



# DM detection: status and prospect

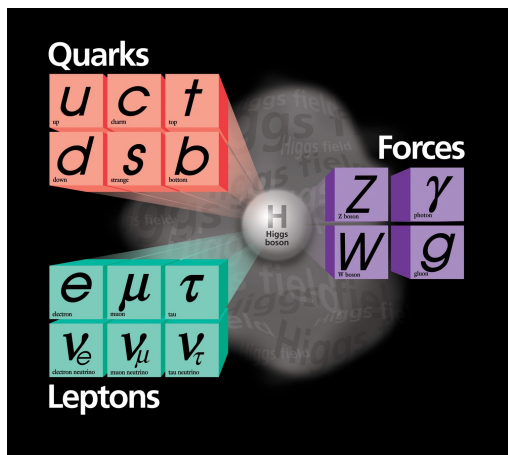
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# 粒子物理标准模型留下的未解之谜

## The Standard Model



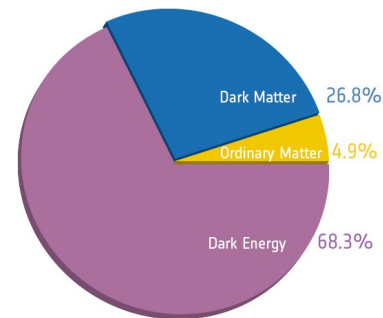
Nobel 2013



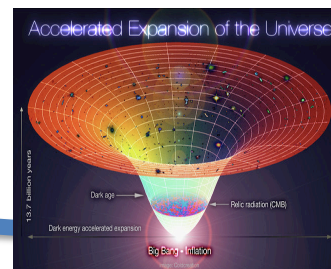
Peter Higgs and Francois Englert



物质 - 反物质  
不对称性起源?

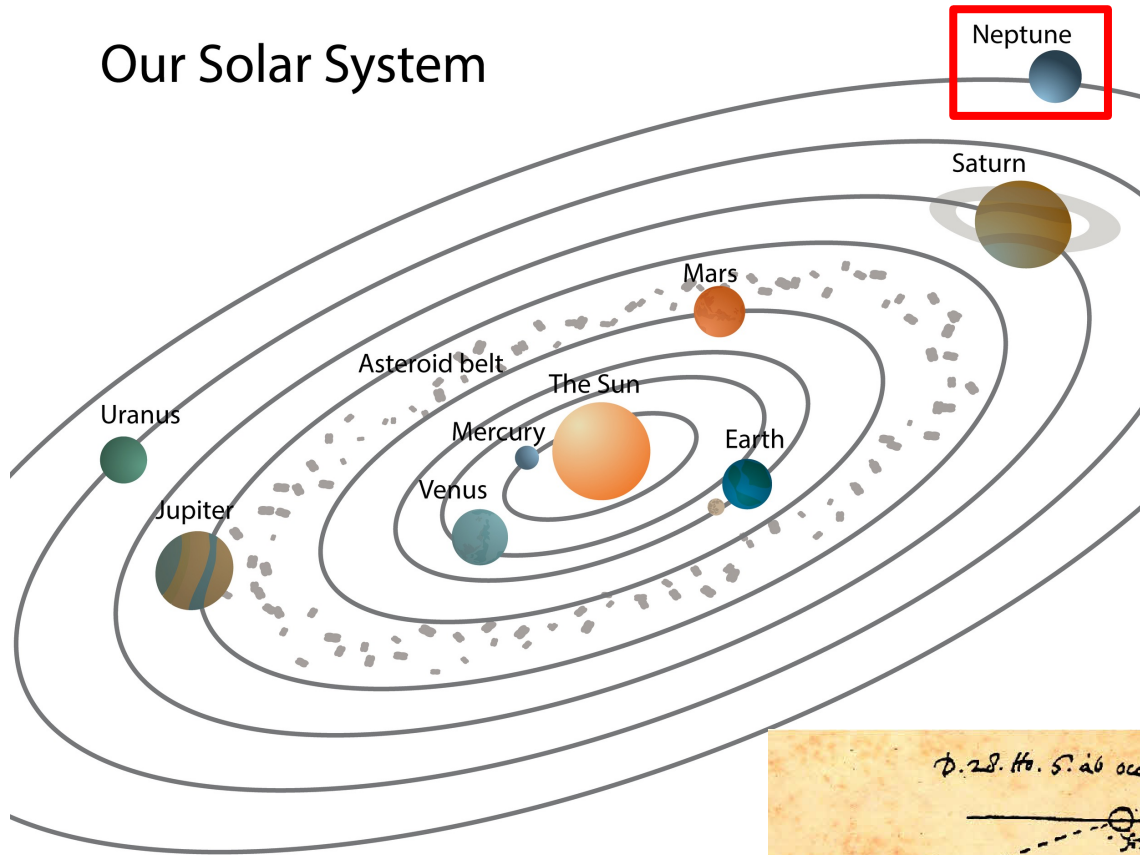


暗物质?



暗能量?

# 可见物质的运动→引力理论→不可见物质



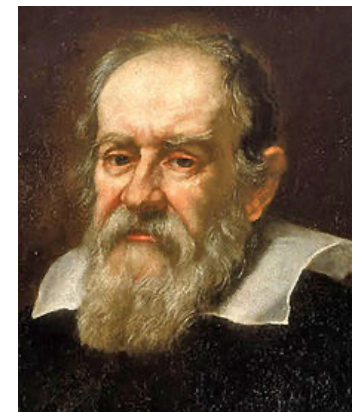
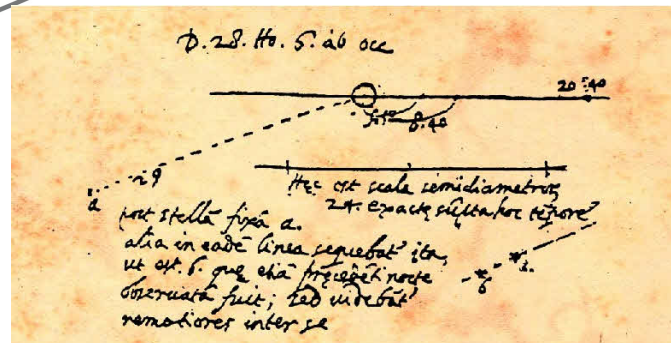
Urbain Le Verrier. (1845)

Galileo Galilei (1613)

Jérôme Lalande (1795)

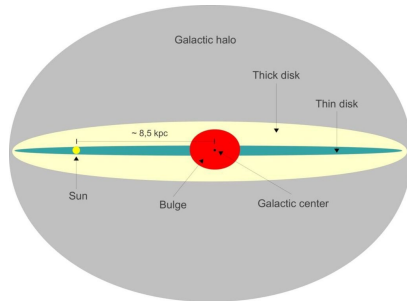
John Herschel in (1830)

recognized as a fixed star



# Early history of DM

*We therefore have the means of estimating the mass of the **dark matter** in the universe. As matters stand at present, it appears at once that this mass cannot be excessive. If it were otherwise, the average mass as derived from binary stars would have been very much lower than what has been found for the effective mass.*



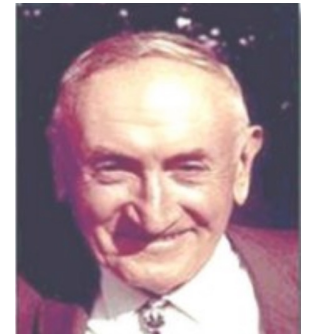
Kapteyn (1922)



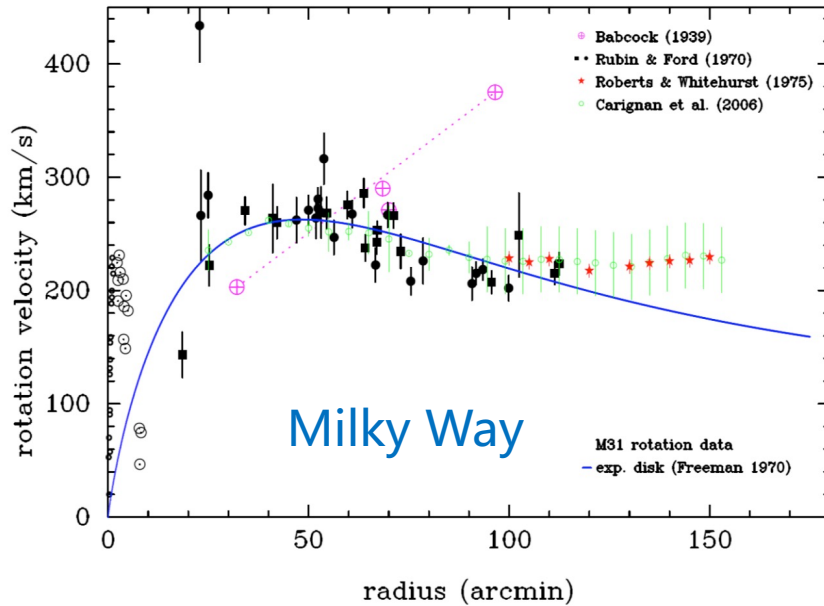
*If this would be confirmed, we would get the surprising result that dark matter is present in much greater amount than luminous matter.*



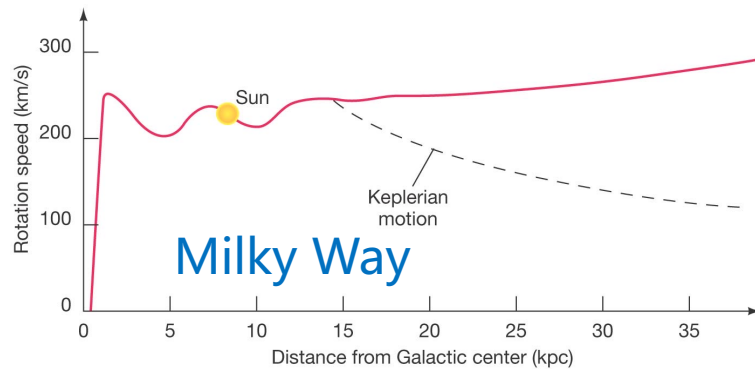
Zwicky (1933)



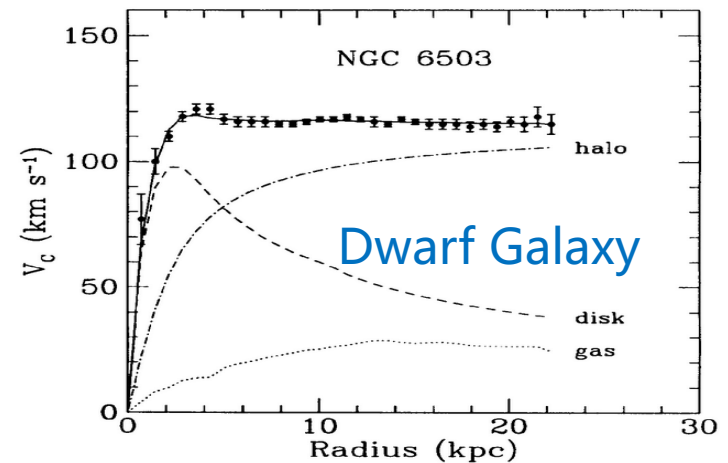
# Evidence 1: Galaxy rotation curves



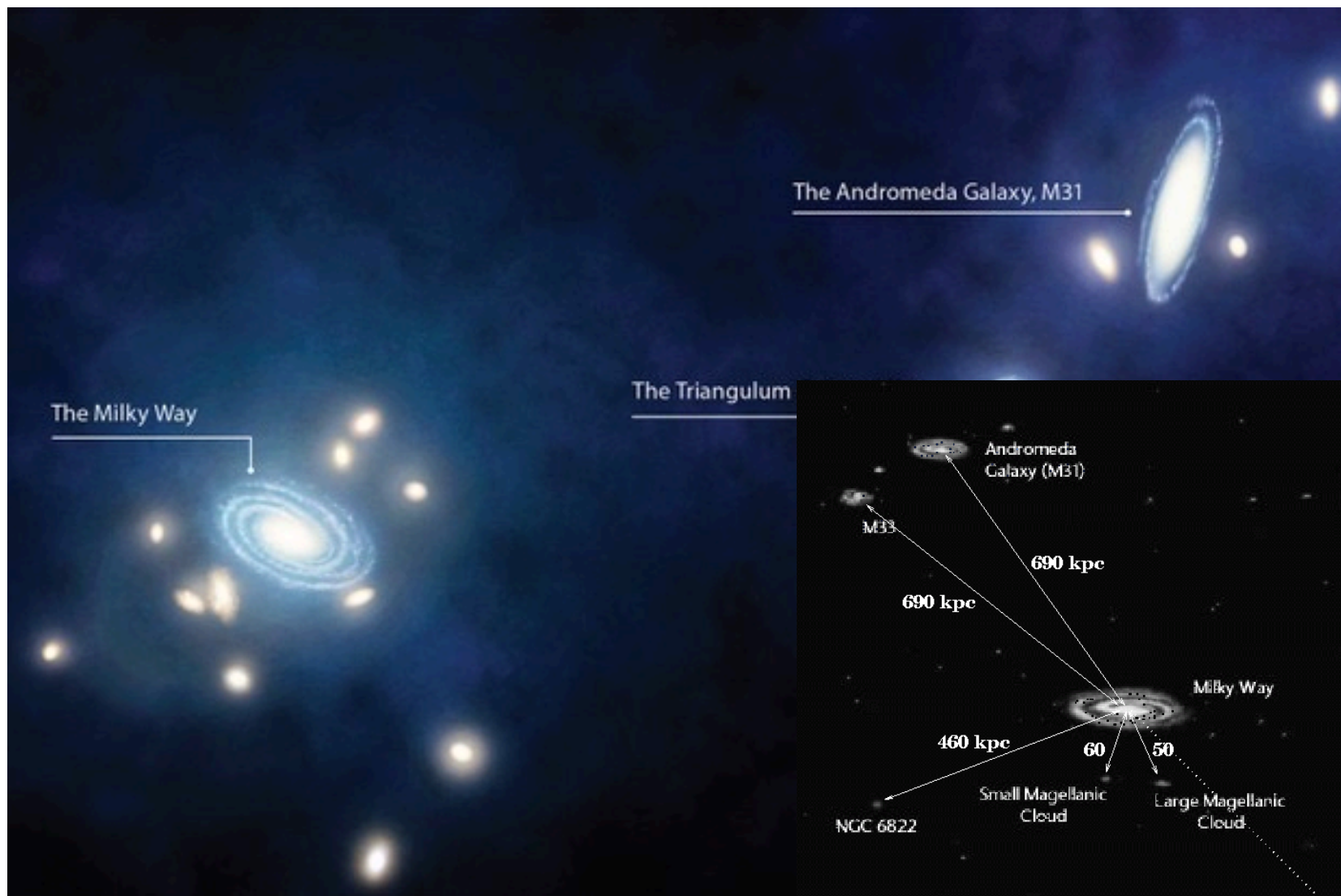
V. Rubin (1928-2016)



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# Total mass of the local group: Mwy-M31 infall

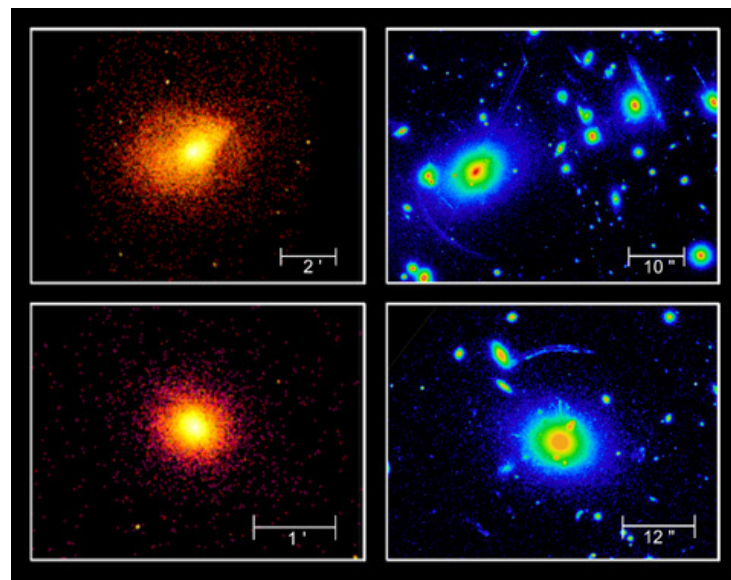


Kahn, Woltjer (1959)

# Evidence 2: X-rays from clusters

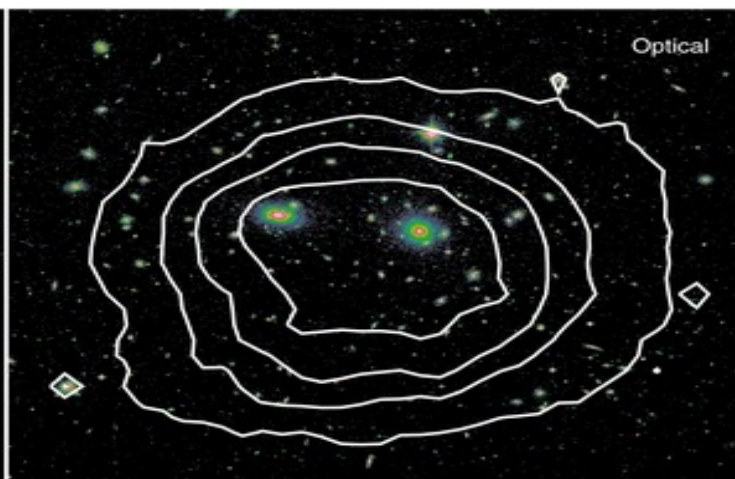
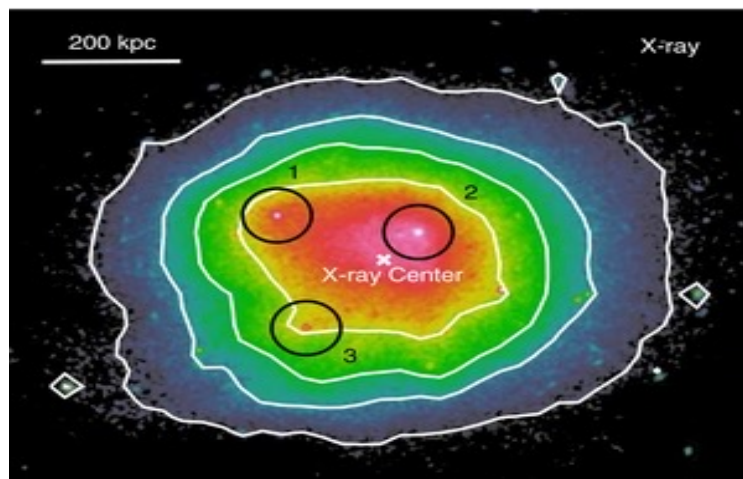
Chandra

HST



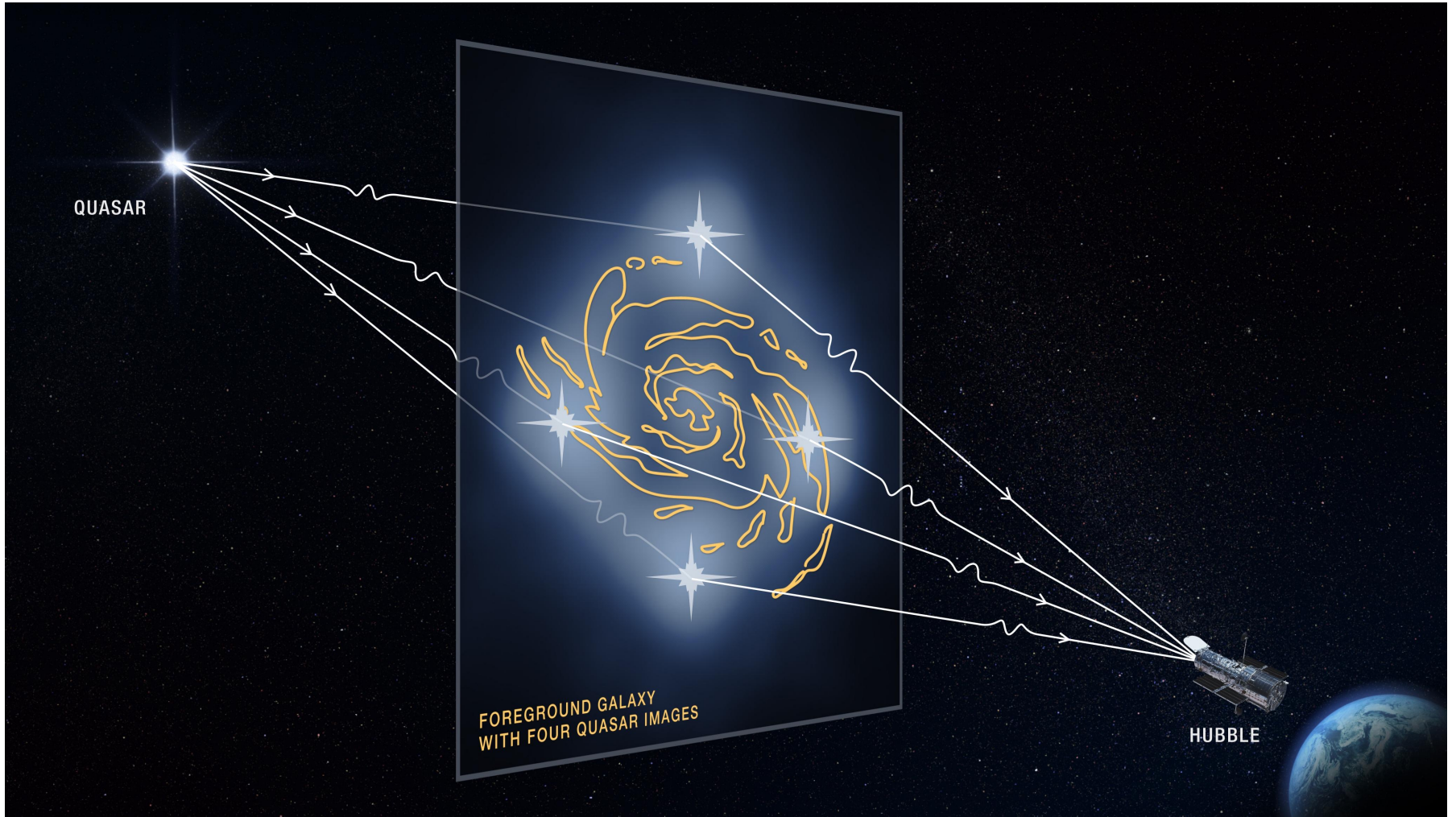
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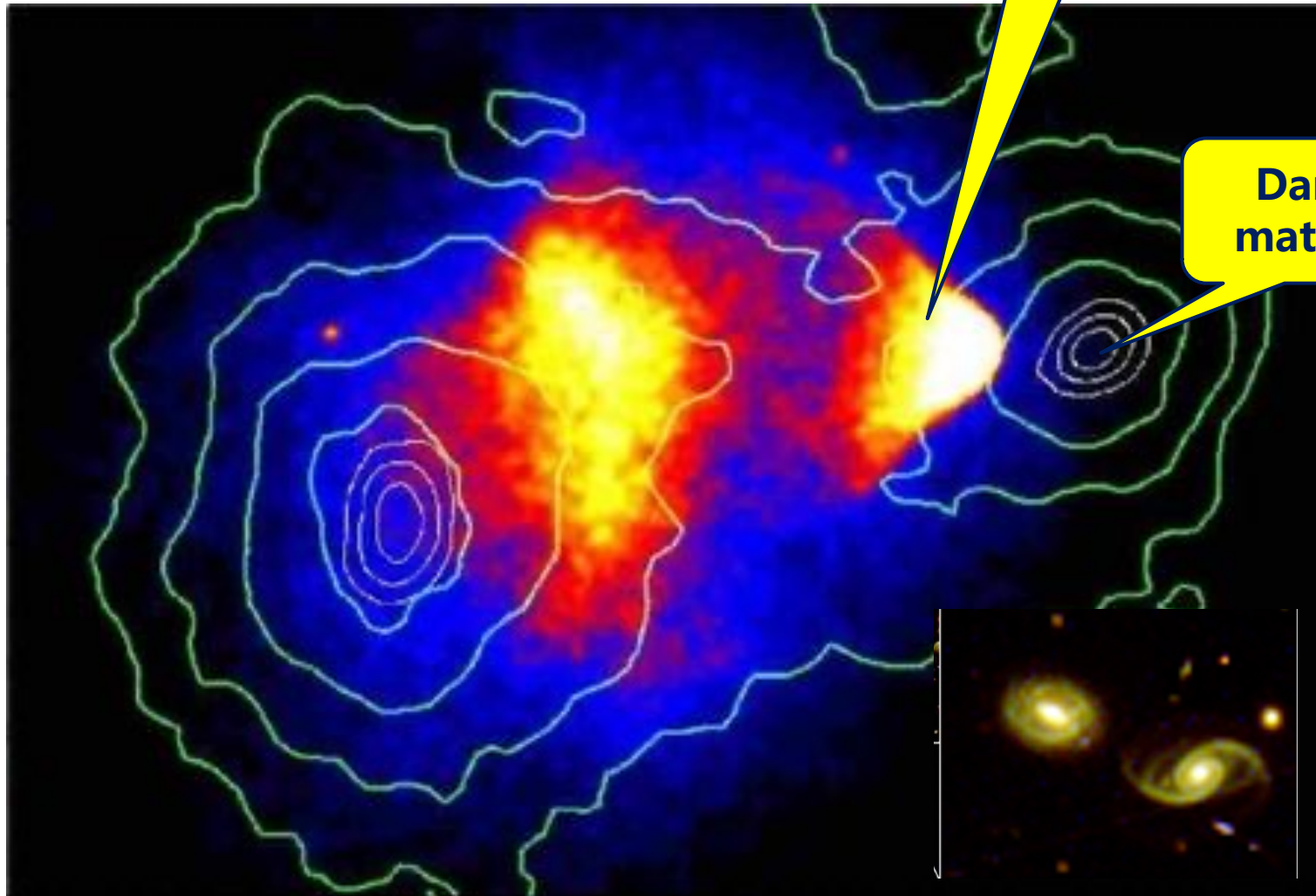
# Evidence 3: gravitational lensing





# Evidence 4: Bullet cluster

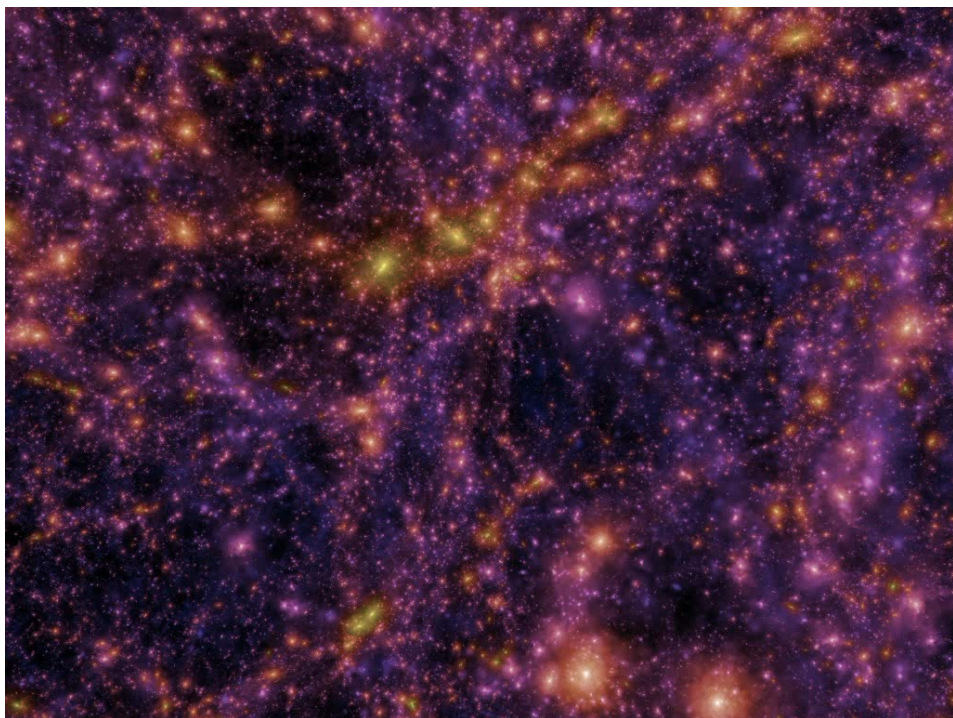
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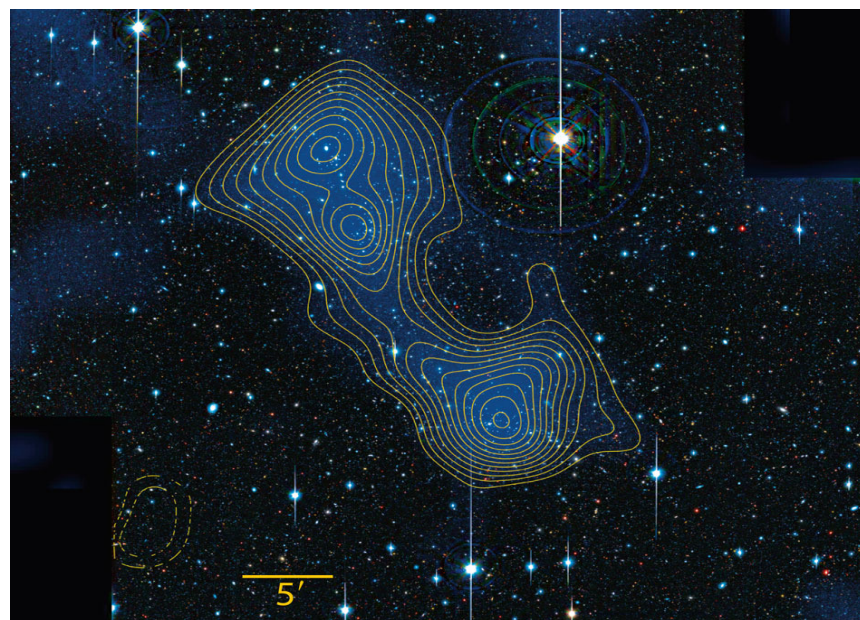
$$M(\text{total}):M(\text{gas}):M(\text{stars})=70:10:1$$

## Evidence 5: N-body simulation and DM structure

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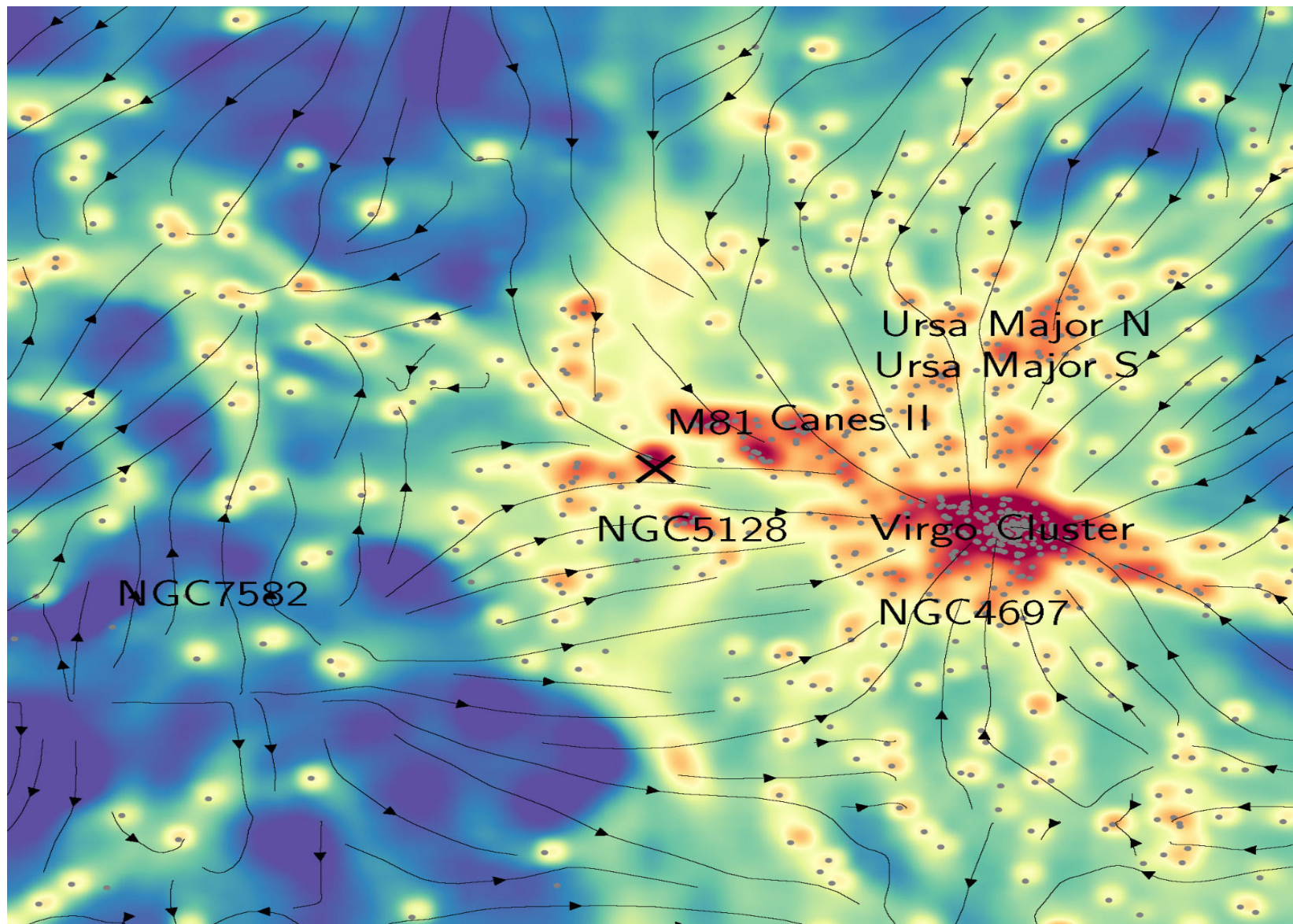
大尺度结构N-体模拟



观测结果

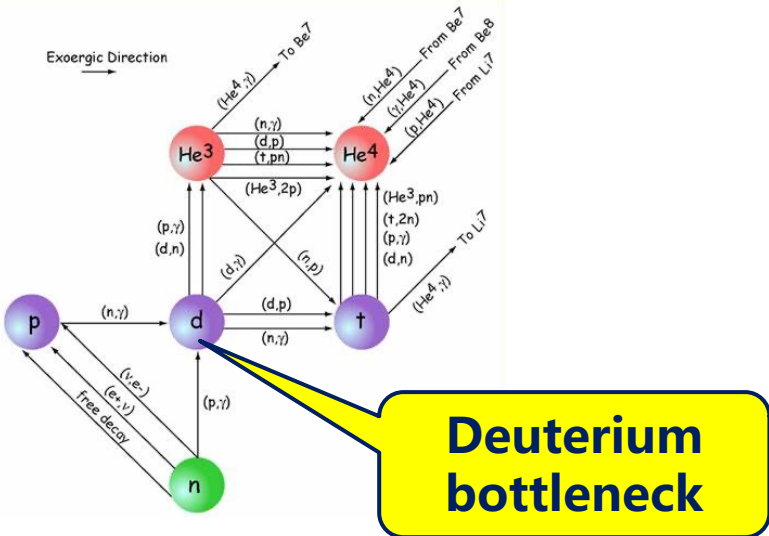
J.P. Dierich et al, 1207.8089, Nature

# DM map from DES

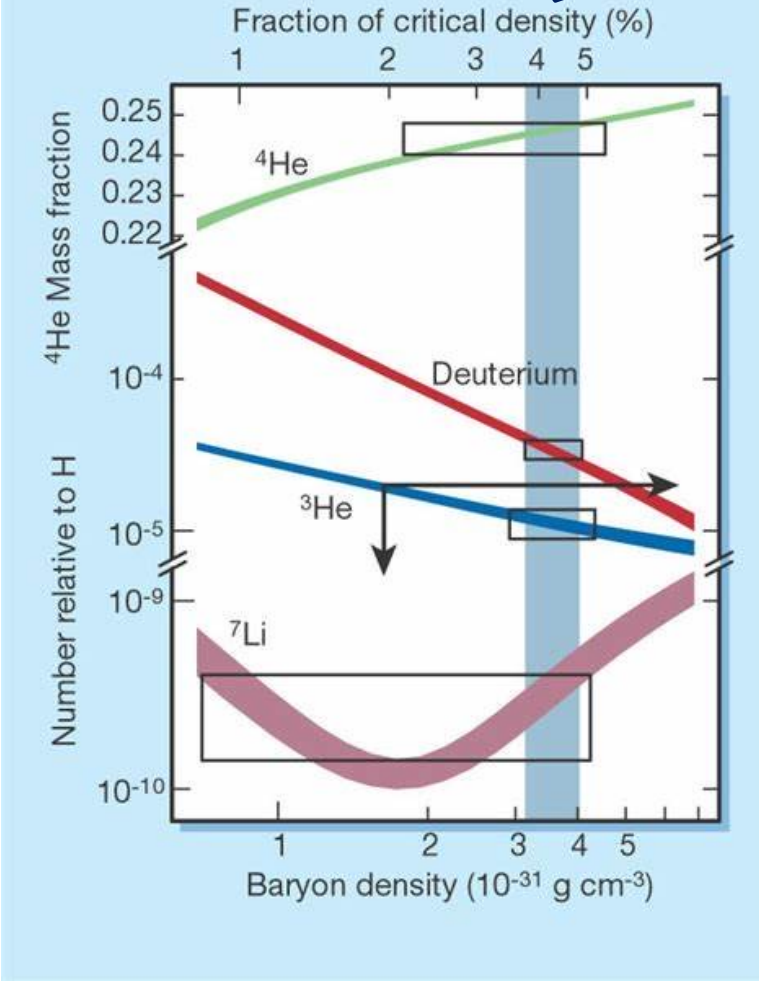
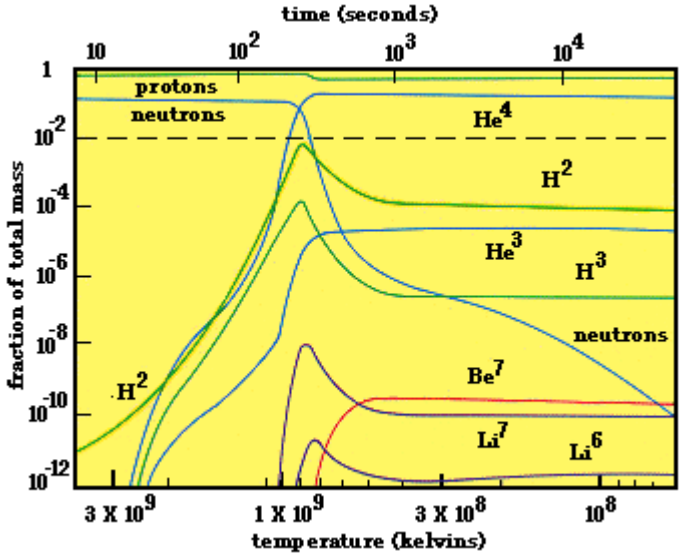


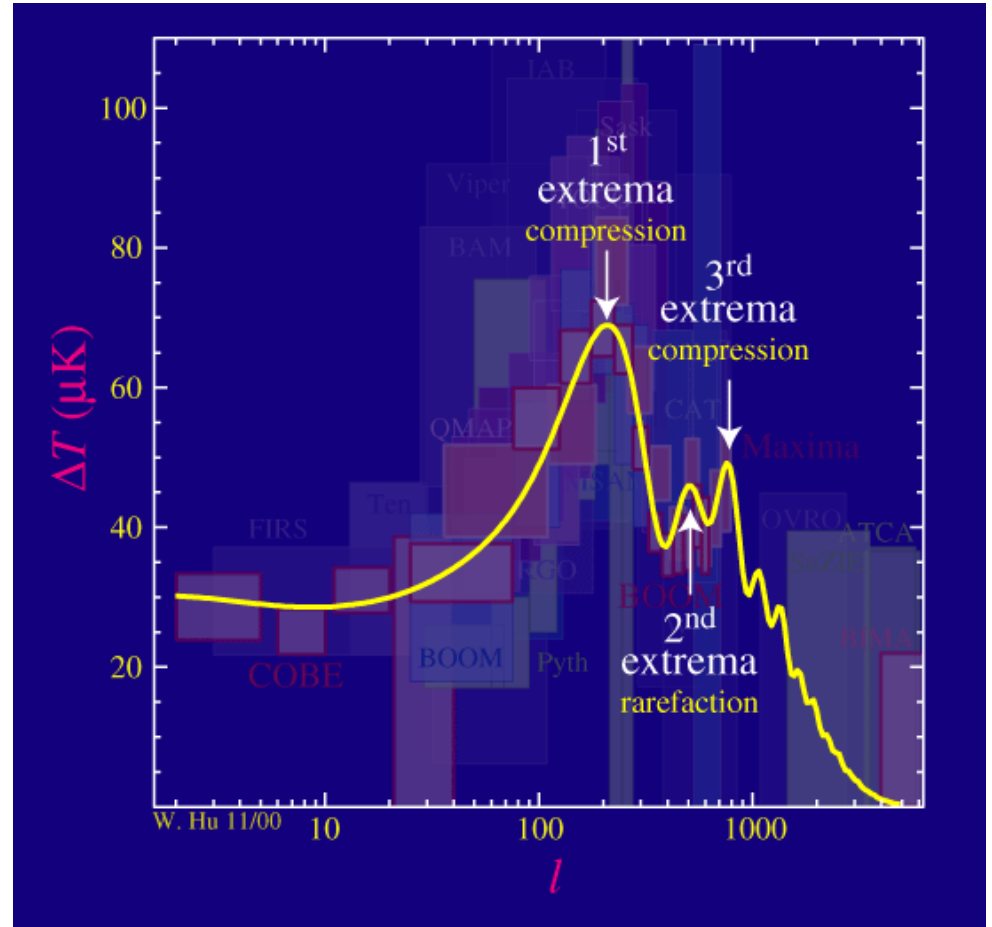
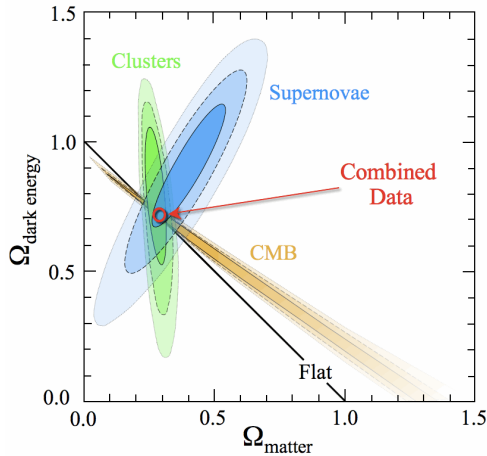
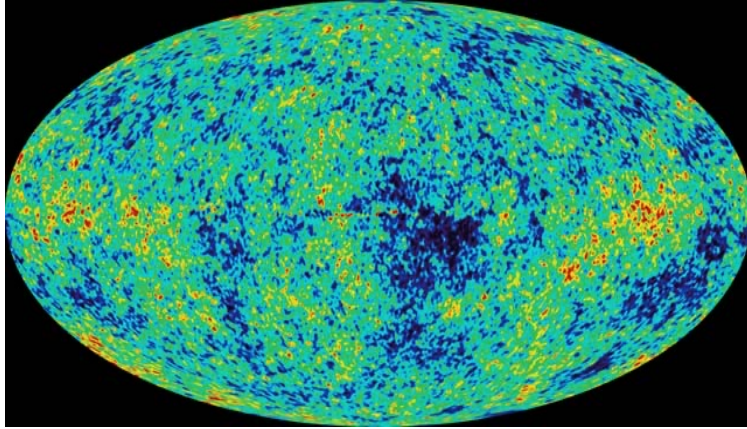
# Evidence 6: BBN and CMB

**baryonic matter  
4-5%**



**Deuterium  
bottleneck**

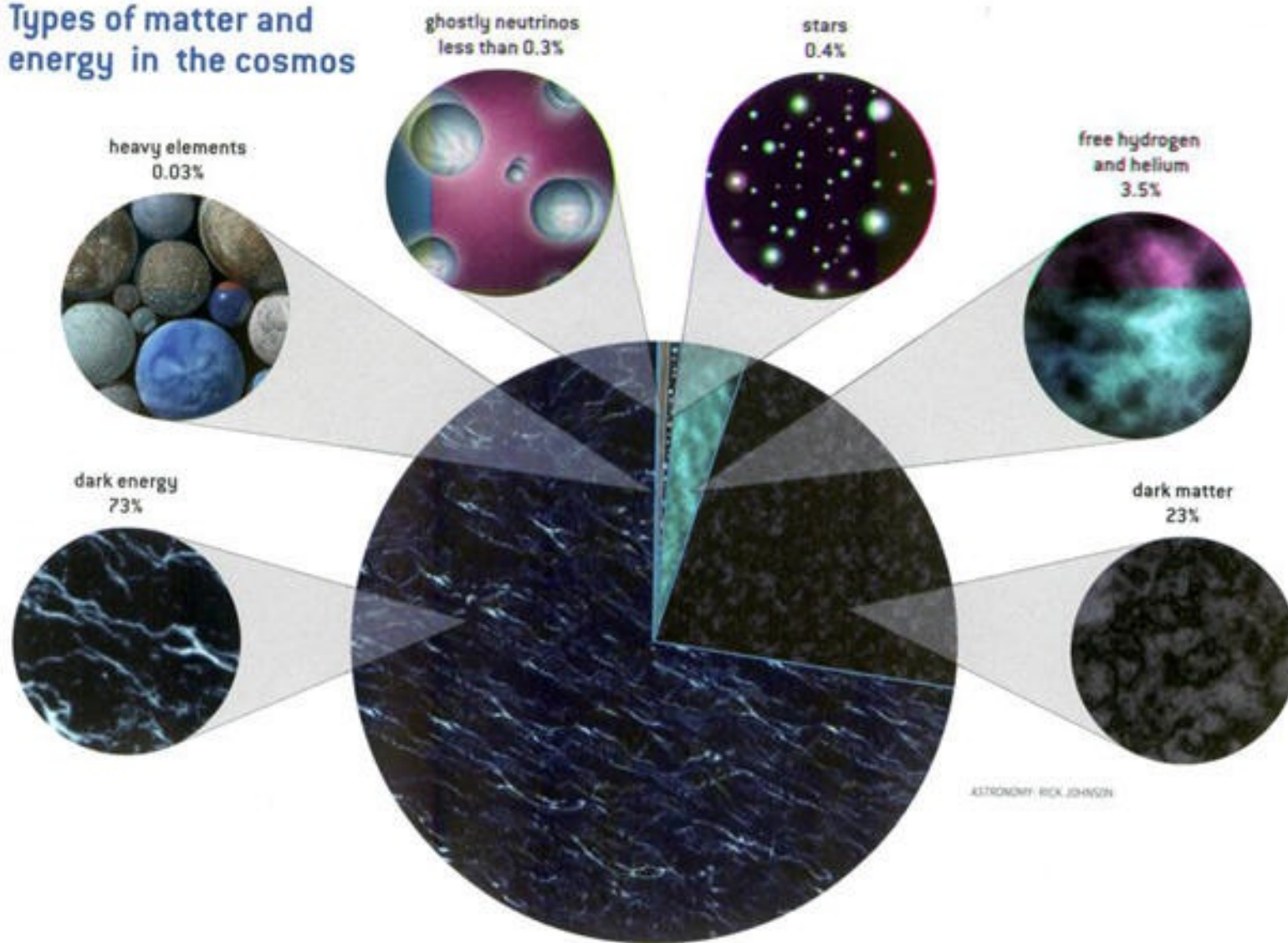




$$\Omega_{\Lambda} = 0.728^{+0.015}_{-0.016}; \Omega_{DM} h^2 = 0.1123 \pm 0.0035; \Omega_b h^2 = 0.02260 \pm 0.00053$$

# 宇宙的常规物质是少数

## Types of matter and energy in the cosmos

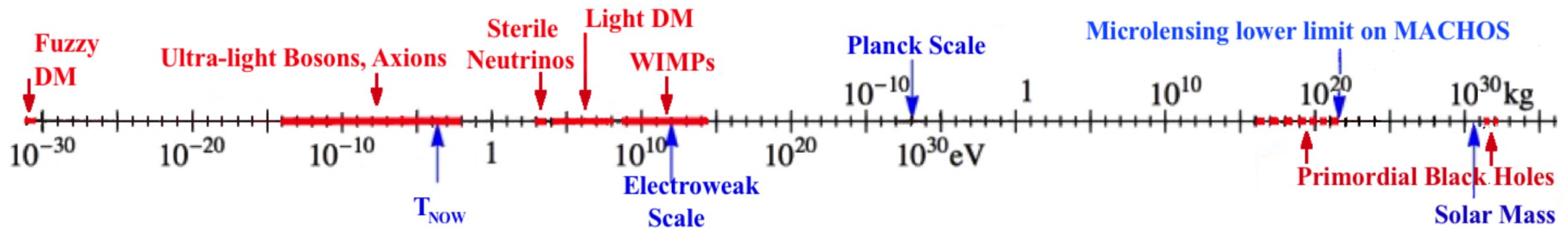
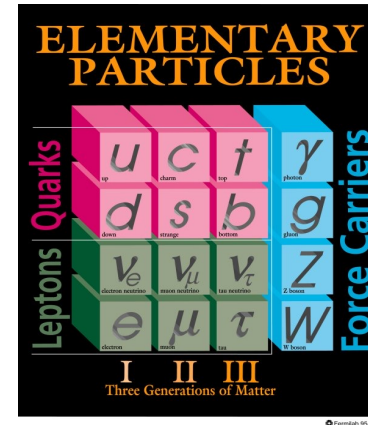


# 暗物质候选者？

## Dark Matter 基本特点

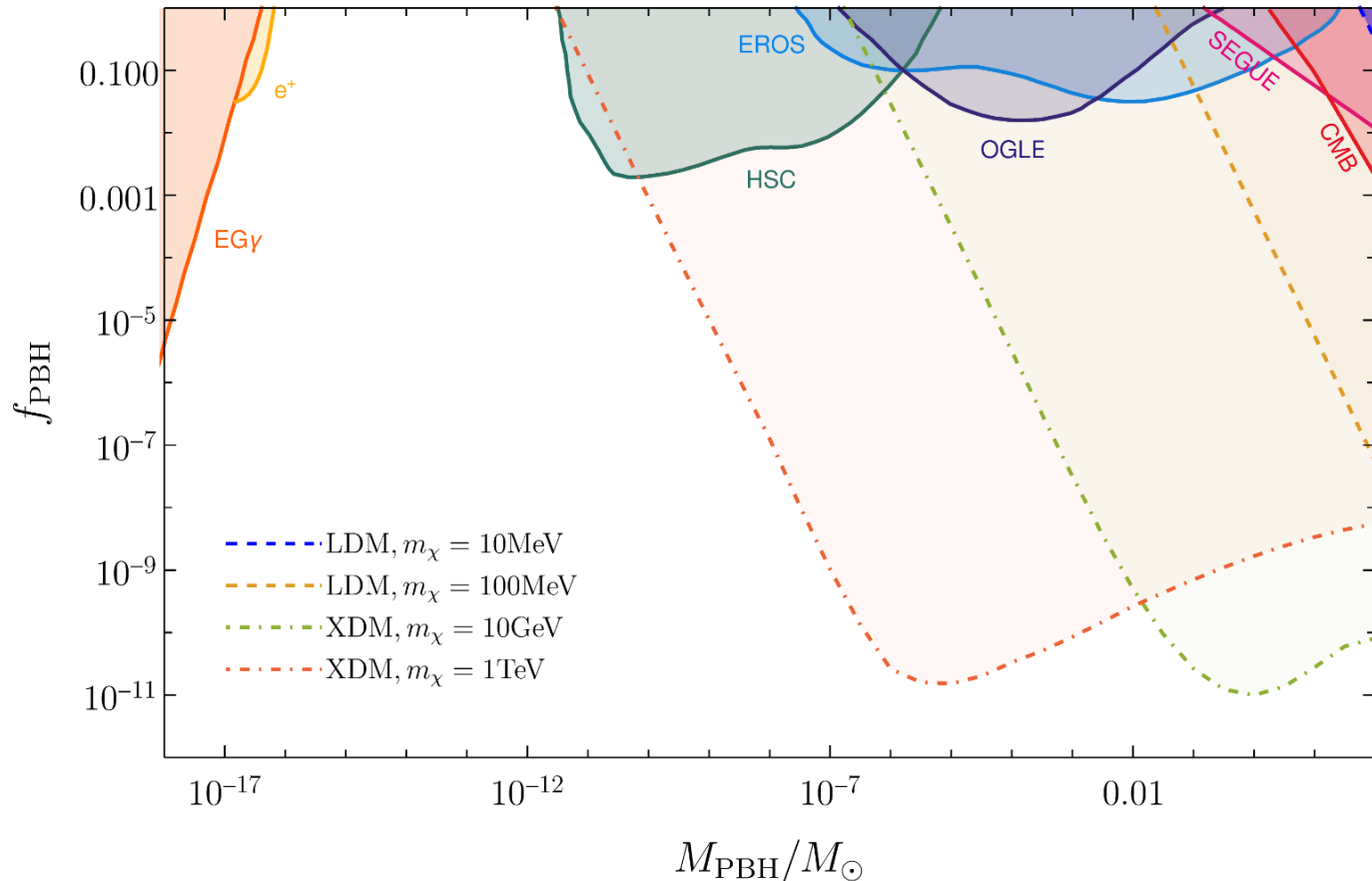
1. 有质量（参与引力作用）
2. 稳定粒子（寿命长于宇宙年龄）
3. 不带电荷（基本无电磁相互作用）
4. 非重子物质（不由夸克组成）
5. 非相对论性运动（冷暗物质）

DM 非任何已知基本粒子！



- 原初黑洞 ( $10^{40} - 10^{55}$  GeV)
- 超重暗物质：WIMPzilla  $10^{15}$  GeV
- 常规 WIMPs 暗物质理论模型 (GeV- 1 TeV)
  - e.g MSSM, Extra dimension, Little Higgs, Singlet DM models
- 轻DM 粒子 (keV) Sterile neutrinos
- 极轻暗物质 ( $10^{-10} - 10^{-22}$  eV) Axion and Axion-like particles , Fuzzy DM

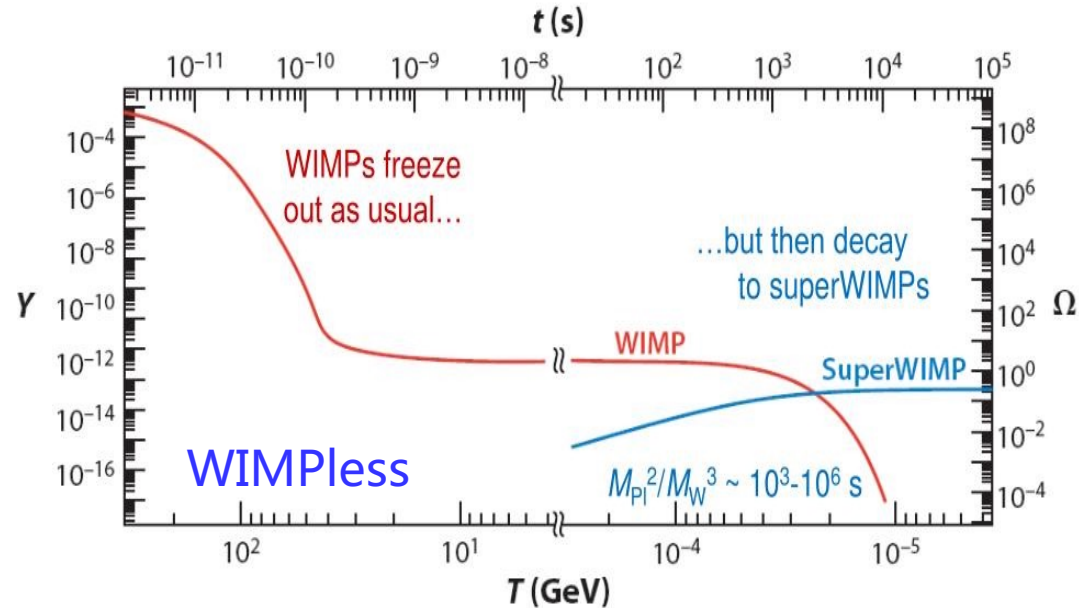
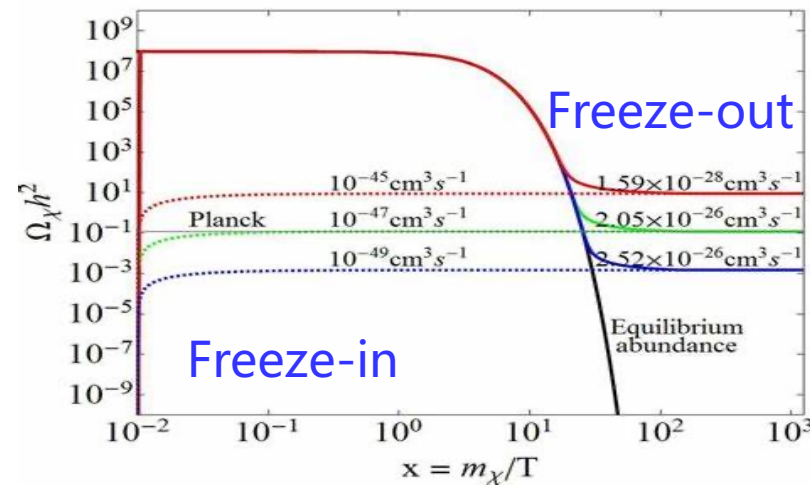
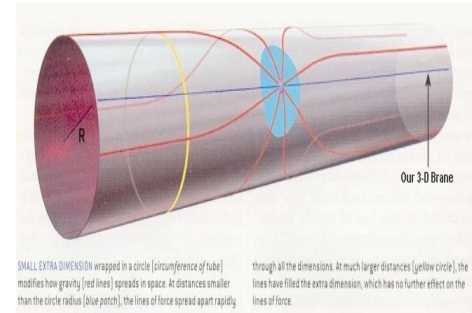
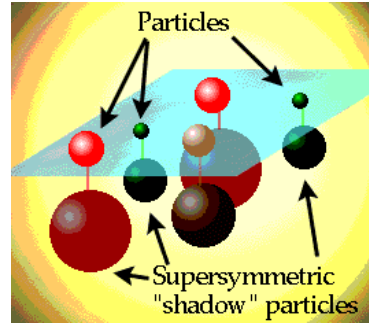
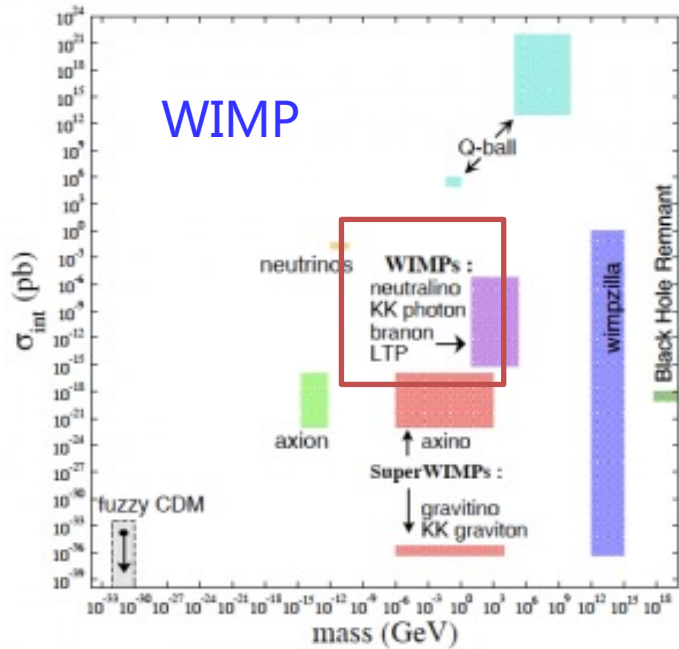
# Primordial Black holes (PBH)



- ❑ 目前各种观测尚未完全排除原初黑洞作为全部暗物质的候选者
  - ❑ 原初黑洞与暗物质用相互作用，带来新的探测可能性
- Cai, et al (2020)



# WIMP, SuperWIMP, Freeze-out (in)

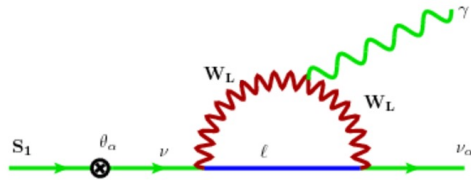


# Sterile neutrino

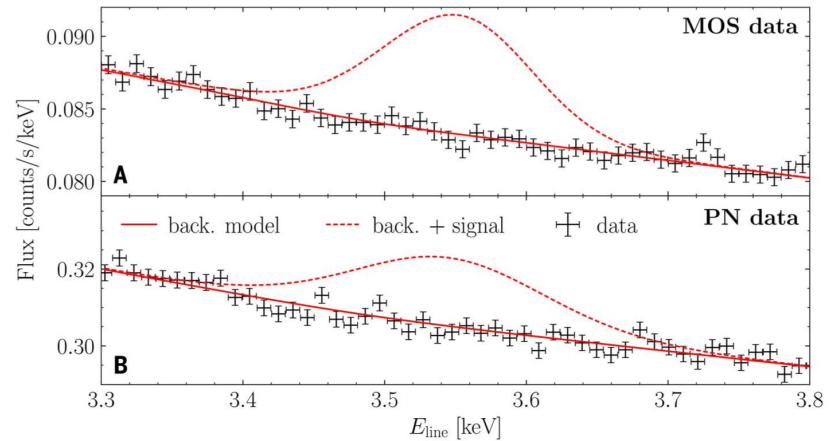
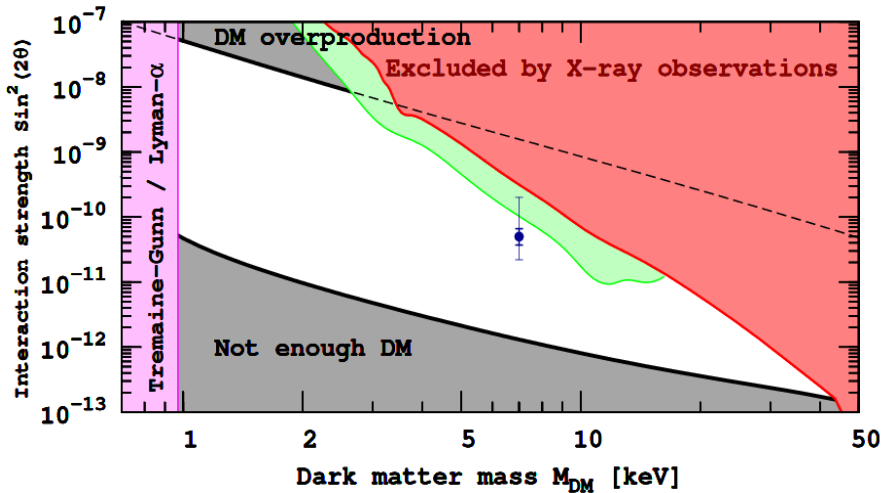
惰性中微子是标准模型的最小扩展之一

- ❑ 中微子振荡, LSND, MiniBooNE
- ❑ 宇宙中物质-反物质不对称 Leptogenesis
- ❑ 暗物质粒子, warm dark matter
- ❑ The 3.5 keV X-ray line

SM						nuMSM					
mass	2.4 MeV	1.27 GeV	171.2 GeV	mass	2.4 MeV	1.27 GeV	171.2 GeV				
charge	$\frac{2}{3}$	$\frac{2}{3}$	$\frac{2}{3}$	charge	$\frac{2}{3}$	$\frac{2}{3}$	$\frac{2}{3}$				
name	u	c	t	name	u	c	t				
	Left up	Left charm	Left top		Left up	Left charm	Left top				
	Right	Right	Right		Right	Right	Right				
Quarks	4.8 MeV	104 MeV	4.2 GeV	Quarks	4.8 MeV	104 MeV	4.2 GeV				
	$-\frac{1}{3}$	$-\frac{1}{3}$	$-\frac{1}{3}$		$-\frac{1}{3}$	$-\frac{1}{3}$	$-\frac{1}{3}$				
	d	s	b		d	s	b				
	Left down	Left strange	Left bottom		Left down	Left strange	Left bottom				
	Right	Right	Right		Right	Right	Right				
	0 eV	0 eV	0 eV		<0.0001 eV	~10 keV	~0.01 eV				
	$\nu_e$	$\nu_\mu$	$\nu_\tau$		$\nu_e$	$N_1$	$\nu_\mu$				
	electron neutrino	muon neutrino	tau neutrino		electron neutrino	sterile neutrino	sterile neutrino				
	0.511 MeV	105.7 MeV	1.777 GeV		0.511 MeV	105.7 MeV	1.777 GeV				
Leptons	-1	-1	-1	Leptons	-1	-1	-1				
	e	$\mu$	$\tau$		e	$\mu$	$\tau$				
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大范围观测未证实3.5 keV 线谱存在



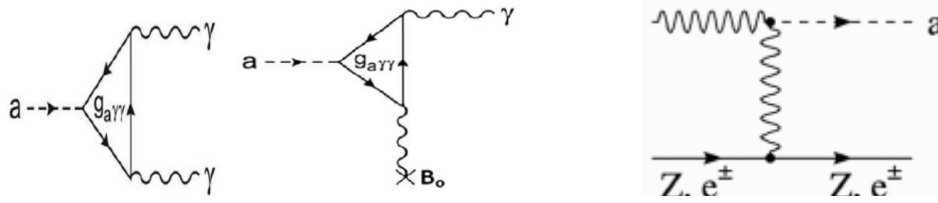
C. Dessler, et al (2020) Science.

A. Boyarsky, et al, 1402.4119

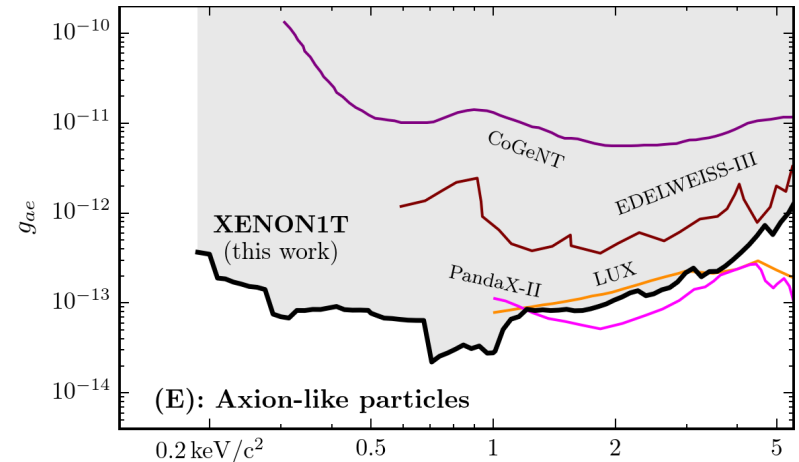
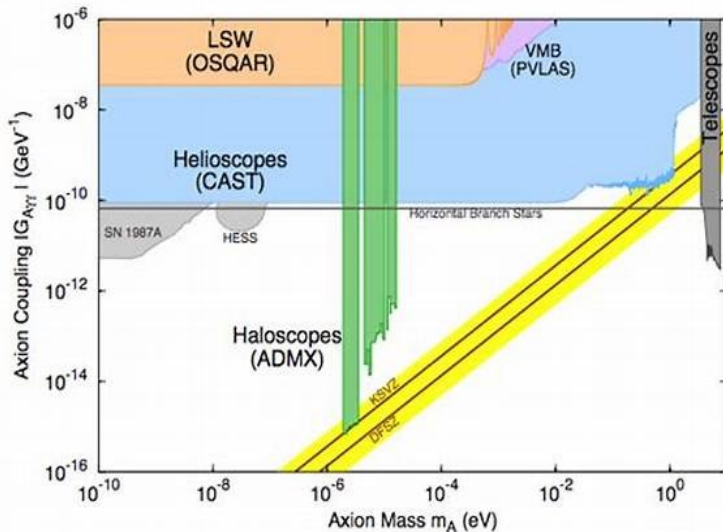
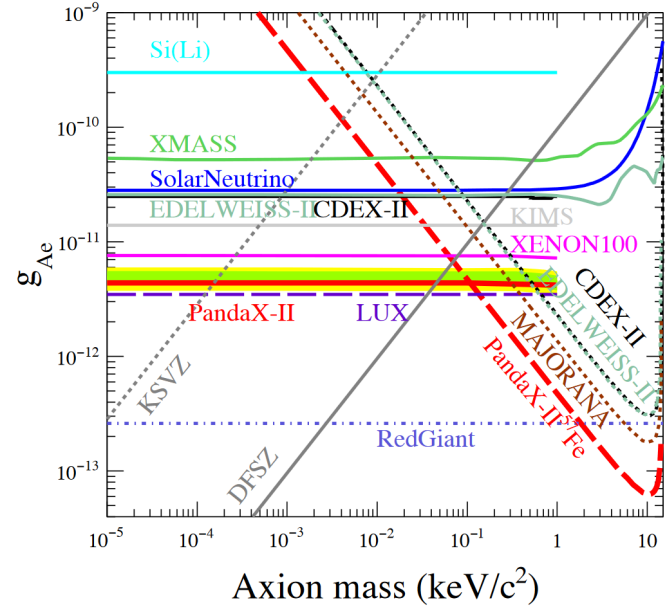
# Axion and Axion-like-particles (ALP)

轴子最早为解决强CP破缺问题而引入

- ❑ 轴子与光子耦合
- ❑ 一些模型中轴子和电子耦合 (DSFZ)
- ❑ 轴子可以是冷暗物质粒子, 大量类轴子模型



$$\mathcal{L} = -\frac{1}{4}F_{\mu\nu}^2 + \frac{1}{2}(\partial_\mu a \partial^\mu a - m^2 a^2) + \frac{g_{a\gamma}}{4}aF_{\mu\nu}\tilde{F}^{\mu\nu},$$



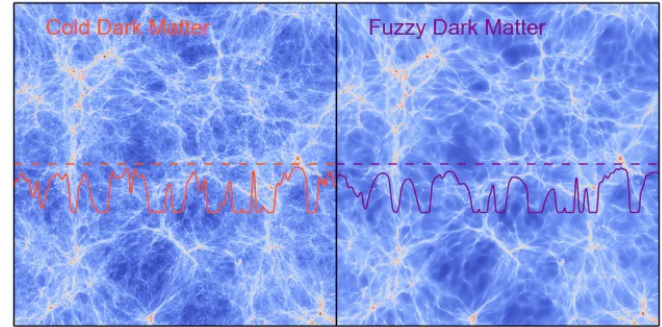
# Fuzzy DM

Fuzzy DM 能解决小尺度结构形成中的一些问题

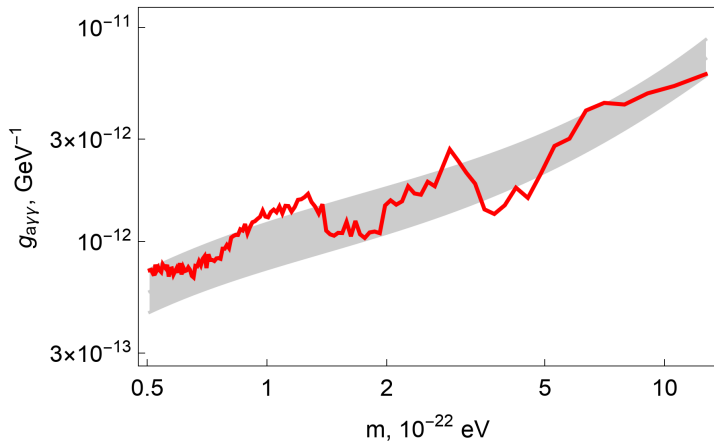
- I. Cusp-Core
- II. Missing satellites
- III. Too-big-to-fail

质量在  $10^{-22}$  eV 附近的玻色子暗物质粒子 ( axion-like )

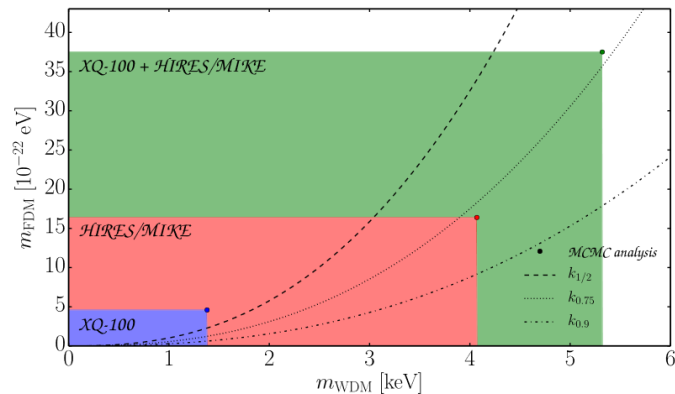
- ❑ 超冷玻色-爱因斯坦凝聚
- ❑ 改变电磁波传播极化
- ❑ 影响结构形成 ( Lyman-alpha )
- ❑ 影响引力波传播



$$\mathcal{L} = -\frac{1}{4}F_{\mu\nu}^2 + \frac{1}{2}(\partial_\mu a \partial^\mu a - m^2 a^2) + \frac{g_{a\gamma}}{4} a F_{\mu\nu} \tilde{F}^{\mu\nu},$$



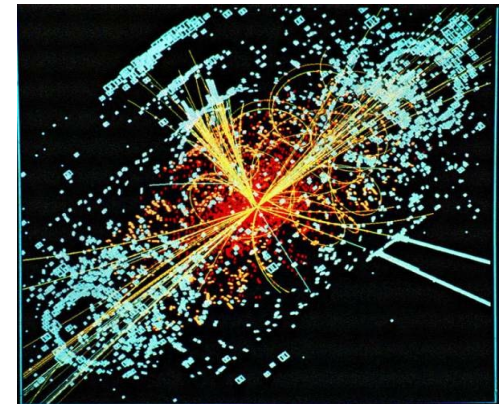
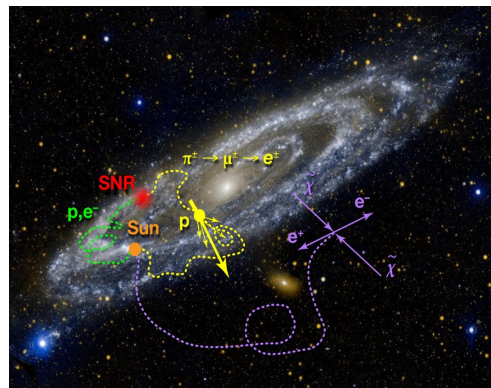
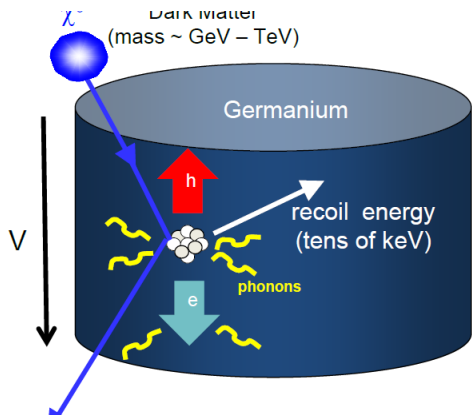
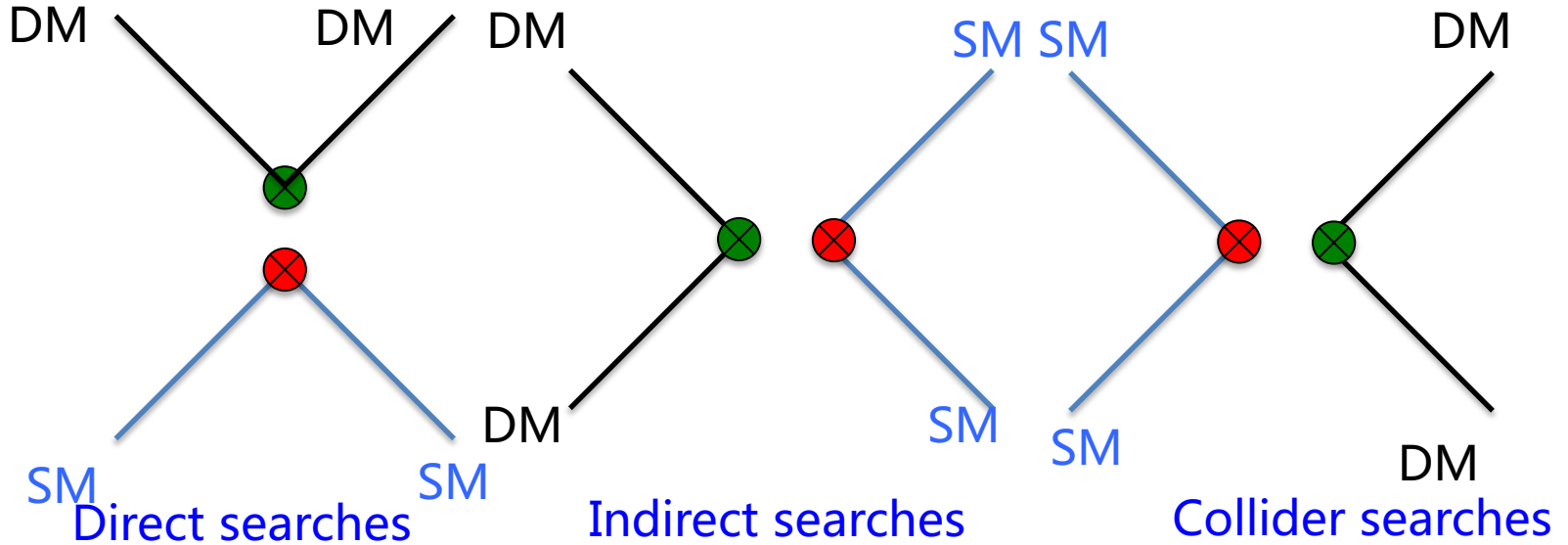
AGN radio 观测限制, M. Ivanov (2019)



Lyman-alpha 观测, V. Irsic (2017)

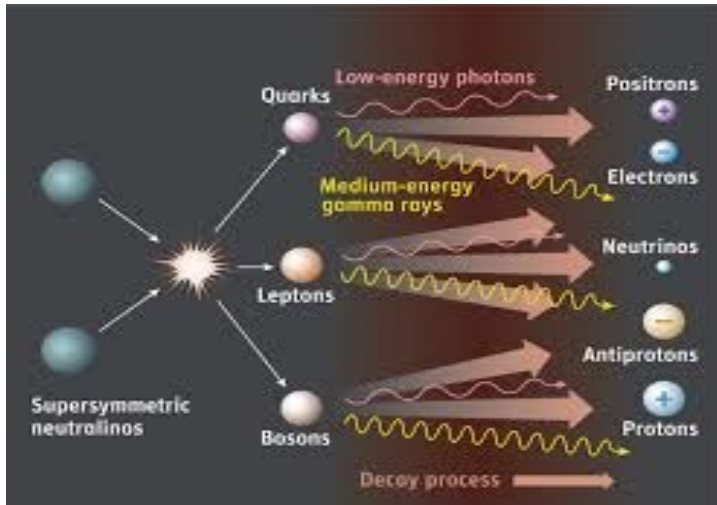
# 如何探测暗物质？

DM may interact with SM particles (weakly)



Connecting the three type of detections may not be straightforward

# DM indirect detections

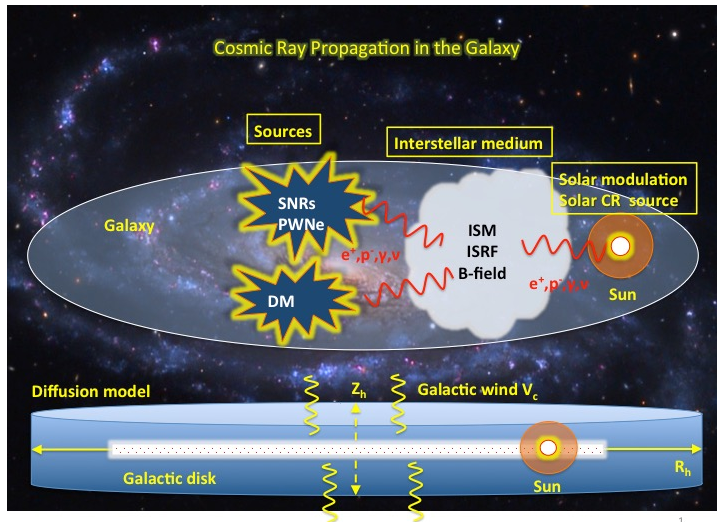


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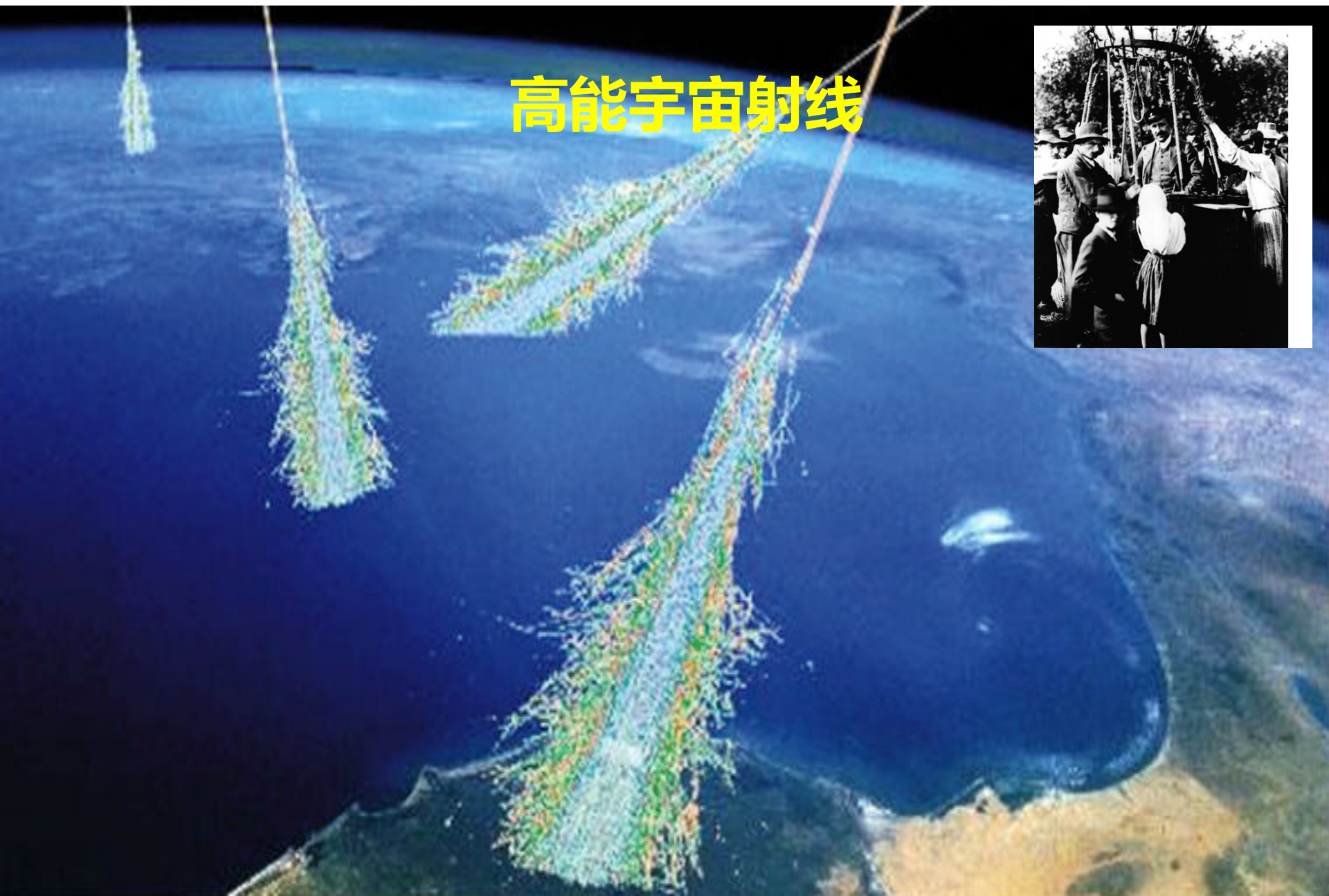
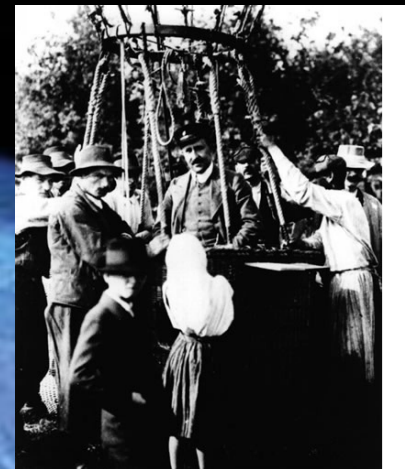
- Probe DM annihilation, test the WIMP scenario
- Tiny signals enhanced by huge volume of the DM halo
- Many observables: CR leptons, hadrons, photons in multi-wave lengths. *Both* energy spectra and morphology
- Already place stringent constraints on DM

## Difficulties

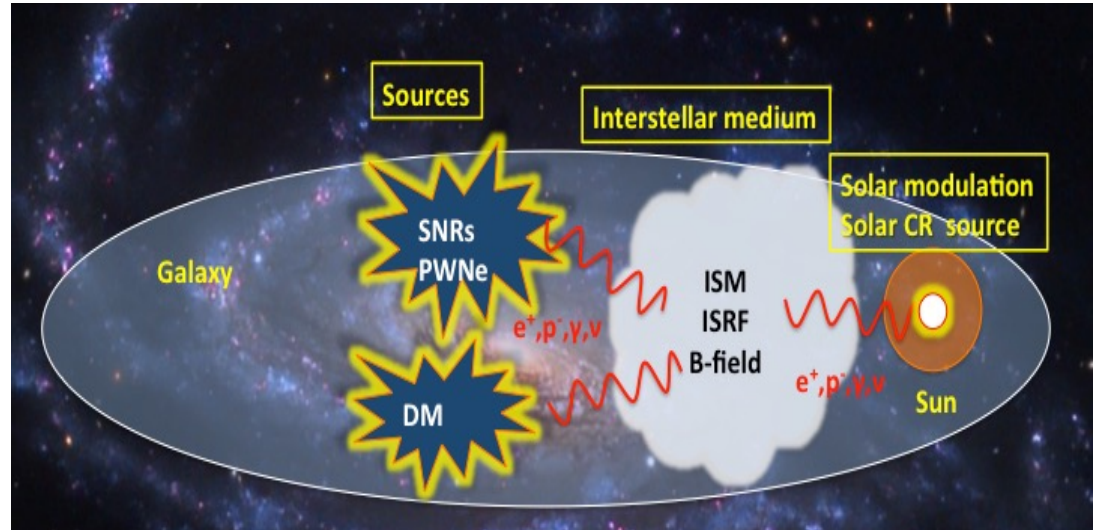
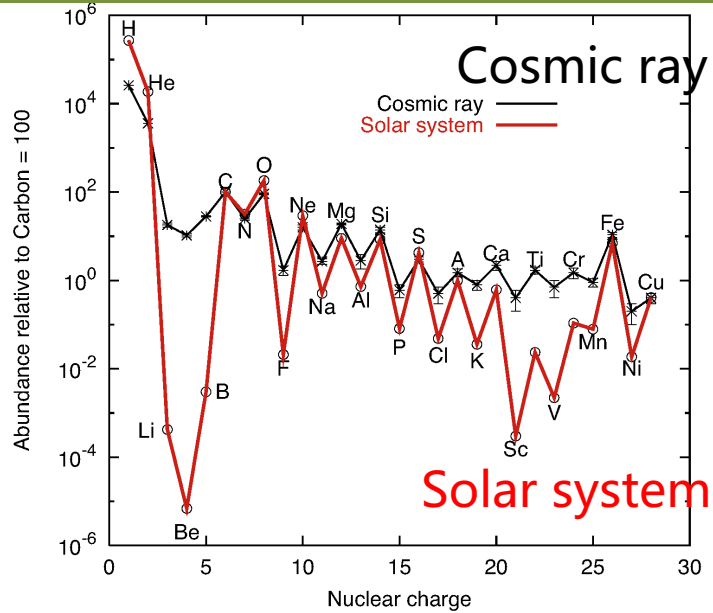
- Hard to distinguish DM “signal” from “background”
- Information lost of charged CRs (after propagation)
  - spectrum change due to E-dependent propagation,
  - convection, re-acceleration, E-loss
  - anisotropic source -->almost isotropic signals
- Significant uncertainties in theoretical predictions
  - models of CR propagation,
  - distributions of ISM,
  - interaction cross sections,
  - Solar modulation



# 高能宇宙射线



# Introduction: propagation of CRs in the Galaxy

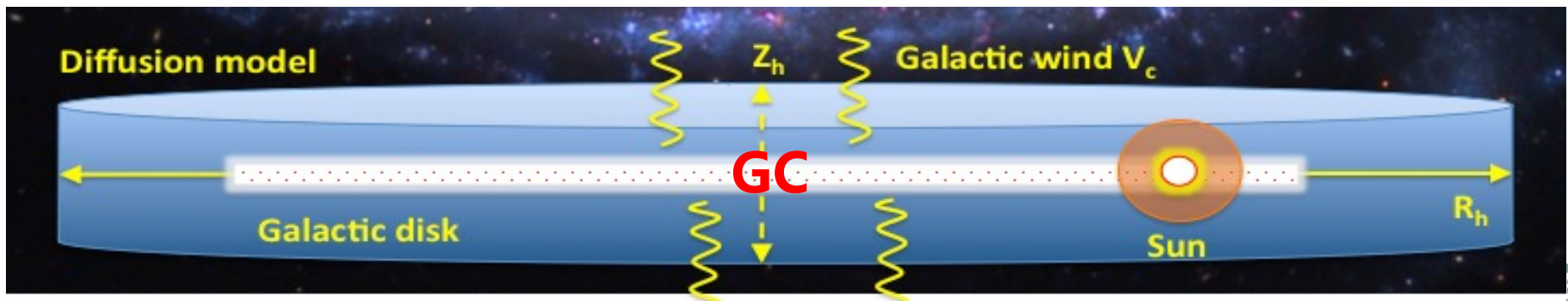


**Source of CRs:** SNRs, PWNe, AGNs, DM ...

**High B/C ratio:** CRs trapped in the Galaxy for millions of years! ( $C + H \rightarrow B + X$ )

**Random magnetic fields:** CRs move randomly in the Galaxy

**Diffusion approximation:** CR diffusion halo:  $R_h \sim 20$  kpc,  $Z_h \sim 1-5$  kpc with isotropic  $D_{xx}$





# Cosmic-ray transportation equation

$$\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} = \nabla \cdot (D_{xx} \nabla \psi - \mathbf{V}_c \psi) + \frac{\partial}{\partial p} p^2 D_{pp} \frac{\partial}{\partial p} \frac{1}{p^2} \psi - \frac{\partial}{\partial p} \left[ \dot{p} \psi - \frac{p}{3} (\nabla \cdot \mathbf{V}_c) \psi \right] - \frac{1}{\tau_f} \psi - \frac{1}{\tau_r} \psi + q(\mathbf{r}, p)$$

Diagram labels for the equation:

- diffusion (points to  $\nabla \cdot (D_{xx} \nabla \psi - \mathbf{V}_c \psi)$ )
- convection (points to  $\mathbf{V}_c \psi$ )
- E-loss (points to  $-\frac{\partial}{\partial p} \left[ \dot{p} \psi - \frac{p}{3} (\nabla \cdot \mathbf{V}_c) \psi \right]$ )
- reacceleration (points to  $\frac{\partial}{\partial p} p^2 D_{pp} \frac{\partial}{\partial p} \frac{1}{p^2} \psi$ )
- fragmentation (points to  $-\frac{1}{\tau_f} \psi$ )
- decay (points to  $-\frac{1}{\tau_r} \psi$ )
- source (points to  $+ q(\mathbf{r}, p)$ )

## Sources of CRs

- **Primary** sources from SNR, pulsars
- **Primary** sources from WIMP
- **Secondary** source from CR fragmentation

## Processes in Propagation

- Diffusion (**random B field**)
- Convection (**galactic wind**)
- Reacceleration (**turbulence**)
- Energy loss: **Ionization, IC, Synchrotron, bremsstrahlung**
- Fragmentation (**inelastic scattering**)
- Radioactive decay (**unstable species**)

## Solar modulation

## Uncertainties

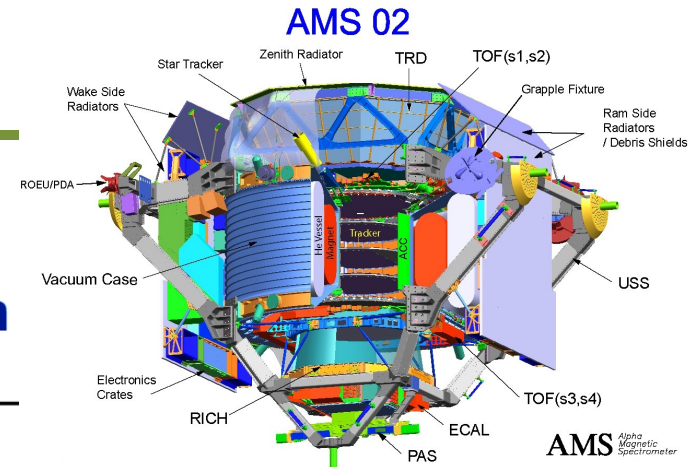
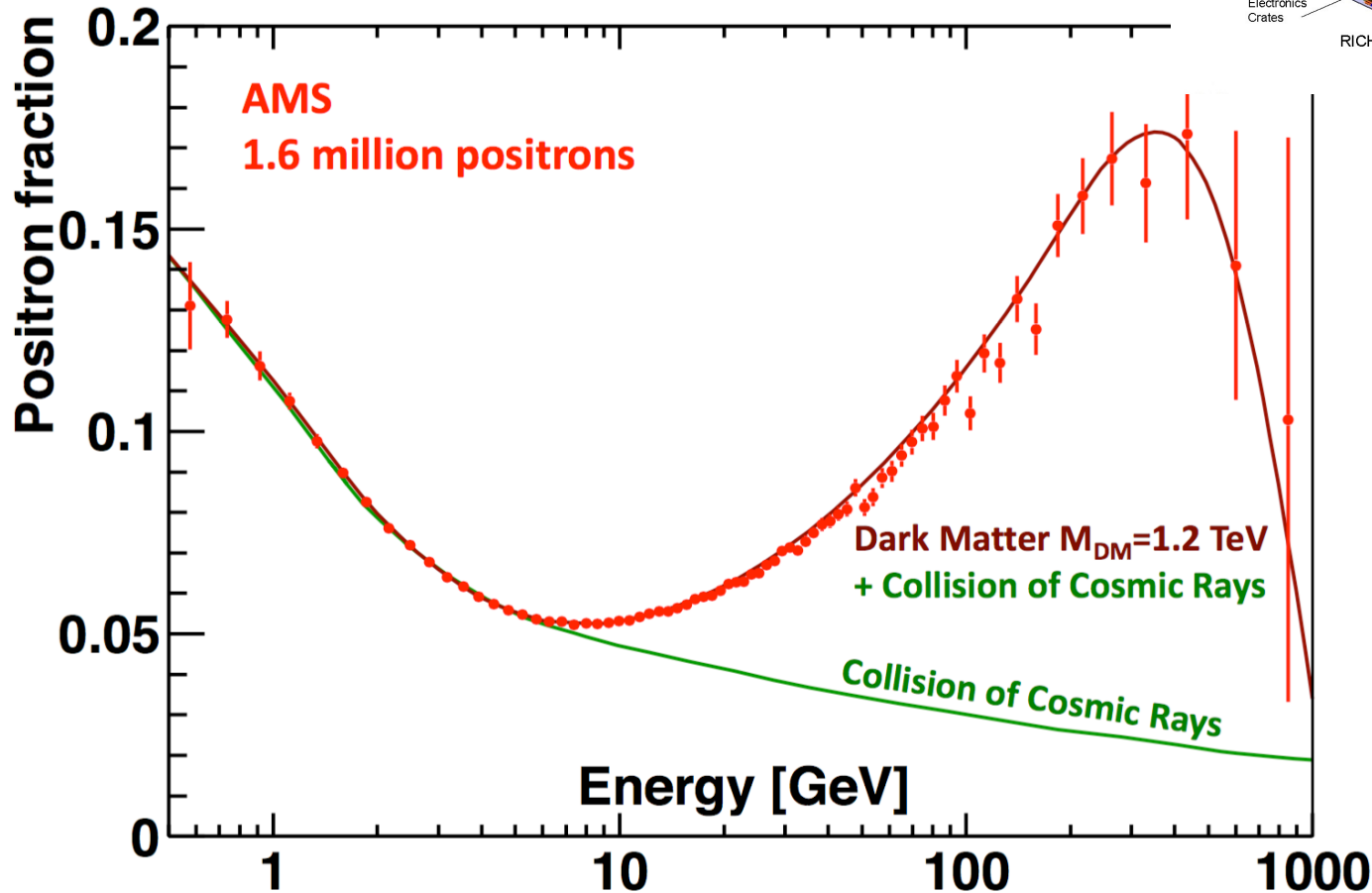
- Distribution of primary sources
- Parameters in the diffusion equation
- Cross sections for nuclei fragmentation
- Distribution of B field
- Distribution of gas

## Approaches

- Semi-analytical: two-zone diffusion model
- Numerical solution using realistic astrophysical data. GALPROP/Dragon code

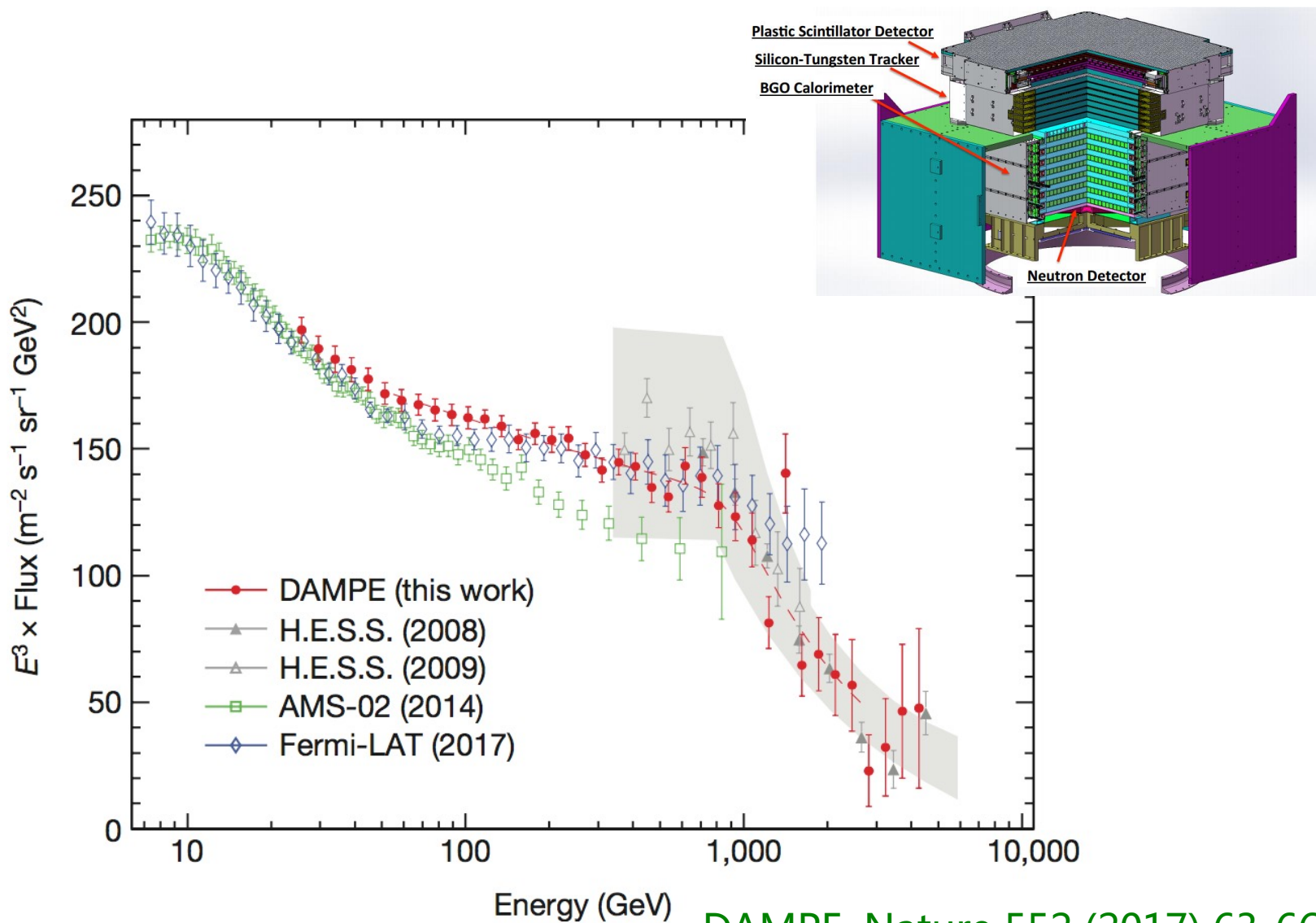
# 宇宙正电子反常 (PAMELA, AMS-02)

## AMS results on the Positron Fraction



Dark Matter model is based on J. Kopp, Phys. Rev. D 88, 076013 (2013).

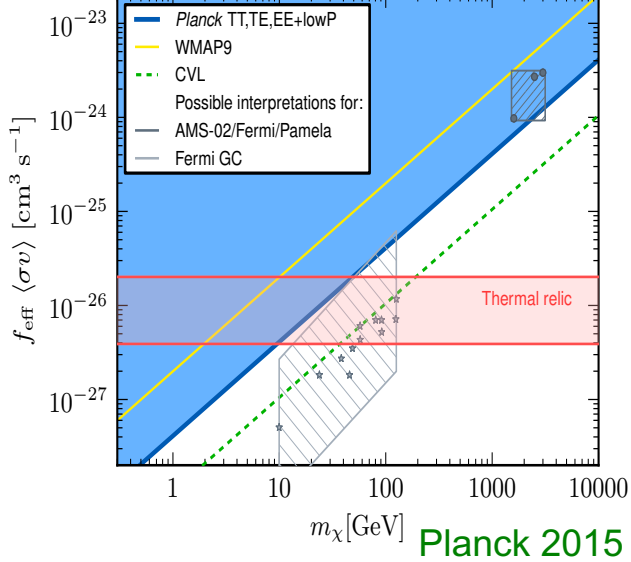
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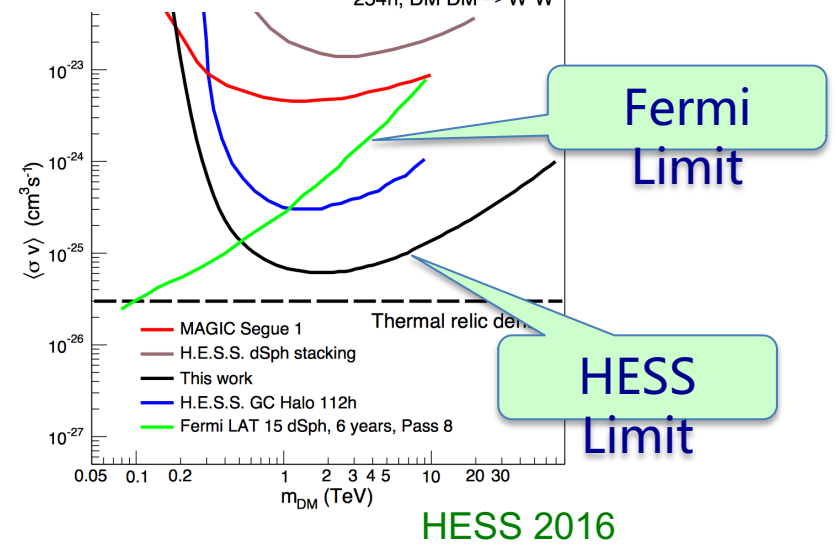
DAMPE, Nature 552 (2017) 63-66

# Stringent constraints on DM interpretations

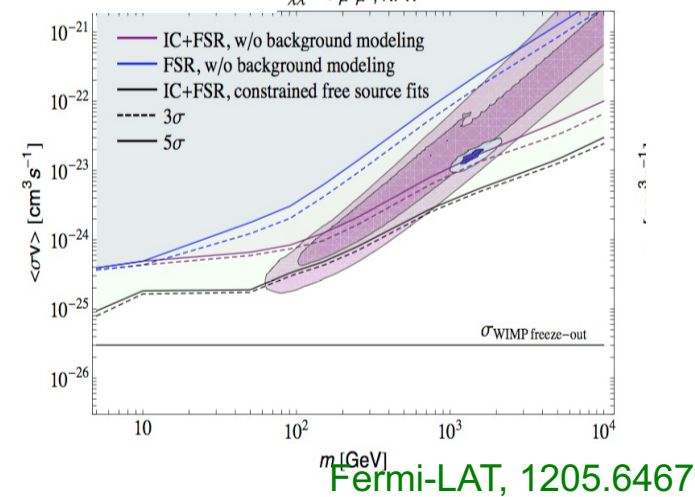
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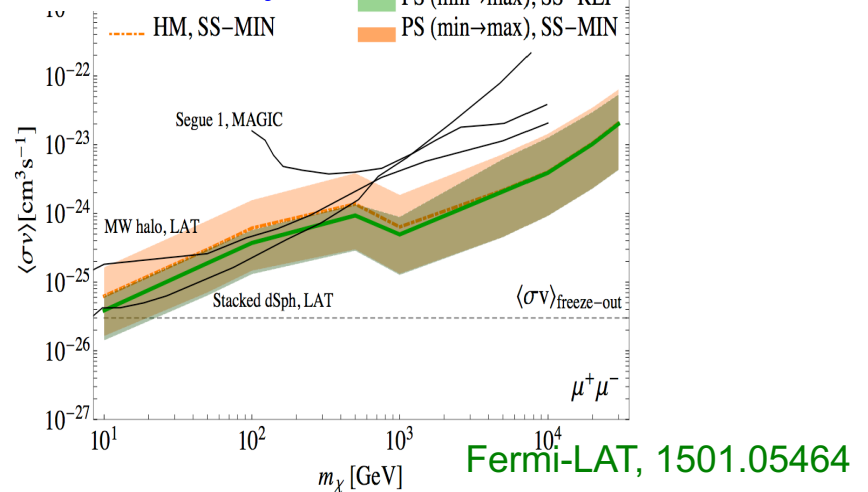
## Galactic Center



## Galactic halo

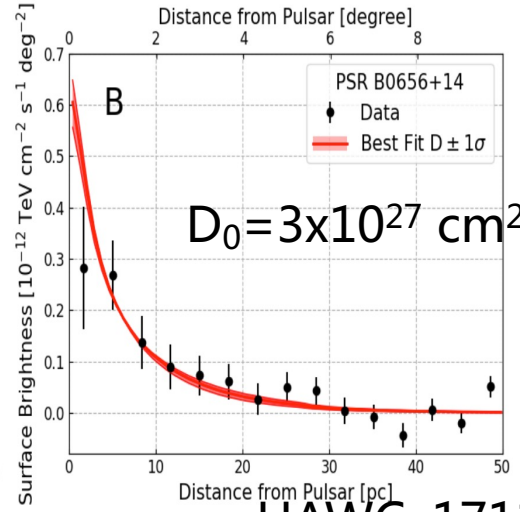
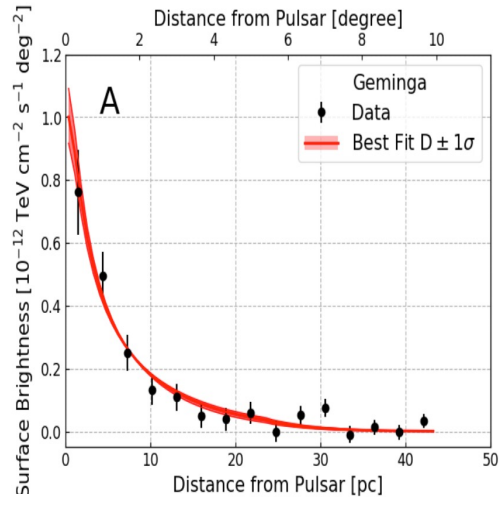
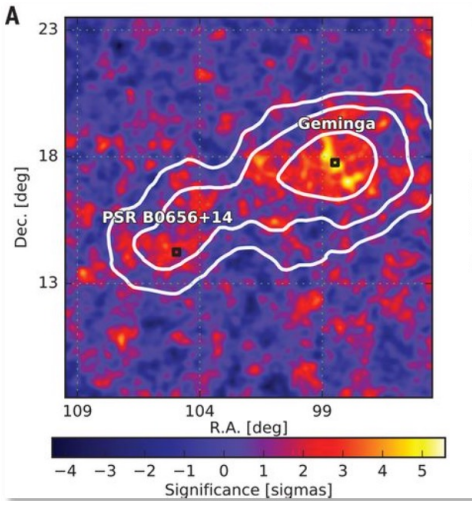


## Extra Galaxy



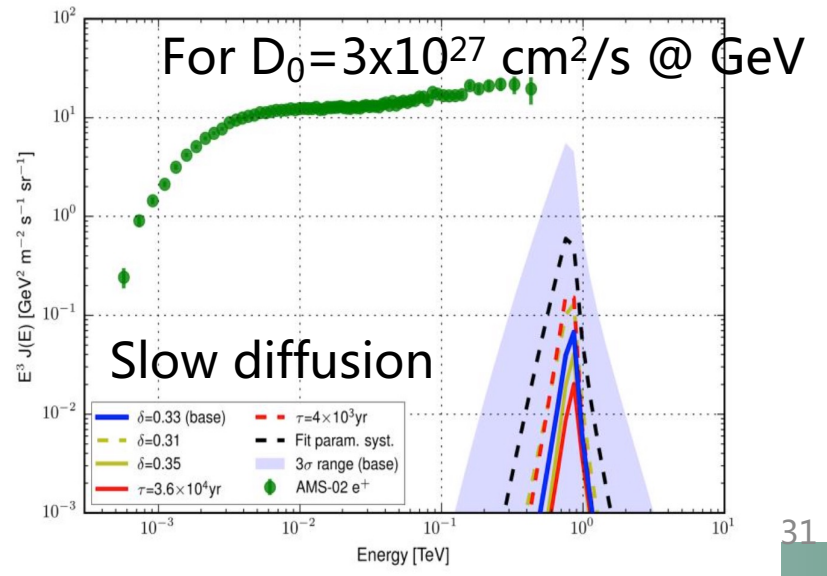
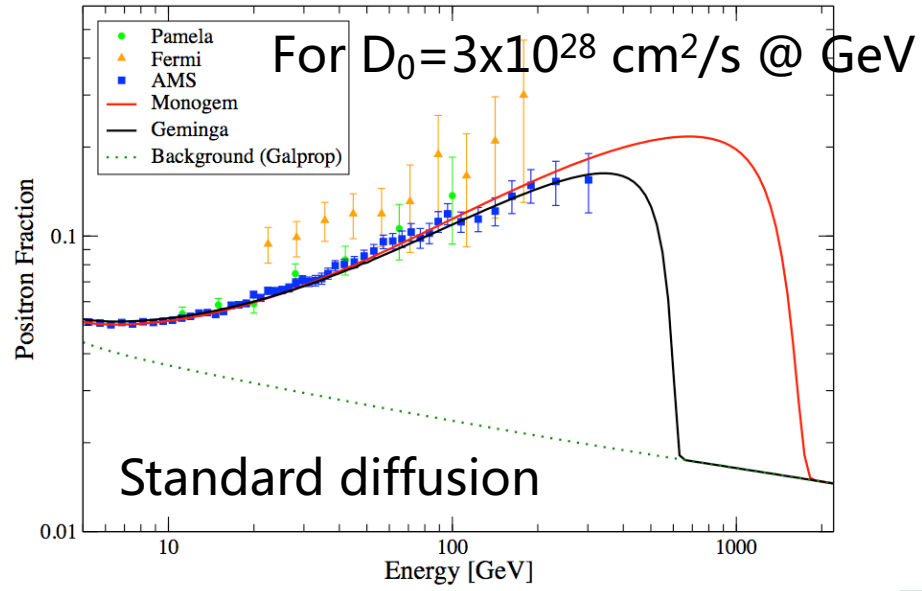
# pulsar interpretations: challenges from the HAWC data

HAWC show unexpected slow diffusion of electrons from Geminga and PSR B065

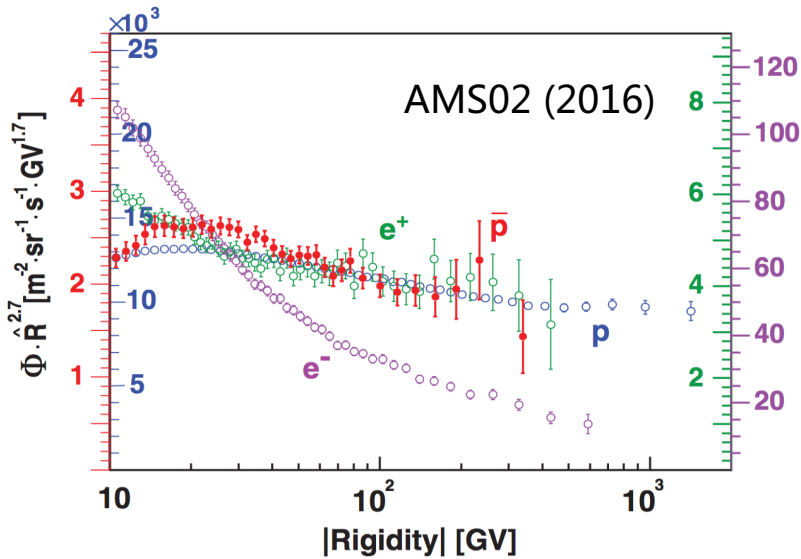


$D_0 = 3 \times 10^{27} \text{ cm}^2/\text{s} @ \text{GeV}$

HAWC, 1711.06223



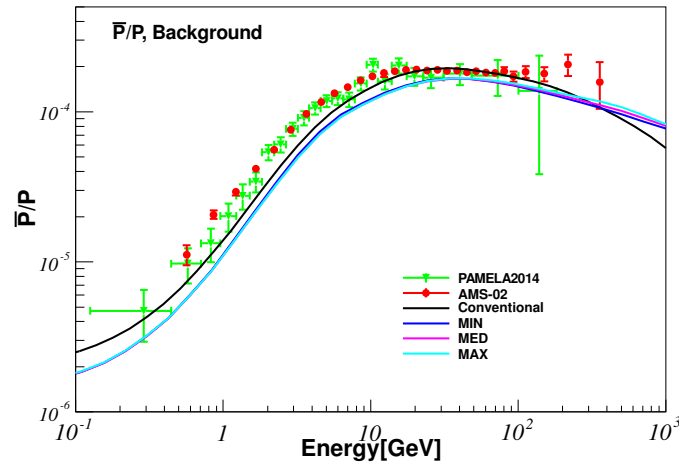
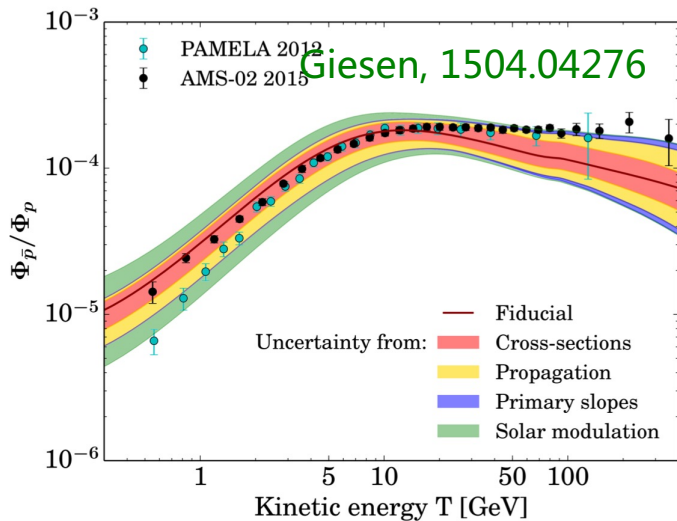
# CR antiprotons



## CR antiprotons

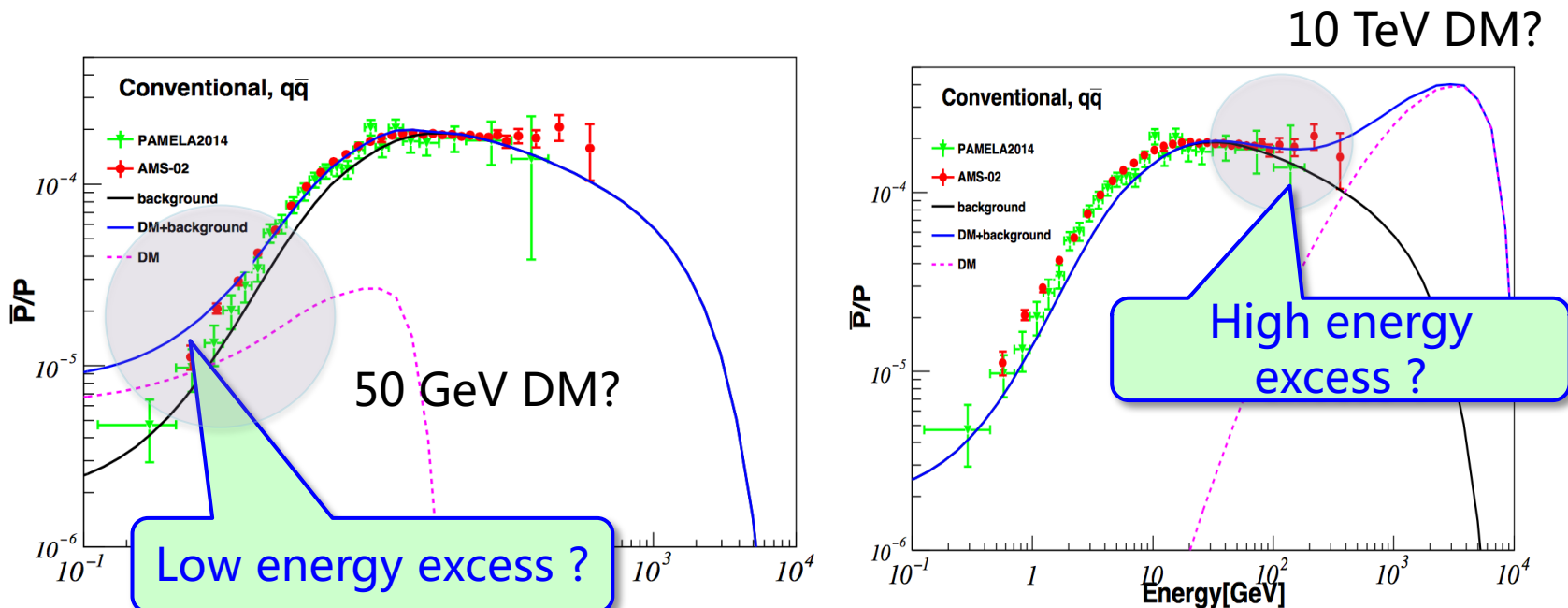
- Pulsars unlikely to contribute
- Cooling is less important compared with that for electron
- SNRs still possible sources, but strongly correlated with proton spectrum.
- More sensitive to propagation parameters and DM profile

AMS-02 data roughly consistent with the background



H.B.Jin, Y.L.Wu, YFZ, 1504.04601, PRD

# Possible excesses and DM interpretations



H.B.Jin, Y.L.Wu, YFZ arXiv:1504.04601, PRD

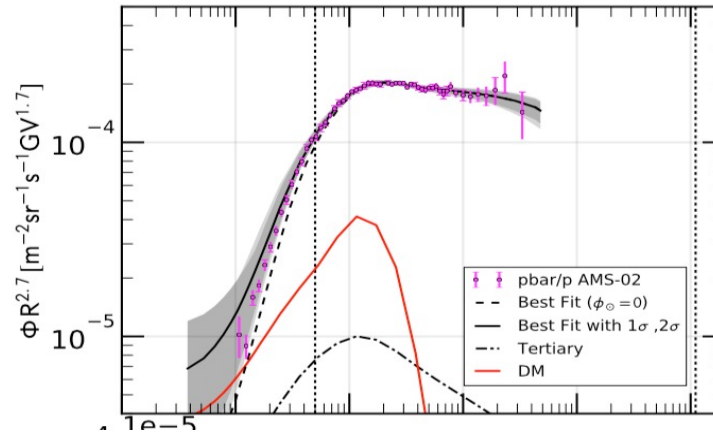
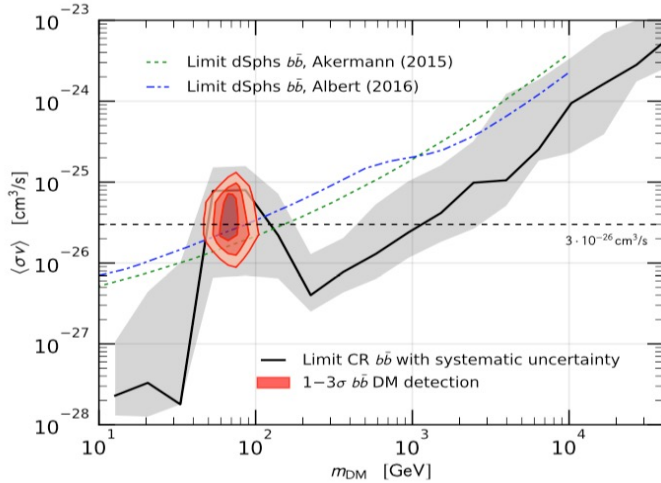
**Low energy excess:** 40-50 GeV DM to  $2b$ , thermal cross section, consistent with GC

**High energy excess:** 10 TeV DM annihilation into  $2W, 2b$ , boost factor  $\sim 10-100$

Giesen, 1504.04276; Ibe 1504.05554;  
Hamaguchi, 1404.05937; Lin, 1504.07230  
Chen, 1504.07848; Chen, 1505.00134

# antiproton “excess”: low-energy region

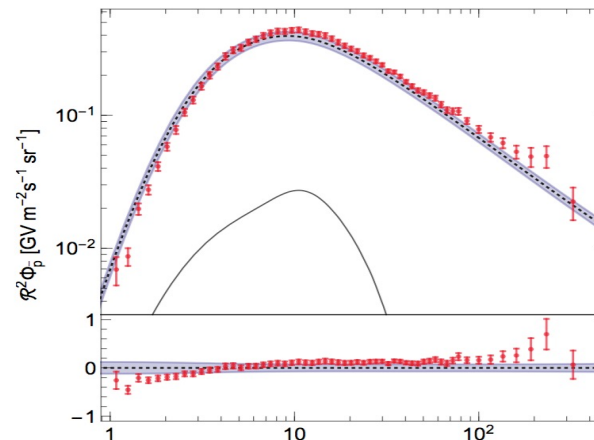
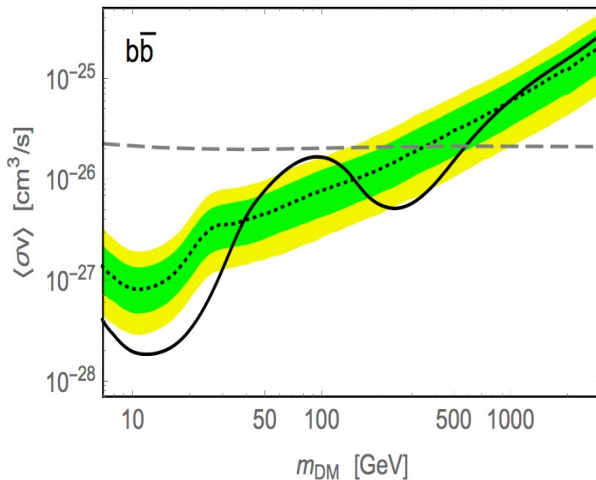
a  $4\sigma$  excess ?



Cuoco, et al, 1610.03071

Cui, et al, 1610.03840

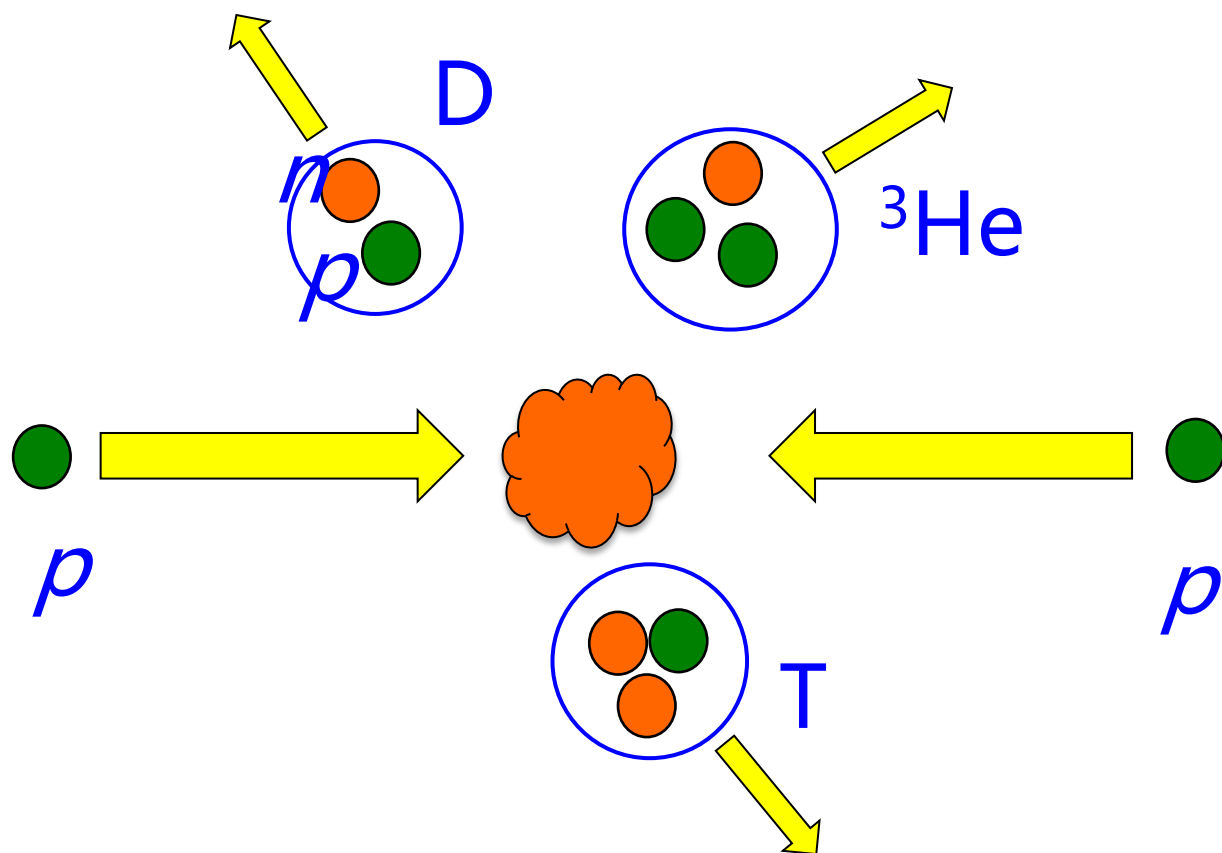
Reduce to  $2.2\sigma$  (global  $1.1\sigma$ ) after including uncertainties in hadronic cross sections



Reinert, Winker, 1712.00002



# heavy CR anti-nuclei



production threshold:  $17m_p$  (antideuteron),  $31m_p$  (antihelium)

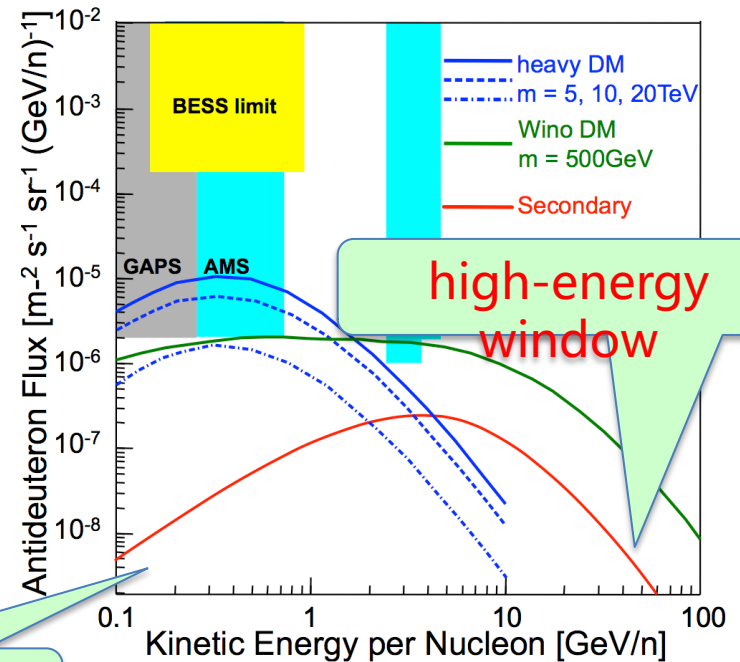
# heavy anti-nuclei

## Spectra feature of secondary anti-nuclei

- Highly boosted after production
  - production threshold:  $17m_p$  (antideuteron),  $31m_p$  (antihelium)
  - low binding energy  $\rightarrow$  less energy loss
  - leave a **low-energy window** ( $< \text{GeV}$ ) for exotic contributions
- Low production rate towards high energy
  - fast falling of primary CRs  $\sim E^{-2.7}$
  - leave a **high-energy window** ( $> 100 \text{ GeV}$ ) exotic contributions

## Major source of uncertainties

- DM profiles (NFW, Einasto, Isothermal, ..)
- CR propagation models (MIN, MED, MA)
- Models for anti-nuclei formation
  - potential models
  - coalescence models
  - thermal models



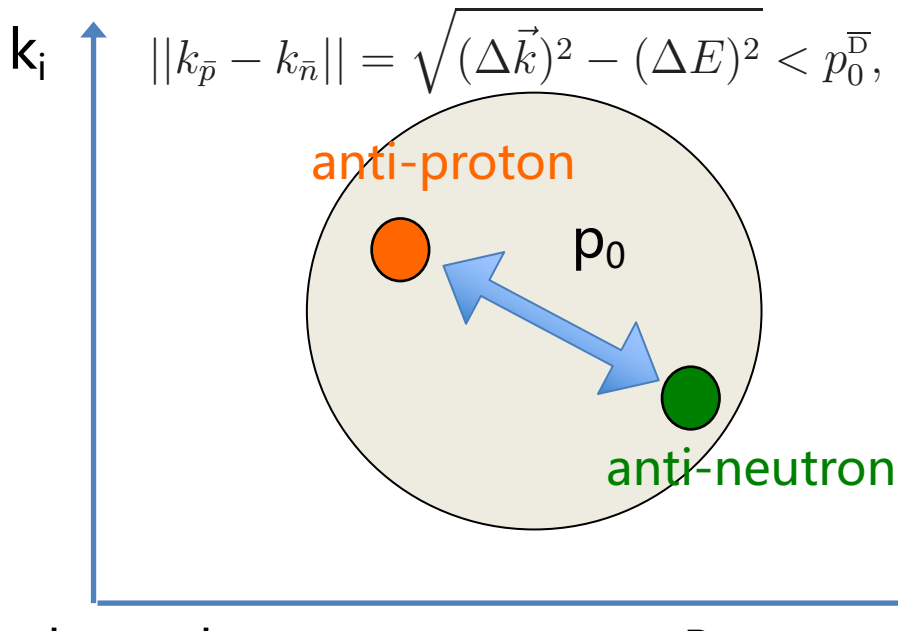
Aramaki, etal, 1505.07785

# Formation of heavy nuclei: the coalescence model

## The coalescence condition:

relative momenta must be small enough

The coalescence model:  $A=2$  case



## Main features

- phase-space model, no dynamics
- extremely simple (only one parameter  $p_0$ ), but describe with the data very well
- coalescence rate  $\sim p_0^{3(A-1)}$ , uncertainty in  $p_0$  can be amplified

the coalescence parameters  $B_A$

$$E_A \frac{d^3 N_A}{dp_A^3} = B_A \left( E_p \frac{d^3 N_p}{dp_p^3} \right)^Z \left( E_n \frac{d^3 N_n}{dp_n^3} \right)^N, \quad \vec{p}_p = \vec{p}_n = \vec{p}_A/A$$

model prediction (assuming no correlations):

$$\frac{dN_{\bar{d}}}{dT_{\bar{d}}} = \frac{p_0^3}{6} \frac{m_{\bar{d}}}{m_{\bar{n}} m_{\bar{p}}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{T_{\bar{d}}^2 + 2m_{\bar{d}} T_{\bar{d}}}} \frac{dN_{\bar{n}}}{dT_{\bar{n}}} \frac{dN_{\bar{p}}}{dT_{\bar{p}}},$$

# Formation of heavy anti-nuclei: the coalescence model

## The coalescence model

- no dynamics (phase-space mo)
- only one parameter  $p_0$
- coalescence rate  $\sim p_0^{(2A-1)}$

## The case of anti-deuteron

$$\|k_{\bar{p}} - k_{\bar{n}}\| = \sqrt{(\Delta\vec{k})^2 - (\Delta E)^2} < p_0^{\bar{D}},$$

## Energy spectrum of anti-deuteron

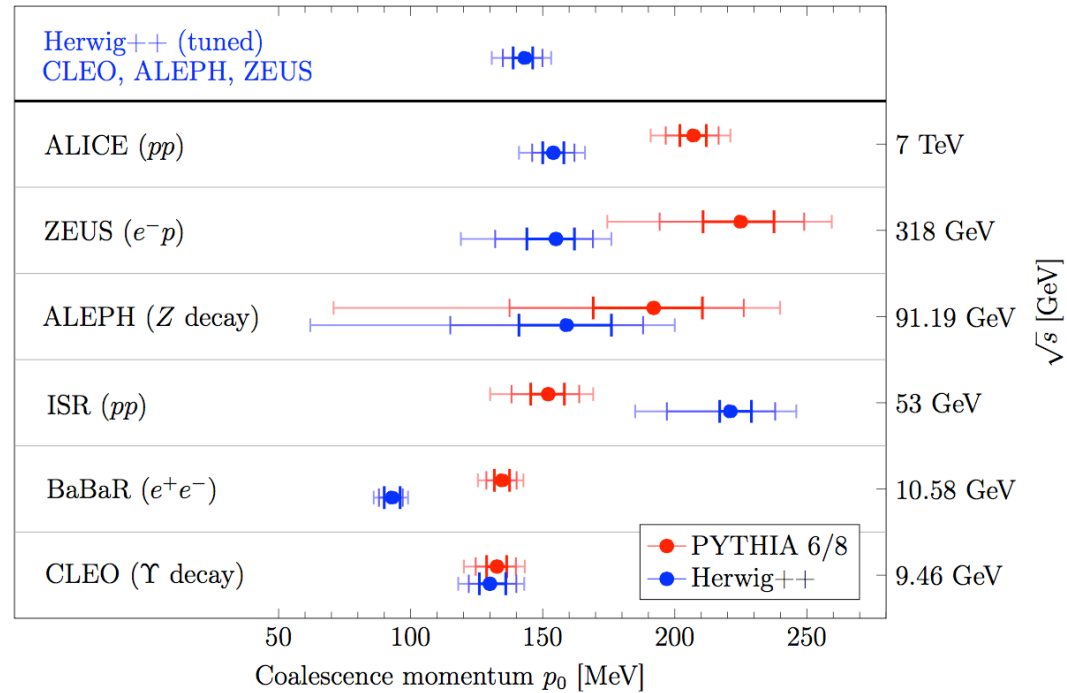
$$\frac{dN_{\bar{d}}}{dT_{\bar{d}}} = \frac{p_0^3}{6} \frac{m_{\bar{d}}}{m_{\bar{n}}m_{\bar{p}}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{T_{\bar{d}}^2 + 2m_{\bar{d}}T_{\bar{d}}}} \frac{dN_{\bar{n}}}{dT_{\bar{n}}} \frac{dN_{\bar{p}}}{dT_{\bar{p}}}$$

## The case of anti-helium

- Use the relation between nuclei  $p_{0A}^{\overline{\text{He}}} = \langle p_0^{\text{He}}/p_0^{\text{D}} \rangle p_0^{\bar{D}} = 1.28 p_0^{\bar{D}} = 0.246 \pm 0.038 \text{ GeV}$ .
- Use binding energy:  $p_{0B}^{\overline{\text{He}}} = \sqrt{E_b^{3\overline{\text{He}}}/E_b^{\bar{D}}} p_0^{\bar{D}} = 0.357 \pm 0.059 \text{ GeV}$ .
- Use Exp. data ( e.g. ALICE, but energy scale is too high)

## Determination of $p_0$ for anti-deuteron

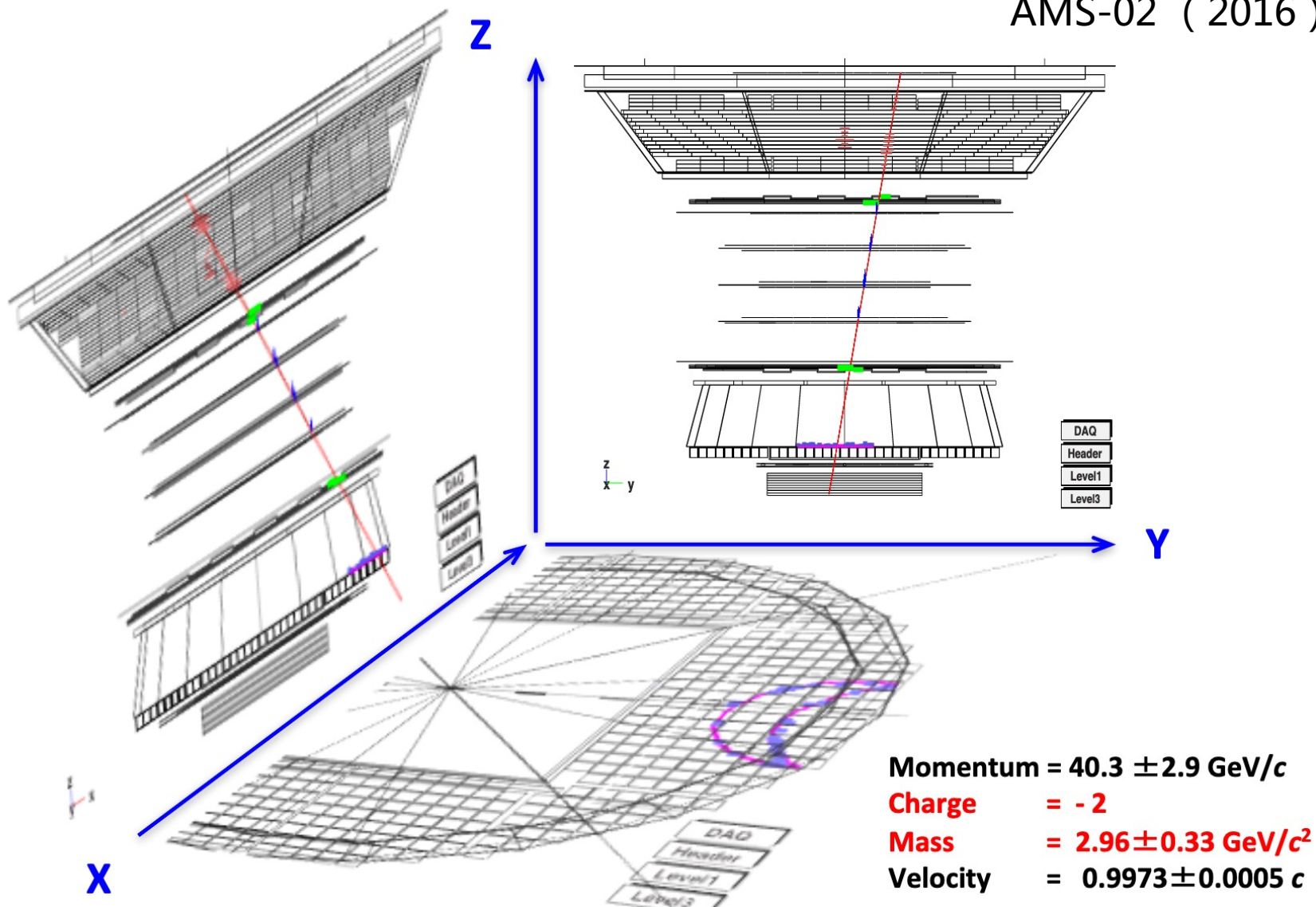
Fitting  $p_0$  to data on  $\bar{d}$  production



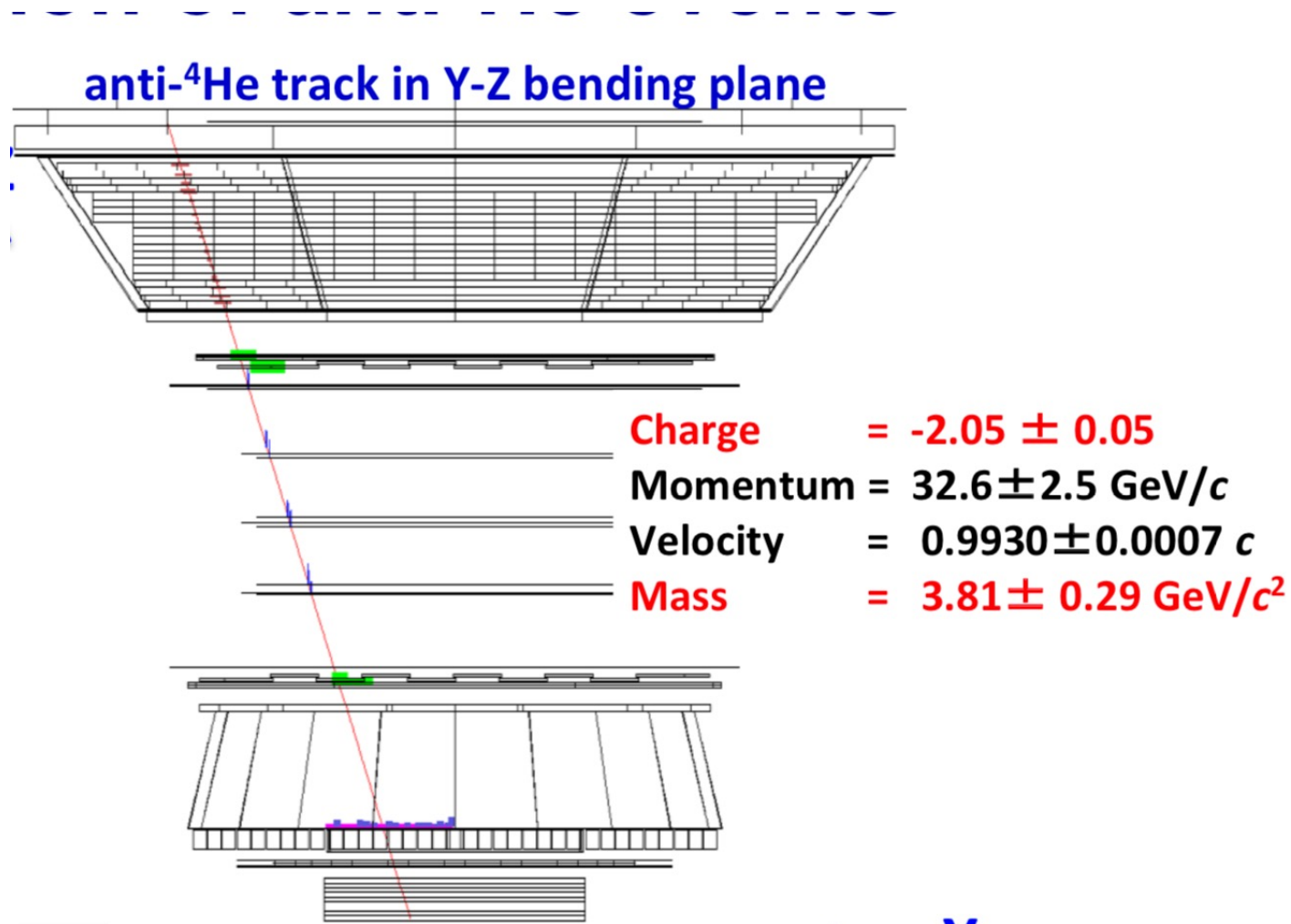
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# AMS-02 antihelium-3 candidate events

AMS-02 (2016)

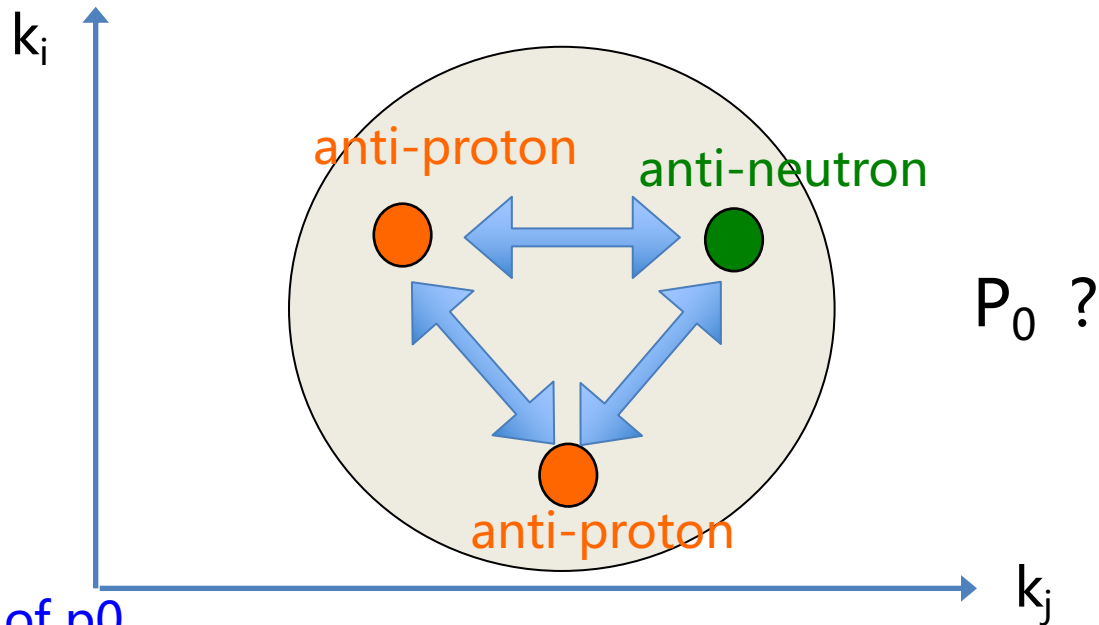


# AMS-02 antihelium-4 candidate events



# The case of anti-helium

The coalescence model:  $A=3$  case (antihelium)



Definitions of  $p_0$

- minimal circle

$$d_{\text{circ}} = \frac{l_1 l_2 l_3}{\sqrt{(l_1 + l_2 + l_3)(-l_1 + l_2 + l_3)(l_1 - l_2 + l_3)(l_1 + l_2 - l_3)}} < p_0^{\overline{\text{He}}}.$$

- absolute difference for each relative momenta

$$\|k_i - k_j\| < p_0^{\overline{\text{He}}}, \quad (i \neq j).$$

# Coalescence momentum of anti-Helium

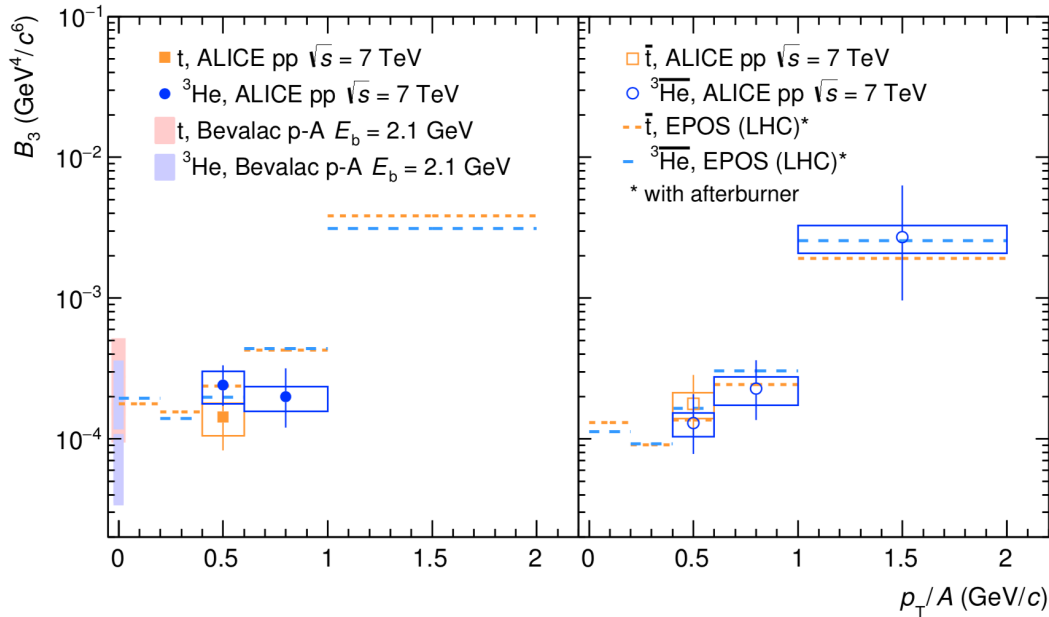
## Indirect approaches

■ Use the relation between nucleon and anti-Helium:  $p_{0A}^{\overline{\text{He}}} = \langle p_0^{\text{He}}/p_0^{\text{D}} \rangle p_0^{\overline{\text{D}}} = 1.28 p_0^{\overline{\text{D}}} = 0.246 \pm 0.038 \text{ GeV}$ .

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## Direct approaches

■ Use Exp. data ( e.g. ALICE, STAR )

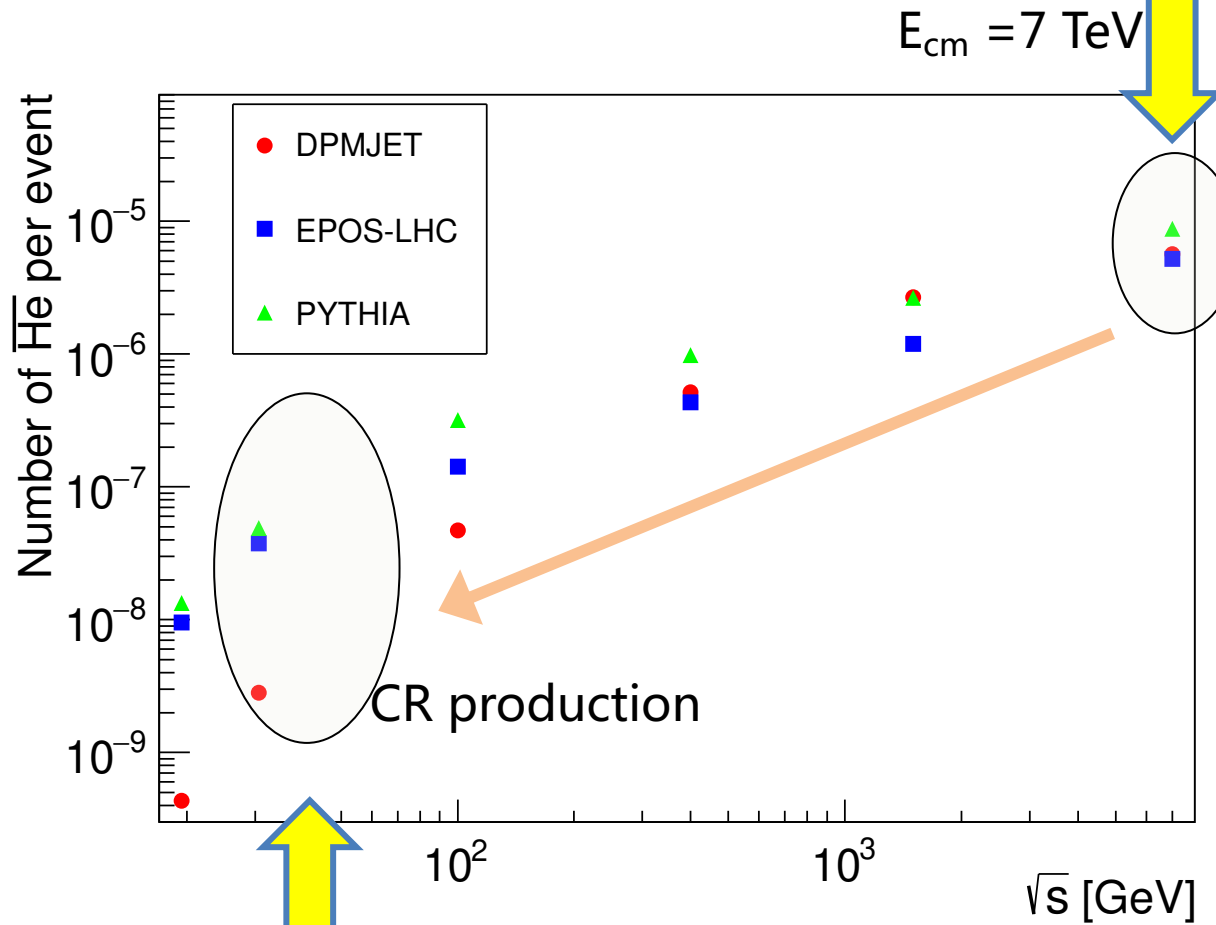


ALICE, 1709.08522 ( assuming rate  $\sim (p_0)^6$  )



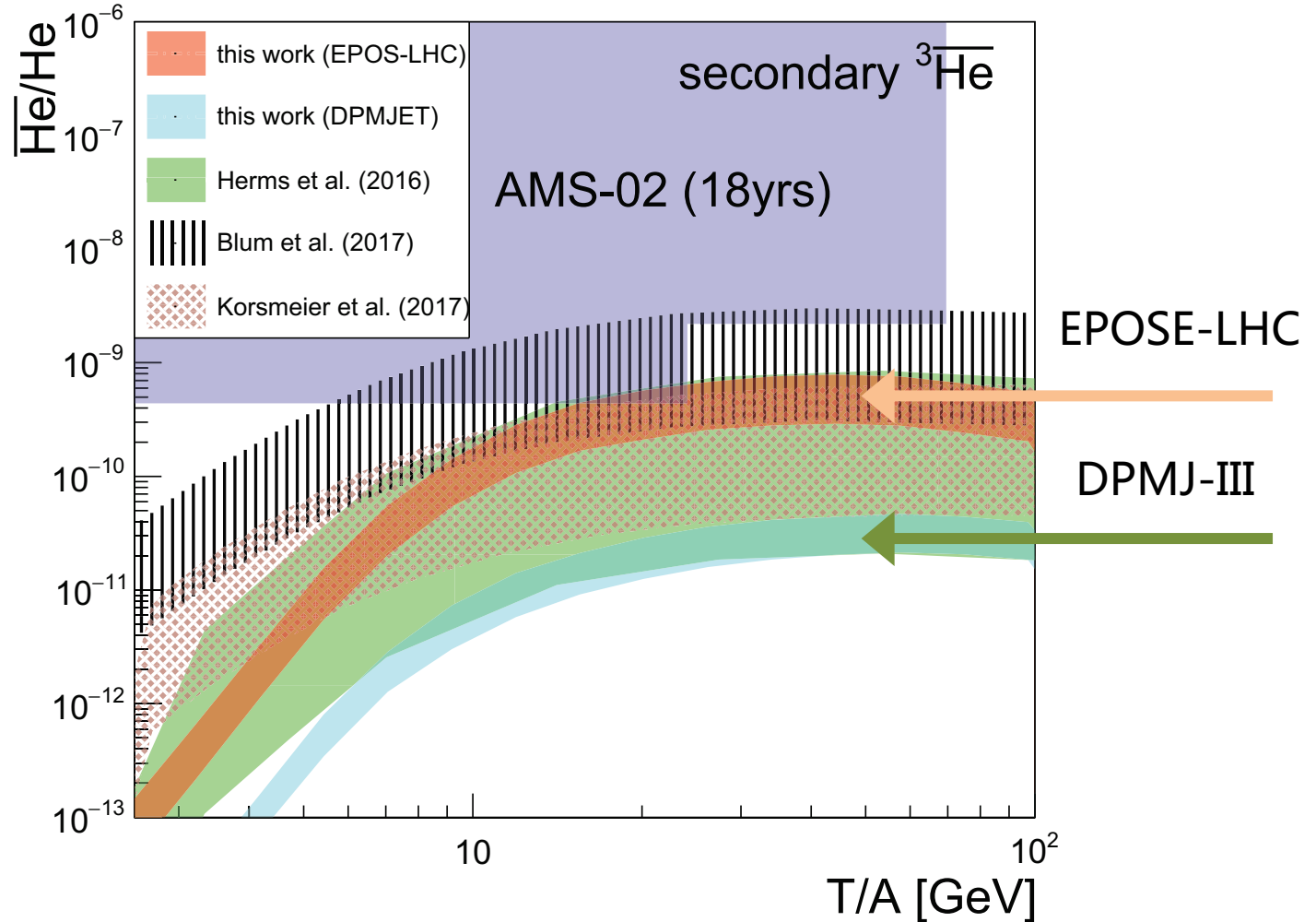
# Significant uncertainties arise when extrapolating to low energies

ALICE data is for  $E_{\text{cm}}=7$  TeV, too high for CR anti-helium production

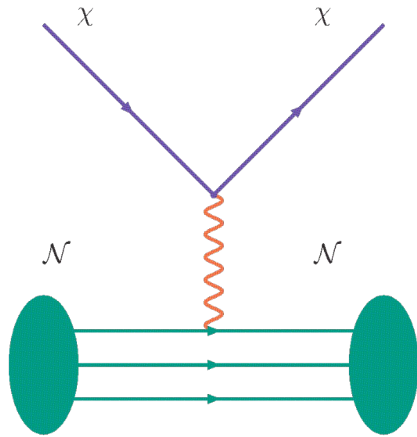


energy scale relevant to CR anti-helium production

# Predicted secondary backgrounds



# 暗物质直接探测



散射截面.

$$R = N_T \left( \frac{\rho_0}{m_\chi} \right) \frac{m_A \sigma_0}{2\mu_A^2} \int F^2(E_R) dE_R \int_{v_{min}}^{v_{esc}} d^3v \frac{f(v)}{v},$$

局域暗物质密度

核子形状因子  
暗物质形状因子

暗物质局域速度分布

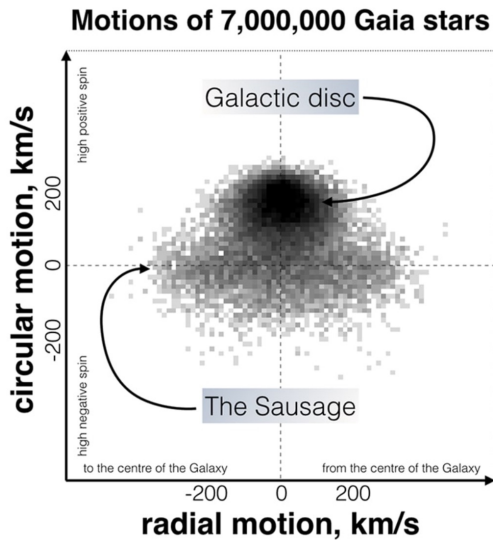
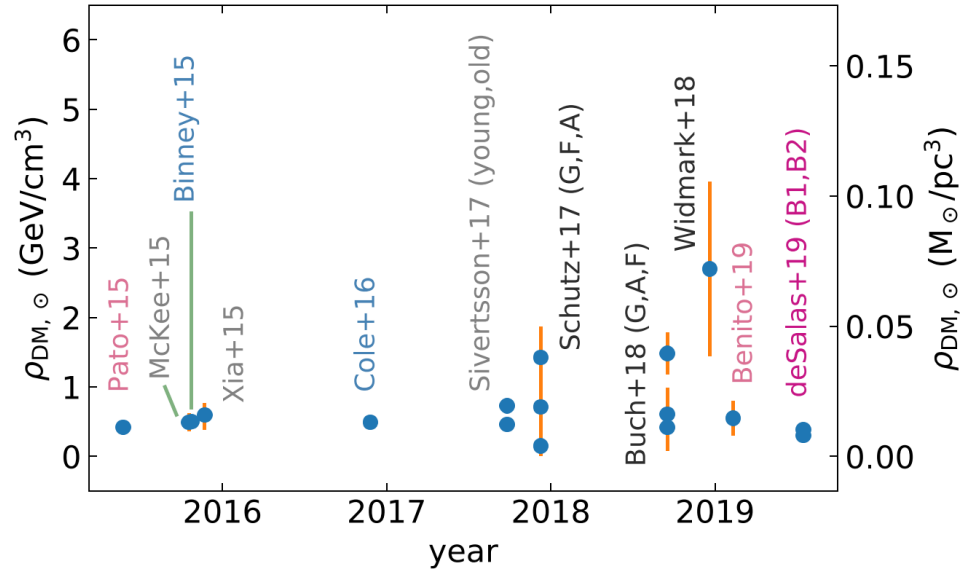
Theoretical assumptions commonly adopted

- Velocity distribution of halo DM (Maxwellian-Boltzmann ? Eddington' s formula)
- Smooth local DM energy density ( $\rho=0.2-0.7 \text{ GeV/cm}^3$ )
- Form factors (Helm etc.)
- Contact interactions (heavy mediator, no  $q^2$  and  $v$ -dependences)
- Elastic scatterings
- Isospin-conserving interactions (for SI cross-section)

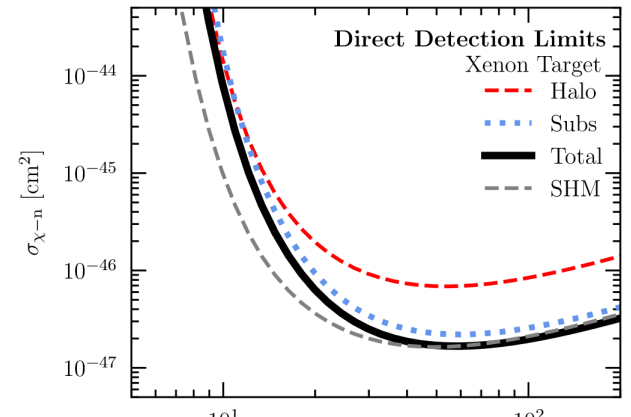
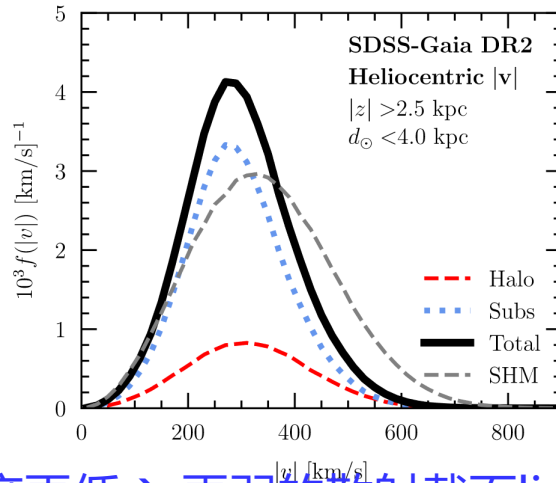
# DM local velocity distribution

Gaia, SDSS 等一批新数据出现

- 暗物质密度 0.3-0.4  $\text{GeV}/\text{cm}^3$
- 子结构 Gaia-Sausage



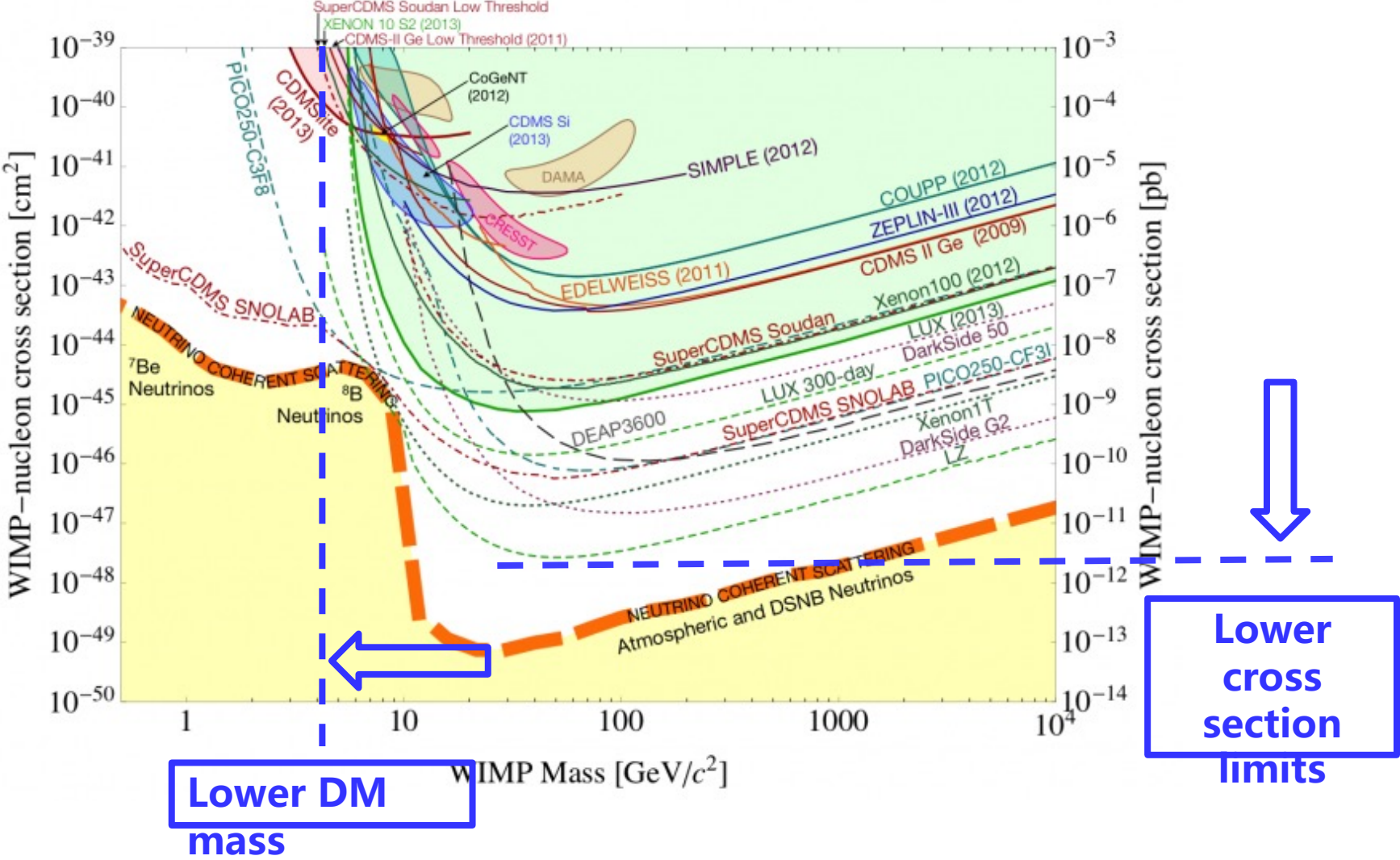
- 暗物质速度分布
- 对直接探测的影响



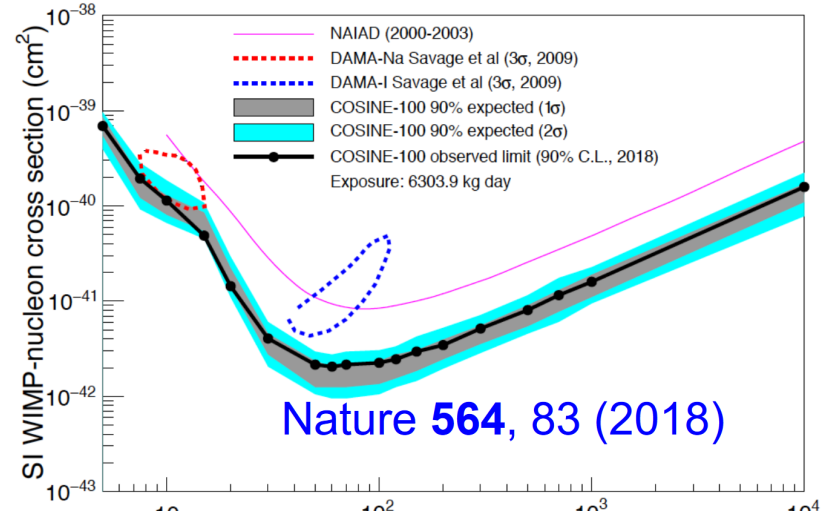
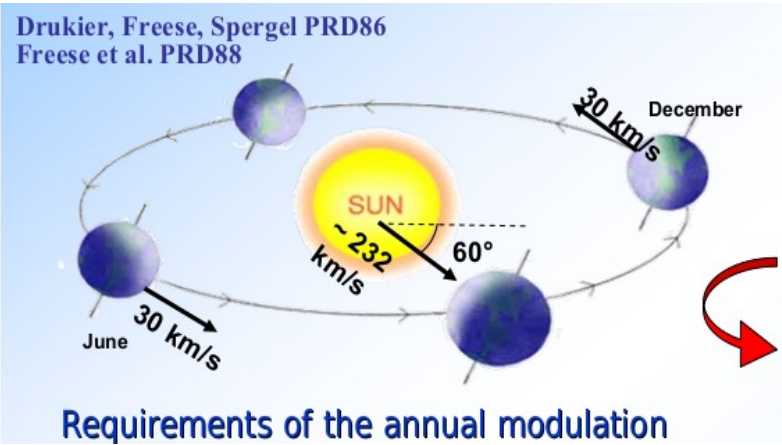
子结构内暗物质的运动速度更低 → 更弱的散射截面limit

L. Necib, et al, 1807.02511

# Two frontiers of dark matter direct detection experiments

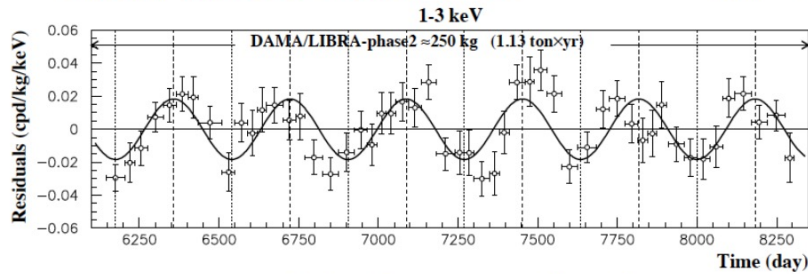


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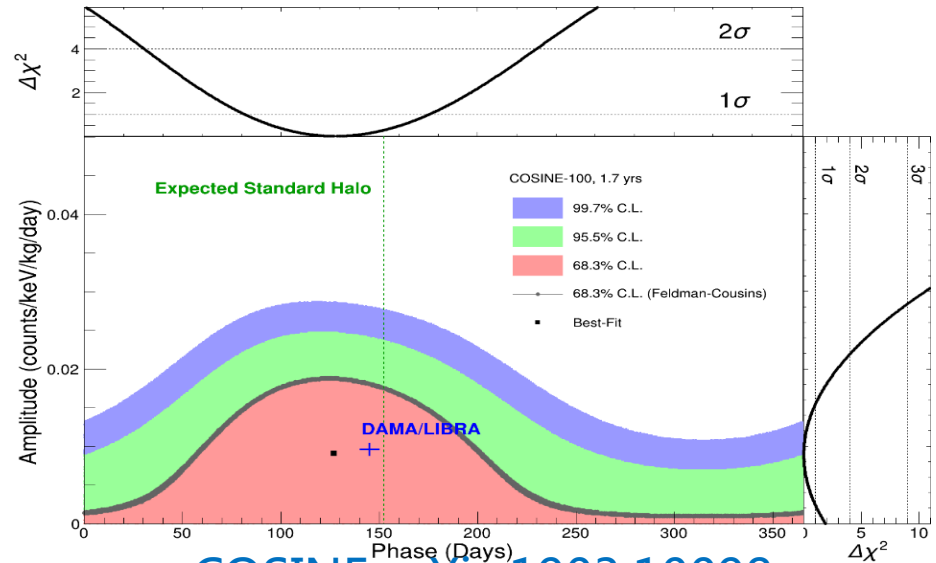
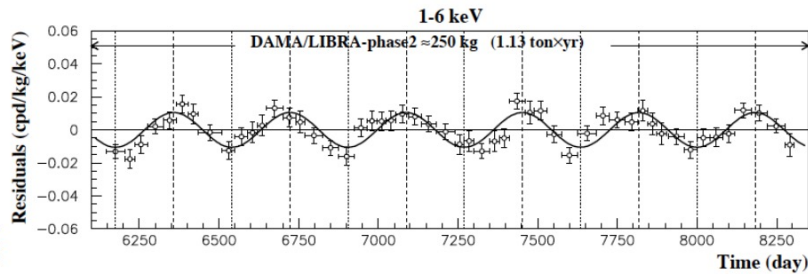


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Energy (keV)



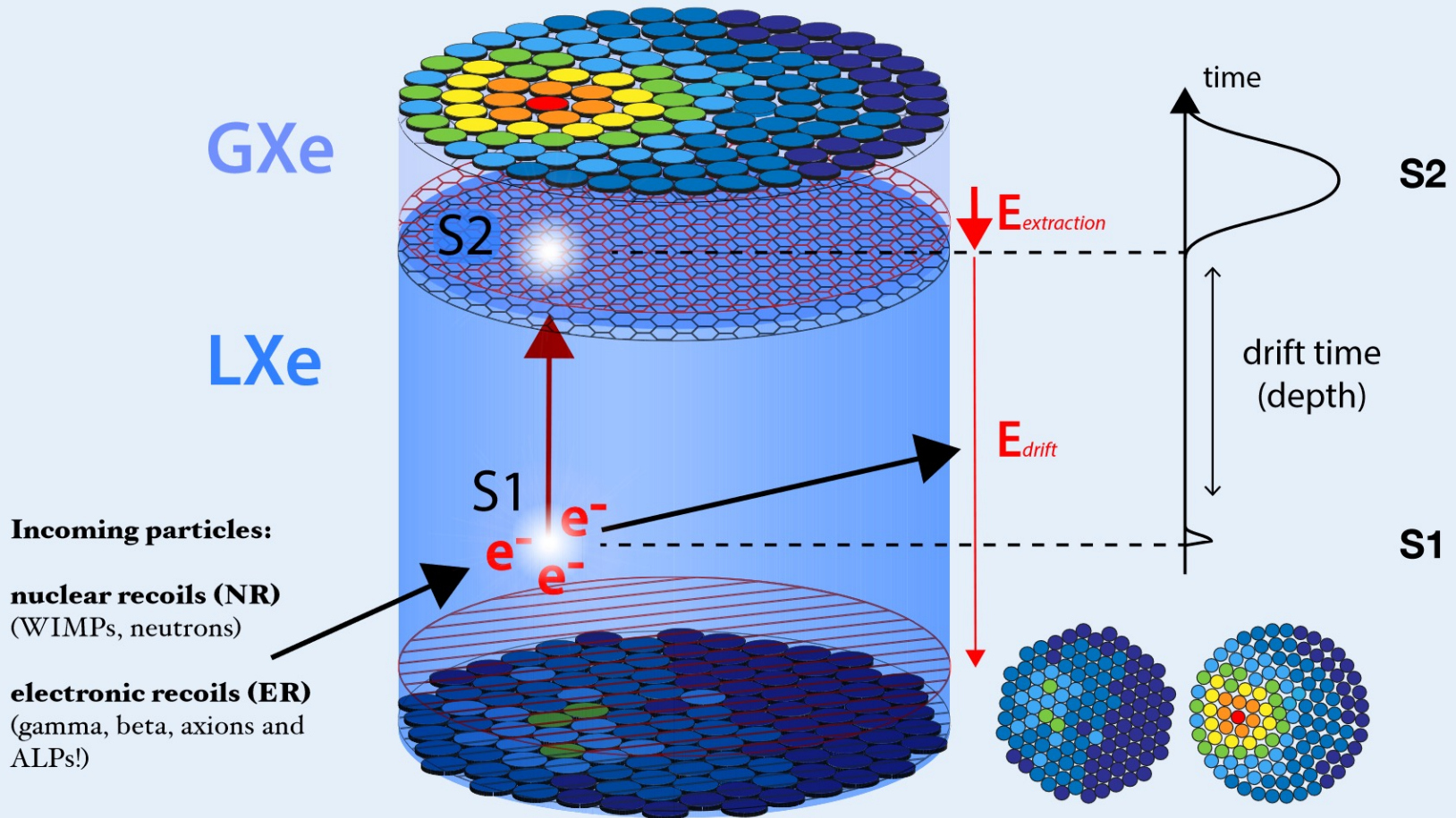
Modulation amplitude



COSINE arXiv:1903.10098

# The Xenon-1T experiment

(LXe TPC)



**Incoming particles:**

**nuclear recoils (NR)**  
(WIMPs, neutrons)

**electronic recoils (ER)**  
(gamma, beta, axions and ALPs!)

**GXe**

**LXe**

**S1**

**S2**

**S2**

**S1**

time

**$E_{extraction}$**

**$E_{drift}$**

drift time  
(depth)

# Response of the LXe

- Total number of quantum for given  $T_N$

$$N_q = N_{ex} + N_i = \text{Bino}(T_N/W, L)$$

work function  $W = 13.8 \text{ eV}$ .

- The Linderhard factor

$$L = \frac{kg(\epsilon)}{1 + kg(\epsilon)}$$

- Number of ion

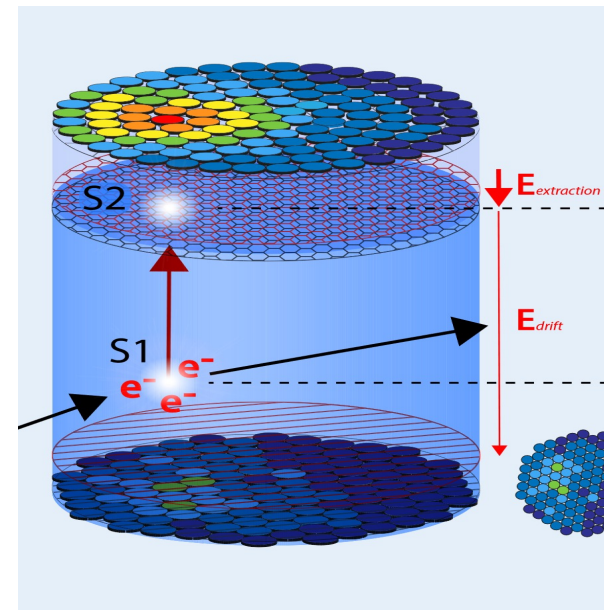
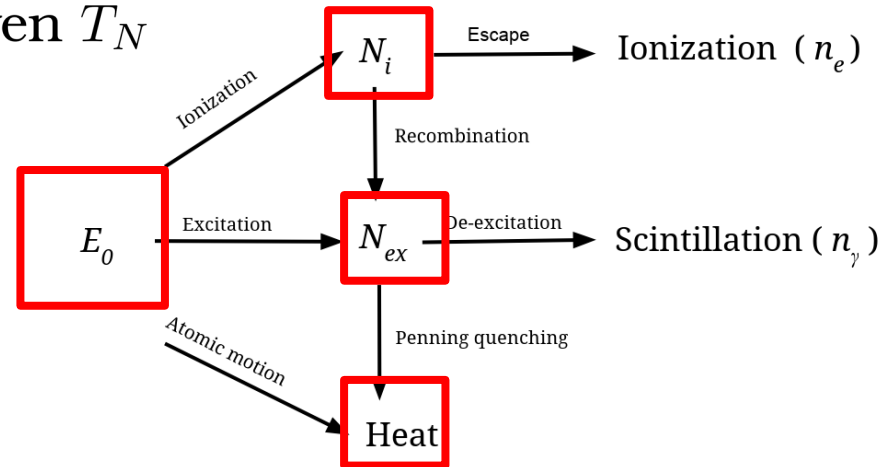
$$N_i = \text{Bino}(N_q, 1/(1 + \langle N_{ex}/N_i \rangle))$$

$$N_{ex} = N_q - N_i$$

- Number of electrons and photons

$$N_e = \text{Bino}(N_i, 1 - r)$$

$$N_\gamma = N_{ex} + N_i - N_e$$





# S1 and S2 signals

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Thomas-Imel box model for recombination factor  $r$

$$\langle r \rangle = 1 - \frac{\ln(1 + N_i \zeta / 4)}{N_i \zeta / 4}$$

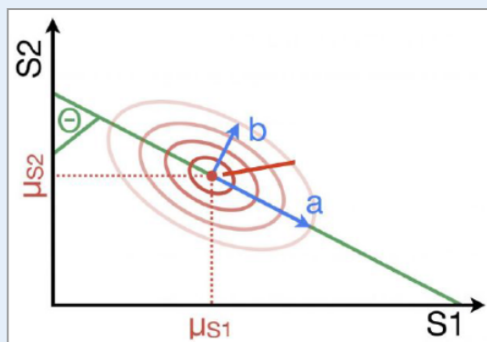
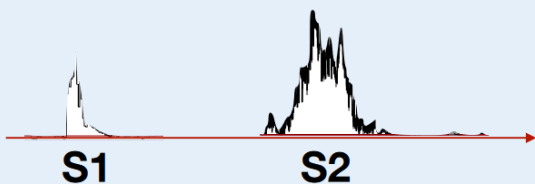
averaged signal numbers

$$\frac{\langle N_\gamma \rangle}{T_N} = \frac{L}{W} \cdot \frac{\langle r \rangle + \langle N_{\text{ex}} / N_i \rangle}{1 + \langle N_{\text{ex}} / N_i \rangle},$$
$$\frac{\langle N_e \rangle}{T_N} = \frac{L}{W} \cdot \frac{1 - \langle r \rangle}{1 + \langle N_{\text{ex}} / N_i \rangle}.$$

signals are converted into PEs at PMTs

- gain factors for S1 and S2:  $g_1(x, y, z)$  and  $g_2(x, y)$
- gain factors for spatially corrected signals: cS1 and cS2<sub>b</sub>:  $g_1$  and  $g_2$

# S1/S2 signals and recoil energy

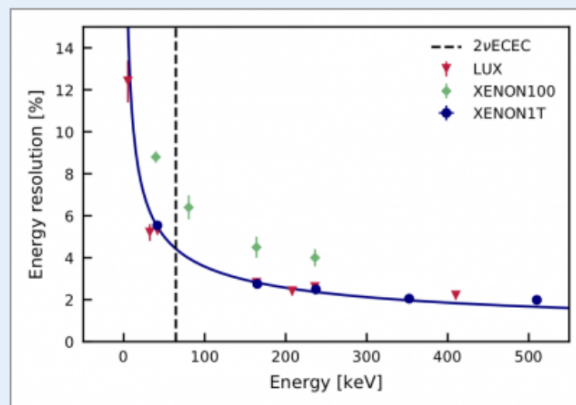
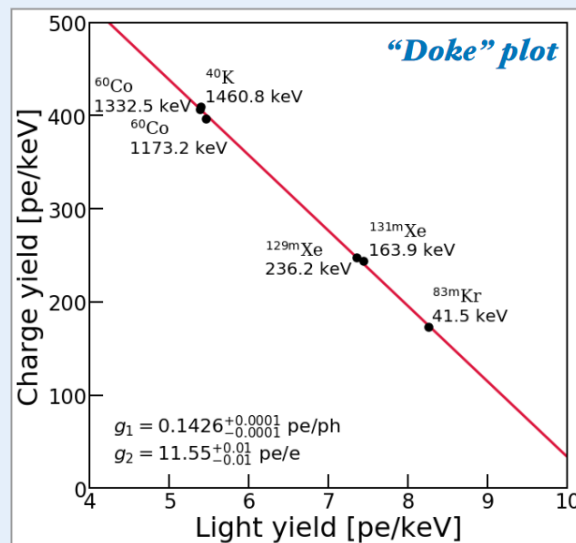


$$E = (N_{ph} + N_e) \cdot W = \left( \frac{S1}{g1} + \frac{S2}{g2} \right) \cdot W$$

where  $W = 13.7$  eV/quanta

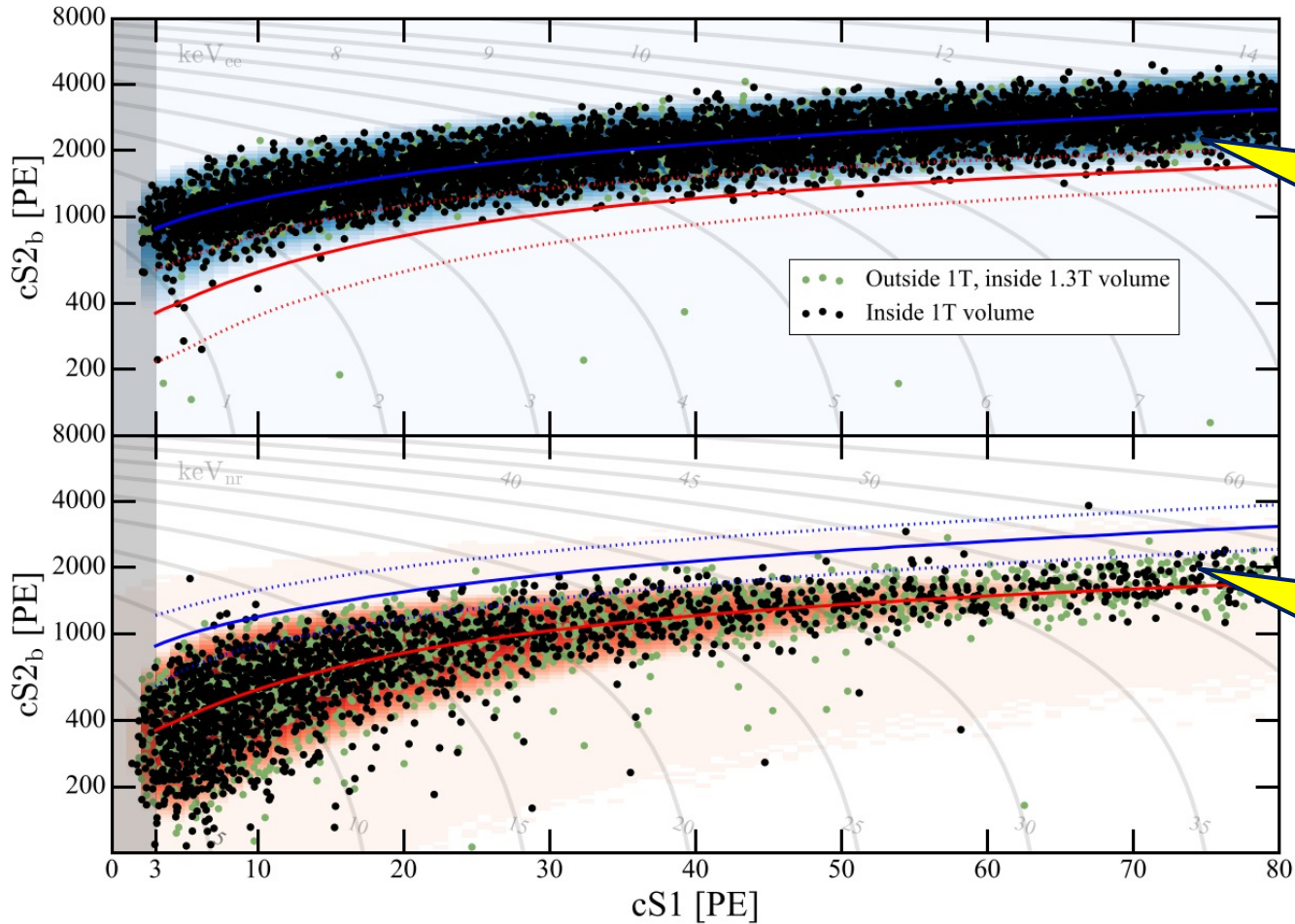
$g_1$  and  $g_2$ : detector-specific gain constants  
 extract  $g_1/g_2$  from calibration data, use it to  
 reconstruct energy of each event

## Combined Energy Scale



# Nuclear vs. electronic recoil

$^{220}\text{Rn}$  generator



Electronic recoil

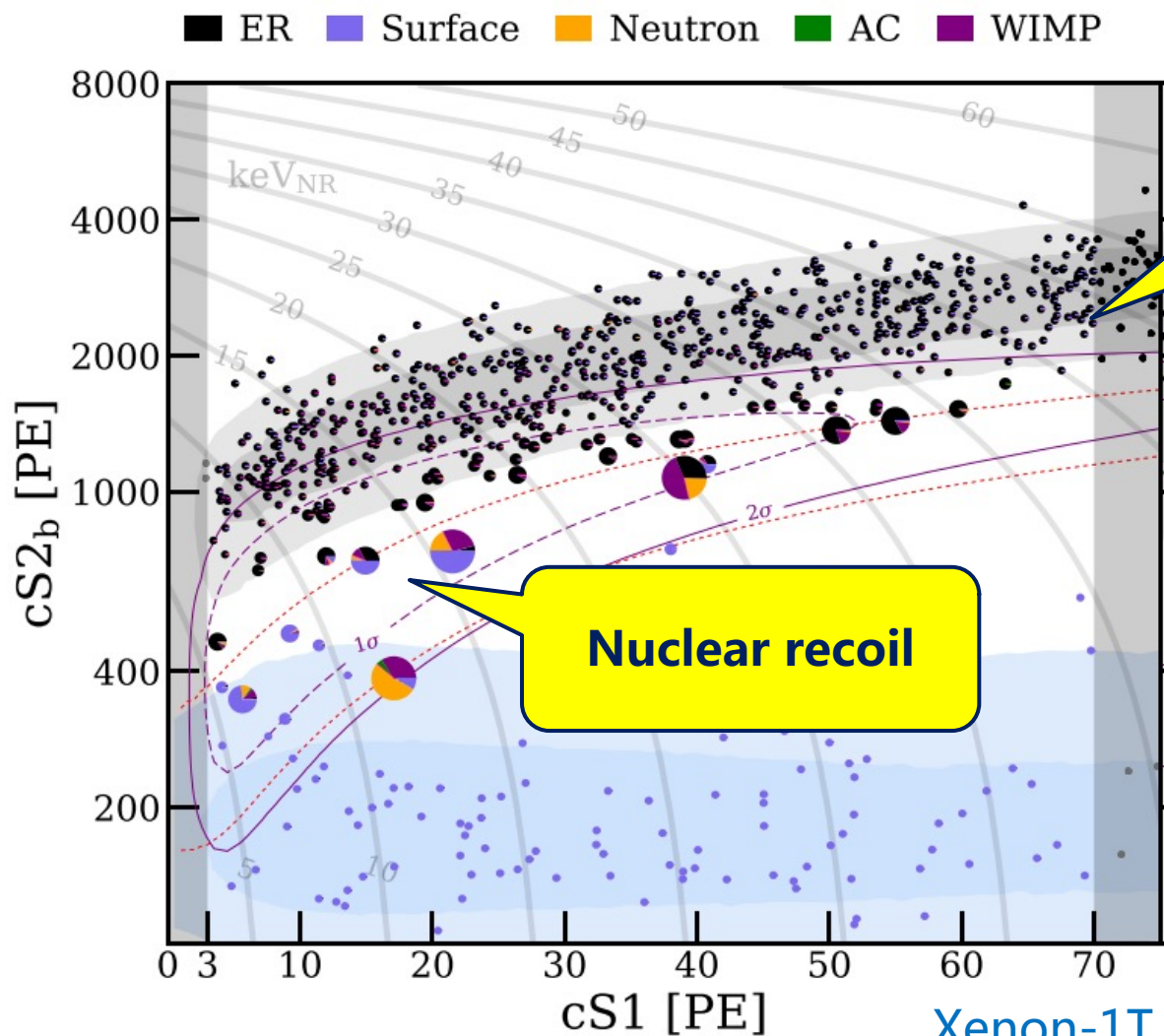
Nuclear recoil

neutron generator

Xenon-1T, arXiv:1906.04717

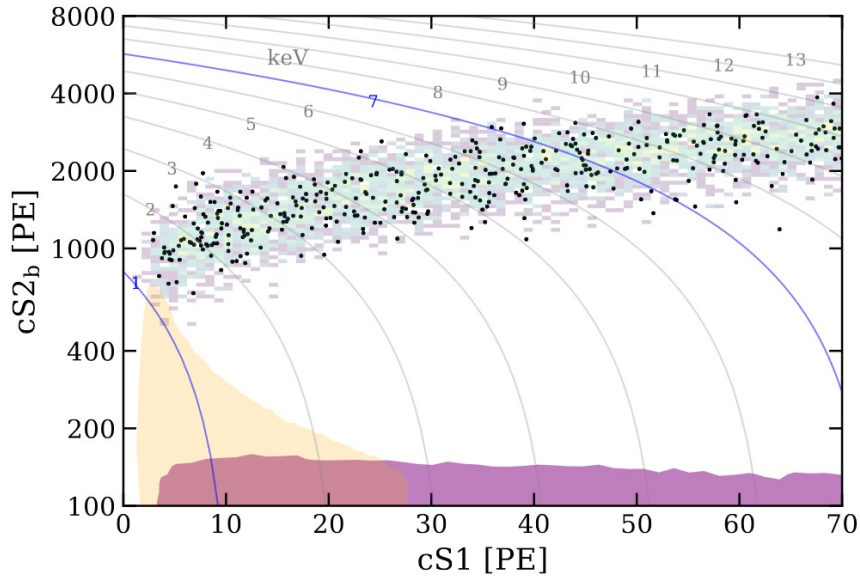
# Xenon-1T one-tone year results: nuclear recoil

ROI (4.9—40.9 keVnr)



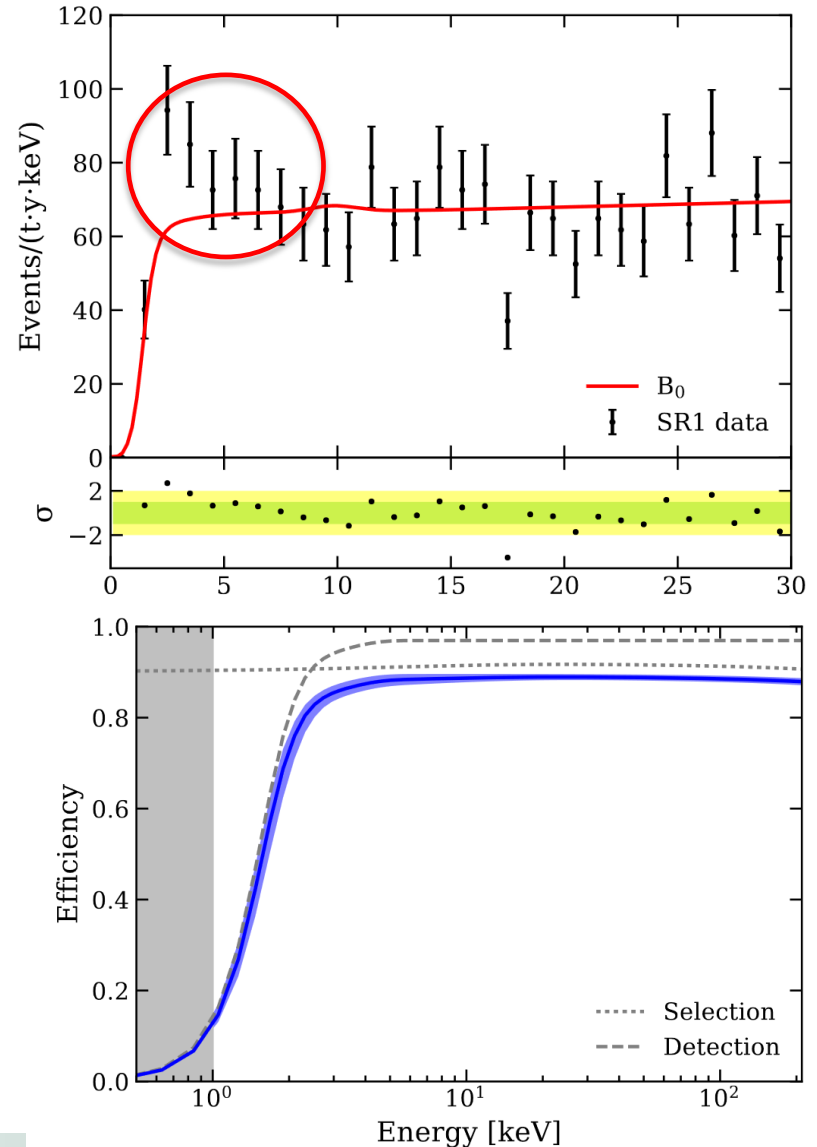
Xenon-1T, arXiv:1805.12562

# Xenon-1T electronic excess ?

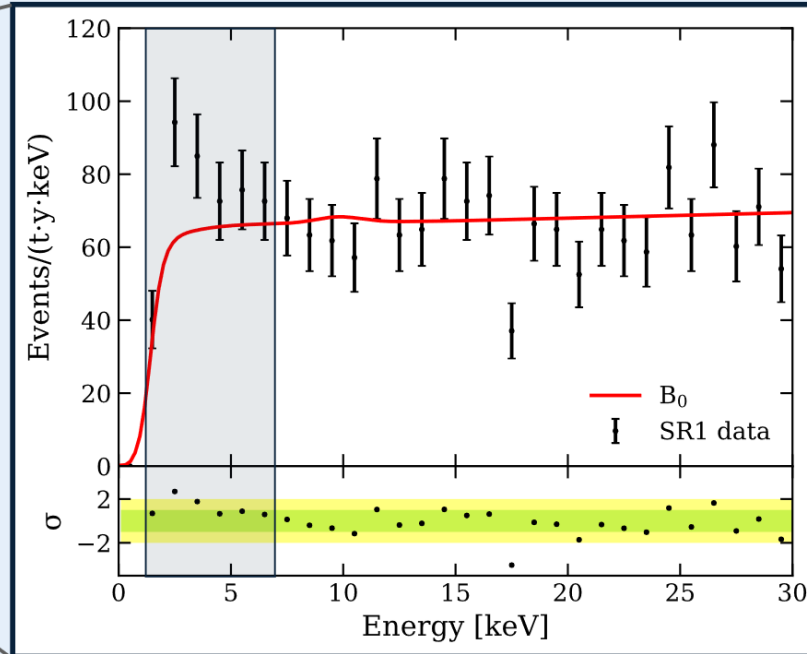
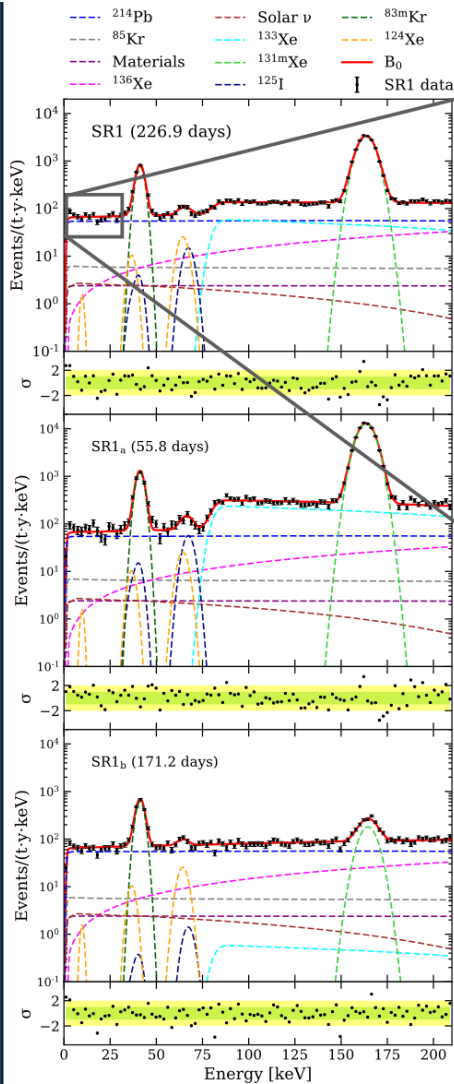


**EXPO:** 0.65 tone-yr, SR1 (226.9 days)  
**ROI:** (1—210 keV)  
**Background:**  
 76 events/(tonne yr keV) in 1-30 keV  
**Excess:** (1-7 keV)  
 Total events 285  
 Background events 232 $\pm$ 15

Xenon-1T, arXiv:2006.09721



# Signals vs. Backgrounds



**Excess between 1-7 keV**

**285** events observed

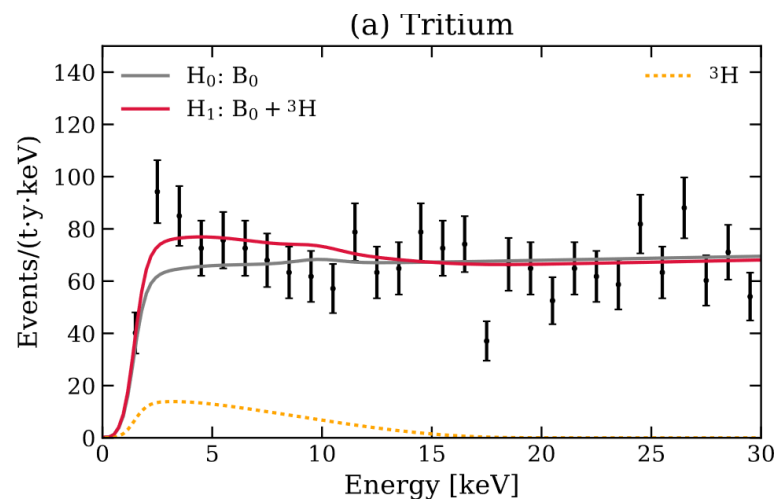
vs.

**232** events expected (from best-fit)

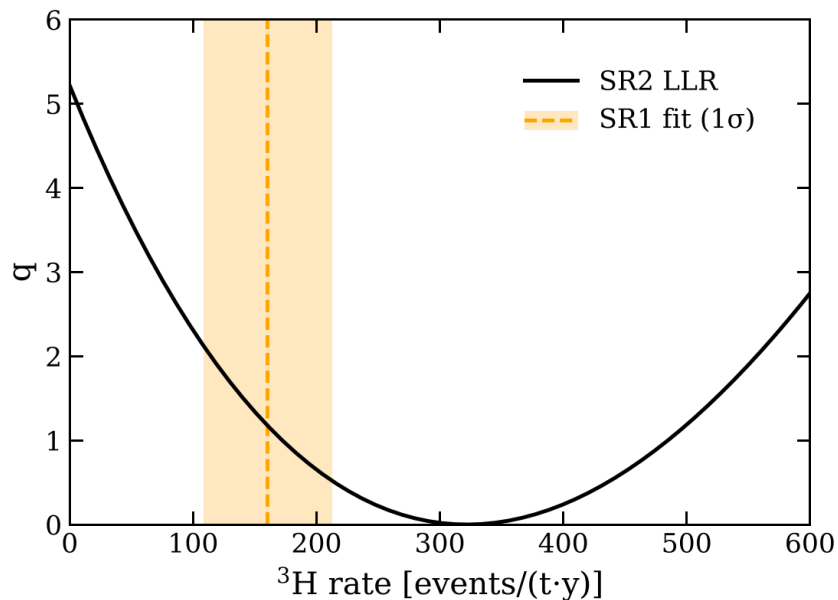
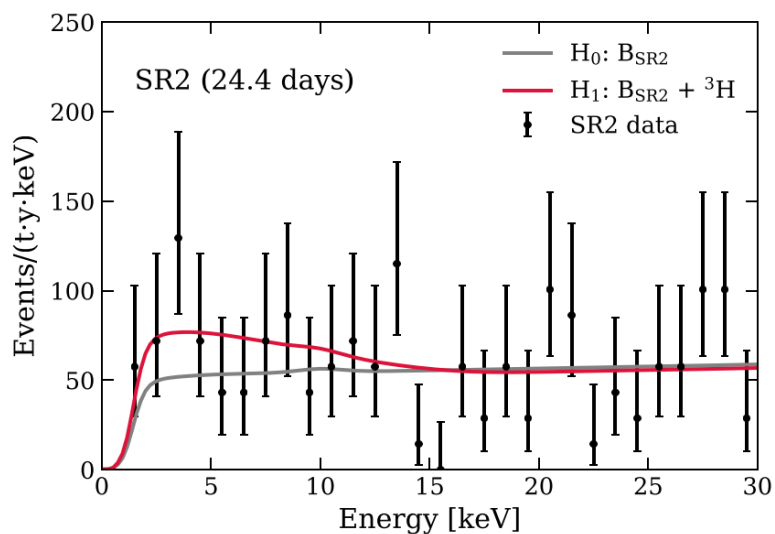
Would be a **3.3σ** fluctuation

(naive estimate — we use likelihood ratio tests for main analysis)

# Tritium background ( $H_2/HT$ ) ?



- ❑ Tritium favored at 3.2 sigma 159 events/t.yr
- ❑  ${}^3H/Xe$  expected to be removed from Xe purification system
- ❑  ${}^3H/Xe$  from exposure to CR is estimated
- ❑  $H_2O/HTO$  extremely small
- ❑  $H_2/HT$  NOT QUANTIFIED !!



# 暗物质探测实验上探测轻暗物质

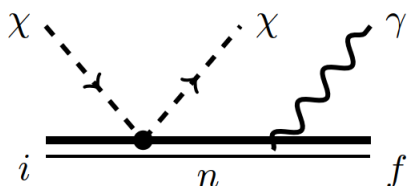
实验探测轻暗物质 ( 小于GeV ) 的困难

❑ 典型直接探测实验的阈值：O(keV)

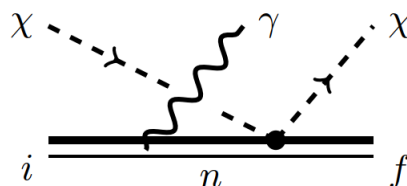
❑ 本地暗物质最大速度 ( 逃逸速度 )：500 km/s

*e.g.* 1 GeV 暗物质与100 GeV核子弹性散射，最大反冲能只有0.06 keV

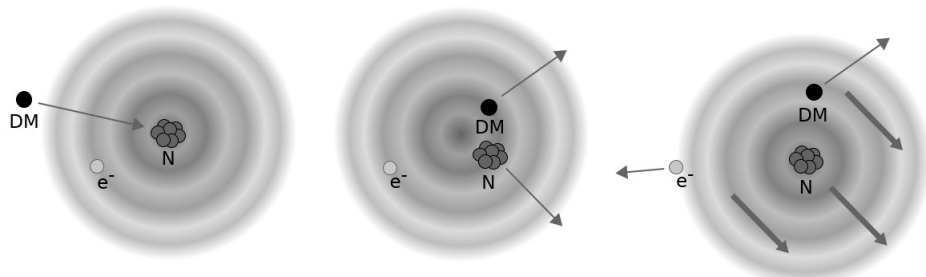
利用非弹性散射 ( 原子激发、电离 ) 过程的光子、电子信号



光子末态辐射

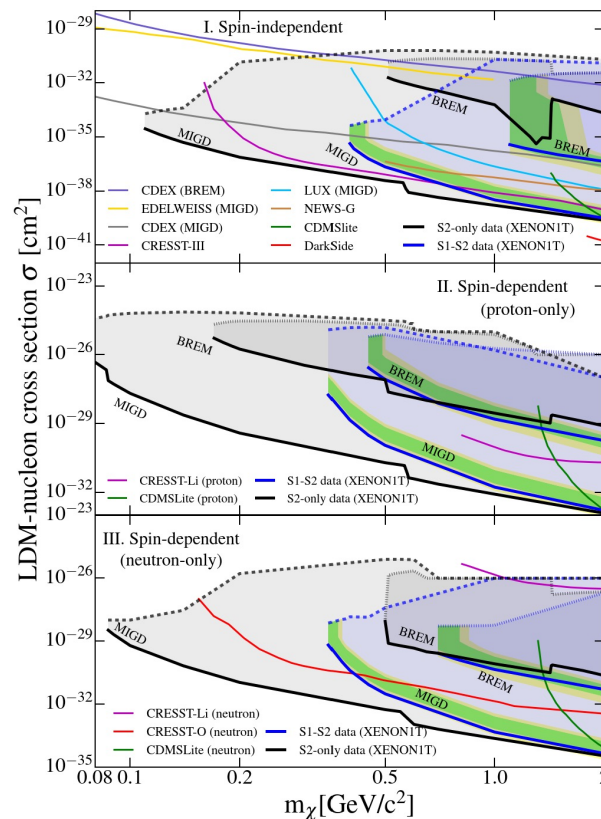


Kouvaris, et al (2016)



Migdal 效应

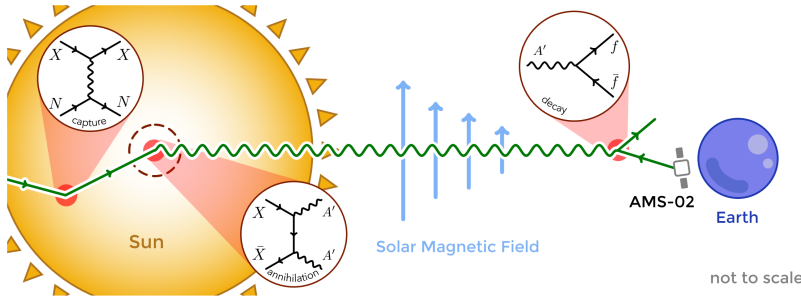
Ibe, et al (2017)



测量范围扩大到sub-GeV



# Probing DM-proton scattering through DM annihilation



## Anihilation → Scattering

- DM-nucleus scattering lead to DM capture
- capture and annihilation reach

$$\dot{N}_X = C_{\text{cap}} + C_{\text{self}} N_X - C_{\text{ann}} N_X^2,$$

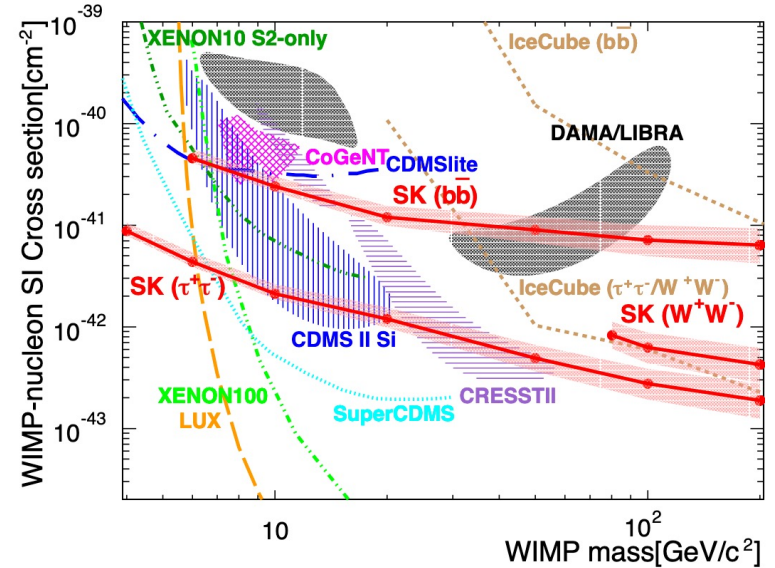
$$N_X = \sqrt{\frac{C_{\text{cap}}}{C_{\text{ann}}}} \tanh \frac{t}{\tau}$$

## Observables

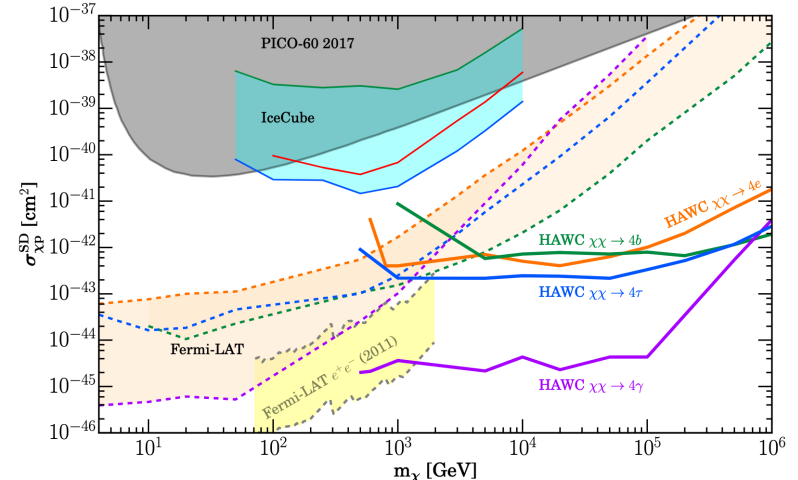
- direct escape: neutrinos
- through mediators: electrons/positrons

## Constraints

- $\sigma < 10^{-43} \text{ cm}^2$  @ 100 GeV ( $2\chi \rightarrow 2\tau$ ) Super-K
- $\sigma < 10^{-45} \text{ cm}^2$  @ 1 TeV ( $2\chi \rightarrow 2\phi \rightarrow 4\gamma$ ) HWAC



SuperK, arXiv:1503.04858



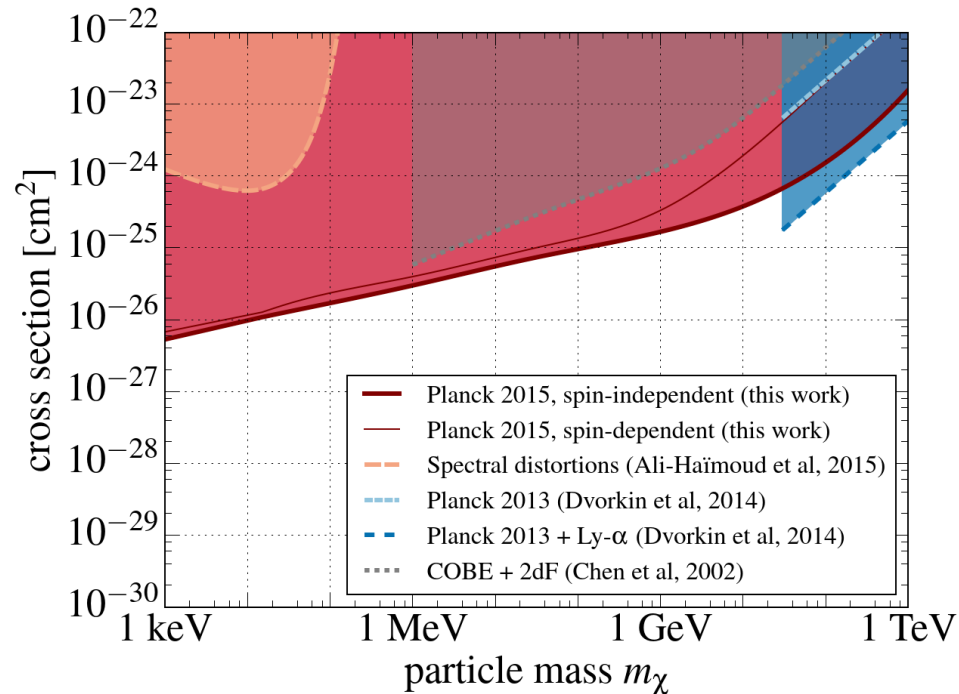
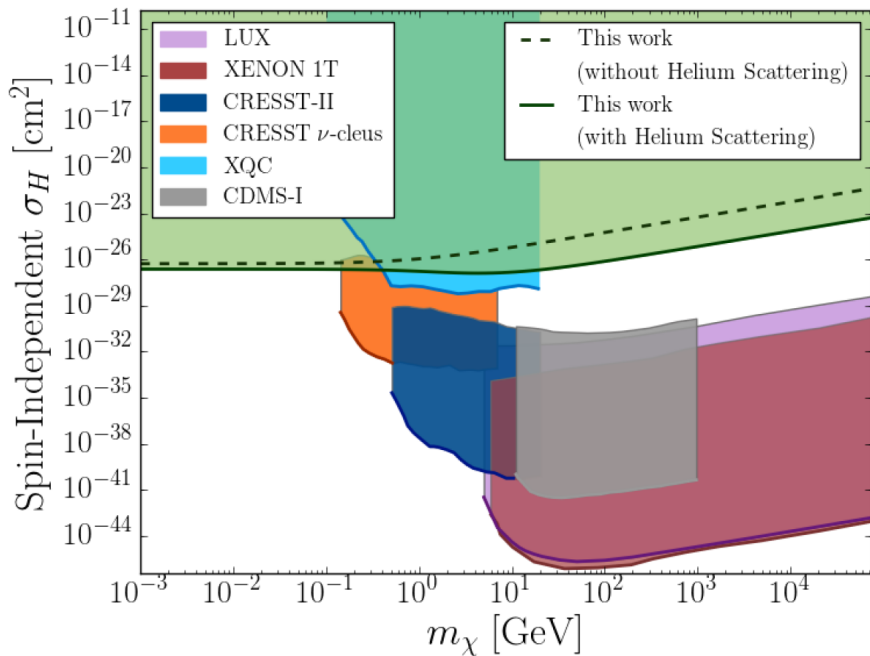
HAWC, arXiv: 1808.05624

# DM-proton scattering in the Universe: CMB

Consequence of DM-proton scattering 400000 yrs ago

- Distortion of CMB spectrum
- Suppression of small scale structure (drag force)

Constraints:  $\sigma < 10^{-27} \text{ cm}^2 @ 1 \text{ keV}$



Gluscevic & Boddy, arXiv:1712.07133

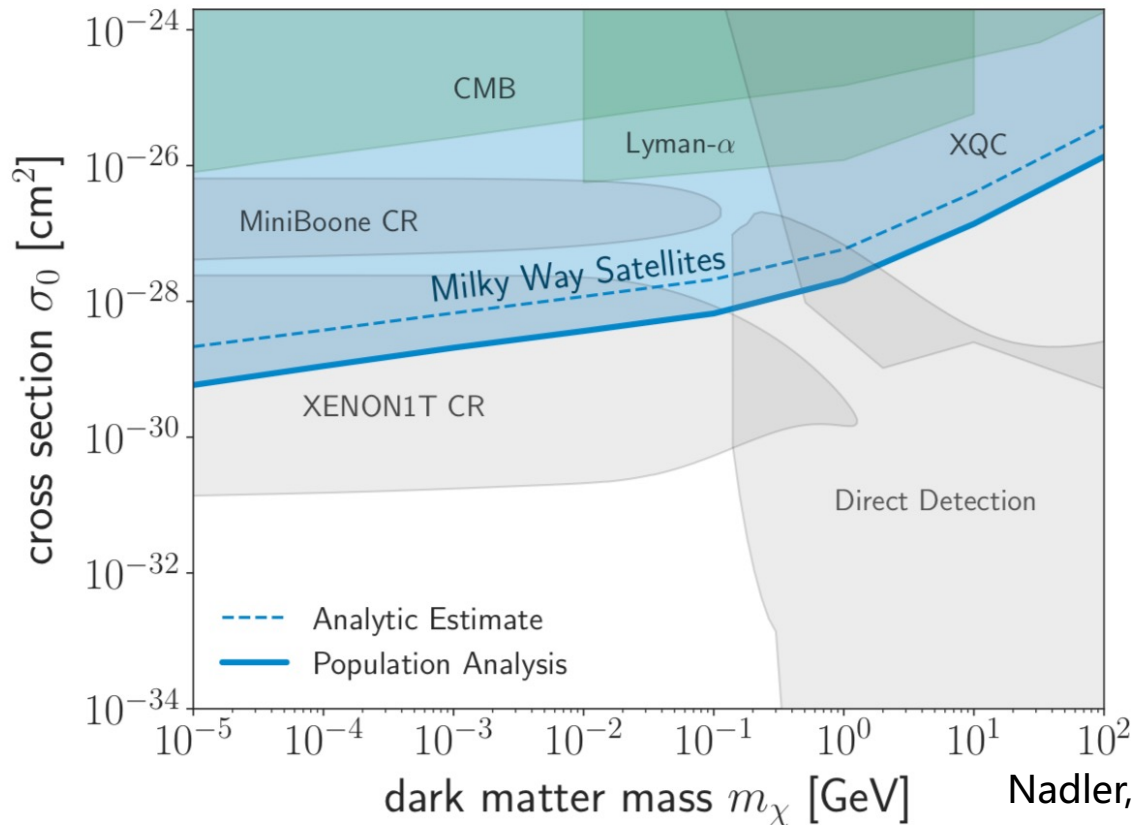
# DM-proton scattering in the Universe: Structure formation

DM-proton scattering damp structure perturbation

Distribution of dwarf satellite galaxies is modified

$\sigma < 6 \times 10^{-30} \text{ cm}^2 @ 10 \text{ keV}$ , ( $< 10^{-27} \text{ cm}^2 @ 10 \text{ GeV}$ )

The upper limits scale with DM mass as  $m^{1/4}$  for  $m \ll 1 \text{ GeV}$



Nadler, et al., arXiv:1904.10000  
DES, arXiv:2008.00022

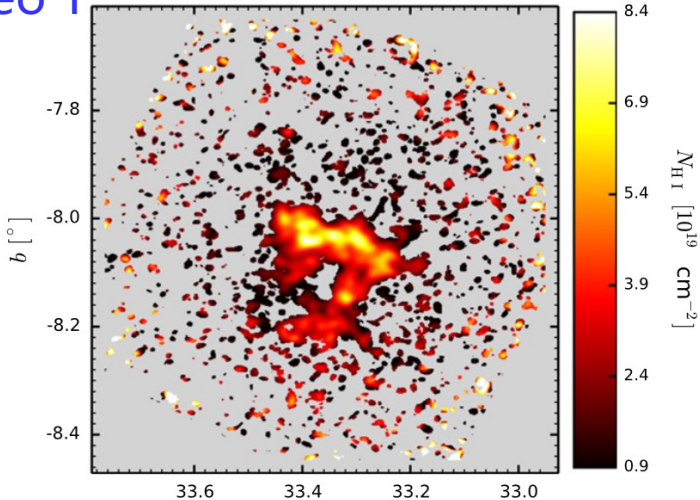
# DM-proton scattering in galaxies: Gas cooling

DM above KeV has a temperature higher than the coldest atomic gas

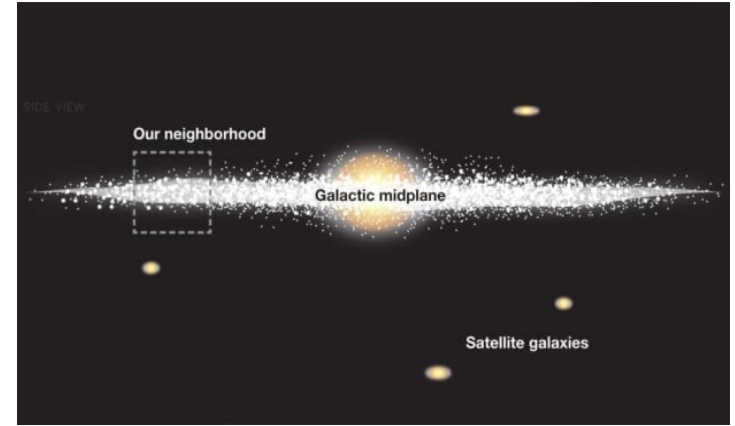
$$T_x \sim m_x v_x^2 \simeq 10^4 \text{ K} \left( \frac{m_x}{\text{MeV}} \right) \left( \frac{v_x}{10^{-3}} \right)^2,$$

DM-proton scattering heat the gas and change its cooling rate

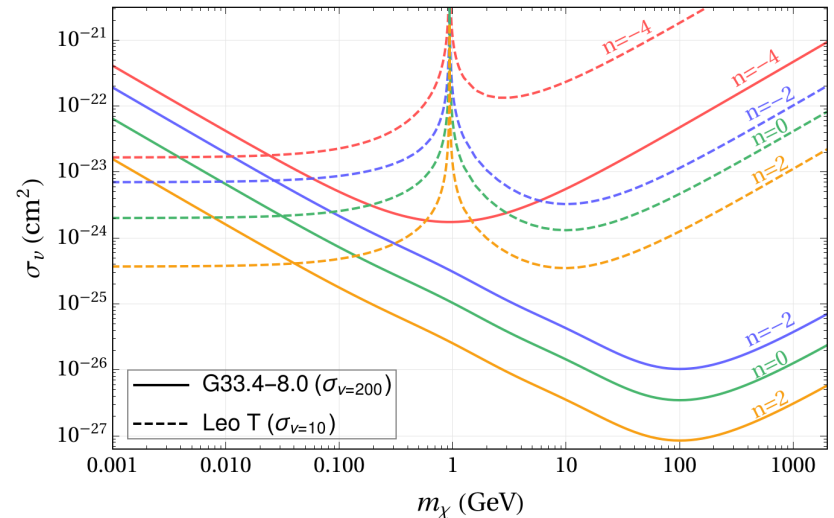
$\sigma < 10^{-(23-25)} \text{ cm}^2$  for a large mass range  
 $10^{-23} \text{ eV} \text{ -- } 10^{-10} \text{ eV}$  from dwarf galaxy  
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Gas cloud G33.4-



dwarf galaxies



Wadeker & Farrar, arXiv:1903.121

# CR-DM scattering: CR spectrum distortion

CRs will hit halo DM before escape if

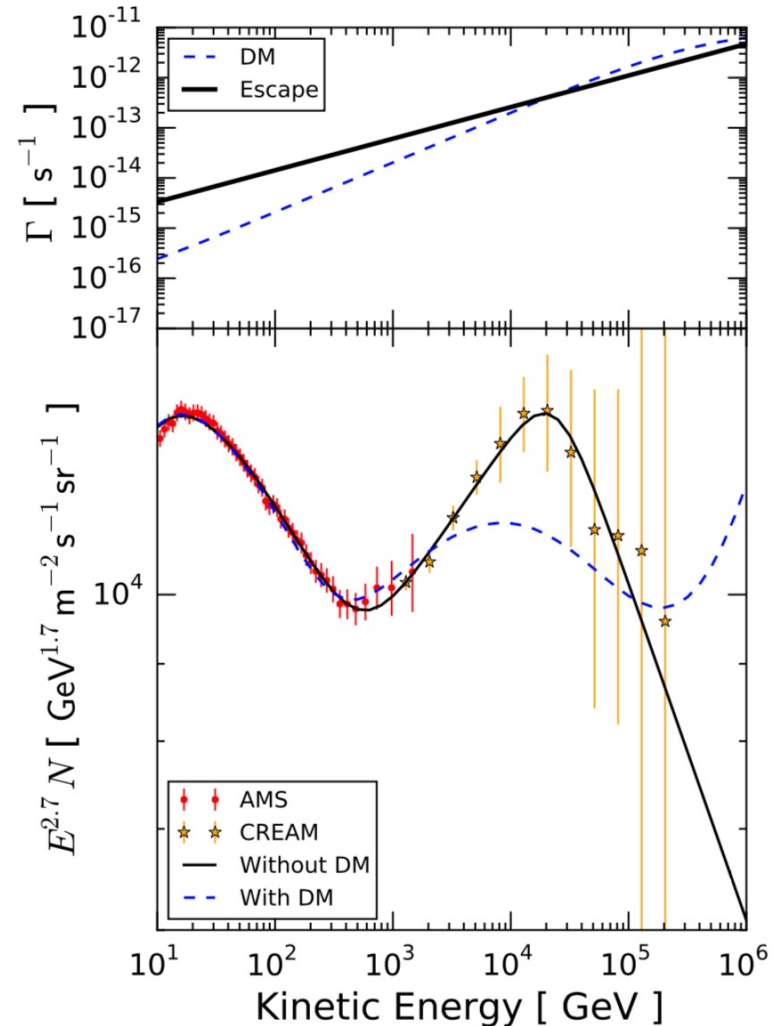
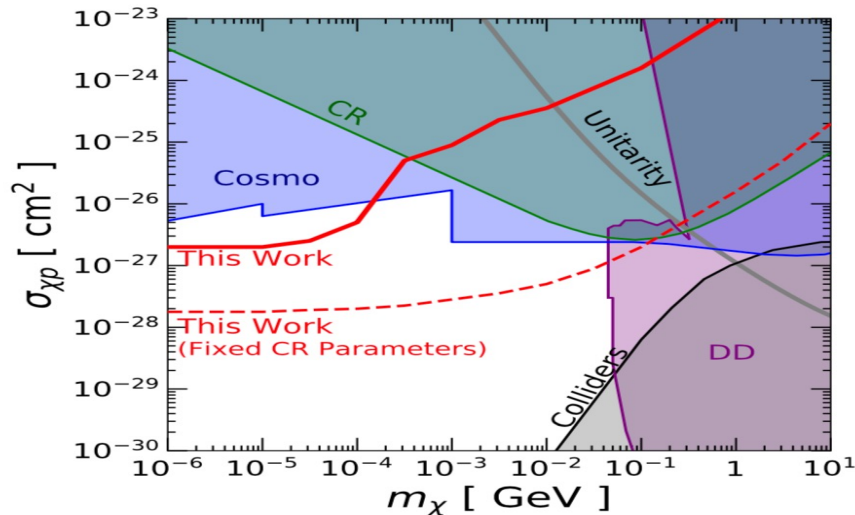
$$\sigma_{1-\text{int}} \sim 2 \times 10^{-31} \text{ cm}^2 \left( \frac{m_\chi}{\text{keV}} \right) \left( \frac{E}{10 \text{ GeV}} \right)^\delta.$$

CRs will loss most of the energy if

$$\sigma_{\text{loss}}^{\chi p} \sim 2 \times 10^{-26} \left( \frac{E}{10 \text{ GeV}} \right)^{\delta-1} \text{ cm}^2,$$

Constraints

$$\sigma < 10^{-(27-28)} \text{ cm}^2 \text{ @keV}$$



Cappiello, et al. arXiv:1810.07705

# CR-DM inelastic scattering: gamma-ray production

Inelastic process :  $\chi p \rightarrow \chi \Delta \rightarrow \chi p \gamma$   
 CR propagation in the extended halo

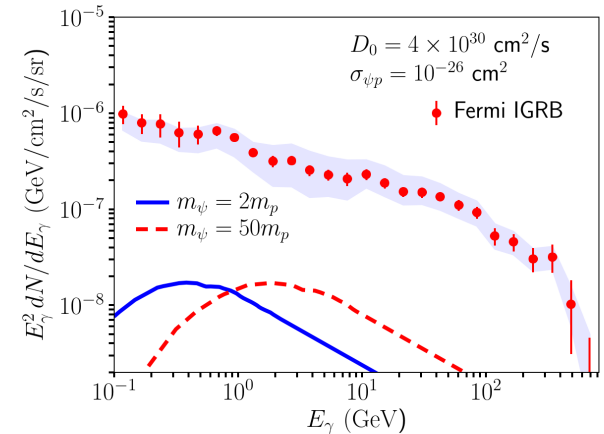
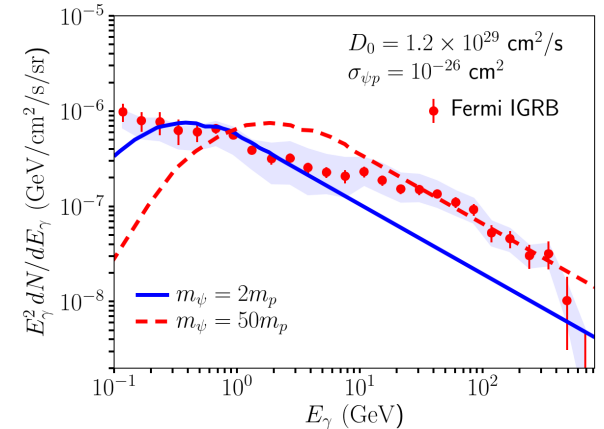
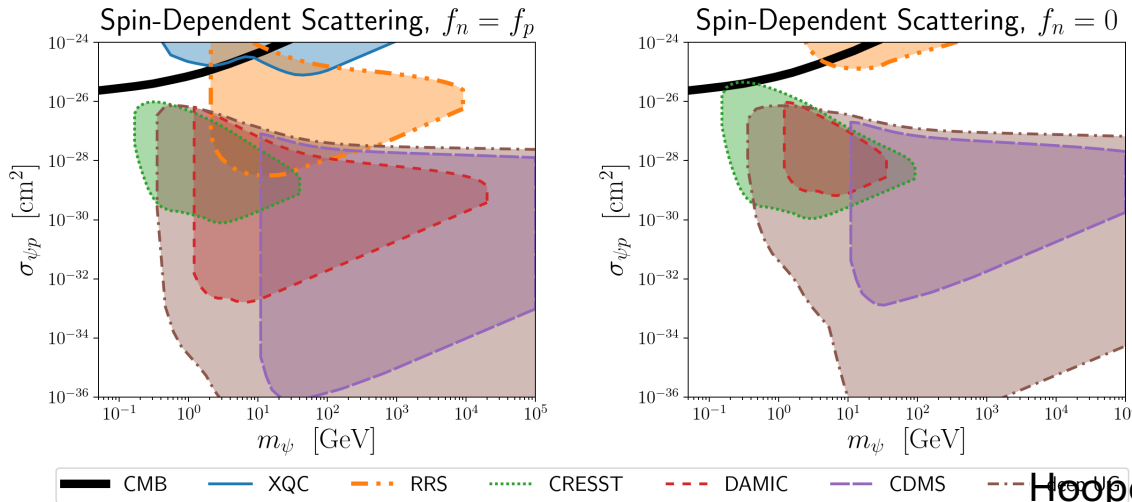
$$0 = \vec{\nabla} \cdot [D(E_p) \vec{\nabla} \frac{dN_p}{dE_p}(\vec{x}, t, E_p)] + Q(\vec{x}, t, E_p),$$

Lorimer profile of sources

$$Q(R, t, E_p) = Q_0 E_p^{-2.4} R^{2.35} \exp(-R/1.528 \text{ kpc}) f(t), \quad (5)$$

Results depend on the diffusion coefficient

$\sigma < 10^{-26} \text{ cm}^2$  @100 MeV

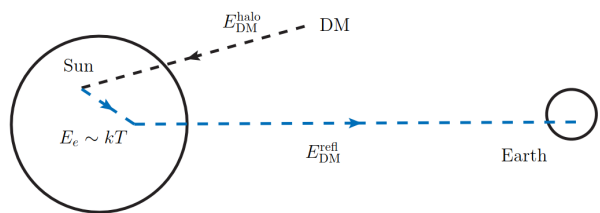


Hooper & McDermott, arXiv:1802.03025

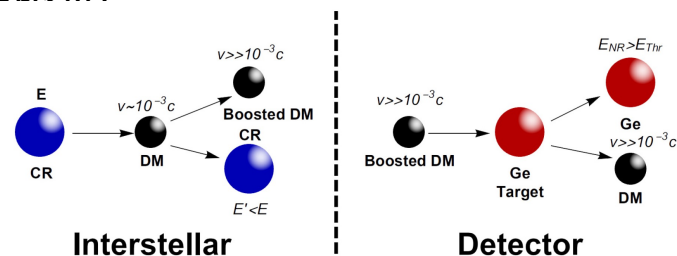
# 暗物质探测实验上探测轻暗物质

直接探测的逆过程：核子、电子撞击暗物质粒子（同样的截面）

- ❑ 暗物质粒子被加速，获得很大动能，轻易突破阈值限制
- ❑ 核子（电子）亦损失能量，带来可观测效



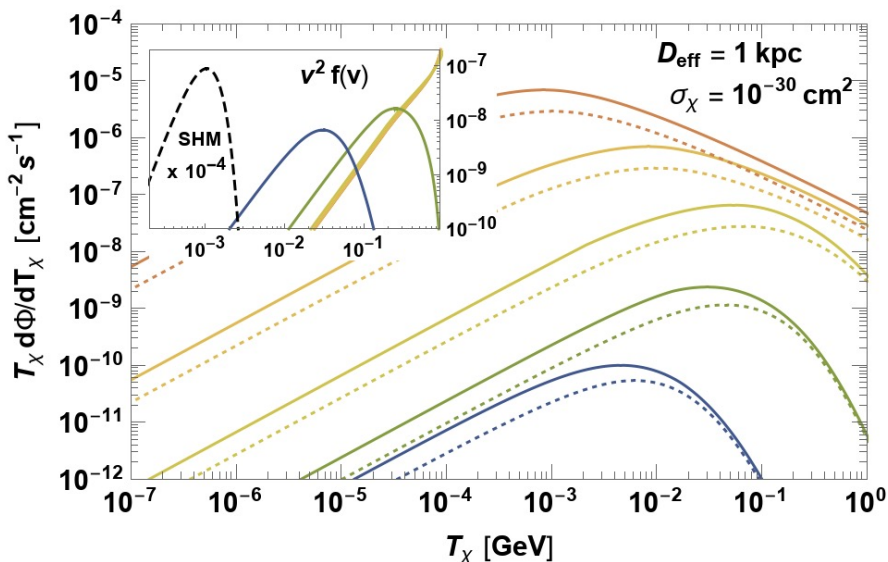
An, et al, 1708.03642.



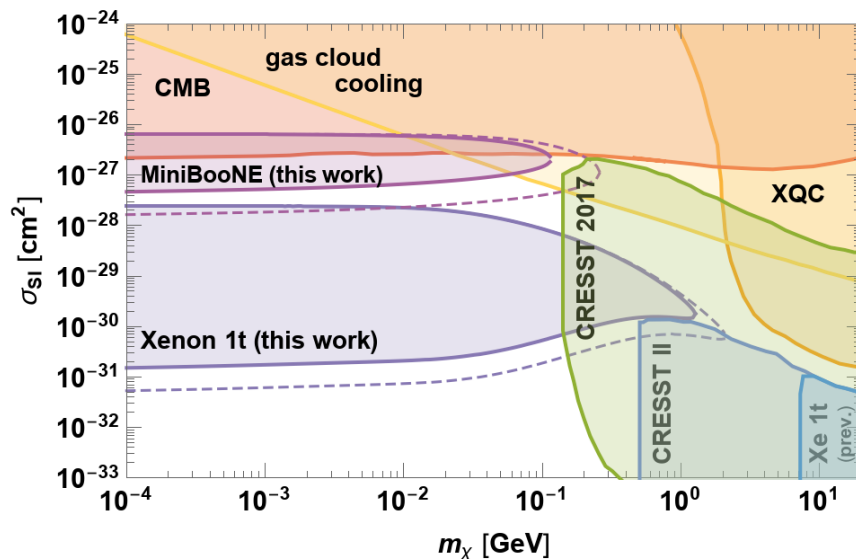
Y. Ema, et al, 1811.00520

Wang, Wu, Yang, Zhou, Zhu, 1912.09904

Ge, Liu, Yuan, Zhou, 2005.09480



Bringmann, et al 810.10543



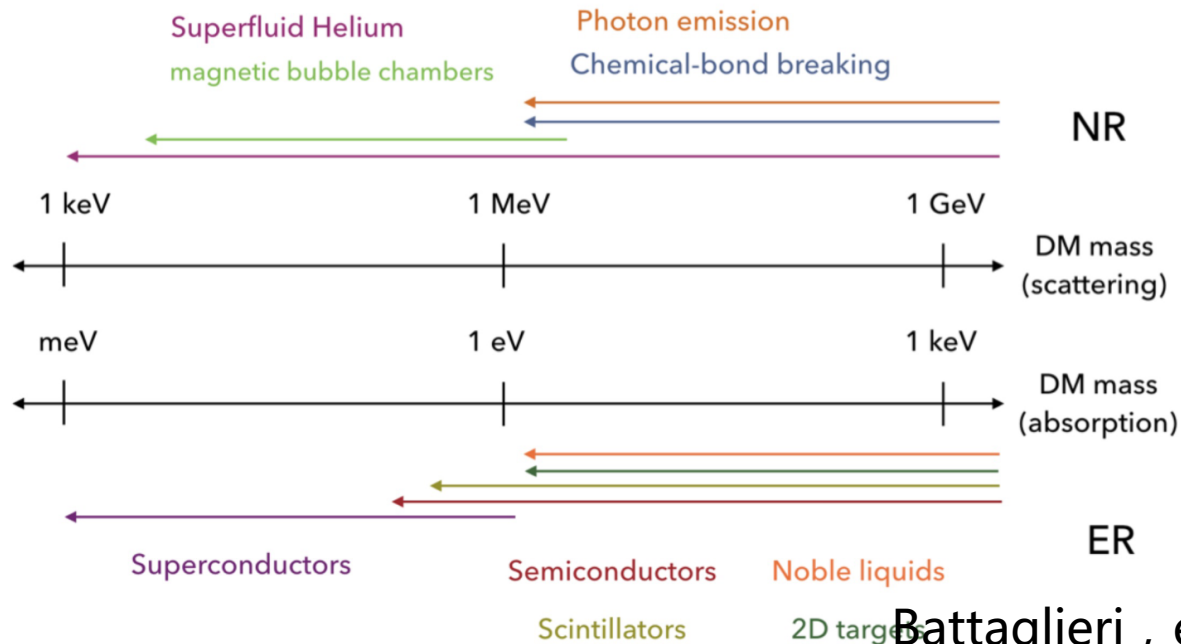
# Direct detection: the future ?

## 新方案 (低阈值)

- ❑ 液氦超流体(Suprfluid helium) : 量子蒸发
- ❑ 化学键破缺 ( chemical-Bond breaking ) : 分子瓦解 , 晶体缺陷
- ❑ 分子自旋态反转(spin-flip avalanches) ( magnetic bubble chambers, Zeeman效应, )

## 新技术

- ❑ CCD 探测器 (SENSEI, DAMIC-1K)
- ❑ 核子反冲方向性测量 ( CYGNUS HD-10 )



Battaglieri, et al, arXiv:1707.04591



遂古之初，谁传道之  
上下未形，何由考之  
冥昭瞢暗，谁能极之  
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对未知世界的探索永无止境

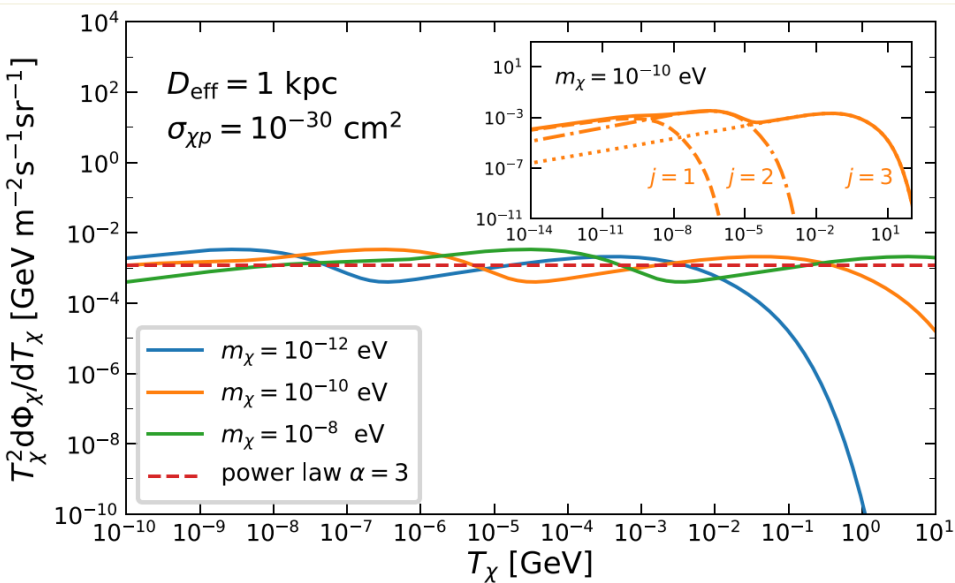
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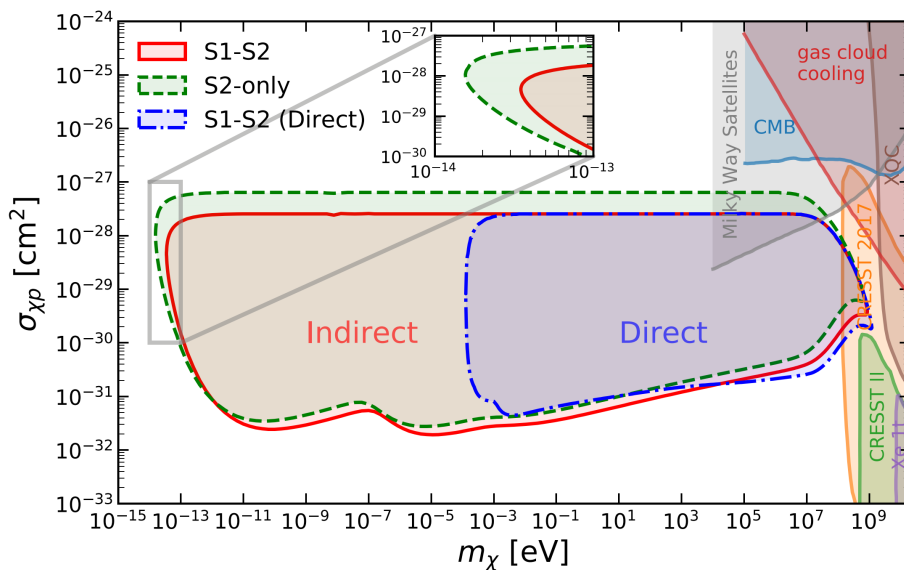
# 暗物质探测实验上探测超轻暗物质

超高能高能宇宙线 ( UHECR ) : 来自宇宙中最高能的加速器 ( supernova , AGN )

- ❑ 加速能力取决于宇宙线能谱硬度，硬度高于  $E^{-3}$  幂律能谱可加速超轻的暗物质
- ❑ 观测表明宇宙线能谱十分接近  $E^{-3}$  ( 尤其是“膝”区以上 )
- ❑ 宇宙线加速机制最终受制于 GZK 截断 :  $10^{20}$  eV
- ❑ 可限制  $10^{-14}$  eV 质量的暗物质，比当前限制拓展  $10^{10}$  倍！



Xu, Xia, YFZ, 2009.00353



# (迄今为止) 所有支持暗物质存在的证据都来自引力效应研究

常规重子物质  
(占物质总量15%)

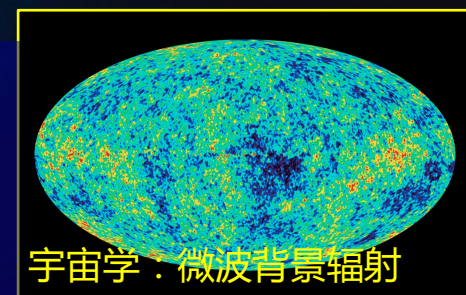
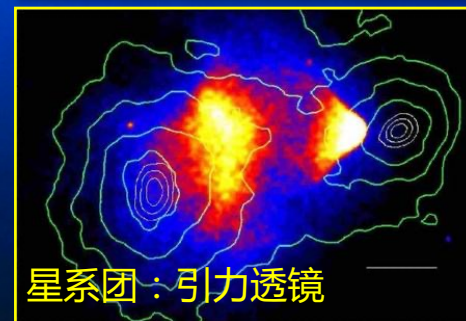
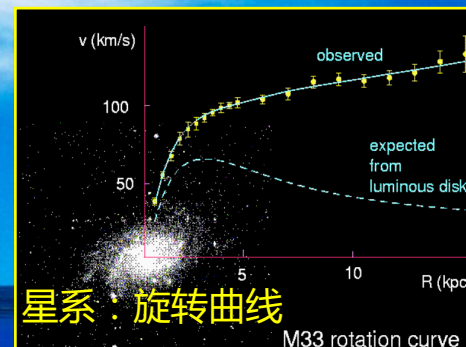
暗物质  
(占物质总量85%)

**大量观测证据：**

空间各种尺度 ( Galaxy , Cluster , Cosmic )  
宇宙不同时期 ( BBN , CMB , Today ) ,

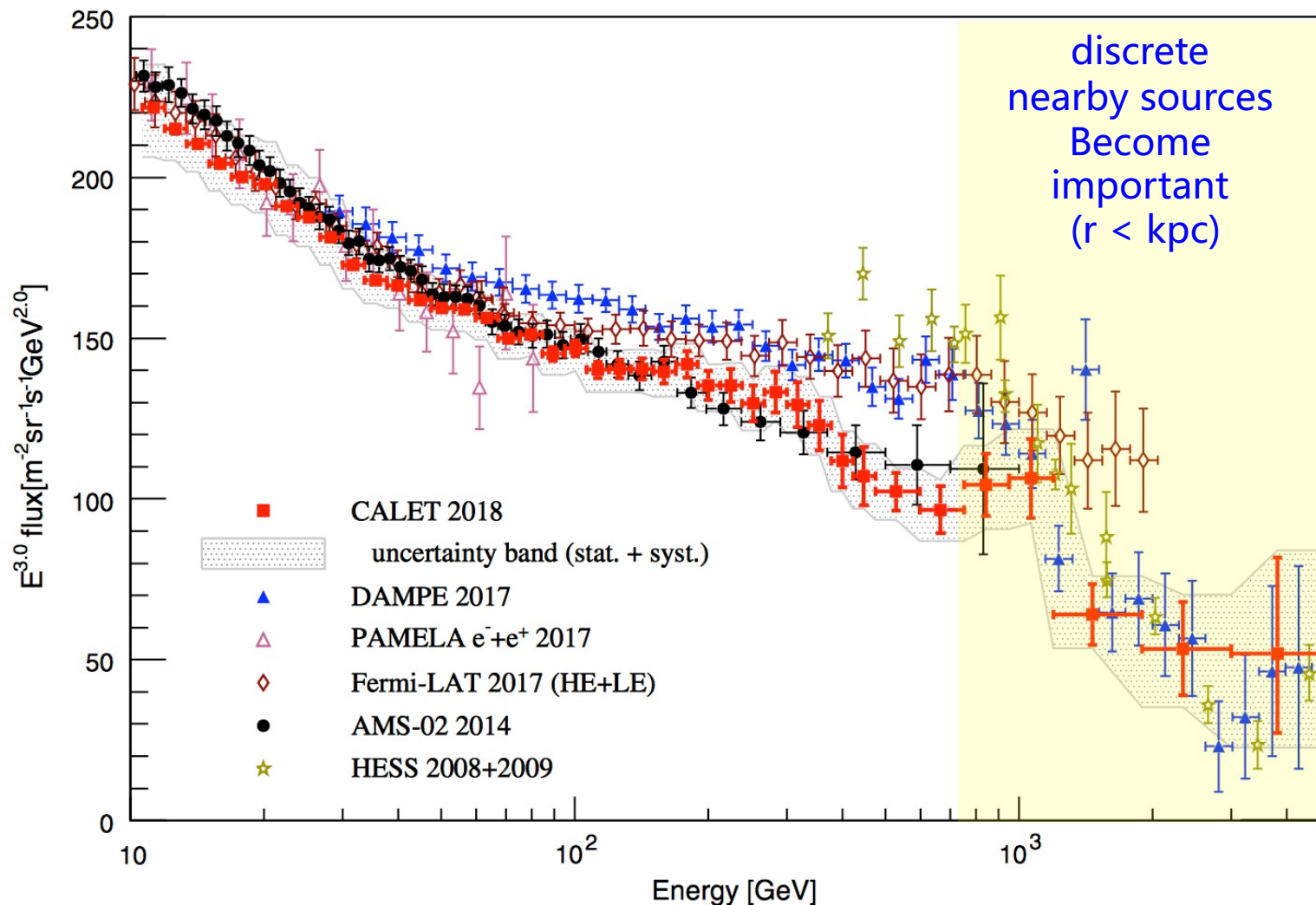
**大量理论研究：**星系形成 , N-体数值模拟

**暗物质是什么？如何起源？是否可探测（非引力作用）？**



# CR primary: all electron flux

Fermi-LAT, AMS-02, CALET, DAMPE, HESS. not in full agreement



# The origin of a sharp electron structure

- Burst-like sources ( astrophysical sources): **spectrum-shrinking**  
PWNe, SNRs
- Continuous sources ( DM-like sources): **spectrum-broadening**
  - *Point-like sources*
    - Mini-spikes around IMBH Bertone, etal, astro-ph/0509565
    - Ultra Compact mini halos (UCMH), Scott, Sivertsson 0908.4082
    - Dissipative DM, Agrawal, Randall 1706.04195
  - *Extended sources*
    - DM subhalos (suggested by N-body simulations)
    - Smooth Galactic DM halo

Discrete nearby sources may reveal themselves through structures in CRE flux



# 1) Spectrum broadening (for continuous sources)

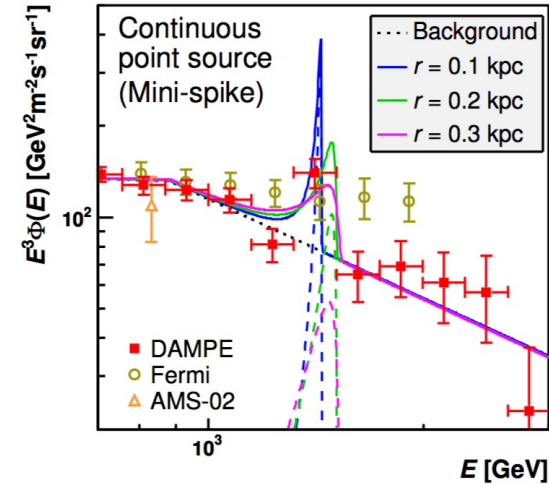
Continuous sources inevitably expand

Injection spectrum

$$Q(r, E) \approx Q_0 \delta(E - E_0) \delta^{(3)}(\mathbf{r}),$$

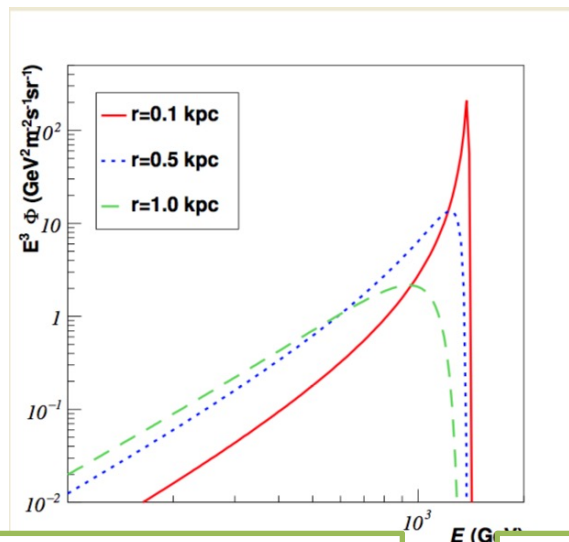
Spectrum broadening

$$f(r, E) = \frac{Q_0 E^{-2}}{\pi^{3/2} b_0 r_d^3(E)} \exp\left(-\frac{r^2}{r_d^2(E)}\right)$$

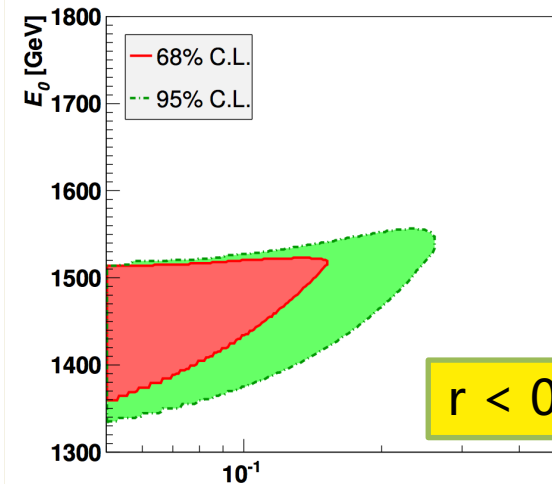


before

after



**Width determines distance !**



Only e+e- final states!

X.J.Huang, W.H.Zhang, Y.L.Wu, YFZ, arXiv:1712.00005

## Sources of backgrounds for electronic recoil

No.	Component	Expected Events	Fitted Events
i	$^{214}\text{Pb}$	(3450, 8530)	$7480 \pm 160$
ii	$^{85}\text{Kr}$	$890 \pm 150$	$773 \pm 80$
iii	Materials	323 (fixed)	323 (fixed)
iv	$^{136}\text{Xe}$	$2120 \pm 210$	$2150 \pm 120$
v	Solar neutrino	$220.7 \pm 6.6$	$220.8 \pm 4.7$
vi	$^{133}\text{Xe}$	$3900 \pm 410$	$4009 \pm 85$
vii	$^{131\text{m}}\text{Xe}$	$23760 \pm 640$	$24270 \pm 150$
viii	$^{125}\text{I}$ (K)	$79 \pm 33$	$67 \pm 12$
	$^{125}\text{I}$ (L)	$15.3 \pm 6.5$	$13.1 \pm 2.3$
	$^{125}\text{I}$ (M)	$3.4 \pm 1.5$	$2.94 \pm 0.50$
ix	$^{83\text{m}}\text{Kr}$	$2500 \pm 250$	$2671 \pm 53$
	$^{124}\text{Xe}$ (KK)	$125 \pm 50$	$113 \pm 24$
x	$^{124}\text{Xe}$ (KL)	$38 \pm 15$	$34.0 \pm 7.3$
	$^{124}\text{Xe}$ (LL)	$2.8 \pm 1.1$	$2.56 \pm 0.55$



## Cosmic rays (aurora borealis )

# 极光

人面蛇身，赤色，身长千里，钟山之神也。 《山海经》