

IceCube

**as a part of multi-messenger
astrophysics community**

Presented by Nahee Park
for 2018 Summer Boot Camp

Big recommendation!



Very nice talk given by Delia last year. Strongly recommend to look through it! Recent update on working group organization will be summarized by Sam Fahey on Thursday as he summarizes the scientific topics of the IceCube.

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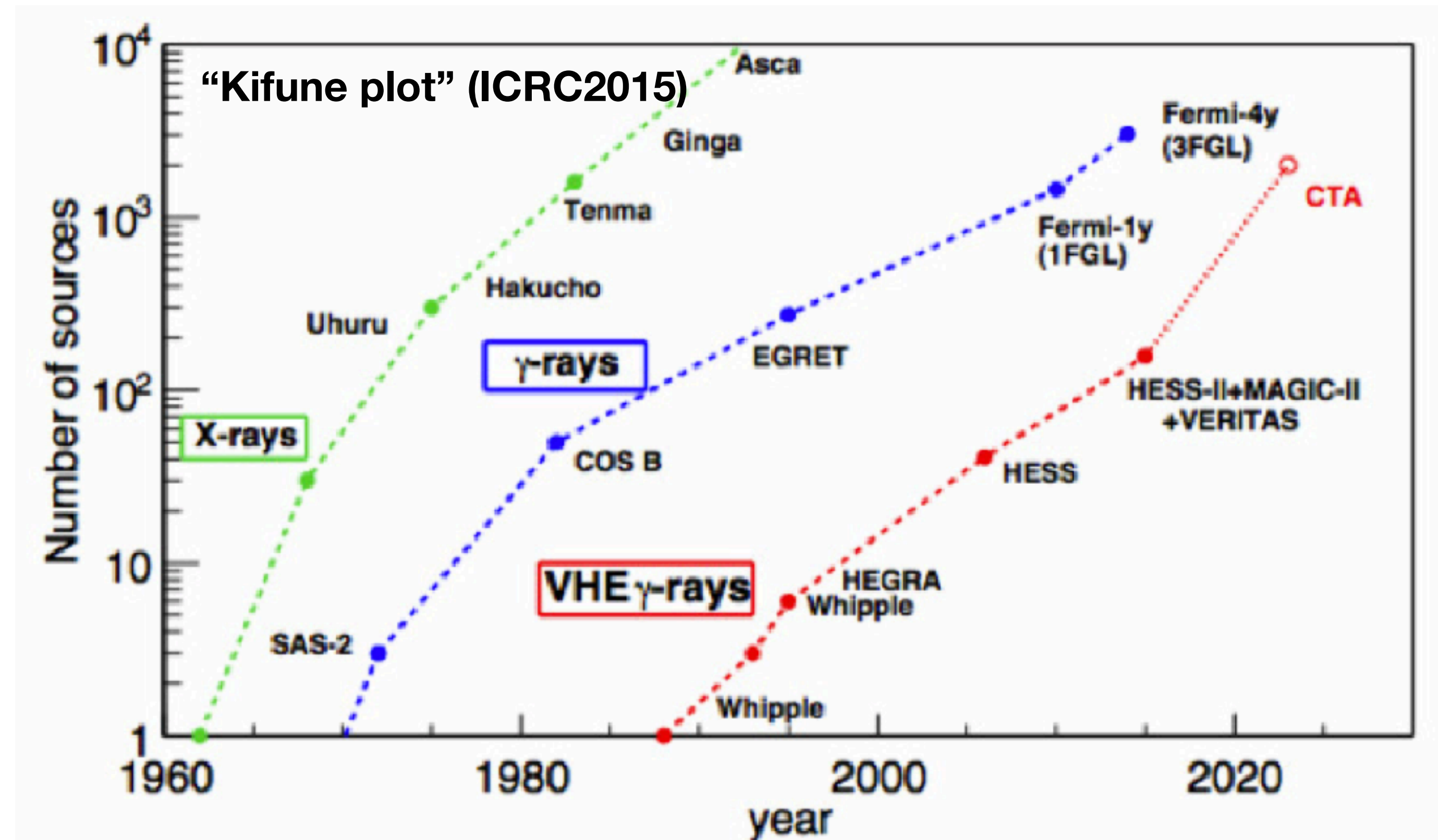
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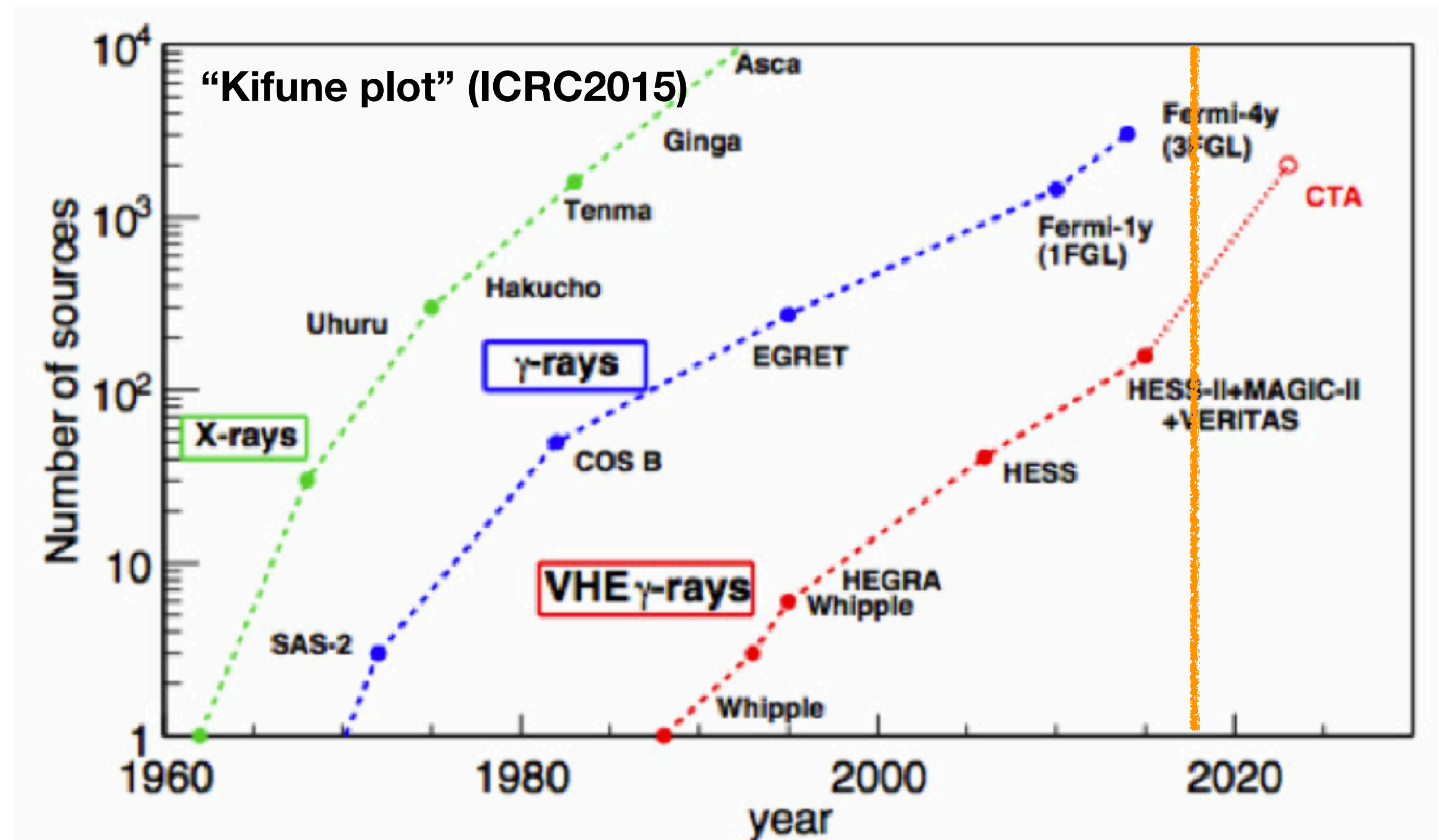
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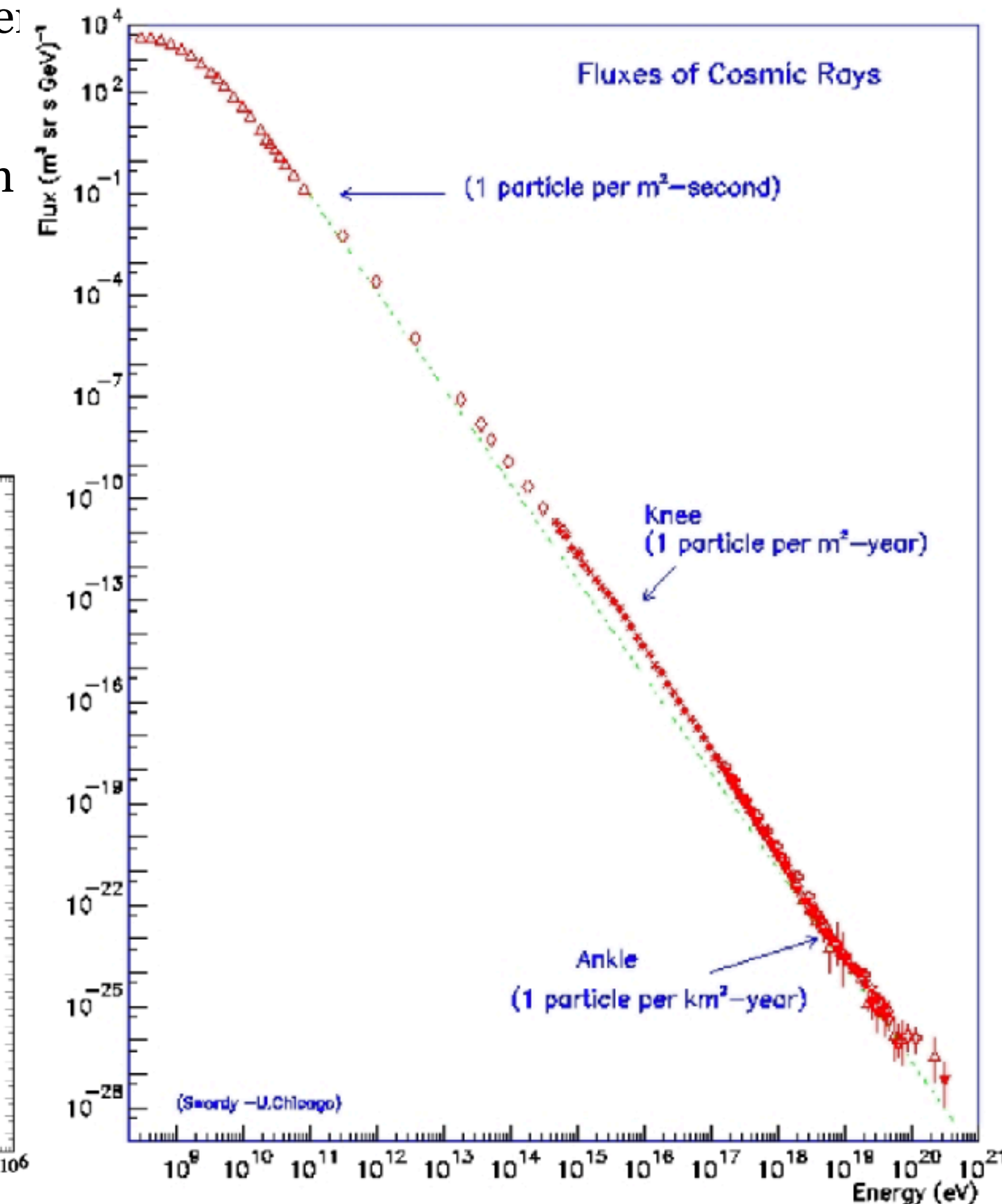
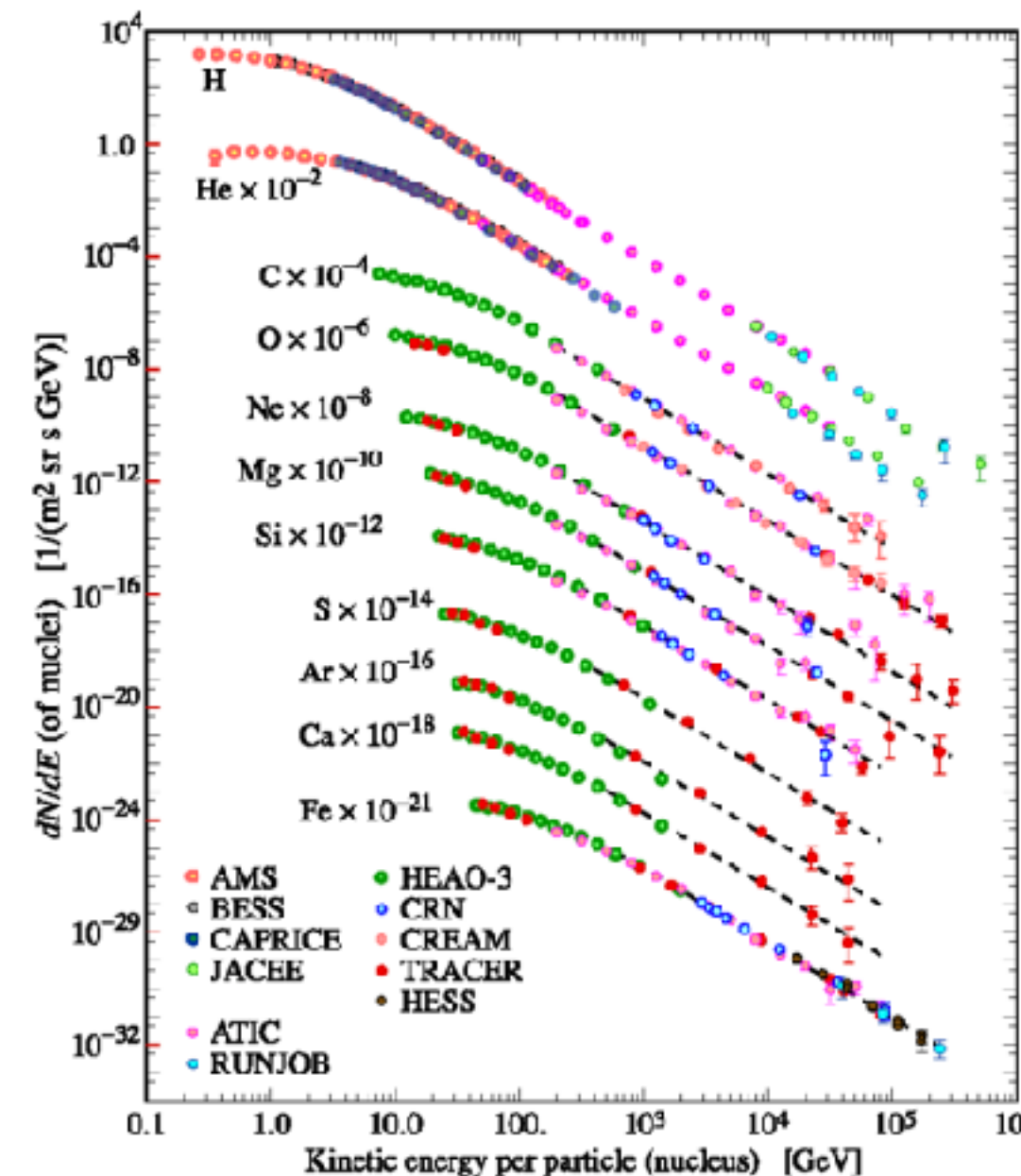
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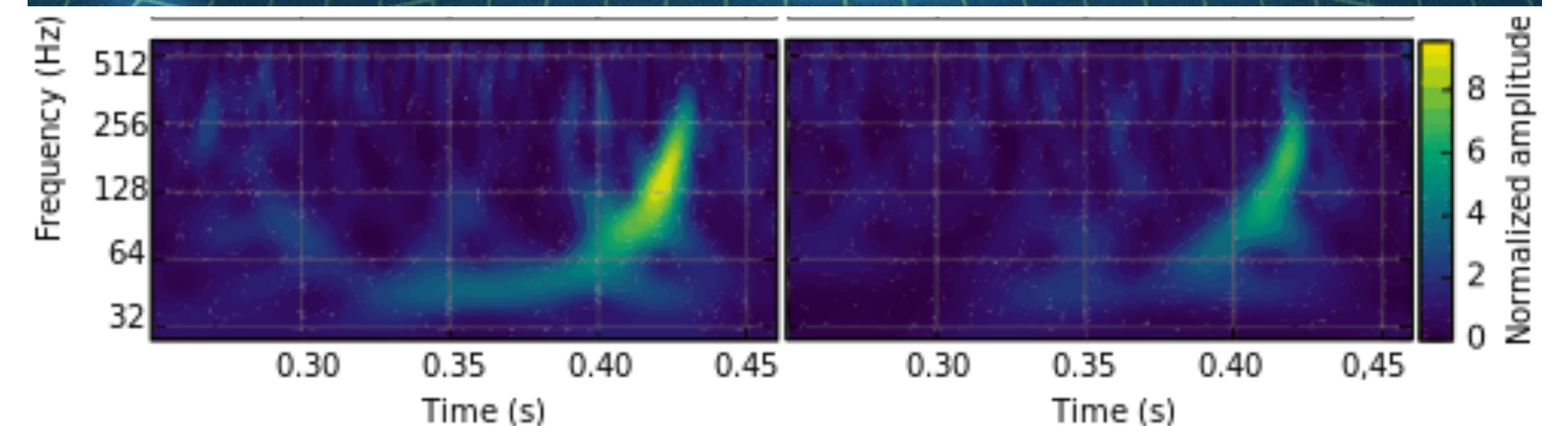
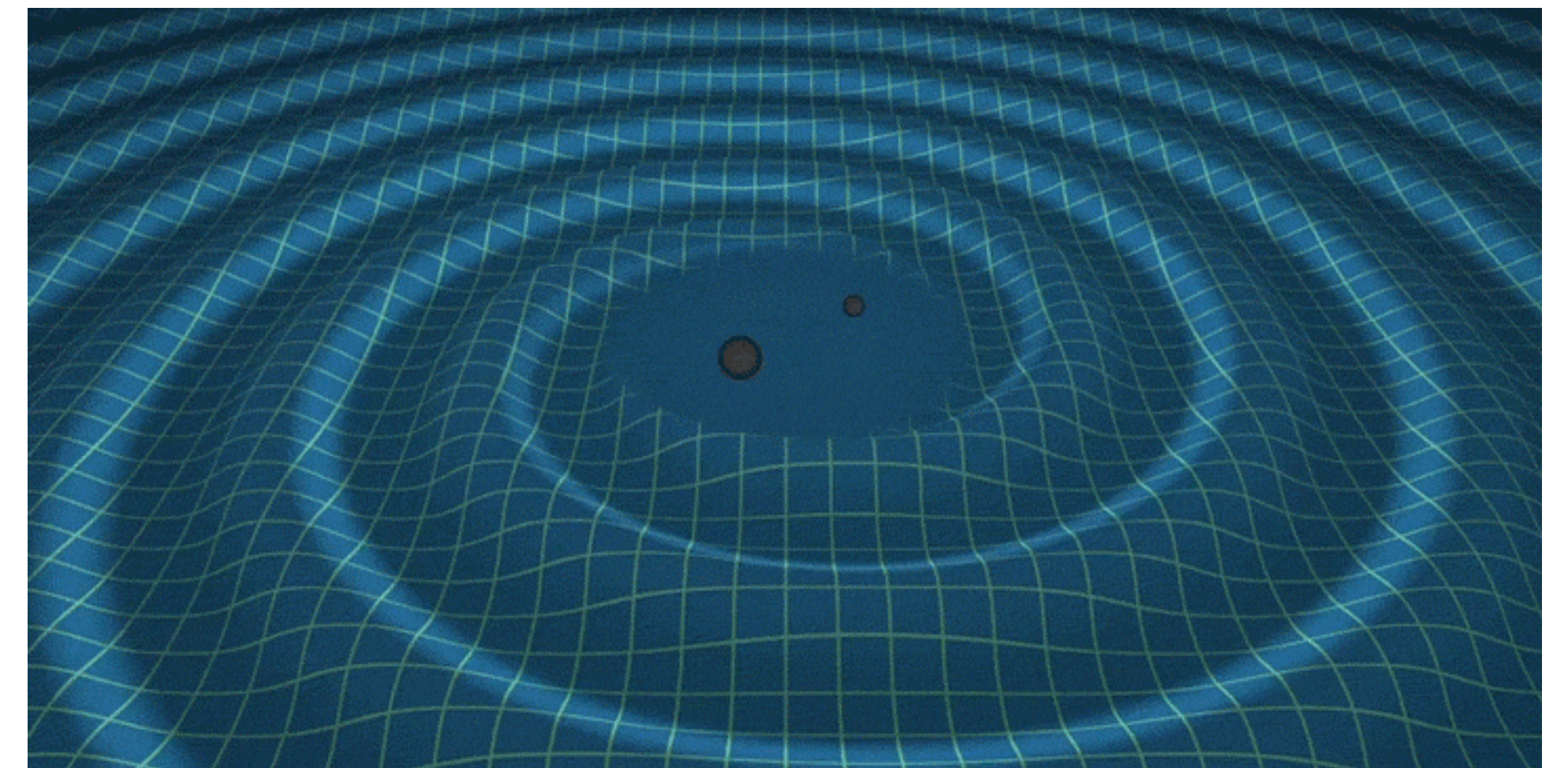
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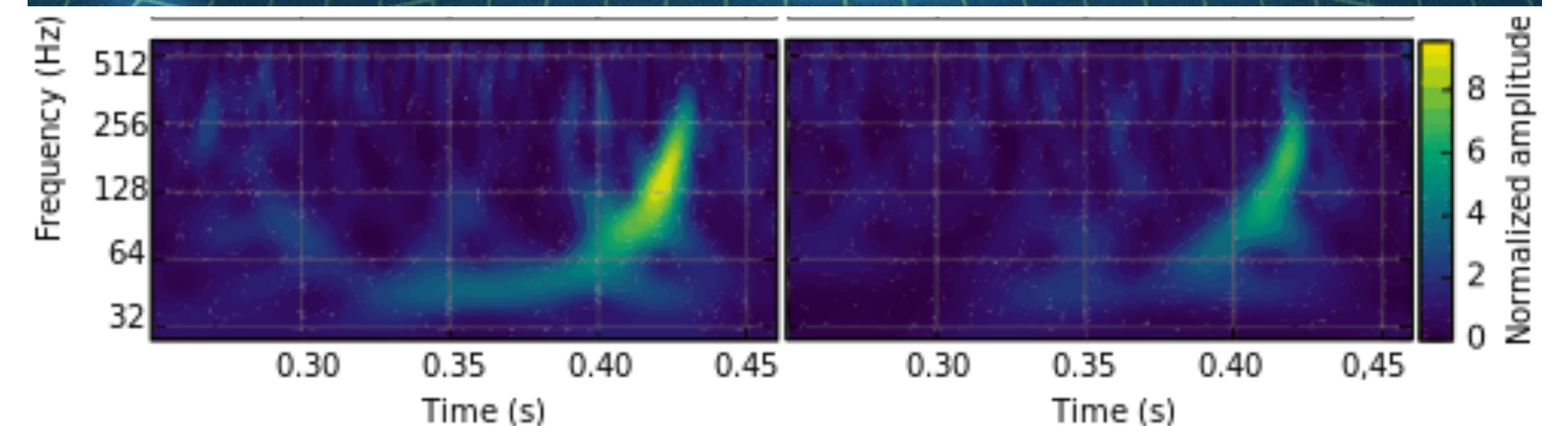
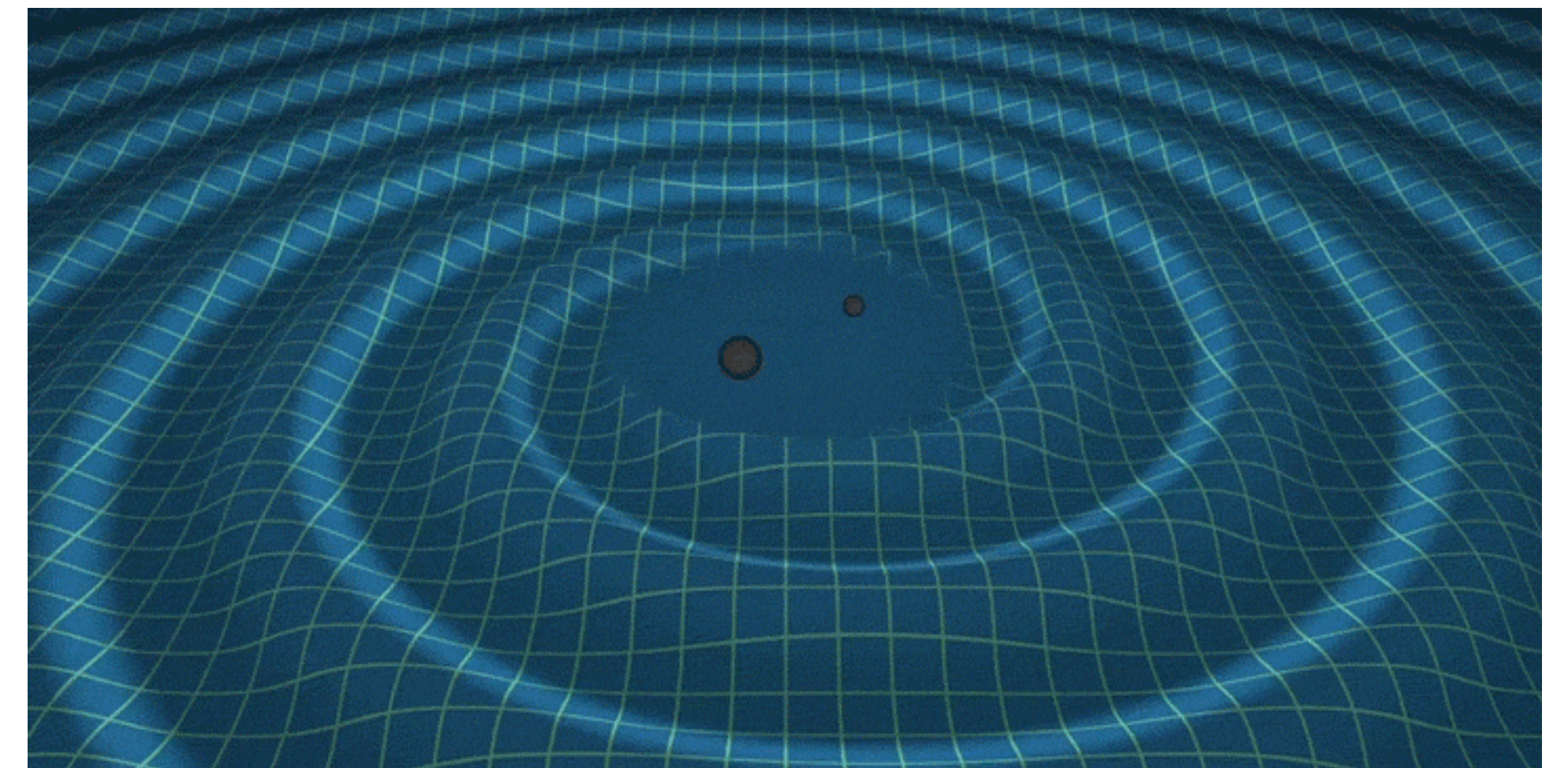
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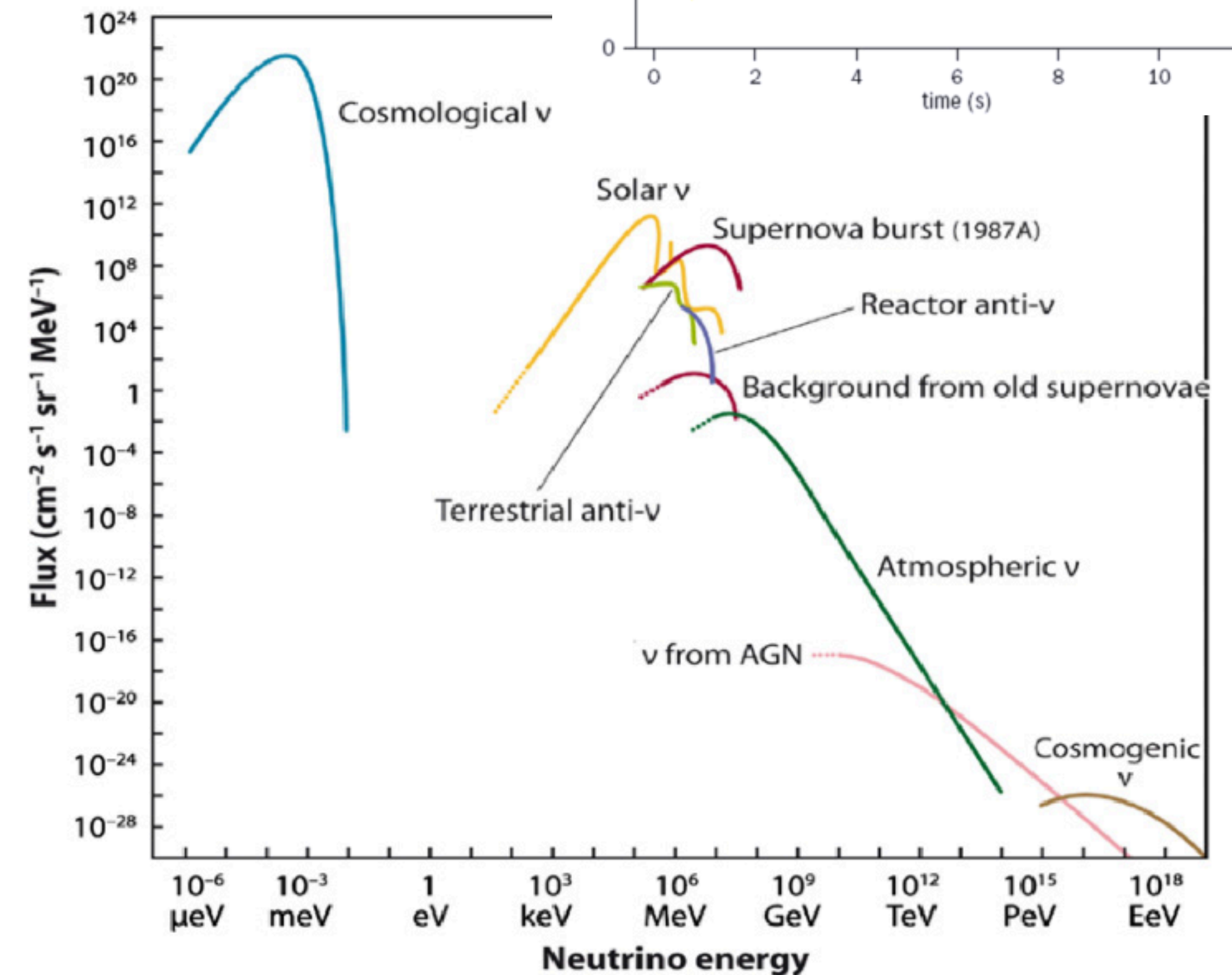
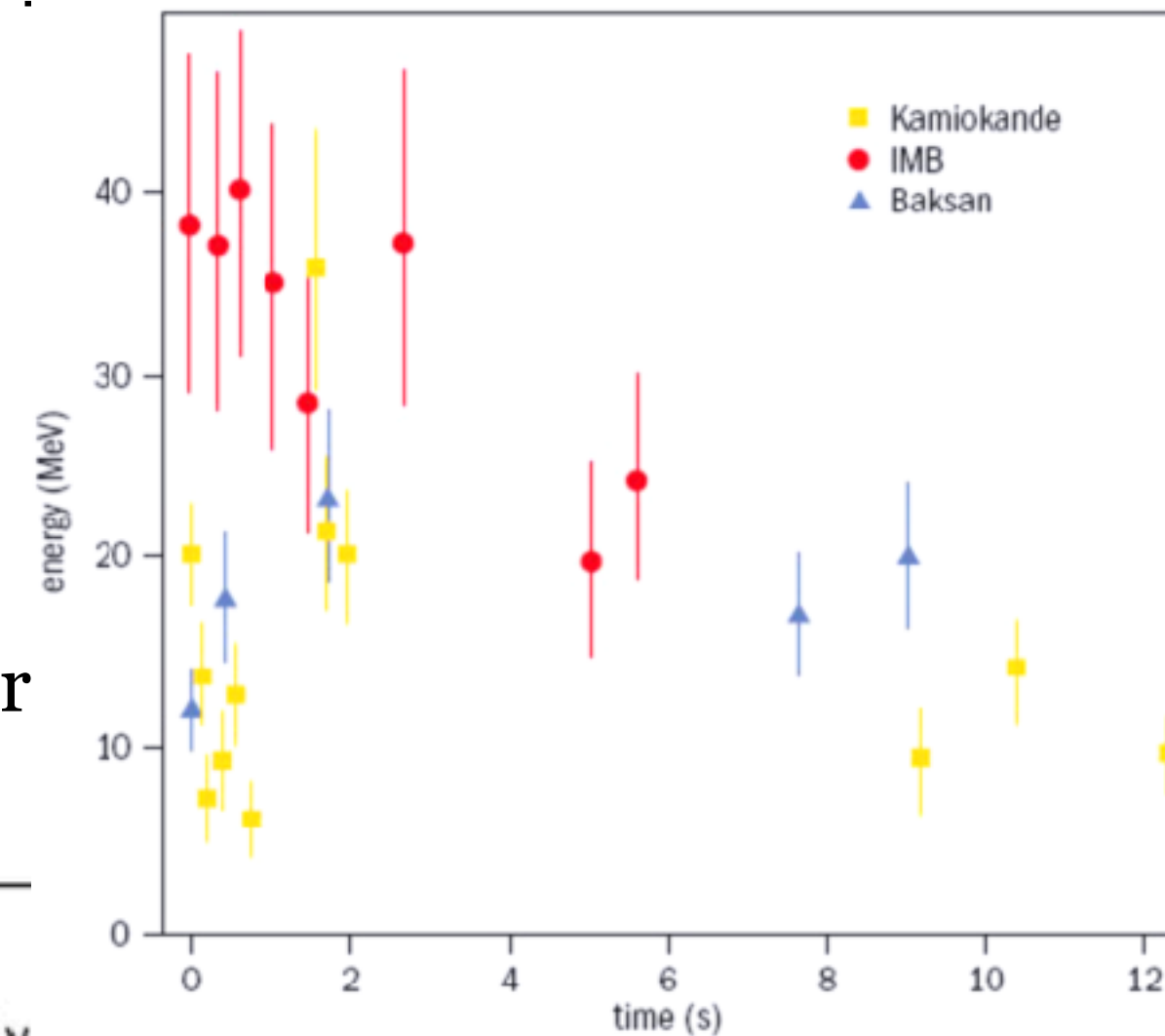
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☆ 1987 SN 1987A events is one of the first famous multi-messenger astrophysics case (optical-MeV neutrino)

☆ IceCube collaboration sends out public announcement for EHE neutrino candidate events from 2016

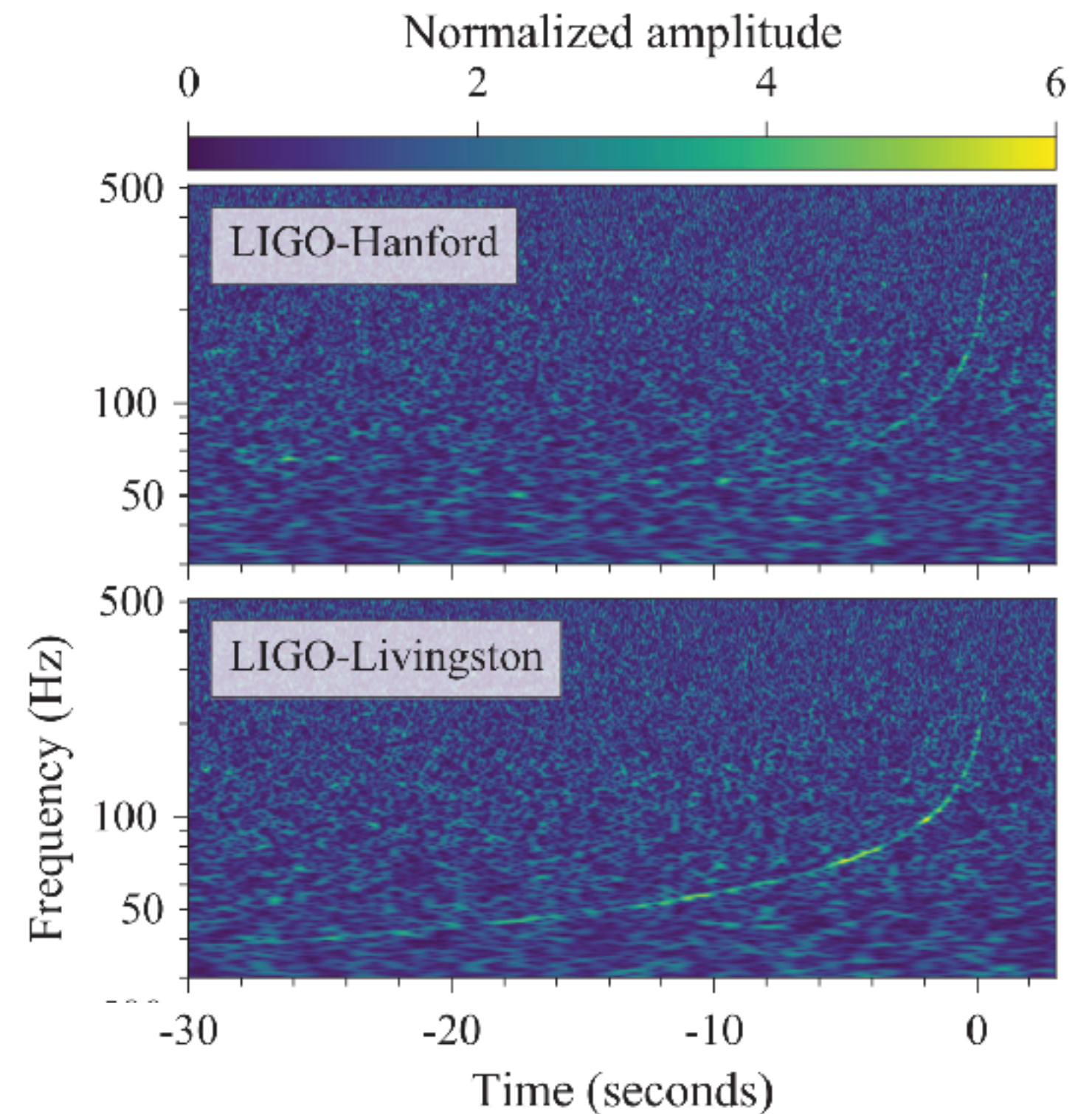
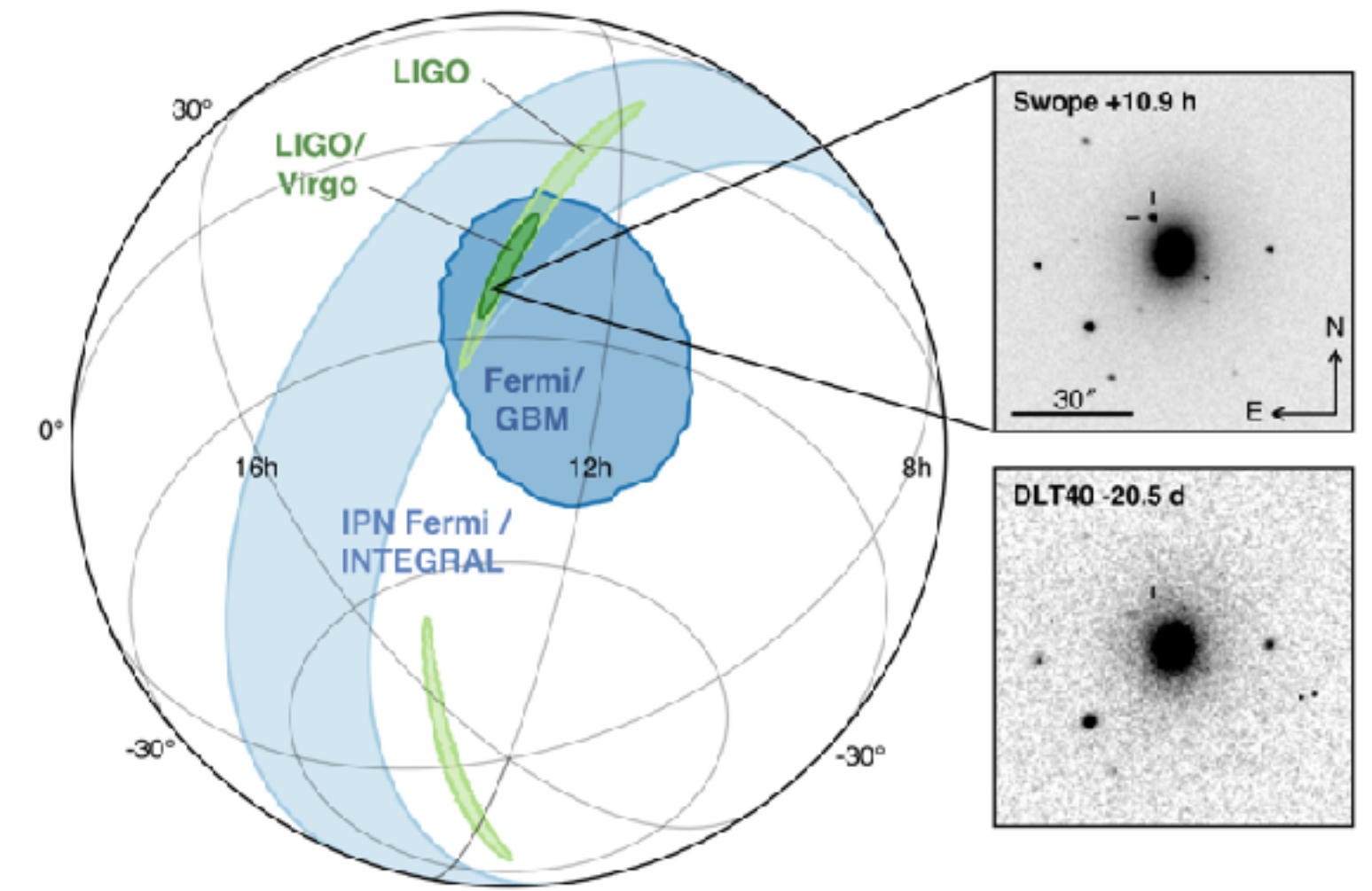
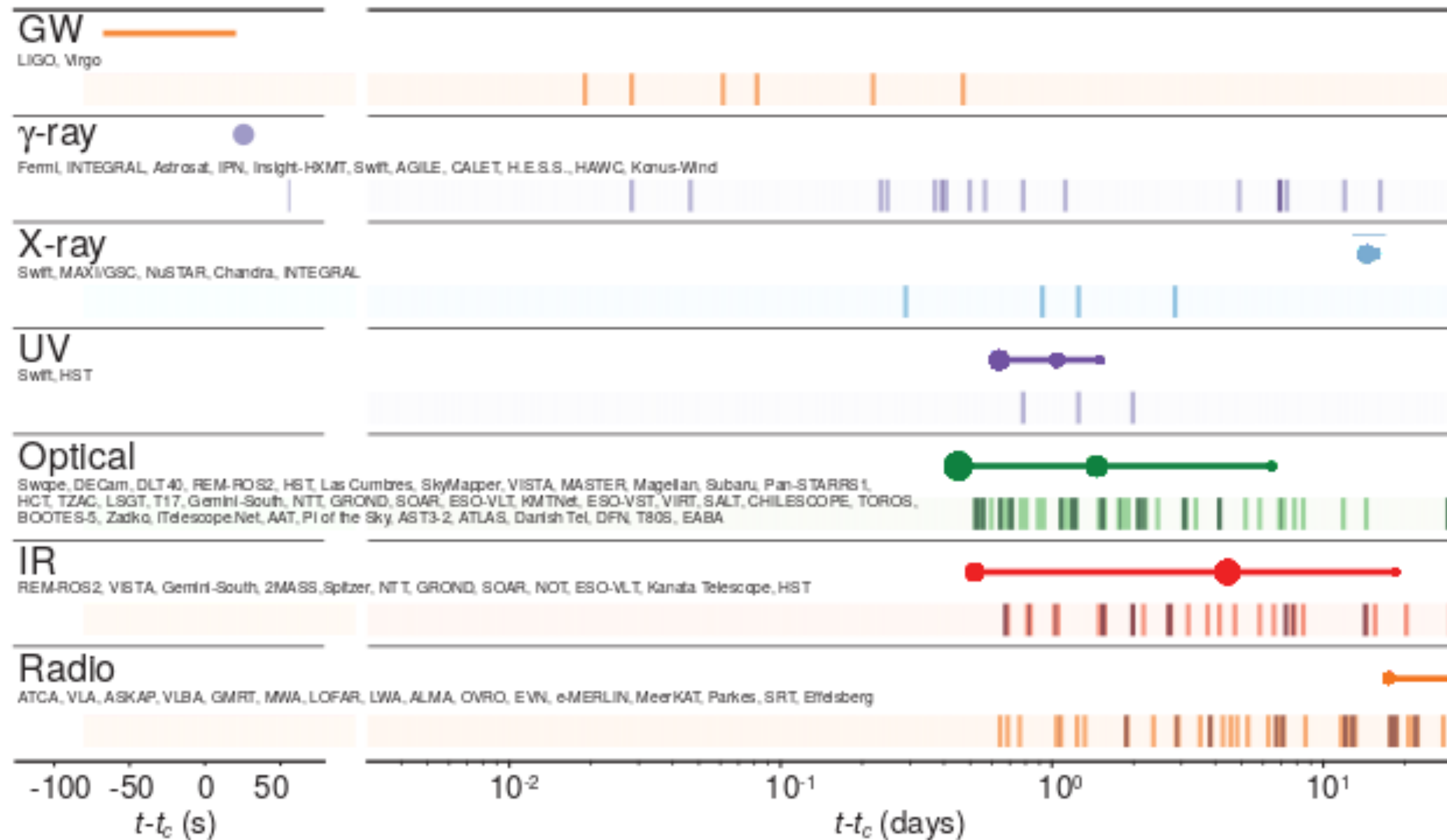


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● e.g. GW170817 - GRB 170817A event

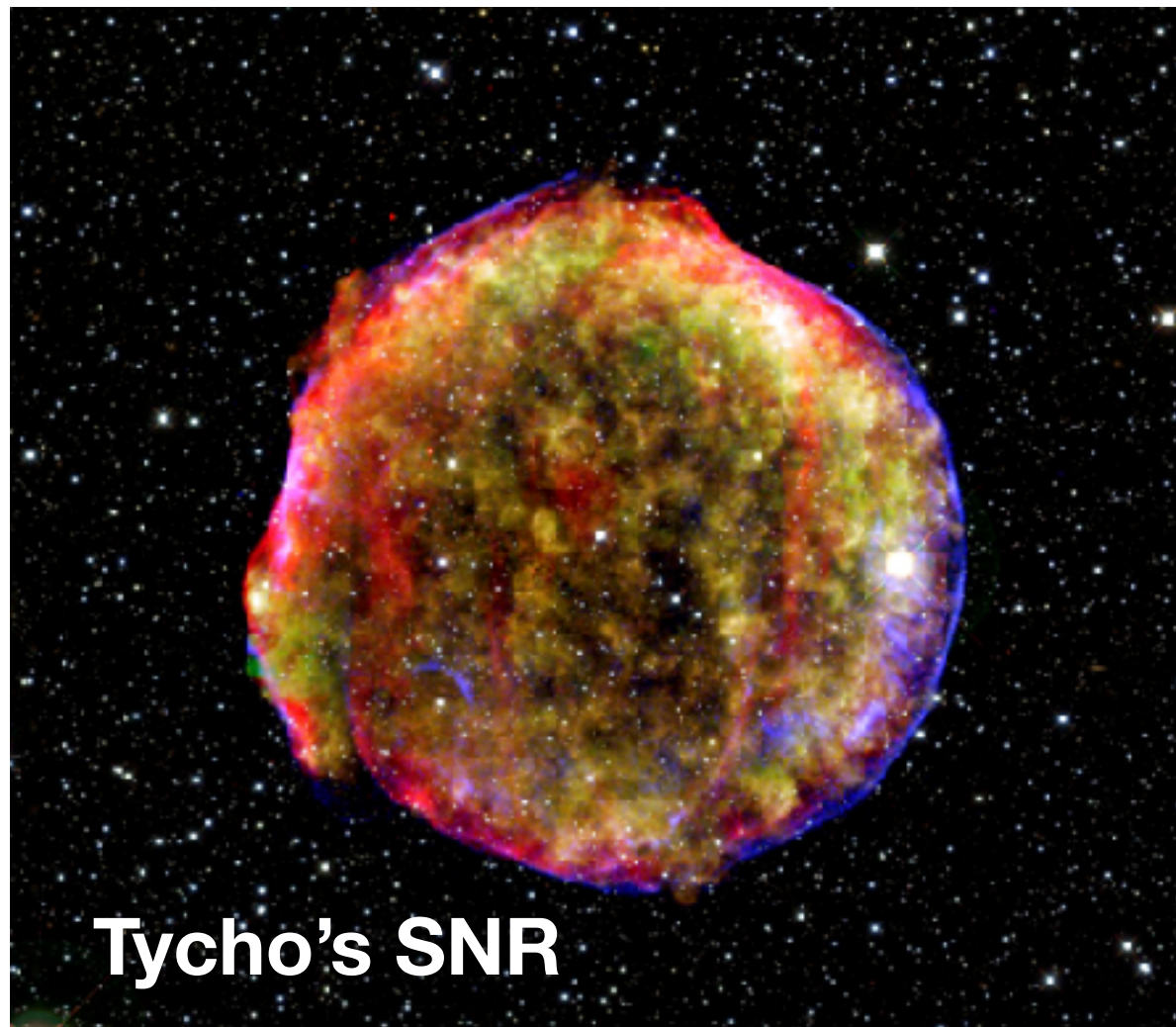
★ Neutron star-neutron star merger >> short gamma-ray burst



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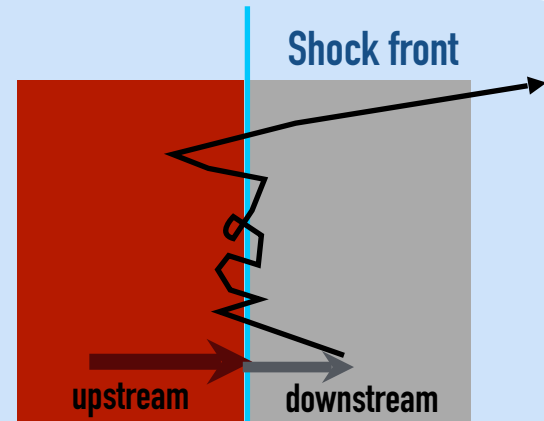
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particle
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Tycho's SNR

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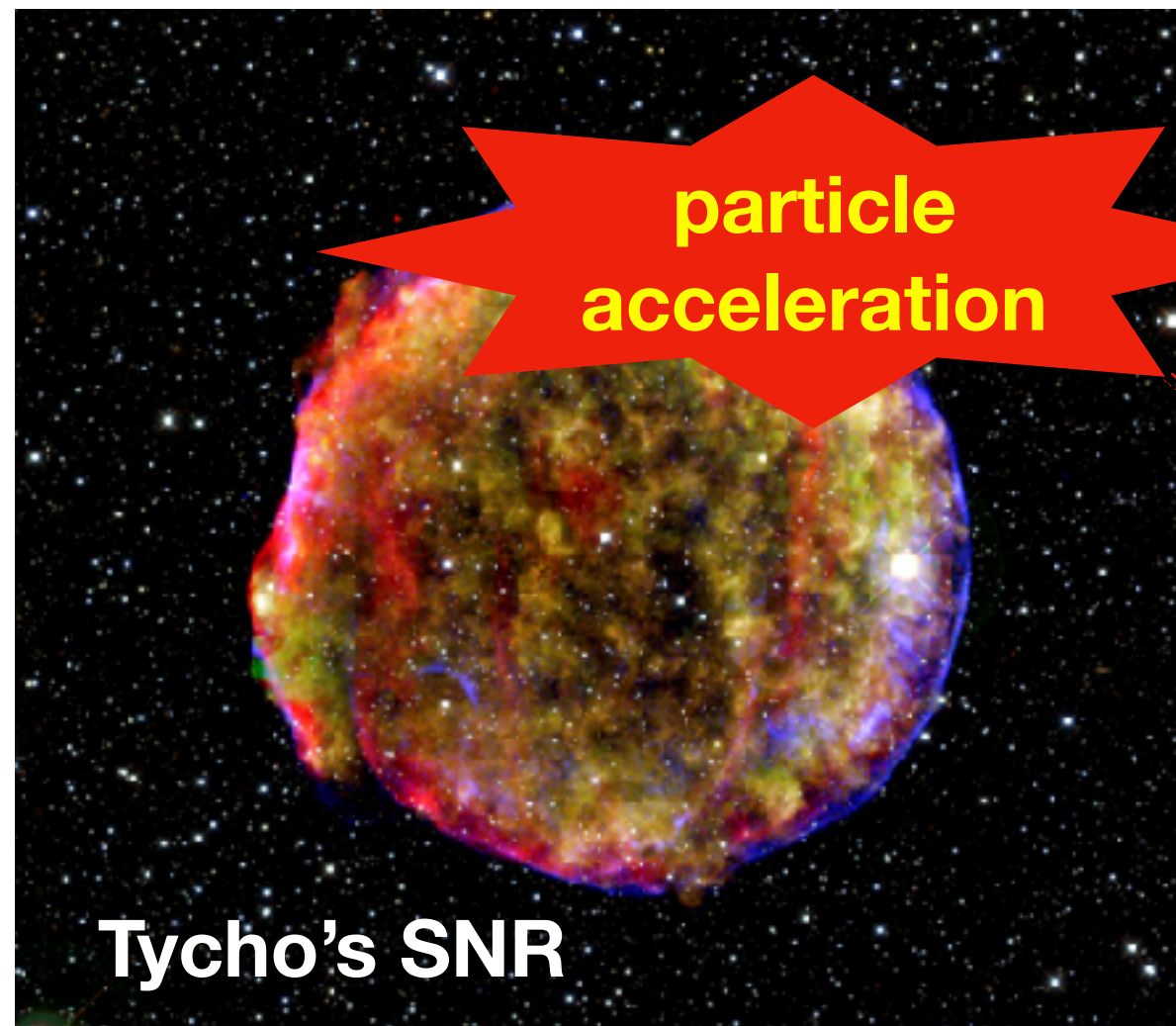
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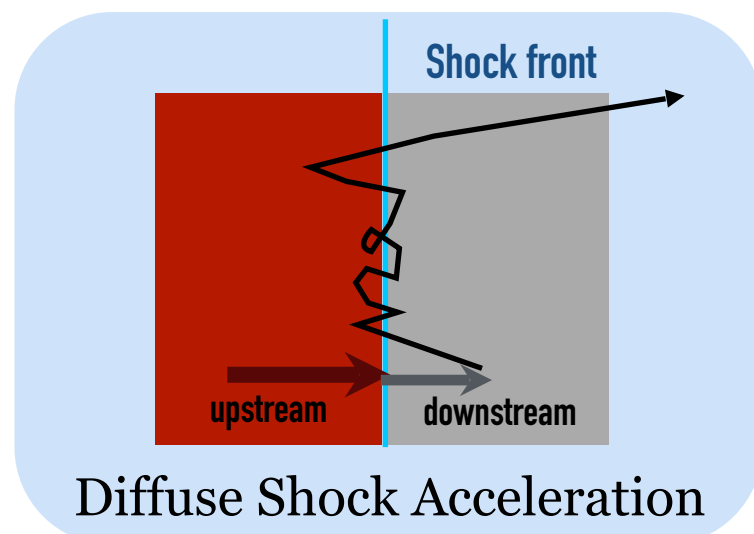
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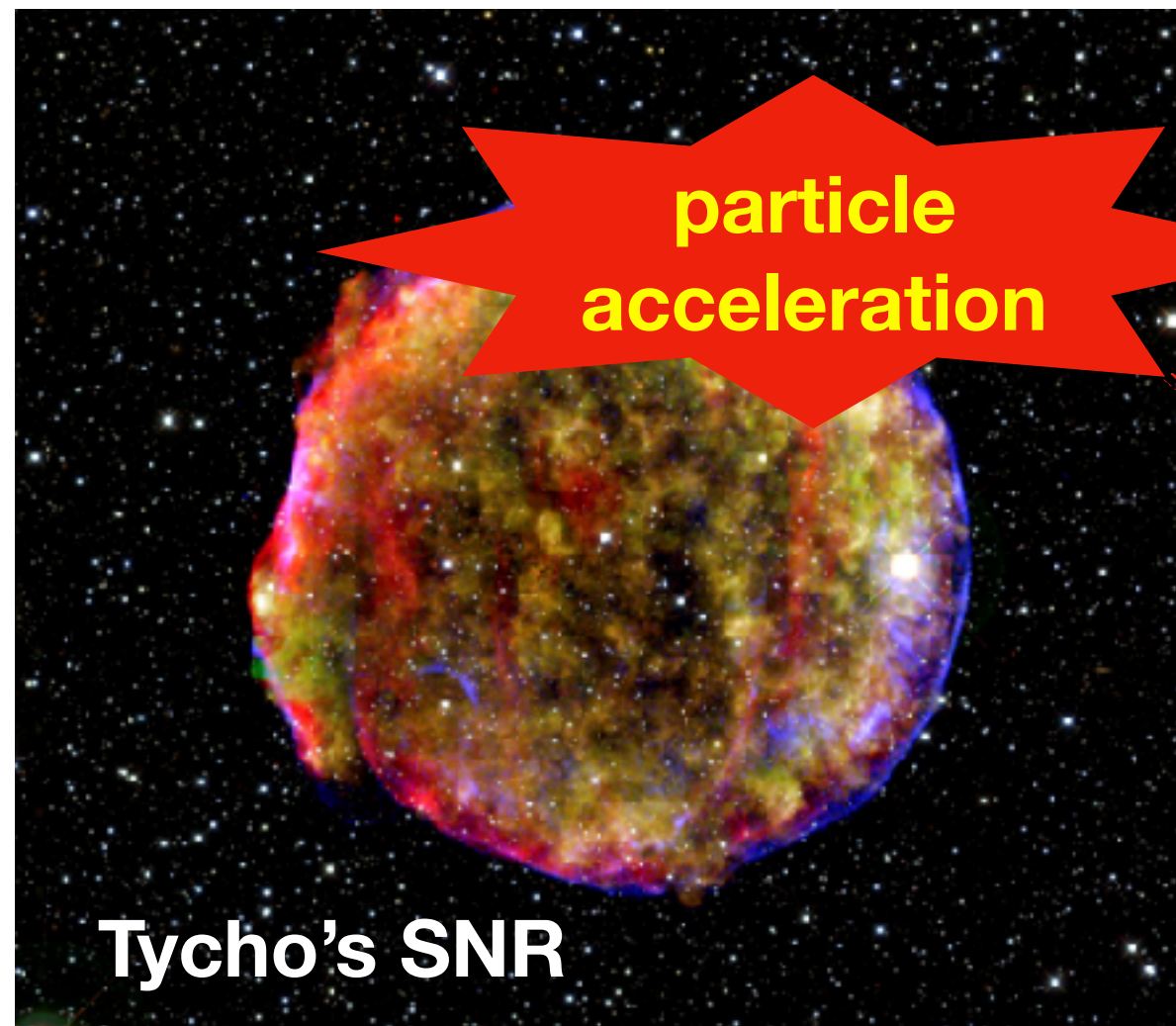
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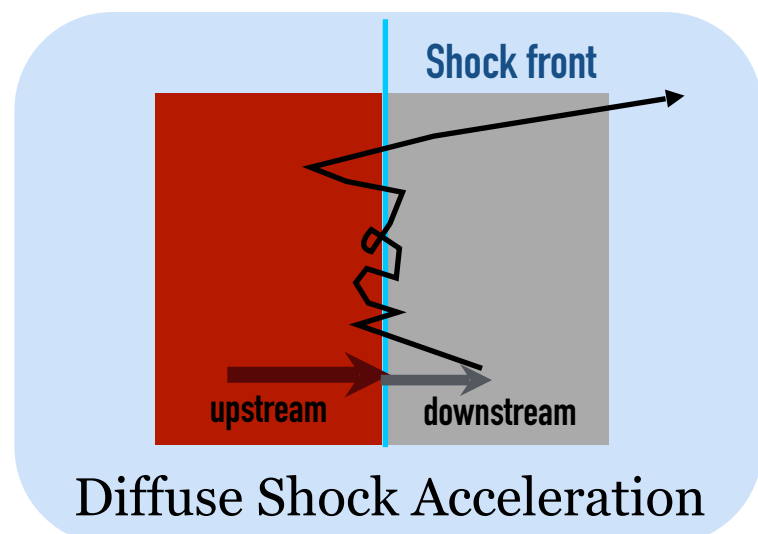


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Interaction w/ medium

Interaction w/ photons

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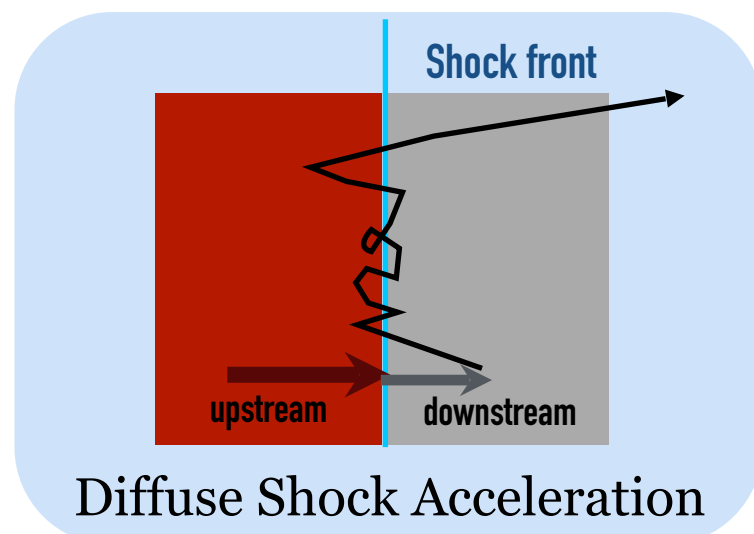
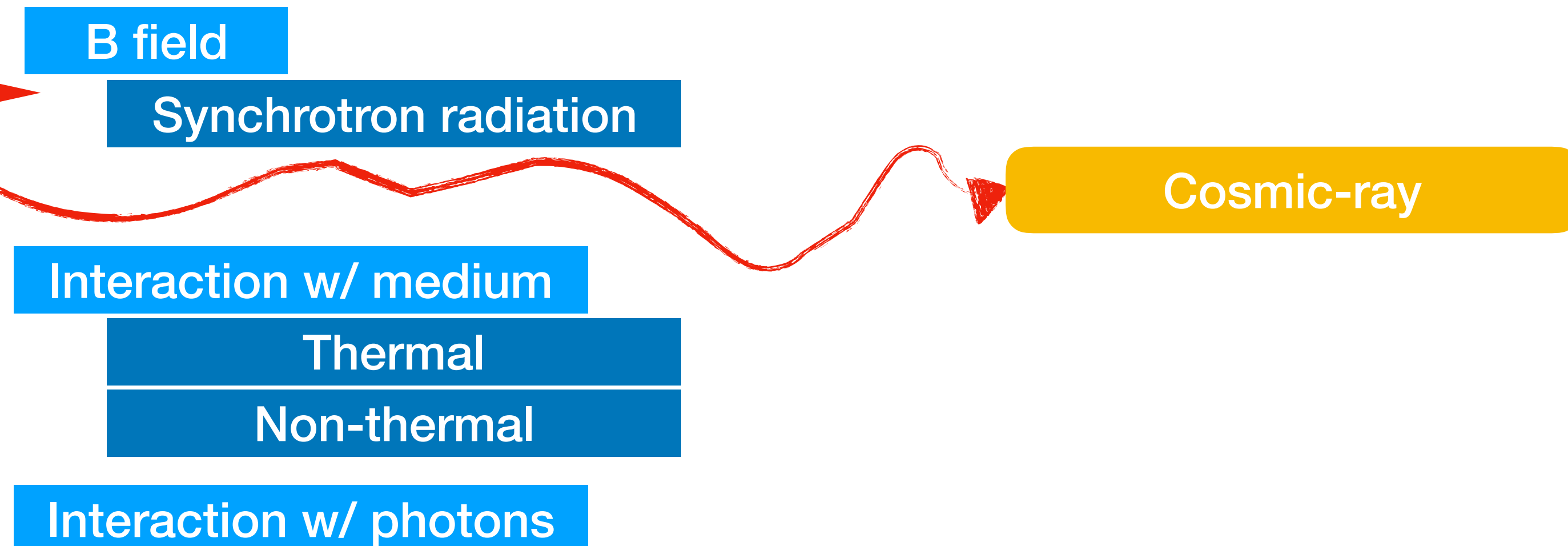
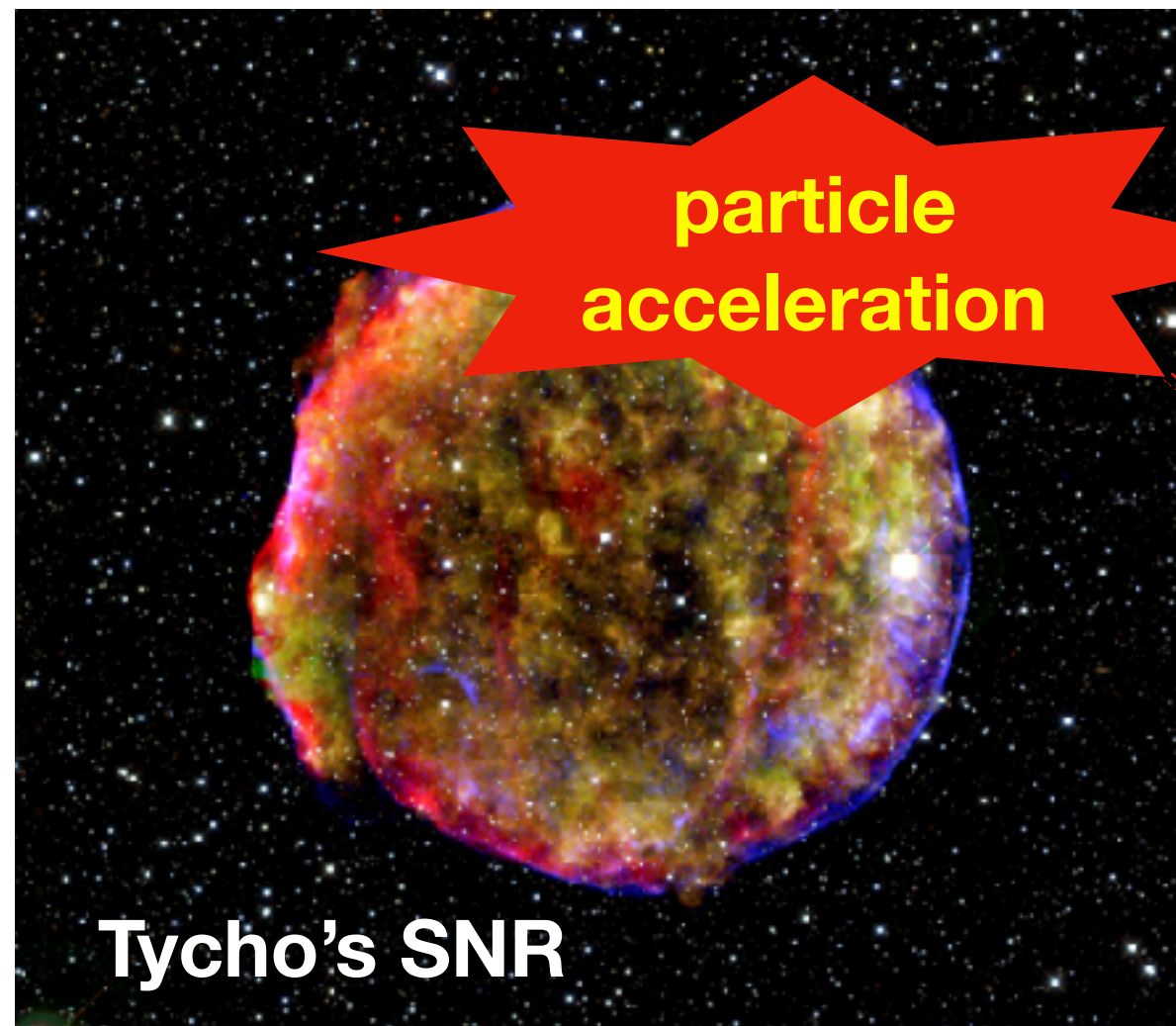
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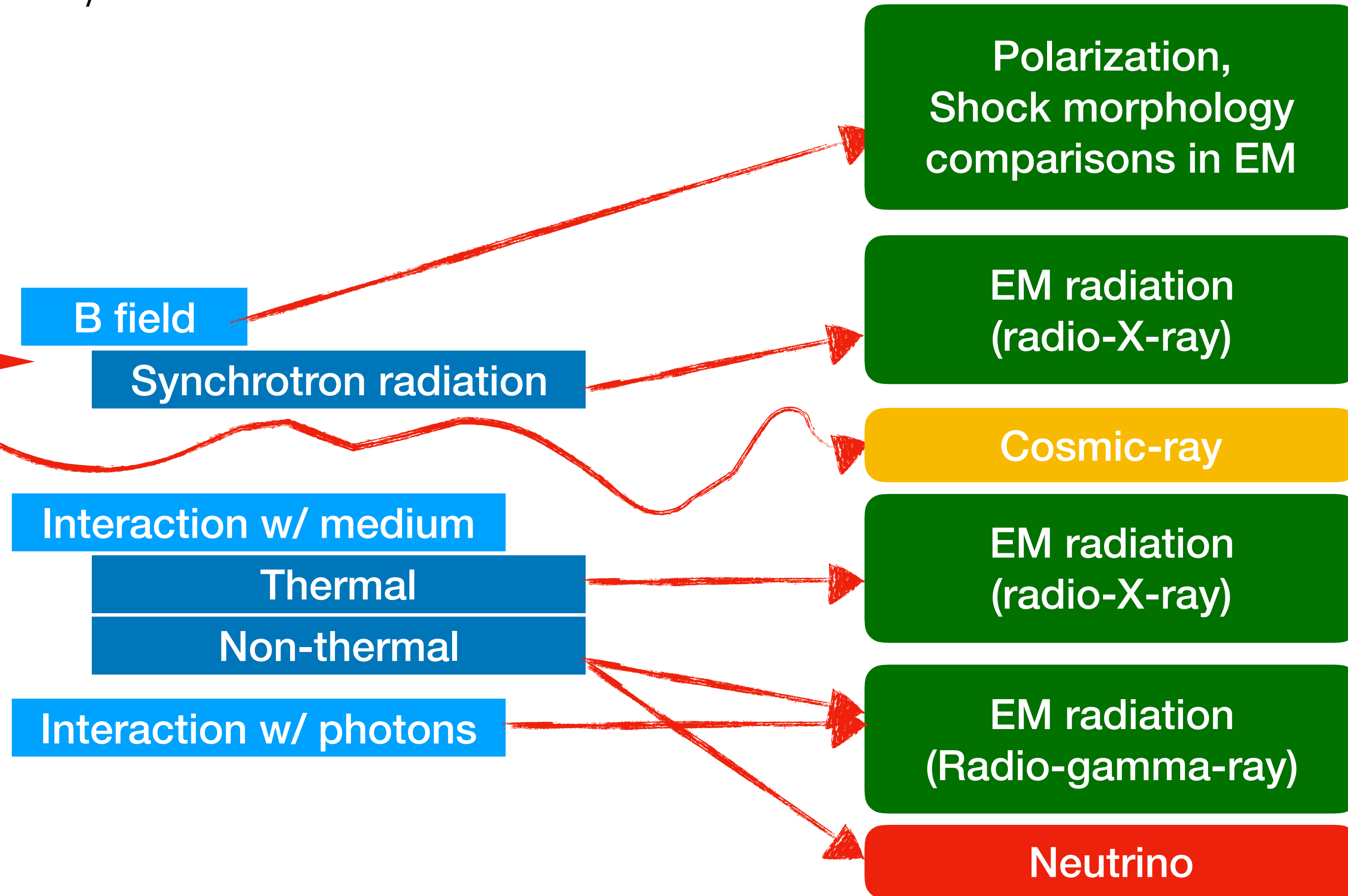
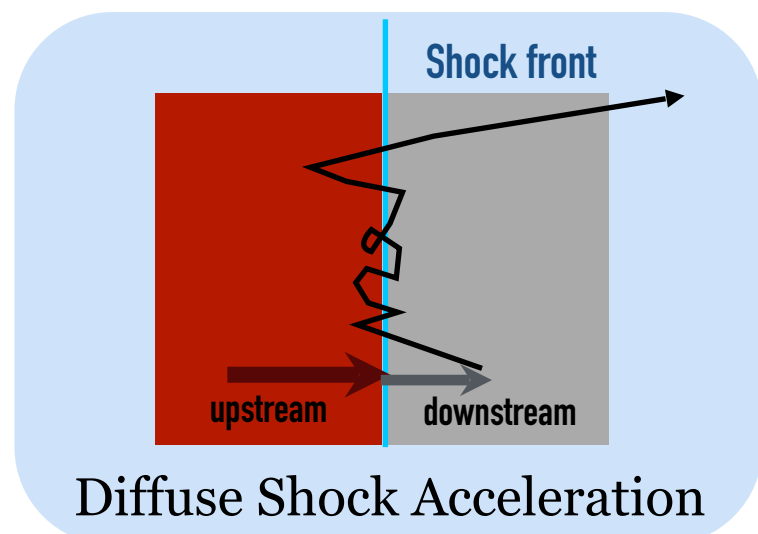
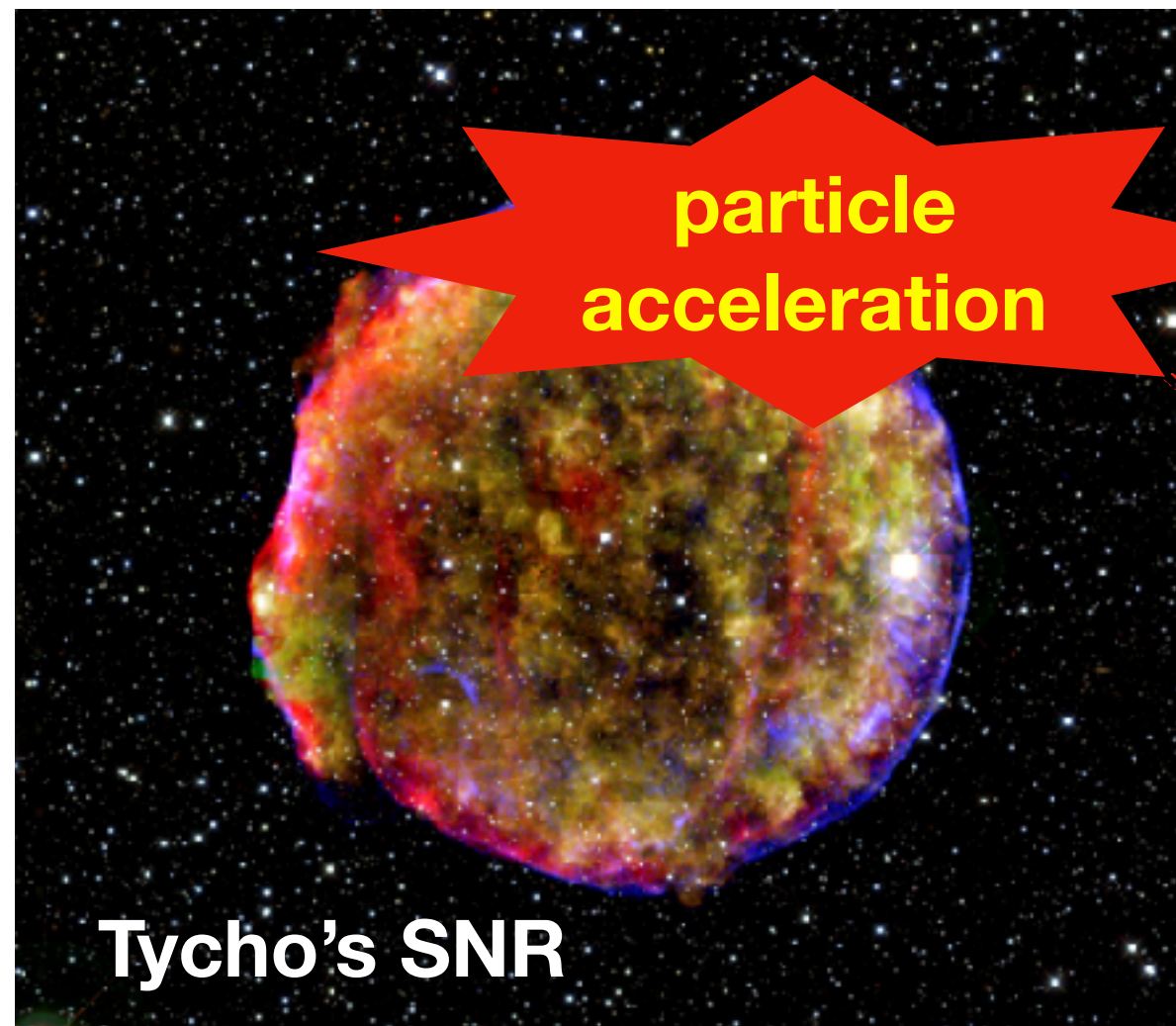
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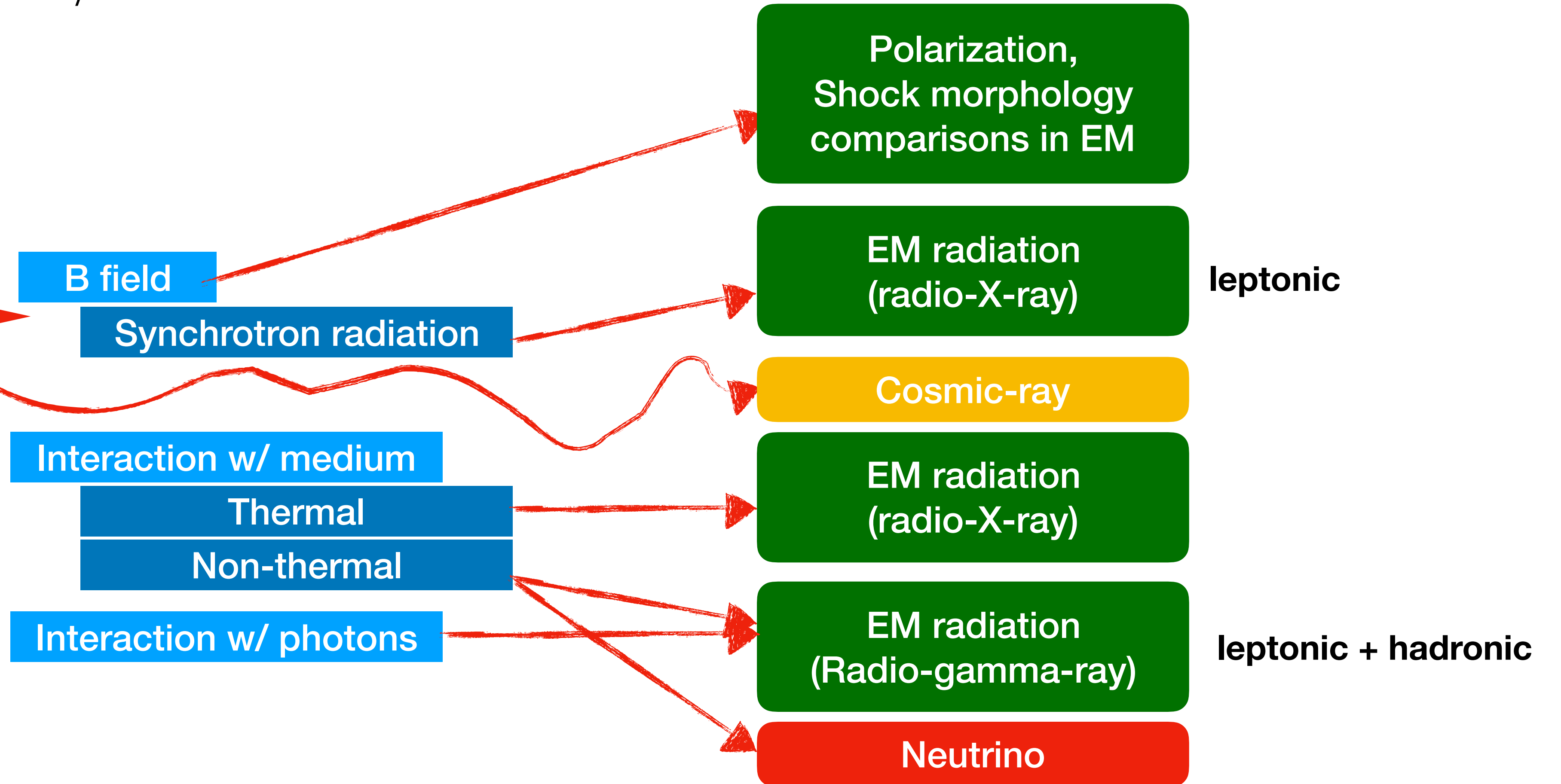
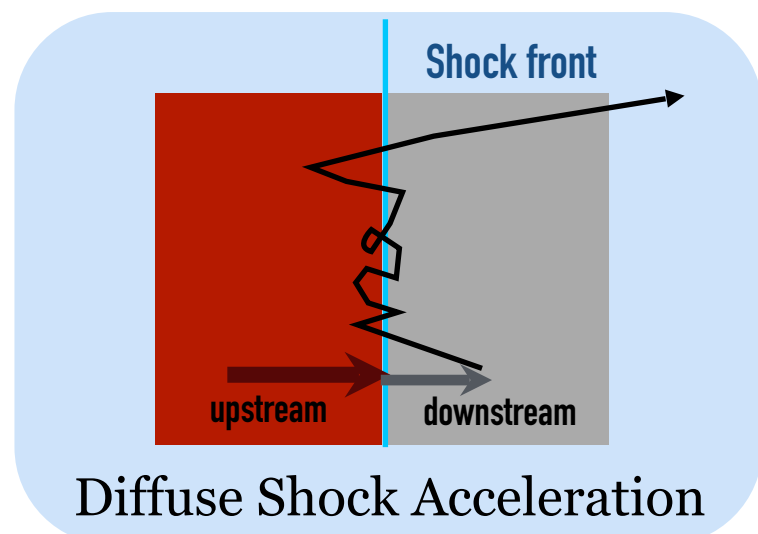
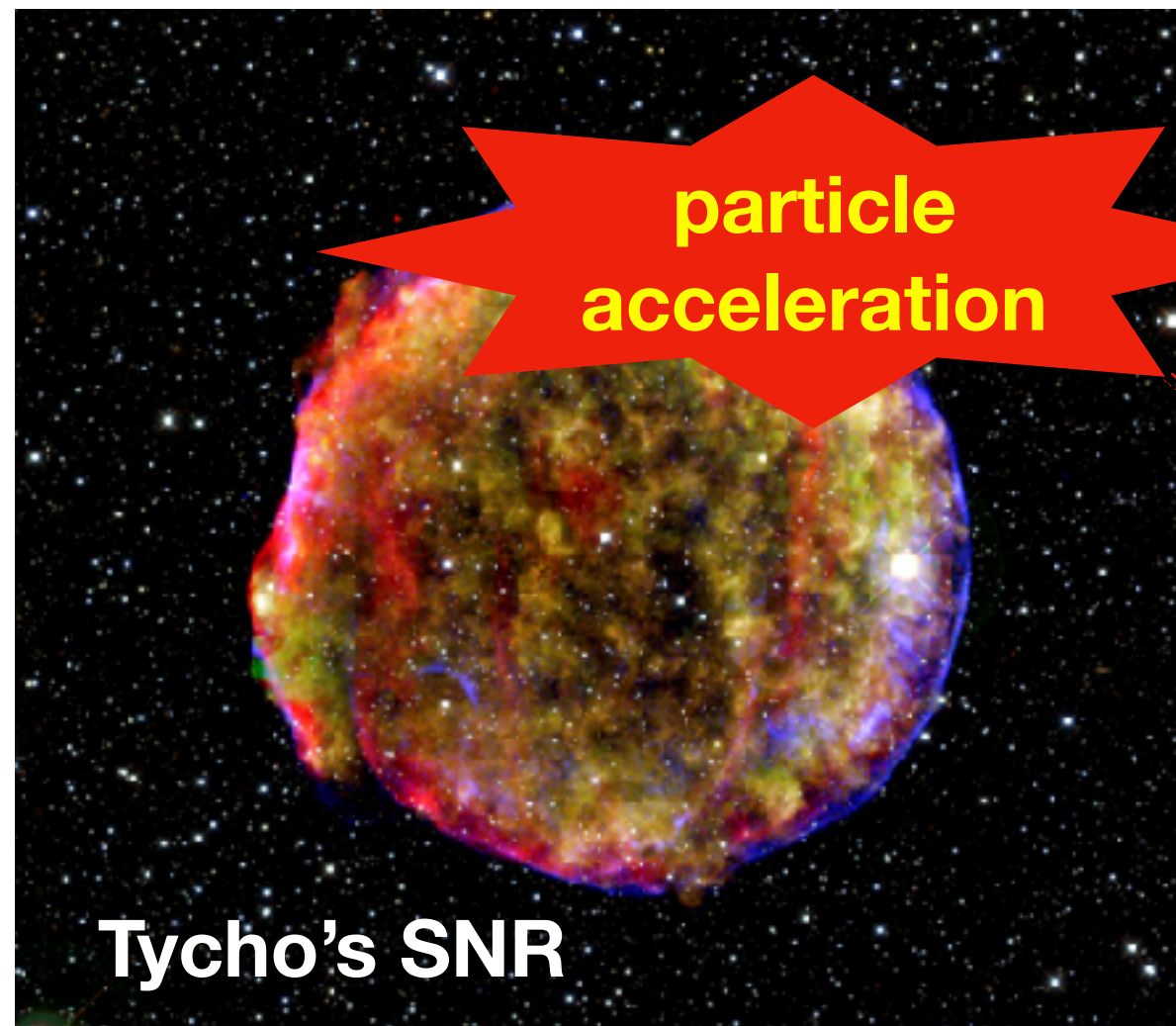
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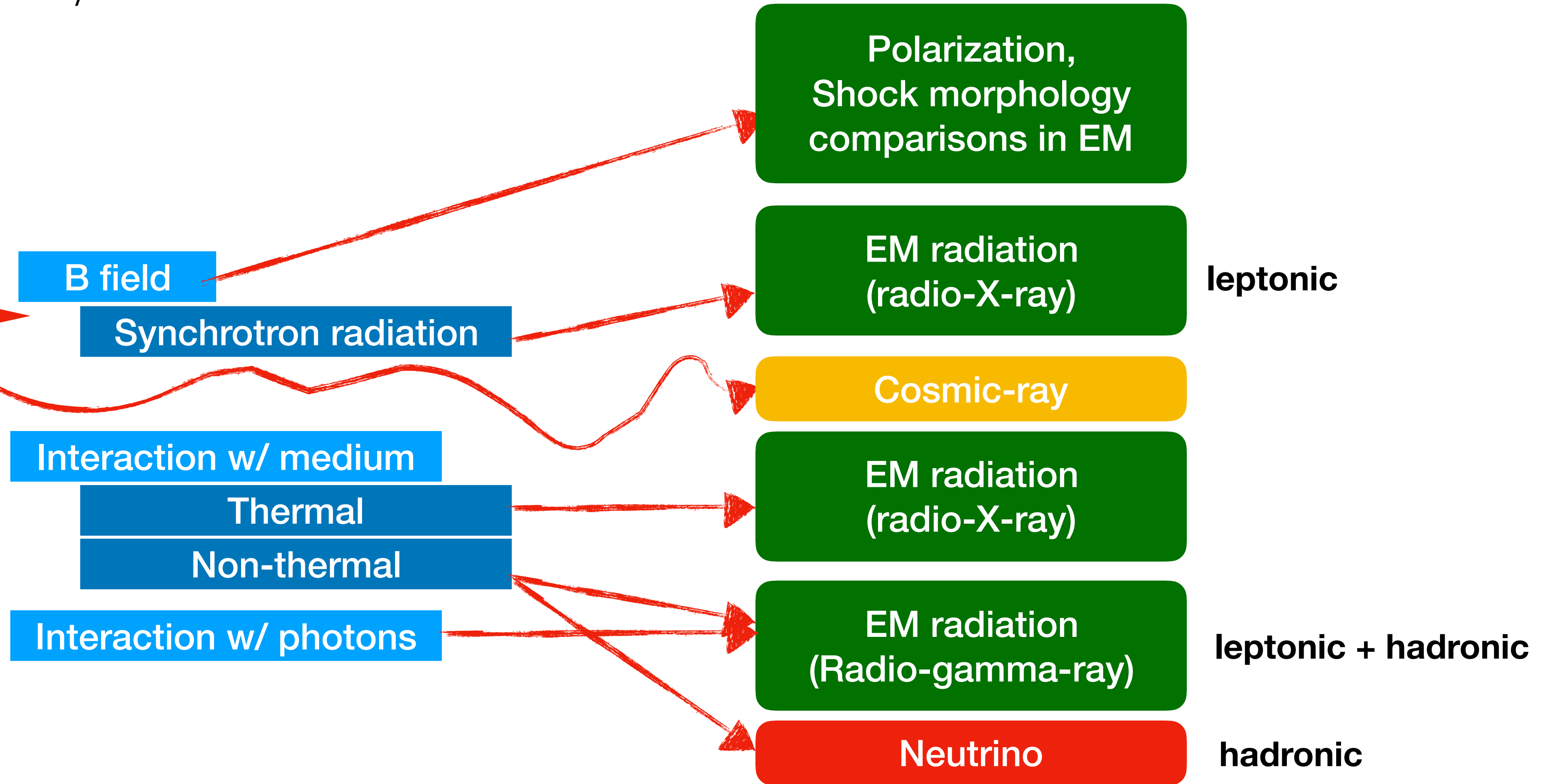
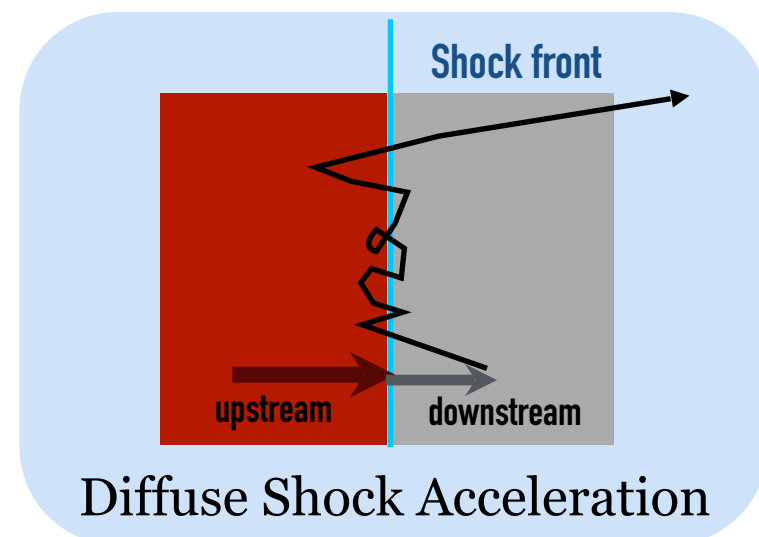
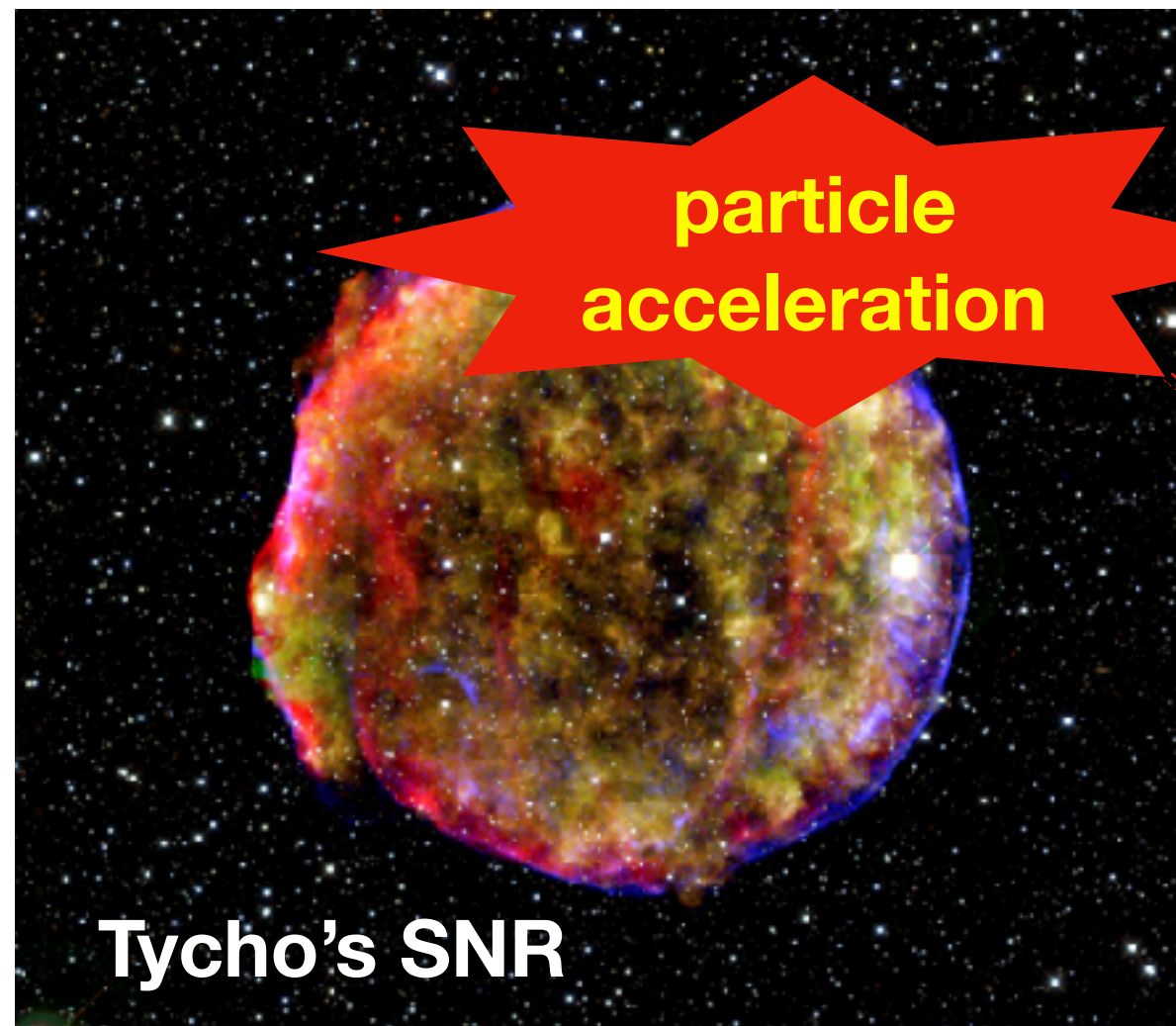
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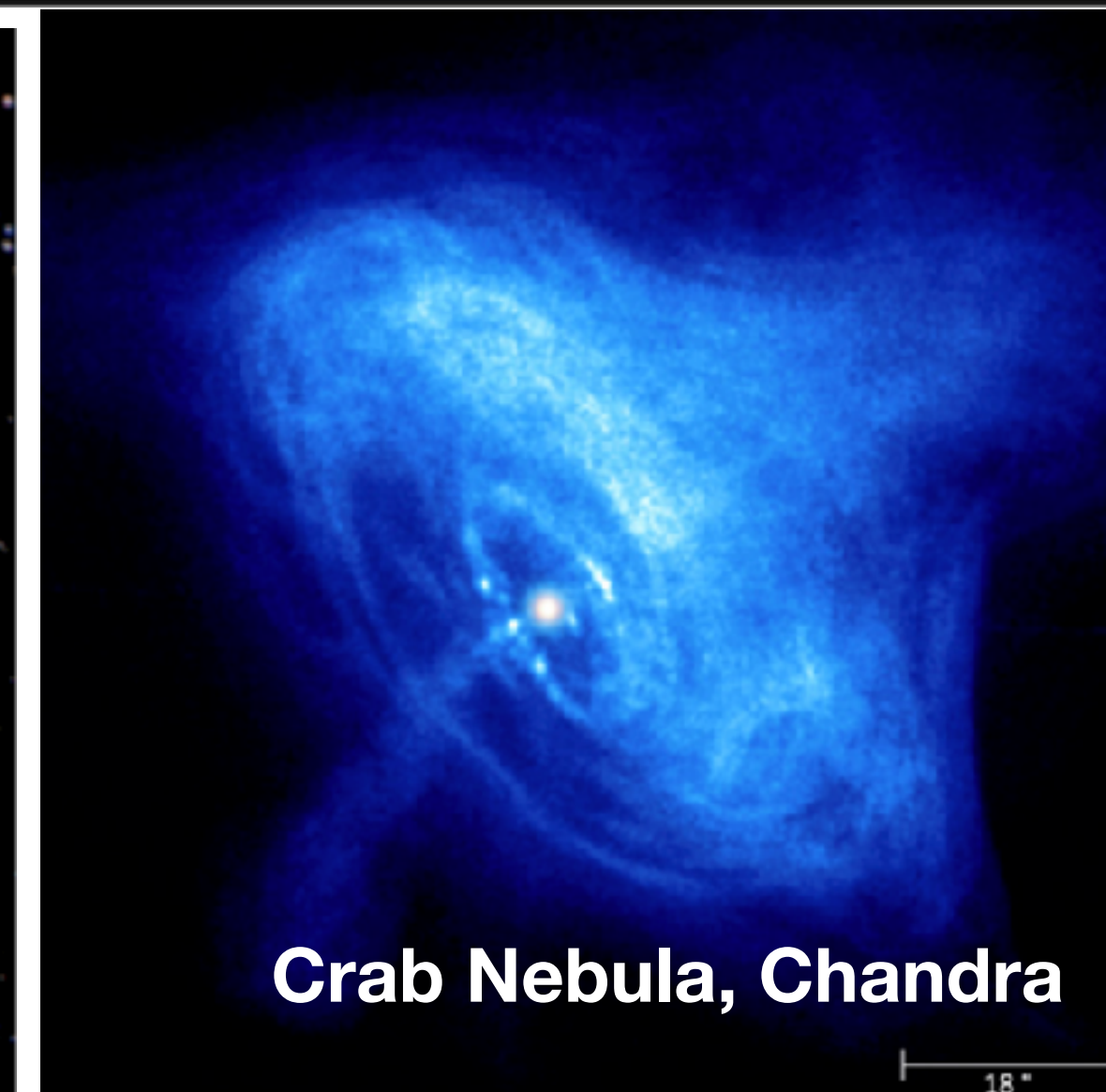
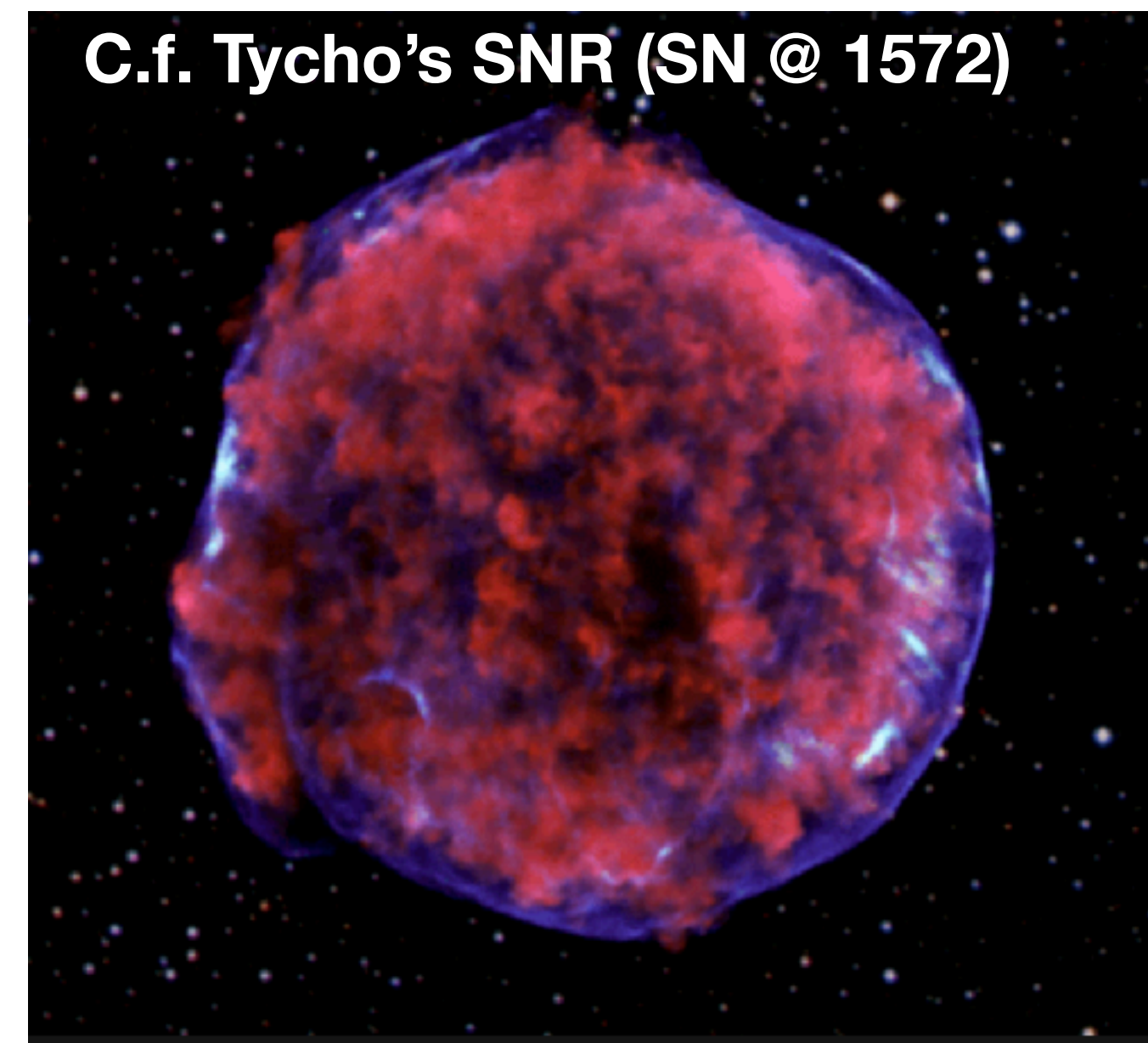
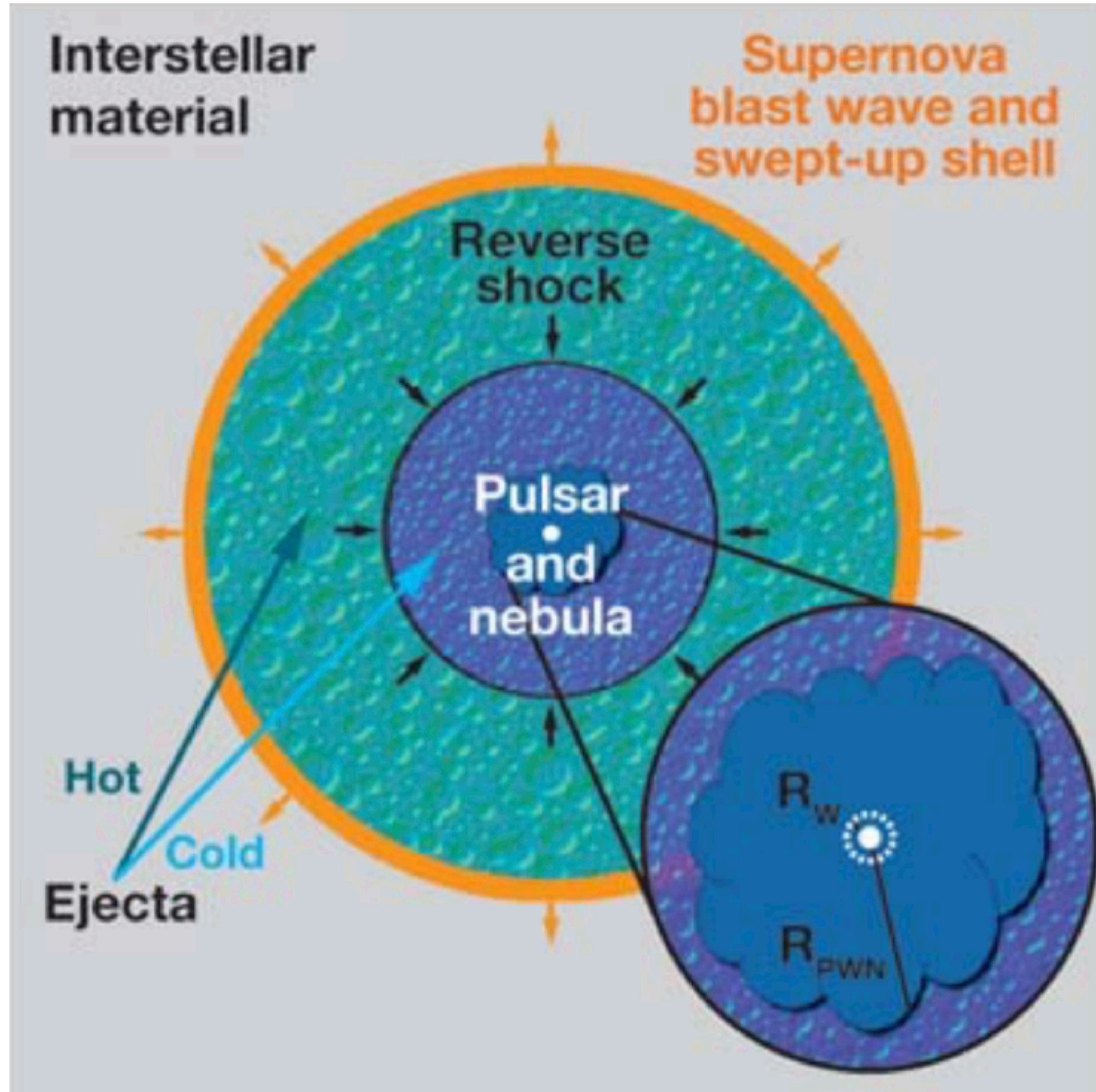


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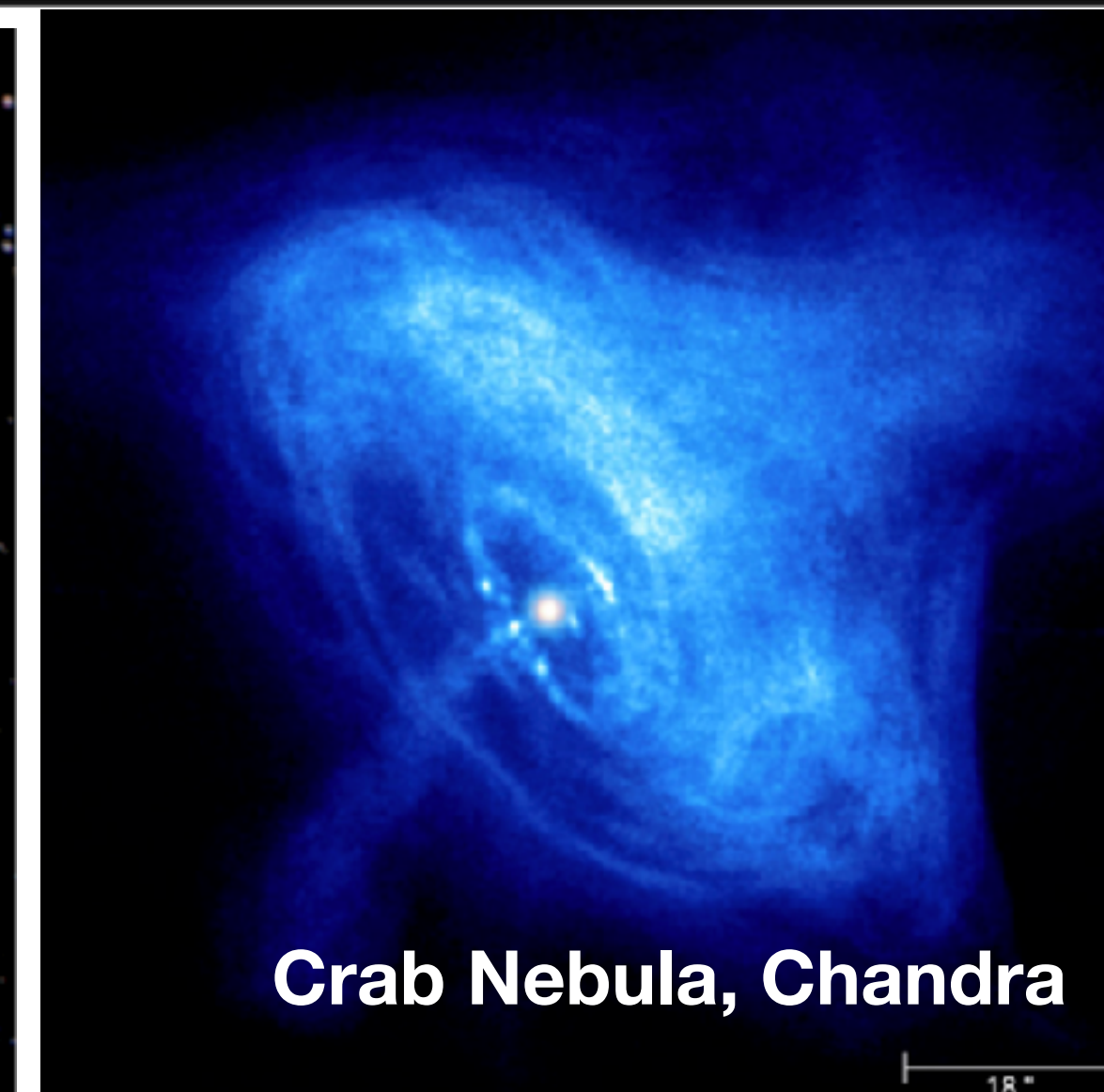
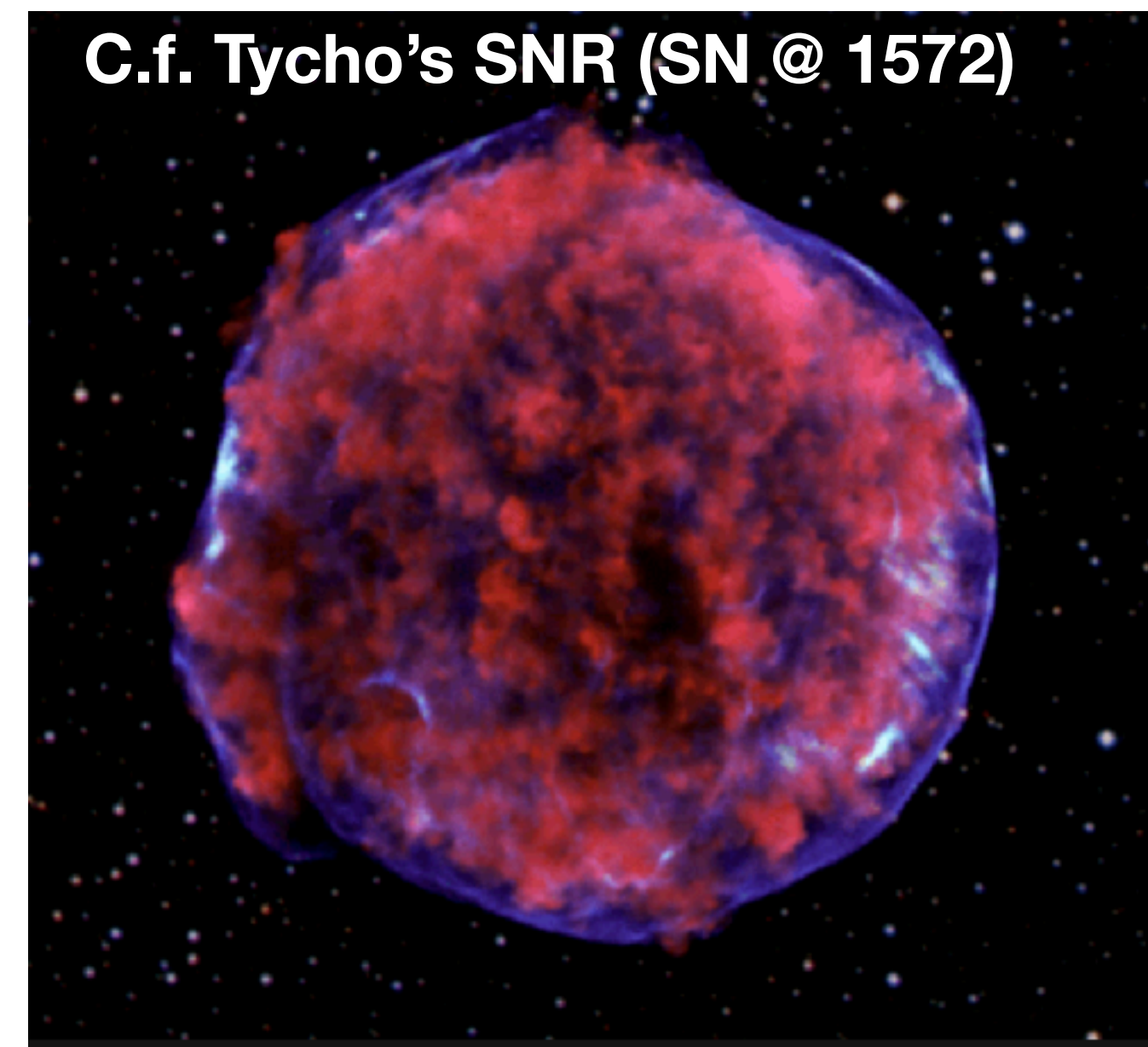
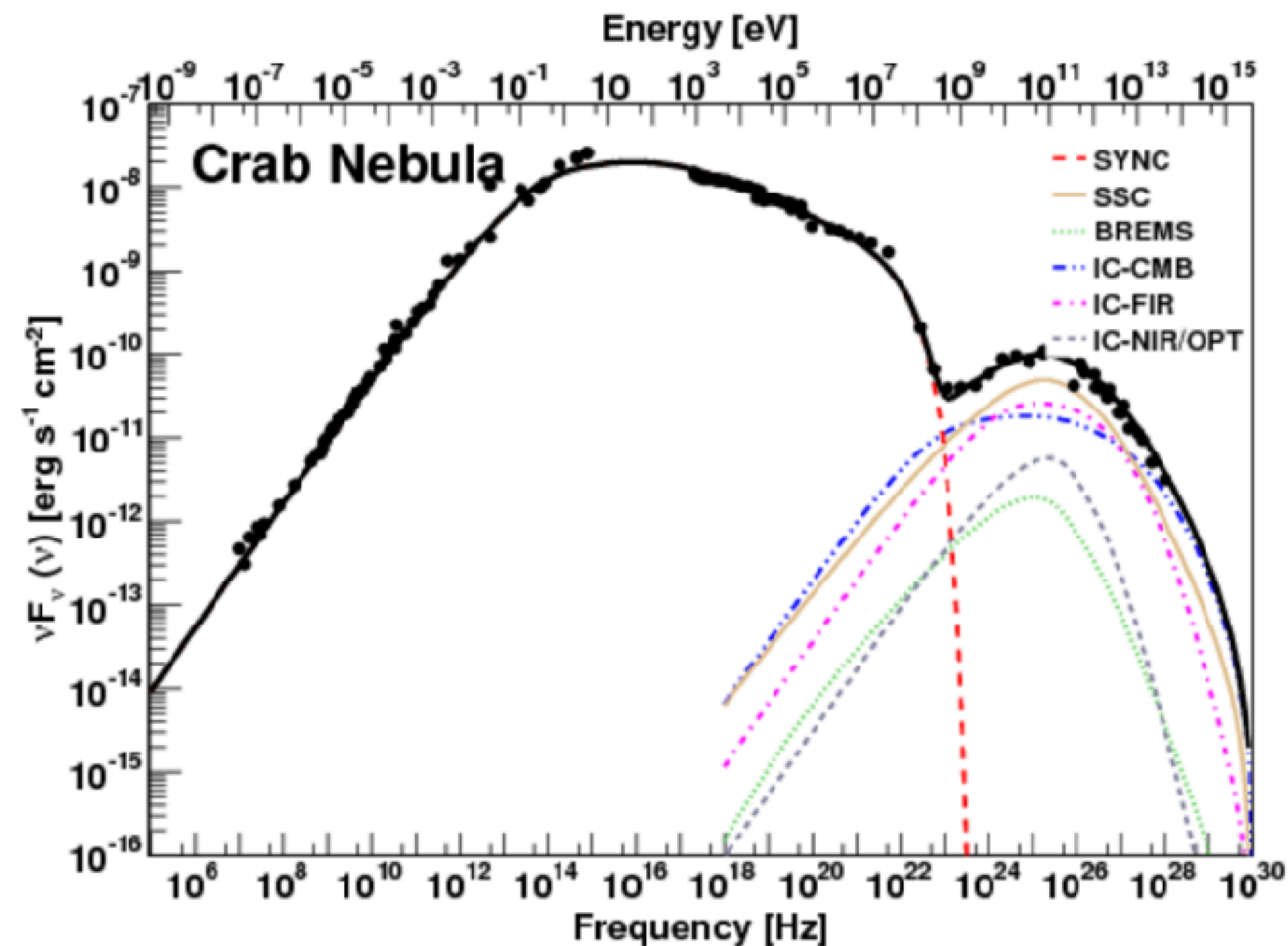
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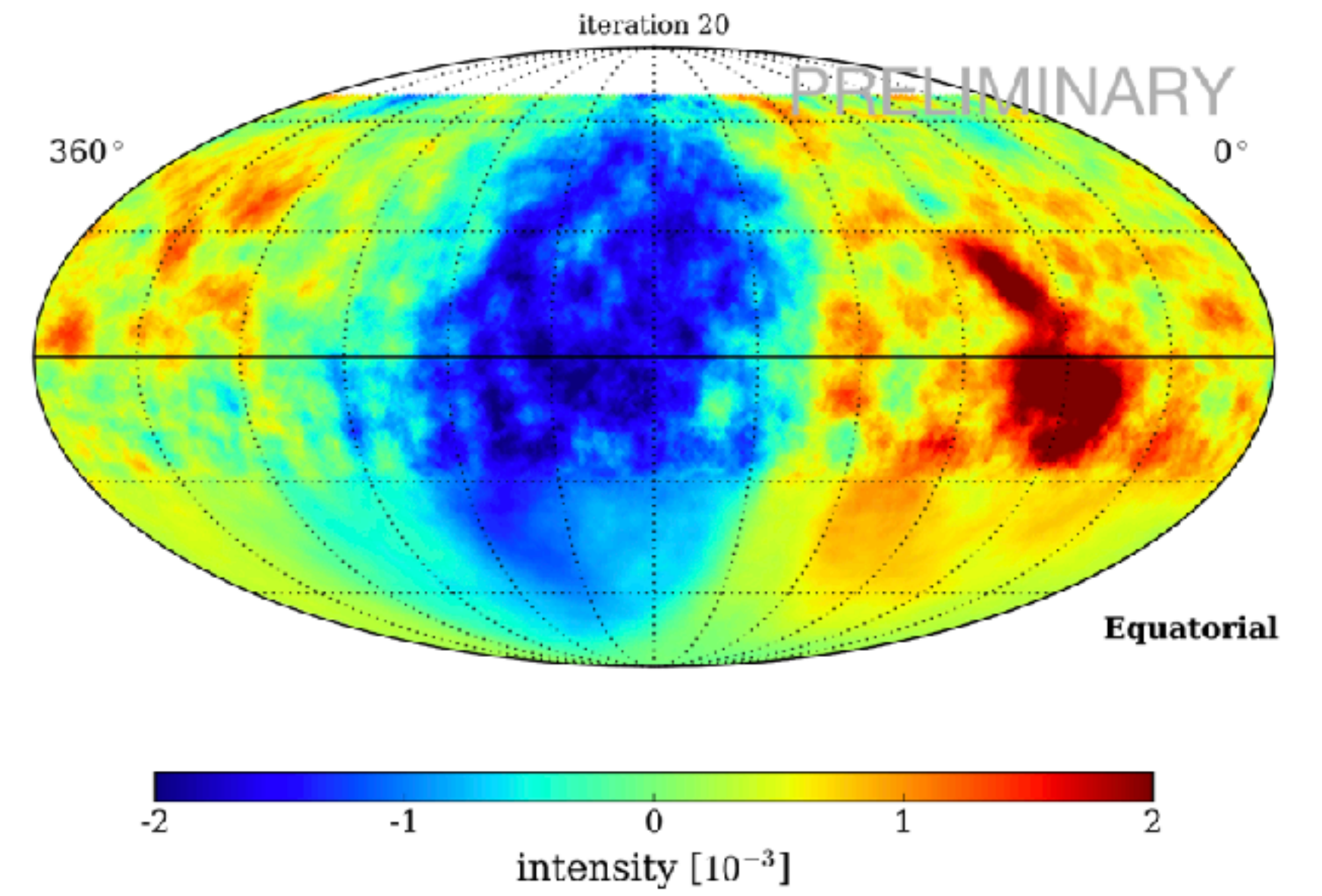
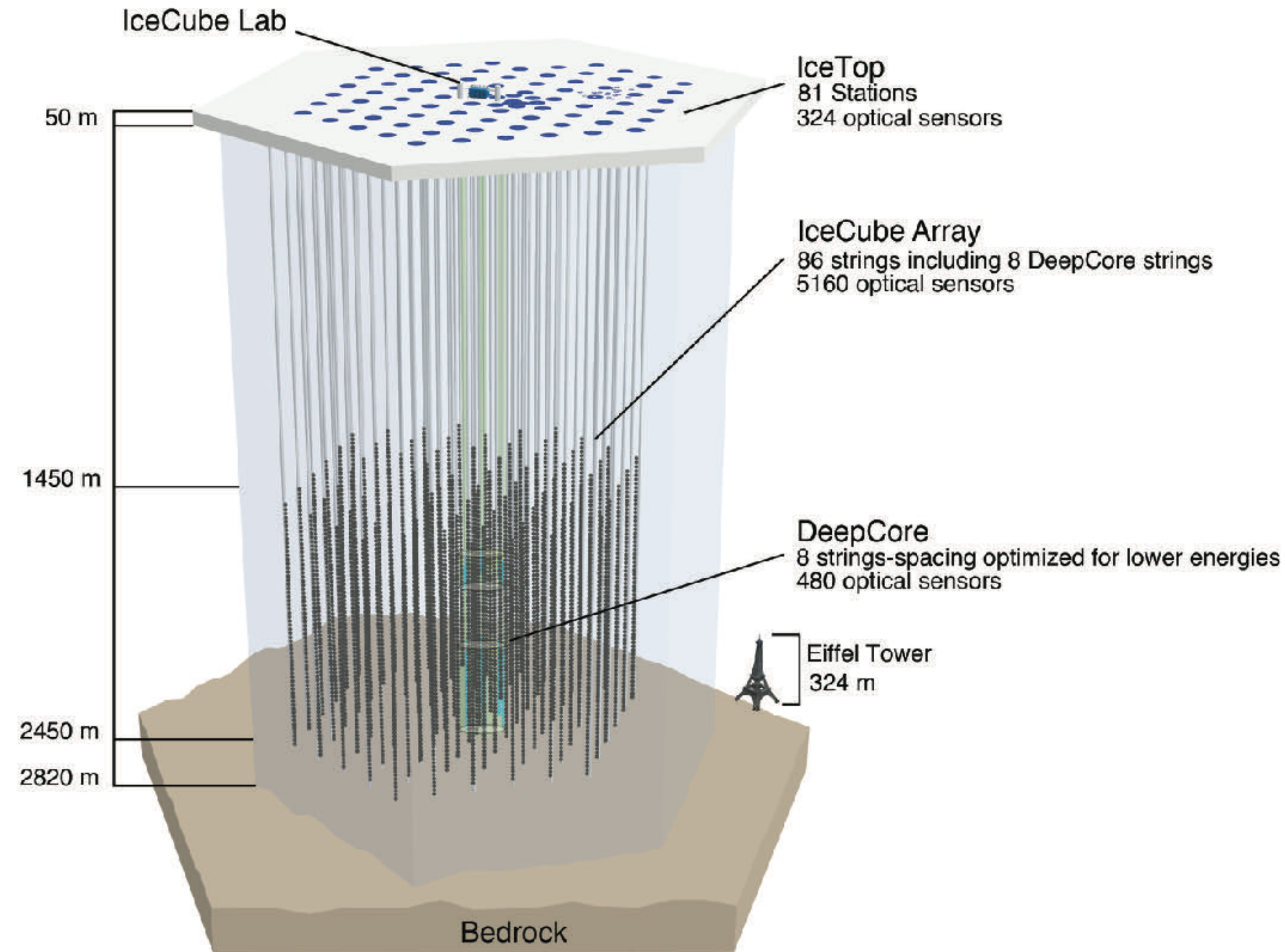
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 - ★ Pulsar's pulsing detected in radio, X-ray, and gamma-rays
 - ★ No detection of SNR shells
 - ★ GeV gamma-ray flaring episode



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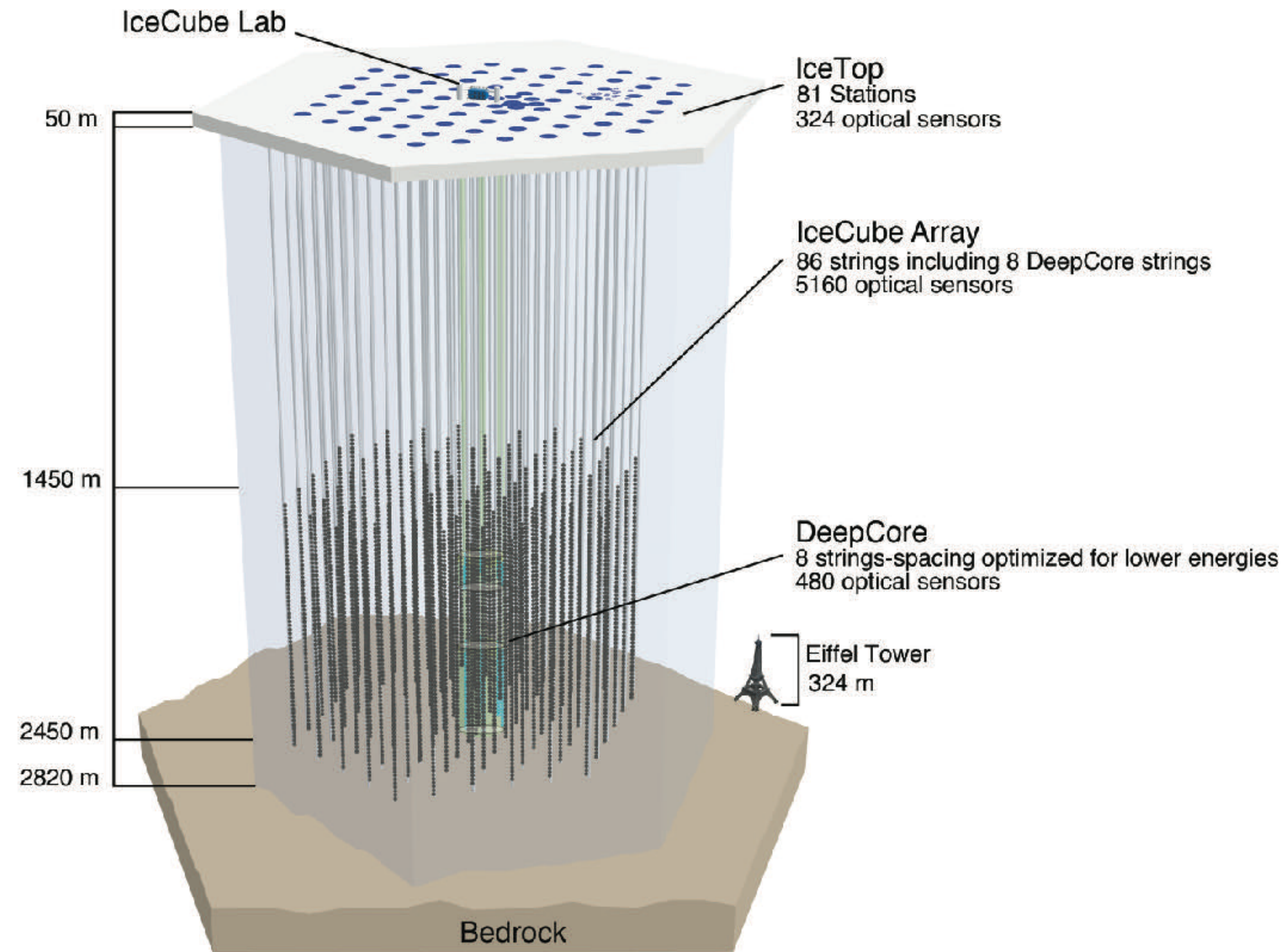
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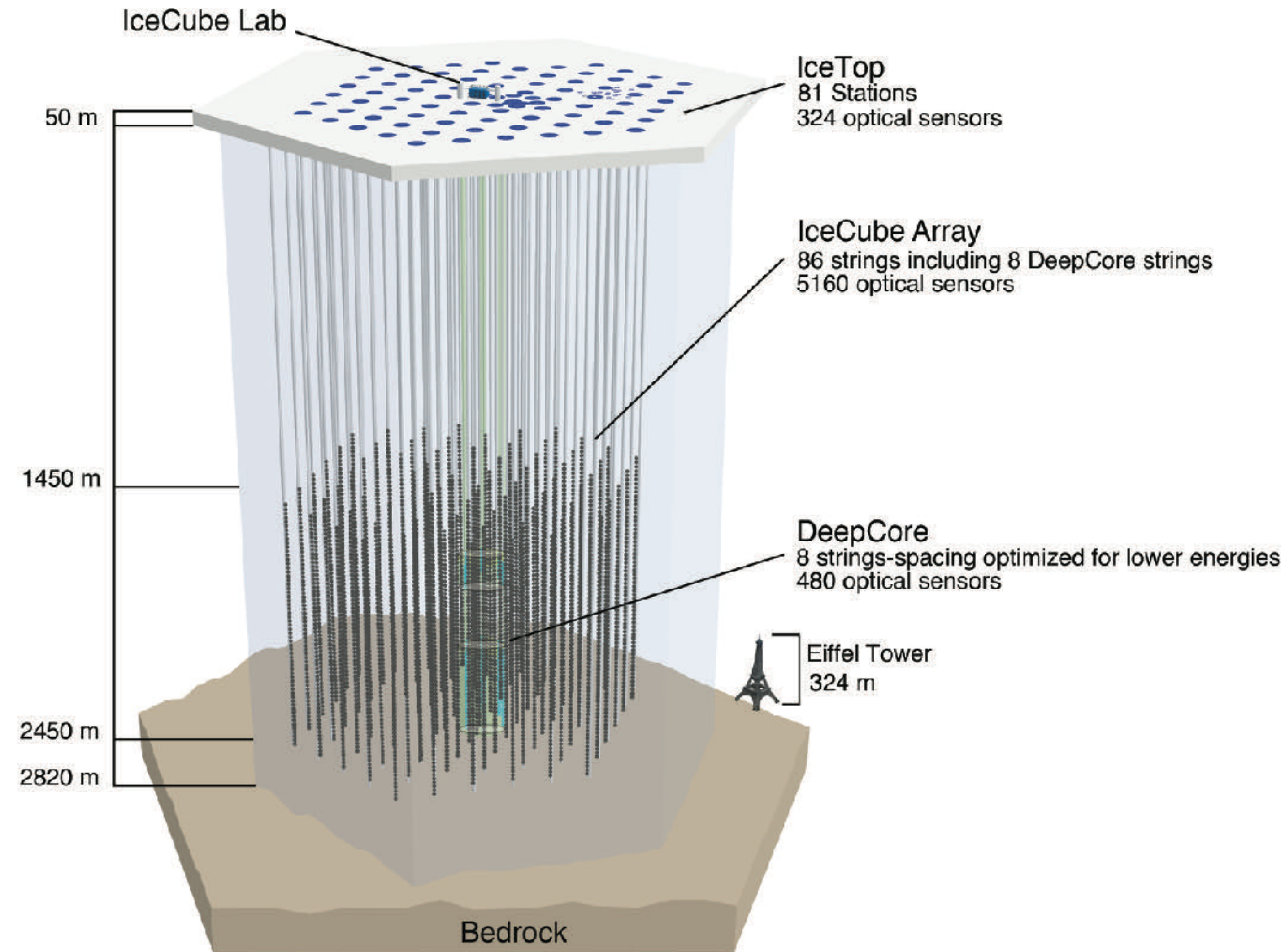
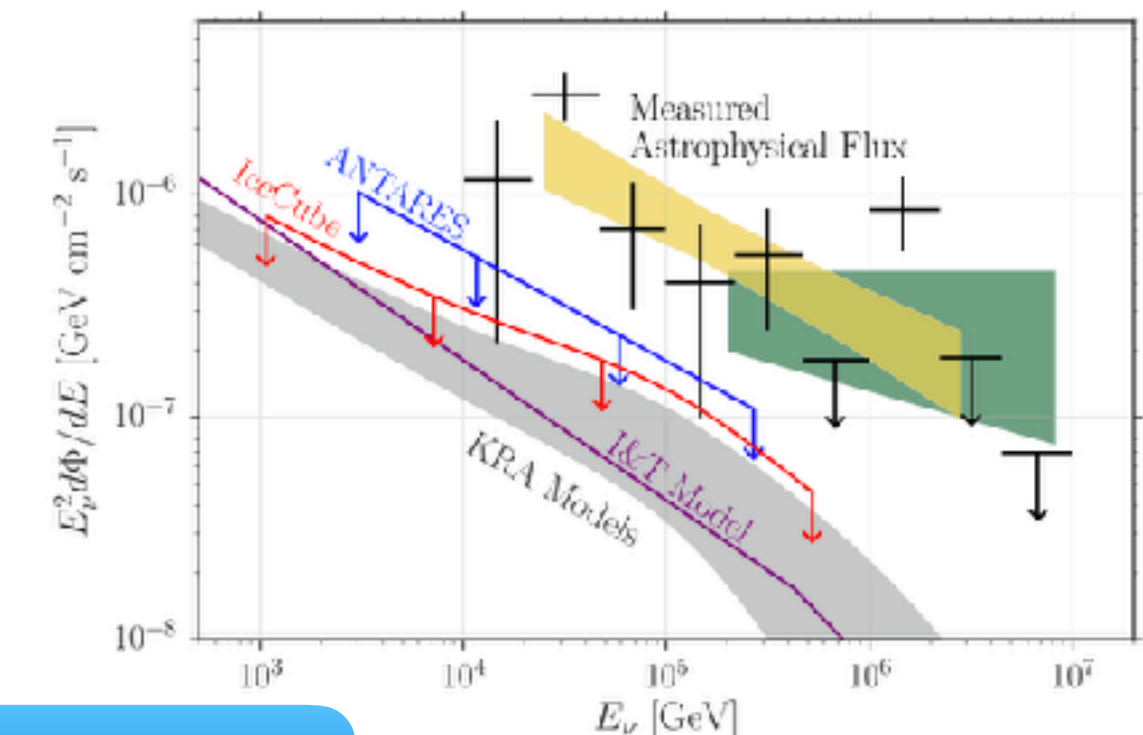
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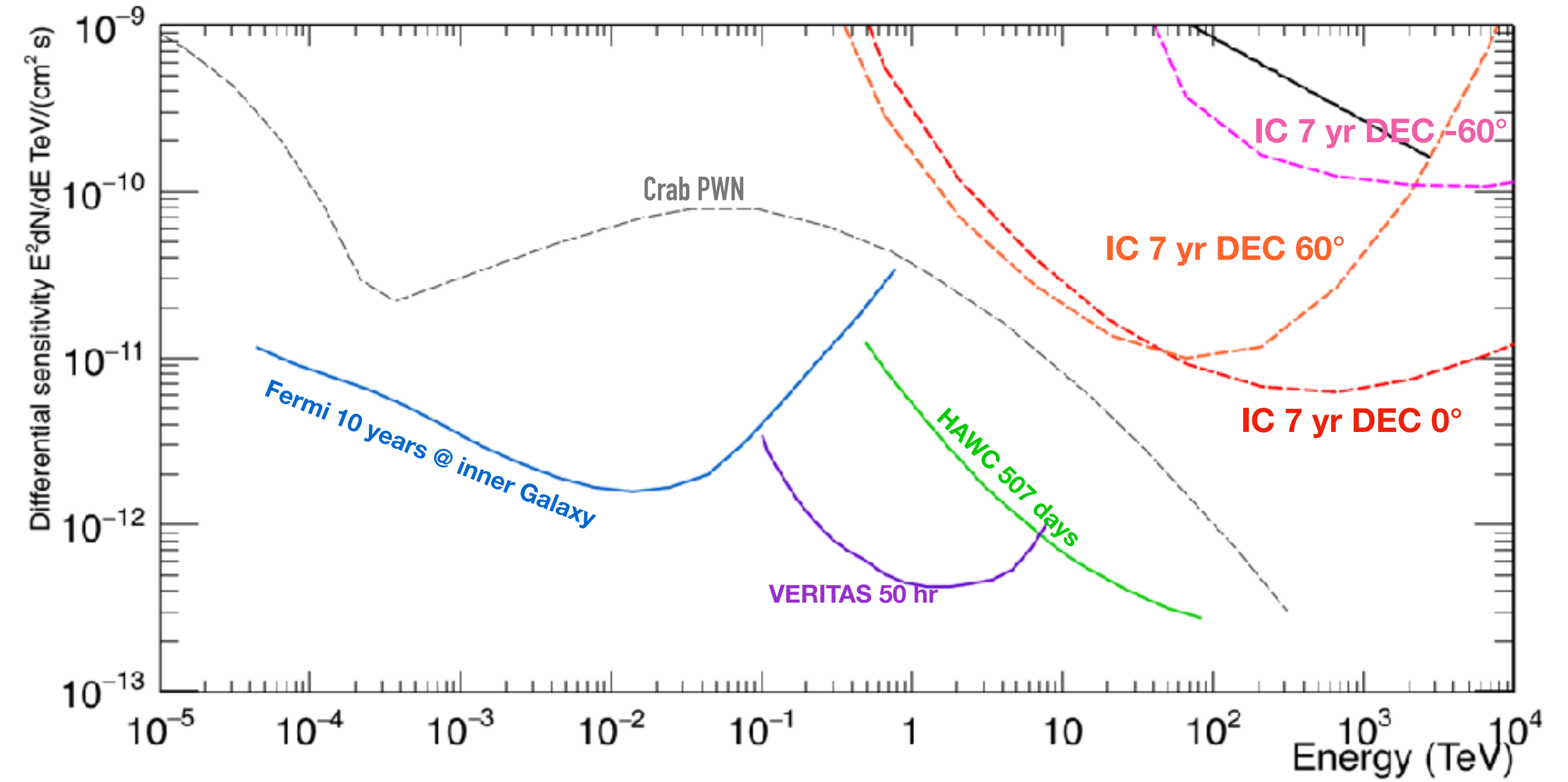
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Neutrino observation

- Pro
 - ☆ Pure hadronic flux measurement
 - ☆ Can probe deep in the source region & far away
- Con
 - ☆ Mainly due to sensitivity & angular resolution
 - Large amount of background from cosmic-rays

Future of the IceCube will be described
by Kael Hanson on Thursday

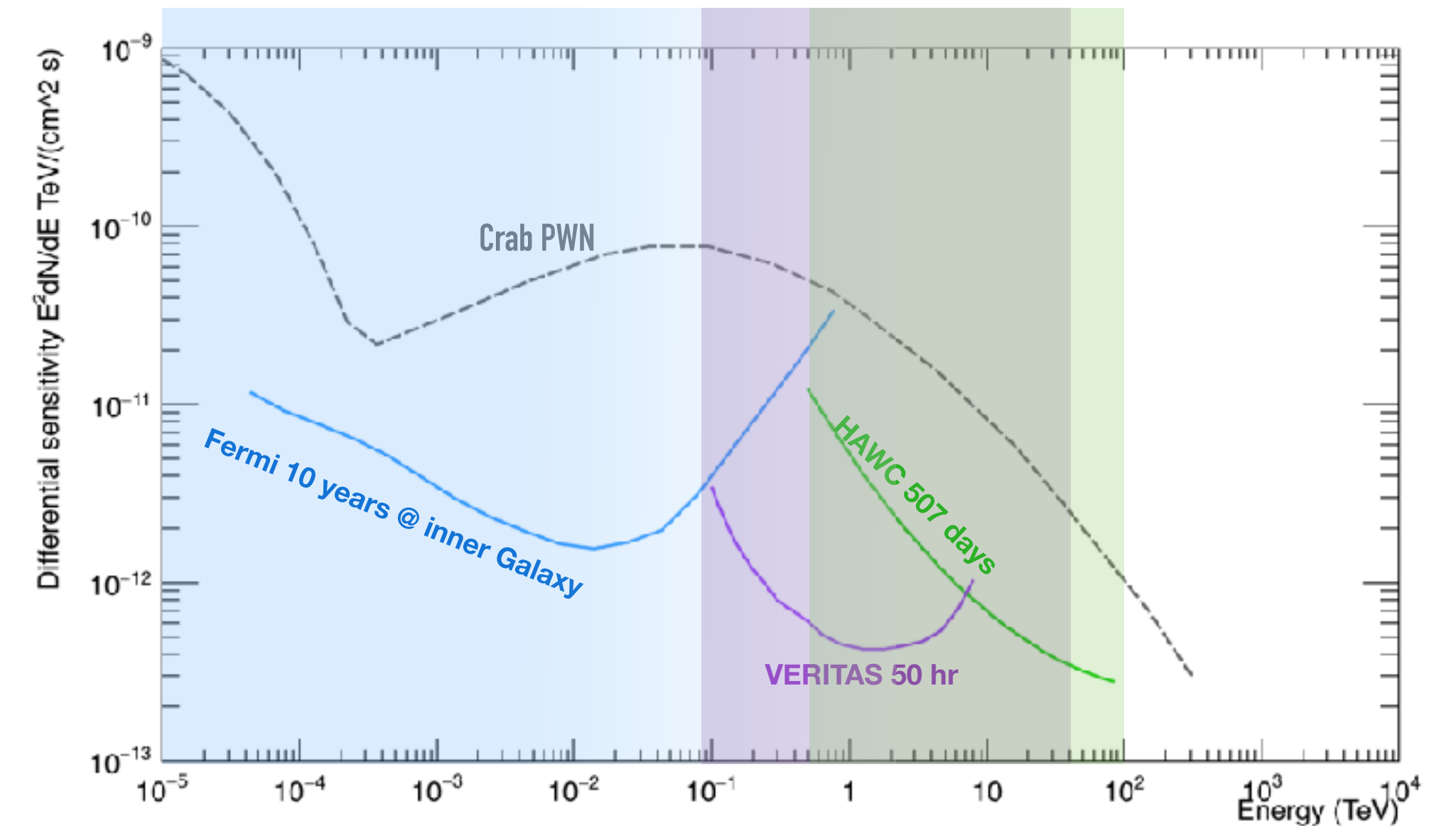
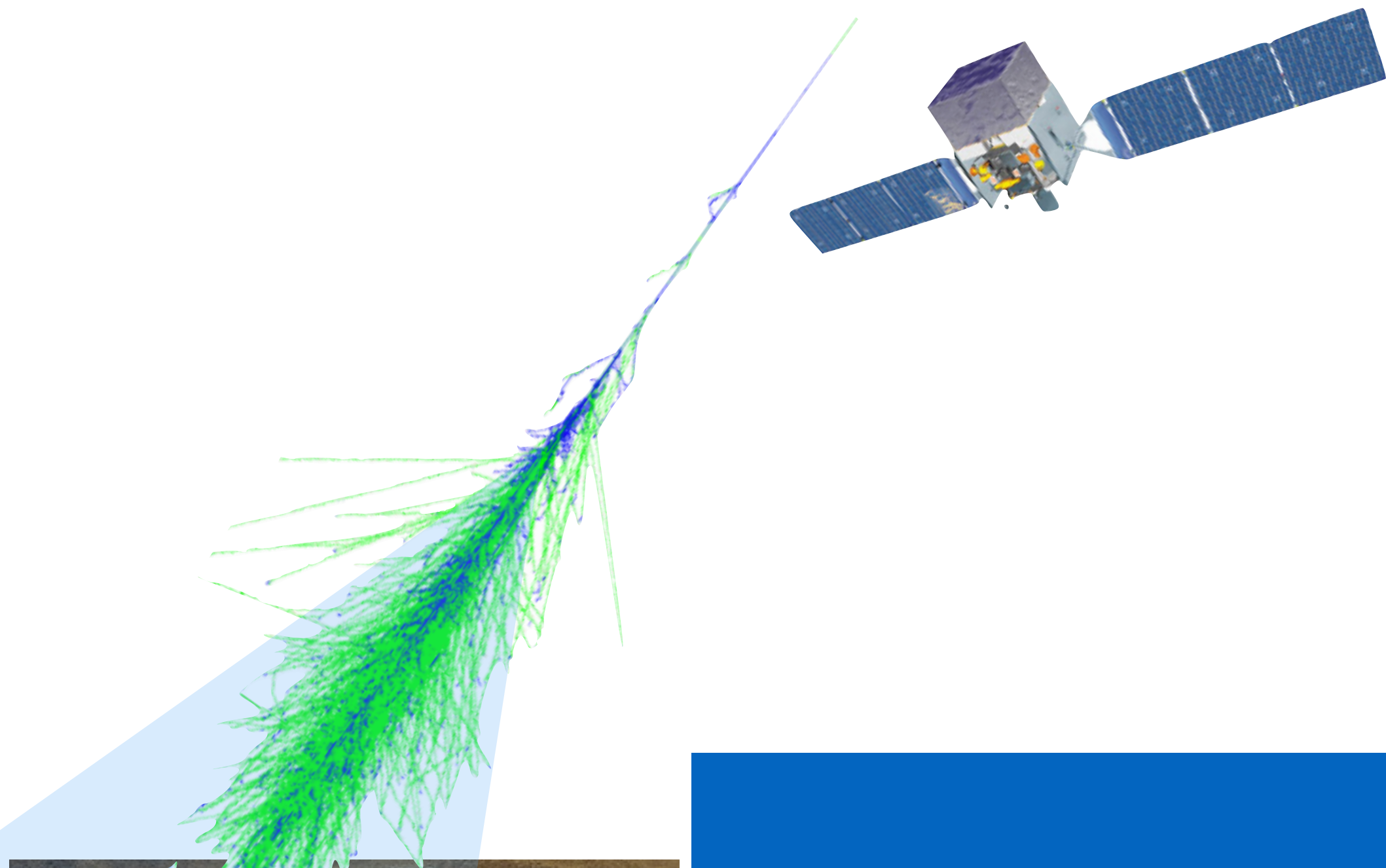


Limitation of gamma-ray observation

- Pro
 - ☆ >200 sources detected for $E > 100$ GeV
- Con
 - ☆ Confusion between leptonic and hadronic emission
 - ☆ Due to gamma-gamma absorption, gamma-ray cannot escape thick photon field
 - ☆ Due to interaction with extragalactic background light, gamma-ray has energy depended horizon
 - The farthest gamma-ray source detected at $z \sim 0.9$

Utilize large HE γ -ray window

We currently have instruments covering six orders of energy range in γ -ray observations



	Fermi-LAT (Direct measurement)	VERITAS (IACTs)	HAWC (Air shower array)
Energy range	100 MeV - > 1 TeV	85 GeV - > 30 TeV	100 GeV - 100 TeV
Type	Survey	Pointing (3 degree)	Survey (~2/3 of sky)
Time to detect Crab Nebula ($F > 100 \text{ GeV}$)		~1 min.	~1 day
Duty cycle	~100%	~20%	~100%
Effective area	~1 m ²	~10 ⁵ m ²	~10 ⁴ m ²

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2017 was the year of the multi-messenger astrophysics!

● 2017 August

★ Triggering of gravitational wave event of GW170817 connected to the discovery of the first electromagnetic counterpart

● Over 50 facilities world-side followed the event

● 2017 September

★ Triggering of the extremely-high-energy neutrino events 170922A followed by the flaring episode of a blazar, TXS 0506+056

More will come in very near future!