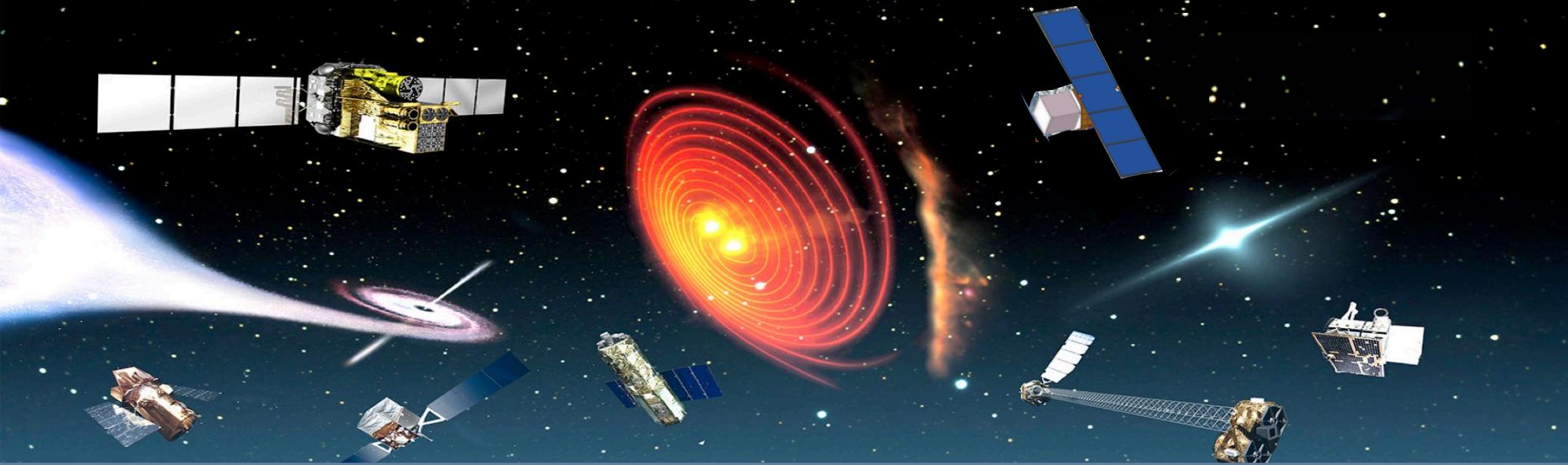


# Experiments on satellites : status and future perspectives in connection with Neutrinos experiments



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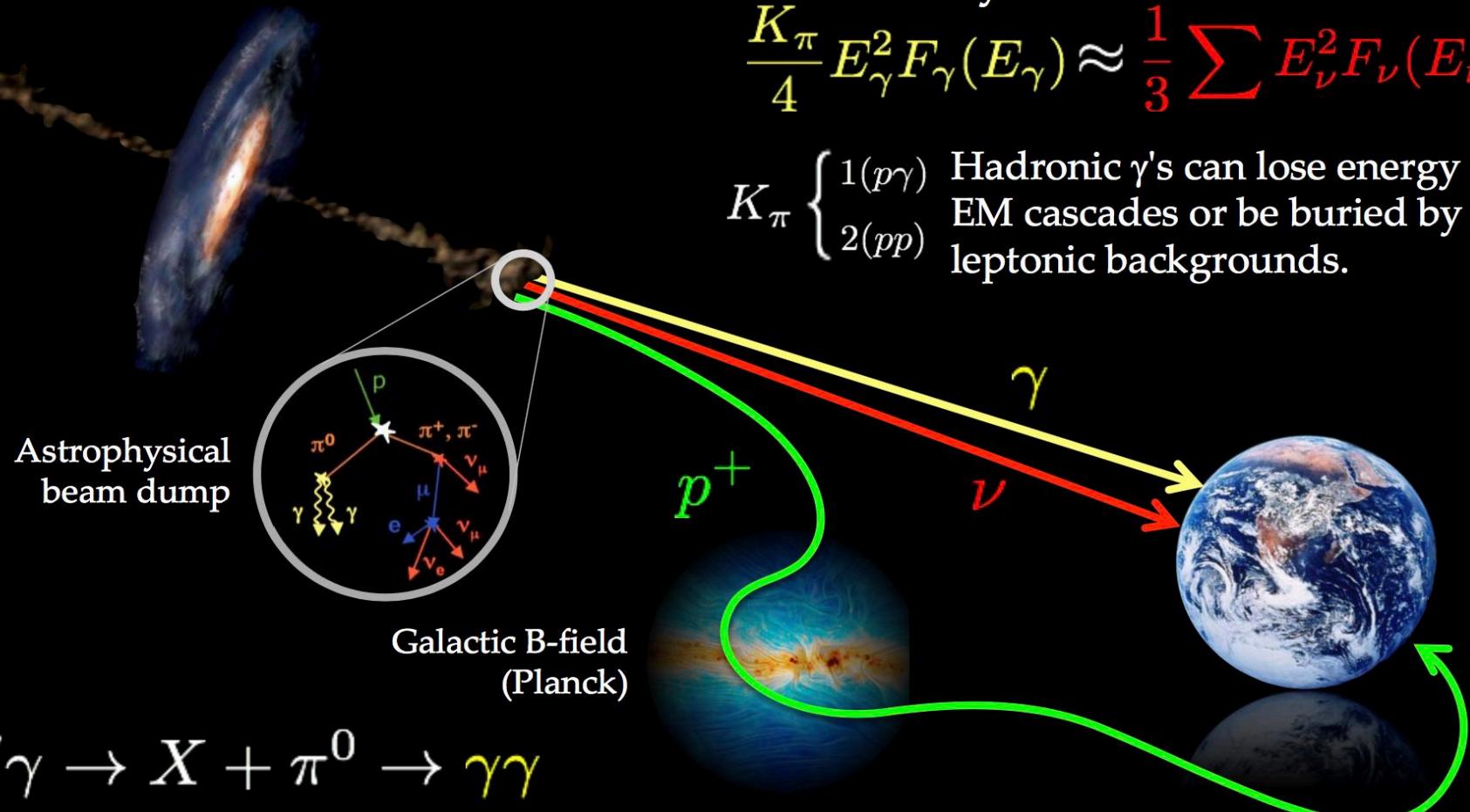
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# Neutrinos and Gamma Rays

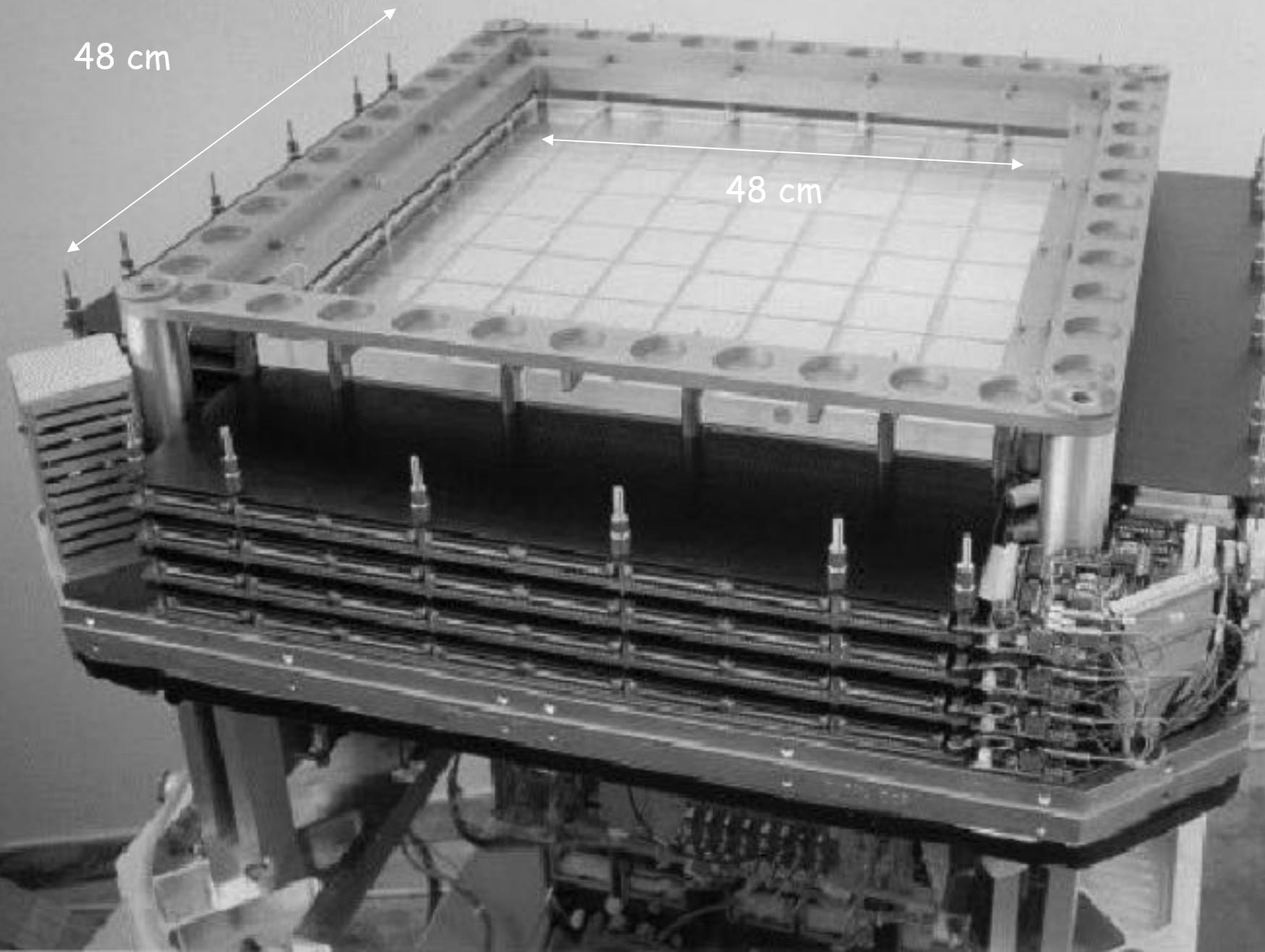
$$\text{Gamma-ray flux} \quad K_\pi \frac{E_\gamma^2}{4} F_\gamma(E_\gamma) \approx \frac{1}{3} \sum E_\nu^2 F_\nu(E_\nu) \quad \text{Neutrino flux}$$

$K_\pi \begin{cases} 1(p\gamma) \\ 2(pp) \end{cases}$  Hadronic  $\gamma$ 's can lose energy via EM cascades or be buried by leptonic backgrounds.



$$\begin{aligned}
 p + p/\gamma &\rightarrow X + \pi^0 \rightarrow \gamma\gamma \\
 &\rightarrow X + \pi^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ + \nu_\mu \\
 \mu^+ &\rightarrow e^+ + \nu_e + \bar{\nu}_\mu \text{ (oscillates to } \sim 1:1:1)
 \end{aligned}$$

The TS93 and CAPRICE silicon-tungsten imaging calorimeter.





# The GILDA mission: a new technique for a gamma-ray telescope in the energy range 20 MeV–100 GeV

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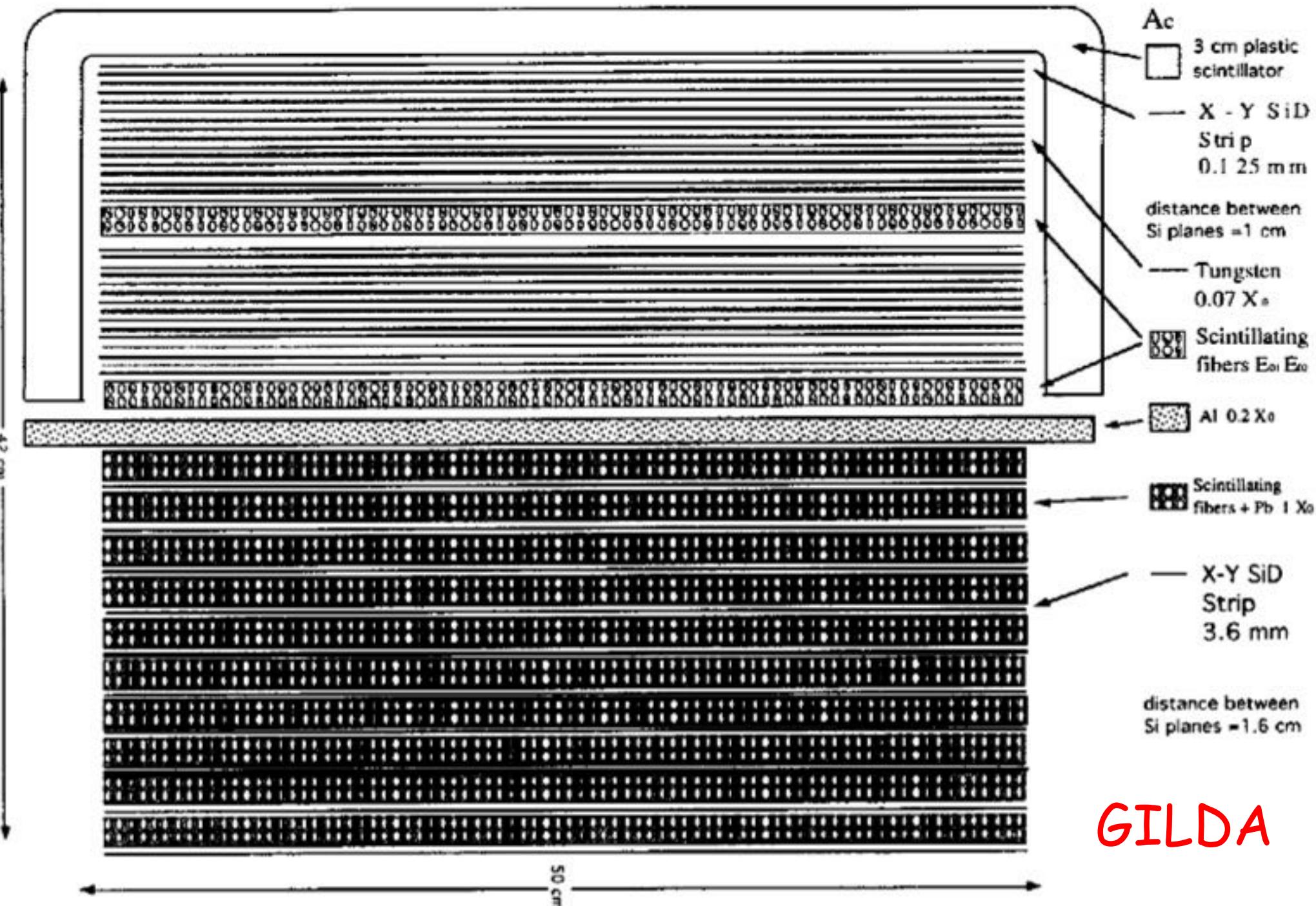
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## Abstract

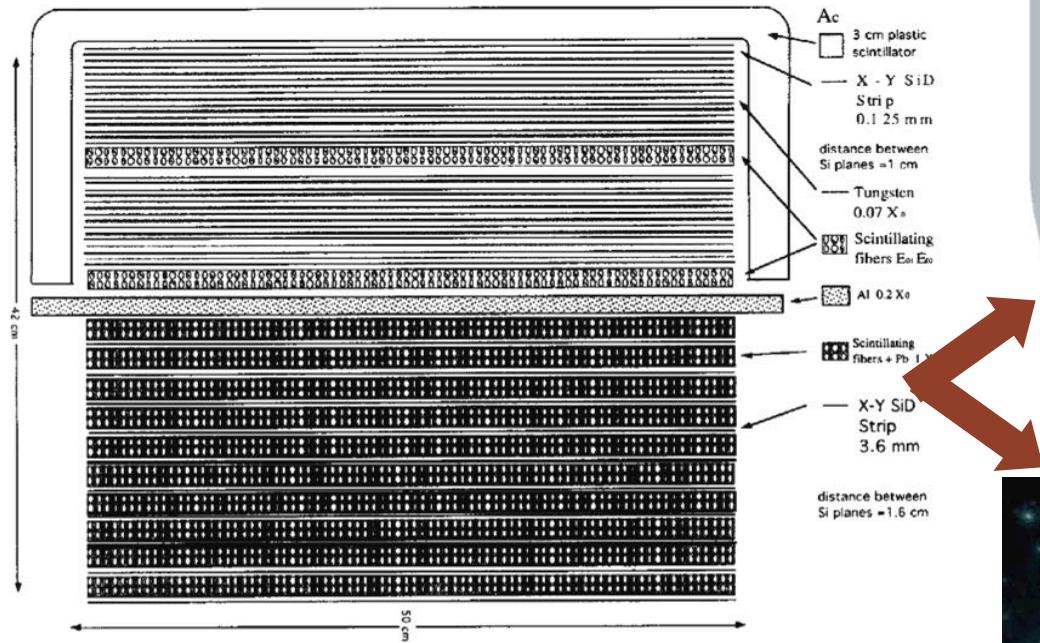
In this article a new technique for the realization of a high energy gamma-ray telescope is presented, based on the adoption of silicon strip detectors and lead scintillating fibers. The simulated performances of such an instrument (GILDA) are significatively better than those of EGRET, the last successful experiment of a high energy gamma-ray telescope, launched on the CGRO satellite, though having less volume and weight.

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**GILDA**

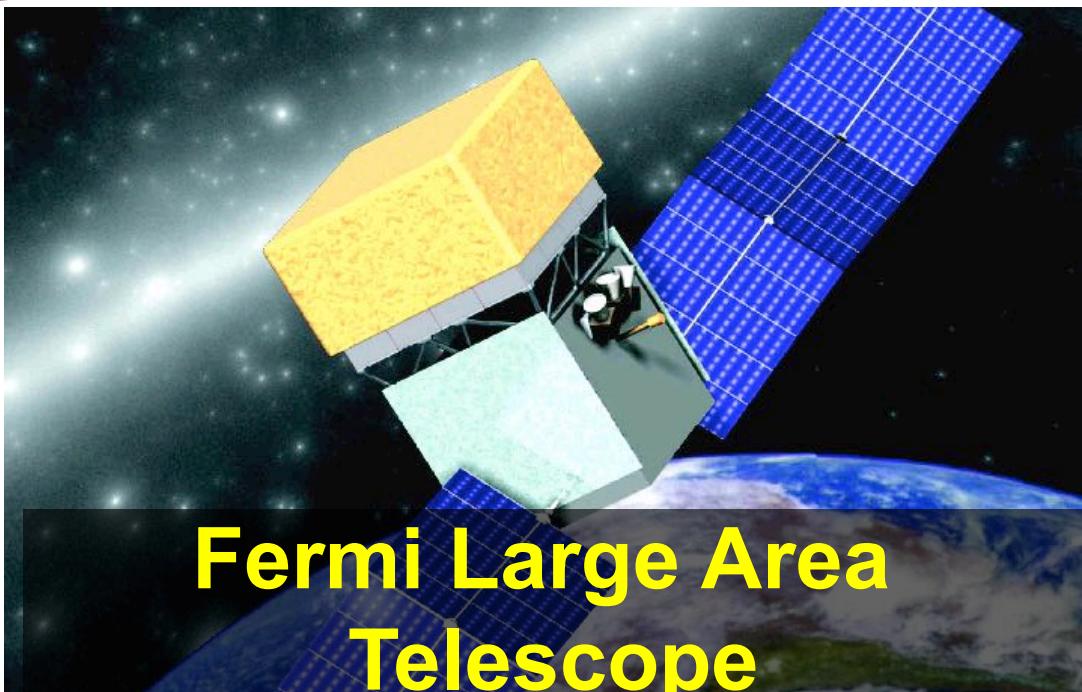
# GILDA



## Development of GLAST, a broadband High-Energy Gamma-Ray Telescope using Silicon Strip Detectors

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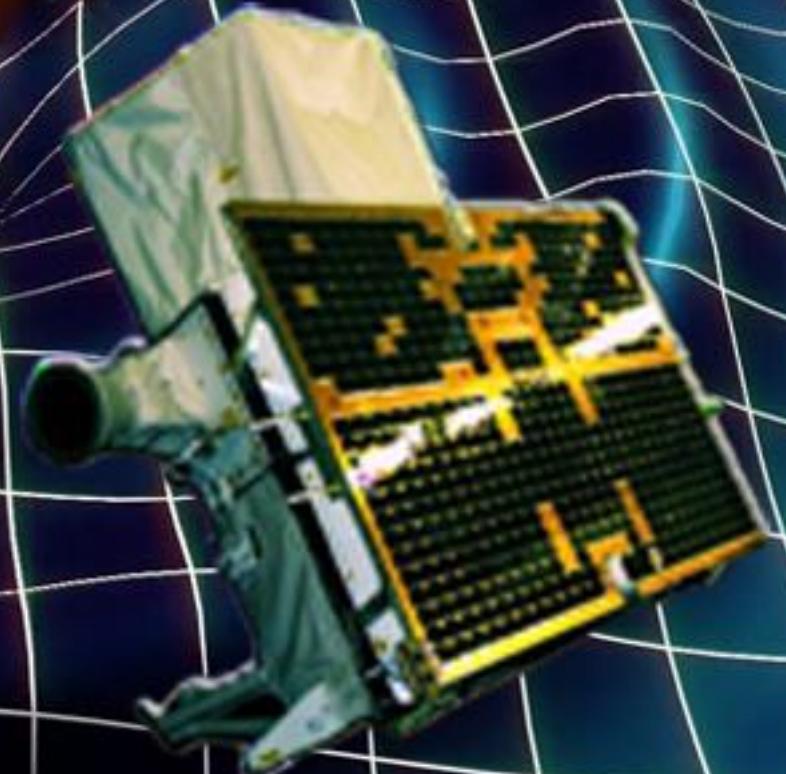
Proposal presented to NASA, Space Physics Division in response to "Proposal for High Energy Astrophysics Supporting Research and Technology Program", NRA 95-OSS-17



# AGILE

23 April 2007

Happy 10<sup>th</sup> Birthday Agile !!



A photograph of a space shuttle launching from a launch pad, surrounded by a massive plume of white and orange smoke and fire. The shuttle's external fuel tank has the NASA logo on its side.

Happy 9<sup>th</sup> Birthday Fermi !!

11 June 2008

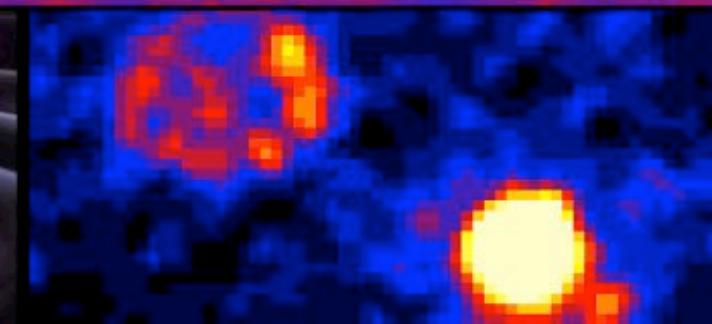




# Fermi Gamma-Ray Space Telescope

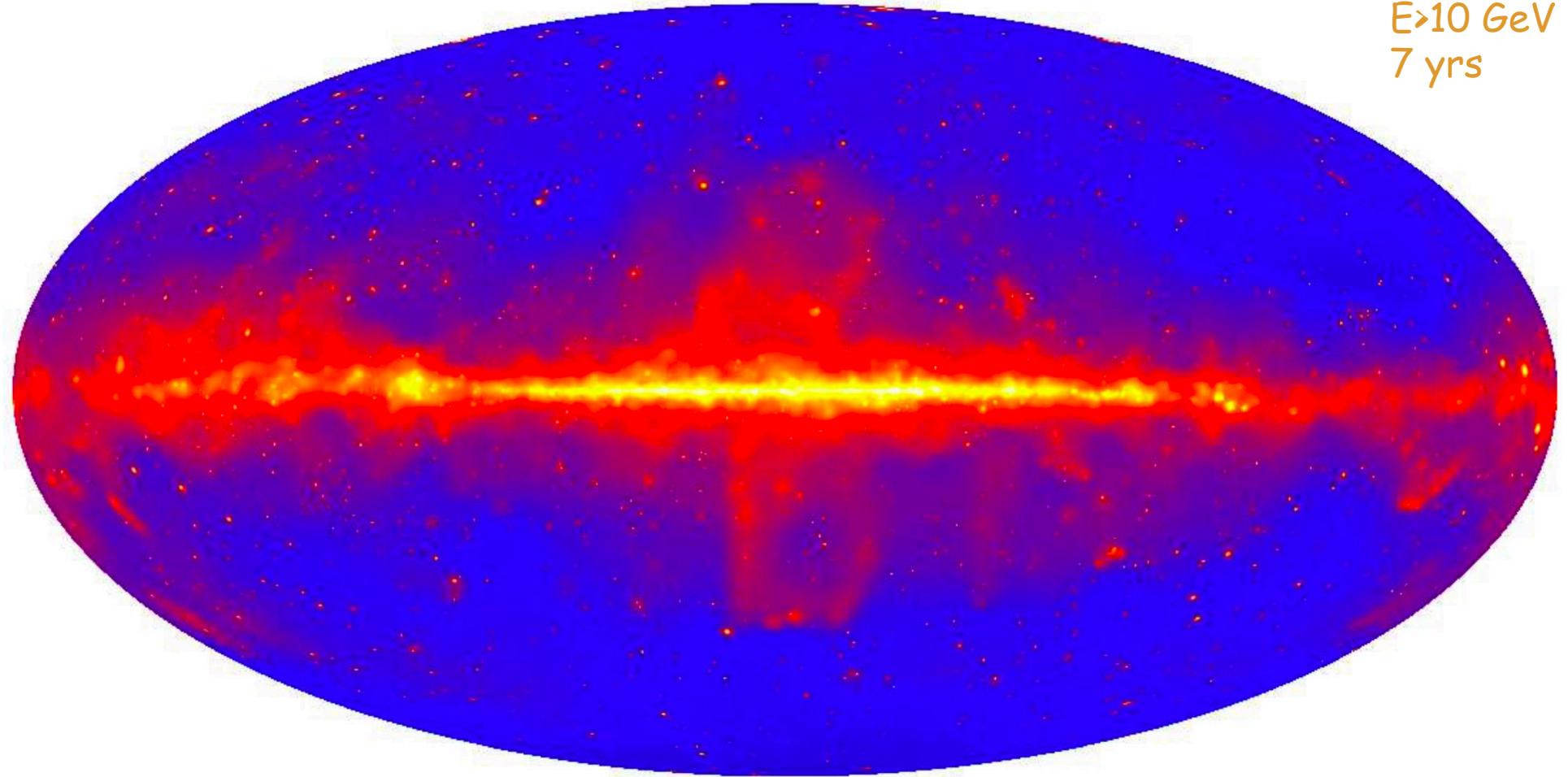
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Time Domain Astronomy • Searches for Dark Matter • Particle Astrophysics



# The sky in gamma-rays

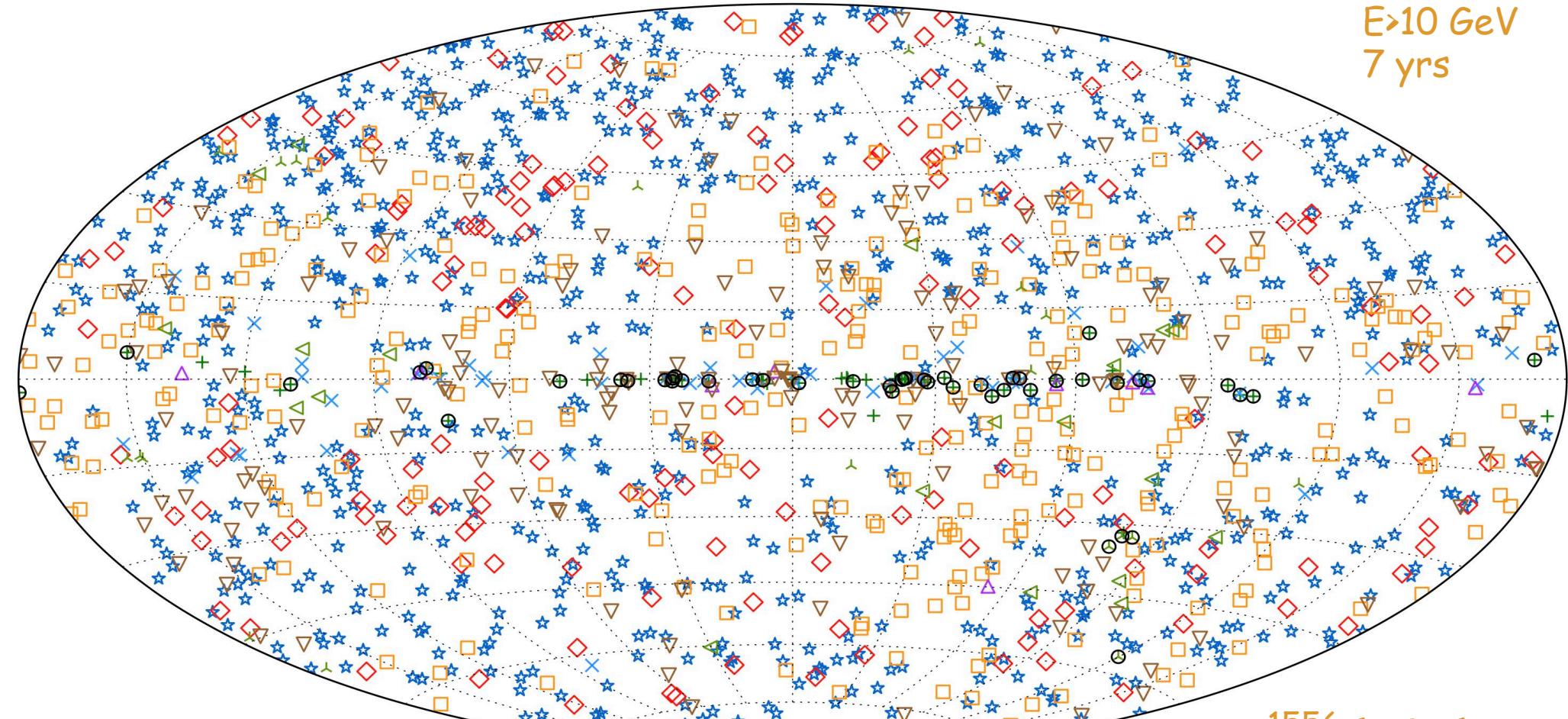
E>10 GeV  
7 yrs



M.Ackermann et al. [Fermi Coll.] 3FHL: The Third Catalog of Hard Fermi-LAT Sources arXiv:1702.00664

# The sky in gamma-rays

E>10 GeV  
7 yrs



+ SNRs and PWNe	★ BL Lacs	□ Unc. Blazars	△ Other GAL	▽ Unassociated
× Pulsars	◇ FSRQs	✗ Other EGAL	◀ Unknown	○ Extended

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# $10^{12}$ - $10^{15}$ eV Sky in neutrinos

0 sources

+75°

*IceCube Coll., Astrophys.J. 835 (2017) no.2, 151*

+PoS 997

+45°

+15°

24h

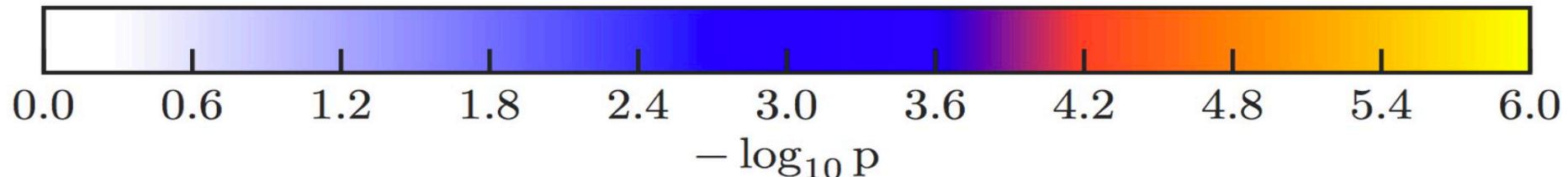
-15°

-45°

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0h

Equatorial



# Neutrino source candidates

- IceCube searches for point-like and extended sources of muon neutrinos found neither statistically-significant evidence for event clustering nor correlation of neutrinos with known astrophysical objects.
- Kadler et al. (2015) found one of the ICECUBE PeV-event was spatially and temporally coincident with a major gamma-ray outburst of the Flat Spectrum Radio Quasar (FSRQ) PKS B1424-418.
- Resconi et al. 2017 provide hints that HBL sub-class of blazars may be the sources of some of the ICECUBE HESE neutrinos and UHECRs seen by Auger/Telescope Array. (see Resconi talk )

# ICECUBE-160731 event

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- Extremely High Energy (EHE) neutrino detected by the ICECUBE experiment at  
T0=31/07/2016 01:55:04 UTC
- Announced by GCN/AMON notice 128290\_6888376 ([http://gcn.gsfc.nasa.gov/notices\\_amon/6888376\\_128290.amon](http://gcn.gsfc.nasa.gov/notices_amon/6888376_128290.amon)).
- Reconstructed arrival direction:  
RA,DEC (J2000)=(214.54, -0.33) +/- 0.75 [deg]  
(90% stat+sys containment radius)  
Gal Coords. l,b=(343.68, +55.52) deg

# AGILE investigations of ICECUBE-160731

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- AGILE alert systems received automatically GCN/AMON notice emitted by the ICECUBE Coll.
- No significant detection in the AGILE-GRID data was found around T0 at the ICECUBE coords.
- BUT ... a gamma-ray excess above 100 MeV above 4 sigma was detected in the GRID data by the *AGILE QL* processing procedure a couple of days before, on a 48 hours integration between (T0 – 3; T0 – 1) days.

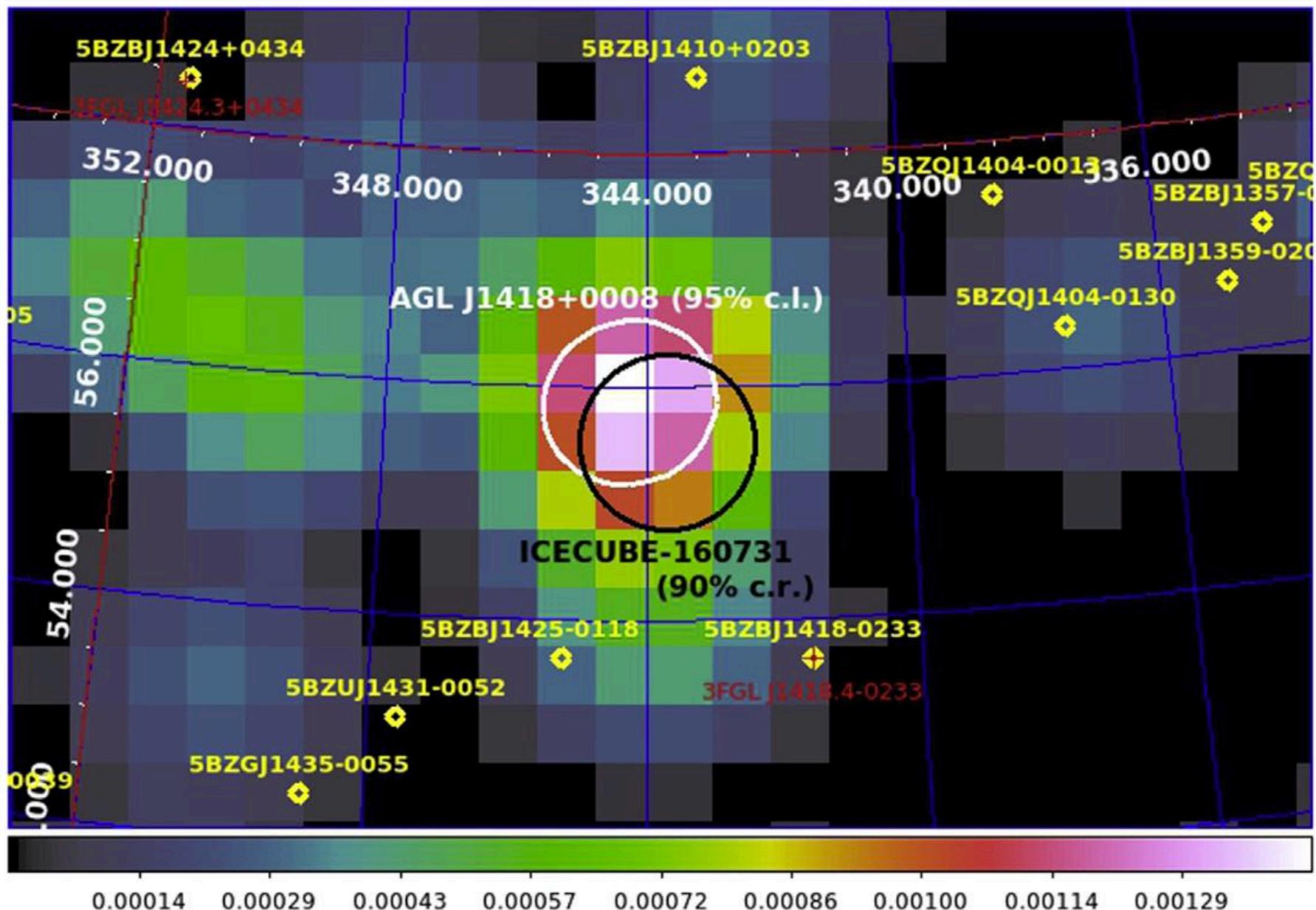
# The AGILE AGL J1418+0008 transient

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- Very brief episode (1 – 1.5 days).
- $4.1\sigma$  pre-trial significance on ( $T_0 - 2$ ;  $T_0 - 1$ ) days interval.
- Peak significance of  $4.9\sigma$  on the 24 hours integration ( $T_0 - 1.8$ ;  $T_0 - 0.8$ ) days (peak flux ( $E > 100$  MeV)  $\sim 3.5E-06$  ph/cm<sup>2</sup>/s).
- Best-fit AGILE-GRID position:  
 $I, b = (344.26, 55.86)$  [deg] +/- 0.8 [deg] (95% stat. c.l.)  
→ new AGILE transients: AGL J1418+0008

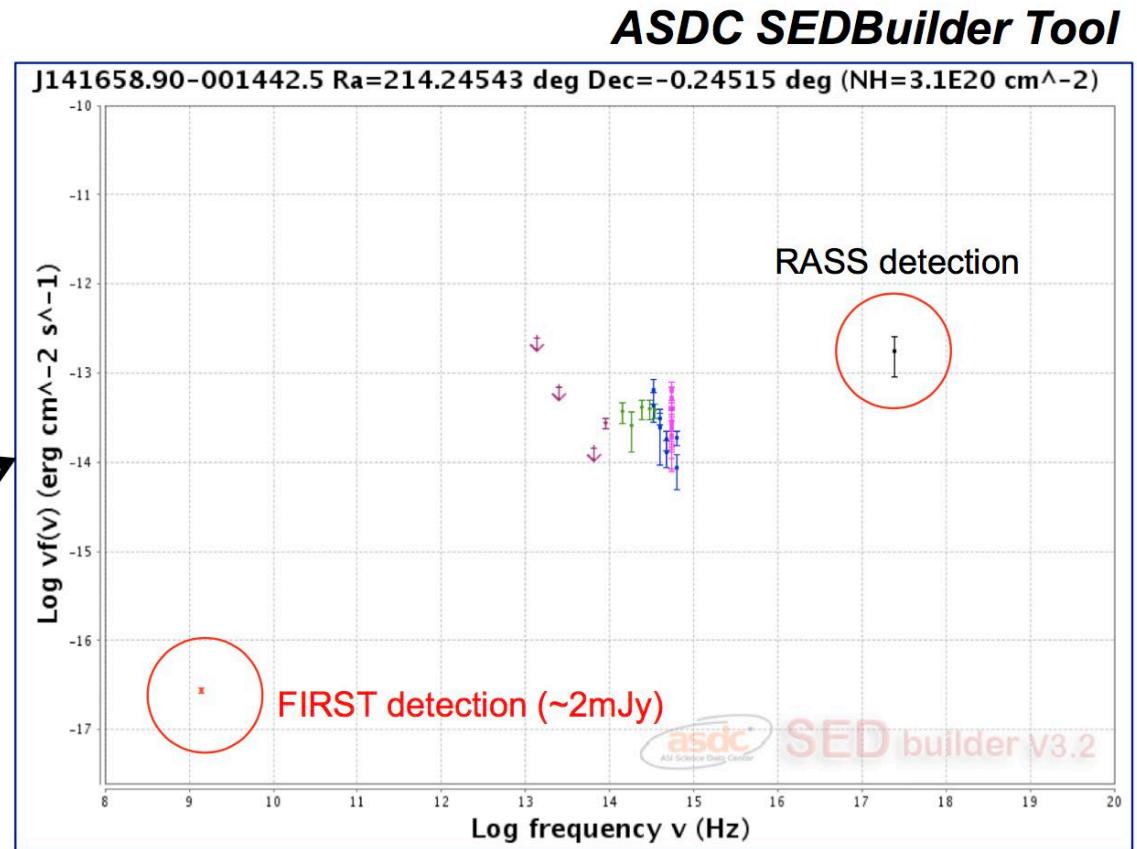
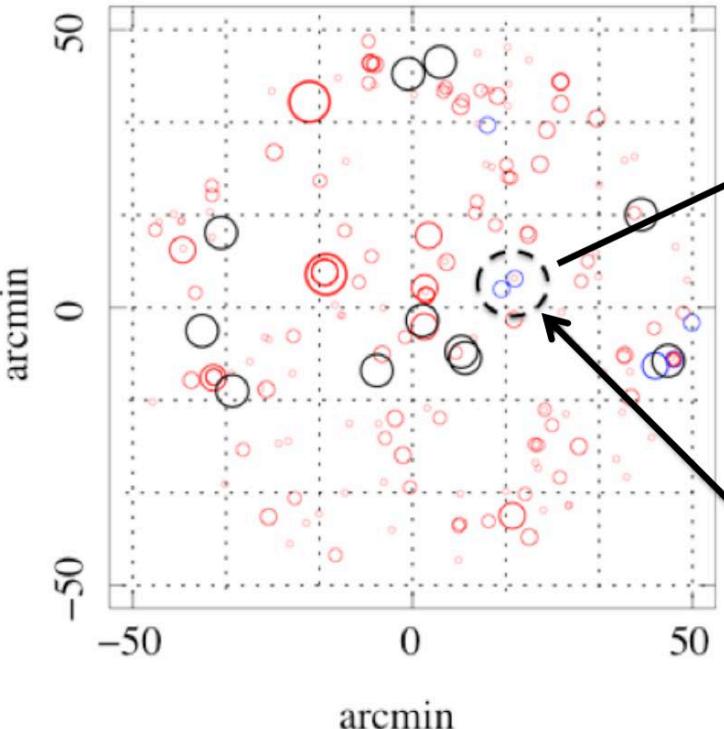
AGL J1418+008 possible gamma-ray precursor  
of the ICECUBE-160731 event (?)

# The AGILE AGL J1418+0008 transient



# a possible candidate for ICECUBE-160731

Search around  
ICECUBE-160731/AGL  
J1418 using ASDC  
*SkyExplorer* tool



1RXS J141658-00144:  
possible HBL blazar candidate →  
ICECUBE-160731 emitter candidate?

# Another gamma- $\nu$ connection: Search for Dark Matter

Another gamma-  $\nu$  connection: Search for Dark Matter



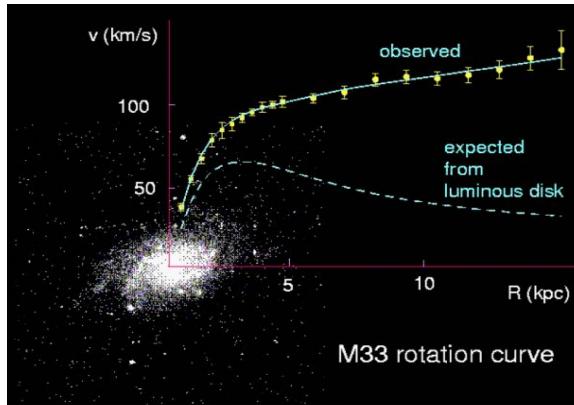
# Dark Matter EVIDENCE

In 1933, the astronomer Zwicky realized that the mass of the luminous matter in the Coma cluster was much smaller than its total mass implied by the motion of cluster member galaxies.

Since then, even more evidence:



Rotation curves of galaxies



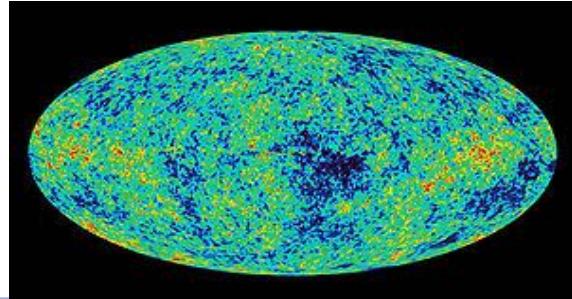
Gravitational lensing



Bullet cluster

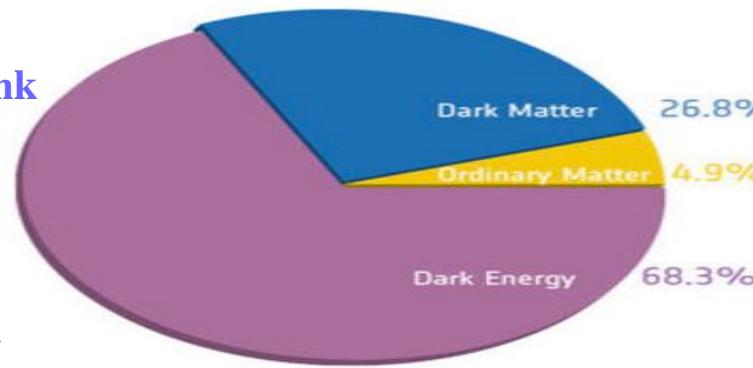


Structure formation as deduced from CMB



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Data by Plank  
imply:



$\Omega_{\text{DM}} \approx 26.8\%$

$\Omega_{\text{M}} \approx 4.9\%$

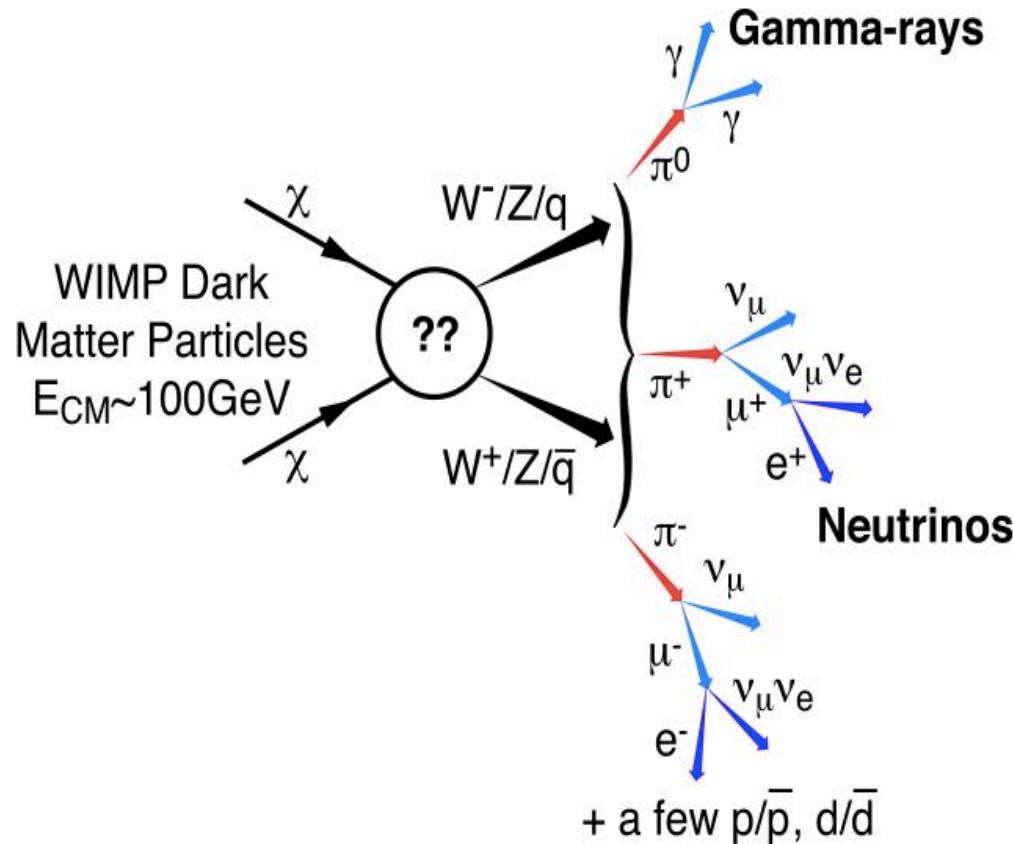
# Neutralino WIMPs



Assume  $\chi$  present in the Galactic halo

- $\chi$  is its own antiparticle  $\Rightarrow$  can annihilate in galactic halo producing gamma-rays, antiprotons, positrons....
- Antimatter not produced in large quantities through standard processes (secondary production through  $p + p \rightarrow \text{anti } p + X$ )
- So, any extra contribution from exotic sources ( $\chi \chi$  annihilation) is an interesting signature
- ie:  $\chi \chi \rightarrow \text{anti } p + X$
- Produced from (e. g.)  $\chi \chi \rightarrow q / g / \text{gauge boson} / \text{Higgs boson}$  and subsequent decay and/ or hadronisation.

# Annihilation channels



Analysis  
Chain



Dark Matter Density e.g. N-body Simulation

New Particle Theory e.g. SUSY, Extra-dim

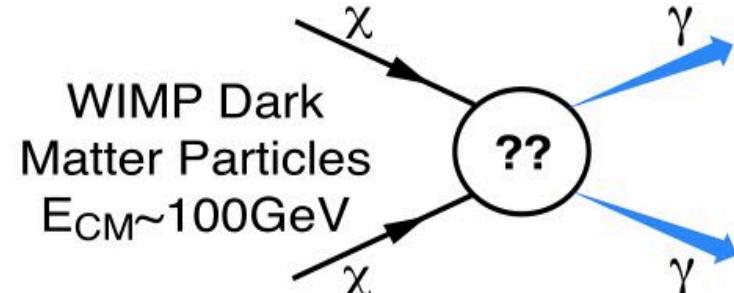
Final State Hadronization e.g. PYTHIA Simulation

Cosmic Ray Propagation and Galactic Interaction i.e. GALPROP

Detector Simulation i.e. GEANT4

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WIMP Dark Matter Particles  $E_{CM} \sim 100\text{GeV}$



Analysis  
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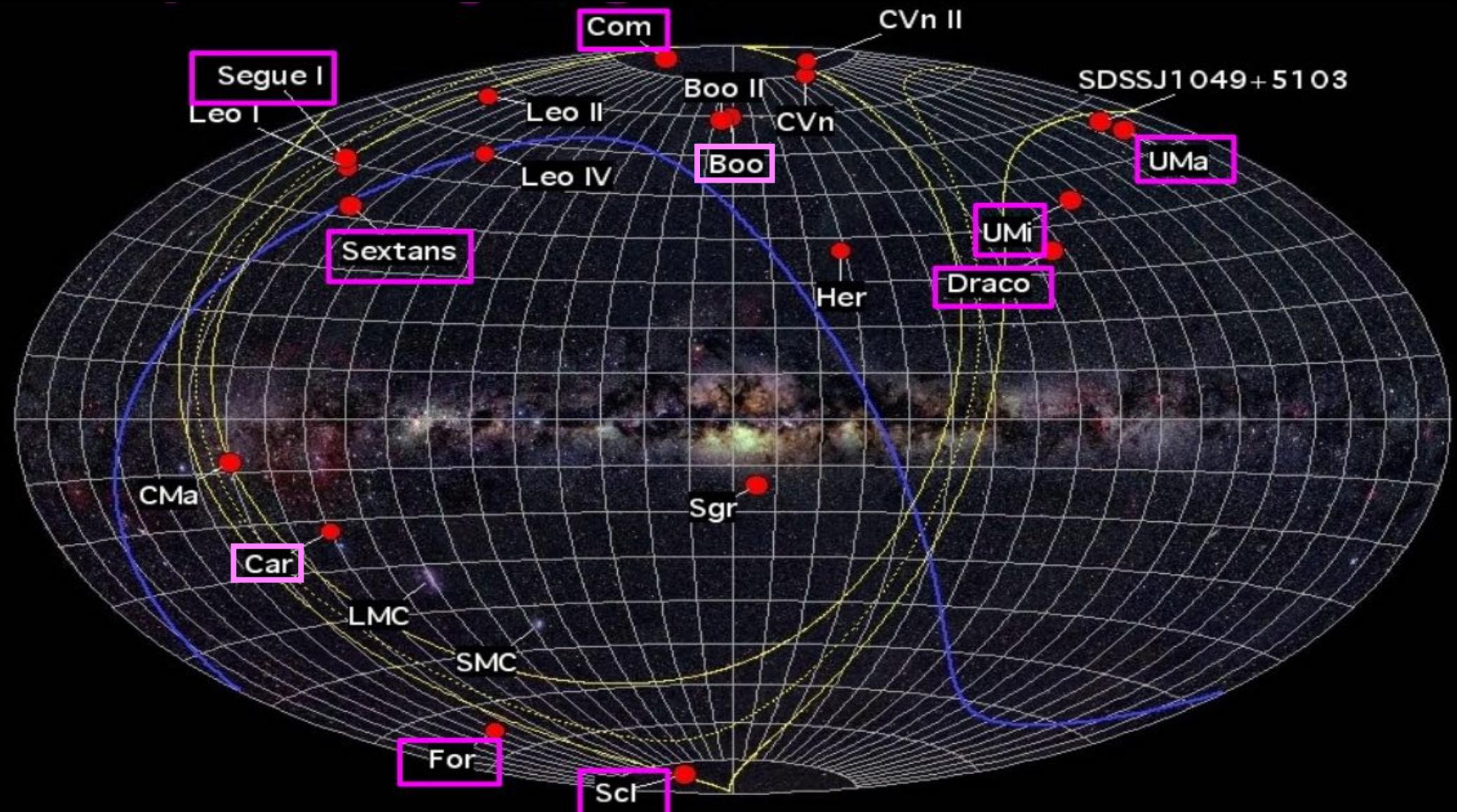
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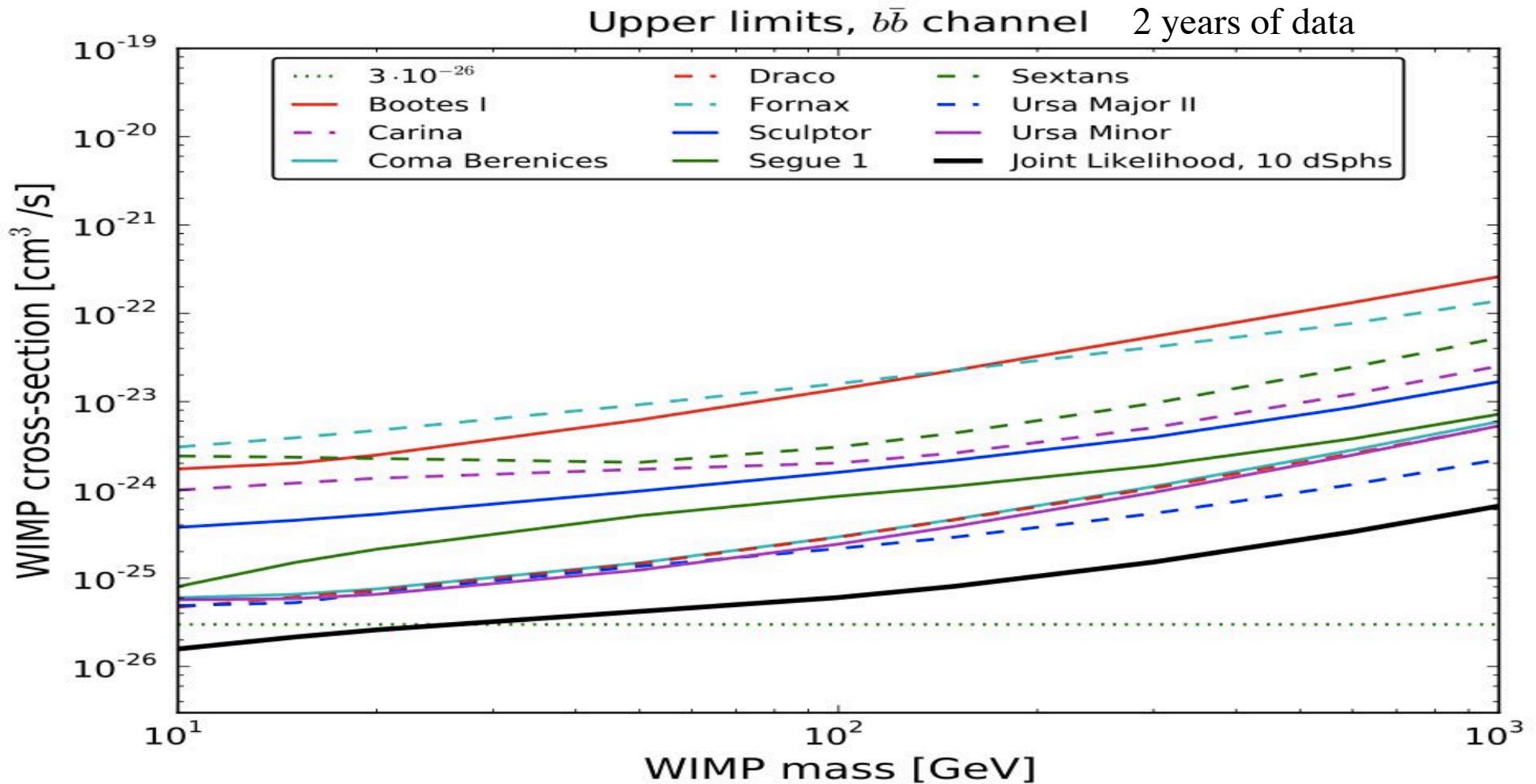
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# Dwarf spheroidal galaxies (dSph) : promising targets for DM detection



# Dwarf Spheroidal Galaxies combined analysis



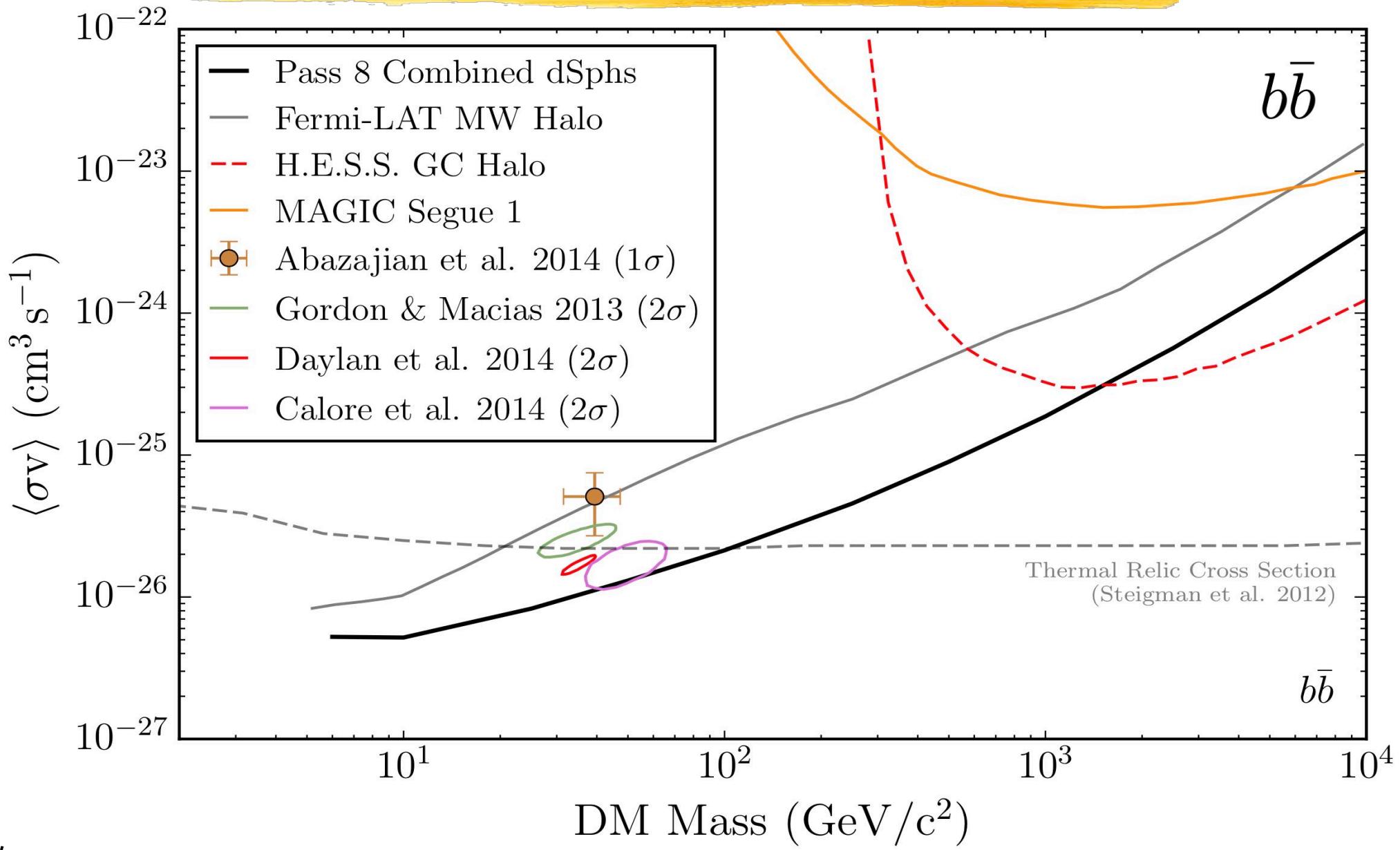
robust constraints including J-factor uncertainties from the stellar data statistical analysis

NFW. For cored dark matter profile, the J-factors for most of the dSphs would either increase or not change much

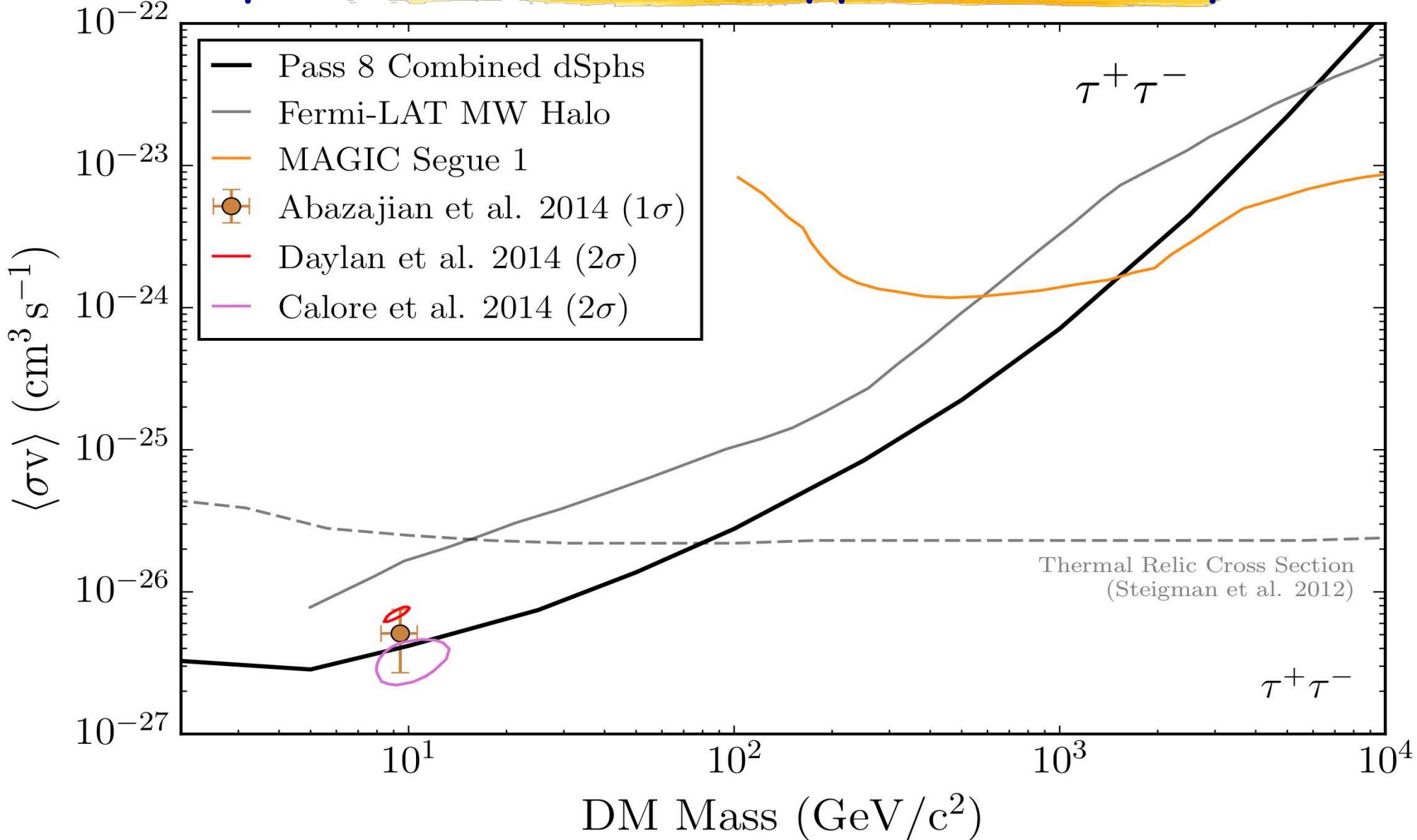


Fermi Lat Coll., PRL 107, 241302 (2011) [arXiv:1108.3546]

# Dwarf Spheroidal Galaxies upper-limits (6 years)



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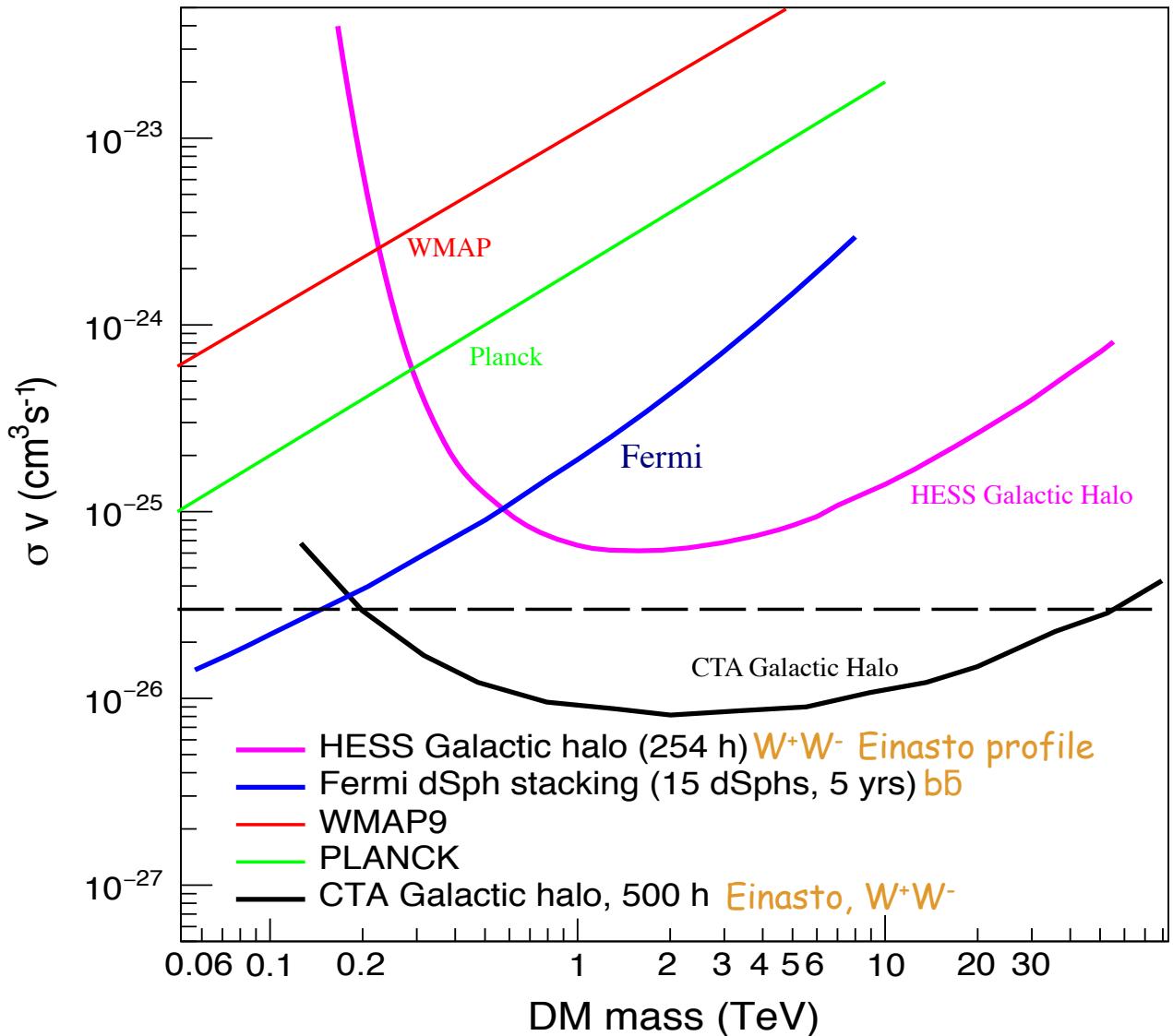


# CTA, HESS, FERMI, PLANK DM upper-limits

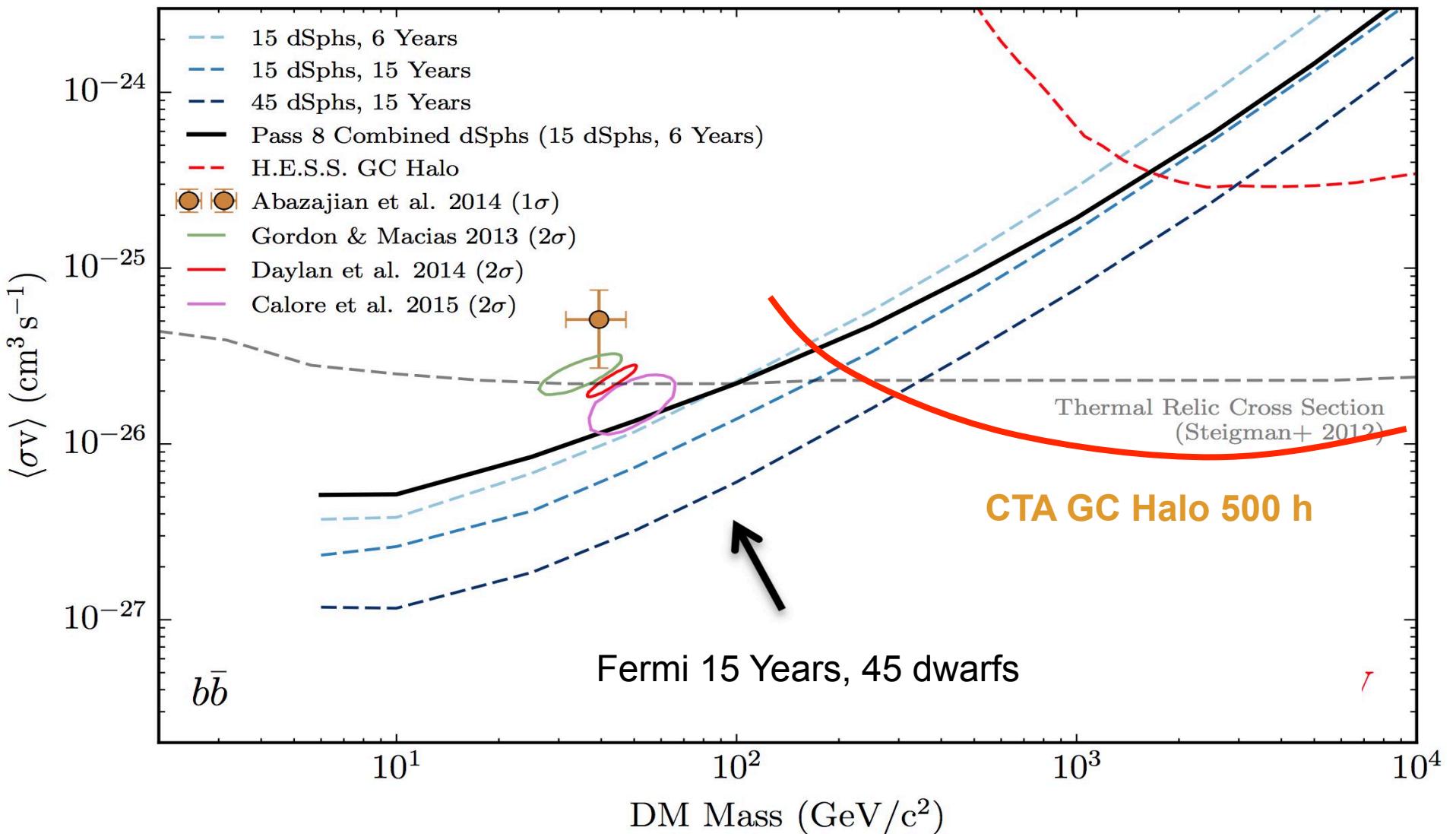
Together Fermi and CTA will probe most of the space of WIMP models with thermal relic annihilation cross section

The expectation for CTA is for the Einasto profile and is optimistic as includes only statistical errors.

The effect of the Galactic diffuse emission can affect the results by  $\sim 50\%$

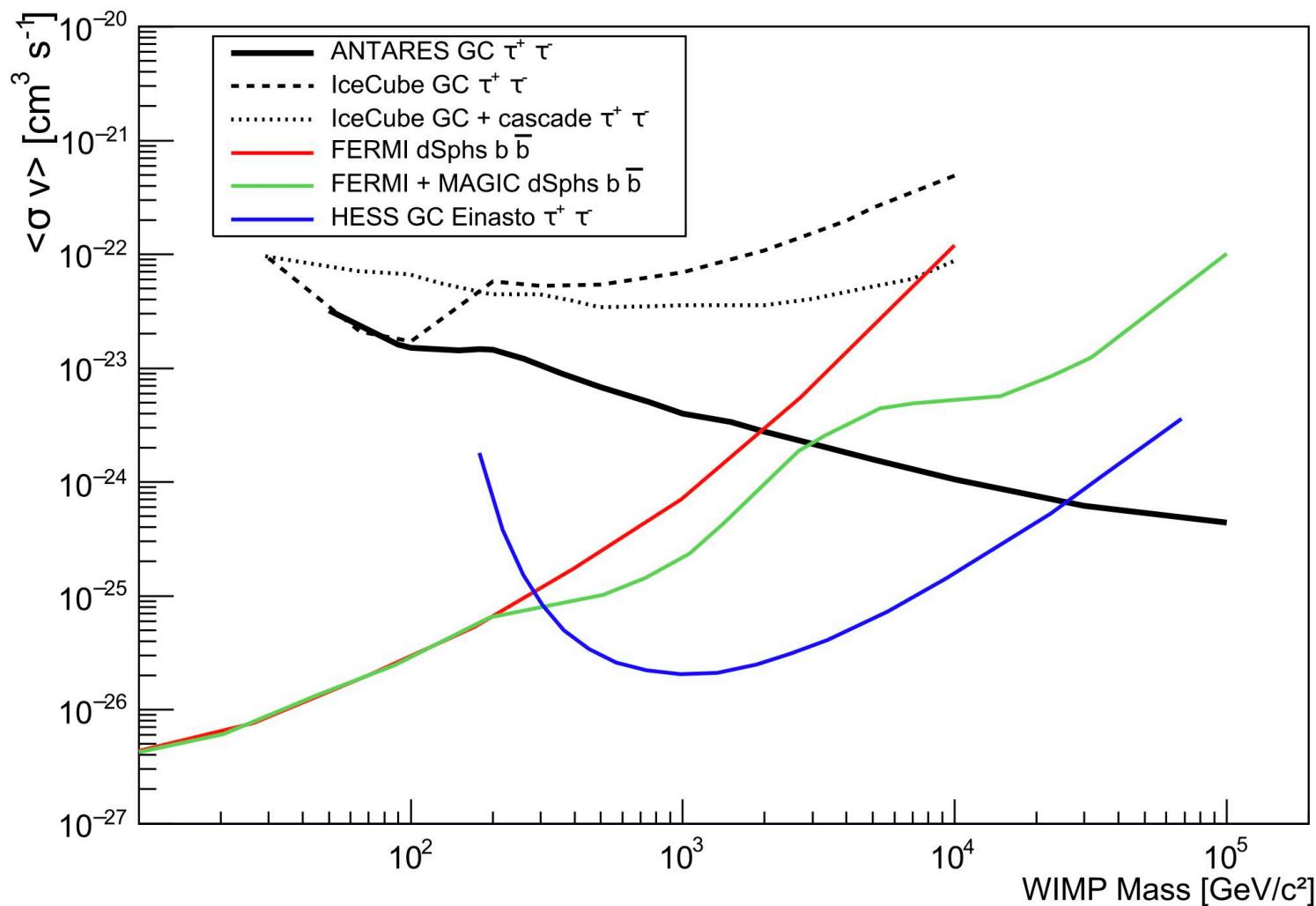


# DM limit improvement estimate in 15 years (2008- 2023)



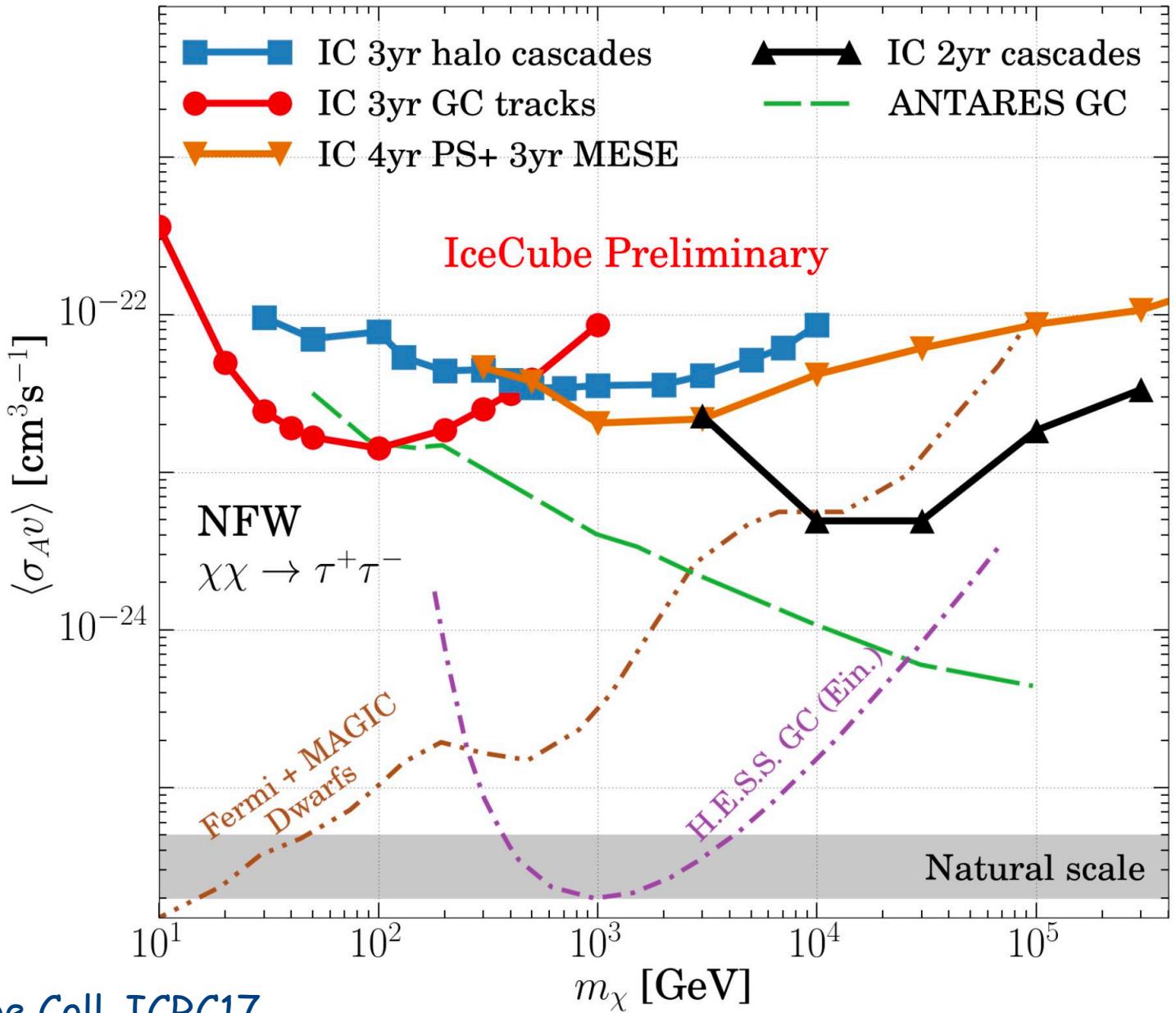
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# HESS, FERMI, Ice Cube, ANTARES Dark Matter upper-limits



A. Albert, et al. ANTARES Coll. Physics Letters B 769 (2017) 249–254

# HESS, FERMI, Ice Cube, ANTARES Dark Matter upper-limits update



S.Flis for the Ice Cube Coll. ICRC17

# The Low Energy Frontier



- 1-100 MeV unexplored domain for
  - Dark Matter searches
  - Galactic compact stars and nucleosynthesis
  - Cosmic rays
  - Relativistic jets, microquasars
  - Blazars
  - Gamma-Ray Bursts
  - Solar physics
- and...
  - Terrestrial Gamma-Ray Flashes

# Gamma-light project

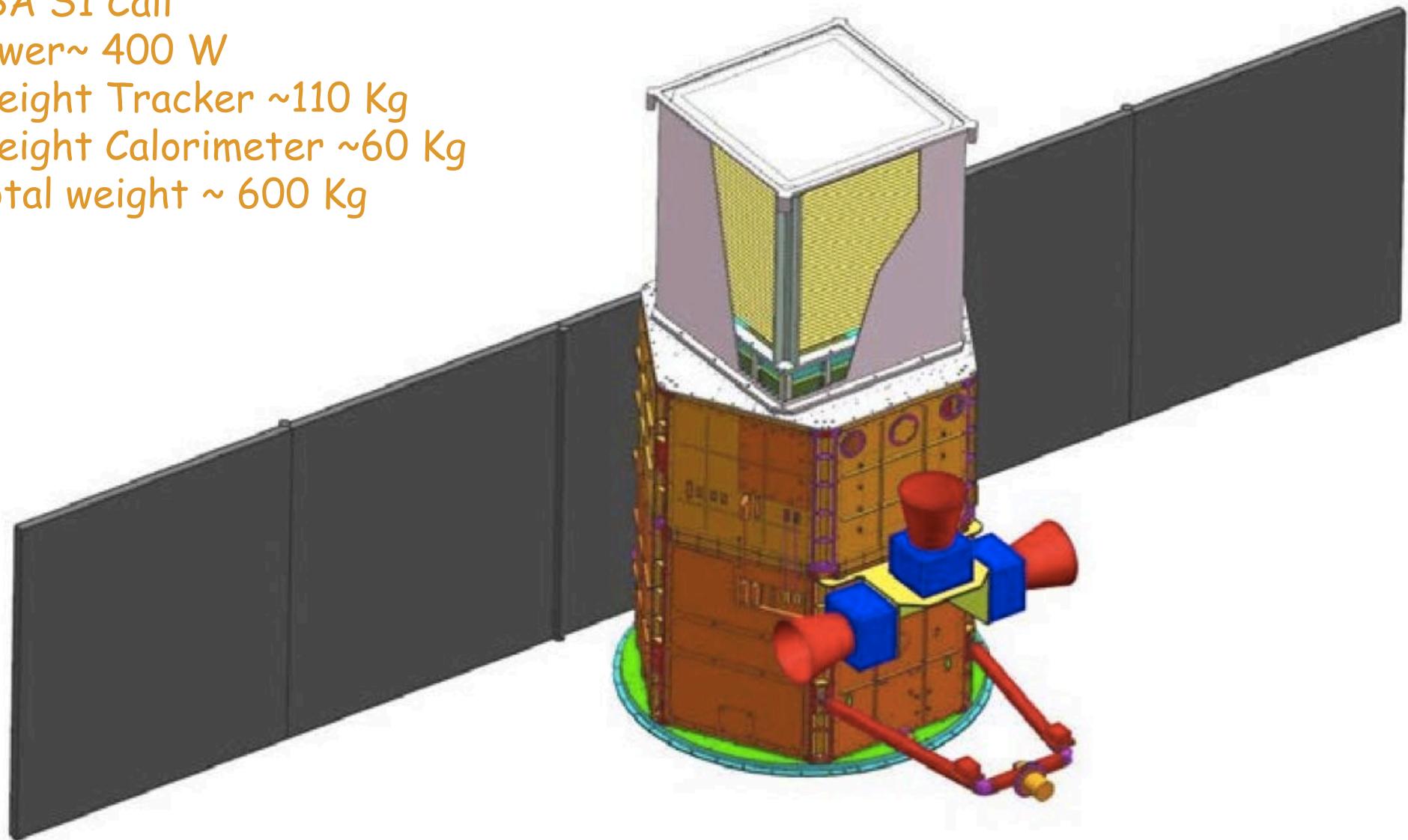
ESA S1 Call

Power~ 400 W

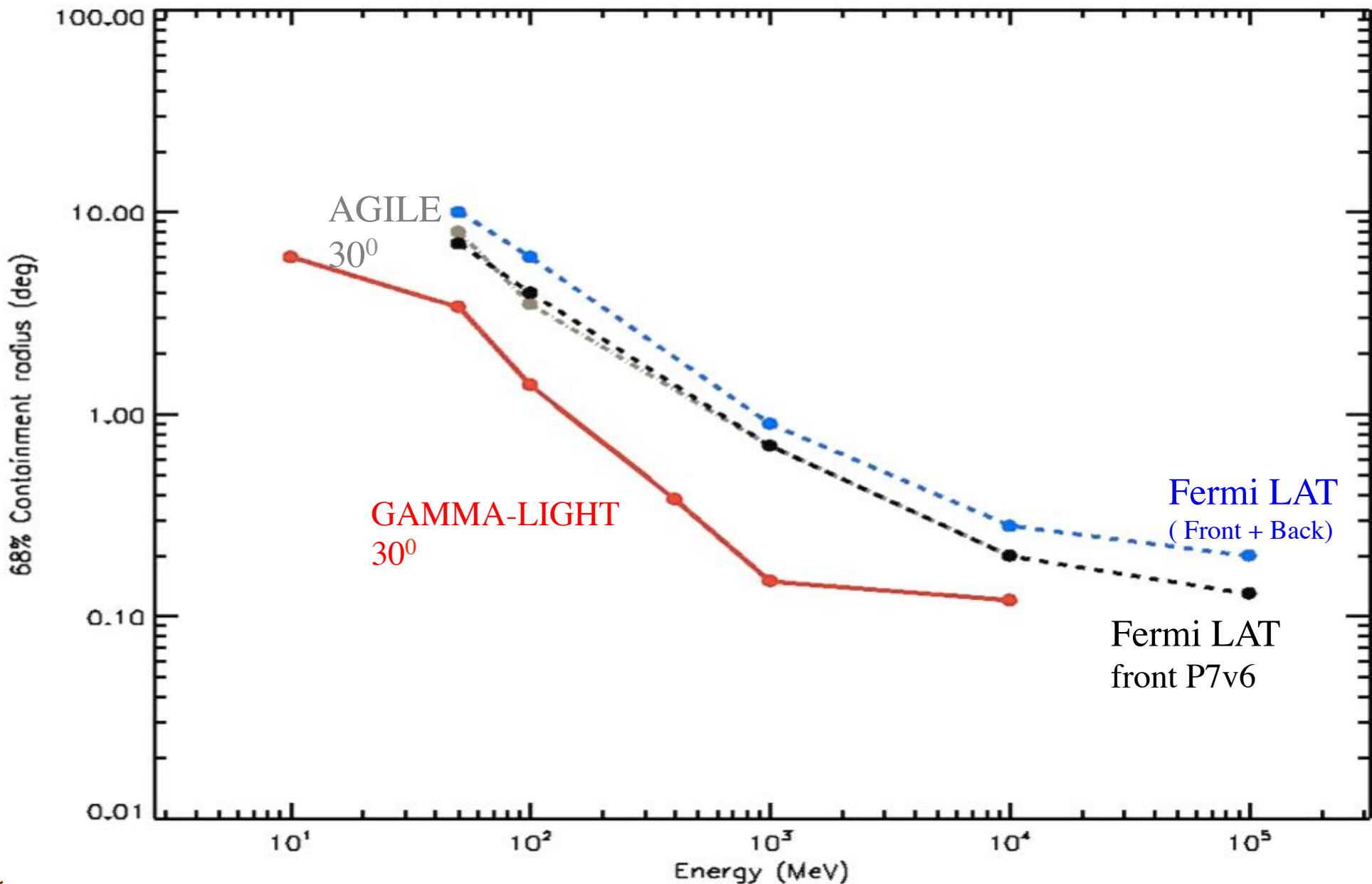
Weight Tracker ~110 Kg

Weight Calorimeter ~60 Kg

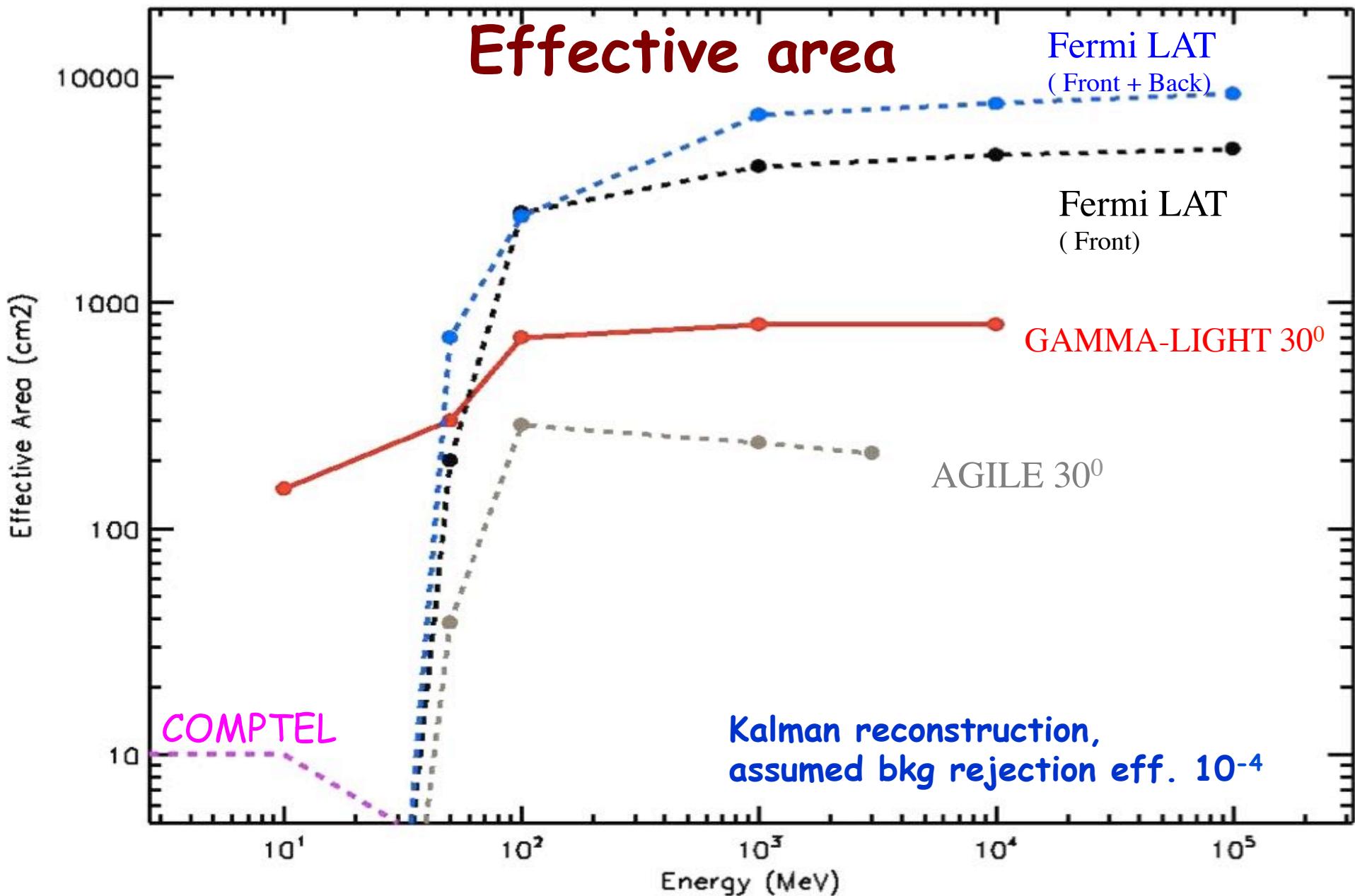
Total weight ~ 600 Kg



# Gamma-Light Point Spread Function (angular resolution)

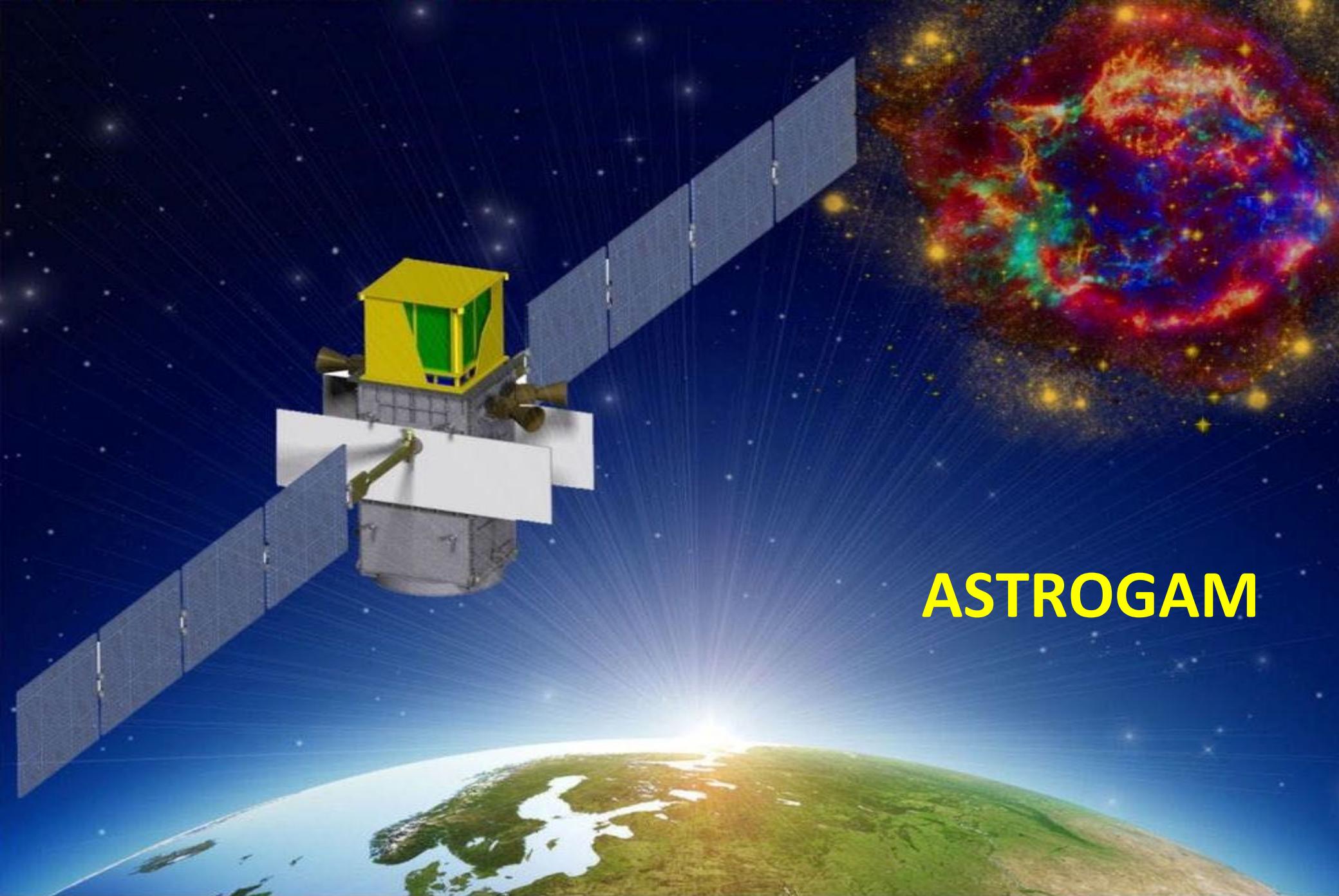


# Effective area



# ESA M-4 Call

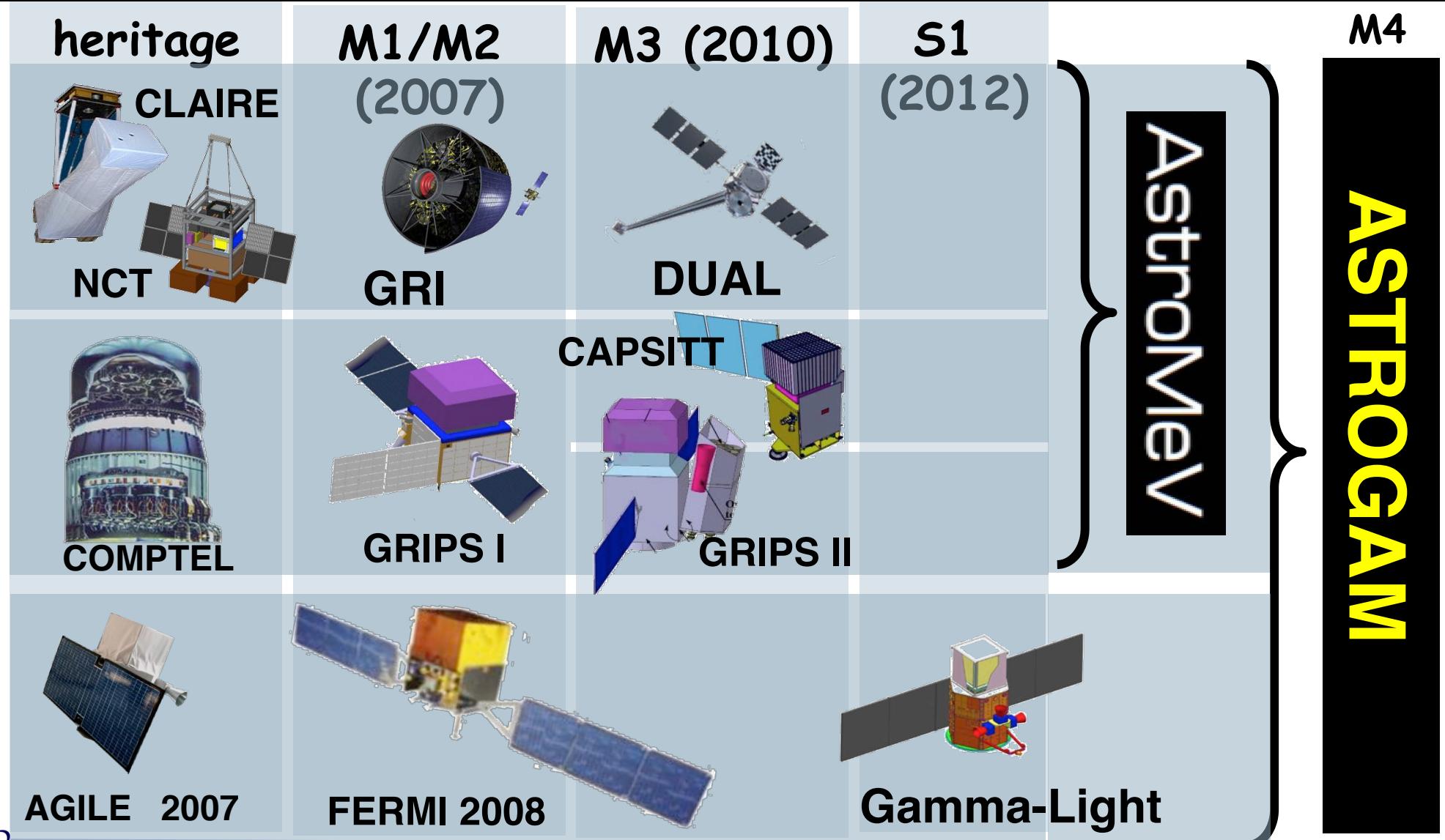
- quite different from previous Medium-sized Mission Calls (Solar Orbiter, EUCLID, PLATO);
- total ESA budget: 450 Meuro.
- guidelines for an ‘‘ESA-only’’ mission:
  - Payload mass: 300 kg;
  - total spacecraft mass: 800 kg.



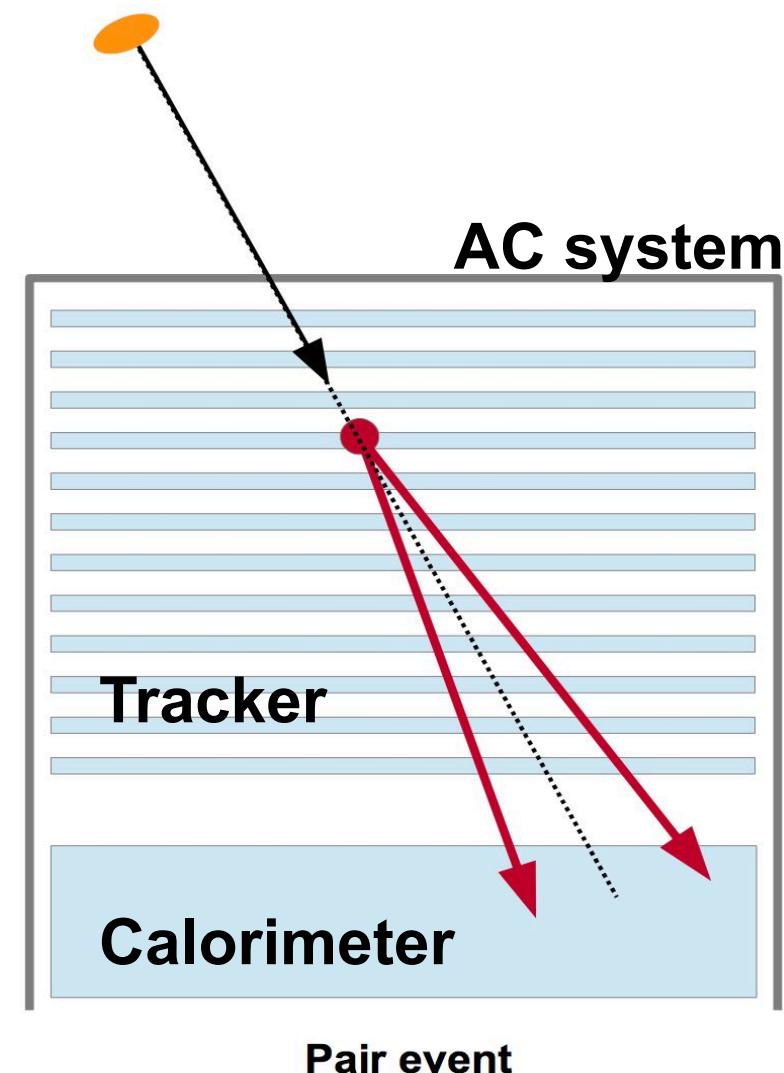
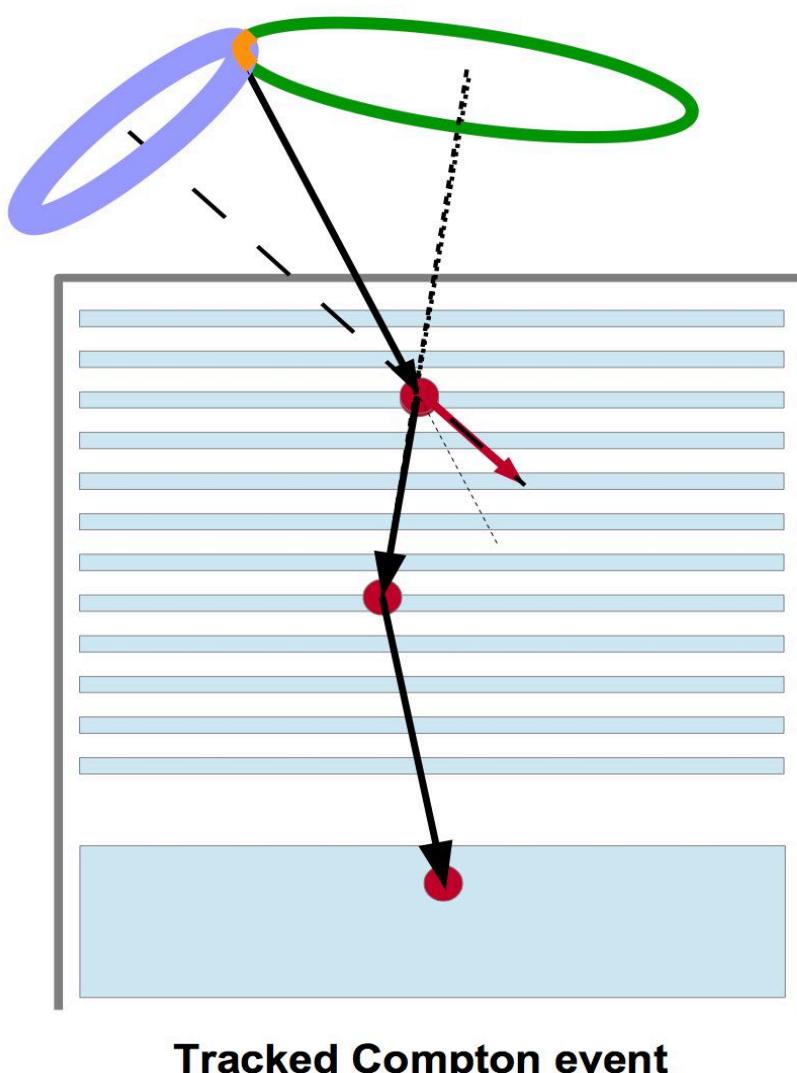
# ASTROGAM



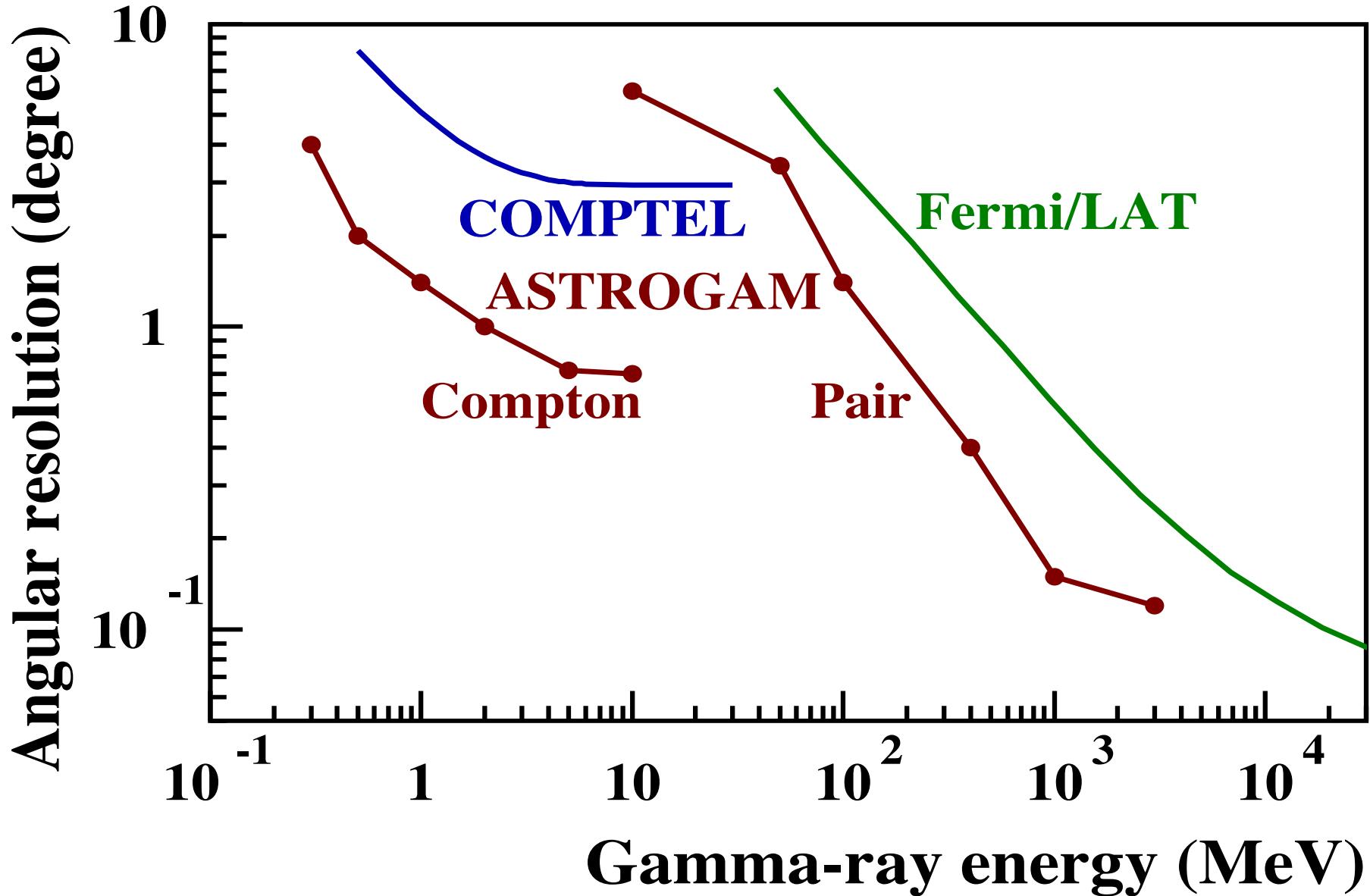
# ASTROGAM a unified proposal from the entire gamma-ray community



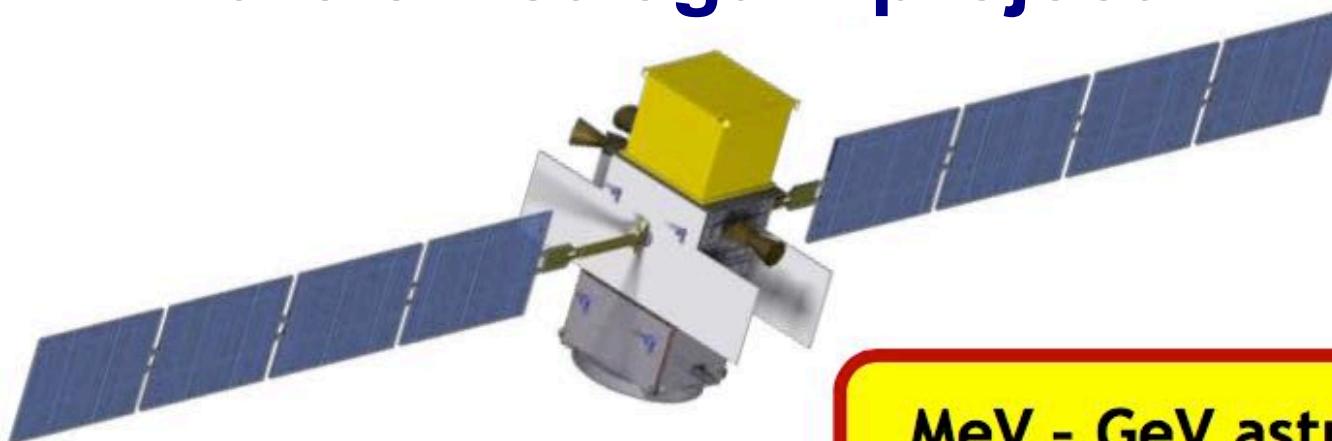
# An instrument that combine two detection techniques



# ASTROGAM Angular Resolution



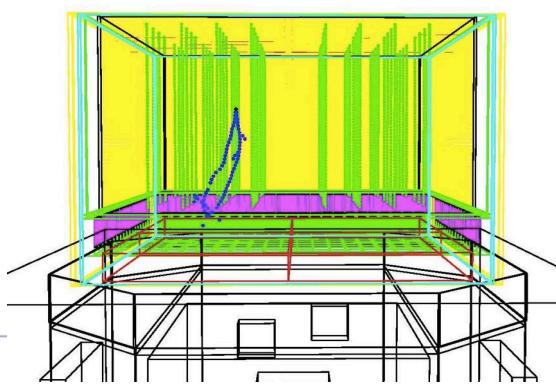
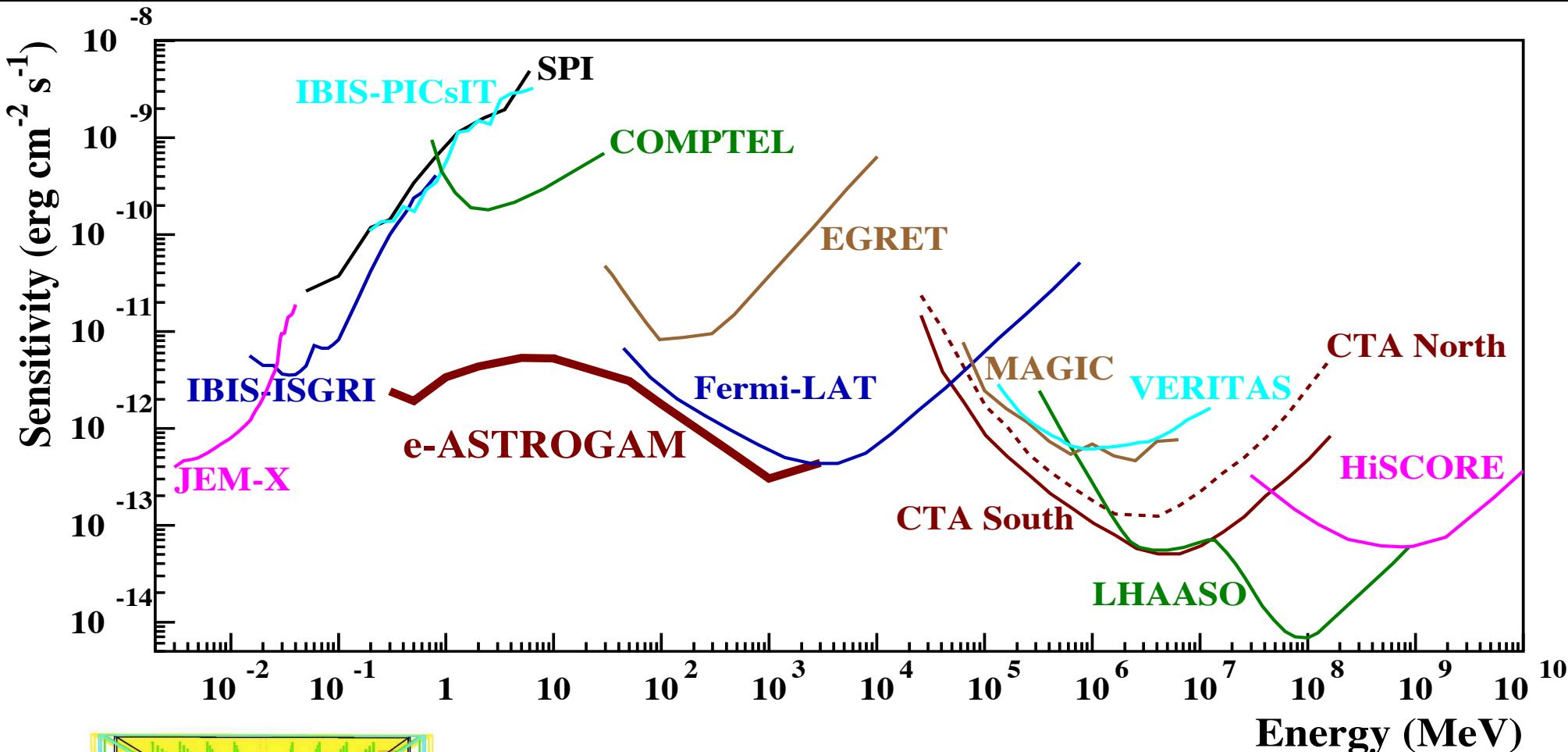
# The next gamma-ray MeV-GeV mission: the e-Astrogam project



MeV - GeV astrophysics  
MeV - GeV community

Proposed for the ESA M4 call; currently under study for enhancement and reconfiguration for the ESA M5 call.  
**ASTROGAM is focused on gamma-ray astrophysics in the range 0.3-100 MeV with excellent capability also at GeV energies.**

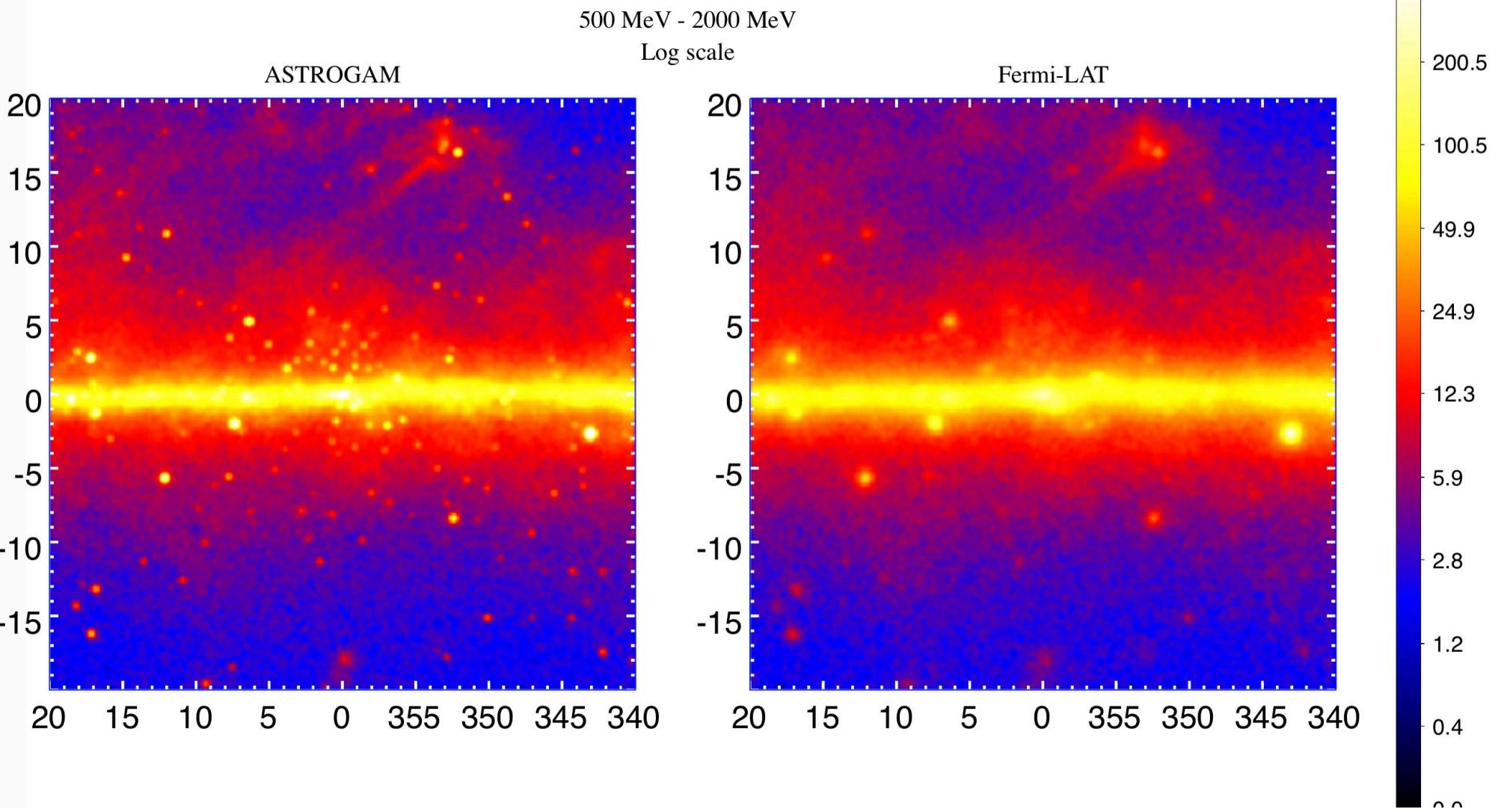




- e-ASTROGAM performance evaluated with **MEGAlib** and – both tools based on Geant4 – and a **detailed numerical mass model** of the gamma-ray instrument

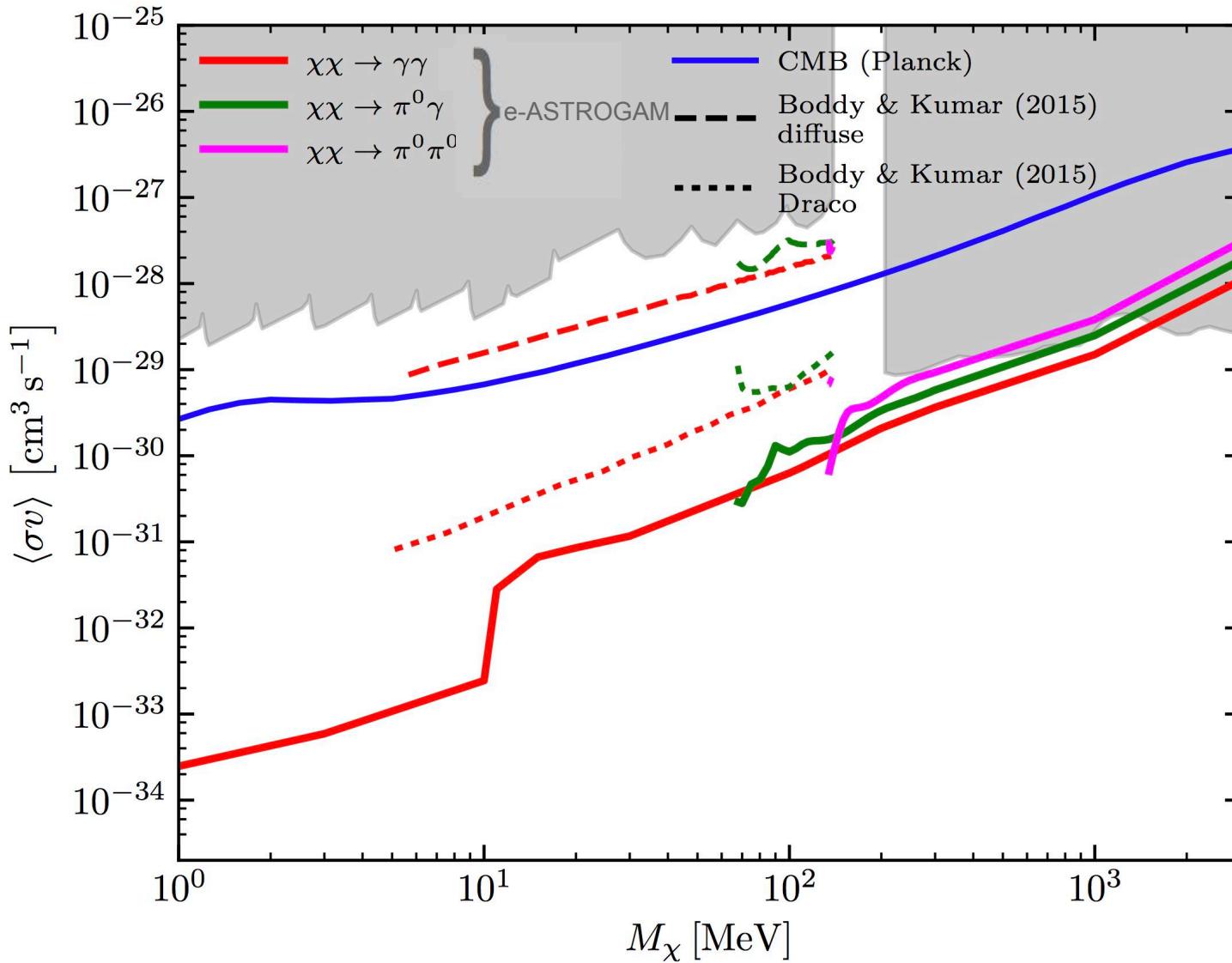
# Galactic Center Region 0.5-2 GeV

Fermi PSF Pass7 rep v15 source



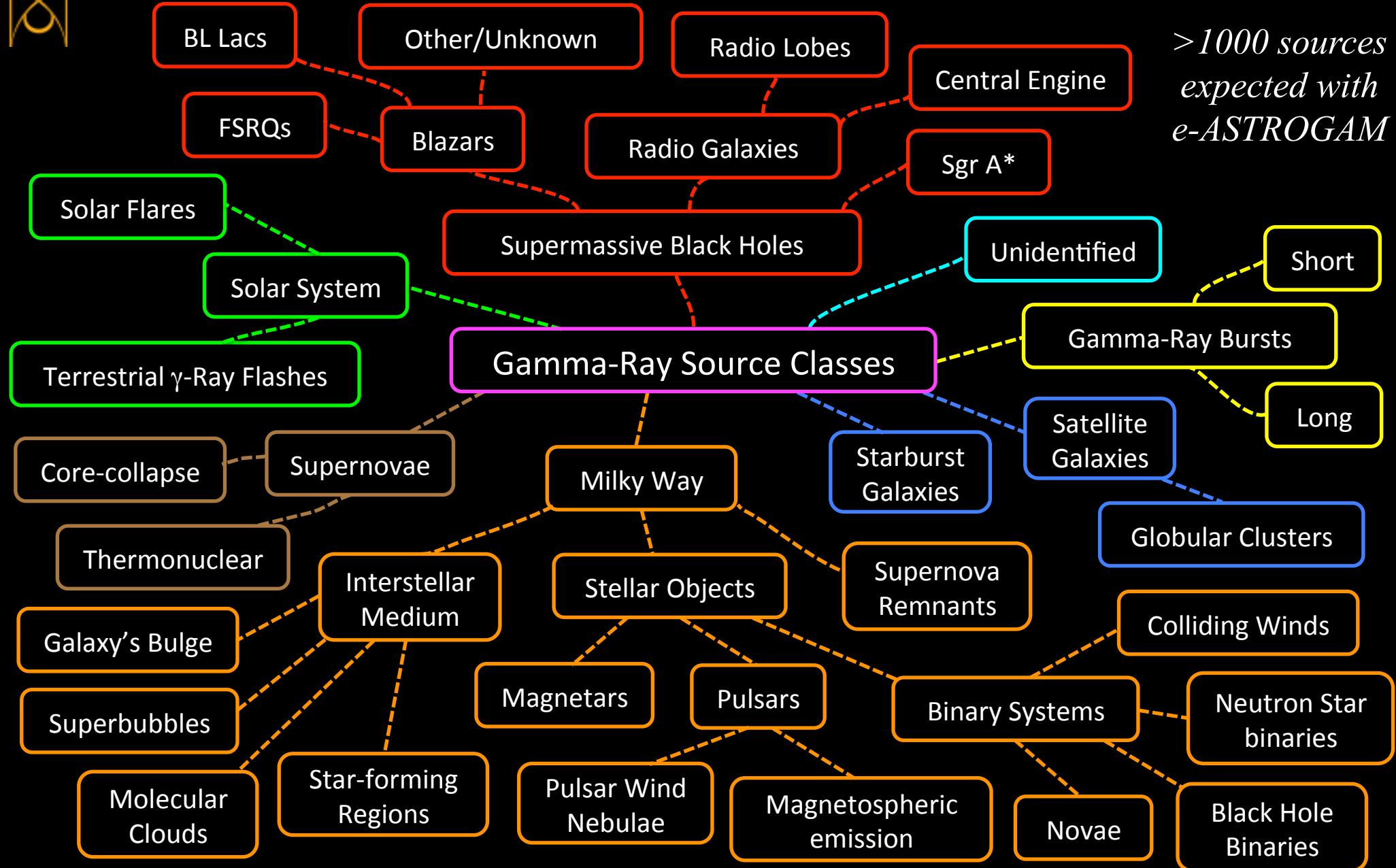
Morselli, Gomez Vargas, preliminary

# DM limits with e-ASTROGAM in the MeV region

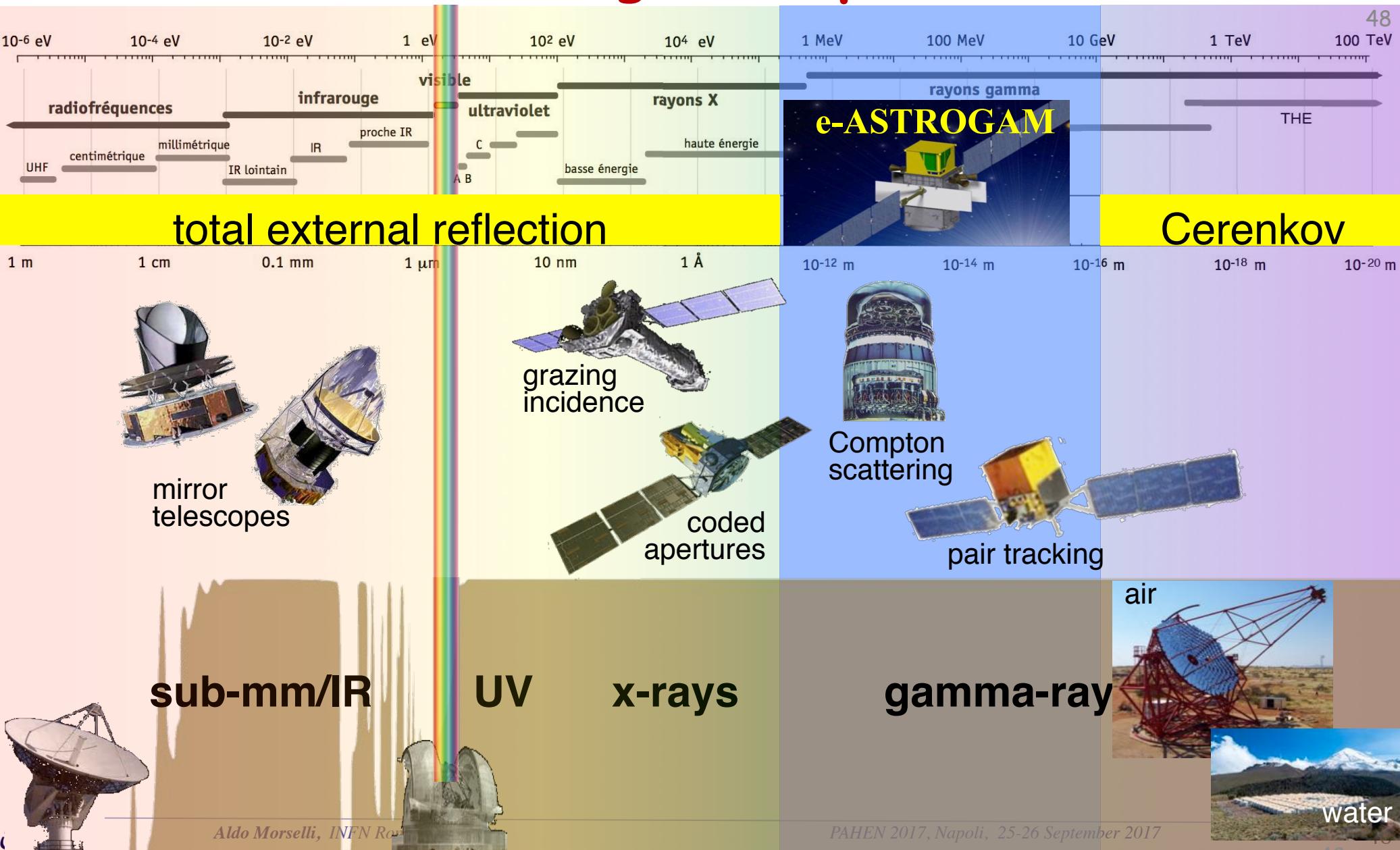


# Why eAstrogam is important for IceCube and KM3Net

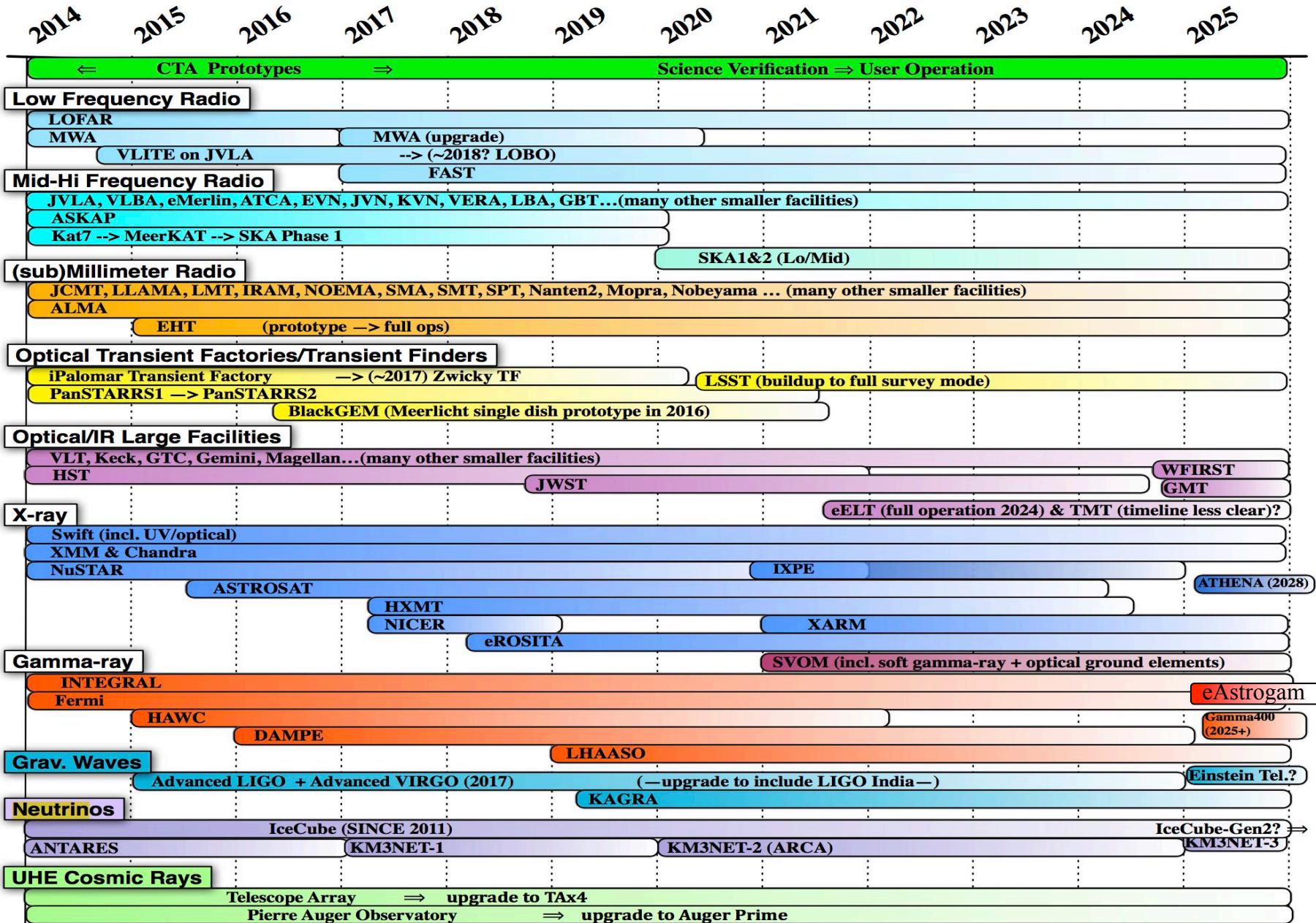
- Wide FoV ( $> 2.5 \text{ sr}$  at  $10 \text{ MeV}$ ) in survey mode.
- Sources of astrophysical neutrinos detected by IceCube may be opaque to  $1\text{-}100 \text{ GeV}$  gamma-rays but bright in the MeV domains (especially if the neutrino flux originates from photo-hadronic processes)
- eAstrogam can select the best blazar candidates for a neutrino emission (looking at the MeV hump of the double-humped spectral energy distribution)
- Can constrain the population models of the EGB helping to discriminate between  $p\gamma$  or  $pp$  processes



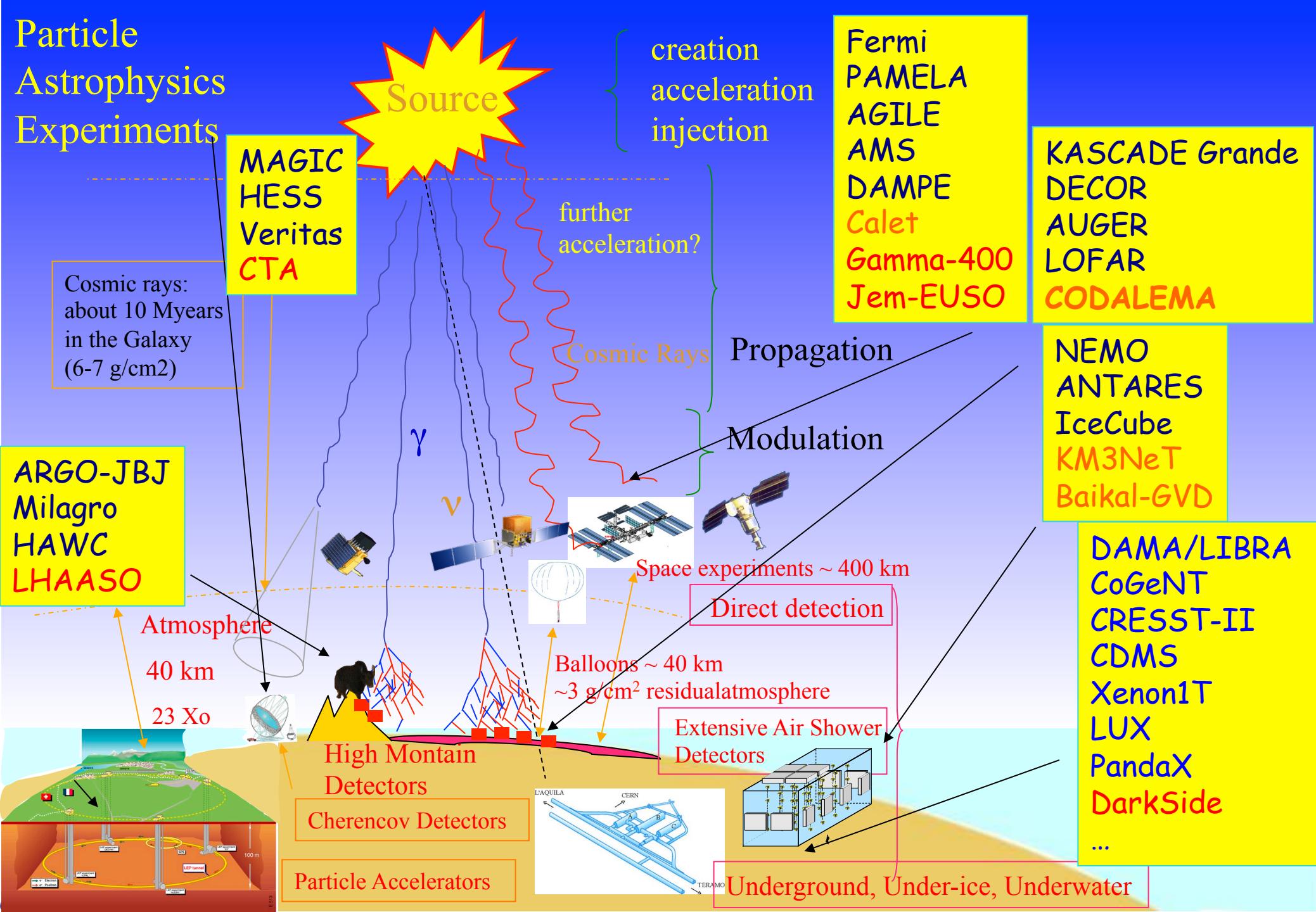
# An instrument to complete the coverage of the electromagnetic spectrum



# multi-wavelength/multi-messenger facilities over the next decade



# Particle Astrophysics Experiments

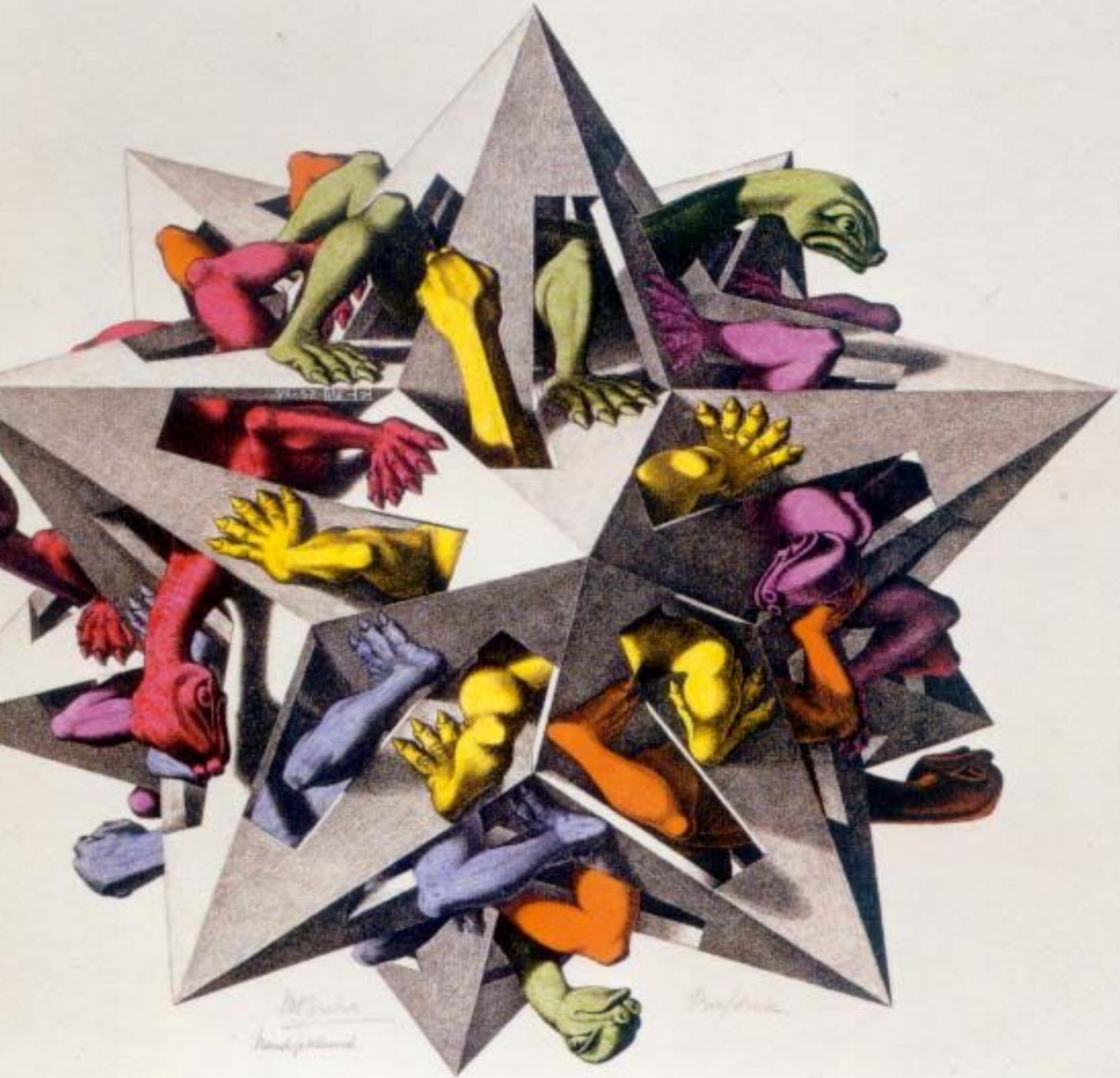




Through most of history, the cosmos has been viewed as eternally tranquil



During the 20<sup>th</sup> century the quest to broaden our view of the universe has shown us the vastness of the Universe and revealed violent cosmic phenomena and mysteries



The future?

Thank you!