

# Large radiative effects on dark matter annihilation resummed

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Based on  
Beneke, Broggio, Hasner, Urban, MV  
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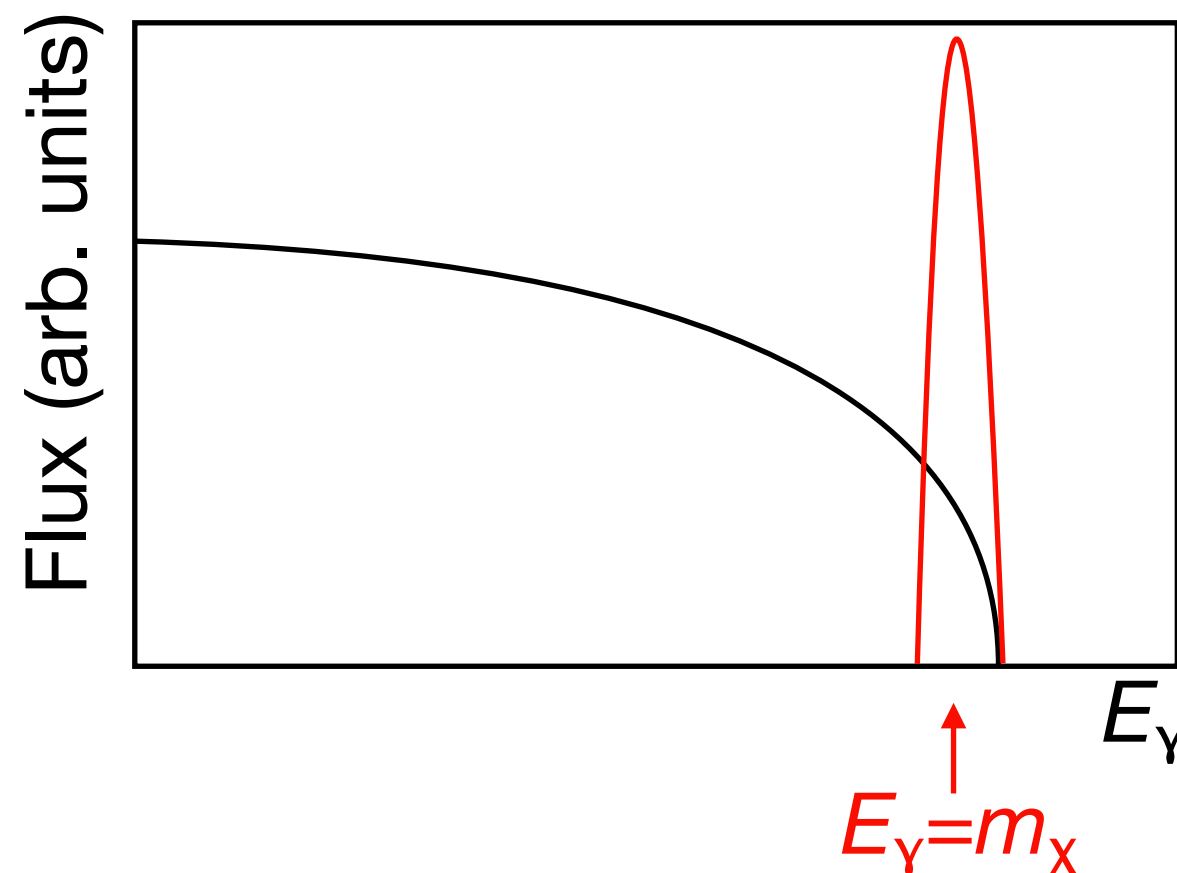
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# Motivation

- WIMP DM paradigm is very well motivated and scrutinized
- No discovery so far  $\Rightarrow \mathcal{O}(1-100\text{GeV})$  wimp models are subject to stringent constraints
- Above-TeV wimps ‘start’ to become attractive

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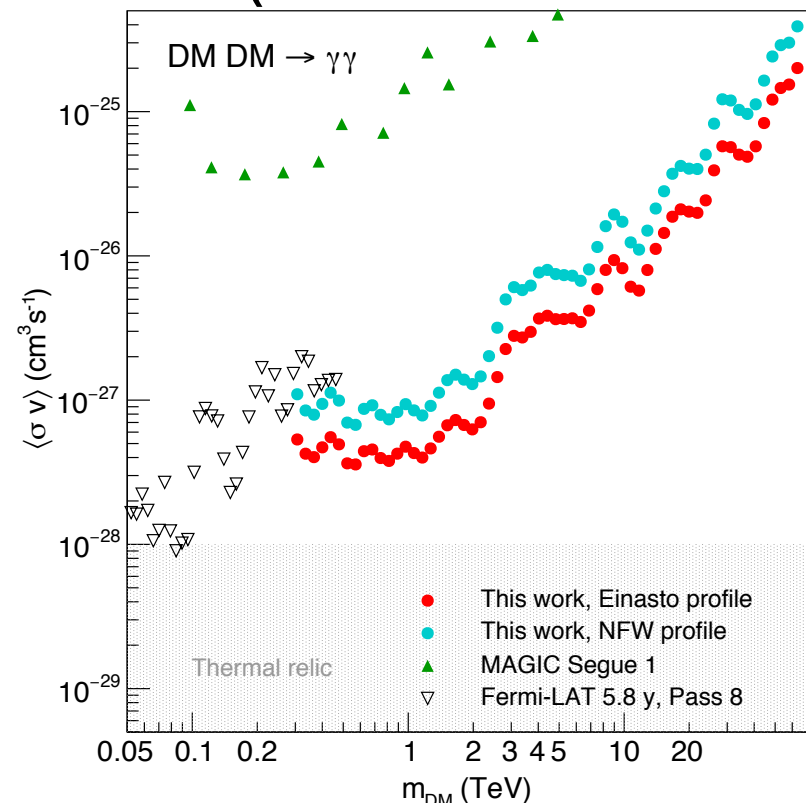
- Heavy ( $\mathcal{O}(1-100\text{TeV})$ ) DM  $\rightarrow$  Indirect detection
- Spectral-line feature in gamma ray spectrum is a smoking-gun signature of WIMP DM annihilation



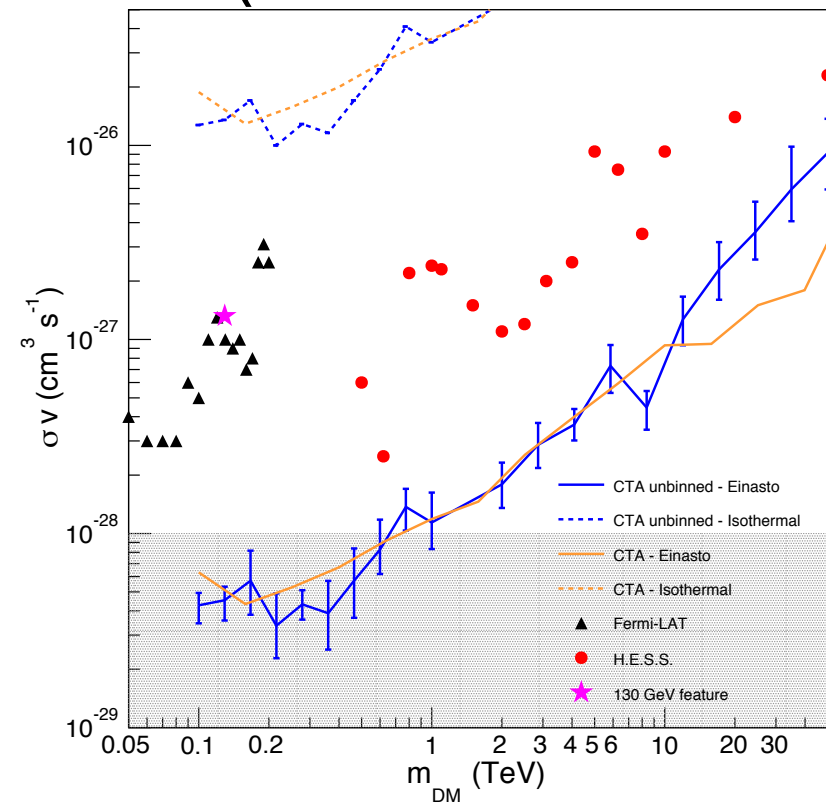
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- Current- and next-generation gamma-ray telescopes will search for such spectral lines
- Particularly promising is the Cherenkov Telescope Array (**CTA**) with  $\sim 1$  order of magnitude improved sensitivity w.r.t. current technology

## State of the art HESS (arXiv:1805.05741)



## Projected (500hrs) CTA (arXiv:1709.07997)



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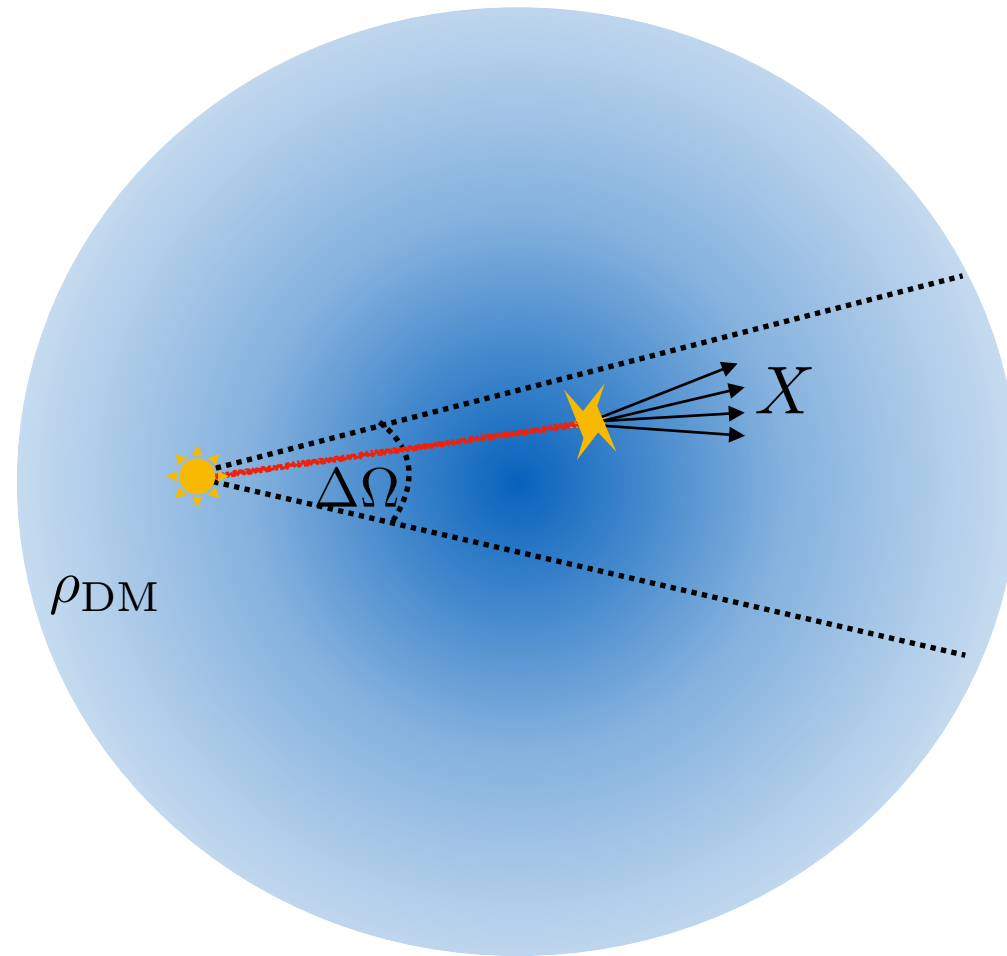
- Annihilation cross section computations for heavy wimps can be intricate
- Non-perturbative effects such as the *Sommerfeld* effect play a major role in their determination
- On top of this, large electroweak *Sudakov* double logarithms invalidate the perturbative expansion and need to be resummed
- In this talk I focus on the latter (see Kai Urban's talk on the *Sommerfeld* effect!)

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# Gamma rays from dark matter annihilation

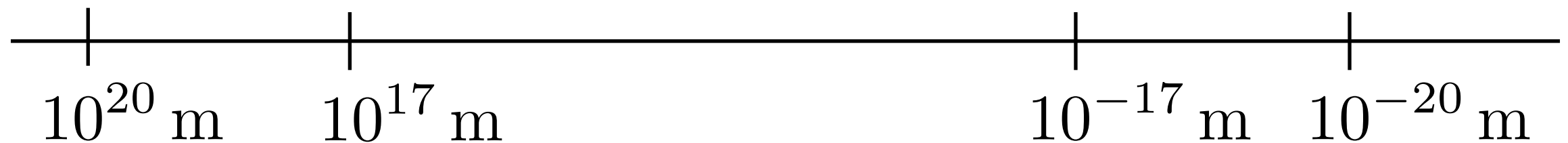


$$\Phi(E_\gamma) = \frac{1}{8\pi m_{\text{DM}}^2} \int_{\Delta\Omega} d\Omega \int_{\text{l.o.s.}} ds \rho_{\text{DM}}^2(\mathbf{r}(s)) \frac{d}{dE_\gamma} [\sigma v]_{\gamma+X}$$

# $\gamma$ rays from dark matter annihilation. Multi-scale problem

$$R_{\odot} \Delta\theta_{\text{obs}}$$

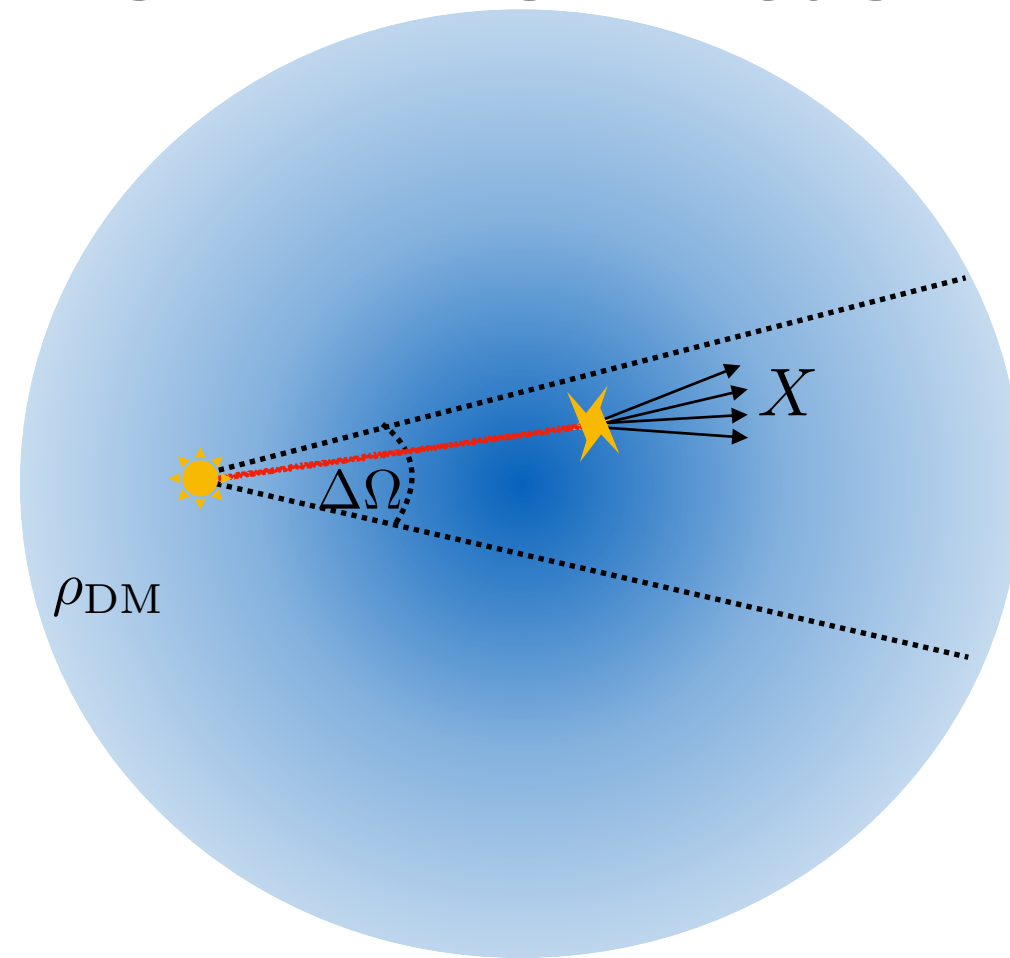
$$\lambda_{\text{soft } \gamma} \sim (\Delta E_{\text{obs}}^{\gamma})^{-1}$$



$$r_s, R_{\odot}$$

$$\lambda_{\text{DM}} \sim m_{\text{DM}}^{-1}$$

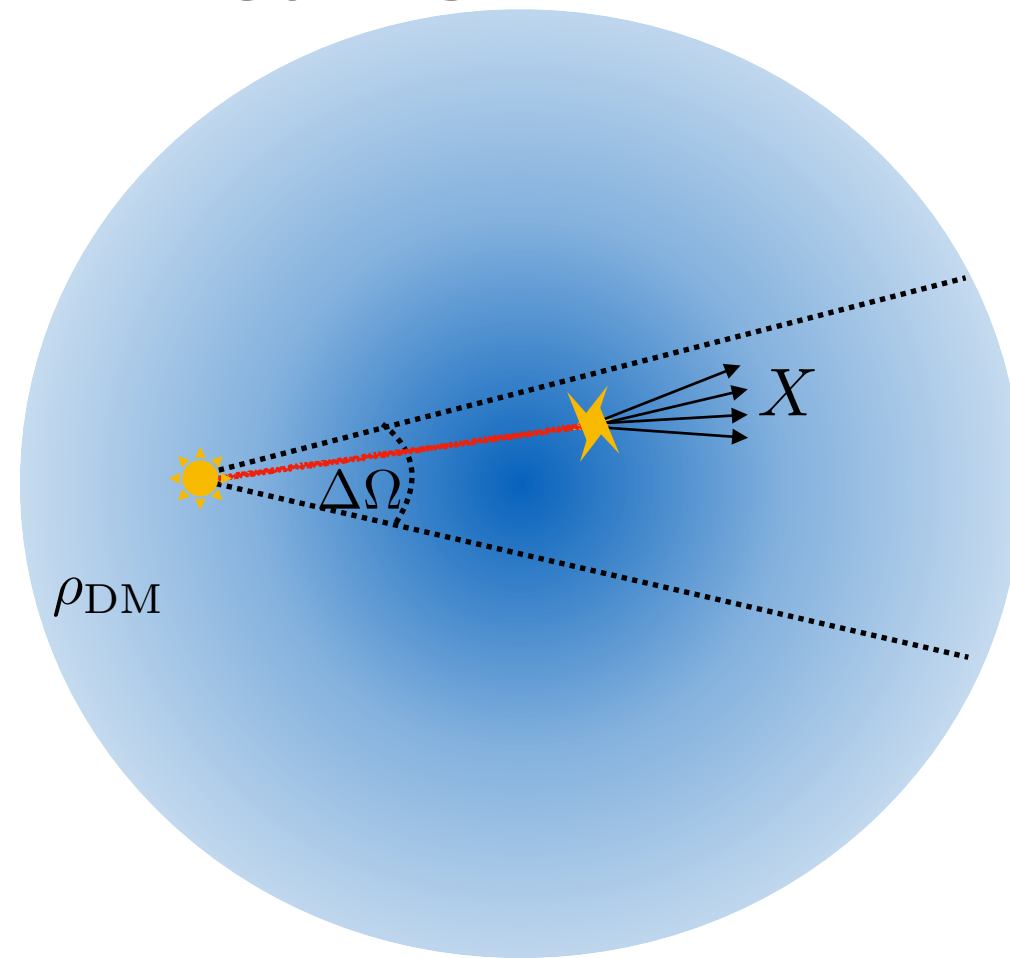
# $\gamma$ rays from dark matter annihilation. 1st factorization



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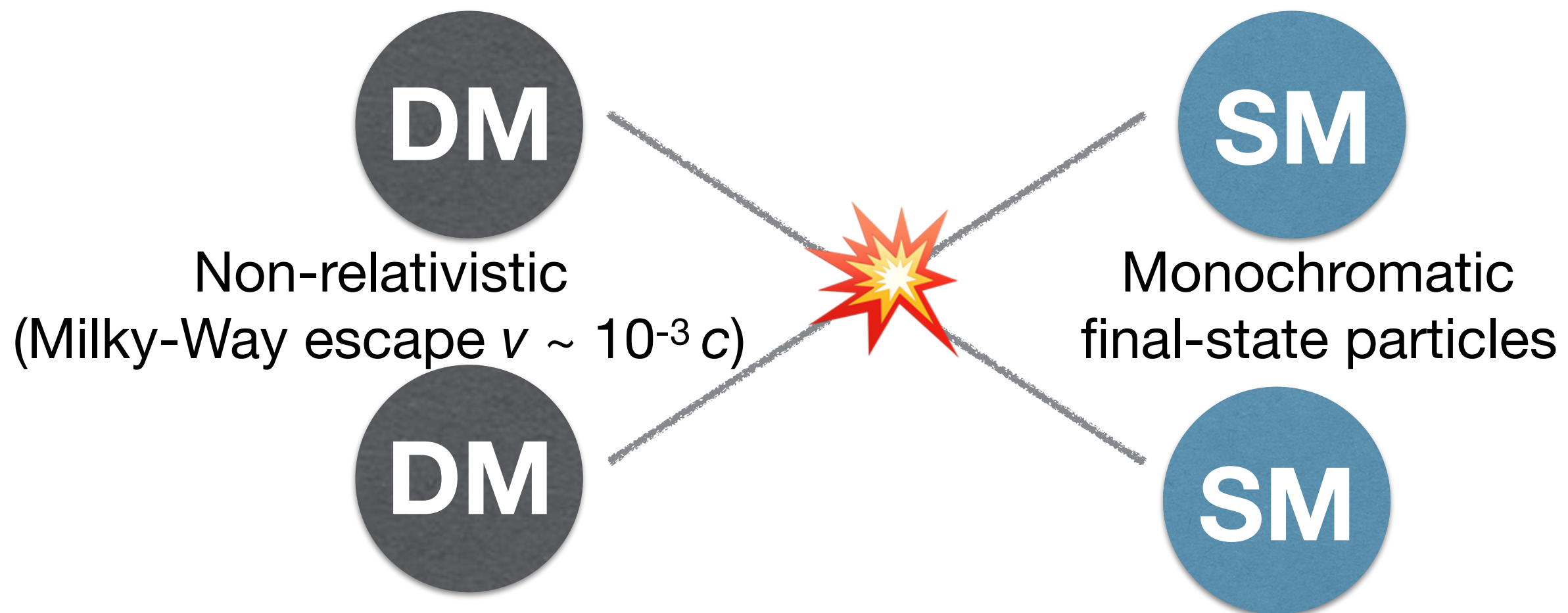
Astrophysical “ $J$ ” factor  
independent of gamma-ray energy

# $\gamma$ rays from dark matter annihilation. PP term



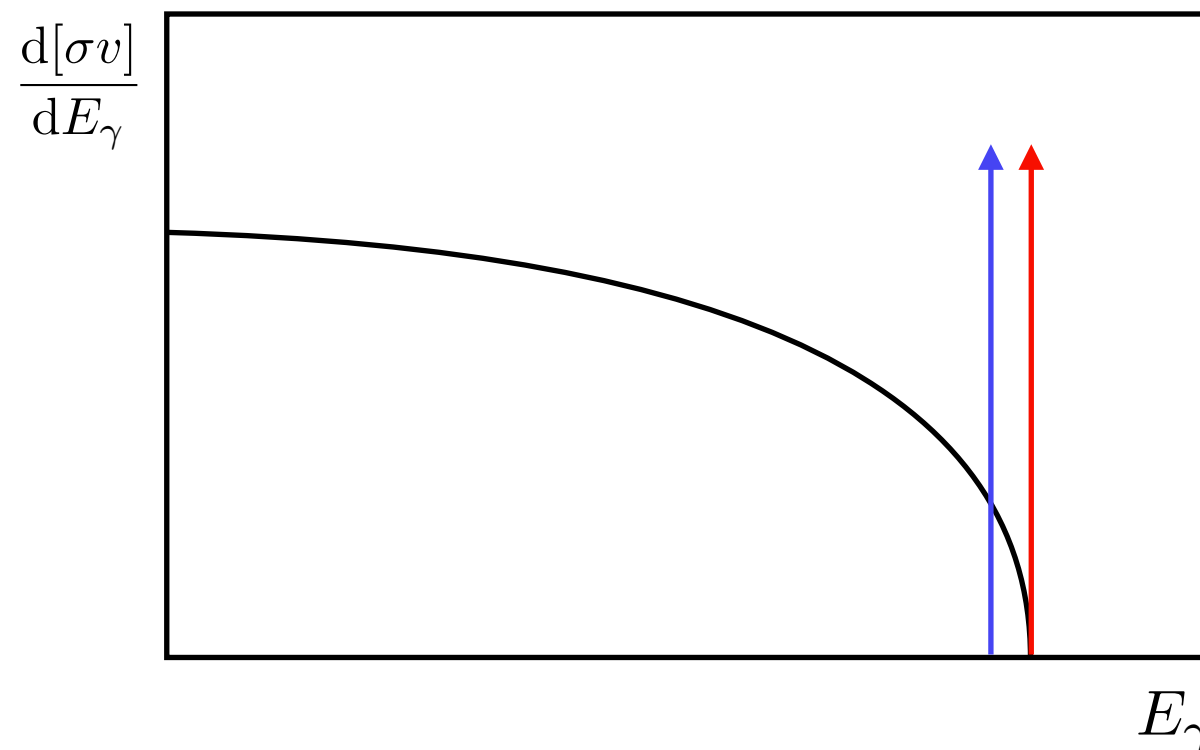
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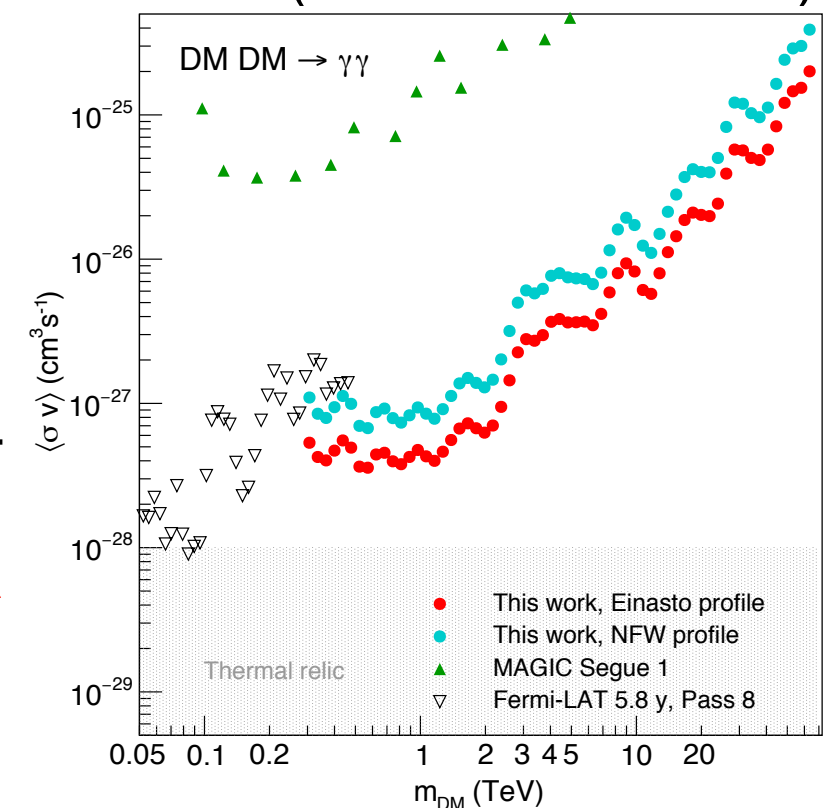
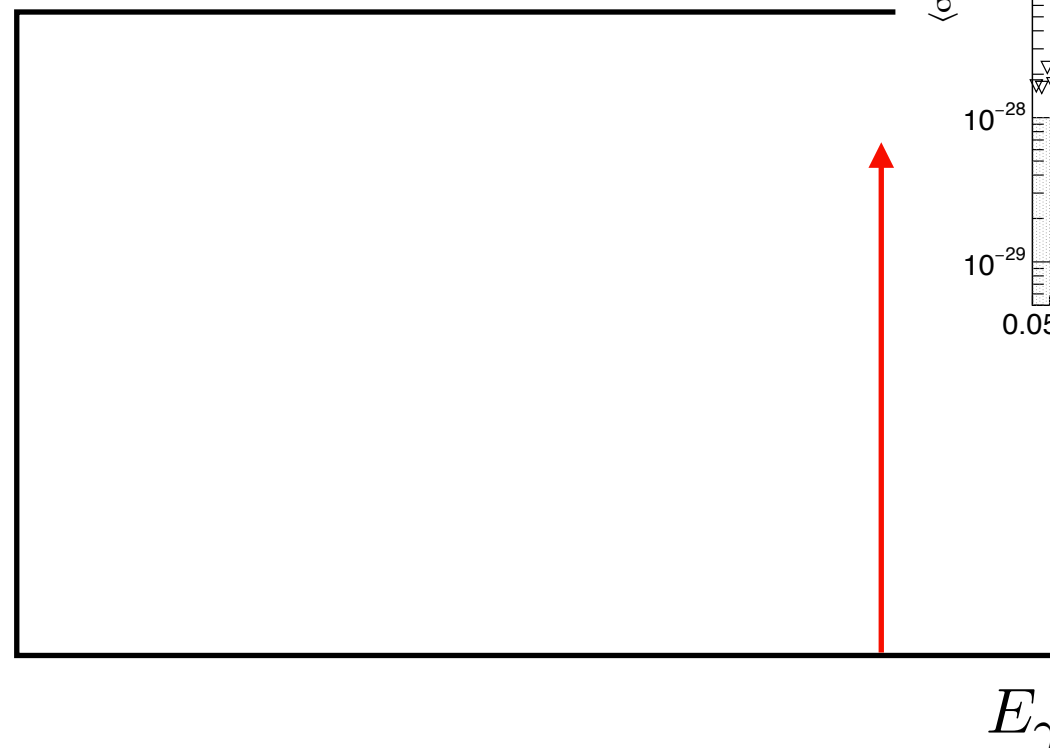
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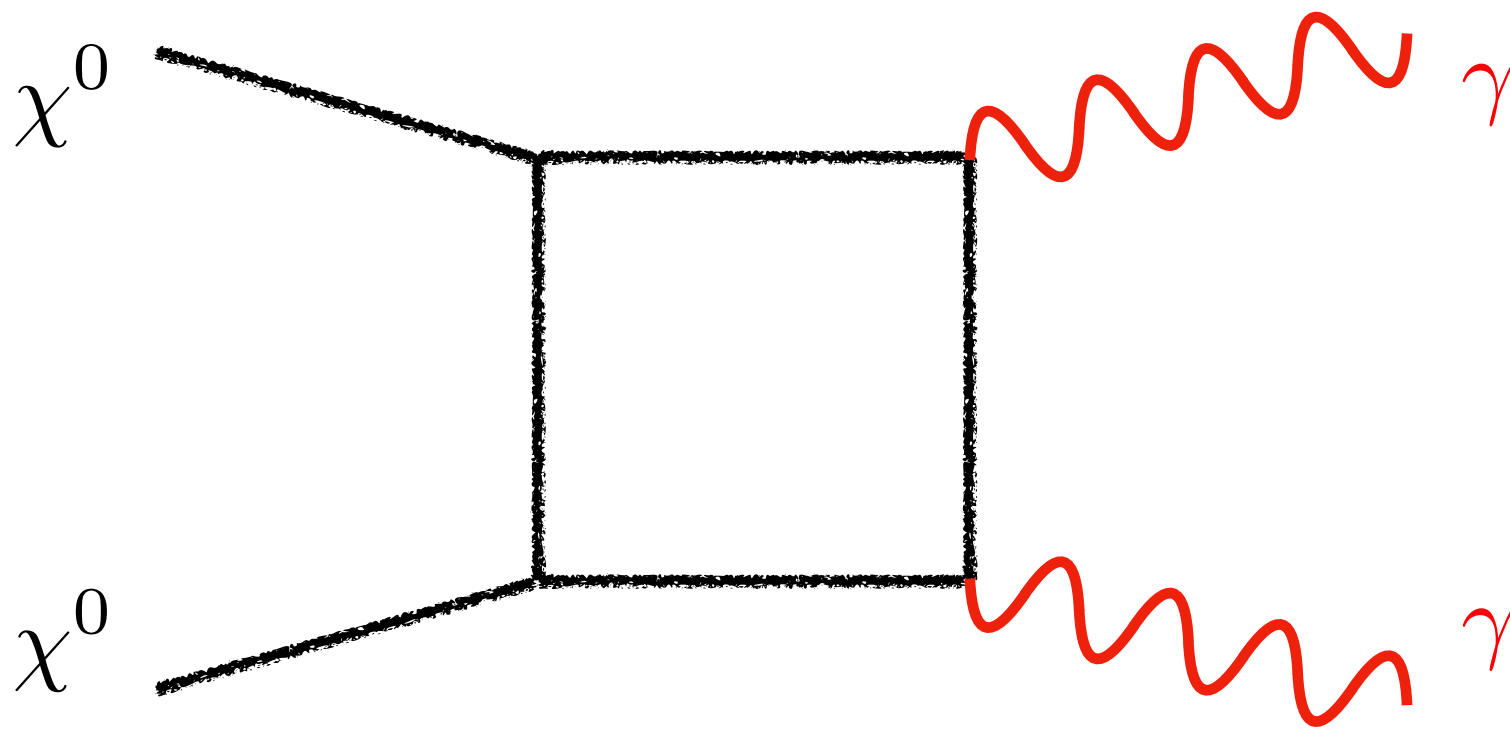


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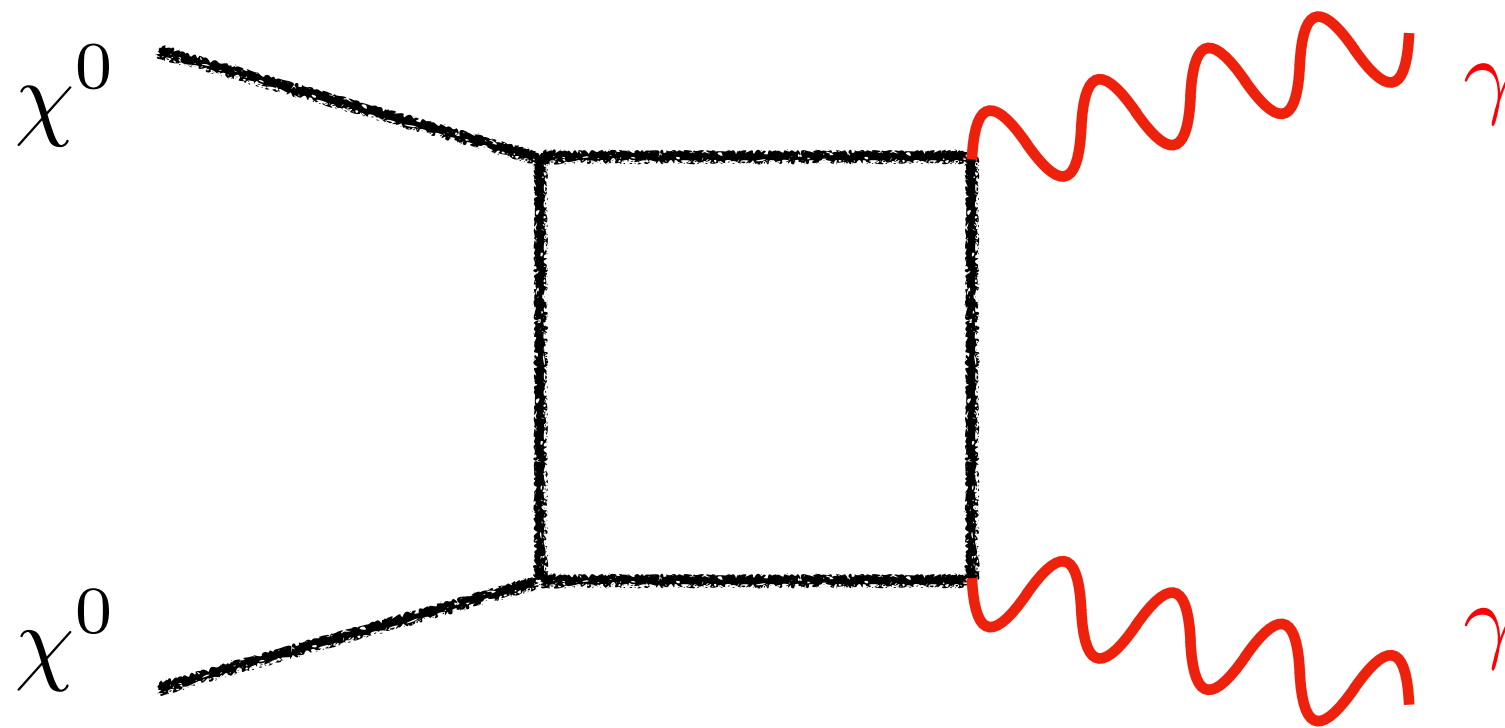
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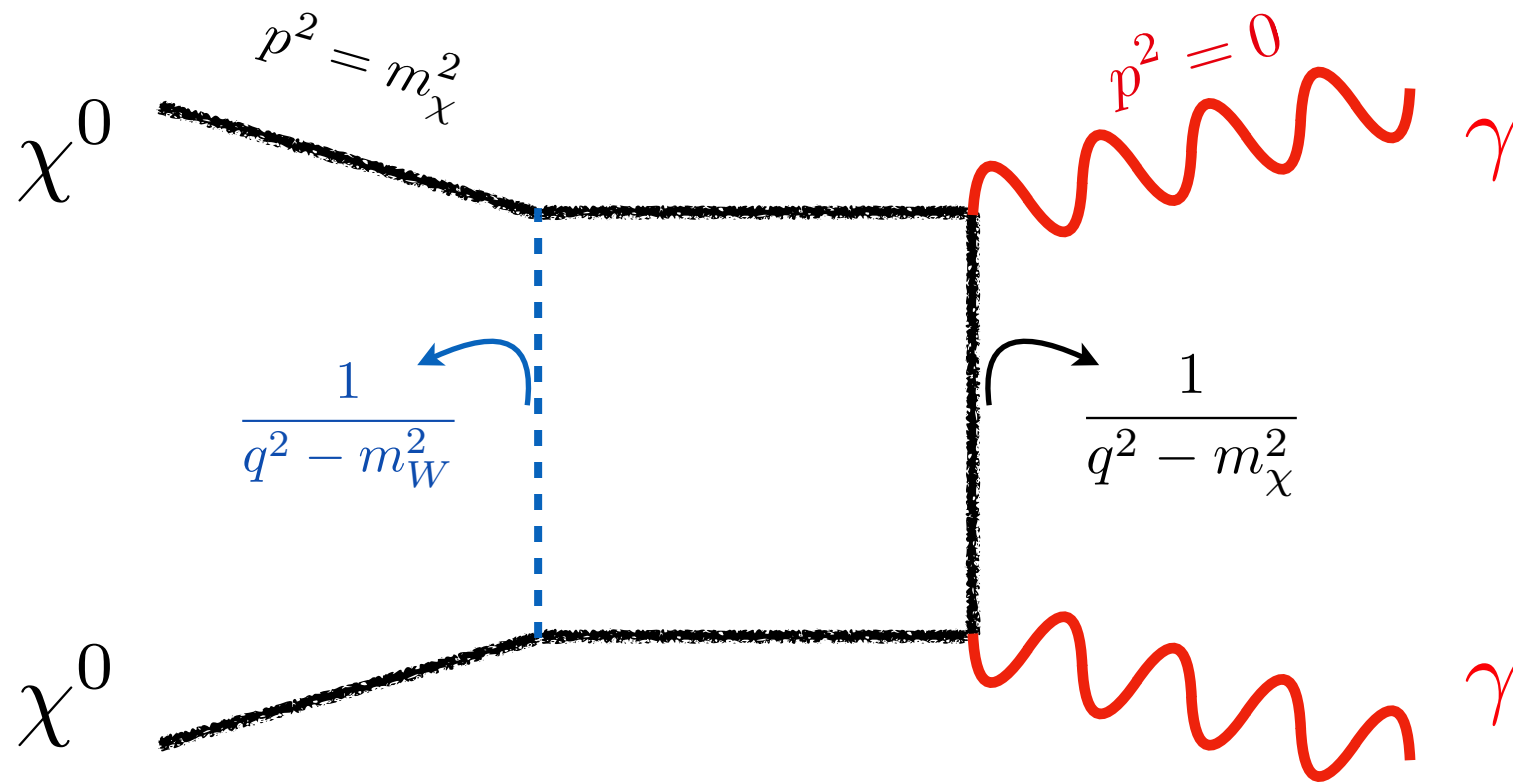
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mass suppressed

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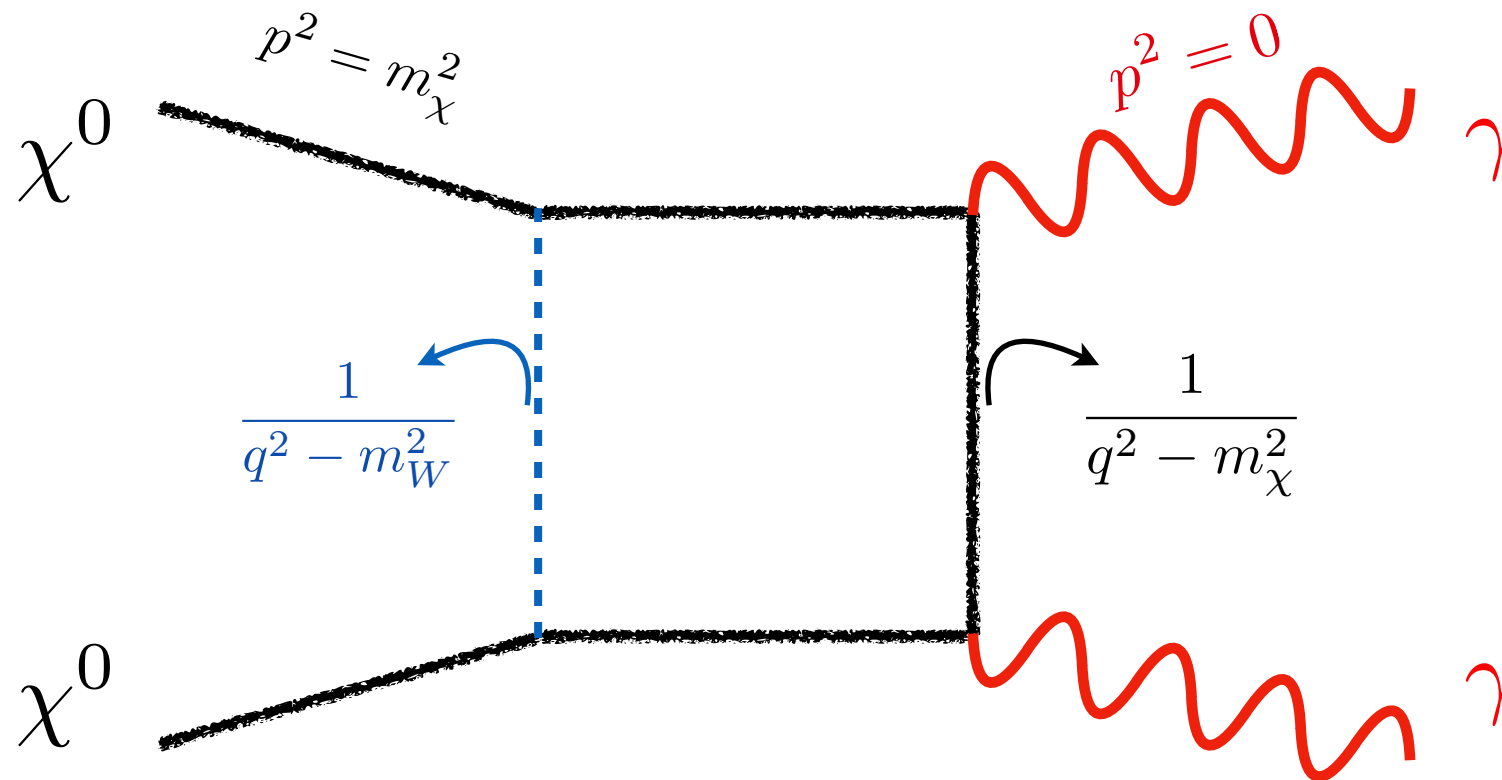
$$\Phi(E_\gamma) \sim \left( \frac{\alpha_{\text{EW}}}{m_{\text{DM}}} \right)^4$$

**(do not give up yet!!)**

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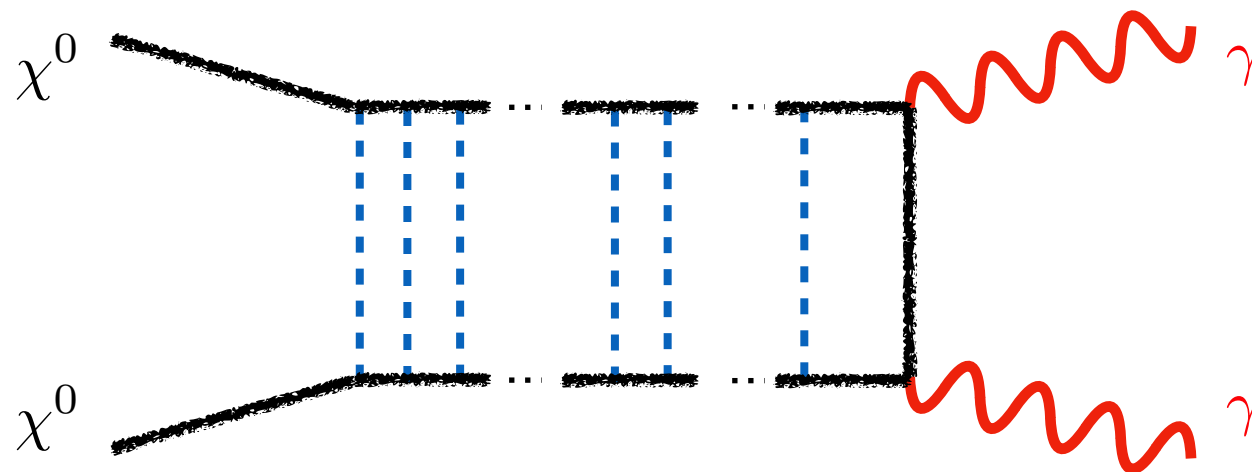
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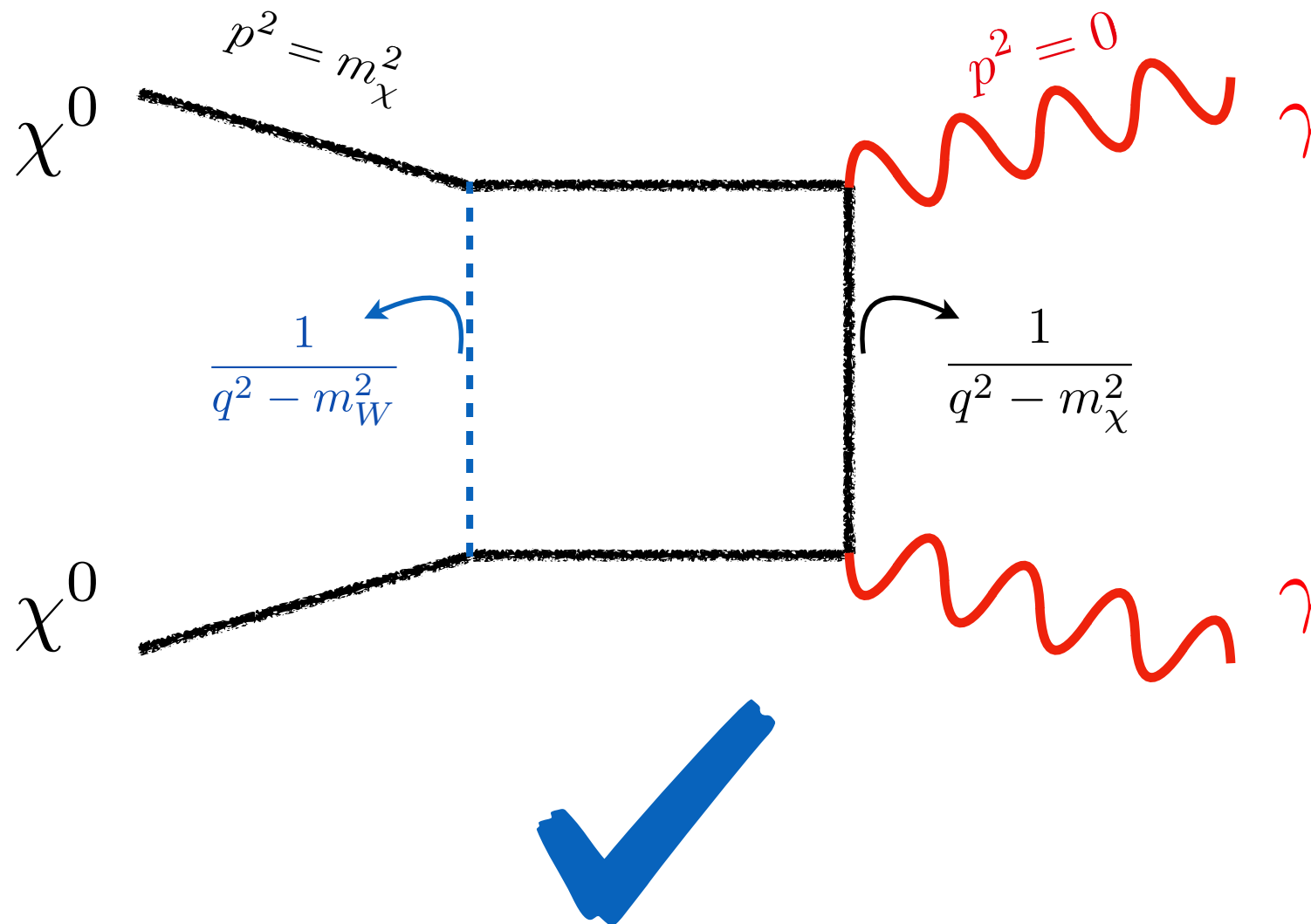
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**Solution:** resum all ladder-like diagrams by matching onto a non-relativistic effective theory

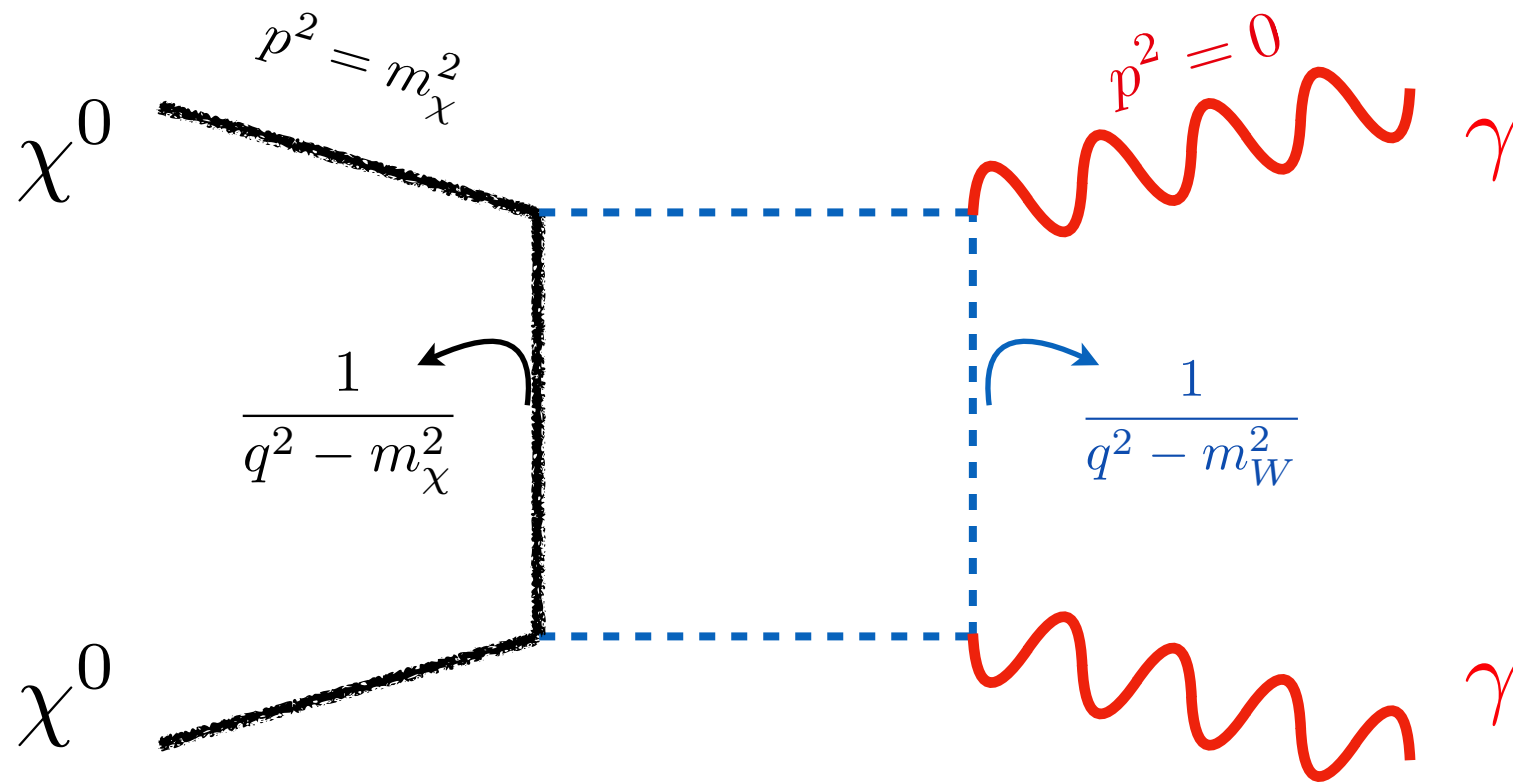


# Got interested?

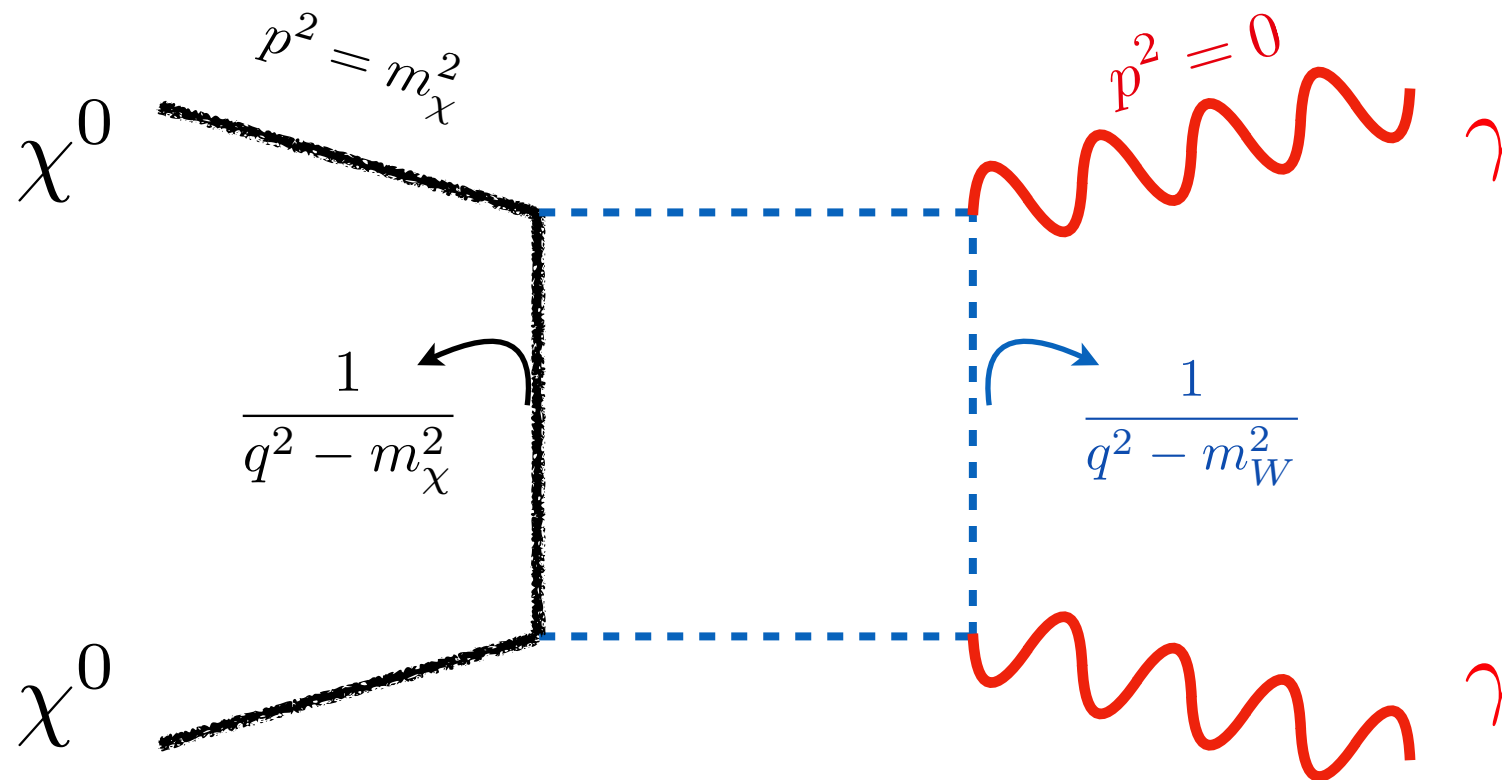
## Look forward to the next talk by Kai Urban!!



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# Sudakov double logarithms

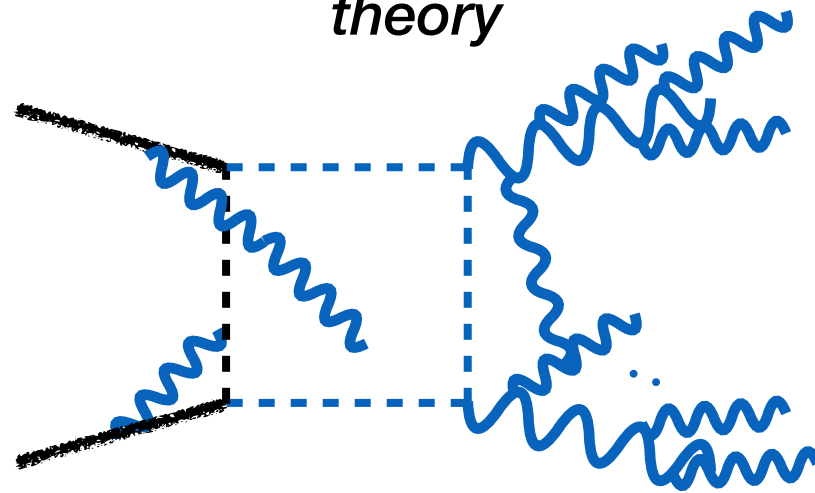


$$\mathcal{M} \sim g^4 \log^2 \frac{4m_\chi^2}{m_W^2} \gg g^2$$

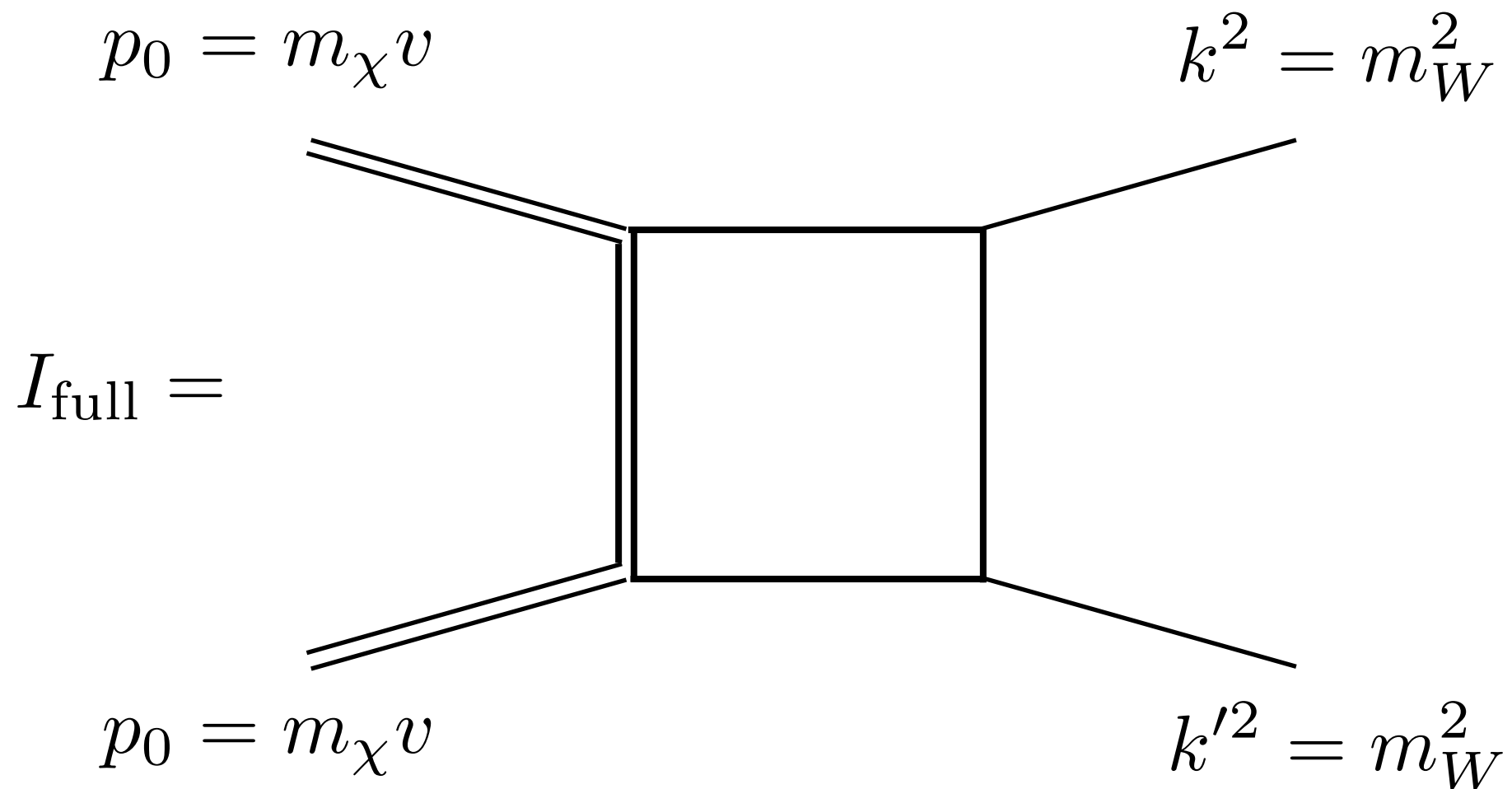


# Sudakov-log resummation

**Standard solution:** resum soft virtual and real emissions by solving renormalization group eqs. in a *(soft-collinear) effective field theory*



# Soft-collinear effective theory (SCET). Method of regions



# SCET. Momentum regions

$$I_{\text{full}} = \text{[diagram: a square loop with external lines, labeled with } \vec{q} \text{]} = \int \frac{d^D q}{(2\pi)^D} \frac{1}{(q+k-p_0)^2 - m_\chi^2} \frac{1}{(q+k)^2} \frac{1}{q^2} \frac{1}{(q-k')^2} \Big|_{k^2, k'^2 \sim m_W^2 \ll m_\chi^2}$$

Light-cone  
coordinates

$$q = q_c n + q_{\bar{c}} \bar{n} + q_\perp \rightarrow (q_c, q_{\bar{c}}, q_\perp)$$

## Momentum modes

$$q_h \sim m_\chi (1, 1, 1)$$

$$q_s \sim m_W (1, 1, 1)$$

$$q_{hc} \sim (m_W, m_\chi, \sqrt{m_\chi m_W})$$

$$q_{h\bar{c}} \sim (m_\chi, m_W, \sqrt{m_\chi m_W})$$

$$q_c \sim \left( \frac{m_W^2}{m_\chi}, m_\chi, m_W \right)$$

$$q_{\bar{c}} \sim \left( m_\chi, \frac{m_W^2}{m_\chi}, m_W \right)$$

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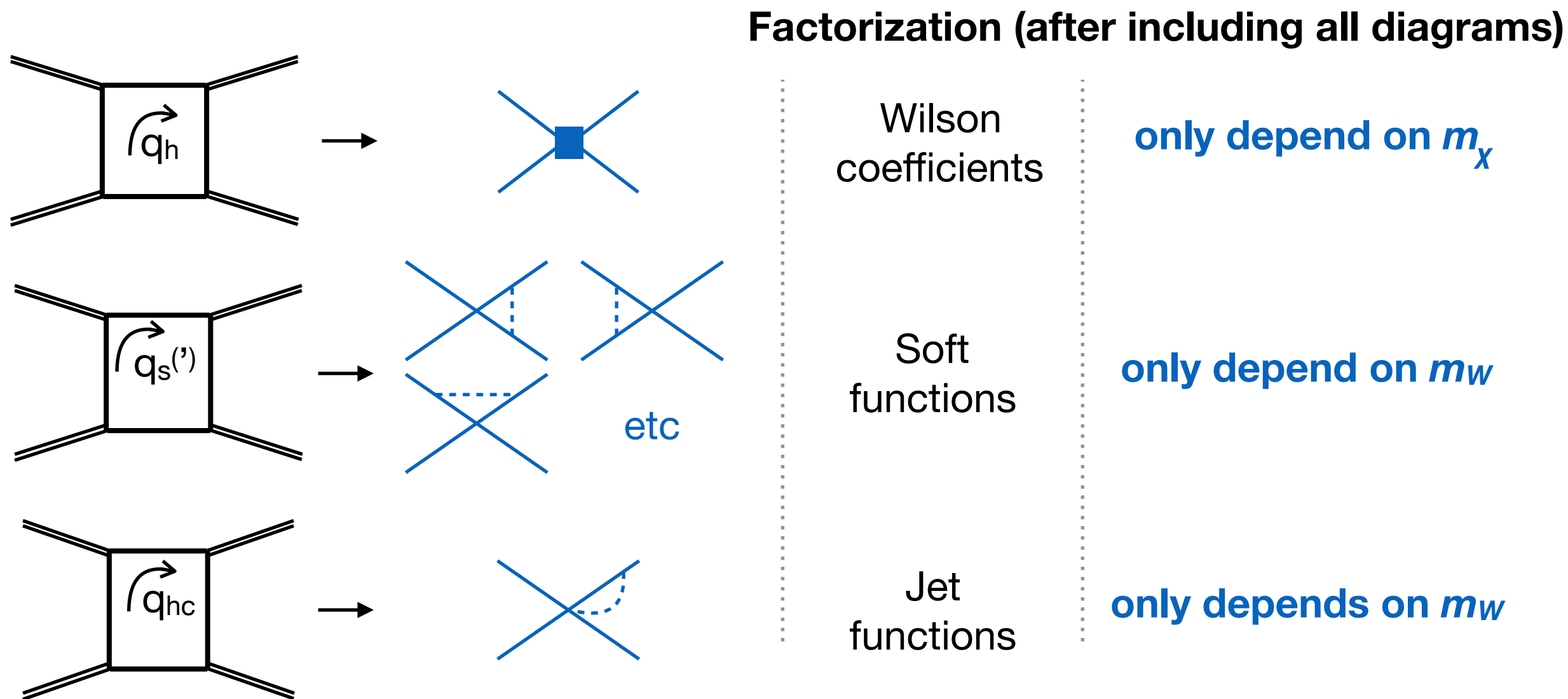
$$\begin{aligned}
 I_{\text{full}} = & \quad \text{[Diagram 1: Square loop with momentum } q_h \text{]} + \text{[Diagram 2: Square loop with momentum } q_{s^{(')}} \text{]} + \\
 & + \text{[Diagram 3: Square loop with momentum } q_{hc} \text{]} + \text{[Diagram 4: Square loop with momentum } q_{\overline{h}\overline{c}} \text{]} \Big|_{k^2=0} \\
 & + \text{power corrections}
 \end{aligned}$$

The diagrams are square loops with external lines. Diagram 1 has momentum  $q_h$ . Diagram 2 has momentum  $q_{s^{(')}}$ . Diagram 3 has momentum  $q_{hc}$ . Diagram 4 has momentum  $q_{\overline{h}\overline{c}}$ . The diagrams are summed and then evaluated at  $k^2=0$ , with power corrections added.

# SCET. Factorization

## (narrow resolution)

Interpret each expansion as a Feynman diagram of the SCET



# SCET-II (narrow resolution)

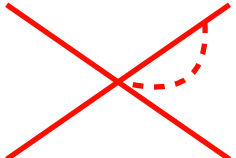
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**Factorization (after including all diagrams)**

## Breakdown of the factorization

- can be cured by introducing a regulator

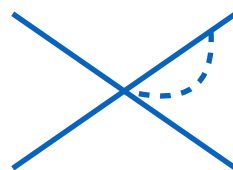
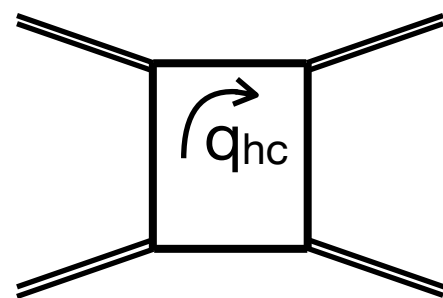
e. g. rapidity regulator:



$$\rightarrow \int \frac{d^D q}{(2\pi)^D} \frac{1}{(q^2 - m_W^2)[(k - q)^2 - m_W^2]} \frac{\nu^\eta}{|n \cdot q|^\eta}$$

only depend on  $m_x$

ideally would  
only depend on  $m_W$



Jet  
functions

# NRDM×SCET for DM annihilation

After several steps one can prove that:

$$\frac{d}{dE_\gamma}[\sigma v] = |\psi(0)|^2 \times |C|^2(\mu) \times Z_\gamma(\mu, \nu) \times J(\mu, \nu) \otimes W(\mu, \nu)$$

**Resummation is achieved by solving**

- an appropriate Schrödinger equation
- $\mu$  and  $\nu$  renormalization group equations for every piece of the factorization formula

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# The wino-like/MDM triplet model

SM + Majorana SU(2) triplet

$$\delta\mathcal{L}_{\text{Wino}} = \frac{1}{2}\bar{\chi}(i\gamma^\mu D_\mu - m_\chi)\chi$$

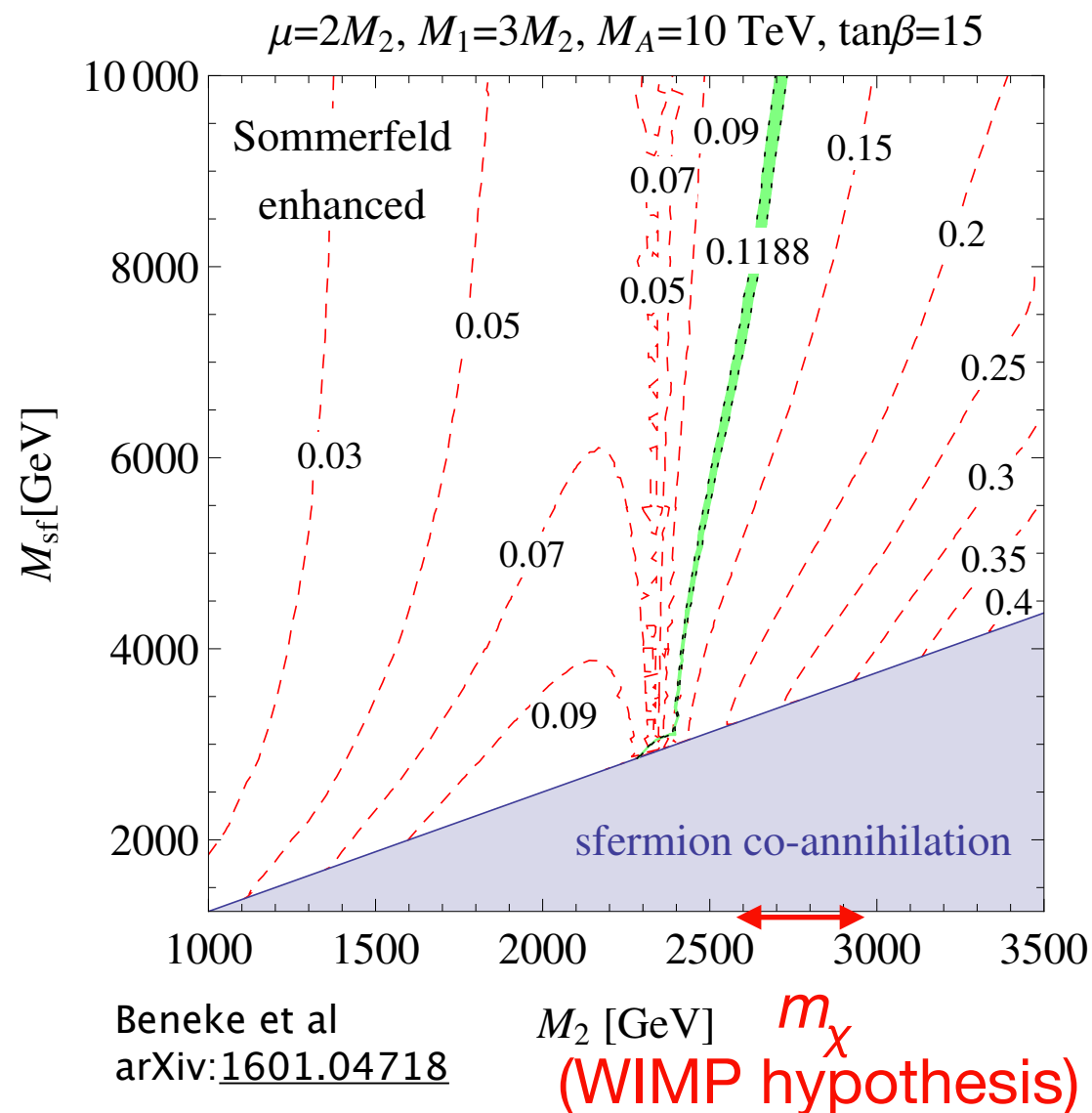


Q=0 *Majorana* DM

Q=1 *Dirac* chargino

- $m_{\chi^\pm} - m_{\chi^0} \approx 164\text{MeV}$
- DM stable through a  $Z_2$  symmetry
- Suitable WIMP for  $m_{\chi^0} \lesssim 3\text{TeV}$
- Super-partner of the SU(2) gauge bosons in SUSY

# The wino-like/MDM triplet model



- suppressed direct-detection cross sections (below the so-called neutrino floor)
- too heavy for the LHC

# Factorization theorem.

## Sommerfeld effect

$$\frac{d(\sigma v_{\text{rel}})}{dE_\gamma} = \sum_{I,J} S_{IJ} \Gamma_{IJ}(E_\gamma)$$

Next talk

Sommerfeld matrix  
 $I, J = (\chi^0 \chi^0) \text{ or } (\chi^+ \chi^-)$

$$V(r) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -\sqrt{2}\alpha_2 \frac{e^{-m_W r}}{r} \\ -\sqrt{2}\alpha_2 \frac{e^{-m_W r}}{r} & -\frac{\alpha}{r} - \alpha_2 c_W^2 \frac{e^{-m_Z r}}{r} \end{pmatrix}$$

see e.g. Beneke et al arXiv: [1411.6924](#)  
 Hisano arXiv: [hep-ph/0412403](#)

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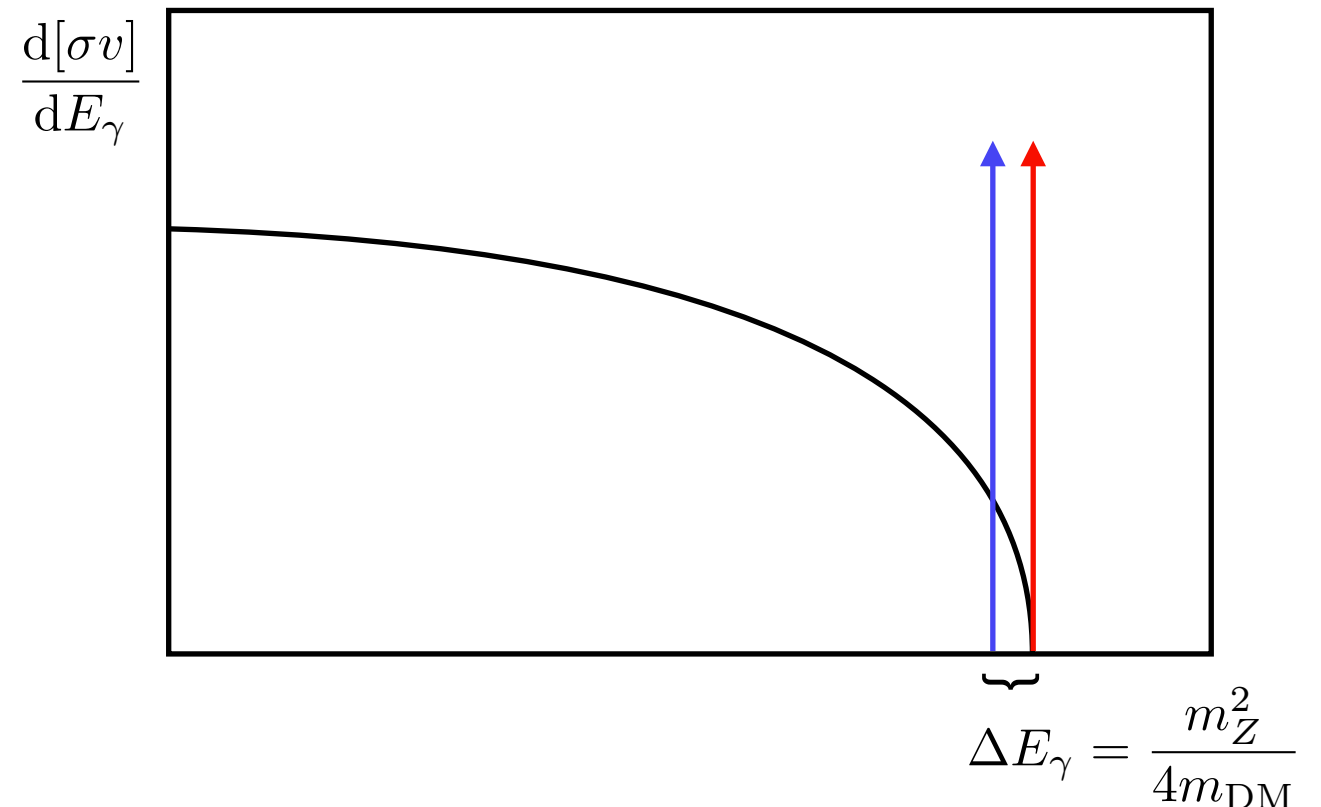
# Assumptions on the energy resolutions

The variable  $E_{\text{res}} = m_\chi - E_\gamma$  plays a decisive role in the factorization problem

We investigated two situations

$$E_{\text{res}} \sim m_W^2/m_\chi \text{ (1805.07367)}$$

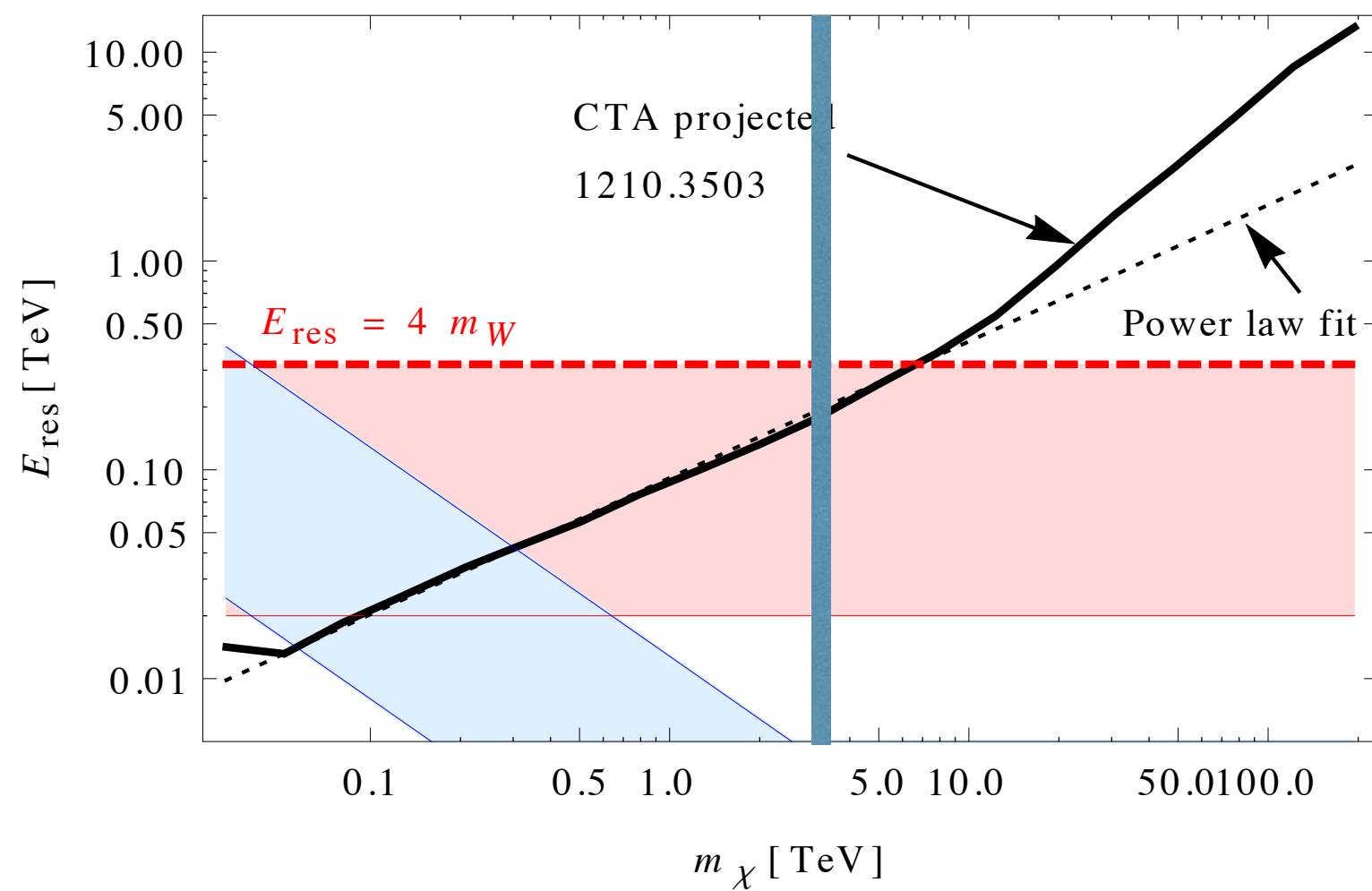
$$E_{\text{res}} \sim m_W \text{ (1903.08702)}$$



See also **Baumgart et al**  
(1712.07656 and  
1808.08956)

for the  $E_{\text{res}} \gg m_W$  case

# Energy resolution



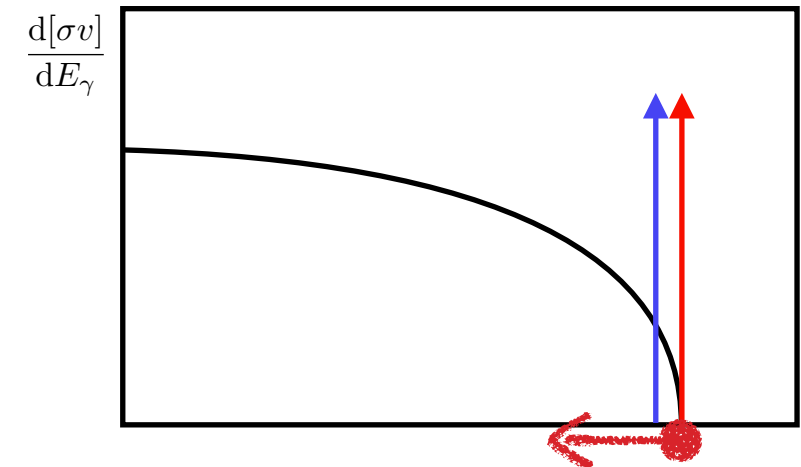
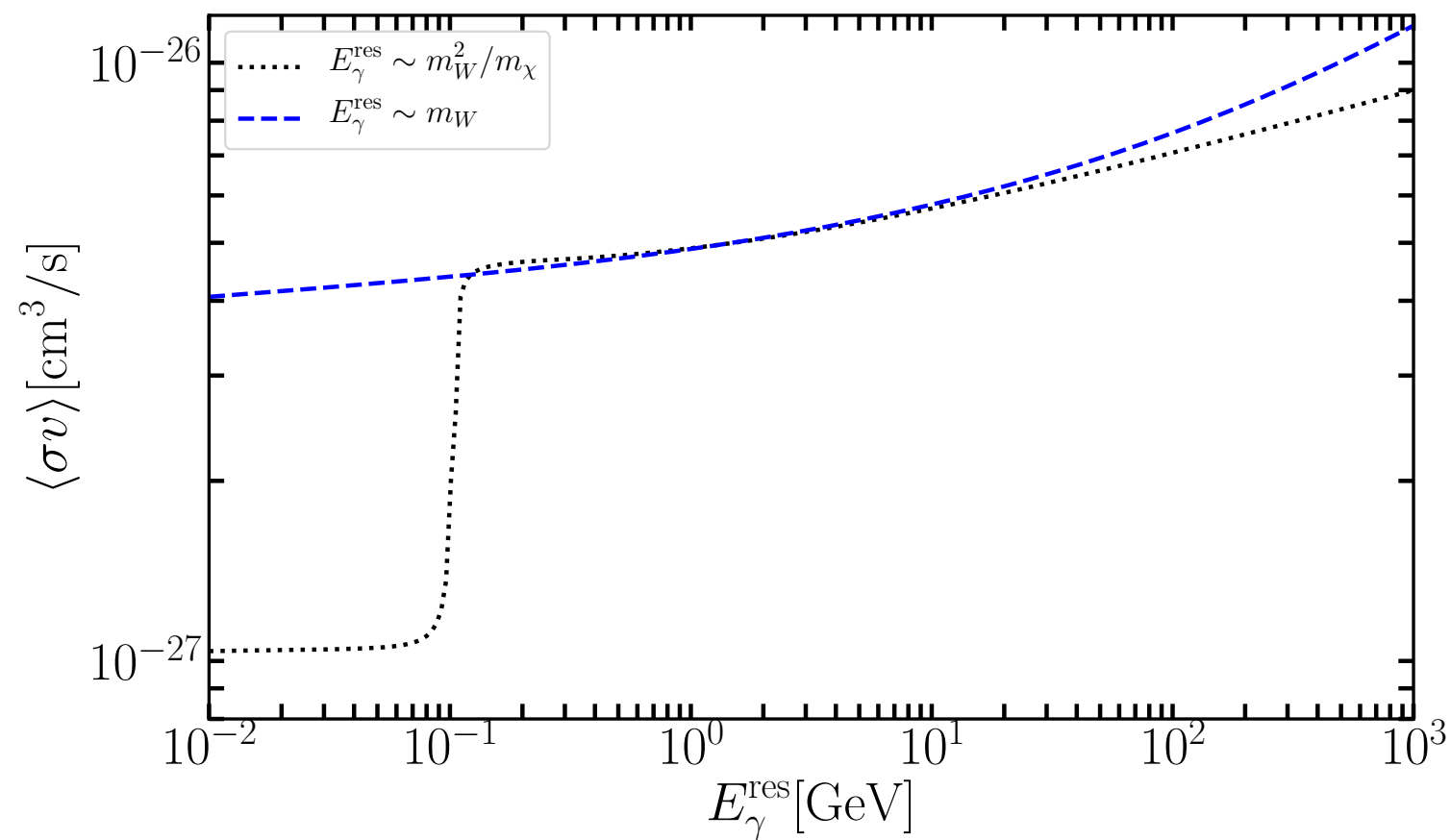
# Factorization theorem. Exclusive Wino $\chi\chi \rightarrow \gamma + X$ annihilation

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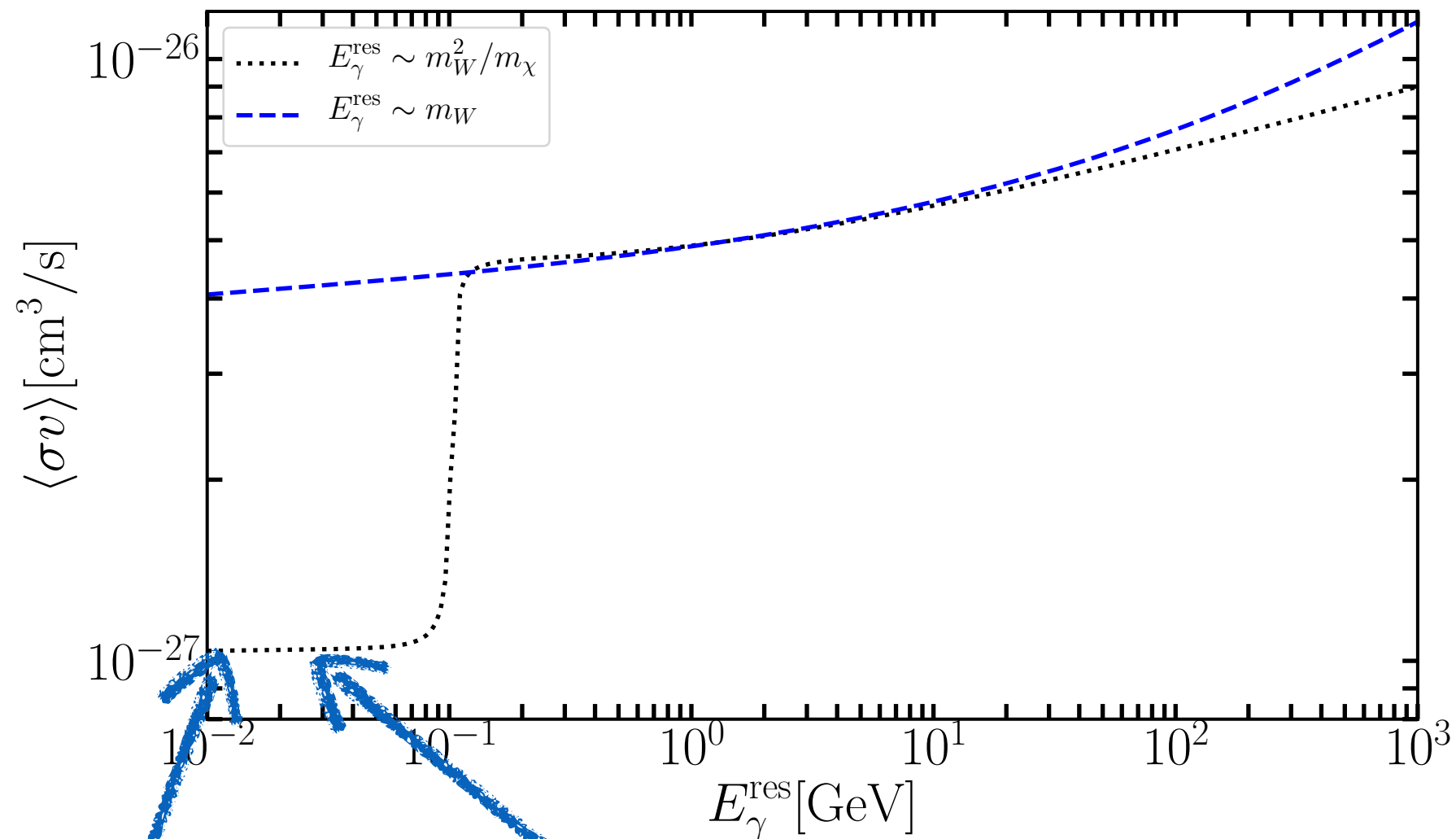
$$\Gamma_{IJ}(E_\gamma) = \frac{1}{4} \frac{2}{\pi m_\chi} \sum_{i,j=1,2} C_j^*(\mu_W) C_i(\mu_W) Z_\gamma(\mu_W, \nu_W) \\ \times \int J(4m_\chi(m_\chi - E_\gamma - \omega/2), \mu_W) W_{IJ}^{ij}(\omega, \mu_W, \nu_W)$$

# Energy-integrated cross section

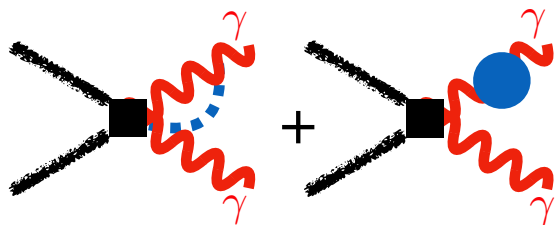




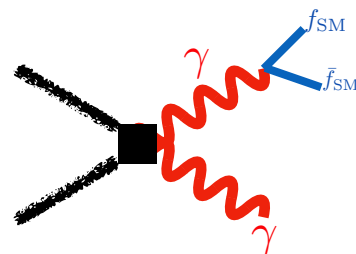
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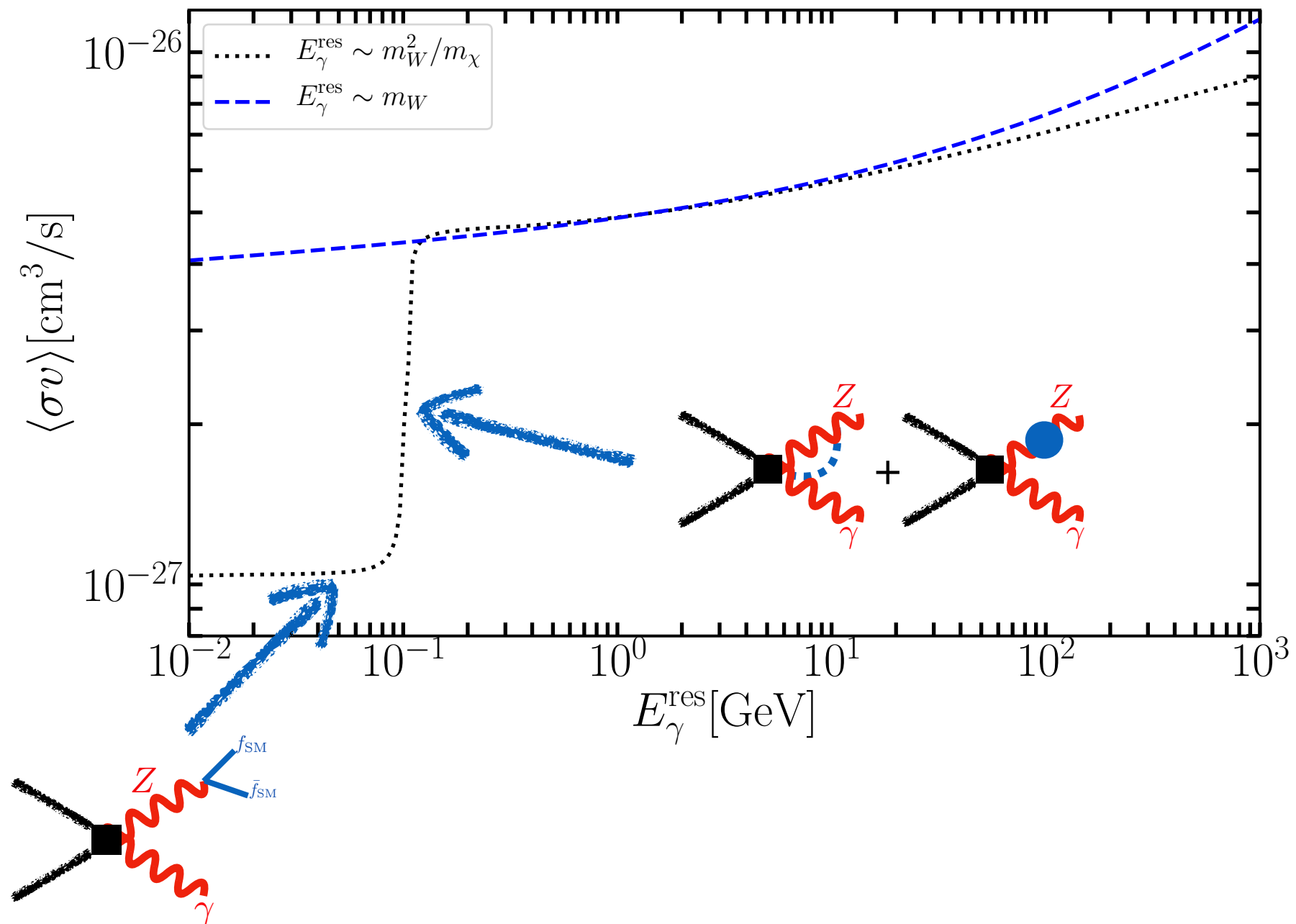
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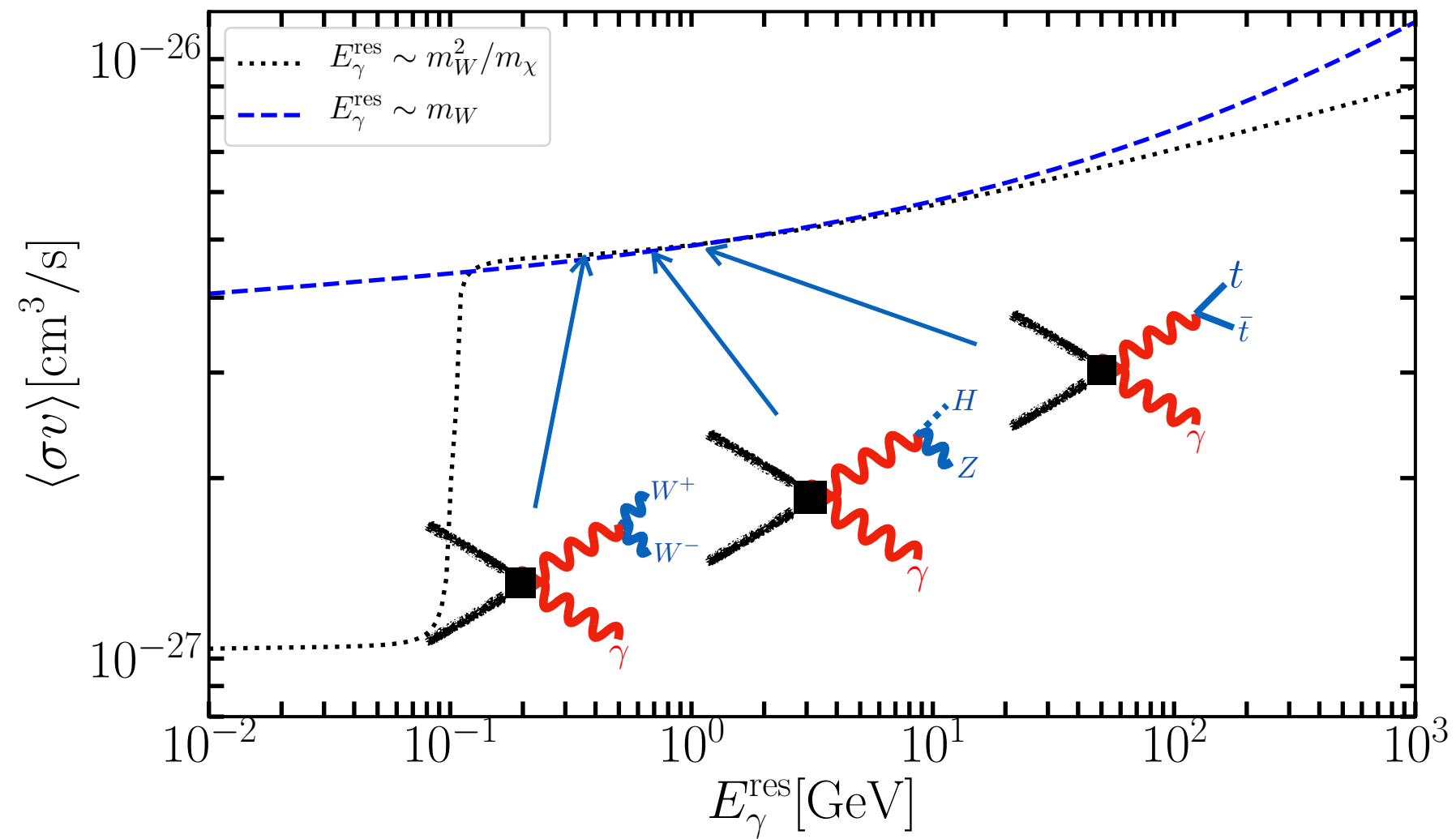
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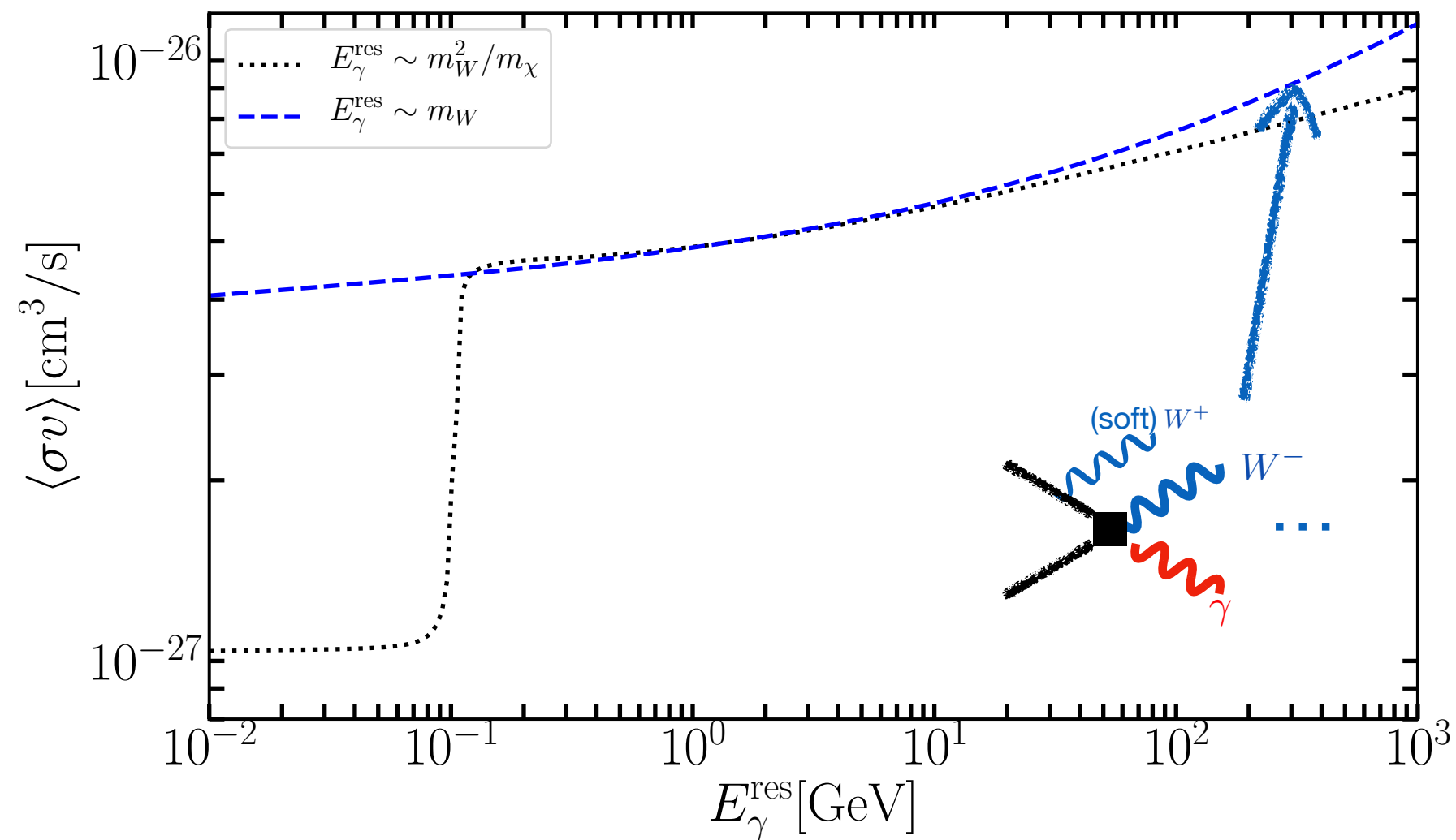
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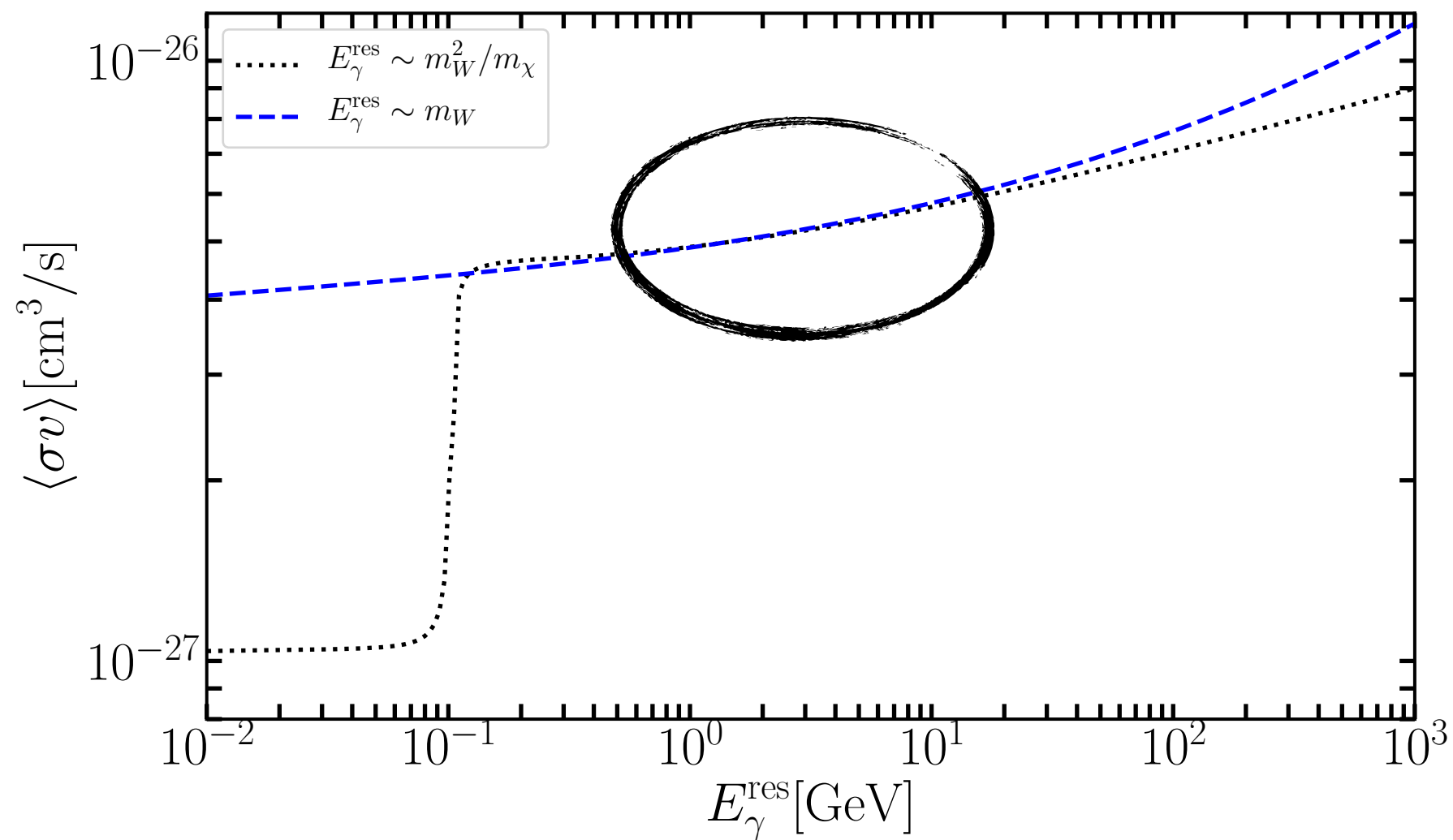
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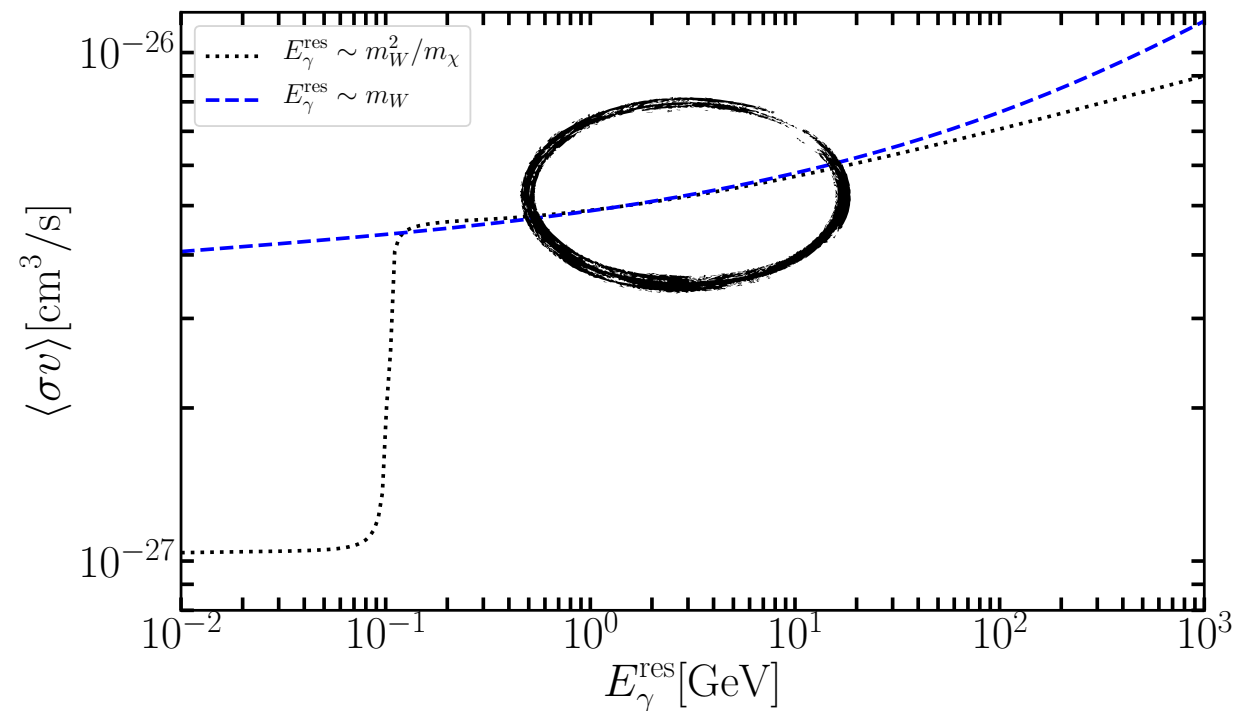
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## Not an obvious result

Can be understood by expanding our factorization formulas at fixed orders



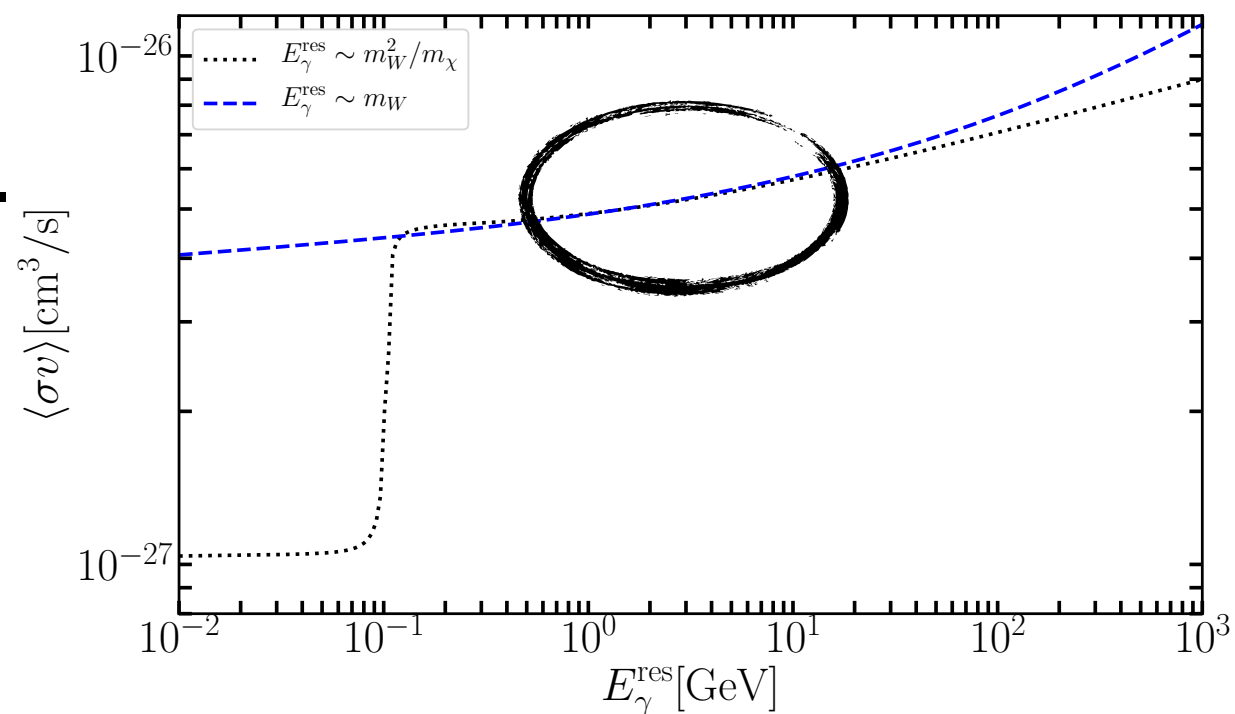
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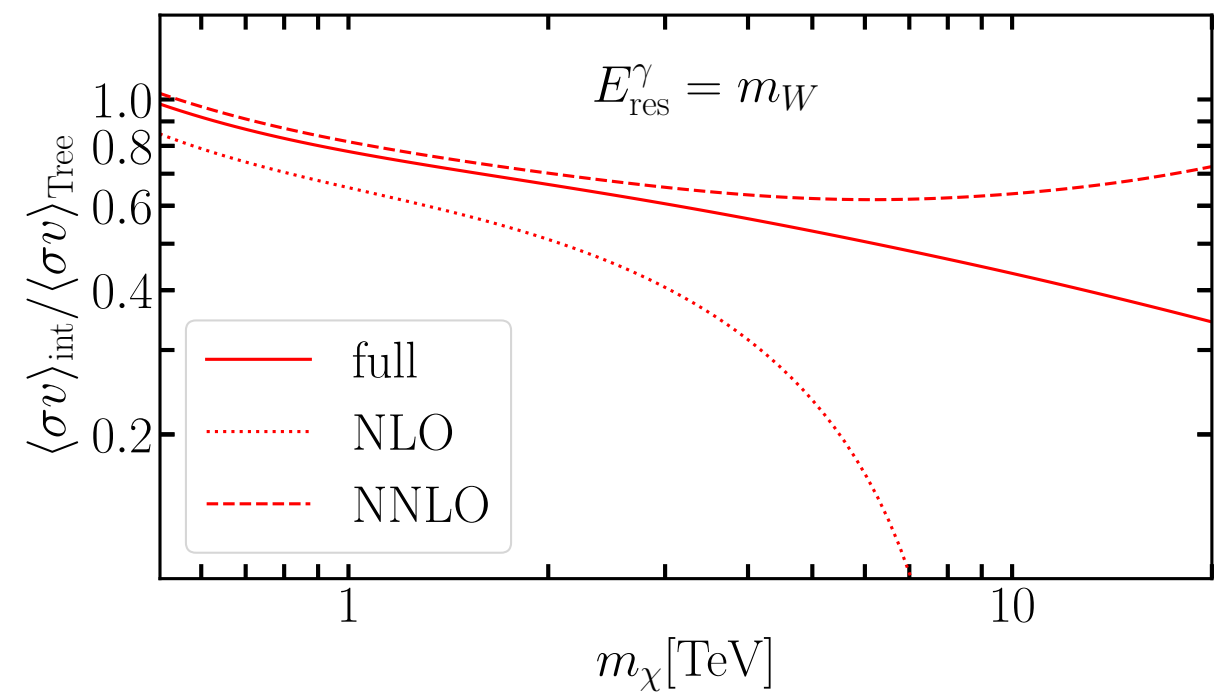
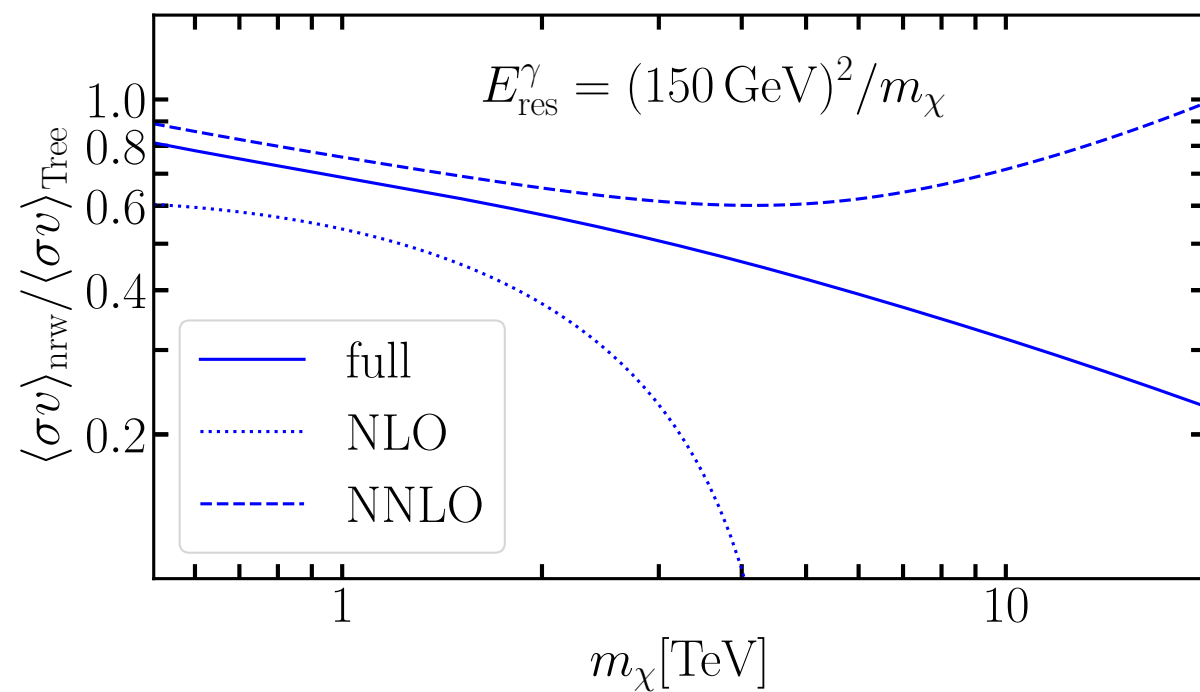
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Factorization-theorem dependent

- Coefficients are (by definition) of  $\mathcal{O}(1)$  but dependent on  $E_\gamma$
- When evaluated outside the range of validity of the Fact. Th. they can become large
  - (and contribute to the  $(m+1)$  term instead)

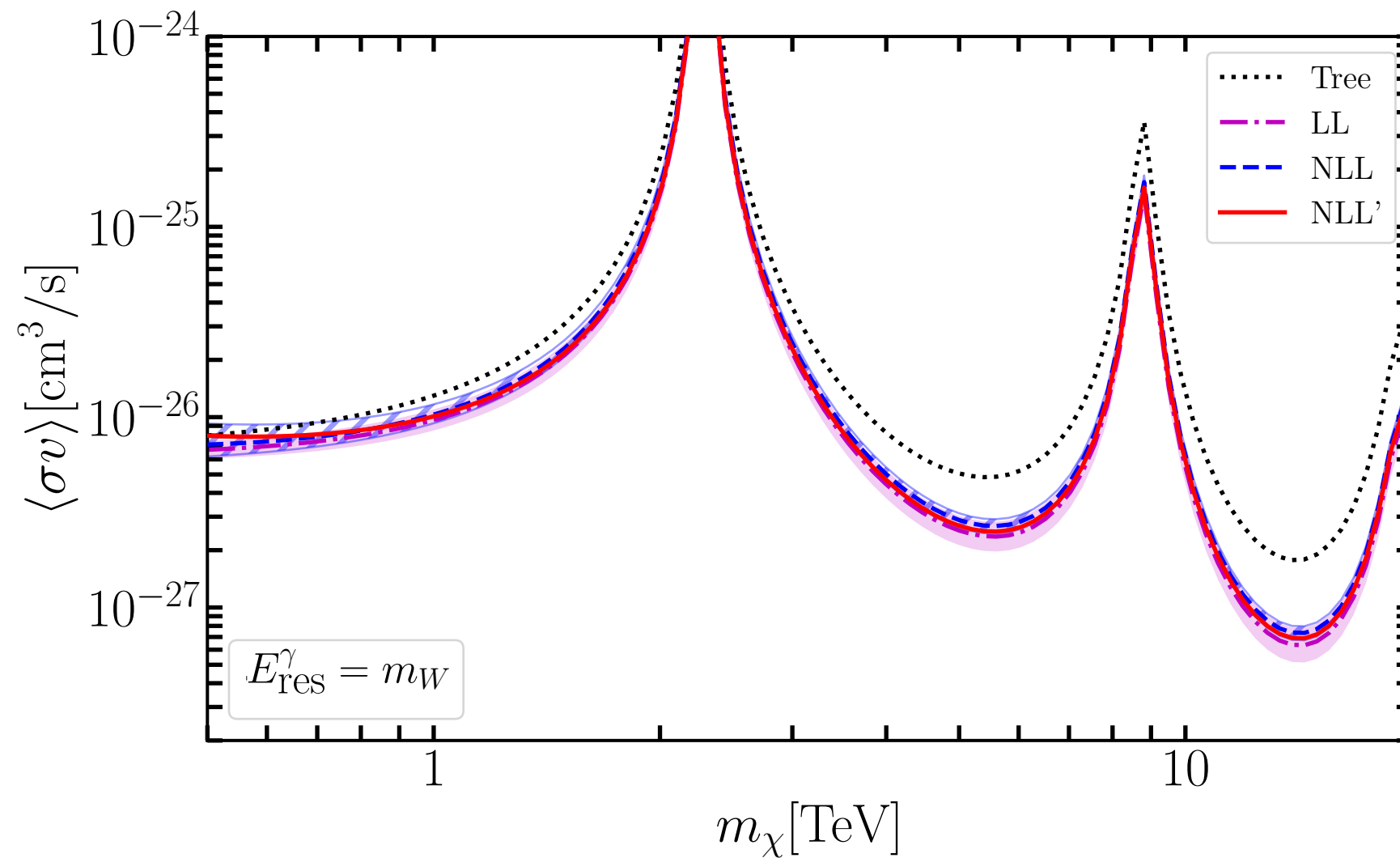


# Further applications of our fixed-order expansions

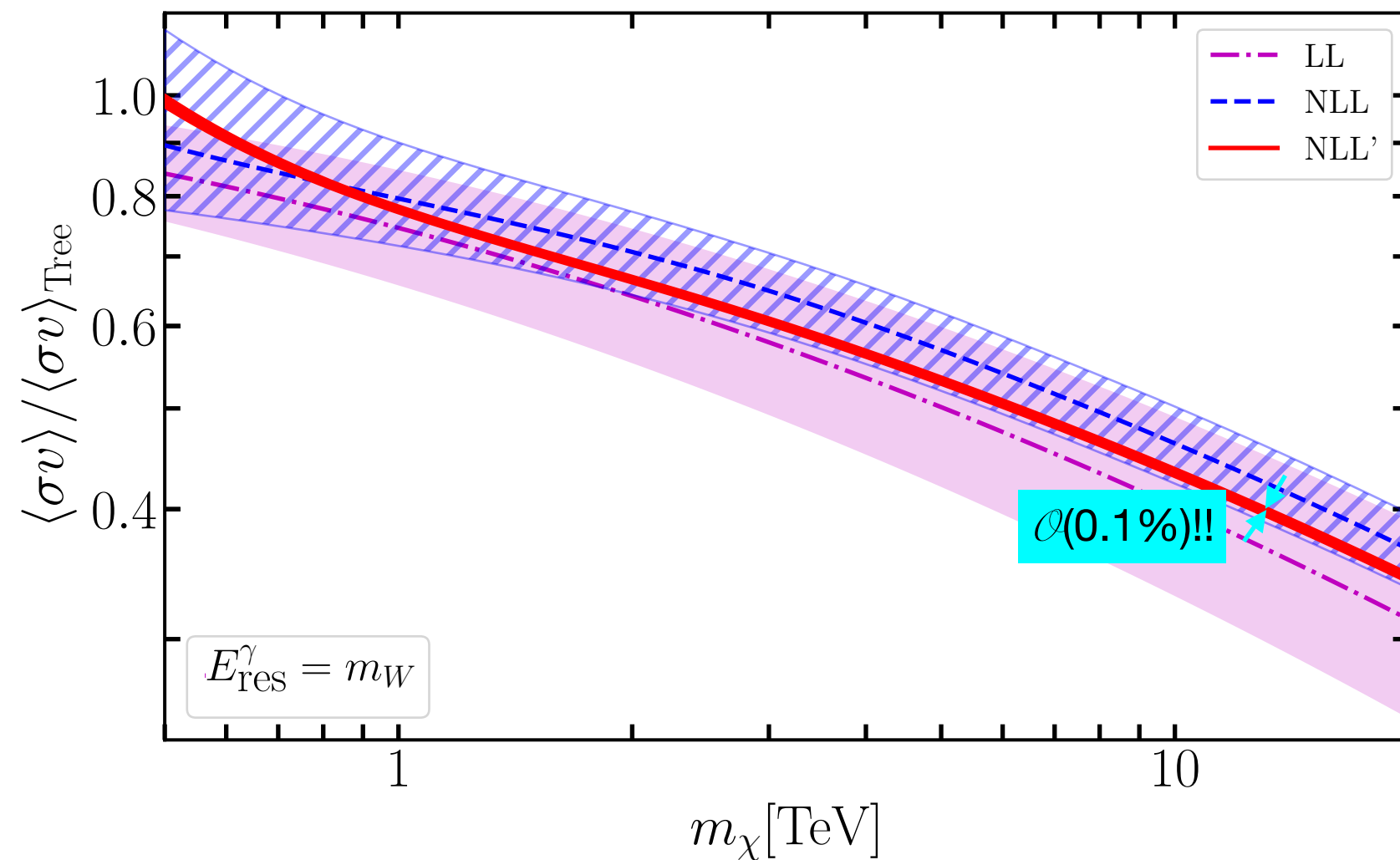




# $\chi\chi \rightarrow \gamma + X$ cross sections ( $E_{\text{res}} \sim m_W$ )



# Effect of the Sudakov resummation



# Summary

Sudakov is the new Sommerfeld for indirect DM detection

$$\text{Flux} \simeq \frac{1}{8\pi m_\chi^2} \times J \times S_{(+ -)(+ -)} e^{-\frac{\alpha_2}{\pi} \frac{3}{4} \ln^2 \frac{4m_\chi^2}{m_W^2}} \frac{2\pi \hbar^2 c^3 \alpha_2^2 \sin^2 \theta_W}{m_\chi^2} \delta(E_\gamma - m_\chi)$$

# Conclusions

- Heavy WIMP region will be probed by indirect detection observations in the near future.
- Learned how to handle the technically/conceptually involved problem of correctly predicting cross sections that are relevant for spectral multi-TeV  $\gamma$ -ray line searches in two regimes: *narrow* and *intermediate* energy resolution
- Employed these methods on wino DM (**higgsino DM** coming soon!)
  - Reduced theoretical uncertainties down to the **permille** level for the (intermediate) *energy resolutions of the CTA* at the interesting mass range of 1-10 TeV
  - Observed a remarkable matching of the two factorization formulas in the “transition” region (narrow  $\longleftrightarrow$  intermediate resolutions)