

TeV Gamma Ray Results, and Origin of Cosmic Rays

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CANGAROO

Outline of the talk

- Among broad topics of TeV gamma ray astronomy, we discuss **the relation between TeV gamma rays and cosmic rays**
- Advertising and mainly using CANGAROO results
Collaboration for Gamma Ray Observatory in the Outback
- describe/summarize the present status,
raising questions,
how to clarify the “origin of cosmic rays”
observationally

late Prof. M. Oda used to say
the Purposes of CR physics & γ -rays
are as follows:

- **Acceleration site ?**

SNR as likely site of acceleration

Origin of cosmic rays
will appear as γ ray
source

- **propagation effect:?**

confinement in the Galactic disk
interactions in the (interstellar) space
to know interstellar matter, 2.7K CMB....

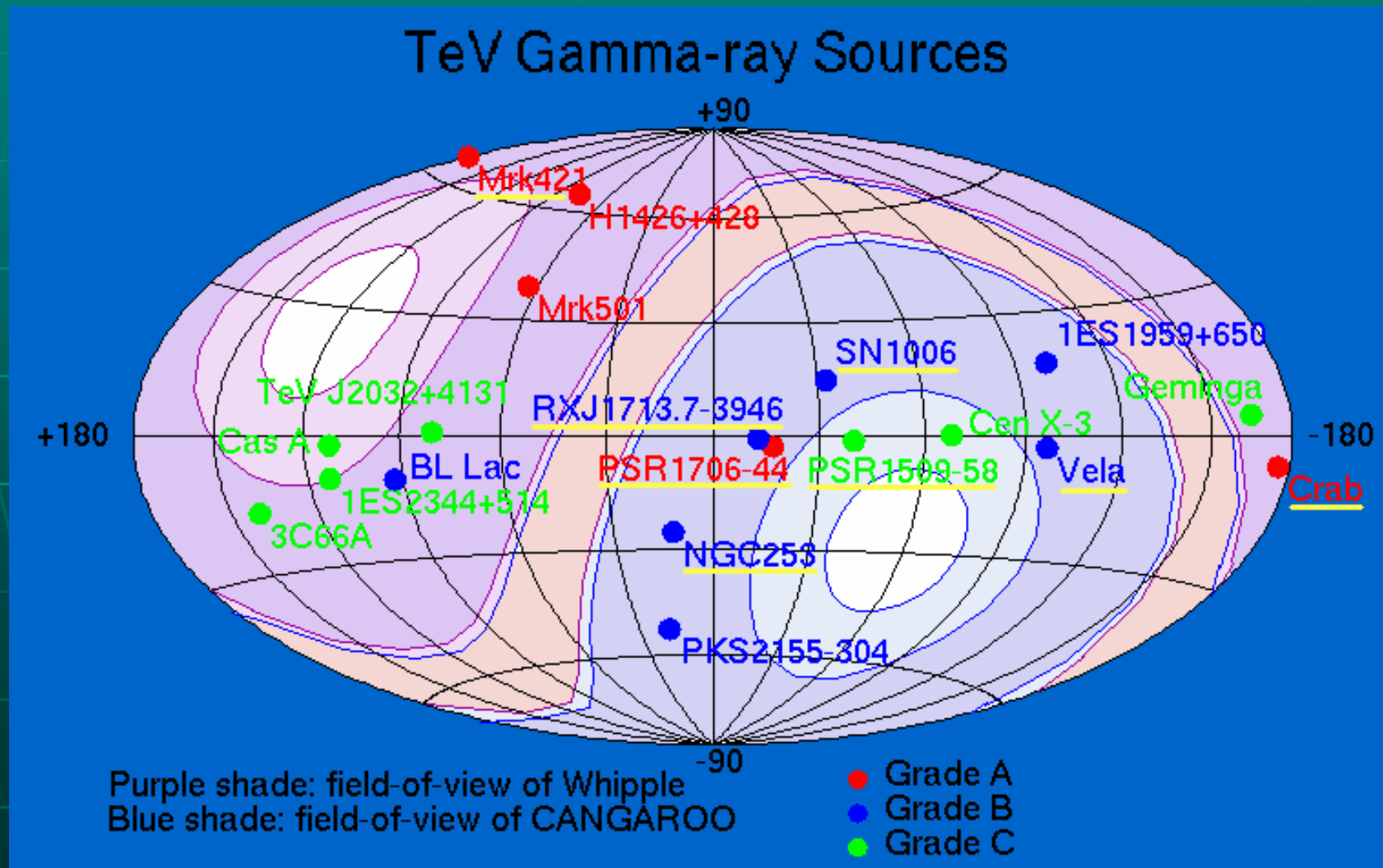
Gamma-ray emission
from Galactic disk
(Absorption,
Regeneration of γ -rays
....)

- **Acceleration mechanism /
(unknown) particle interaction?**

Shock Acceleration

Exotic phenomena,
Black hole,
Dark matter, ...

Sites in north and south cooperate to cover all sky



Progress of telescope; CANGAROO as an example



CANGAROO-I
3.8m (1992)



CANGAROO-II
7m (1999)

↓ upgraded



CANGAROO-III
T1 10m (2000)



CANGAROO-III
T1, T2, T3 (2002)

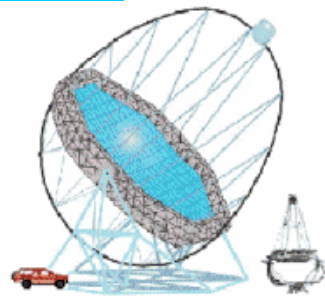


present

New telescopes are coming.... (next generation IACT)

2004

Large aperture
Multiple telescopes
Lower threshold energy
Stereo observation



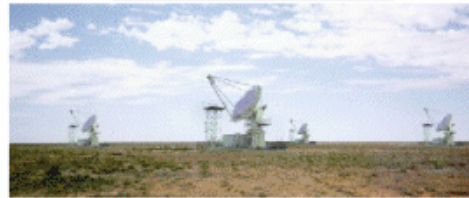
MAGIC

HESS



2004

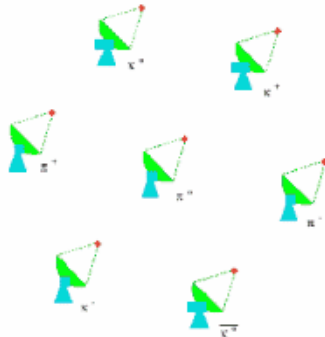
CANGAROO-III



2003

VERITAS

2005
(VERITAS-4)



Results came along a path somewhat “twisted”:

- (1) Detection of TeV γ -rays from the Crab nebula and then, other pulsar nebulae:

GeV EGRET sources as candidates for TeV γ -rays,

however,

- (2) “GeV SNRs”: EGRET unID sources associated with SNR such as W28, IC443, W44

Power index of about 2.0 : standard shock acceleration

TeV γ -rays are detected from none of GeV SNRs

- (3) “X-ray SNRs”: SN1006 etc., not detected by GeV γ -rays

acceleration site other than SNR such as GRB?

- No detection yet on Galactic disk emission, giving just upper limits

steps for “Origin of Cosmic Rays”

1. Point-like sources of γ -rays from proton?
2. Maximum energy up to knee energy?

**Energetics of Cosmic Rays in balance of supply and escape
is consistent with SNRs**

3. Energetics of TeV point sources consistent with emission from \rightarrow Galactic disk?

Confinement in the Galactic disk: spectral indice of CR and γ -rays ?

4. How many such sources (SNRs) are now active as CR source? :

$$10^4 \text{ yrs} / 50 \text{ yrs} \sim 100?$$

5.

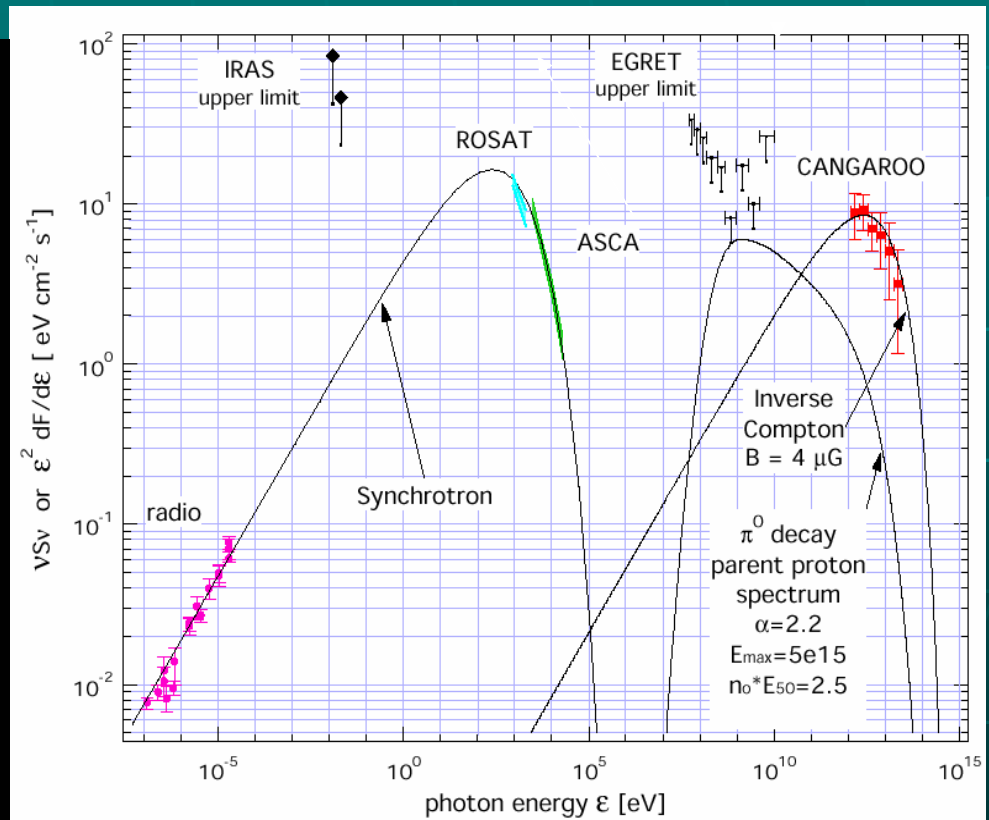
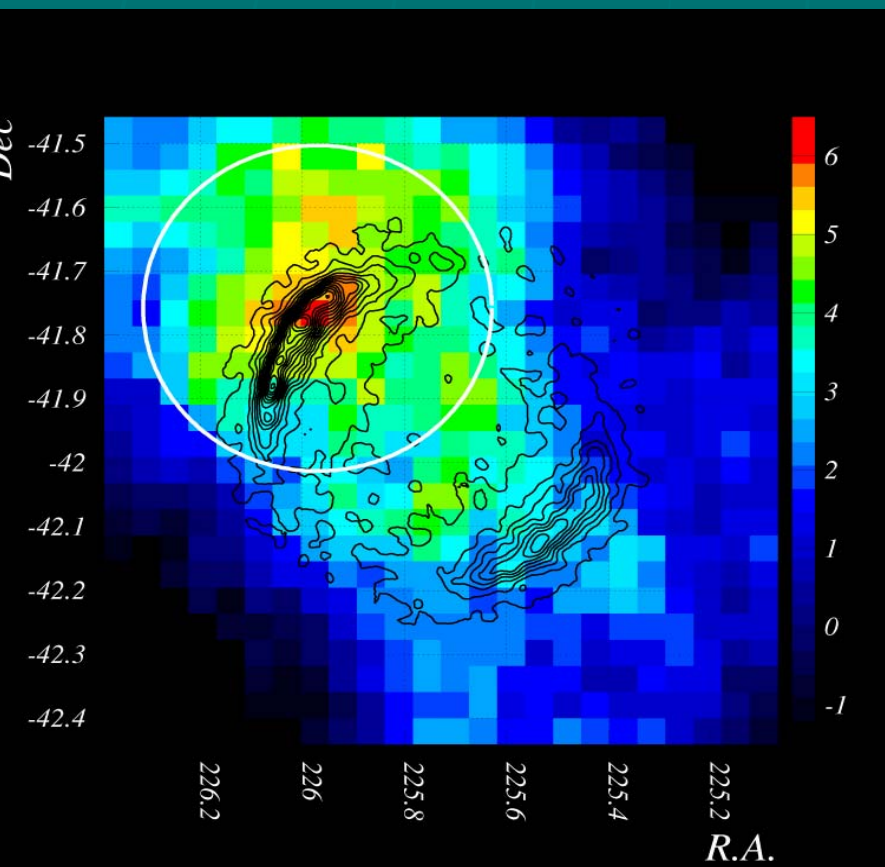
Results : Observation of SNRs

- Three SNRs: SN1006, RXJ1713.7-3946, Cas A,

SN1006:

morphology
PSF ~ 0.25 deg
radius.

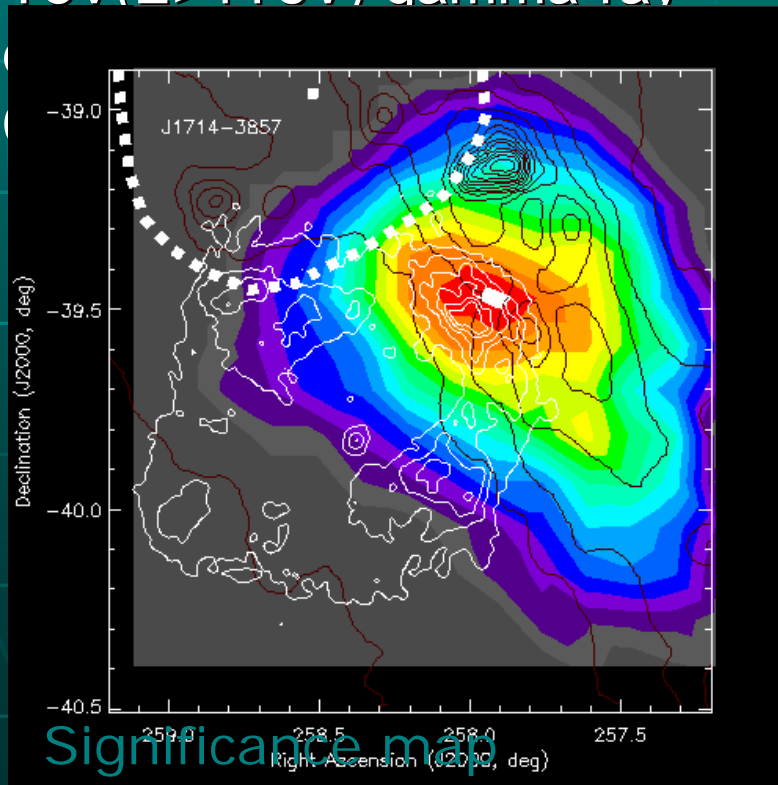
Energy spectrum : Consistent with
electrons (synchrotron-inverse Compton)
However, protons ? with high magnetic field



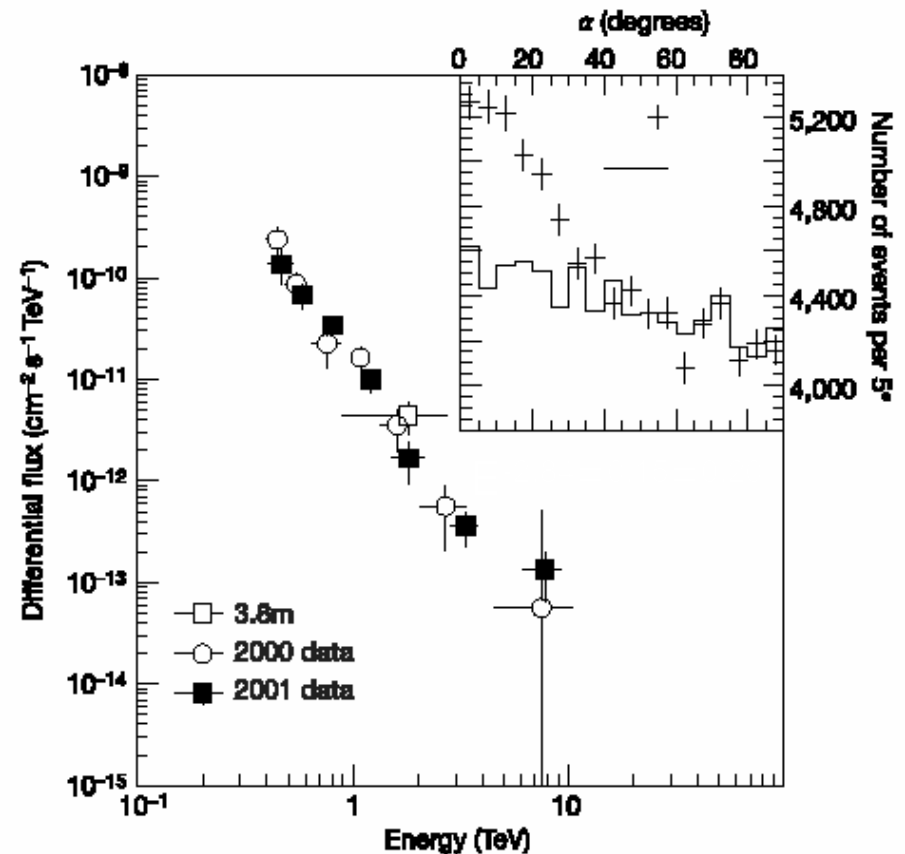
SNR RXJ1713.7-3946

From the NW rim,
non-thermal X-ray emission
detected with ASCA (Koyama et
al.1997),

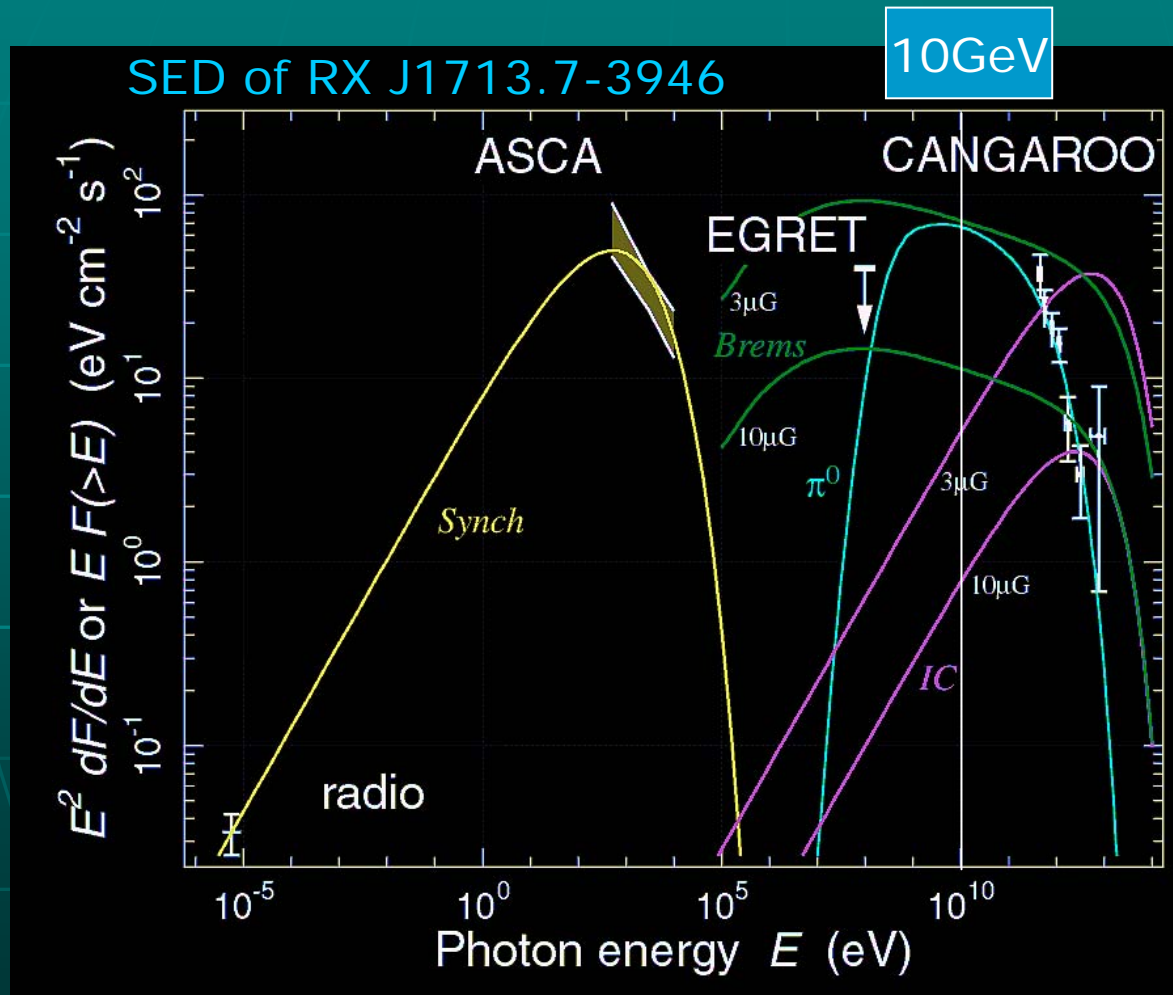
TeV($E > 1$ TeV) gamma-ray



Detected with CANGAROO-II
at 14σ level in 2000 and 2001



Spectral energy distribution of RXJ1713.7-3946



Spectral shape



Leptonic:

[IC, Brems]

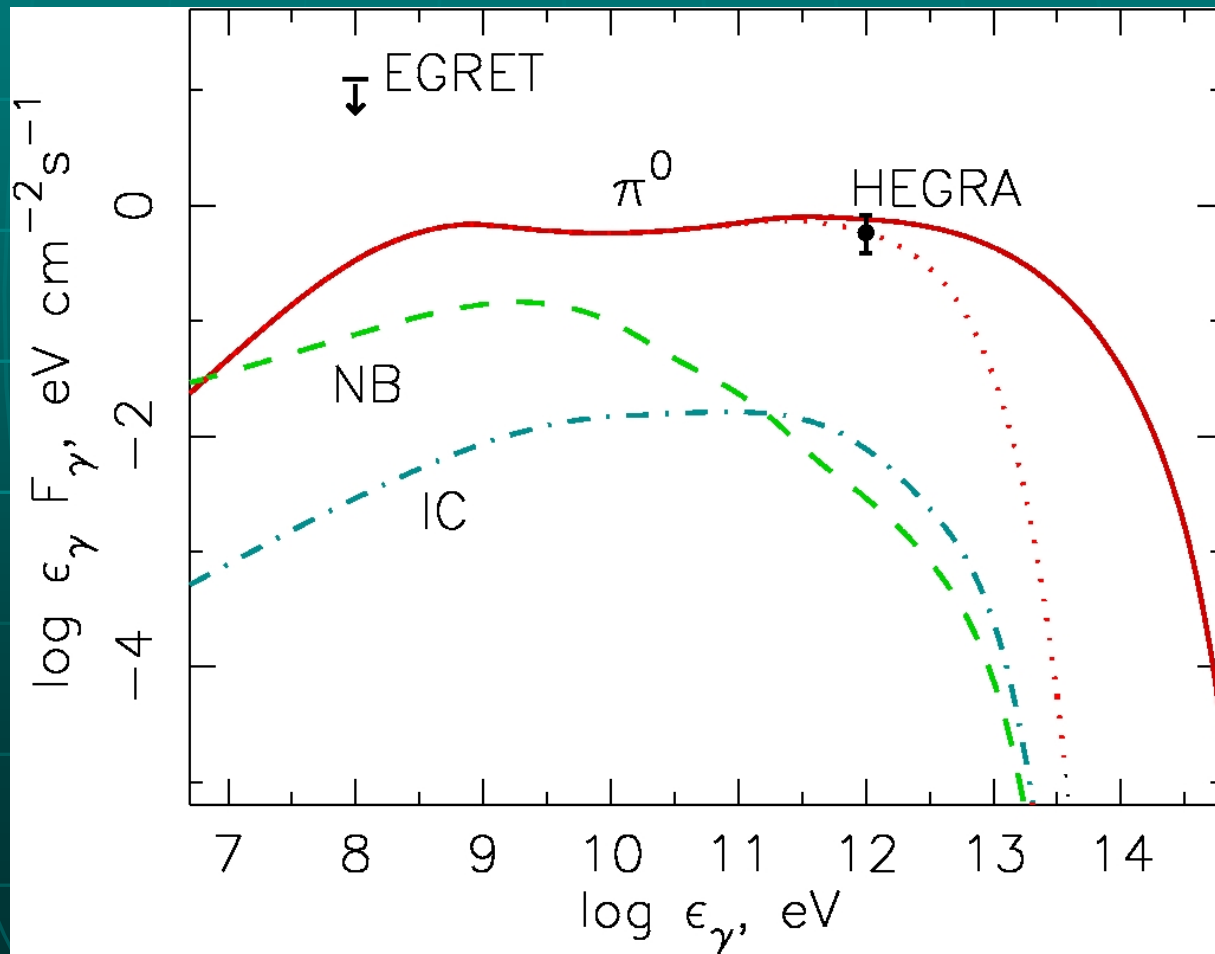
or/and

Hadronic:

[π^0]

Cassiopeia A

Deep study led HEGRA to detect Cas A



Results and questions: SNRs

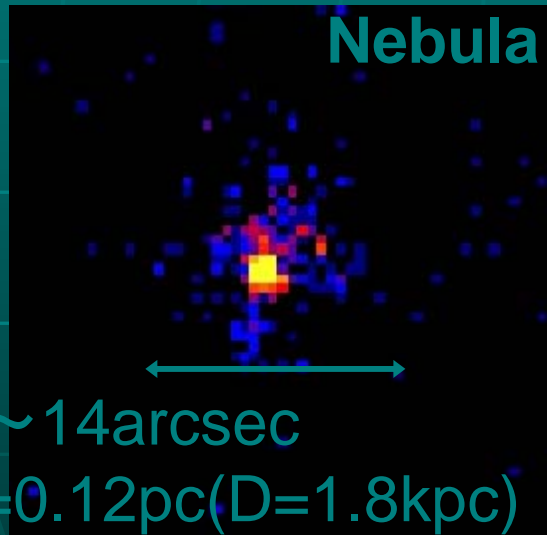
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Deeper observation for weaker sources

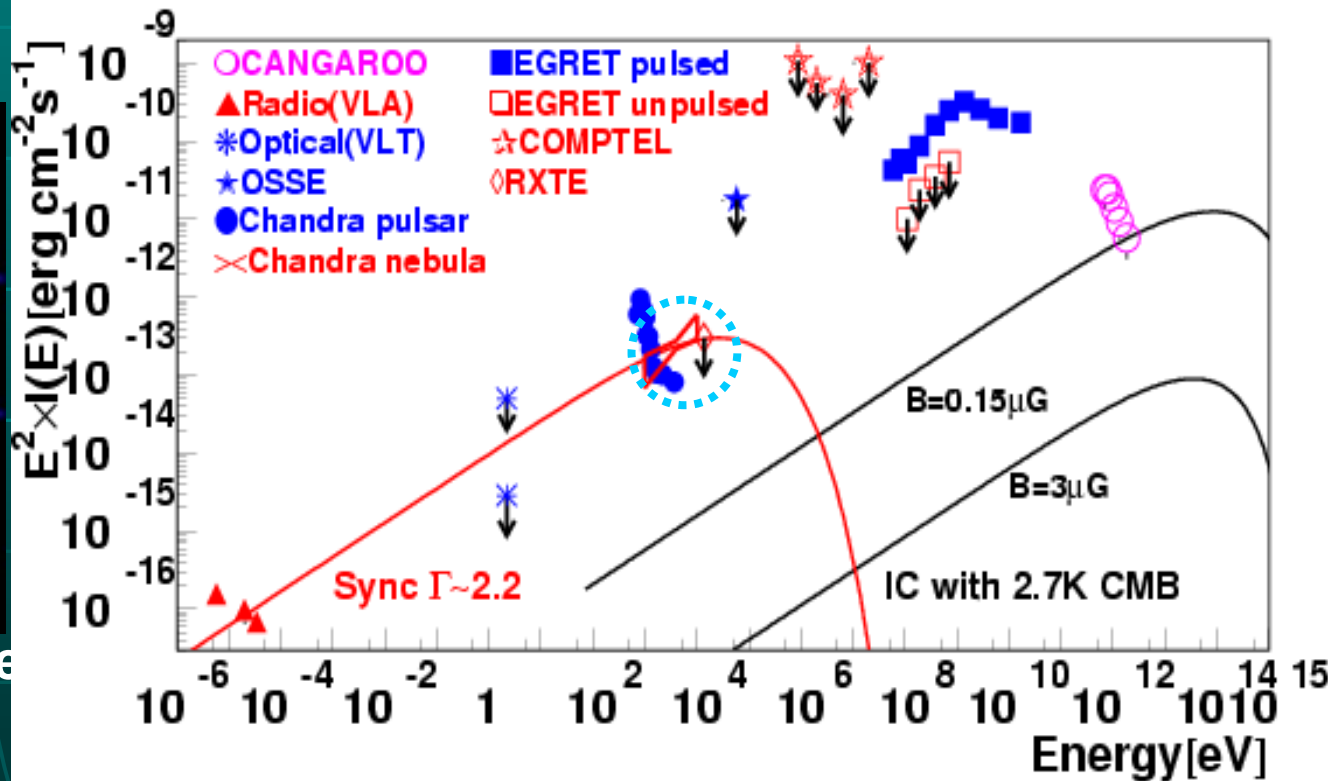
Spectral energy distribution consistent with synchrotron/inverse Compton radiation?

PSR 1706-44: multi-band spectrum

- The peak intensity of detected gamma-ray flux is 10 times stronger than that of X-ray flux from the nebula
- TeV gamma-ray flux is difficult to explain Sync-IC (2.7k CMB) model in



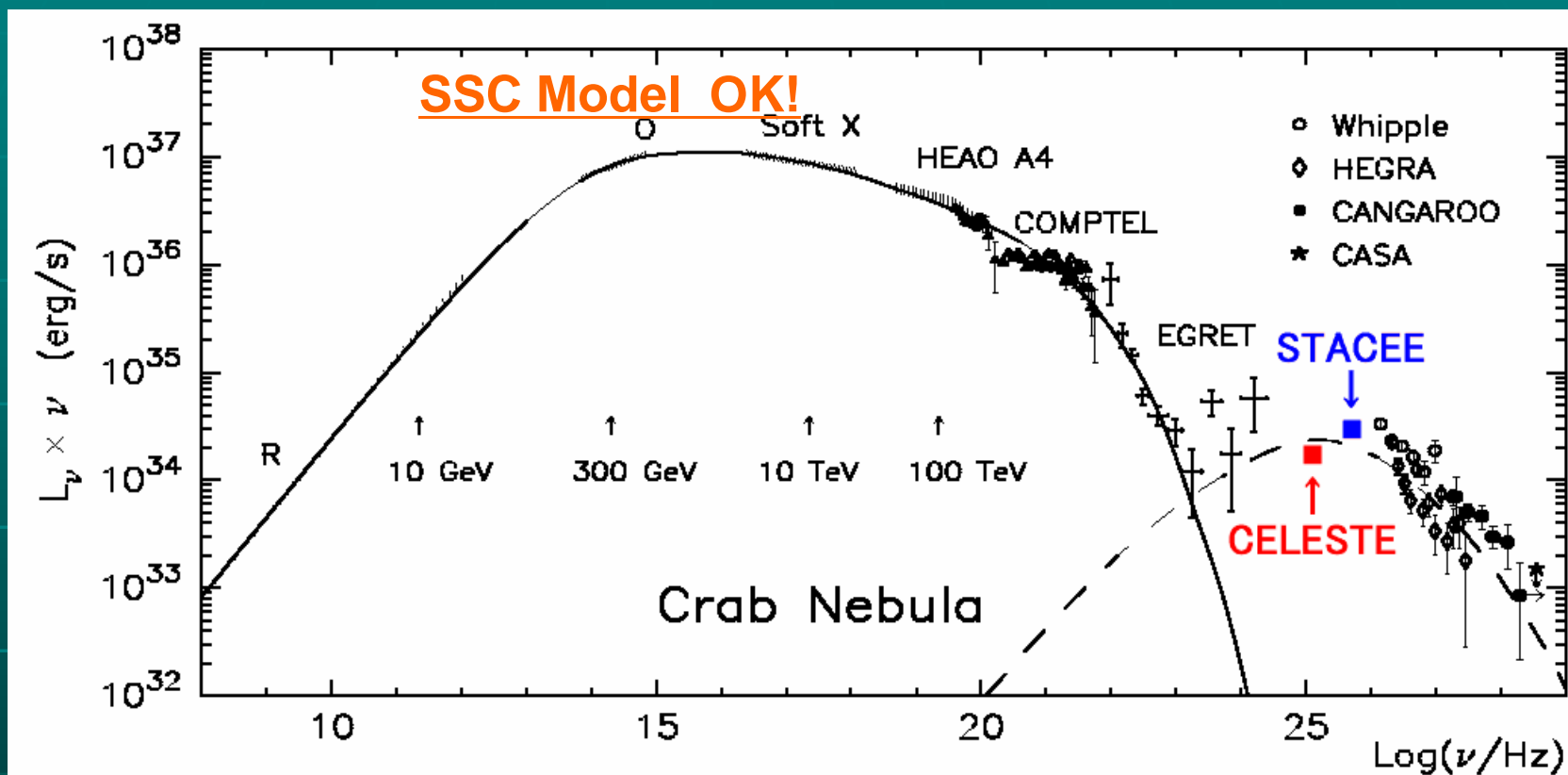
Chandra ACIS Image
(0.7-9 keV)



Non-thermal X-ray emission
detected from the nebula (Gotthelf et al. 2002)

Kushida, 2003, PhD thesis

Crab nebula(unpulsed) is the standard source for calibration,
but not the standard to represent the other TeV sources



the sole SNR/plerion :
"complete" multi wavelength
Spectrum
With definite flux in any band.

Max. acceleration
energy ?
~20 TeV or >100 TeV

Results and questions: SNRs

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 - Deeper observation for weaker sources

Synchrotron/inverse Compton or π^0 decay?

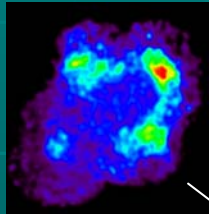
Morphology : mapping of γ -ray emission
in comparison with other wavelength

Maximum/cut off energy E_γ of γ -ray spectrum?

No TeV signal from EGRET "SNRs", implying that
the hard GeV spectrum does not extend to TeV band.

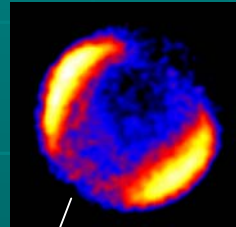
How many sources do we have to visit, before we can rest on sound base?

RX J1713.7-3946 (CANGAROO)



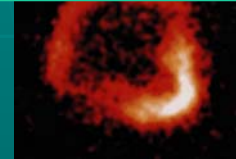
ASCA

SN1006 (CANGAROO)



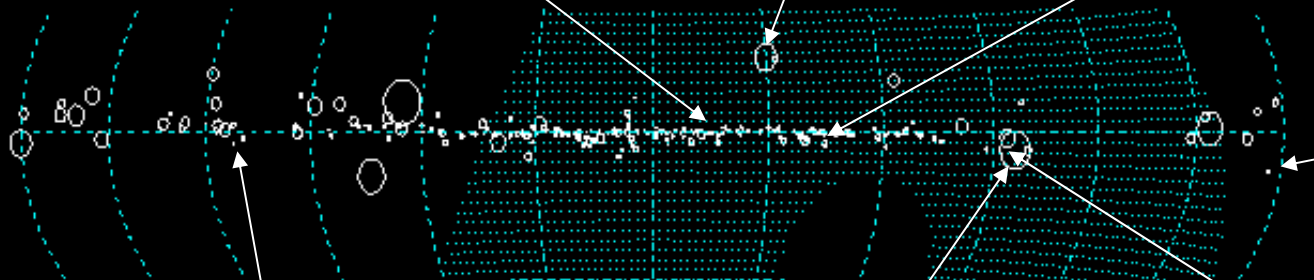
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RCW86 (CANGAROO under analysis)



ROSAT

Supernova Remnants (Green 1996)

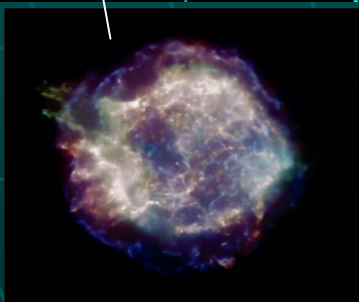


Crab nebula
("Standard candle")



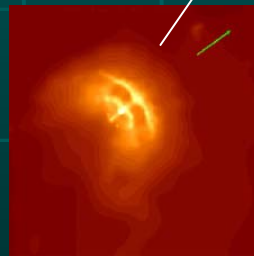
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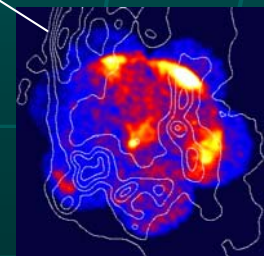
Cas A (HEGRA)

Chandra



Vela (CANGAROO)

ROSAT

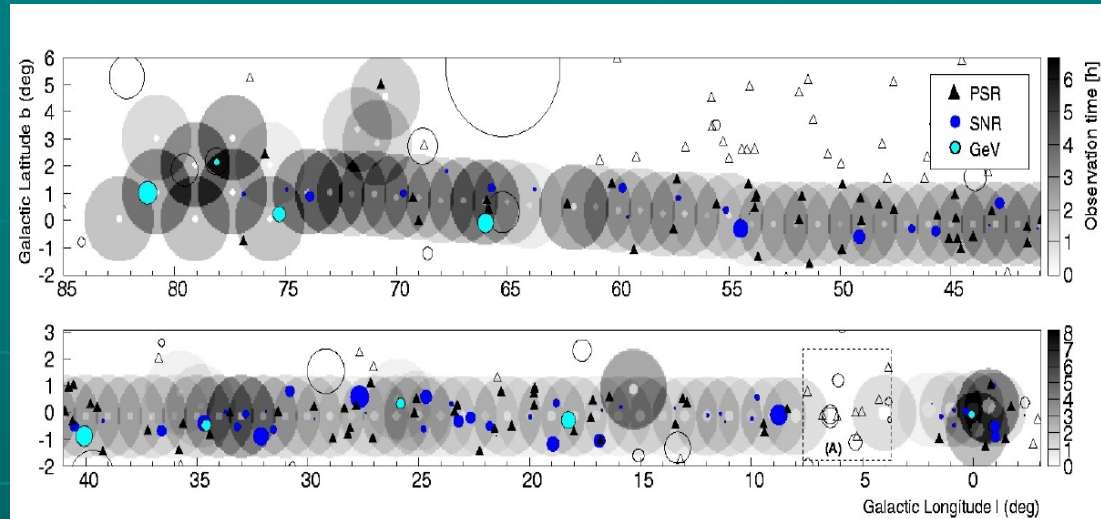


RX J0852-46 (CANGAROO under analysis)

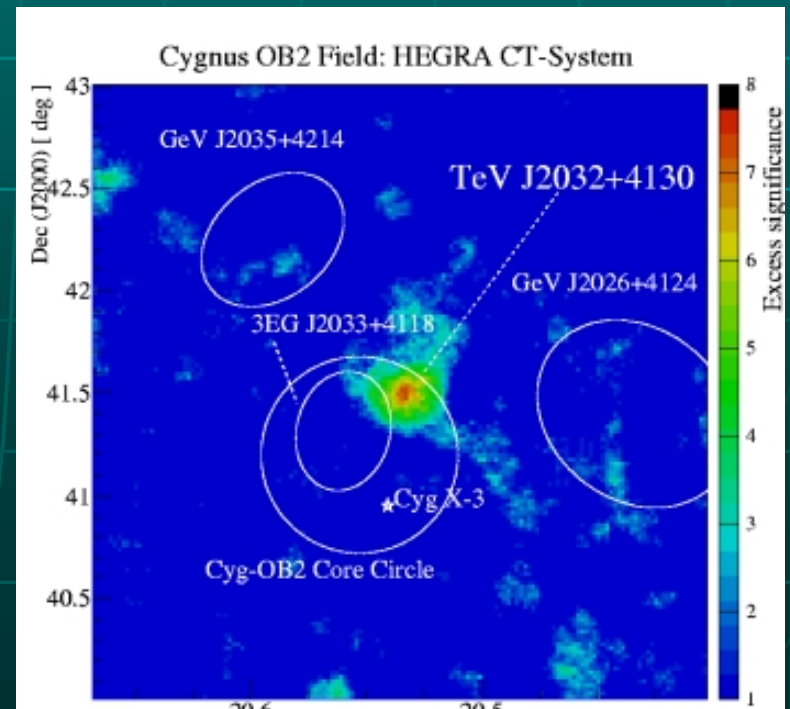
questions stimulate γ -ray study :

- γ -ray spectra consistent with the CR spectrum below the knee?
- The way how accelerated particles fill the Galactic disk and then escape out of the Galaxy?
- **How** to “observe” acceleration mechanism?
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- **CR (γ -ray) sources other than SNRs?**
Other galaxies, blazars and black hole
- **Transient sources?**
- **above the knee energy 10^{15} eV**
new sources?
Extragalactic CRs?

Galactic disk scanned by HEGRA

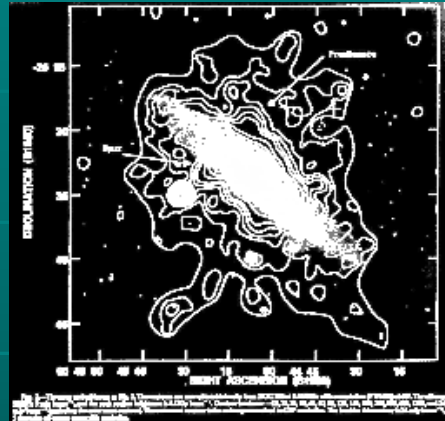
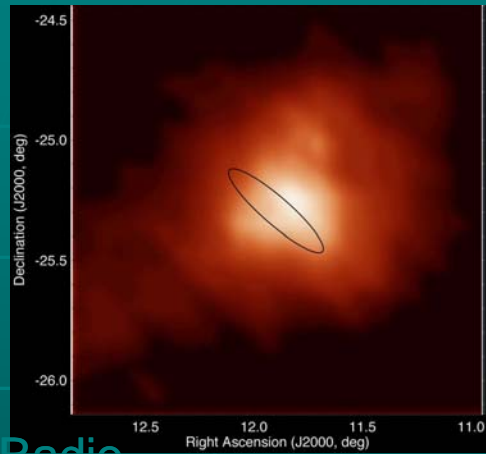


Unidentified source
With a hard
energy spectrum
in Cygnus region

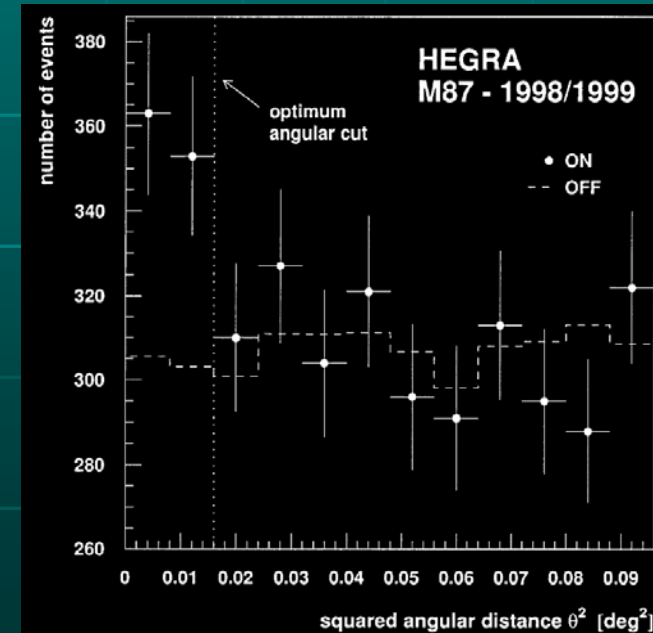
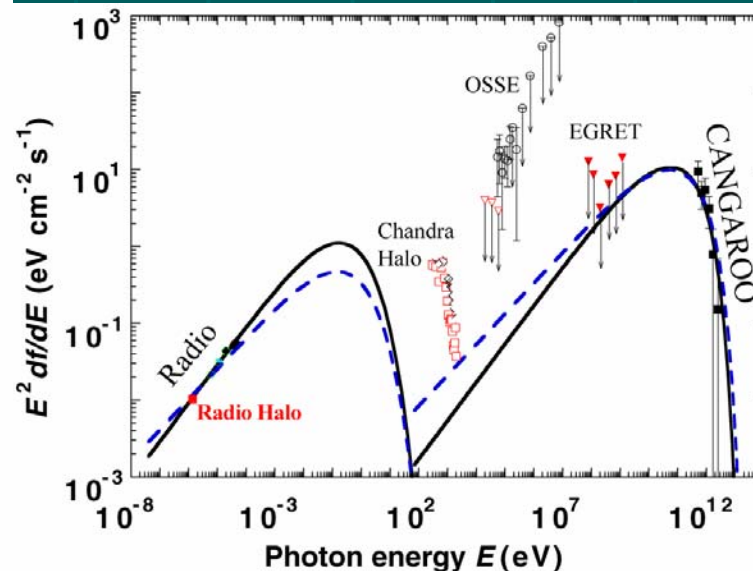
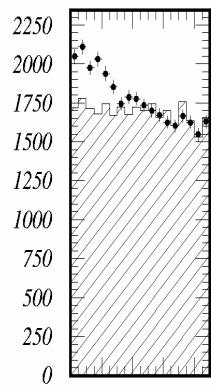


Star burst galaxy NGC253

Radio galaxy M87

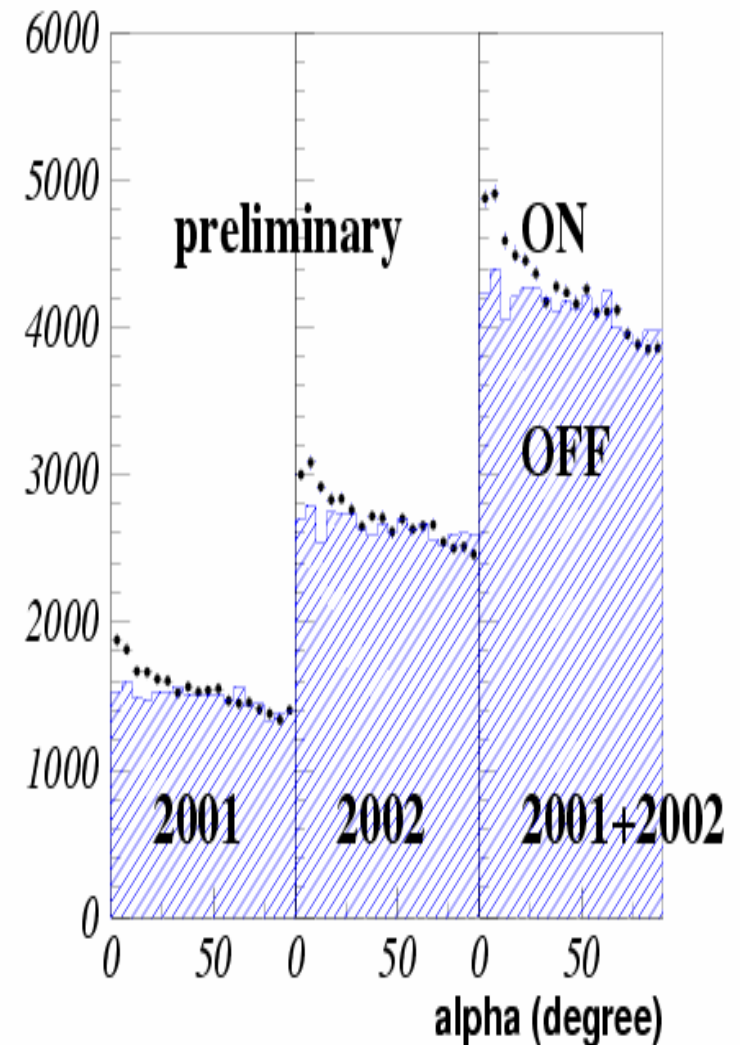
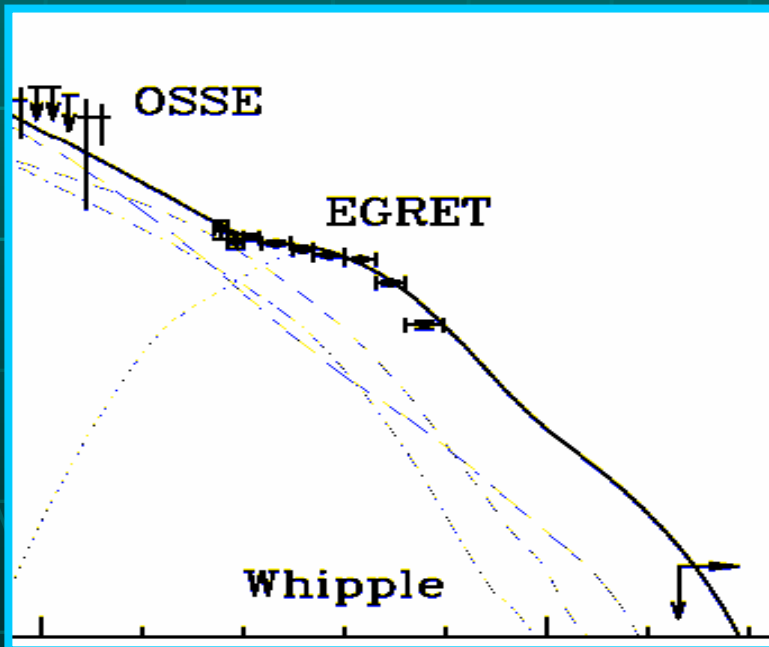


HEGRA
4 σ excess



Galactic Center ?

- Cangaroo: 7σ , 20+50hrs (20hrs: stereo now taking) point-like,
- Whipple: 2.4σ , 16hrs $>2\text{TeV}$



Summary 1

- So far three SNRs (against $100 \approx 10^{4-5}$ yrs/50 yrs)
 - **How peculiar/standard they are?**
 - E_{acc} up to 10^{15} eV?
- two galaxies
 - **How peculiar/standard the Galactic CRs are?**
 - Disk emission?
 - Normal galaxies by deeper observation
 - **γ -ray observation extends CR physics to extragalactic space**

Summary 2

- **We are just beginning to answer for “Origin of cosmic rays”**

1. **having (almost) found “point-source γ -rays” from hadrons,
the site of accelerating hadronic CRs**

It is, however, necessary to collect data at higher E_γ and of detailed γ -ray morphology of fine mapping

- 2 Still a long way to go, but the right one we are taking.
Further investigation which should follow :
Transport/Propagation effects,
Acceleration mechanism, and so on

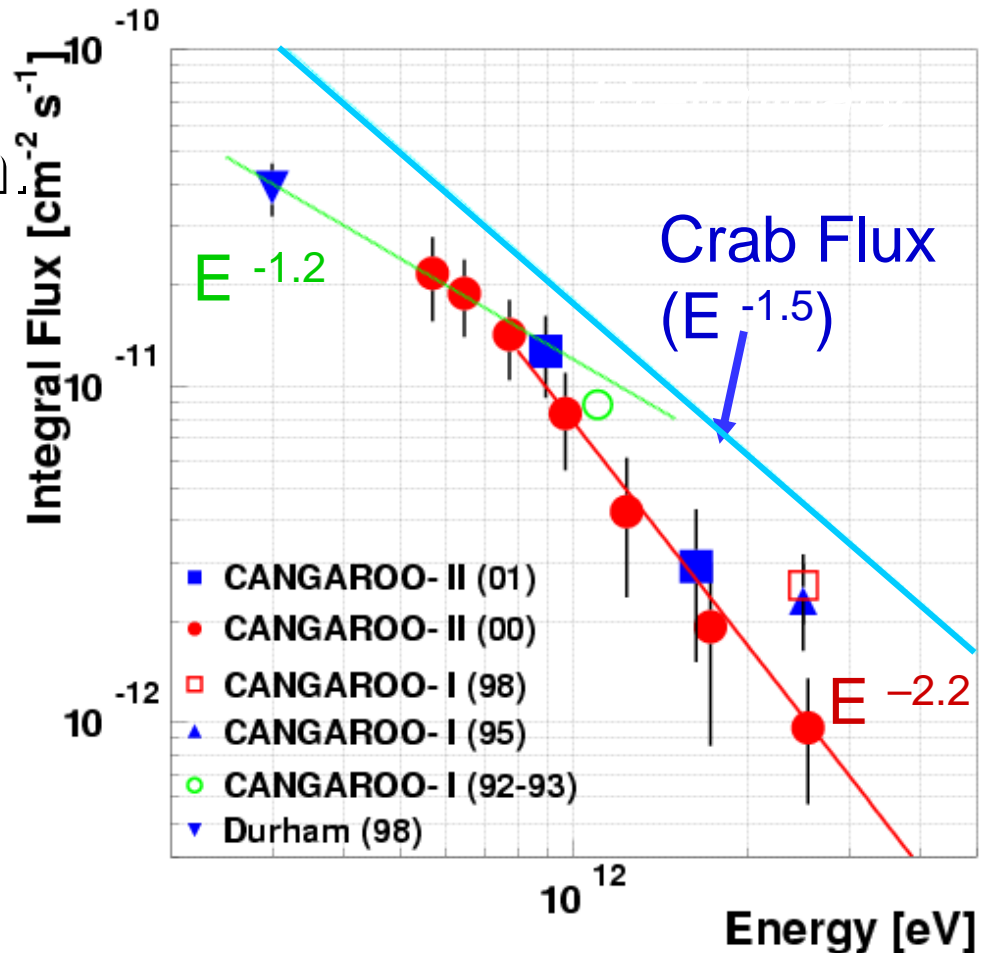
- **Next generation telescope “improves answers”, hopefully**

- **What remains for further efforts:**

- Transient sources with wider field of view
- γ -rays of higher energies

PSR 1706-44

- $P=102\text{ms}$
- Large spindown luminosity
 $\log L(\text{erg/s})=36.5$
- $D=1.8(2.4\sim 3.2)\text{kpc}$
- TeV emission detected with Durham and CANGAROO-I
- Observed with CANGAROO-II in 2000 and 2001



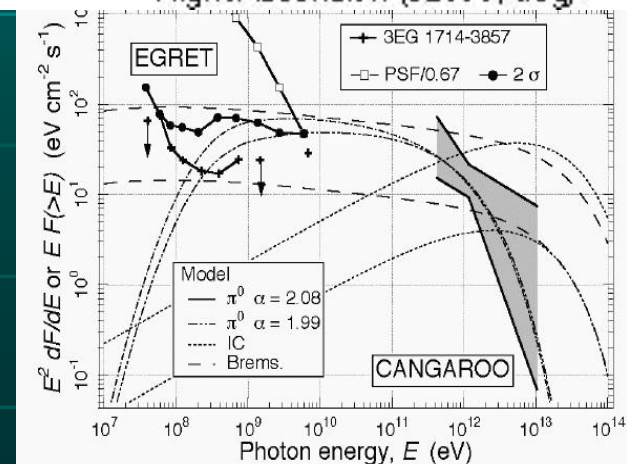
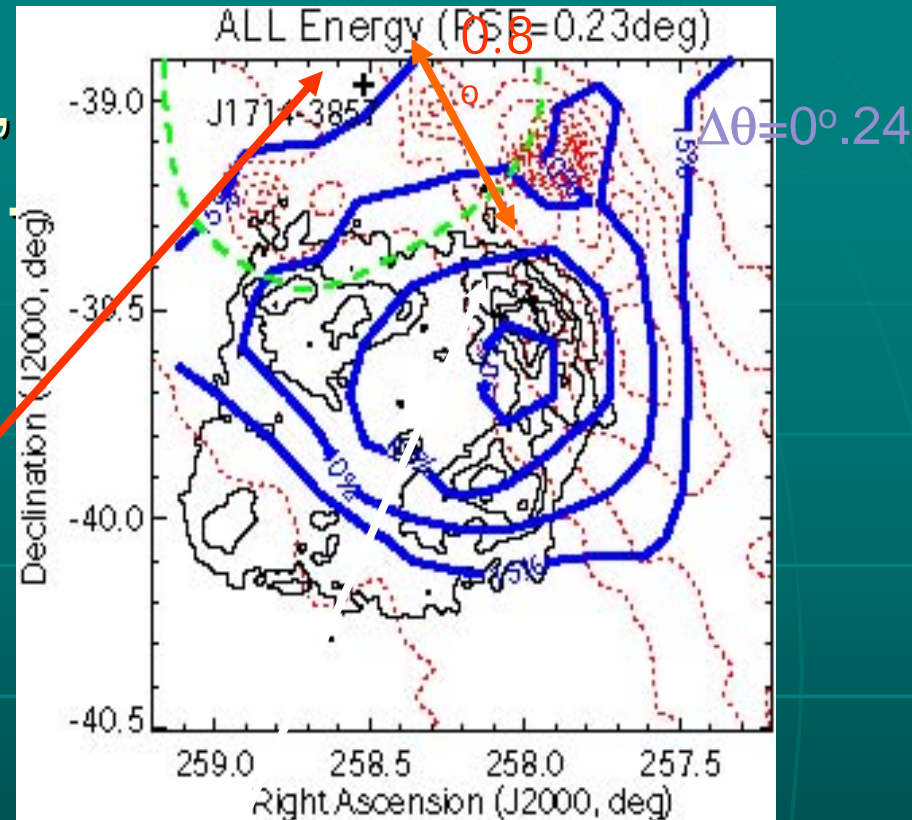
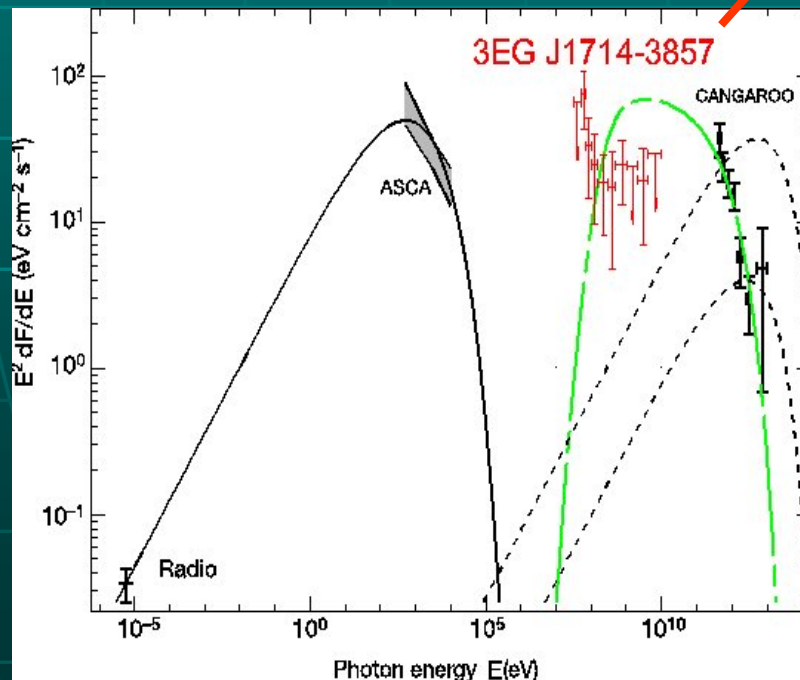
Kushida et al. in preparation

Nearby molecular clouds, EGRET source and so on....

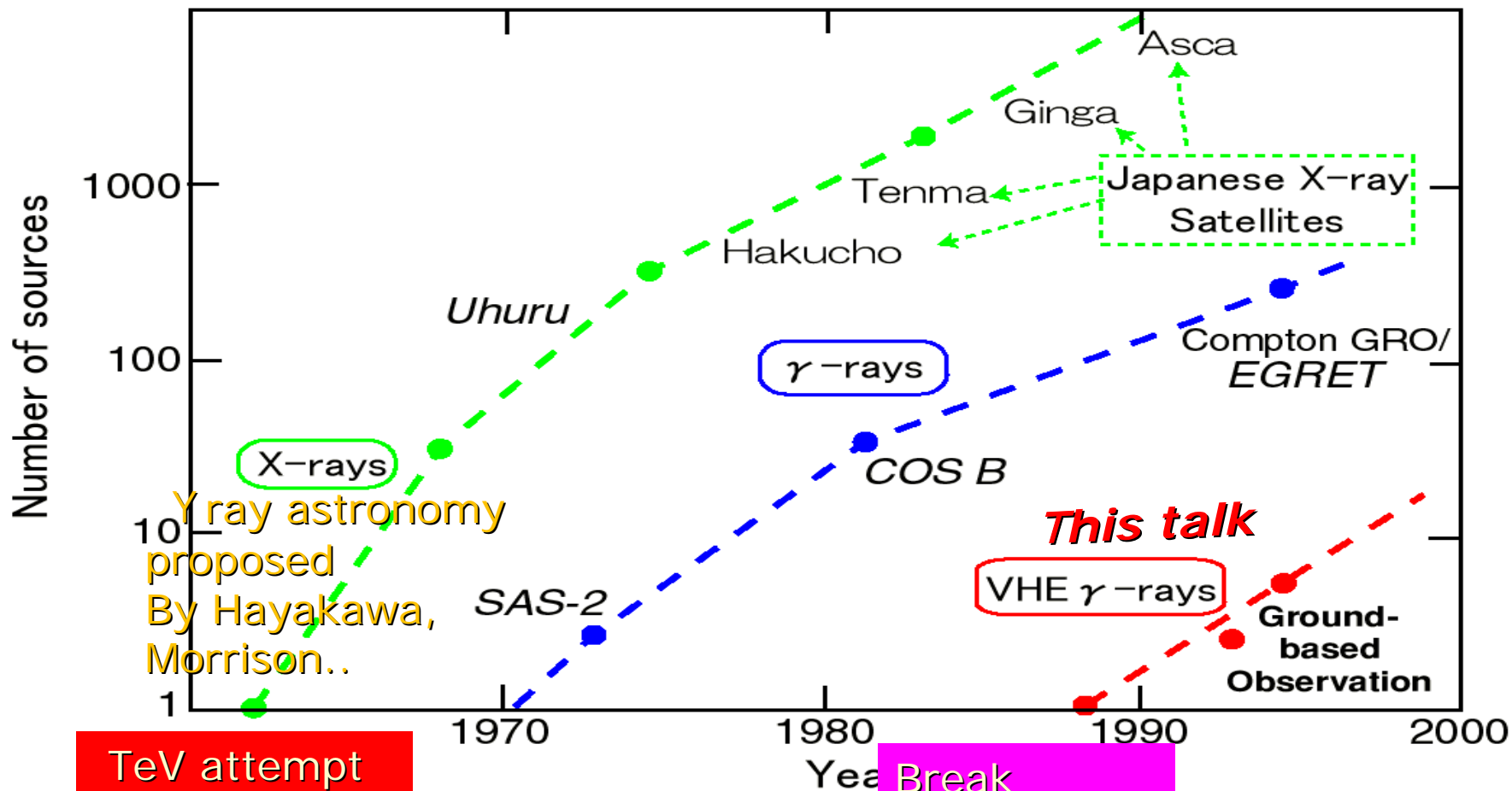
O.Reimer & M.Pohl A&A, 390, L43, 2002

M.Butt et al., Nature 418, 489, 2002

Discussions a lot



A decade of years, since TeV window was opened.



TeV attempt
Chudakov,
Porter, . . .

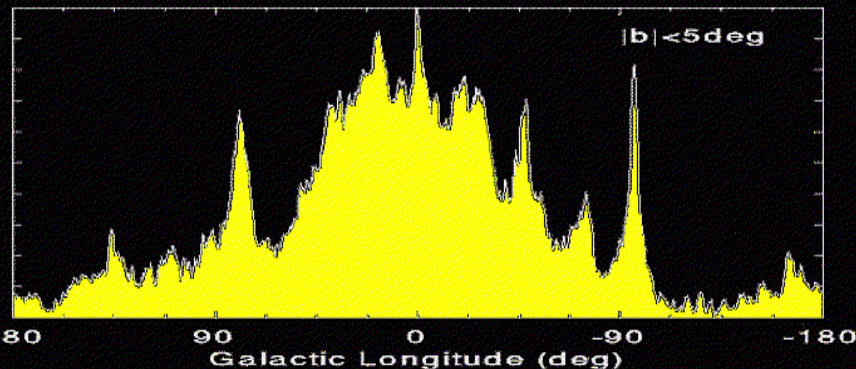
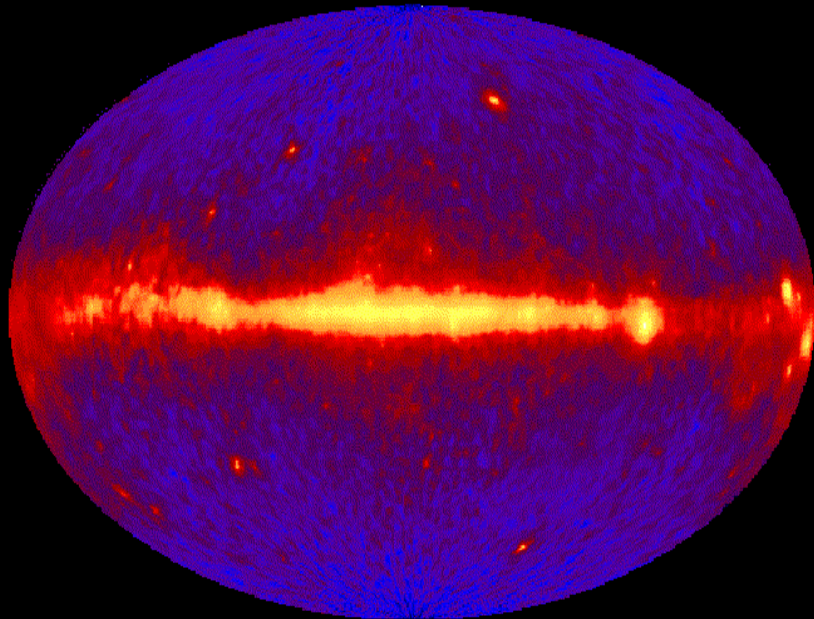
Break
through
by imaging

TeV γ -ray sources and “Grade”

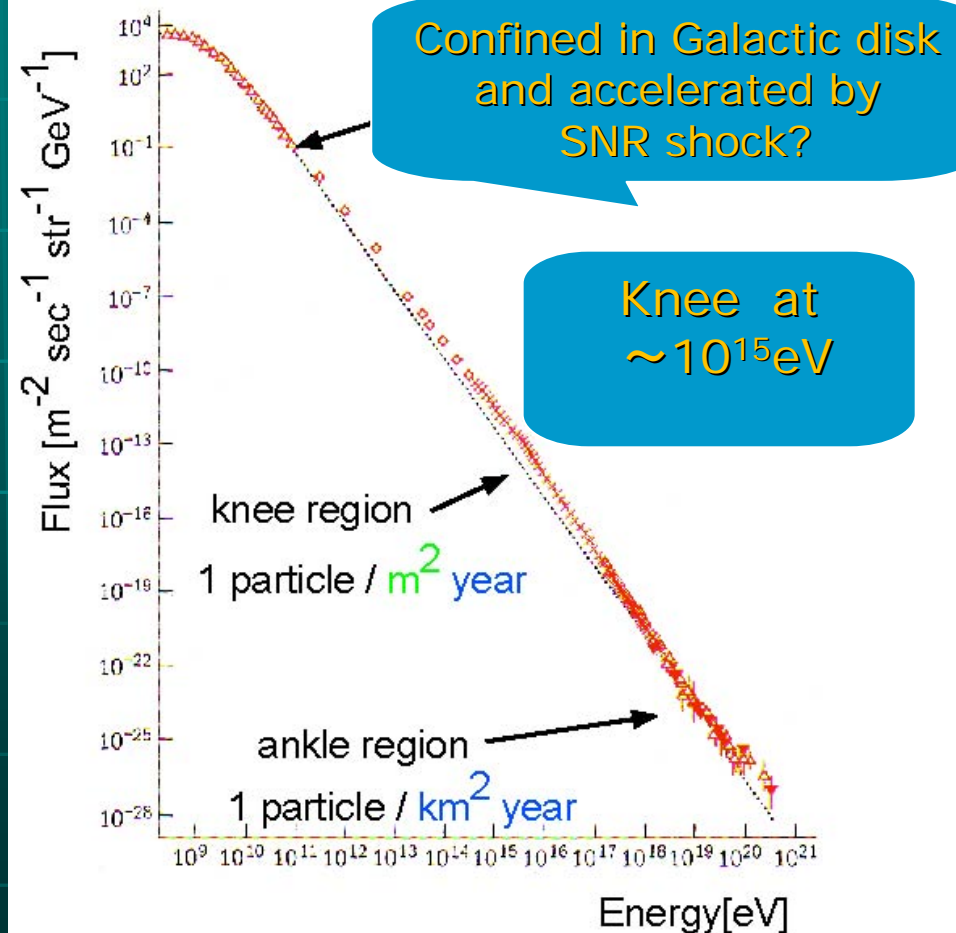
Type	A	B	C
Pulsar nebulae	2	1	1
SNR		3	more to join.....
X-ray binaries			1?
UnID		1	
Others			2 (GC...)
Blazars	4	1	2
galaxies		1 _(NGC253)	1 (M87)
GRB			1
Total	6	7	About 10

Gamma rays are a probe for cosmic rays SNR as likely site of acceleration

Disk emission: by EGRET
100MeV: $<E_\gamma < \text{about } 10 \text{ GeV}$



Cosmic-Ray Spectrum



Very High Energy Gamma-rays from the Galactic Center

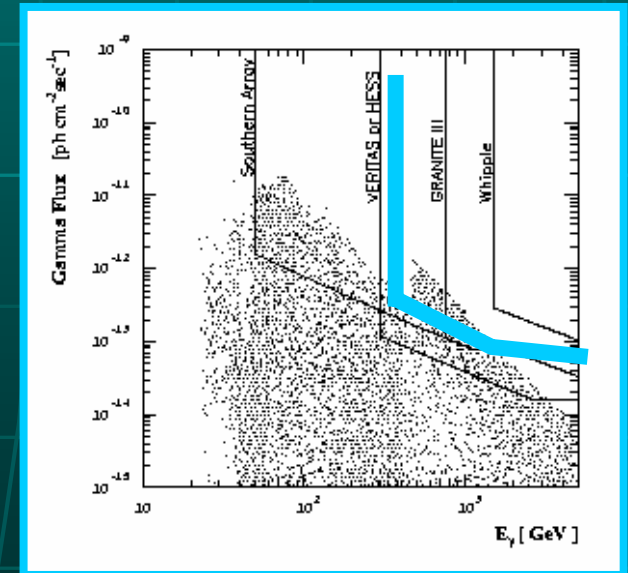
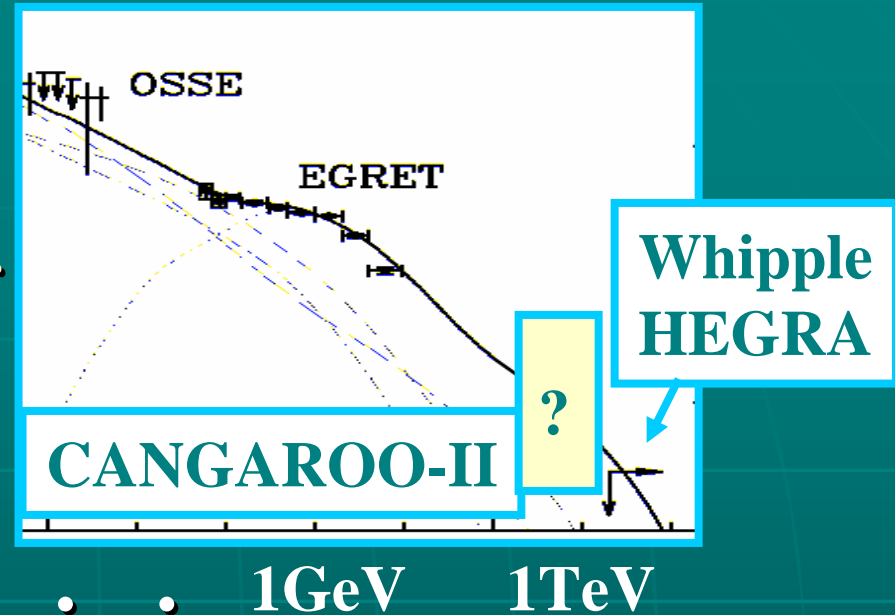
- SNR

Inverse Compton emission

or π^0 gamma-rays?

- Massive black hole

- Cold dark matter
the cusp around the
galactic center \rightarrow
annihilation



Bergstrom et al (1997)

Alpha distributions with Likelihood analysis

$0.25 < \text{Distance} < 1.2$

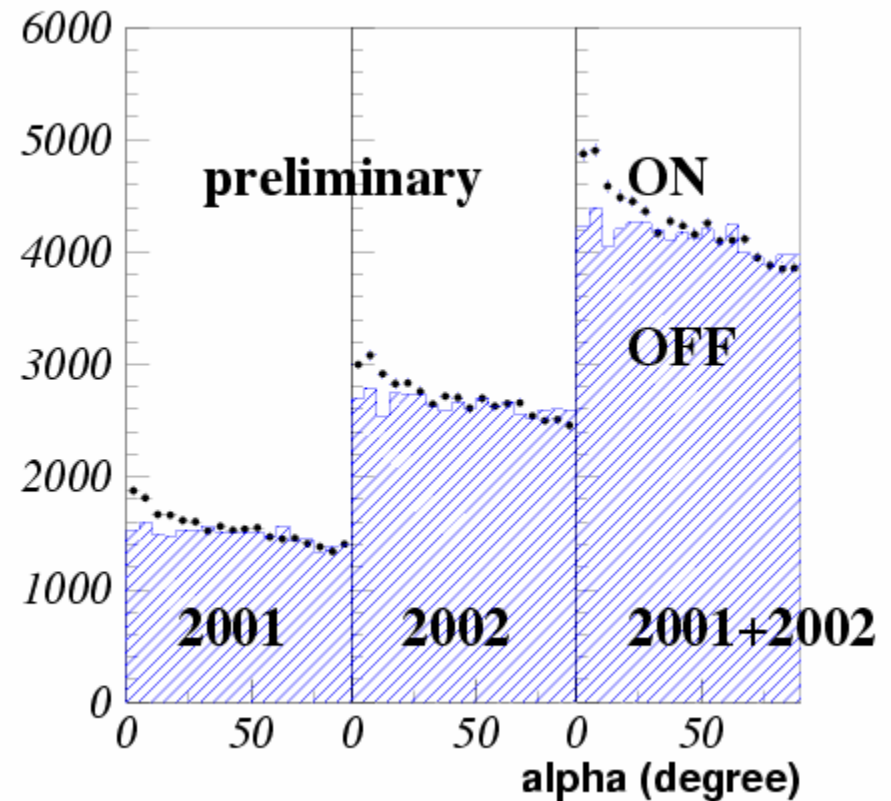
E-ratio cut < 0.25

$0.4 < \text{Likelihood ratio} < 1.0$

Alpha < 15

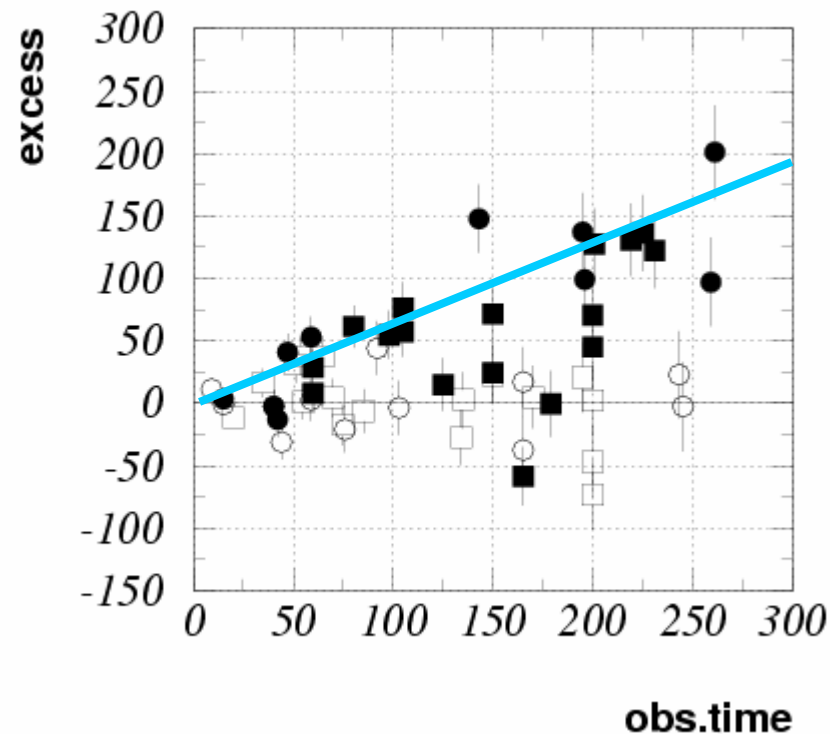
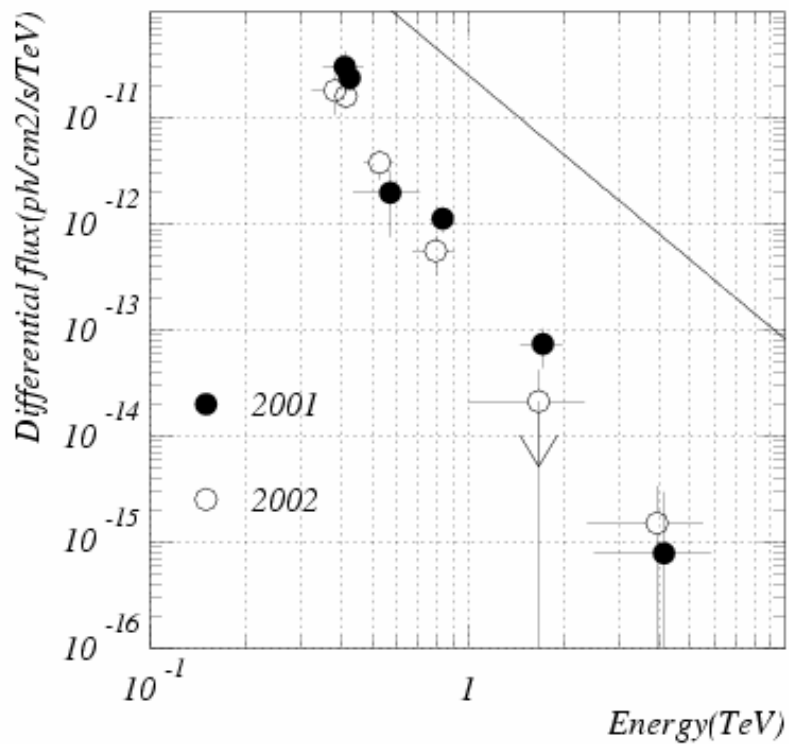


**Gamma-ray signals
from the galactic center**



Differential Flux

Preliminary results !



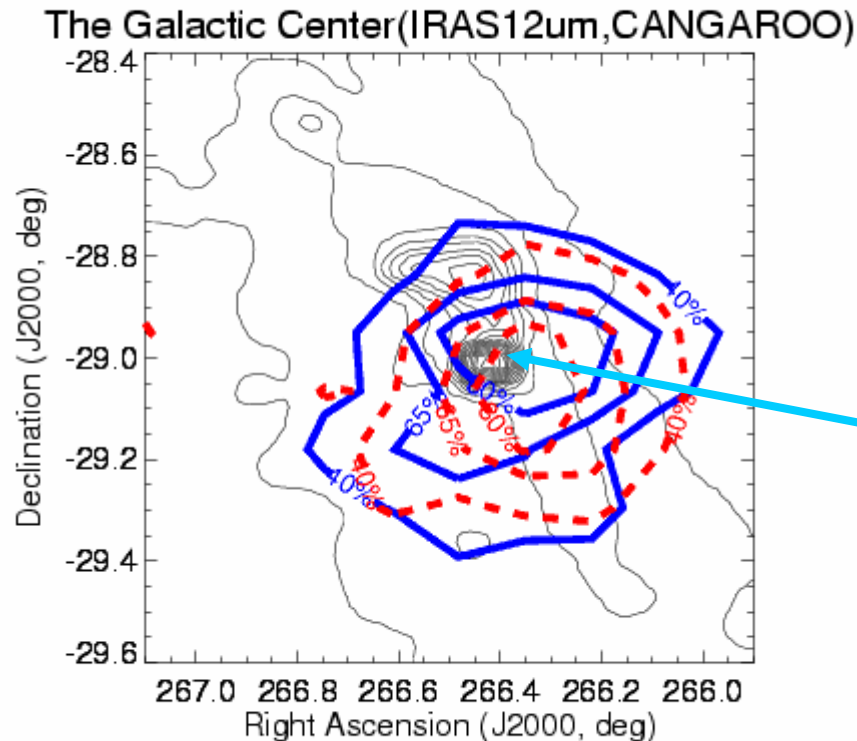
Excess vs Observation time
for each runs

Significance Map

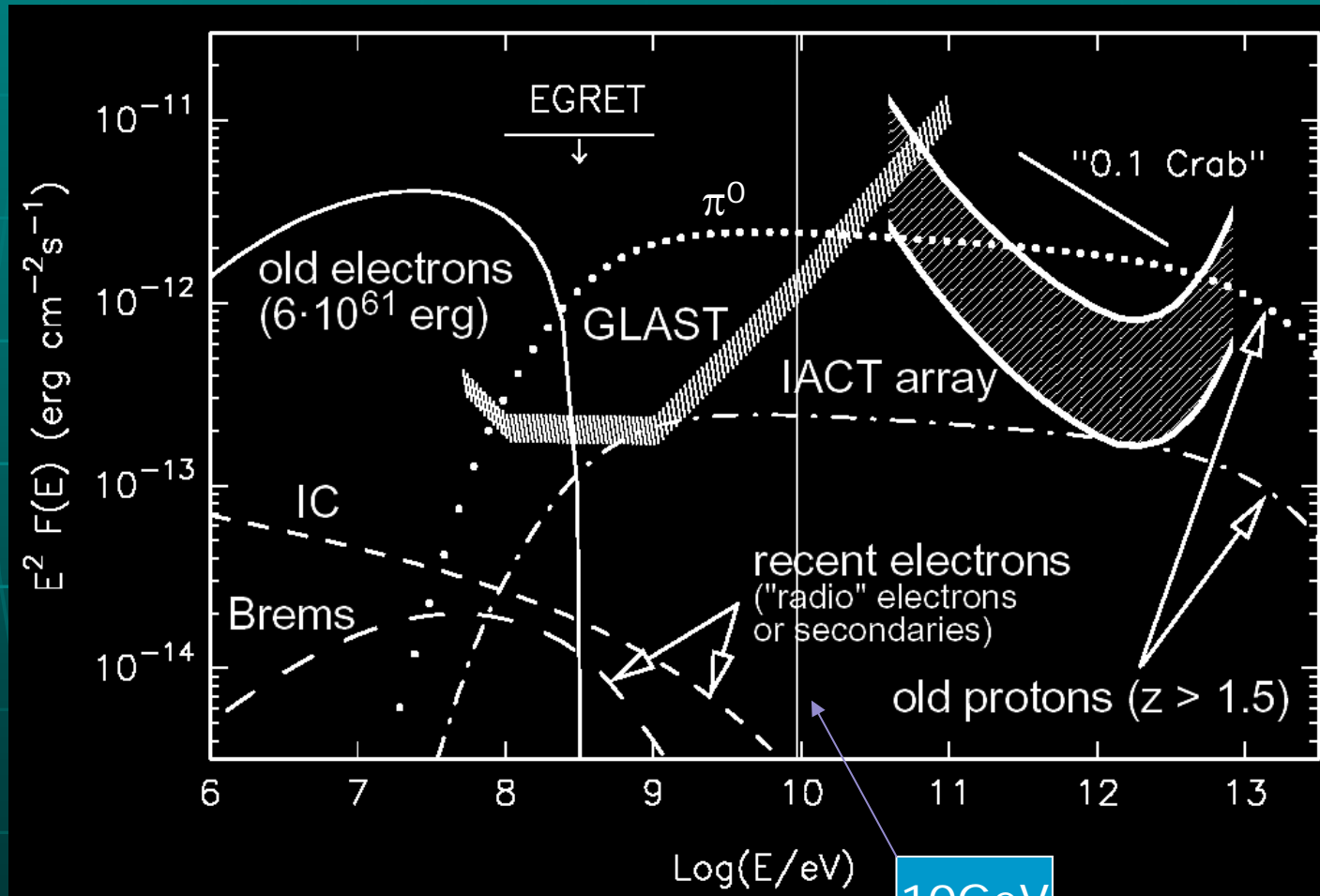
Red dot : 2001 data
Blue line : 2002 data
Black solid : IRAS

Preliminary results !

**Very High energy
gamma-rays from
the Galactic Center**



Coma cluster



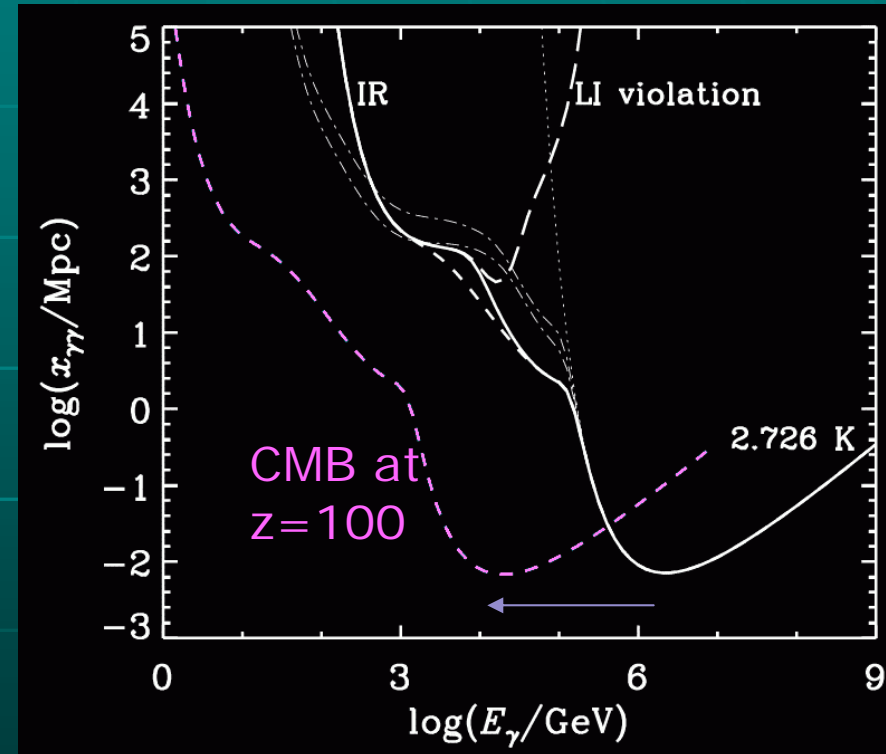
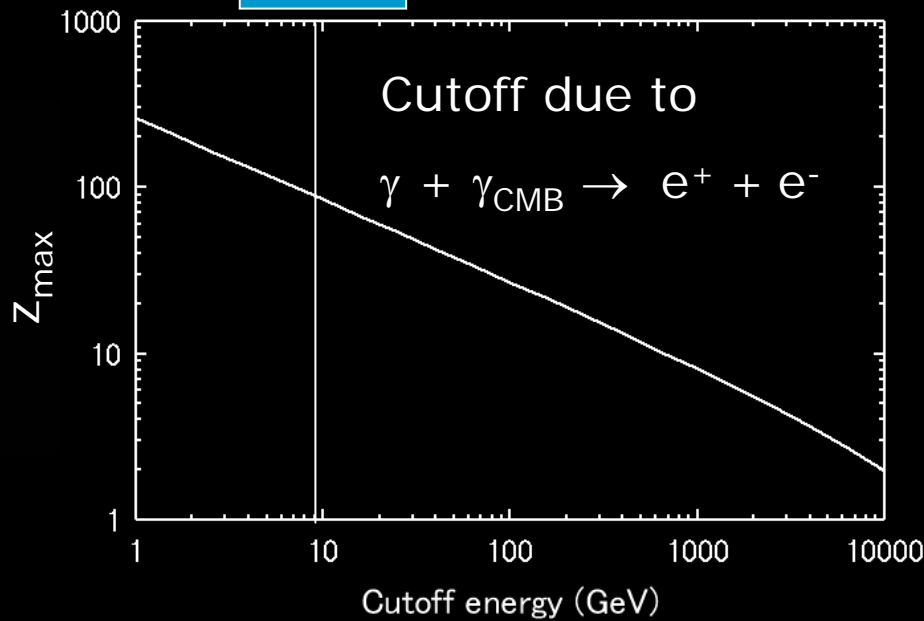
$$B = 1 \mu\text{G}$$

$$W_p = 3 \times 10^{62} / 3 \times 10^{61} \text{ ergs}$$

Atoyan and Voelk 2000 ApJ 535, 45

Cosmological gamma-ray horizon

10GeV

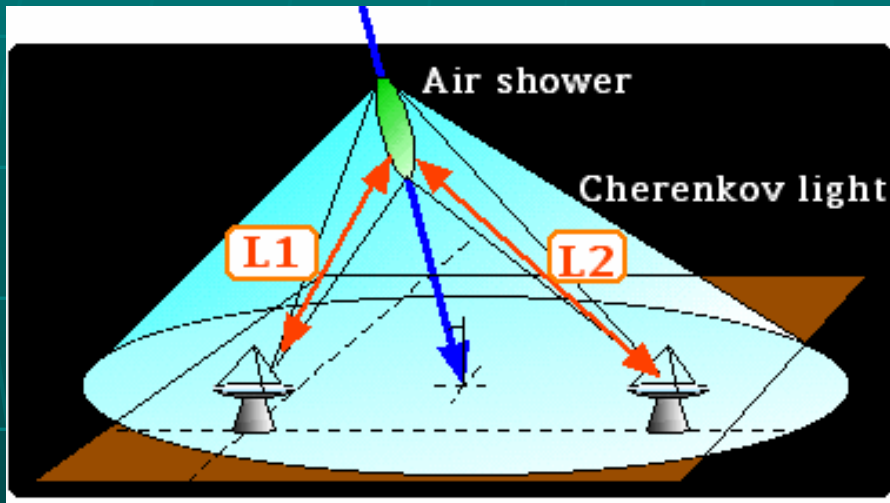


Fazio & Stecker 1970 Nature 226, 135

10 GeV gamma-rays can explore the Universe up to $z=100$!

Stereo Analy

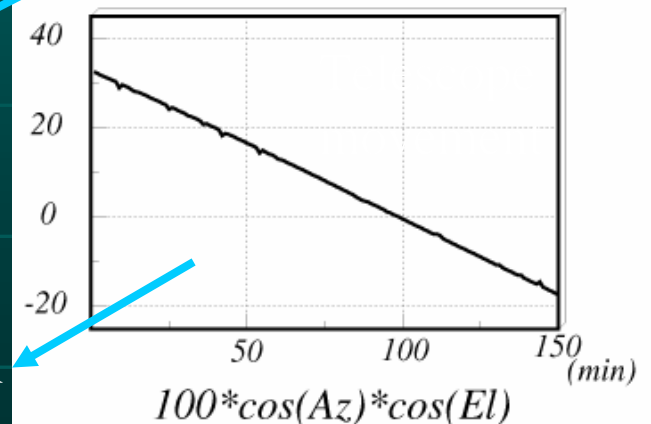
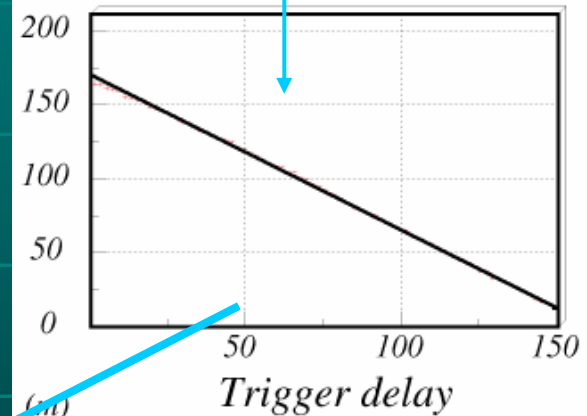
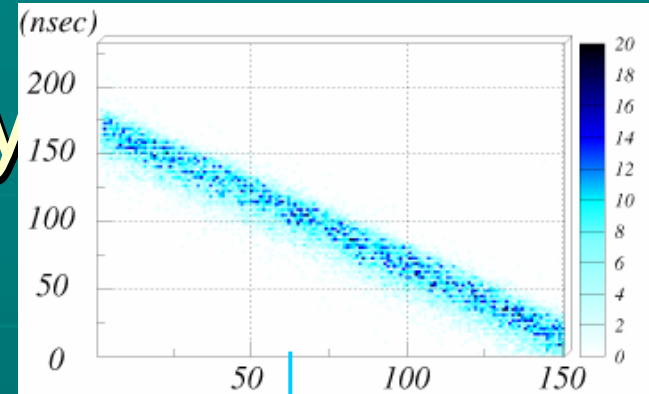
Trigger Delay time
(measured with TDC)



$$-1.0515 \pm 0.02 \text{ ns/min}$$

$\div C$ (light speed)

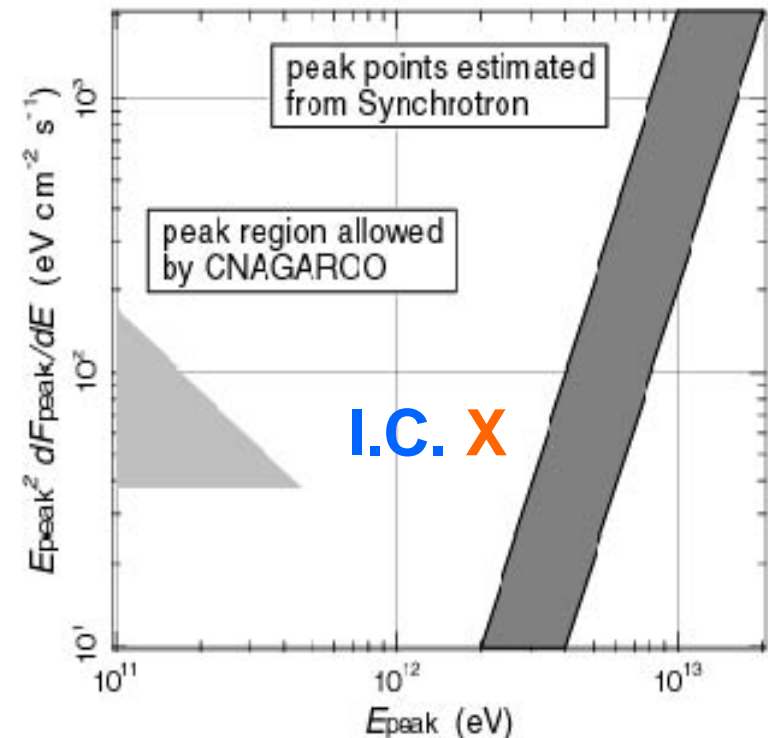
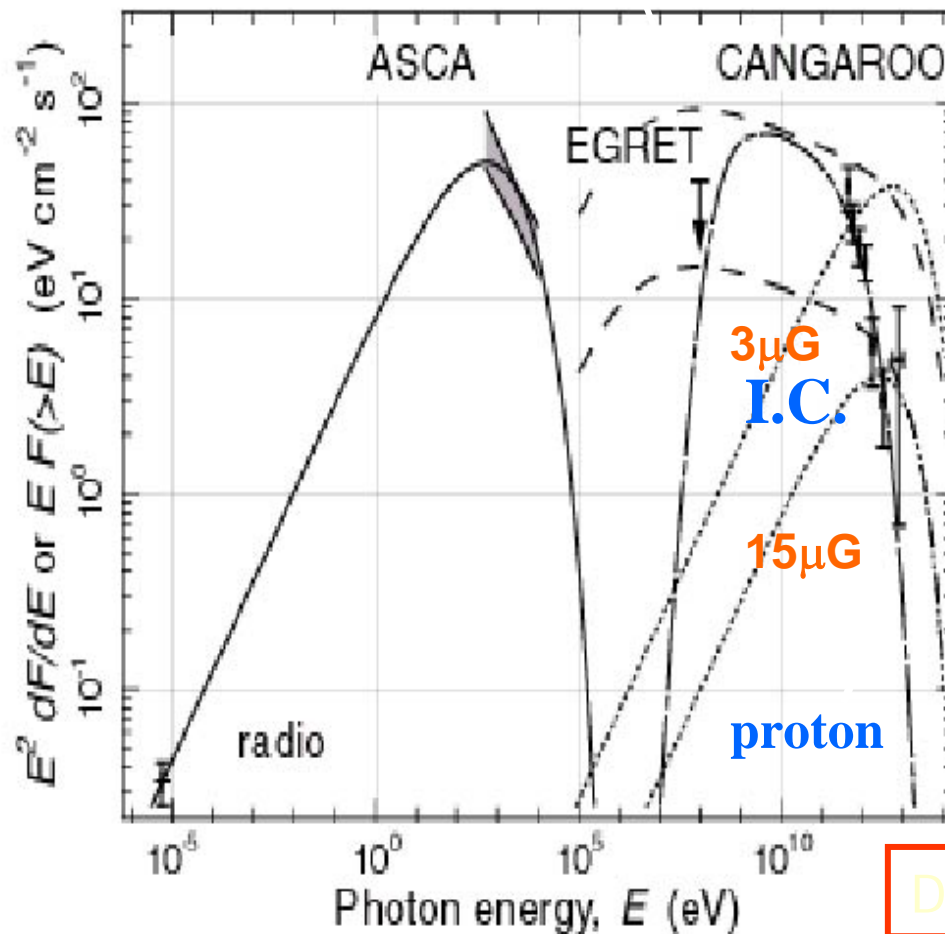
$$-1.105 \text{ ns/min} \leftarrow -0.331 \text{ m/min}$$



RXJ1713: Multi wavelength spectrum with Proton Model

Nature 416, 823 (2002)

Bremsstrahlung

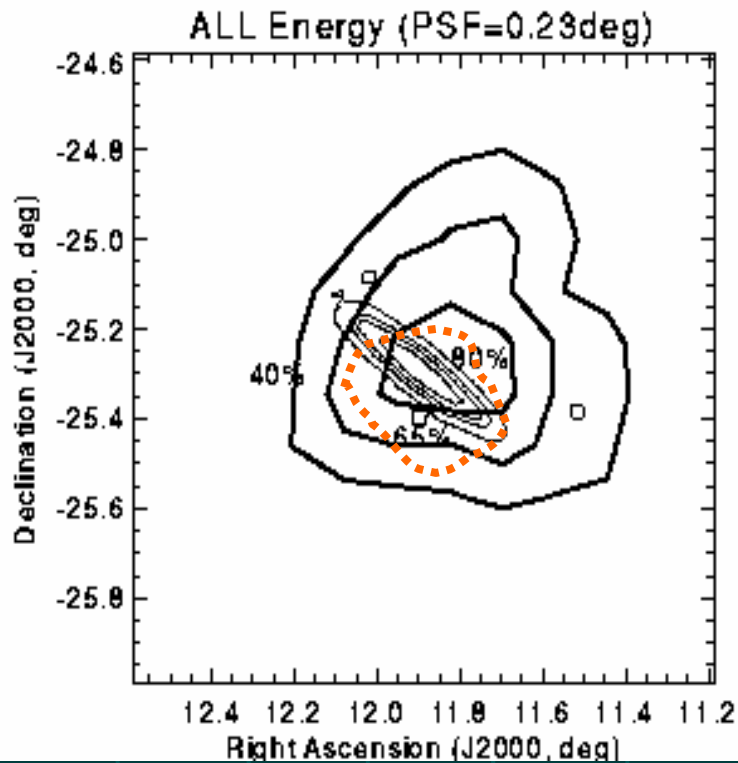


Bremsstrahlung X
from X-ray spectrum

Dist. 6kpc \rightarrow ~10 times of the Crab

Significance Map

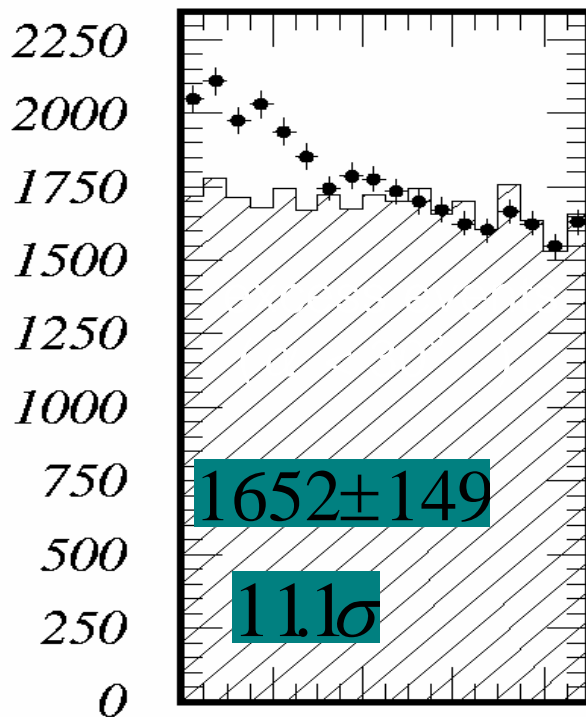
Declination (J2000,deg)



Right Ascension (J2000,deg)

α distribution

ON
OFF

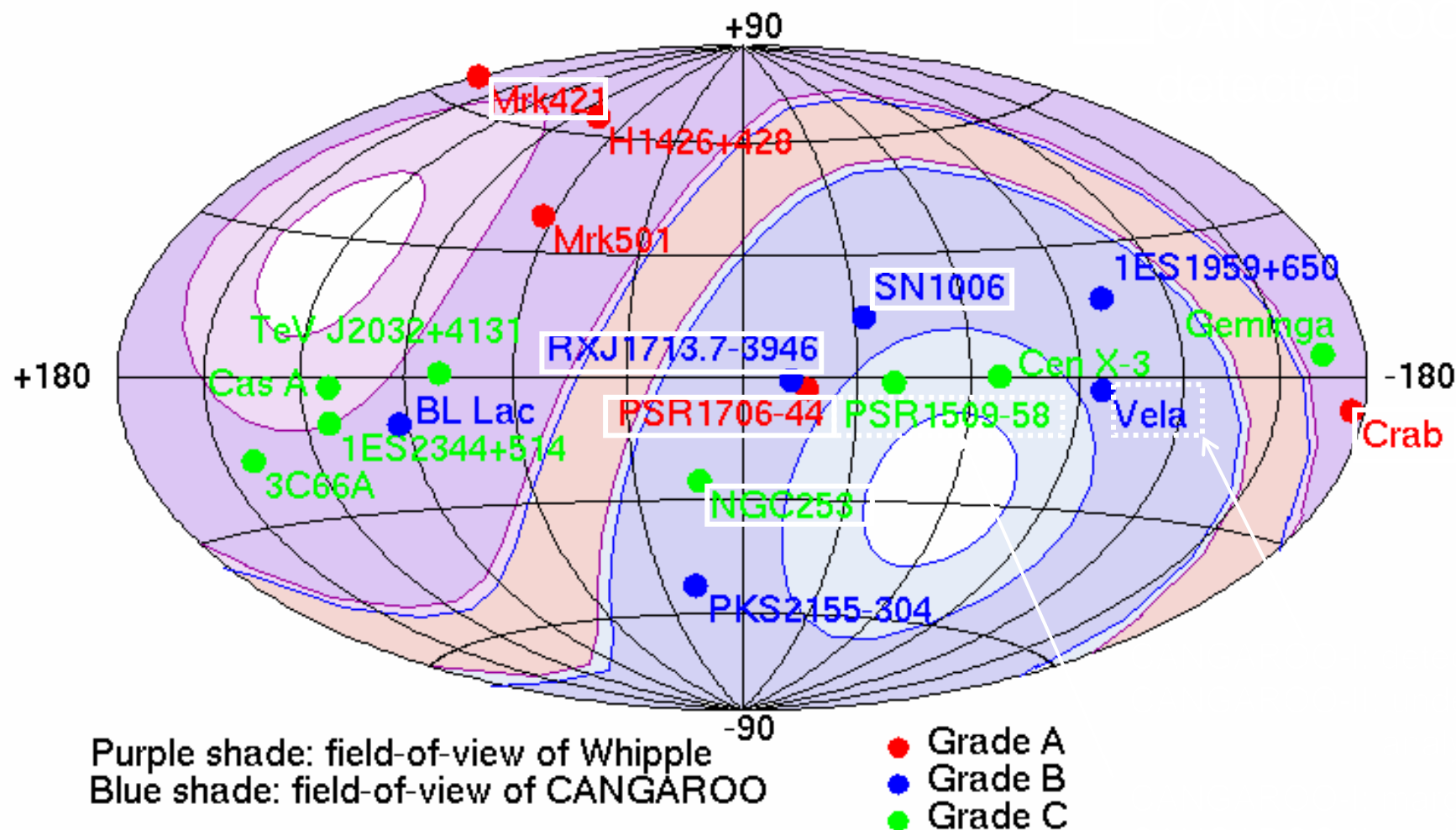


- The γ -ray emission is clearly more extended than PSF

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TeV Gamma-ray Sources



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