

# GOE-DESY PARTICLE-COSMOLOGY GROUP

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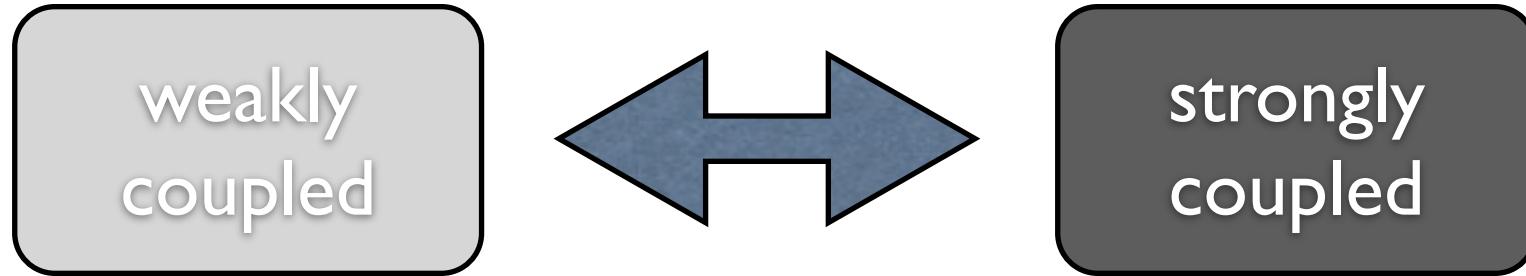
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... to most  
German  
cities !

# Why Cosmology at DESY ?



Cosmology

(Collider-based)  
Particle Physics

Exploit the complementarity between the fields to explore all the BSM sectors: the more weakly coupled to the SM and the more strongly coupled...

Best results: information from both sides,  
e.g. neutrinos, axions, etc... ? WIMPs/SuperWIMPs ?

# Many mechanisms, no model

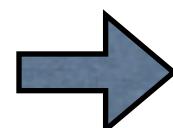
- DE: cosmological constant, quintessence, ???
- DM: neutrinos, WIMP, superWIMP ???
- BA: EW baryogenesis, leptogenesis ???
- Inflation: single scalar field, hybrid, ???
- T: reheating, preheating, ???

All hints of physics beyond the Standard Model...,  
but no clear signature for a specific one yet !

# Our strategy:

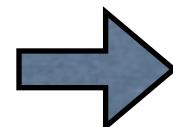
- Look for connections between problems & signals and for a consistent and coherent picture, e.g. **SUPERGRAVITY...**

- Exploit information from all sides: cosmology, astroparticle, colliders, low energy data, etc...



**Collider Physics, SFB B,C**

- Exploit the theoretical developments and engage in model building top-down & bottom-up



**String Theory, SFB A**

**Very wide interests building bridges between fields  
and thriving at the interface !**

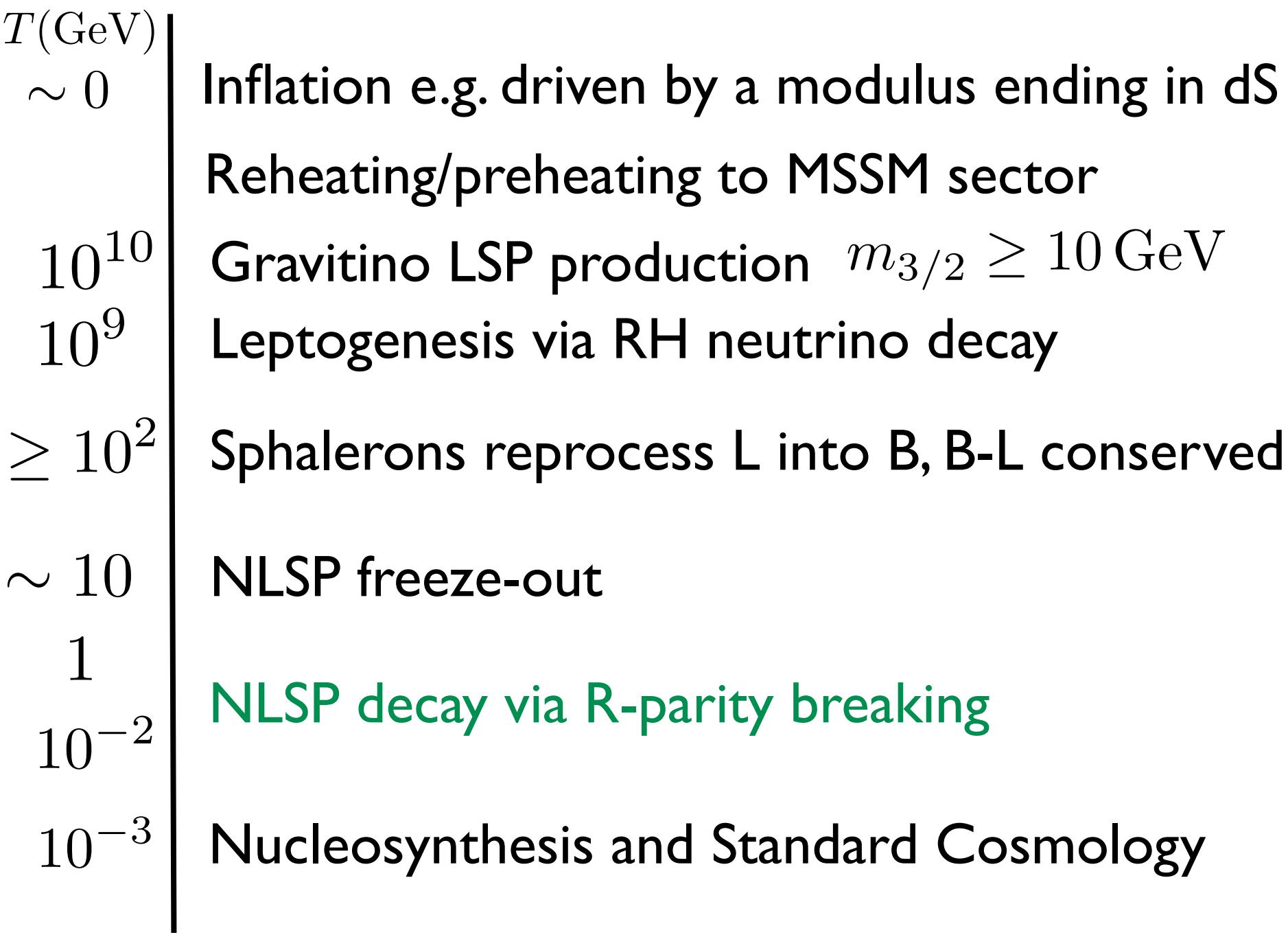
# Our goal:

- A better understanding of the history of our Universe and the mechanisms at work there
- Ultimately, a **new Standard Model** including and extending the present Standard Models of Particle Physics and Cosmology

# Activities in the last years...

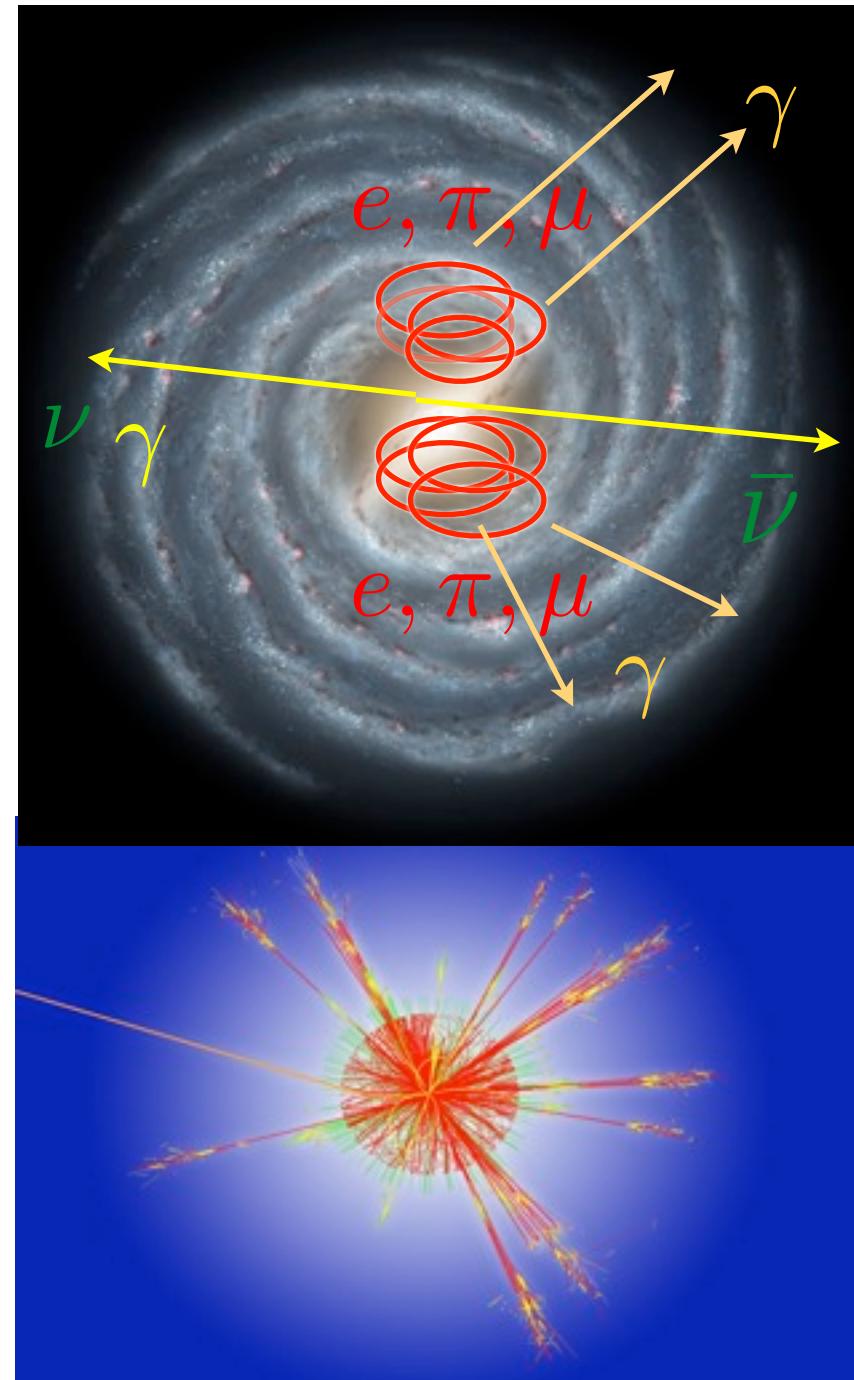
- **Gravitino Dark Matter/Decaying DM:** consistent cosmological scenario for leptogenesis/DM
- **Hidden sector physics:** Weakly interacting sub-eV and axion-like particles from Strings
- **Thermal field theory:** full quantum mechanical description of non-equilibrium phenomena like leptogenesis
- **Indirect WIMP DM detection and CR:** Charged particles propagation codes, detection strategies
- **Moduli stabilization/Inflation in no-scale SUGRA:** consequences for the models & SUSY breaking

# A “consistent” history of time



# Gravitino DM connection

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→ FERMI, PAMELA, ICECUBE

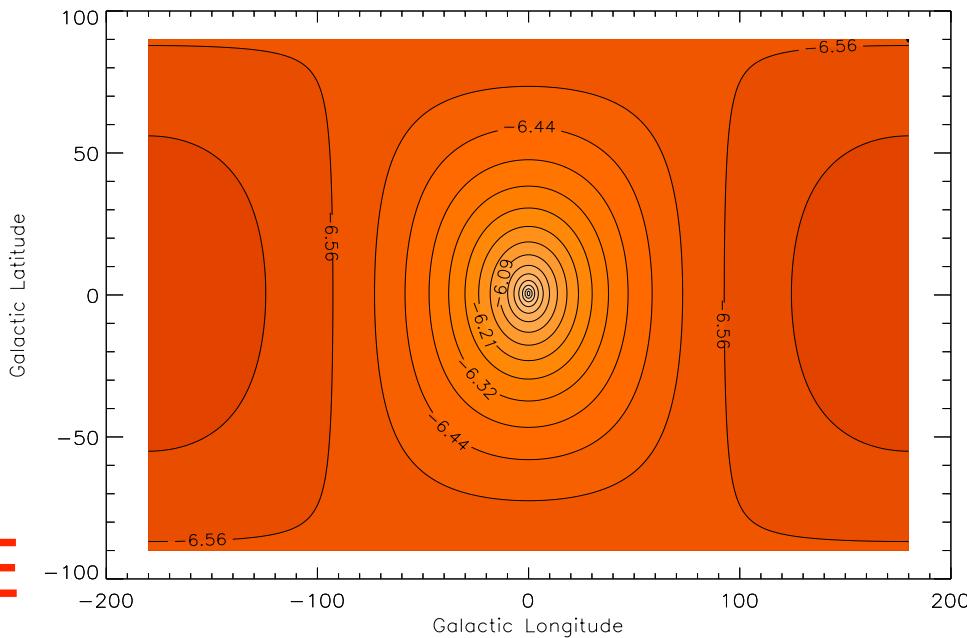


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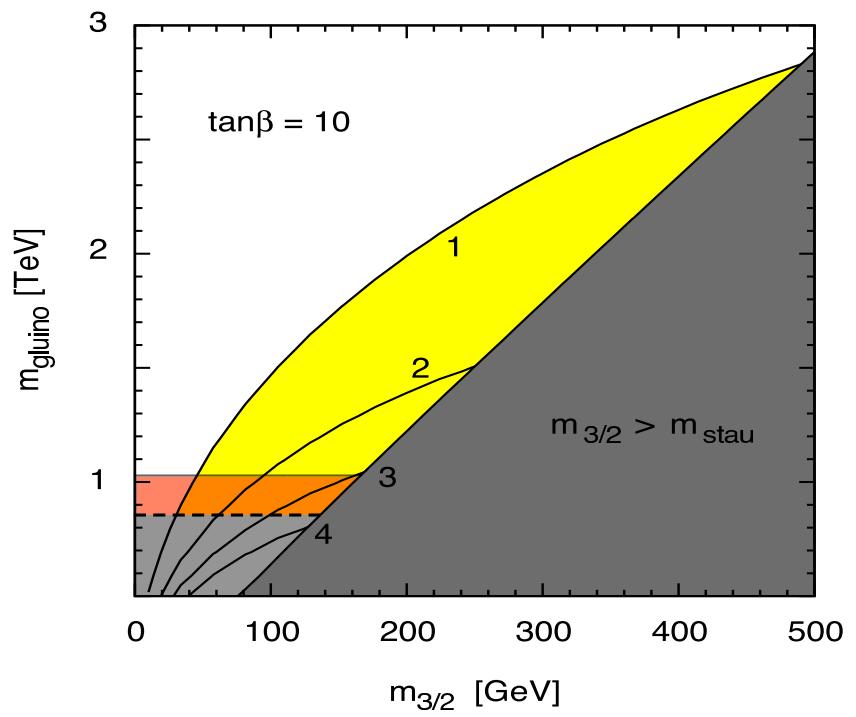
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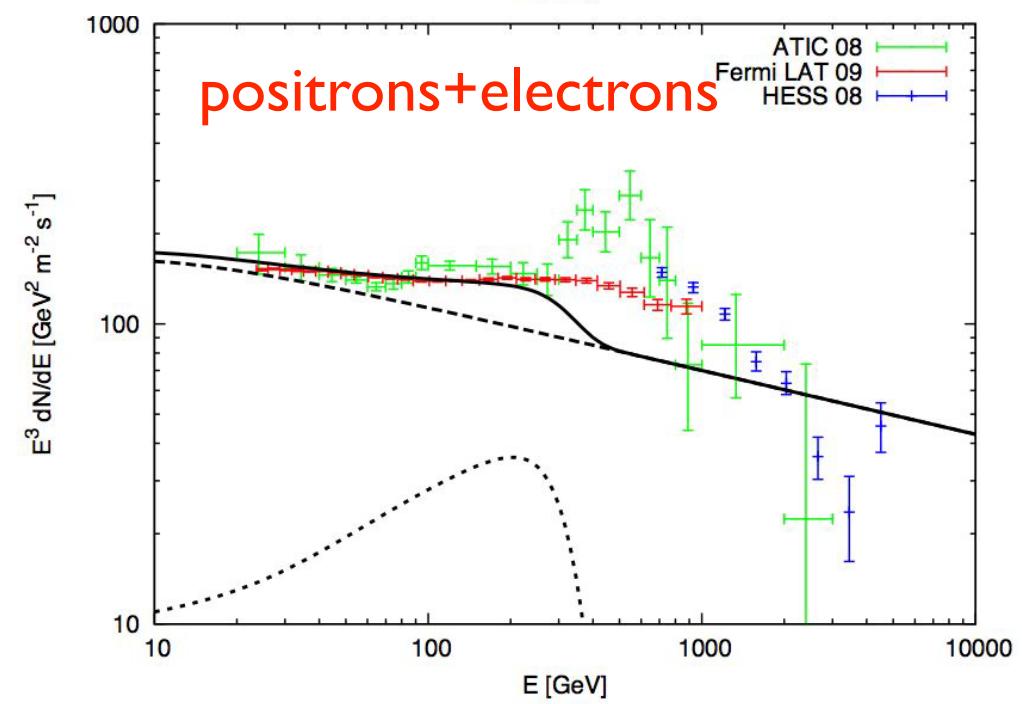
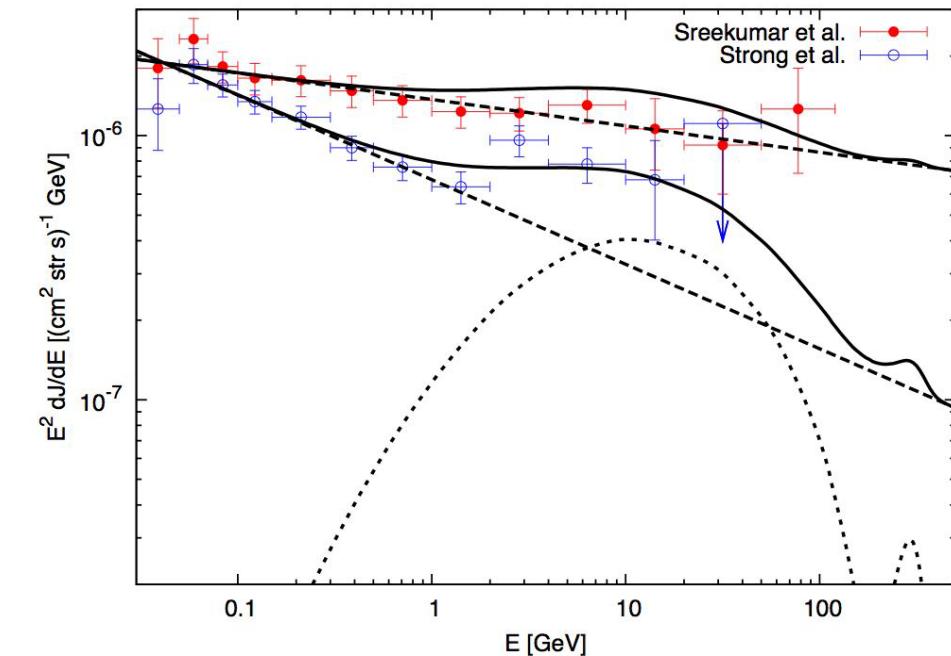
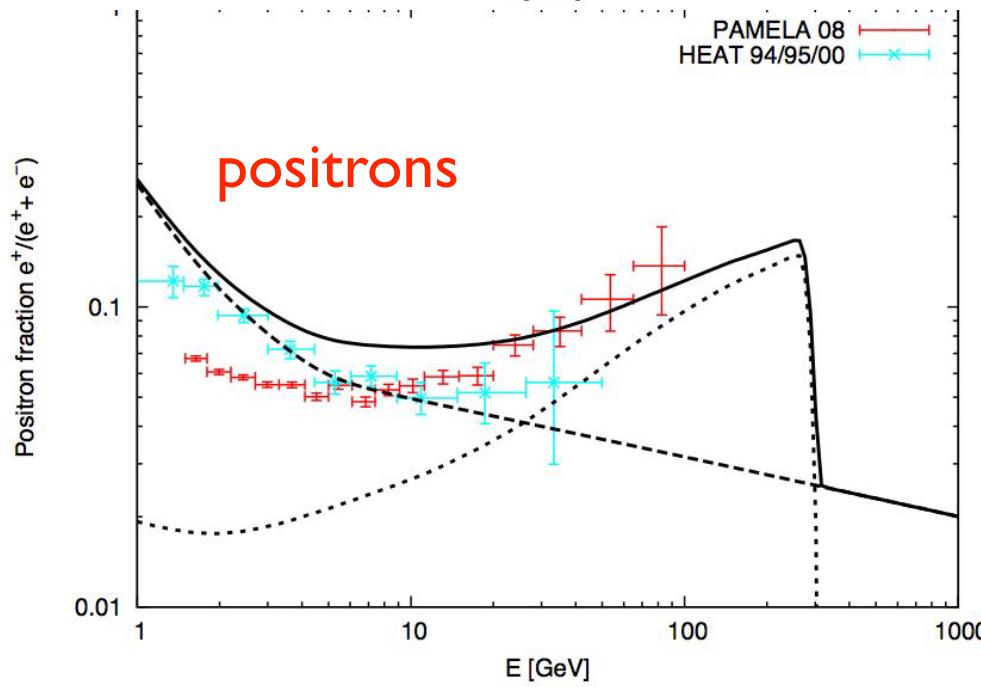
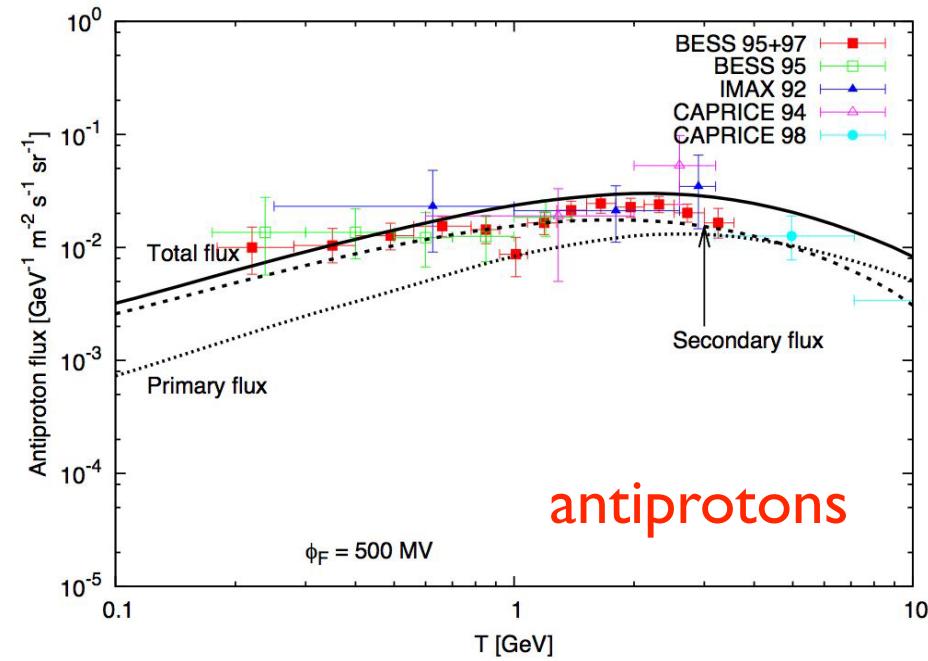


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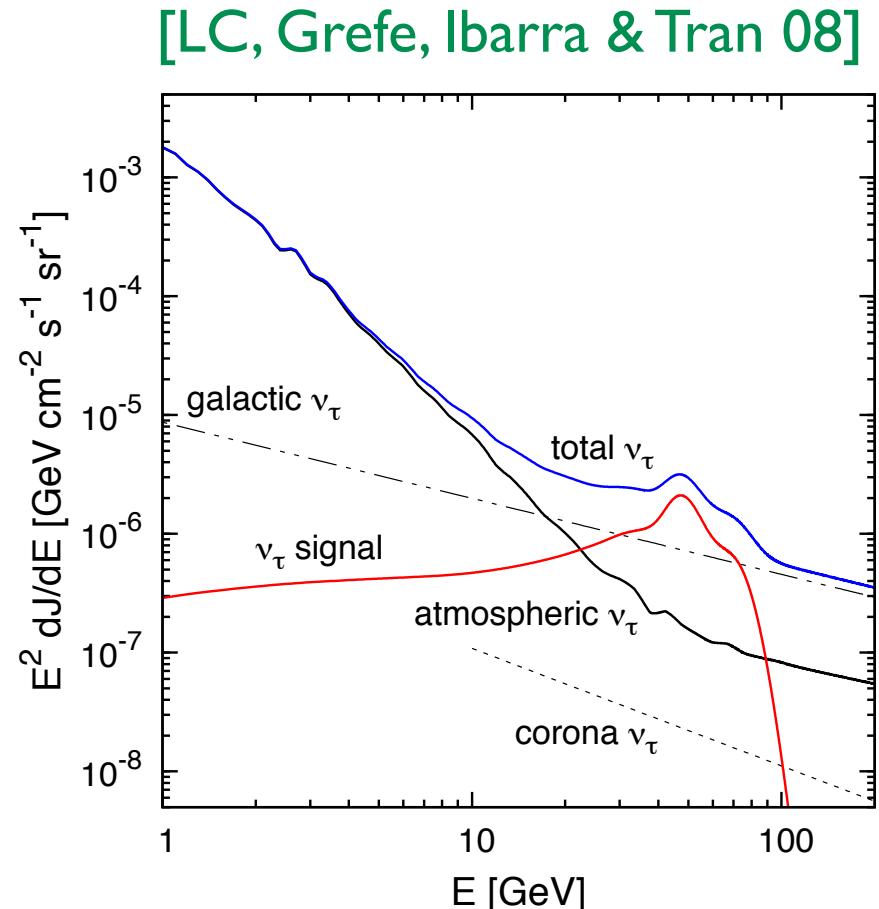
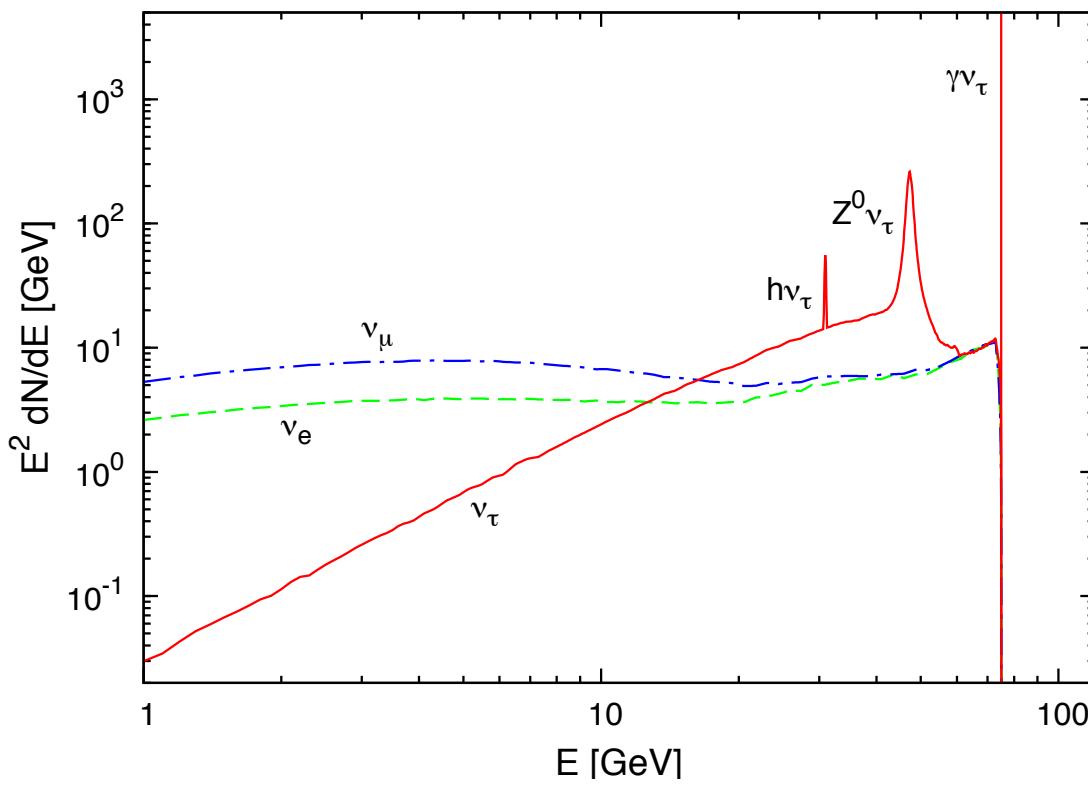
# Gravitino DM without R\_p

[Buchmuller, Ibarra, Shindou, Takayama, Tran 09]



# Gravitino DM: neutrino signal...

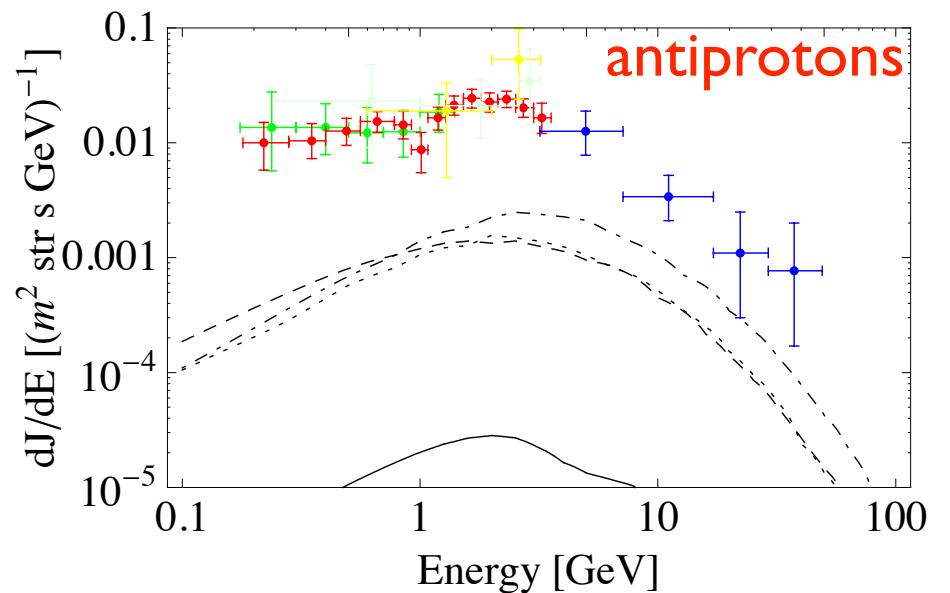
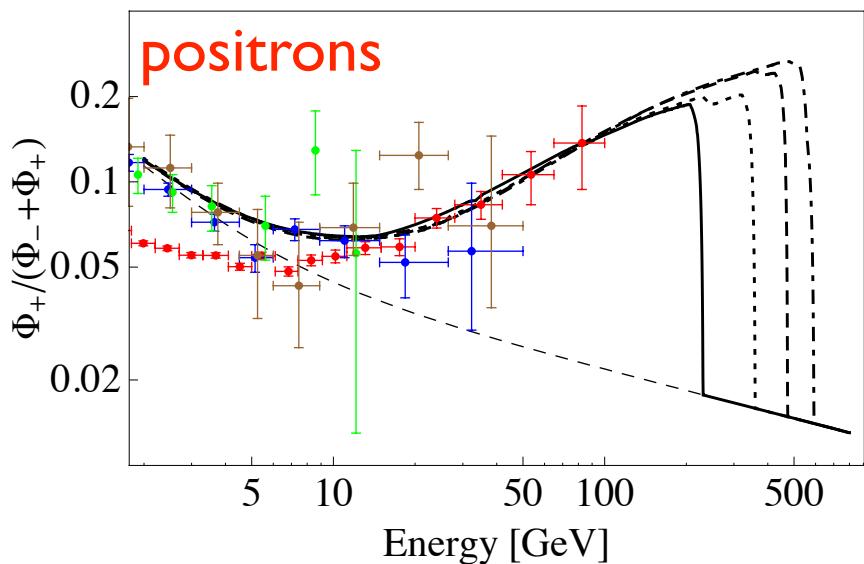
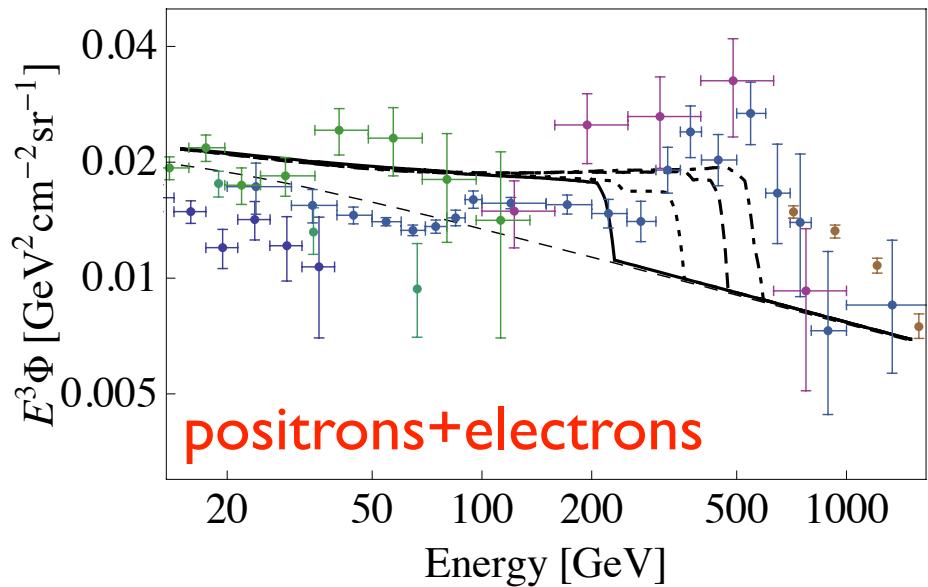
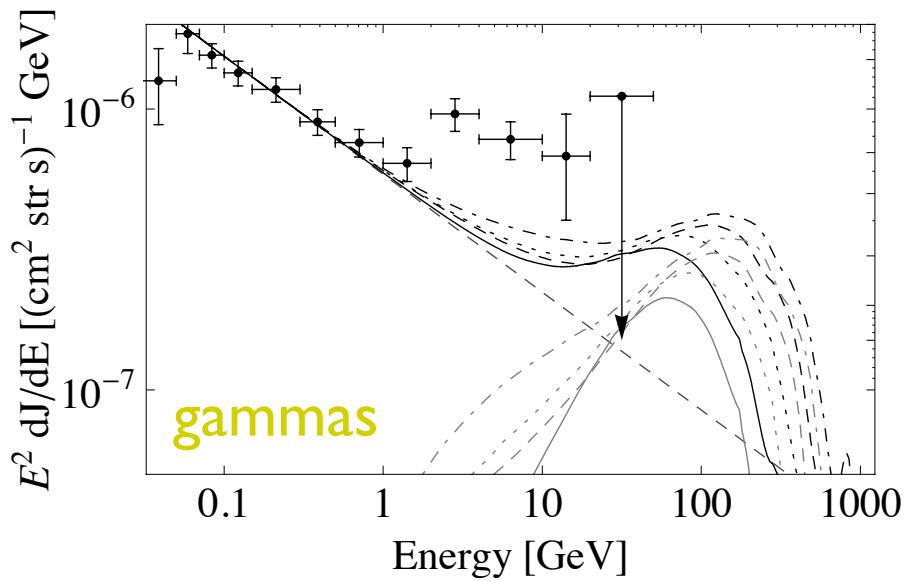
For light gravitino, wonderful signal with 3 peaks..., but neutrino detector's resolution not sufficient to see them



Best signal to background ratio for a tau neutrino looking up... Possible to detect in IceCube ?

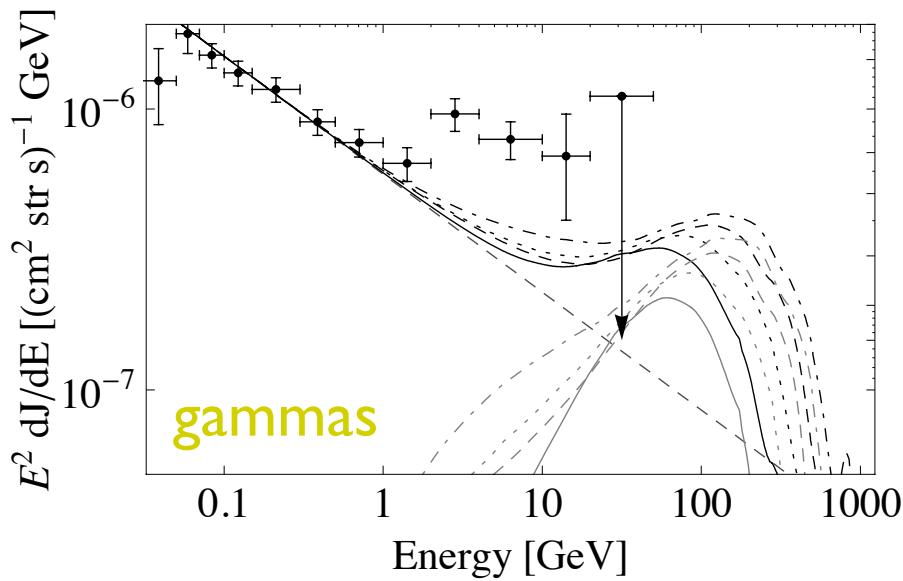
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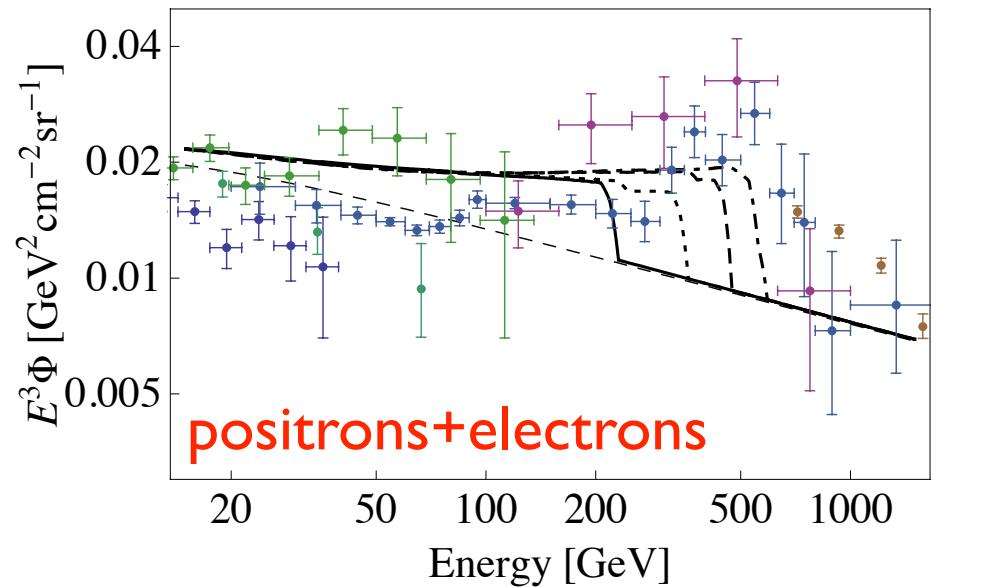


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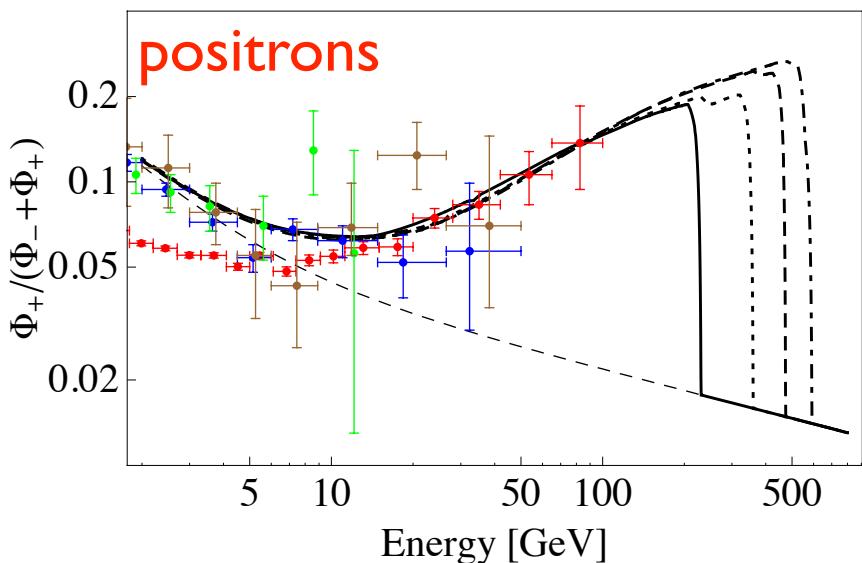
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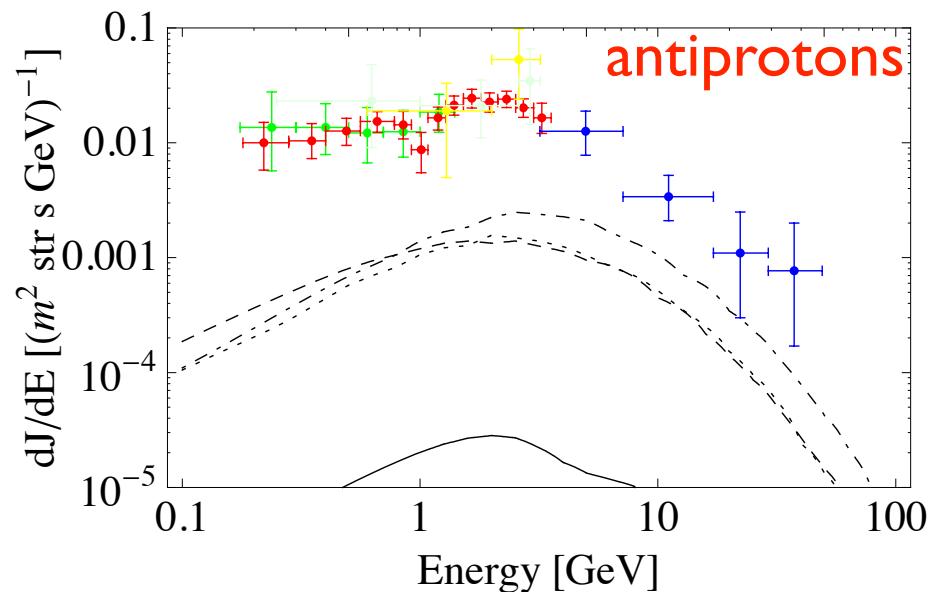
gammas



positrons+electrons



positrons



antiprotons

CONSISTENT WITH PAMELA and FERMI ...

# Outlook

We are very happy to be part of the new  
ITN “Invisibles” and we look forward to  
a fruitful and successful collaboration !

Let us turn the



to  !