

The Broadband SEDs of the MOJAVE sample

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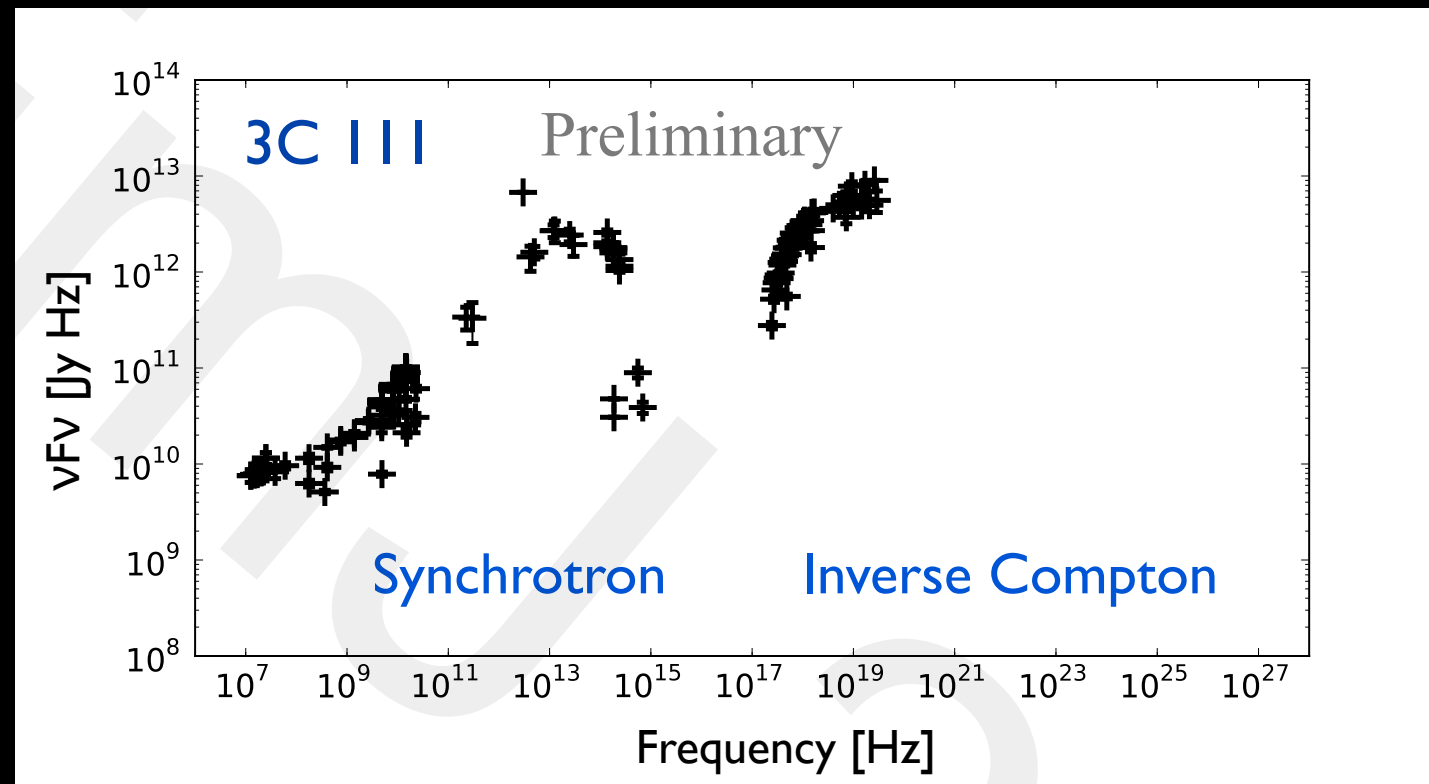
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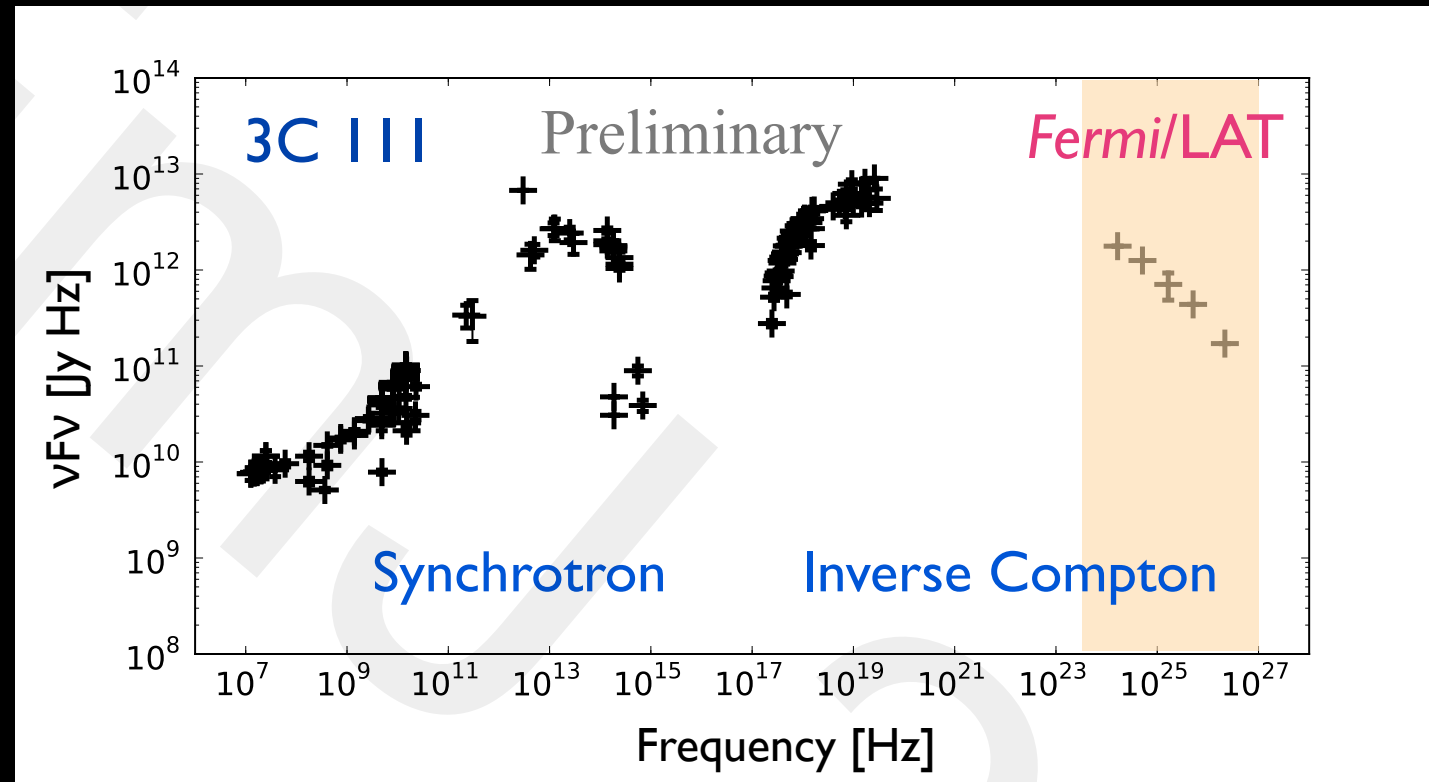
The Emission of AGN Jets



(Chang et al. in prep.)

- Open questions:
 - Where is the emission of AGN jets generated
 - What are the mechanisms to produce high-energy emission of blazars: leptonic (SSC, EIC), hadronic (photon-photon), or both?

Fermi's Impact



(Chang et al. in prep.)

- “The Spectral Energy Distribution of *Fermi* Bright Blazars” (Abdo et al. 2010, 716,30), a γ -ray selected sample was studied.
- We want to attack the problem using a radio-selected sample

The Broadband SED Catalog

- Construct a broadband SED catalog of 135 MOJAVE sources (statistically complete, see Lister, this conf.)
- The MOJAVE sample has
 - 101 flat-spectrum radio quasars
 - 22 BL Lac objects
 - 8 radio galaxies, 4 unidentified objects

Continuously monitored in the radio band

- Use simultaneous datasets from radio to γ -ray bands

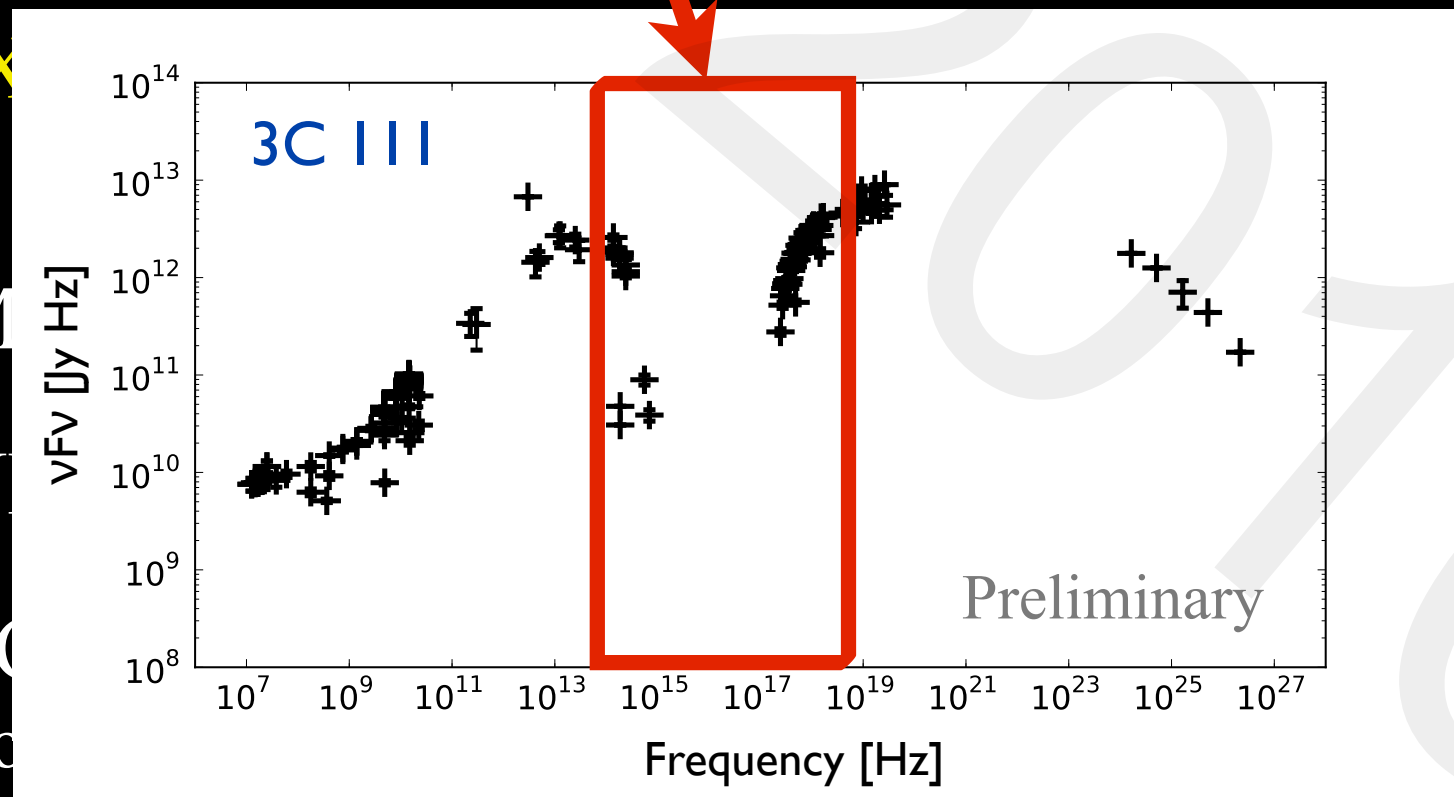
Broadband SED data

- **[γ -ray]** *Fermi* LAT 1yr catalog data (Abdo et al. 2010, ApJ 715, 429) for 85 sources; upper-limits for 50 sources (M. Boeck et al.)
- *Swift* observations
- **[X-ray/Optical]** XRT/UVOT: Dedicated program to observe MOJAVE sources, observations after August 2008
- **[Hard X-ray]** BAT: 22-month catalog (J. Tueller et al. 2010, accepted by the ApJS)
- **[Radio]** MOJAVE program (Lister et al. 2009, ApJ 137, 3718)
- **[Radio]** UMRAO monitoring (Aller et al. 2003, ApJ 586, 33)
- **[Radio]** FGAMMA monitoring (Fuhrmann et al. & Angelakis et al. 2010, this conf.)

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Swift simultaneous obs.

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0048-097	0403-132	0605-085	0805-077	0906+015	1228+126	0109+224	0212+735	0234+288
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0106+013	0420-014	0716+714	0814+425	1055+018	1308+326	1611+343	1823+568	2201+171
0133+476	0422+004	0727-115	0823+033	1124-186	1324+224	1633+382	1828+487	2209+236
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Simultaneous
Swift data

Fermi 1FGL

Non *Fermi* 1FGL

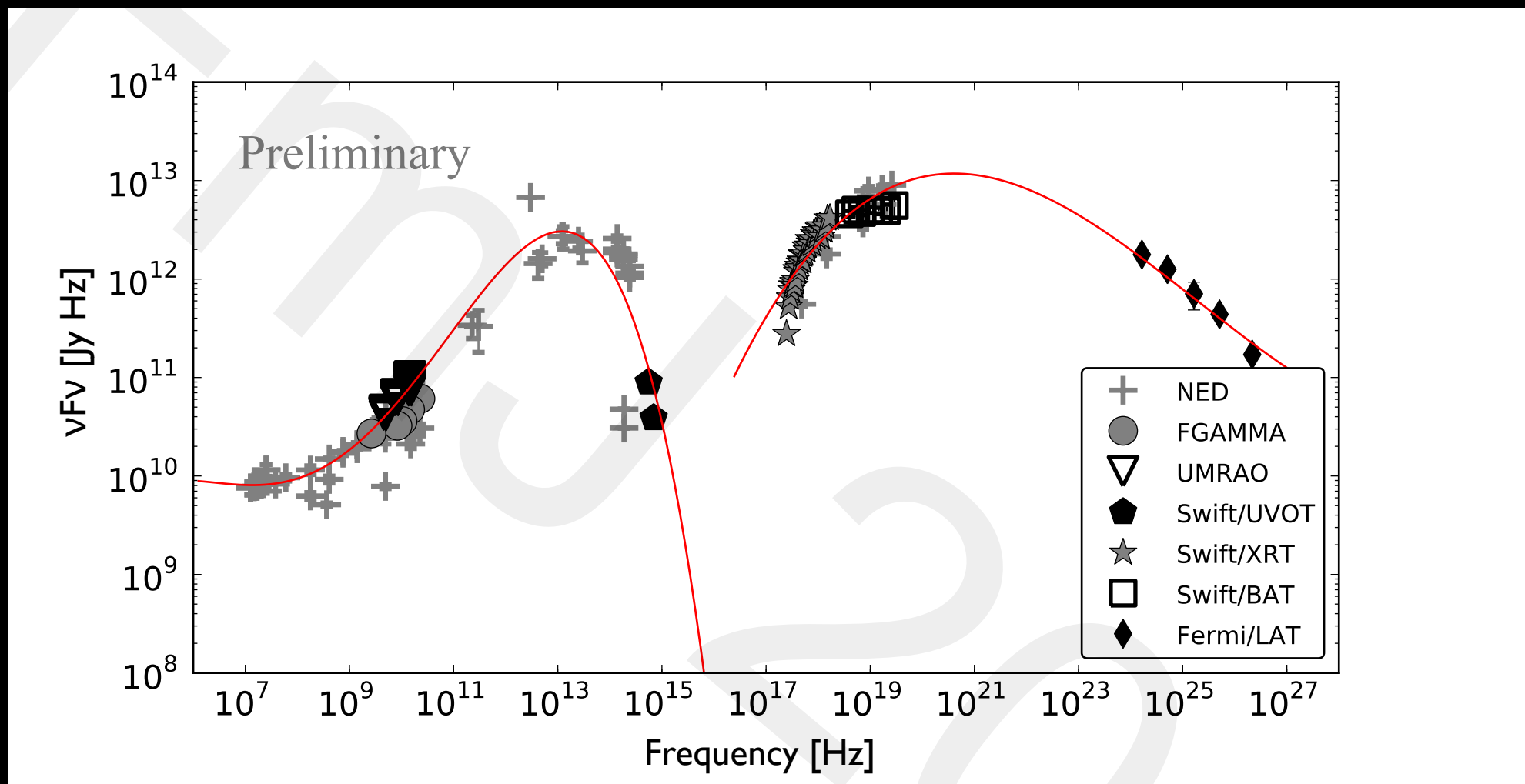
Currently using
Swift data before
Aug. 2008; will be
completed by the
dedicated *Swift*
program

84% of MOJAVE source has broadband coverage of
radio, optical, X-ray and γ -ray

Data Analysis

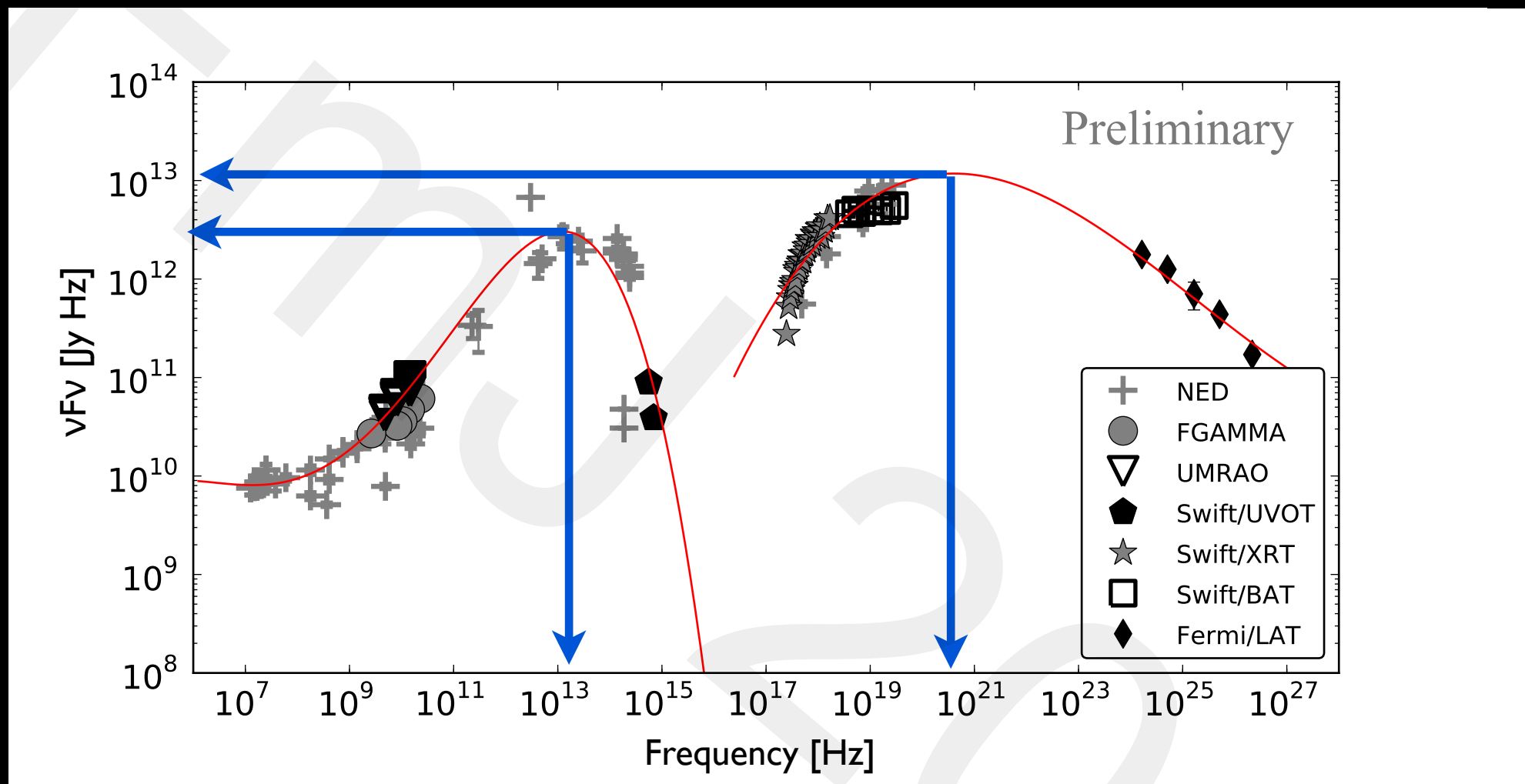
- Typical exposure: 5-10 ks of *Swift*/XRT obs., providing good X-ray spectra
- *Swift*/XRT spectra fitted by an absorbed power-law model with a lower-limit of NH value measured by the LAB survey (Kalberla et al. 2005, A&A 440, 775)

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Correlation study

Lister et al. 2009, ApJ 696, L22

Kovalev et al. 2009, ApJ 696, L17

Savolainen et al. 2010, A&A 512, A24

Pushkarev et al. 2010, submitted to A&A

Boeck et al., this conf.

Radio (VLBI):

Flux density

Spectral index

β_{app}

Doppler factor

Lorentz factor

γ -ray:

Flux

Luminosity

Photon index

Correlation study

SED:

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Preliminary



Results

- Broadband SED of 6 representative sources

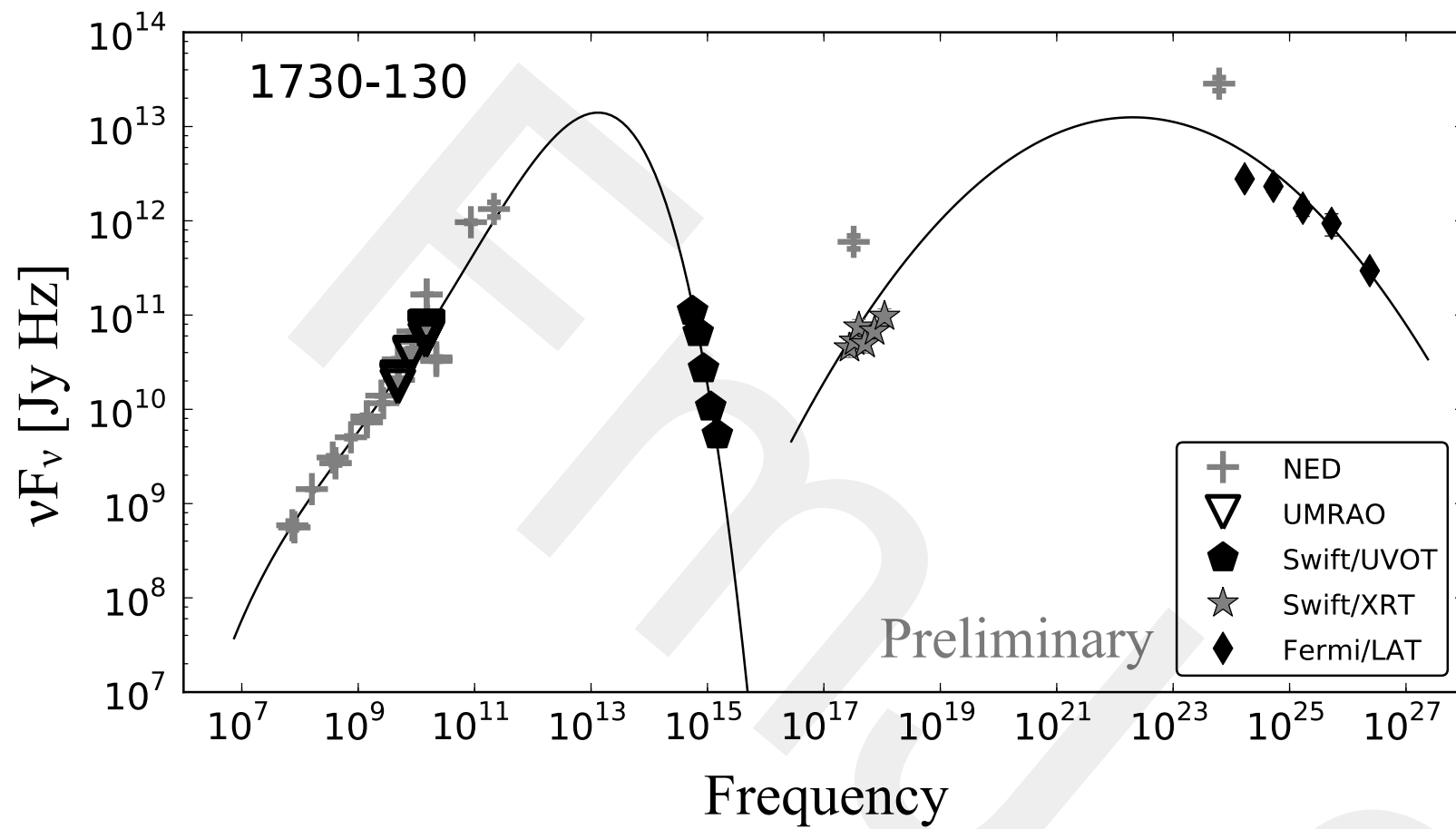
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BL Lacs: 4C +47.08, B0754+100

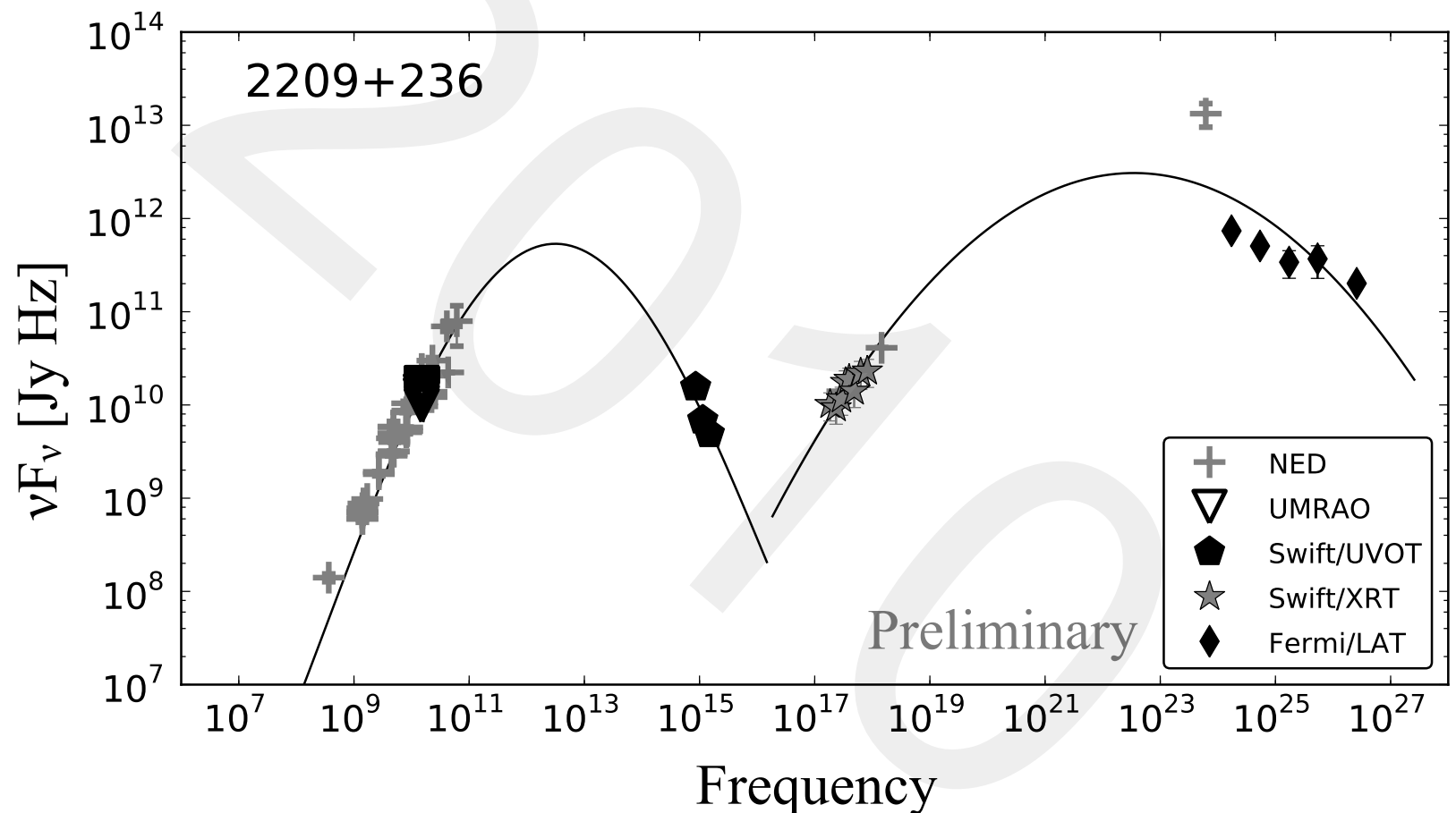
Radio galaxy: 3C 111

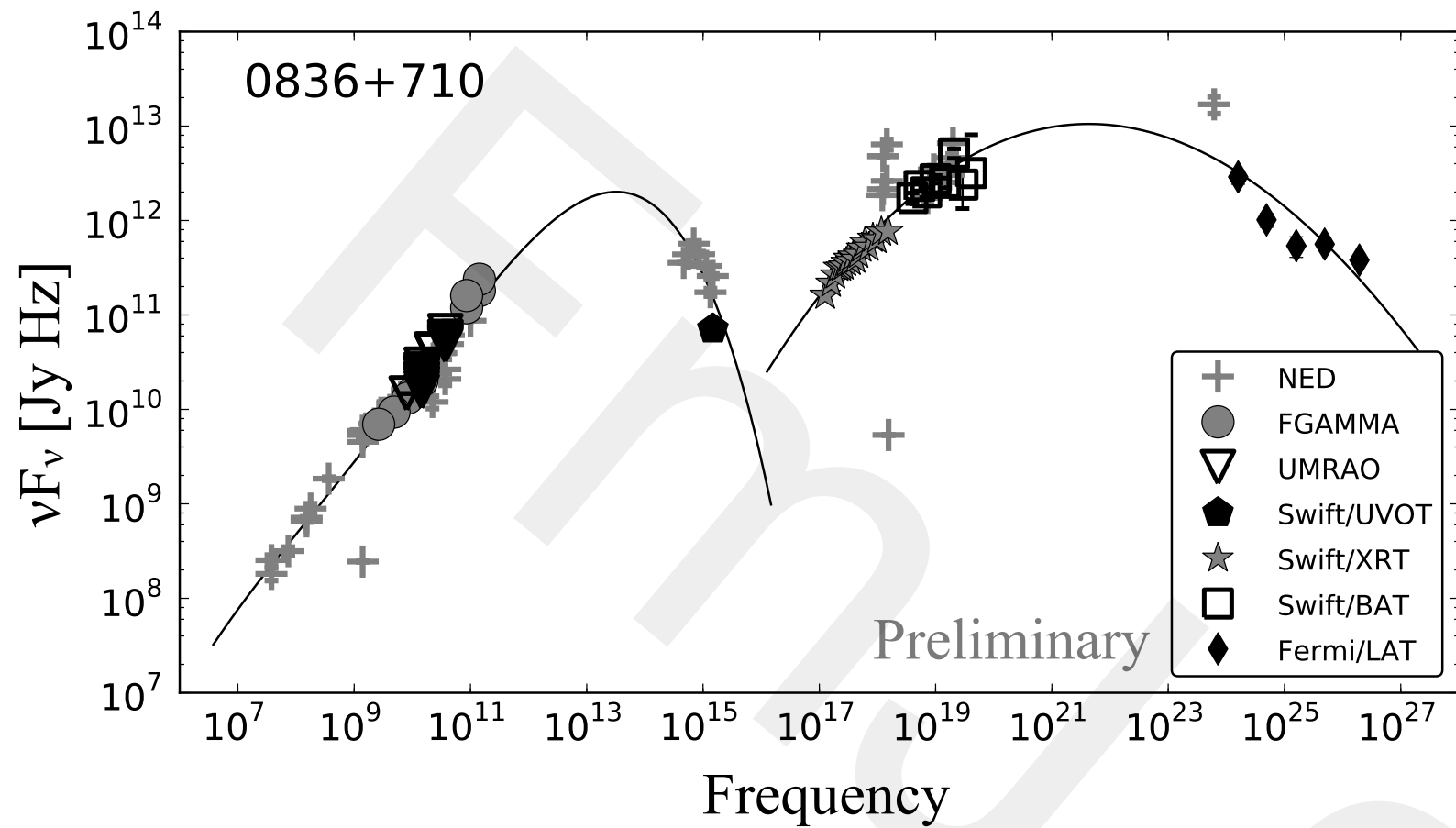
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NRAO 530
High-polarized radio quasar
Swift obs. in June 2009 (5 ks)



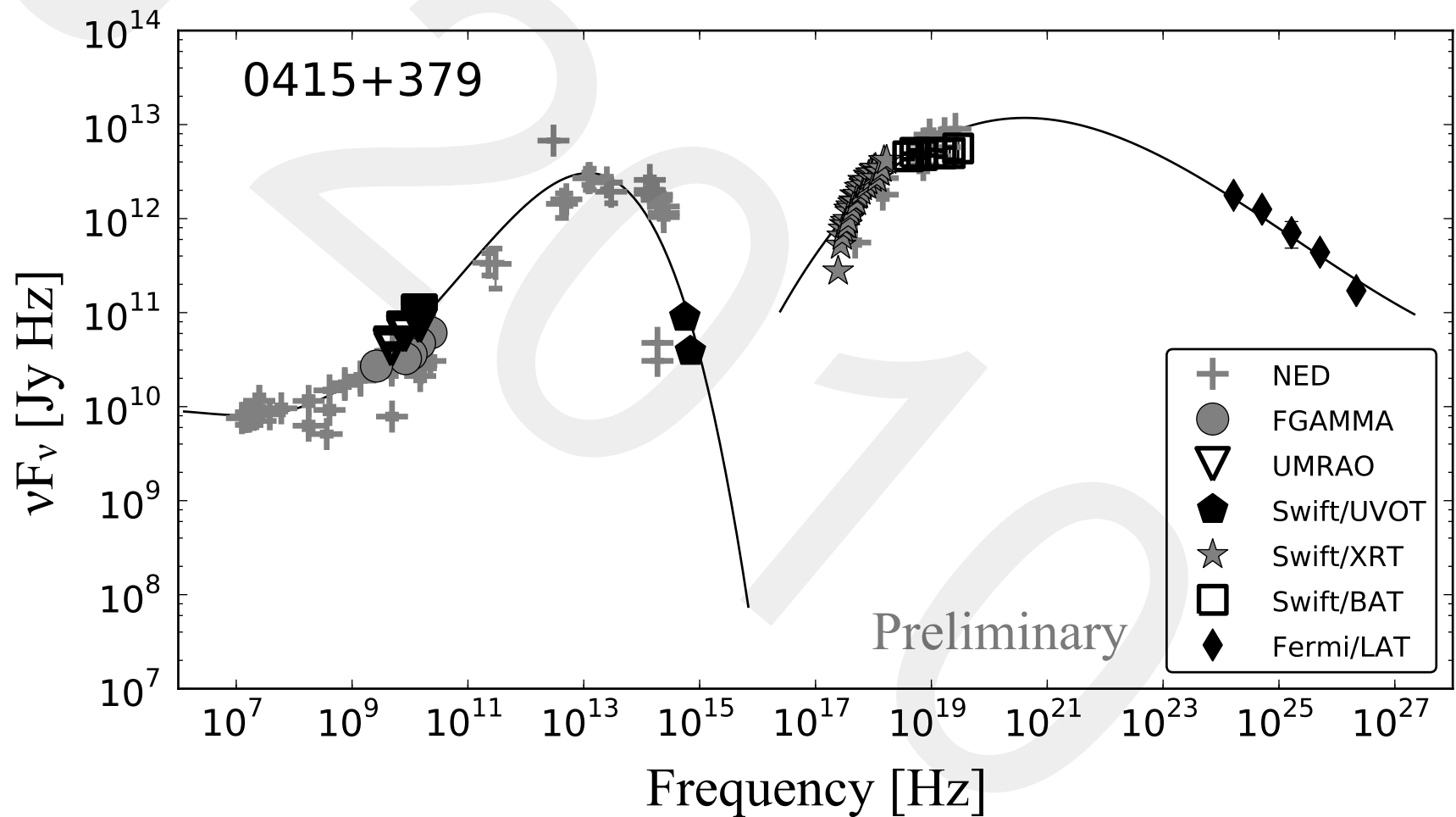
B2209+236
Flat-spectrum radio quasar
Swift obs. in April 2009 (9 ks)

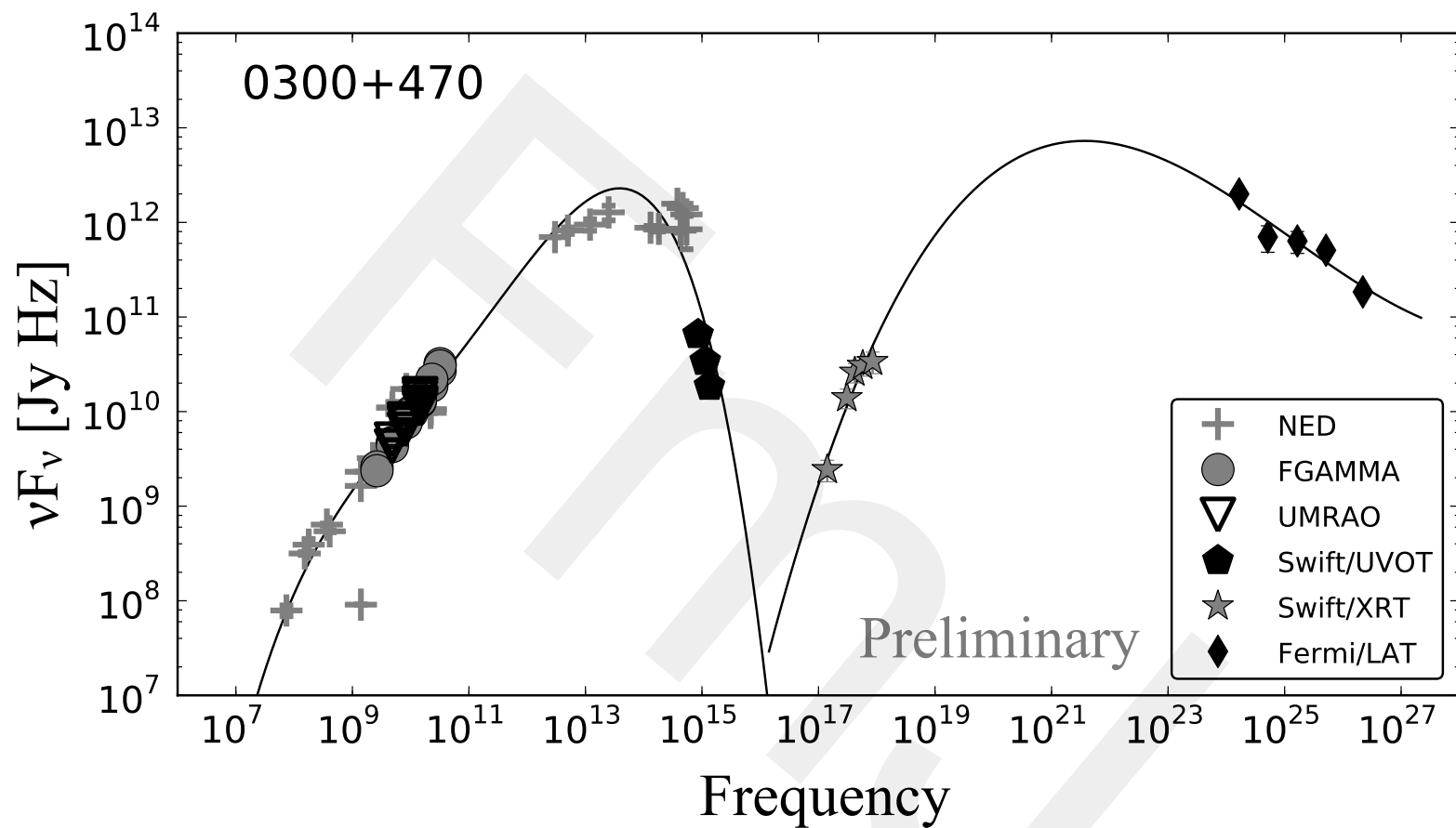




4C +71.07
 Quasar
 Swift obs. in February
 2010 (9 ks)

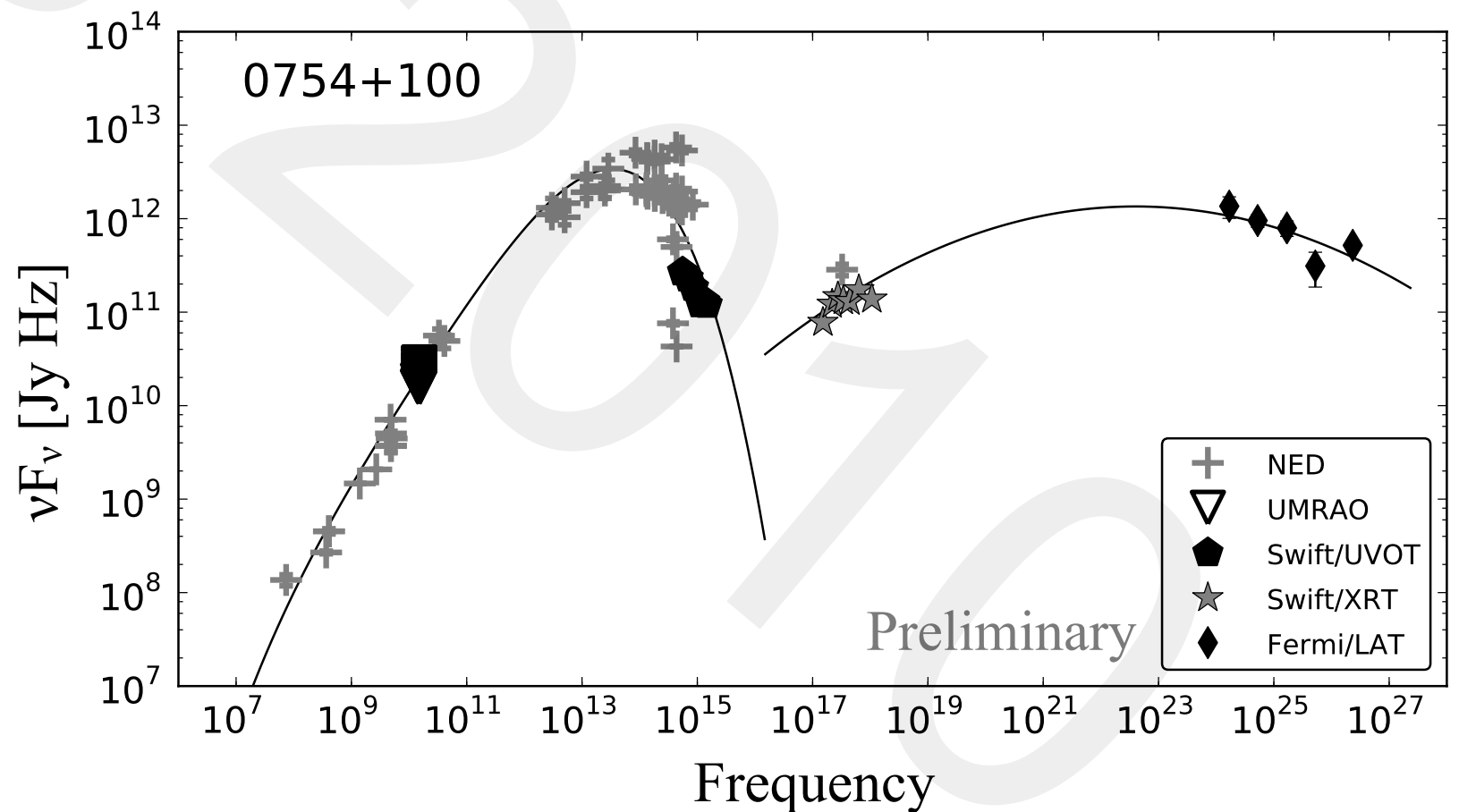
3C 111
 Broad-line FR II radio
 galaxy
 Swift obs. in January 2010
 (9 ks)



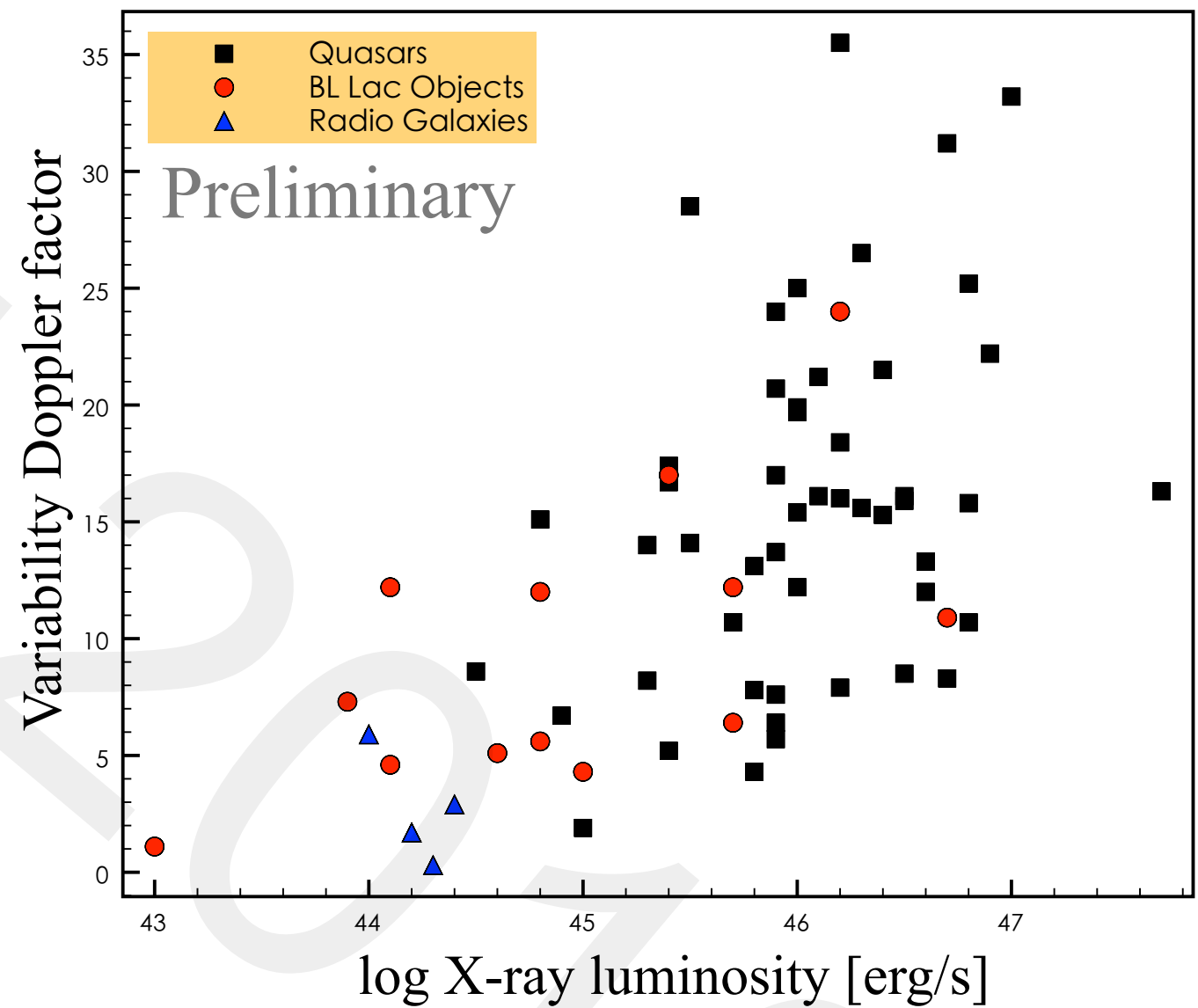
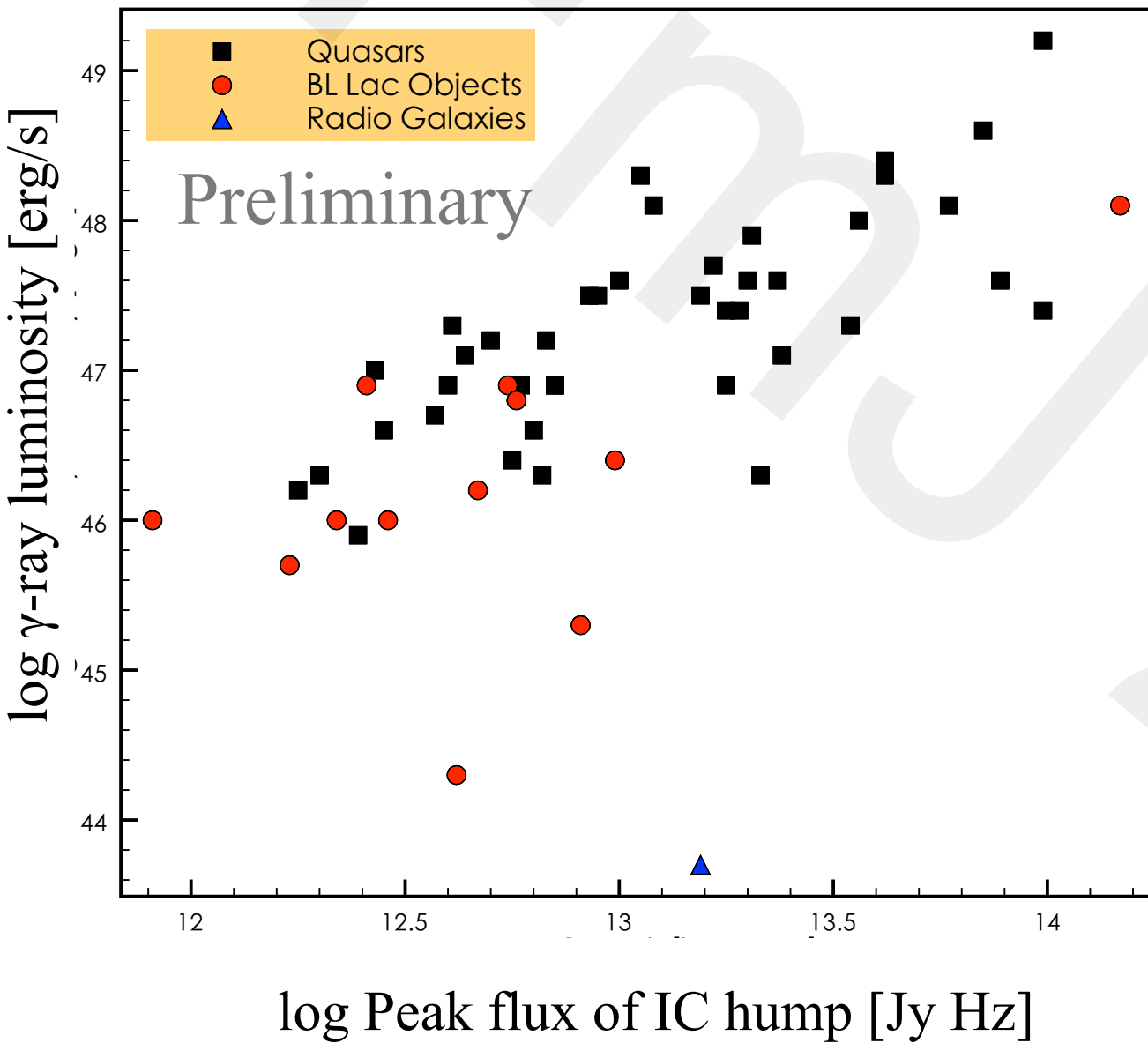


4C +47.08
 BL Lac object
Swift obs. in September
 2008 (7 ks)

B0754+100
 Low-frequency peaked
 BL Lac objects (LBL)
Swift obs. in February
 2010 (9 ks)

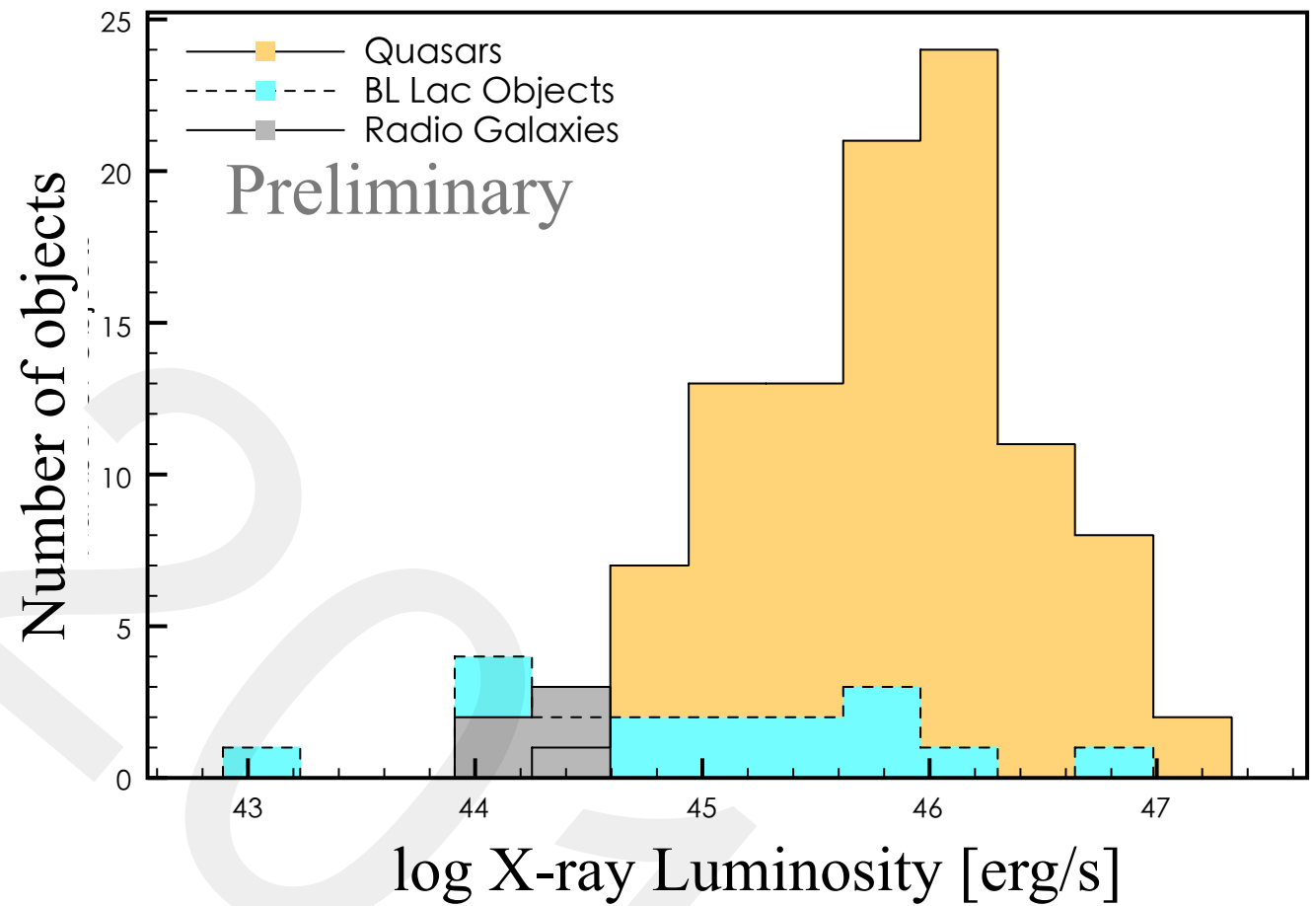
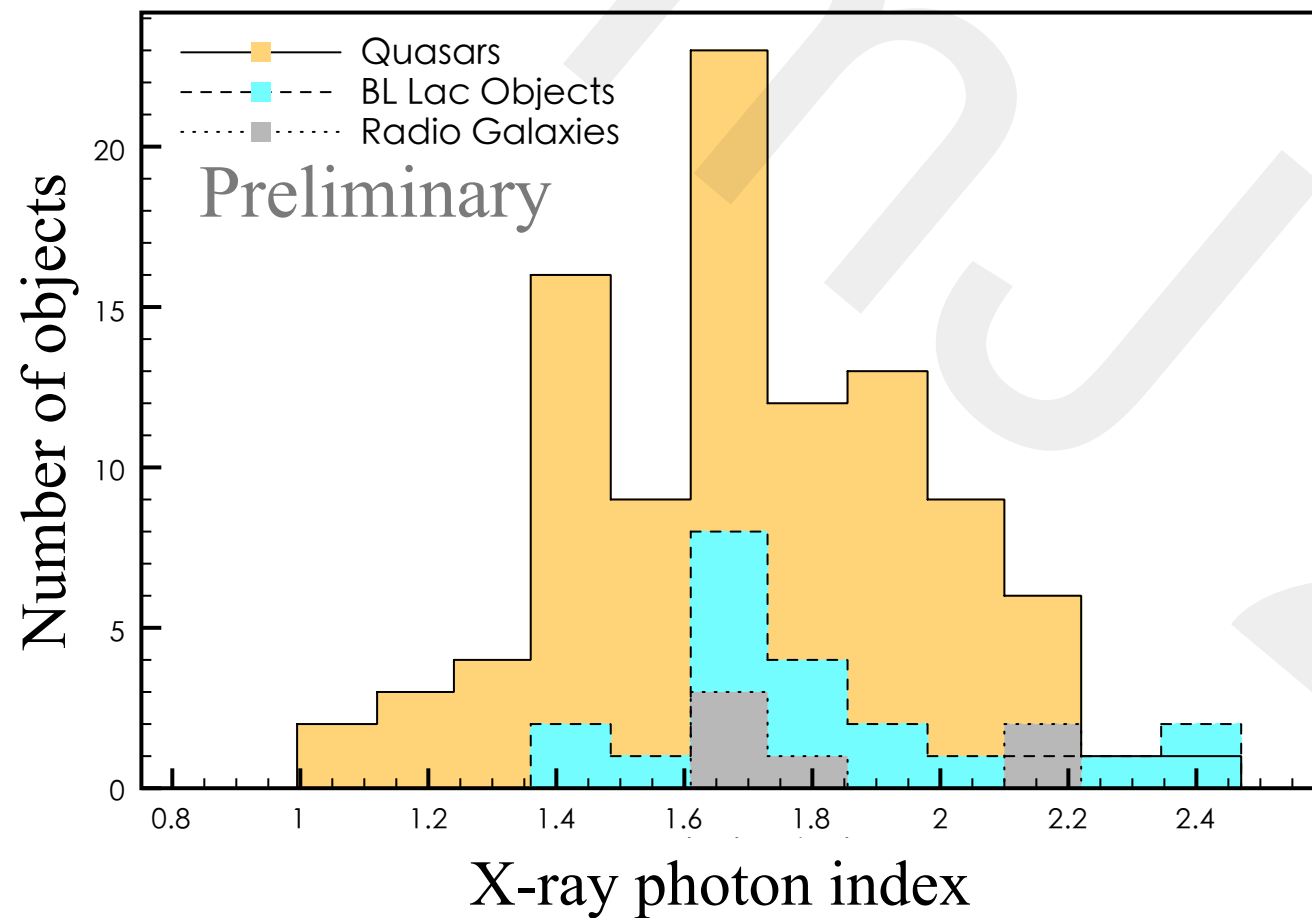


Preliminary



Variability Doppler factor: Hovatta et al. 2009, A&A 494, 527

Preliminary



Summary

- We have constructed a (quasi-)simultaneous broadband SED catalog for a radio-selected AGN sample of 135 sources
- We estimated the peak positions of the synchrotron and inverse Compton humps
- We are investigating possible correlations of
 - e.g. γ -ray luminosity - Peak flux of IC hump

Next Steps

- Statistical tests will be performed to confirm our findings
- Variability study of broadband SED of individual sources
- Physical modeling of the broadband SEDs