

Orbital Compton-Getting Dipole Measurement with Eleven Years of IceCube Cosmic-Ray Muon Data

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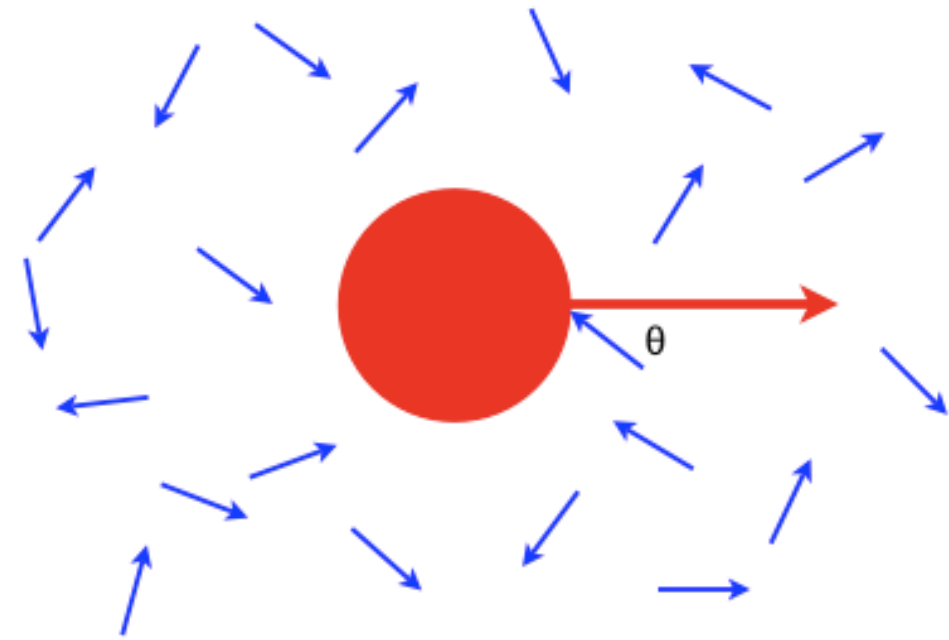


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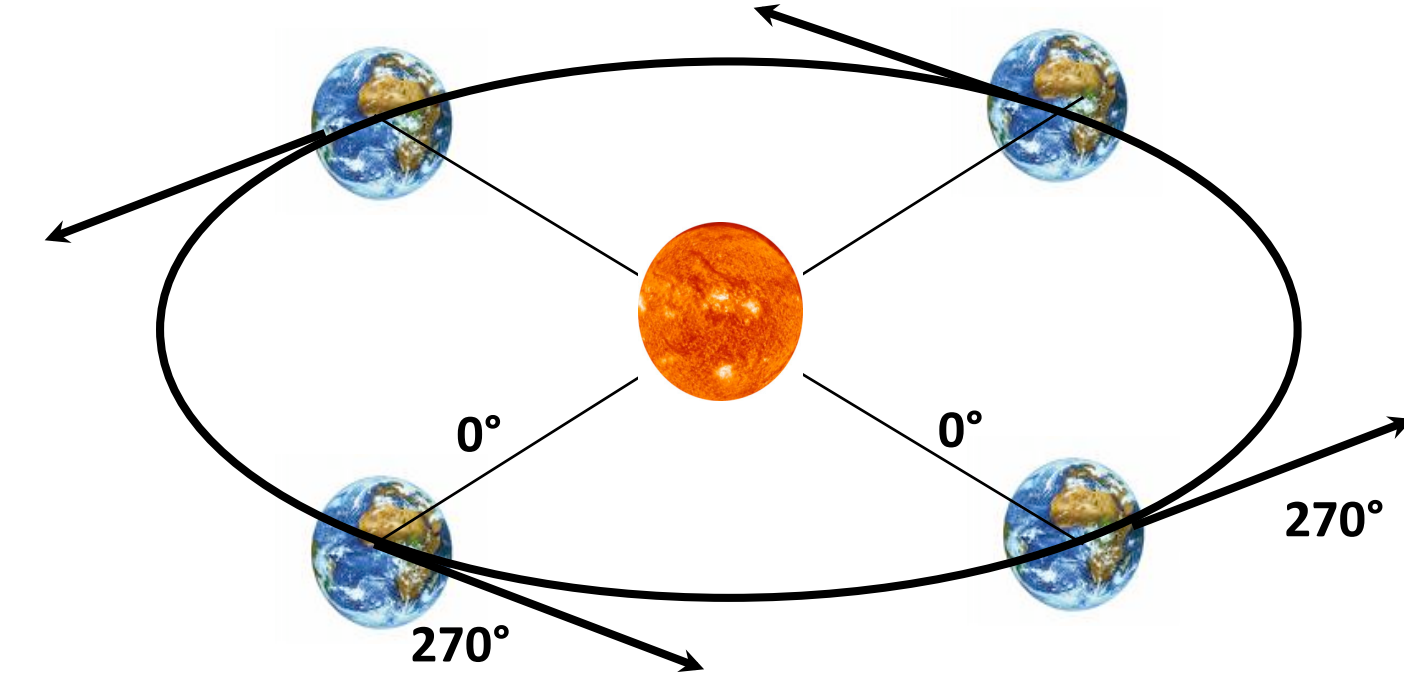
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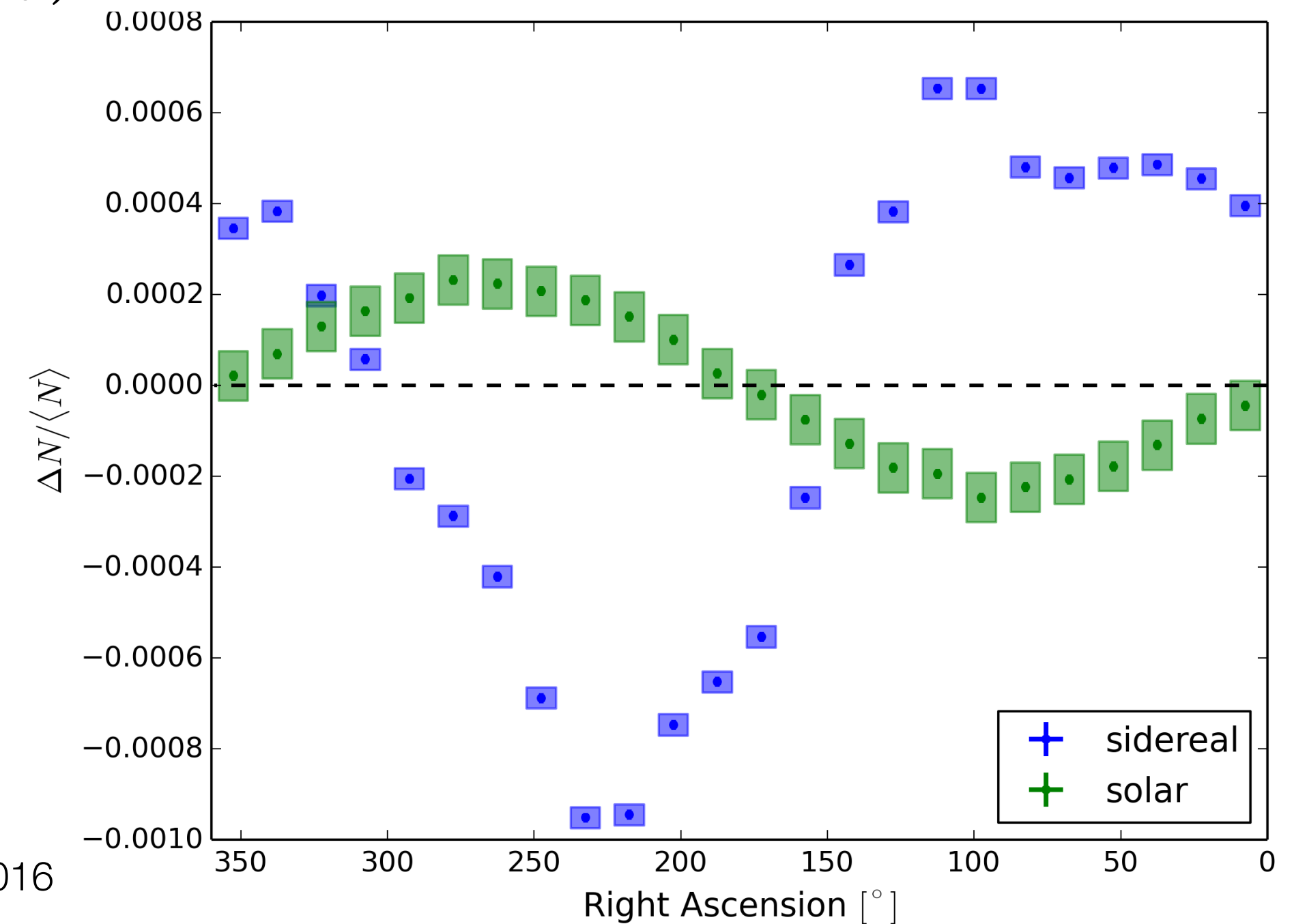
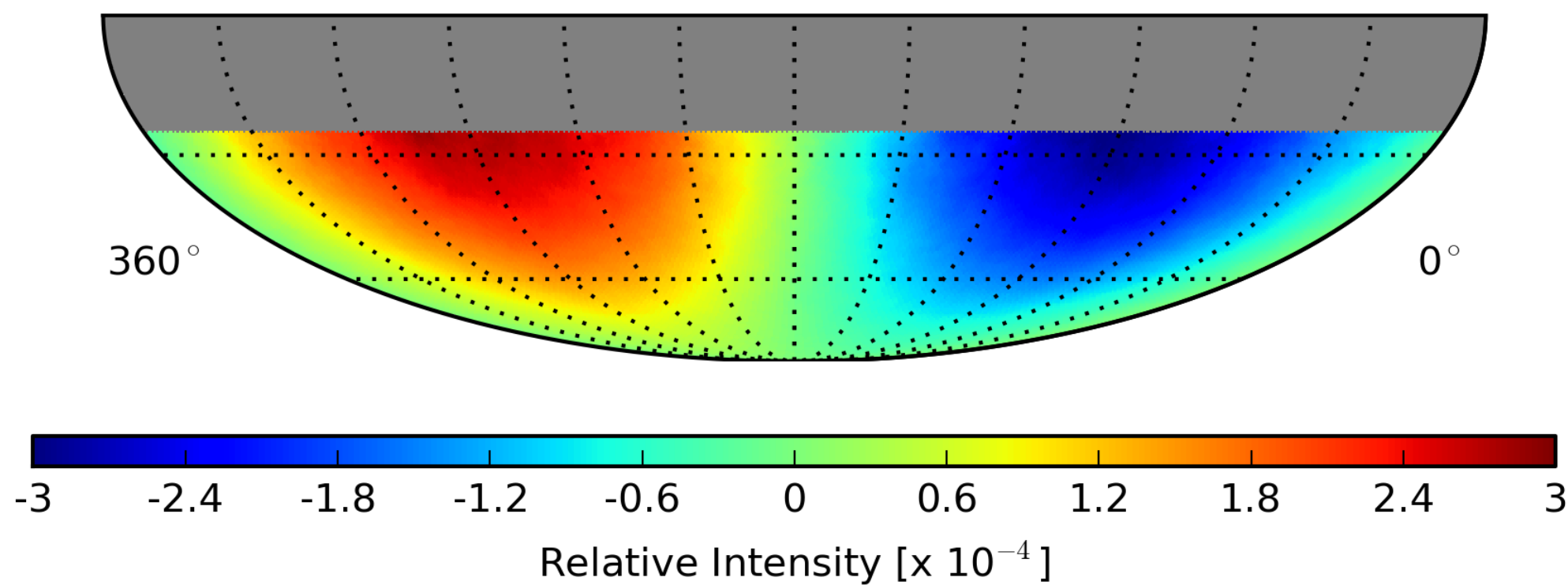


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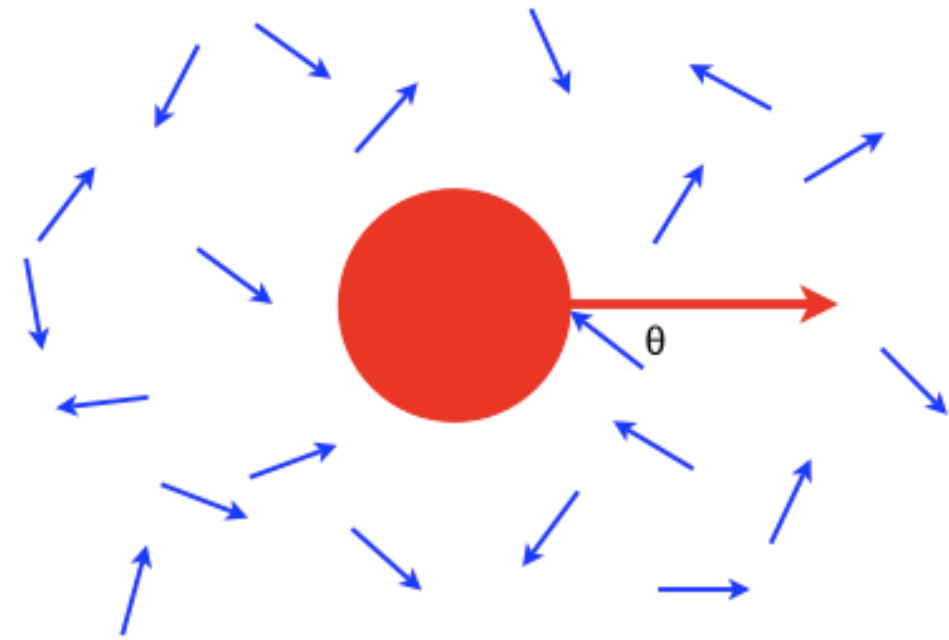
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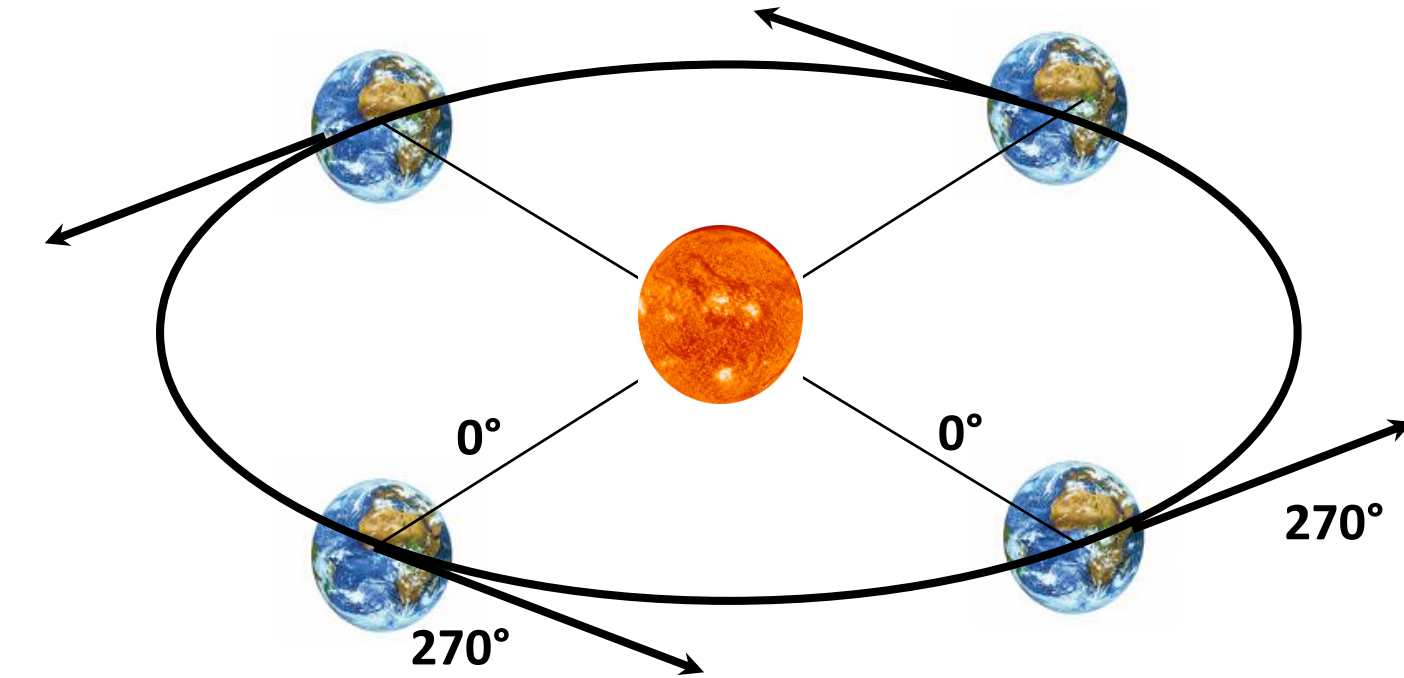


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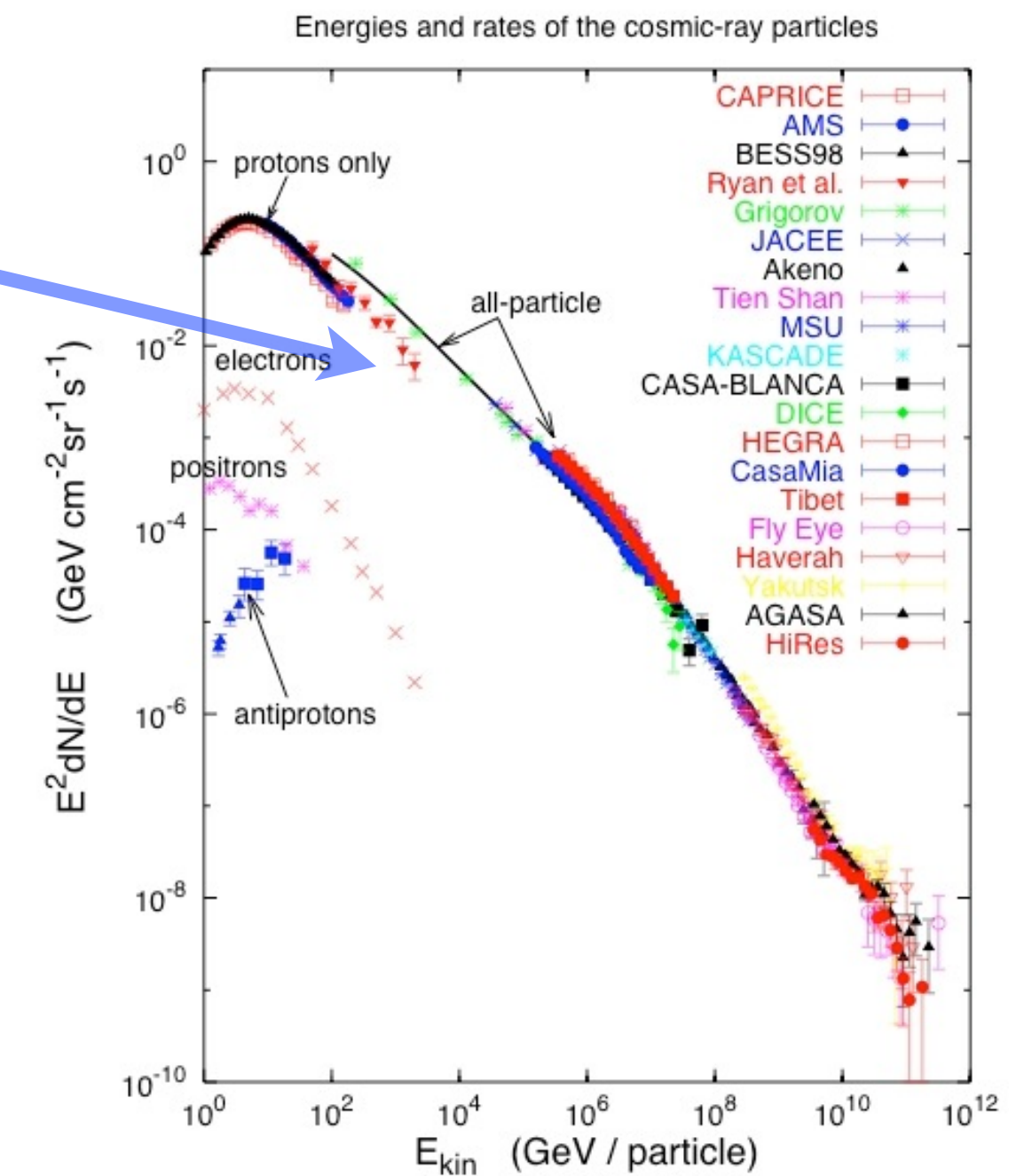
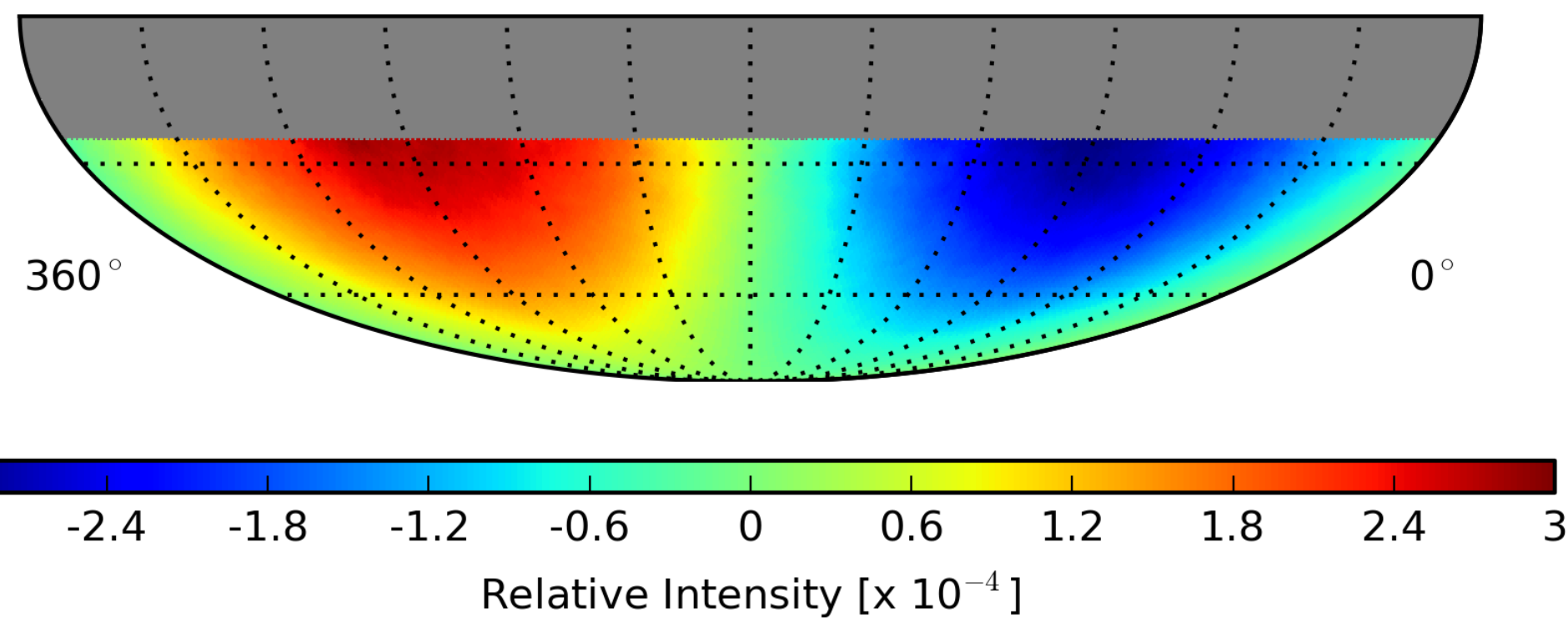


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Method 1: Dipole Fit

Solar Dipole is given by
$$\frac{\delta I_i}{I} = \frac{v}{c} (\gamma + 2) \cos(\xi_i)$$

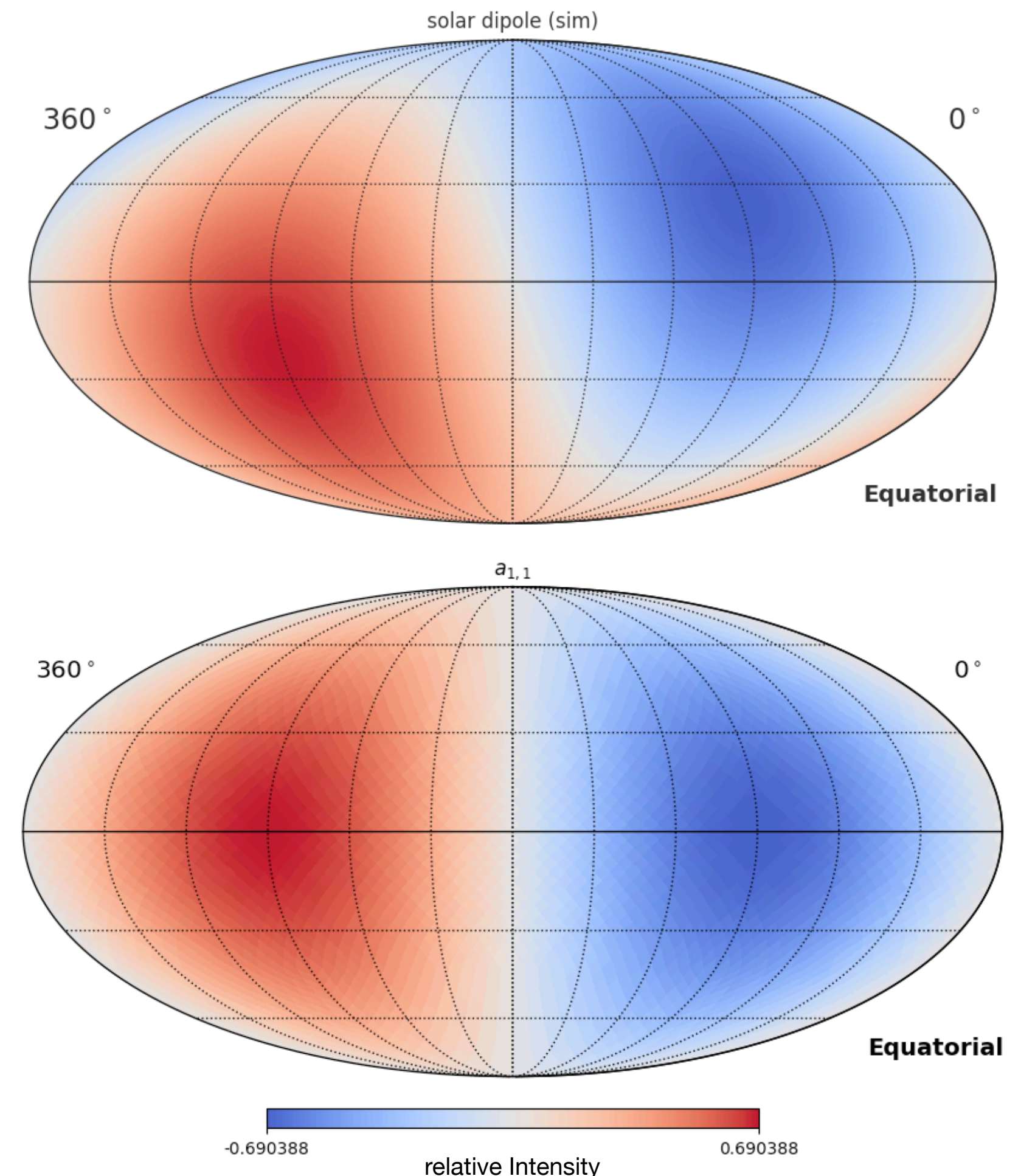
Where ξ_i is the opening angle between velocity direction and CR arrival direction (for pixel i).

Since the $m=0$ component is missing, this reduces to

$$\frac{\delta I_i}{I} = \frac{v}{c} (\gamma + 2) \sin \theta_i \cos(\phi_0 - \phi_i)$$

or, in equatorial coordinates (α, δ) coordinates

$$\frac{\delta I_i}{I} = \frac{v}{c} (\gamma + 2) \cos \delta_i \cos(\alpha_0 - \alpha_i)$$



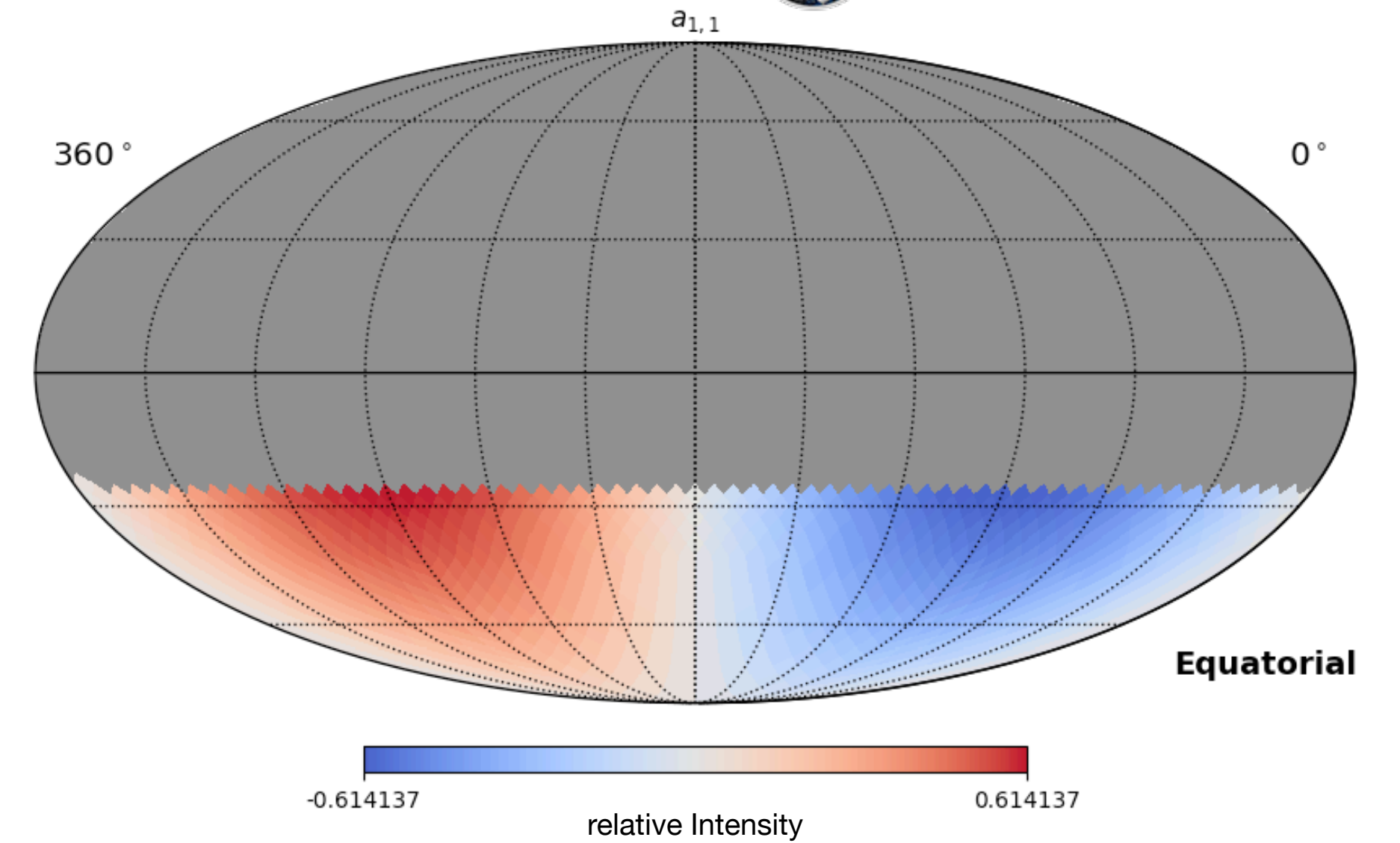
Horizontal Multi-pole Fit

The dipole component is given by the Y_{lm} terms

$$Y_1^{-1}(\alpha, \delta) = \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{3}{2\pi}} \cos \delta e^{-i\alpha},$$

$$Y_1^0(\alpha, \delta) = \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{3}{\pi}} \sin \delta,$$

$$Y_1^1(\alpha, \delta) = -\frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{3}{2\pi}} \cos \delta e^{i\alpha}$$



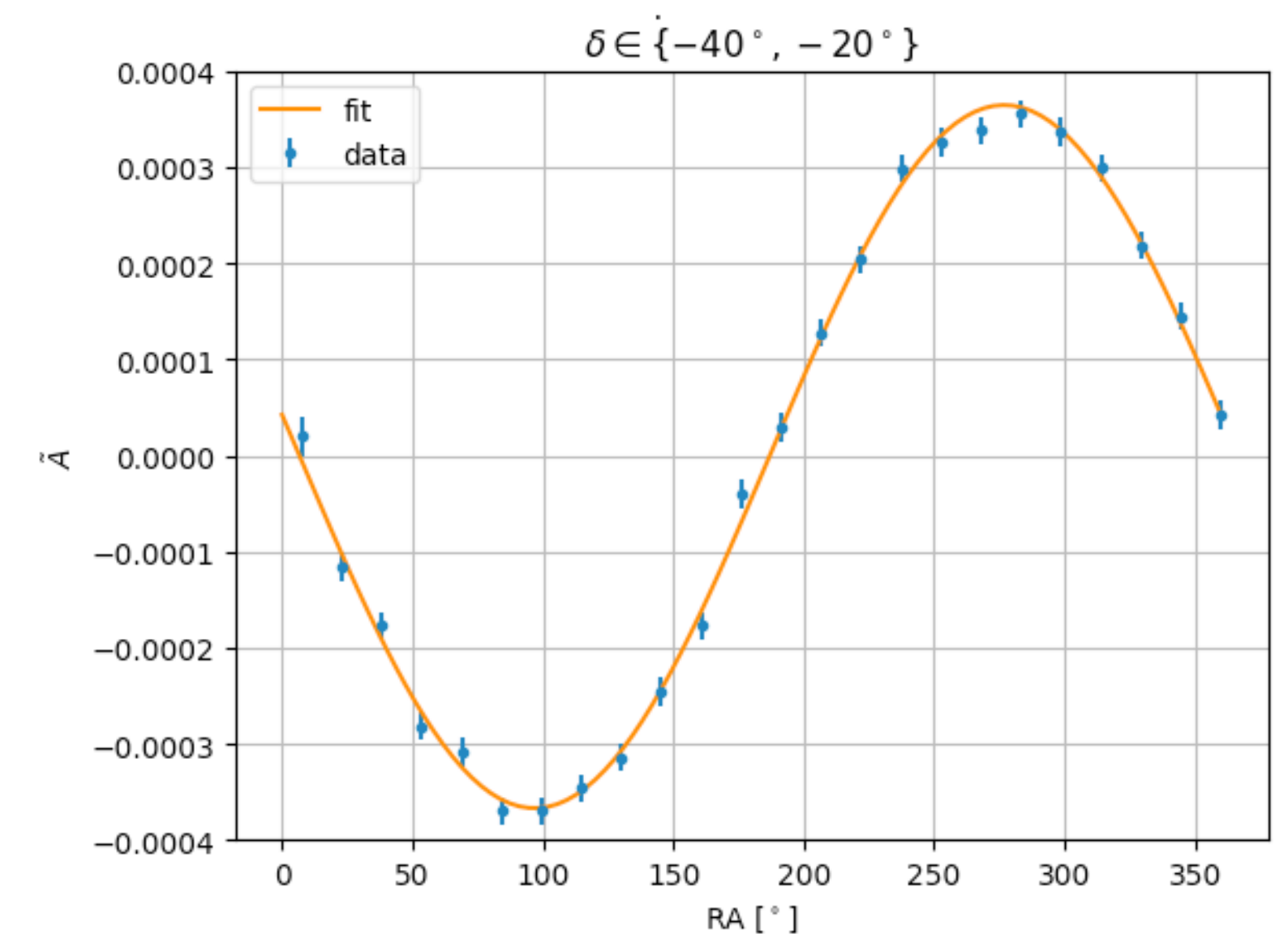
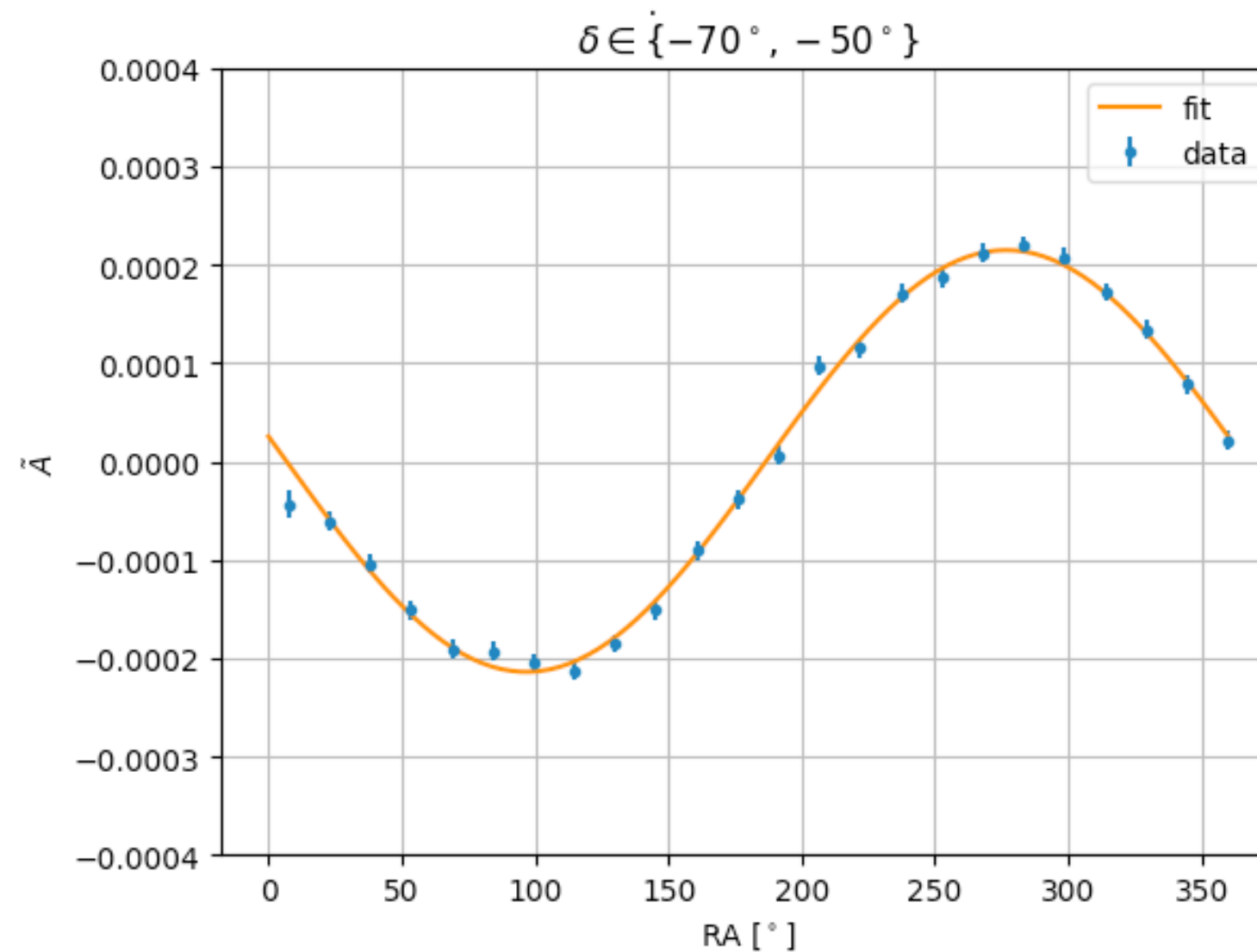
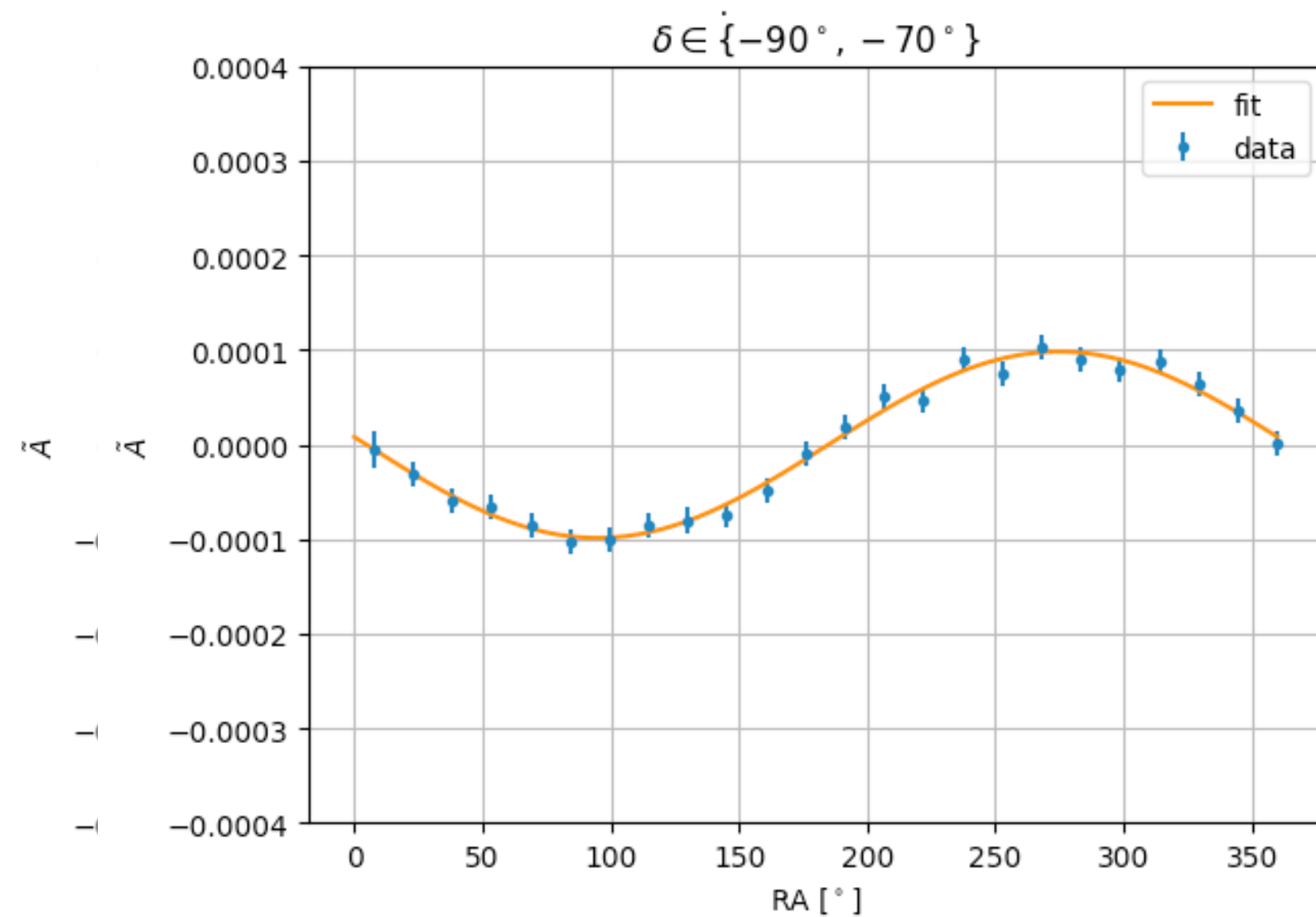
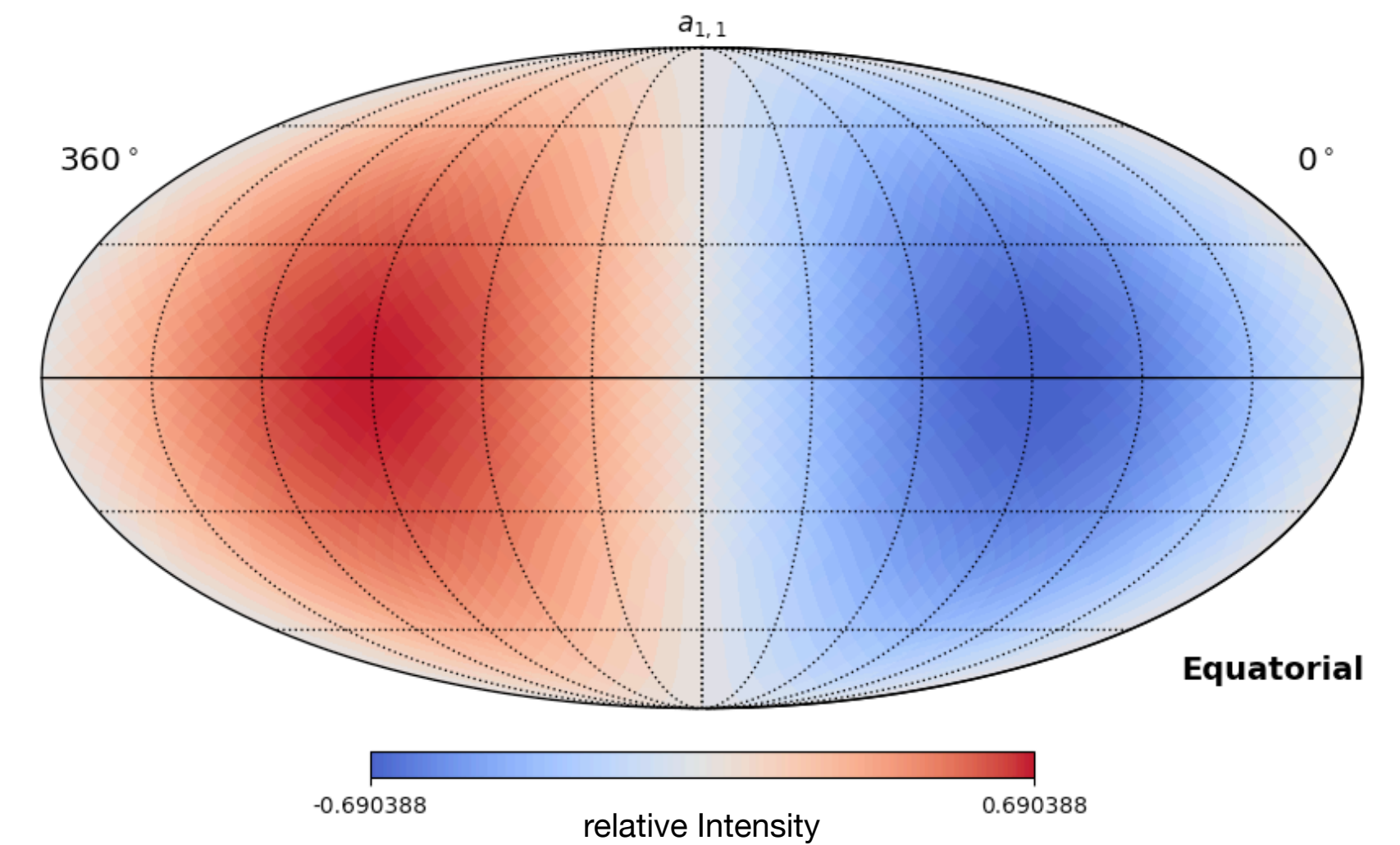
So, for a dipole oriented along the x-y plane,

$$F(\alpha_i, \delta_i) = a_{1,-1} Y_1^{-1} + a_{1,1} Y_1^1 = A_1 \cos(\delta_i) \cos(\alpha_i - \phi_1)$$

We fit parameters: A_1, ϕ_1 over the pixels in the FoV

Method 2: 1D Projection (Toy MC)

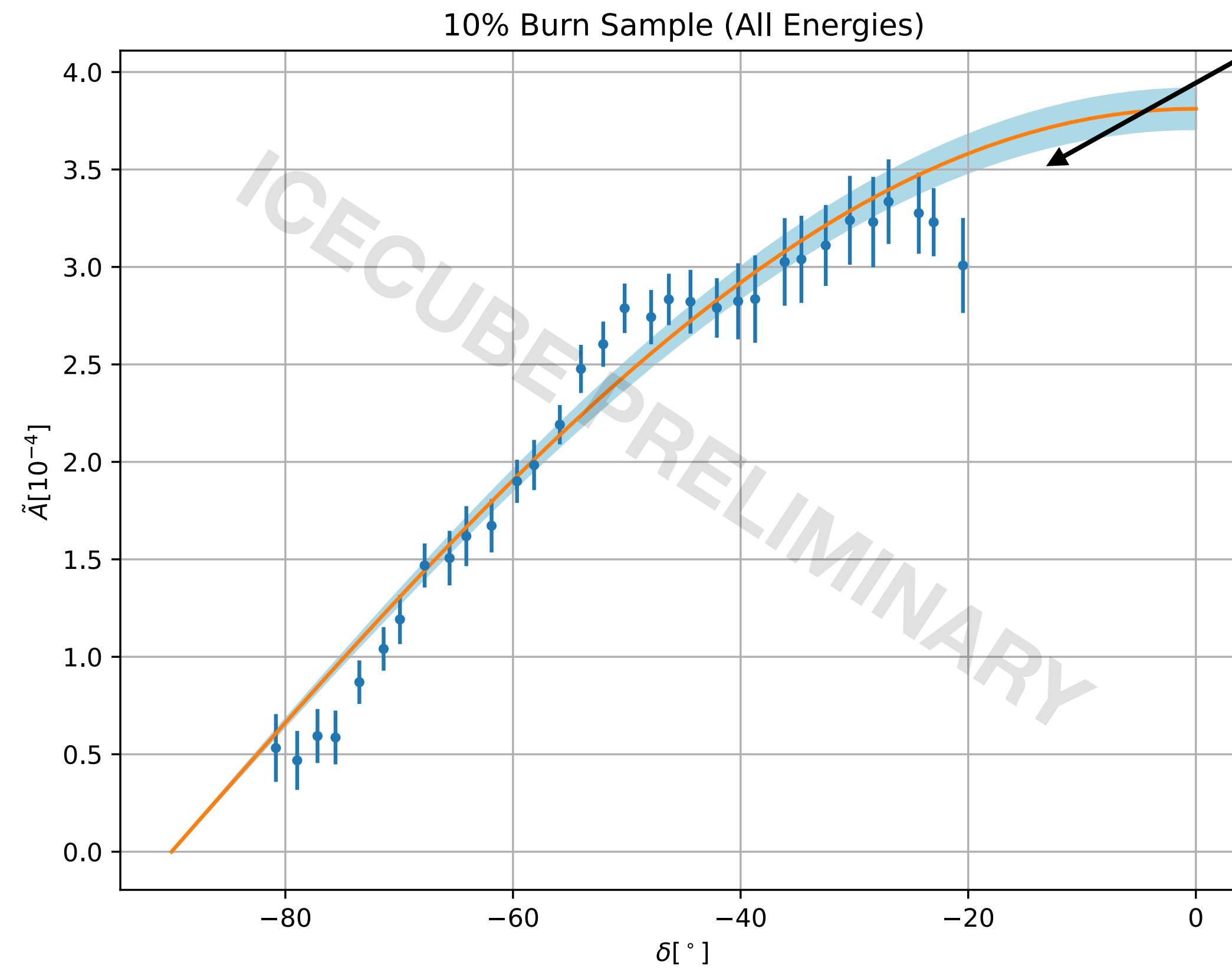
- Amplitude is maximum towards equator and zero at poles
- 1d measurement corresponds to the average amplitude over declination bands



Extrapolation of 1D Amplitude

1. Plot amplitude of 1d fit in RA. as a function of declination
2. Fit cosine of declination and extrapolate to horizon

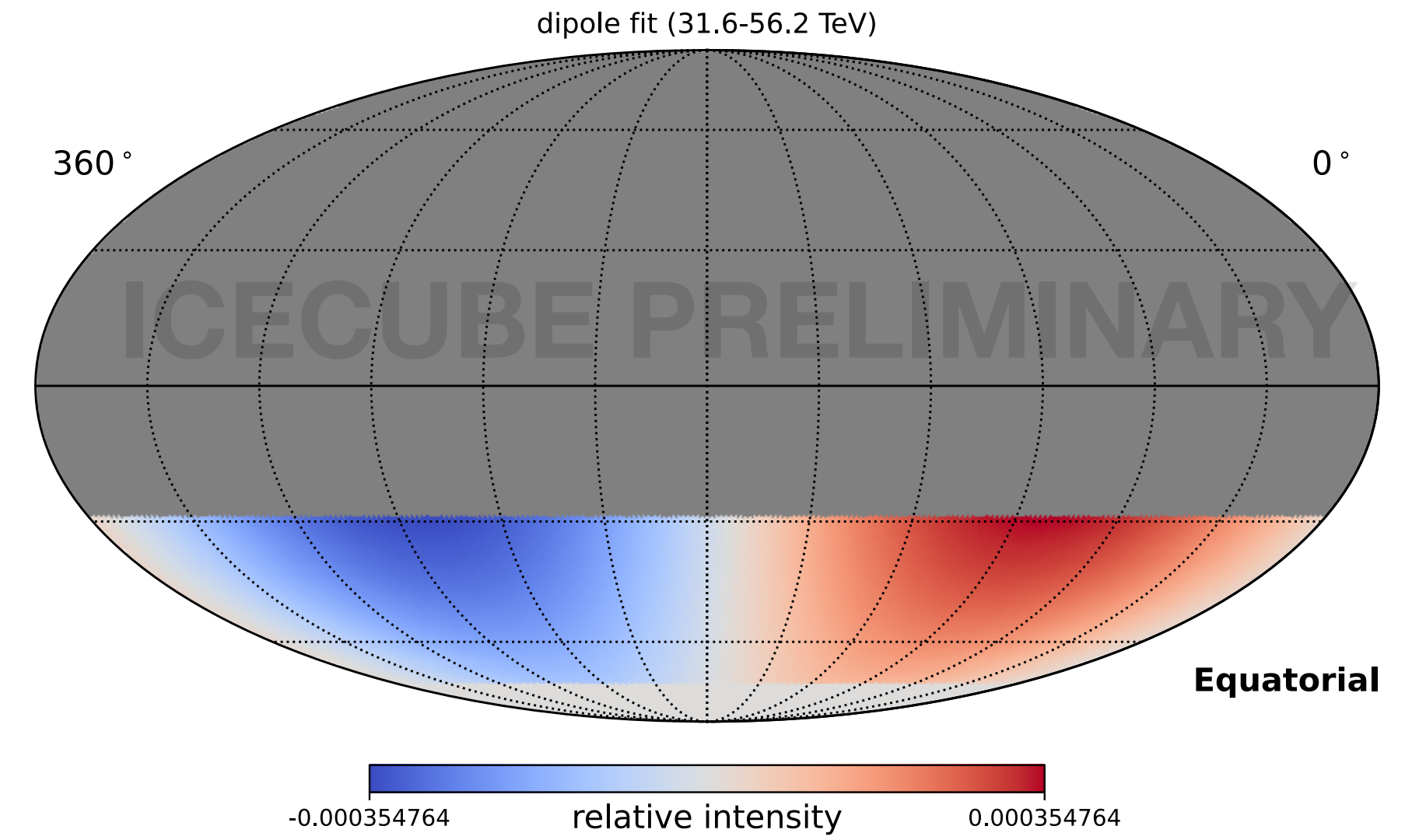
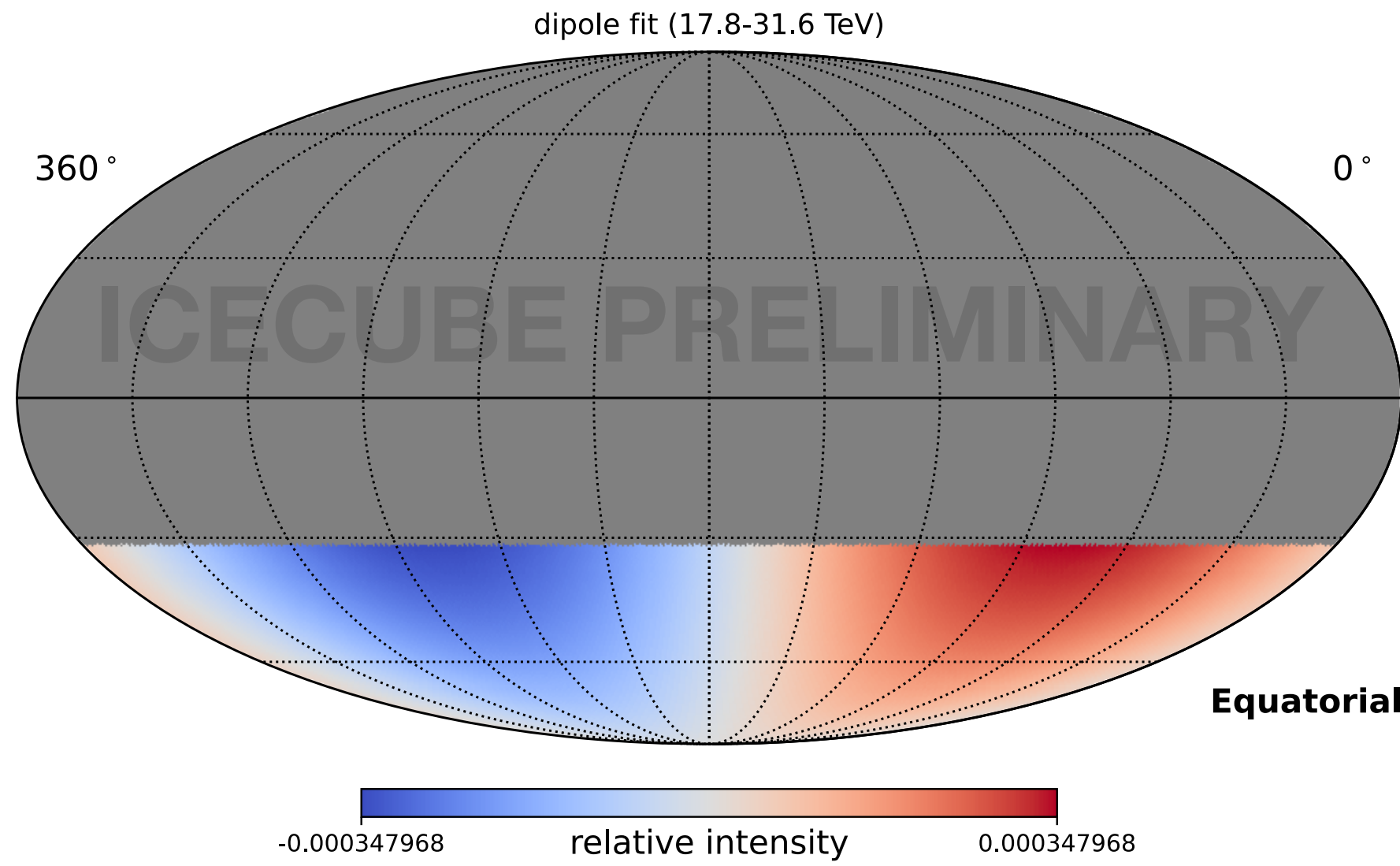
- Low Statistics
- Poor reconstruction



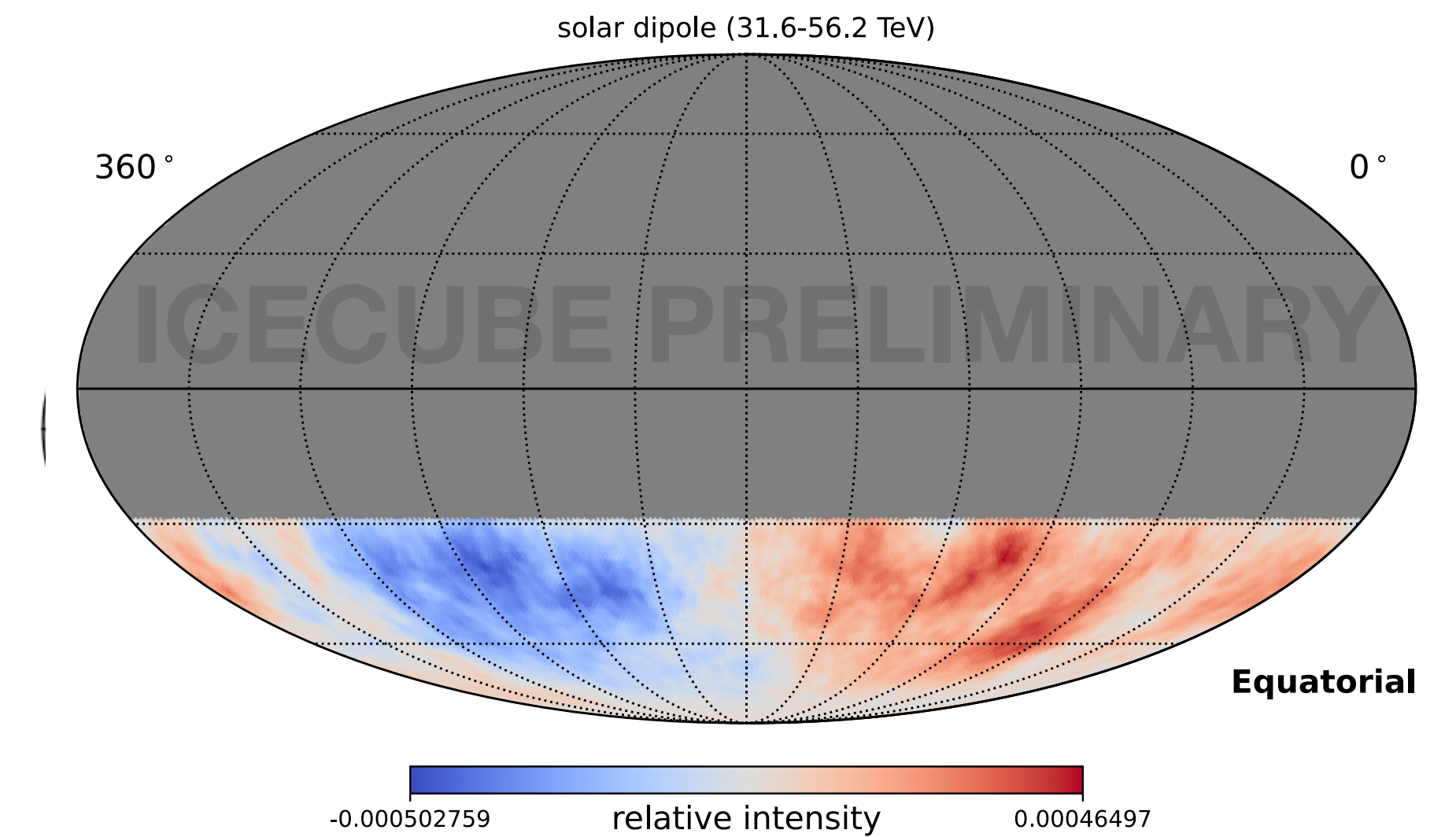
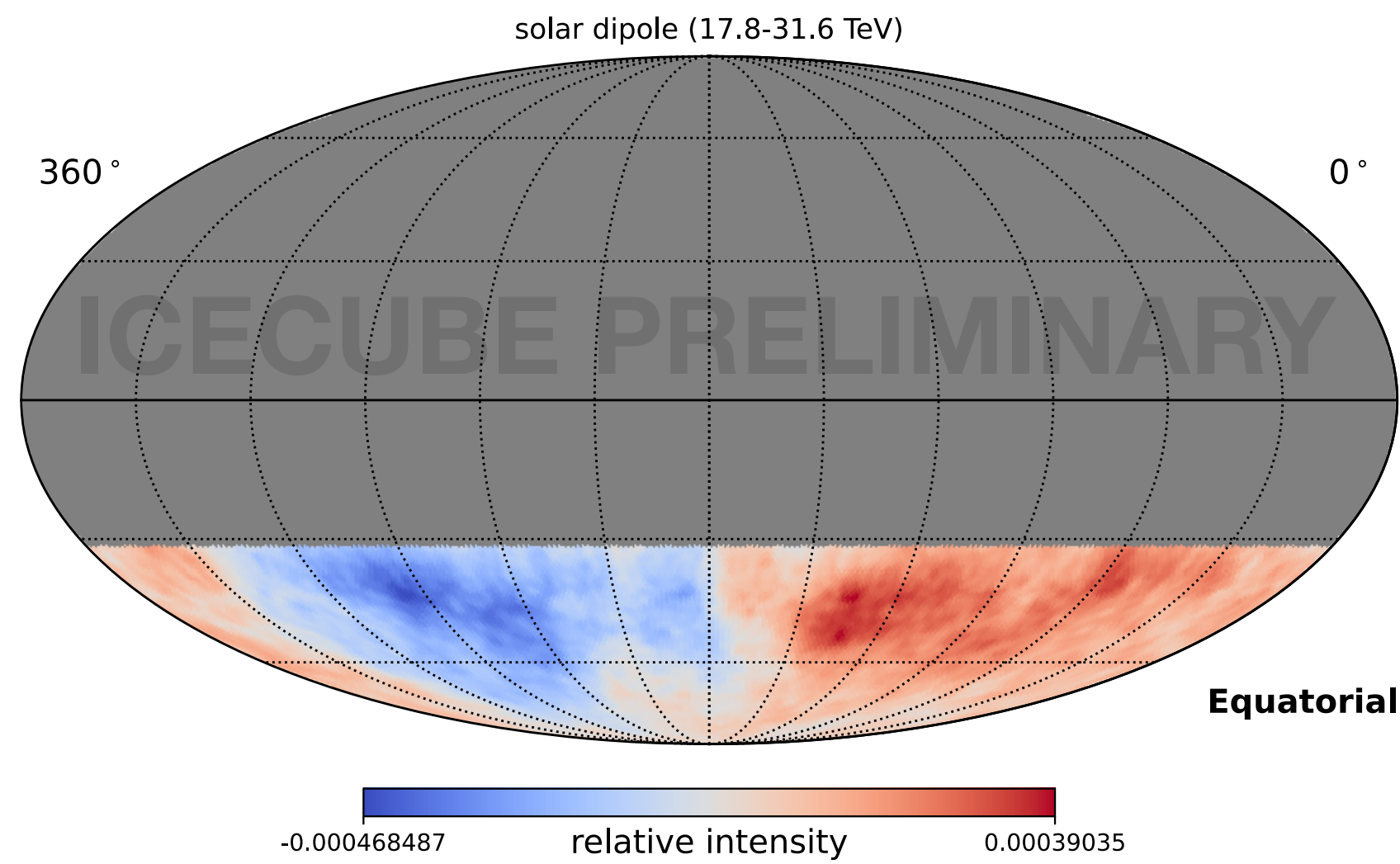
Horizontal dipole Fit

Fit comparisons to data

2D Fit (horizontal)



Data

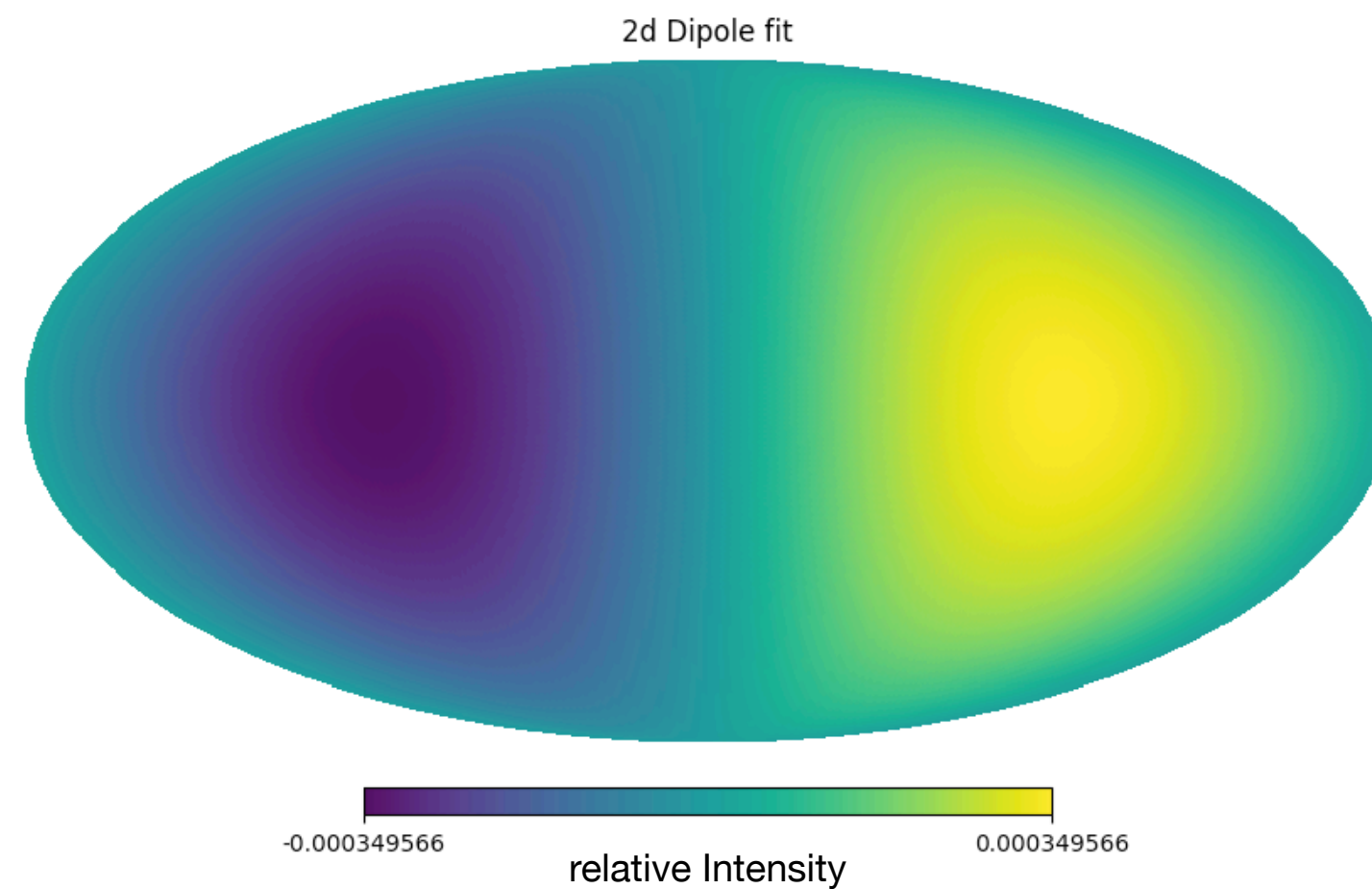
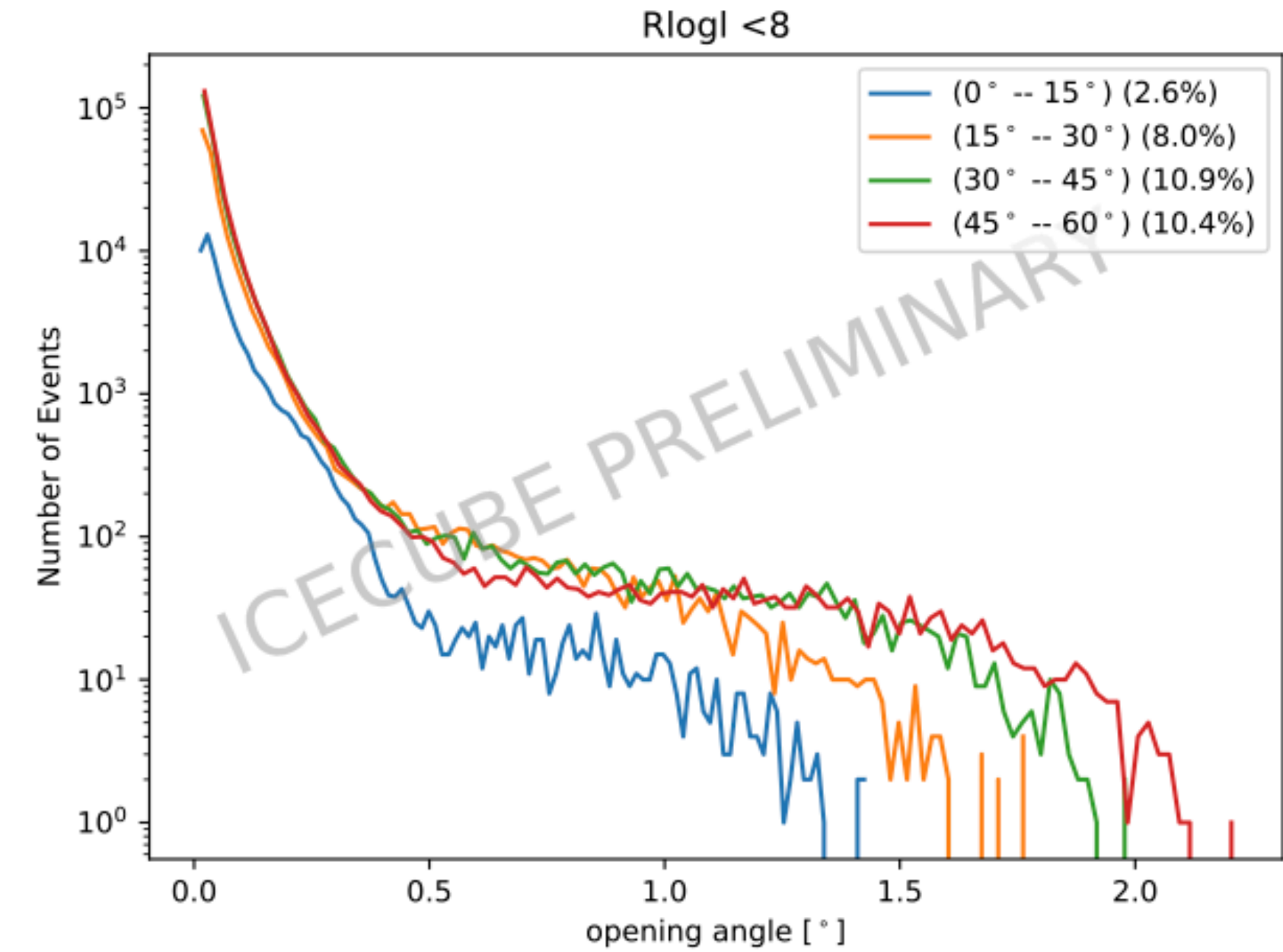
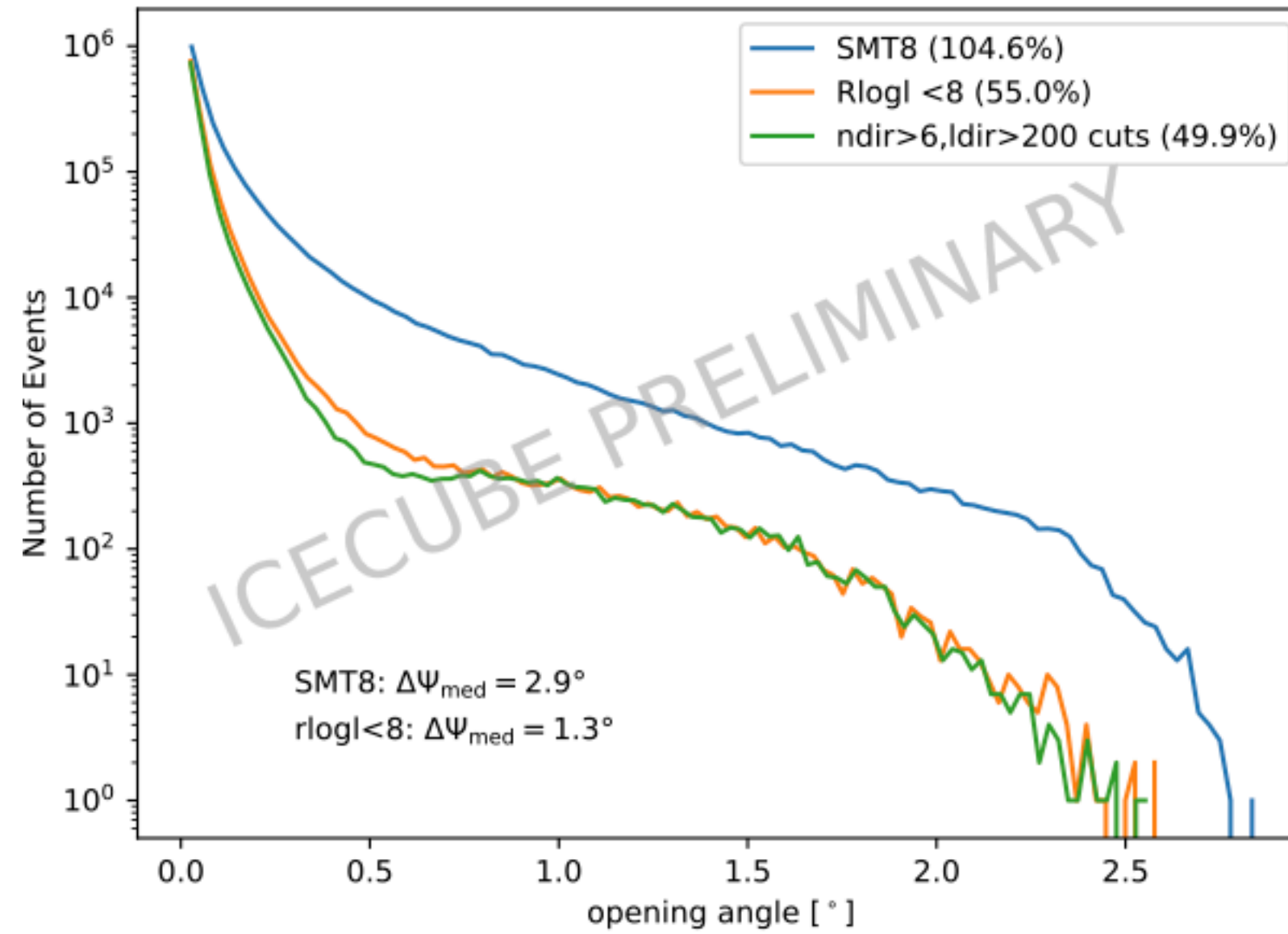


24 TeV

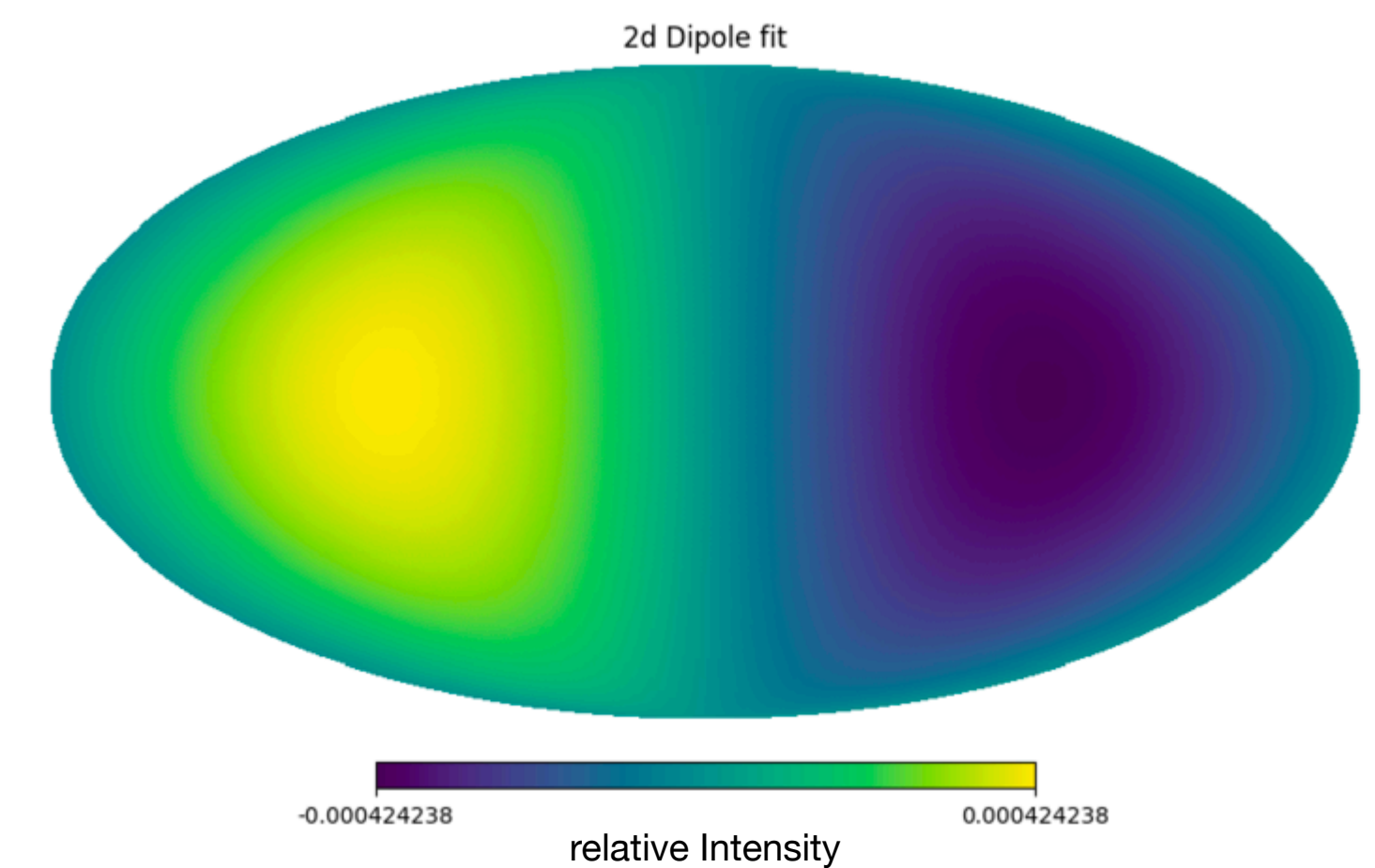
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Solar Dipole: A Calibration Source

If no quality cuts are applied on the track reconstruction, the level of misreconstructed events increases the isotropic background (and decreases signal), thus reducing the amplitude of the anisotropy.

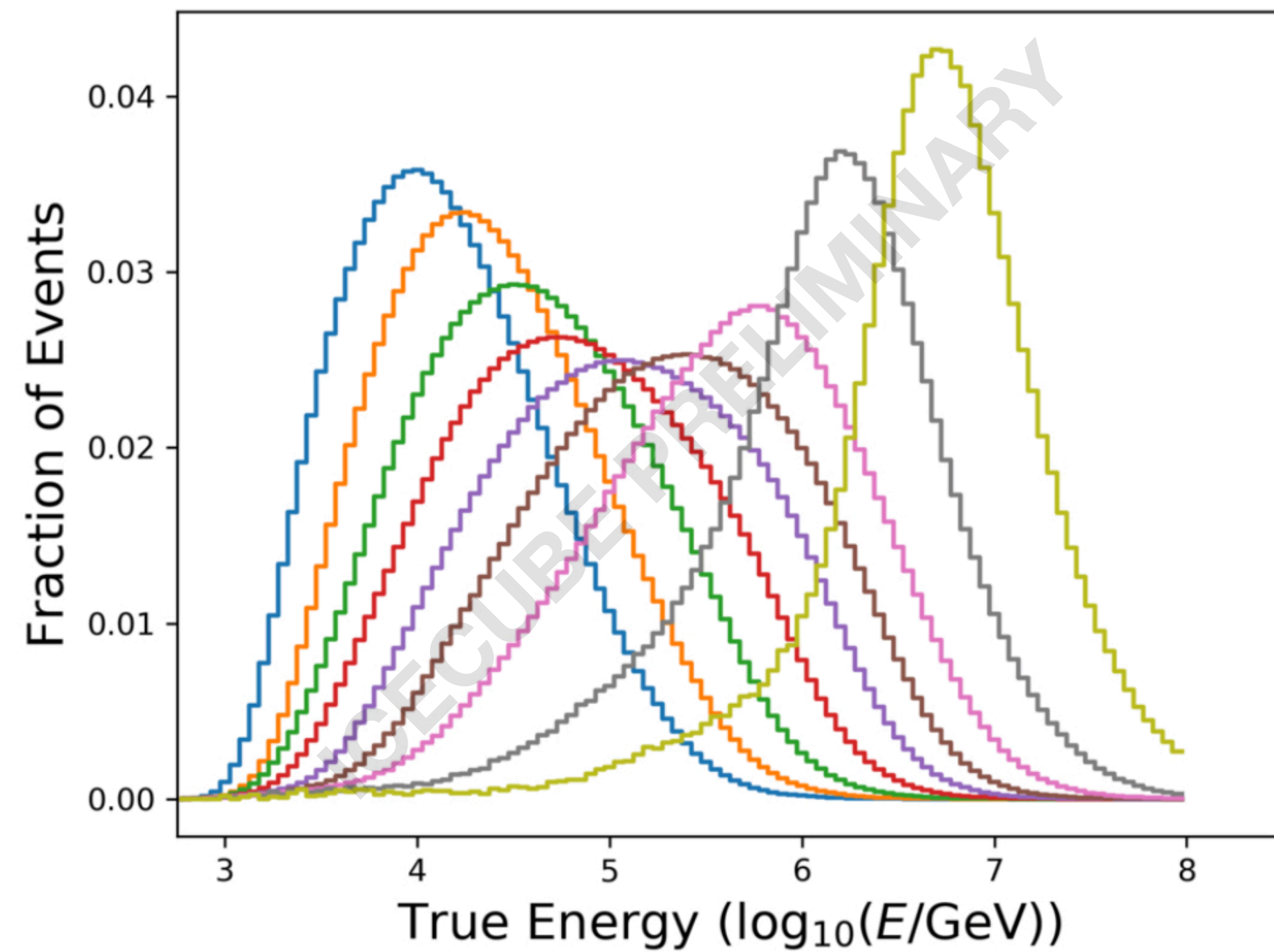


$Y = 1.5167$
 correcting projection 23.5° :
 $Y = 1.8347$

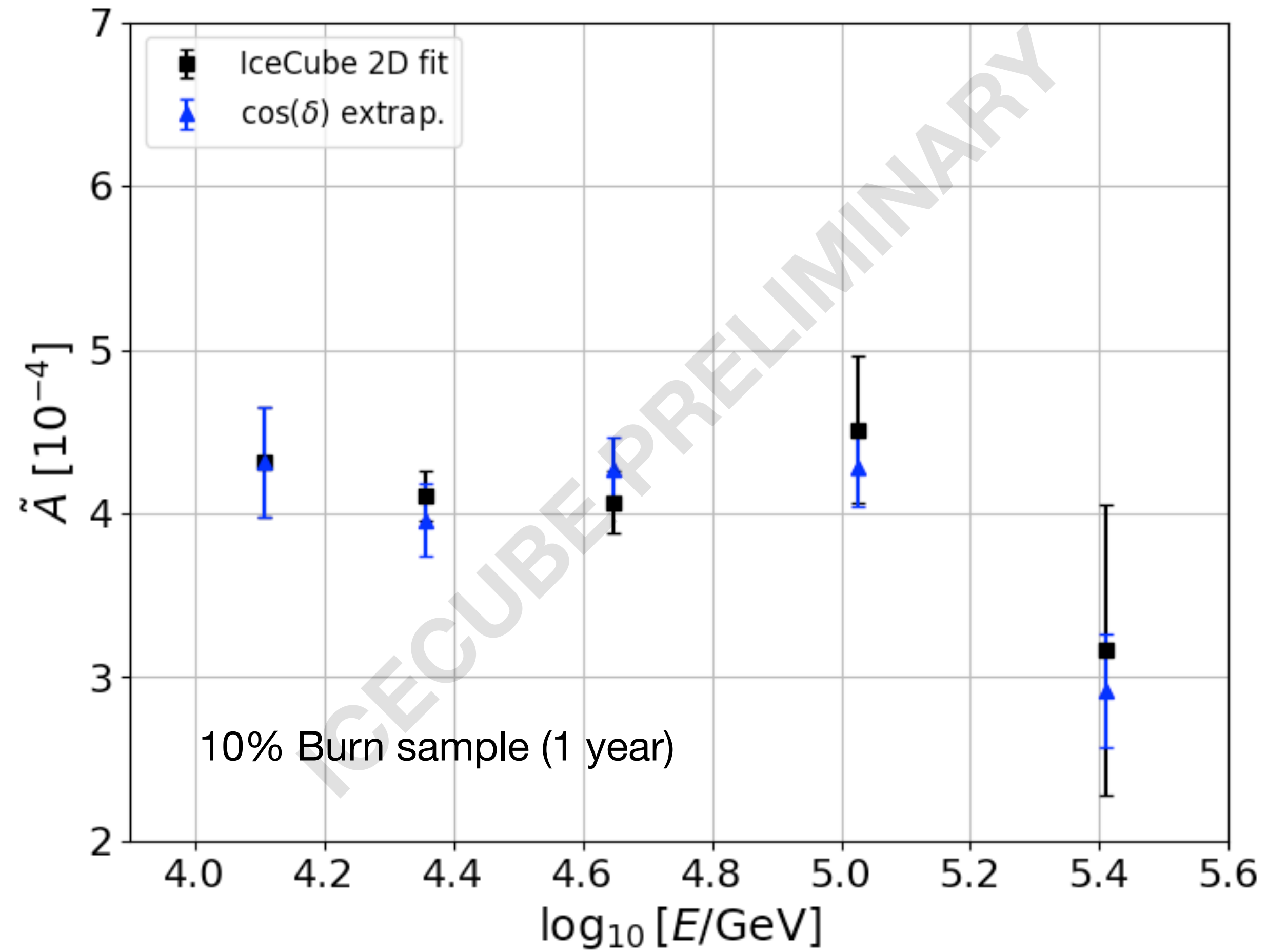


$Y = 2.2679$
 correcting projection 23.5° :
 $Y = 2.6539$

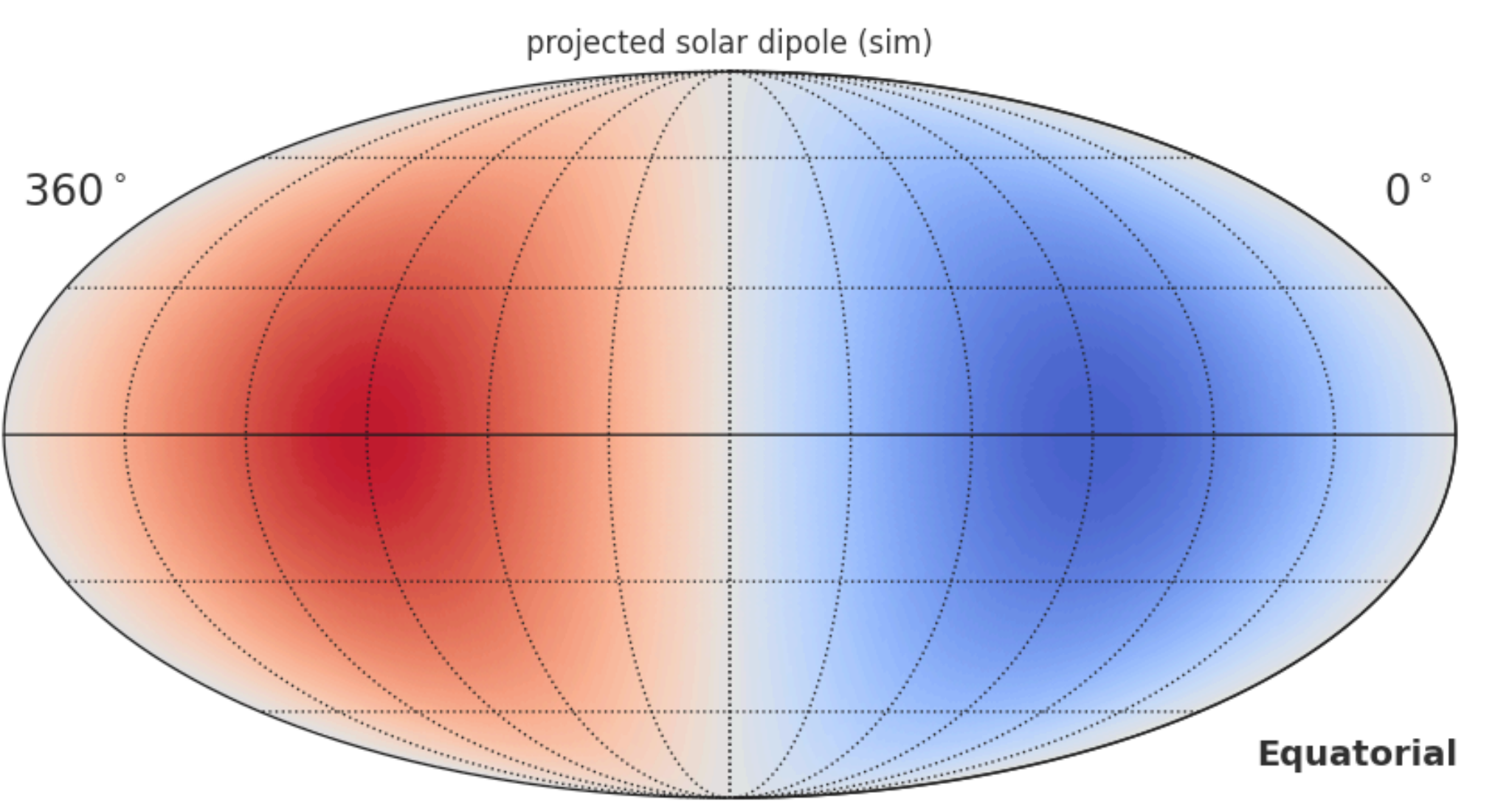
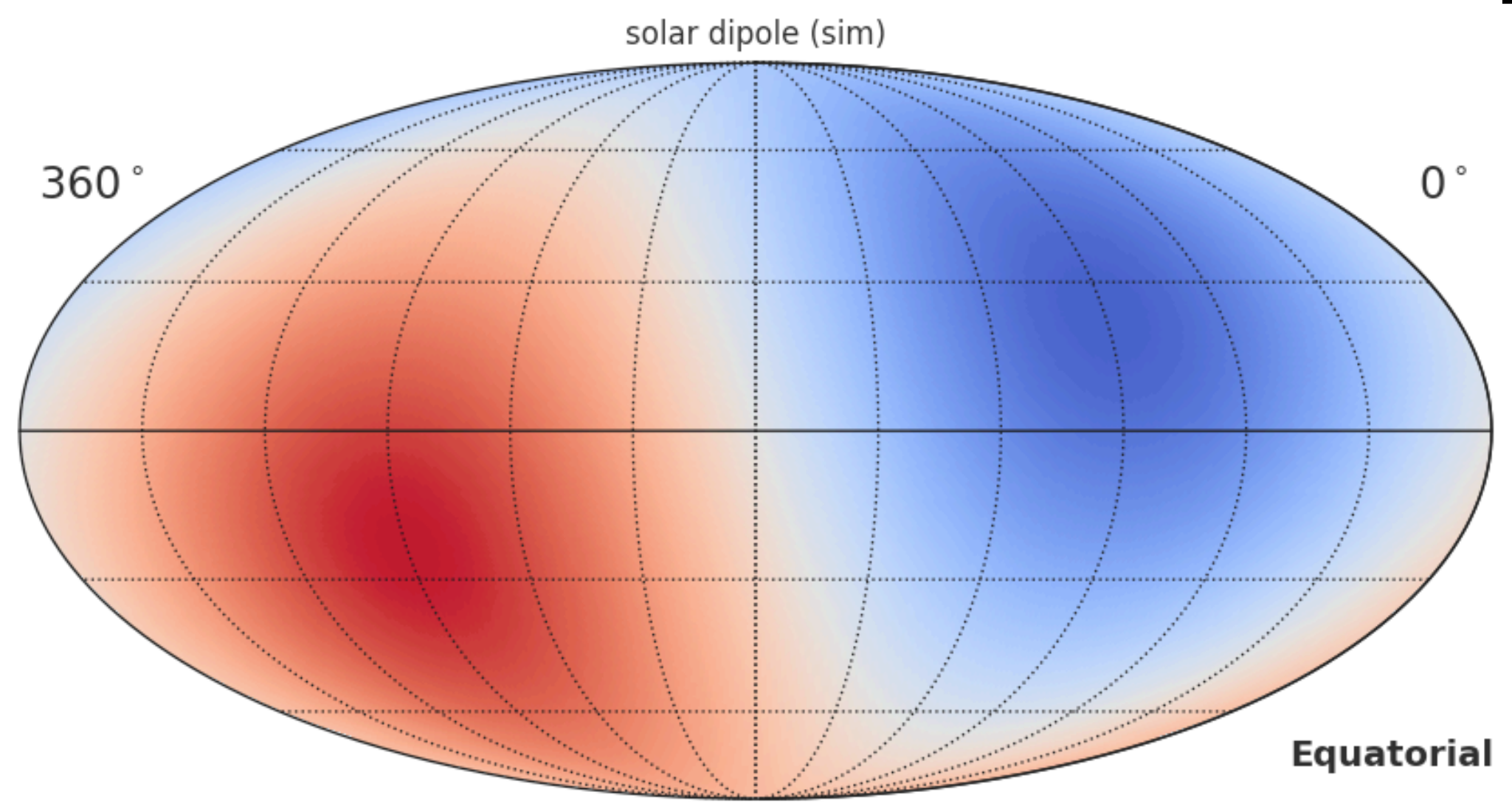
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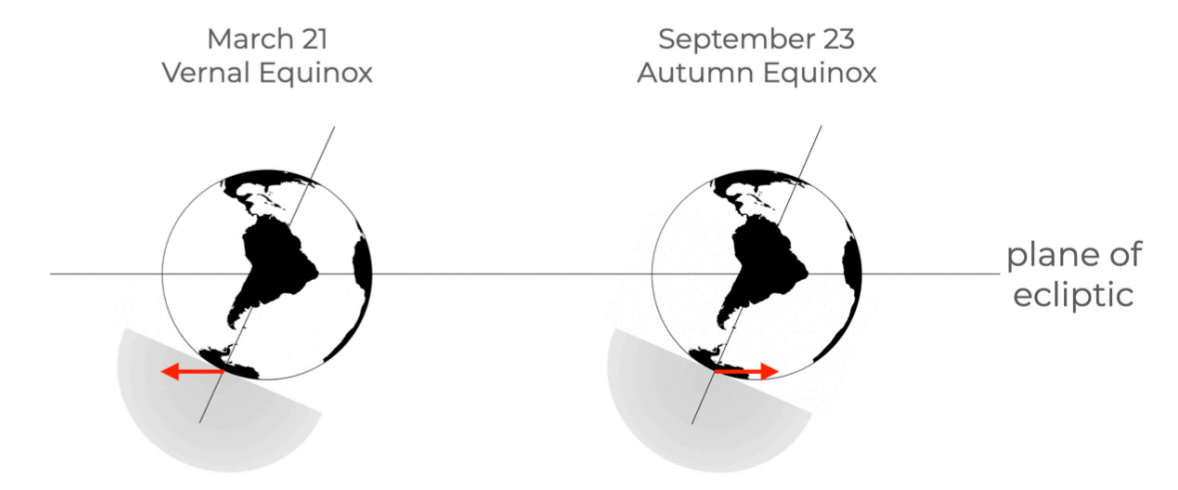
Energy bins from 12-year Anisotropy Study



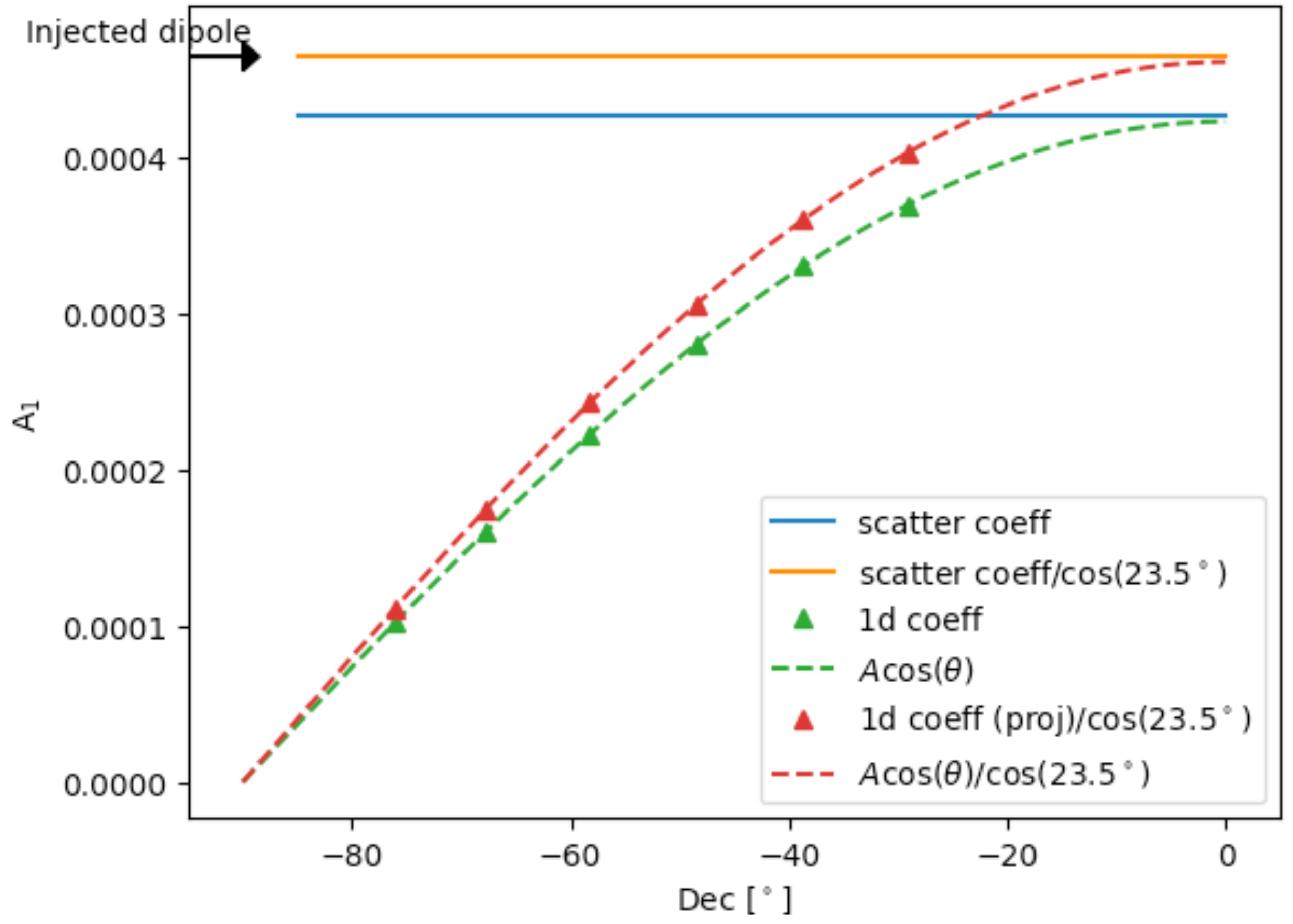
Equatorial Projection Bias



Correct for projection bias
(dipole tilt is known)
23.5047°

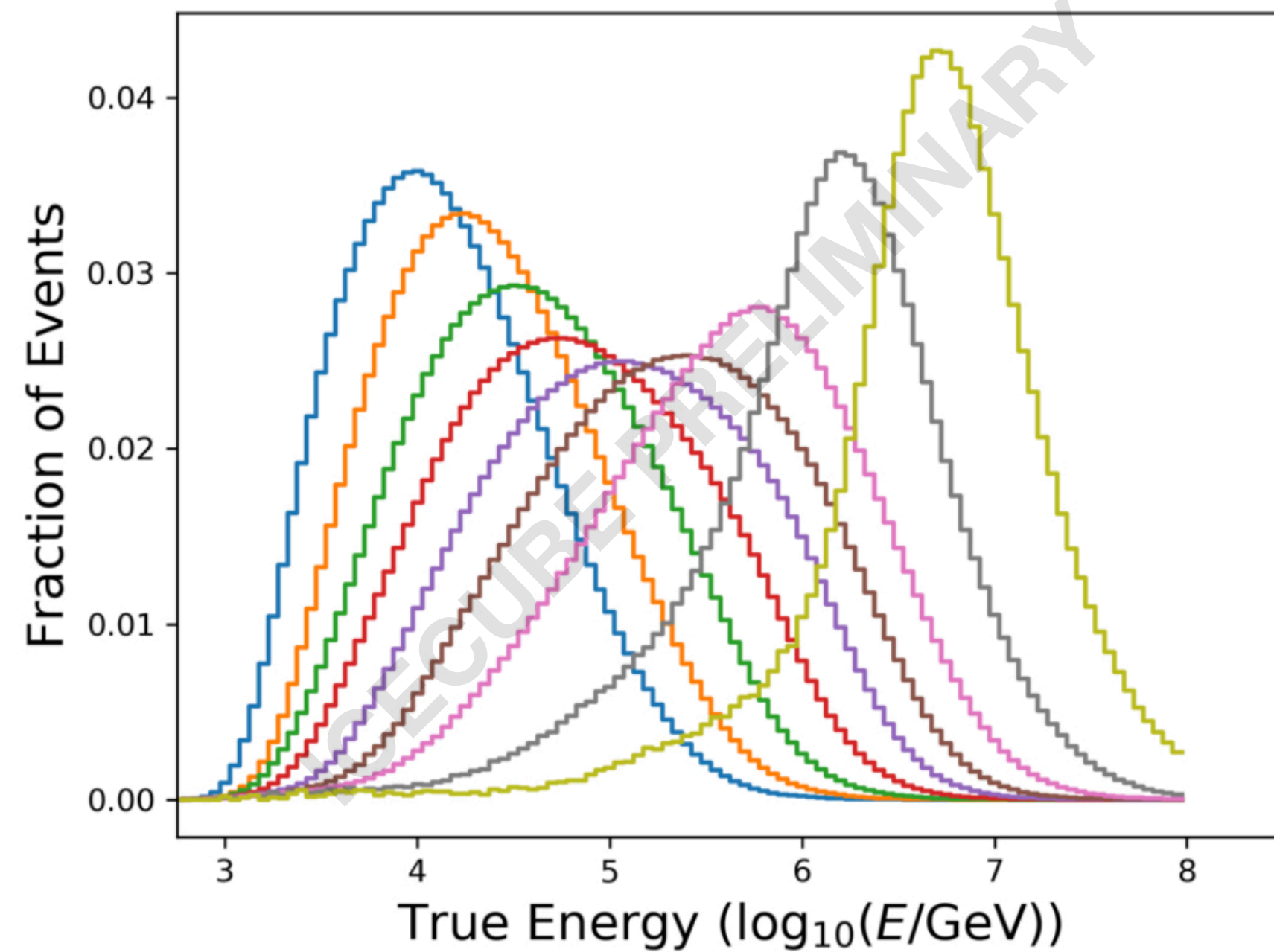


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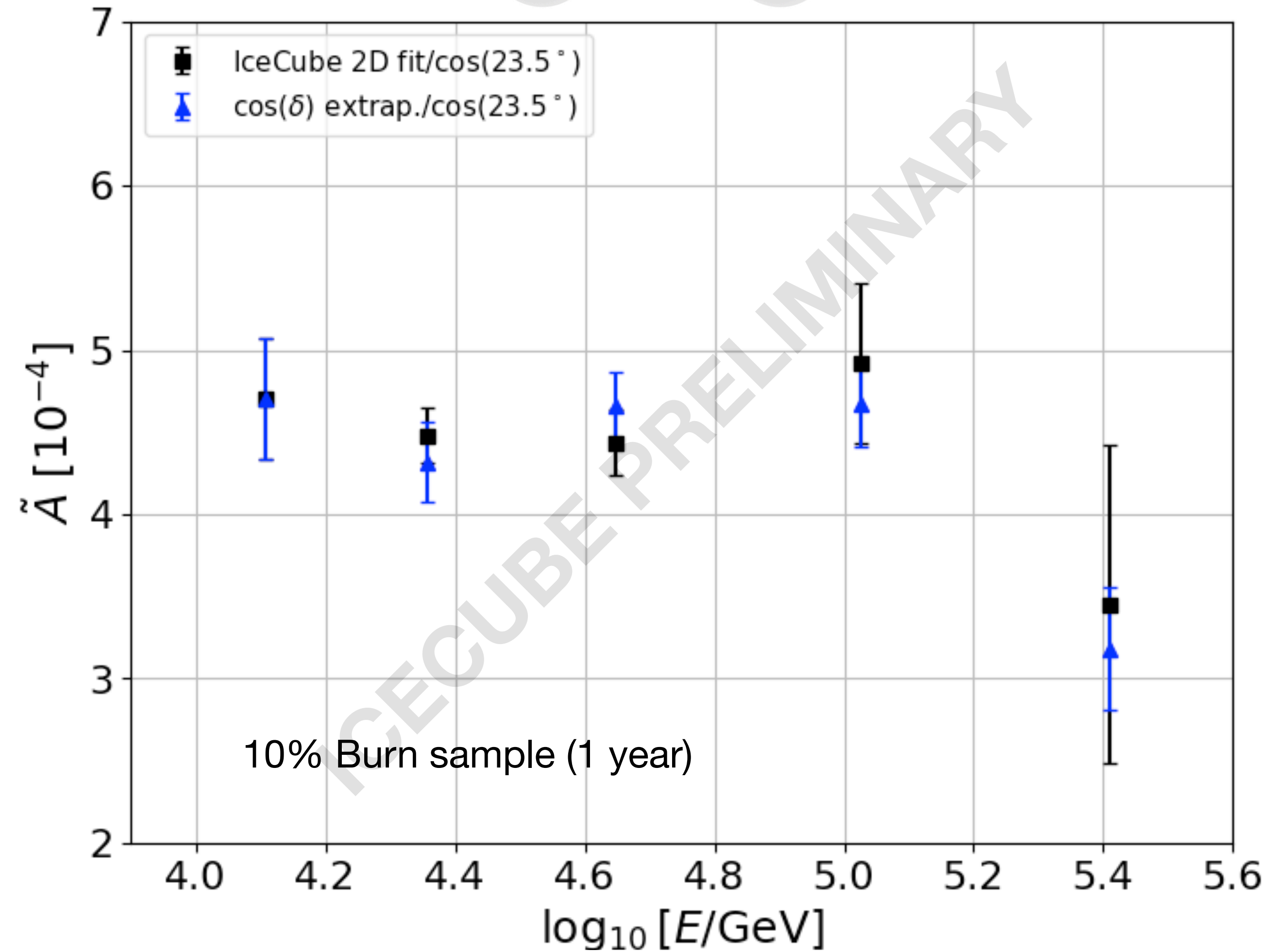
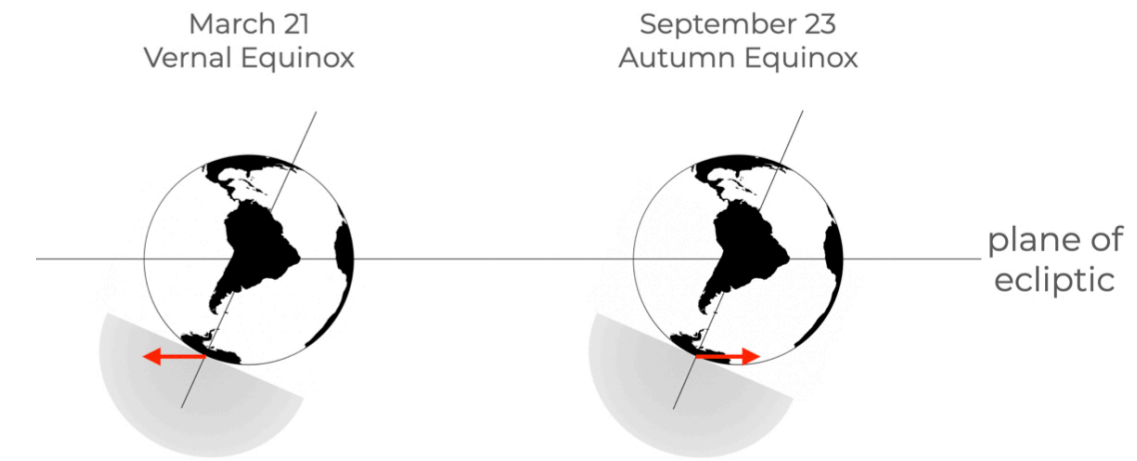


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Bias from Yearly modulation of sidereal anisotropy

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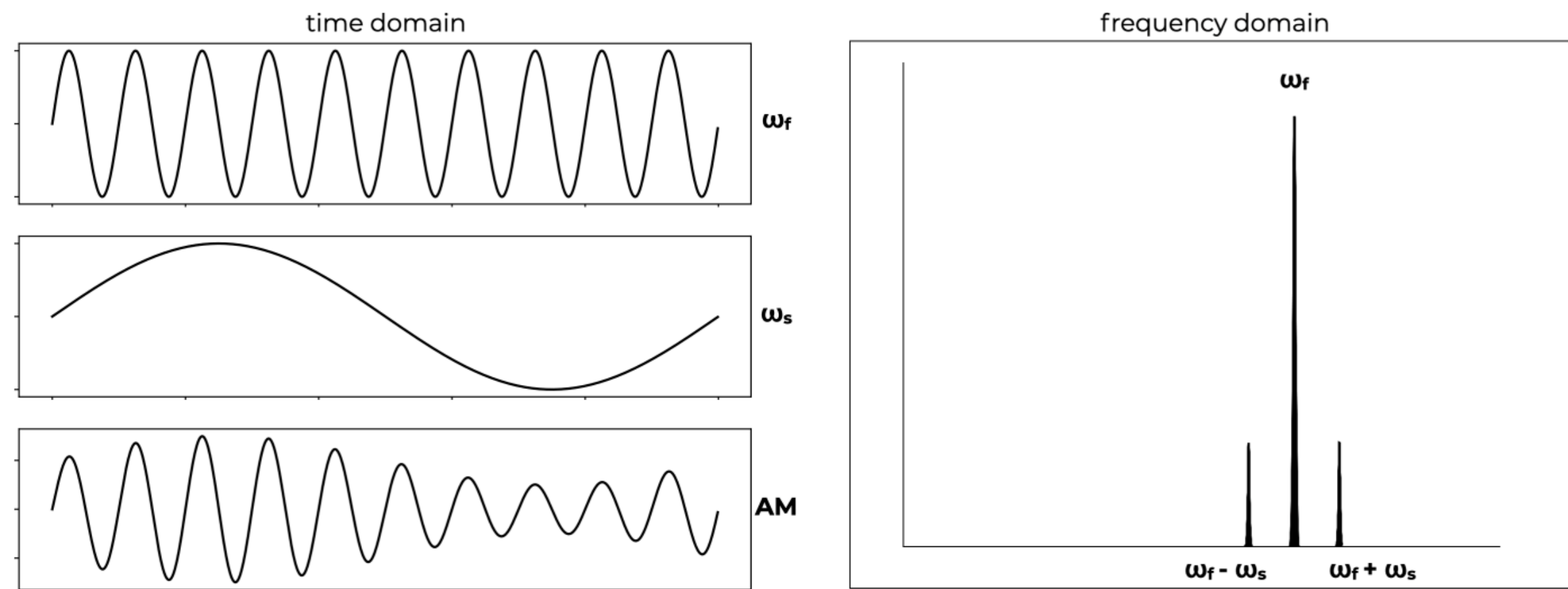


Figure 1: *Left:* a carrier wave with frequency ω_f modulated by a wave with frequency $\omega_s < \omega_f$ produces an amplitude modulated (AM) wave in time domain. *Right:* the AM wave decomposition in frequency domain, with the carrier frequency surrounded by side-bands with frequencies $\omega_f \pm \omega_s$.

extended-sidereal distribution is produced by a **yearly modulation** of the sidereal-dipole amplitude

and it **deforms** the solar distribution

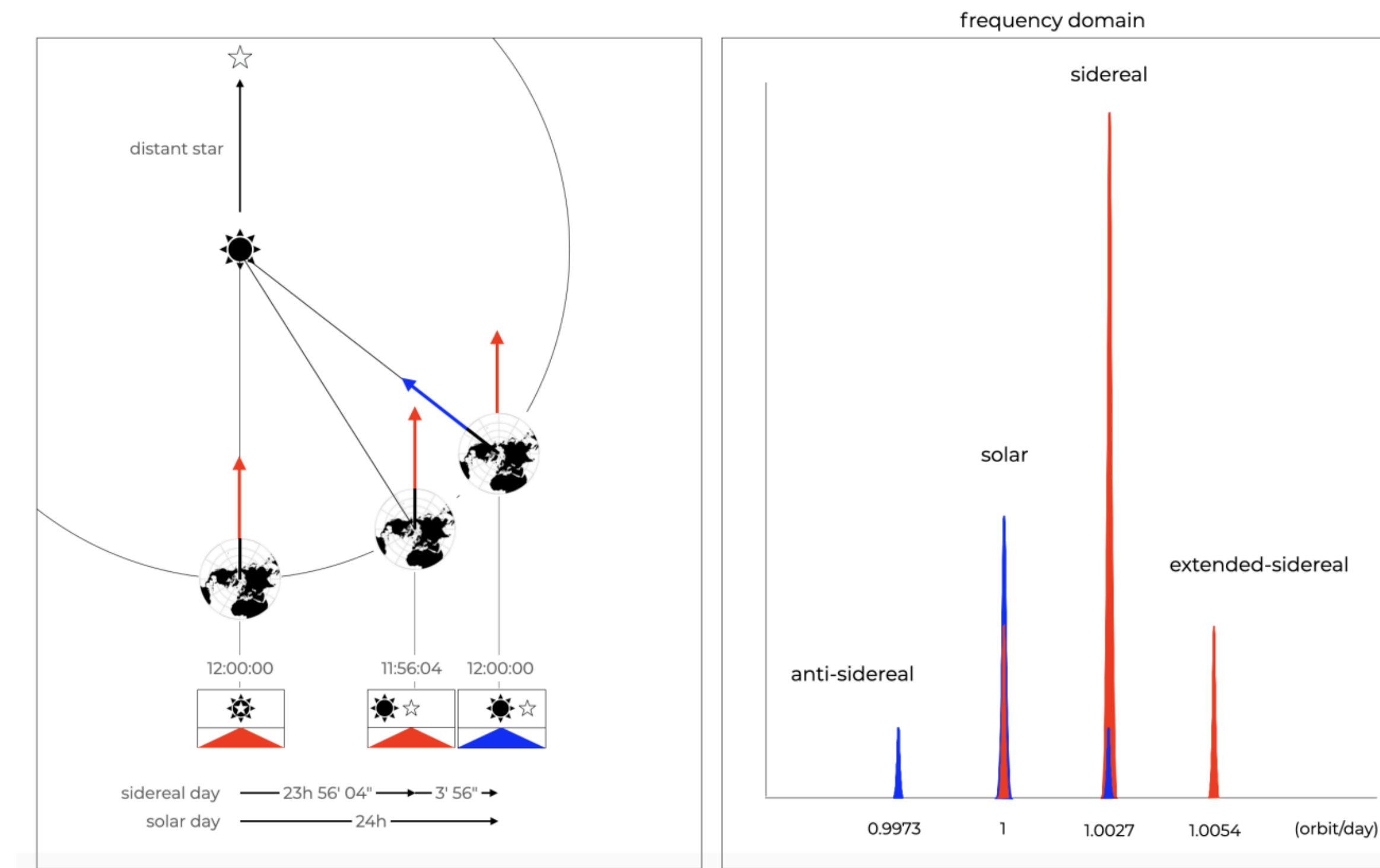


Figure 2: *Left:* the sidereal time with respect to solar time. Time starts at 12:00:00 on the local meridian with the Sun at the same location as a distant star. Then, as the Earth revolves around the Sun, the sidereal time zero point stays fixed in the celestial sky while the solar time's reference point moves away.

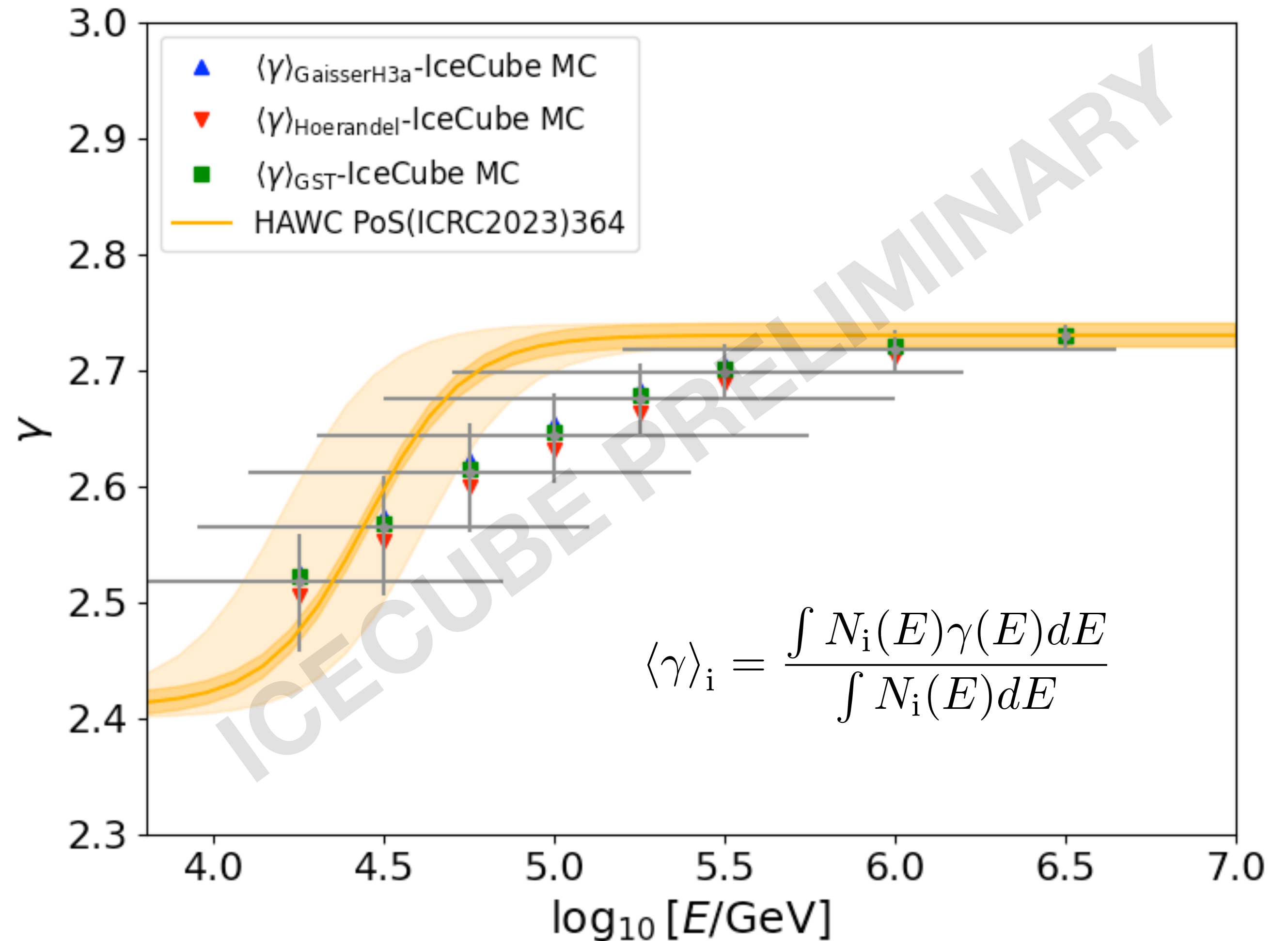
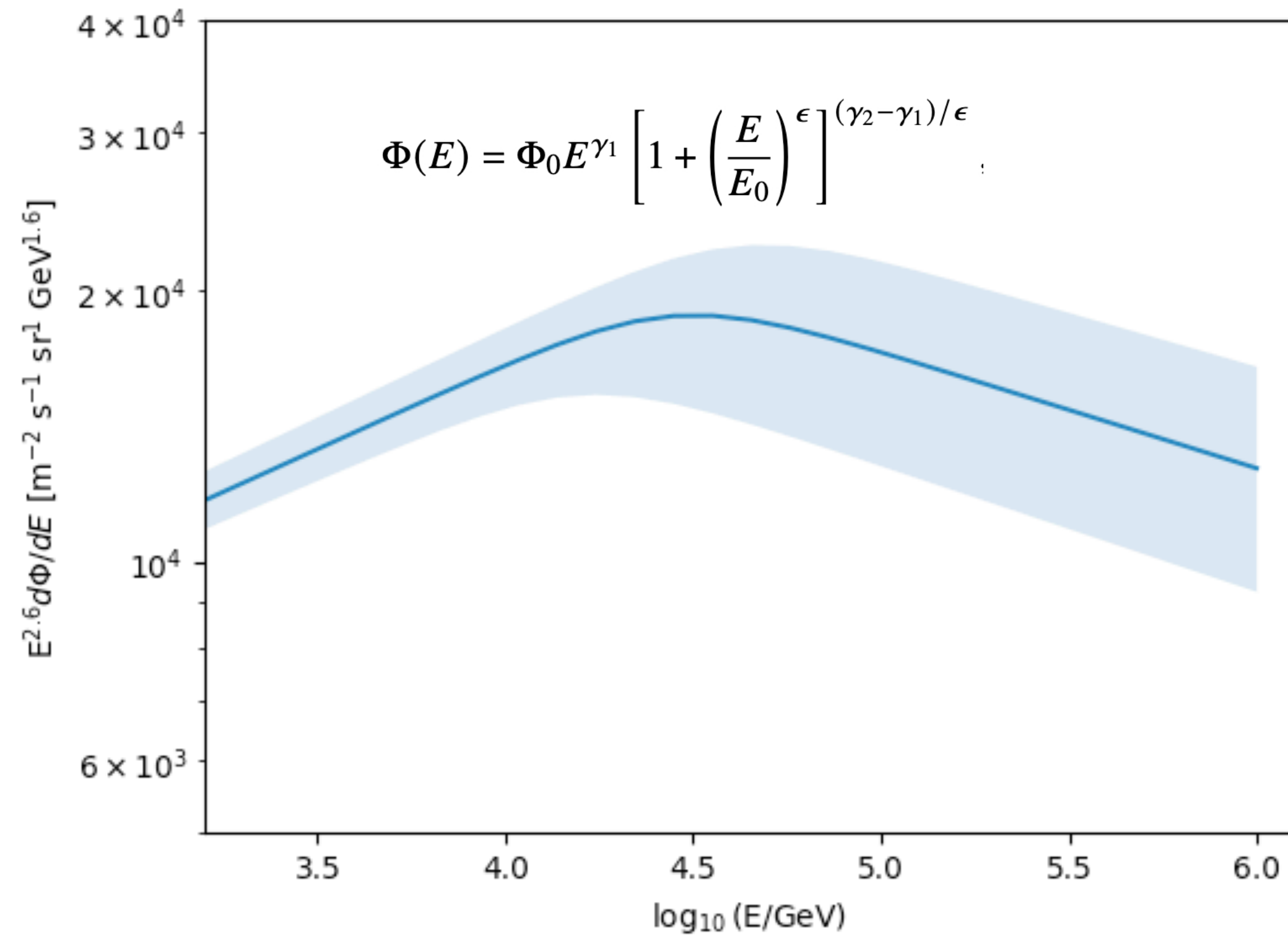
HAWC measurements on the total energy spectrum of cosmic rays

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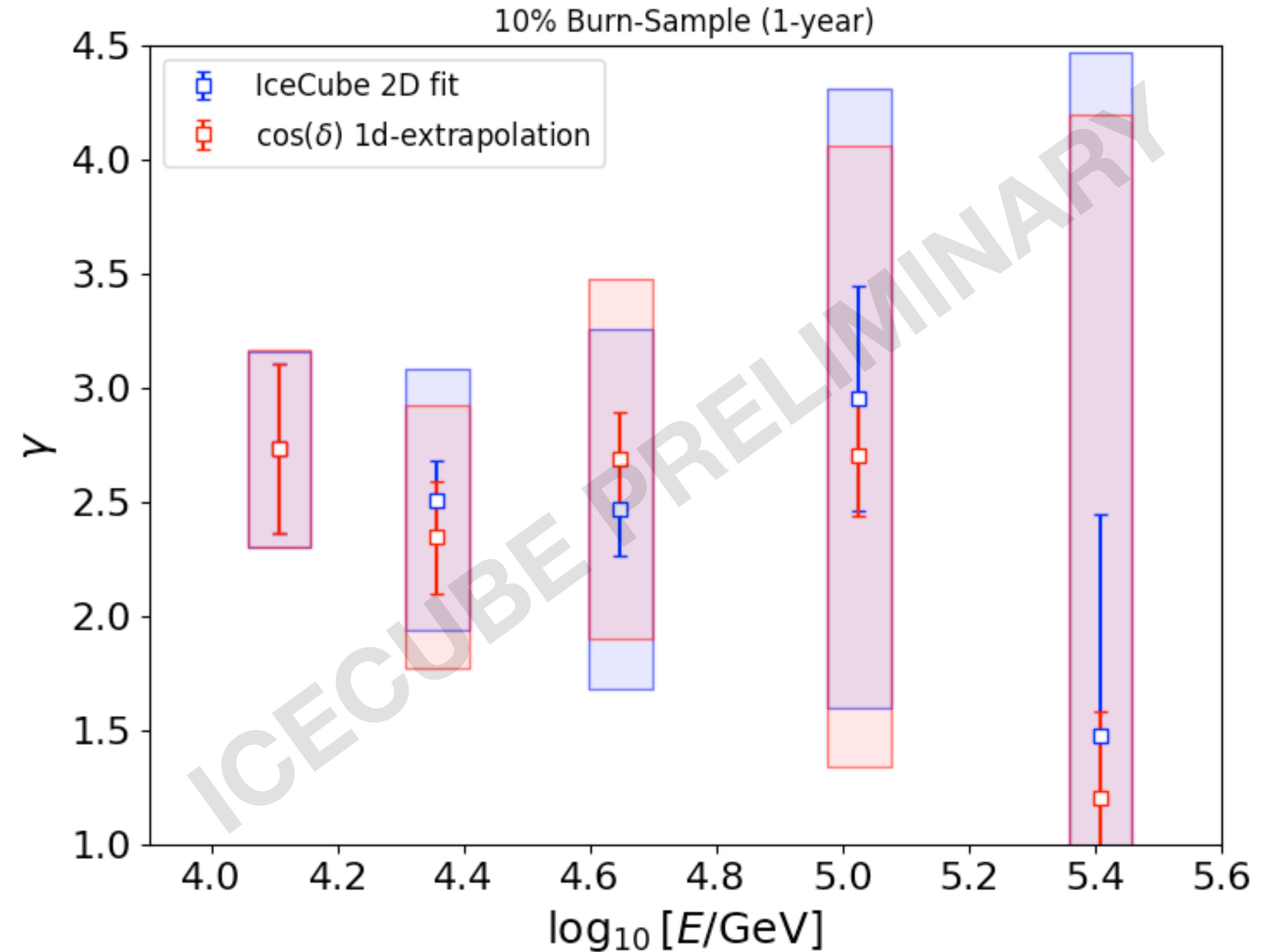
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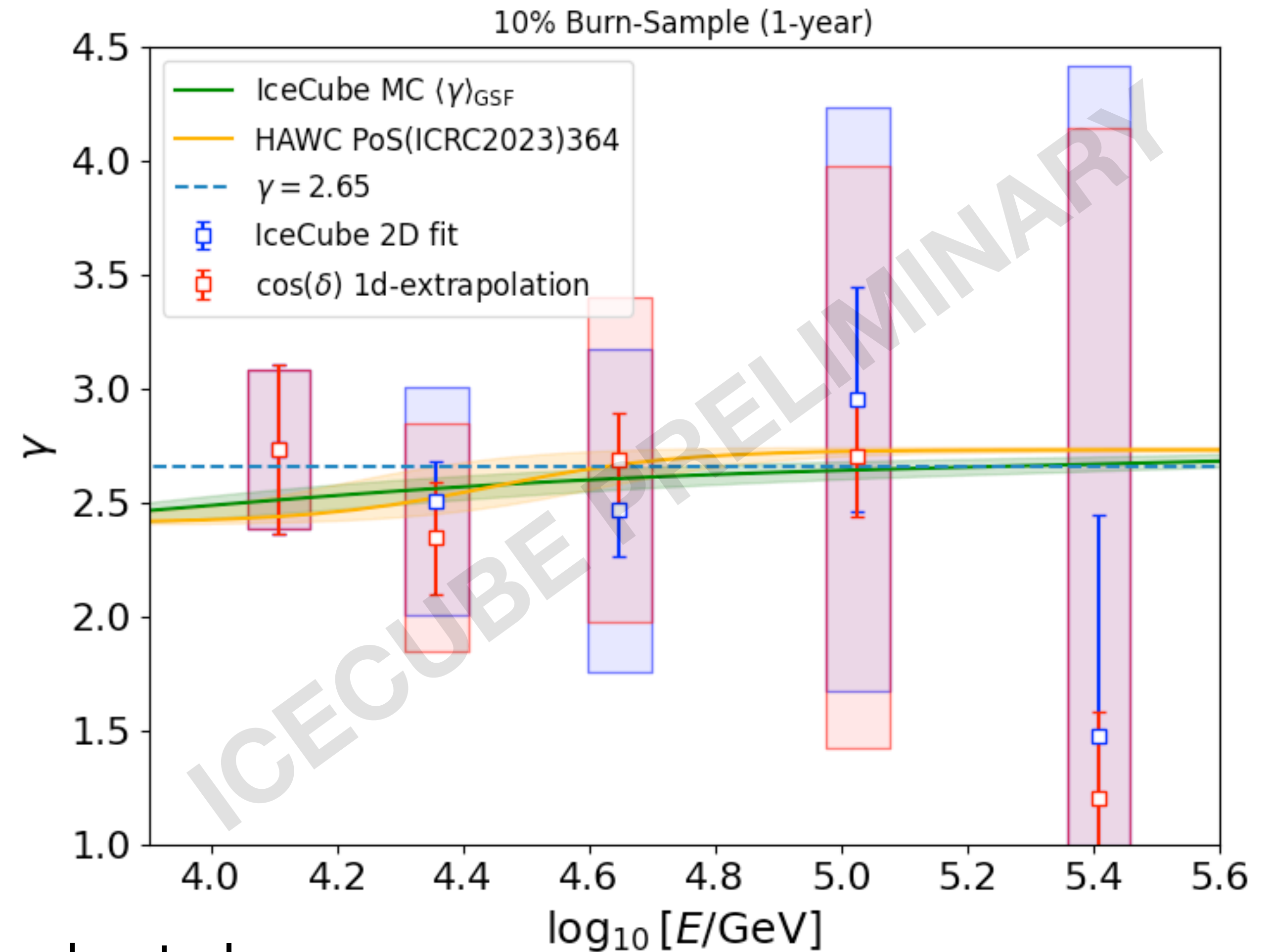


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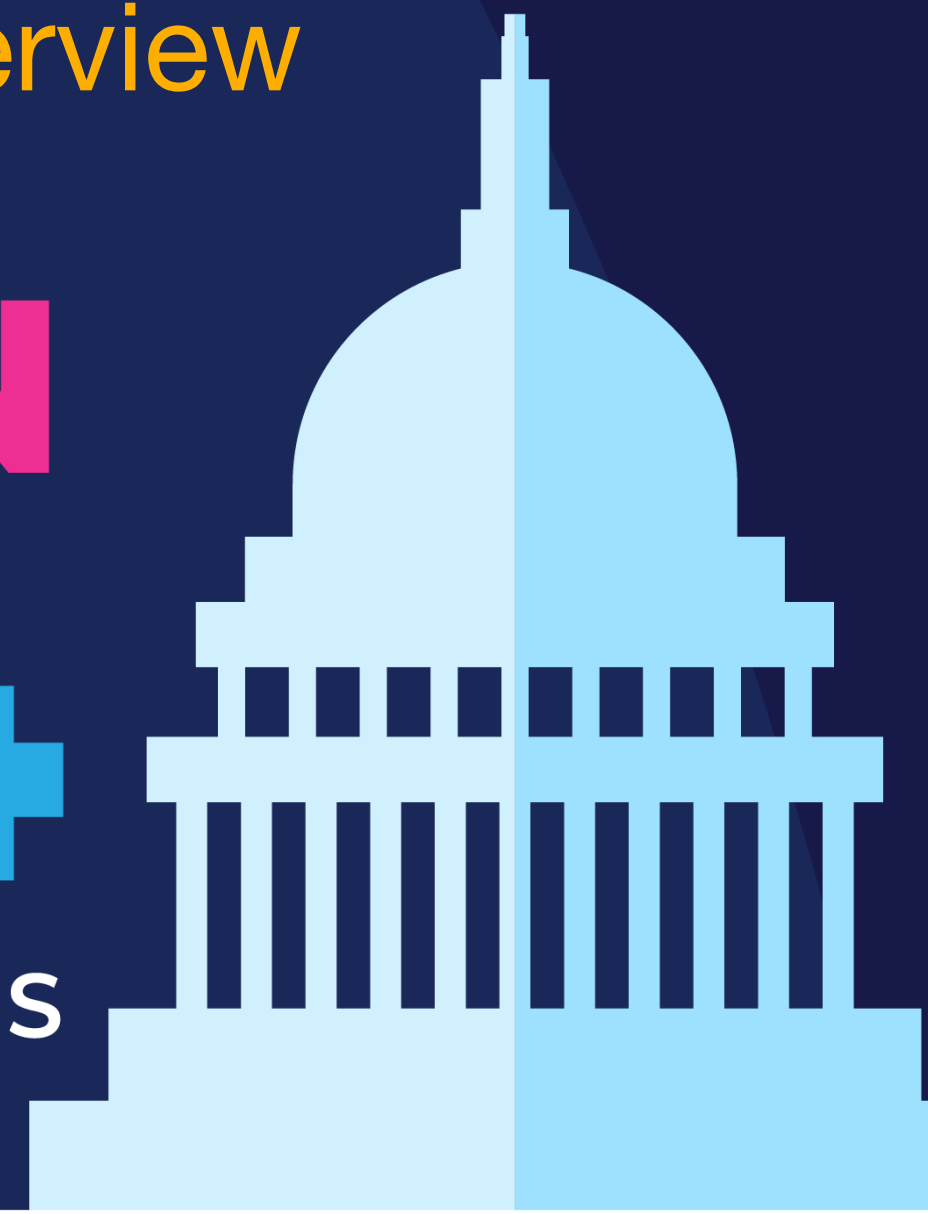
Conclusions

- Applied quality cuts to improve angular reconstruction
- Measured the solar dipole amplitude for different energy bins using a 10% burn sample
- Derived the corresponding spectral index from Compton-Getting formula.
- Data are consistent with both, single and broken power law scenarios due to large uncertainties
- Statistical uncertainties will decrease with 10x data with full 12-year sample
- Systematic uncertainties:
 - Uncertainties on amplitude and phase of extended-sidereal distribution (should also decrease with more statistics).
 - Variation of Earth's orbital speed due to eccentricity.

<https://events.icecube.wisc.edu/event/183/overview>

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Science Goals

The symposium aims to investigate the long-standing mystery surrounding the origin of cosmic rays within our galaxy. This event will bring together renowned experts to discuss both experimental and theoretical aspects of cosmic ray physics, with a particular emphasis on galactic sources.

Despite ongoing research, the question of where cosmic rays originate within the Milky Way remains unanswered. The symposium will host a number of invited speakers who are experts in various aspects of galactic multi-messenger astrophysics.

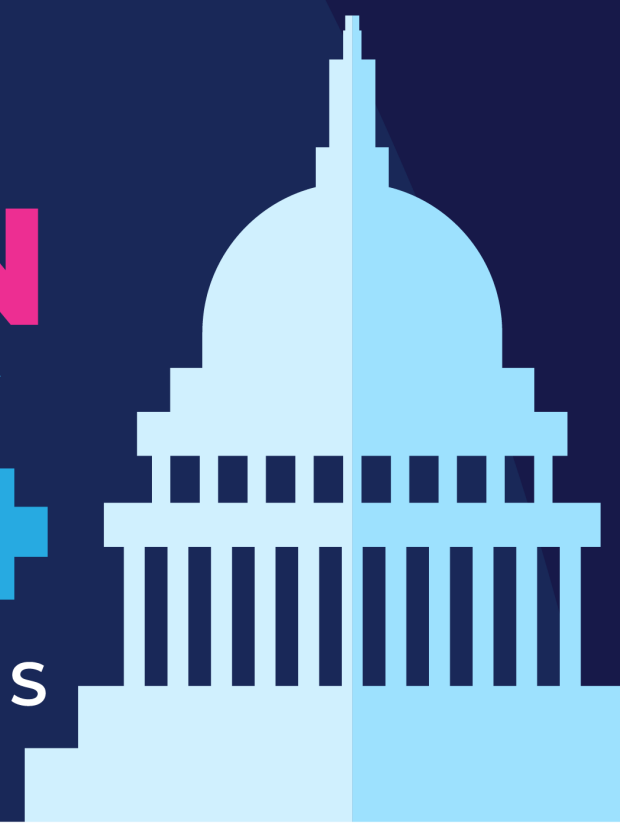
Furthermore, two dedicated discussion panels will provide opportunities for open discussion. One panel will delve into the current status and challenges of multi-messenger observations and theoretical modeling. The other will address the future of observations and instrumentation required to make a breakthrough in our understanding of the galactic origin of cosmic rays.

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- Kazumasa Kawata (University of Tokyo, Japan)
- John F. Krizmanic (NASA, U.S.A.)
- Tim Linden (Stockholm University, Sweden)
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- Ellen Zweibel (University of Wisconsin - Madison, U.S.A.)

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- Panel on the Current Status of Multimessenger Astrophysics
 - Petra Huentermeyer (Michigan Technological University, U.S.A.)
 - Andrii Neronov (Ecole Polytechnique Federale de Lausanne, Switzerland)
 - Justin Vandenbroucke (University of Wisconsin - Madison, U.S.A.)
- Panel on the Future of Multimessenger Astrophysics
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 - Kotha Murase (Penn State University, U.S.A.)
 - Eli Waxman (Weizmann Institute of Science, Israel)

Thank you