



# Spectrum & Radiative Acceleration of Expanding Pair Fireball

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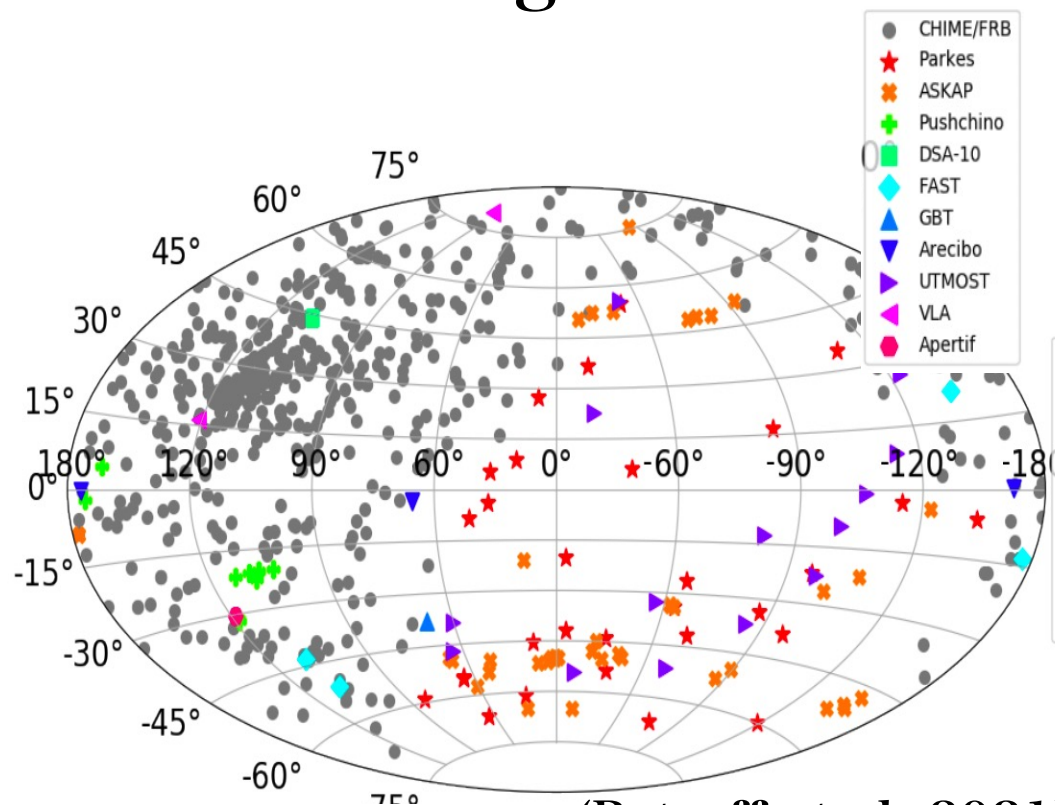
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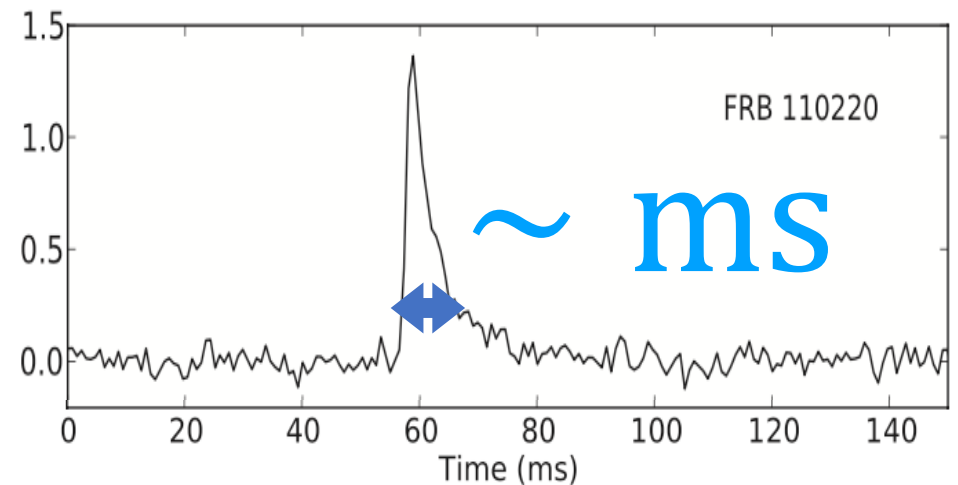
# Fast Radio Burst

## Brightest radio transient in the universe!

- Short Duration  $\Delta t \sim \mathcal{O}(\text{ms})$
- Radio Band 150 MHz – 8 GHz
- Bright  $L \sim 10^{41} \text{ erg s}^{-1}$
- Cosmological  $D_L \sim 4 \text{ Mpc} - z \sim 2$



(Petroff et al. 2021)



(Thornton et al. 2013)

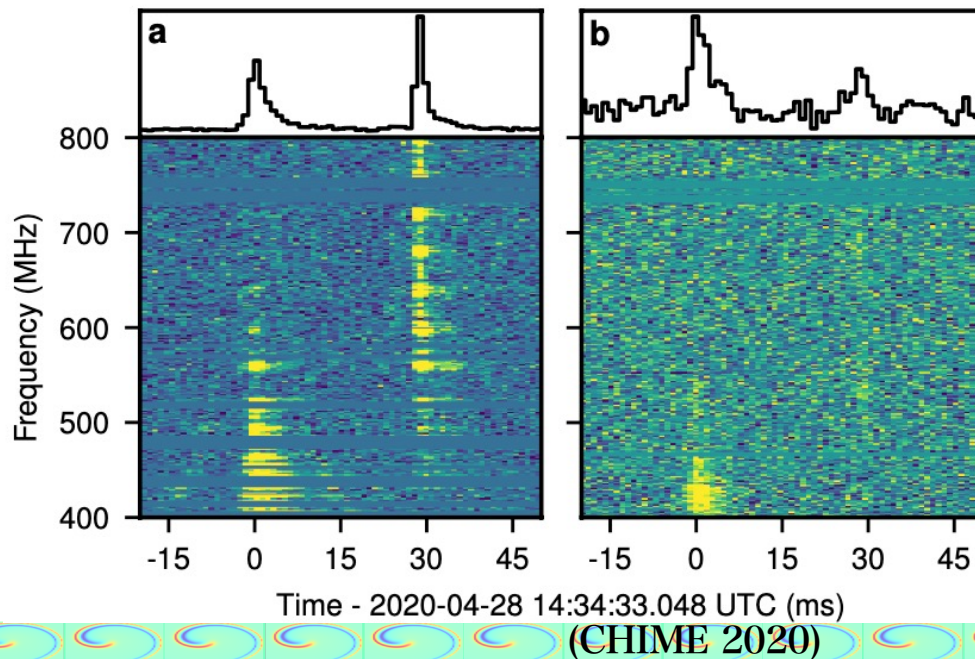
# FRB 20200428A

FRB & X-ray short burst from  
a galactic magnetar SGR 1935+2154!

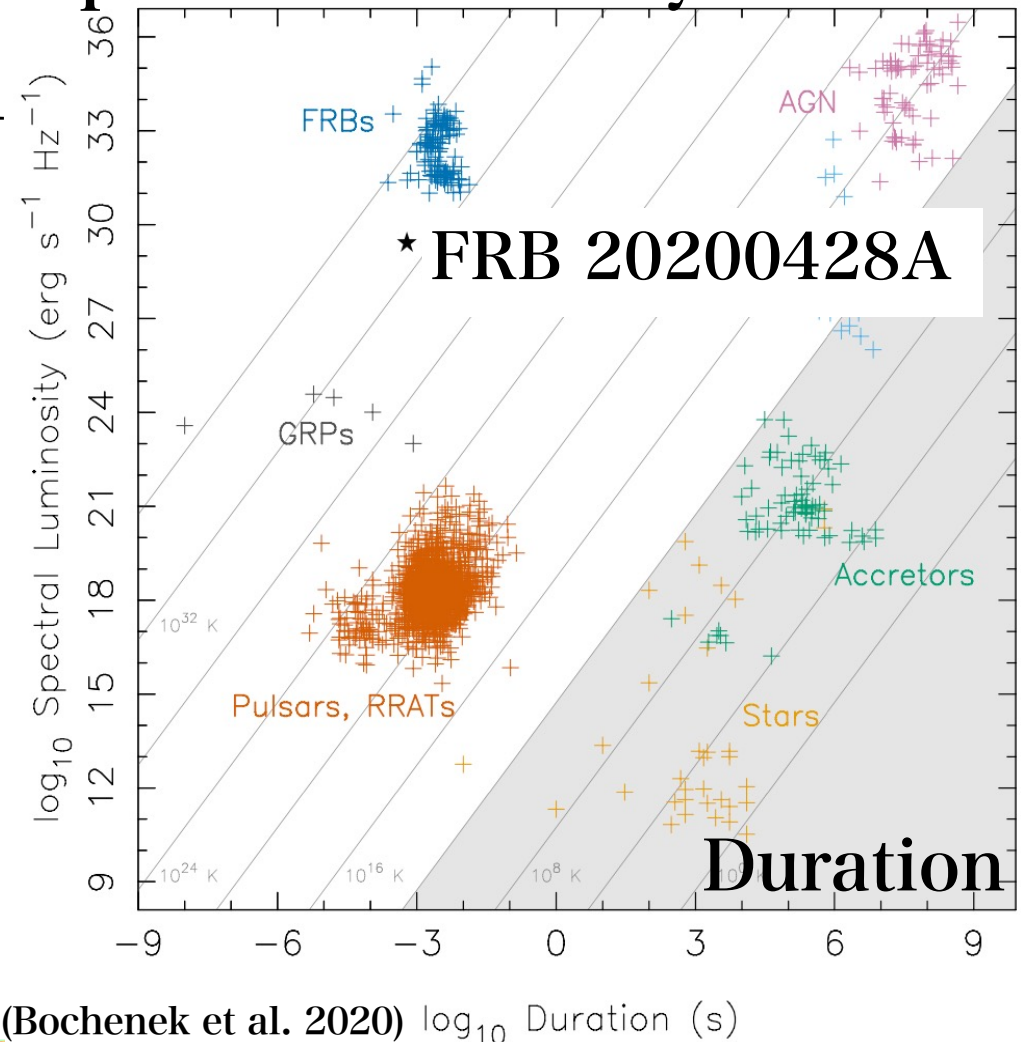
FRB luminosity

$$L_{\text{FRB}} \sim 10^{38} \text{ erg s}^{-1}$$

Fainter than others

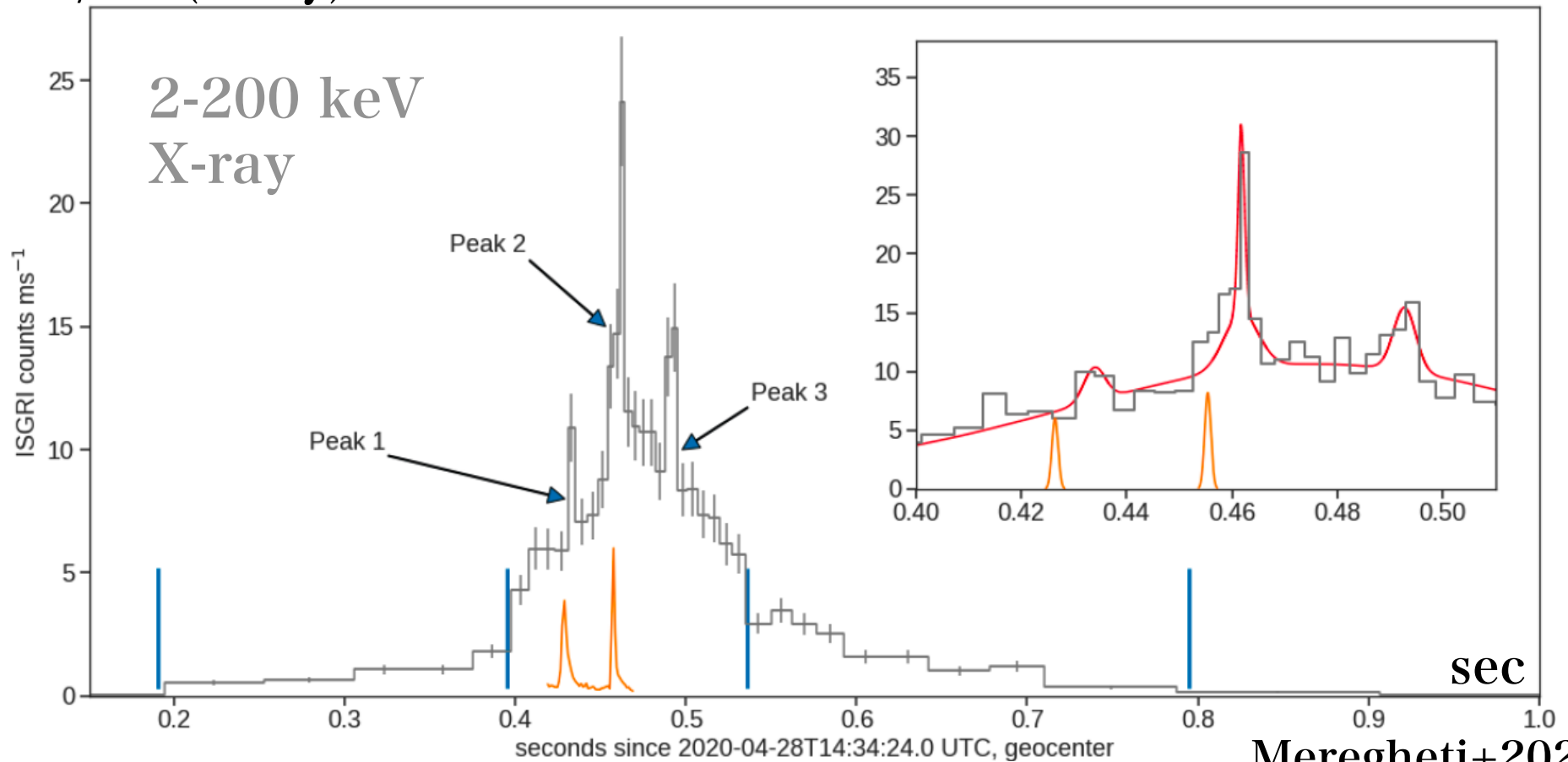


Spectral luminosity



# FRB & X-ray association

count/ms (X-ray)

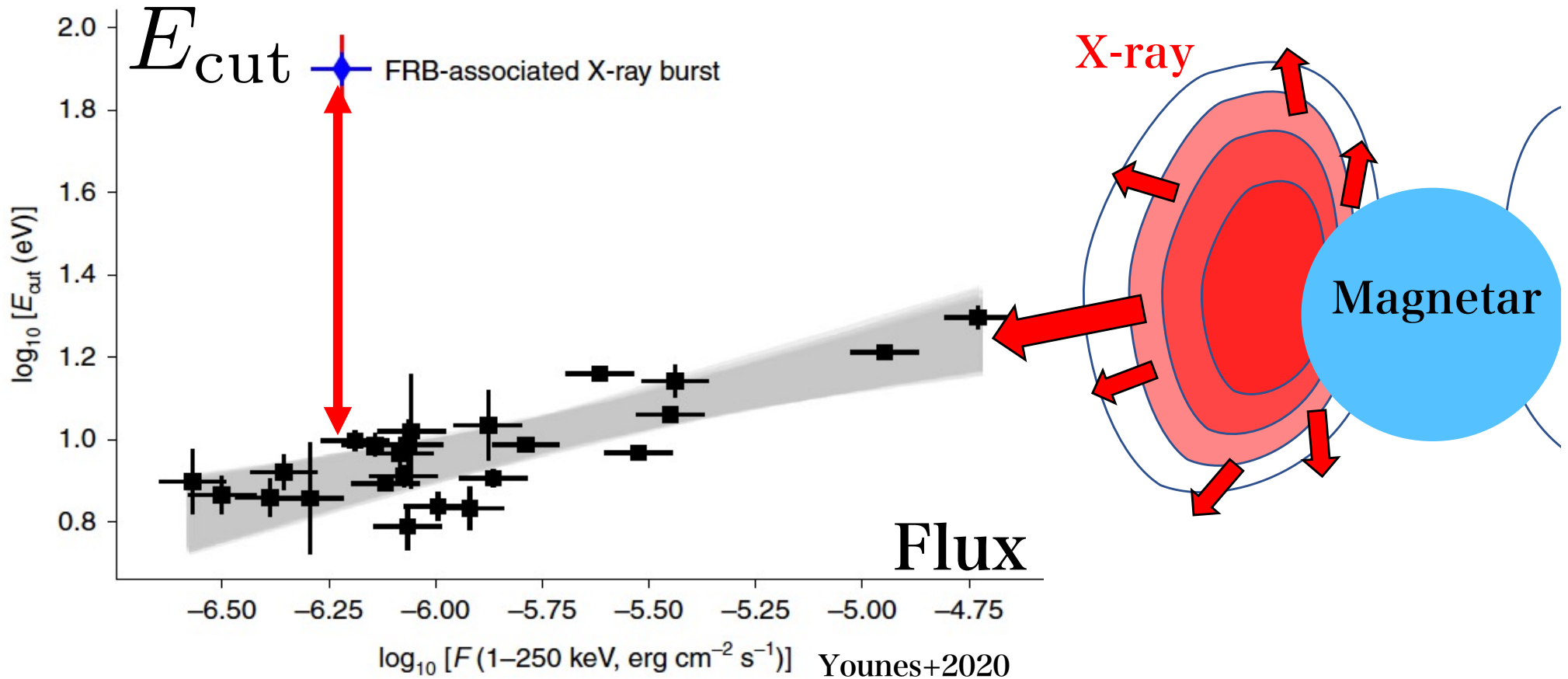


**FRB !!**

Dim FRB & X-ray short burst from galactic magnetar  
(SGR 1935+2154)  
-> Connection between magnetar burst & FRB

# X-ray short burst associated with FRB

High cut-off energy  $E^{-\alpha} \exp(-E/E_{\text{cut}})$



$$E_{\text{cut}} \sim 80 \text{ keV}$$

c.f., Trapped fireball model

$$T_{\text{eff}} \sim 8 \text{ keV } B^{1/3} R_6^{-1/3} g_{*,14}^{1/6}$$



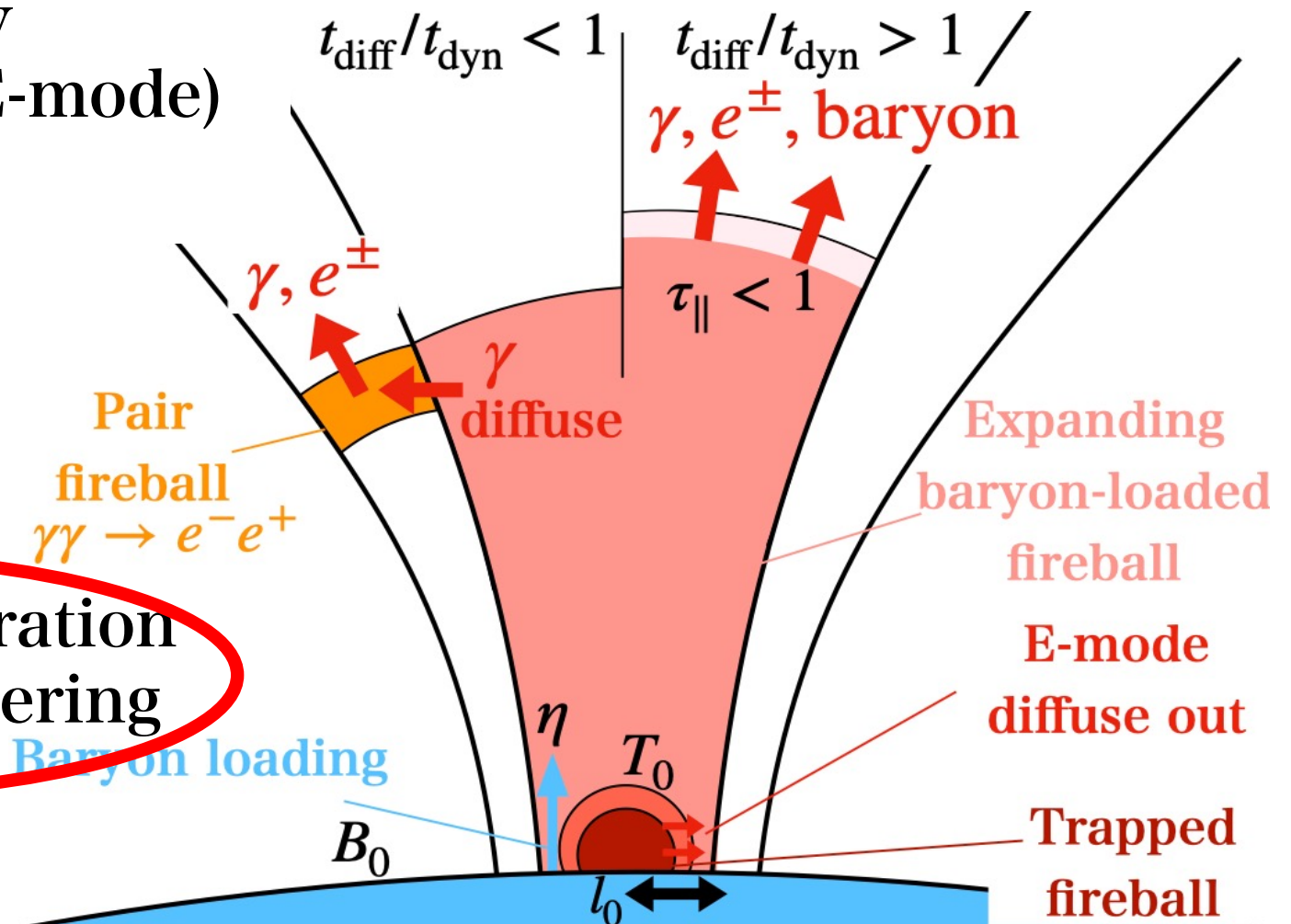
## Fireball expanding along flux tube of a magnetar

1. Strong  $\vec{B}$ 
  - number density
  - cross section (E-mode)

2. Baryon loading

3. Lateral diffusion of photons

4. Radiative acceleration w/resonant scattering



# High-temperature of X-ray & Radio burst

$$E_{\text{cut}} \sim 80 \text{ keV}$$

Relativistic motion  
of outflow

$$\Gamma \propto r^{3/2}$$

$$T \propto r^{-3/2}$$

- Observed temperature

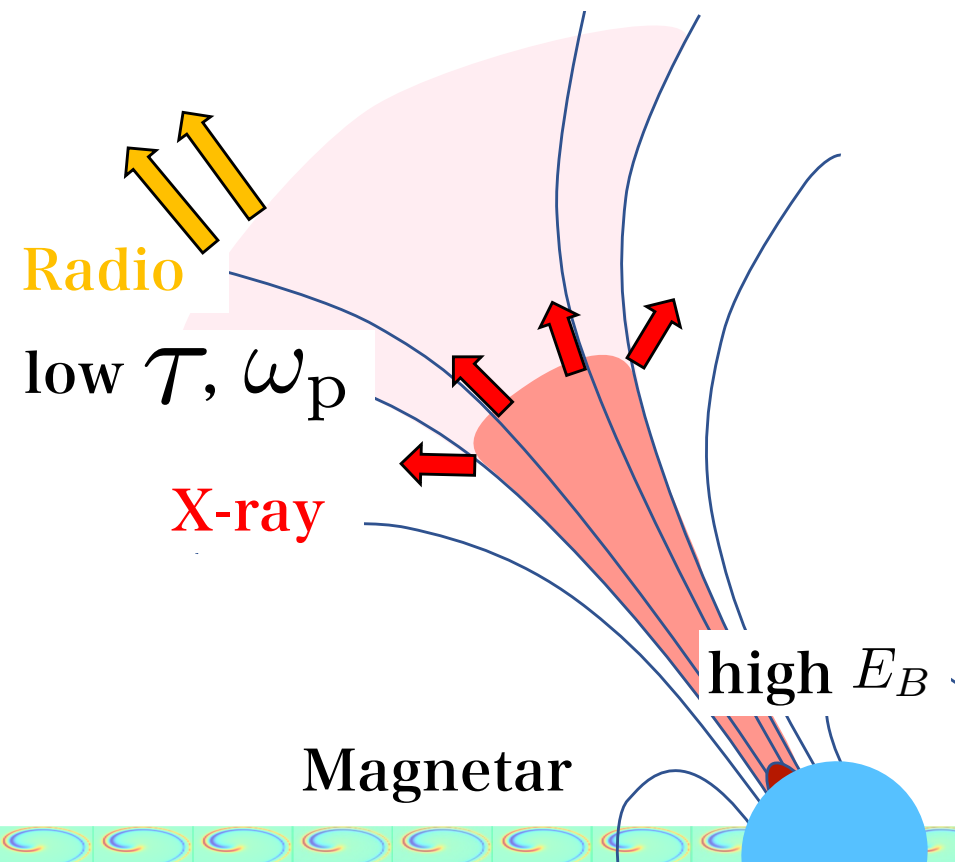
$$T_{\text{obs}} \sim \Gamma T = T_0$$

↑  
Doppler shift

High  $T_{\text{obs}}$  for high initial  $T_0$

$$E_{\text{FRB}} \sim 10^{-3} E_{\text{X}}$$

Kinetic Energy of outflow  
Converted to radio burst  
@ outer region



# Fireball dynamics

Initially (optically thick),  
Fireball acceleration &  
cooling

$$\Gamma \propto r^{3/2}$$

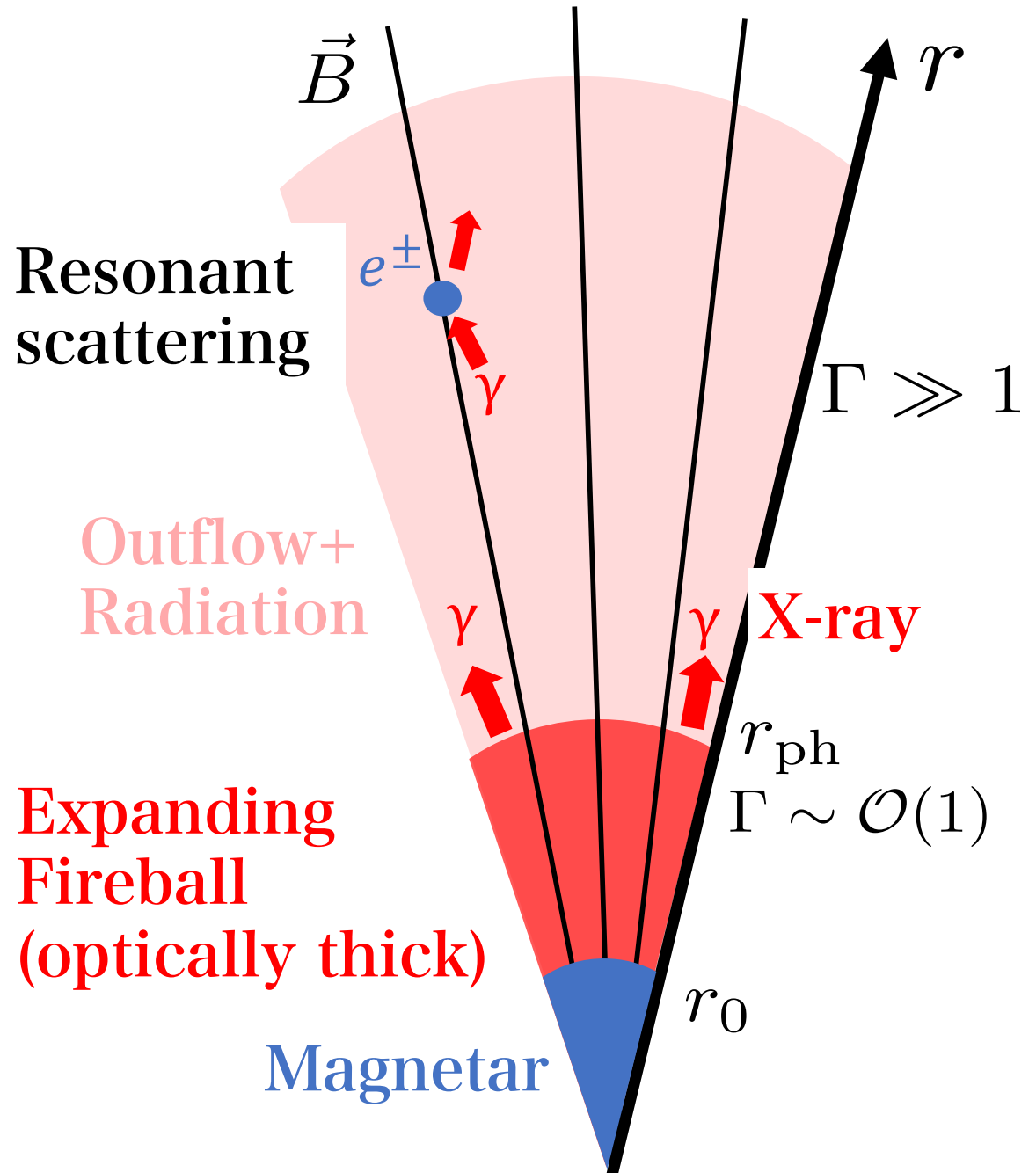
$$T \propto r^{-3/2}$$

$$n \propto \exp\left(-\frac{m_e c^2}{T}\right)$$

In optically thin region  
Radiative force

$$F_{\text{rad}} \propto \frac{\sigma F}{c}$$

$\sigma$  : cross section  
 $F$  : X-ray flux



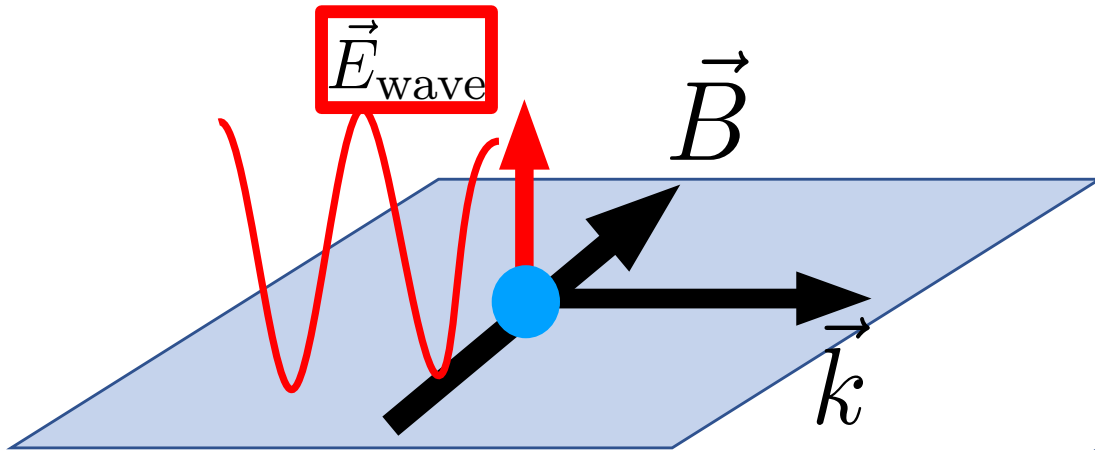


# Normal mode in magnetized pair plasma

There are two modes in magnetized plasma

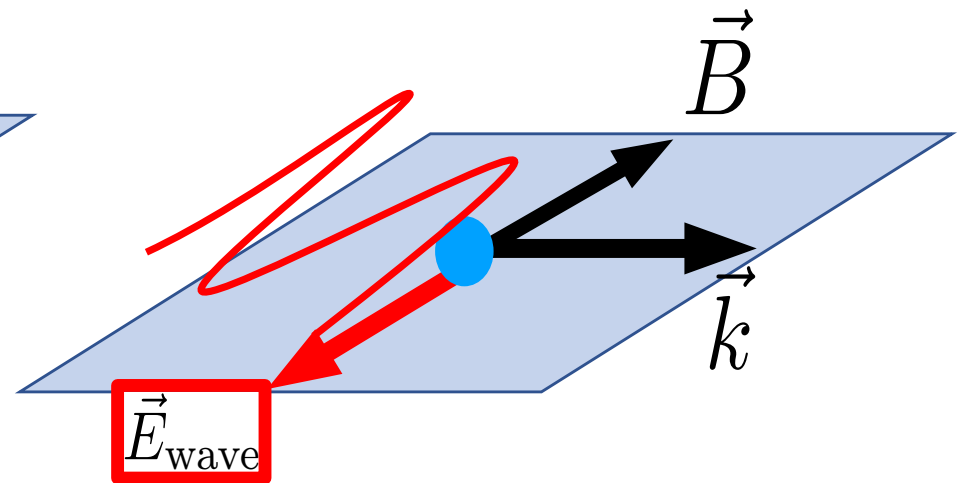
## X-mode

$$\vec{E}_{\text{wave}} \perp (\vec{k} \times \vec{B}_{\text{bg}})$$



## O-mode

$$\vec{E}_{\text{wave}} \text{ in } \vec{k}, \vec{B}_{\text{bg}} \text{ plane}$$



$$\sigma_{\text{E}}(T, B) = \frac{4\pi^2}{5} T^2 B^{-2} \sigma_{\text{T}} < \sigma_{\text{T}}$$

$$\sigma_{\text{O}}(T, B) = \sigma_{\text{T}}$$

# Cross section in magnetized plasma

- **O-mode:**  $\vec{E}_{\text{wave}}$  in  $\vec{k}, \vec{B}_{\text{bg}}$  plane

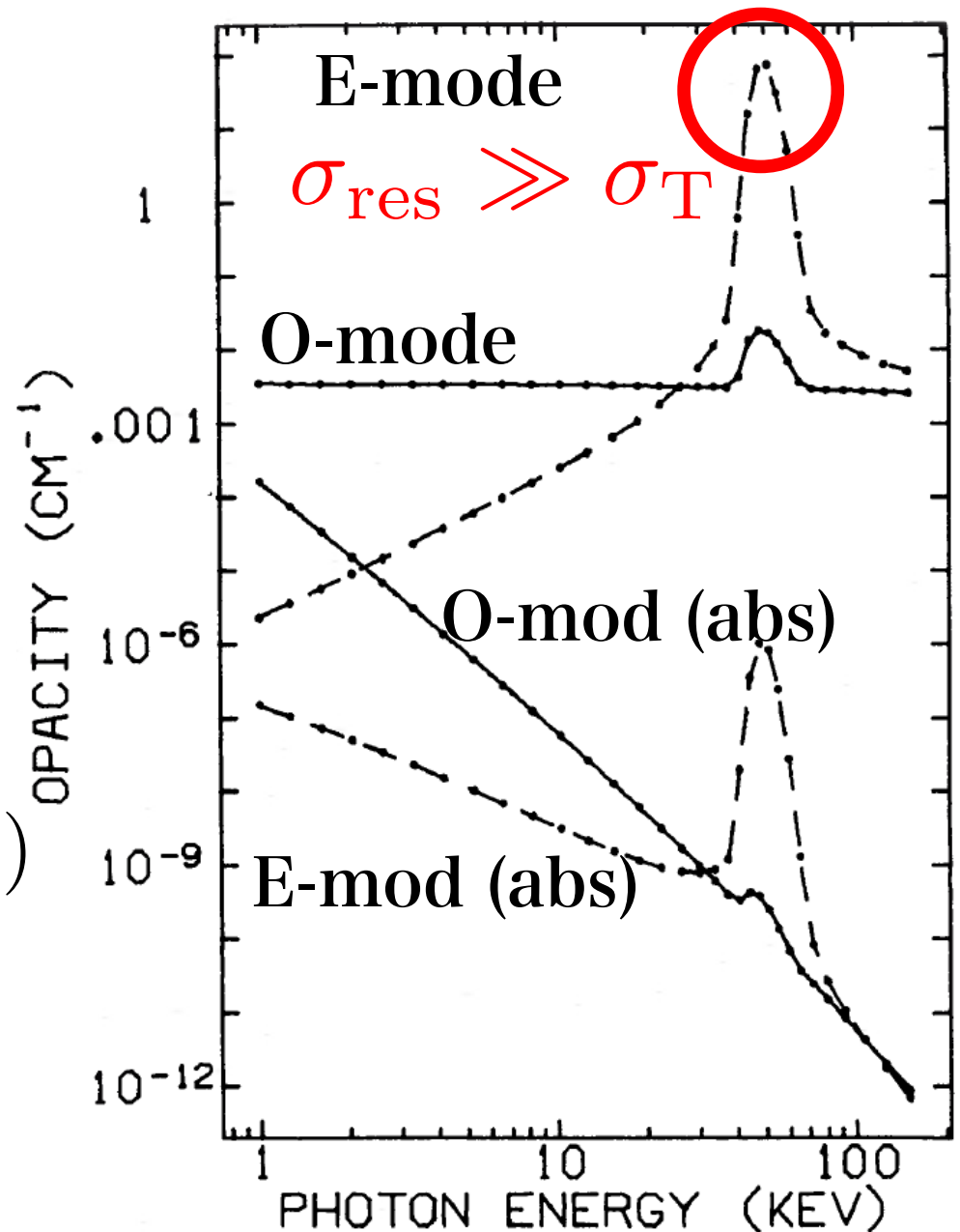
$$\sigma_O \sim \sigma_T$$

- **X-mode:**  $\vec{E}_{\text{wave}} \perp (\vec{k} \times \vec{B}_{\text{bg}})$

$$\sigma_E \sim \sigma_T \times \min(1, \omega^2 / \omega_B^2) + \sigma_{\text{res}} \delta(\omega - \omega_B)$$

Suppression

& **Resonance** @  $\omega_B = \frac{eB}{m_e c}$



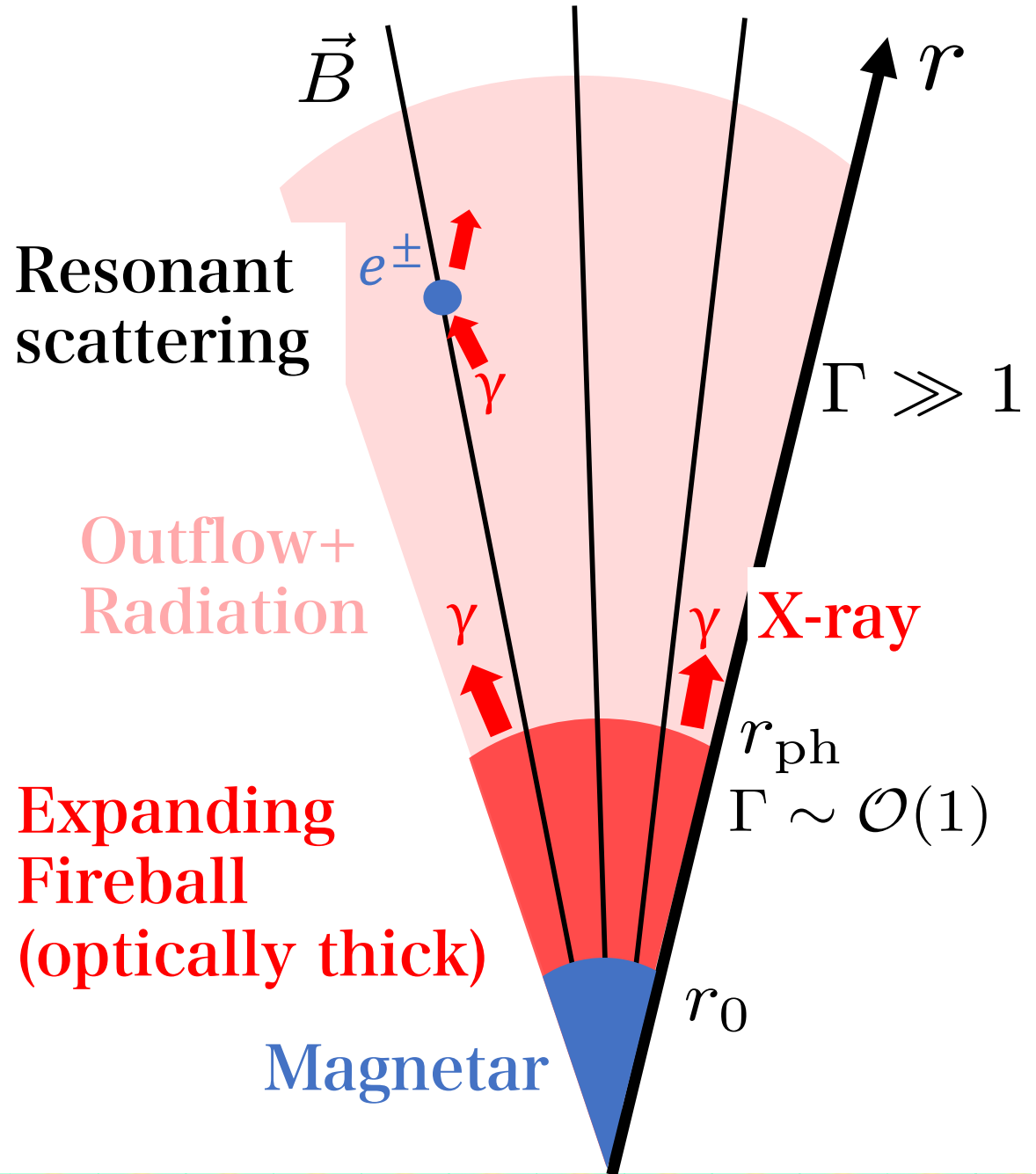
# Radiative acceleration @optically thin region

In optically thin region  
Radiative force

$$F_{\text{rad}} \propto \frac{\sigma_{\text{res}} F}{c}$$

$\sigma_{\text{res}}$  : resonant cross section  
 $F$  : X-ray flux

- ➔ Acceleration by Resonant scattering
- ➔ High kinetic energy



# Basic Equations

Plasma : spherically symmetric fluid equation,  
 particle are ground state of Landau level ( $p_{\perp} = 0$ )

Solve to be  
 a steady flow

~~$$\partial_t (r^2 \rho \Gamma) + \partial_r (r^2 \rho \Gamma \beta) = 0,$$~~

~~$$\partial_t [r^2 (\rho h_{\parallel} \Gamma^2 - p_{\parallel})] + \partial_r [r^2 \rho h_{\parallel} \Gamma^2 \beta] = r^2 G^t,$$~~

~~$$\partial_t [r^2 \rho h_{\parallel} \Gamma^2 \beta] + \partial_r [r^2 (\rho h_{\parallel} \Gamma^2 \beta^2 - p_{\parallel})] = r^2 G^r,$$~~

$$h_{\parallel} = 1 + \frac{e_{\text{th}}}{\rho} + \frac{p_{\parallel}}{\rho}, \quad p_{\parallel} = (\hat{\Gamma} - 1)e_{\text{th}}, \quad \hat{\Gamma} = 3$$

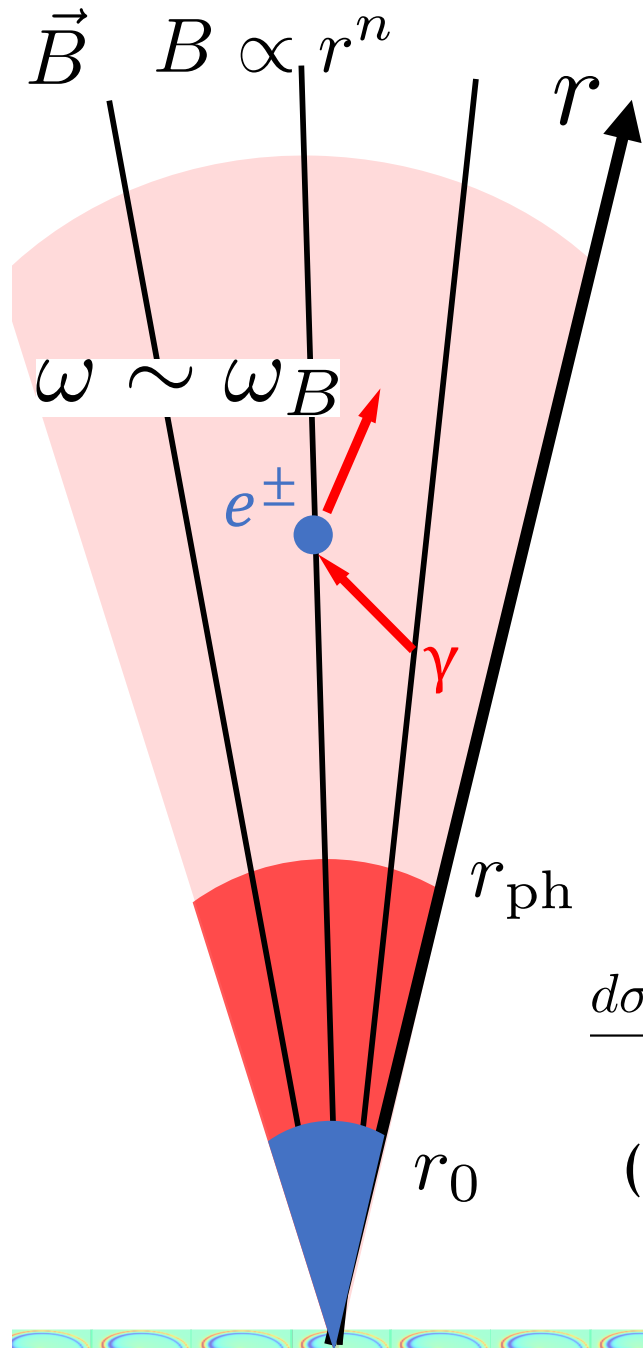
Radiative  
 Force

Radiation : Radiation transfer equation,  
 solved by Monte-Carlo scheme

$$p^{\mu} \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial x^{\mu}} - \Gamma_{\mu\nu}^{\rho} p^{\nu} \frac{\partial}{\partial p^{\rho}} \right) F(x, p) = \left( \frac{dF}{d\tau} \right)_{\text{coll}}$$

$$\left( \frac{dF}{d\tau} \right)_{\text{coll}} = n(x) \left[ -\kappa(x, p) F(x, p) + \int dP' \kappa(x, p') \zeta(x; p' \rightarrow p) F(x, p') \right],$$

# Scattering process of photons



For a scattering,  
a target electron is chosen  
from 1D Maxwellian

$$f_{1D}(p_{\parallel}, T_{\parallel}) dp_{\parallel} = \frac{\exp\left(-\frac{\sqrt{m^2 c^4 + p_{\parallel}^2 c^2}}{T_{\parallel}}\right)}{mcK_1(mc^2/T_{\parallel})} dp_{\parallel}$$

@ guiding-center rest frame,  
scattered photon (X/O-mode, angle)  
are randomly determined.

$$\frac{d\sigma^{X \rightarrow O}}{d\Omega} = \frac{3\sigma_T}{32\pi} \cos^2 \theta' \left( \frac{\omega^2}{(\omega^2 + \omega_B)^2 + \gamma_e^2} + \frac{\omega^2}{(\omega^2 - \omega_B)^2 + \gamma_e^2} \right)$$

(e.g., of cross sections)

**Resonant scattering**



# Physical & numerical setup

**Initial condition :**

Analytic solution of fireball

**Optically thin region:**

Solved numerically

Solve radiation in  
a given plasma profile

↓ Radiative force

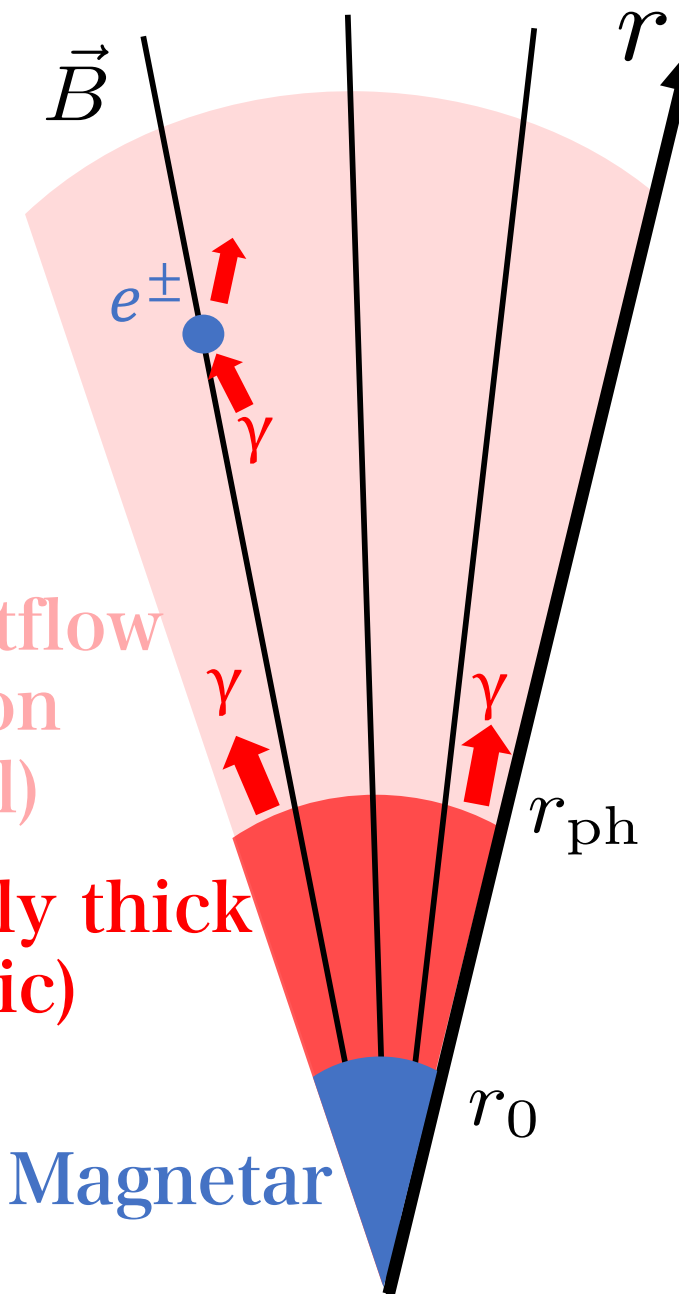
Solve the plasma

↓ Plasma profile

↑ Radiative force

Solve the radiation

Iteration  
-> steady solution

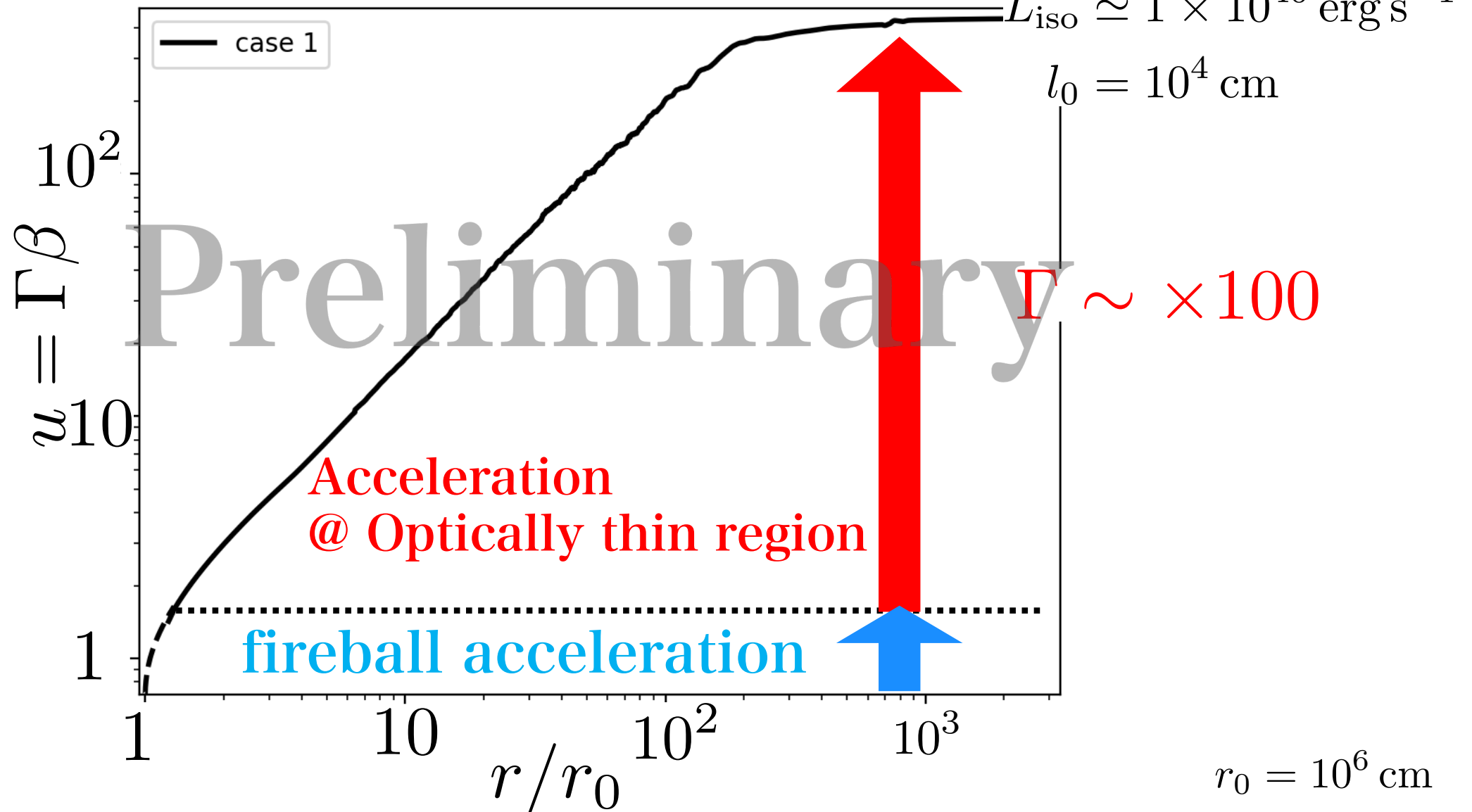


# Result: radiative acceleration

$$B_0 = 2 \times 10^{14} \text{ G}$$

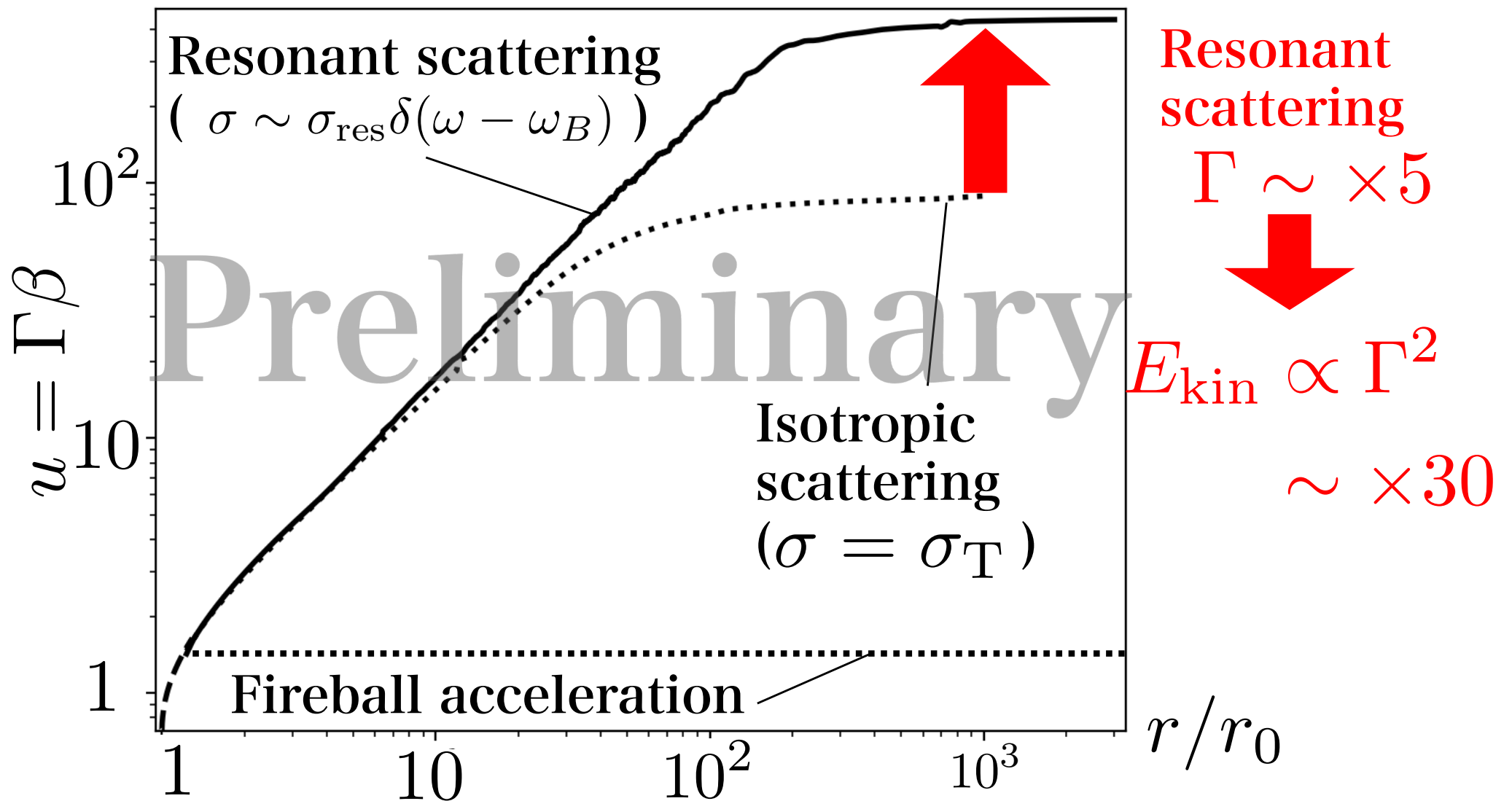
$$L_{\text{iso}} \simeq 1 \times 10^{40} \text{ erg s}^{-1}$$

$$l_0 = 10^4 \text{ cm}$$



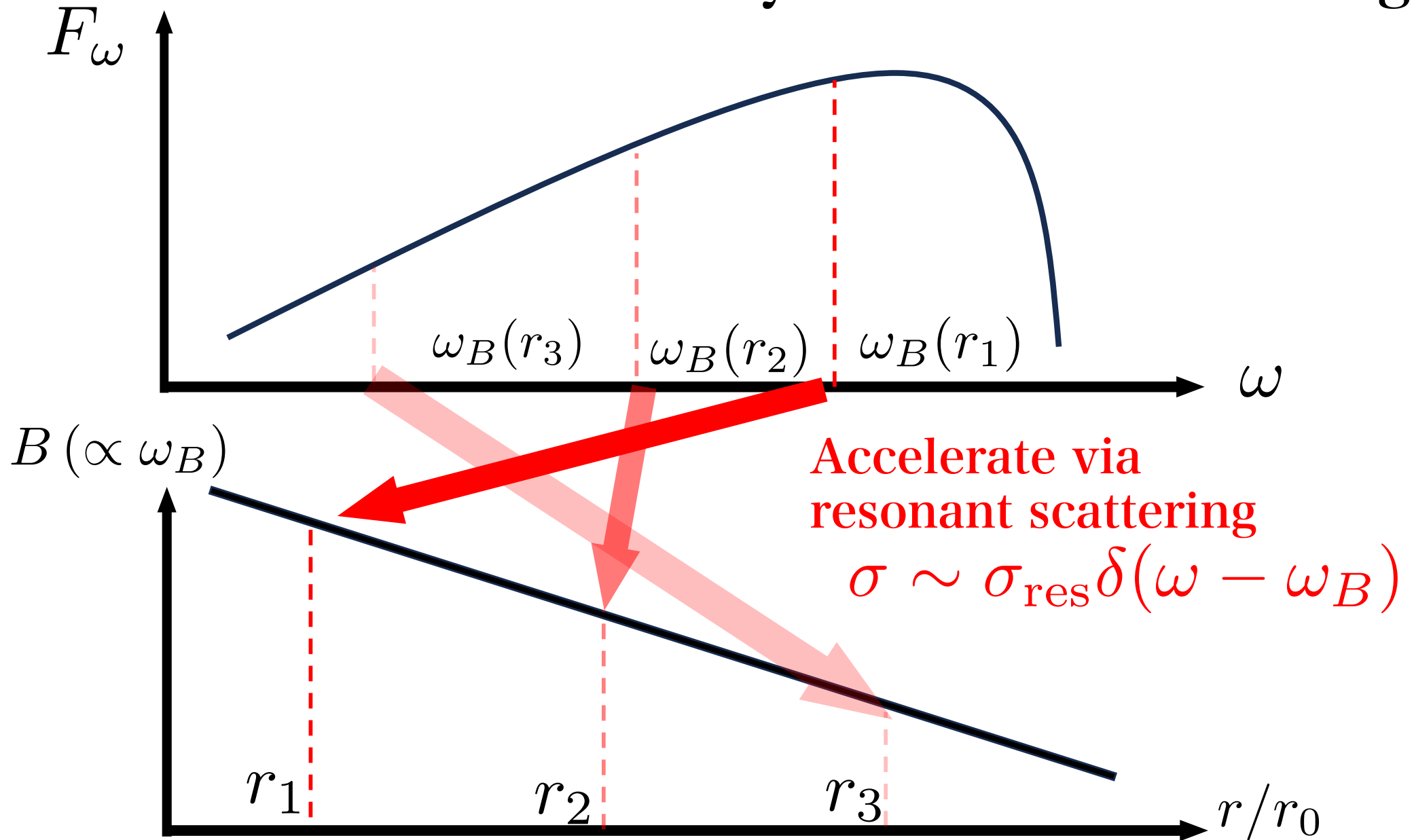
Plasma outflow is accelerated by the radiation

# Result: radiative acceleration



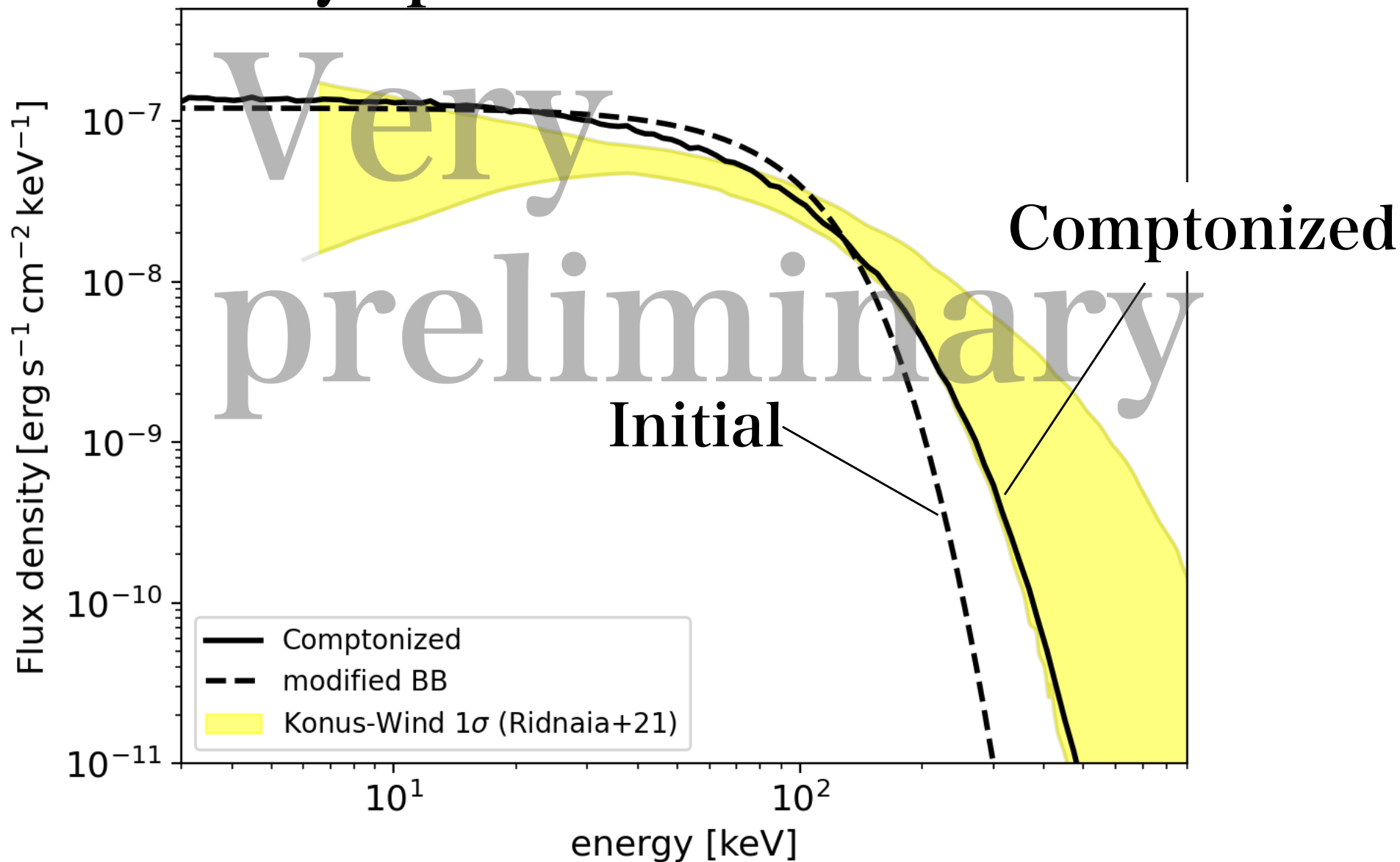
The resonant scattering accelerate outflow to a higher Lorentz factor

# Radiative acceleration by resonant scattering



Depend on magnetic field & X-ray spectrum

# Result: X-ray spectrum



X-ray is weakly Comptonized

-> Observed spectrum may be created





# Summary

- We study the X-ray spectrum & outflow kinetic luminosity in magnetar short bursts.
- Relativistic outflow is strongly accelerated by the radiation via the resonant scattering.

Resonant scattering  $\Gamma \sim \times 5 \rightarrow E_{\text{kin}} \sim \times 30$

- X-ray is weakly Comptonized.  
It may be the origin of the observed spectrum.
- Future plans..  
Including baryons  
-> circular polarization of X-ray? & high kinetic Energy

