

High-energy ν and γ from winds and tori in active galactic nuclei

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NGC 1068

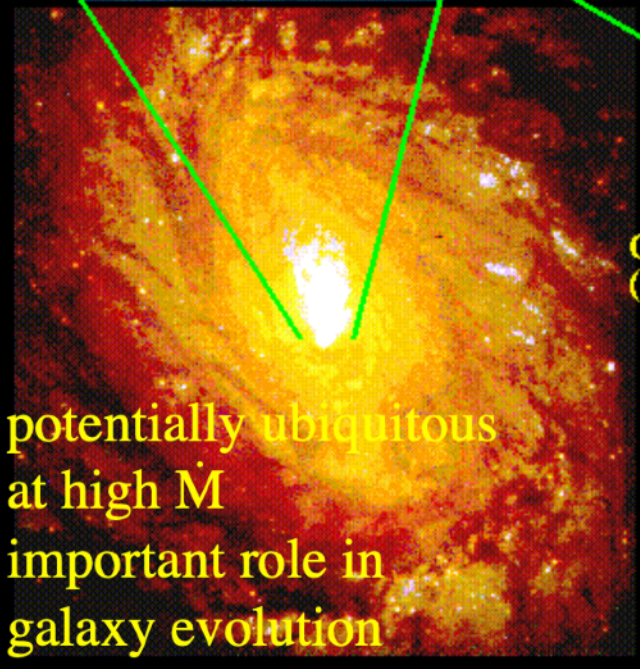
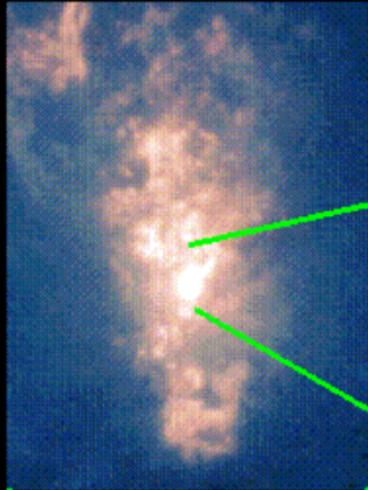
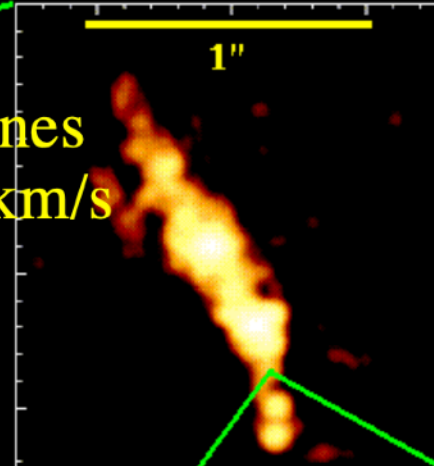
D~14 Mpc

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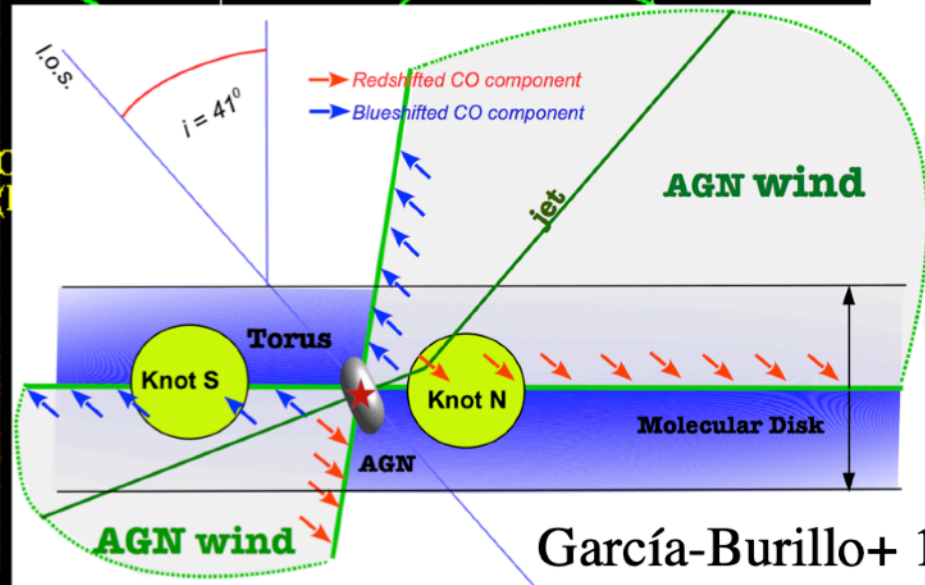
Nuclear reflection
cone (HST/FOC)

AGN wind:
UV/opt./IR lines
-> few 1000 km/s
at ~<kpc

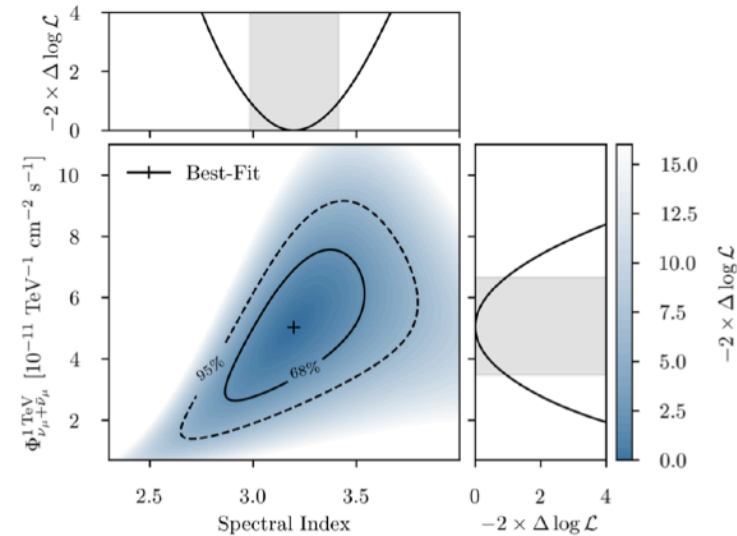
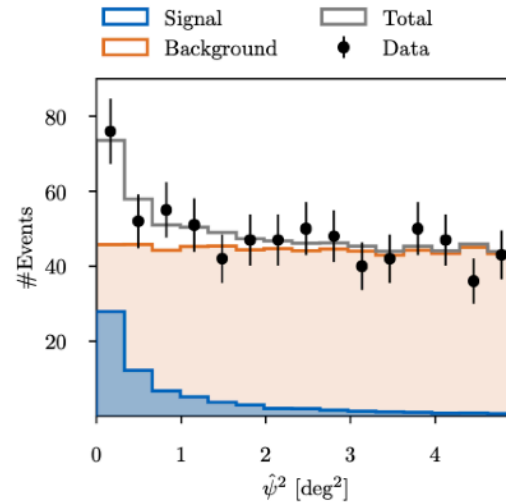
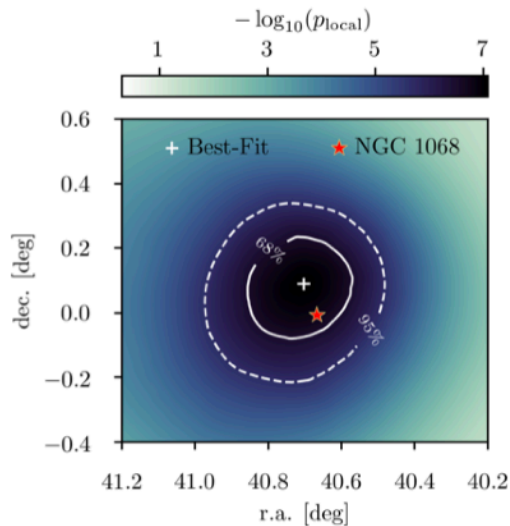
Radio jet
(MERLIN)
<kpc



potentially ubiquitous
at high M
important role in
galaxy evolution



ν AND γ FROM NGC 1068



GeV γ : exceeds starburst expectation \rightarrow AGN origin?

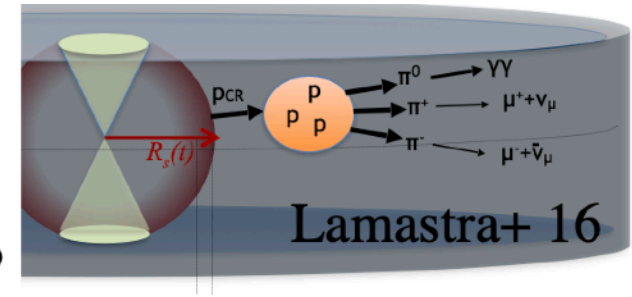
Yoast-Hull+ 14, Eichmann & Becker Tjus 16

TeV γ : upper limits rule out low $\tau_{\gamma\gamma}$ environments

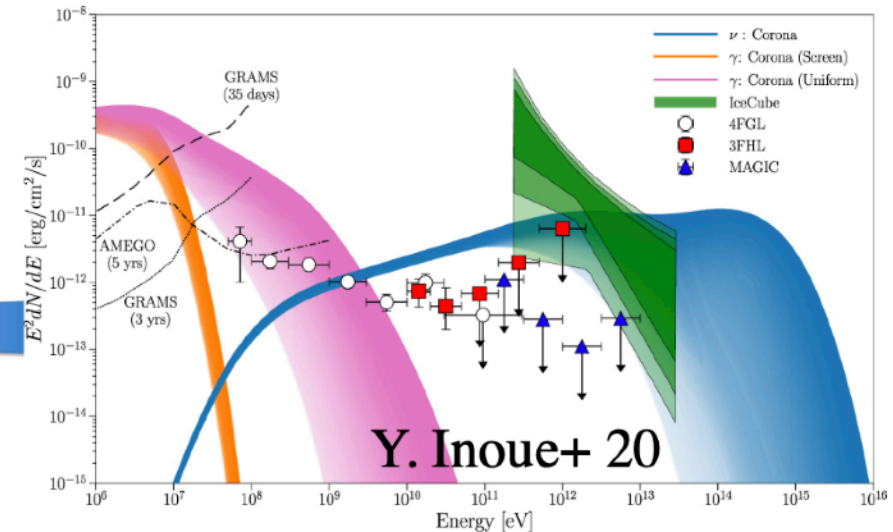
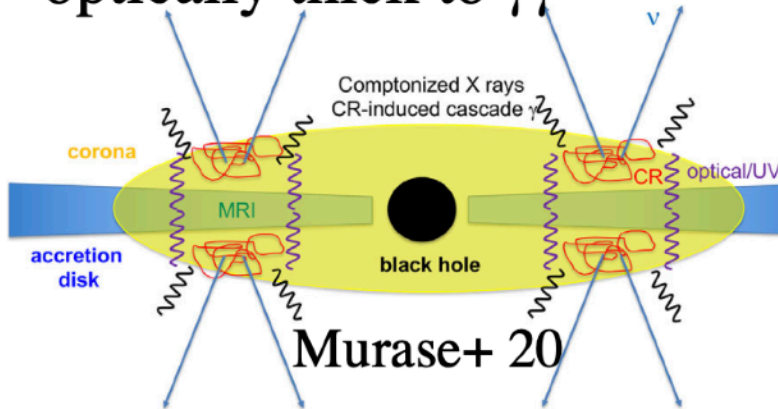
MAGIC Col. 19

ν AND γ FROM NGC 1068

AGN wind kpc-scale ext. shock?
 -> ruled out by TeV upper limits



hot coronal regions of accretion disks?
 pp+ $p\gamma$ in compact regions
 optically thick to $\gamma\gamma$

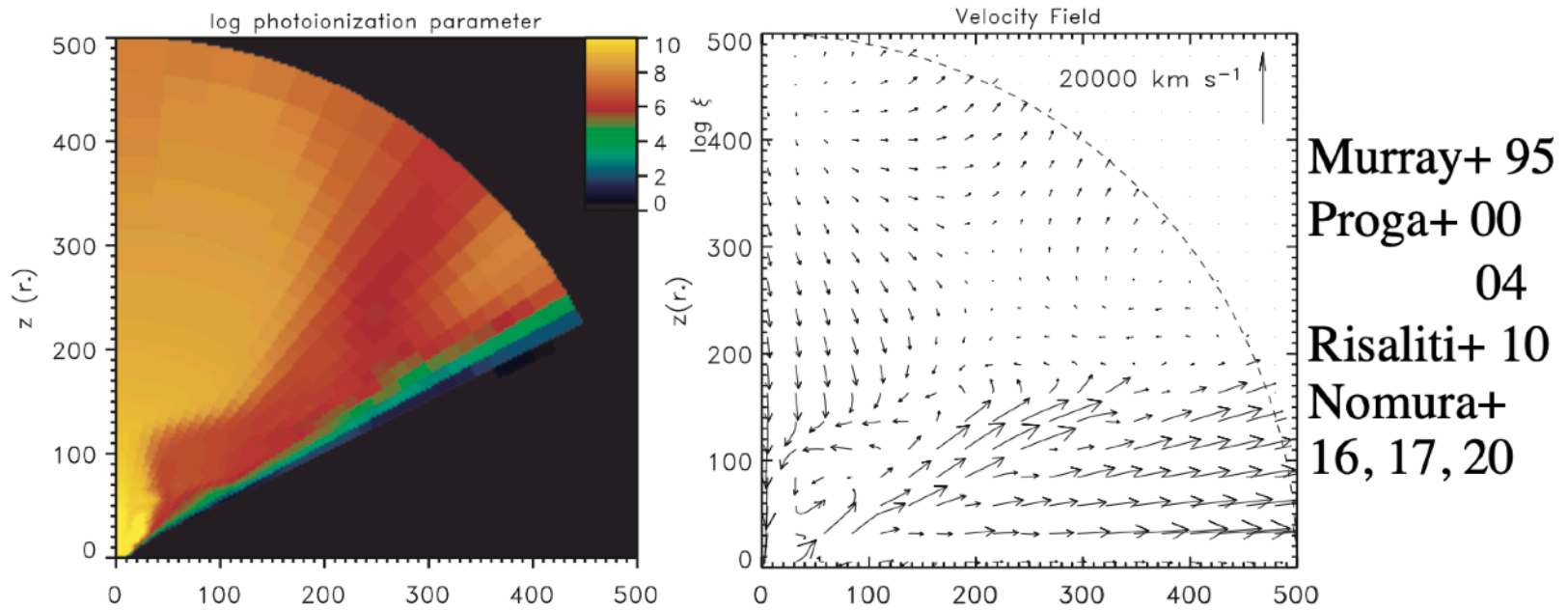


issues:

- acceleration in corona robust?
- origin of GeV γ rays?
- cascade at \ll MeV?

- > this study:
- shock accel. in winds
- inner $p\gamma$ + outer pp
- evaluate down to radio

LINE DRIVEN WINDS: SUCCESSFUL vs FAILED



Murray+ 95
 Proga+ 00
 04
 Risaliti+ 10
 Nomura+
 16, 17, 20

- high L_{UV} \rightarrow enhanced p_{rad} for metal line transitions \rightarrow outflow
- high L_{X} \rightarrow inner R: overionization, p_{rad} loss \rightarrow failed wind ($v < v_{\text{esc}}$, fallback)
- outer R: shielding \rightarrow successful wind ($v > v_{\text{esc}}$, mainly equatorial)
- failed winds expected for moderate/high \dot{M} , inc. NGC 1068 \rightarrow X-ray obscurers, BLR, soft X excess? Giustini & Proga 19
- outflow + fallback \rightarrow shock formation? high P? Sim+ 10

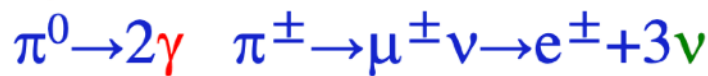
p- γ ν AND γ FROM INNER REGION

inner failed winds -> “internal” shocks -> proton acceleration



$$E_p \varepsilon_\gamma \sim 10^{17} \text{ eV}^2$$

$$E_\nu \sim 1 \text{ TeV}$$



$$E_\nu \sim 0.05 E_{p,CR}$$

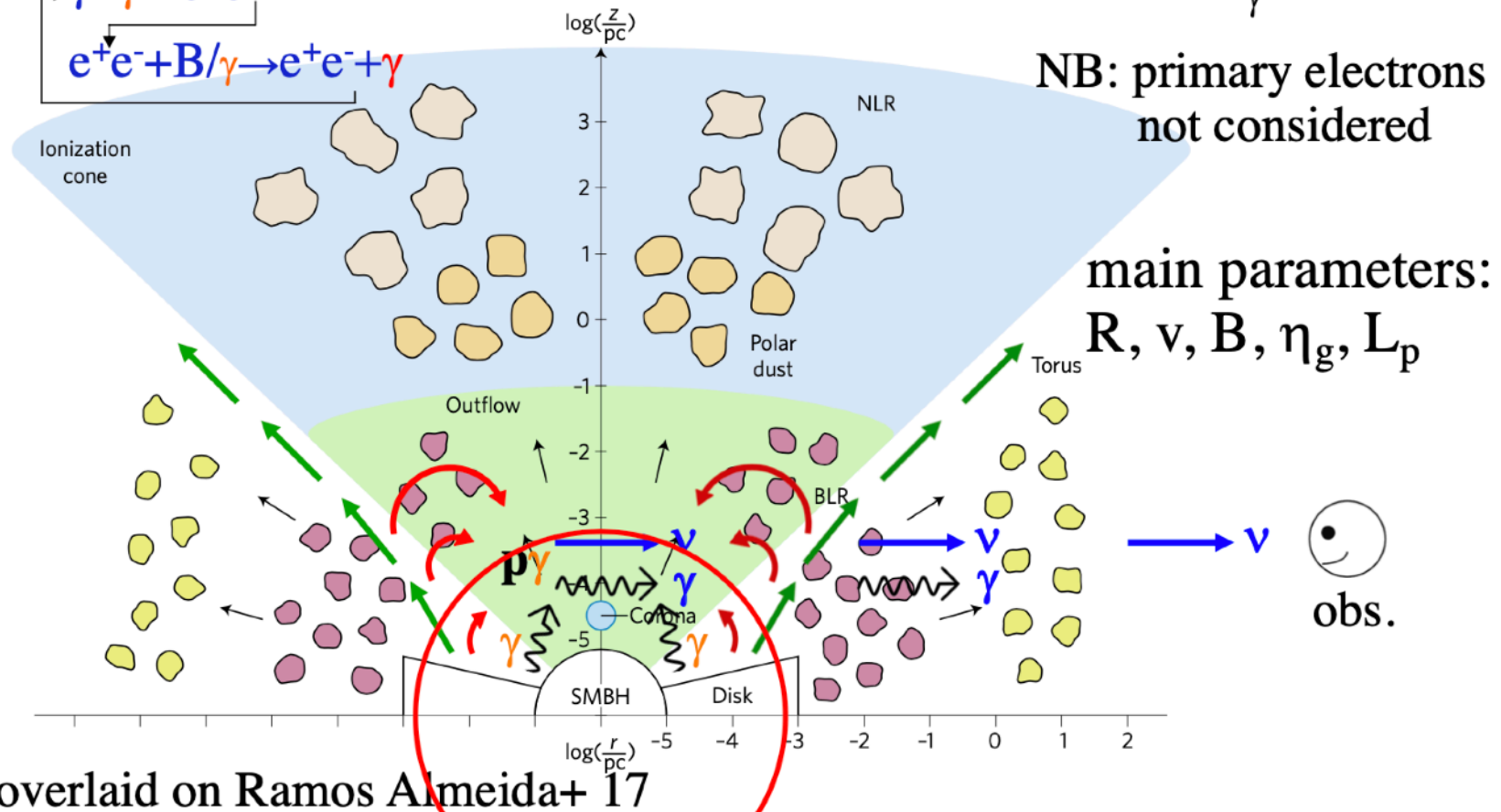
$$E_p \sim 20 \text{ TeV}$$

$$+ \varepsilon_\gamma \sim 7 \text{ keV}$$

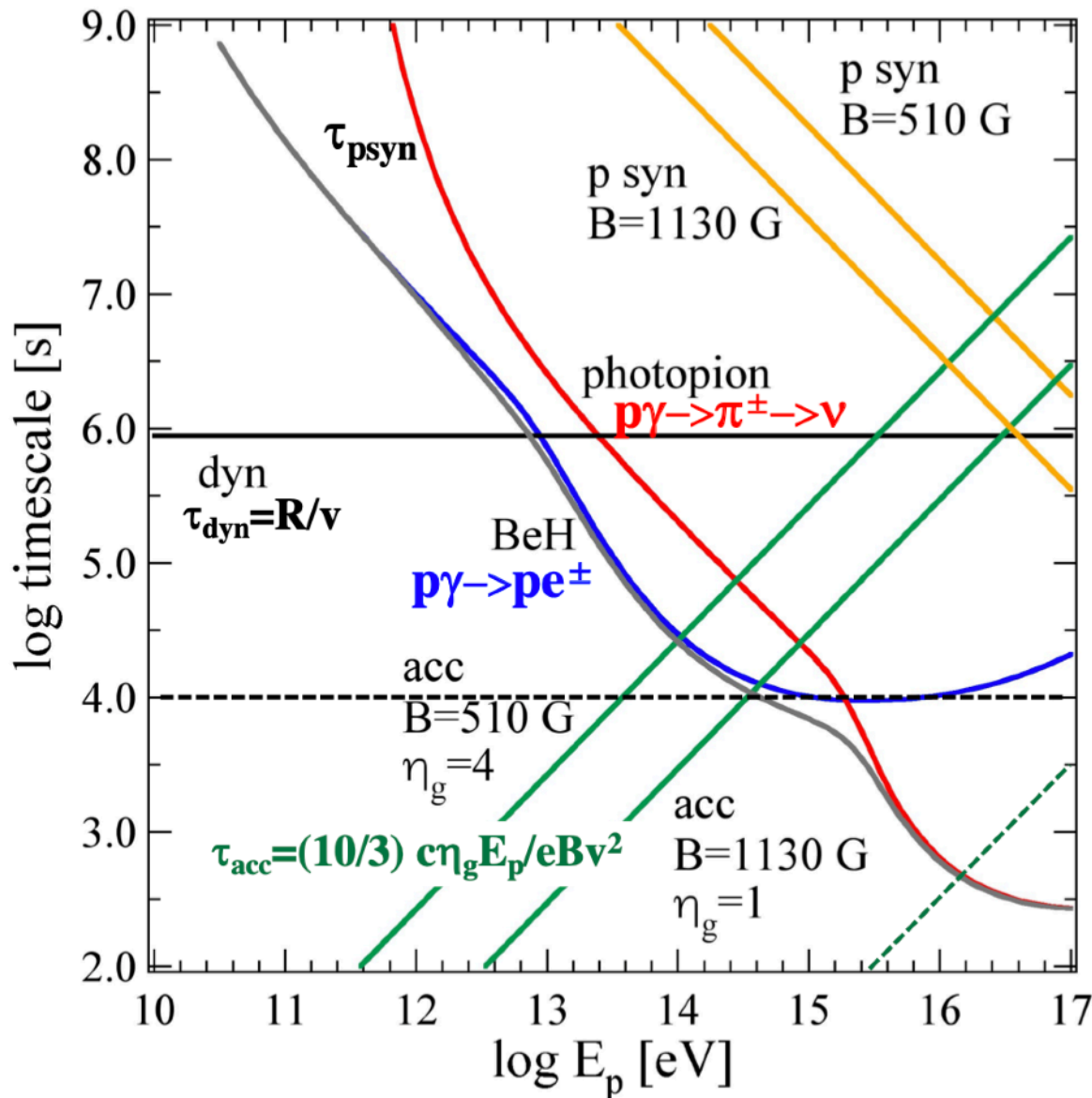


NB: primary electrons not considered

main parameters:
R, v, B, η_g , L_p



INNER REGION TIMESCALES



$R = 10R_s = 0.9 \times 10^{14}$ cm
 $B = 510$ G

($\epsilon_B = 0.1$ for
 $L_{\text{fw}} = 3 \times 10^{44}$ erg/s)

$v = 1000$ km/s \rightarrow

$E_{p,br} \propto Rv \sim 20$ TeV

$E_{p,max} \propto B^{1/2} R^{1/2} v$
 ~ 100 TeV

NB $v \ll v_{\text{esc}} \sim 0.3c$
 \leftrightarrow failed wind

$v \sim v_{\text{esc}} \sim 0.3c$

$\rightarrow E_{p,br} \sim 400$ TeV

$E_{p,max} \sim 10$ PeV

ON LeHa

Radiative lepto-hadronic code to model *blazar* SEDs

Photo-meson interactions computed running SOPHIA on the fly

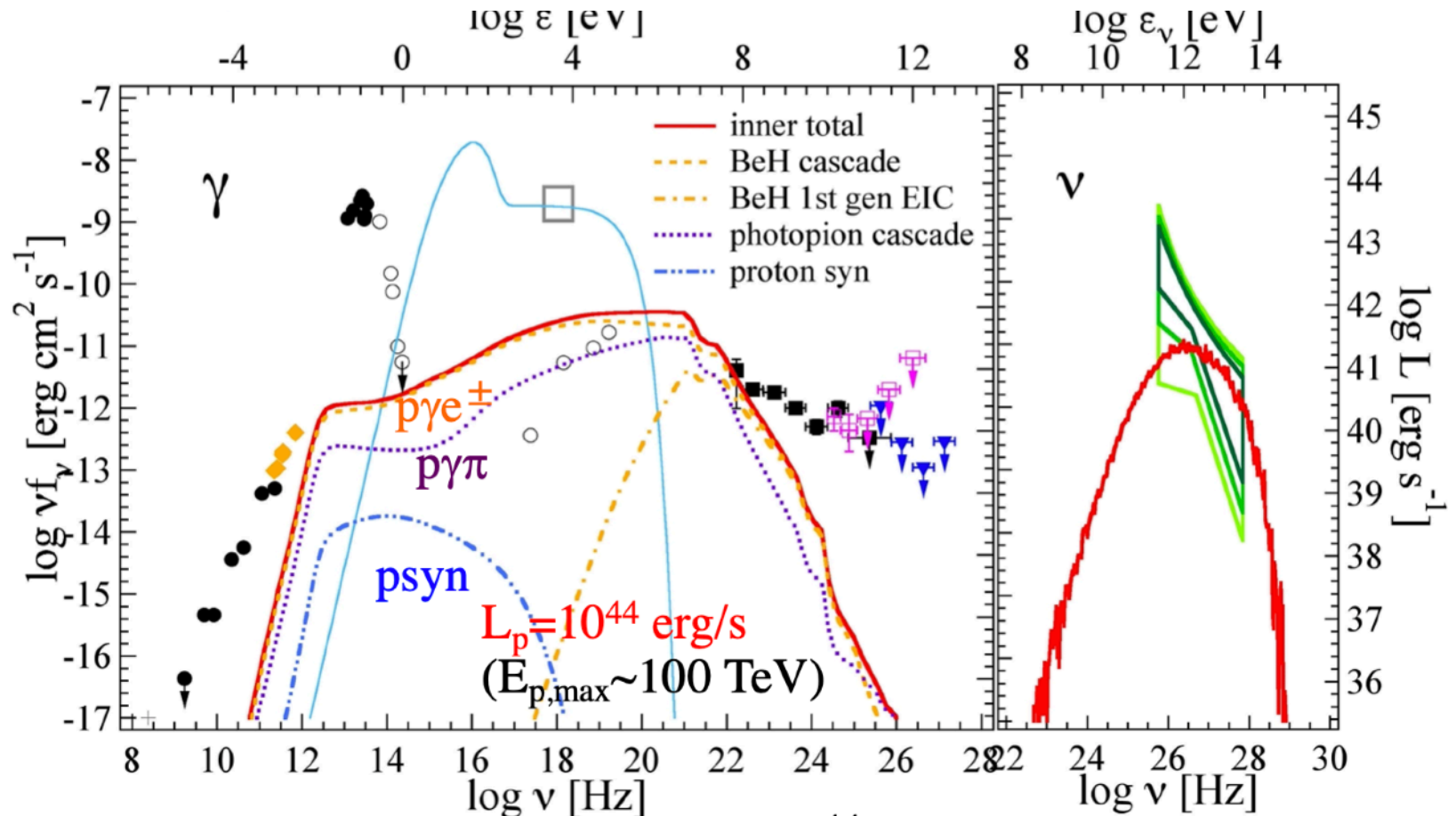
Code description with application to extreme blazars in [2015](#)

Recently extended to work with *any* arbitrary external field

For this work, added p-p following Kelner&Aharonian

- > Two spherical emitting regions, slowly moving.
Proton distribution self-consistently computed from cooling time-scales (in practice, run LeHa twice).

INNER REGION EMISSION

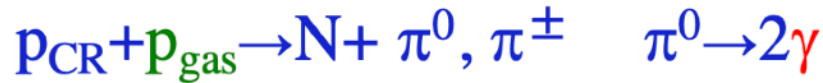


- ν : reasonable wrt IceCube if $L_p \sim 10^{44}$ erg/s
- γ : EM cascade (mostly $p\gamma e^\pm$) consistent wrt available MWL
- $\gamma\gamma$ attenuated by disk UV-X $> \sim$ MeV but non-negligible $\sim <$ GeV prominent at (keV-)MeV \rightarrow for future instruments

p-p ν AND γ FROM OUTER REGION

outer successful wind + torus impact
 -> external shock -> proton acceleration

c.f. García-Burillo+ 19



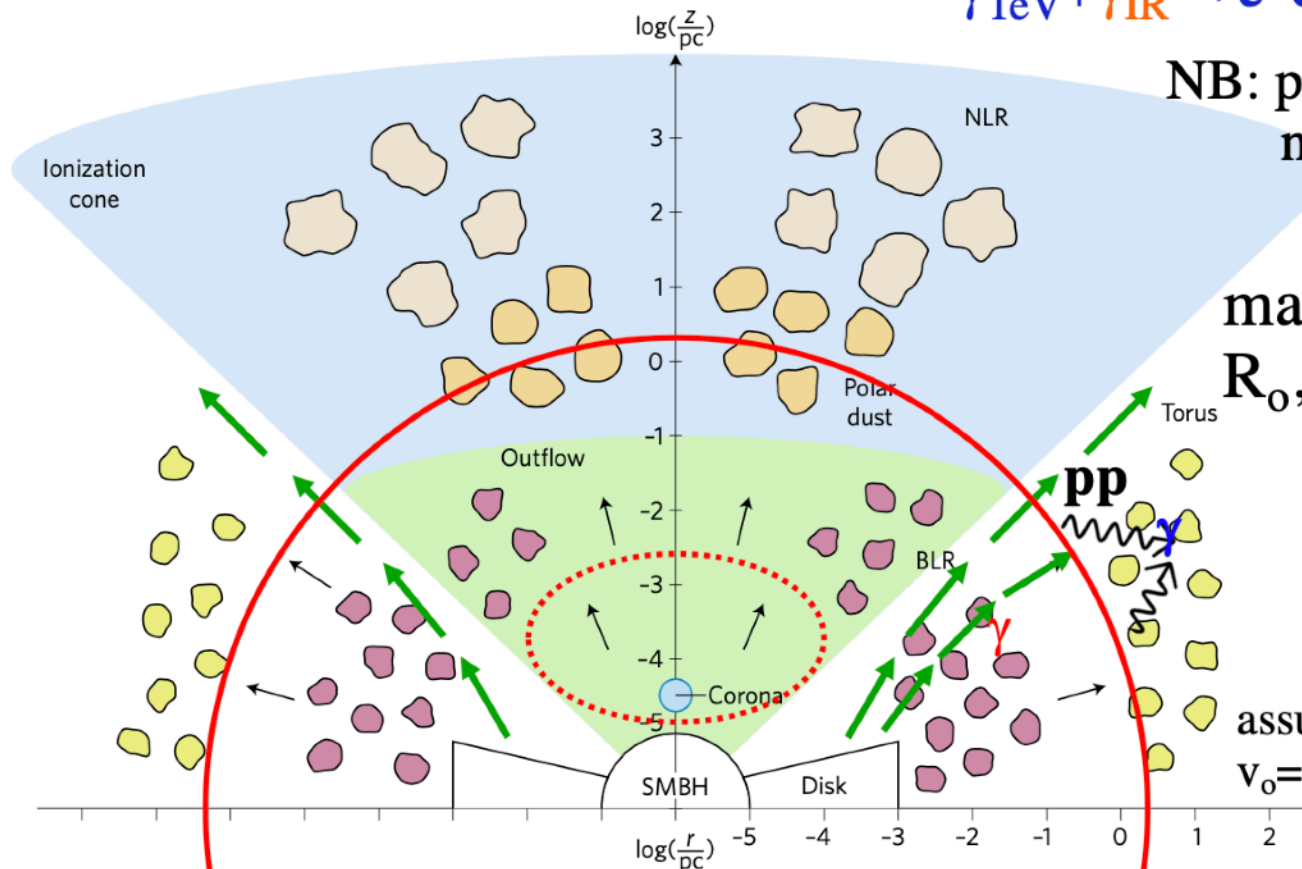
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main parameters:
 $R_o, n_o, B_o, L_{p,o}$

GeV γ

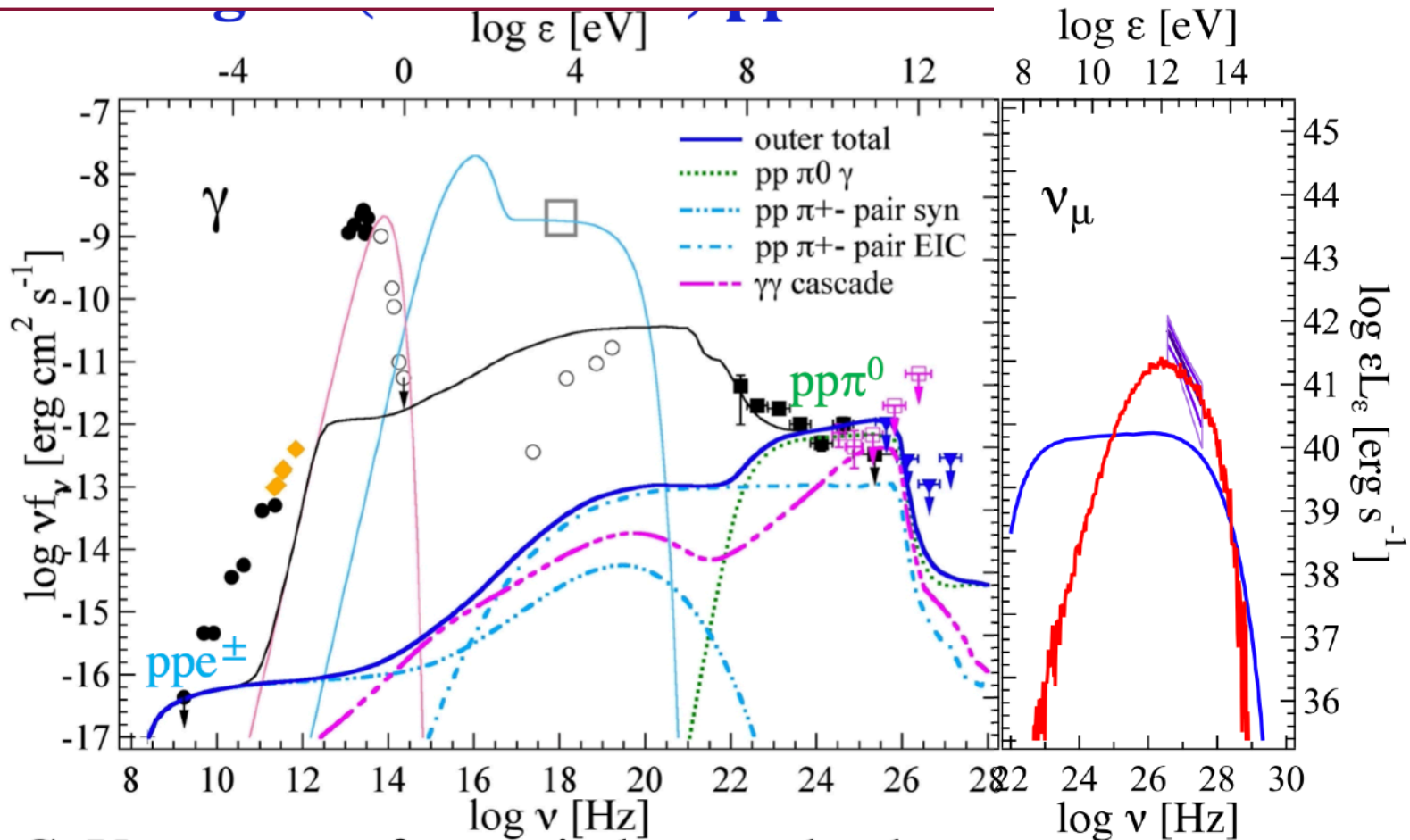


assume
 $v_o = 5000 \text{ km/s}, \eta_{g,o} = 10$



overlaid on Ramos Almeida+ 17

OUTER REGION EMISSION

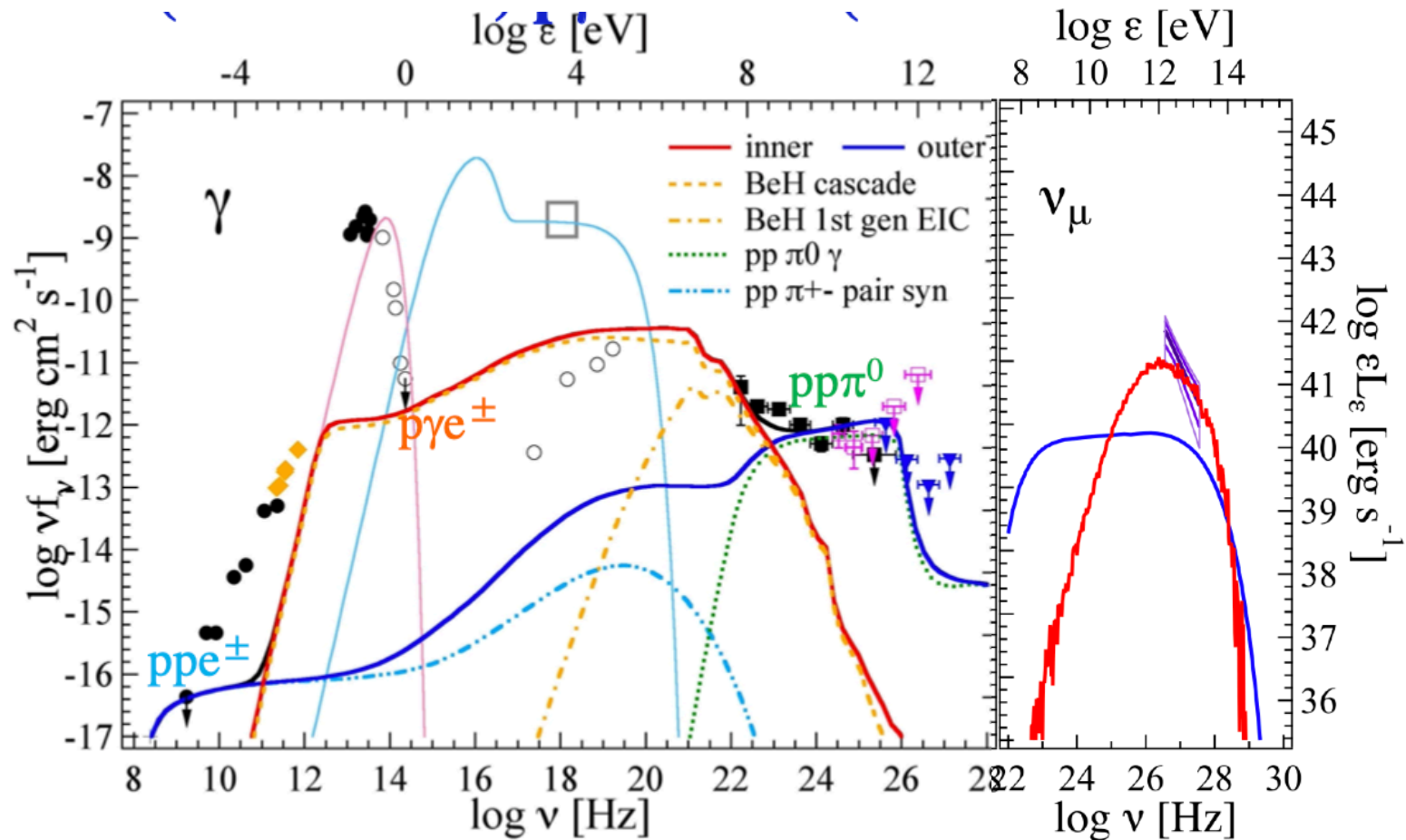


- GeV: pp γ -rays from wind-torus shock
- TeV: $\gamma\gamma$ attenuated by torus IR
- potential contribution to radio

also e.g. Circinus
Fermi UFO sample?

$$R_{\text{tor}}=0.1 \text{ pc}, n_{\text{tor}}=10^6 \text{ cm}^{-3}, B_{\text{tor}}=7 \text{ mG}, L_p=2.6 \times 10^{42} \text{ erg/s}$$

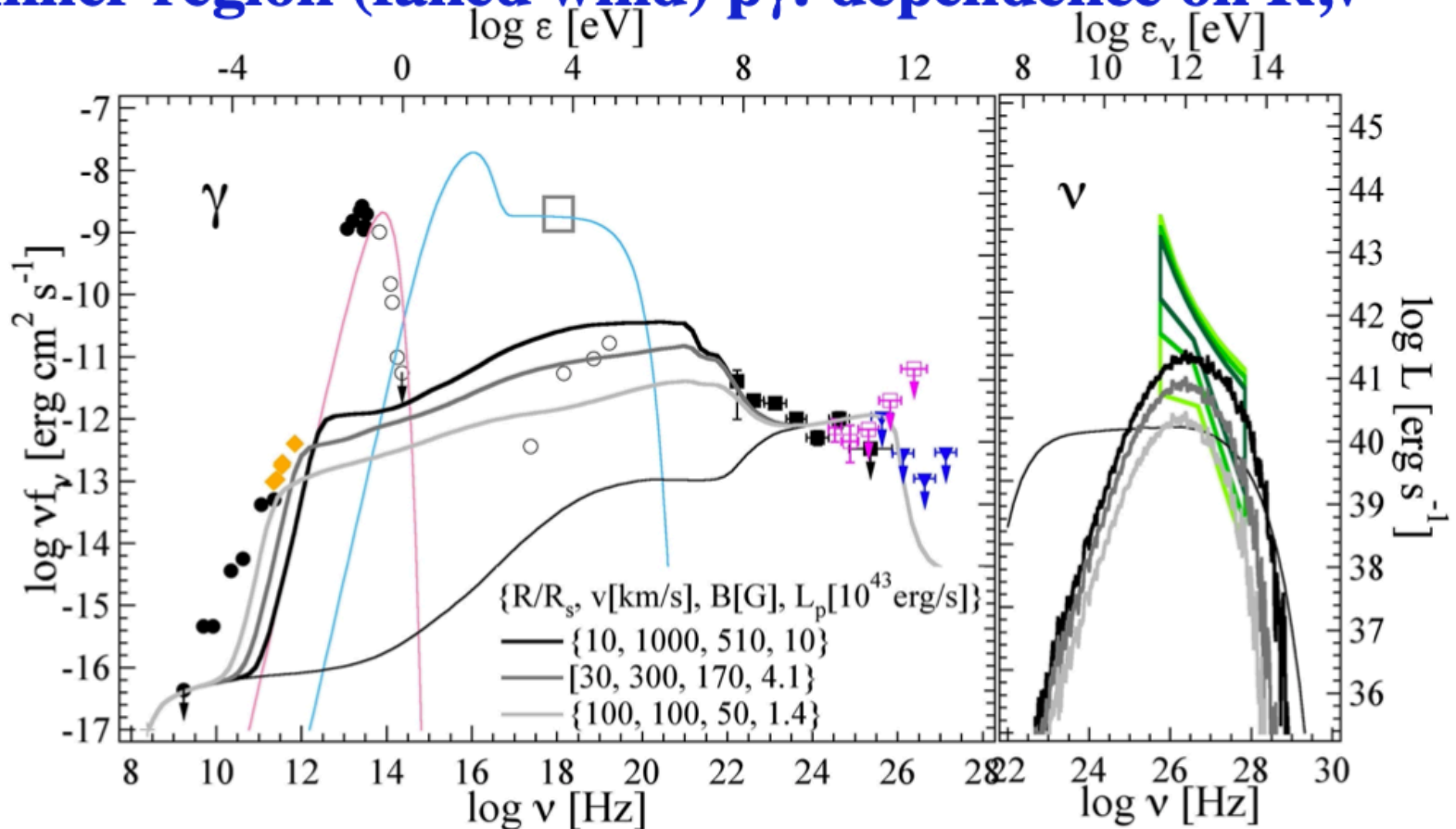
OVERALL EMISSION



- inner region (failed wind) $p\gamma$: TeV ν , $< \text{GeV}$ cascade
- outer region (wind-torus) pp : $> \text{GeV}$ γ , GHz radio

EFFECT OF MODEL PARAMETERS

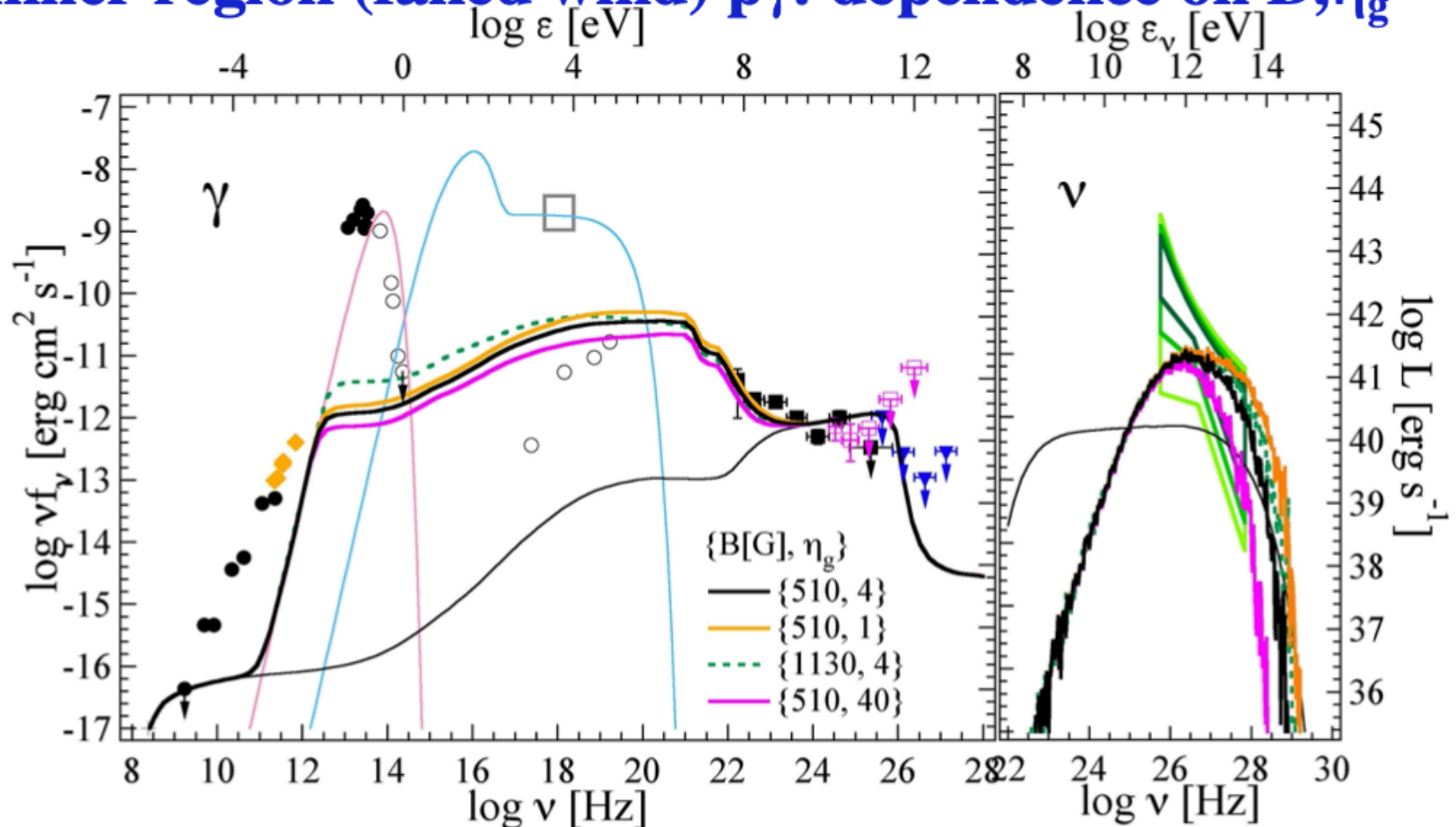
inner region (failed wind) γ : dependence on R, v



- $\{R/R_s, v[\text{km/s}]\} = \{30, 300\}, \{100, 100\}$ ($\epsilon_{v,\text{max}} \propto Rv \sim \text{const.}$)
- γ abs., SSA \downarrow when $R \uparrow \rightarrow L_p \downarrow$ for consistency with EM data
- \rightarrow disfavored due to $f_\nu \downarrow$

EFFECT OF MODEL PARAMETERS

inner region (failed wind) $\text{p}\gamma$: dependence on B, η_g



- $B[\text{G}] \sim 510-1130$ ($\epsilon_B \sim 0.1-0.5$), $\eta_g \sim 1-40$ compatible with IceCube data

CONCLUSIONS

summary

fact: AGN winds - fast, powerful, widespread, inc. NGC 1068

interpretation of $\nu+\gamma$ emission from NGC 1068

- p accel. in inner regions near BH \leftarrow failed line-driven wind
- assuming $v \ll v_{\text{esc}}$, $p\gamma$ neutrinos with soft TeV spectrum
- EM cascade $\gamma\gamma$ attenuated $> \text{MeV}$ but non-negligible $< \text{GeV}$
- p accel. in wind-torus interaction shock, pp at GeV γ , potentially radio \rightarrow to be explored

future tests and prospects

- cascade MeV, MM variability: ν , $< \text{GeV}$ γ vs polarized opt/NIR
- other AGN (esp. unobscured) by IceCube-Gen2, CTA, etc
- contribution to diffuse ν background
- unique info on AGN wind formation, esp. obscured objects

