

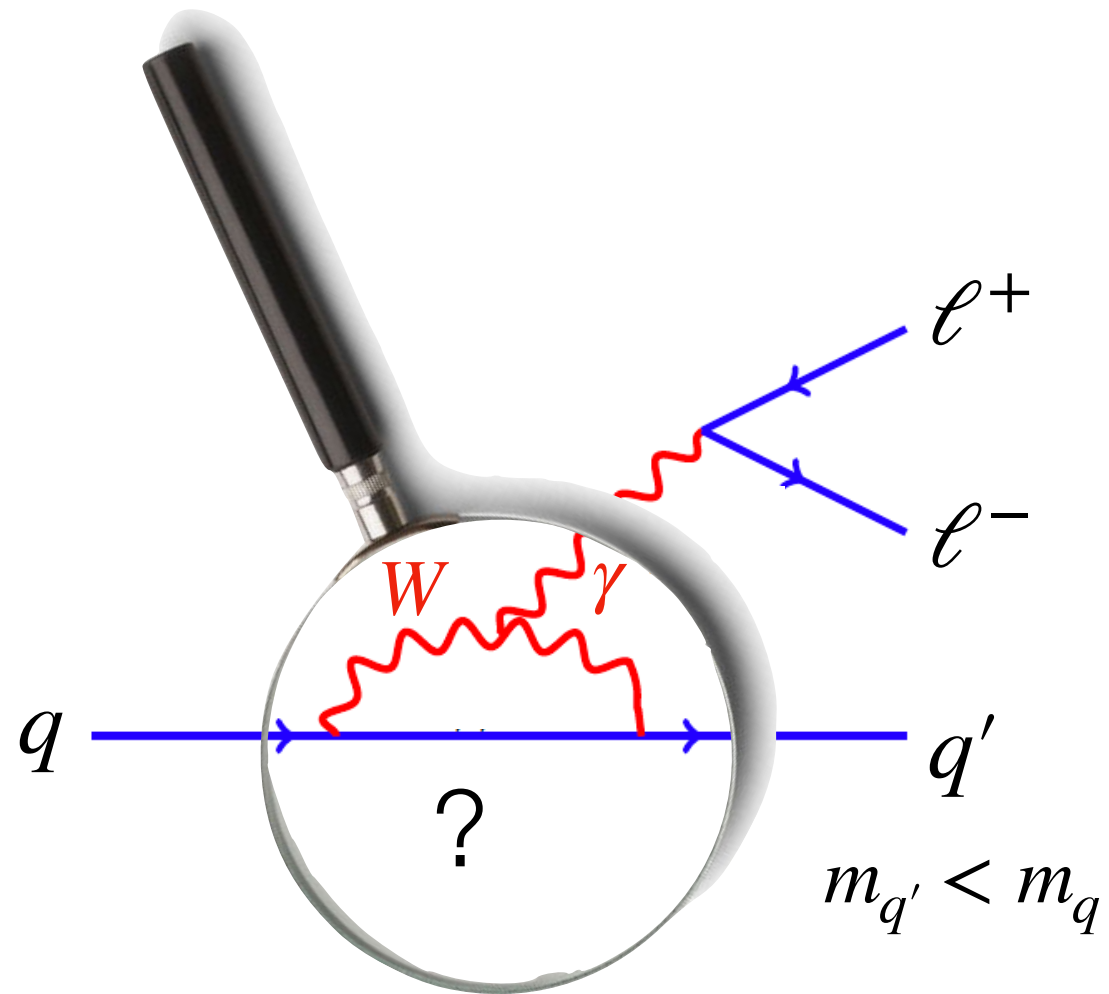
Rare Charm decays at LHCb

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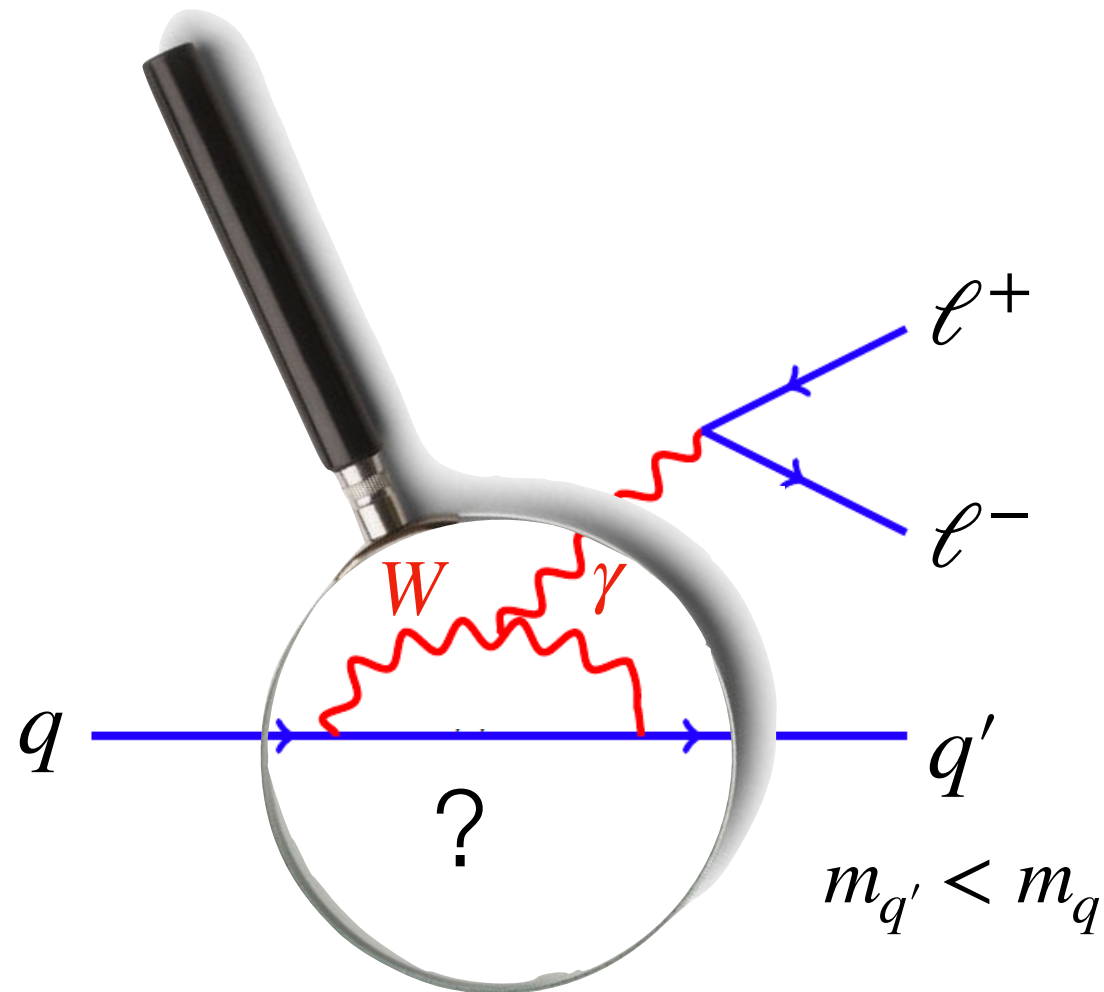
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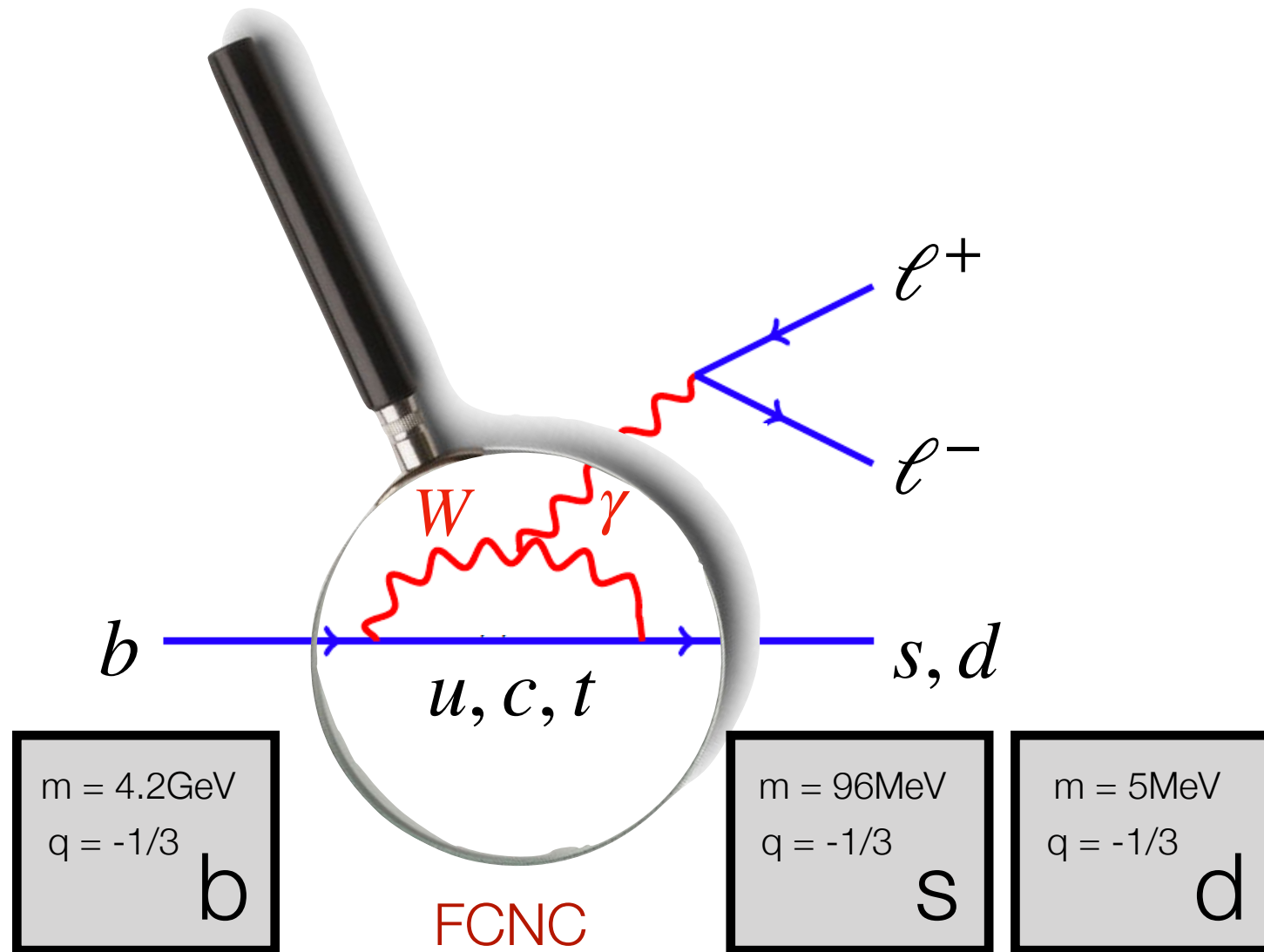
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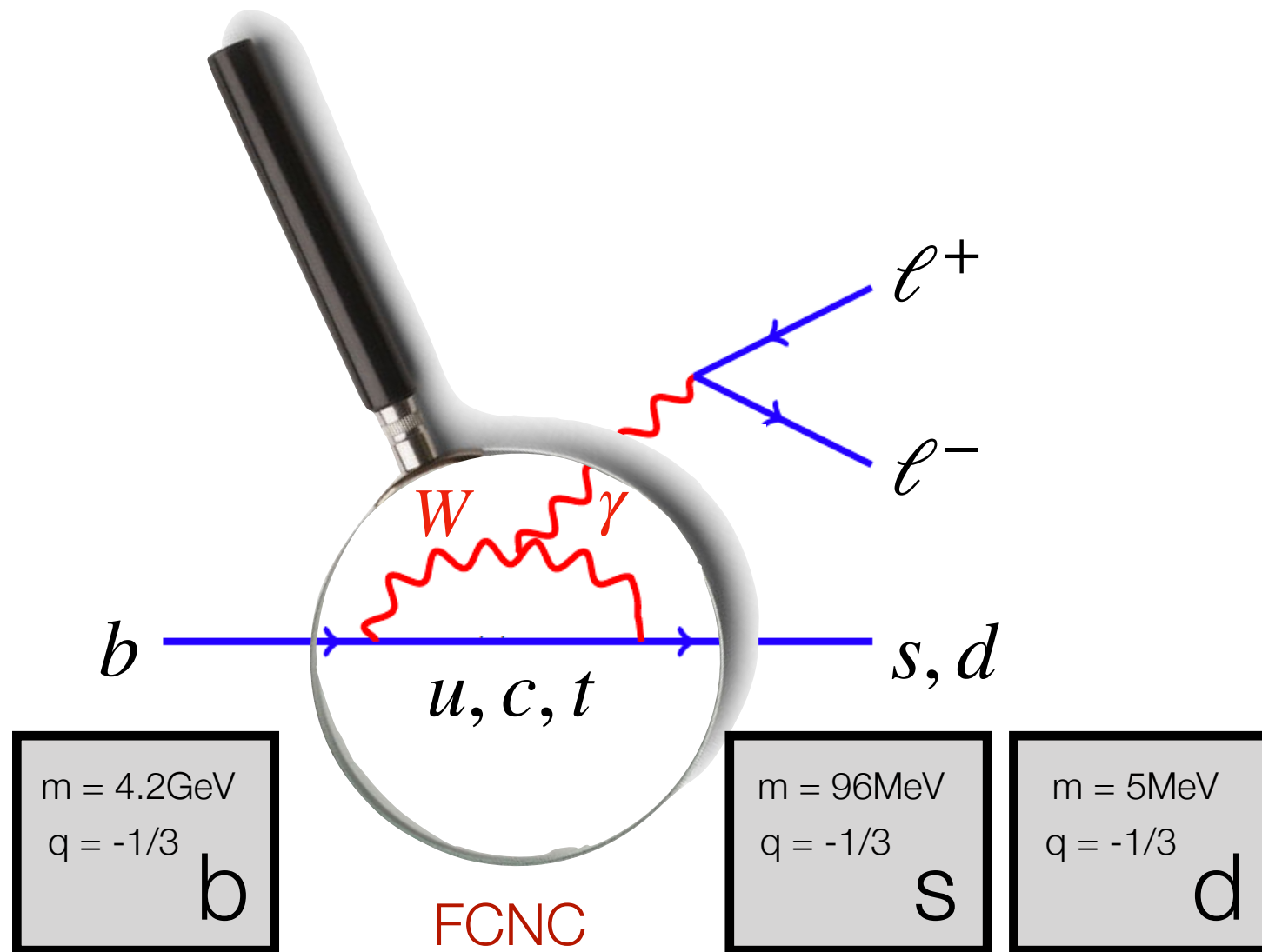
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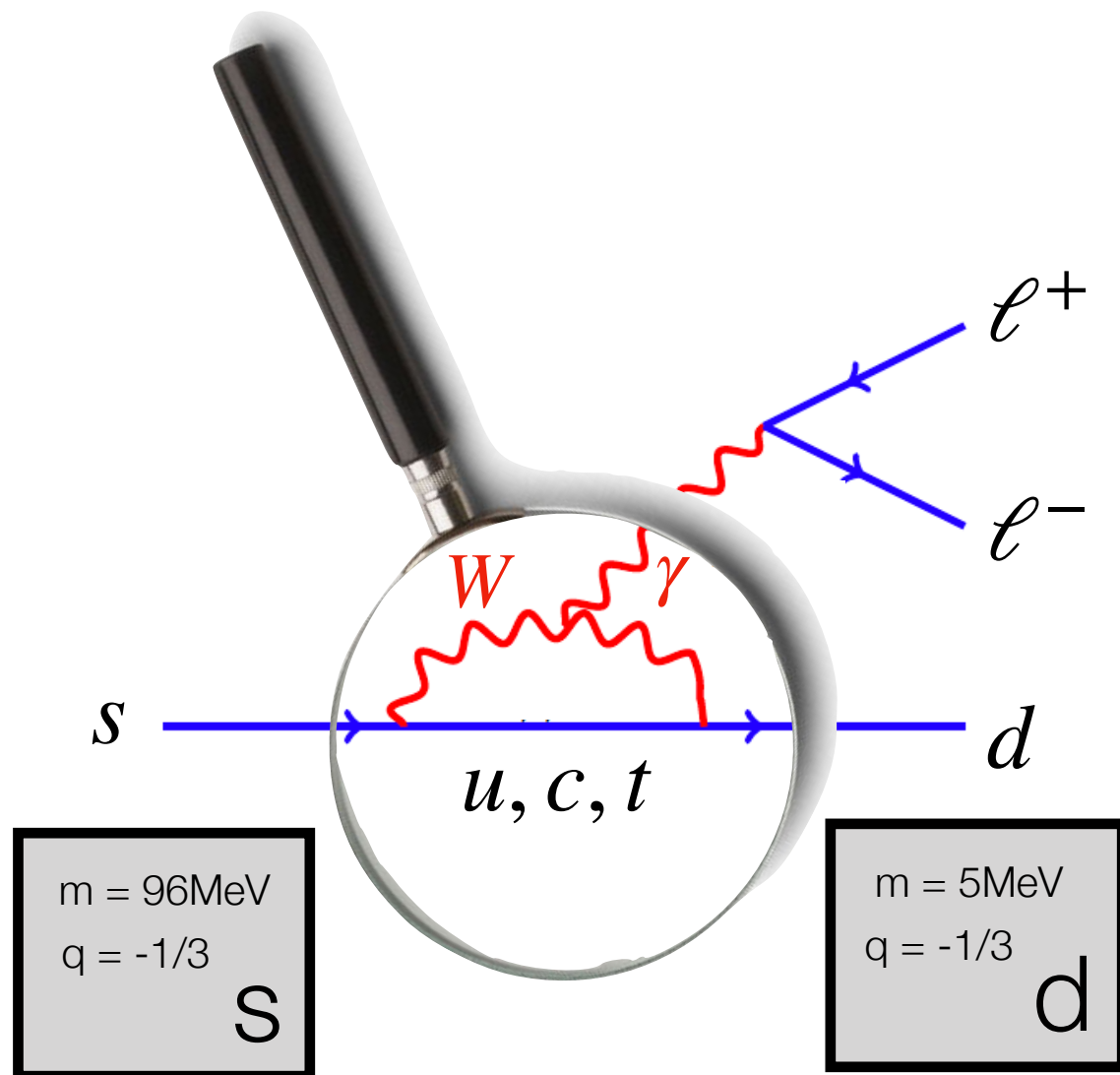
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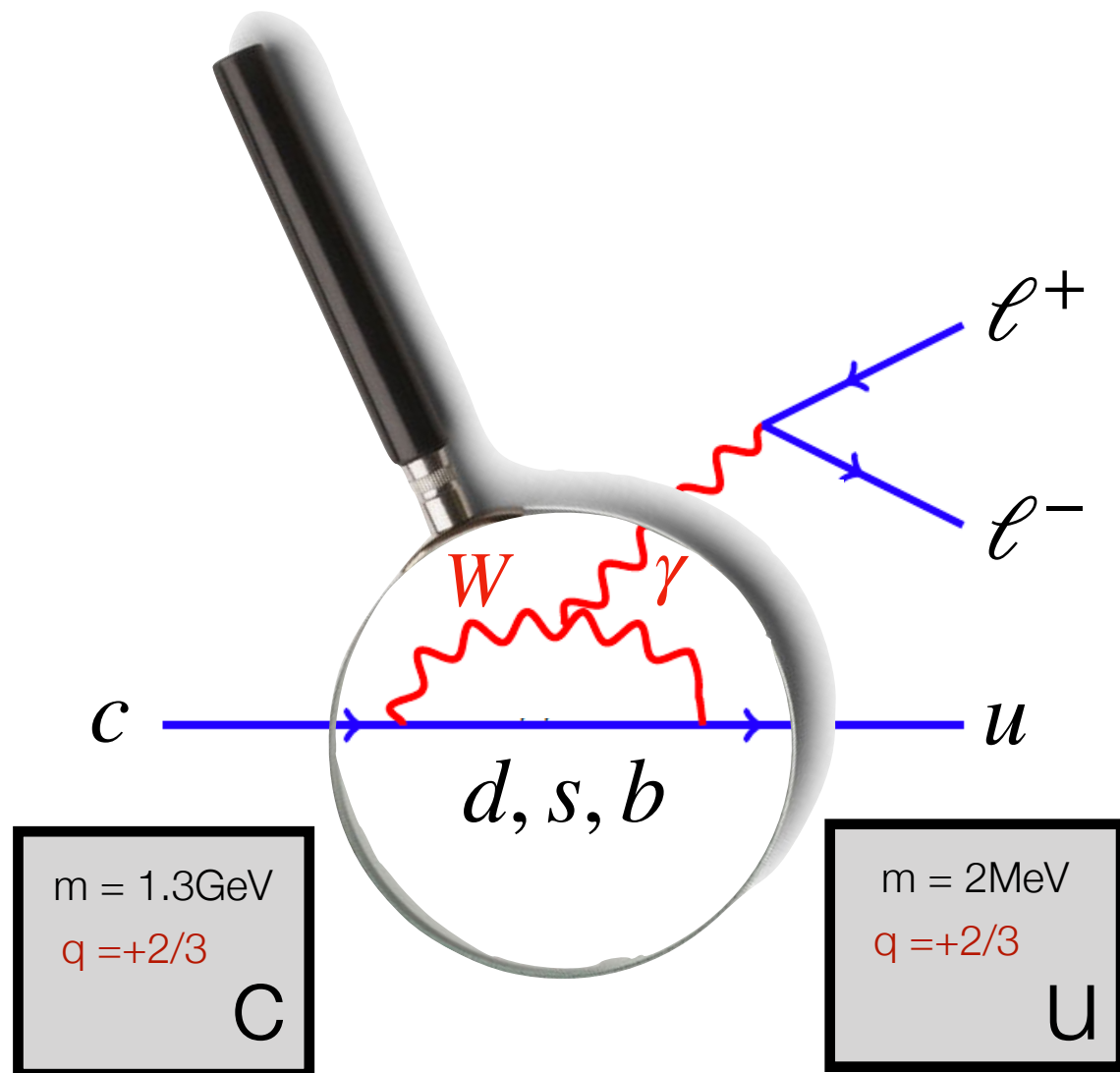
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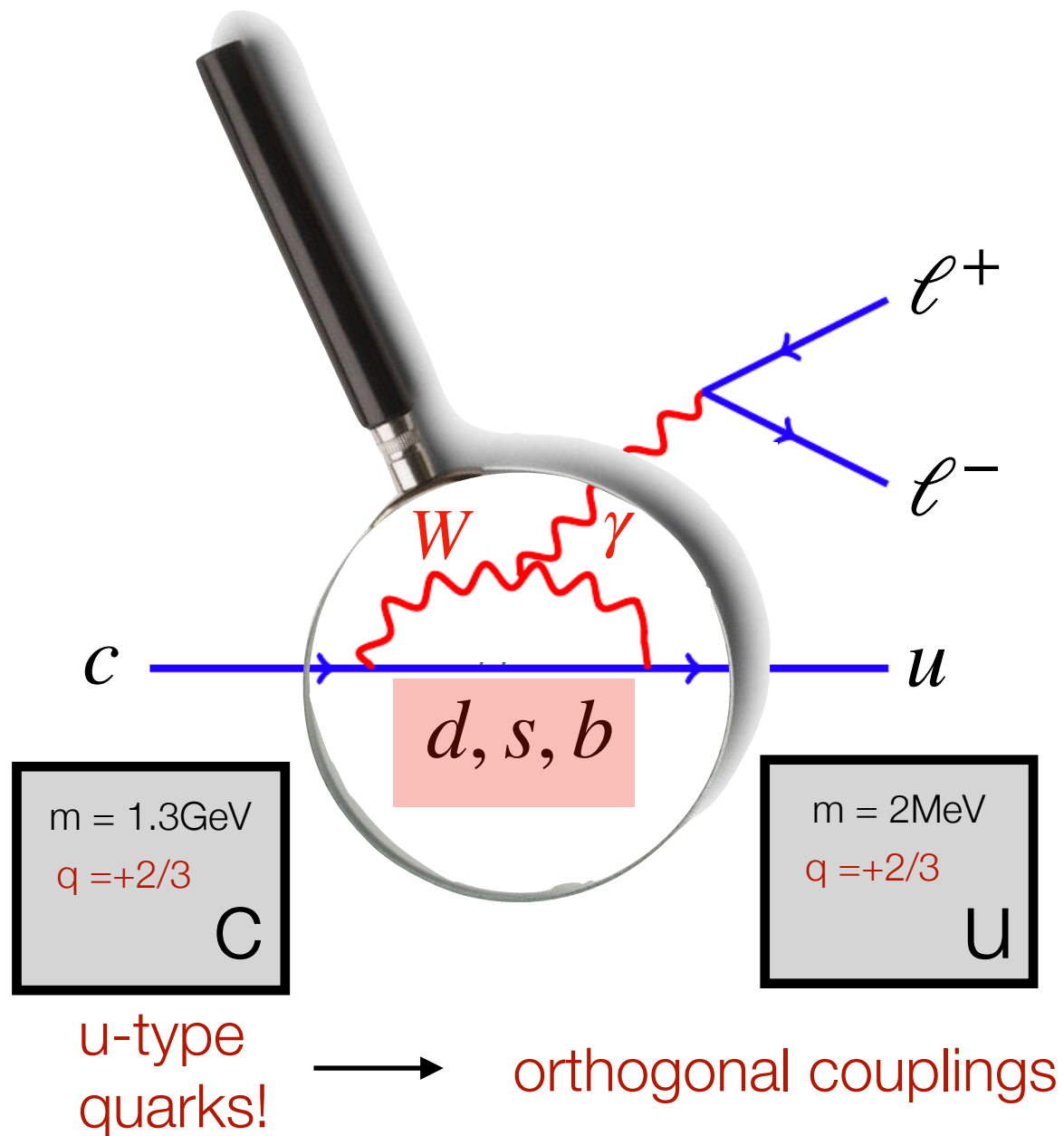
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typically $D \rightarrow X \mu^+ \mu^- \sim O(10^{-12})$
(**extremely suppressed**)

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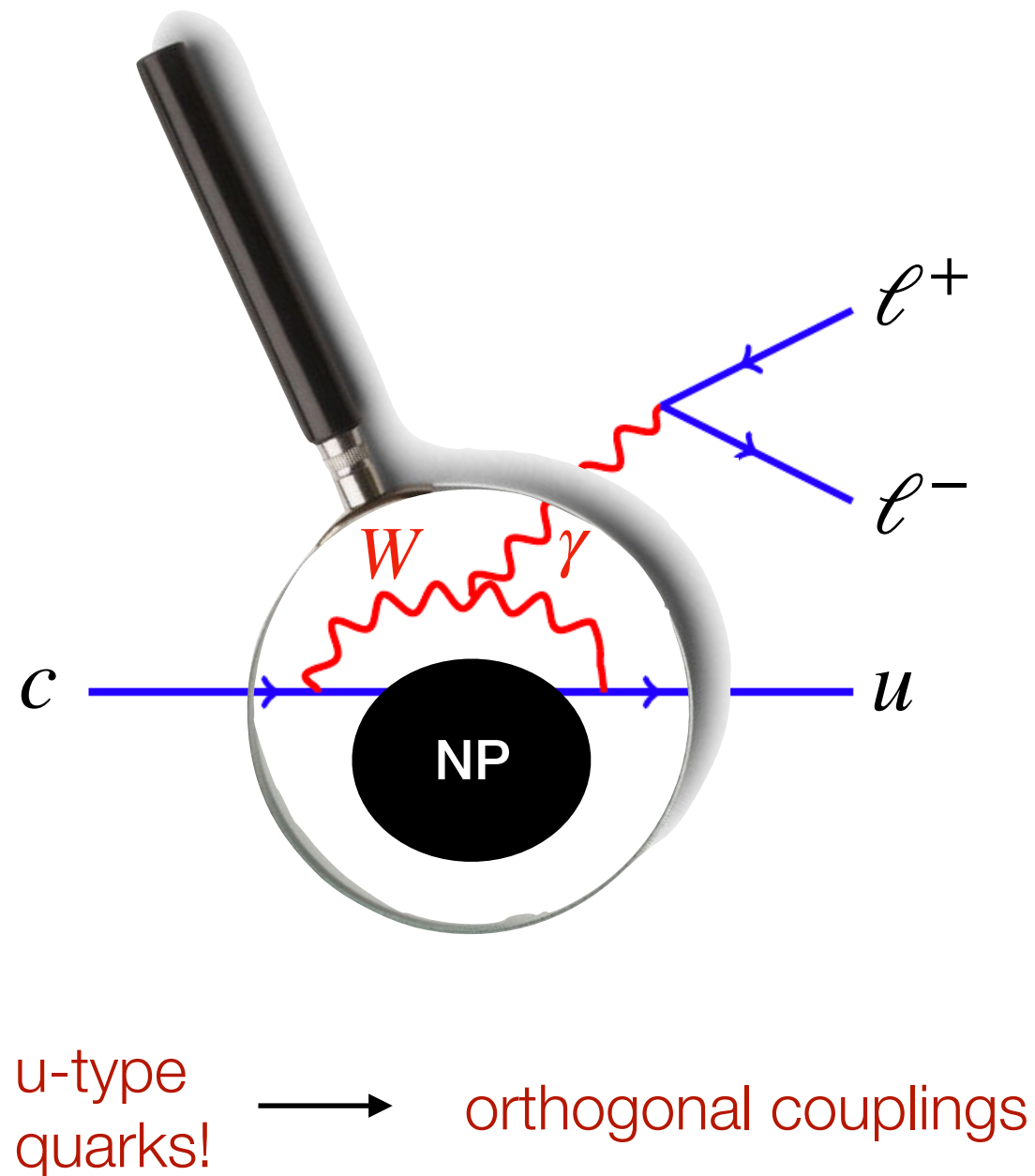
$\text{Im}(V_{cb}^* V_{ub} / V_{cd}^* V_{ud}) \sim 10^{-3}$
 $A_{CP} \sim 0$

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no lepton axial vector coupling
Parity conservation

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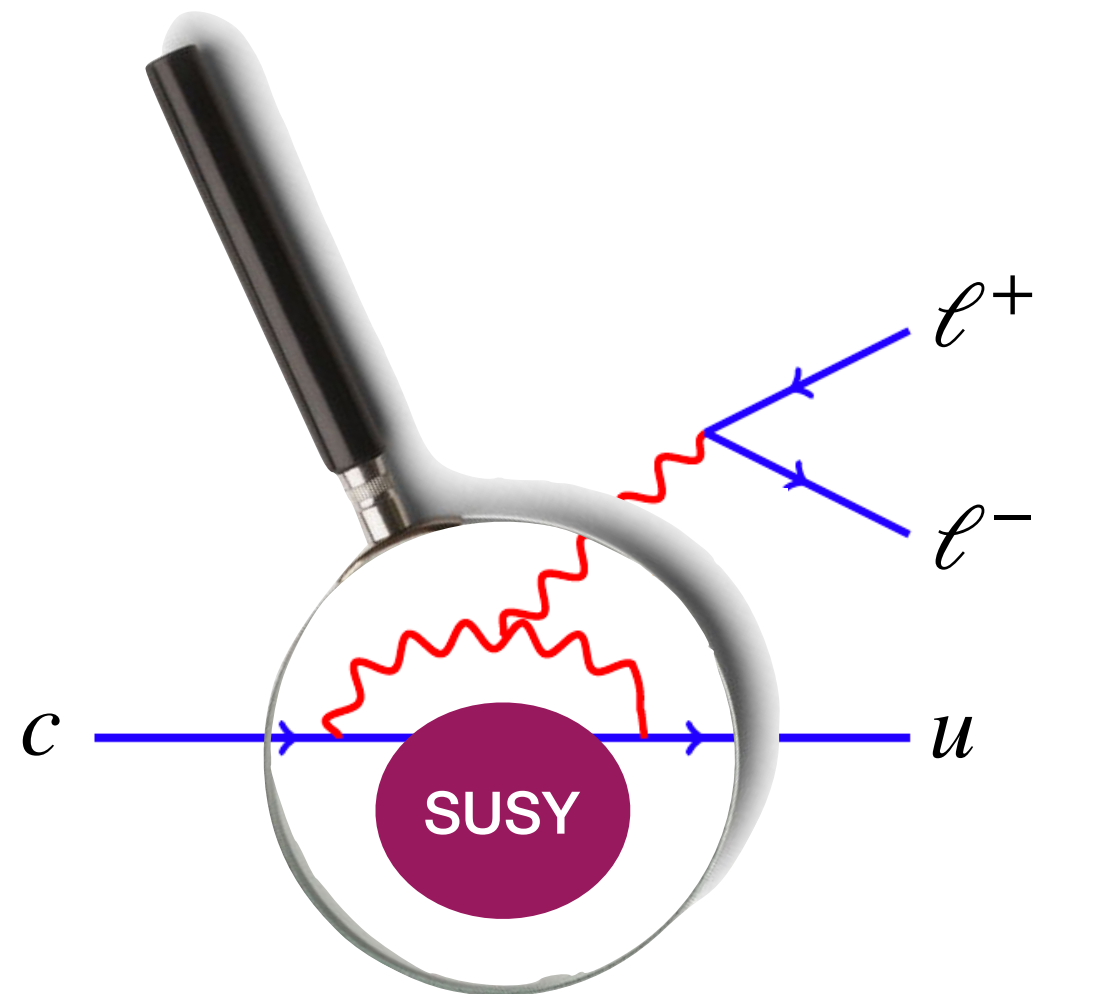
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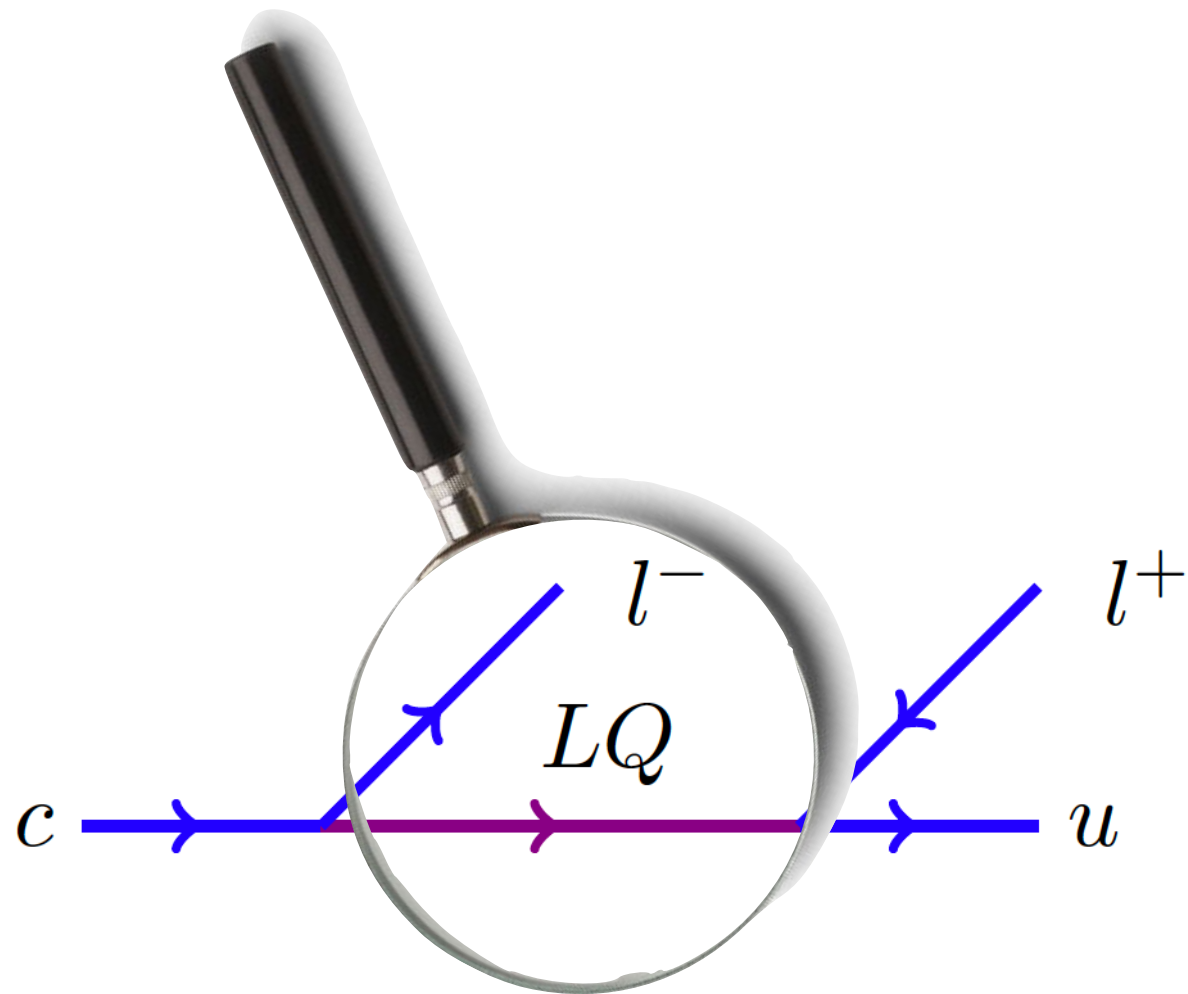
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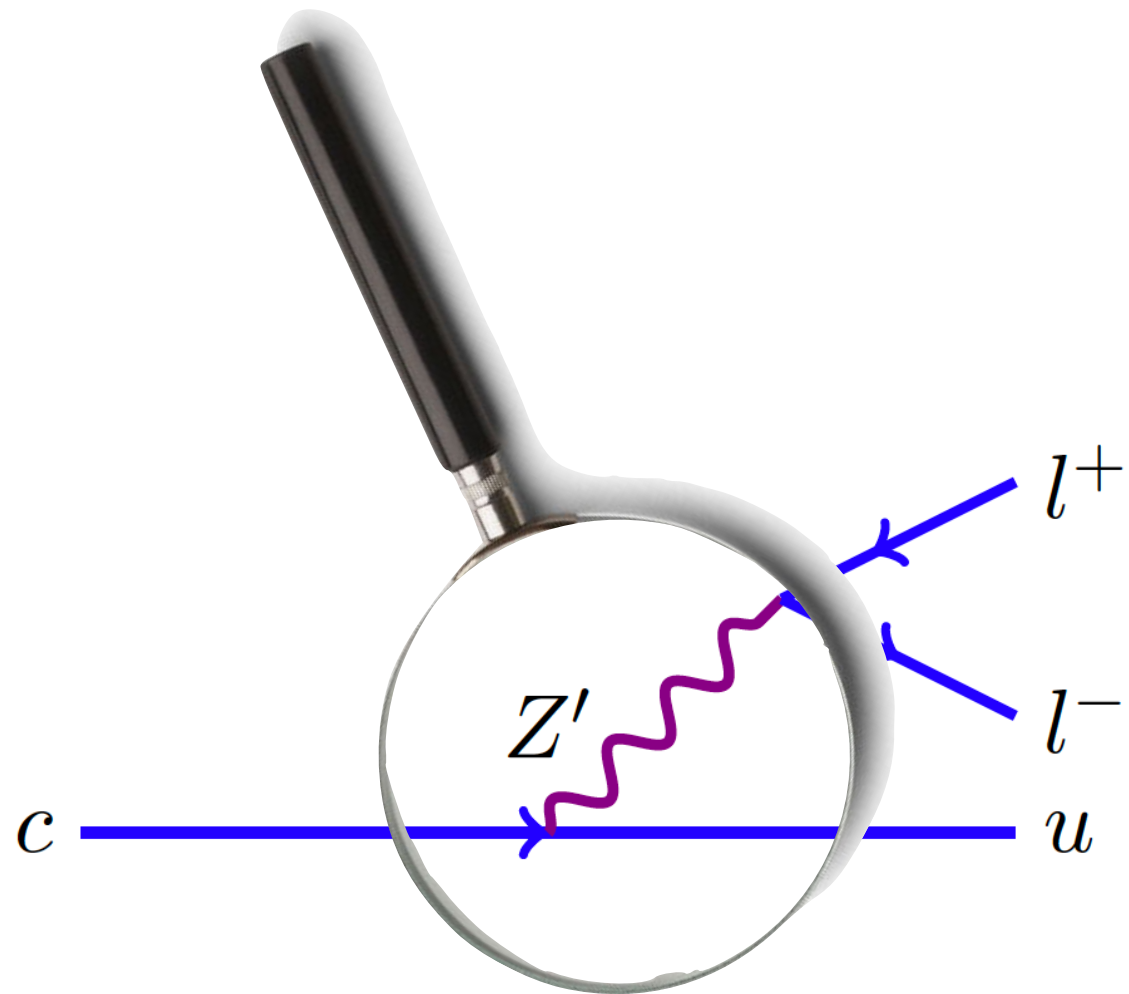
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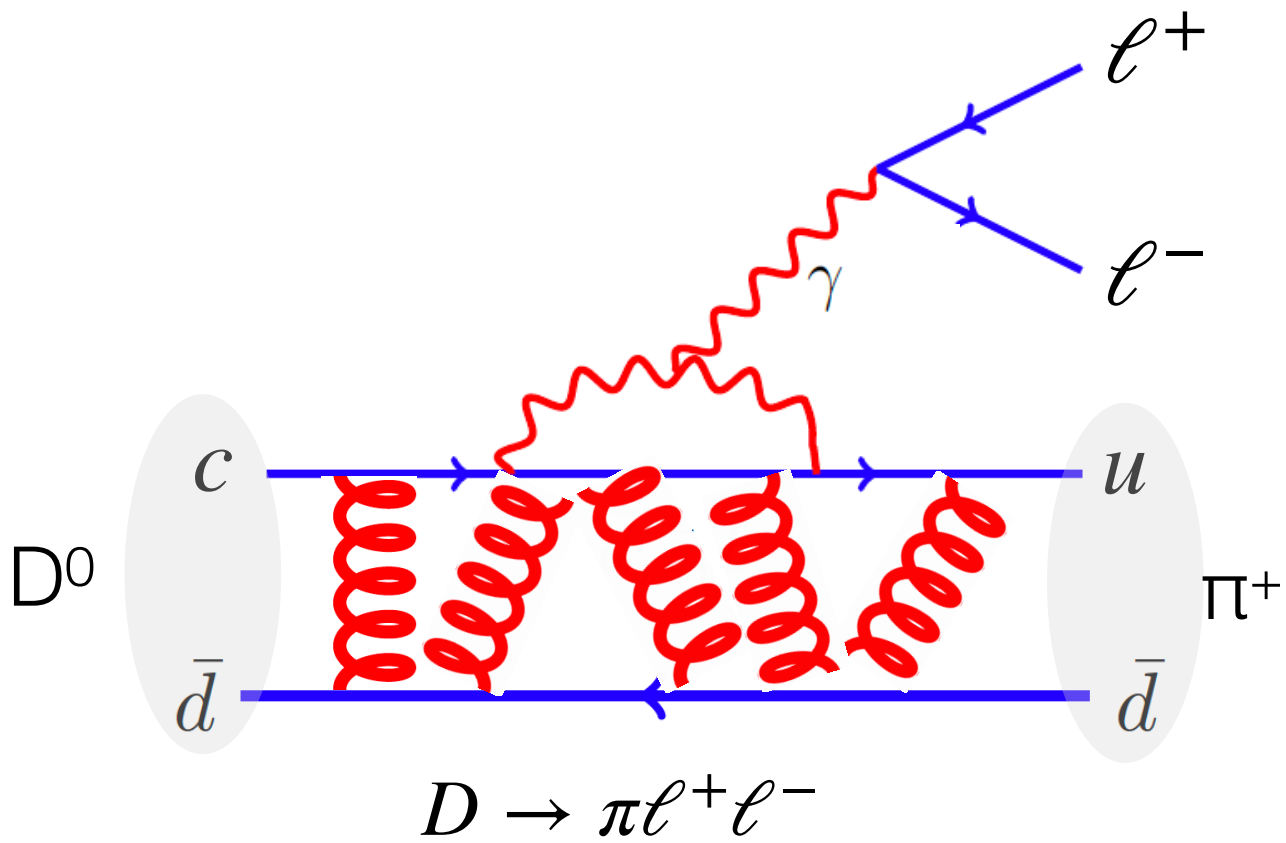
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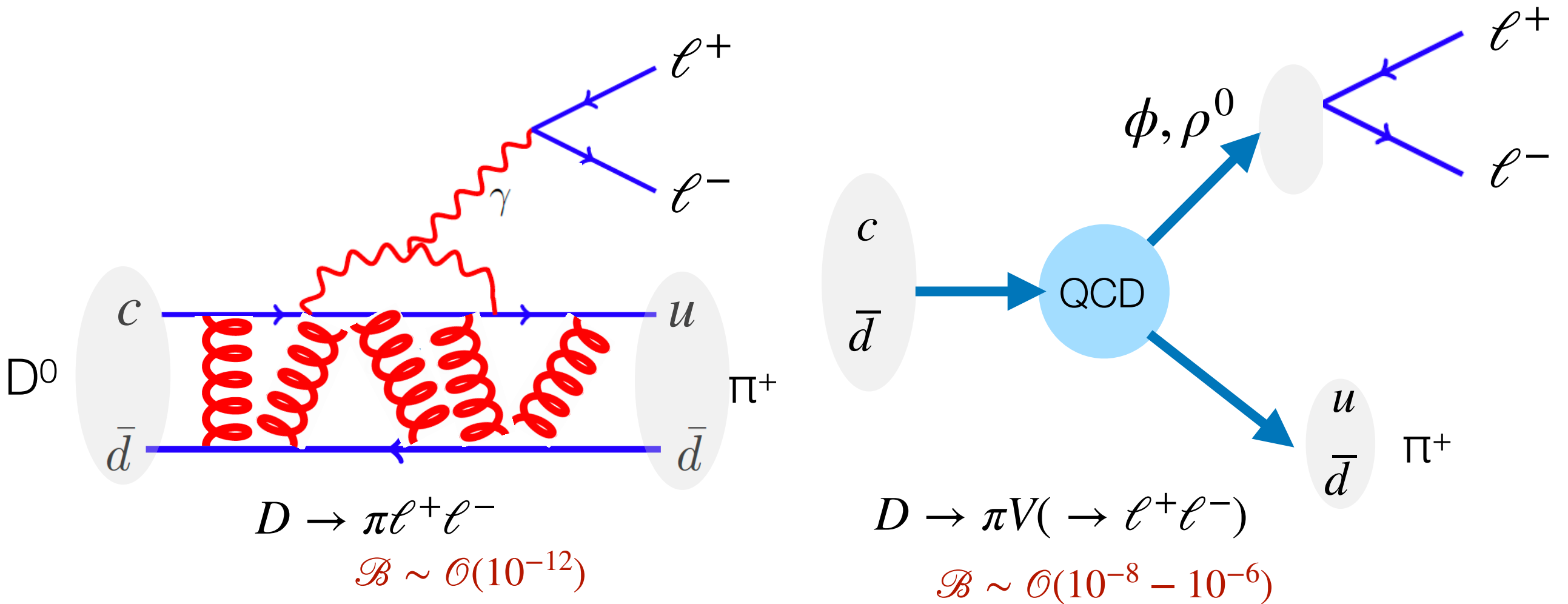
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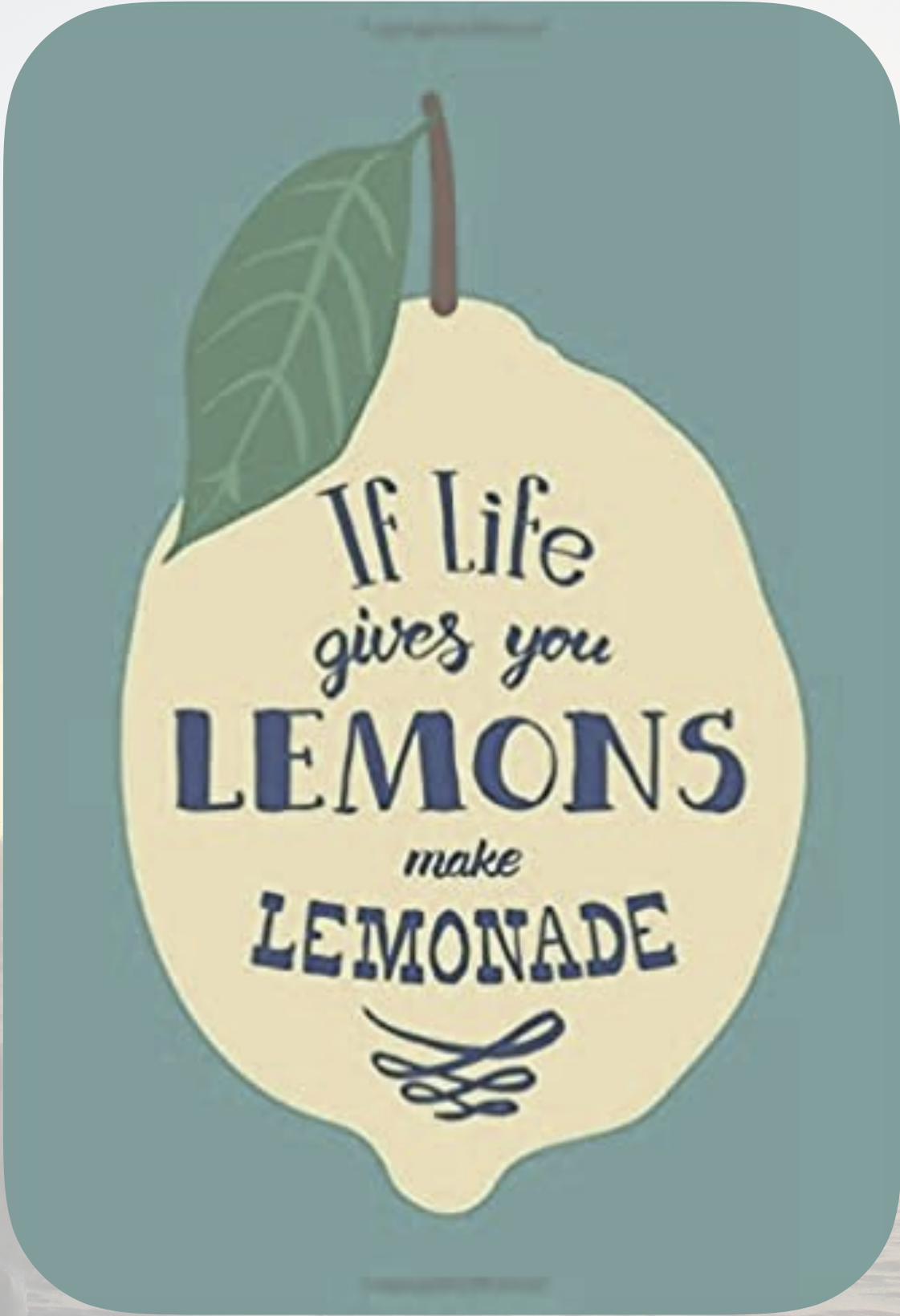
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- Often, non-perturbative long distance (resonance) dynamics dominate!

For long, rare charm has been considered as less promising! (Disclaimer: It's not)

We need to find ways to overcome (even profit from) LD contributions



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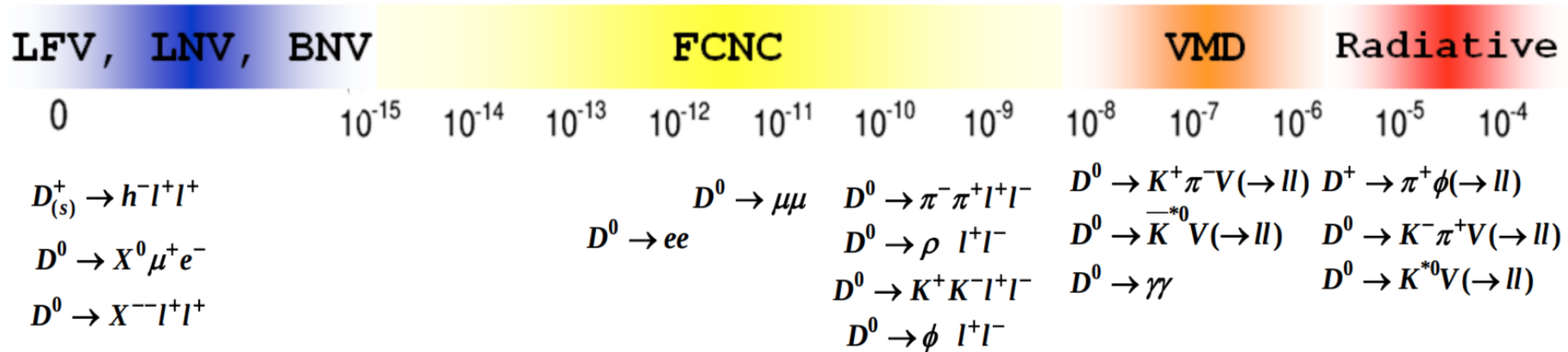
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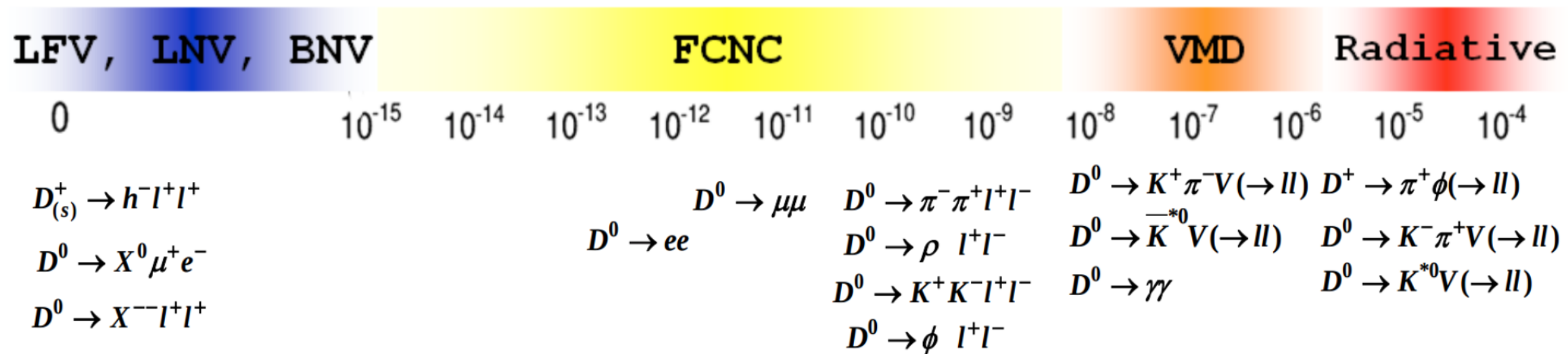
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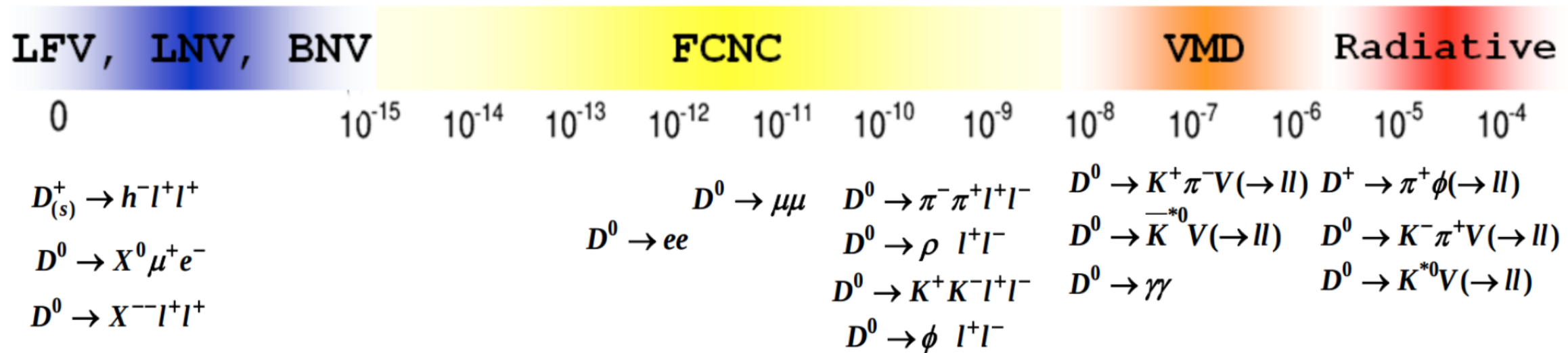
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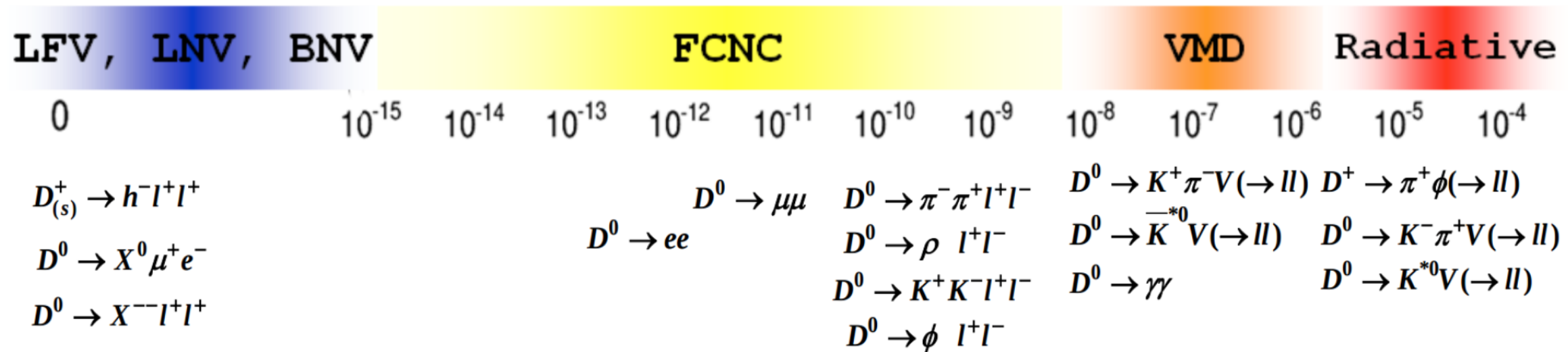
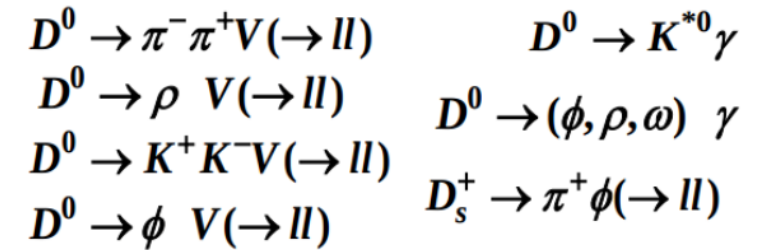
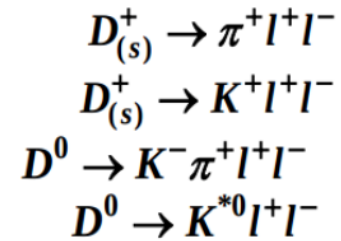
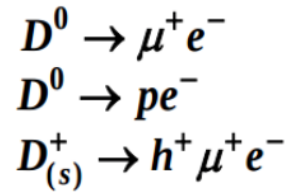
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Rare resonance dominated & radiative decays

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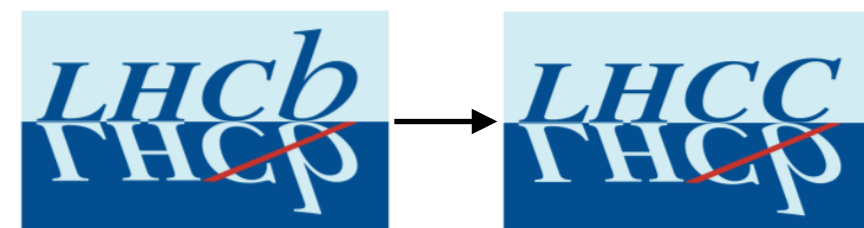
A. Contu, [Towards the Ultimate Precision in Flavour Physics](#), Durham, United Kingdom, 2 - 4 Apr 2019

- Full charm zoo available at LHCb

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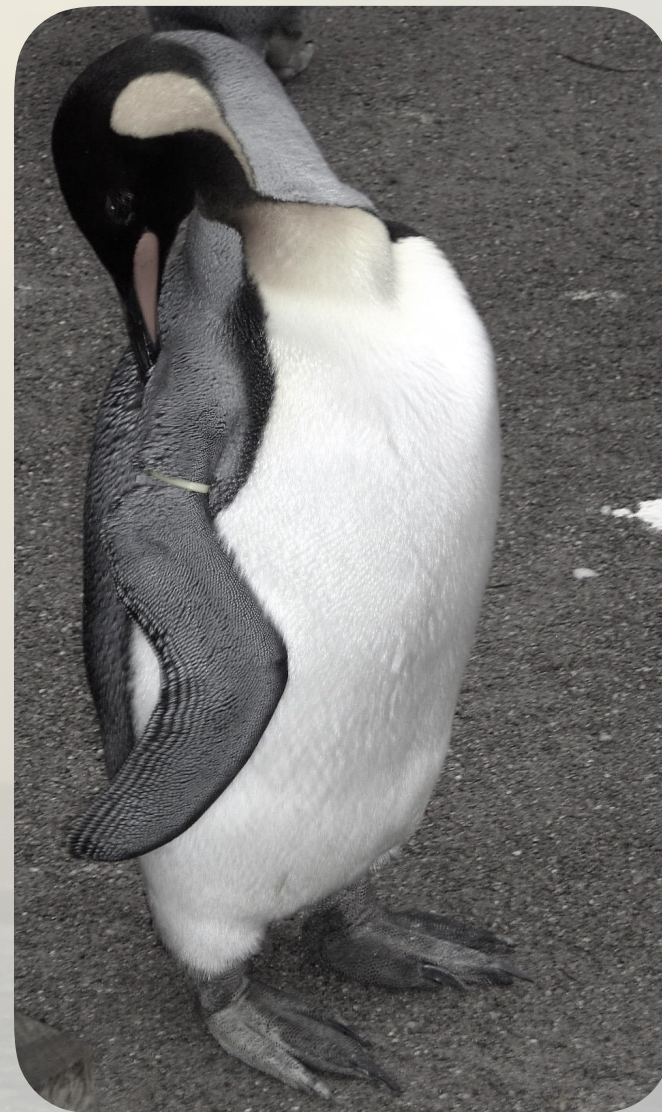
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LHCb is ideal place!

Searches in decay rates



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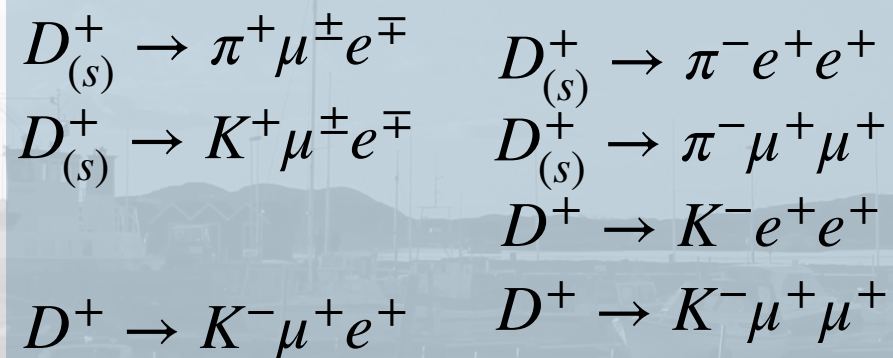
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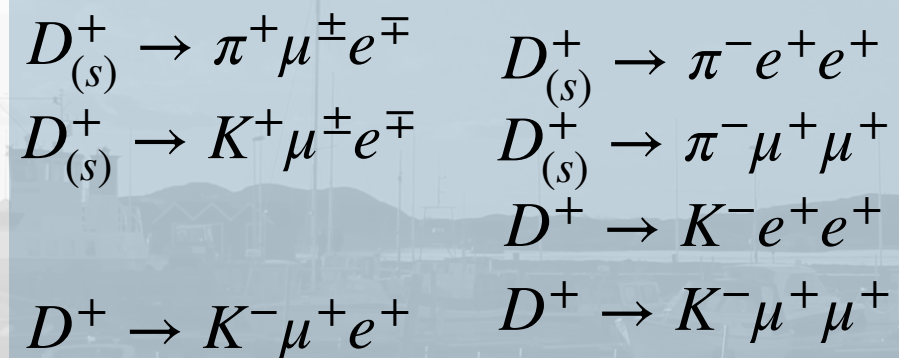
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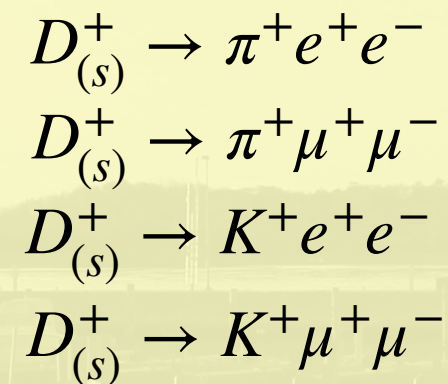
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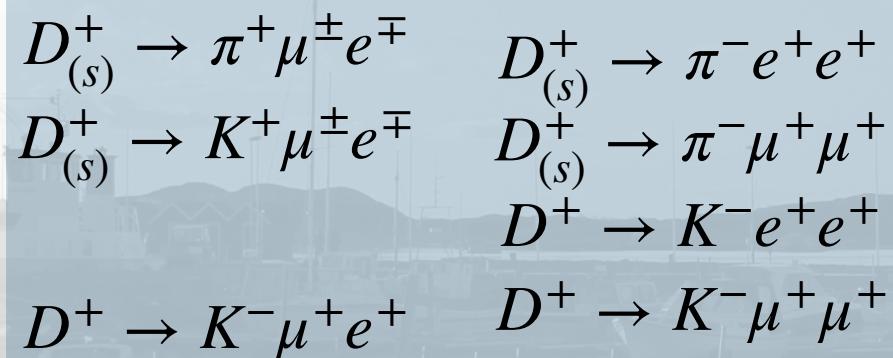
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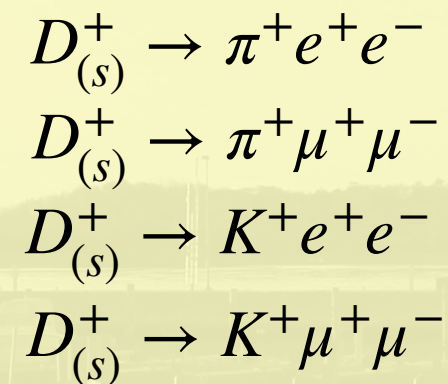
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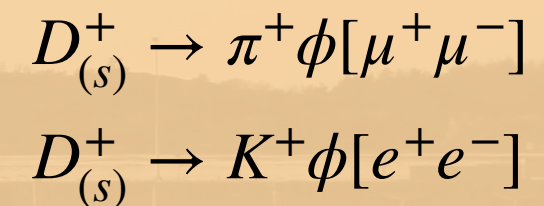


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rare resonance dominated (as reference)



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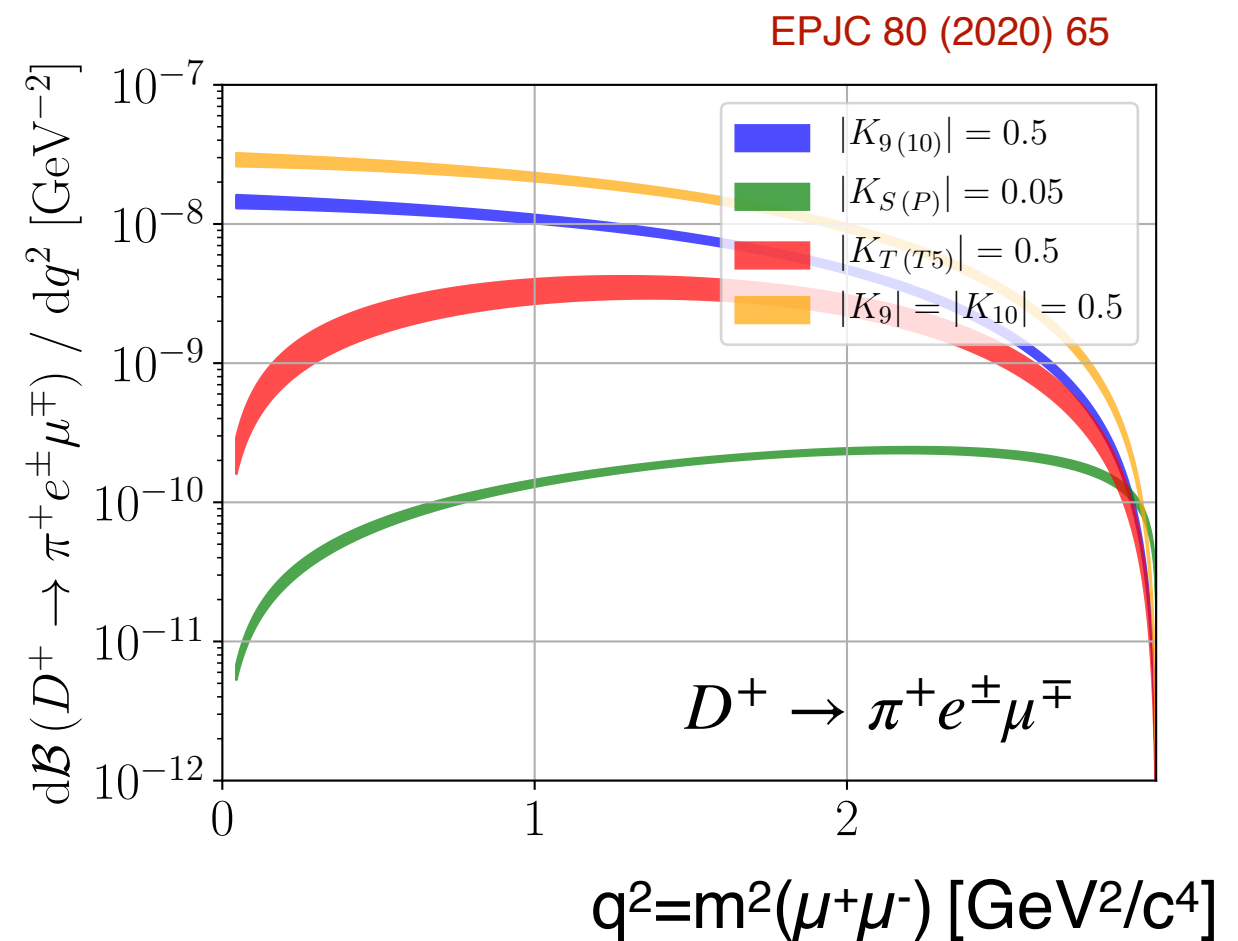
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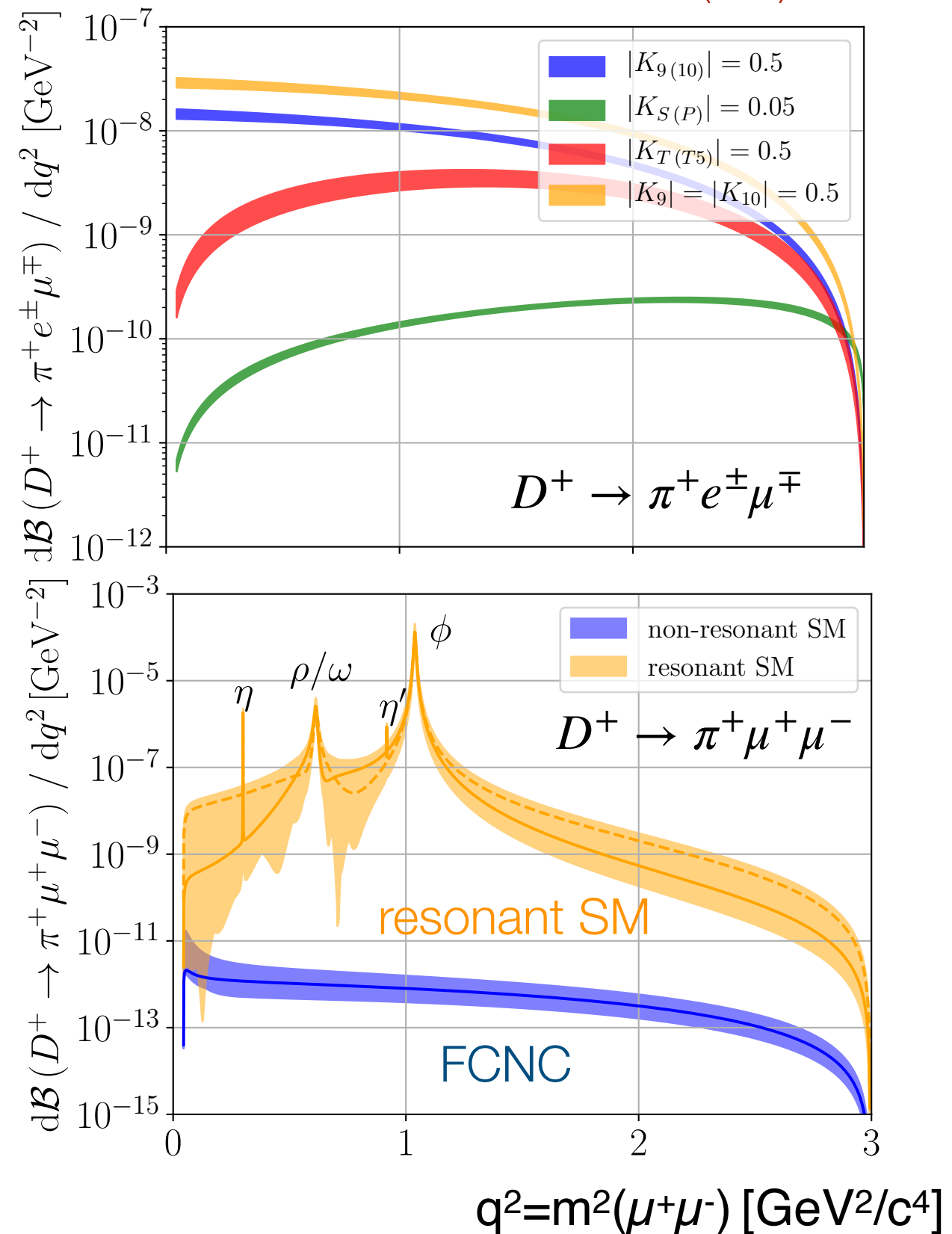
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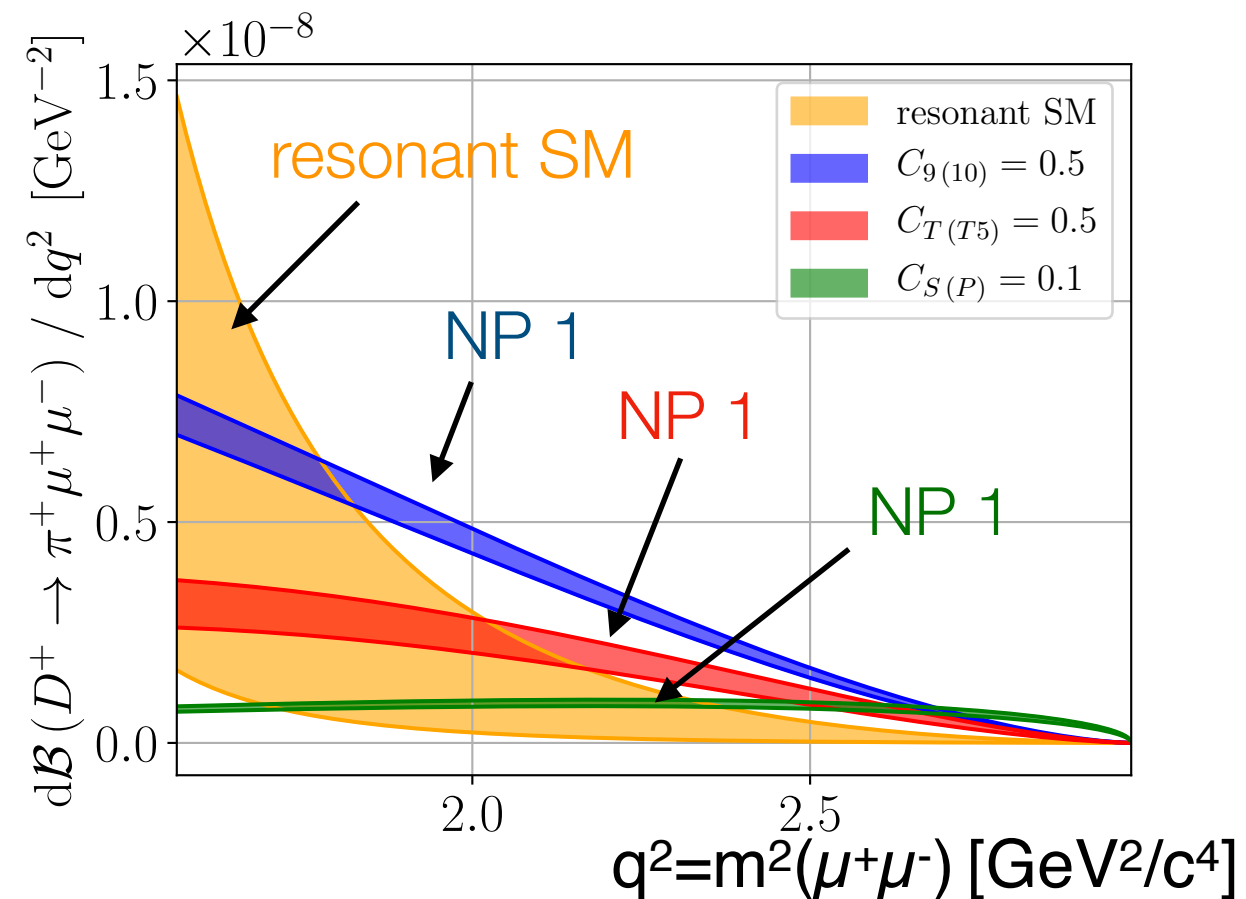
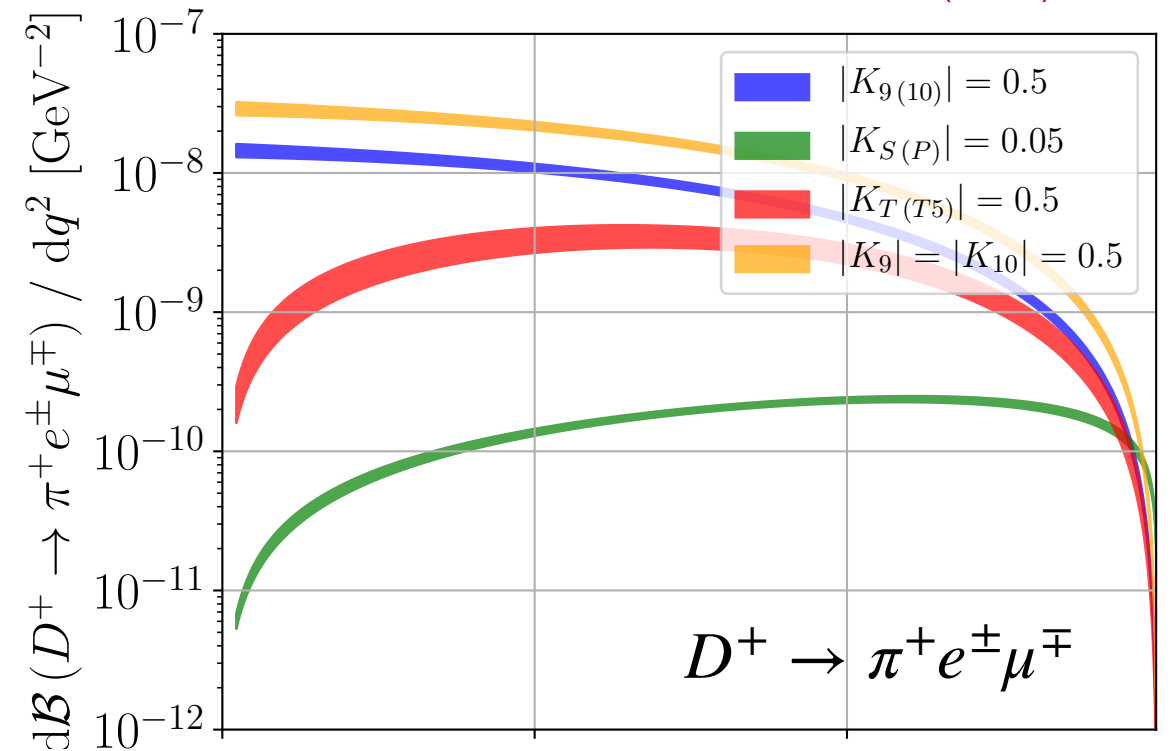
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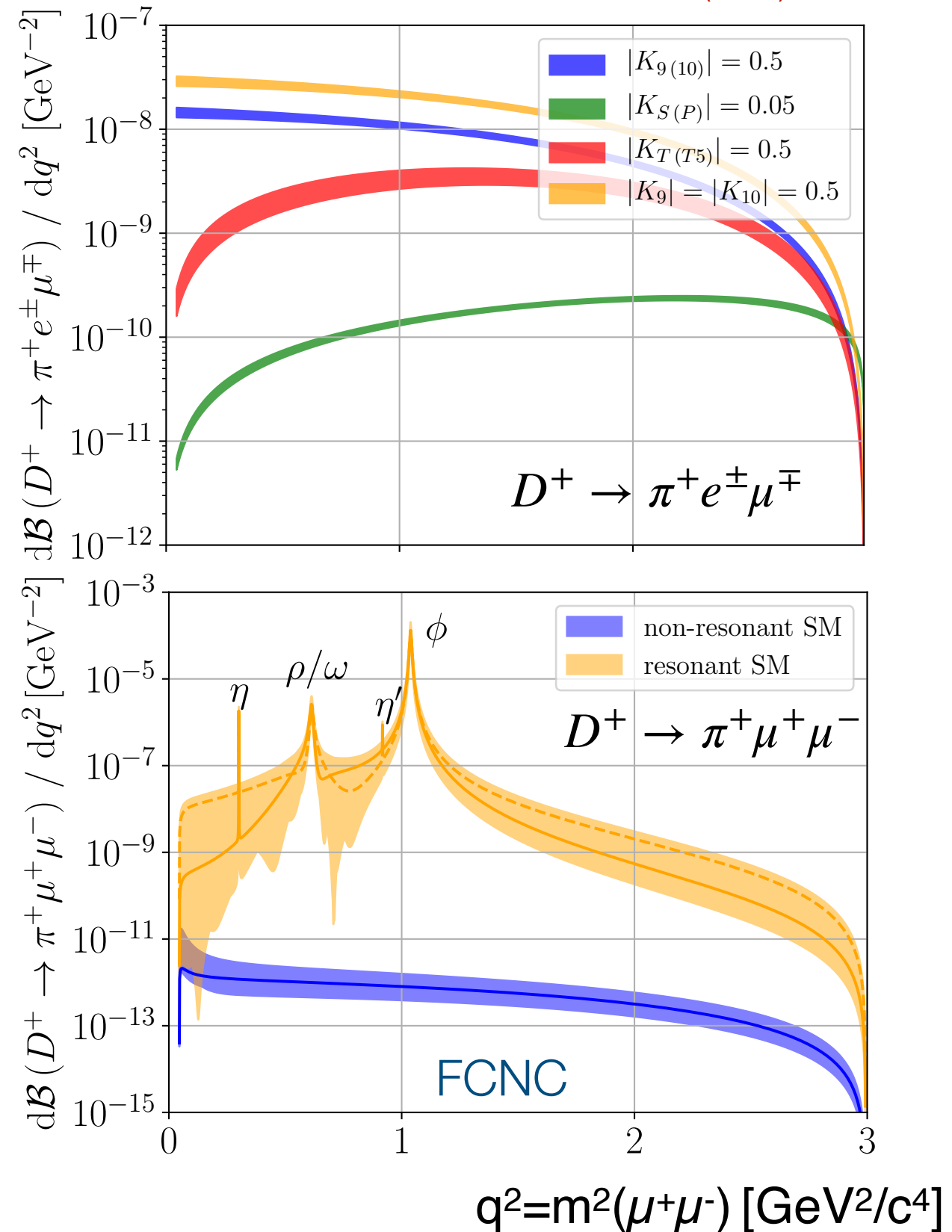
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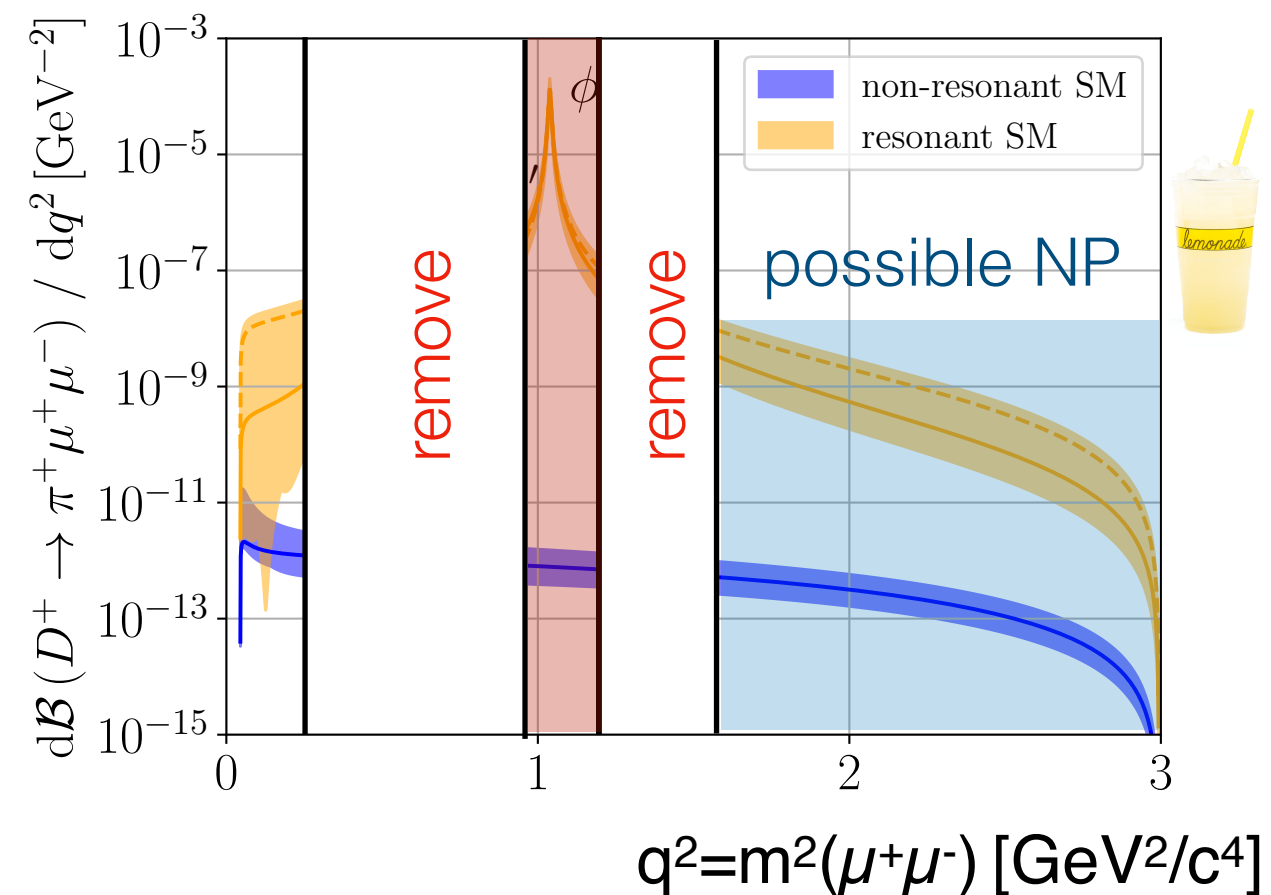
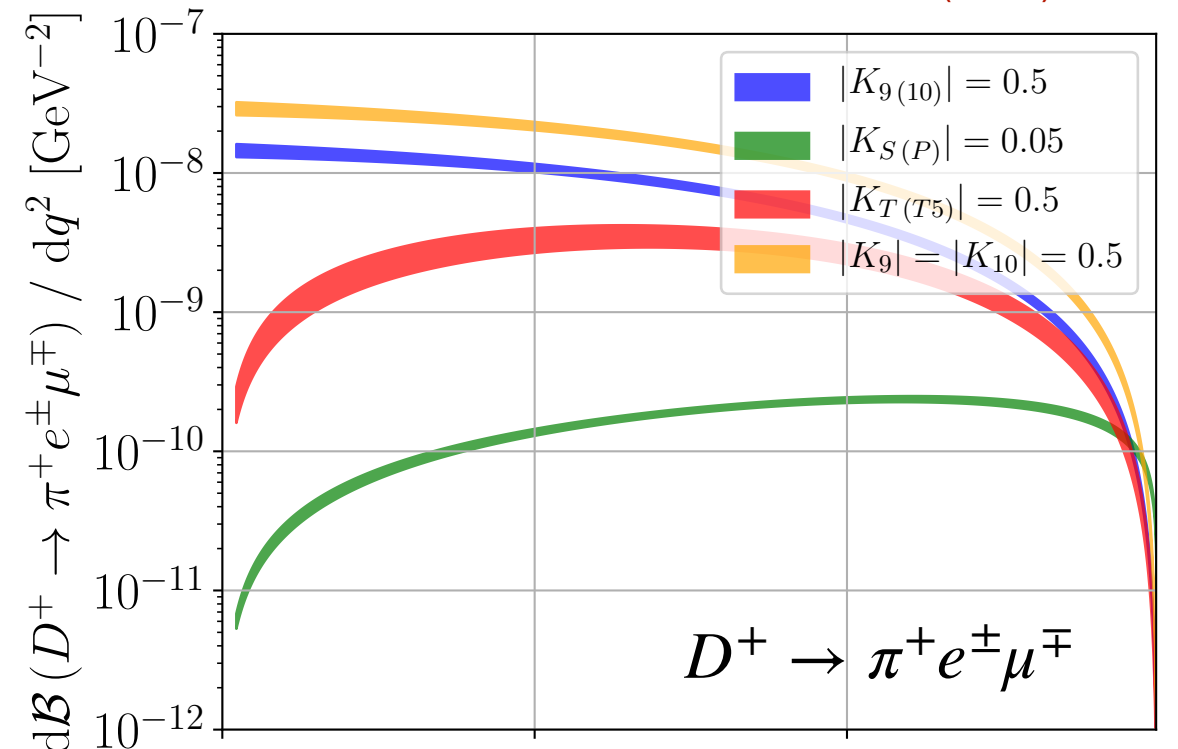
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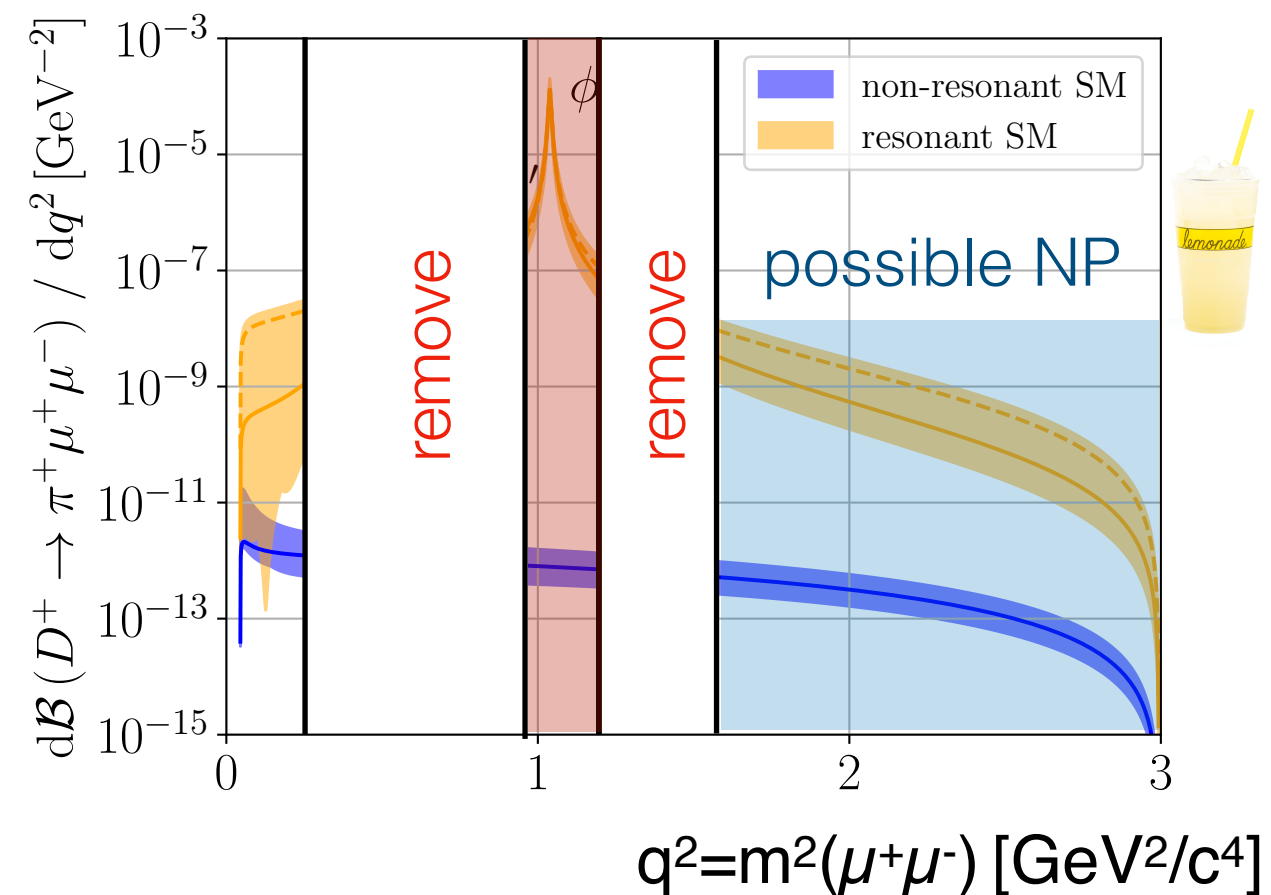
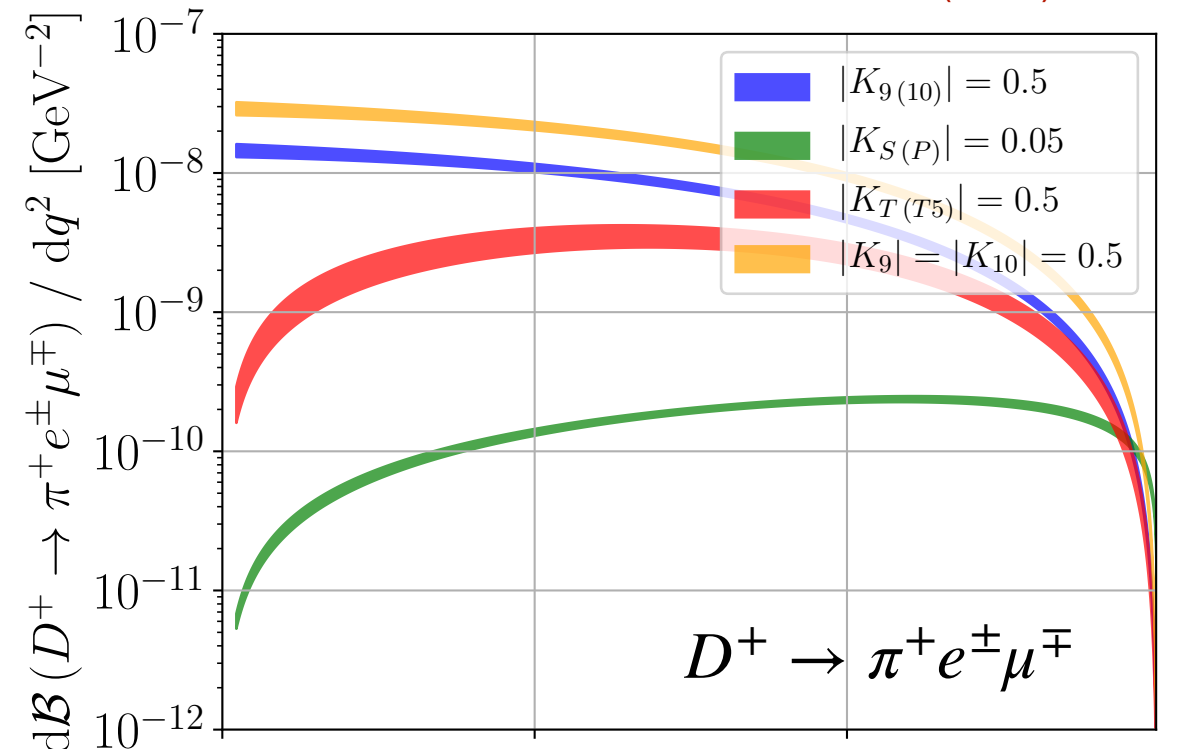
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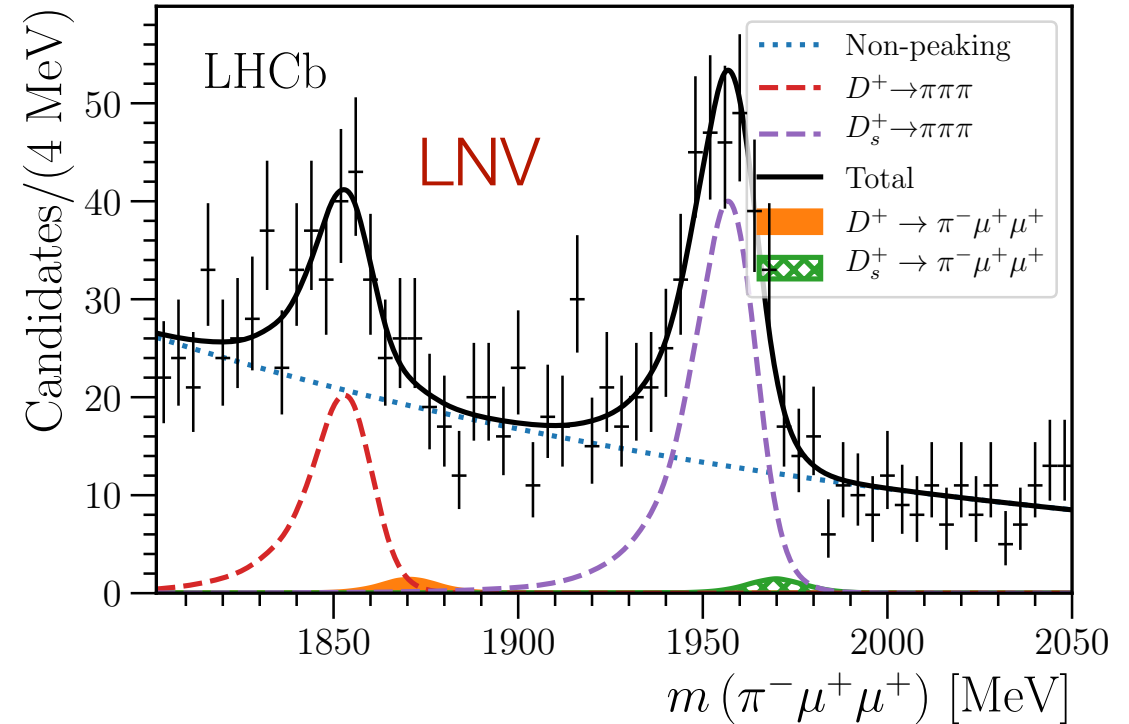
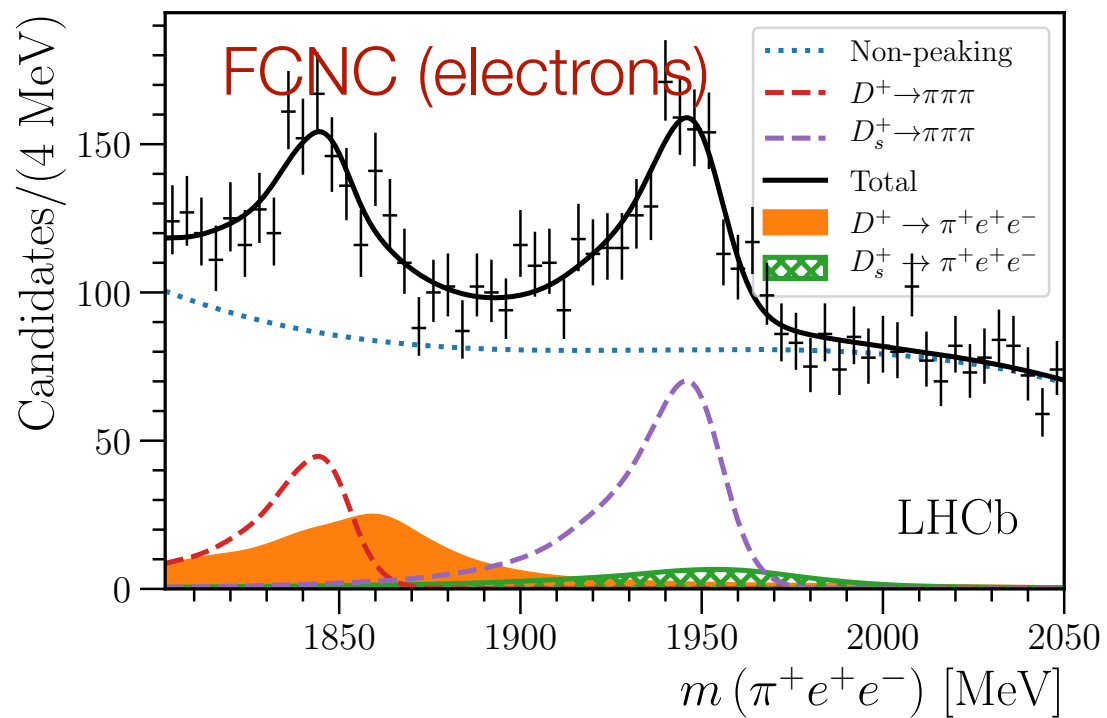
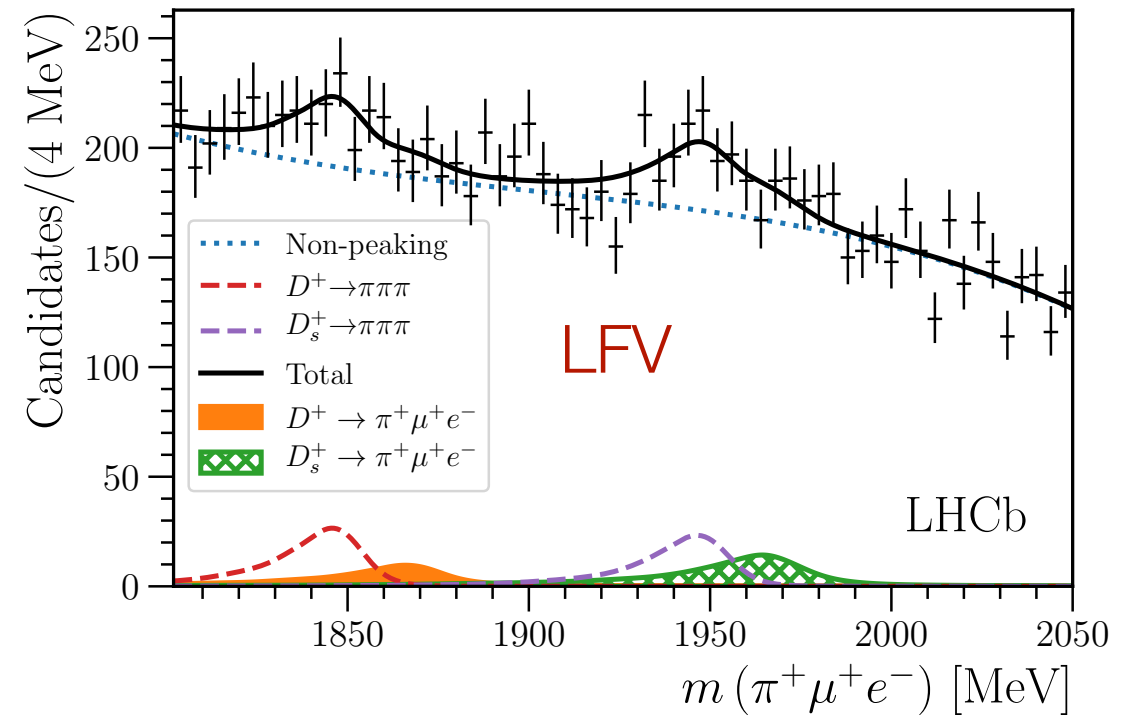
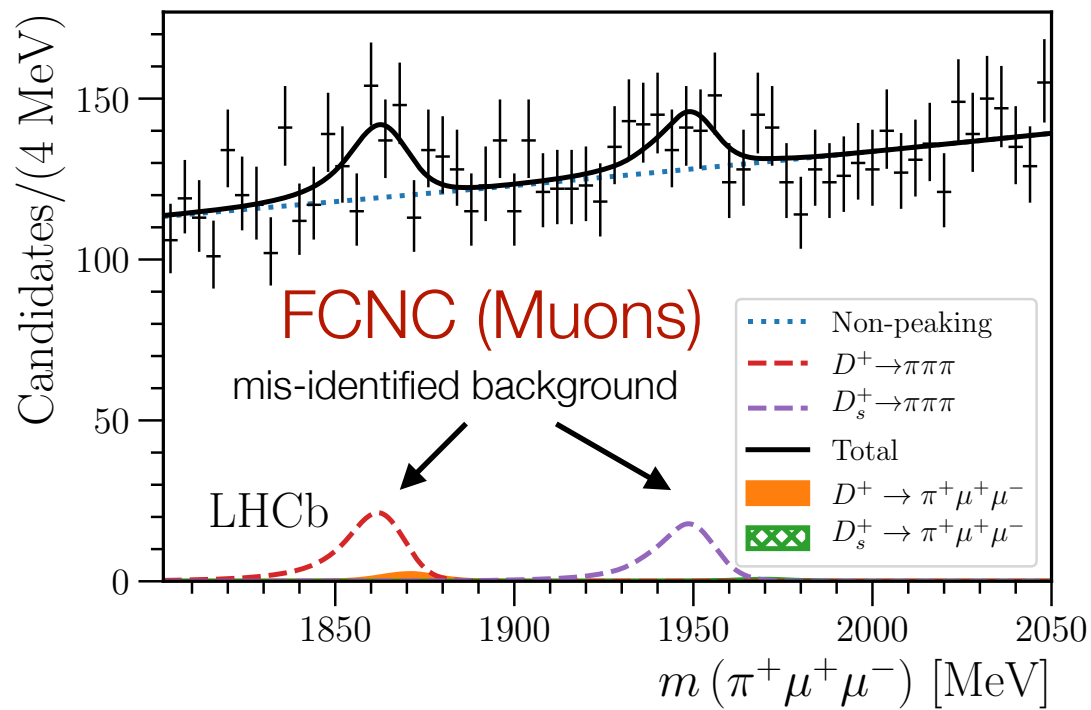
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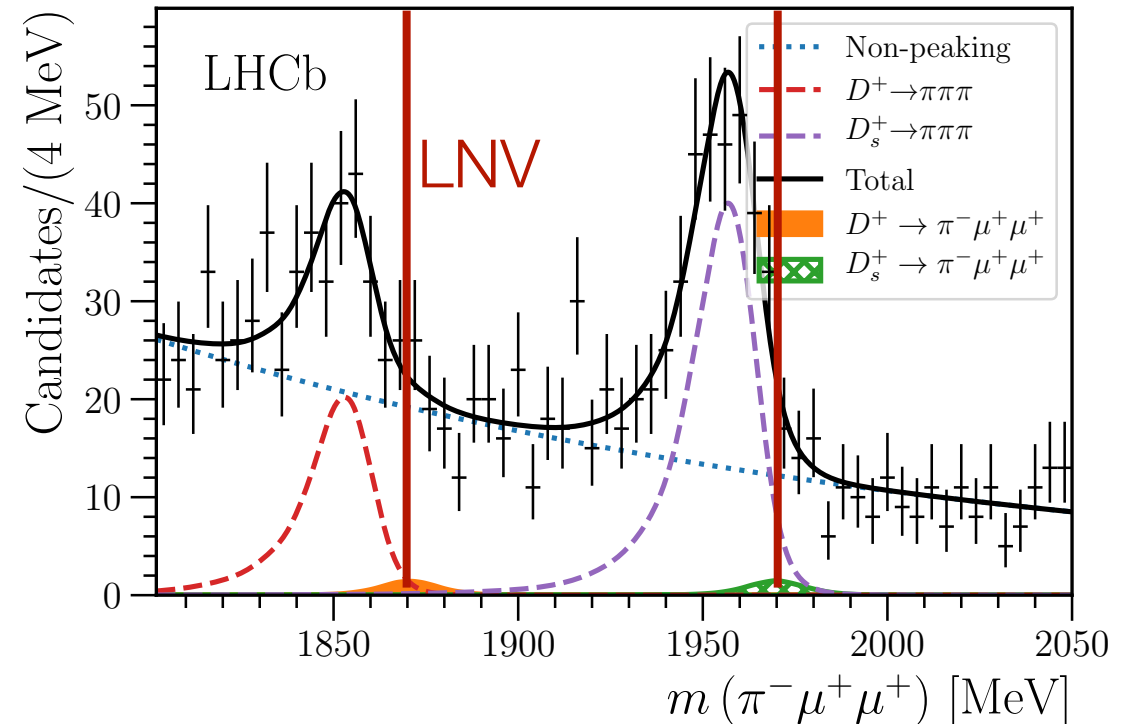
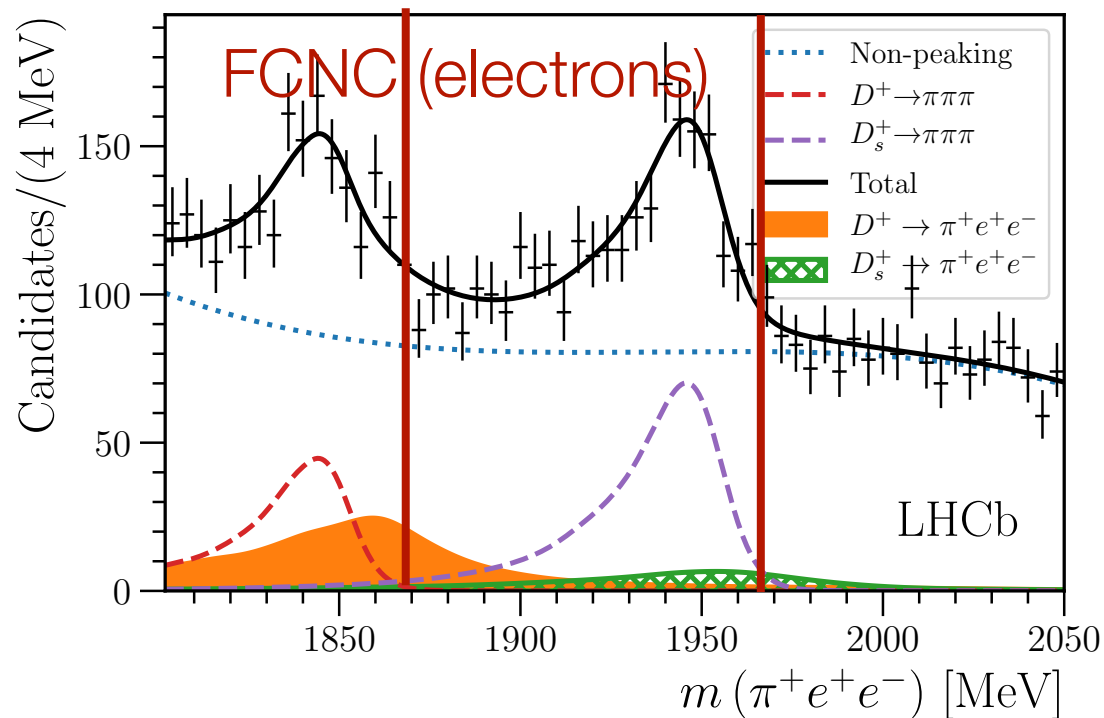
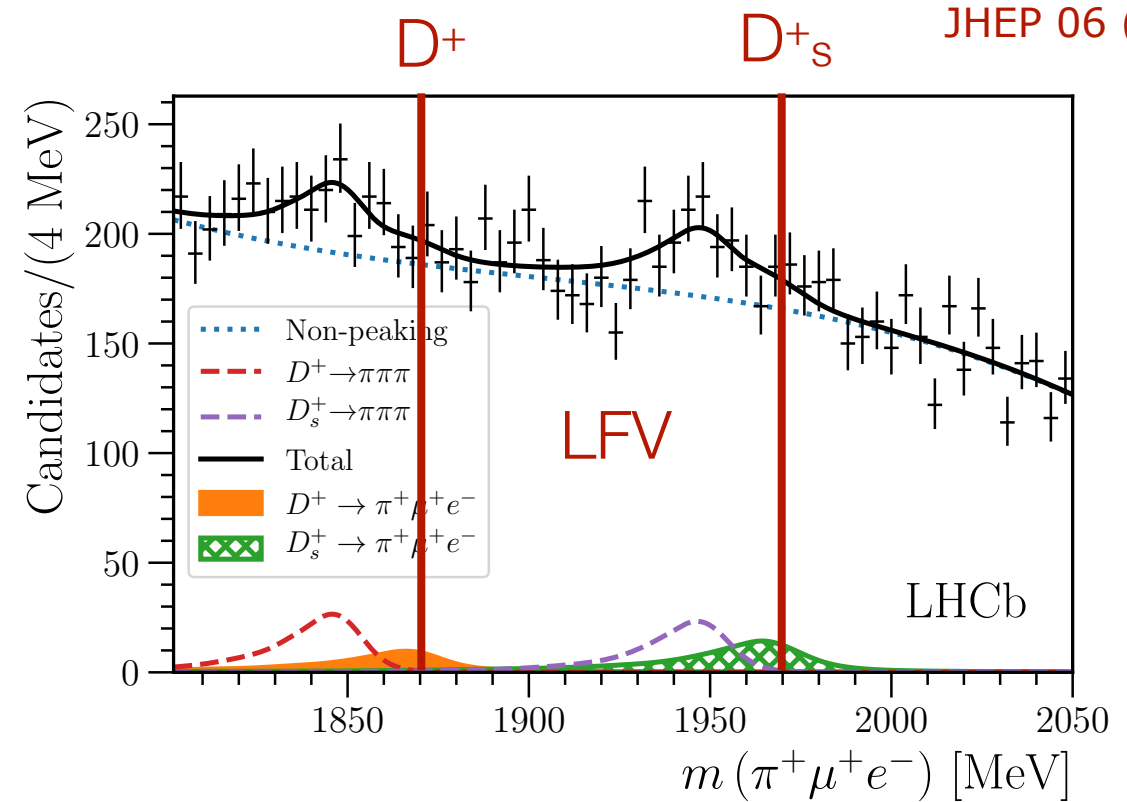
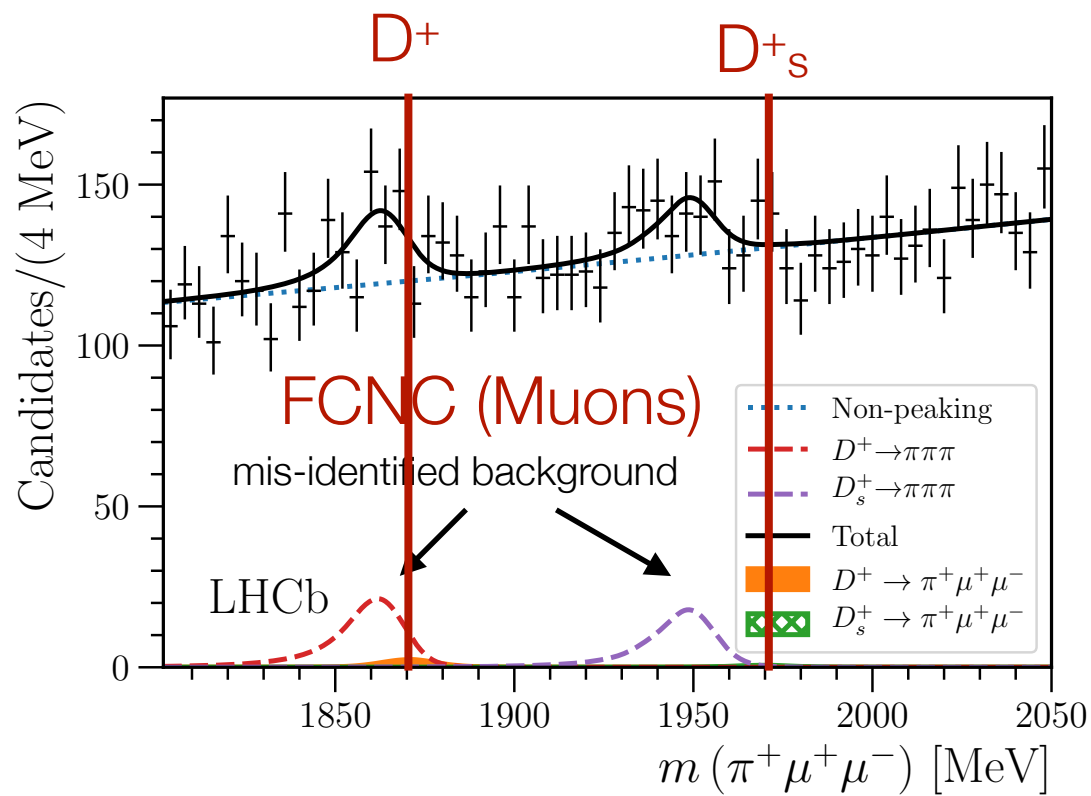
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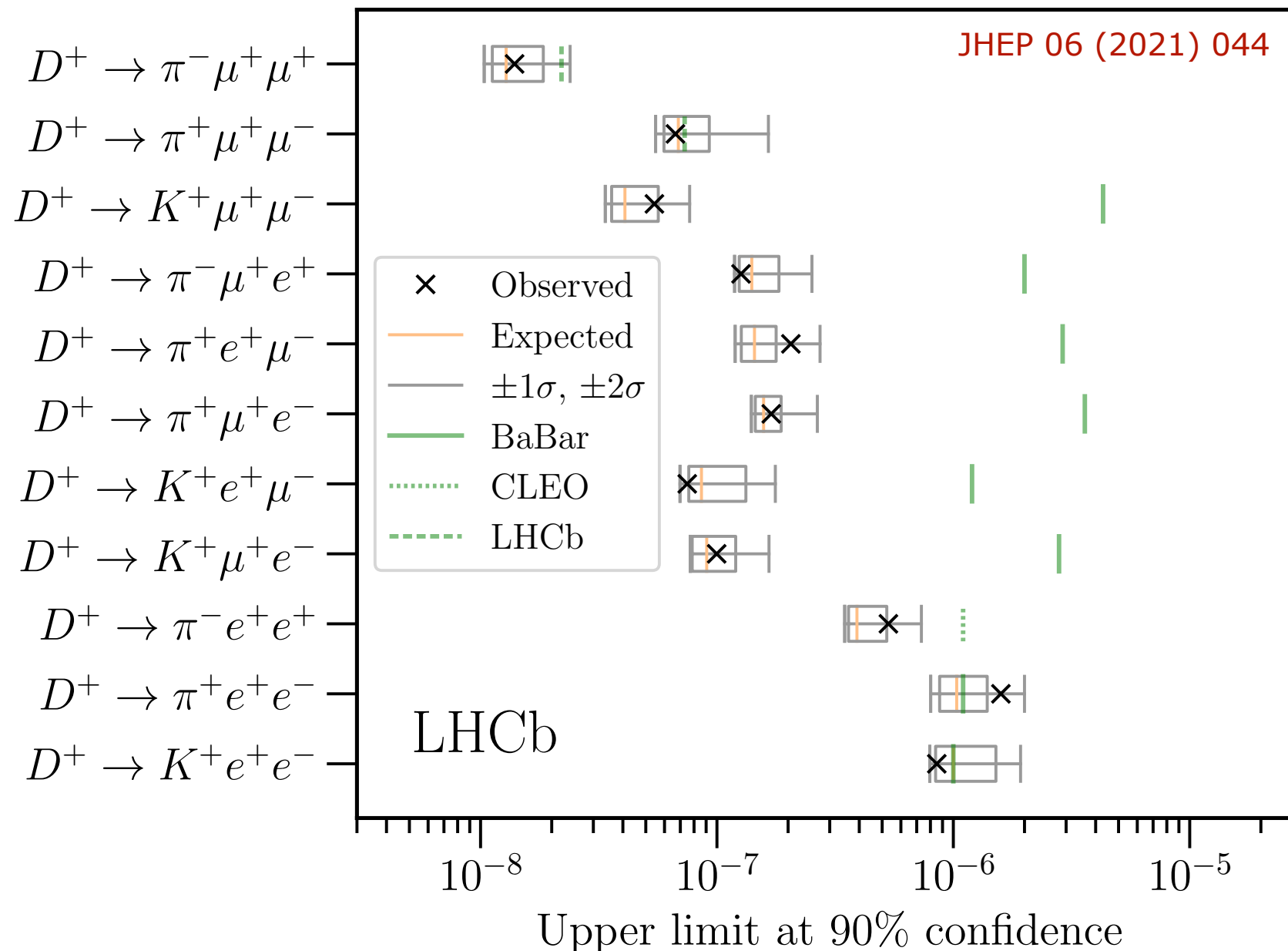


- All mass spectra well described by background only hypothesis

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- See JHEP 06 (2021) 044 for limit on D_s^+ modes

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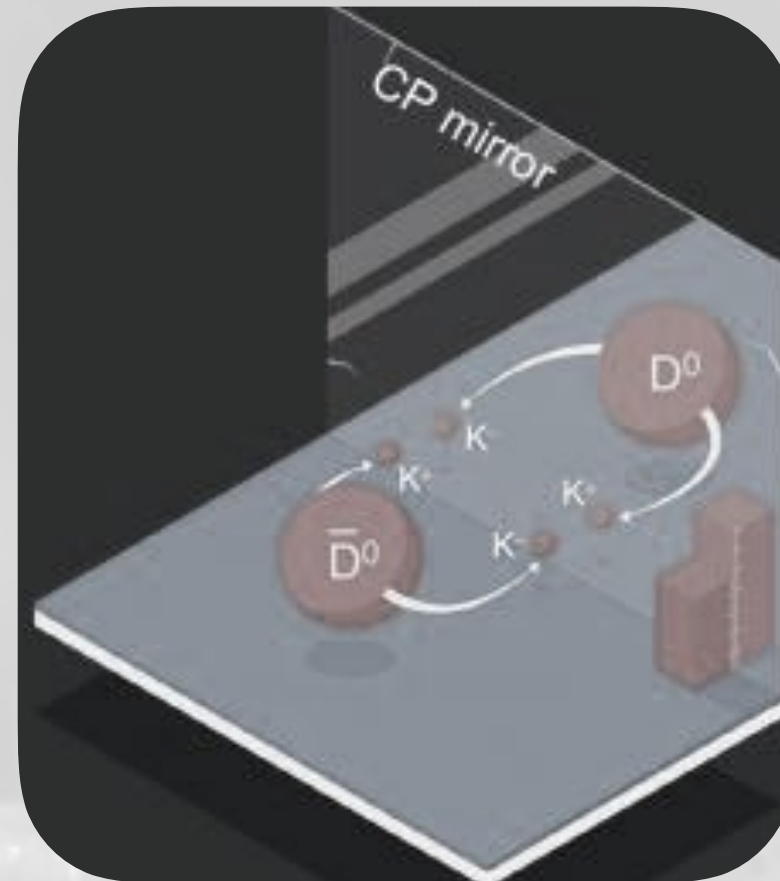
- Also in charm significant deviation from unity possible

- mainly in non-resonant regions (far future)
- $\sim O(15\%)$ q^2 integrated (near future!)

Muonic modes observed, we are working on the electron modes
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full q^2	SM	BSM	LQ	hi q^2 SM	LQs	lo q^2 SM	BSM
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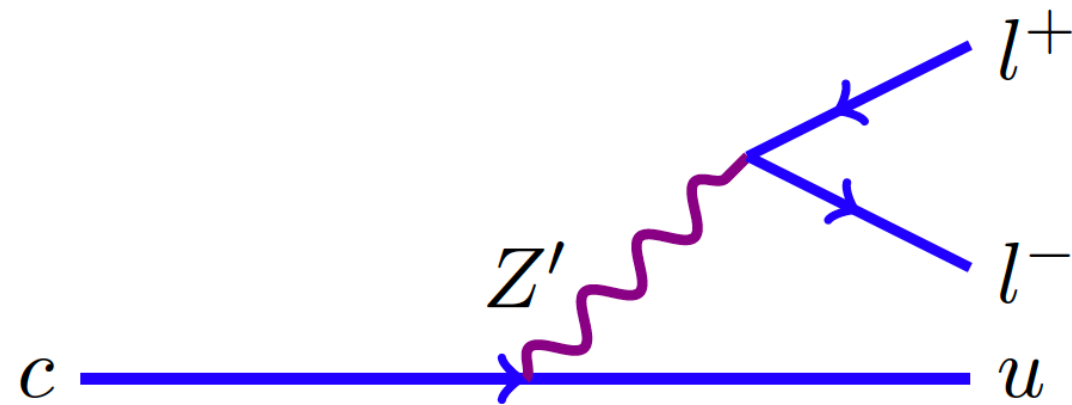
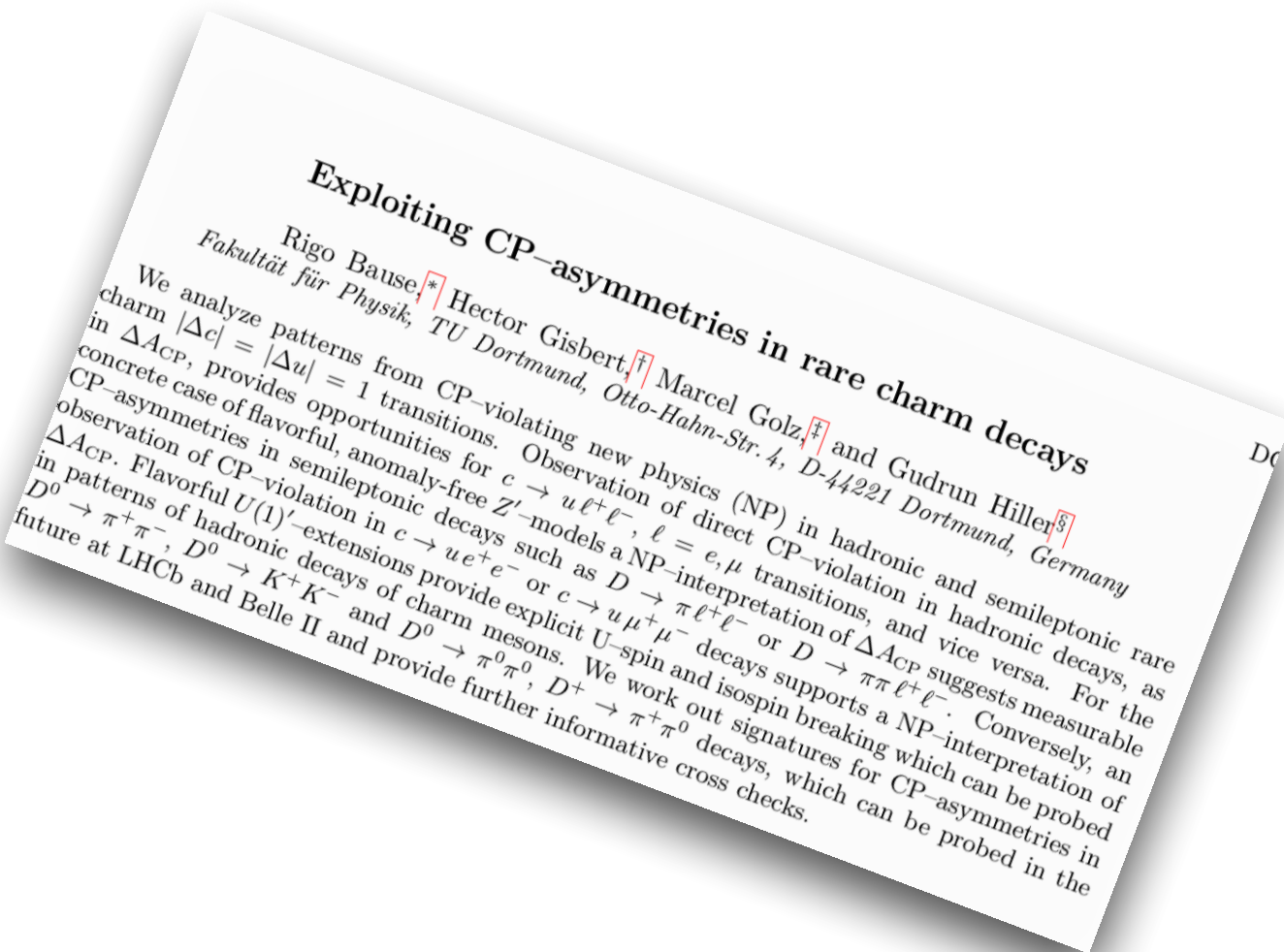
Searches for CP asymmetries



NP searches in CP asymmetries

- Observation of CPV [$\Delta A_{CP} = (15.4 \pm 2.9) \times 10^{-4}$] in charm leaves room for NP
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- NP interpretations \rightarrow measurable CP asymmetries in rare charm (e.g Z' models)
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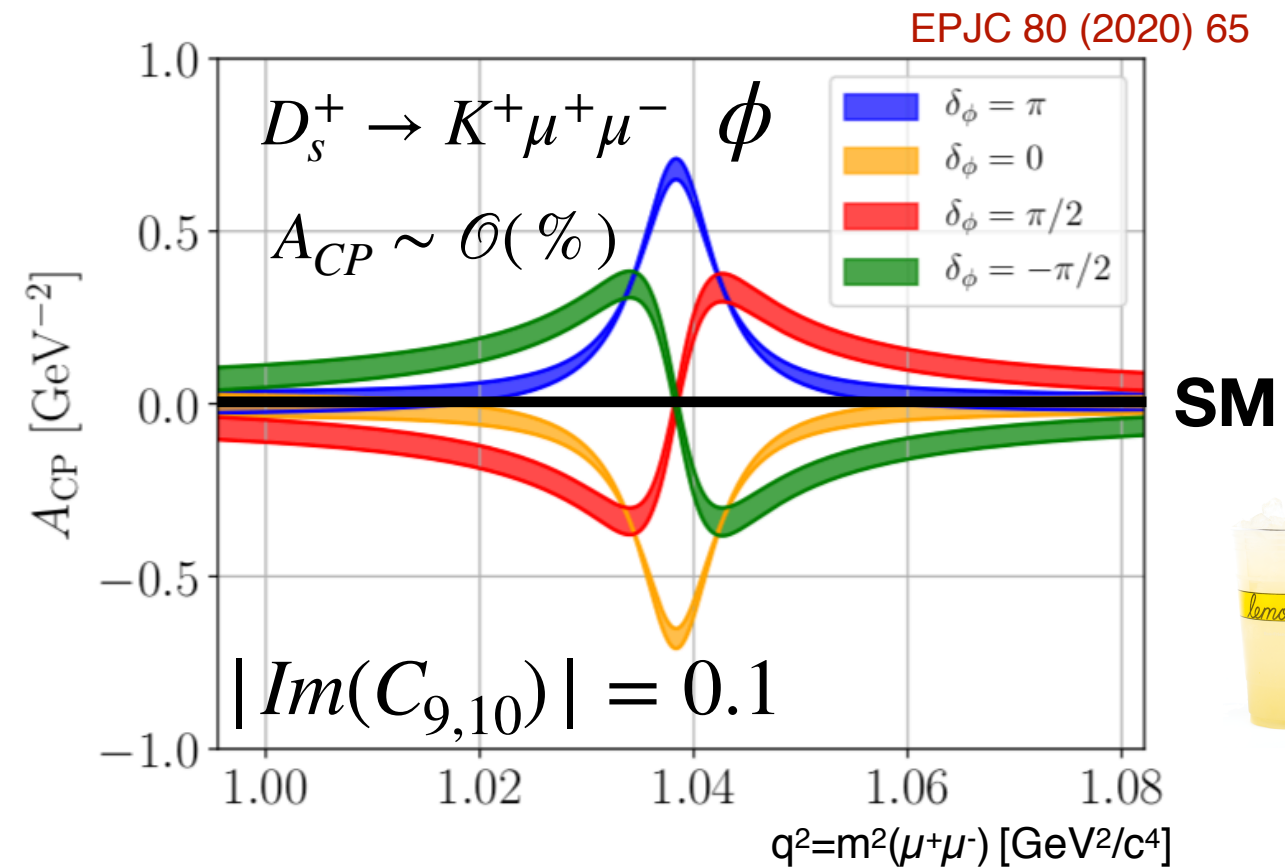


$$\cong A_{CP} \approx \mathcal{O}(\%)$$

remember: $A_{CP}^{SM} \approx 0$

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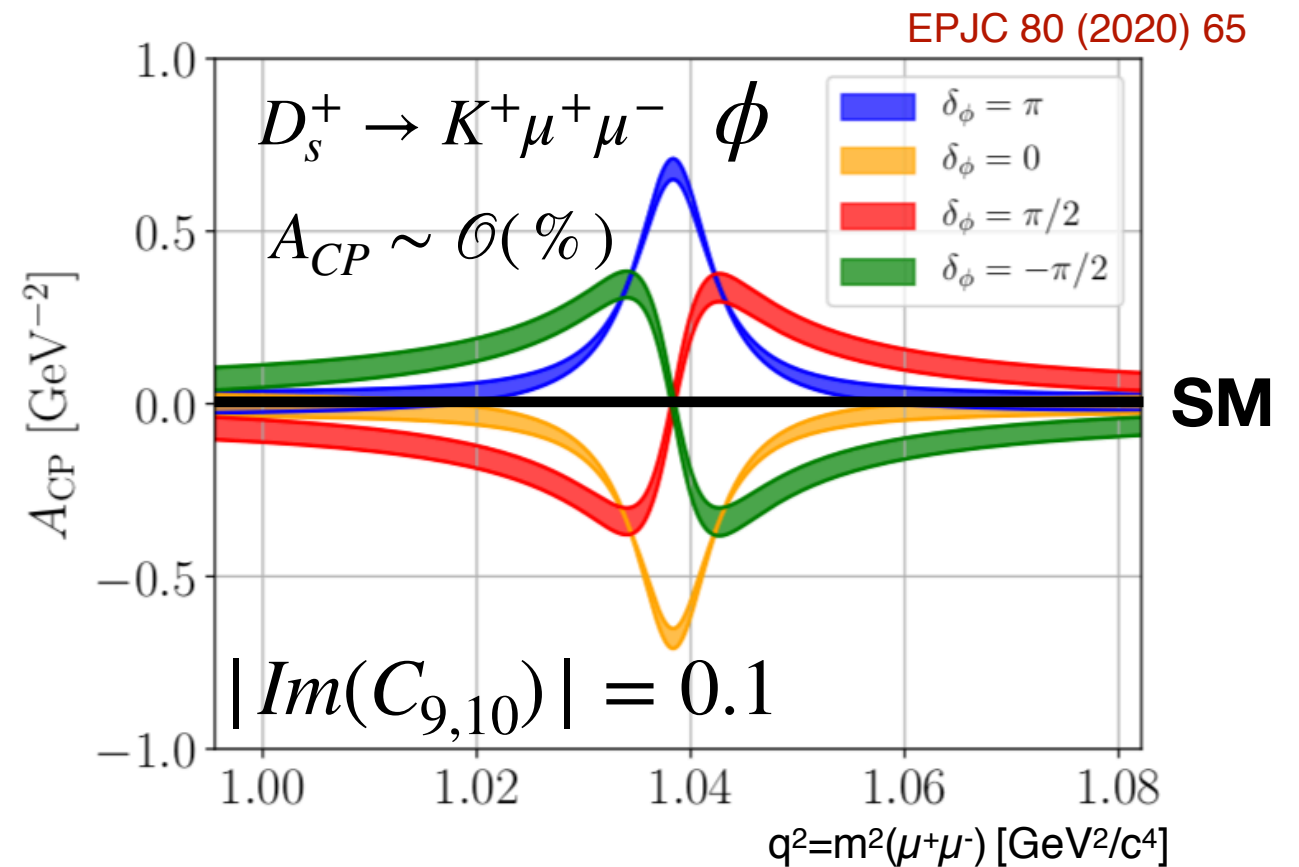
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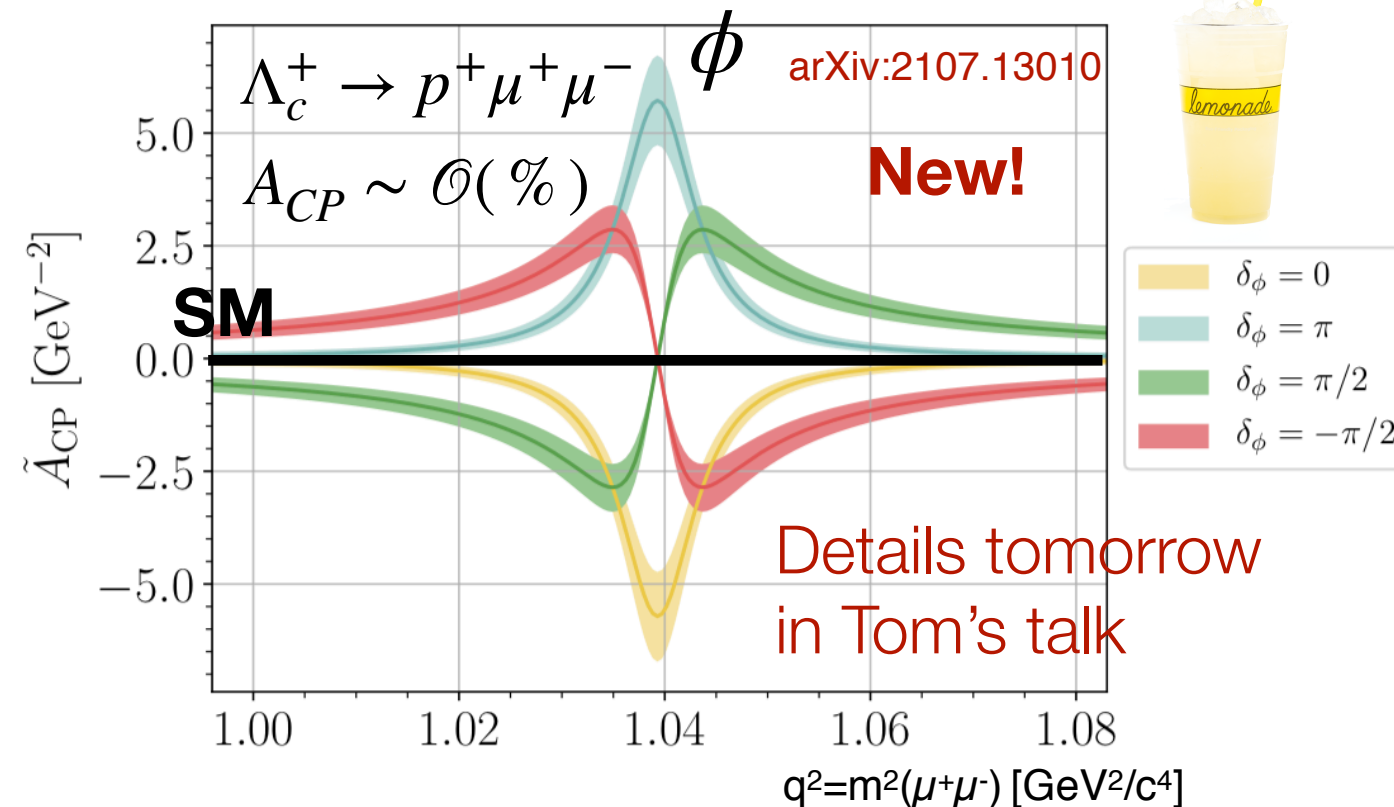
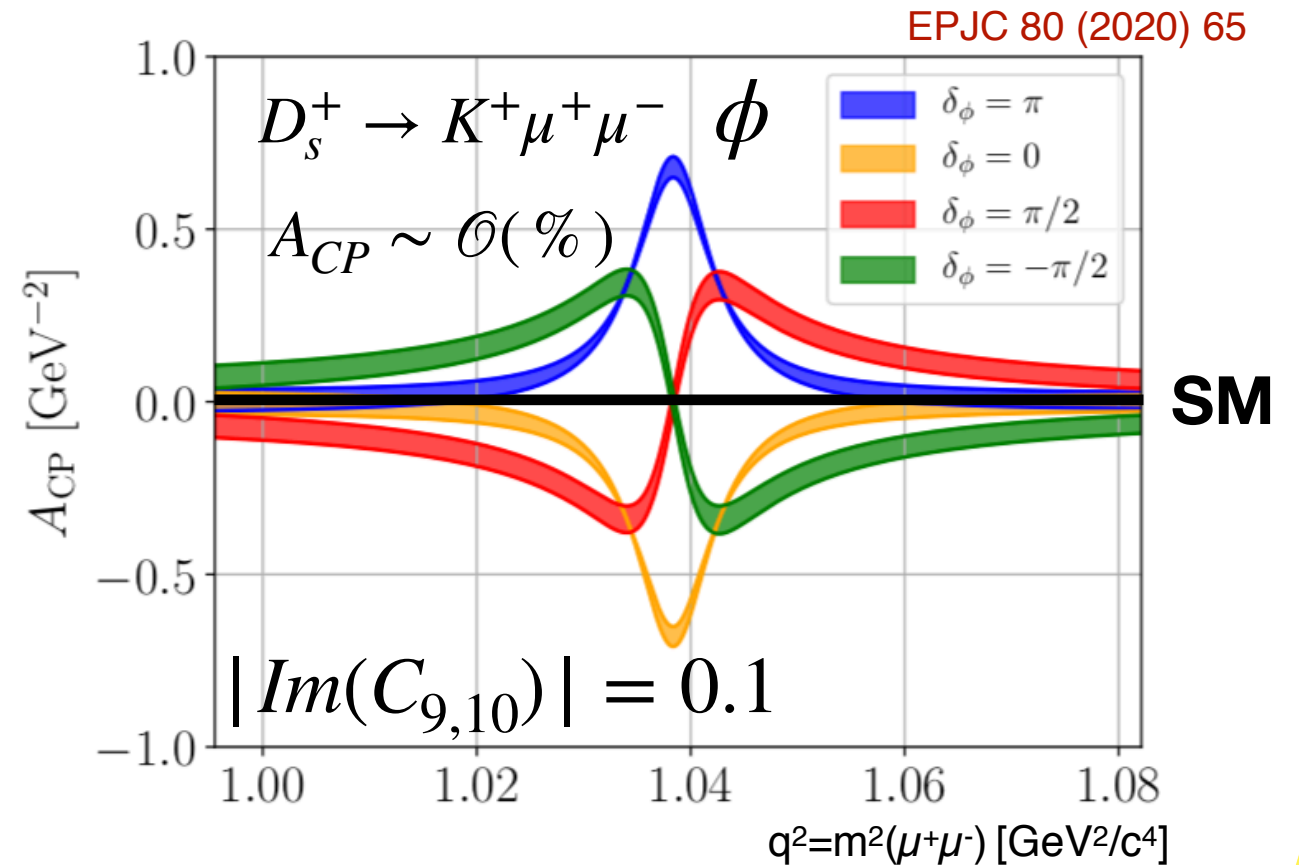


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Details tomorrow
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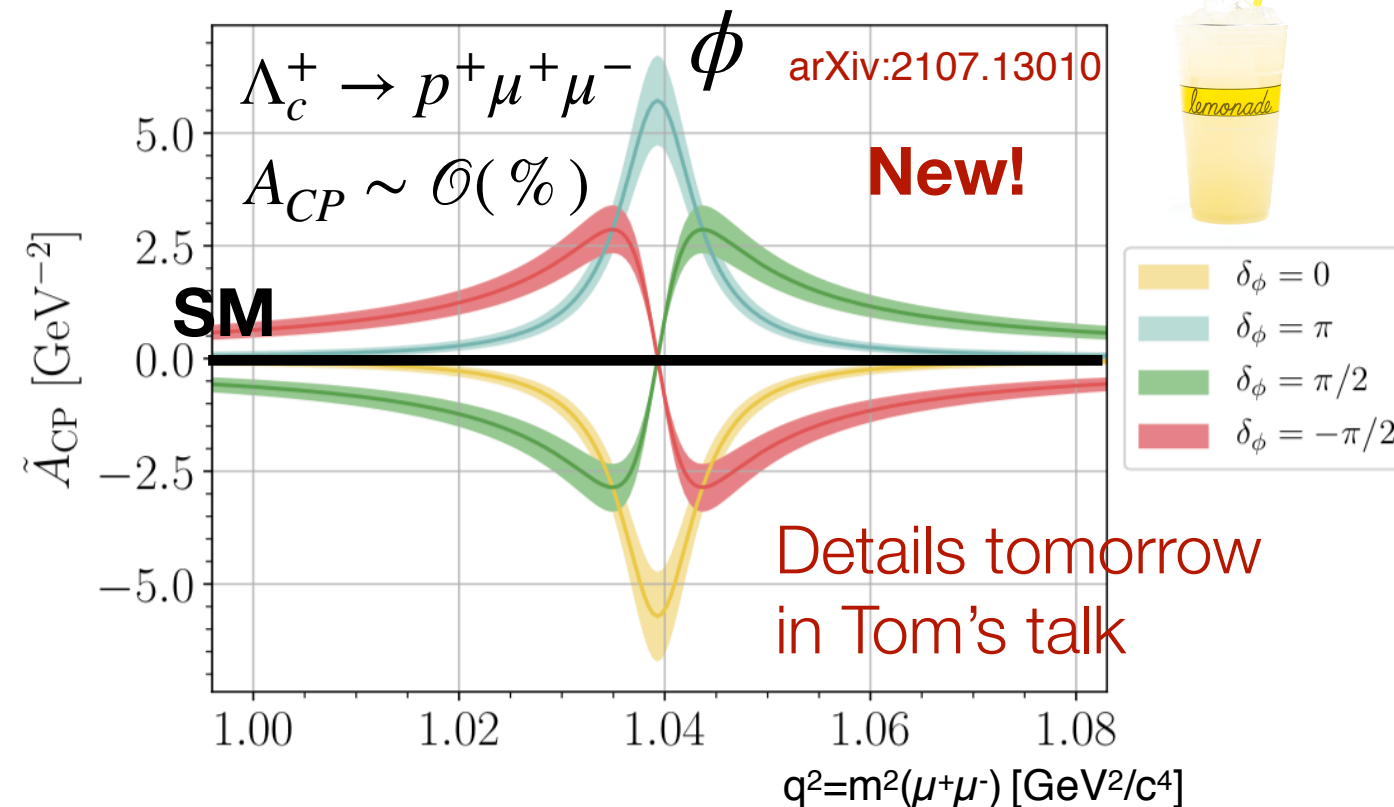
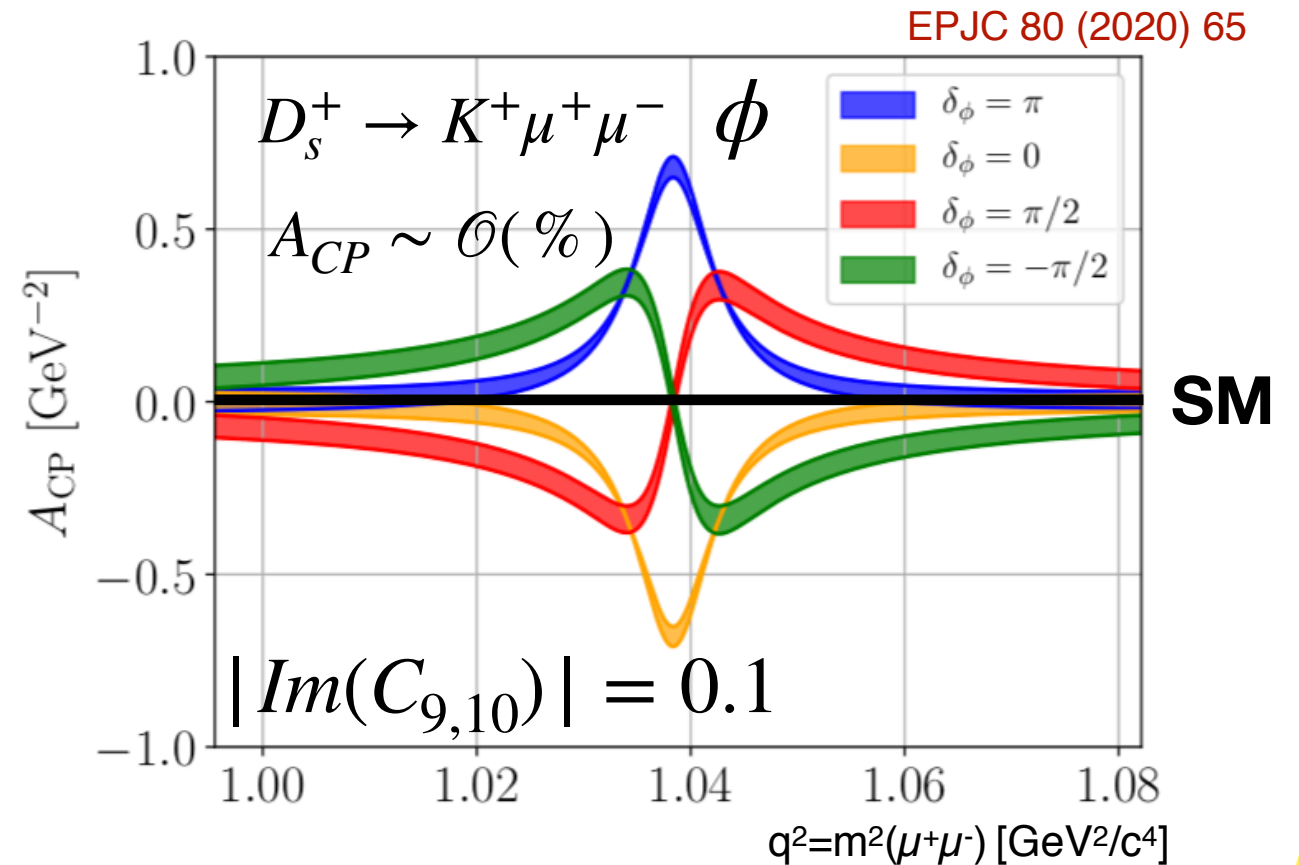
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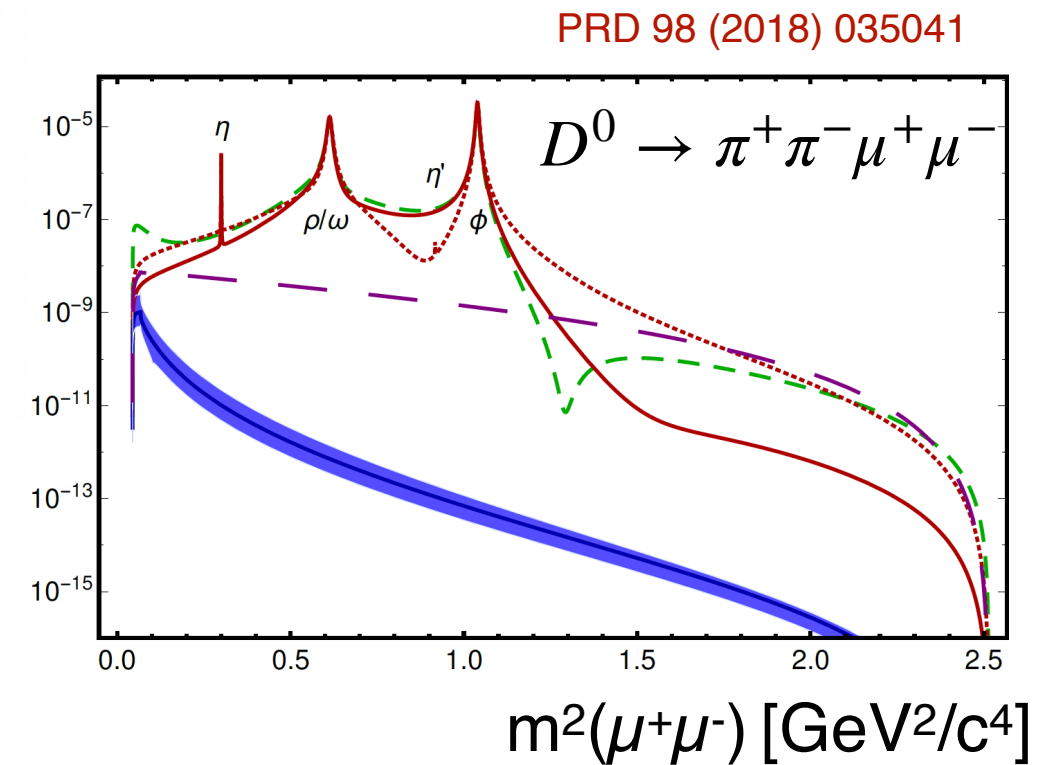
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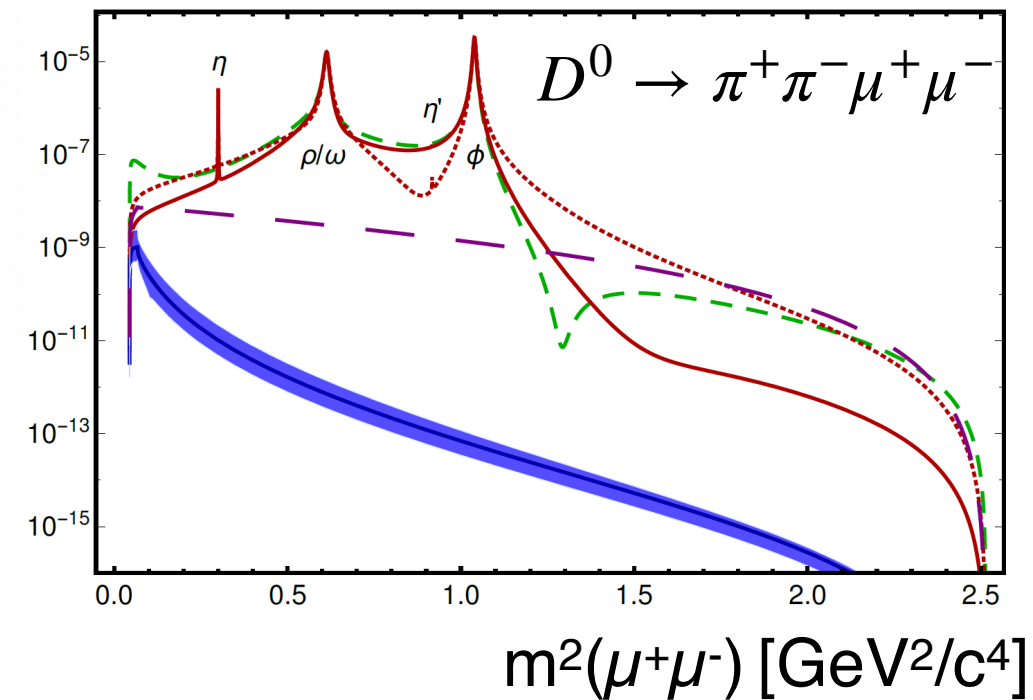
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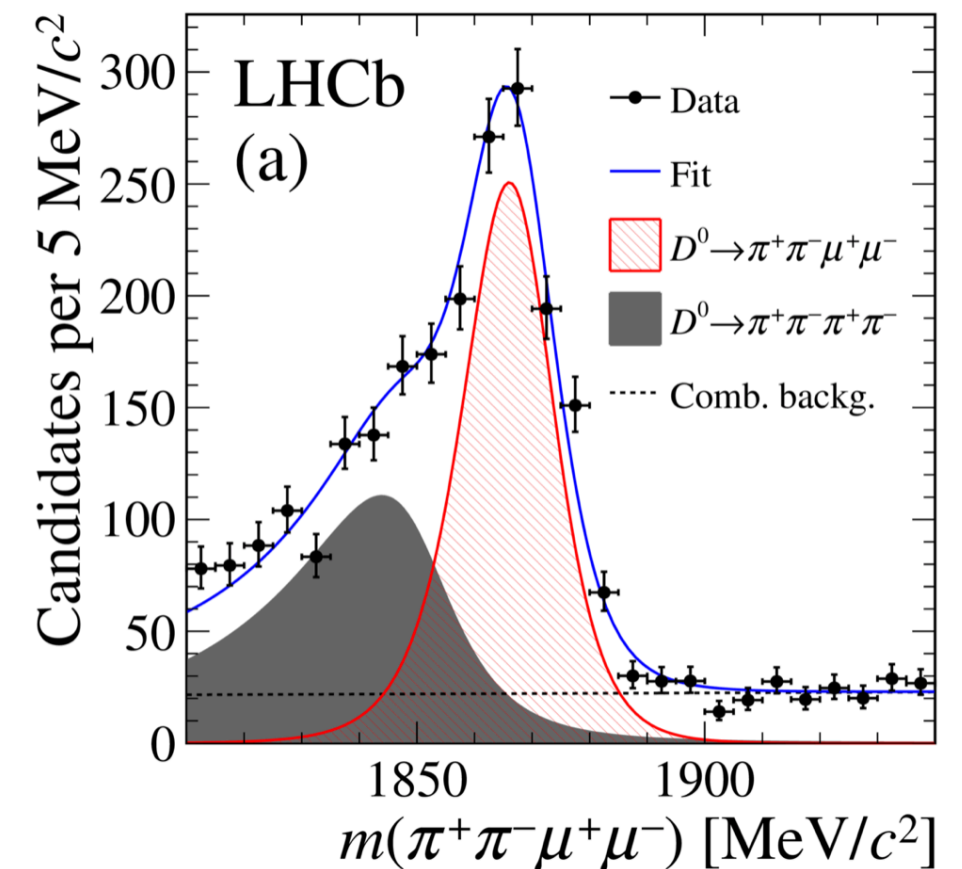
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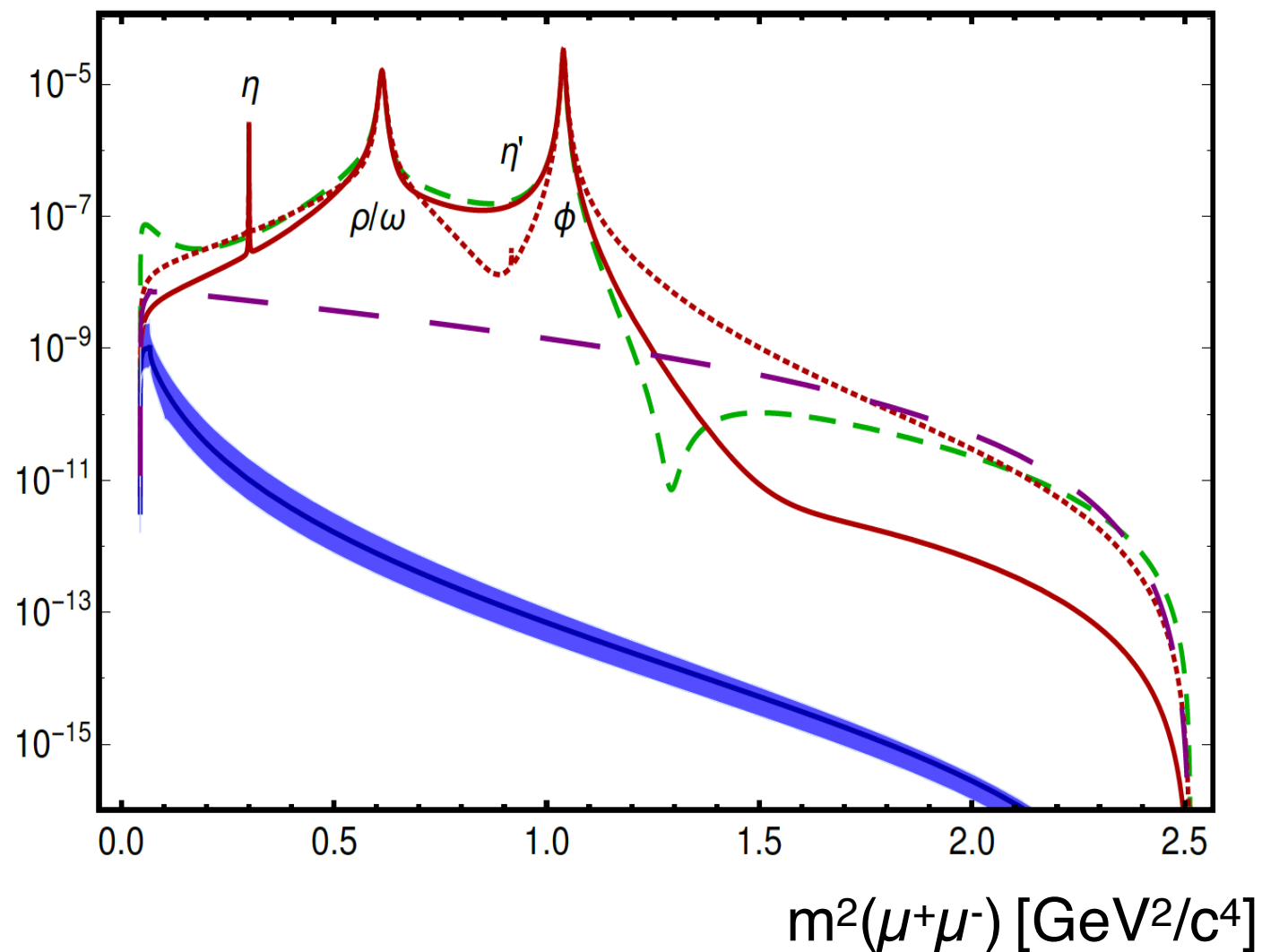


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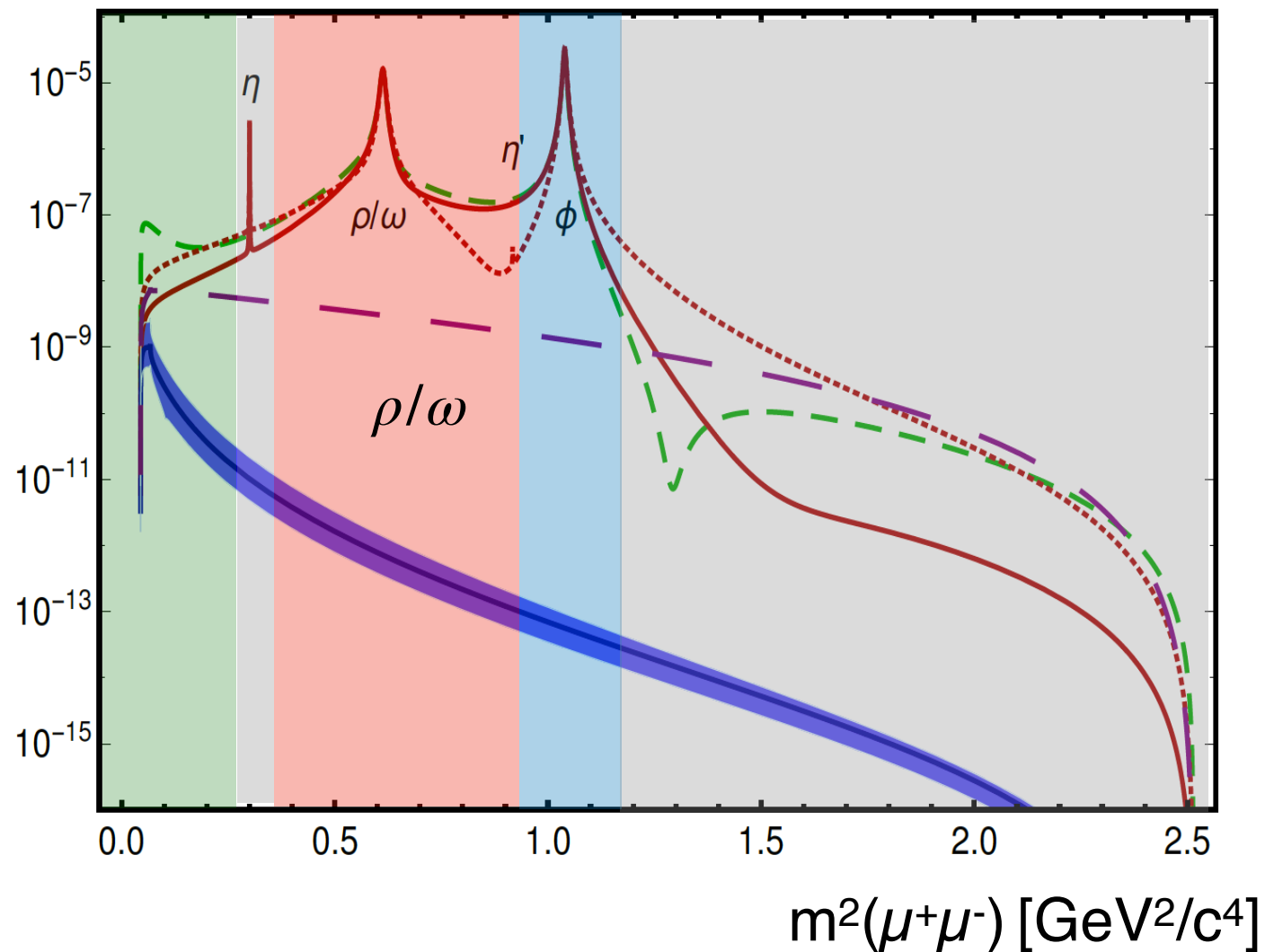


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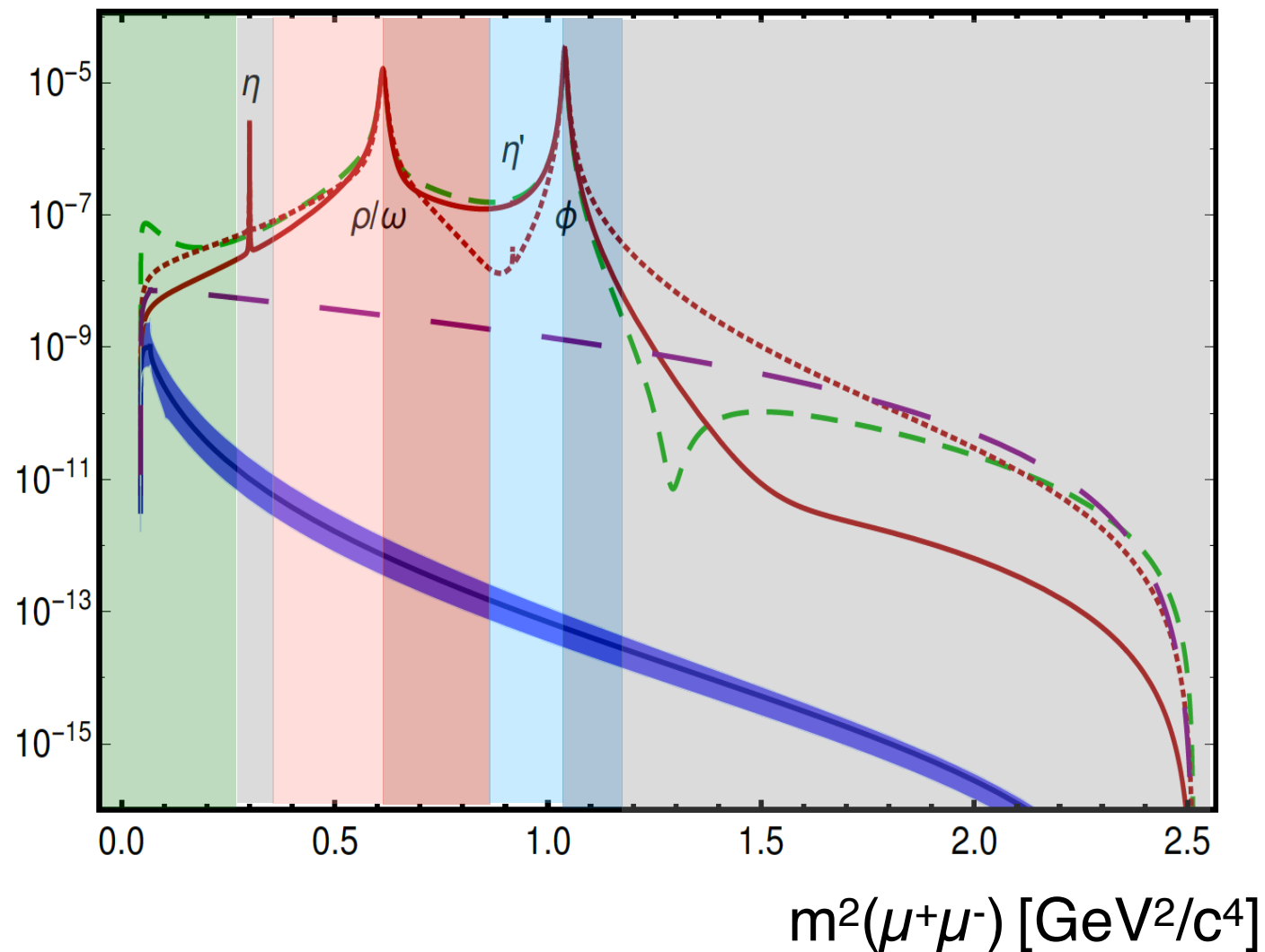


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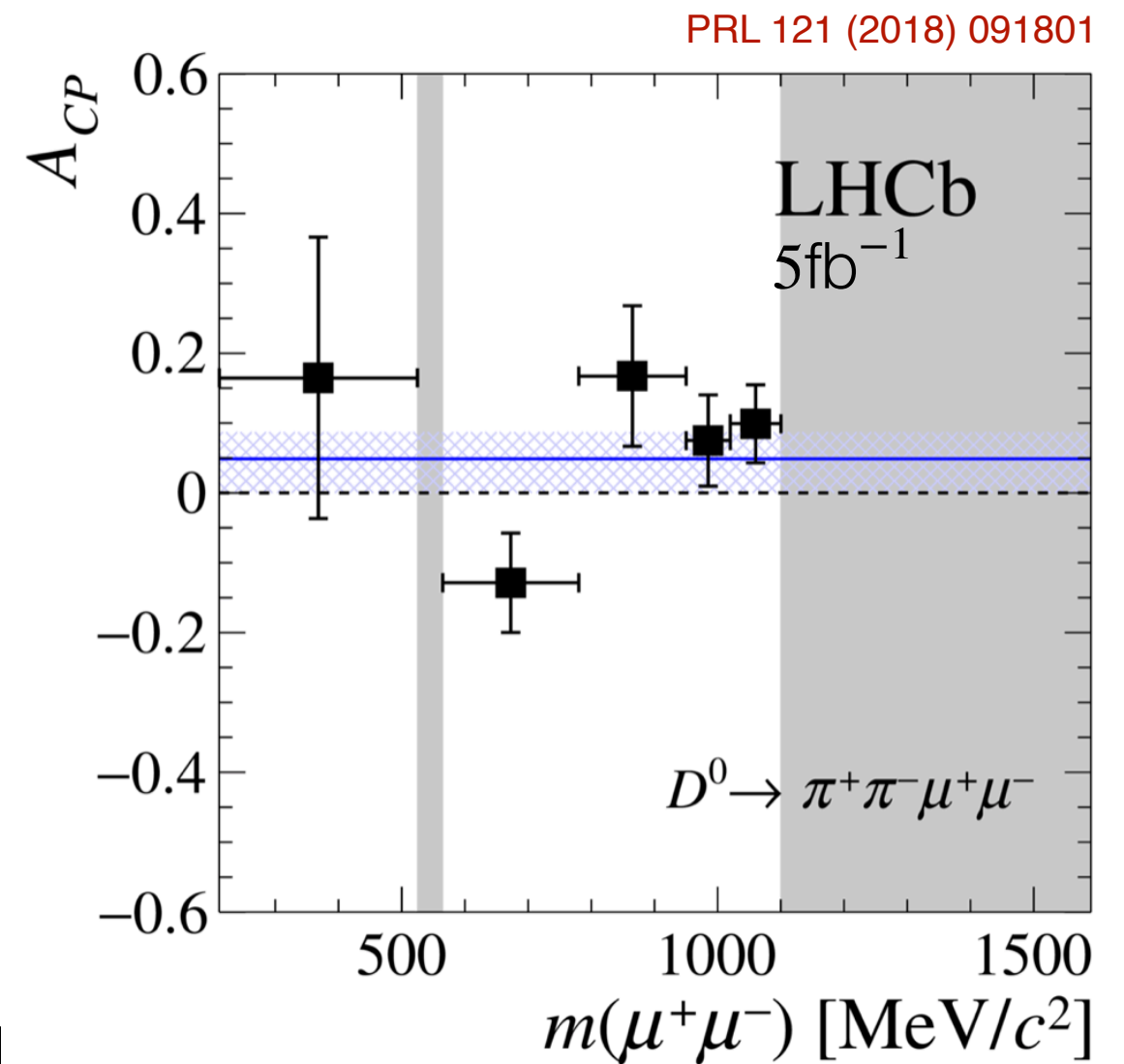
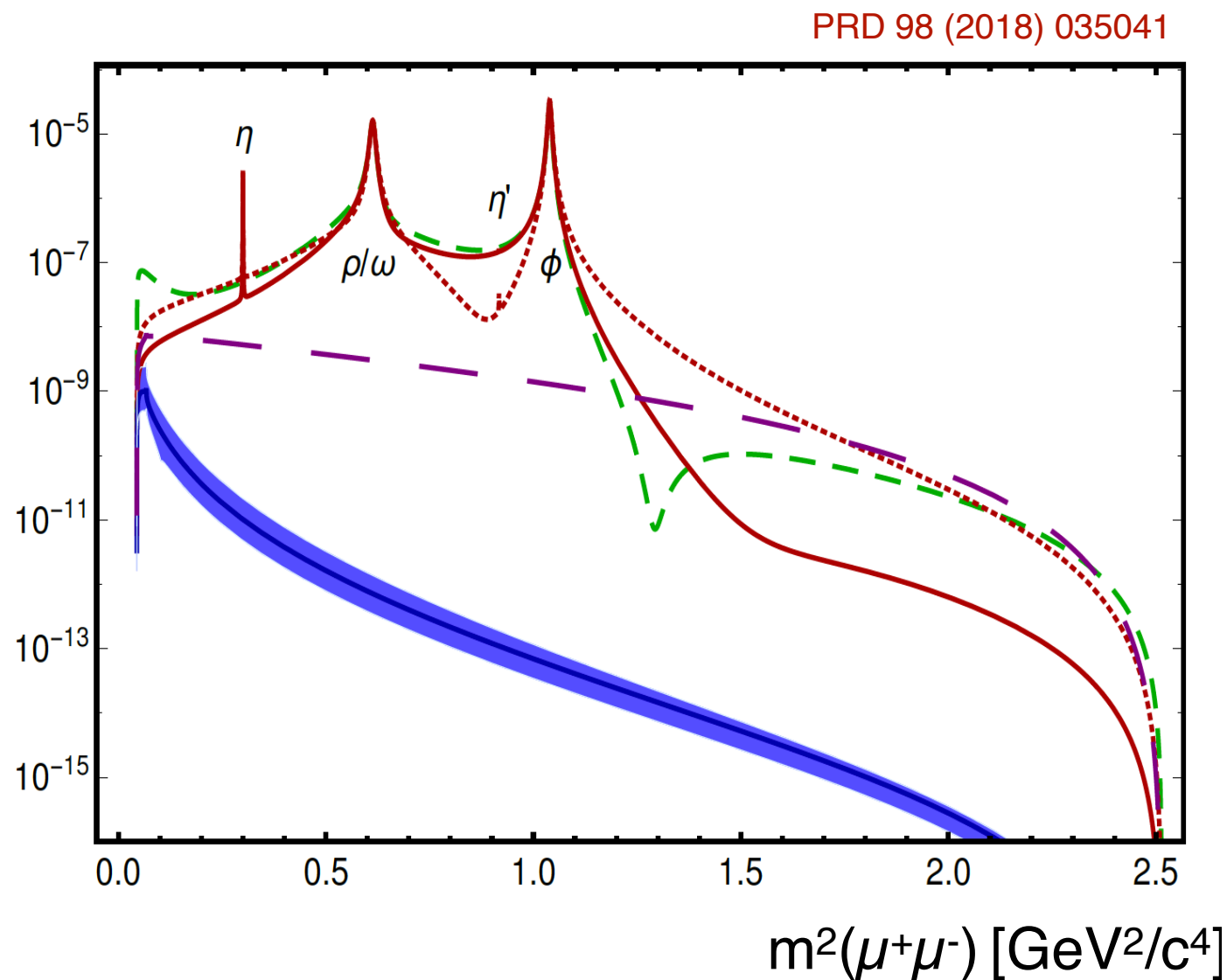
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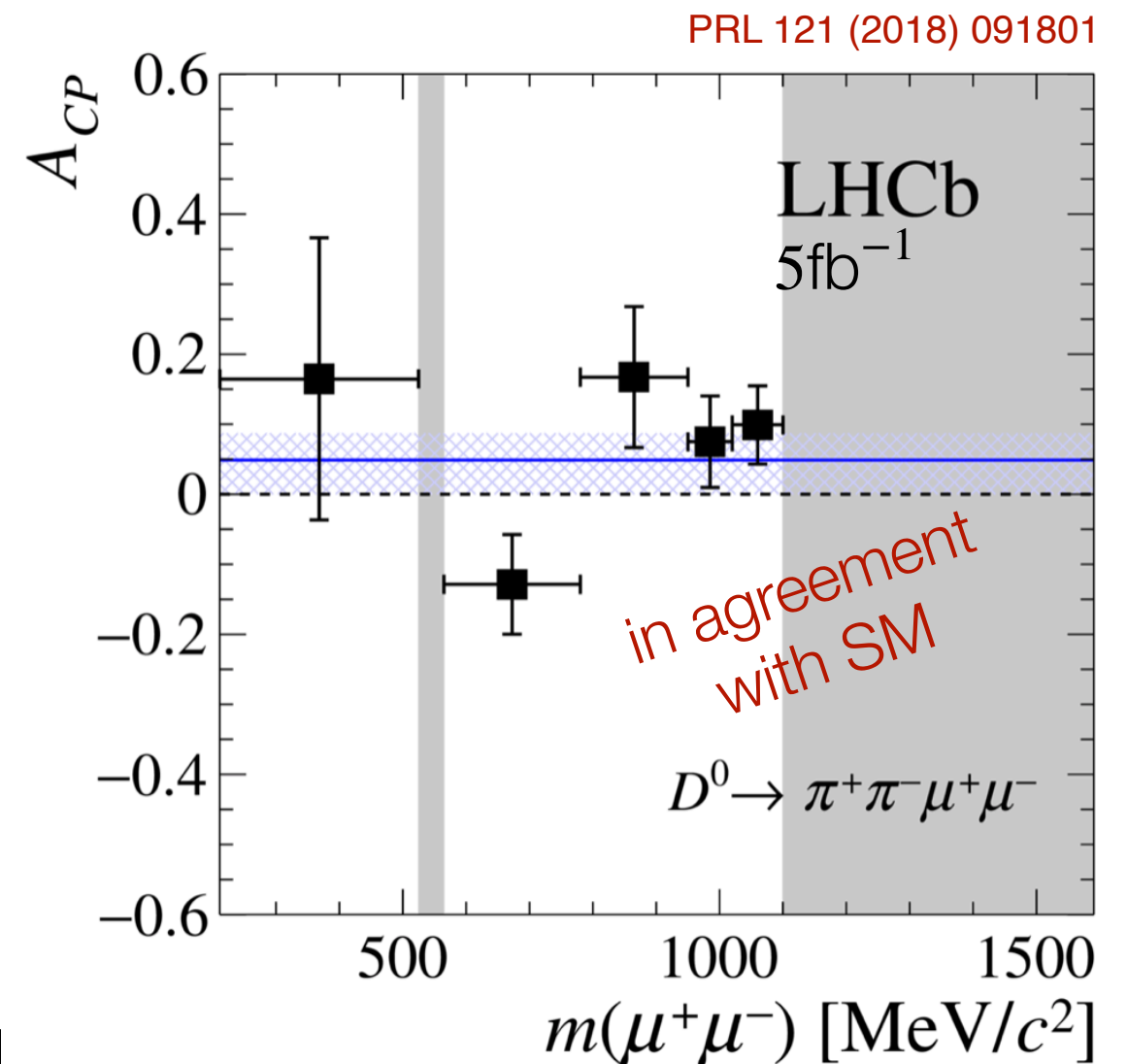
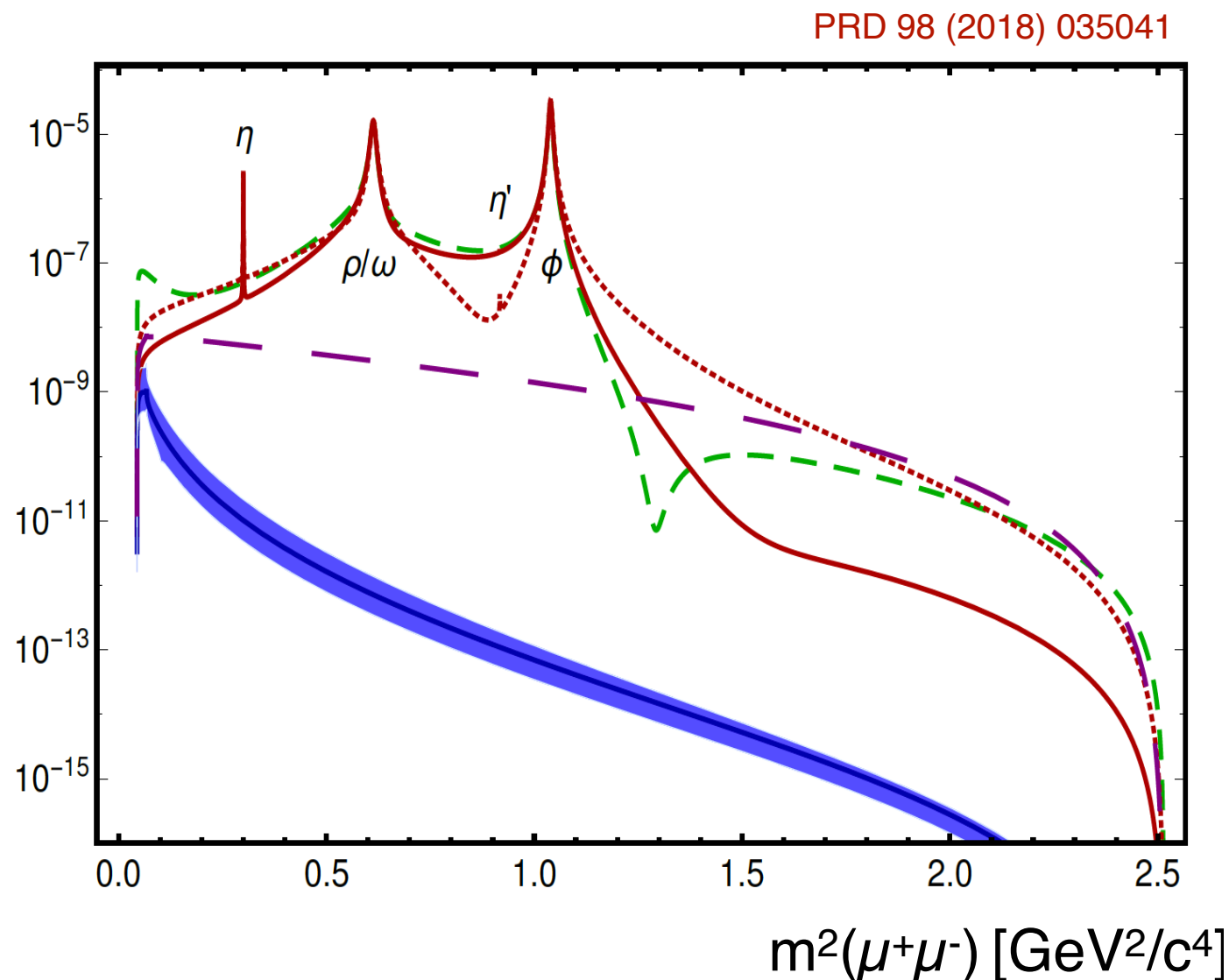
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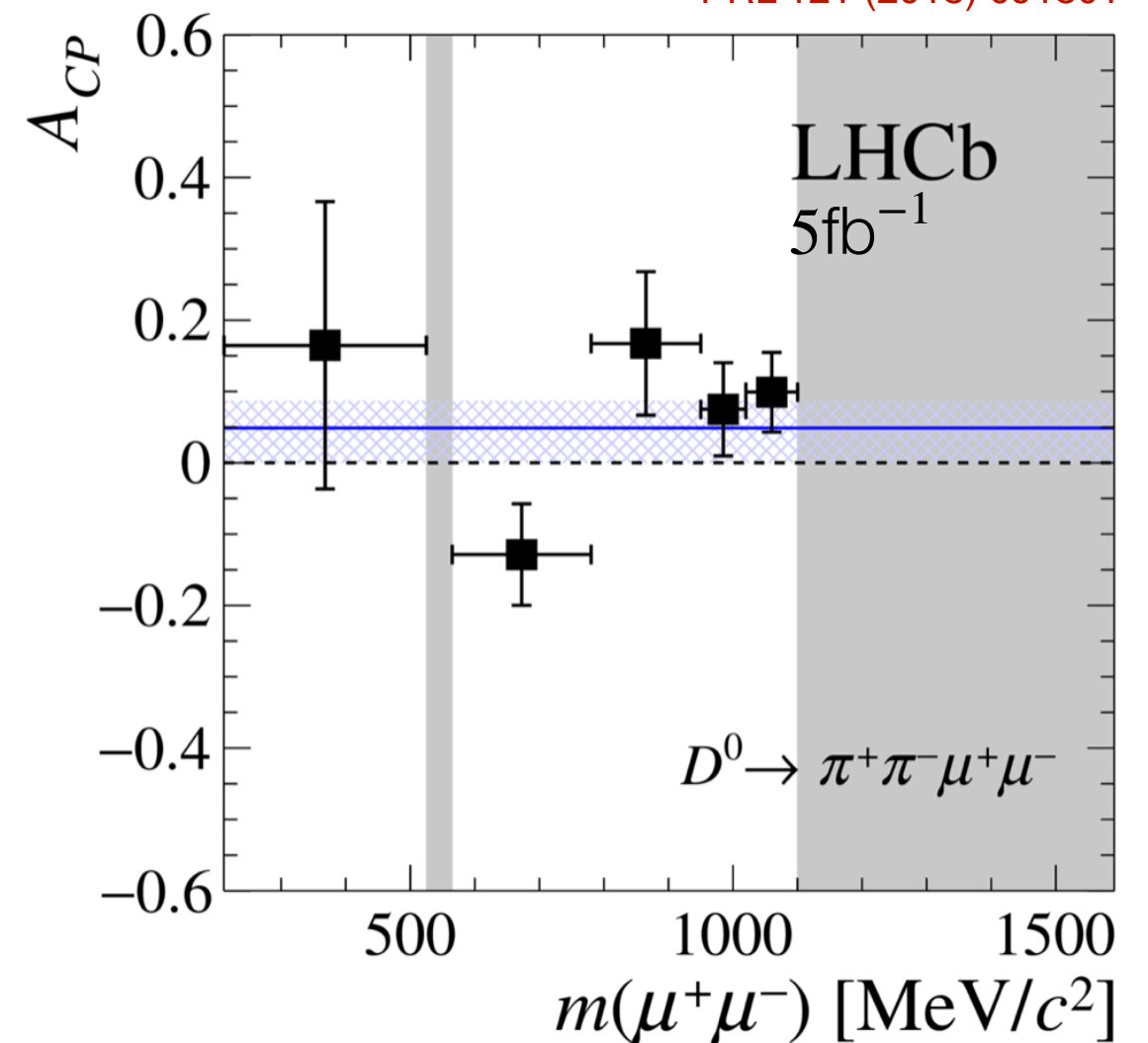
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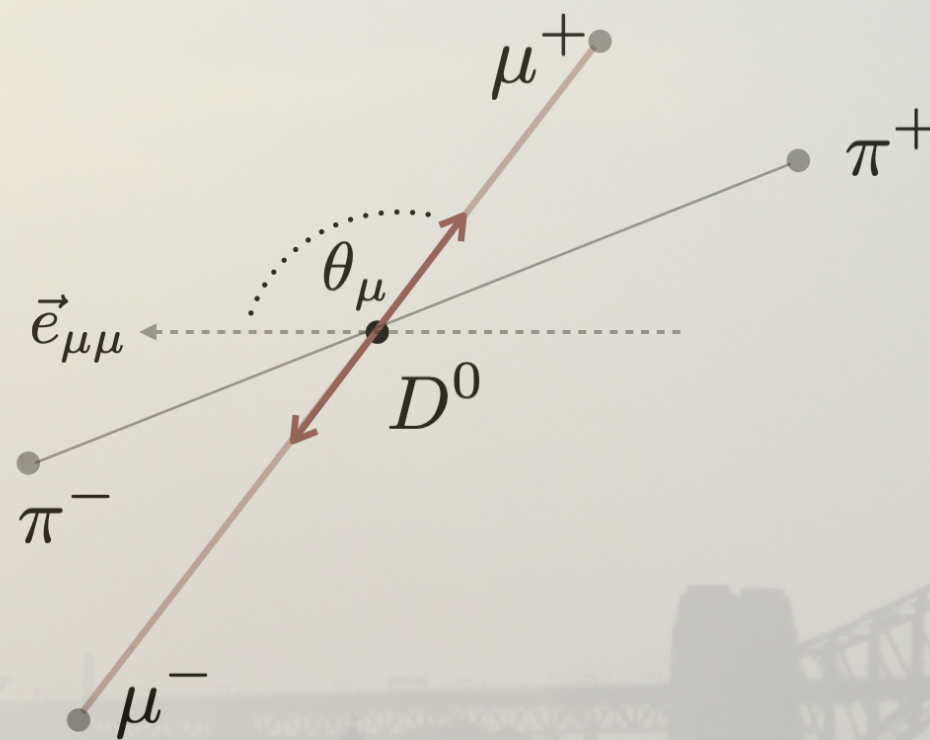
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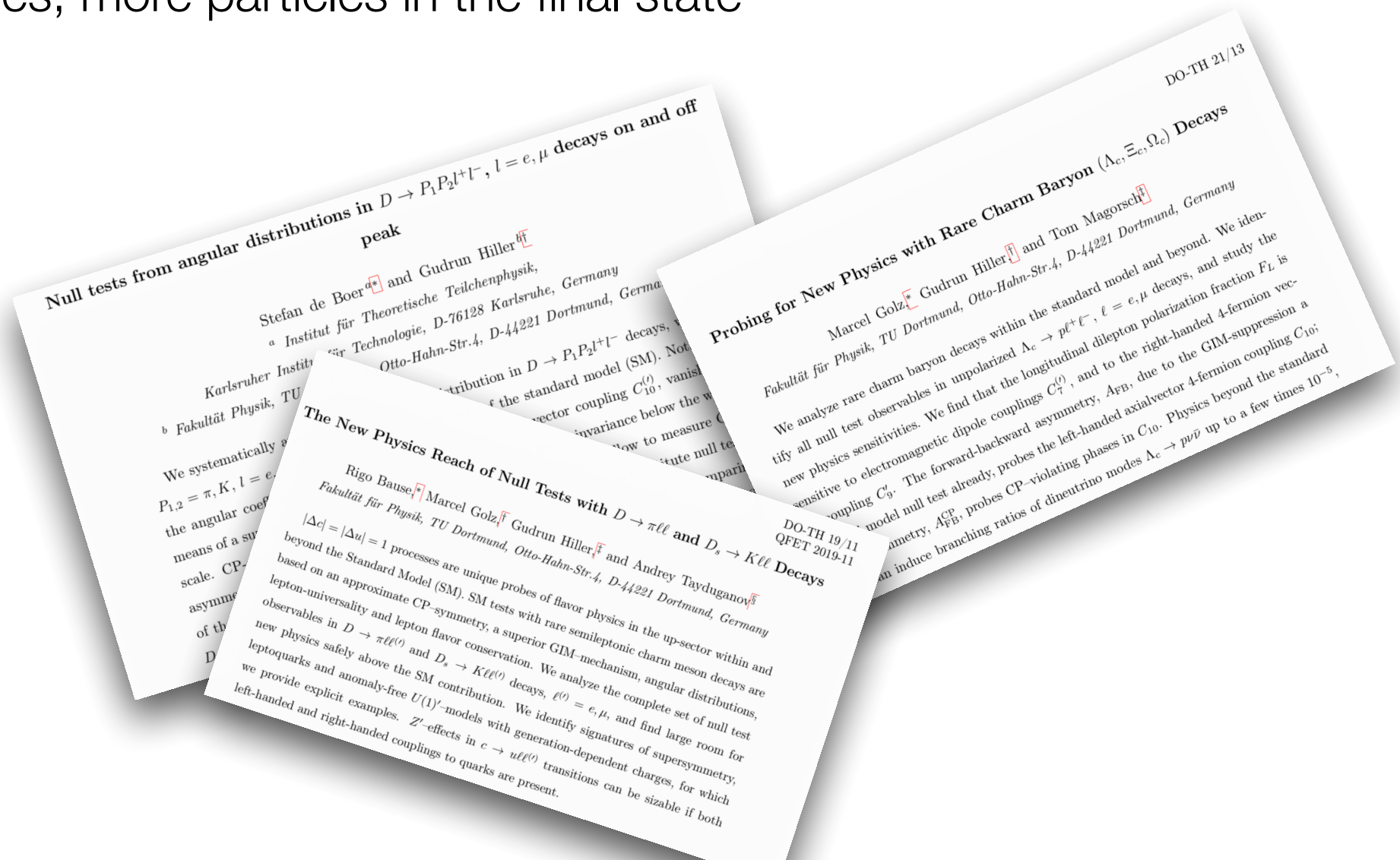
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Null tests from angular distributions in $D \rightarrow P_1 P_2 \ell^+ \ell^-$, $\ell = e, \mu$ decays on and off peak
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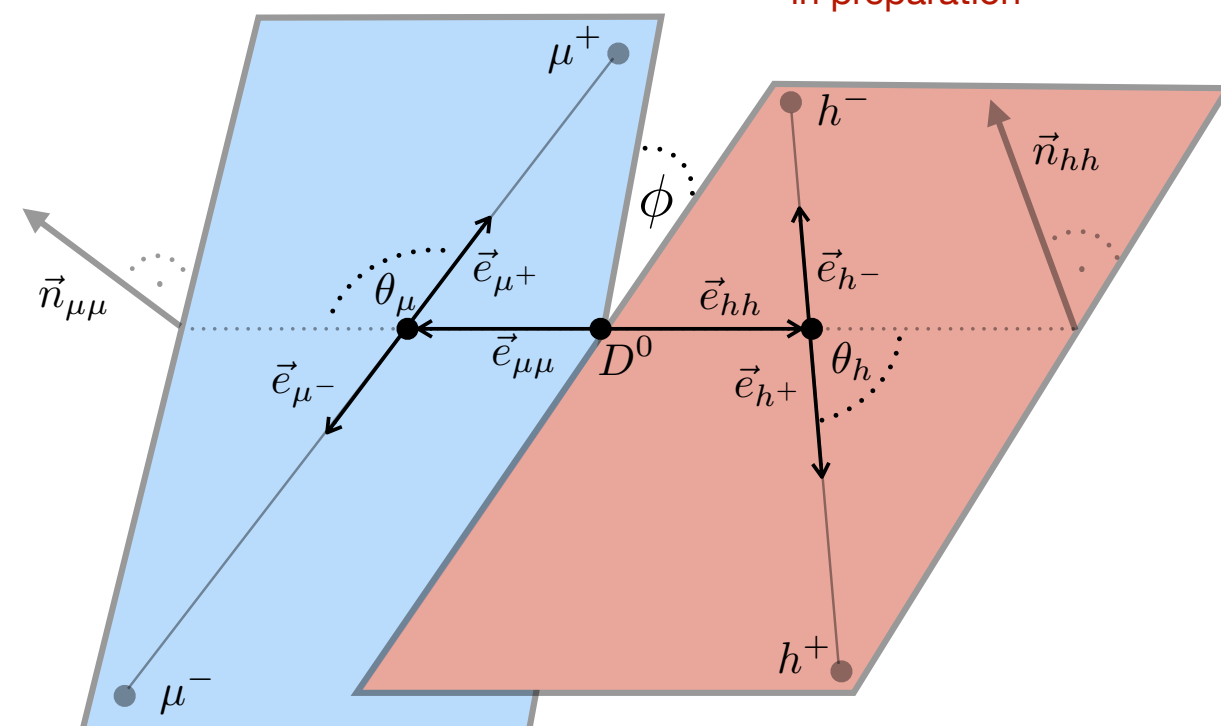
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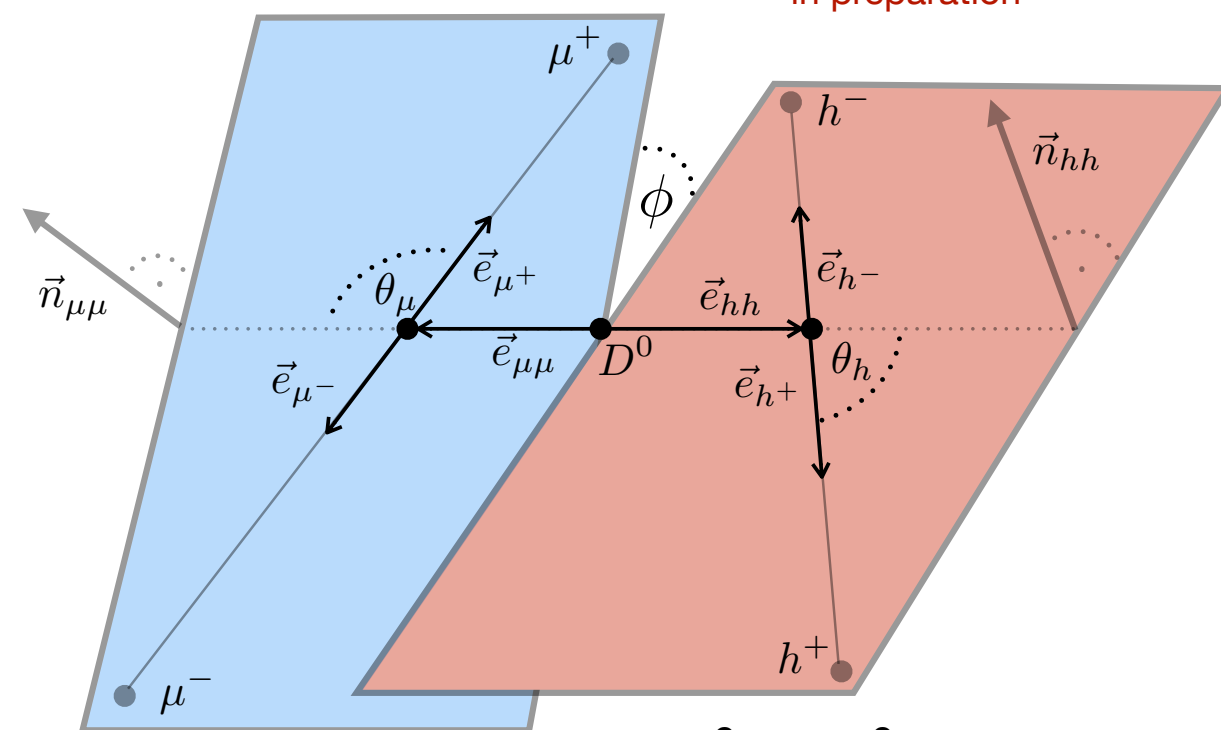
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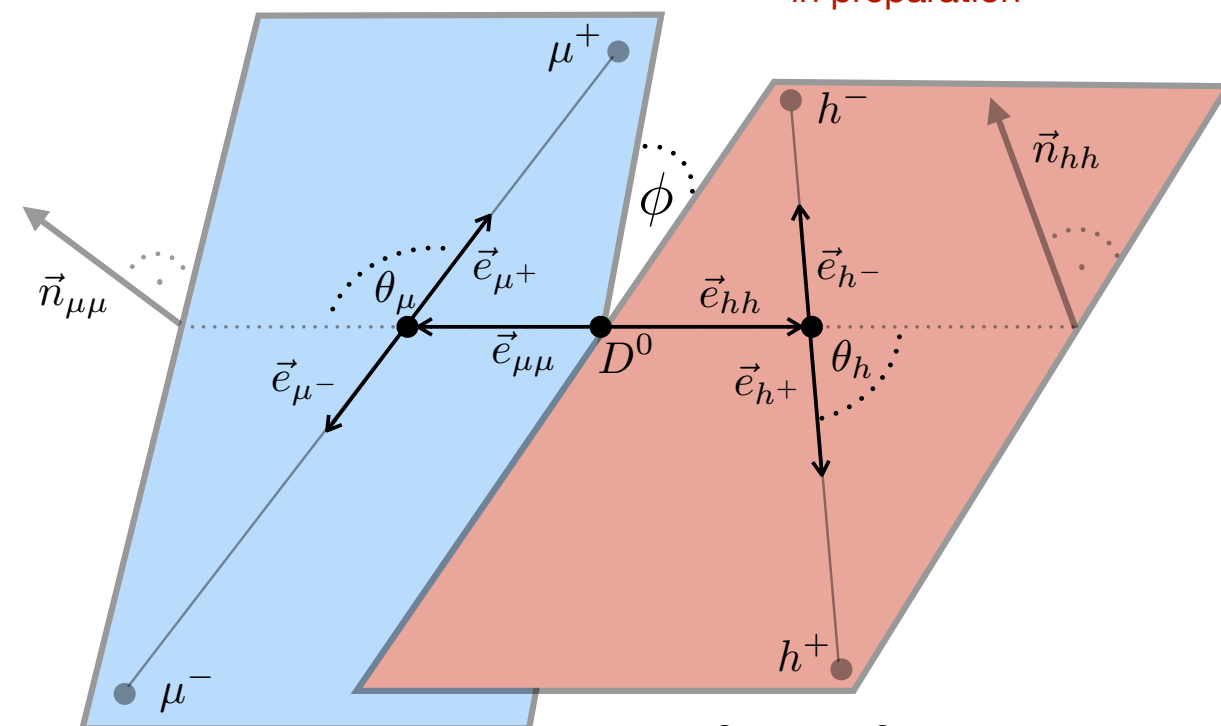
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for CP even (CP odd) coefficients

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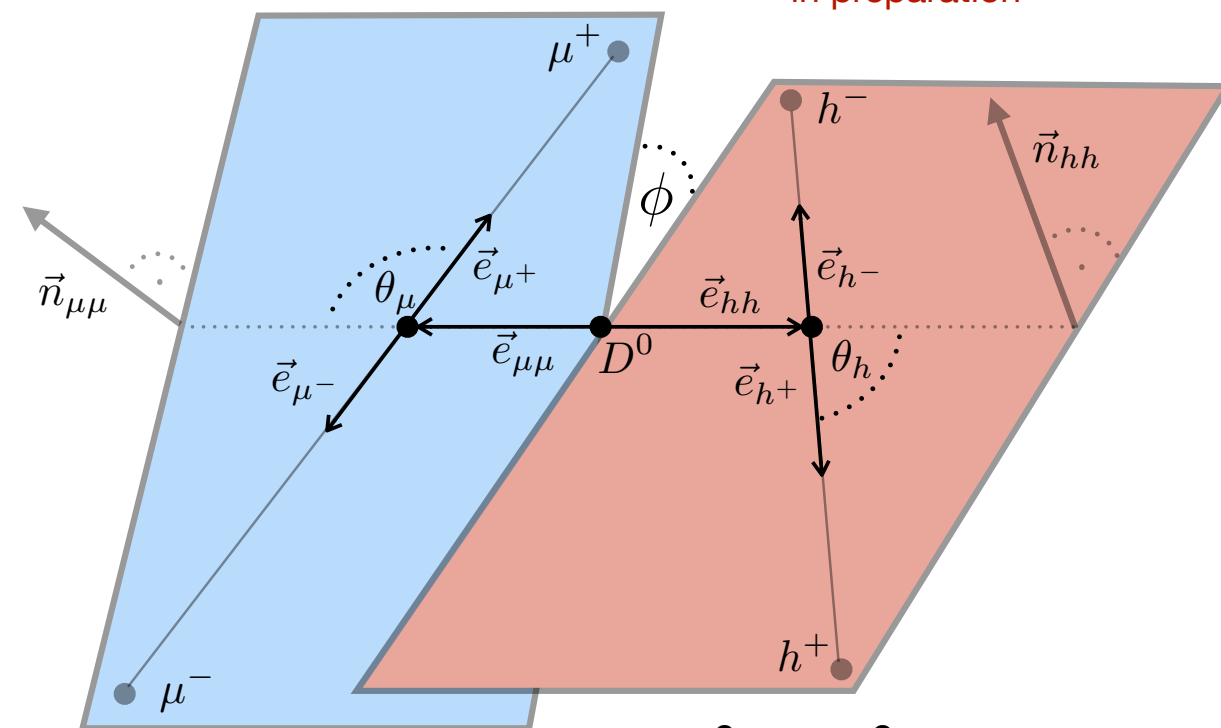
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$$\frac{d\Gamma}{d\cos\theta_\mu d\cos\theta_h d\phi} = I_1 + I_2 \cdot \cos 2\theta_\mu + I_3 \cdot \sin^2 2\theta_\mu \cos 2\phi + I_4 \cdot \sin 2\theta_\mu \cos \phi + I_5 \cdot \sin \theta_\mu \cos \phi + I_6 \cdot \cos \theta_\mu + I_7 \cdot \sin \theta_\mu \sin \phi + I_8 \cdot \sin 2\theta_\mu \sin \phi + I_9 \cdot \sin^2 \theta_\mu \sin 2\phi$$

I_5, I_6, I_7 clean null tests!

remark:

$$[I = I(q^2, p^2, \cos \theta_h)]$$



$$p^2 = m^2(h^+h^-)$$

$$q^2 = m^2(\mu^+\mu^-)$$

- Measure $q^2, p^2, \cos \theta_h$ integrated observables $\langle I_i \rangle$ for D^0, \bar{D}^0

- Full 9/fb from 2011-2018

$$N(D^0 \rightarrow \pi\pi\mu\mu) \sim 3000$$

$$N(D^0 \rightarrow KK\mu\mu) \sim 300$$

$$\langle S_i \rangle = \frac{1}{2} [\langle I_i \rangle + (-) \langle \bar{I}_i \rangle]$$

$$\langle A_i \rangle = \frac{1}{2} [\langle I_i \rangle - (+) \langle \bar{I}_i \rangle]$$

for CP even (CP odd) coefficients

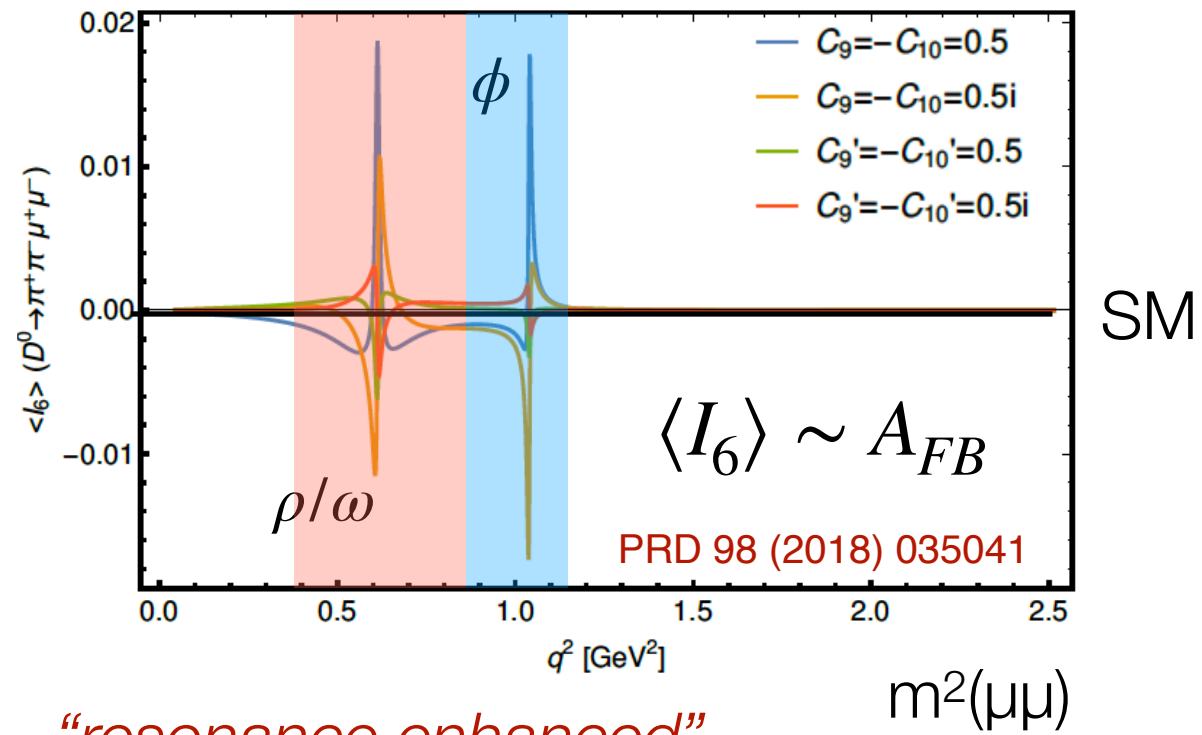
$$\langle S_{5,6,7} \rangle^{\text{SM}} = 0$$

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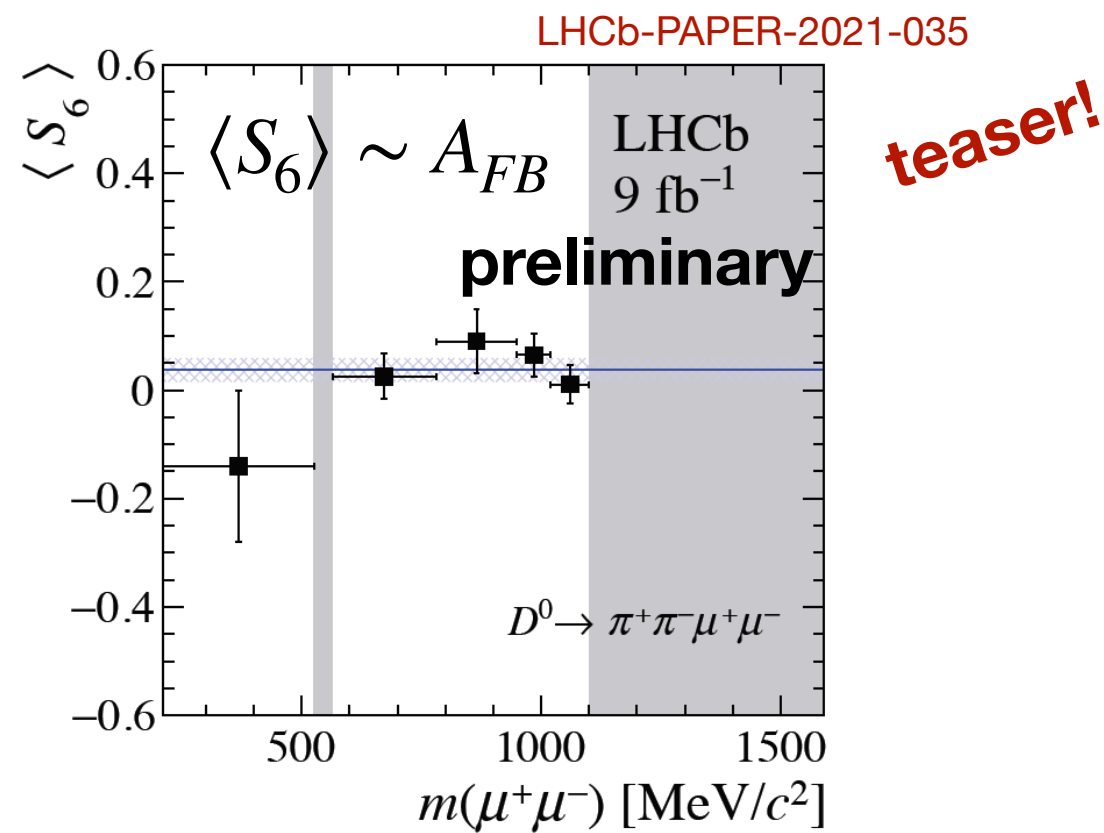
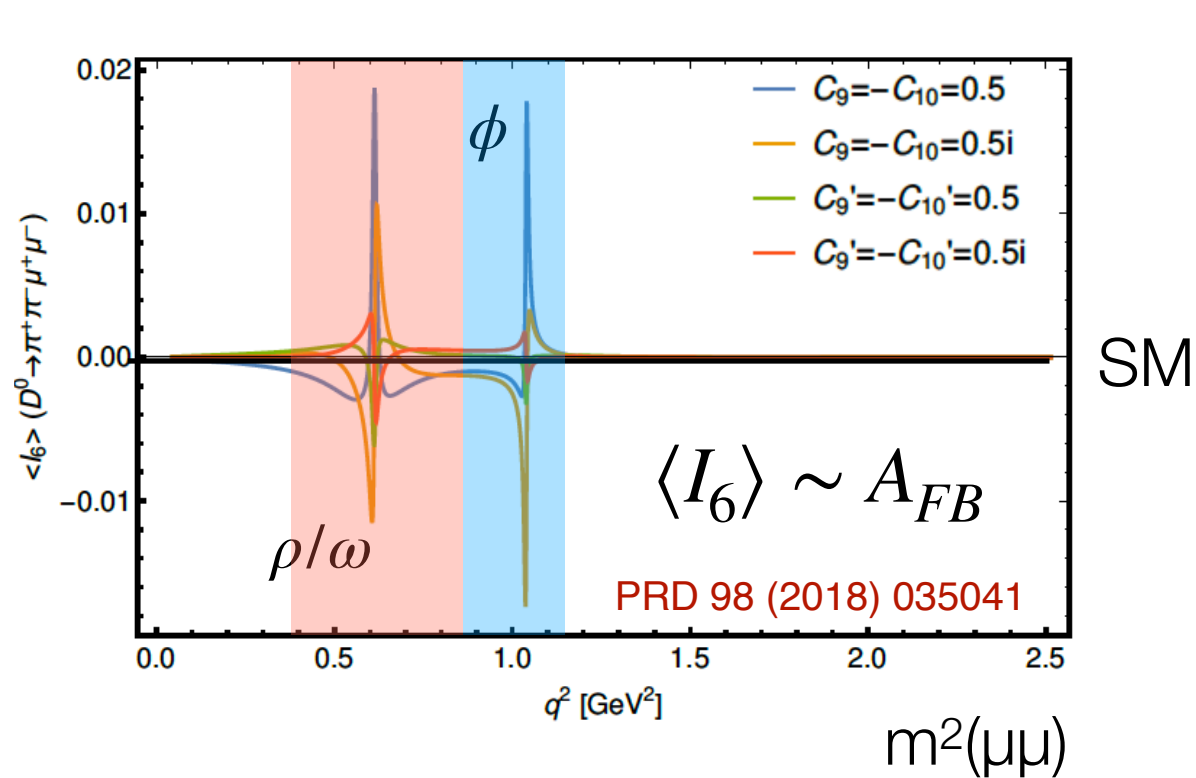
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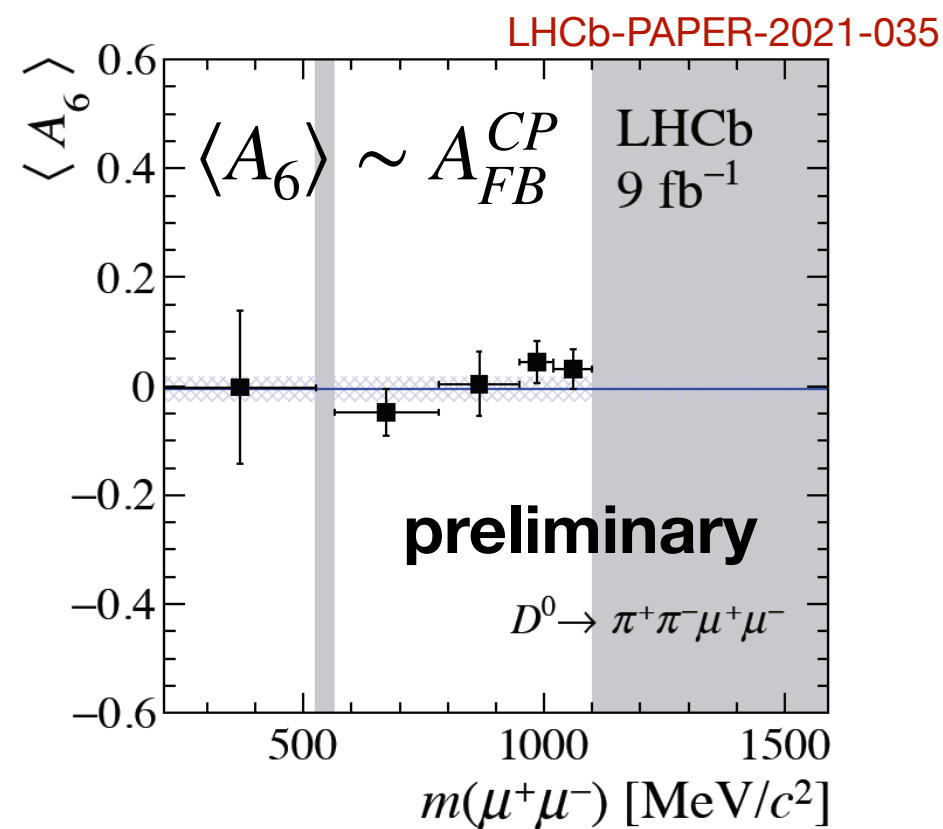
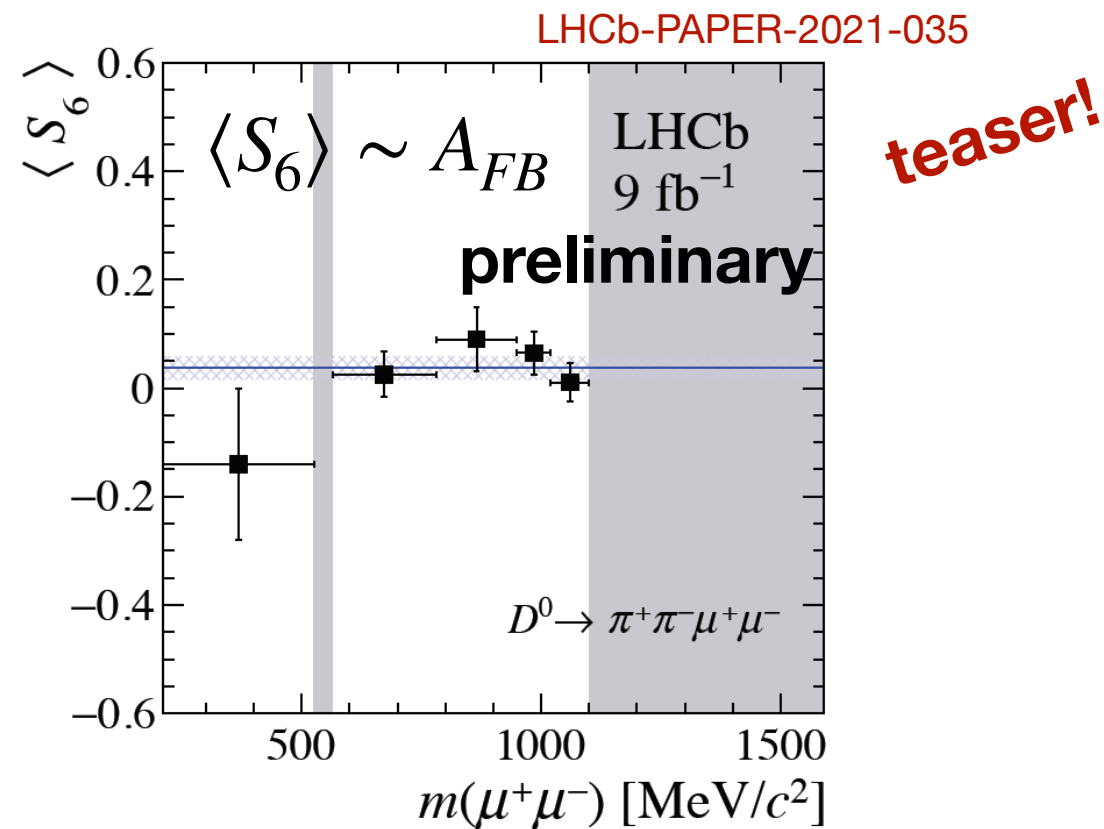
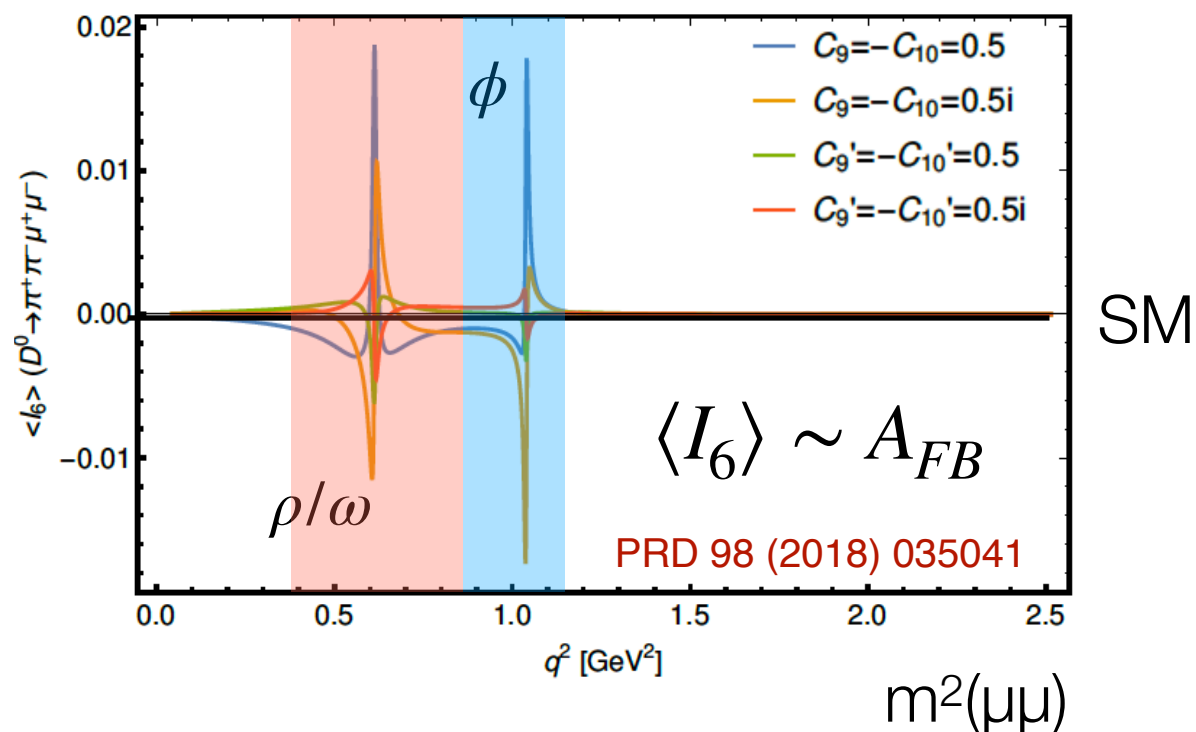


“resonance enhanced”

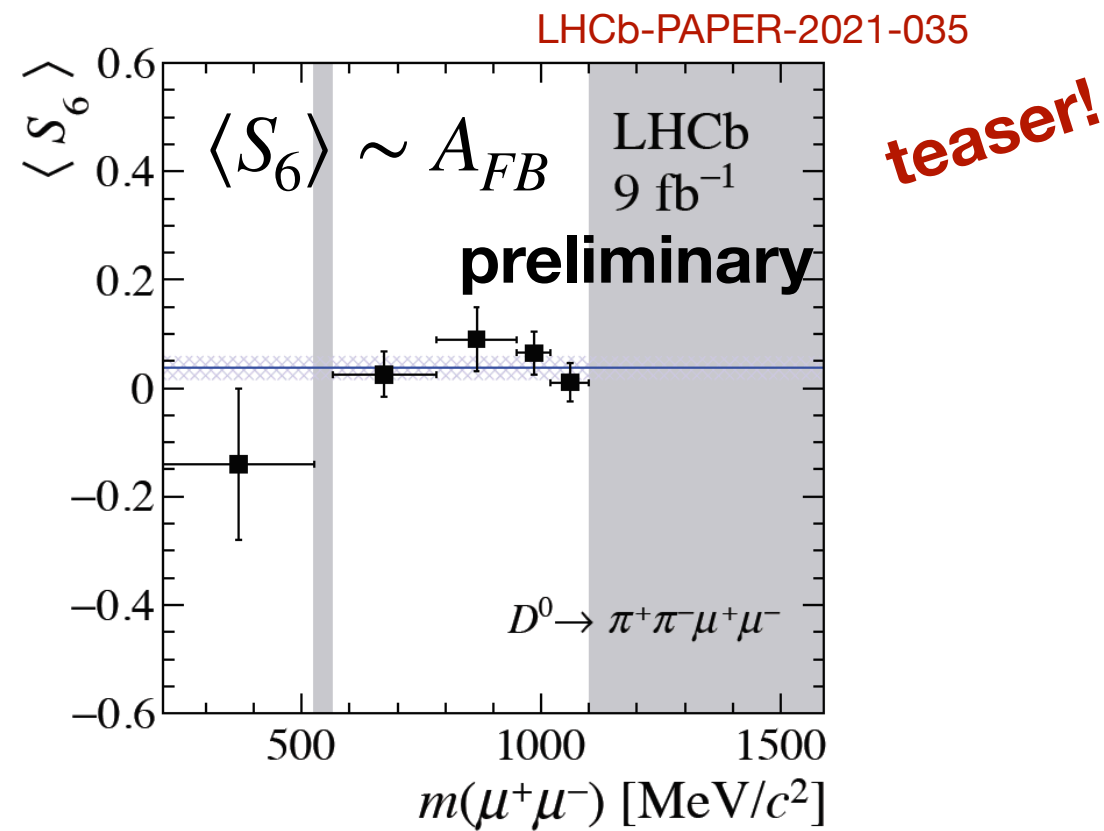
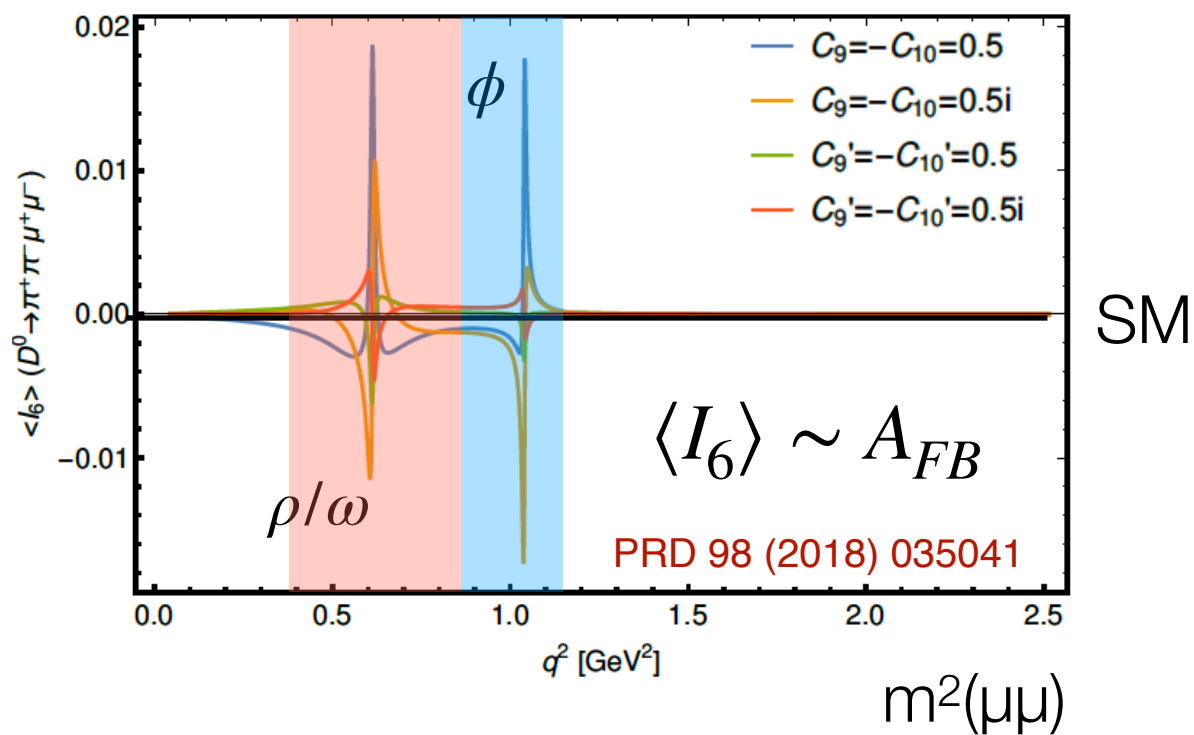
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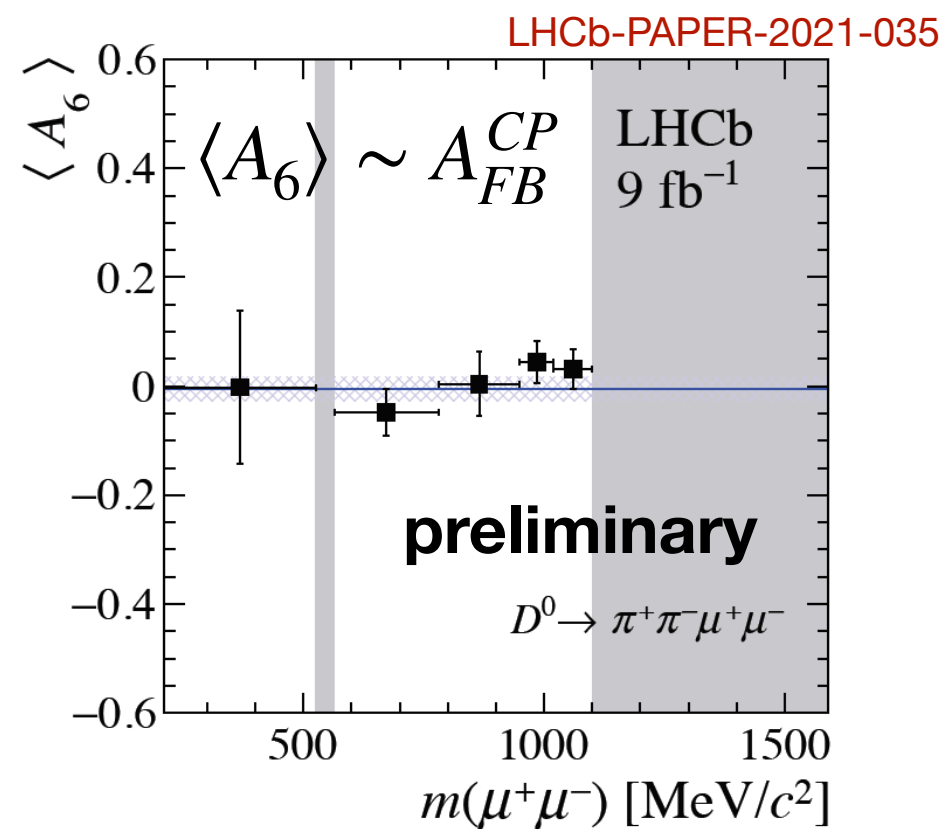


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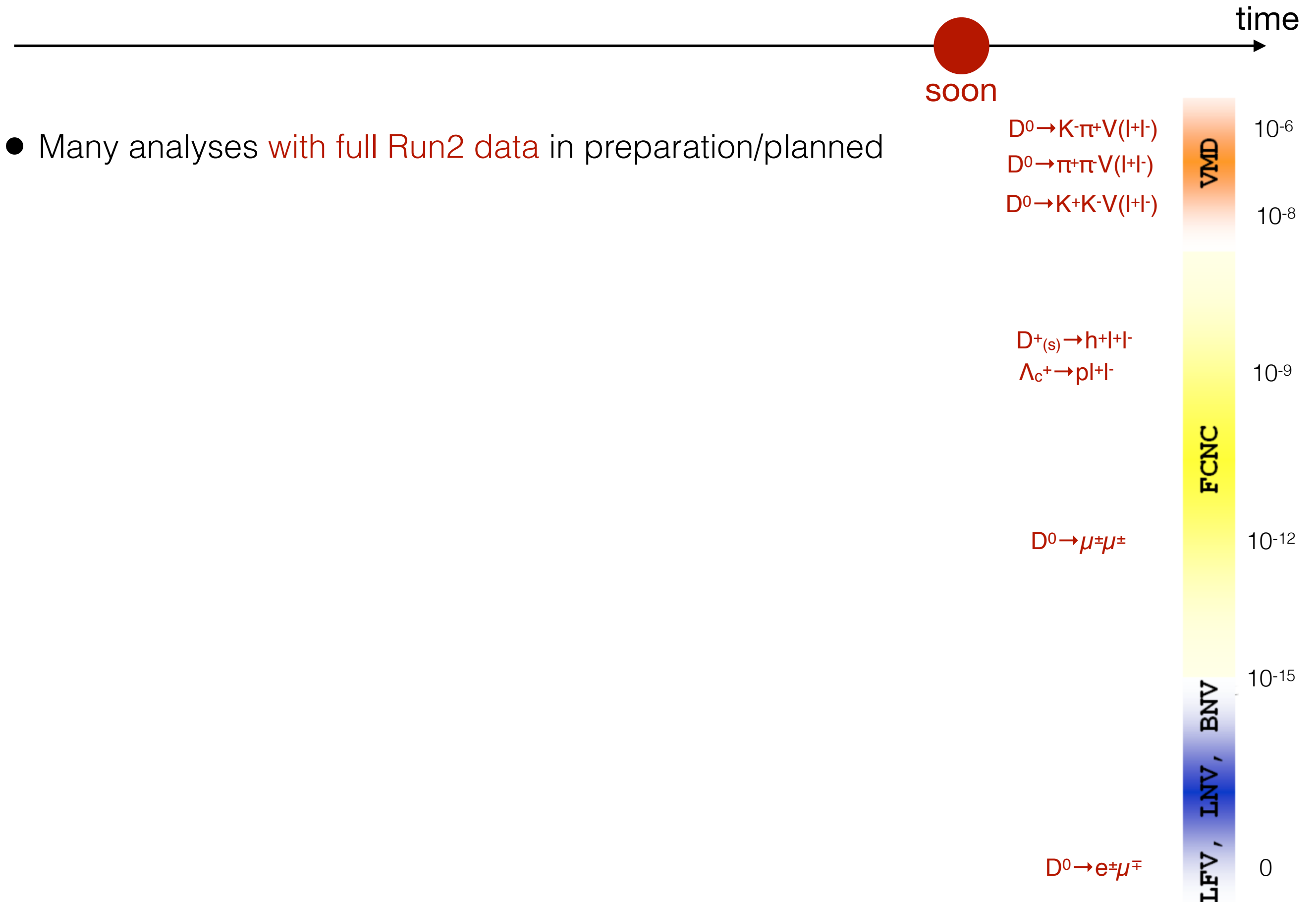


- First full angular analysis of rare charm decay ever!
- Can we make a systematic interpretation of the results?

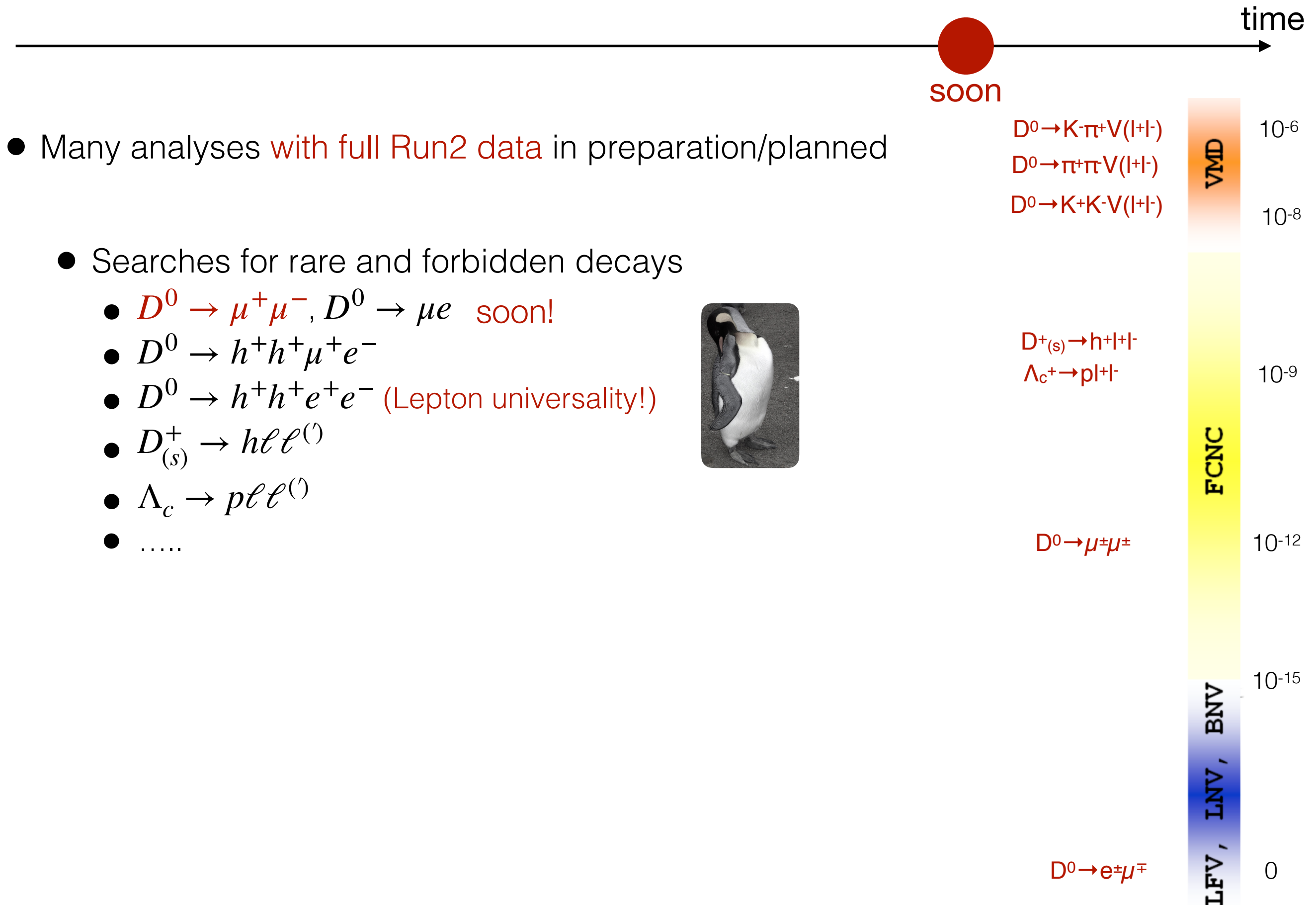
Wait for Implications Workshop to see all results!
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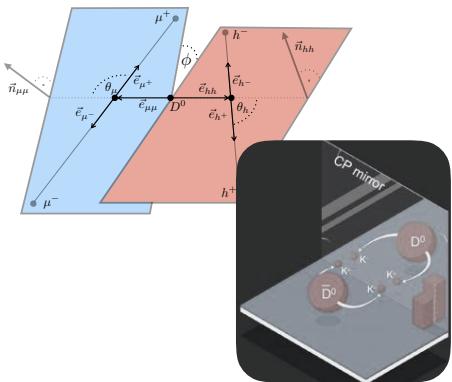
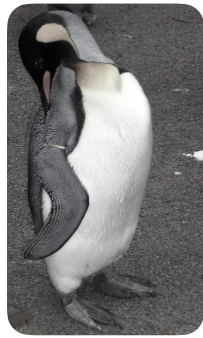
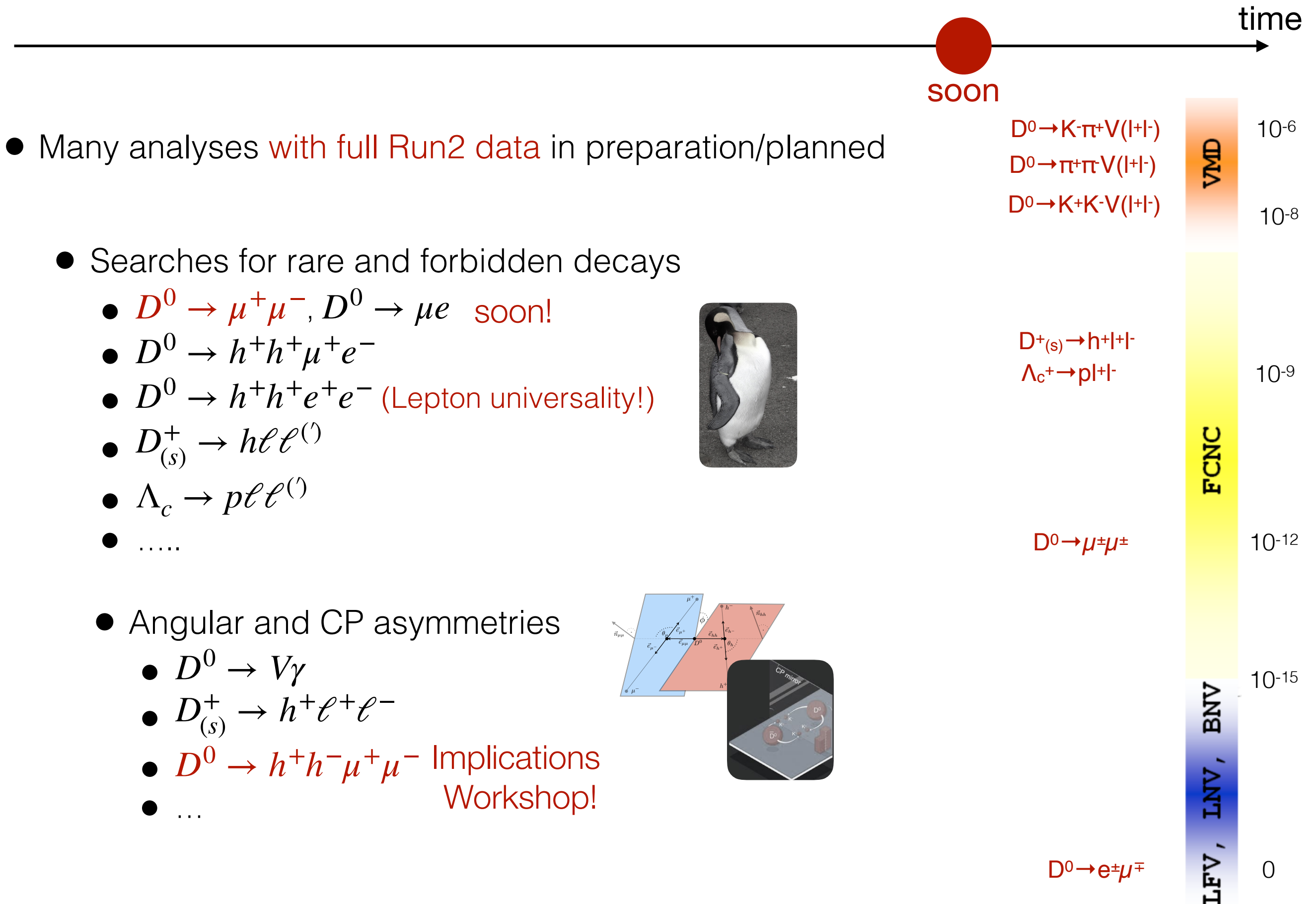
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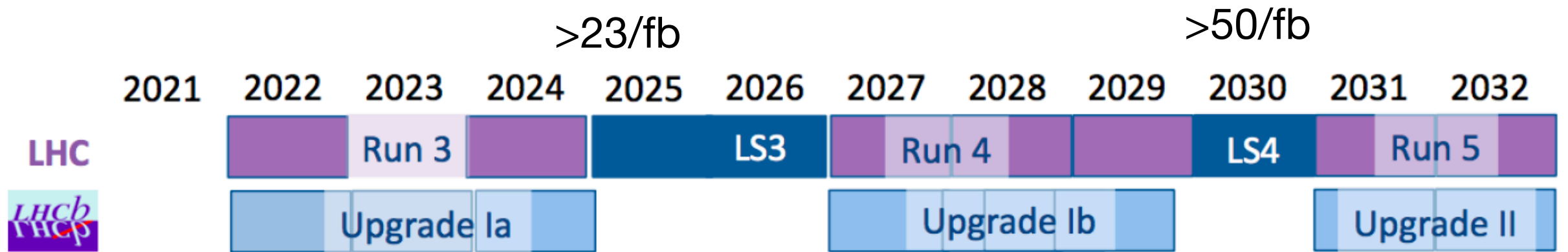
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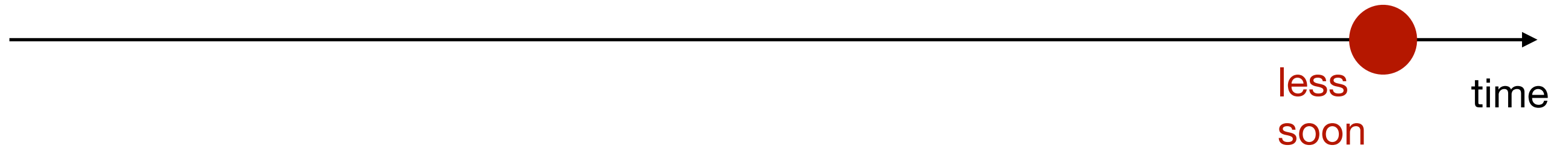
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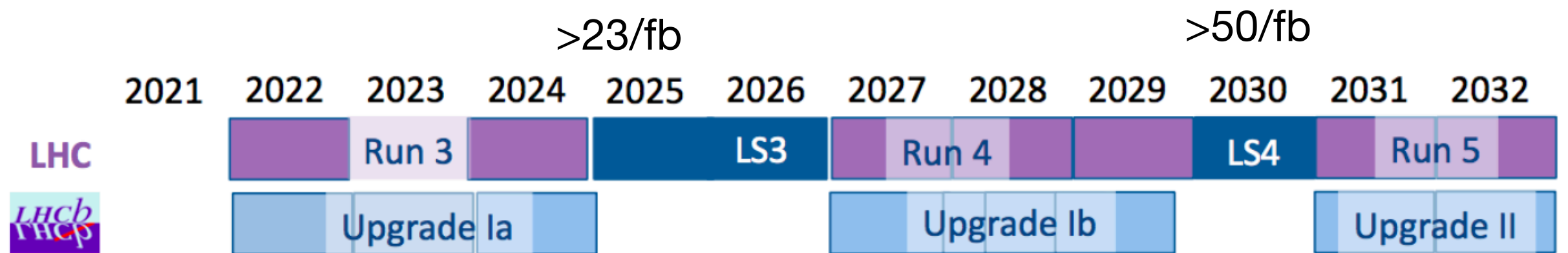
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- Upgrade trigger design is **NOW**, so if there are ideas/priorities speak up!
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 - $D^0 \rightarrow h^+h^+\mu^-\mu^-$ with displaced ($h^+\mu^-$) vertices?
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- Great theoretical and experimental improvements over the last years
 - Still rather unexplored and promising
 - We are looking forward to pioneering the field together with Dortmund theory group
- “Charm is the new beauty... but beauty never goes out of style”

[G. Hiller@ LHCb implication workshop 2020]

**Stay tuned & wait
for Implications
Workshop**



Thank you

Search for forbidden and rare **leptonic** decays

“Search for the lepton-flavour violating decay $D^0 \rightarrow e\mu$ ”

PLB 754 (2016) 167

“Search for the rare decay $D^0 \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$ ” PLB 725 (2013) 15-24

$D^0 \rightarrow e^\pm\mu^\mp$

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LFV, LNV, BNV

FCNC

VMD

Radiative

0

10^{-15}

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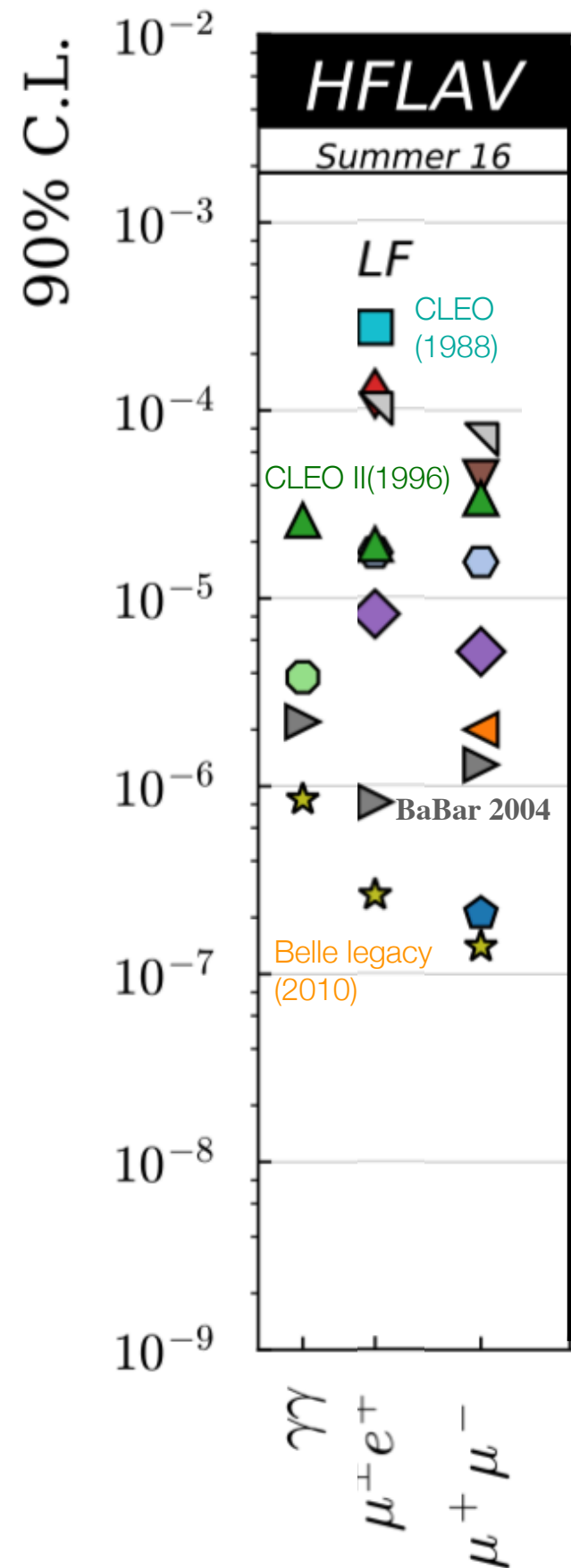
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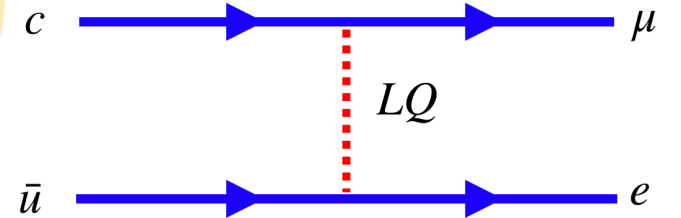
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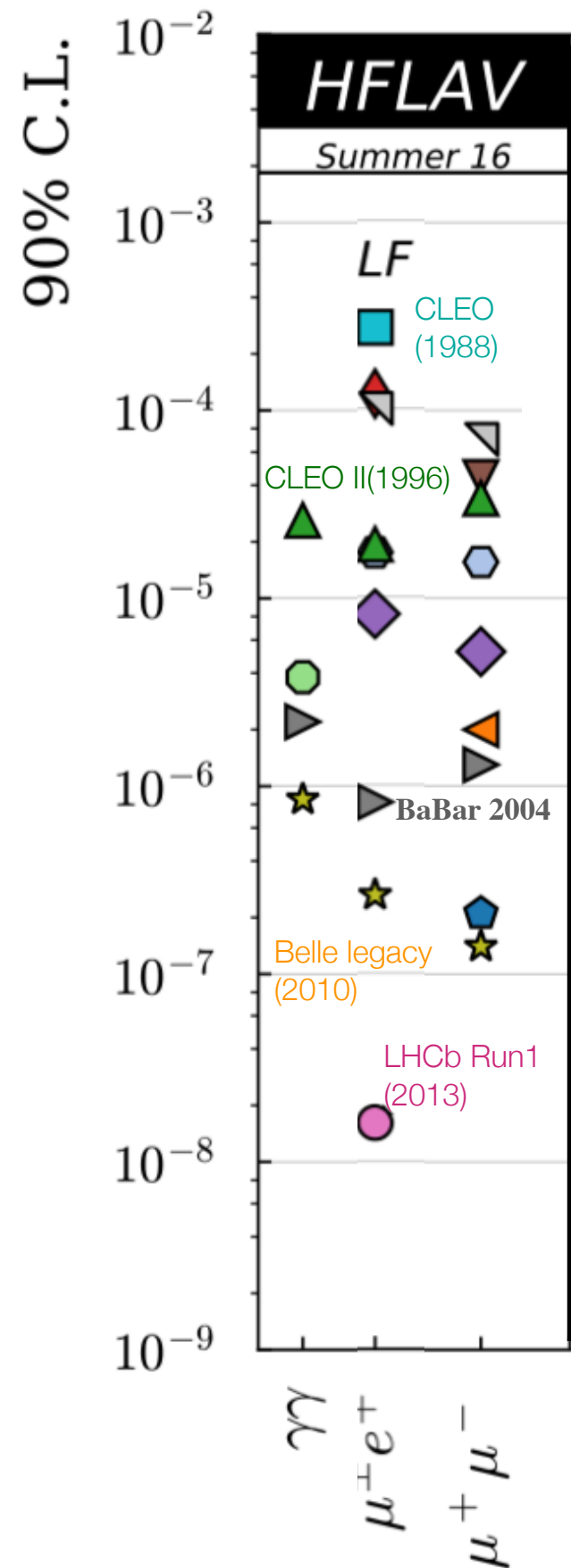
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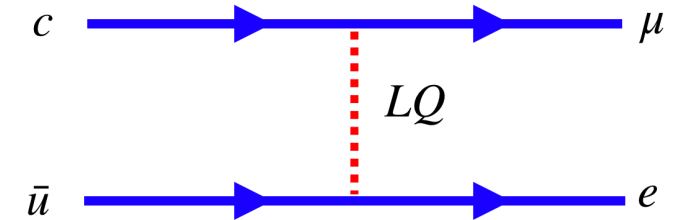


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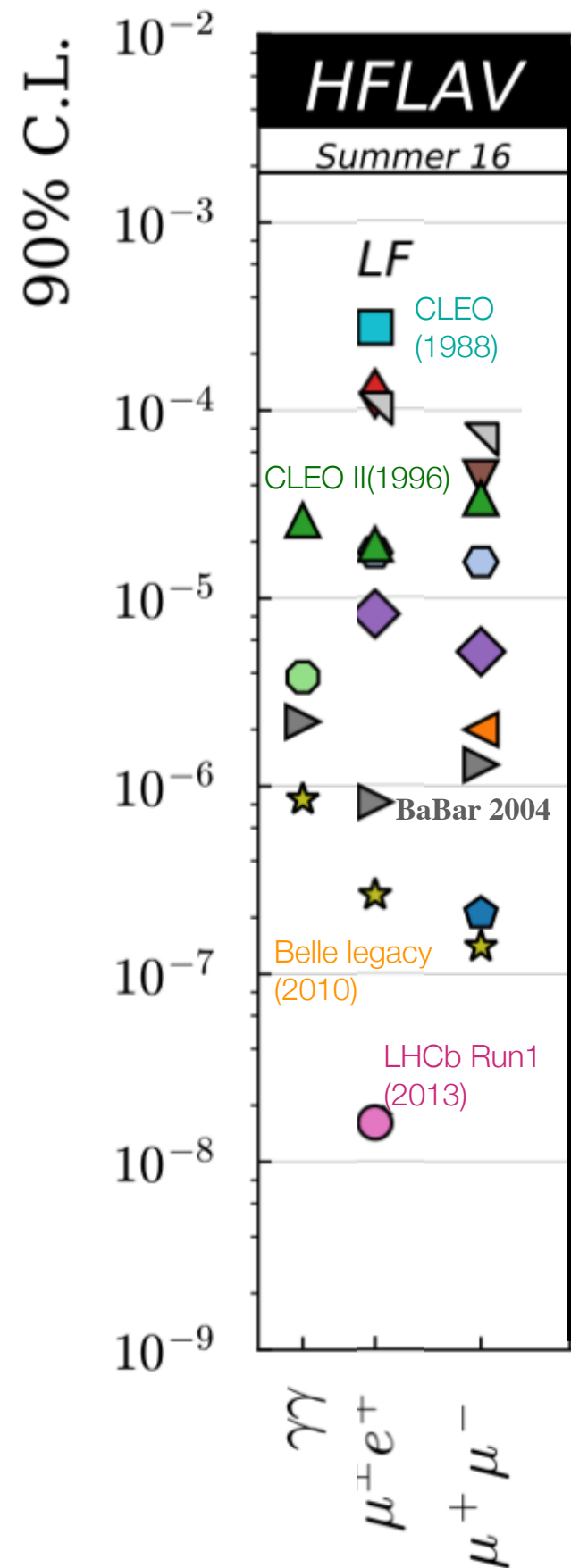


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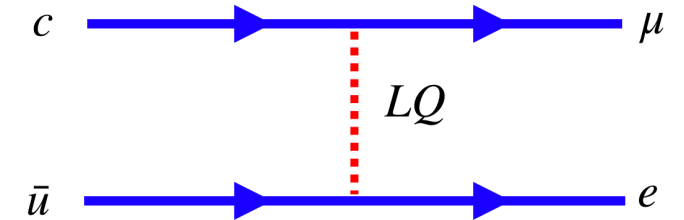
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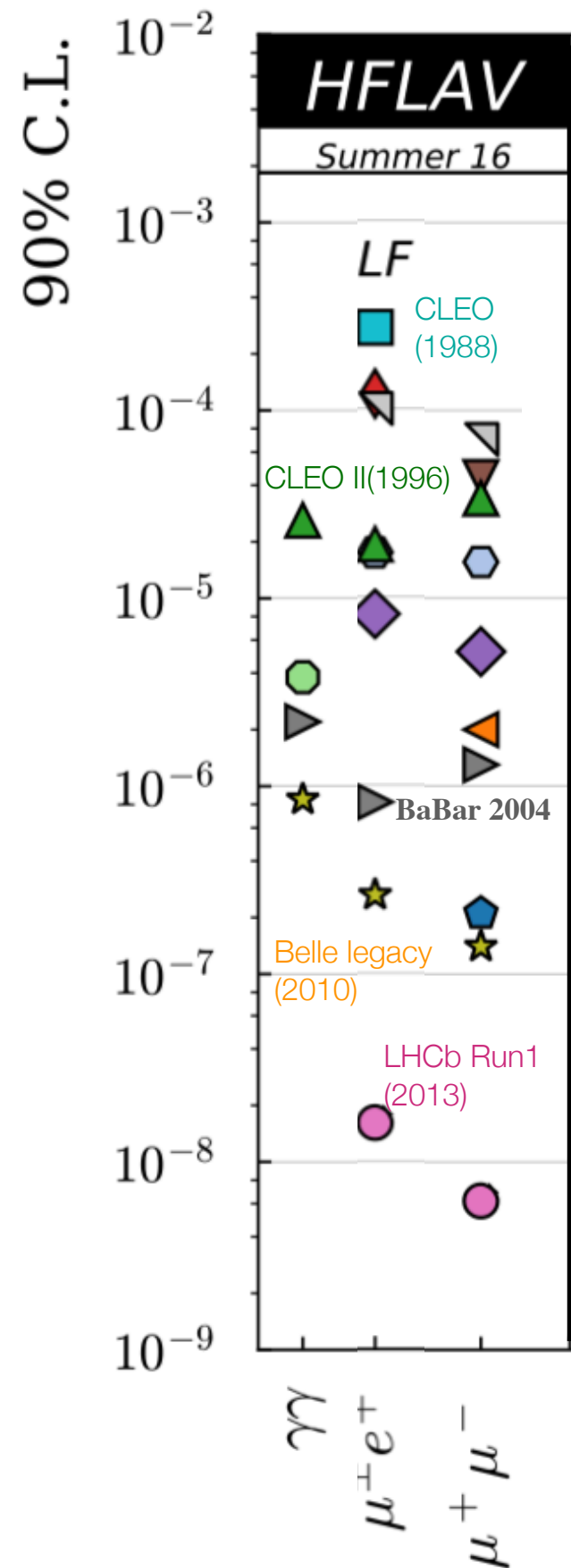
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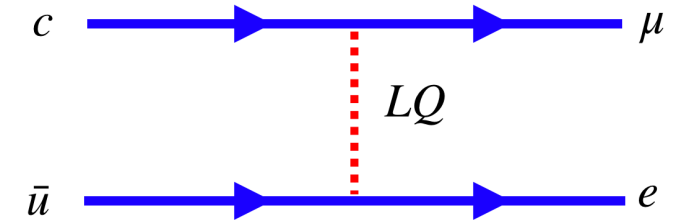
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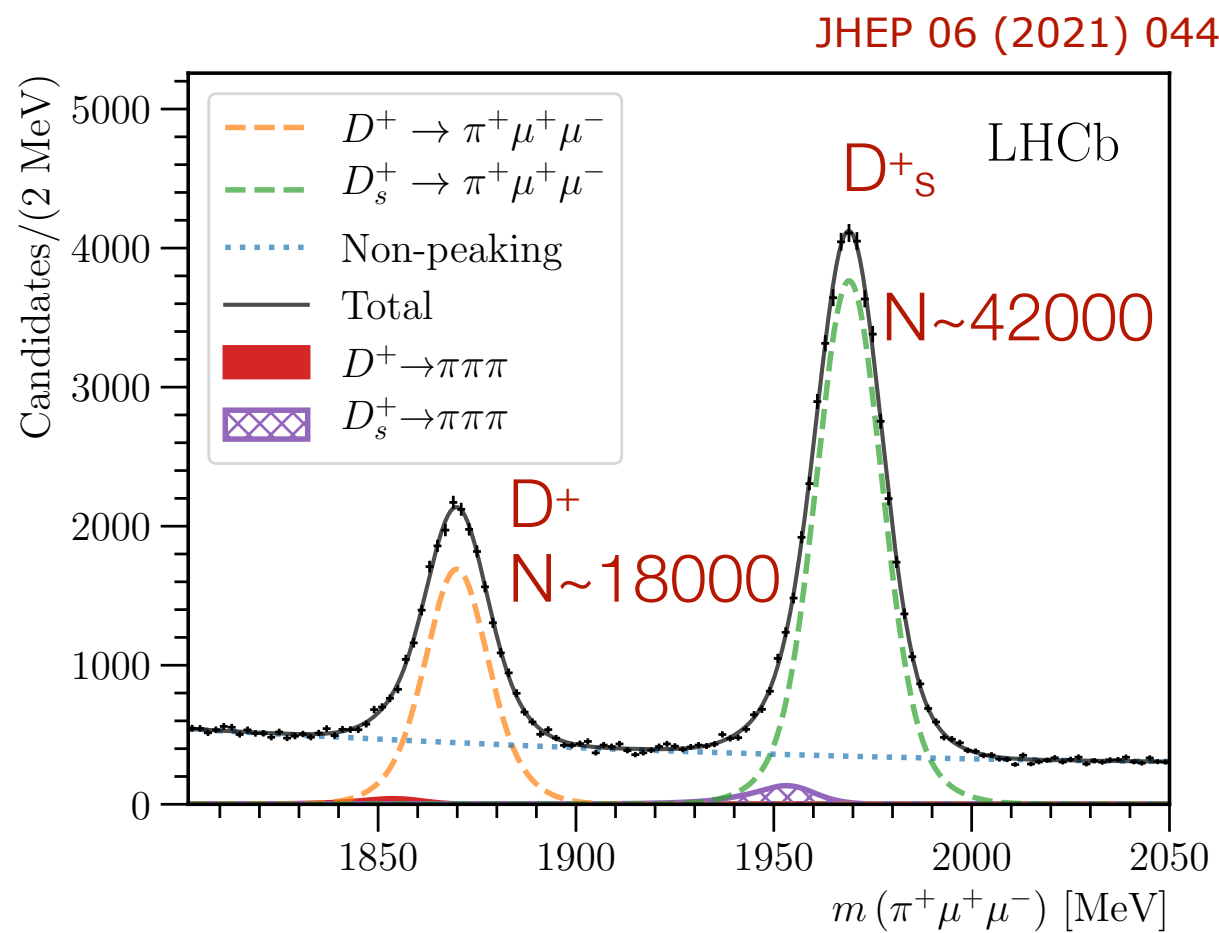
$$\mathcal{B}(D^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-) < 6.2 \times 10^{-9} \text{ at 90\% CL}$$

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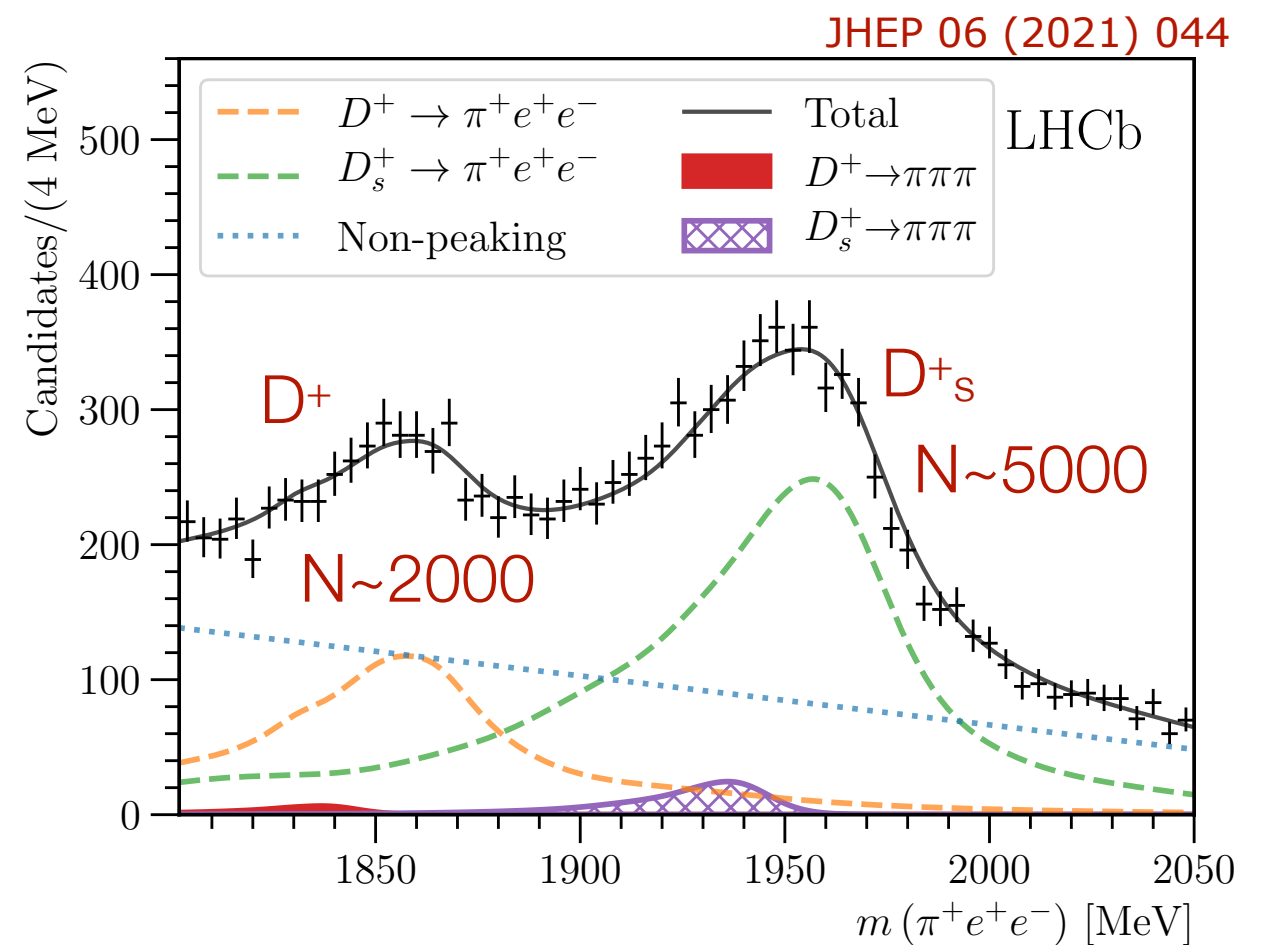
update in the pipeline with full LHCb data set

Search for the rare decays $D \rightarrow h|\pm|(\prime)\mp$

- analysis uses 1.6/fb data collected 2016
- normalisation modes $D_{(s)}^+ \rightarrow \pi\phi[\ell^+\ell^-]$

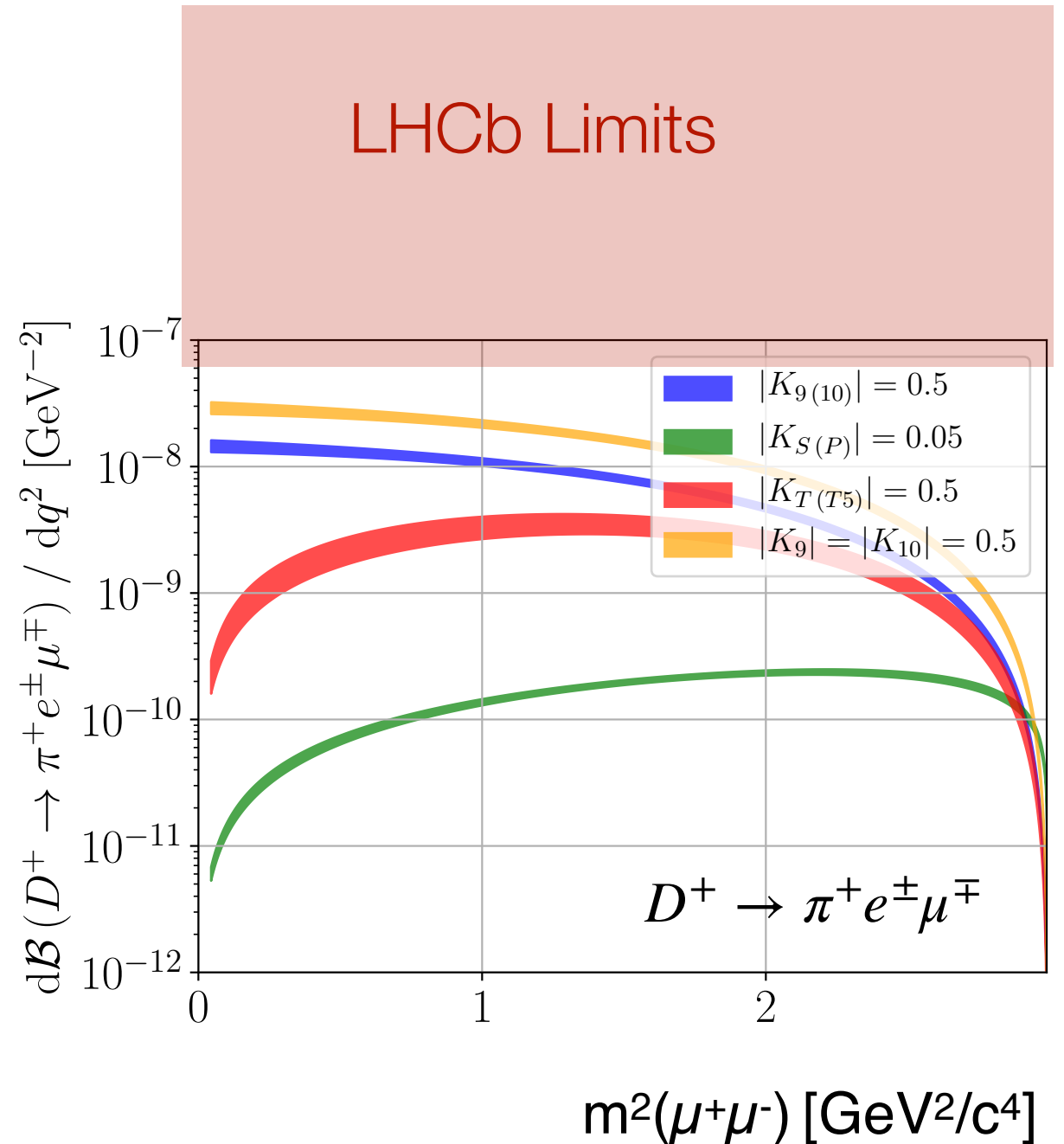
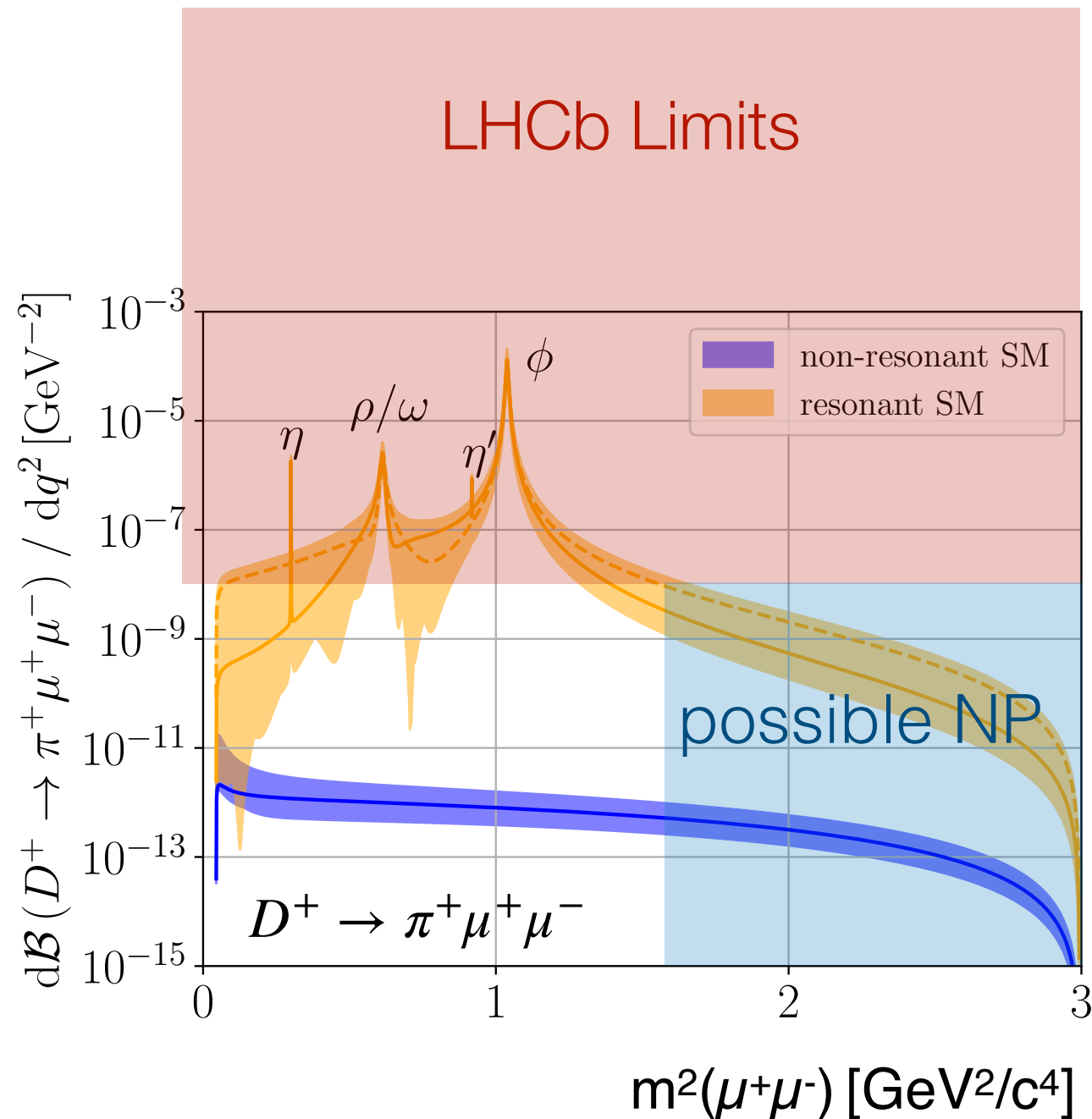


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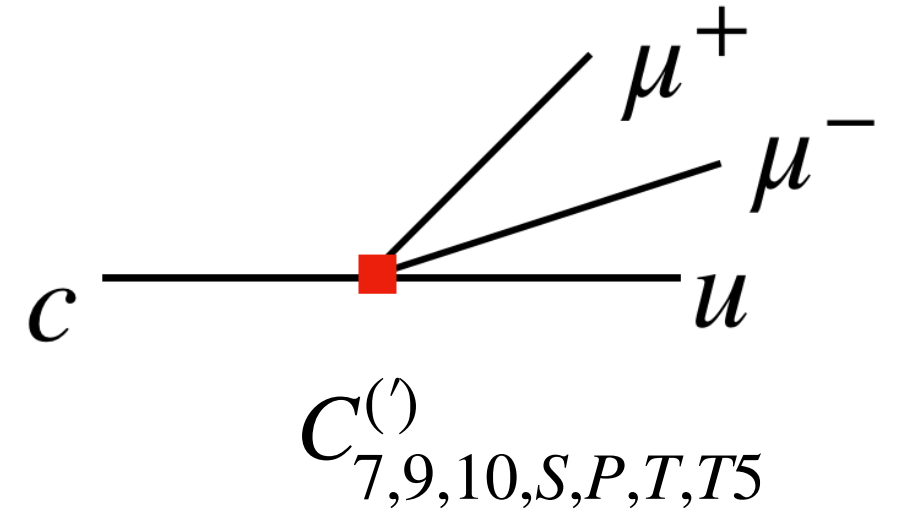


- We are coming close to possible NP contributions...
- ... but also close to the resonance tails

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$$C_i \rightarrow C'_i \quad \text{negligible in SM}$$

- LFV possible

$$C_i \rightarrow K_i^{\ell\ell'} \quad \text{absent in SM}$$

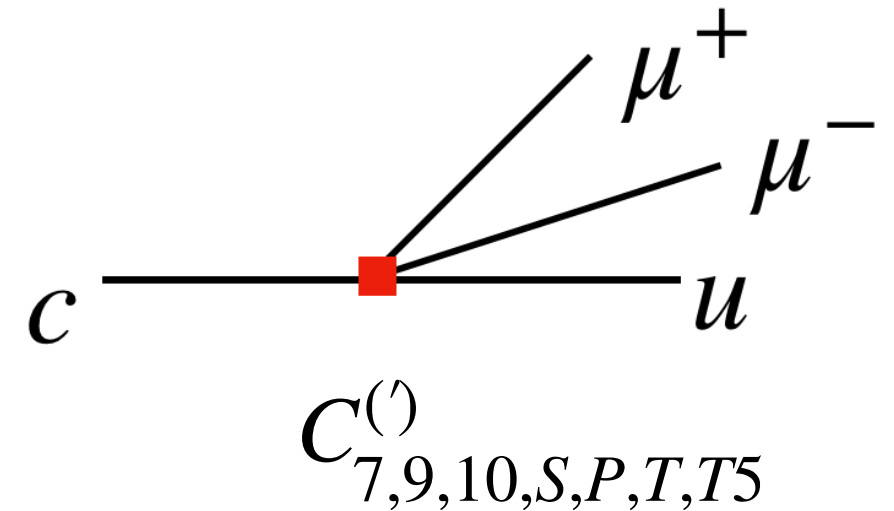
- We need many decays to constrain all couplings!

$$\mathcal{B}(D \rightarrow \ell\ell) \sim C_P, C_S$$

$$\mathcal{B}(D \rightarrow h\ell\ell) \sim C_i + C'_i$$

$$\mathcal{B}(D \rightarrow hhe\mu') \sim K_i^{e\mu} - K_i'^{e\mu}$$

we work on this!



example:

$$|C_{9,10}^{\mu\mu(l)}| \lesssim 1, \quad |C_{9,10}^{ee(l)}| \lesssim 3,$$

comparable to B physics at least 10 years ago

Future sensitivities

Mode	Upgrade (50 fb ⁻¹)	Upgrade II (300 fb ⁻¹)
$D^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$	4.2×10^{-10}	1.3×10^{-10}
$D^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \mu^+ \mu^-$	10^{-8}	3×10^{-9}
$D_s^+ \rightarrow K^+ \mu^+ \mu^-$	10^{-8}	3×10^{-9}
$\Lambda \rightarrow p \mu \mu$	1.1×10^{-8}	4.4×10^{-9}
$D^0 \rightarrow e \mu$	10^{-9}	4.1×10^{-9}

Mode	Upgrade (50 fb ⁻¹)	Upgrade II (300 fb ⁻¹)
$D^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \mu^+ \mu^-$	0.2%	0.08%
$D^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \mu^+ \mu^-$	1%	0.4%
$D^0 \rightarrow K^- \pi^+ \mu^+ \mu^-$	0.3%	0.13%
$D^0 \rightarrow K^+ \pi^- \mu^+ \mu^-$	12%	5%
$D^0 \rightarrow K^+ K^- \mu^+ \mu^-$	4%	1.7%