

# Mesogenesis

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Yet another none Mega Dark Matter talk

# The History of the Universe

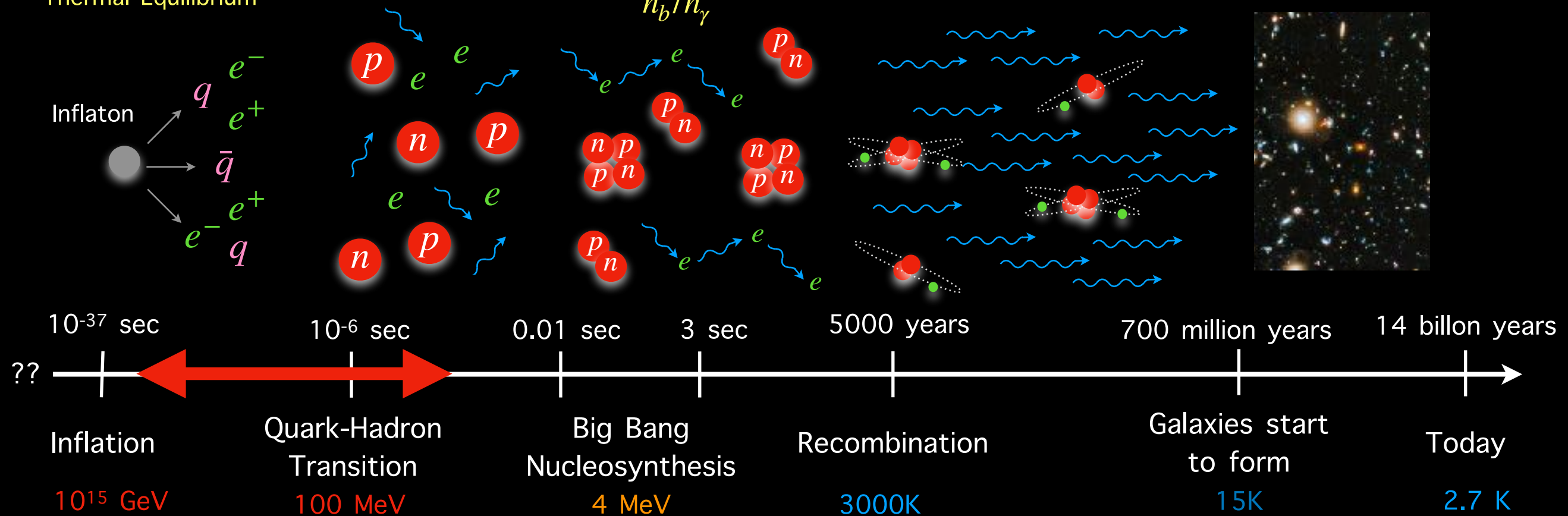
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Hadrons

He, D, Li nuclei

Neutral atoms, CMB

Galaxies, Earth, you.



**Baryogenesis?**

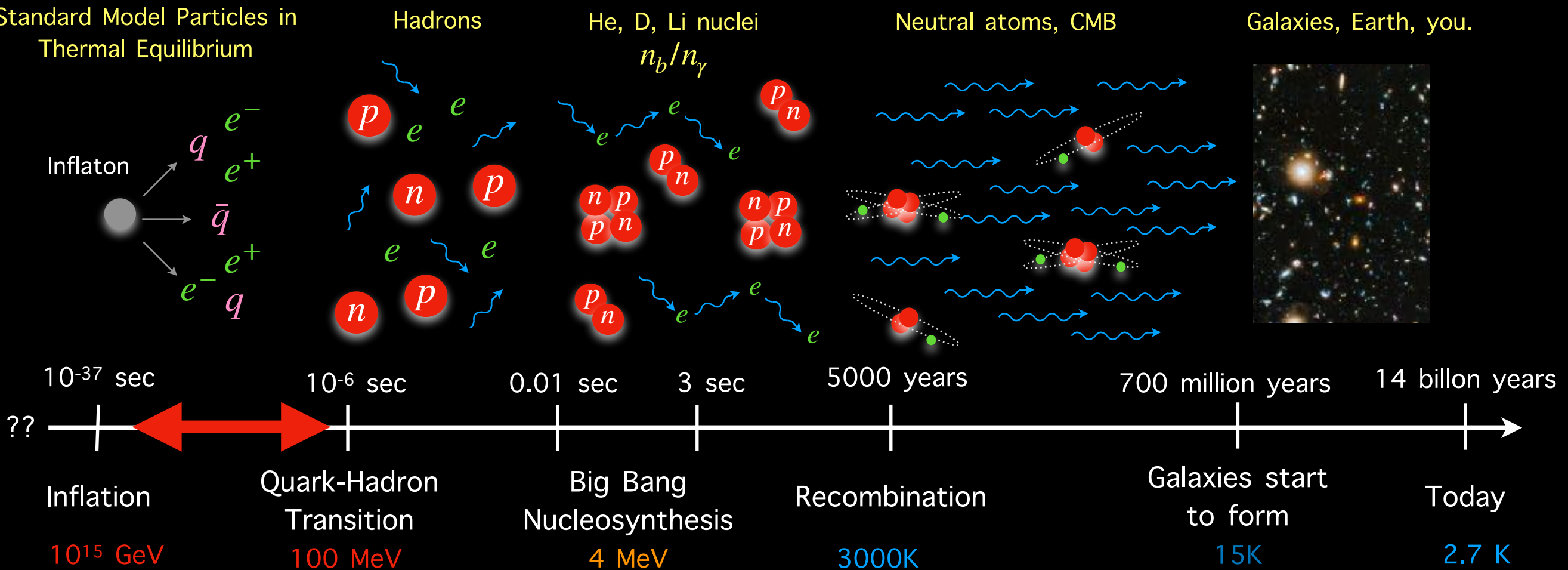
What mechanism generated the initial asymmetry? Observed to be (BBN, CMB):

$$Y_B^{\text{obs}} \equiv \frac{n_B - n_{\bar{B}}}{s} \sim 8 \times 10^{-11}$$



# “Traditional” Baryogenesis

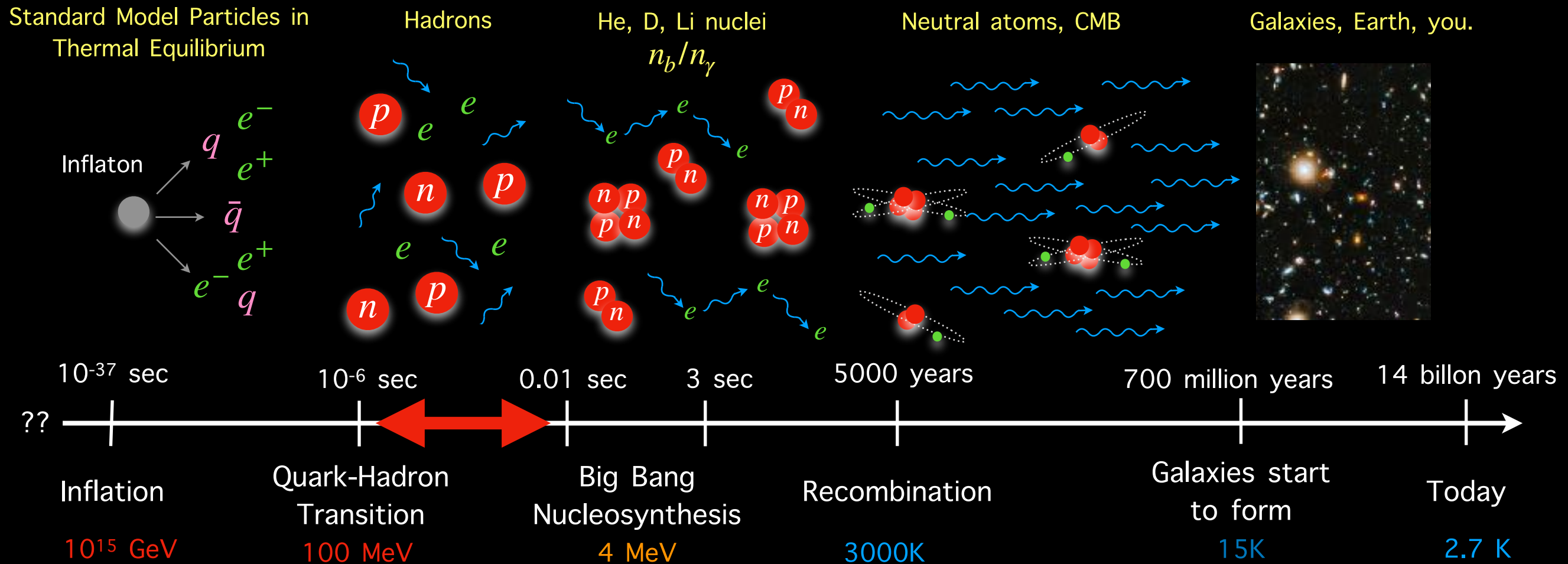
Standard Model Particles in Thermal Equilibrium



## High-Scale Baryogenesis

- Electroweak baryogenesis (constrained)
- Leptogenesis (hard to test)
- Affleck-Dine (very hard to test)
- .....

# Making the Universe at 20MeV



**Mesogenesis:**  
baryon asymmetry + dark matter

- Controlled by experimental observables. Signals!
- Theoretically appealing e.g. Relaxion and Nnaturalness require low scale baryogenesis.

# Mesogenesis

How to generate a matter/antimatter asymmetry

$$Y_B^{\text{obs}} \equiv \frac{n_B - n_{\bar{B}}}{s} \sim 8 \times 10^{-11} \quad (\text{CMB, BBN})$$



*The Sakharov conditions (1967):*

- Out of thermal equilibrium: Late decays of “inflaton” field to SM Mesons.
- CP Violation: In SM Meson systems.
- “Baryon number violation”: SM Meson decays to dark leptons or baryons.

# The Many Flavors of Mesogenesis

Mechanism	CPV	Dark Sector	Observables	Relevant Experiments
$B^0$ Mesogenesis	$B_s^0$ & $B_d^0$ oscillations	Dark baryons	$A_{sl}^{s,d}$ $\text{Br}(B \rightarrow \mathcal{B} + X)$	LHCb $B$ Factories, LHCb
$D^+$ Mesogenesis	$D^\pm$ decays	Dark leptons and/or baryons	$A_{CP}^D$ $\text{Br}_{D^+}$ $\text{Br}(\mathcal{M}^+ \rightarrow \ell^+ + X)$	$B$ Factories, LHCb $B$ Factories, LHCb peak searches e.g. PSI, PIENU
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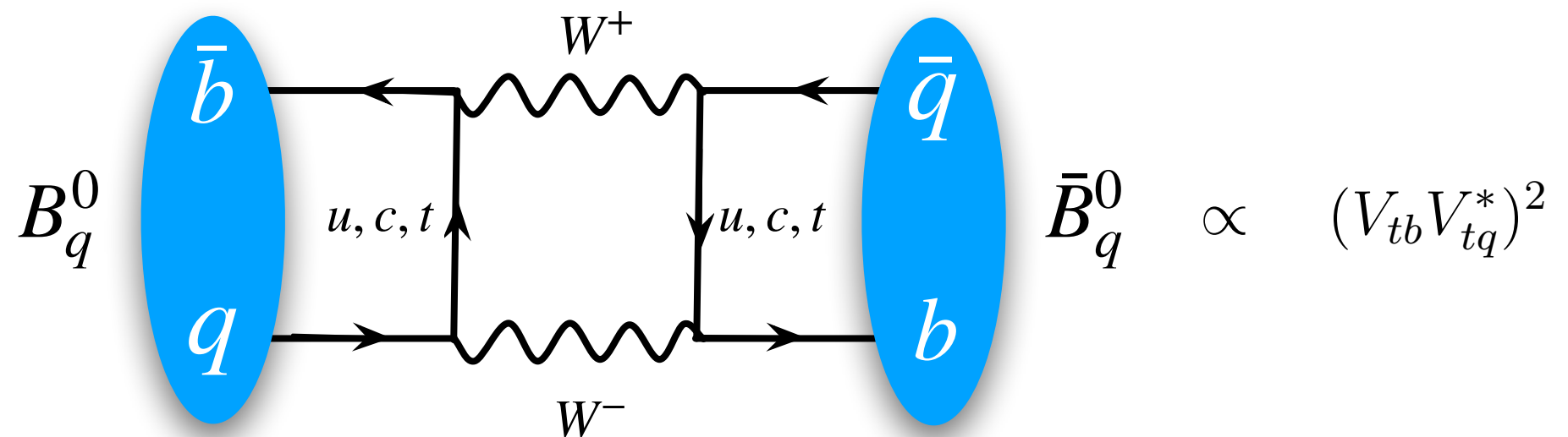
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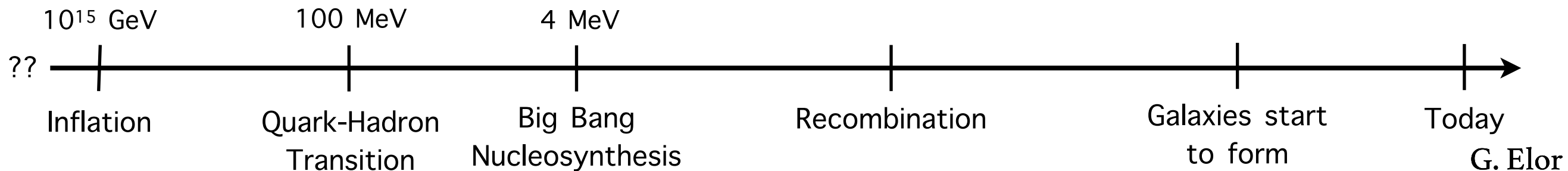
# Neutral $B$ Meson Oscillations



At low energies we can use CPV in  $B$  meson mixing  
e.g. from CKM phases in the case of the Standard Model  
(but new physics contributions are also not excluded)



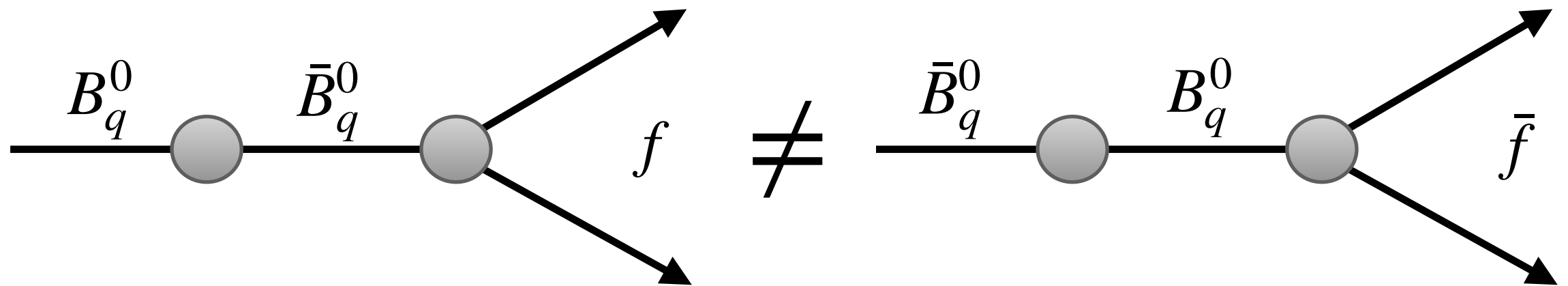
Produce B Mesons





# CP Violation

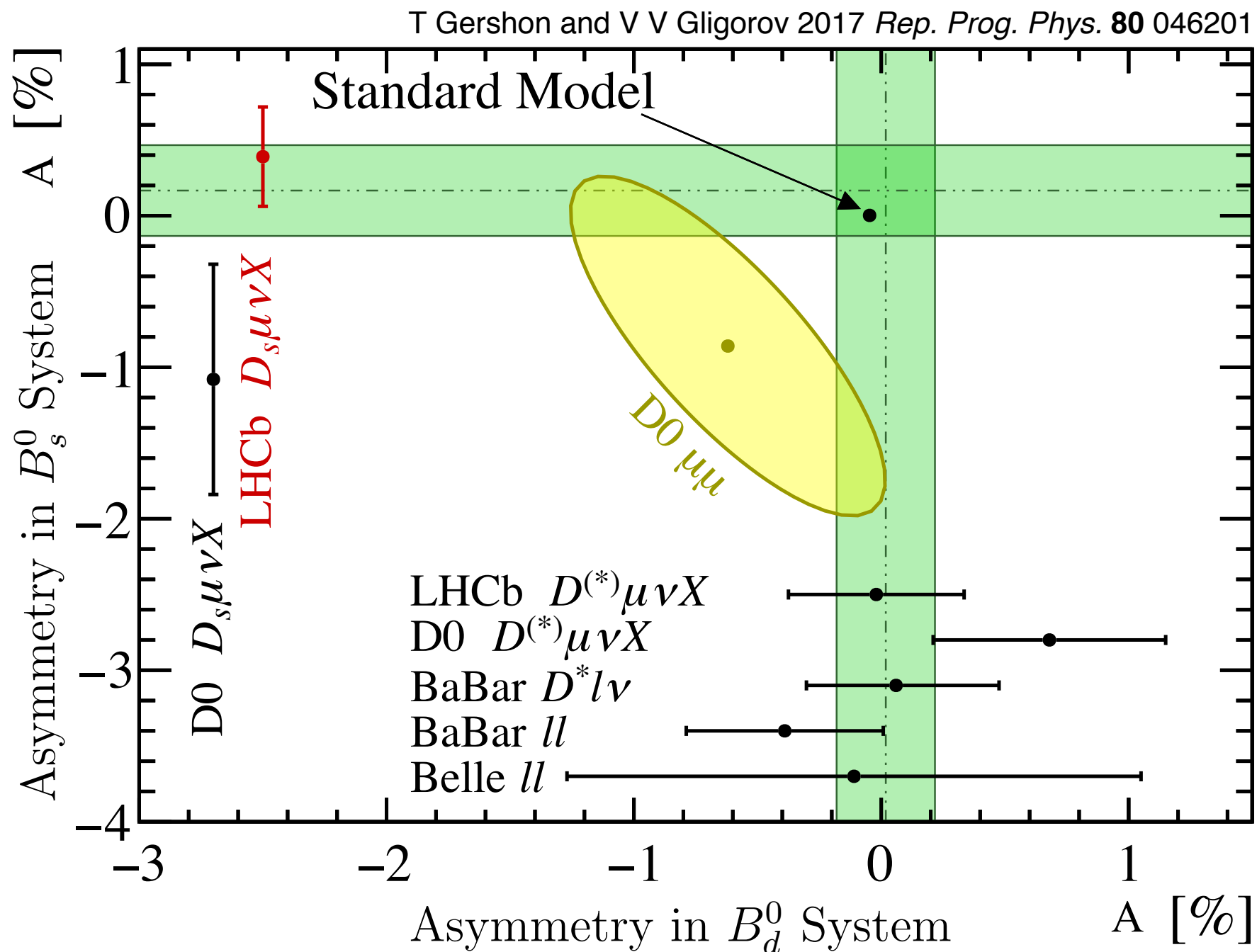
$B$  meson/anti-meson mixing has sizable CP violation



Observable: 
$$A_{\text{SL}}^q = \frac{\Gamma(\bar{B}_q^0 \rightarrow B_q^0 \rightarrow f) - \Gamma(B_q^0 \rightarrow \bar{B}_q^0 \rightarrow \bar{f})}{\Gamma(\bar{B}_q^0 \rightarrow B_q^0 \rightarrow f) + \Gamma(B_q^0 \rightarrow \bar{B}_q^0 \rightarrow \bar{f})}$$

# CP Violation

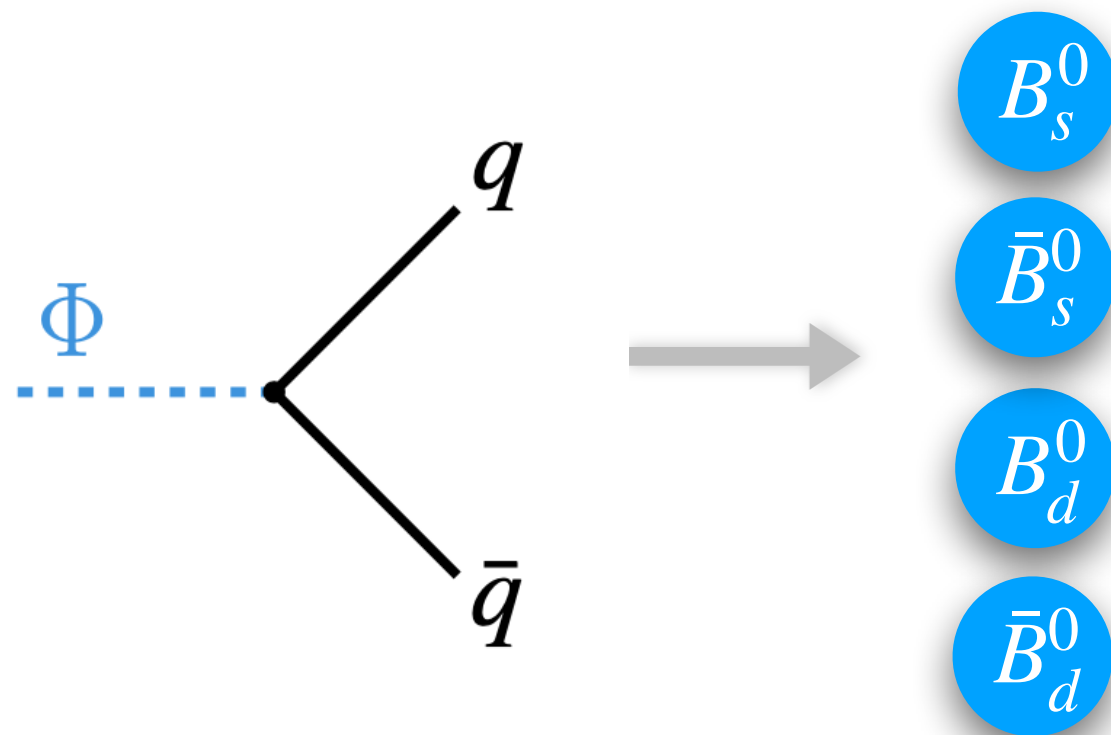
Can accommodate contributions from new physics



# Sakharov I. Out of Equilibrium

Late decay of an “inflaton-like” field

Decays at:  $\Gamma_\Phi = 4H(T_R)$  to quarks  $m_\Phi \in [5 \text{ GeV}, 100 \text{ GeV}]$



$$3.5 \text{ MeV} \lesssim T_R \lesssim 100 \text{ MeV}$$

Before **BBN**

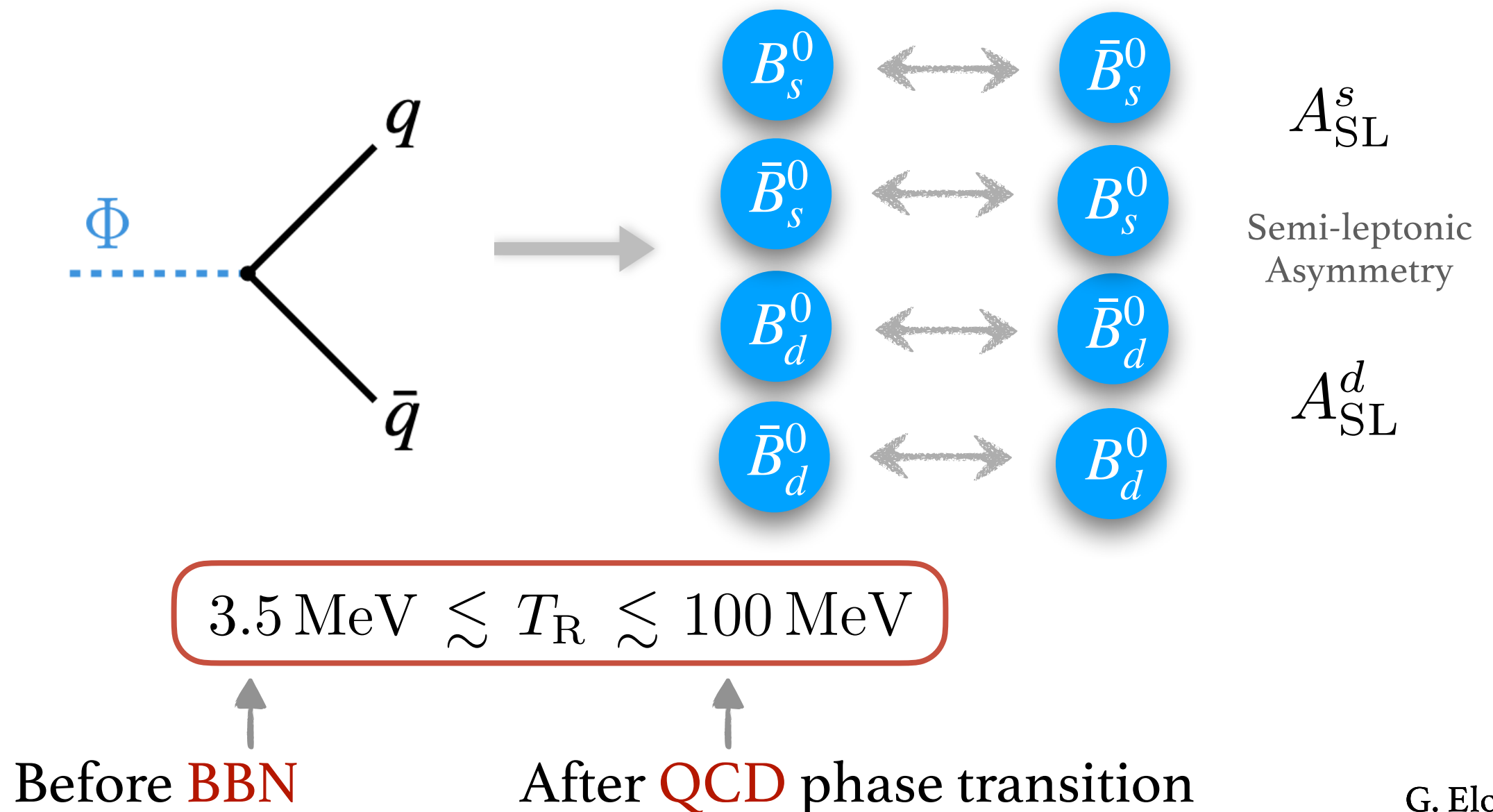
After **QCD** phase transition



# Sakharov II. CP Violation

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# Sakharov III. $B$ Violation?

Need a way to change baryon number

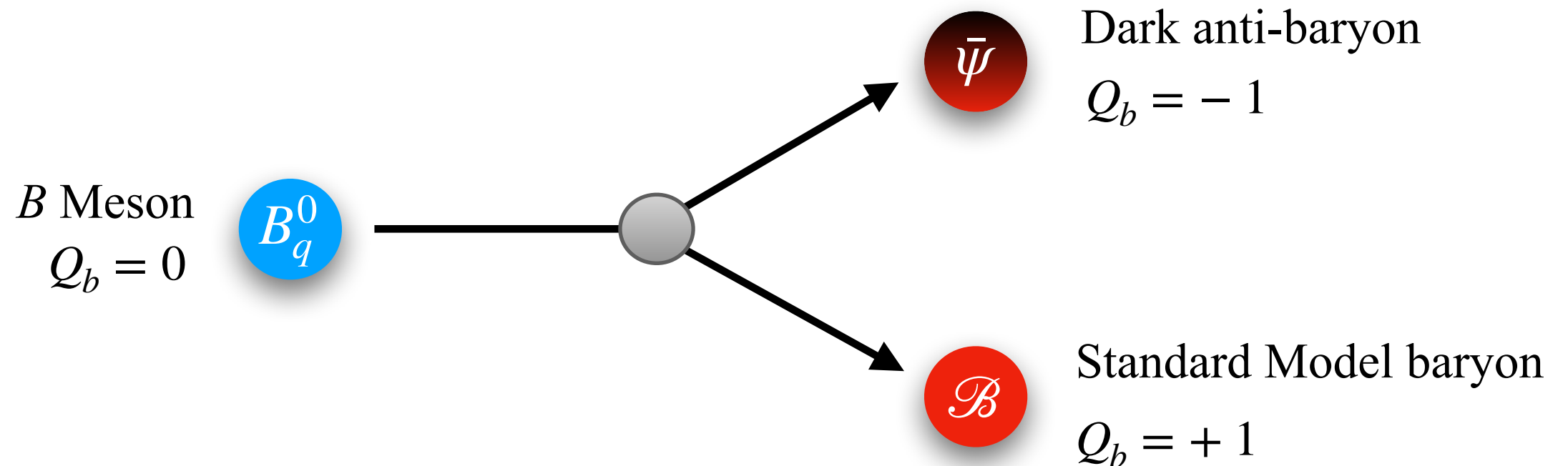


Hide baryon number in a dark sector  
rather than violate it



# Dark Sector Baryon

Hide baryon number in a dark sector



Kinematics:  $m_\psi < m_B - m_{\text{Baryon}} < 4.3 \text{ GeV}$

Proton stability:  $m_\psi > m_p - m_e \simeq 937.8 \text{ MeV}$

Equal and opposite dark and visible baryon asymmetries generated.

$$Y_{\mathcal{B}} - Y_{\bar{\mathcal{B}}} = - (Y_\psi - Y_{\bar{\psi}})$$

# New Fields

Field	Spin	$Q_{EM}$	Baryon no.	$\mathbb{Z}_2$	Mass
$Y$	0	$-1/3$	$-2/3$	+1	$\mathcal{O}(\text{TeV})$
$\psi_{\mathcal{B}}$	1/2	0	-1	+1	$\mathcal{O}(\text{GeV})$

SUSY Squark

Kinematics, forbid  
proton decay

Allowed by all the symmetries:

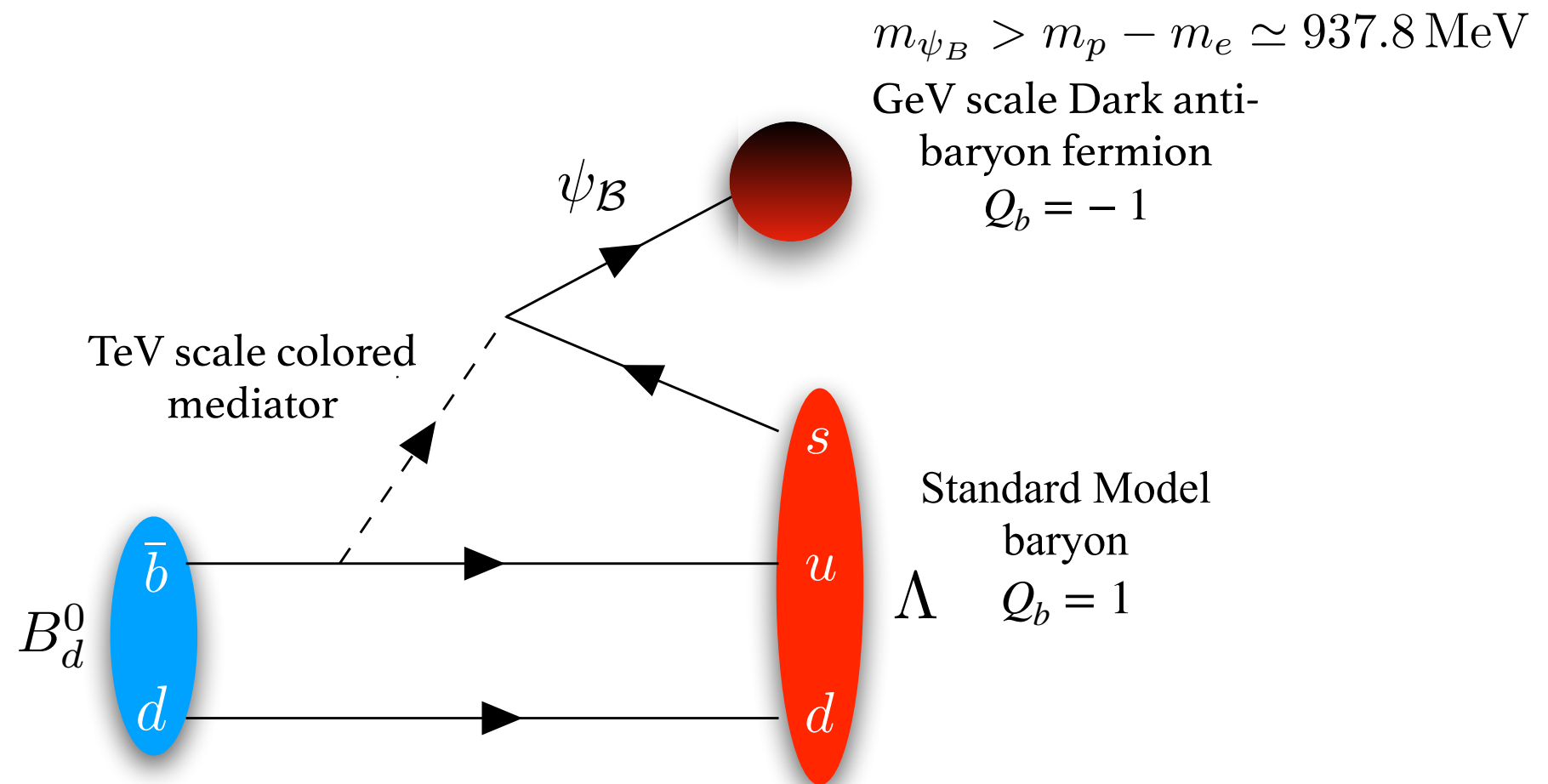
$$\mathcal{L}_{-1/3} = - \sum_{i,j} y_{u_i d_j} Y^* \bar{u}_{iR} d_{jR}^c - \sum_k y_{\psi d_k} Y d_{kR}^c \bar{\psi}_{\mathcal{B}} + \text{h.c.}$$

Effective four fermion operator at MeV scales:

$$\mathcal{H}_{eff} = \frac{\kappa}{m_Y^2} b u s \psi_{\mathcal{B}}$$

This interaction *does not* change baryon number

# New decay of the $B$ Meson

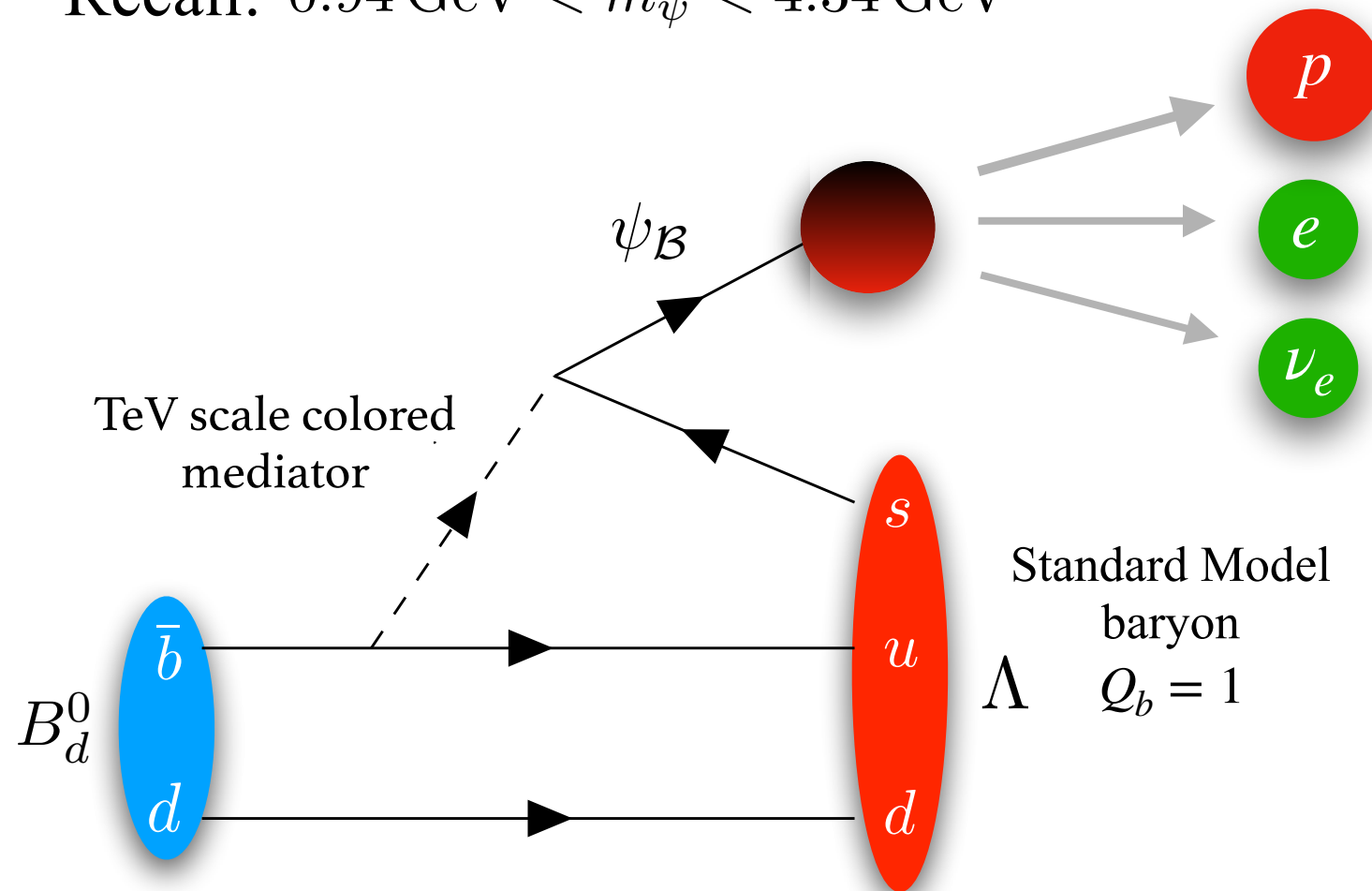


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$$Y_{\mathcal{B}} - Y_{\bar{\mathcal{B}}} = - (Y_{\psi} - Y_{\bar{\psi}})$$

# Dark Matter?

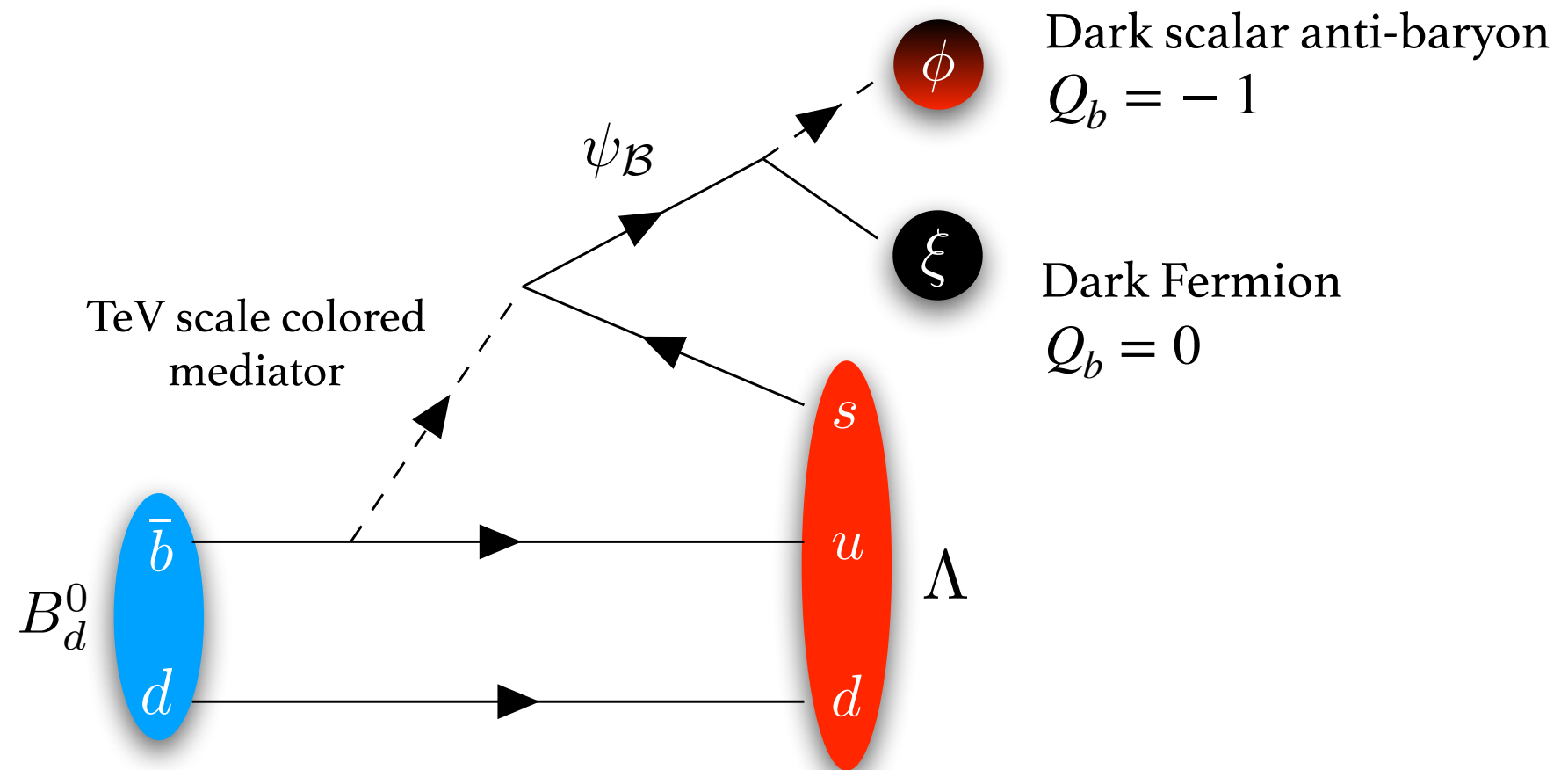
Recall:  $0.94 \text{ GeV} < m_\psi < 4.34 \text{ GeV}$



New dark baryon is unstable and will decay to baryonic matter, washing out the asymmetry in the process. It cannot be the dark matter.

# Dark Matter

Dark fermion must quickly decay within the dark sector.



DM stability/asymmetry preserved if :

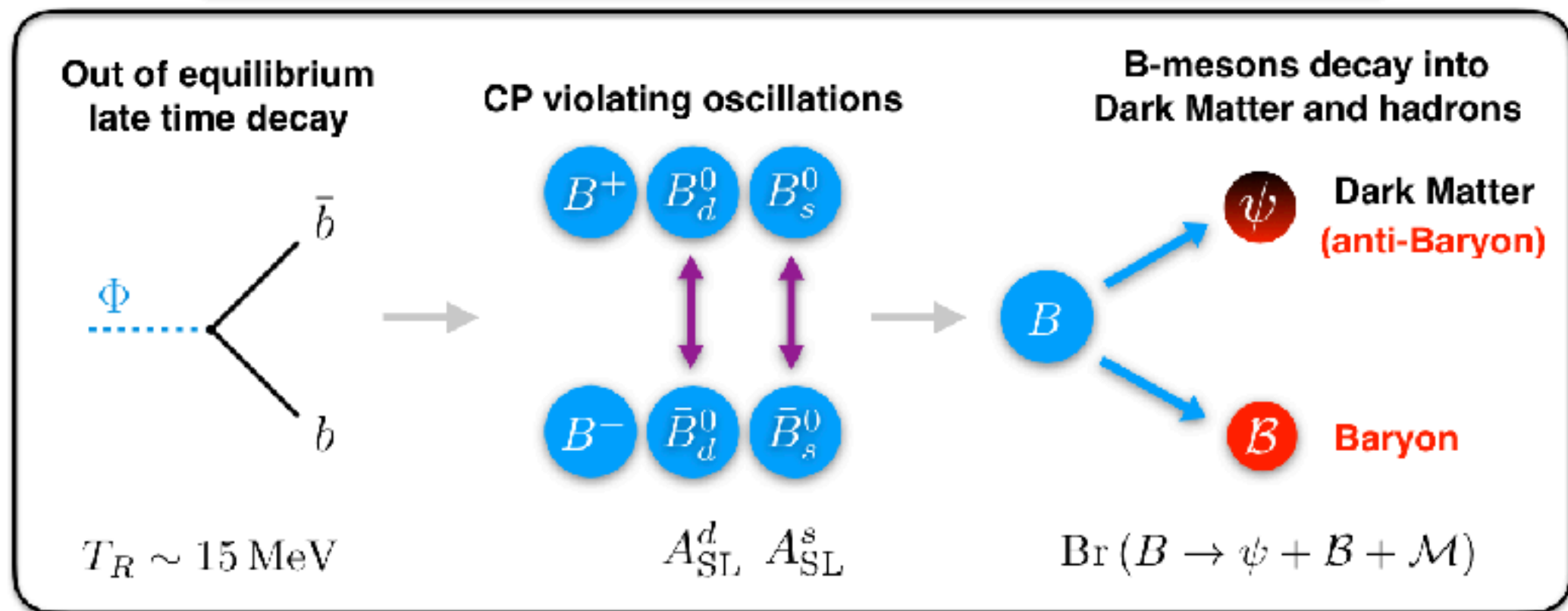
$$m_{\phi} < m_p + m_e + m_{\xi}$$

Generated asymmetry:

$$Y_{\mathcal{B}} - Y_{\bar{\mathcal{B}}} = -(Y_{\phi} - Y_{\phi^*})$$

# Neutral $B$ Mesogenesis

## Baryogenesis and Dark Matter from B Mesons: $B$ -Mesogenesis



Asymmetry is related to observables:

$$Y_{\mathcal{B}} \simeq 8.7 \times 10^{-11} \frac{\text{Br}(B \rightarrow \psi \mathcal{B} \mathcal{M})}{10^{-2}} \sum_{q=s,d} \alpha_q \frac{A_{\text{SL}}^q}{10^{-4}}$$

successful  $B$  Mesogenesis requires:

$$A_{\text{SL}}^{s,d} \times \text{Br}(B^0 \rightarrow \psi \mathcal{B} \mathcal{M}) > 10^{-6}$$



# Boltzmann Equations

- Inflaton:  $\frac{dn_{\Phi}}{dt} + 3Hn_{\Phi} = -\Gamma_{\Phi}n_{\Phi}$
- Radiation:  $\frac{d\rho_{\text{rad}}}{dt} + 4H\rho_{\text{rad}} = +\Gamma_{\Phi}m_{\Phi}n_{\Phi}$

- Hubble:

$$H^2 = \frac{8\pi}{3M_{\text{Pl}}^2} (\rho_{\text{rad}} + m_{\Phi}n_{\Phi})$$

$$\Gamma_{\Phi} = 4H(T_R)$$

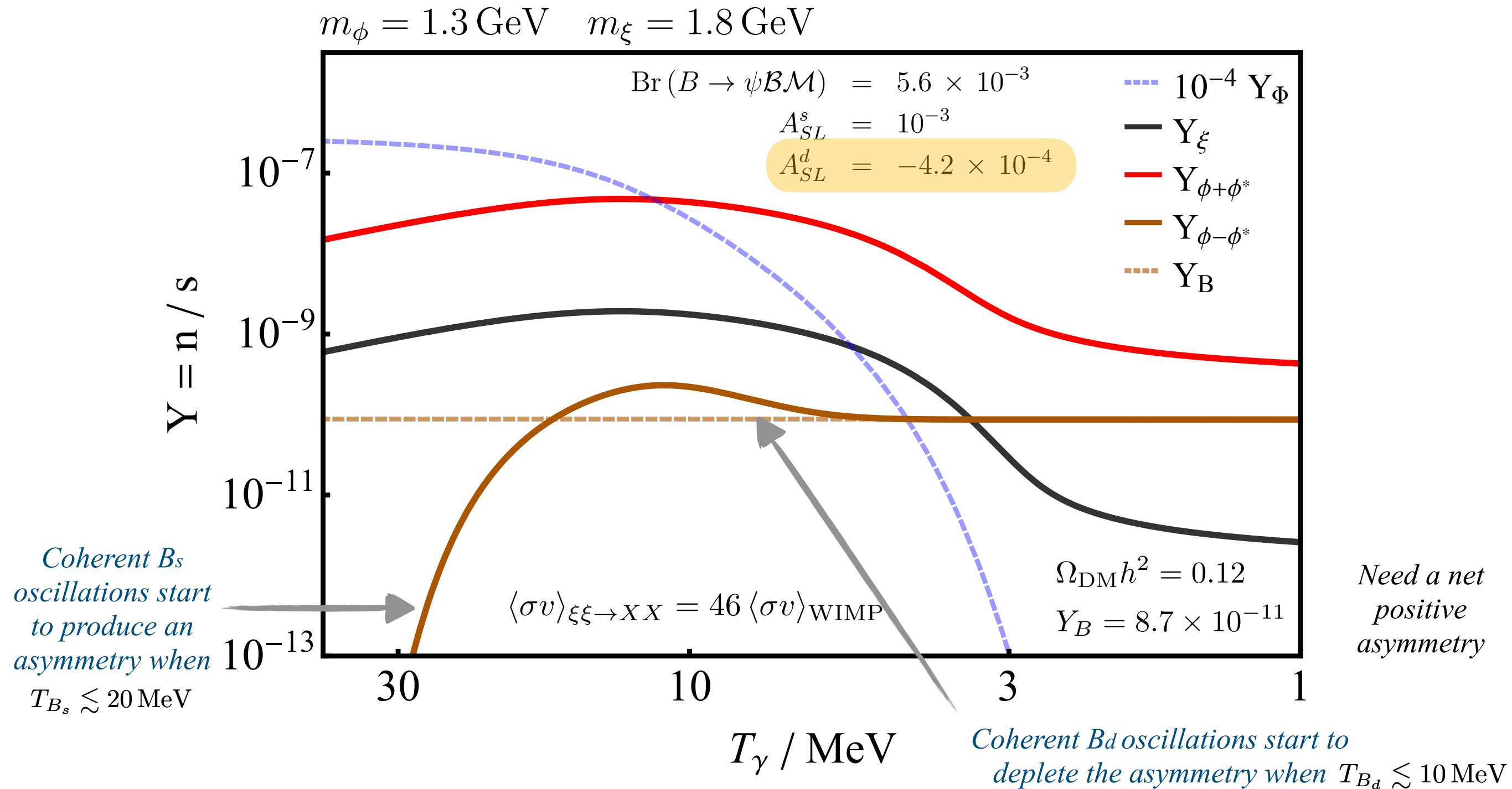
- Symmetric component of the dark scalar baryon

$$\frac{dn_{\phi+\phi^*}}{dt} + 3Hn_{\phi+\phi^*} = 2\Gamma_{\Phi}^B n_{\Phi} - 2\langle\sigma v\rangle_{\phi} (n_{\phi+\phi^*}^2 - n_{\text{eq}, \phi+\phi^*}^2)$$

- Anti-symmetric dark sector baryon makes up the baryon asymmetry

$$\frac{dn_{\phi-\phi^*}}{dt} + 3Hn_{\phi-\phi^*} = 2\Gamma_{\Phi}^B \sum_q \text{Br}(\bar{b} \rightarrow B_q^0) A_{\text{SL}}^q f_{\text{deco}}^q n_{\Phi}$$

# Example Benchmark Point



# Numerical Result

$$Y_{\mathcal{B}} \simeq 8.7 \times 10^{-11} \frac{\text{Br}(B \rightarrow \psi \mathcal{B} \mathcal{M})}{10^{-2}} \sum_{q=s,d} \alpha_q \frac{A_{\text{SL}}^q}{10^{-4}}$$



Successful  
neutral  $B$ -Mesogenesis

$$A_{\text{SL}}^{s,d} \times \text{Br}(B^0 \rightarrow \psi \mathcal{B} \mathcal{M}) > 10^{-6}$$

Experimental Observables

# Signals of Neutral $B$ -Mesogenesis

For successful baryogenesis:  $A_{\text{SL}}^{s,d} \times \text{Br}(B^0 \rightarrow \psi \mathcal{B} \mathcal{M}) > 10^{-6}$

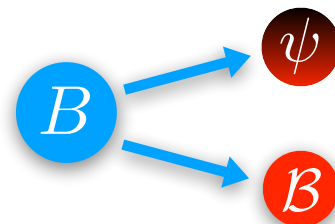
Collider Signals of Baryogenesis and Dark Matter from B Mesons (*B-Mesogenesis*)

Direct Signals

Semileptonic asymmetry:  $A_{\text{SL}}^q > 10^{-5}$

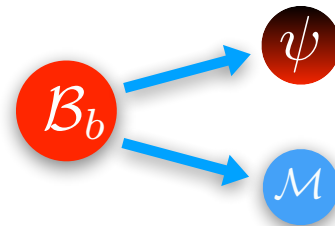
Belle II  
LHCb  
ATLAS  
CMS

New B meson decay:



BaBar  
Belle  
Belle II  
LHCb

New b-Baryon decay:



LHCb?  
ATLAS??  
CMS??

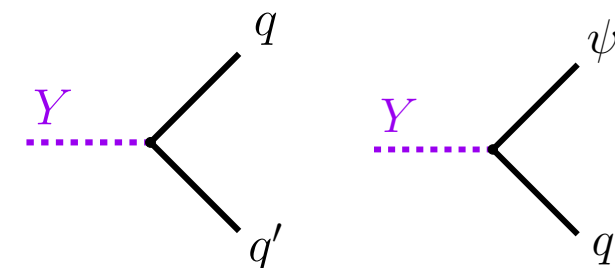
Indirect Signals

$B^0$  meson CPV and oscillation observables:

$$\phi_{12}^{d,s} \quad \Delta M_{d,s} \quad \Delta \Gamma_{d,s}$$

LHCb  
Belle II  
ATLAS  
CMS

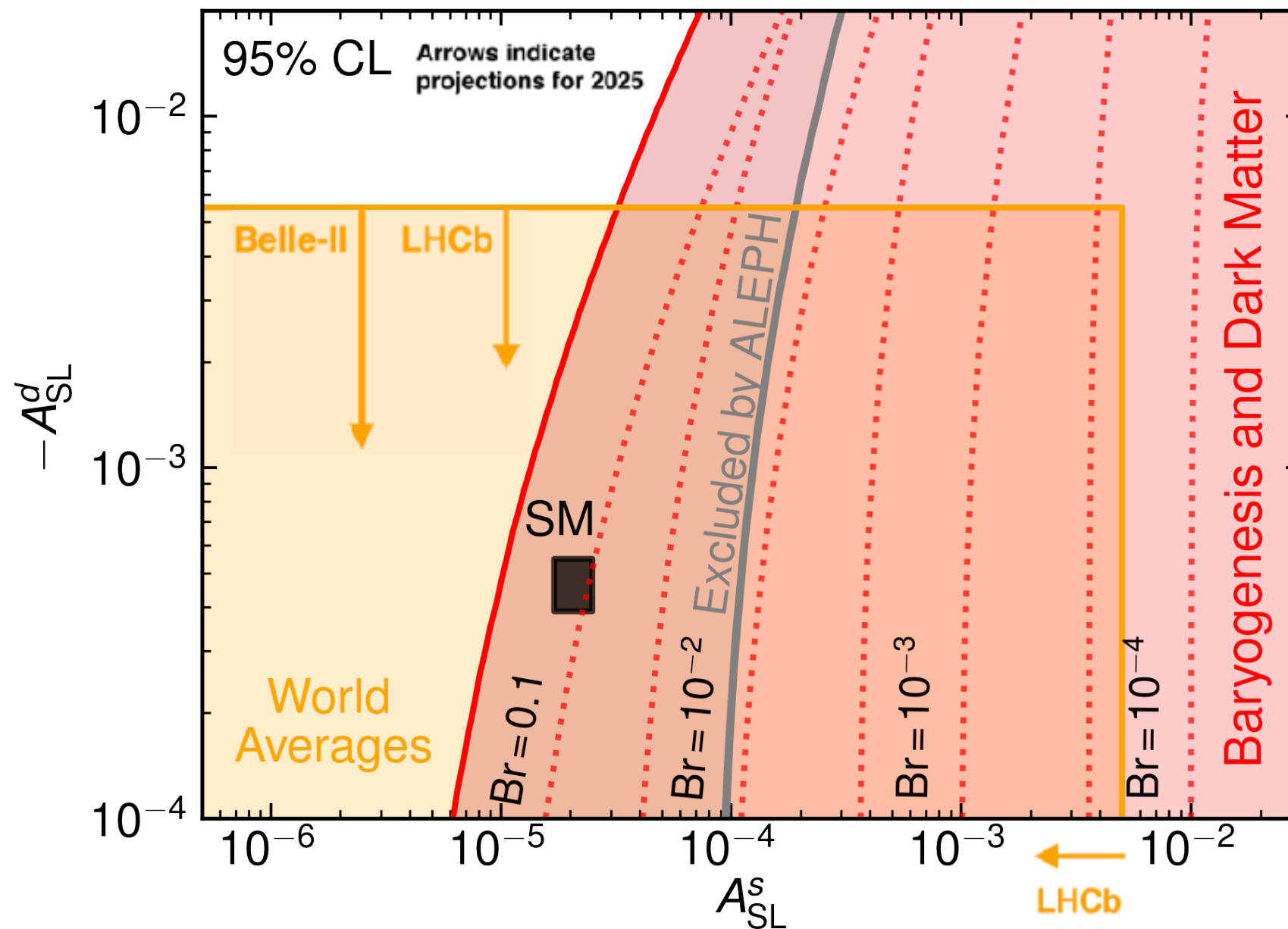
New TeV-scale color-triplet scalar,  $Y$



ATLAS  
CMS

Independent of UV model. Given a UV model there will be even more signals!

# The Semi-Leptonic Asymmetry



$$Y_B \simeq 8.7 \times 10^{-11} \frac{Br(B \rightarrow \psi \mathcal{B} \mathcal{M})}{10^{-2}} \sum_{q=s,d} \alpha_q \frac{A_{SL}^q}{10^{-4}}$$

for baryogenesis

$$Br(B \rightarrow \psi \mathcal{B} \mathcal{M}) \gtrsim 10^{-4}$$

# Flavorful Variations

No a priori reason to expect a particular flavor structure.

Most general interactions:

$$\mathcal{L}_{-1/3} = - \sum_{i,j} y_{u_i d_j} Y^* \bar{u}_{iR} d_{jR}^c - \sum_k y_{\psi d_k} Y d_{kR}^c \bar{\psi} + \text{h.c.}$$

Possible operators:

$$\mathcal{O}_{ud} = \psi b u d$$

$$\mathcal{O}_{us} = \psi b u s$$

$$\mathcal{O}_{cd} = \psi b c d$$

$$\mathcal{O}_{cs} = \psi b c s$$

$B$ -Mesogenesis requires:

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# Searching for new $b$ -Hadron Decays

Can be searched for at Belle, BaBar and LHCb

Flavorful variations:

Operator/Decay	Initial State	Final state
$\mathcal{O} = \psi b u d$ $\bar{b} \rightarrow \psi u d$	$B_d$	$\psi + n (udd)$
	$B_s$	$\psi + \Lambda (uds)$
	$B^+$	$\psi + p (duu)$
	$\Lambda_b$	$\bar{\psi} + \pi^0$
$\mathcal{O} = \psi b u s$ $\bar{b} \rightarrow \psi u s$	$B_d$	$\psi + \Lambda (usd)$
	$B_s$	$\psi + \Xi^0 (uss)$
	$B^+$	$\psi + \Sigma^+ (uus)$
	$\Lambda_b$	$\bar{\psi} + K^0$
$\mathcal{O} = \psi b c d$ $\bar{b} \rightarrow \psi c d$	$B_d$	$\psi + \Lambda_c + \pi^- (cdd)$
	$B_s$	$\psi + \Xi_c^0 (cds)$
	$B^+$	$\psi + \Lambda_c (dcu)$
	$\Lambda_b$	$\bar{\psi} + \bar{D}^0$
$\mathcal{O} = \psi b c s$ $\bar{b} \rightarrow \psi c s$	$B_d$	$\psi + \Xi_c^0 (csd)$
	$B_s$	$\psi + \Omega_c (css)$
	$B^+$	$\psi + \Xi_c^+ (csu)$
	$\Lambda_b$	$\bar{\psi} + D^- + K^+$

← Directly related to baryon asymmetry

← Indirectly constrains  $B$ -Mesogenesis.  
Charged track is an advantage for searches

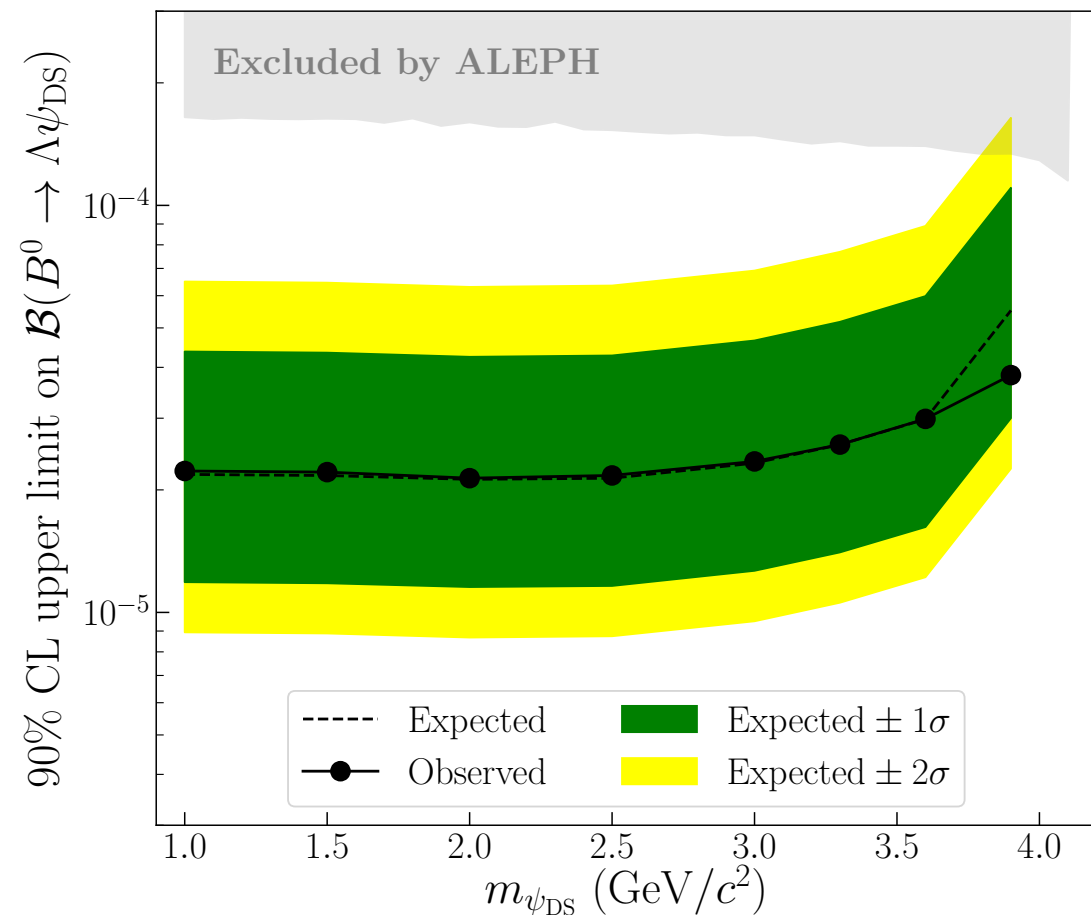
←  $b$ -flavored baryon decays can  
yield indirect constraints.

# Targeted Searches at Colliders

UV Model:  $\mathcal{L}_{-1/3} = - \sum_{i,j} y_{u_i d_j} Y^* \bar{u}_{iR} d_{jR}^c - \sum_k y_{\psi d_k} Y d_{kR}^c \bar{\psi}_B + \text{h.c.}$

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Belle collaboration [arXiv:2110.14086]

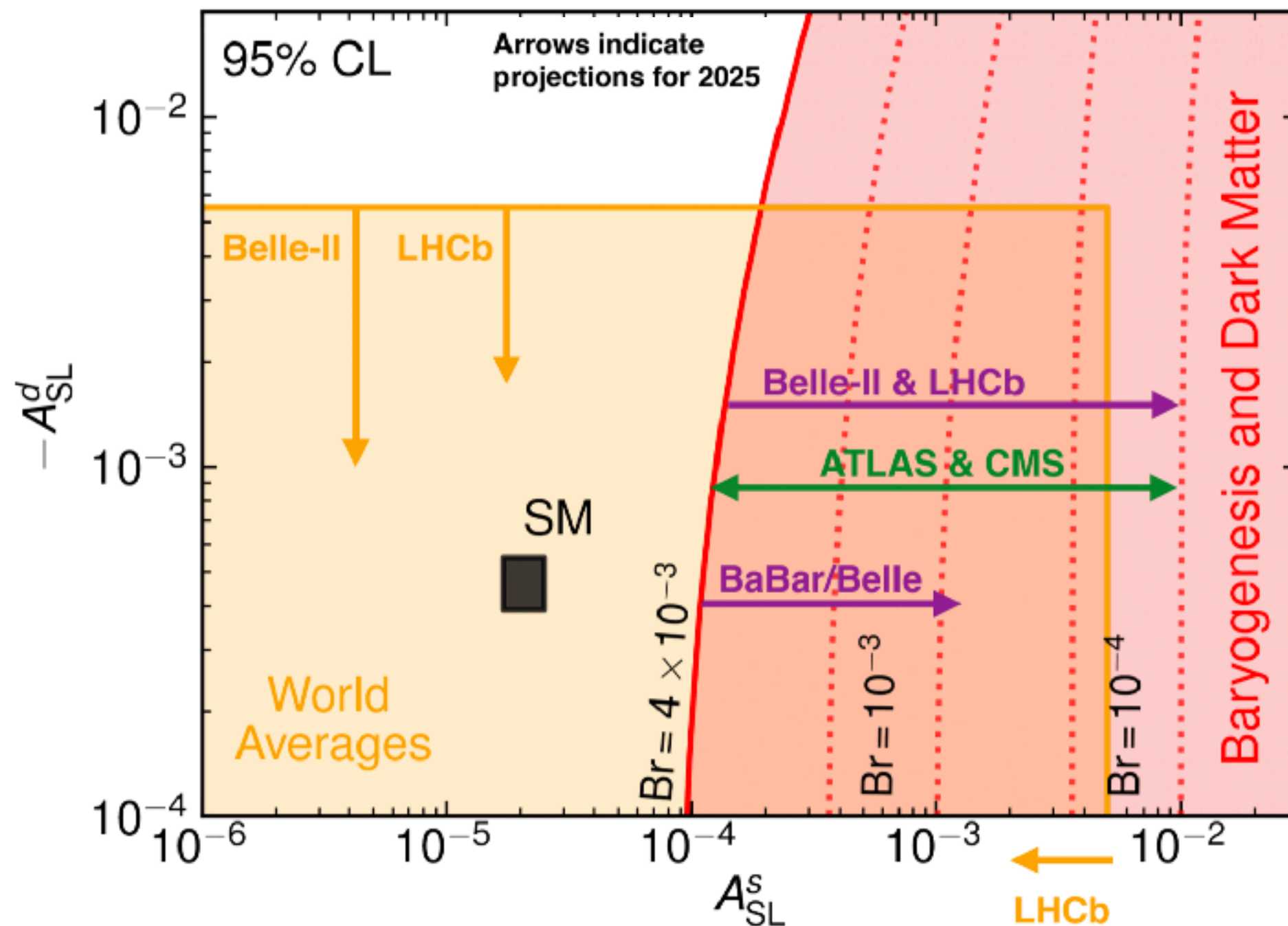


Proposed searches for all modes at LHCb  
[2106.12870]

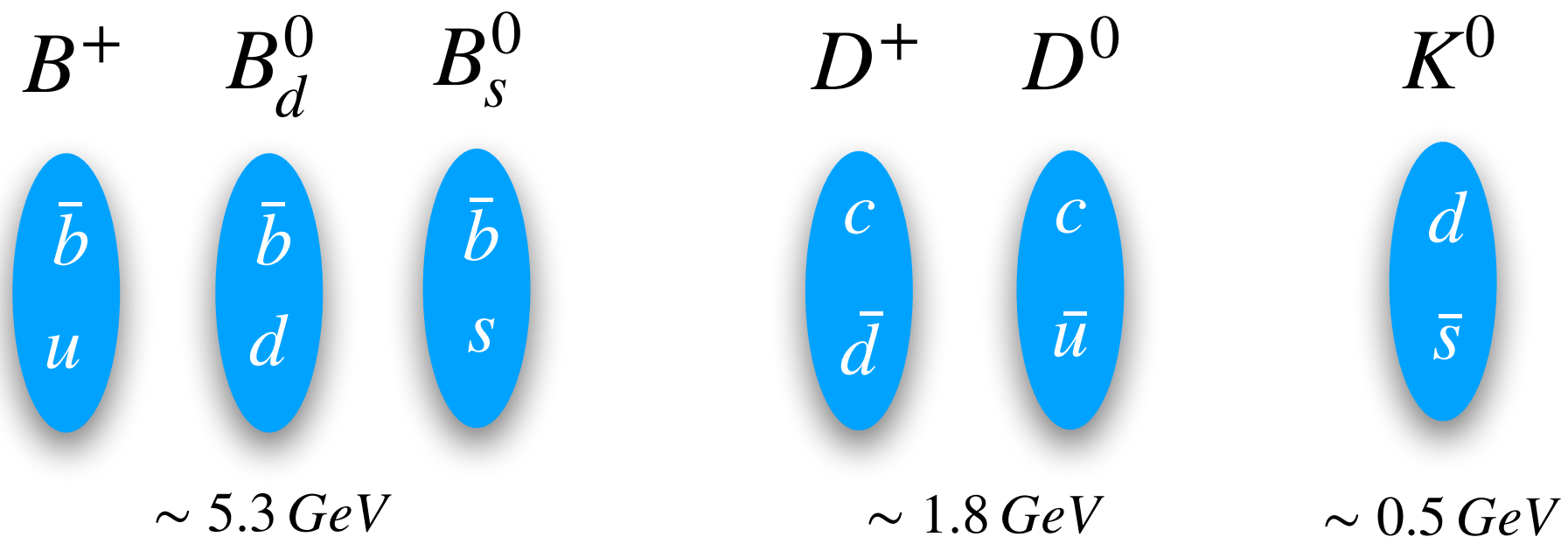


# Discovering Neutral $B$ -Mesogenesis

Could be fully tested in but a few years.



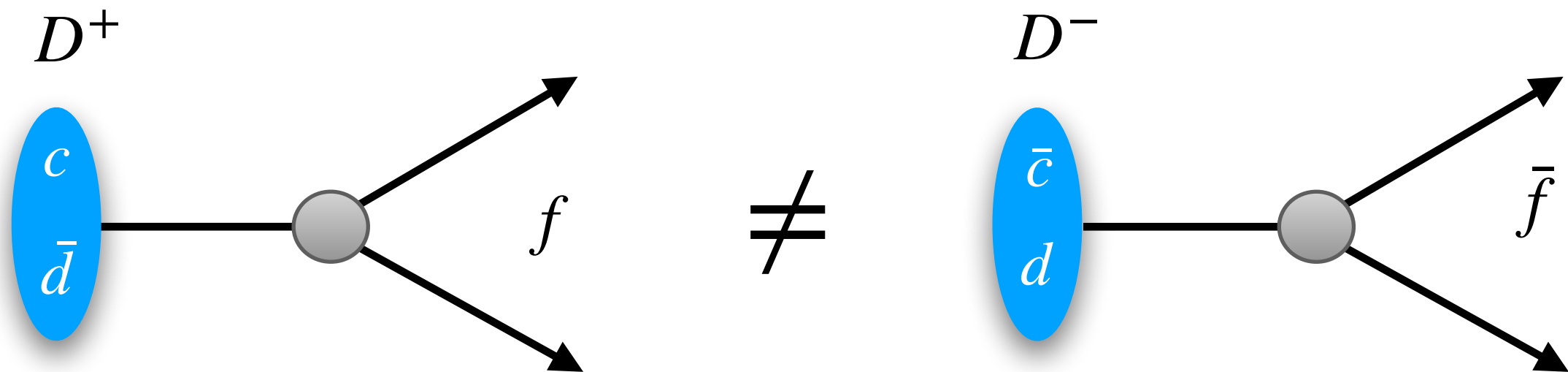
# Why Neutral $B$ Mesons?



$$m_{\psi_B} > m_p - m_e \simeq 937.8 \text{ MeV}$$

- Kinematics: Dark baryons must be GeV scale. Only  $B$  mesons are heavy enough to decay into GeV scale. Charge dark particle under lepton number instead, then it can be light.

# Charged $D$ Mesogenesis



Observable:  $A_{CP}^f = \frac{\Gamma(D^+ \rightarrow f) - \Gamma(D^- \rightarrow \bar{f})}{\Gamma(D^+ \rightarrow f) + \Gamma(D^- \rightarrow \bar{f})}$

# CPV in Charged $D$ Decays

Example: Standard Model decays to an odd number of charged pions

$D^+$ decay mode	$A_{CP}^f/10^{-2}$	$D^+$ decay mode	$A_{CP}^f/10^{-2}$
$K_S^0 \pi^+$	$-0.41 \pm 0.09$	$\pi^+ \eta$	$1.0 \pm 1.5$
$K^- \pi^+ \pi^+$	$-0.18 \pm 0.16$	$\pi^+ \eta'(958)$	$-0.6 \pm 0.7$
$K^- \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^0$	$-0.3 \pm 0.6 \pm 0.4$	$K^+ K^- \pi^+$	$0.37 \pm 0.29$
$K_S^0 \pi^+ \pi^0$	$-0.1 \pm 0.7 \pm 0.2$	$\phi \pi^+$	$0.01 \pm 0.09$
$K_S^0 \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^-$	$0.0 \pm 1.2 \pm 0.3$	$a_0(1450)^0 \pi^+$	$-19 \pm 12^{+8}_{-11}$
$\pi^+ \pi^0$	$2.4 \pm 1.2$	$\phi(1680) \pi^+$	$-9 \pm 22 \pm 14$
$\pi^+ \eta$	$1.0 \pm 1.5$	$\pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^-$	$-1.7 \pm 4.2$

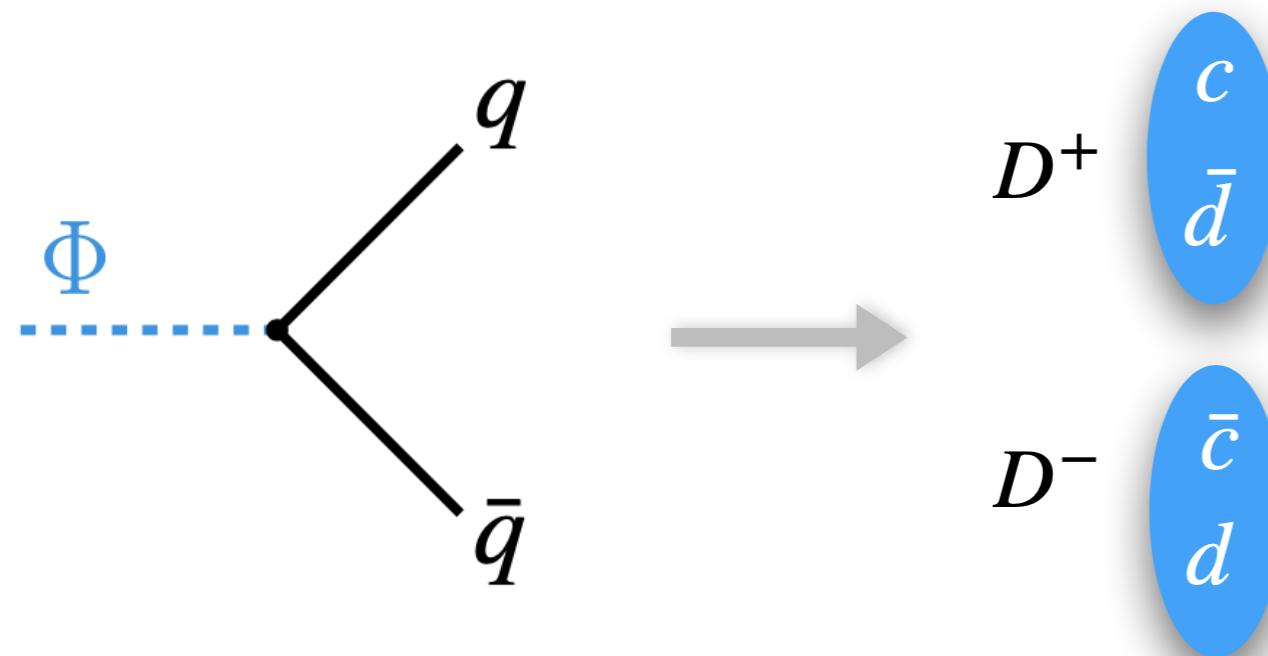
Not a small number if we want to explain

$$Y_B^{\text{obs}} = (8.718 \pm 0.004) \times 10^{-11}$$

# Sakharov I. Out of Equilibrium

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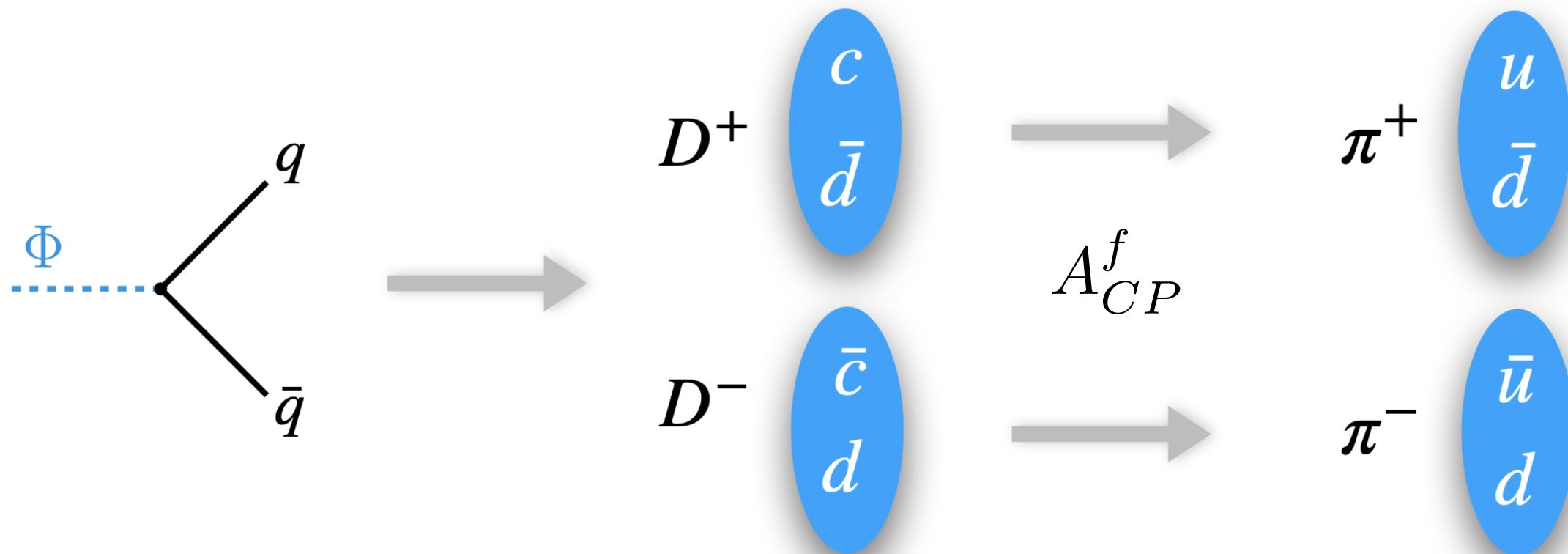
$$3.5 \text{ MeV} \lesssim T_R \lesssim 20 \text{ MeV}$$

Before **BBN**

After **QCD** phase transition

# Sakharov II. CP Violation

$D$  mesons quickly undergo Standard Model decays to pions



Decays at:

$$3.5 \text{ MeV} \lesssim T_R \lesssim 20 \text{ MeV}$$

*Asymmetry in charged pions*

Before **BBN**

$D$  mesons decay rather than scatter

# Sakharov III. *B* Violation?

Need a way to change baryon number



Hide baryon *and lepton* number in a dark sector without violating either.



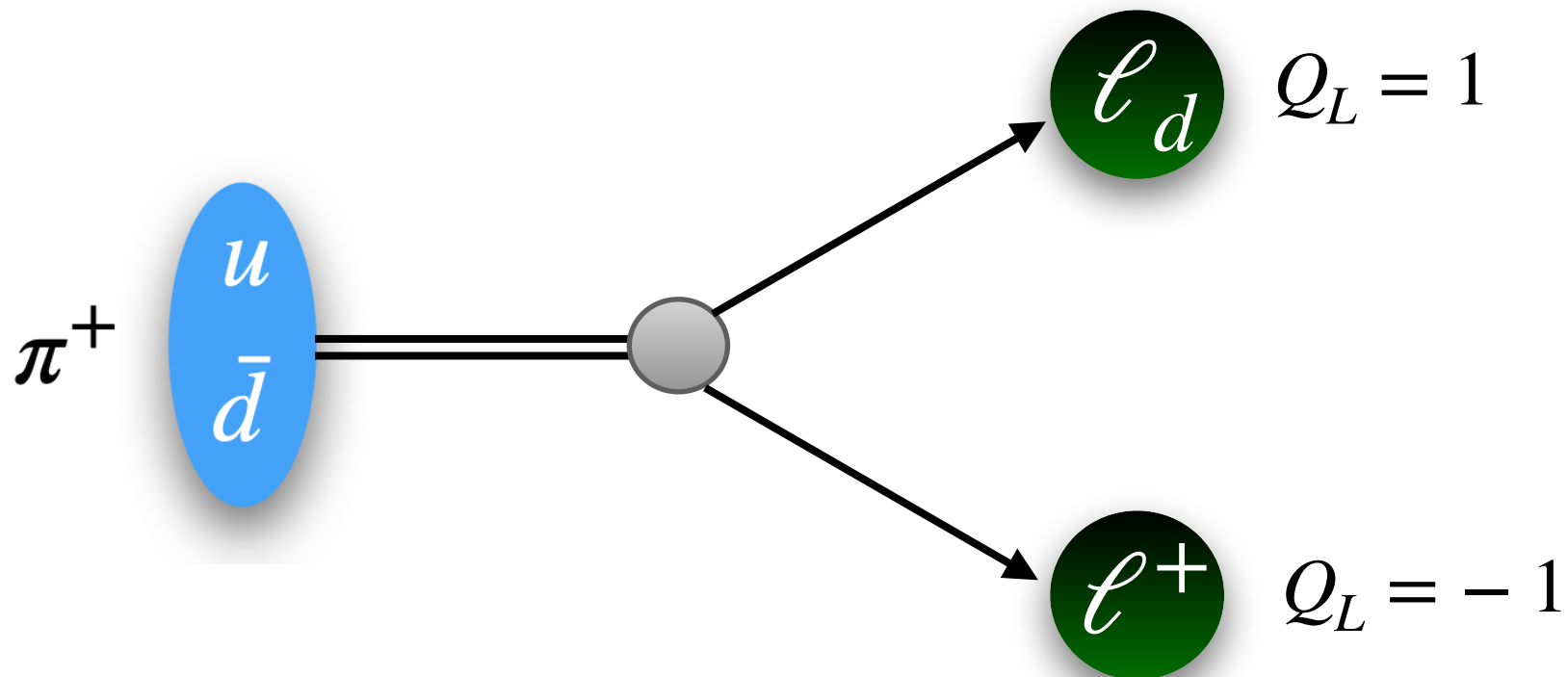
First generate a *lepton asymmetry*

# Dark Sector Lepton

Portal Operator:

$$\mathcal{O} = \frac{1}{\Lambda^2} \left[ \bar{d} \Gamma^\mu u \right] \left[ \bar{\ell}_d \Gamma_\mu \ell \right] + \text{h.c.}$$

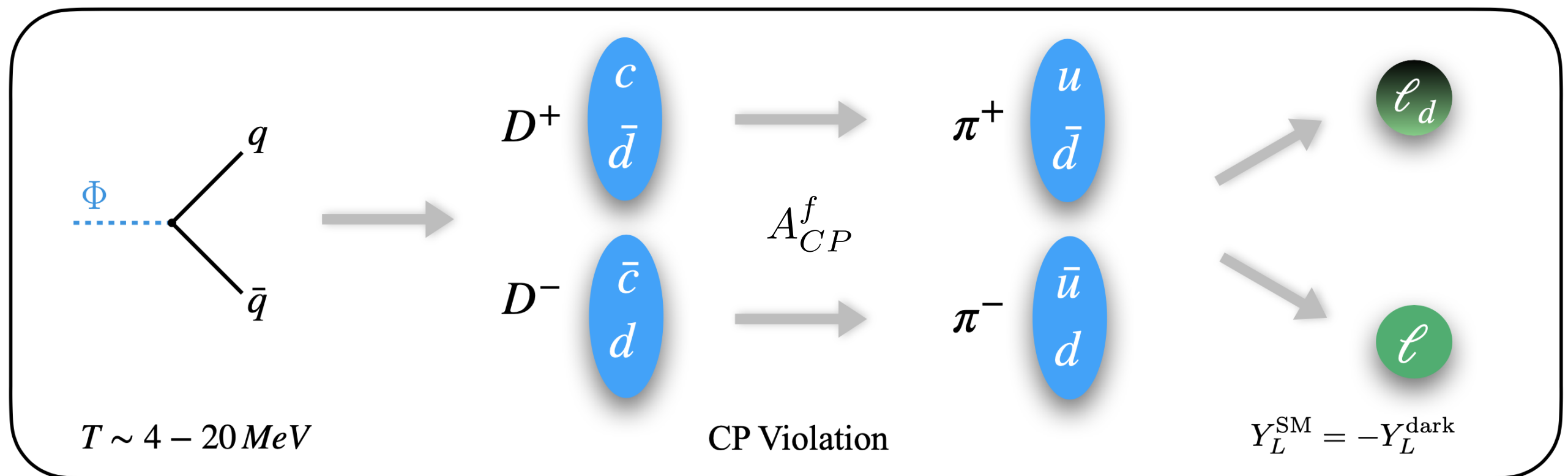
Pion Decays:  $\pi^+ \rightarrow \ell_d + \ell^+$ ,  $m_{\ell_d} < m_{\pi^+} - m_\ell$  Can be light





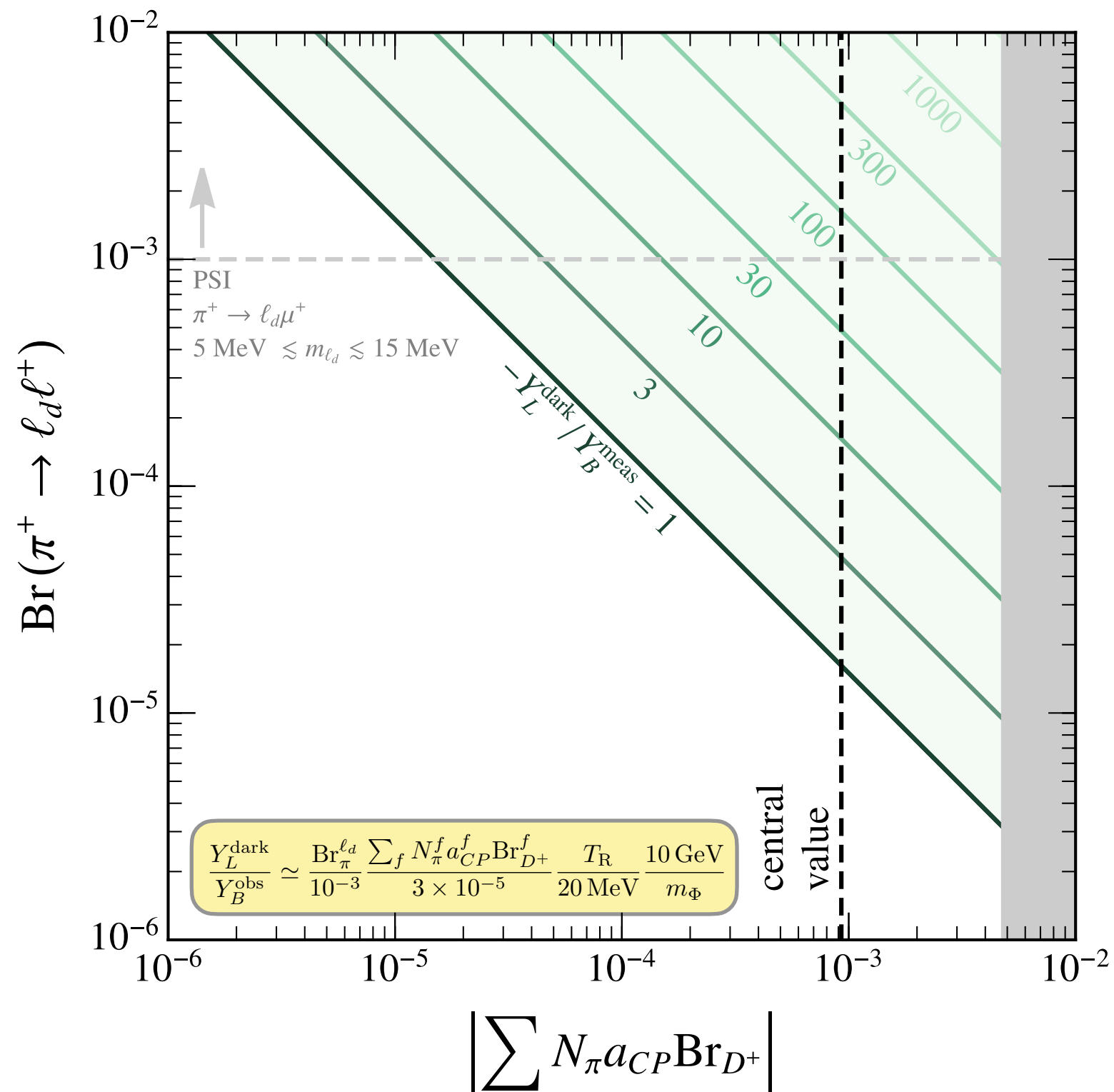
# Generating a Lepton Asymmetry

Equal and opposite dark/visible sector lepton asymmetry

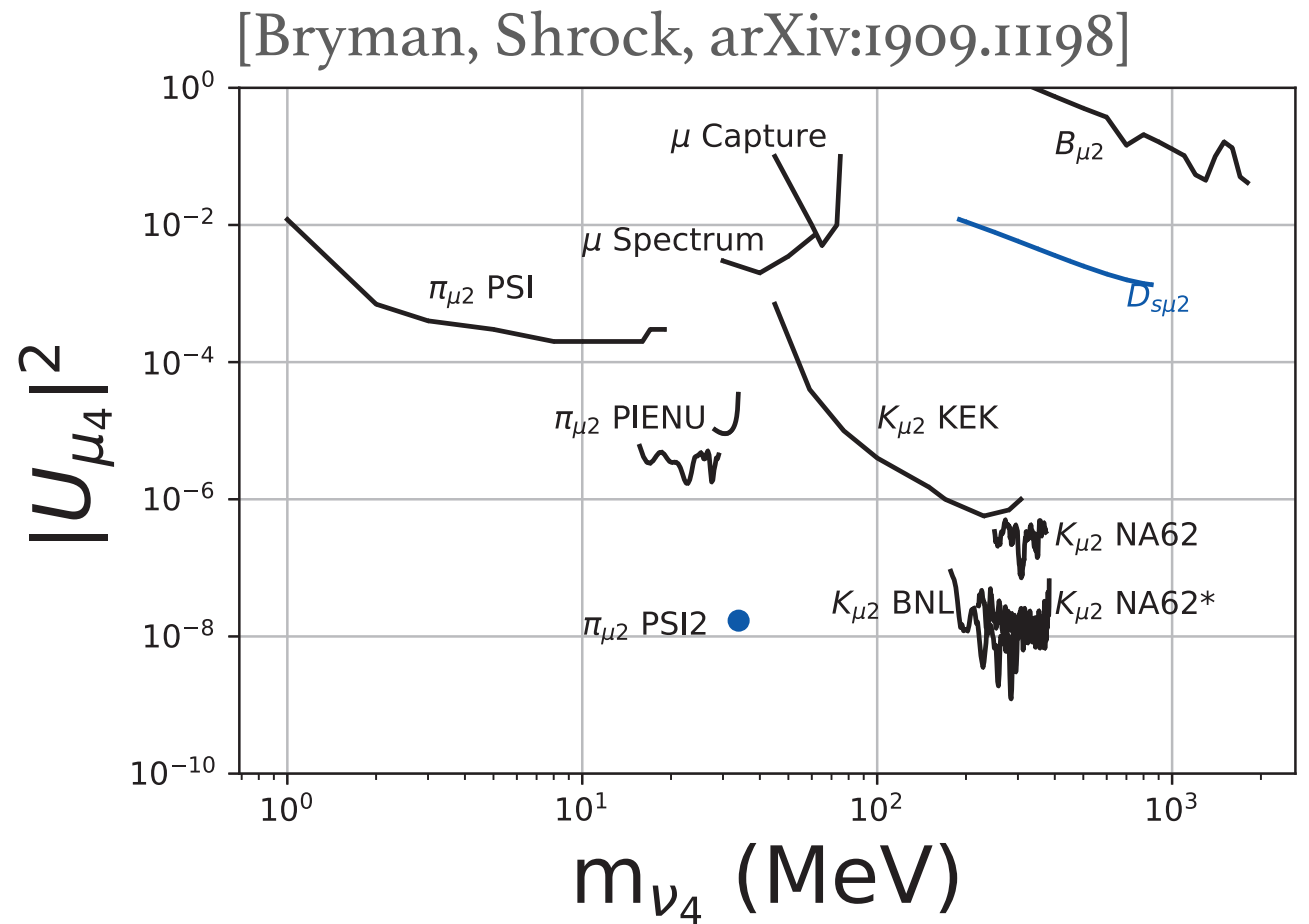
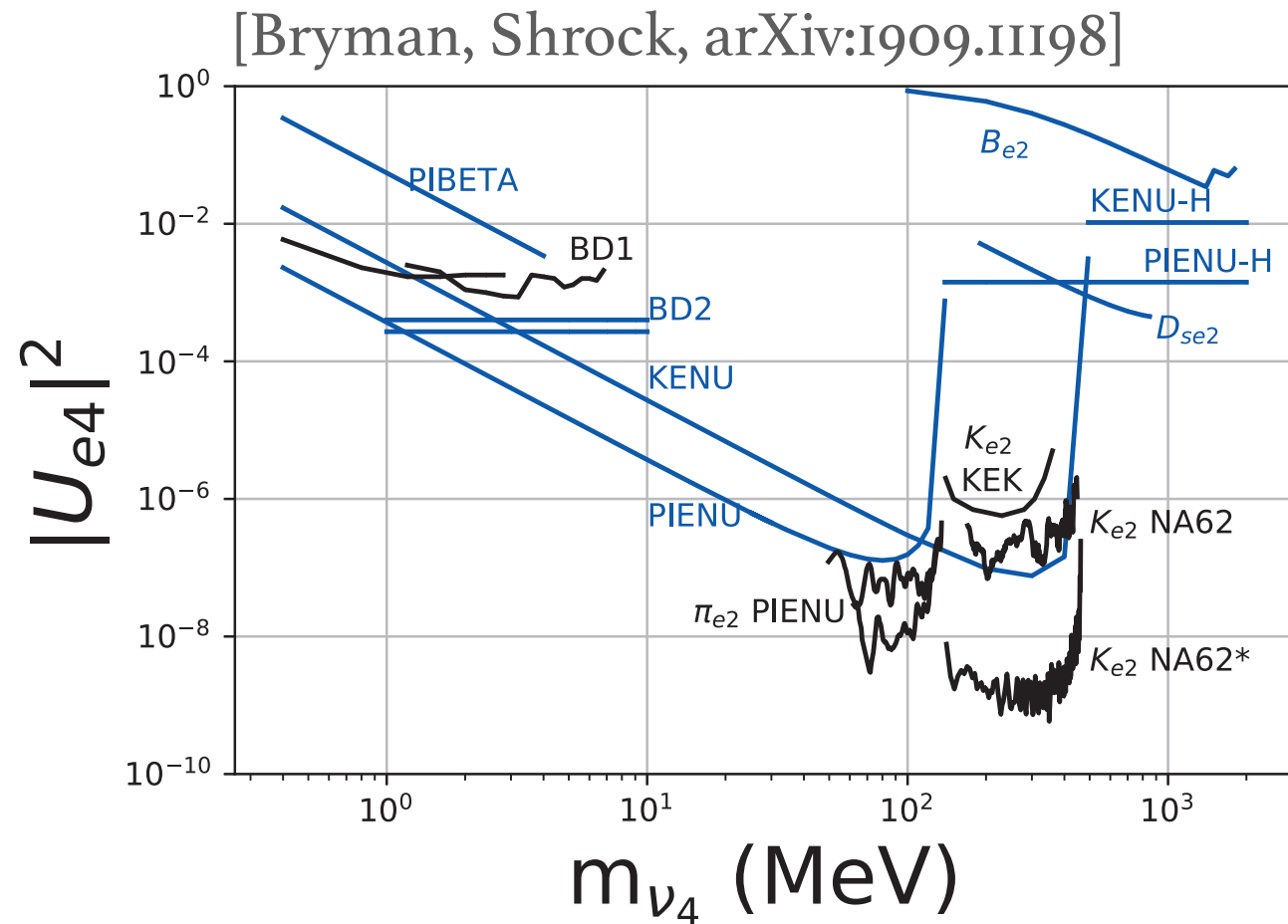


$$Y_L^{\text{dark}} \equiv \left( \frac{n_{\ell_d} - n_{\bar{\ell}_d}}{s} \right) \propto \text{Br}(\pi^+ \rightarrow \ell_d + \ell^+) \sum_f A_{\text{CP}}^f \times \text{Br}(D^+ \rightarrow f)$$

# Generating a Lepton Asymmetry



# Limits on Pion Decays



$$\text{Limit on } |U_{\ell N}|^2 \Rightarrow \text{limit on } \frac{\Gamma(\pi^\pm \rightarrow \ell^\pm + \ell_d)}{\Gamma(\pi^\pm \rightarrow \ell^\pm + \nu_{\text{SM}})}$$

[Shrock, Phys. Rev. D24, 1232 (1981)]

$$\text{Br}(\pi^\pm \rightarrow \mu^\pm + \text{MET}) \lesssim 10^{-3}, \quad \text{for } 5 \text{ MeV} < m_{\ell_d} < 15 \text{ MeV}.$$

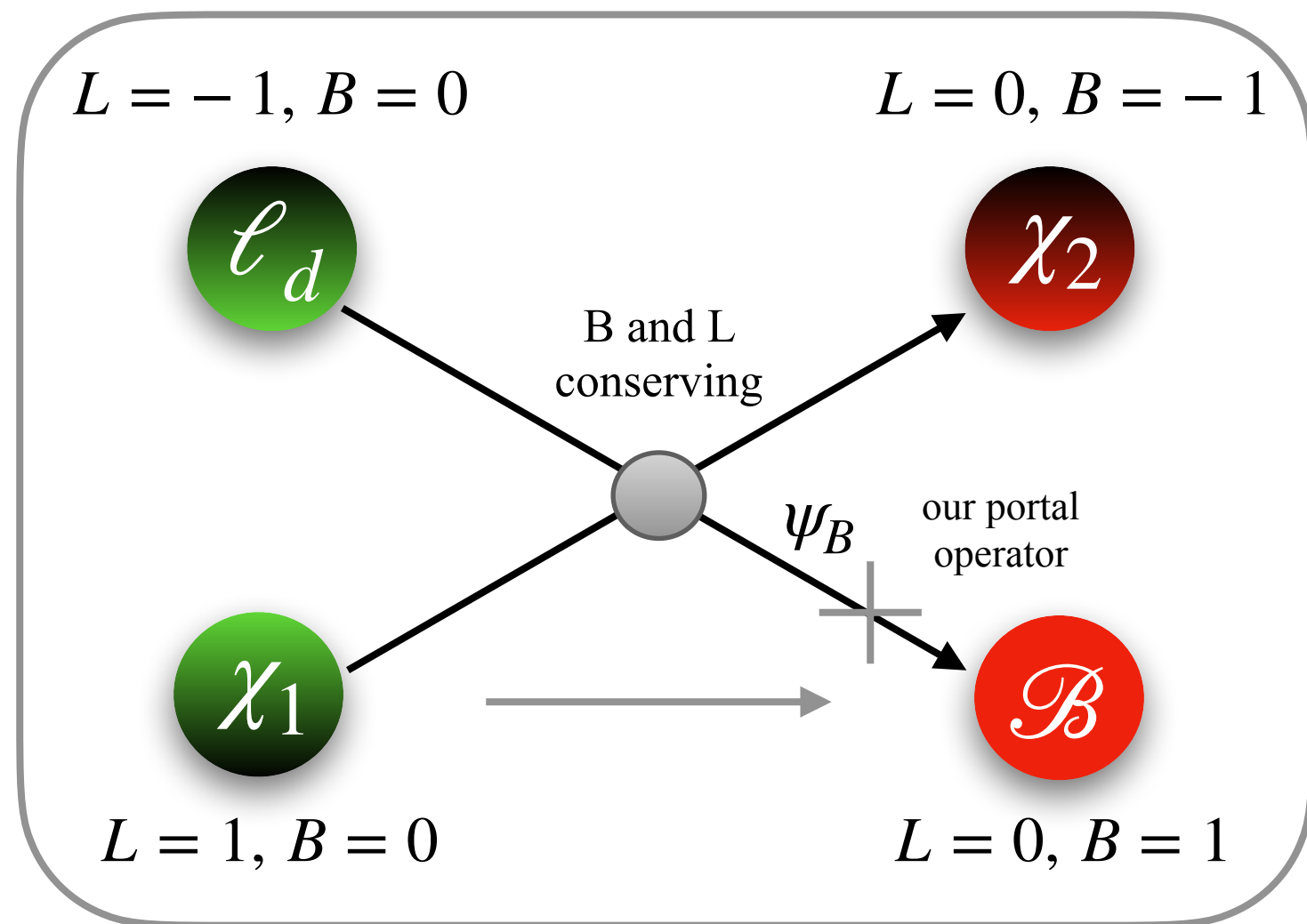
# Generating a Baryon Asymmetry

When you make the Universe at 20 MeV, you (of course) can not use Electroweak Sphalerons to transfer a lepton into a baryon asymmetry.

You also don't need them...

# Dark Scatterings

Dark Leptons



Dark Baryon

SM Baryon

# Freezing-In a Baryon Asymmetry

Example Benchmark point:

$$T_R = 10 \text{ MeV}, m_\Phi = 6 \text{ GeV}$$

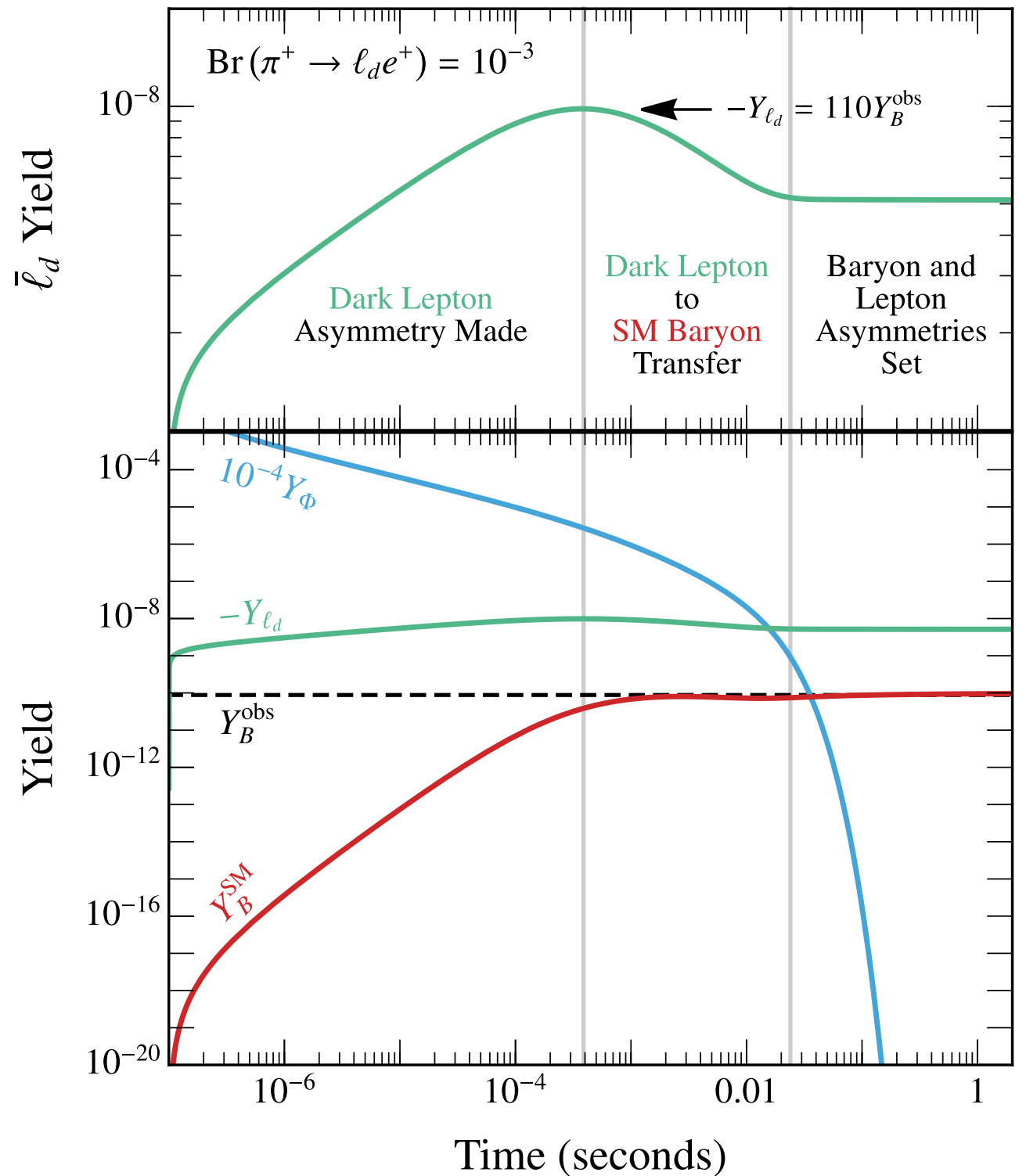
$$\langle \sigma v \rangle = 1 \times 10^{-15} \text{ GeV}^{-2}$$

$$\text{Br}(\Phi \rightarrow \chi_1 \bar{\chi}_1) = 0.1$$

$$\sum_f N_\pi^f a_{CP}^f \text{Br}_{D^+}^f = (-9.3 \times 10^{-4})$$

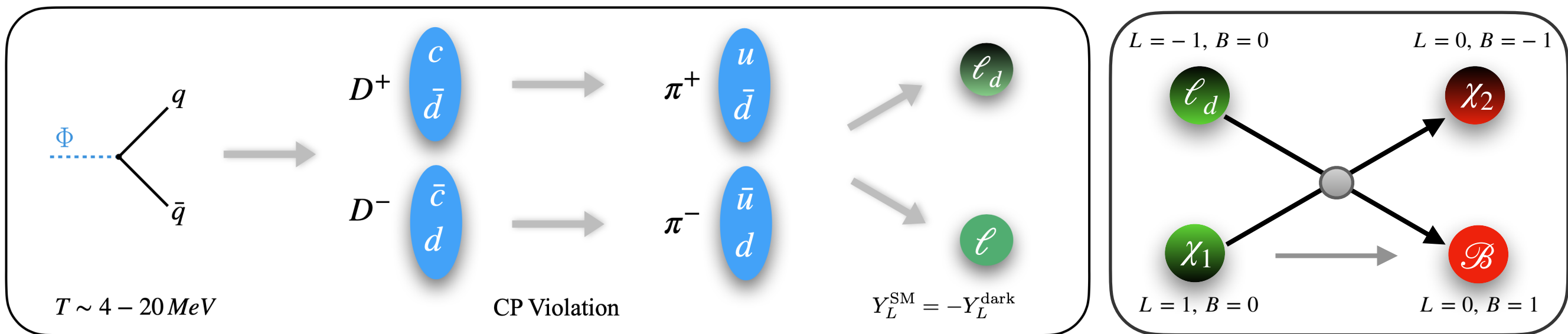
$$\frac{d}{dt} (n_{\mathcal{B}} - n_{\bar{\mathcal{B}}}) + 3H (n_{\mathcal{B}} - n_{\bar{\mathcal{B}}}) = -\langle \sigma v \rangle n_{\chi_1} (n_{\ell_d} - n_{\bar{\ell}_d})$$

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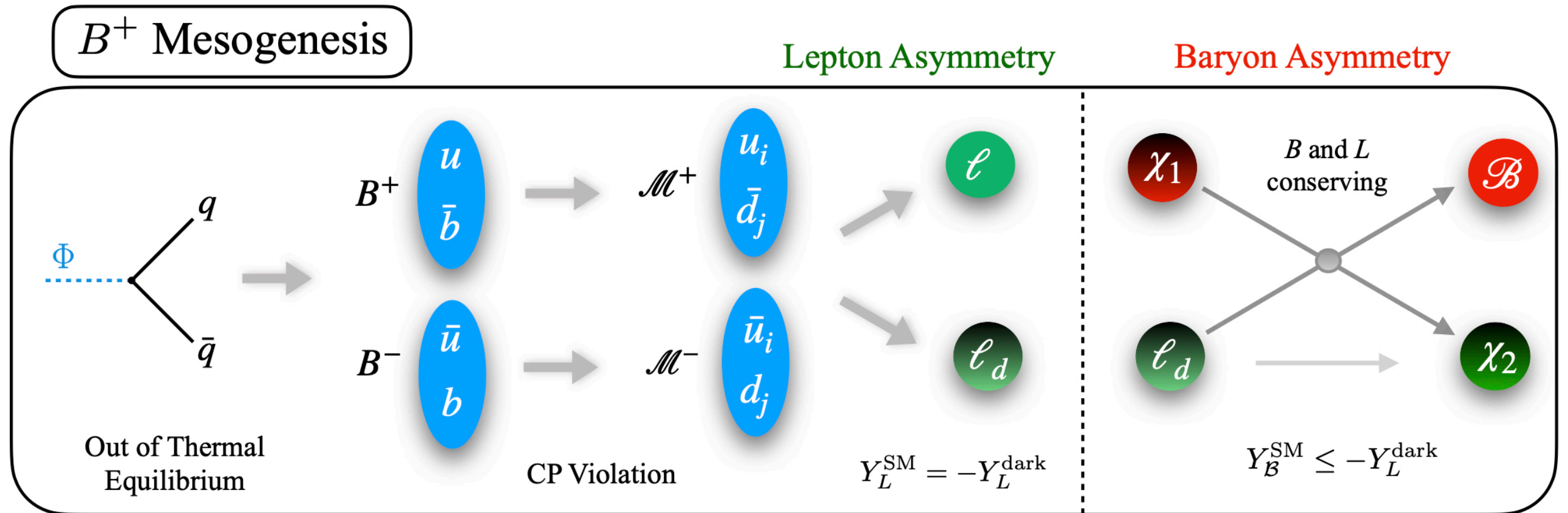
# $D^+$ Mesogenesis



- First generates a lepton asymmetry and then freezes in a baryon asymmetry through dark sector scatterings.
- Baryogenesis and dark matter production are controlled by experimental observables of the charged  $D$  Mesons system.

# $B^+$ Mesogenesis

GE with Fatemeh Elahi and Robert McGehee [arXiv:2109.09751]

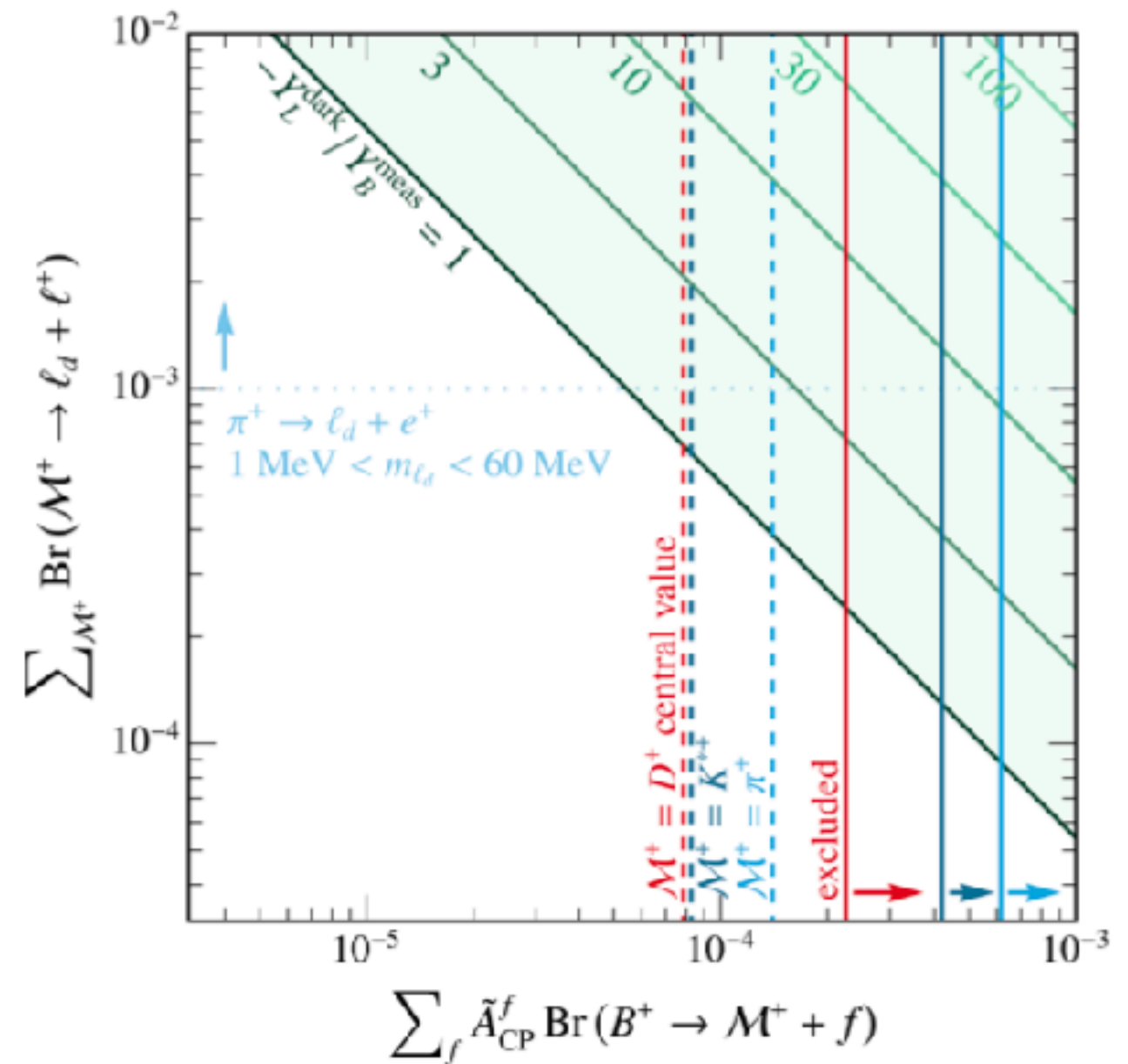
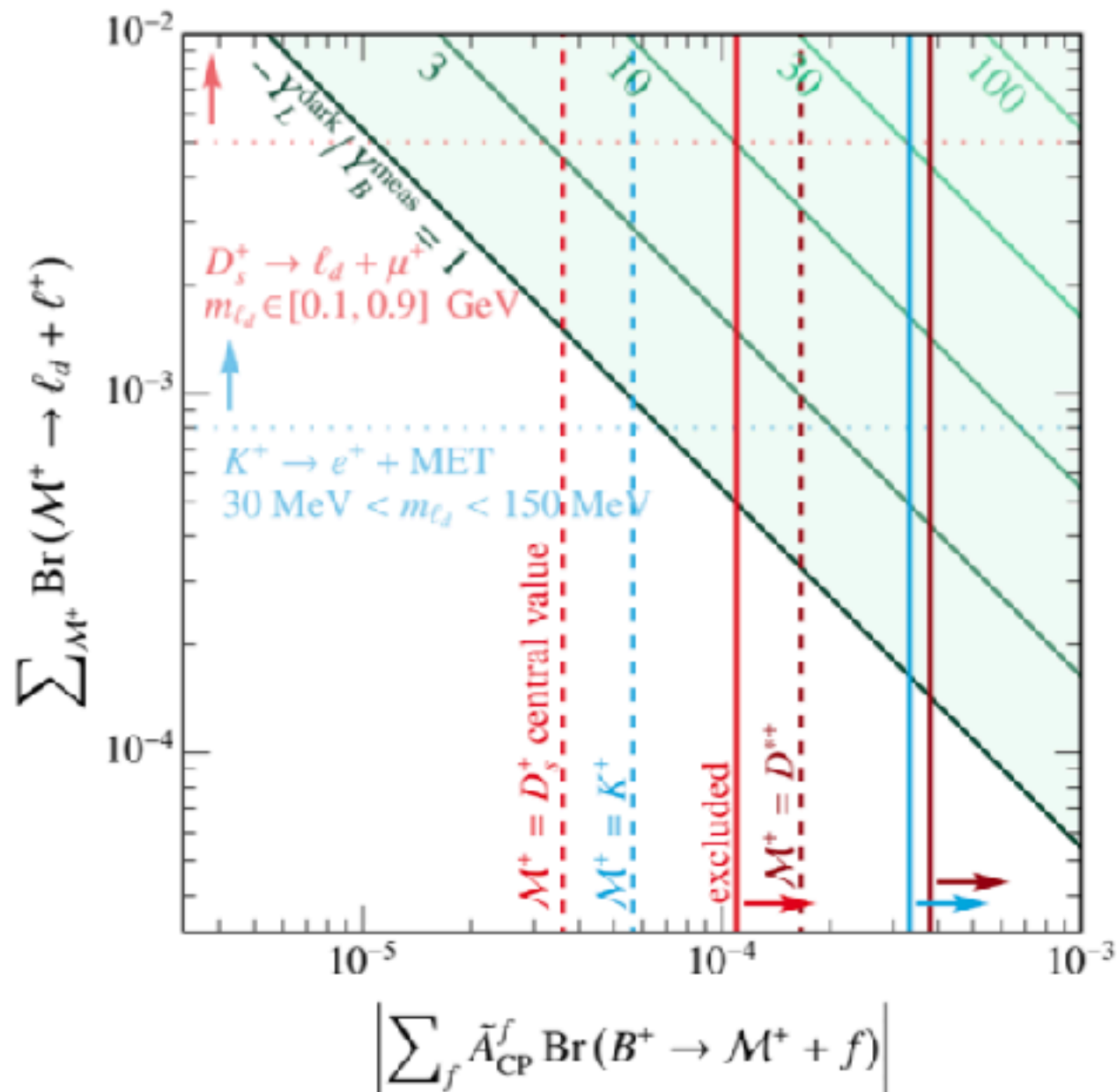


$$Y_{\ell_d} \propto \sum_{\mathcal{M}^+} \text{Br}_{\mathcal{M}^+}^{\ell_d} \sum_f \tilde{A}_{\text{CP}}^f \text{Br}_{B^+}^f$$

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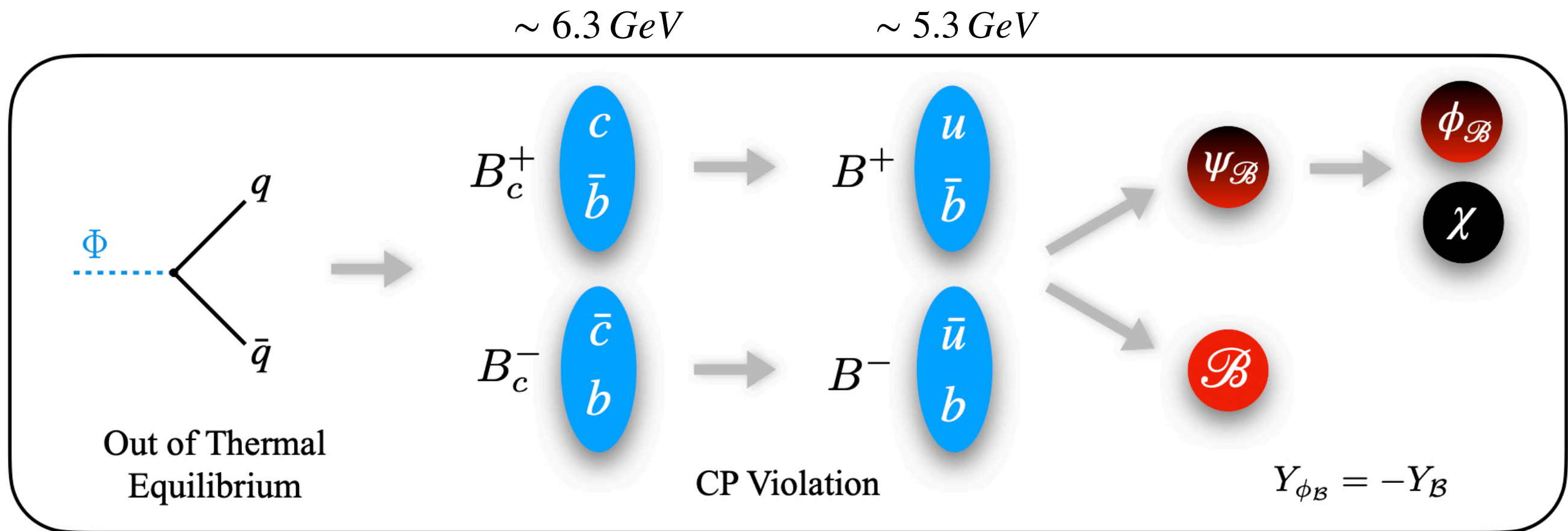
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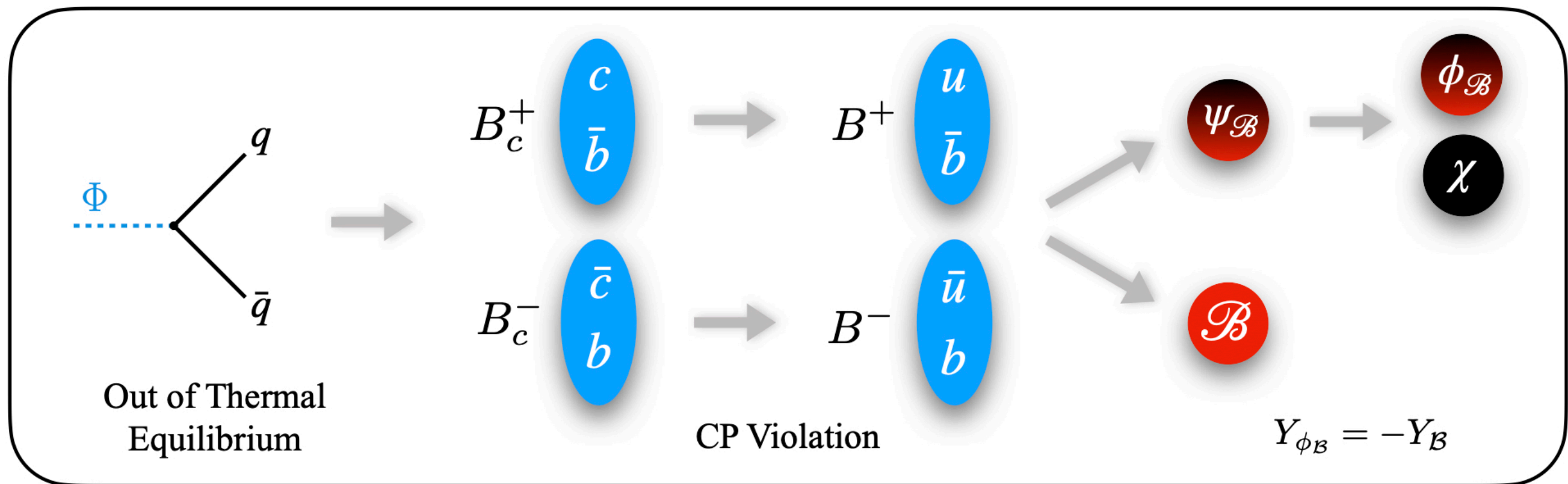
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$$A_{\text{CP}}^f = \frac{\Gamma(B_c^+ \rightarrow f) - \Gamma(B_c^- \rightarrow \bar{f})}{\Gamma(B_c^+ \rightarrow f) + \Gamma(B_c^- \rightarrow \bar{f})}$$

$$\mathcal{O} = \frac{y^2}{M_\phi^2} \bar{\psi}_{\mathcal{B}} b \bar{u}_i^c d_j + \text{h.c.},$$

$$m_{\psi_{\mathcal{B}}} > m_p - m_e \simeq 937.8 \text{ MeV}$$



# $B^+$ Decay

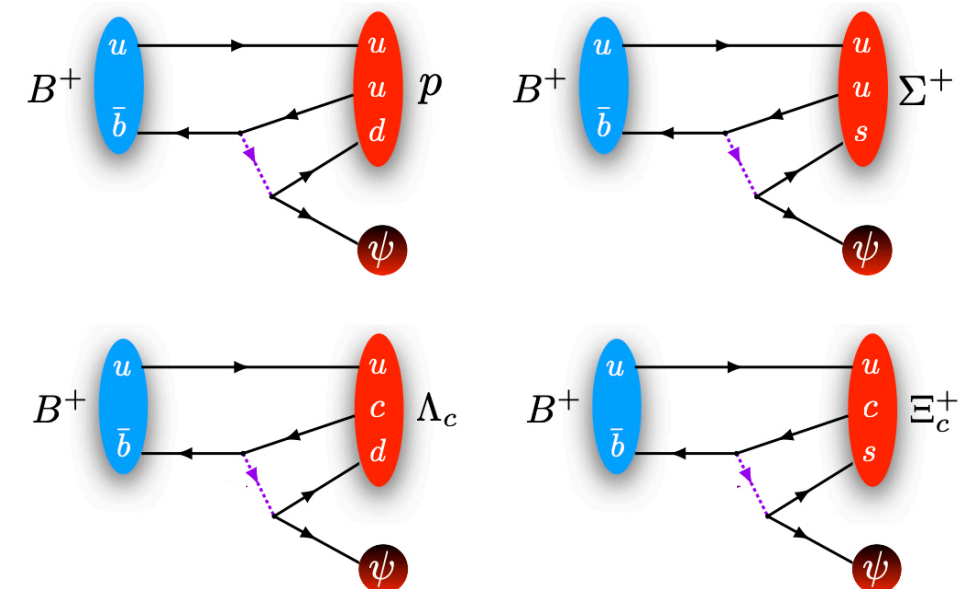
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UV Model:  $\mathcal{L}_{-1/3} = - \sum_{i,j} y_{u_i d_j} Y^* \bar{u}_{iR} d_{jR}^c - \sum_k y_{\psi d_k} Y d_{kR}^c \bar{\psi} + \text{h.c.}$

Operator/Decay	Initial State	Final state
$\mathcal{O} = \psi b u d$ $\bar{b} \rightarrow \psi u d$	$B_d$	$\psi + n (udd)$
	$B_s$	$\psi + \Lambda (uds)$
	$B^+$	$\psi + p (duu)$
	$\Lambda_b$	$\bar{\psi} + \pi^0$
$\mathcal{O} = \psi b u s$ $\bar{b} \rightarrow \psi u s$	$B_d$	$\psi + \Lambda (usd)$
	$B_s$	$\psi + \Xi^0 (uss)$
	$B^+$	$\psi + \Sigma^+ (uus)$
	$\Lambda_b$	$\bar{\psi} + K^0$
$\mathcal{O} = \psi b c d$ $\bar{b} \rightarrow \psi c d$	$B_d$	$\psi + \Lambda_c + \pi^- (cdd)$
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	$B_s$	$\psi + \Omega_c (css)$
	$B^+$	$\psi + \Xi_c^+ (csu)$
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← Directly related to neutral  $B$  Mesogenesis, and indirectly related  $B^+$  Mesogenesis.

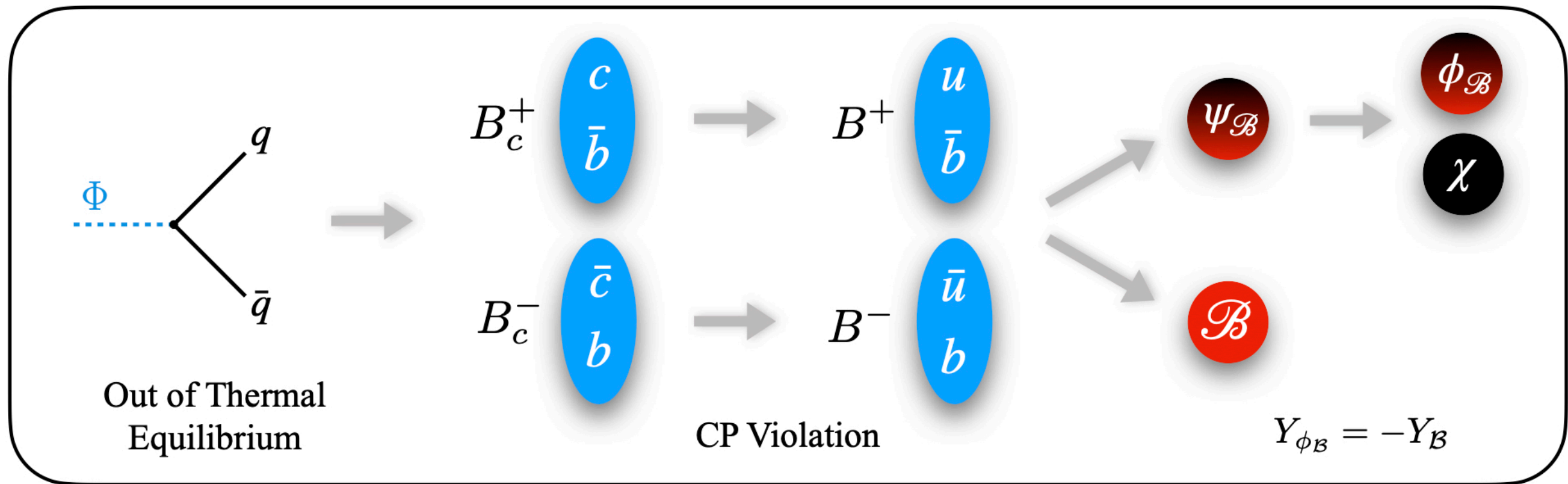
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← Indirect signal of charged and neutral  $B$  Mesogenesis

# $B_c^+$ Mesogenesis

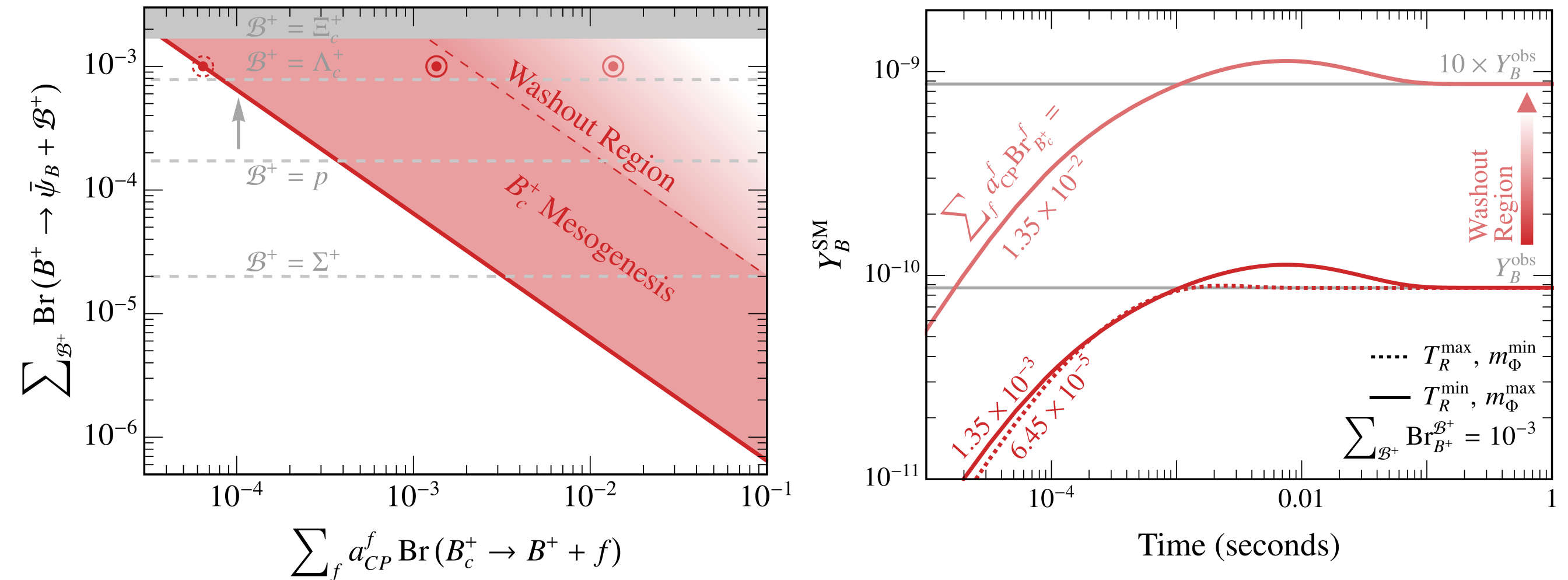
Same UV model as Neutral  $B$  Mesogenesis:  $\mathcal{O} = \frac{y^2}{M_\phi^2} \bar{\psi}_B b \bar{u}_i^c d_j + \text{h.c.},$   
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$$Y_B \equiv \frac{n_B - n_{\bar{B}}}{s} \propto \sum_f A_{\text{CP}}^f \text{Br} (B_c^+ \rightarrow B^+ + f) \times \sum_{B^+} \text{Br} (B^+ \rightarrow \bar{\psi}_B + \mathcal{B}^+)$$

# $B_c^+$ Mesogenesis

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$$\frac{Y_B}{Y_B^{\text{obs}}} \simeq \frac{\sum_{\mathcal{B}^+} \text{Br}_{B^+}^{\mathcal{B}^+}}{10^{-3}} \frac{\sum_f a_{CP}^f \text{Br}_{B_c^+}^f}{6.45 \times 10^{-5}} \frac{T_R}{20 \text{ MeV}} \frac{2m_{B_c^+}}{m_\Phi}$$



# The Many *Flavors* of Mesogenesis

Mechanism	CPV	Dark Sector	Observables	Relevant Experiments
$B^0$ Mesogenesis	$B_s^0$ & $B_d^0$ oscillations	Dark baryons	$A_{sl}^{s,d}$ $\text{Br}(B \rightarrow \mathcal{B} + X)$	LHCb $B$ Factories, LHCb
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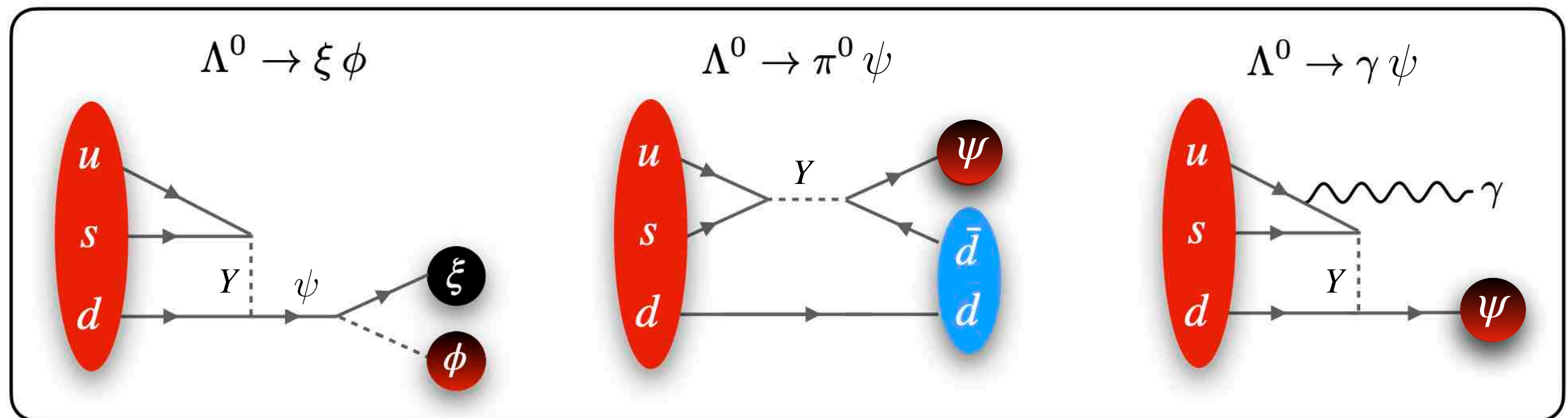
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Thanks!

# Backups

# New Hyperon Decays

Another indirect probe of  $B$ -Mesogenesis that can be searched for at BESIII, Belle-II, and LHCb



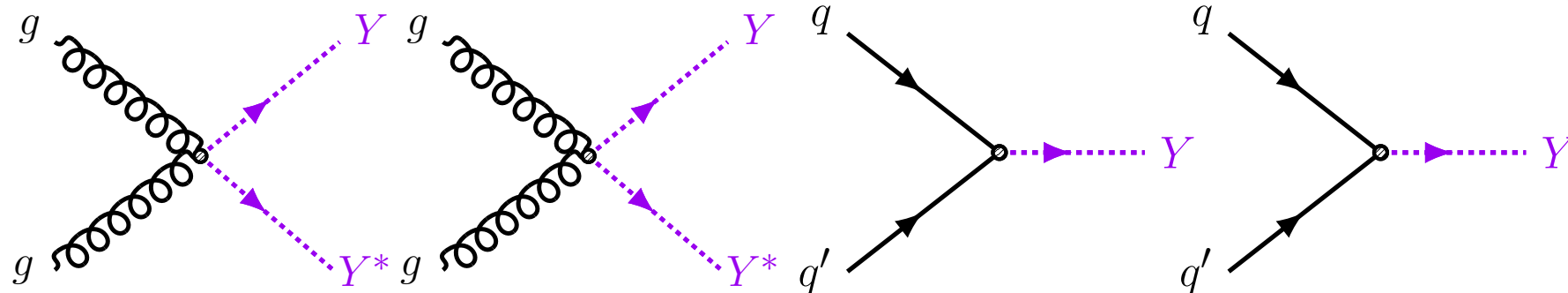
Light hadrons: we can compute form factors by matching onto chiral EFT.

[arXiv:2111.12712] GE with Gonzalo Alonso-Alvarez, Miguel Escudero, Bartosz Fornal, Benjamin Grinstein, Jorge Martin Camalich

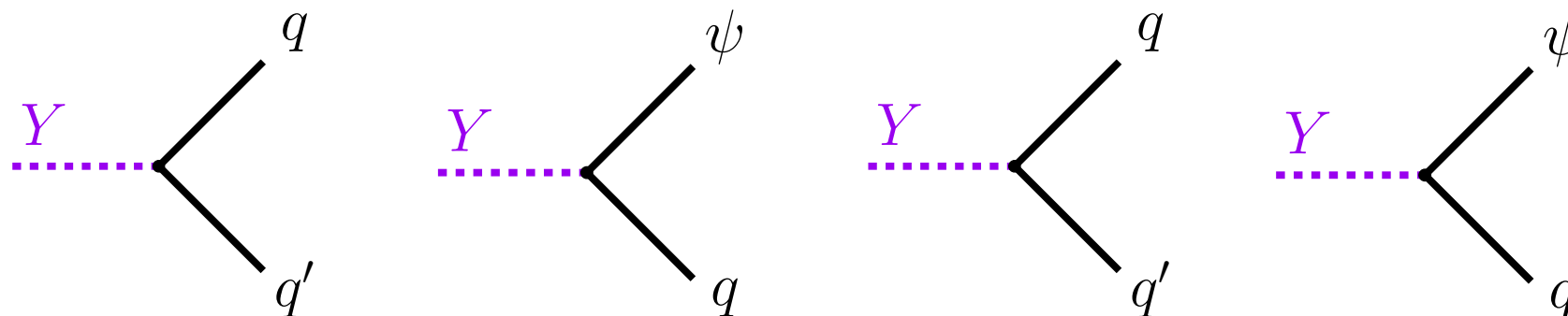
# Colored Triplet Scalar

## Constraints from LHC squark searches

Production:



Decay:



Signature:

4 jets

2 jets + MET

dijet

jet + MET

Search:

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[1710.07171]

ATLAS [2010.14293]  
CMS [1908.04293]

CMS  
[1806.00843]

ATLAS  
[1711.03301]

Constraint:

$M_Y > 0.5 \text{ TeV}$

$M_Y > 1.2 \text{ TeV}$

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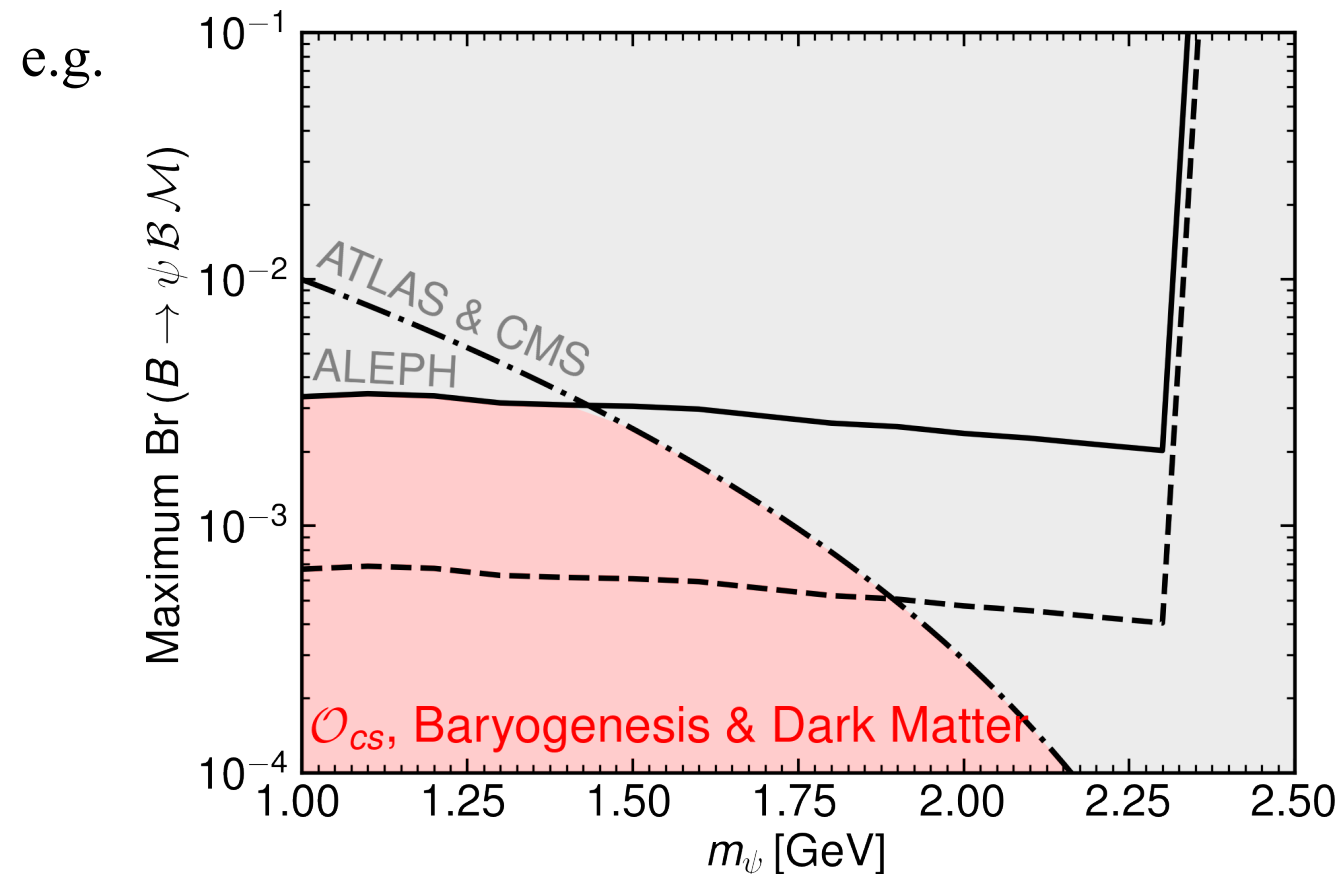
## Constraints from LHC squark searches

$B$ -Mesogenesis requires:

$$\text{Br}(B \rightarrow \psi \mathcal{B} \mathcal{M}) \simeq 10^{-3} \left( \frac{\Delta m}{3 \text{ GeV}} \right)^4 \left( \frac{1.5 \text{ TeV}}{M_Y} \frac{\sqrt{y_{ub} y_{\psi d}}}{0.53} \right)^4 \gtrsim 10^{-4}$$

$$\Delta m = m_B - m_\psi - m_{\mathcal{B}} - m_{\mathcal{M}}$$

Since collider bounds depend on the ratio  $\frac{\sqrt{y_{u_i d_j} y_{\psi d_k}}}{M_Y}$  they will in turn constrain the branching fraction.





# A Roadmap for Discovering Neutral $B$ -Mesogenesis



GE with Gonzalo Alonso-Alvarez, Miguel Escudero, [arXiv:2101.02706, PRD]

Paper out last month: “*The Strange Physics of Dark Baryons*”

GE with Gonzalo Alonso-Alvarez, Miguel Escudero, Bartosz Fornal, Benjamin Grinstein, Jorge Martin Camalich [arXiv:2111.12712]

Recent searches by the Belle collaboration [arXiv:2110.14086]

Proposed searches at LHCb, see [arXiv:2105.12668] and [arXiv:2106.12870]

# Searching for new $b$ -Hadron Decays

## Possibilities at LHCb

[See our white paper on “Stealth Physics at LHCb” 2105.12668]

- No handle on initial energy of decaying  $B$  meson so measuring missing energy is non-trivial.
- But, LHCb has advantages: larger number of  $B$  mesons produced than at Belle, excellent vertex resolution, and good particle reconstruction efficiencies.
- Some possibilities for searches do exist. e.g. new paper just last week!

### Prospects on searches for baryonic Dark Matter produced in $b$ -hadron decays at LHCb

[2106.12870]

Alexandre Brea Rodríguez <sup>a,1</sup>, Veronika Chobanova <sup>b,1</sup>, Xabier Cid Vidal <sup>c,1</sup>, Saúl López Soliño <sup>d,1</sup>, Diego Martínez Santos <sup>e,1</sup>, Titus Mombächer <sup>f,1</sup>, Claire Prouvé <sup>g,1</sup>, Emilio Xosé Rodríguez Fernández <sup>h,1</sup>, Carlos Vázquez Sierra <sup>i,2</sup>

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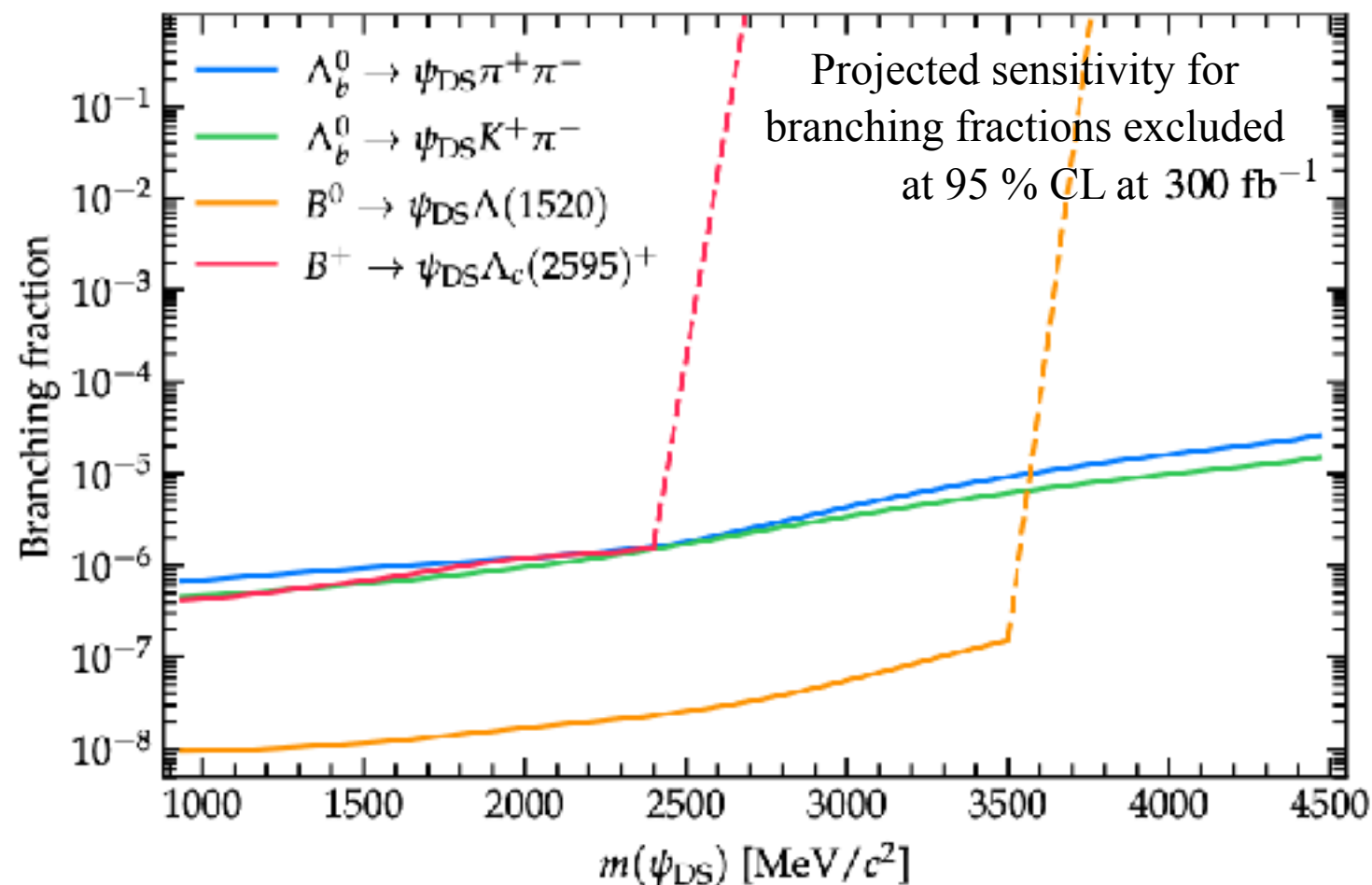
<sup>2</sup>European Organization for Nuclear Research (CERN), Geneva, Switzerland



# Searching for new $b$ -Hadron Decays

## Proposed Search at LHCb [2106.12870]

- Search for decays of  $B$  mesons and  $b$ -Flavored baryons into an excited baryon in the final state  $B \rightarrow \psi B^*$
- The excited baryon promptly decay at the same decay point as original decay, allowing one to trigger on this decay.



# Boltzmann Equations

## Late time decay of Inflaton

$$\Gamma_{\Phi} = 4H(T_R)$$

- Inflaton:  $\frac{dn_{\Phi}}{dt} + 3Hn_{\Phi} = -\Gamma_{\Phi}n_{\Phi}$
- Radiation:  $\frac{d\rho_{\text{rad}}}{dt} + 4H\rho_{\text{rad}} = +\Gamma_{\Phi}m_{\Phi}n_{\Phi}$
- Hubble:  $H^2 = \frac{8\pi}{3M_{\text{Pl}}^2} (\rho_{\text{rad}} + m_{\Phi}n_{\Phi})$

# Boltzmann Equations

## Dark Sector

- Symmetric component of the dark scalar baryon

$$\frac{dn_{\phi+\phi^*}}{dt} + 3H n_{\phi+\phi^*} = 2\Gamma_{\Phi}^B n_{\Phi} - 2\langle\sigma v\rangle_{\phi} (n_{\phi+\phi^*}^2 - n_{\text{eq},\phi+\phi^*}^2)$$

- The dark Majorana fermion

$$\frac{dn_{\xi}}{dt} + 3H n_{\xi} = 2\Gamma_{\Phi}^B n_{\Phi} - \langle\sigma v\rangle_{\xi} (n_{\xi}^2 - n_{\text{eq},\xi}^2)$$

Overproduced particle must be depleted by additional dark interactions.

$$\Gamma_{\Phi}^B \equiv \Gamma_{\Phi} \times \text{Br}(B \rightarrow \psi \mathcal{B} \mathcal{M})$$

Simplification: For the (low) temperature range of interest we can check that the  $B$  mesons decay more quickly than they annihilate

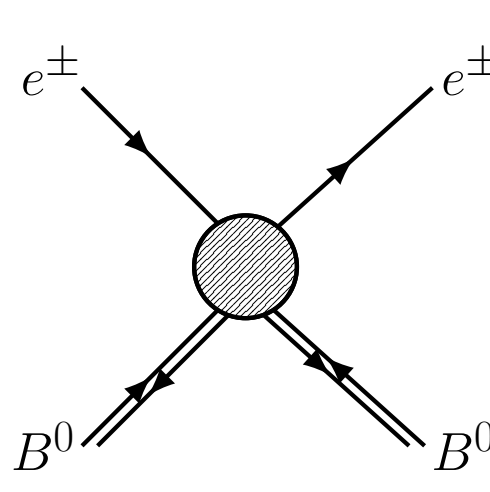
# Boltzmann Equations

## The Baryon Asymmetry

- Anti-symmetric dark sector baryon makes up the baryon asymmetry

$$\frac{dn_{\phi-\phi^*}}{dt} + 3Hn_{\phi-\phi^*} = 2\Gamma_{\Phi}^B \sum_q \text{Br}(\bar{b} \rightarrow B_q^0) A_{\text{SL}}^q f_{\text{deco}}^q n_{\Phi}$$

Coherent  $B$  meson oscillations maintained for 20 MeV scales and below

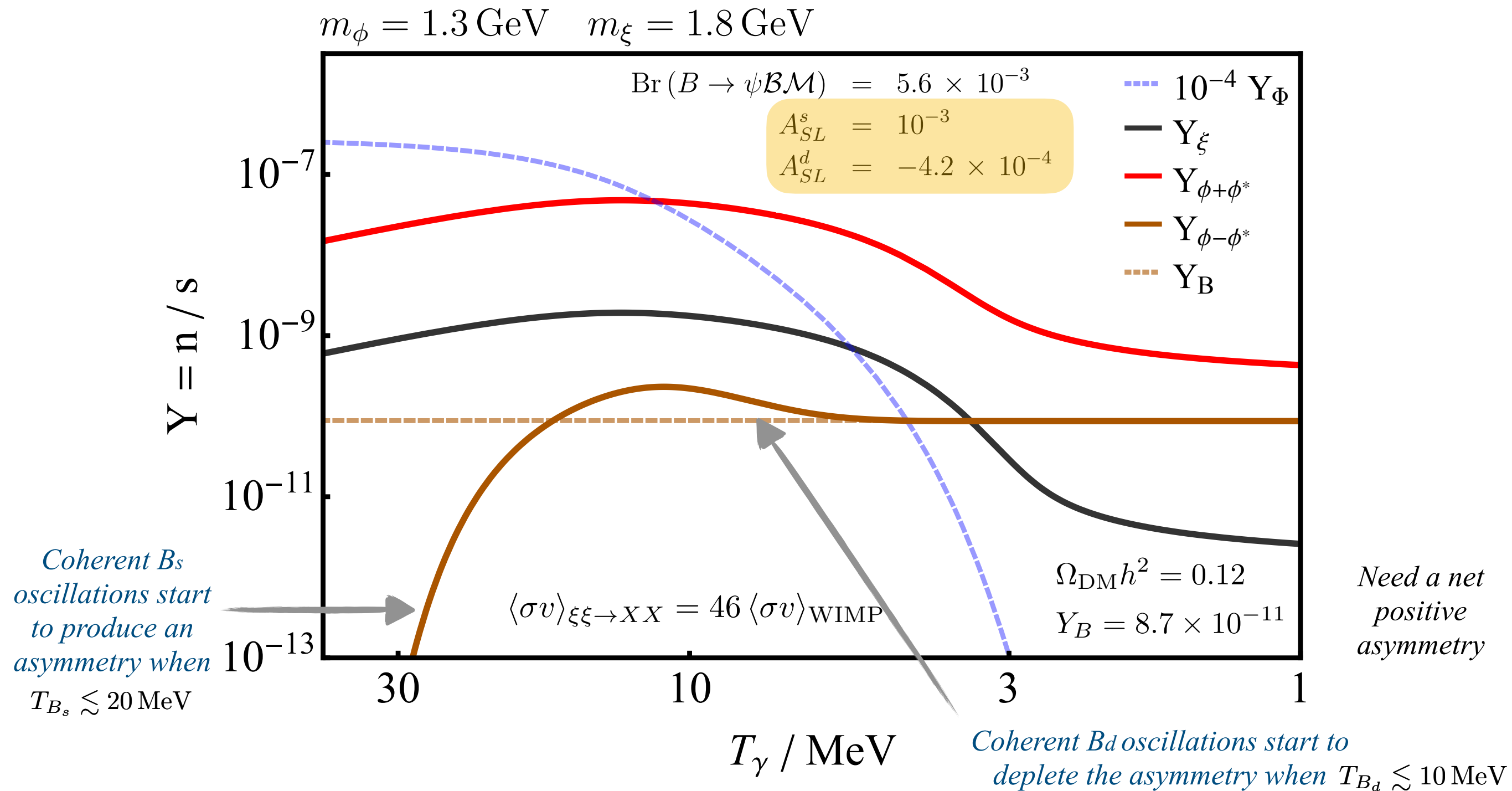


$$\Gamma(e^{\pm} B_q^0 \rightarrow e^{\pm} B_q^0) = 10^{-11} \text{GeV} \left( \frac{T}{20 \text{MeV}} \right)^5$$

$$f_{\text{deco}}^q = e^{-\Gamma(e^{\pm} B_q^0 \rightarrow e^{\pm} B_q^0) / \Delta m_{B_q}}$$

$$T_{B_s} \leq 20 \text{ MeV} \text{ and } T_{B_d} \leq 10 \text{ MeV}$$

# Example Benchmark Point



# Searching for new $b$ -Hadron Decays

## Caution: Inclusive vs. Exclusive Rates

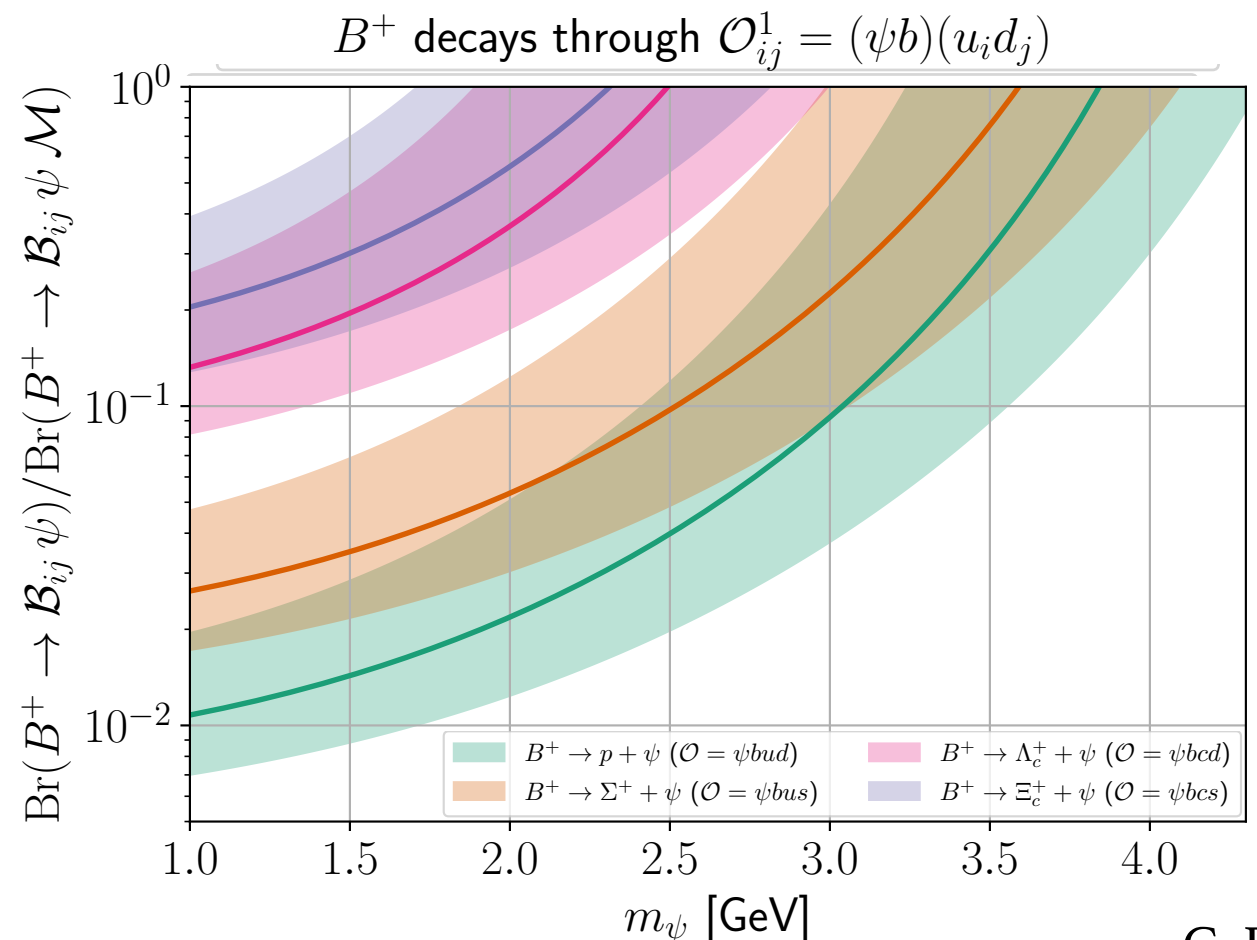
- All decays (and their searches) discussed thus far have been *exclusive*. But, the observable controlling the baryon asymmetry is an *inclusive* rate.  $\text{Br}(B \rightarrow \psi \mathcal{B} \mathcal{M}) \gtrsim 10^{-4}$

- Need a dedicated calculation using QCD sum rules or lattice techniques etc. to calculate form factors. Beyond my current expertise....

- Phase space method

[Bigi, Phys.Lett.B 106, 510 (1981)]

$$\frac{\text{Br}(B \rightarrow \psi \mathcal{B})}{\text{Br}(B \rightarrow \psi \mathcal{B} \mathcal{M})} \gtrsim (1 - 10) \%.$$



# Freezing-In a Baryon Asymmetry

Boltzmann Equations with scattering:  $\bar{\ell}_d + \chi_1 \rightarrow \chi_2 + \mathcal{B}$

- New dark lepton/lepto-baryon:  $m_\Phi \gtrsim m_{\chi_1}$   $m_\Phi \gtrsim m_{\chi_2} + m_{\mathcal{B}}$

$$\frac{dn_{\chi_1}}{dt} + 3Hn_{\chi_1} = \Gamma_\Phi n_\Phi \text{Br}(\Phi \rightarrow \chi_1 \bar{\chi}_1) - \langle \sigma v \rangle n_{\bar{\ell}_d} n_{\chi_1}$$

- Dark lepton:

$$\frac{d}{dt} (n_{\ell_d} - n_{\bar{\ell}_d}) + 3H (n_{\ell_d} - n_{\bar{\ell}_d}) = 2\Gamma_\Phi^D n_\Phi \text{Br}_\pi^{\ell_d} \sum_f N_\pi^f a_{CP}^f \text{Br}_{D^+}^f - \langle \sigma v \rangle n_{\chi_1} (n_{\ell_d} - n_{\bar{\ell}_d})$$

- Baryon asymmetry:

$$\frac{d}{dt} (n_{\mathcal{B}} - n_{\bar{\mathcal{B}}}) + 3H (n_{\mathcal{B}} - n_{\bar{\mathcal{B}}}) = - \langle \sigma v \rangle n_{\chi_1} (n_{\ell_d} - n_{\bar{\ell}_d})$$

To efficiently transfer the asymmetry  $\frac{n_{\chi_1} \langle \sigma v \rangle}{H(T)} \Big|_{T=T_R} \gtrsim \frac{Y_B^{\text{obs}}}{Y_L^{\text{dark}}}$

# Boltzmann Equations: Lepton Asymmetry

- Inflaton:  $\frac{dn_\Phi}{dt} + 3Hn_\Phi = -\Gamma_\Phi n_\Phi$
- Radiation:  $\frac{d\rho_{\text{rad}}}{dt} + 4H\rho_{\text{rad}} = +\Gamma_\Phi m_\Phi n_\Phi$
- Hubble:  $H^2 = \frac{8\pi}{3M_{\text{Pl}}^2} (\rho_{\text{rad}} + m_\Phi n_\Phi) \quad \Gamma_\Phi = 4H(T_R)$
- The dark lepton asymmetry:  $\Gamma_\Phi^D \equiv \Gamma_\Phi \text{Br}(\Phi \rightarrow c) \text{Br}(c \rightarrow D)$

$$\frac{d}{dt} (n_{\ell_d} - n_{\bar{\ell}_d}) + 3H (n_{\ell_d} - n_{\bar{\ell}_d}) = 2 \Gamma_\Phi^D n_\Phi \text{Br}_\pi^{\ell_d} \sum_f N_\pi^f a_{CP}^f \text{Br}_{D^+}^f$$

## Experimental Observables:

- SM charged D decays:  $a_{CP}^f \equiv A_{CP}^f / (1 + A_{CP}^f) \approx A_{CP}^f$  *LHCb, B factories*  
 $\text{Br}_{D^+}^f \equiv \text{Br}(D^+ \rightarrow f)$
- Charged pion decays:  $\text{Br}_\pi^{\ell_d} \equiv \text{Br}(\pi^+ \rightarrow \ell_d + \ell^+)$  *PIENU, PSI, etc.*  
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# Dark Possibilities

$$\bar{\ell}_d + \chi_1 \rightarrow \chi_2 + \bar{\psi}_B$$

Field	L	B	Field	L	B
$\chi_1$	1	0	$\chi_1$	1	1
$\chi_2$	0	-1	$\chi_2$	0	0
$\chi_1$	0	1	$\chi_1$	0	0
$\chi_2$	1	0	$\chi_2$	-1	-1

# Models

Proof of concept that what I have told you thus far is not (too) crazy.

- Some example models/dark sector charge assignments.

$$\bar{\ell}_d + \chi_1 \rightarrow \chi_2 + \mathcal{B}$$

- Estimation of the scattering cross section to confirm it can be large enough to transfer the asymmetry given current constraints.

$$\langle \sigma v \rangle \gtrsim 10^{-16} \text{ GeV}^{-2} \frac{Y_B^{\text{obs}}}{Y_L^{\text{dark}}} \times \frac{10 \text{ GeV}}{m_\Phi} \frac{20 \text{ MeV}}{T_R} \frac{10^{-1}}{\text{Br}(\Phi \rightarrow \chi_1 \bar{\chi}_1)}$$

# Portal to the Dark Sector

Model Build for:

$$\bar{\ell}_d + \chi_1 \rightarrow \chi_2 + \mathcal{B}$$

New fields: (Same model as for *B*-Mesogenesis[arXiv:1810.00880])

*Color triplet  
scalar mediator*

*Dark Baryon*

Field	Spin	L	B	$\mathbb{Z}_2$	Mass
$Y$	0	0	$-2/3$	+1	$\gtrsim 1 \text{ TeV}$
$\ell_d$	1/2	1	0	+1	$\mathcal{O}(10 - 140 \text{ MeV})$
$\psi_B$	1/2	0	-1	+1	$\gtrsim 1.2 \text{ GeV}$

Collider bounds  
(as just discussed)

Stability of matter,  
neutron star bounds

Allowed Interactions:

$$\mathcal{L} \supset y_{u_i d_j} Y^* \bar{u}_i d_j^c + y_{\psi d_k} Y \bar{\psi}_B d_k^c + h.c.$$



$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{eff}} = \frac{y^2}{M_Y^2} \bar{u}_i^c d_j d_k^c \psi_B \quad \text{dark baryon-SM baryon "mixing"}$$

# Example Charge Assignment

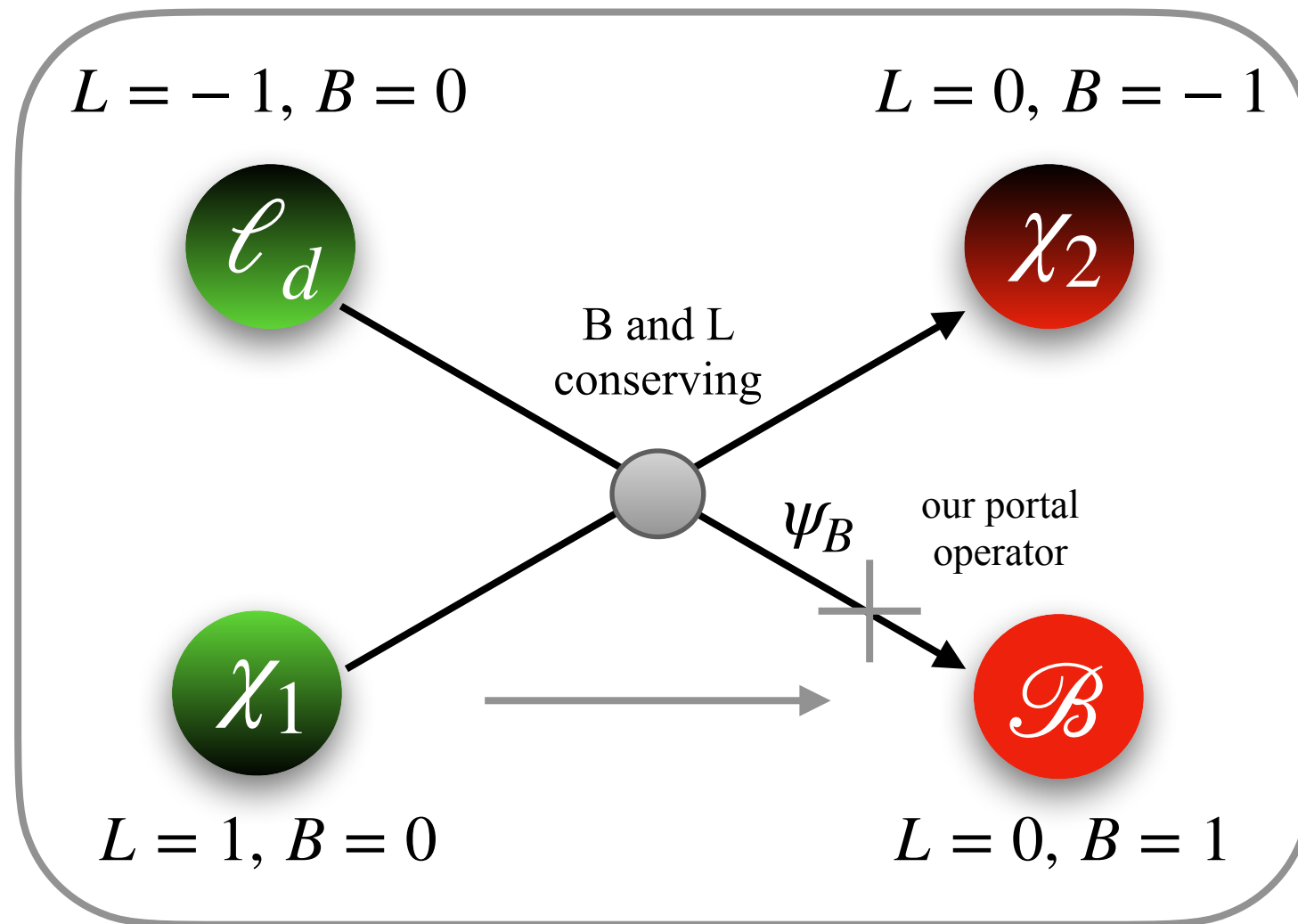
$$m_{\chi_2} + m_{\xi} > m_{\psi_B} > m_{\mathcal{B}}$$

Dark Leptons

$$L = -1, B = 0$$

$$L = 0, B = -1$$

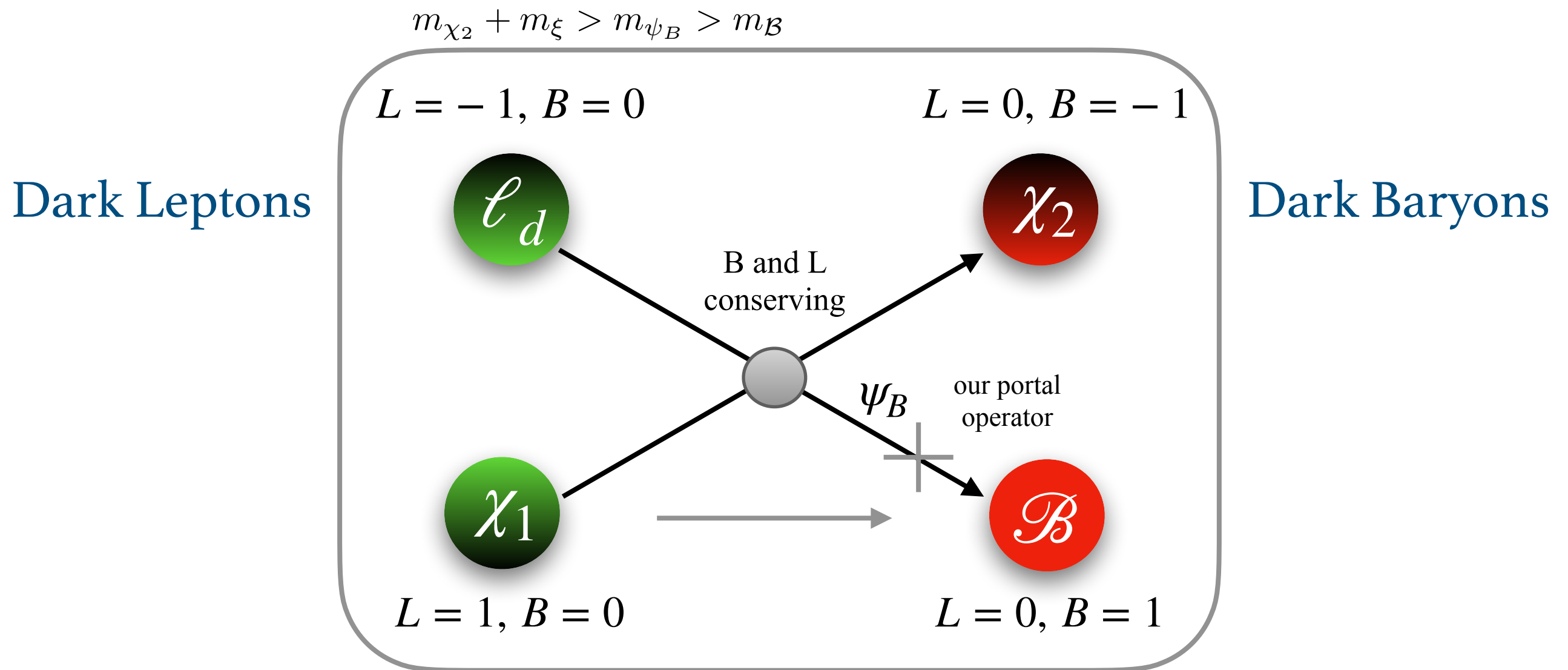
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$$\mathcal{L} \supset y_b \bar{\psi}_B \xi \chi_2 + y_l \bar{\ell}_d \xi \chi_1 + \text{h.c.}$$

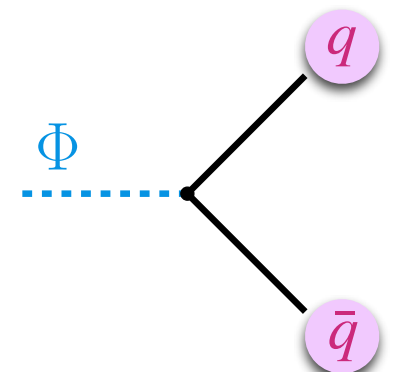
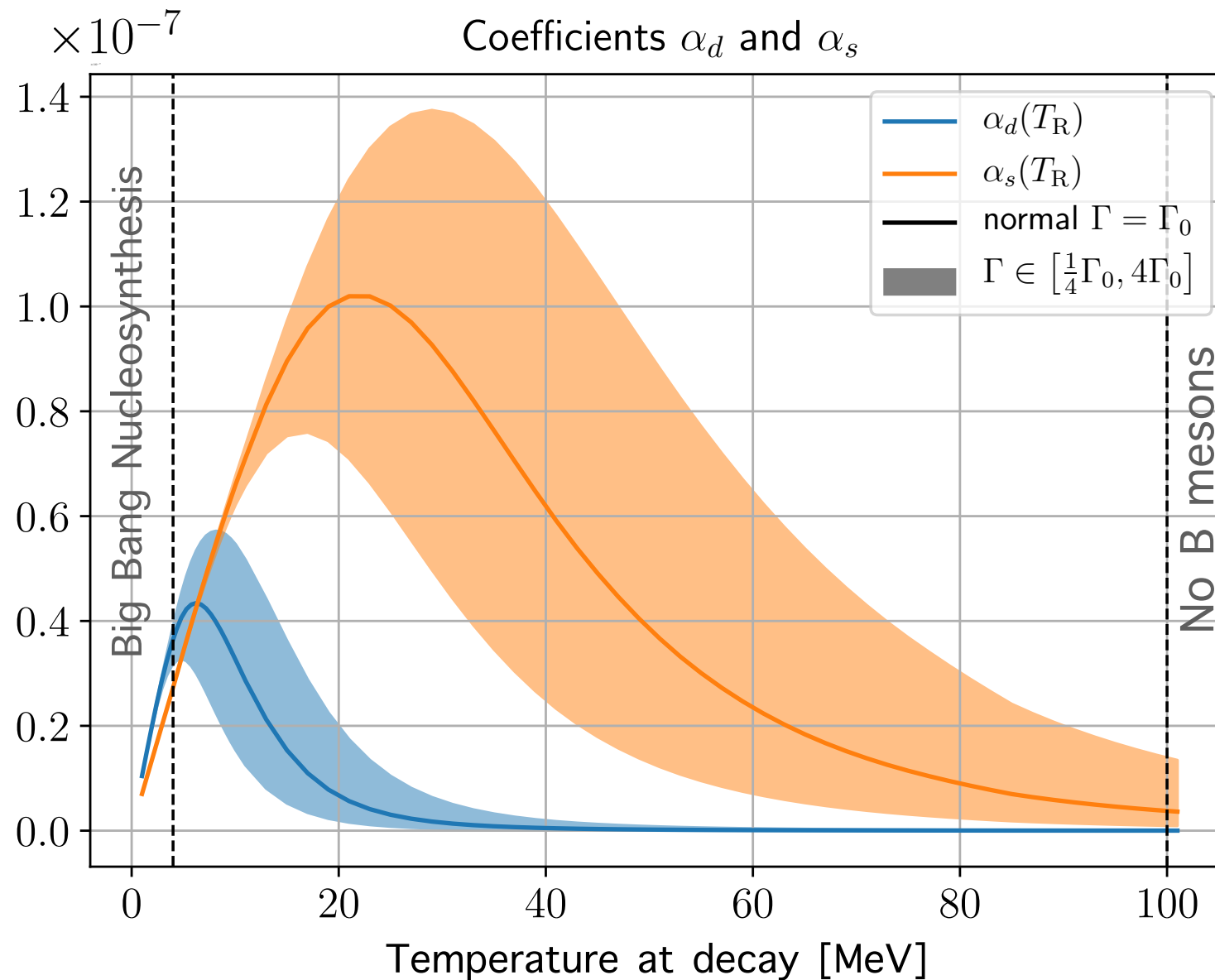
MeV scale Dirac Fermion mediator

# Example Charge Assignment



→  $\langle \sigma v \rangle \simeq 10^{-15} \text{ GeV}^{-2} (y_l y_b)^2 \times \left( \frac{10 \text{ MeV}}{m_{\ell_d}} \right) \left( \frac{20 \text{ GeV}}{m_{\chi_1}} \right) \left( \frac{10 \text{ GeV}}{m_{\chi_2}} \right)$

# Baryogenesis and Dark Matter from B Mesons



$$Y_b - Y_{\bar{b}} = \left( \frac{\text{Br}}{10^{-2}} \right) \left( \frac{100 \text{ GeV}}{m_\Phi} \right) (\alpha_d(T) A_d + \alpha_s(T) A_s)$$

# A Supersymmetric Theory

## MSSM, R Symmetry, and Dirac Gauginos and Sterile Neutrinos

Superfield	R-Charge	L no.
$U^c, D^c$	2/3	0
$Q$	4/3	0
$H_u, H_d$	0	0
$R_u, R_d$	2	0
$S$	0	0
$L$	1	1
$E^c$	1	-1
$N_R^c$	1	-1

**“RPV”**  $W = y_u Q H_u U^c - y_d Q H_d D^c - y_e L H_d E^c + \frac{1}{2} \lambda''_{ijk} U_i^c D_j^c D_k^c$   
 $+ \mu_u H_u R_d + \mu_d R_u H_d$   
 $+ \lambda_u^t H_u T R_d + \lambda_d^t R_u T H_d + \lambda_d^s S R_u H_d .$

$\rightarrow \mathcal{L} = \lambda''_{113} \left( \tilde{d}_R^* u_R^\dagger b_R^\dagger + \tilde{u}_R^* d_R^\dagger b_R^\dagger + \tilde{b}_R^* u_R^\dagger d_R^\dagger \right) ,$

**Gauge:**

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{gauge}} = -\sqrt{2}g(\phi T^a \psi^\dagger) \lambda^{a\dagger} + \text{h.c.}$$

$$\Rightarrow -\sqrt{2}g(\tilde{d}_R^* d_R \tilde{B}^\dagger) - \sqrt{2}g(\tilde{d}_L d_L^\dagger \tilde{B}^\dagger) + \text{h.c.}$$

**Neutrino:**

$$W = \frac{\lambda_N}{4} S N_R^c N_R^c + H_u L^i y_N^{ij} N_R^{c,j} + \frac{1}{2} N_R^c M_M N_R^c + \text{h.c.} ,$$

$\rightarrow 4\lambda_N \left( \lambda_s \nu_R^\dagger \tilde{\nu}_R^* + \phi_s \nu_R^\dagger \nu_R^\dagger \right) + \text{h.c.}$

Parameter space: “RPV” couplings and squark mass mixing

# A Supersymmetric Theory

Superpartners and SM particles have different charge under an unbroken R-symmetry.  
We can identify this with Baryon number.

→ Superpartners as dark baryons.

	Field	Spin	$Q_{EM}$	Baryon no.	$\mathbb{Z}_2$	Mass
	$\Phi$	0	0	0	+1	11 – 100 GeV
<i>MSSM Squark</i>	$\tilde{d}_R$	0	$-1/3$	$-2/3$	+1	$\mathcal{O}(\text{TeV})$
<i>Dirac Bino</i>	$\begin{bmatrix} \tilde{B} \\ \lambda_s^\dagger \end{bmatrix}$	1/2	0	$-1$	+1	$\mathcal{O}(\text{GeV})$
<i>Right handed neutrino multiplet</i> (	$\nu_R$	1/2	0	0	$-1$	$\mathcal{O}(\text{GeV})$
	$\tilde{\nu}_R$	0	0	$-1$	$-1$	$\mathcal{O}(\text{GeV})$