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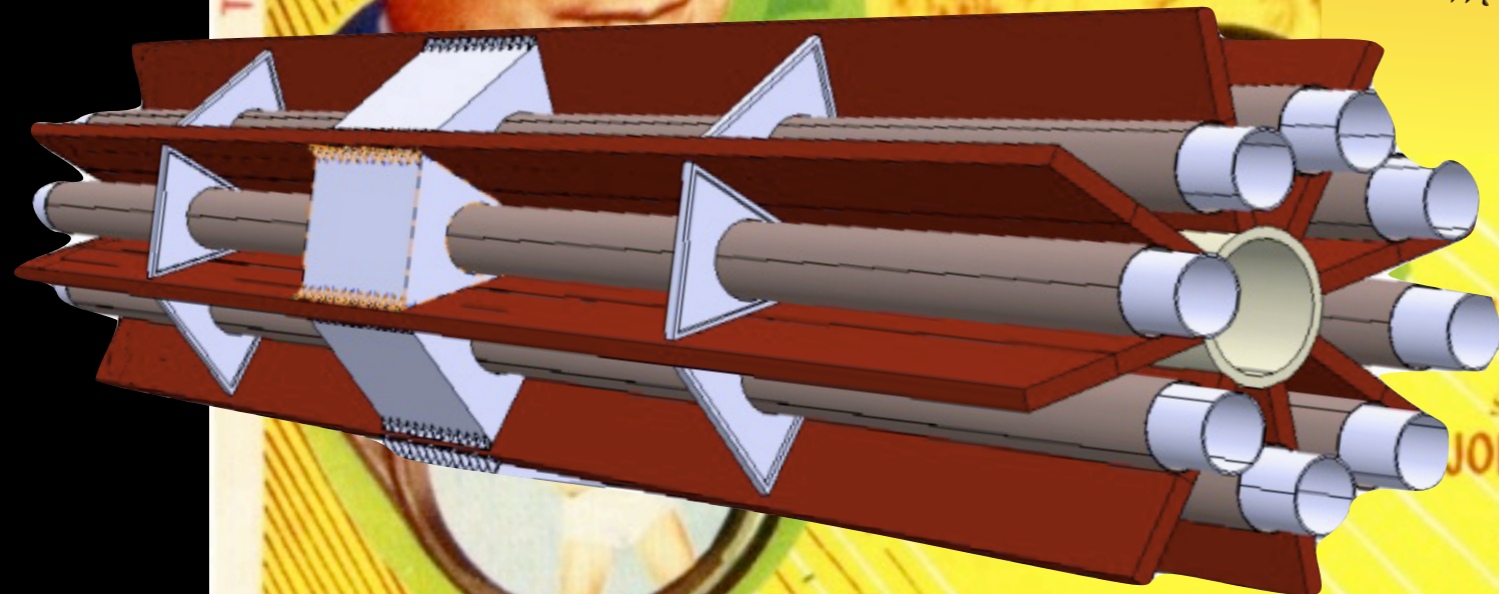
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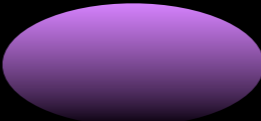
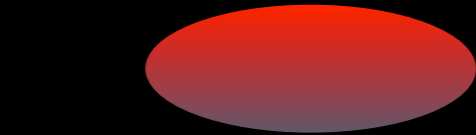
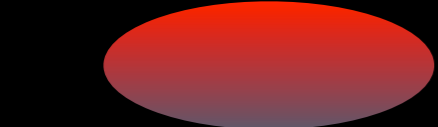


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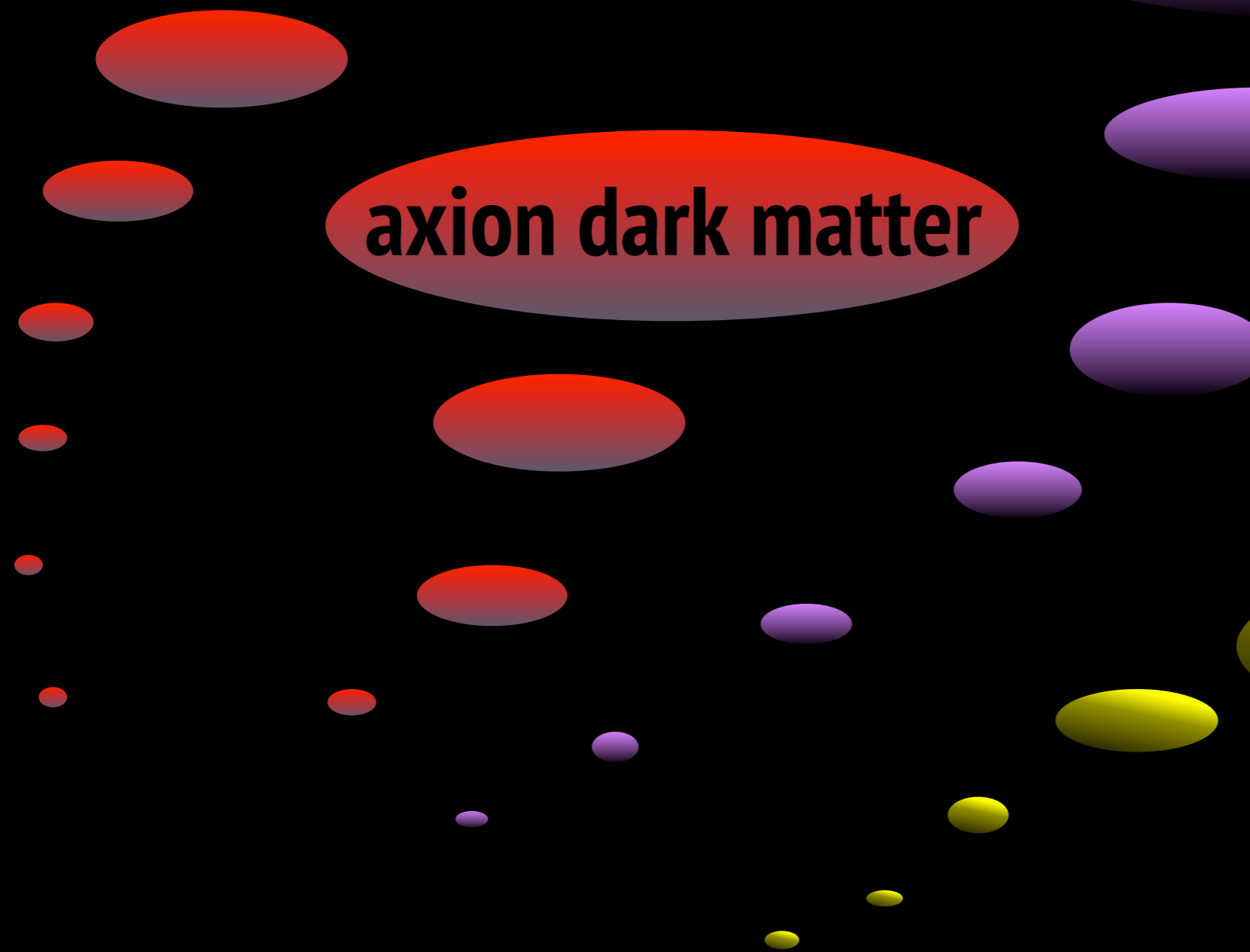
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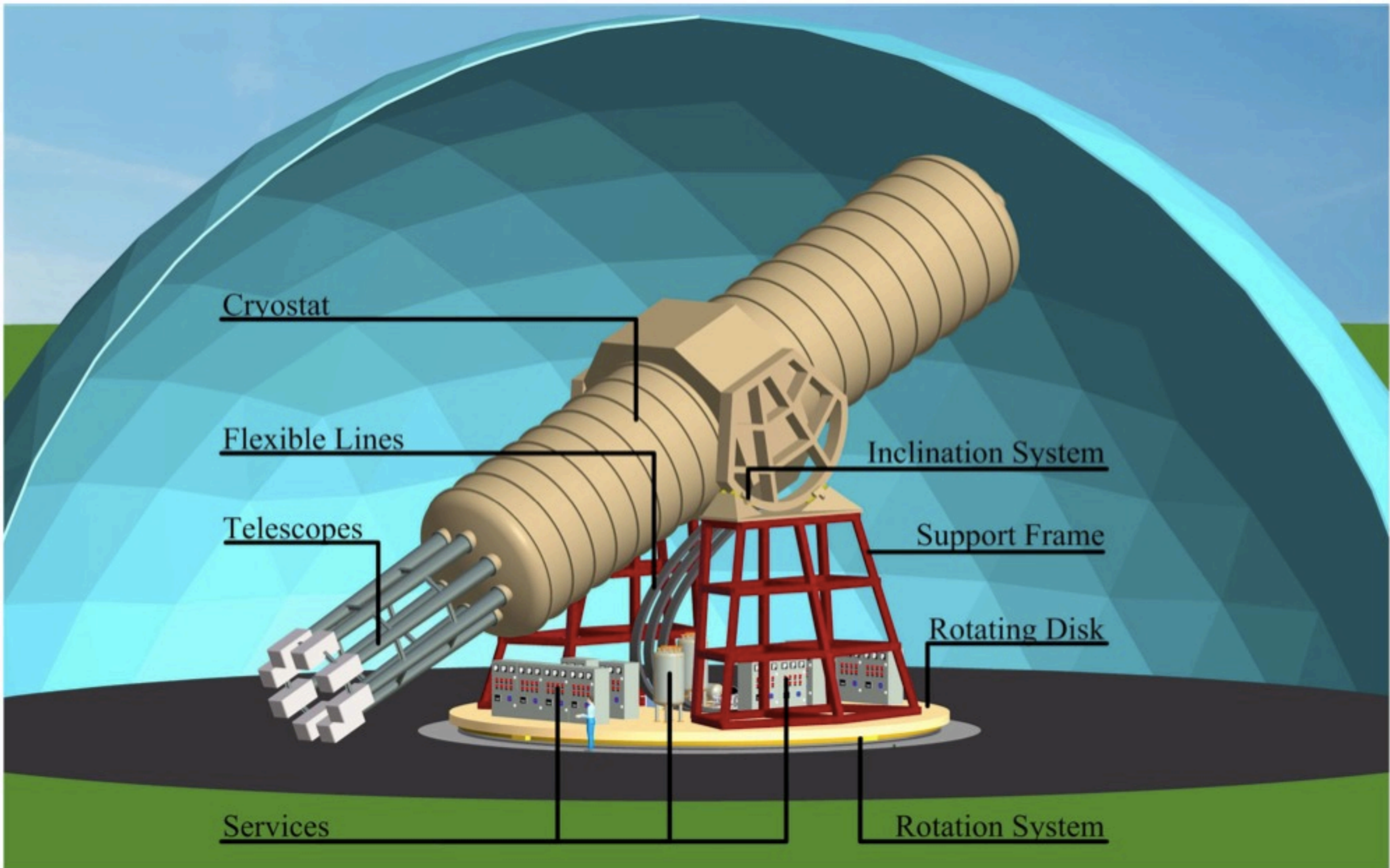
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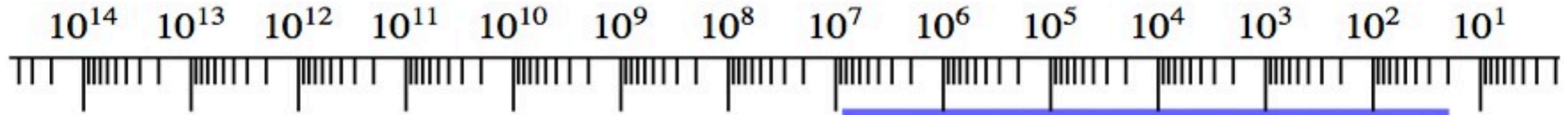


the answer? the largest magnet ever to serve axion physics

IAXO Conceptual design report, Armengaud et al. JINST 9 T05002



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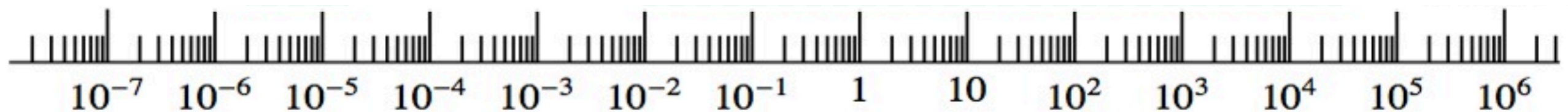
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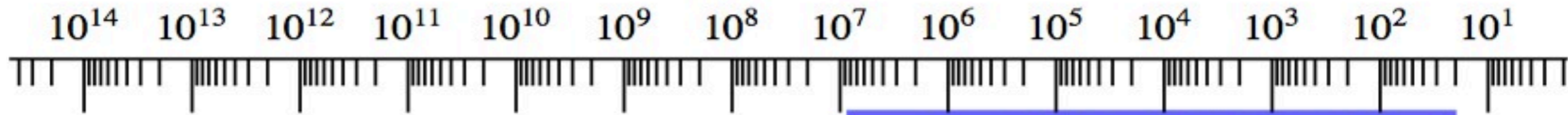
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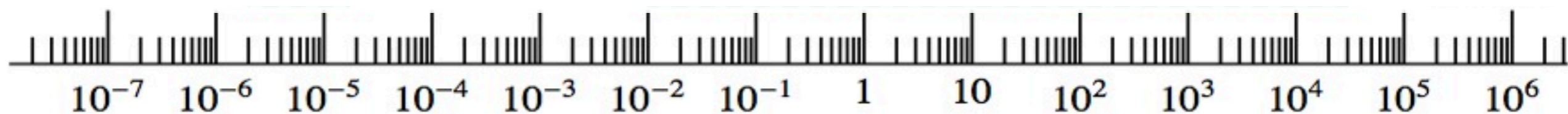
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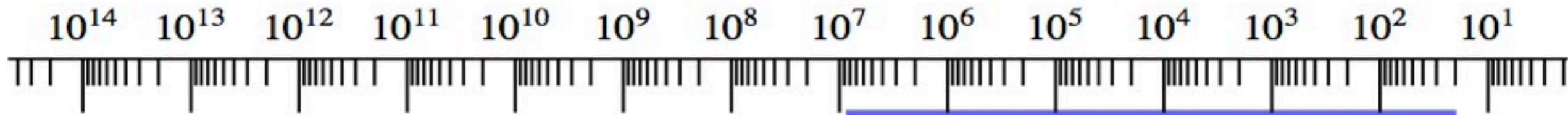
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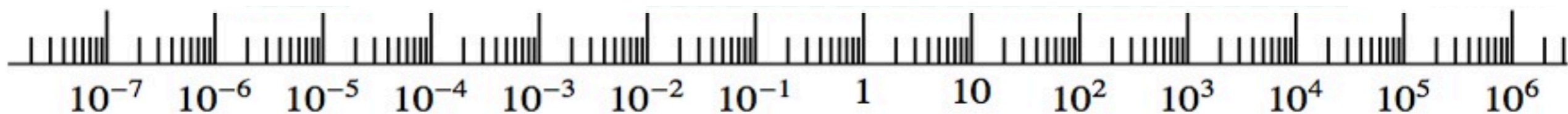
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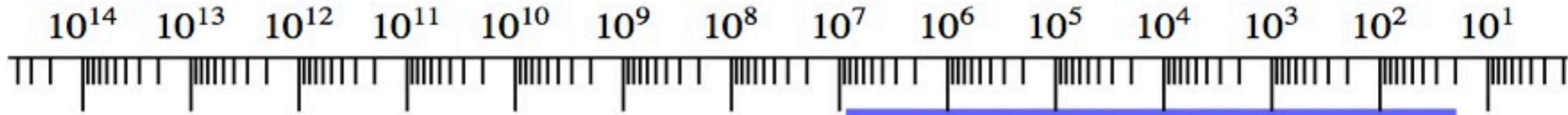
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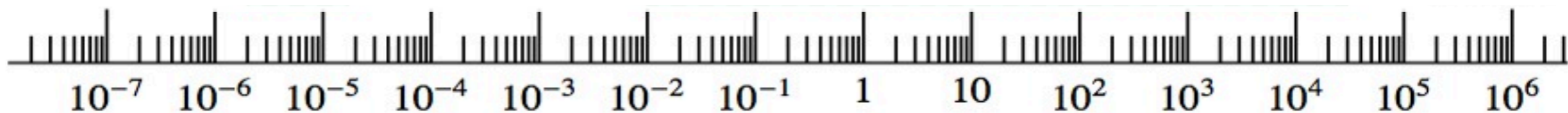
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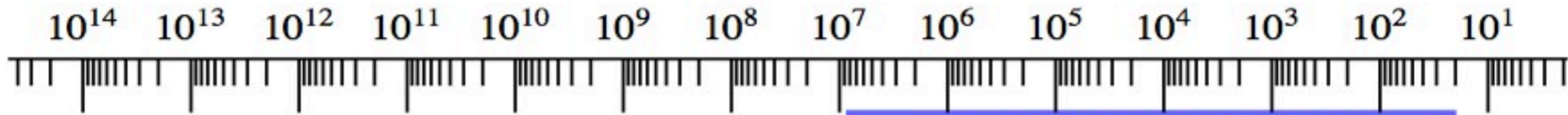
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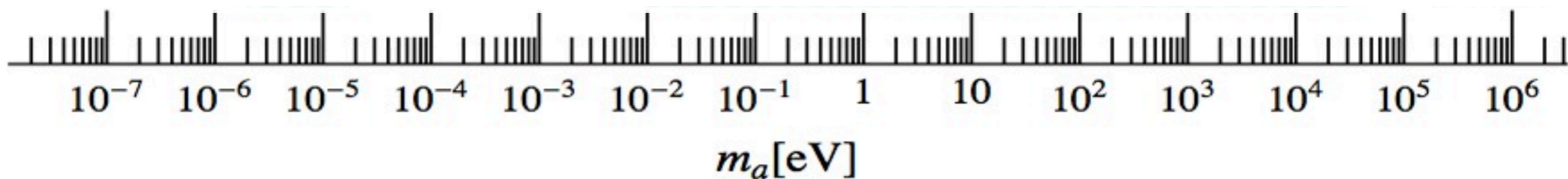
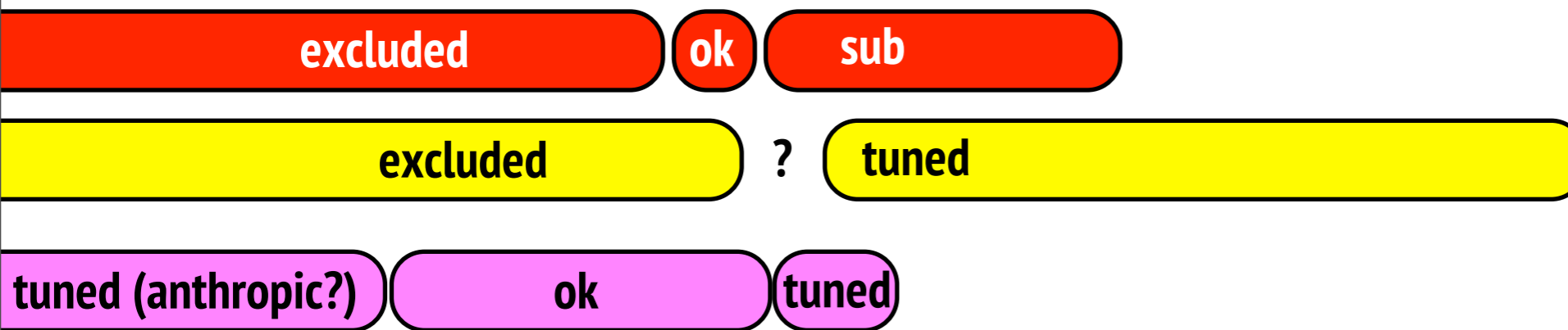
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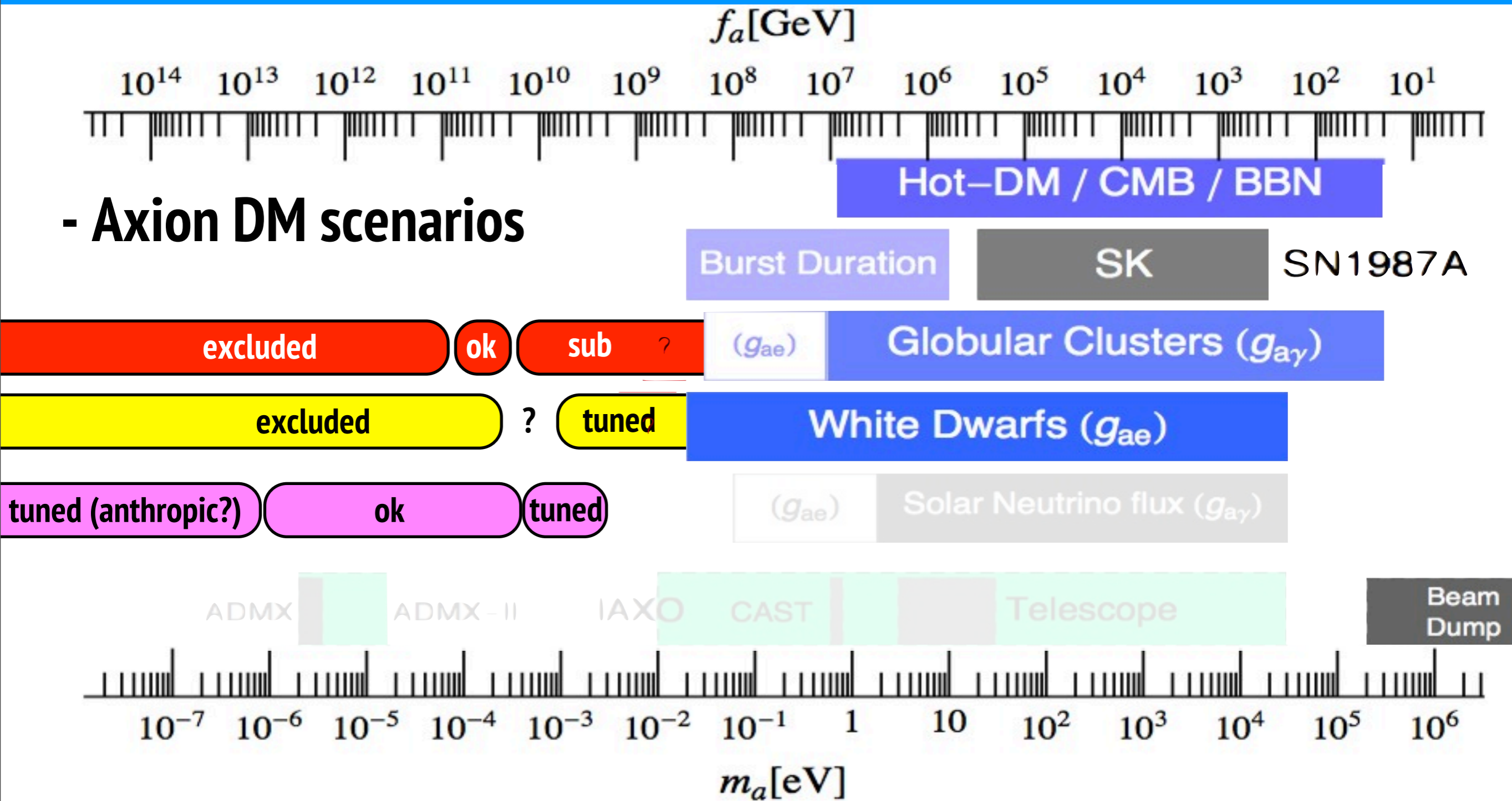
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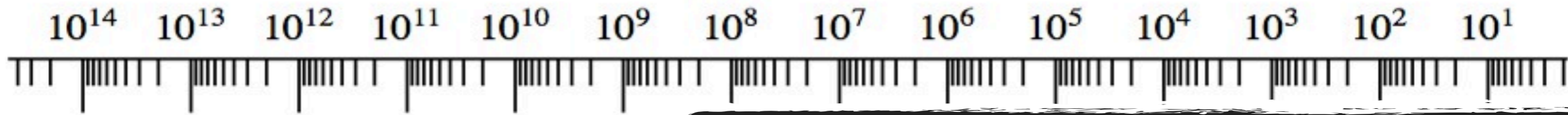
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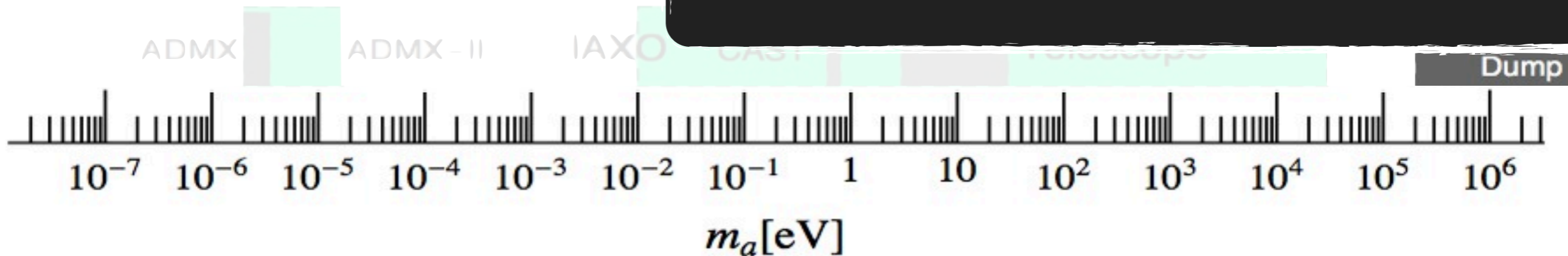
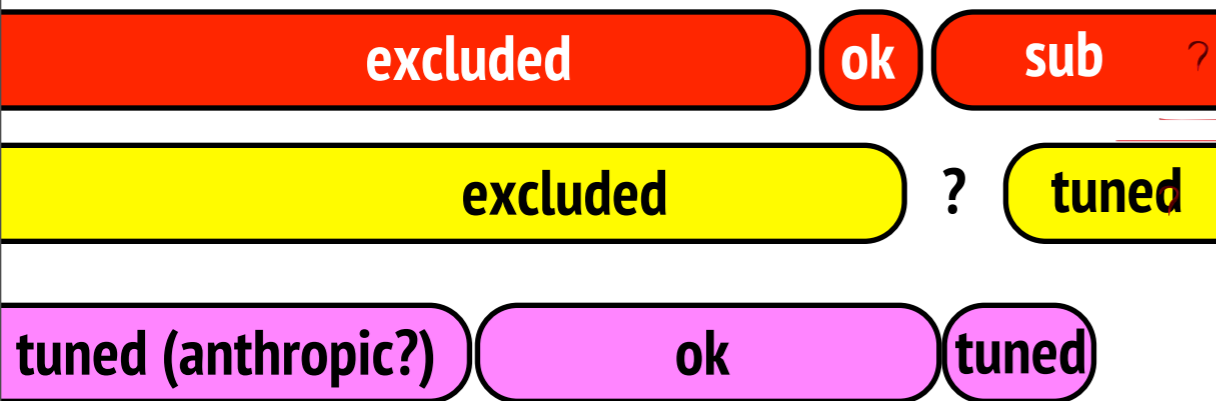
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See
talk by
Sushkov

See talks by
Ortolan, Tobar,
Semerzidis, Rybka,
Chung, Van Bibber,
Miceli ...

See
talks by
Geraci and
Shin

See
talks by
Raffelt and
Mrrizzi

Hints, constraints and models ... any preference?

See also Giannotti's talk!

Tip of the Red Giant branch (M5)

$$g_{ae} = C_{ae} \frac{m_e}{f_a} = (2 \pm 1.5) \times 10^{-13}$$

Viaux, PRD 2011

White dwarf luminosity function

$$g_{ae} = C_{ae} \frac{m_e}{f_a} = (1.4 \pm 1.4) \times 10^{-13}$$

Bertolami, JCAP 2014

Cassiopeia A: neutron star cooling

$$g_{an} = C_{an} \frac{m_n}{f_a} = (3.8 \pm 3) \times 10^{-10}$$

Leinson, JCAP 2014

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$$g_{ap} = C_{ap} \frac{m_p}{f_a} < 0.8 \times 10^{-10}$$

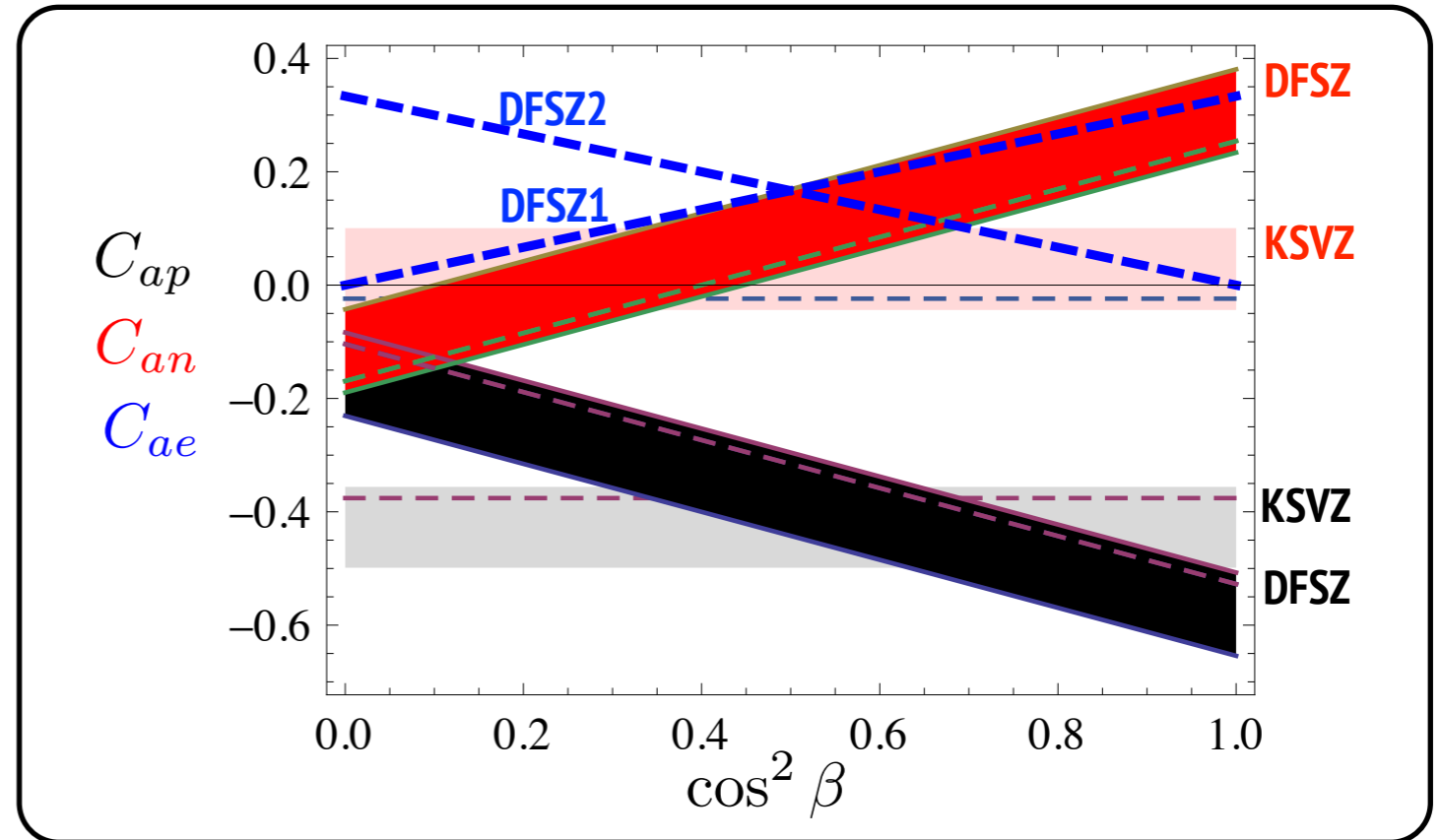
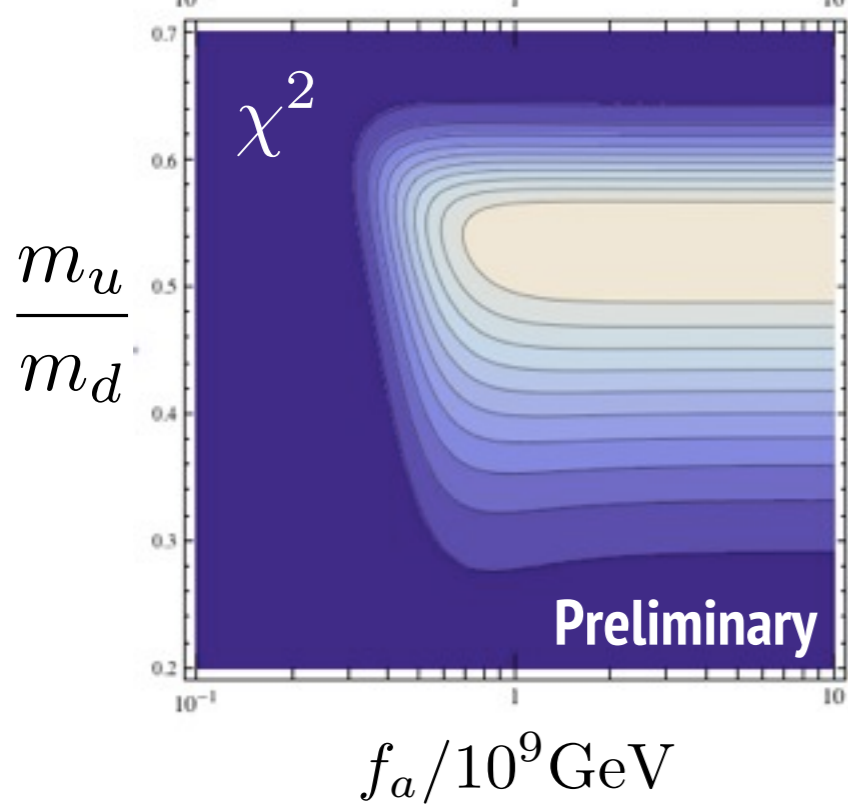
Raffelt Lec. Not. Phys. 2008 and ...

see Mirizzi's talk on thursday!

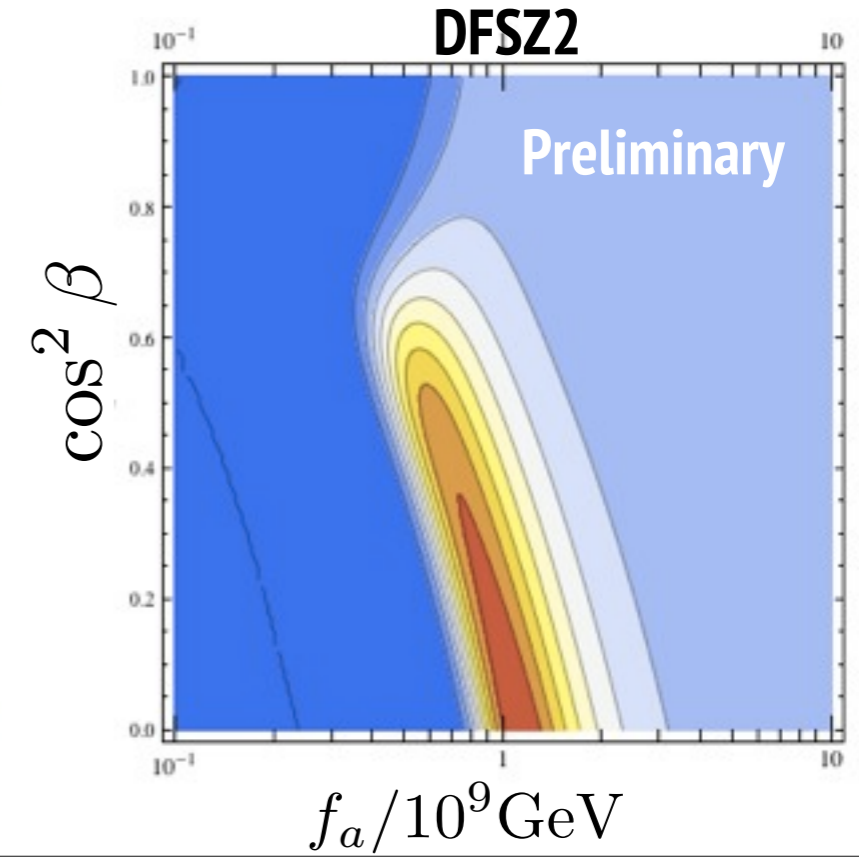
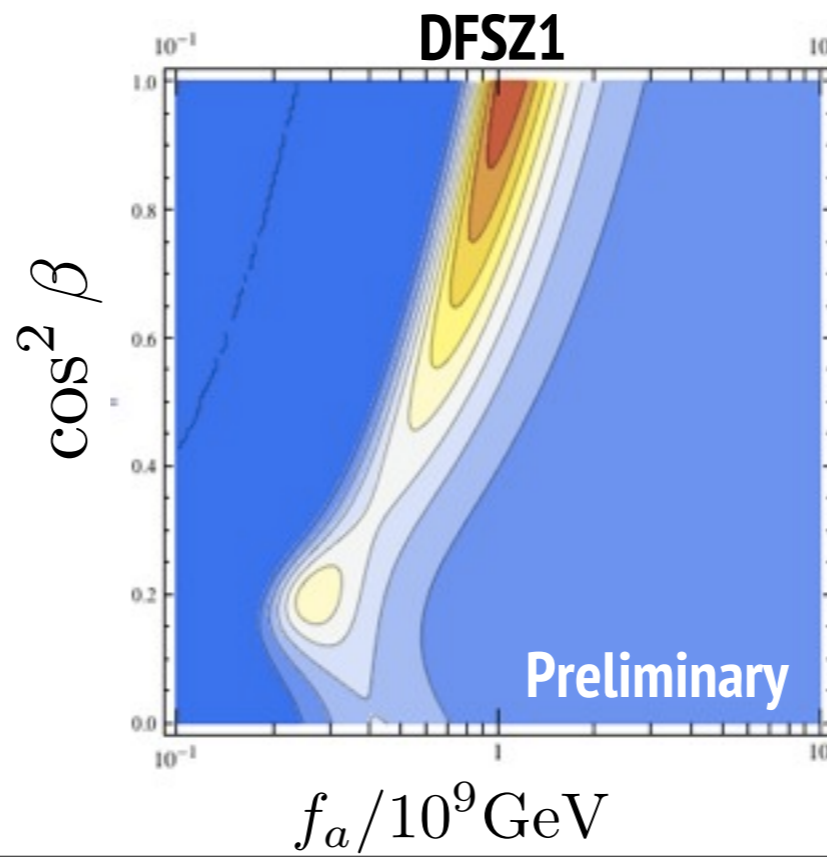
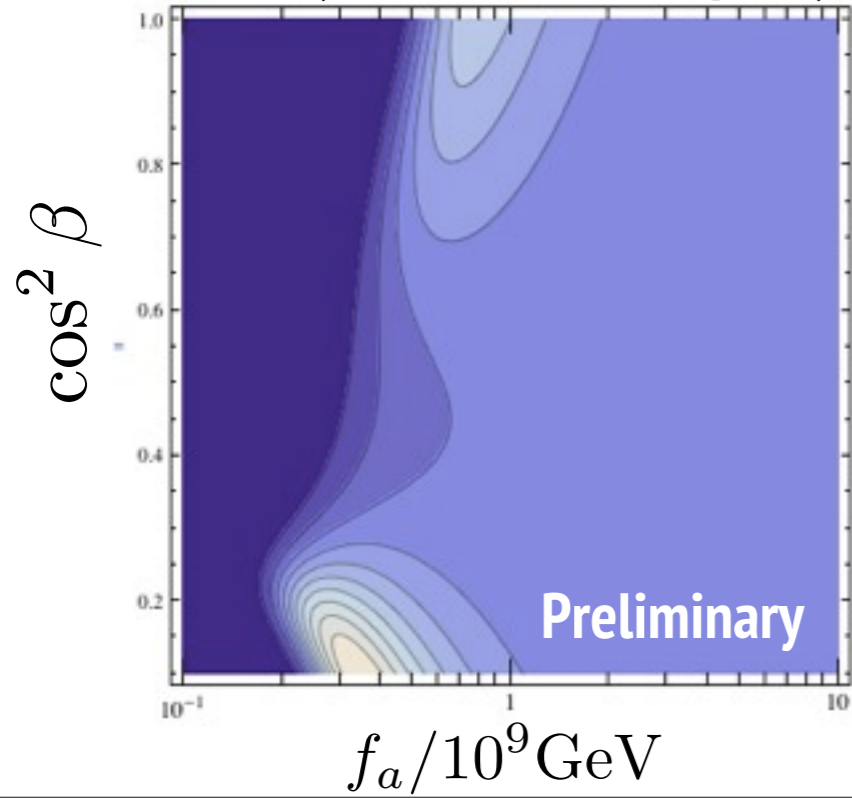
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DFSZ (no RG, no WD, 2 pref.)



Helioscopes

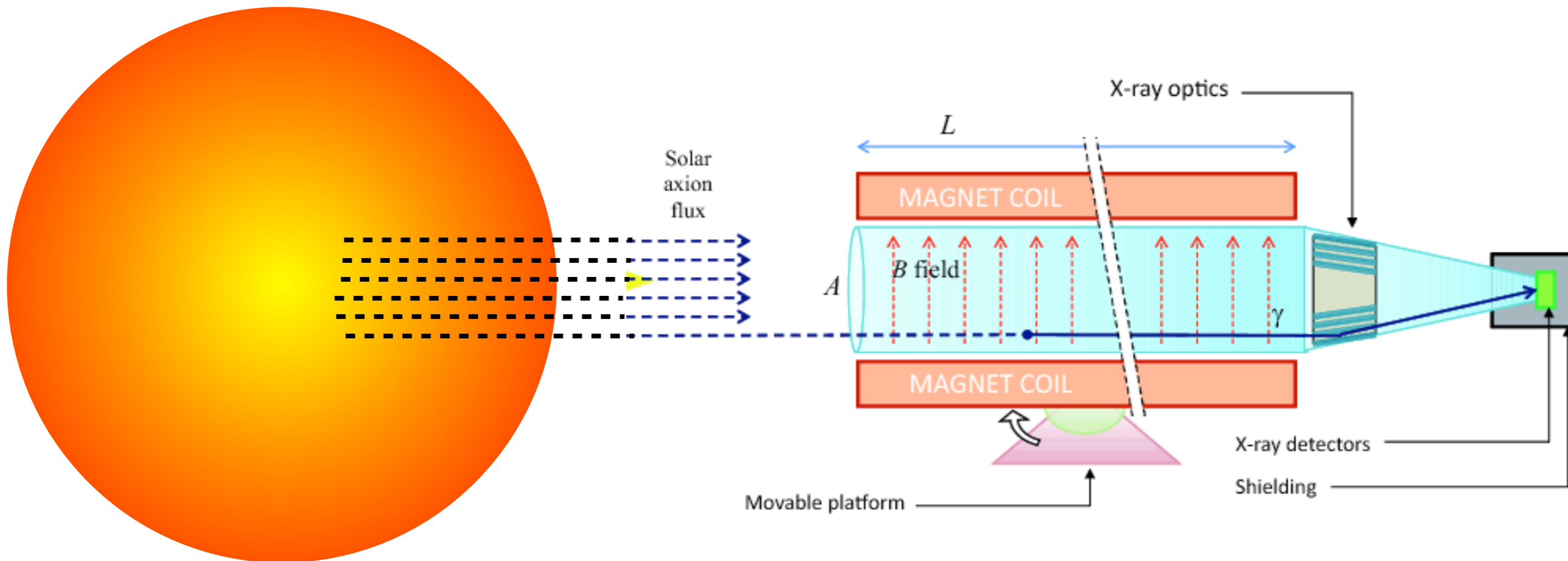
Sikivie PRL 1983

The Sun is a copious emitter of axions!

convert into X-rays

focus

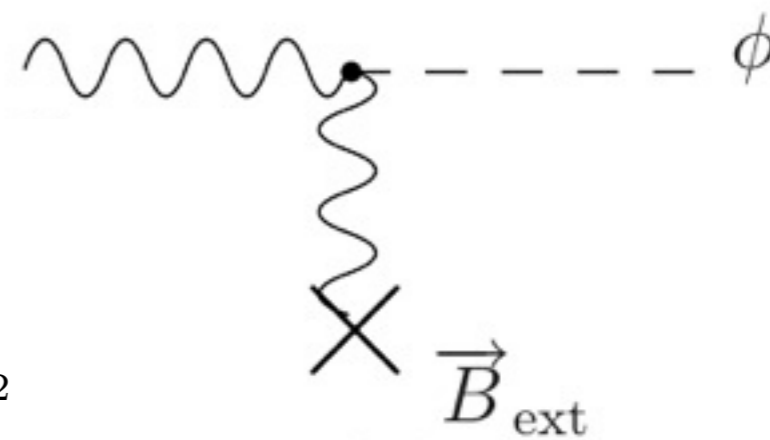
detect



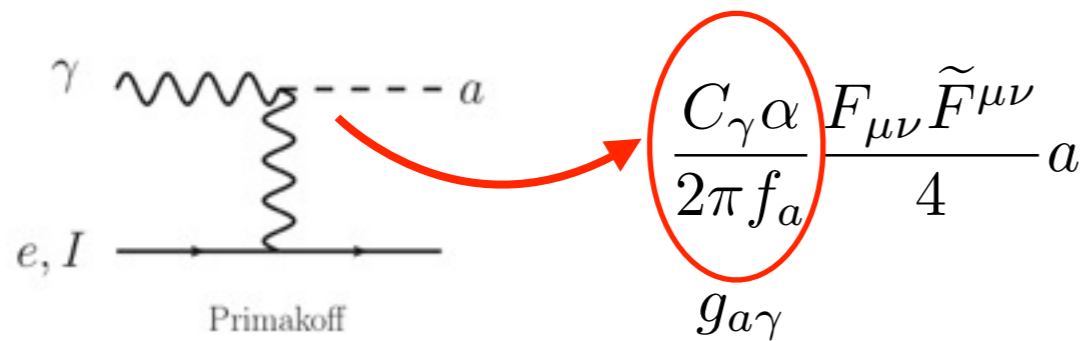
Conversion probability

$$P(a \leftrightarrow \gamma) = \left(\frac{2g_{a\gamma} B_T \omega}{m_a^2} \right)^2 \sin^2 \left(\frac{m_a^2 L}{4\omega} \right)$$

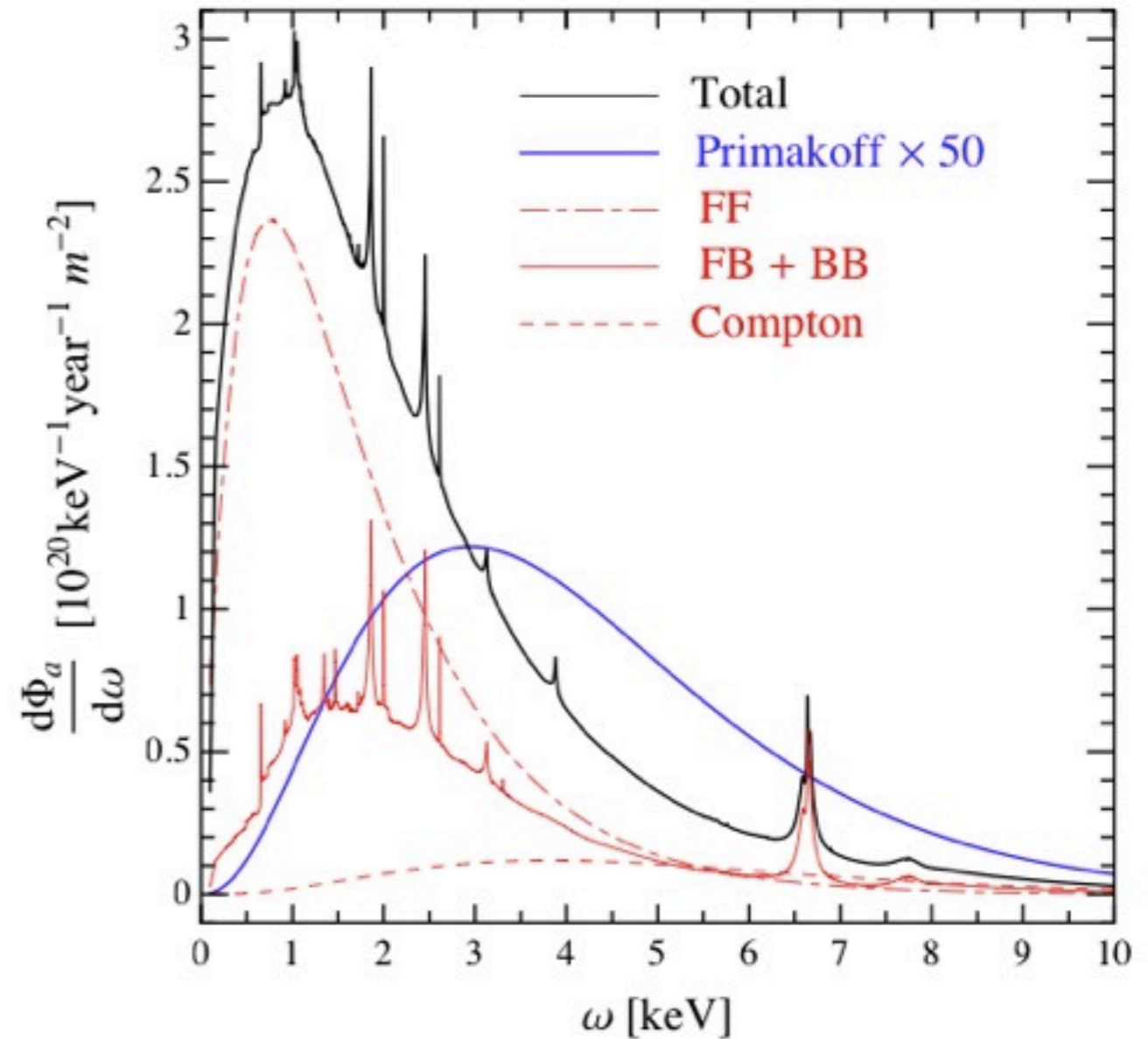
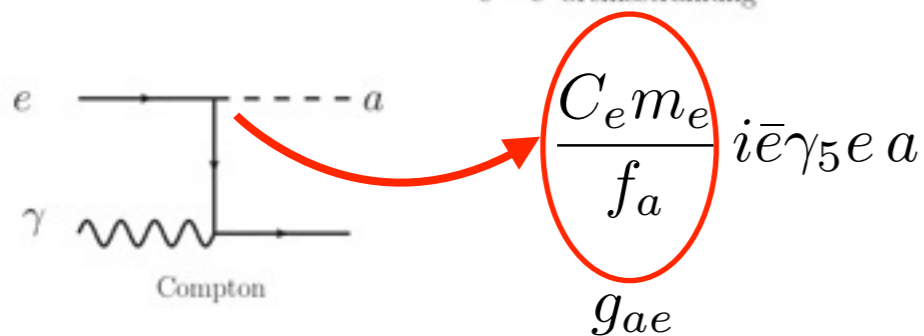
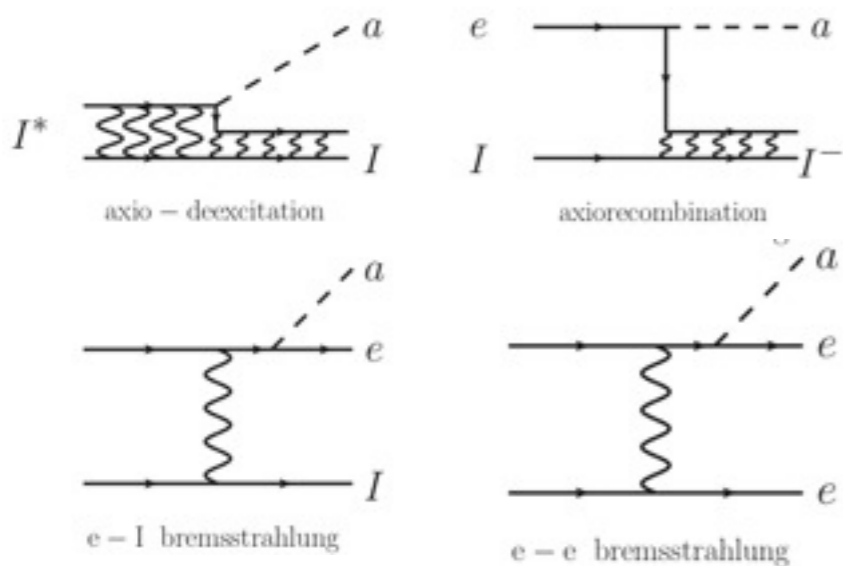
$$m_a \rightarrow 0, P \rightarrow \left(\frac{g_{a\gamma} B_T L}{2} \right)^2 \quad m_a \rightarrow \text{large}, P \rightarrow \left(\frac{2g_{a\gamma} B_T \omega}{m_a^2} \right)^2$$



Hadronic axions (KSVZ)



Non hadronic (DFSZ, e-coupling!)



$$g_{ae} = 10^{-13}$$

$$g_{a\gamma} = 10^{-12}$$

typical of non-hadronic meV mass axions

CAST Helioscope

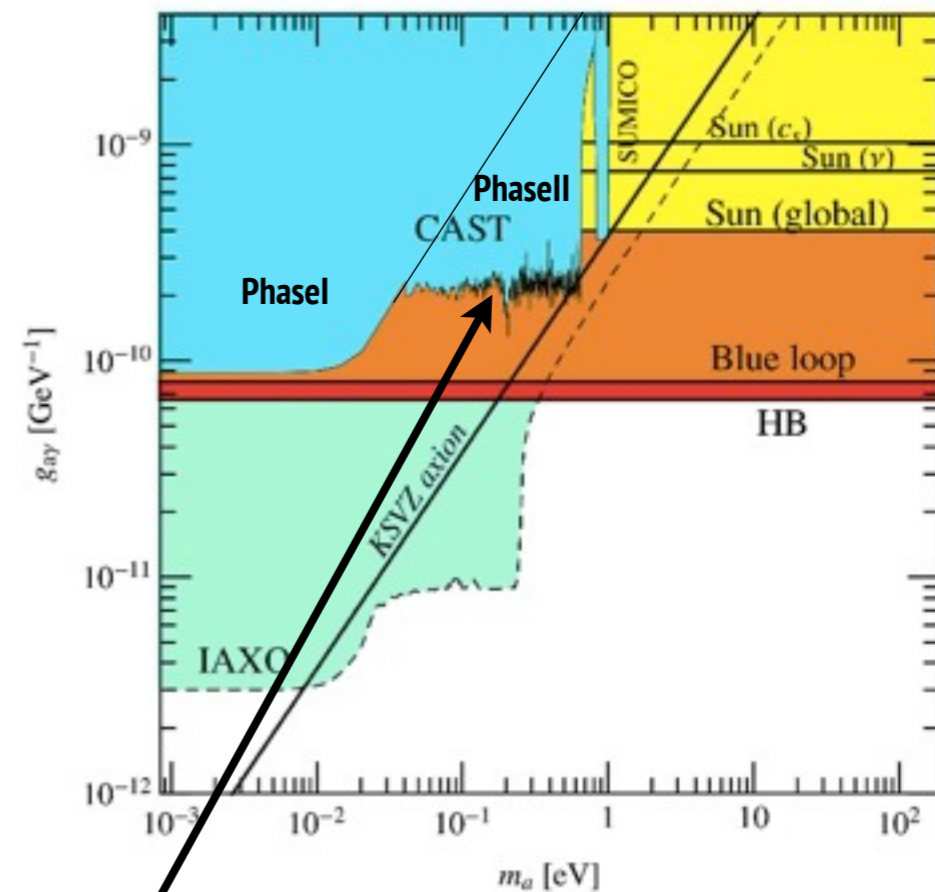
CAST (LHC dipole 9.3 m, 9T)



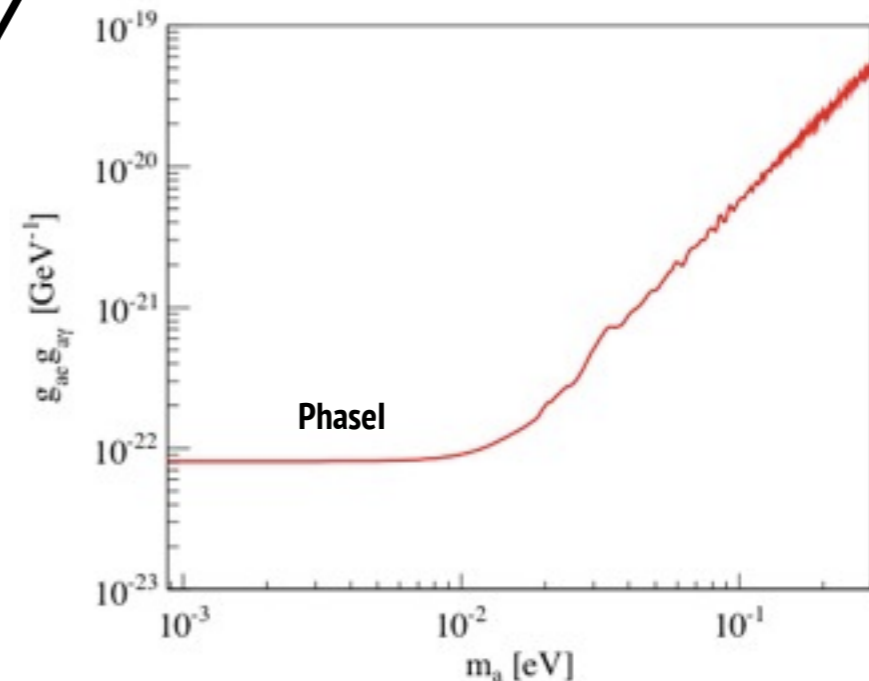
- 1~2 h tracking/day (sunset,dawn)
- 3 Detectors (2 bores)
 CCD, Micromegas
- X-ray optics
- He gas for large masses

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hadronic axions



non-hadronic axions



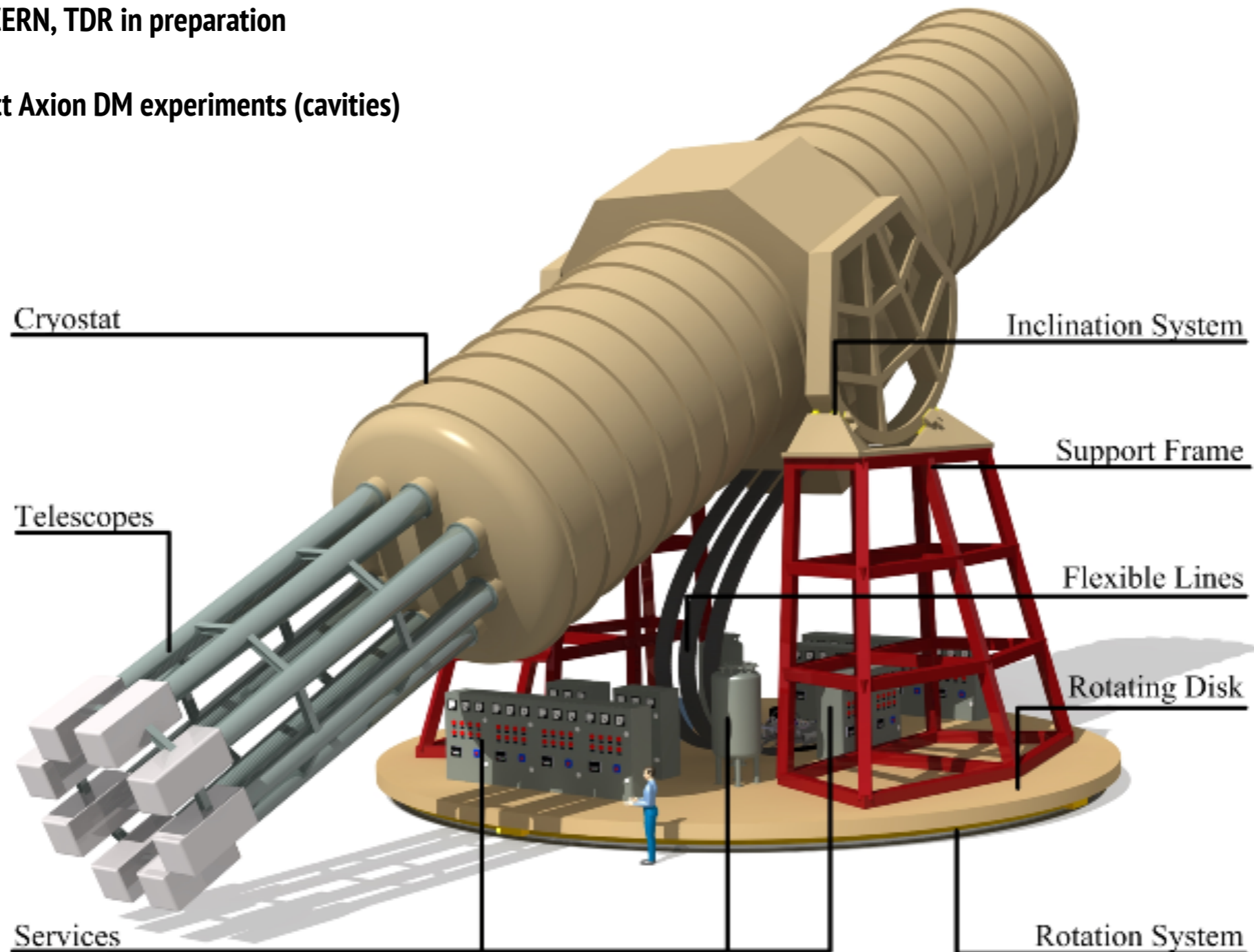
Next generation (proposed) IAXO

Boost parameters to the maximum

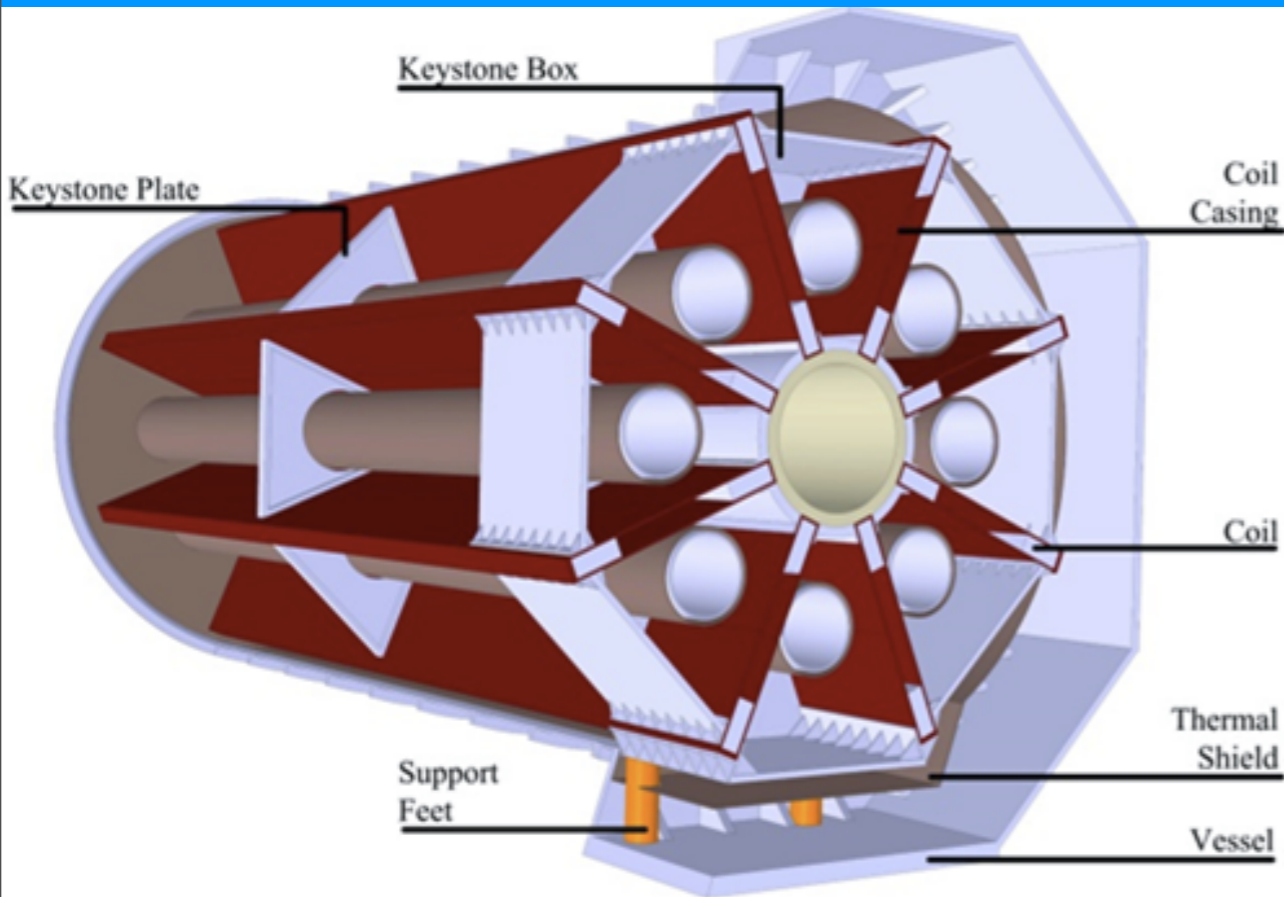
- NGAG paper JCAP 1106:013,2011
- Conceptual design report IAXO 2014 JINST 9 T05002
- LOI submitted to CERN, TDR in preparation

- Possibility of Direct Axion DM experiments (cavities)

Large toroidal 8-coil magnet $L = \sim 20$ m
8 bores: 600 mm diameter each
8 x-ray optics + 8 detection systems
Rotating platform with services



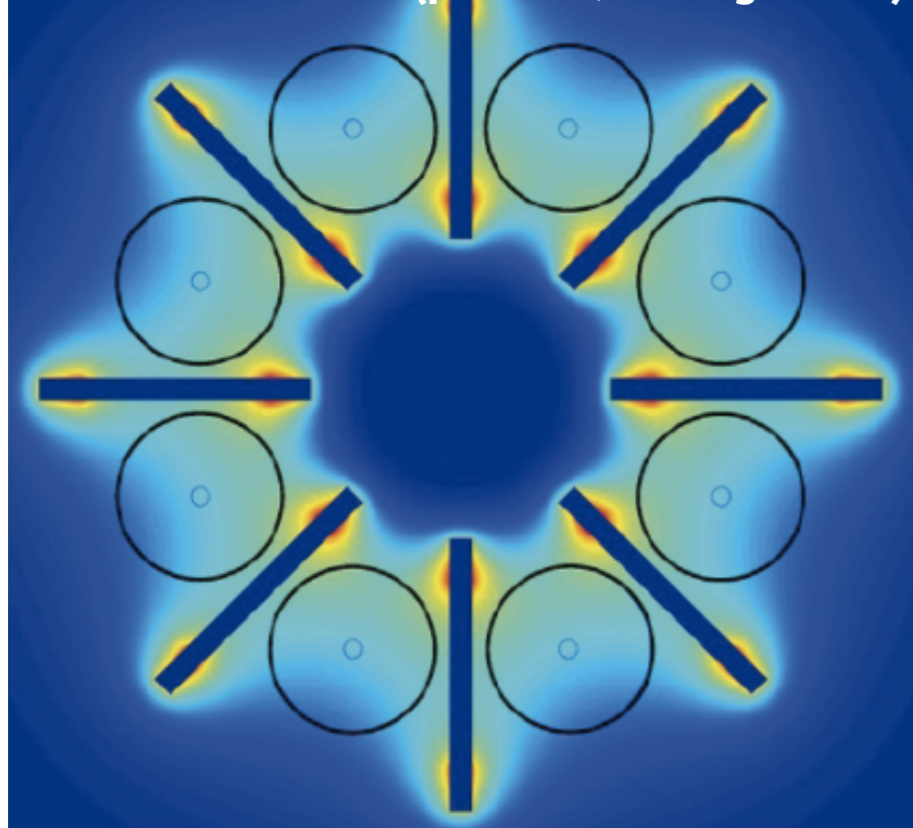
IAXO magnet (under development)



IAXO magnet concept presented in:
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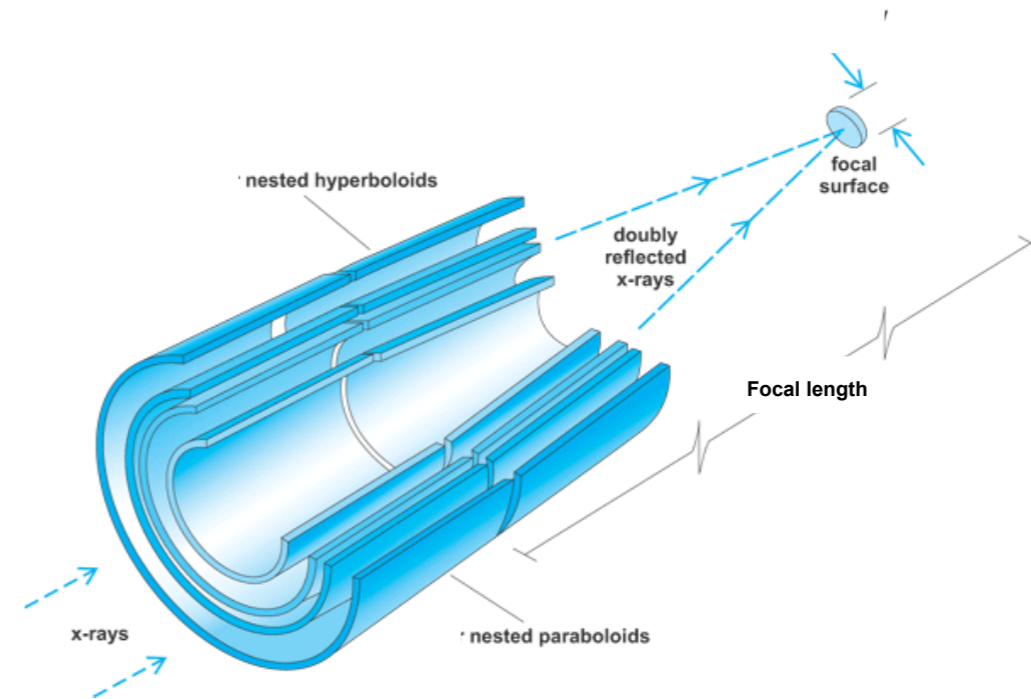
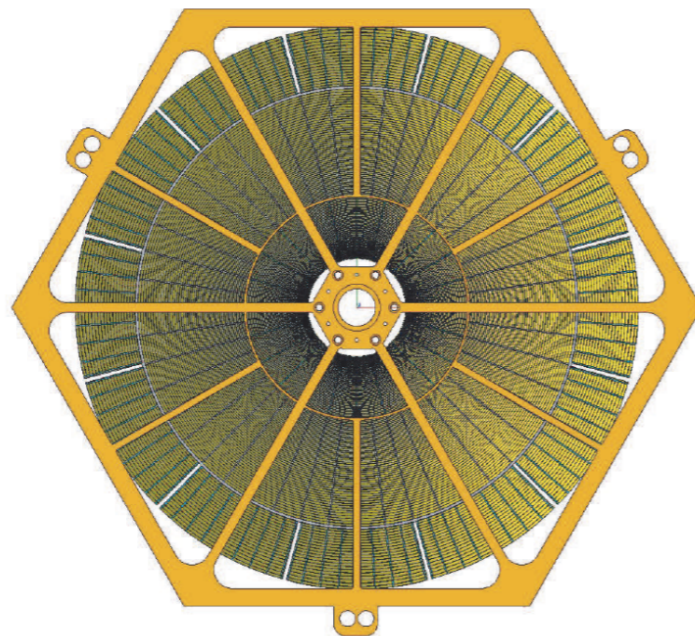
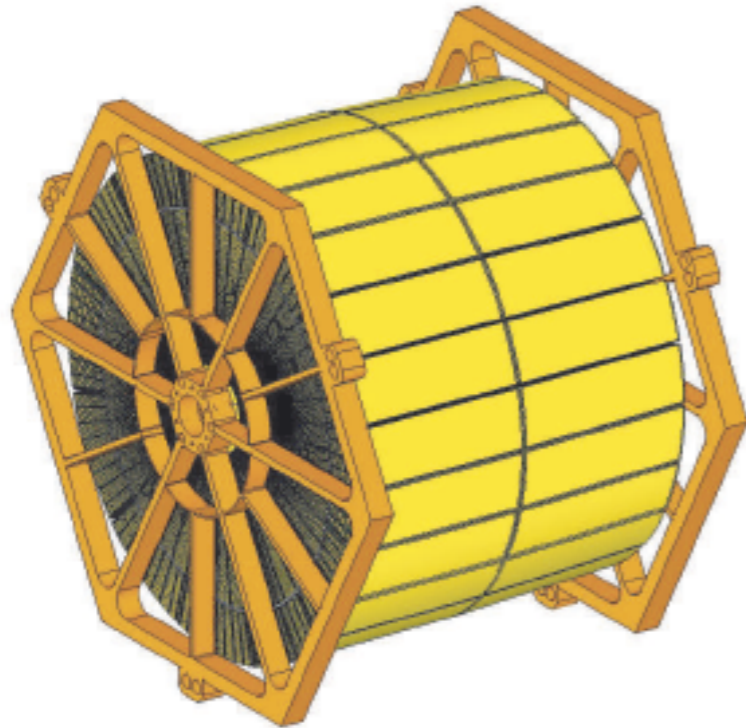
Property	Value	
Cryostat dimensions:	Overall length (m)	25
	Outer diameter (m)	5.2
	Cryostat volume (m ³)	~ 530
Toroid size:	Inner radius, R_{in} (m)	1.0
	Outer radius, R_{out} (m)	2.0
	Inner axial length (m)	21.0
	Outer axial length (m)	21.8
Mass:	Conductor (tons)	65
	Cold Mass (tons)	130
	Cryostat (tons)	35
	Total assembly (tons)	~ 250
Coils:	Number of racetrack coils	8
	Winding pack width (mm)	384
	Winding pack height (mm)	144
	Turns/coil	180
	Nominal current, I_{op} (kA)	12.0
	Stored energy, E (MJ)	500
	Inductance (H)	6.9
	Peak magnetic field, B_p (T)	5.4
	Average field in the bores (T)	2.5
	Conductor:	Overall size (mm ²)
Number of strands		40
Strand diameter (mm)		1.3
Critical current @ 5 T, I_c (kA)		58
Operating temperature, T_{op} (K)		4.5
Operational margin		40%
Heat Load:	Temperature margin @ 5.4 T (K)	1.9
	at 4.5 K (W)	~150
	at 60-80 K (kW)	~1.6

Transverse B-field (peak 5T, average 2.5T)



IAXO optics

- IAXO optics conceptual design
AC Jakobsen et al, Proc. SPIE 8861 (2013)
- NuSTAR optics groups LLNL, Columbia U.,
DTU Denmark all in IAXO



Telescopes	8
N , Layers (or shells) per telescope	123
Segments per telescope	2172
Geometric area of glass per telescope	0.38 m ²
Focal length	5.0 m
Inner radius	50 mm
Outer Radius	300 mm
Minimum graze angle	2.63 mrad
Maximum graze angle	15.0 mrad
Coatings	W/B ₄ C multilayers
Pass band	1–10 keV
IAXO Nominal, 50% EEF (HPD)	0.29 mrad
IAXO Enhanced, 50% EEF (HPD)	0.23 mrad
IAXO Nominal, 80% EEF	0.58 mrad
IAXO Enhanced, 90% EEF	0.58 mrad
FOV	2.9 mrad

IAXO detectors

Goal background level for IAXO:

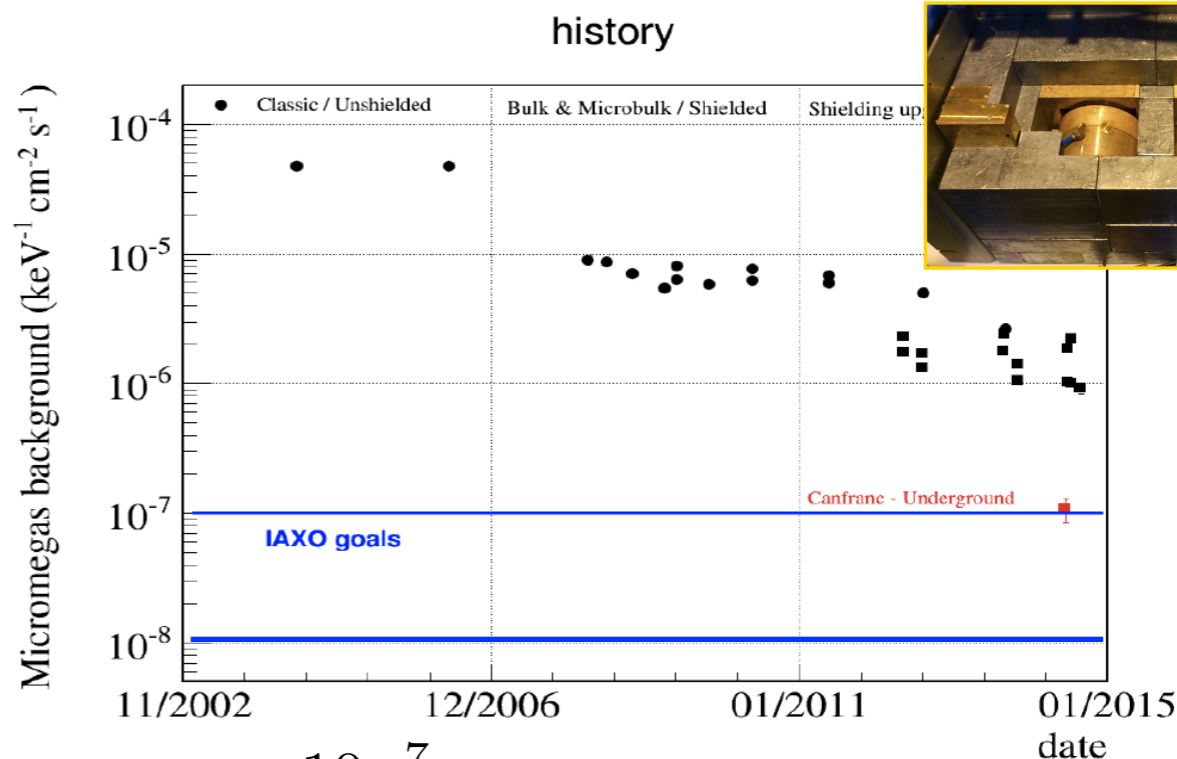
$$\frac{10^{-7} \rightarrow 10^{-8}}{\text{keV cm}^2 \text{ s}}$$

- Small Micromegas-TPC chambers:

Shielding

Radiopure components

Offline discrimination



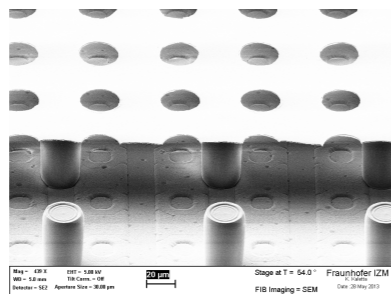
Already demonstrated: $\frac{8 \times 10^{-7}}{\text{keV cm}^2 \text{ s}}$ (in CAST 2014 result)

$\frac{10^{-7}}{\text{keV cm}^2 \text{ s}}$ (underground at LSC)

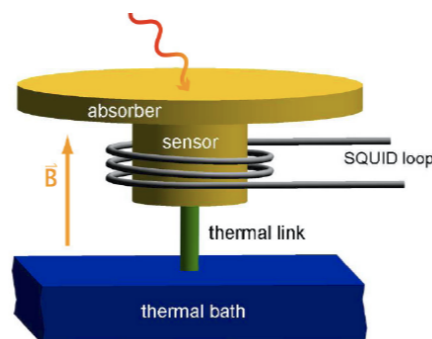
Active program of development. Clear roadmap for improvement

See talk by García wednesday!

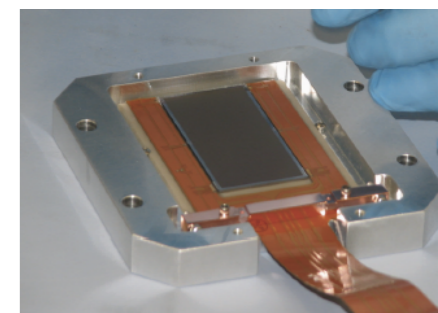
- Gridpix/InGrid,



- MMC



- Low noise CCDs

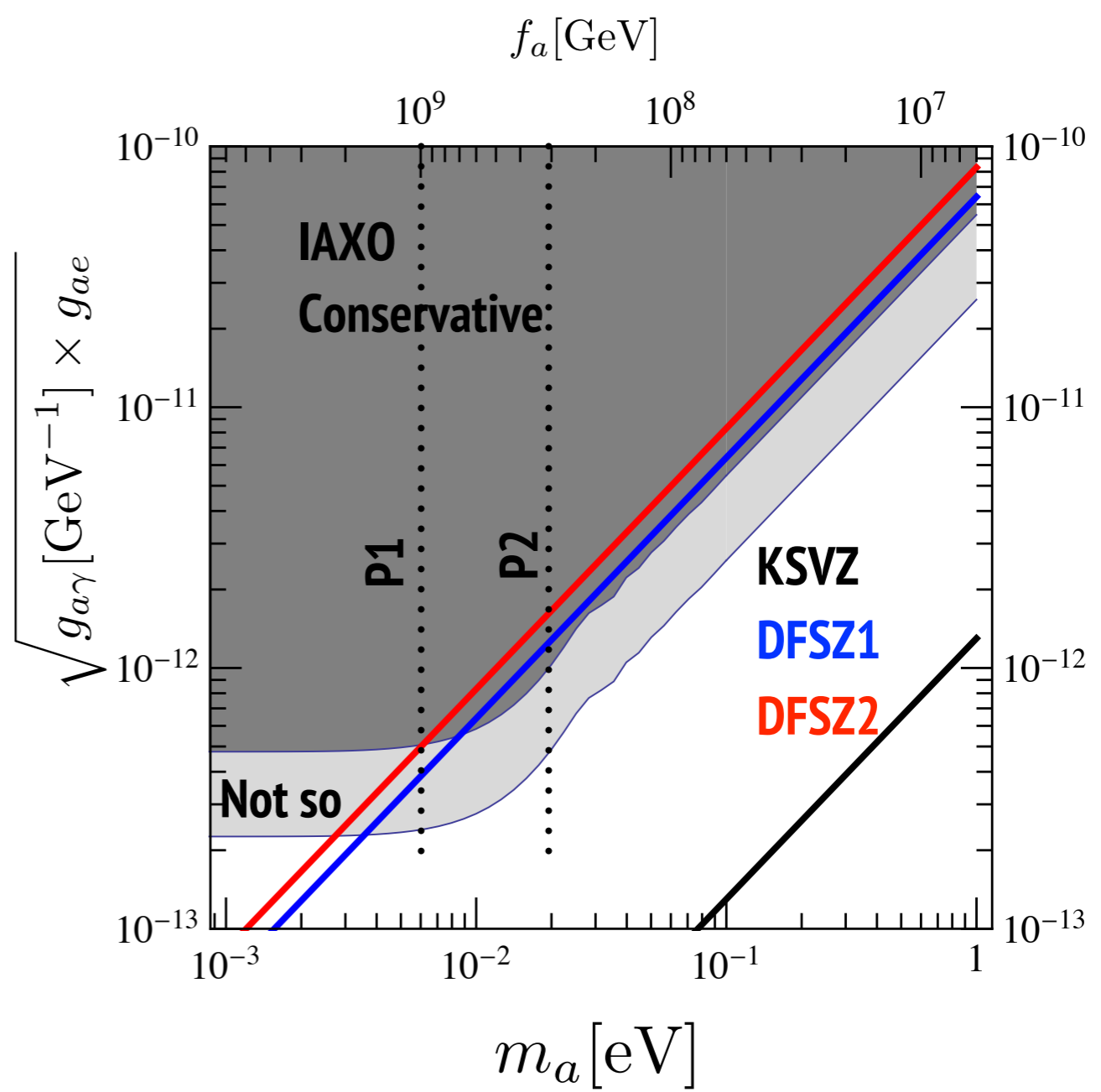
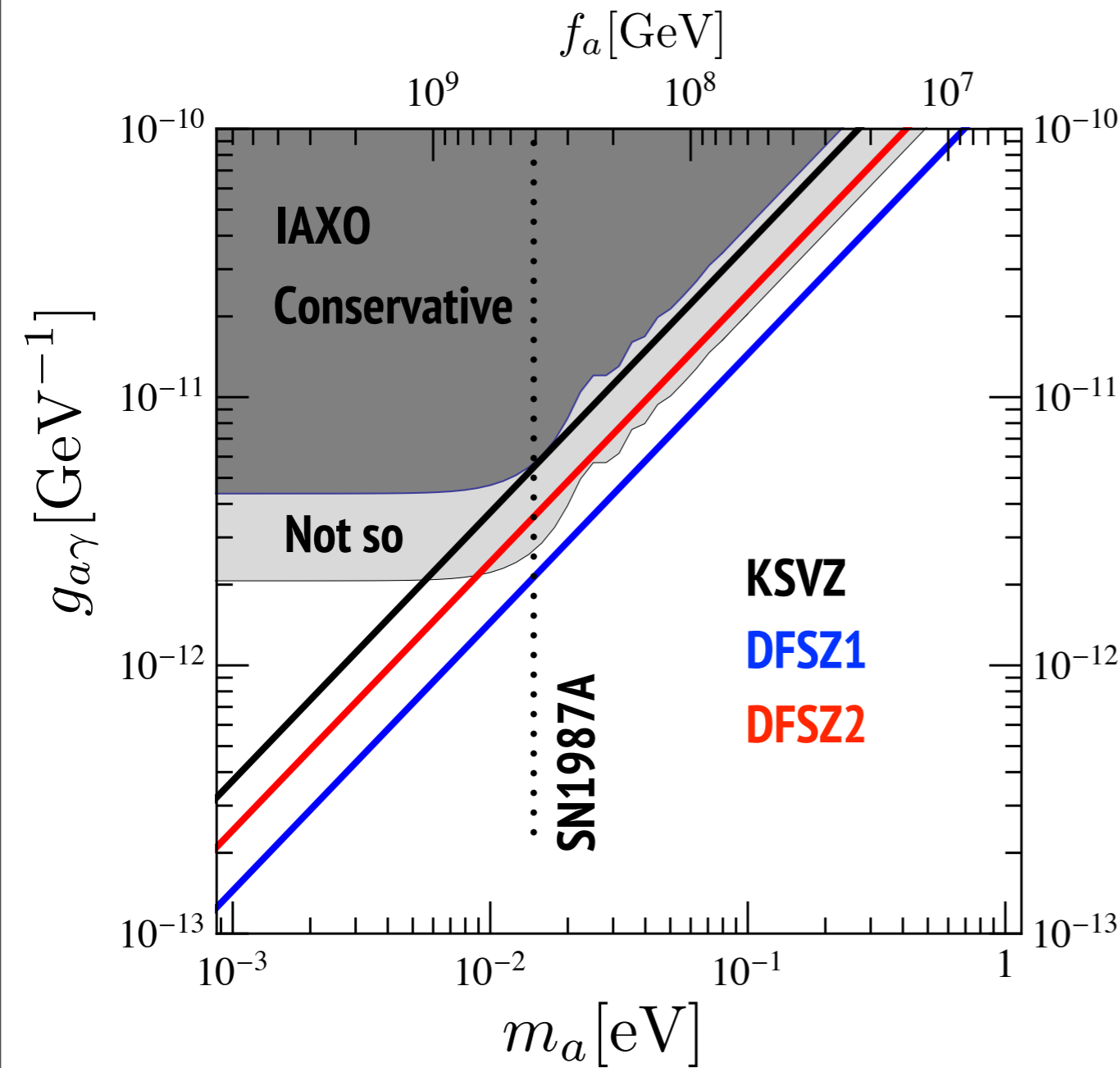


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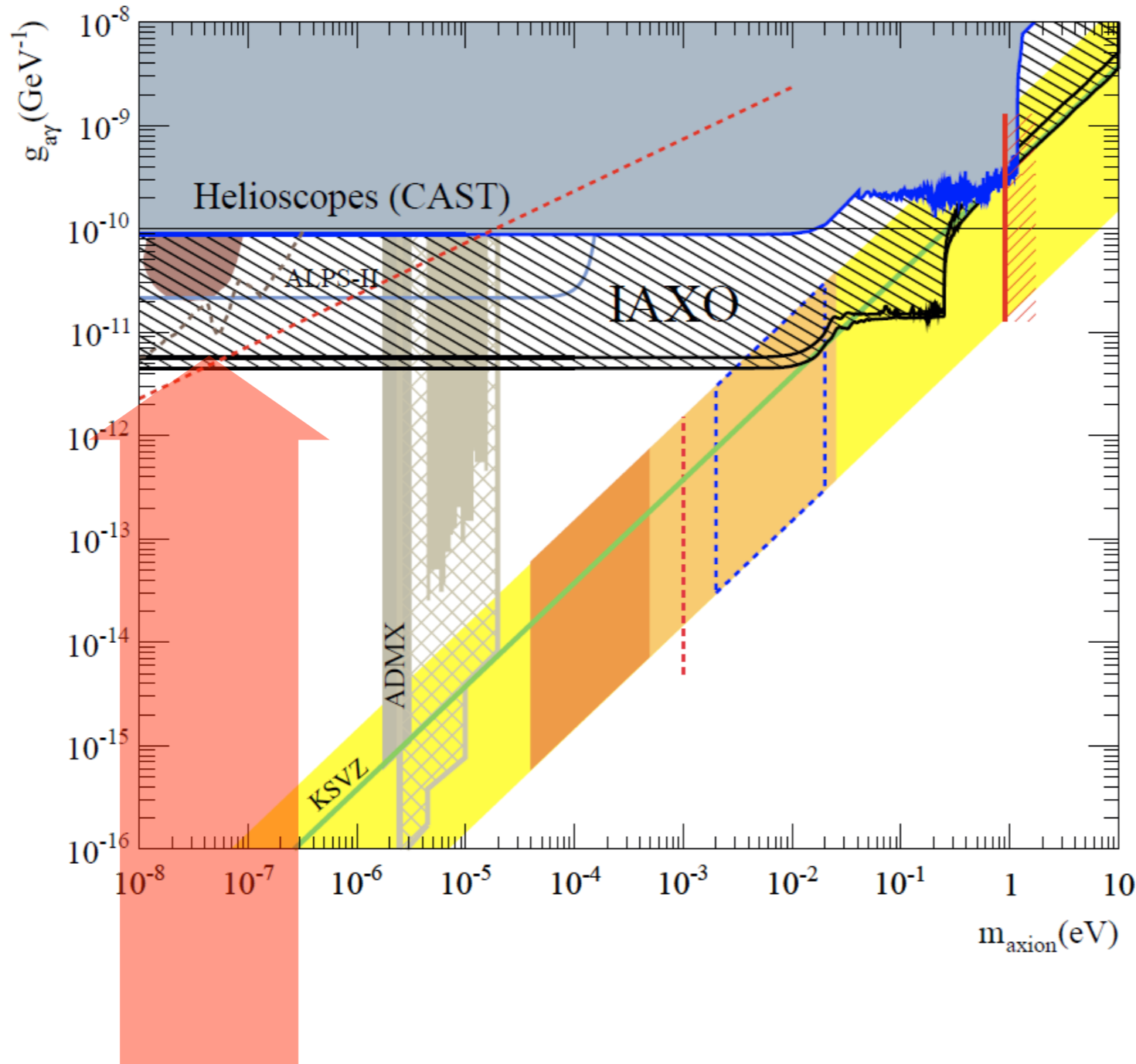
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Possibility to unveil the hints in DFSZ P1, P2!

Physics reach: Axions-like

Axion-like particles easing gamma-ray propagation across the universe?



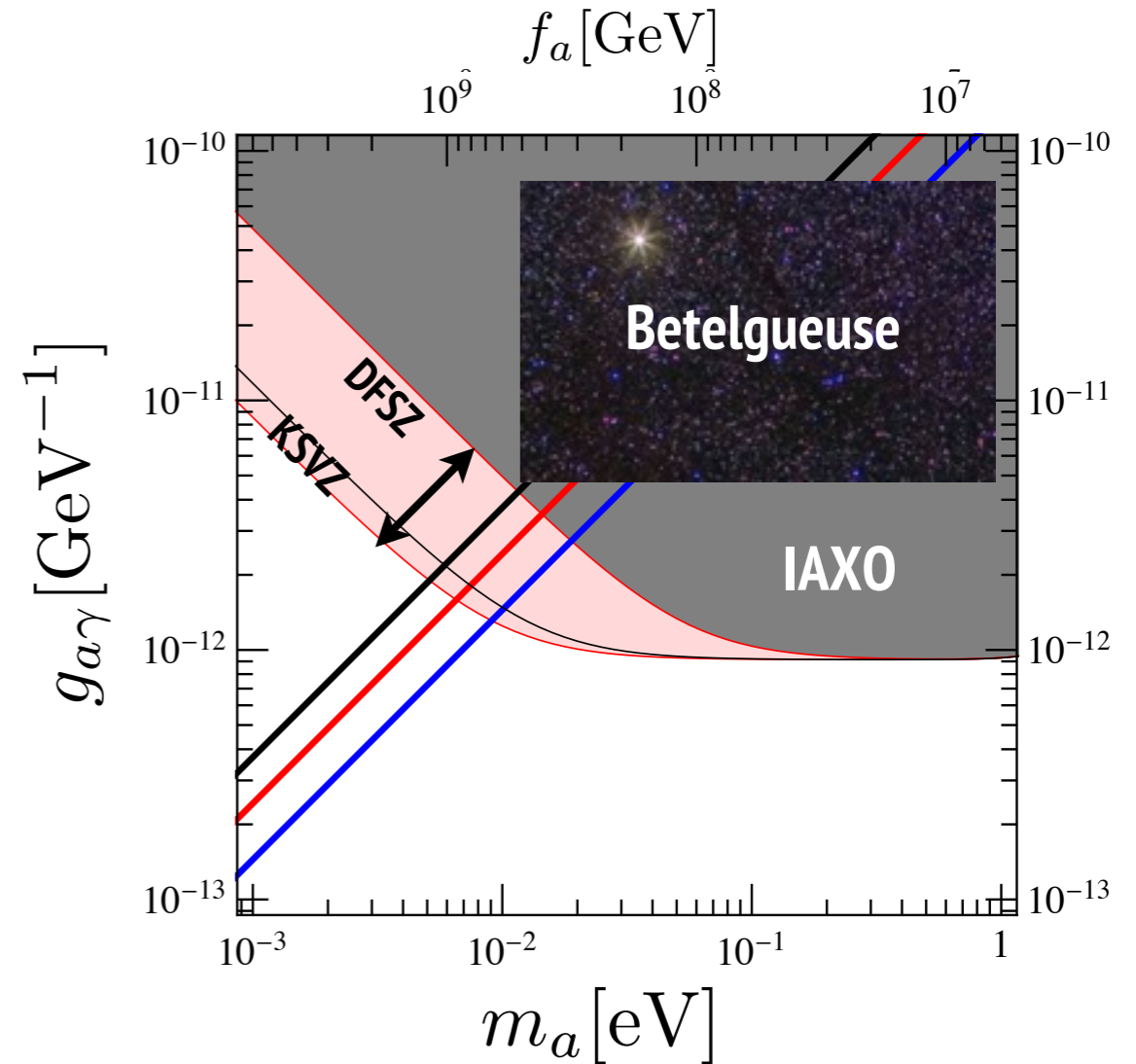
See talks by
Roncadelli, Giannotti,
Troitsky, Meyer

IAXO will cover the exciting parameter space !

Physics case + : Betelgeuse goes bang

If Betelgeuse is the next galactic SN ...

- up to $5 \cdot 10^{14}$ a's ($E \sim 80$ MeV) in 10 sec
- Early warning (Si nu's) to point
- check visibility
- 50-100 MeV detectors
- needs a boost ~ 30






Physics case + : Axion DM detectors @ IAXO

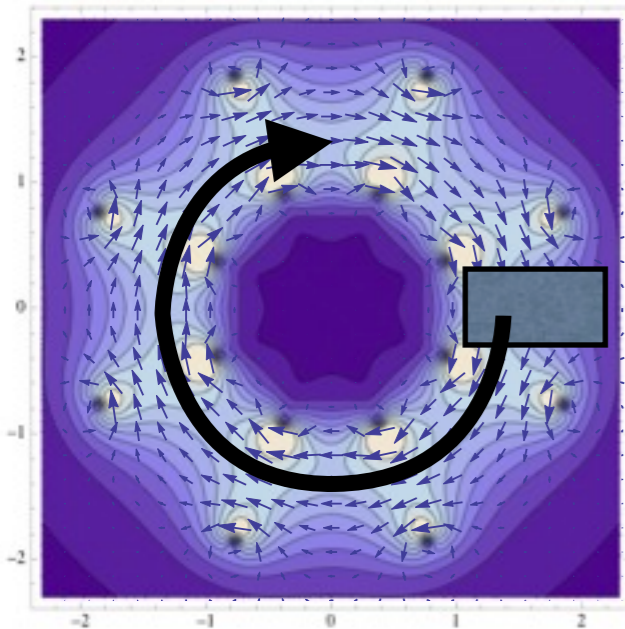
JR, talk at Patras 2014

DM detectors inside IAXO volume (see JR, talk at Patras 2014)

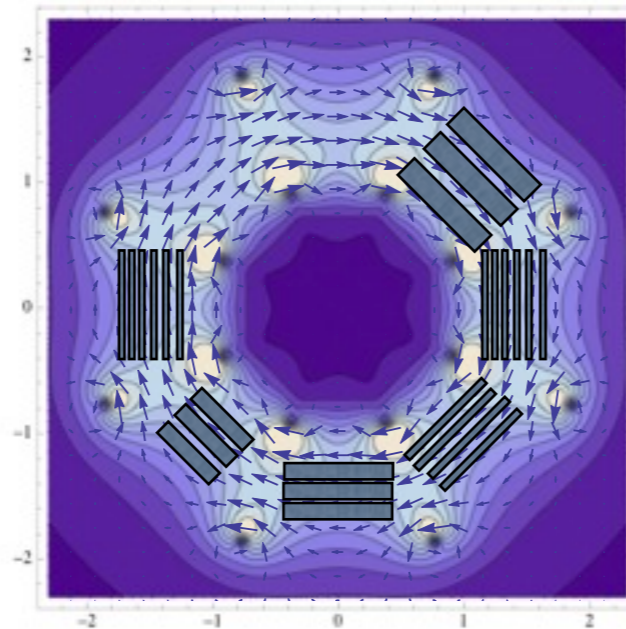
- huge magnetic volume

	ADMX 	ADMX-HF 	IAXO 	CAST 
B [T]	8	9	2.5 *	9
Dimensions [cm]	h,R=100,21	h,R=25,5	h,R*=2000,30	h,R=920,2.2
V [L]	140	2	8 x 1700	2 x 14
$P_{out} \propto \mathbf{B} ^2 V [\text{T}^2 \text{L}]$	9000	160	8 x 35000	2 x 1100

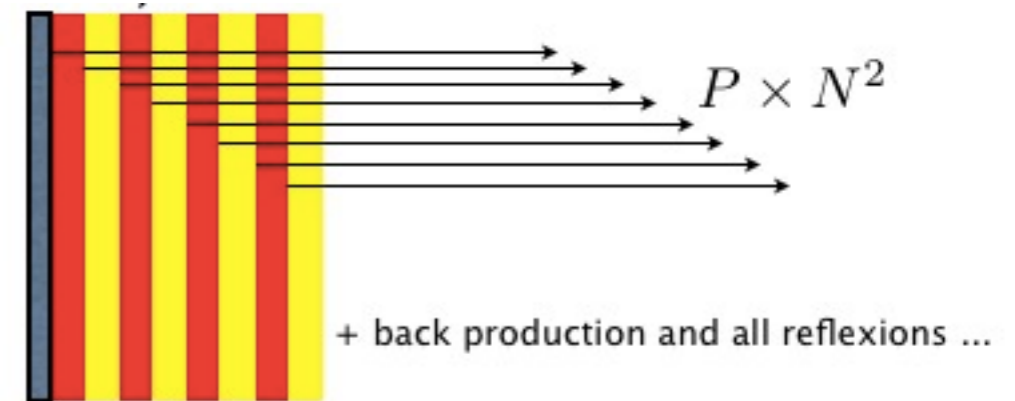
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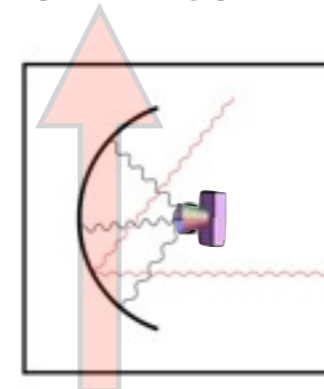
-High masses:
long/flat cav's, combine)



- Dielectric filters



- Dish antenna (miniclusters)

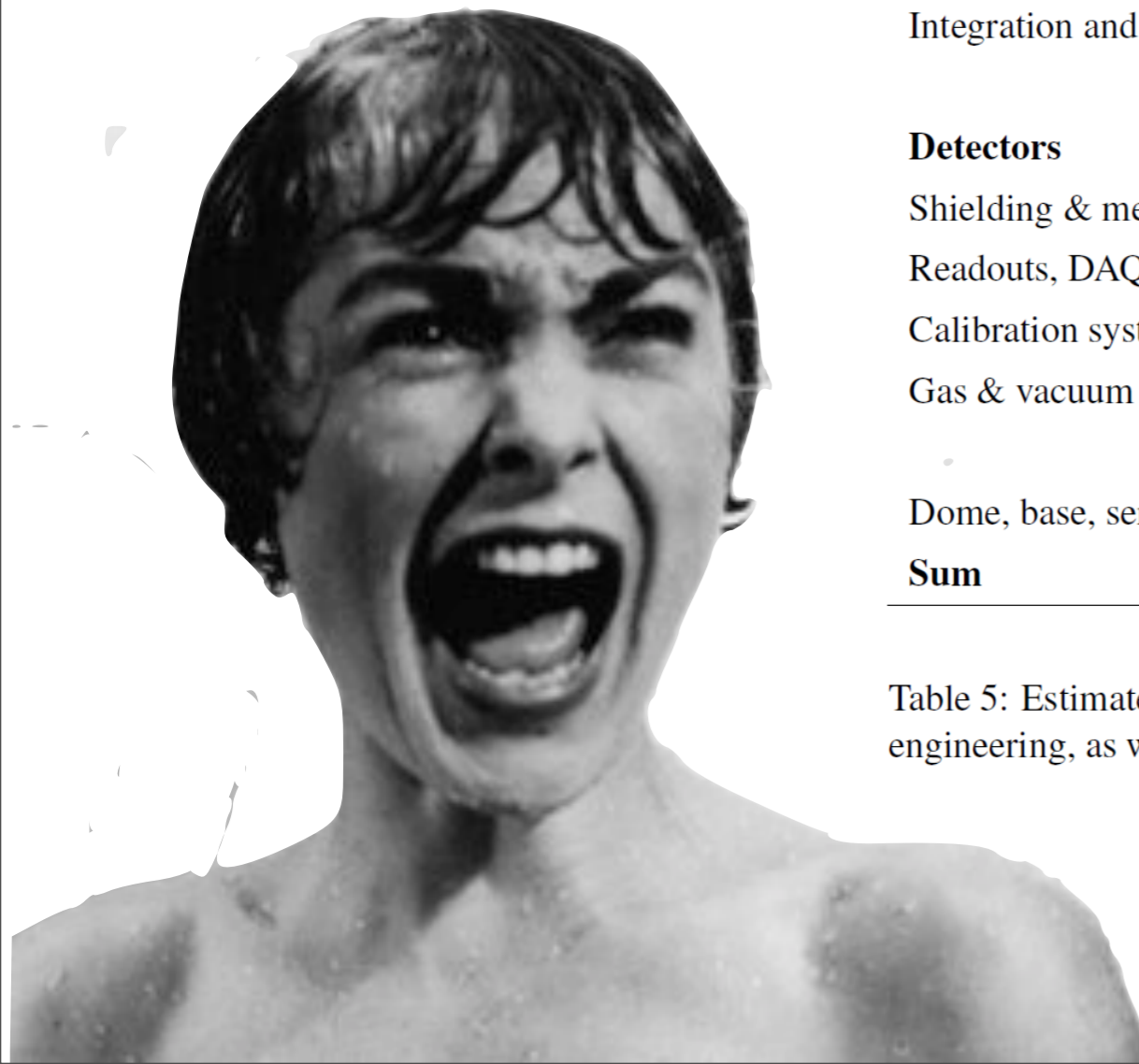


See talks by Tkachev, Sikivie, Prescod

IAXO costs

Item	Cost (MCHF)	Subtotals (MCHF)
Magnet		31.3
Eight coils based assembled toroid	28	
Magnet services	3.3	
Optics		16.0
Prototype Optic: Design, Fabrication, Calibration, Analysis	1.0	
IAXO telescopes (8 + 1 spare)	8.0	
Calibration	2.0	
Integration and alignment	5.0	
Detectors		5.8
Shielding & mechanics	2.1	
Readouts, DAQ electronics & computing	0.8	
Calibration systems	1.5	
Gas & vacuum	1.4	
Dome, base, services building and integration		3.7
Sum		56.8

Table 5: Estimated costs of the IAXO setup: magnet, optics and detectors. It does not include laboratory engineering, as well as maintenance & operation and physics exploitation of the experiment.

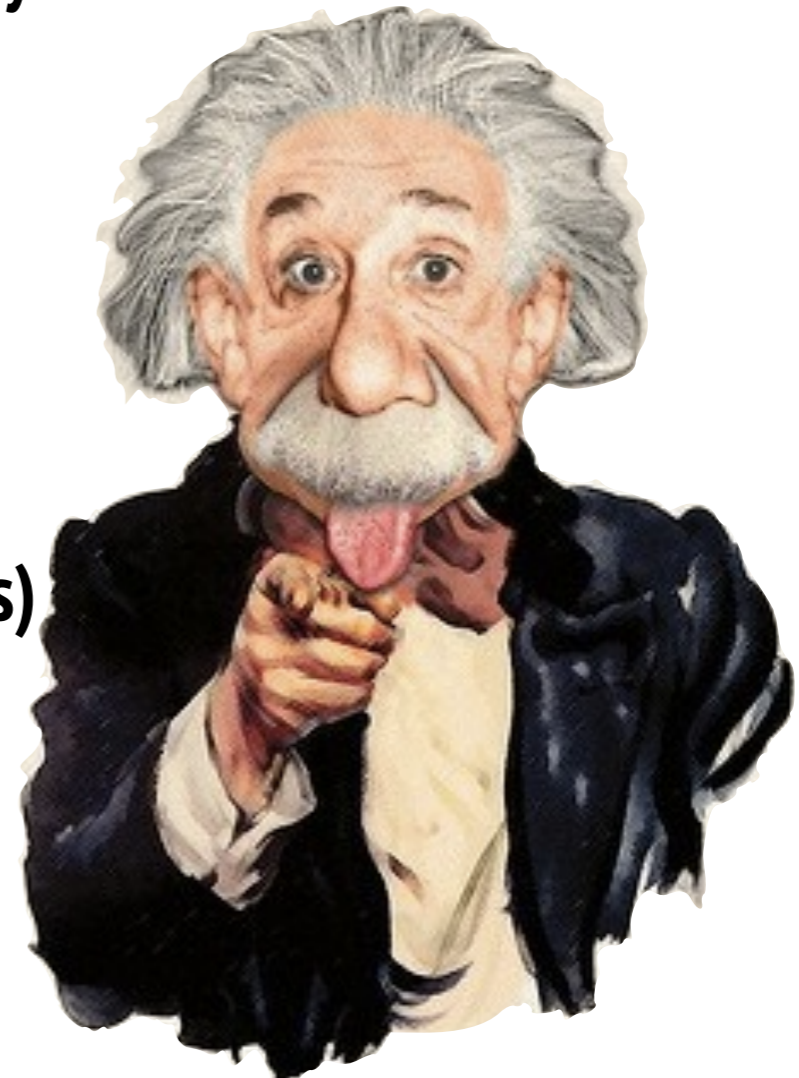


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