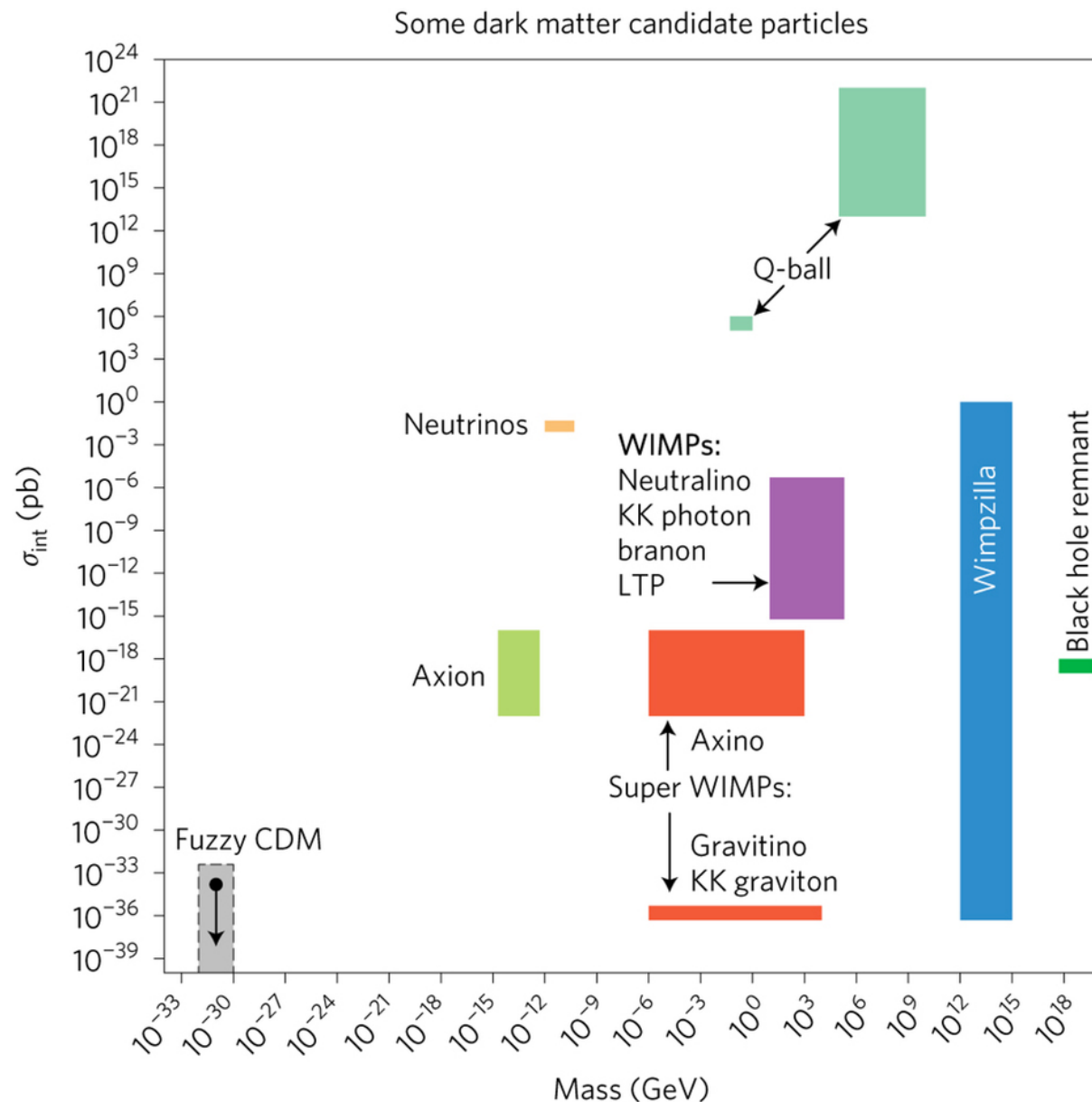


Dark Matter constraints from astroparticle experiments

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The dark matter landscape



- In order to define a search strategy, we first need to better define the dark matter candidate of interest (input from theory) => **DM zoology!**
- Once the theoretical context is defined, we can engage in identification strategies which can be more or less model dependent
- There is always some theoretical prejudice in DM searches...

This talk: **WIMP DM**
L. Hui, A. Ringwald, J. Garcia-Bellido
other viable DM candidates

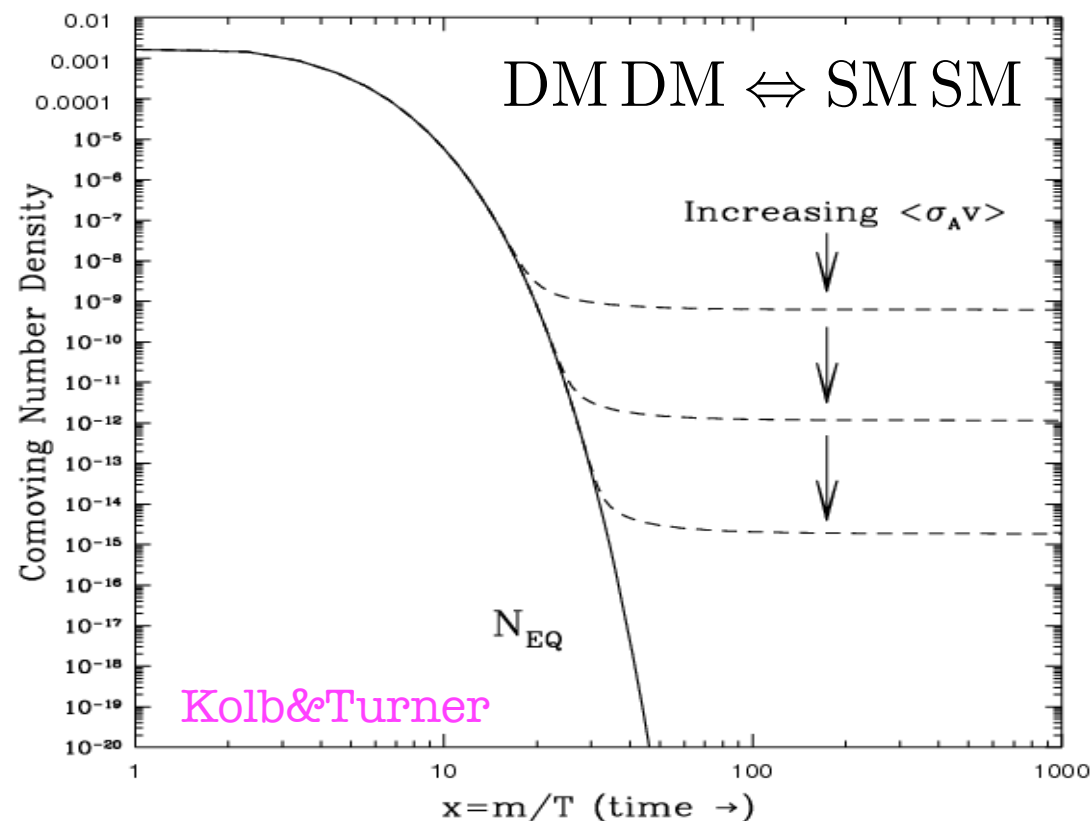
Conrad & Reimer, Nature Physics 13 (2017) 224-231

Weakly Interacting Massive Particles (WIMP)

The dark matter landscape

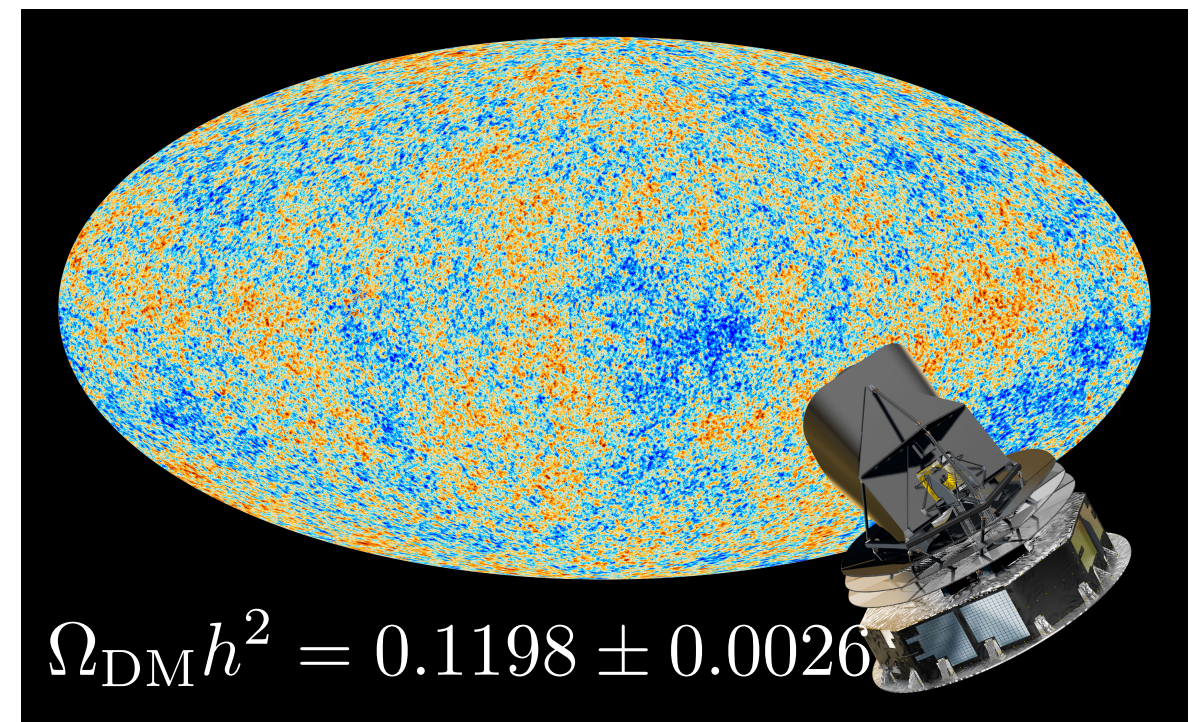


Freeze-out production mechanism



$$\Omega_{\text{DM}} h^2 \sim \frac{10^{-27} \text{ cm}^3/\text{s}}{\langle \sigma(\text{DM DM} \rightarrow \text{SM SM}) v \rangle}$$

CMB temperature anisotropy



$$\langle \sigma(\text{DM DM} \rightarrow \text{SM SM}) v \rangle \sim 3 \times 10^{-26} \text{ cm}^3/\text{s}$$

Natural candidates at the weak scale

WIMP searches with astroparticle experiments



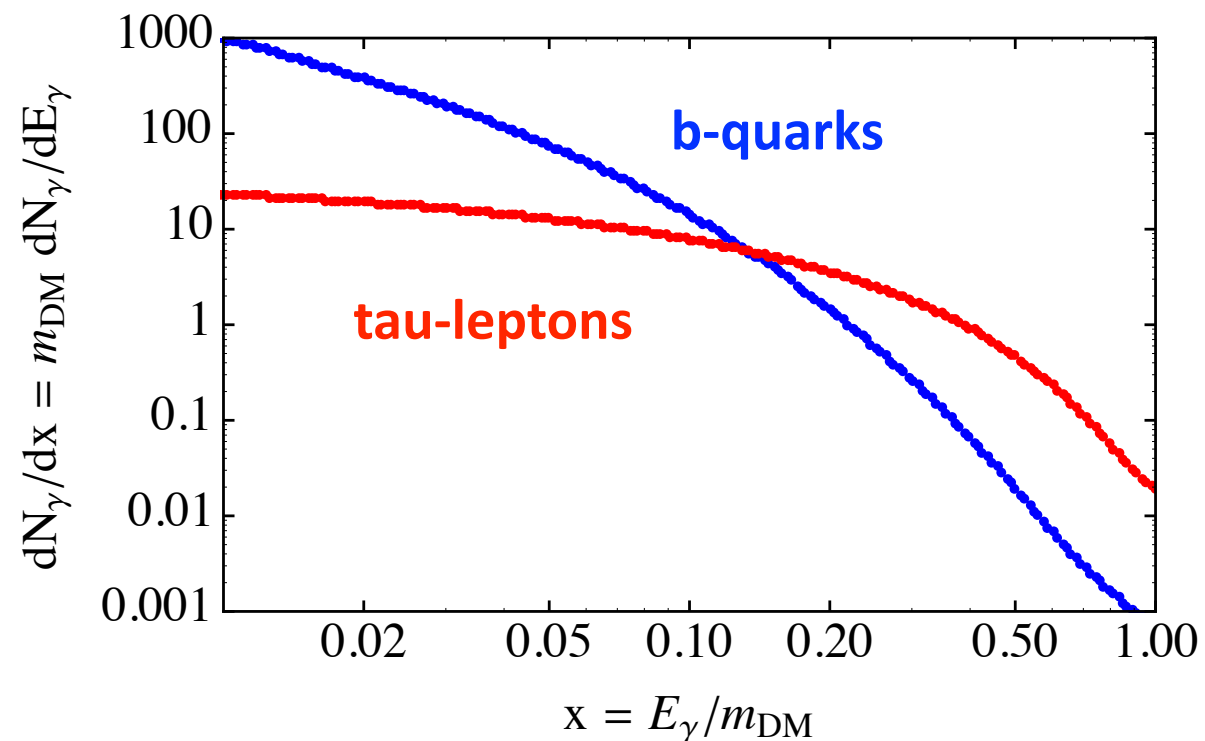
WIMP searches with astroparticle experiments

Indirect detection



$$\frac{d^3 N_X}{dV dt dE} = \frac{\langle \sigma v \rangle \rho_{\text{DM}}^2}{2m_{\text{DM}}^2} \frac{dN_X}{dE}$$

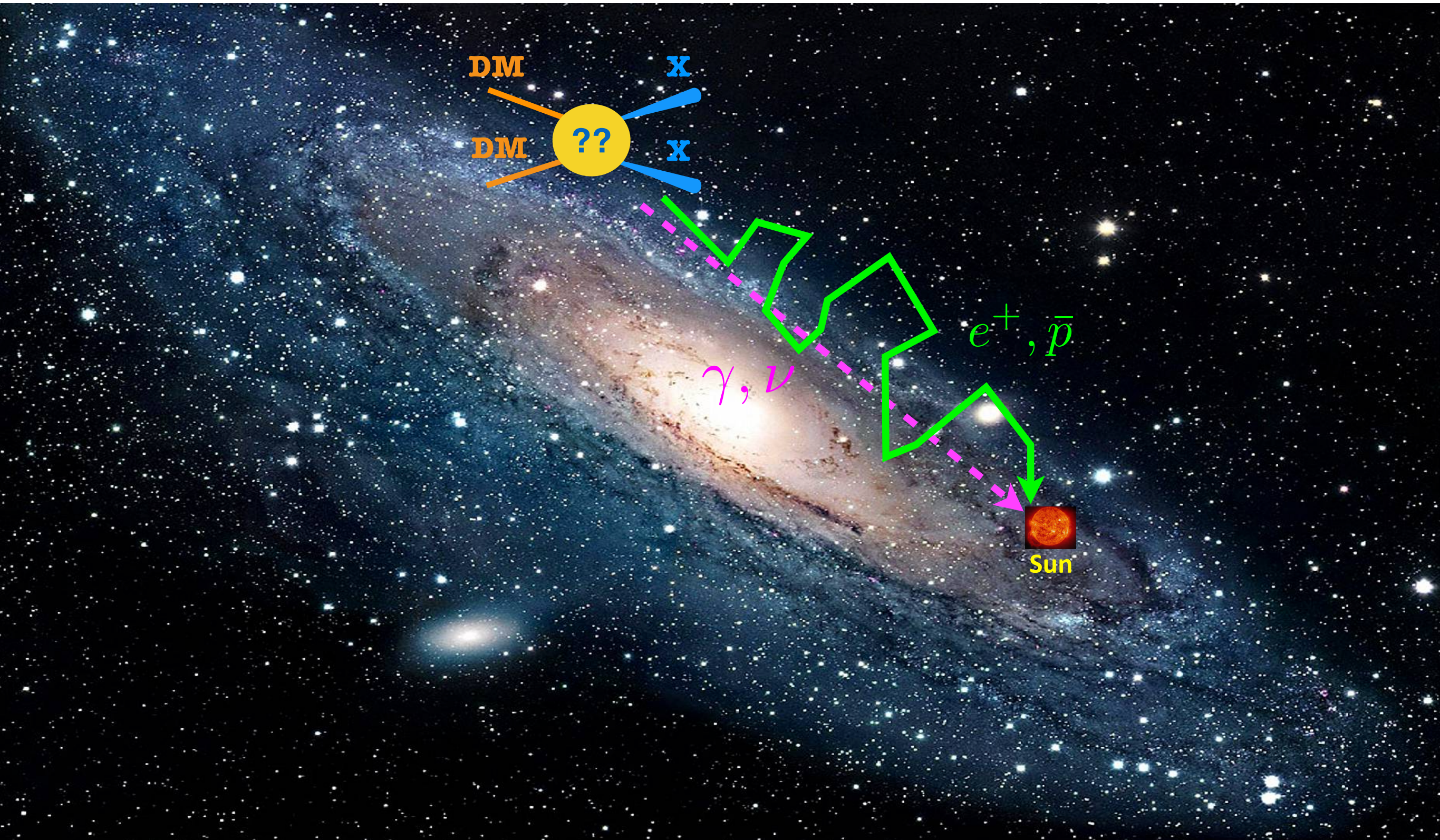
Annihilation



- + Contribution from gamma-ray lines Bergström et al., JCAP'05
- + EM and EW corrections Bringmann et al., JHEP'08;
Ciafaloni et al., JCAP'11; Bringmann & Calore, PRL'14

WIMP searches with astroparticle experiments

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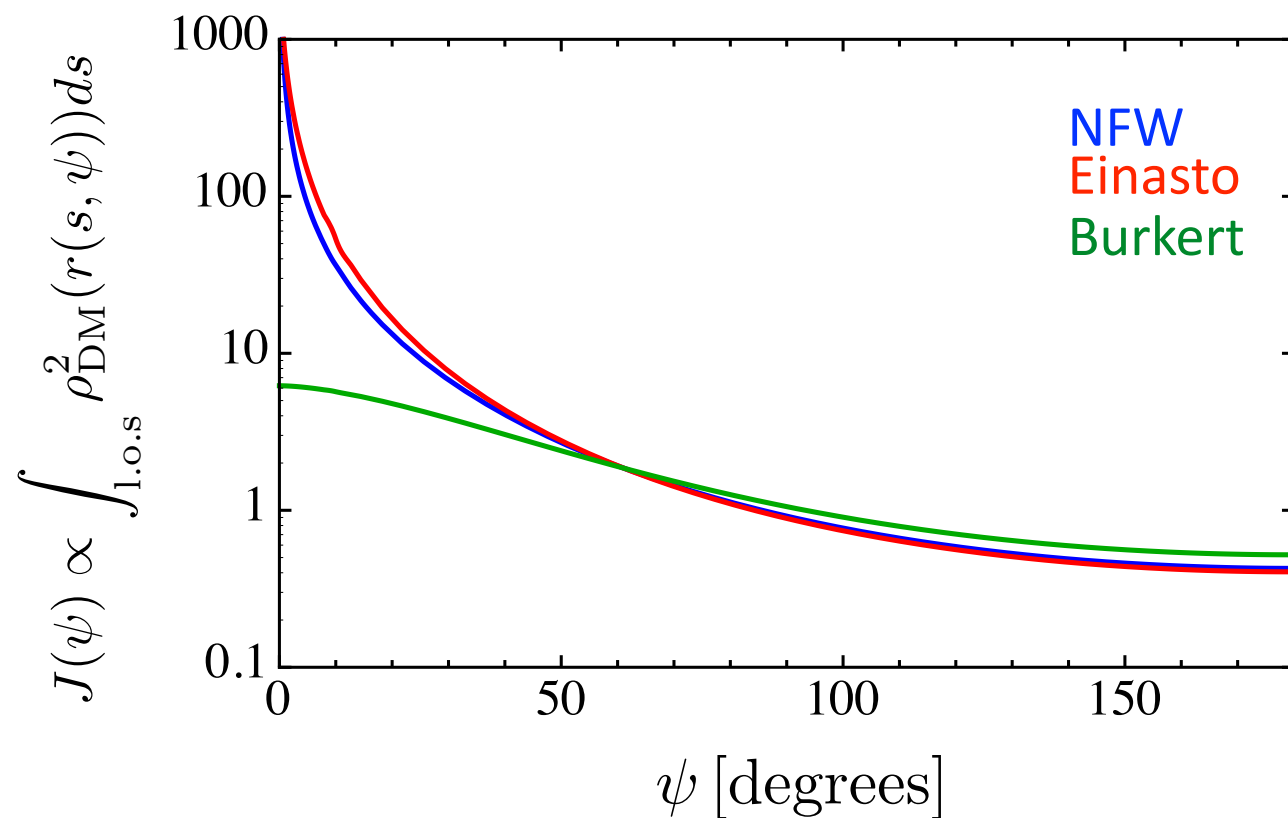
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$$\frac{d\Phi_\gamma}{dE_\gamma}(E_\gamma, s, \Delta\Omega) \propto \int_0^{\Delta\Omega} d\Omega \int_{\text{los}} \rho_{\text{DM}}^2(s) ds$$

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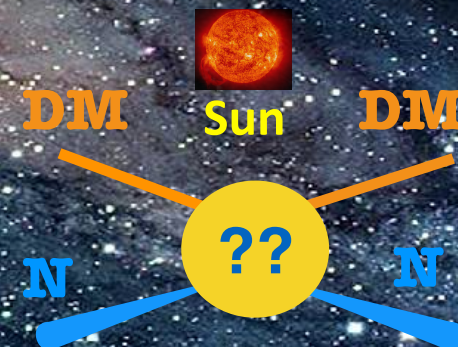
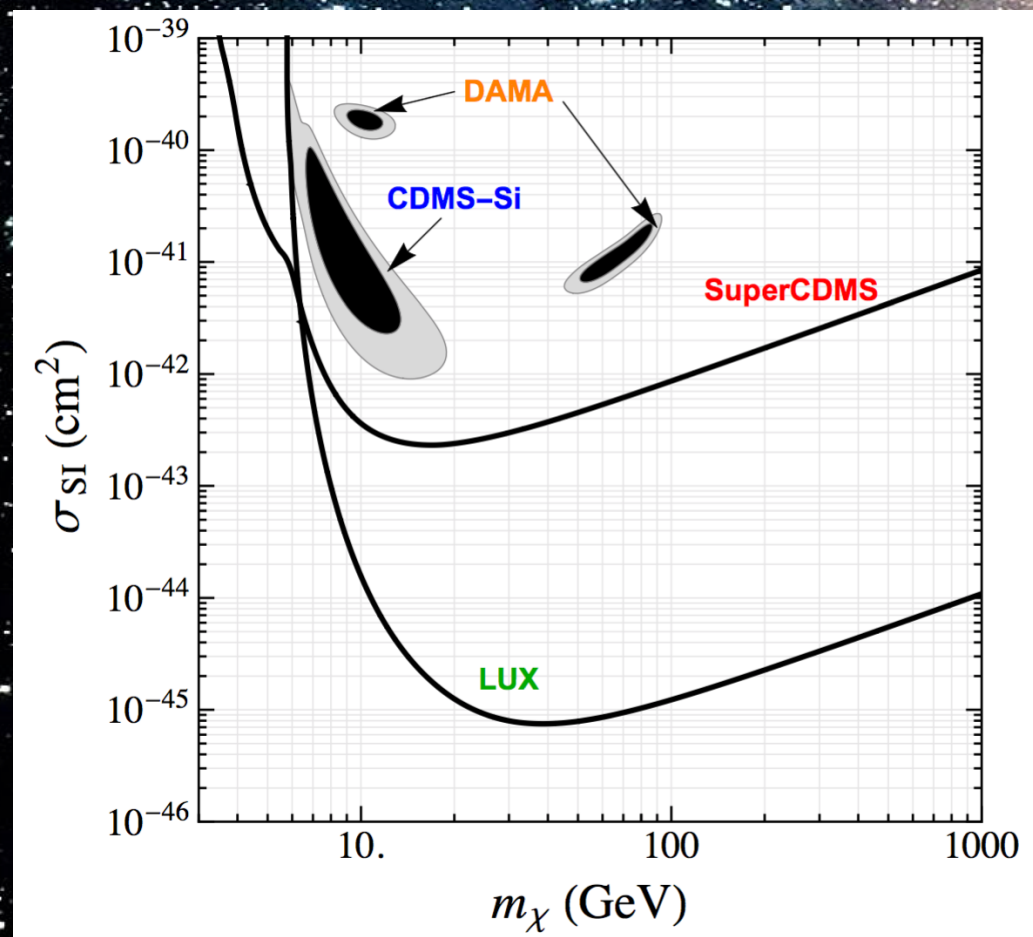


WIMP searches with astroparticle experiments

Direct detection

$$\frac{dR}{dE_R} = \frac{\rho_{\text{DM}}}{m_{\text{DM}}} \frac{1}{m_A} \int_{v > v_{\text{min}}} d^3v \frac{d\sigma_A}{dE_R} v f_{\text{det}}(\mathbf{v}, t)$$

DM-nucleus scattering

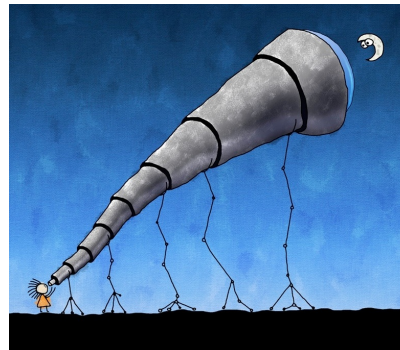


DM astrophysical ingredients and their uncertainties

(1) DM density distribution in the Milky Way $\rho_{\text{DM}}(R)$

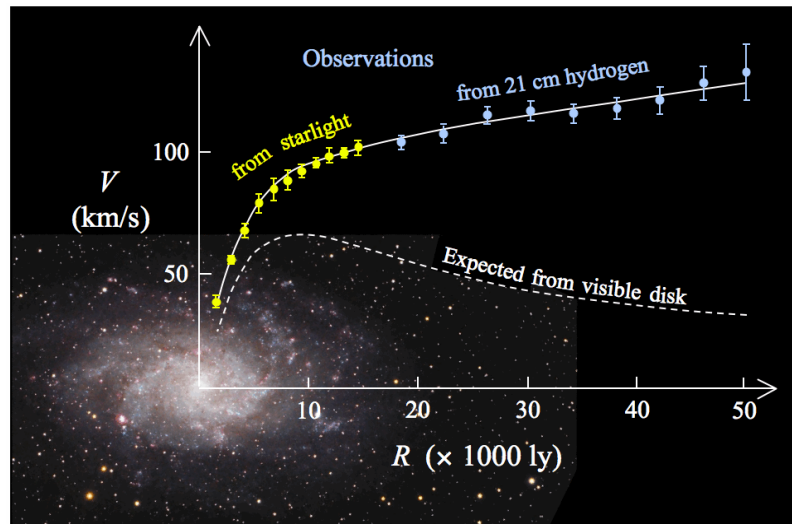
(2) Local DM density $\rho_{\text{DM}}(R_{\odot}) \equiv \rho_{\odot}$

(3) Local DM velocity distribution $f_{\text{det}}(\mathbf{v}, t)$



What can we infer from observations?
And where do we need simulations of the Galaxy?

Reconstructing the DM density distribution



Non-parametric reconstruction:
approach free of profile assumptions,
but large uncertainties

Parametric reconstruction: strong profile assumptions, and large uncertainties
due to baryonic models.

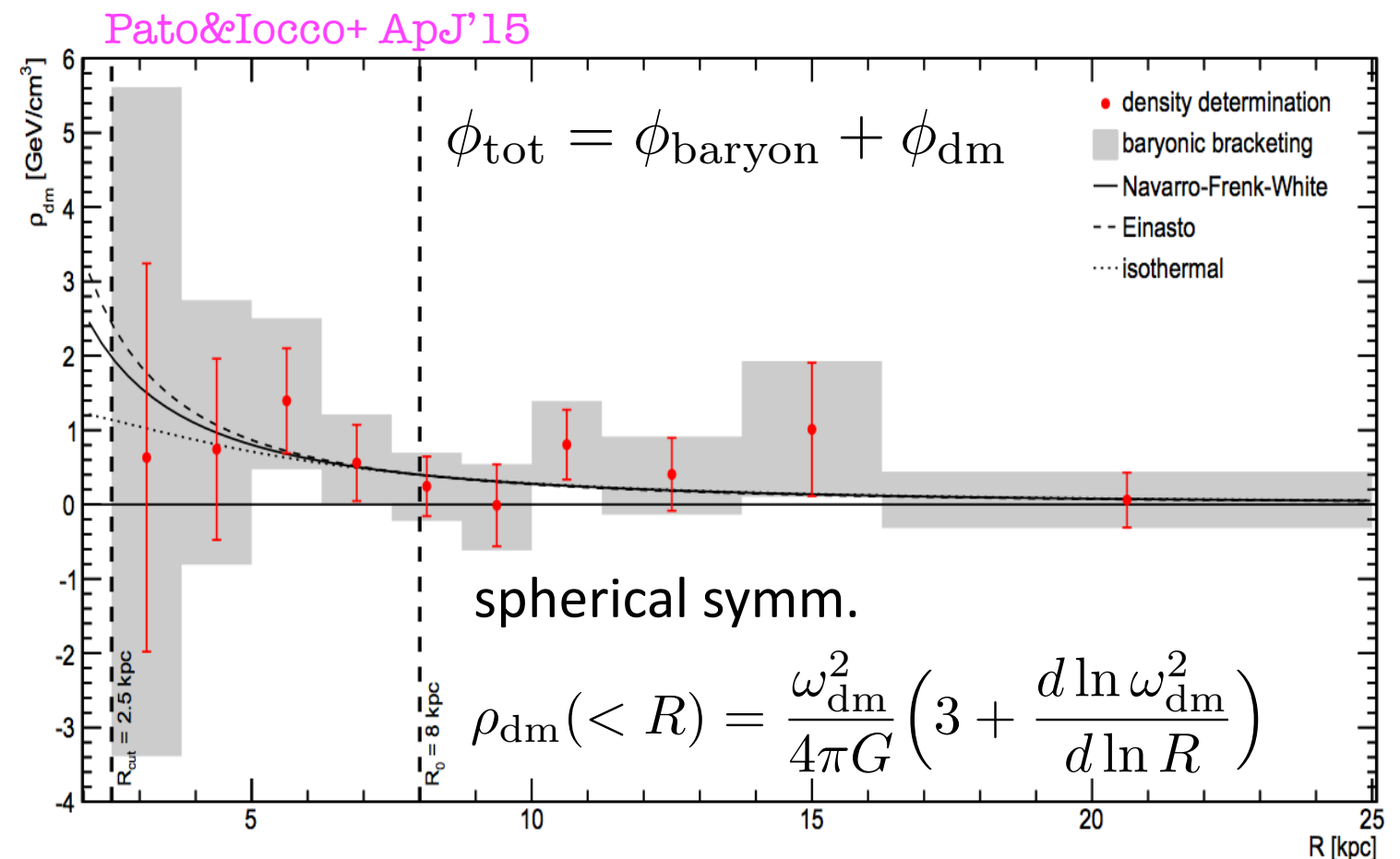
$$\omega_{\text{dm}}^2 = \frac{G}{R^3} \int_0^R dr 4\pi r^2 \rho_{\text{dm}}(r)$$

NFW, **Einasto**, etc.

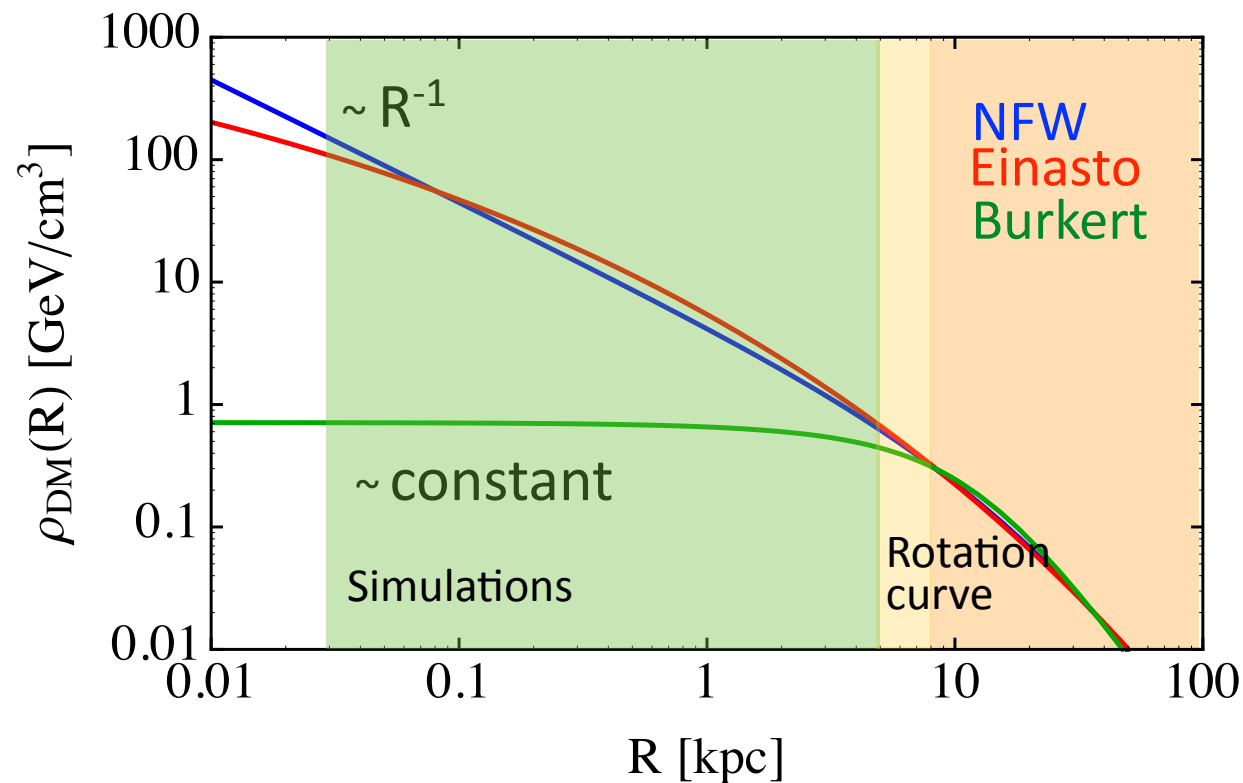
e.g: Pato+ JCAP'15; McMillan+ MNRAS'16; Iocco&Benito PDU'17

Full mass modelling of MW and “global” method to derive **local DM density**.

e.g: Catena&Ullio JCAP '10; Salucci+ A&A'10, Pato&Iocco JCAP'15



The MW dark matter distribution

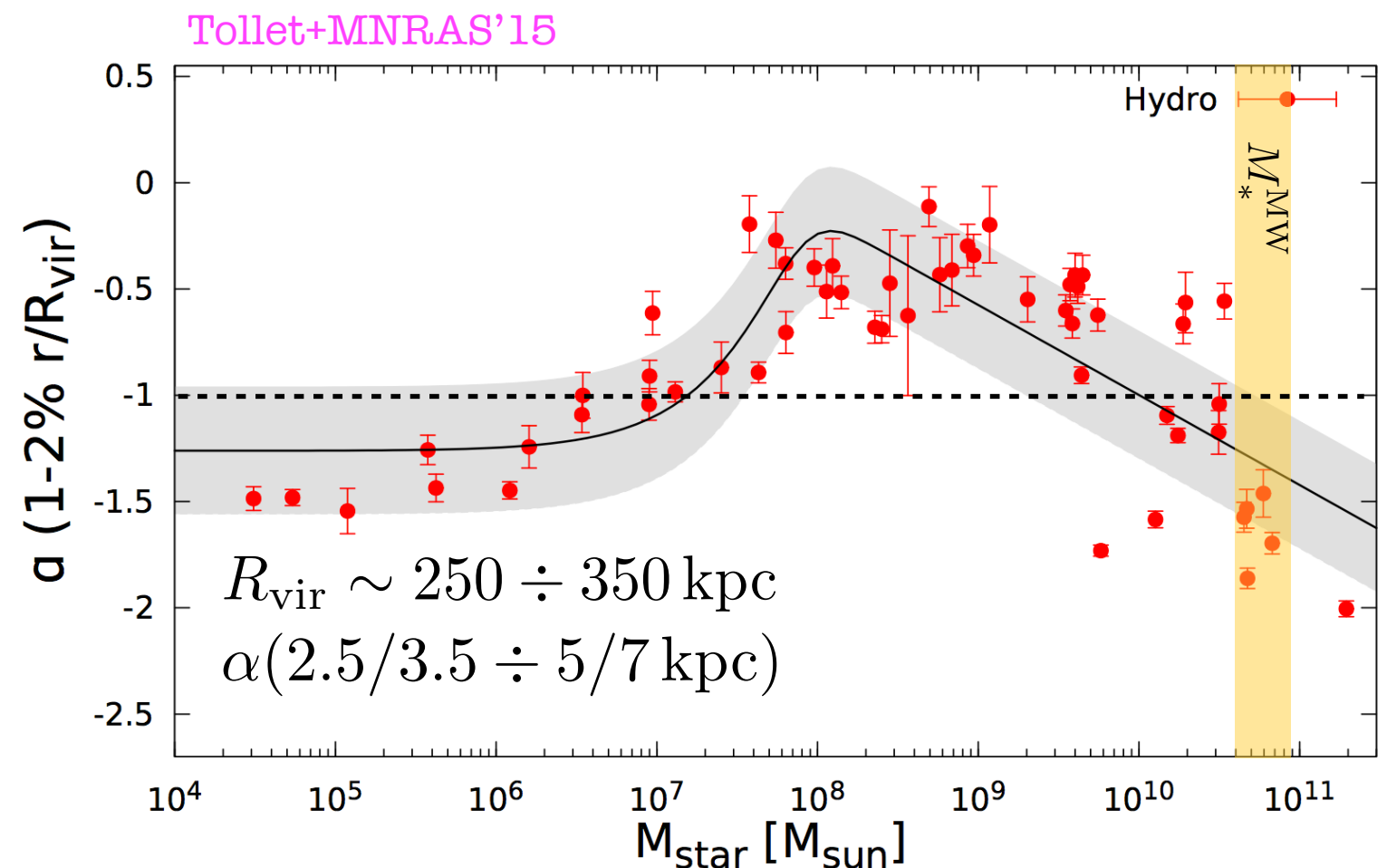


Rotation curve can only probe DM spatial distribution down to a few kpc.

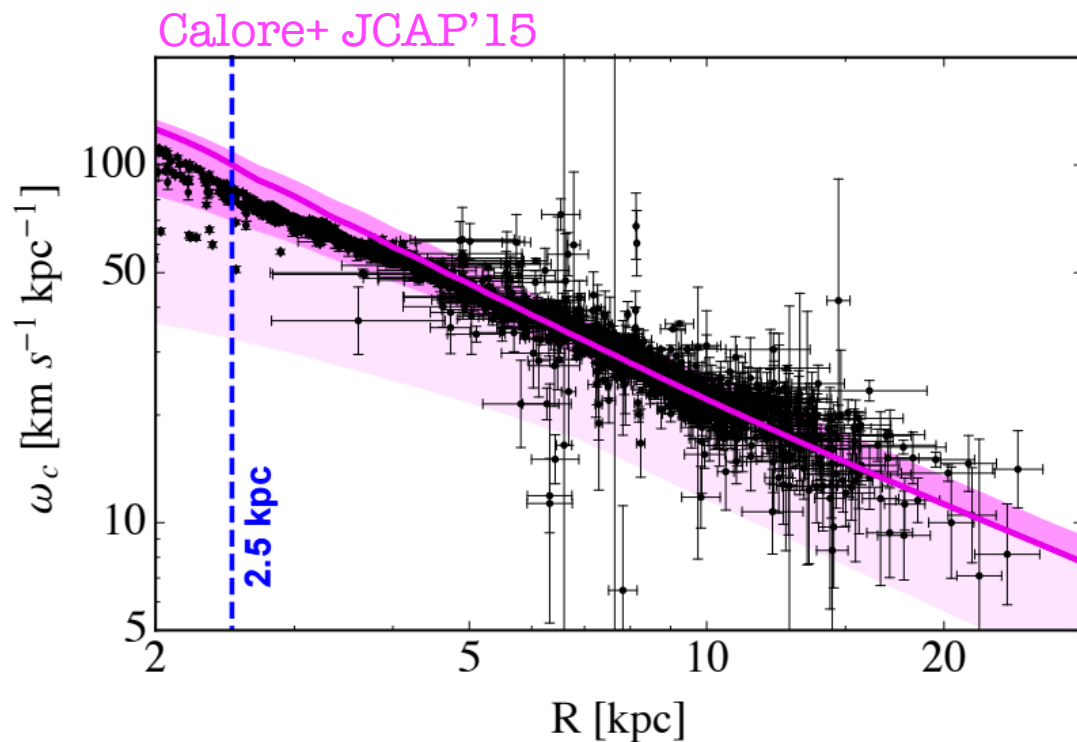
We need simulations of galaxy formation, including baryon effects.

Challenges

- 1) How to select a good MW halo candidate?
- 2) How to extrapolate the profile down to smaller scales?



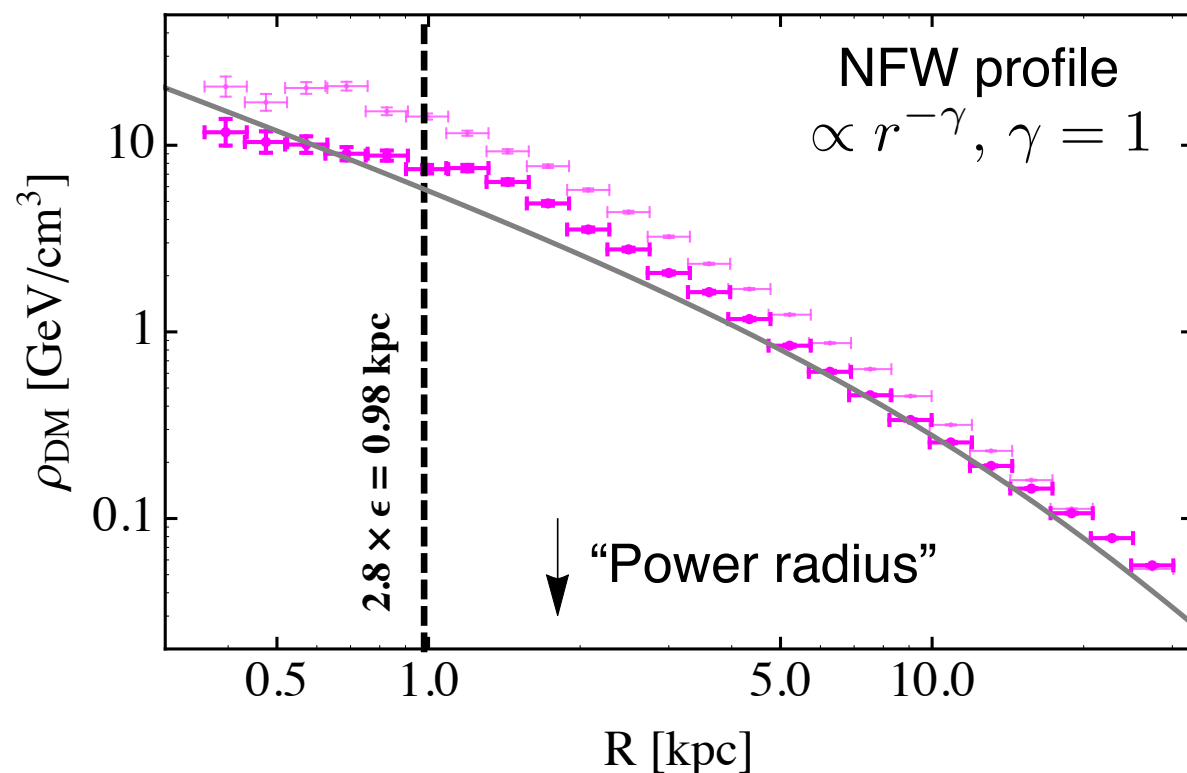
Milky-Way like galaxies in EAGLE



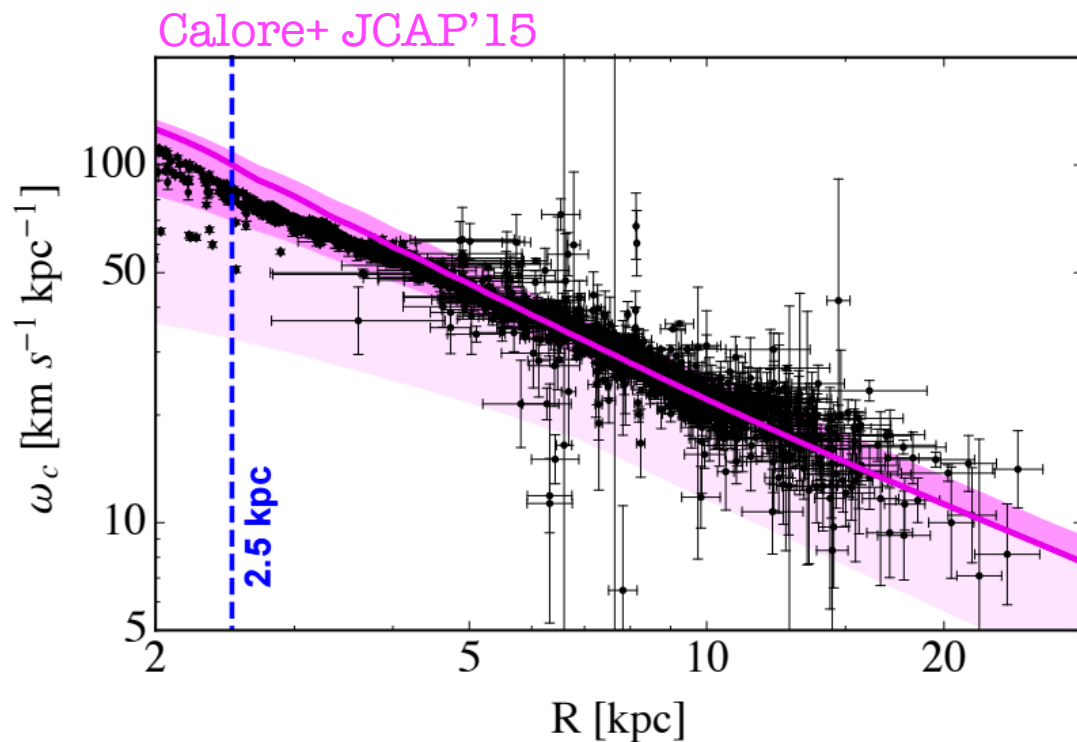
- Selection of MW-like objects** based on 3 criteria:
- (i) Good fit to observed MW rotation curve.
 - (ii) Total stellar mass within the 3σ observed MW range.
 - (iii) Presence of a substantial stellar disc component.

[constrained MW halo, see e.g. [Wang+MNRAS'12](#); [Gottloeber+2010](#)]

DM density profile in EAGLE MW-like galaxies



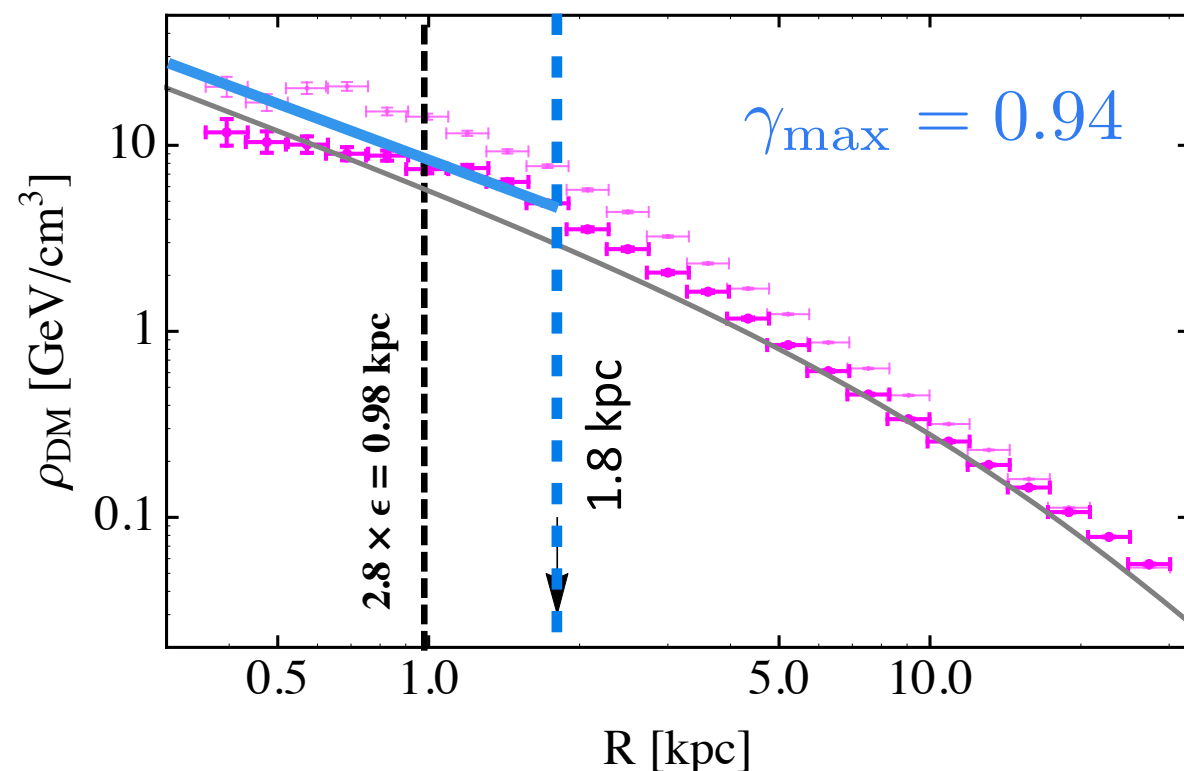
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Small scale profile?

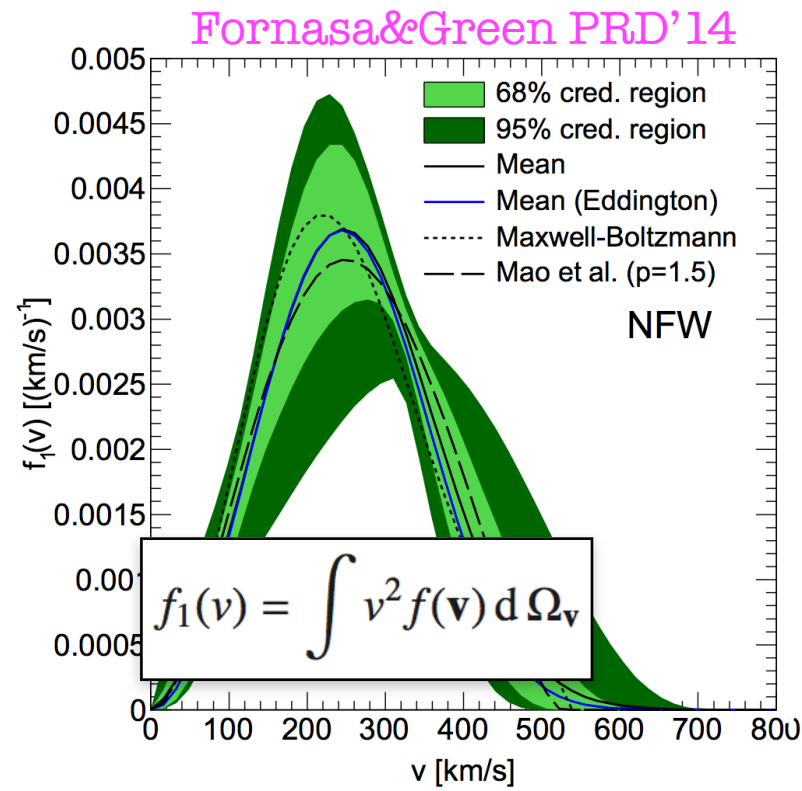
Power-law extrapolation with robust upper limit on the inner asymptotic slope at Power radius:

$$\gamma_{\text{max}}(r) \equiv 3(1 - \rho(r)/\bar{\rho}(r))$$

$$\gamma_{\text{max}} \sim 0.6 - 0.9$$

Reconstructing the local velocity distribution

Mass Modelling



$$\mathcal{F}(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{v})$$

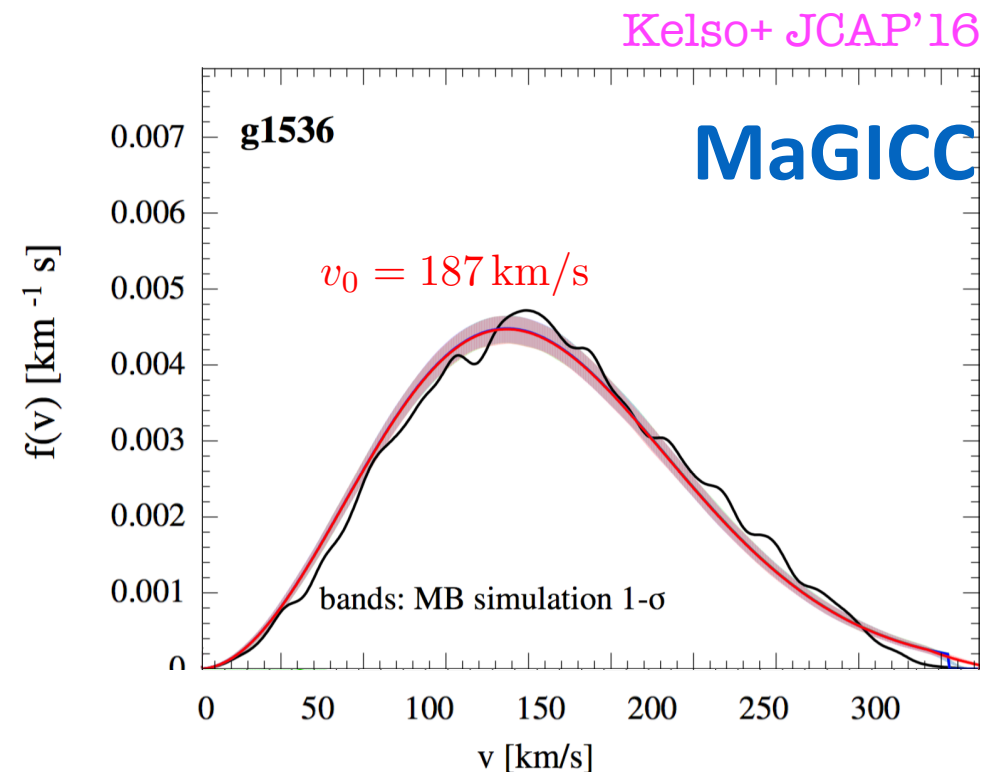
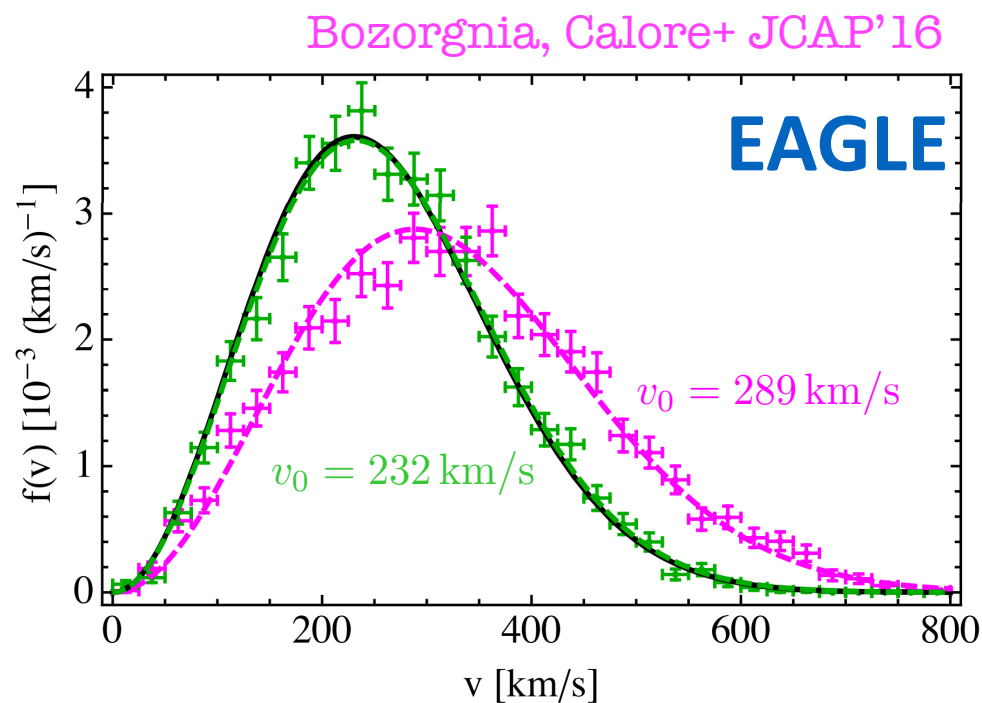
Phase-space density consistent with total gravitational potential

$$f(\mathbf{v}) = \mathcal{F}(\mathbf{x}_{\odot}, \mathbf{v}) / \rho(\mathbf{x}_{\odot})$$

Local DM velocity distribution

Isotropy & isothermal halo sphere → Standard Halo Model (Maxwell-Boltzmann v distribution)

Hydro simulations

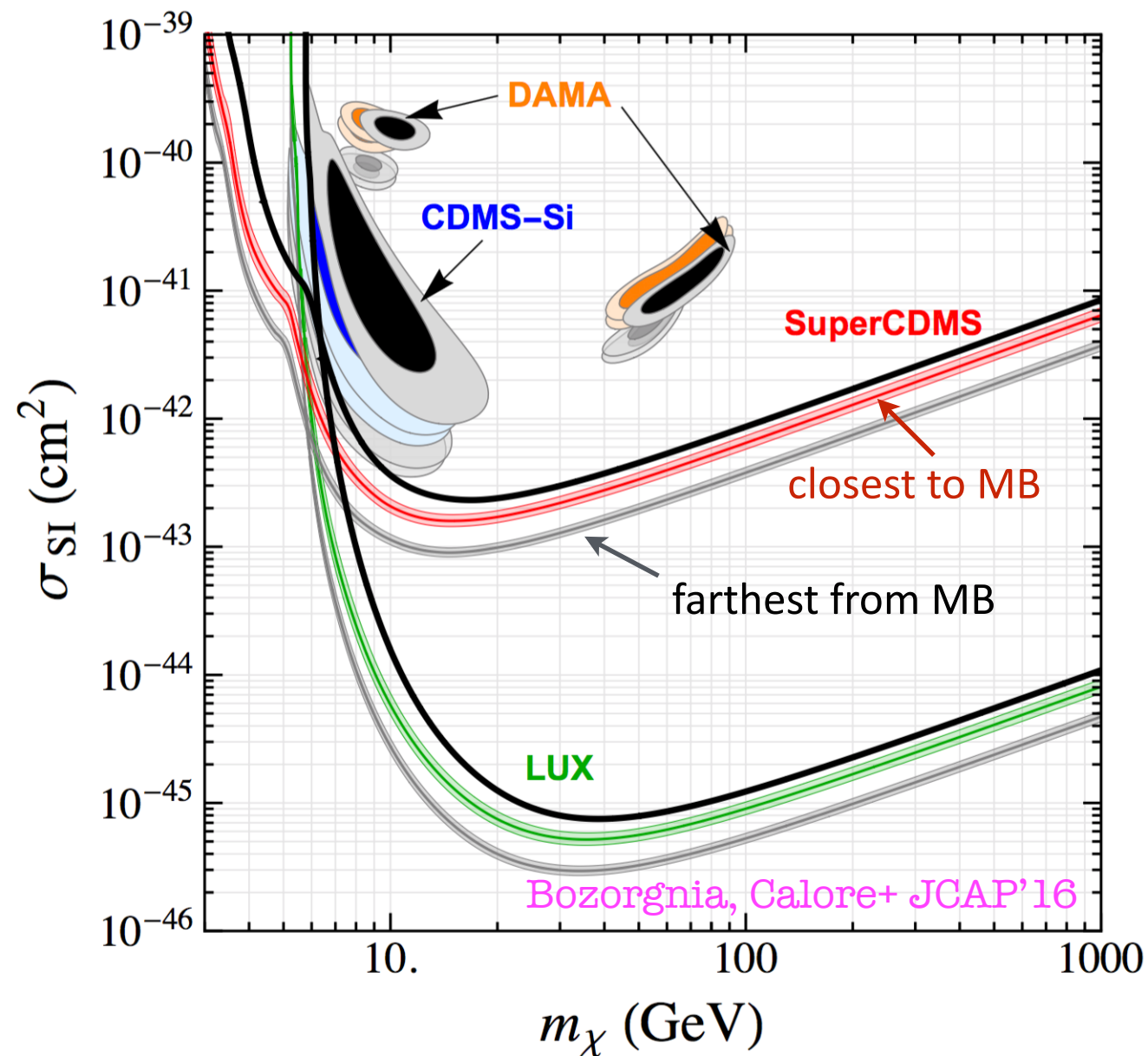


Typically, a **Maxwellian with free peak v_0** better description for hydro case w.r.to DMO

Impact on DM direct detection limits

$$\eta(v_{\min}, t) \equiv \int_{v > v_{\min}} d^3v \frac{f_{\text{det}}(\mathbf{v}, t)}{v}$$

$$R(E_R, t) \propto \eta(v_{\min}, t)$$

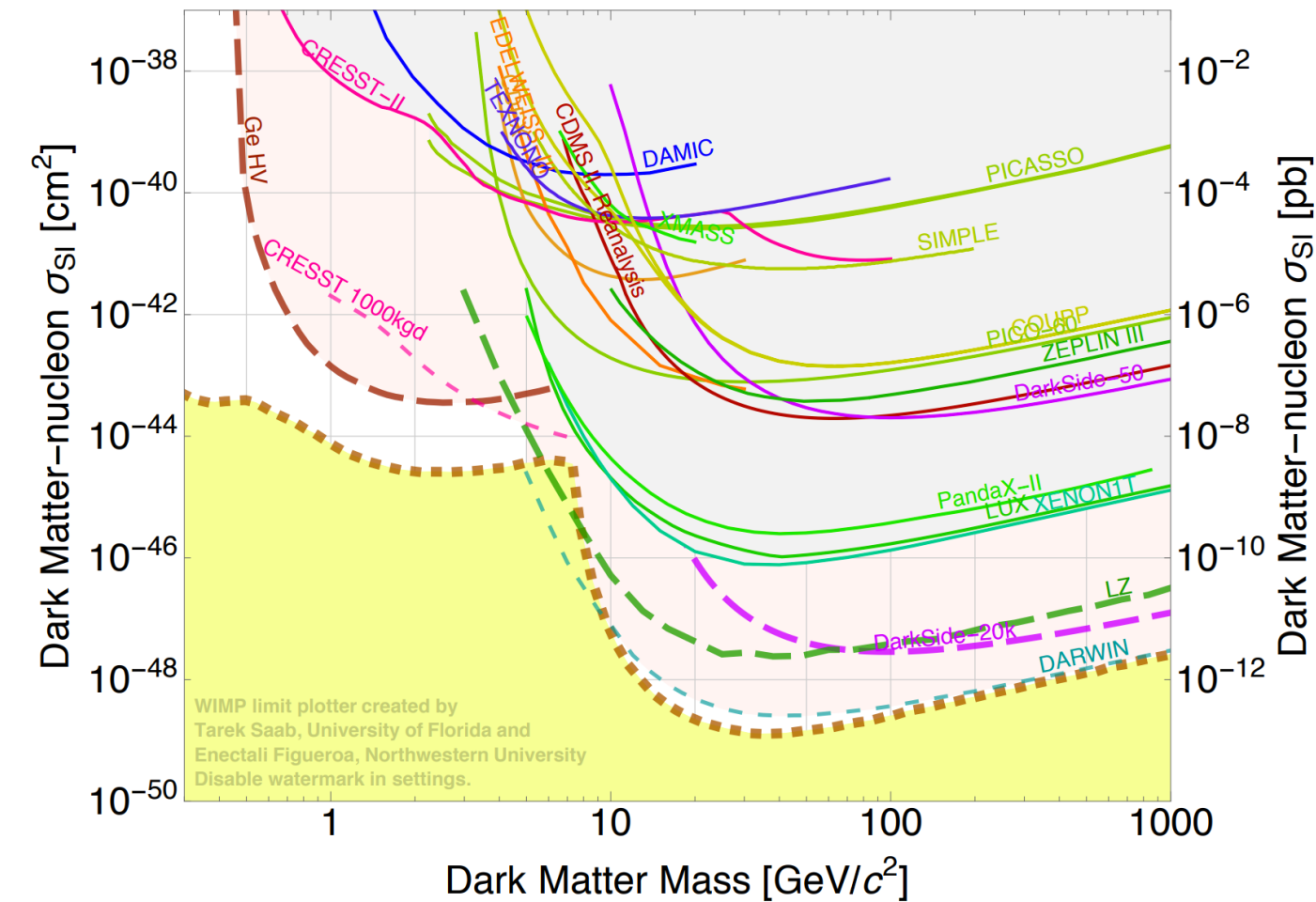


- ✓ Larger effect due to value of local DM density (overall rescaling).
- ✓ Shift of velocity peak implies a shift of allowed regions and limits by a few GeV at low masses (small effect).
- ✓ The compatibility between experiments is not improved.

[for comparing DD experimental results with astrophysical independent method see [Fox, Kribs, Tait, PRD'11](#); [Fox, Liu, Weiner, PRD'11](#); etc.]

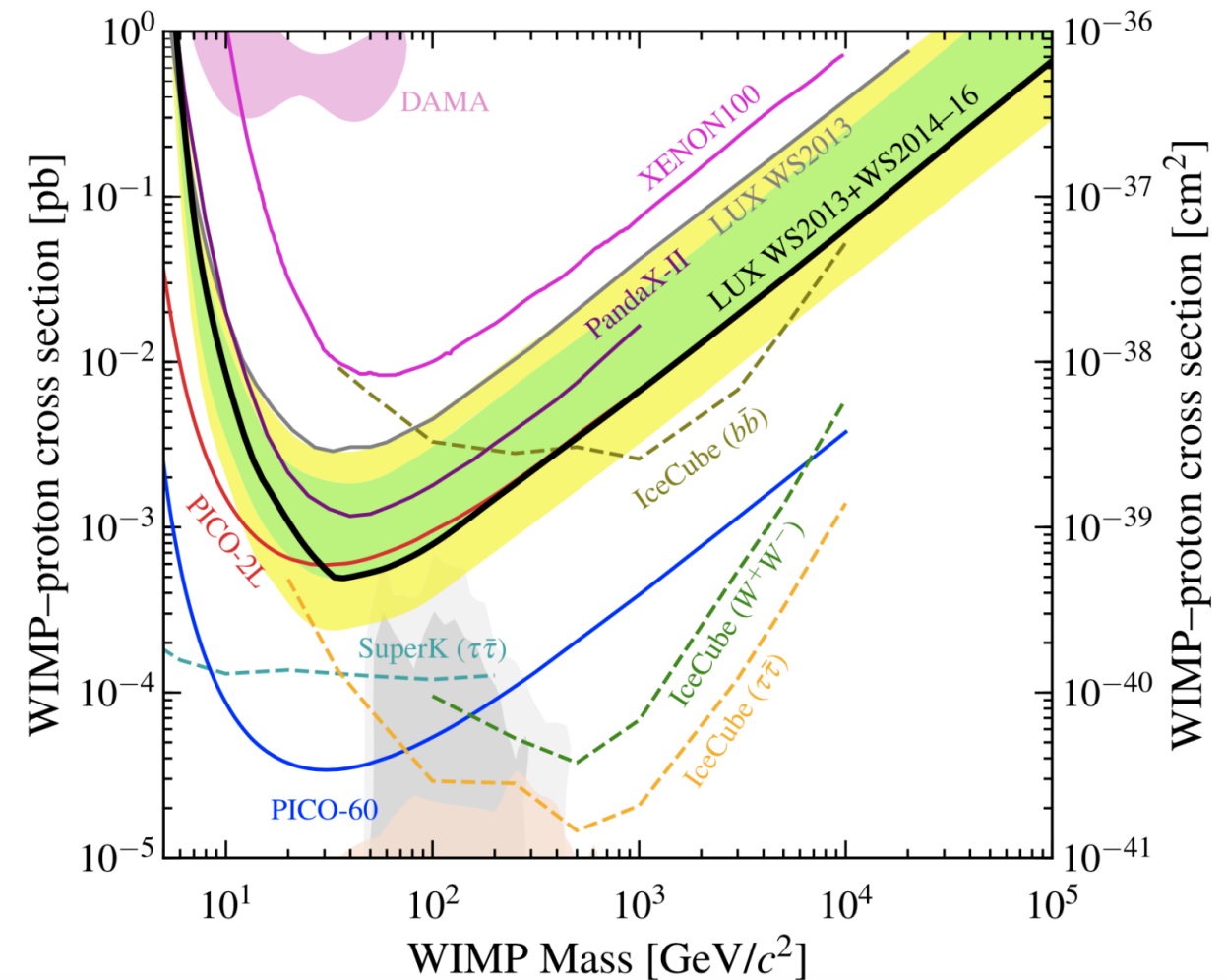
[for uncertainties due to Galactic parameters and baryonic morphologies see [Benito, Calore+JCAP'16](#)]

Direct detection: Current limits



Spin-independent cross section

$$\sim 10^{-46} \text{ cm}^2 @ 30 \text{ GeV}$$



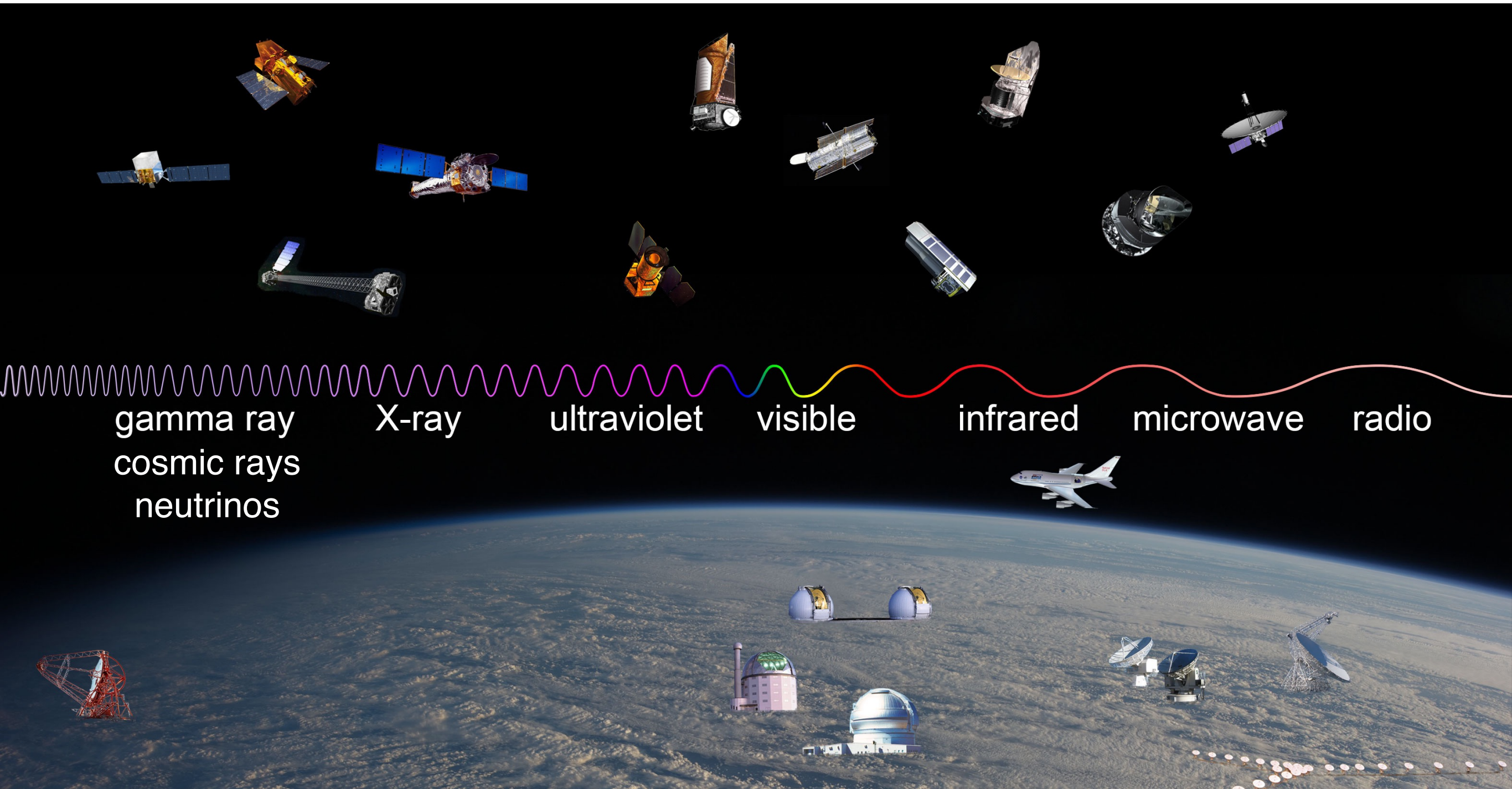
Spin-dependent (p) cross section

$$\sim 3 \times 10^{-41} \text{ cm}^2 @ 30 \text{ GeV}$$

[Latest results and future prospects presented at: [TAUP2017](#); [ICRC2017](#)]

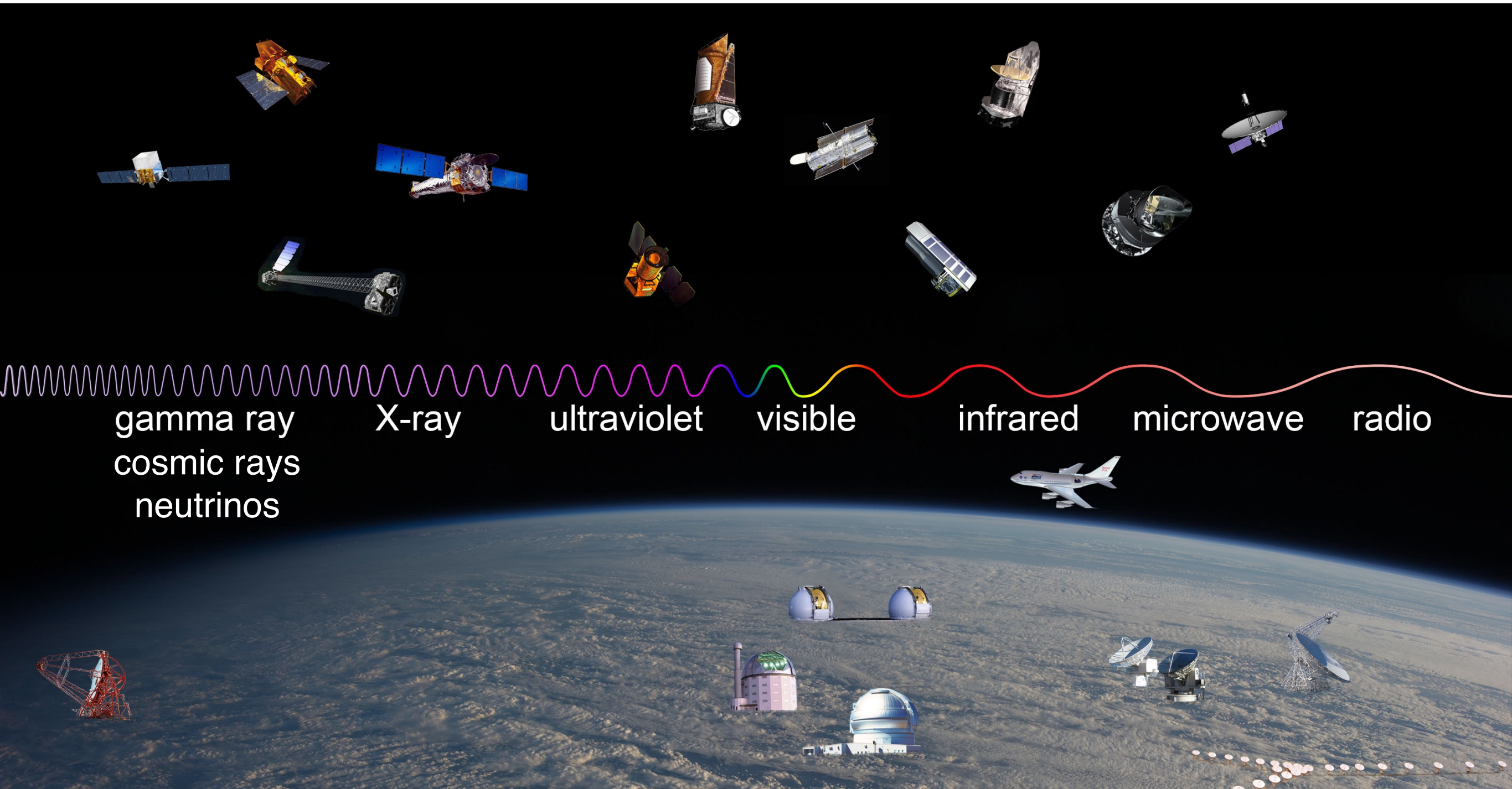
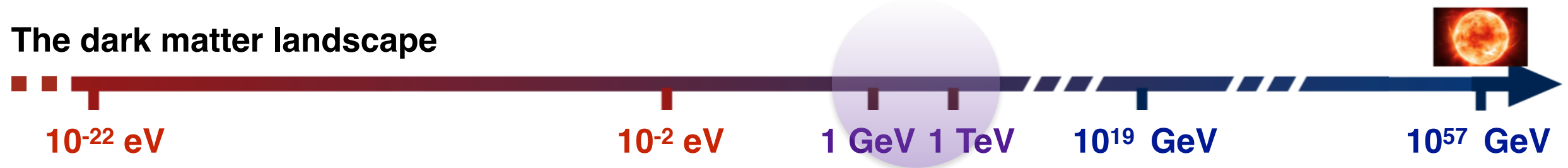
The astronomical data landscape

Ground-based telescopes and spaceborne instruments dedicated to detection of electromagnetic radiation, cosmic rays (eg: AMS02) and HE neutrinos (eg: ICECUBE, Antares)



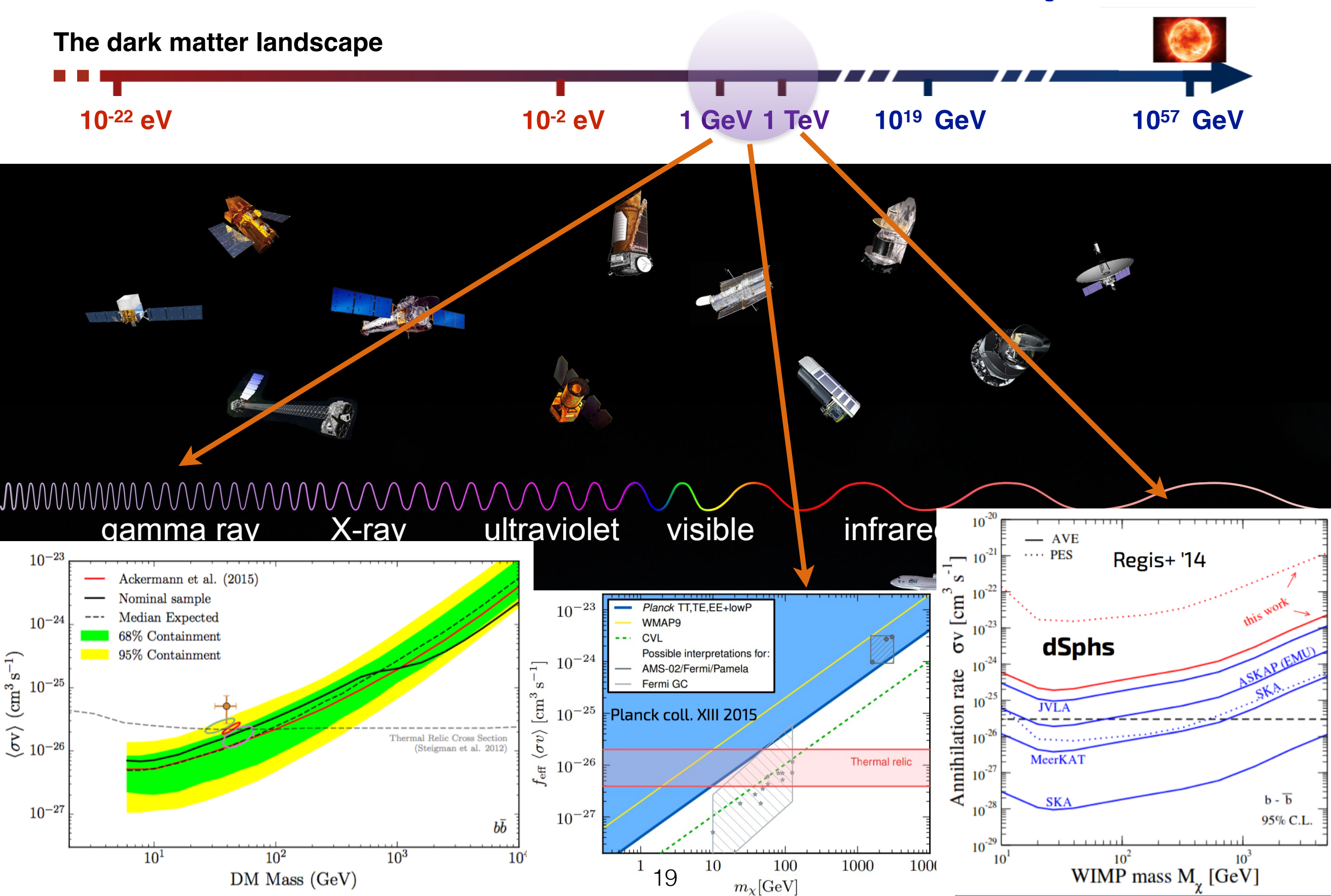
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The dark matter landscape

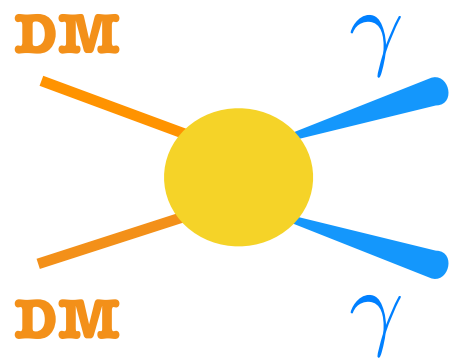


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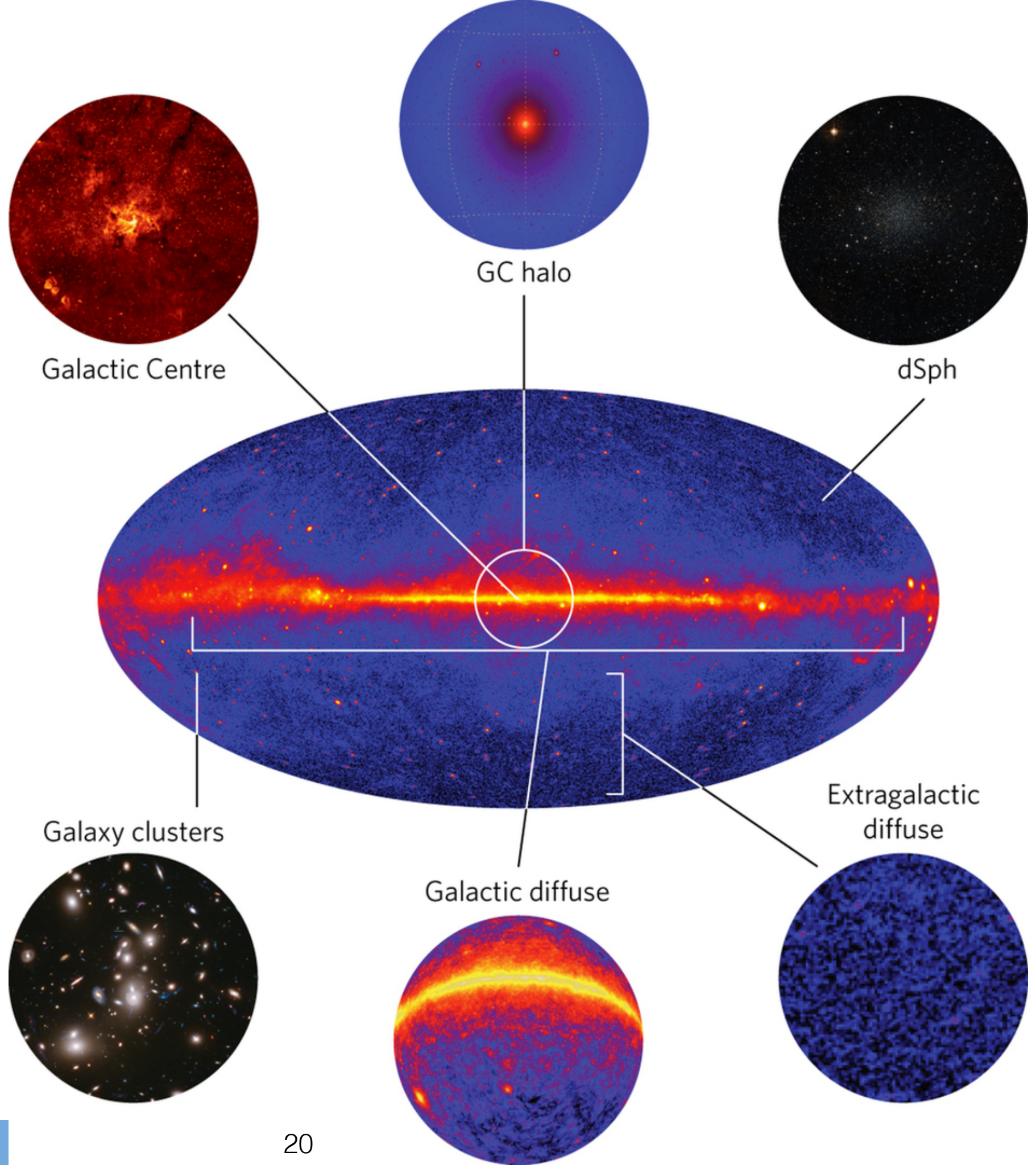


Targets for dark matter gamma-ray searches



- + dedicated searches for gamma-ray lines
- + similar targets for radio searches (synchrotron)

Conrad & Reimer
Nature Phys. 13 (2017)

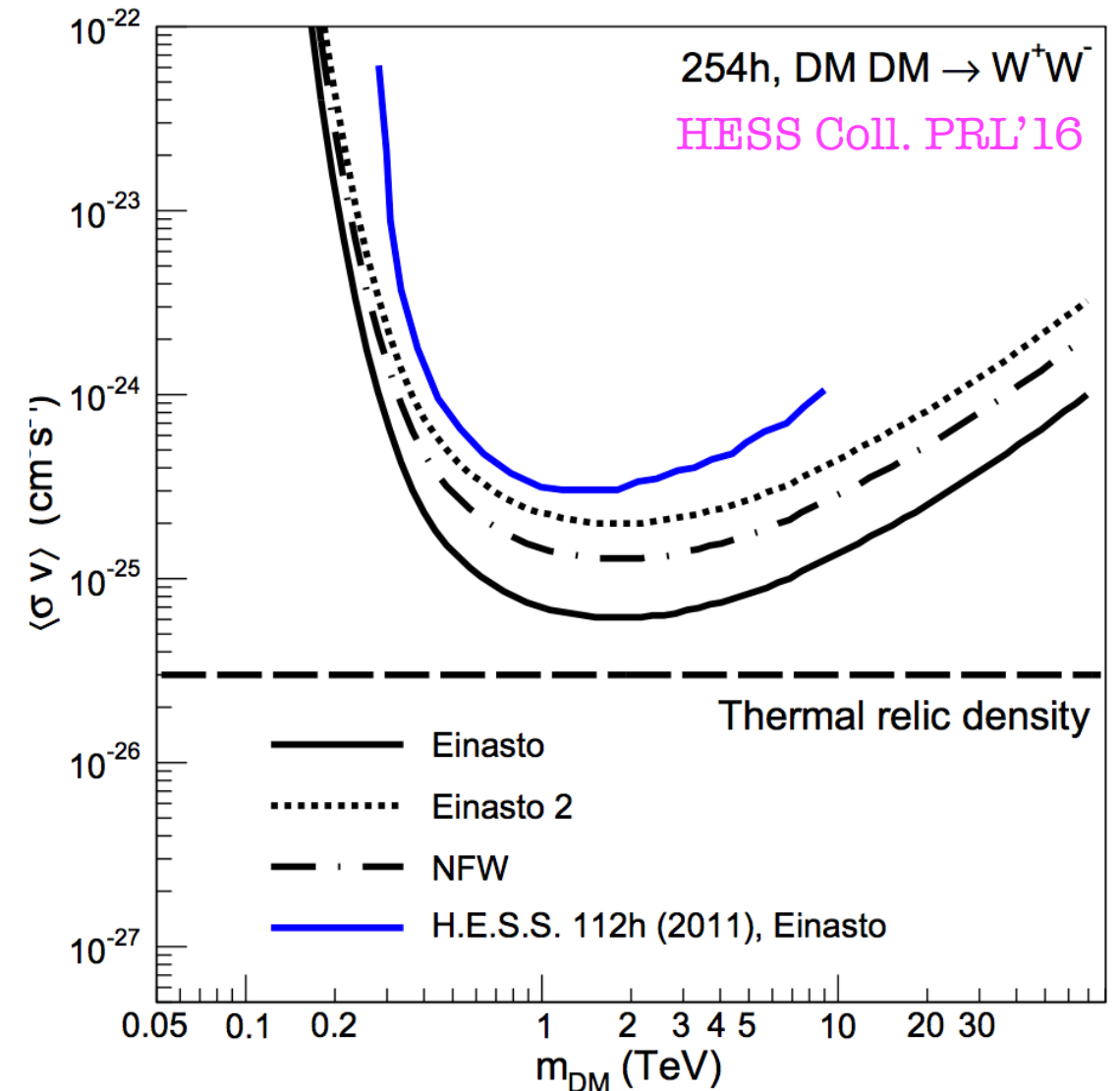
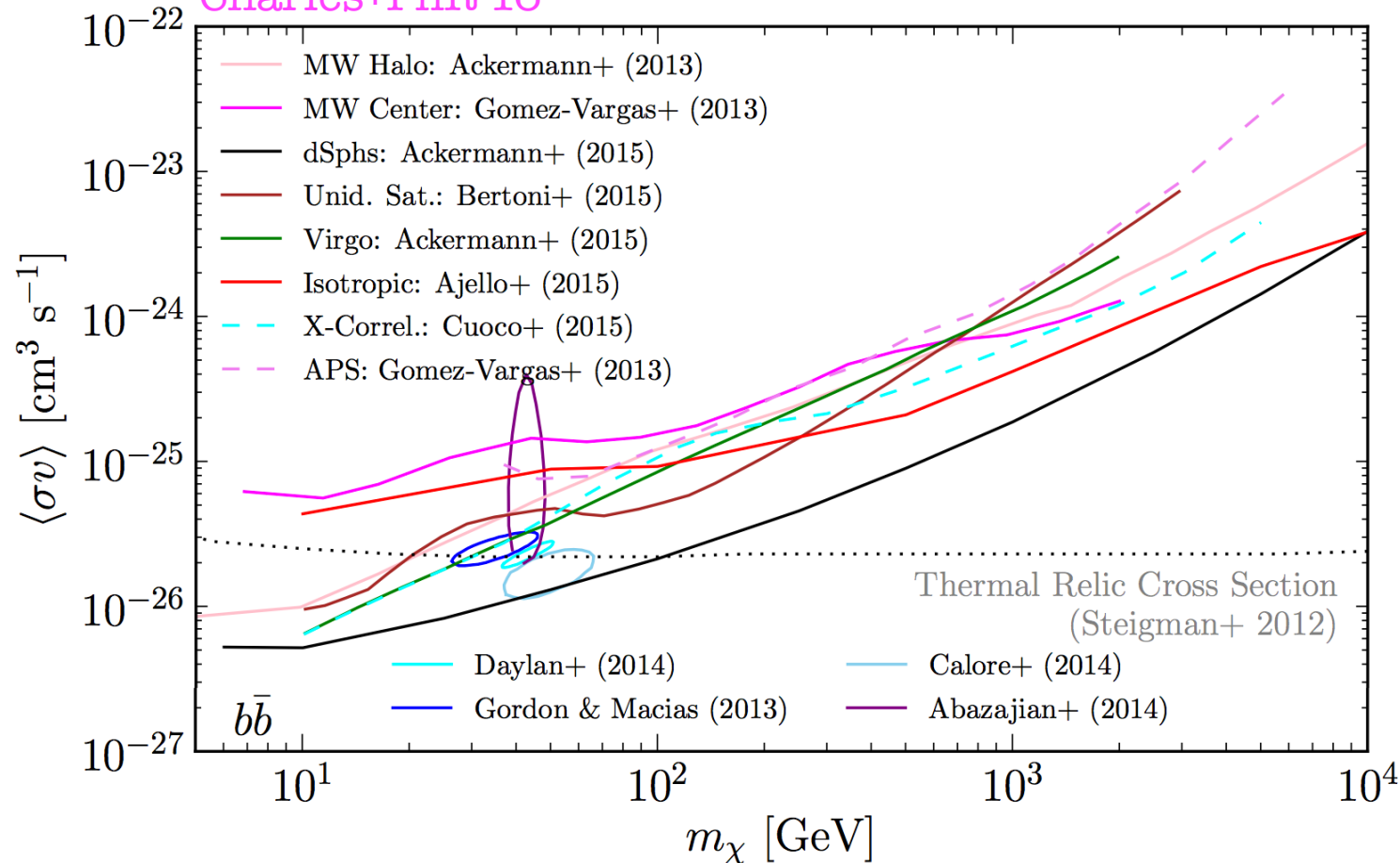


The present of gamma-ray DM searches

Fermi-LAT: most stringent limits from dwarf spheroidal galaxies.

HESS: 10yr observation of the inner Galactic halo

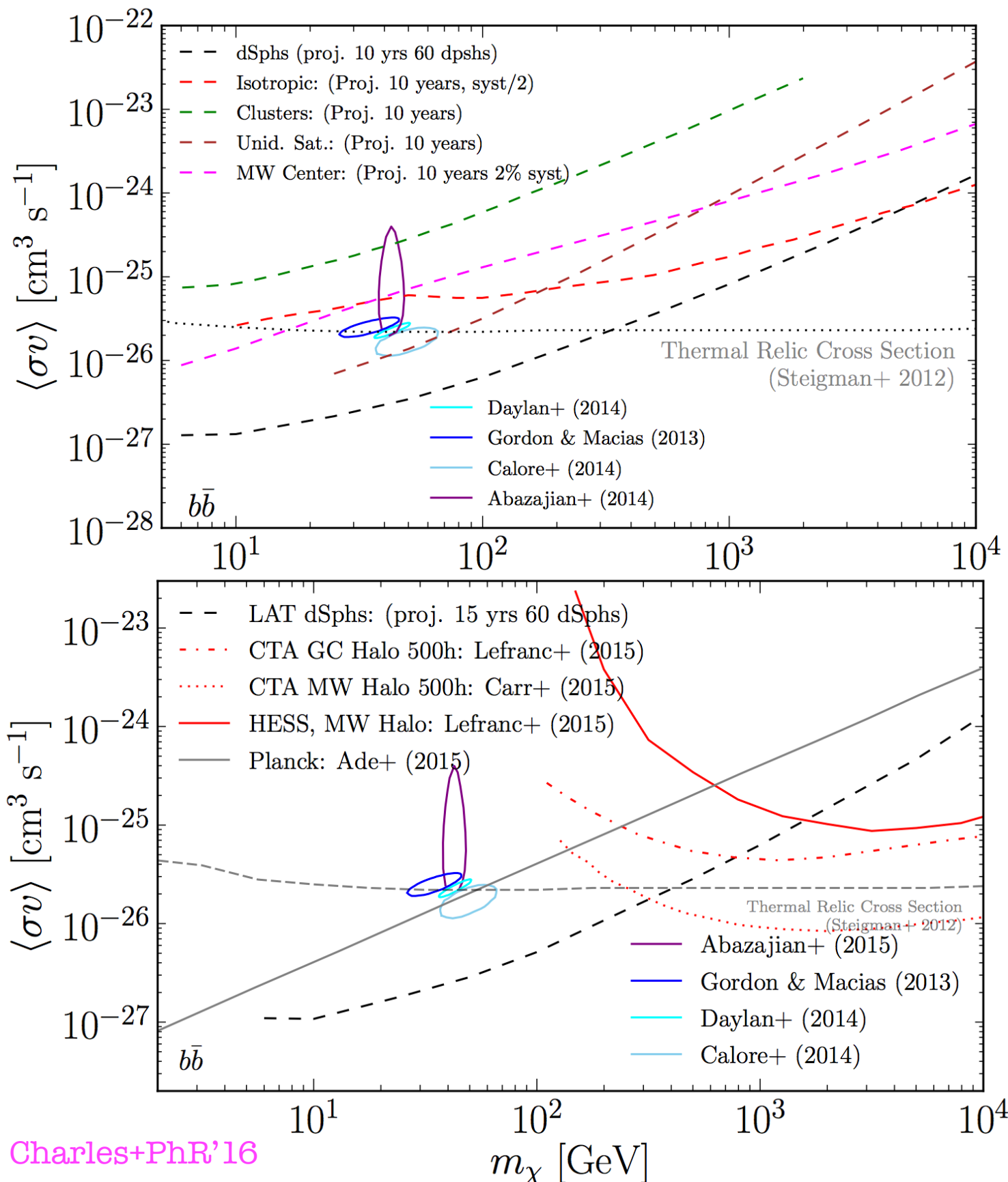
Charles+PhR'16



- Comparison with current limits from other Galactic and extragalactic targets.
- Mild tension with GeV excess alleviated by the latest analysis of dwarfs, incl. DES 2yr candidates.

- Most constraining analysis; in the reach of thermal cross-section.
- At E>1TeV competitive with Fermi-LAT.

The future of gamma-ray DM searches



- **Fermi-LAT** limits improvement depends on target (syst., bkg or signal limited); dwarfs limits might improve by factor 2-5, depending on new dwarfs discovery (DES, Pan-STARRS, LSST).

Hargis+ ApJL'14

- **HAWC** will improve limits from observations of dwarfs and Galactic centre; **CTA** will improve **HESS** limits by factor up to 10.

Silverwood+ JCAP'15; Doro+ AP'13;
Carr+ 2015; Lefranc+ PRD'15

- Great potential in the unexplored MeV/ sub-GeV range (e.g. **Amego**; **e-ASTROGAM**)

Bringmann+PRD'17; Bartels+2017

- Future **radio telescopes**: great improvement in sensitivities [e.g. Storm +ApJ'17]

Charles+PhR'16

Beyond limits...
...Some signal hint?

The Galactic centre GeV excess

Signal:

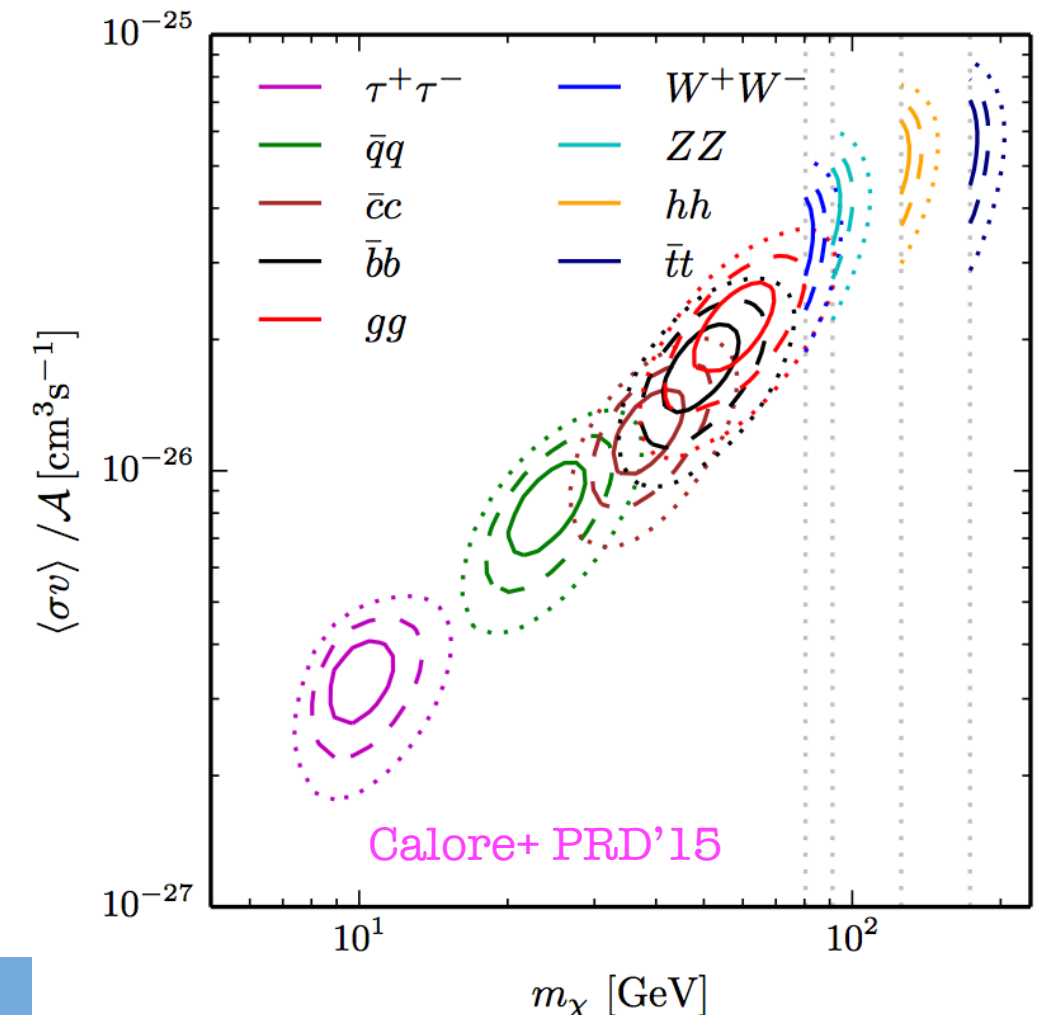
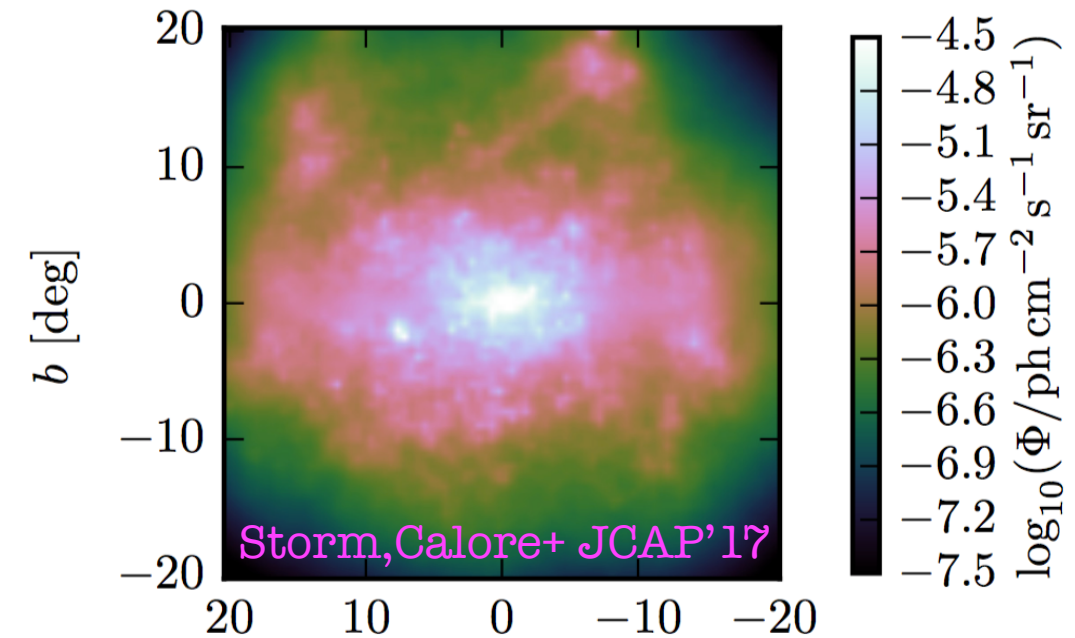
- Excess of GeV photons from inner Galaxy**
- Fermi-LAT
- Galactic centre analysis

Interpretations:

- Astrophysics: Diffuse emission from electrons/positrons at the Galactic centre (enhanced SF or activity GC); Sub-threshold millisecond pulsar-like point sources.
Gaggero+ JCAP'15; Carlson+PRD'15; Petrovic+ JCAP'14; Cholis+JCAP'15; Bartels+PRL'16; Lee+PRL'16; Ackermann+'17
- Dark matter annihilation: large freedom in channel/masses thanks to syst. uncertainties

Future:

- Upcoming radio telescopes: dedicated surveys with MeerKAT/SKA (> 2018) Calore+ ApJ'16
- Conclusive tension with other targets (eg dSphs)



**Some Refs. since 2009: Hooper&Goodenough '09; Vitale&Morselli '09; Abazajian&Kaplinghat PRD'12; de Boer+'16; Macias+'16; Hooper&Slatyer PDU'13; Huang+ JCAP'13; Zhou+ PRD'15; Daylan+ '14; Calore+ JCAP'15; Gaggero+ 2015; Ajello+ 2015; Huang+JCAP '15; Linden+PRD'16; Horiuchi+'16; Ackermann+ApJ'17; Ackermann+2017

Weak excesses in dwarf spheroidal galaxies

Signal:

- $< 3\sigma$ excesses in dSphs galaxies
- Fermi-LAT + DES targets (Indus II, Reticulum II and Tucana III)

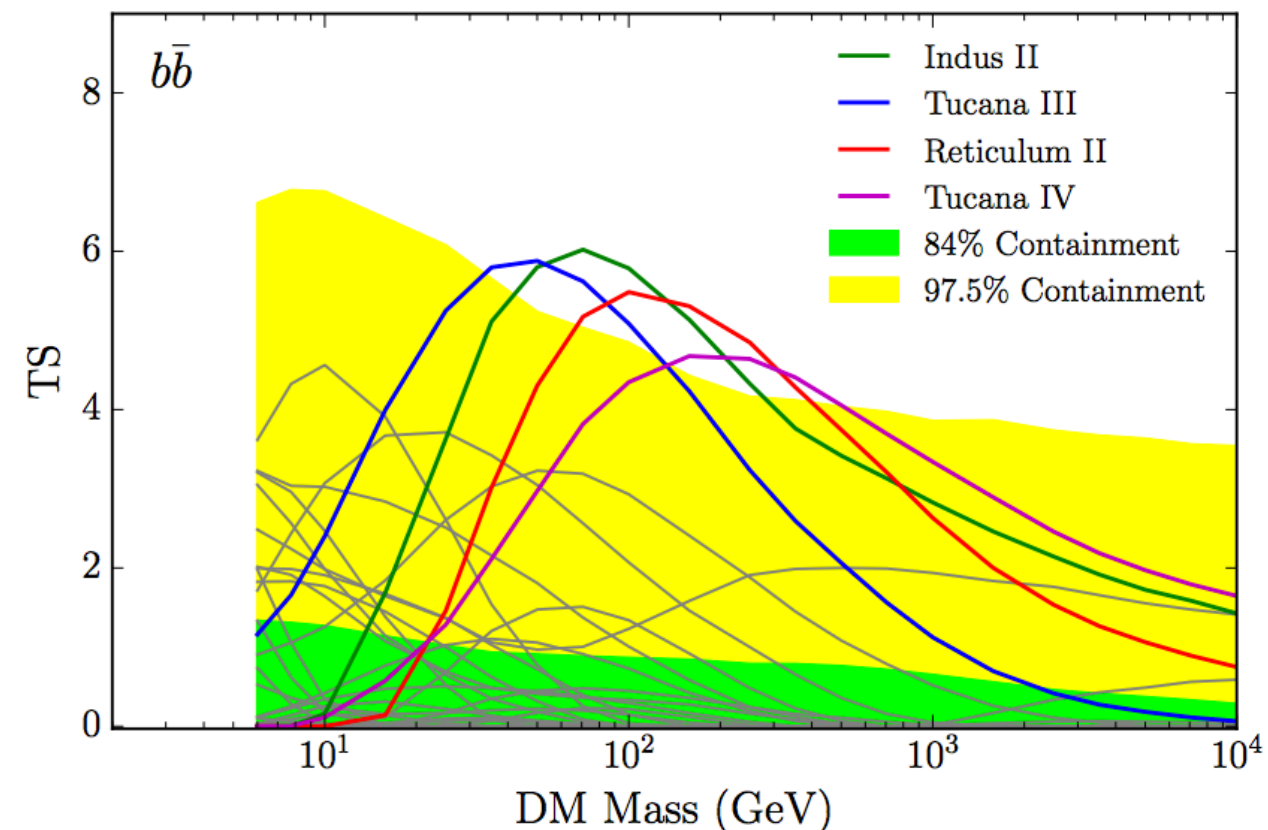
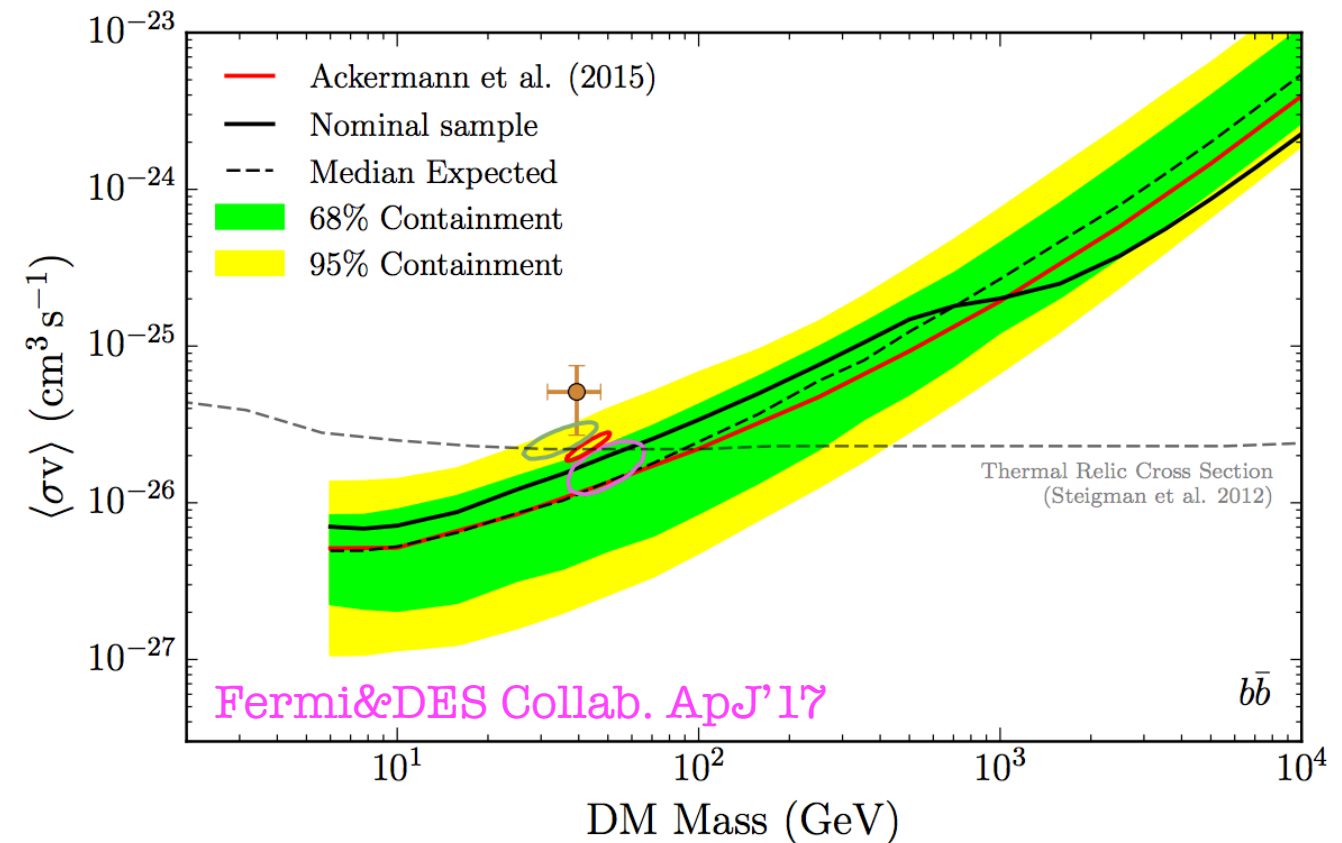
Interpretations:

- Dark matter annihilation with mass $\sim 40 - 100$ GeV
- Syst. uncertainties on J-factor determination for ultra-faint dSphs

Future:

- New data from Fermi-LAT (improvement by a factor of 3-4)
- New large optical surveys and spectroscopic data (LSST, Maunakea Spectroscopic Explorer)
- Radio searches with ATCA/SKA

Regis+ JCAP'17



X-correlation: Fermi-LAT & Galaxy catalogs

Signal:

- Detection ($> 10\sigma$, NVSS) of cross-correlation signal between extragalactic gamma-ray background and galaxy catalogs [Cuoco+ ApJS'17](#)
- Fermi-LAT/Galaxy catalogs (NVSS, 2MASS, SDSS-DR12, WISExSuperCOSMOS, 2MPZ, W1xSC)

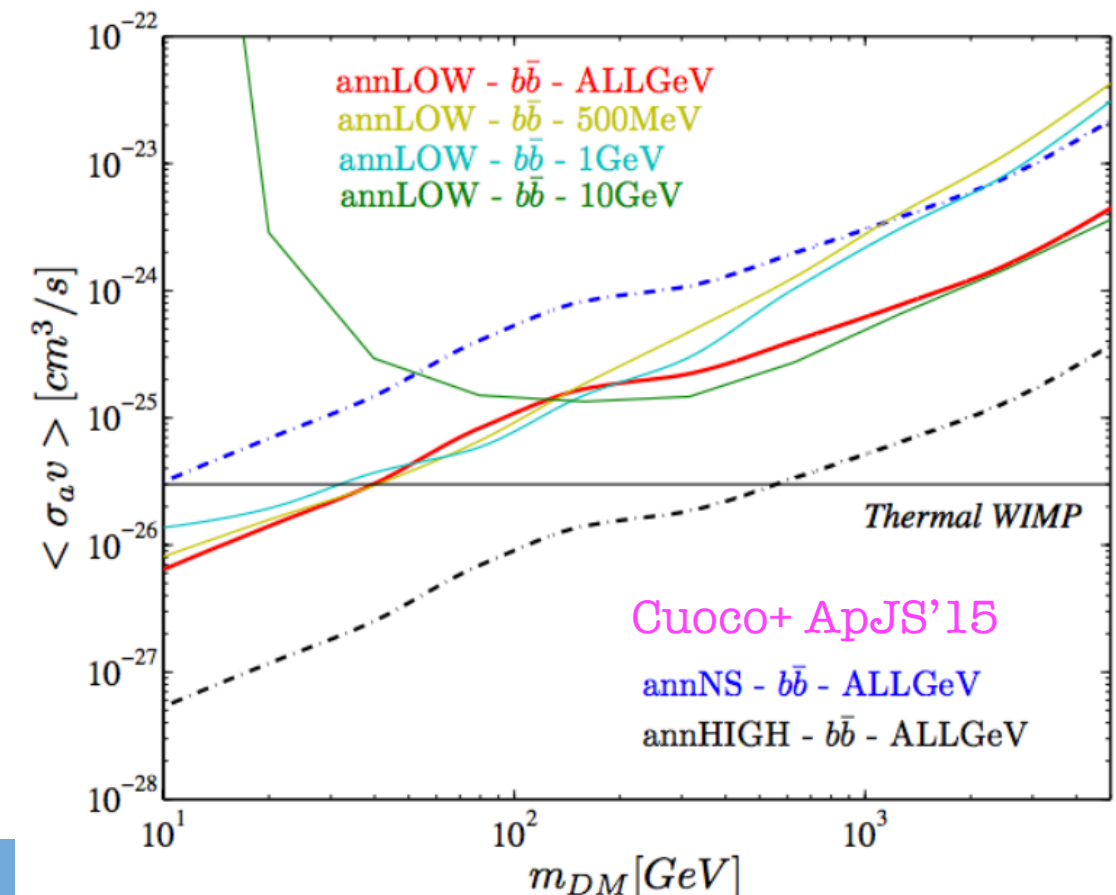
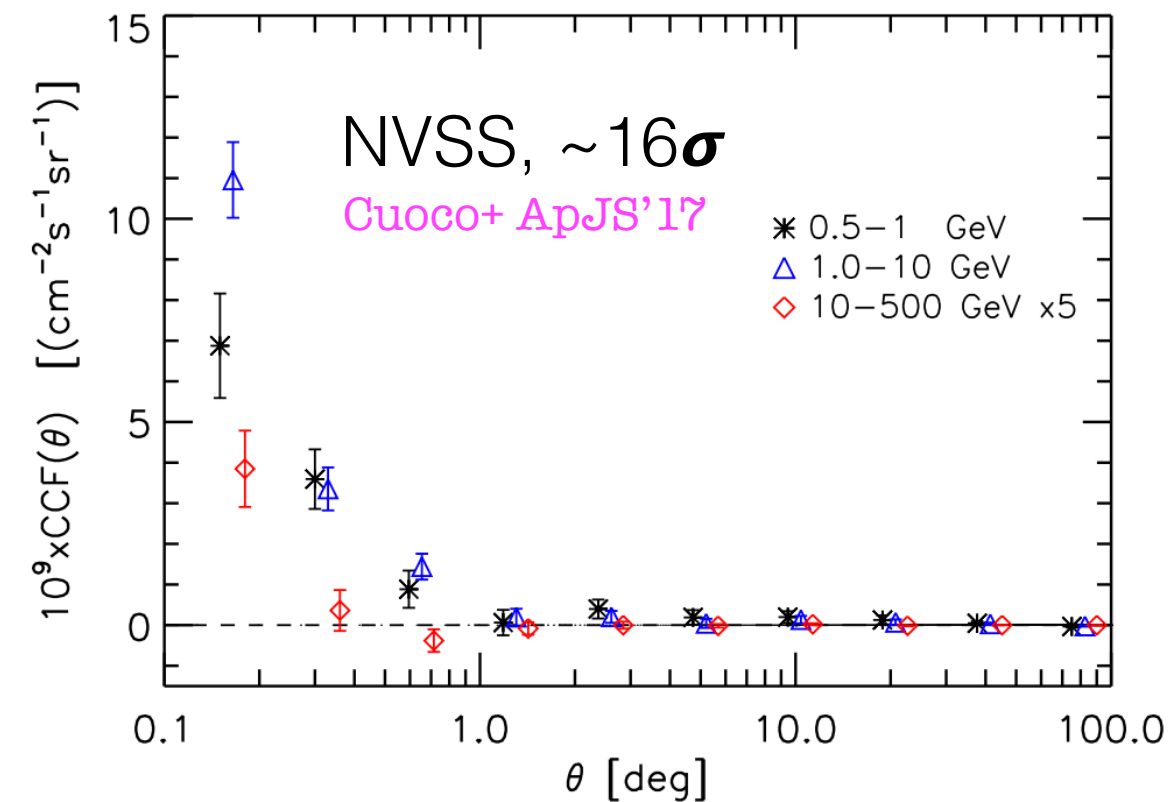
Interpretations:

- Degeneracy between DM interpretation and AGN hosted in big halos (groups or clusters)
- Tomographic approach account for the full redshift distribution of source populations: DM and astro peak at different z [Regis+ PRL'15](#)

Future:

- X-correlation with other catalogs, weak lensing and cosmic shear
- Low- z tomography $\Rightarrow$ highest sensitivity to DM

[Detection in X-corr gamma rays with cluster catalogs [Branchini+ ApJS'17](#); no detection with weak lensing data [Troester+ MNRAS'17](#); detection with CMB lensing [Fornengo+ ApJ'15](#)]



Low-energy excess in cosmic-ray antiprotons

Signal:

- Excess in cosmic-ray antiprotons @ 10 — 20 GeV
- AMS-02

Cuoco+ PRL'17; Cui+ PRL'17

Interpretations:

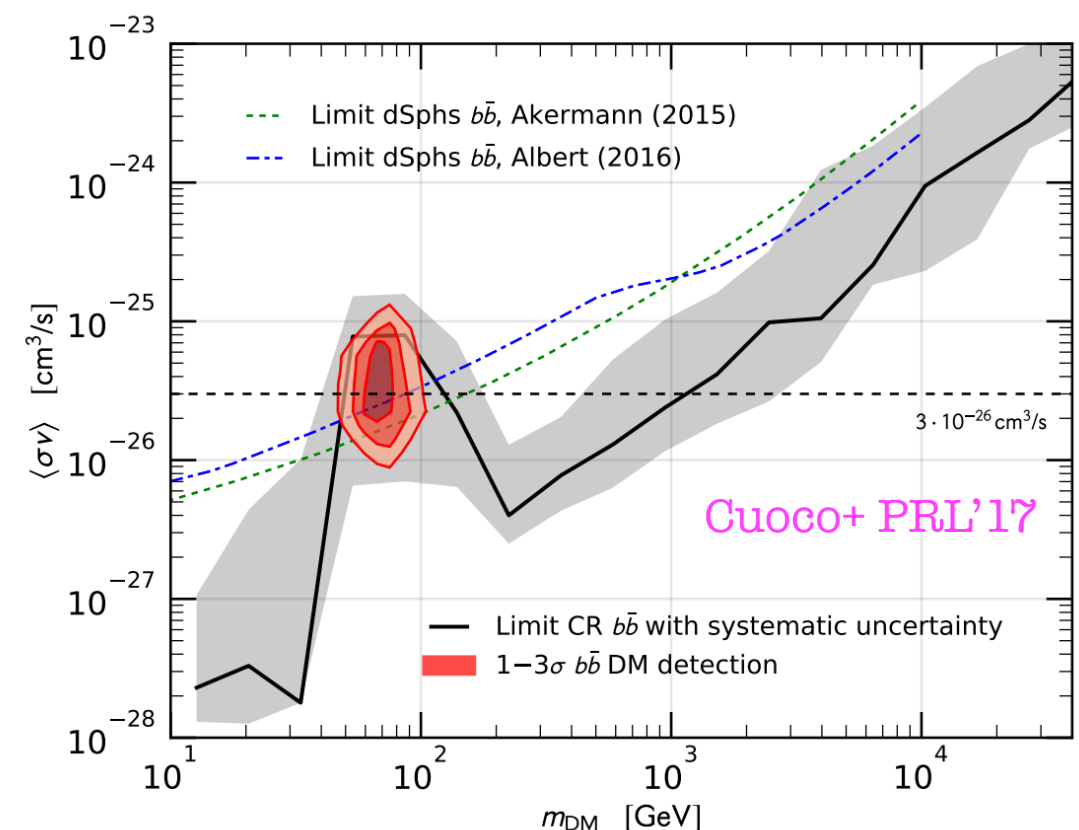
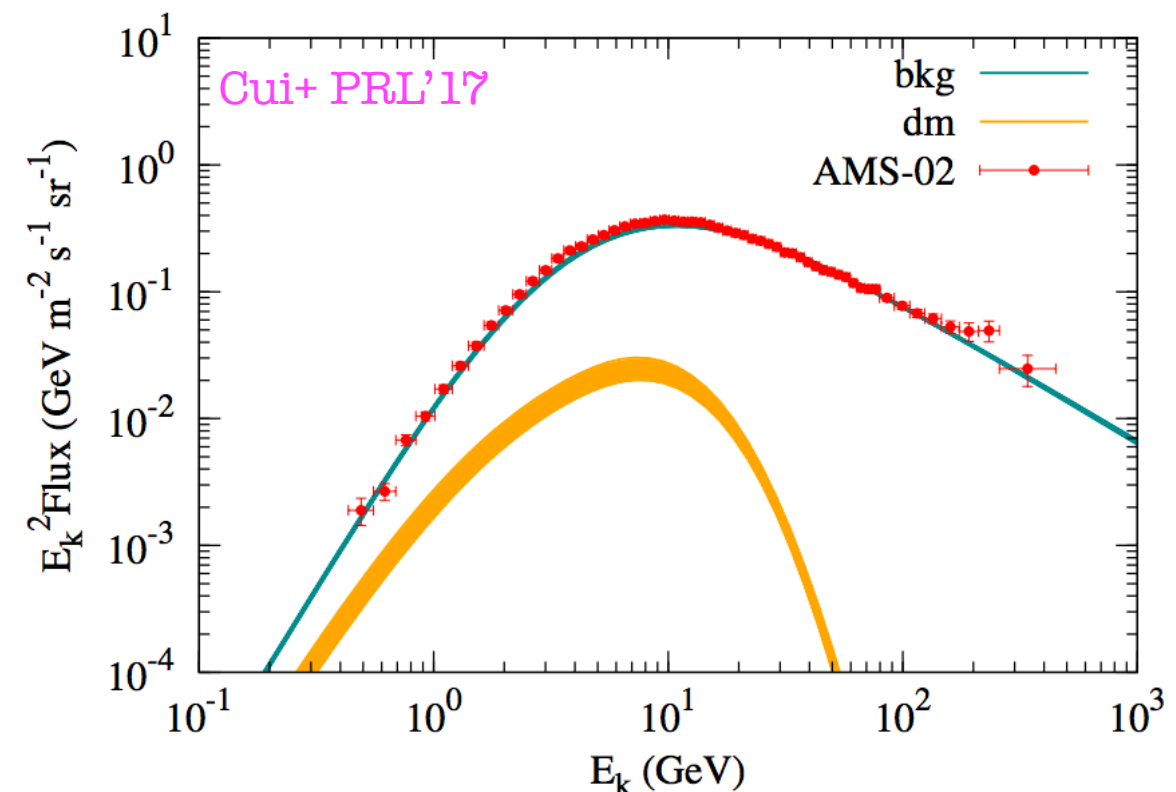
- Dark matter annihilation with mass $\sim 40 - 130$ GeV (consistent with GeV excess) Cuoco+, 2017
- Syst. uncertainties still large: pbar production cross section; effects of solar modulation; cosmic-ray propagation

Future:

- New low-E data?
- Better constraints on pbar production cross section and its energy dependence

F. Donato, P. Serpico
XSCRC, CERN, March 2017

[Do not forget the rising of the **positron fraction** as perpetual claim of dark matter detection]



3.5 keV X-ray line

Signal:

- 3.5 keV line in X-ray
- XMM-Newton, Chandra, Suzaku
- Multi-target (stacked clusters, Perseus, M31, GC)
- But also null detections...

Interpretations:

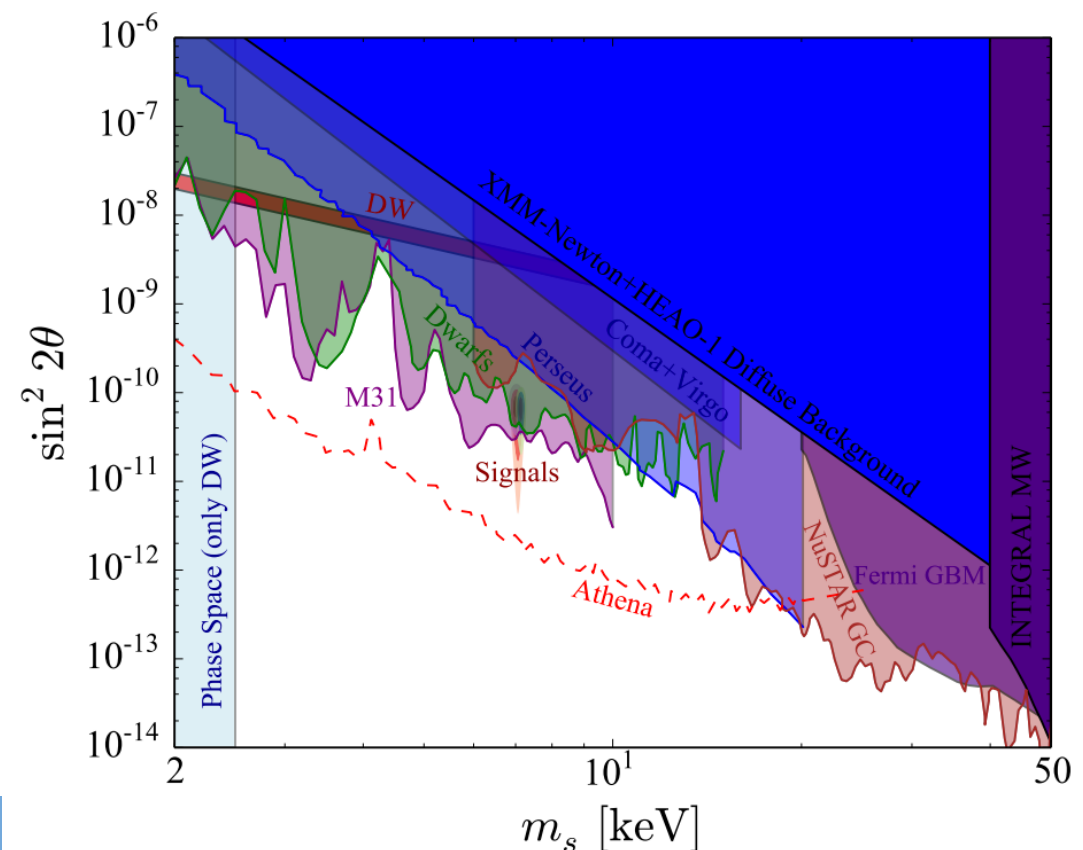
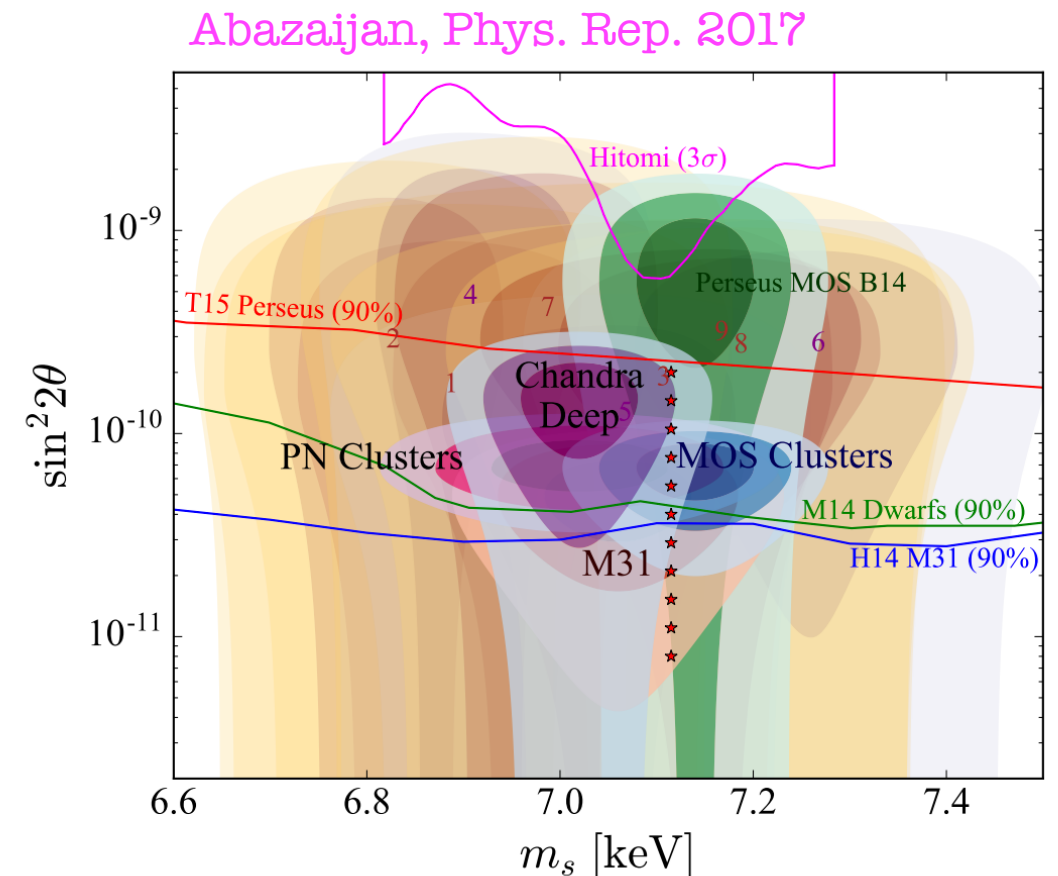
- Astro contributions: atomic lines (from K, Cl, Ar, possibly others), charge-exchange reactions between heavy nuclei and neutral gas
- Dark matter: decay of ~ 7 keV sterile neutrino (not at weak scale...)

Future:

- Current X-ray telescopes' constraints: NuStar is approaching
- Exploit v distribution of the signal and Doppler shift effects, visible with XARM (March 2021)?
- Micro-X dedicated mission 2019 (~ 3 keV energy resolution)
- Athena (2028) sensitivity

Bulbul+ ApJ'14; Boyarsky+ PRL'14;
Urban+ MNRAS'15

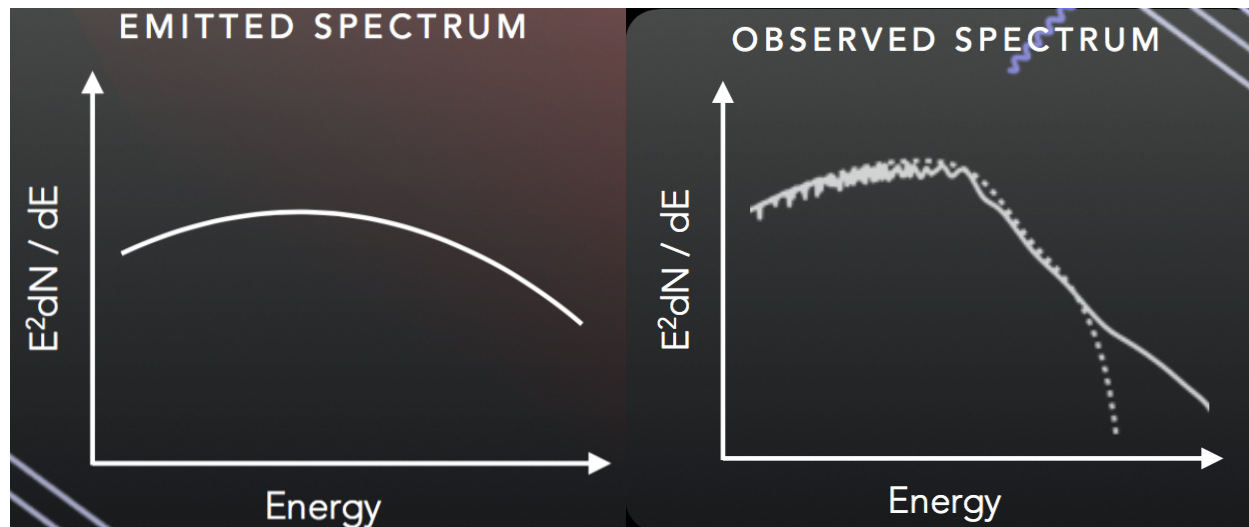
Abazaijan, Phys. Rep. 2017



Beyond WIMPs with astroparticle experiments... ...just a taste

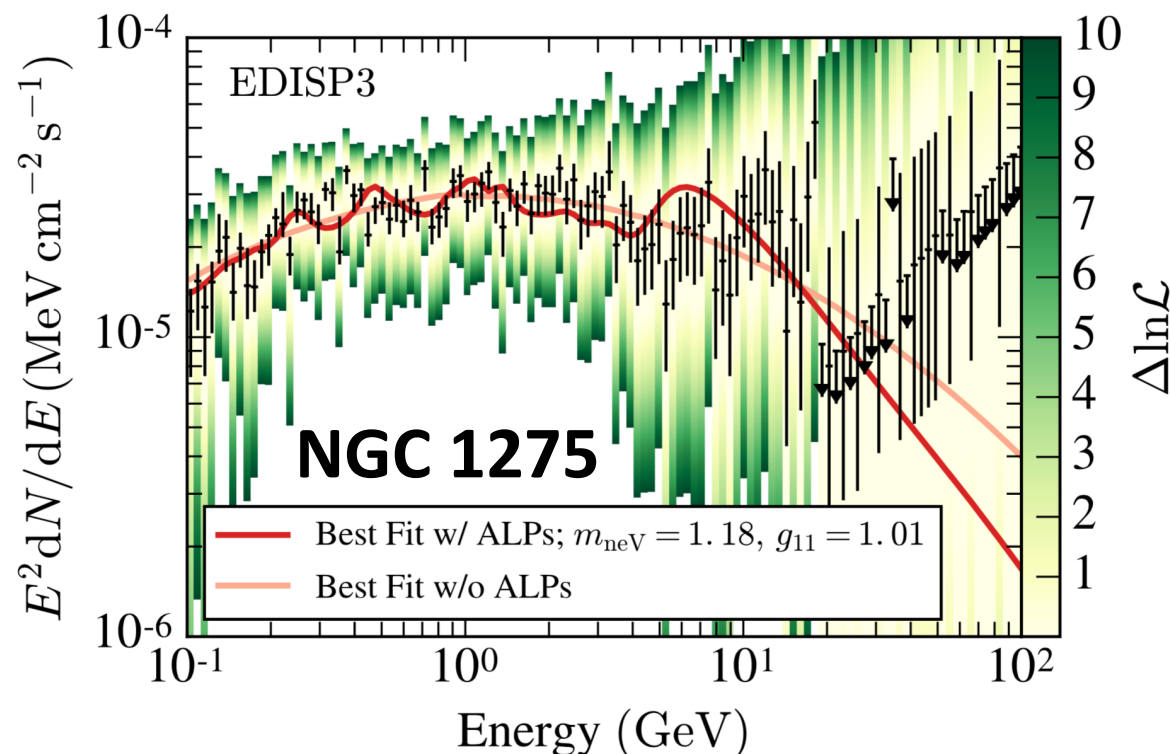
ALPs: gamma-ray spectral distortions

Photon-ALPs oscillation in external and Galactic magnetic fields, due to mixing between ALPs and photon polarization along field direction

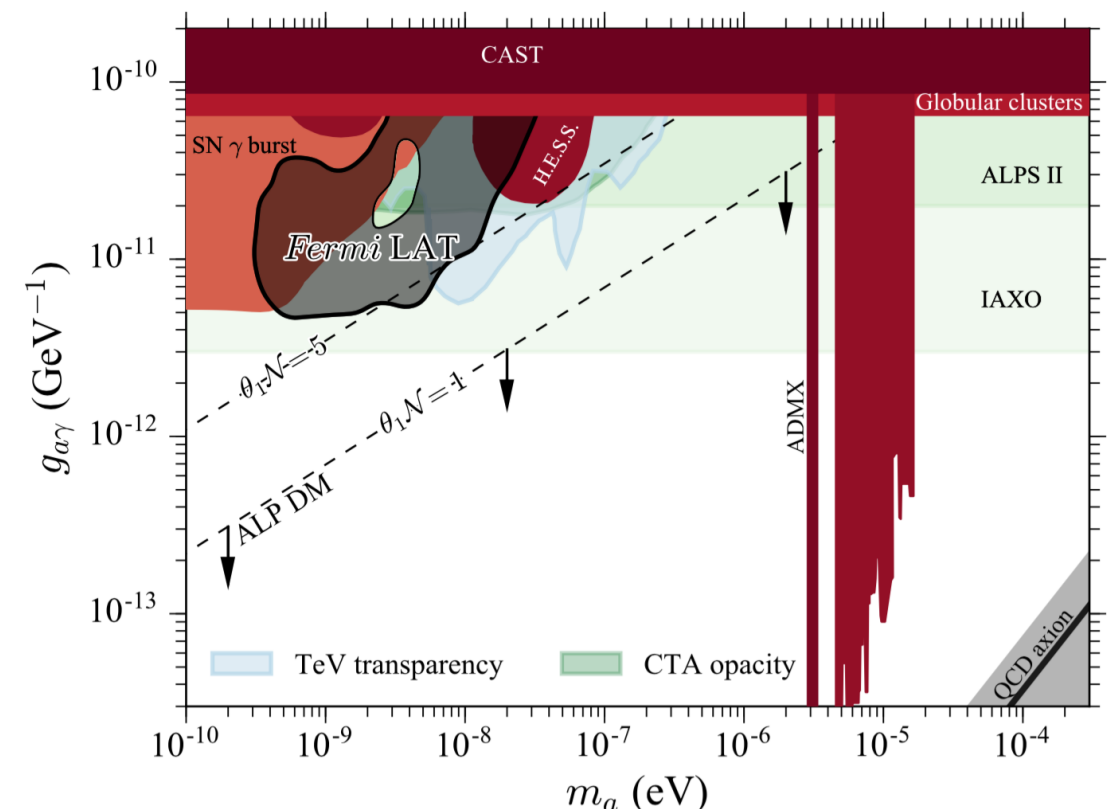


- 1) Oscillations below critical E
- 2) Reduced absorption (extragal)

Csaki et al. 2003; De Angelis et al. 2007, 2011;
Mirizzi et al. 2007; Hooper & Serpico, 2007;
Abramowski et al. 2013; Wouters & Brun 2013;
M. Meyer et al. 2013, 2014



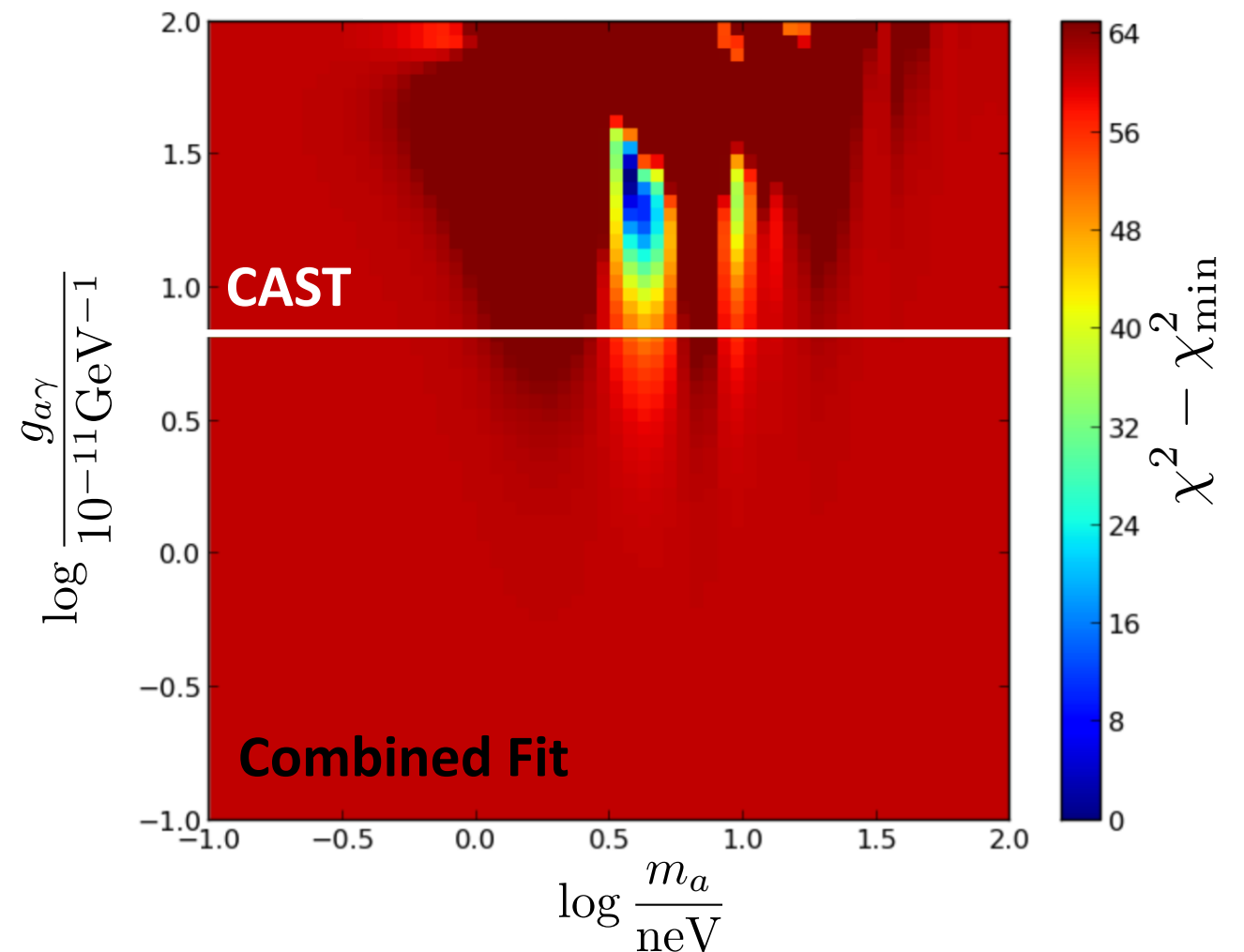
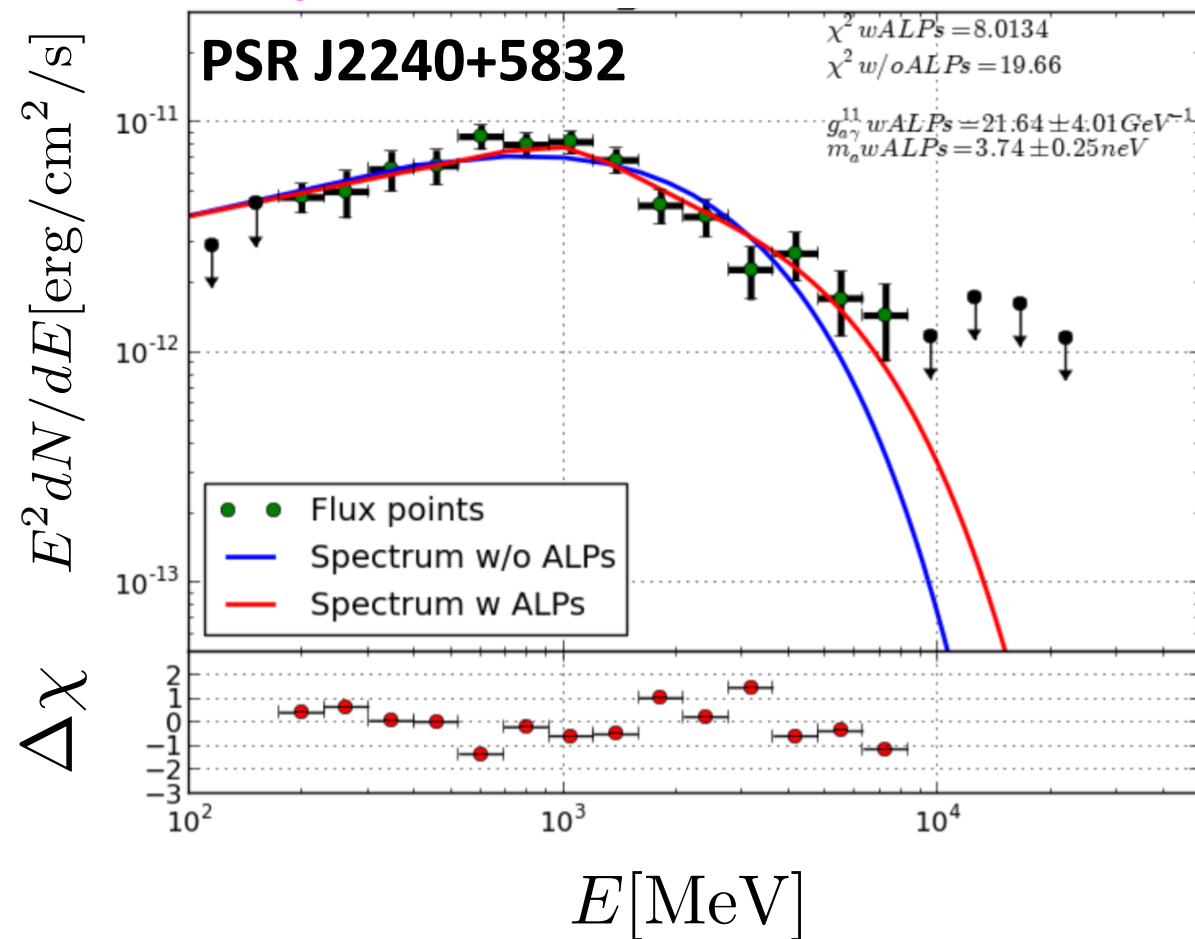
Fermi-LAT Collab. PRL'16



See A. Ringwald's talk

ALPs in Galactic sources

J. Majumdar, F. Calore*, D. Horns, In prep.

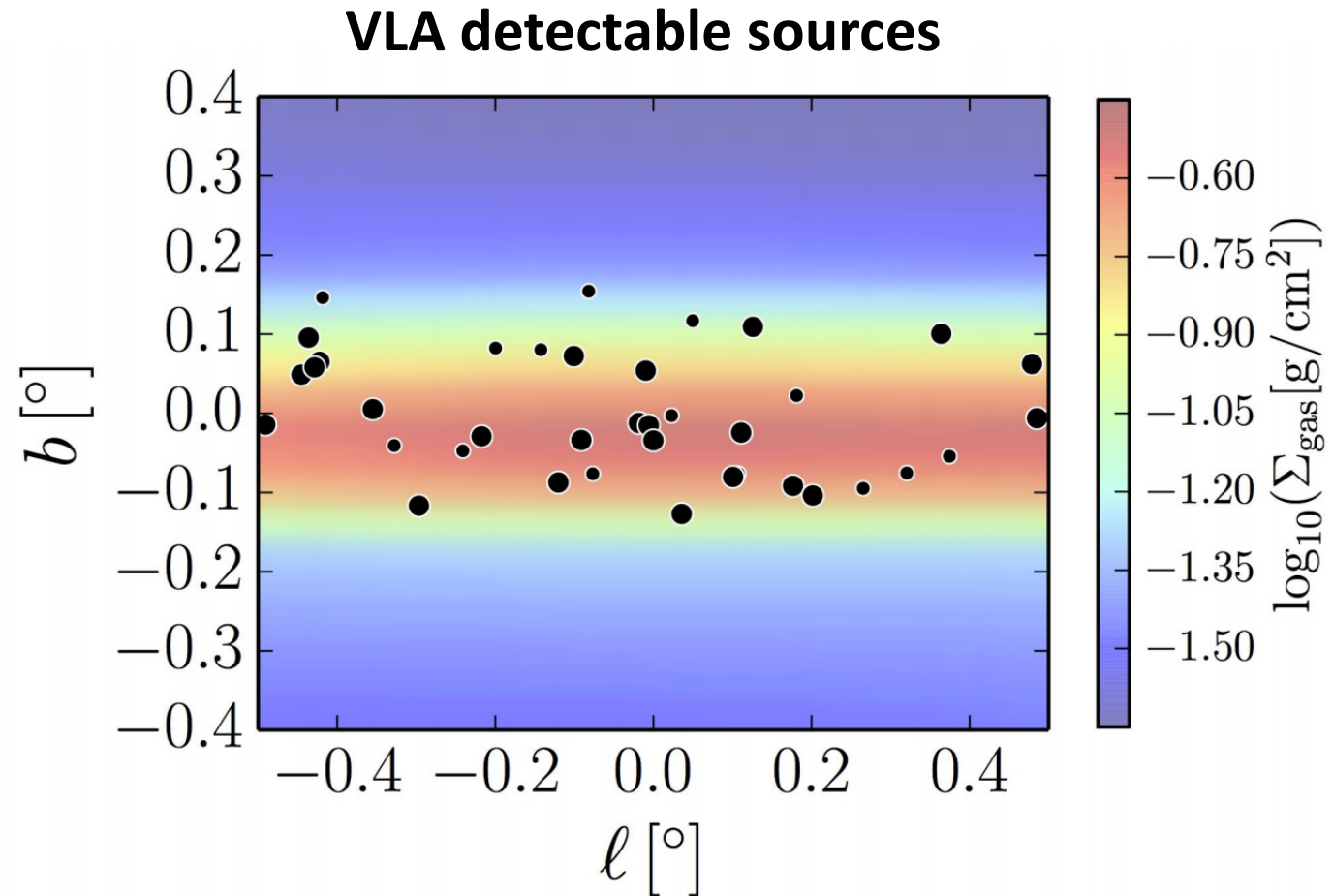
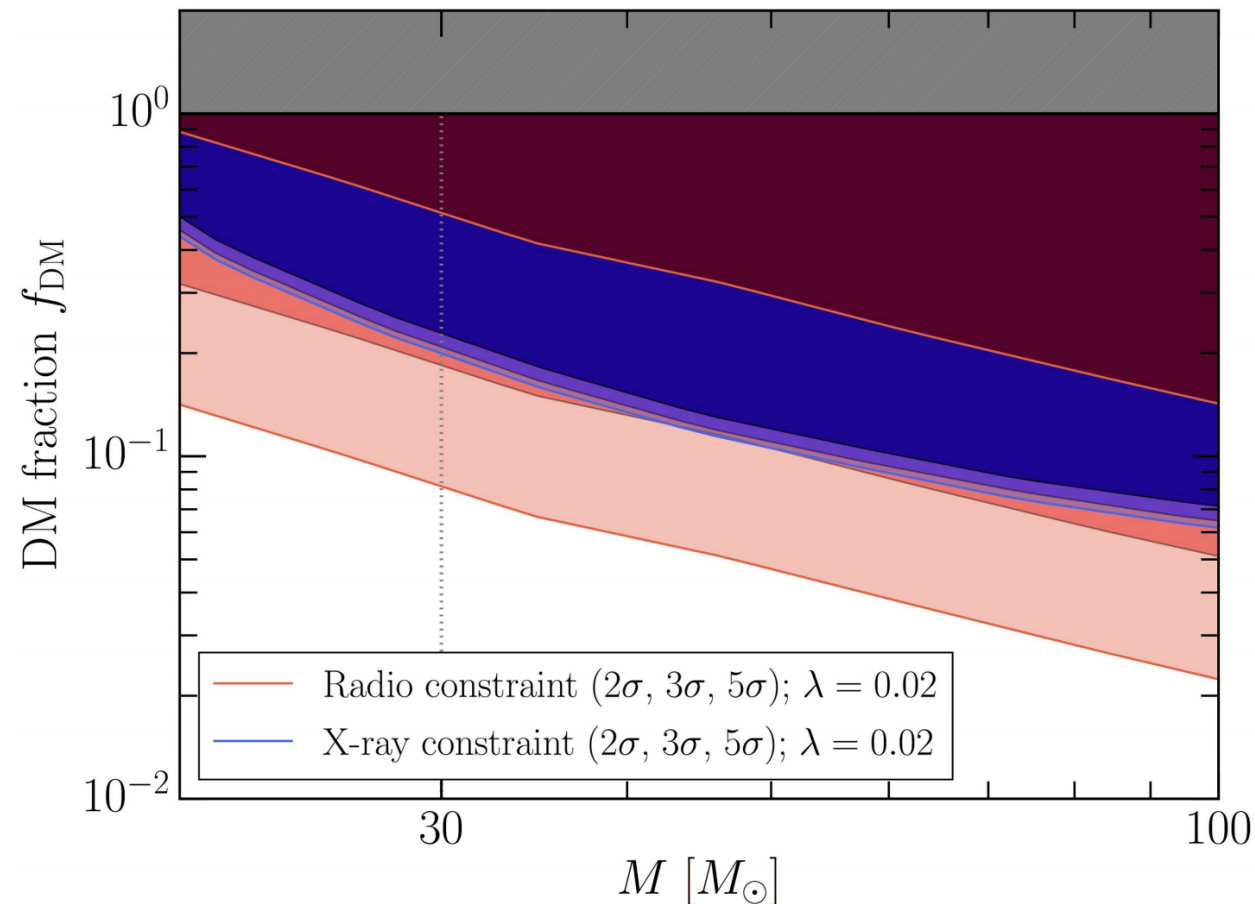


- Oscillation typically below 1 GeV $\Rightarrow$ We can look at the spectra of bright Galactic sources, aka pulsars.
- Selection of six bright gamma-ray pulsars, at different position w.r.to Galactic spiral arms (PASS 8, 8.5yr data)
- Significant improvement in the fit when including ALPs oscillations
- However, best-fit region excluded by CAST limits $\Rightarrow$ Study effect of Galactic magnetic field on the combined best-fit

*SFB Fellow 2016

PBH and HE astrophysics

Gaggero, Calore+ PRL'17

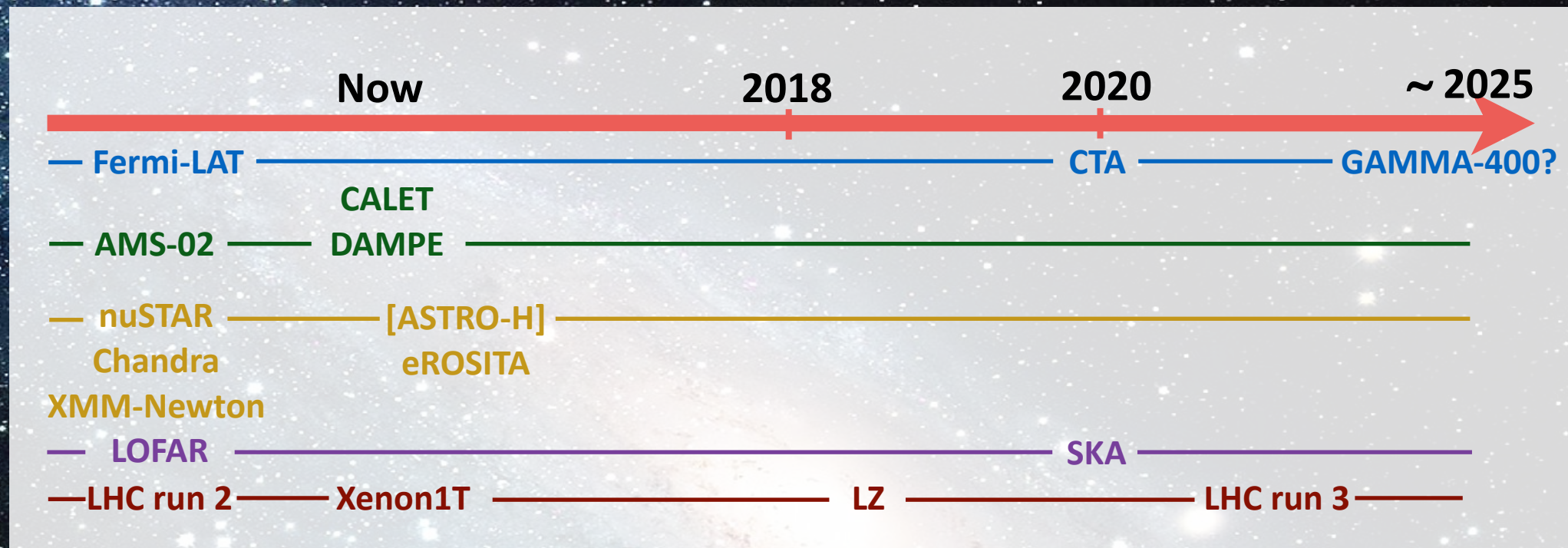


- If PBH are DM $\Rightarrow$ the MW halo should contain 10^{11} $30 M_{\text{Sun}}$ PBH!!
- How can we “see” them? Accretion of gas onto BH
- Constraints from number of observed HE radio and X-ray BH candidates (Chandra/ NuSTAR/VLA), exploiting fundamental plane for accreting (astro) BHs
- Great potential of SKA to detect (or rule out) this population

See J. Garcia-Bellido, S. Clesse talks

[In the same mass window, strongest constraints are the revised CMB limits of Poulin, Serpico, Calore+ PRD'17]

A (multiwavelength) look ahead

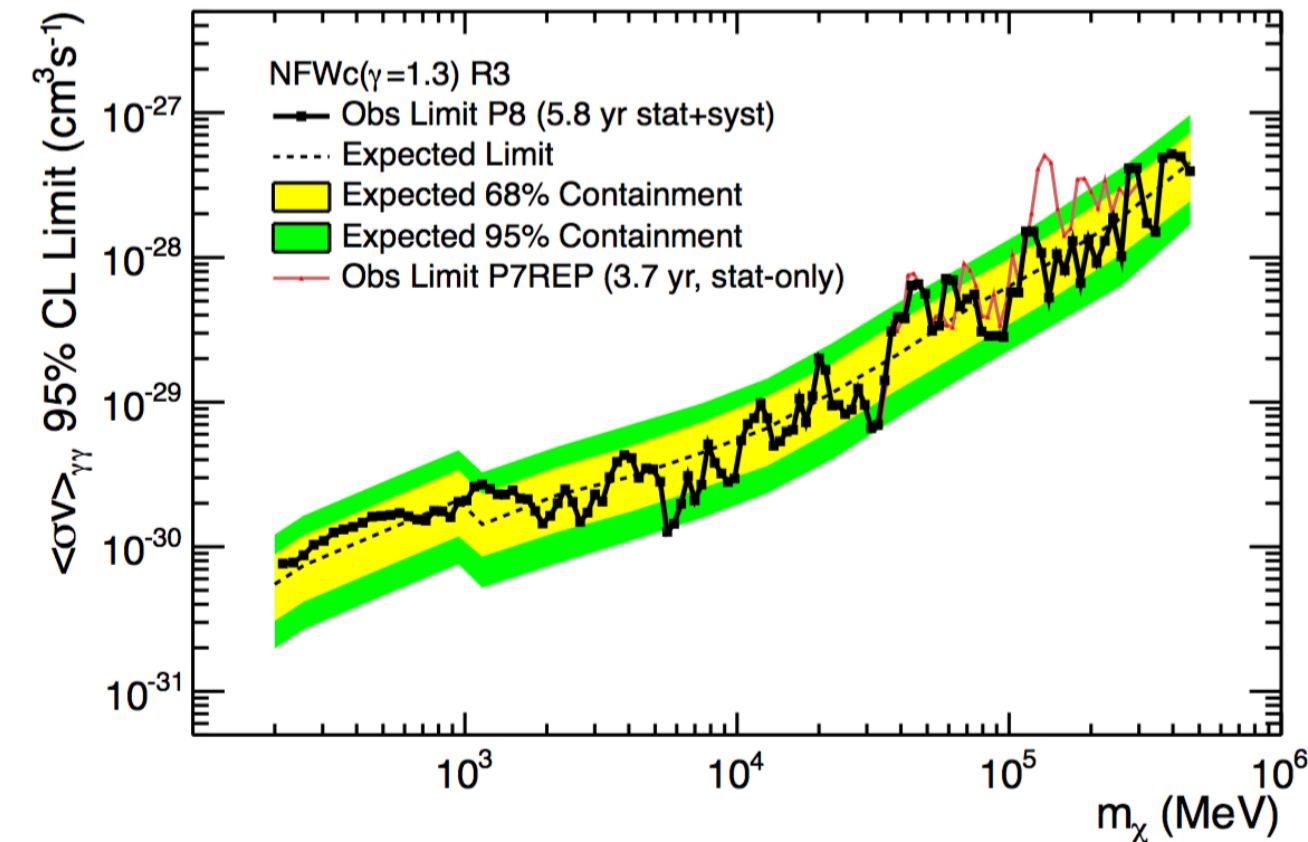


- ✓ Astroparticle experiments represent a powerful probe to test different dark matter models (WIMP, ALPs, primordial BH)
- ✓ Promising way to discover anomalies and new emission processes, mostly with indirect detection so far
- ✓ Relevance of astrophysical uncertainties related to dark matter distribution in the Milky Way

Backup slides

Status of line signal searches in gamma rays

Ackermann+ PRD'15



Abdalla+ PRL'16

