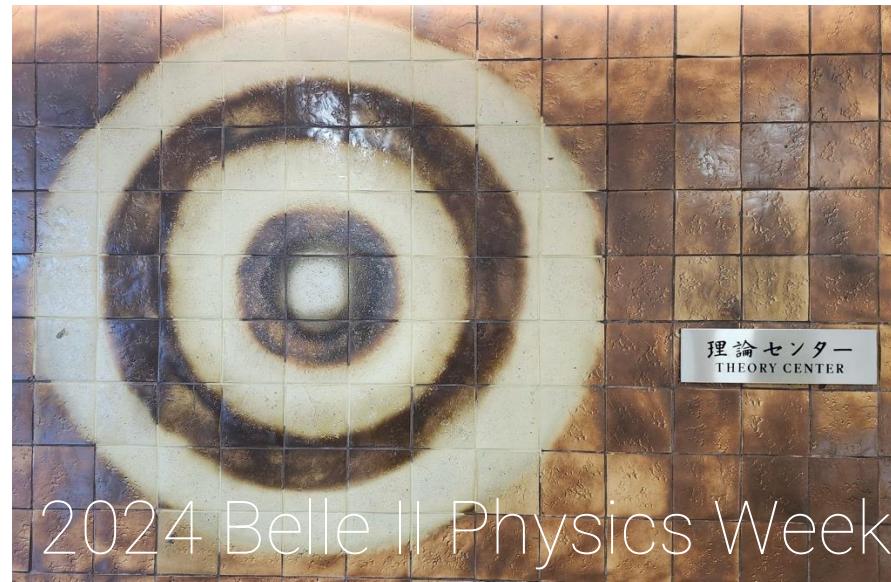


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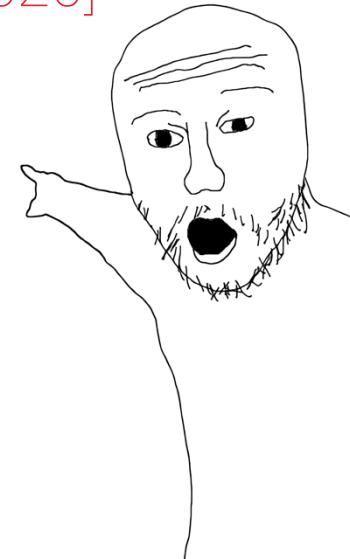
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Complementary model to Stefania's
message = SIMPs are cool for Belle II !!!

Strongly Interacting Massive Particles (SIMPs)

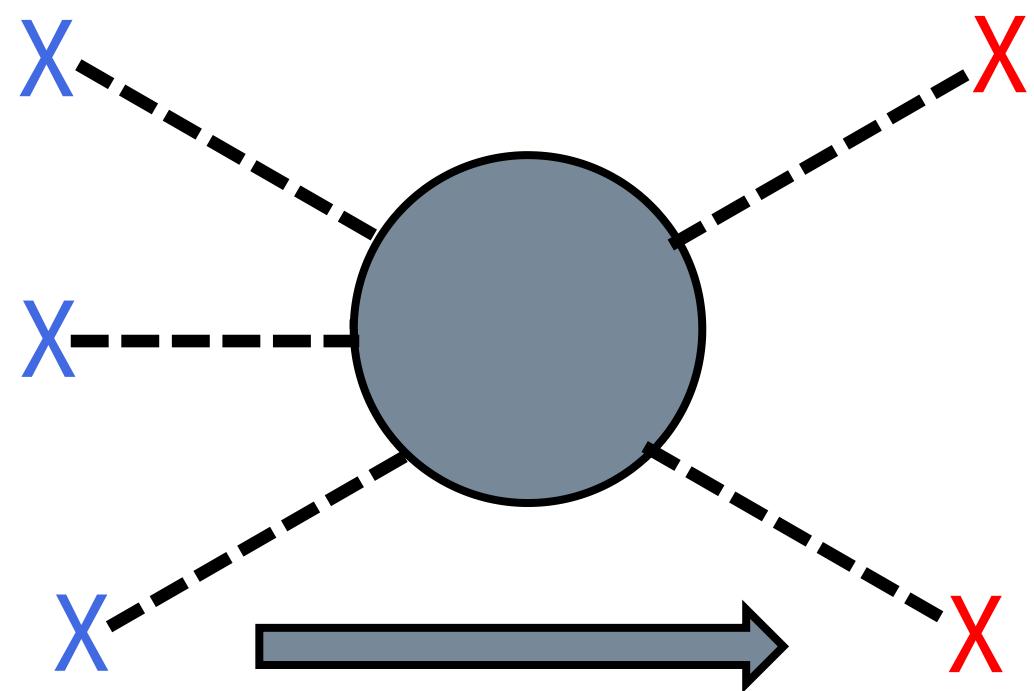
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Relic density set by $3 \rightarrow 2$

Equilibrium with SM

Strong self interactions

MeV to GeV masses



The SIMPlest Miracle

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$\text{Sp}(\mathbf{N}_C)$ gauge theory

2 \mathbf{N}_f Weyl fermions

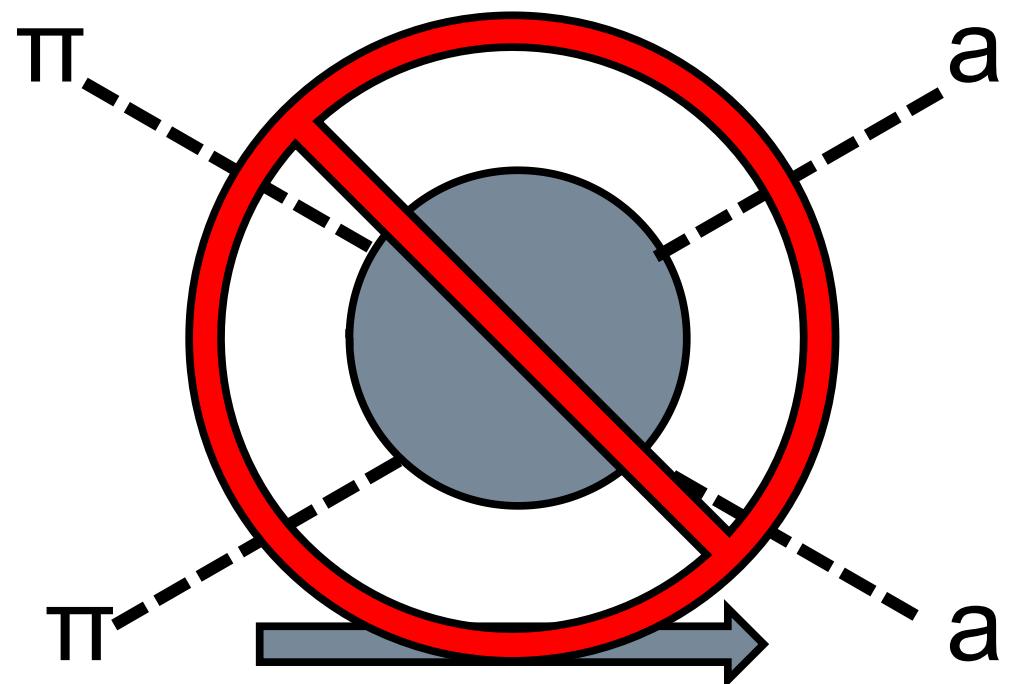
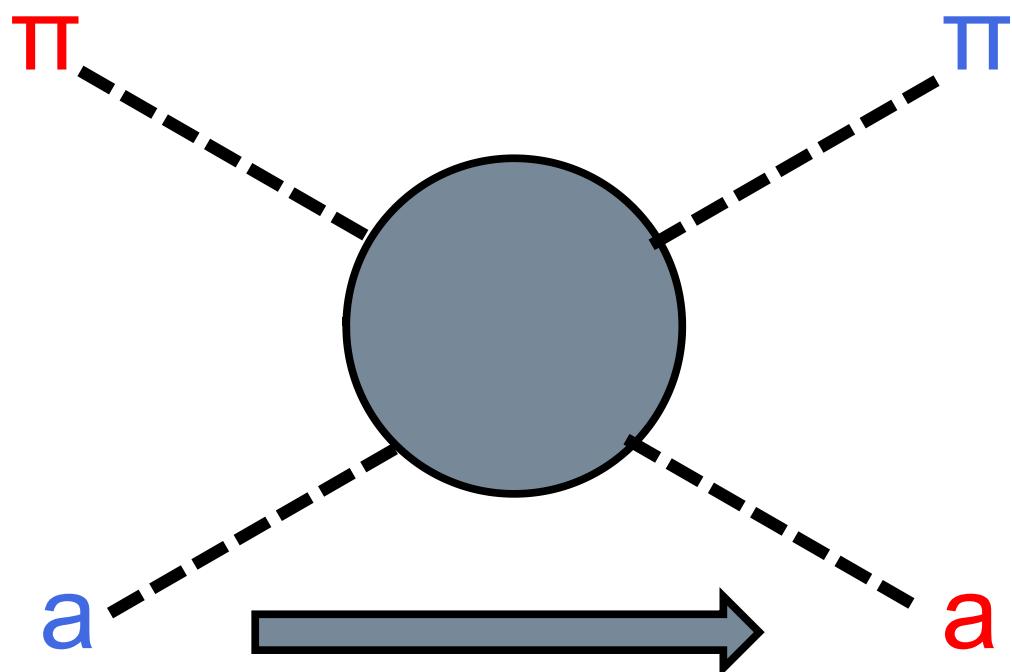
Chiral symmetry breaking

Wess-Zumino-Witten (WZW)

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{WZW}} = \frac{8N_c}{15\pi^2 f_\pi^5} \epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} \epsilon_{abcde} \pi^a \partial_\mu \pi^b \partial_\nu \pi^c \partial_\rho \pi^d \partial_\sigma \pi^e$$

SIMP-Axion Coupling

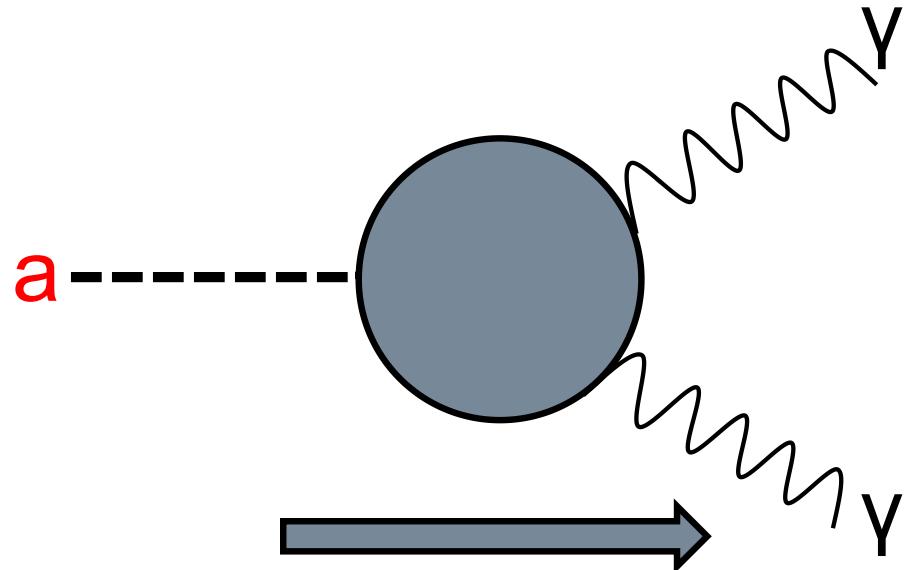
$$\mathcal{L}_{aq} = -\frac{1}{2}m_Q e^{ia/f_{a\pi}} J^{ij} q_i q_j + \text{h.c.} \xrightarrow{\text{Chiral SB}} \mathcal{L}_{aq} = \frac{m_\pi^2}{4f_{a\pi}^2} a^2 \pi^2 + \dots$$



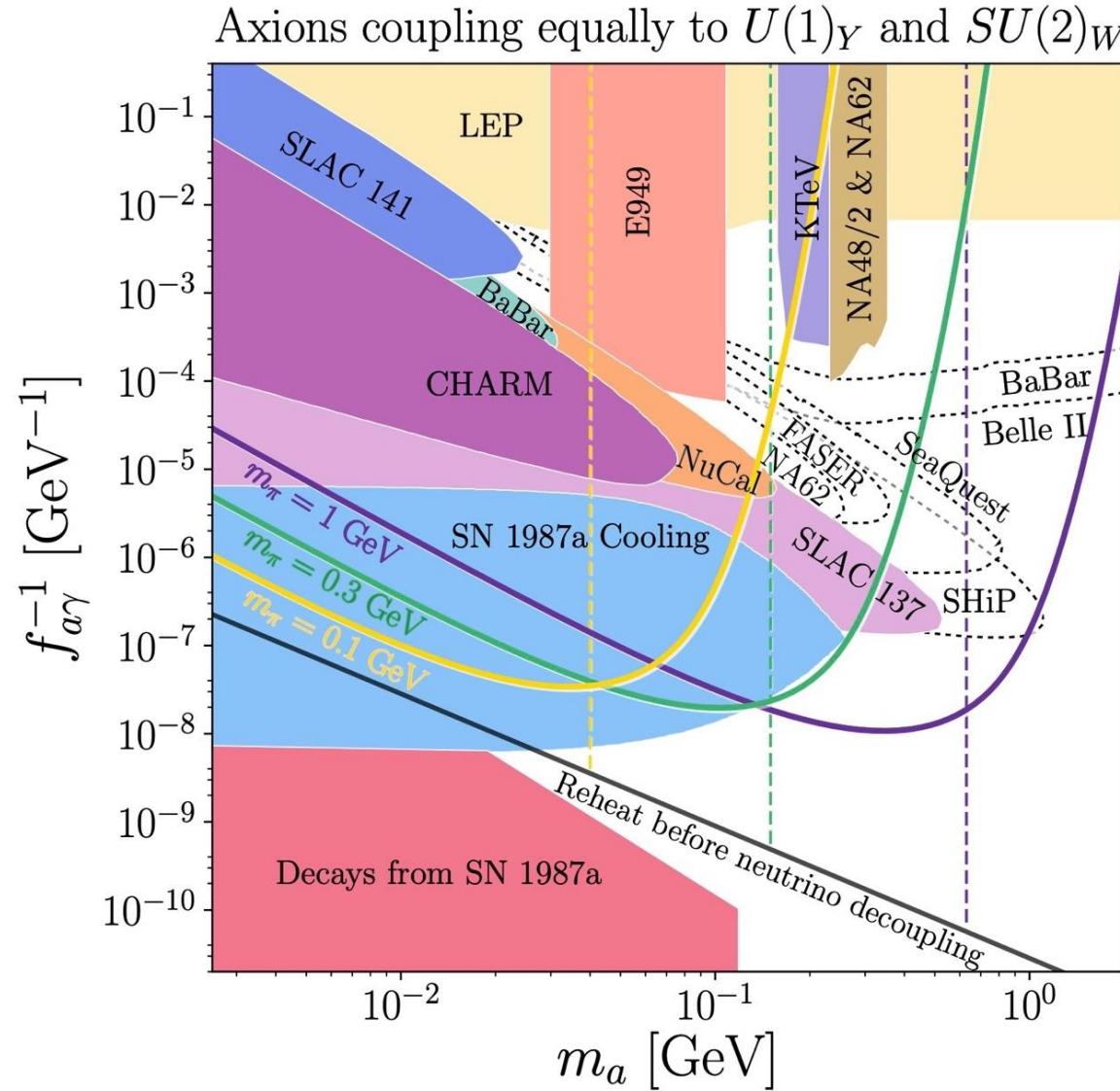
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Axion-Photon Coupling

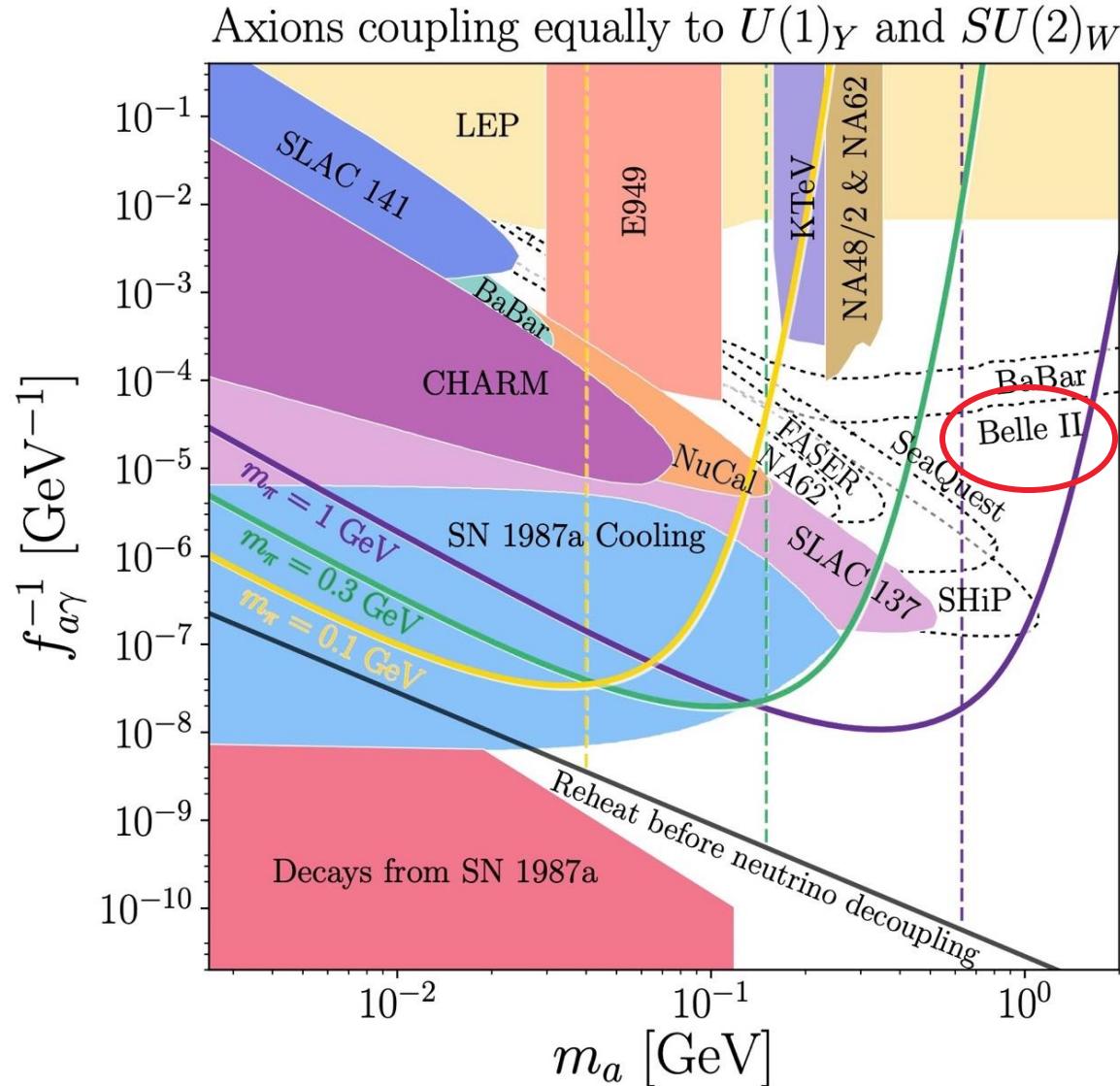
$$\mathcal{L}_{a\gamma} = \frac{1}{4f_{a\gamma}} a F^{\mu\nu} \tilde{F}_{\mu\nu}$$



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Belle II will hopefully probe the majority of the viable parameter space!

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Q', u'_R, d'_R

$L', e'_R, N'_R \leftarrow Y_e$ large

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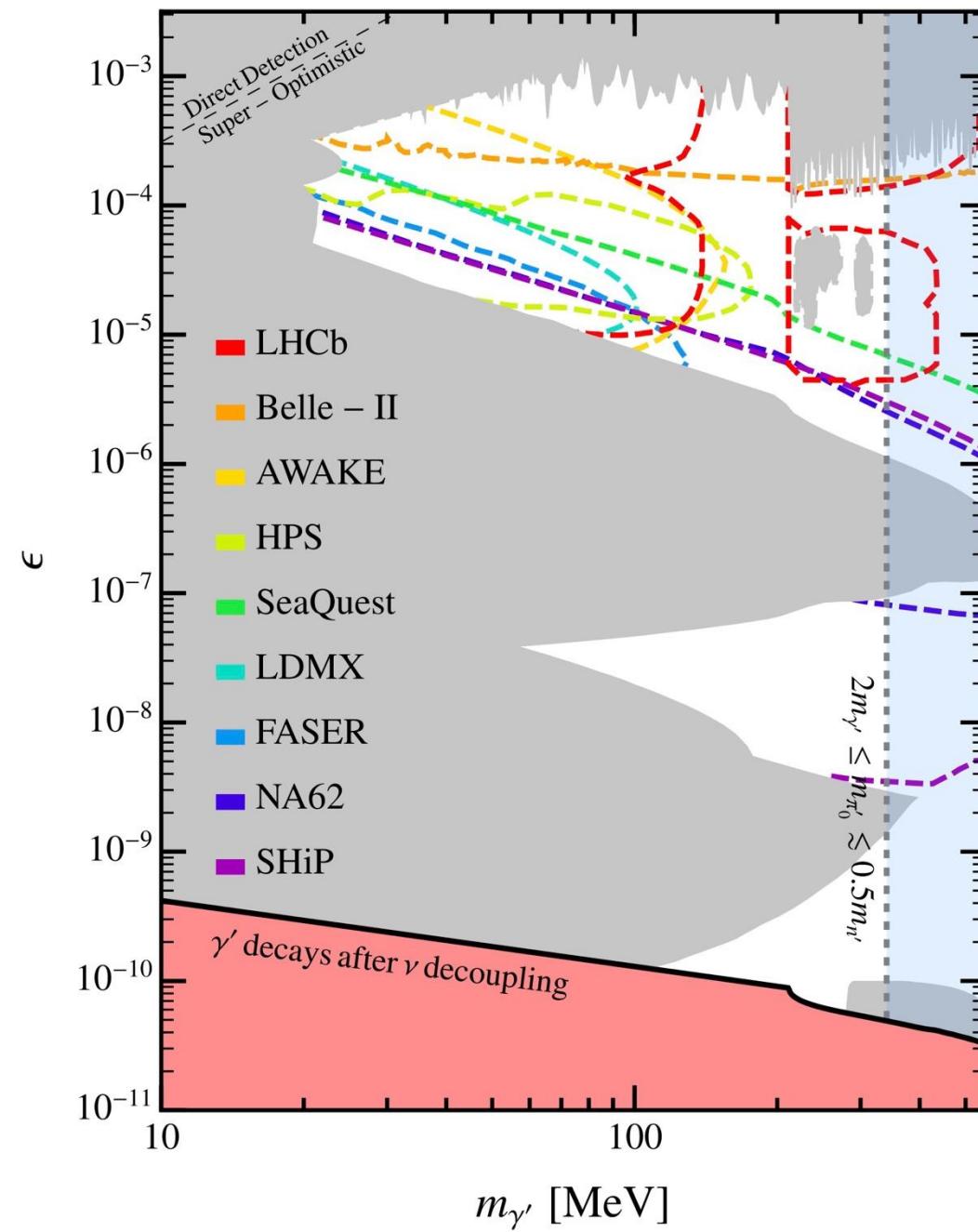
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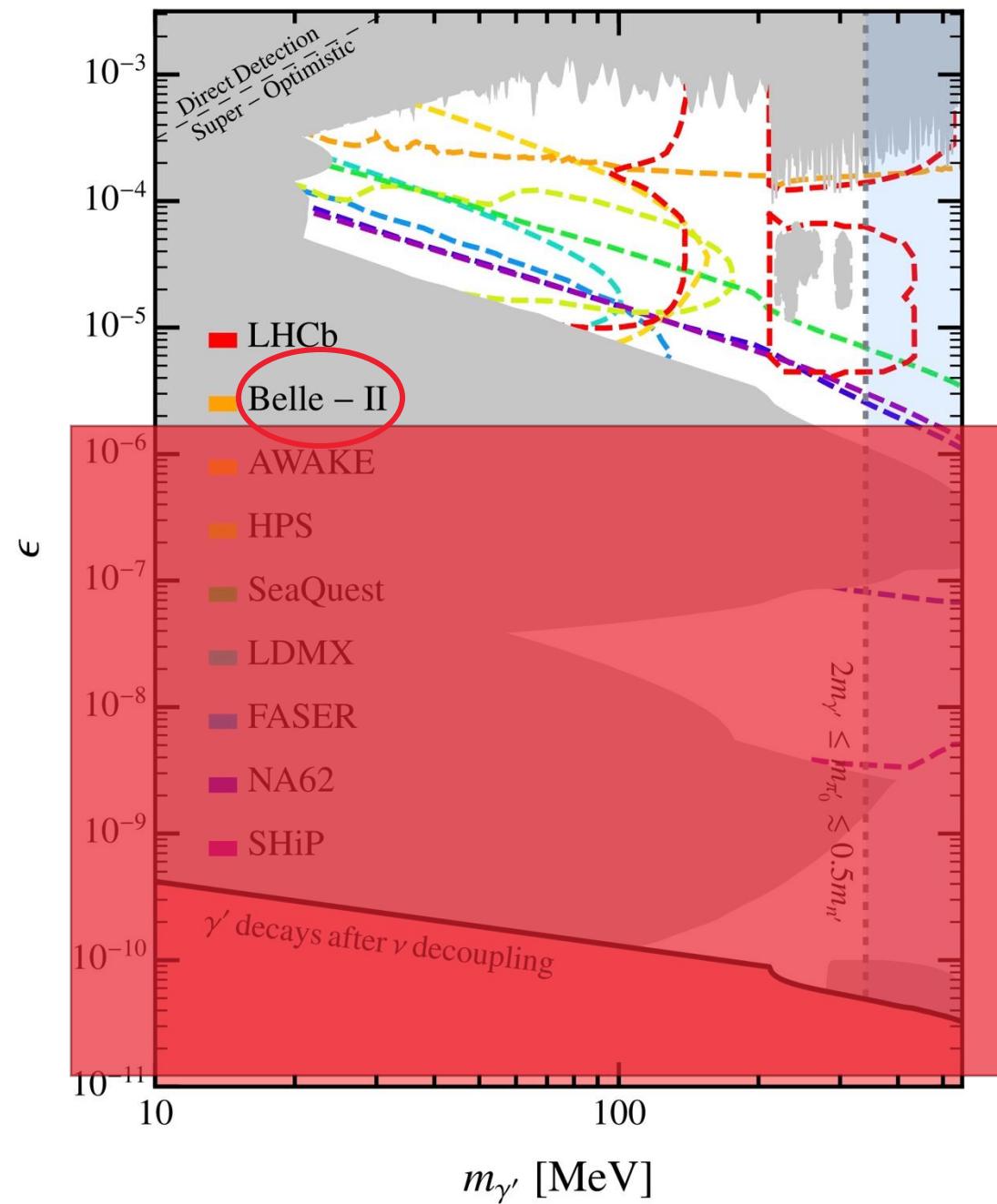
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Theory bias:
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Mirror Twin Higgs



[Z. Chacko, H.-S. Goh, R. Harnik PRL 2006]

Z₂ mirror copy of SM introduced (twin sector)

SU(4) global symmetry permits SM Higgs to be PNGB

Z₂ protects Higgs mass up to $\sim 5\text{-}10$ TeV cutoff

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Fraternal Twin Higgs: only 3rd gen. twin fermions & no U(1)'

[N. Craig, A. Katz, M. Strassler, and R. Sundrum, JHEP 2015]

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inject entropy asymmetrically
after decoupling, or adjust twin
Yukawas

See 1601.07181, 1609.05589, 1611.07975,
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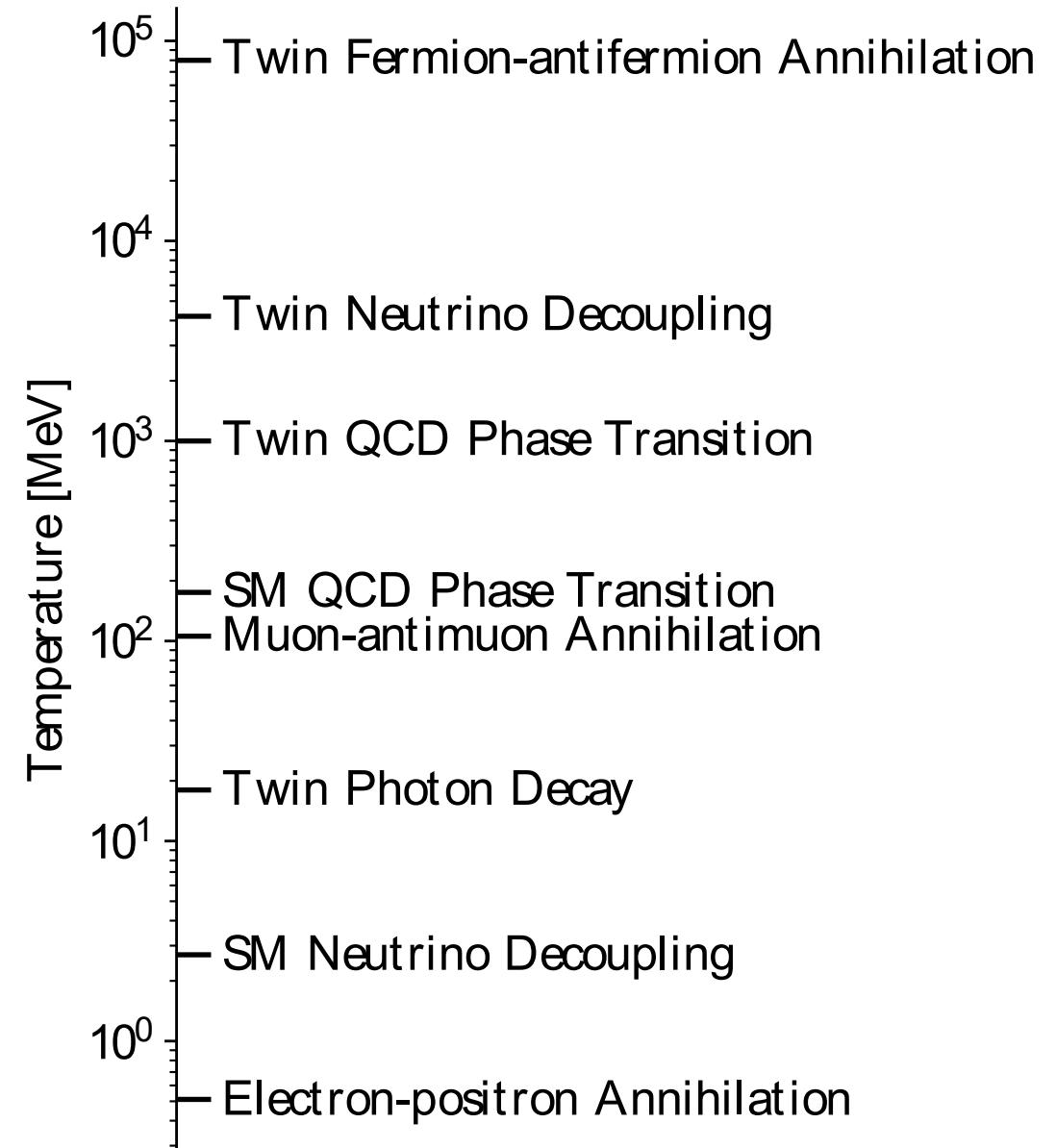
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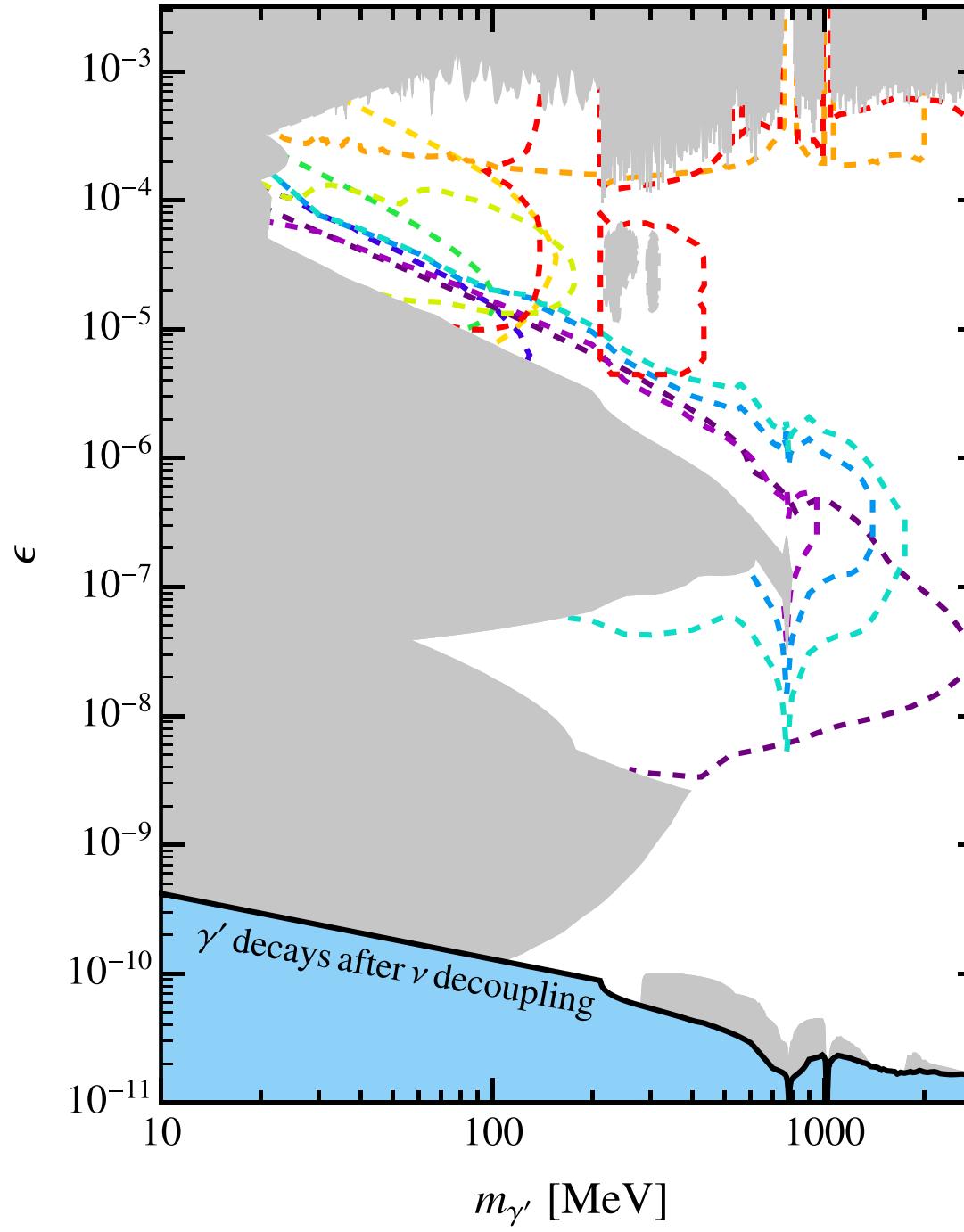
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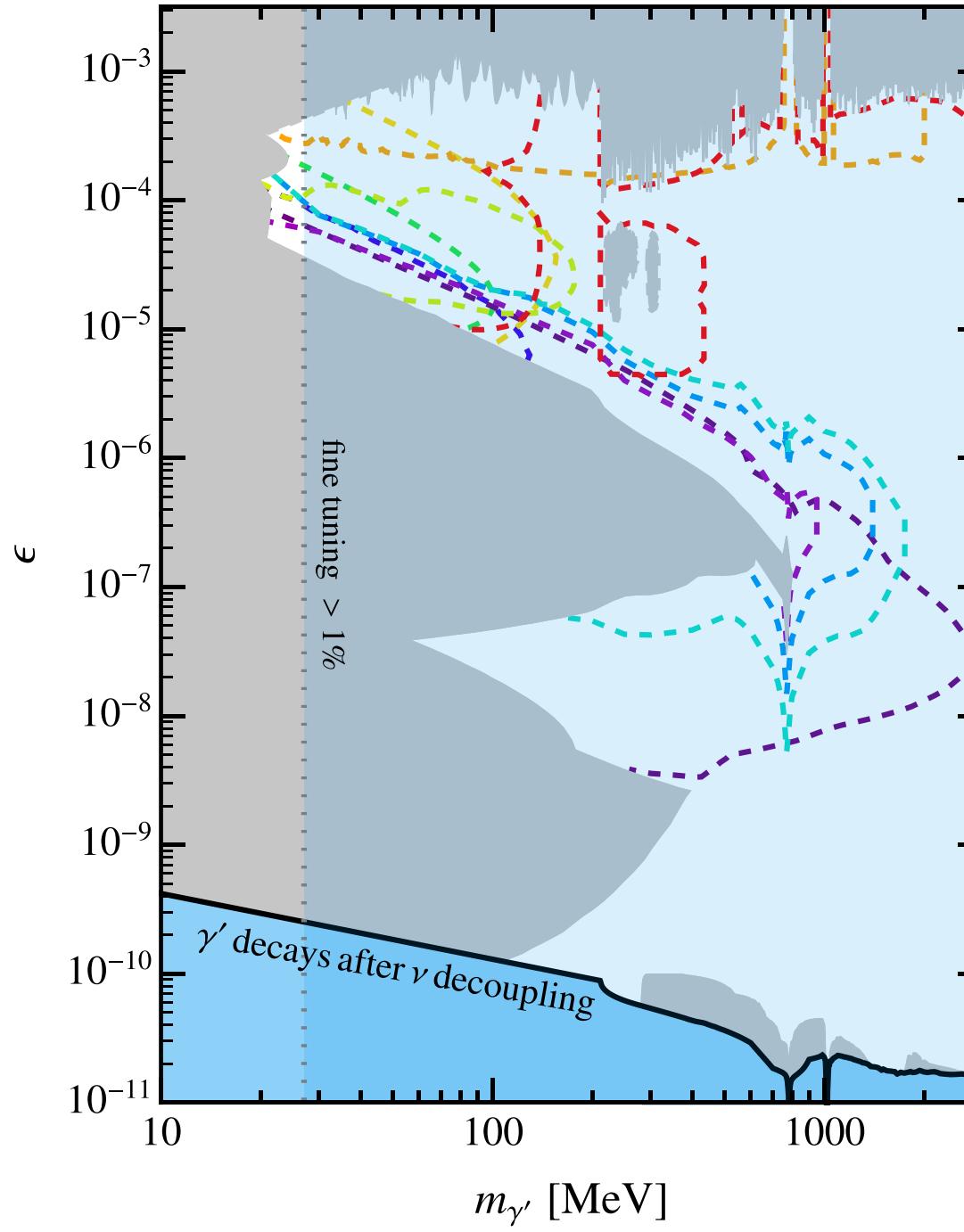


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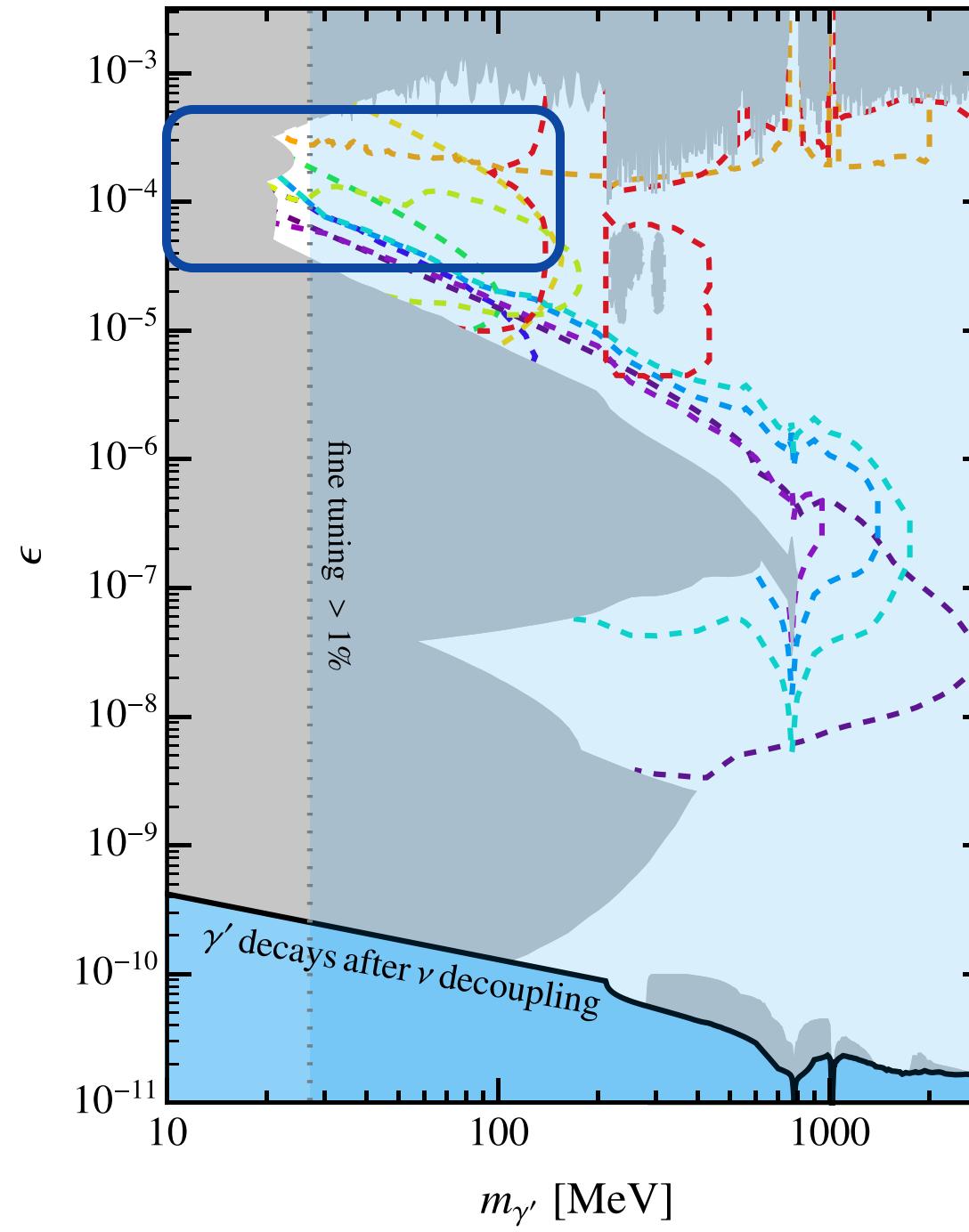


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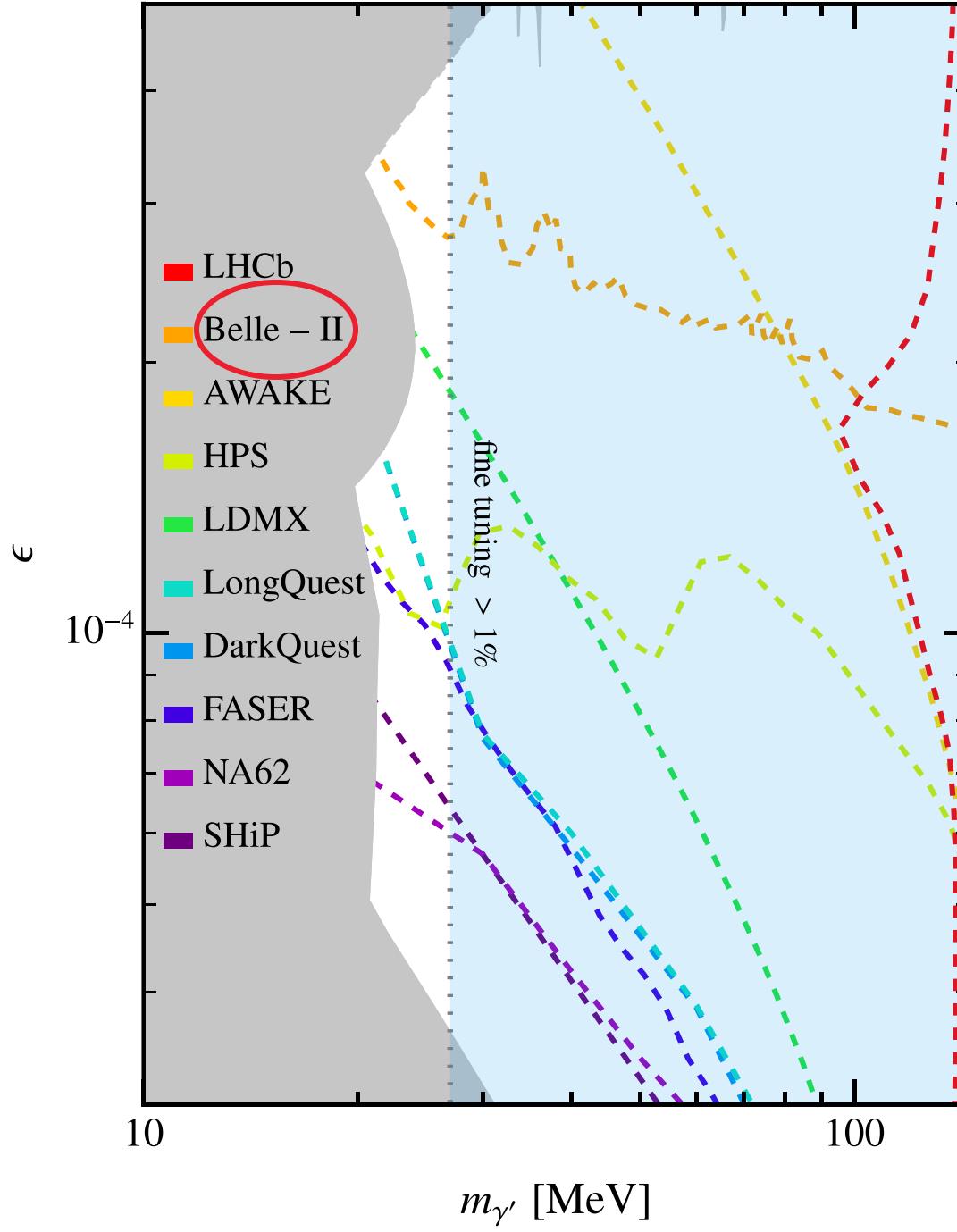
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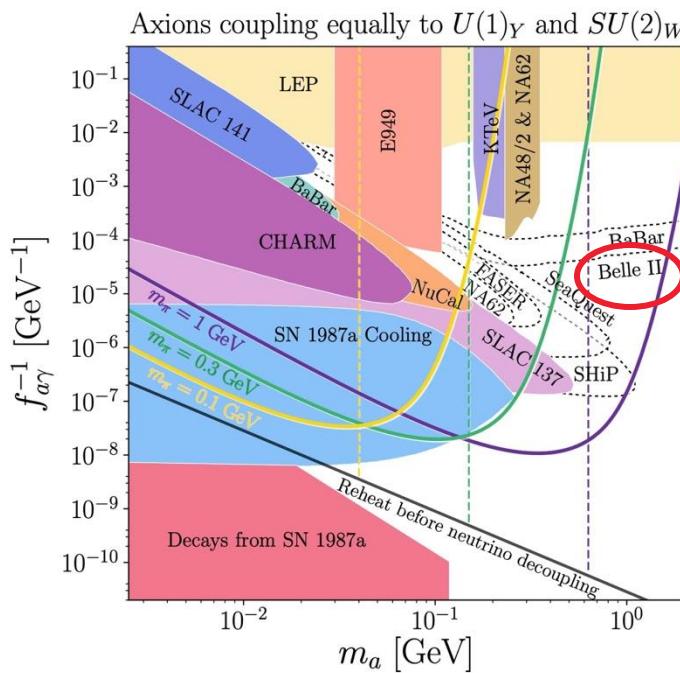
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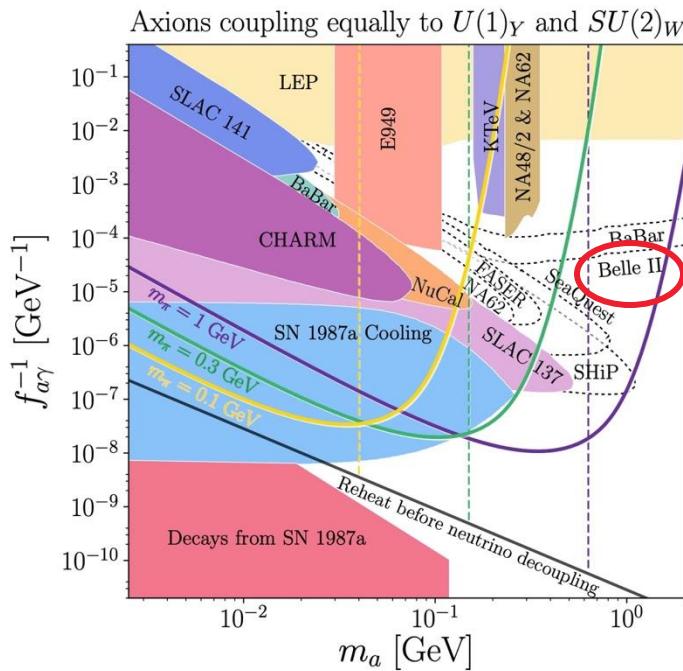
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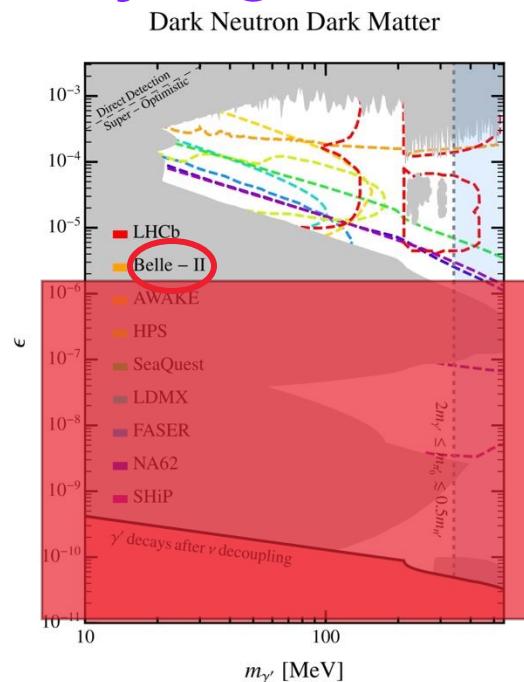
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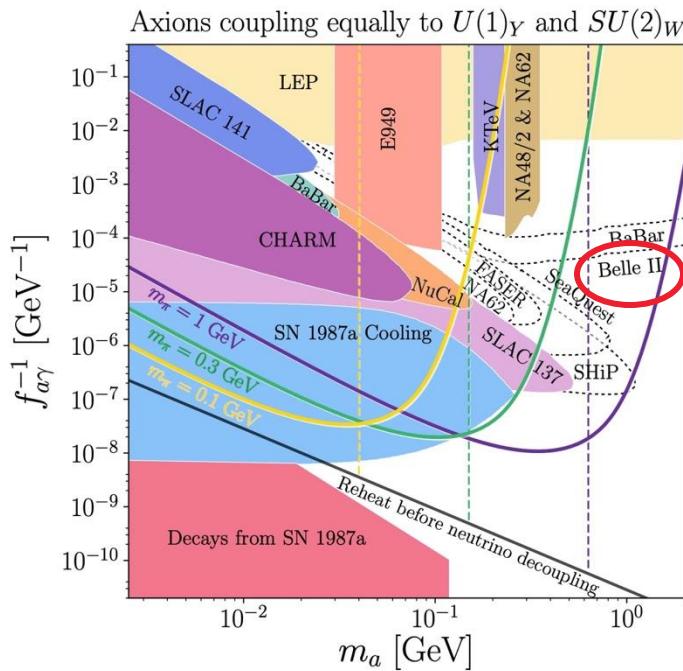


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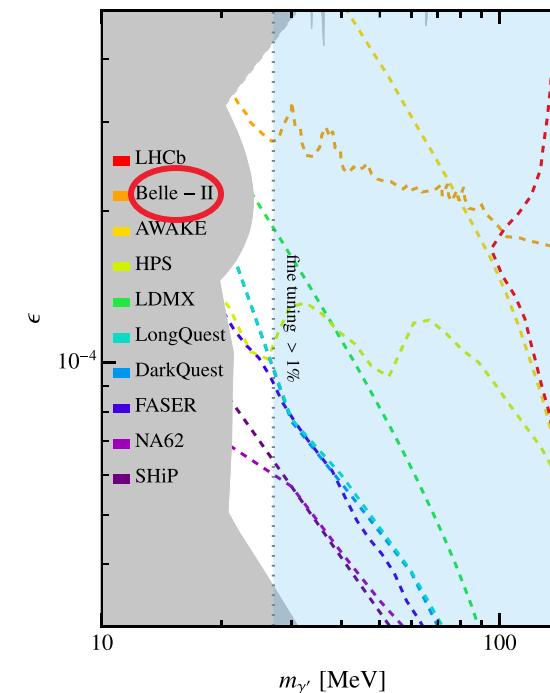
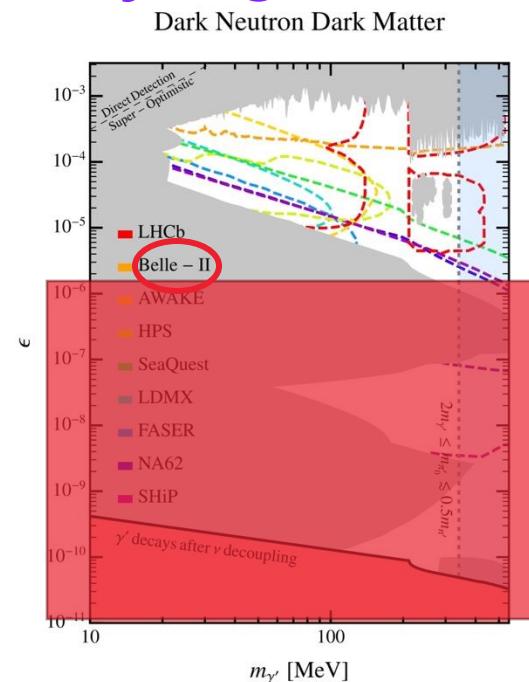
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