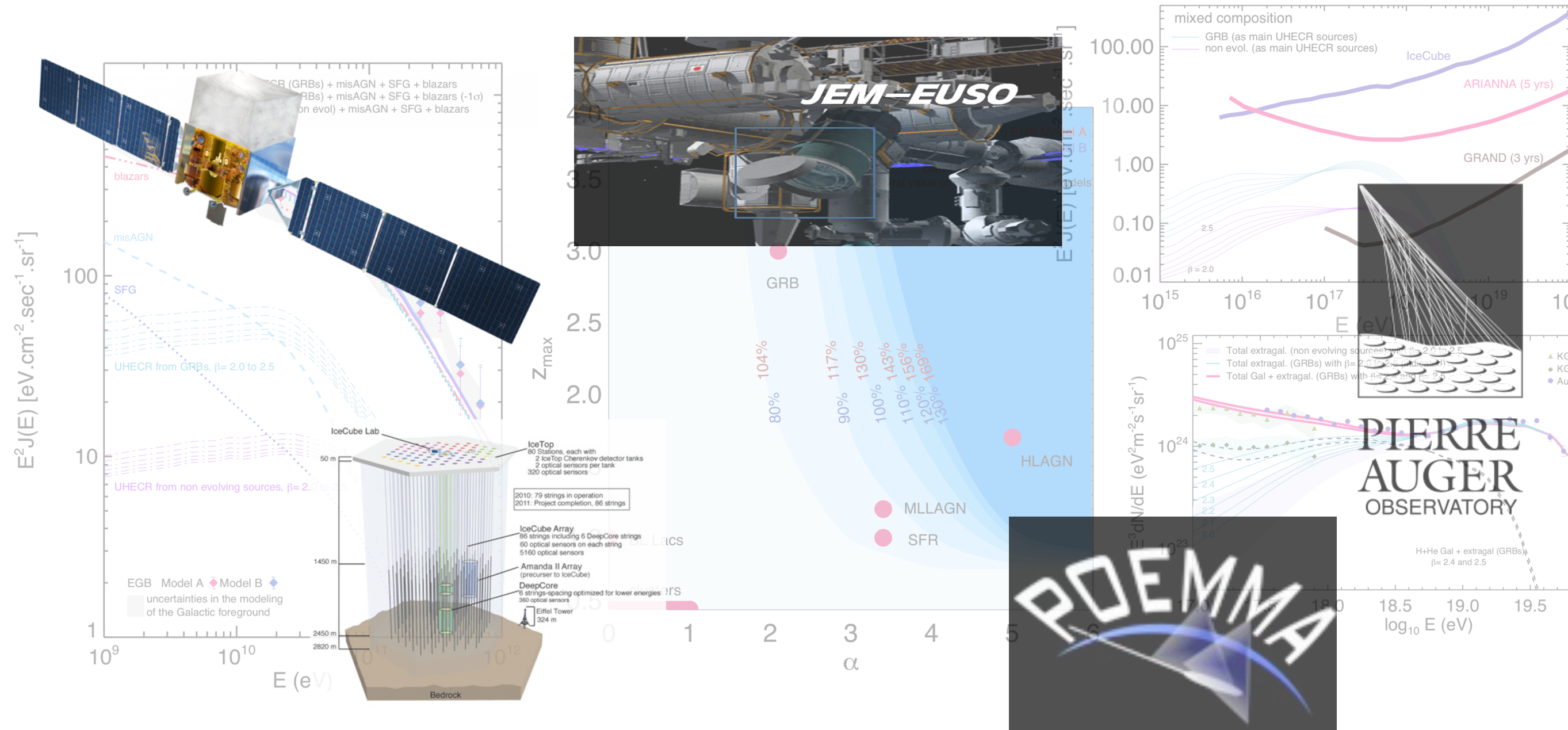
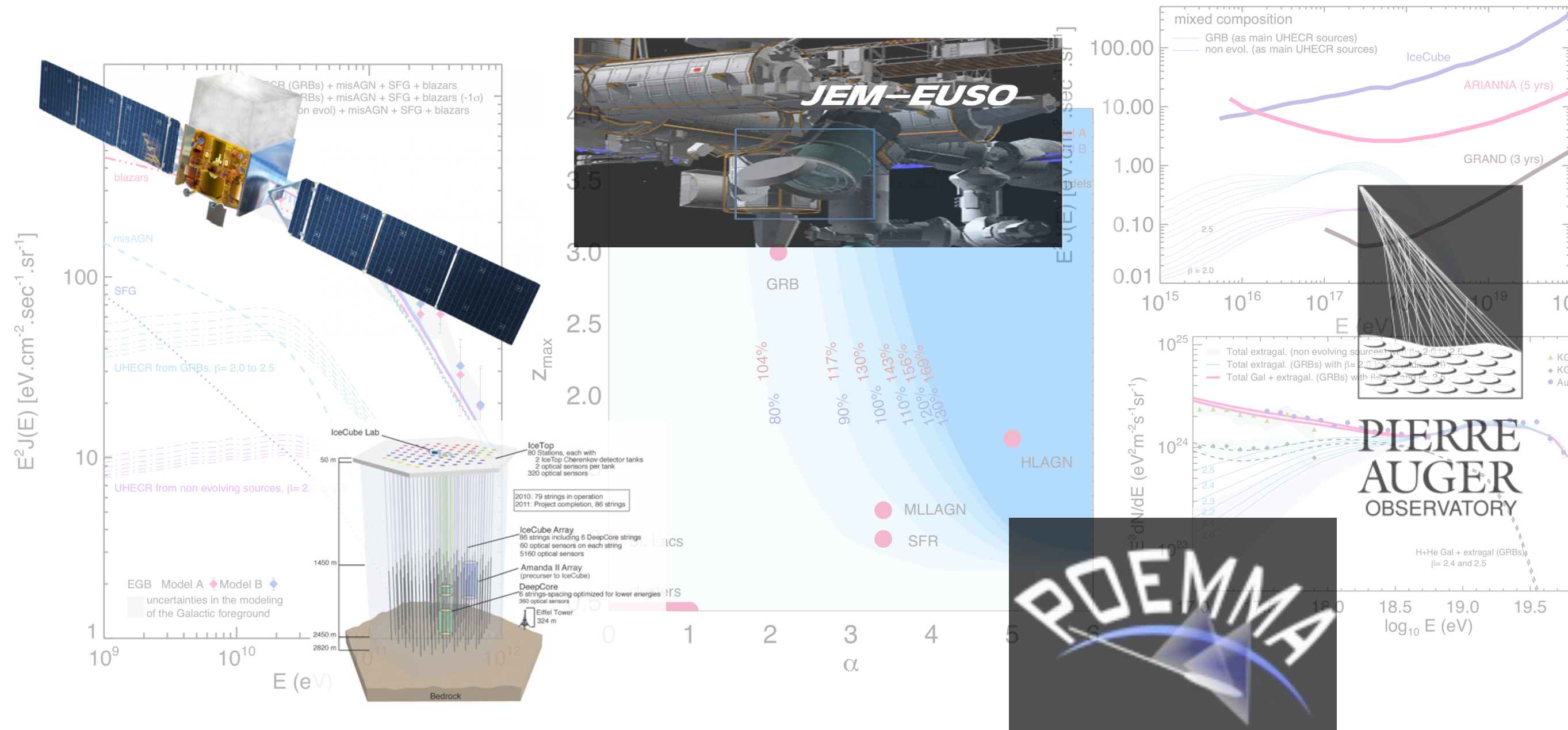


Review of the mixed composition model and its multimessenger implications



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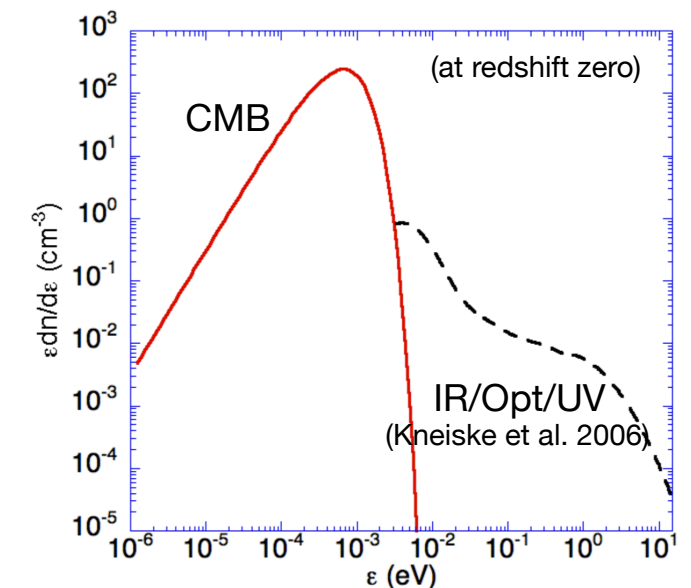
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mechanism responsible for the GZK cut-off at least for UHECR protons



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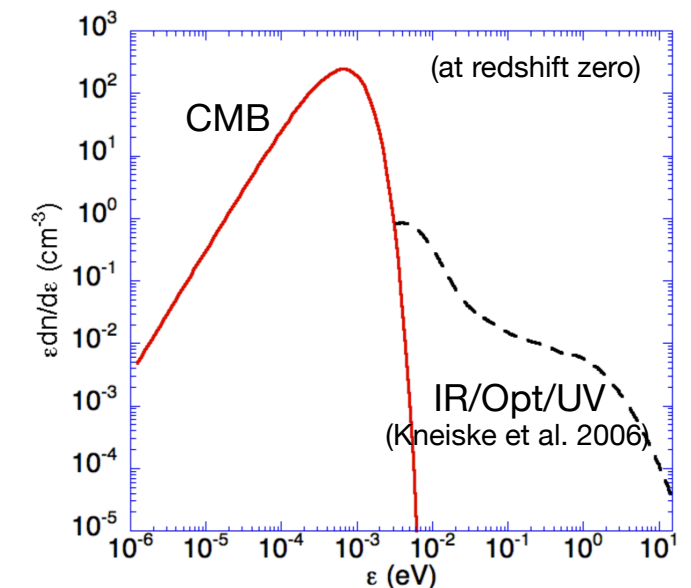
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νs do not interact while propagating in the extragalactic medium

while the universe is opaque to VHE e^+ / e^- and γ which cascade down to sub-TeV energies

Diffuse UHECR ($E > 10^{17}$ eV) flux

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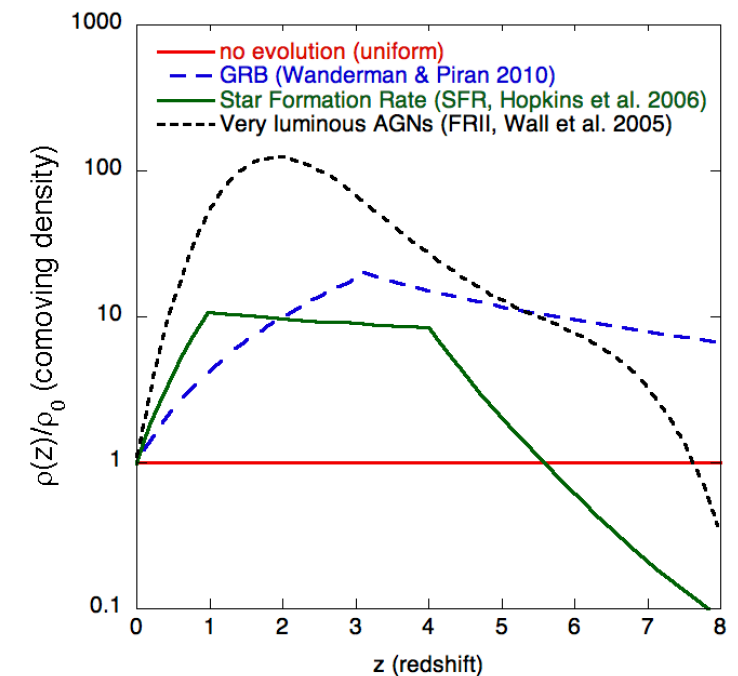
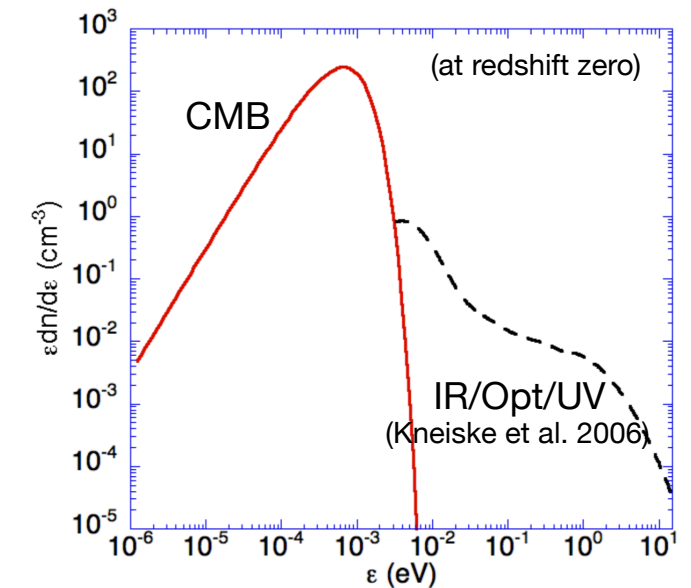
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The extragalactic photon backgrounds evolve with time, they are hotter and denser as the redshift increases

➔ cosmological evolution of the sources is expected to have a strong impact on cosmogenic photons and neutrino fluxes

4 different hypotheses on the source evolution in the following :

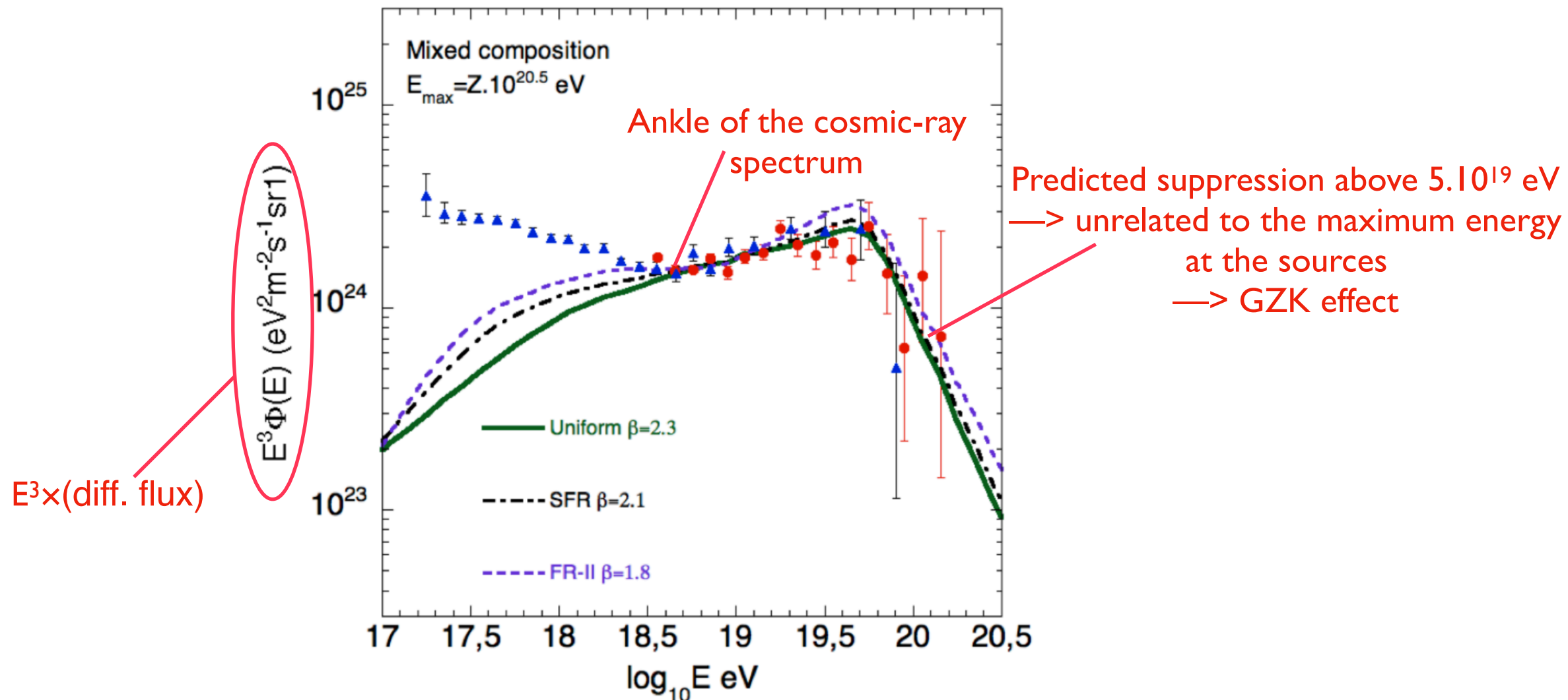
- A very strong evolution such as that of very luminous AGNs (hereafter labeled FR-II)
- 2 “intermediate” evolutions following the “star formation rate” (SFR) and the evolution of GRB sources
- A baseline case with no evolution (often labeled “uniform”)



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Assuming the maximum energy per nucleon is above 10^{20} eV (what most people thought until ~2010)
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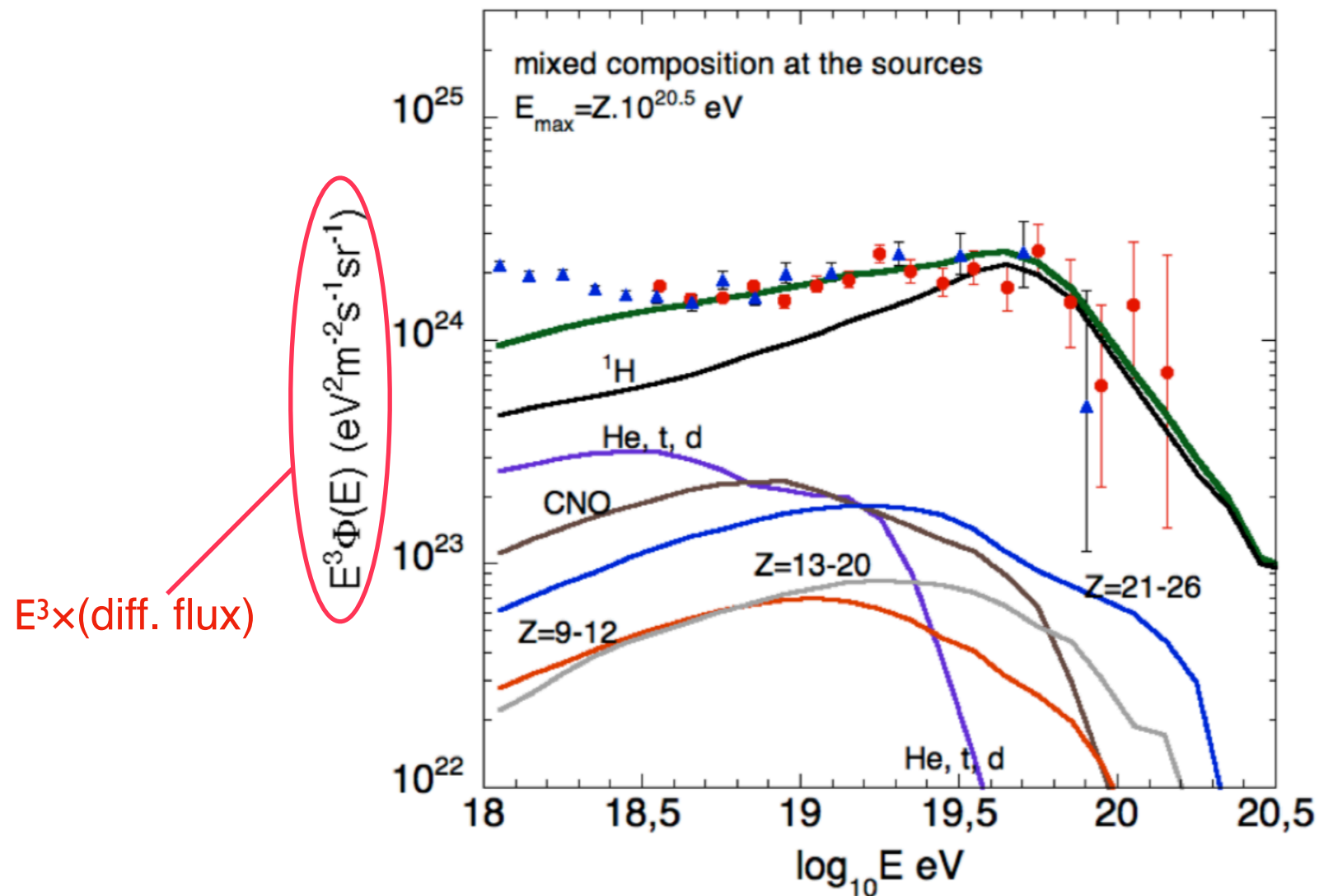


The UHECR spectrum can be well reproduced above the ankle
 \rightarrow the ankle is interpreted in this case as a signature of the transition between Galactic and extragalactic cosmic-rays (more precisely the end of the transition)

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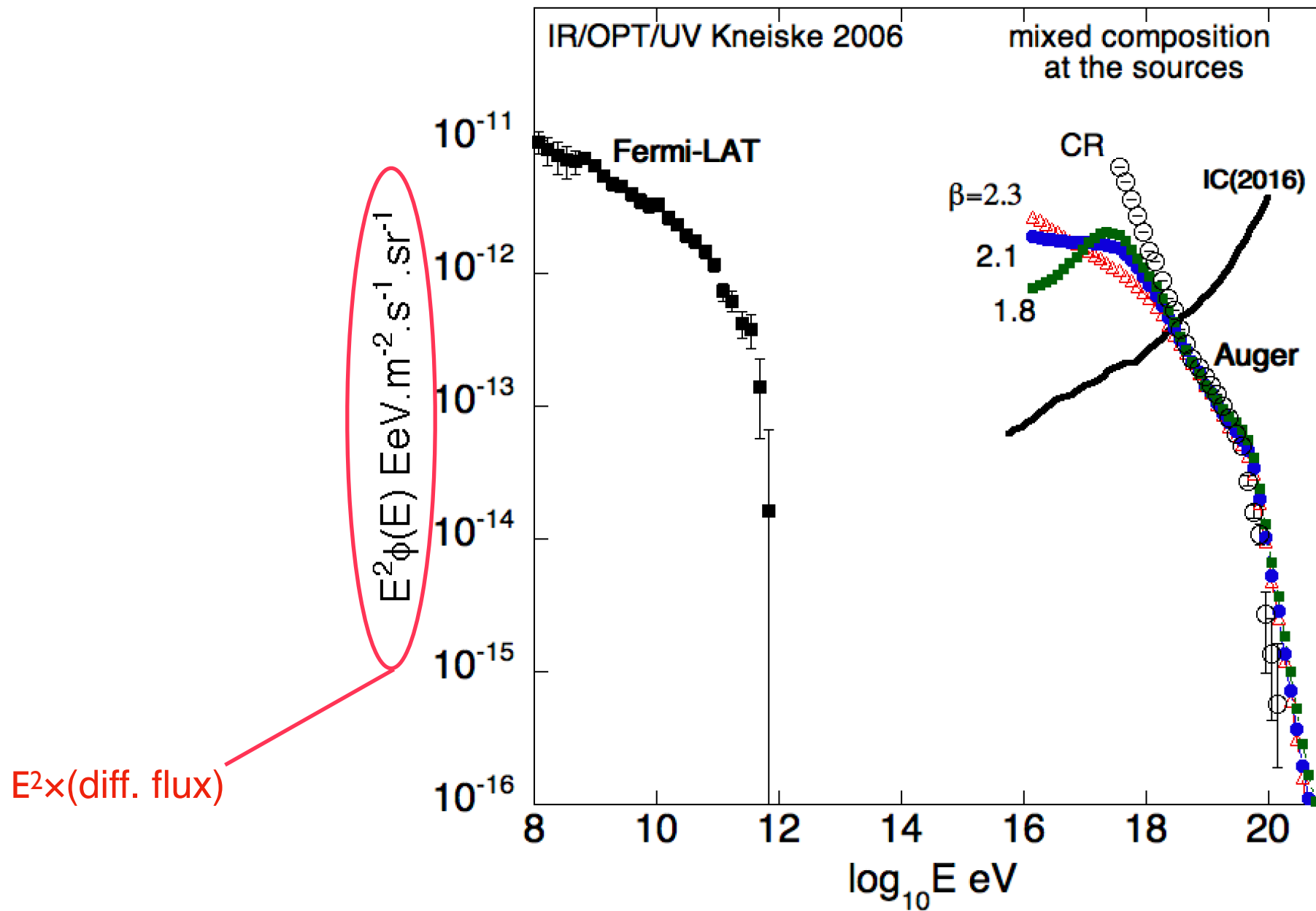
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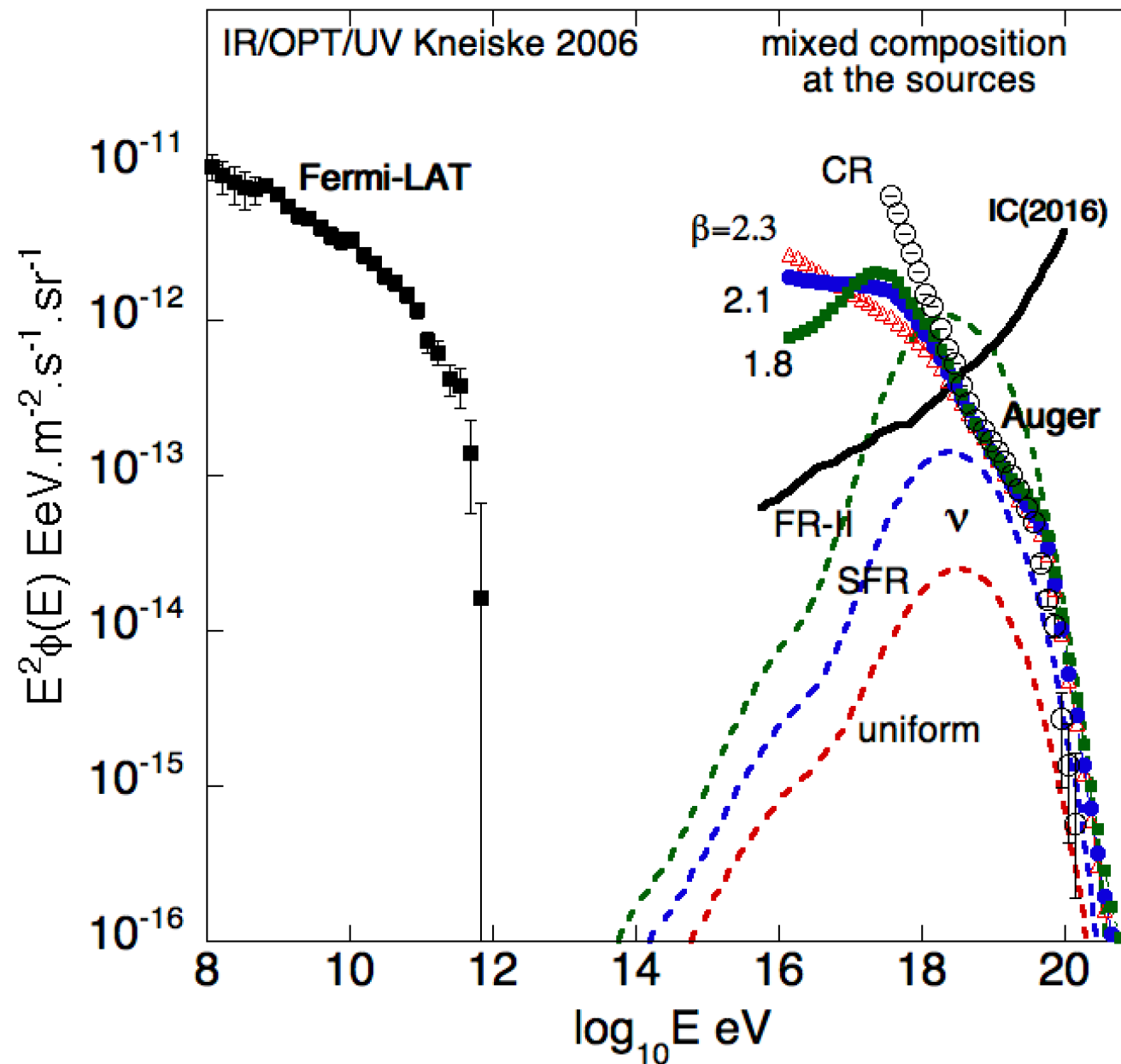
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—> produced by
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—> π -photoproduction
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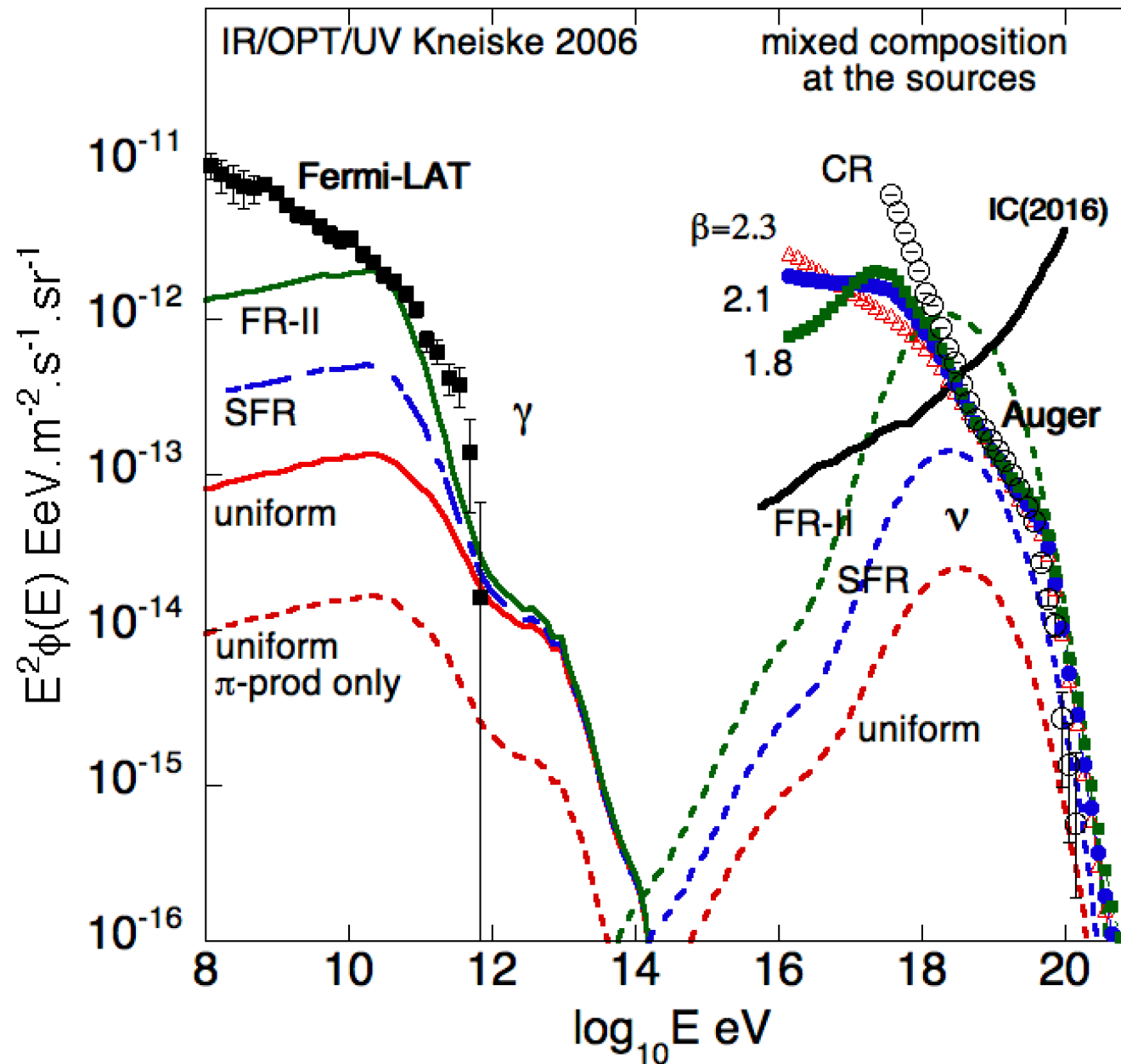


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(Adapted from Decerprit and Allard, A&A, 2011)

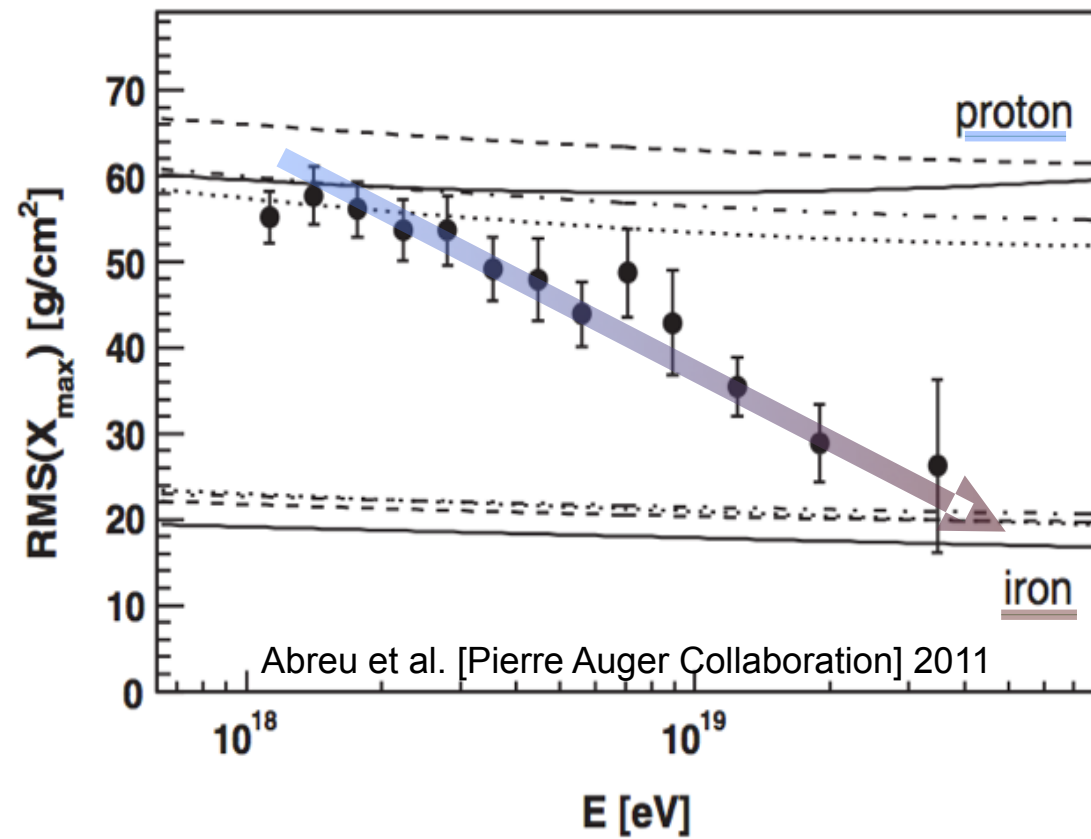


All the energy released
in γ and e^+e^- piles up in
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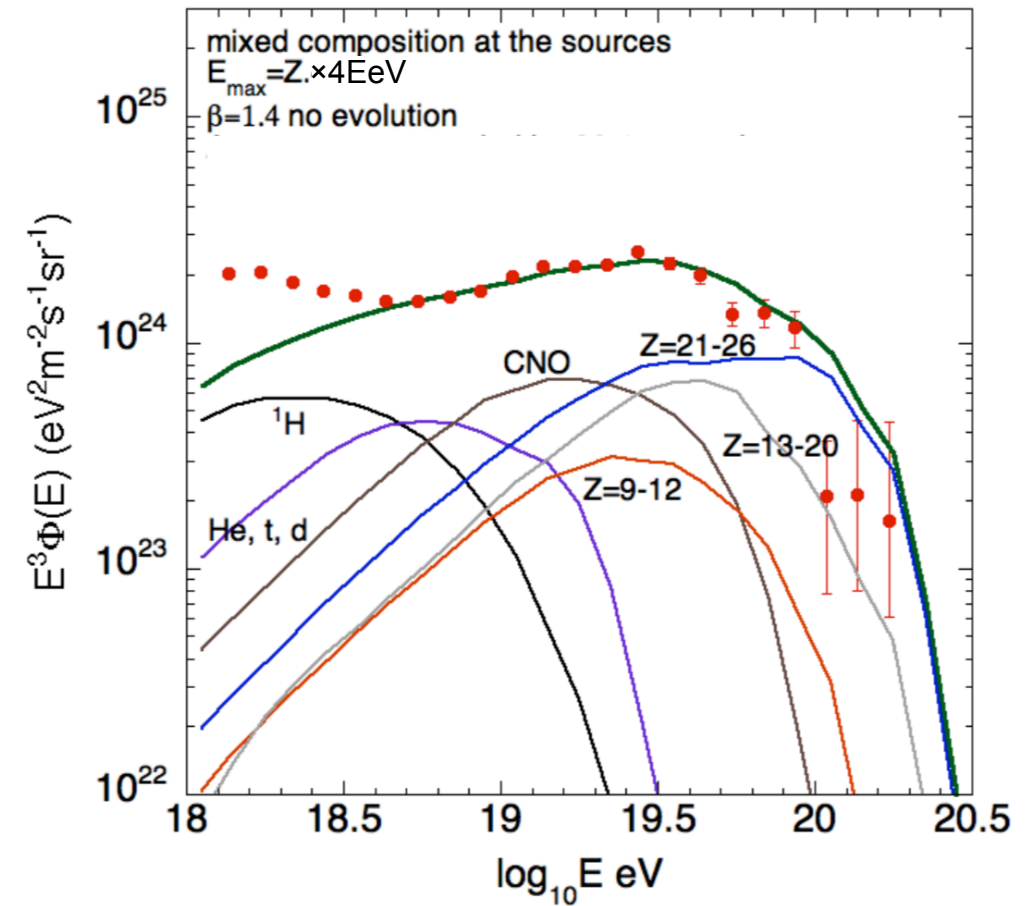
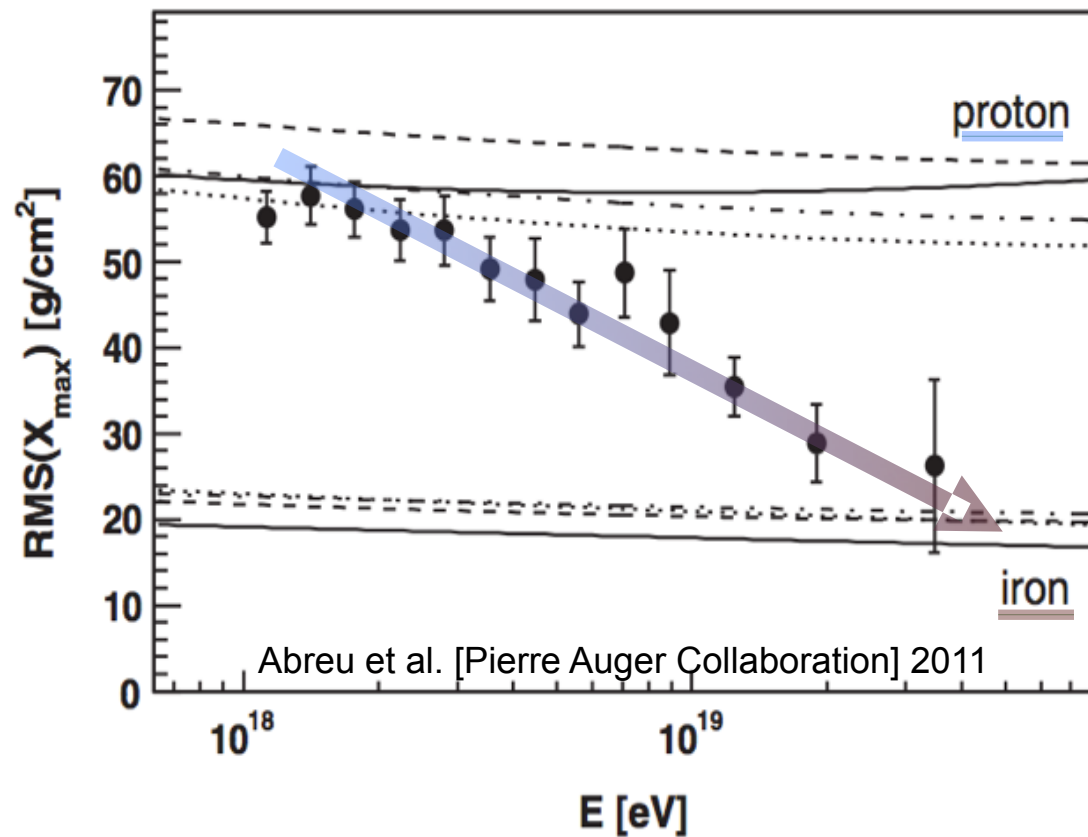
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—> dominant sources of UHECR do not accelerate protons to the highest energies

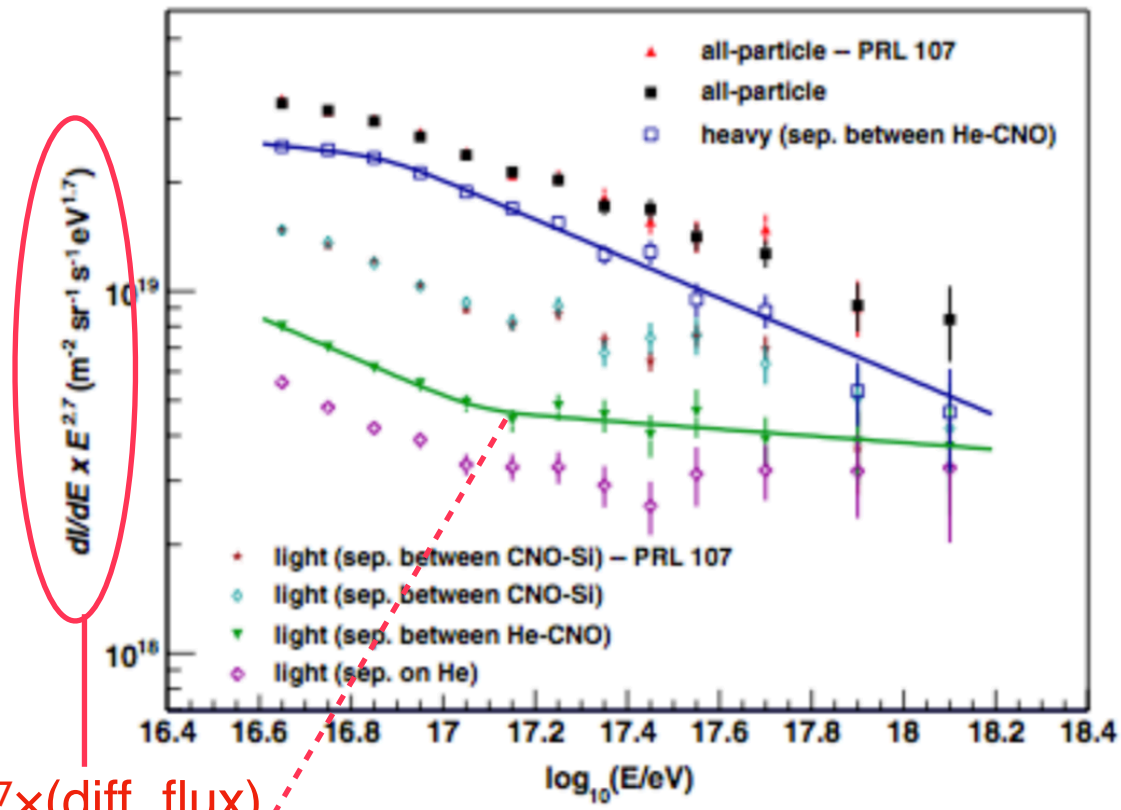
Low maximum energy per nucleon (a few EeV to 10^{19} eV, well below the pion production threshold with CMB photons) and hard source spectral indexes required

here $N(E) \propto E^{-\beta}$, $\beta = 1.4$, $E_{\max}(Z) = Z \times E_{\max}^{\text{proton}}$, $E_{\max}^{\text{proton}} = 4.10^{18}$ eV

obviously not a good news for UHE cosmogenic neutrinos predictions

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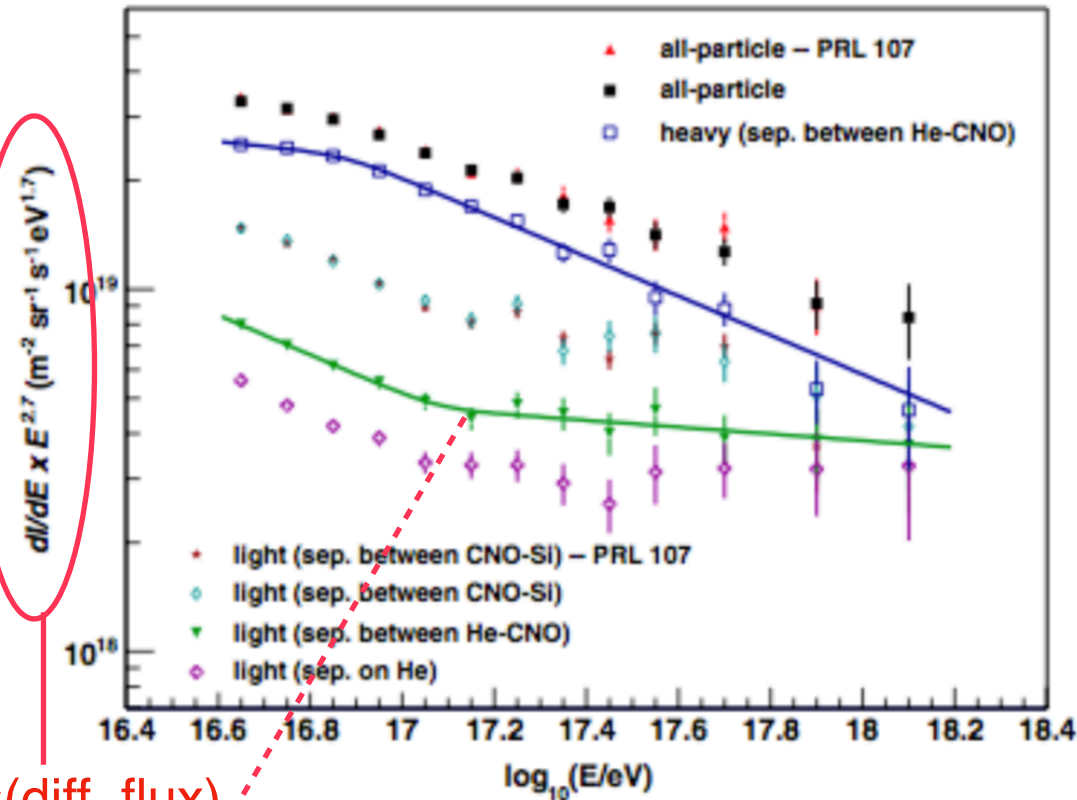
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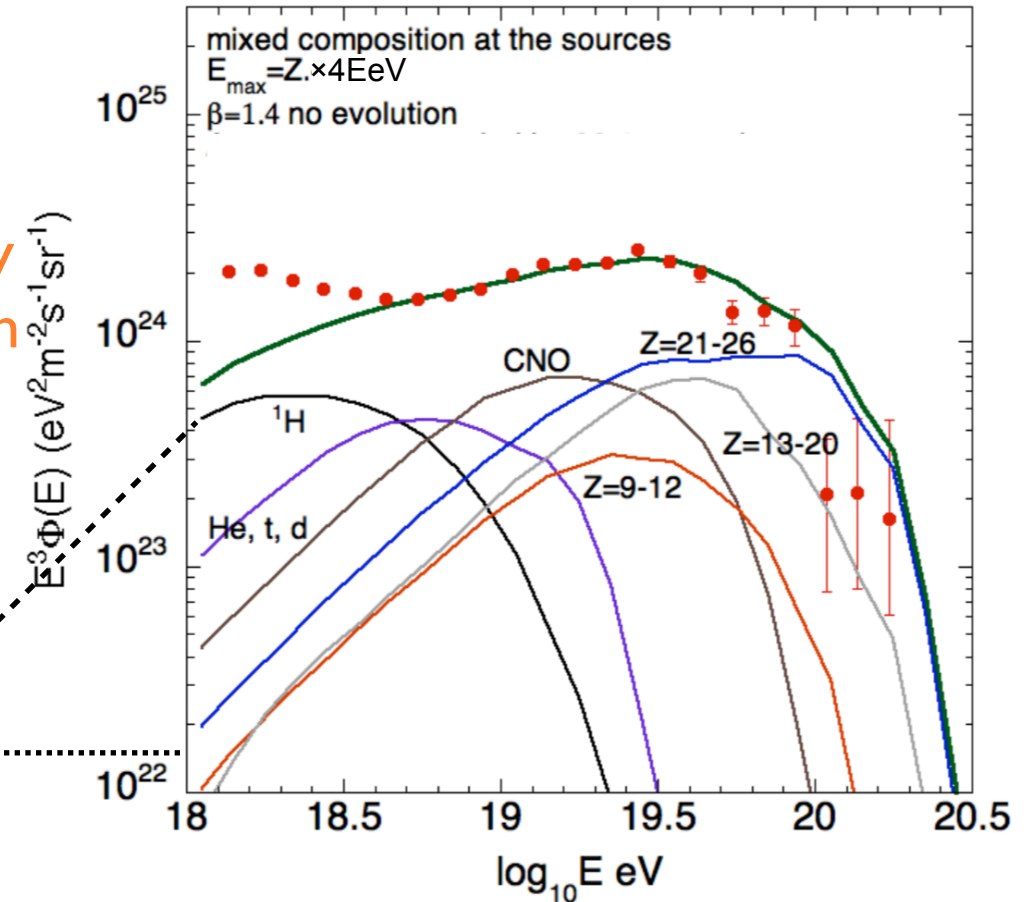
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Difficult to make a consistent picture of the Auger composition + the light ankle with the above phenomenological model

One would need a much softer spectrum for the light nuclei

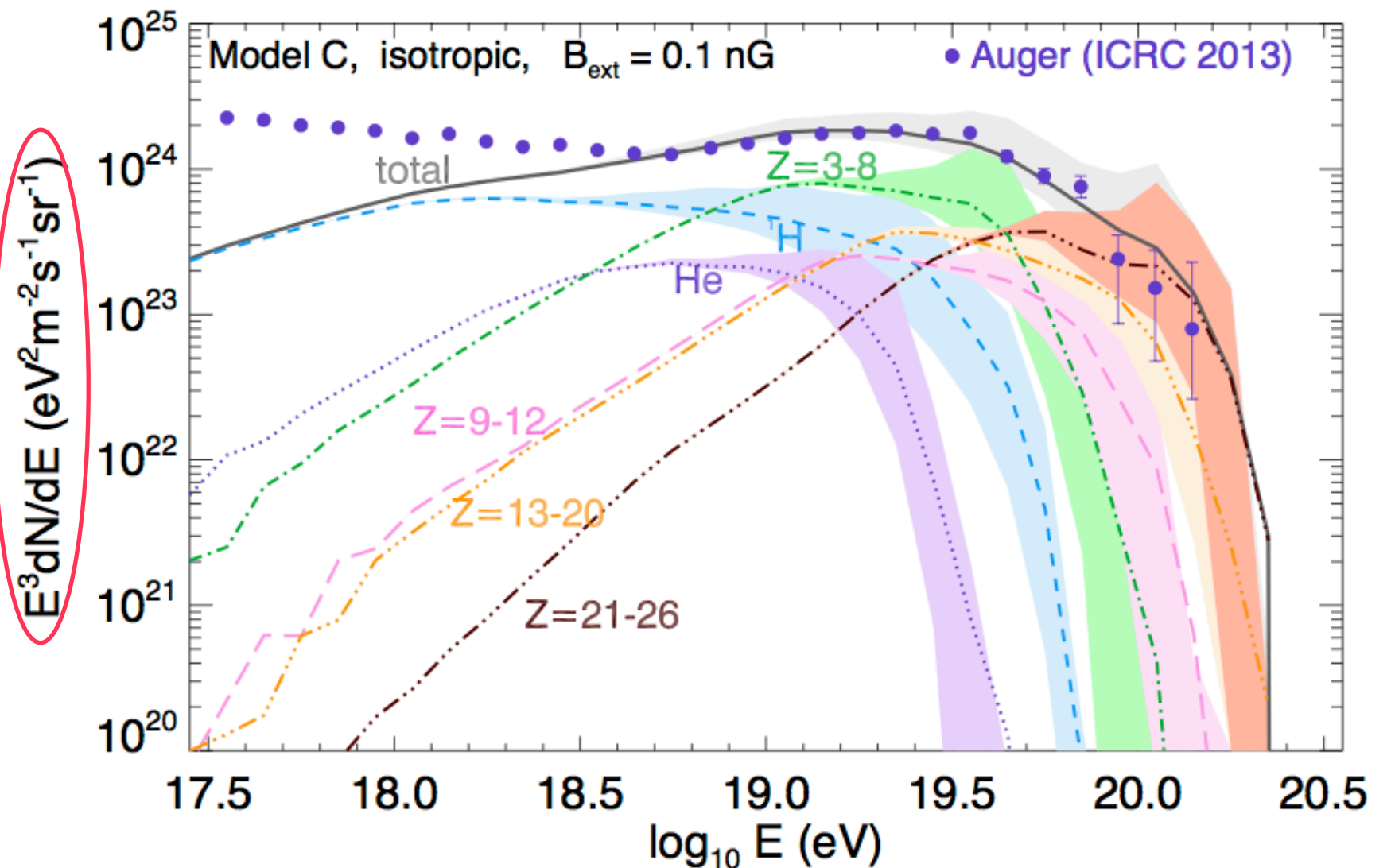
Phenomenological model of UHECR acceleration as a solution to the soft proton spectrum issue

Model of UHECR acceleration at GRB internal shocks (Globus et al. 2015) can reproduce UHECR data (Auger spectrum and composition)

- if most of the energy dissipated is communicated to accelerated cosmic-rays
- the composition injected at the shock has ~ 10 times galactic CR metallicity

NB : Spectrum on earth, sum of the contributions of all GRB after propagation in the extragalactic medium

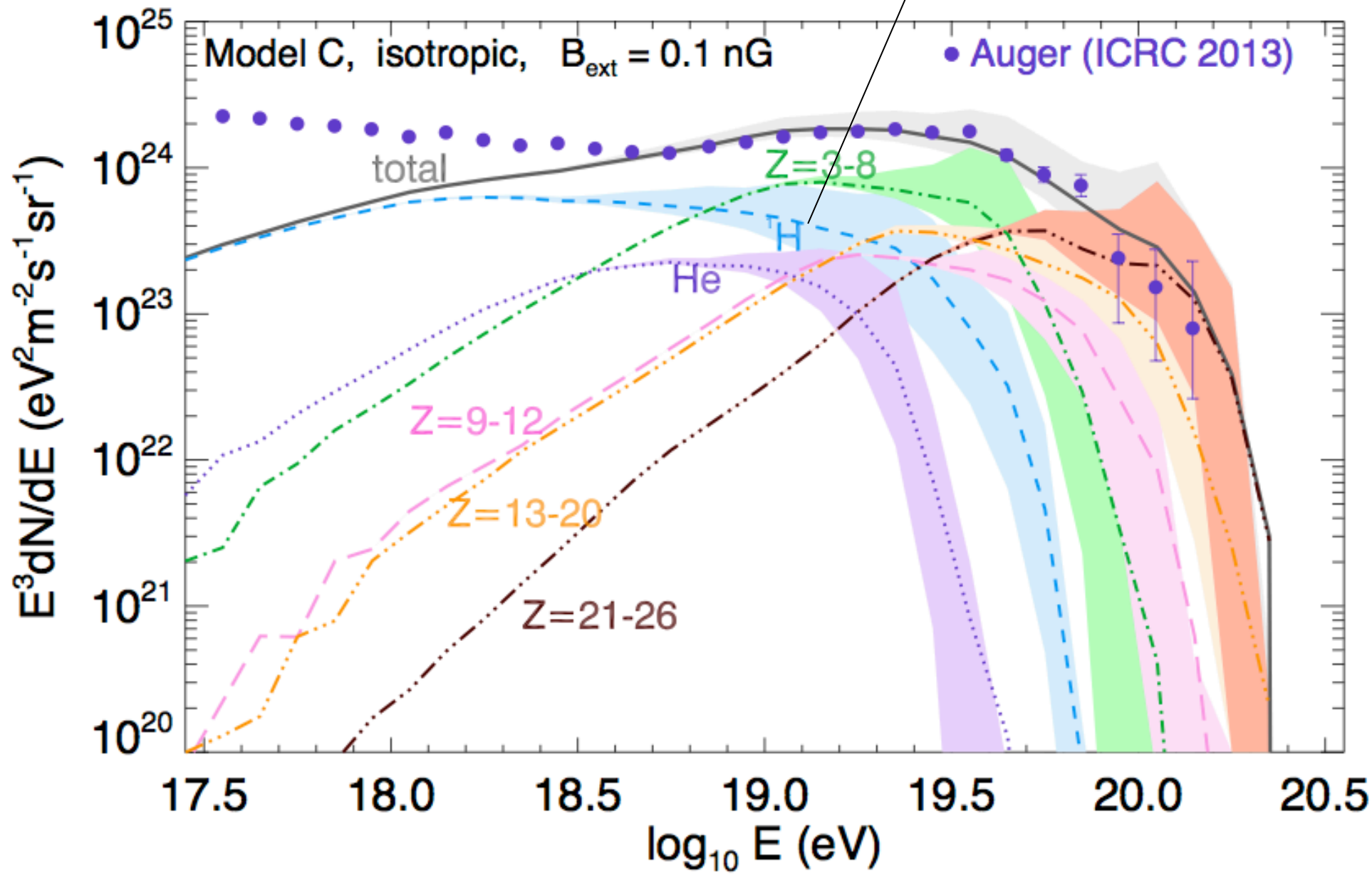
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N. Globus, D. Allard, R. Mochkovitch, E. Parizot, MNRAS, 2015

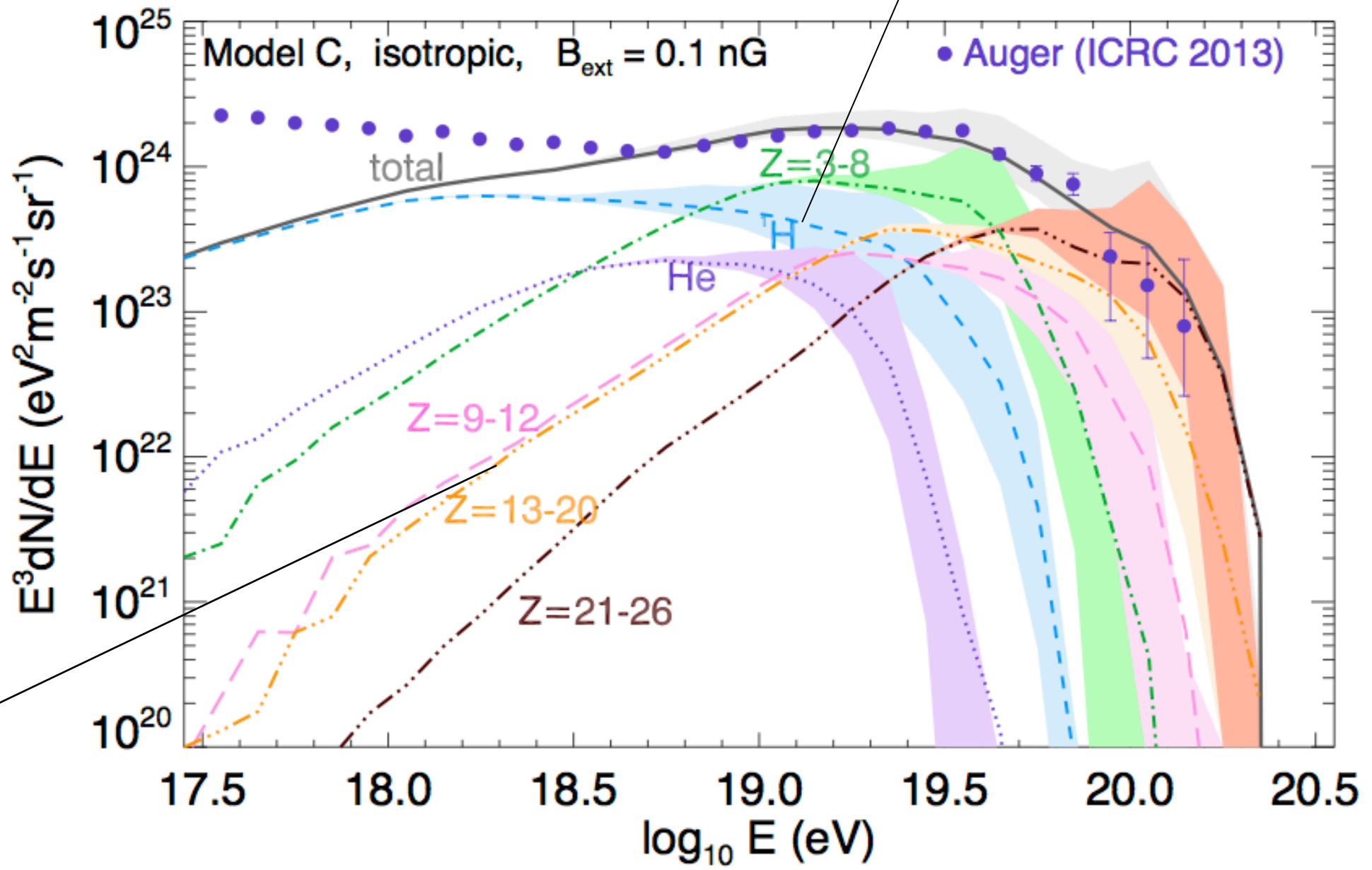
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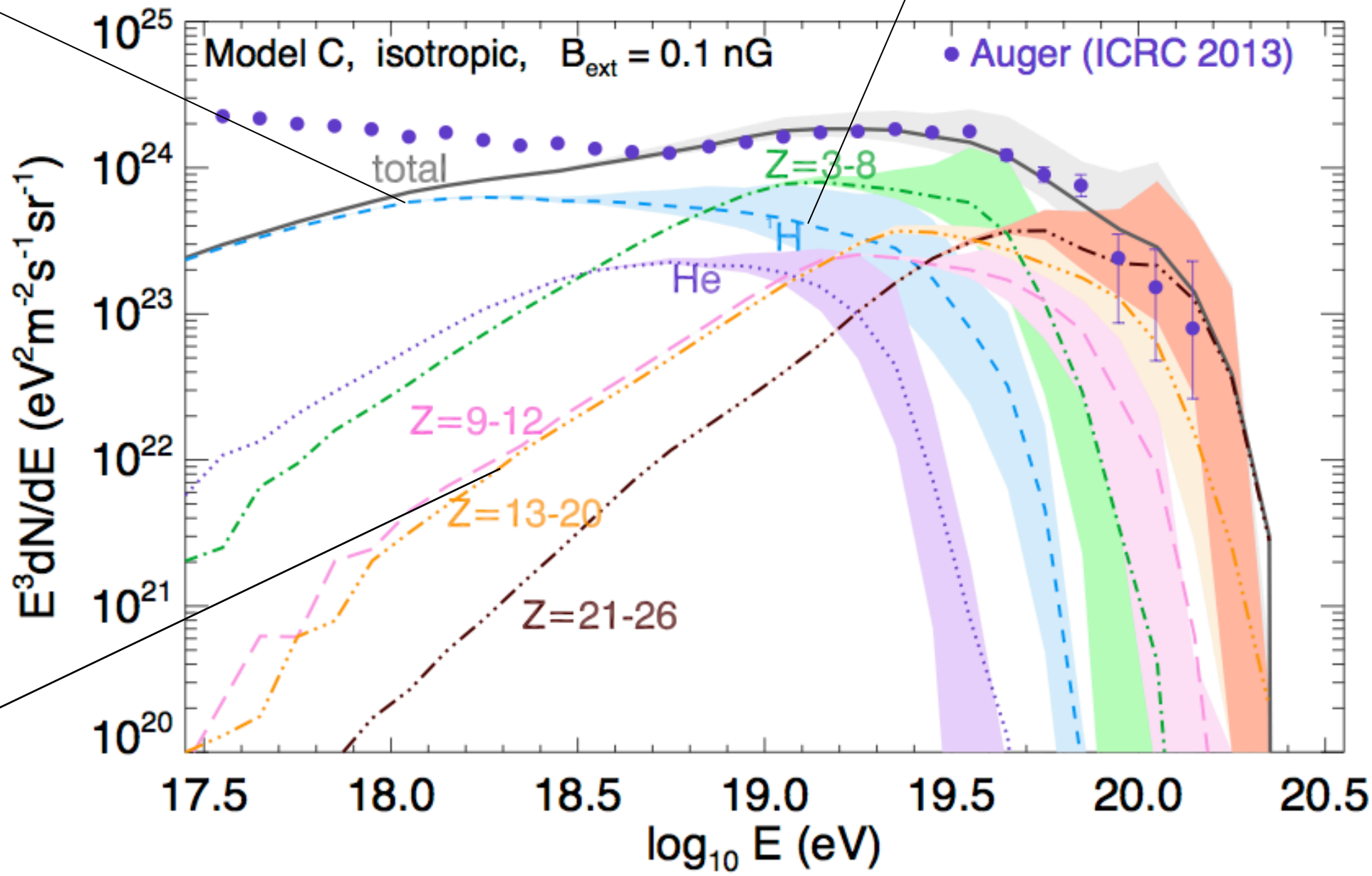
Proton spectrum :
Soft due to the efficient escape of neutrons from the source (secondary neutron from the photodisintegration of nuclei within the source)

—> Allows the proton component to extend down to the light ankle seen by KASCADE-Grande

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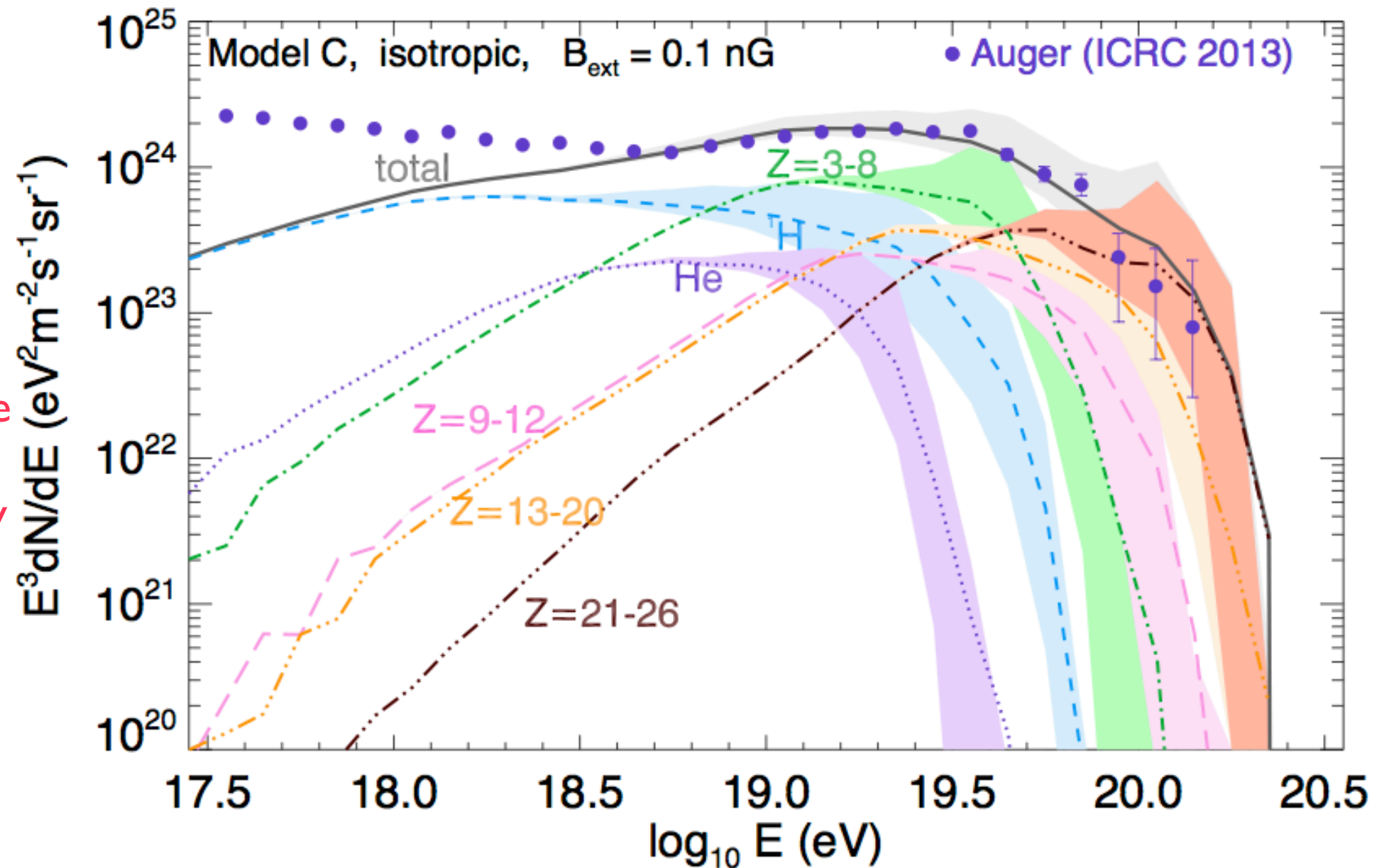


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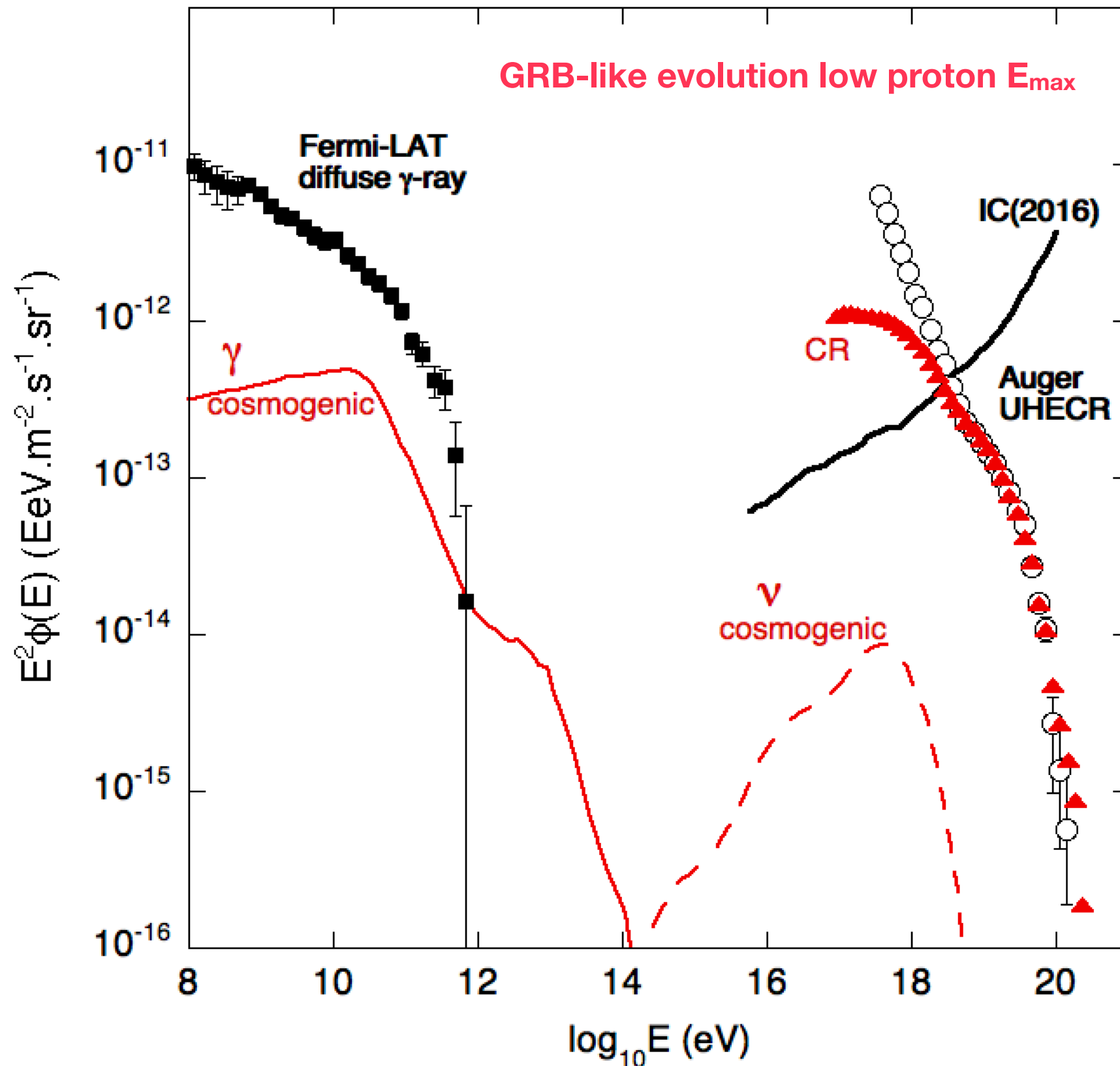
The difference in shape between the proton and nuclei spectra arises from the fact that the source environment is strongly magnetized and harbours dense radiation fields
—> should not be a distinctive feature of GRB sources

We showed that an extragalactic component presenting these spectral features was able to account for the light ankle and the evolution of the composition measured by Auger

Globus, Allard & Parizot, 2015, PRD rapid com.



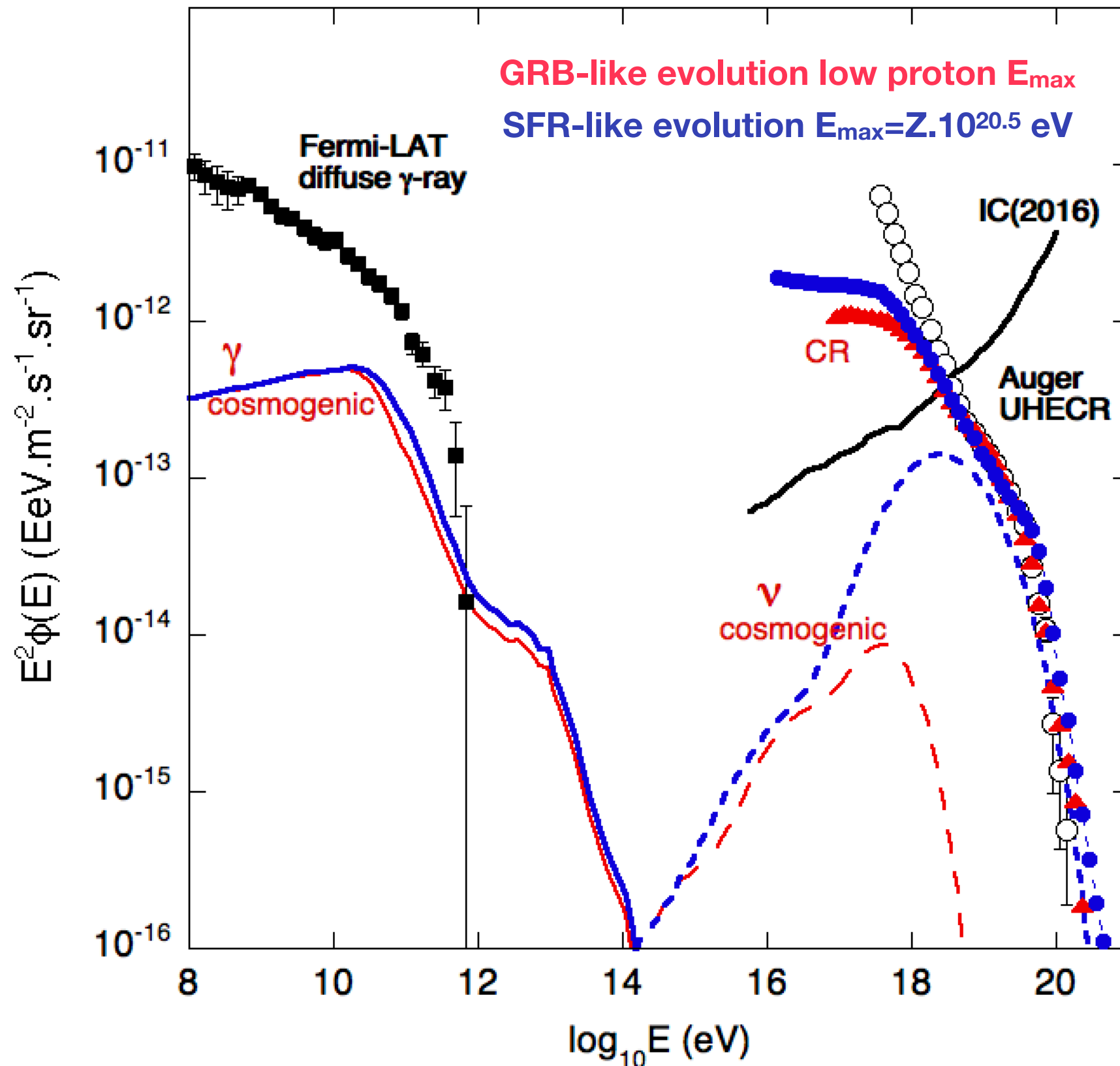
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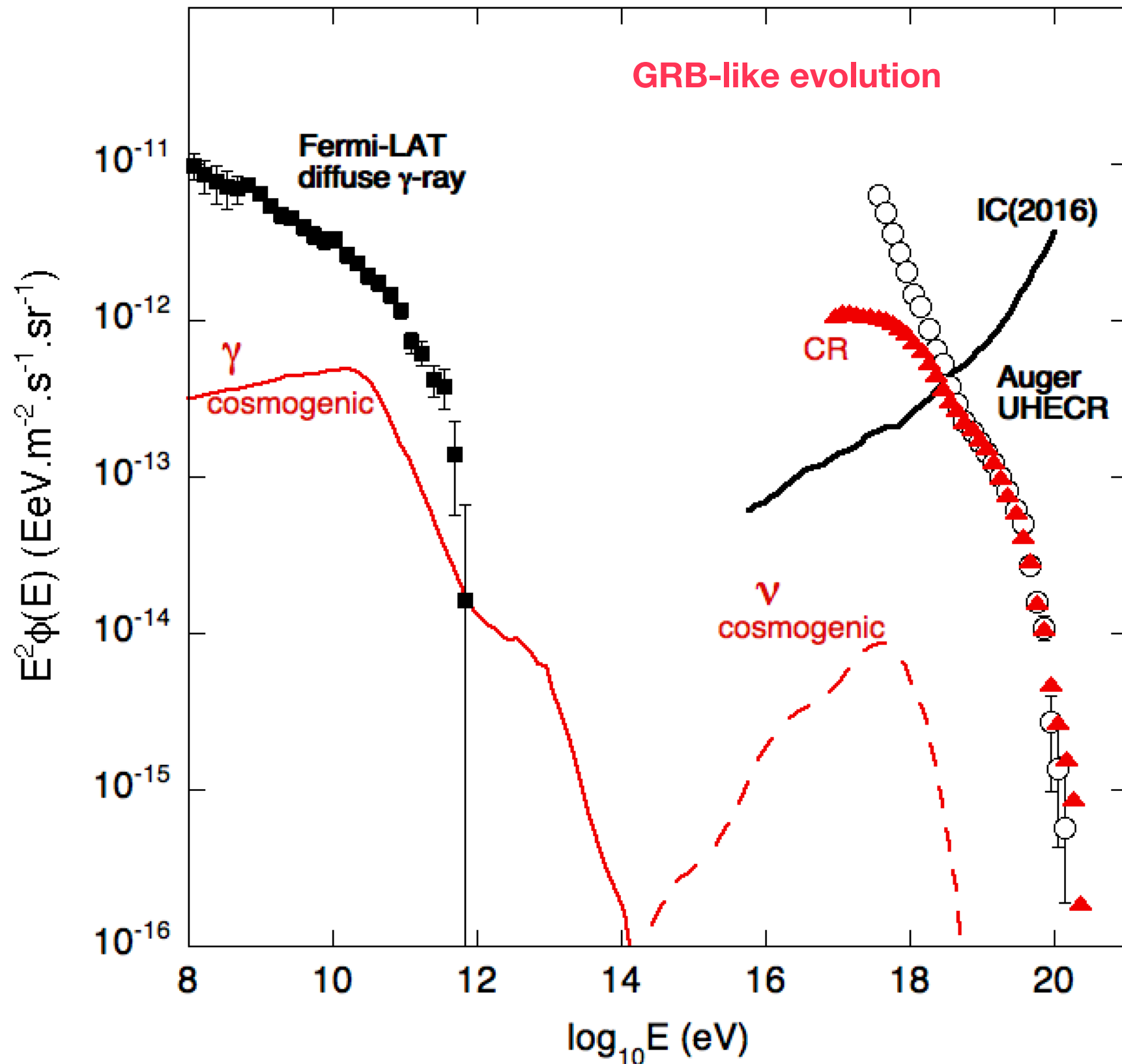
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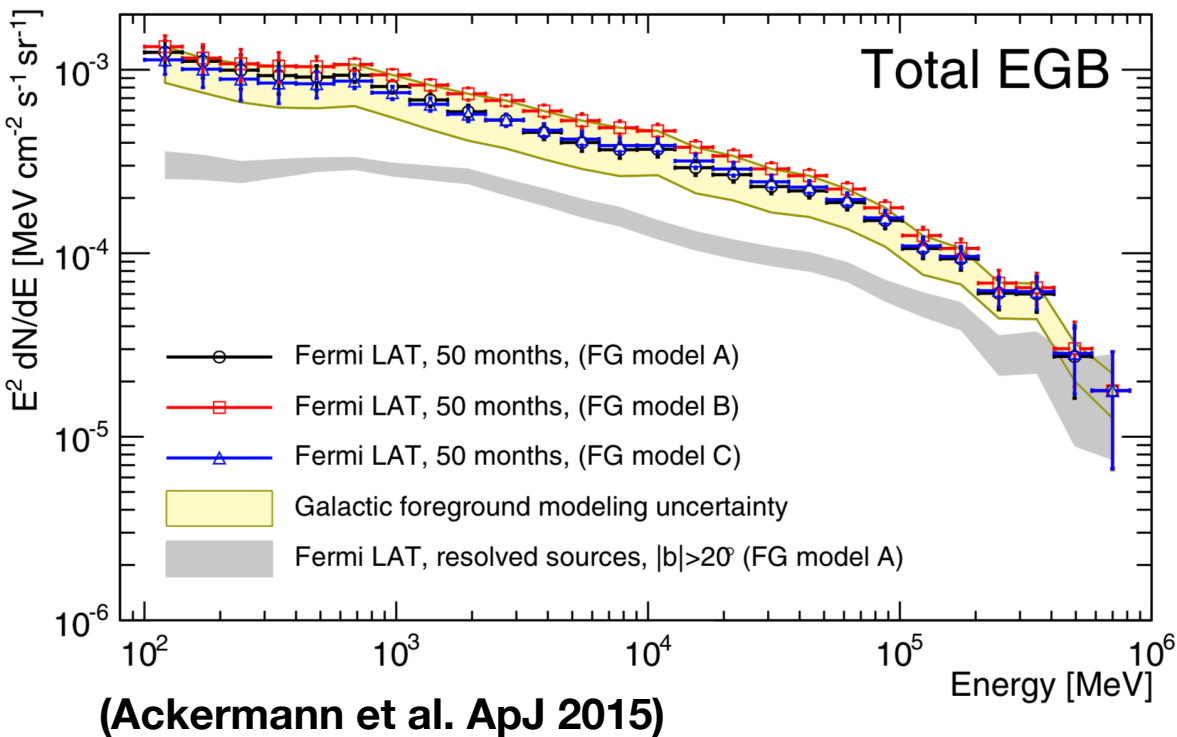
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This scenario looks completely unconstrained from the point of view of cosmogenic neutrinos and photons

But Fermi-LAT data contain more informations than what we just discussed

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Account of the uncertainties on the modelling of the galactic foreground

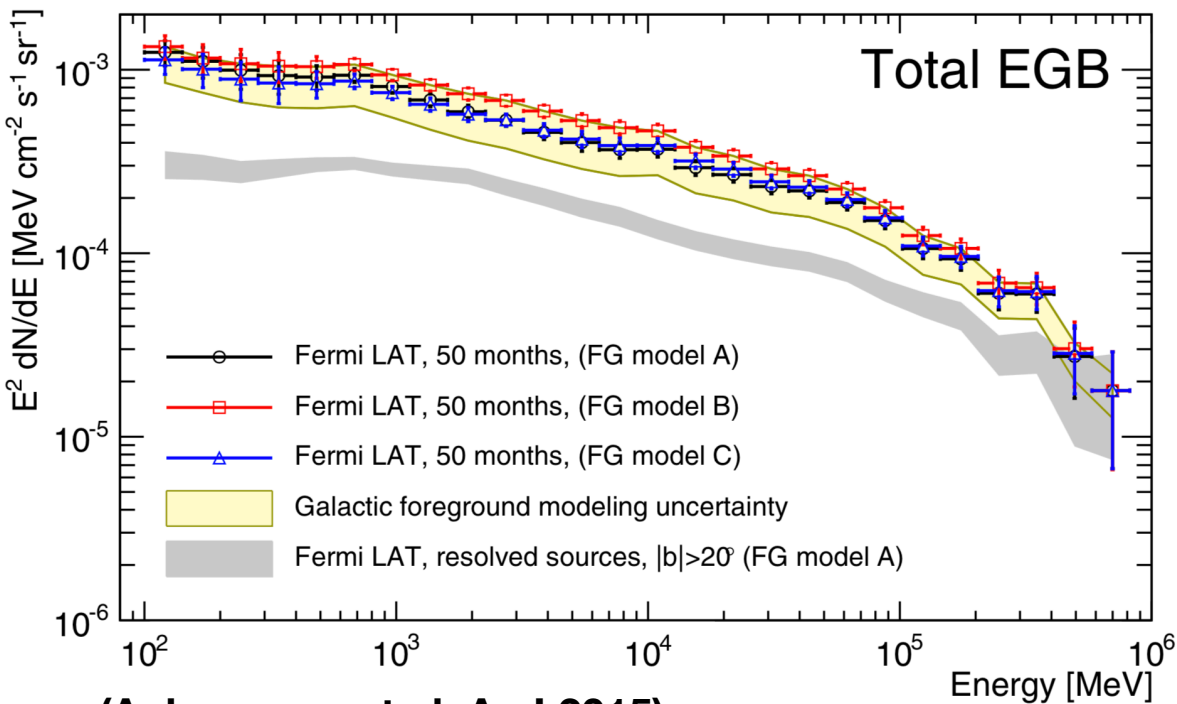
➔ 3 different estimates (models A, B and C)

corresponding to three equally realistic theoretical modelings of the galactic foreground

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(Ackermann et al. ApJ 2015)

The total extragalactic γ -ray background is made of several contributions :

- resolved point sources (very large majority of Blazars)
- unresolved point sources (mostly blazars, misaligned AGNs and star forming galaxies)
- truly diffuse processes (UHECR for sure, possibly DM)
- ➡ **estimating the different contributions would help constraining that of UHECRs**

Different estimates from Fermi data of the contribution of blazar point sources (resolved and unresolved) to the total γ -ray background were proposed

2 recent studies:

- Ackermann et al., PRL, 2016 (**A16**)

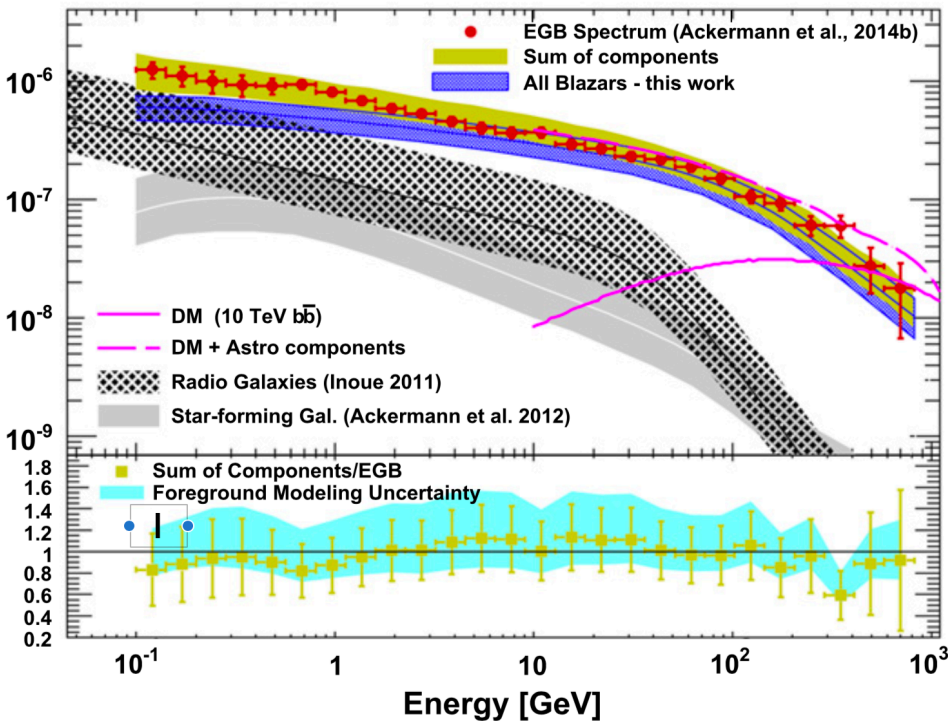
- Zechlin et al., ApJ, 2016 (**Z16**)

(based on a method proposed in Malyshev & Hogg 2011)

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Besides blazars, SFGs and misaligned AGNs should contribute significantly to the EGB but these contributions were not constrained by **A16** and **Z16**

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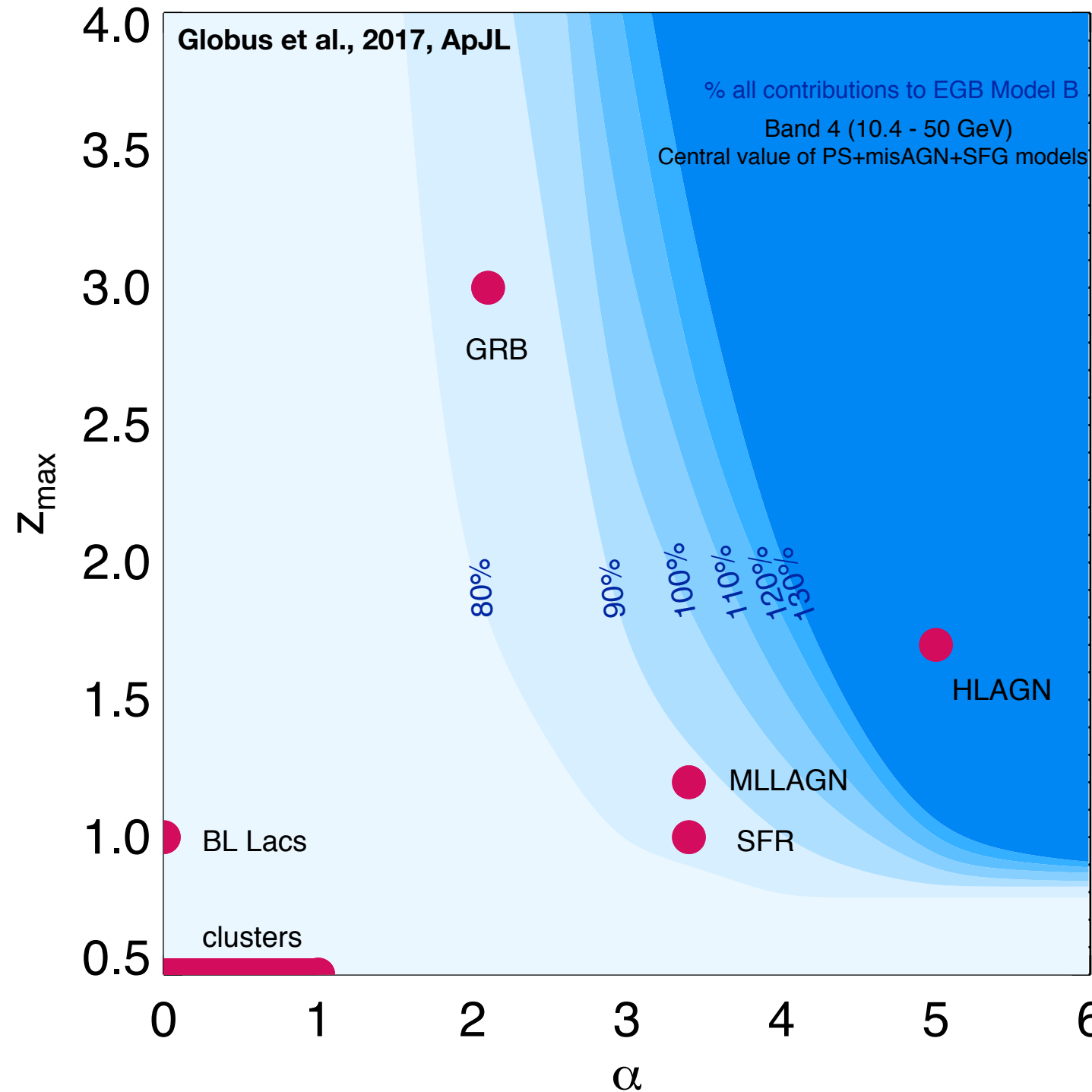
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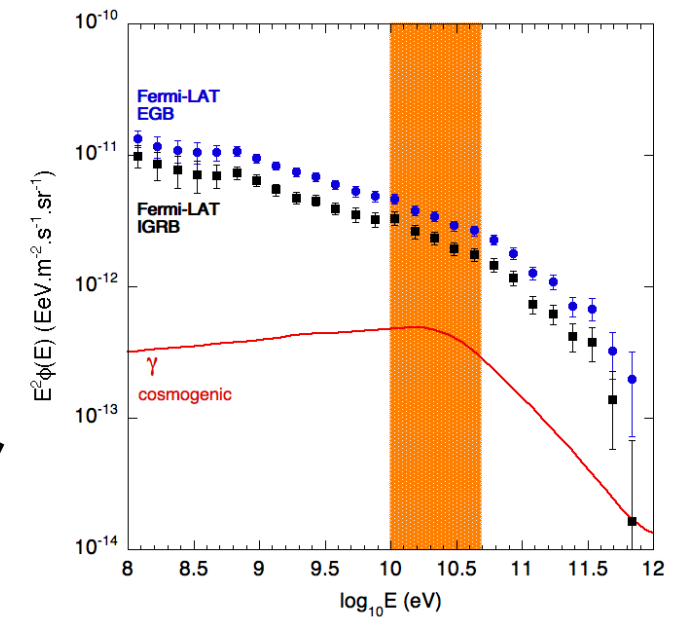
Using theoretical estimates of the contribution (almost exclusively unresolved) of SFG and misaligned AGNs one can add their contributions to that attributed to blazars in Z16 and A16

The contribution of UHECR must added to those of astrophysical sources to check whether or not a given astrophysical model is viable.

Summary plot on the allowed cosmological evolutions



Astrophysical sources evolution usually parametrised as :
 $(1+z)^\alpha$
 up to a redshift z_{\max}

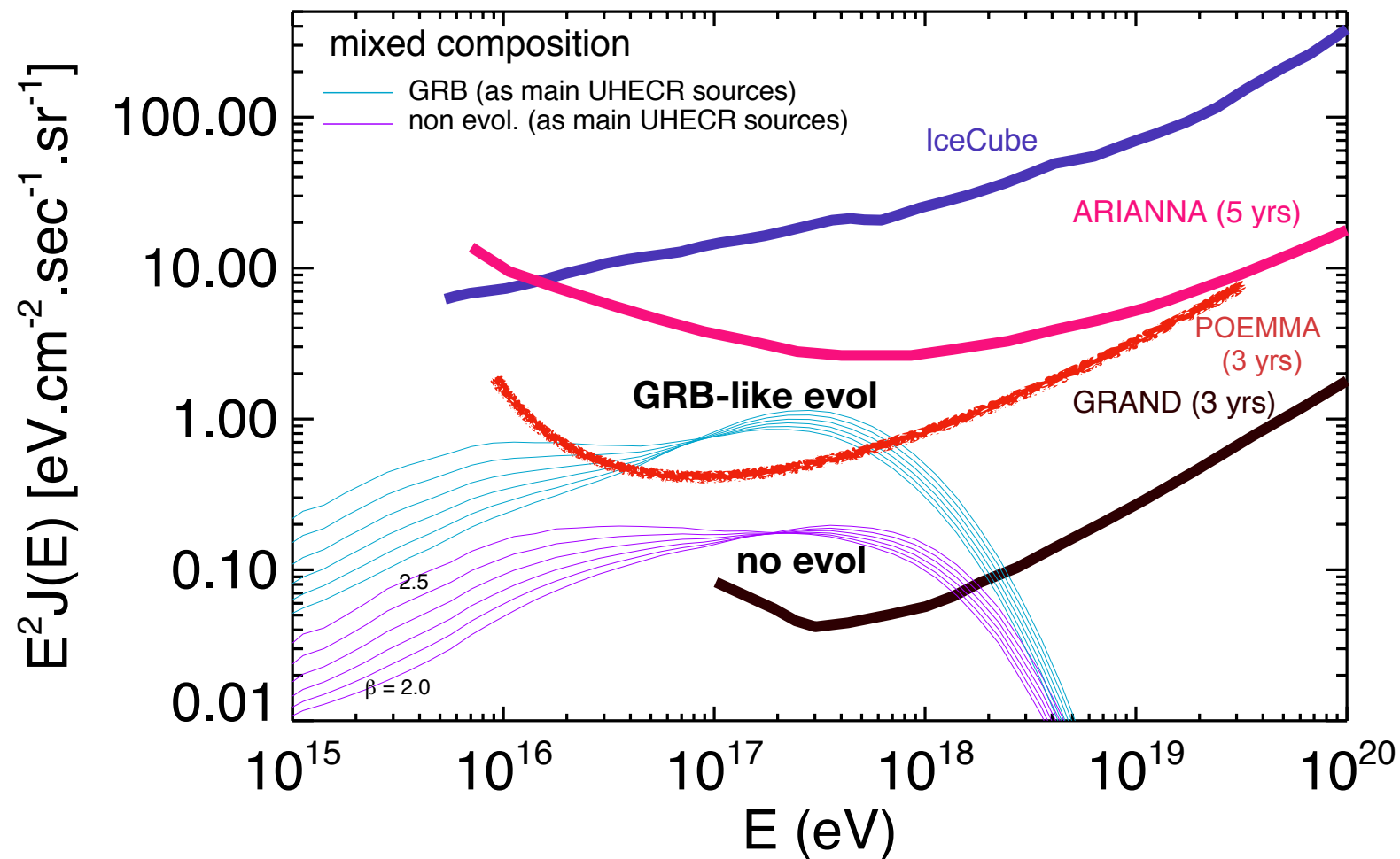


In the 10-50 GeV band, where the UHECR contribution to the EGRB is the largest

In the case of our UHECR model (transition and low E_{\max}), only very strong evolutions such as that of very luminous AGNs are clearly disfavoured

Discussion of the resulting cosmogenic neutrino fluxes

Globus et al., 2017, ApJL

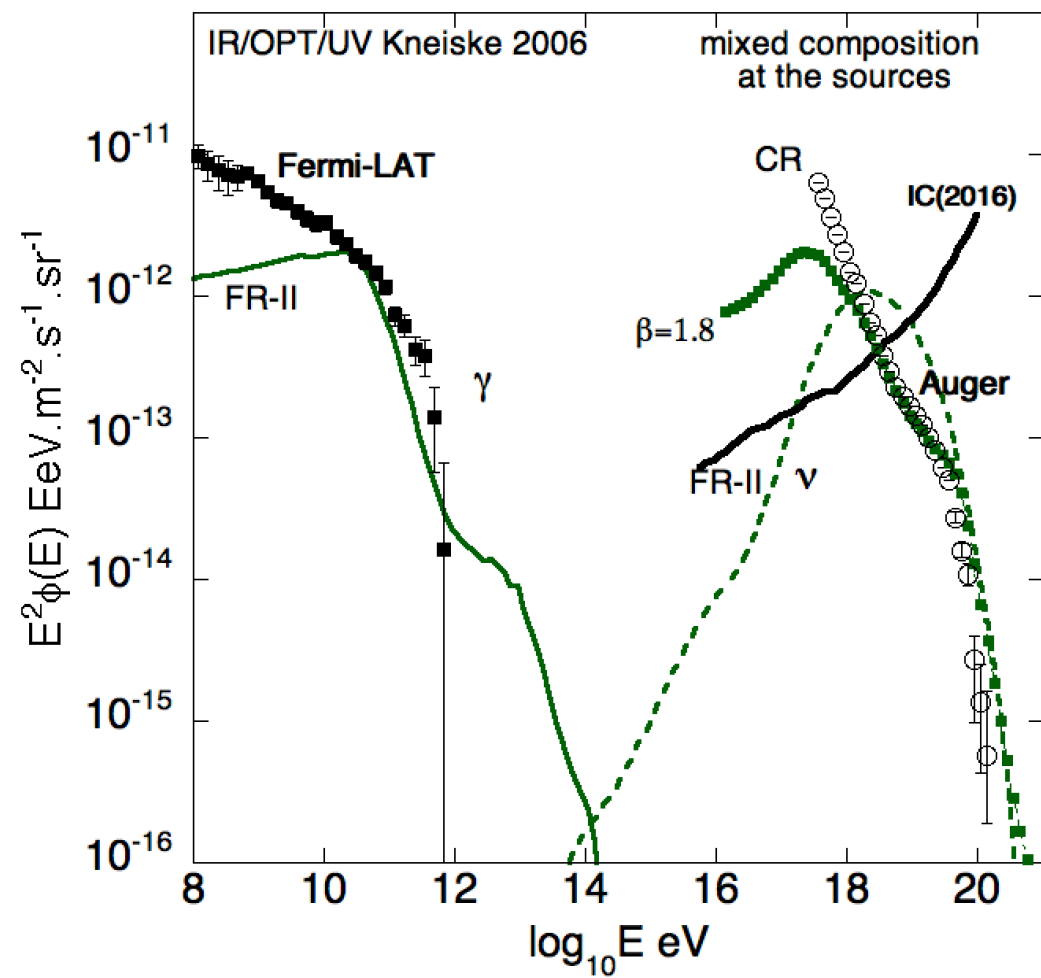


The range of cosmogenic neutrino fluxes predicted in the framework of our model are low (mostly due to the low value of the maximum energy per nucleon)

Not observable by current and mid-term experiments
 POEMMA could see some neutrinos for GRB or SFR-like evolutions

However there is possibly more to observe than just the cosmogenic neutrinos from the dominant contribution to UHECRs

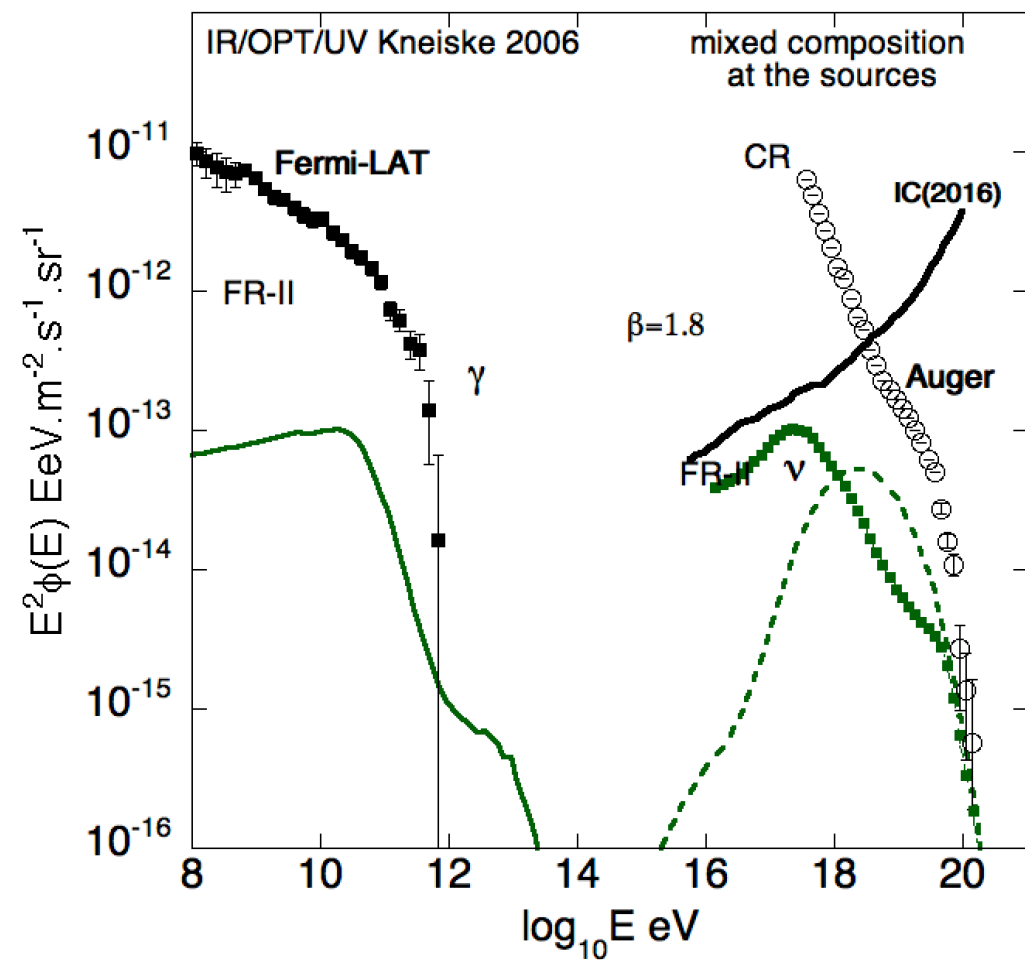
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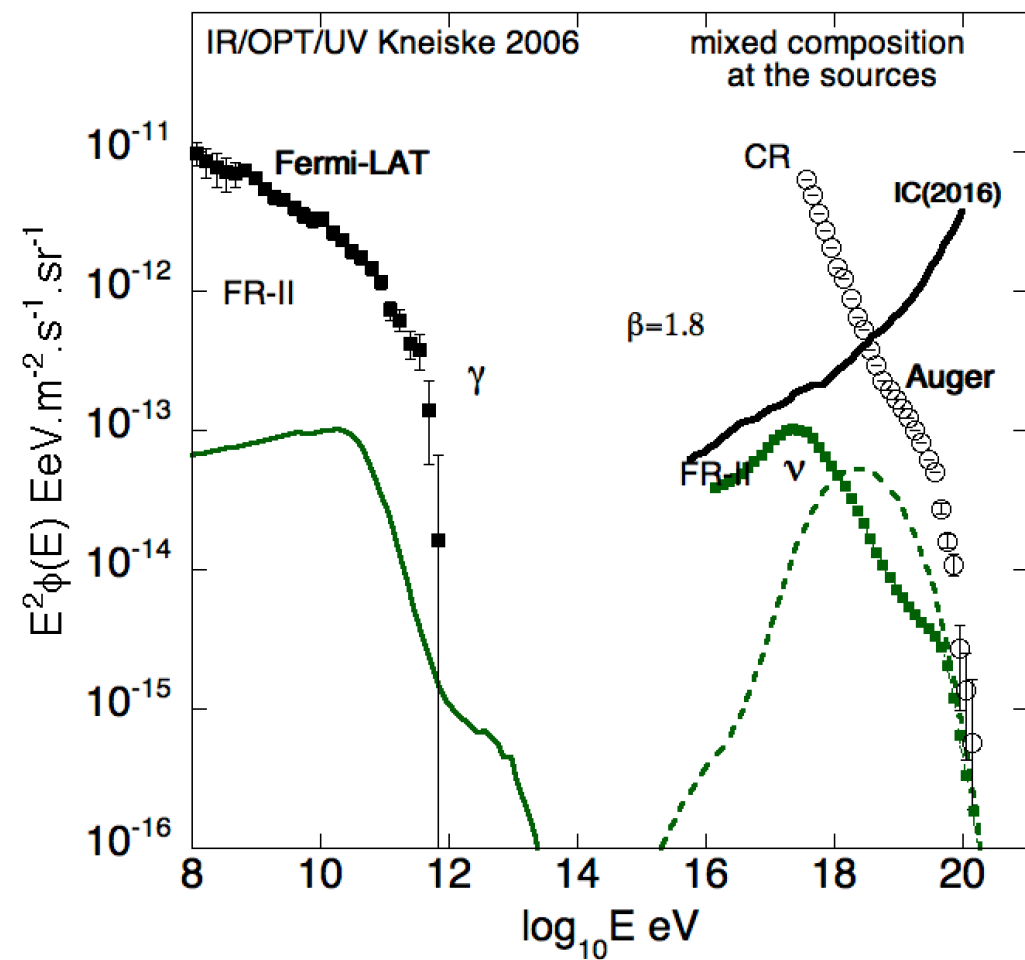
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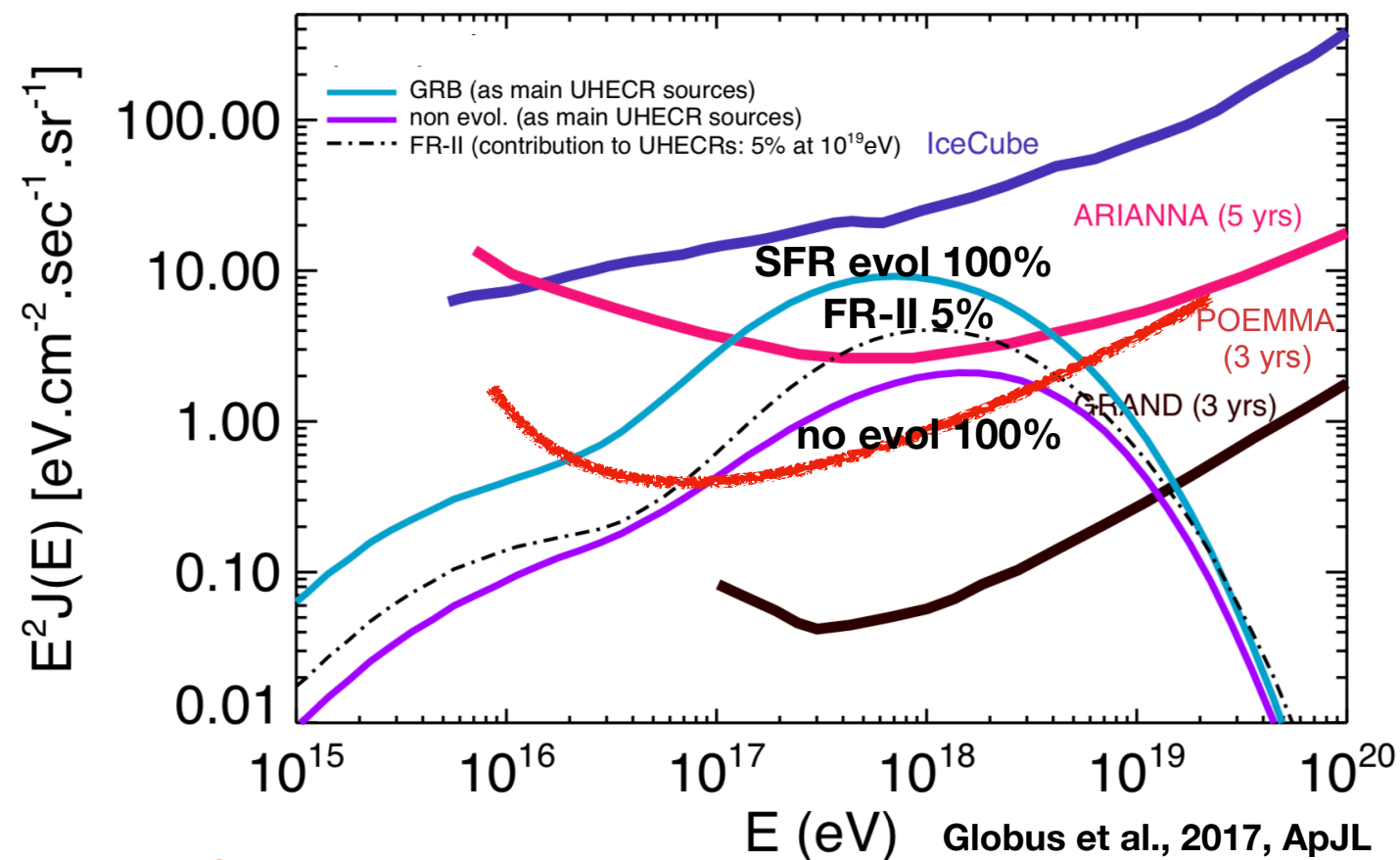
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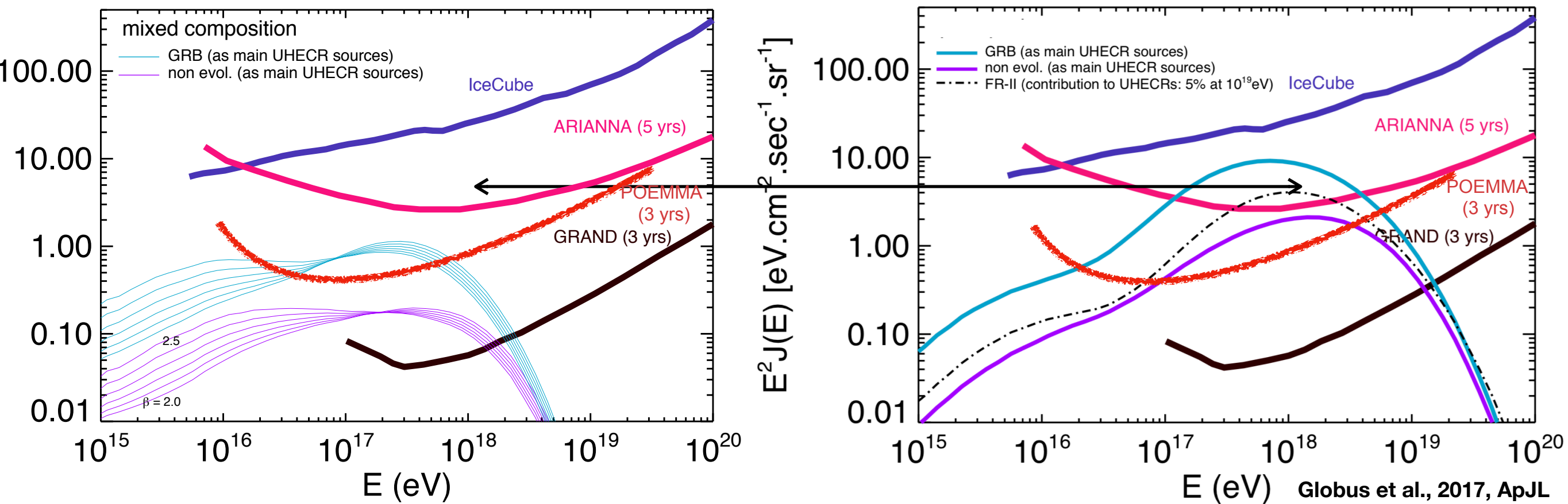
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Real window to constrain the presence of proton accelerator in the universe
(and not only within the GZK horizon)

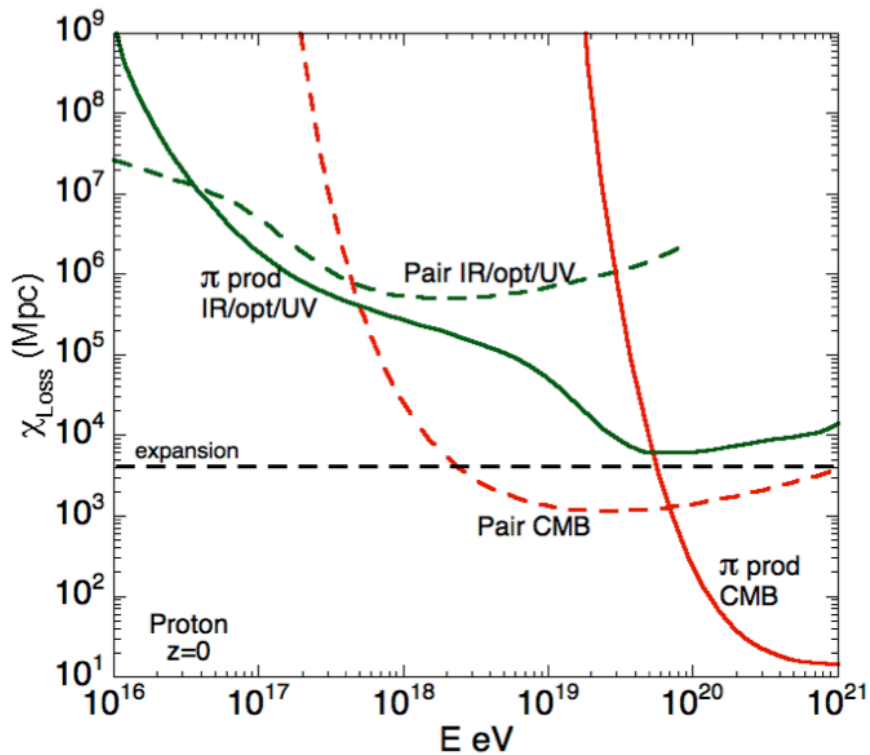


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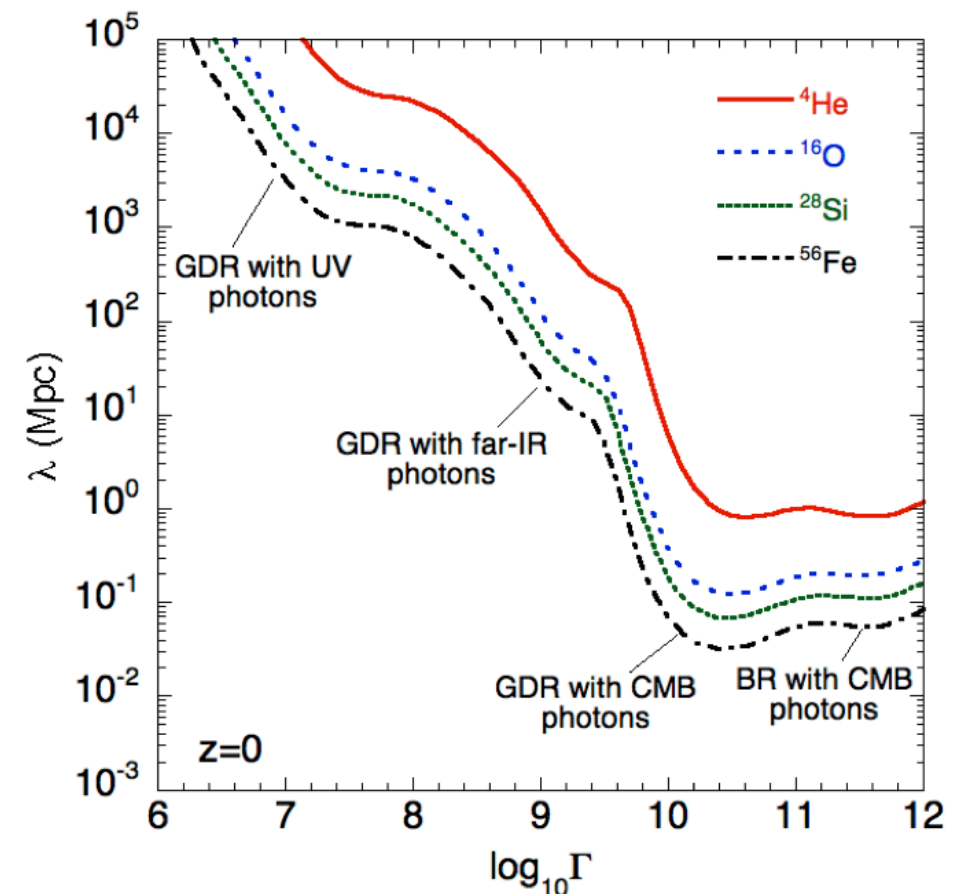
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The GZK effect for protons and nuclei

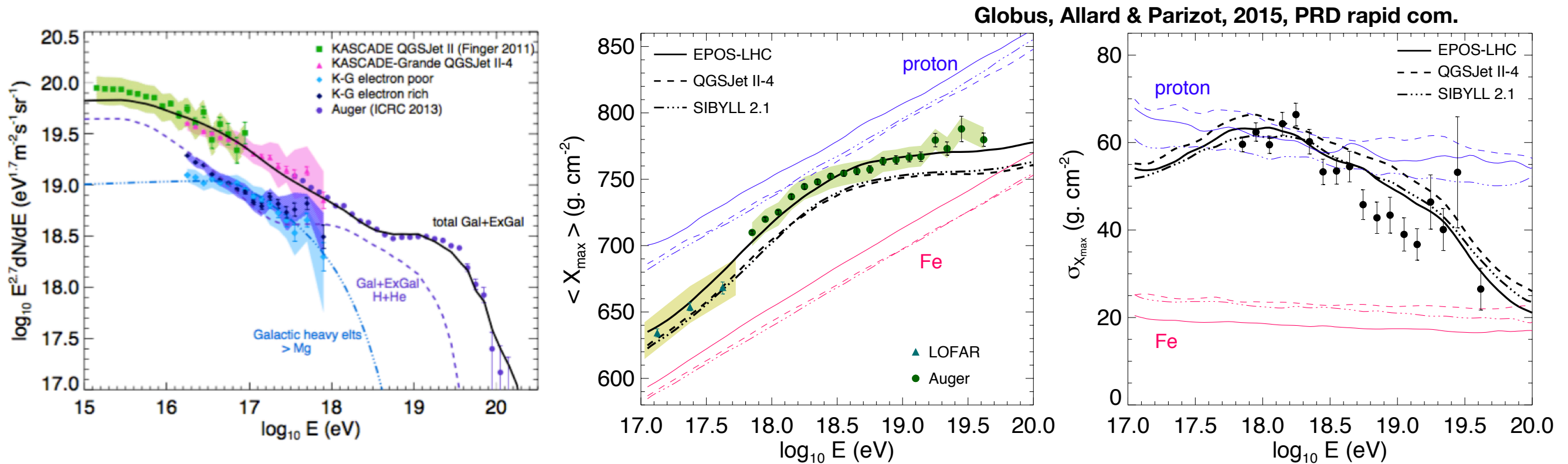


proton attenuation length as a function of the energy :
 Strong decrease above $\sim 5 \cdot 10^{19}$ eV due to pion production with CMB photons
 \rightarrow Horizon of UHE proton gets reduced above this energy
 \rightarrow GZK cut-off for protons

nuclei mean free path for giant dipole resonance (photodisintegration) as a function of the Lorentz factor :
 Strong decrease above $\Gamma \sim 5 \cdot 10^9$ due to GDR interaction with CMB photons
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Phenomenological model : implications for the GCR to EGCR transition



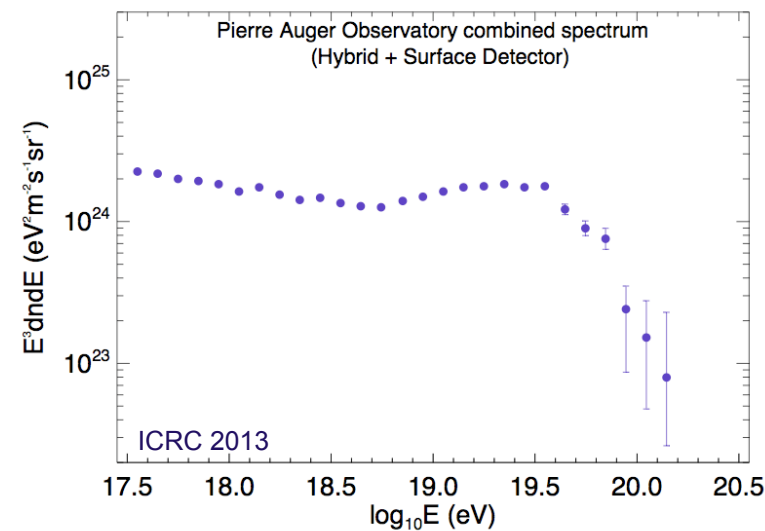
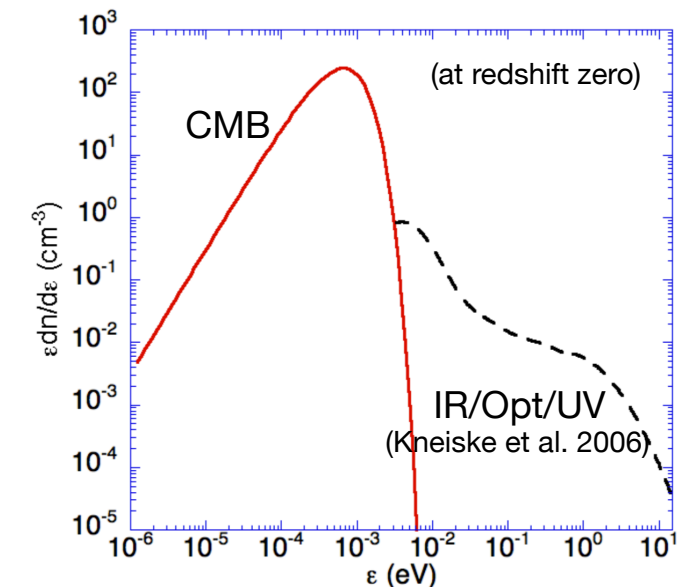
Extragalactic model coupled to a simple description of the Galactic component
(abundances obtained from balloon and satellite measurements, broken power laws assumed to reproduce the knee of the different species at energies proportional to Z)

- Fair reproduction of the light ankle and heavy galactic component
- Good description of Auger composition observables when using the latest (LHC tested) hadronic models
- Good agreement with more recent Auger analyses (down to 10^{17} eV) and recent LOFAR (radio) measurements (as well as older HiRes MIA results)

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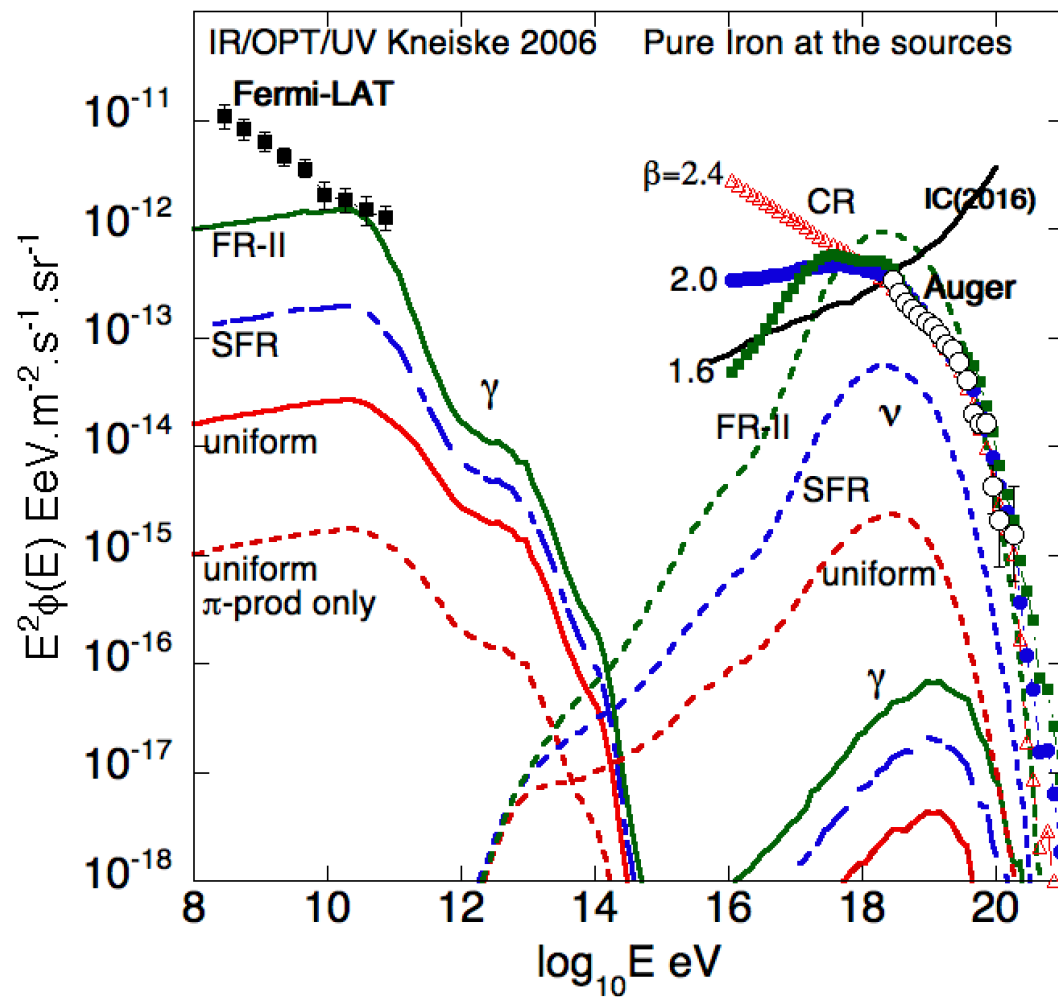


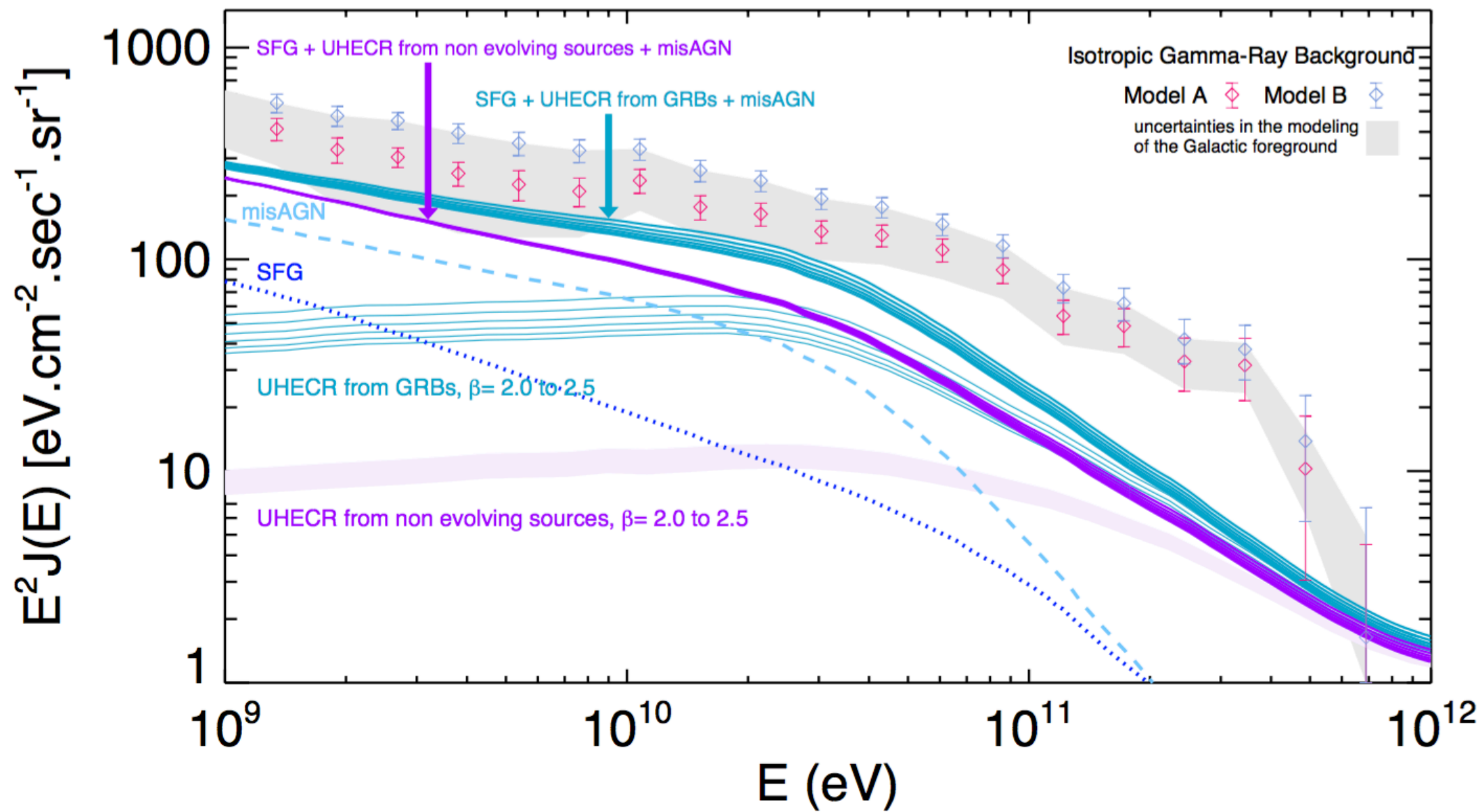
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Large amount of interactions with CMB photons emitting neutrinos **not guaranteed** unless the highest energy cosmic-ray are light

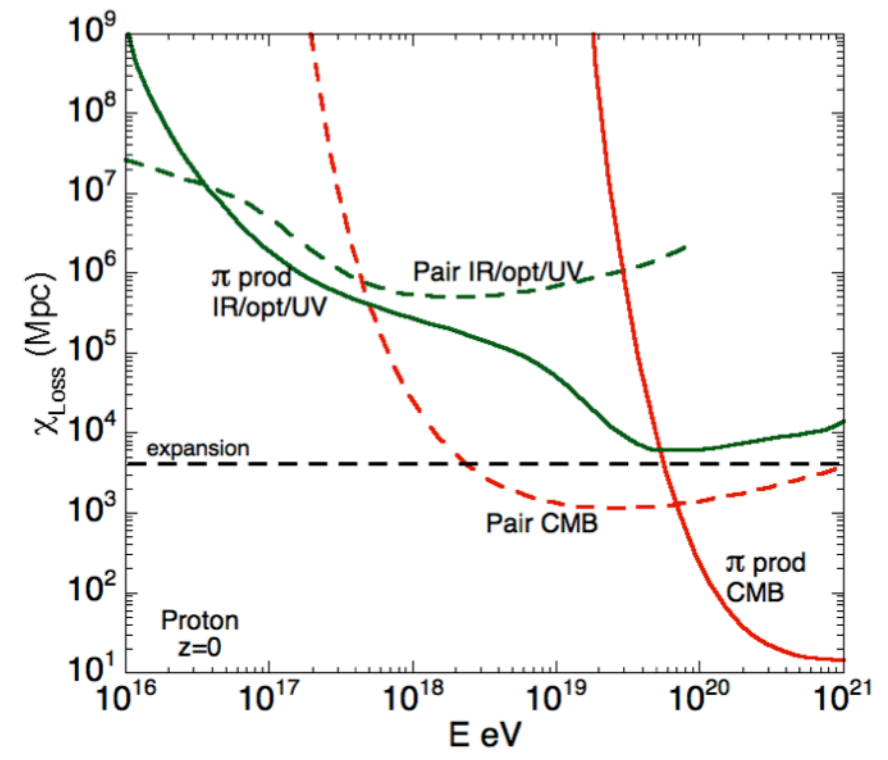
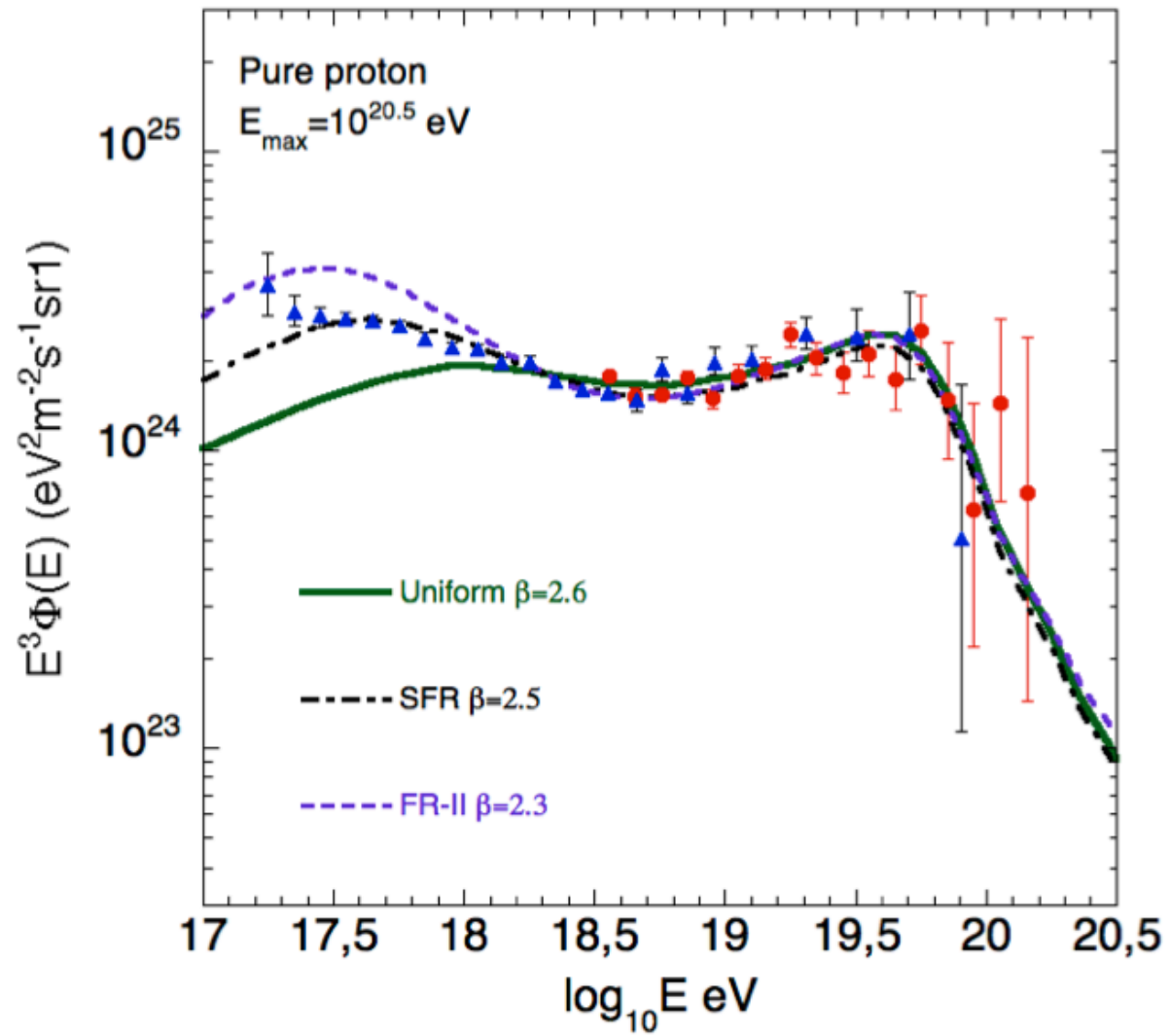
Some examples of constraints brought by cosmogenic secondaries (III)

Assuming the maximum energy per nucleon is well above 10^{20} eV (what most people thought until ~2010) pure iron at the sources :





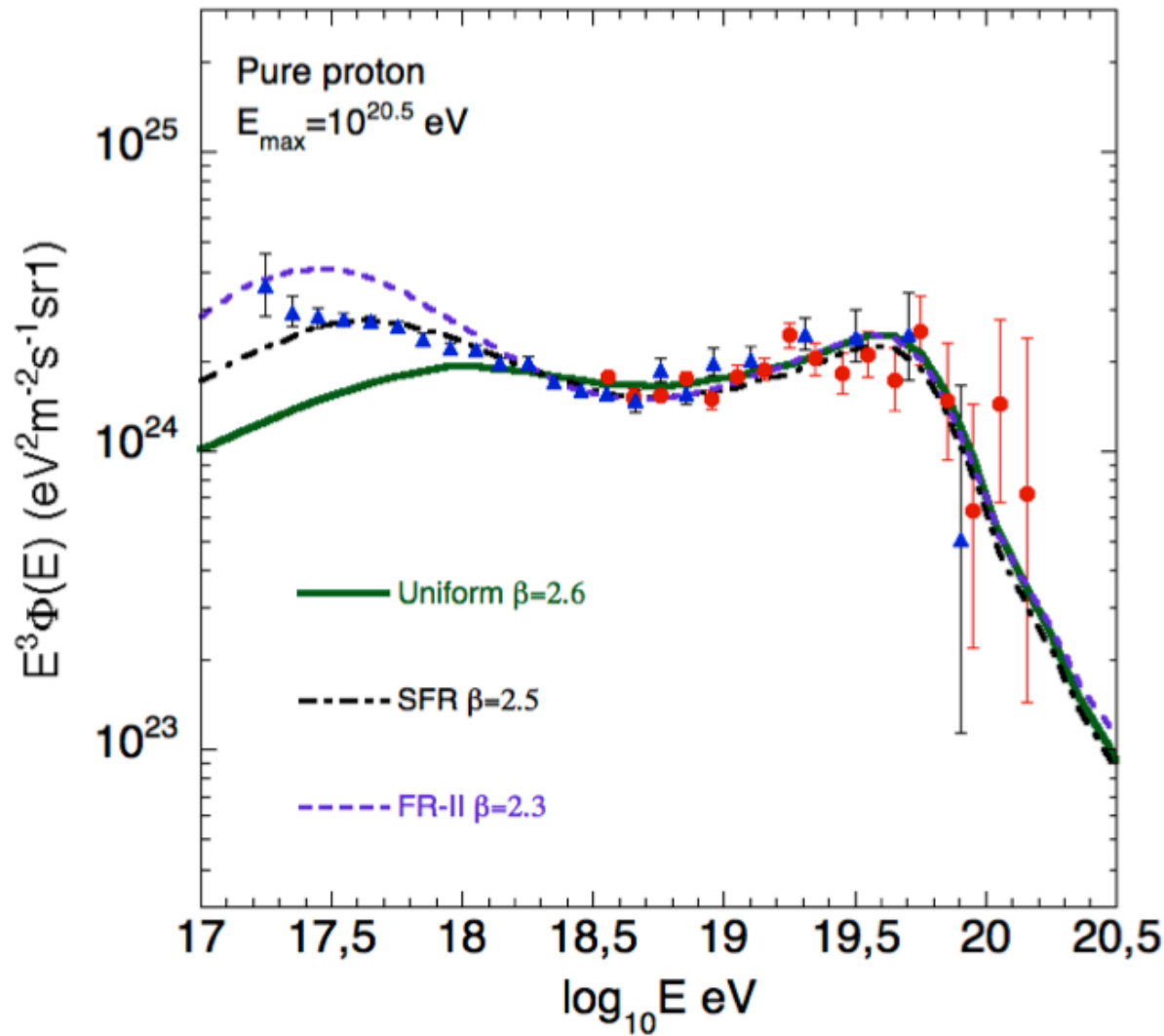
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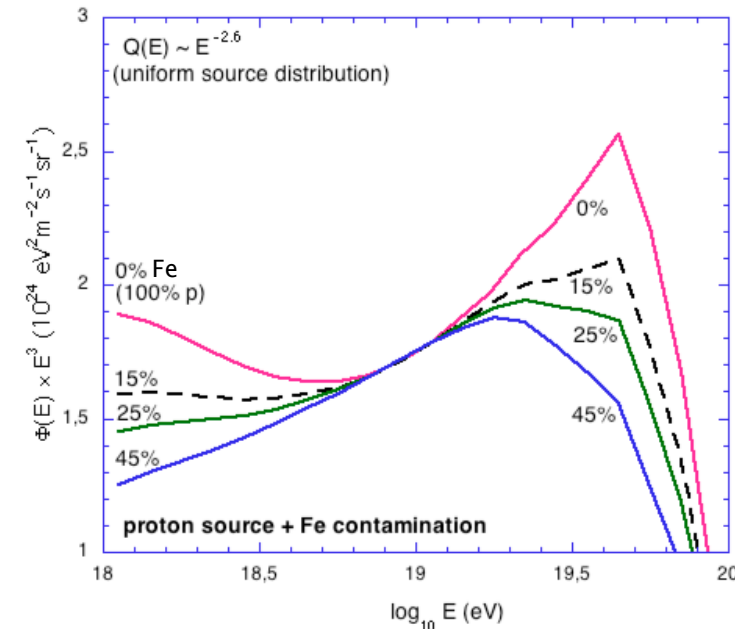
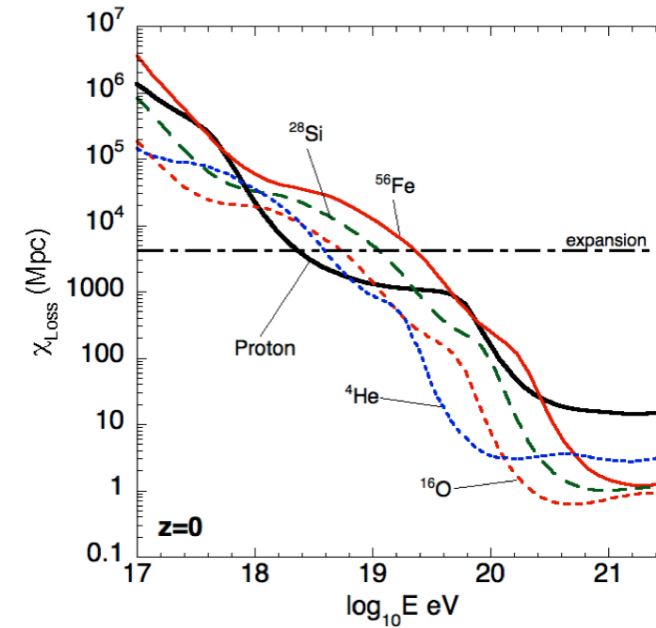
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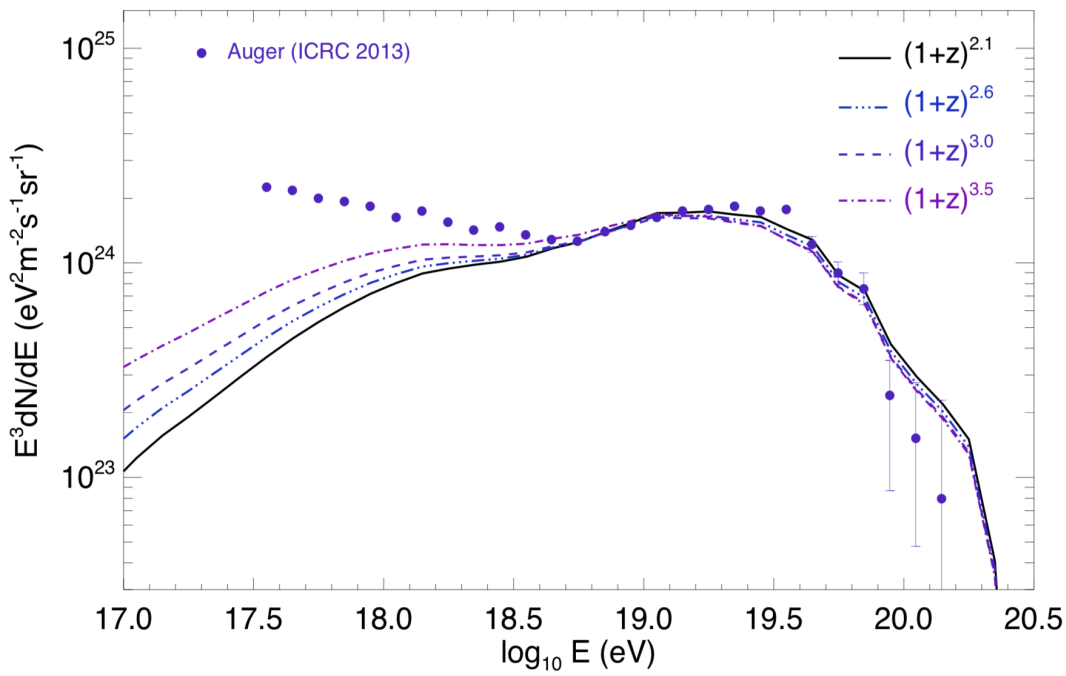
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BUT



The attenuation length evolution is different for nuclei

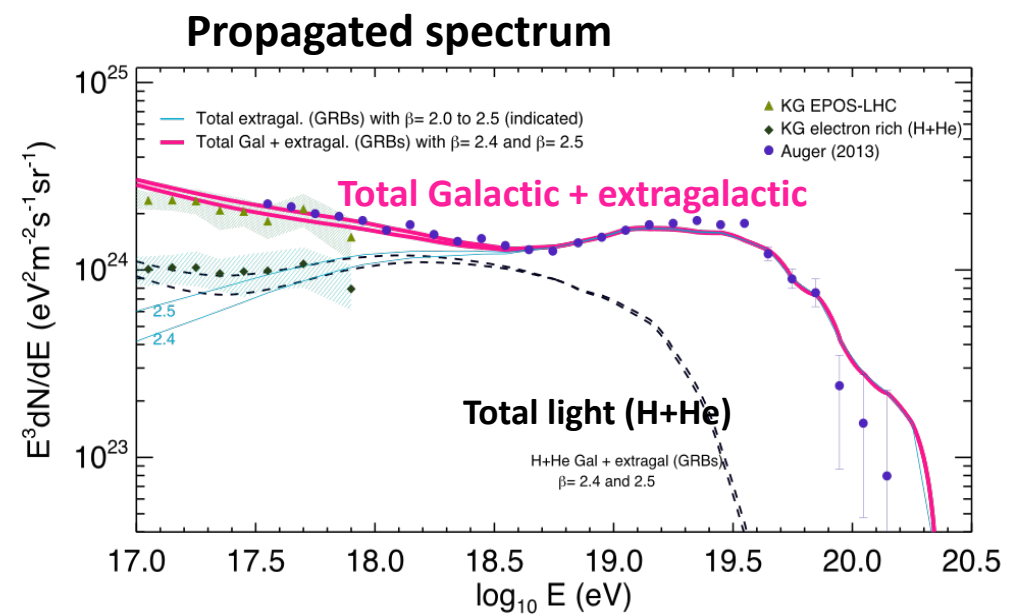
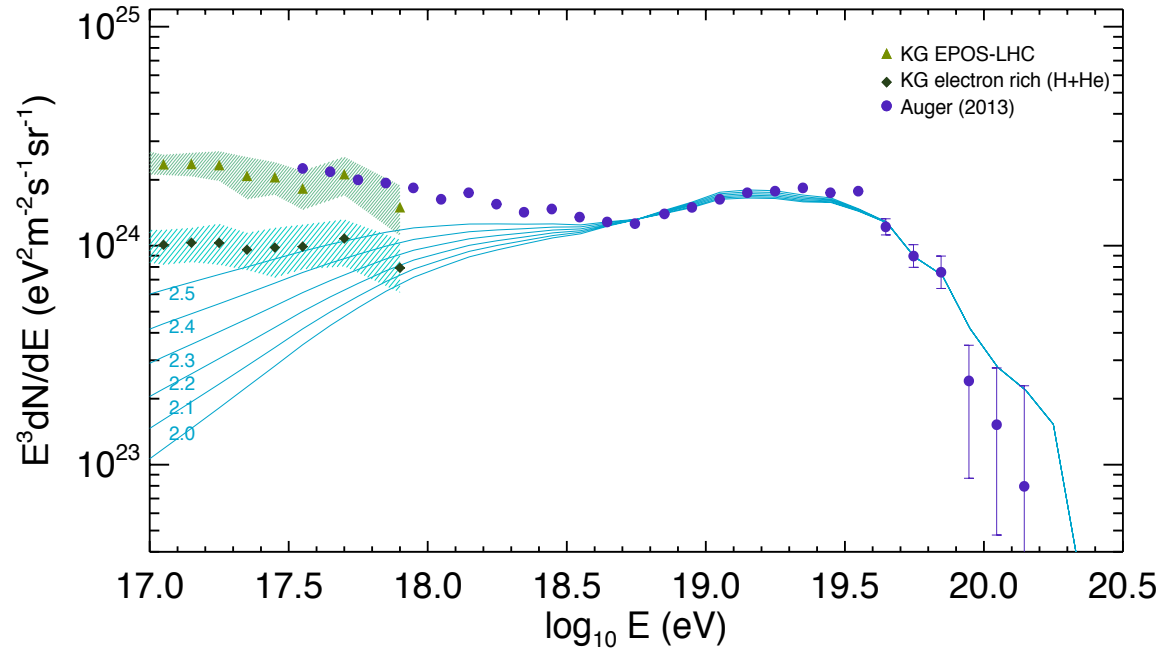
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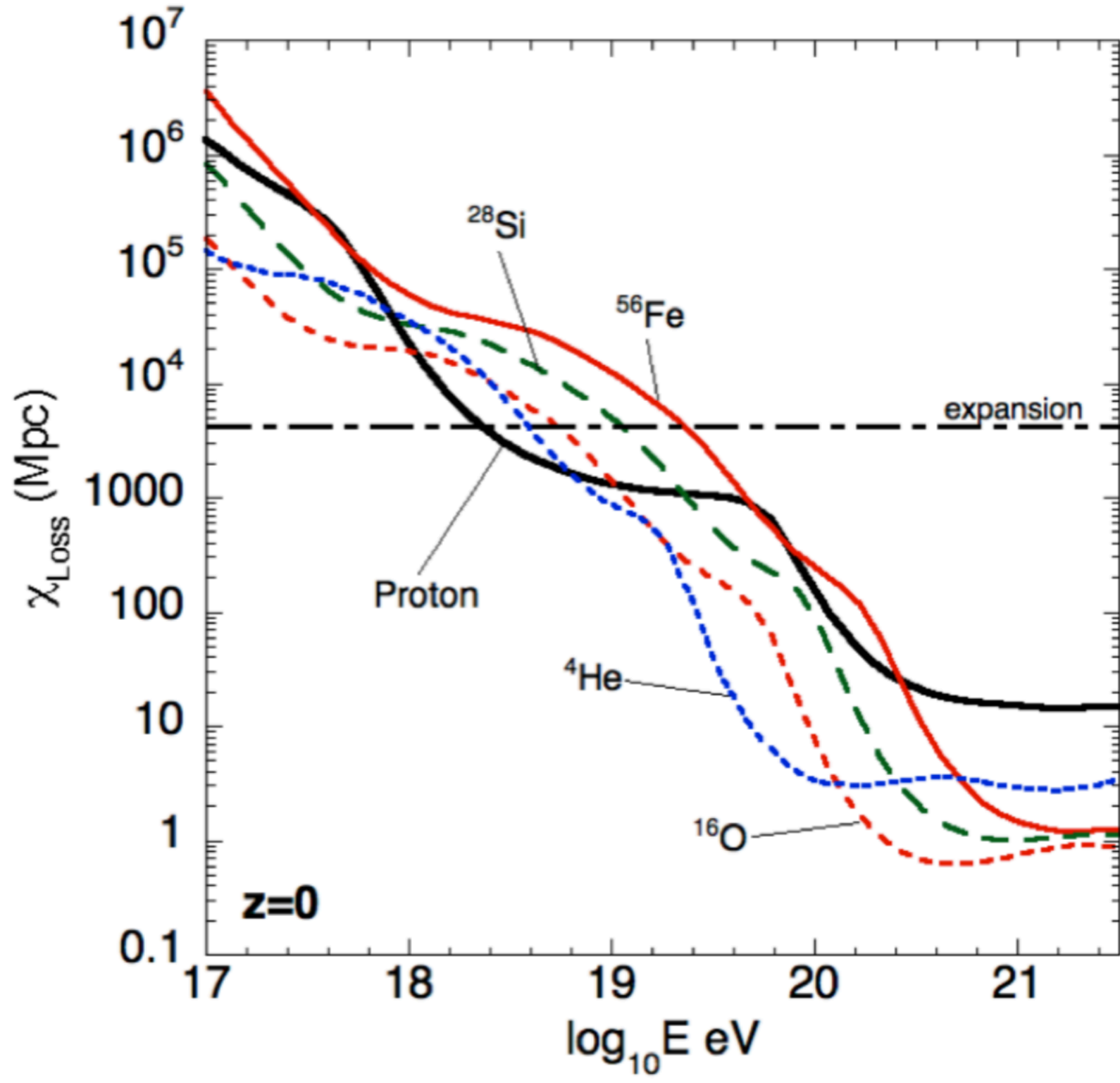


To match the KG light component estimate with post-LHC hadronic models, a boost of the predicted proton component is need

It can be done in two ways :

- Choose a stronger cosmological evolution
 - Assume a softer spectrum for the protons
 - ➔ in both cases these modifications result in larger predicted cosmogonic photon fluxes
- These fluxes however remain compatible with Fermi 2010 IGRB**

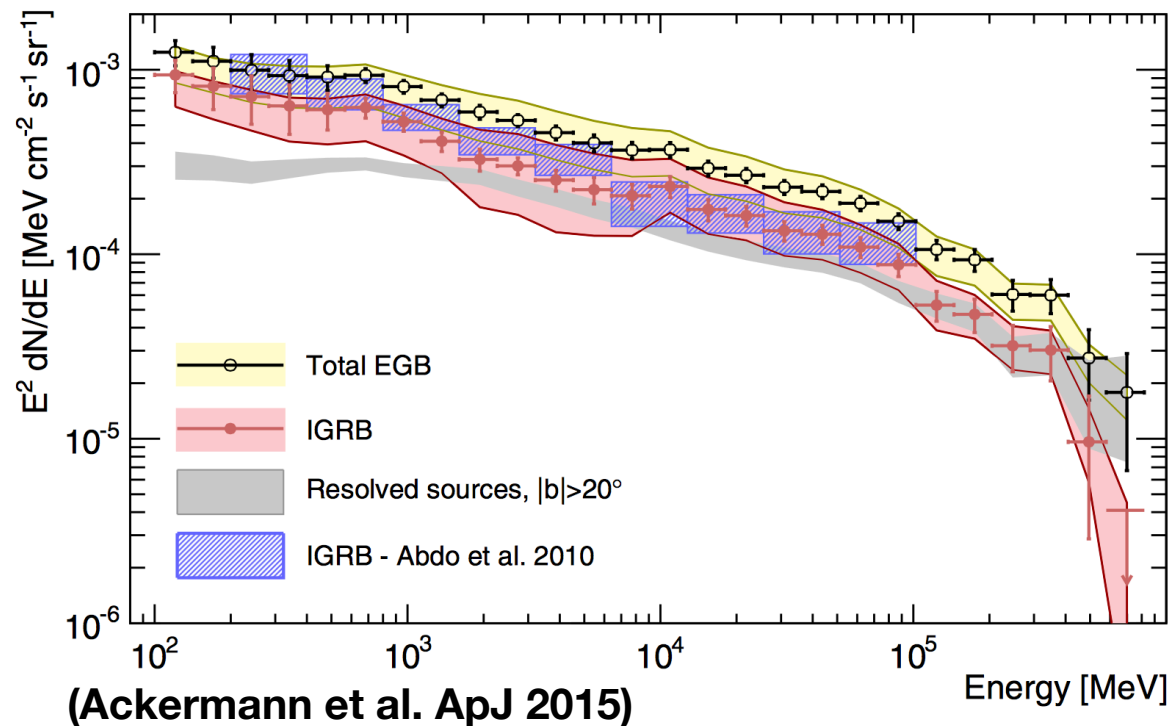




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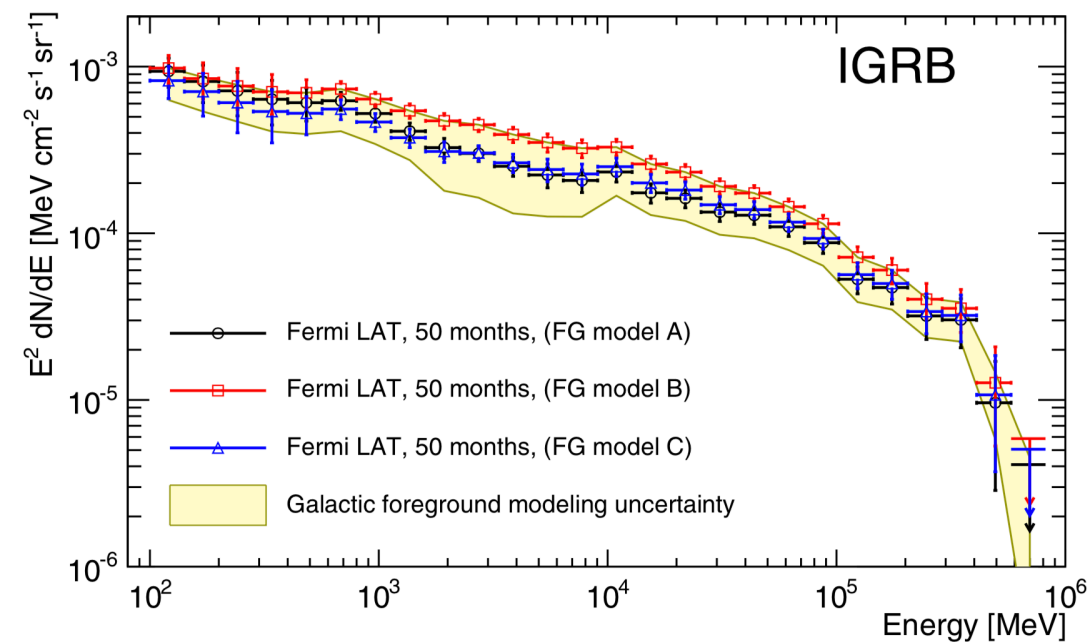
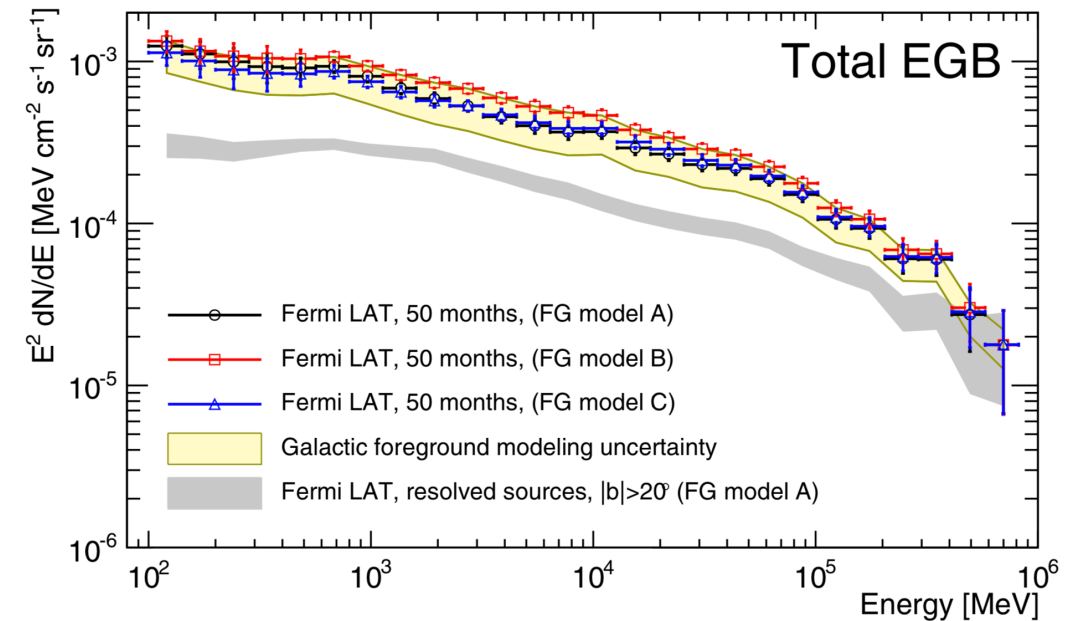
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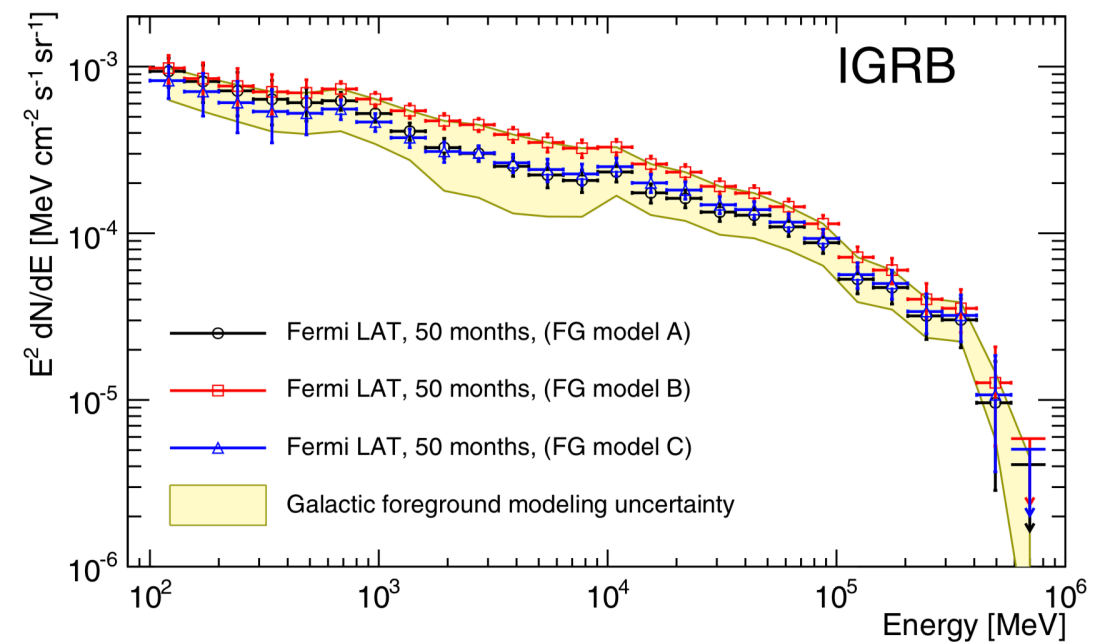
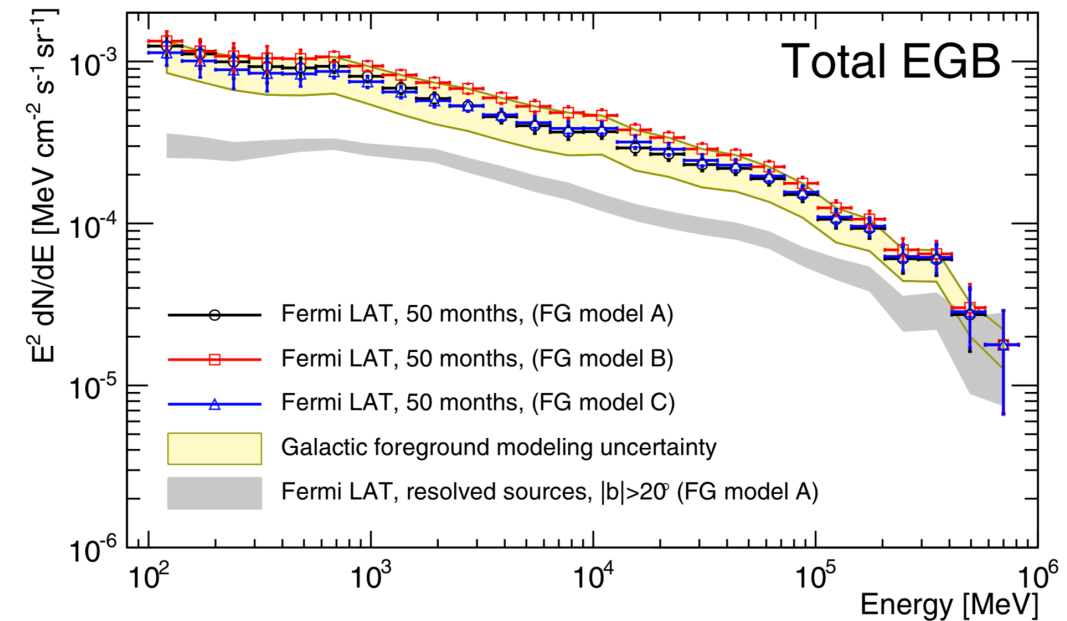
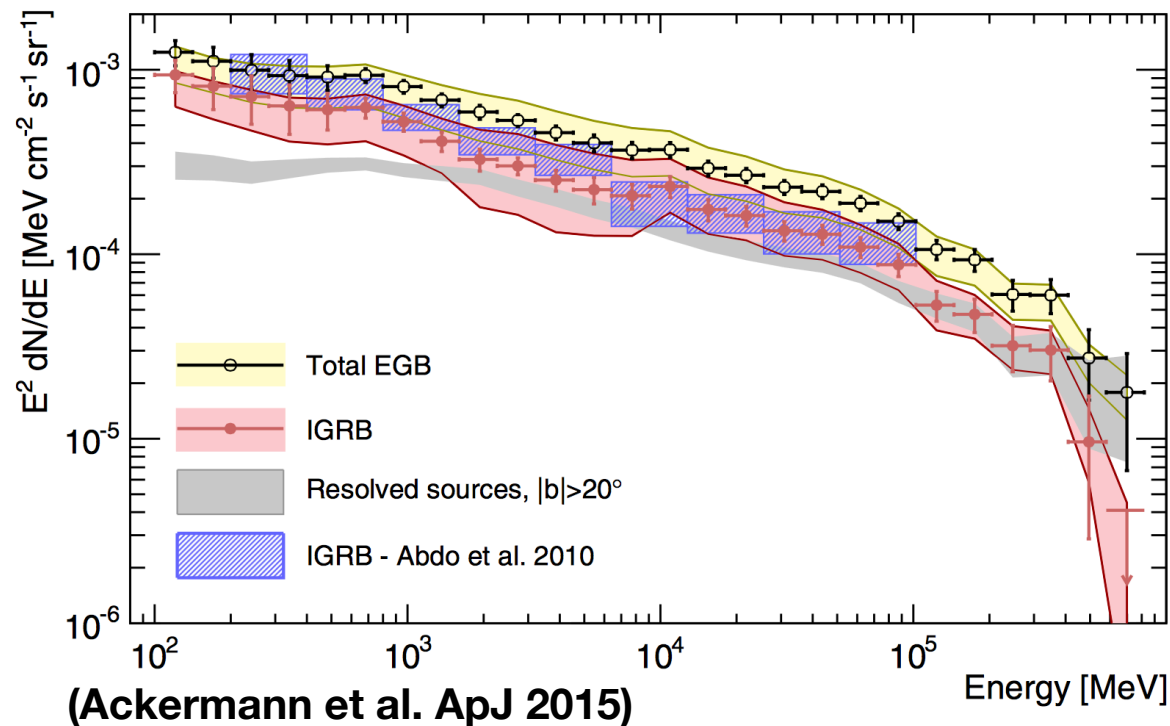
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$$\pi^- \rightarrow \mu^- + \bar{\nu}_\mu, \mu^- \rightarrow \nu_\mu + e^- + \bar{\nu}_e$$

vs only suffer from adiabatic losses while propagating in the EGM
 e^+/e^- and γ further cascade by interacting with the EBL :

$$e+\gamma_{\text{EBL}} \rightarrow e'+\gamma \quad \text{ICS}$$

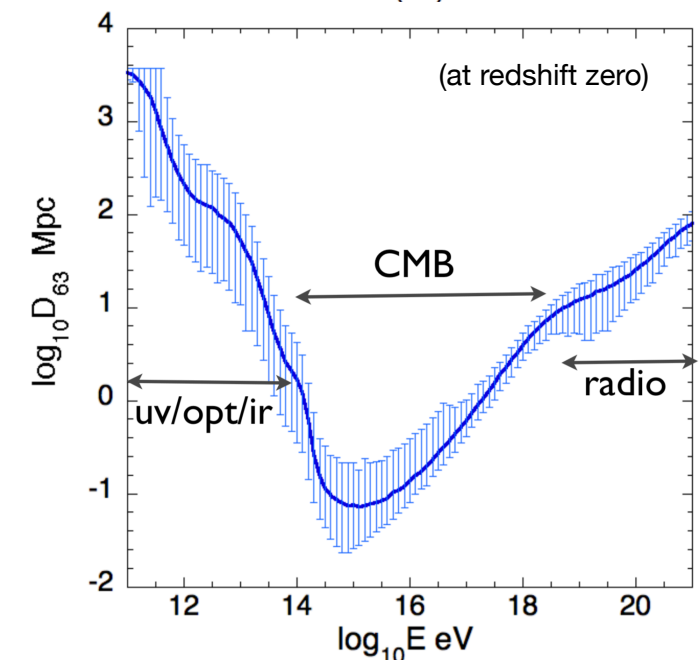
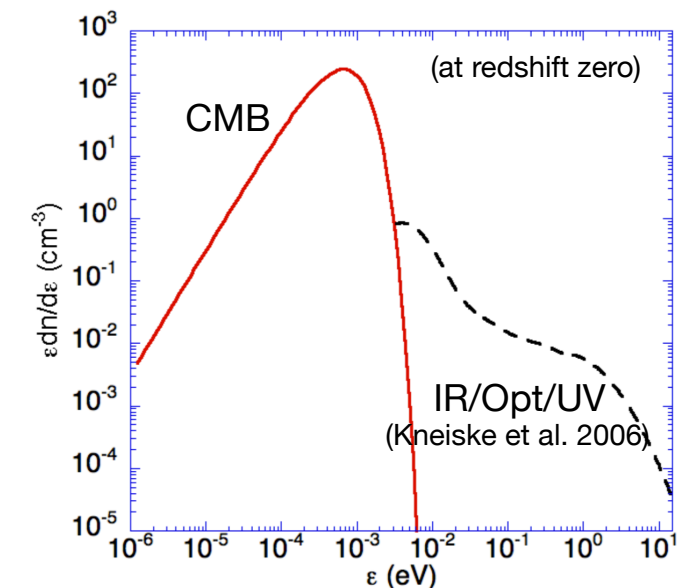
➡ the universe is opaque to high-energy γ s (pile-up at sub-TeV energies)

$$\gamma+\gamma_{\text{EBL}} \rightarrow e^++e^- \quad \text{pair production}$$

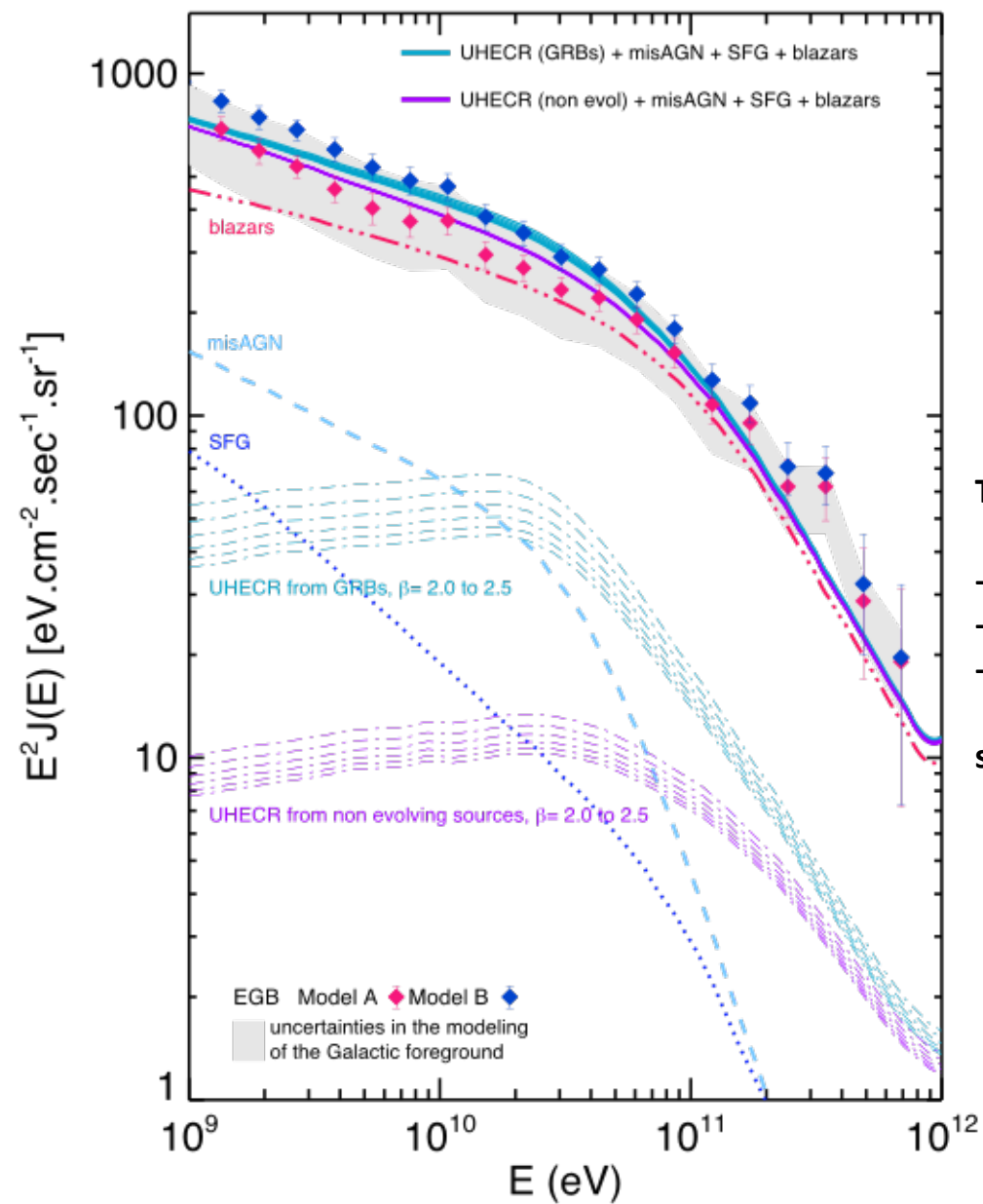
Diffuse UHECR ($E > 10^{17}$ eV) flux

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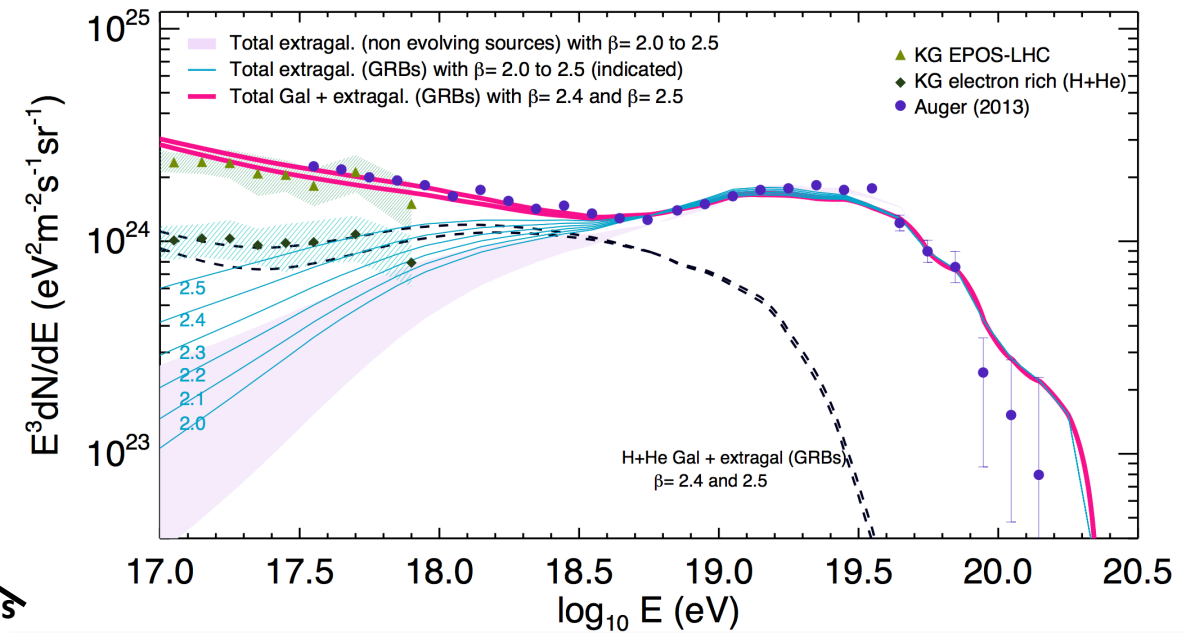
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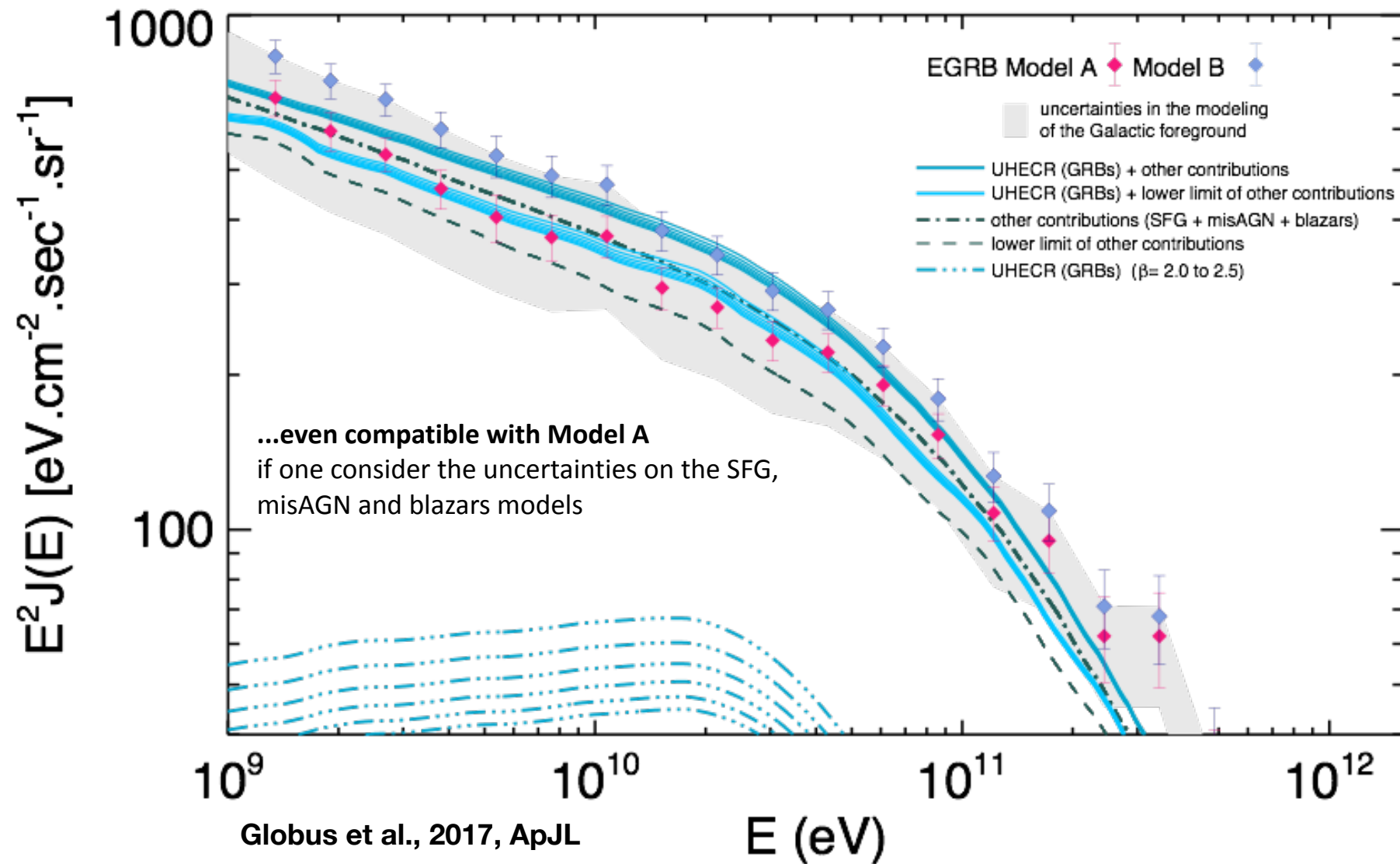
Total of all contributions

- SFGs (Ackermann et al. 2012, Fermi Collab.)
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- blazars (Ajello et al. 2015)

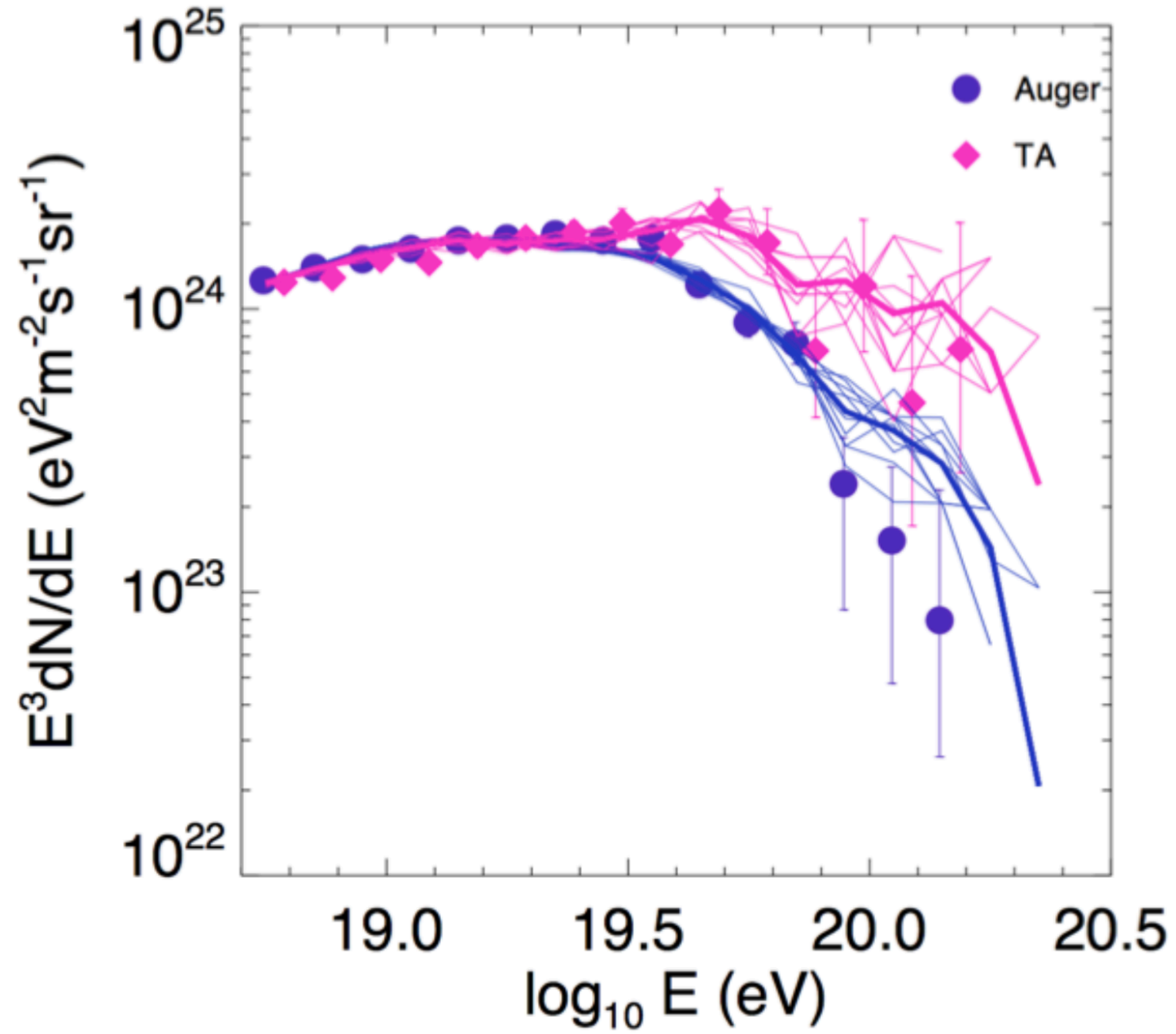
seems compatible with Model B...

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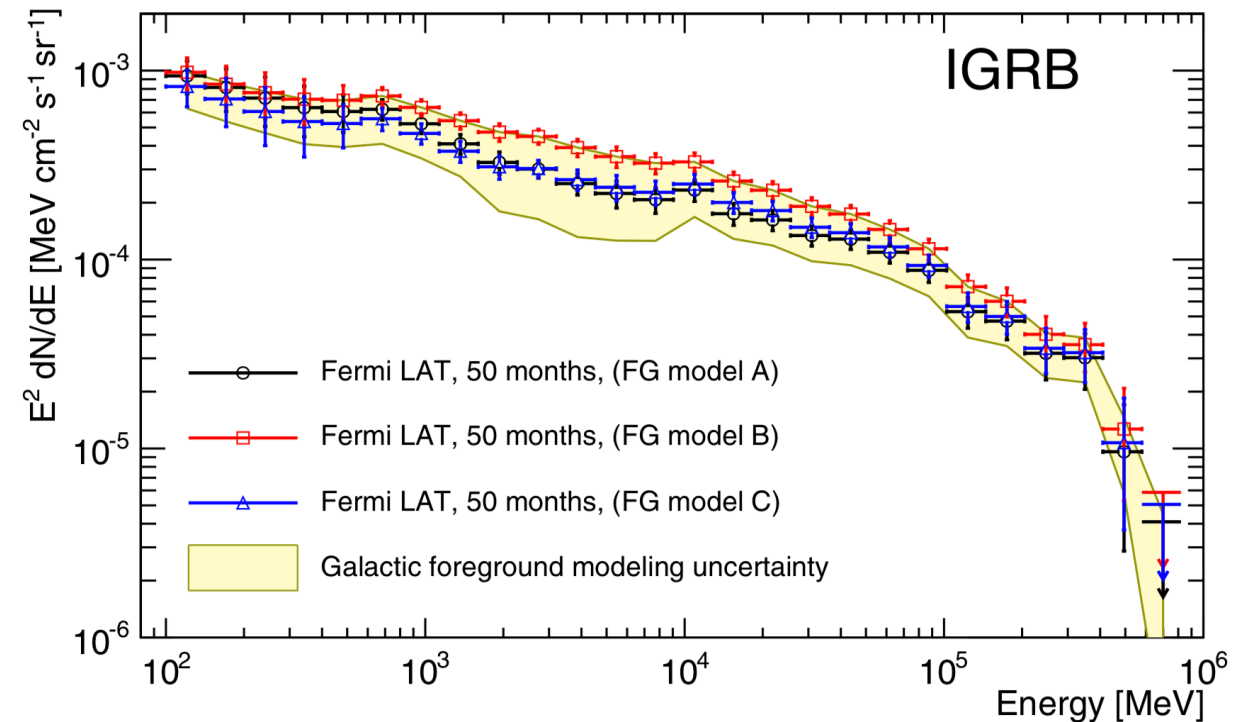
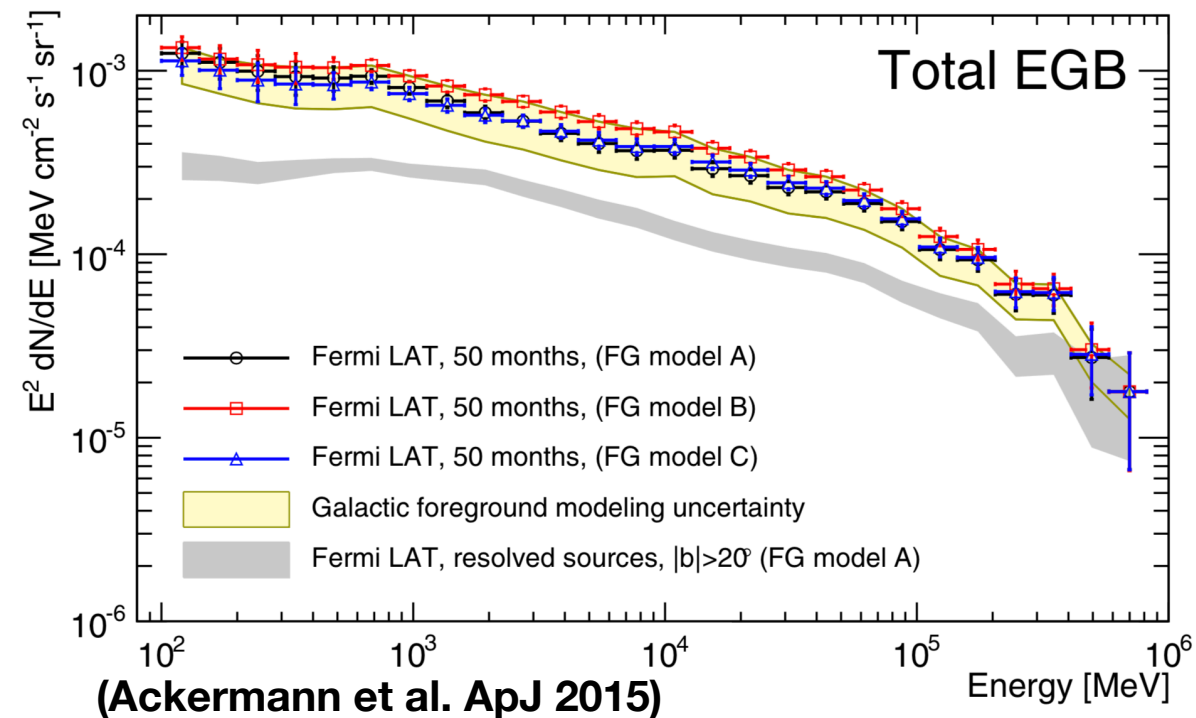
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F_{UHECR} ($\times 10^{-10} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1} \text{ sr}^{-1}$)	GRB	170	120	44	32	2.5	2.7	260	190	67	48	3.4	3.7	
	SFR	200	140	51	38	3.6	3.9	270	190	70	52	4.7	5.1	
	non evol	42	30	11	8.6	1.1	1.3	58	41	15	11	1.4	1.6	
% Model B	$F_{\text{UHECR}}/F_{\text{EGB}}$	GRB	4.6	6.2	8.5	12	9.6	9.4	7.0	9.5	13	17	13	13
		SFR	5.3	7.1	9.8	14	14	13	7.3	9.9	14	19	18	17
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		SFR	6.5	8.9	12	18	17	16	9.0	12	17	24	23	21
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(considering the mean values of the SFG+misAGN models)

Cosmogenic γ -rays always represent a relatively small fraction of the EGRB even for GRB or SFR evolution and model A
 Can be comfortably added to the other contribution in the case of model B

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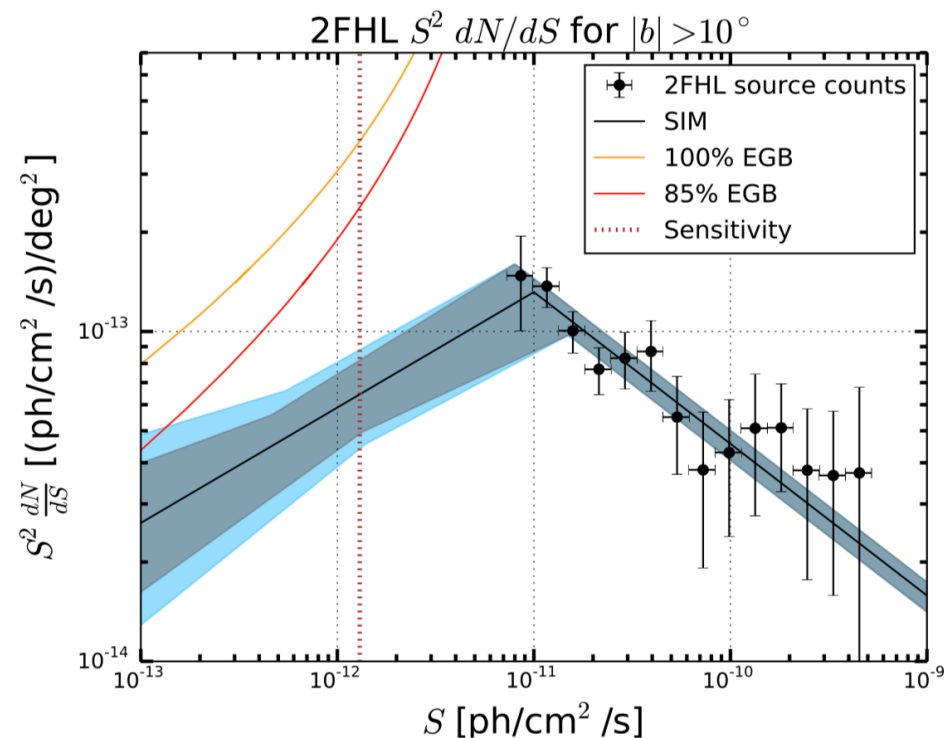
Different estimates of the contribution of point sources (resolved and unresolved) to the total γ -ray background were proposed

2 recent studies:

- Ackermann et al., PRL, 2016 (**A16**)

- Zechlin et al., ApJ, 2016 (**Z16**)

(based on a method proposed in Malyshev & Hogg 2011)



(Ackermann et al., PRL 2016)

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$F_{PS} (\times 10^{-9} \text{ cm}^{-2} \cdot \text{s}^{-1} \cdot \text{sr}^{-1})$	250^{+20}_{-40}	124^{+7}_{-25}	27^{+8}_{-3}	14^{+6}_{-1}	$1.7^{+1.1}_{-0.4}$	$2.07^{+0.40}_{-0.34}$
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The contribution of the resolved point sources is estimated for fluxes well below the point source detection limits using the so-called “photon fluctuations analysis”

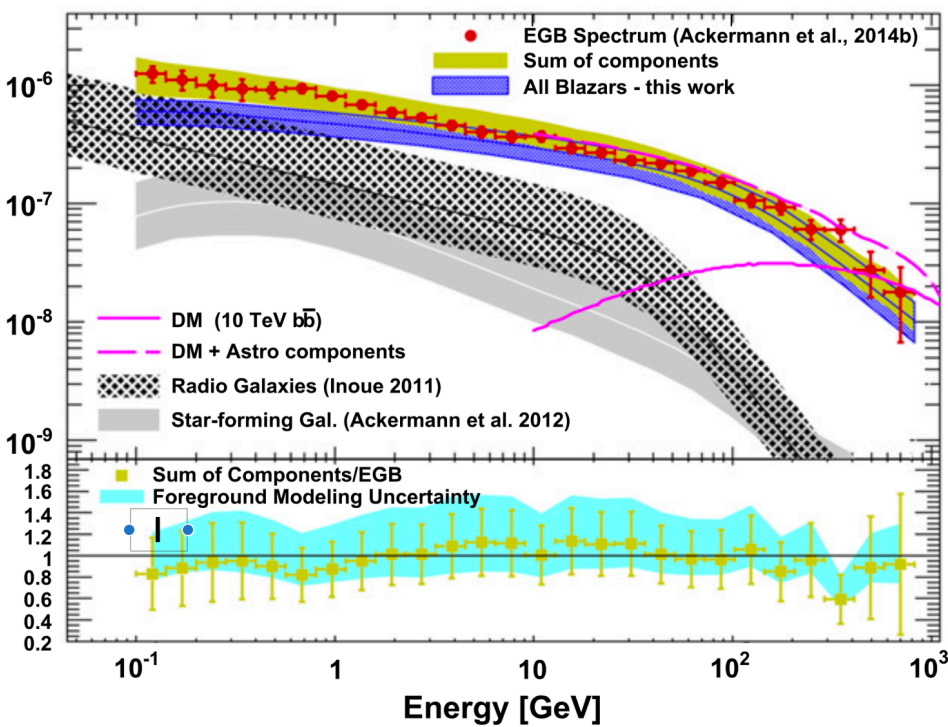
➔ fluxes due to (resolved and unresolved) point sources are estimated in each energy bands

➔ fractional contributions to the total γ -ray background are deduced in each bands

➔ **Large fractions deduced**

NB : these estimates are probably including blazar point sources and might not include the contributions of weak sources (but numerous) such as star-forming galaxies and misaligned AGNs

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Ajello et al., ApJ, 2015

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Using theoretical estimates of the contribution (almost exclusively unresolved) of SFG and misaligned AGNs one can add their contributions to that attributed to blazars in Z16 and A16

The contribution of UHECR must added to those of astrophysical sources to check whether or not a given astrophysical model is viable.

Globus, Allard & Parizot, 2015,
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