

# **Cosmic Signals from the Hidden Sector**

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# Dark Matter explanation of PAMELA, FERMI and HESS

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- **Source of  $e^+ e^-$**   
**Broad spectrum extending to  $\sim$ few TeV**  
**No new source of  $p\bar{p}$**
  
- **DM: Annihilation vs. Decay**
  - Boost Factor / non-thermal production  
vs.  $10^{26}$ s lifetime
  - Constraints favour decay

e.g. Cirelli et.al. 0907.0719  
Profumo & Jeltman 0906.0001  
Meade et.al. 0905.0480

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# A Framework for Dark Matter

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- **Dark matter is composite** of new strongly coupled sector at  $O(10 - 100 \text{ TeV})$
- **Protected by accidental symmetry** broken at high scale
- **Decay to pseudo– NGB** of spontaneously broken global symmetry

Very low scale dynamical SUSY breaking is a natural setting

# PAMELA, FERMI, HESS and leptonic final states

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- No new source of antiprotons + broad spectrum

⇒ **decay through new light state**

-extra step broadens spectrum

-kinematics prevents baryonic final states

e.g. Cholis et.al. 0802.2922  
Arkani-Hamed et.al. 0810.0713  
Nomura & Thaler 0810.5397

# PAMELA, FERMI, HESS and the WIMP Paradigm

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- $e^+ e^-$  excess up to  $\sim$ few TeV  
 $\Rightarrow m_{\text{DM}} \sim 10 \text{ TeV}$
- WIMP paradigm: fix  $\frac{g_{\text{DM}}^4}{m_{\text{DM}}^2}$   
 $g_{\text{DM}} \sim 1 \Rightarrow m_{\text{DM}} \sim \text{EW scale}$

- thermal abundance  $\Rightarrow g_{\text{DM}} \sim \pi$   
 $\Rightarrow$  **strongly coupled physics**  
**composite dark matter**

# SUSY Cosmology and Dark Matter

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- SUSY breaking  $\longrightarrow$  massive gravitino

$$\left(m_{\frac{3}{2}} = \frac{F}{M_{\text{Pl}}}\right)$$

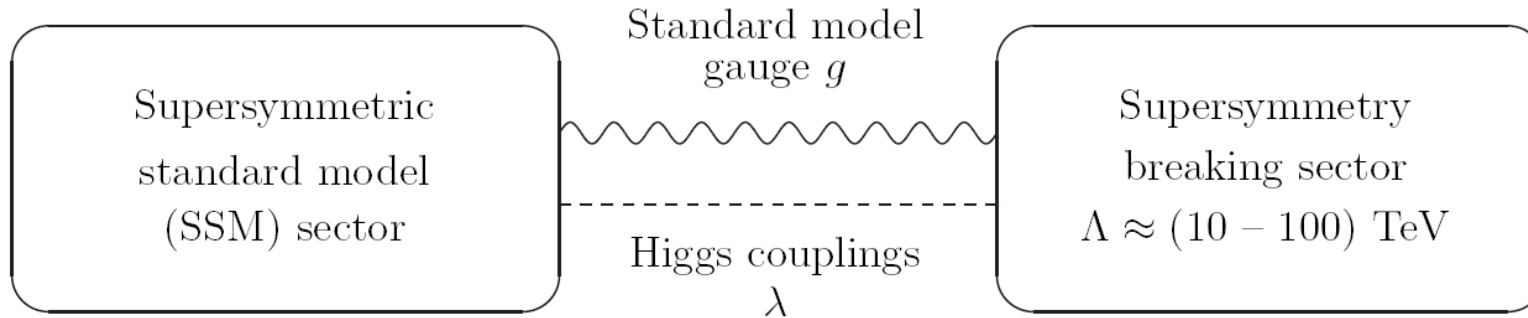
$\rightarrow$  **Cosmological problems**

- gravitino over-abundance
- late decays spoil BBN

- Problems disappear if  $m_{\frac{3}{2}} \lesssim 10 \text{ eV} \iff \sqrt{F} \lesssim 100 \text{ TeV}$

# SUSY Cosmology and Dark Matter

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$$\Lambda \sim 10 - 100 \text{ TeV}$$

$$m_{\tilde{q}, \tilde{l}} \sim \frac{\alpha}{4\pi} \Lambda \sim 100 \text{ GeV} - \text{TeV}$$

$$m_{\frac{3}{2}} \sim \frac{\Lambda^2}{M_{\text{Pl}}} \lesssim 10 \text{ eV}$$

**~single scale theory:**

all scales generated by strong dynamics

# SUSY Cosmology and Dark Matter

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- Gravitino is LSP ... no neutralino DM!
- Dynamical SUSY breaking  $\longrightarrow$  strong dynamics  
 $\longrightarrow$  **stable states?**

Think of proton stability:

- elementary:  $\mathcal{L} \subset ep \longrightarrow$  immediate proton decay
- composite:  $\mathcal{L} \subset LQQQ$  : non-ren.  
 $\longrightarrow$  accidental  $U(1)_B \longrightarrow$  proton stable

- **Composite states can be naturally stable**  
 lightest stable state is **DM candidate**



# SUSY Cosmology and Dark Matter

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- Dimension 6 proton decay:  $\mathcal{L} \subset \frac{LQQQ}{M_{\text{GUT}}^2}$   
→ proton lifetime  $\sim 8\pi \frac{(4\pi)^2 M_{\text{GUT}}^4}{m_p^5} \sim 10^{40} \text{ s}$
- **Symmetry protecting DM broken at high scale by dim 6 operator**

$$\implies \text{DM lifetime} \sim 8\pi \frac{(4\pi)^2 (10^{17} \text{ GeV})^4}{(10 \text{ TeV})^5} \sim \mathbf{10^{26} \text{ s}}$$

e.g. Nardi et.al. 0811.4153  
Dimopoulos et.al. 0812.2075

- **10 TeV composite DM with lifetime  $\sim 10^{26} \text{ s}$**   
can appear *naturally* from  
 **$O(10 - 100 \text{ TeV})$  dynamical SUSY breaking sector**

# Light Axion-like States

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DM decay through light states?

- **Spontaneously break global  $U(1)$  in strong sector**  
 → massless NGB ("axion")
- **Small explicit breaking**  
 → small mass
- E.g.  $U(1)_R + \text{supergravity} \longrightarrow m_{\text{axion}} \sim \mathcal{O}(1 - 100) \text{ MeV}$   
 or  $U(1)_{\text{PQ}}$  broken by dim 5 operator at  $\sim 10^9 \text{ GeV} - M_{\text{Pl}}$   
 $\longrightarrow m_{\text{axion}} \sim \text{MeV} - 10 \text{ GeV}$

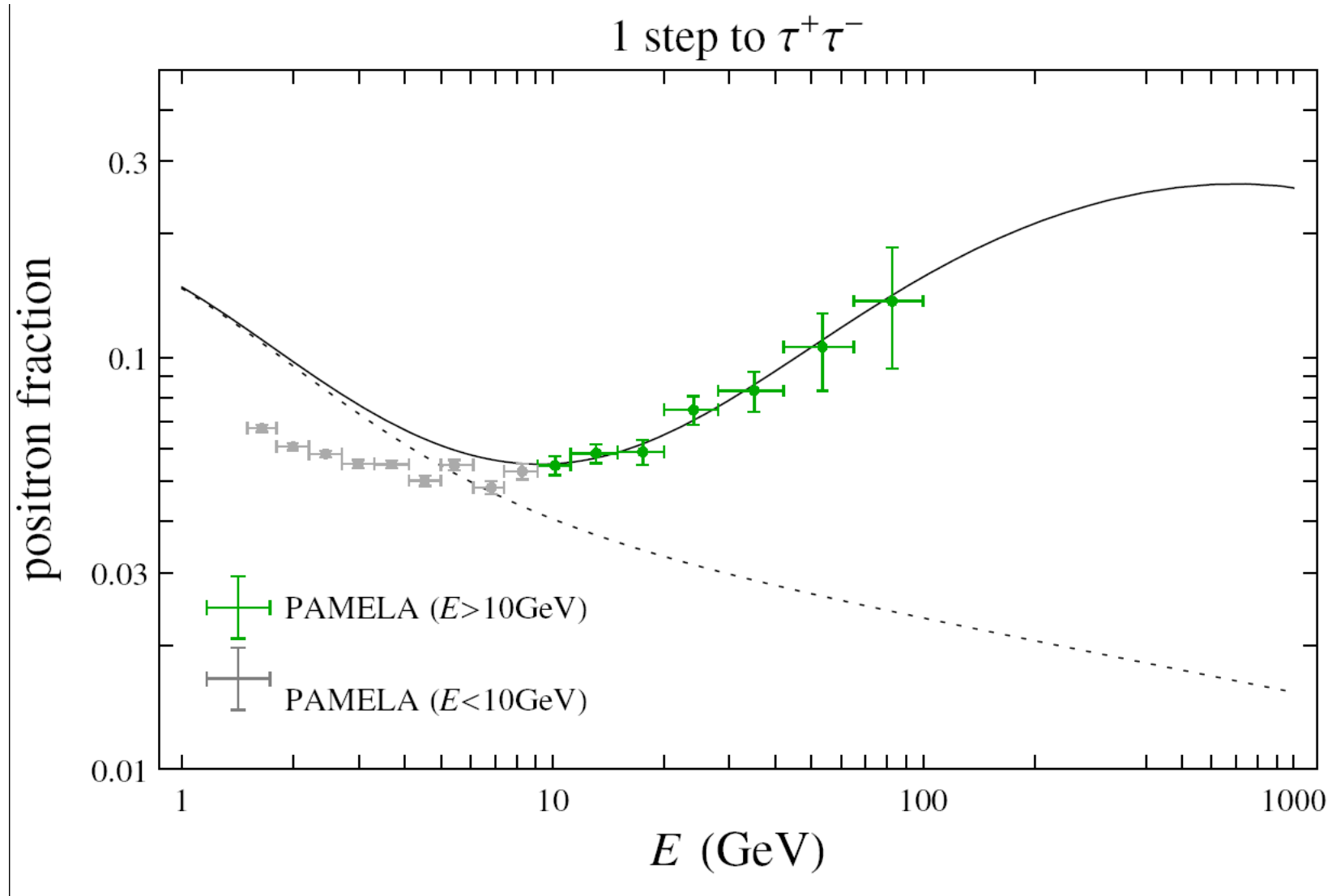
# Light Axion-like States

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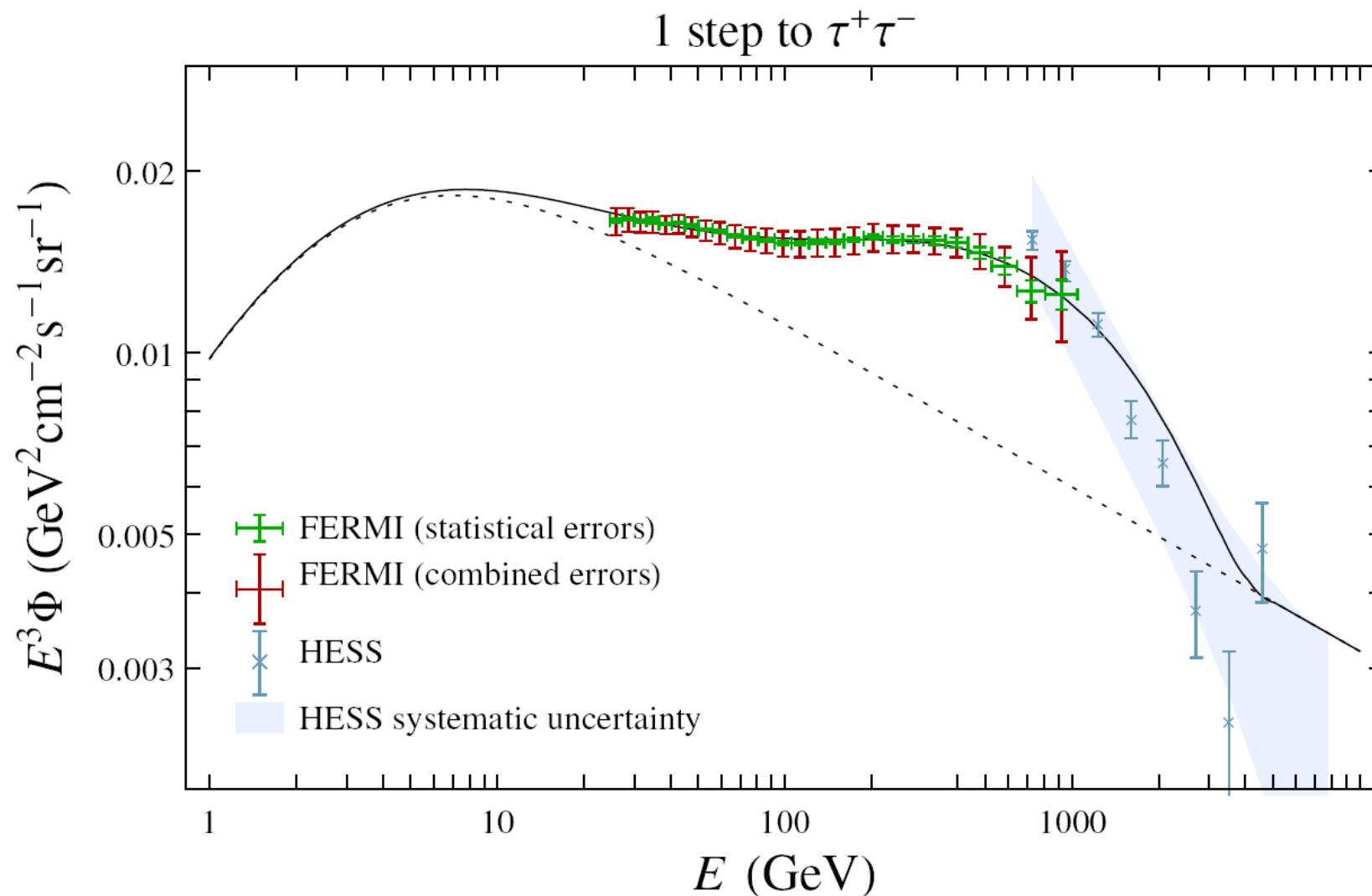
- Higgs charged under  $U(1)$   
 $\implies$  axion mixes with Higgs
  
- Axion decays to  $\sim$ heaviest allowed state

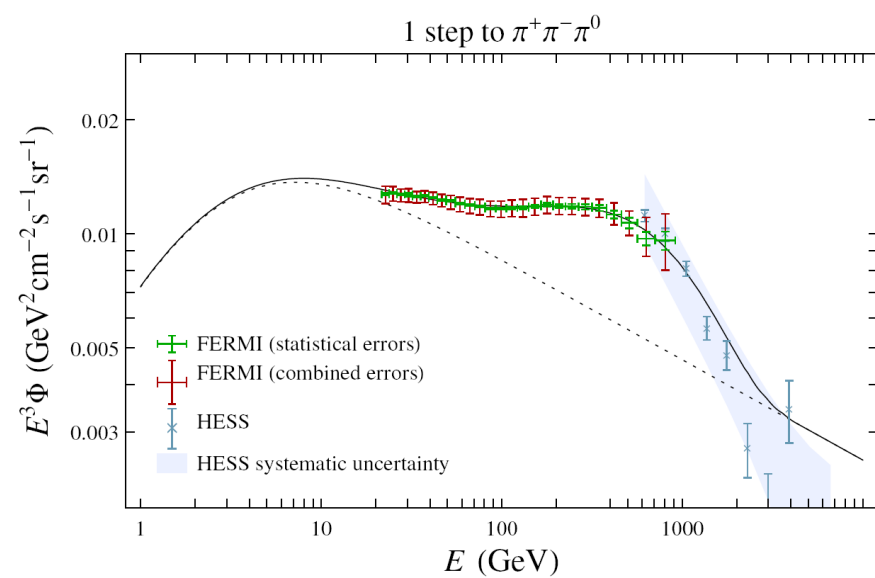
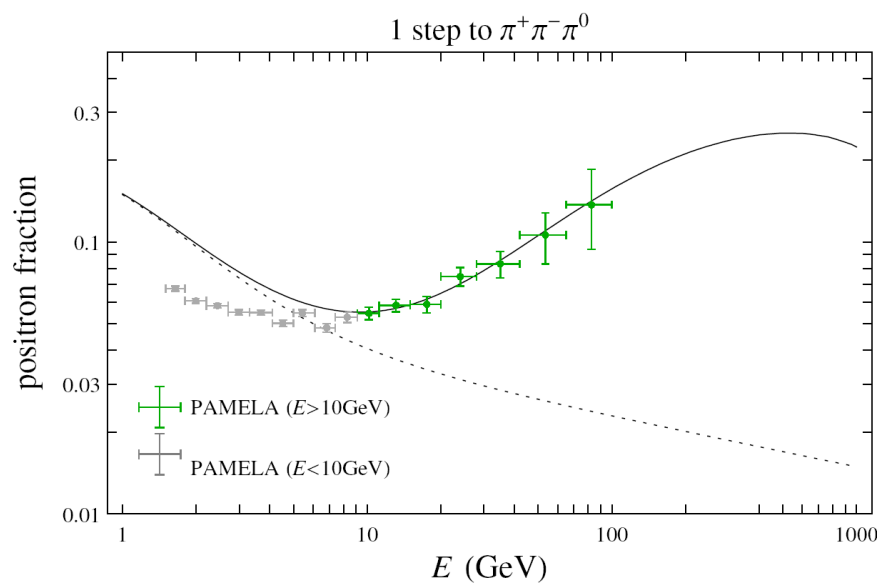
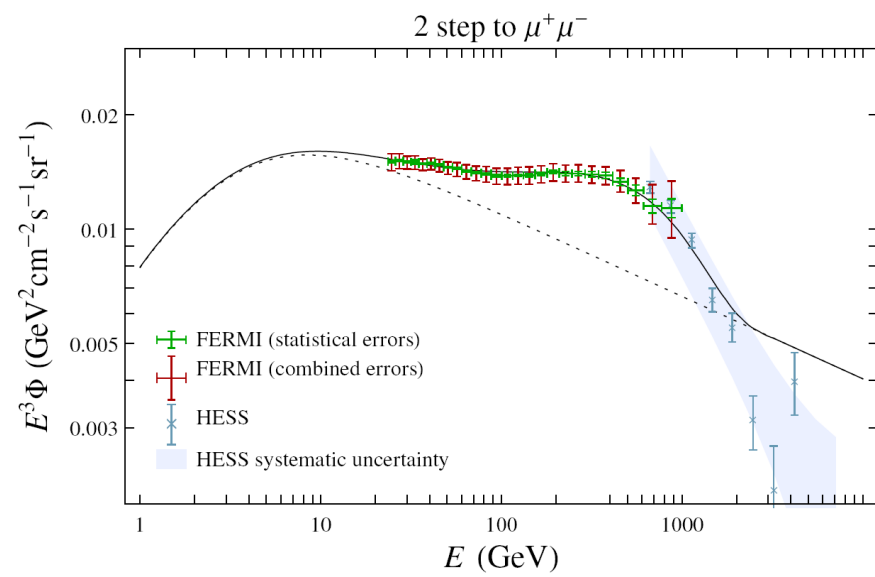
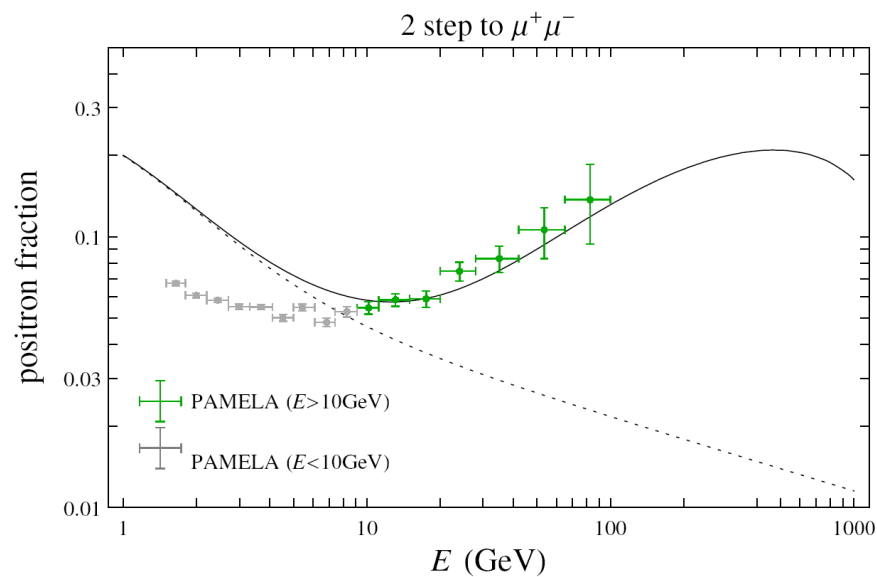
<b>axion mass :</b>	$2 m_e - 2 m_\mu$	$2 m_\mu - 800 \text{ MeV}$	$800 \text{ MeV} - 2 m_P$	$2 m_\tau - 2 m_b$
<b>decay channel :</b>	$e^+ e^-$	$\mu^+ \mu^-$	$\rho^* \pi^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$	$\tau^+ \tau^-$

# Comparison with PAMELA



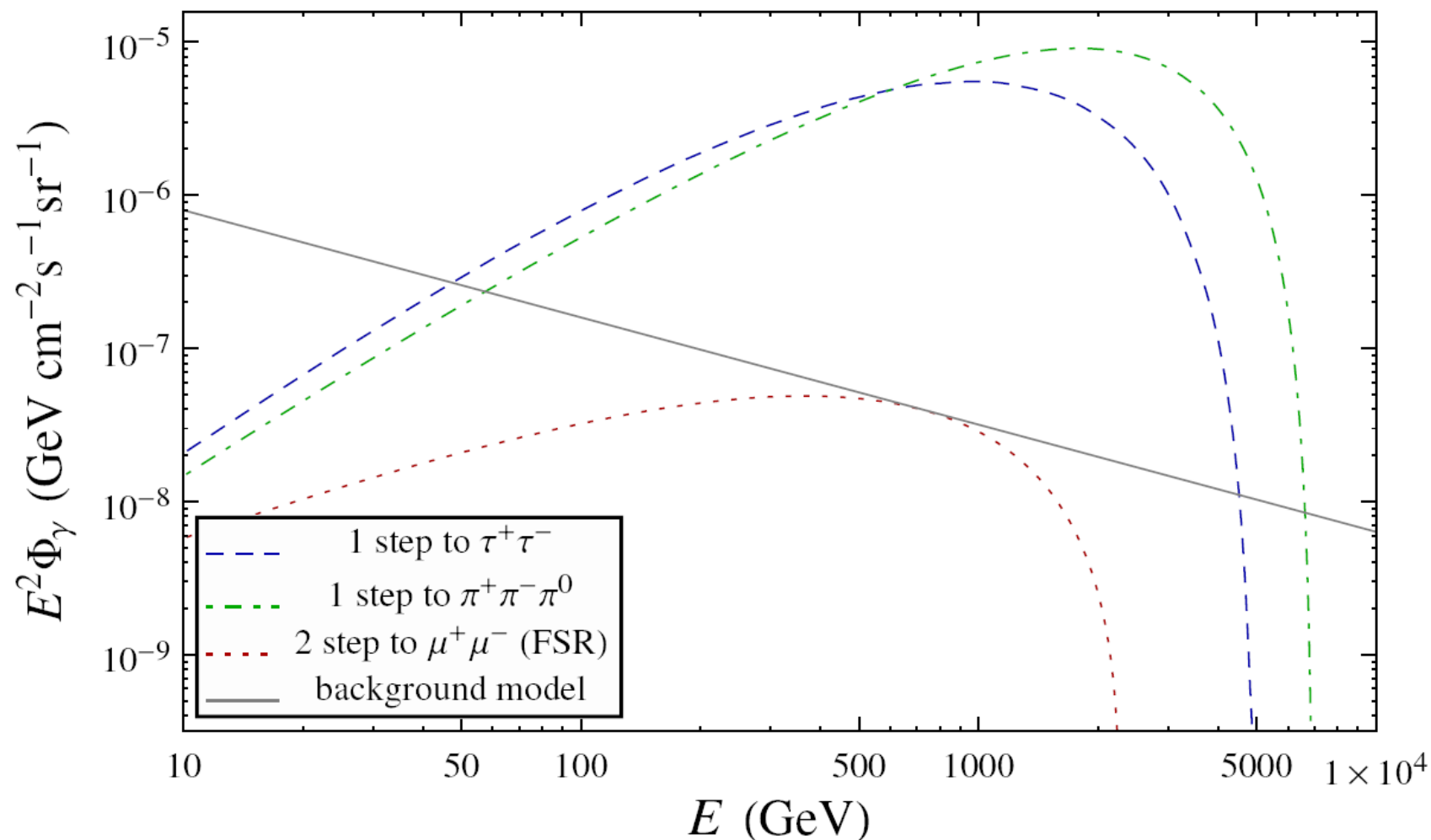
# Comparison with FERMI and HESS





# Implications: $\gamma$ -ray signals?

diffuse gamma ray flux away from the galactic plane



# Implications: collider signals?

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- Direct axion production from gluons?  
 $\longrightarrow \mu^+ \mu^- + \text{displaced vertex}$
  
- Higgs decay to axions?  
axion  $\longrightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$

Goh & Ibe 0810.5773  
Nomura & Thaler 0810.5397  
Lisanti & Wacker 0903.0363



# Summary

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- **Cosmic ray data  $\longrightarrow$  decaying DM**  
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- **$m_{\text{DM}} \sim 10 \text{ TeV} \longrightarrow$  composite DM**  
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- **natural stability due to accidental symmetry**  
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- **symmetry violation at high scale  $\longrightarrow$  decay**  
+
- **decay to pseudo NGB  $\longrightarrow$  leptonic final states**

# Conclusion

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natural in context of dynamical SUSY breaking

excellent fit to data

future astrophysical/collider signatures?