

NPOD status

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Ptarmigan input (e.g. phase-1)

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control:
  dt_multiplier: 0.2
  pair_creation: false
  rng_seed: 17

laser:
  # xi = 147.839 sqrt(E [J]) lambda [micron] / (w0 [micron] sqrt(t [fs]))
  a0: 147.839 * sqrt(laser_energy) * wavelength / (waist * sqrt(tau))
  wavelength: wavelength
  fwhm_duration: tau * femto
  waist: waist
  polarization: circular

beam:
# ne: 100000000 # 1.0e8 => weight = 15
ne: 10000000 # 1.0e7 => weight = 15
charge: 1.5e9 * e
gamma: initial_gamma
sigma: 0.001 * initial_gamma
radius: [5.0 * micro, normally_distributed]
length: 24.0 * micro
collision_angle: -17.2 * degree
rms_divergence: 8.672 * micro

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output:
  ident: auto
  dump_all_particles: hdf5
  discard_background_e: true
  file_format: fits
  electron: [energy]
  photon: [energy]

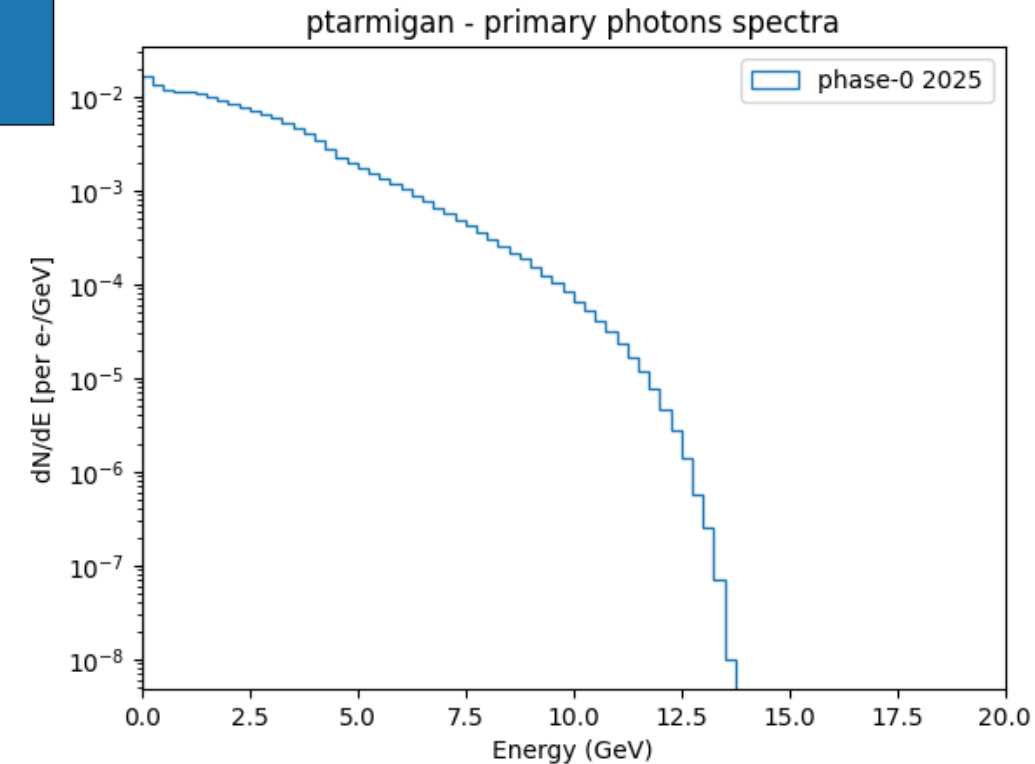
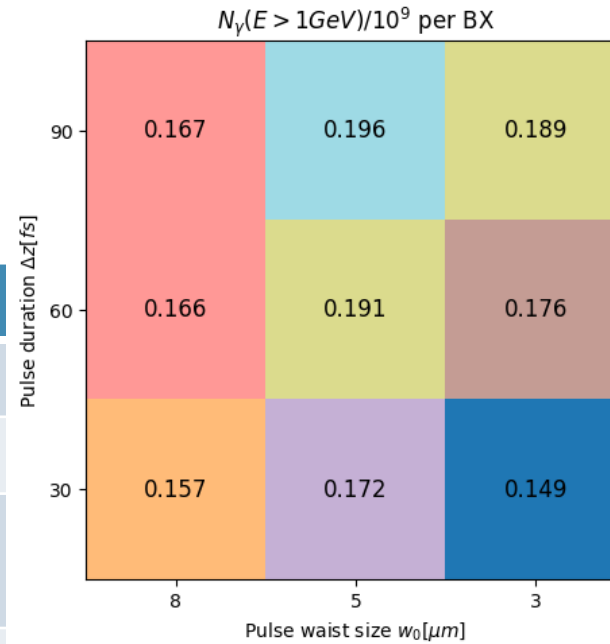
stats:
  photon:
    - total number
    - total number for energy in (1000; auto)

constants:
  laser_energy: 10.0 # joules
  wavelength: 0.8 * micro
  waist: 10.0 * micro
  tau: 120.0 # femto
  initial_gamma: 16.5 * GeV / (me * c^2)

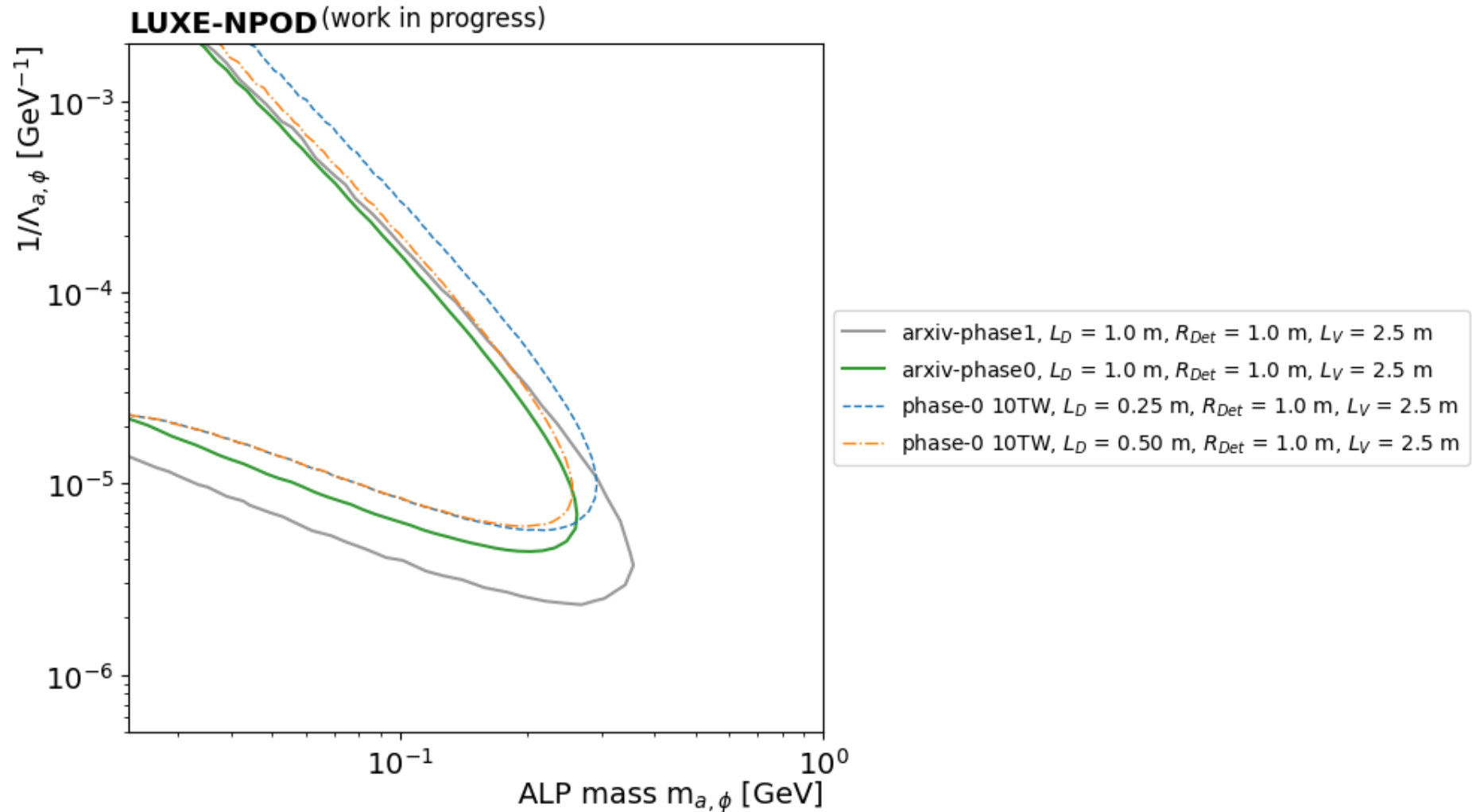
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Phase-0 10TW

Phase-1 350TW	today
Ptarmigan	v1.4.2
Focal spot	5 μm
Laser pulse duration	30 fs
ξ	2.37 (0.25J)
Dump	Tungsten, LD=50cm
Decay volume	2.5 m
G4	Full LUXE setup with W+Pb dump. G4 v11
detector	R=1 m
Simulated full BXs	1

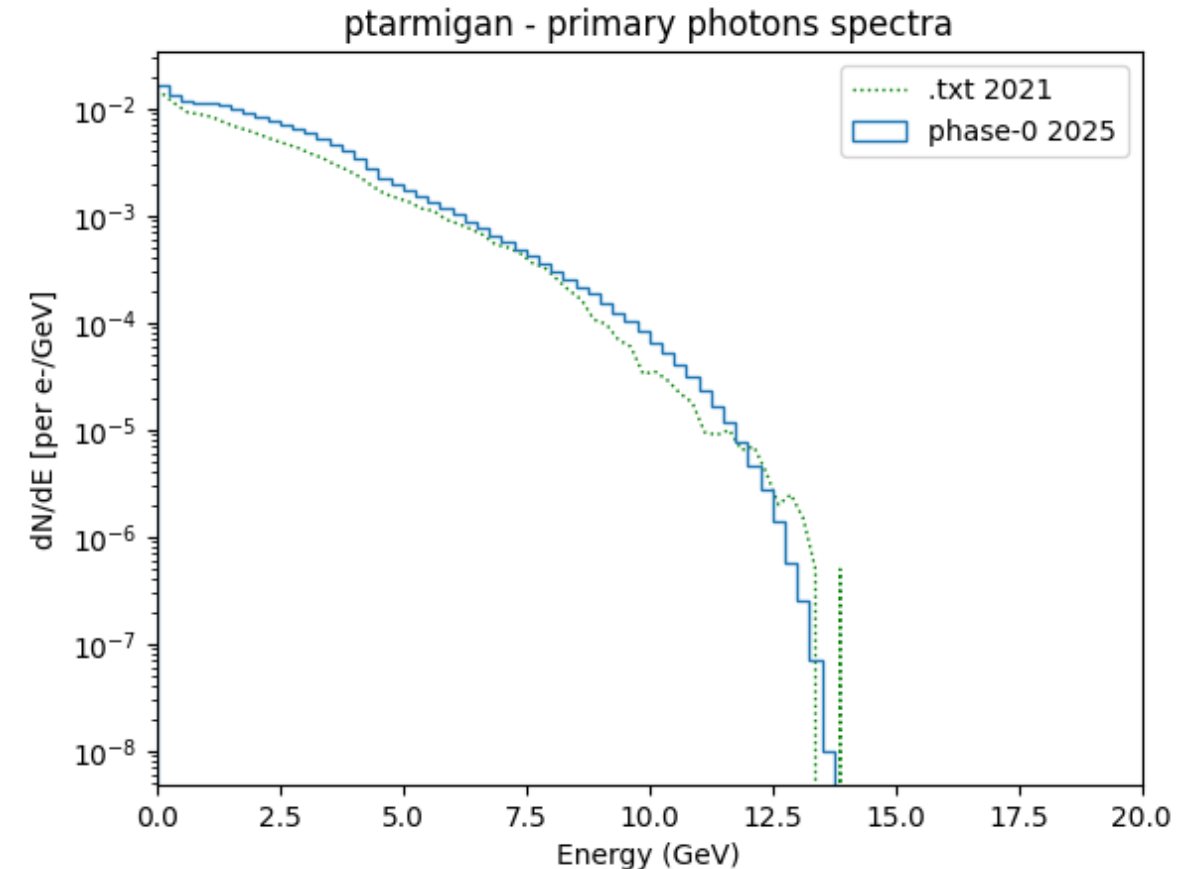


Phase-0 10TW



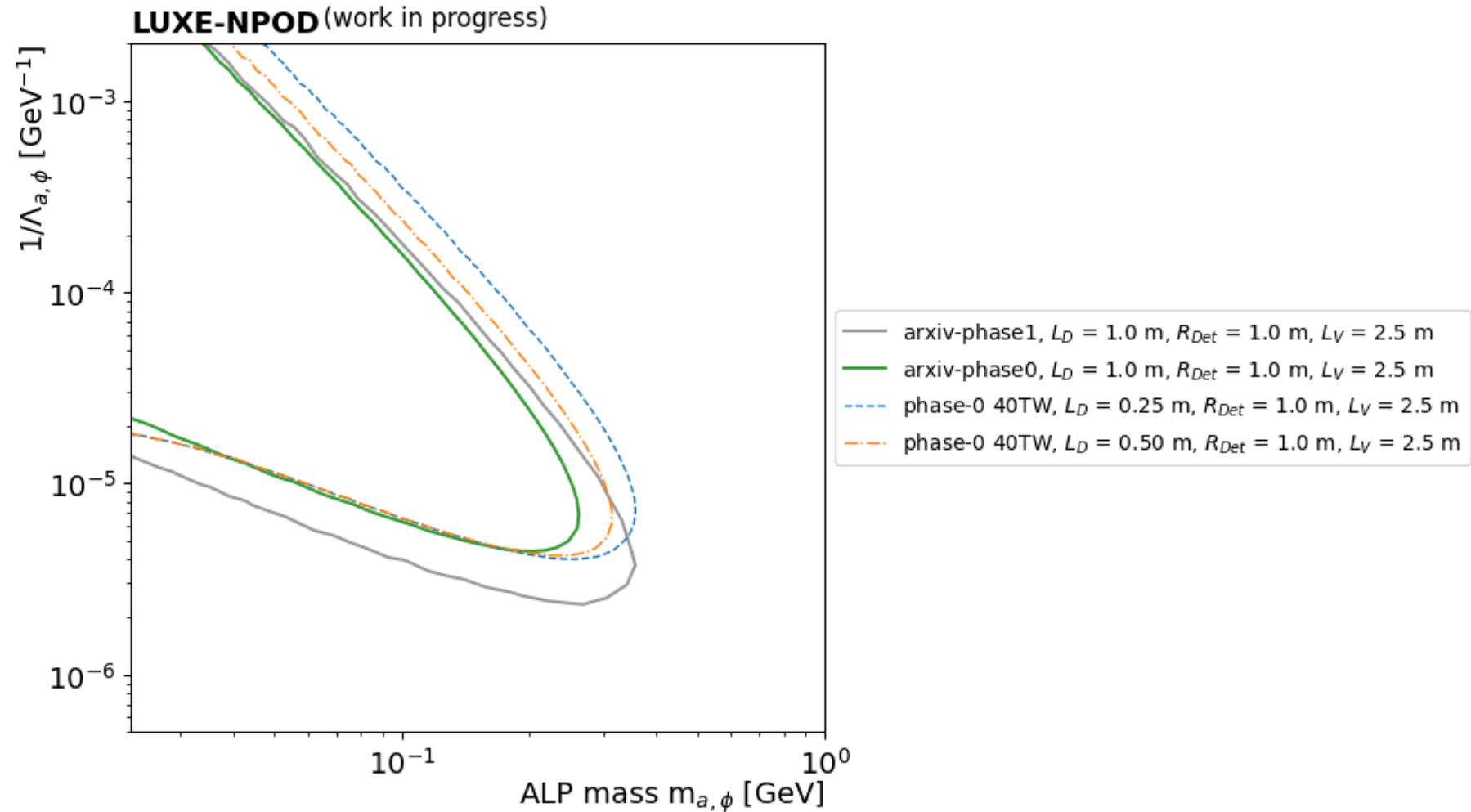
Phase-0 40TW

Phase-0 40TW	2021	today
Ptarmigan	v0.11	v1.4.2
Focal spot	6.5 μm	6.5 μm
Laser pulse duration	25 fs	25 fs
ξ	2.39	3.63 (laser energy 1J)
Dump	W, LD=50cm	W, LD=50cm
Decay volume	2.5 m	1 m
G4	Toy model. G4 v10.06	Full LUXE setup with W+Pb dump. G4 v11
detector	R=1 m	R=1m
Simulated full BXs	2	1

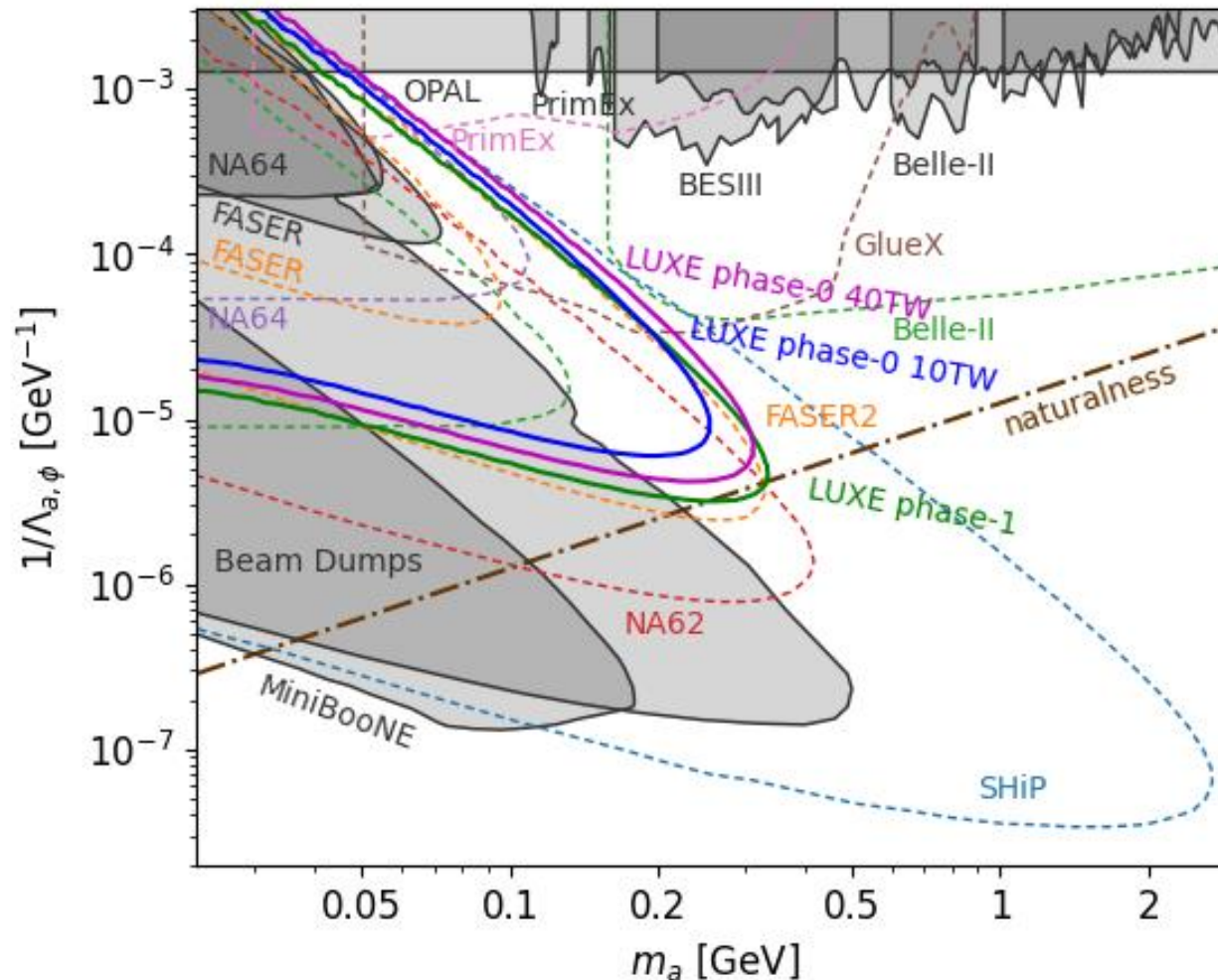


80 bins - (0,20)

Phase-0 40TW



LUXE-NPOD sensitivity



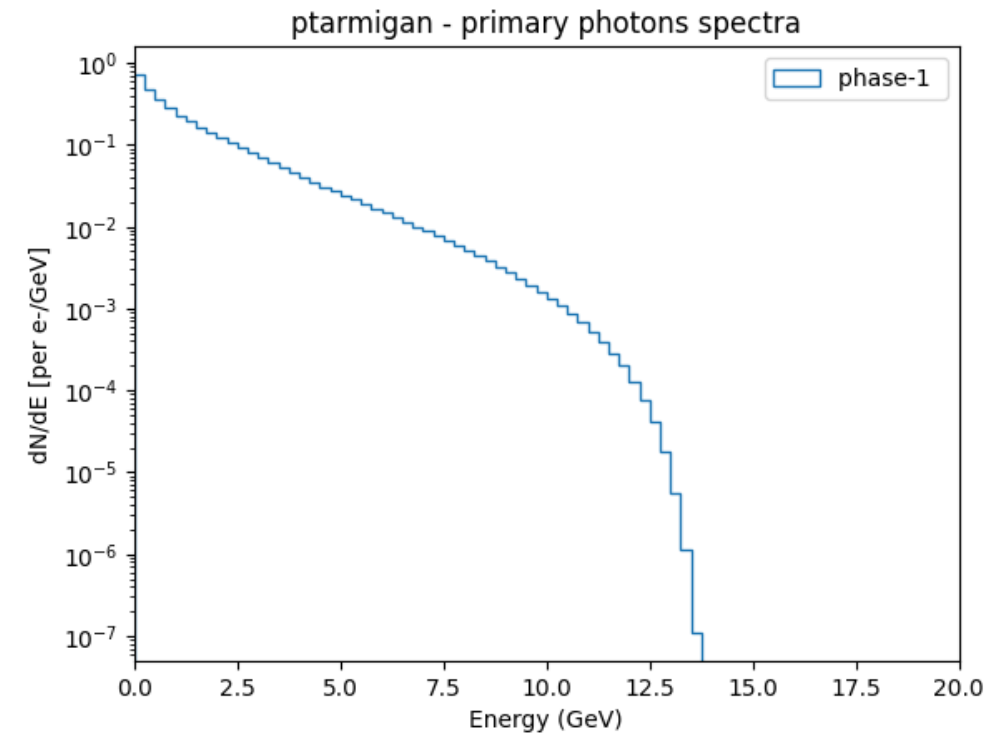
- Phase-0 10TW & 40TW:
 - $L_D=50\text{cm}$, $L_V=2.5\text{m}$
- Phase-1 350TW
 - $L_D=1\text{m}$, $L_V=1\text{m}$
- No background seen for phase-0
 $L_D=50\text{cm}$ in G4 simulations (1BX)
- ToDo: G4 simulations for phase-0
 $L_D=25\text{cm}$

Thanks

backup

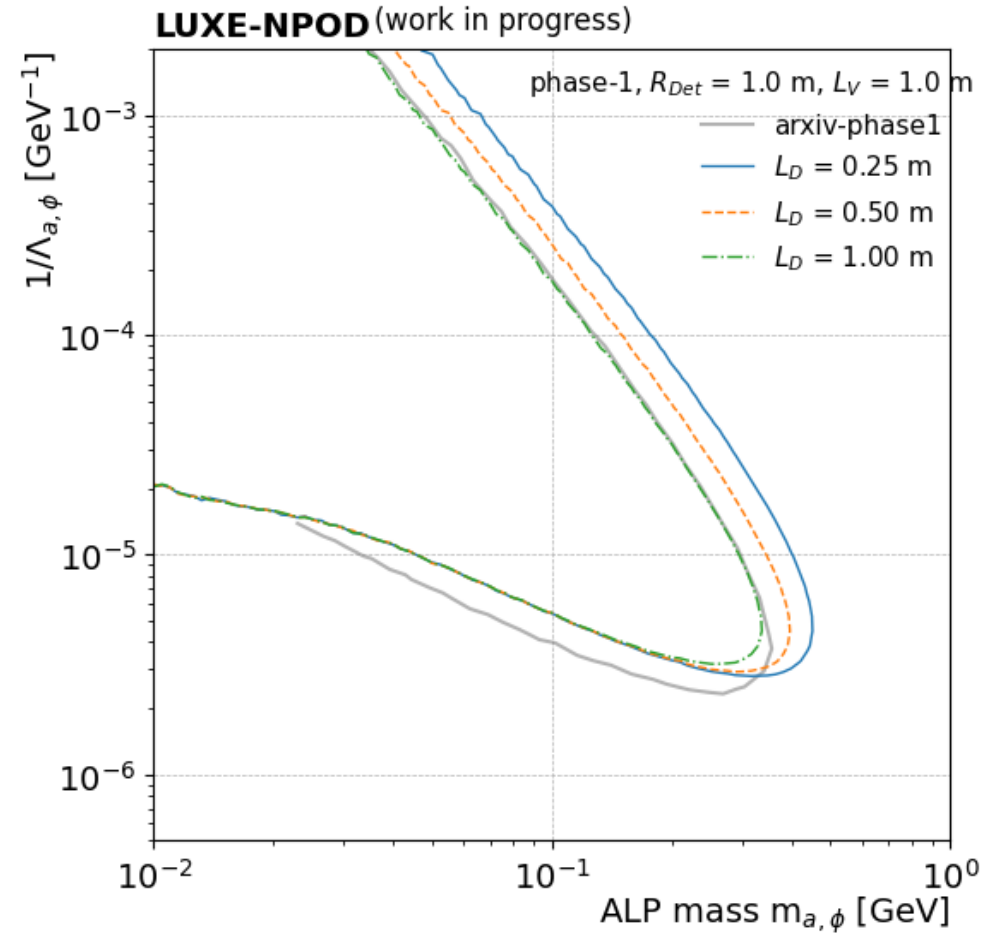
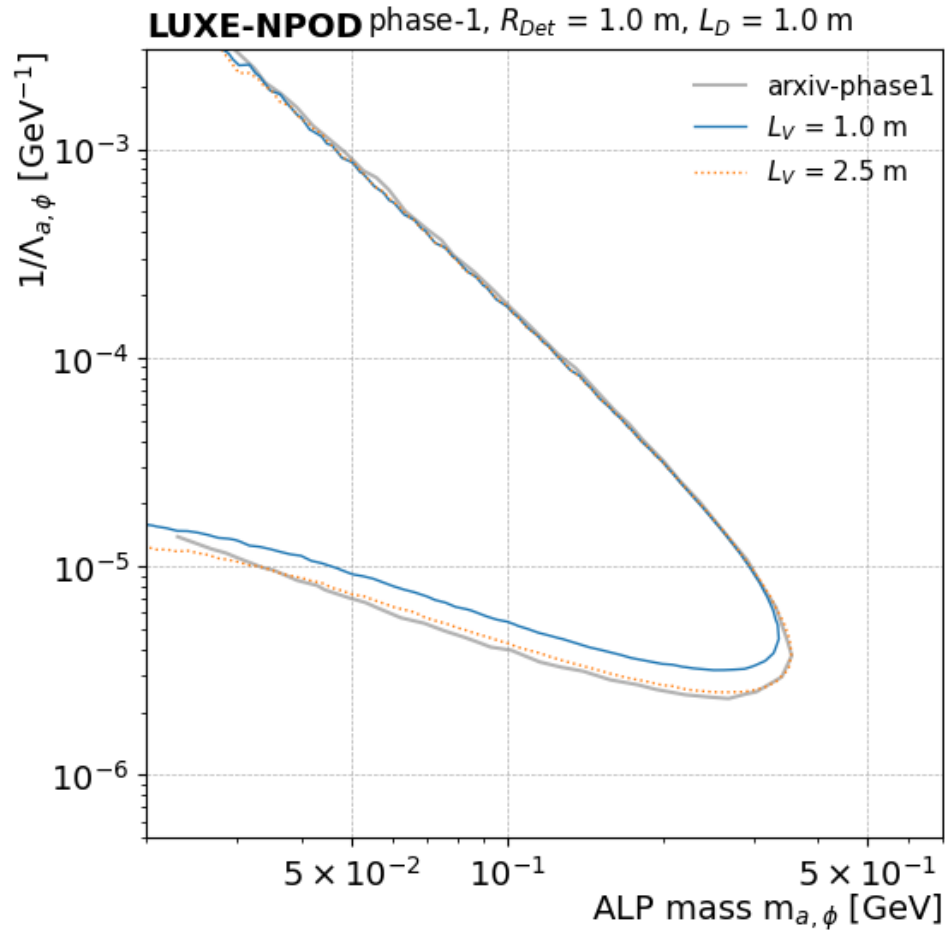
Phase-1

Phase-1 350TW	2021
Ptarmigan	v0.11
Focal spot	10 μm
Laser pulse duration	120 fs
ξ	3.4
Dump	Tungsten, LD=1 m
Decay volume	2.5m
G4	Toy model. G4 v10.06
detector	R=1 m
Simulated full BXs	2

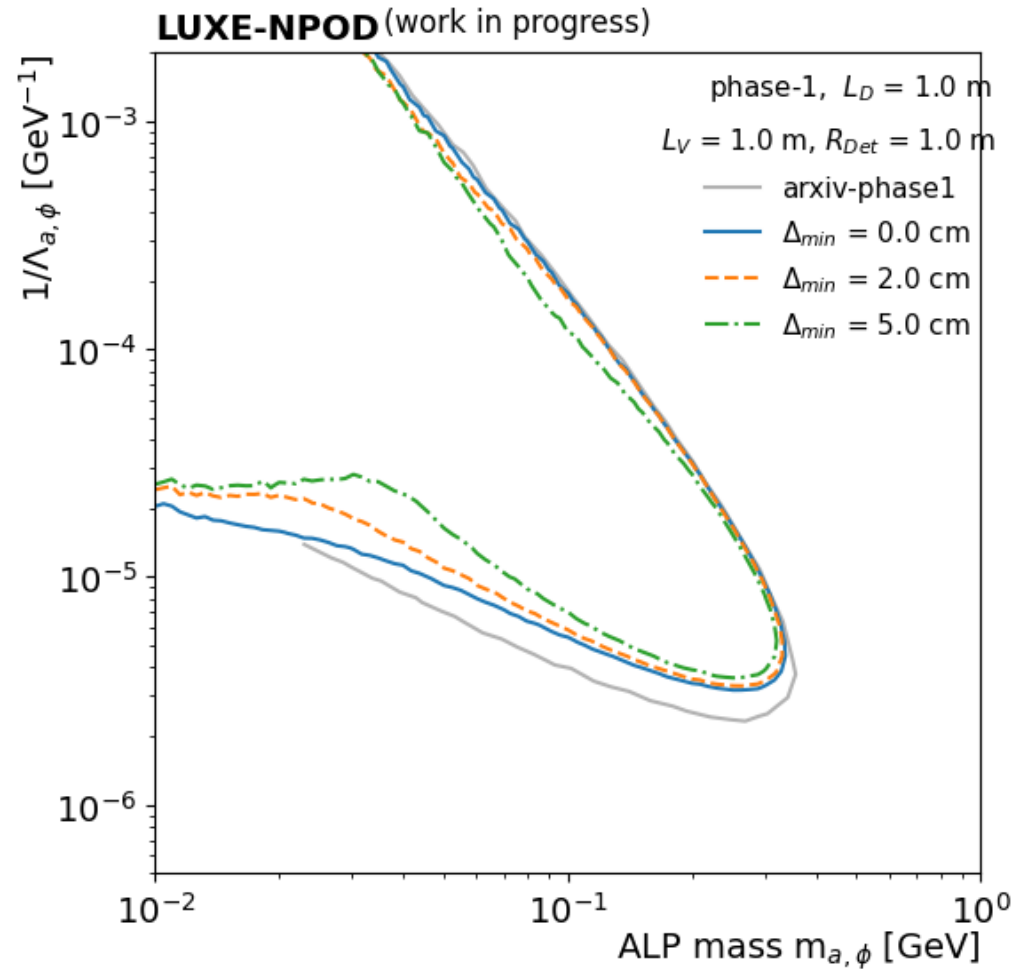
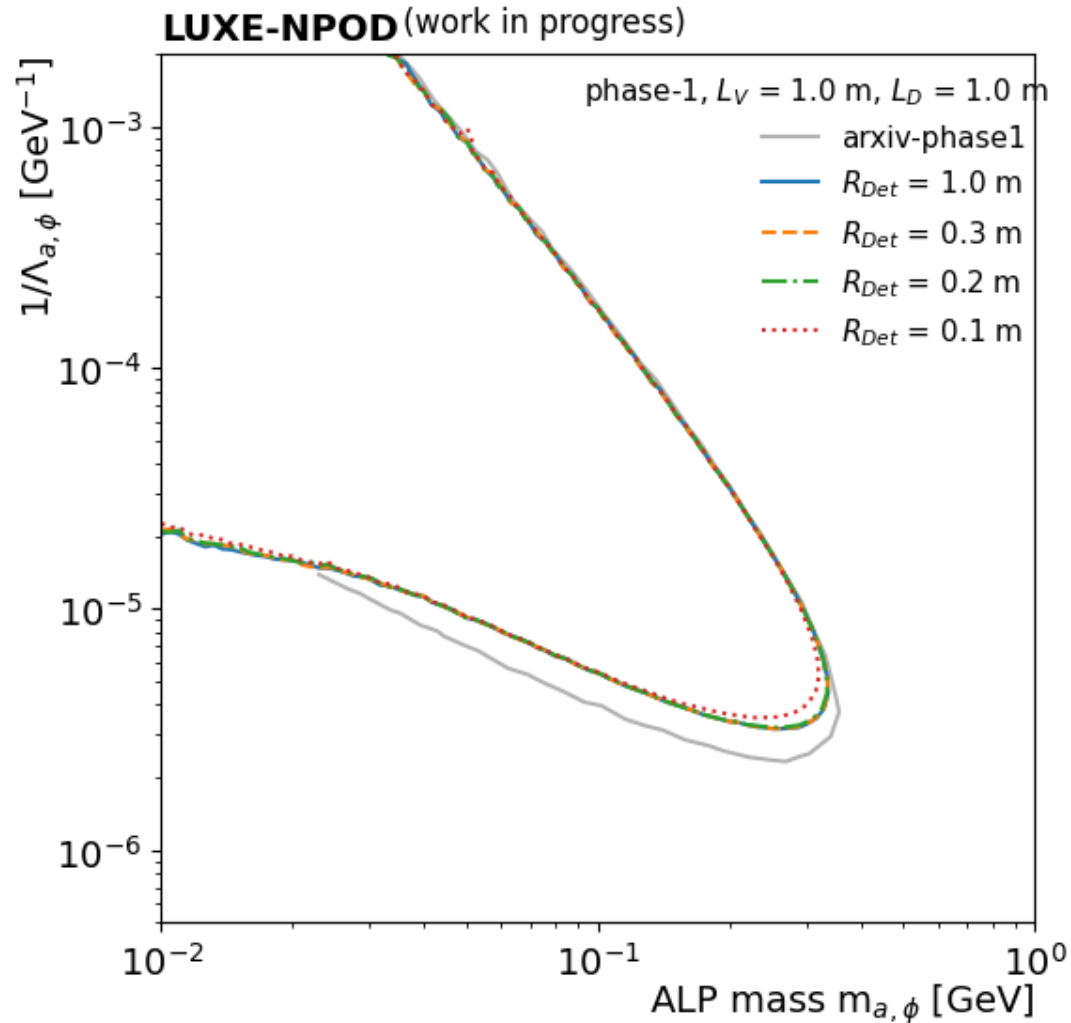


80 bins - (0,20)

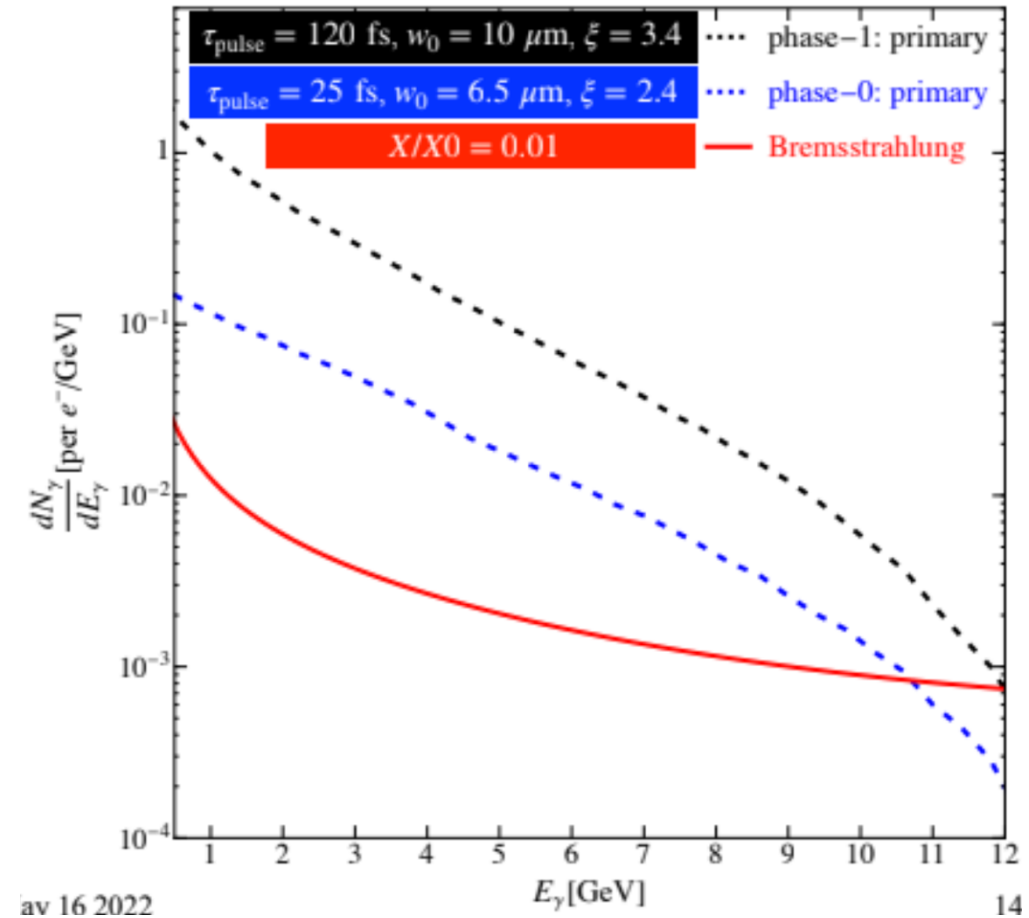
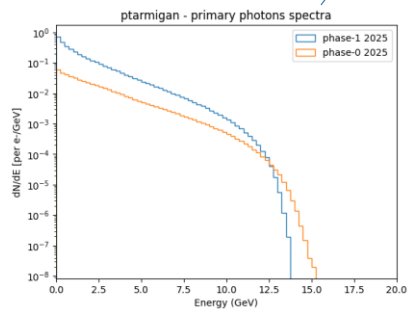
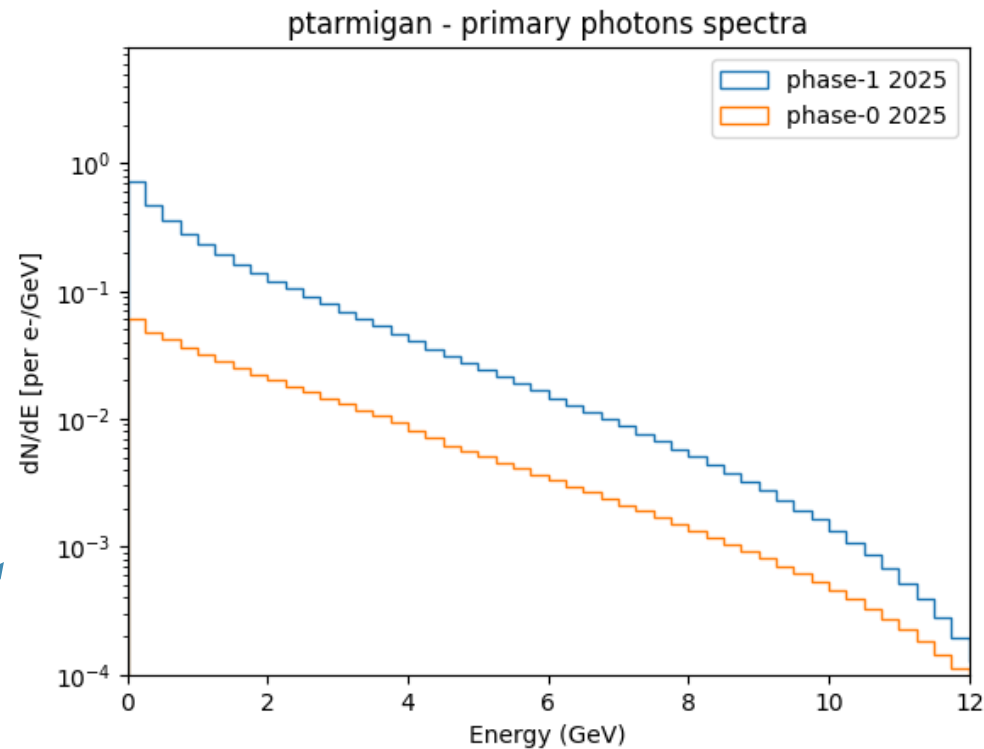
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Primary photons spectra



Sensitivity calculation

see LUXE-NPOD paper eq. 13

$N_e = 1.5e9$ #electrons per bunch

$N_{bx} = 1e7$ #bunch crossings

$\rho_W = 19.3$ # tungsten

$X_0 = 0.35$ # tungsten radiation length

$A_W = 184$ # tungsten atomic number

$m_0 = 1.661 \cdot 10^{-24}$ #nucleus mass

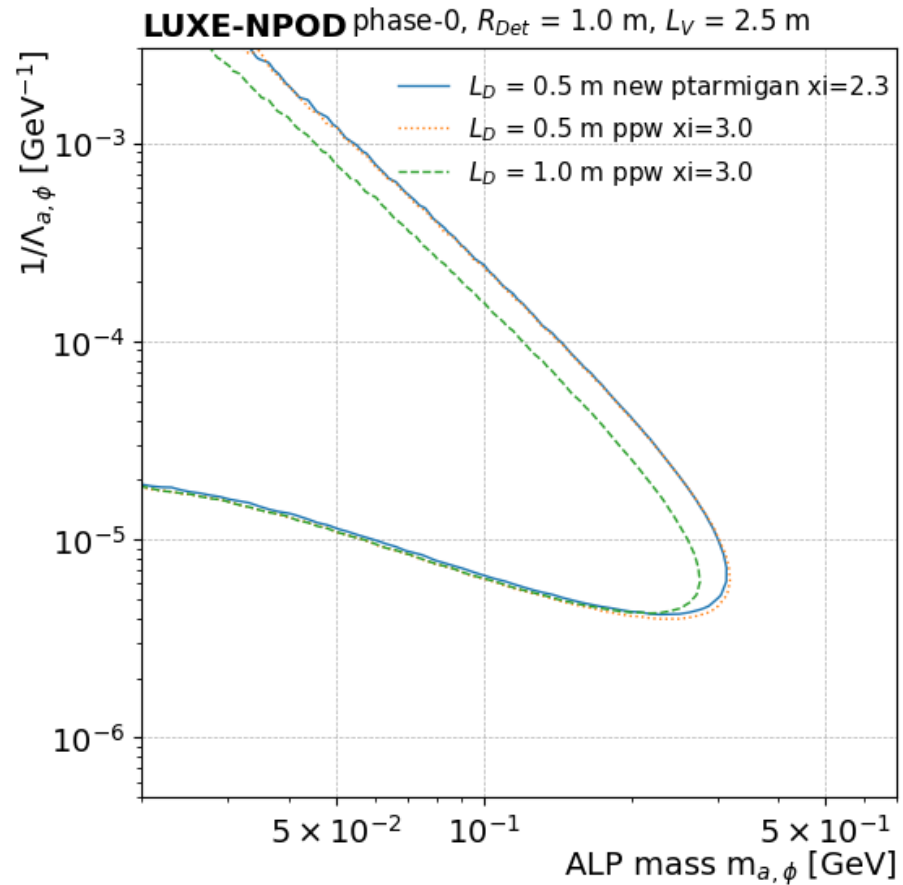
$L_{eff} = N_e \cdot N_{bx} \cdot 9.0 \cdot \rho_W \cdot X_0 / (7.0 \cdot A_W \cdot m_0)$

$L_{eff_pb} = L_{eff} / 1e36$ #luminosity in picobarn

$L_{eff} = 426.26$ pb

Torben's [explanation](#)

NPOD sensitivity with g4



[plots](#)

