

GLAST Science at SLAC

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Plan of Talk

- Activity of GLAST Scientists at SLAC
- Overview of GLAST Science
- Two Key Features of the Instrument
- Dark Matter Search
 - Proton Interaction with Int. Stellar Matter
- Particle Acceleration in Universe
- Exploration of the Temporal Domain
- Summary

Activity of GLAST Scientists at SLAC

SLAC scientists working on GLAST (as of January 2005):

• 3 faculty, 18 staff, 2 postdocs

Activity scientists are heavily involved between 2003-2005:

- Verification of delivered hardware, Tracker, Calorimeter & DAQ.
- Development of Ground Support Equipment, on-line system.
- Development of the Geant4-based instrument simulator.
- Development of the instrument performance analysis software.
- Flight Instrument integration and testing.
- Development of the flight DAQ software and its "simulator".
- Development of Science Analysis Software.
- Preparation for Beam Test at SLAC (Fall '06)
- Science analyses related to GLAST. \leftarrow Focus of my talk

Publications:

Year 03,04,05	Refereed Journal	Conference Talks
Scientific topics	19 papers	17 talks
Instrumental topics	13 papers	9 talks

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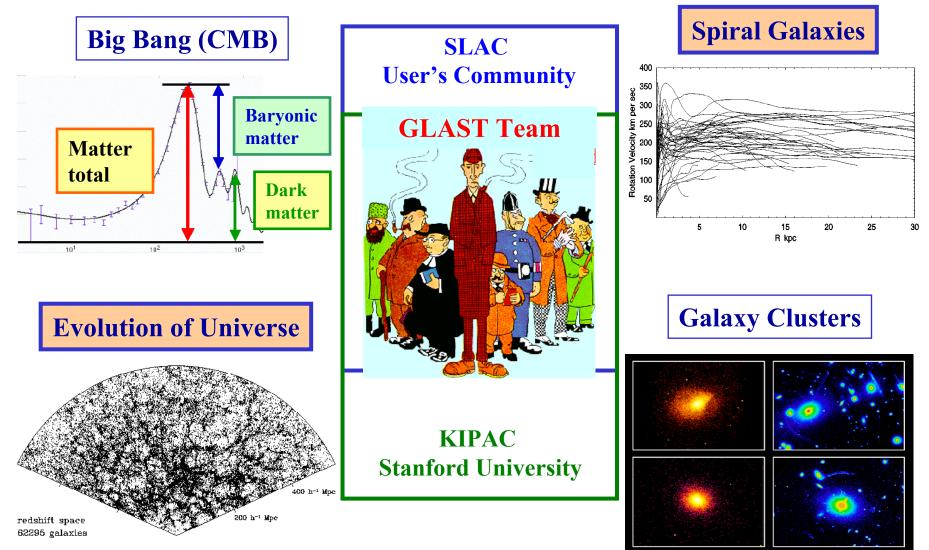
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GLAST will chase after Dark Matter - There Are Signs of Dark Matter Everywhere -



GLAST will go after Particle Acceleration Sites

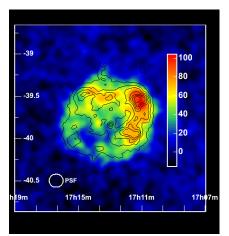
- Particles are accelerated at all scales -

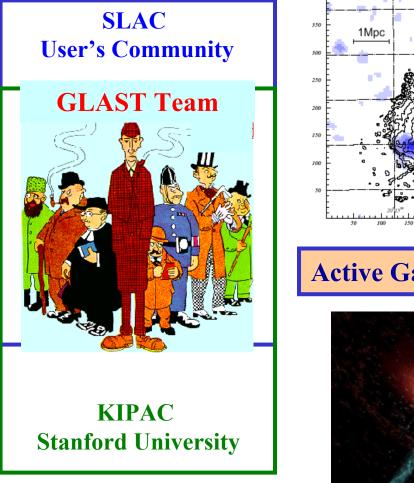
Pulsars and Nebulae

Shocks in Merging Clusters



Super Nova Remnants



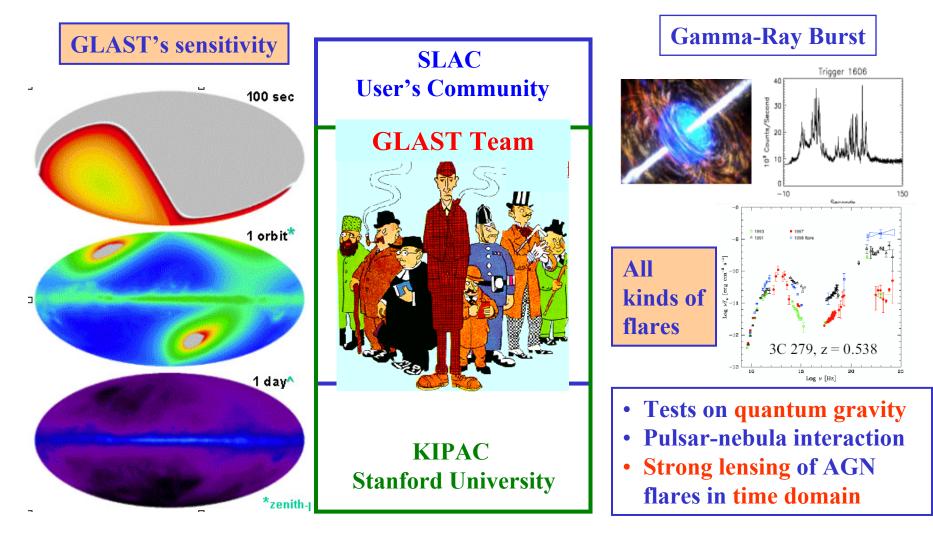


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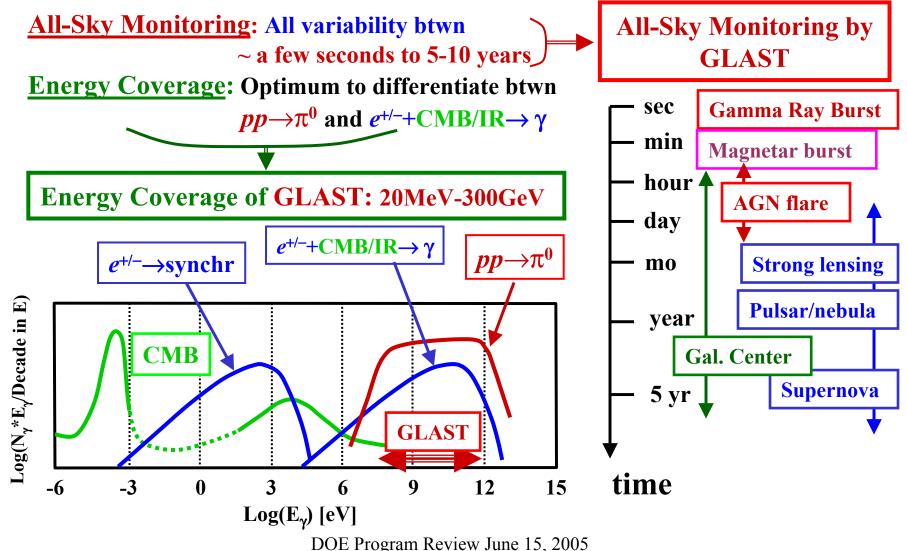
Active Galactic Nuclei



GLAST will survey the Universe Hourly - Enormous Discovery Potential in the Dynamic Universe -



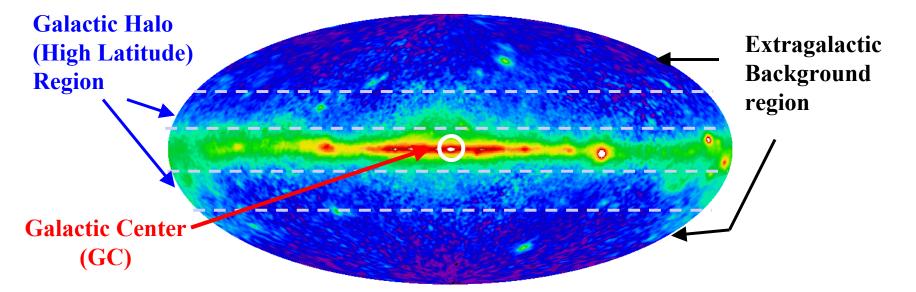
GLAST Detector Performance - Two Most Notable Forte's -



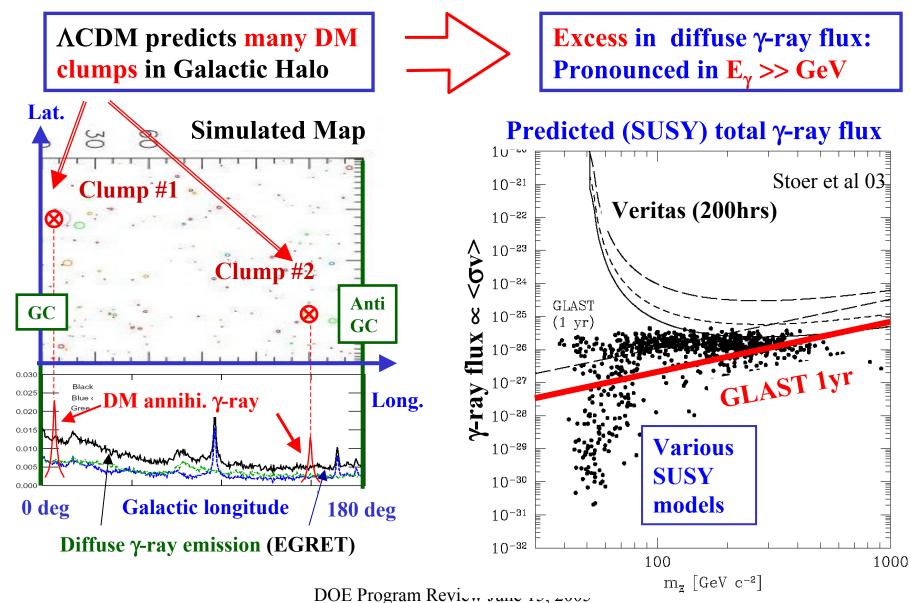
Dark Matter Search - Introduction -

Search for <u>an excess</u> above the <u>expected flux</u> from the known processes.

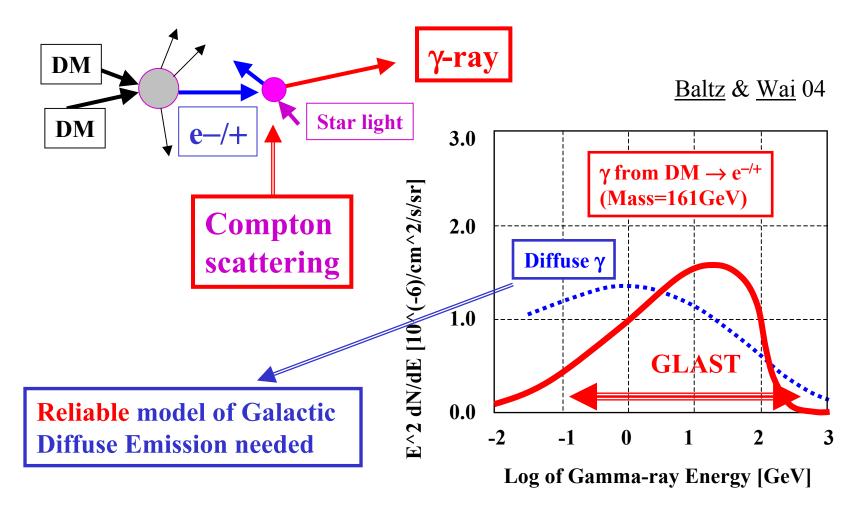
Spectra	Galactic Center	Galactic Halo (High Latitude)	Extragalactic Background
Line	discussed #3		
Continuum		discussed #1, #2	discussed #4



Dark Matter in Galactic Halo: Continuum y

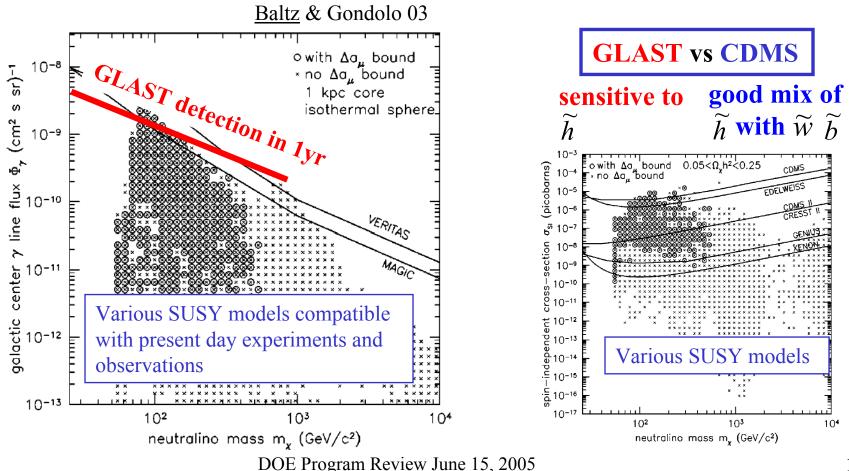


Dark Matter in Galactic Halo: Compton-Scatt. γ - Best Strategy for GLAST -

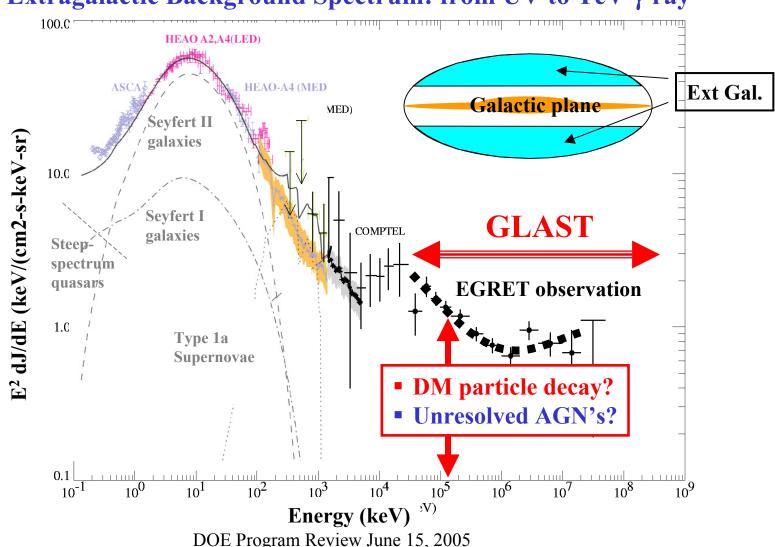


Galactic Dark Matter: Line y at Galactic Center

Line γ-ray from DM annihilation in Gal. Center: Hopeful but requires careful analyses.

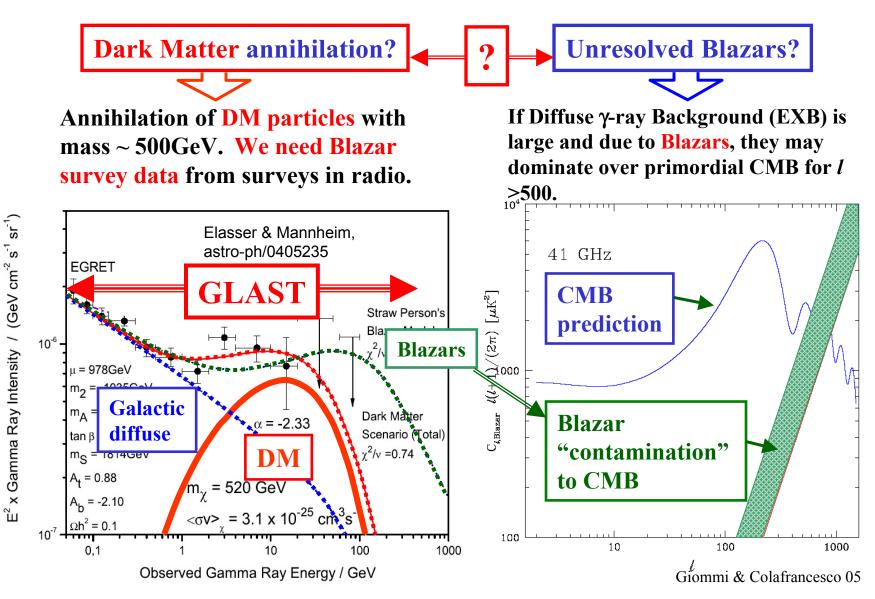


Extragalactic Background: Dark Matter?



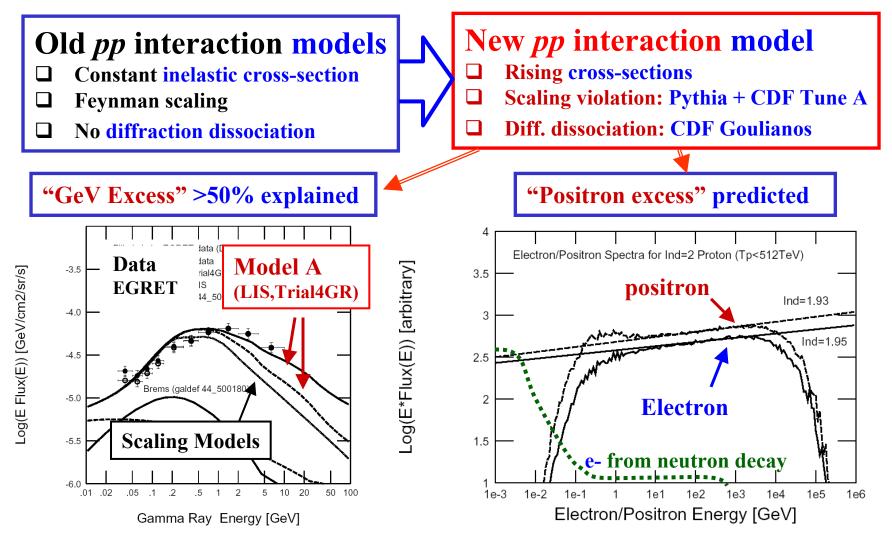
Extragalactic Background Spectrum: from UV to TeV γ-ray

Extragalactic Background: DM vs Blazars



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Diffuse Emission Model: pp Interaction



Kamae et al. 05, Kamae, Karlsson, Mizuno et al. 05, Kamae, Karlsson, Cohen-Tanugi Mizuno et al.05

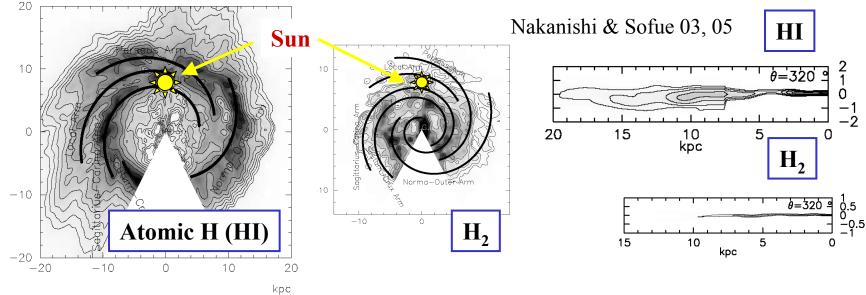
Diffuse Emission Model: Modeling of Galaxy

GALPROP: a reliable 3D model of Galaxy, "Geant 4" of Milky Way

- **Gamma** Several improvements in progress
 - Add the up-to-date *pp* interaction model: <u>Mizuno</u>, <u>Kamae</u> et al. (in progress)
 - Improve cosmic-ray source distribution: Strong, <u>Digel</u>, et al. 04
- **One author (Igor Moskalenko) of GALPROP is now at Stanford Campus**

New data and new analyses

- **High Galactic latitude clouds:** Diego, <u>Digel</u>, et al. 05
- **3D Matter distribution based on CO, HI, and γ-ray distribution:** <u>SLAC</u>-Tokyo-Nagoya

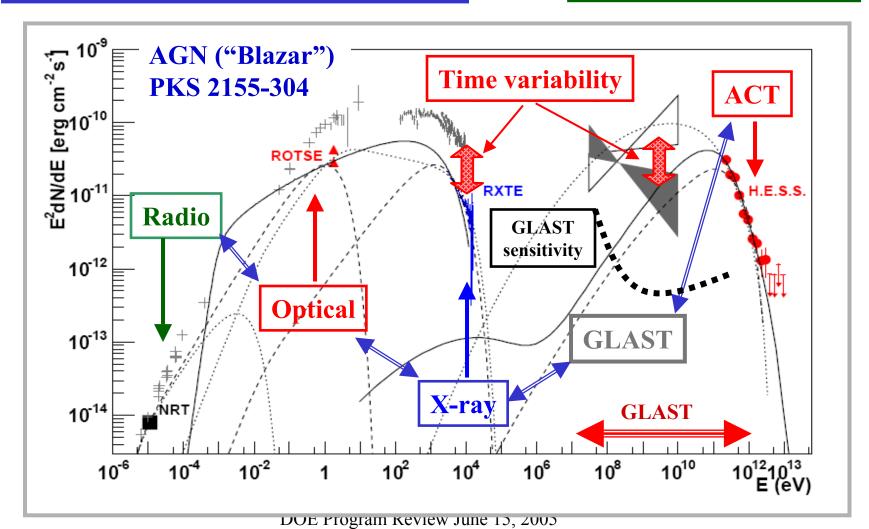


Particle Acceleration: Introduction

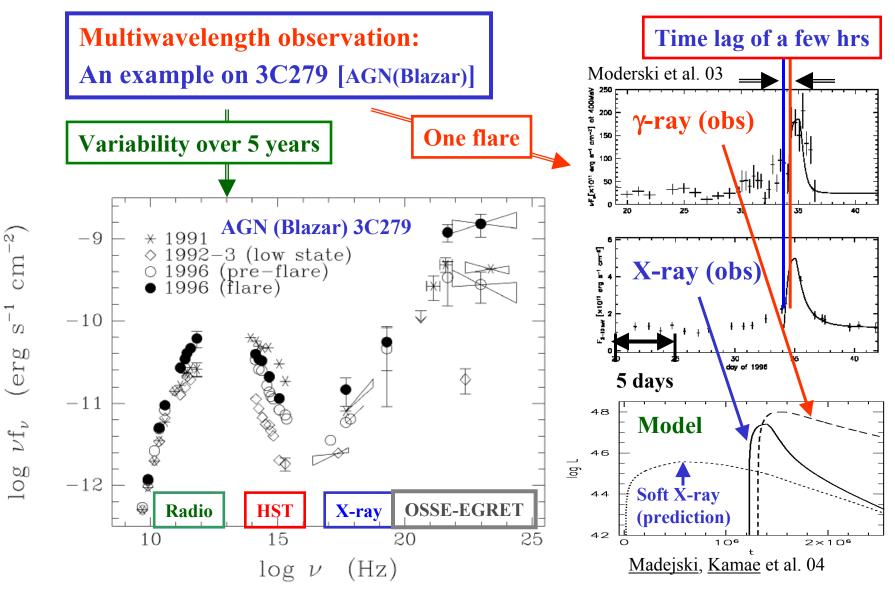
Acceleration mechanism?

• Sign of proton (nuclei) acceleration?

•Time variability study •Multiwavelength

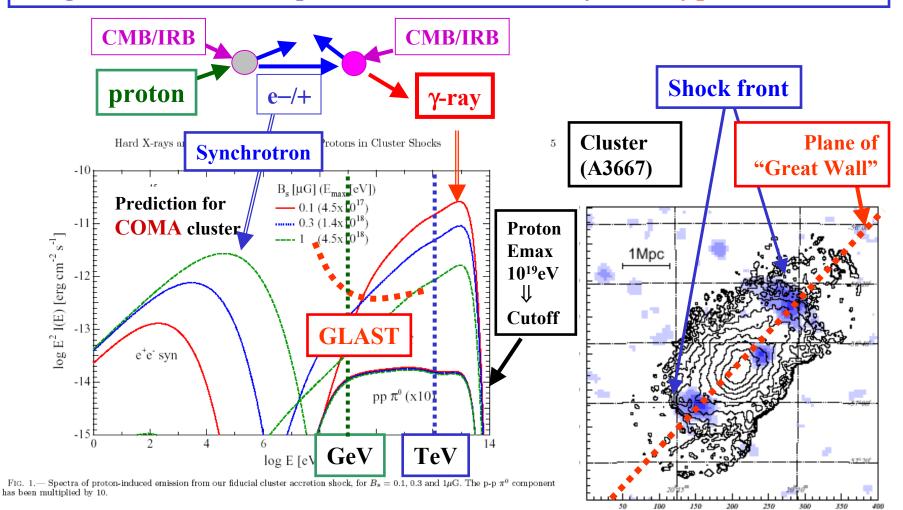


Particle Acceleration: Time Variability



Particle Acceleration: Site for UHE protons?

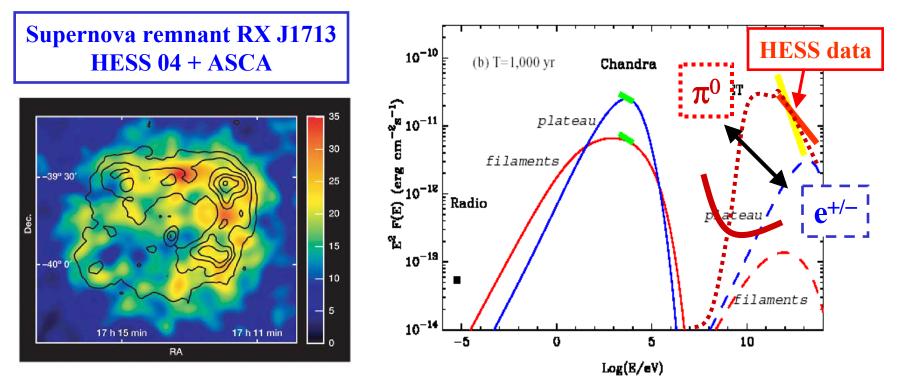
Large scale shock (~ 1Mpc): Slow accel. over >1Gy ⇒ Only *p* reaches UHE



Particle Acceleration: Sign of protons?

Supernova Remnants: Favored Galactic cosmic ray sources

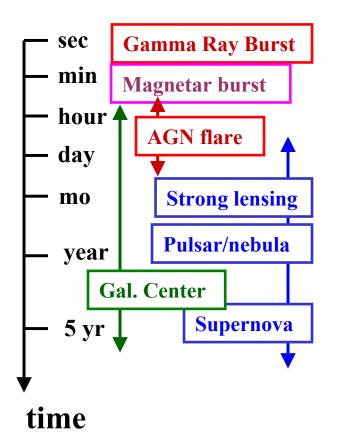
- Recent detection of TeV γ-rays by HESS and other ACT's
- **HE electron** + **CMB** \rightarrow **TeV** γ -ray may not reproduce data (Inoue et al 05)
- GLAST measurement in 100MeV-100GeV is crucial to resolve the origin, p vs e+/-



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Exploration of Temporal Domain

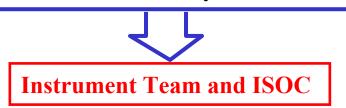
GLAST is the first to monitor allsky from a few sec to 5-10 yrs



Onset times of bursts and flares detected elsewhere will be compared those of **GLAST**.

We are linked to Astro-E2, NuStar, Radio (AGN/CO/HI), HESS/Veritas/Cangaroo, etc.

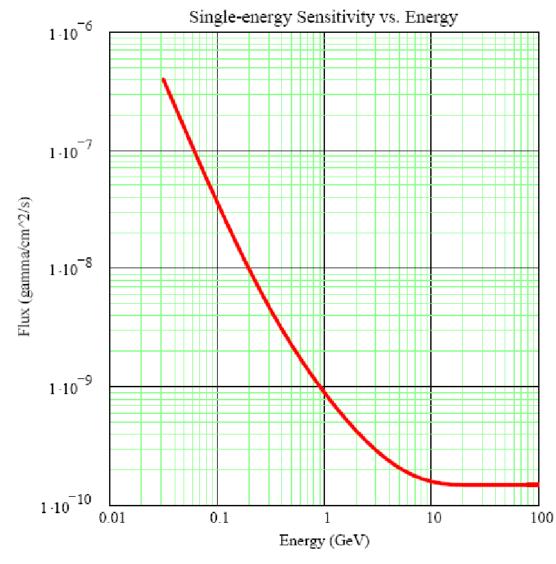
Careful instrument characterization, calibration, and monitoring are required on ground and in orbit to detect subtle variability.



Summary

- GLAST scientists at SLAC are playing leading roles in production and integration of the Flight Instrument. (Talks by Bloom and Cameron)
- ❑ We are analyzing observational data and building theoretical models as parts of preparation for GLAST science, <u>in close</u> <u>collaboration with SLAC-HEP and KIPAC.</u>
- Expert knowledge on the instrument accumulated at SLAC will help us in detecting <u>important but subtle</u> signals and their temporal variability.
- We are actively <u>establishing links</u> to radio, X-ray and air-Cherenkov telescope experiments. (Talk by Madejski)
- □ We would like to share many exciting science with broader HEP community.

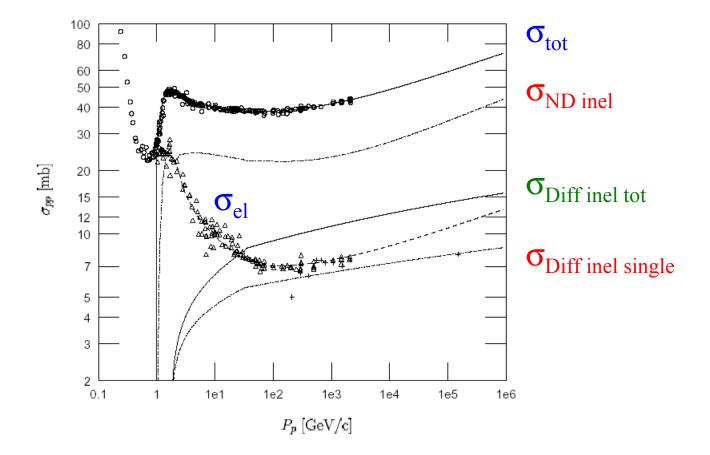
Backup Slide: GLAST-LAT Sensitivity



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Backup Slide: pp Cross-Sections

Parameterized model (Kamae, Karlsson et al. 2005)



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Backup Slide: Parameterized y-ray Spectrum

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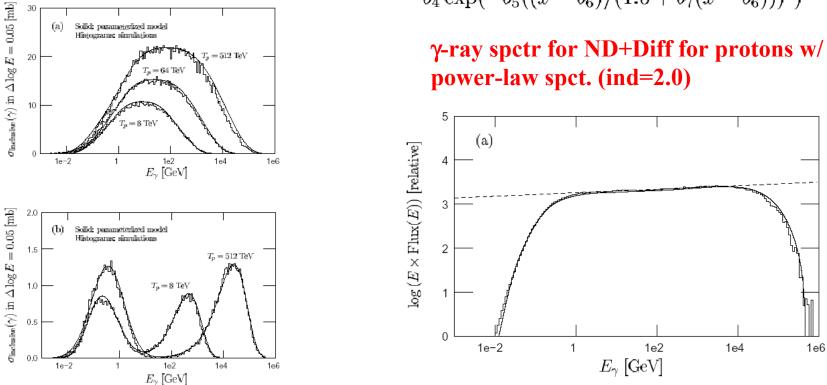
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Solid: parameterized model

$$x = \log 10(E_{\gamma}) \qquad F_{\rm ND}(x) = a_0 \exp(-a_1(x - a_3 + a_2(x - a_3)^2)^2) + a_4 \exp(-a_5(x - a_8 + a_6(x - a_8)^2 + a_7(x - a_8)^3)^2) + b_4 \exp(-b_1((x - b_2)/(1.0 + b_3(x - b_2)))^2) + b_4 \exp(-b_5((x - b_6)/(1.0 + b_7(x - b_6)))^2)$$

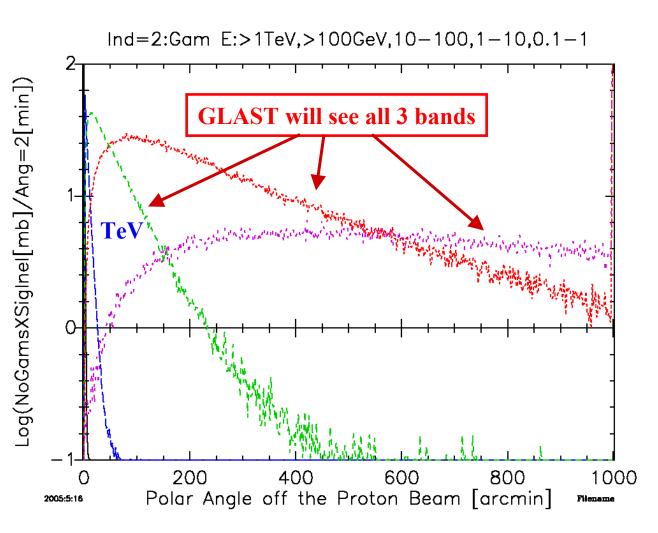




Backup Slide: Angular Distribution off the Proton Beam

For narrow a proton beam g-ray spectrum may appear totally different depending on the viewing angle.

Karlsson, Kamae, Cohen-Tanugi, et al. (in progress)



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