

# EMERGING JETS

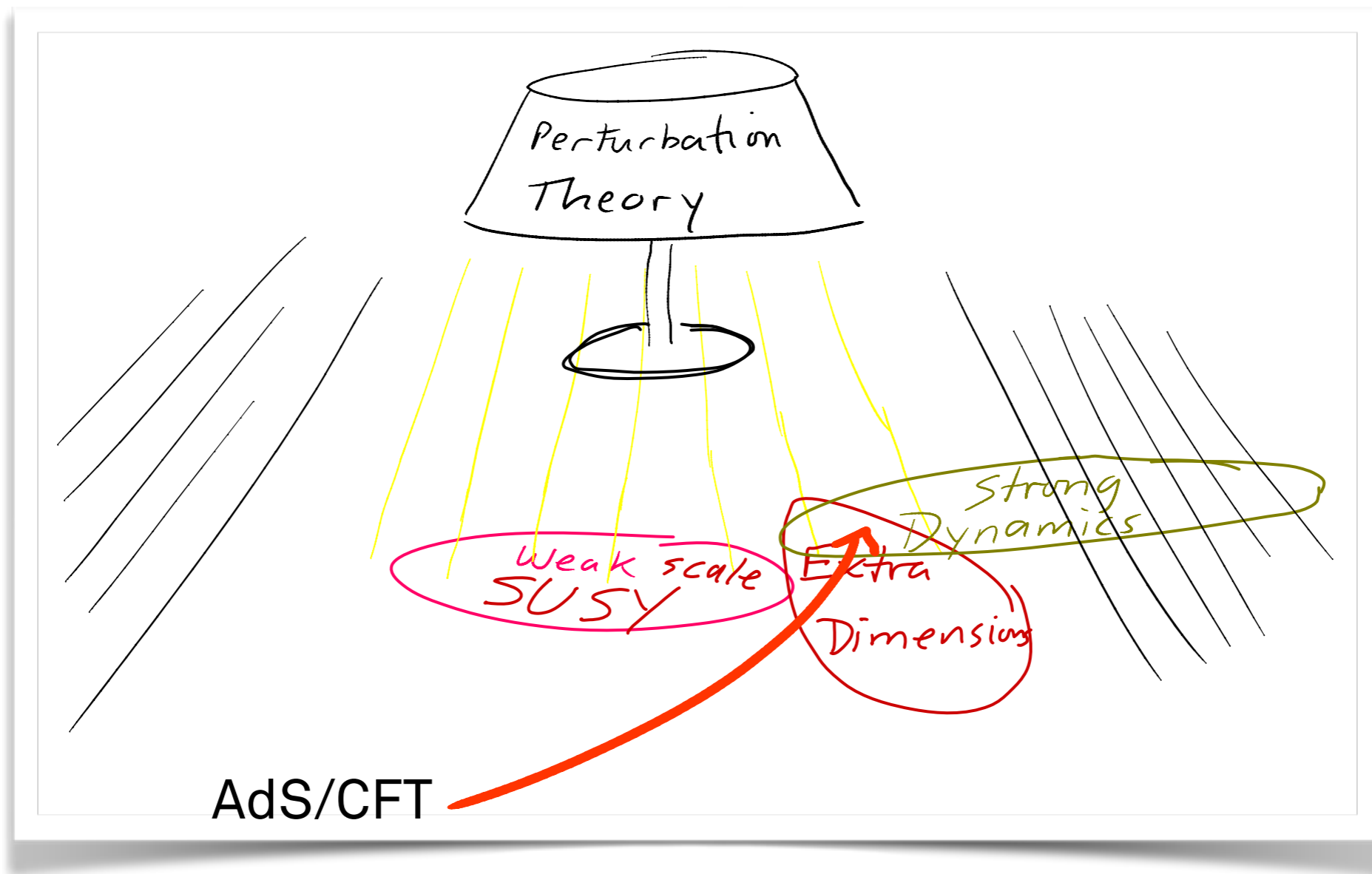


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[arXiv:1411.0000](#)

# MOTIVATION 1

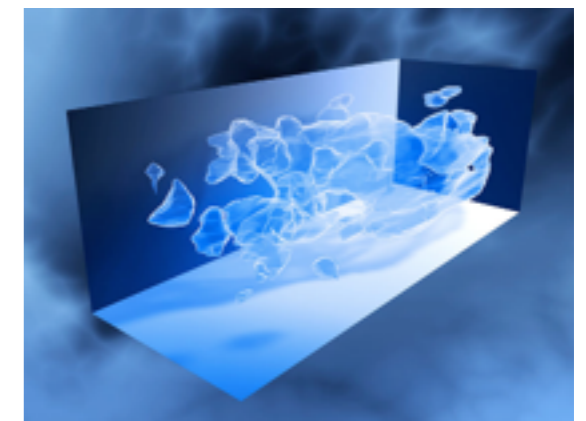
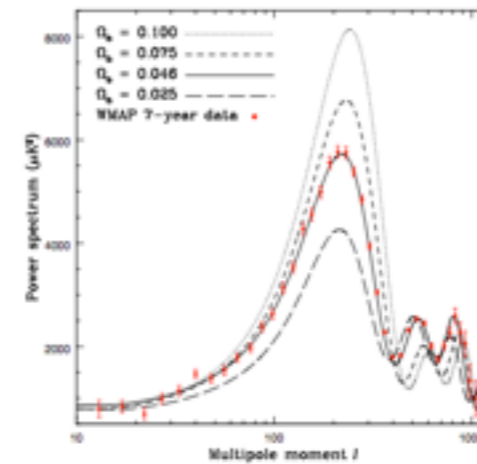
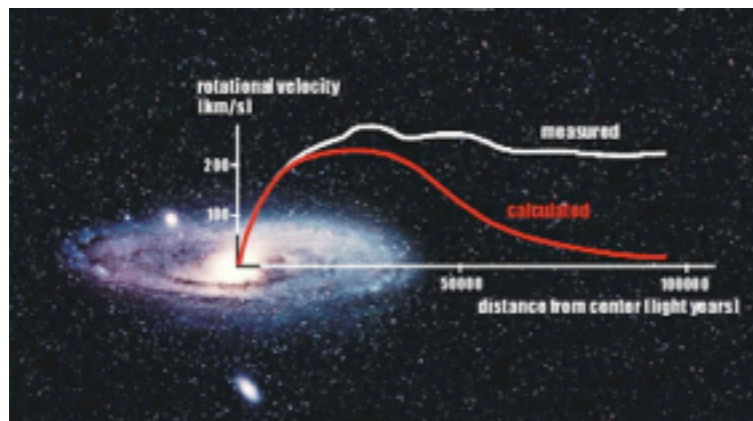
Getting away from the lamp post



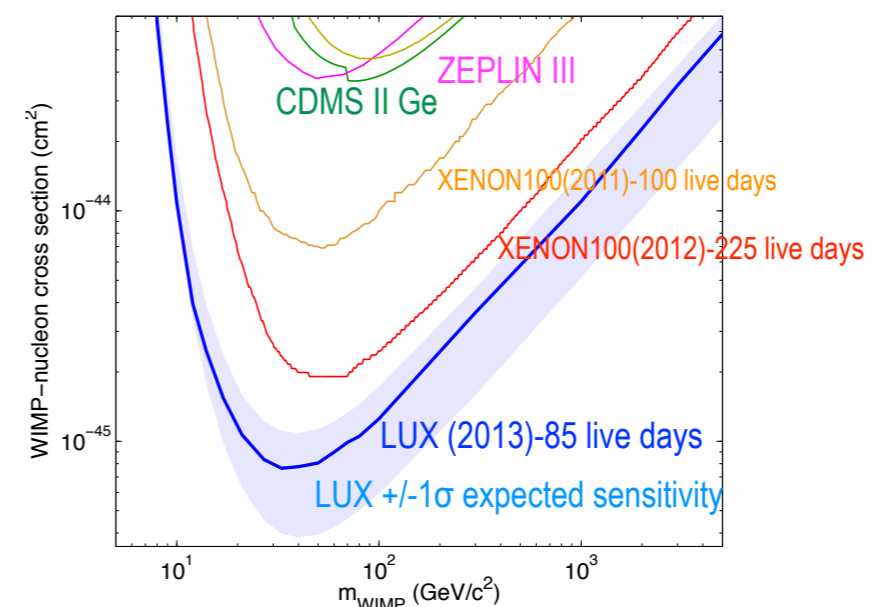
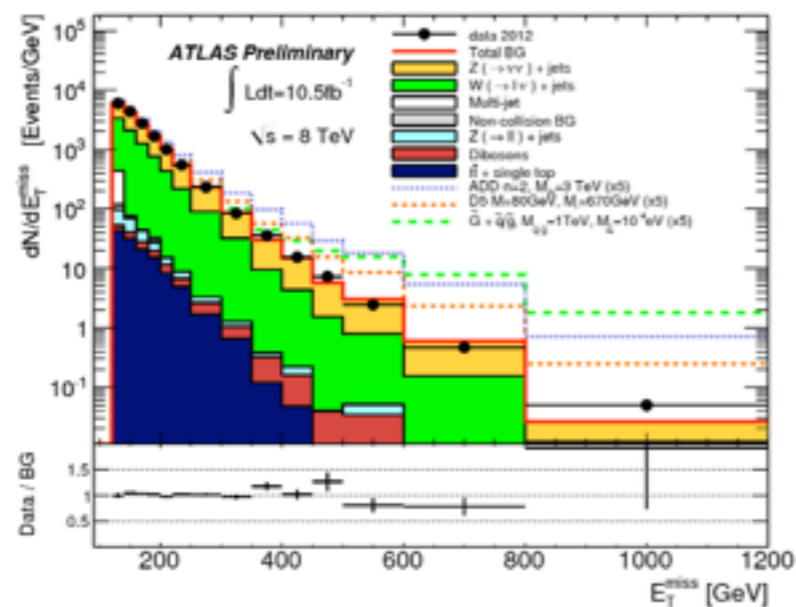
R. Sundrum

# MOTIVATION 2

We have seen dark matter in the sky



But not in the lab



# ASYMMETRIC DARK MATTER

$$\Omega_{DM} \simeq 5\Omega_B$$

Controlled by complicated  
(known) QCD dynamics

$$\Omega_{DM} = m_{DM} n_{DM}$$

$$\Omega_B = m_p n_B$$

?

Unknown dynamics  
of baryogenesis

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Can get  $n_{DM} \sim n_B$ , usually have to assume  $m_{DM} \sim m_B$

Can we get **both**?

# GETTING THE MASS

$$\Omega_{DM} \simeq 5\Omega_B$$

QCD like

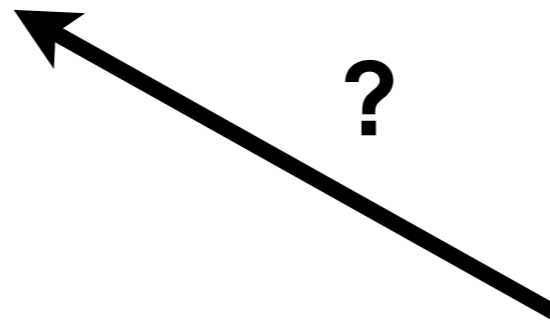


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# QCD SCALE



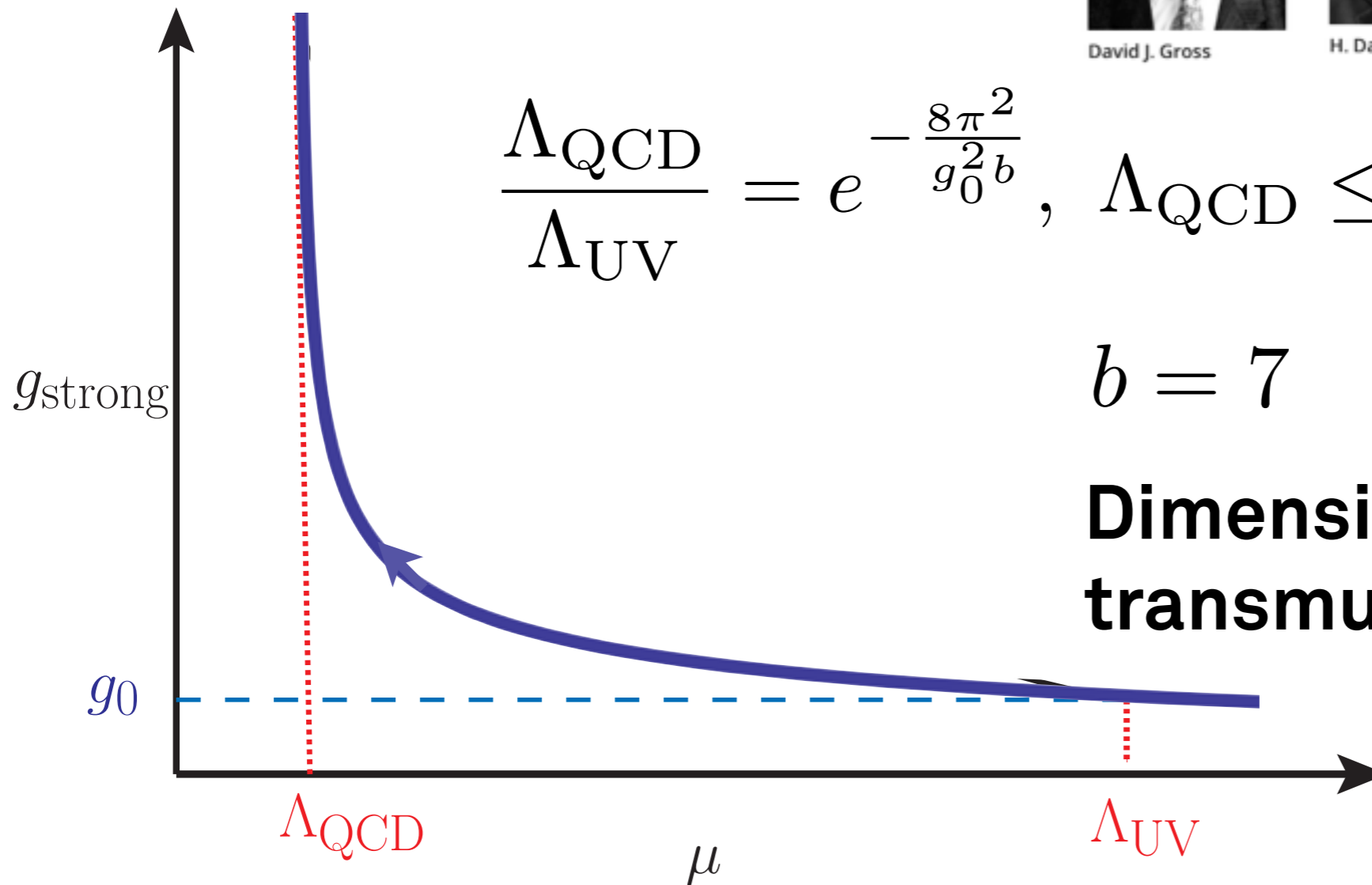
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Frank Wilczek



$$\frac{\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}}{\Lambda_{\text{UV}}} = e^{-\frac{8\pi^2}{g_0^2 b}}, \quad \Lambda_{\text{QCD}} \leq \text{GeV}$$

$$b = 7$$

**Dimensional  
transmutation**



# DARK QCD

Propose new  $SU(N_d)$  “dark QCD,” dark quarks

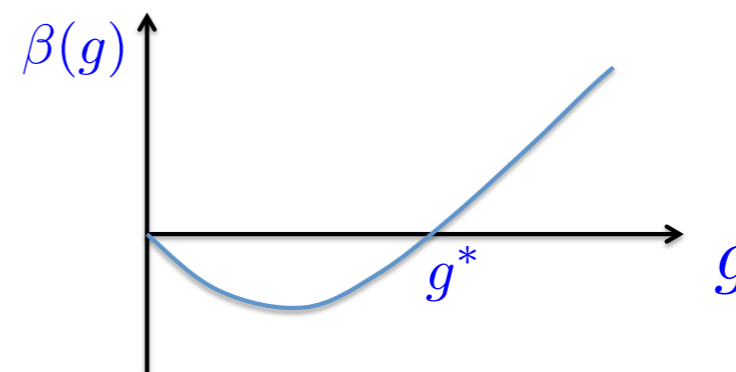
Bai, Schwaller, PRD 13.

Dark matter is dark sector baryons with mass  $\sim \Lambda_{dQCD}$

Massive bifundamental fields decouple at mass  $M \gg \Lambda_{dQCD}$

Search for model with perturbative fixed point

$$\frac{dg}{dt} = \beta(g) = 0 \text{ for } g = g^*$$



# SCALES ARE RELATED

## Example

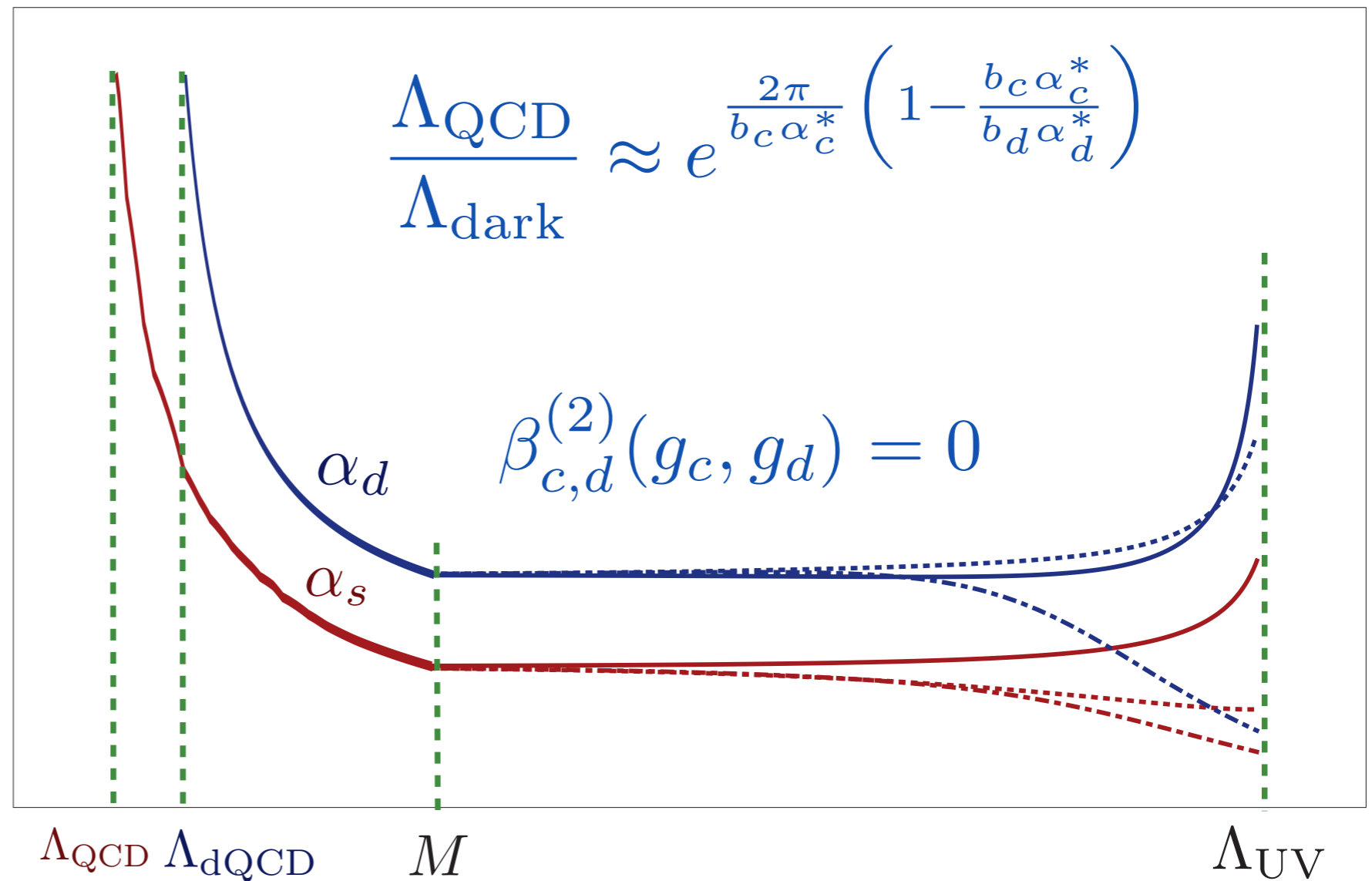
Fixed points:

$$\alpha_c^* = 0.090 \quad \alpha_d^* = 0.168$$

$$M = 870 \text{ GeV}$$

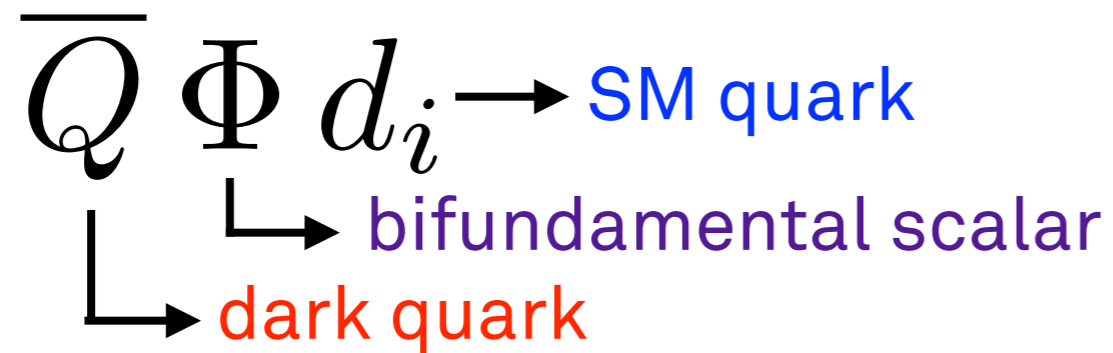
DM mass:

$$M_{DM} \approx 3.5 \text{ GeV}$$



# DARK MATTER

Can co-generate DM and baryon asymmetry



Dark matter is strongly self interacting — potentially solves various problems of cold dark matter

- Cusp vs core

Rocha et. al. '12. Peter et. al. '12.  
Vogelsberger, Zavala, Loeb, '12.  
Zavala, Vogelsberger, Walker '12.

- Missing satellites

- Too big to fail

**PHENOMENOLOGY**

# DARK QCD

Confining  $SU(N_c)$  gauge group with  $N_f$  flavors

$$Q_i \quad \bar{Q}_j \quad G_d^{\mu\nu}$$

This sector is QCD like, and it confines at a scale

$$\Lambda_d \sim 1 - 10 \text{ GeV}$$

At the confining scale we have all the usual states

$$\boxed{p_d} \quad \boxed{\pi_d} \quad \text{Zoo}_d$$

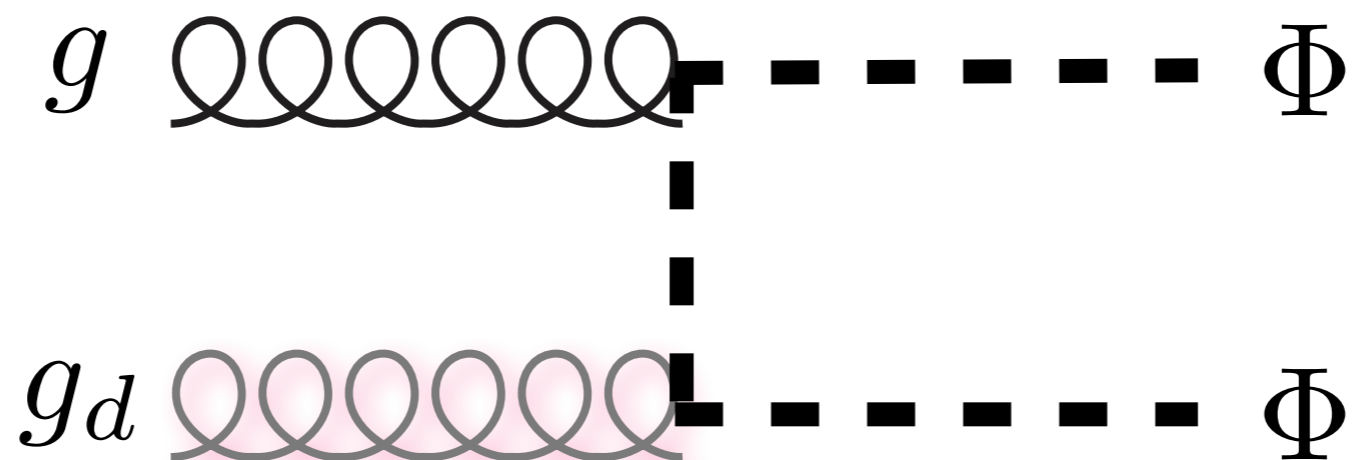
Stable      Decays  
to SM

# MEDIATORS

Motivated by getting comparable asymmetries, put in heavy mediator which couples to SM and dark sector

$$M_{\Phi} \gg \Lambda_d$$

Example 1:  $\Phi$  is a scalar charged under both color and dark color

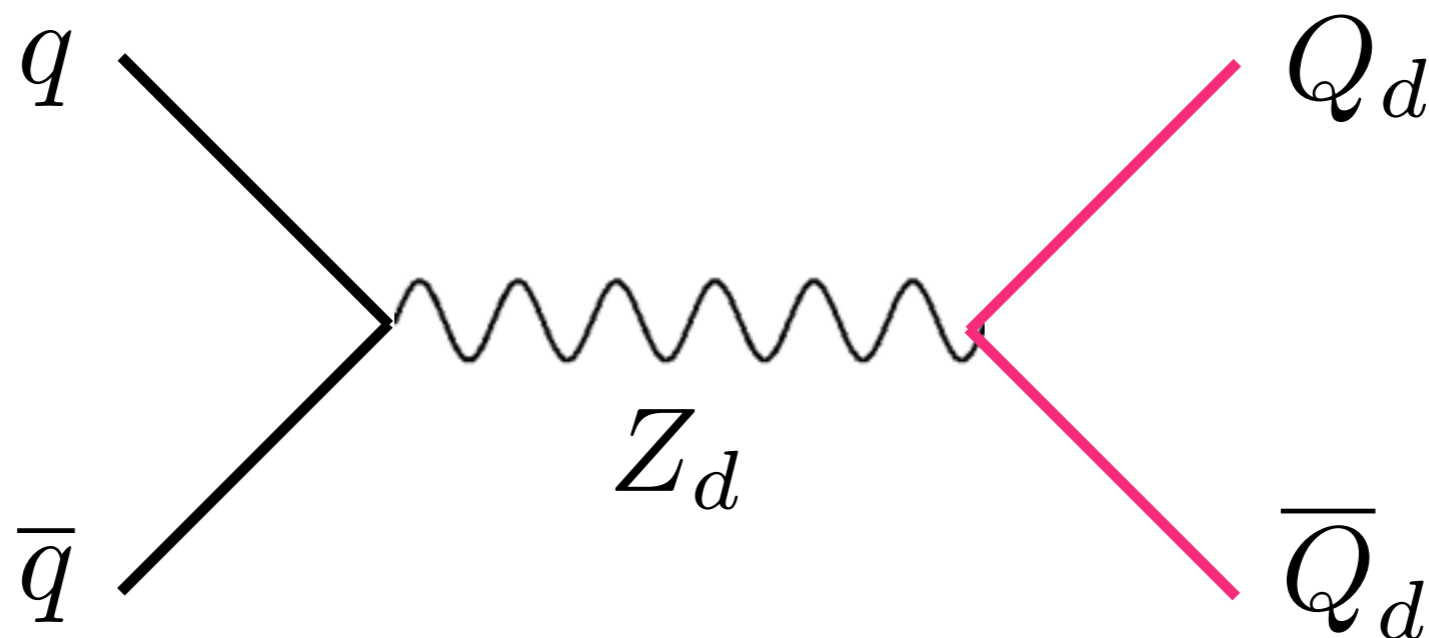


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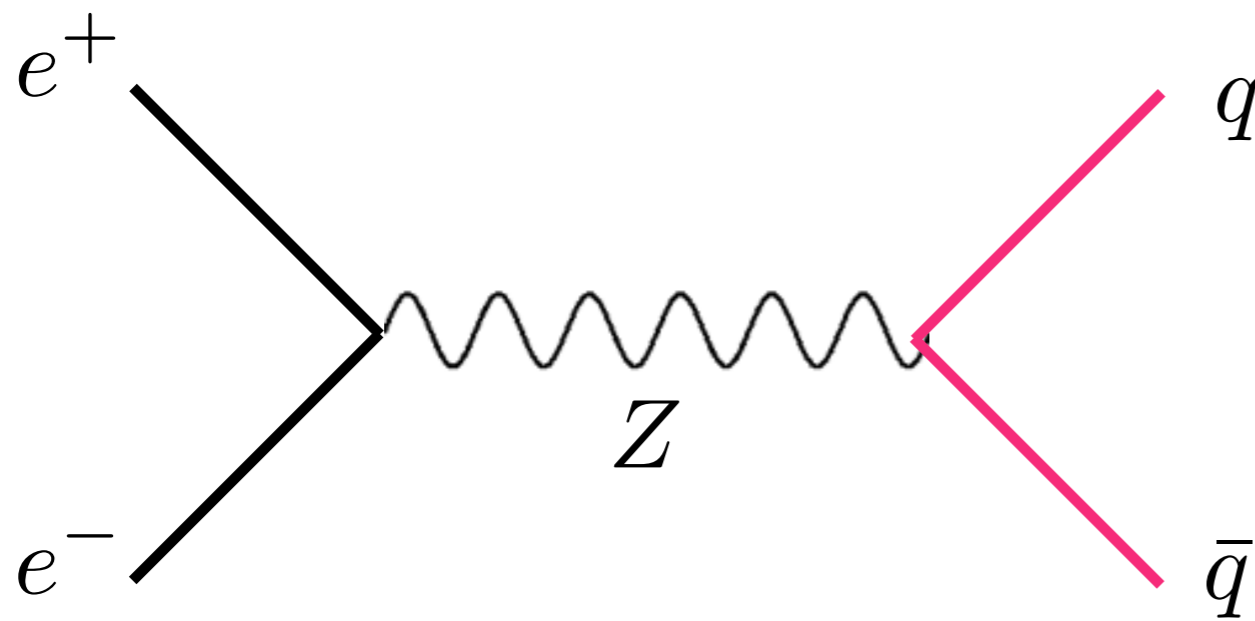
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Example 2:  $Z_d$  is a vector that couples to quarks and dark quarks [Strassler, Zurek, PLB 07](#).

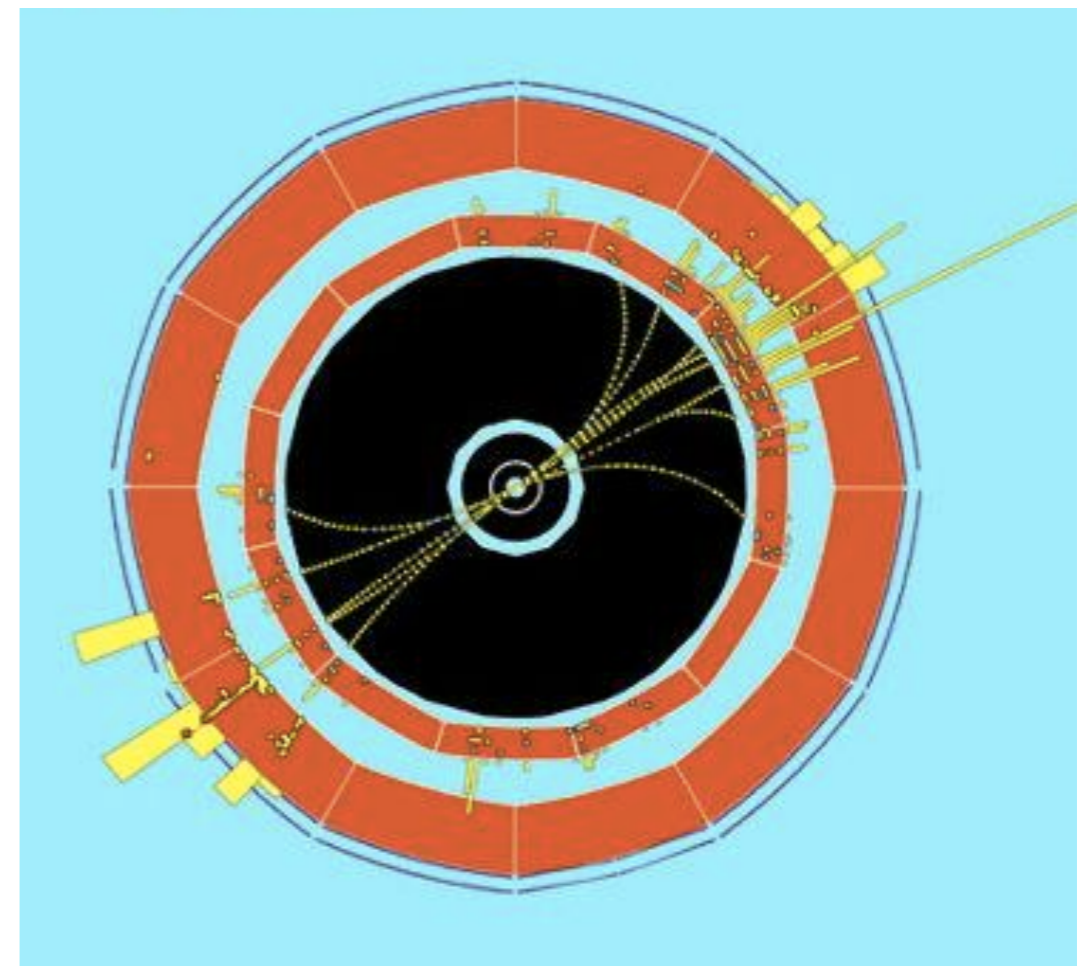


# QCD JETS

Quark production at LEP

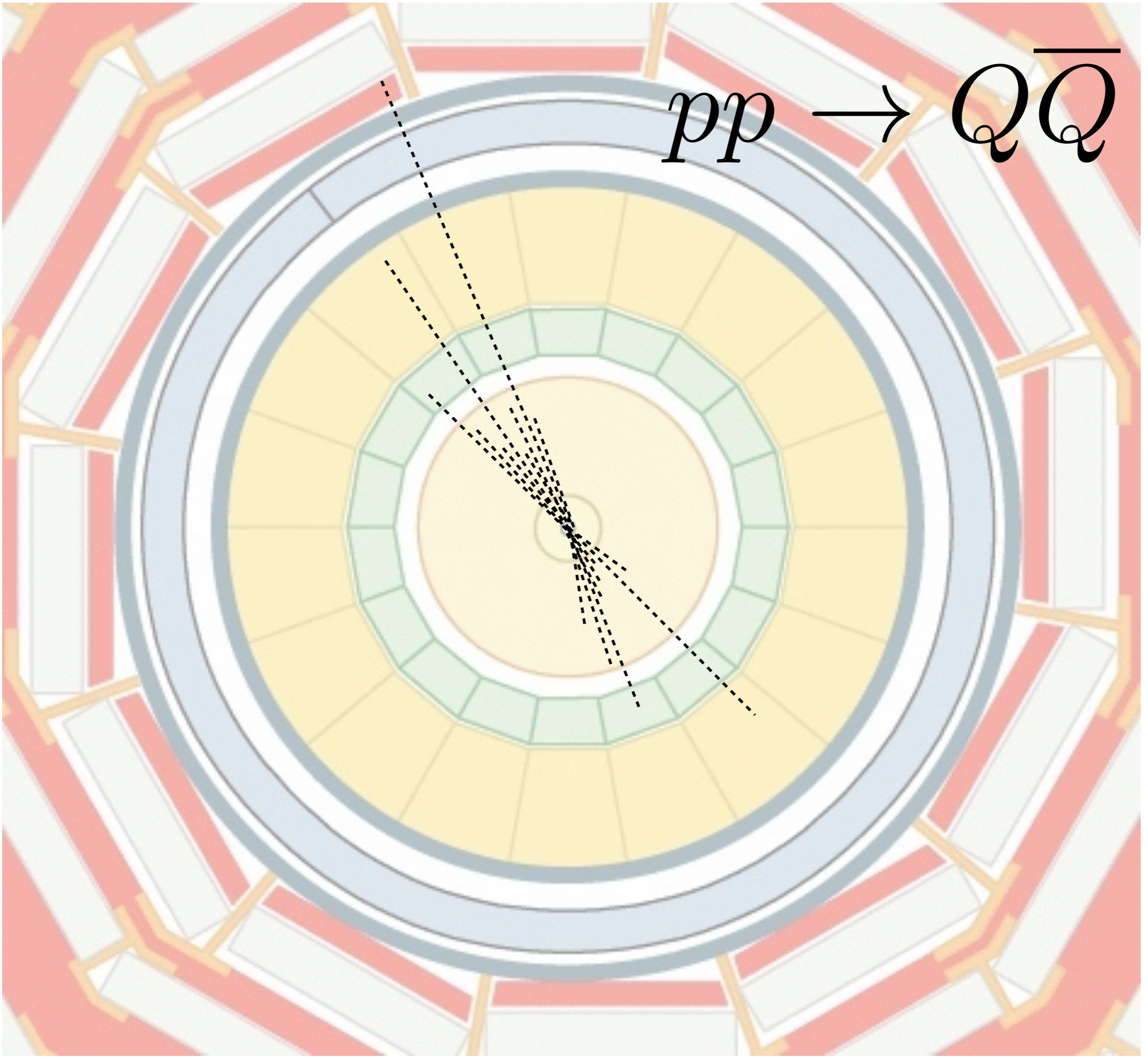


ALEPH event





$pp \rightarrow Q\bar{Q}$

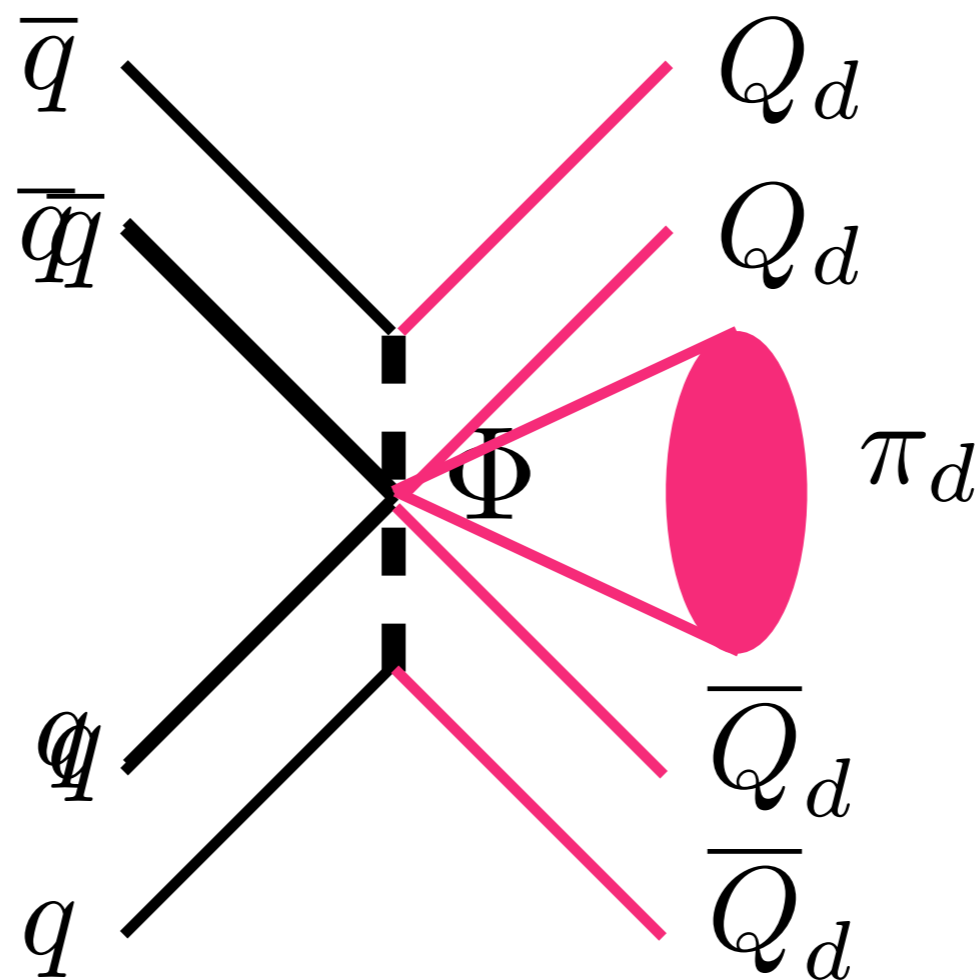


# PION DECAY

Operator used to generate asymmetry mediates decay

$$\bar{Q} \Phi d_i$$

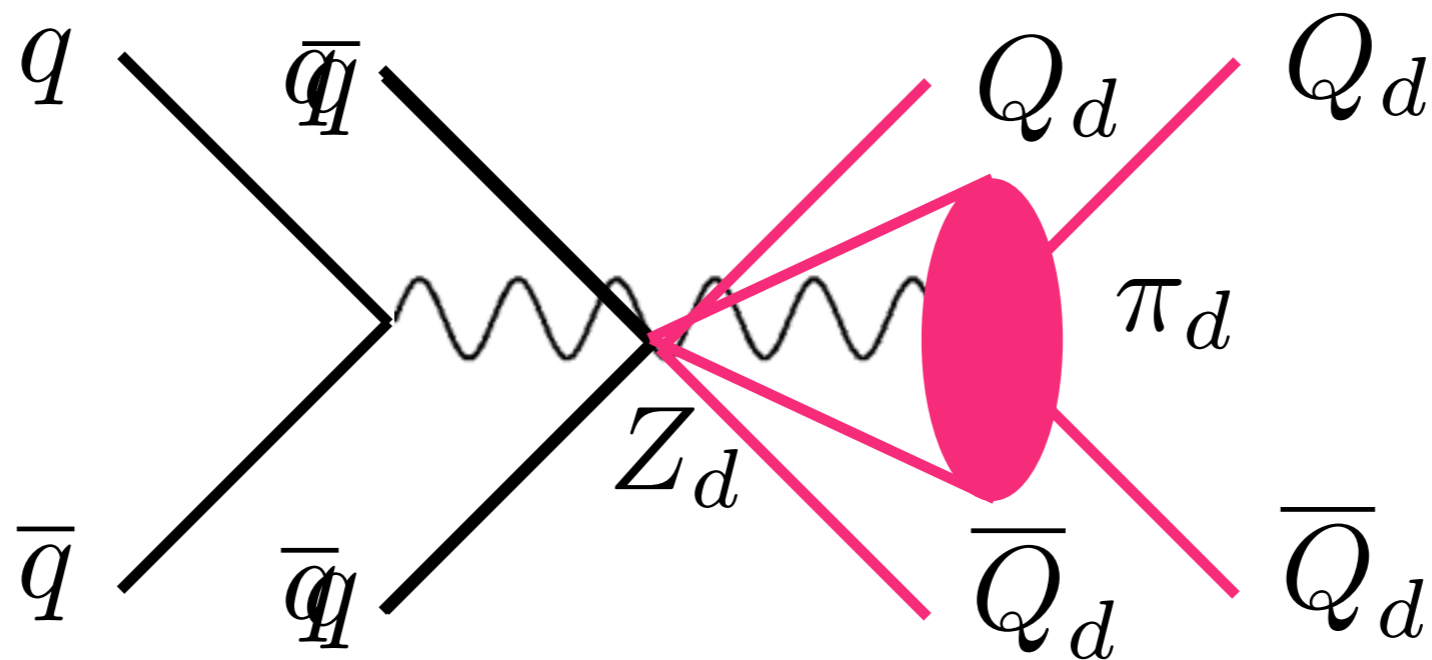
Integrate out  $\Phi$



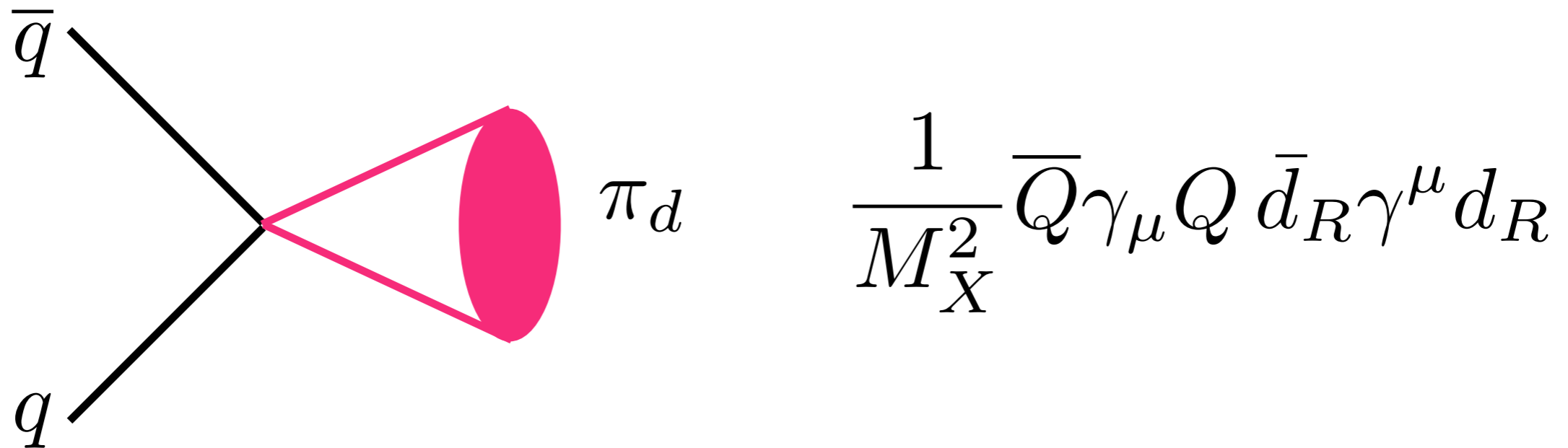
Dark pion  
decays to  
quarks

# PION DECAY

Same story for  $Z_d$  model:



# DECAY LENGTH

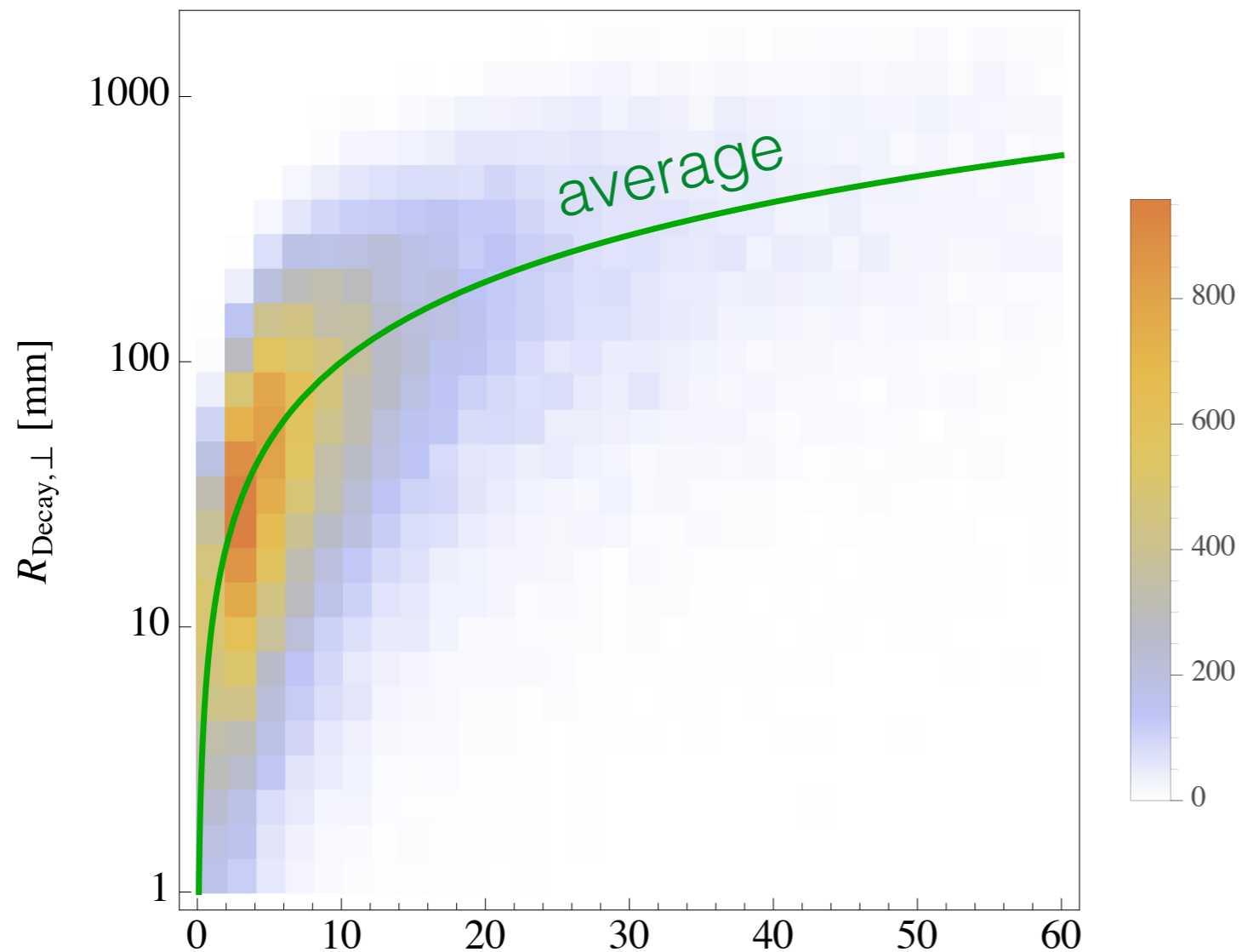


Can use (dark) chiral Lagrangian to estimate:

$$\Gamma(\pi_d \rightarrow \bar{d}d) \approx \frac{f_{\pi_d}^2 m_d^2}{32\pi M_{X_d}^4} m_{\pi_d}$$

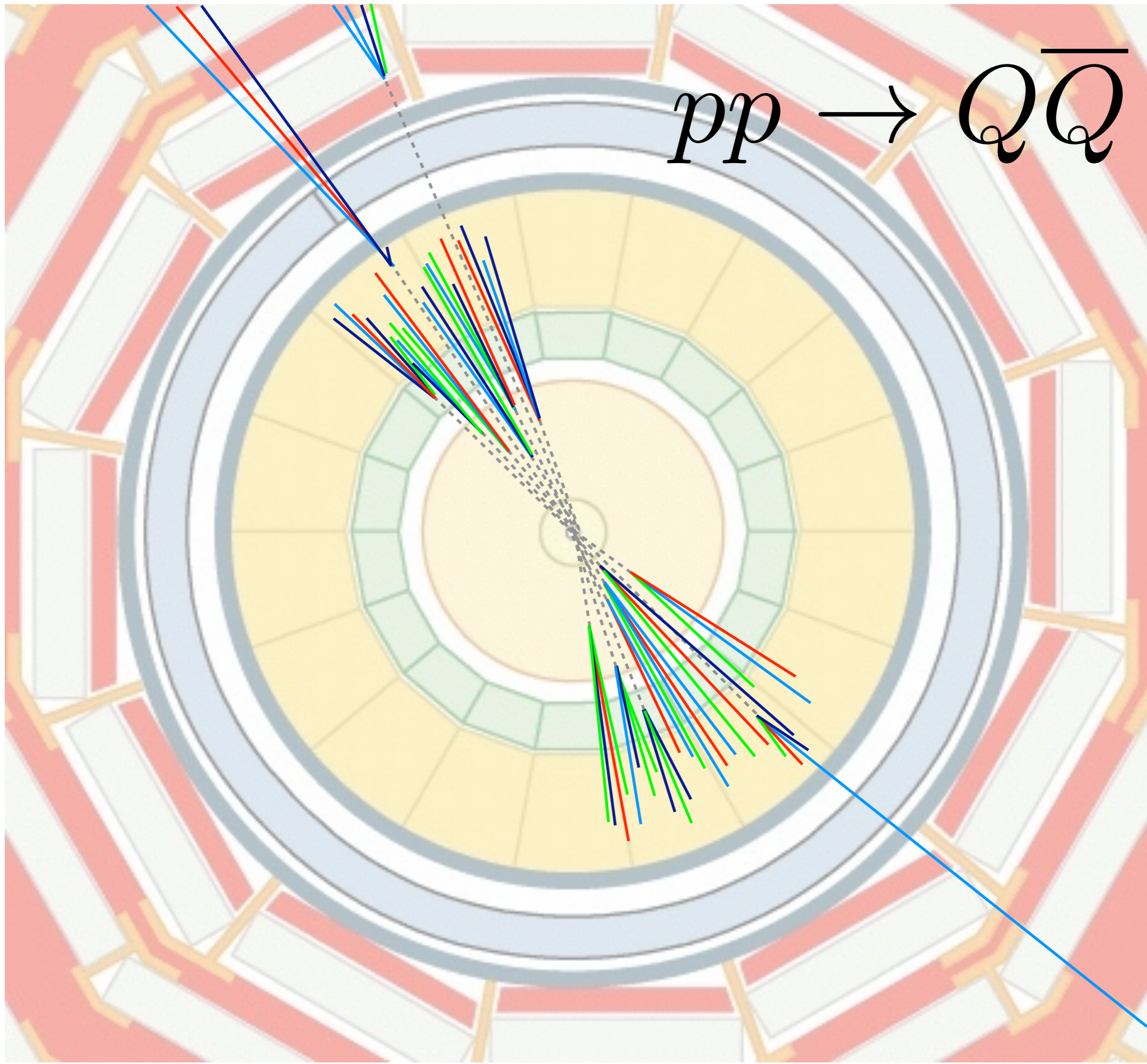
$$c\tau \approx 5 \text{ cm} \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ GeV}}{f_{\pi_d}}\right)^2 \left(\frac{100 \text{ MeV}}{m_d}\right)^2 \left(\frac{1 \text{ GeV}}{m_{\pi_d}}\right) \left(\frac{M_{X_d}}{1 \text{ TeV}}\right)^4$$

# DECAY LENGTH



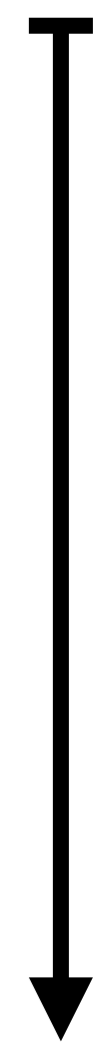
	Model A	Model B
$\Lambda_d$	10 GeV	4 GeV
$m_V$	20 GeV	8 GeV
$m_{\pi_d}$	5 GeV	2 GeV
$c\tau_{\pi_d}$	50 mm	5 mm

$$c\tau \approx 5 \text{ cm} \times \left( \frac{1 \text{ GeV}}{f_{\pi_d}} \right)^2 \left( \frac{100 \text{ MeV}}{m_d} \right)^2 \left( \frac{1 \text{ GeV}}{m_{\pi_d}} \right) \left( \frac{M_{X_d}}{1 \text{ TeV}} \right)^4$$



$pp \rightarrow Q\bar{Q}$

~ 2 m  
(CMS)

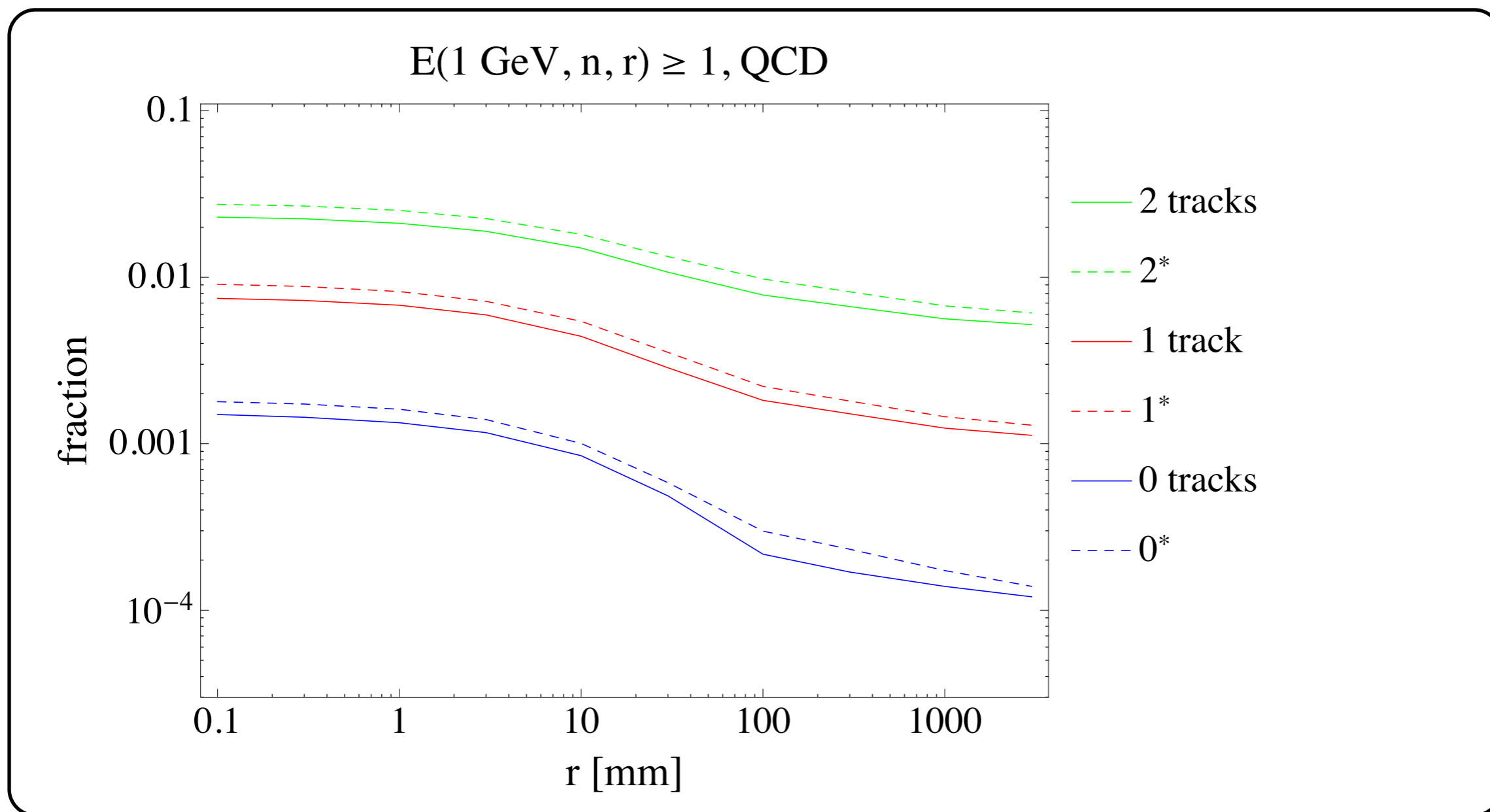


$$pp \rightarrow Q\bar{Q}$$

Look for jets with  
no/few tracks in  
the circle

# BACKGROUND?

QCD 4-jet production in PYTHIA 8  $p_T > 200$  GeV

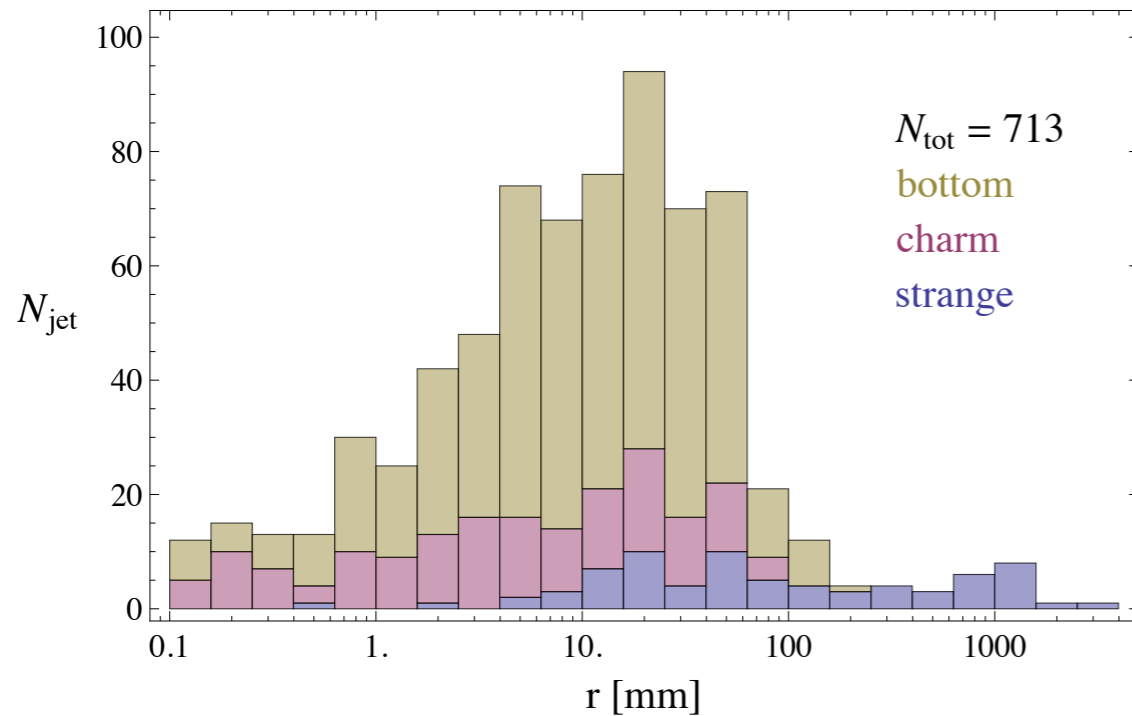


\* - modified Pythia tune to increase QCD contribution

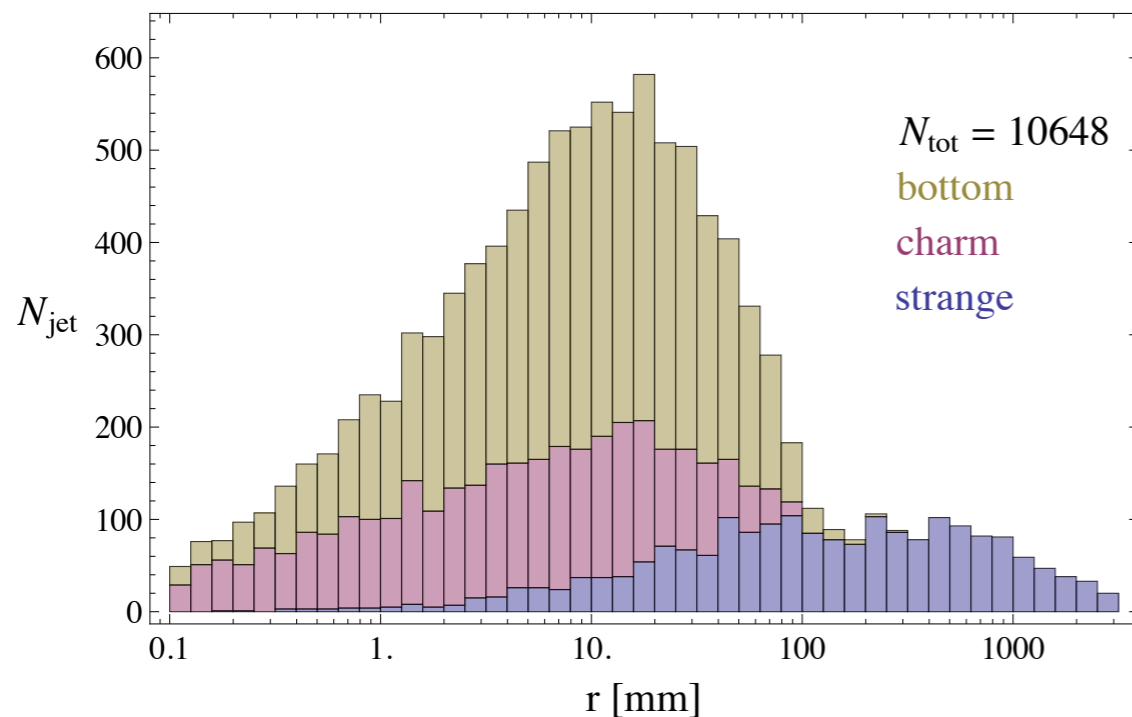


# BACKGROUND COMPOSITION

QCD Emerging Jets, n=0



QCD Emerging Jets, n=2

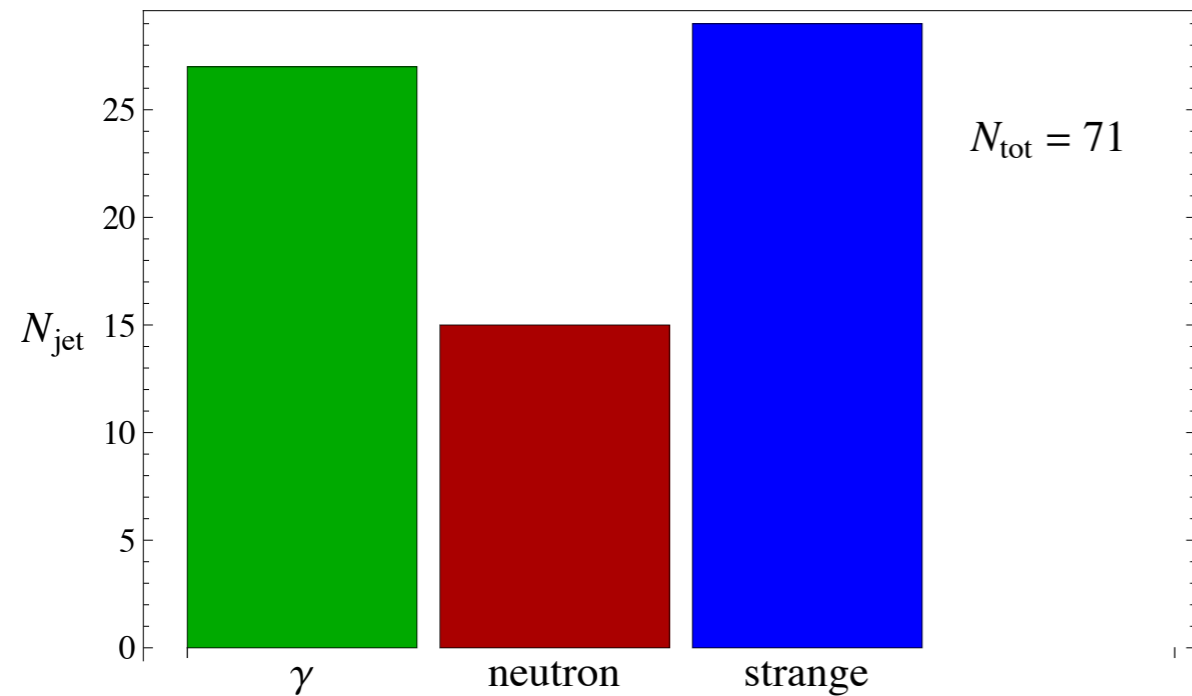


Flavor of earliest  
decaying track

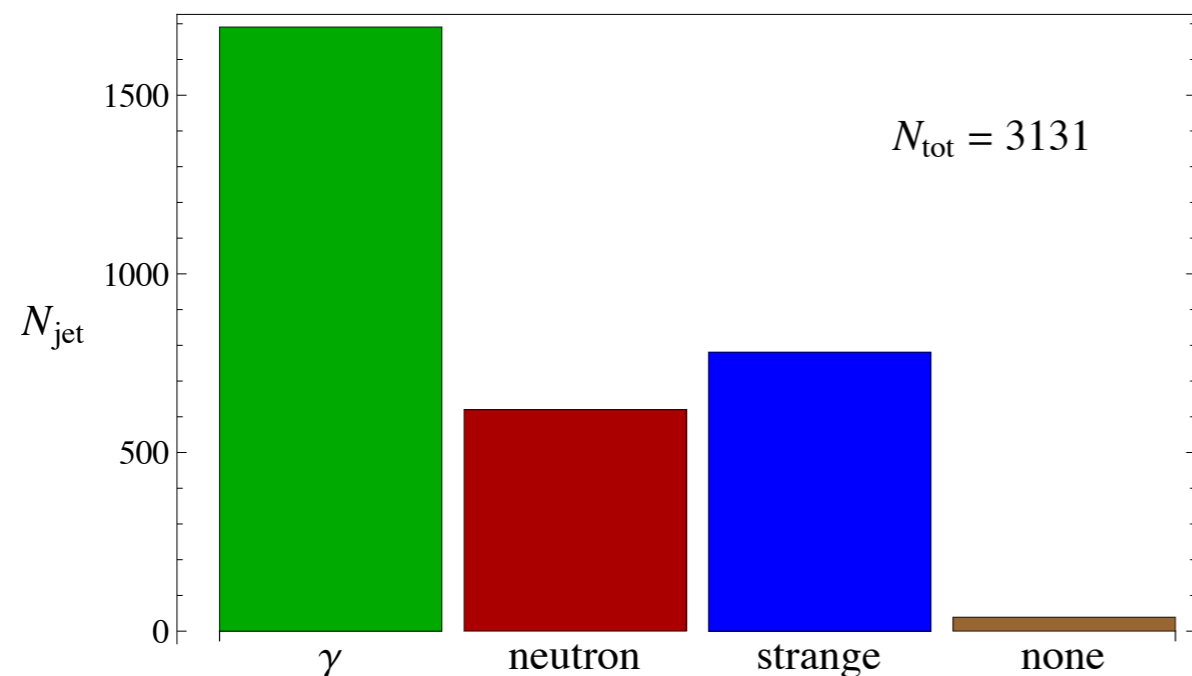
track  $p_T > 1 \text{ GeV}$   
jet  $p_T > 200 \text{ GeV}$

# TRACKLESS BACKGROUND

QCD Trackless Emerging Jets,  $n=0$



QCD Trackless Emerging Jets,  $n=2$



Composition of completely trackless background

track  $p_T > 1 \text{ GeV}$   
jet  $p_T > 200 \text{ GeV}$

# DARK SECTOR

Choose two benchmarks:

	Model A	Model B
$\Lambda_d$	10 GeV	4 GeV
$m_V$	20 GeV	8 GeV
$m_{\pi_d}$	5 GeV	2 GeV
$c\tau_{\pi_d}$	150 mm	5 mm

$$N_c = 3 \text{ and } n_f = 7$$

Dark QCD already in PYTHIA!

Carlson, Sjostrand, 2010.

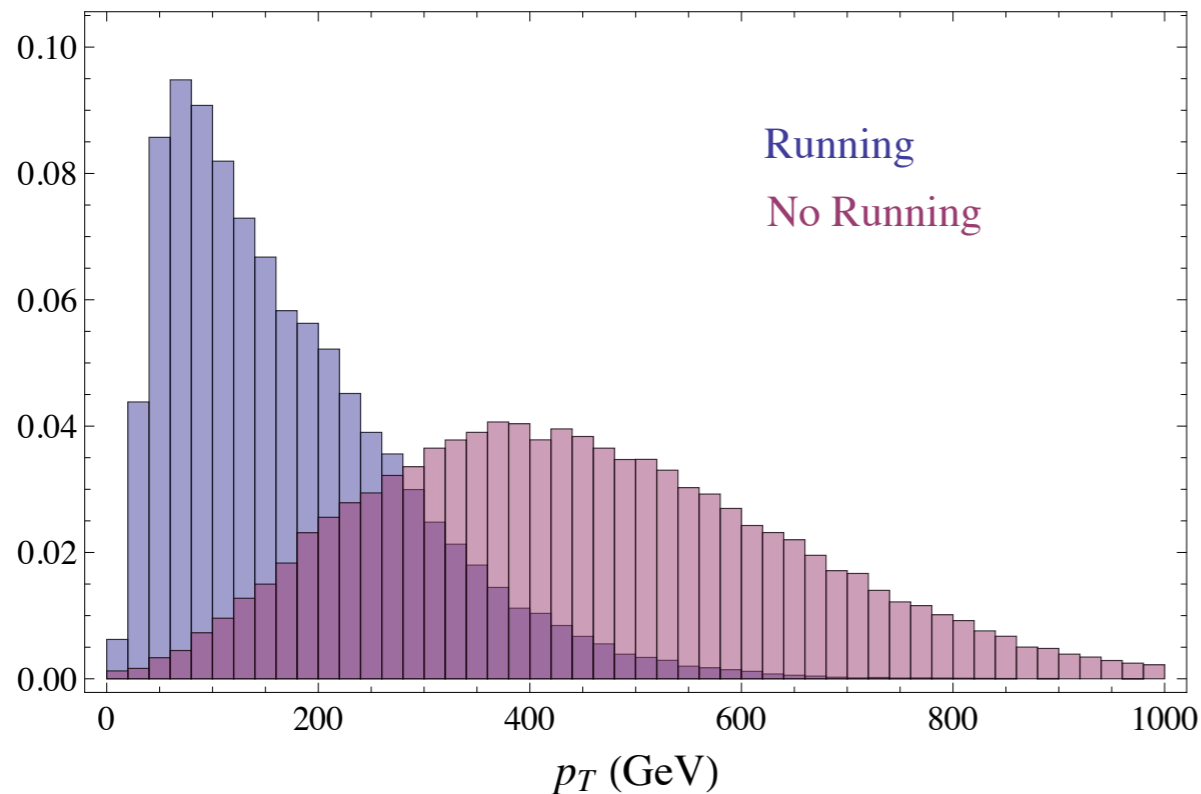
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Run modified version with running

# COUPLING RUNNING

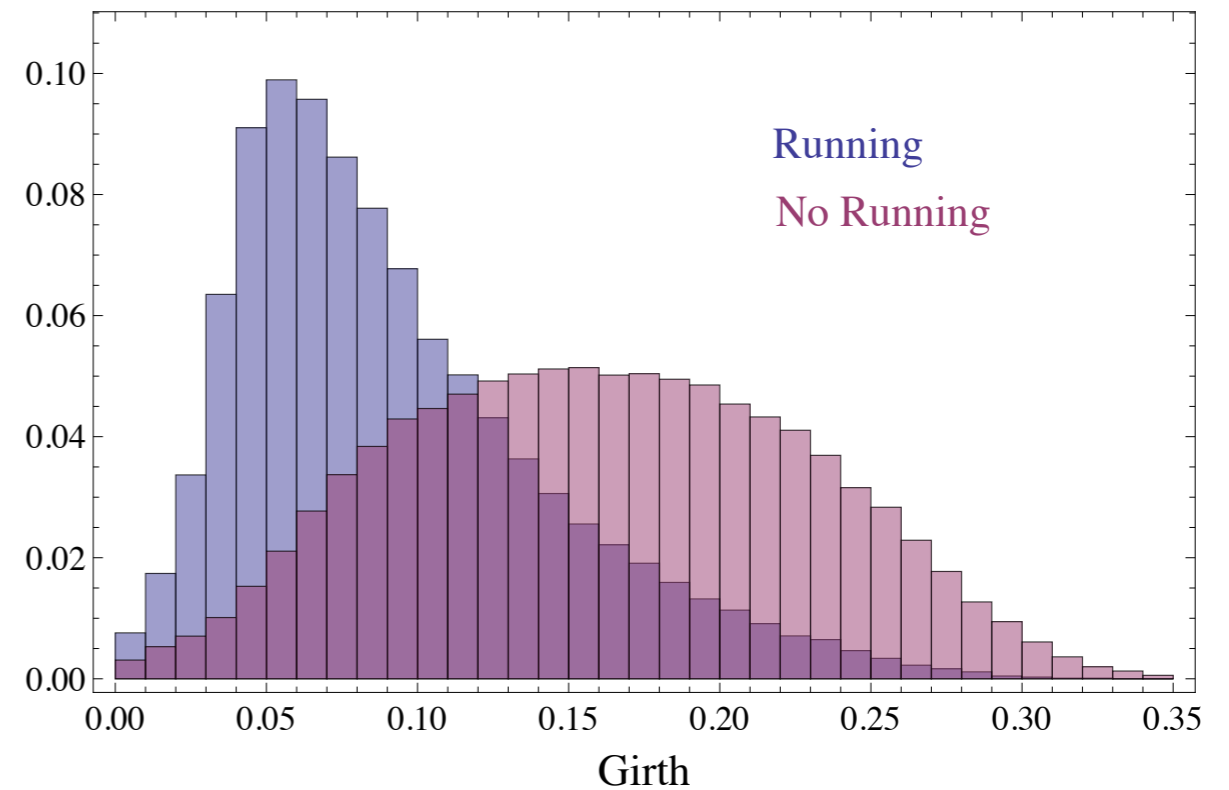
Modify PYTHIA to include gauge coupling running

Orphan  $p_T$



$p_T$  not in jets with  
 $p_T > 200$  GeV

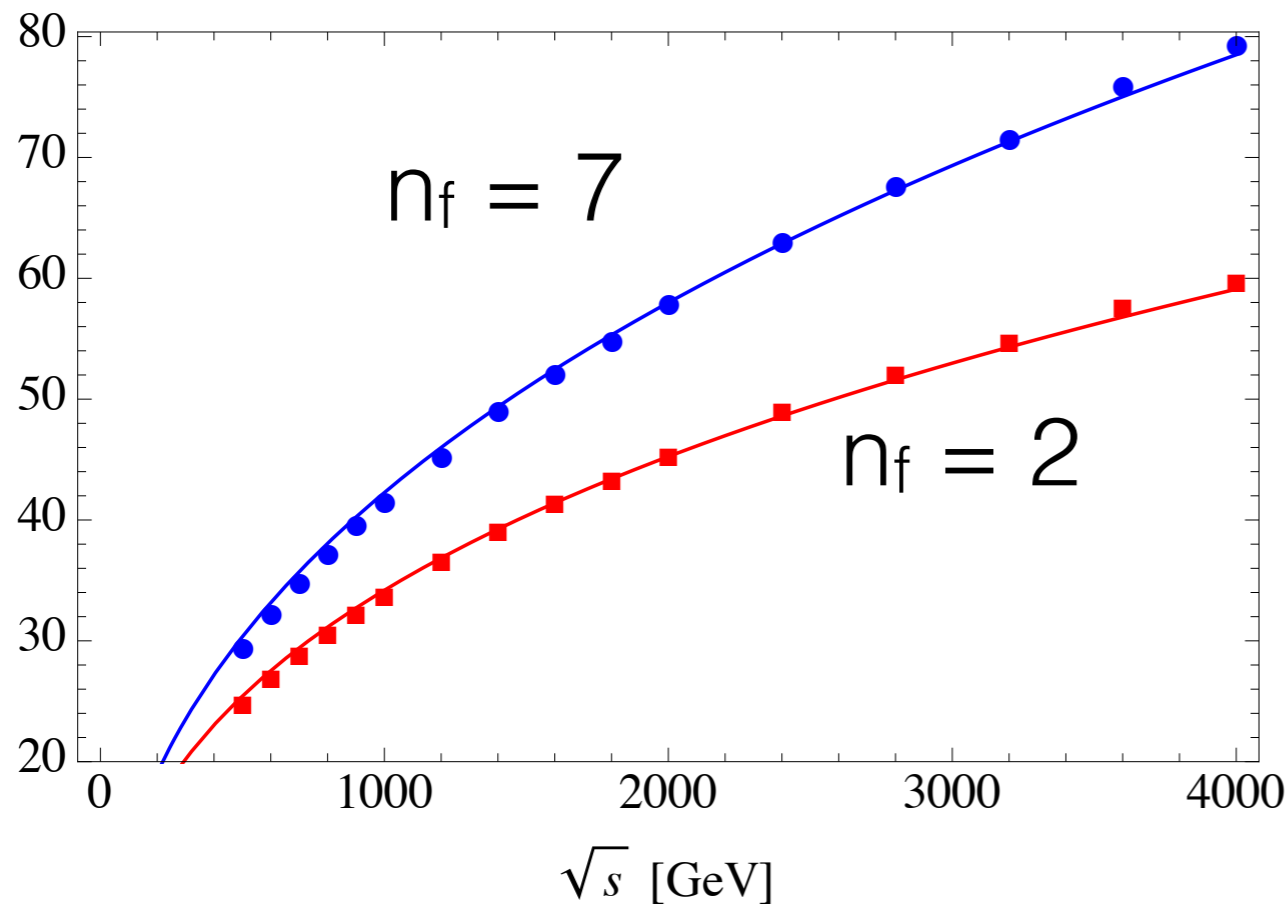
Girth



$$\text{girth} = \frac{1}{p_T^{\text{jet}}} \sum_i p_T^i \Delta R_i$$

# SIMULATION

Check to see if simulation makes sense by looking at average particle multiplicity



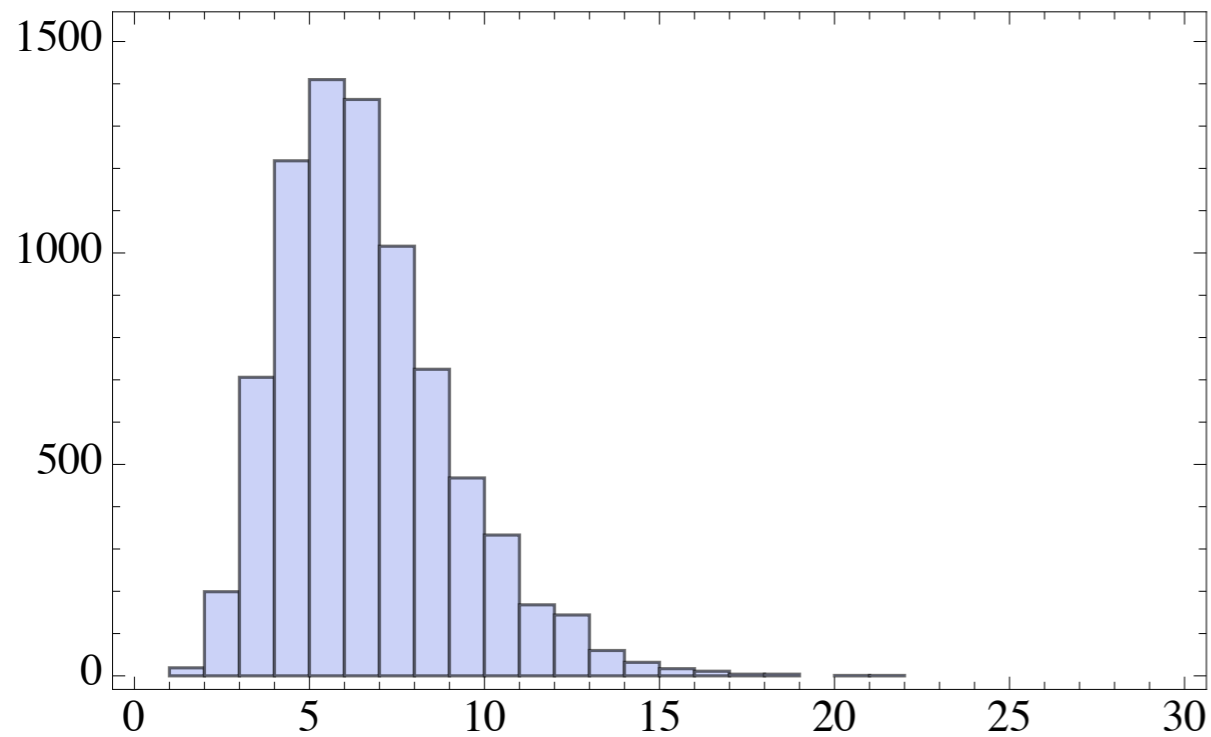
Ellis, Stirling, and Weber, 1996.

$$\langle N(\hat{s}) \rangle \propto \exp \left( \frac{1}{b_1} \sqrt{\frac{6}{\pi \alpha_s(\hat{s})}} + \left( \frac{1}{4} + \frac{5n_f}{54\pi b_1} \right) \log \alpha_s(\hat{s}) \right)$$

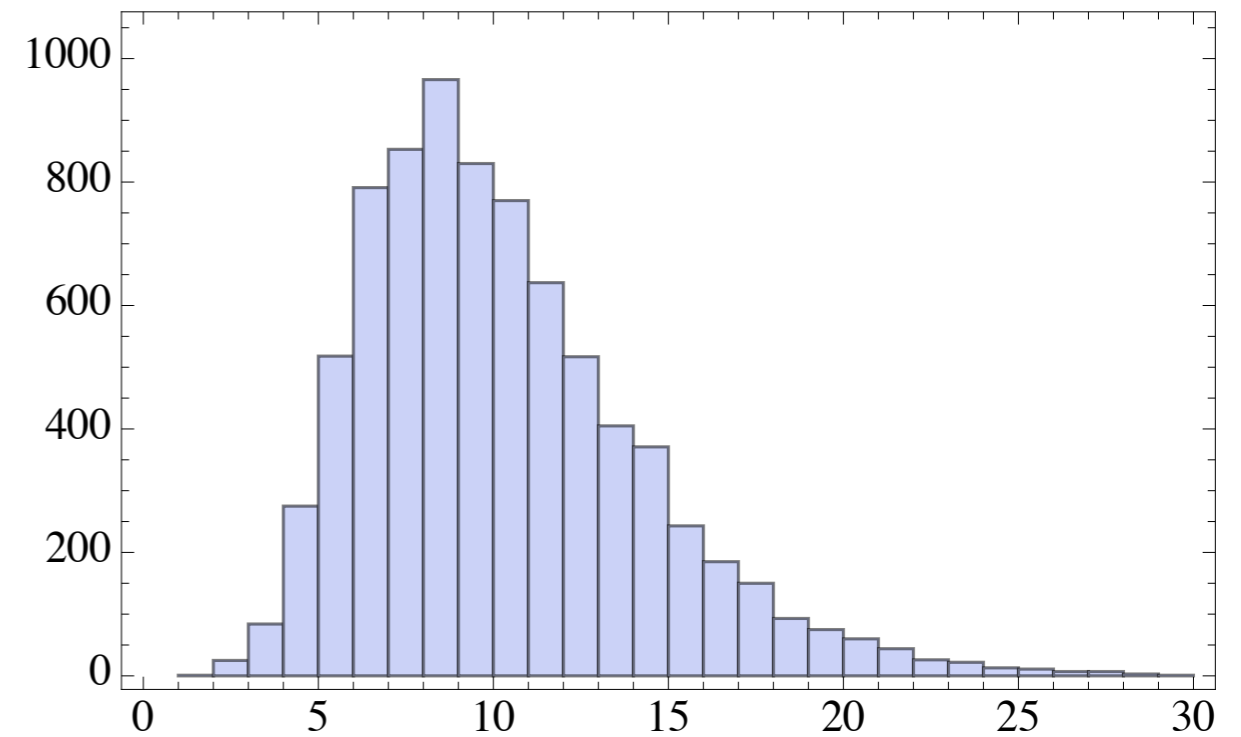
# MESON MULTIPLICITY

Number of dark mesons in a jet

Number of dark Mesons per jet, Model A

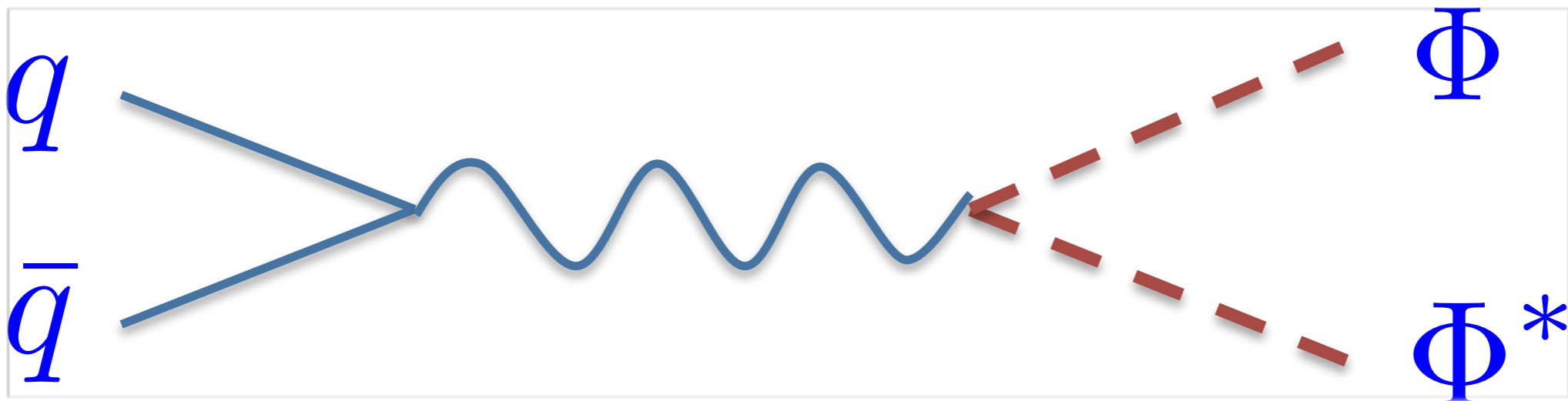


Number of dark Mesons per jet, Model B



# BENCHMARK MEDIATOR 1

$$pp \rightarrow \Phi\Phi^\dagger \rightarrow \bar{q} Q_d \bar{Q}_d q$$



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$$pp \rightarrow \Phi\Phi^\dagger \rightarrow \bar{q} Q_d \bar{Q}_d q$$

Final state is

- 2 QCD jets
- 2 emerging jets

Cross section is stop-like

$$\sigma \approx \text{few} \times \sigma(pp \rightarrow \tilde{t}_1 \tilde{t}_1)$$

$$\sigma(M_\Phi = 1 \text{ TeV}) \approx 10 \text{ fb}$$

@ LHC14



# BENCHMARK MEDIATOR 2

$$pp \rightarrow Z_d \rightarrow Q_d \bar{Q}_d$$

Final state is

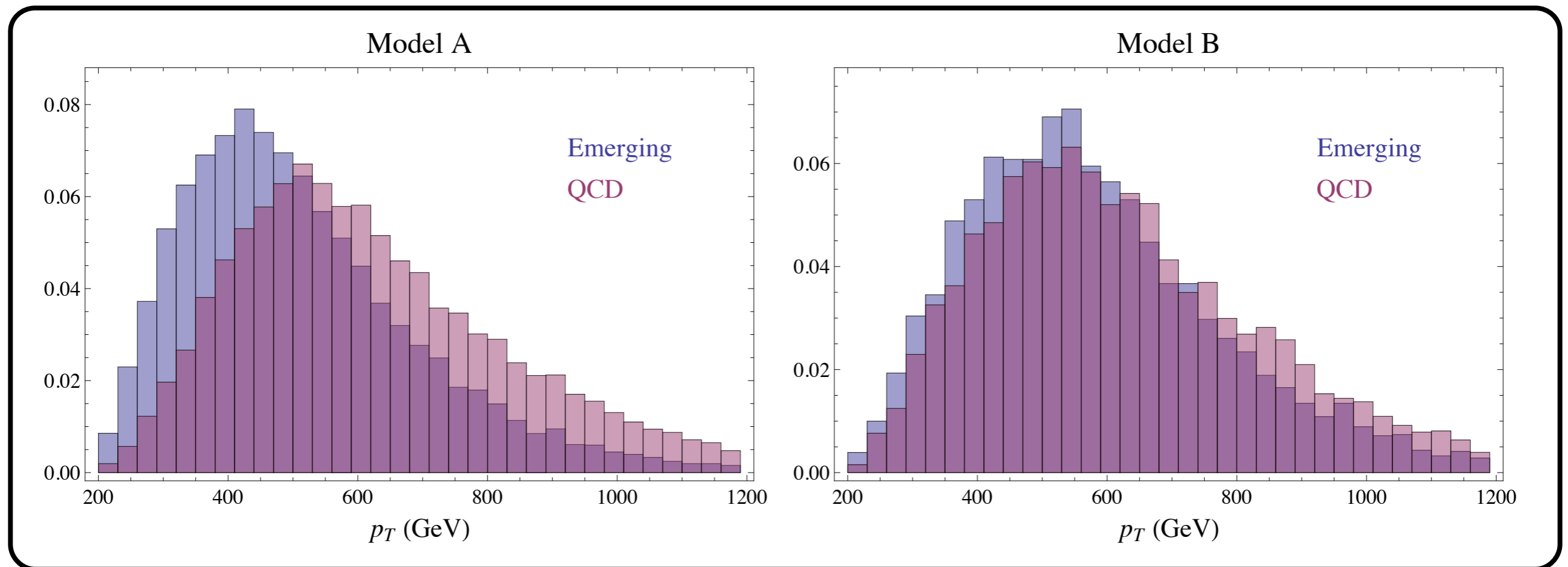
- 2 emerging jets

Cross section depends on couplings

Work in progress

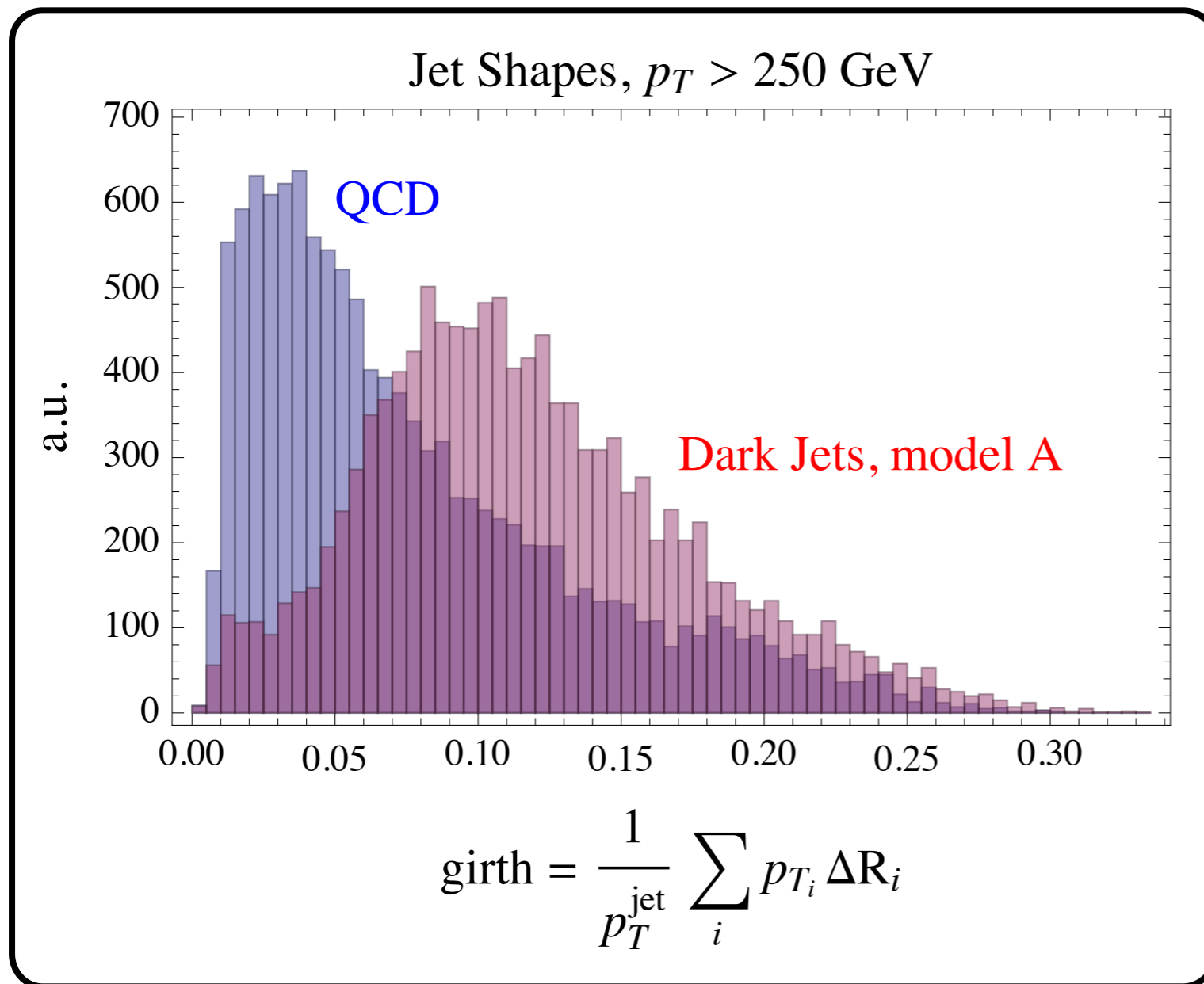
# JET MOMENTA

## Hardest jet $p_T$



Four hard jets is enough to pass trigger

# JET SHAPES



Measure girth to get a sense of jet width

Model A:

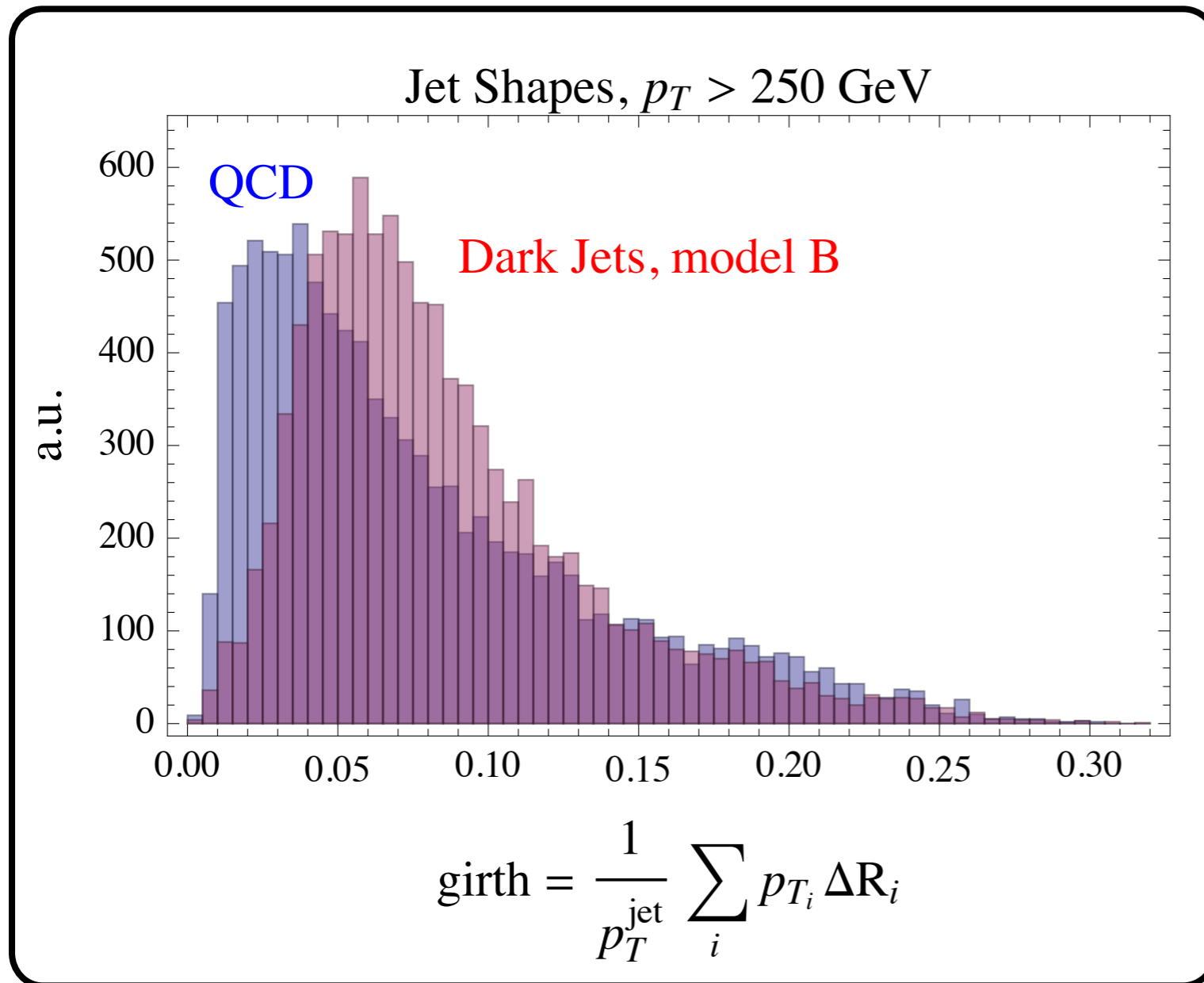
$$m_{\Phi} = 1 \text{ TeV}$$

$$\Lambda_d = 10 \text{ GeV}$$

$$m_{\pi_d} = 5 \text{ GeV}$$

$$c\tau_{\pi_d} = 50 \text{ mm}$$

# JET SHAPES



Quite sensitive to dark sector params.

Model B:

$$m_\Phi = 1 \text{ TeV}$$

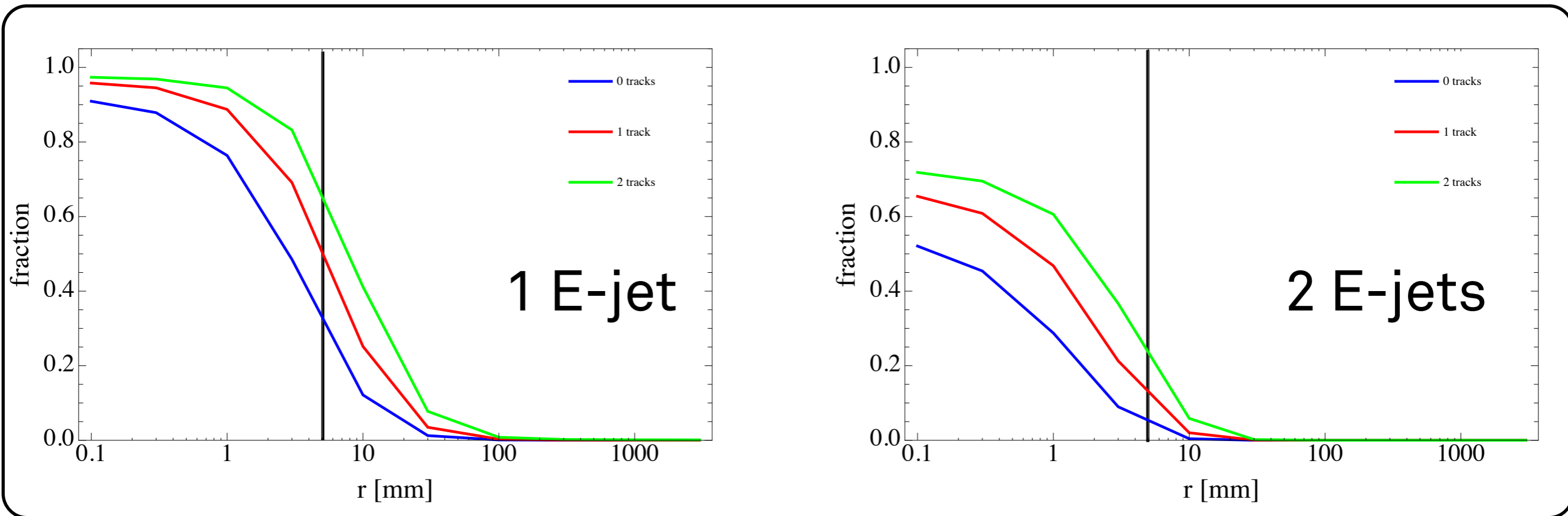
$$\Lambda_d = 4 \text{ GeV}$$

$$m_{\pi_d} = 2 \text{ GeV}$$

$$c\tau_{\pi_d} = 20 \text{ mm}$$

# SEARCH STRATEGY

$$pp \rightarrow \Phi \Phi^\dagger \rightarrow \bar{q} Q_d \bar{Q}_d q$$

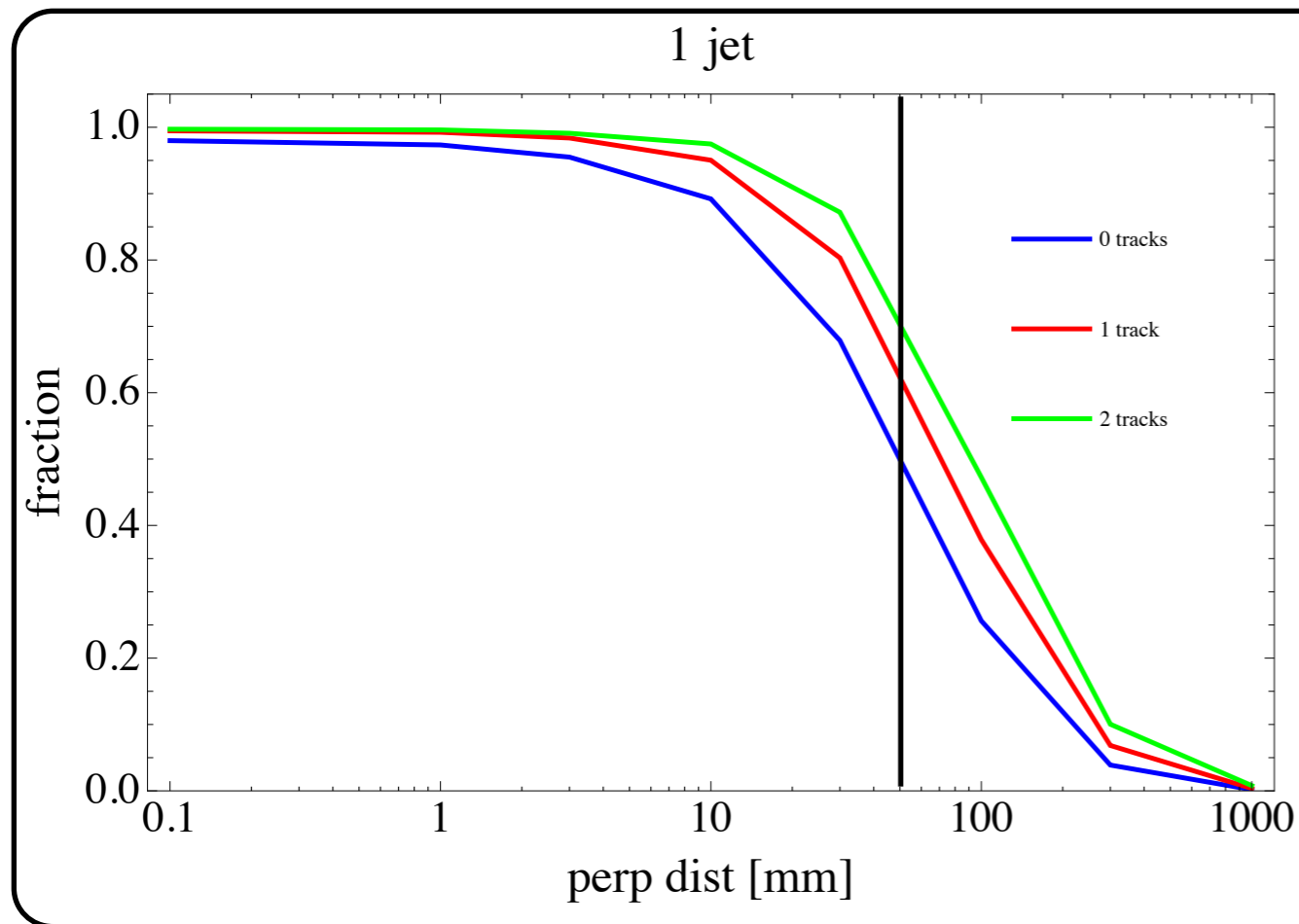


$$m_{\pi_d} = 2 \text{ GeV}$$

$$c\tau_{\pi_d} = 5 \text{ mm}$$

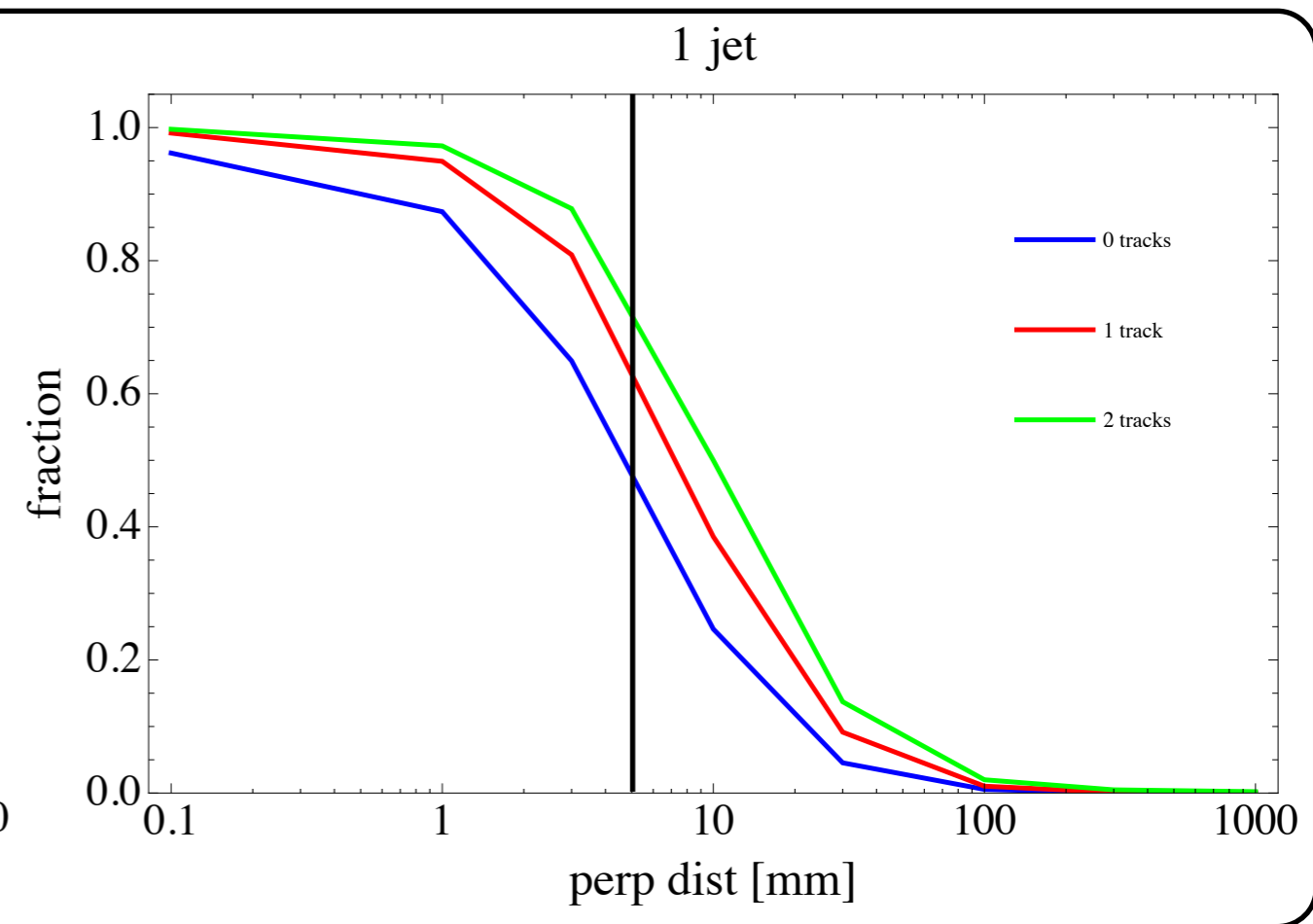
# DIFFERENT MODEL POINTS

## Model A'



$$m_{\pi_d} = 5 \text{ GeV}$$
$$c\tau_{\pi_d} = 50 \text{ mm}$$

## Model A''



$$m_{\pi_d} = 5 \text{ GeV}$$
$$c\tau_{\pi_d} = 5 \text{ mm}$$

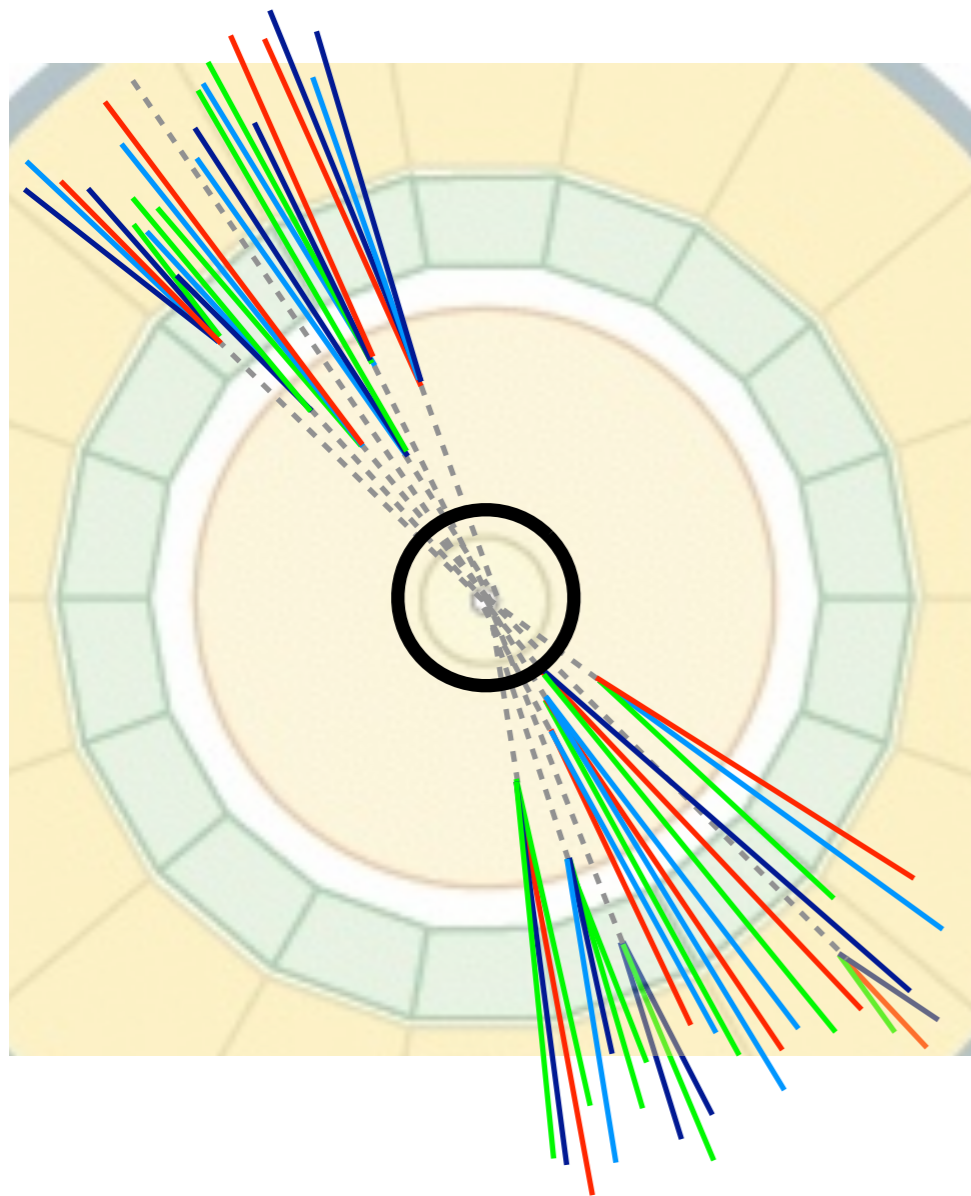
# CUT FLOW

Cross sections in fb at LHC14:

	Model A	Model B	QCD 4-jet	Modified PYTHIA
Tree level	14.6	14.6	410,000	410,000
$\geq 4$ jets, $ \eta  < 2.5$ $p_T(\text{jet}) > 200$ GeV $H_T > 1000$ GeV	4.9	8.4	48,000	48,000

Paired di-jet resonance search very difficult!  
Requiring emerging jets changes the game.

# ALTERNATIVE STRATEGY



Fraction of jet energy  
reconstructing outside  
of circle

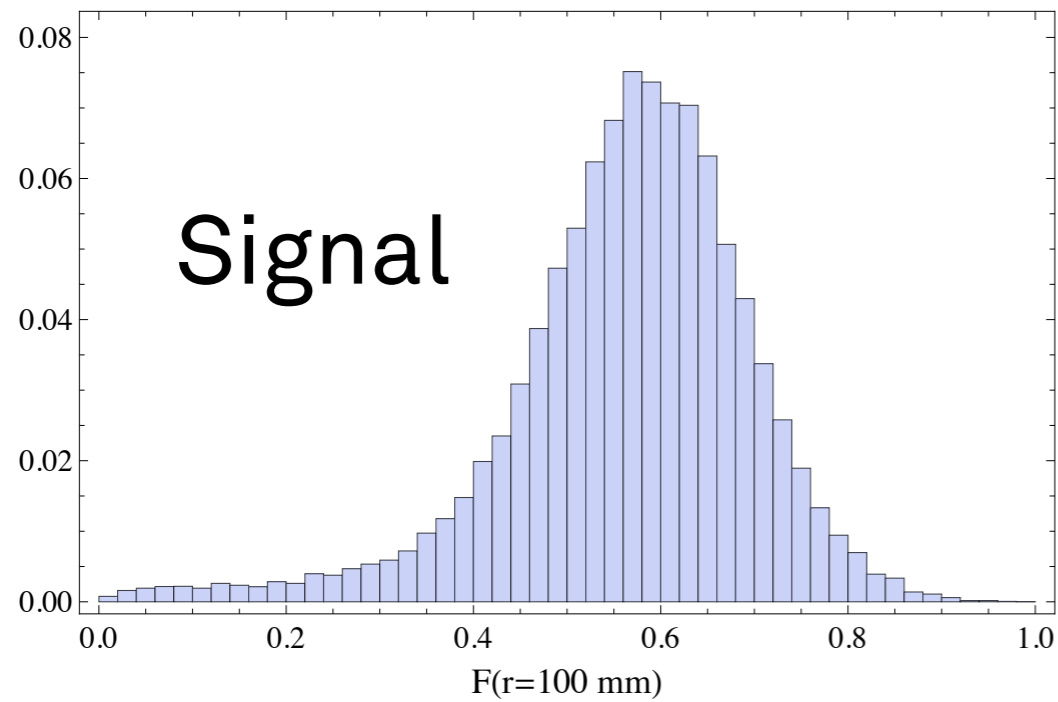
Neutrals (photon, neutron)  
do not contribute, hard to  
get  $F=1$

Much more robust to  
pile-up

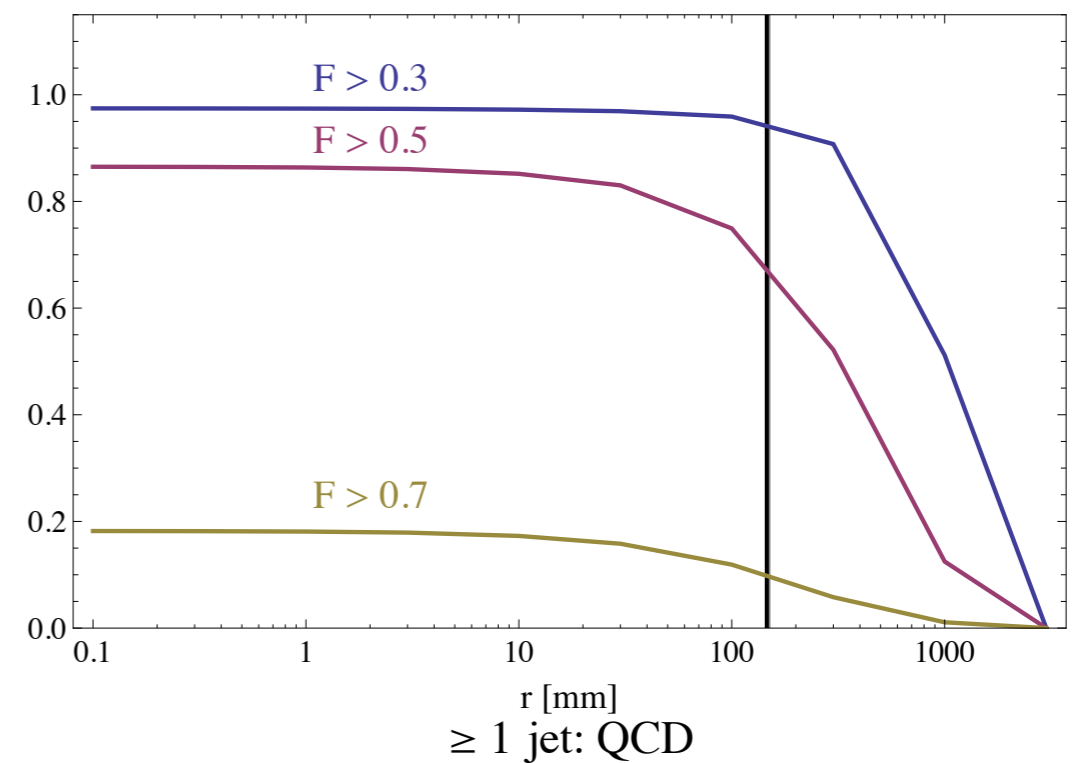


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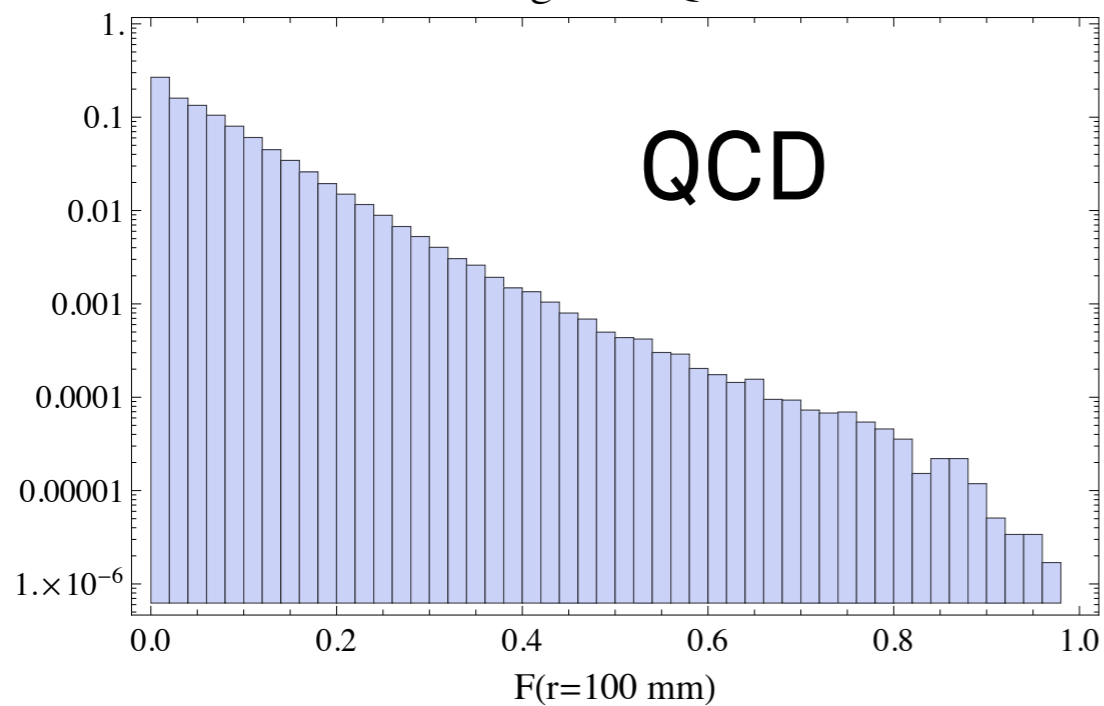
Largest F: Model A



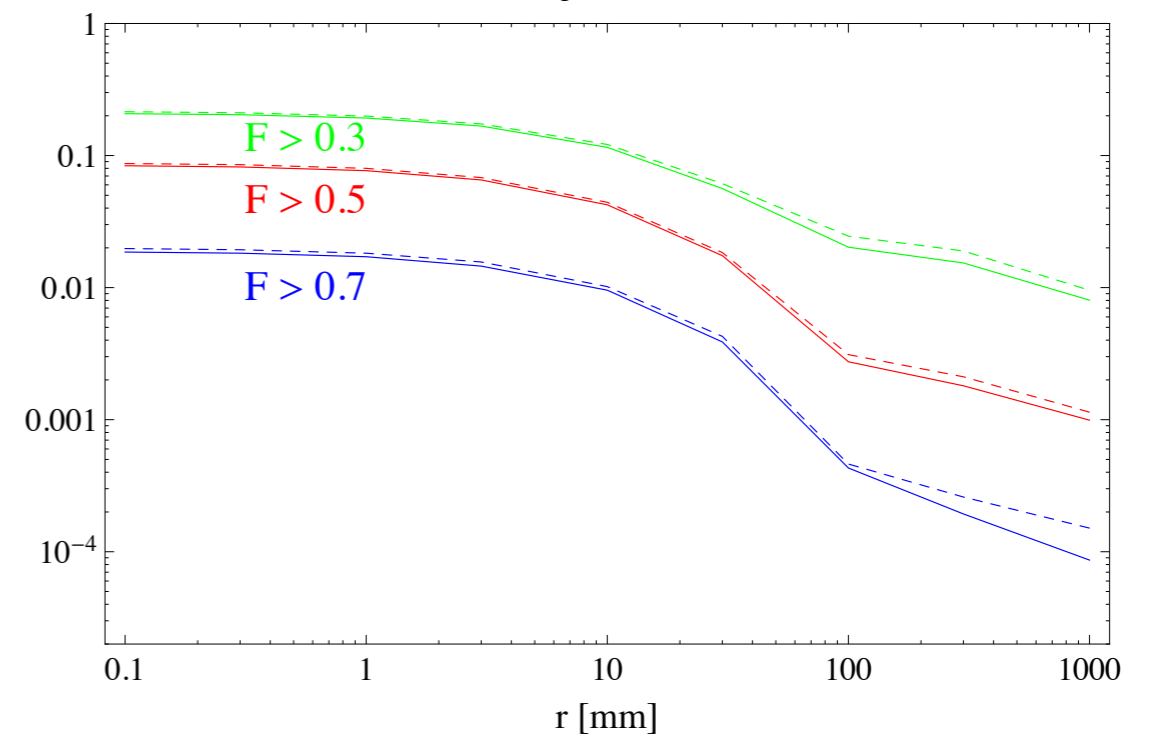
$\geq 1$  jet: Model A



Largest F: QCD



$\geq 1$  jet: QCD



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1 jet $F(100 \text{ mm}) > 0.5$	3.7	1.8	130	150
2 jets $F(100 \text{ mm}) > 0.5$	1.3	0.1	0.3	0.2

$b$ -jet background too large at  $r=10$  mm

Works pretty well at  $r=100$  mm even for short lifetime model

# CMS SEARCH

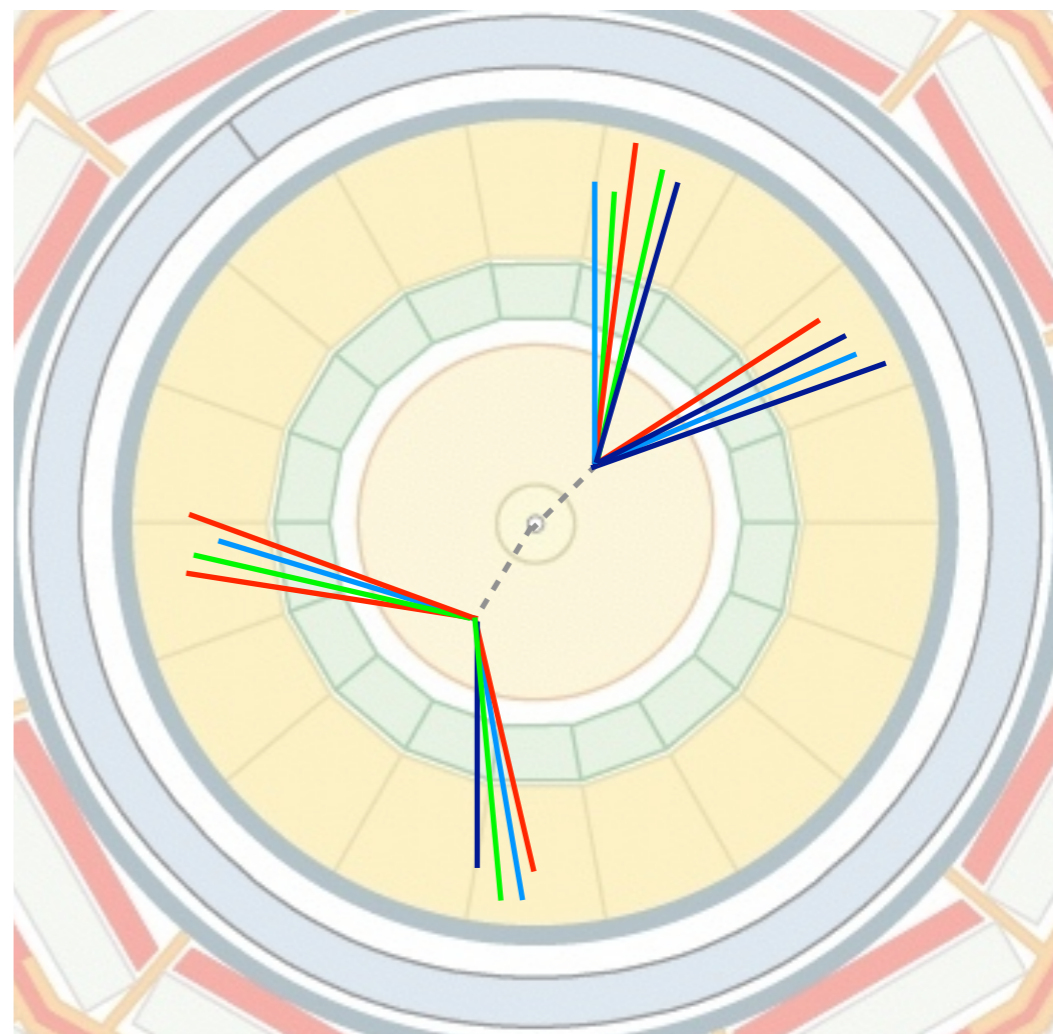
## Search for long-lived neutral particles decaying to dijets

The CMS Collaboration

### Abstract

A search is performed for long-lived massive neutral particles decaying to quark-antiquark pairs. The experimental signature is a distinctive topology of a pair of jets originating at a secondary vertex. Events were collected by the CMS detector at the LHC during pp collisions at  $\sqrt{s} = 8$  TeV, and selected from data samples corresponding to  $18.6 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  of integrated luminosity. No significant excess is observed above standard model expectations and an upper limit is set with 95% confidence level on the production cross section of a heavy scalar particle,  $H^0$ , in the mass range 200 to 1000 GeV, decaying into a pair of long-lived neutral  $X^0$  particles in the mass range 50 to 350 GeV, which each decay to quark-antiquark pairs. For  $X^0$  mean proper lifetimes of 0.1 to 200 cm the upper limits are typically 0.3–300 fb.

CMS PAS EXO-12-038



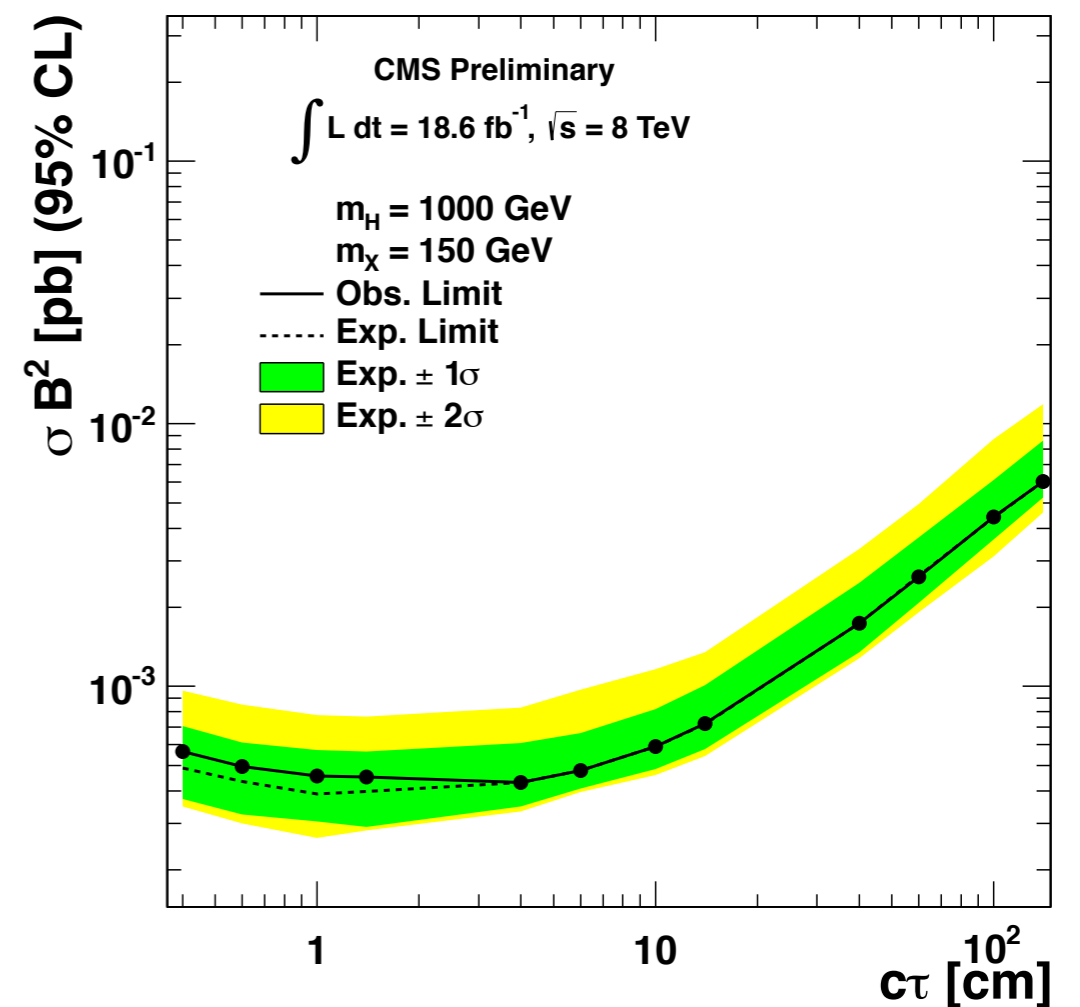
# CMS SEARCH

## CMS PAS EXO-12-038

Require di-jets all coming from a single displaced vertex

Throw away energy of tracks not reconstructed from vertex

Unlikely to be sensitive to emerging phenomenology



# ATLAS SEARCH

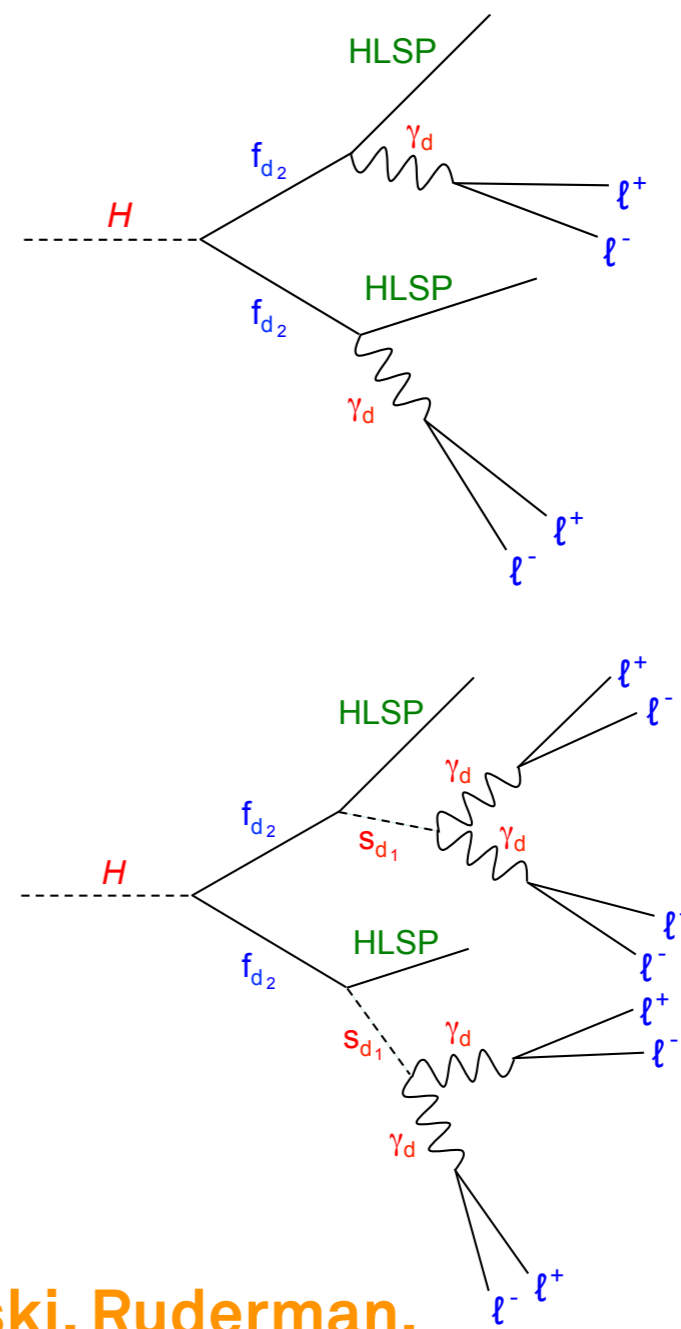
## Search for long-lived neutral particles decaying into lepton jets in proton–proton collisions at $\sqrt{s} = 8$ TeV with the ATLAS detector

The ATLAS Collaboration

### Abstract

Several models of physics beyond the Standard Model predict neutral particles that decay into final states consisting of collimated jets of light leptons and hadrons (so-called "lepton jets"). These particles can also be long-lived with decay length comparable to, or even larger than, the LHC detectors' linear dimensions. This paper presents the results of a search for lepton jets in proton–proton collisions at the centre-of-mass energy of  $\sqrt{s} = 8$  TeV in a sample of  $20.3 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  collected during 2012 with the ATLAS detector at the LHC. Limits on models predicting Higgs boson decays to neutral long-lived lepton jets are derived as a function of the particle's proper decay length.

arXiv:1409.0746v2 [hep-ex]



Falkowski, Ruderman,  
Volansky, Zupan '10

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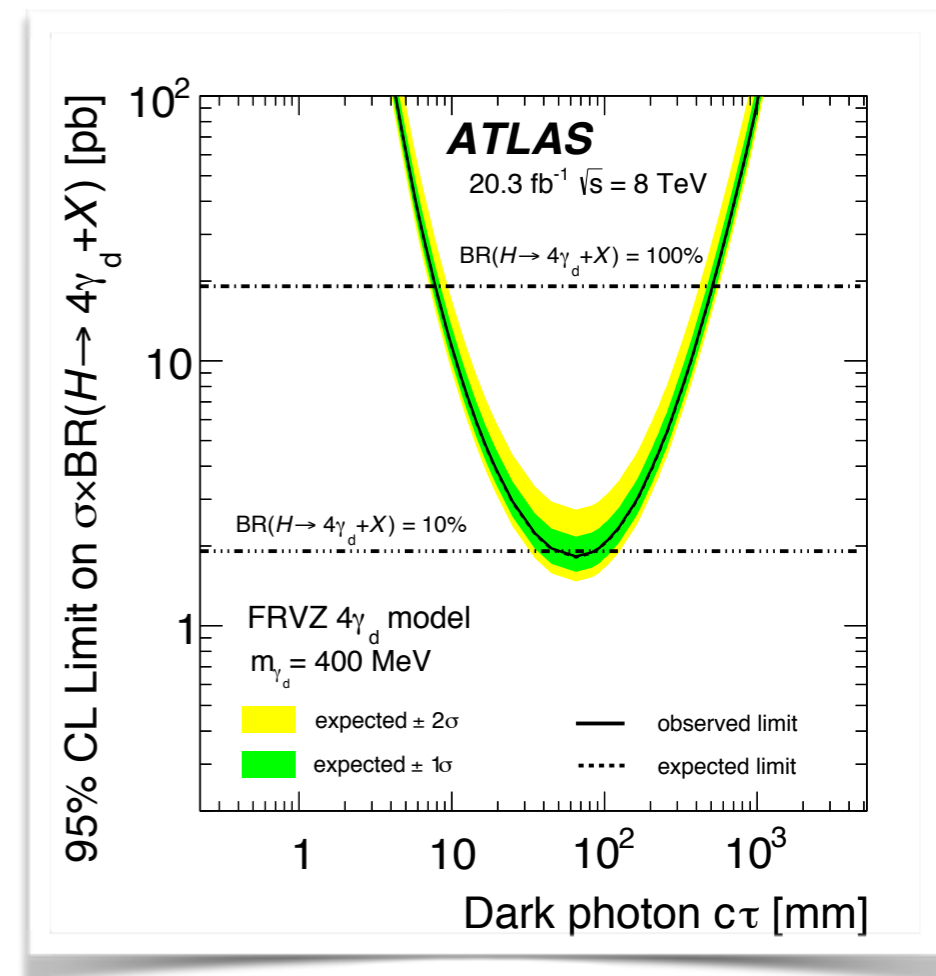
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Only one category that doesn't require muons

Requires ECAL/HCAL < 0.1

Optimized for decays within HCAL, extremely low efficiency except possibly for long lifetimes

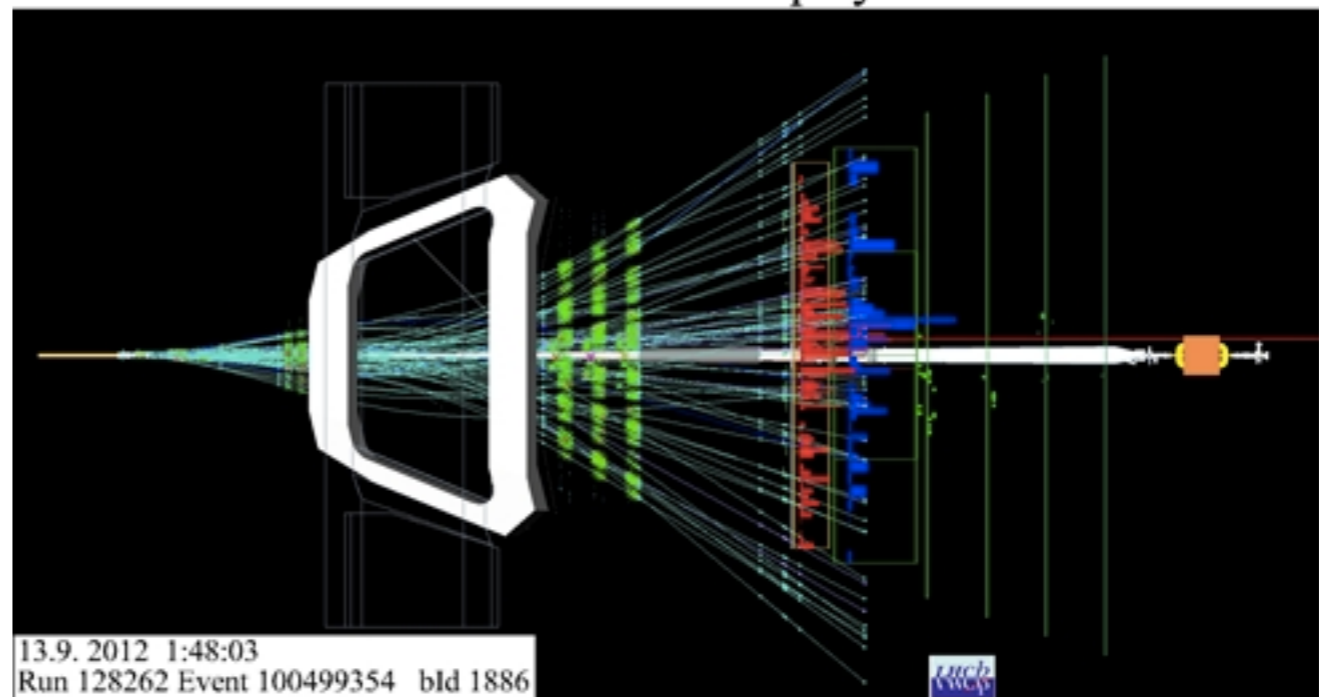
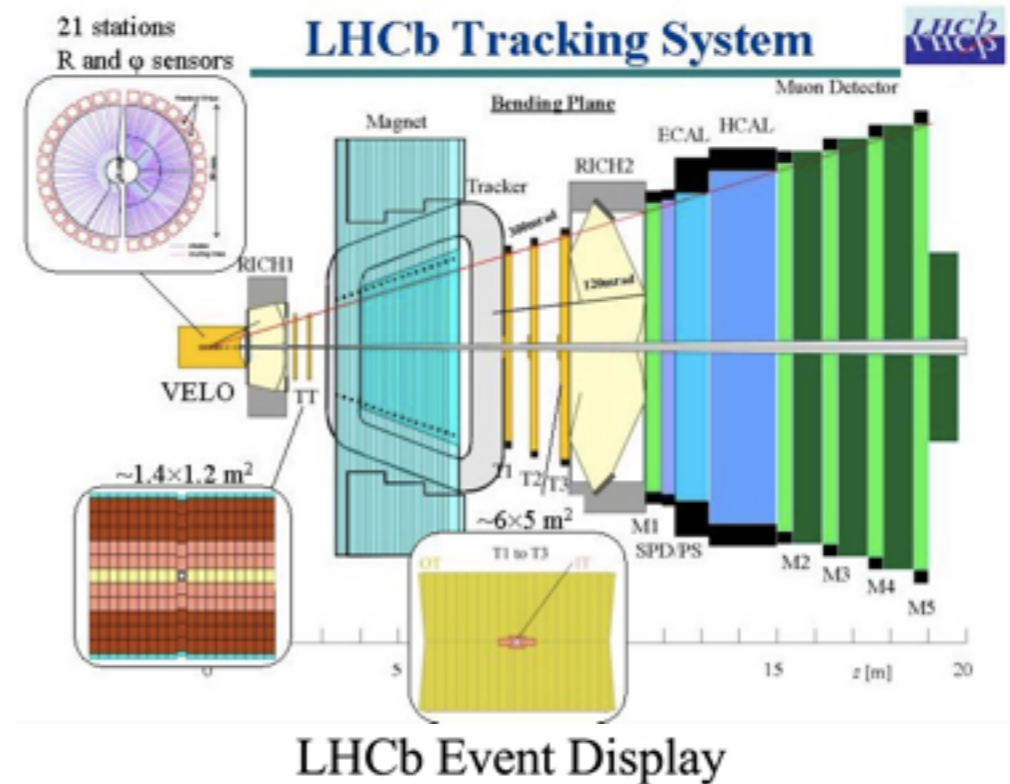
See also ATLAS trigger paper: arXiv:1305.2204 [hep-ex].



# LHCb

LHCb has excellent tracking

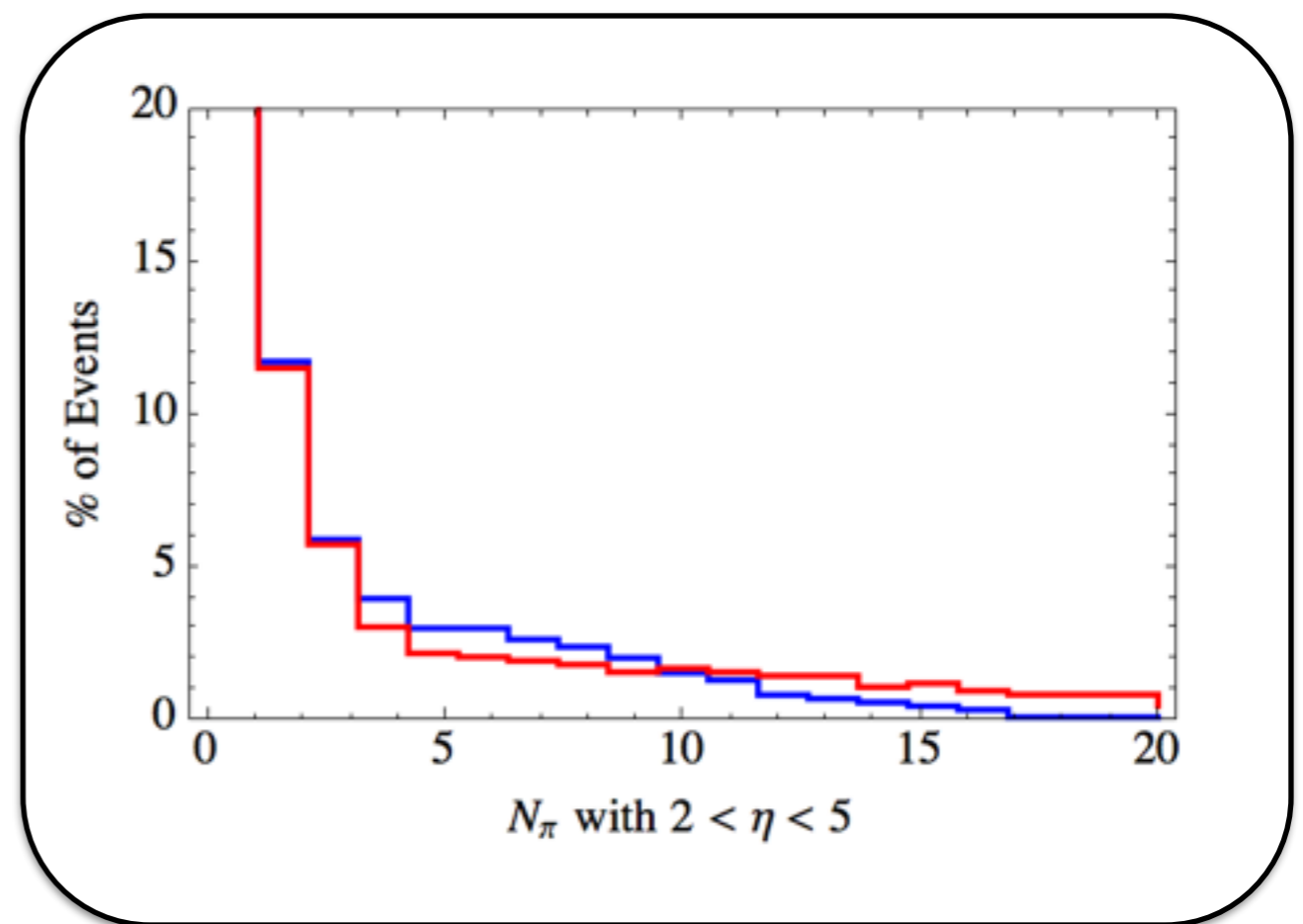
Limited coverage of event



# LHCb

Still get a good fraction of events with dark pions in LHCb

Discussions with collaboration ongoing



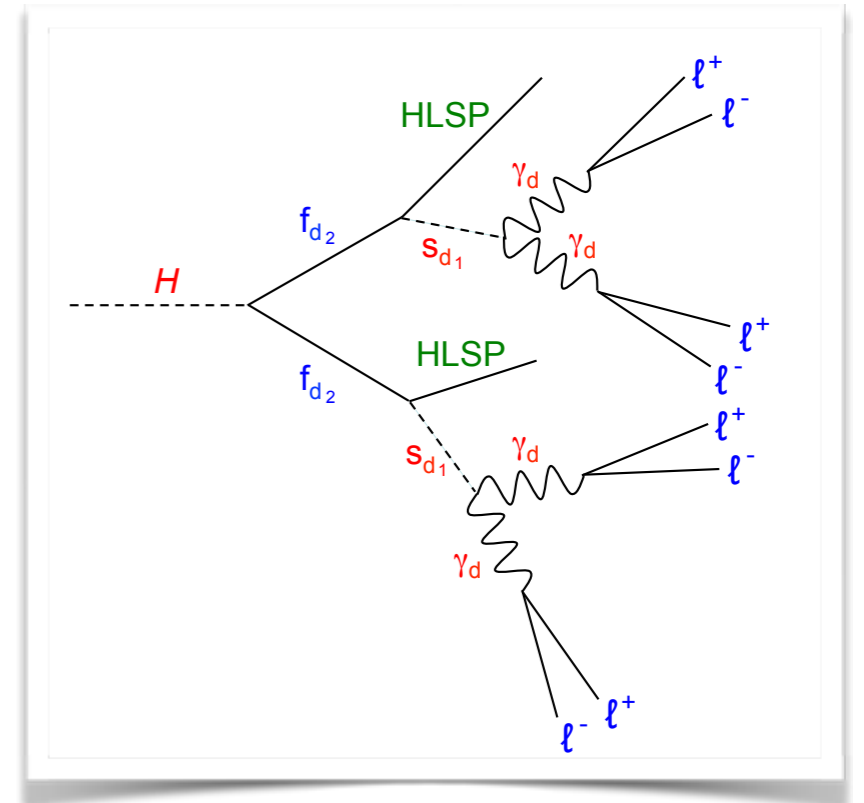


# POWER OF EMERGING JET

Emerging jet search would be sensitive to other long-lived scenarios

- Lepton jets
- RPV neutralinos decay to jets
- ...

Work in progress



# CONCLUSIONS

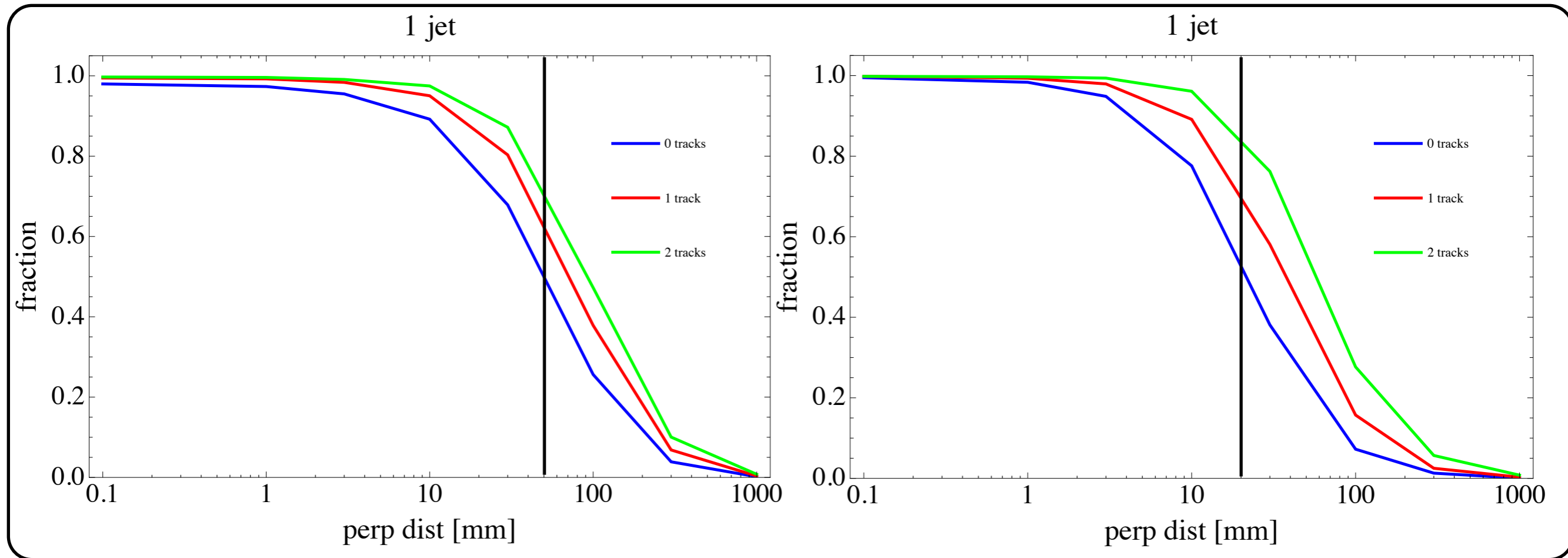
- Important to explore different ways LHC can search for NP
- DM exists, exhaustively search for different classes of models
- Emerging jets are novel and motivated, no current searches are sensitive
- Strategies presented here can reach very low cross sections, sensitive to broad class of displaced models
- ATLAS and CMS exotics groups are investigating

**THANK  
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# DIFFERENT MODEL POINTS

## Model A

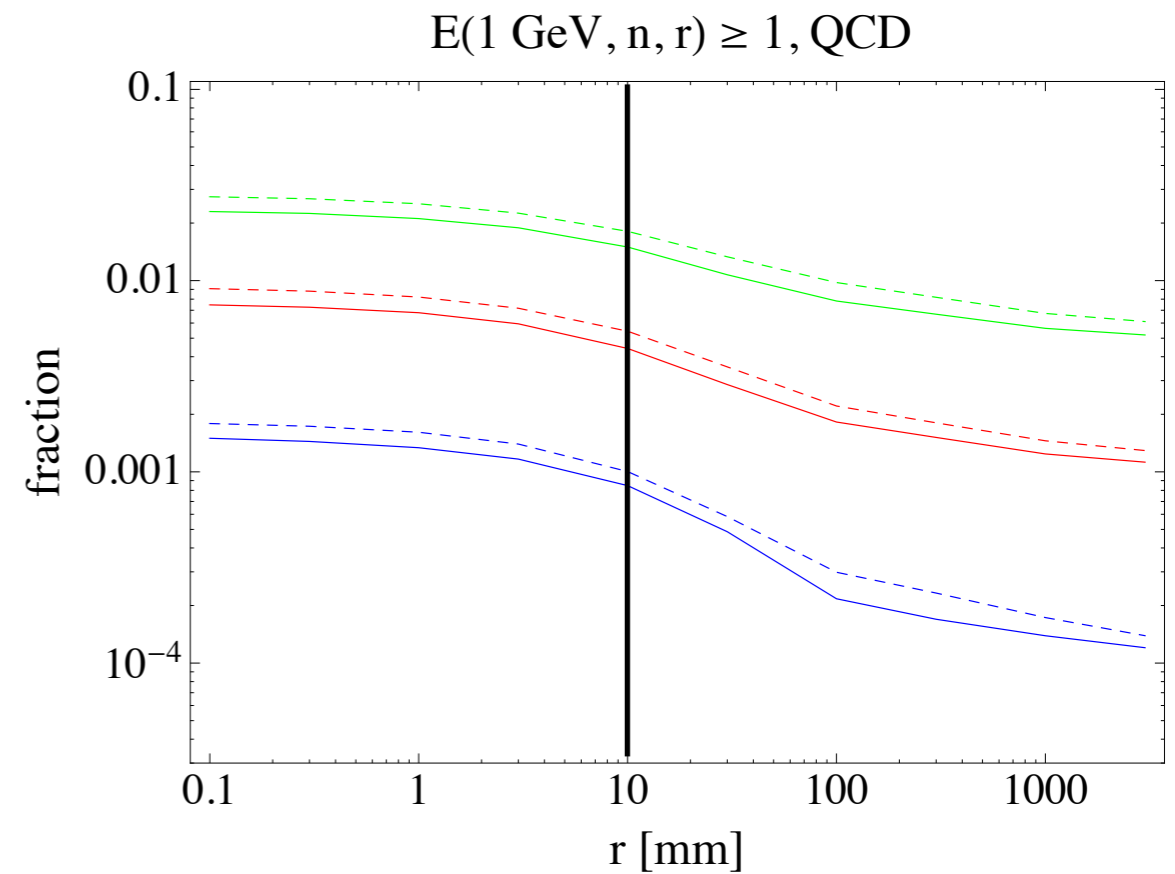
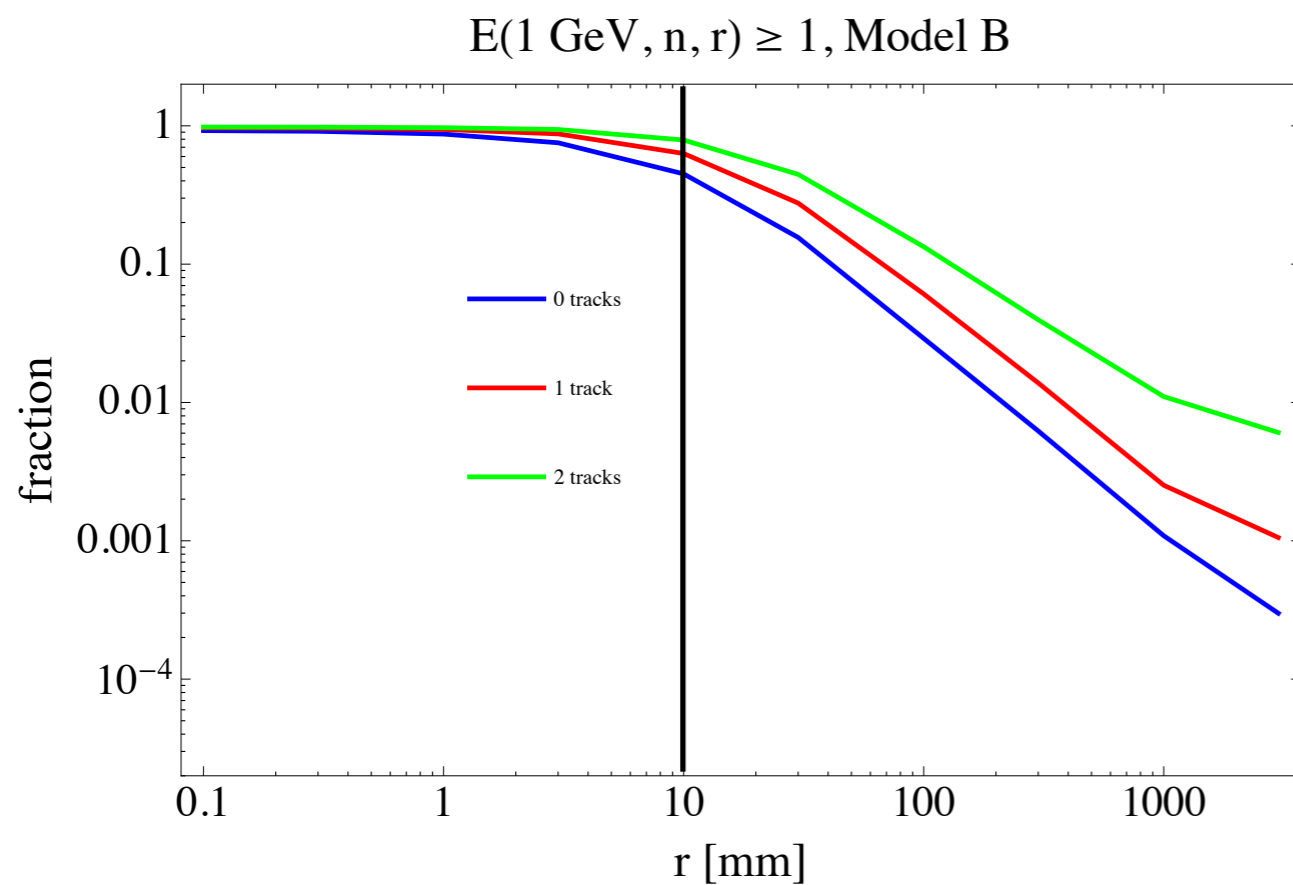
## Model B



$$m_{\pi_d} = 5 \text{ GeV}$$
$$c\tau_{\pi_d} = 50 \text{ mm}$$

$$m_{\pi_d} = 2 \text{ GeV}$$
$$c\tau_{\pi_d} = 20 \text{ mm}$$

# SIGNAL VS BG



$$m_{\pi_d} = 5 \text{ GeV}$$

$$c\tau_{\pi_d} = 50 \text{ mm}$$

# MESON MOMENTUM FRACTION

Fraction of jet momentum carried by any individual dark meson

