



Understanding dark matter using GAMBIT

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global fits

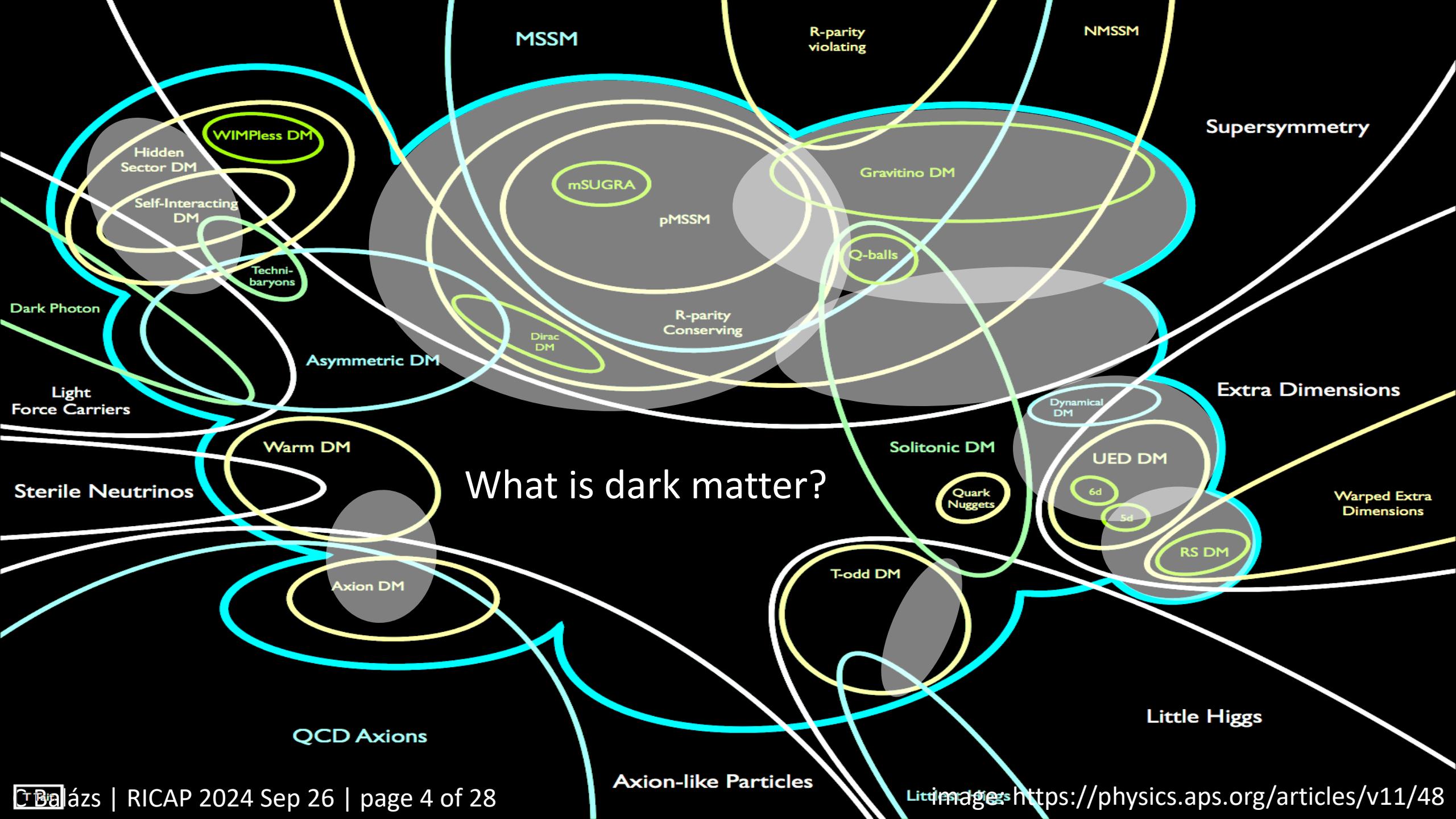
dark matter results from GAMBIT

sub-GeV DM

the lightest neutralino

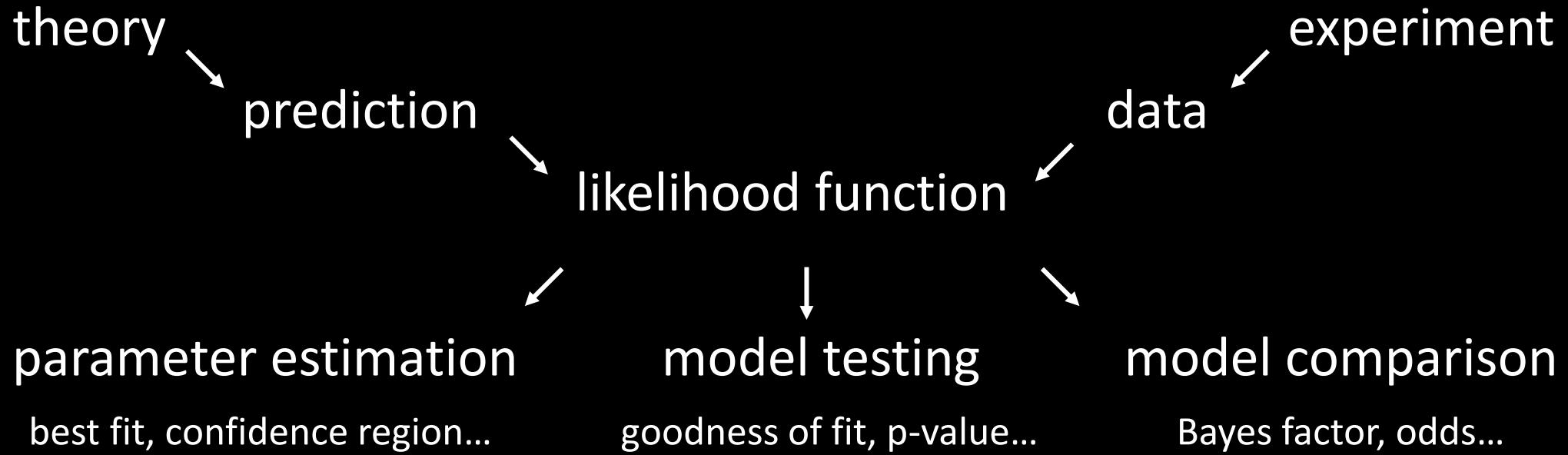
vector DM with vector mediator

fermionic DM with vector mediator



global fitting simplified

finding the best fit model



global fitting over simplified

finding the best fit model

theory
dreams
prediction

parameter estimation
best fit, confidence region...

likelihood function
reality
check
model testing
goodness of fit, p-value...

experiment
reality
data

model comparison
Bayes factor, odds...

the idea of global fitting is simple, but its details can be complicated

GAMBIT: The Global And Modular BSM Inference Tool

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- Extensive model database, beyond SUSY
- Fast definition of new datasets, theories
- Extensive observable/data libraries
- Plug&play scanning/physics/likelihood packages
- Various statistical options (frequentist /Bayesian)
- Fast LHC likelihood calculator
- Massively parallel
- Fully open-source



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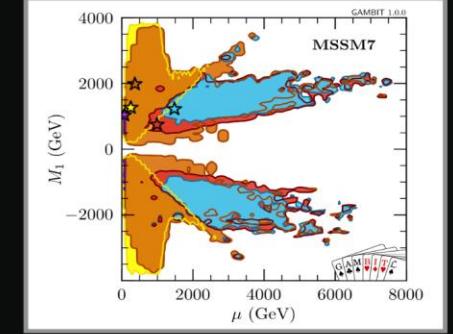
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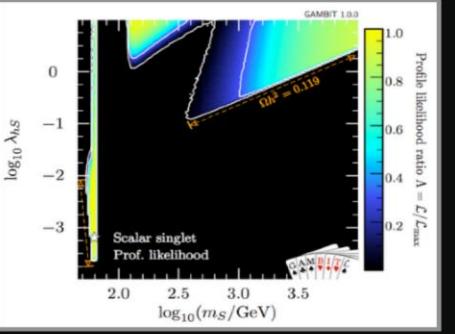
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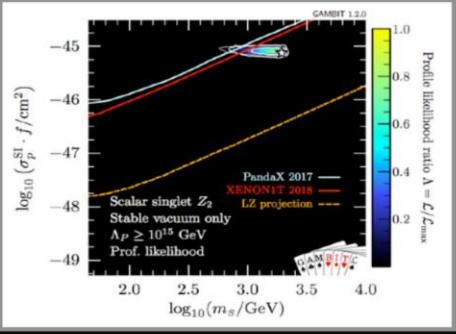




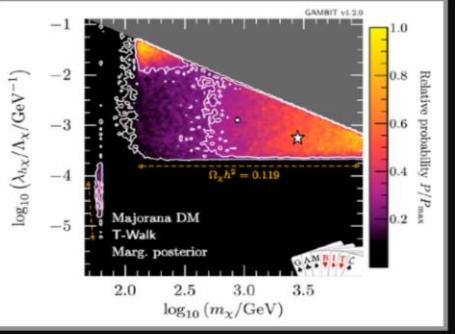
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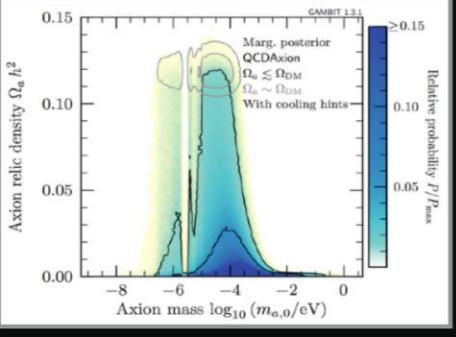
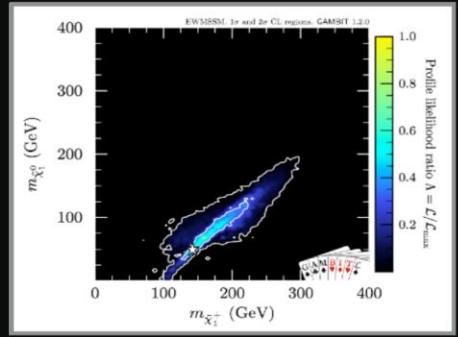
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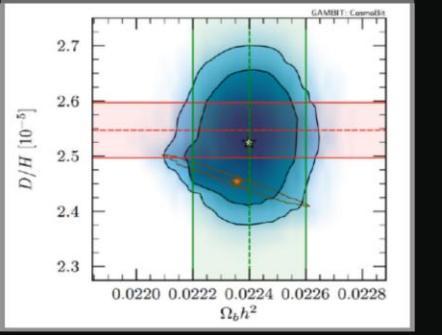
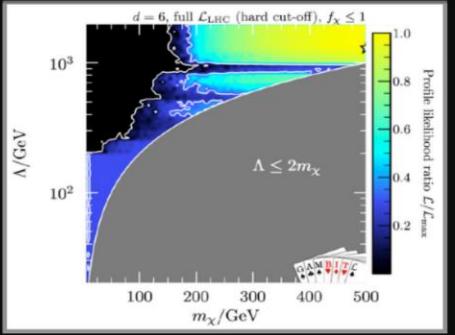
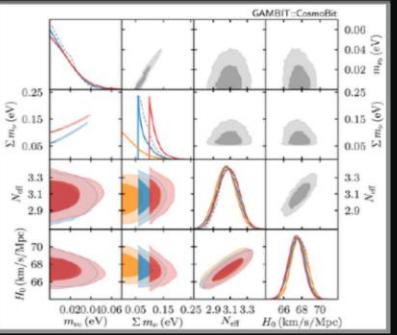
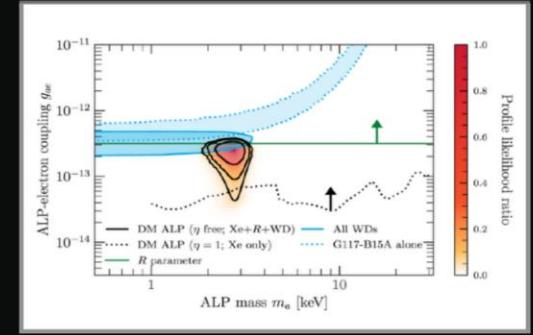
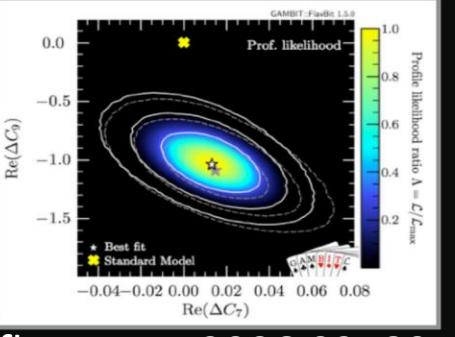
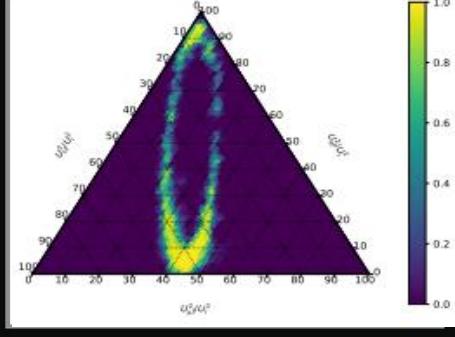
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axion-like particles
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Some results



GAMBIT dark matter related results

EFTs

- SM + scalar, fermion, vector singlet
[EPJ C77 \(2017\) 8 568 arXiv:1705.07931](#)
[EPJ C78 \(2018\) 10 830 arXiv:1806.11281](#)
[EPJ C79 \(2019\) 1 38 arXiv:1808.10465](#)
[EPJ C81 \(2021\) 11 992 arXiv:2106.02056](#)
[EPJ C83 \(2023\) 3 249 arXiv:2209.13266](#)

simplified

- SM + scalar, fermion, vector singlet + mediator
arXiv:2405.17548
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[EPJ C80 83 \(2023\) 8 692 arXiv:2303.08351](#)

axions, axion-like particles

- SM + QCD axion, DFSZ, KSVZ, generic ALP
[JHEP 1903 \(2019\) 191 arXiv:1810.07192](#)
[JHEP 05 \(2021\) 159 arXiv:2007.05517](#)
[JCAP 12 \(2022\) 027 arXiv:2205.13549](#)

constrained SUSY

- CMSSM, NUHM1, NUHM2 GUT scale BCs
[EPJ C77 \(2017\) 12 824 arXiv:1705.07935](#)

low-dim SUSY

- MSSM-7, MSSM-EW weak scale BCs
[EPJ C77 \(2017\) 12 879 arXiv:1705.07917](#)
[EPJ C79 \(2019\) 5 395 arXiv:1809.02097](#)
[EPJ C83 \(2023\) 6 493 arXiv:2303.09082](#)

neutrinos

SM, SM+RHN

- [EPJ C80 \(2020\) 6 569 arXiv:1908.02302](#)
[PRD 103 \(2021\) 12 123508 arXiv:2009.03287](#)

generic

modules, backends

- [EPJ C81 \(2021\) 12 1103 arXiv:2107.00030](#)
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Resonant or asymmetric: The status of sub-GeV dark matter

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sub-GeV scalar or fermion with dark vector mediator

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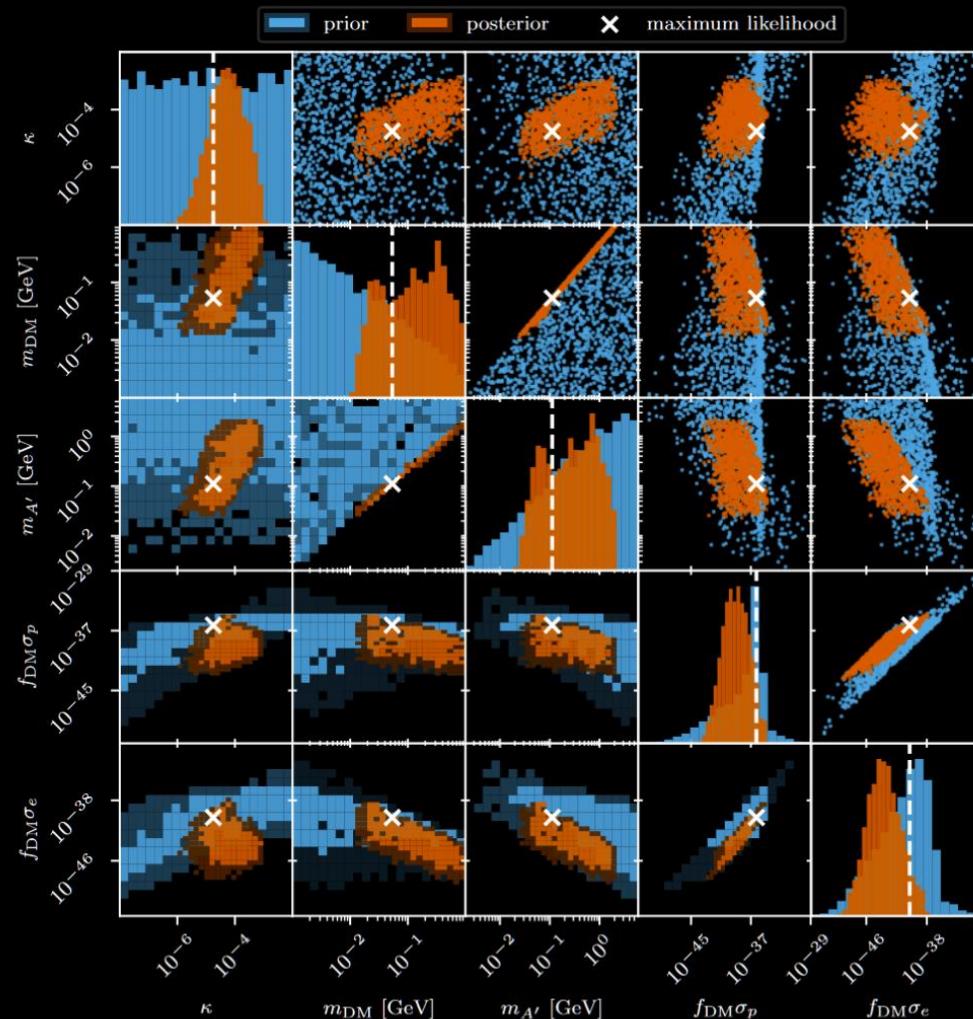
exec summary

to evade the present observational constraints
sub-GeV dark matter must either be
resonant, asymmetric or inelastic



sub-GeV fermion + dark vector mediator

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Fermion ψ , asymmetric $m_{\text{DM}} \neq 0$, $\Omega_{\text{DM}} h^2 \approx 0.12$

Figure 23. Prior (blue) and posterior (orange) probabilities for asymmetric fermionic DM in terms of the most relevant parameters and observables.



sub-GeV fermion + dark vector mediator

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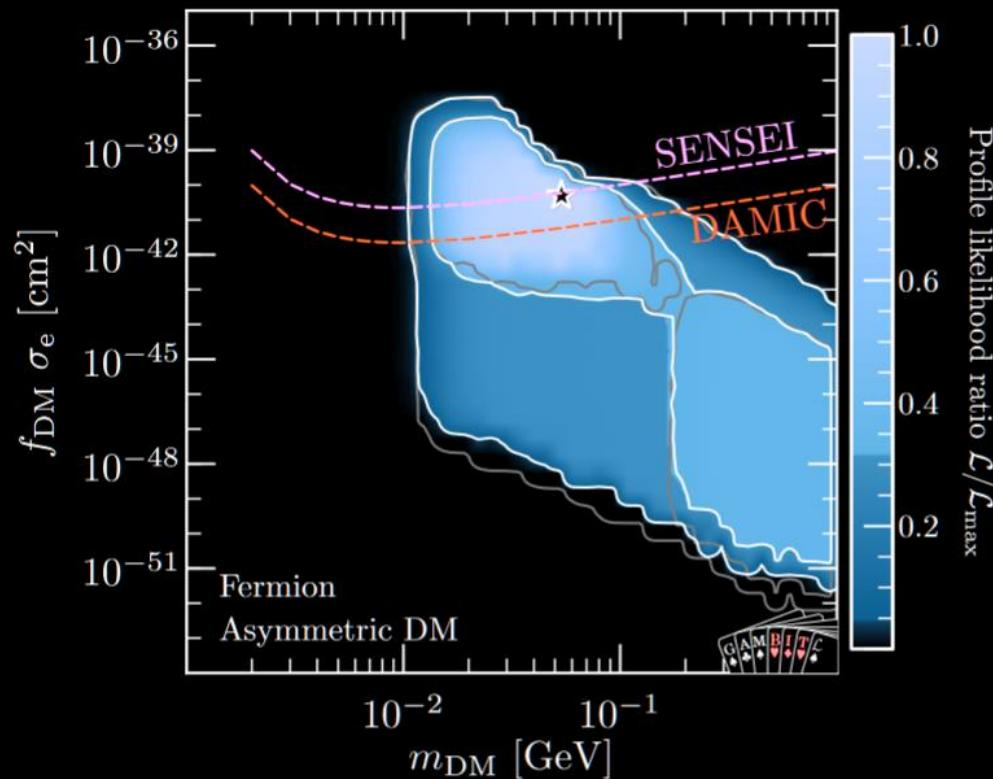
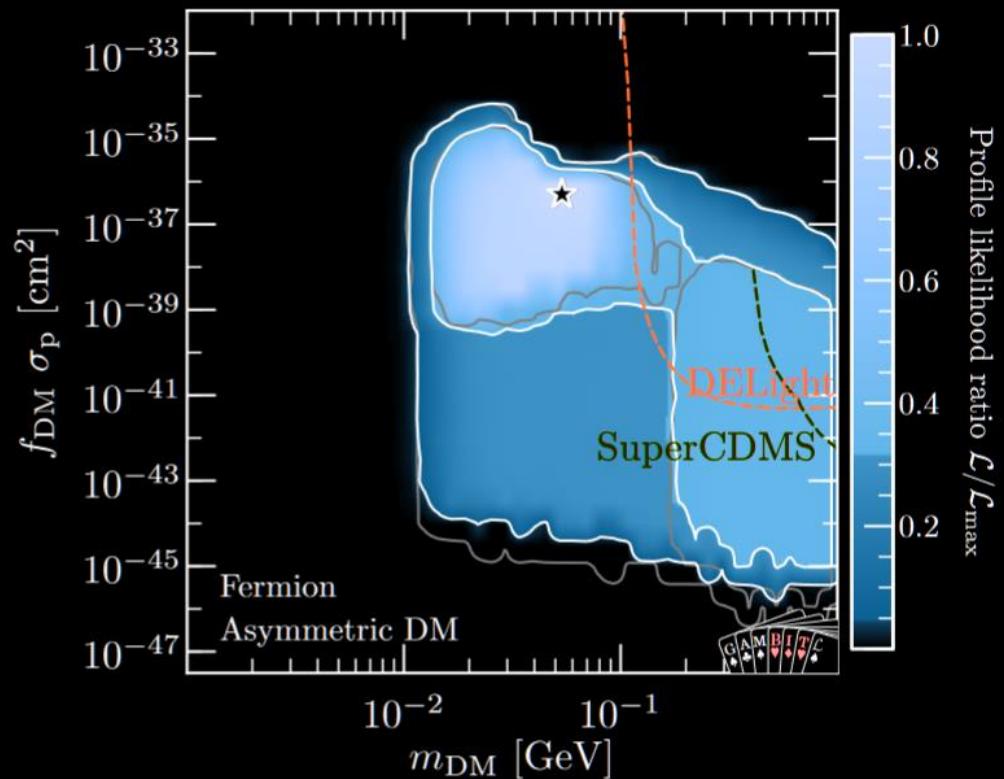


Figure 1. Allowed parameter regions for asymmetric fermionic DM, with the star indicating the best-fit point, compared to the projected sensitivities of various experiments. The different panels show the rescaled DM-nucleus scattering cross section versus the DM mass (top-left), the rescaled DM-electron scattering cross section versus the DM mass (top-right) and the kinetic mixing parameter versus the dark photon mass (bottom-left). In the bottom-right panel we have fixed $m_{A'} = 2.5m_{\text{DM}}$ and $\alpha_{\text{DM}} = 0.3$, and we show constraints in terms of the effective coupling $\kappa^2 \alpha_{\text{DM}}(m_{\text{DM}}/m_{A'}^4)$ versus the DM mass.



sub-GeV fermion + dark vector mediator

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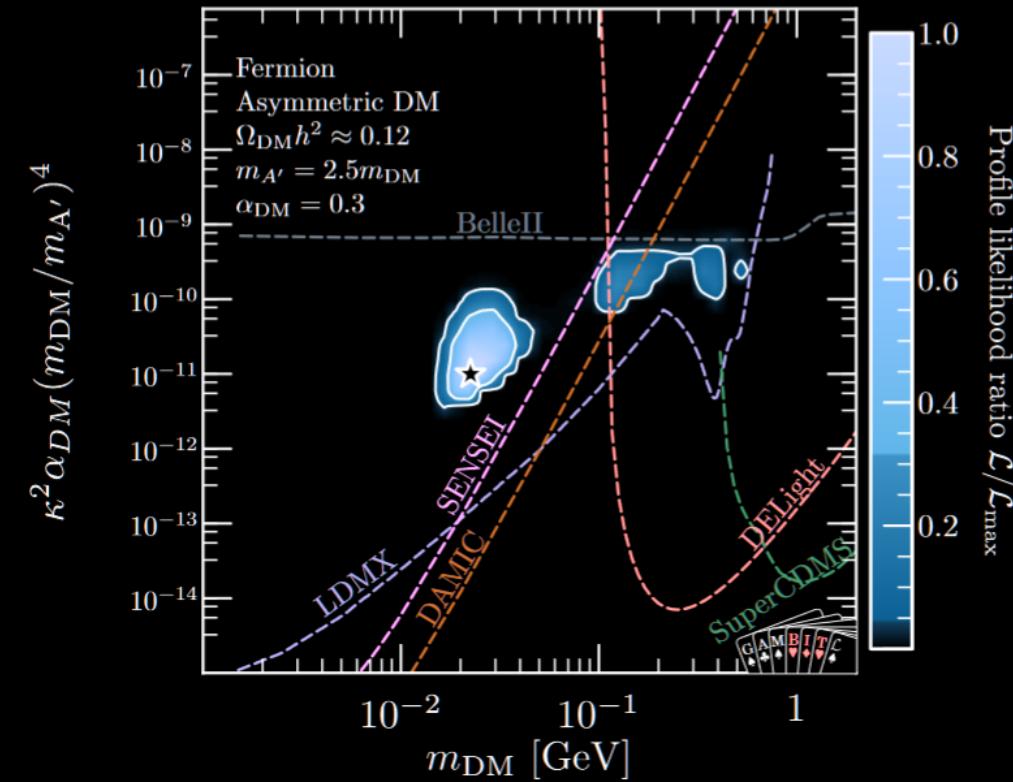
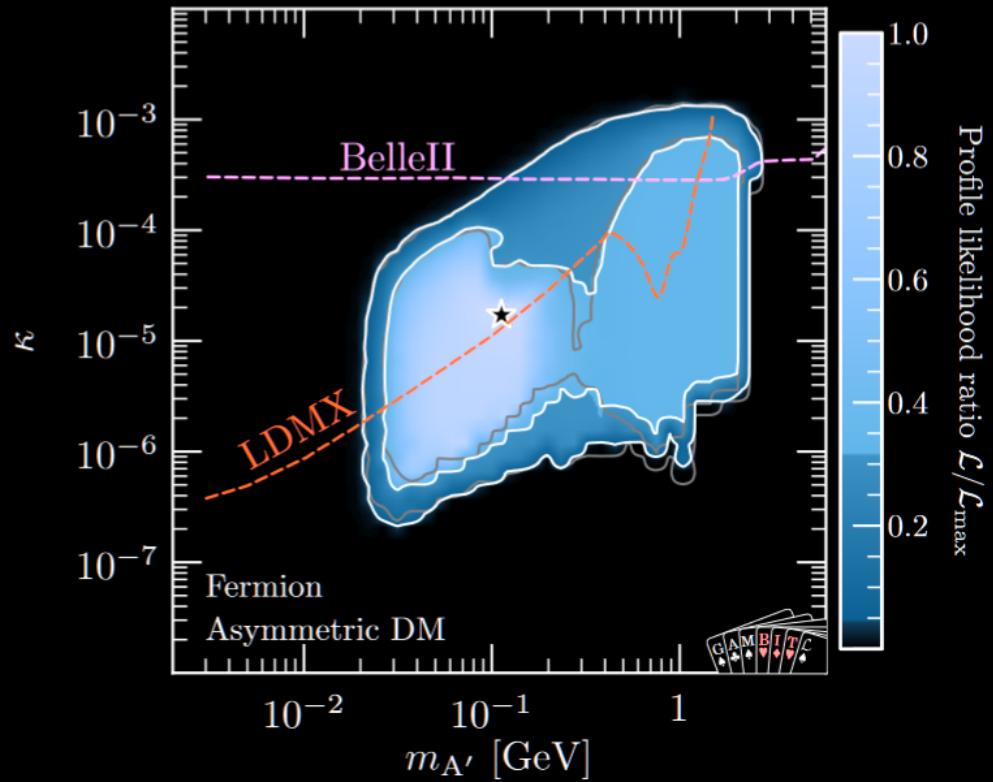


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Collider constraints on electroweakinos in the presence of a light gravitino

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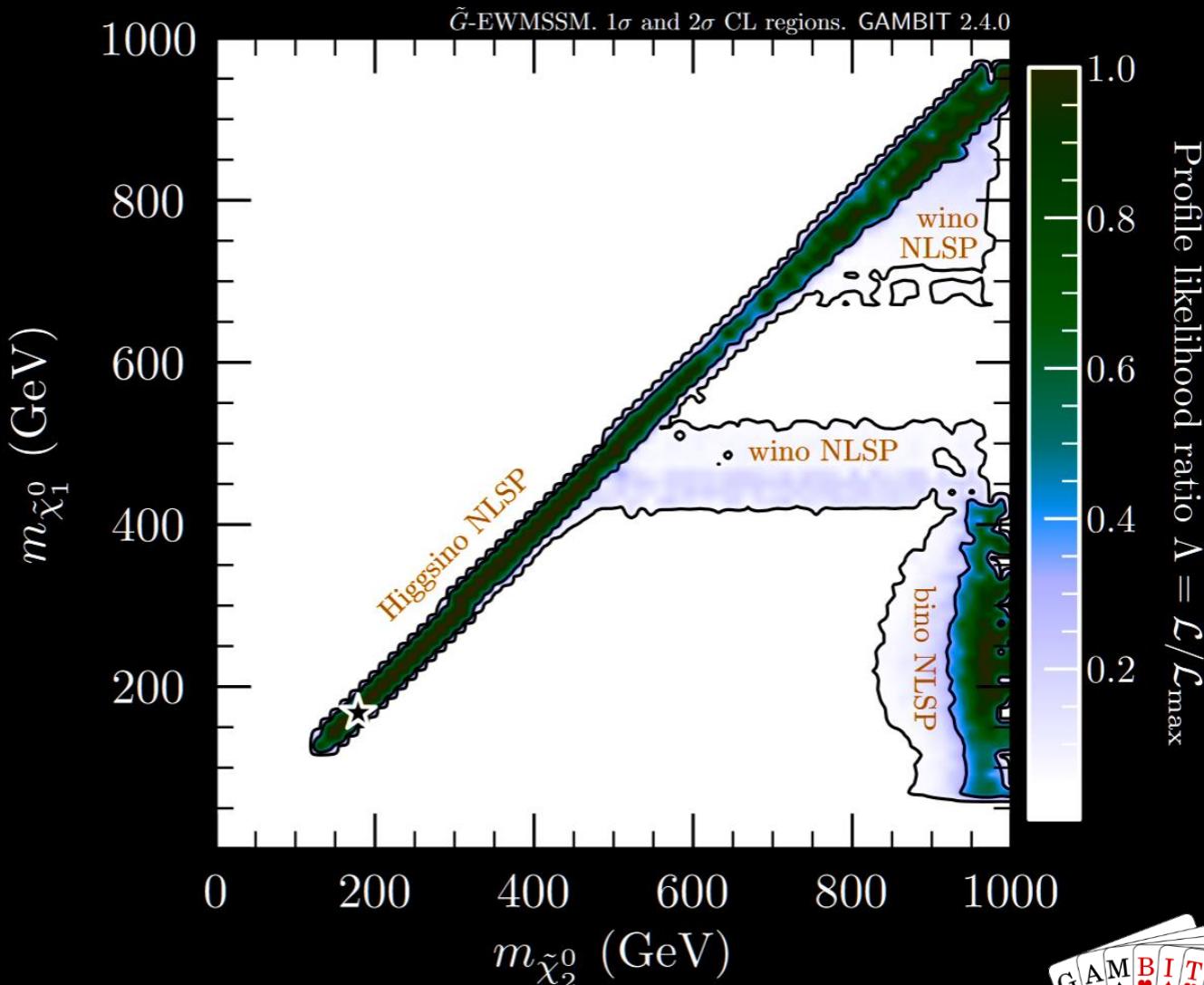
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collider constraints on electroweakinos + a light gravitino

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- gravitino is dark matter
- the only light particles in reach of LHC are the gravitino and the lightest electroweakinos
- latest Atlas and CMS data constrain large part of the 1×1 TeV neutralino mass plane (mostly) due to di-photons plus missing E ('capped' likelihood shown)
- light neutralinos are still viable!



Global fits of simplified models for dark matter with GAMBIT

II. Vector dark matter with an *s*-channel vector mediator

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Abstract Global fits explore different parameter regions of a given model and apply constraints obtained at many energy scales. This makes it challenging to perform global fits of simplified models, which may not be valid at high energies. In this study we derive a unitarity

1 Introduction

As successful a theory as the Standard Model (SM) has been, there are many reasons for expecting it to exist within an even more descriptive particle theory. One of

vector singlet + s-channel vector mediator

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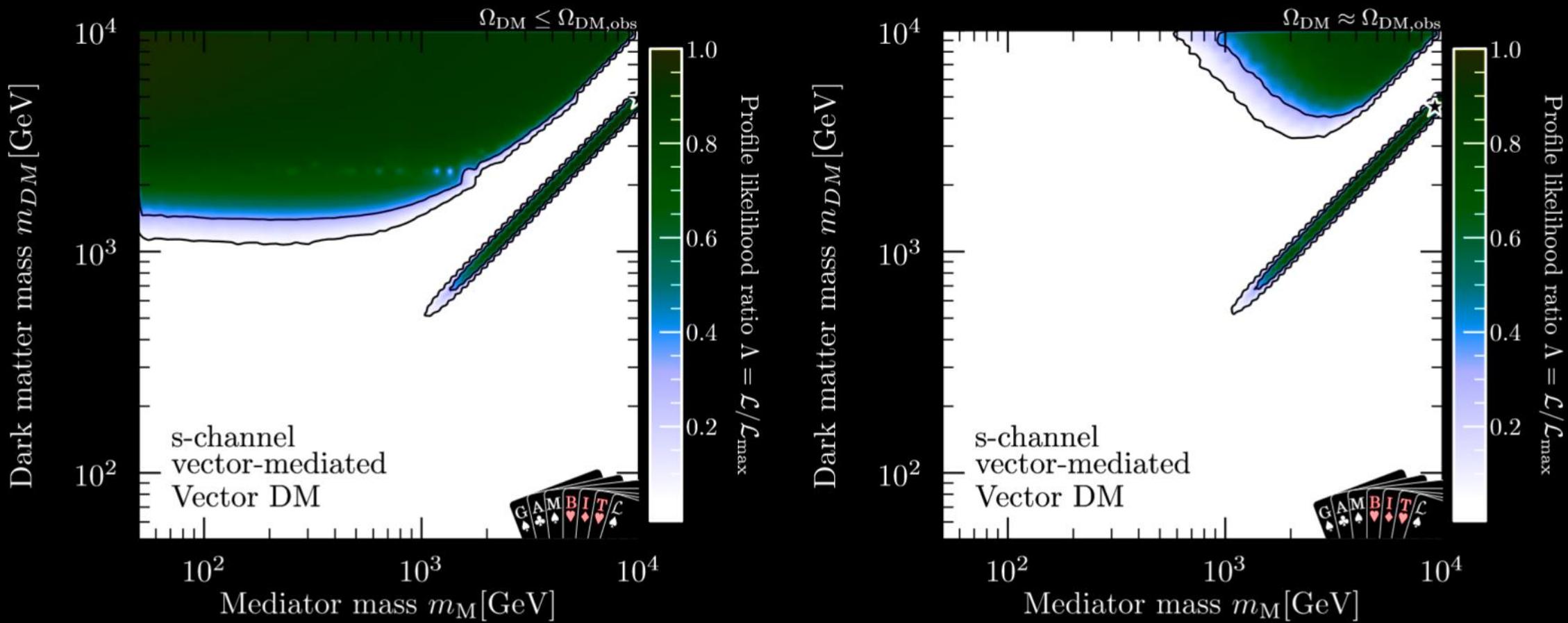


Fig. 3: Profile likelihood, profiled over couplings. The measured DM relic abundance is taken as an upper limit (left) or to be composed entirely of the vector DM candidate (right). 1σ and 2σ contours are shown in white, with the star representing the best-fit point.

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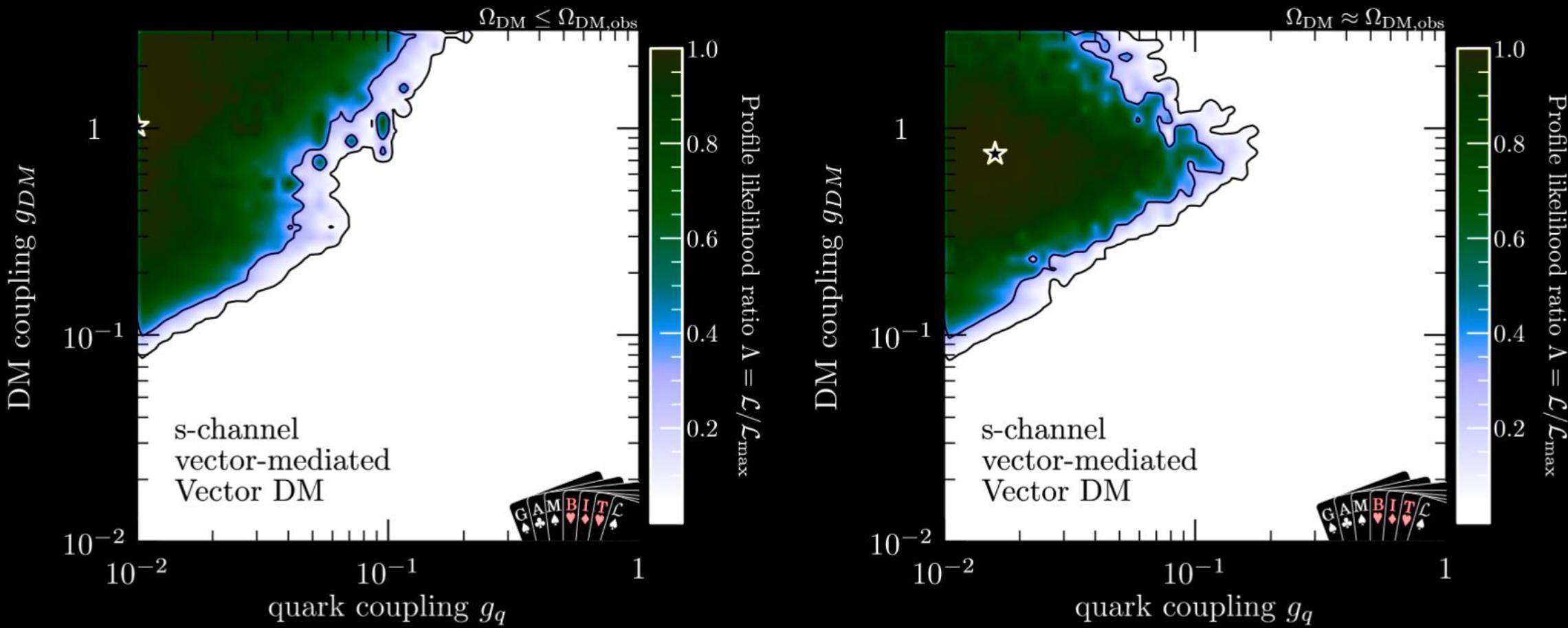


Fig. 5: Profile likelihood, profiling over mediator and DM masses, for a relic abundance upper limit (top) and a saturated relic abundance (bottom). 1σ and 2σ contours are shown in white, with the star representing the best-fit point.



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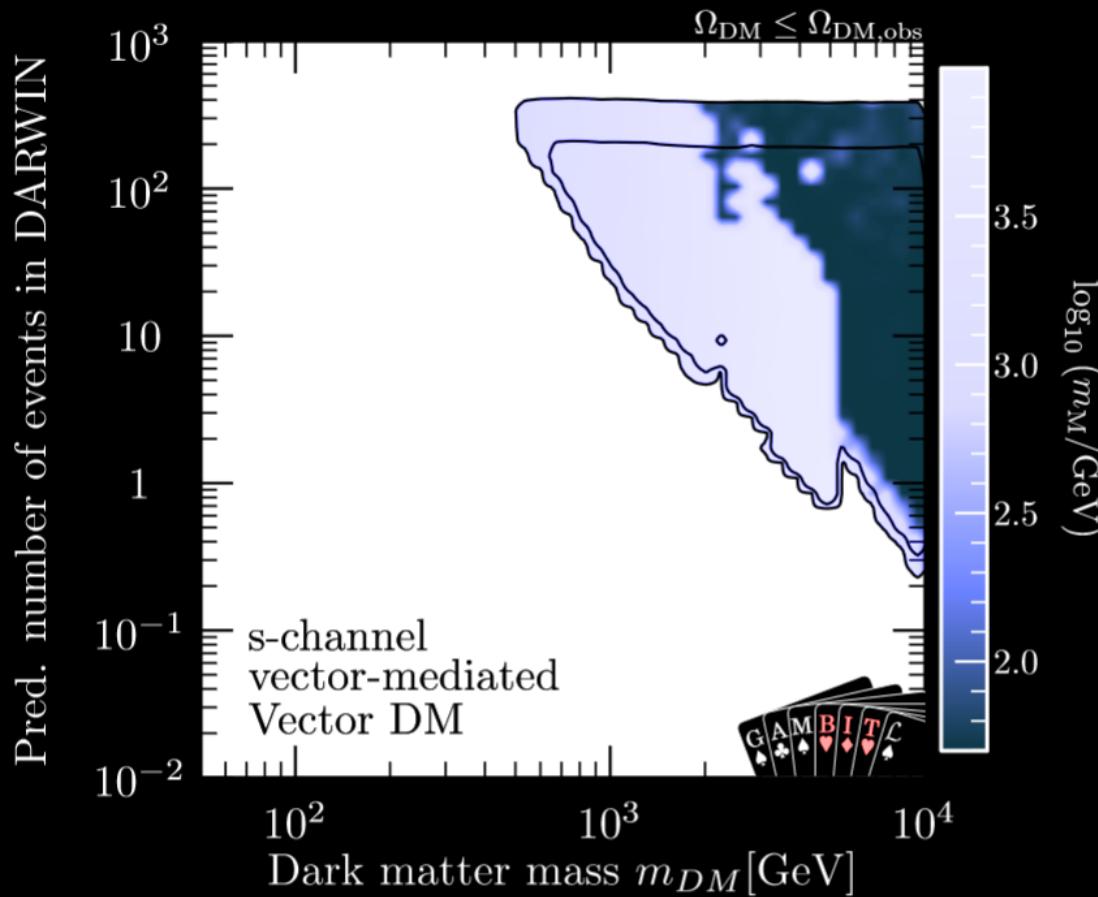


Fig. 8: Predicted number of signal events in the DARWIN experiment, coloured by the mediator mass. 1σ and 2σ profile likelihood contours are shown in white.



Global fits of simplified models for dark matter with GAMBIT

I. Scalar and fermionic models with s -channel vector mediators

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scalar singlet + s-channel vector mediator

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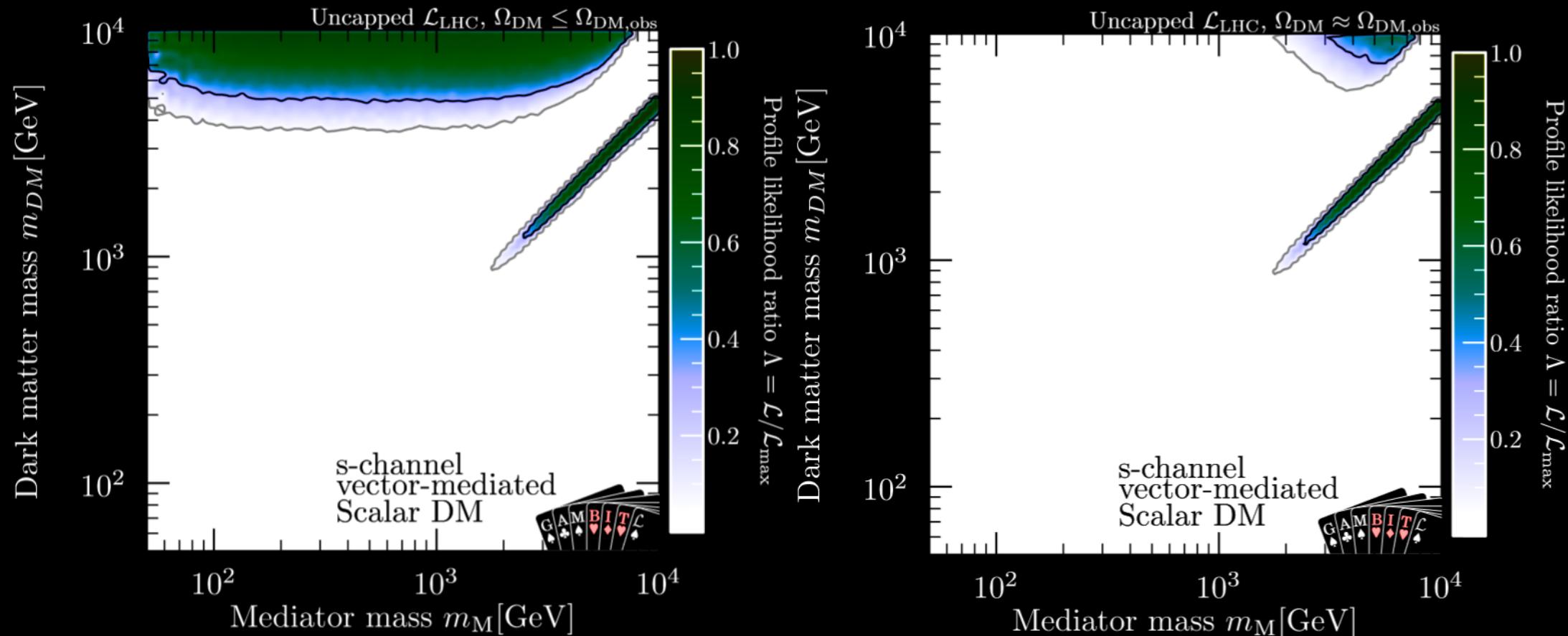
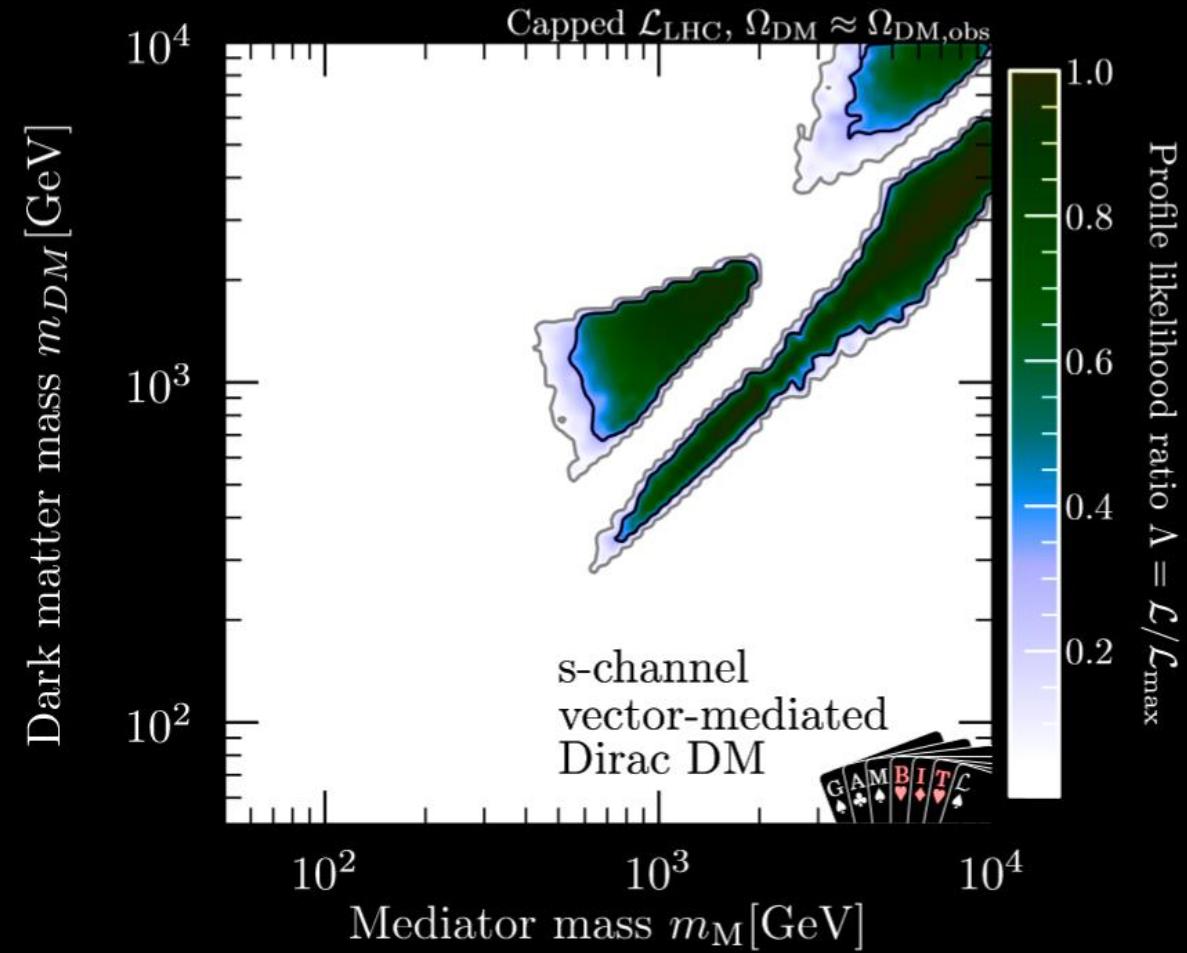
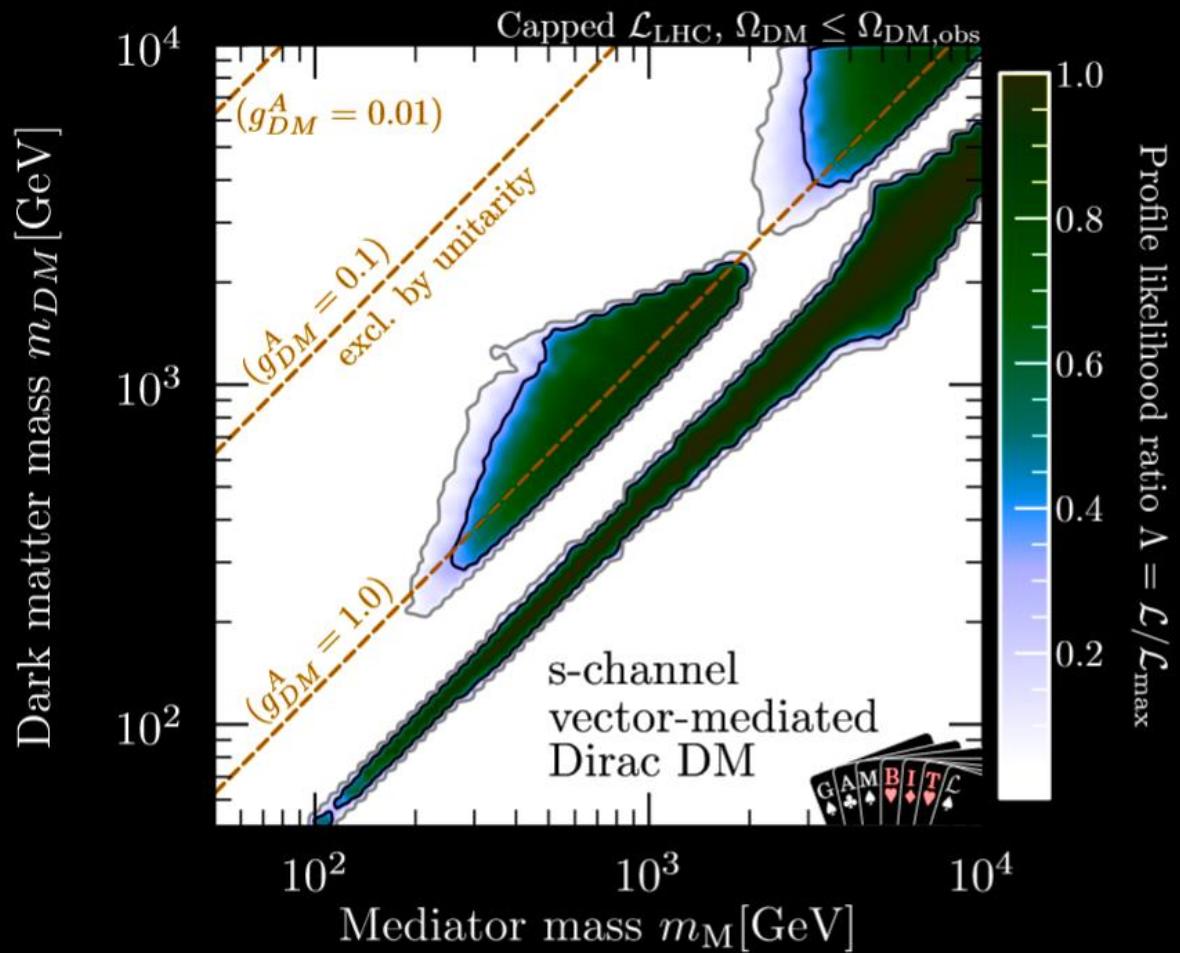


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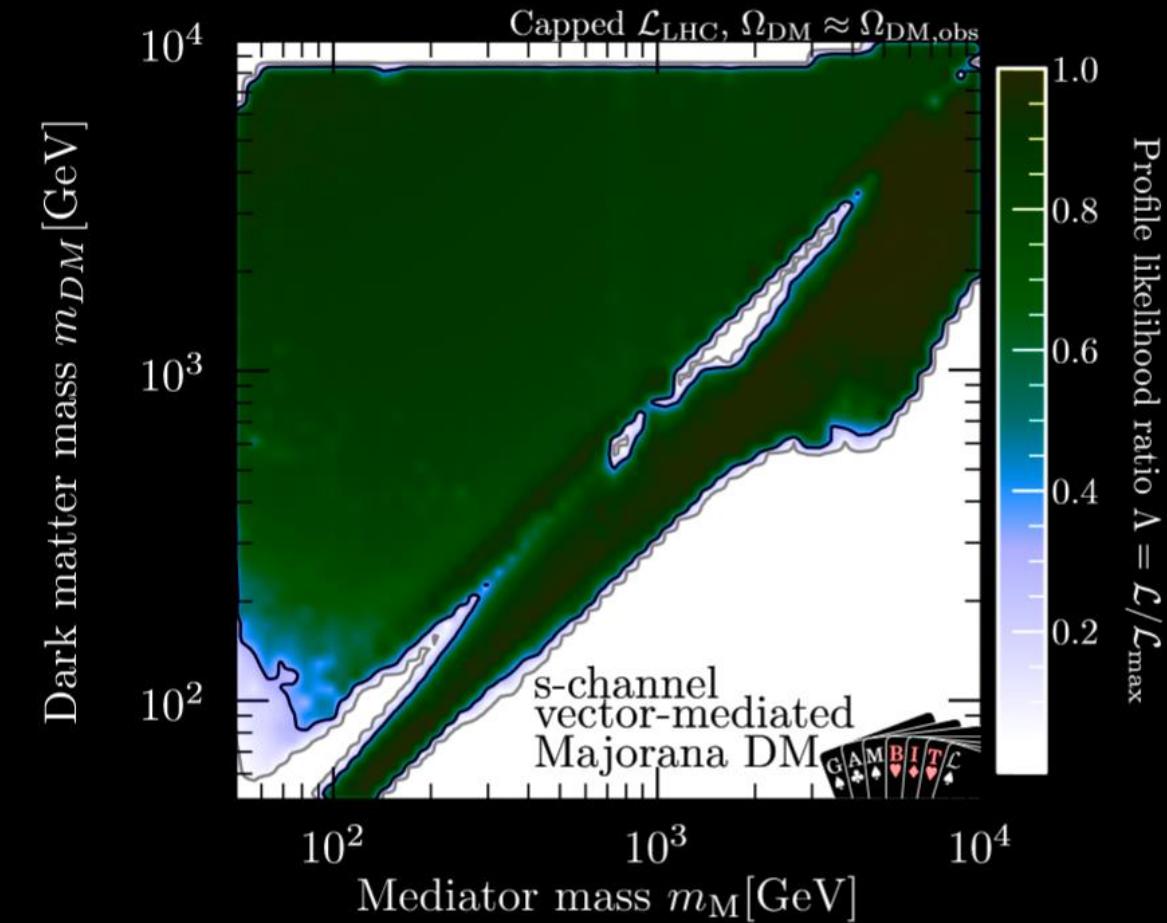
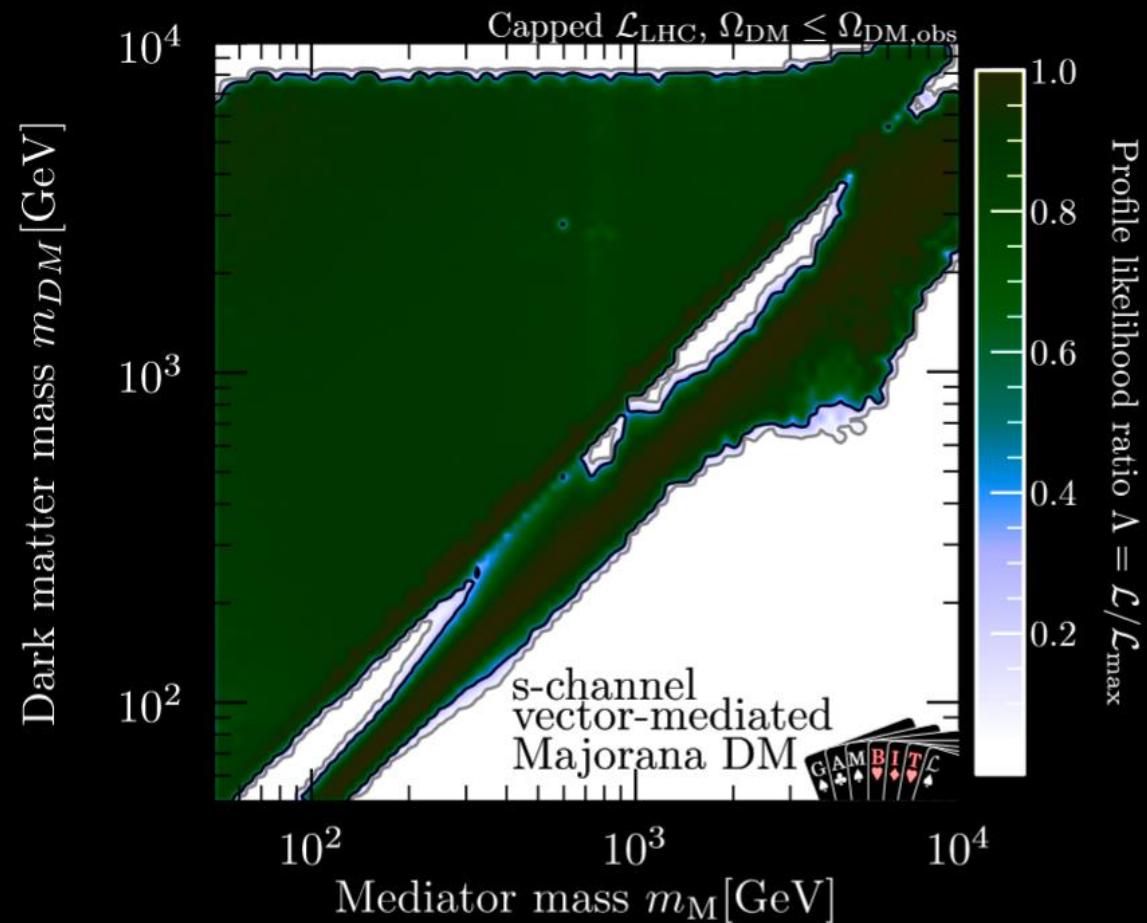
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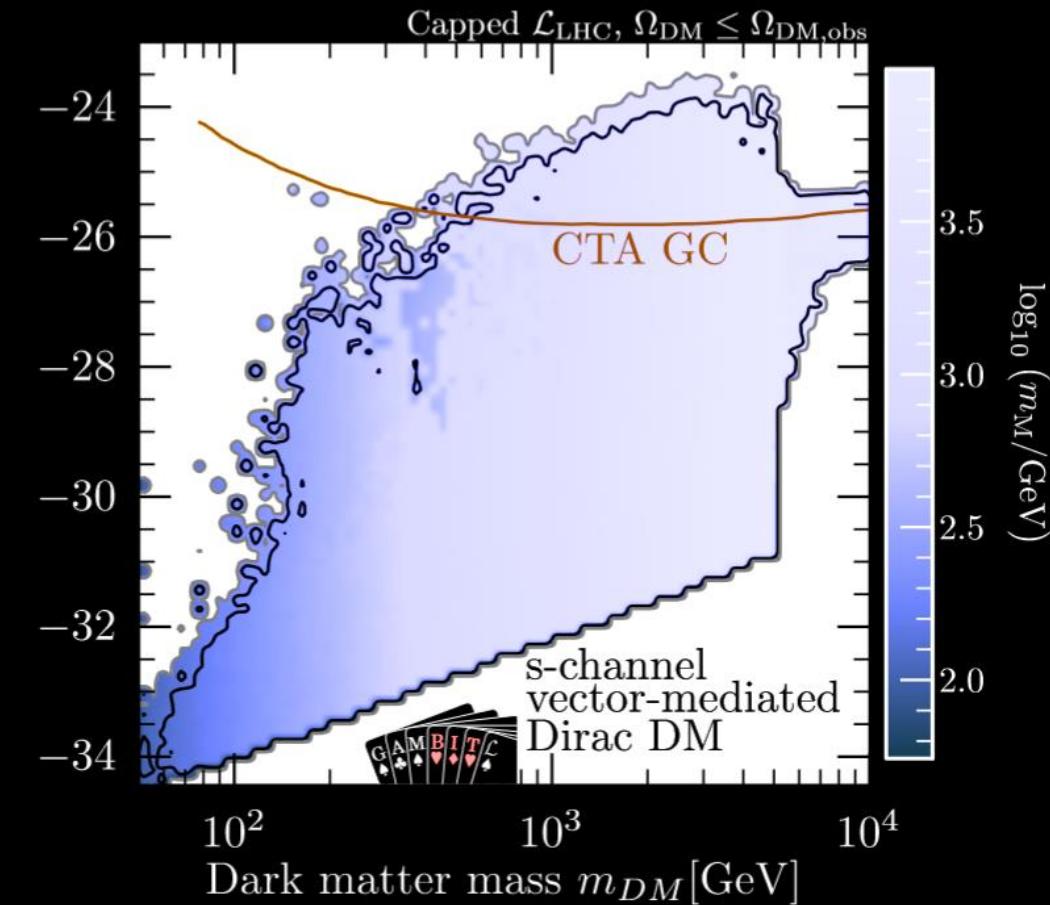
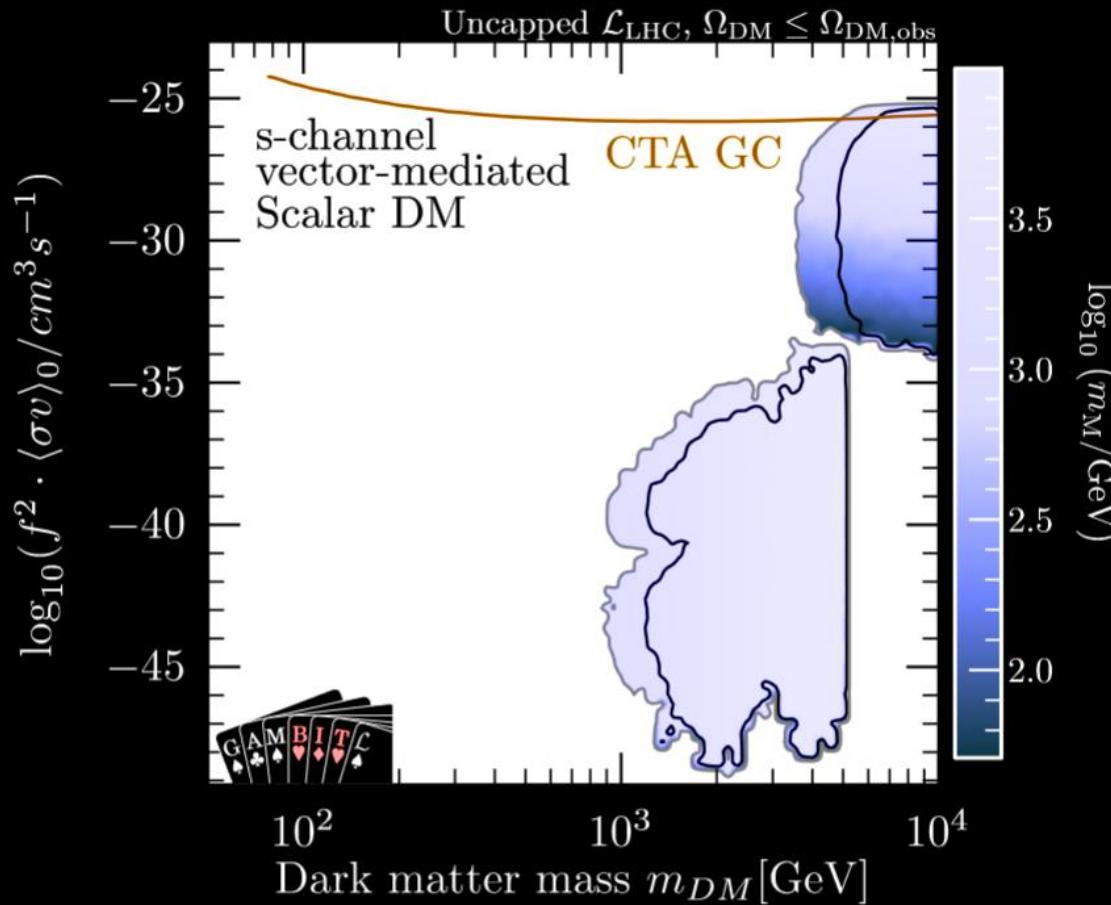
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- parameter point samples
- input files for all scans
- example plotting routines

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Supplementary data for "Resonant or asymmetric: The status of sub-GeV dark matter"
Balan, Sowmya; Balazs, Csaba; Bringmann, Torsten; and 9 others

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Collider Datasets for Simplified Dark Matter models
Chang, Christopher

This is a set of datasets containing MonoJet and DiJet interpolation grids. When using the simplified dark matter models in gambit, the backend "DMsimp_data" must be made first, which will download these datasets to the correct folder. If using monojet data outside of GAMBIT, please use the files in the DMsimp_monojet_data folder, which have b...

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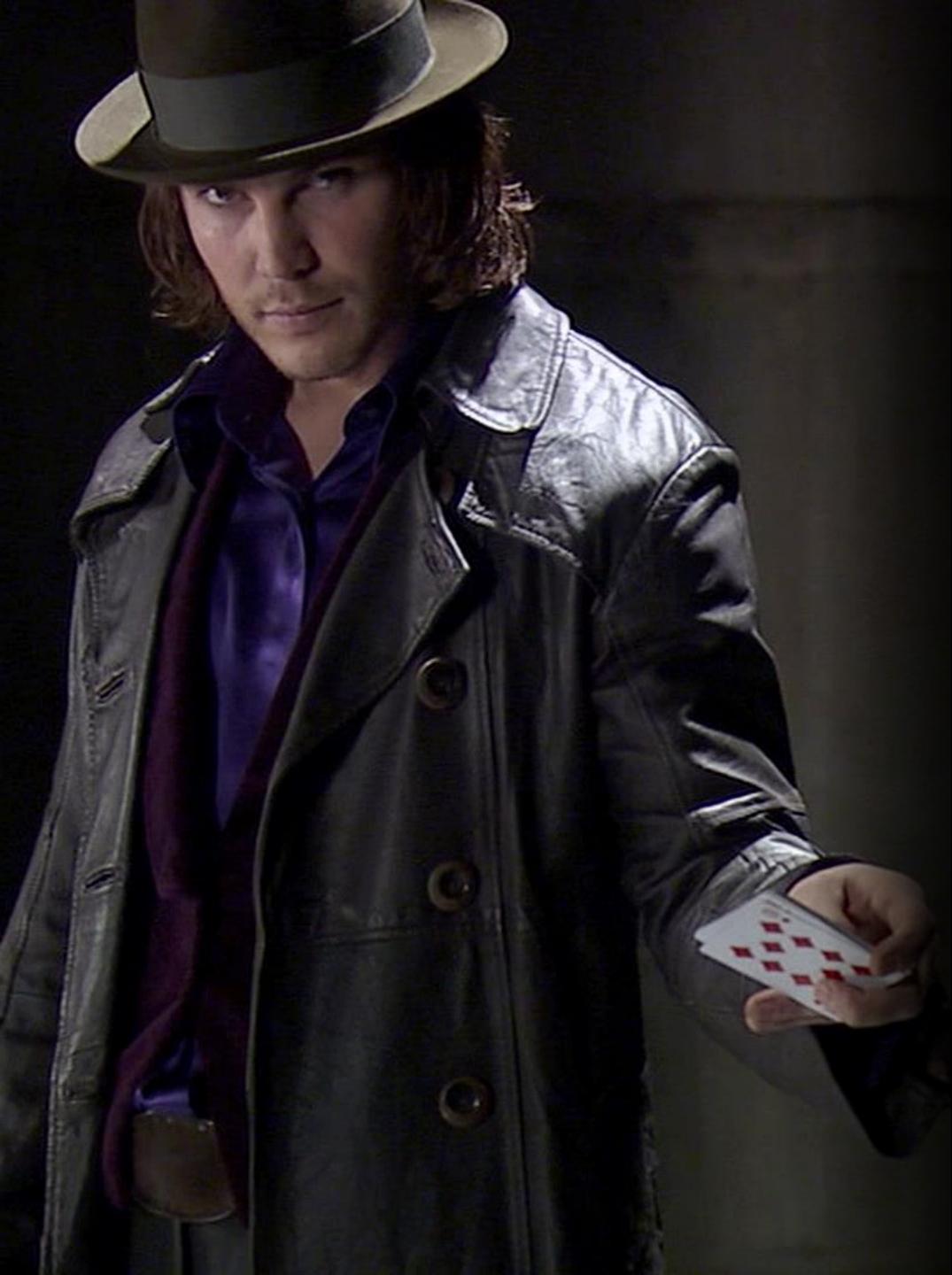
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Supplementary Data: Collider constraints on electroweakinos in the presence of a light gravitino

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summary

- global fitting maps the theory-space and paves the way to discoveries
- GAMBIT is an open source, flexible, modular global fitting framework
- GAMBIT version 2.5 is out <https://github.com/GambitBSM>
- about 20 dark matter related papers since 2017
- many more to come, stay tuned for much more...



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Global And Modular BSM Inference Tool

gambit.hepforge.org

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- open-source code to calculate observables and likelihoods for generic Beyond the Standard Model(s) theories
- designed to allow easy definition of new models, observables, likelihoods, samplers and backend physics codes
- extensive
 - model database
 - observable calculators
 - data libraries
- various sampling and stat options
- fast likelihood calculators
- massively parallel



Community

80+members, 14 countries, 30+ institutes

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members of various experiments

ATLAS, Belle-II, CLiC, CMS, CTA, Fermi-LAT, DARWIN, IceCube, LHCb, SABRE, SHiP, XENON...

authors of numerous theory codes

BubbleProfiler, Capt'n General, DarkSUSY, DDCalc, Diver, FlexibleSUSY, gamlike, GM2Calc, HEPLike, IsaJet, nulike, PhaseTracer, PolyChord, Rivet, SOFTSUSY, SuperIso, SUSY-AI, xsec, Vevacious, WIMPSim...



global fitting

Why?

standard models emerge from a set of competing theories

the simplest theory best fitting the most data becomes standard model

global fitting is to quantify “simplest”, “best” and “most” above

global fitting

Why?

various new discoveries historically were heralded by global fits

global fits indicated e.g. mass of top quark, Higgs boson before discovery

global fitting might provide us with valuable precursors for dark matter

global fitting

How?

main steps

- establish model hierarchy
- Lagrangian → spectrum
- spectrum → observables
- parameter space sampling
- statistical treatment

main challenges

- many models (& parameters)
- spectrum auto-generation
- fast backends, auto-generation
- efficiency: need for speed
- rigorous, meaningful inference

these steps and challenges can be tackled “model independently”

open-source **global** fitting framework

modular and flexible architecture

models **beyond** the standard

sophisticated statistical **inference**

plug&play **tools** to calc observables



GAMBIT features

global and modular

- diverse BSM model database SM+SS, EFTs, 2HDMs, MSSM63, axions, RHNs, cosmo...
- changeable model assumptions for cosmology, astro-, particle-, nuclear physics...
- composite likelihood consistent combination of searches, uncertainties, nuisances...
- built-in experimental likelihoods LEP, ATLAS, CMS, LHCb, DM searches...
- sampling algorithms (ensemble) MCMC, T-walk, diff. evolution, nested samplers...
- auto dependency resolution ID functions, optimize execution order before run (!)
- diskless generalization of various Les Houches Accords
- dual-level parallel execution mixed-mode MPI+openMP, mostly auto, scale 10k+ cores
- many interfaced backends observable calculators for cosmology, astrophysics, collider, precision, flavor... (full list on later slide)



GAMBIT features

global and modular

- fast definition of new models, data sets, sampling methods
- plug&play theory tools auto-download, configure, compile, dynamically link
- easily switch between backends calculating the same quantities
- C/C++, Python, Fortran, Mathematica interfaces for backends
- BOSS dynamic loading of C++ classes from backend shared libraries!
- all-in or module standalone modes easily implemented from single cmake script
- YAML input model, parameters, observables, sampler, stat. inference
- customizable output streams ASCII, HDF5, databases...
- advanced statistical inference parameter estimation, Bayesian model comparison
- available as docker plugin <https://gambit.hepforge.org/source>

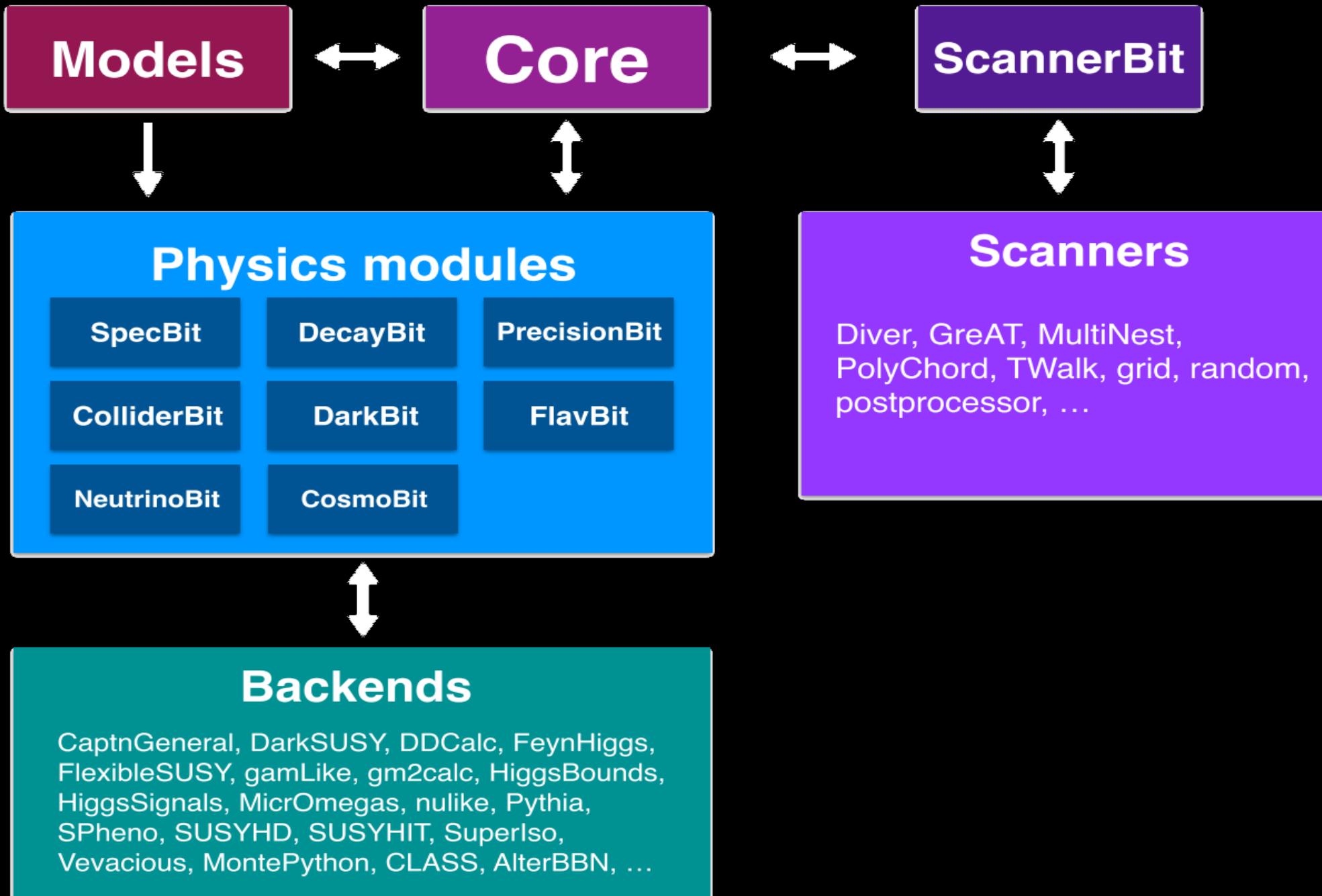


GAMBIT best features

global, modular, fast

- diverse **BSM model database** particle, nuclear, astrophysics, cosmology models
- many **interfaced backends** observable calculators (full list on later slide)
- built-in **experimental likelihoods** particle, nuclear, astrophysics, cosmology experiments
- composite **likelihood** consistent combination of searches, uncertainties, systematics, nuisances
- sampling algorithms for stat. inference MCMCs, T-walk, diff. evol., nested samplers...
- plug&play **backends** auto-download, configure, compile, dynamically link, dep. res., ...
- auto dependency resolution ID functions, optimize execution order before run (!)
- dual-level parallel execution mixed-mode MPI+openMP, mostly auto, scale 10k+ cores
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Models

hierarchical model database

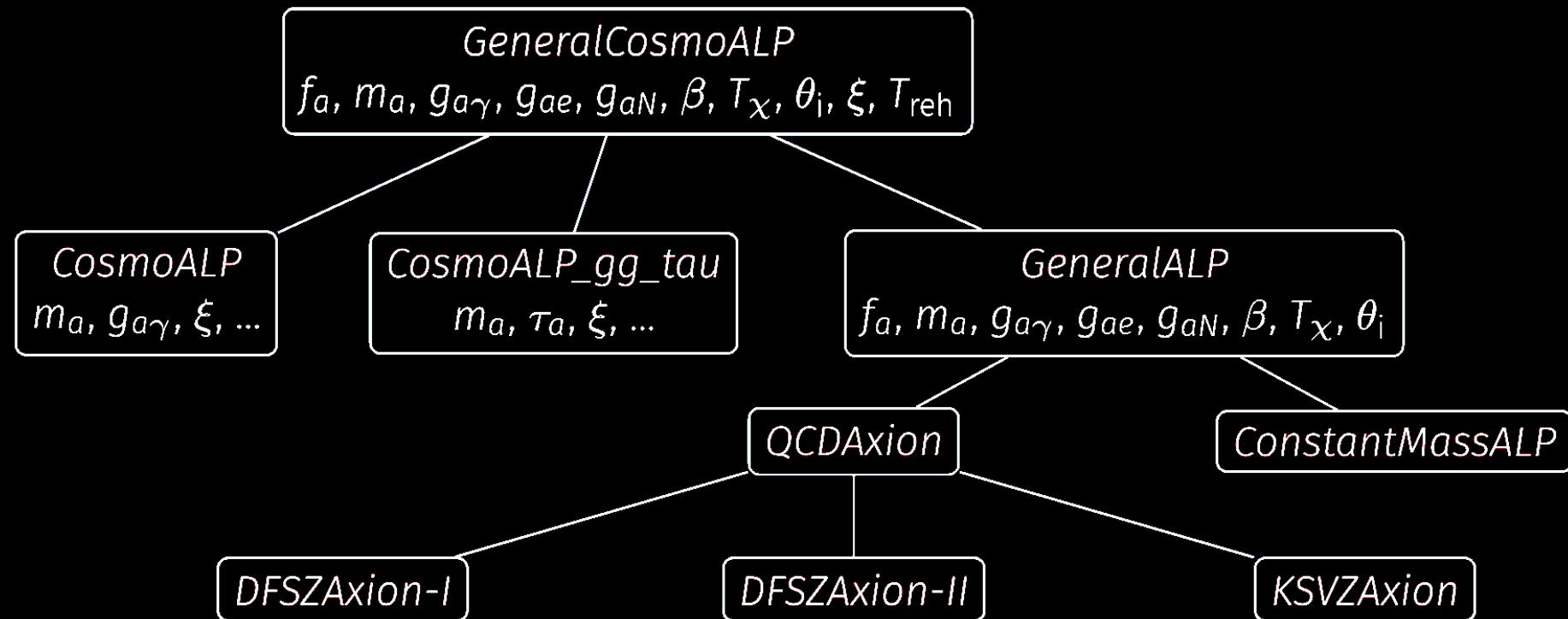
- models defined by their parameters and relations to each other
- models can inherit from (be subspaces of) parent models
- child models can be automatically related to ancestor models
- database examples:
 - standard models of particle physics and cosmology
 - two-Higgs doublet models
 - Higgs portal dark matter models
 - simplified and effective field theory dark matter models
 - supersymmetric models (MSSM and daughters, NMSSM...)
 - dark matter halo models, nuclear uncert.s in DM direct detection
 - standard and right-handed neutrino models
 - axion, ALP models
 - and more...



Models

model database examples

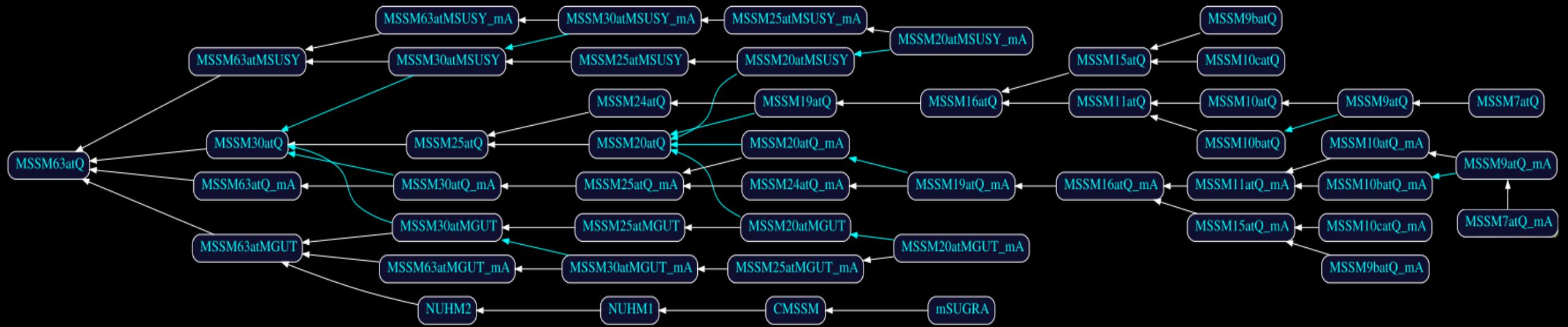
- axions and ALPs



Models

model database examples

- MSSM



Modules

model independent
interdependent physics structures

- ColliderBit: event gen., fast sim., Z, H obs.s, search limits... arXiv:1705.07919
- DarkBit: DM abundance, direct-, indirect detection... arXiv:1705.07920
- FlavBit: NP (SUSY...) 100s of flavor obs.s, rare decays... arXiv:1705.07933
- DecayBit: SM & NP (SUSY...) decay widths, BRs... arXiv:1705.07936
- PrecisionBit: EW precision observables, g-2... arXiv:1705.07936
- SpecBit: SM & NP masses, mixings, couplings, RGEs... arXiv:1705.07936
- ScannerBit: sampling, parameter est., model comparison... arXiv:1705.07959
- NeutrinoBit: neutrino observables, likelihoods, RHNs... arXiv:1908.02302
- CosmoBit: Λ CDM+, inflation, neutrinos, axions... arXiv:2009.03286
- GUM: auto-generation (spectrum, interfaces, observables)... arXiv:2107.00030



Backends

observable calculators for cosmology,
astrophysics, collider, precision, flavor...

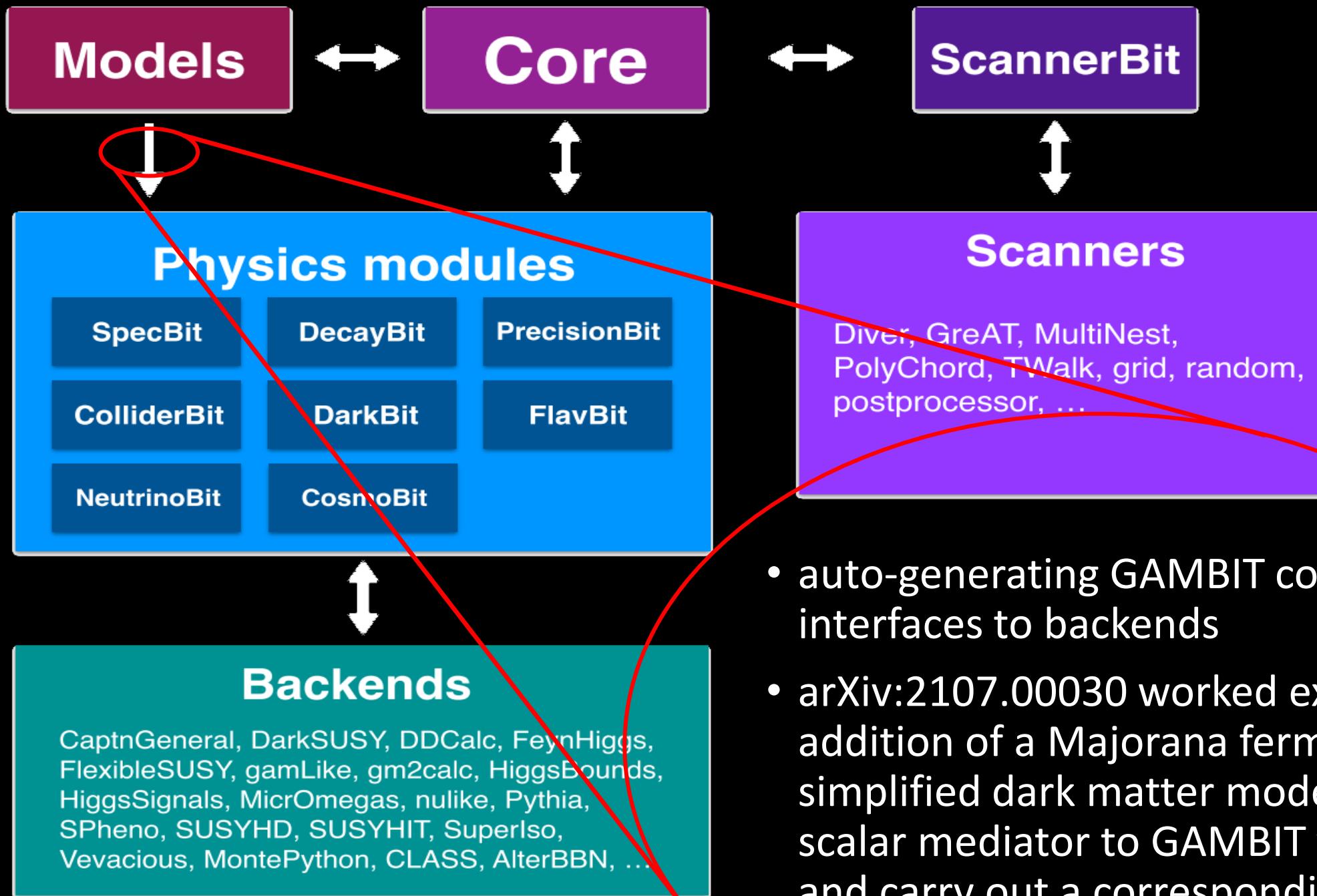
- AlterBBN
- CalcHEP
- Capt'n General
- CLASS
- Contur
- DarkAges
- DarkCast
- DDCalc
- DarkSUSY
- FeynHiggs
- FeynRules
- Flavio
- FlexibleSUSY
- gamLike
- GM2Calc
- HepLike
- HiggsBounds
- HiggsSignals
- MadGraph
- micrOMEGAs
- MontePython
- MultiModeCode
- nulike
- pic
- Pythia
- Rivet
- SARAH
- Spheno
- SUSYHD
- SUSY-HIT
- SuperIso
- Vevacious
- ...



GAMBIT 2.0

GAMBIT Universal Model
from Lagrangian to likelihood



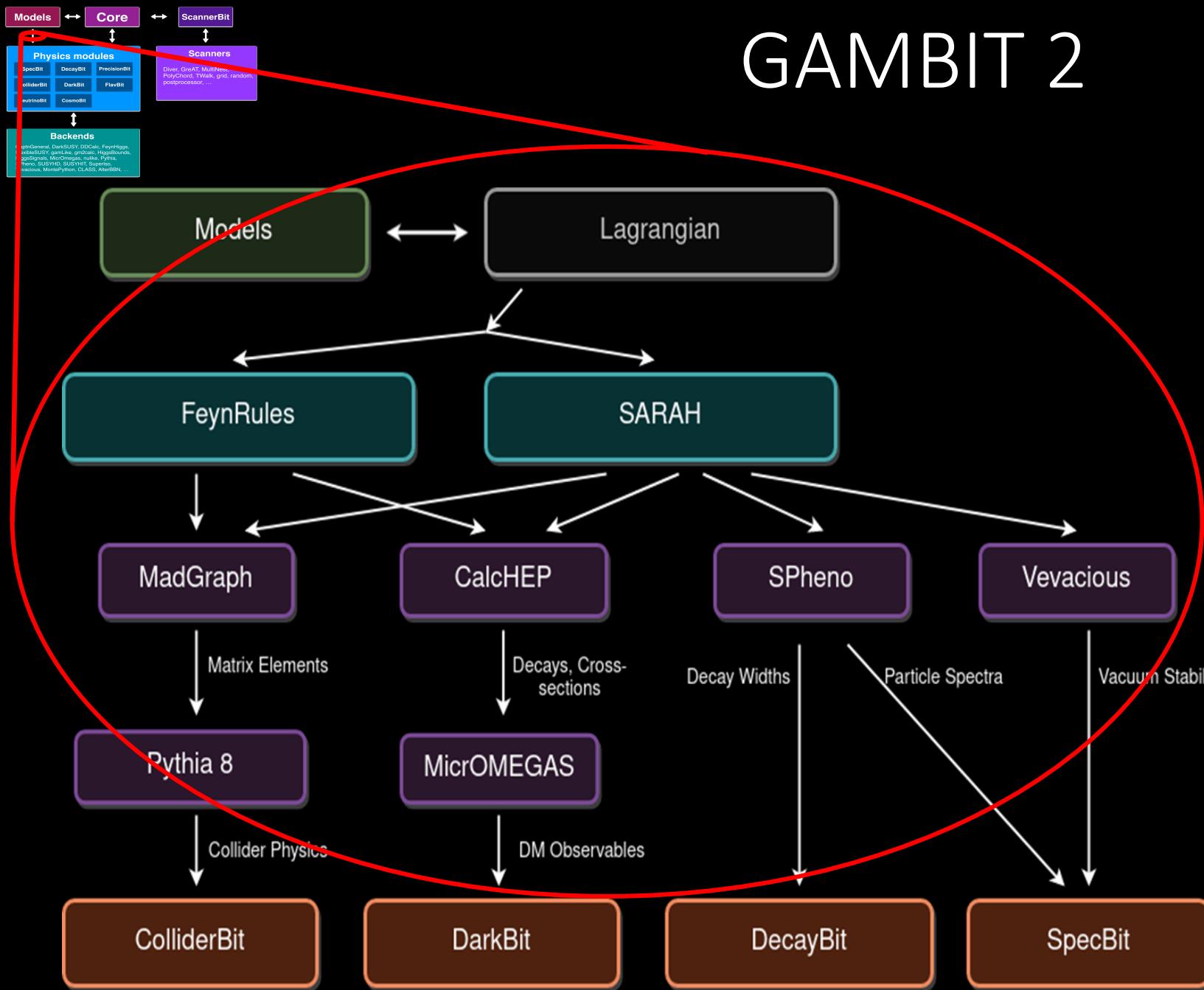


schematics

- auto-generating GAMBIT code and interfaces to backends
- arXiv:2107.00030 worked example: addition of a Majorana fermion simplified dark matter model with a scalar mediator to GAMBIT via GUM, and carry out a corresponding fit

GAMBIT 2

GUM schematics



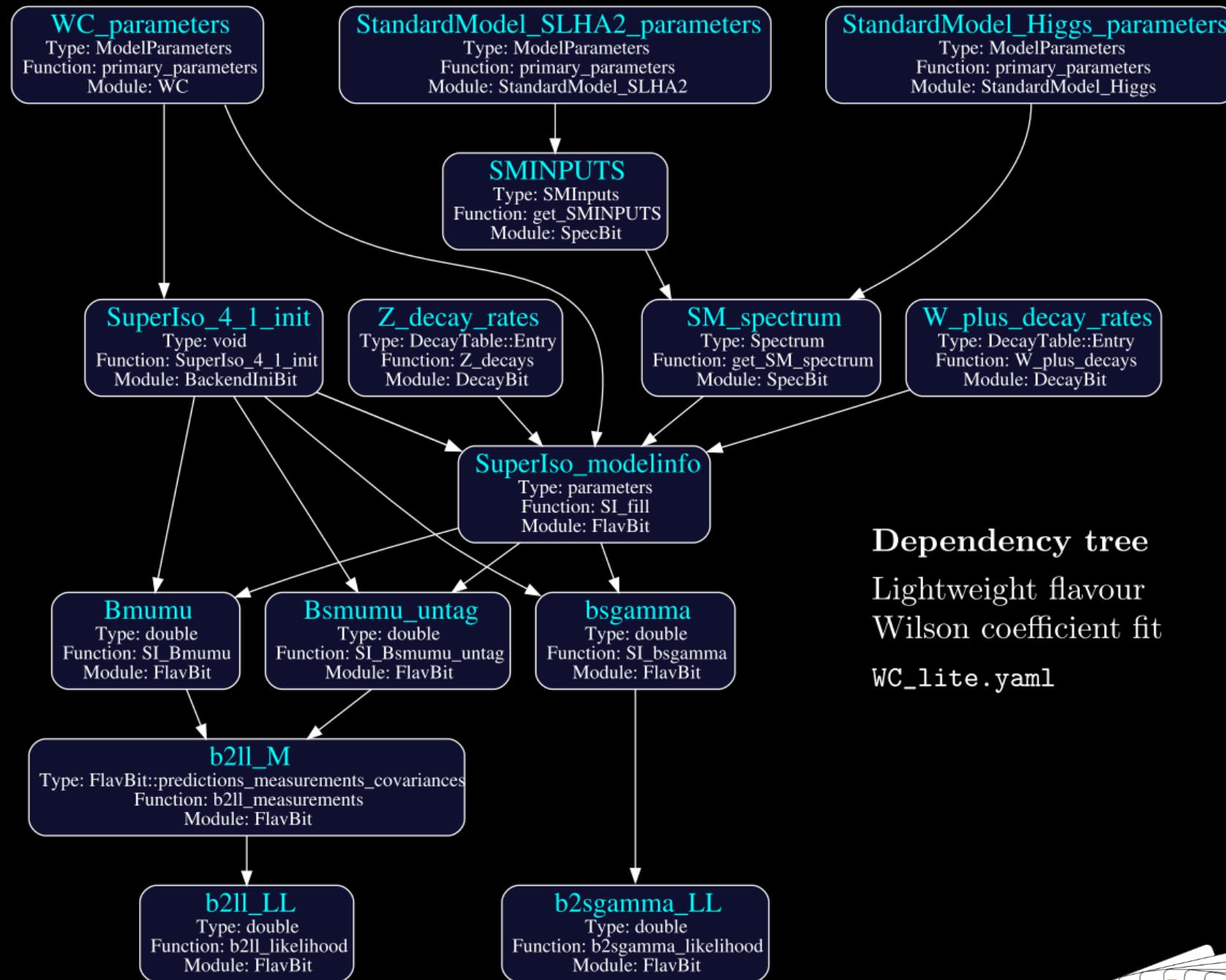
- from Lagrangian-level input use FeynRules, SARAH, MadGraph, CalcHEP to generate GAMBIT model, collider, dark matter, decay and spectrum code
- GUM also writes C++ GAMBIT interfaces to SPheno, micrOMEGAs, Pythia, Vevacious



GAMBIT

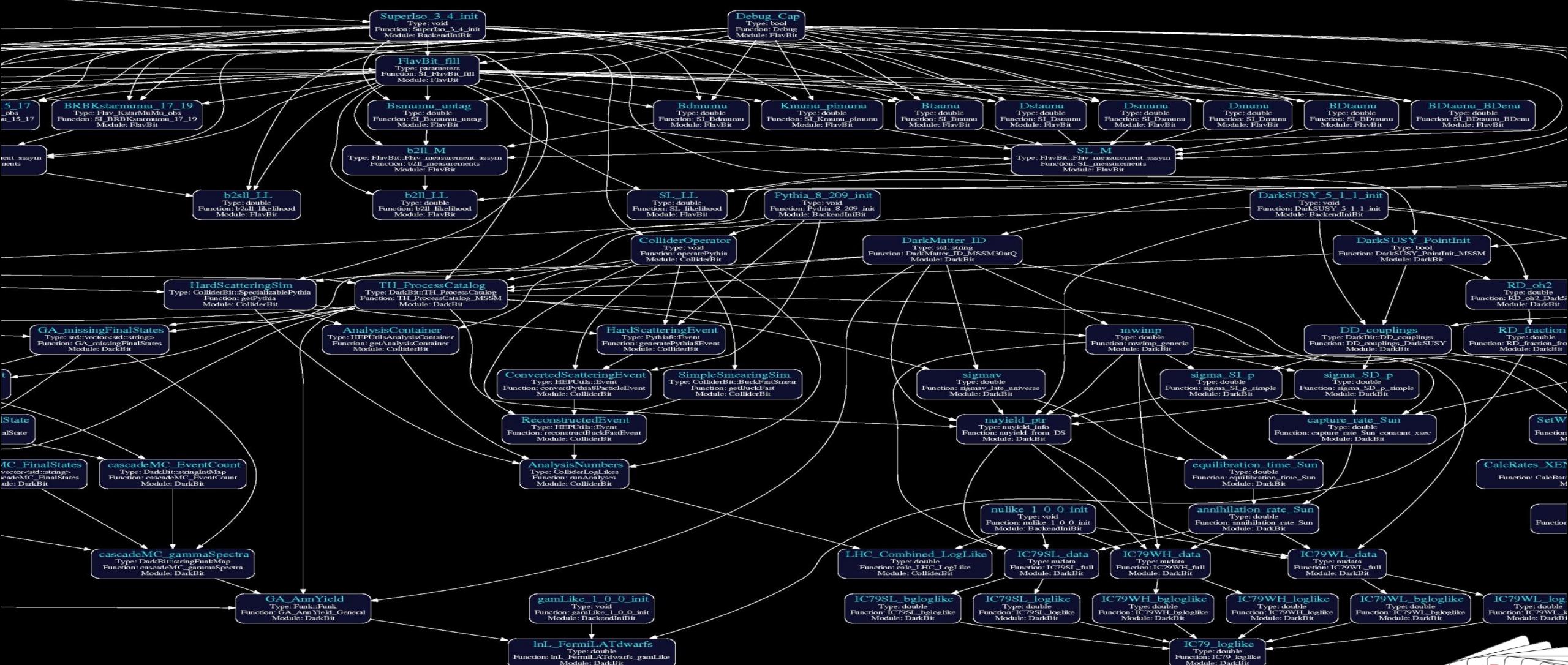
run overview

- user chooses model, observables, sampler
- using graph-theory GAMBIT constructs a dependency tree to optimize the calculation
- GAMBIT samples para. space by calling the necessary module and backend functions for each parameter point



Dependency resolution

for CMSSM



Dependency resolution

for CMSSM

model parameter translations

precision calculations

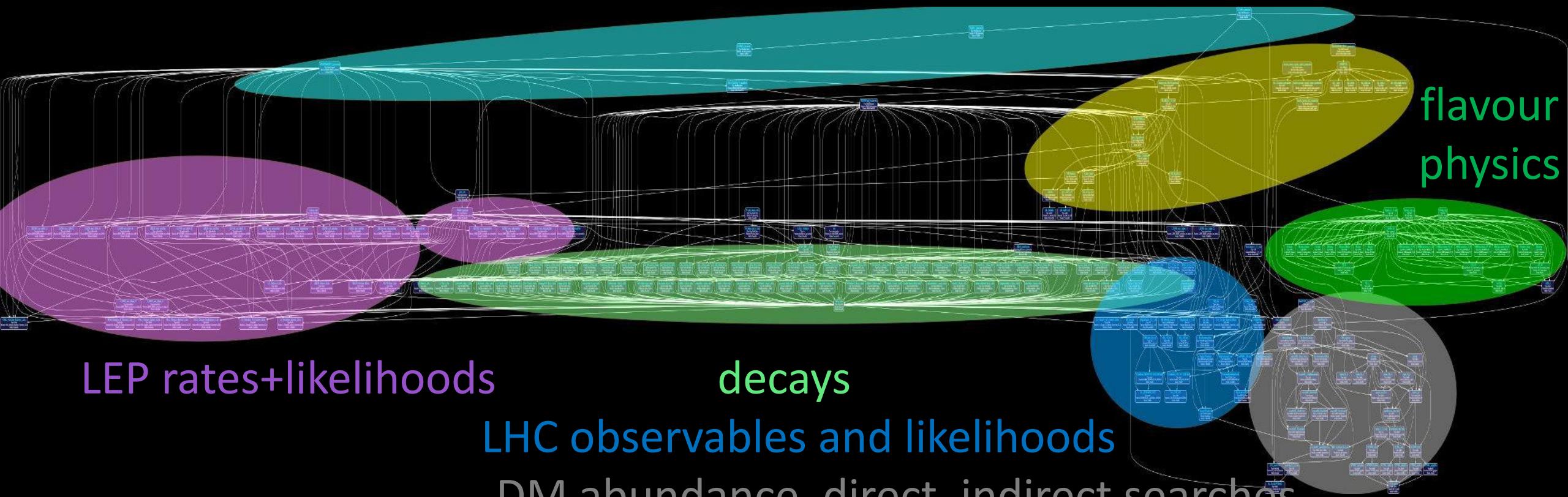
LEP rates+likelihoods

decays

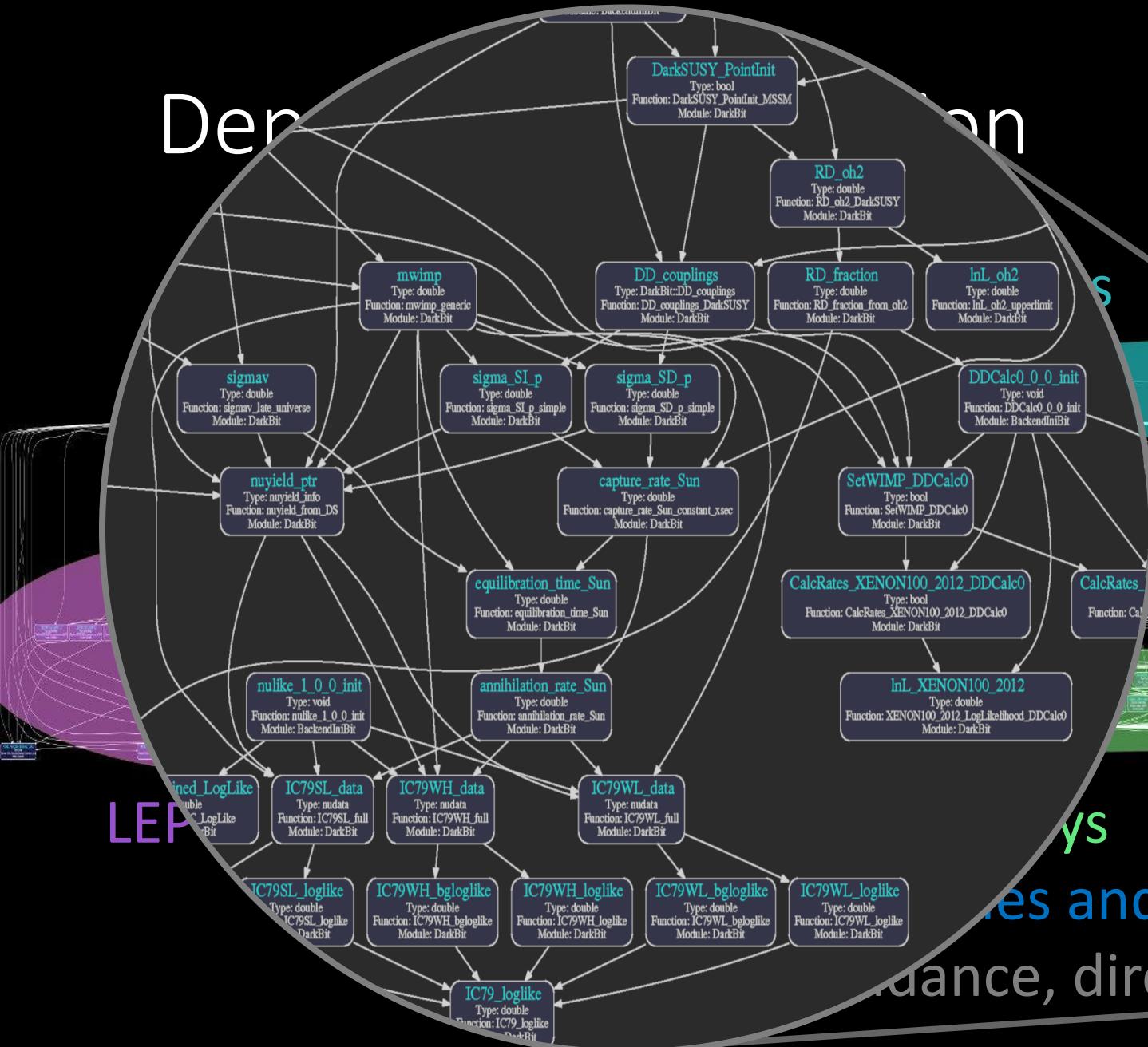
LHC observables and likelihoods

DM abundance, direct, indirect searches

flavour
physics



Derivation



dependencies constructed
dynamically at run-time using
graph-theoretic methods to solve
for required observables,
backends, evaluation order, etc.

precision calculations

flavor
physics

and likelihoods
indirect searches



getting started

- clone git repo github.com/GambitBSM or
- download tarballs <https://gambit.hepforge.org/source> or
- get pre-compiled version docker
- see quick start guides in arXiv:1705.07908 and arXiv:2107.00030



adding a new model to GAMBIT manually

1. Add the model to the **model hierarchy**:

- Choose a model name, and declare any **parent model**
- Declare the model's parameters
- Declare any **translation function** to the parent model

```
#define MODEL NUHM1
#define PARENT NUHM2
START_MODEL
DEFINEPARS(M0,M12,mH,A0,TanBeta,SignMu)
INTERPRET_AS_PARENT_FUNCTION(NUHM1_to_NUHM2)
#undef PARENT
#undef MODEL
```

2. Write the translation function as a standard C++ function:

```
void MODEL_NAMESPACE::NUHM1_to_NUHM2 (const ModelParameters &myP, ModelParameters &targetP)
{
    // Set M0, M12, A0, TanBeta and SignMu in the NUHM2 to the same values as in the NUHM1
    targetP.setValues(myP, false);
    // Set the values of mHu and mHd in the NUHM2 to the value of mH in the NUHM1
    targetP.setValue("mHu", myP["mH"]);
    targetP.setValue("mHd", myP["mH"]);
}
```

3. If needed, declare that existing module functions work with the new model, or add new functions that do.



adding a new observable/likelihood to GAMBIT manually

Adding a new module function is easy:

1. Declare the function to GAMBIT in a module's **rollcall header**

- Choose a capability
- Declare any **backend requirements**
- Declare any **dependencies**
- Declare any specific **allowed models**
- other more advanced declarations also available

```
#define MODULE FlavBit                                // A tasty GAMBIT module.  
START_MODULE  
  
#define CAPABILITY Rmu                               // Observable: BR(K->mu nu)/BR(pi->mu nu)  
START_CAPABILITY  
    #define FUNCTION SI_Rmu                         // Name of a function that can compute Rmu  
    START_FUNCTION(double)                        // Function computes a double precision result  
    BACKEND_REQ(Kmunu_pimunu, (my_tag), double, (const parameters*)) // Needs function from a backend  
    BACKEND_OPTION( (SuperIso, 3.6), (my_tag) )      // Backend must be SuperIso 3.6  
    DEPENDENCY(SuperIso_modelinfo, parameters)     // Needs another function to calculate SuperIso info  
    ALLOW_MODELS(MSSM63atQ, MSSM63atMGUT)          // Works with weak/GUT-scale MSSM and descendants  
    #undef FUNCTION  
#undef CAPABILITY
```

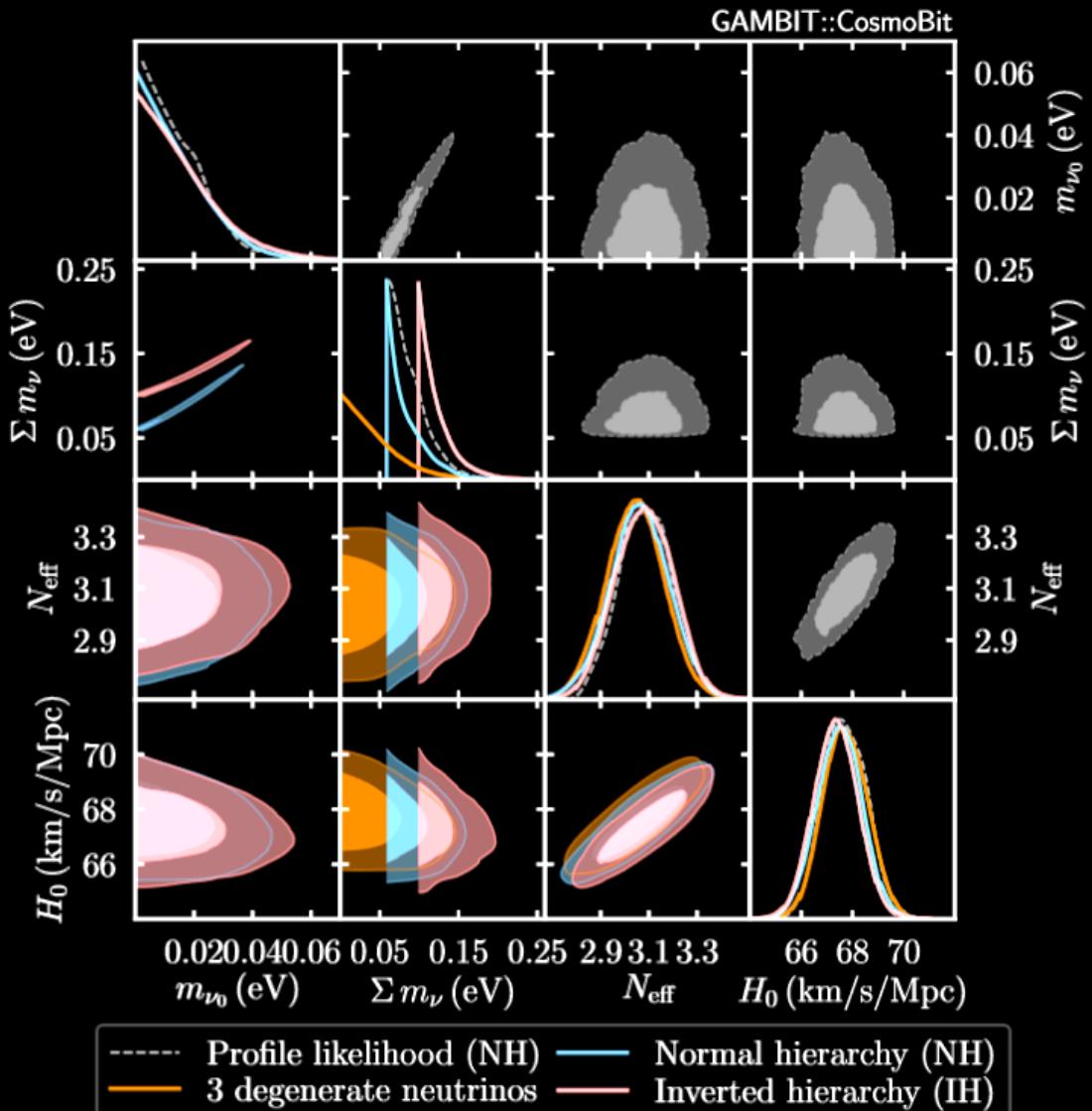
2. Write the function as a standard C++ function
(one argument: the result)



bound on the lightest neutrino mass

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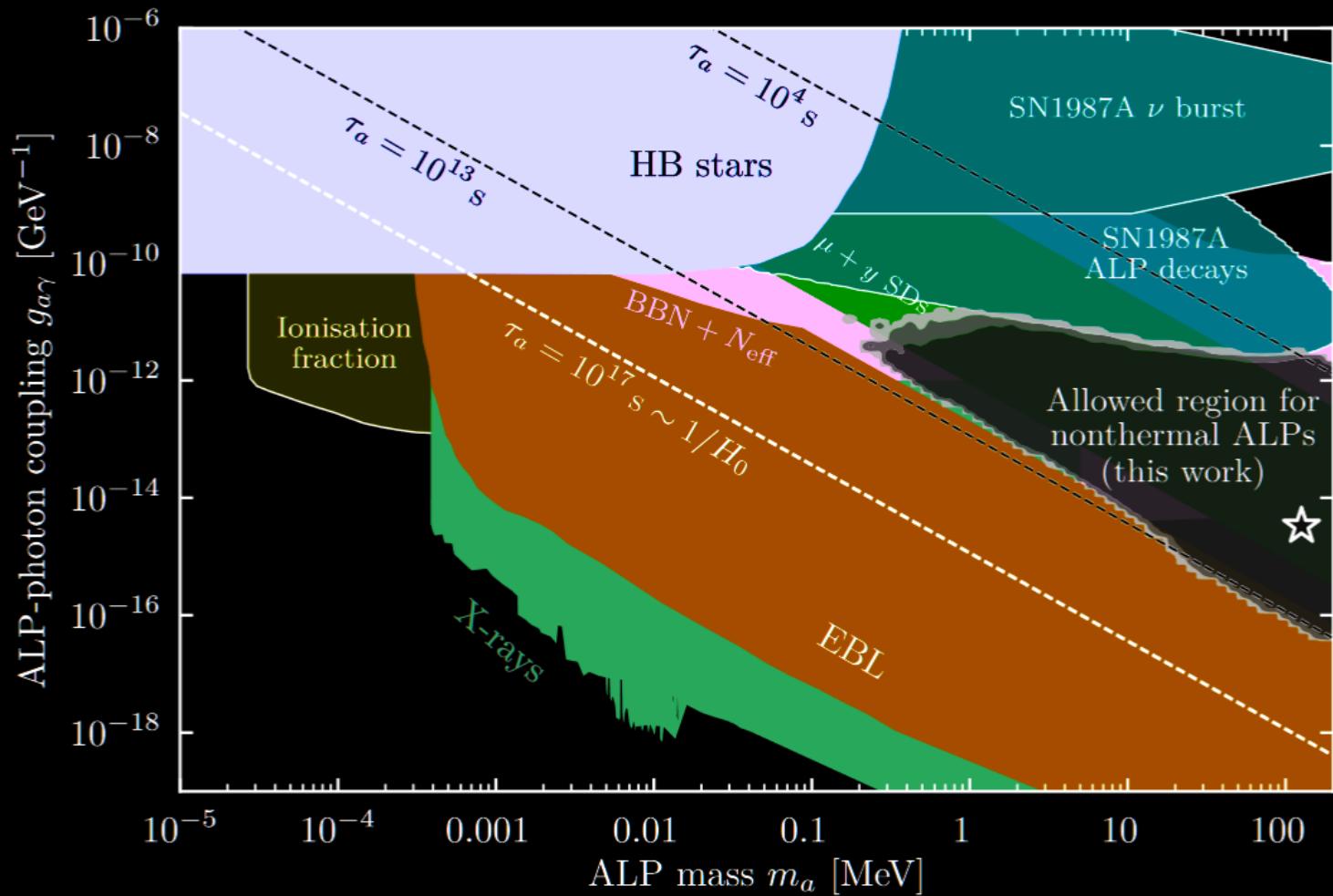
- GAMBIT uses terrestrial and cosmological experiments to set a 95% CL range on the lightest neutrino mass and the sum of neutrino masses assuming normal (NO) or inverse (IO) mass ordering
- first combined particle physics/cosmology global fit
- $m_\nu < 0.037 \text{ eV}$ (NO)
- $m_\nu < 0.042 \text{ eV}$ (IO)
- $0.058 < \sum m_\nu < 0.139 \text{ eV}$ (NO)
- $0.098 < \sum m_\nu < 0.174 \text{ eV}$ (IO)



cosmological constraints on decaying ALPs

arXiv:2205.13549

- cosmo constraints: CMB anisotropies & spectral distortions, BBN abundances, ΔN_{eff} (photon injection), BAO (struct. form.)
- astro constraints: SN1987A, HB vs RGB star counts (stellar evolution, cooling), type-Ia SNe, extragalactic bg. light (EBL), X-ray searches
- some non-thermal, high-mass ALP parameter region is still not excluded



Dark matter effective field theory arXiv:2106.02056

- general DMEFT: all DM-SM effective interactions up to dimension n
- in principle, a global fit of the general theory is possible with GAMBIT
- we focus on the 16D space of Dirac DM interactions with SM quarks and gluons:

$$\mathcal{L}_\chi = \bar{\chi} \left(i\cancel{d} - \cancel{m}_\chi \right) \chi + \sum_{a,d} \frac{\mathcal{C}_a^{(d)}}{\Lambda^{d-4}} \mathcal{Q}_a^{(d)}$$



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$$\mathcal{L}_\chi = \bar{\chi} (i\not{\partial} - m_\chi) \chi + \sum_{a,d} \frac{\mathcal{C}_a^{(d)}}{\Lambda^{d-4}} Q_a^{(d)}$$

Direct detection signals:

- Spin-independent – not suppressed
- Spin-independent – suppressed
- Spin-dependent – not suppressed
- Spin-dependent – suppressed

$$Q_{1,q}^{(6)} = (\bar{\chi} \gamma_\mu \chi)(\bar{q} \gamma^\mu q)$$

$$Q_{2,q}^{(6)} = (\bar{\chi} \gamma_\mu \gamma_5 \chi)(\bar{q} \gamma^\mu q)$$

$$Q_{3,q}^{(6)} = (\bar{\chi} \gamma_\mu \chi)(\bar{q} \gamma^\mu \gamma_5 q)$$

$$Q_{4,q}^{(6)} = (\bar{\chi} \gamma_\mu \gamma_5 \chi)(\bar{q} \gamma^\mu \gamma_5 q)$$

$$Q_1^{(7)} = \frac{\alpha_s}{12\pi} (\bar{\chi} \chi) G^{a\mu\nu} G^a_{\mu\nu}$$

$$Q_2^{(7)} = \frac{\alpha_s}{12\pi} (\bar{\chi} i \gamma_5 \chi) G^{a\mu\nu} G^a_{\mu\nu}$$

$$Q_3^{(7)} = \frac{\alpha_s}{8\pi} (\bar{\chi} \chi) G^{a\mu\nu} \tilde{G}^a_{\mu\nu}$$

$$Q_4^{(7)} = \frac{\alpha_s}{8\pi} (\bar{\chi} i \gamma_5 \chi) G^{a\mu\nu} \tilde{G}^a_{\mu\nu}$$

$$Q_{5,q}^{(7)} = m_q (\bar{\chi} \chi)(\bar{q} q)$$

$$Q_{6,q}^{(7)} = m_q (\bar{\chi} i \gamma_5 \chi)(\bar{q} q)$$

$$Q_{7,q}^{(7)} = m_q (\bar{\chi} \chi)(\bar{q} i \gamma_5 q)$$

$$Q_{8,q}^{(7)} = m_q (\bar{\chi} i \gamma_5 \chi)(\bar{q} i \gamma_5 q)$$

$$Q_{9,q}^{(7)} = m_q (\bar{\chi} \sigma^{\mu\nu} \chi)(\bar{q} \sigma_{\mu\nu} q)$$

$$Q_{10,q}^{(7)} = m_q (\bar{\chi} i \sigma^{\mu\nu} \gamma_5 \chi)(\bar{q} \sigma_{\mu\nu} q)$$



- the scale of new physics Λ is an independent parameter
- relic density calculation requires $\Lambda > 2m_\chi$
- if $\Lambda >$ scale probed by other experiments, we compute $\ln \mathcal{L}_{\text{experiment}}$
- otherwise, we set $\ln \mathcal{L}_{\text{experiment}} = 0$
- for LHC we smoothly cut off the spectrum to suppress events with *missing E_T* $> \Lambda$



Other key innovations

arXiv:2106.02056

- direct detection
 - DirectDM: fully automated RG evolution from Λ to low energies and matching to non-relativistic effective operators at hadronic scale
 - DDCalc: large database of direct detection constraints for arbitrary DM-nucleon interactions including astrophysical and nuclear uncertainties
- LHC constraints (ColliderBit)
 - monojet analyses: ATLAS 139/fb (full Run 2 dataset) + CMS 36/fb
 - fast profiling of LHC nuisance parameters



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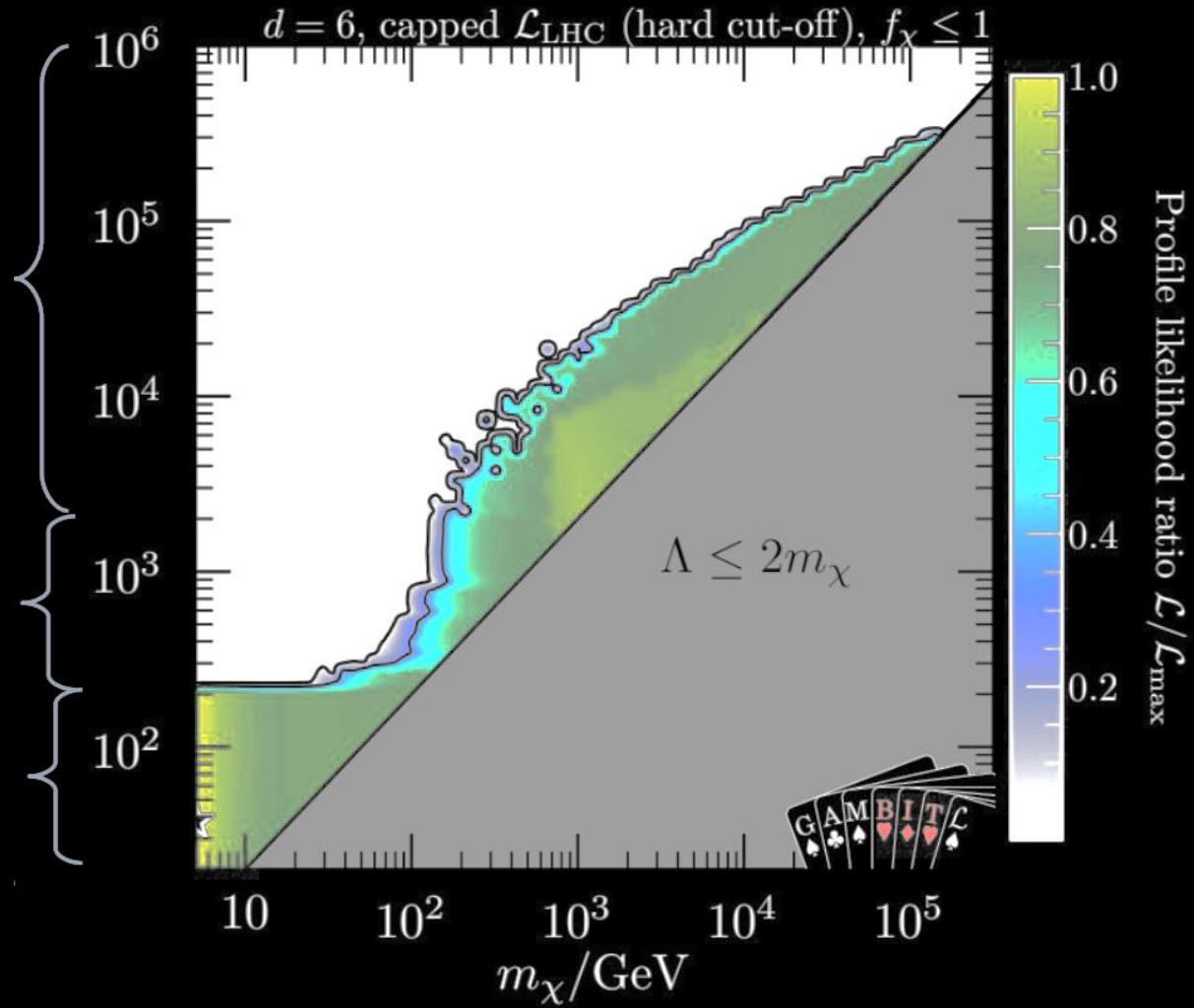
- indirect detection
 - DarkSUSY: highly accurate relic density calculation
 - GUM: automated calculation of cross sections and γ -ray spectra
 - CosmoBit: CMB constraints on energy injection from DM annihilation
 - Capt'n General: solar capture + neutrinos with arbitrary DM-nucleon interactions
- interface between all of these and Diver differential sampler fully automated in GAMBIT



DMEFT results

- new physics scale Λ :
- EFT valid for all constraints
- most experiments are insensitive
- constraints driven by relic density requirement
- Λ comparable to LHC energies
- strong LHC constraints
- Λ below LHC energies
- large viable parameter space

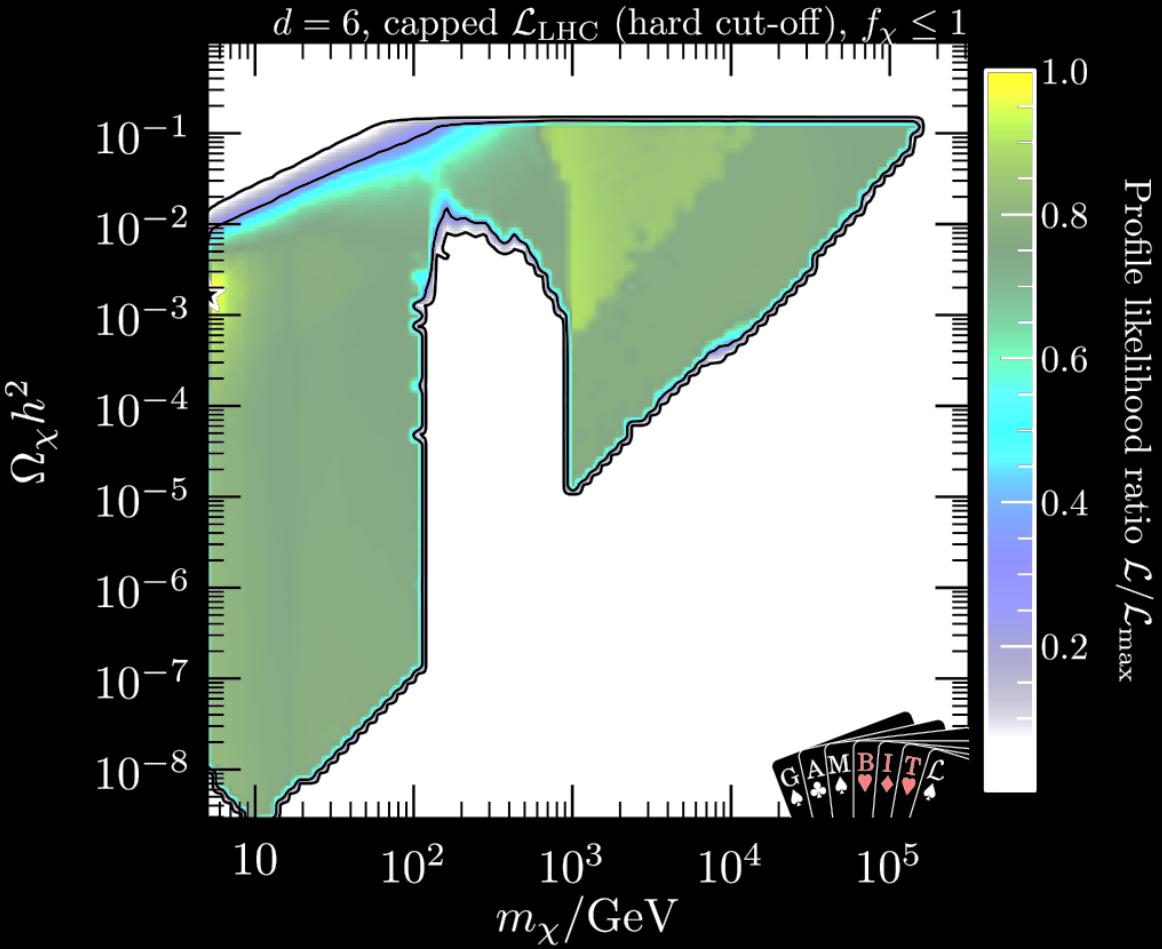
general picture



DMEFT results

- light DM ($m_\chi < 100$ GeV) is viable if both of the following hold:
 - χ has CP-violating interactions OR is very sub-dominant
 - Λ is so low that EFT breaks down entirely at LHC \Rightarrow LHC would (probably) be sensitive to mediator
- significant to model building, suggests light WIMPs require light mediator (e.g. dark photon)

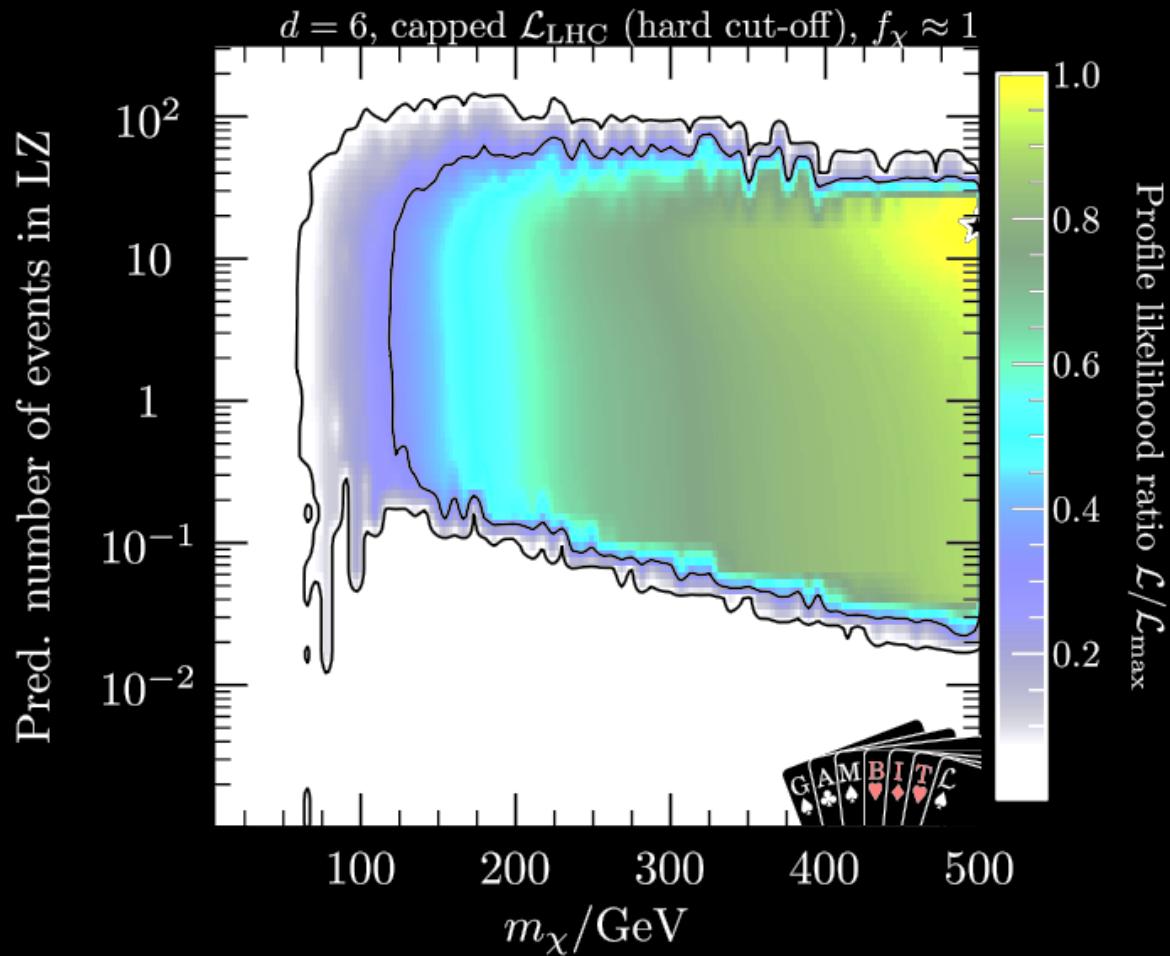
light DM particles



DMEFT results

- demanding χ to be all of DM pushes viable parameter space to large m_χ
- leads to detectable signals at LZ
- mostly due to loop-induced operator mixing $Q(6)3,q \rightarrow Q(6)1,q$
- could be spoilt by including other effective operators (e.g. leptons, non-MFV) \Rightarrow interesting avenue for future investigation

heavy DM particles



future of GAMBIT

- more GAMBIT: more models, more observables, more automation, more data, more stats...
- machine learning of cross sections, cosmic ray fluxes...
- observable calculation on parallel GPUs
- ColliderBit Solo
- papers focusing on light dark matter, 2HDMs (incl. inert doublet), dark matter direct detection, neutrinos, axions, leptoquarks...
- new web-site with highly improved doco <https://gambitbsm.github.io>
- getting long-haired fluffy white cat and taking over the world...

