



# PROBING NEW LIGHT FORCE-MEDIATORS BY ISOTOPE SHIFT

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Table-Top Experiments with Skyscraper Reach  
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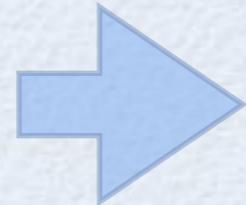
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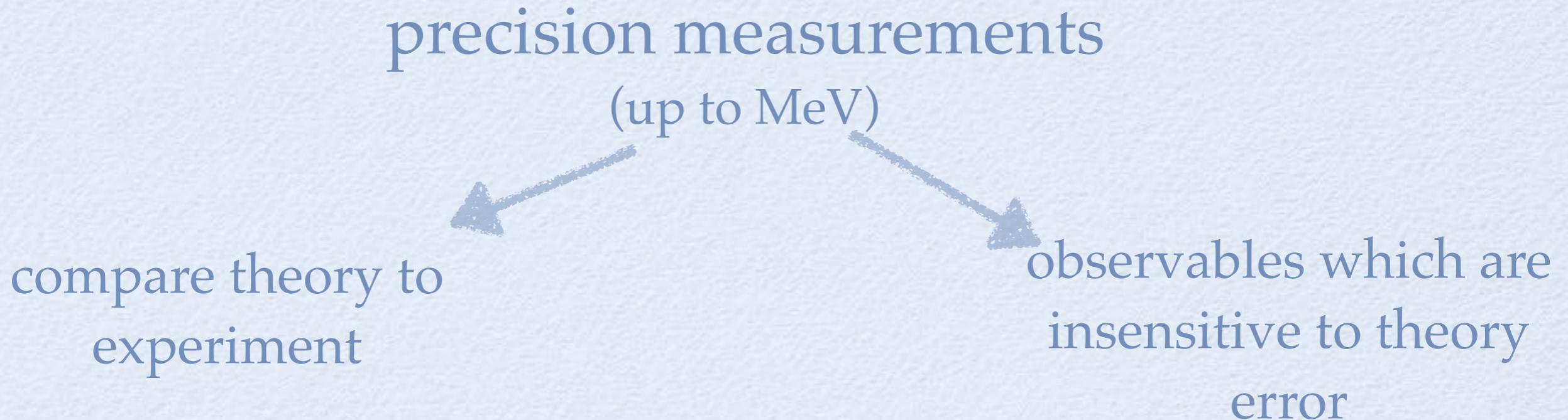
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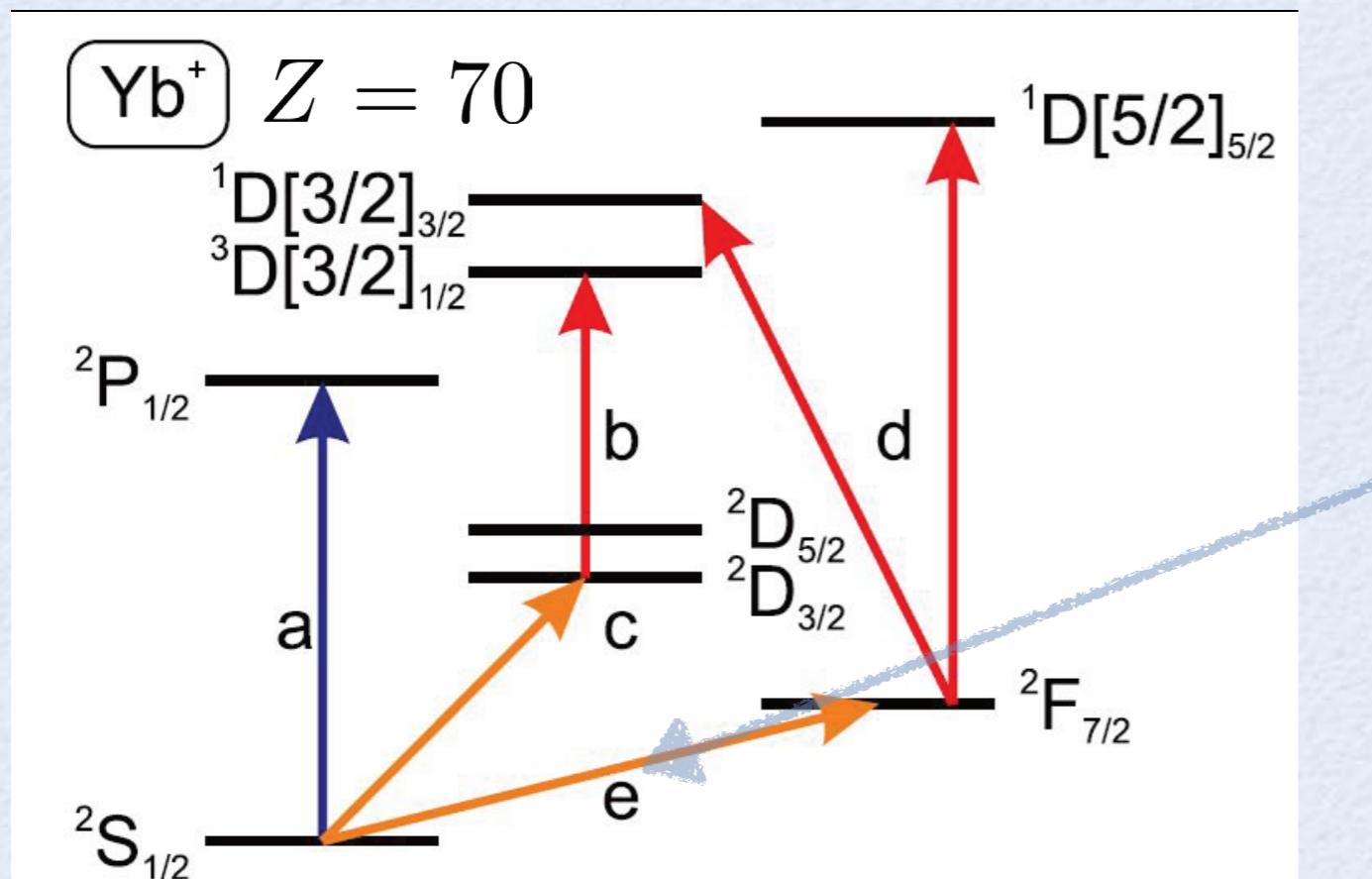
*hydrogen and helium*

observables which are  
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*heavy elements, Yb, Ca*

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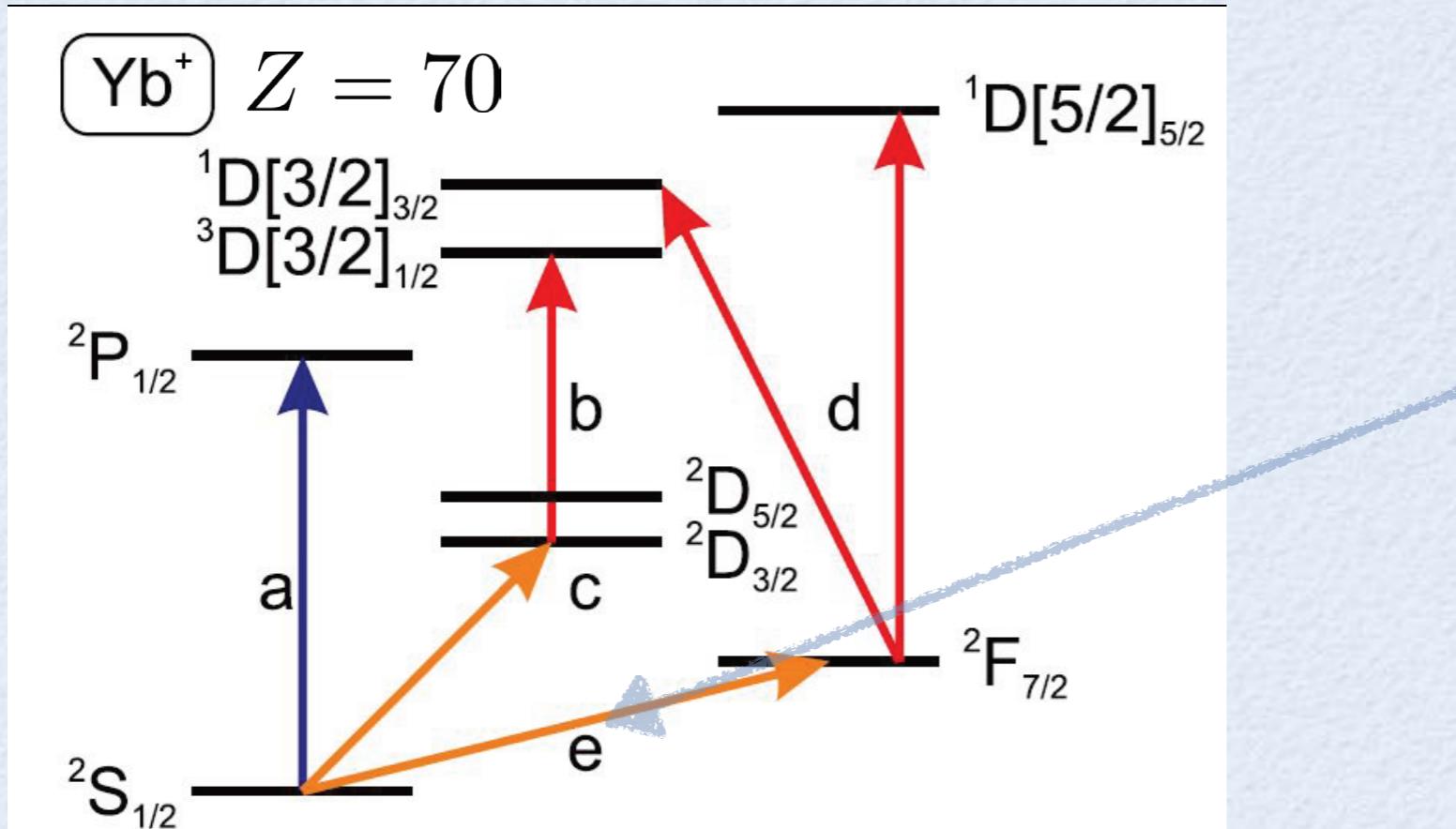


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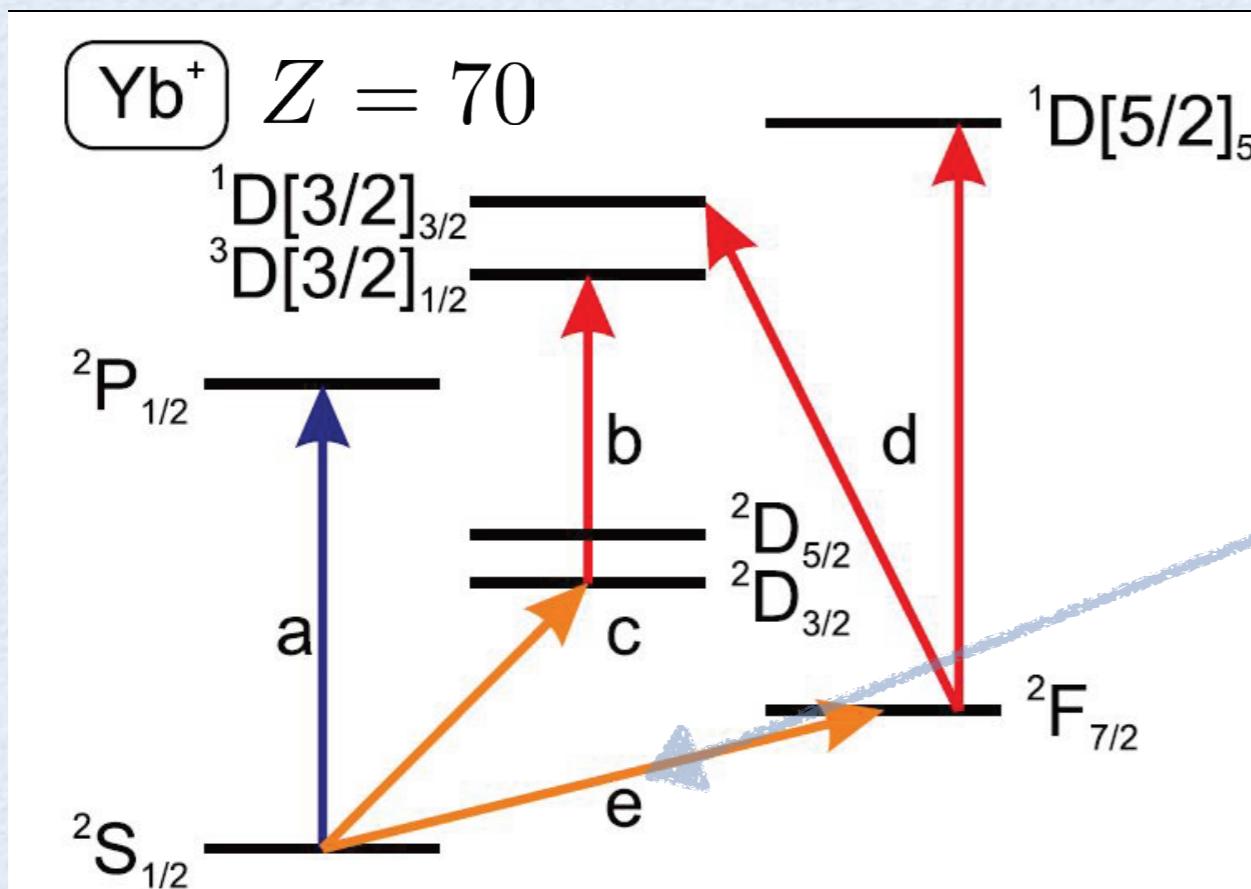
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stronger than LHC current bounds

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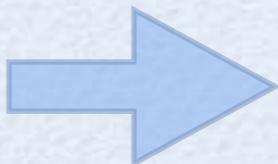
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factorization



linear relation between  
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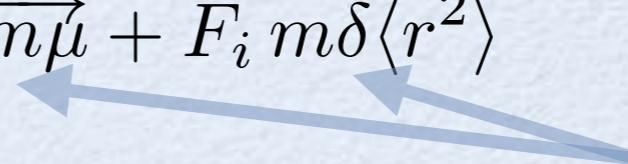
King 63

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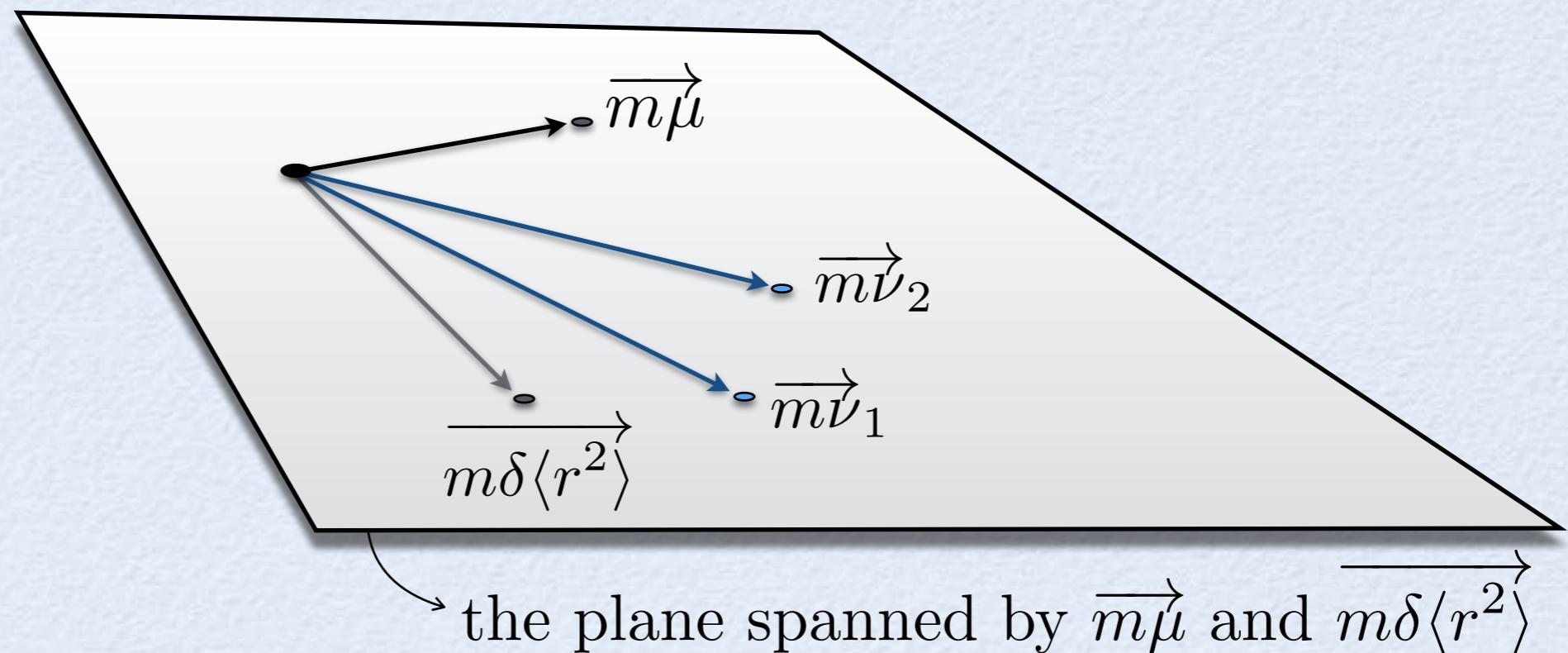
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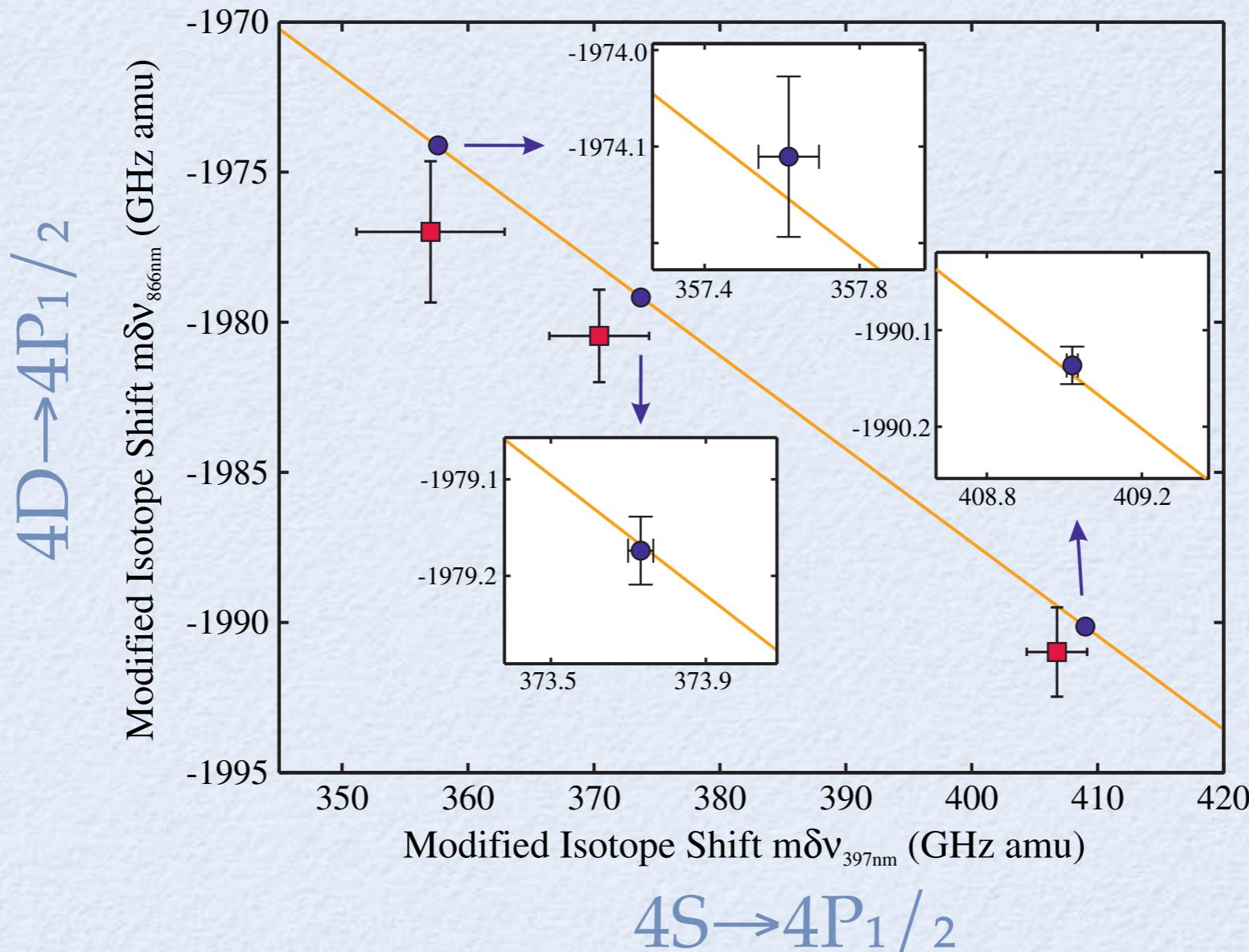
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testing factorization only by data

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existing isotope shift measurement of  $\text{Ca}^+$



Gebert et al. 2015

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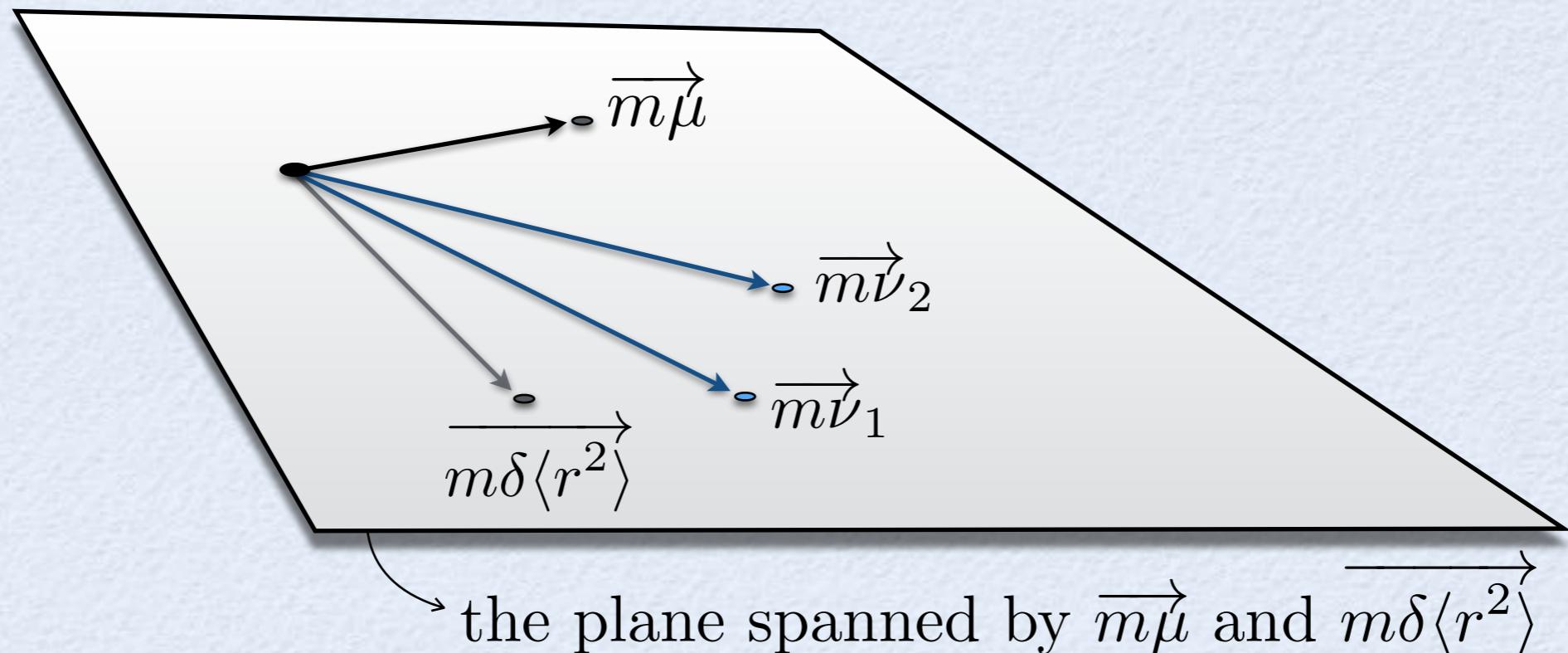
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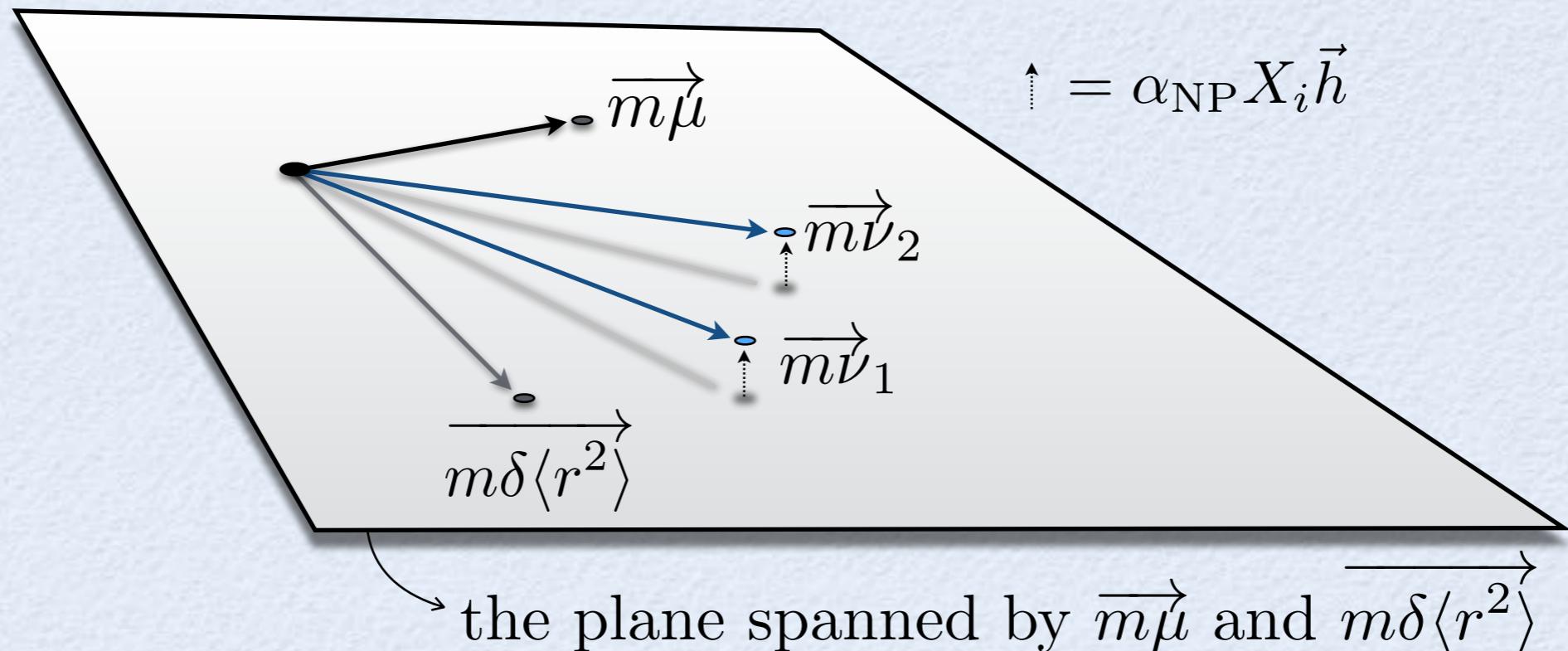
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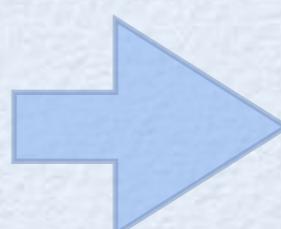
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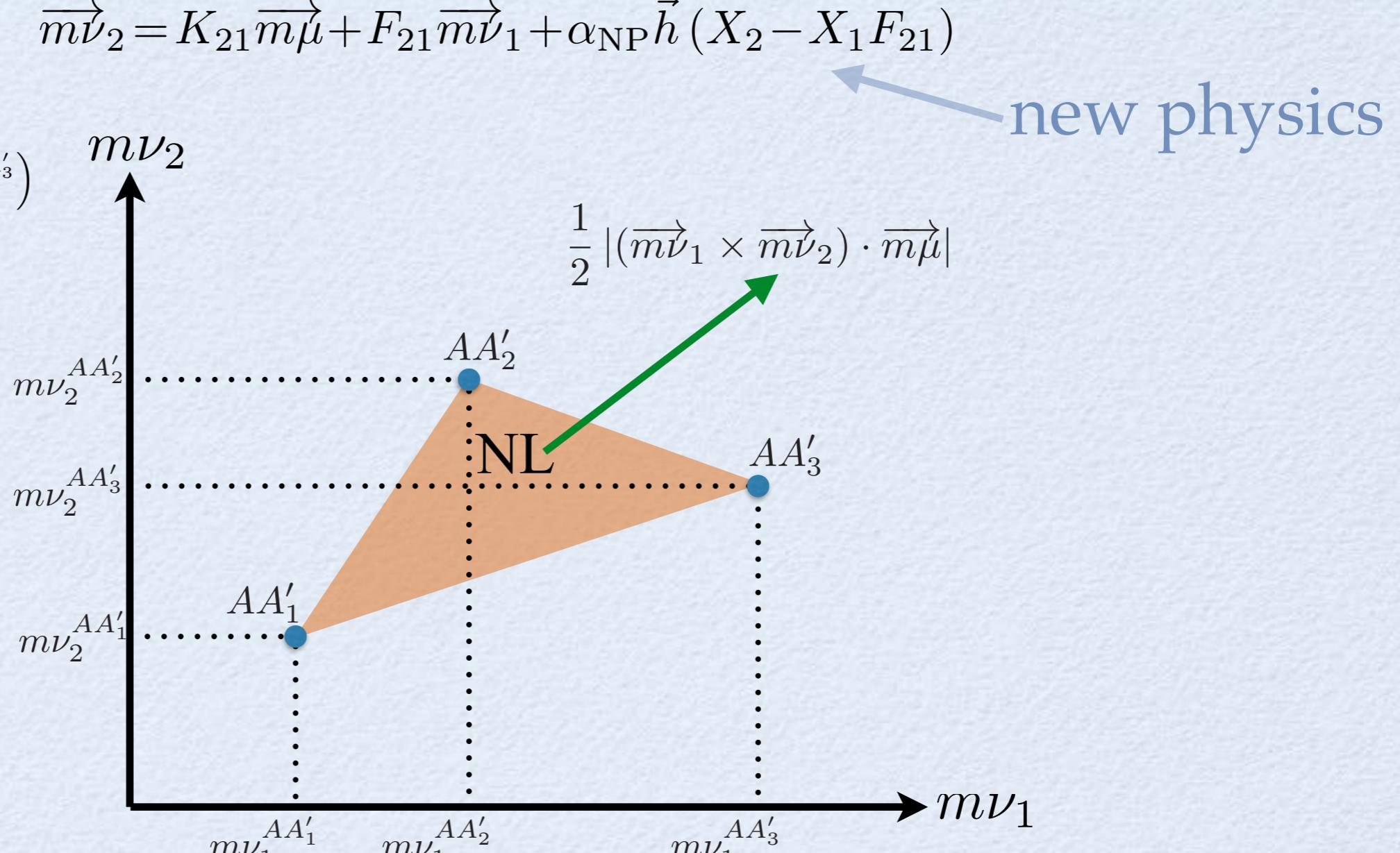
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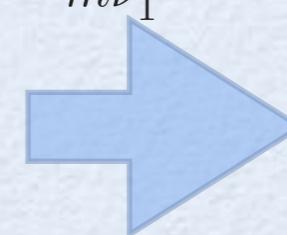
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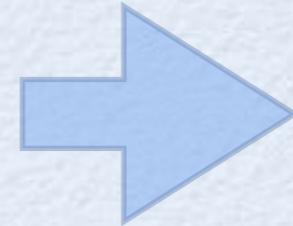
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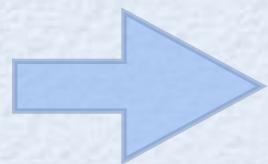
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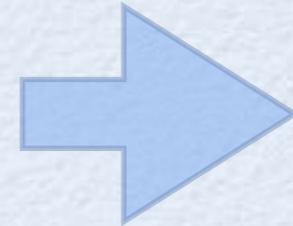
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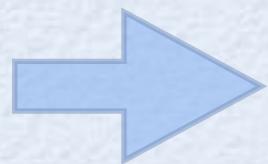
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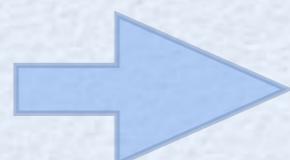


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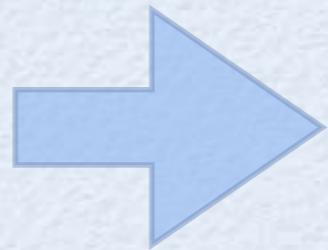
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constrain NP

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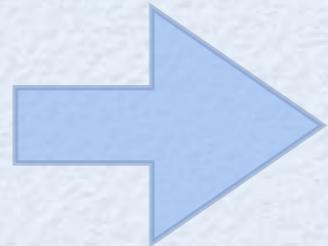
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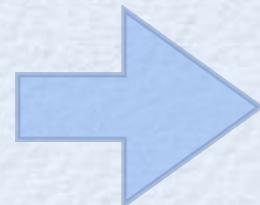
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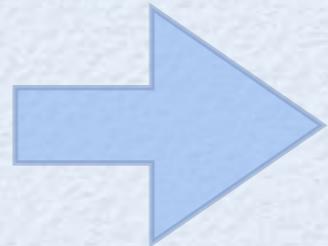
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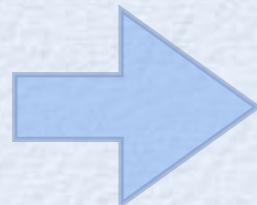
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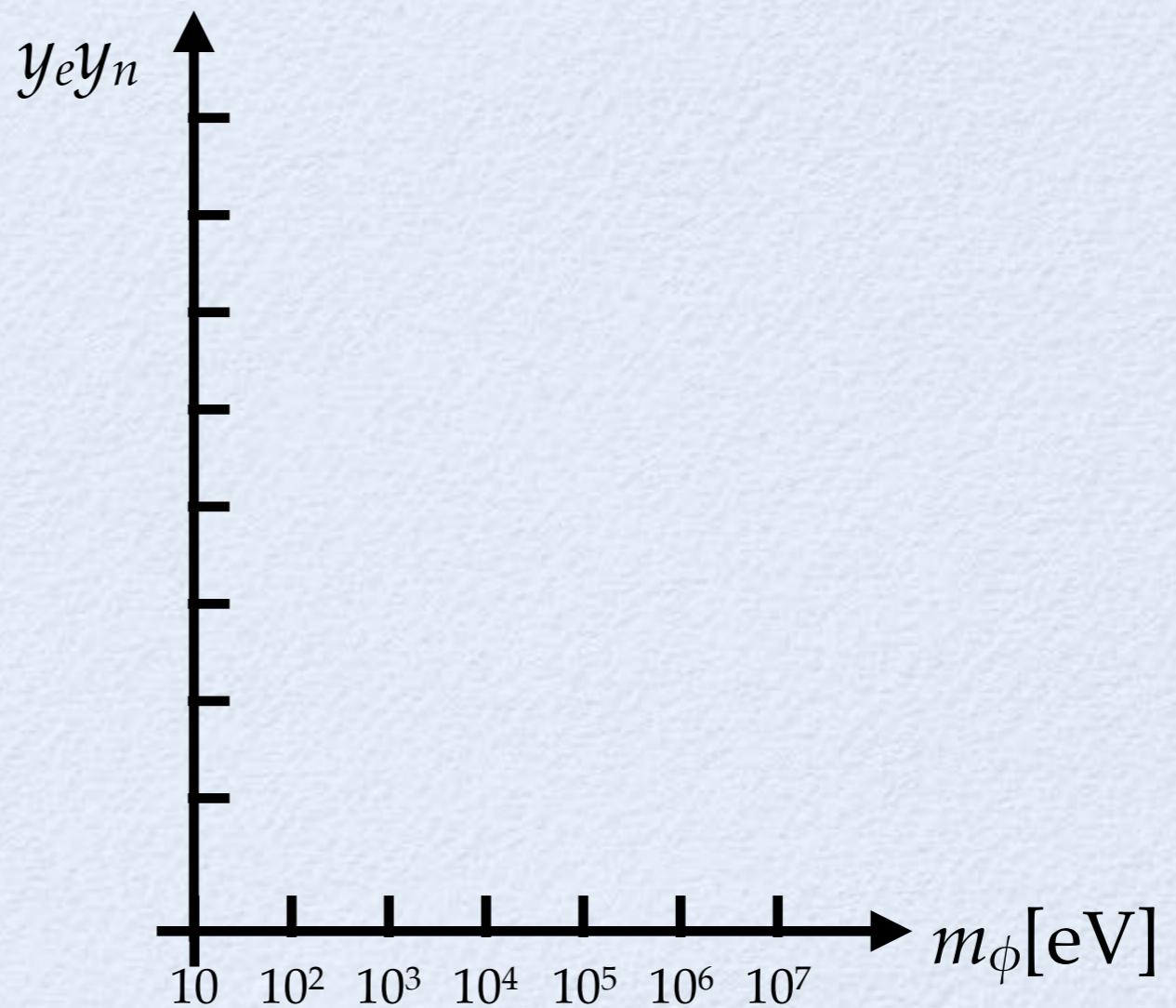
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$V_\phi(r) \sim$	$1/r$	$\exp(-m_\phi r)/r$	$\delta(r)/(m_\phi r)^2$
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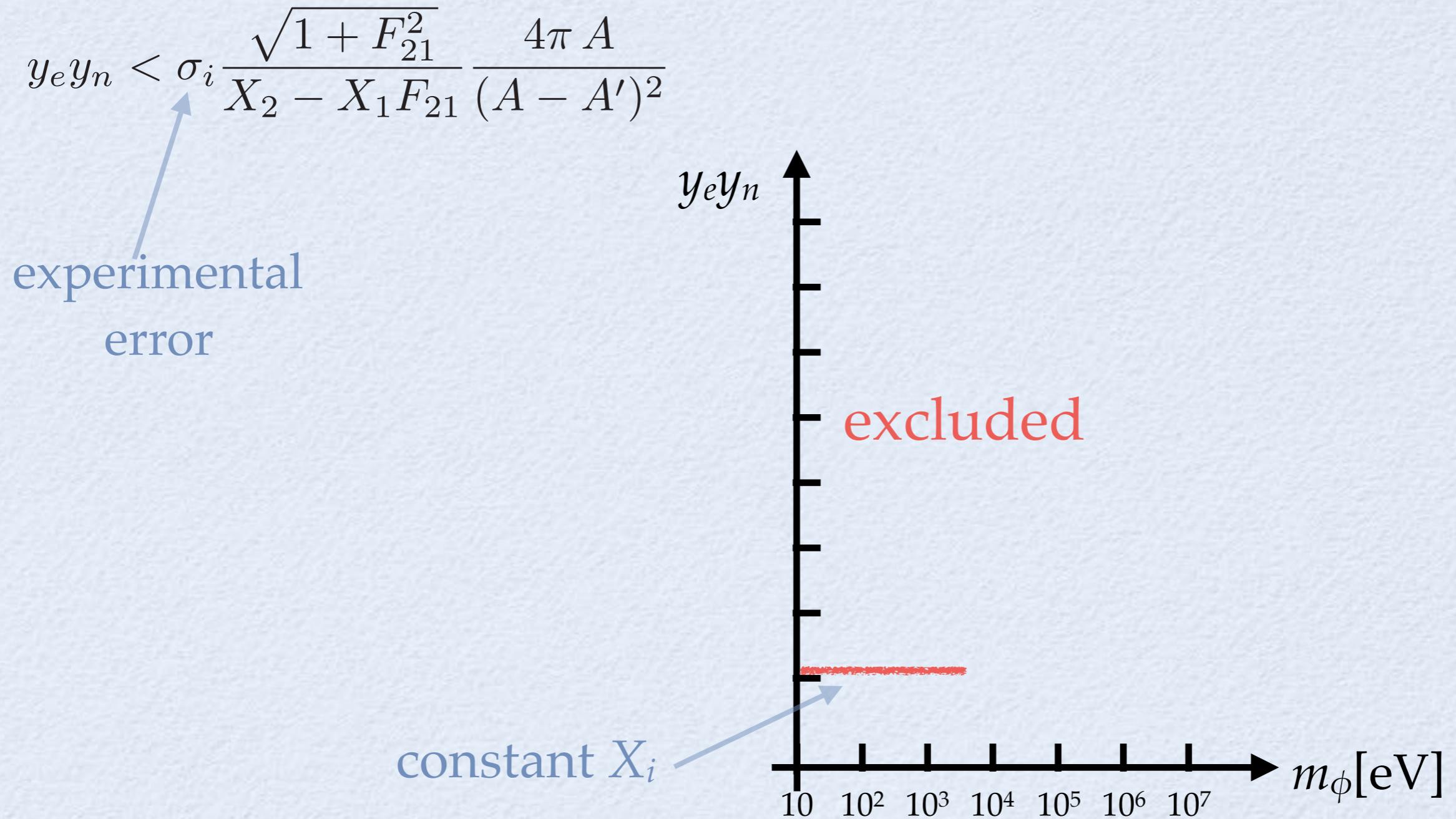
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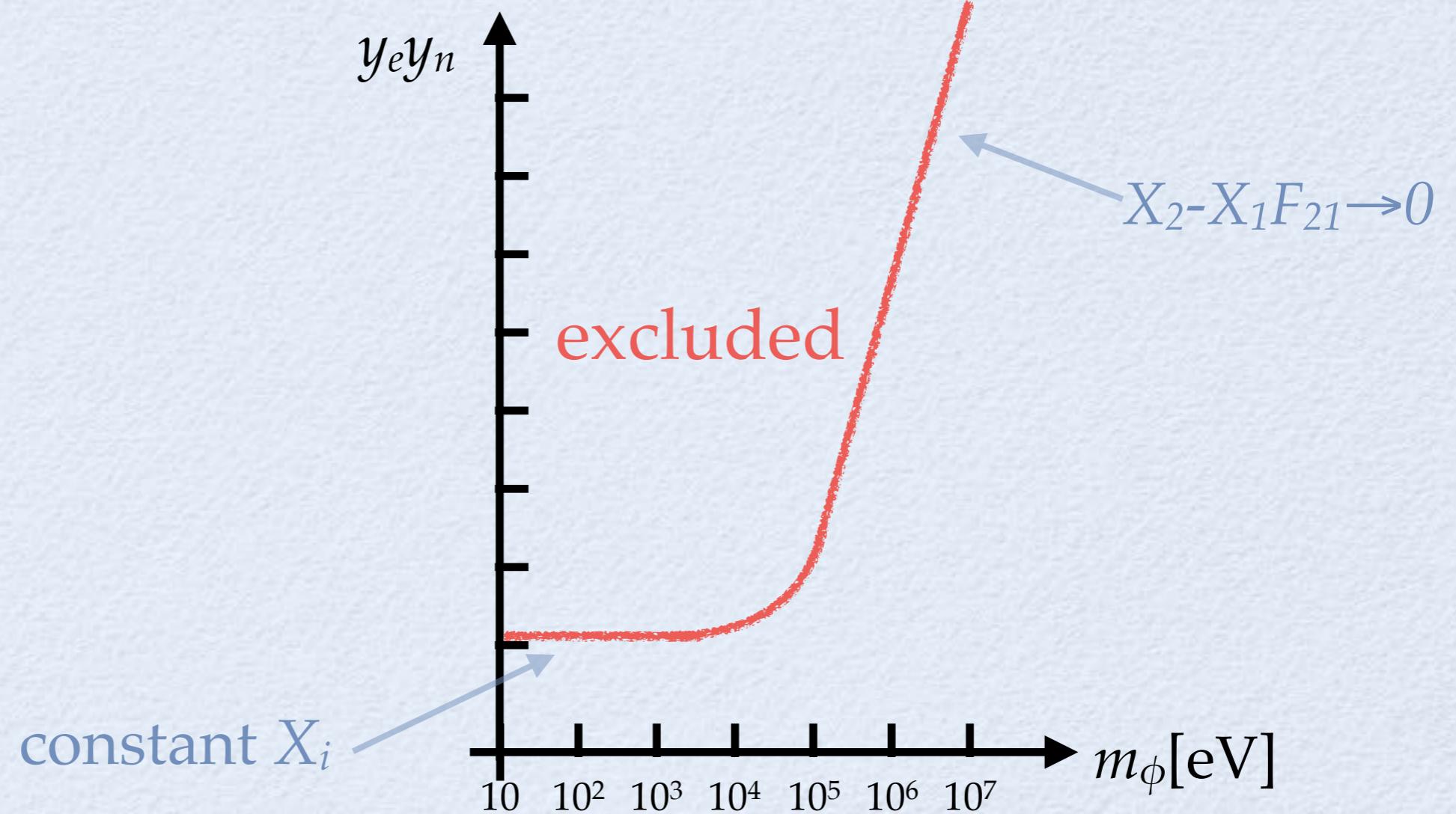
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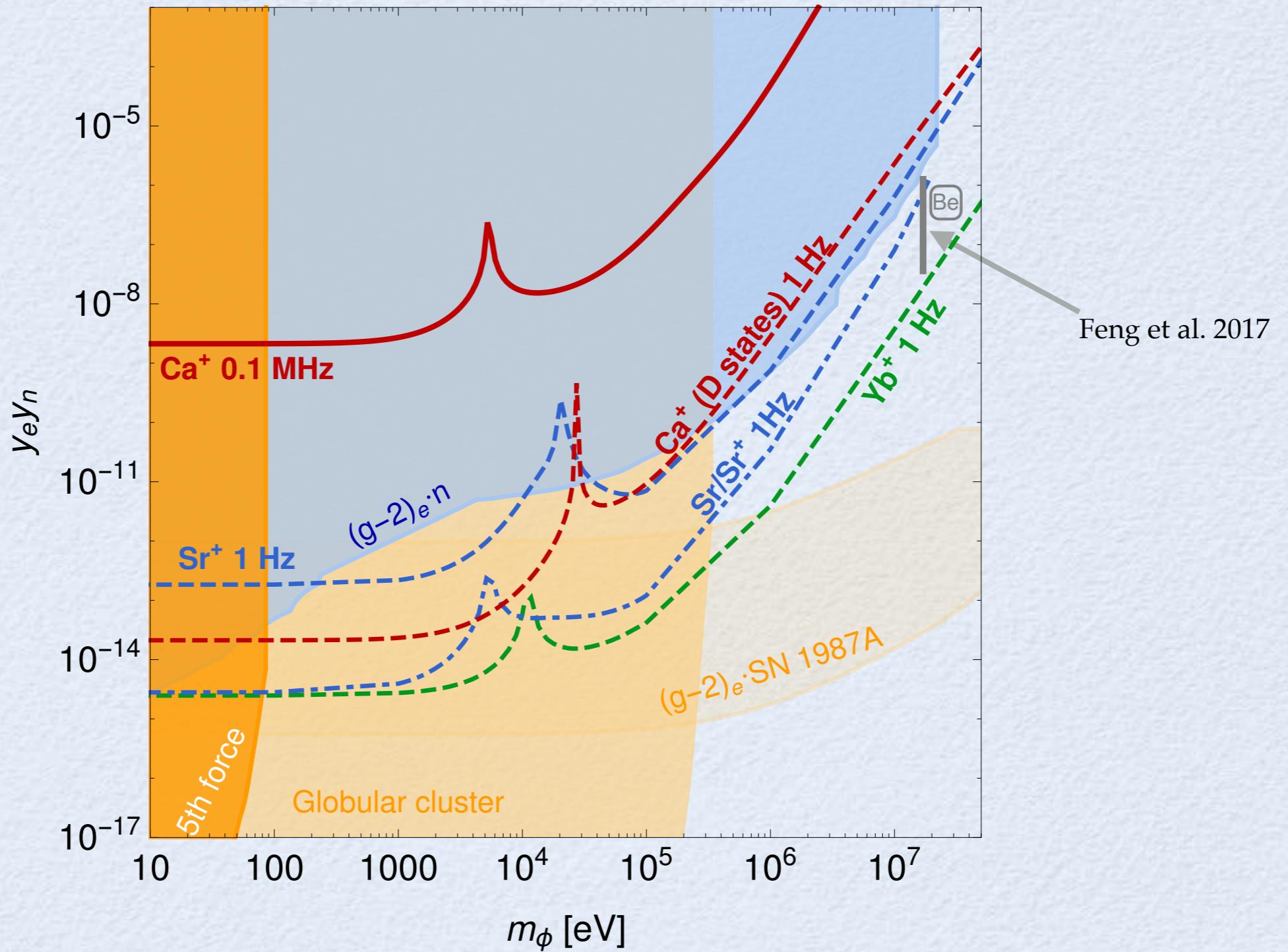
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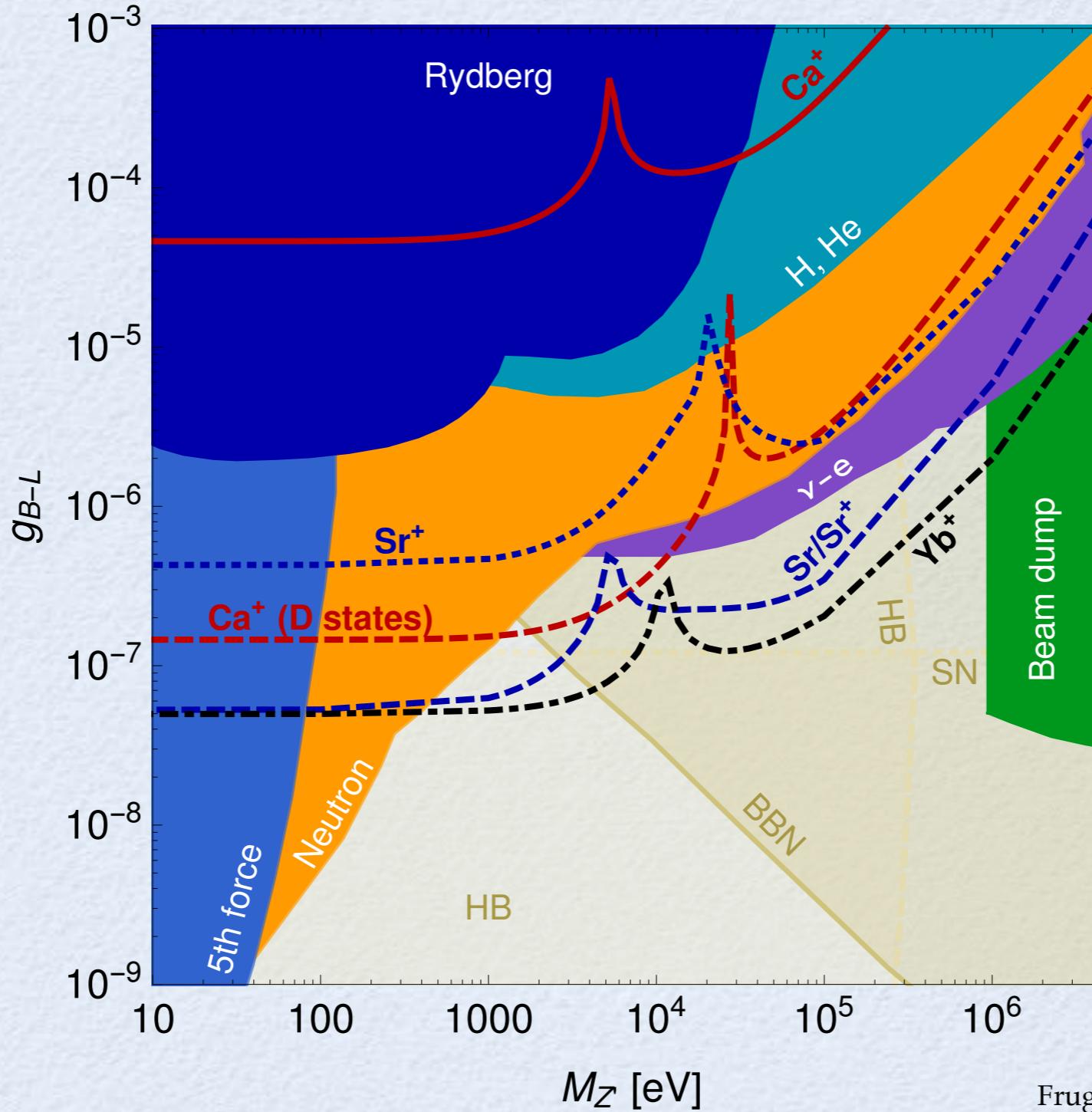
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  - **Sr<sup>+</sup>/Sr**:  $S \rightarrow P / S \rightarrow D_{5/2}$
  - **Yb<sup>+</sup>**:  $S \rightarrow D_{3/2} / S \rightarrow F_{7/2}$

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B-L:



few electrons atoms

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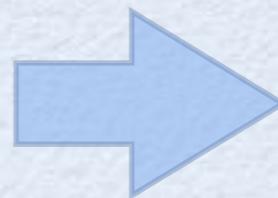
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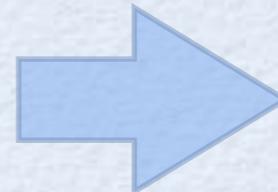
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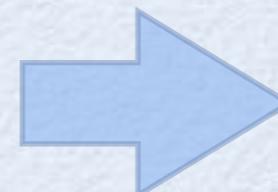
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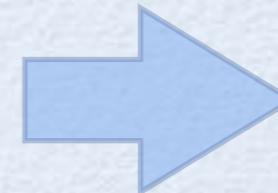
$y_e y_p, y_e y_n, y_e$

isotope shift  
(He3-He4, H-D)



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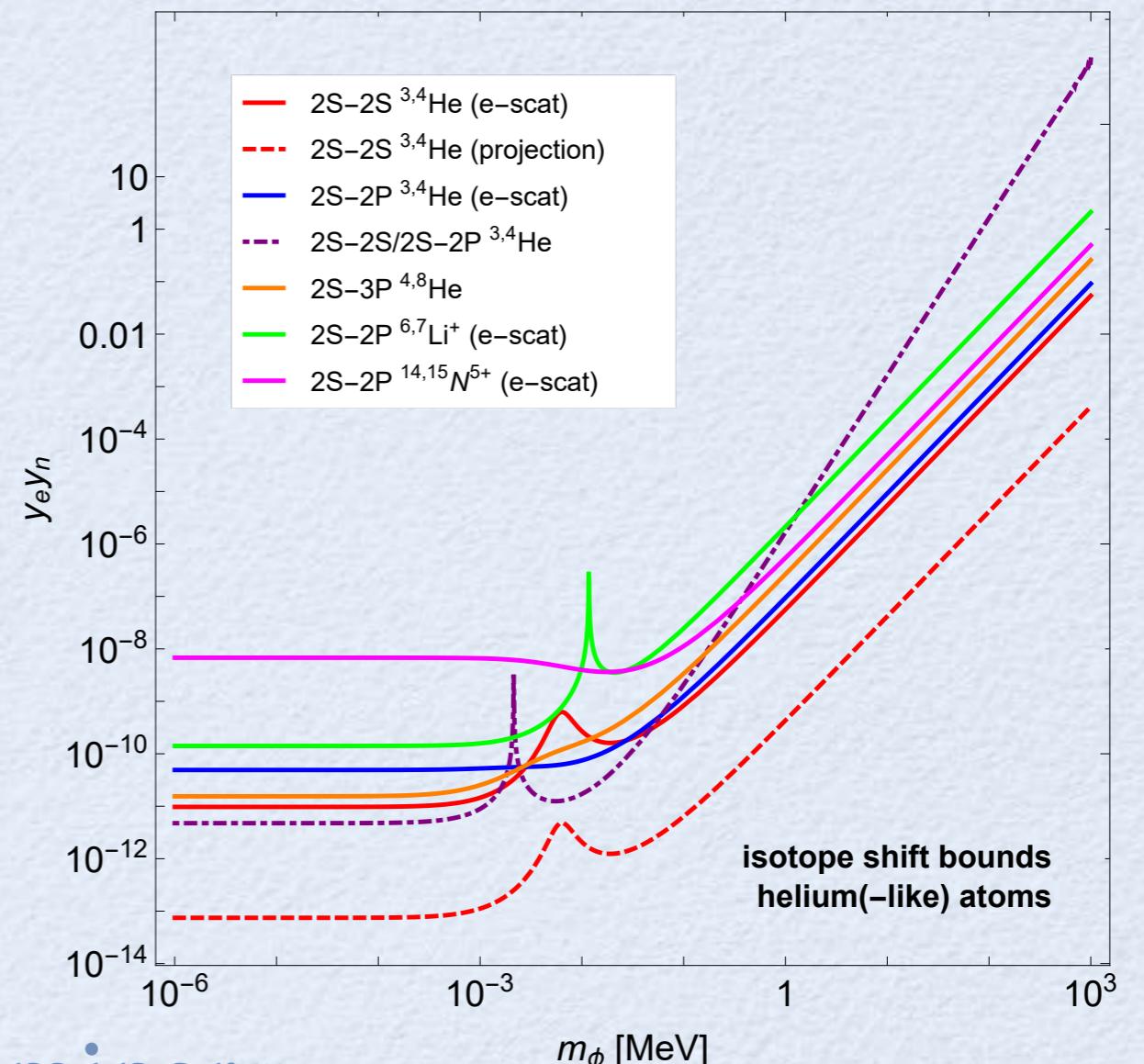


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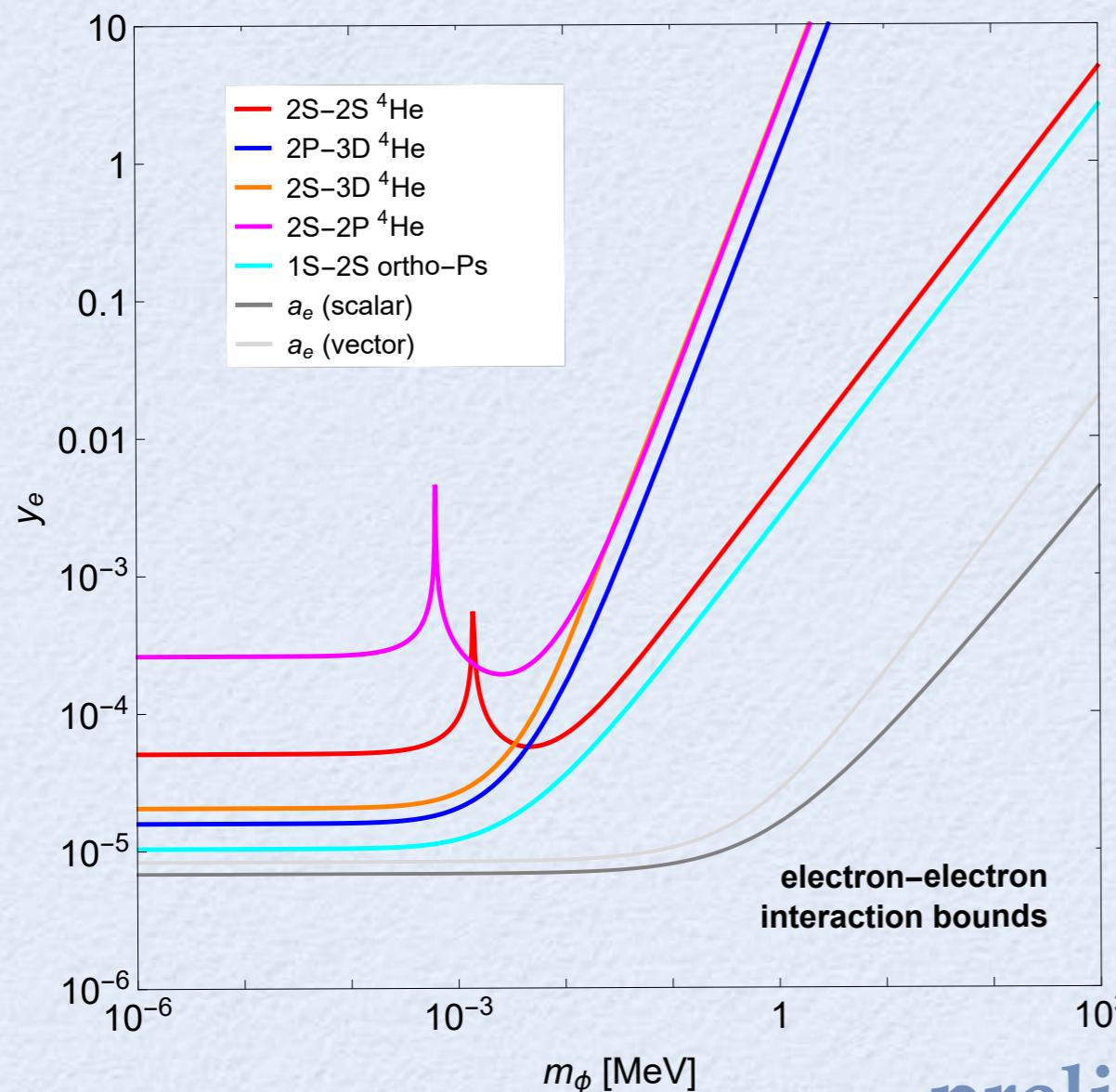
isotopes	transition	$\delta_{NP} \nu$	$\sigma_{\nu_{exp}}$	$\sigma_{\nu_0}$	$\sigma_{\delta \langle r^2 \rangle}$
${}^3\text{He}/{}^4\text{He}$	$2^1S - 2^3S$	$+9 \pm 14$	2.4	0.19	14
	$2^3P - 2S$	$-2 \pm 78$	3.3	0.9	78



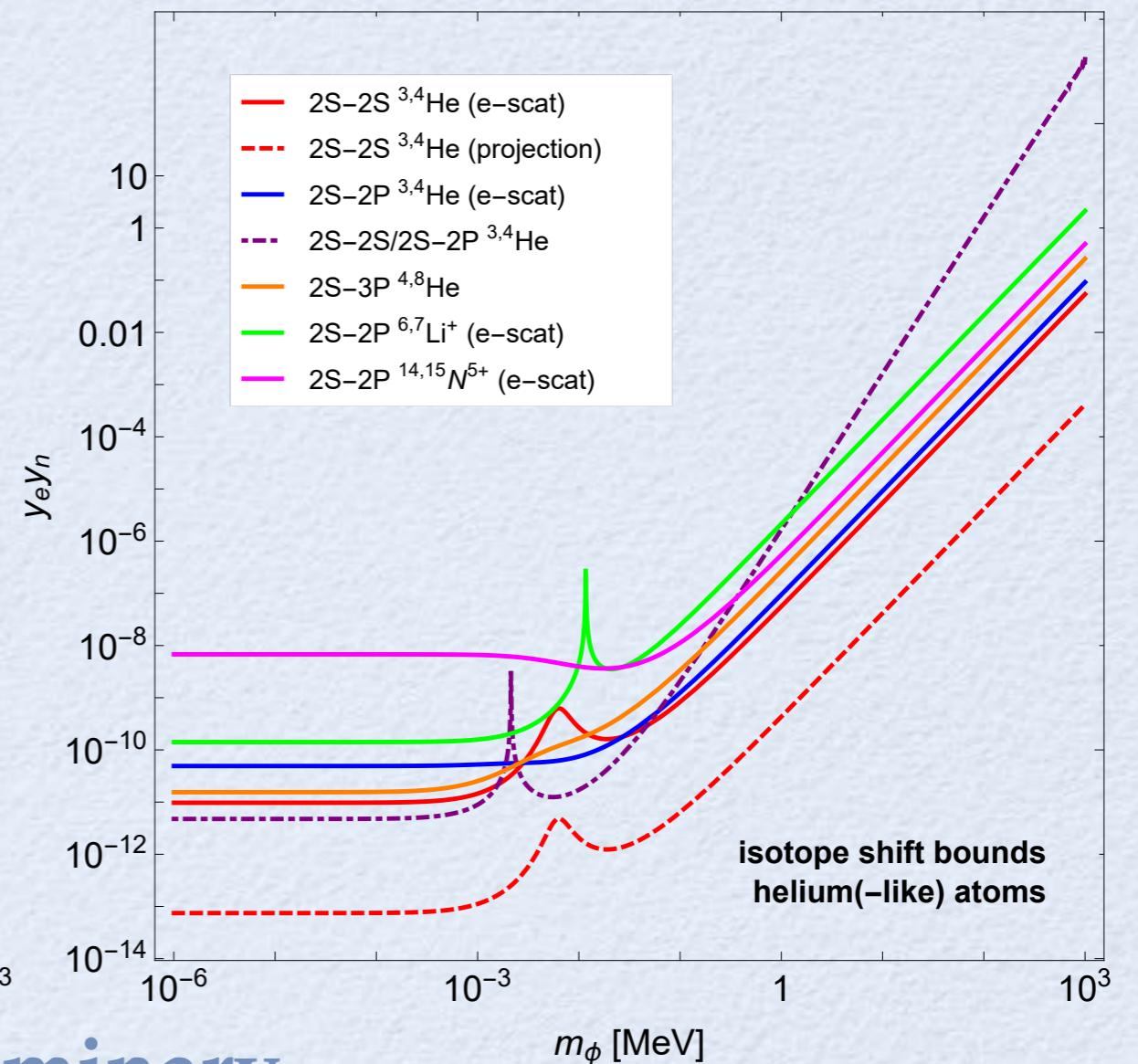
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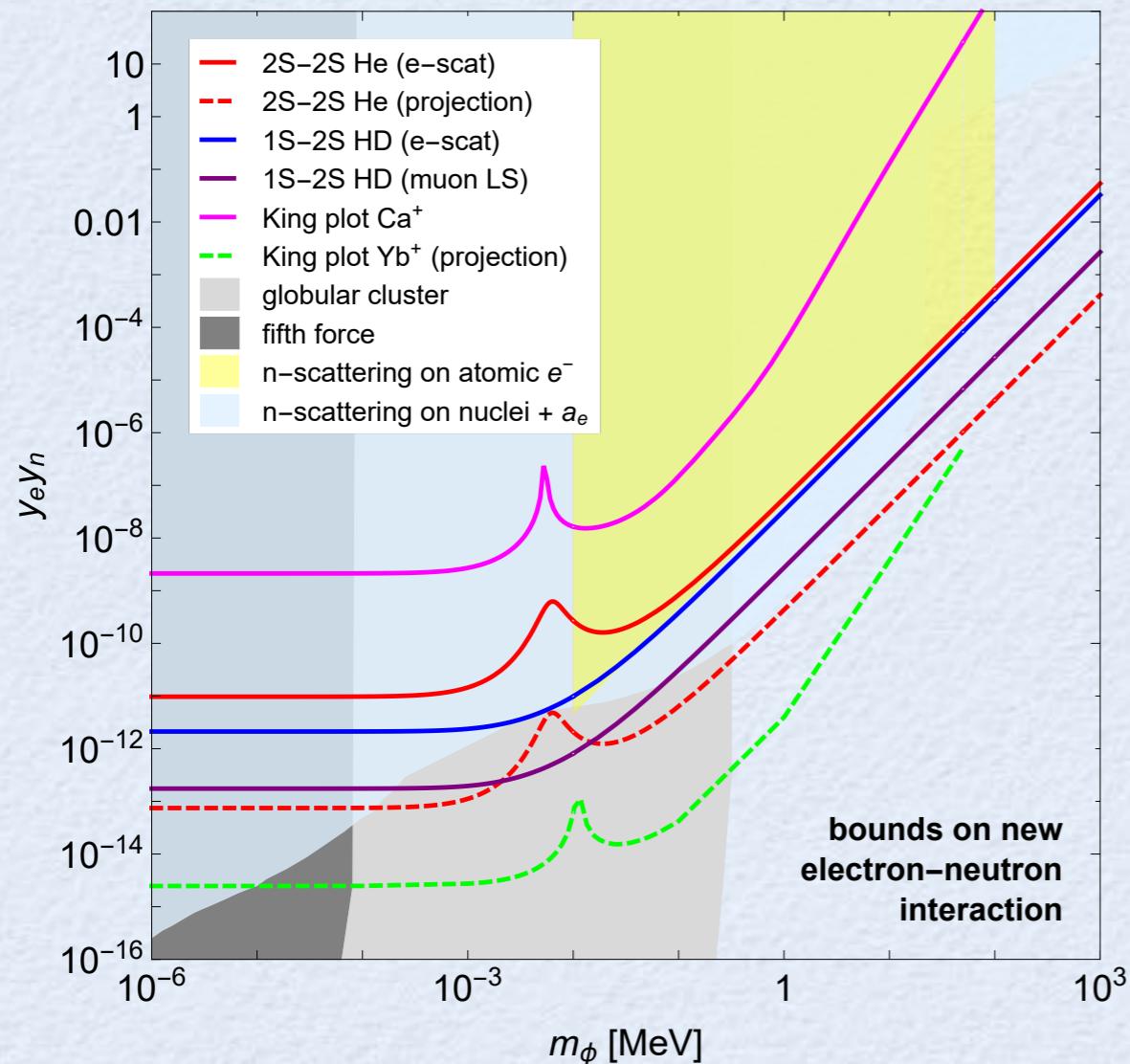


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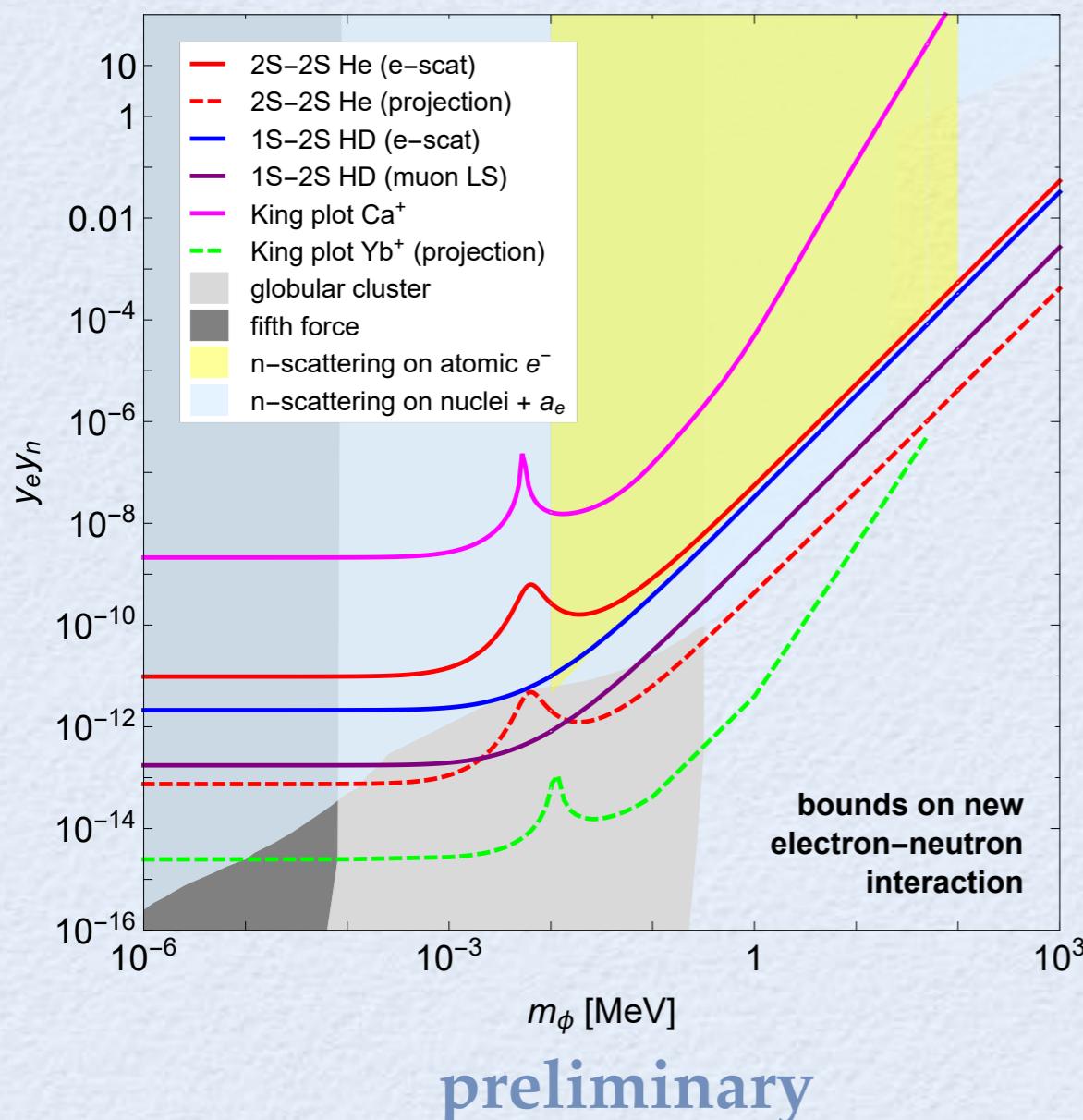


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- precision isotope spectroscopy can probe new light force-carriers with spin independent couplings to the electron and neutron
- King analysis has minimal theory inputs (“data-driven background”)
- current constraints from King analysis are weak - but future measurements may improve the state-of-the-art bounds

# BACKUP SLIDES

# $\beta\epsilon$ ANOMALY

