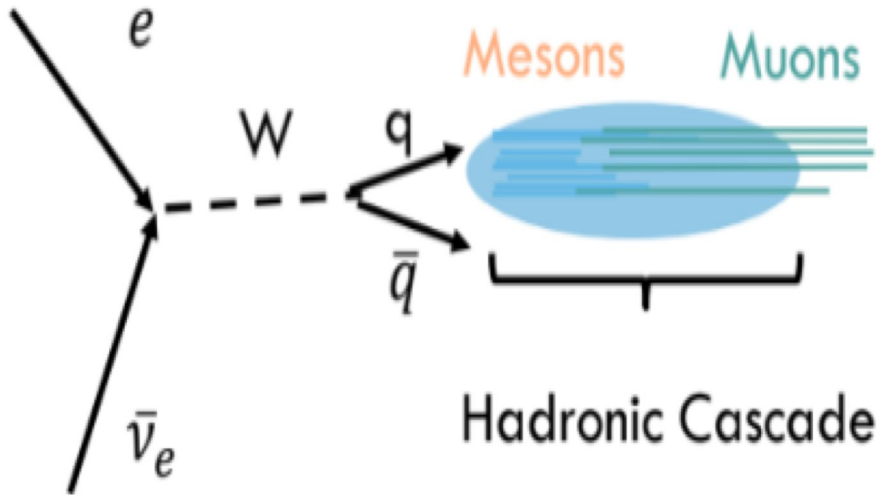


the first Glashow resonance event:

anti- ν_e + atomic electron \rightarrow real W at 6.3 PeV



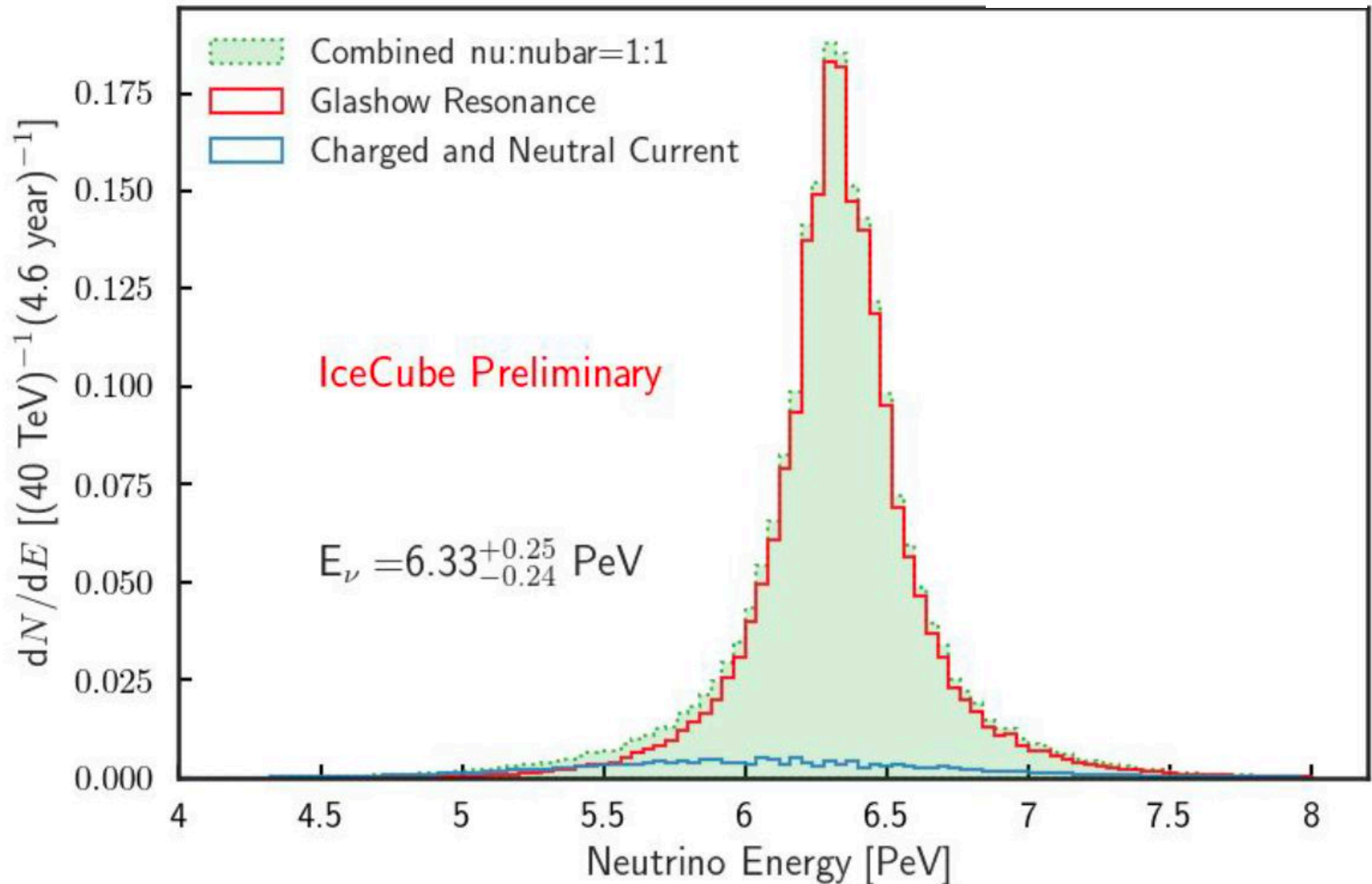
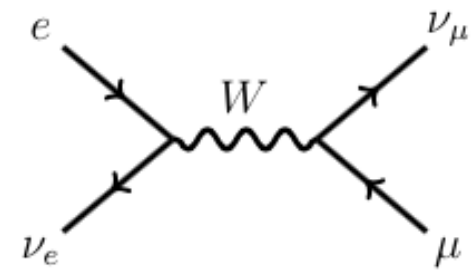
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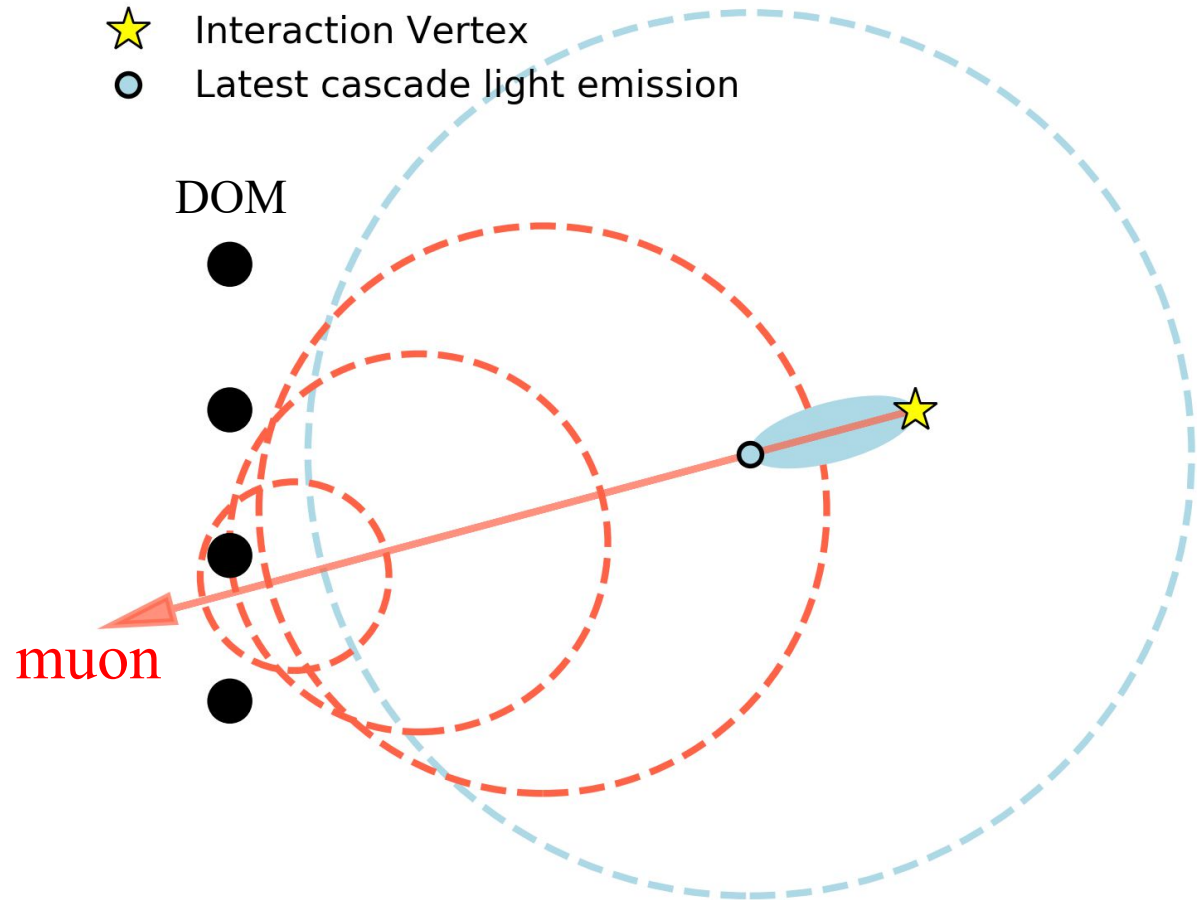
- partially-contained PeV search
- deposited energy: $5.9 \pm 0.18 \text{ PeV}$
- visible energy is 93%
- \rightarrow resonance: $E_\nu = 6.3 \text{ PeV}$

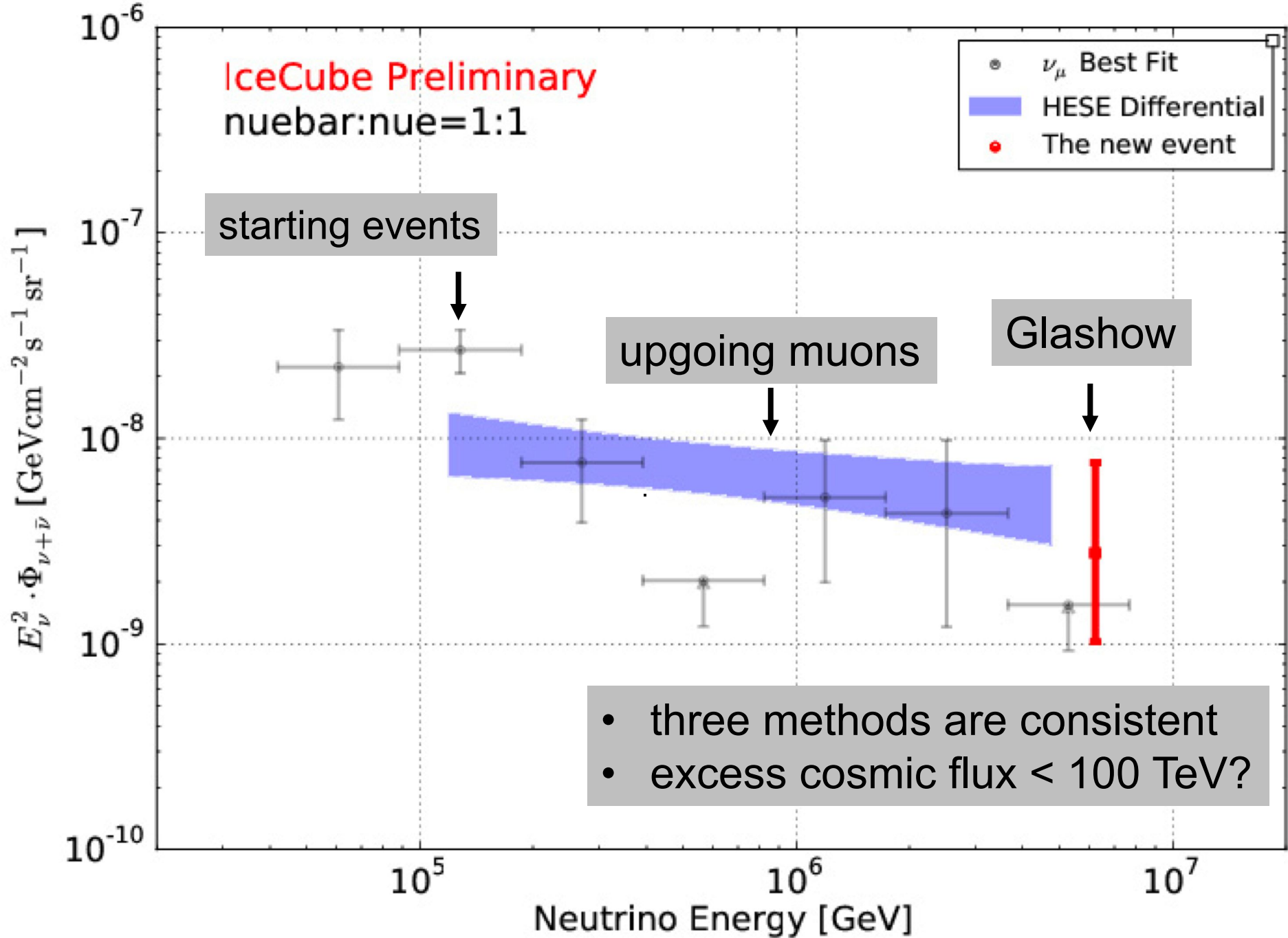
work on-going

- energy measurement understood
- identification of anti-electron neutrinos



- 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 ($v<c$)



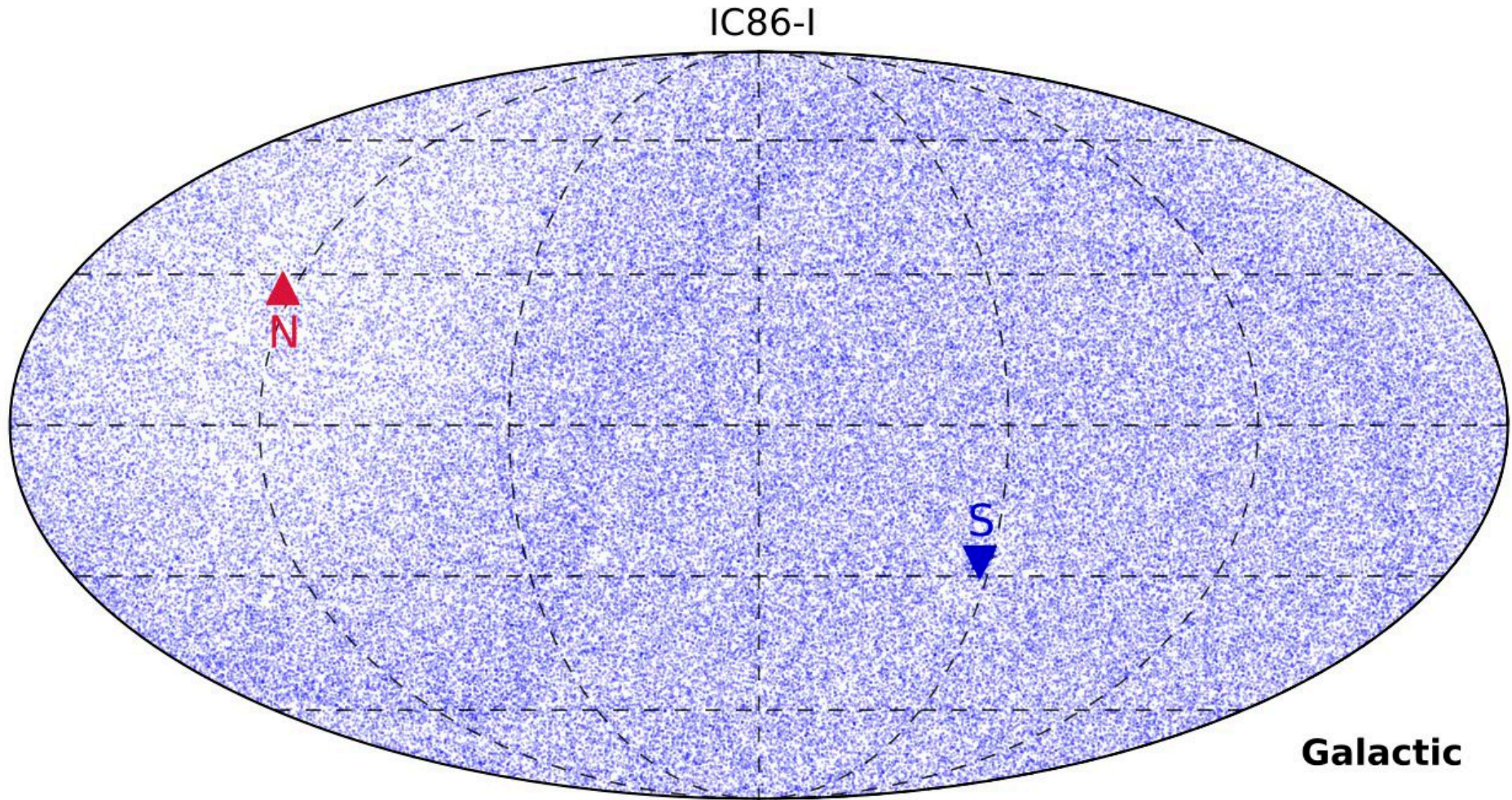




IceCube: the discovery of cosmic neutrinos

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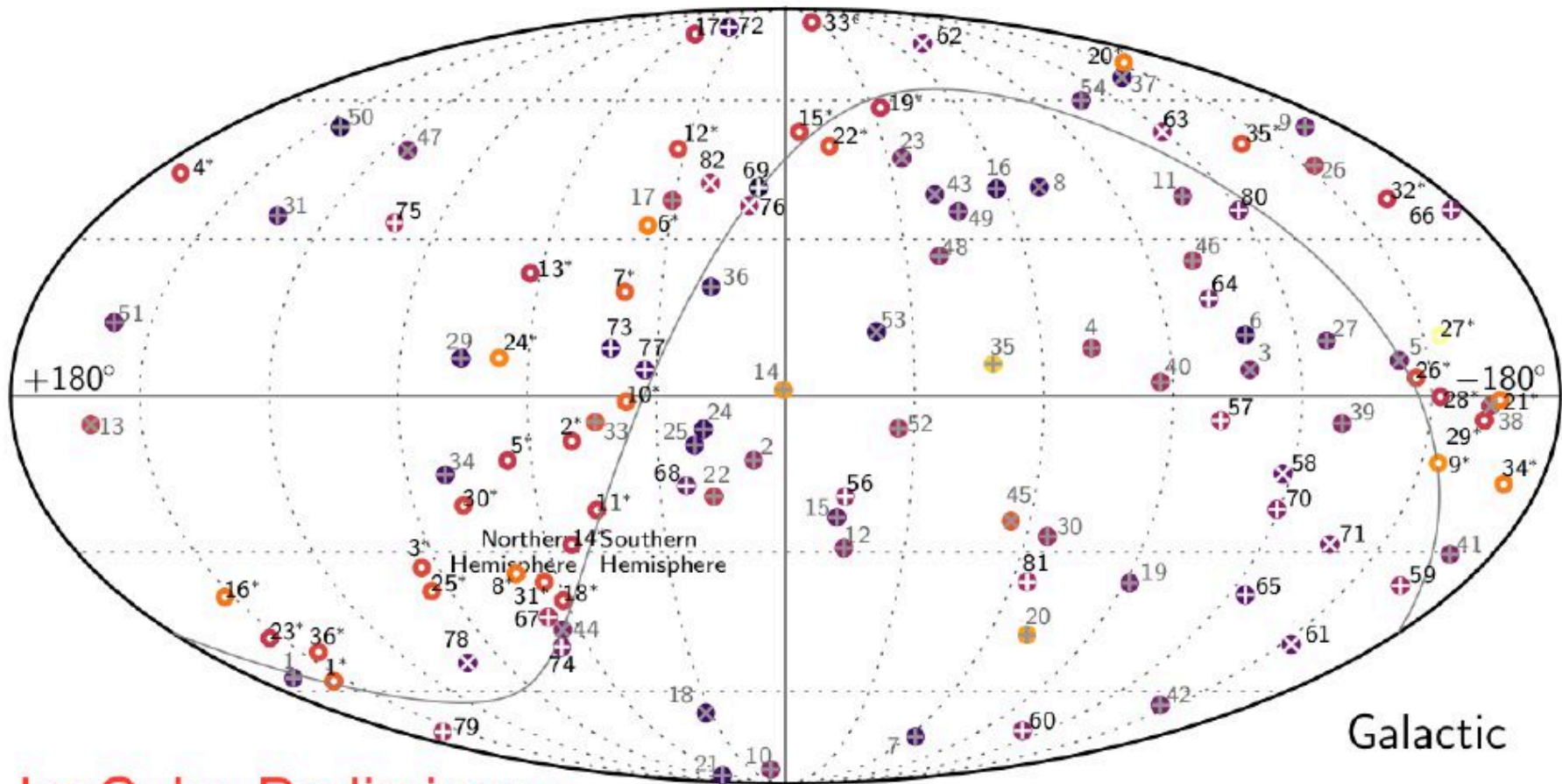
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138322 neutrino candidates in one year

120 cosmic neutrinos

~12 separated from atmospheric background with $E > 60$ TeV
structure in the map results from neutrino absorption by the Earth



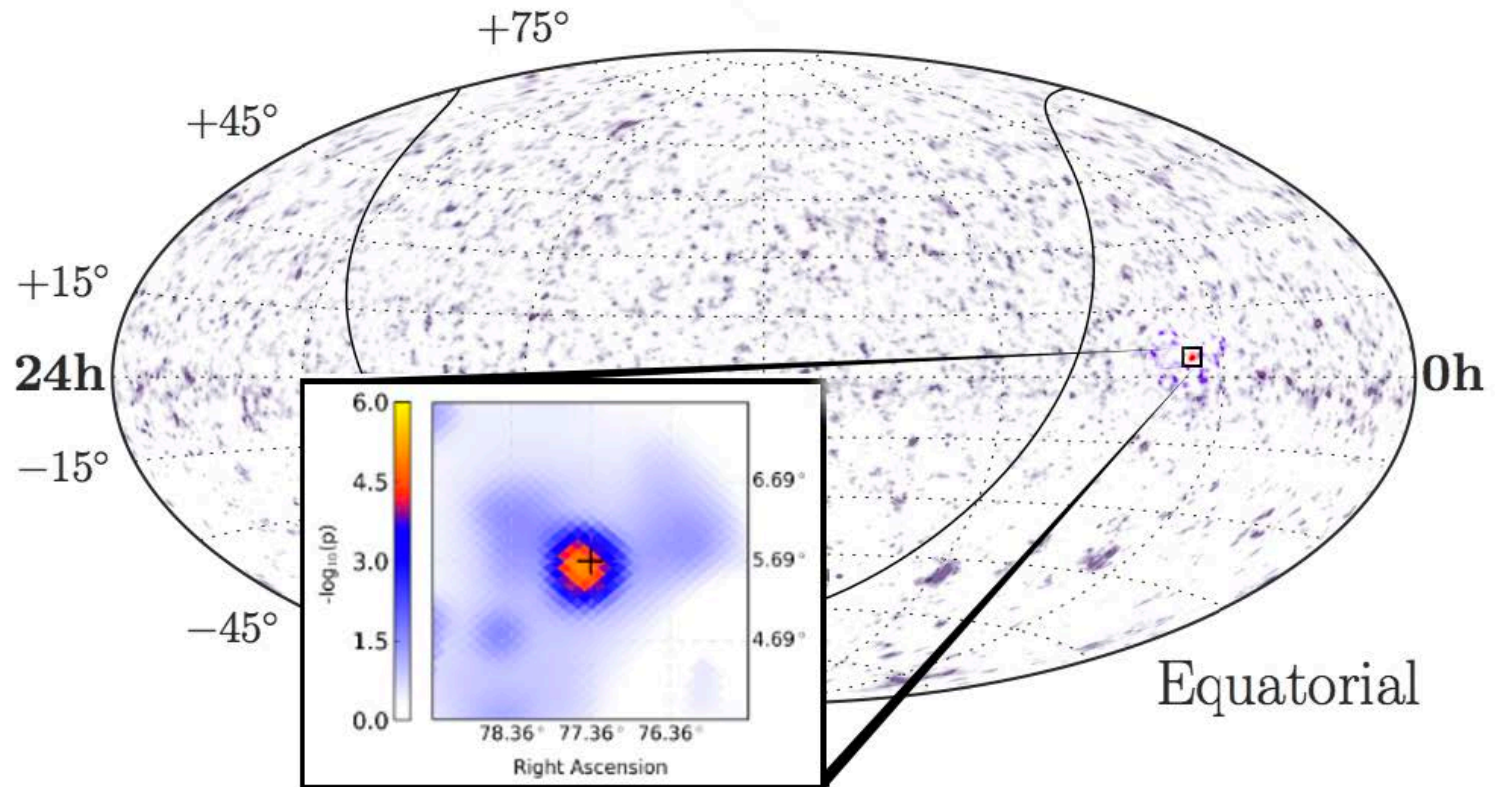
IceCube Preliminary



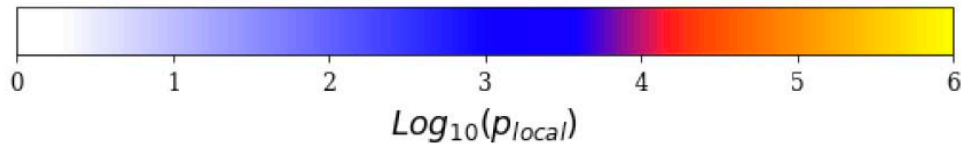
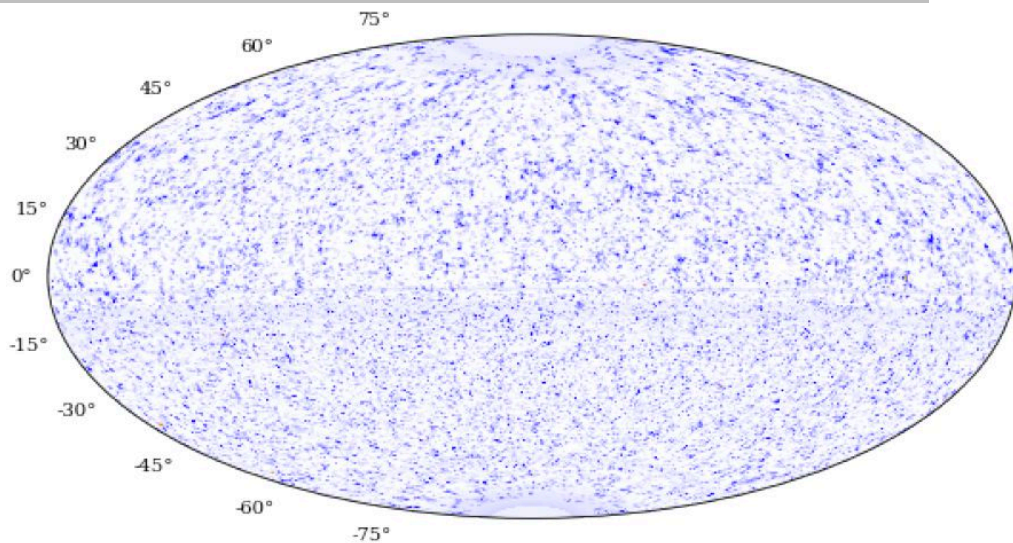
Deposited Energy or Muon Energy Proxy [TeV]

- ⊗ N New Starting Tracks
- ⊕ N New Starting Cascades
- ⊗ N Earlier Starting Tracks
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- N^* Throughgoing Tracks

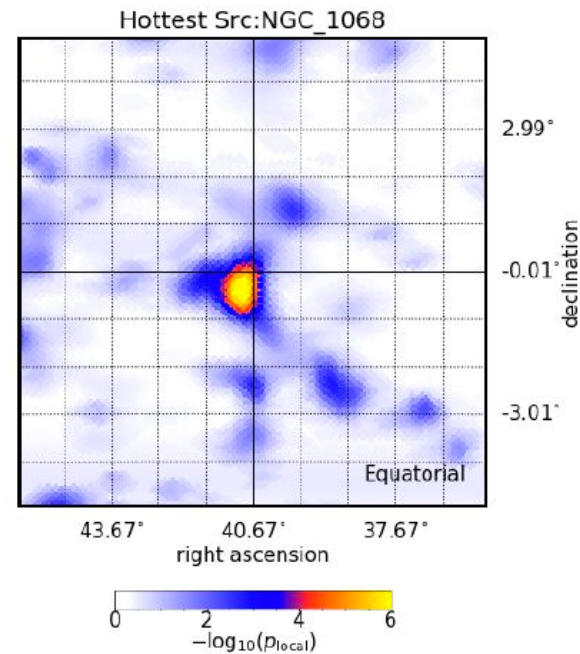
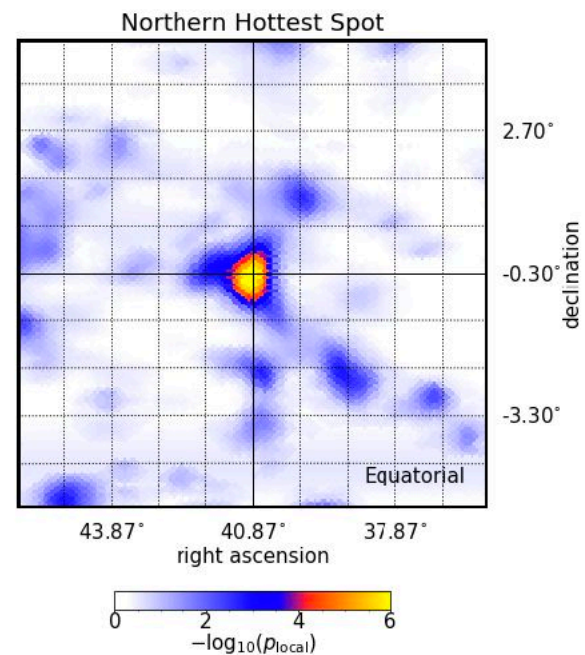
10 years of IceCube data: evidence for non-uniform skymap, mostly resulting from 4 source candidates



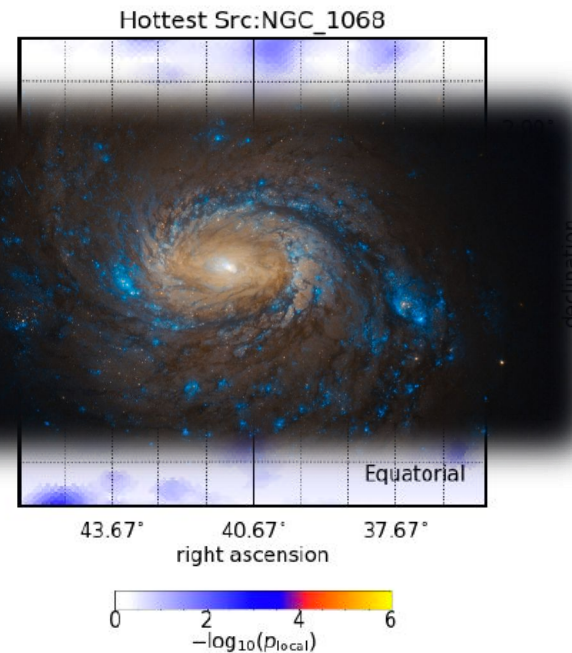
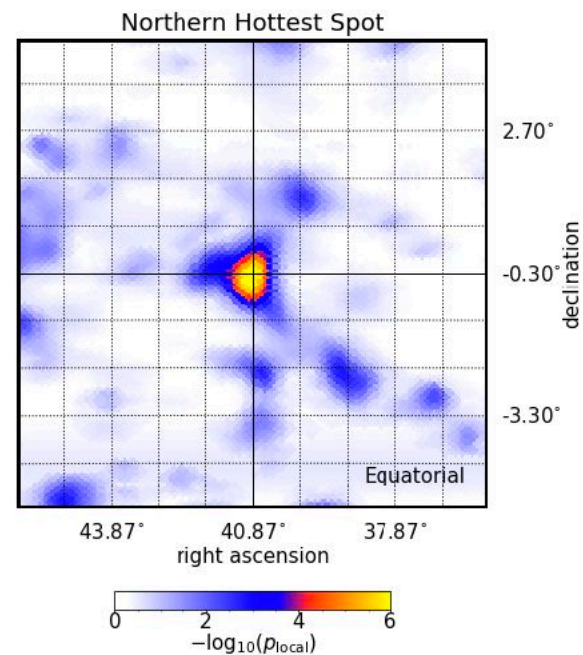
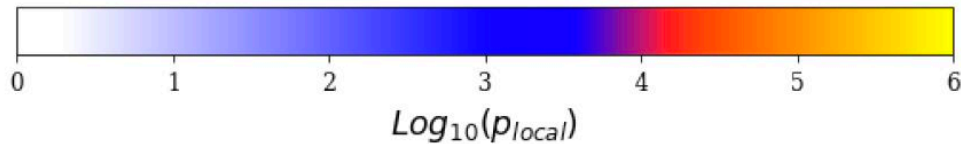
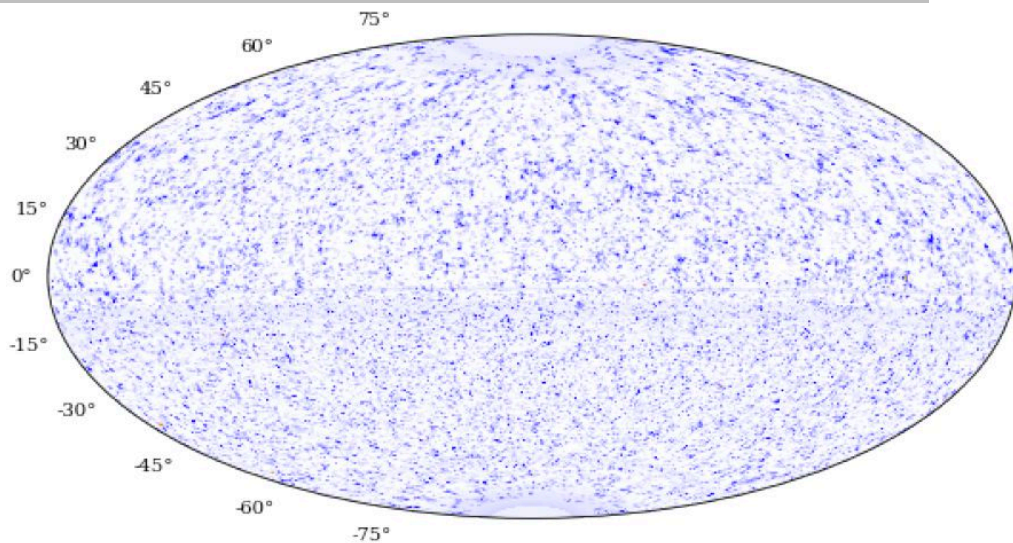
10 years of muon neutrinos



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	South	$10^{*-5.37}$	0.476
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	South	0.0587	0.55
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- energy density of neutrinos in the non-thermal Universe is the same as that in gamma-rays

- we observe a diffuse flux of neutrinos from extragalactic sources
- a subdominant Galactic component cannot be excluded
- where are the PeV gamma rays that accompany PeV neutrinos?

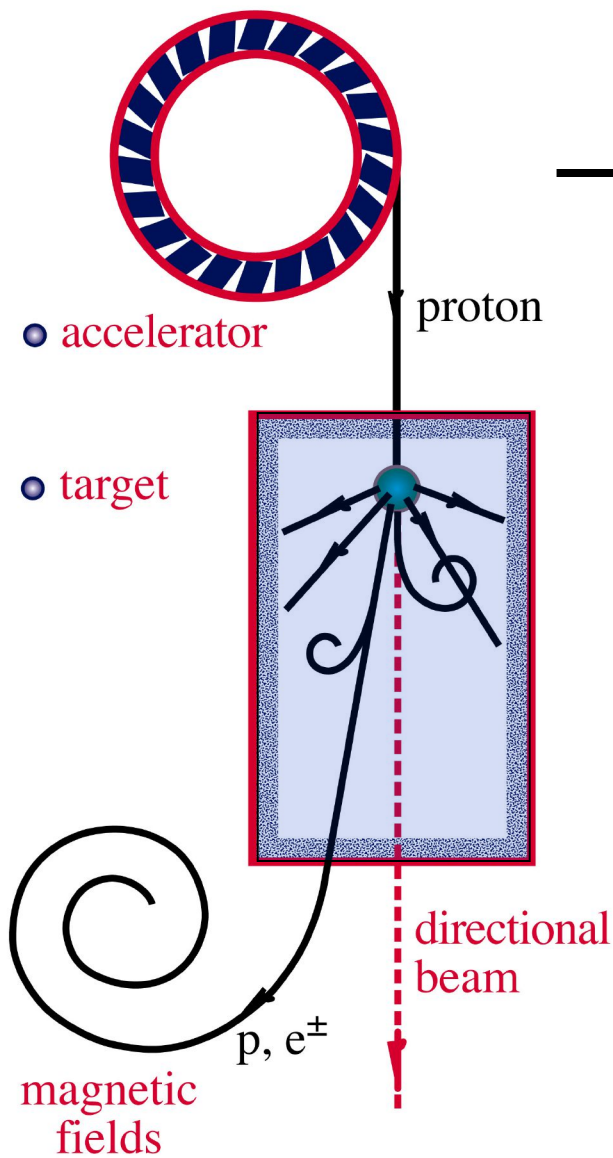


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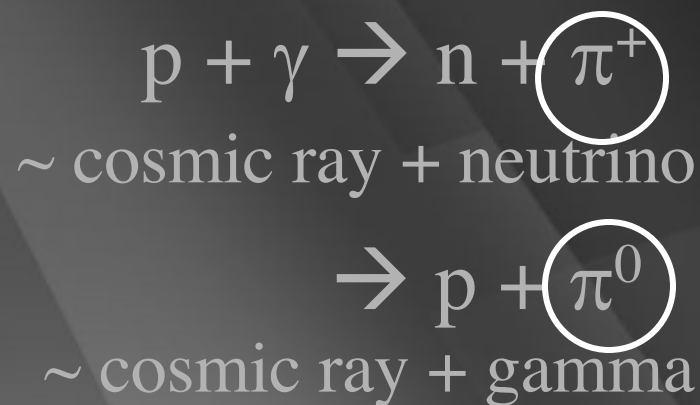
ν and γ beams : heaven and earth



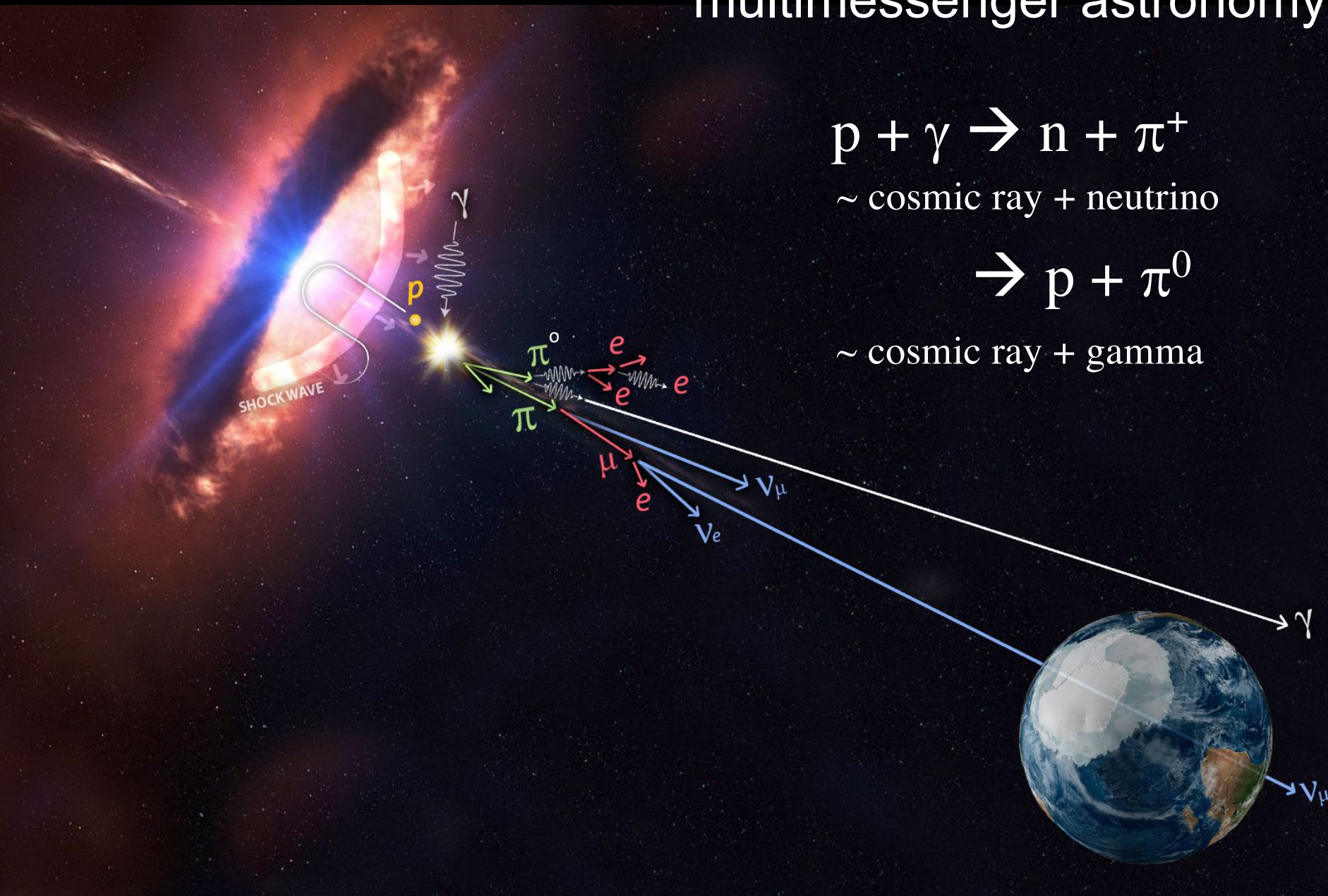
accelerator is powered by large gravitational energy

black hole
neutron star

radiation
and dust



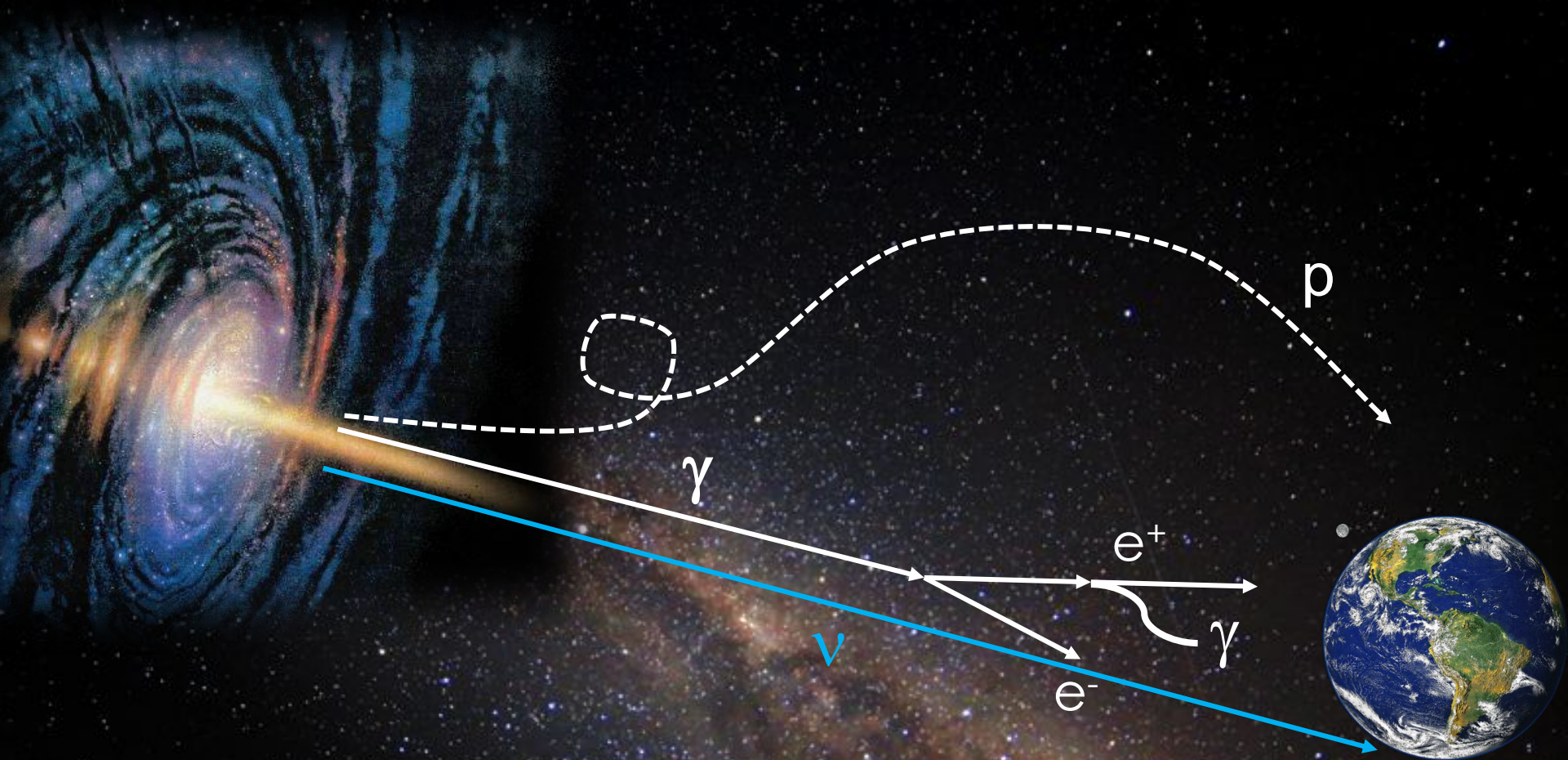
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~ cosmic ray + neutrino

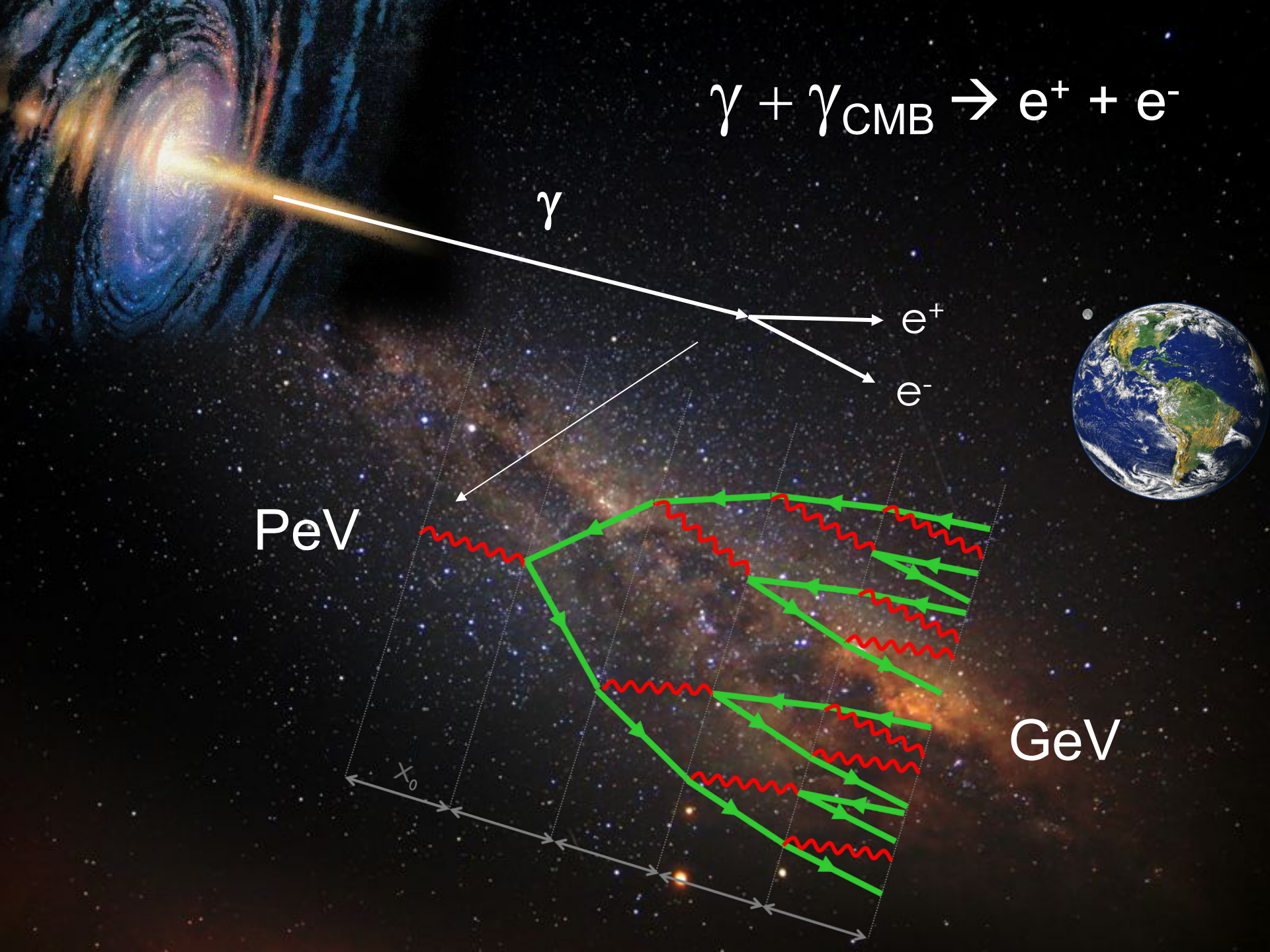


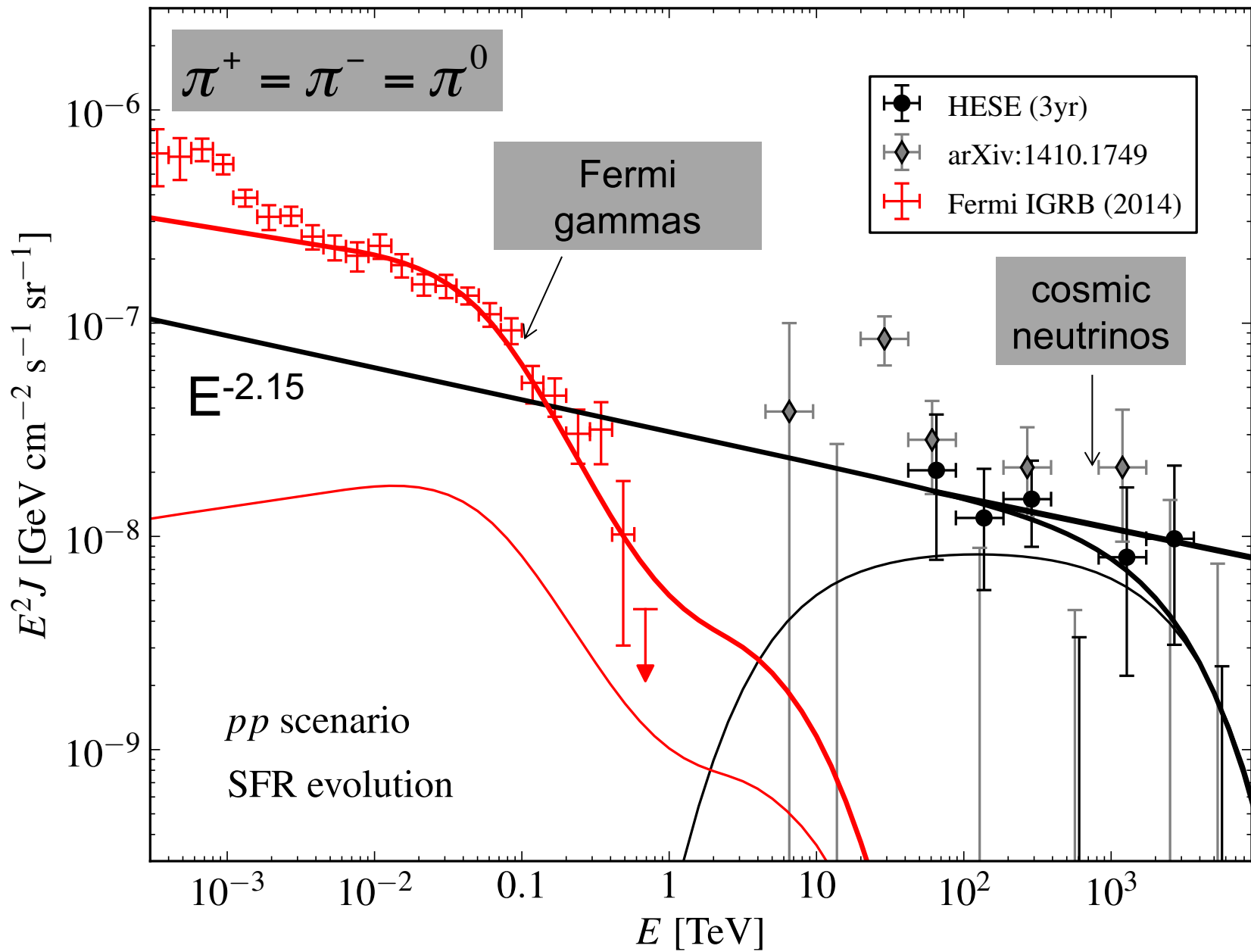
~ cosmic ray + gamma

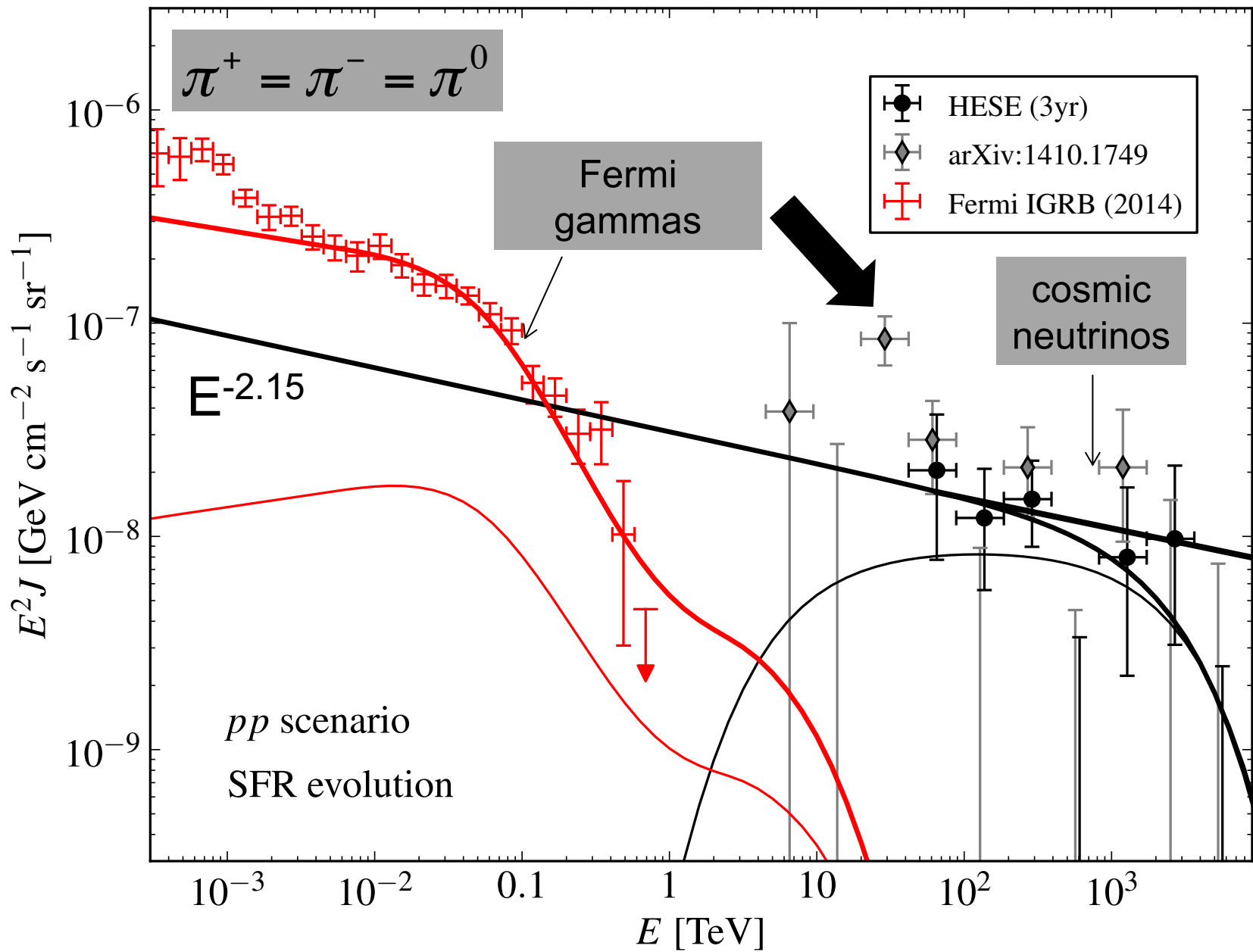


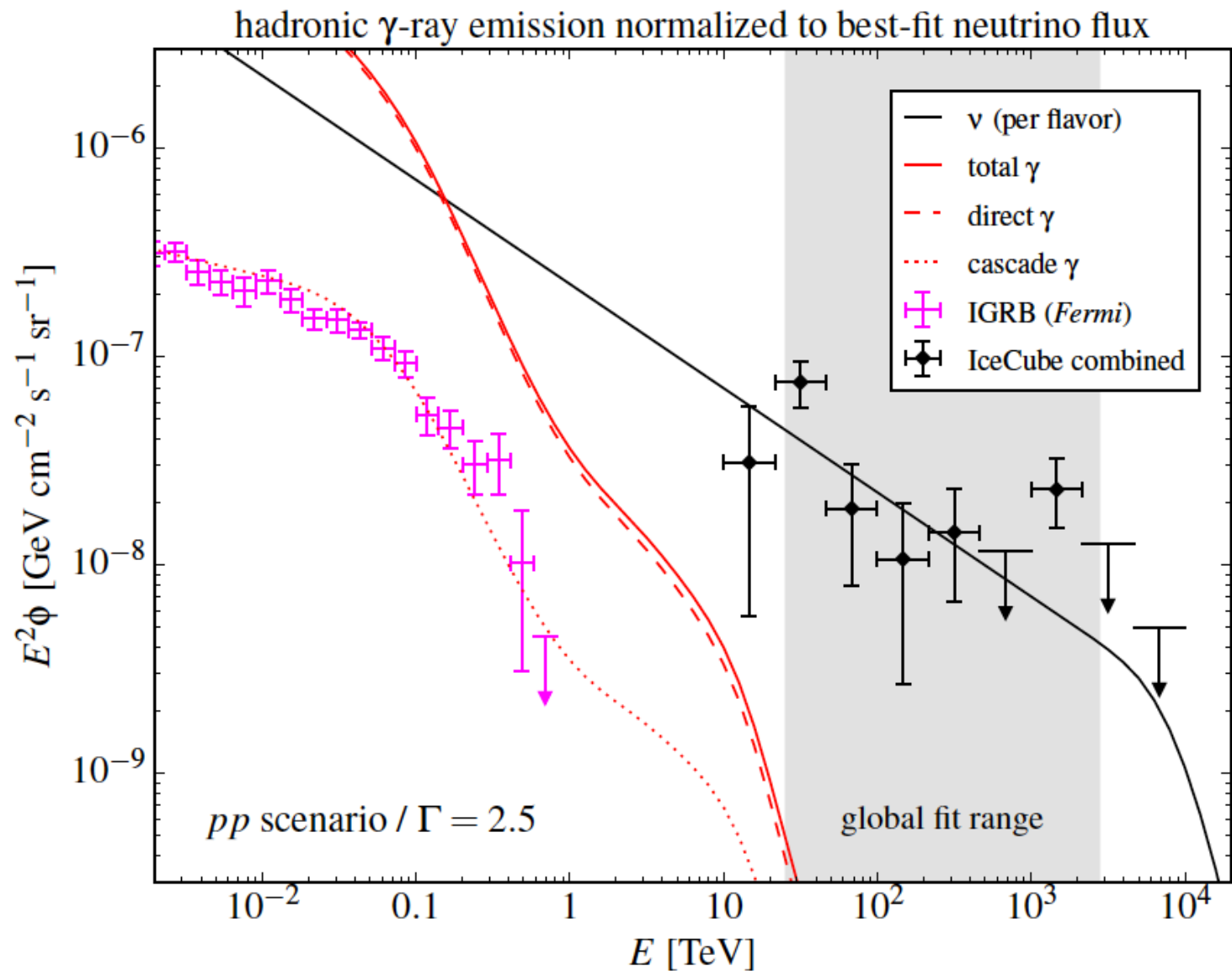
gamma rays accompanying IceCube neutrinos interact with interstellar photons and fragment into multiple lower energy gamma rays that reach earth

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



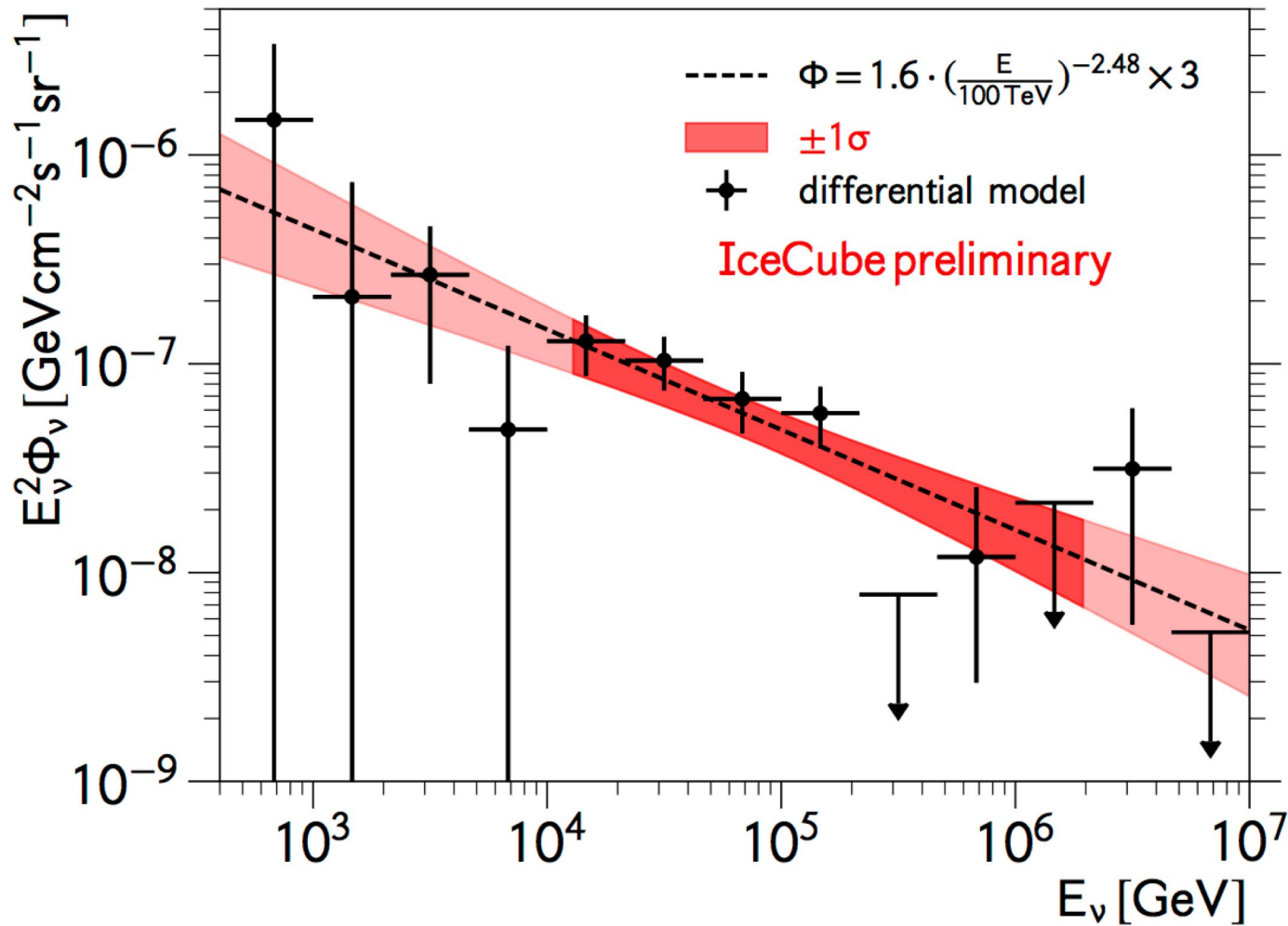


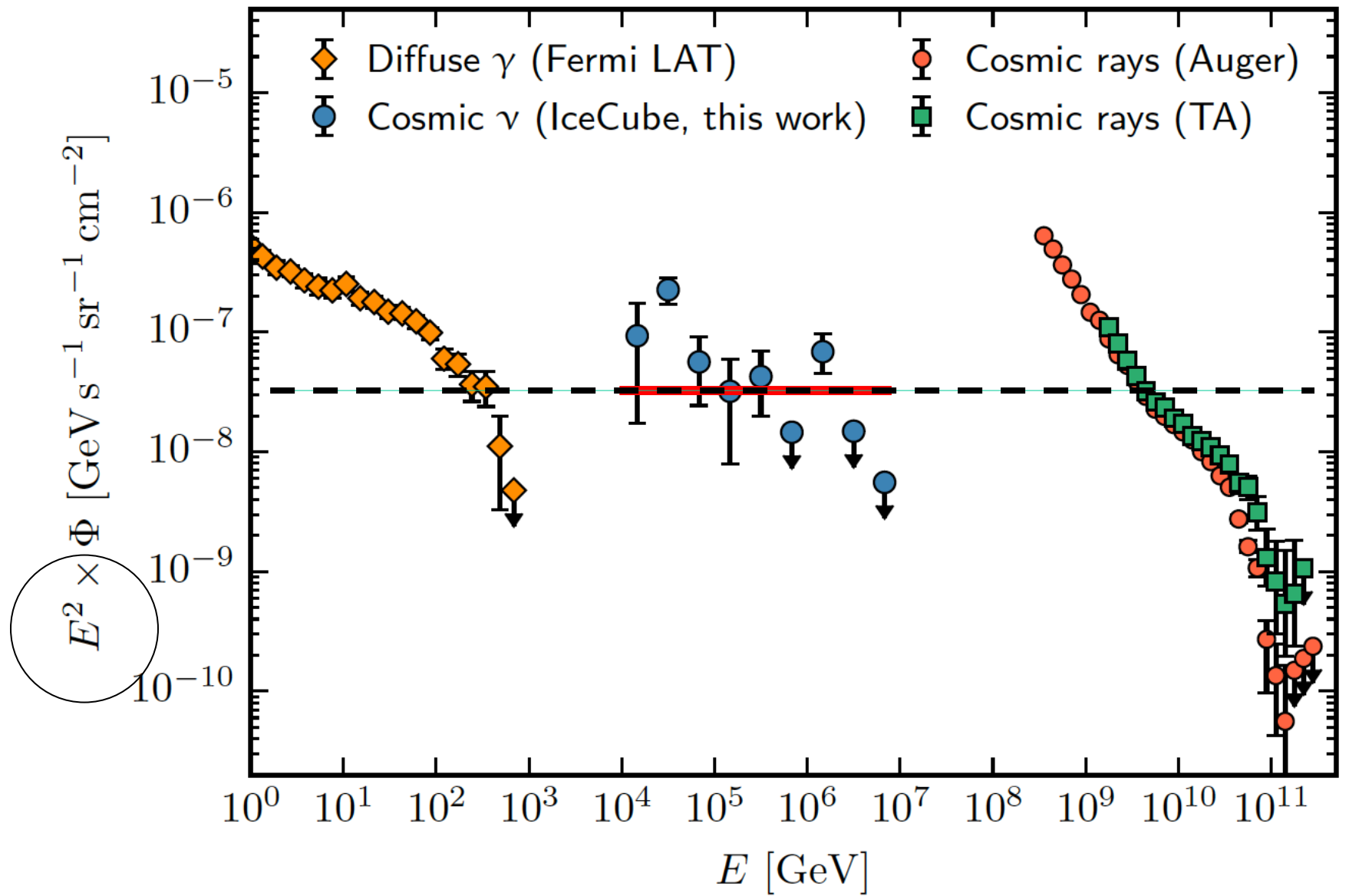




dark sources below 100 TeV not seen in γ 's ?
 gamma rays cascade in the source to lower energy

Multi-year cascade ($\nu_e + \nu_\tau$) analysis: dark sources ?





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

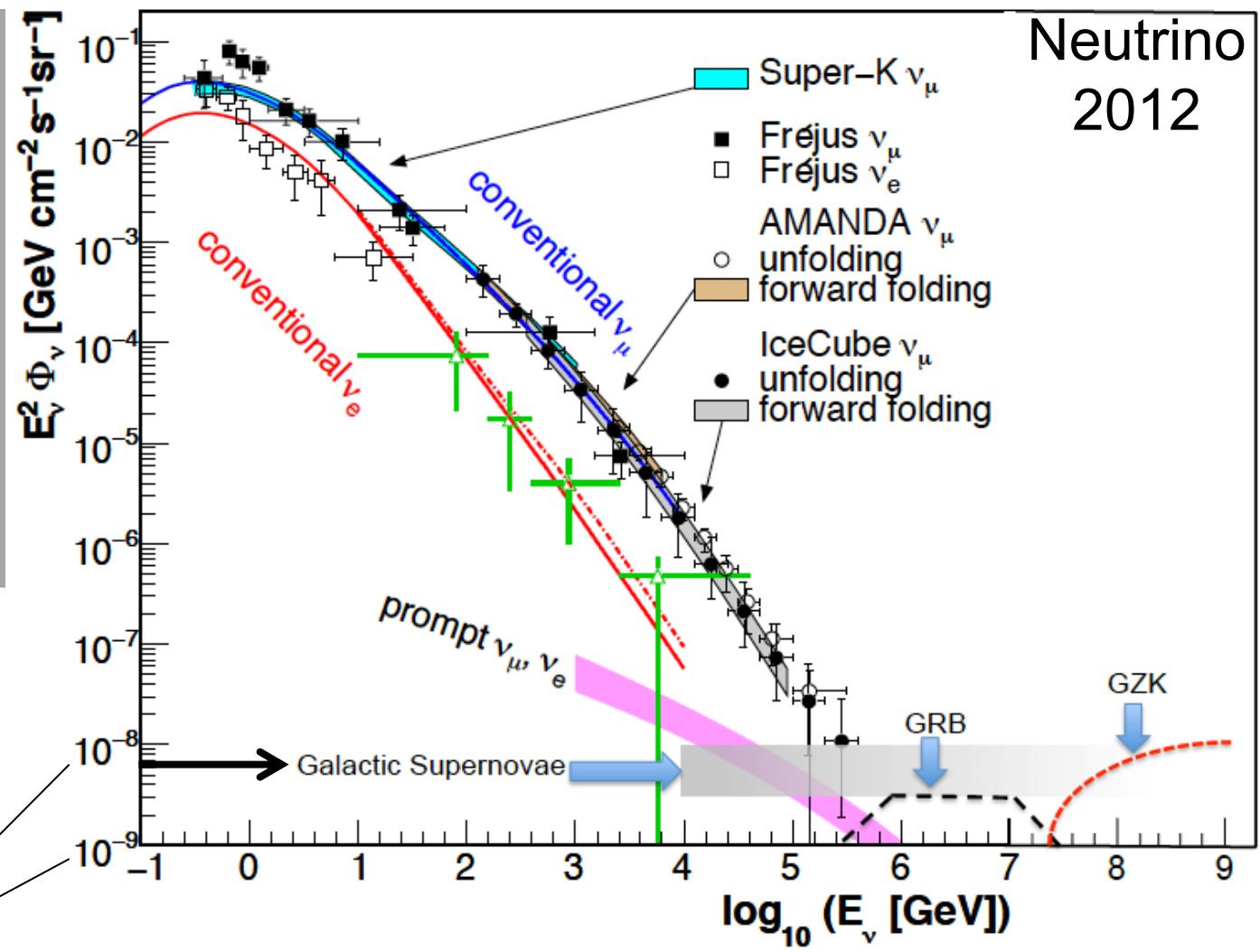
Neutrino 2012

above 100 TeV

- cosmic neutrinos
- atmospheric background disappears

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

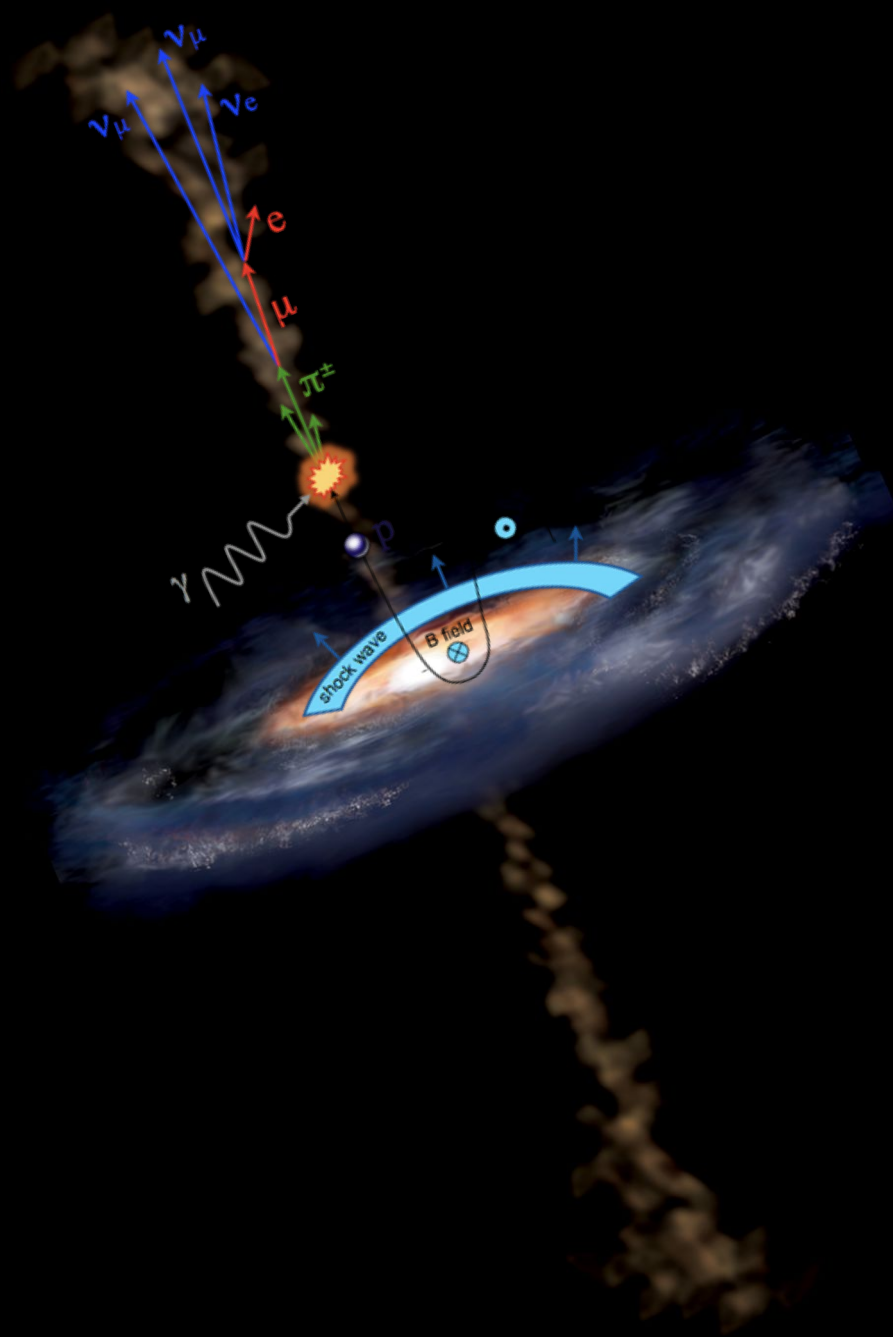
10—100 events per year for fully efficient detector



atmospheric

cosmic

100 TeV

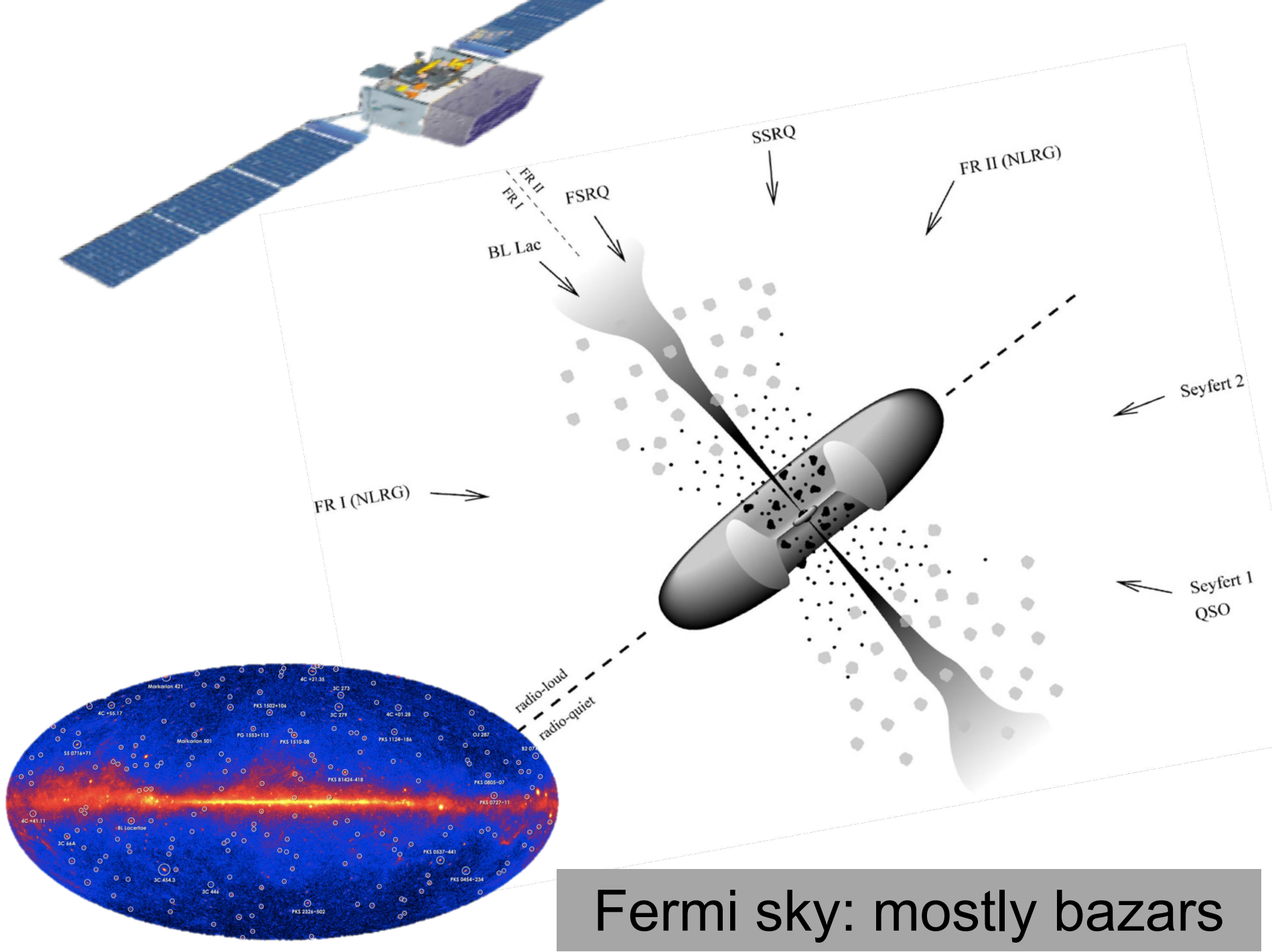


Fermi sources
are mostly
blazars

common sources?



multimessenger
astronomy



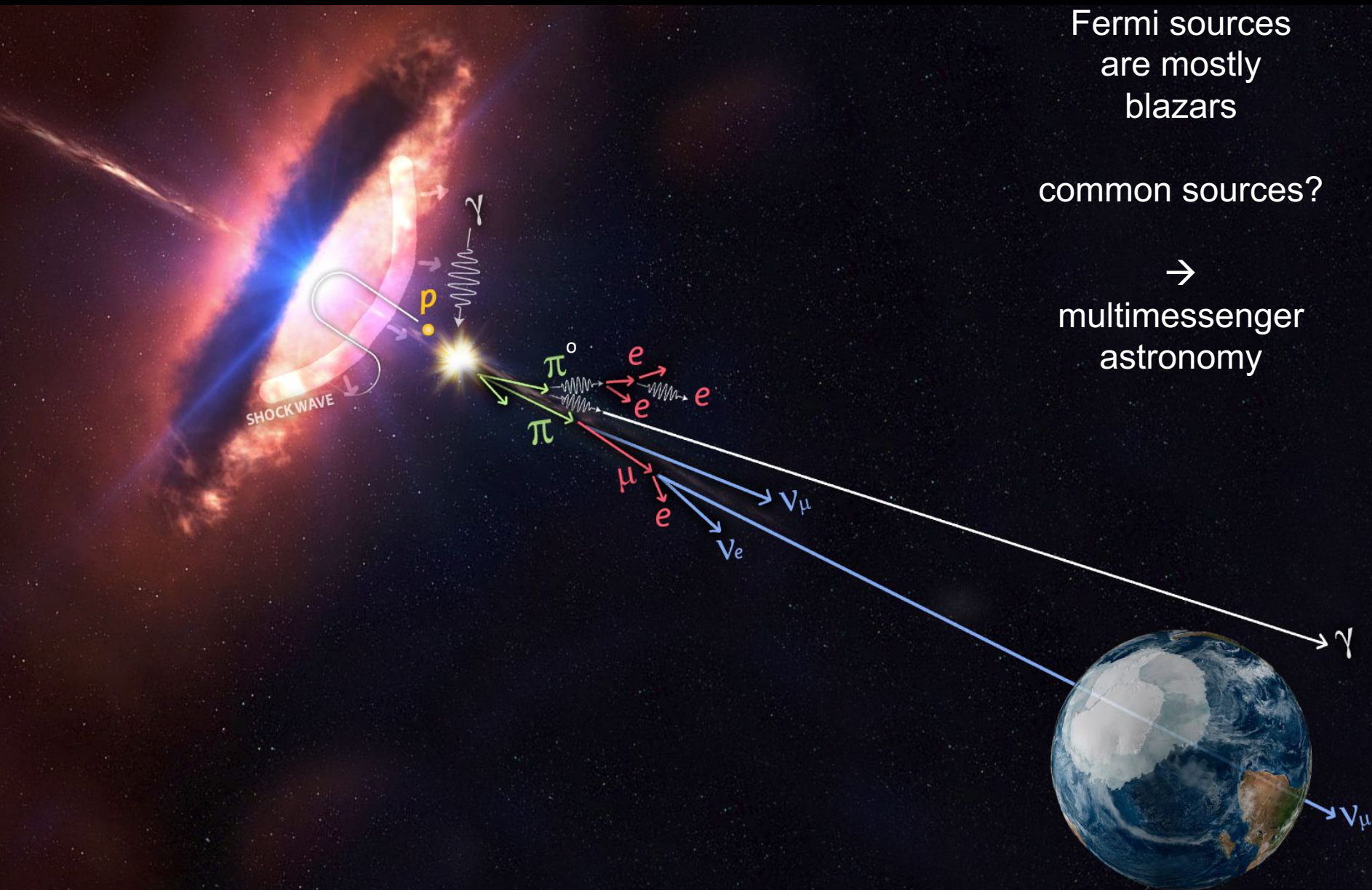
Fermi sky: mostly bazars

Fermi sources
are mostly
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IceCube

francis halzen

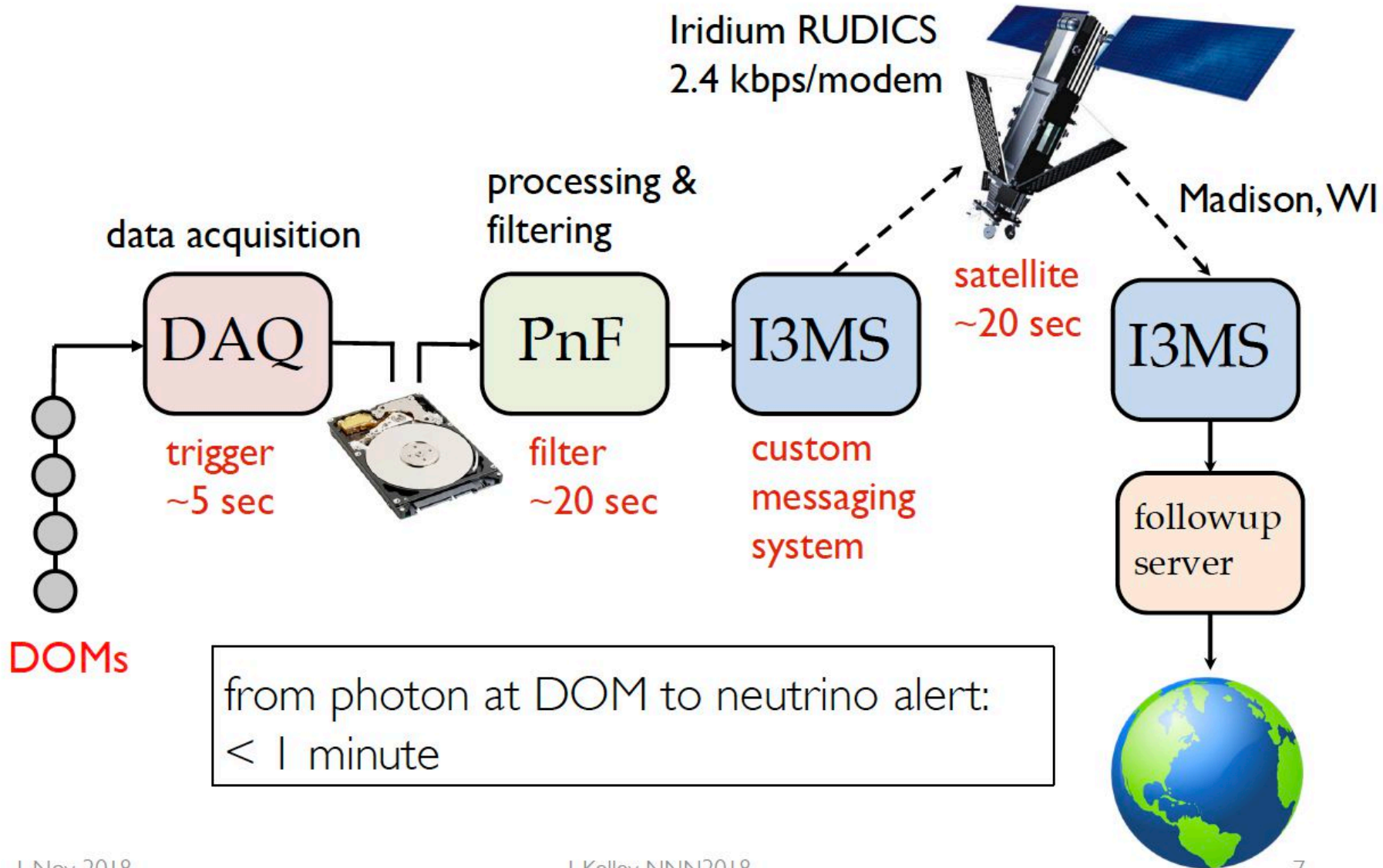
- IceCube
- cosmic neutrinos: two independent observations
 - muon neutrinos through the Earth
 - starting neutrinos: all flavors
- where do they come from?
- Fermi photons and IceCube neutrinos
- the first high-energy cosmic ray accelerator
- what next?



HIGH-ENERGY EVENTS NOW PUBLIC ALERTS!

M. Richman

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



IceCube Trigger

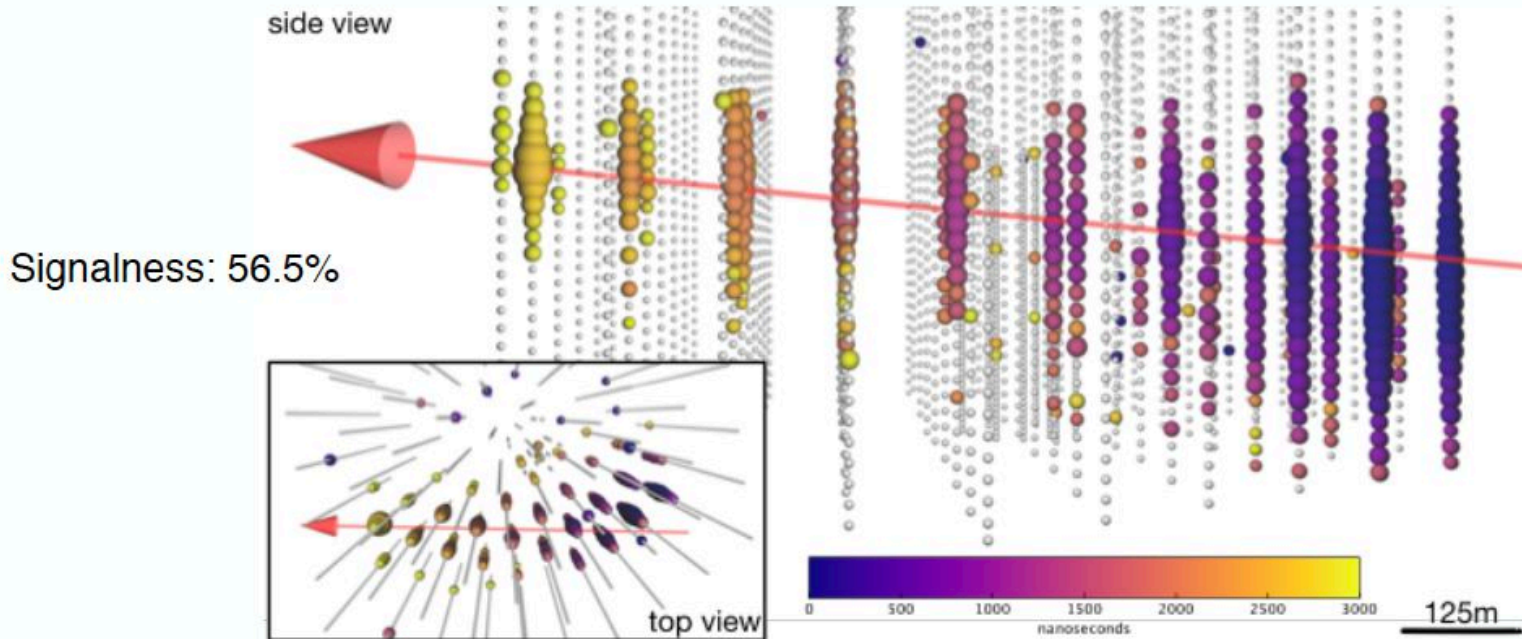
43 seconds after trigger, GCN notice was sent

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                      +5.7732d {+05d 46' 24"} (current),  
                      +5.6888d {+05d 41' 20"} (1950)  
SRC_ERROR:             14.99 [arcmin radius, stat+sys, 50% containment]  
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IC-170922A

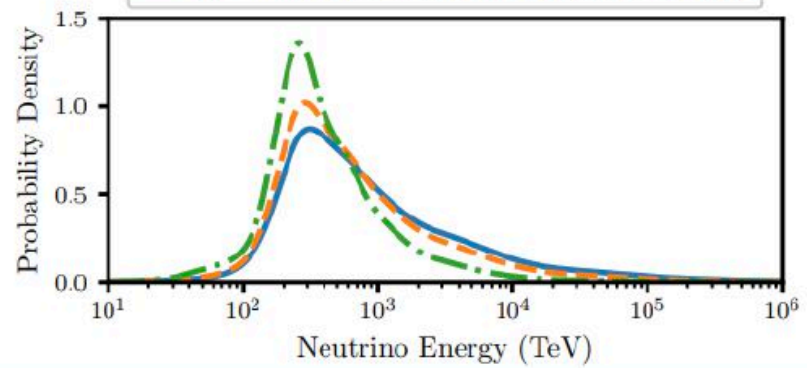


23.7±2.8 TeV muon energy loss in the detector, 15 arcmin error (50% containment)



- $E^{-2.00}$ (90% lower limit: 200 TeV, peak: 311 TeV)
- $E^{-2.13}$ (90% lower limit: 183 TeV, peak: 290 TeV)
- $E^{-2.50}$ (90% lower limit: 152 TeV, peak: 259 TeV)

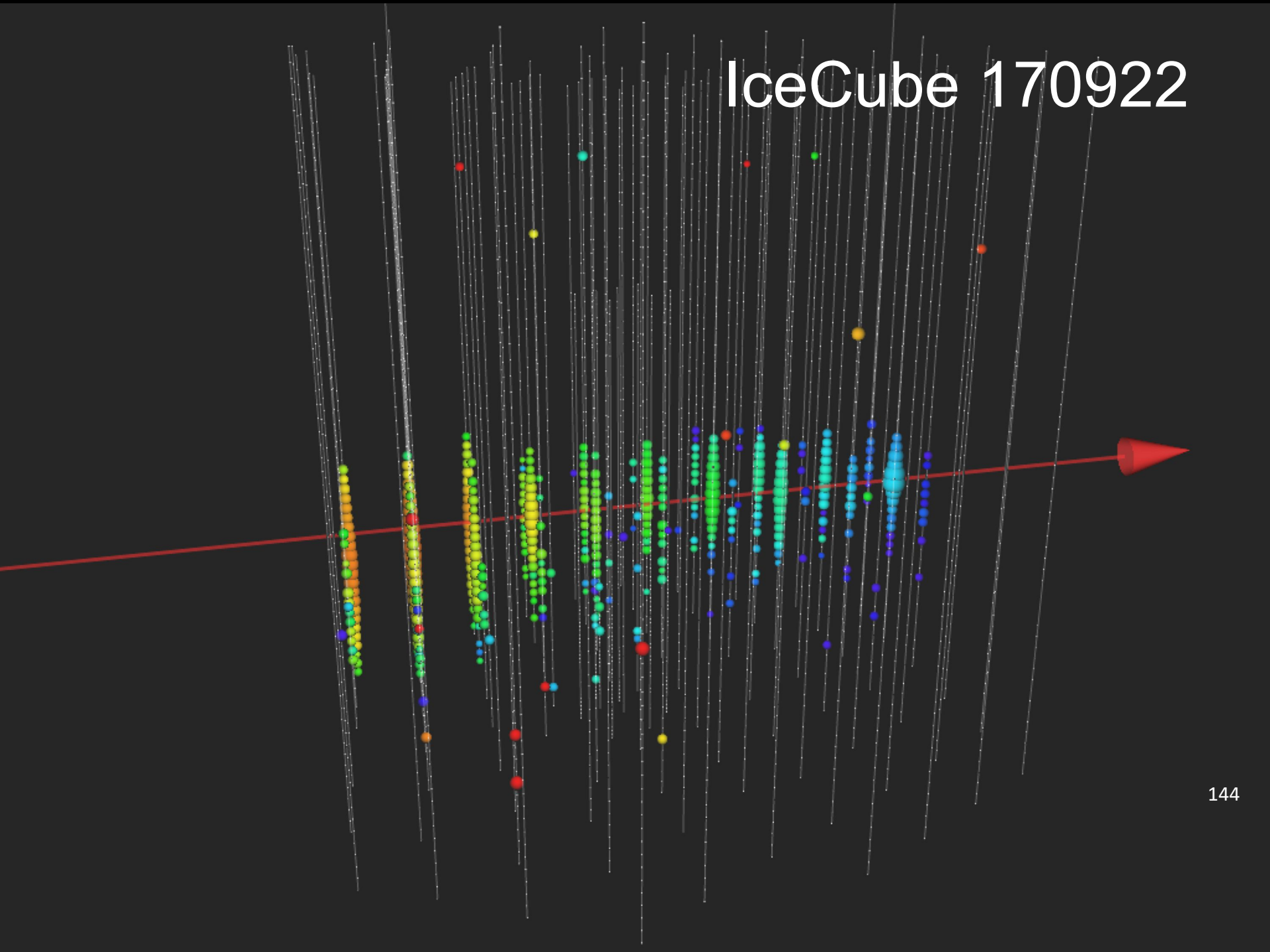
Most probable neutrino energy
~290 TeV. Upper limit at 90%
CL is 4.5 PeV (7.5 PeV) for a
spectral index of -2.13 (-2).



IceCube, Fermi-LAT,
MAGIC, AGILE, ASAS-SN,
HAWC, H.E.S.S.,
INTEGRAL, Kapteyn,
Kanata, Kiso, Liverpool,
Subaru, Swift, VERITAS,
VLA, Science 2018

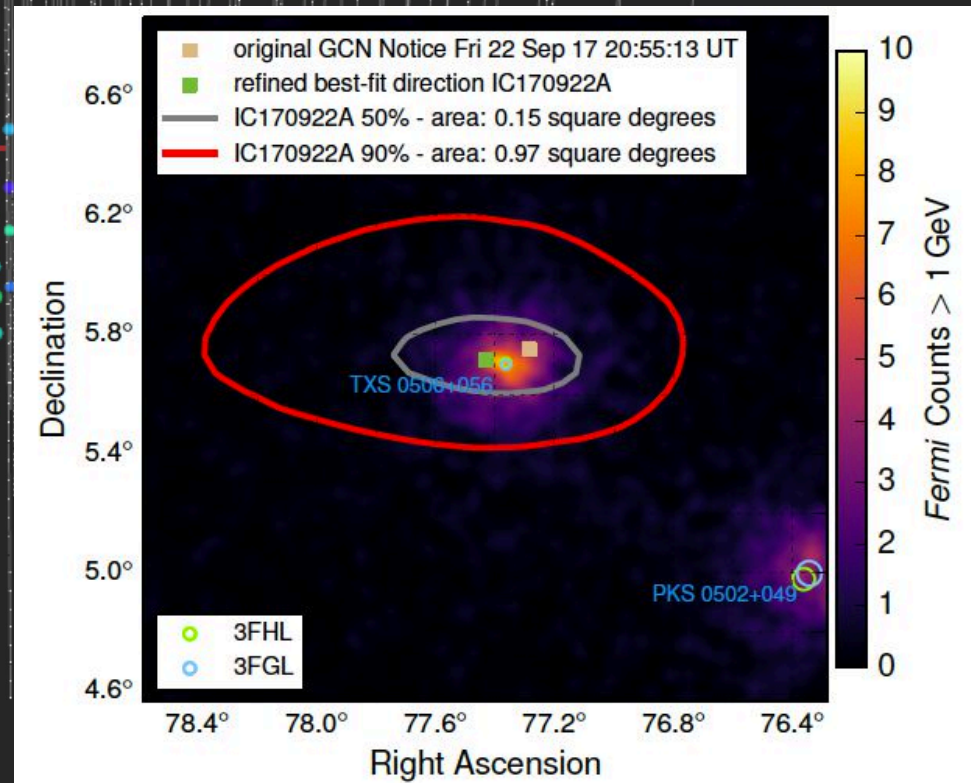
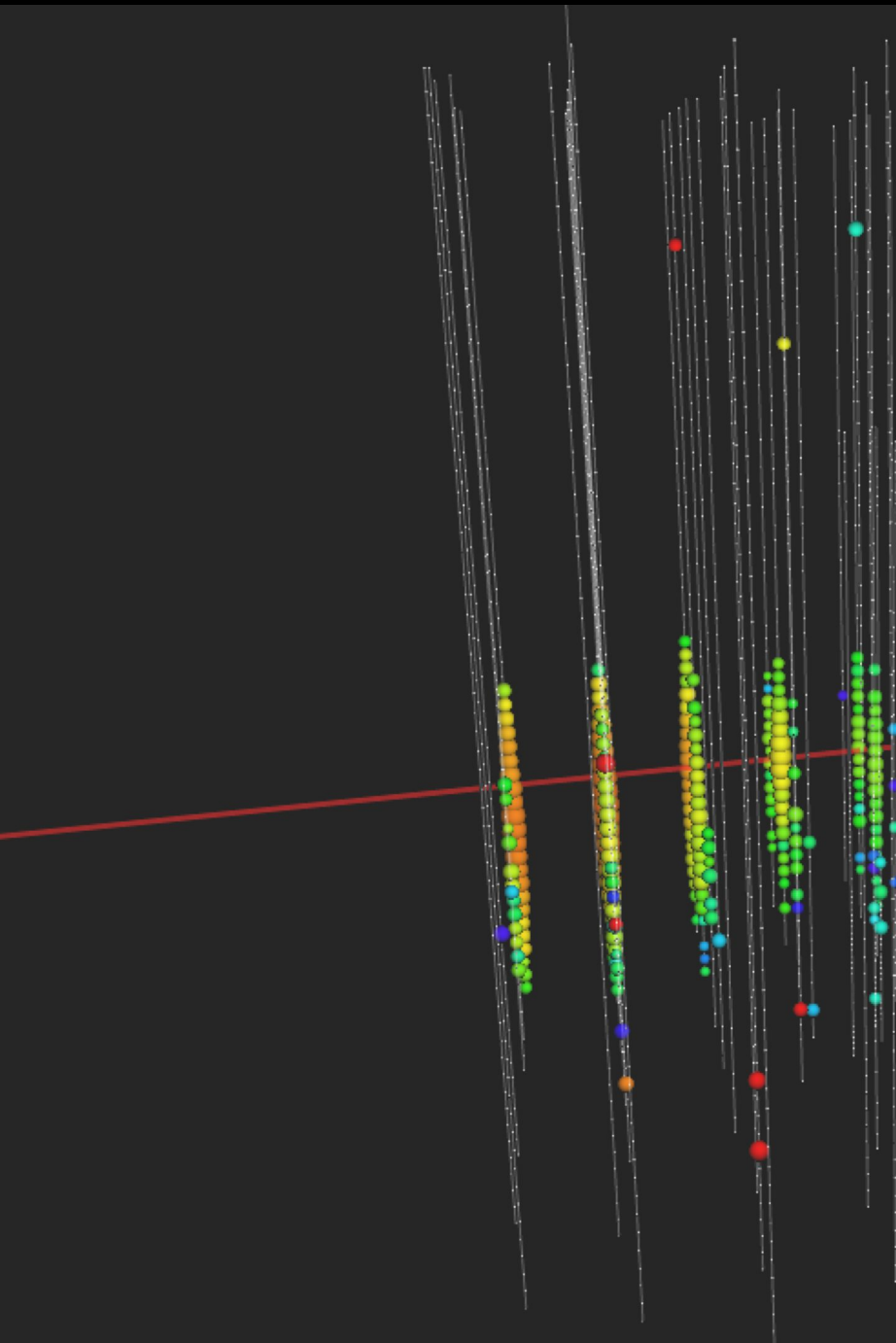
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IceCube 170922



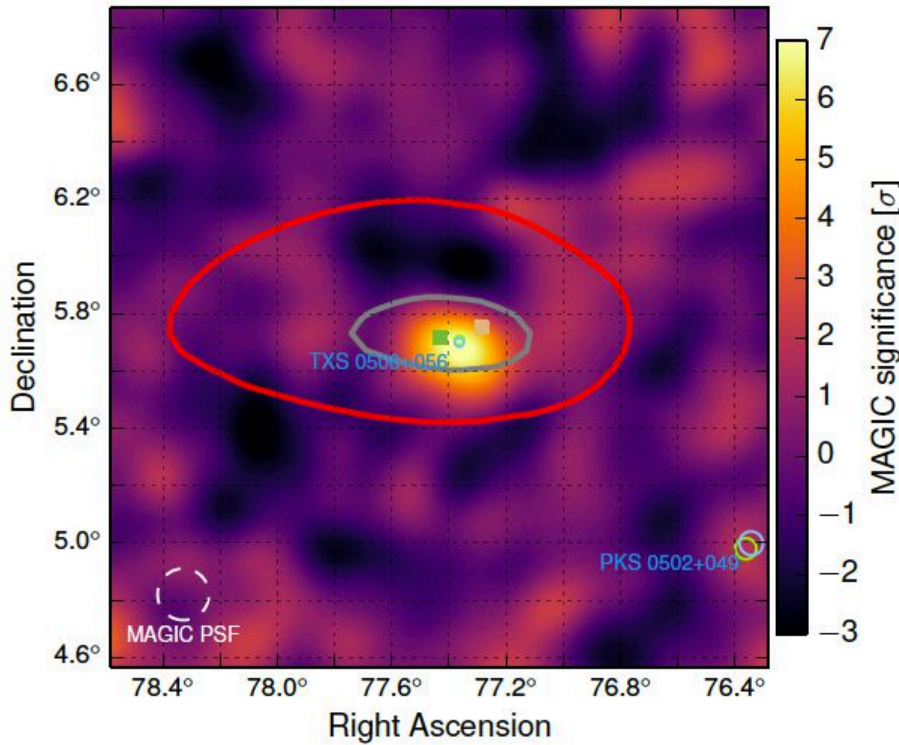
IceCube 170922

Fermi
detects a flaring
blazar within 0.1°

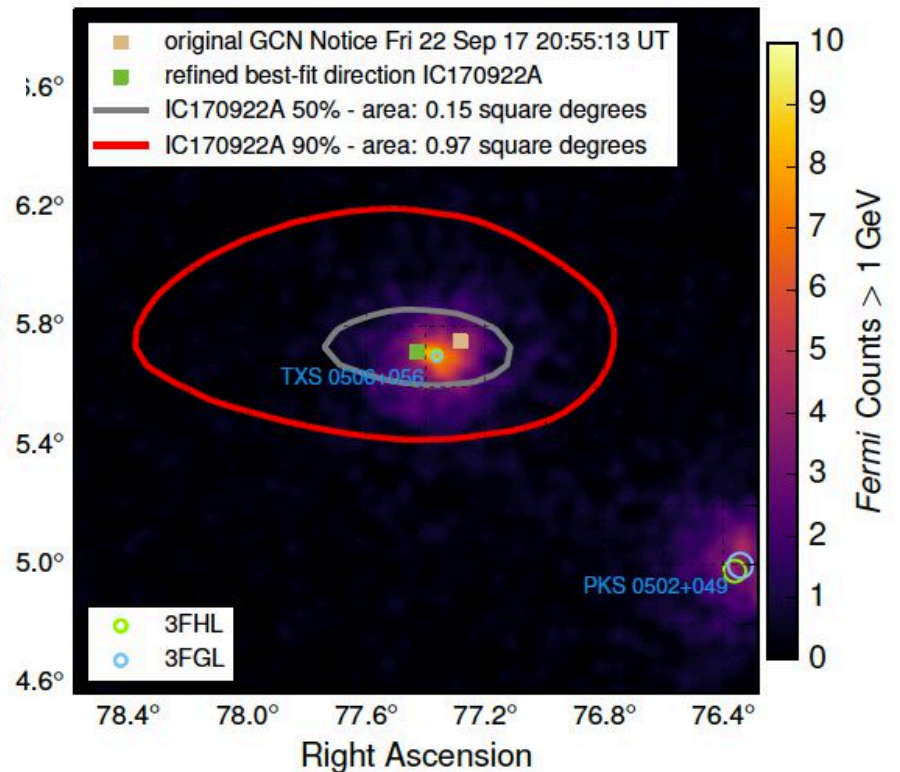


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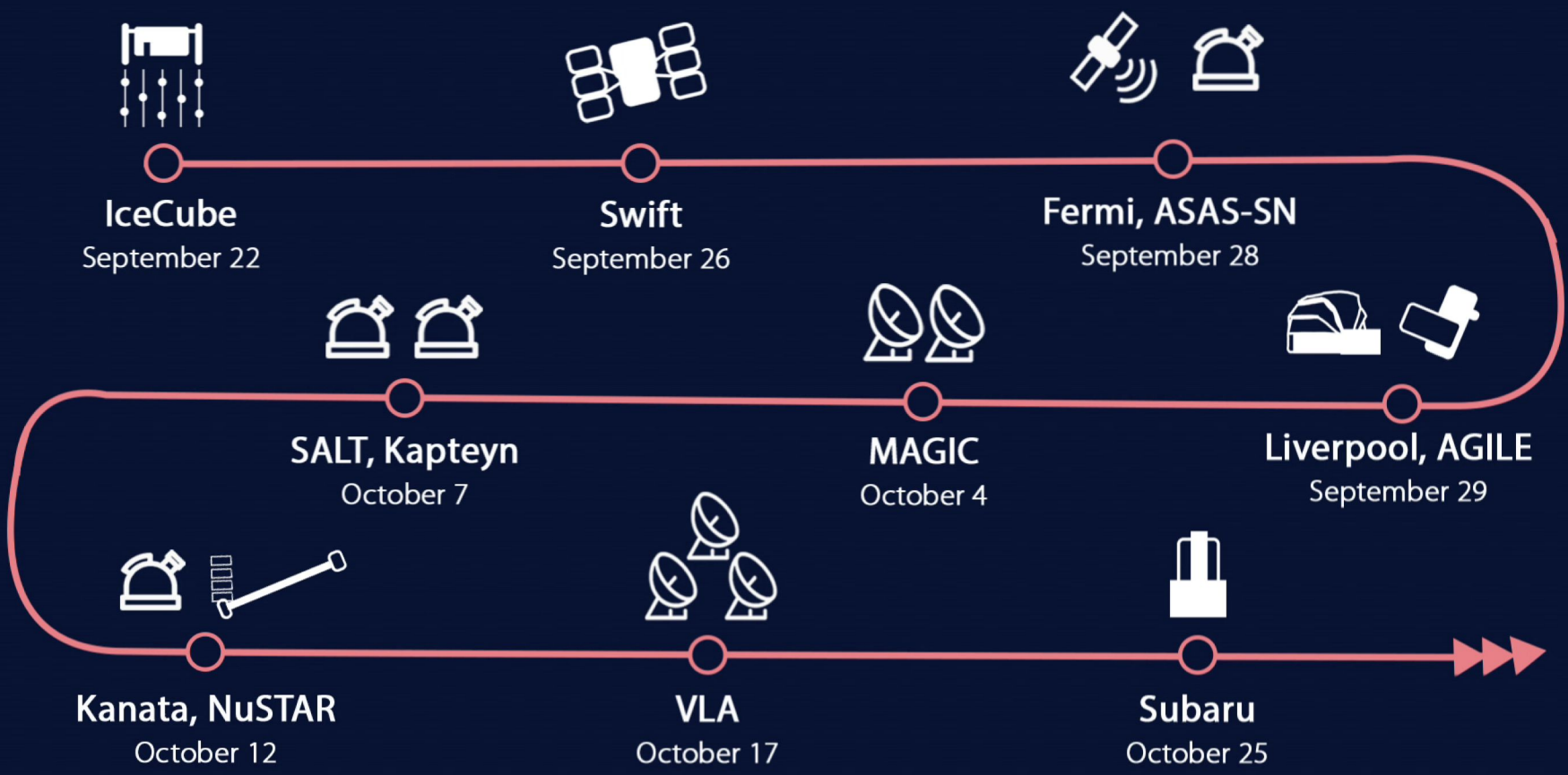
MAGIC
detects emission of
> 100 GeV gammas



MAGIC atmospheric Cherenkov telescope



Follow-up detections of IC170922 based on public telegrams



IceCube

September 22



Swift

September 26



Fermi, ASAS-SN

September 28



SALT, Kapteyn

October 7



MAGIC

October 4



Liverpool, AGILE

September 29



Kanata, NuSTAR

October 12



VLA

October 17



Subaru

October 25

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 ($EW \sim 0.1 \text{ \AA}$) emission lines that we identify with [O II] 3727 Å, [O III] 5007 Å, and [NII] 6583 Å, yielding the redshift $z = 0.3365 \pm 0.0010$.

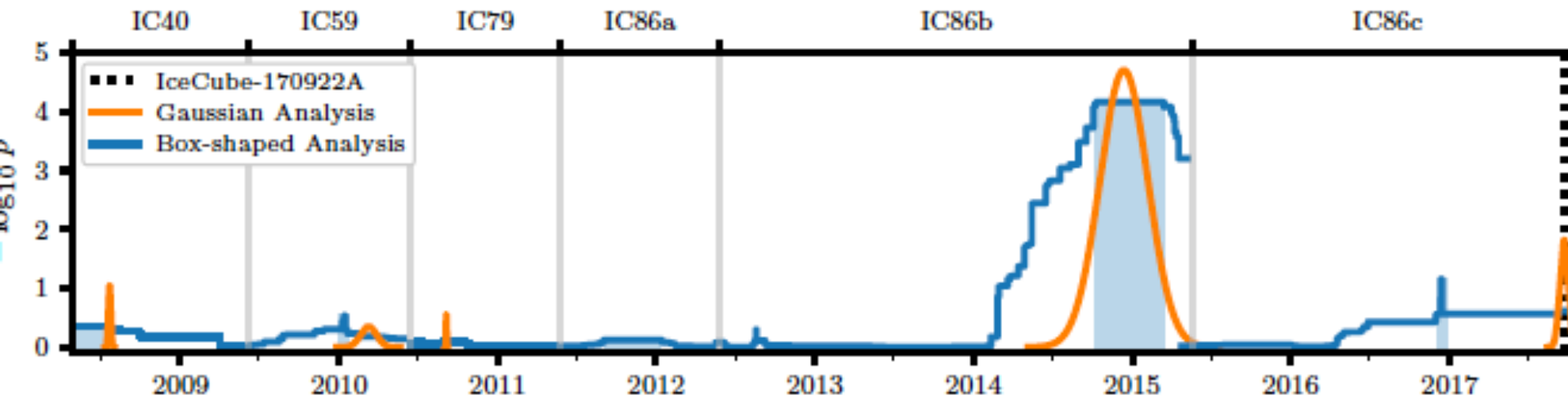
Keywords: galaxies: BL Lacertae objects: individual (TXS 0506+056) – distances and redshifts – gamma rays: galaxies –neutrinos

- 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

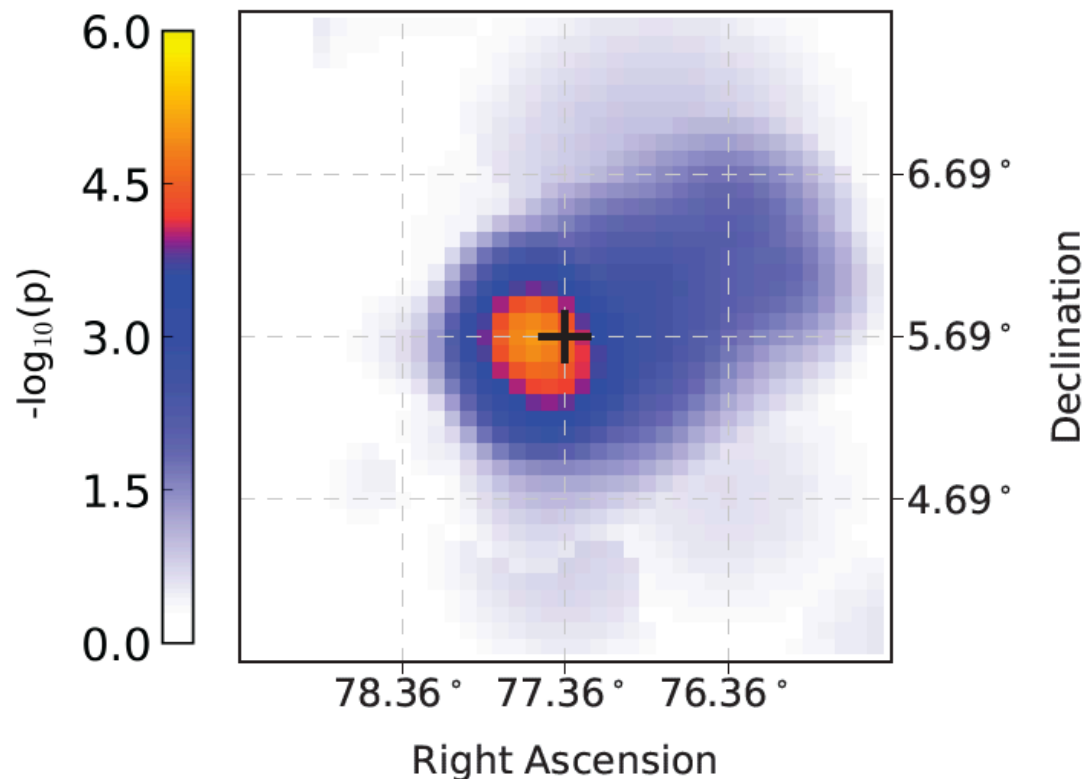
IceCube, *Fermi* –LAT, MAGIC, Agile, ASAS-SN, HAWC, H.E.S.S, INTEGRAL, Kapteyn, Kanata, KISO, Liverpool, Subaru, *Swift*, VLA, VERITAS

- neutrino: time 22.09.17, 20:54:31 UTC
energy 290 TeV
direction RA 77.43° Dec 5.72°
 - Fermi-LAT: flaring blazar within 0.1° (7x steady flux)
 - MAGIC: TeV source in follow-up observations
 - follow-up by 12 more telescopes
- → IceCube archival data (without look-elsewhere effect)
 - → Fermi-LAT archival data

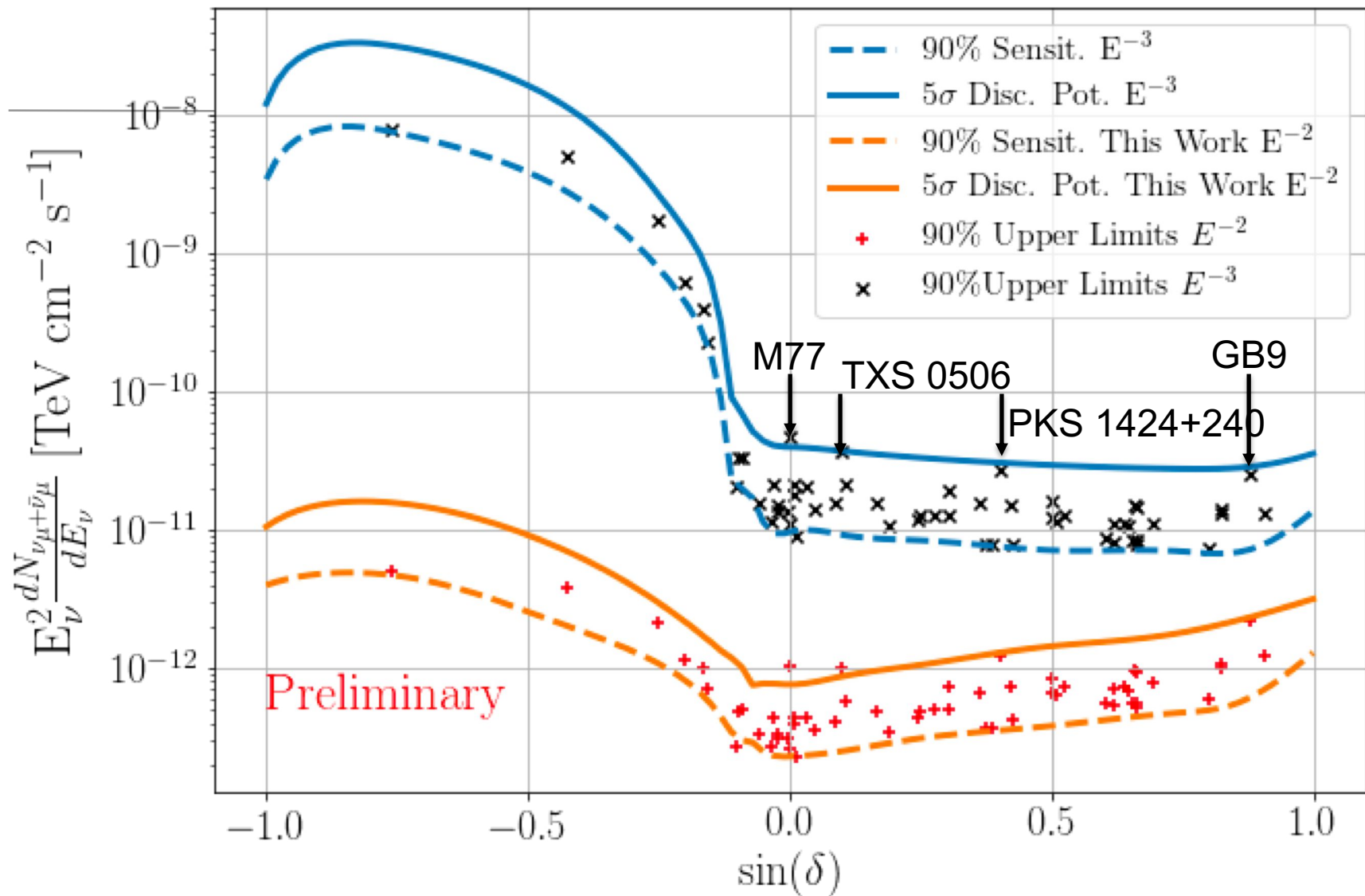


search in archival
IceCube data:

- 150 day flare in December 2014 of 19 events (bkg <6)
- $2 \cdot 10^{-5}$ bkg.probability
- spectrum $E^{-2.1}$



Why not seen before?



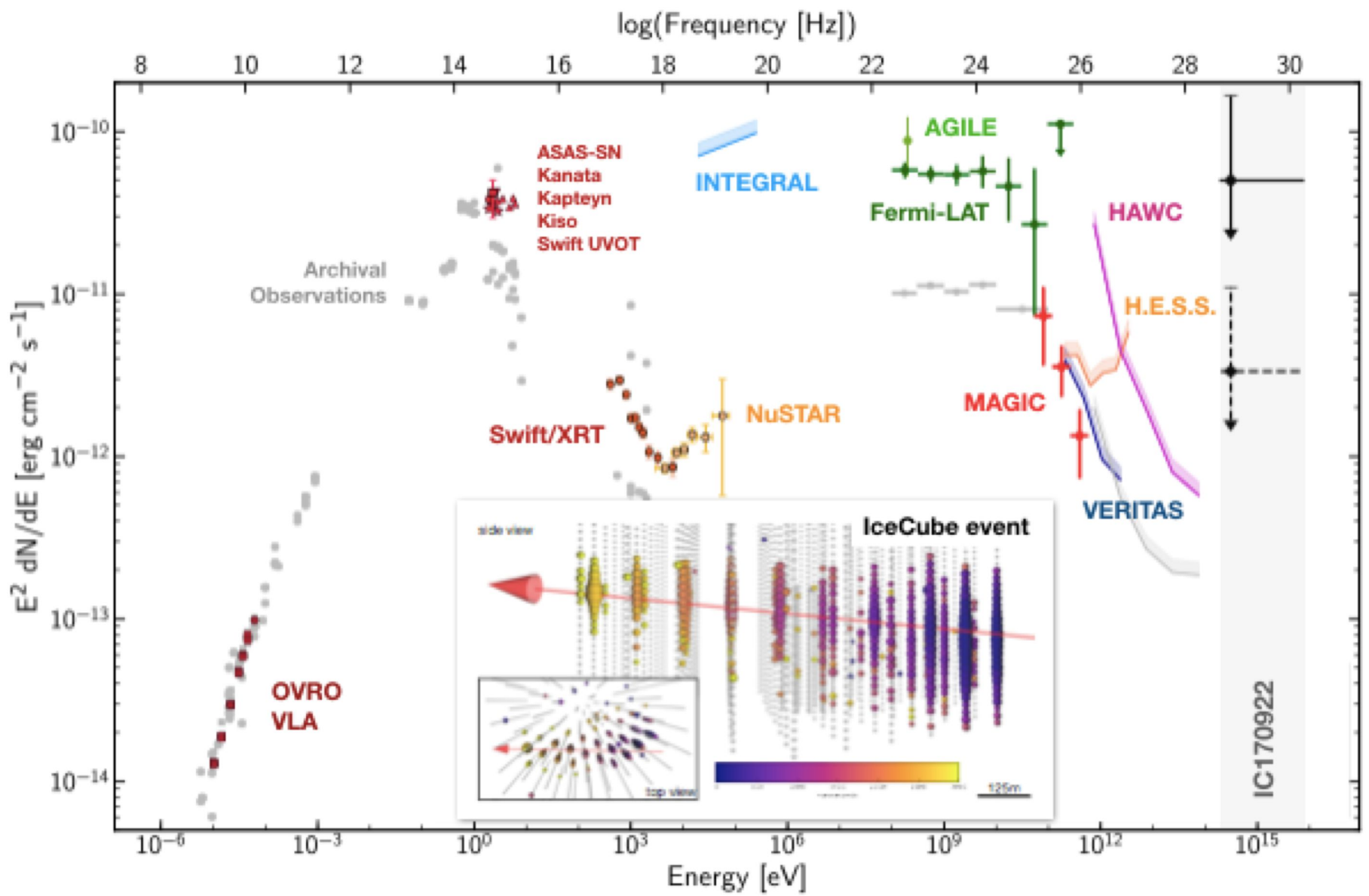
this is the case for larger detectors with better angular resolution!

we identified a source of high energy cosmic rays:

the active galaxy (blazar) TXS 0506+056 at a
redshift of 0.33

at ten times further distance, it outshines nearby
active galaxies: is it special?

extensive multiwavelength campaign will allow us
to study the first cosmic accelerator



we know that this one is a cosmic ray source

relation between flaring sources and the diffuse flux ?

diffuse ν_μ flux

TXS luminosity

$$\sum_{\alpha} E_{\nu}^2 \frac{dN_{\nu}}{dE_{\nu}} = \frac{1}{4\pi} \frac{c}{H_0} \xi_z L_{\nu} \rho \mathcal{F} \frac{\Delta t}{T}$$

density of blazars

$$\sum_{\alpha} E_{\nu}^2 \frac{dN_{\nu}}{dE_{\nu}} \simeq 7.4 \times 10^{-9} \text{ TeV cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1} \text{ sr}^{-1} \times$$

$$\left(\frac{\mathcal{F}}{4\pi} \right) \left(\frac{c/H_0}{4.3 \text{ Gpc}} \right) \left(\frac{\xi_z}{0.7} \right) \left(\frac{L_{\nu}}{1.2 \times 10^{47} \text{ erg/s}} \right)$$

$$\left(\frac{\rho}{1.5 \times 10^{-8} \text{ Mpc}^{-3}} \right) \left(\frac{\Delta t}{110 \text{ d}} \right) \left(\frac{10 \text{ yr}}{T} \right).$$

5%

a special class of blazars that undergo 110-day duration flares like TXS 0506+056 once every 10 years accommodates the observed diffuse flux of high-energy cosmic neutrinos (selected by evolution?)

a target that produces > 12 neutrinos in 110 days is opaque to gamma rays that lose energy in the source even before entering the EBL

$$\frac{1}{3} \sum_{\alpha} E_{\nu}^2 \frac{dN_{\nu}}{dE_{\nu}} \simeq \frac{c}{4\pi} \left(\frac{1}{2} (1 - e^{-\tau_{p\gamma}}) \xi_z t_H \frac{dE}{dt} \right)$$

accompanying photons below Fermi threshold

proton beam normalized to the energy density in cosmic rays

$$\frac{dE}{dt} \simeq (1 - 2) \times 10^{44} \text{ erg Mpc}^{-3} \text{ yr}^{-1}$$

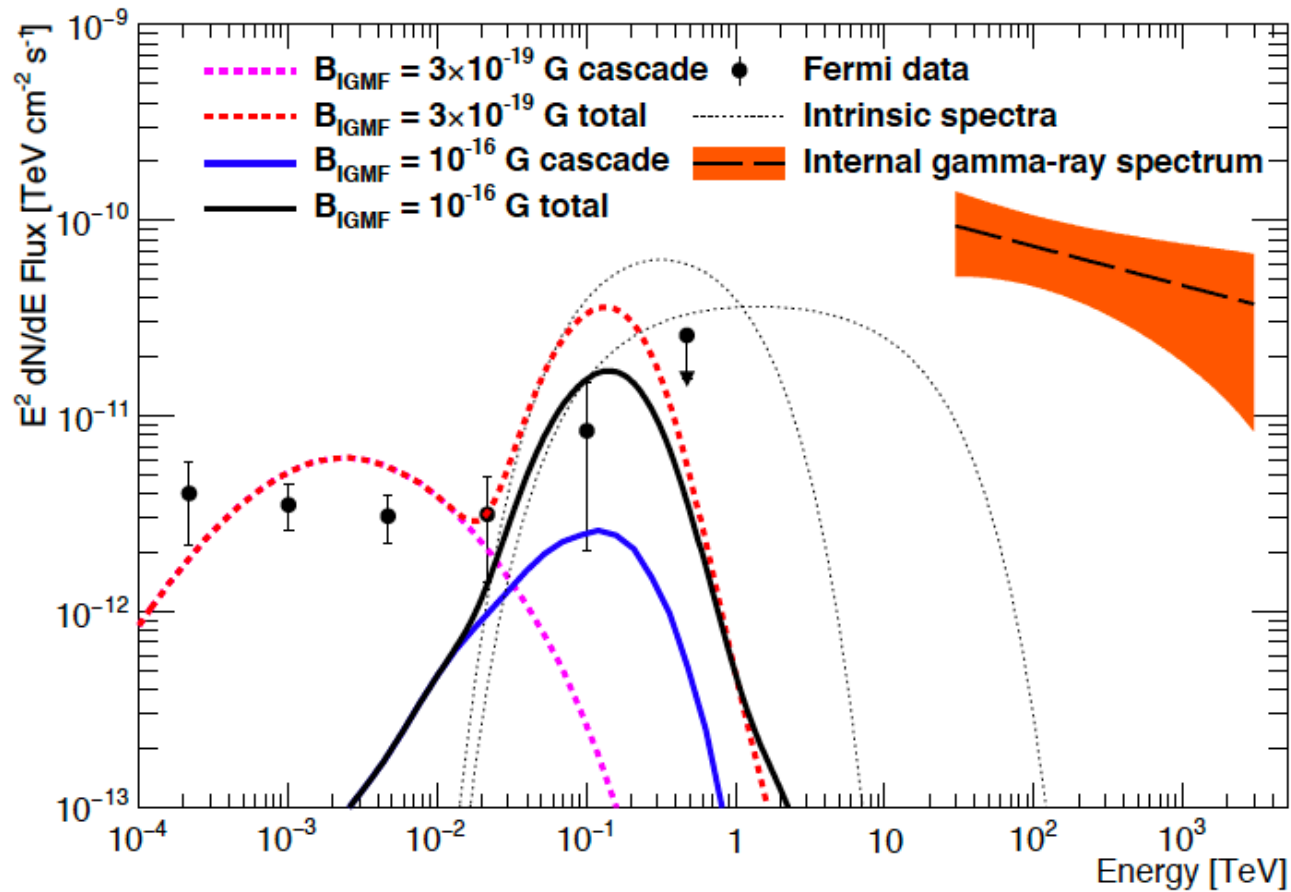
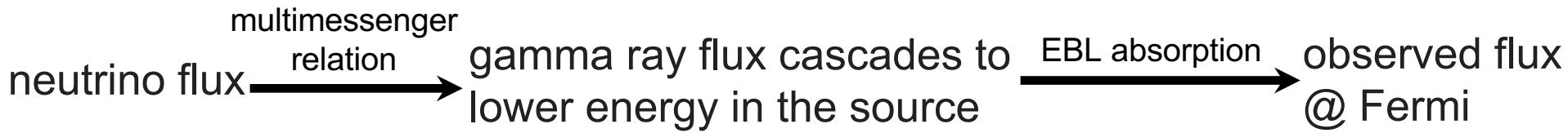
$$\tau_{\gamma\gamma} \approx \frac{\eta_{\gamma\gamma} \sigma_{\gamma\gamma}}{\eta_{p\gamma} \hat{\sigma}_{p\gamma}} \tau_{p\gamma}$$

the gamma rays that accompany the neutrinos lose energy in the source

$$\tau_{p\gamma} \gtrsim 0.4$$

opacity of the gamma ray target

the multimessenger picture



*Fermi data from S. Garrappa+, TeVPA2018

neutron star-neutron star merger



LIGO-VIRGO



Rosswog and Ramirez-Ruiz

merger of neutron stars about to launch a jet



high-energy neutrinos:
from collimation (TeV) and
internal shocks (PeV):

protons photoproduce neutrinos

- on photons from leakage of the collimated jet
- on synchrotron photons from electrons (internal shock)

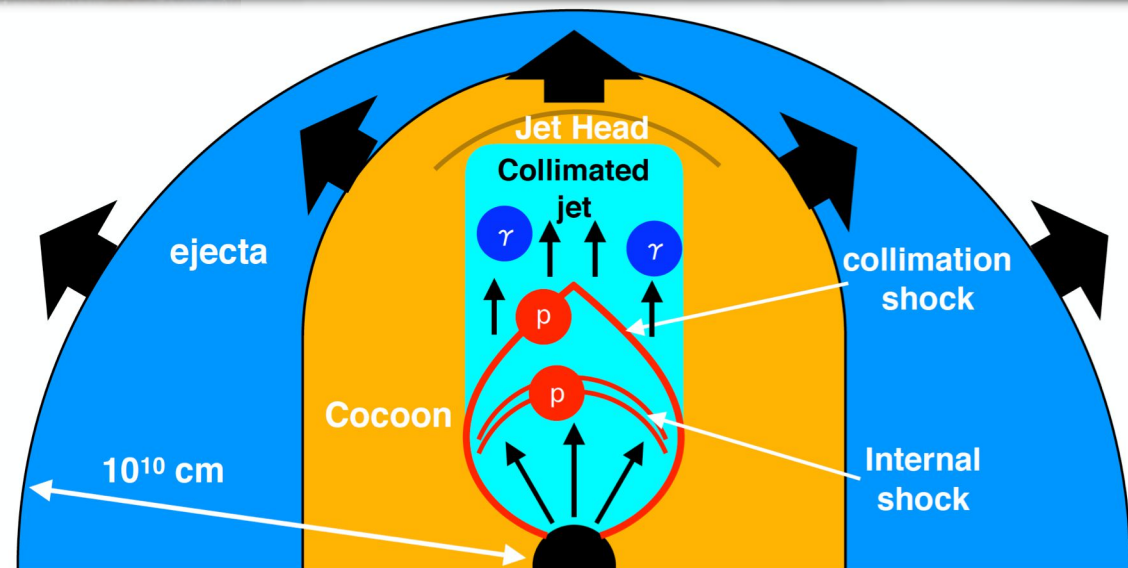


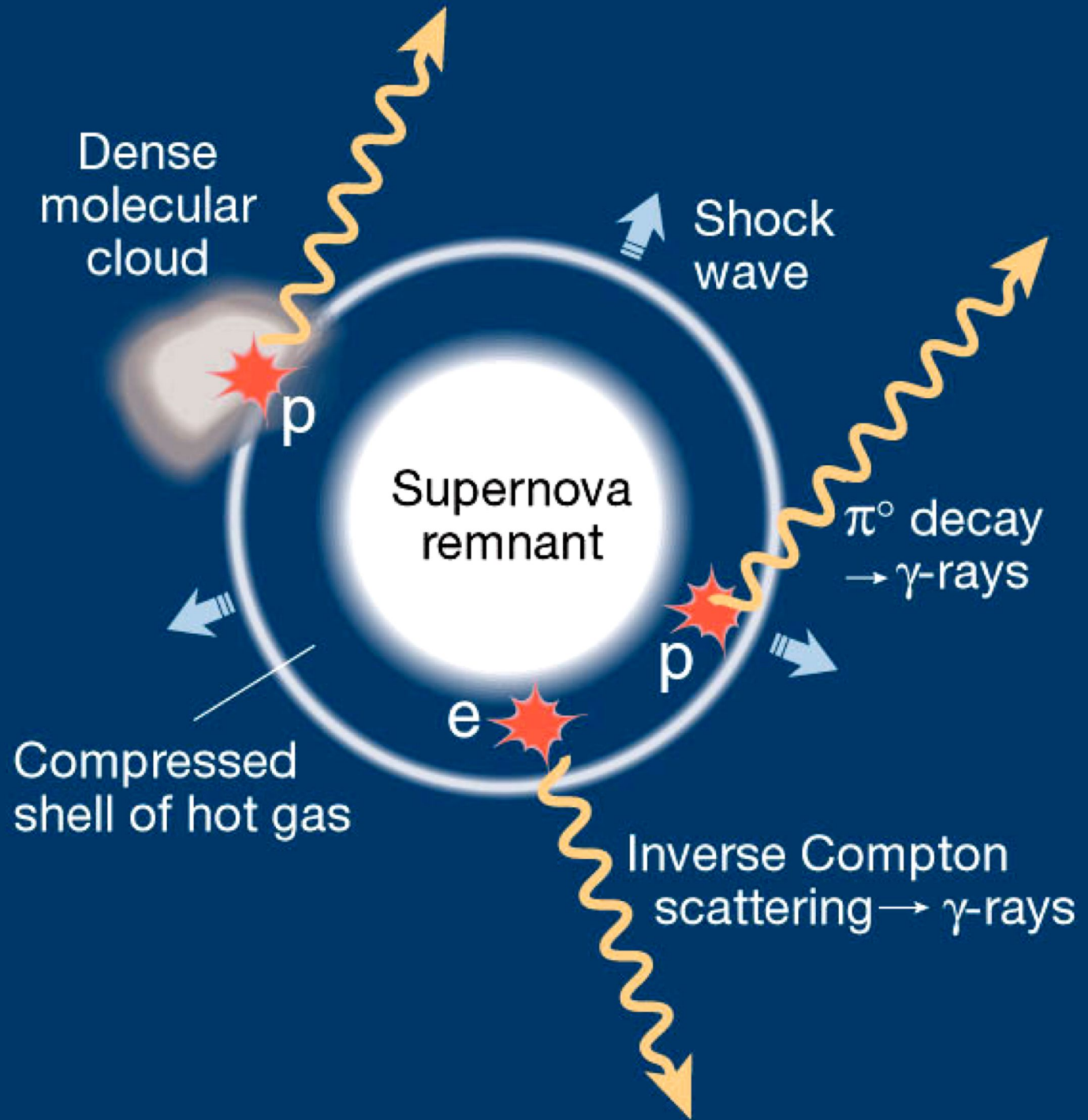
TABLE II. Detection probability of neutrinos by IceCube and IceCube-Gen2

Number of detected neutrinos from single event at 40 Mpc			
model	IceCube-North	IceCube-South	Gen2-North
A	6.6	0.55	29
B	0.36	0.023	1.5
Number of detected neutrinos from single event at 300 Mpc			
model	IceCube-North	IceCube-South	Gen2-North
A	0.12	9.7×10^{-3}	0.52
B	6.2×10^{-3}	4.2×10^{-4}	0.027
GW+neutrino detection rate [yr^{-1}]			
model	IceCube		Gen2
A	1.1		2.6
B	0.076		0.28

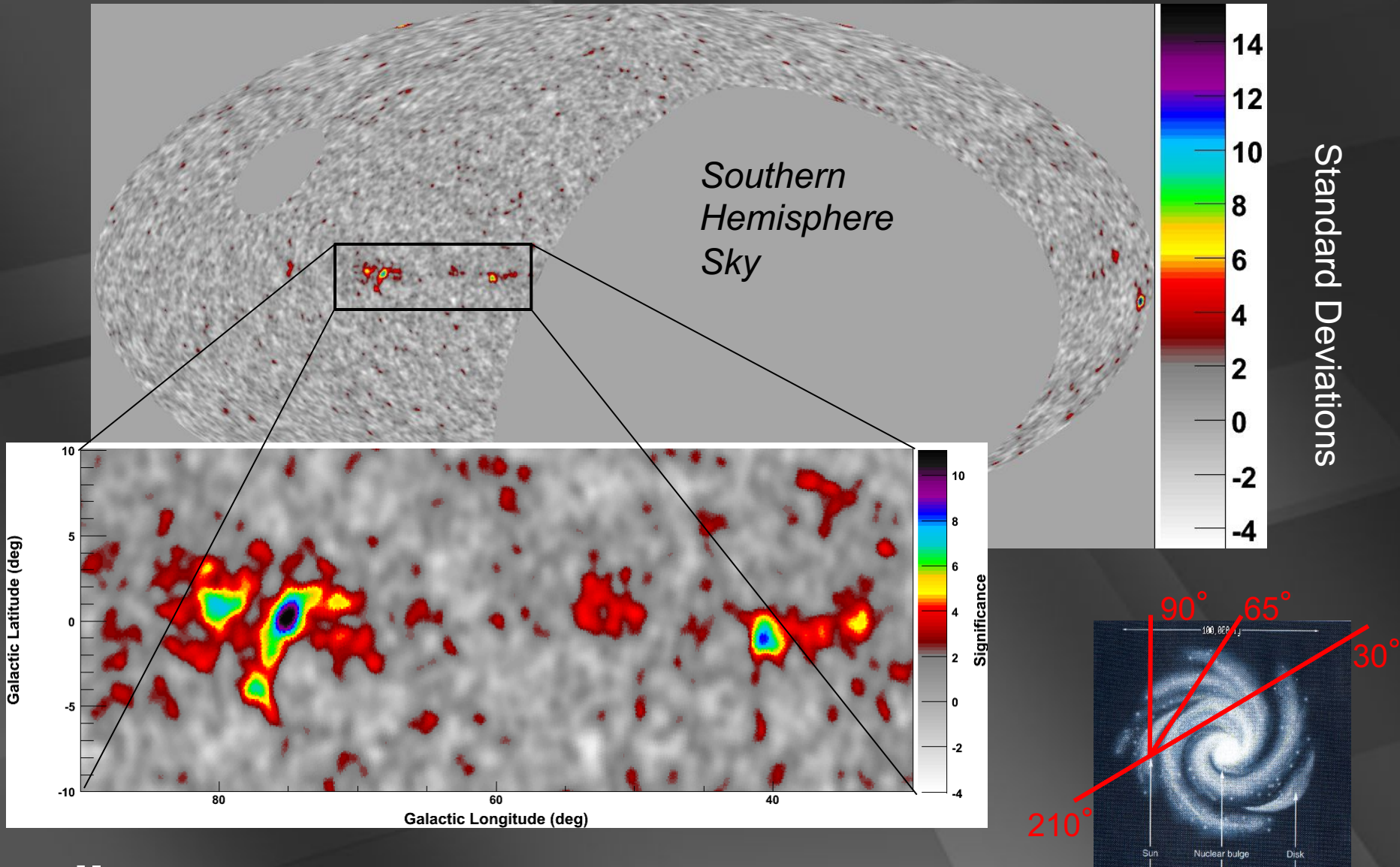
Galactic sources?

**neutrinos
from
supernova
remnants:**

molecular
clouds as
beam dumps
→
pion
production



galactic plane in 10 TeV gamma rays : supernova remnants in star forming regions



milagro

emissivity (units: (note!) per unit volume per GeV per second) in photons produced by a number density of cosmic rays N_p interacting with a target density n_{gas} per cm^3

**production
rate**

$$q_{\pi^0} = \int dE_p N_p(E_p) \delta(E_{\pi^0} - f_{\pi^0} E_{p,kin}) \sigma_{pp}(E_p) n_{gas} c$$

**total cross
section**

$$f_{\pi^0} \left(\equiv K_p \right) = \left\langle \frac{E_{\pi}}{E_p} \right\rangle \text{ and } q_{\gamma}(E_{\gamma}) = 2q_{\pi} \left(\frac{E_{\pi}}{2} \right)$$

$$\int_{1\text{TeV}} dE_\gamma E_\gamma \frac{dN_\gamma}{dE_\gamma} = \frac{1}{4\pi d^2} L_\gamma$$

$$L_\gamma = V Q_\gamma = \frac{W}{\rho_{cr}} Q_\gamma$$

volume of the remnant

$10^{-12} \text{ erg/cm}^3$

*energy in >TeV photons
produced by cosmic
rays per cm^3 per sec*

γ , ν flux of galactic cosmic rays

a SNR at $d = 1$ kpc transferring $W = 10^{50}$ erg to cosmic rays interacting with interstellar gas (or molecular clouds) with density $n > 1$ cm^{-3} produces a gamma-ray flux of

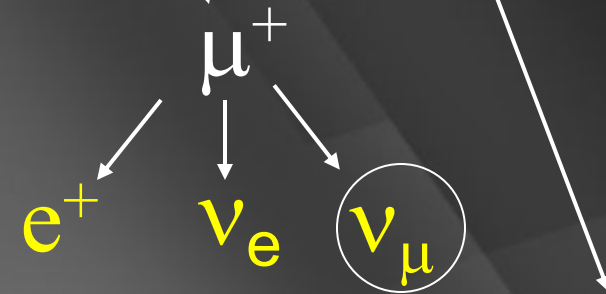
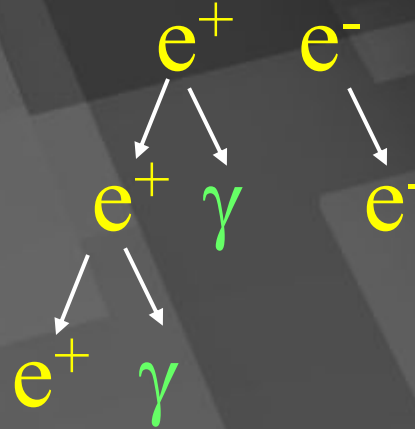
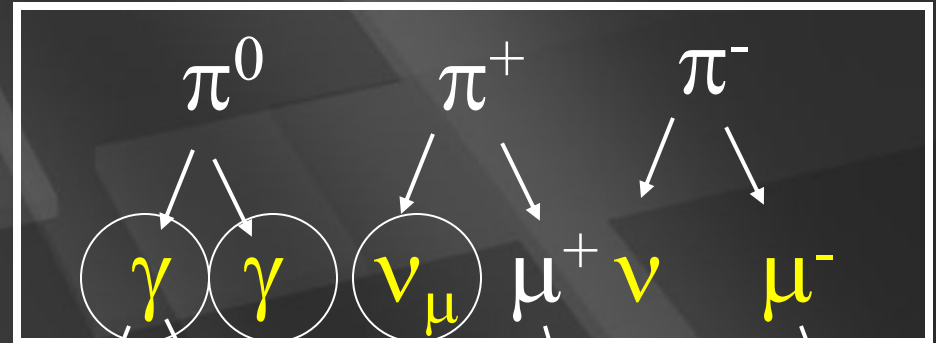
$$E \frac{dN_{\gamma}}{dE} (> 1 \text{ TeV}) =$$
$$\geq 10^{-11} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1} \frac{W}{10^{50} \text{ erg}} \frac{n}{1 \text{ cm}^{-3}} \left(\frac{d}{1 \text{ kpc}} \right)^{-2}$$

should be observed by present
TeV gamma-ray telescopes

Milagro sources ?
RX J1713.7-3946??

neutral pions
are observed as
gamma rays

charged pions
are observed as
neutrinos



$$\nu_\mu + \bar{\nu}_\mu = \gamma + \gamma$$

ν flux accompanying TeV gammas

$$\frac{dN_\nu}{dE} \cong \frac{1}{2} \frac{dN_\gamma}{dE}$$

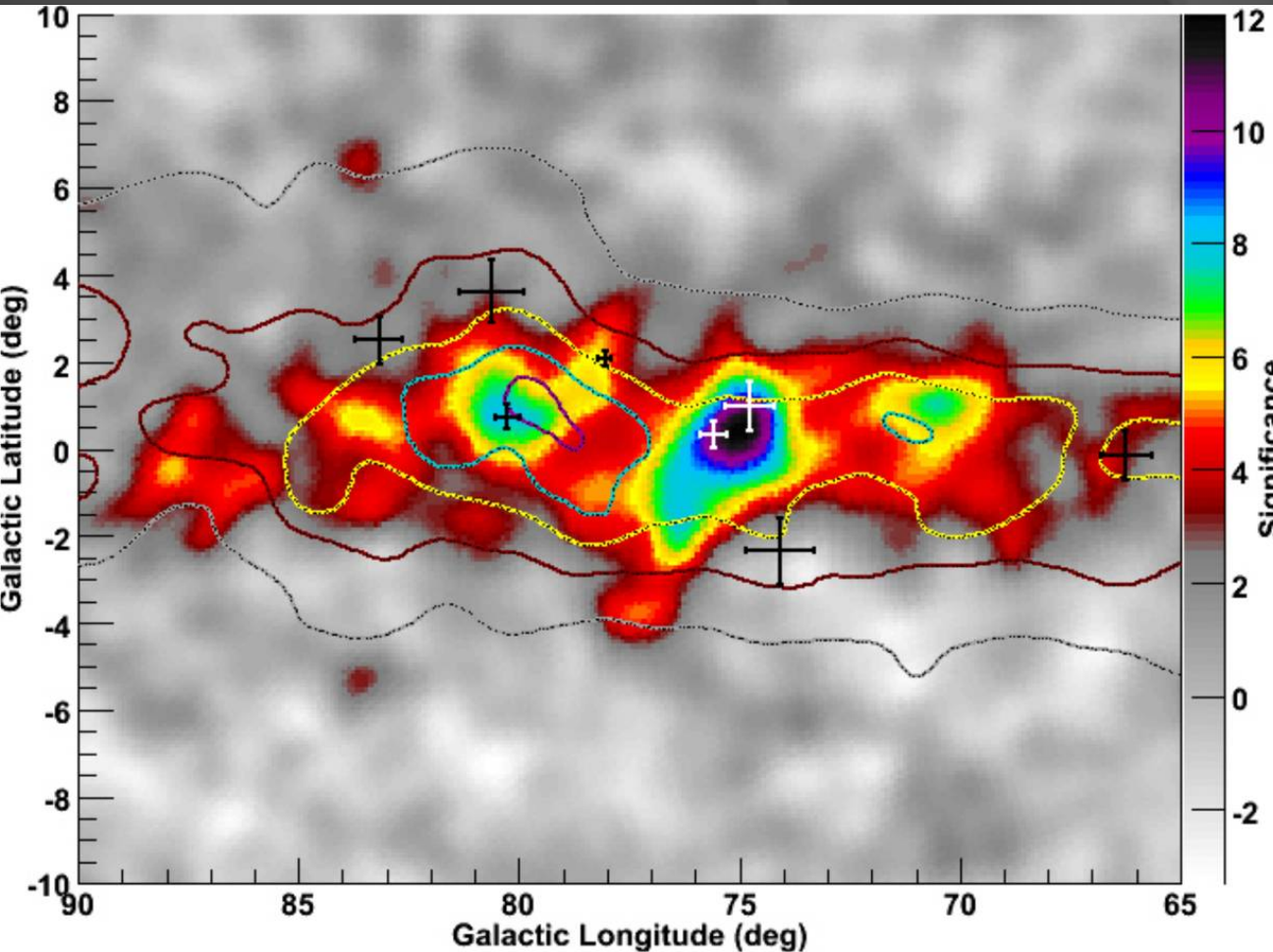
$$\text{number of events} = \text{Area Time} \int dE \frac{dN_\nu}{dE} P_{\nu \rightarrow \mu}$$

$$= 1.5 \ln \left(\frac{E_{\max}}{E_{\min}} \right) \text{ events per km}^2 \text{ per year per source!}$$

reject background

$\rightarrow E \geq 40 \text{ TeV}$

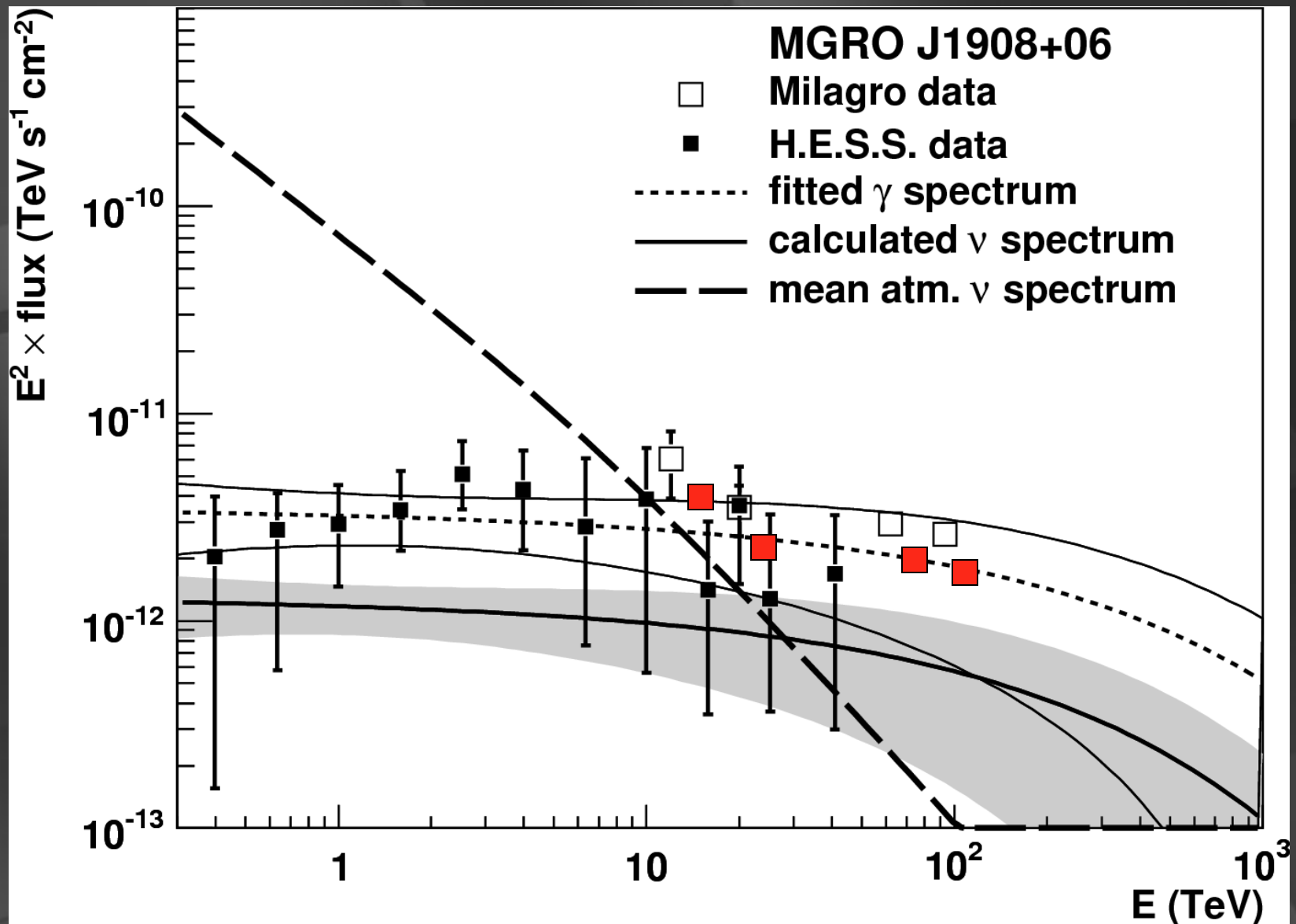
Cygnus region at ~ 1 kpc : Milagro



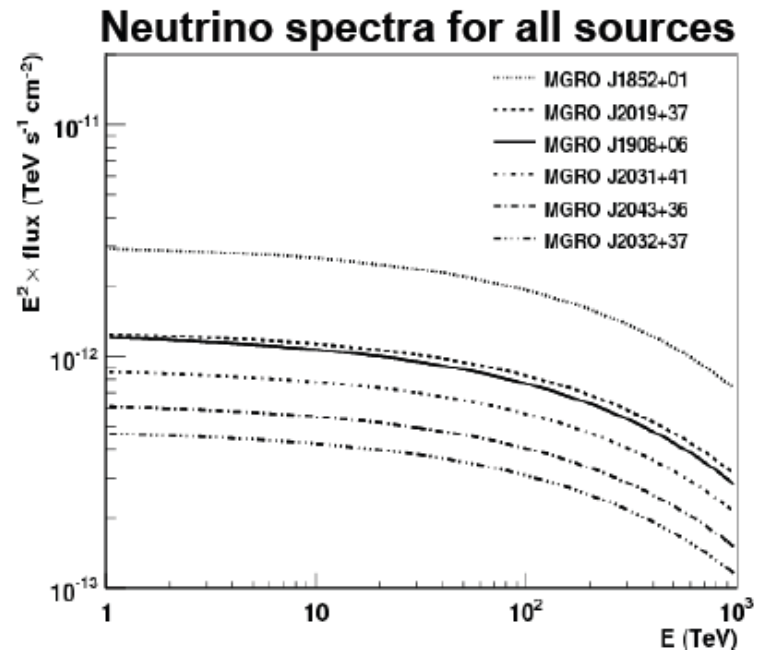
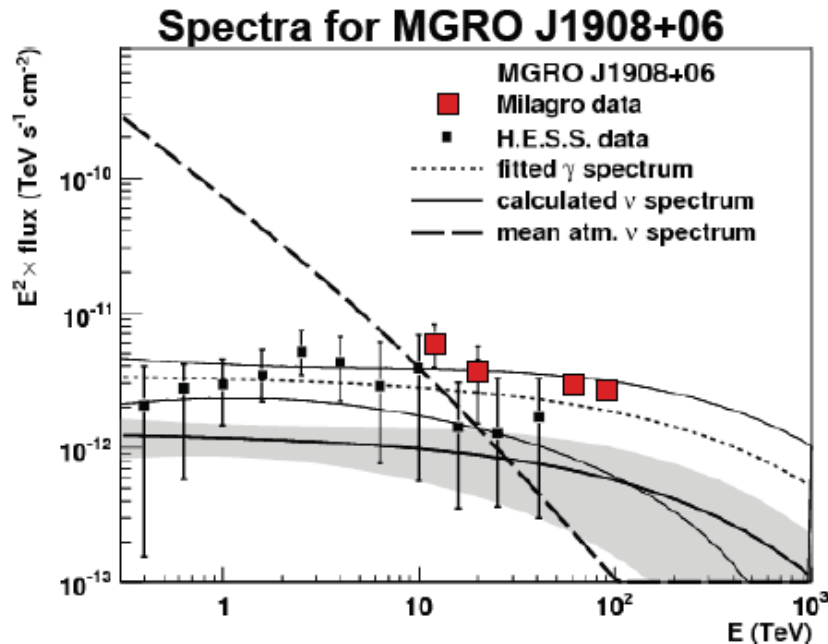
translation of
TeV gamma rays
into
TeV neutrinos
yields:

3 ± 1 ν per year in IceCube per source

MGRO J1908+06: the first Pevatron?



Gamma and Neutrino Spectra

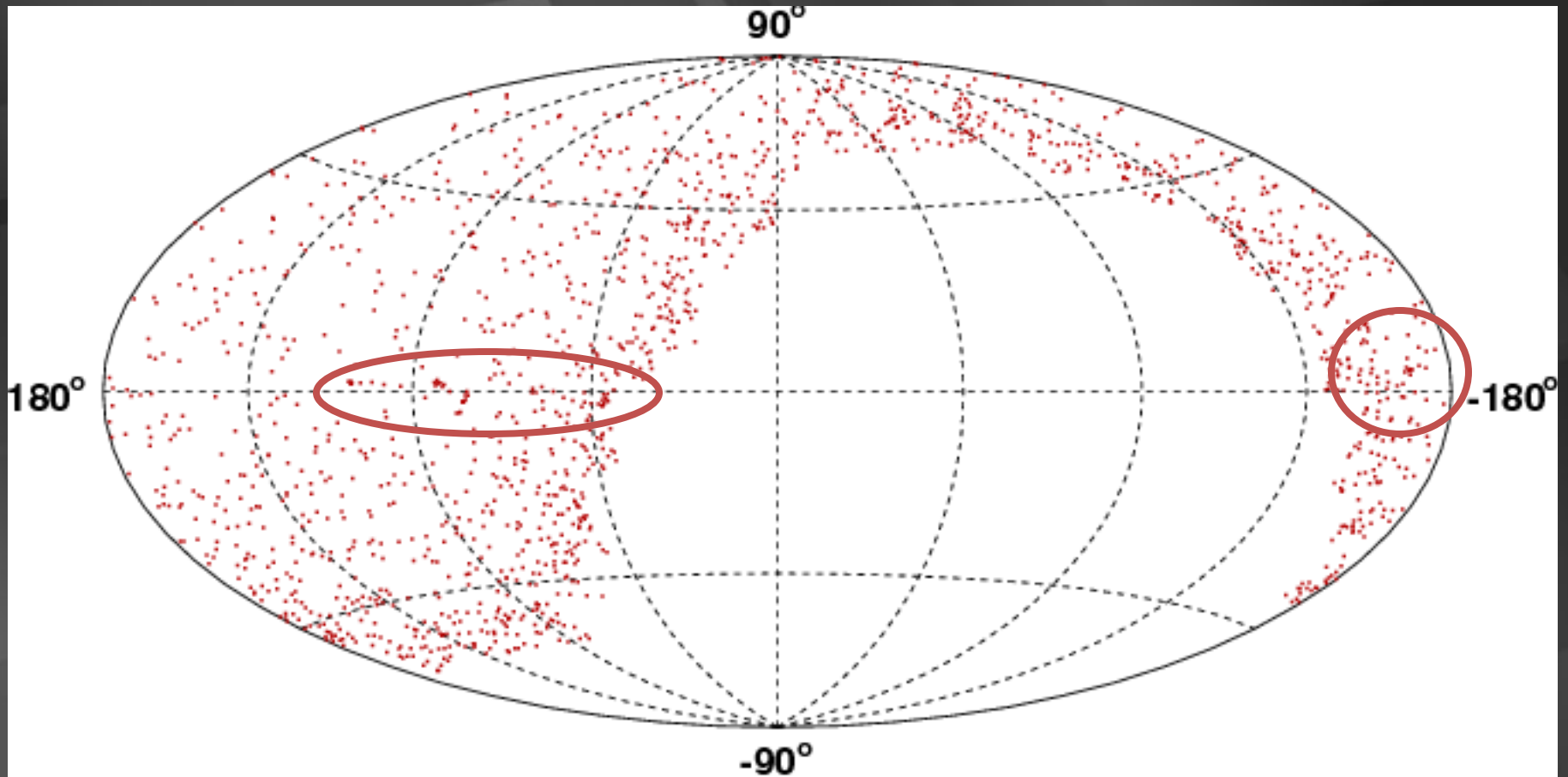


Halzen, Kappes, O'Murchadha: arXiv:0803.0314

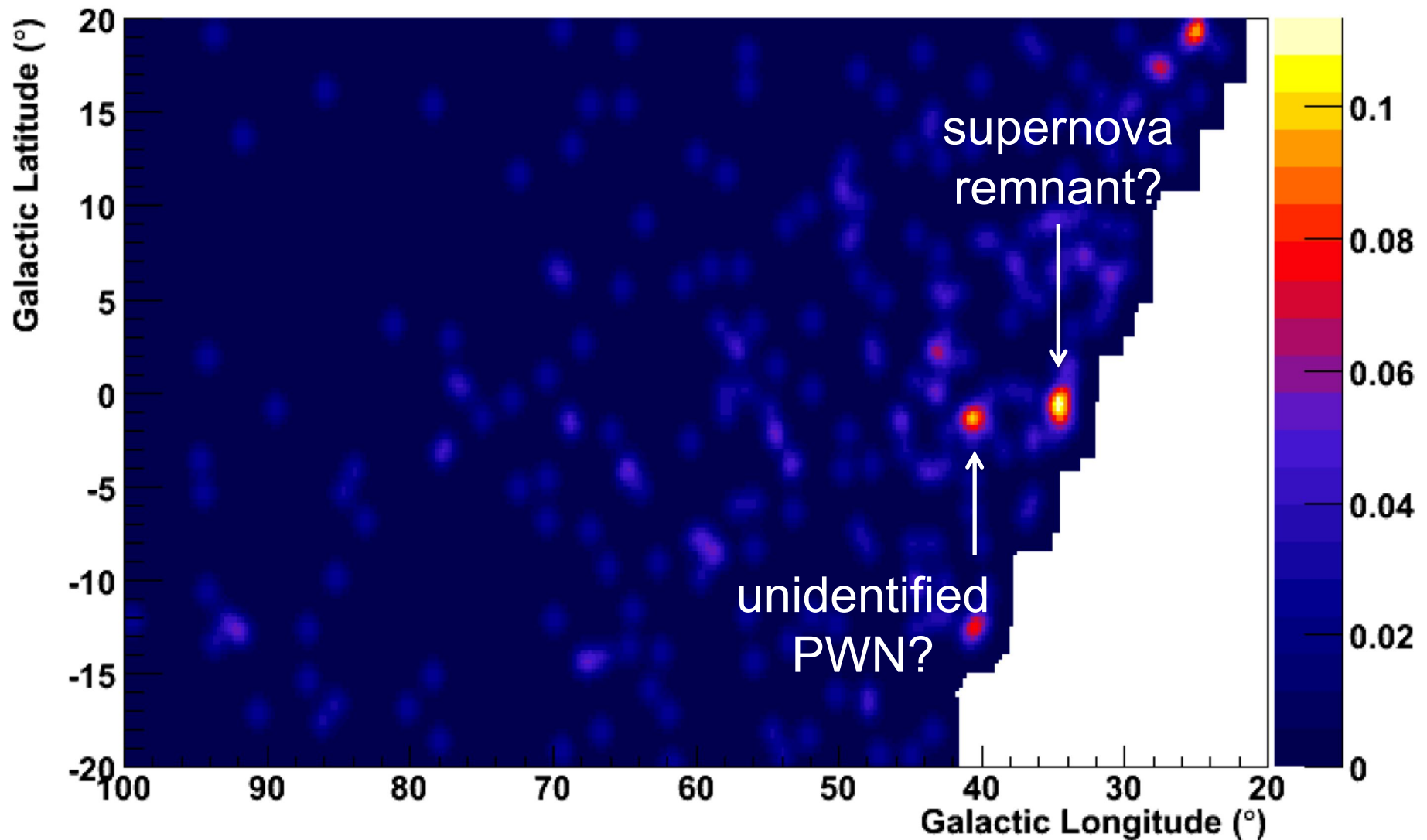
- Assumed E^{-2} with Milagro normalization (MGRO J1908 index = 2.1)
- ν spectrum cutoff @ 180 TeV

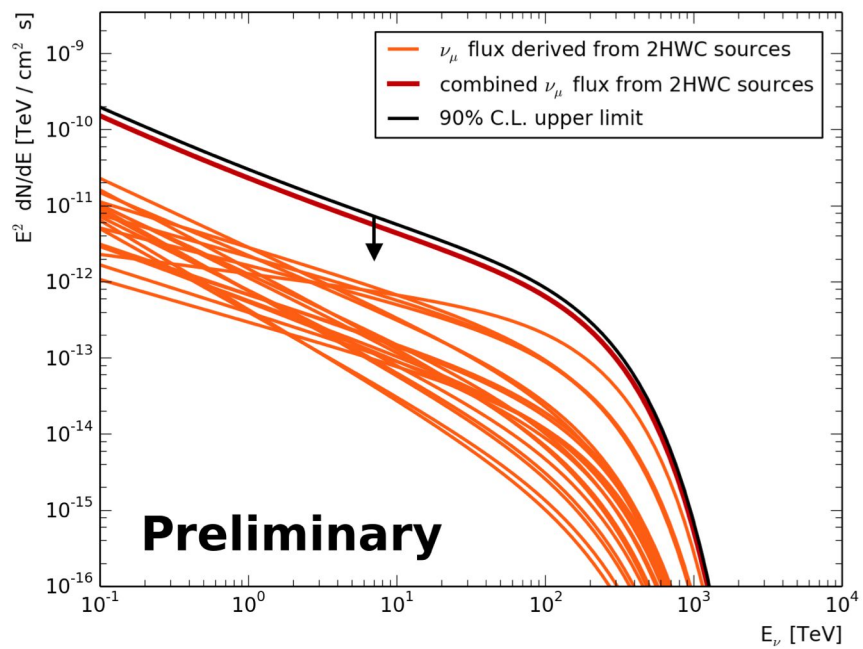
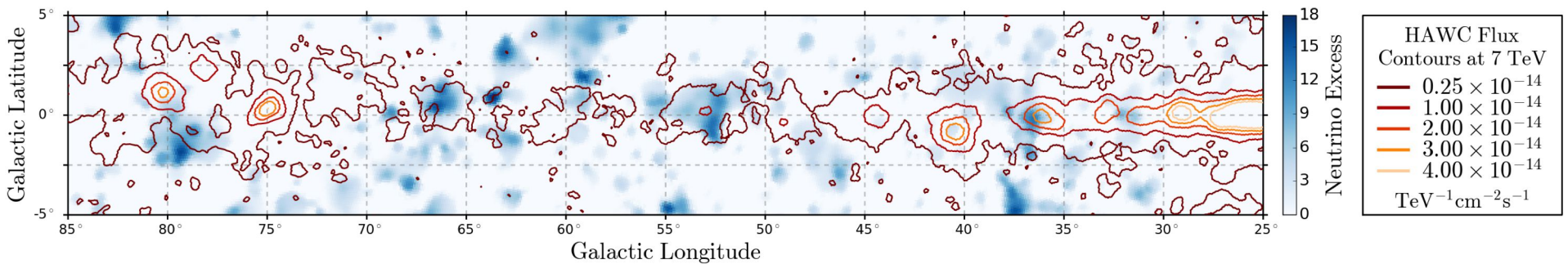
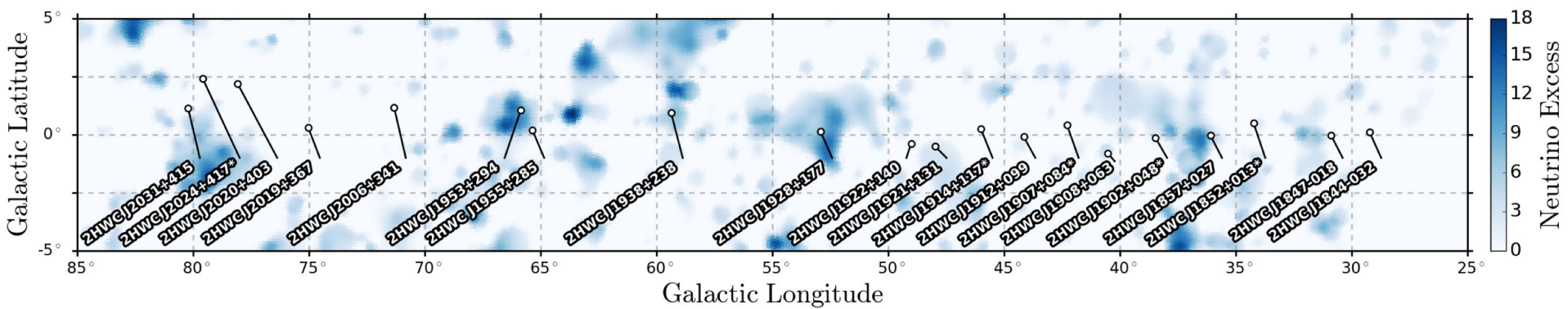
5σ in 5 years of IceCube ...

IceCube image of our Galaxy > 10 TeV



Simulated sky map of IceCube in Galactic coordinates after five years of operation of the completed detector. Two Milagro sources are visible with four events for MGRO J1852+01 and three events for MGRO J1908+06 with energy in excess of 40 TeV.





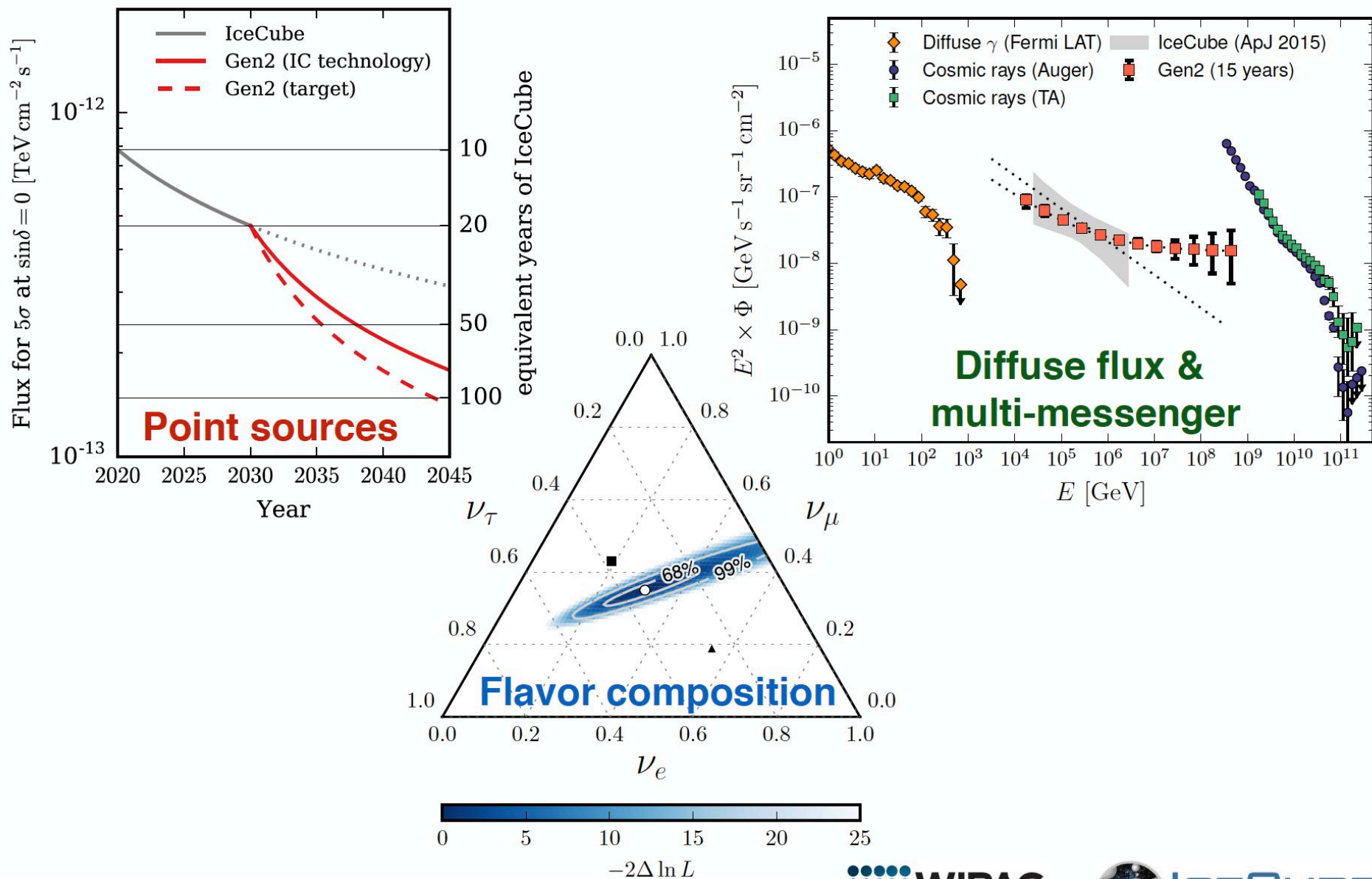


IceCube: the discovery of cosmic neutrinos

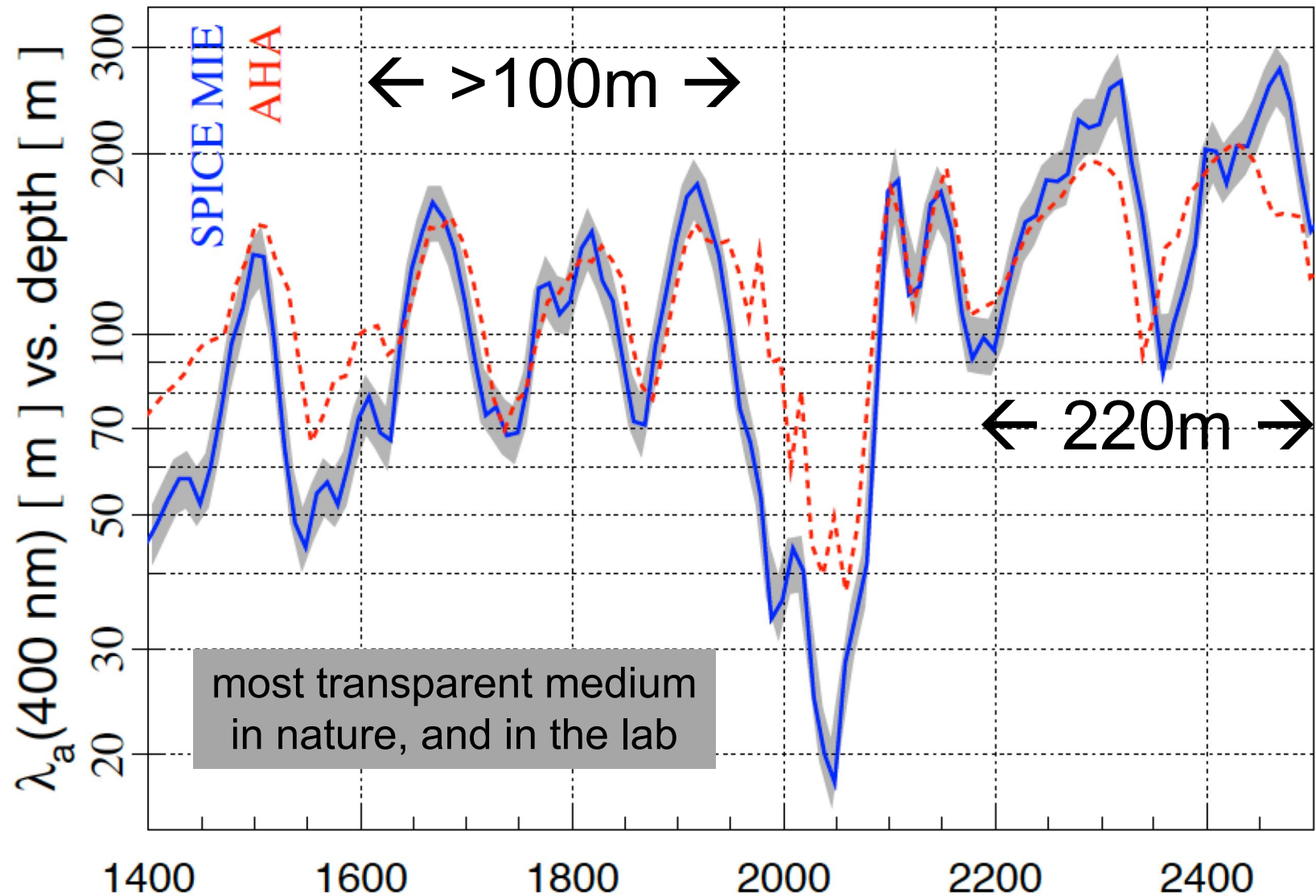
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- cosmogenic neutrinos
- cosmic ray accelerators
- IceCube a discovery instrument
- the discovery of cosmic neutrinos
- where do they come from?
- beyond IceCube

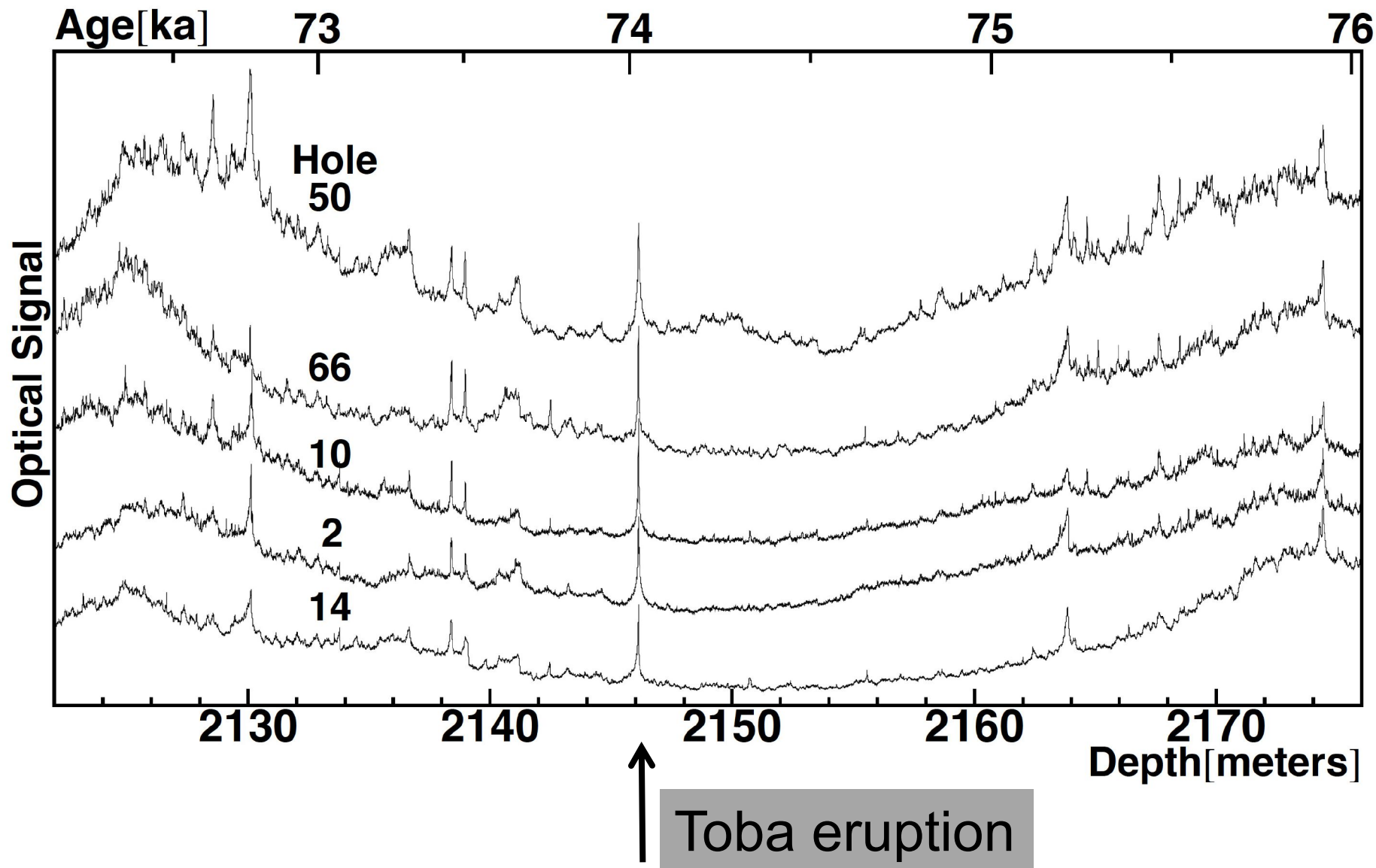
- a next-generation IceCube with a volume of 10 km^3 and an angular resolution of < 0.3 degrees will see multiple neutrinos and identify the sources, even from a “diffuse” extragalactic flux in several years
- need 1,000 events versus 100 now in a few years
- discovery instrument \rightarrow astronomical telescope



absorption length of Cherenkov light

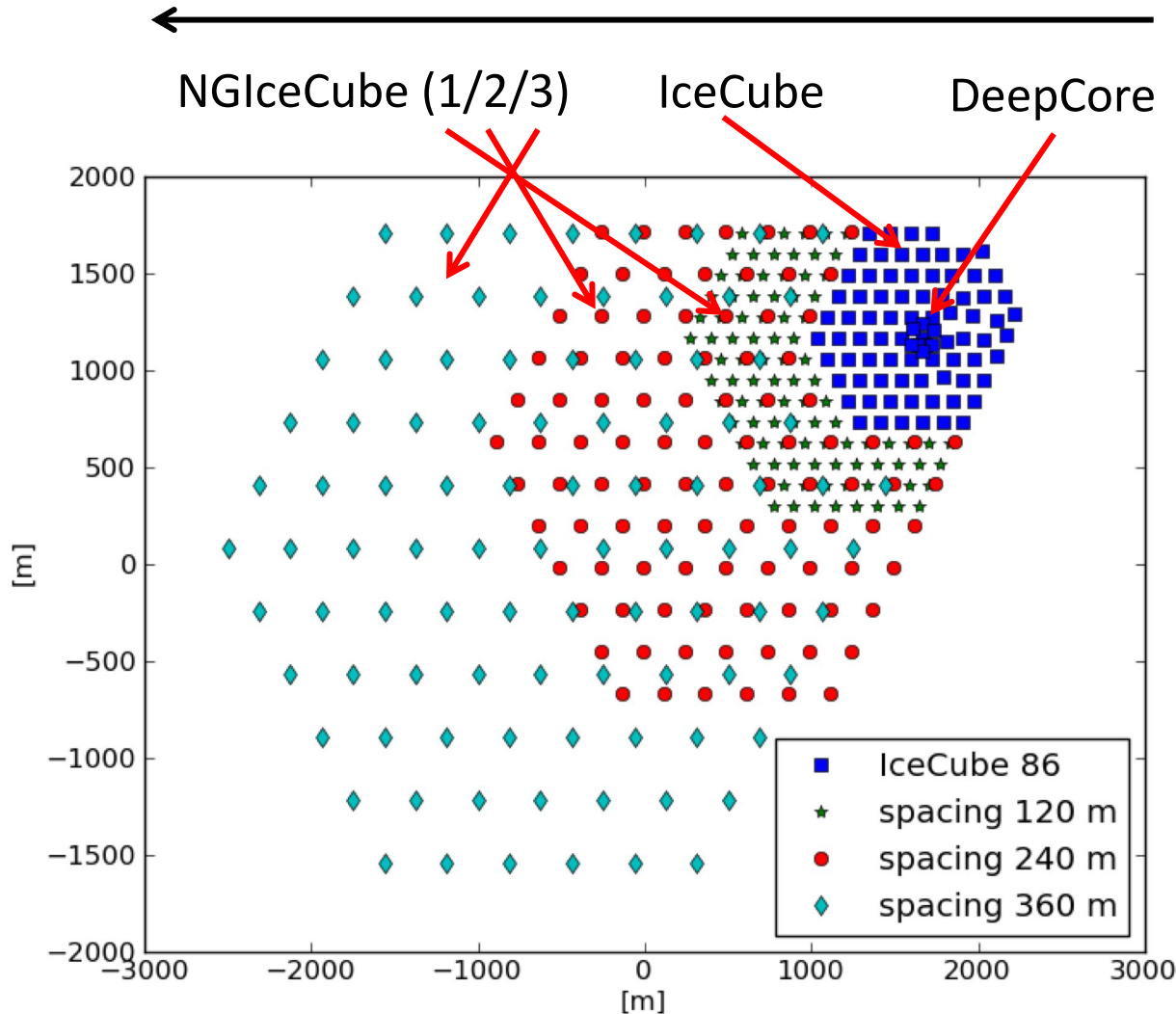


we are limited by computing, not the optics of the ice



measured optical properties → twice the string spacing

(increase in threshold not important: only eliminates energies where the atmospheric background dominates)



Spacing 1 (120m):
IceCube (1 km³)
+ 98 strings (1,3 km³)
= 2,3 km³

Spacing 2 (240m):
IceCube (1 km³)
+ 99 strings (5,3 km³)
= 6,3 km³

Spacing 3 (360m):
IceCube (1 km³)
+ 95 strings (11,6 km³)
= 12,6 km³

Baseline Gen2 DOM

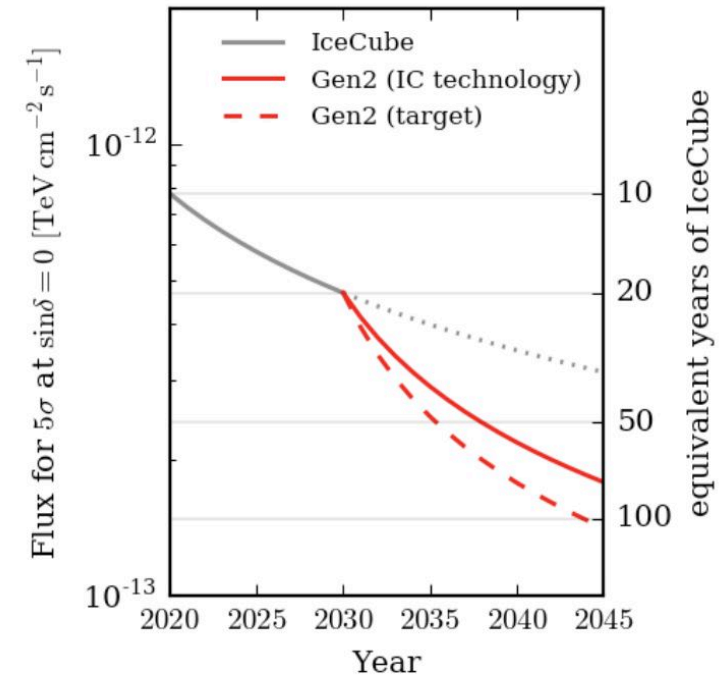
- updated electronics

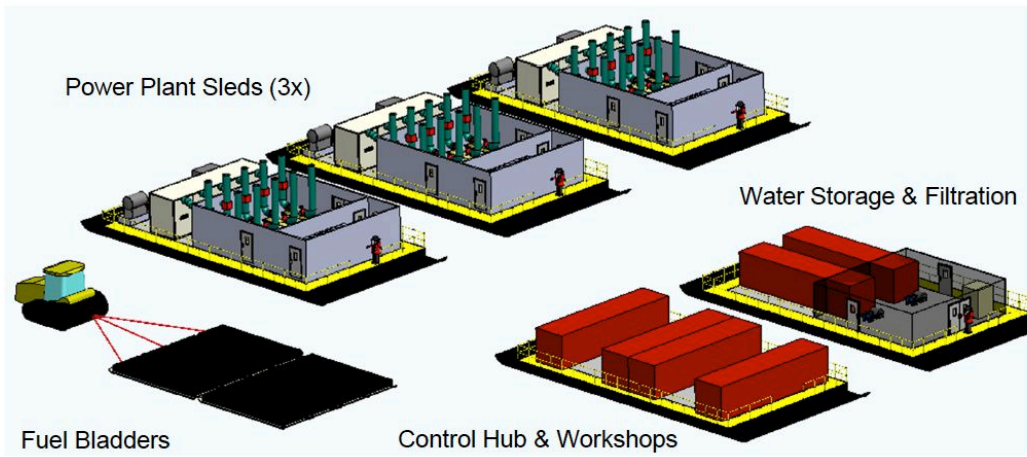


New technologies

- more PMTs
- wavelength shifters
- narrow profile
- better glass, gel

Point source sensitivity





- Next-generation Enhanced Hot Water Drill

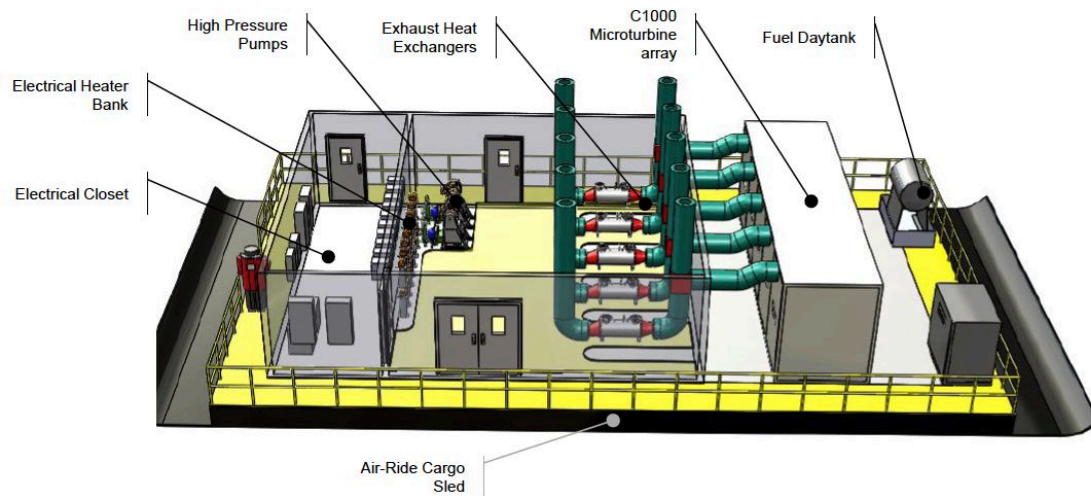
- reduced footprint
- smaller crew

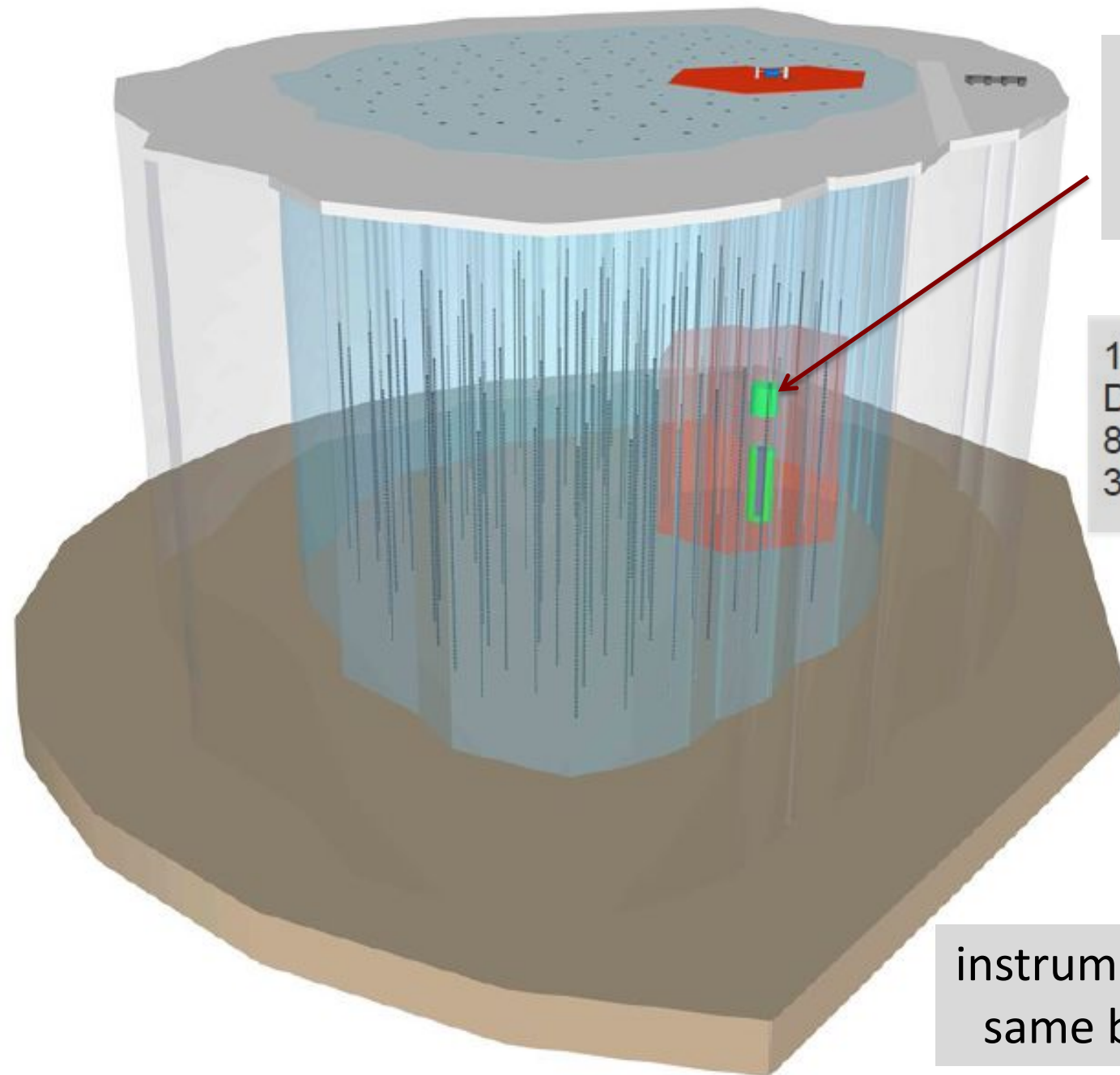
- Transport equipment and fuel using South Pole Traverse

- fewer flights needed

- May also reduce hole diameter

- reduced fuel usage





PINGU infill
40 strings
GeV threshold

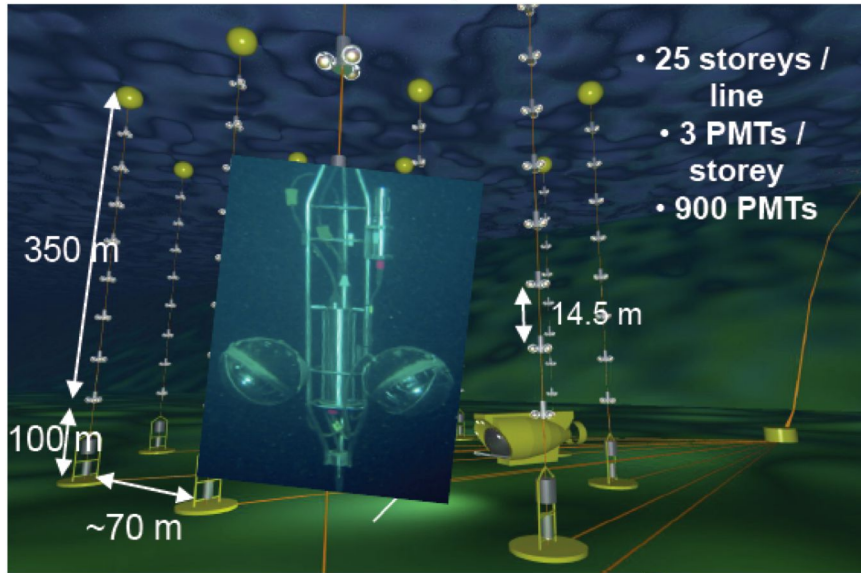
120 strings
Depth 1.35 to 2.7 km
80 DOMs/string
300 m spacing

instrumented volume: x 10
same budget as IceCube



Mediterranean Detectors

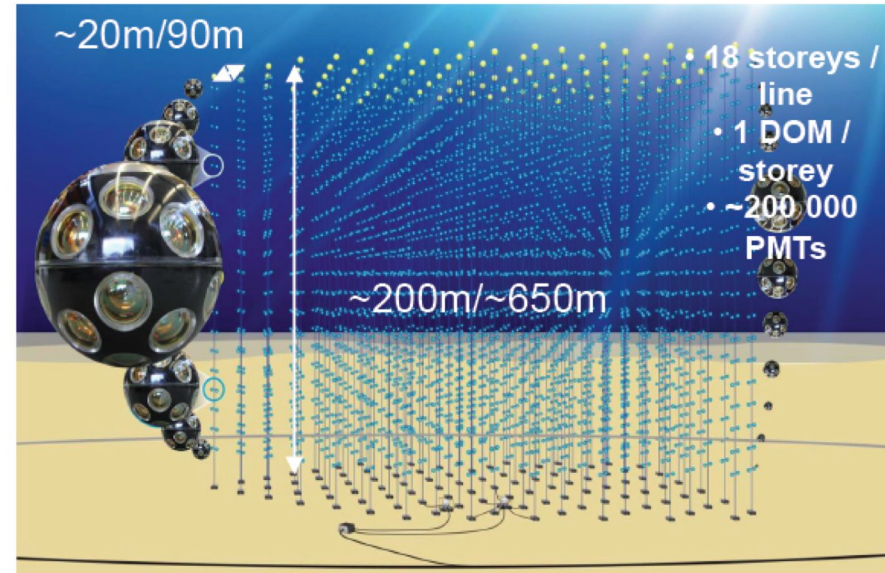
ANTARES Complete since 2008



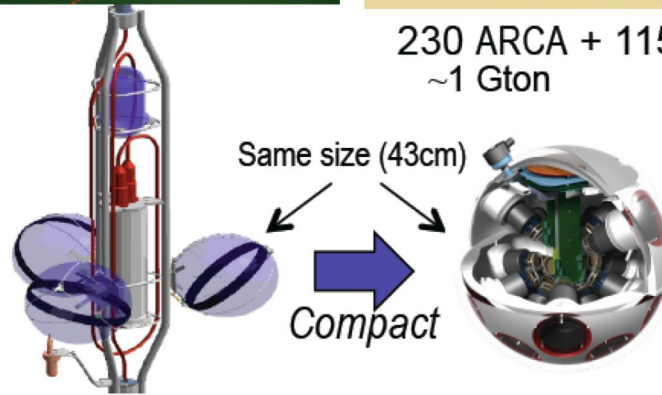
~10 Mton

12 lines
First Generation
First line since 10 years

KM3NeT Under Construction

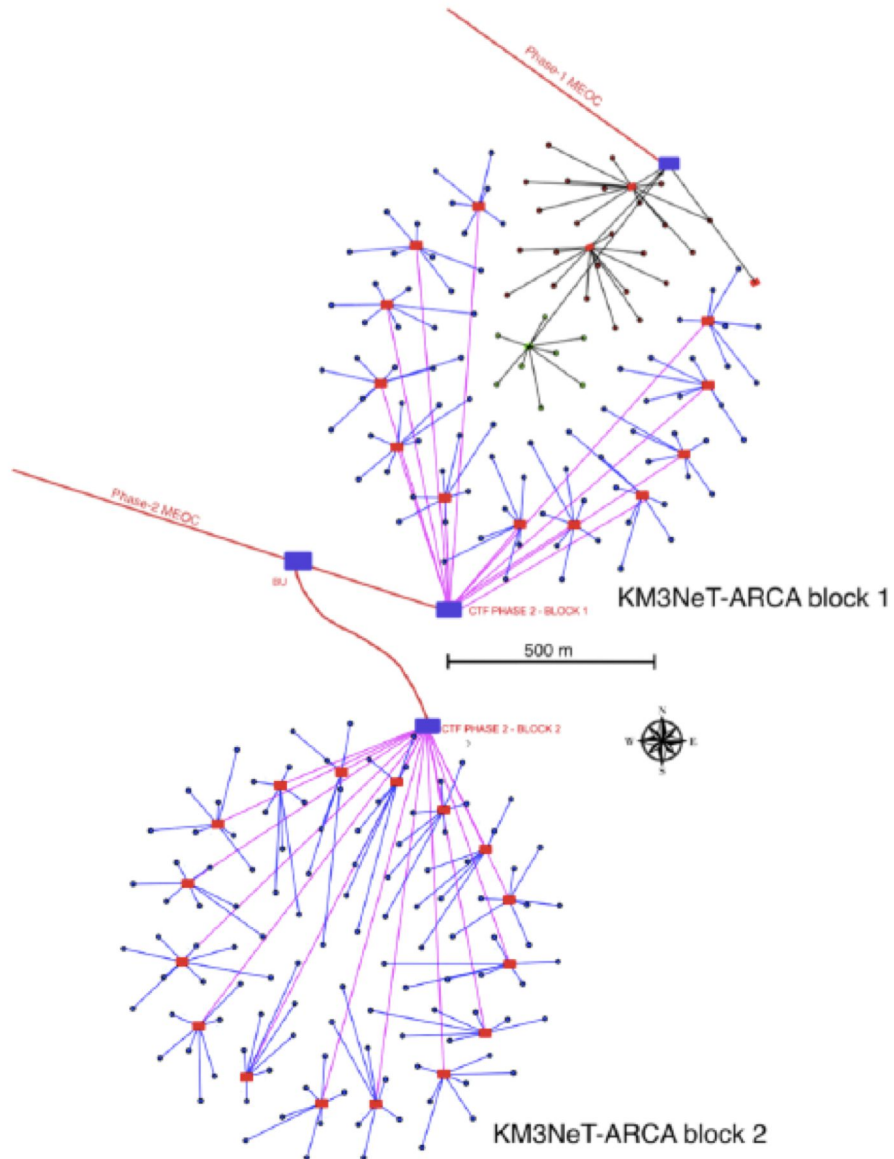


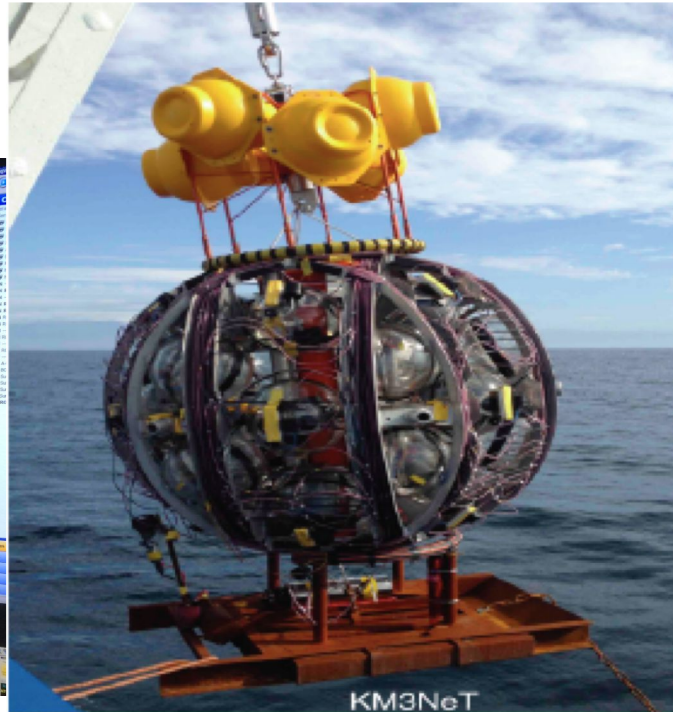
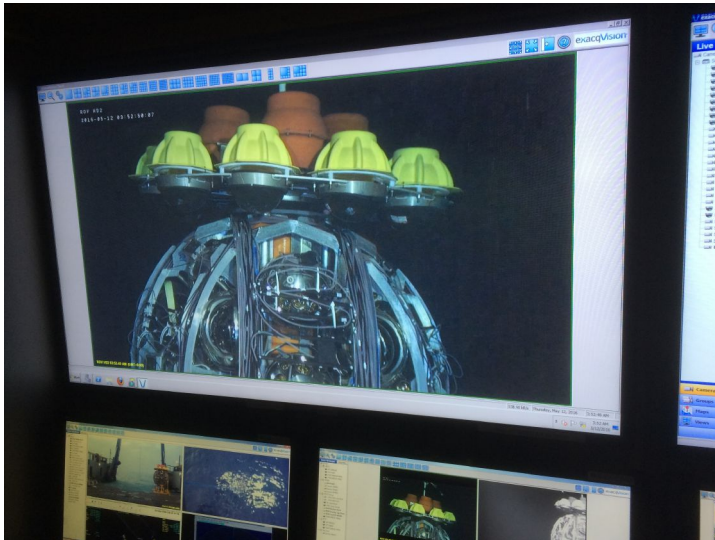
230 ARCA + 115 ORCA lines **New Generation**
~1 Gton ~6 Mton



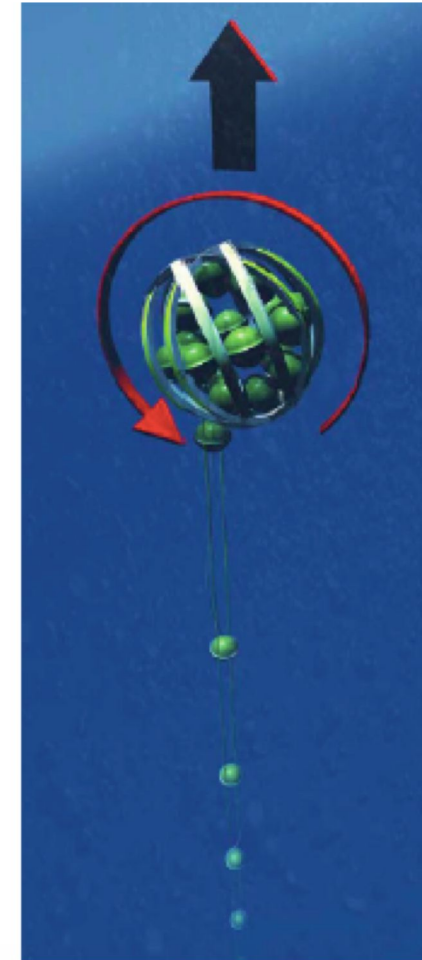
- **DOM: 31 3" PMTs**
- Digital photon counting
- Directional information
- Wide angle of view
- **Cost reduction wrt ANTARES**

High energies ARCA





rapid deployment
autonomous unfurling
recoverable



KM3NeT LoI <http://arxiv.org/pdf/1601.07459v2.pdf>

did not talk about:

- measurement of atmospheric oscillation parameters
- supernova detection
- searches for dark matter, monopoles,...
- search for eV-mass sterile neutrinos
- cosmic ray physics, muon maps,...
- PINGU/ORCA
-

Conclusions

- more to come from IceCube: many analyses have not exploited more than one year of data
- analyses are not in the background-dominated regime
- next-generation detector(s):
 1. discovery → astronomy (also KM3NeT, GVD)
 2. neutrino physics at (relatively) low cost and on short timescales (PINGU/ORCA)
 3. potential for discovery
- neutrinos are never boring!

The IceCube-PINGU Collaboration



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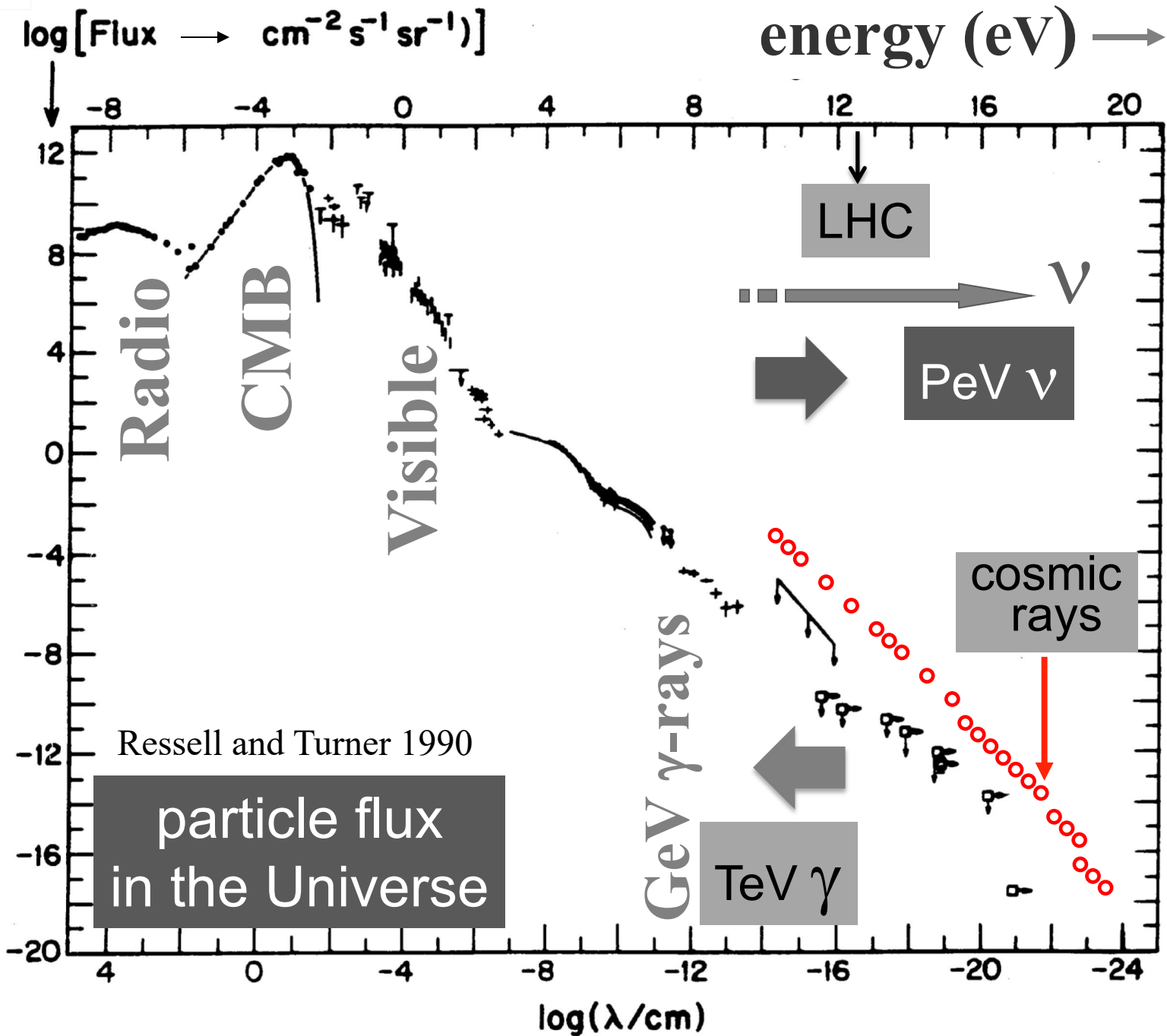
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flux of light in the Universe



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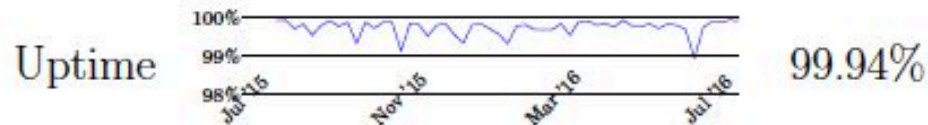
July 18 through July 24

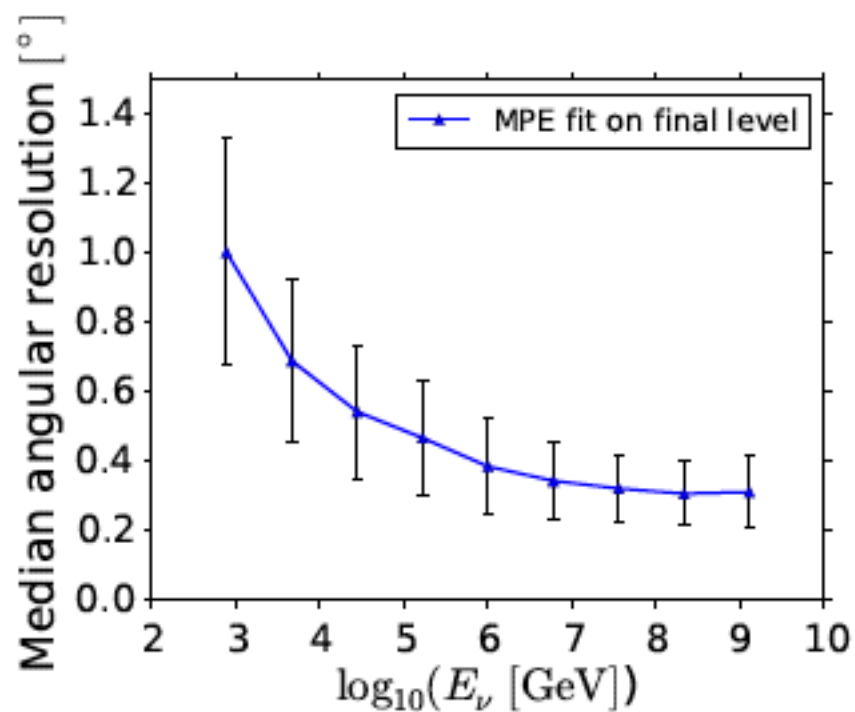
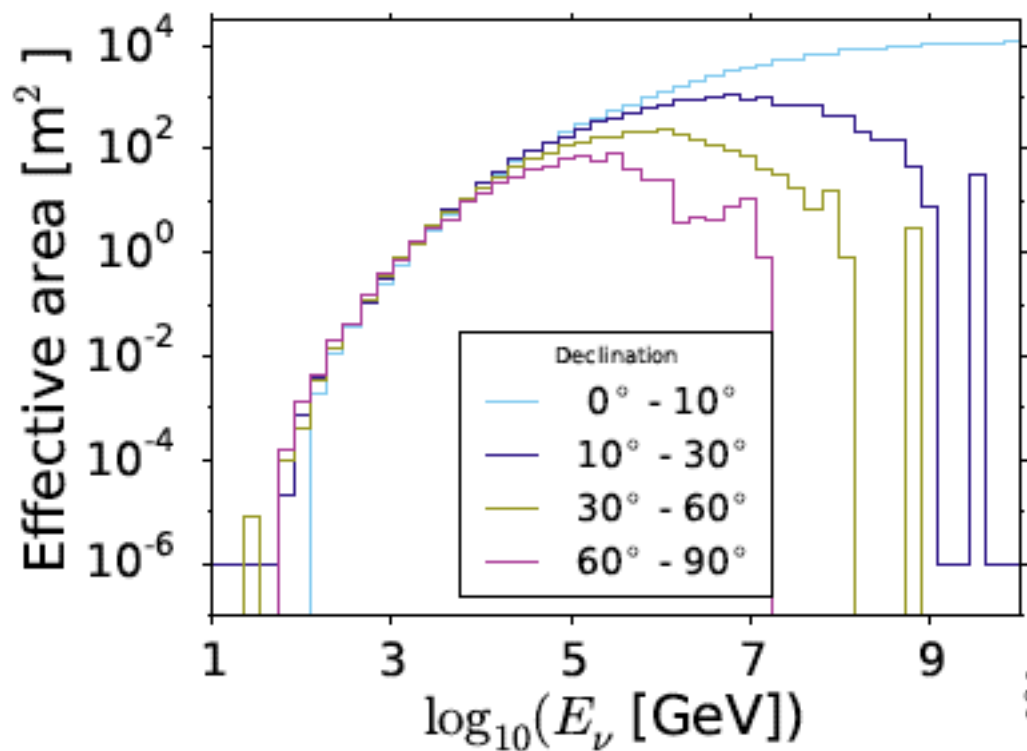


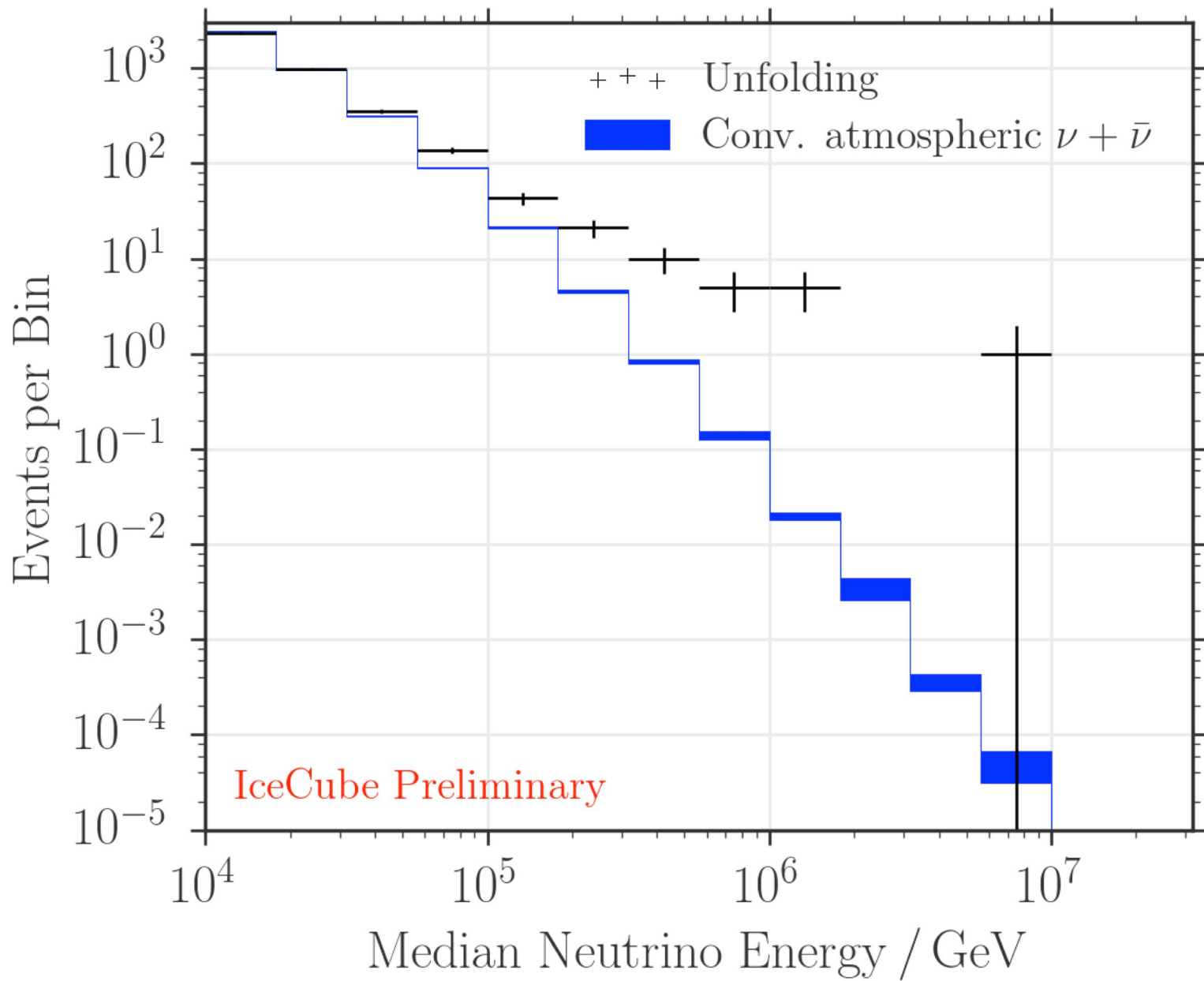
Christian is getting quite good at these aurora shots, don't you think? Hard to remember its night time here...

Another perfect week for IceCube! Hooray! A few minor hardware issues such as a predicted harddrive failure in ARA, and a misbehaving piece of RAM in the *i3live* machine, gave the winterovers something to do, but nothing serious, and nothing that impacted data-taking.

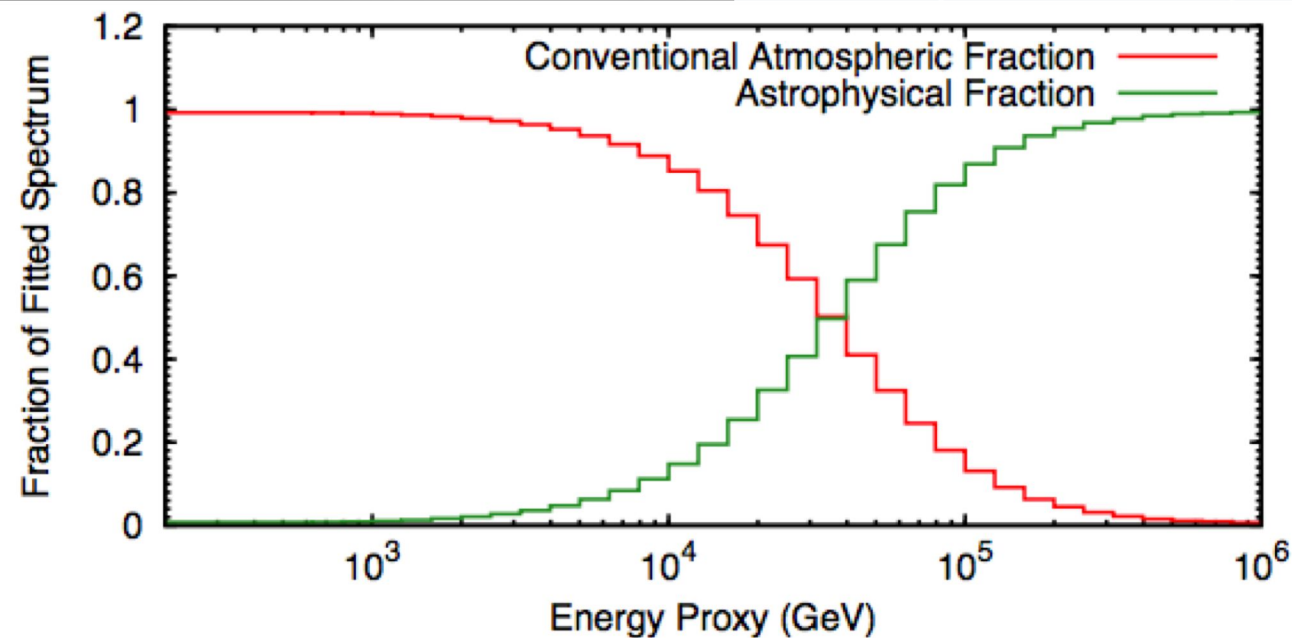
Station life was nice this week as we celebrated Christmas in July with a Christmas dinner on Sunday. We also had our monthly full-station ERT drill, where one of the UTs came across a fire in the Rod well. With the aid of a smoke machine, it was given an extra edge of realism.



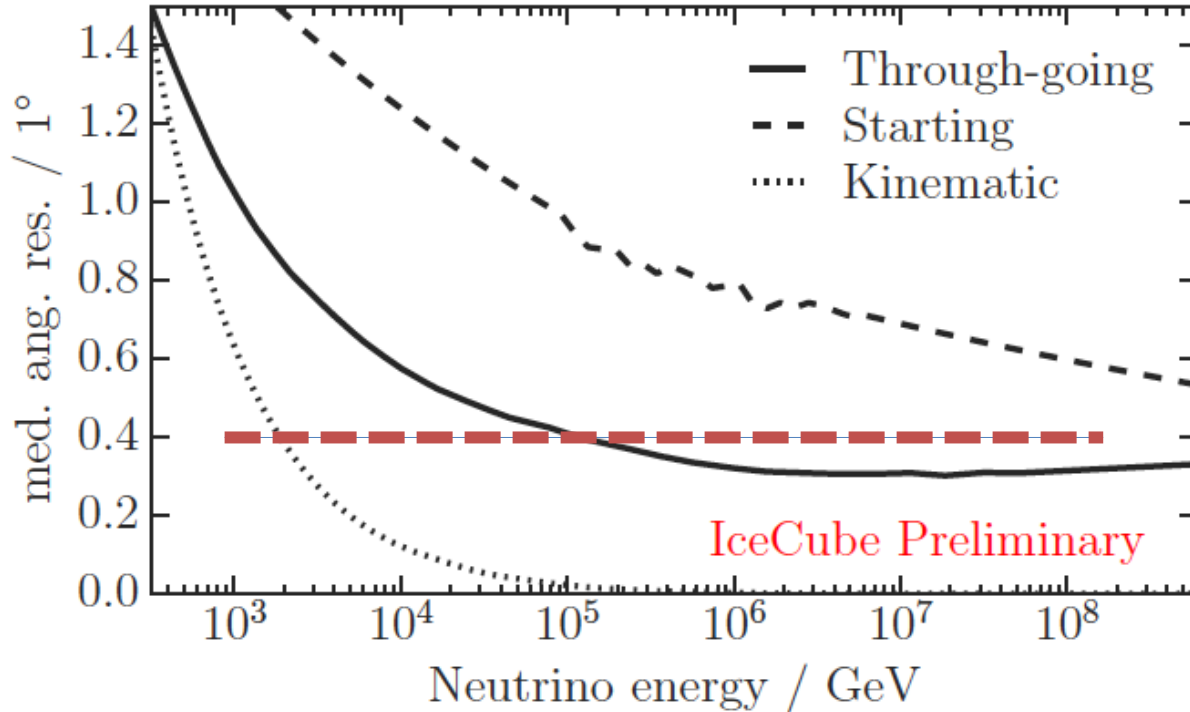




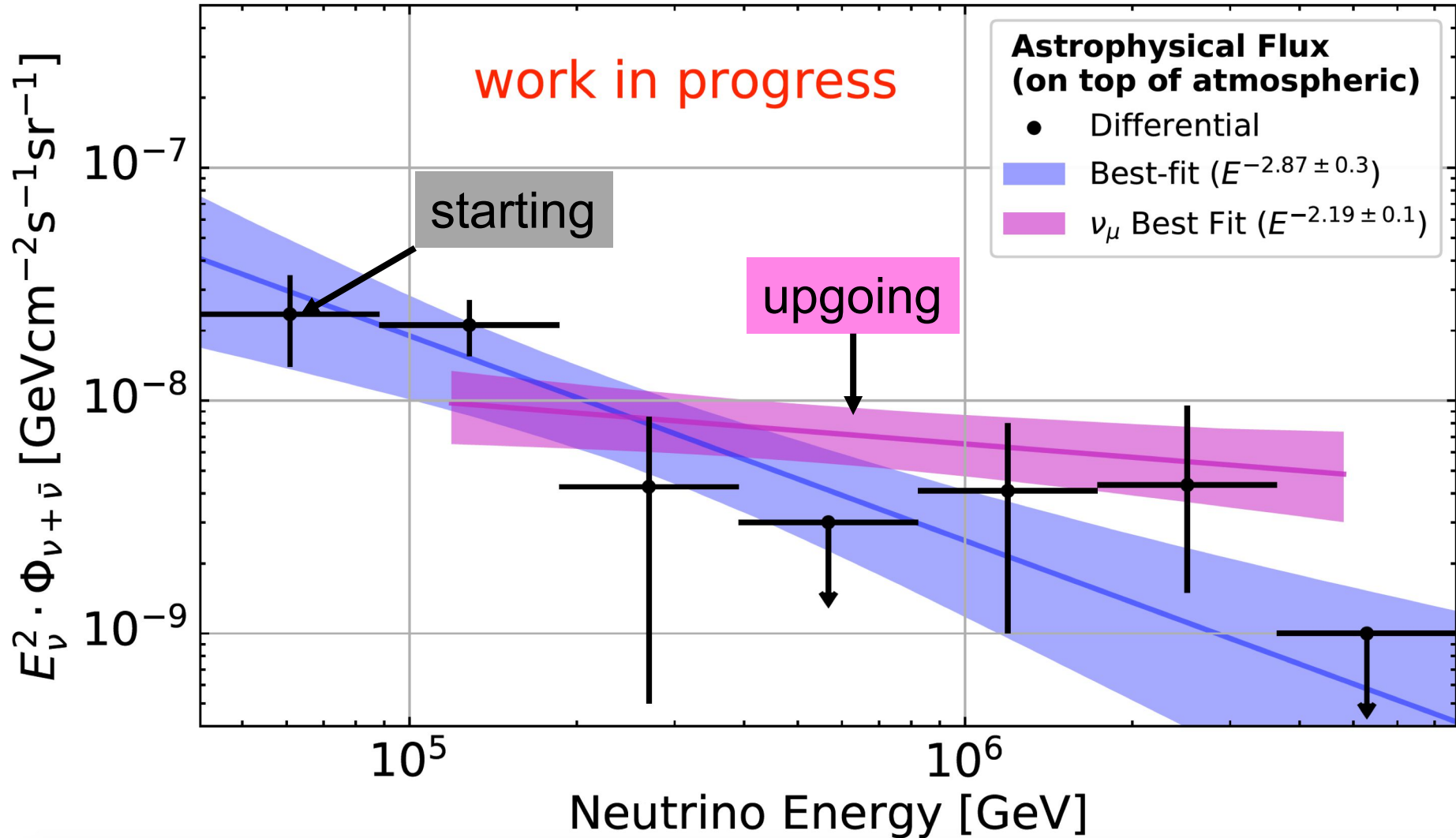
Flux	# of Events/year above <u>Muon</u> Energy		
	<u>1 TeV</u>	10 TeV	100 TeV
E^{-2}	110	44	11
$E^{-2.3}$	220	60	9
$E^{-2.7}$	740	110	7
Atm.	15000	500	5



astronomy here: through-going muons with resolution
 $0.2 \sim 0.4^\circ$

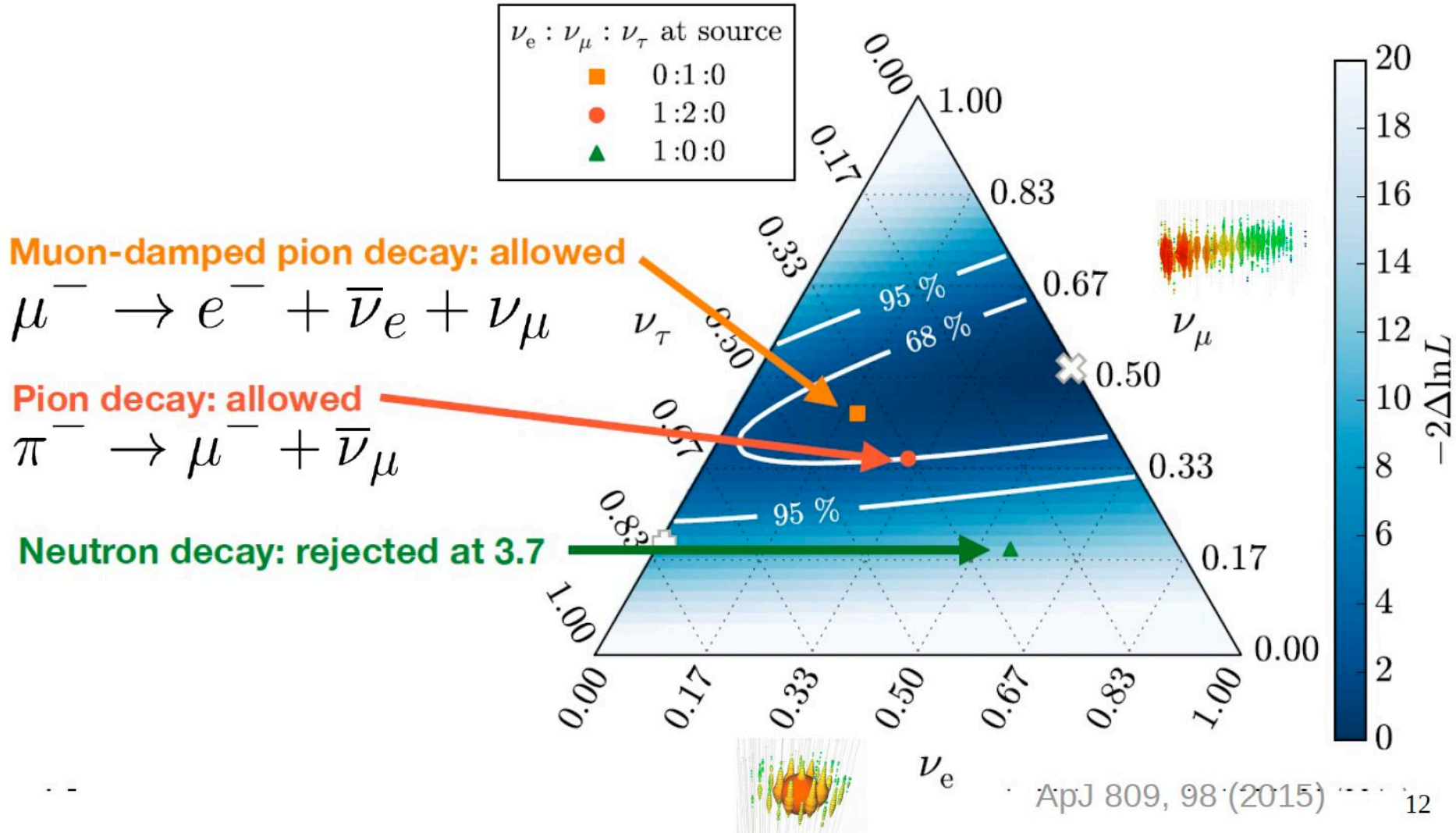


high-energy starting events – 7.5 yr

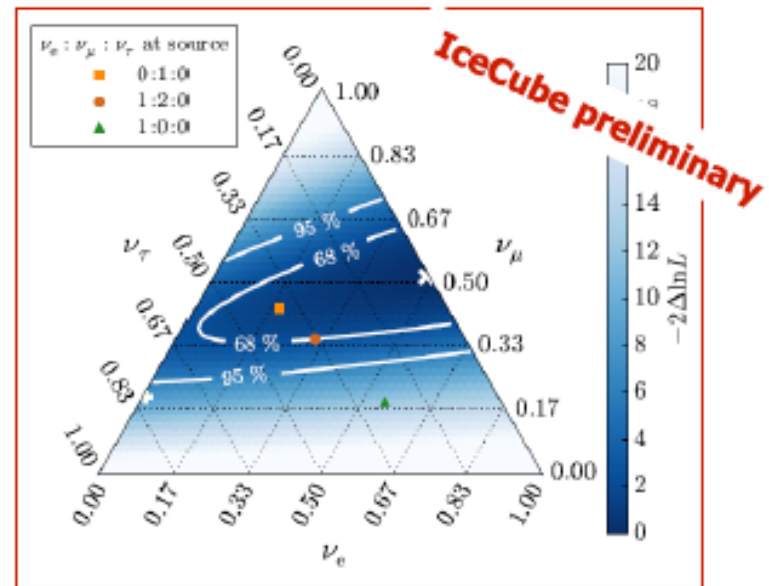
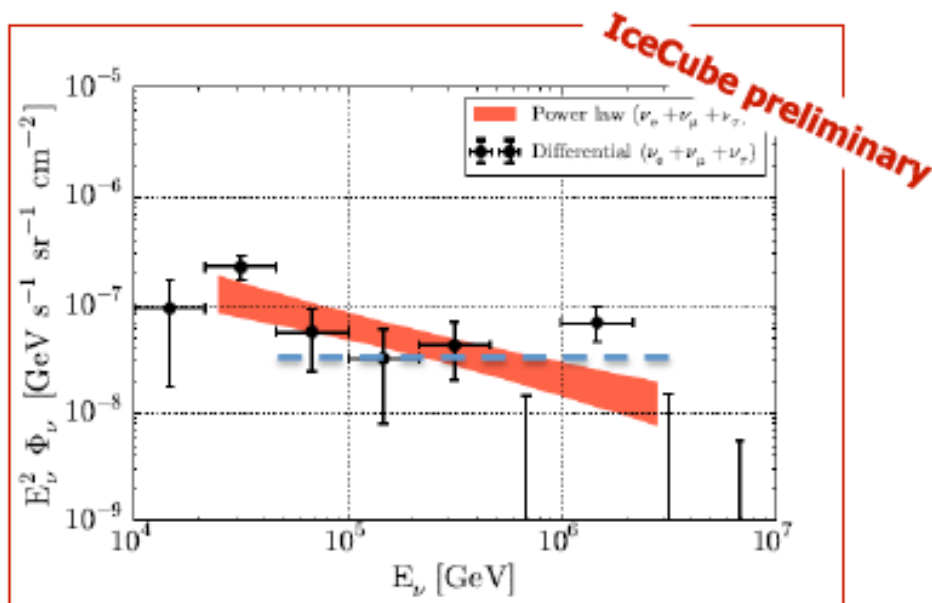


two methods are consistent

- Different event signatures allow flavor separation → primarily μ vs. e , τ



- 6 different data samples based on data from 2008 – 2012
- different strategies to suppress the atm. μ background
- large samples of track-like and cascade-like events



assuming isotropic astrophysical flux and $\nu_e:\nu_\mu:\nu_\tau = 1:1:1$ at Earth \rightarrow

unbroken power-law between 25 TeV and 2.8 PeV
 spectral index -2.5 ± 0.09 (-2 disfavored at 3.8σ)
 flux at 100 TeV $(6.7 \pm 1.2) \times 10^{-18} (\text{GeV} \cdot \text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{s} \cdot \text{sr})^{-1}$

the best fit flavor composition disfavors 1:0:0 at source at 3.6σ

equal energy in cosmic rays and neutrinos


$$\begin{aligned}\rho_{\nu+\bar{\nu}}(E) &= \frac{E}{E_p} [\xi_z t_H] [c \dot{\rho}_p] \\ \downarrow & \\ \rho_{\nu+\bar{\nu}}(E) &= 4\pi E^2 \frac{dN_\nu}{dE} \\ \dot{\rho}_p(E_p) &= E_p^2 \frac{d\dot{N}_p}{dE_p} \approx 10^{44} \text{ erg Mpc}^{-3} \text{ yr}^{-1}\end{aligned}$$

$\xi_z t_H$ = evolution of sources \times Hubble time

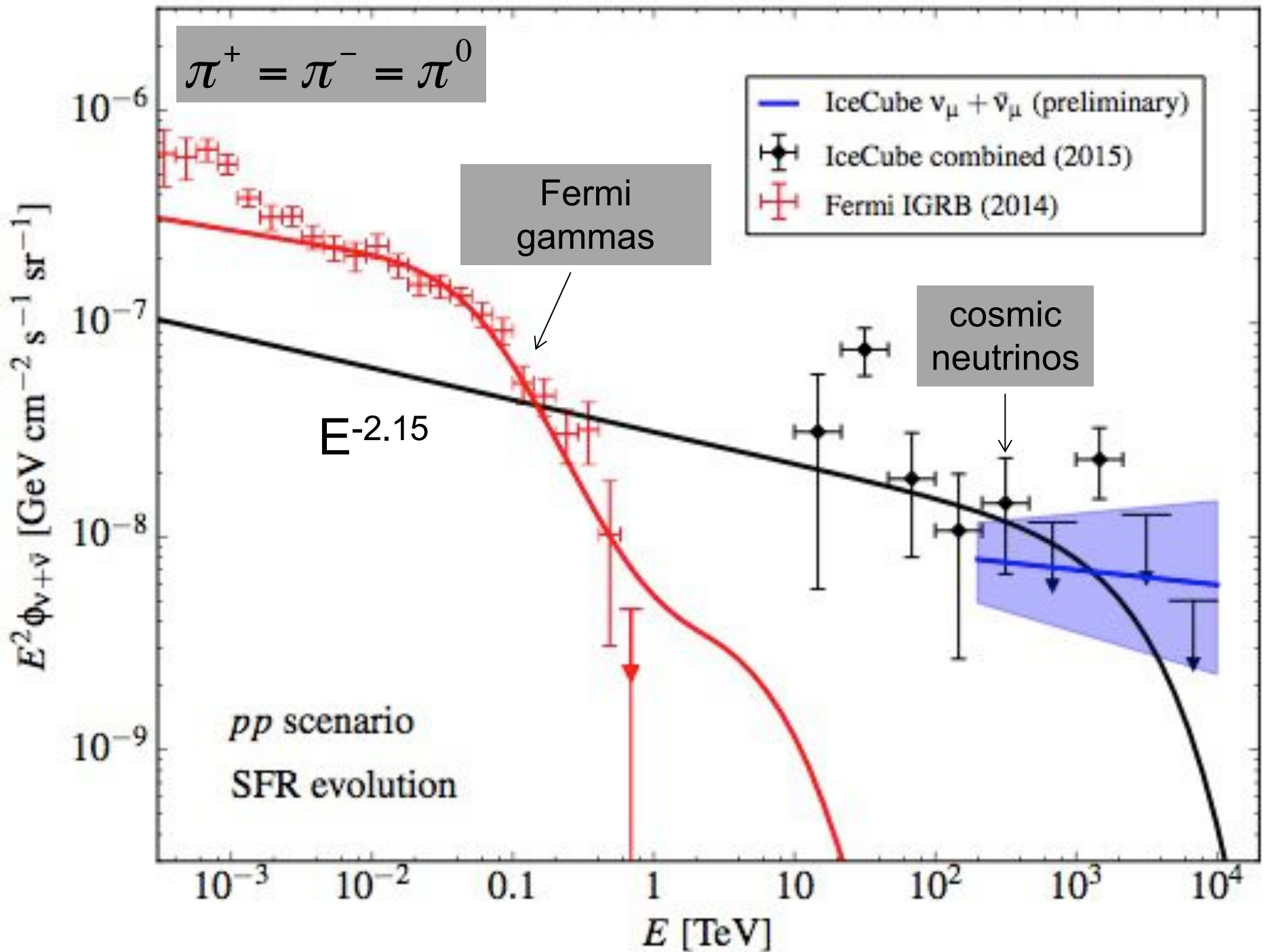
$$\Rightarrow E^2 \frac{dN_\nu}{dE} \approx 10^{-11} \text{ TeV cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1} \text{ sr}^{-1}$$

equal energy in cosmic rays and neutrinos

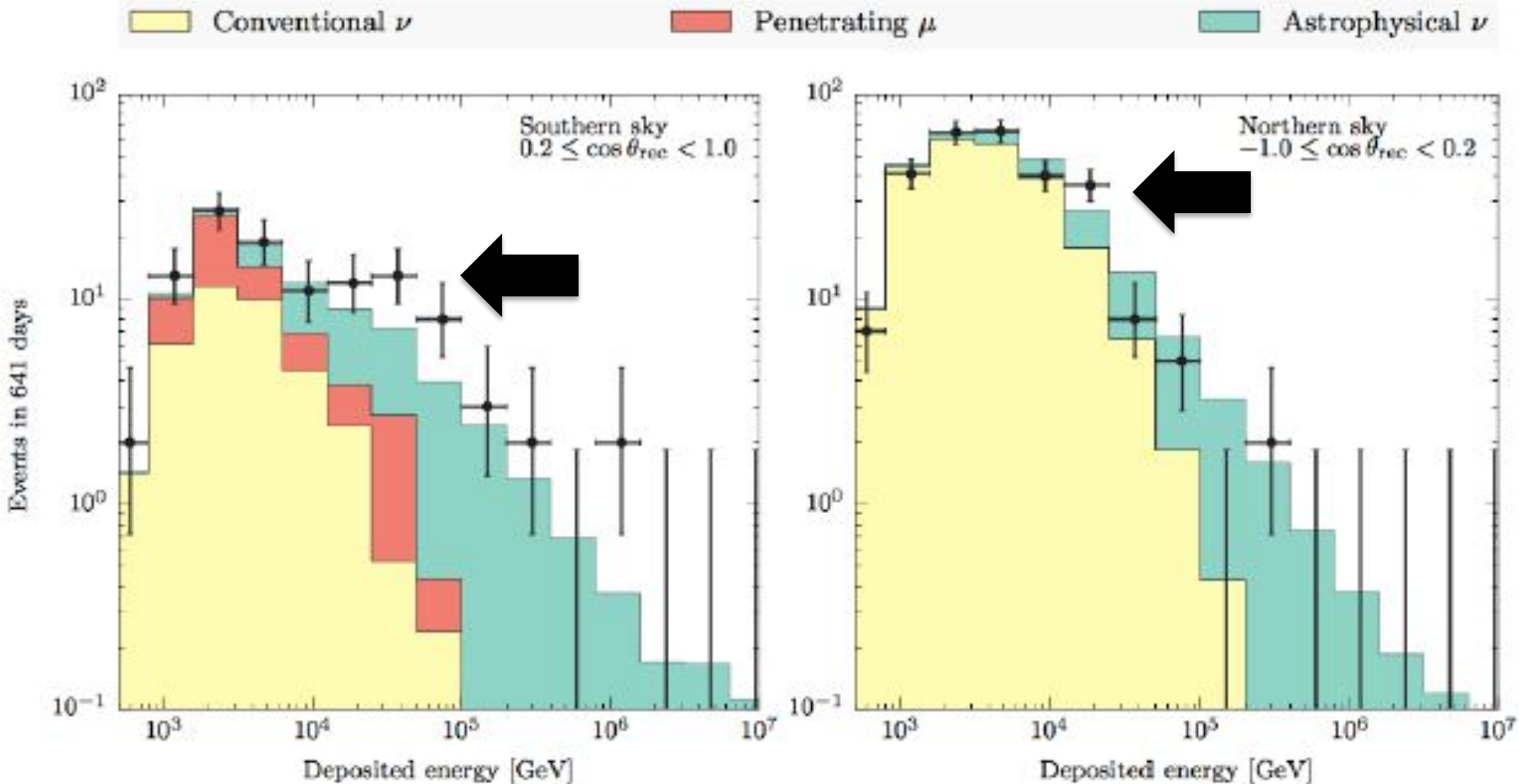
actually...


$$\rho_{\nu+\bar{\nu}}(E) = f_{\pi} \frac{E}{E_p} [\xi_z t_H] [c \dot{\rho}_{cr}]$$

- $f_{\pi} \leq 1$ transparent (to photons) source; equality is the WB bound
- $f_{\pi} \geq 1$ obscured source
- observed flux is well below the WB bound (at 20~100 PeV); have to observe PeV photons



towards lower energies: a second component?

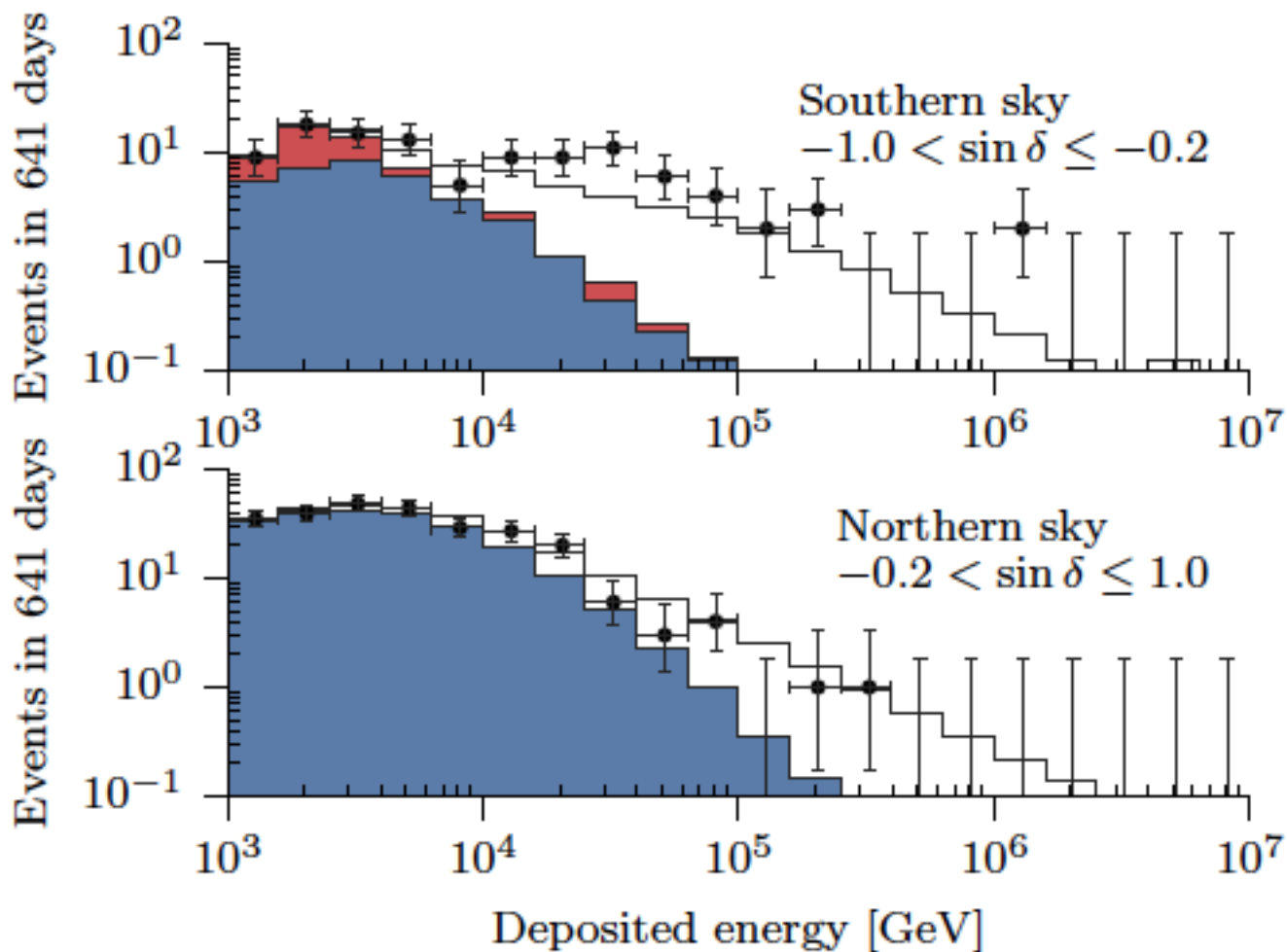


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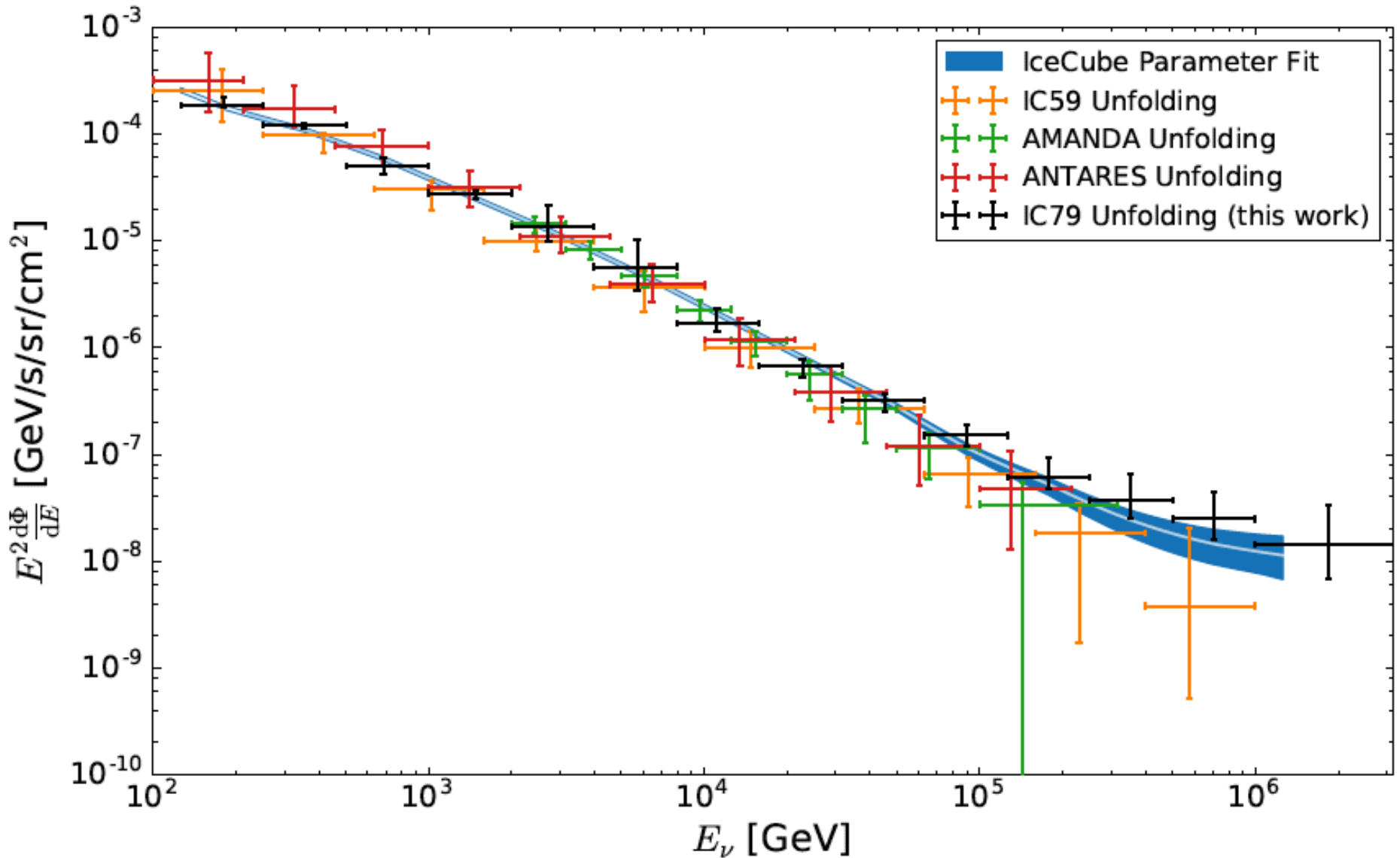
- spectrum may not be a power law
- slope depends on energy range fitted

PeV neutrinos
absorbed in the Earth

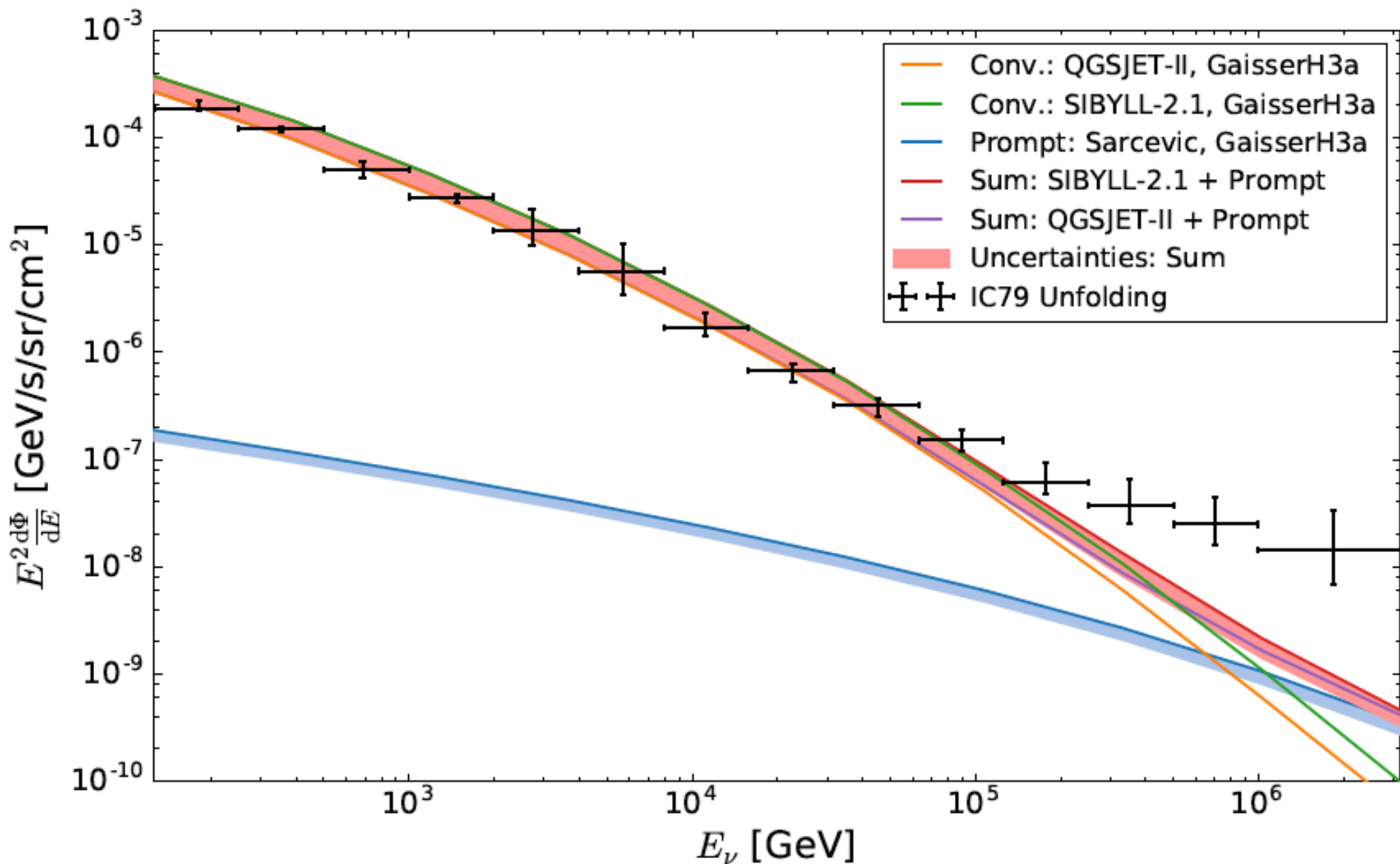
■ $1.01 \times \text{atmospheric } \pi/K \nu$
■ $+ 1.47 \times \text{penetrating } \mu$
— $+ 2.24 \left(\frac{E}{100 \text{ TeV}} \right)^{-2.49}$
 $\times 10^{-18} \text{ GeV}^{-1} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ sr}^{-1} \text{ s}^{-1}$



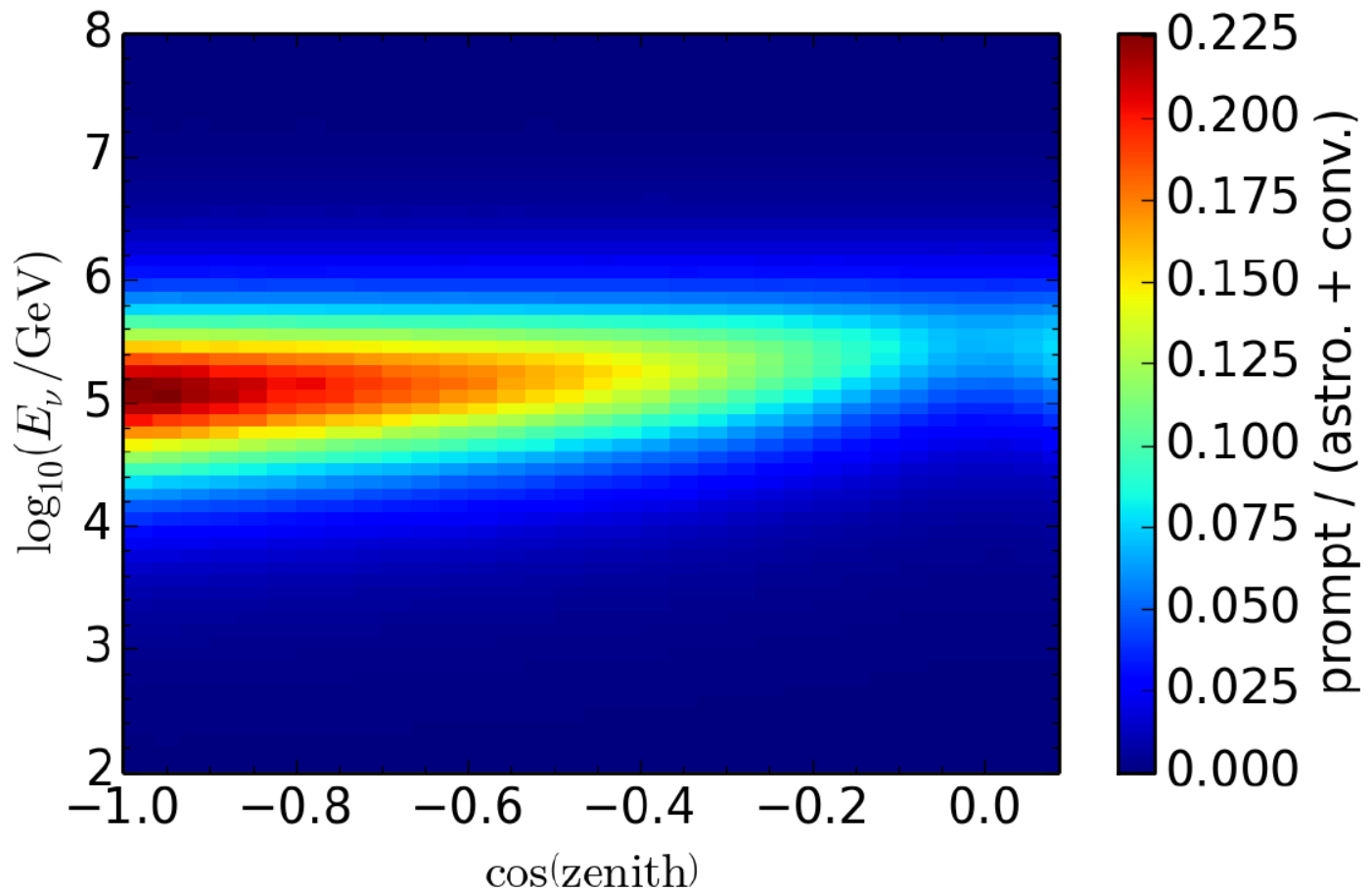
unfolded “atmospheric” neutrino flux



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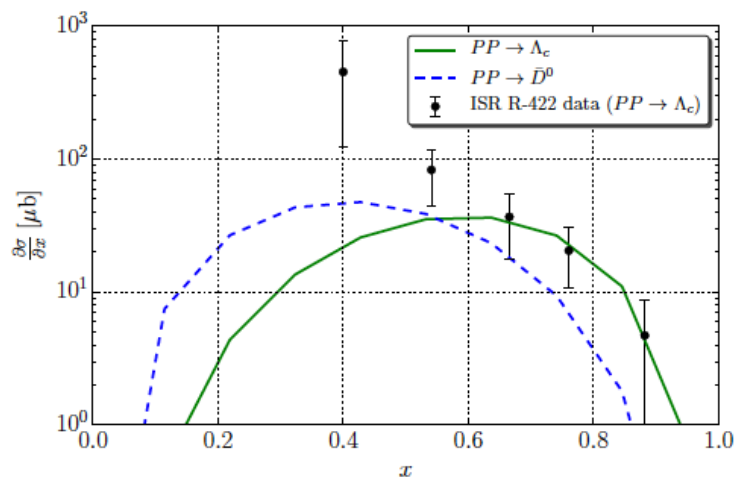
not atmospheric charm



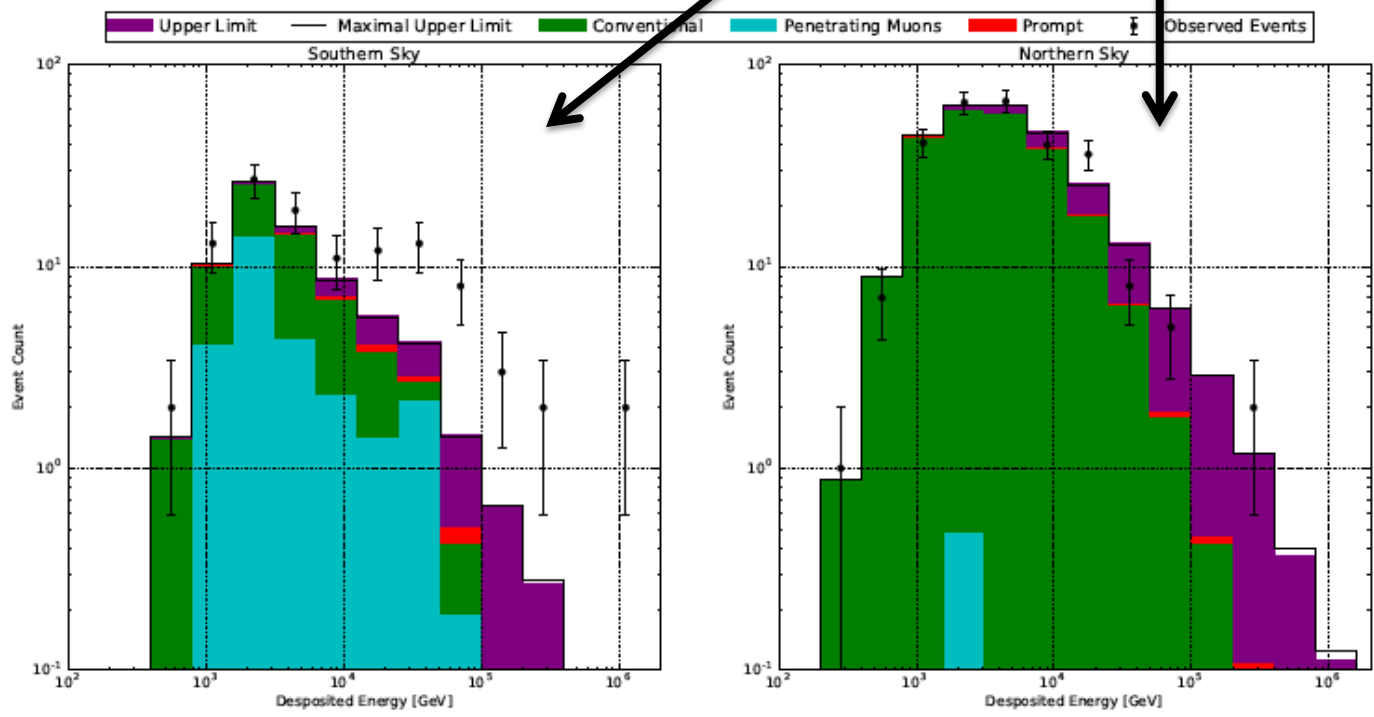
- Prompt flux would appear @ around 100 TeV
→ ~ 20% effect in straight up-going region

not forward charm production

analogous to $pp \rightarrow (K^+ \Lambda) p$

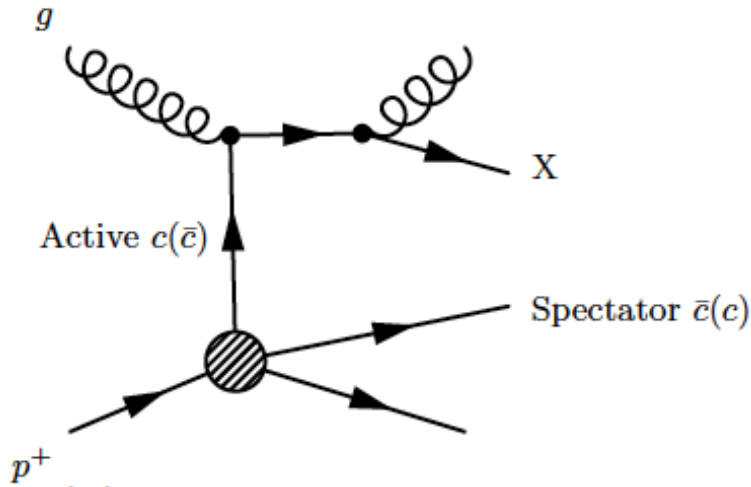


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“extreme” charm model
can fit the northern,
not the southern hemisphere

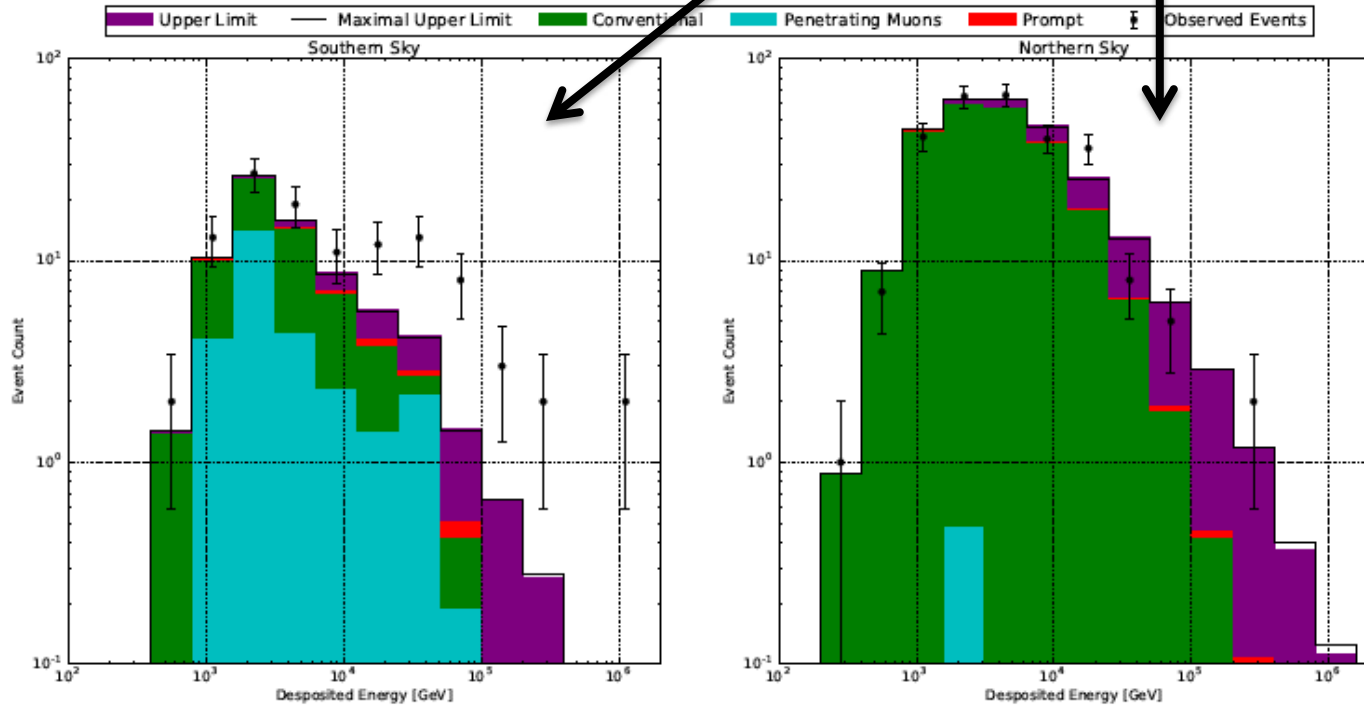


LHC: charm pairs in proton

analogous to $pp \rightarrow (K^+ \Lambda) p$

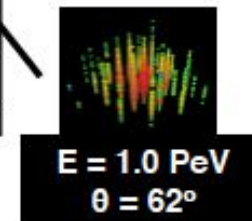
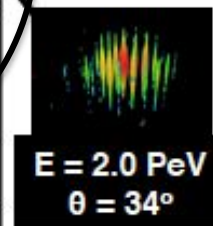
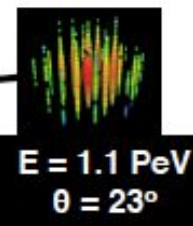
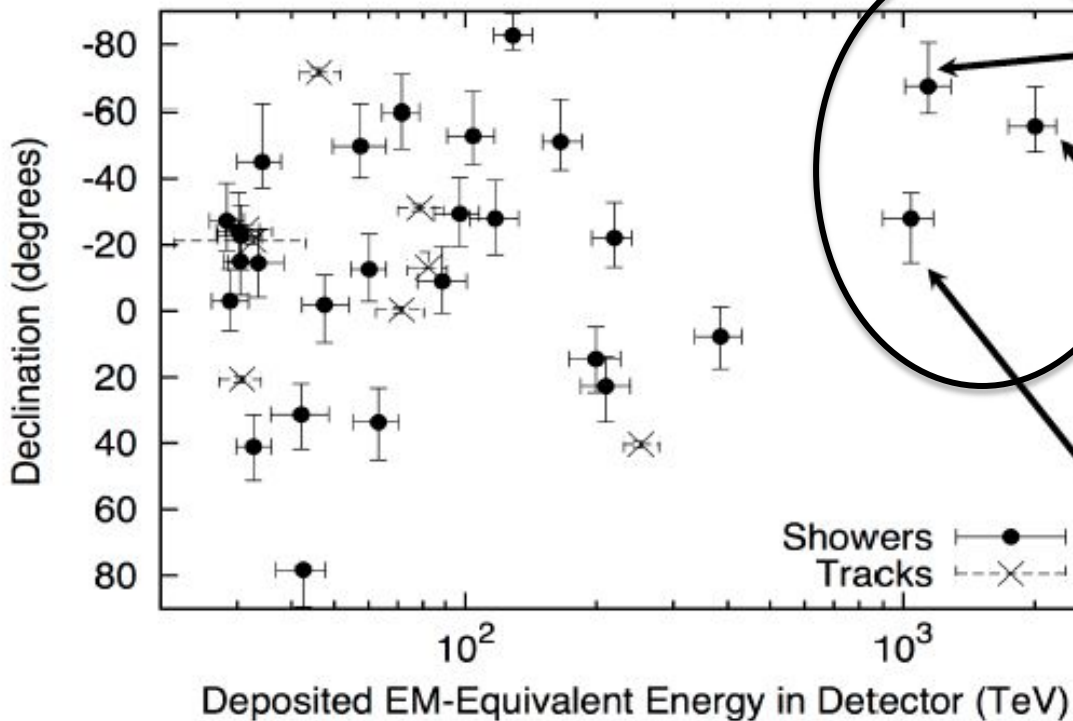


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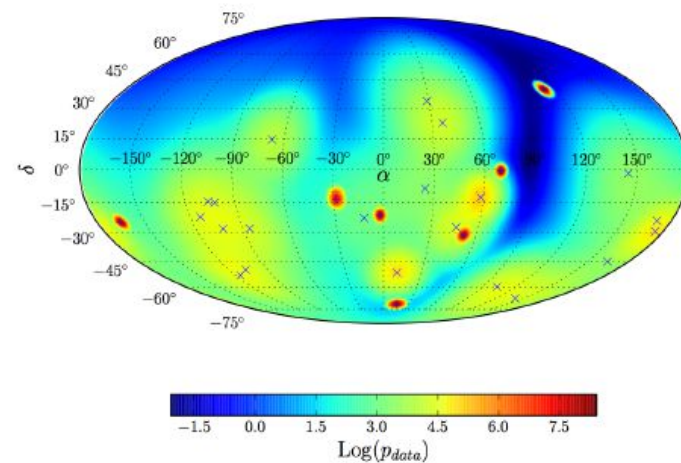
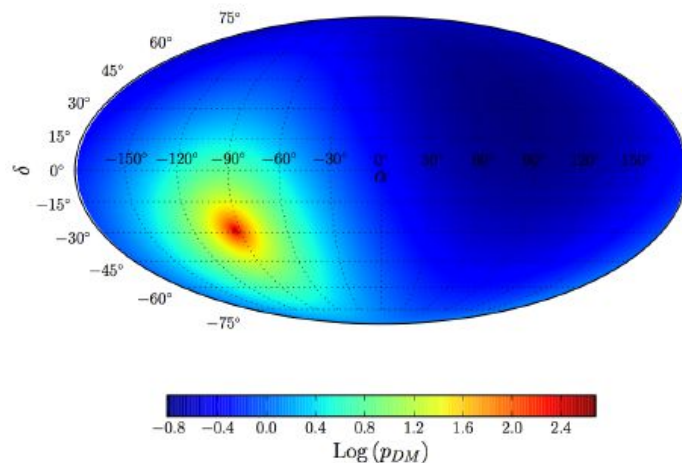


- dark matter?

expect surprises: produced by Galactic dark matter halo?



decay of PeV-mass dark matter particle



- we observe a diffuse extragalactic flux
- active galaxies, most likely some form of AGN?
- correlation to catalogues should confirm this
- correlation in time with a AGN flare can be a smoking gun
- but correlation of cosmic neutrinos to $< 30\%$ of all Fermi blazars (different subsets produce highest energy neutrinos and gamma rays)

HESE ALERT

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NOTICE TYPE: AMON ICBCUBE HESE  
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199.5422d (+13h 18m 10s) (current),  
198.6132d (+13h 14m 27s) (1950)  
SRC_DEC: -32.0165d (-32d 00' 58") (J2000),  
-32.1038d (-32d 06' 13") (current),  
-31.7532d (-31d 45' 11") (1950)  
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SRC_ERRORS0: 28.79 [arcmin radius, stat+sys, 50% containment]  
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DISCOVERY TIME: 78354 SOD {21:45:54.00} UT  
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SIGMA_T: 0.0000 [sec]  
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PVALUE: 0.0000e+00 [dn]  
CHARGE: 10431.02 [pe]  
SIGNAL_TRACKNESS: 0.12 [dn]  
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SUN_DIST: 69.72 [deg] Sun_angle= -3.6 [hr] (East of Sun)  
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MOON_DIST: 72.22 [deg]  
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http://ecn.gsfc.nasa.gov/notices_amon/

MASTER: OT discovered during inspection of HESE 58537957 trigger

tel #9425; *N. Tyurina, V. Lipunov (Lomonosov MSU), D. Buckley (SAAO), E. Gorbovskoy, P. Balanusa, A. Kuznetsov, V. Kornilov, D. Kuvshinov, D. Vlasenko, O. Gress, K. Ivanov, V. Humkov (Lomonosov Moscow State University, SAI), S. Potter (South African Astronomical Observatory)*

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Subjects: Optical, Neutrinos, Request for Observations, Transient

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MASTER OT J130845.02-323254.9 - optical transient detection during inspection of HESE 58537957_128340 alert

MASTER-SAAO auto-detection system (*Lipunov et al., "MASTER Global Robotic Net", *vanacs in Astronomy*, 2010, 349171*) discovered OT source at (RA, Dec) = 13h 08m 45.02s /d 32m 54.9s on 2016-08-24.73811 UT during inspection of HESE alert (58537957 trigger mber) http://ecn.gsfc.nasa.gov/notices_amon/58537957_128340_amon .
e OT unfiltered magnitude is 19.6m (limit 20.5m).
e OT is seen in 12 images. There is no minor planet at this place.

9456 MASTER OT J130845.02-323254.9: Variable Source of the High Energy Neutrino.
9440 Search for counts from IceCube-180814A ANTARES
9425 MASTER: OT discovered during inspection of HESE 58537957 trigger
9391 INTEGRAL follow-up of HESE 58537957

- ▶ An HESE alert was launched on 14 Aug. 2016 for 1 event with exceptionally high charge of 10'431 pe in the detector from the direction centered at RA=199.3100 Dec=-32.0165 and error circle of 1.5° error (90% containment)
- ▶ INTEGRAL set an upper limit between 20-200 keV
- ▶ ANTARES did not find other neutrinos
- ▶ Inside about 1σ error box MASTER detected an Optical Transient
- ▶ Another was detected on Sep.4
- ▶ Hypothesis: a pulsing white dwarf, remaining out of a binary system. Possible scenario for neutrino production? intense enough B-fields and disintegration of binary companion or accretion of matter?
- ▶ Recent discovery of A pulsing, radio emitting white dwarf". *Nature* doi:10.1038/nature18620,16 (2016)

<http://www.astronomerstelegam.org/?read=9456>

auto correlation: multiple neutrinos from the same source

total number of events required to observe n-events multiplets from the closest sources is

$$740 \times \left[\frac{n}{2} \right] \times \left[\frac{\rho_0}{10^{-5}} \right]^{\frac{1}{3}} \text{ events}$$

for a observed diffuse cosmic flux and 0.4 degrees angular resolution

examples of local source densities (per Mpc³):

- $10^{-3} - 10^{-2} \text{ Mpc}^{-3}$ for **normal galaxies**
- $10^{-5} - 10^{-4} \text{ Mpc}^{-3}$ for **active galaxies**
- 10^{-7} Mpc^{-3} for **massive galaxy clusters**
- $> 10^{-5} \text{ Mpc}^{-3}$ for **UHE CR sources**

Is the nearest source of the extragalactic IceCube flux F_ν observable?

$$F_\nu \equiv E^2 \frac{dN}{dEd\Omega dt} = \int d^3r \frac{L_\nu}{4\pi r^2} \rho = \frac{L_\nu \rho}{4\pi} \int d\Omega dr = \frac{L_\nu \rho}{4\pi} \xi R_H$$
$$\approx 3 \times 10^{-8} \frac{\text{GeV}}{\text{cm}^2 \text{sec sr}}, \text{ therefore}$$

$$L_\nu \rho = \frac{4 \times 10^{43}}{\xi} \frac{\text{erg}}{\text{Mpc}^3 \text{yr}} \text{ should be } \sim 1\% \text{ of the sources. This}$$

is the minimum power density to produce the neutrinos.

Flux of the nearest source (F_{ns}) < the IceCube ps limit:

$$F_{ns} = \frac{L_\nu}{4\pi d^2} \leq 2 \times 10^{-9} \frac{\text{GeV}}{\text{cm}^2 \text{sec}} \quad \text{with} \quad d = (4\pi\rho)^{\frac{1}{3}} \leftarrow V_1 \propto \frac{1}{\rho}$$

and

$$F_{ns} = \frac{L_\nu d}{4\pi d^3} = \rho L_\nu d. \text{ Combined with the result for } \rho L_\nu :$$

$$d \leq 100 \text{Mpc} \text{ and } \rho \geq \frac{10^{-7}}{\text{Mpc}^3} \text{ for } \xi=3.$$

of events from the nearest source: $\frac{L_v}{4\pi d^2} \otimes Area$

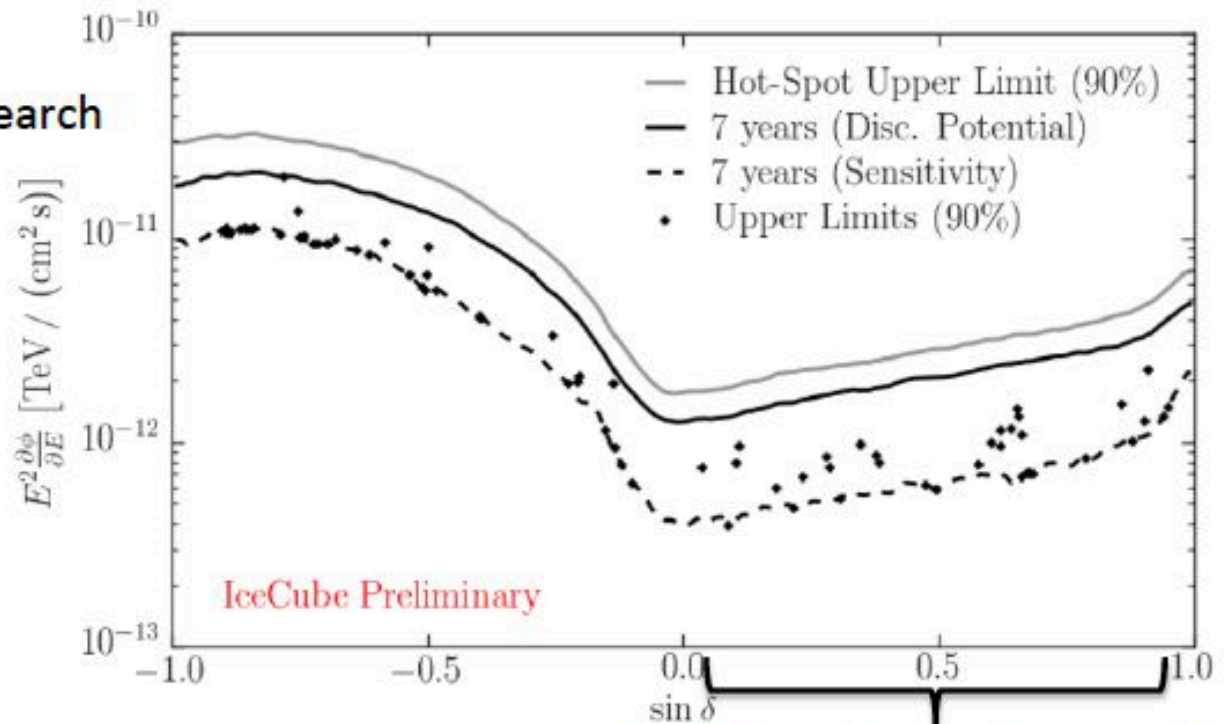
of events from the whole sky : $\zeta L_v \rho R_H \otimes Area$

ratio = $\frac{d}{\zeta R_H} = \frac{1}{\zeta R_H (4\pi\rho)^{1/3}} = 10^{-2}$ for $\rho=10^{-7}$. Soon!

Point source limits

Relation between flux from whole sky and number/intensity of individual sources
P. Lipari, PR D78 (2008) 083001 ... Murase & Waxman, arXiv:1607.01601

IceCube 7 yr pt src search



Northern hemisphere, good pointing
with ν_μ -induced μ , limits

$$< 10^{-9} \text{ GeV cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$$

