



Searching for ultralight Dark Matter

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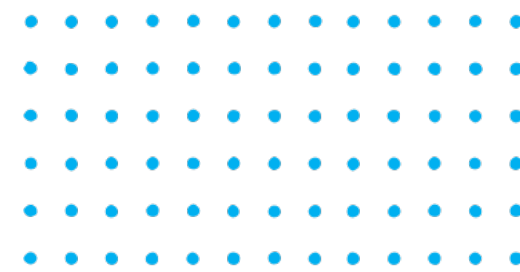
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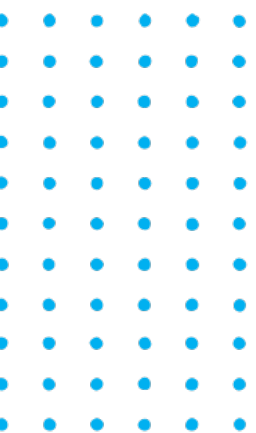
arXiv:2306.08039, 2309.16600 (*ChangE* collaboration)



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- ALP DM search via Hybrid-Spin Resonance
- Scalar DM search via dark mediator
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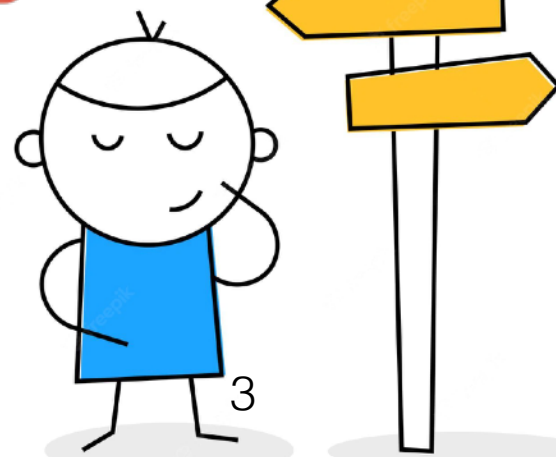
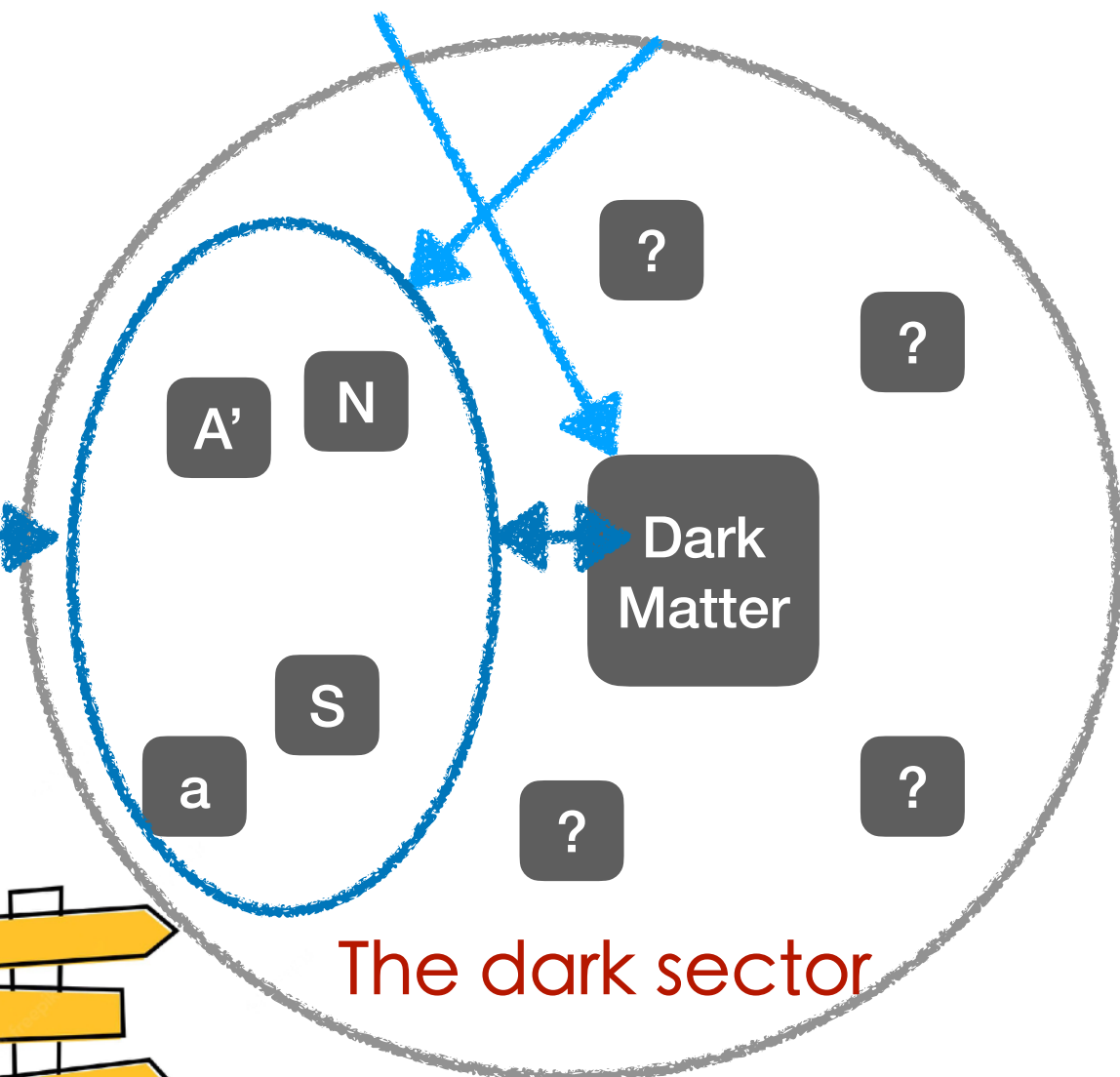
We are at a cross road

- Standard Model = fermions + force

- Dark sector = DM + dark

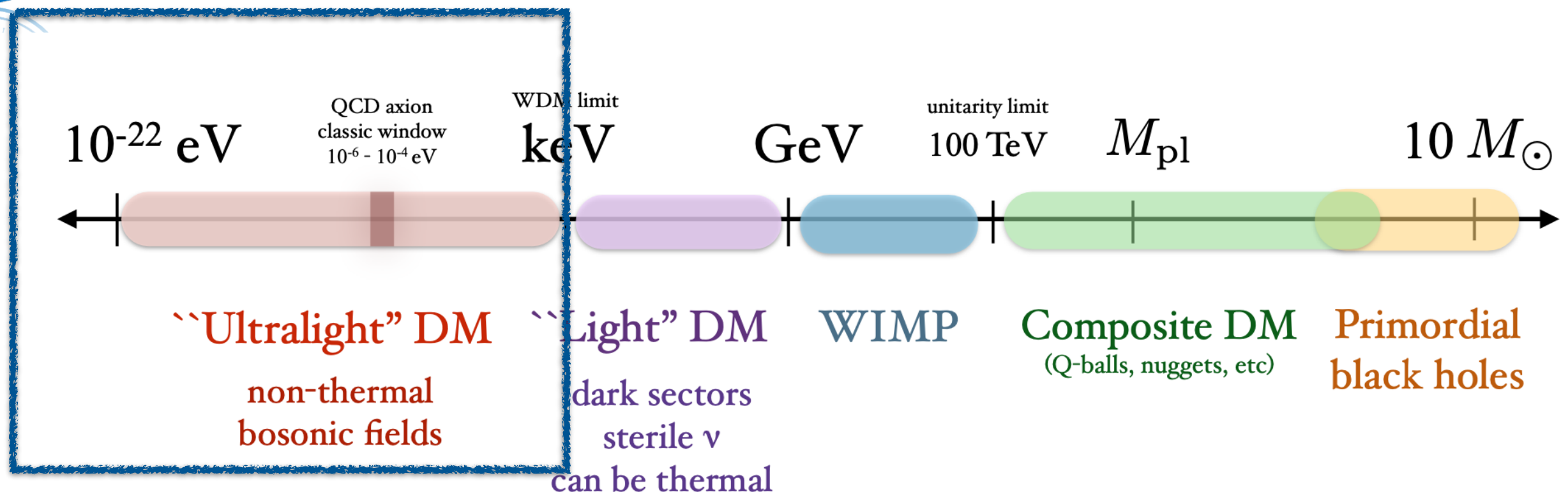
Standard Model of Elementary Particles

three generations of matter (fermions)			interactions / force carriers (bosons)	
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LEPTONS			GAUGE BOSONS VECTOR BOSONS	





Dark matter mass range



$$m_{\phi} \lesssim 30 \text{eV} \left(\frac{250 \text{ km/s}}{\langle v^2 \rangle^{1/2}} \right)^{3/4} \left(\frac{\rho_{\text{DM}}}{0.4 \text{ GeV/cm}^3} \right)^{1/4}$$

- Ultralight: $m \lesssim \text{keV}$
- Bosonic: Pauli-exclusion for fermionic DM
- Behave as classical fields ($m \lesssim \mathcal{O}(1) \text{ eV}$)
- Typical models:
 - Pseudo-scalar: Axion, Axion-like Particle
 - Dark Scalar: dilaton-like coupling
 - Vector: kinetic mixing dark photon, $U(1)_{B-L}$ dark photon etc



Ultra light dark matter production

- Misalignment mechanism

$$\ddot{\phi} + 3H\dot{\phi} + m_{\phi}^2\phi = 0$$

- Classical Solution for wave-like dark matter

$$\phi(t) \approx \phi_1 \cos(m_{\phi}t) + \phi_2 \sin(m_{\phi}t)$$

- Dark matter local density

$$\rho_{\text{DM}} \approx \left(|\phi_1|^2 + |\phi_2|^2 \right) m_{\phi}^2$$

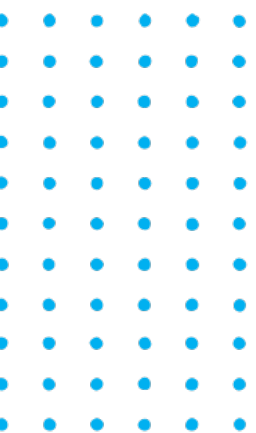
How to search for ultra light DM?



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ALP couples to SM



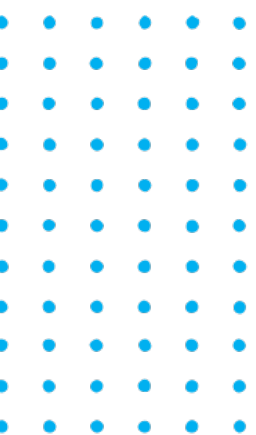
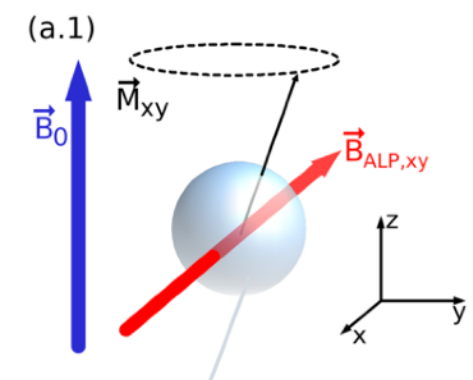
- Axion Lagrangian

$$\mathcal{L}_a^{\text{int}} \supset \frac{\alpha}{8\pi} \frac{C_{a\gamma}}{f_a} a F \tilde{F} + C_{af} \frac{\partial_\mu a}{2f_a} \bar{f} \gamma^\mu \gamma_5 f + \frac{C_{a\pi}}{f_a f_\pi} \partial_\mu a [\partial \pi \pi \pi]^\mu - \frac{i}{2} \frac{C_{an\gamma}}{m_n} \frac{a}{f_a} \bar{n} \sigma_{\mu\nu} \gamma_5 n F^{\mu\nu} + C_{ae} \frac{\partial_\mu a}{2f_a} \bar{e} \gamma^\mu \gamma_5 e$$

Coupling to	Coupling to axion nuclear moment Creates	Coupling to mesons, induce Meson	Coupling to nucleon EDM Causes electric	Coupling to axial electron moment
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- Axion couples to nucleon

$$\mathcal{H}_\sigma = g_{aNN} \sqrt{2\rho_{\text{DM}}} \cos(m_a t) \vec{v} \cdot \vec{\sigma}_N = \gamma \vec{B}_{\text{ALP}} \cdot \vec{\sigma}$$





ALP couples to nucleon

- Axion couples to SM particles

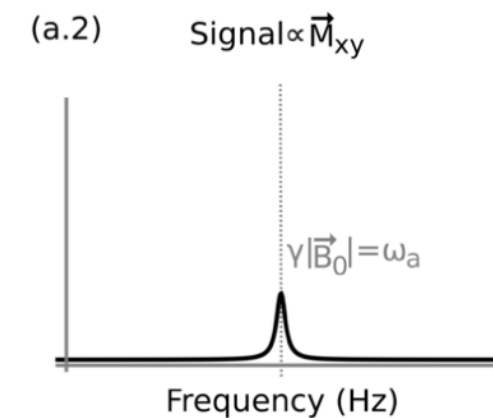
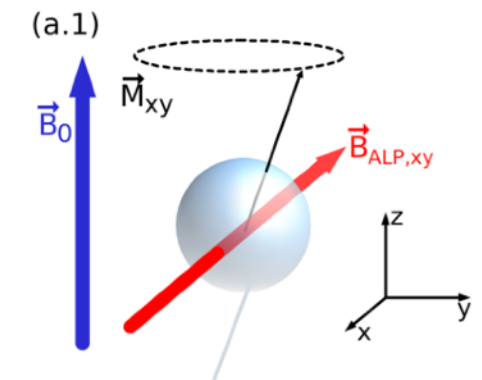
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- Oscillate the mass at Larmor frequency

$$\vec{B}_{\text{ALP}} = g_{aNN}\sqrt{2\rho_{\text{DM}}}\cos(m_a t) = g_{aNN}\sqrt{2\rho_{\text{DM}}}\cos(\omega_a t)$$

- Bloch Equations

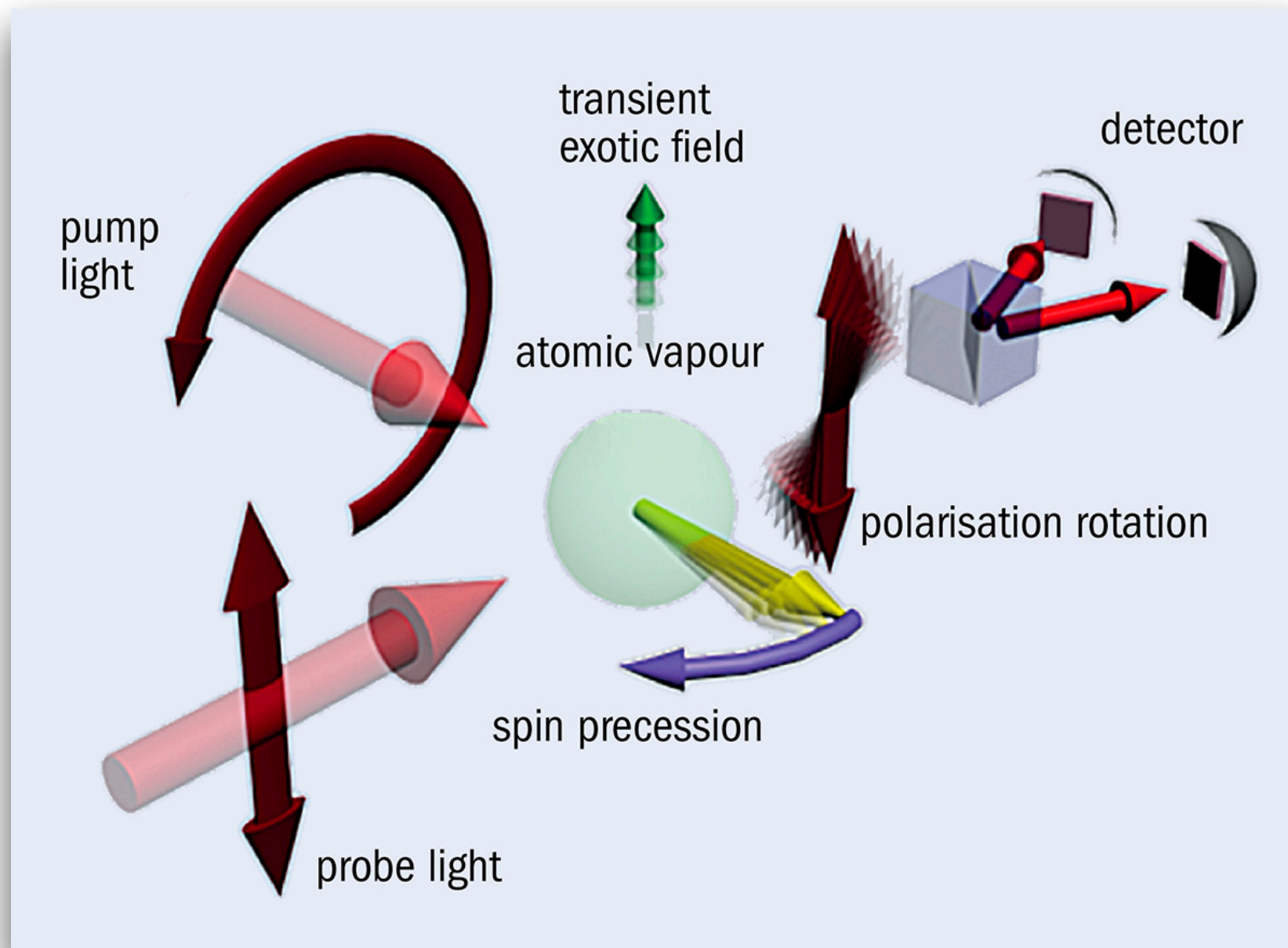
$$\frac{d\vec{M}}{dt} = \gamma\vec{M}\times\vec{B}$$



Time varying Axion B_{ALP} drives spin precession
→ produces transverse magnetization



Detection of g_{aNN}

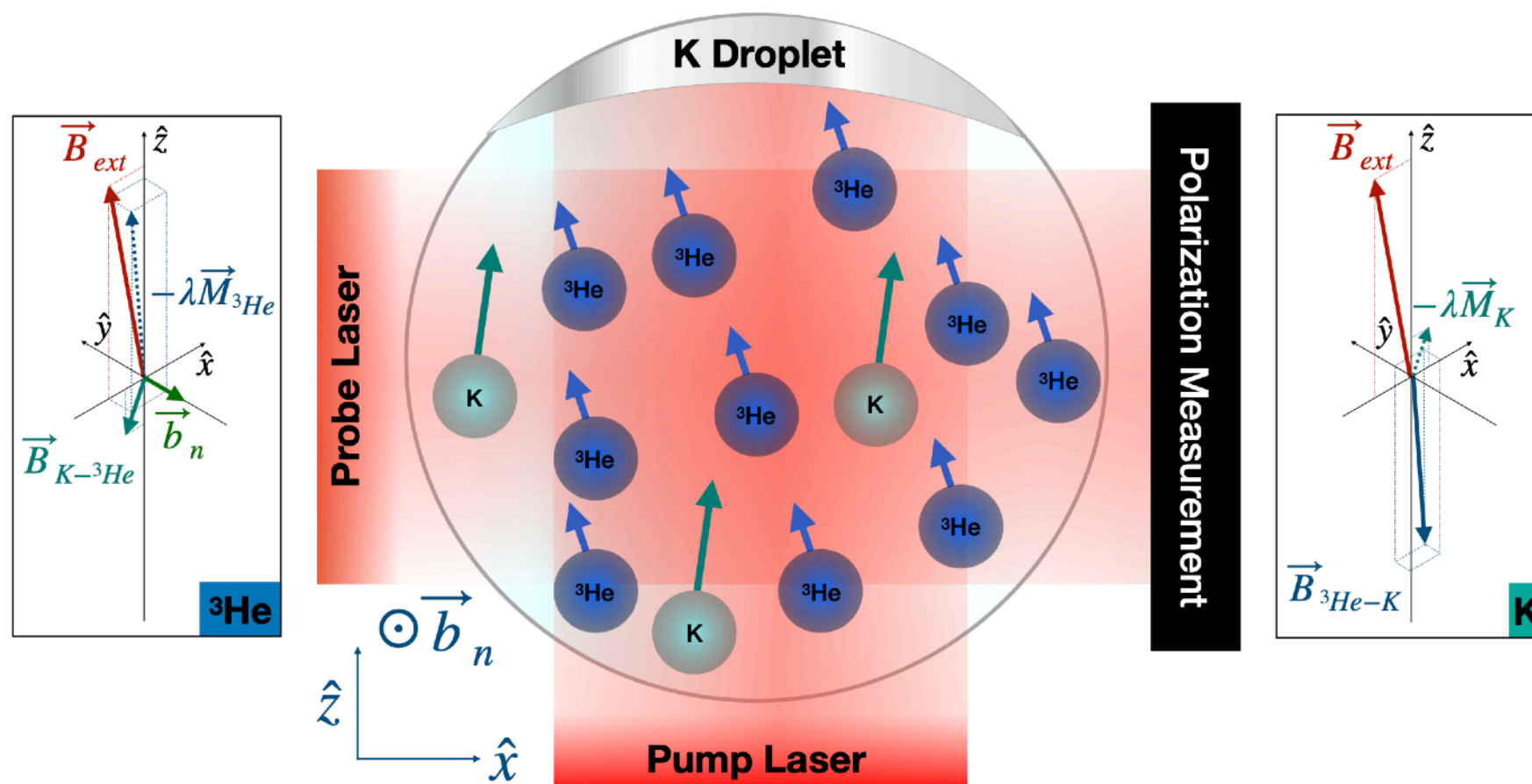


$$S_{\perp}(\omega = m_a) = \frac{b_{\perp} + \gamma B_{\perp}(\omega = m_a)}{(\gamma B_z - m_a) + i\Gamma} S_z$$



Comagnetometer

- Alkali atoms and noble-gas atom



$$\frac{\delta \mathbf{P}^e}{\delta t} = \frac{\gamma_e}{Q} [\mathbf{B} + \mathbf{L} + \lambda M_0^n \mathbf{P}^n + \mathbf{b}^e] \times \mathbf{P}^e - \boldsymbol{\Omega} \times \mathbf{P}^e + \frac{R_p \mathbf{S}_p + R_m \mathbf{S}_m + R_{se}^{ne} \mathbf{P}^n}{Q} - \frac{\{R_1^e, R_2^e, R_2^e\}}{Q} \mathbf{P}^e$$

spin interaction

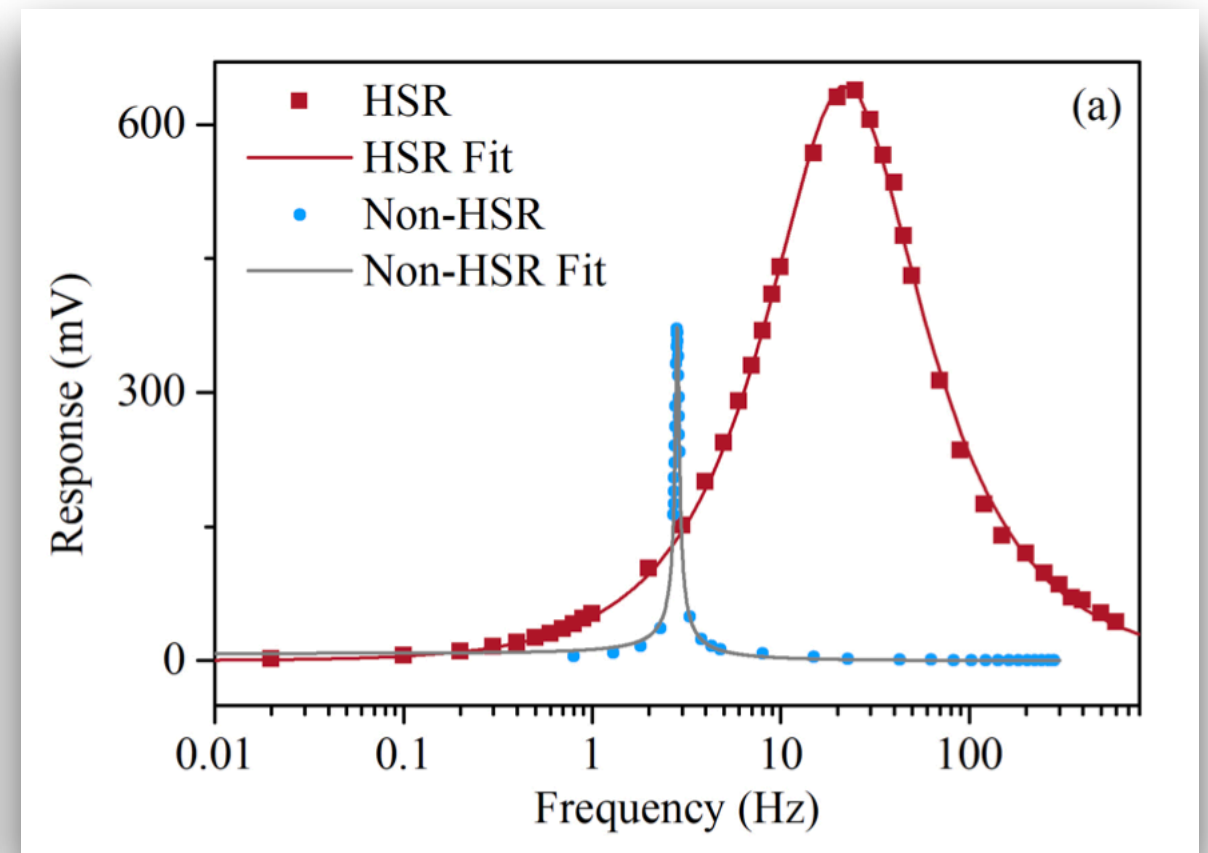
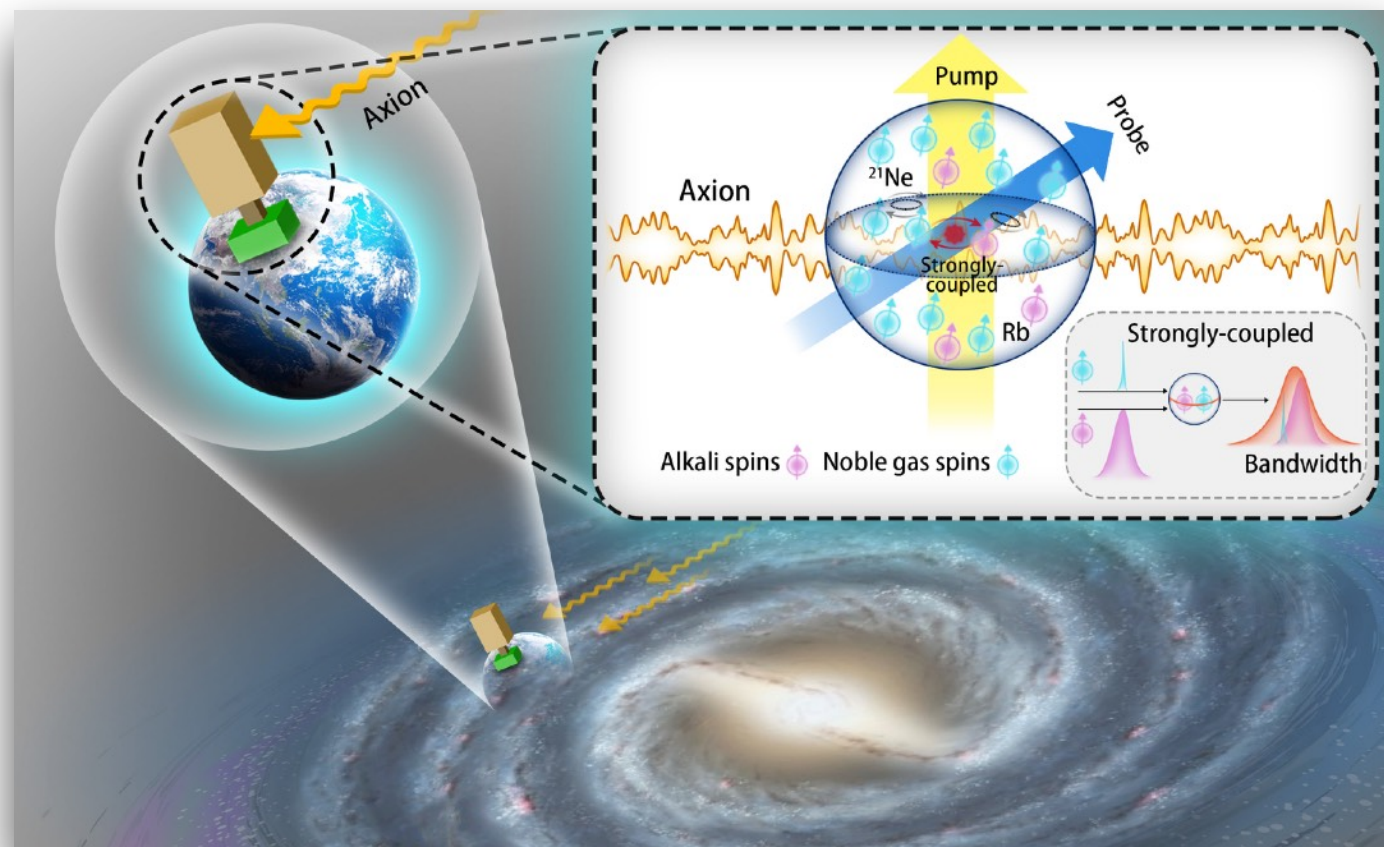
spin exchange collision

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Comagnetometer in Hybrid Spin Resonance

ChangE experiment: Kai Wei, .. **XPW** .. et al, 2306.08039

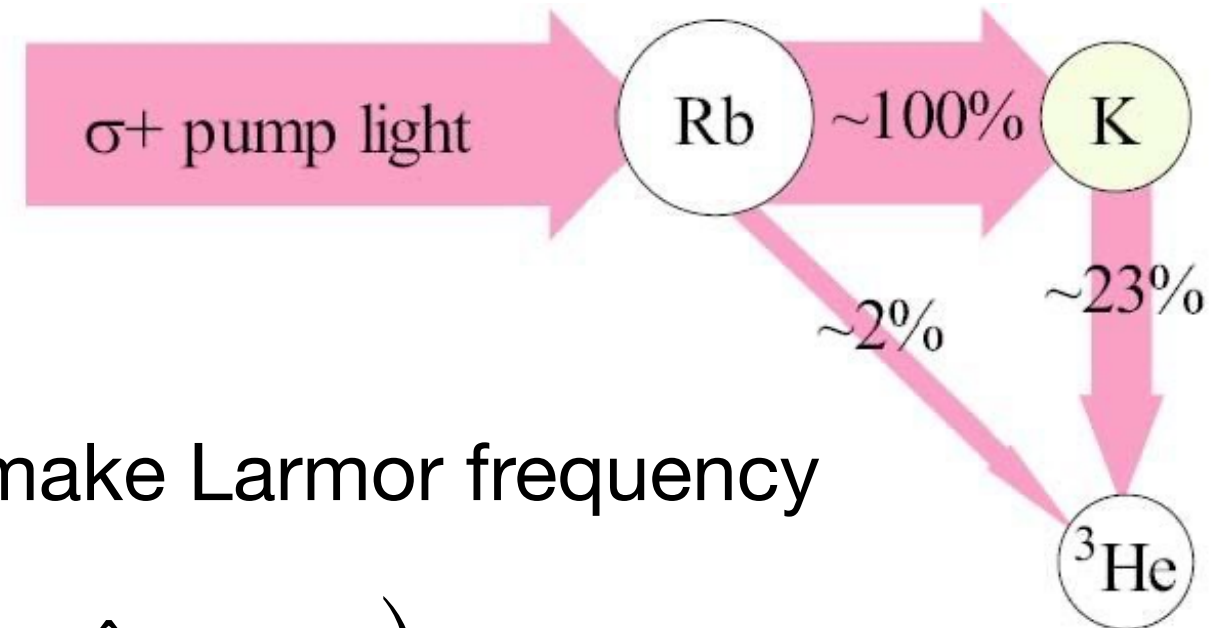


- Smaller amplification but with much wider resonance
 - Do not need to scan (e.g. 35 months)
 - Long-time measurement at single point to compensate amplification lost



Hybrid Spin Resonance

- Spin-exchange Optical Pumping:



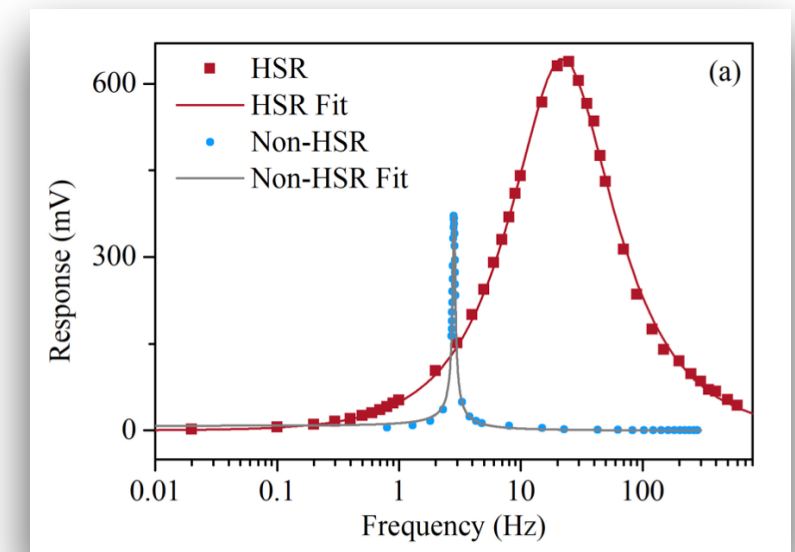
- Method: tune external B field to make Larmor frequency equal (HSR region)

$$\omega_{\text{alkali}} = \gamma_{\text{alkali}} (\hat{B}_{\text{ext}} + \hat{B}_{\text{noble}})$$

$$\omega_{\text{noble}} = \gamma_{\text{noble}} (\hat{B}_{\text{ext}} + \hat{B}_{\text{alkali}})$$

- Require $\omega_{\text{alkali}} = \omega_{\text{noble}}$

$$B_{\text{HSR}} \sim -B_{\text{noble}}$$





Stochastic nature of ULDM



- Random phase in different p mode

$$\nabla a(x) = \sum_p \sqrt{\frac{2N_p}{V\omega_p}} \cos(\omega_p t - \mathbf{p} \cdot \mathbf{x} + \phi_p) \mathbf{p}$$

ϕ_p : is uniform random variable in $[0, 2\pi]$

- Signal is stochastic instead of deterministic

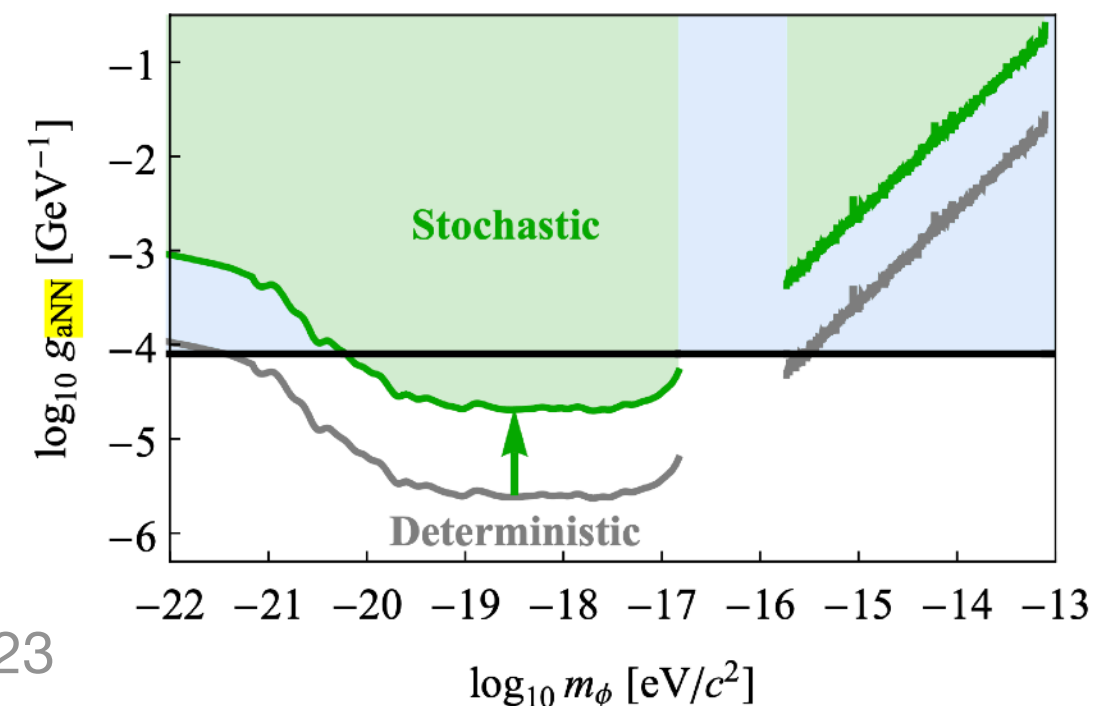
$$\beta_j = \frac{g_{aN}}{\gamma_N} \nabla a(j\Delta t) \cdot \hat{\mathbf{m}}(j\Delta t)$$

$$A_k = \frac{2}{N} \text{Re}[\tilde{\beta}_k], \quad B_k = -\frac{2}{N} \text{Im}[\tilde{\beta}_k].$$

$$L(\mathbf{d}|g_{aNN}, \sigma_b^2) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{(2\pi)^{2N} \det(\Sigma)}} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{d}^T \Sigma^{-1} \mathbf{d}\right)$$

$$\Sigma = \Sigma_a + \sigma_b^2 \cdot \mathbb{1}$$

1905.13650, NC 2021

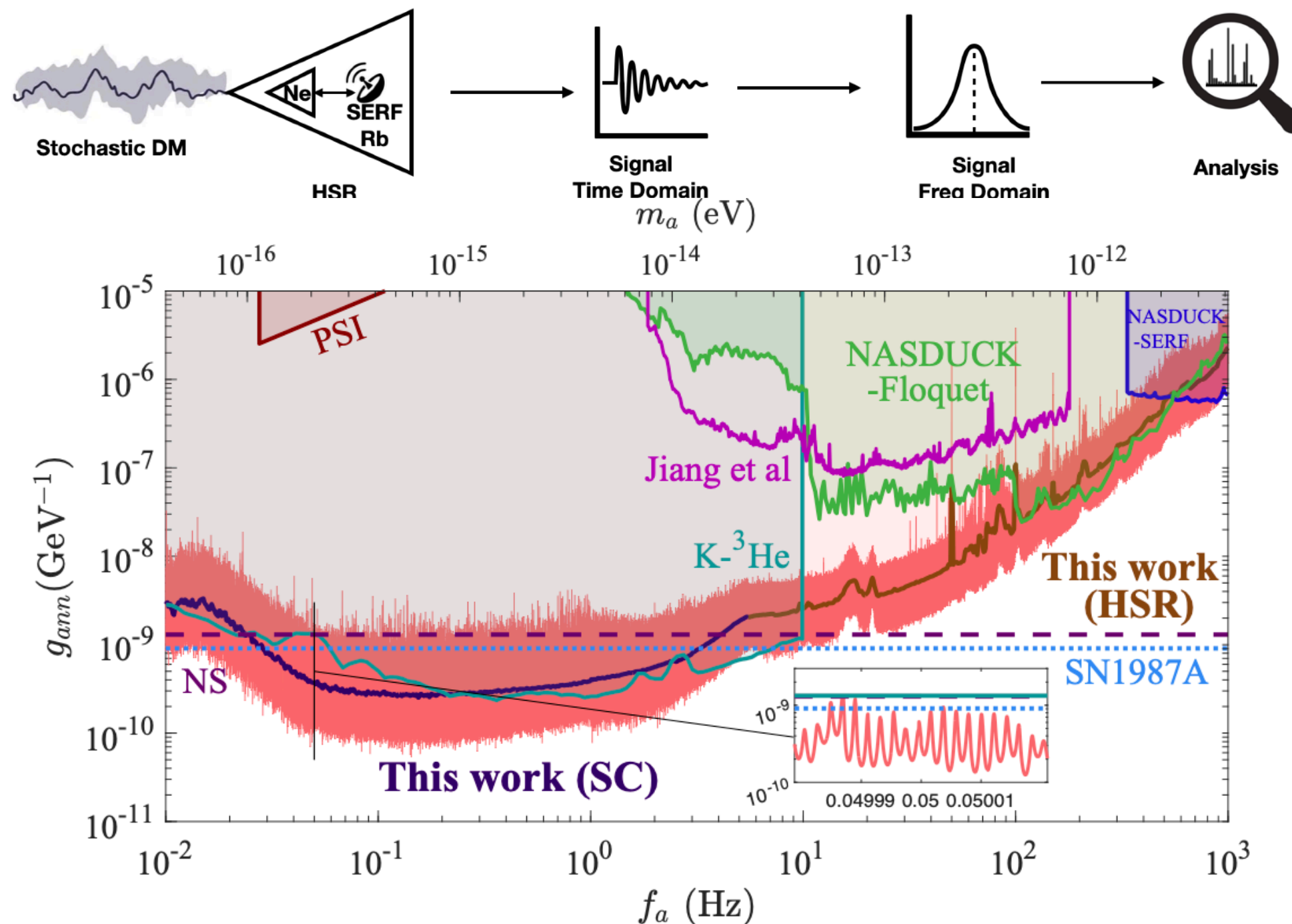


Junyi Lee et al, 2209.03289, PRX 2023

$$\gamma_{95\%}^{\text{stoch}} = 8.4 \gamma_{95\%}^{\text{det}}$$



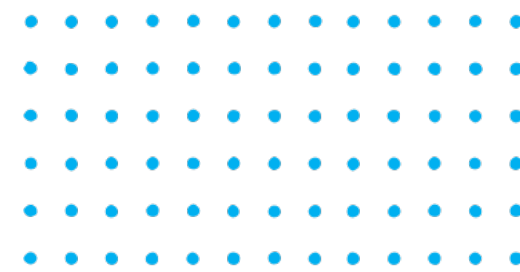
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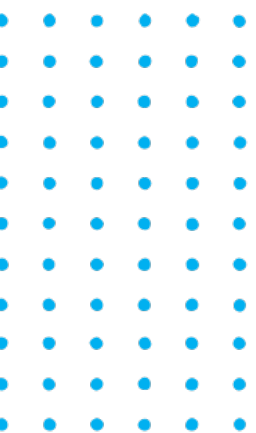
- The experiments has long duration at single working point
Data-1 = 209 hr, Data-2 = 4 hr (underground)



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Dark matter-SM mediator



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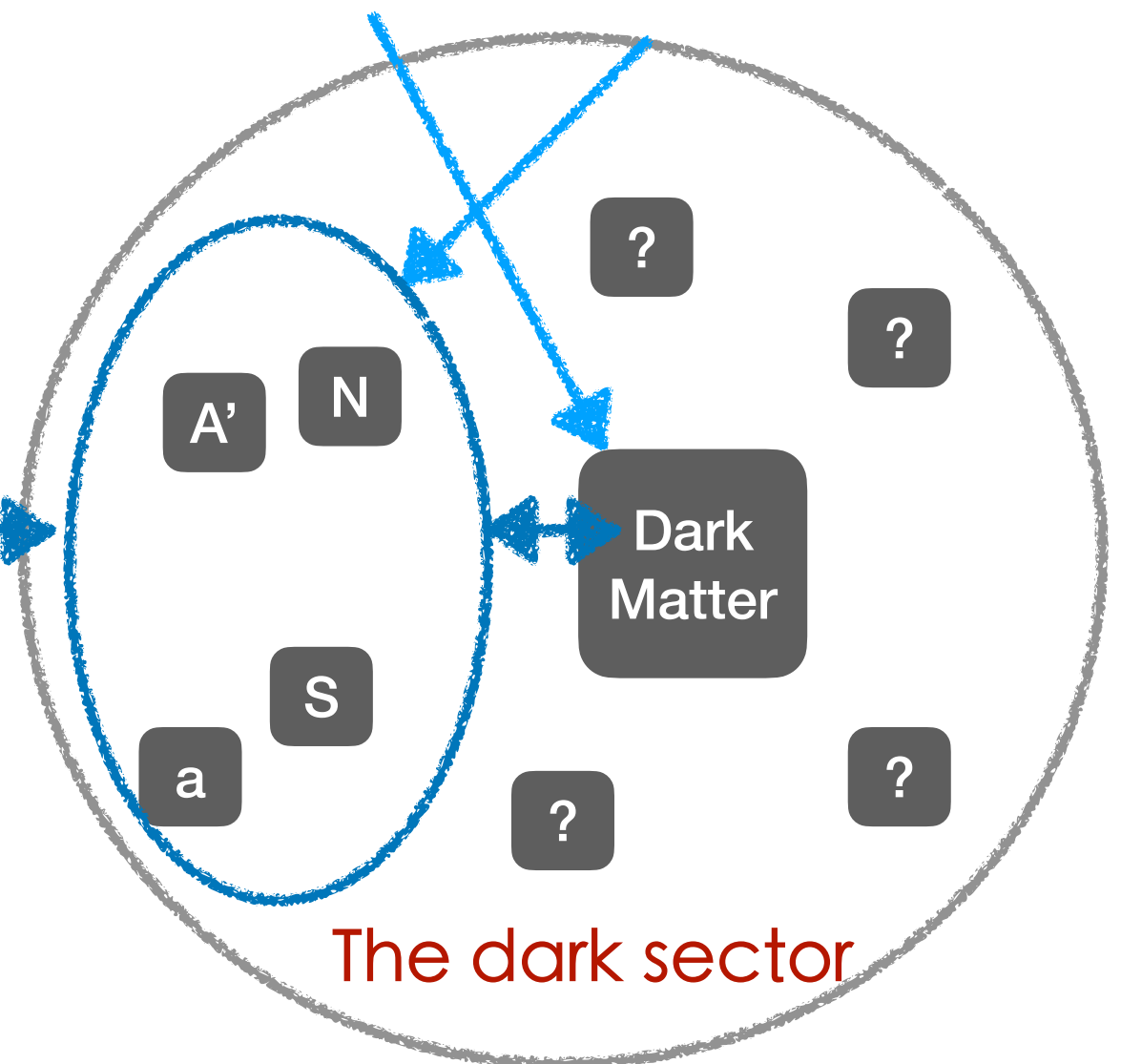
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SCALAR BOSONS (points to Higgs)

GAUGE BOSONS VECTOR BOSONS (points to photon, Z, W)





Oscillating A' from wave-like DM

- Wave information to A'

$$\left(D_\mu \phi\right)^* D^\mu \phi \supset \left(g' Q_\phi\right)^2 \phi^* \phi A'_\mu A'^\mu$$

- Oscillating information of A'

$$\tilde{m}_0^2 = m_0^2 + \left(g' Q_\phi\right)^2 \left(\phi_1^* \phi_1 + \phi_2^* \phi_2 - \sqrt{\left(|\phi_1|^2 + |\phi_2|^2\right)^2 + \left(\phi_1 \phi_2^* + \phi_1^* \phi_2\right)^2} \right)$$

$$m_{A'}^2(t) = \tilde{m}_0^2 \left[1 + \underbrace{2 \left(g' Q_\phi\right)^2 \frac{\sqrt{\left(|\phi_1|^2 + |\phi_2|^2\right)^2 + \left(\phi_1 \phi_2^* + \phi_1^* \phi_2\right)^2}}{\tilde{m}_0^2}}_{\mathcal{K}} \cos^2(m_\phi t) \right]$$

$\mathcal{K}$



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- For simply connect to UV model

$$\arg [\phi_1] = \arg [\phi_2] \text{ or } \phi_2 = 0$$



$$\tilde{m}_0 = m_0$$

$$\kappa \equiv 10 \left(\frac{\rho_{\text{DM}}}{0.3 \text{ GeV/cm}^3} \right) \left(\frac{g' Q_\phi}{1.5 \times 10^{-8}} \cdot \frac{10^{-19} \text{ eV}}{m_\phi} \cdot \frac{0.1 \text{ GeV}}{m_0} \right)^2$$

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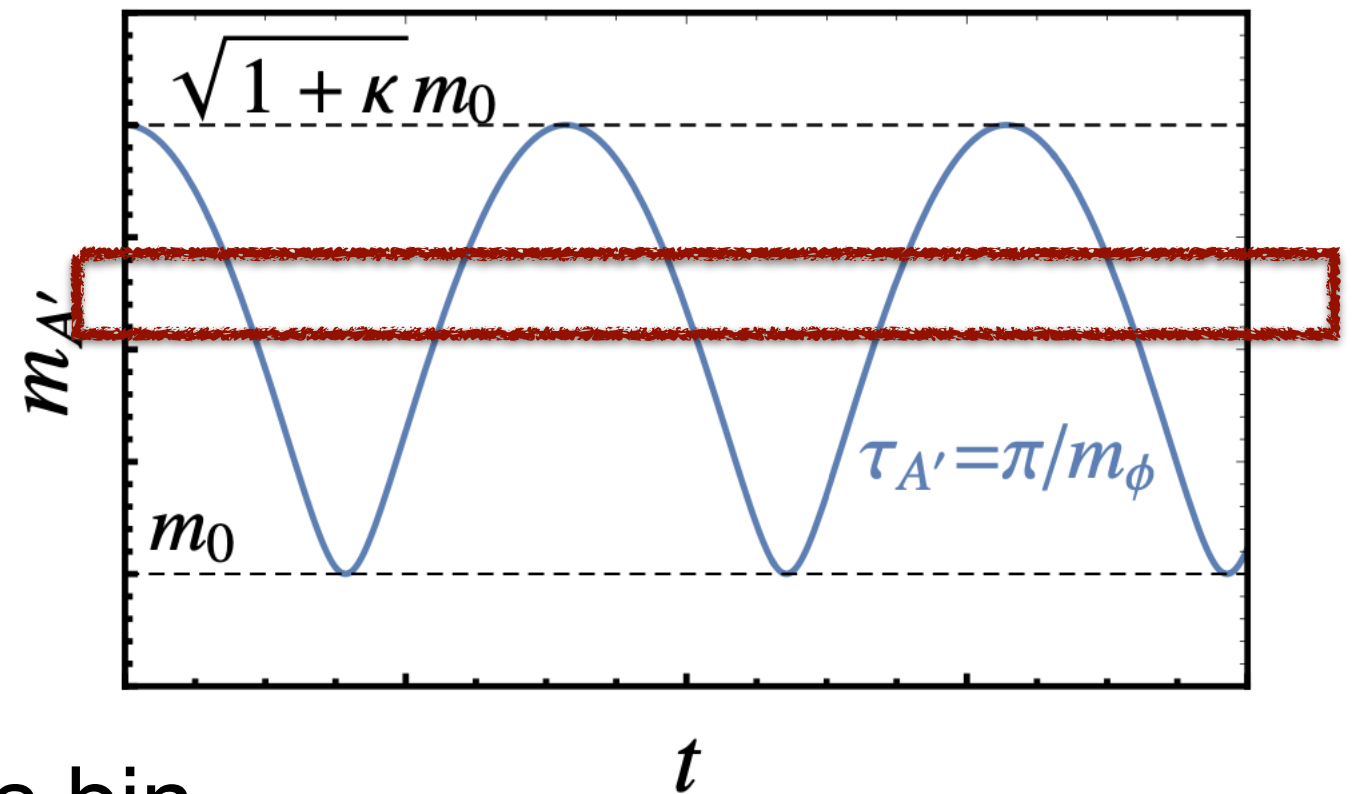


Oscillating A' from wave-like DM

- Oscillating property

$$m_{A'}^2(t) = m_0^2(1 + \kappa \cos^2(m_\phi t))$$

$$= m_{A'}^2(t + \tau)$$



- Event number in the i th mass bin

$$N_i = \sigma_{\text{res}}^{(i)} \epsilon_i L \frac{\Delta t_i}{t_{\text{exp}}} = \frac{\sigma_{\text{res}}^{(i)} \epsilon_i L}{\tau} \int_{m_i}^{m_{i+1}} \left| \frac{dt}{dm_{\text{res}}} \right| dm_{\text{res}}$$

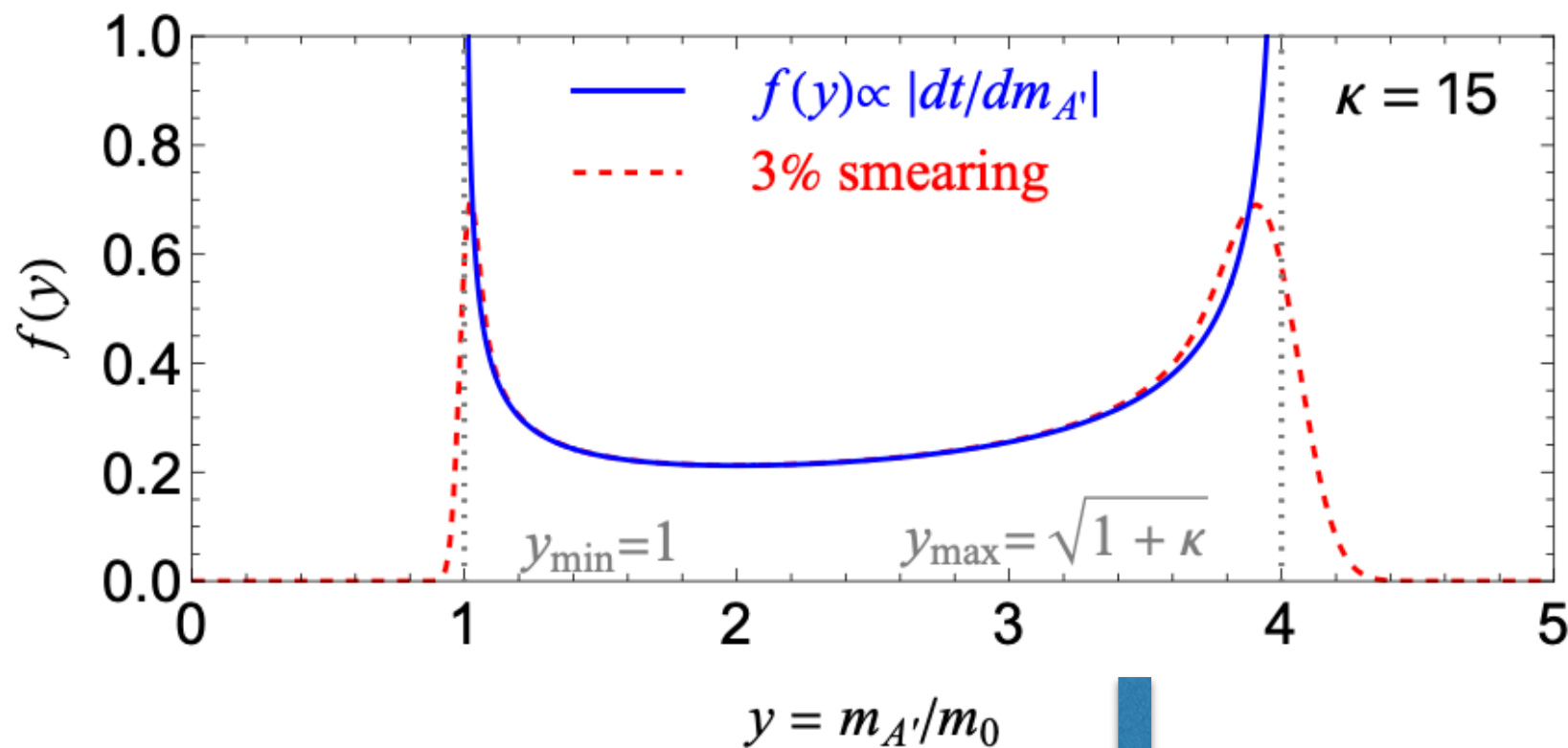
$$\frac{\tau}{m_0} f(y)$$



Oscillating A' from wave-like DM

- Oscillating property

$$f(y) = \frac{2y}{\pi \sqrt{(y^2 - y_{\min}^2)(y_{\max}^2 - y^2)}}$$



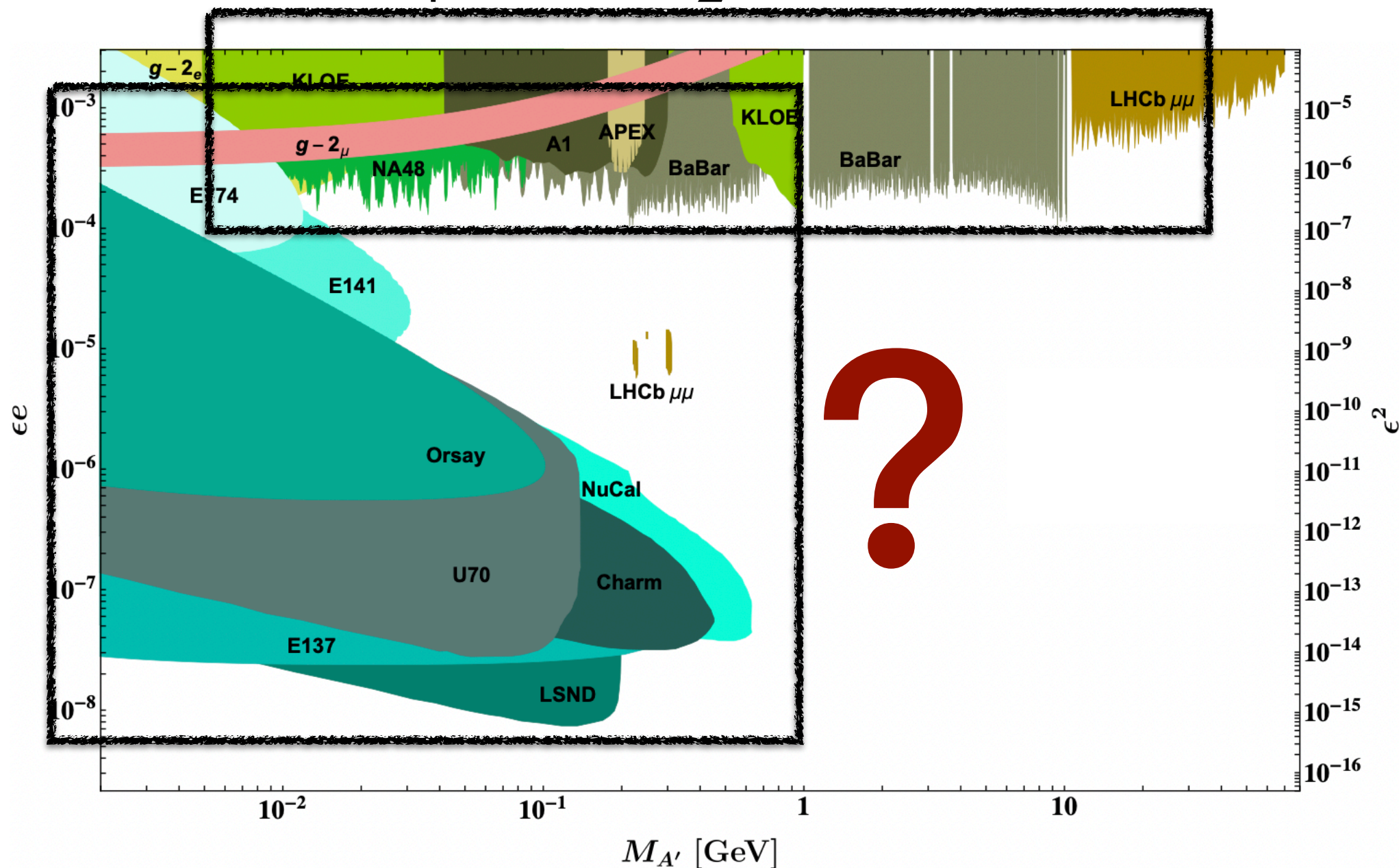
$$\frac{\int_{y_{\max}-\Delta}^{y_{\max}} f(y) dy}{\int_{y_{\min}}^{y_{\min}+\Delta} f(y) dy} \rightarrow \sqrt{\frac{y_{\max}}{y_{\min}}}$$



Oscillating A' effect on experiments?

- A kinetic mixing dark photon A' with $U(1)'$ interaction

$$\mathcal{L} = -\frac{1}{4}F'_{\mu\nu}F'^{\mu\nu} + \frac{1}{2}m_0^2 A'_\mu A'^\mu + \epsilon e A'_\mu J_{\text{em}}^\mu$$



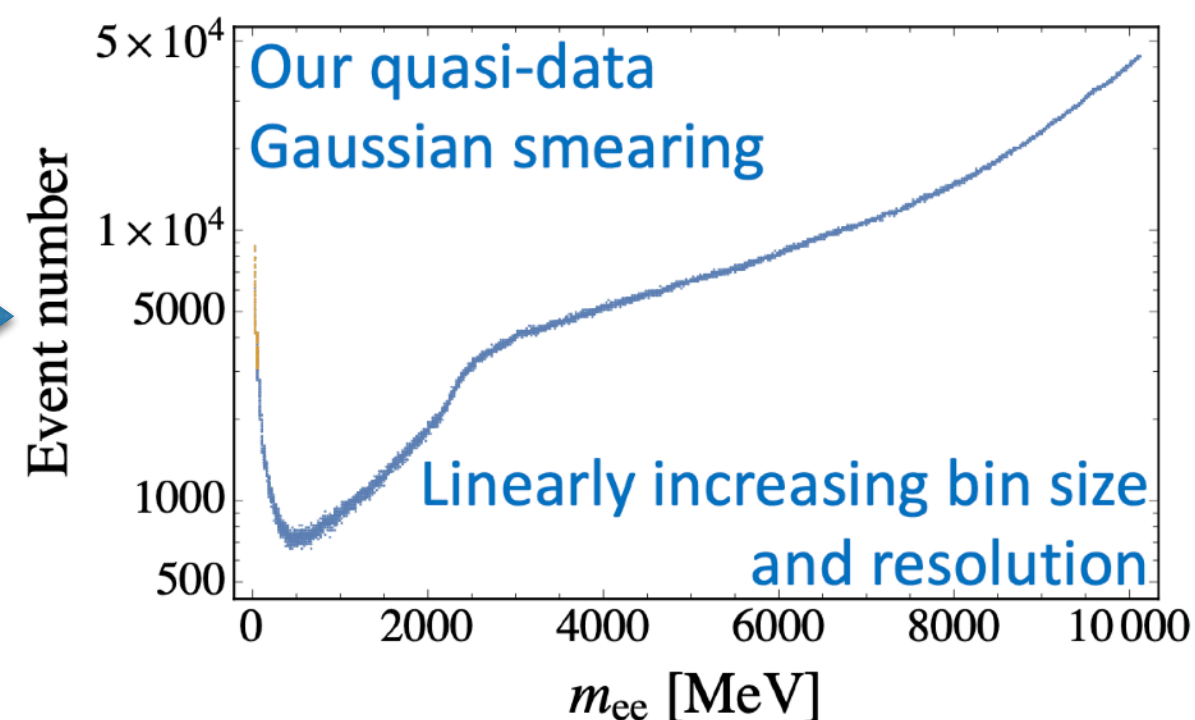
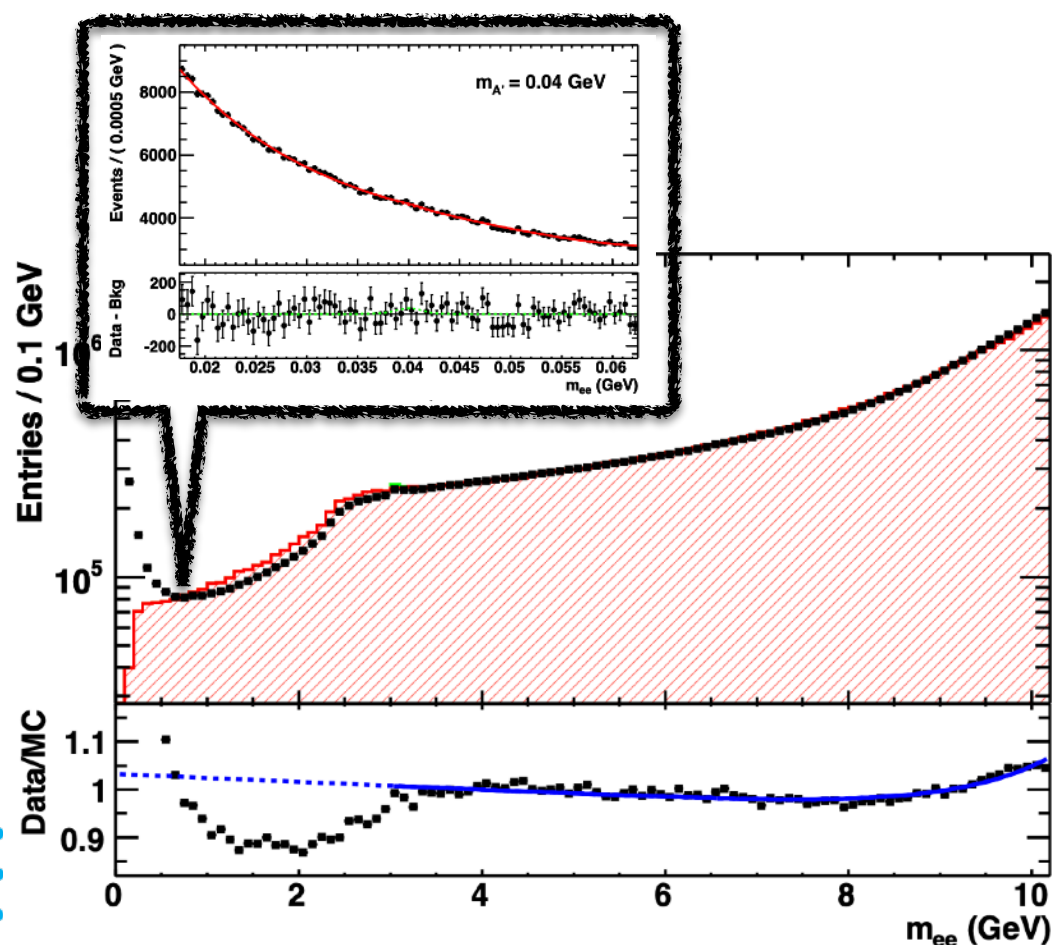
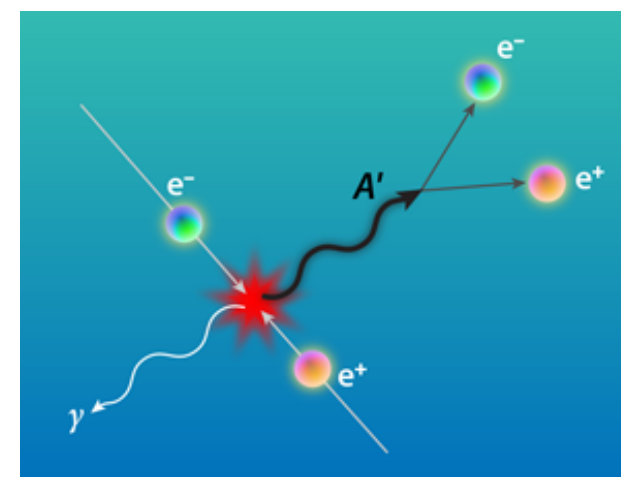


Prompt dilepton final states

- General dilepton process

$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma A', A' \rightarrow e^+e^-/\mu^+\mu^-$$

- BaBar data PRL 113, 201801 (2014)



$$\text{LLR} = -2 \log \left[\frac{\text{Max}_{\vec{a}'} \prod_i \mathcal{N} \left(B_i - B(m_i, \vec{a}') - Sf_G(m_i) \mid B_i \right)}{\text{Max}_{\vec{a}} \prod_i \mathcal{N} \left(B_i - B(m_i, \vec{a}) \mid B_i \right)} \right]$$



Recast BaBar experiment result

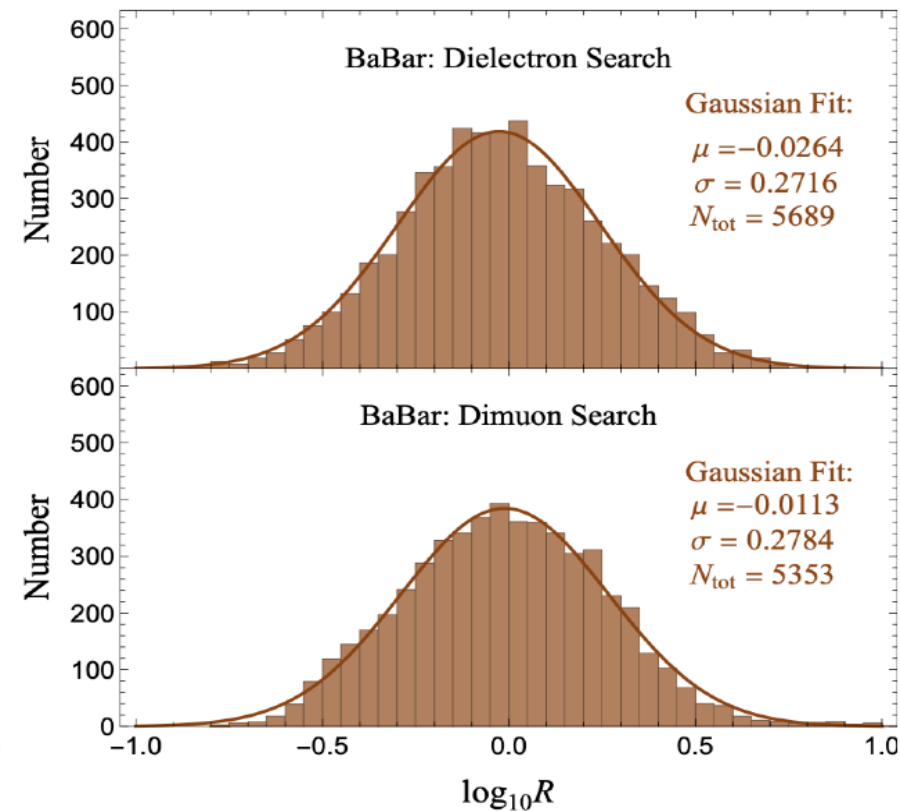
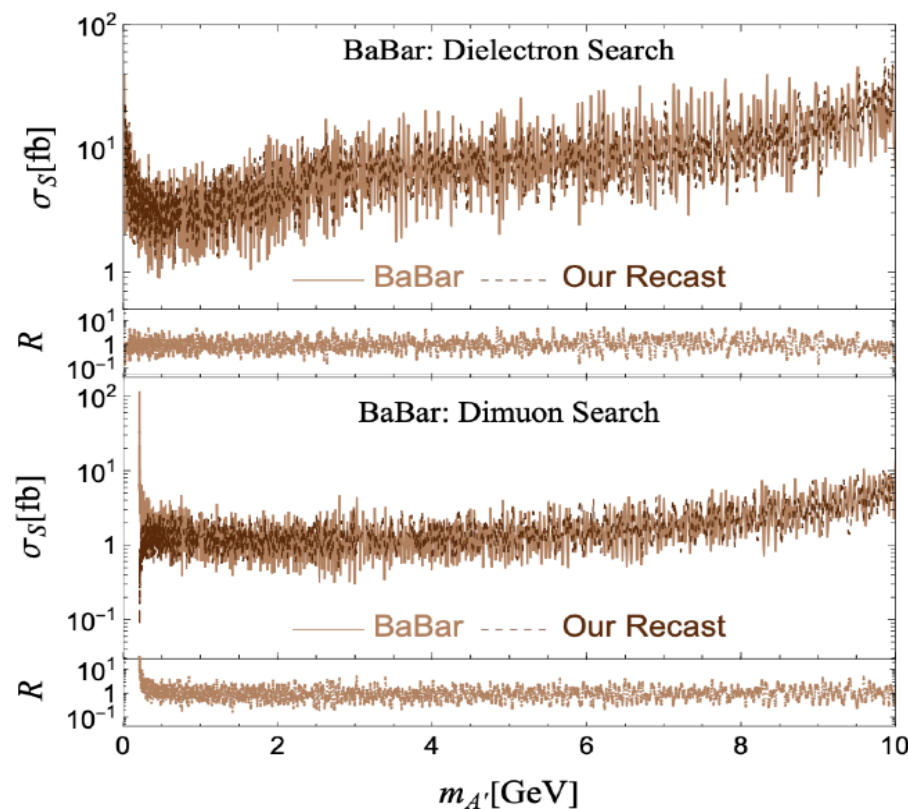
- Traditional single-peak analysis

$$f_G(m_i) = \mathcal{N}(m_{A'} - m_i | \sigma_{\text{re}}^2)$$

- Double-peak analysis

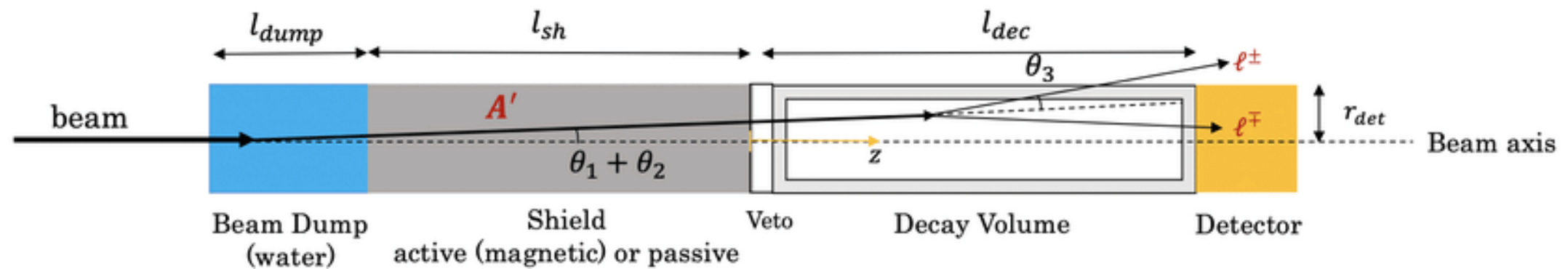
$$f_S(m_i) = \int_{m_{\min}}^{m_{\max}} f\left(\frac{m'}{m_0}\right) \mathcal{N}(m_i - m' | \sigma_{\text{re}}^2) dm'$$

- Recast result:





Beam Dump Experiments



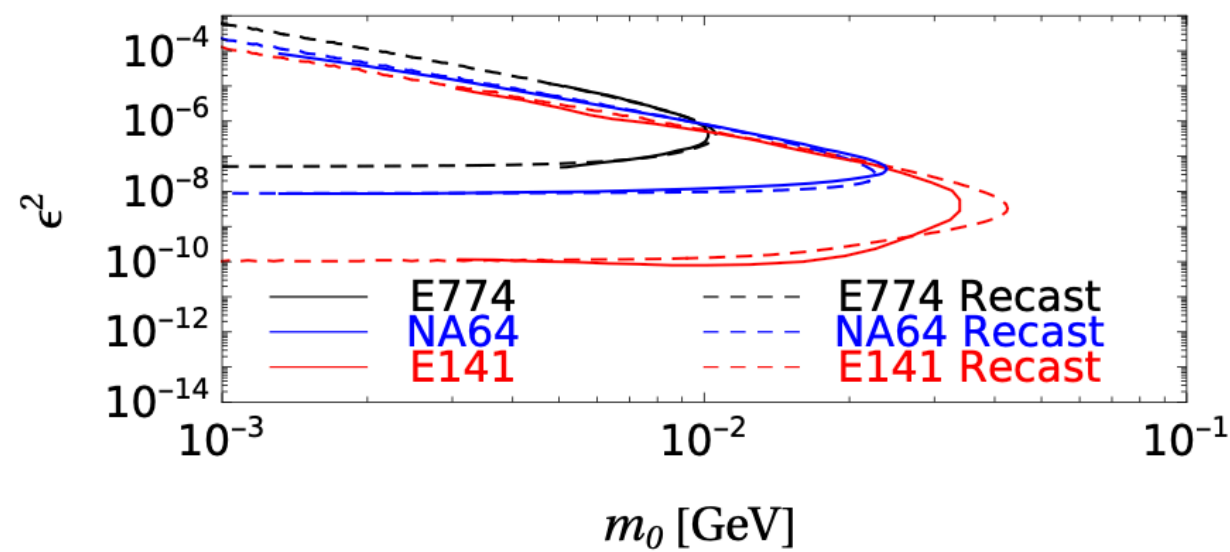
- General event number:

$$N(\epsilon, m_{A'}) = N_e \mathcal{C}' \epsilon^2 \frac{m_e^2}{m_{A'}^2} e^{-a_1 L_{sh} \Gamma_{A'}} (1 - e^{-a_2 L_{dec} \Gamma_{A'}})$$

- Including oscillation effect

$$N(\epsilon, m_0, \kappa) = \frac{1}{\tau} \int_{m_0}^{\sqrt{1+\kappa} m_0} N(\epsilon, m_{A'}) \left| \frac{dt}{dm_{A'}} \right| dm_{A'}$$

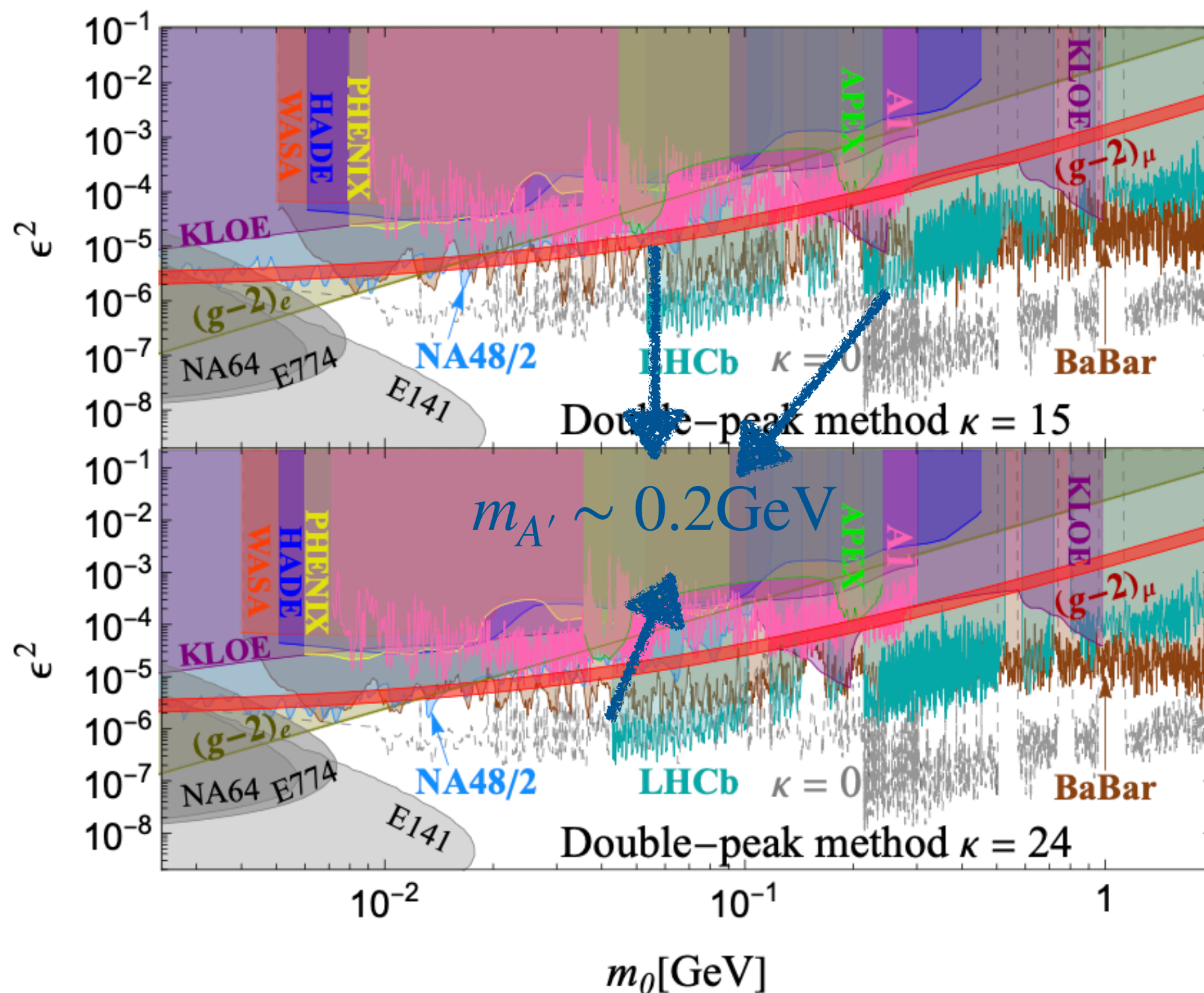
- Our recast result with $\kappa = 0$





Double-peak analysis result

JG, YH, JL,XPW, KPX, arXiv:2206.14221

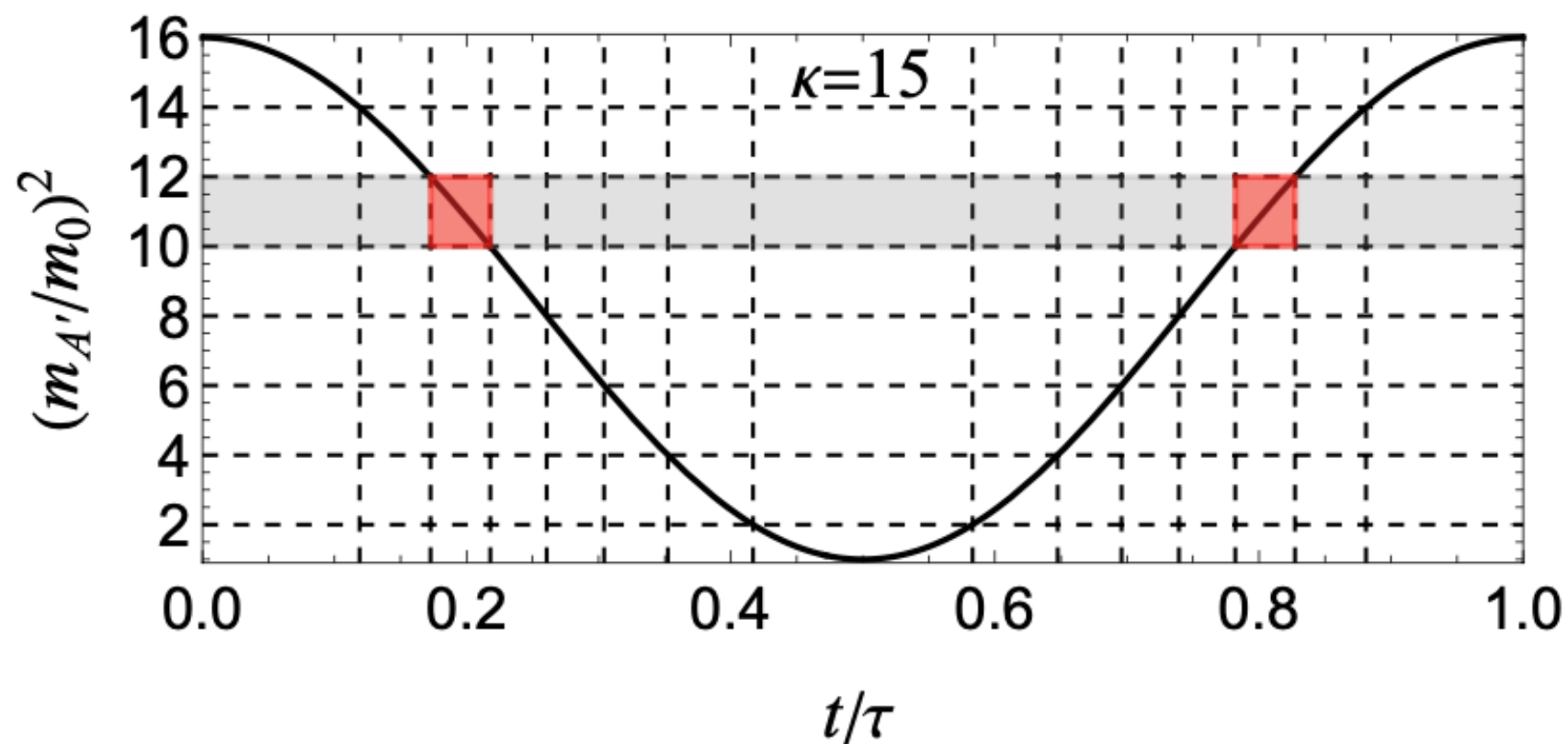




Improvement with time-varying

- Oscillating property

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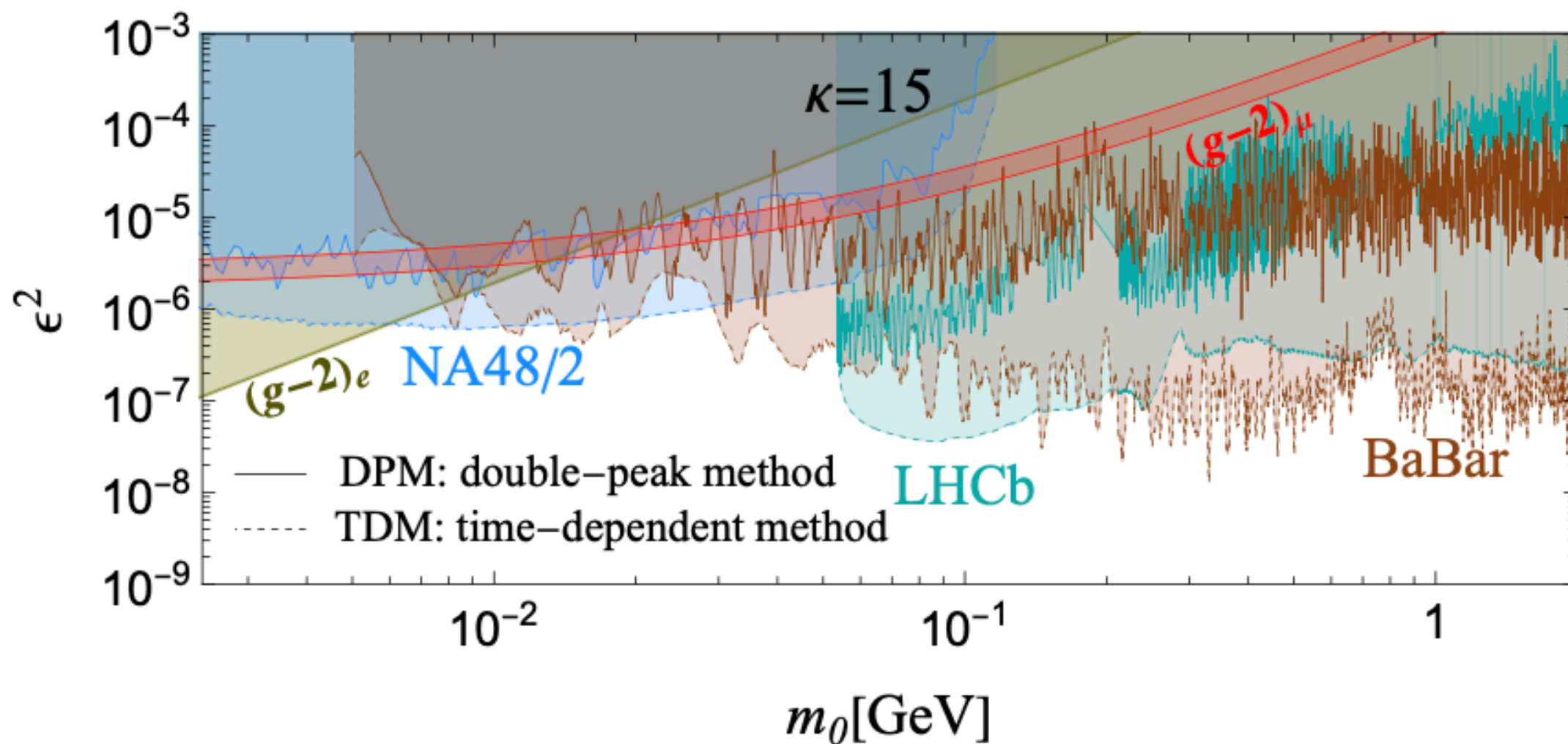
- Background event number

$$N_i^{\text{red}} = N_i \frac{1}{\tau} \int_{m_i}^{m_{i+1}} \left| \frac{dt}{dm_{A'}} \right| dm_{A'}$$



Improvement with time-varying

- Result with time-varying



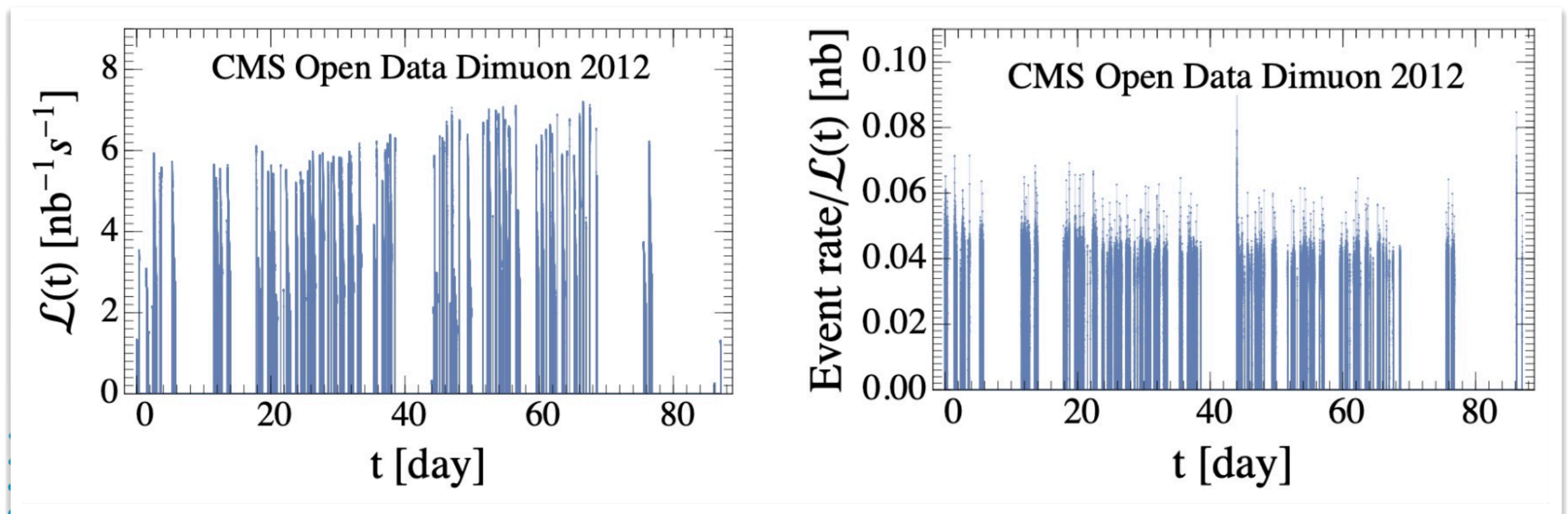


Justify TDM with CMS open data

- CMS open data 2012

$$pp \rightarrow \ell^+ \ell^-, 8\text{TeV}, \sim 10 \text{ fb}^{-1}$$

- Luminosity is not constant





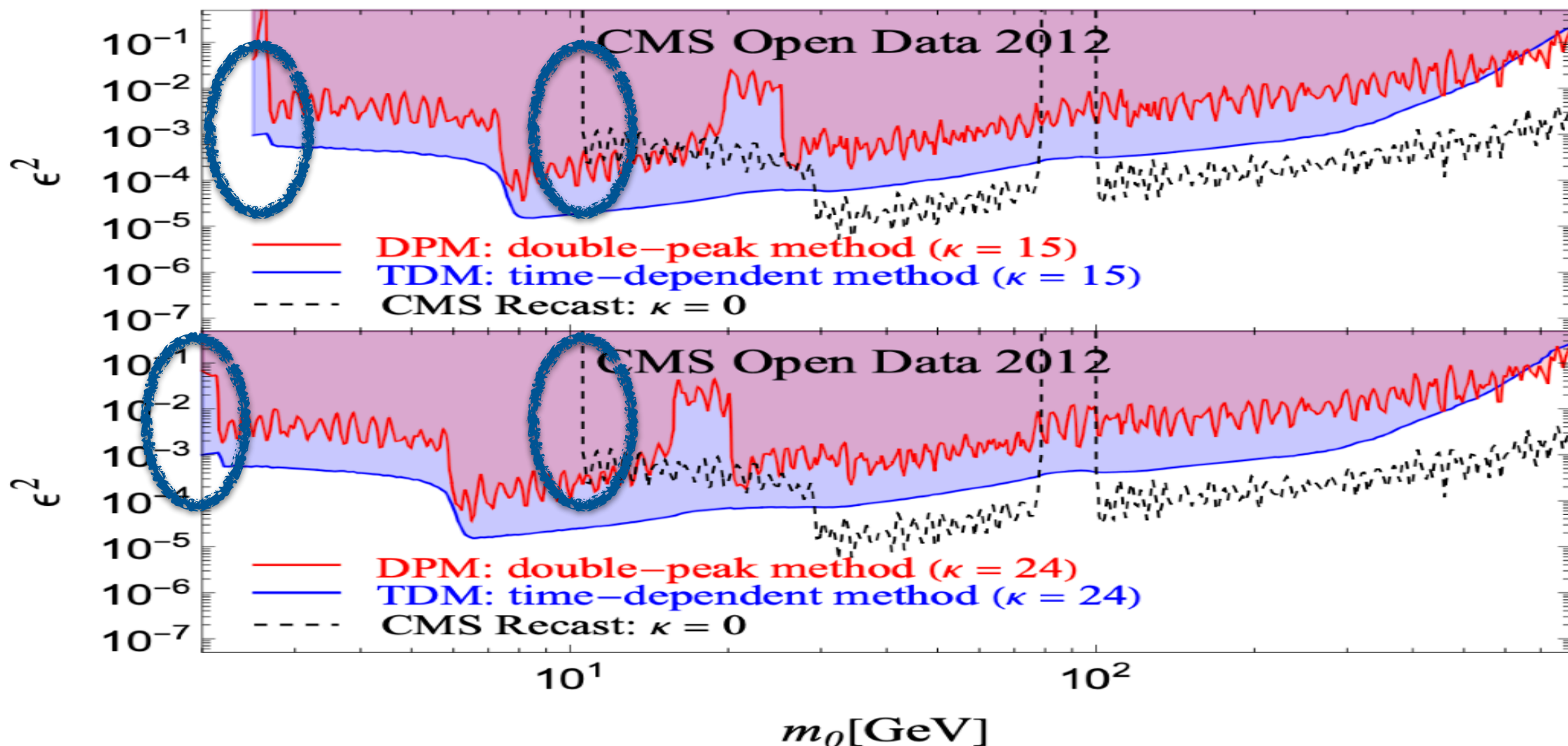
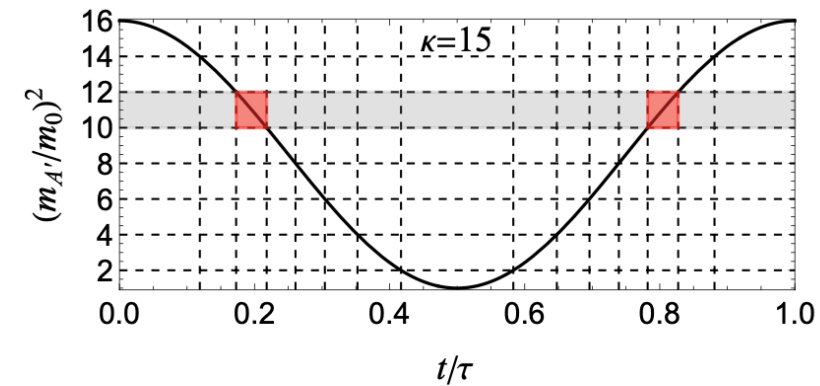
CMS result with time information

- Double-peak Method

$$\frac{dN_S}{dm_{\ell\ell}} = \sigma(m_{\ell\ell}) \epsilon_S \frac{f(m_{\ell\ell}/m_0)}{m_0} \times \frac{\tau_{A'}}{2} \sum_{i^\pm} \mathcal{L}(t_{i^\pm})$$

- Time-dependent Method

$$S_{ij} = \int_{t_i}^{t_i+\Delta t} dt \int_{m_j}^{m_j+\Delta m_{\ell\ell}} dm_{\ell\ell} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma_m} e^{-\frac{(m_{\ell\ell} - m_{A'}(t))^2}{2\sigma_m^2}} \times \mathcal{L}(t) \times \epsilon_S(m_{\ell\ell}) \sigma_0(m_{\ell\ell})$$





Summary

- **The particle property of dark matter is important issue.**
- **Ultra light dark matter has important motivation.**
- **ChangE** experiments set competitive limits on ALP-nucleon couplings
- **Time** dependent method can improve the experiment sensitivity by a few orders
- **We use the real collider data for a time-dependent resonance search and justify that our method works as expected**

Thank you!