

SEP status in Rome Tor Vergata

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Selections:

standard selections from AMS Wiki for Proton analysis

- all sky Use cutoff

- magnetic polar region

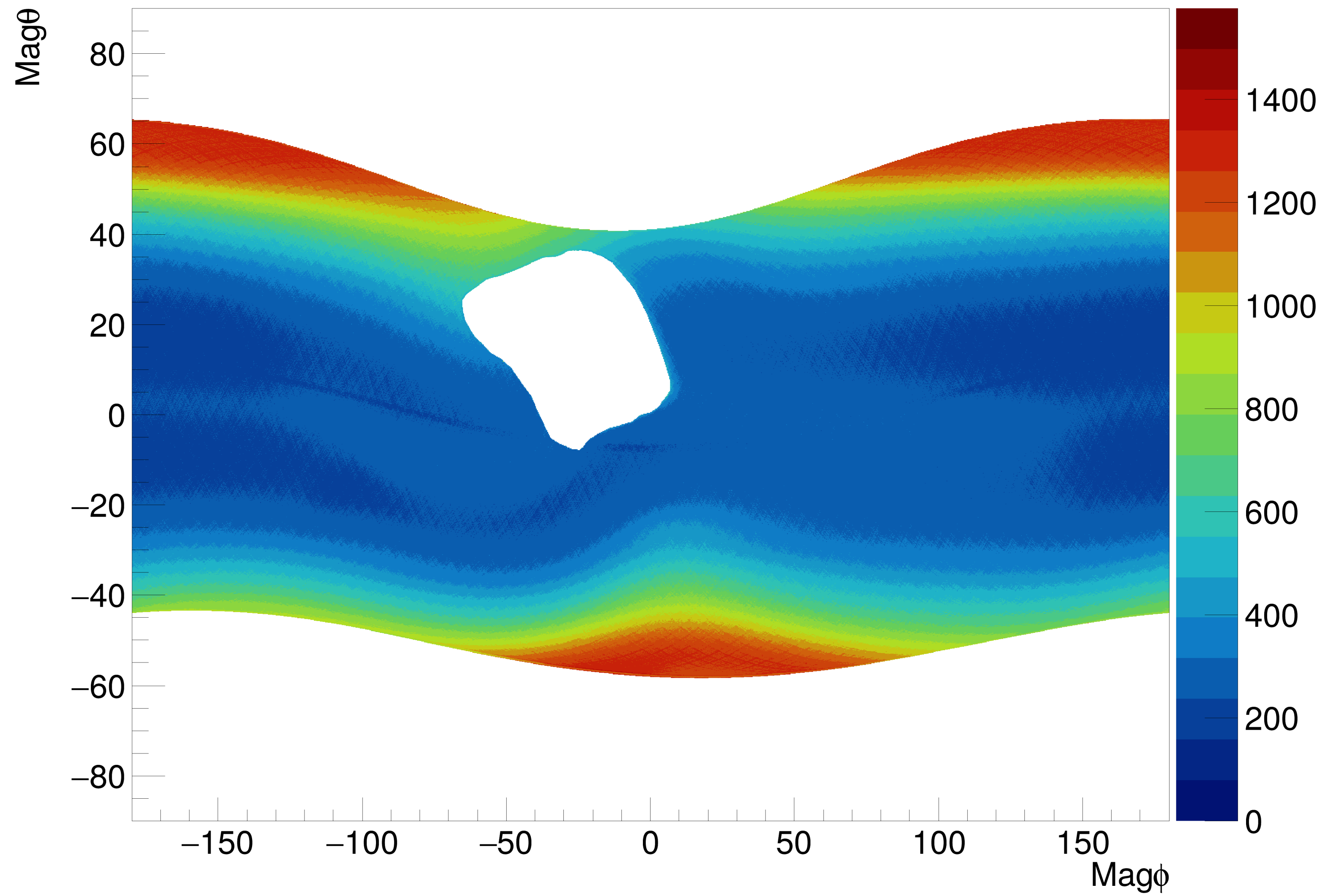
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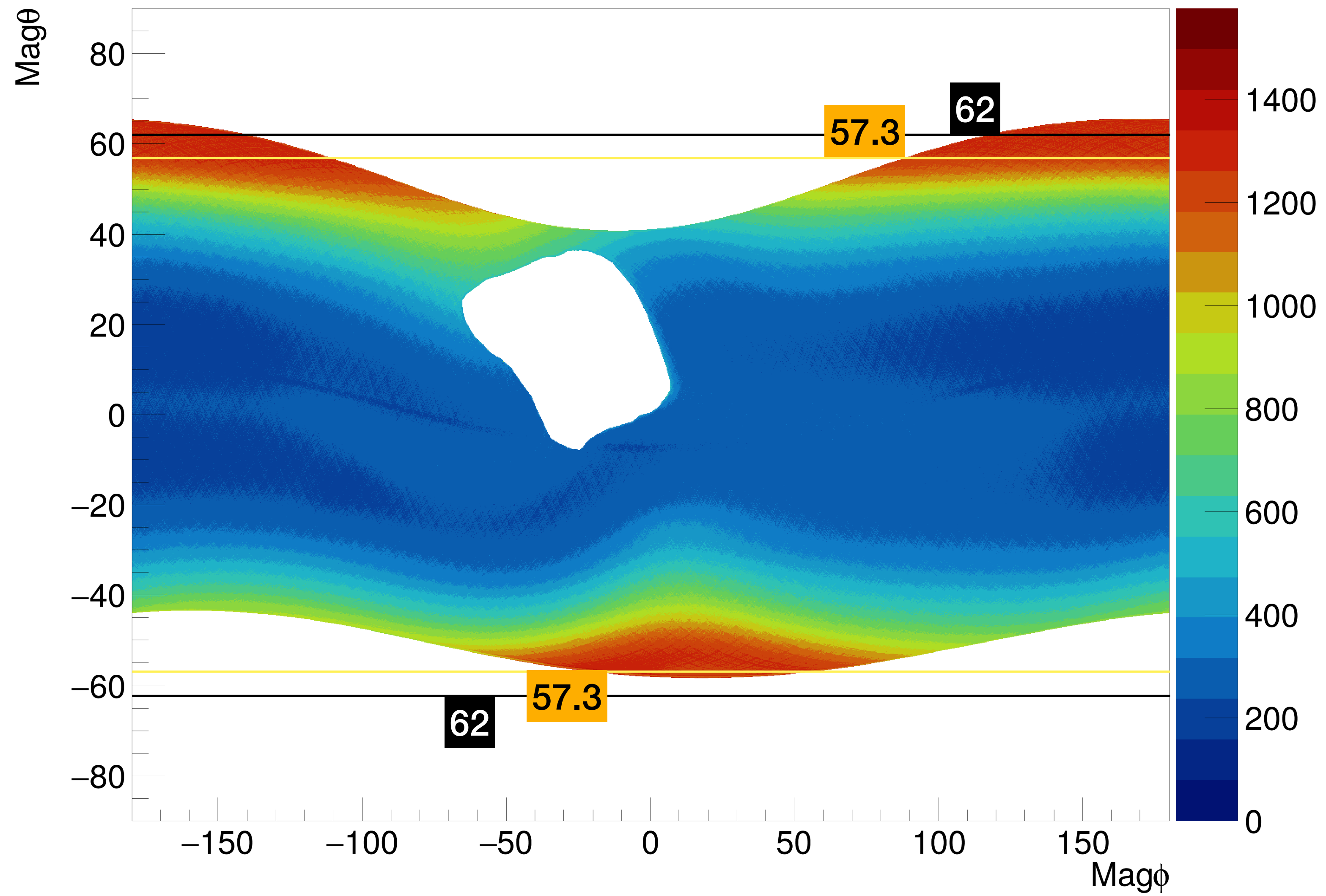
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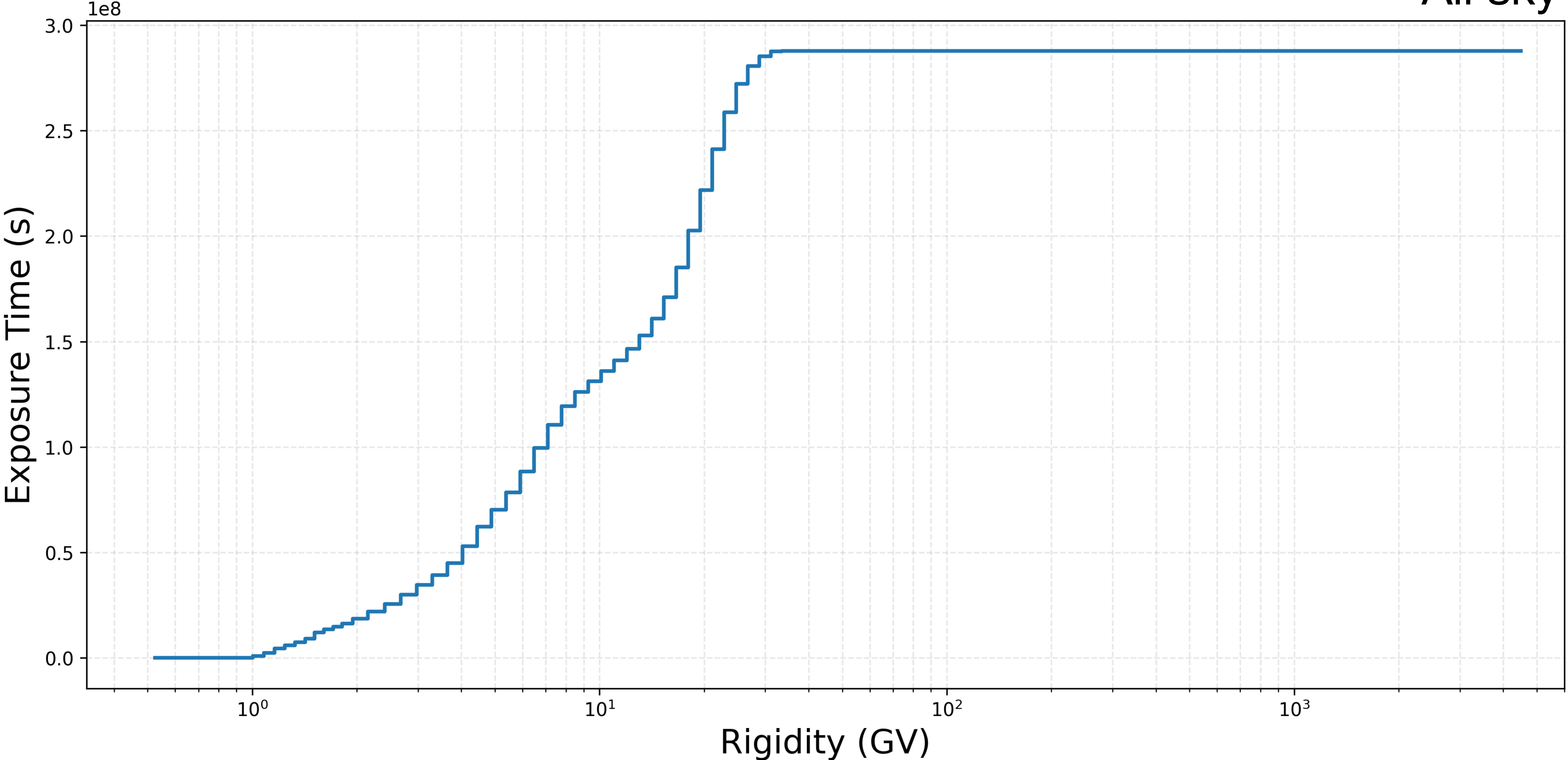


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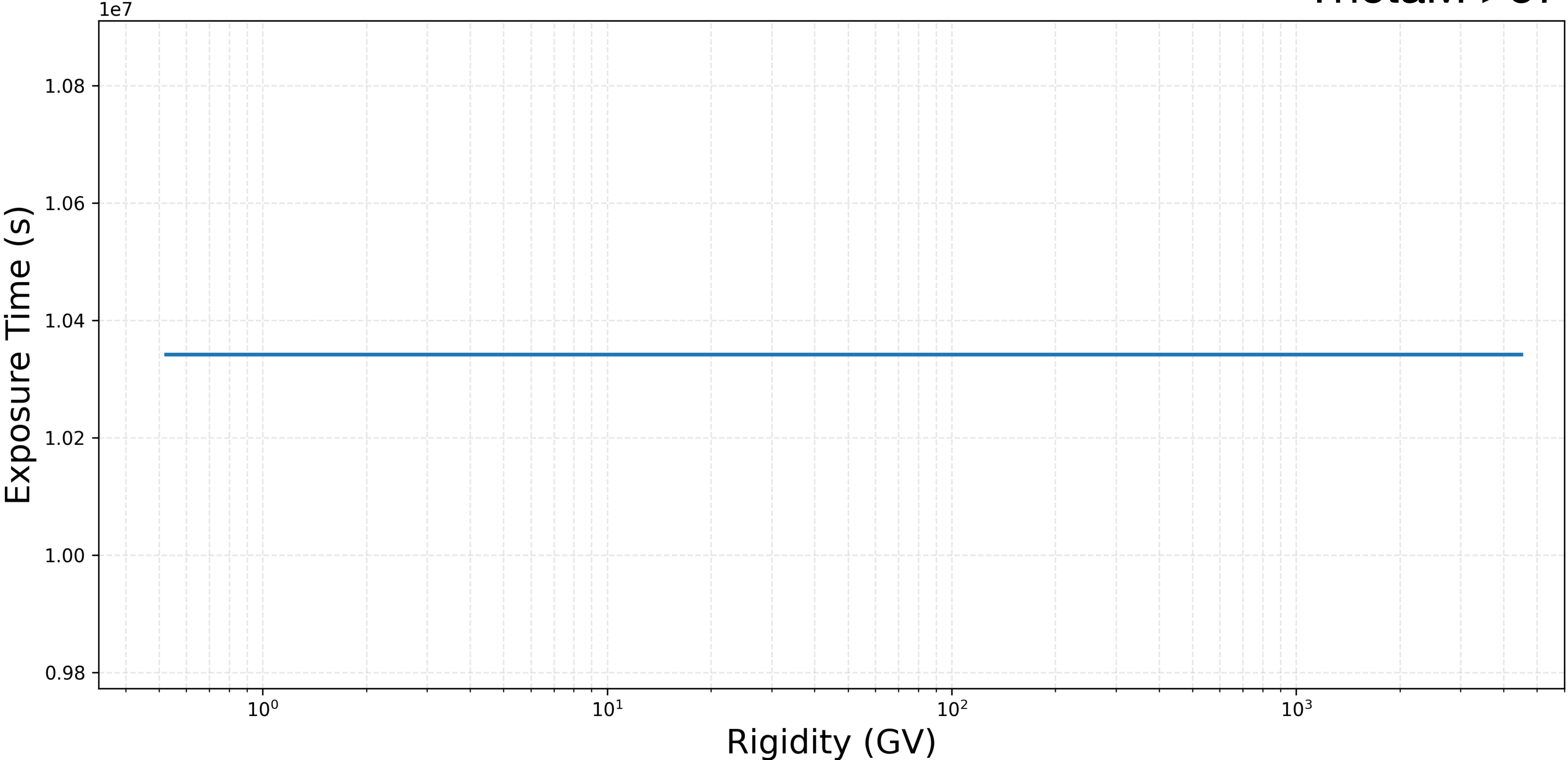
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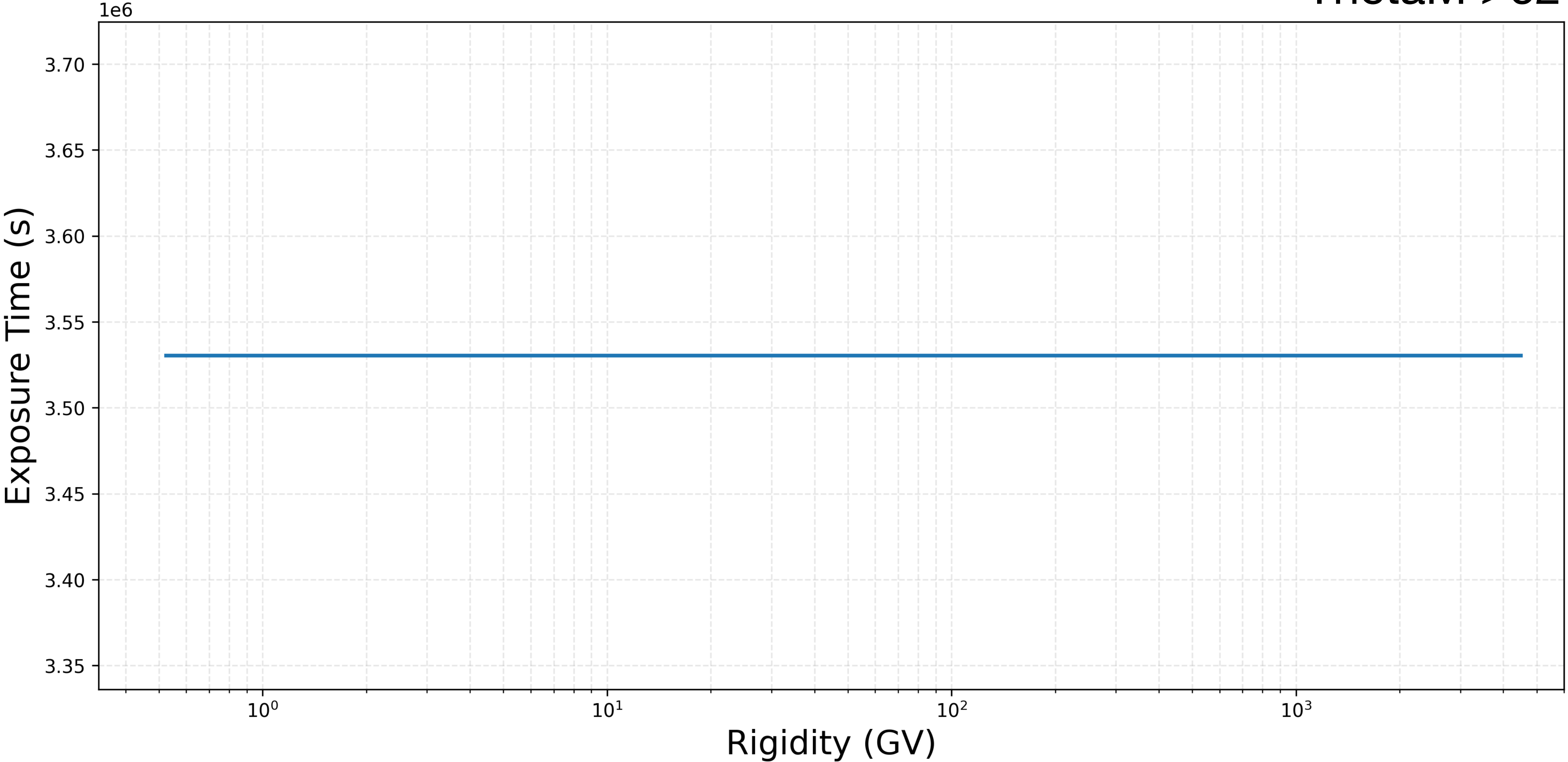
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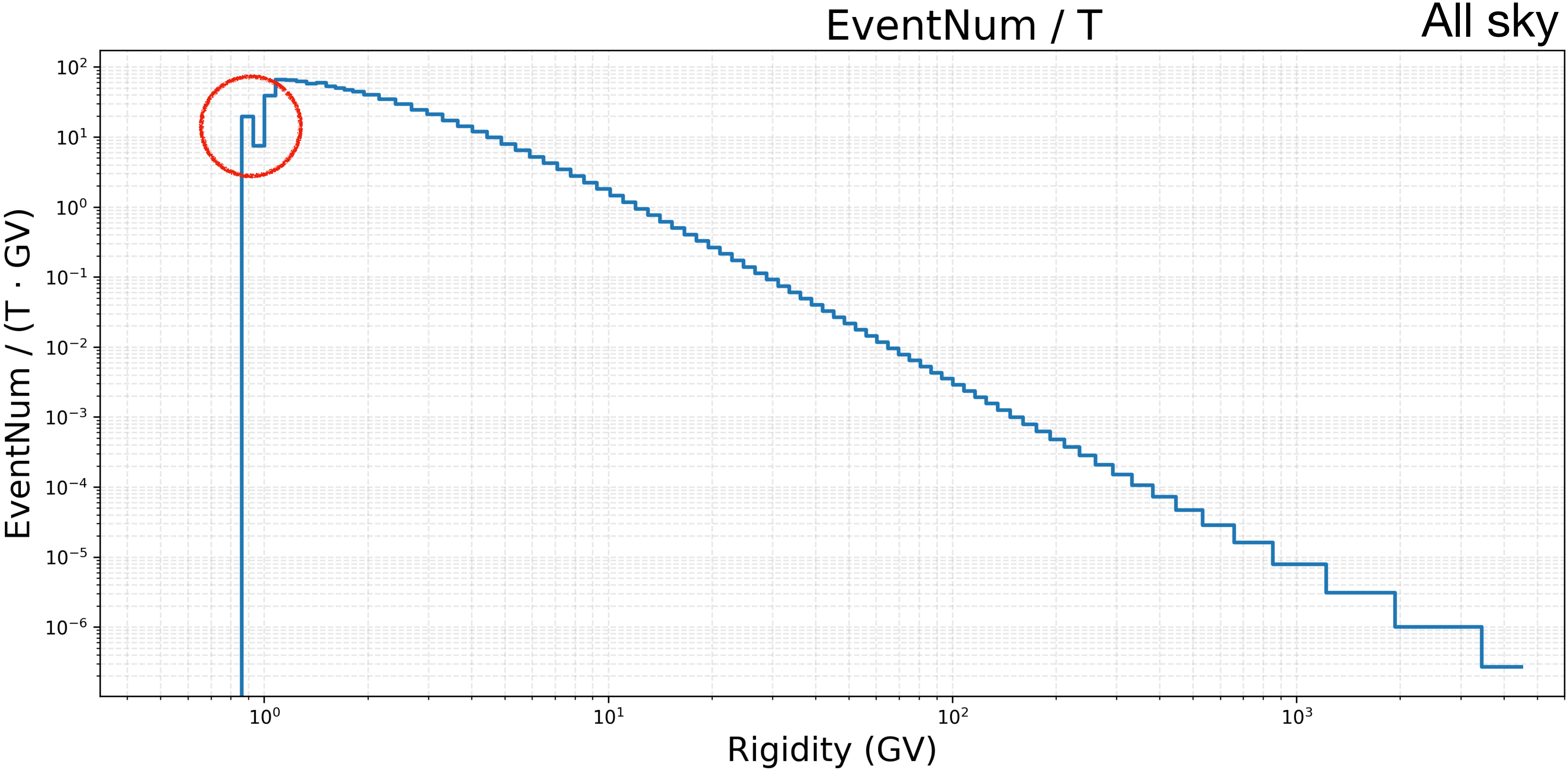


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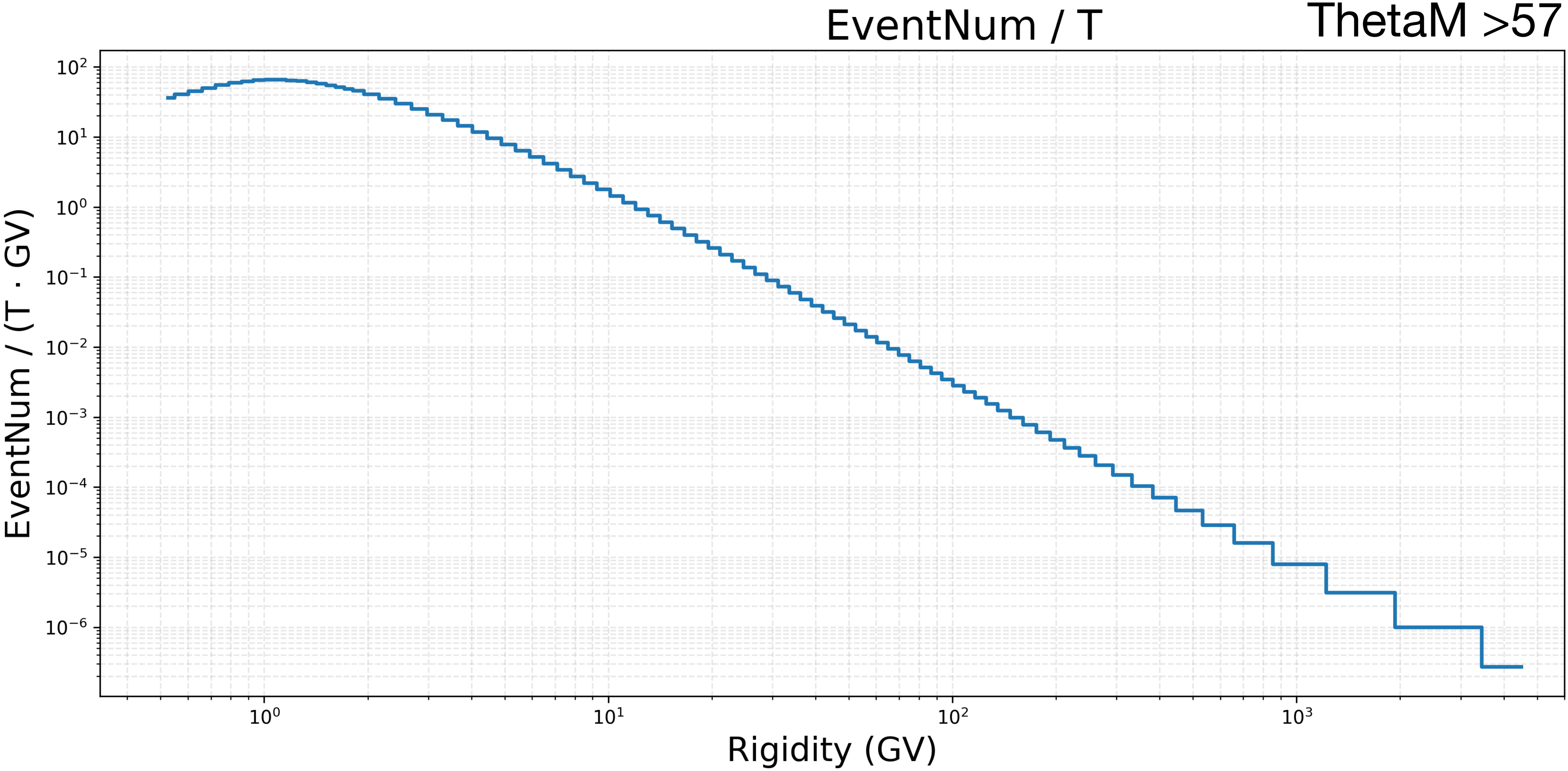
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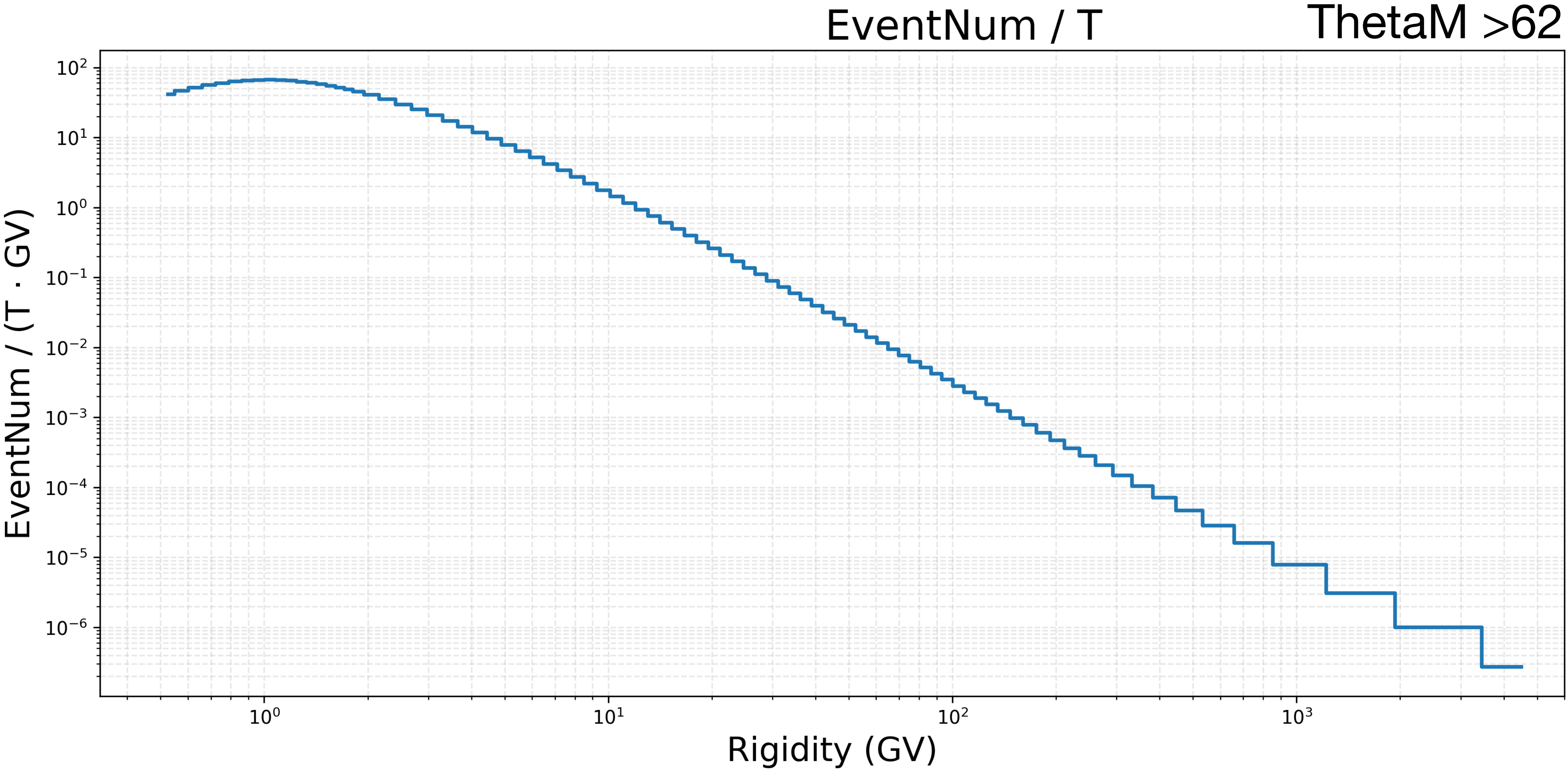
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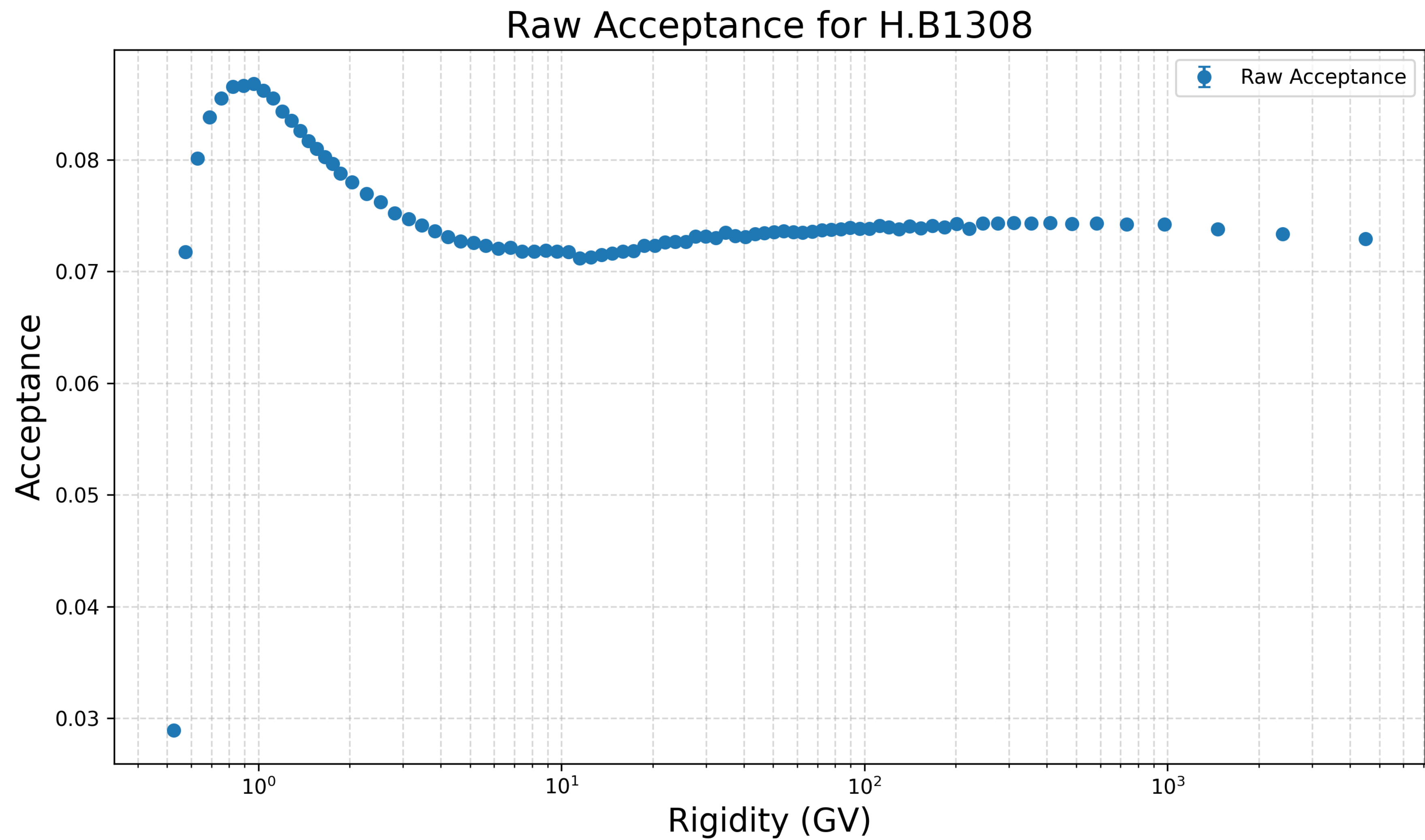
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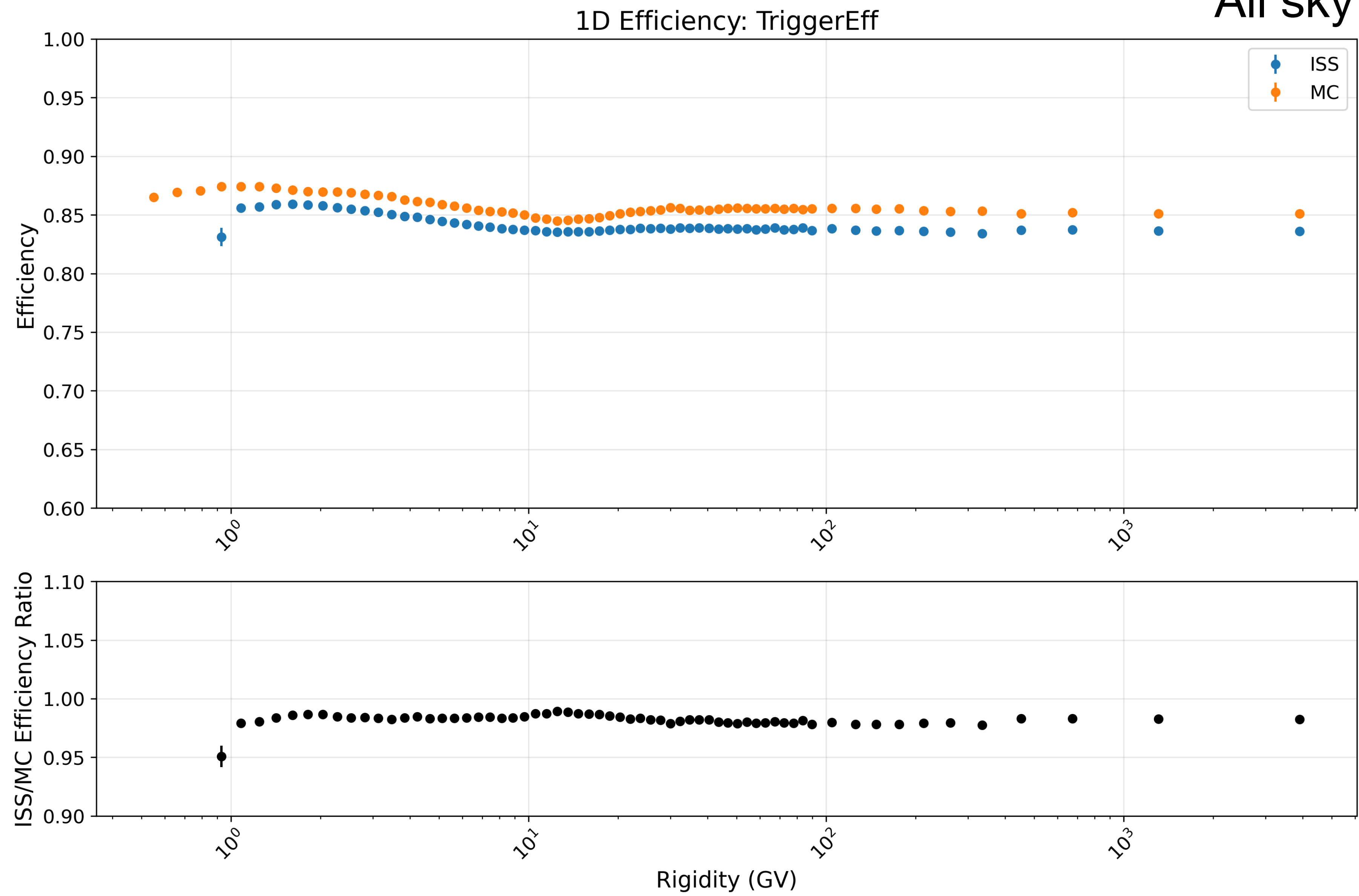


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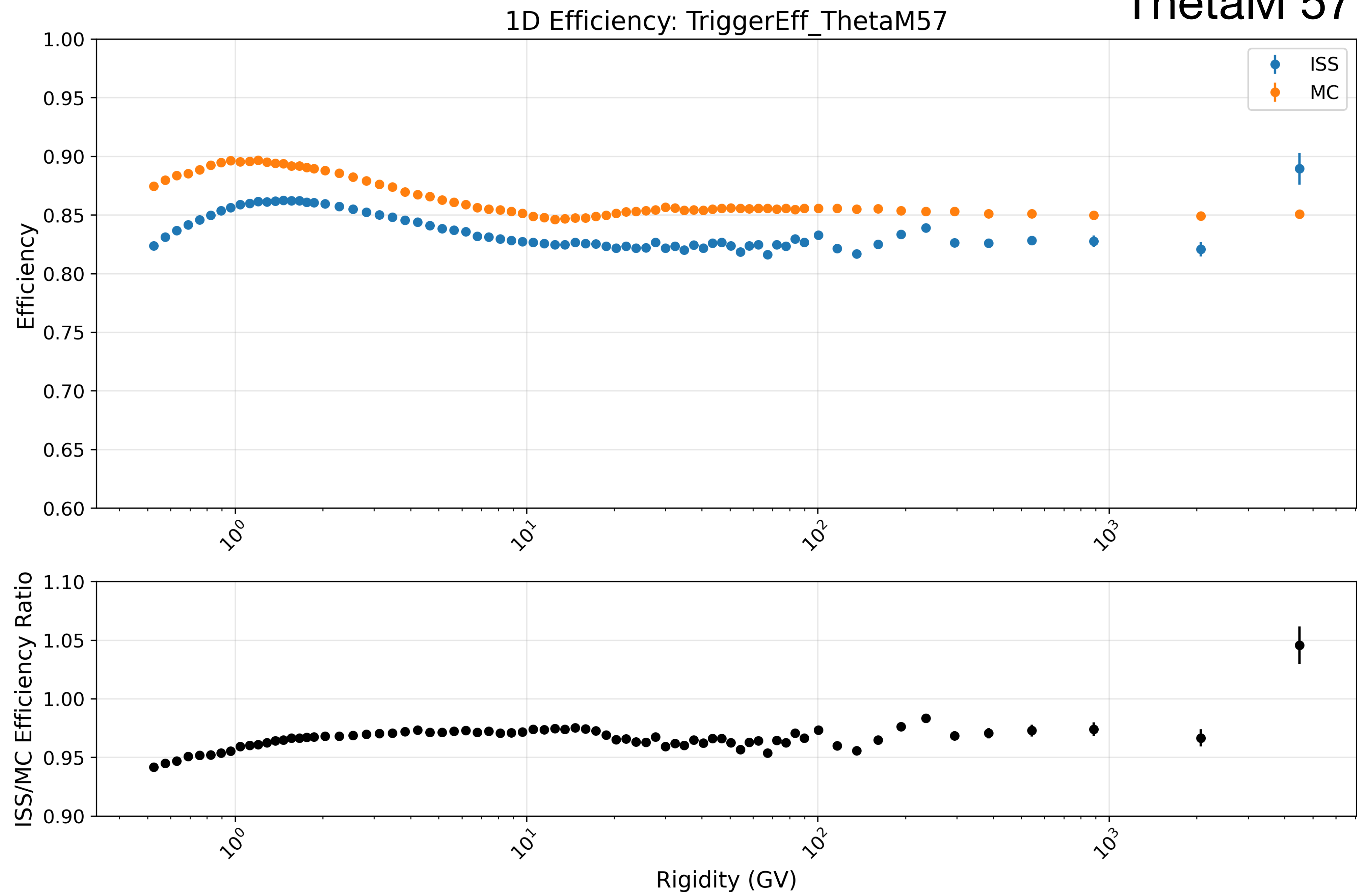
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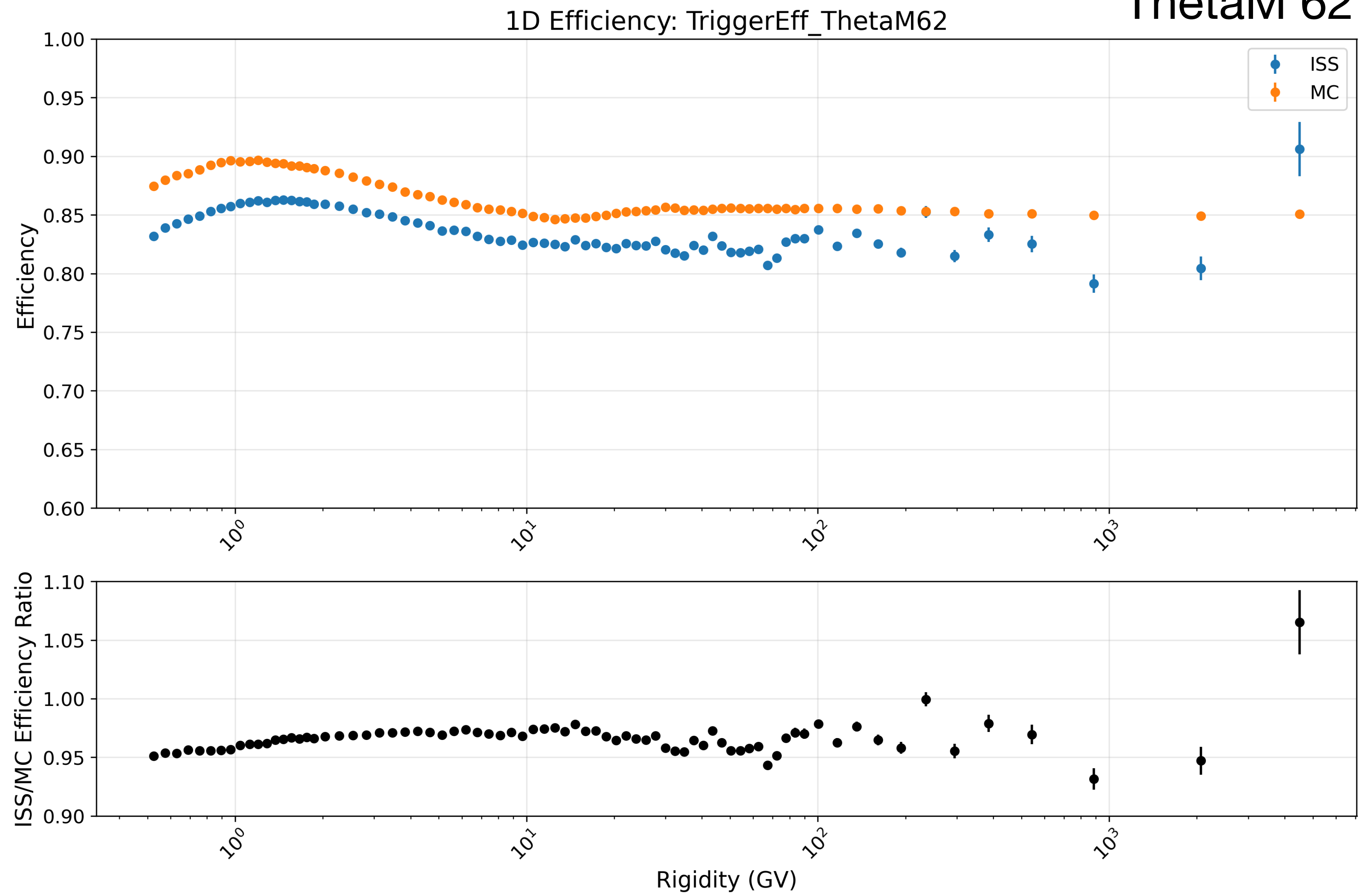
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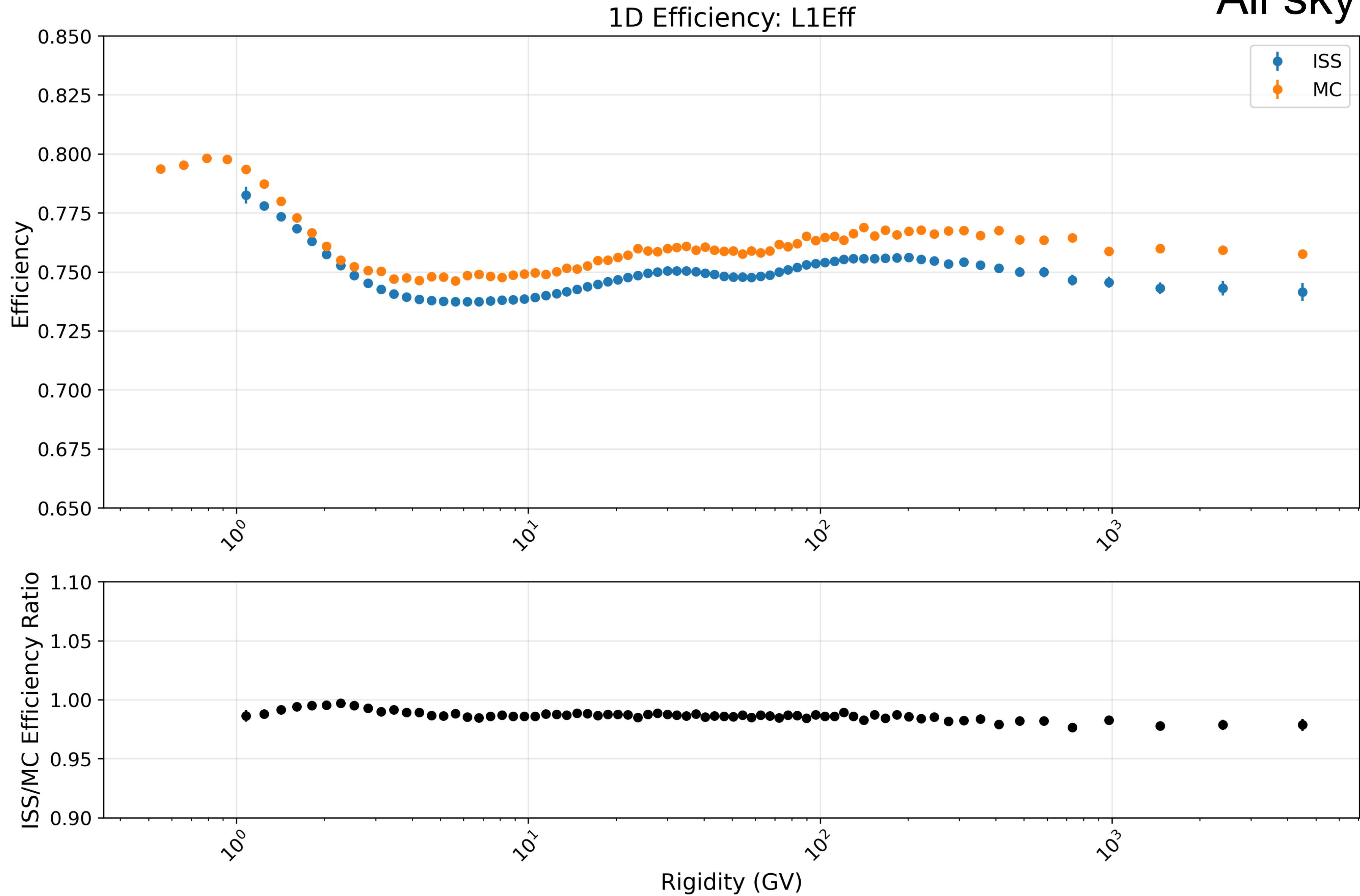
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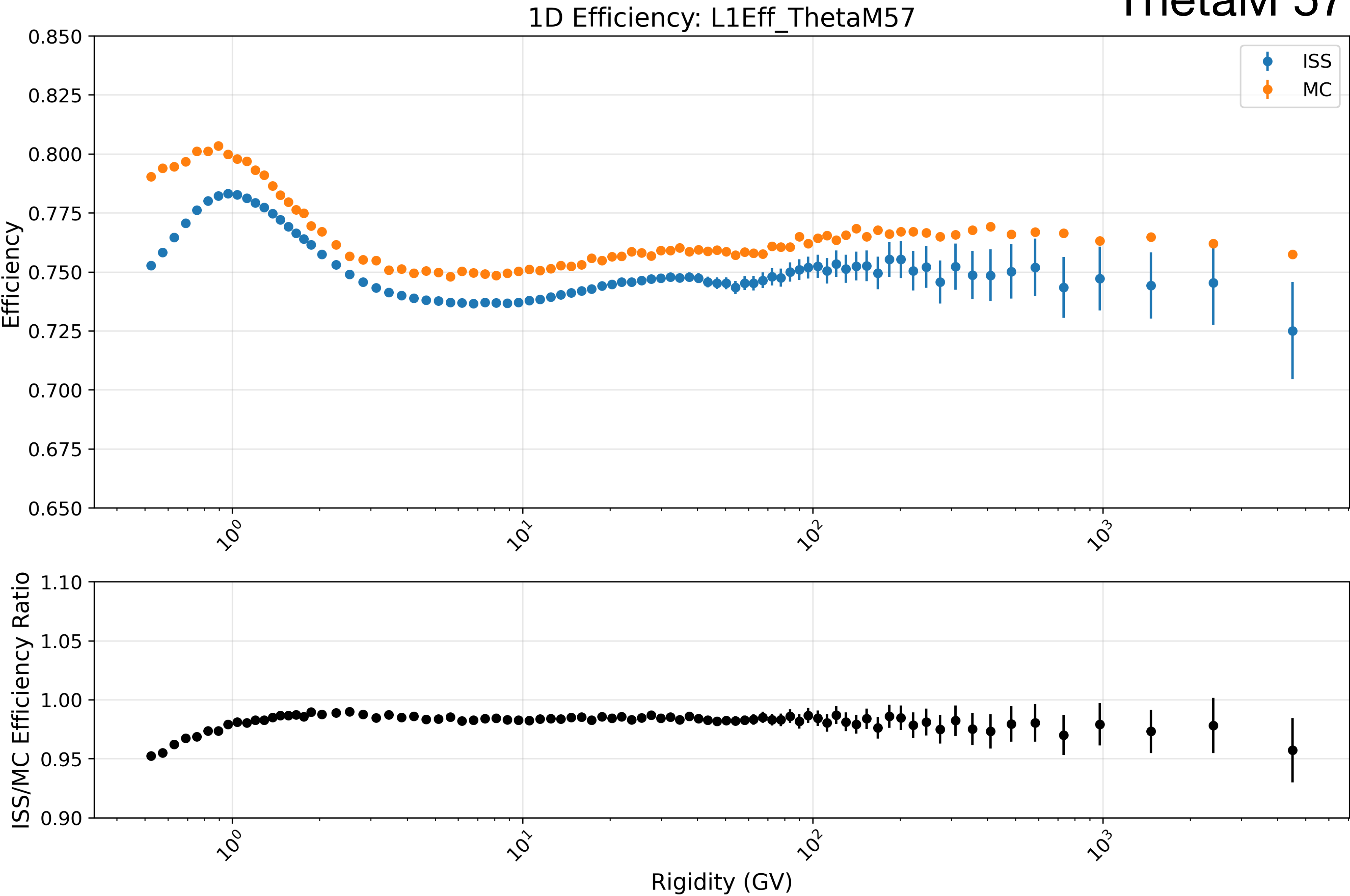
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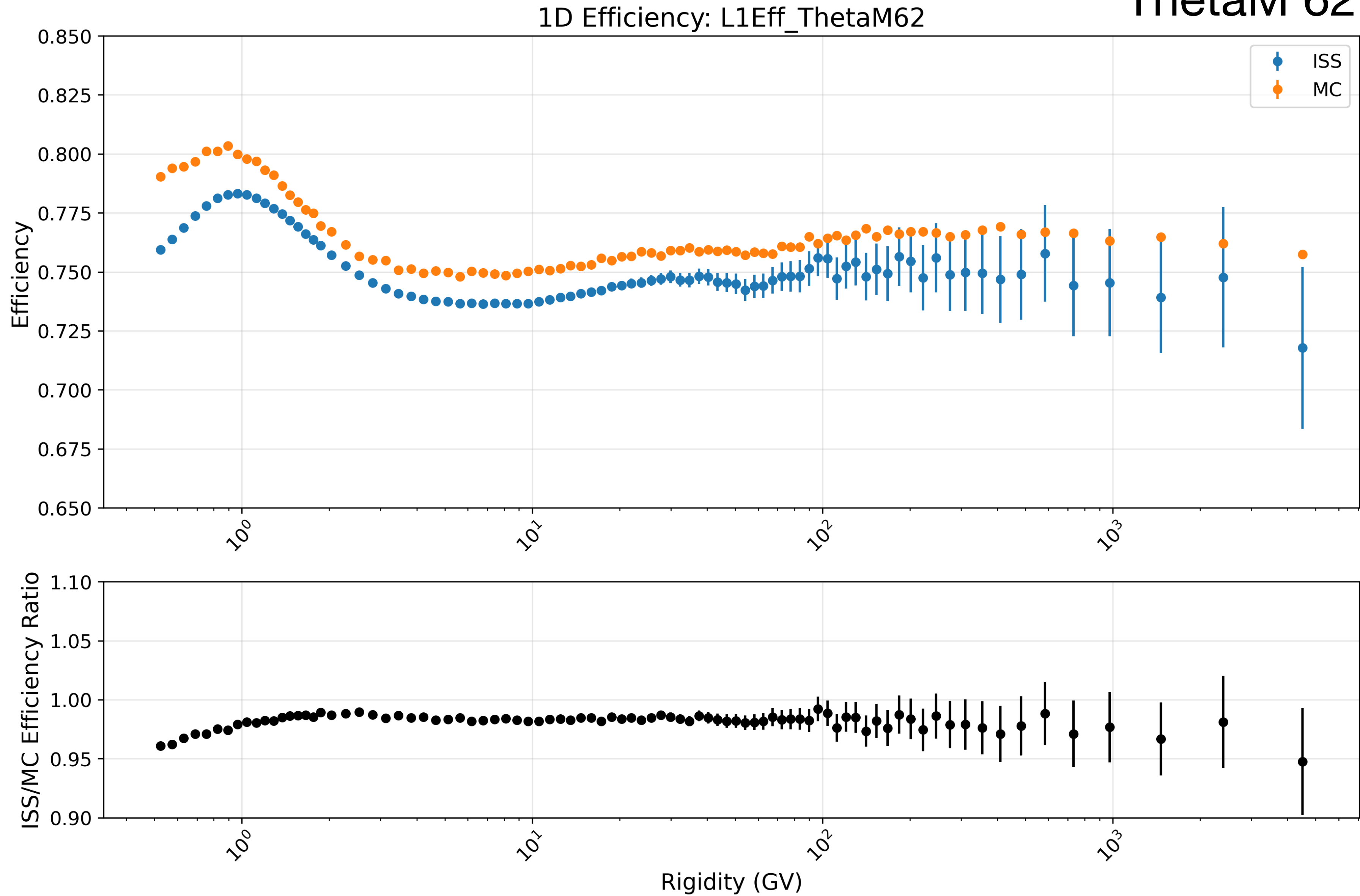
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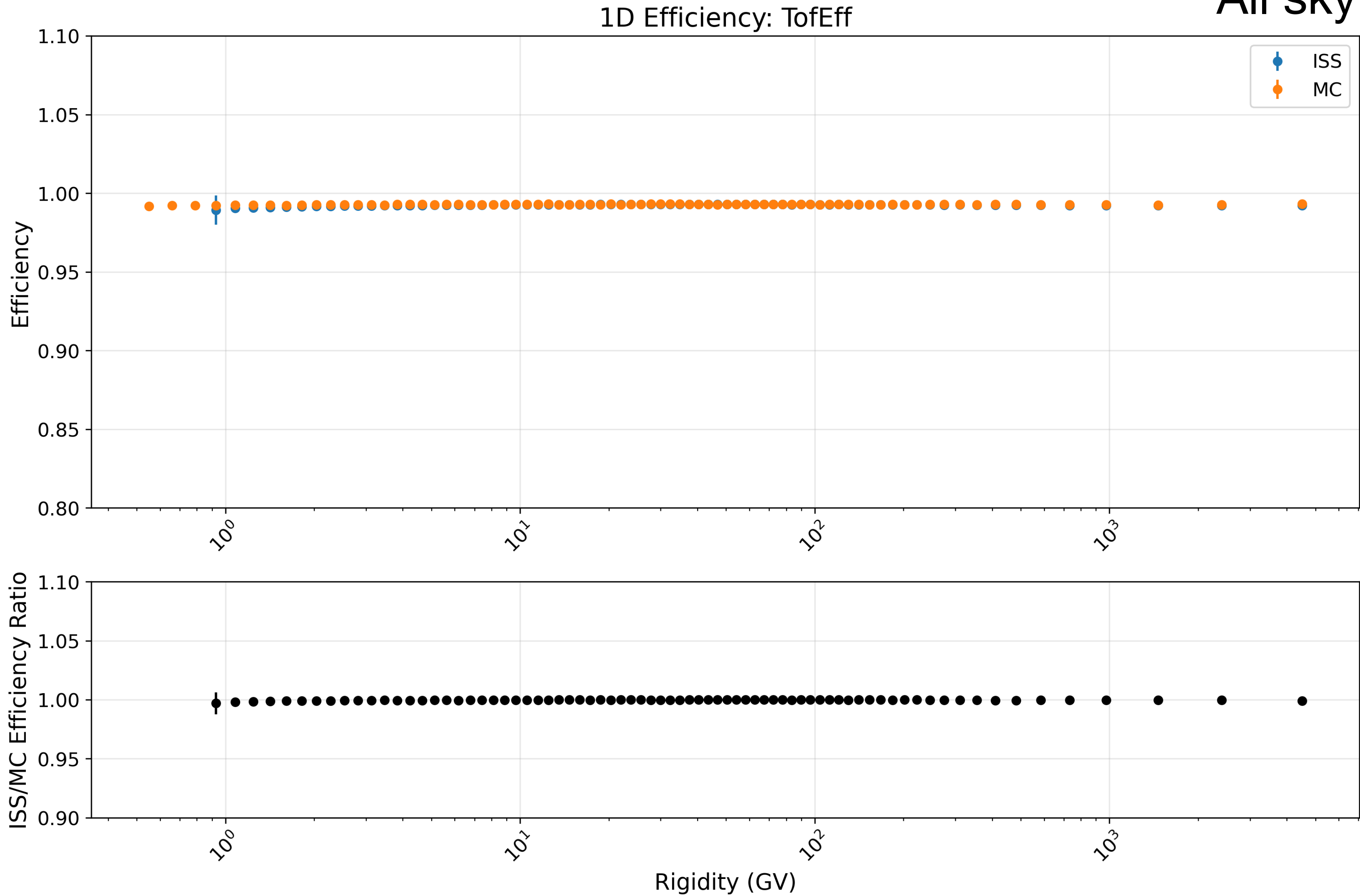
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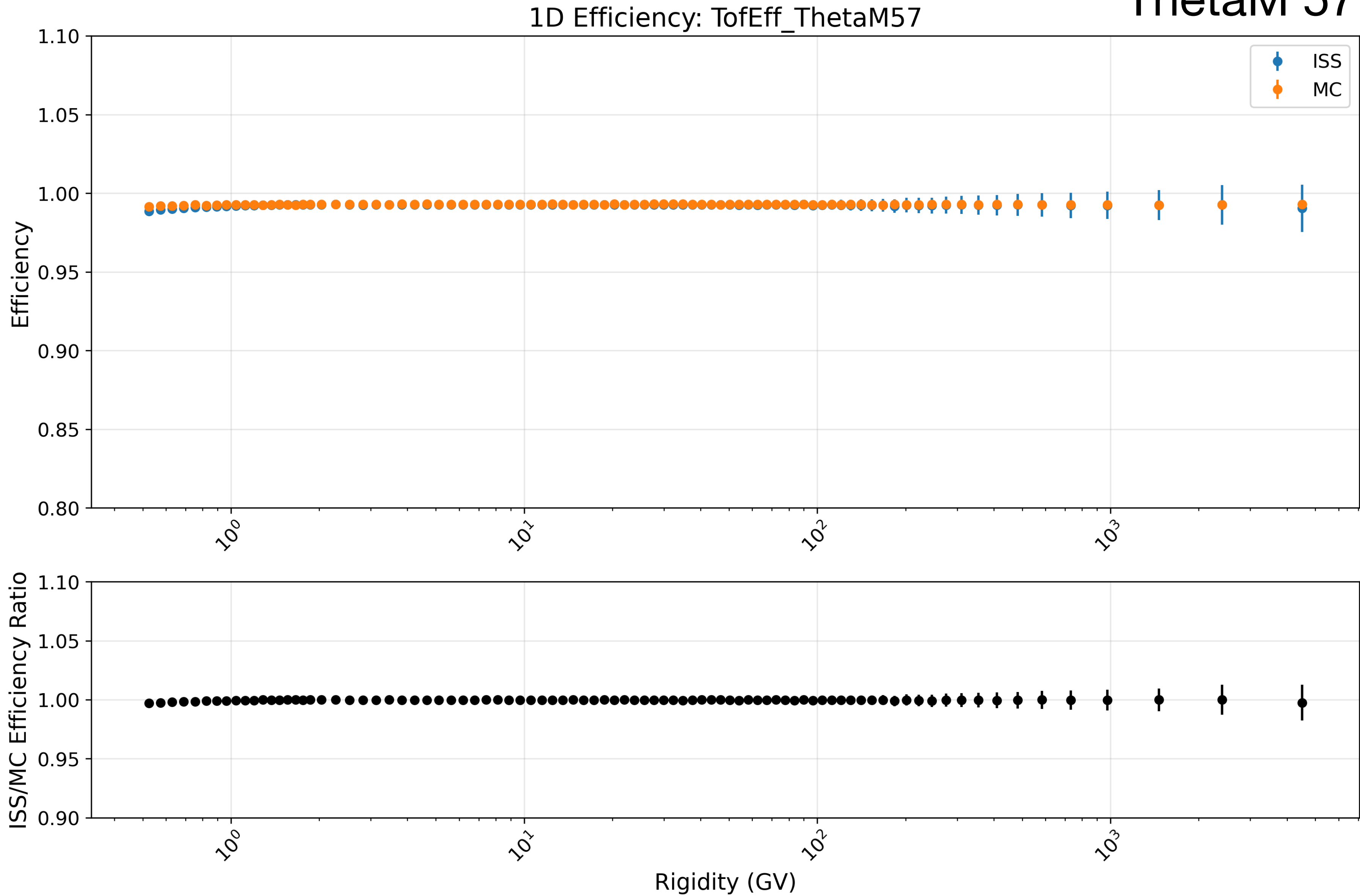
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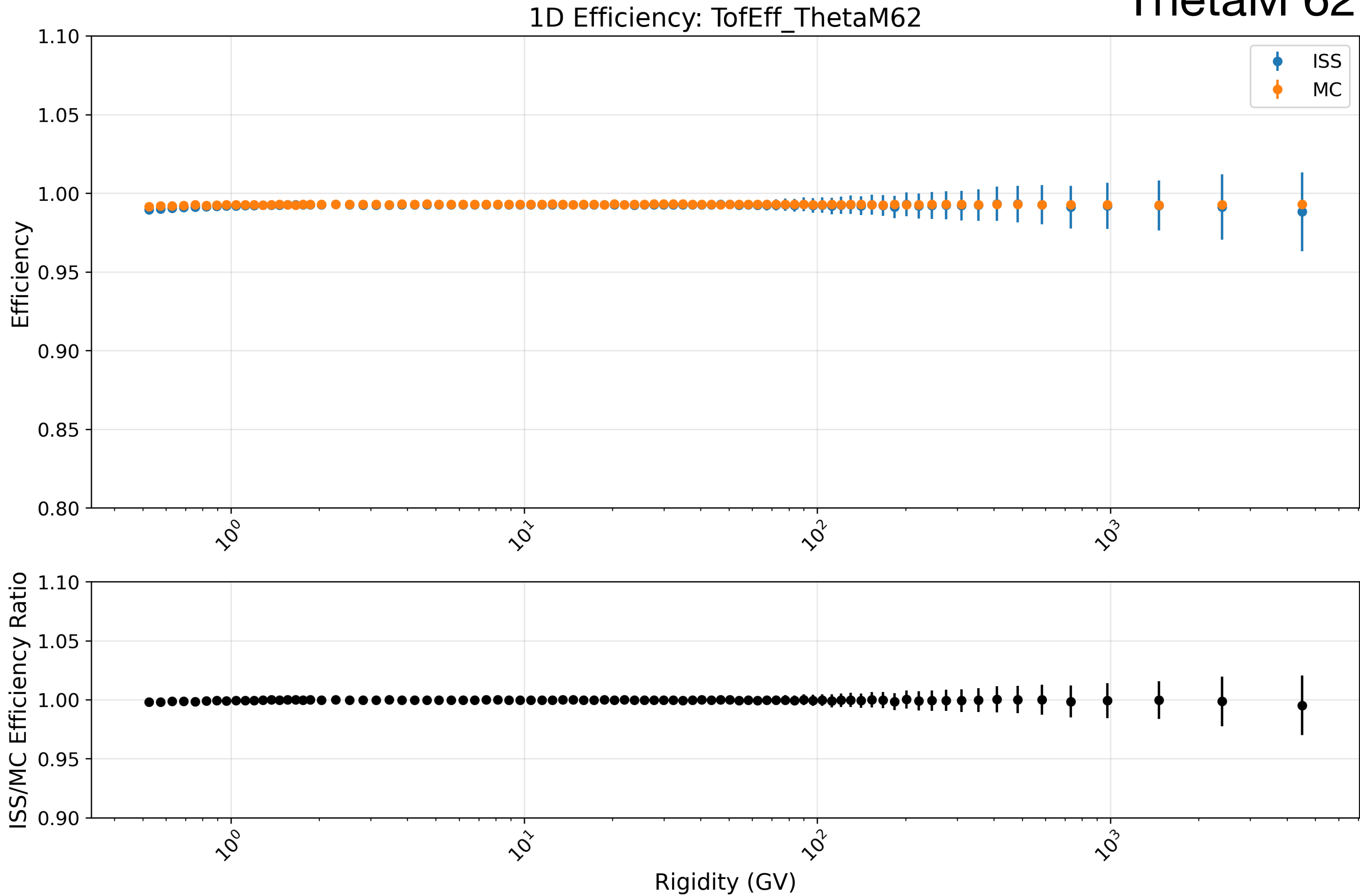


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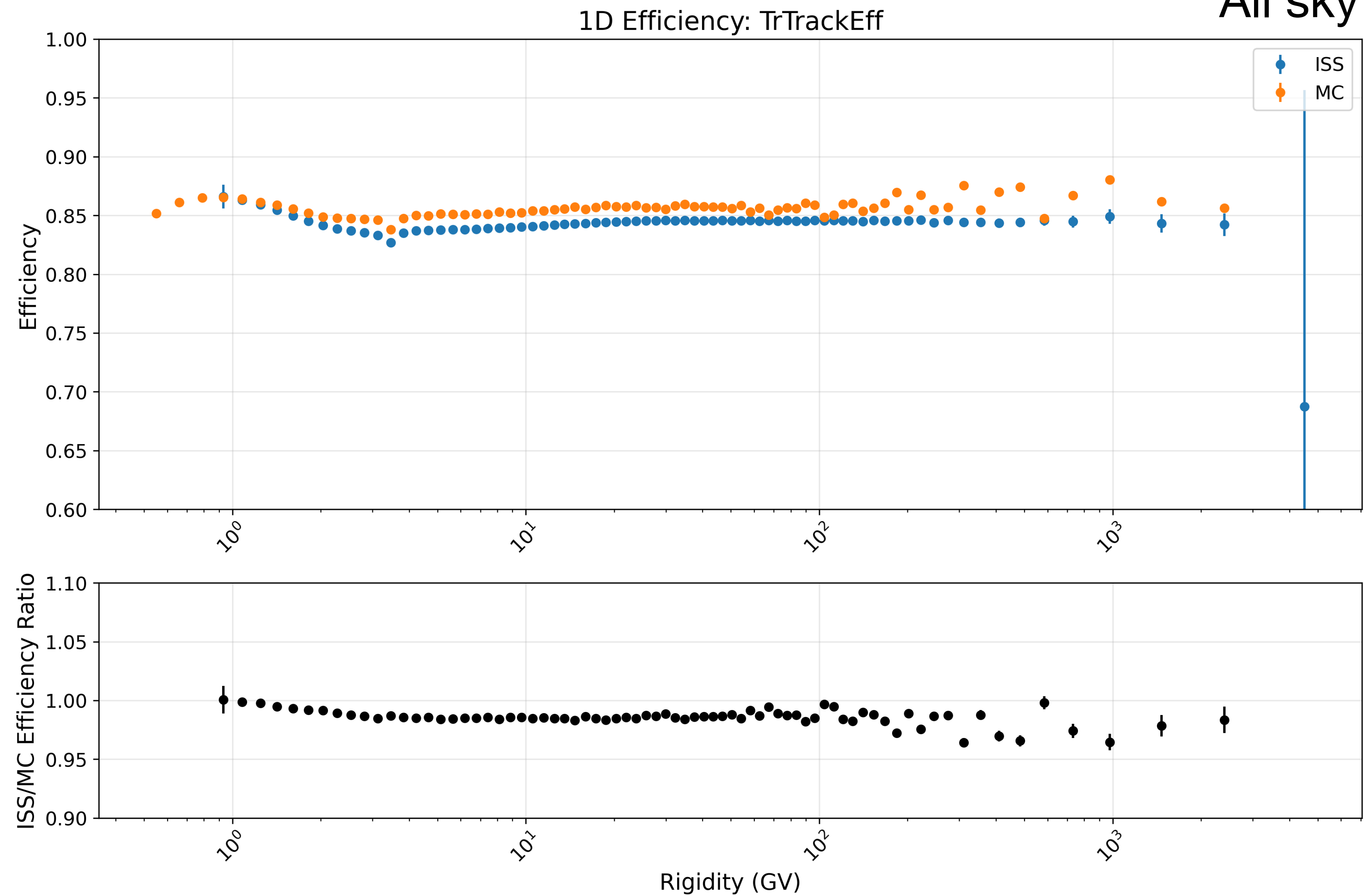






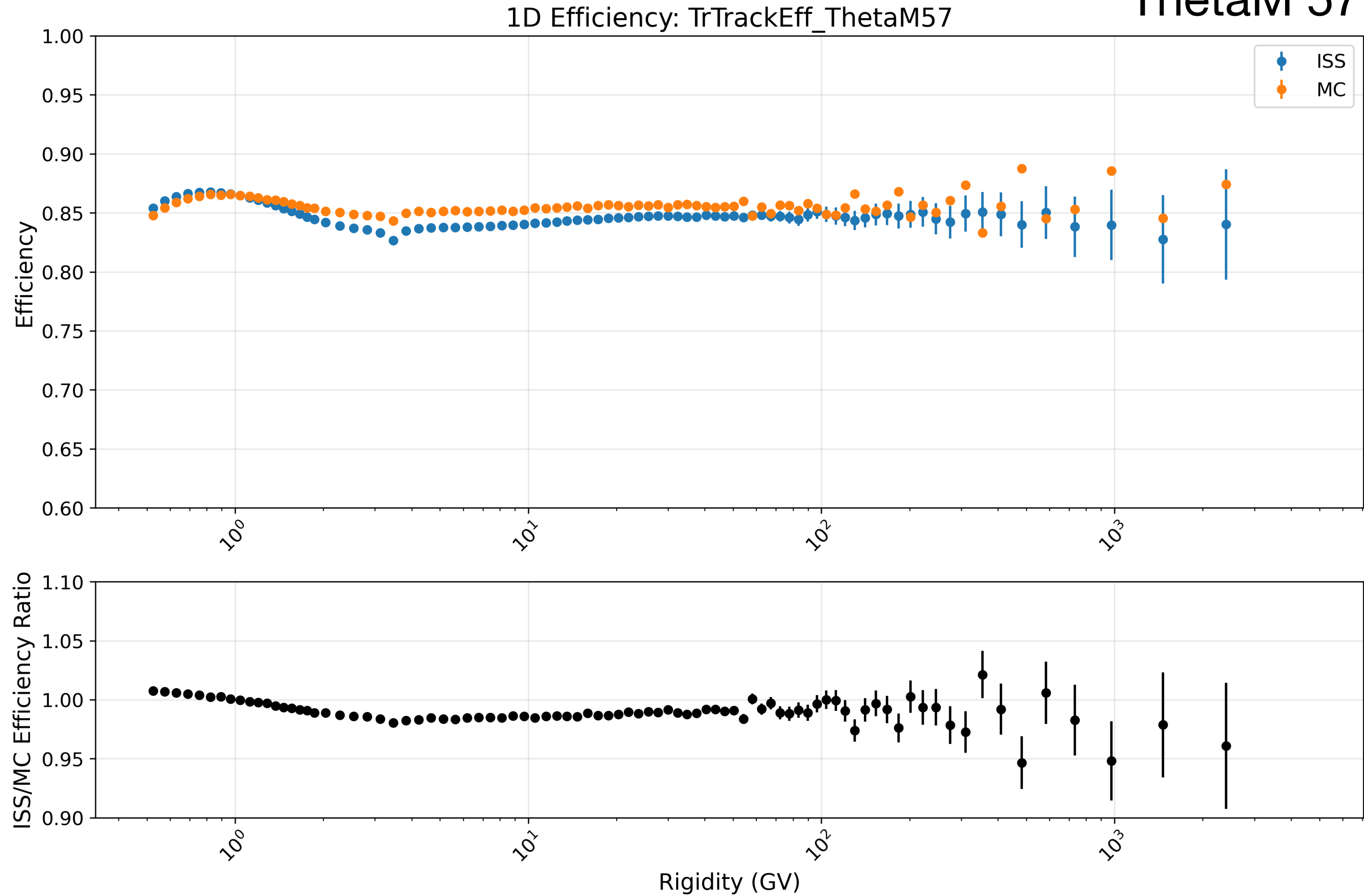
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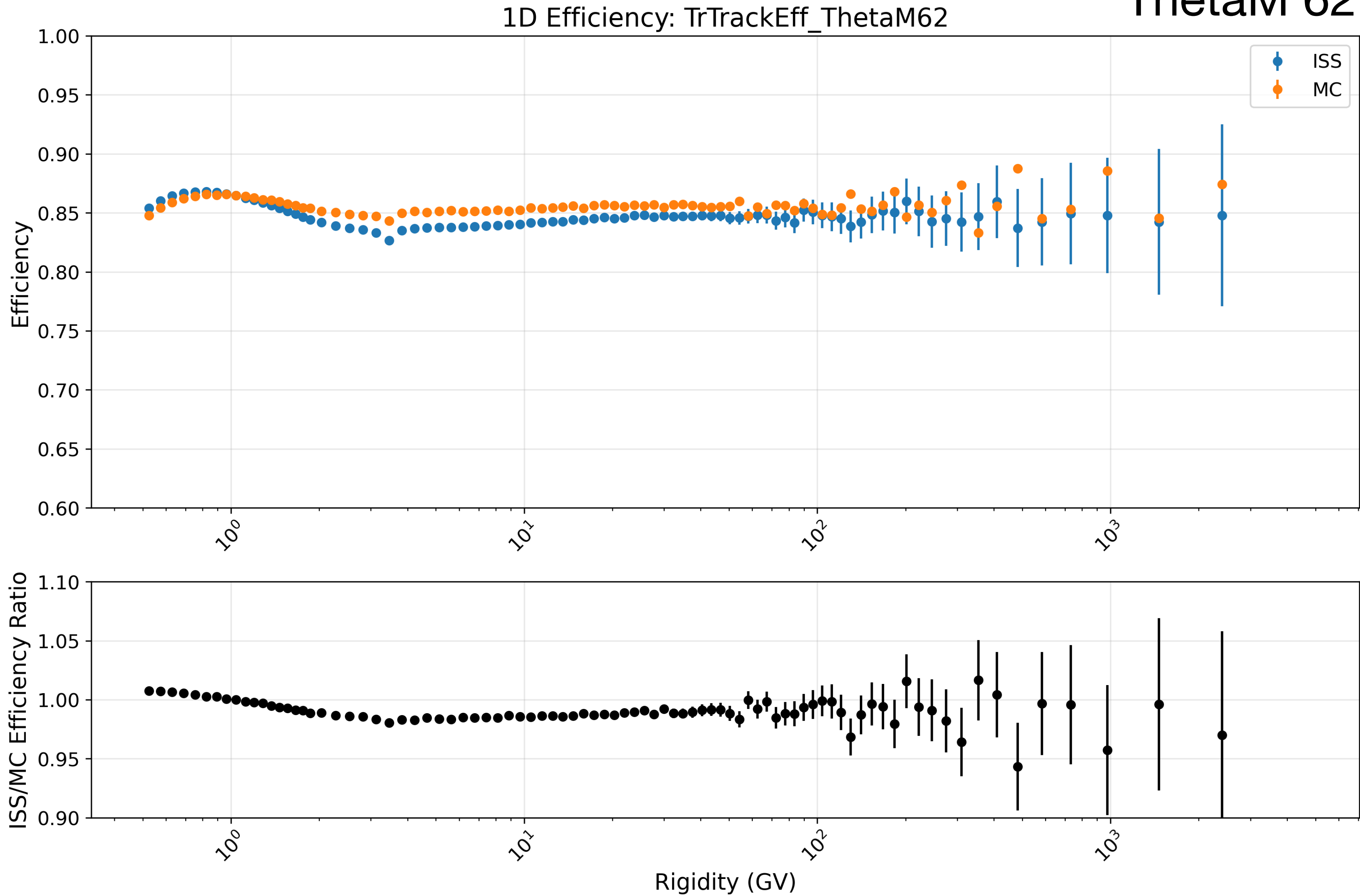
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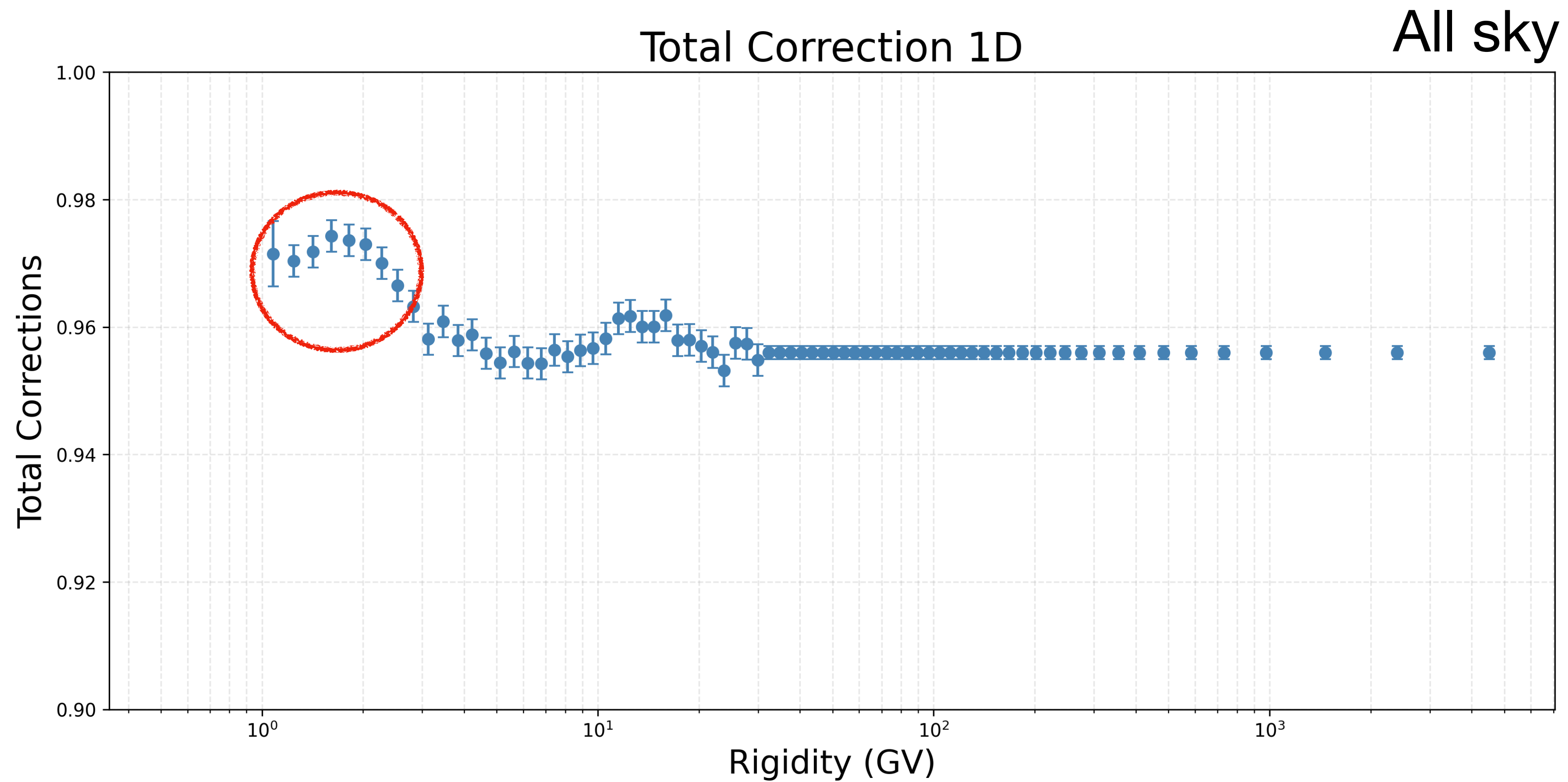
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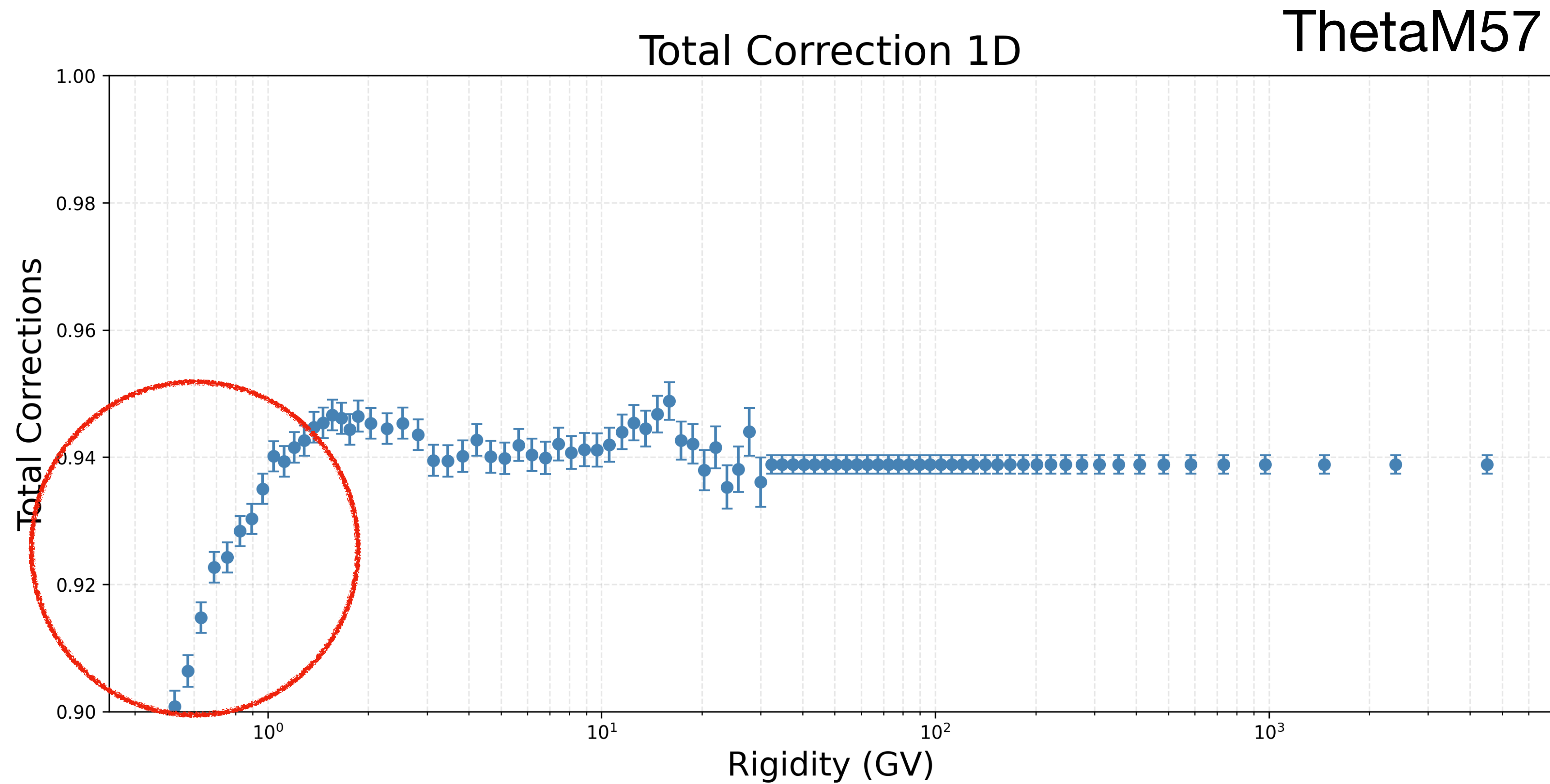
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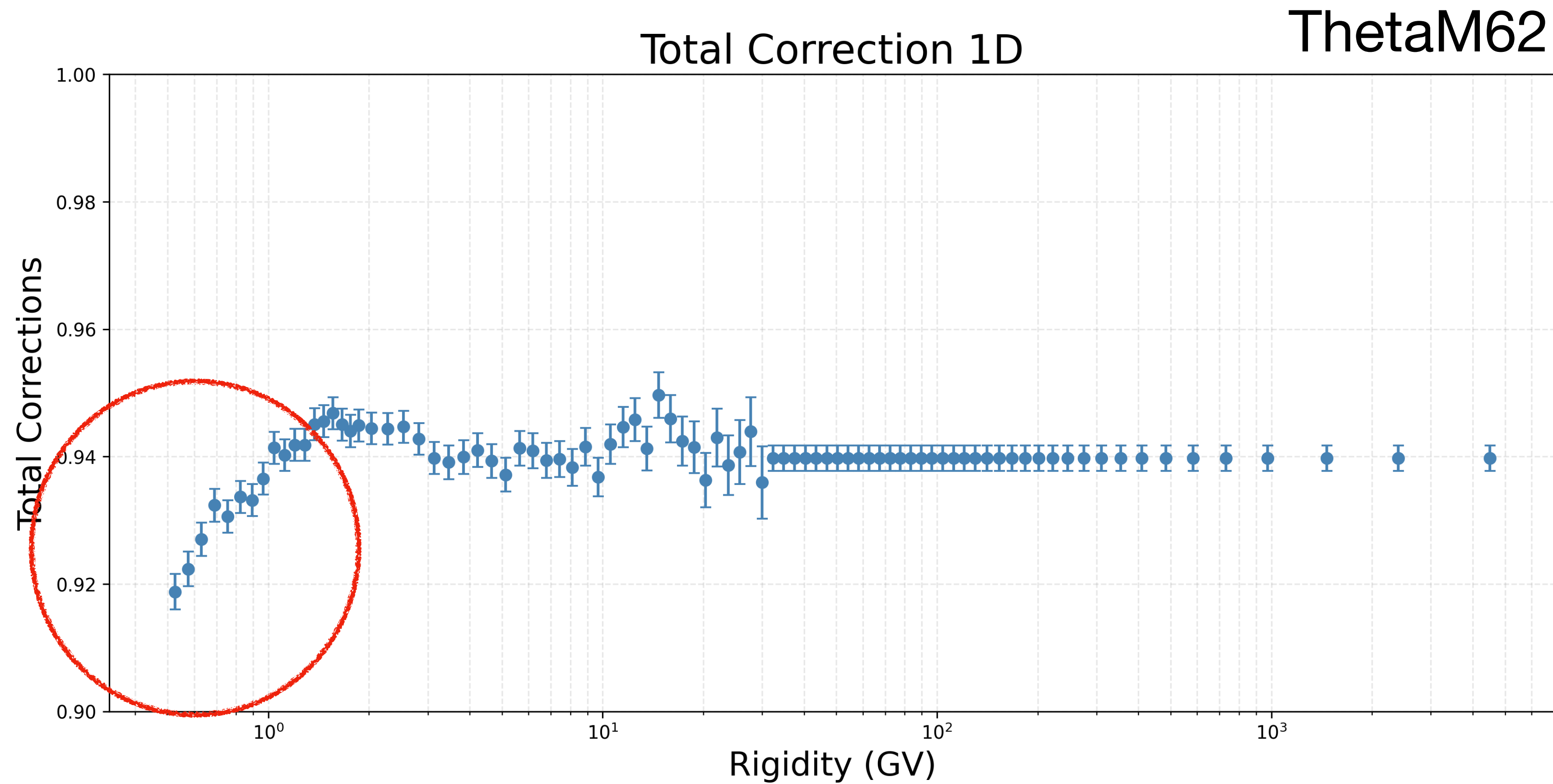
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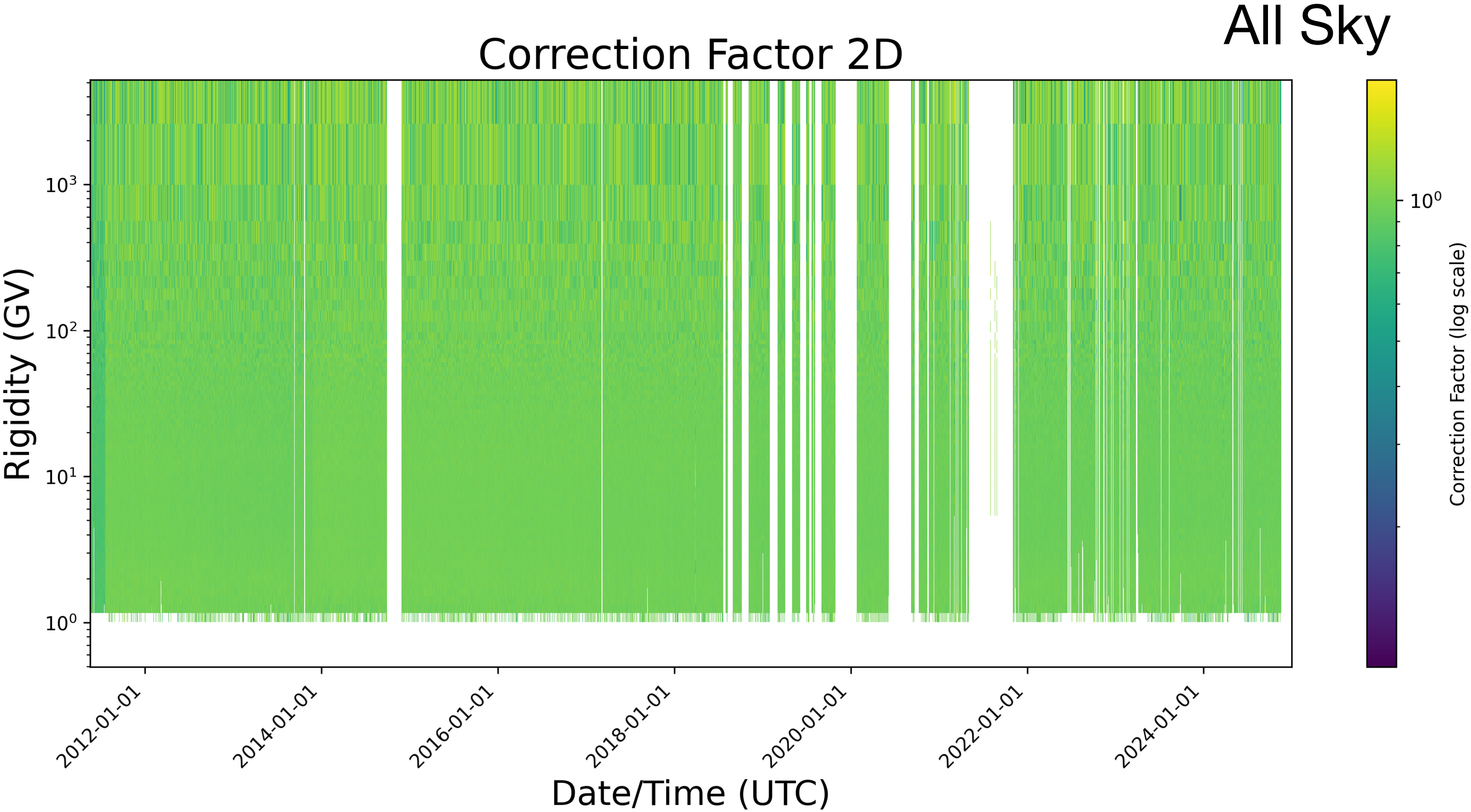
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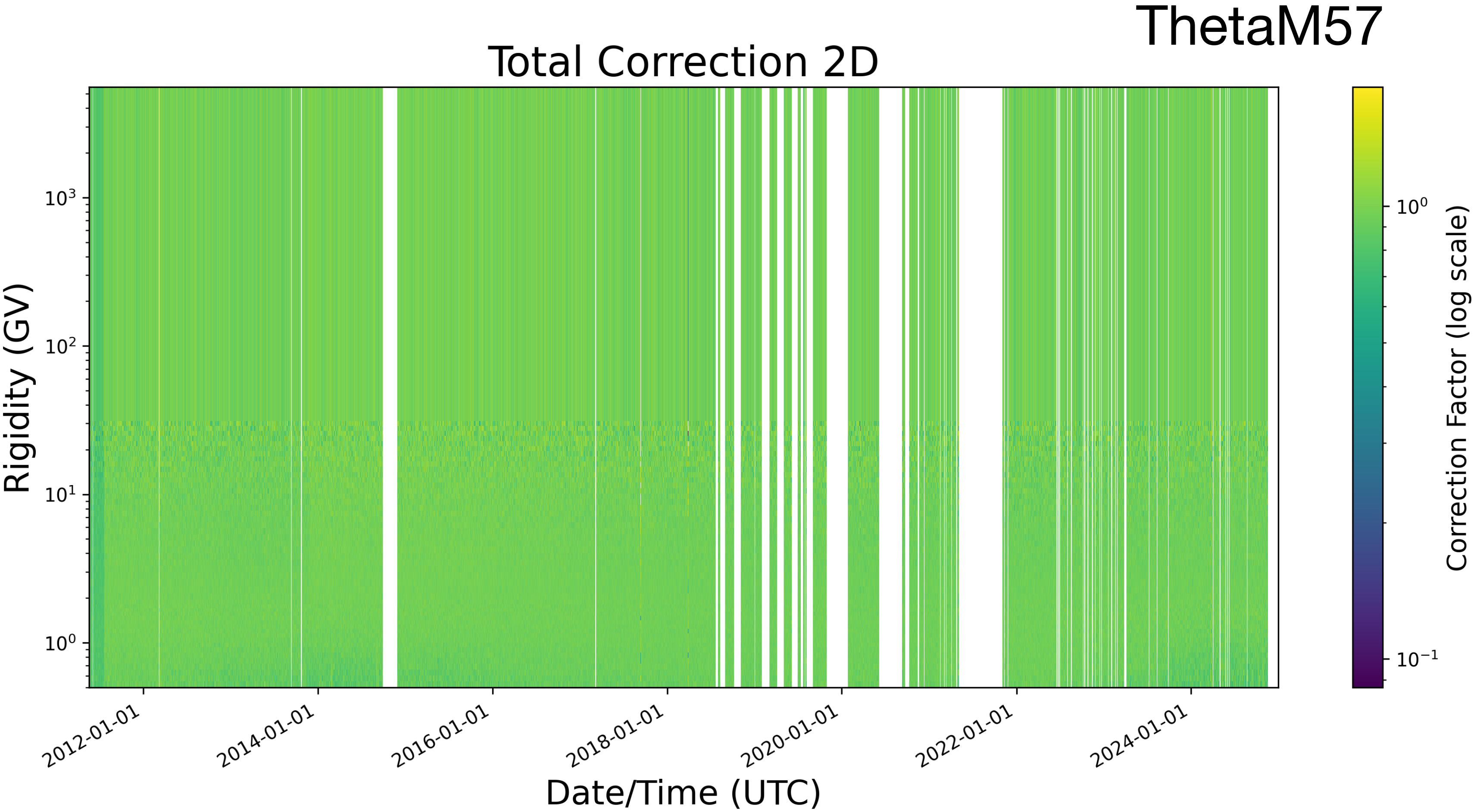
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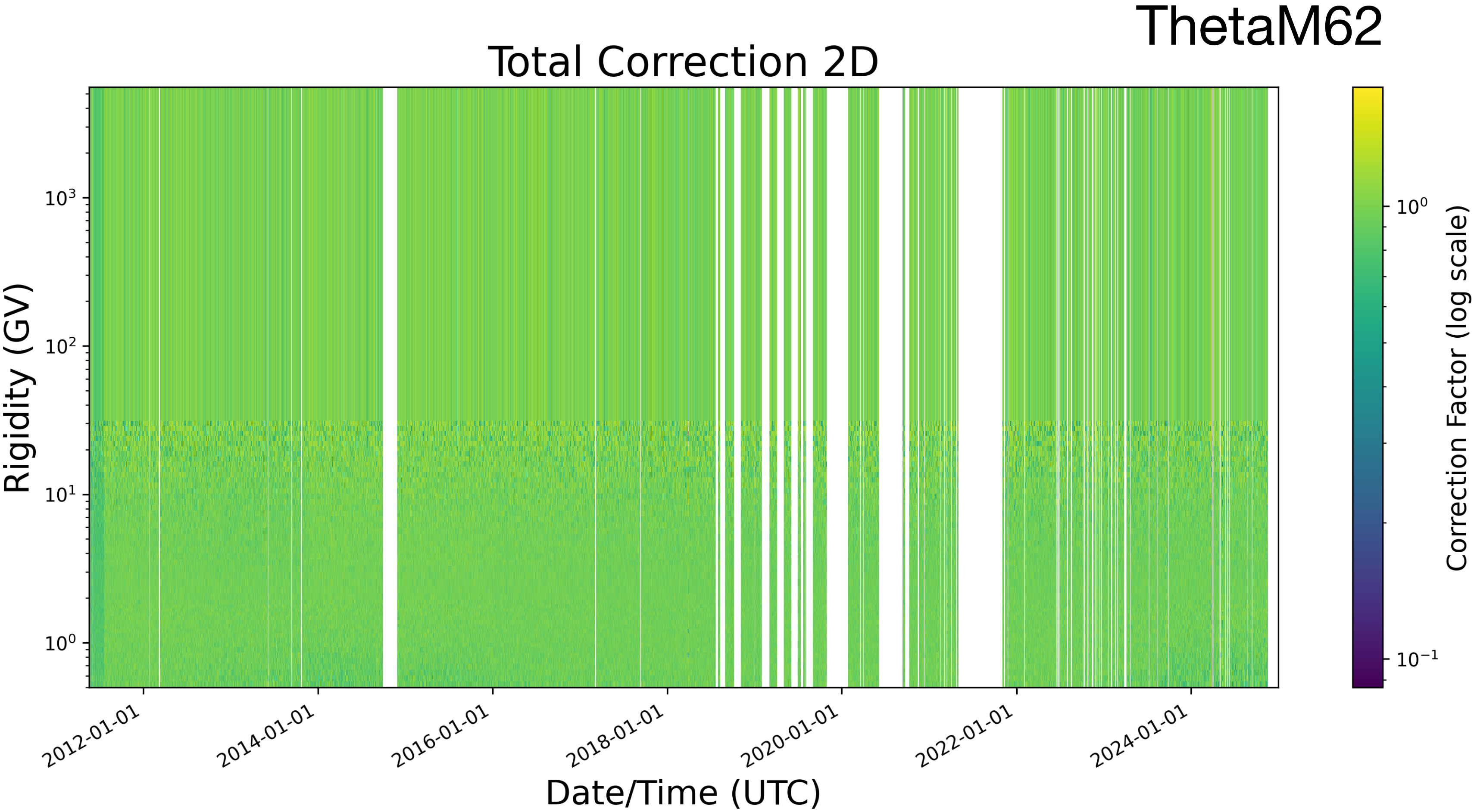
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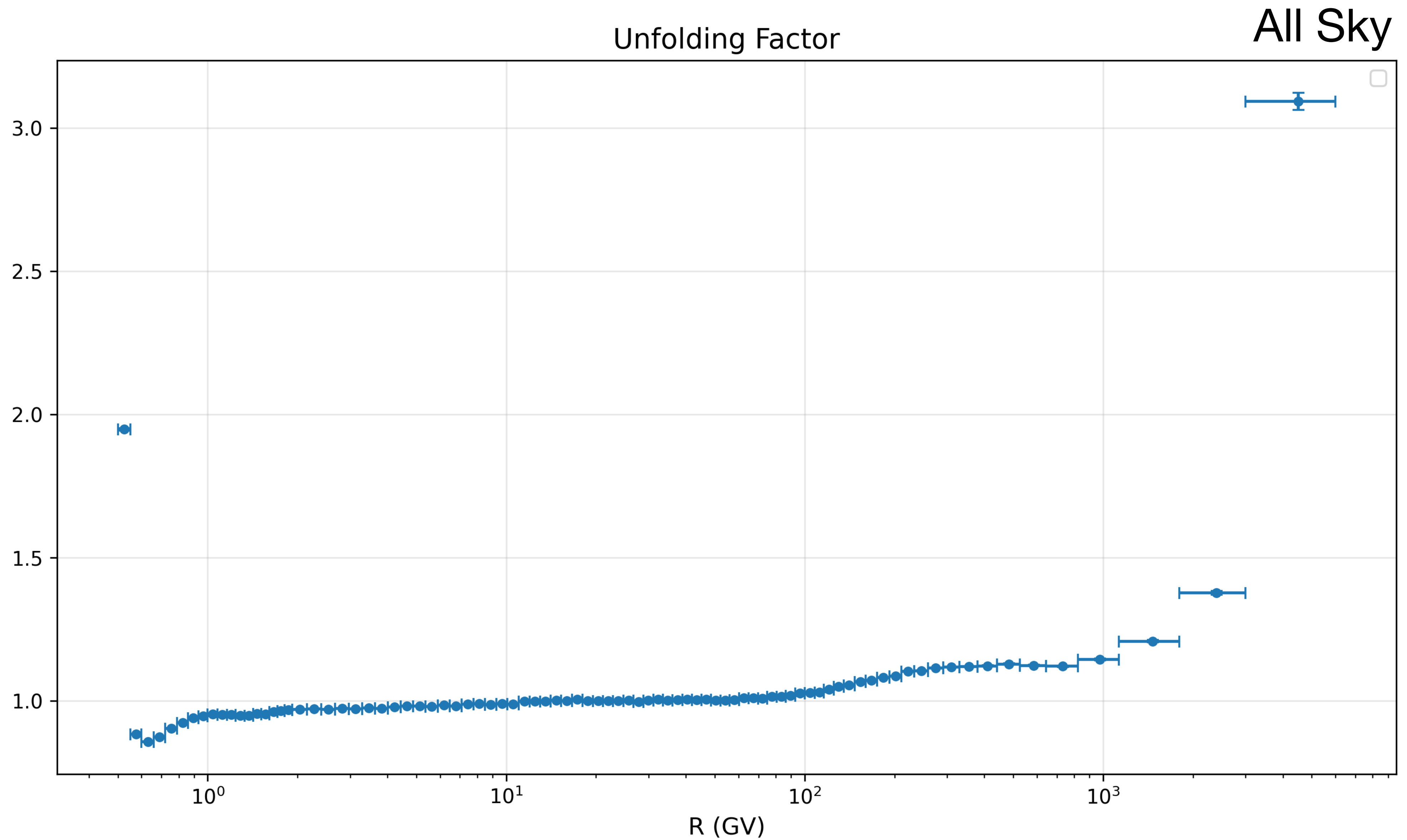


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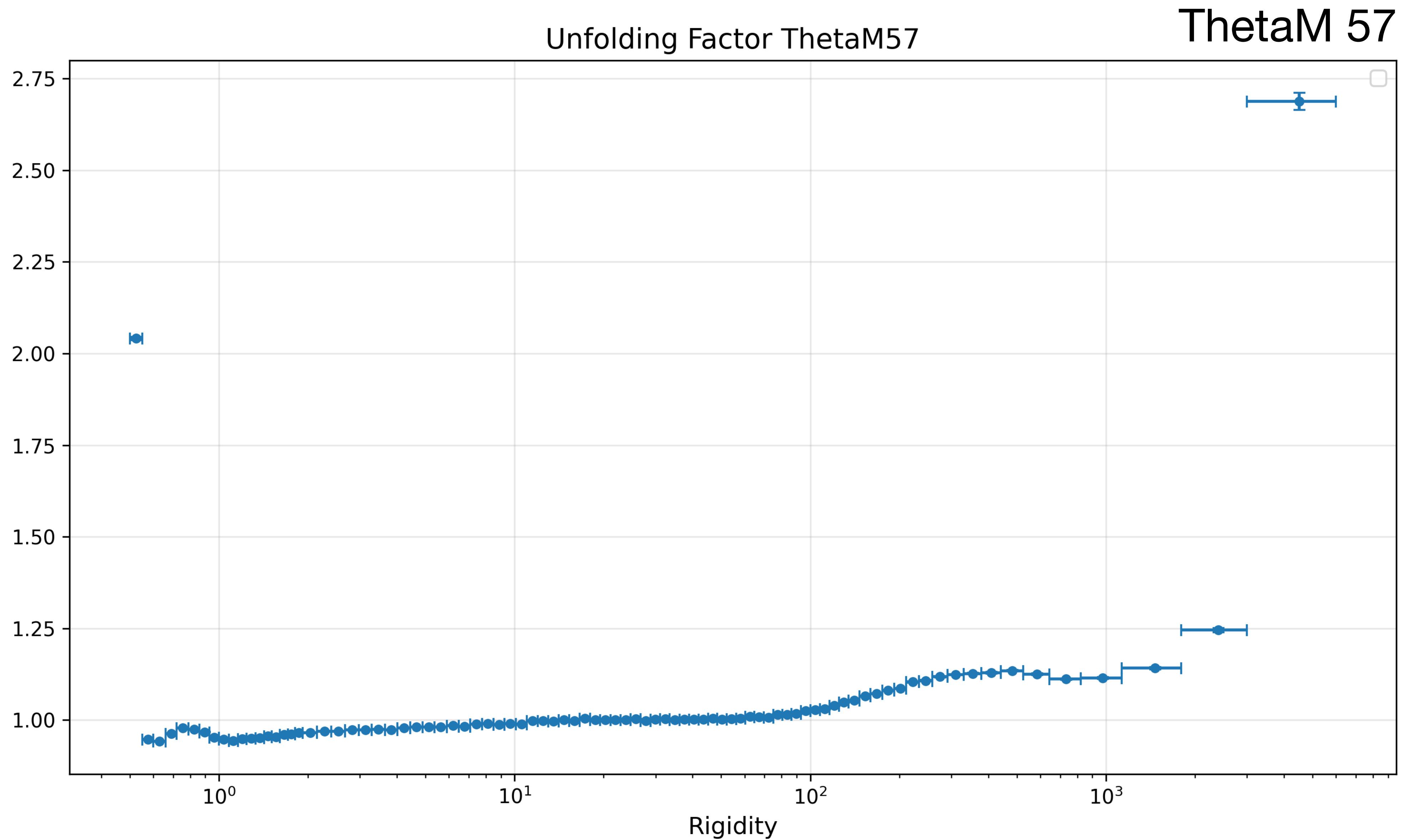
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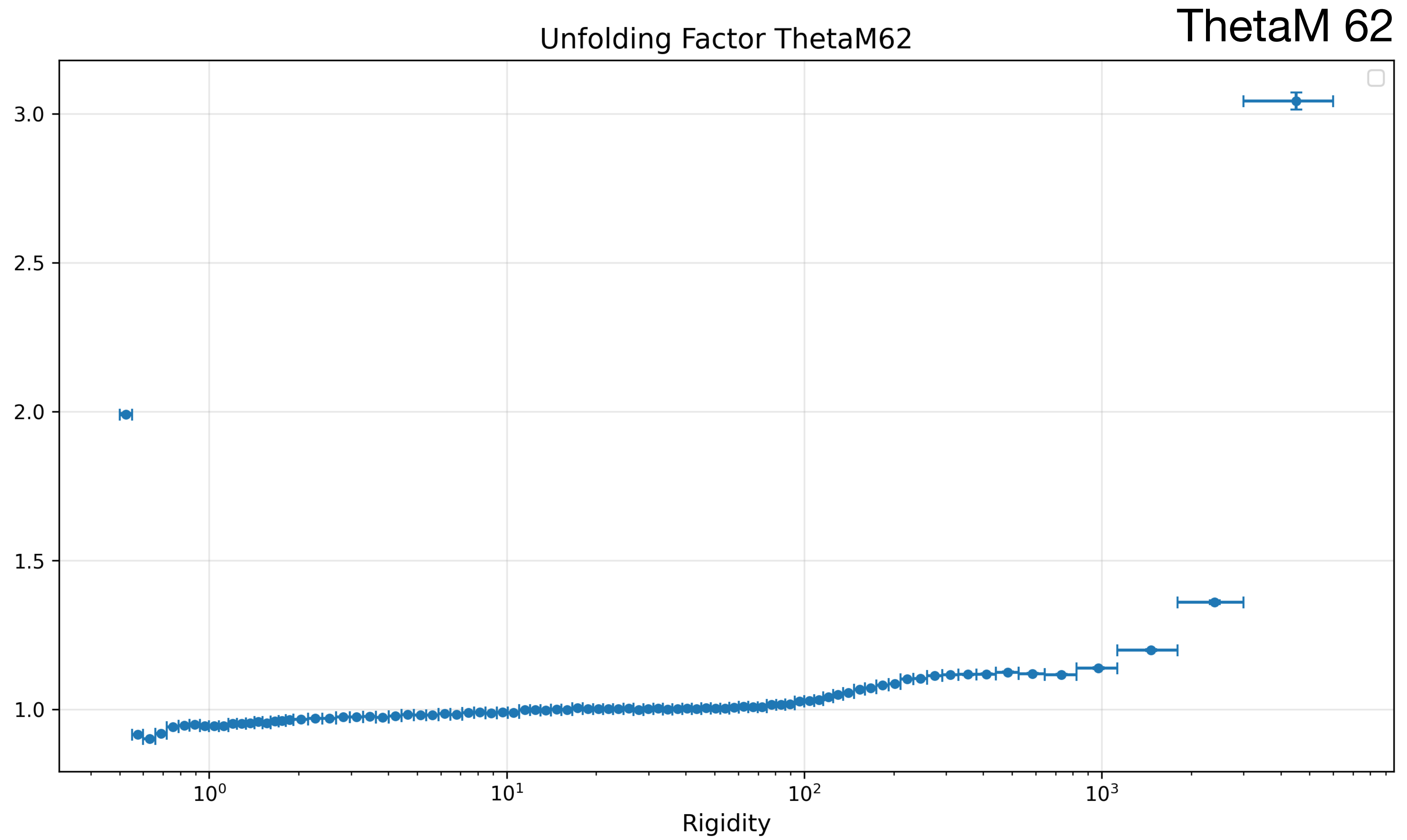
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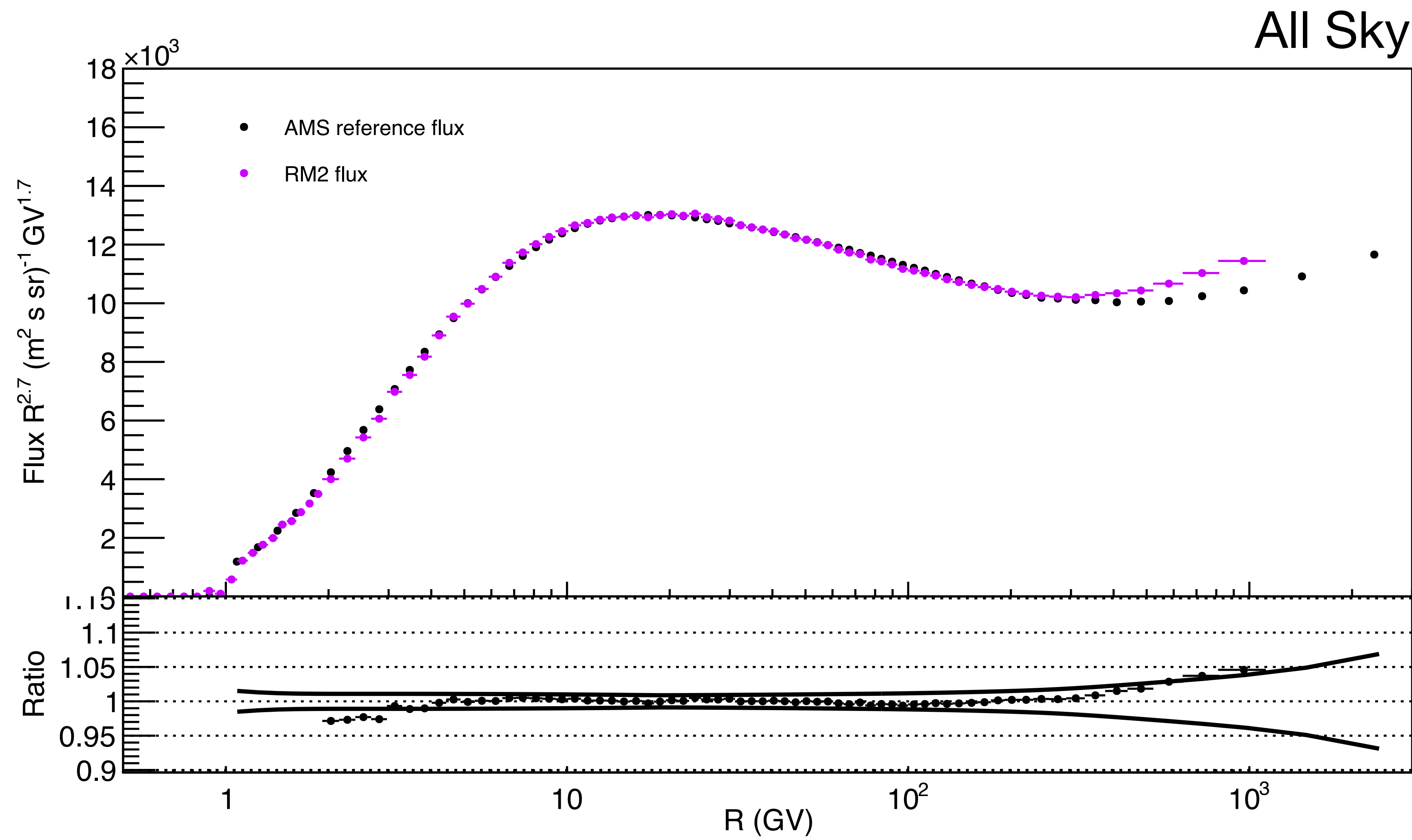
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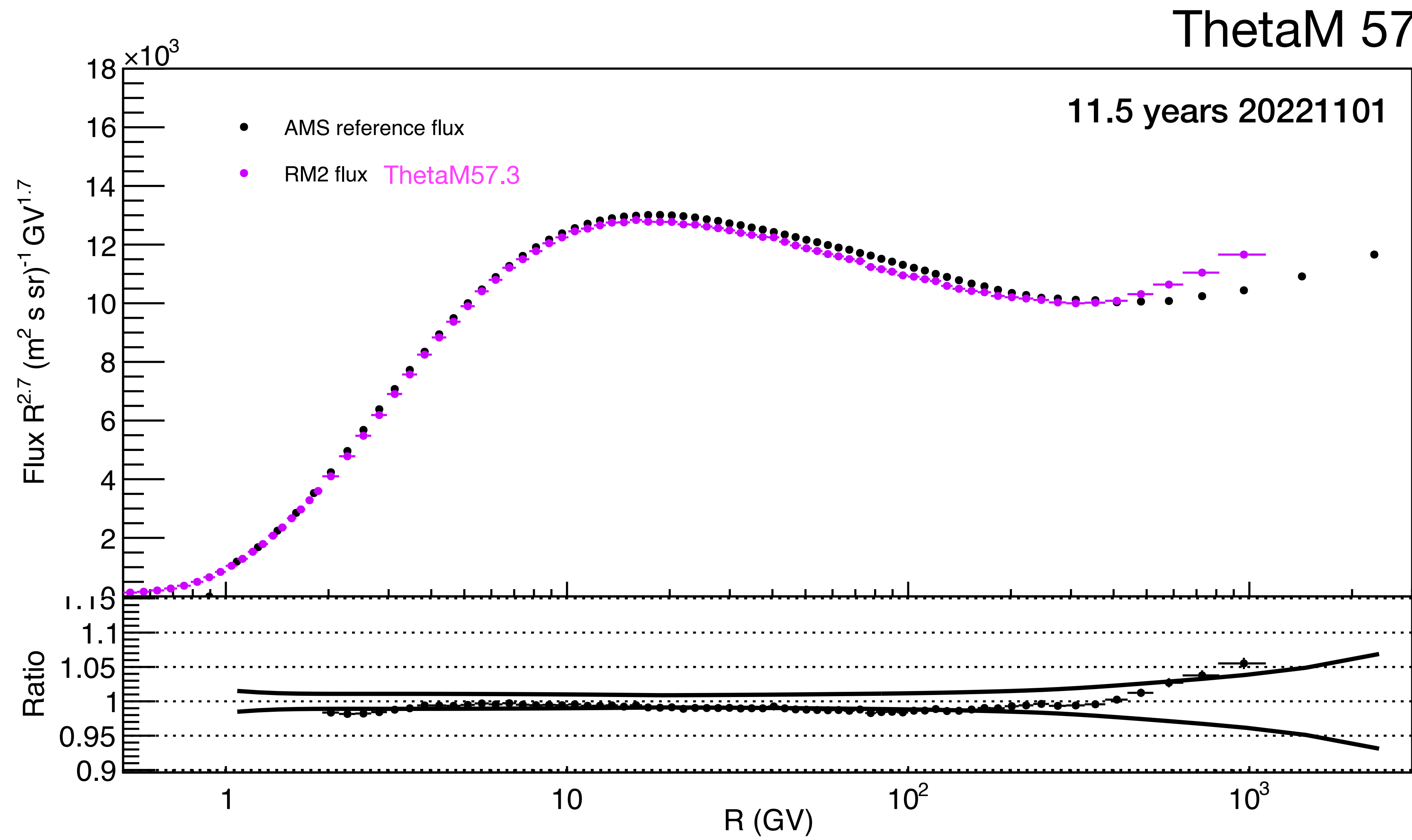


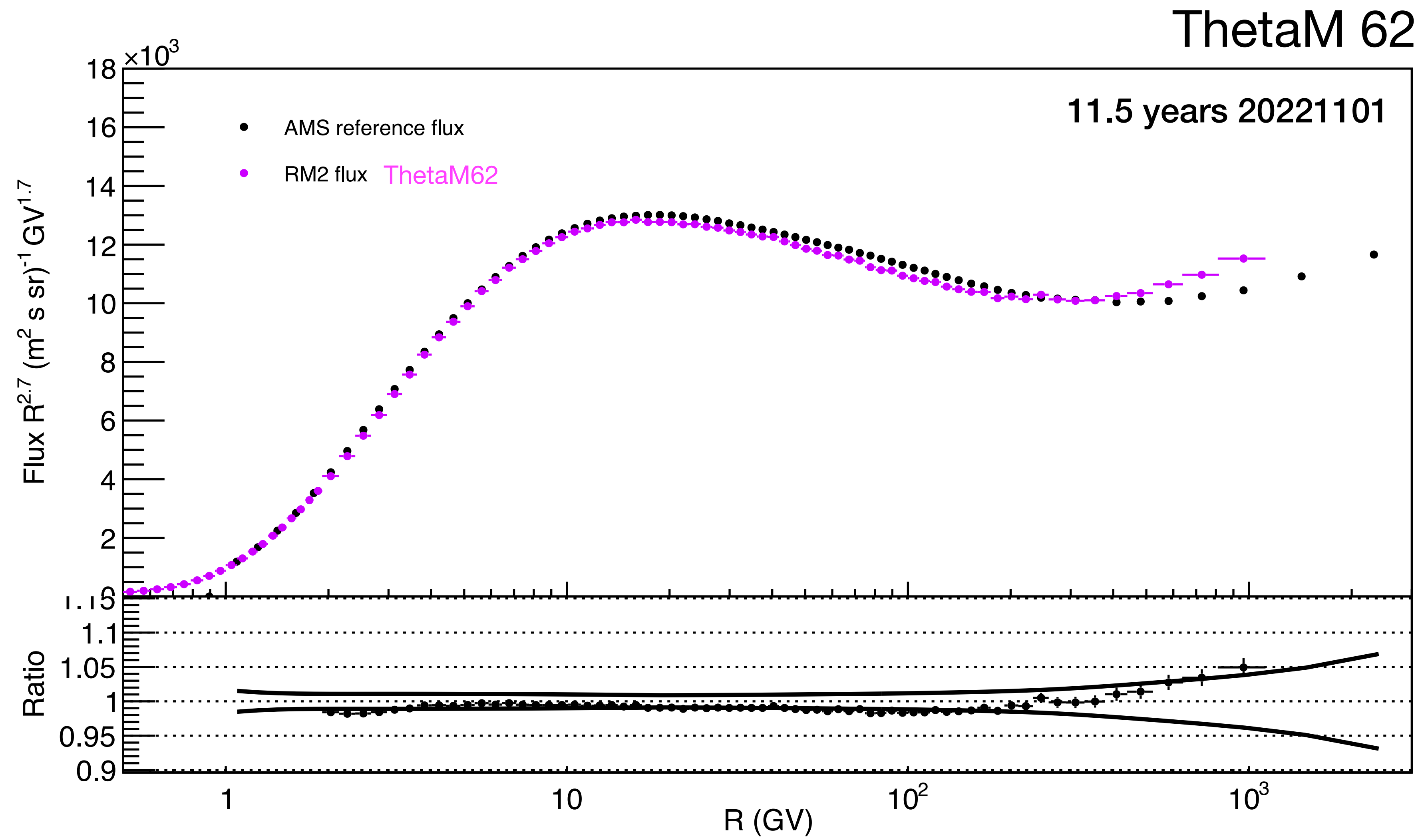
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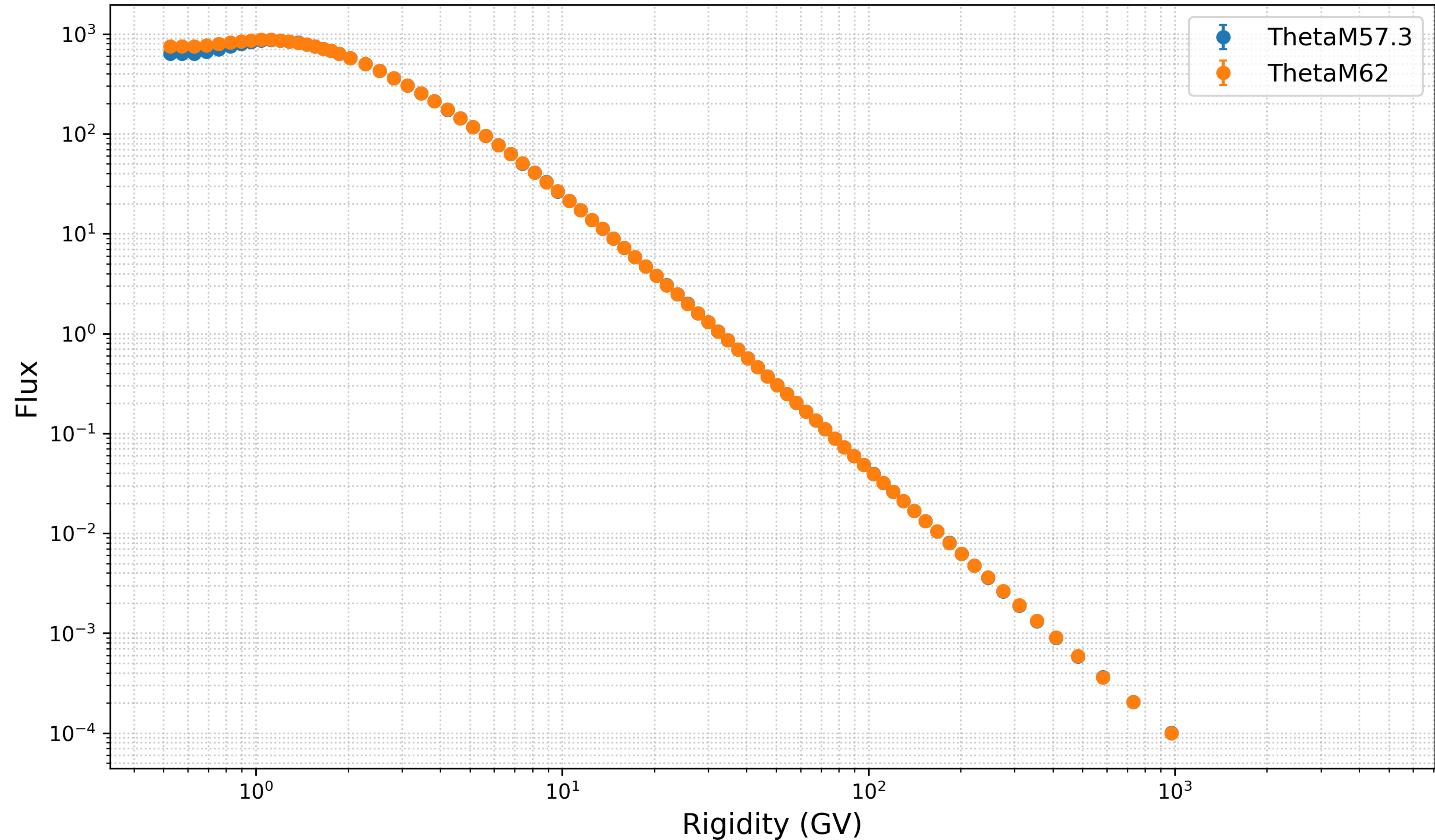


PROTON FLUX



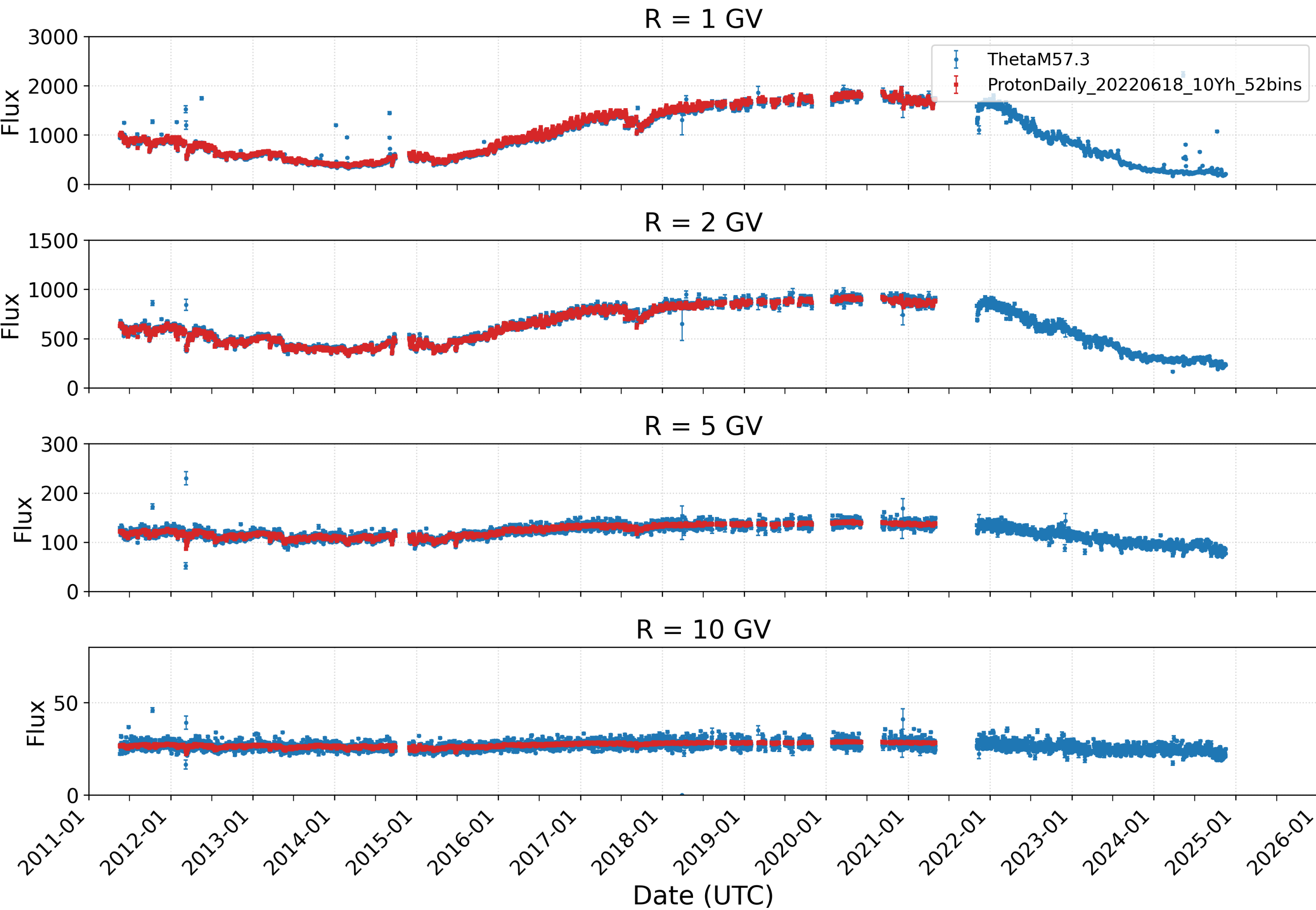






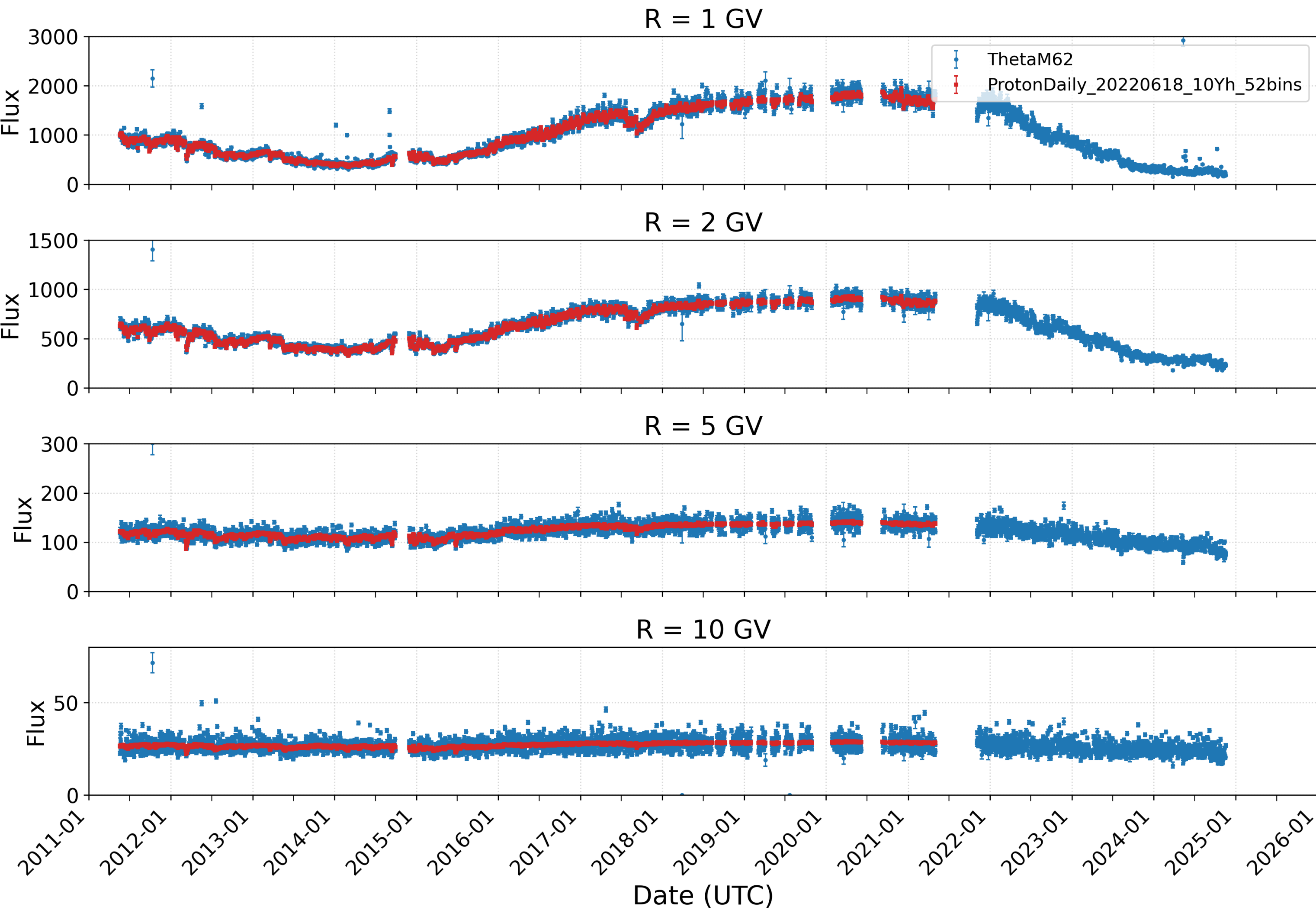
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Proton Flux vs Time - Comparison



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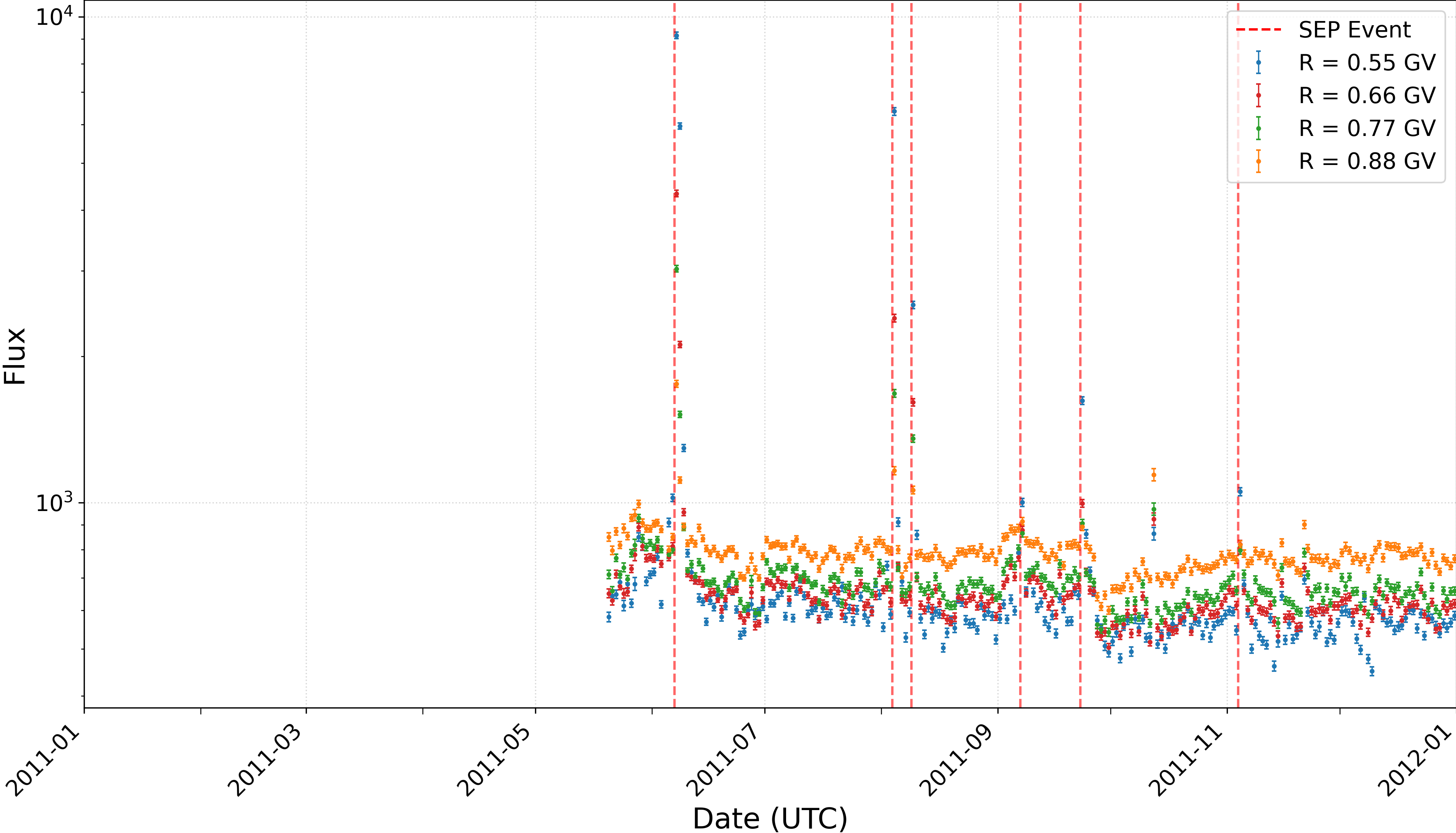
AMS SEP Event List

List of 46 SEP events measured by AMS above 0.5 GV and associated with M- and X- class flare and high-speed CMEs

AMS event	Date	Time	Flare Class	Source Location	CME velocity km/s	AMS event	Date	Time	Flare Class	Source Location	CME velocity km/s
1	2011/06/07	06:16	M2.5	S22W53	1400	24	2013/12/28	-	backside	backside	796
2	2011/08/04	03:41	M9.3	N15W39	1950	25	2014/01/06	-	backside	backside	1275
3	2011/08/09	07:48	X6.9	N17W69	1175	26	2014/01/07	18:02	X1.2	S15W10	2061
4	2011/09/06	01:35, 22:12	M5.3, X2.1	N14W04, N14W17	650	27	2014/02/25	00:41	X4.9	S15E77	1847
5	2011/09/07	22:32	X1.8	N15W31	660	28	2014/04/18	12:31	M7.3	S18W29	1400
6	2011/09/22	10:29	X1.4	N09E89	1000	29	2014/09/02	-	backside	backside	1400
7	2012/01/23	03:38	M8.7	N28W20	2211	30	2014/09/10	17:21	X1.6	N15E05	1400
8	2012/01/27	17:37	X1.8	N31W90	2200	31	2014/09/25	-	backside	backside	1400
9	2012/03/07	00:02, 01:05	X5.4, X1.3	N18E31, N17E27	1800, 2200	32	2015/10/29	01:03	C1.1	N19W37	402
10	2012/03/13	16:21	M7.9	N18W59	2250	33	2017/09/10	15:35	X8.2	S08W88	2650
11	2012/05/17	00:30	M5.1	N06W90	1500	34	2022/02/16	-	backside	backside	2554
12	2012/07/07	23:01	X1.1	S17W50	1200	35	2022/03/28	10:58	M4.0	N12W01	662
13	2012/07/08	16:23	M6.9	S17W74	1000	36	2022/03/30	17:21	X1.3	N13W34	808
14	2012/07/19	04:17	M7.7	S17W91	1200	37	2022/04/02	12:56	M3.9	N15W61	1370
15	2012/07/23	-	backside	backside	3435	38	2023/03/13	-	backside	backside	2127
16	2012/11/08	02:09	M1.7	S10E70	1285	39	2023/07/18	23:18, 23:37	M5.0, M5.7	S25W72, S25W72	1388
17	2013/04/11	06:55	M6.5	N07E13	675	40	2023/07/28	15:39	M4.1	N25W99	2458
18	2013/04/24	-	-	-	-	41	2024/02/09	12:53	X3.3	S37W110	2534
19	2013/05/22	12:30	M5.0	N13W75	1756	42	2024/02/10	22:56	M9.0	S12W13	912
20	2013/10/11	-	backside	backside	780	43	2024/02/12	03:23	M5.6	S16W25	457
21	2013/10/25	07:53, 14:52	X1.7, X2.1	S08E73, S08E65	477, 980	44	2024/03/23	00:58	X1.1	N25E07	1613
22	2013/10/28	01:41, 04:23	X1.0, M5.1	N07W63, N07W65	650, 750	45	2024/05/11	01:27	X5.8	S17W47	1820
23	2013/11/02	-	backside	backside	1078	46	2024/10/09	01:25	X1.8	N13W08	2112

Flare class, source location and CME velocity taken from <https://kauai.ccmc.gsfc.nasa.gov/DONKI/search/alerts>

Proton Flux vs Time - 2011 (ThetaM57.3)



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2011/08/04

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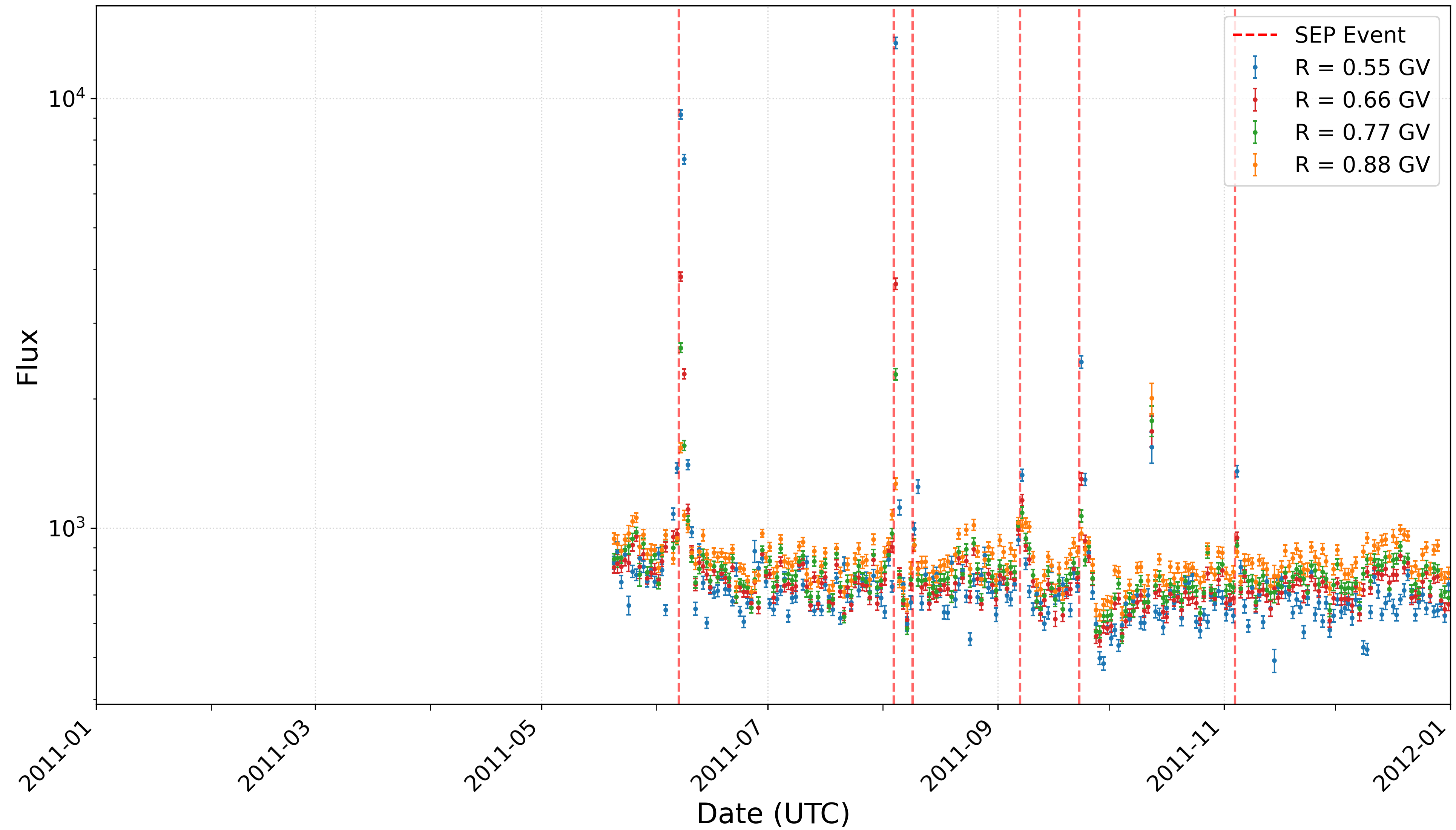
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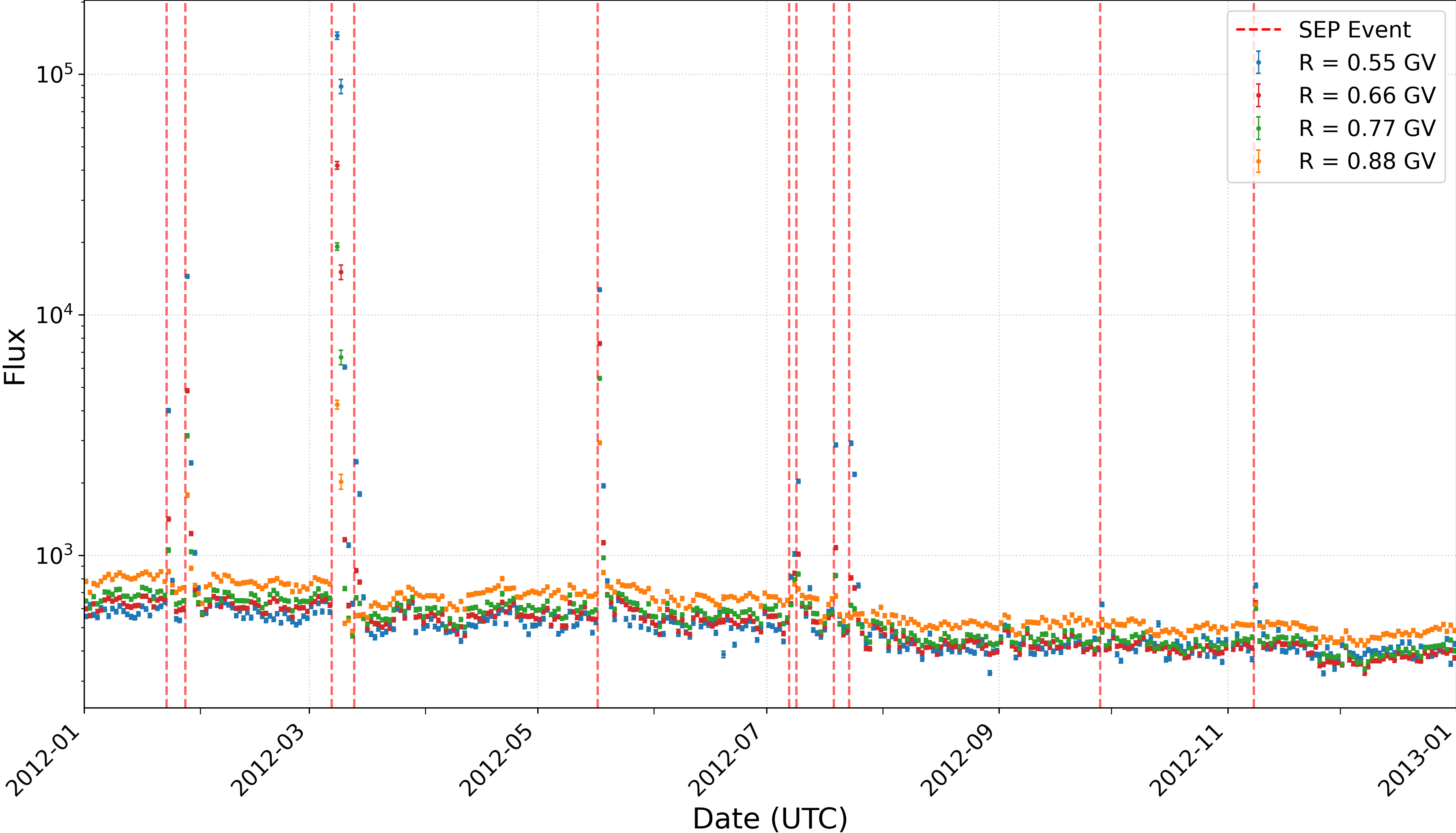
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Proton Flux vs Time - 2011 (ThetaM62)



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Proton Flux vs Time - 2012 (ThetaM57.3)



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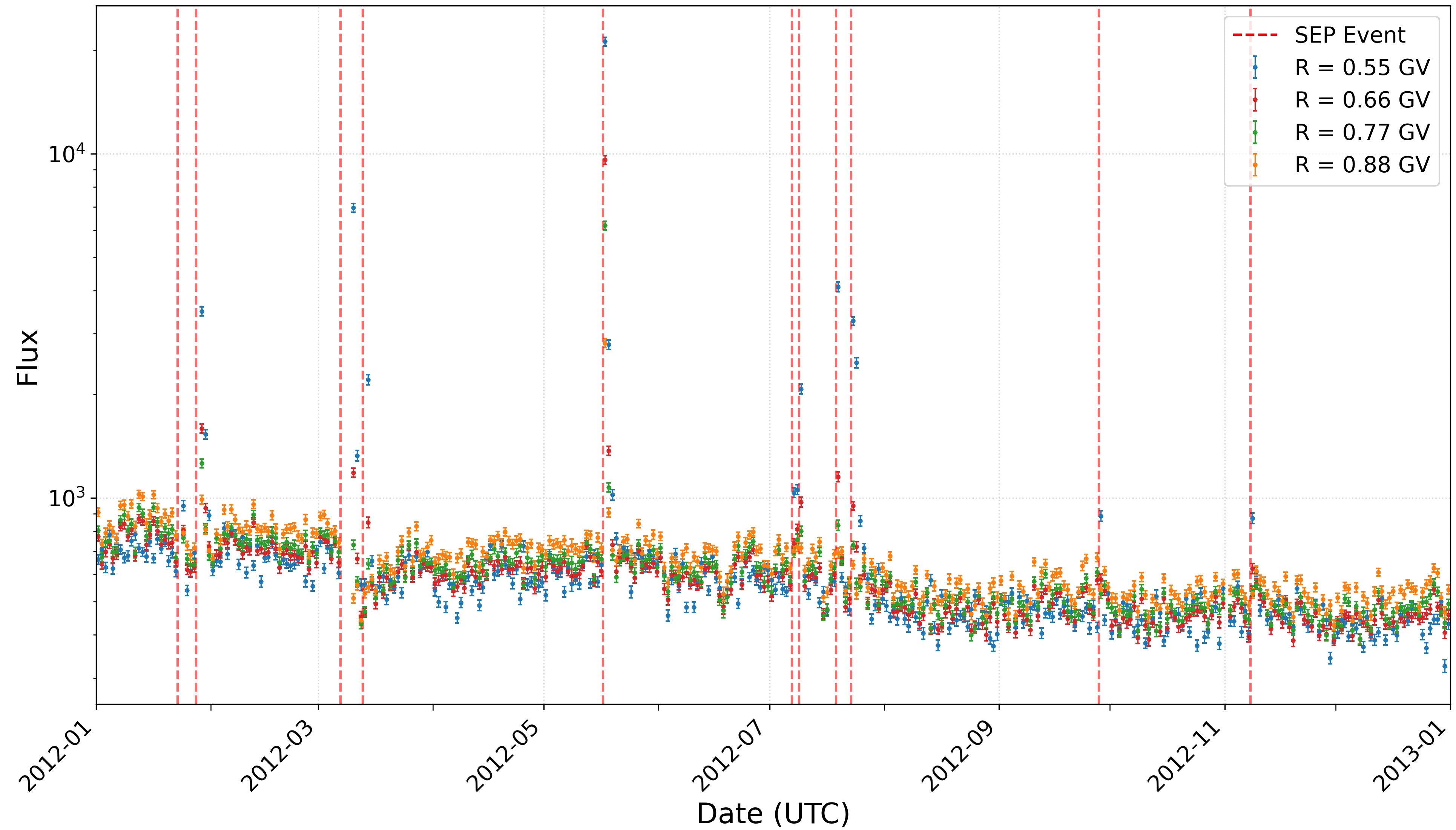
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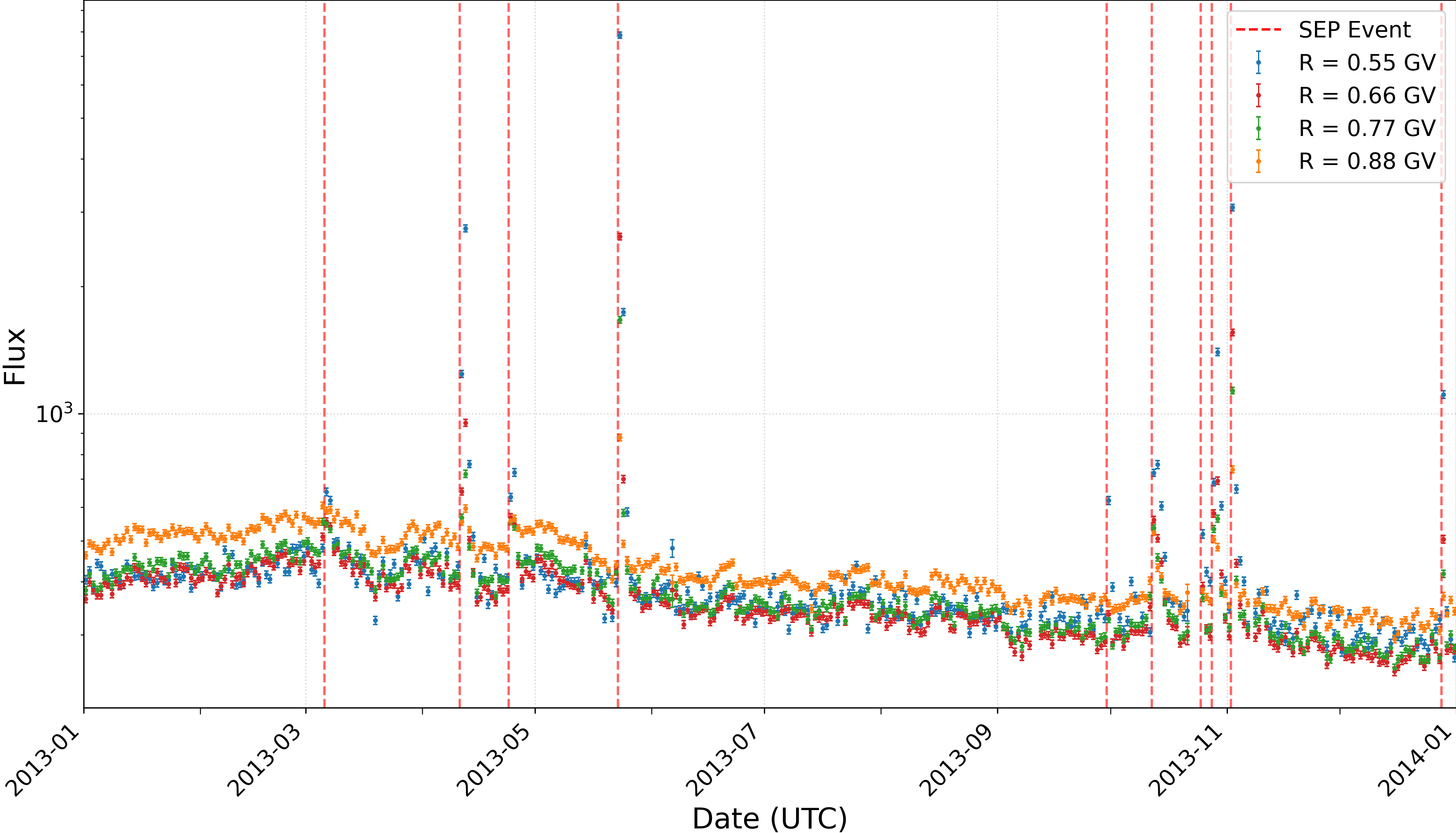
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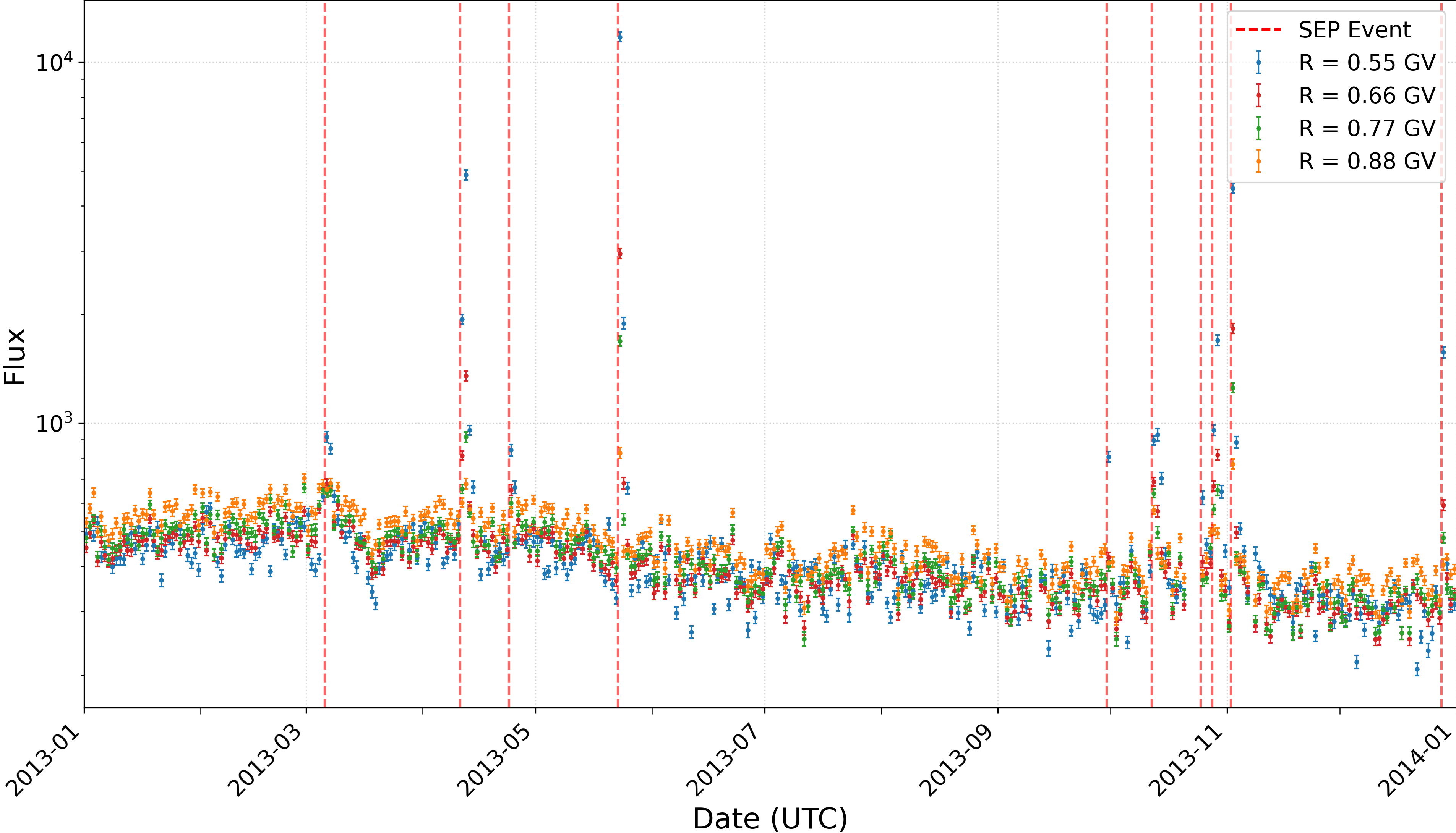
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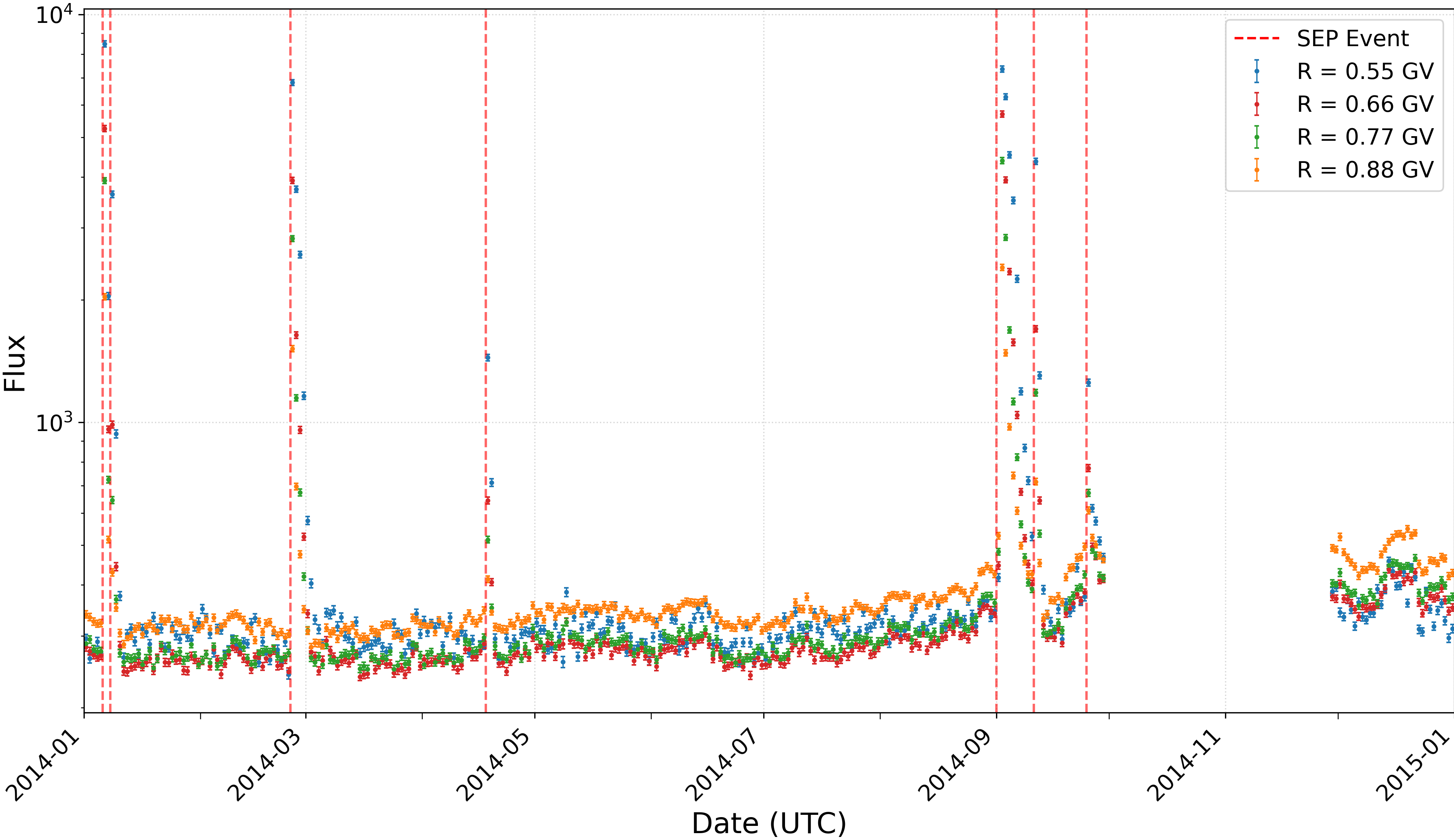
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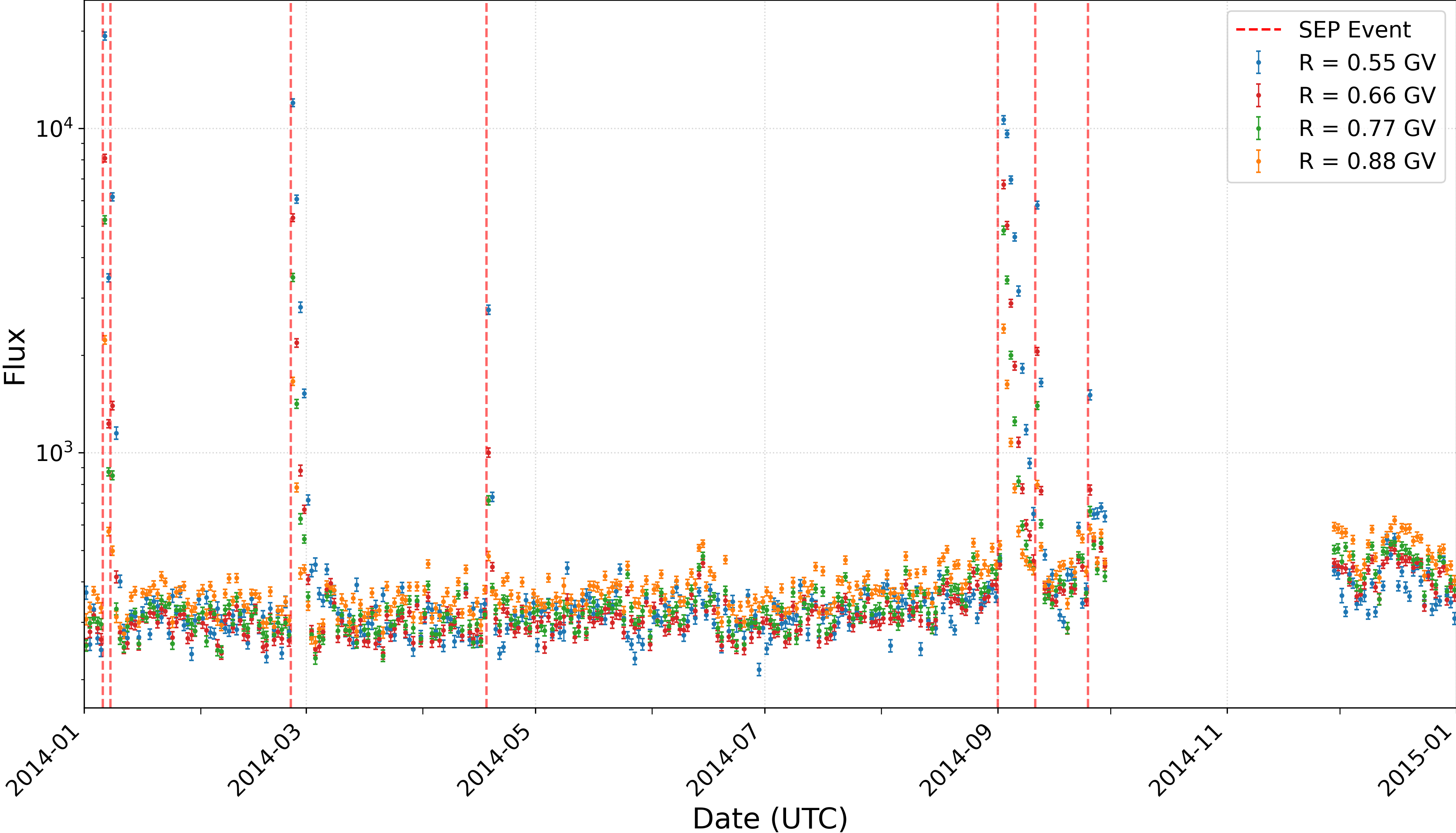
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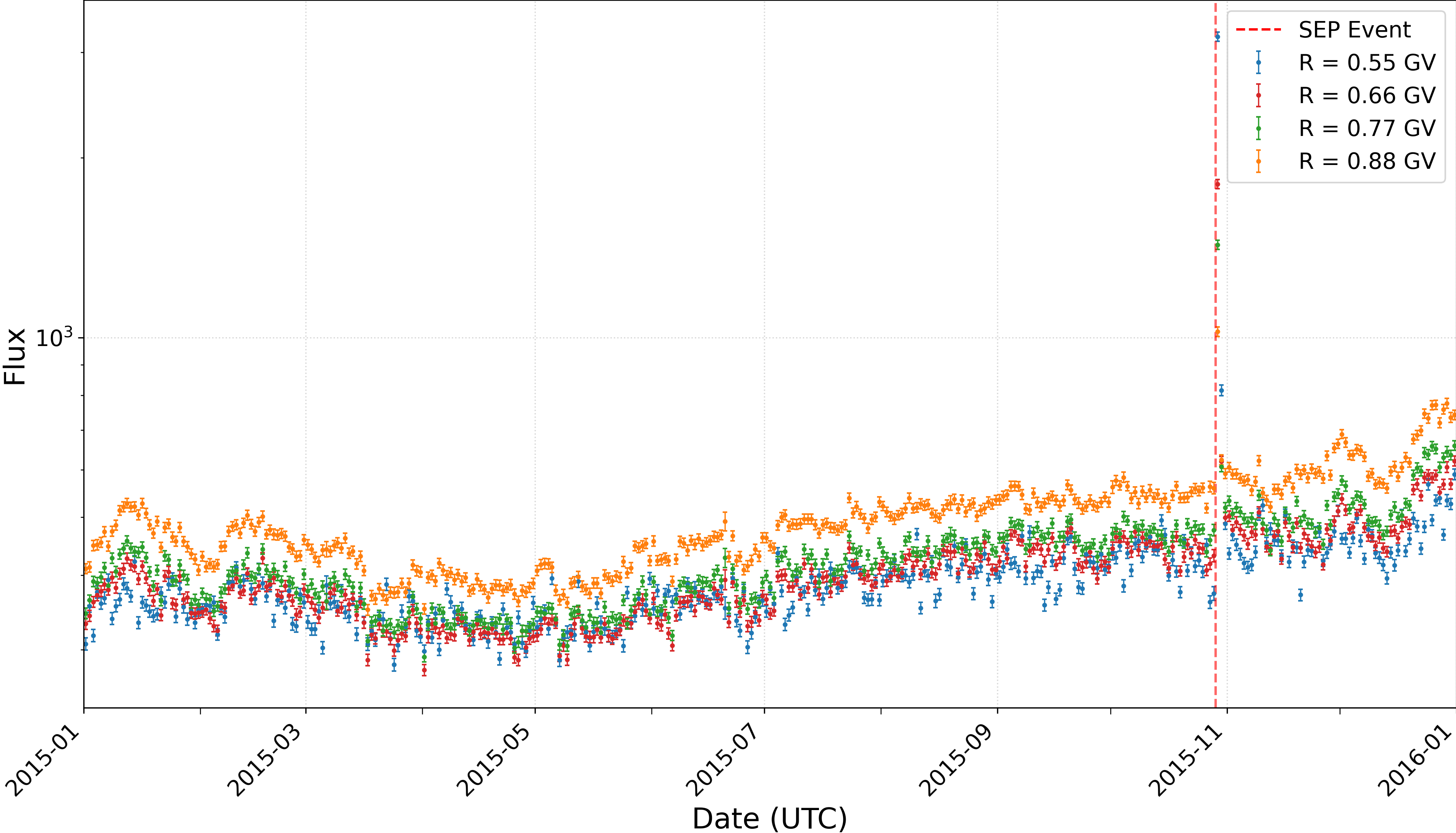


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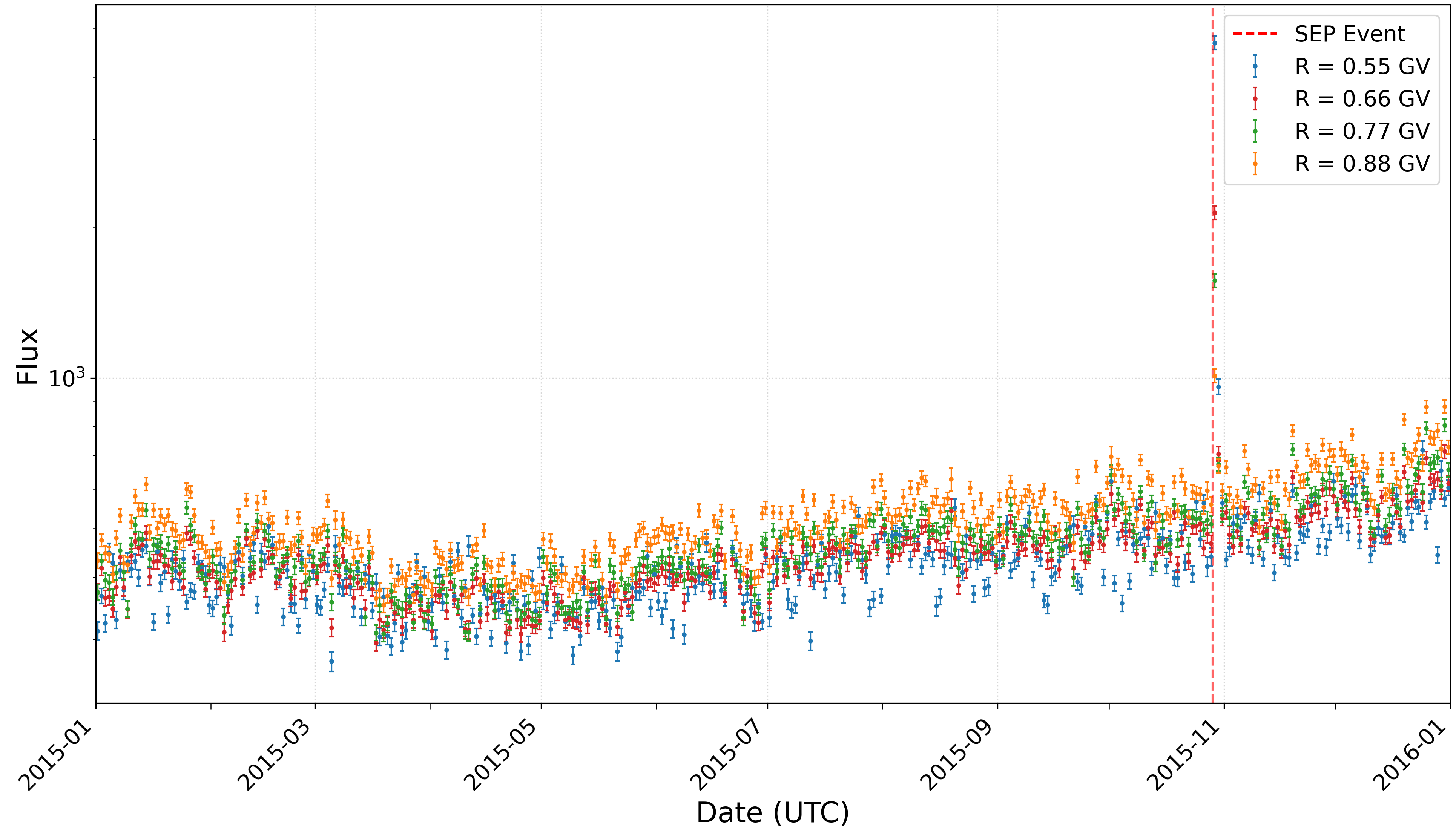


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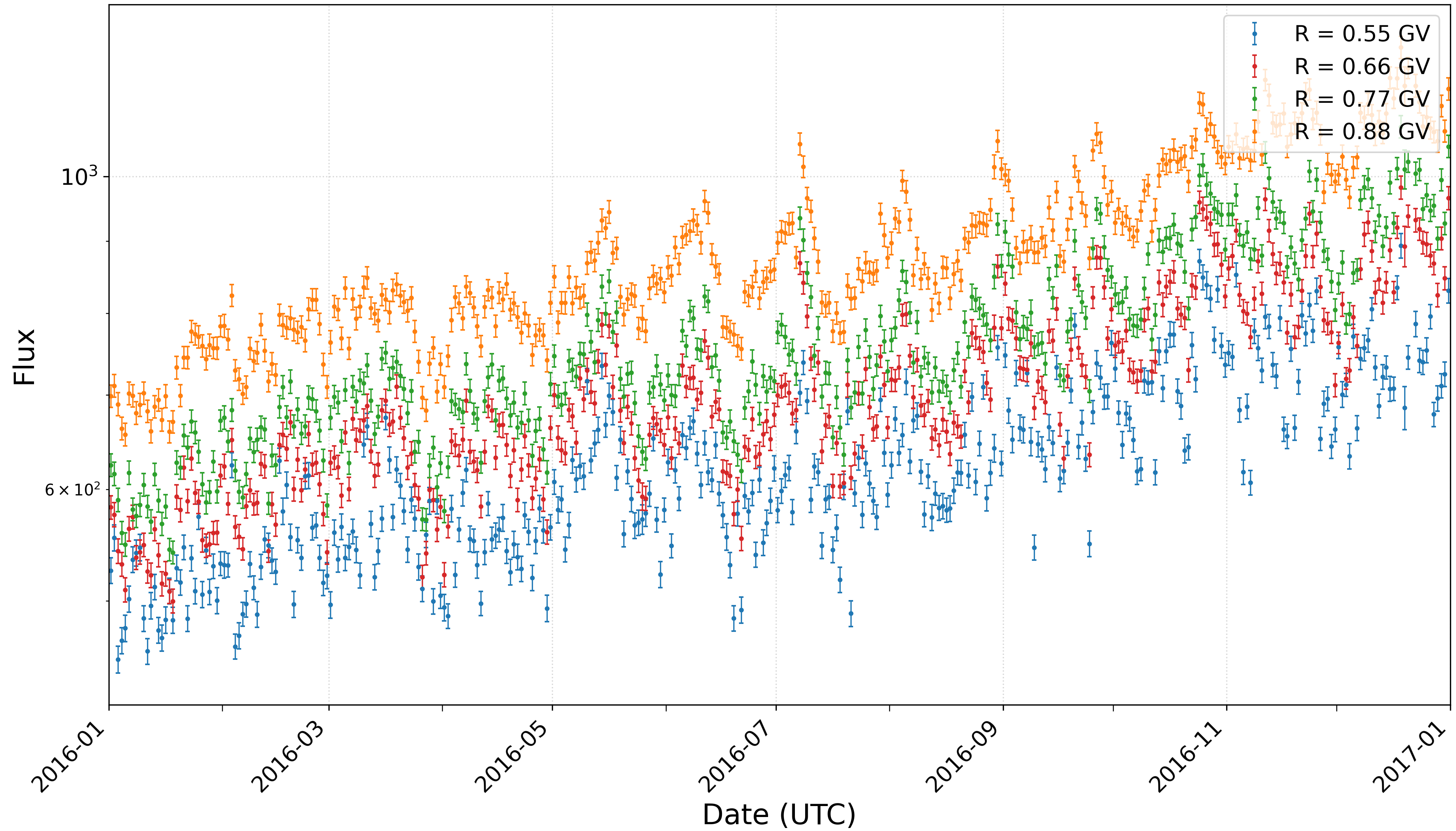
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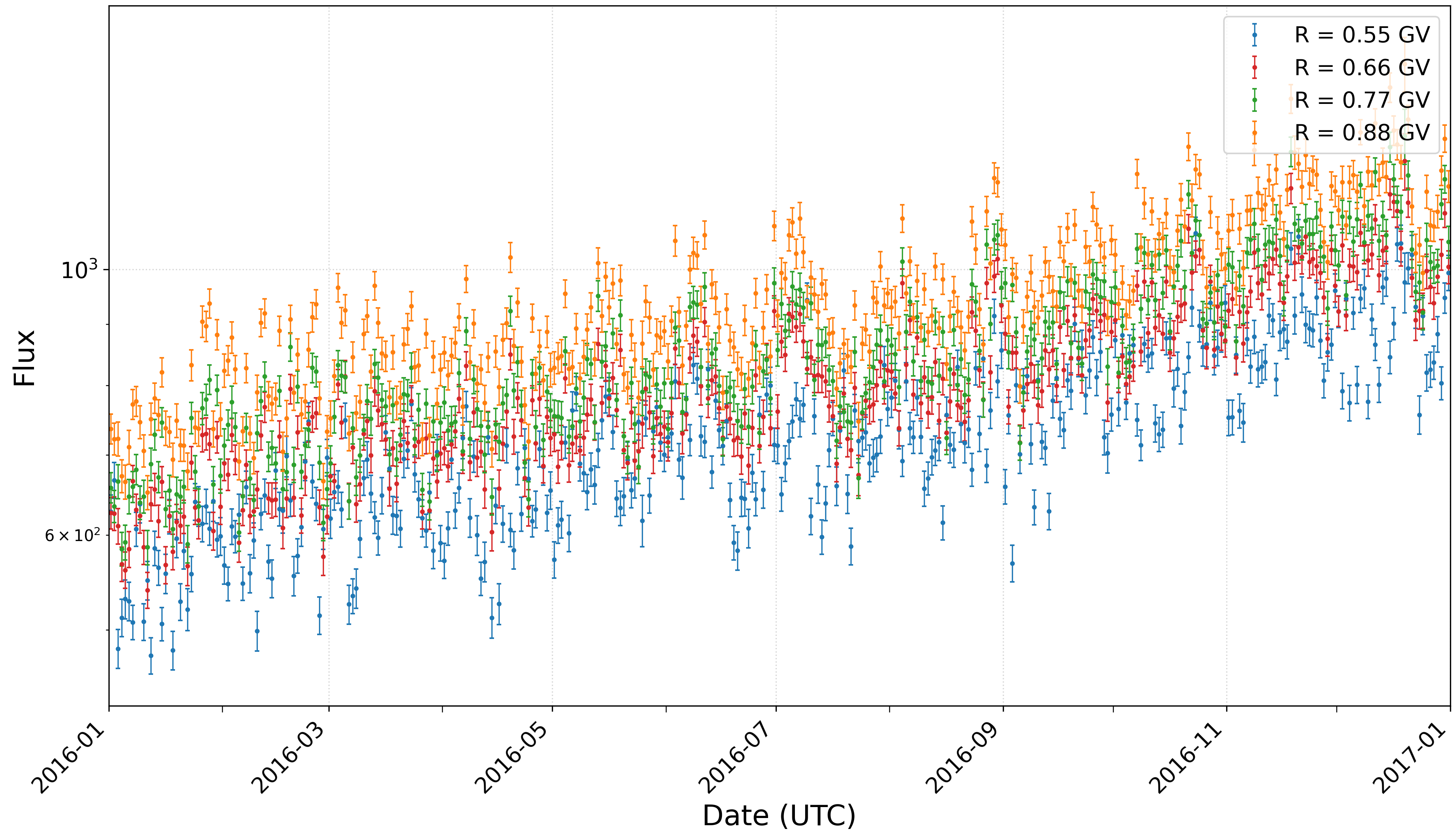


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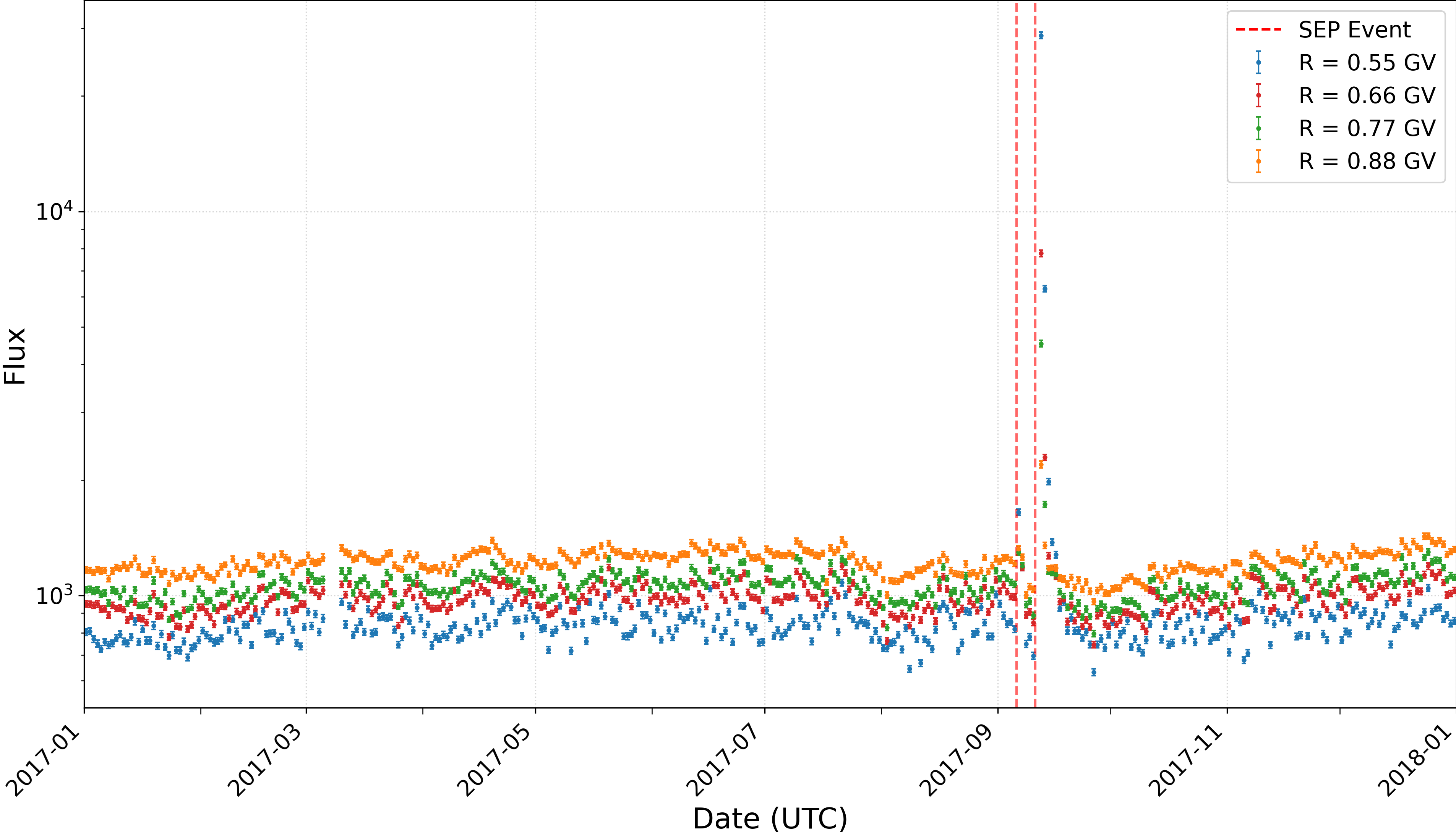
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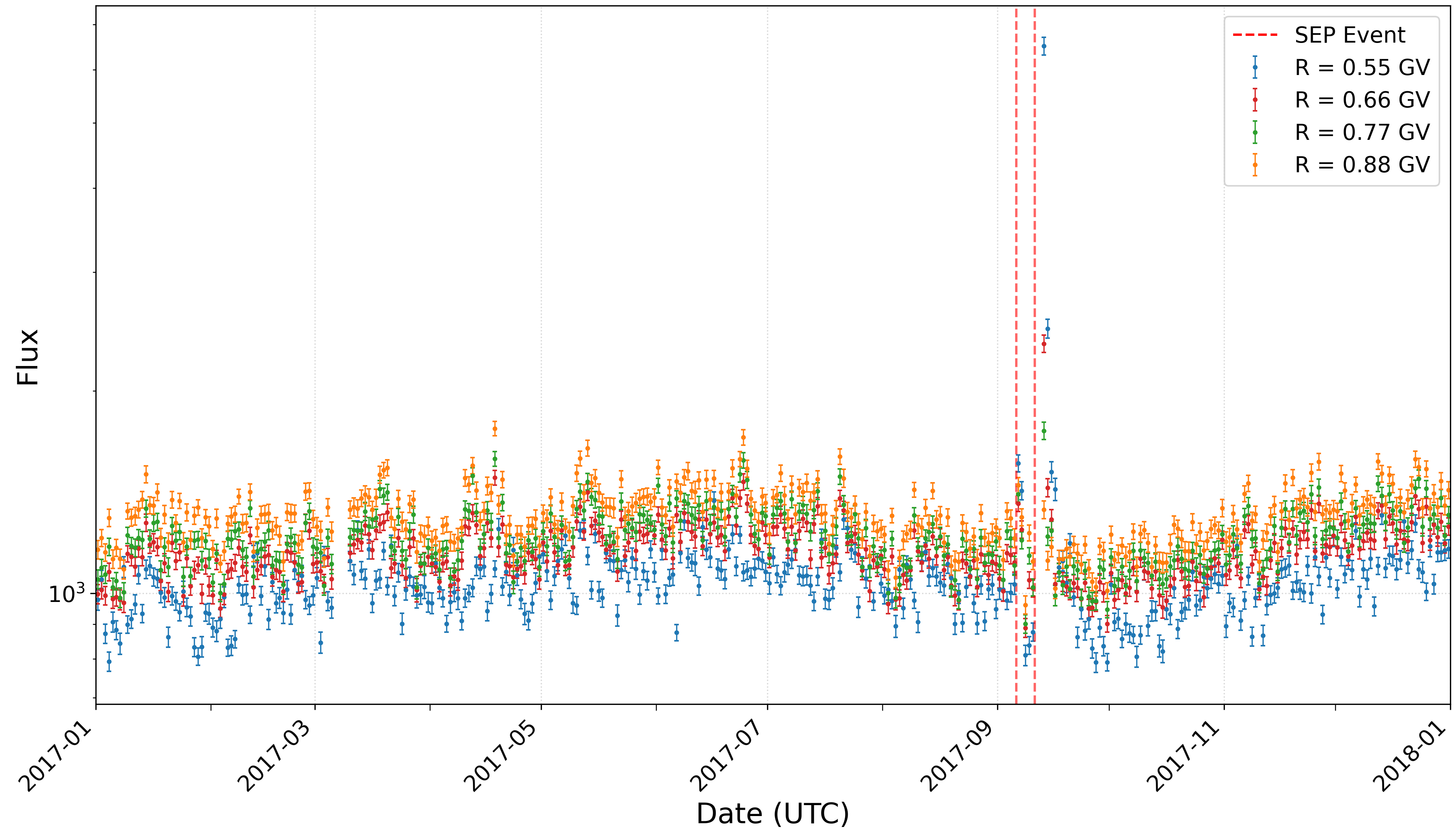
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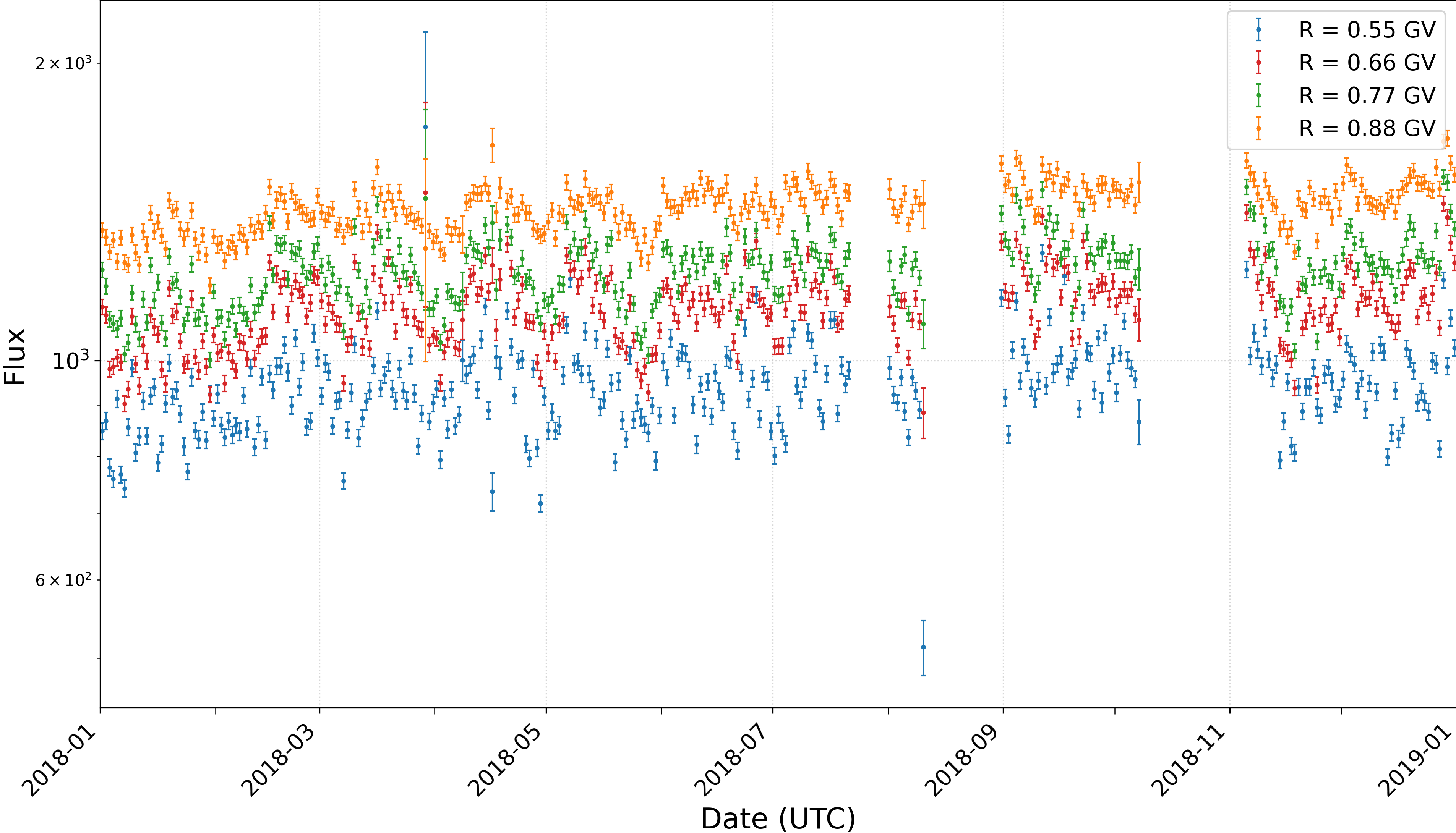
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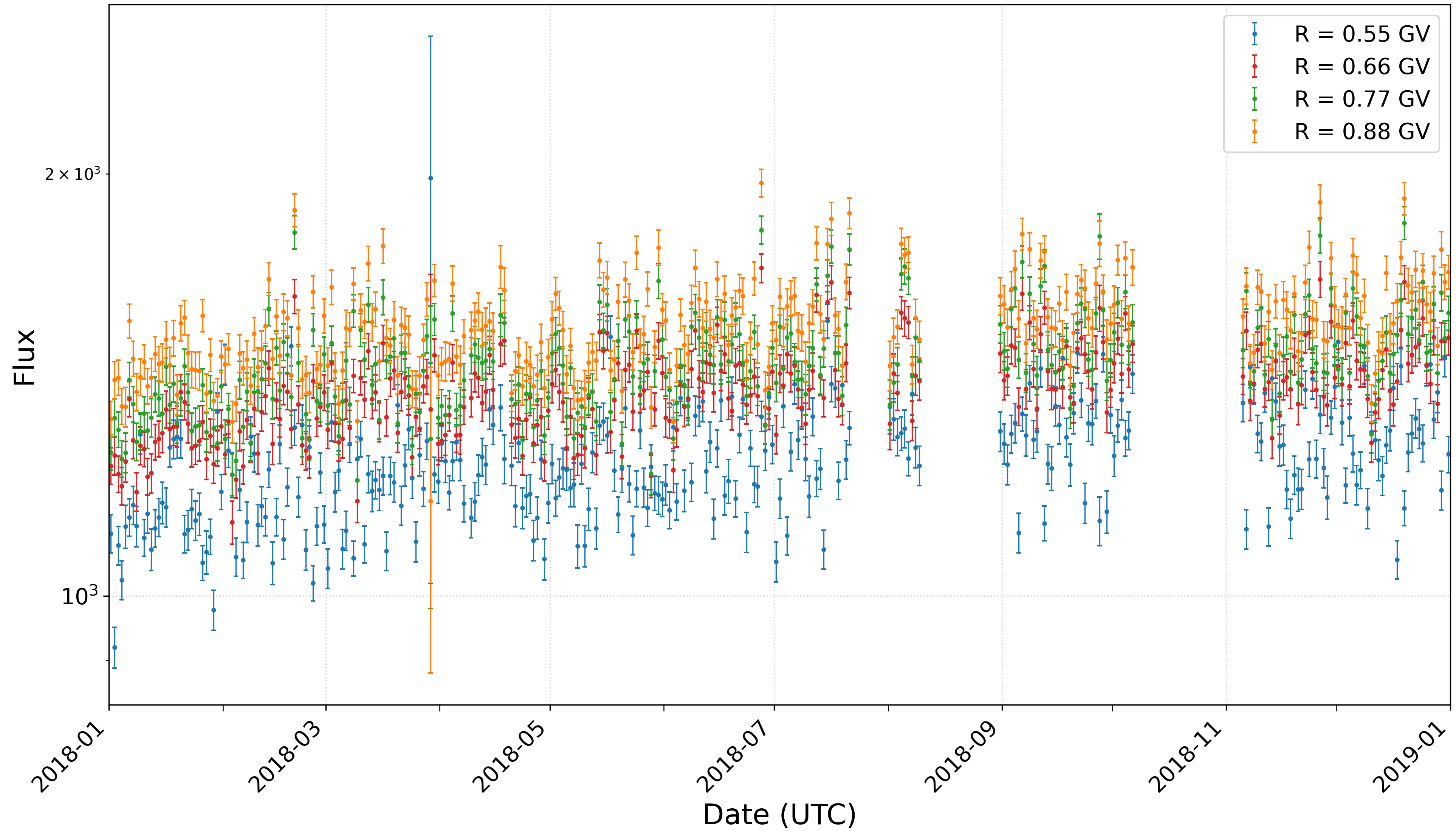
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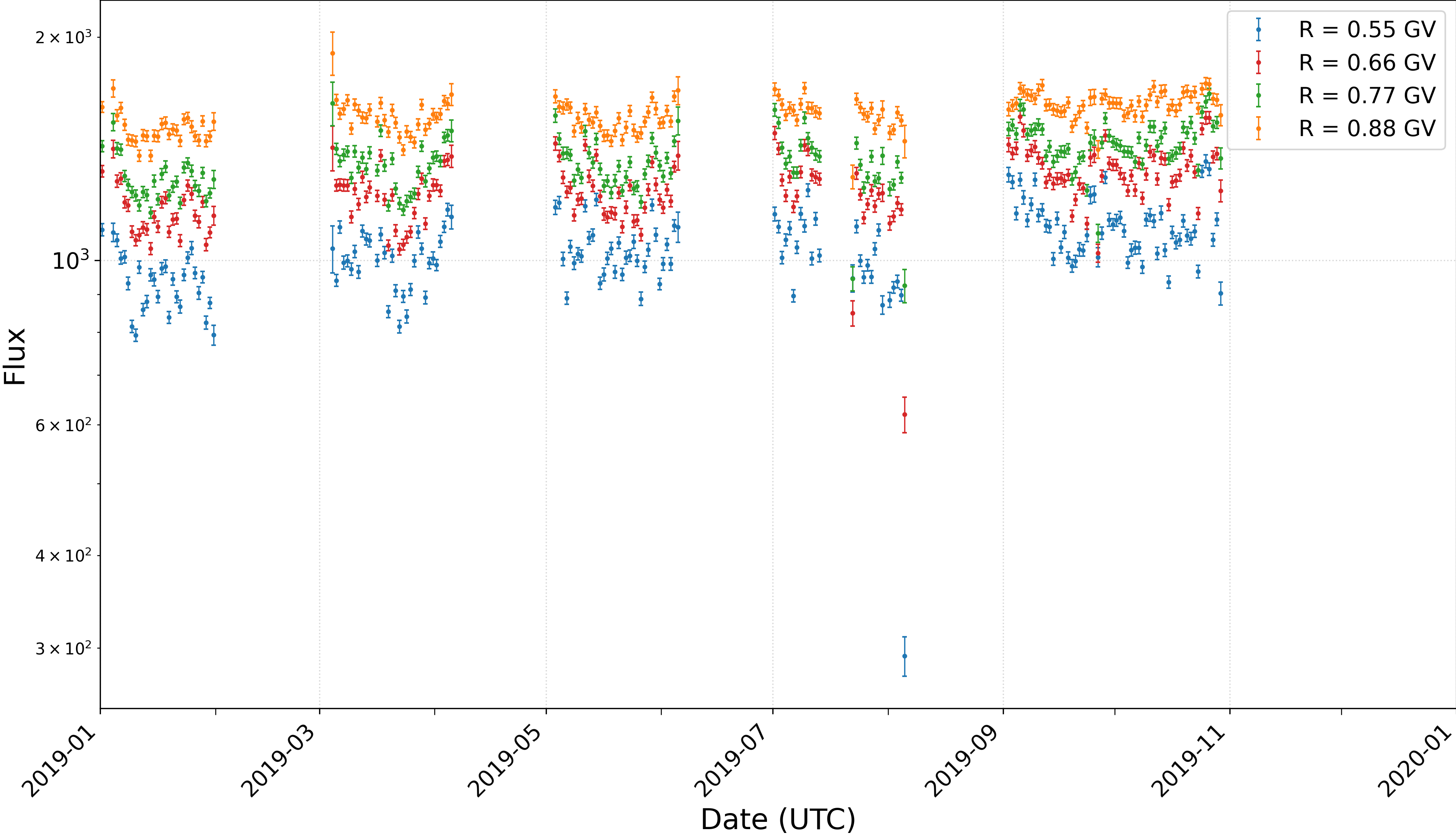
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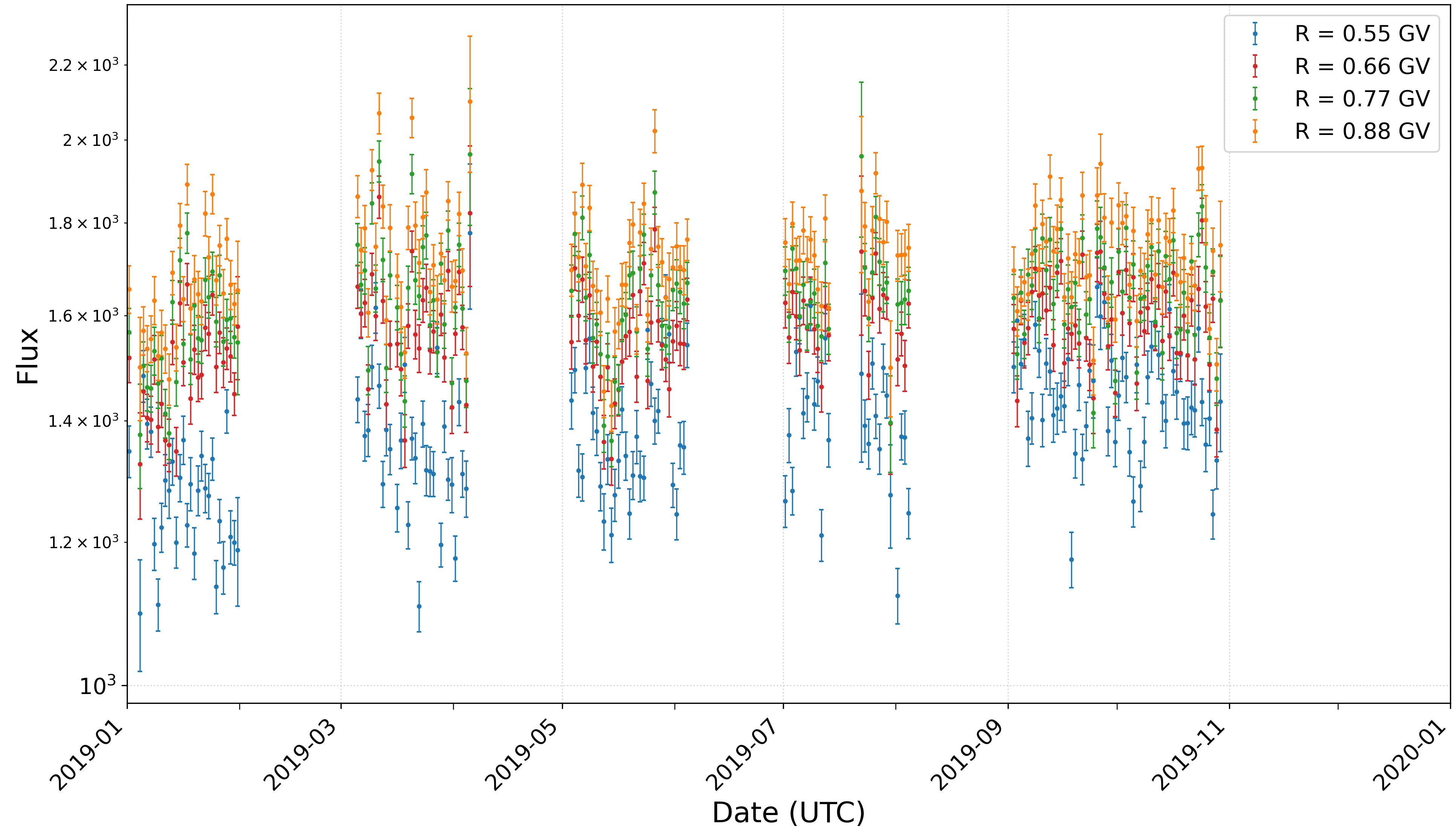
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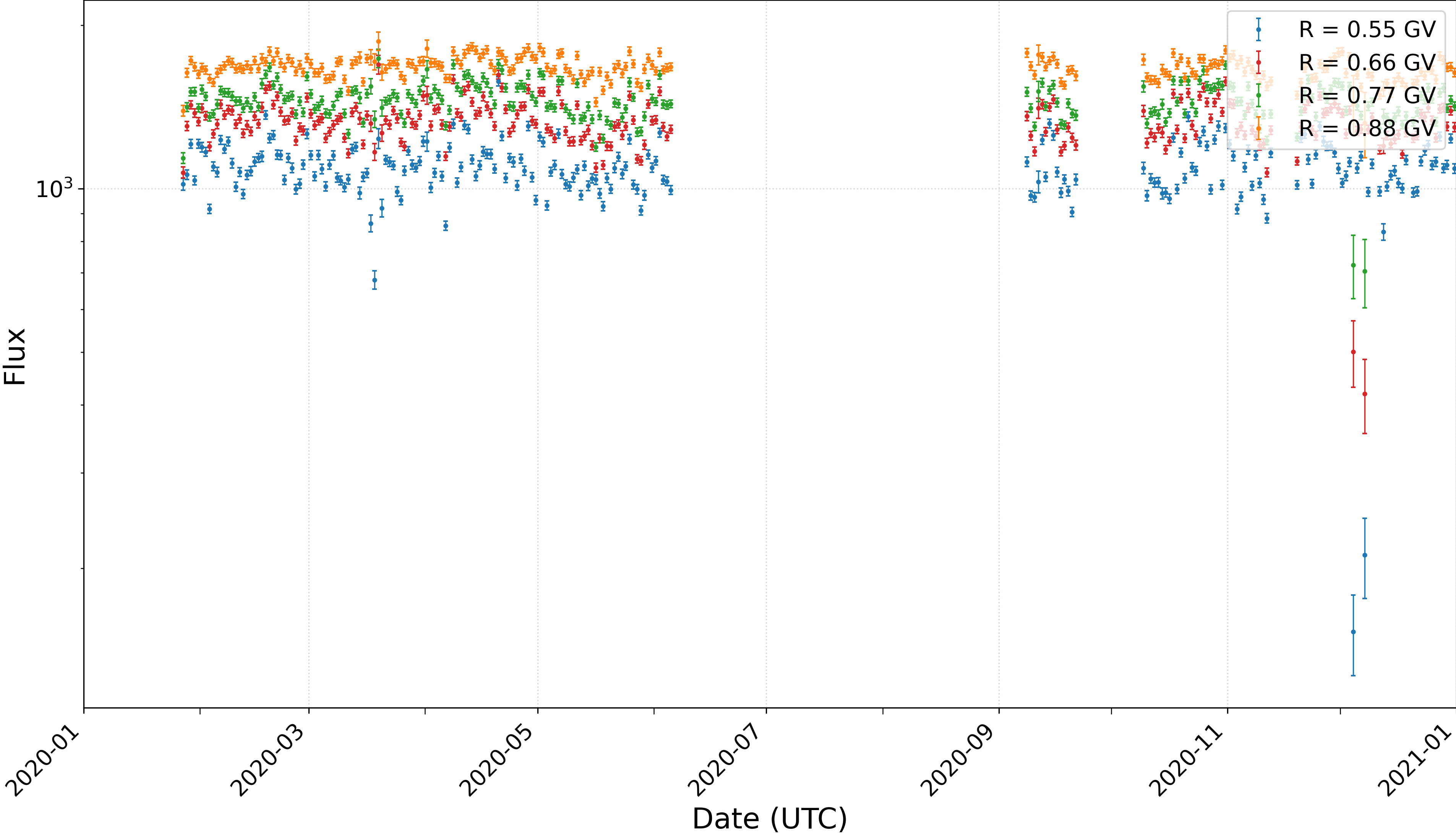
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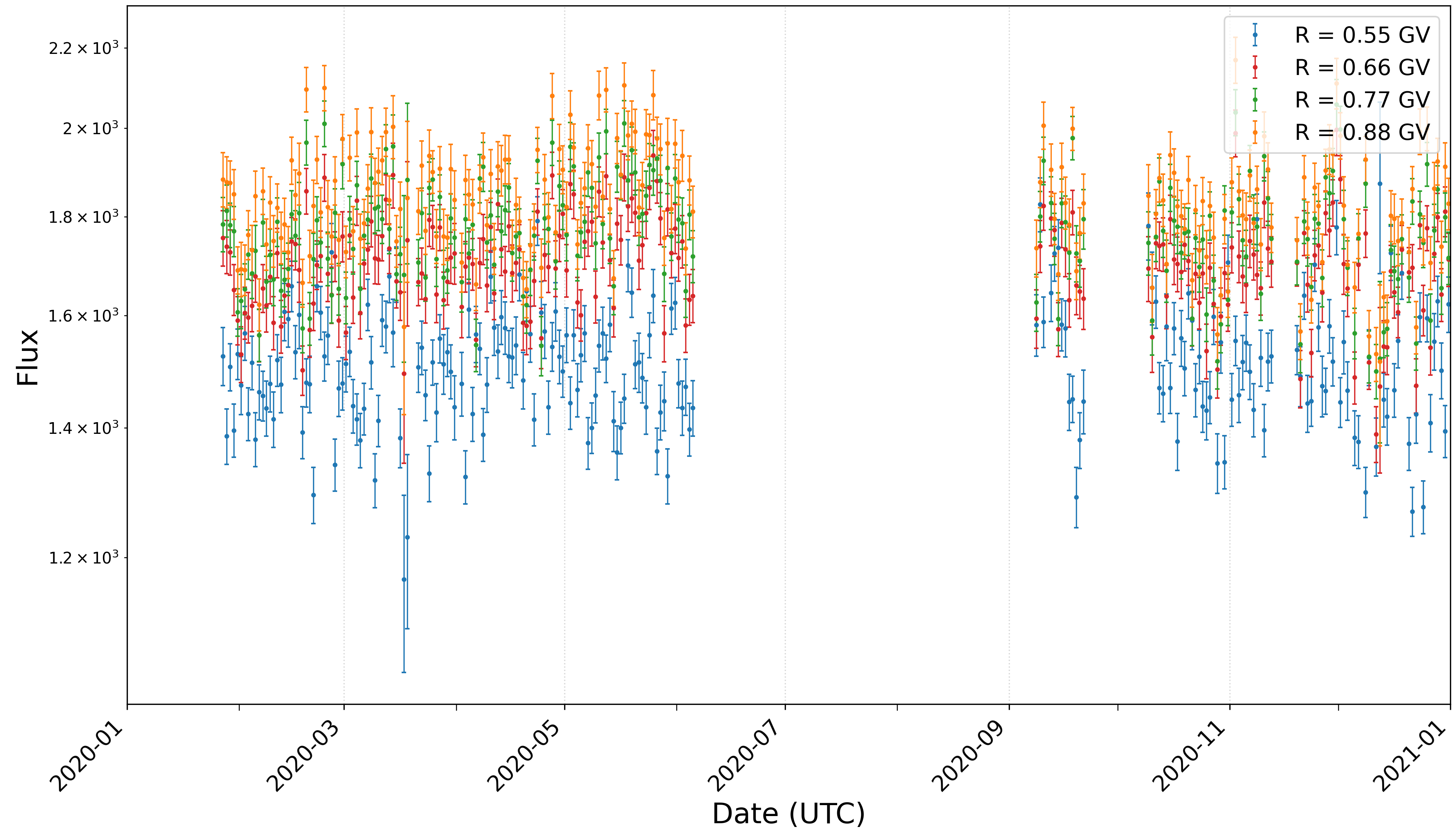
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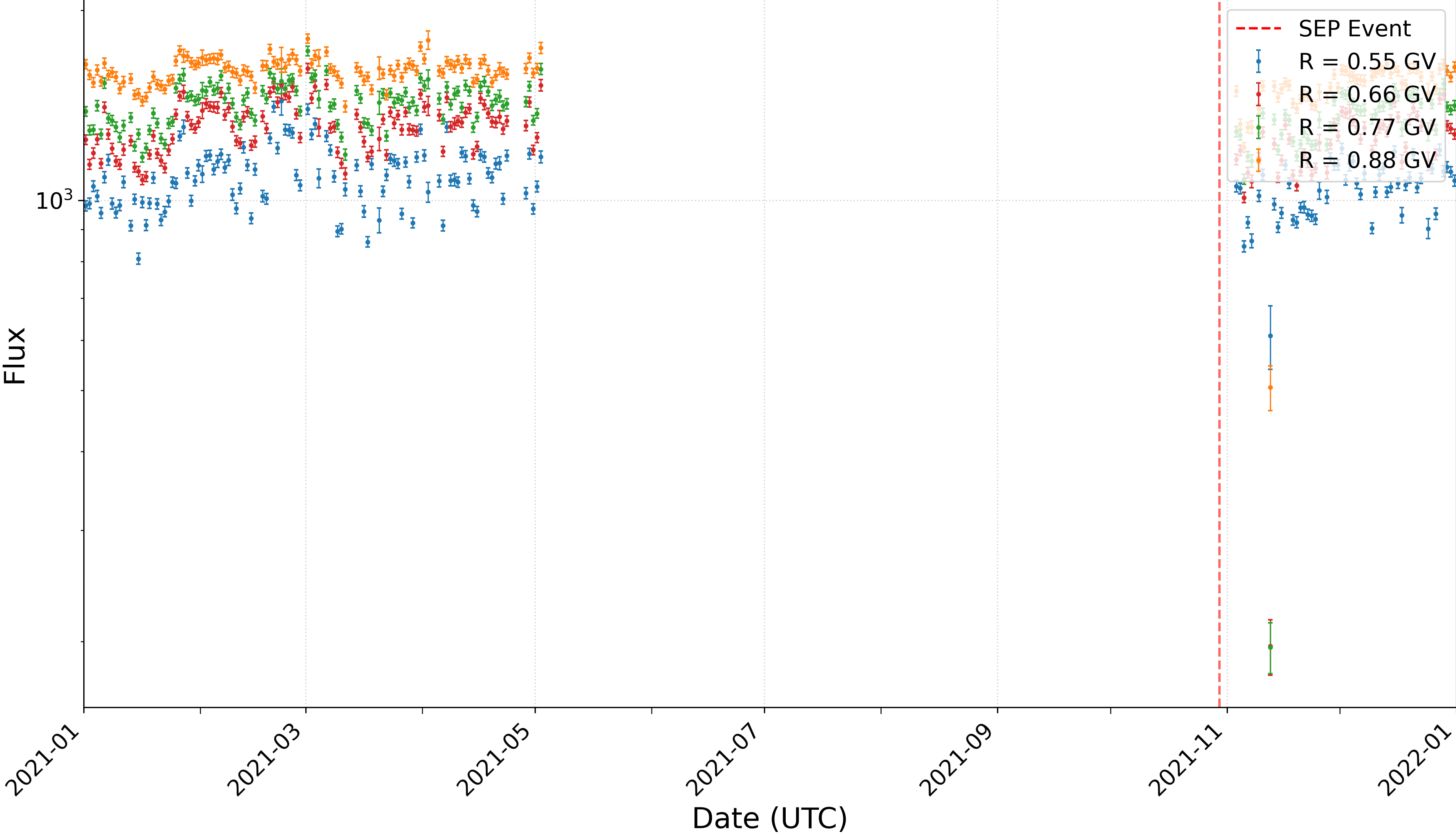
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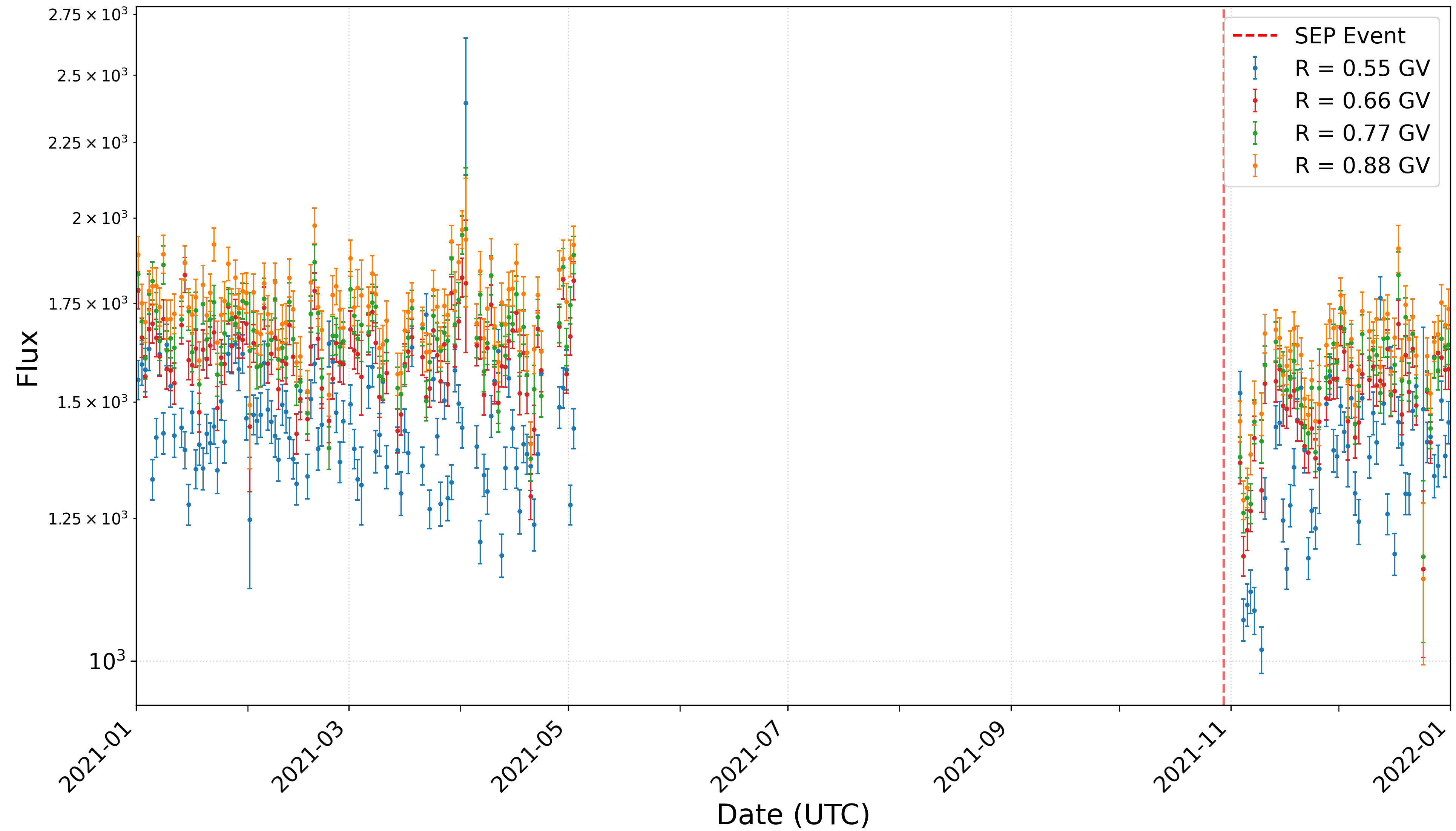
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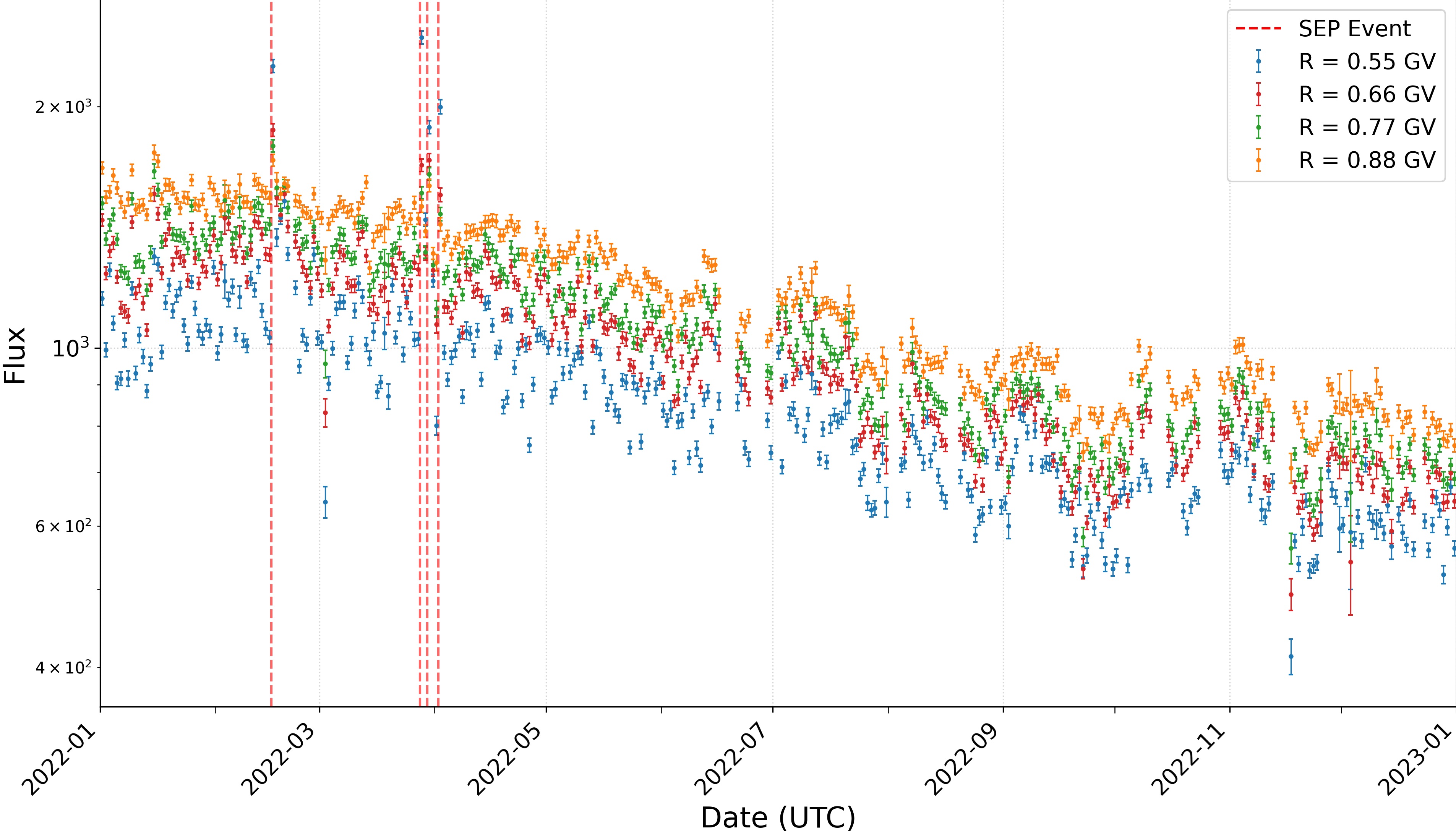
Proton Flux vs Time - 2021 (ThetaM57.3)



Proton Flux vs Time - 2021 (ThetaM62)



Proton Flux vs Time - 2022 (ThetaM57.3)



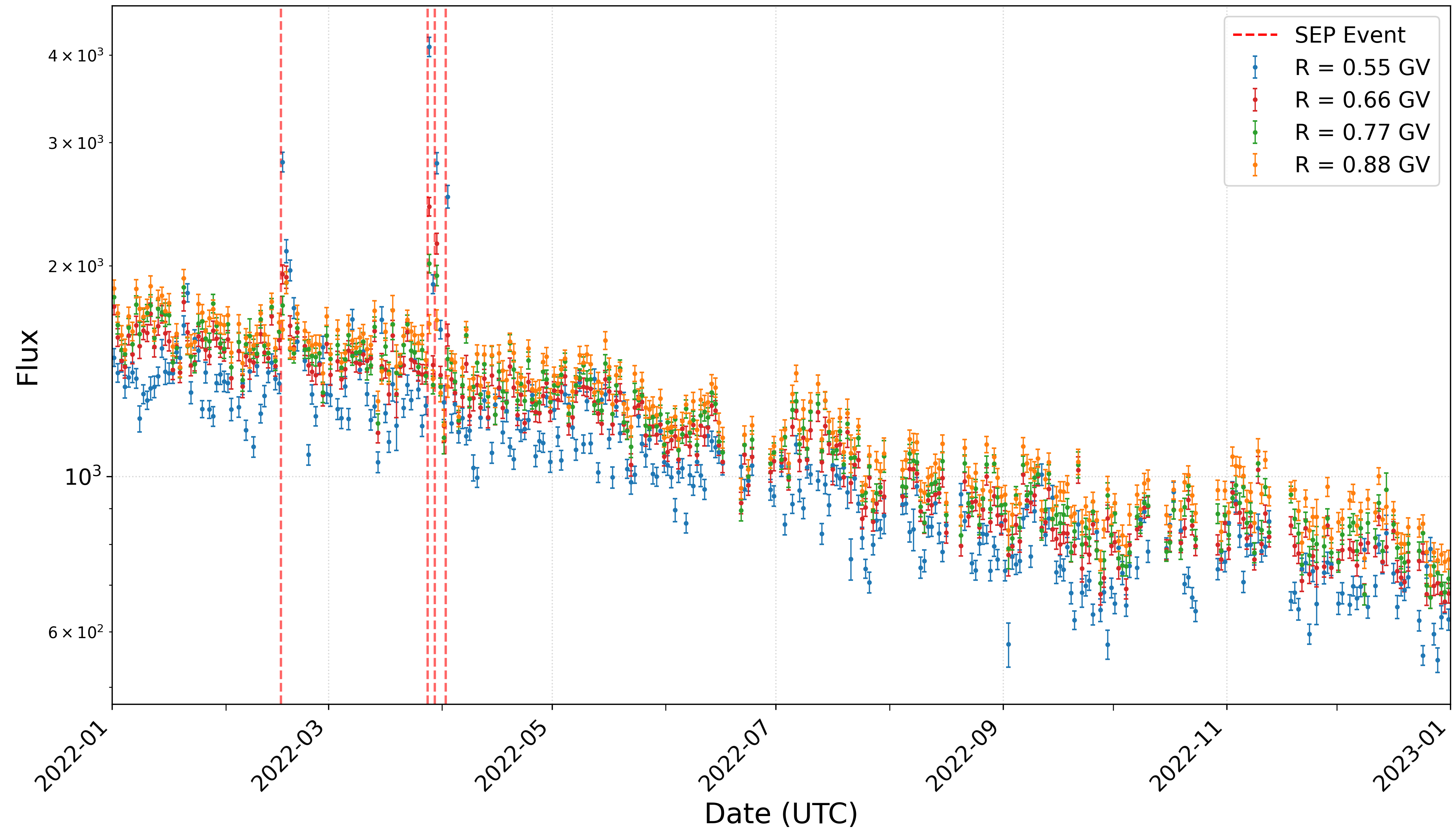
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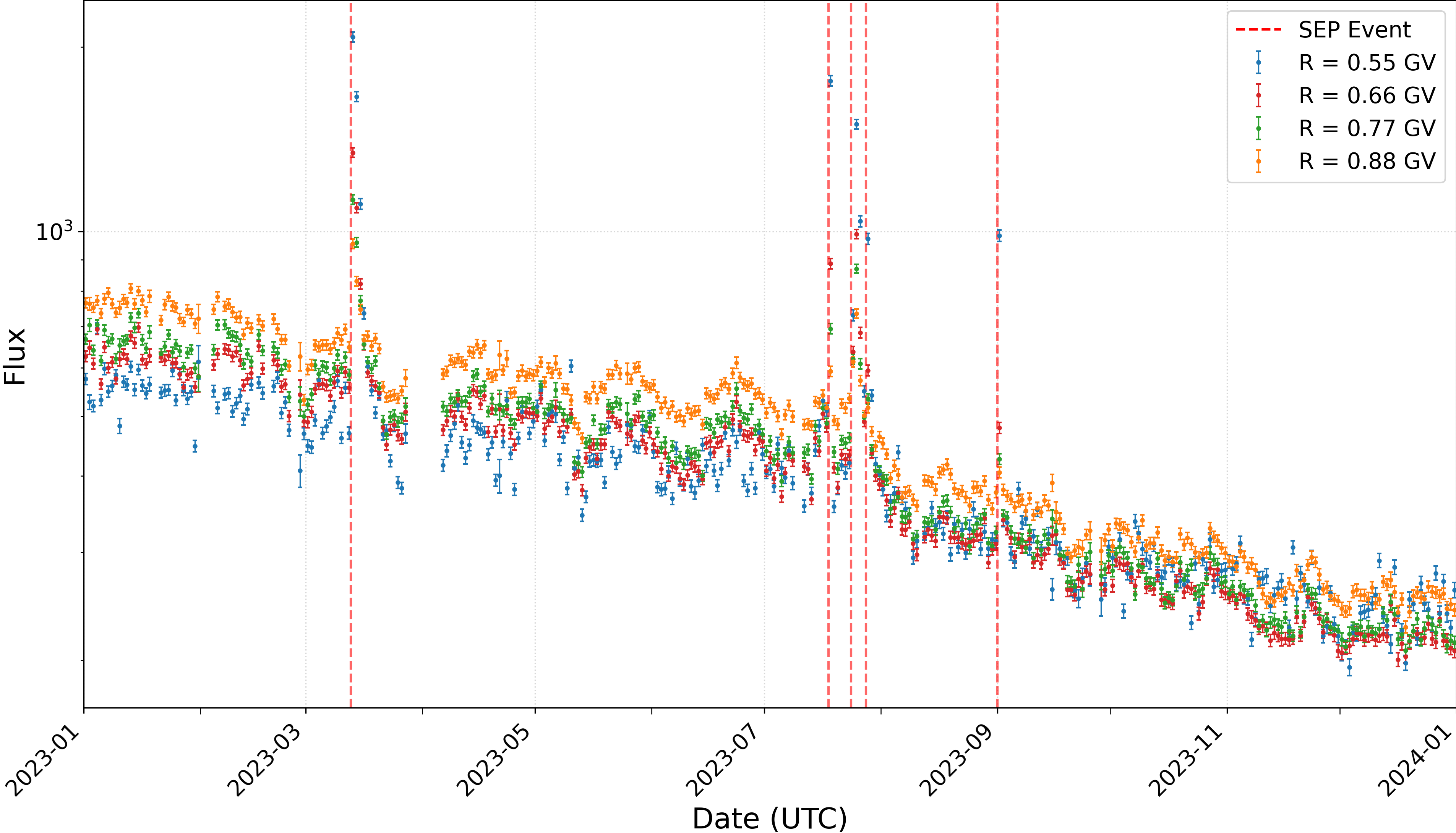
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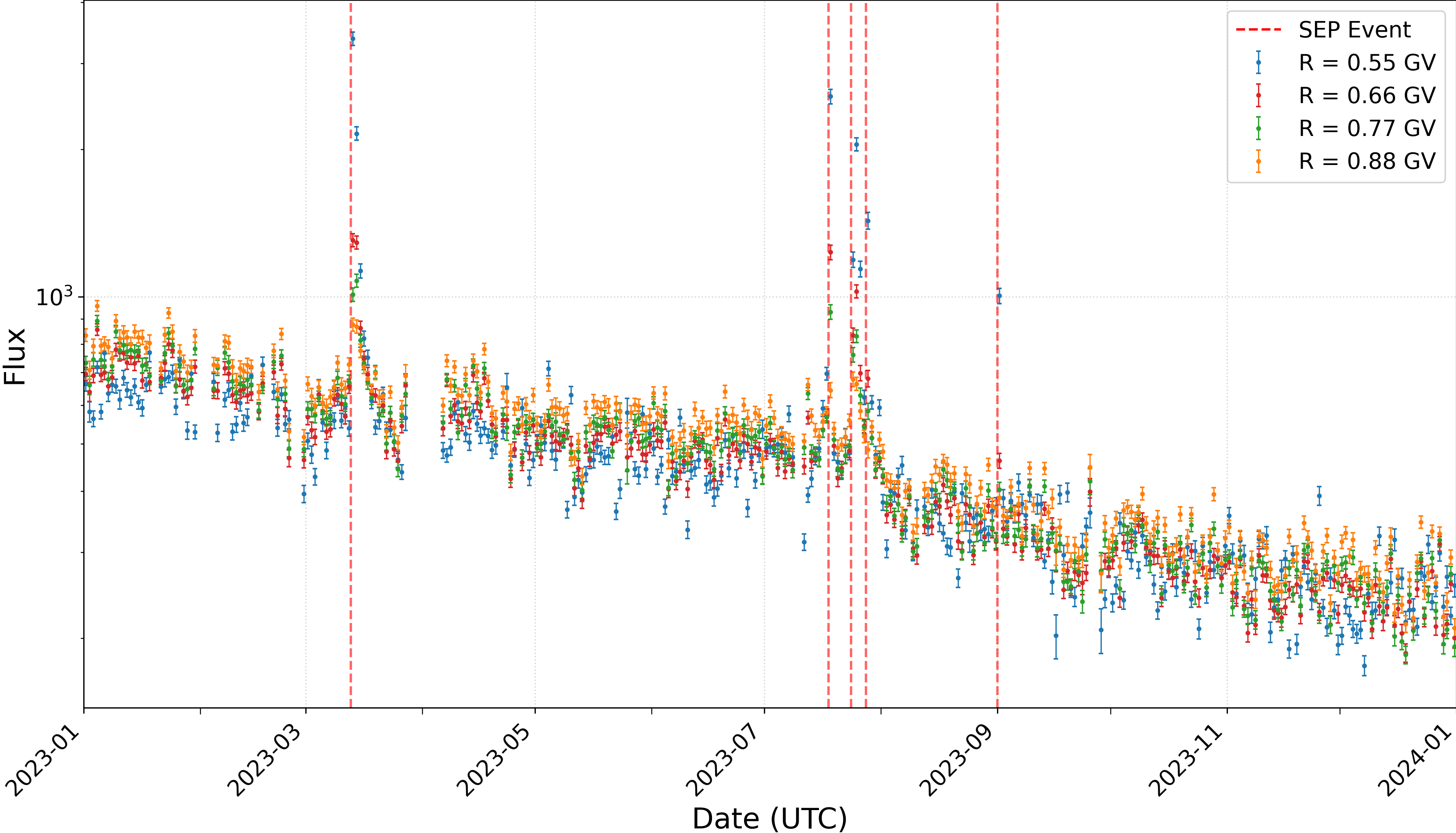
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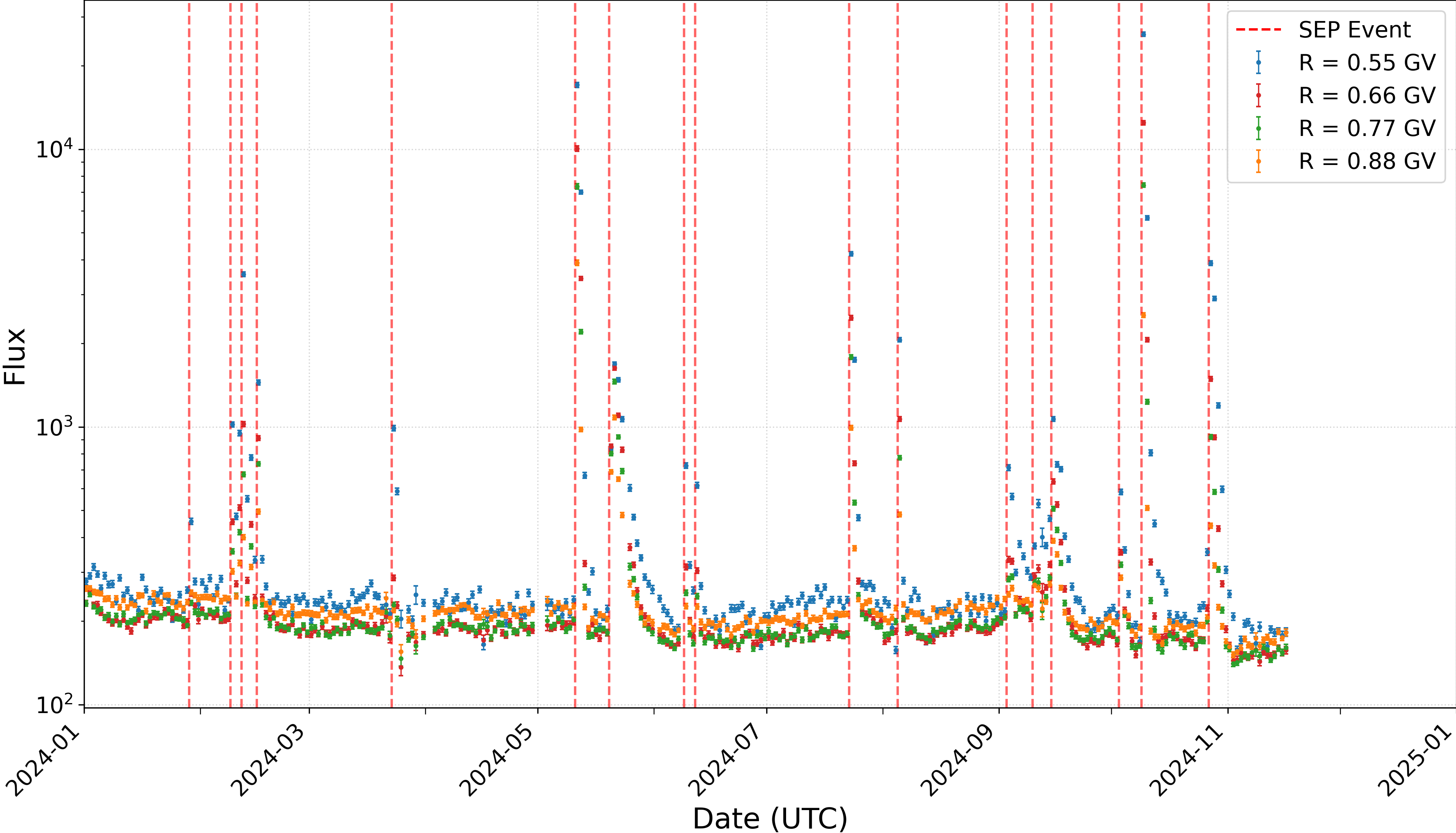
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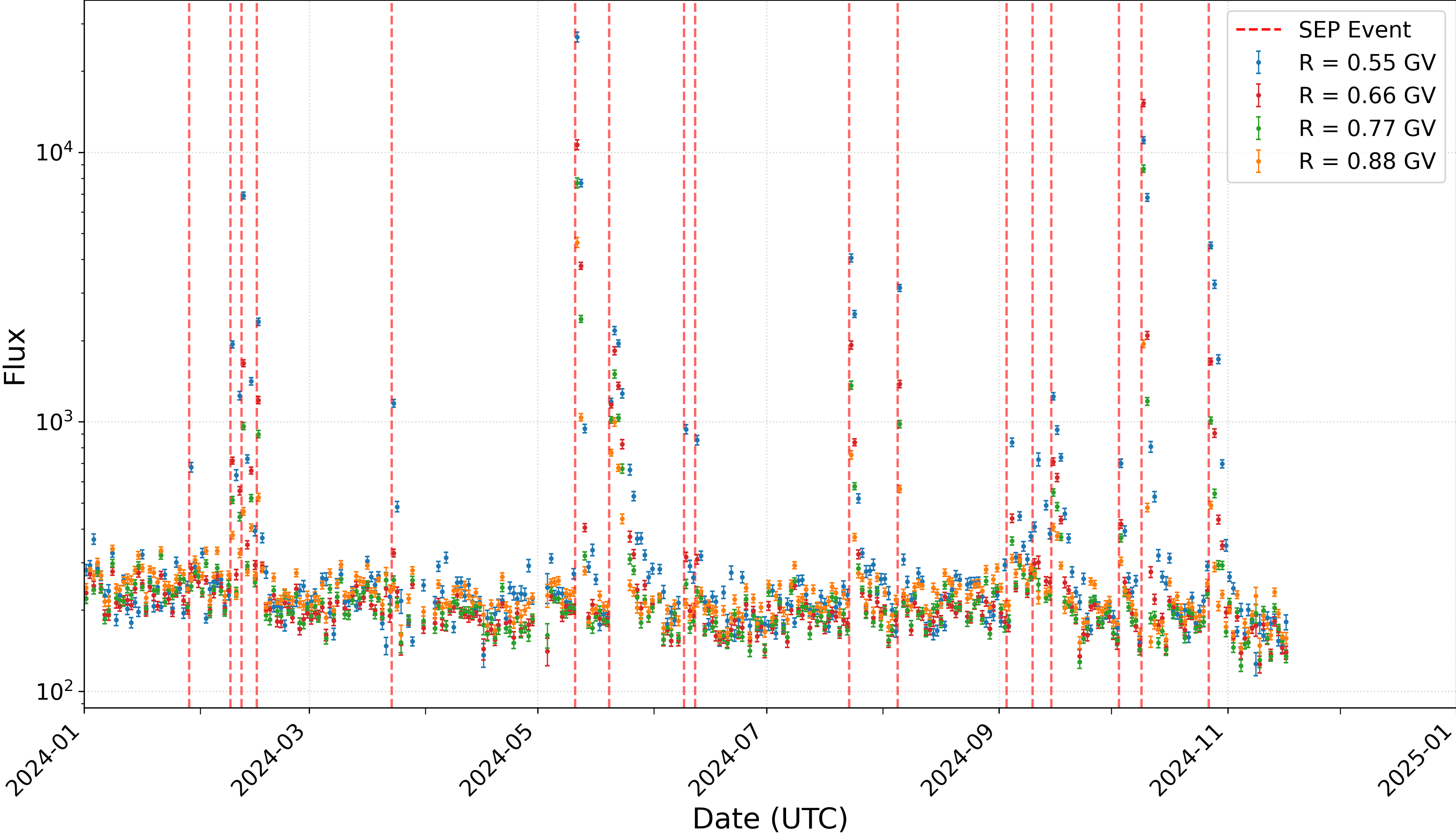
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Proton Flux vs Time - 2024 (ThetaM57.3)



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Proton Flux vs Time - 2024 (ThetaM62)



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SEP list

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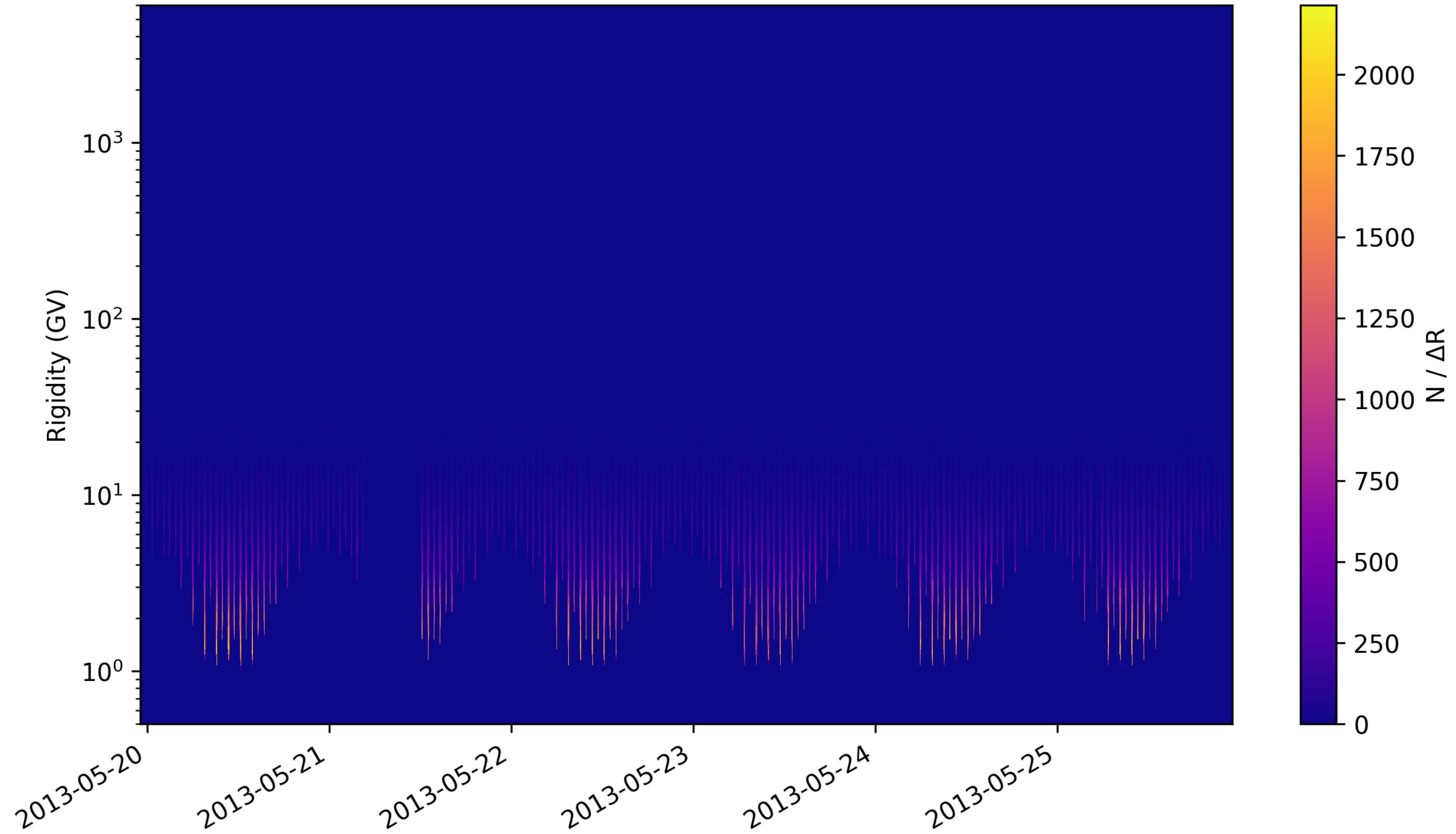
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- SEP Proton flux

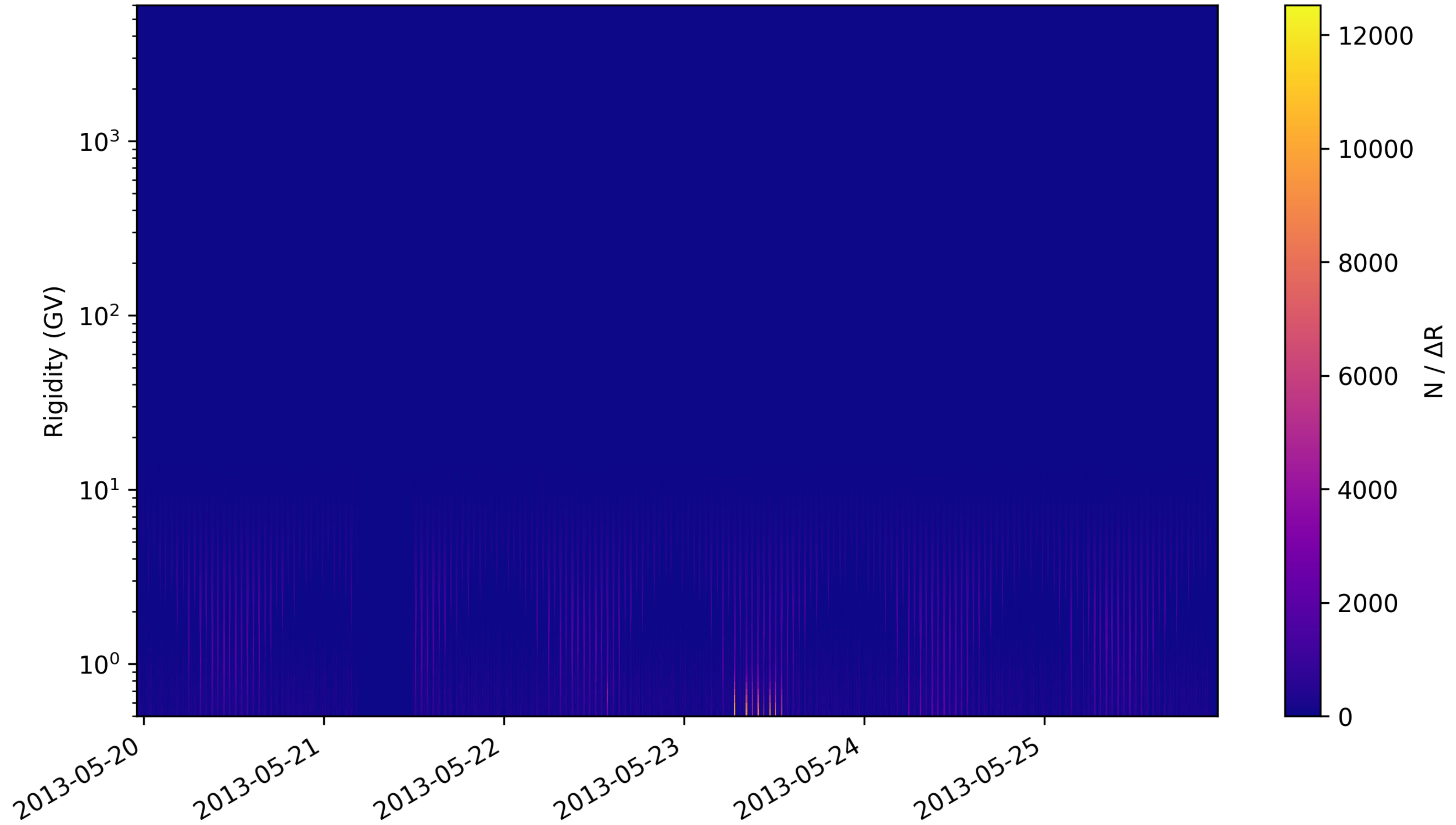
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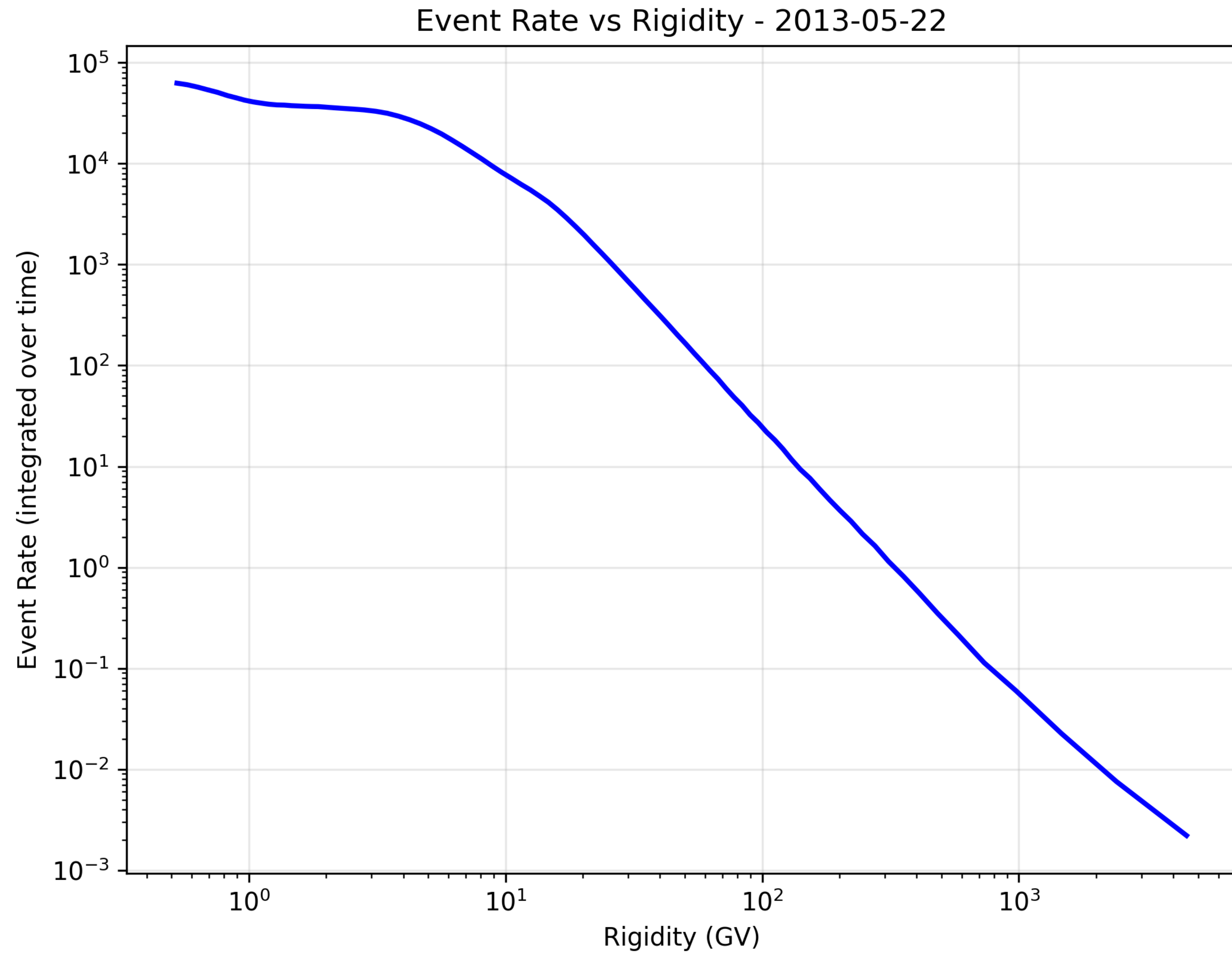
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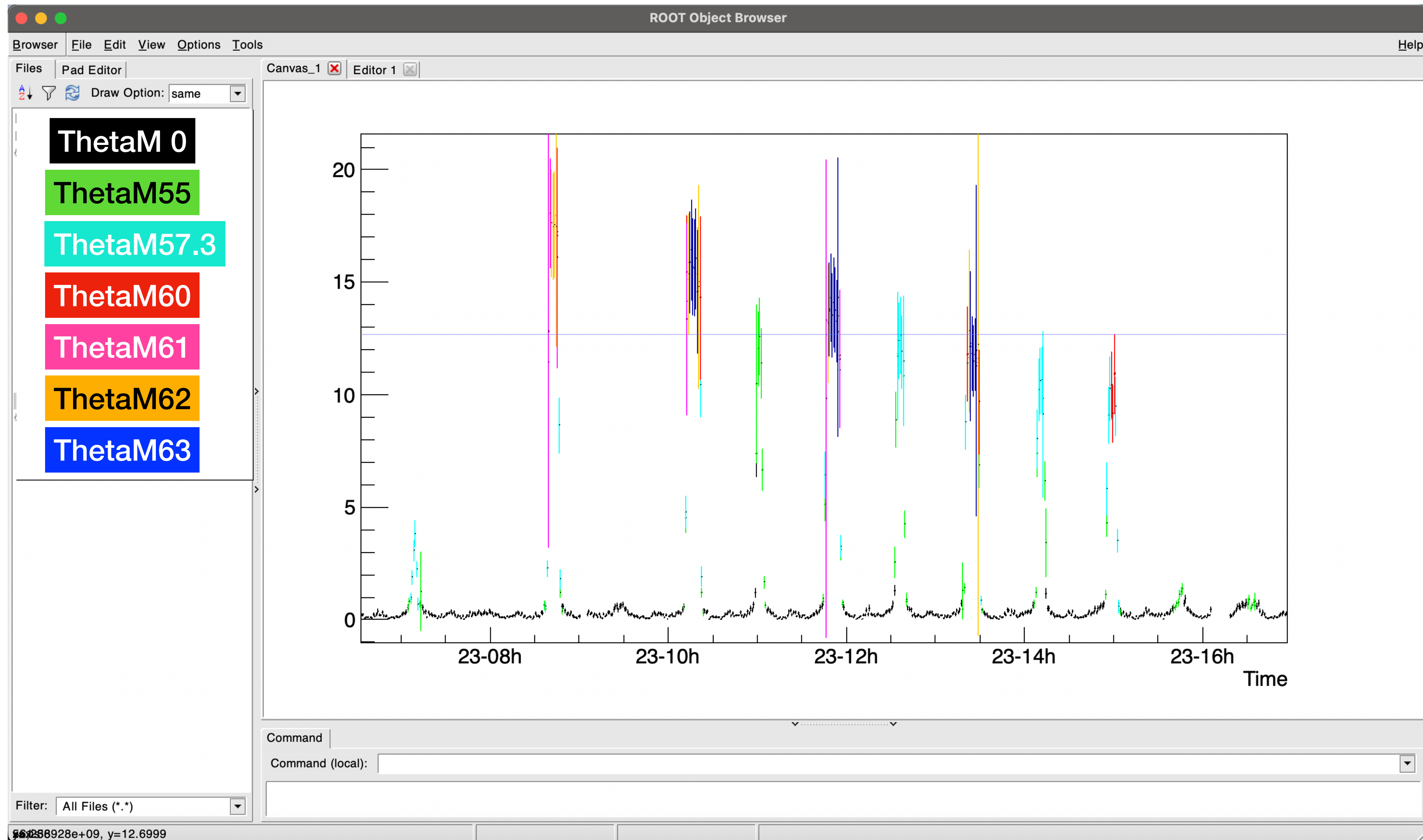


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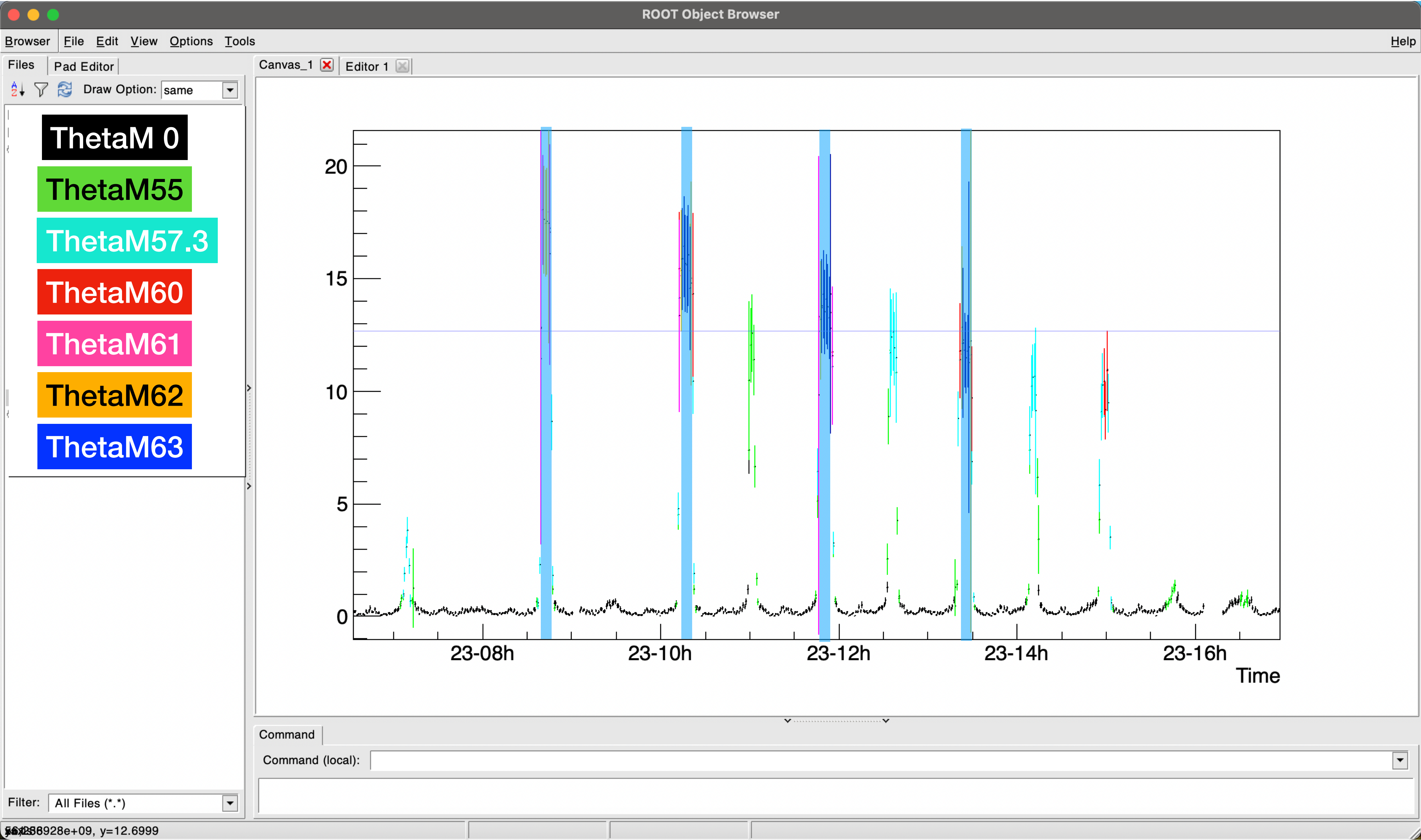




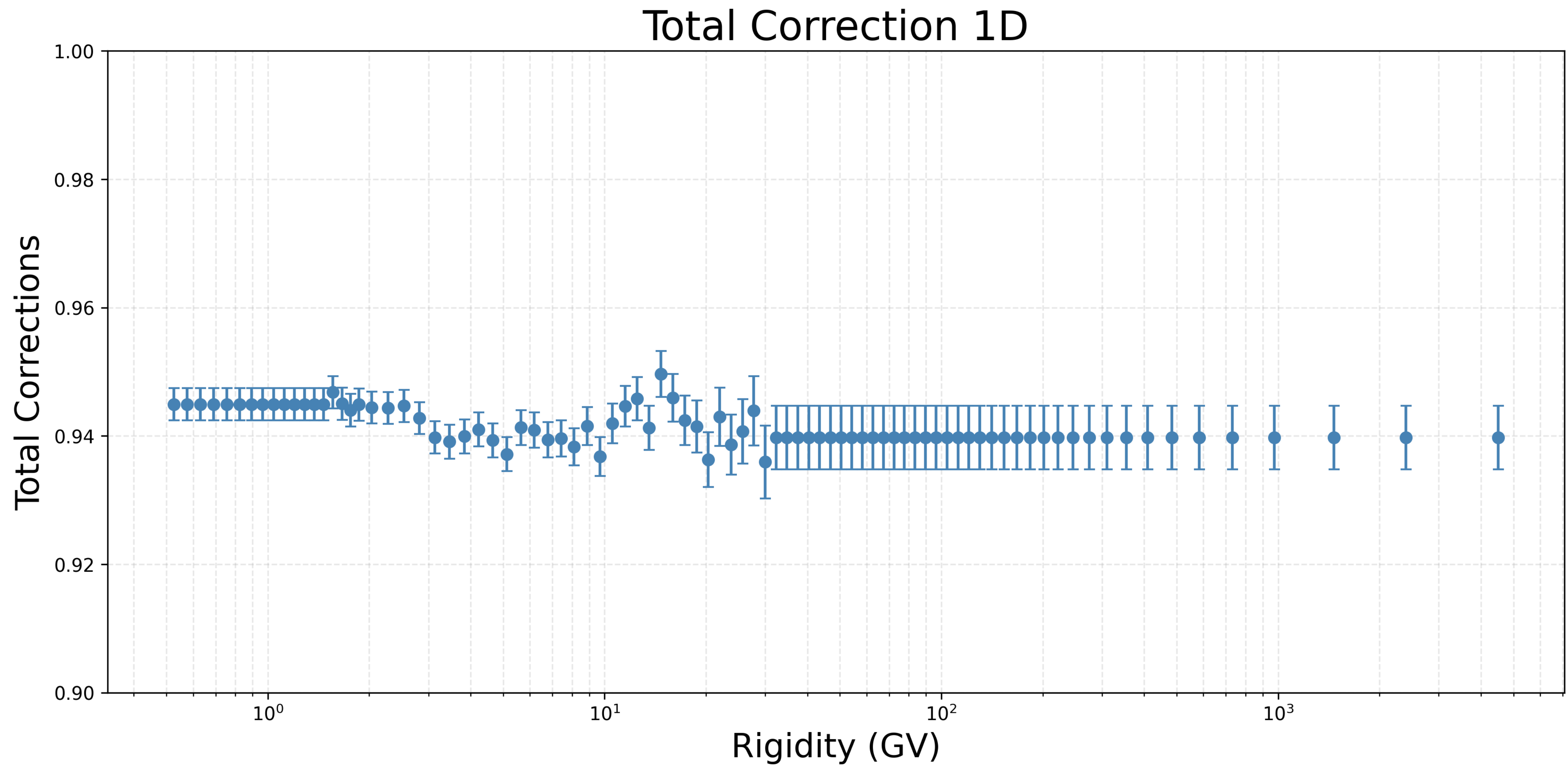
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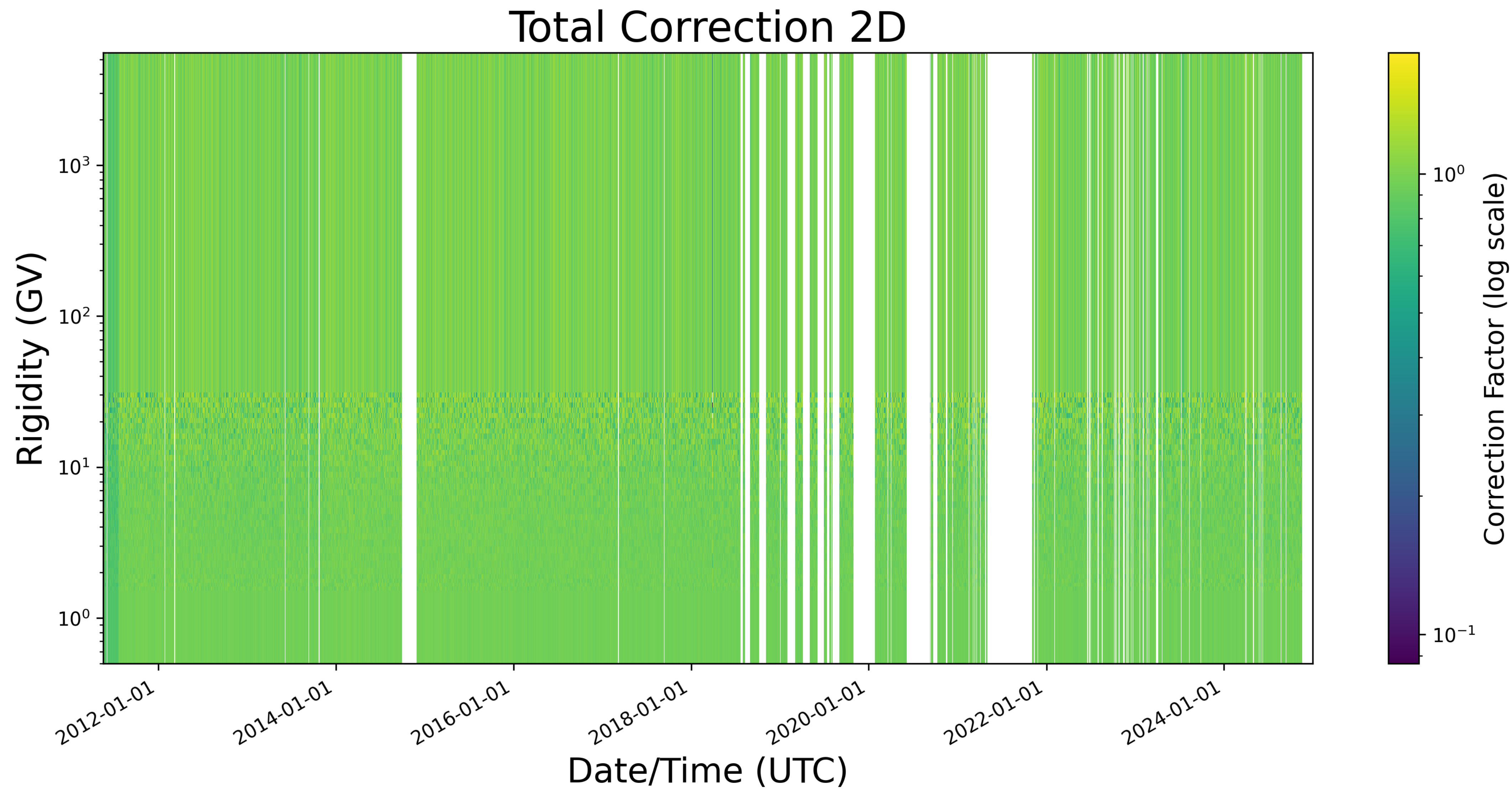


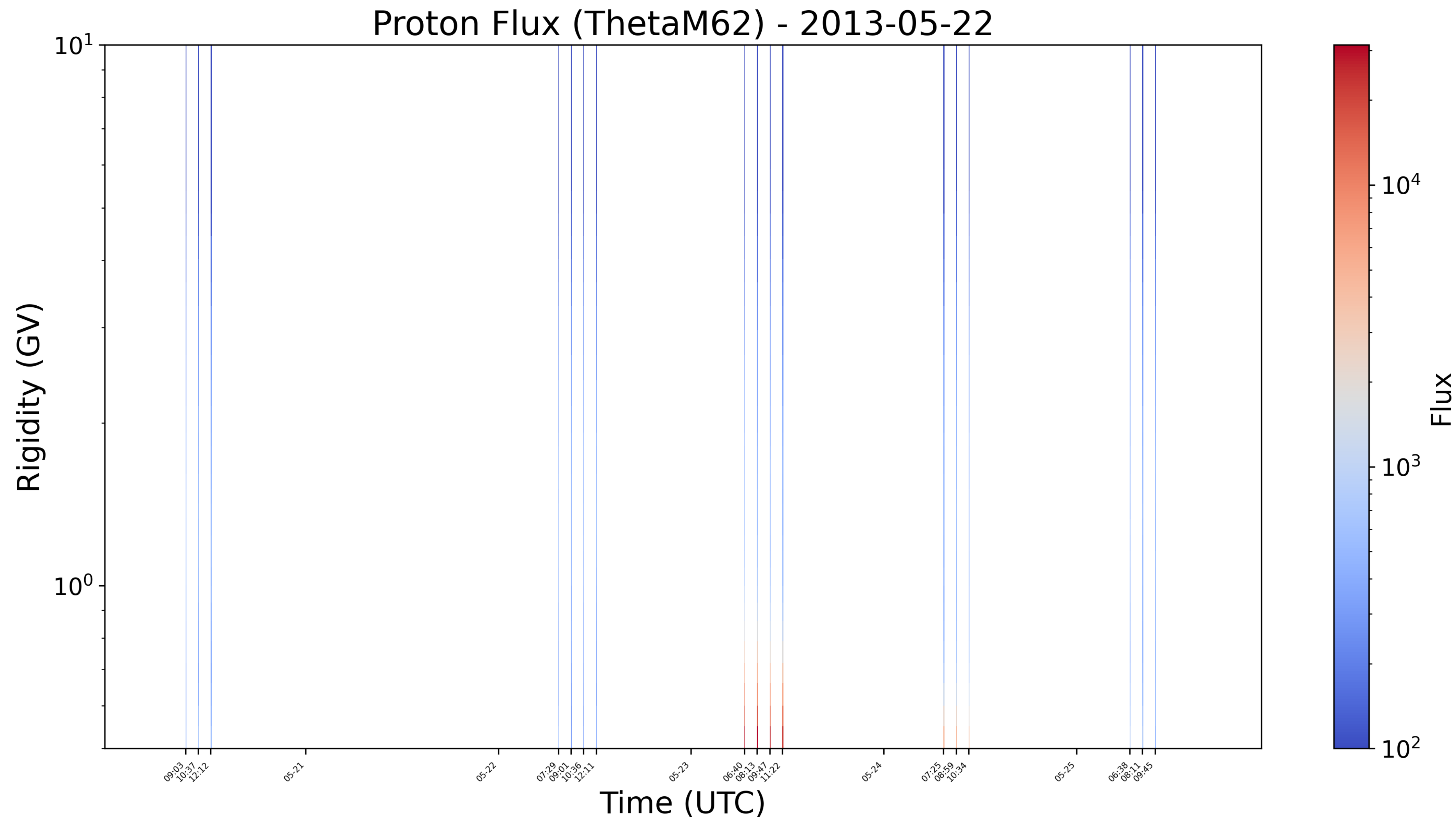
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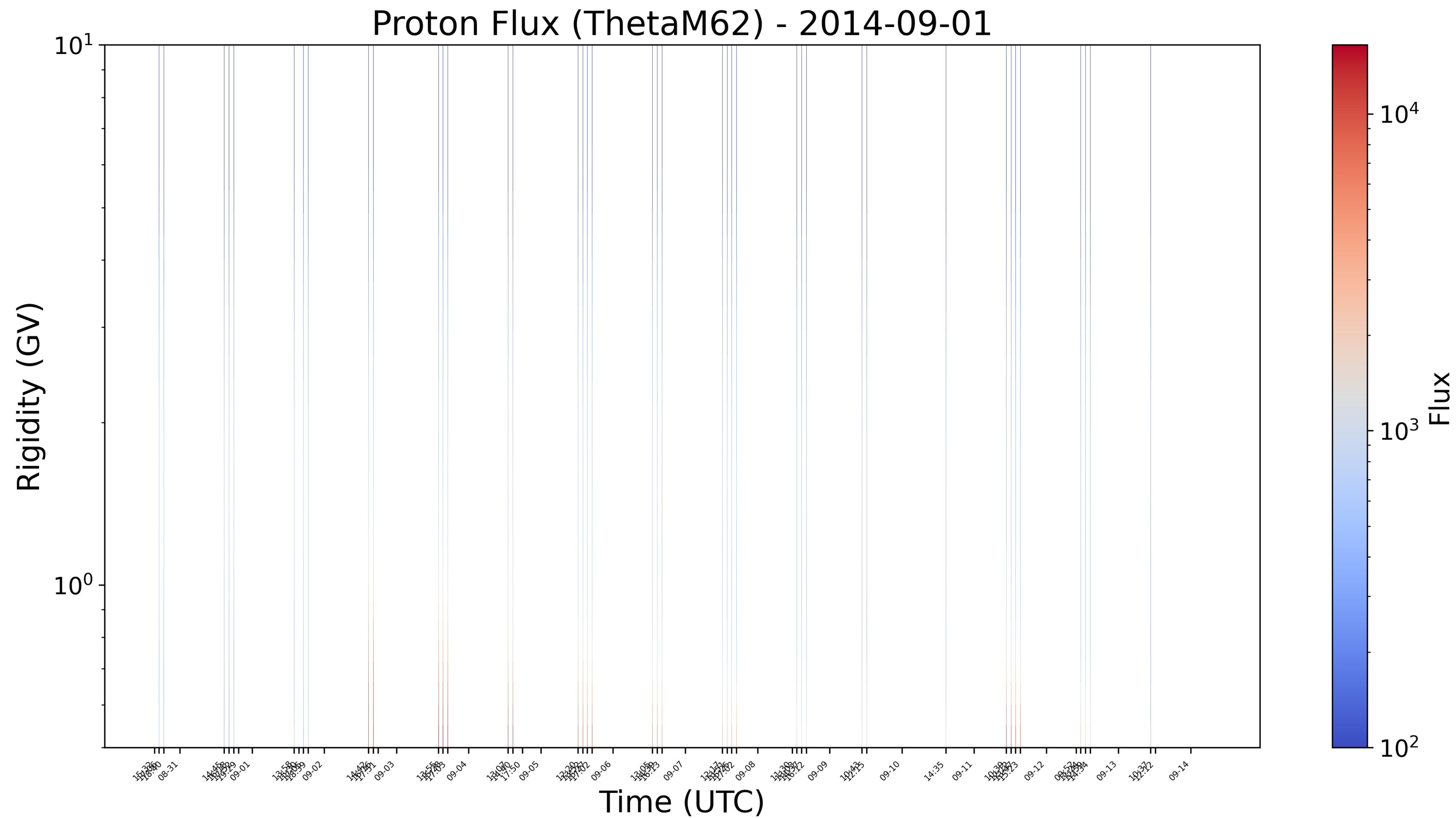


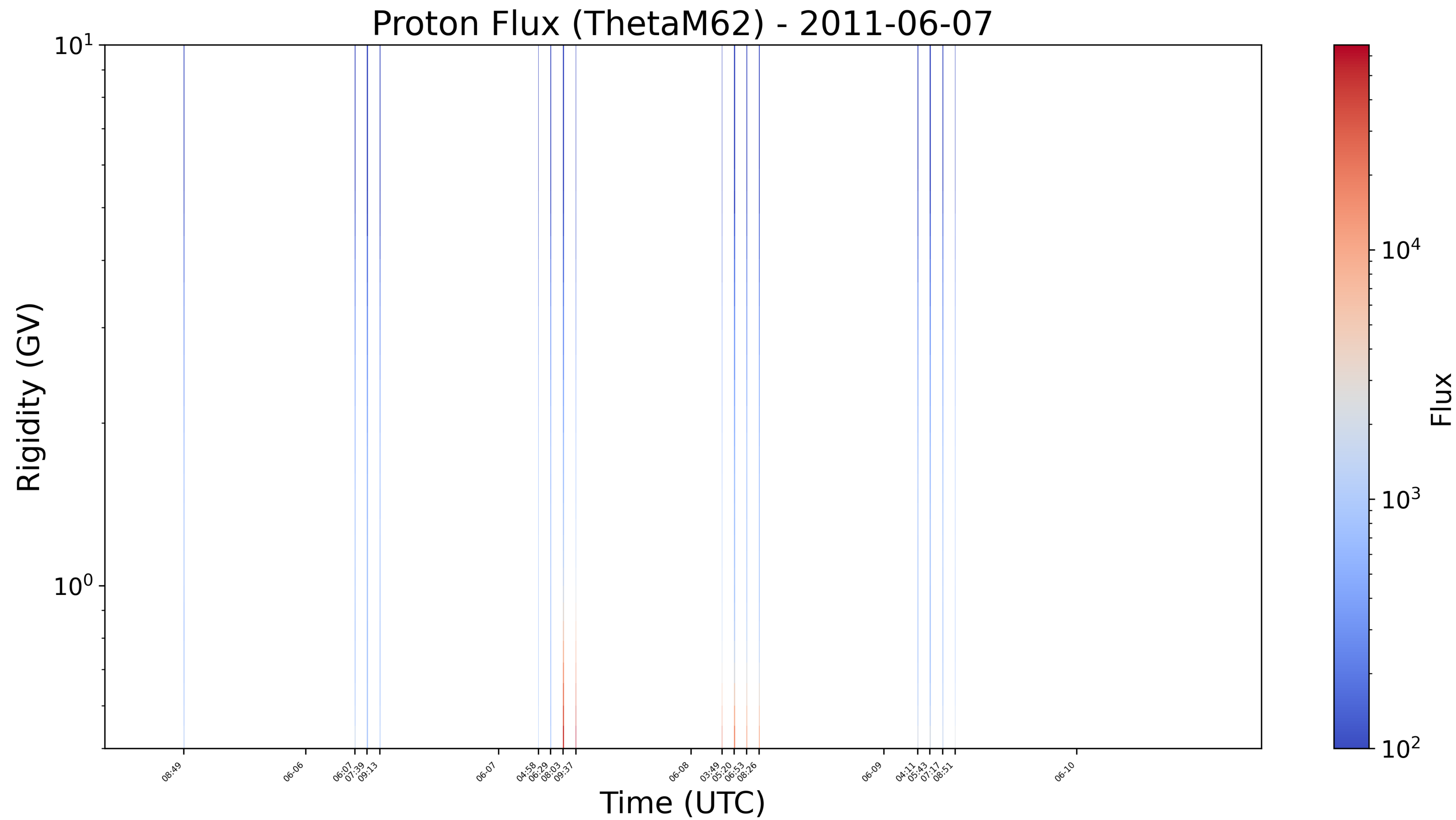
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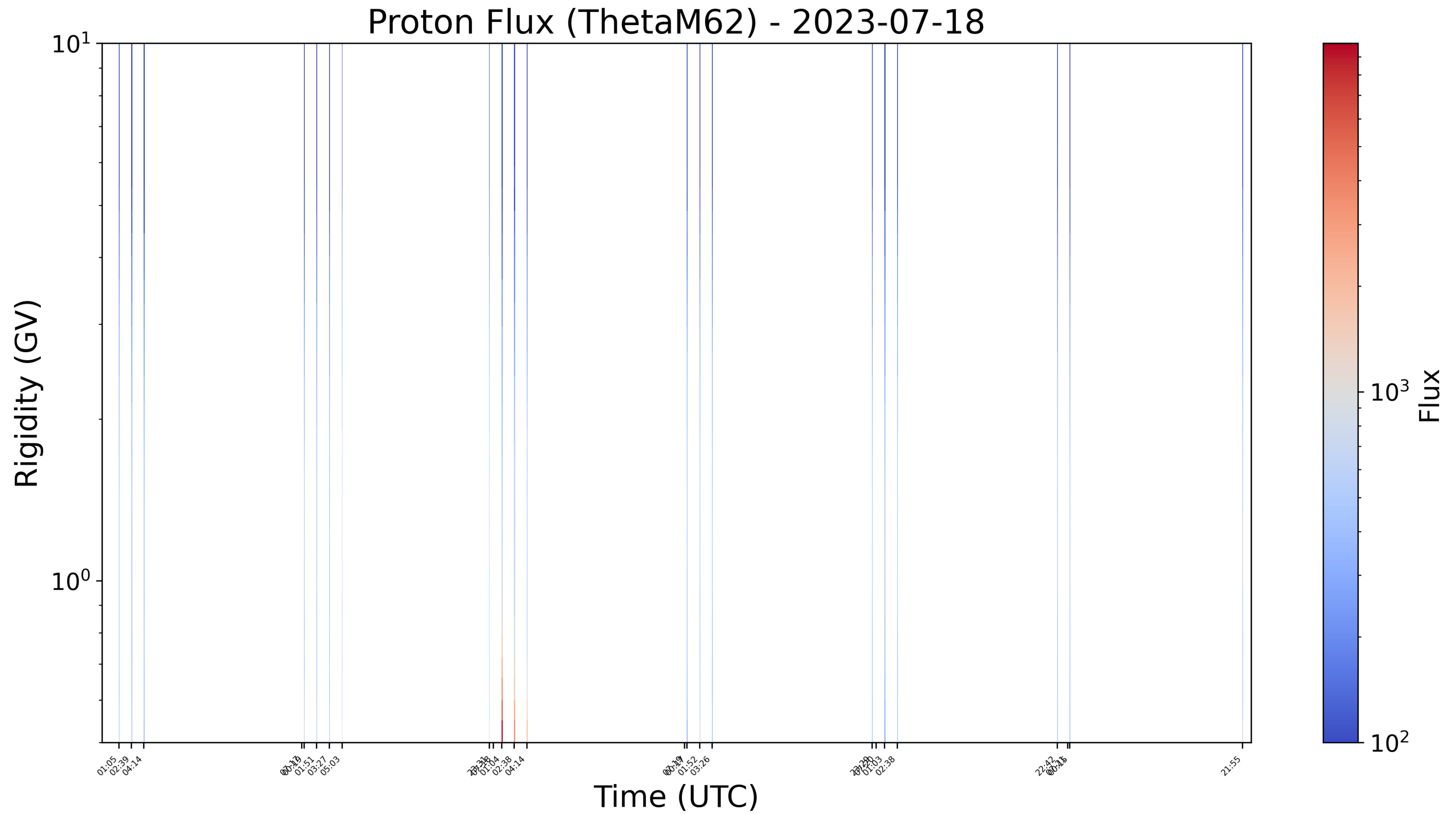




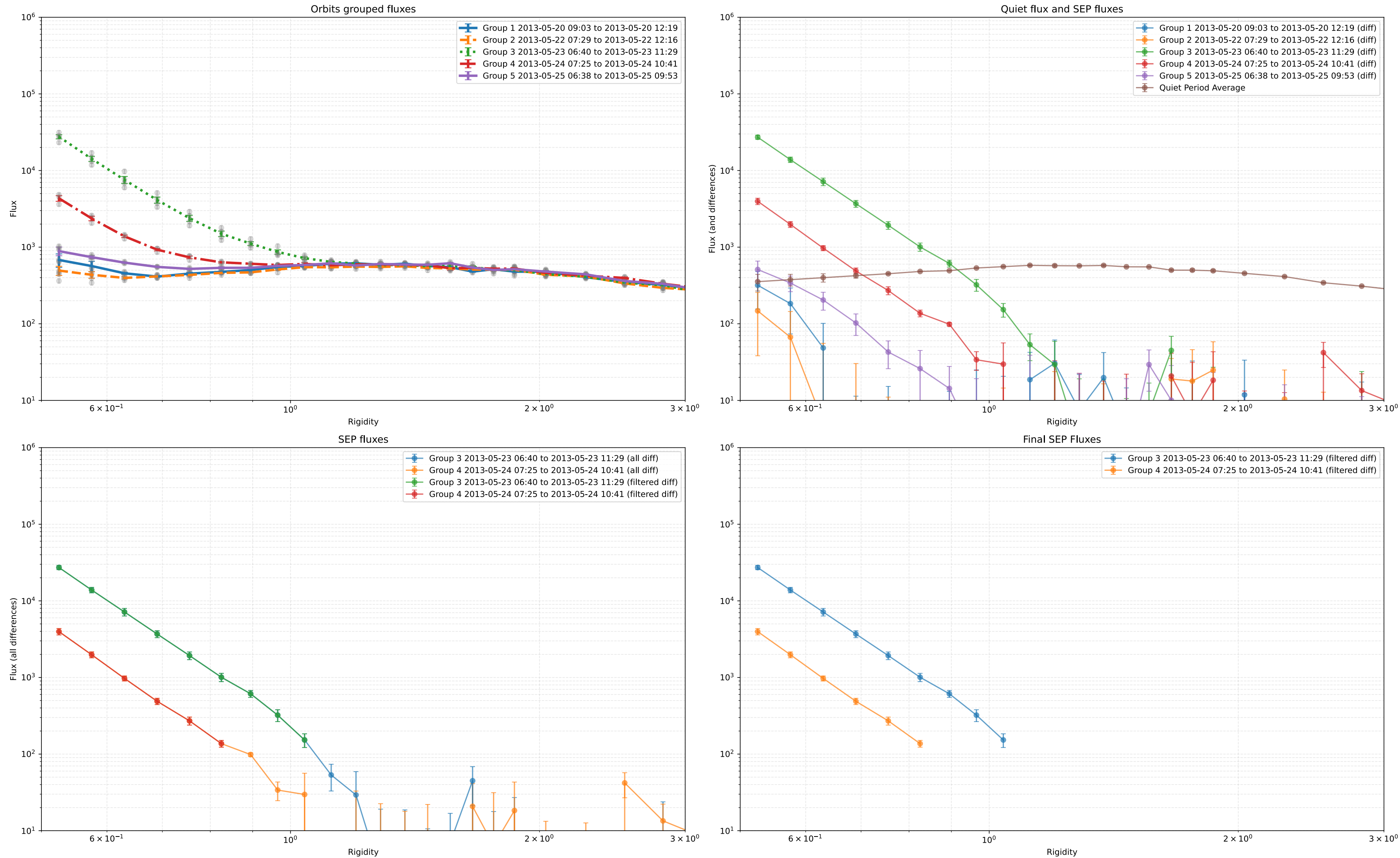




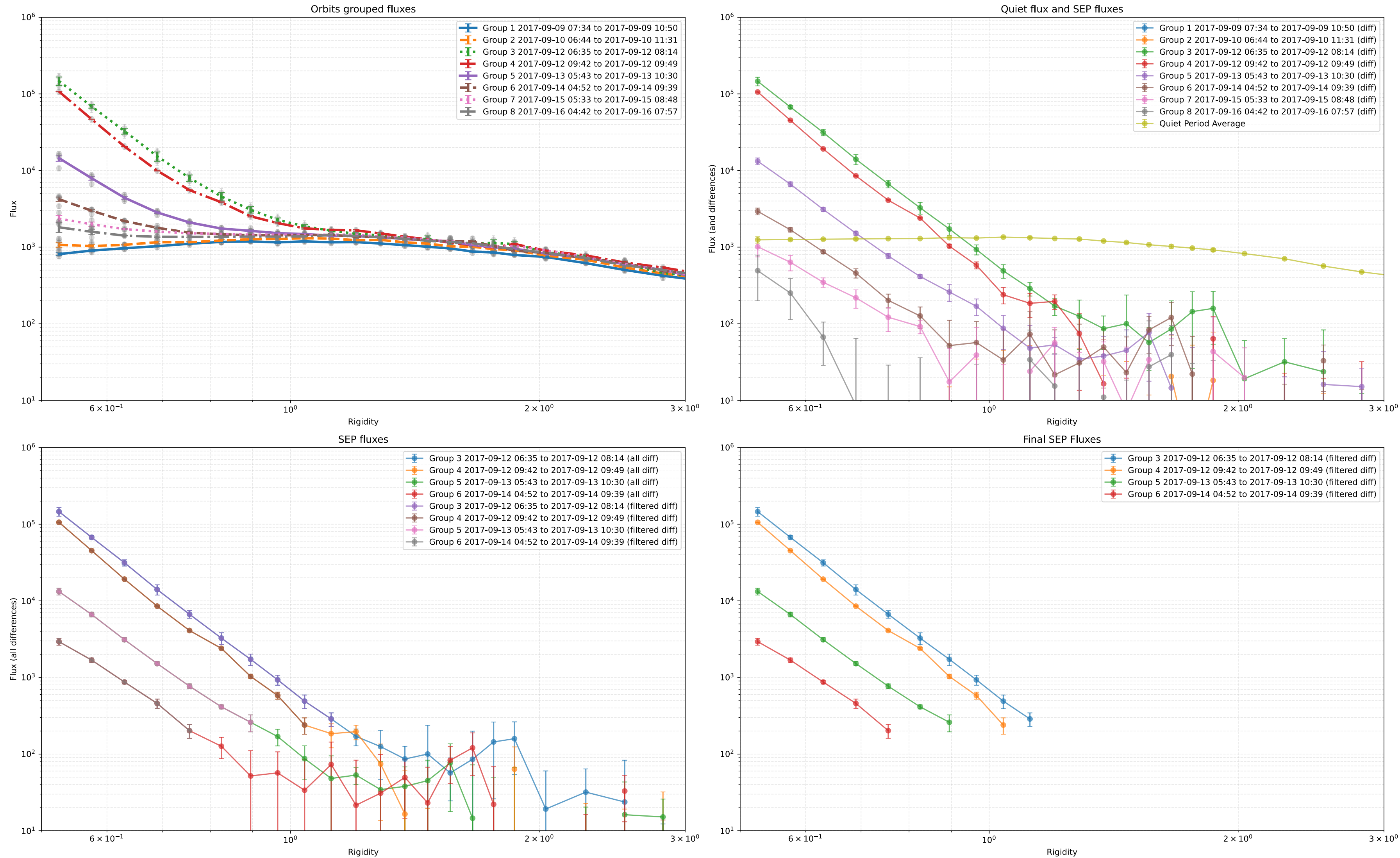




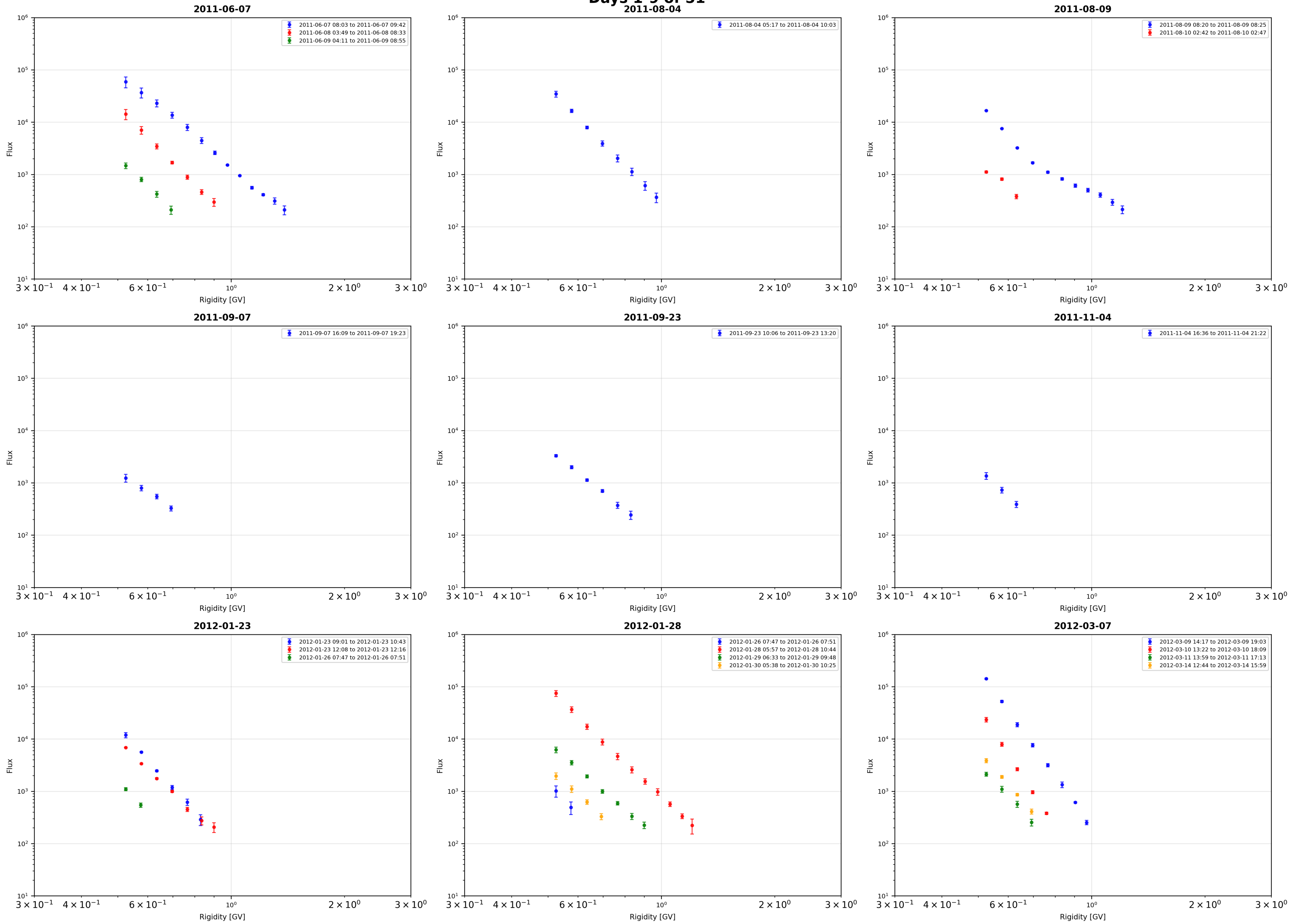
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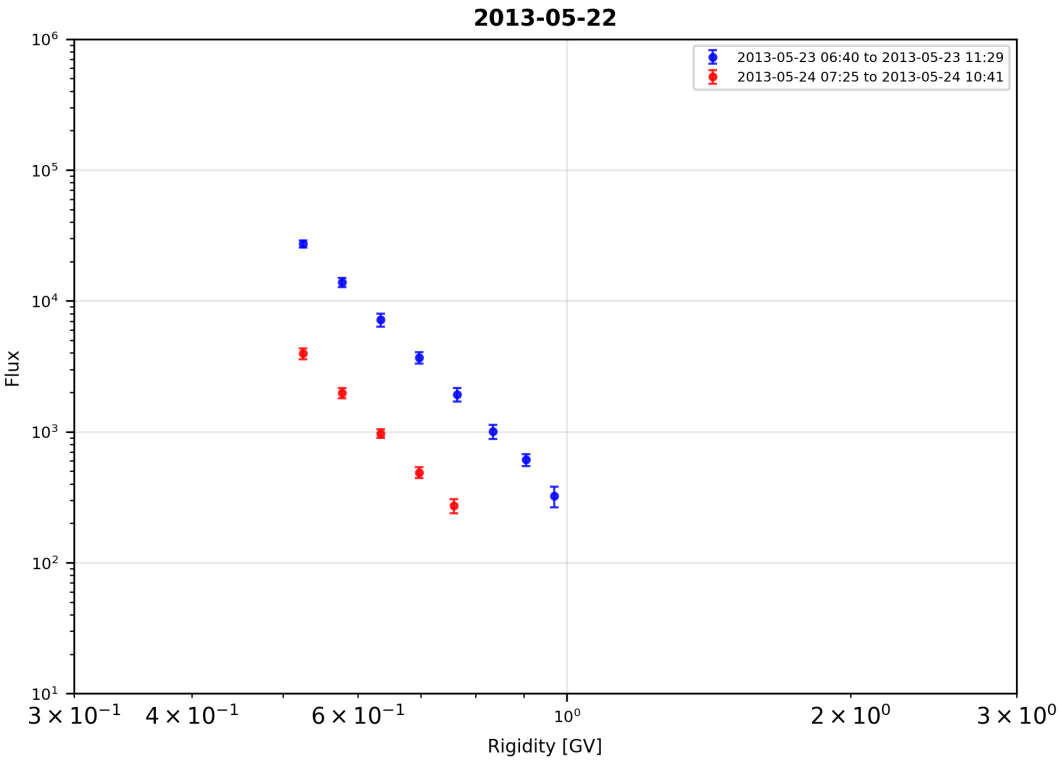
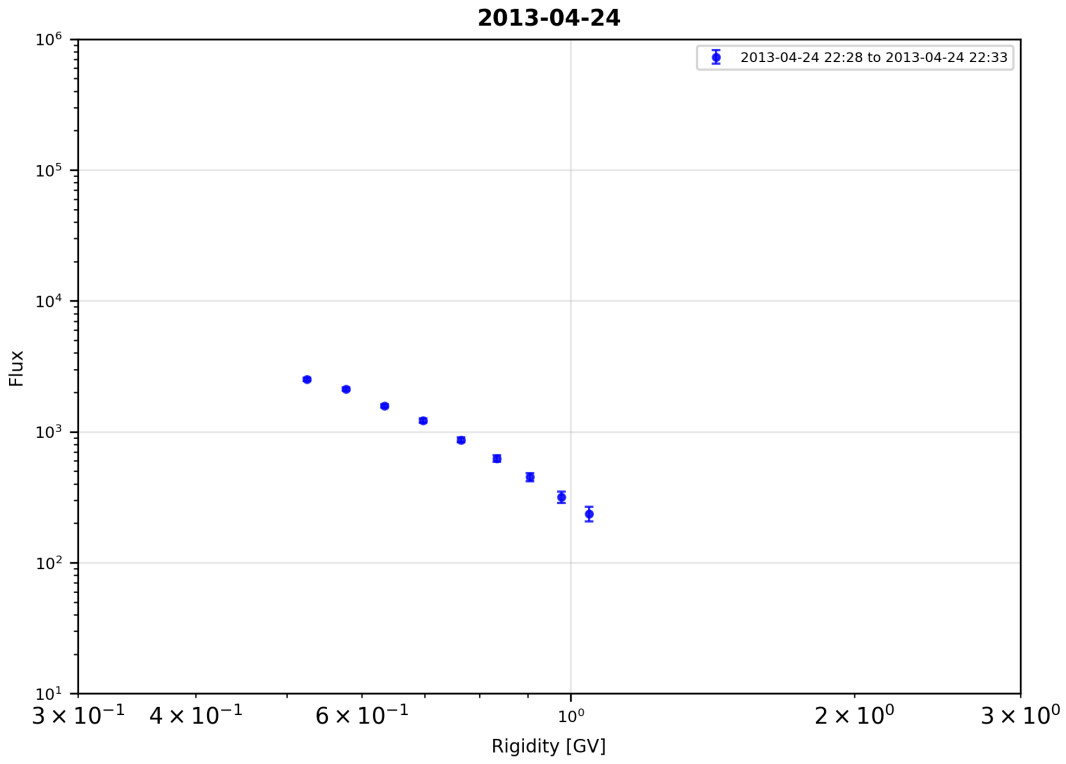
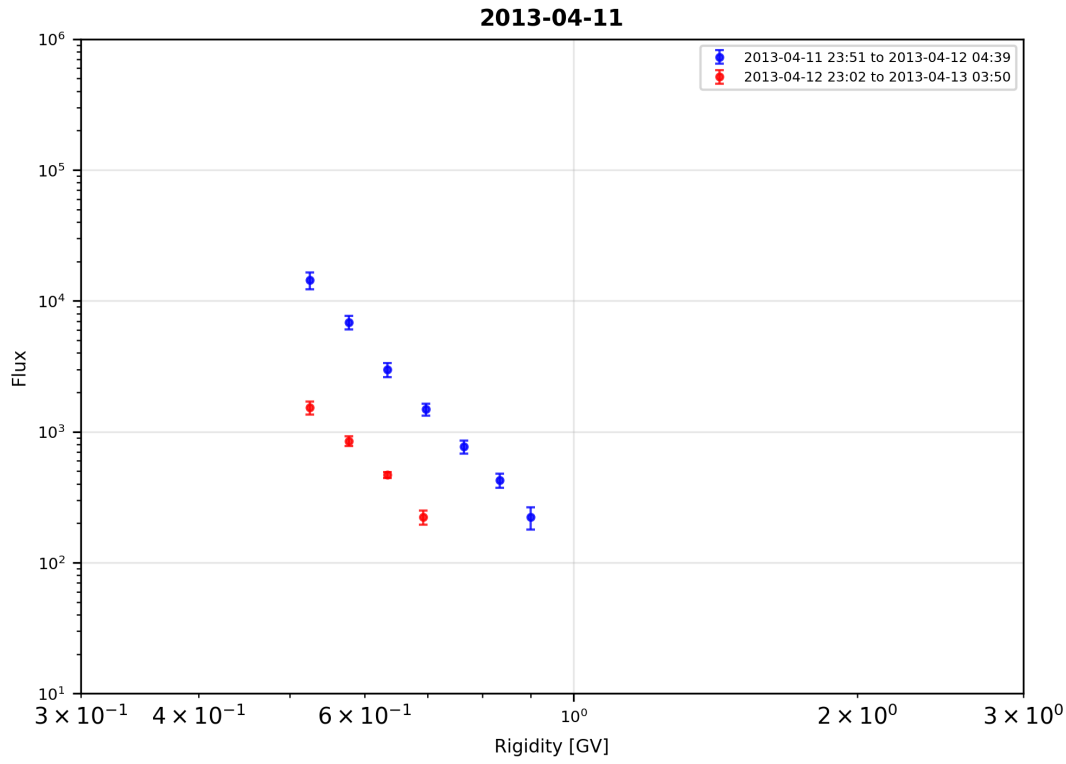
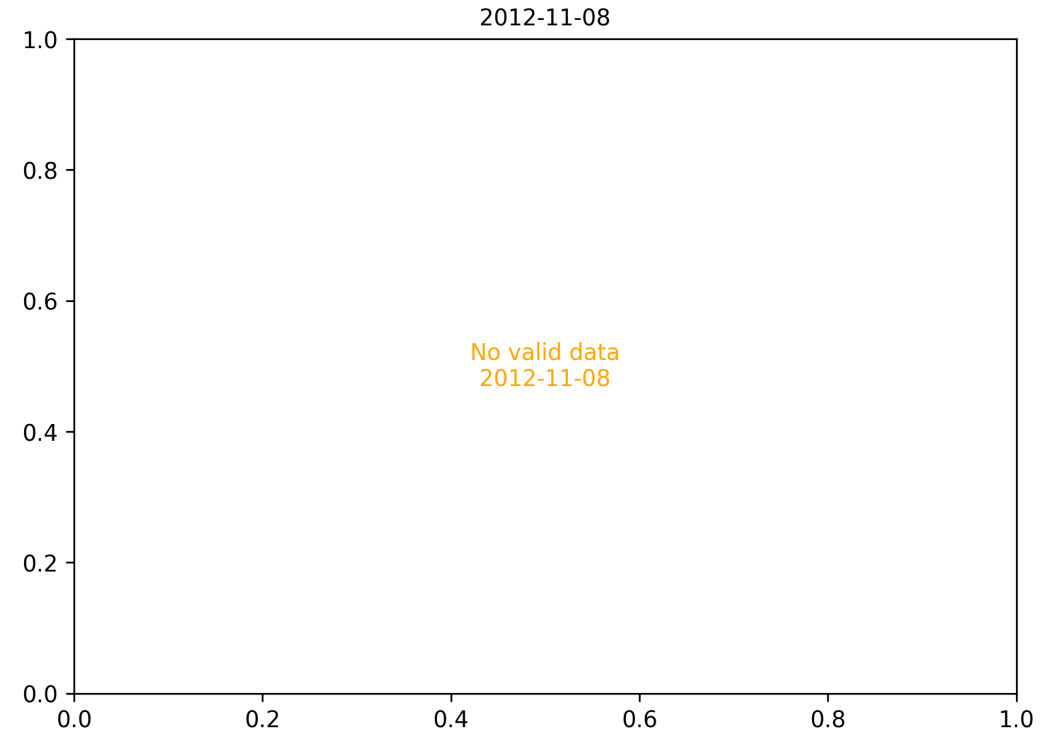
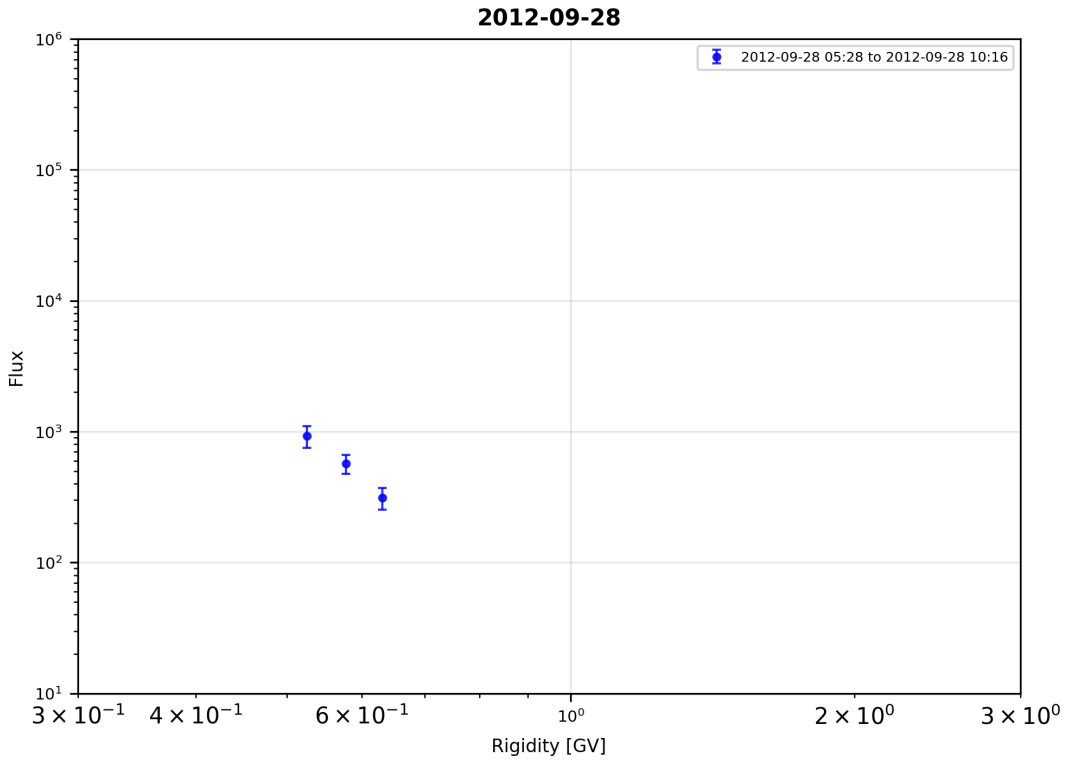
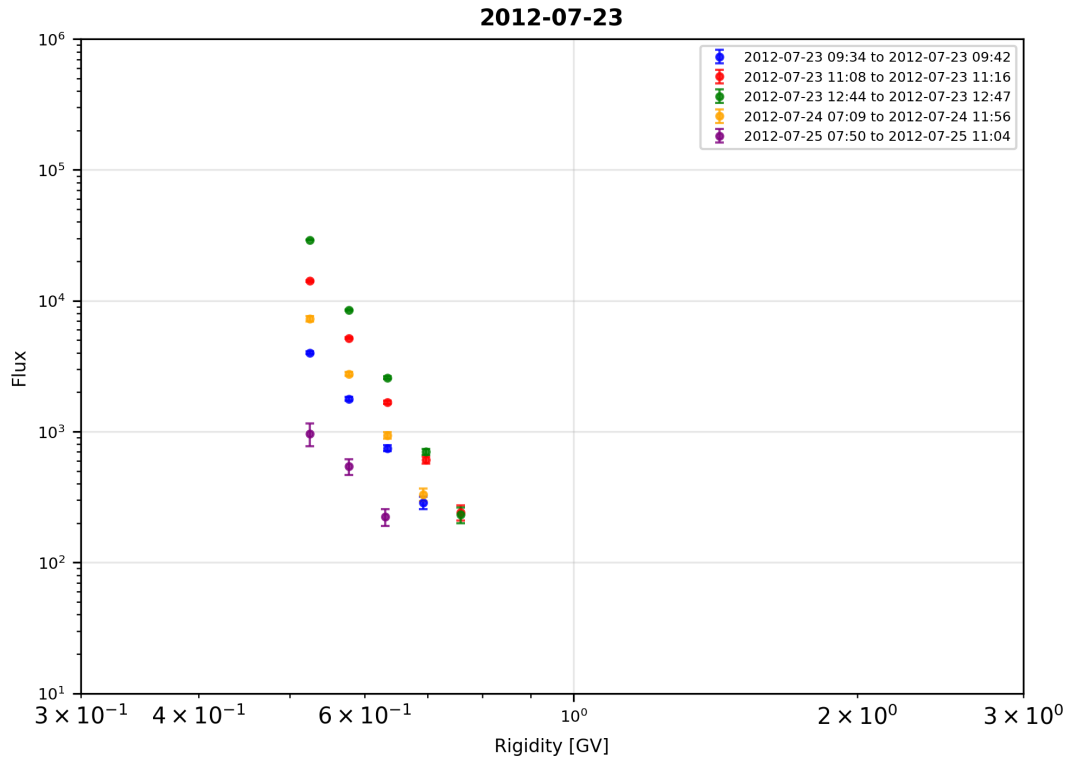
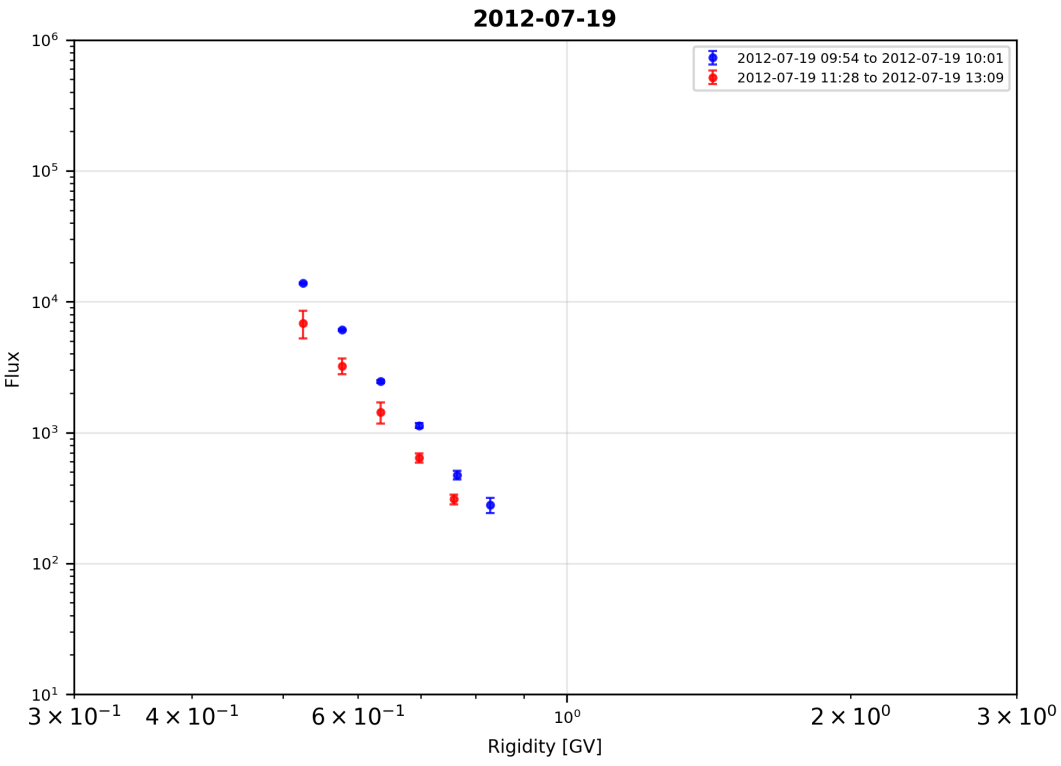
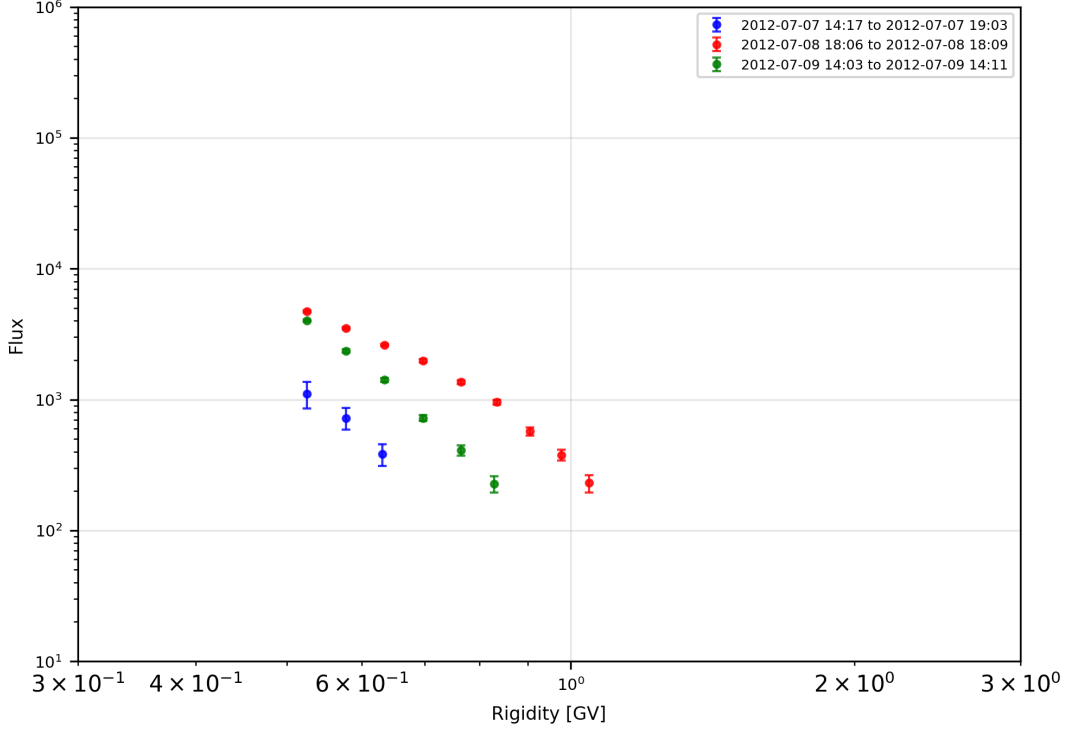
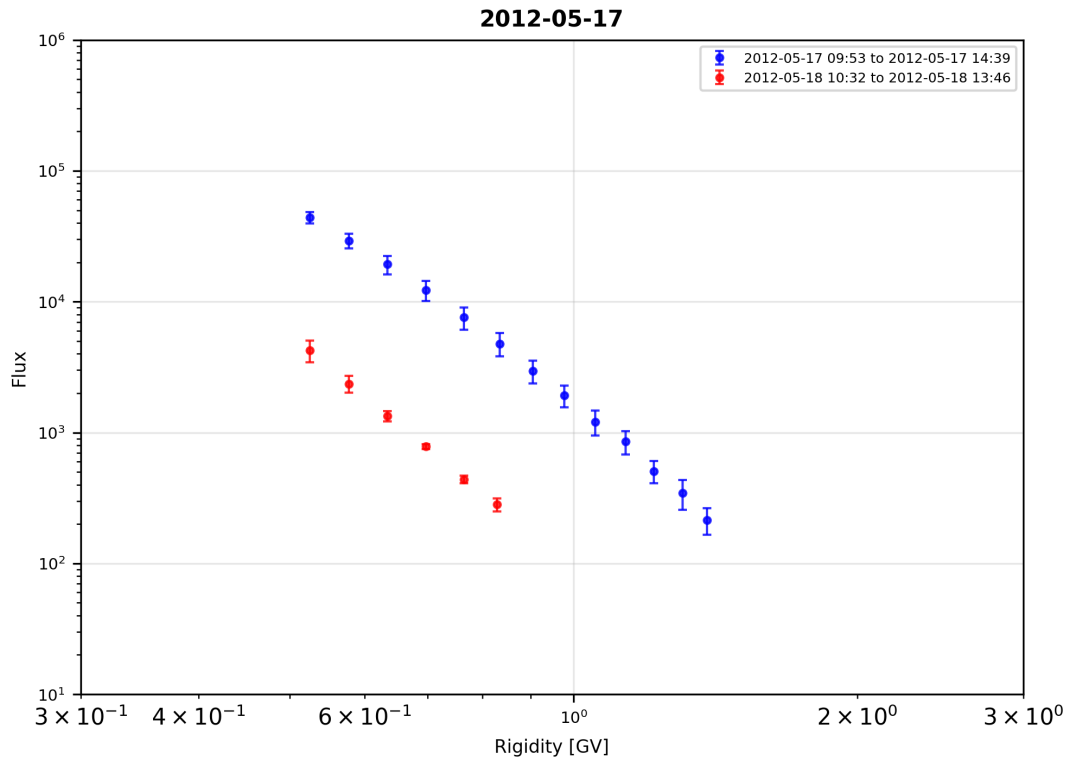
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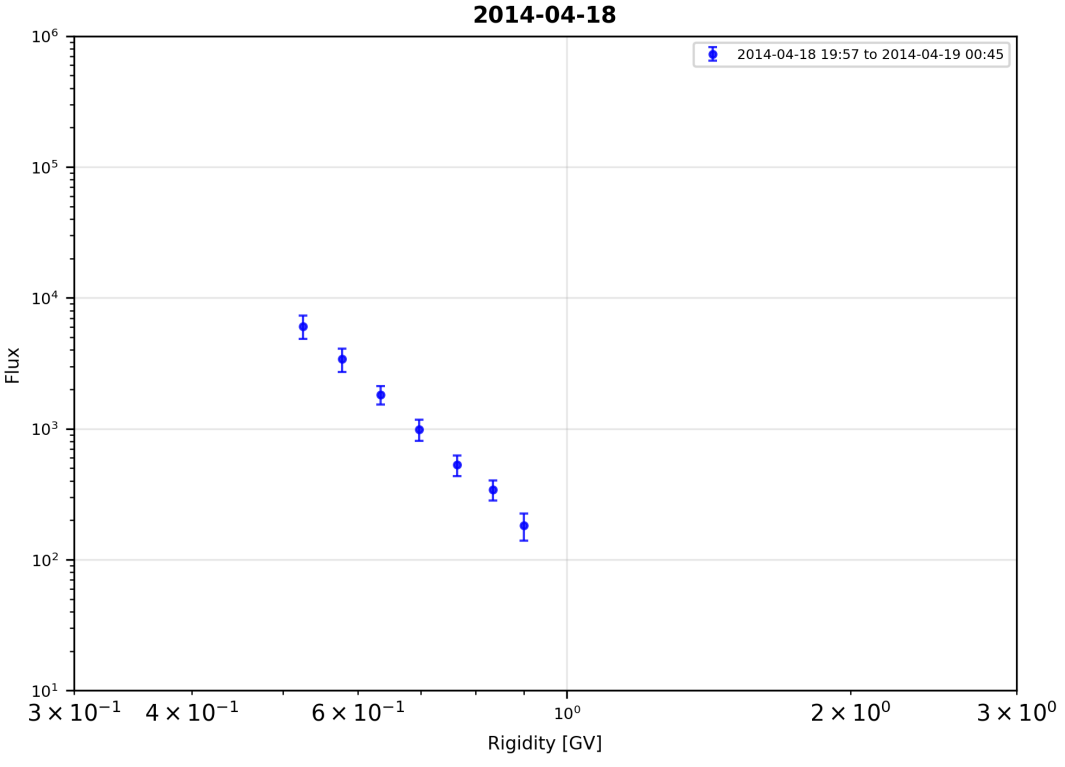
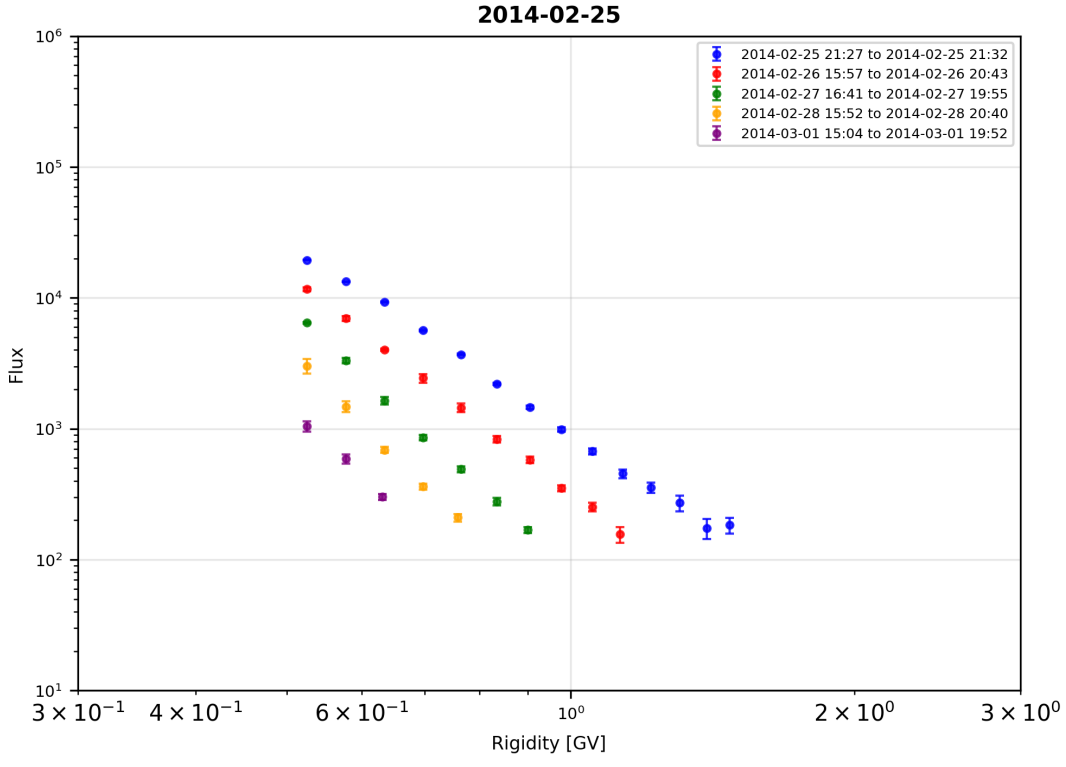
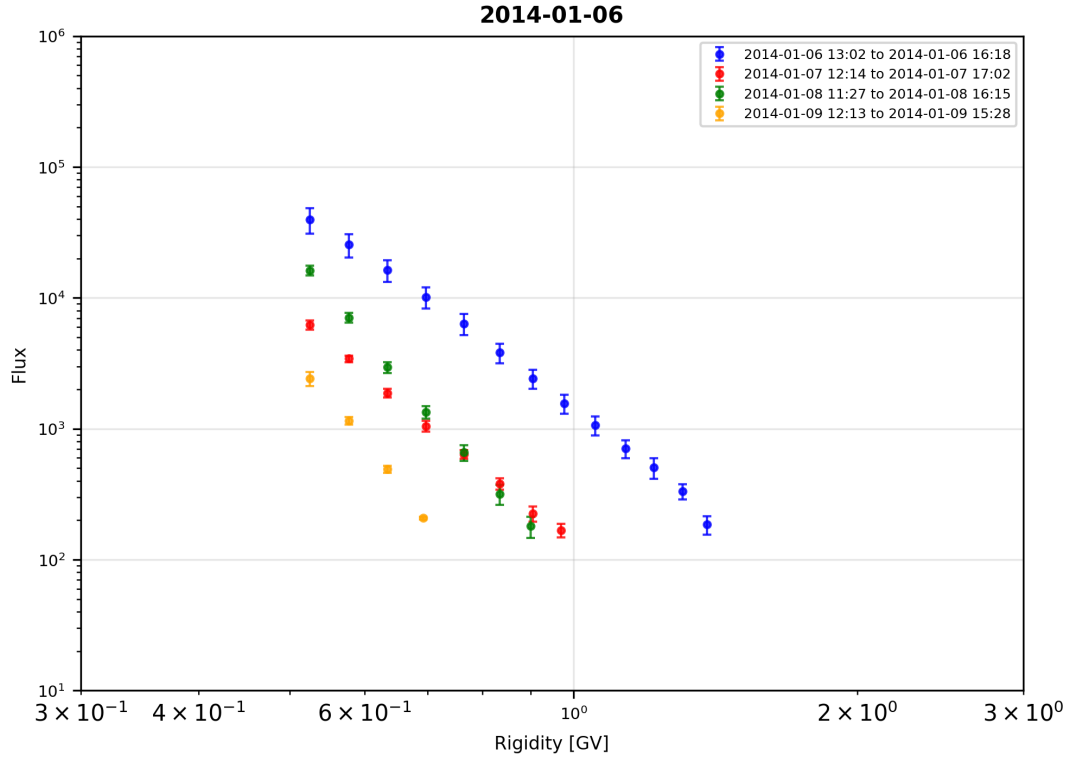
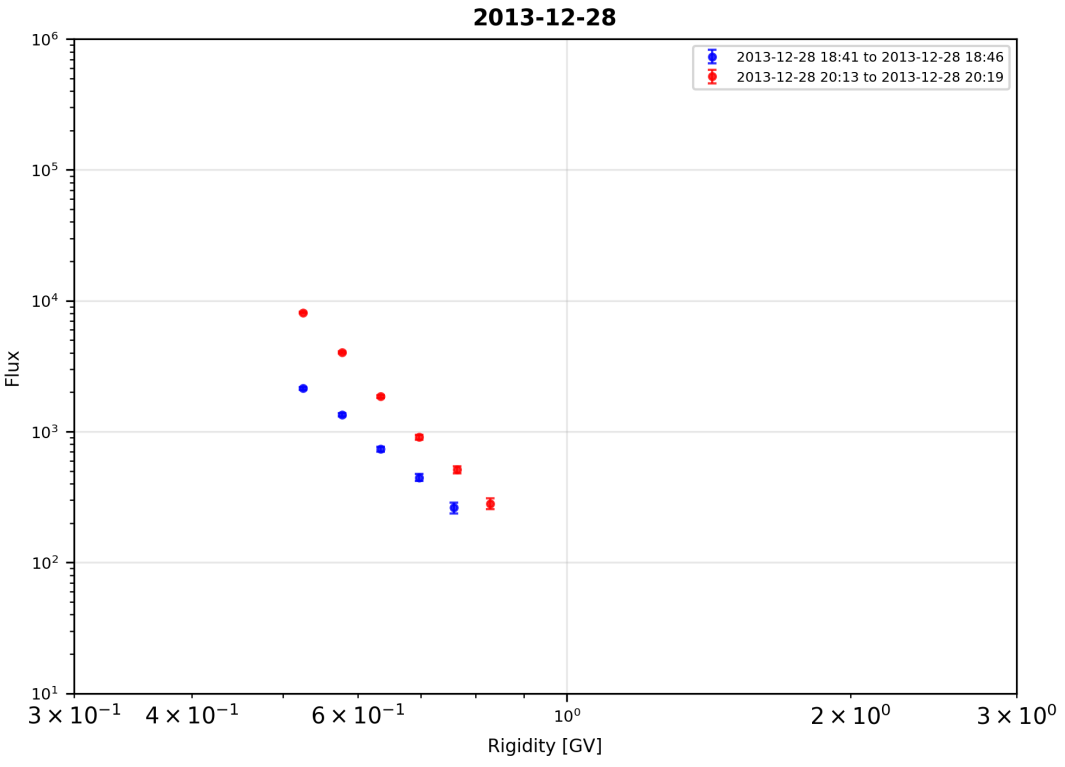
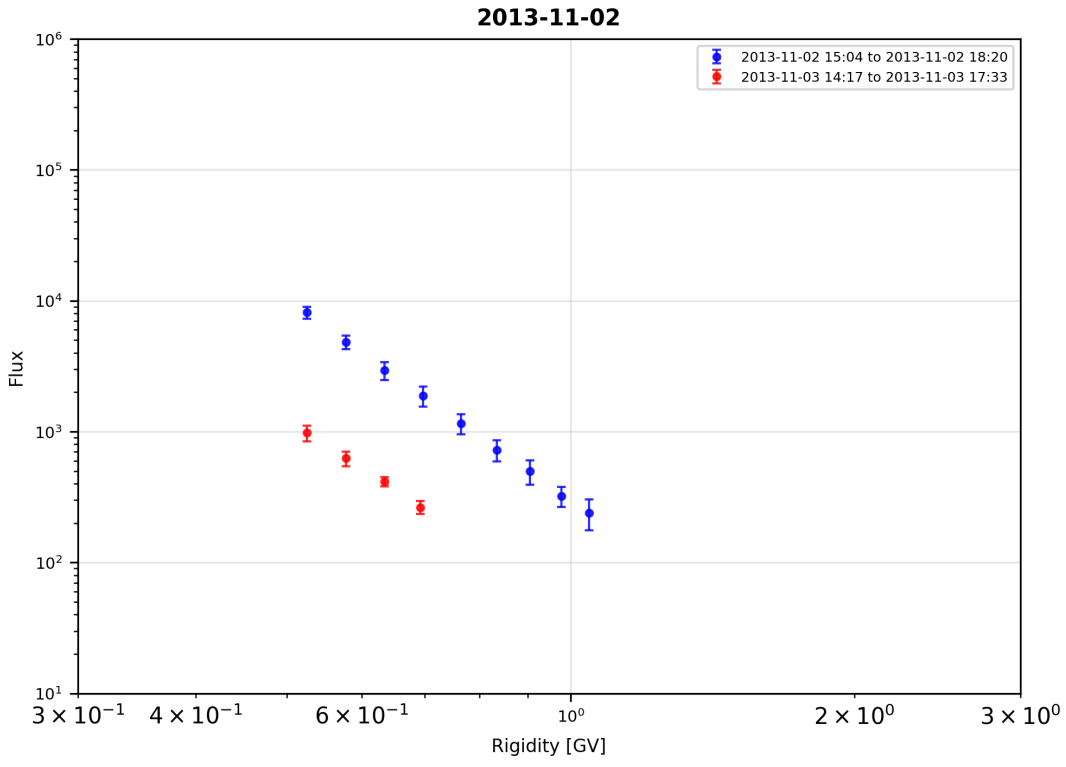
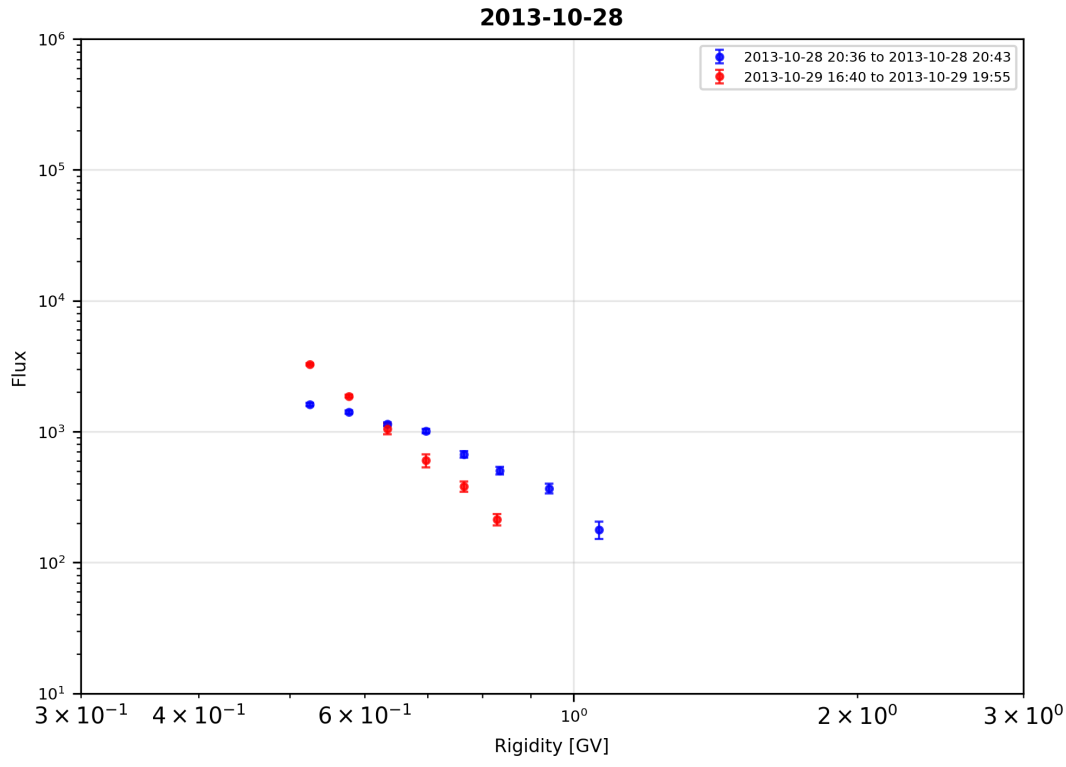
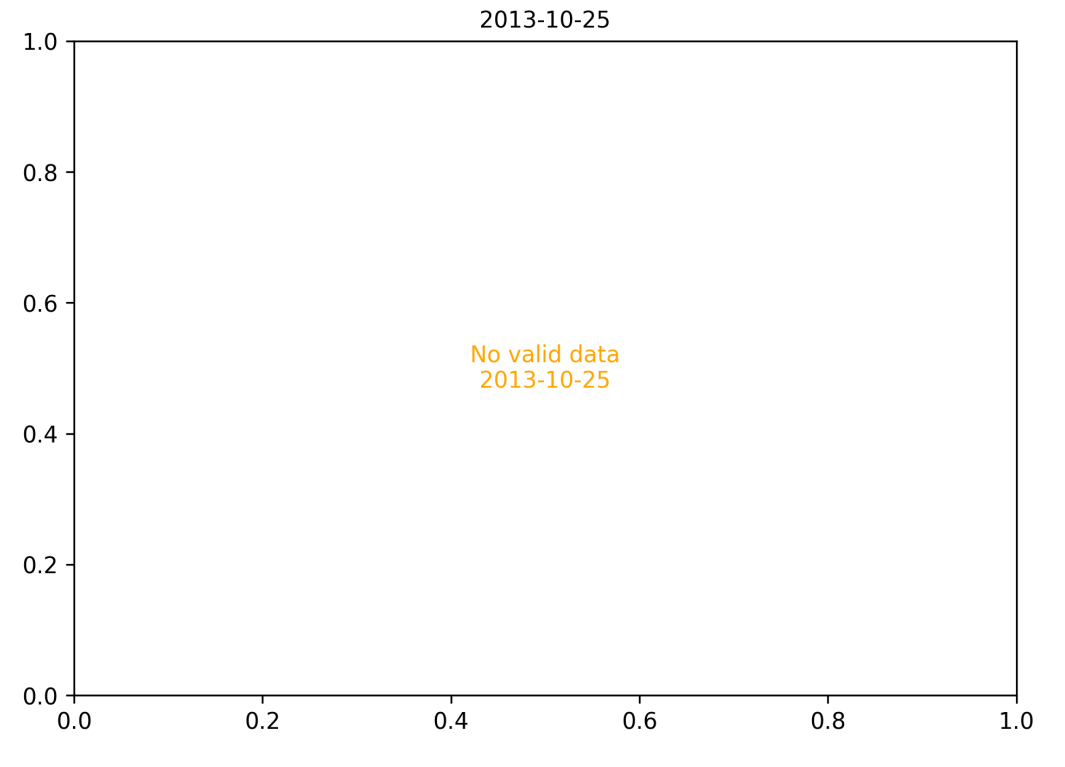
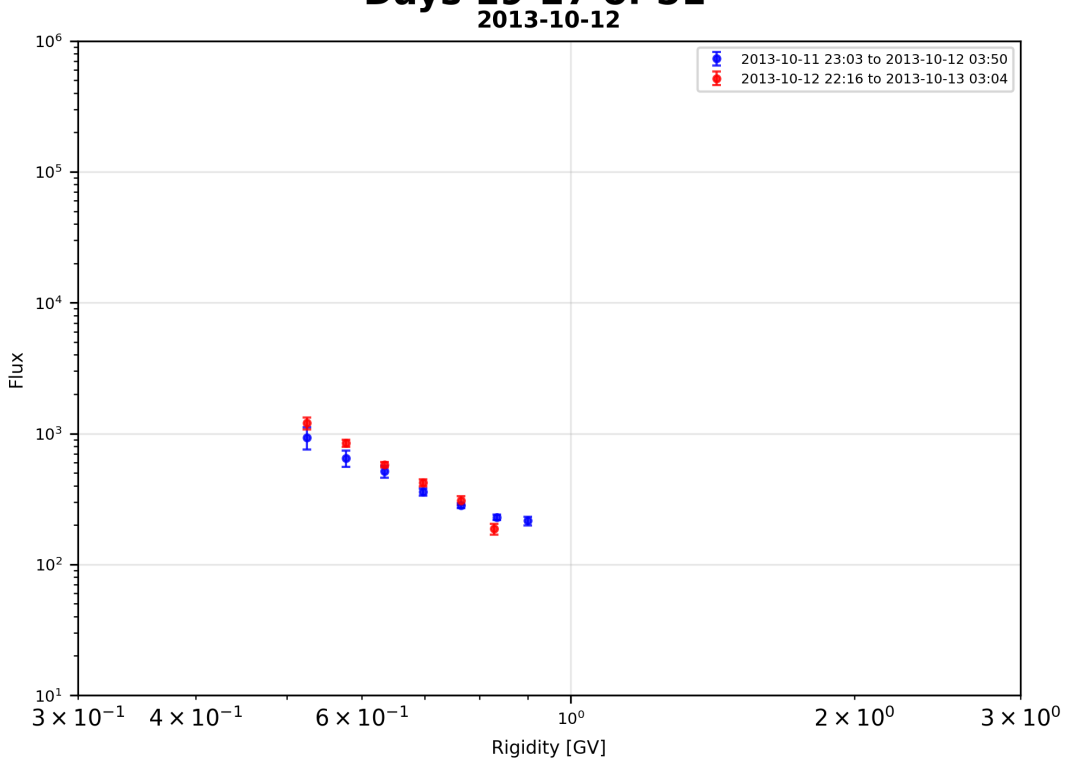
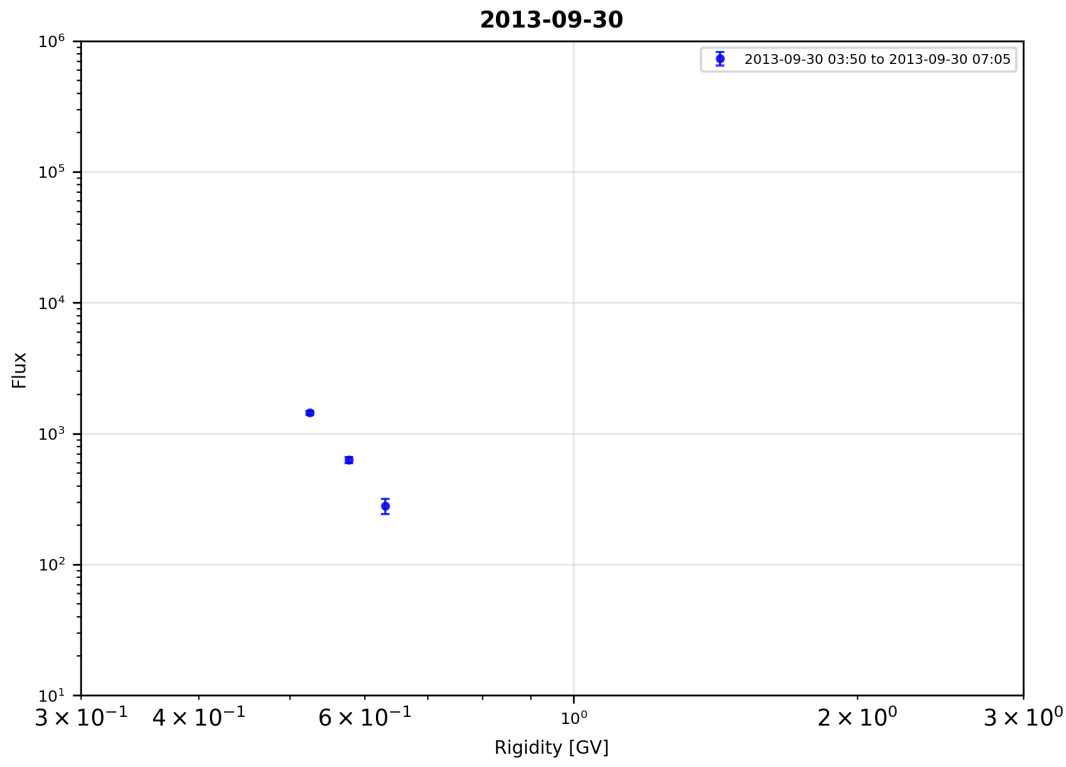
SEP Events Analysis - Group 1
Days 1-9 of 51



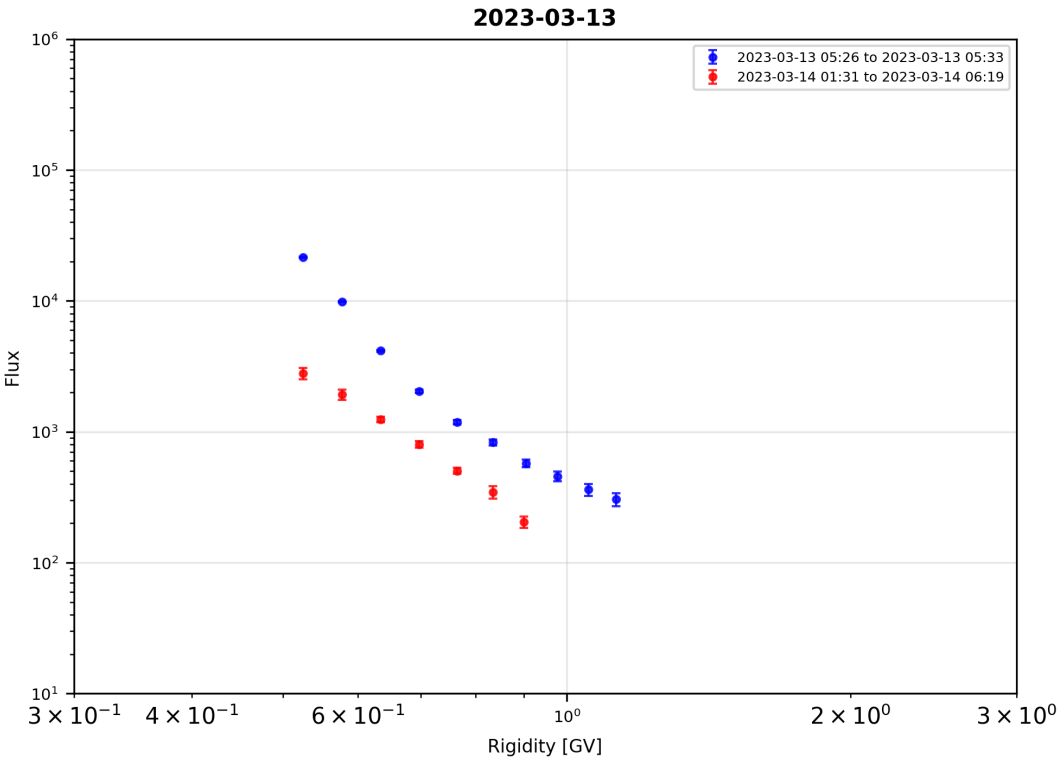
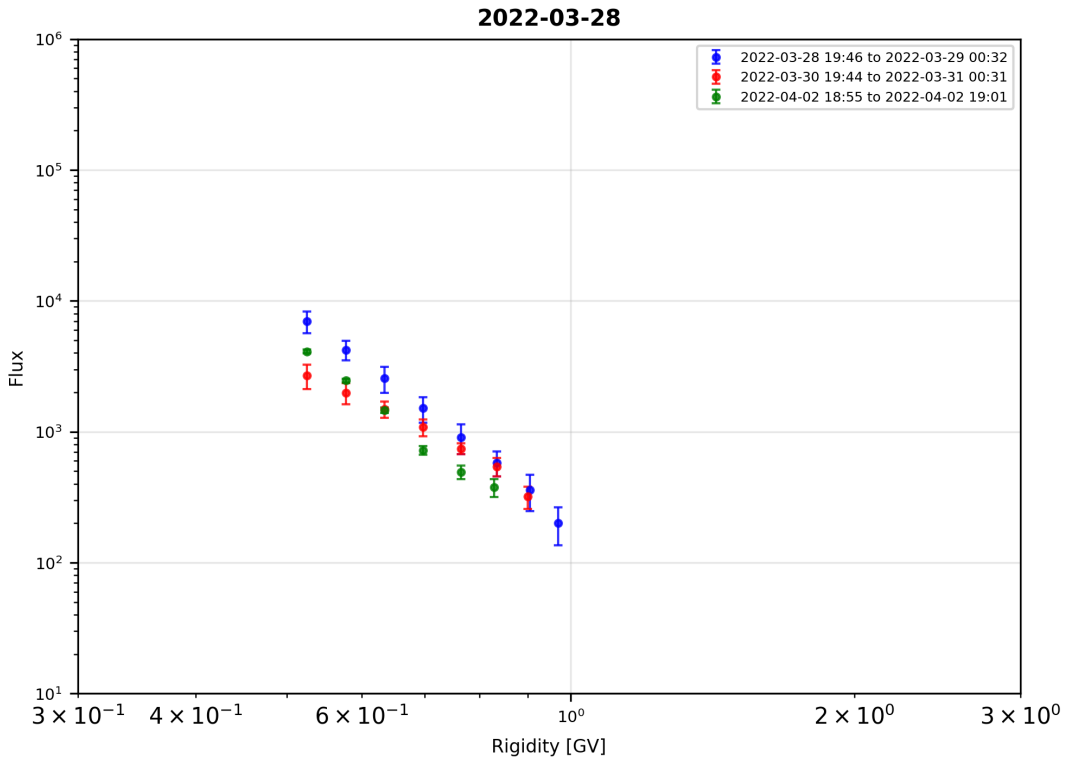
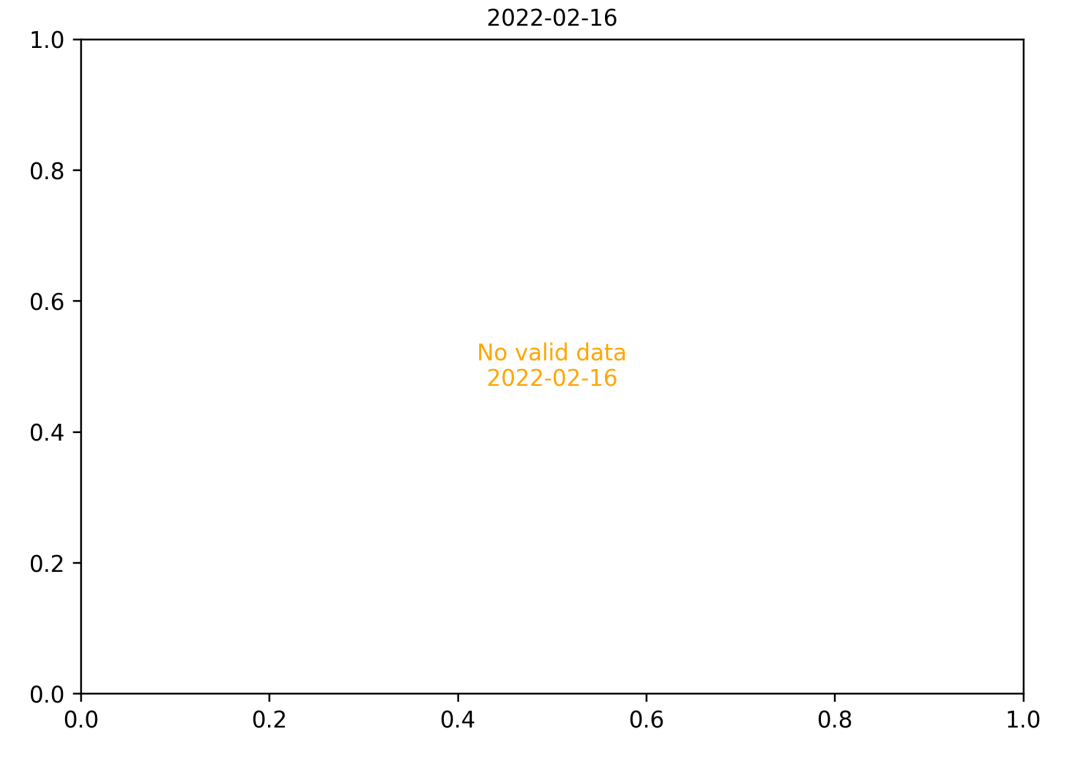
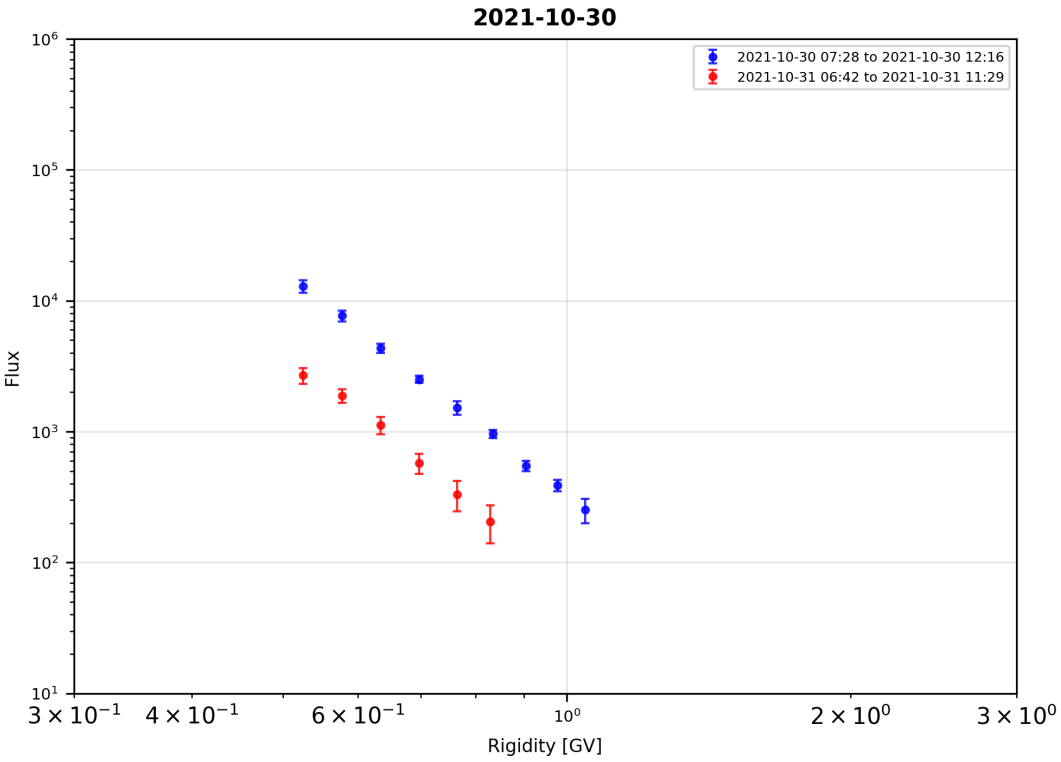
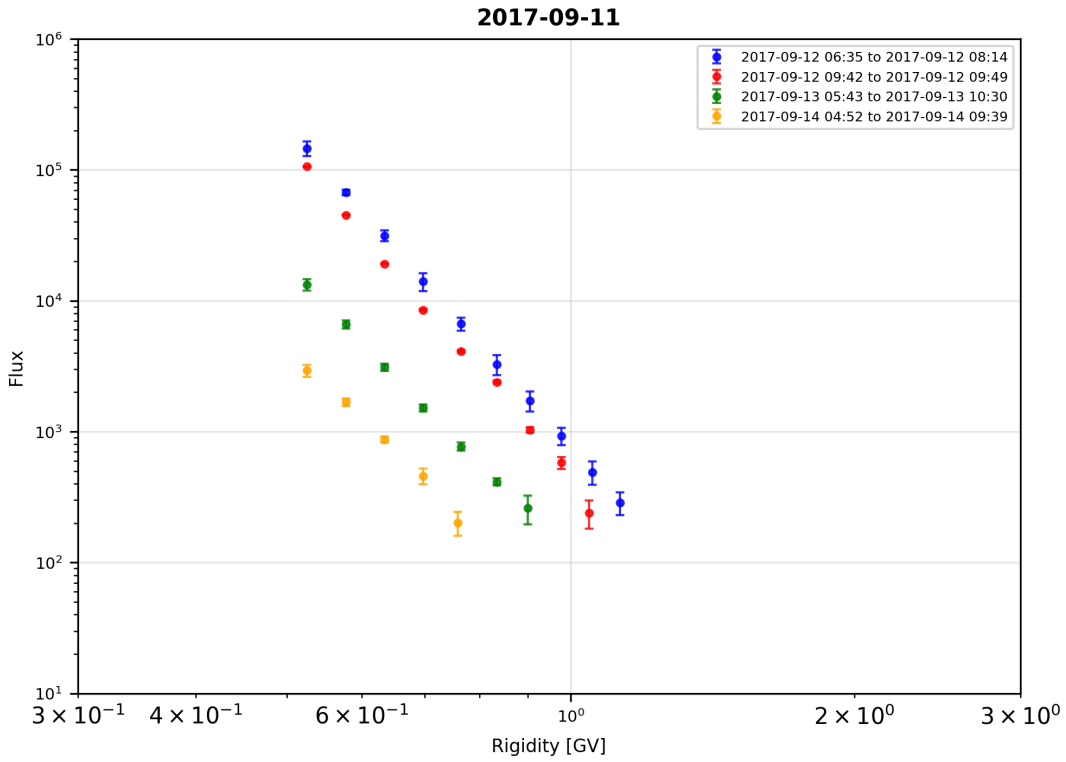
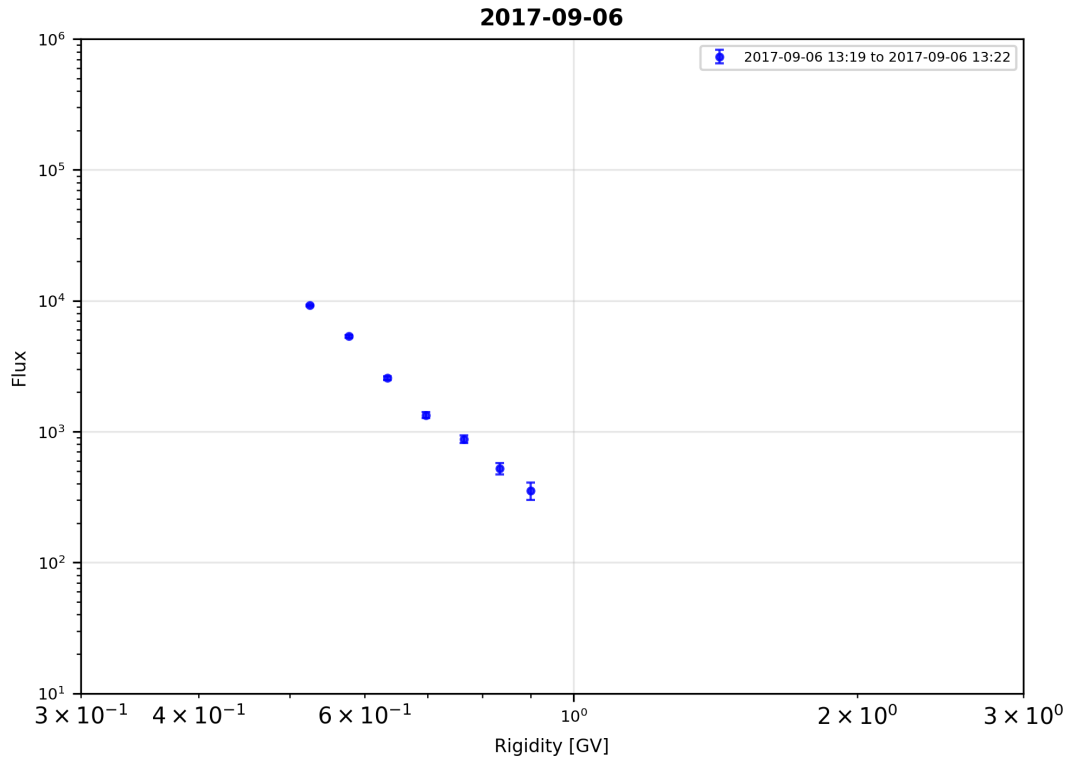
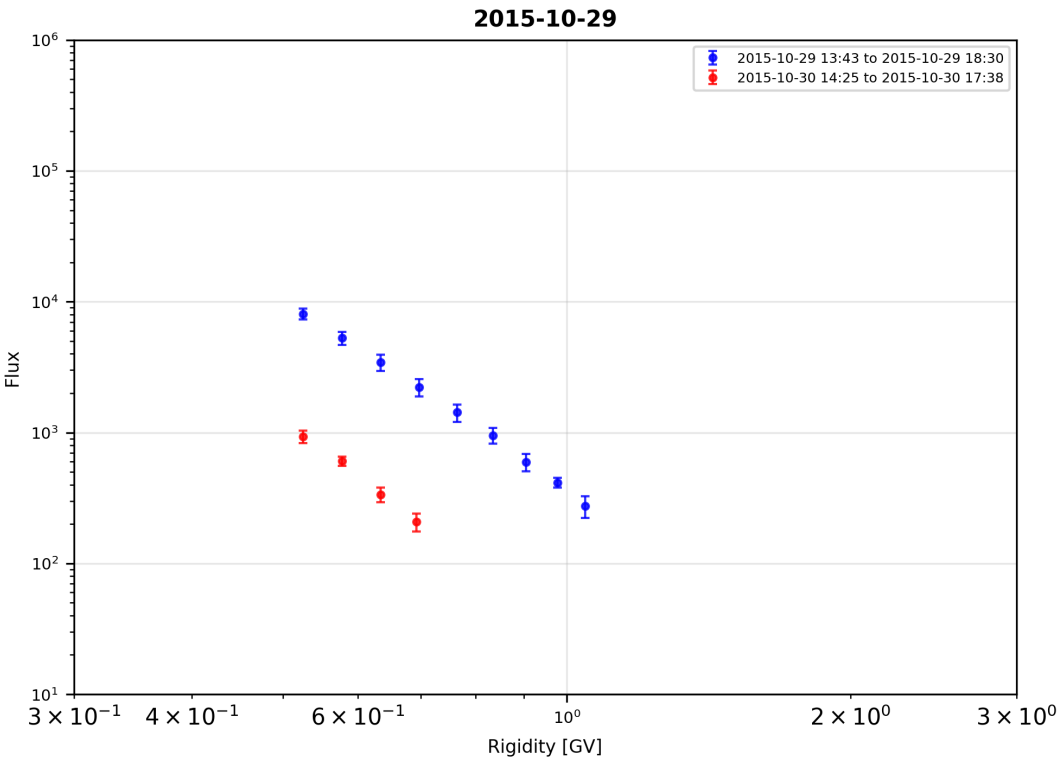
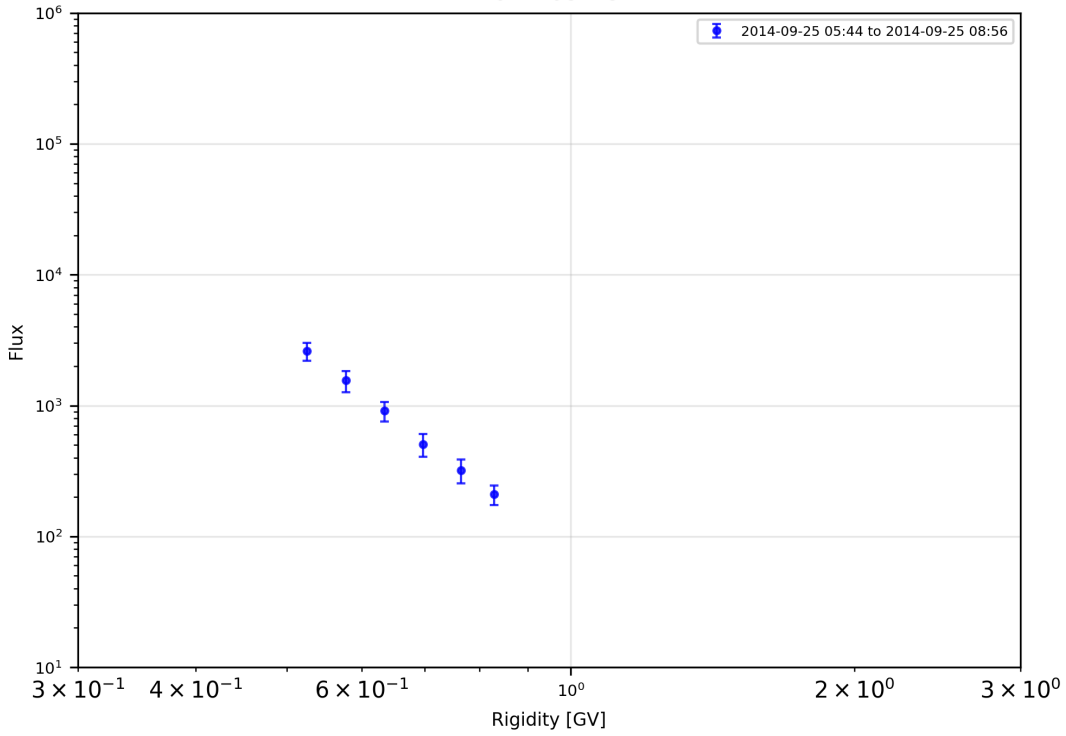
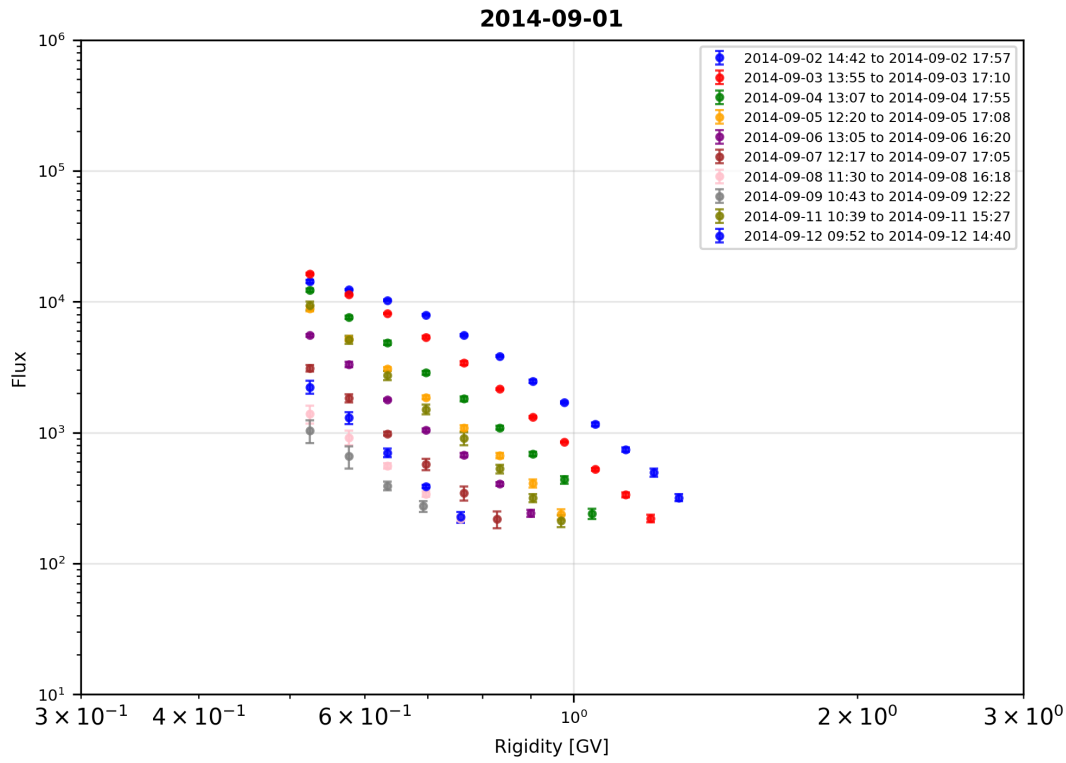
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Days 10-18 of 51
2012-07-07



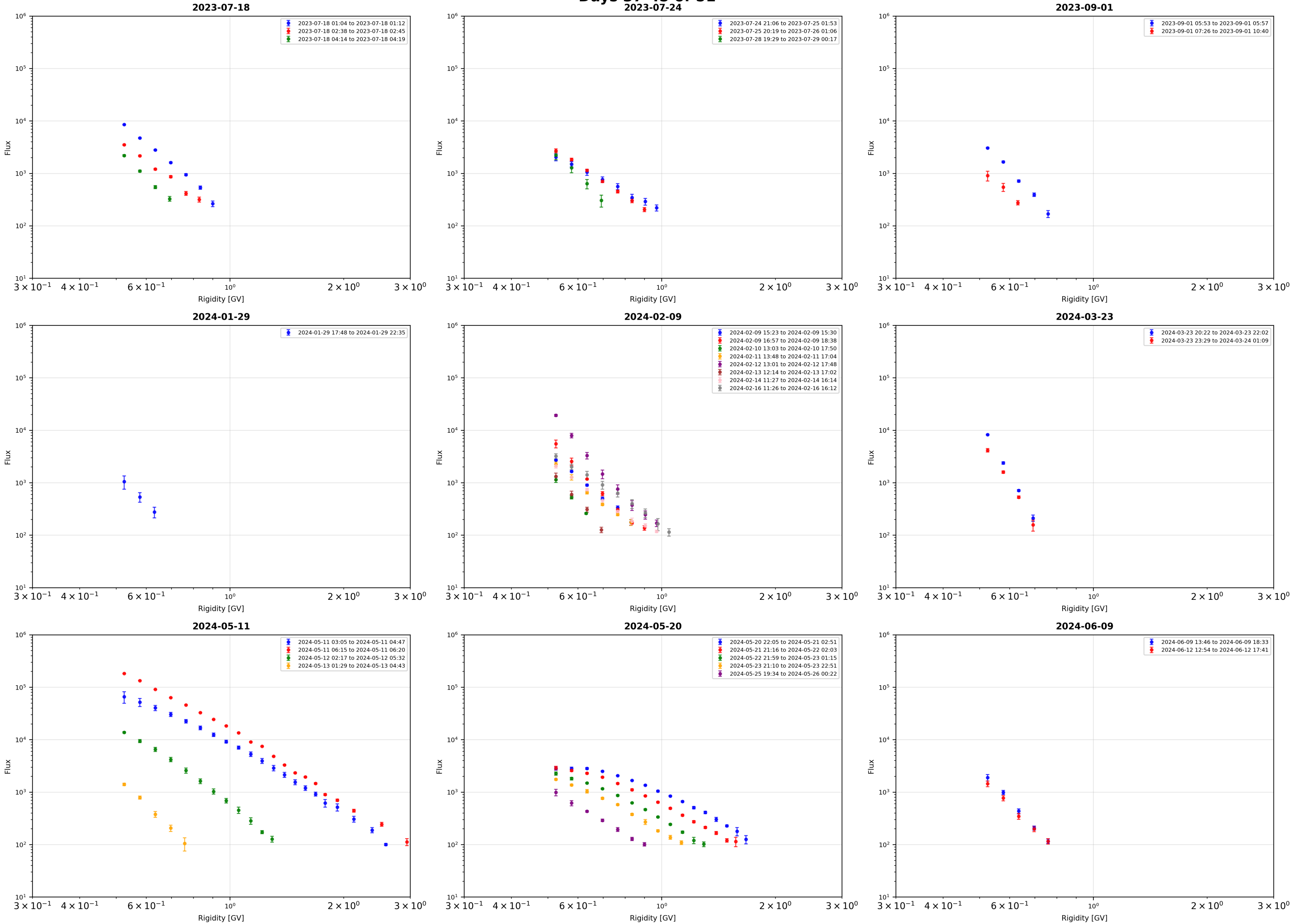
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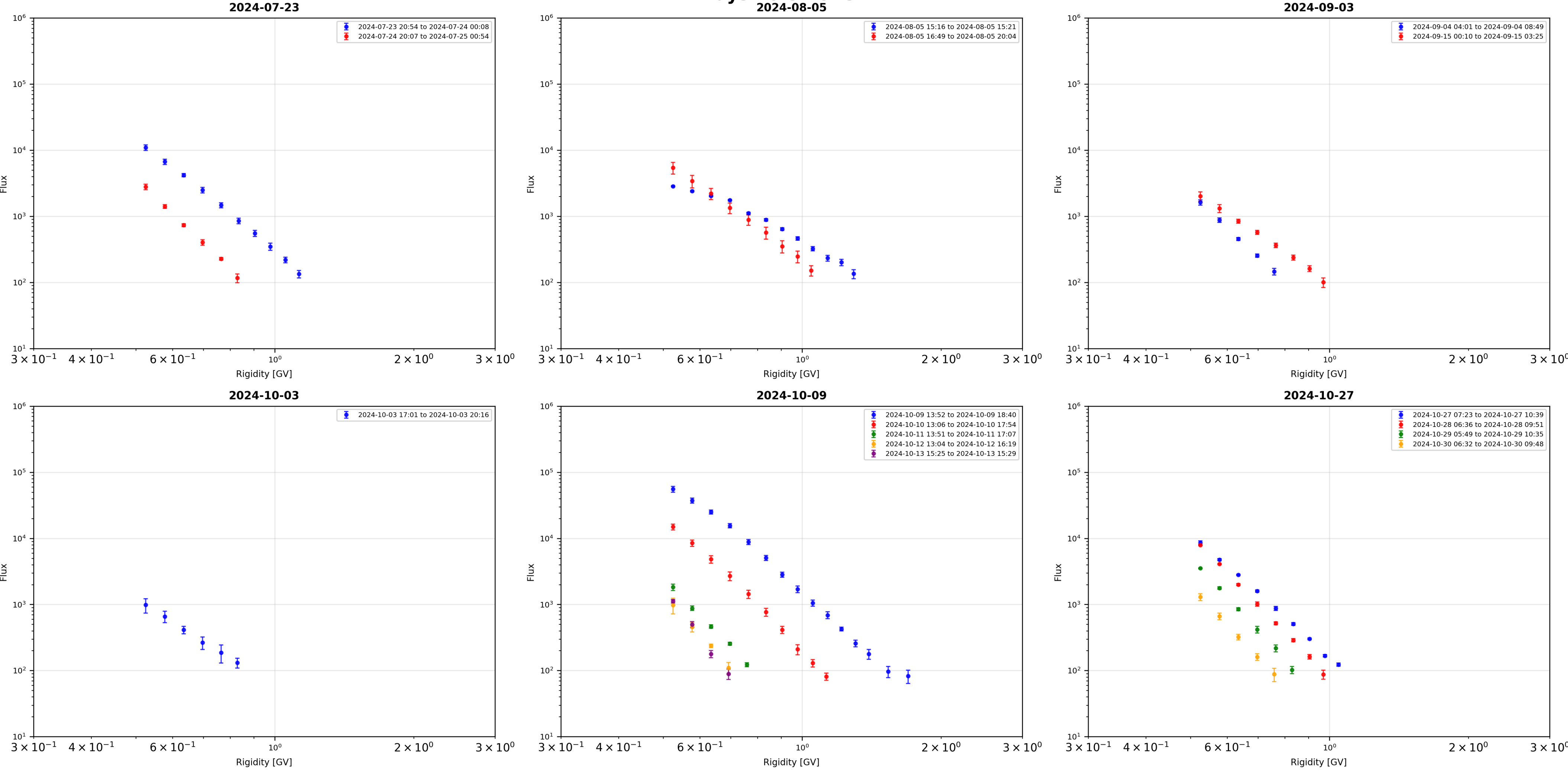
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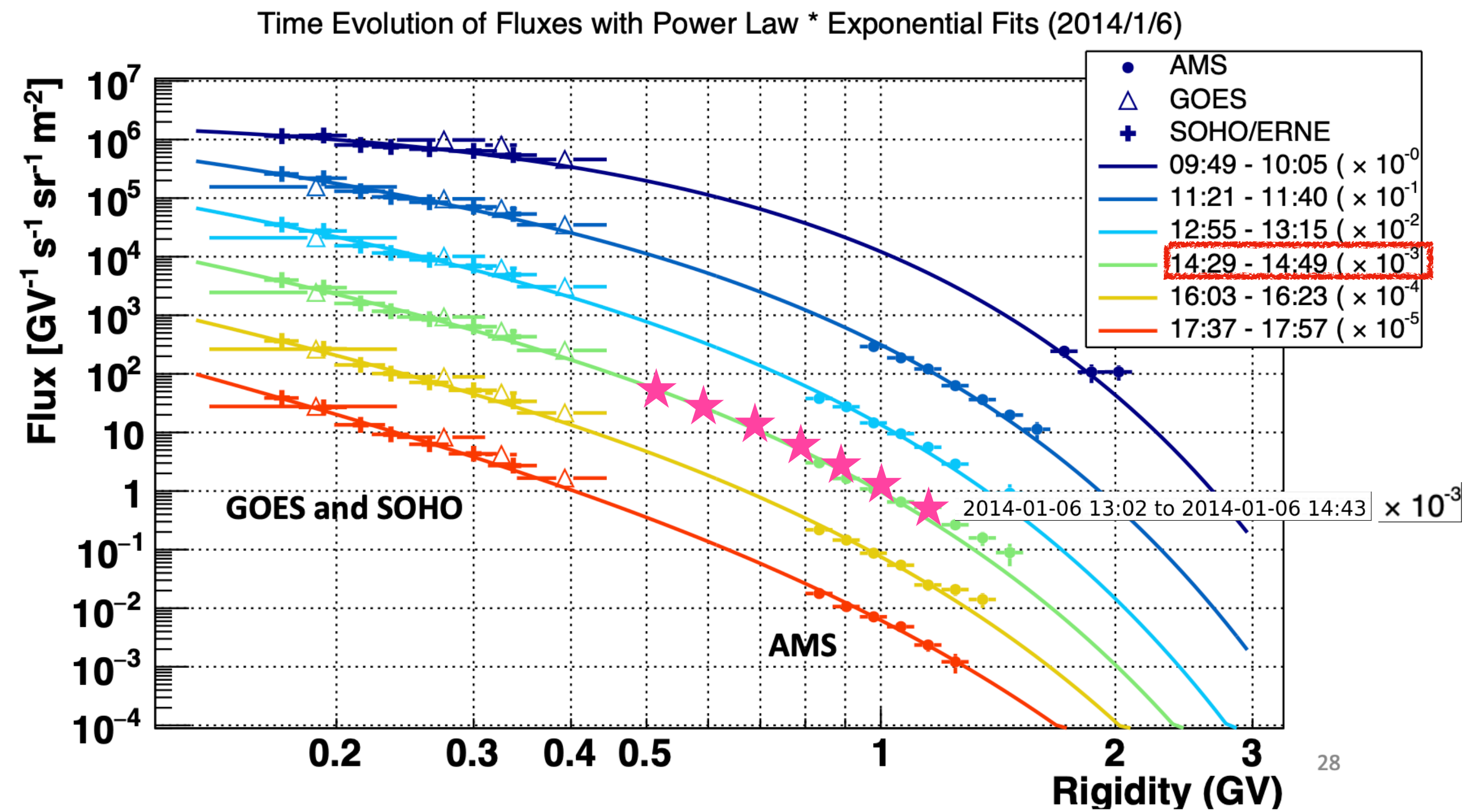
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Days 37-45 of 51
2023-07-24



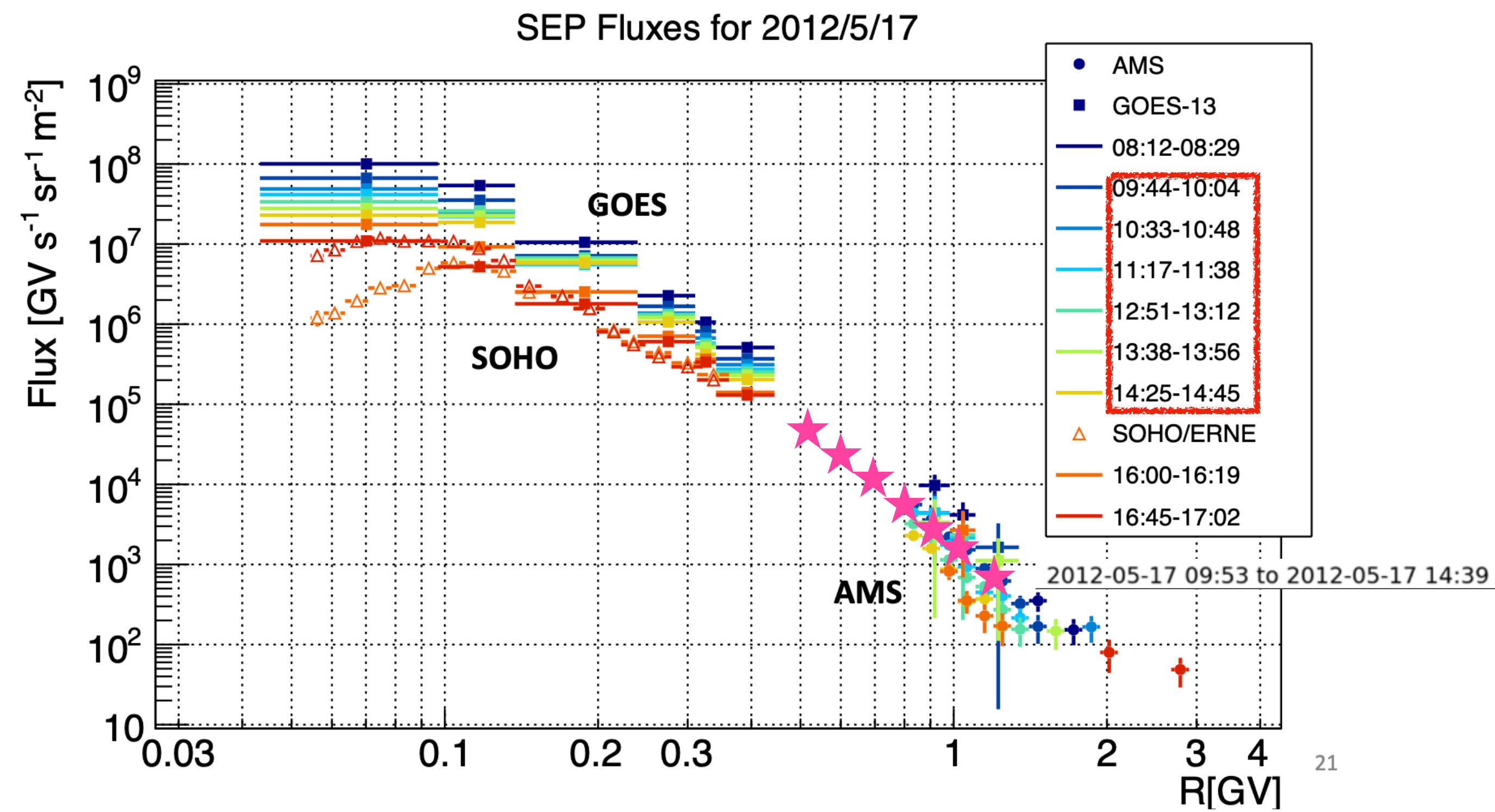
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Days 46-51 of 51



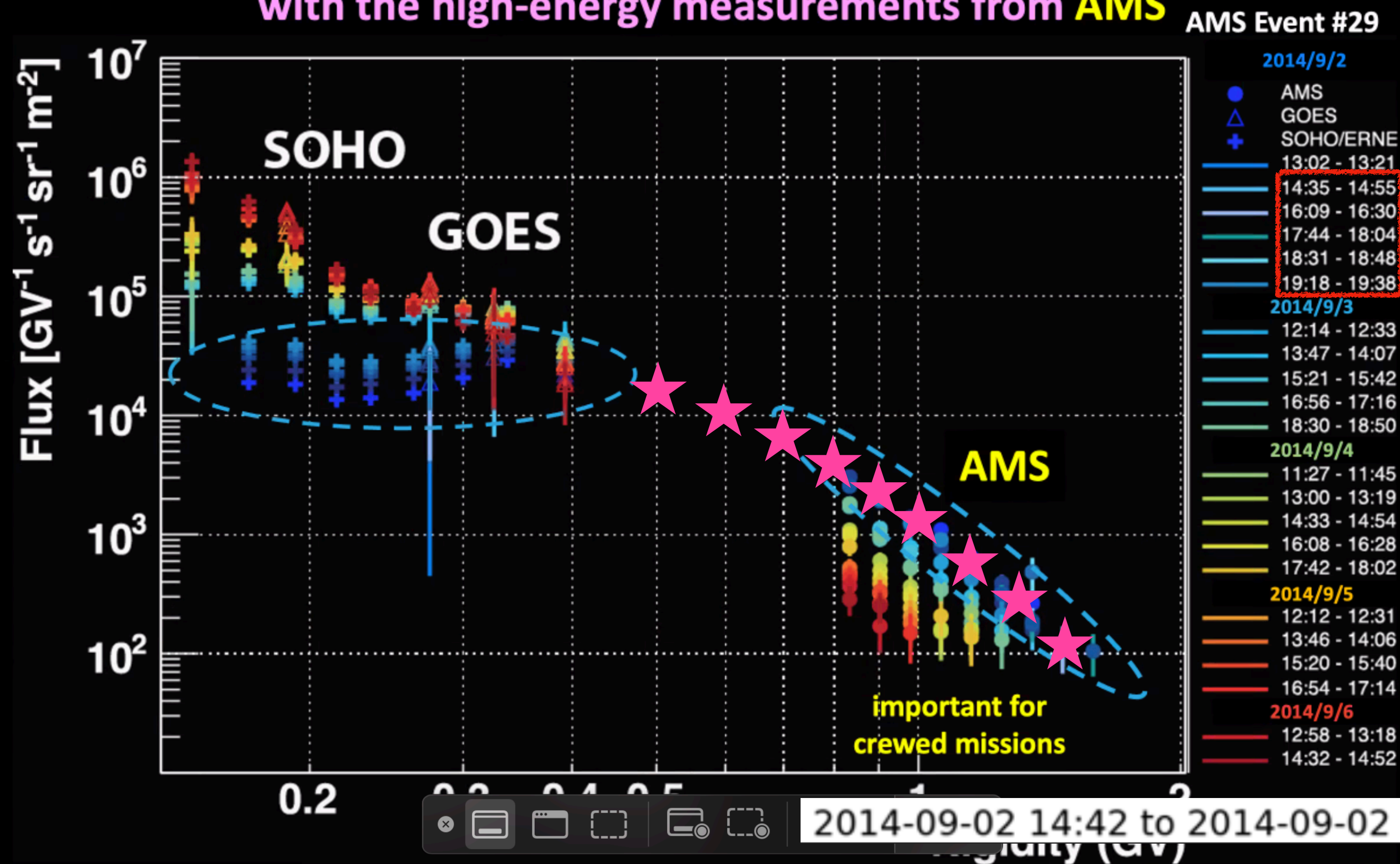
Time Evolution of Spectra – Power Law * Exponential January 6, 2014



SOHO,GOES and AMS Background Subtracted SEP Proton Fluxes



SEP time evolution over 5 days in two different rigidity ranges:
 Low-energy measurements by SOHO and GOES are not connected
 with the high-energy measurements from AMS



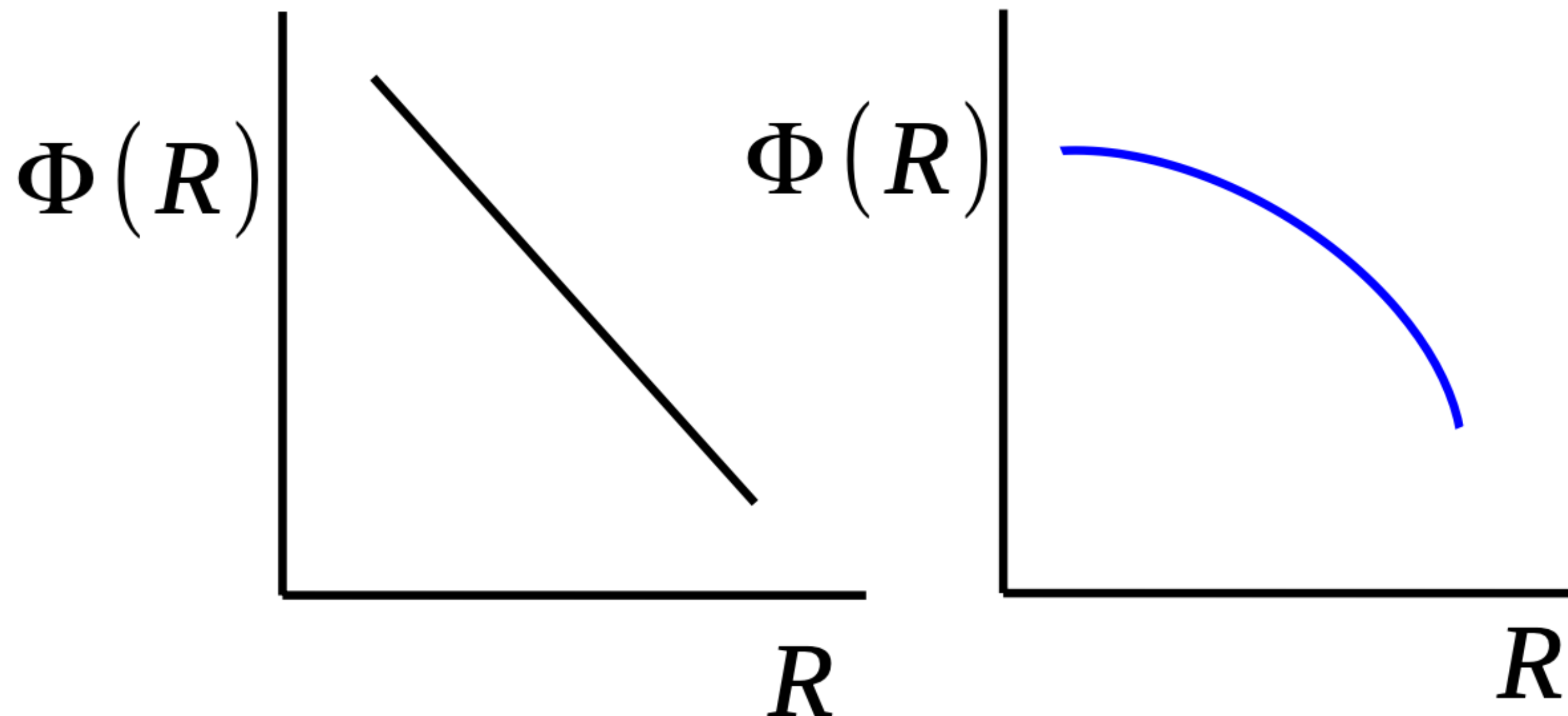
SEP Spectral Shape Analysis

Modified power law with exponential variation in log.10 of rigidity

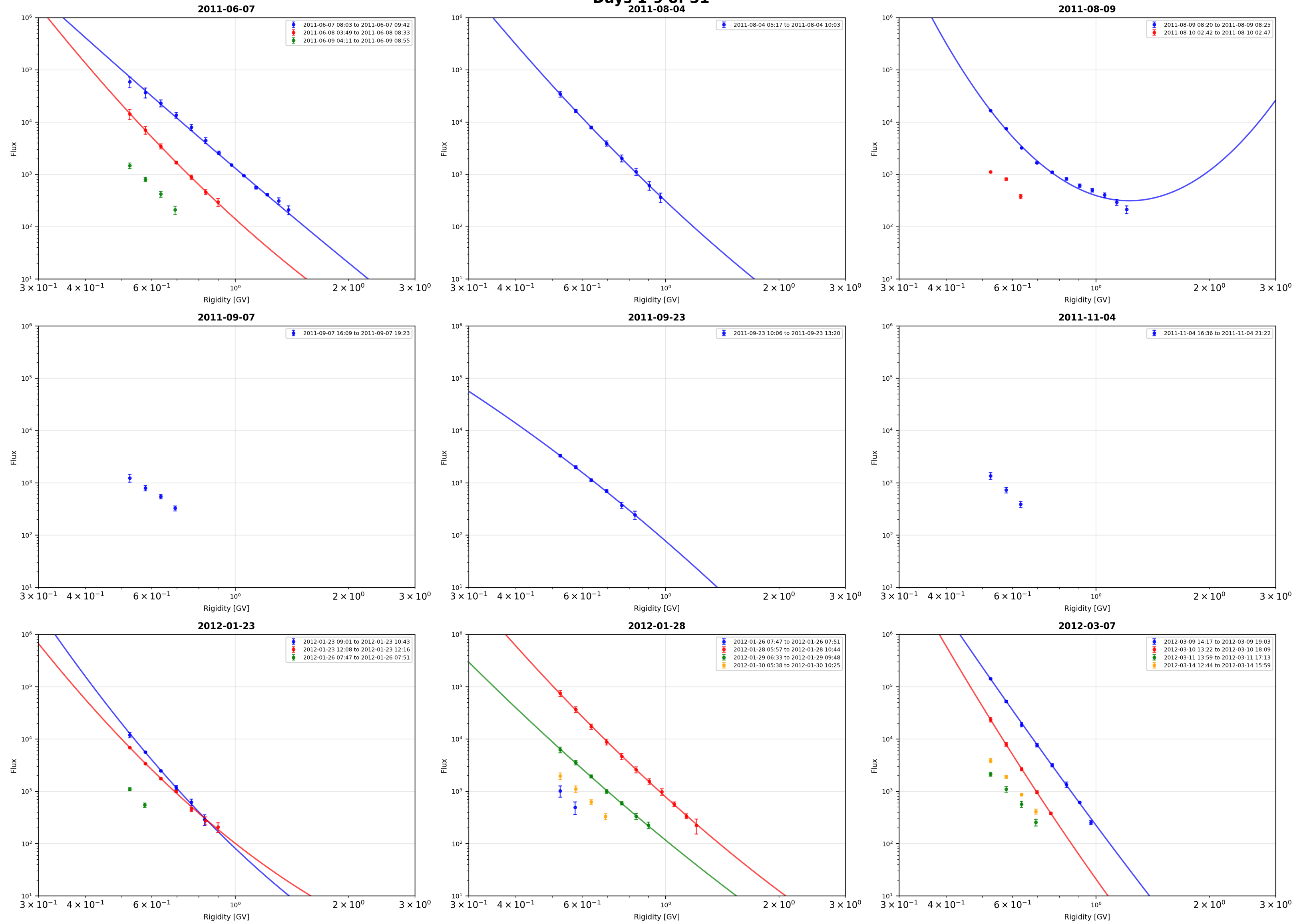
$$\Phi(R) = A \left(\frac{R}{R_0} \right)^{-[\gamma + \delta \log(R/R_0)]}$$

$$R_0 = 0.5 [GV]$$

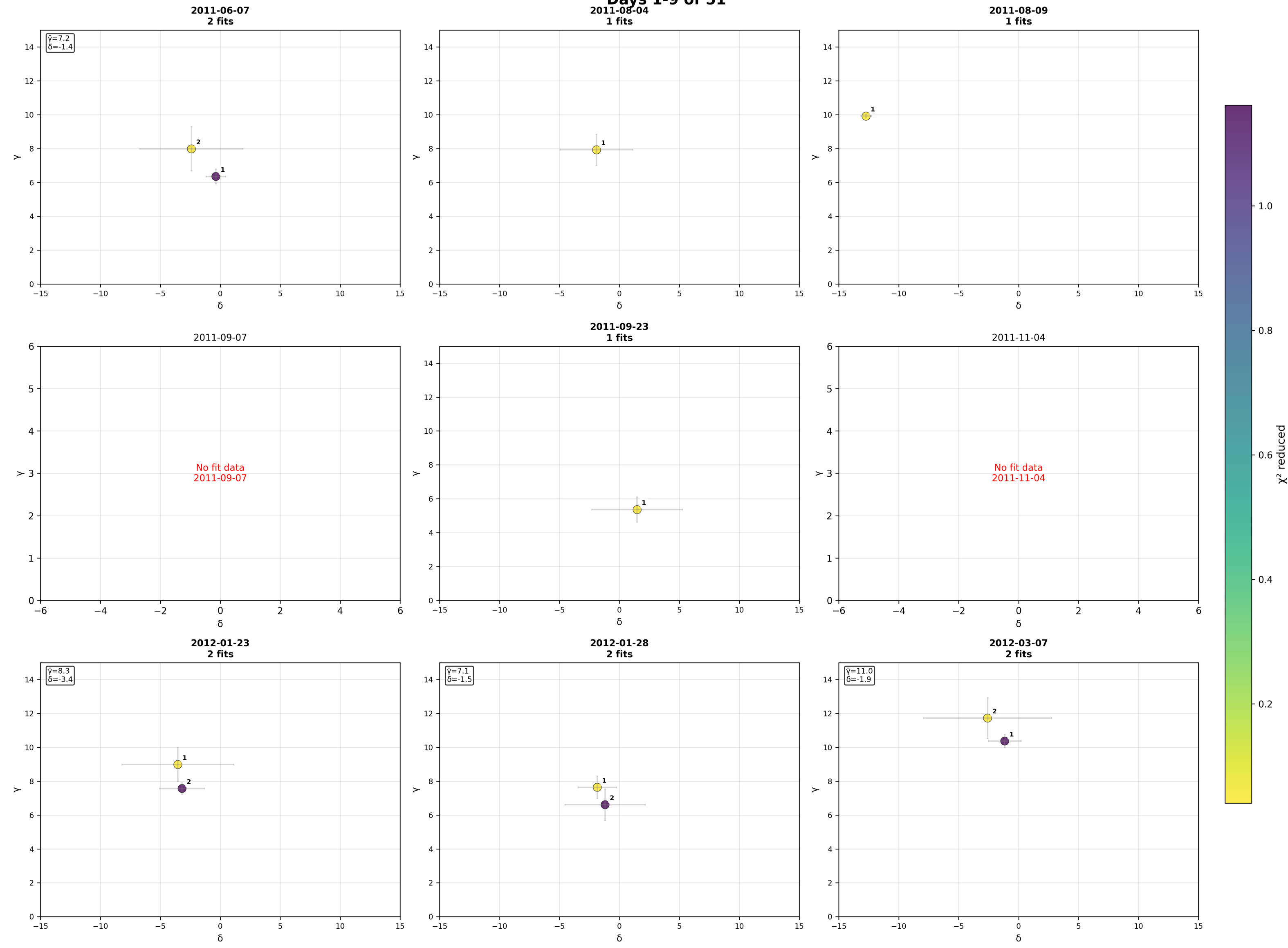
$\delta \simeq 0$ Single power law $\delta > 0$ Rolling behavior



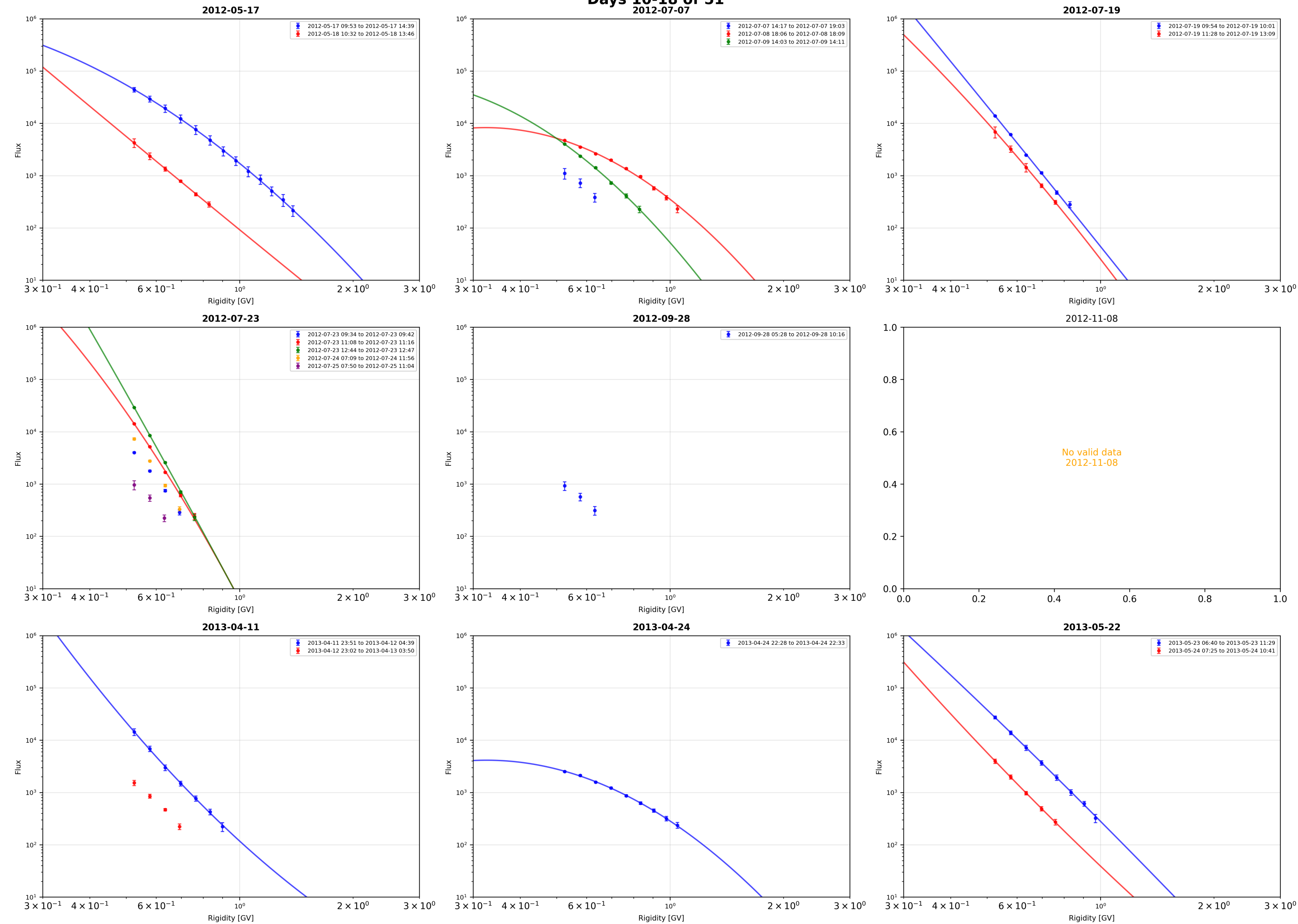
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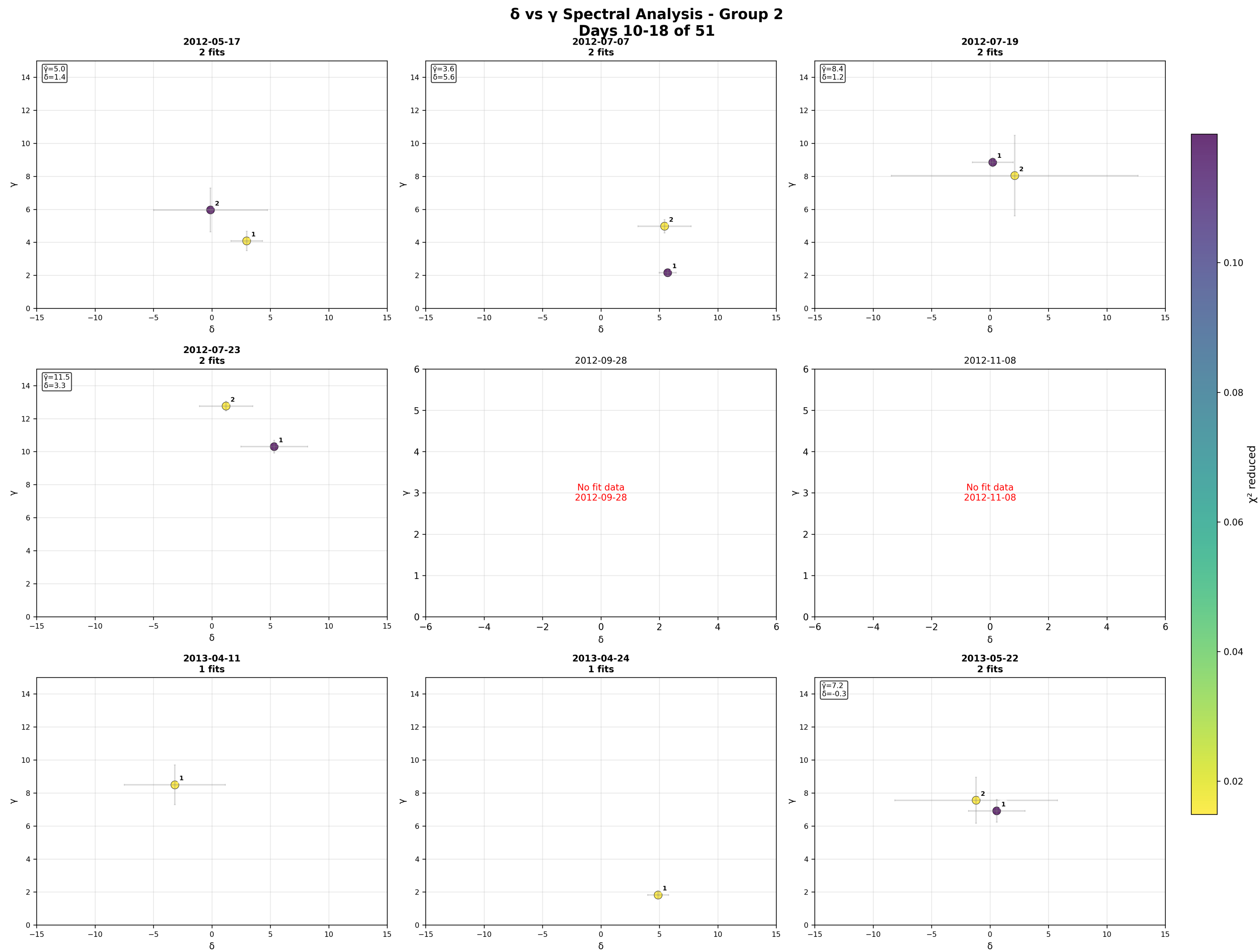


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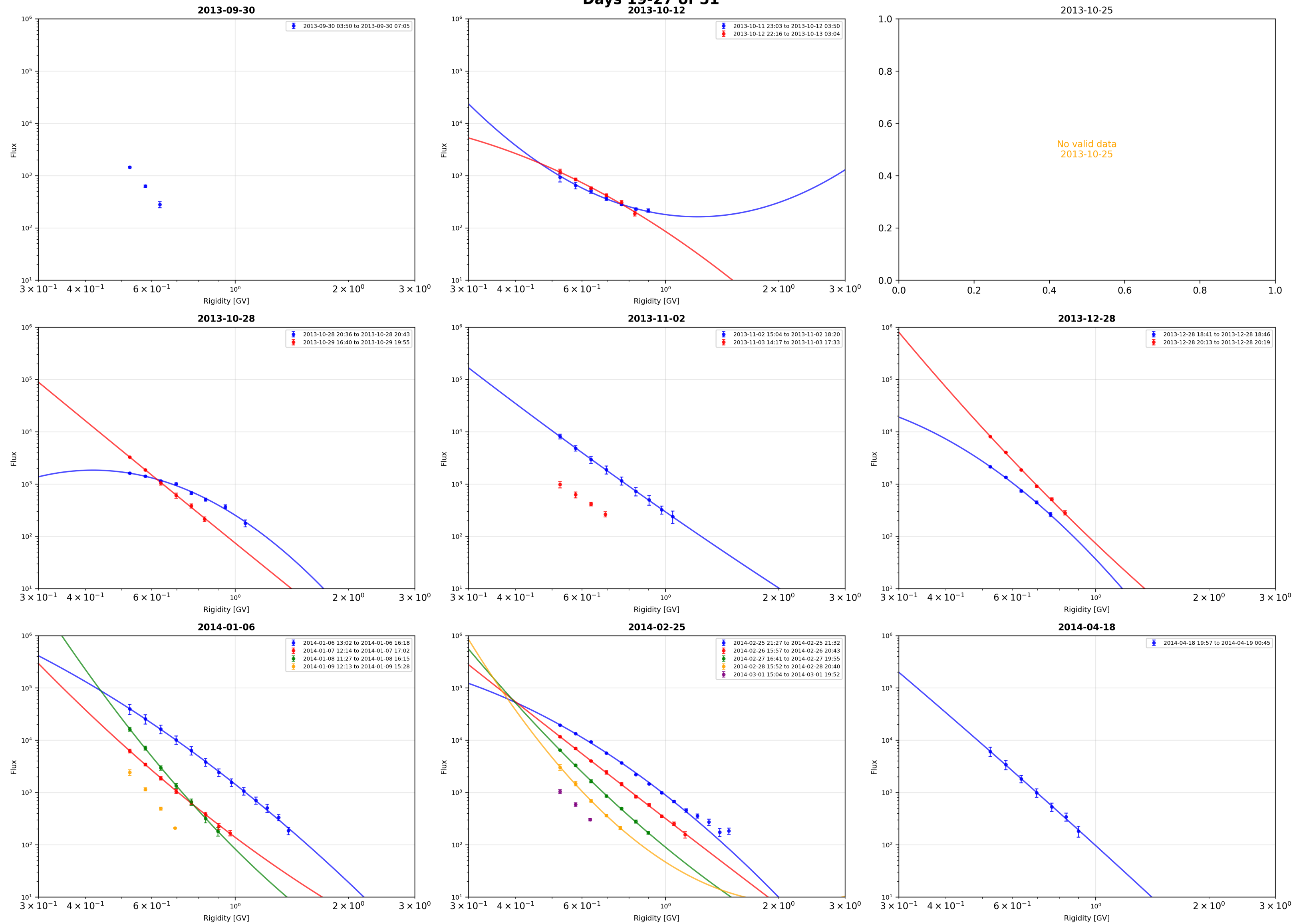


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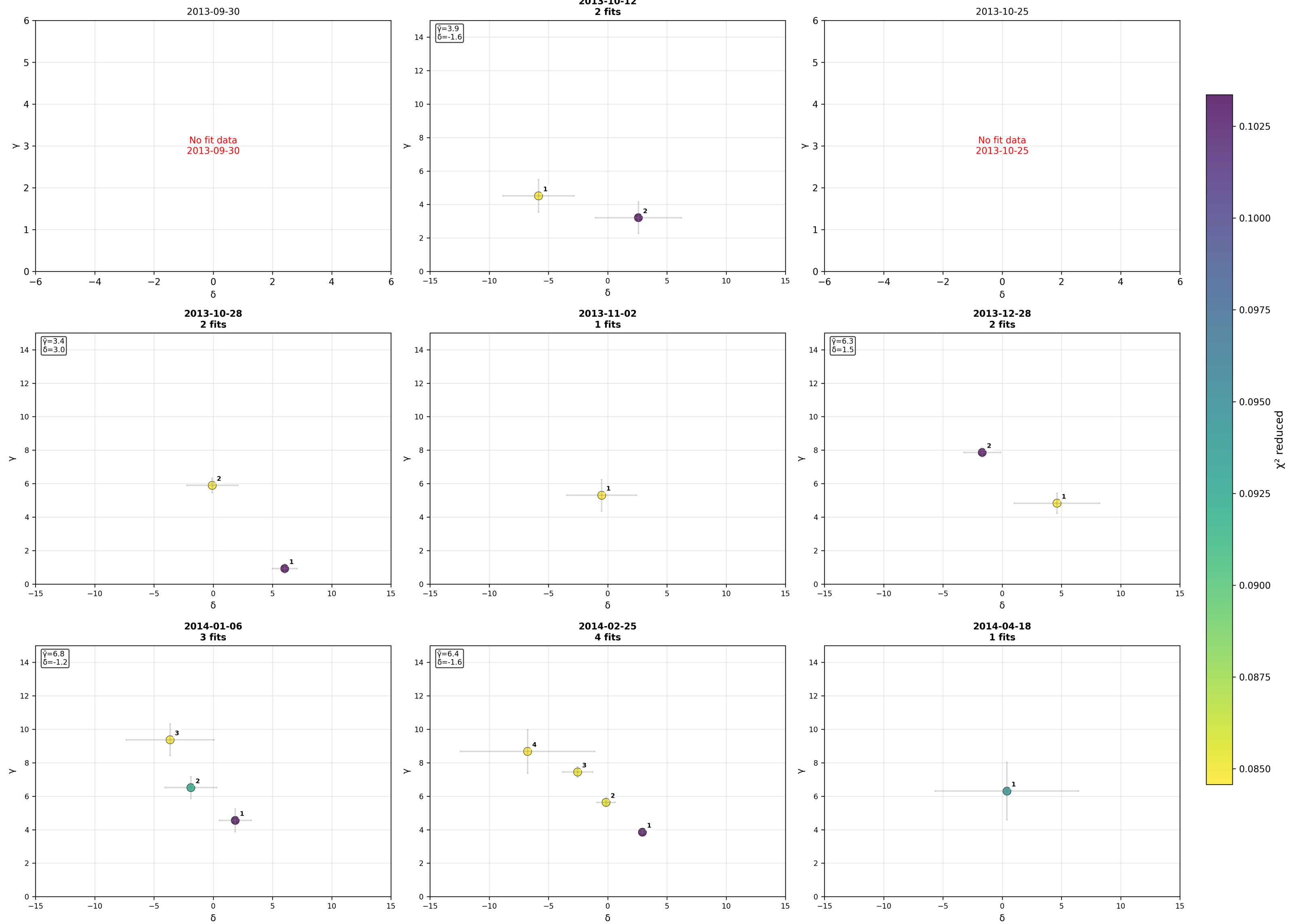




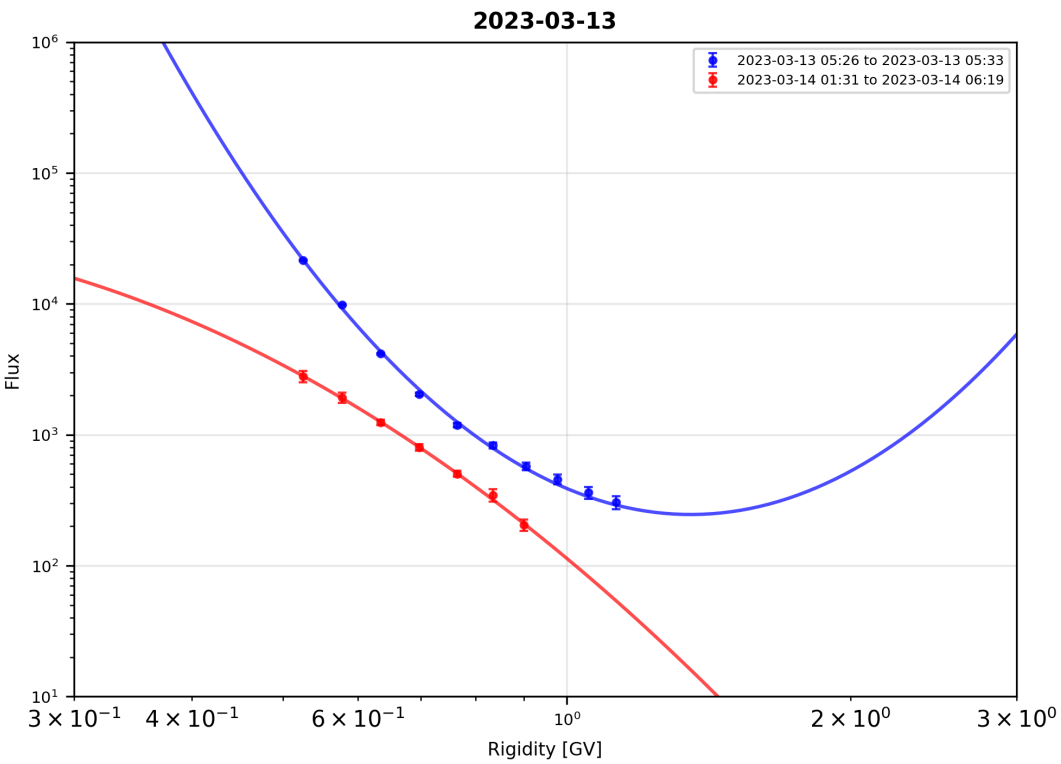
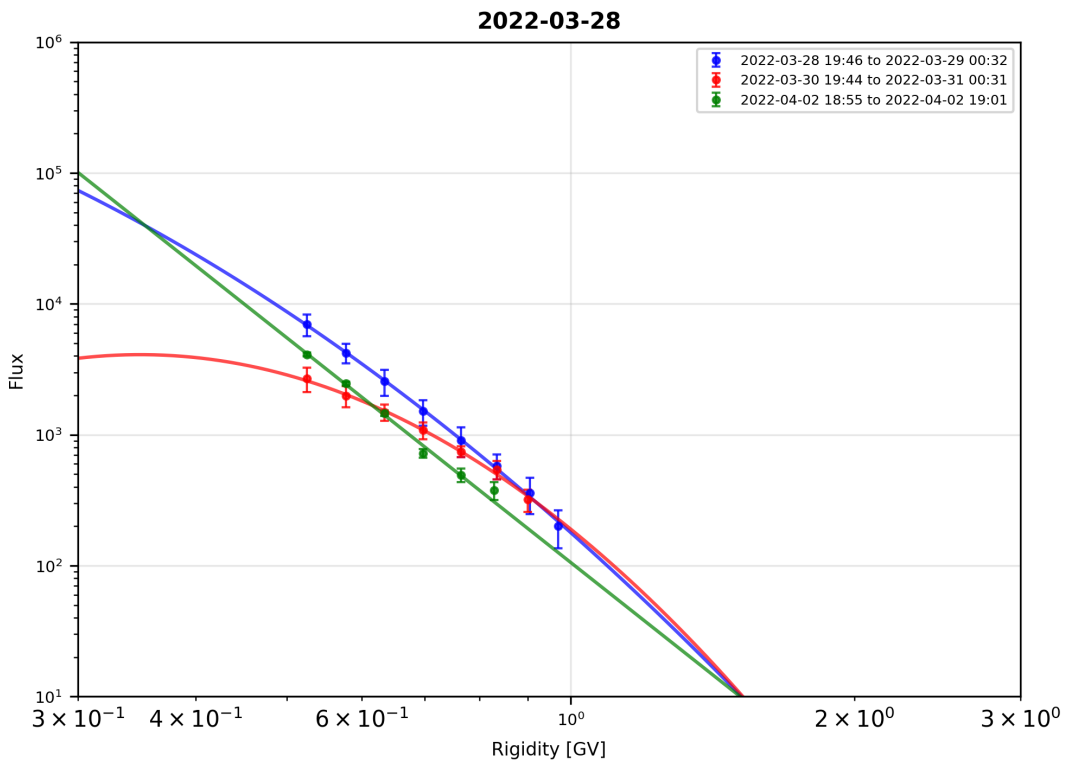
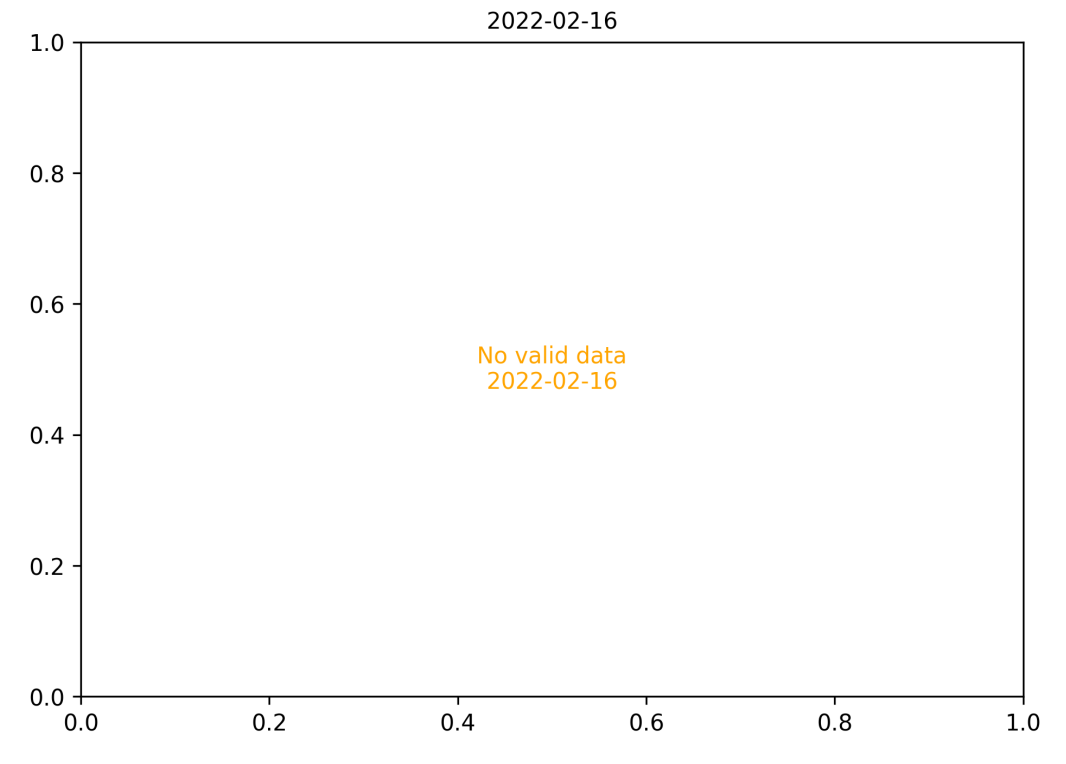
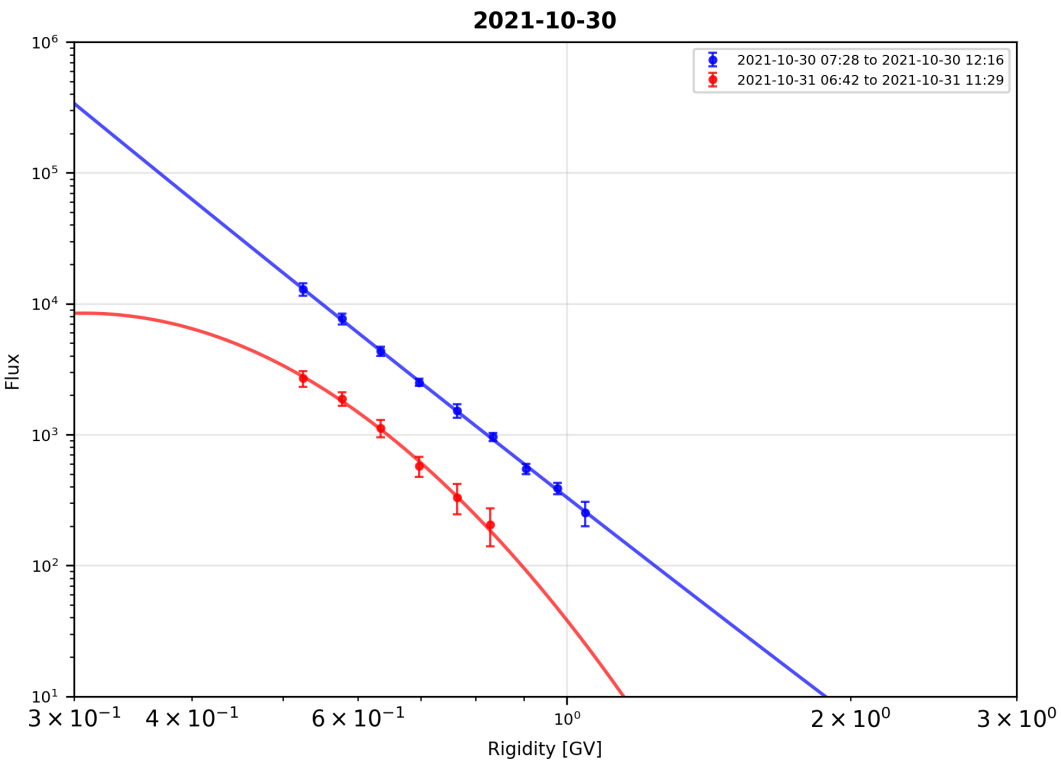
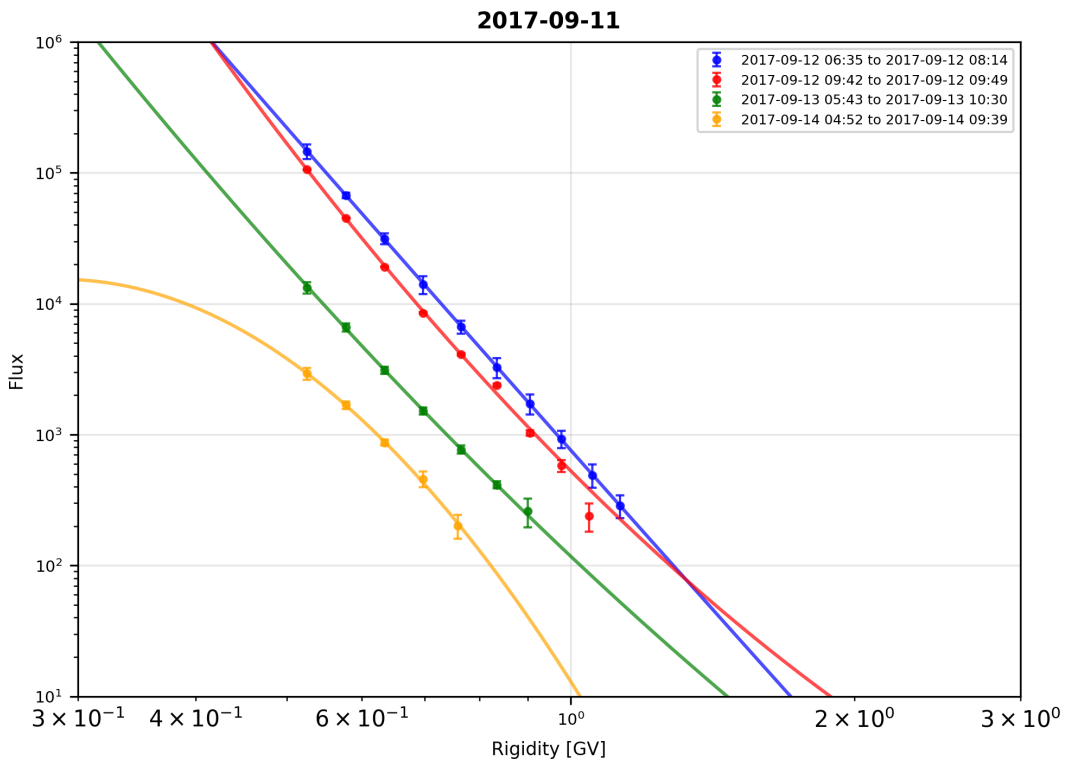
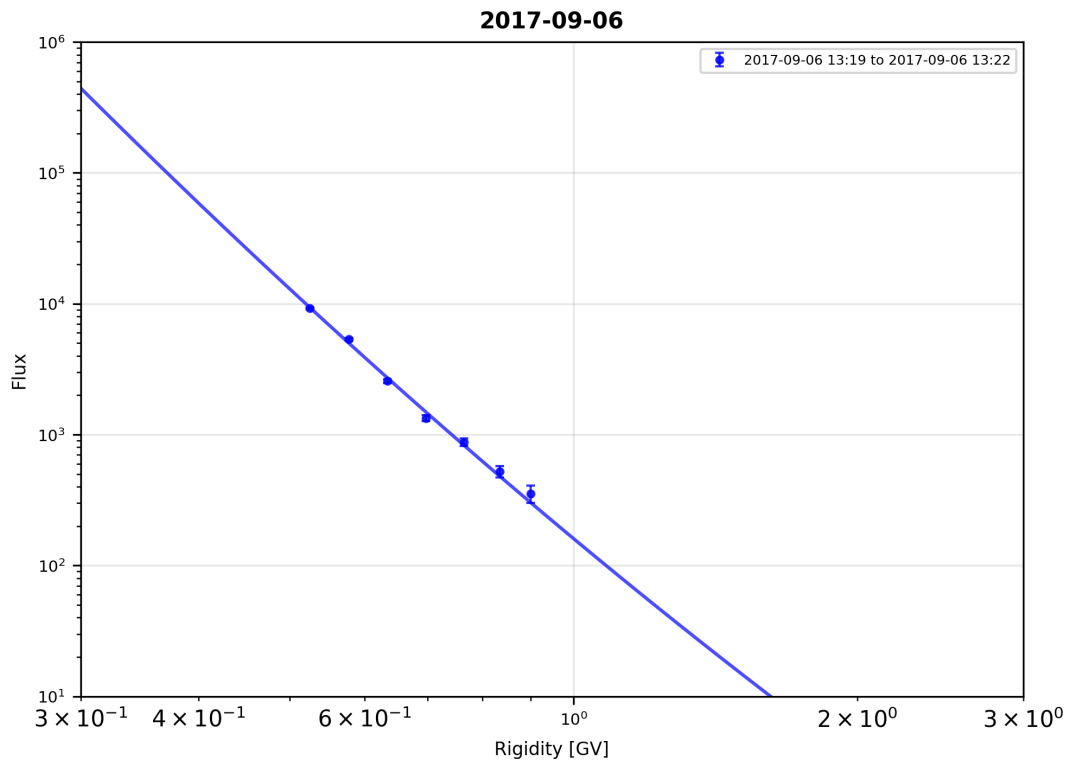
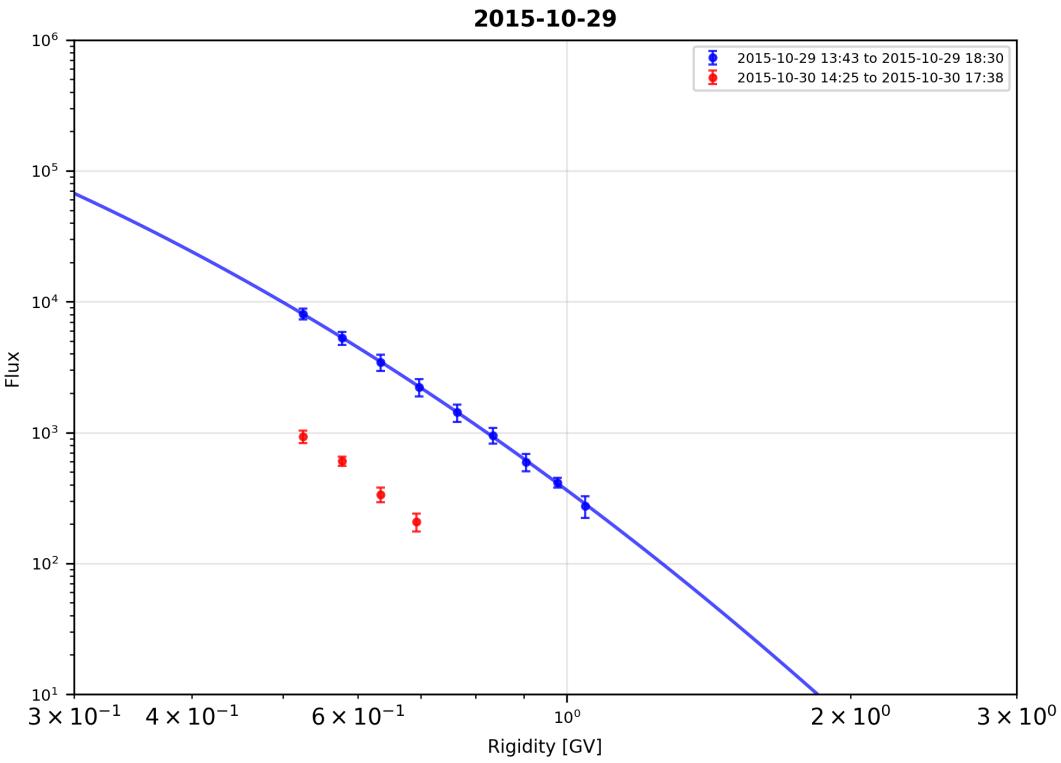
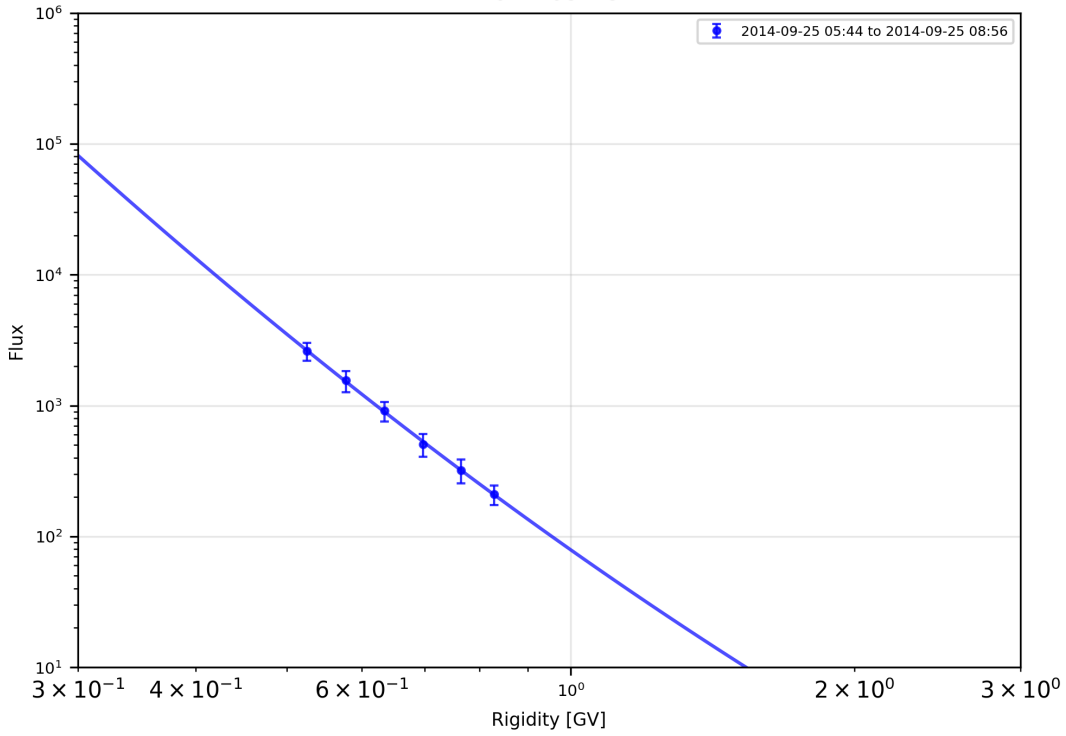
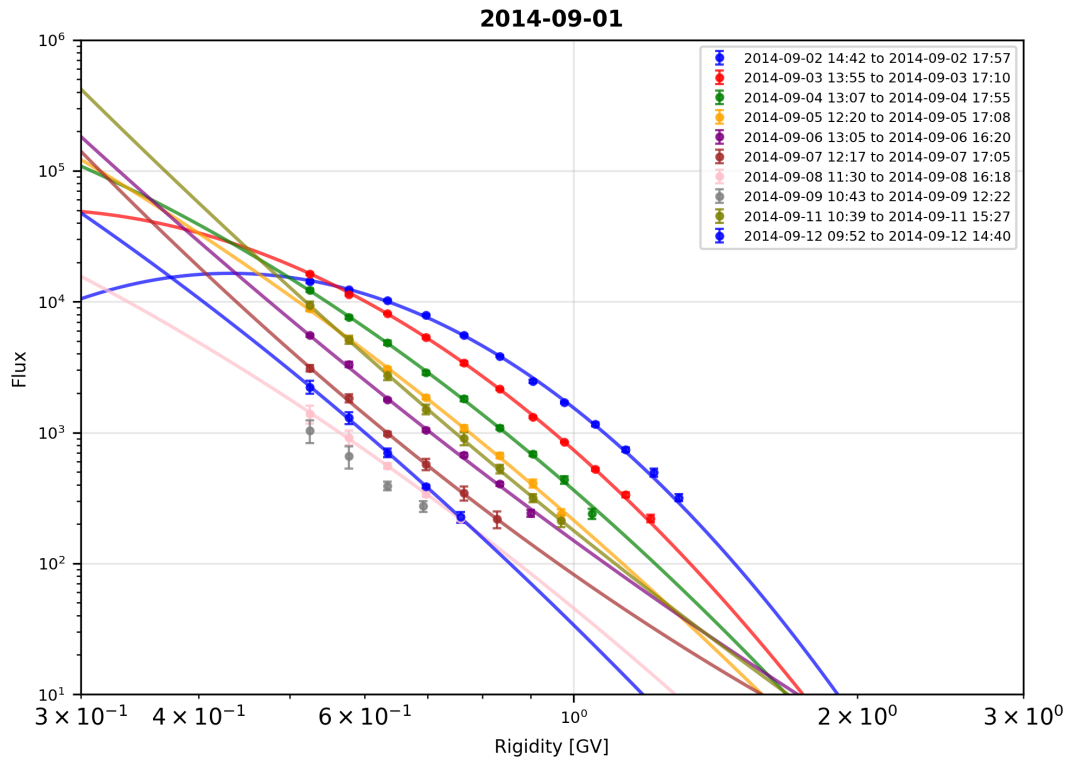
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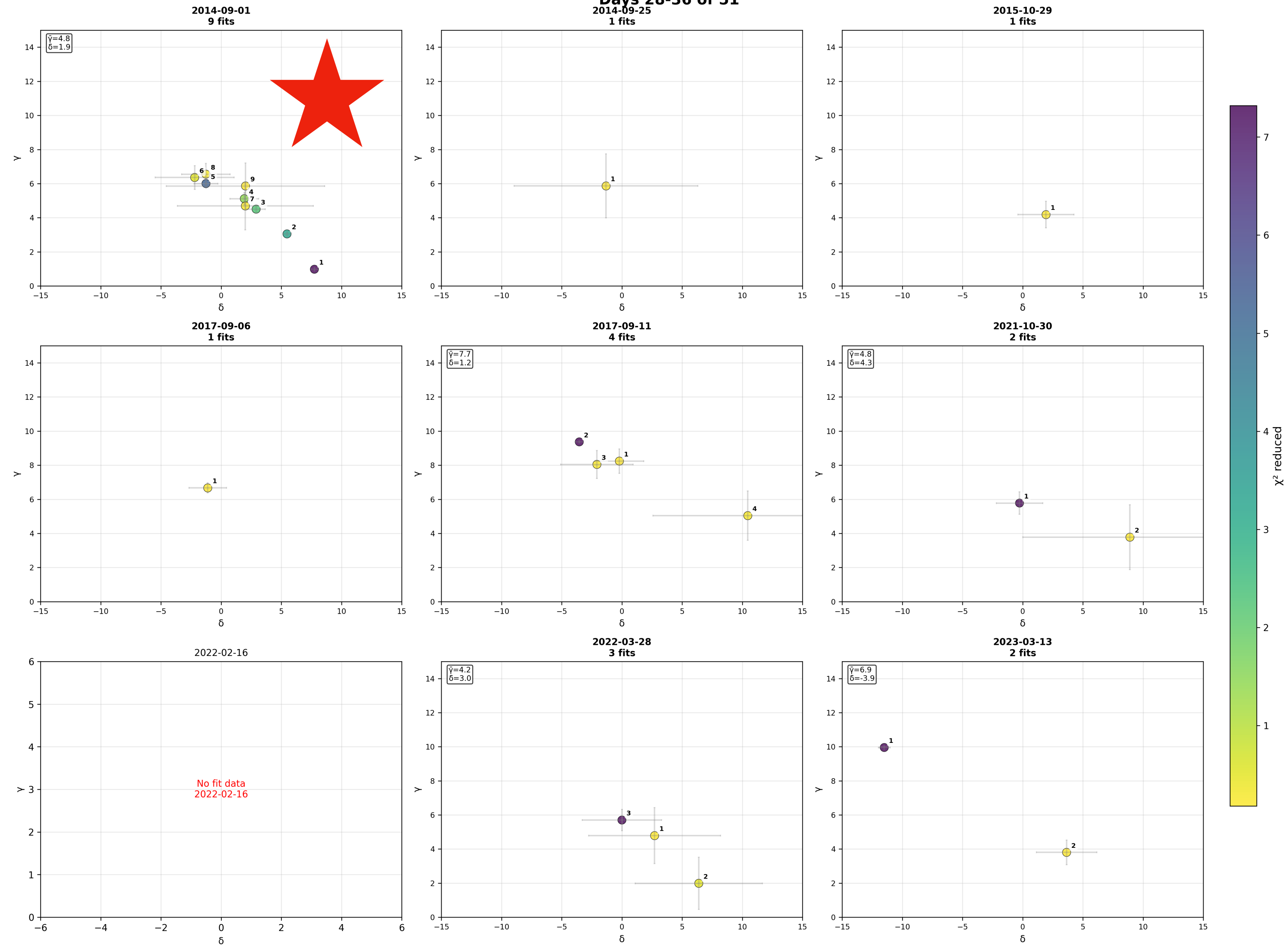
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Days 19-27 of 51



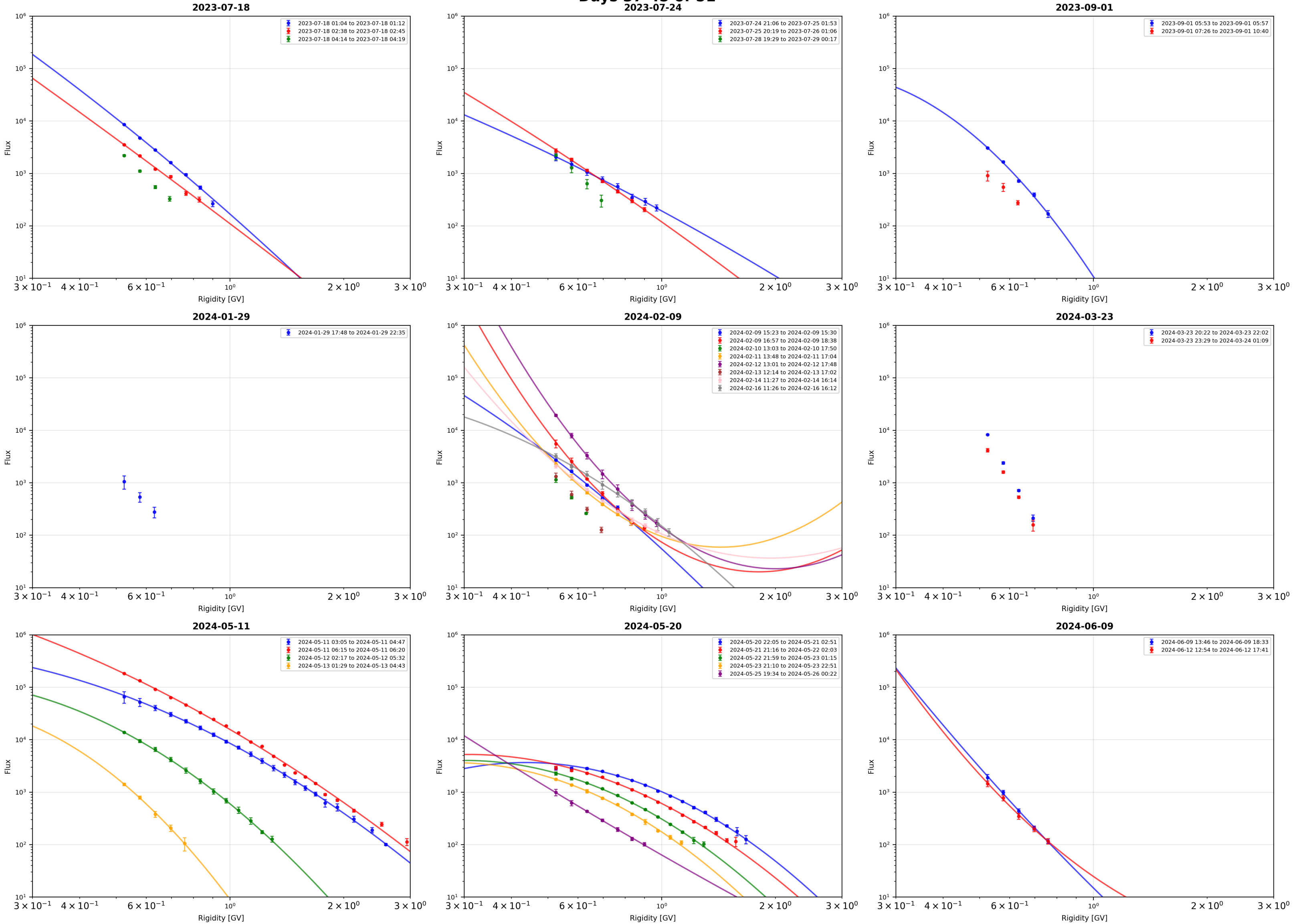
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Days 28-36 of 51
2014-09-25



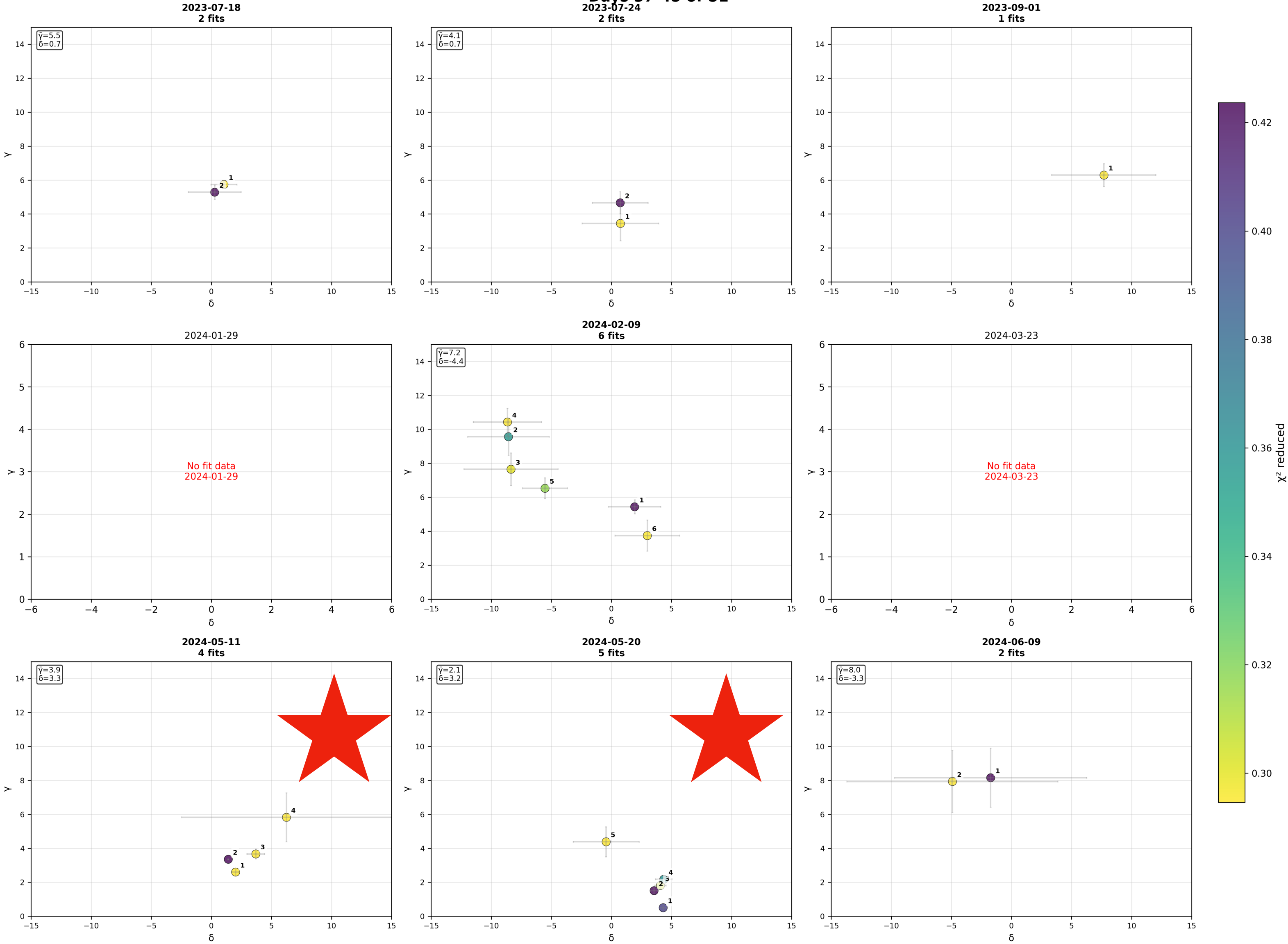
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SEP Events Analysis - Group 5
Days 37-45 of 51
2023-07-24

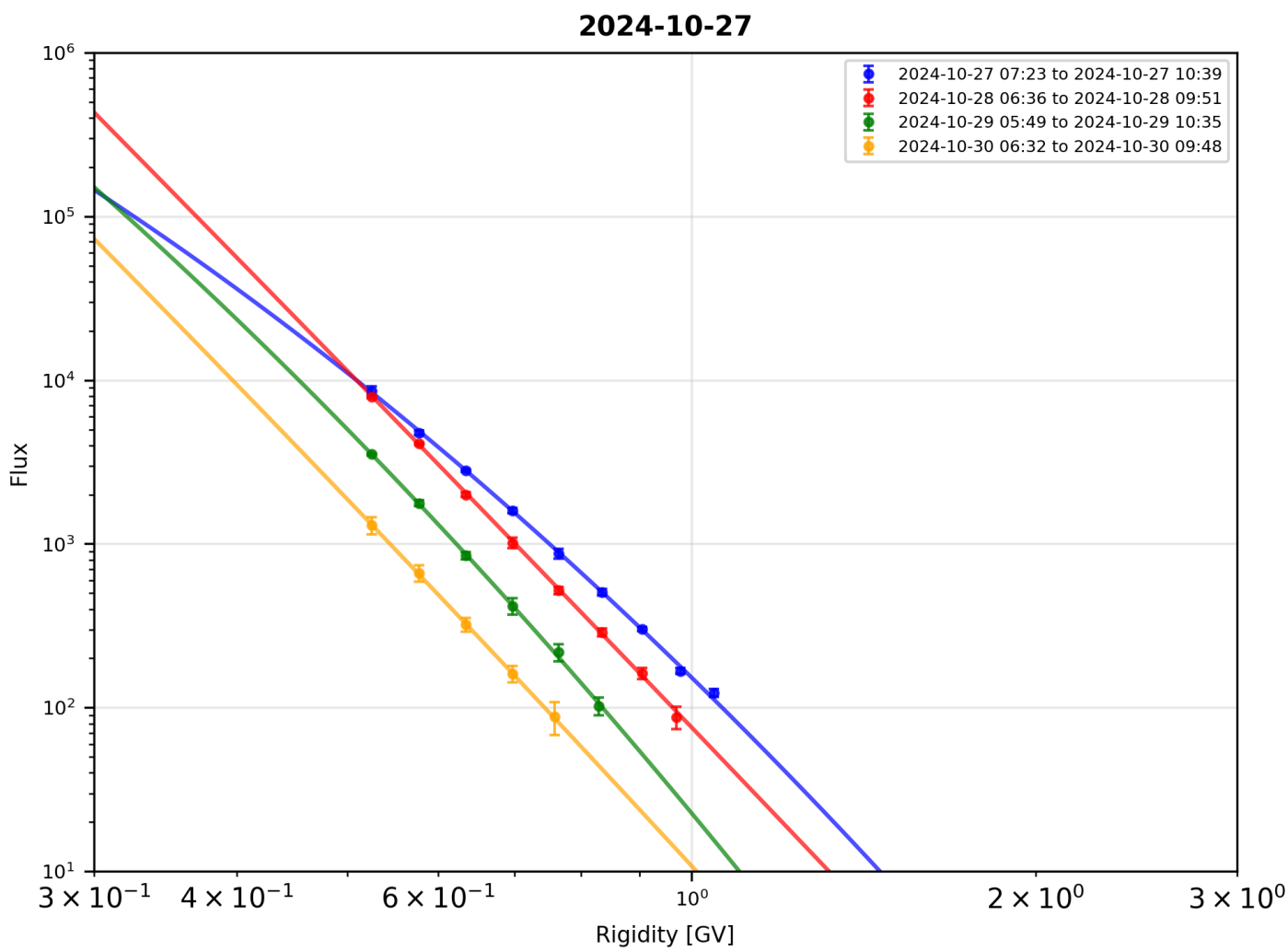
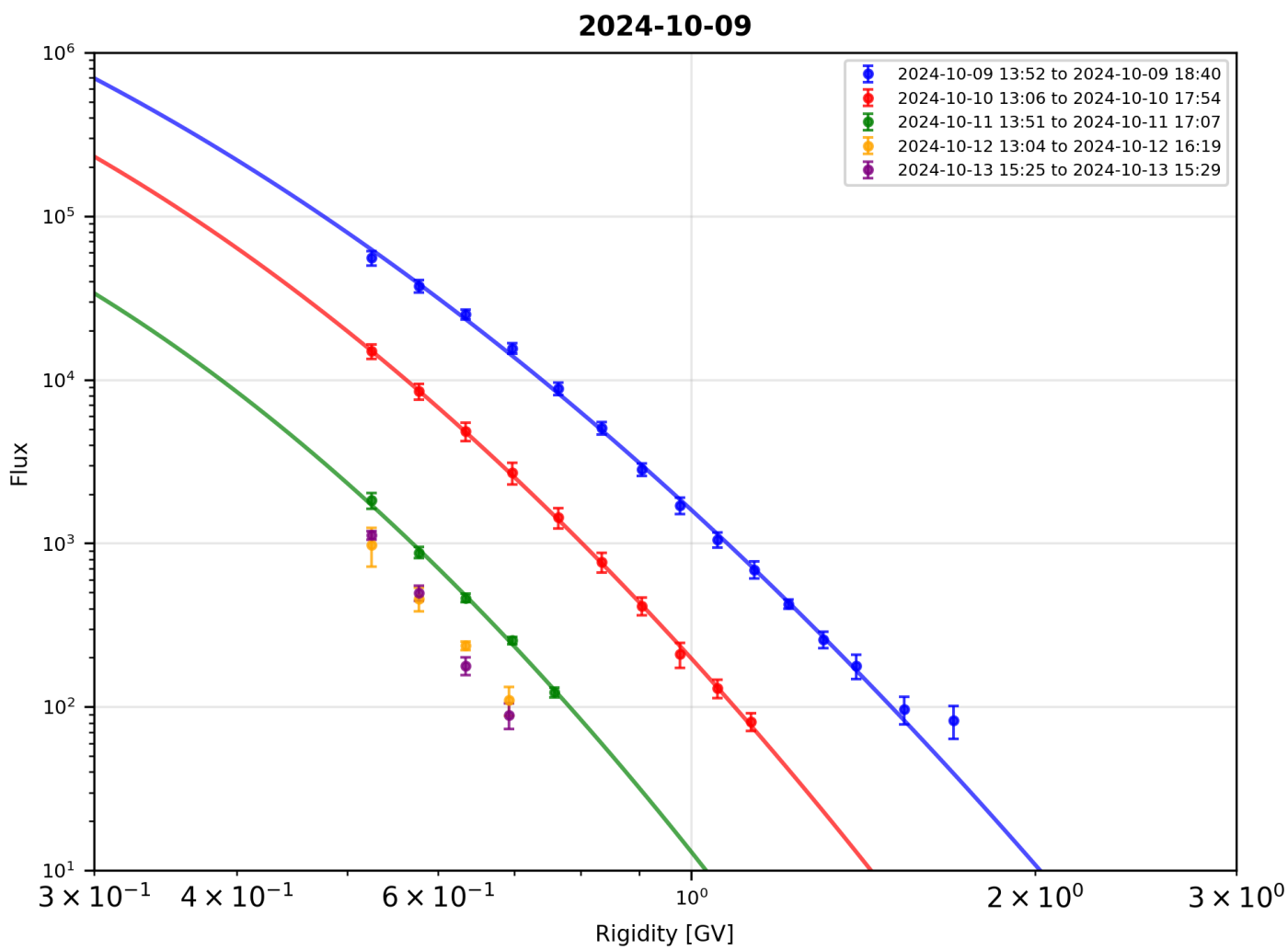
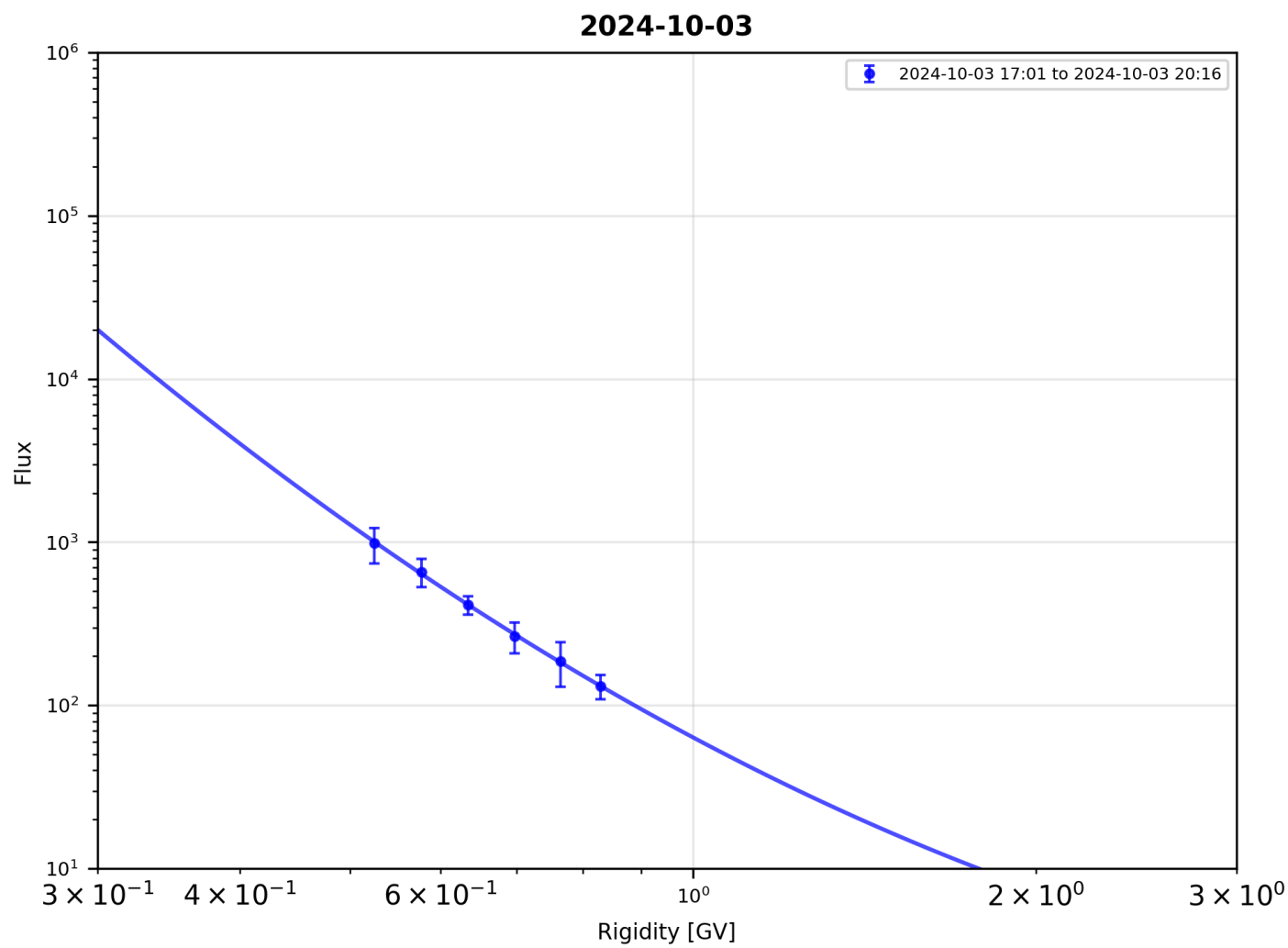
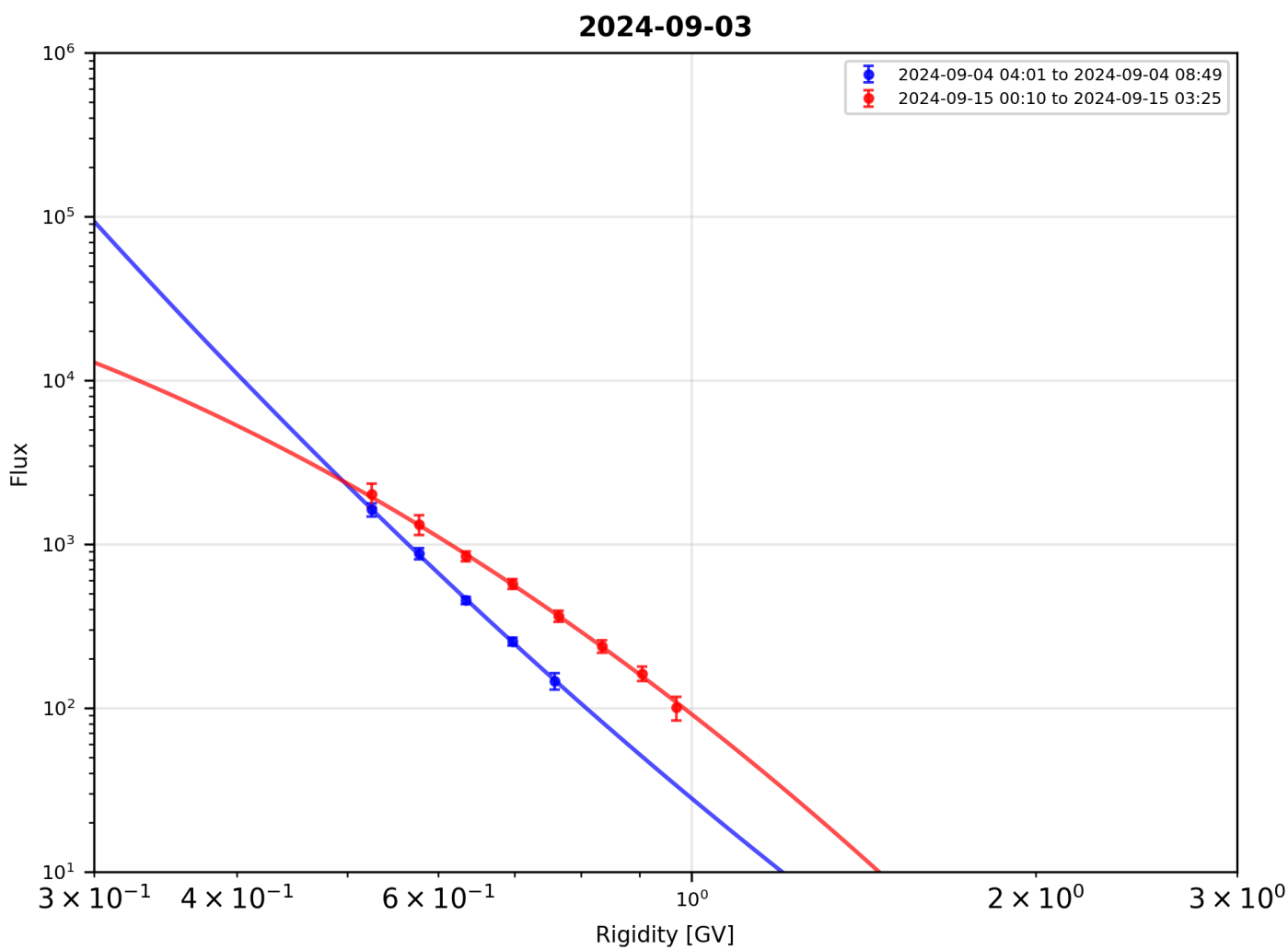
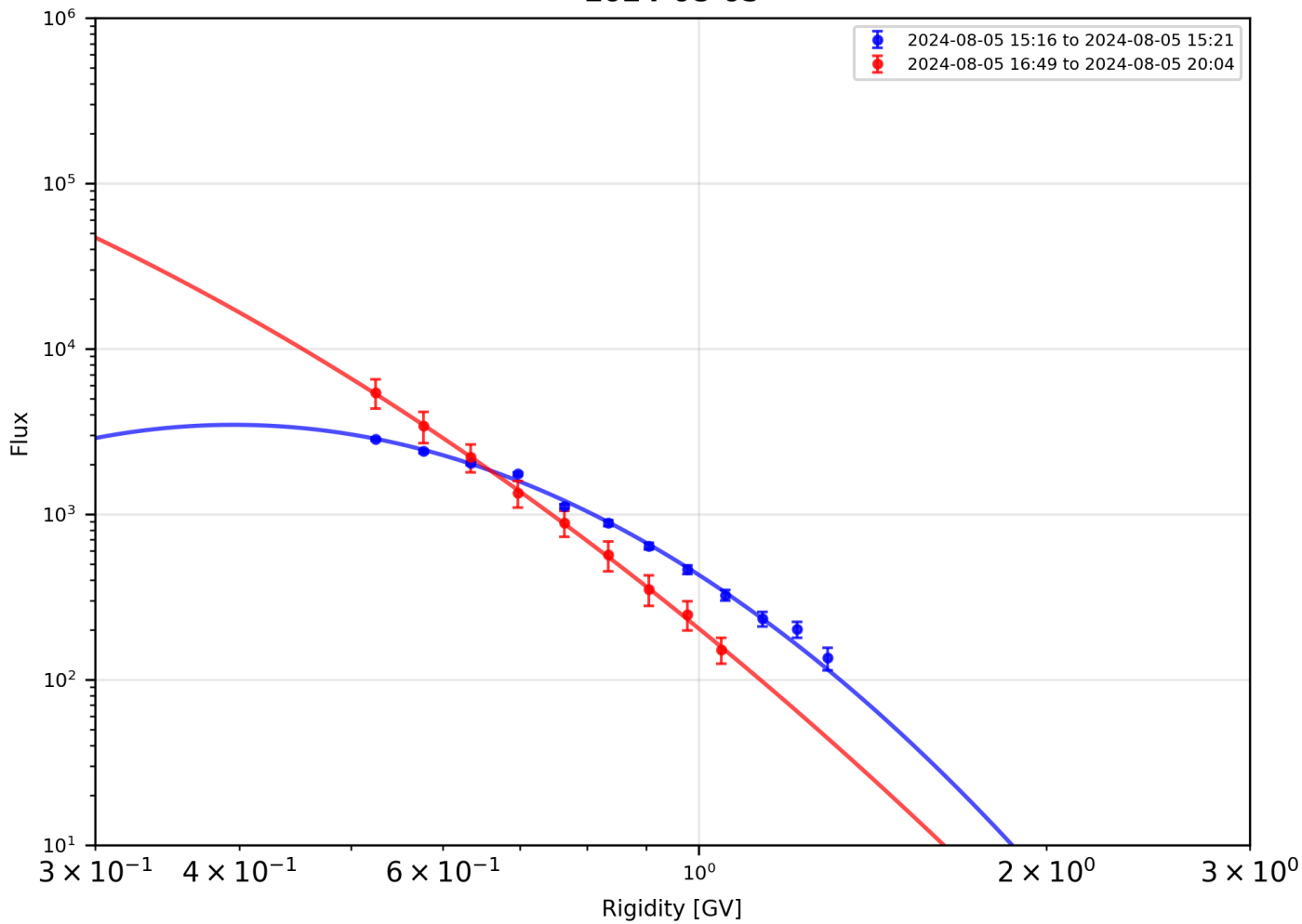
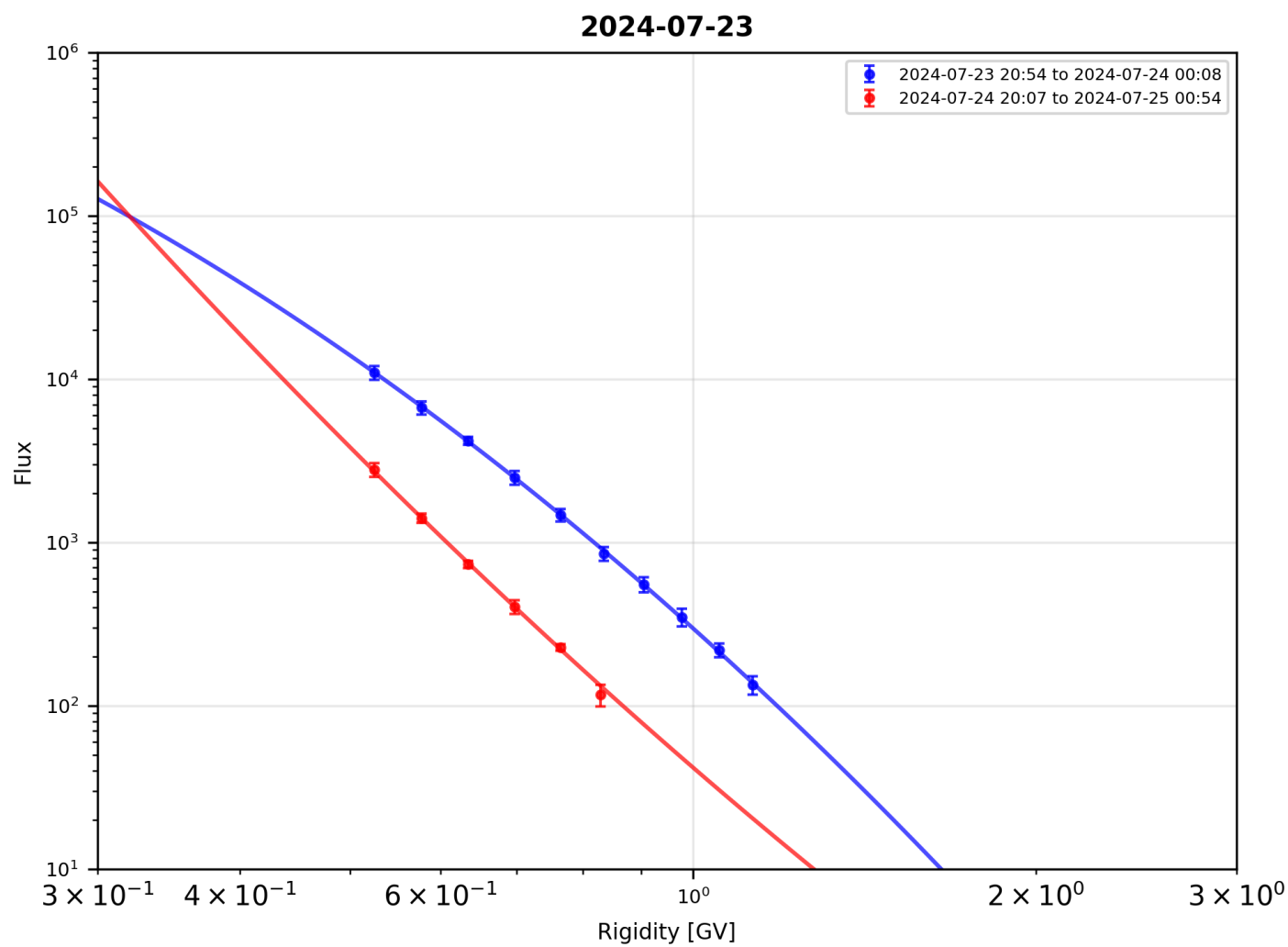


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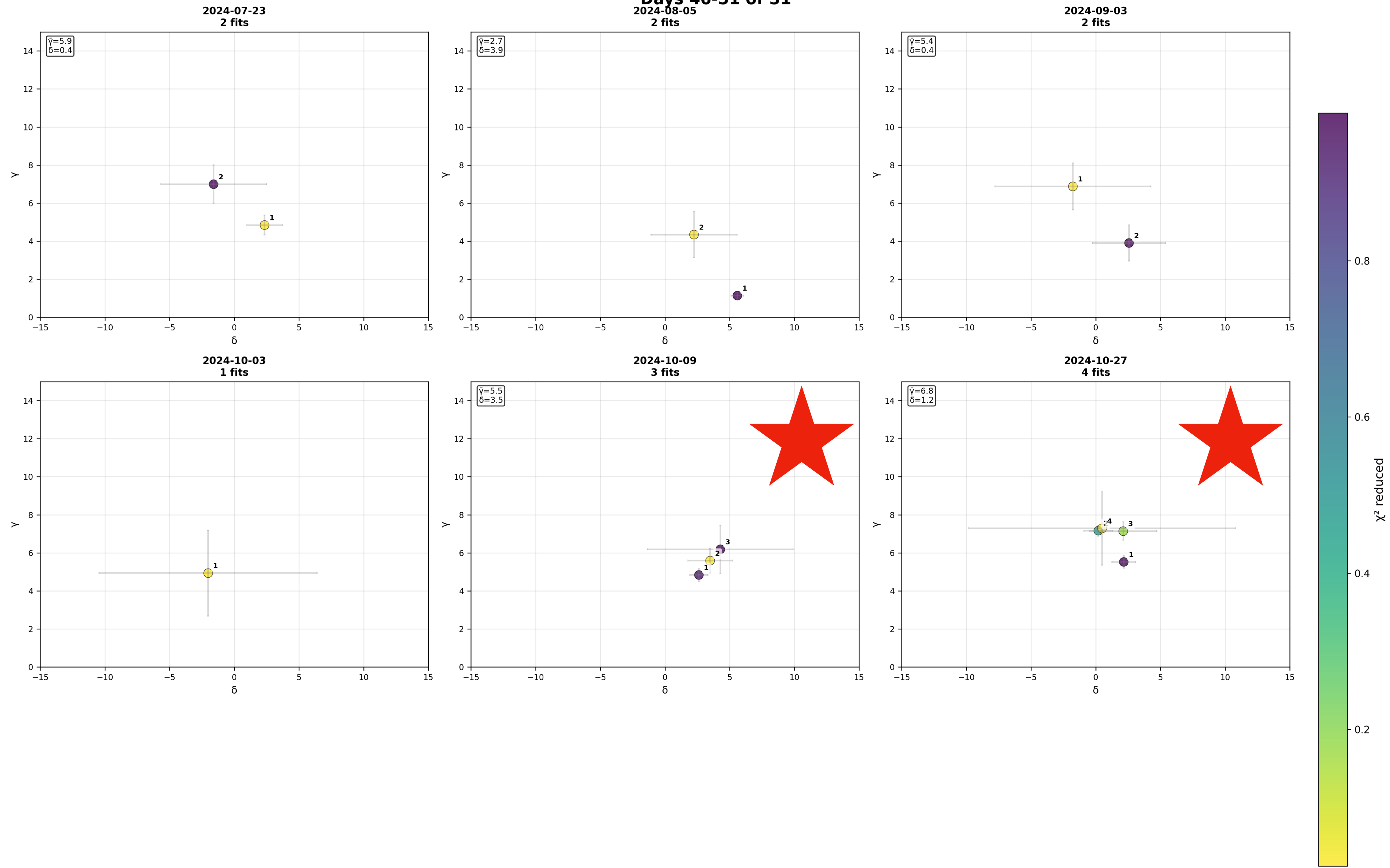


SEP Events Analysis - Group 6
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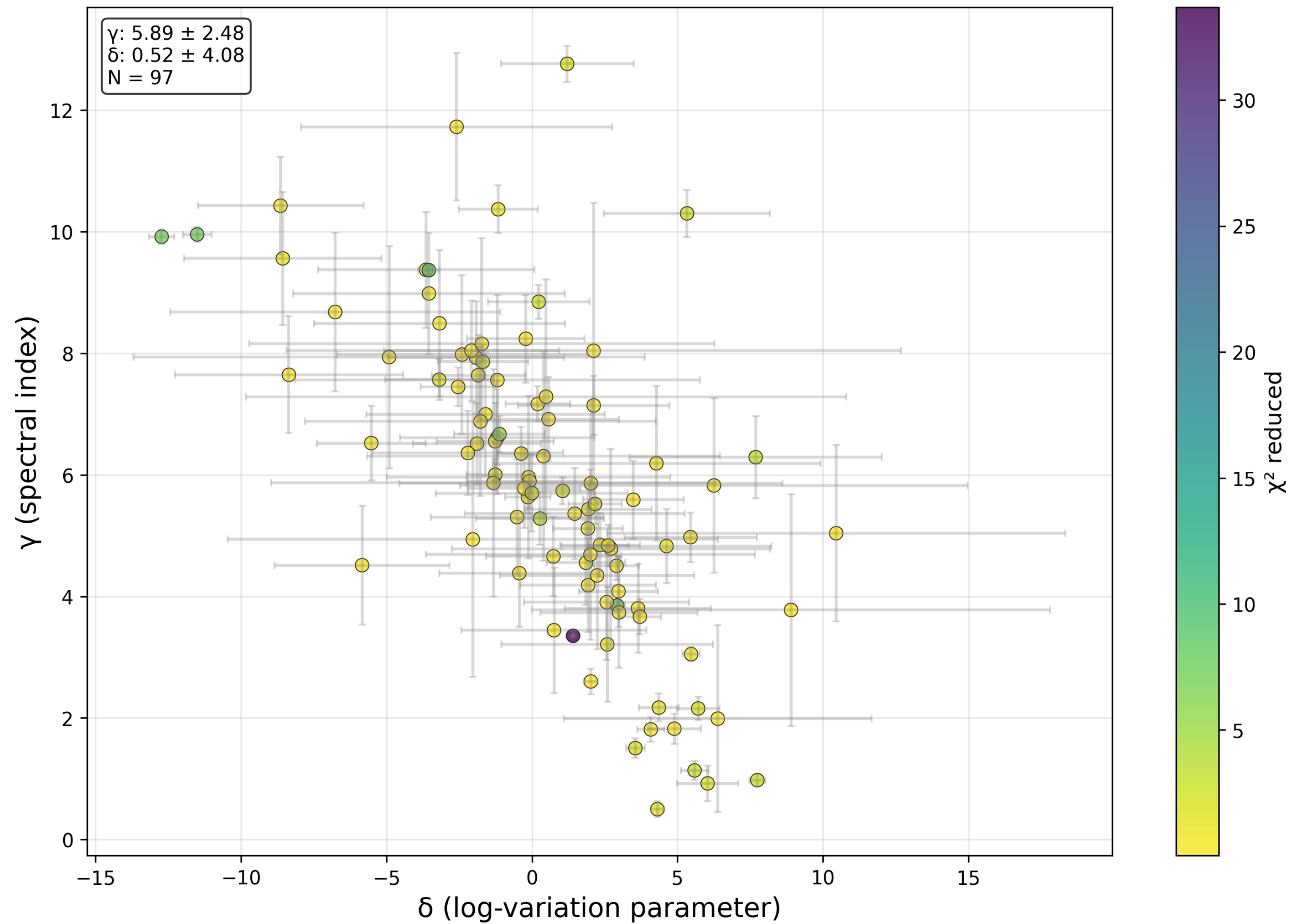


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Days 46-51 of 51

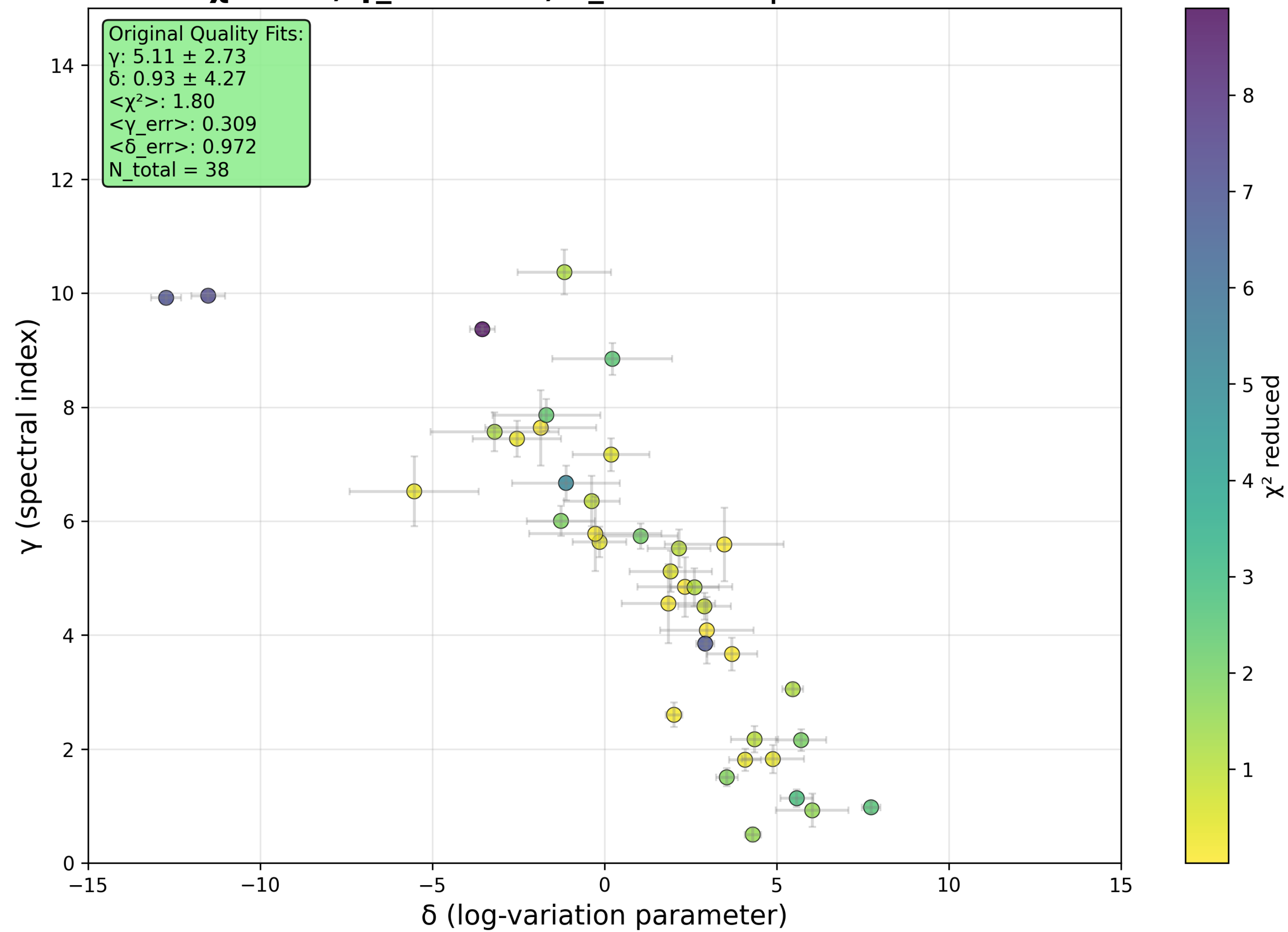


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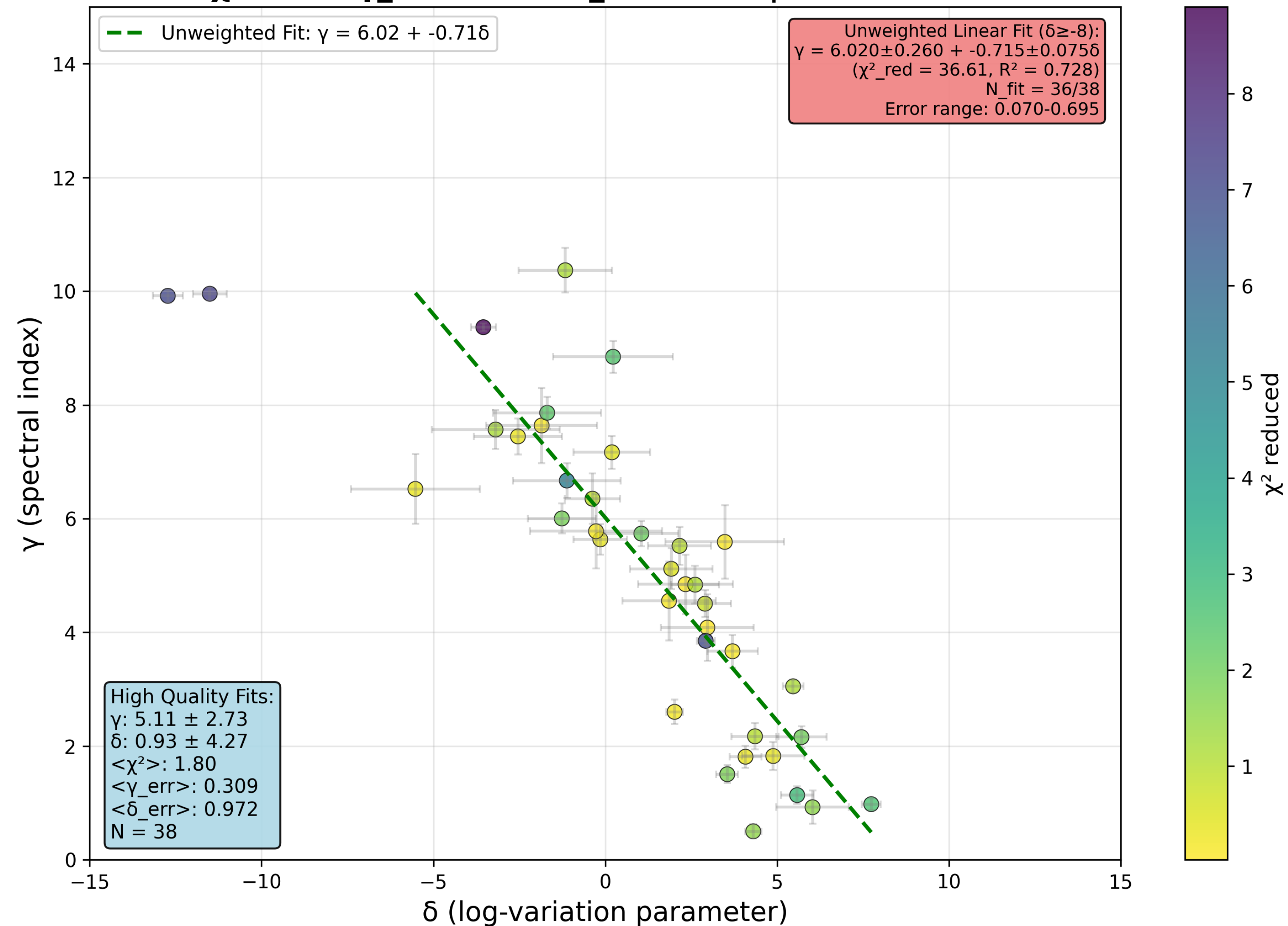
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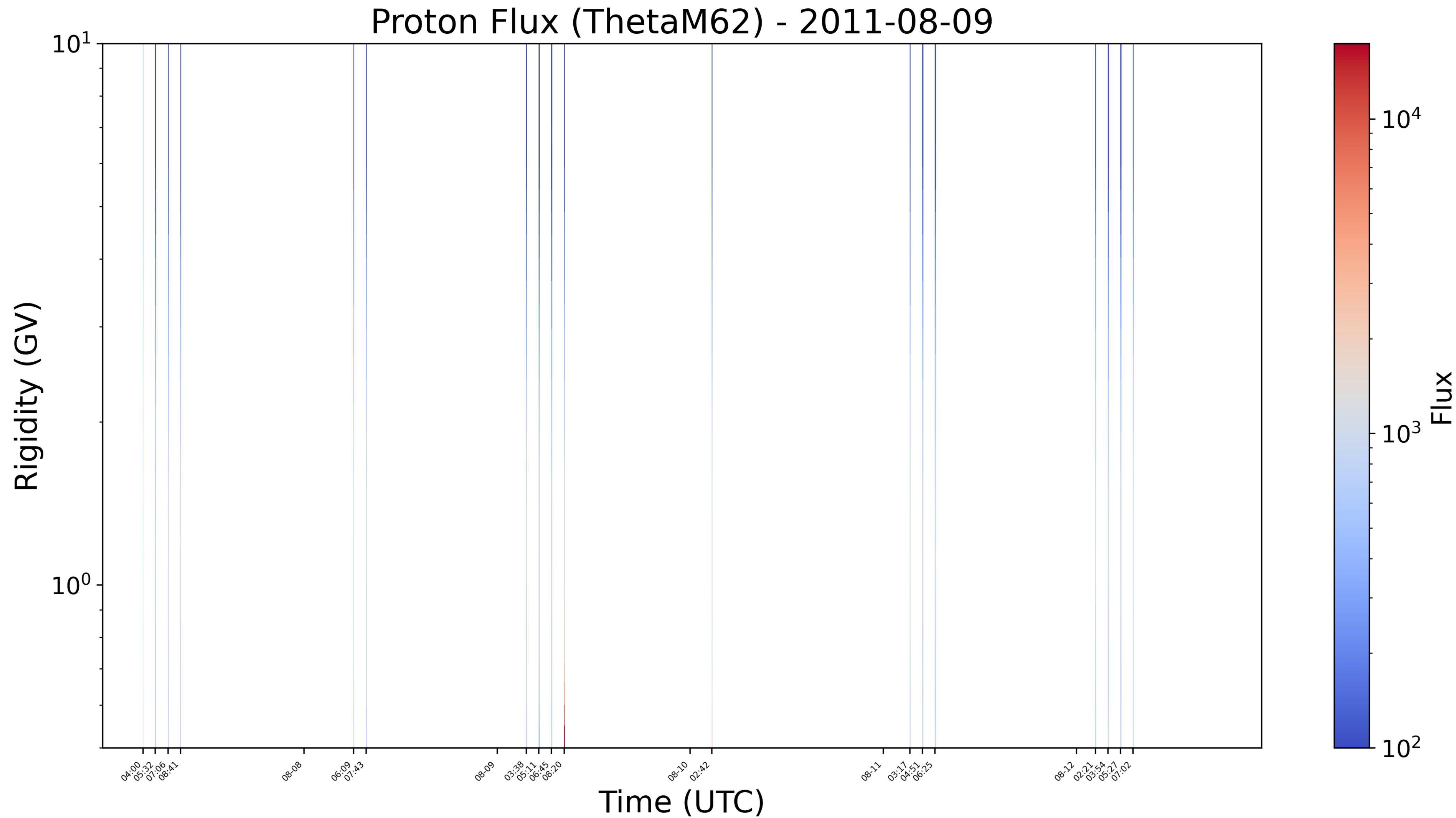


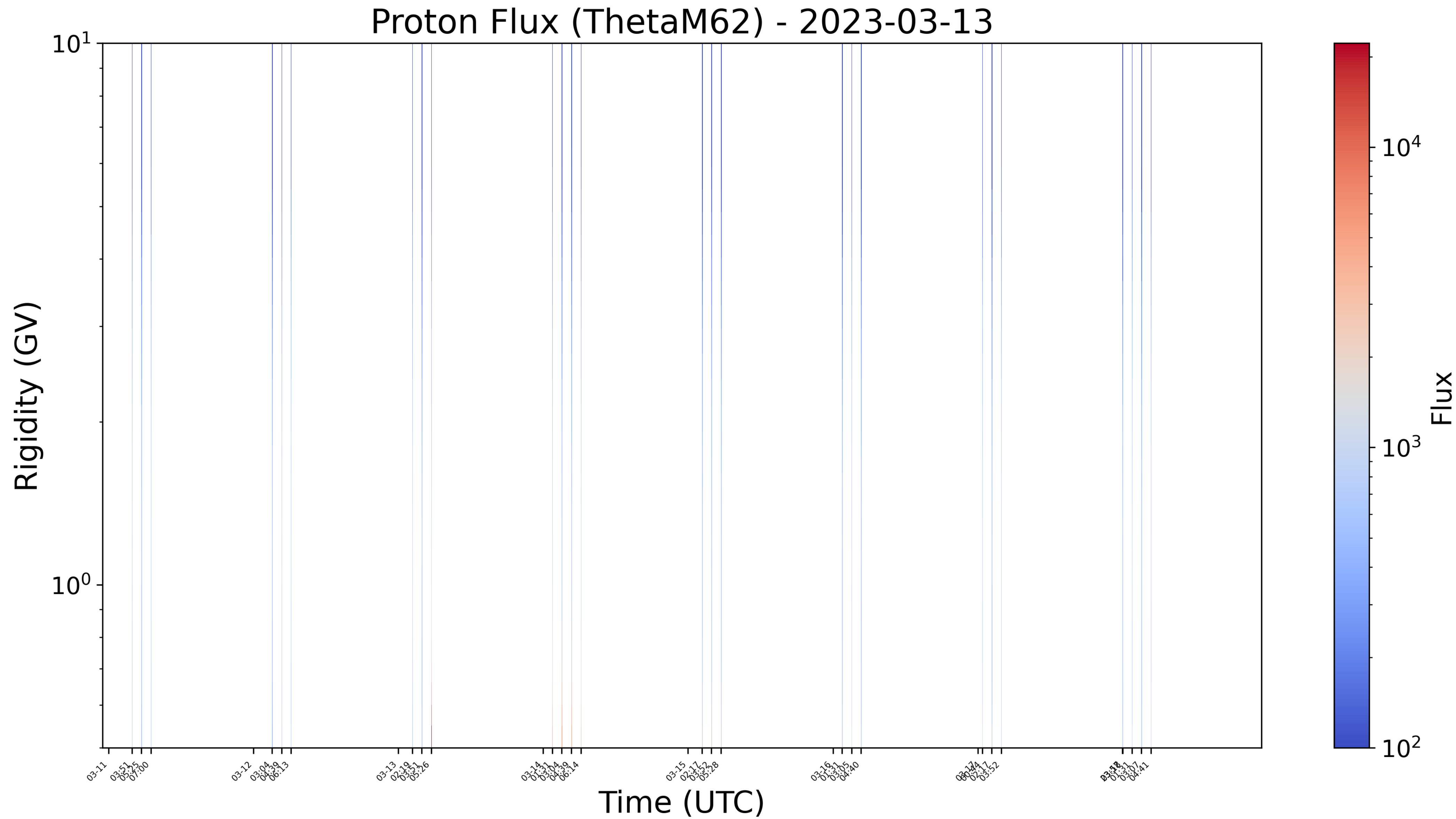
Original Spectral Parameters: δ vs γ for SEP Events (Quality Cuts Only)
 $\chi^2 < 10$, $\gamma_{\text{err}} < 2.0$, $\delta_{\text{err}} < 2.0$ | 38 of 97 fits



Spectral Parameters: δ vs γ for SEP Events (Unweighted Fit, Quality + Small Error Cut)
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We are trying to study the feature of the SEP flux at their highest rigidity.

Fitting the SEP fluxes by a modified power law with exponential variation which qualifies the rolling behaviour :

$$\Phi(R) = A \left(\frac{R}{R_0} \right)^{-[\gamma + \delta \log(R/R_0)]}$$

Preliminary result shows there is a linear relationship:

$$\gamma = 6.02 + -0.71\delta$$

$$\gamma = 6.020 \pm 0.260 + -0.715 \pm 0.075\delta$$

Smaller spectra index, is more likely to has rolling behaviour.

For a SEP event, from the beginning to the end, the spectra index is more likely to increase, while the rolling behaviour is vanishing as time.

More checks need to be done.

End