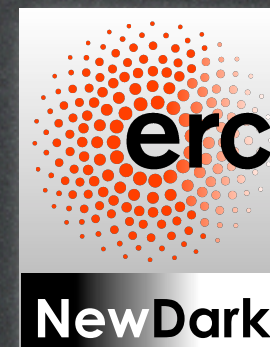


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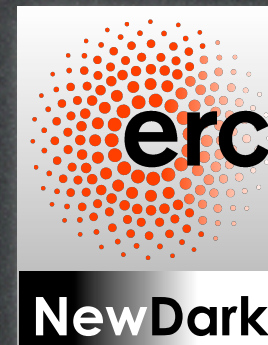


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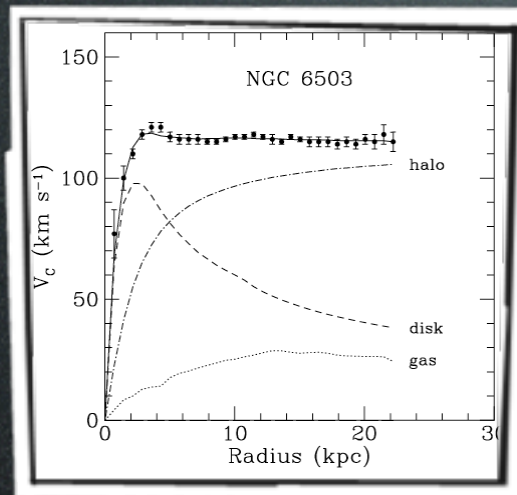


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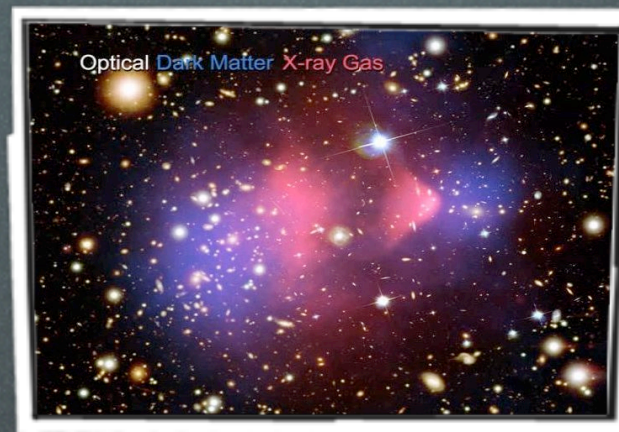
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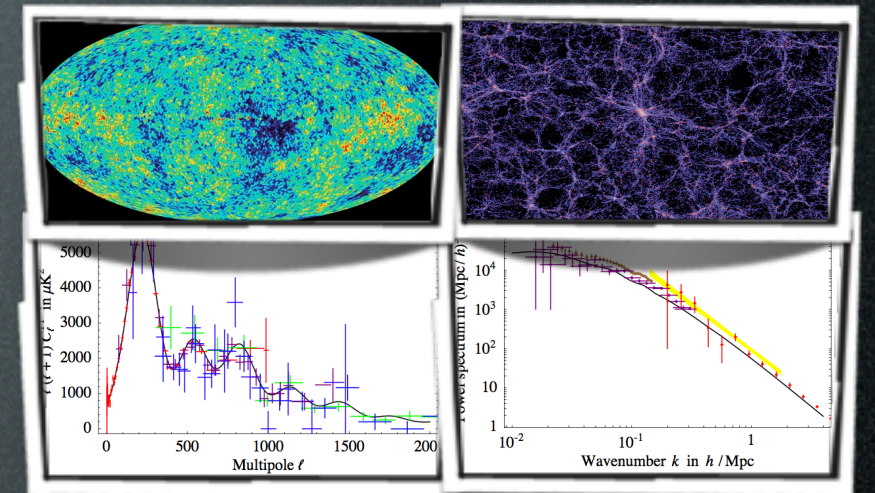
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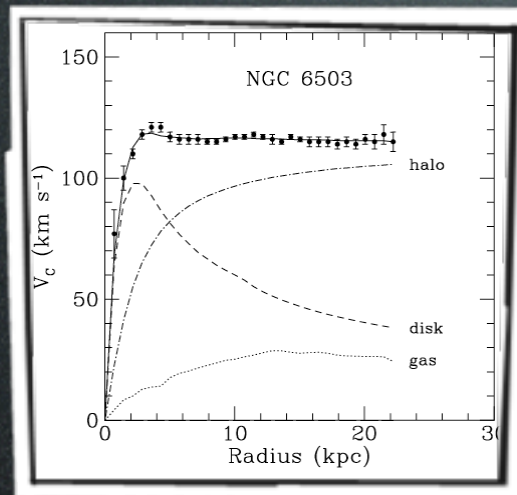
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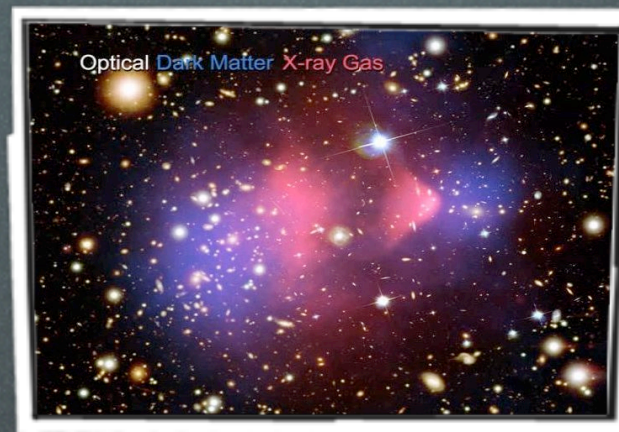
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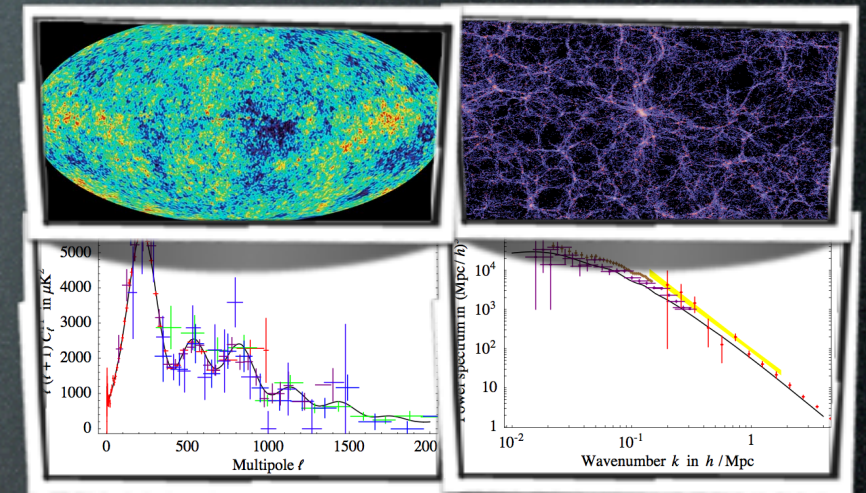
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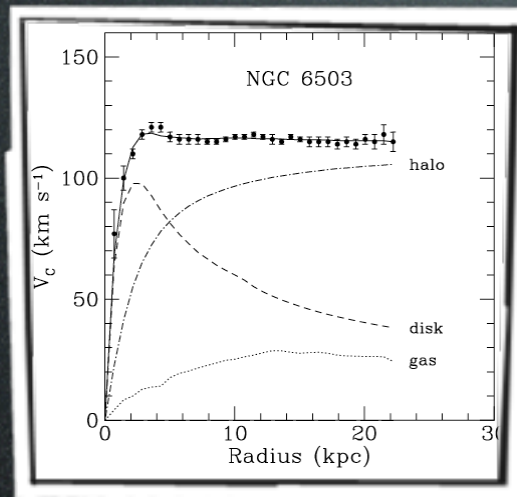


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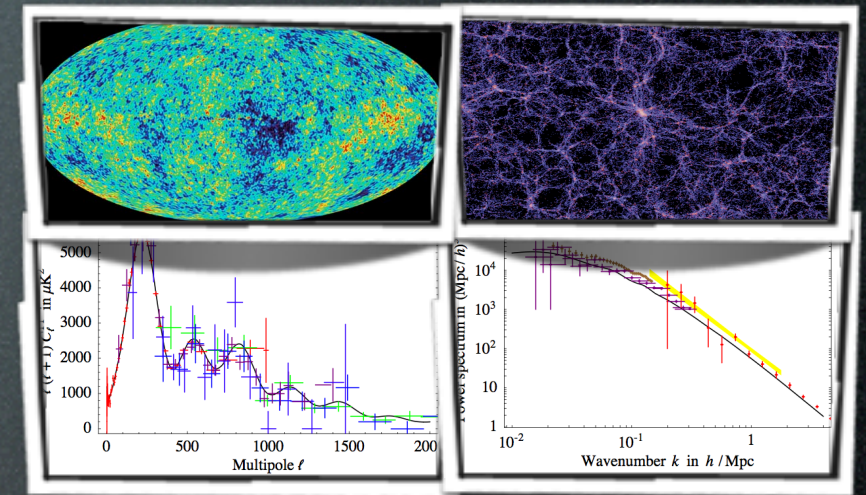
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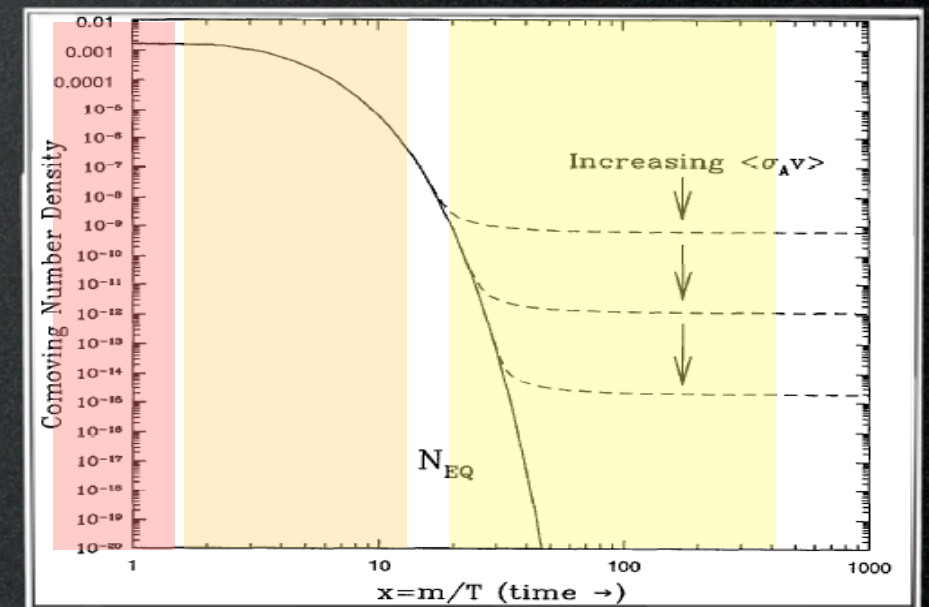


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DM is a neutral, very long lived,
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Some of us believe in
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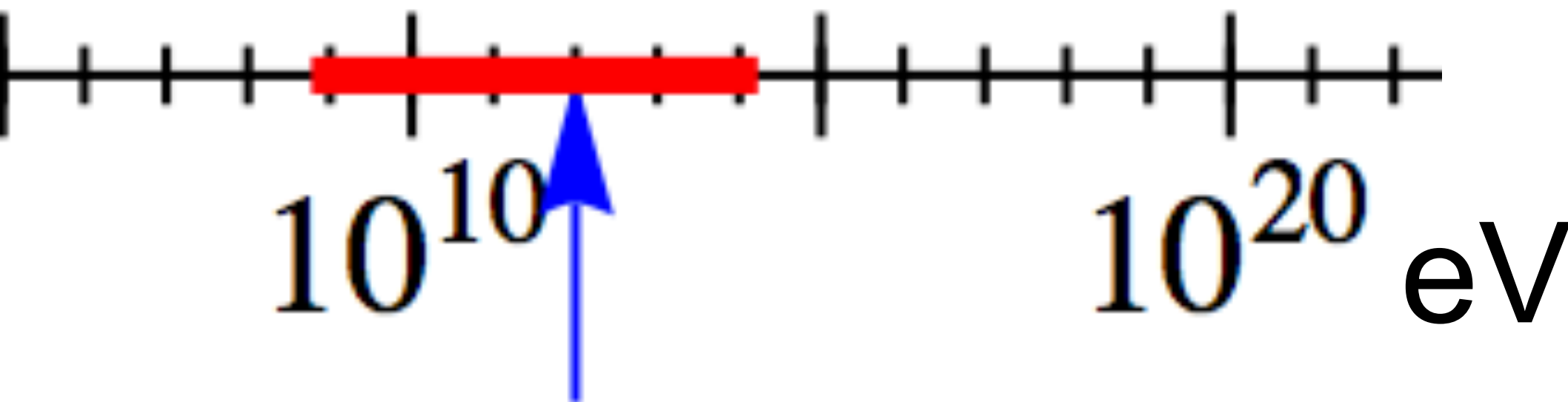
- **weak**-scale mass (10 GeV - 1 TeV)
- **weak** interactions $\sigma v = 3 \cdot 10^{-26} \text{ cm}^3/\text{sec}$
- give automatically correct abundance



DM Candidates

A matter of perspective: plausible mass ranges

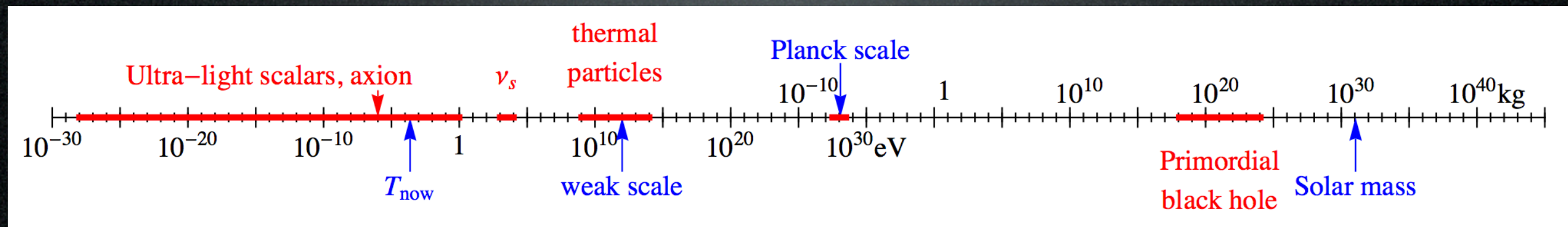
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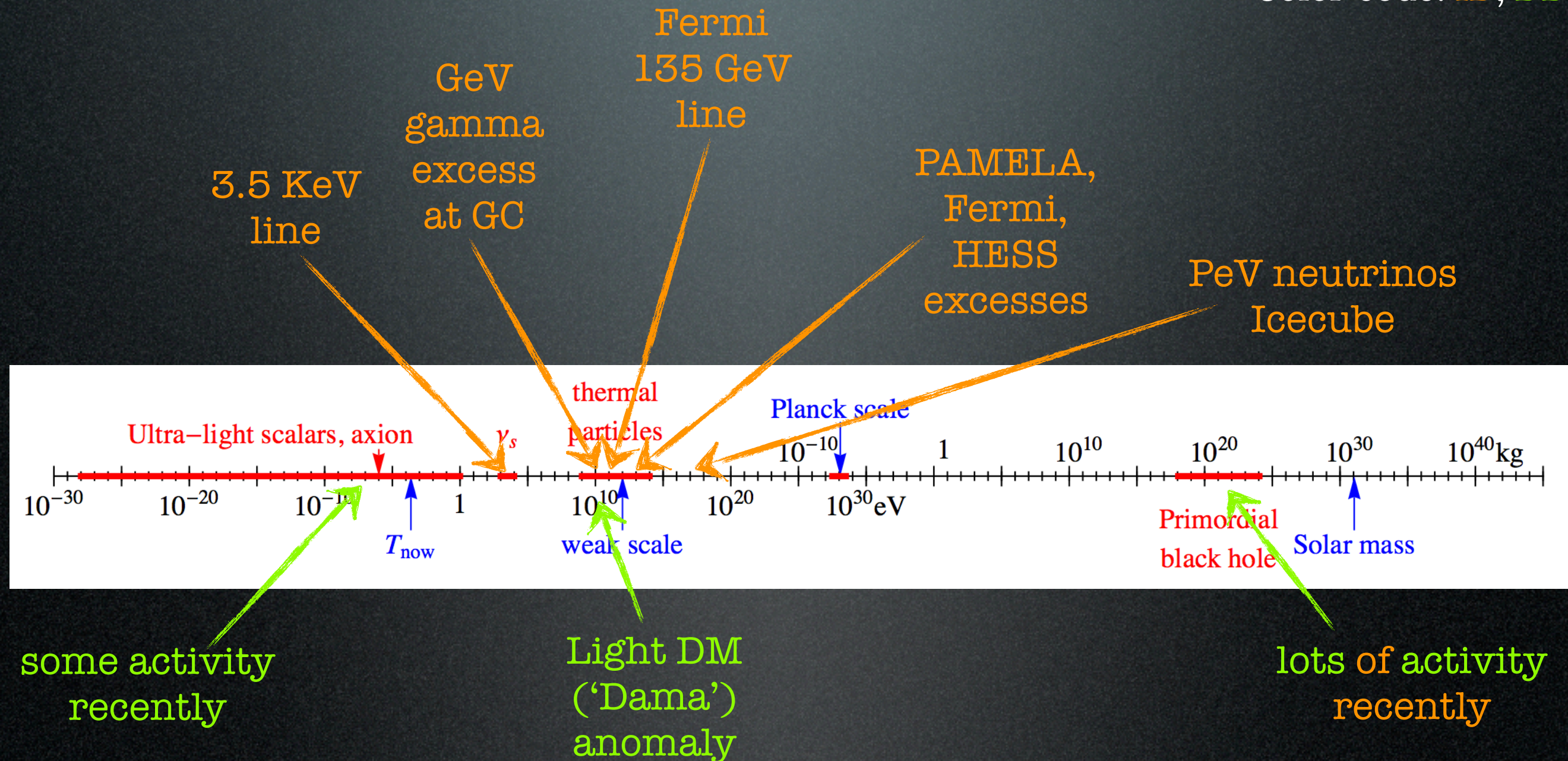


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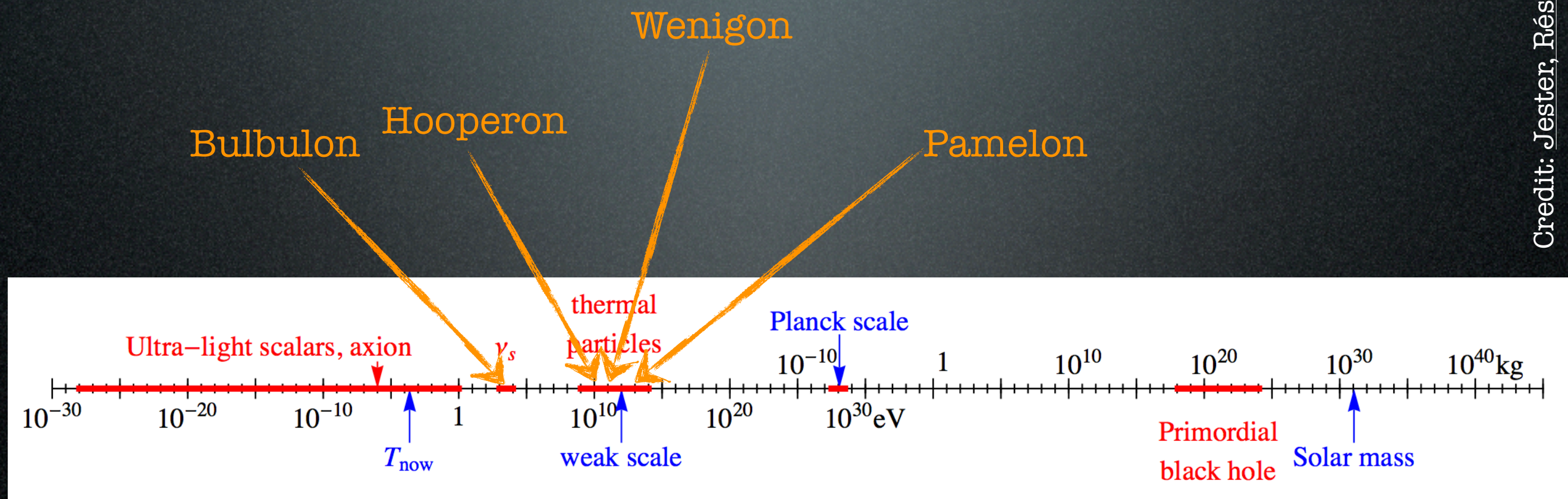
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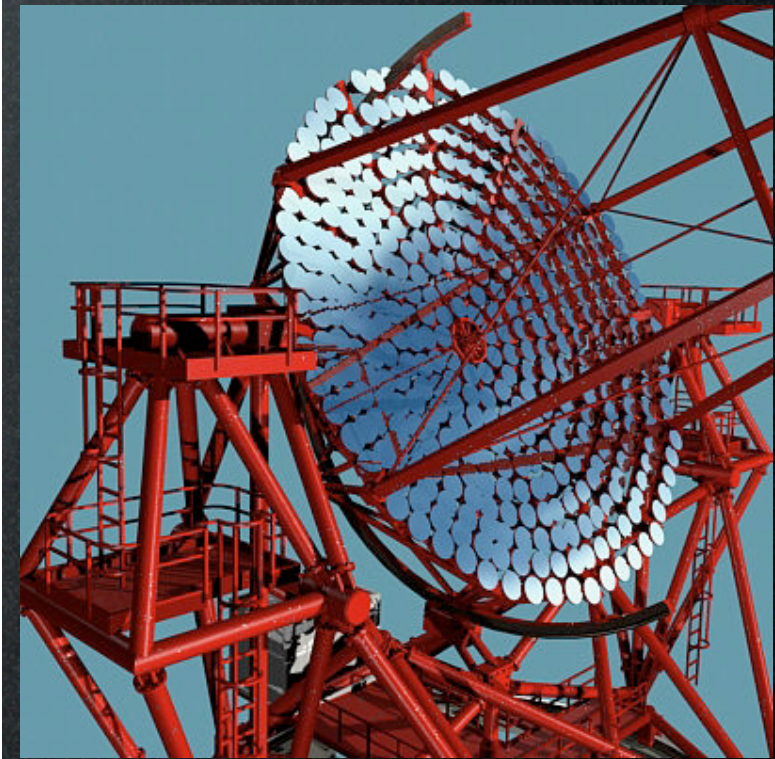
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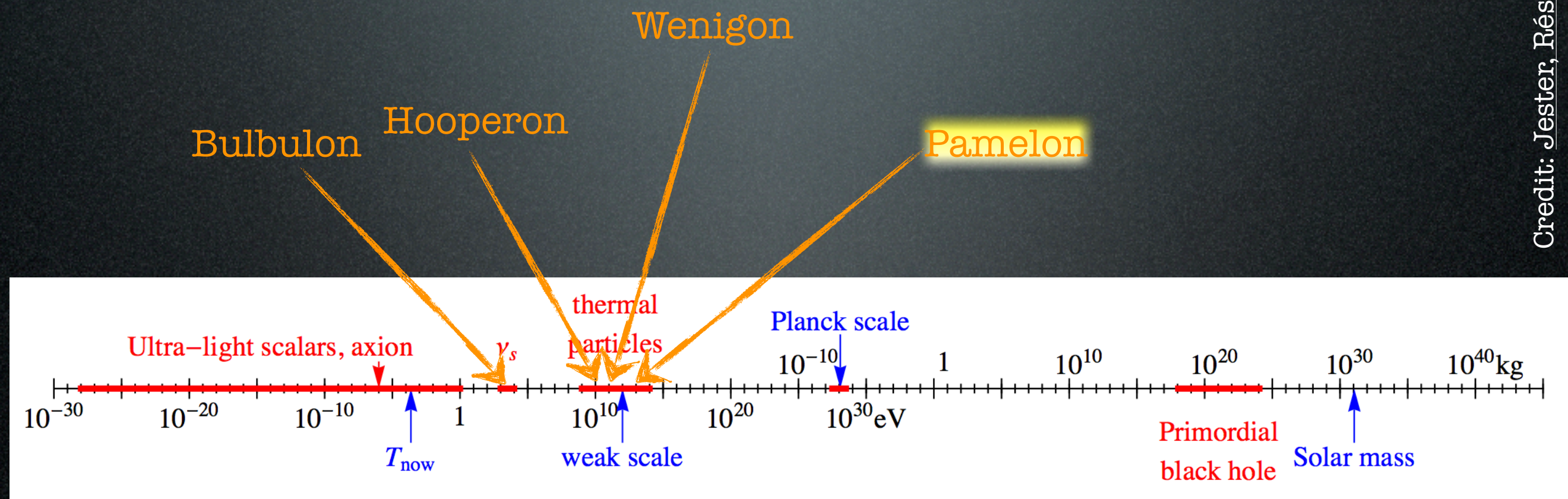
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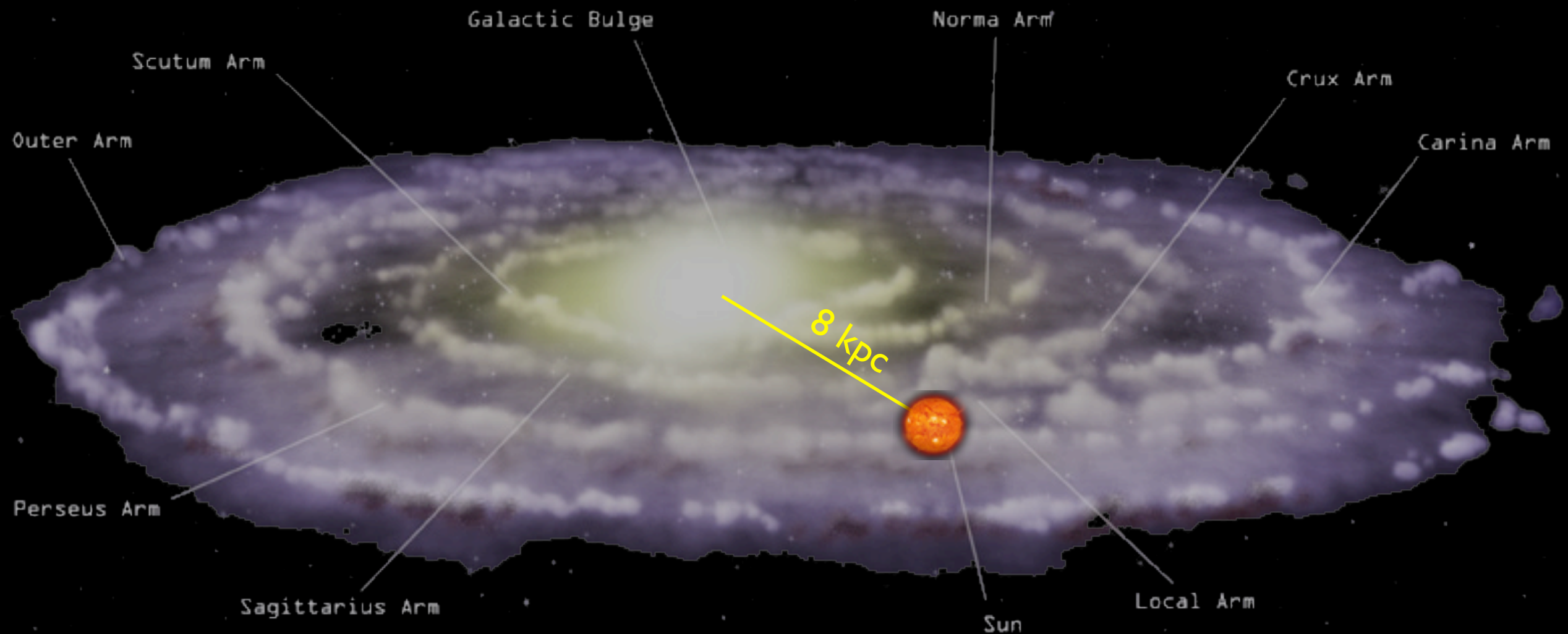


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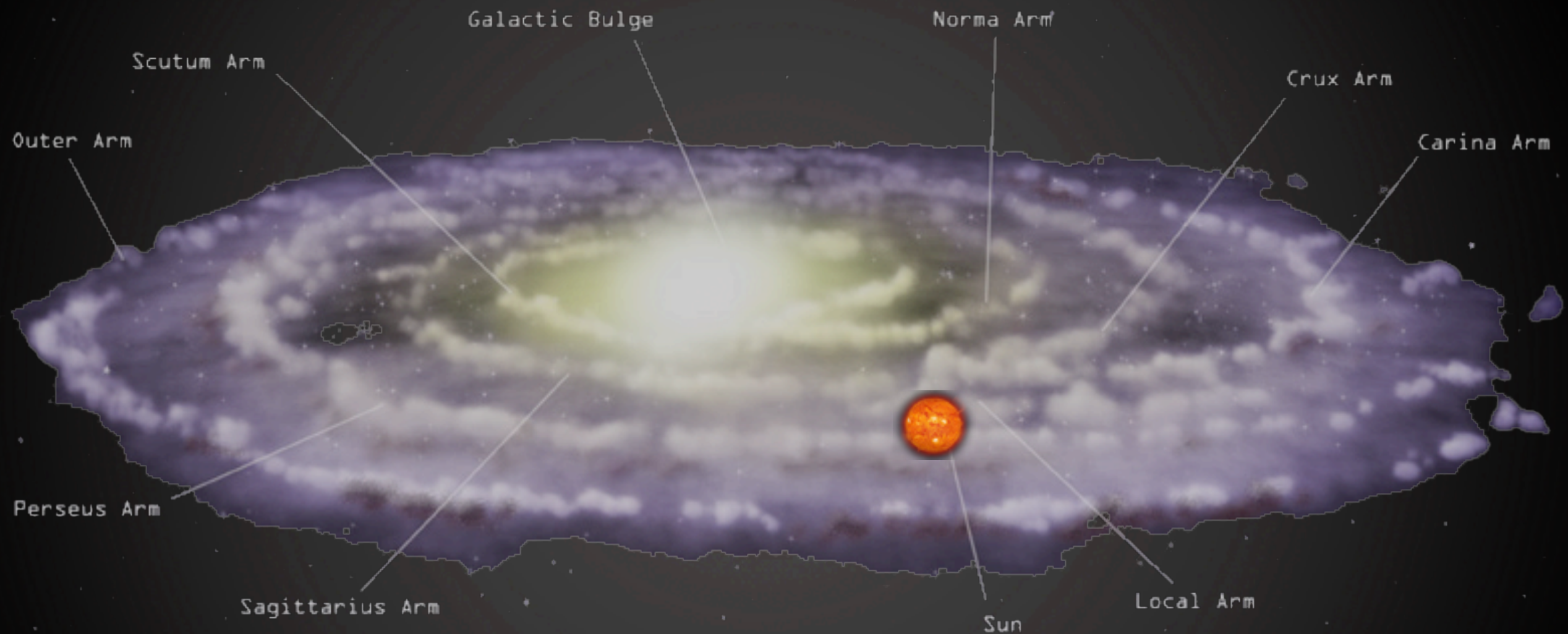
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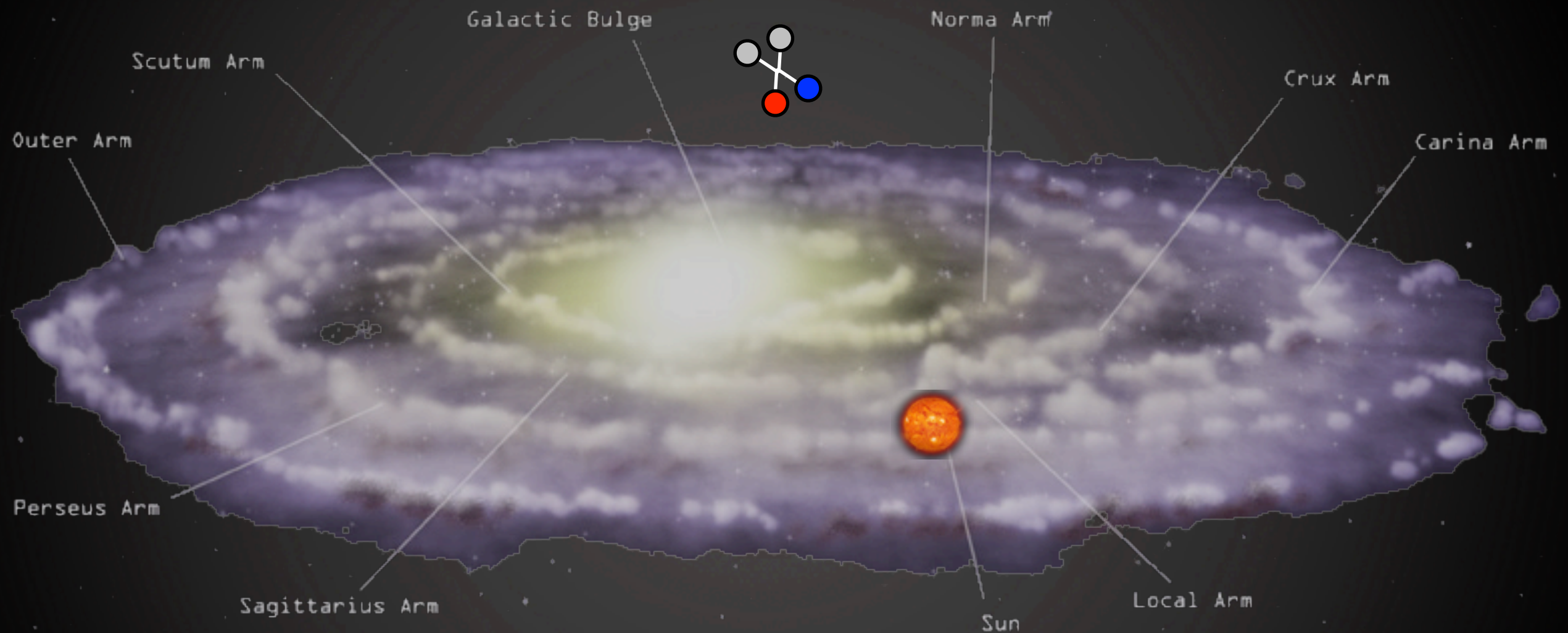
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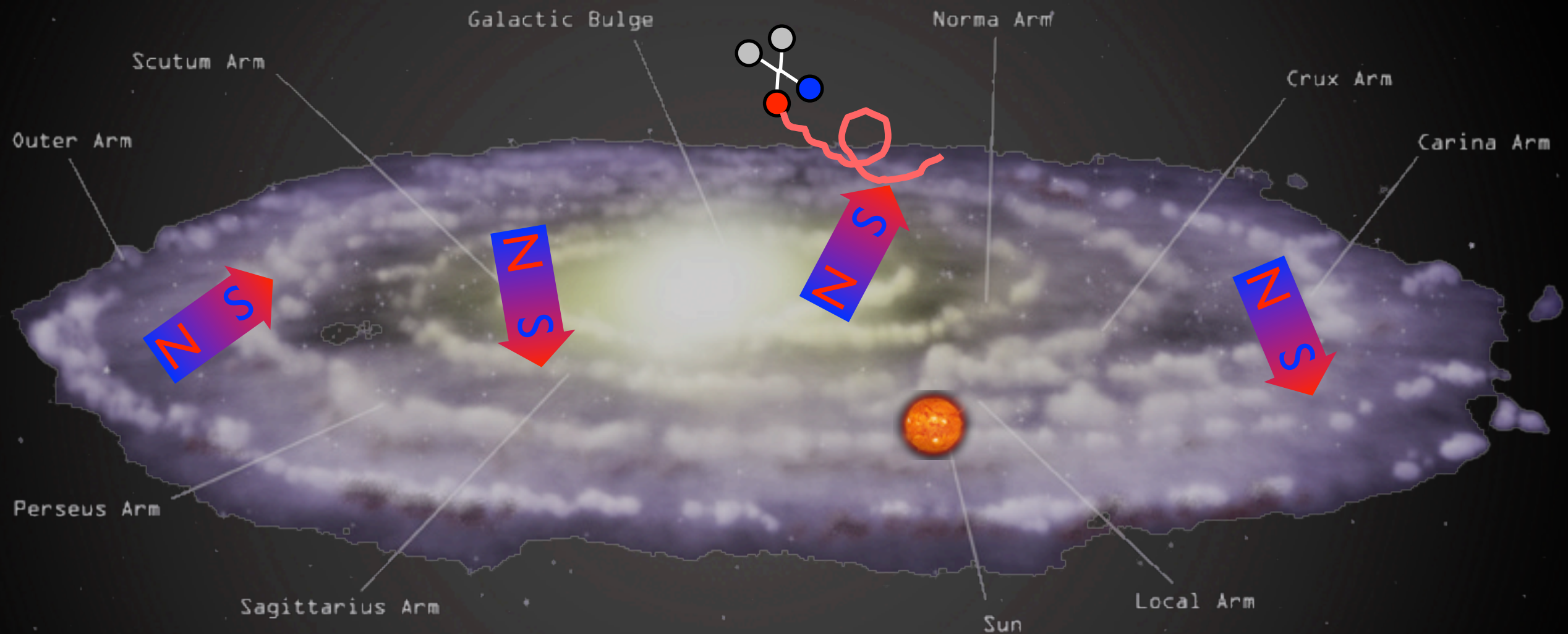
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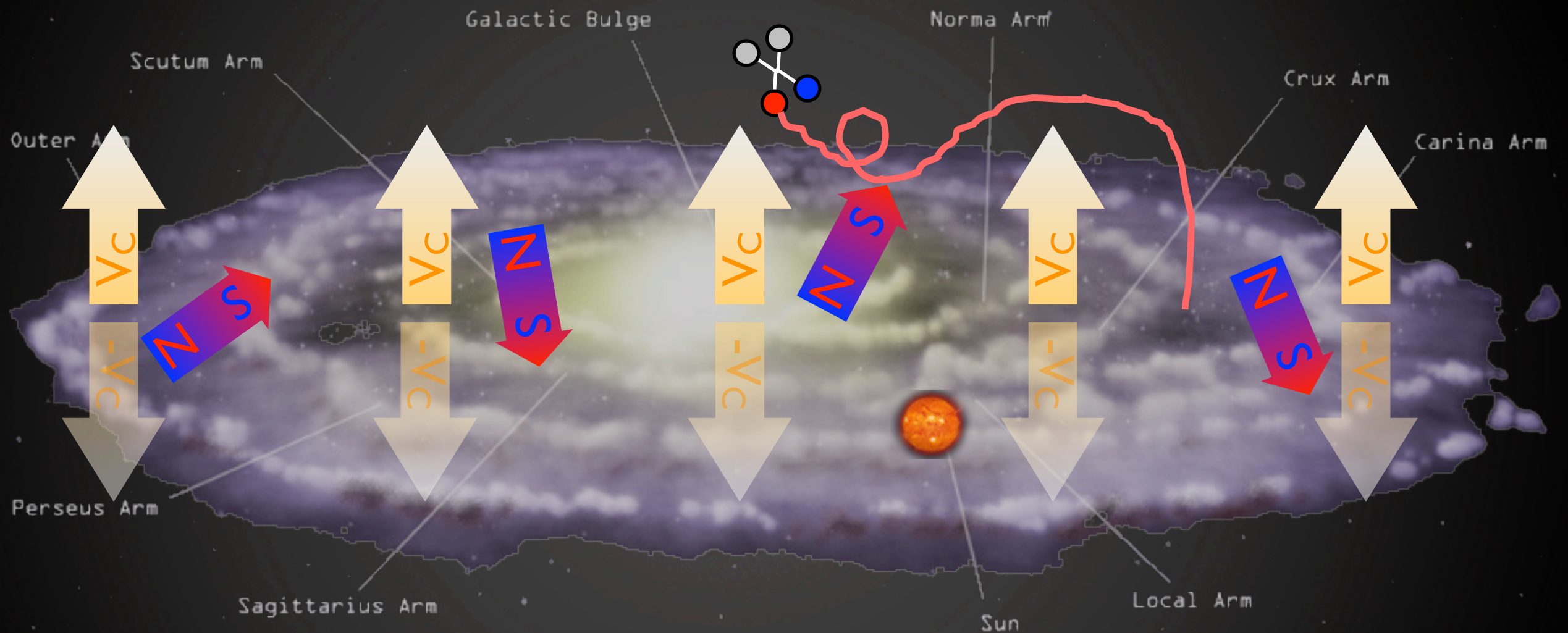
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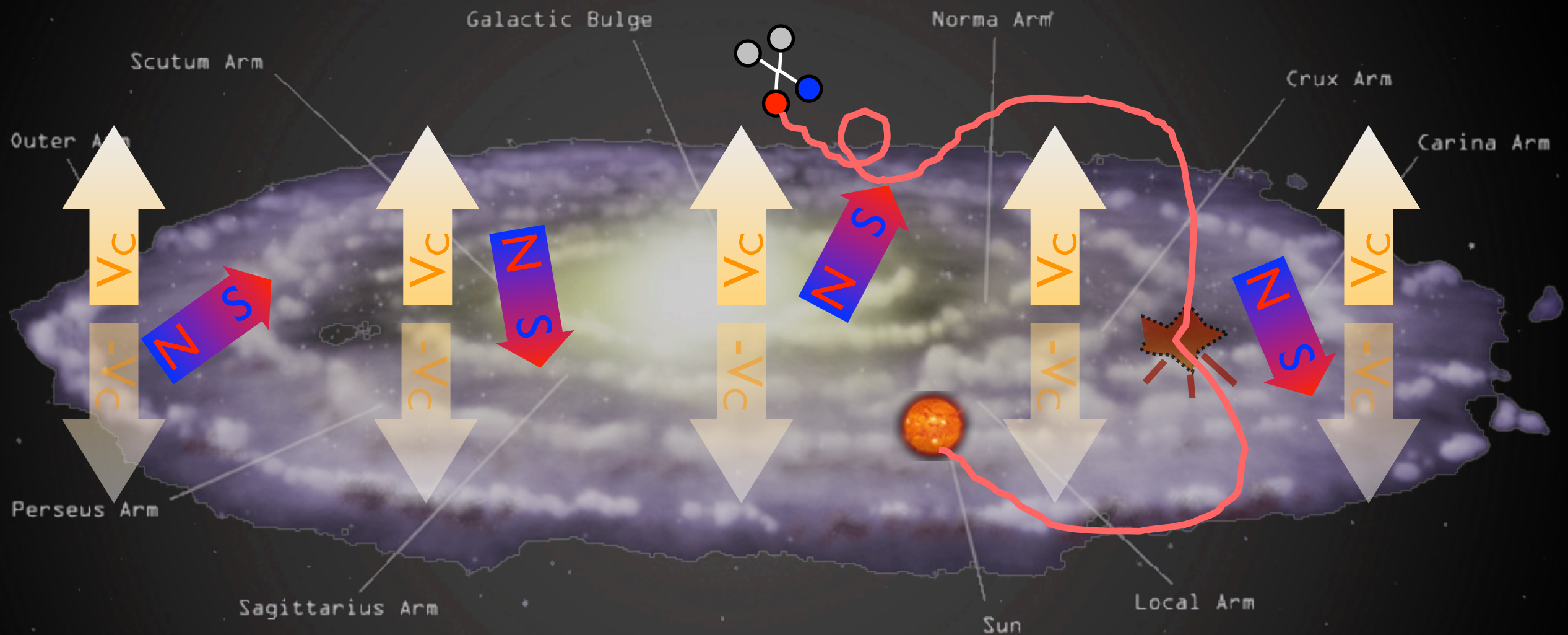
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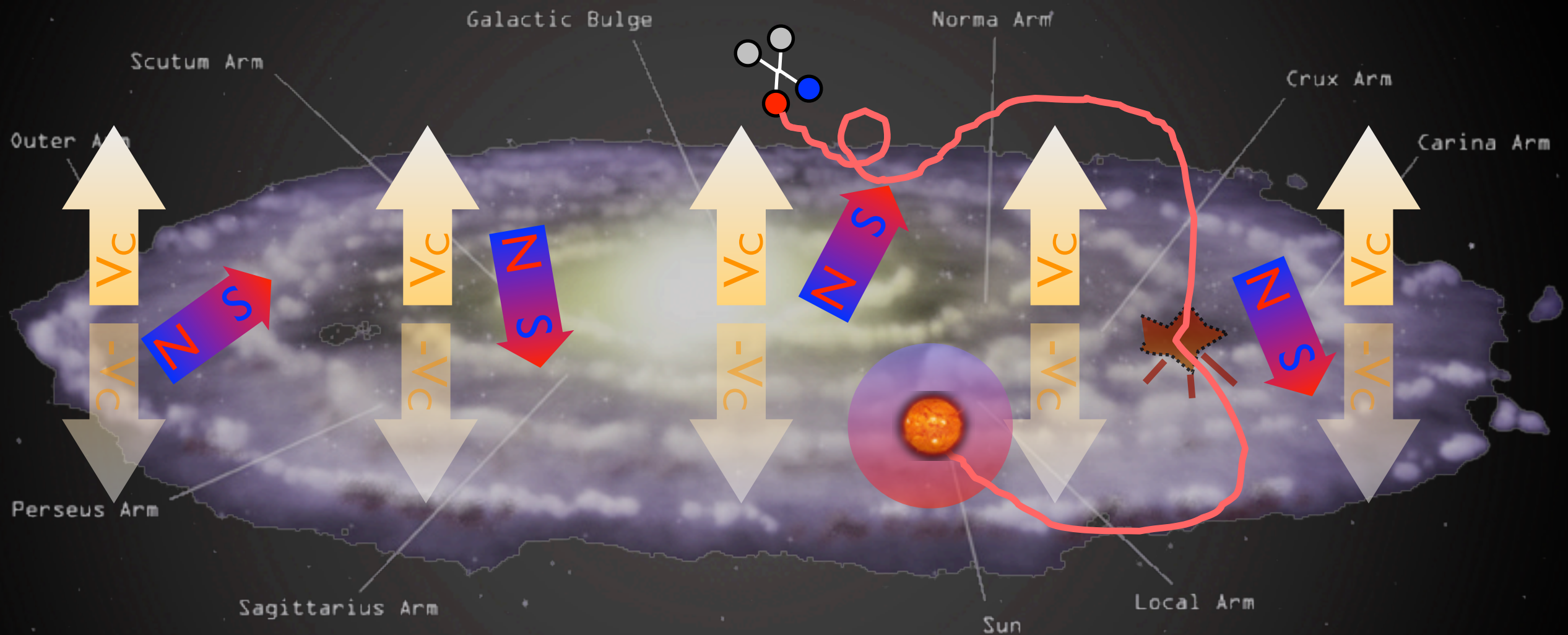
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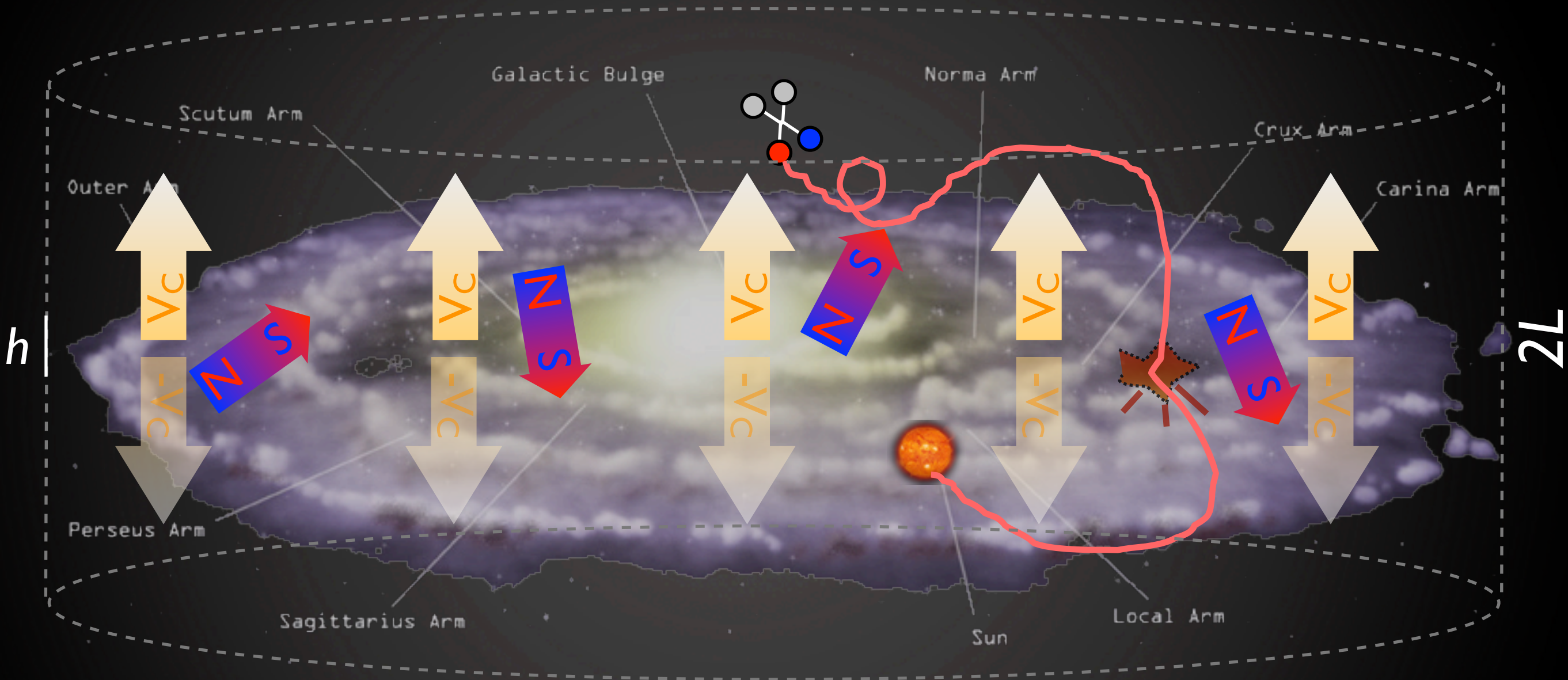
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spectrum

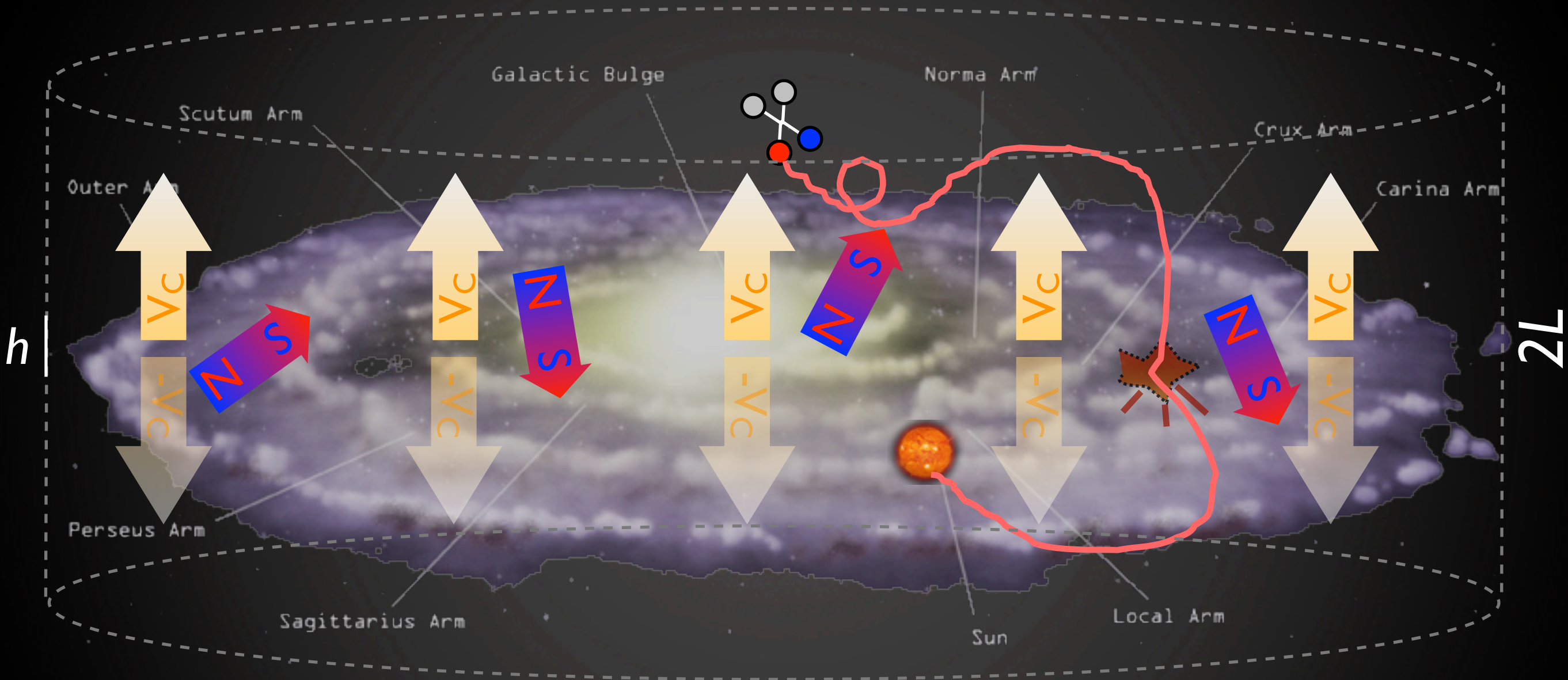
$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial t} - K(E) \cdot \nabla^2 f - \frac{\partial}{\partial E} (b(E)f) + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} (V_c f) = Q_{\text{inj}} - 2h\delta(z)\Gamma_{\text{spall}}f$$

diffusion energy loss convective wind source spallations [uncert]

Salati, Chardonay, Barrau, Donato, Taillet, Fornengo, Maurin, Brun... '90s, '00s

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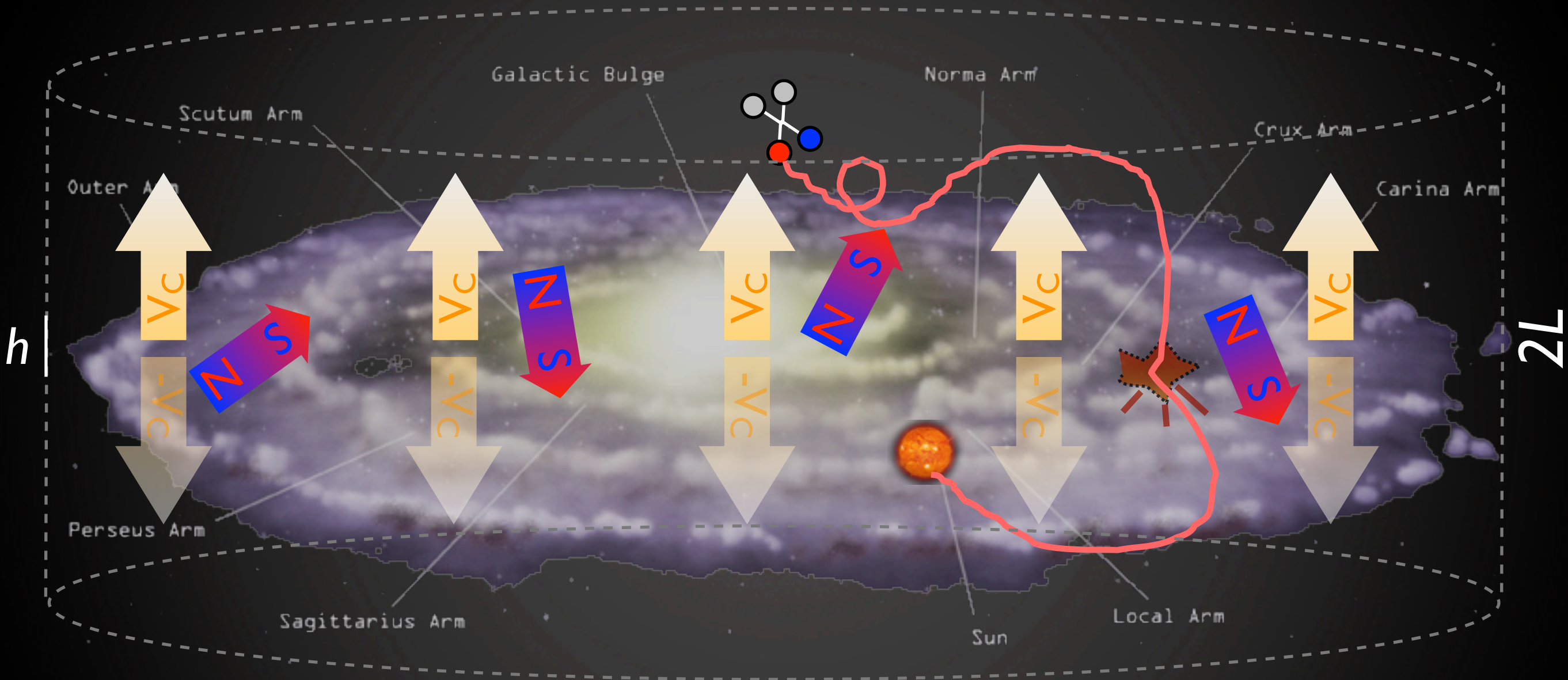


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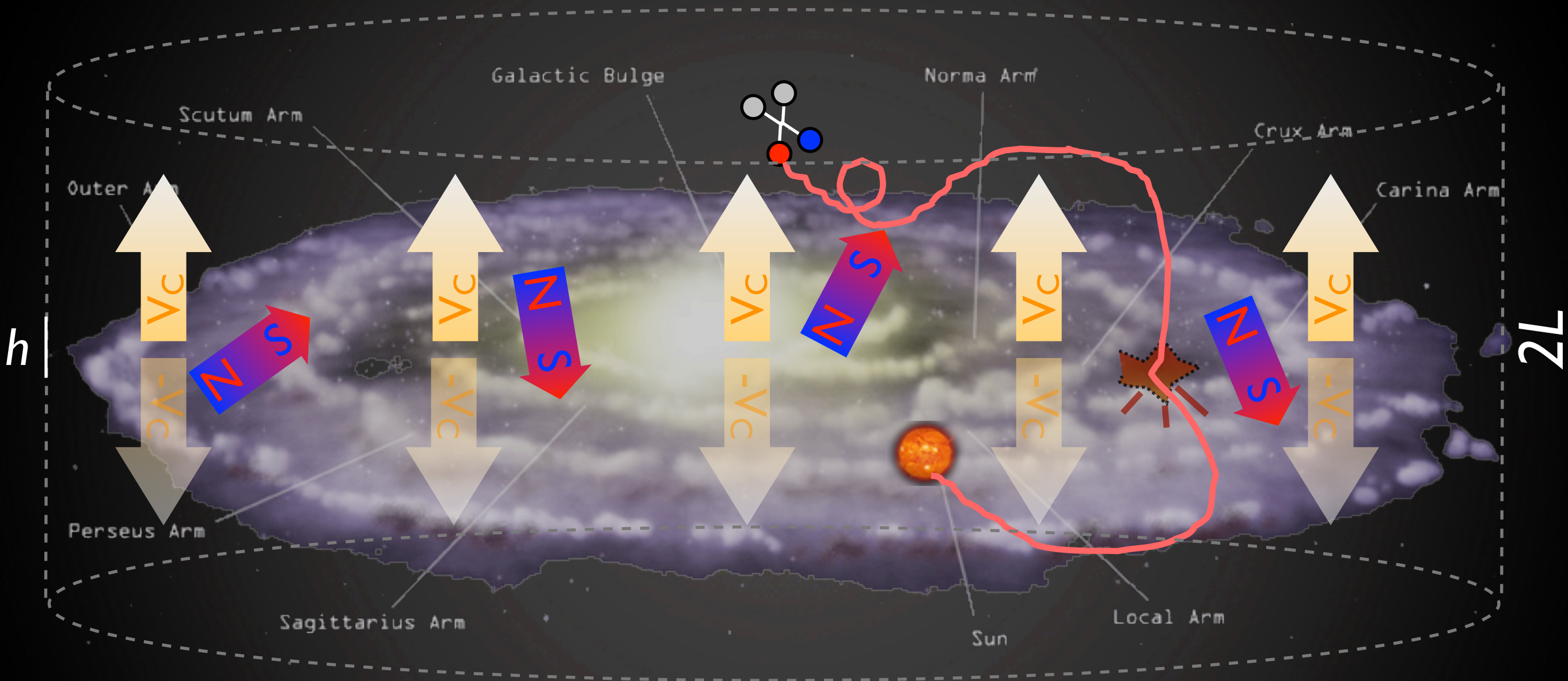


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reference cross section:
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DM halo profiles

From N-body numerical simulations:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{NFW : } \rho_{\text{NFW}}(r) &= \rho_s \frac{r_s}{r} \left(1 + \frac{r}{r_s}\right)^{-2} \\ \text{Einasto : } \rho_{\text{Ein}}(r) &= \rho_s \exp \left\{ -\frac{2}{\alpha} \left[\left(\frac{r}{r_s}\right)^\alpha - 1 \right] \right\} \\ \text{Isothermal : } \rho_{\text{Iso}}(r) &= \frac{\rho_s}{1 + (r/r_s)^2} \\ \text{Burkert : } \rho_{\text{Bur}}(r) &= \frac{\rho_s}{(1 + r/r_s)(1 + (r/r_s)^2)} \\ \text{Moore : } \rho_{\text{Moo}}(r) &= \rho_s \left(\frac{r_s}{r}\right)^{1.16} \left(1 + \frac{r}{r_s}\right)^{-1.84} \end{aligned}$$

DM halo	α	r_s [kpc]	ρ_s [GeV/cm ³]
NFW	—	24.42	0.184
Einasto	0.17	28.44	0.033
EinastoB	0.11	35.24	0.021
Isothermal	—	4.38	1.387
Burkert	—	12.67	0.712
Moore	—	30.28	0.105

At small r : $\rho(r) \propto 1/r^\gamma$

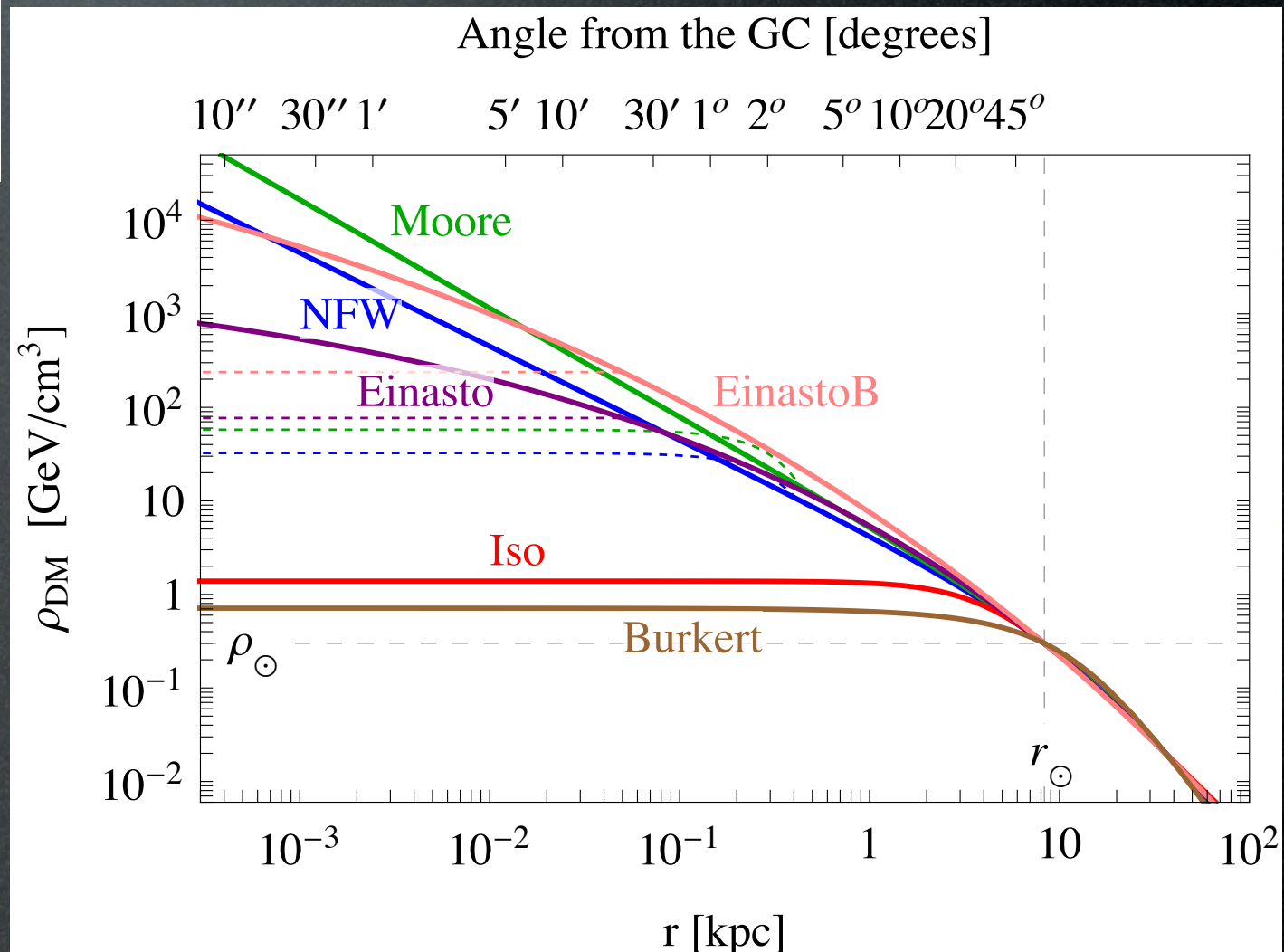
6 profiles:

cuspy: **NFW**, **Moore**

mild: **Einasto**

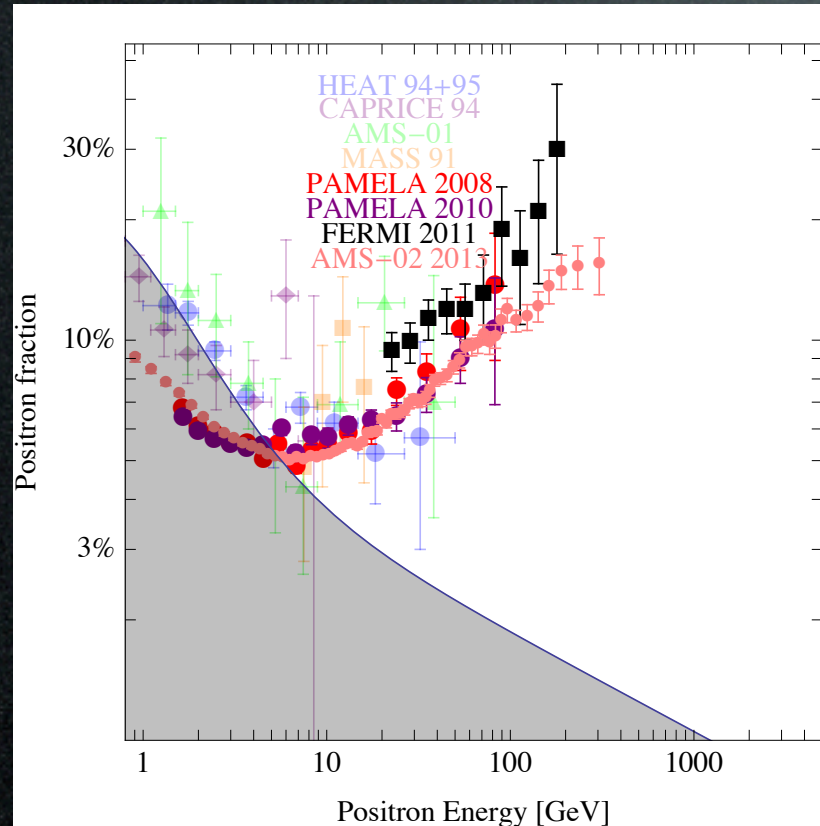
smooth: **isothermal**, **Burkert**

EinastoB = steepened Einasto
(effect of baryons?)

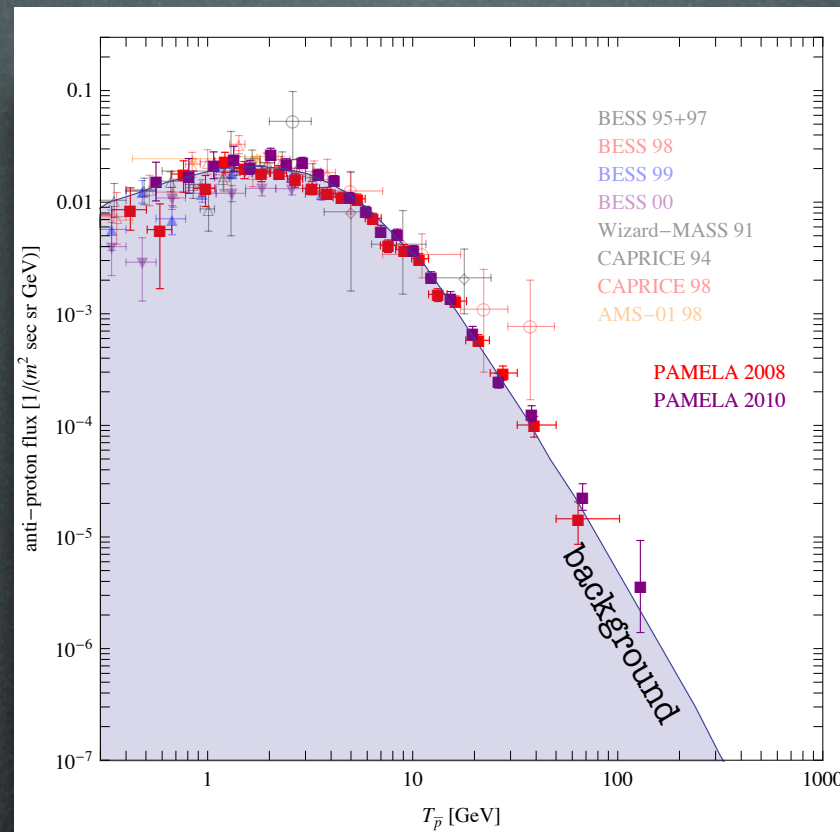


Indirect Detection: **hints**

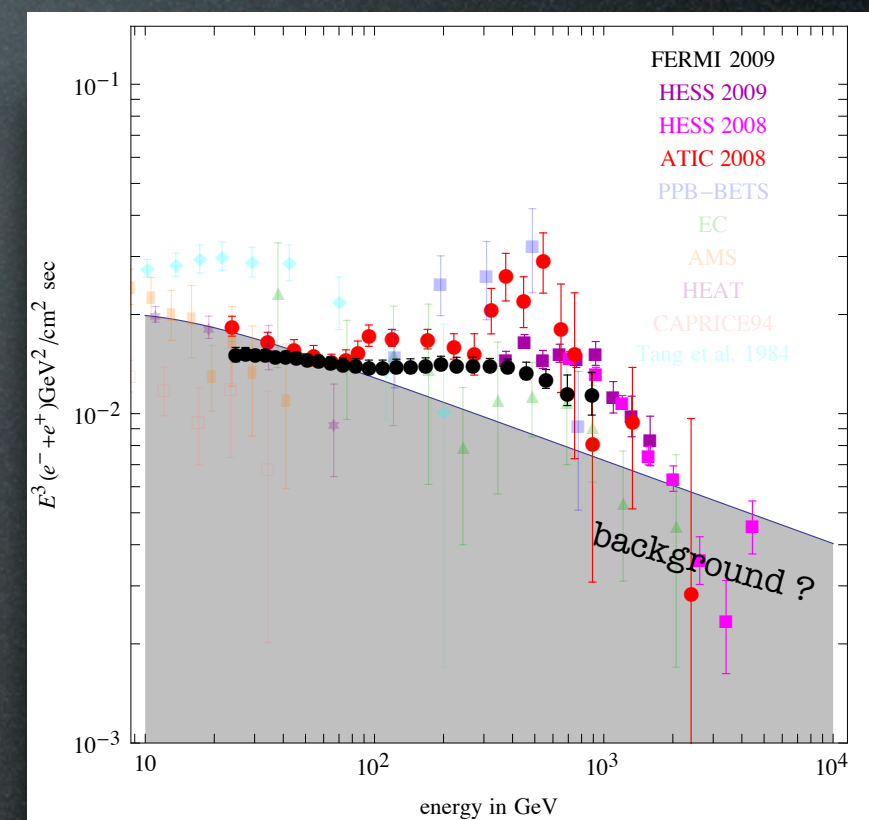
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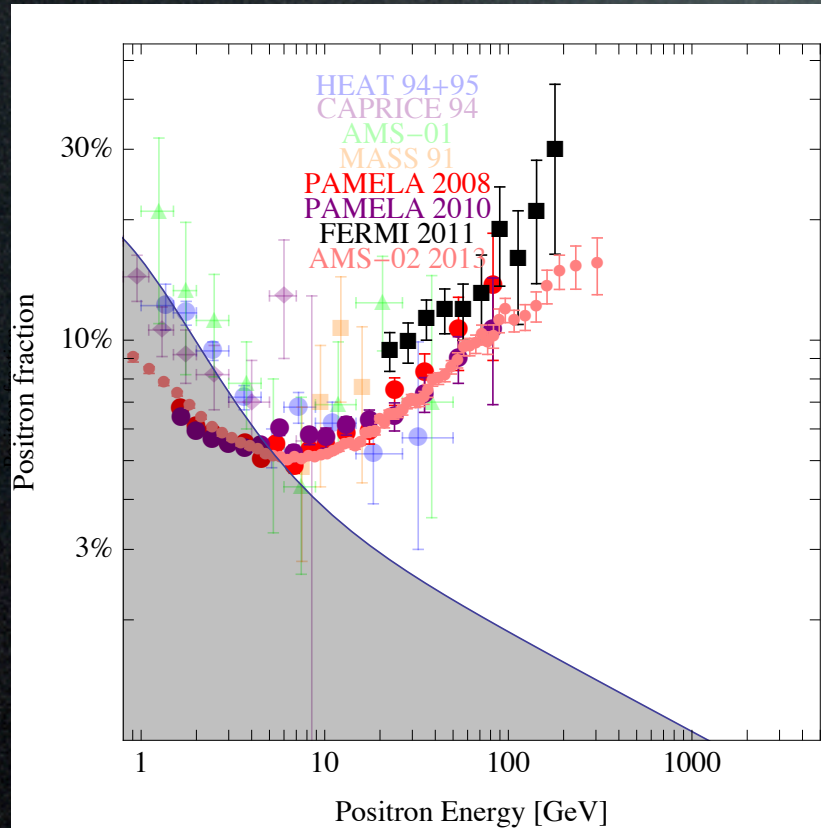


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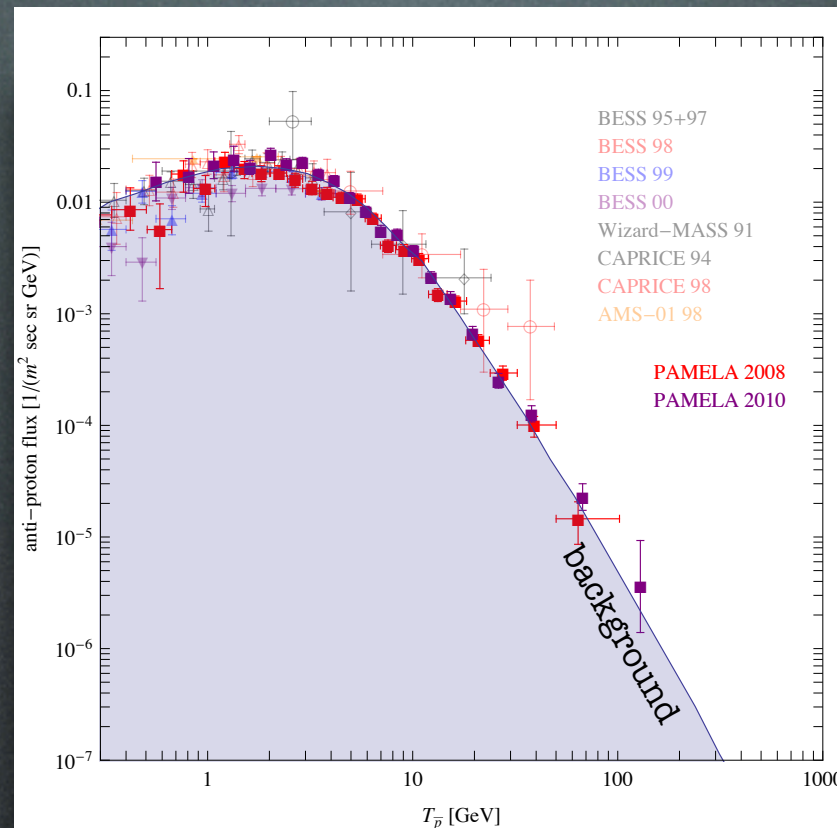


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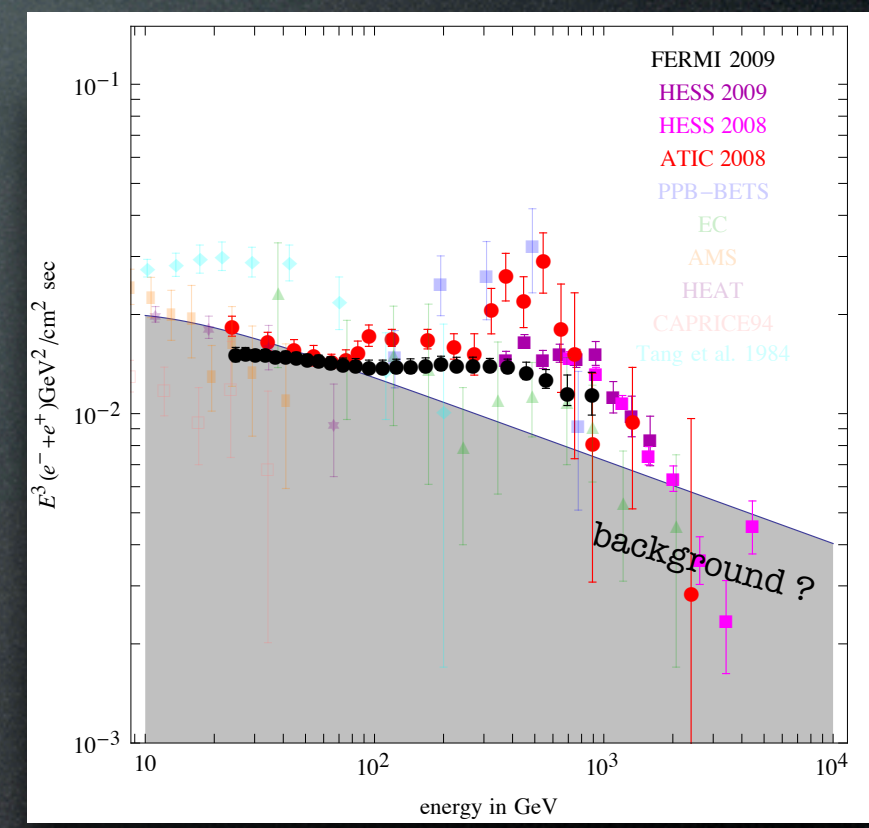
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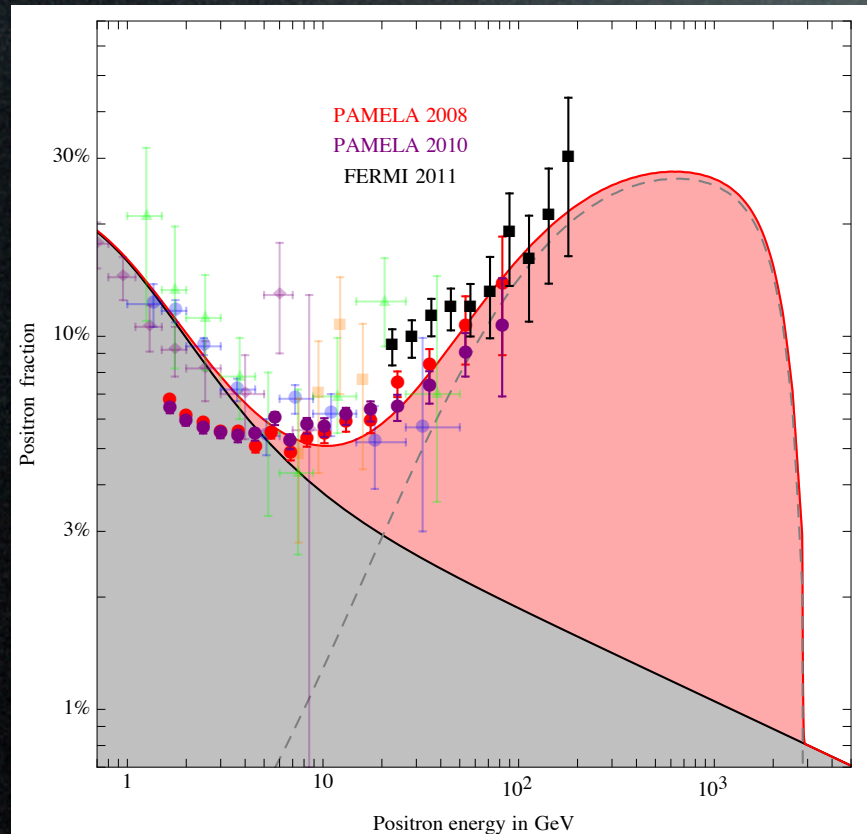
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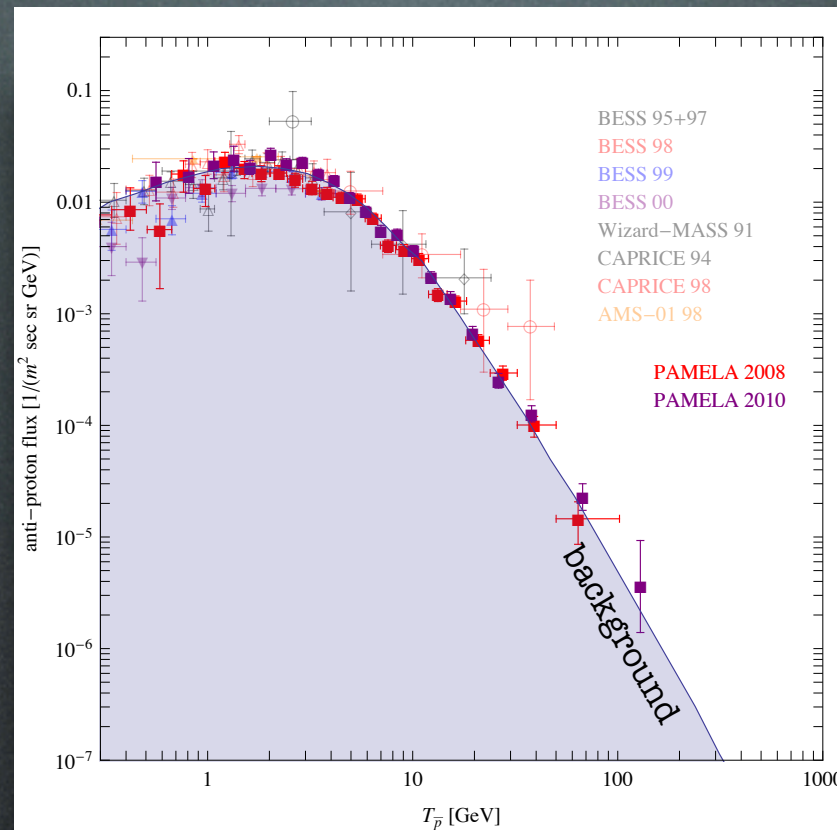
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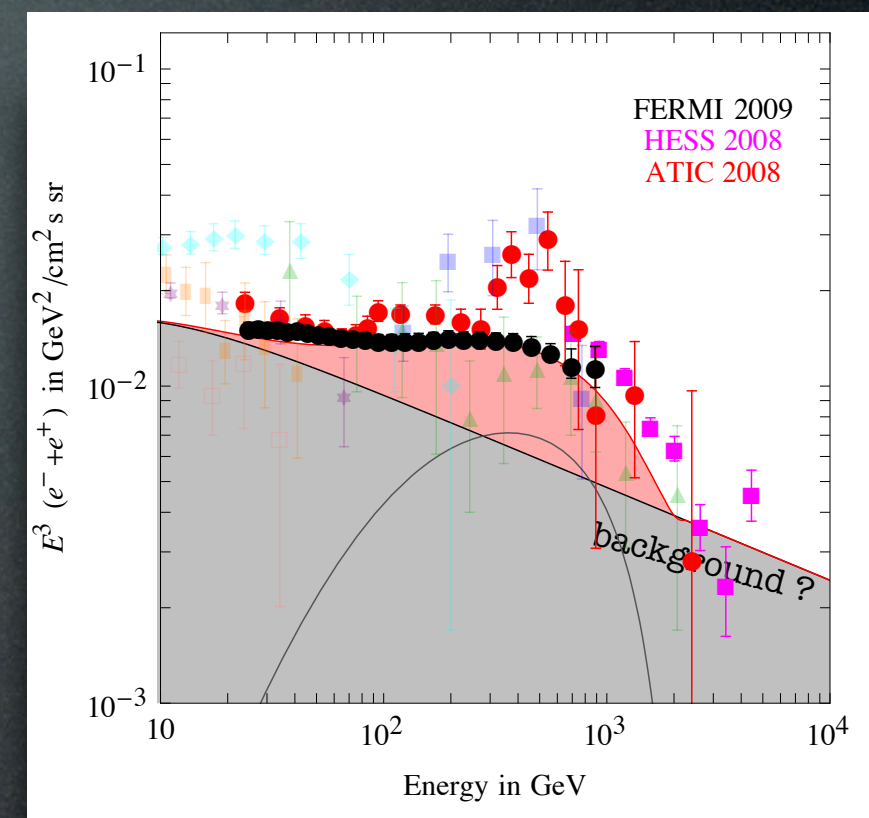
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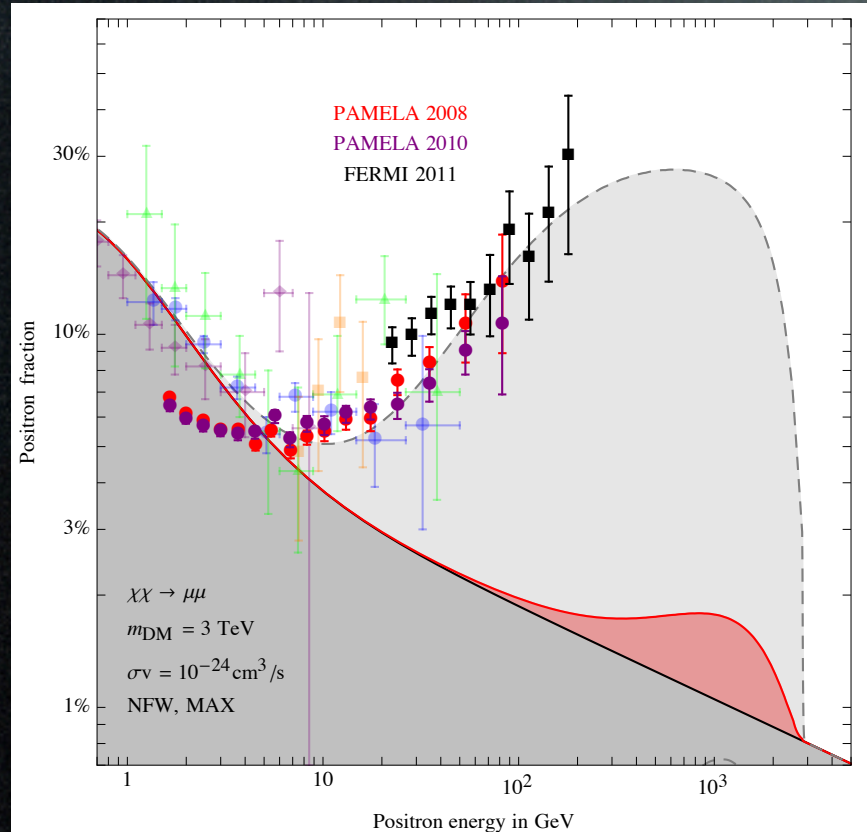


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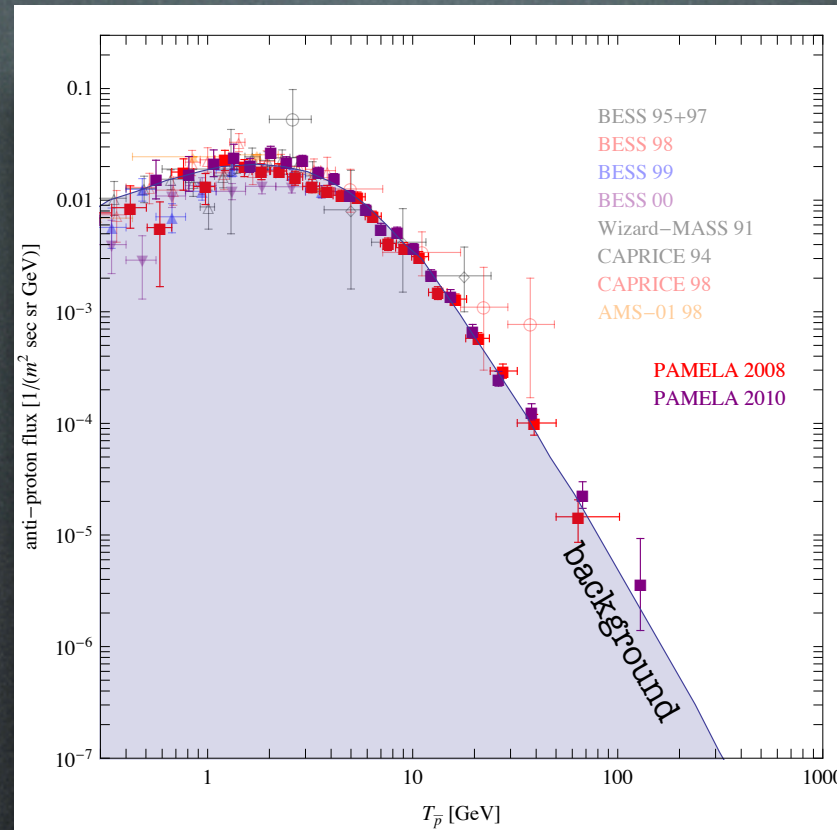
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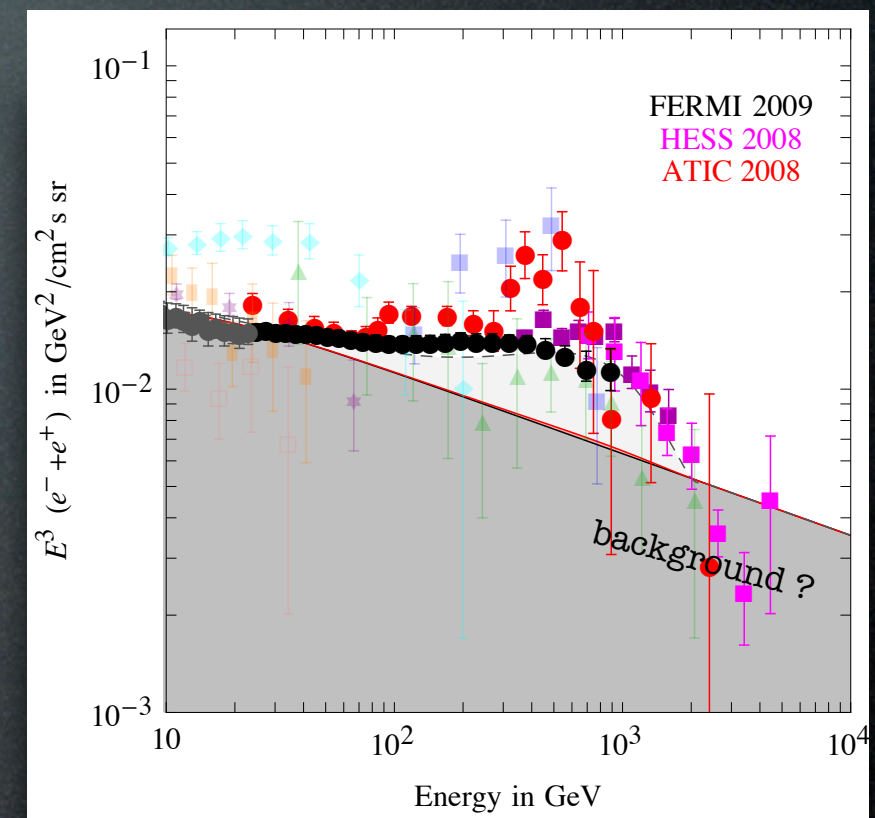
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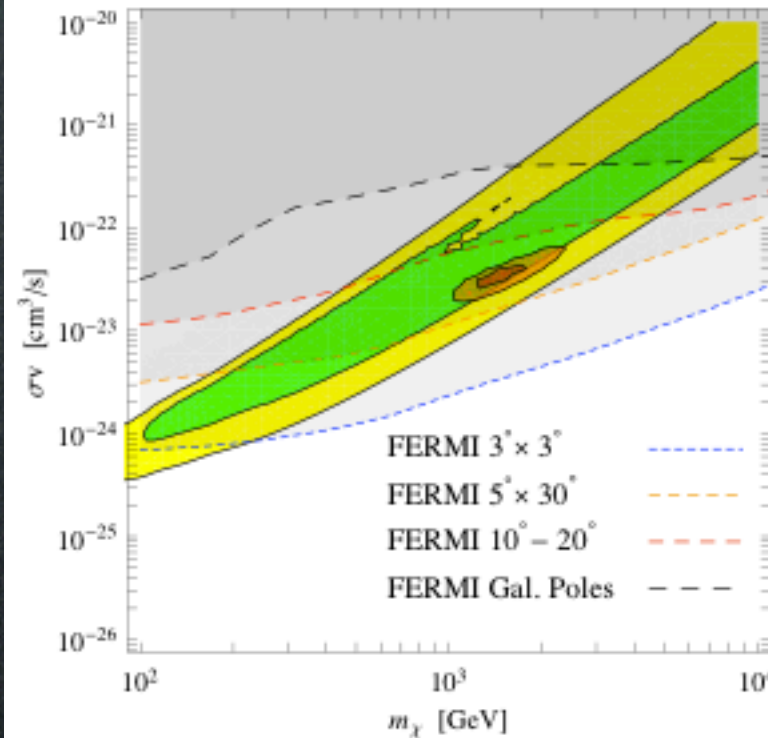
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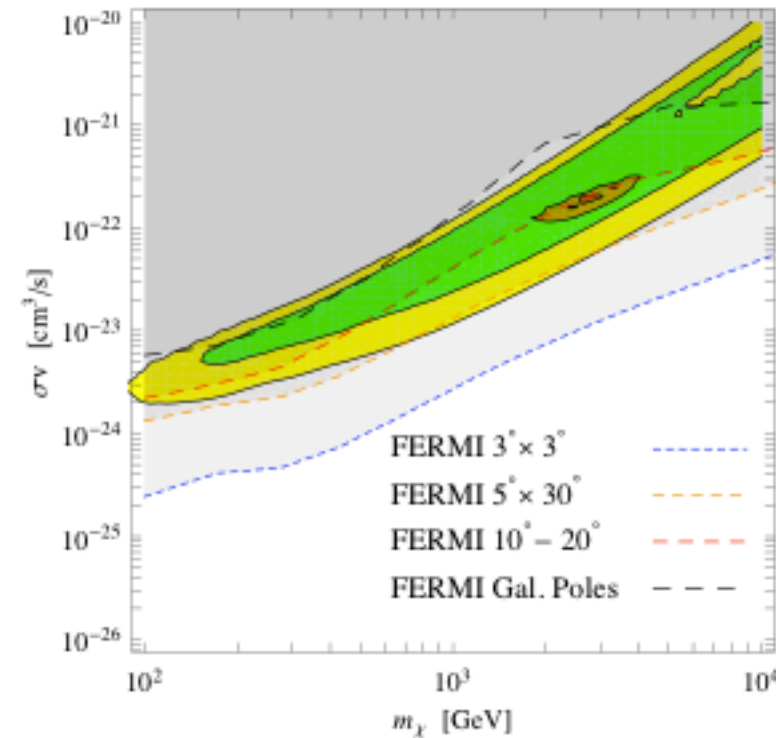
NO: a formidable 'background' for future searches

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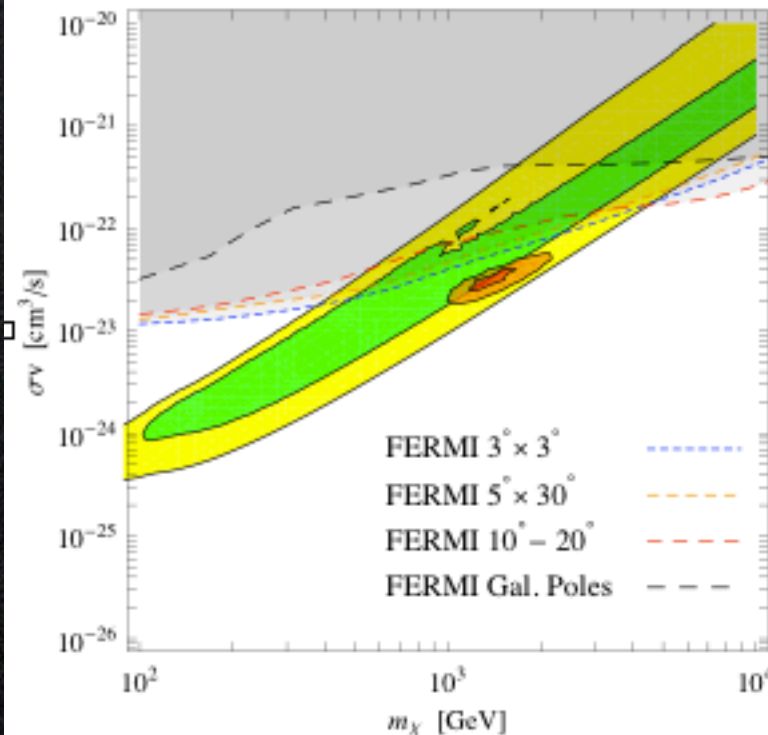
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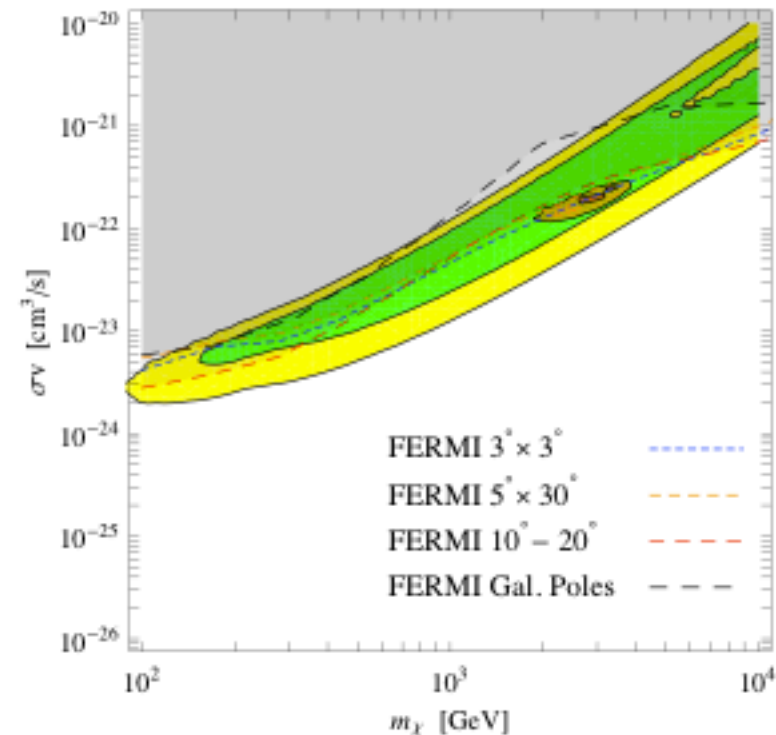
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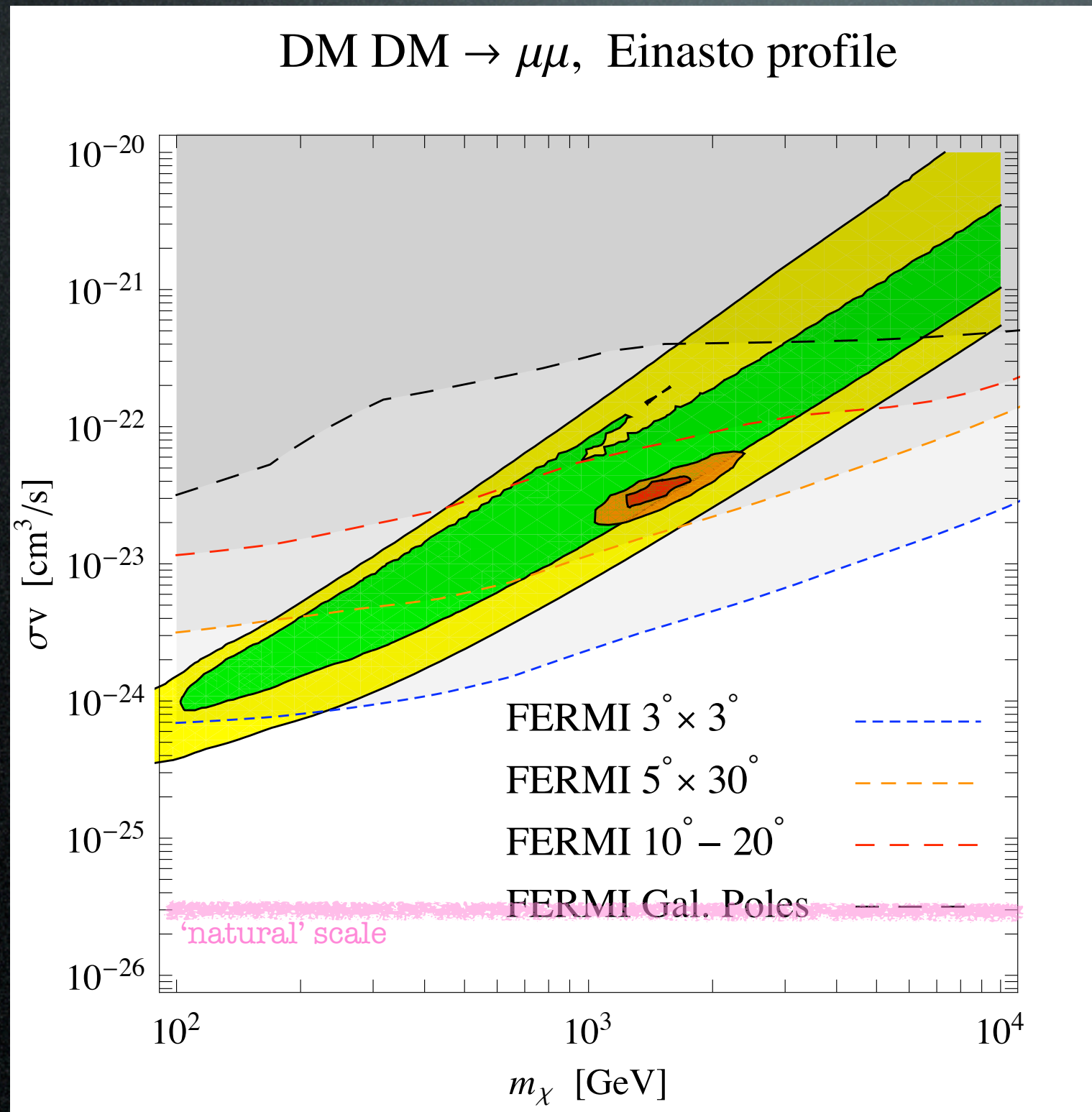


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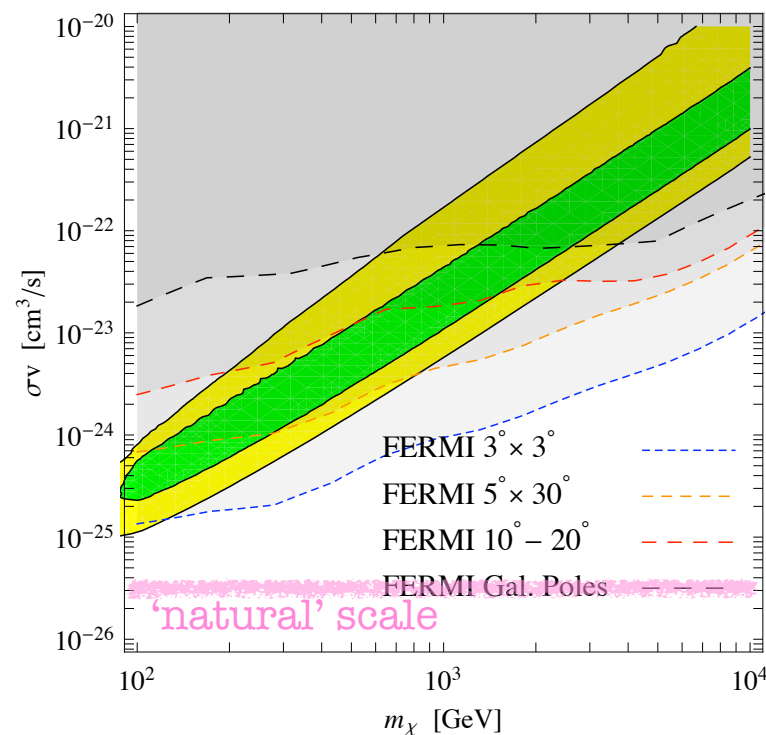
Cirelli, Panci, Serpico 0912.0663

The PAMELA and
FERMI regions
are in **conflict**
with these
gamma
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and here...

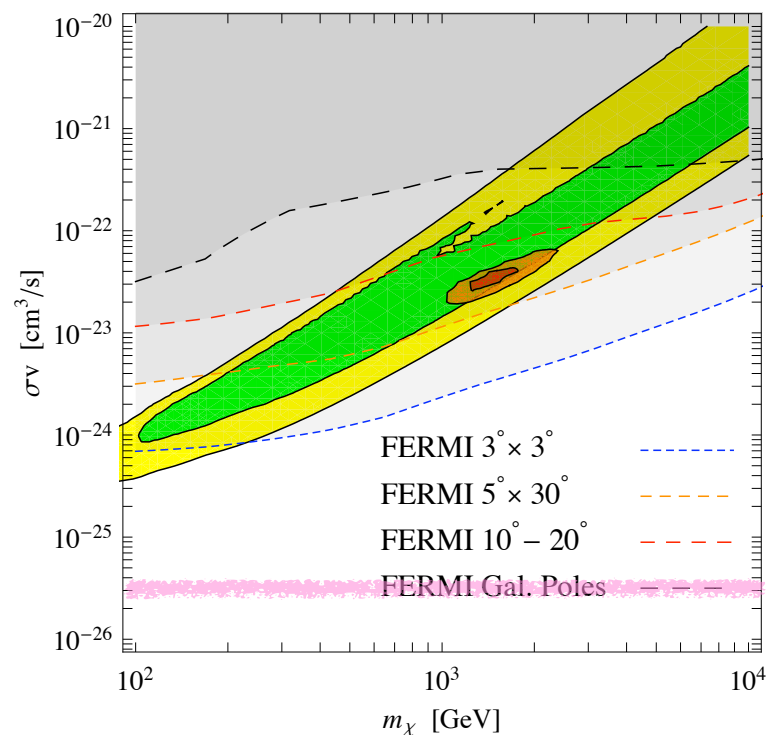
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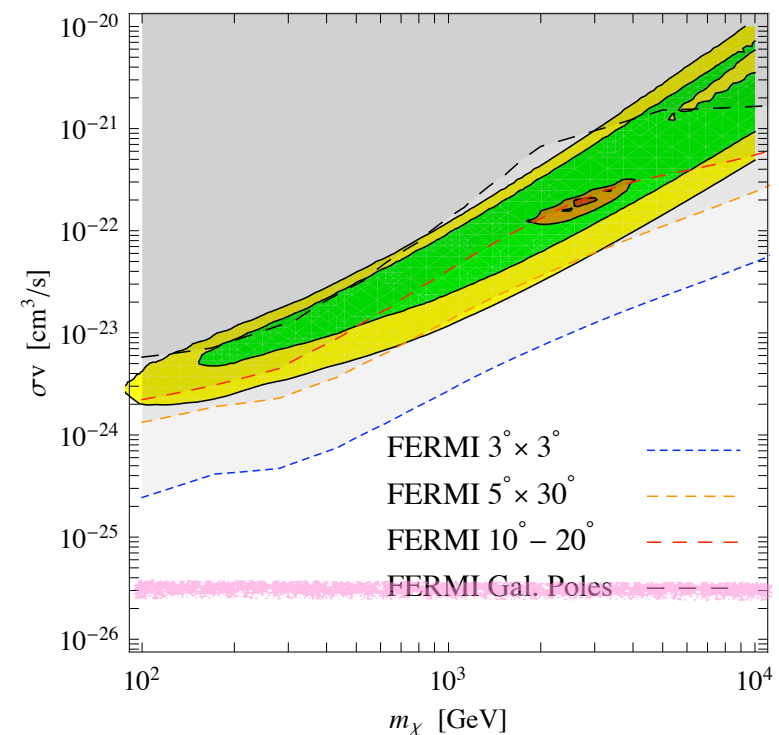
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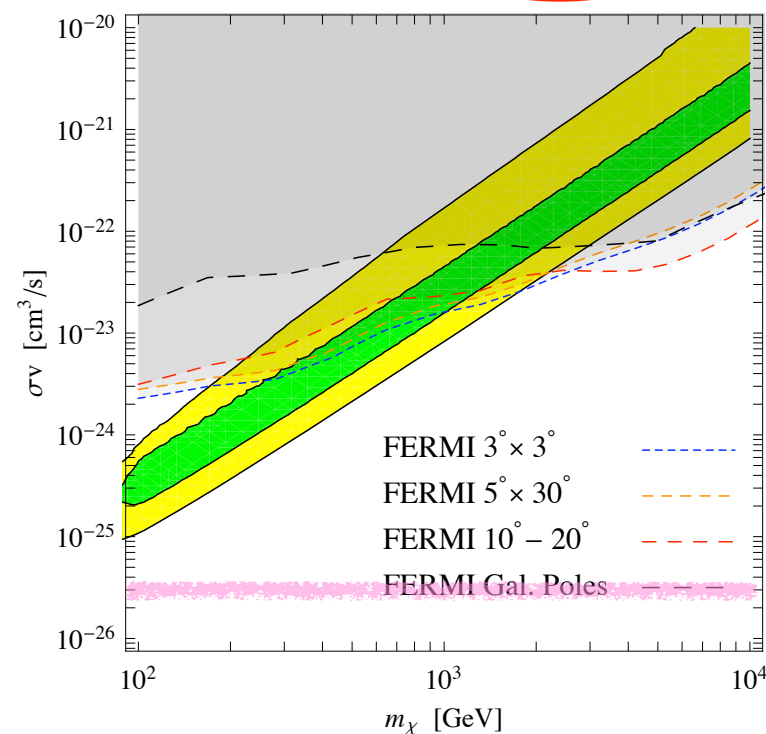
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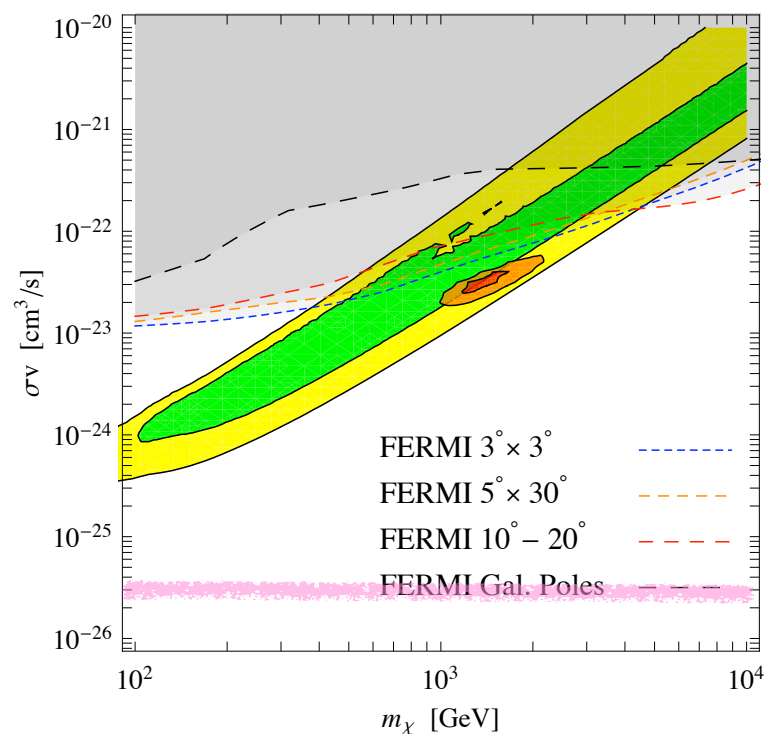
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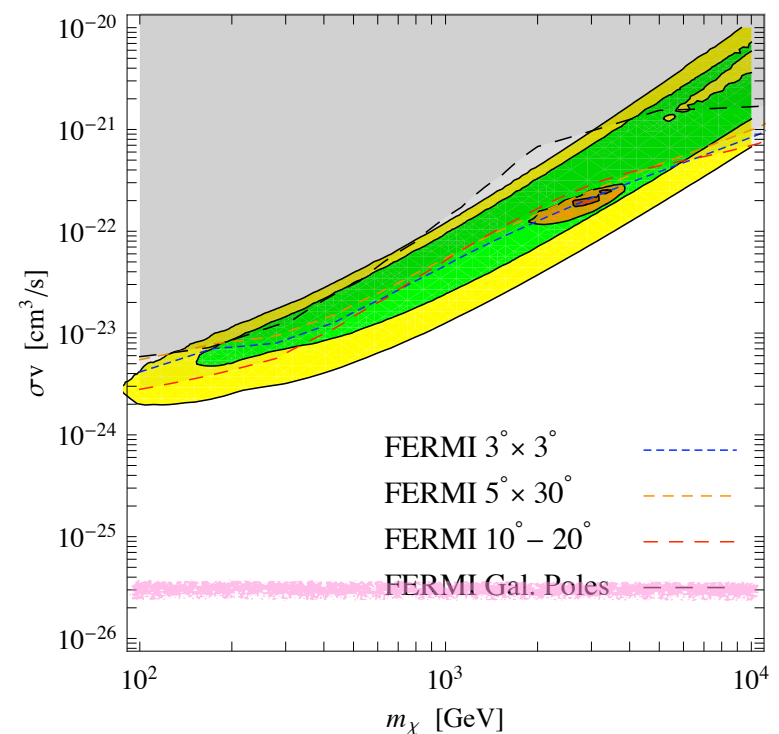
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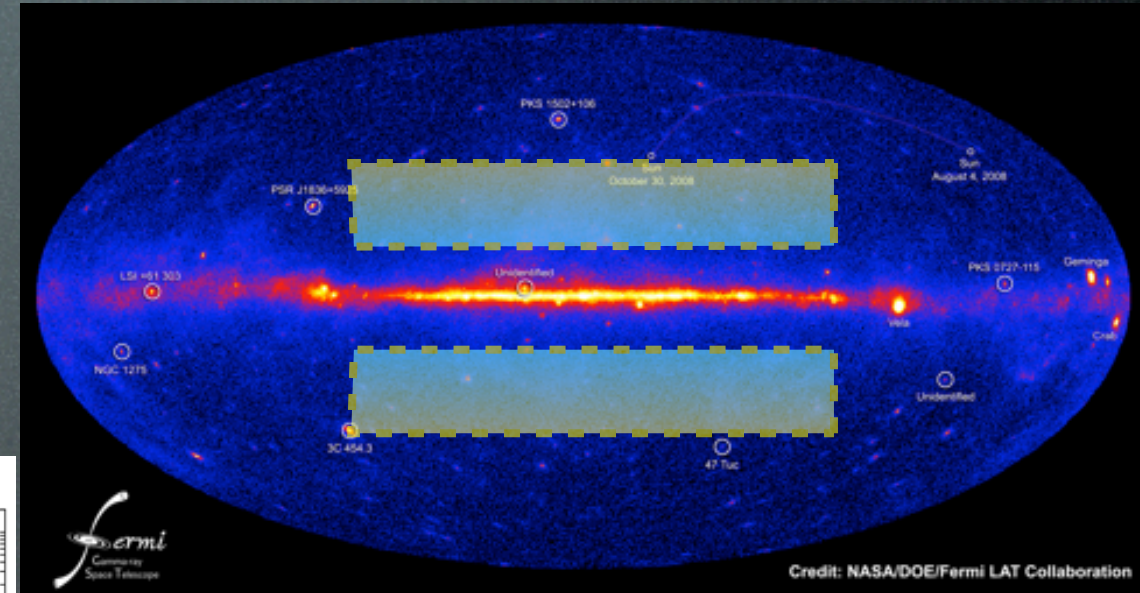
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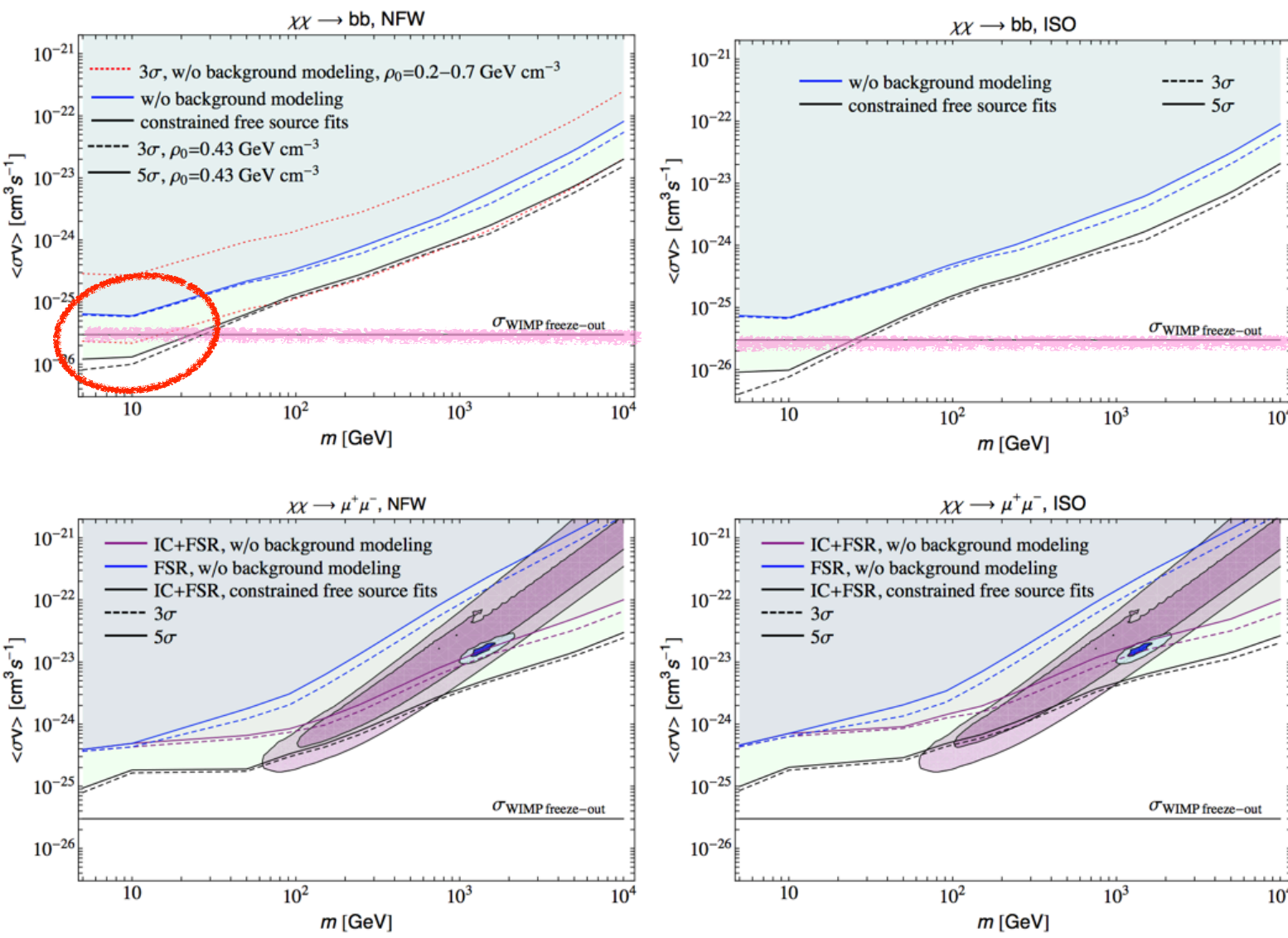
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Updated results from
the **FERMI** coll. itself



$$5^\circ < b < 15^\circ$$

$$-80^\circ < \ell < +80^\circ$$



See also:
Papucci, Strumia,
0912.0742

Theorist's reaction



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1. the 'PAMELA frenzy'

Challenges for the 'conventional' DM candidates

Needs:

SuSy DM

KK DM

- TeV or multi-TeV masses

difficult

ok

- no hadronic channels

difficult

difficult

- very large flux

no

ok

for any Majorana DM,
s-wave annihilation cross section

$$\sigma_{\text{ann}}(\text{DM DM} \rightarrow f \bar{f}) \propto \left(\frac{m_f}{M_{\text{DM}}} \right)^2$$

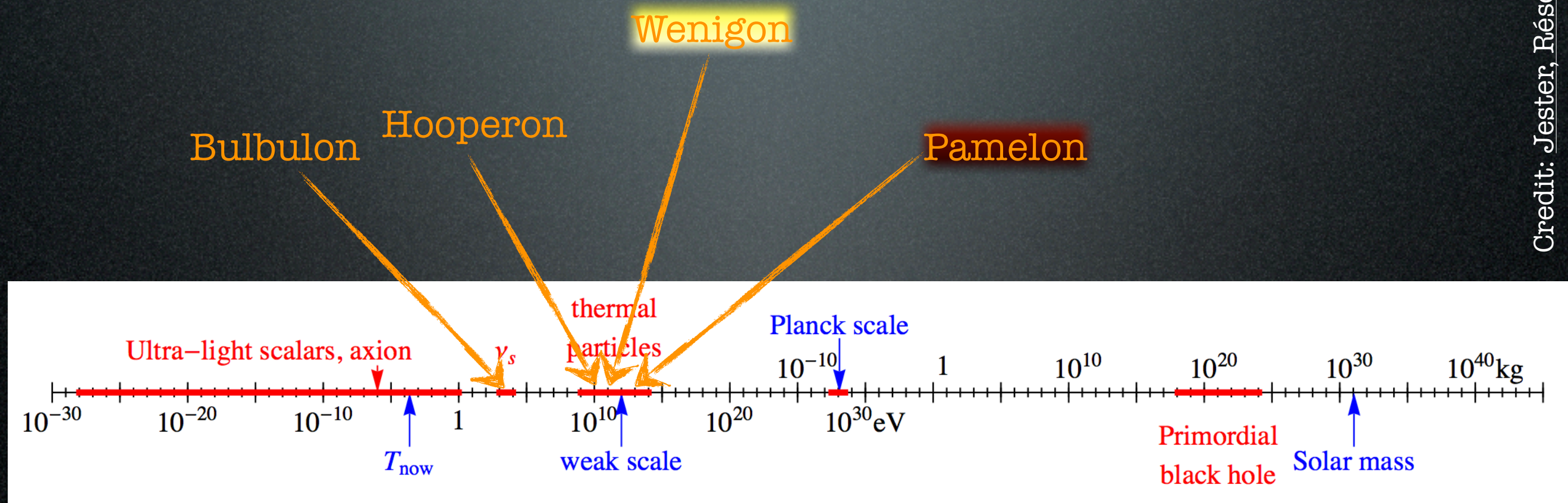
Gamma rays



2. the '130 GeV line'

DM Candidates

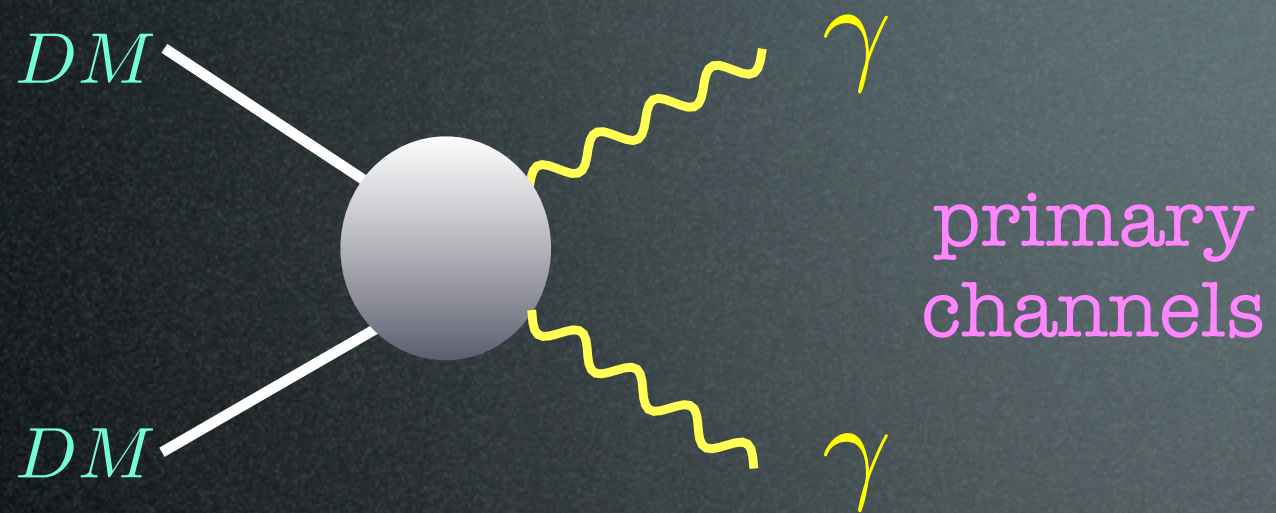
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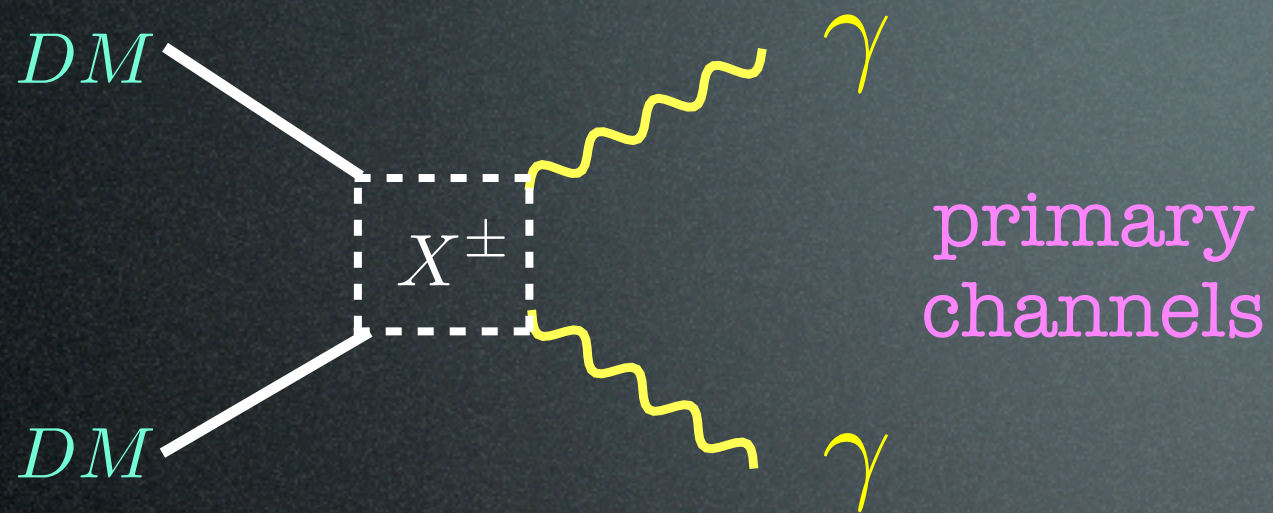
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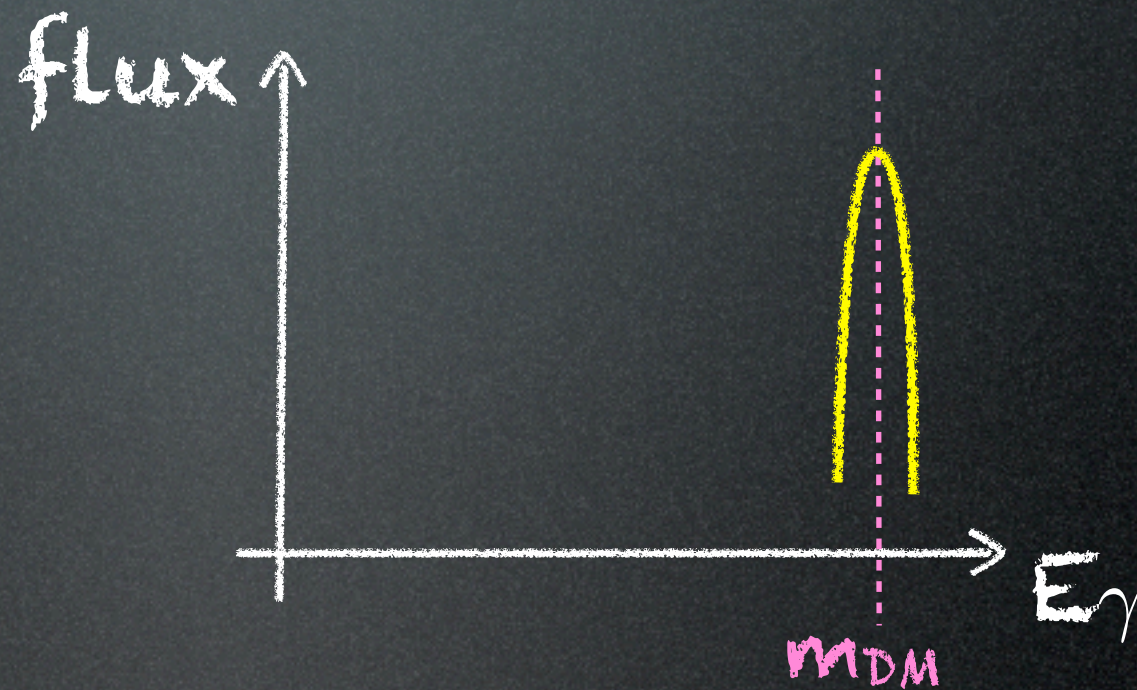
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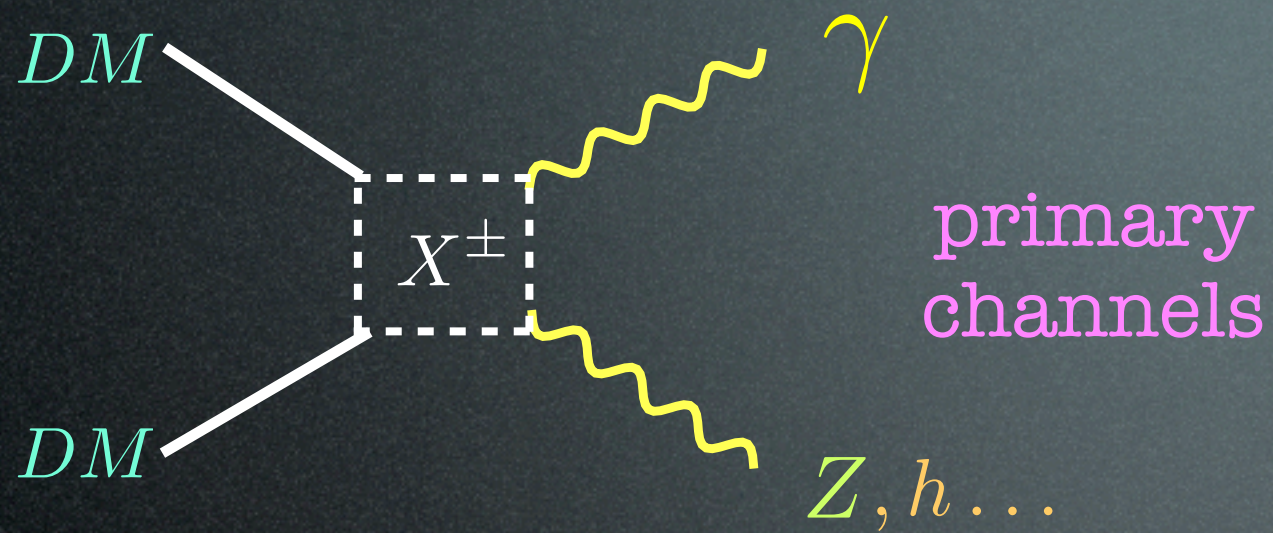
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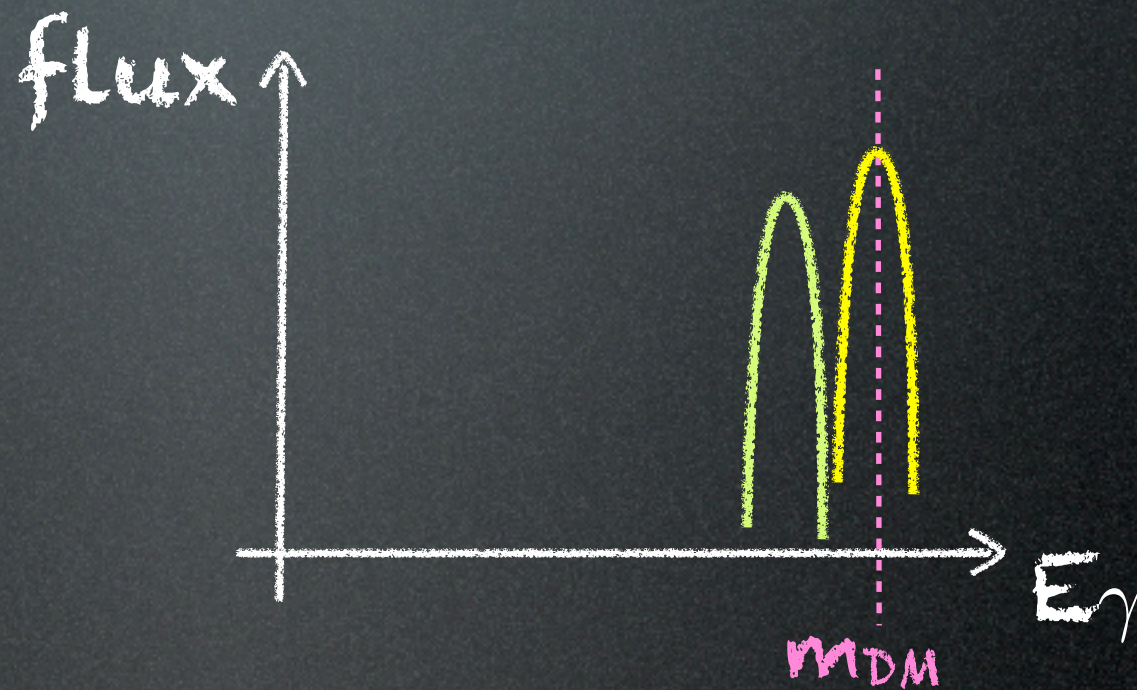


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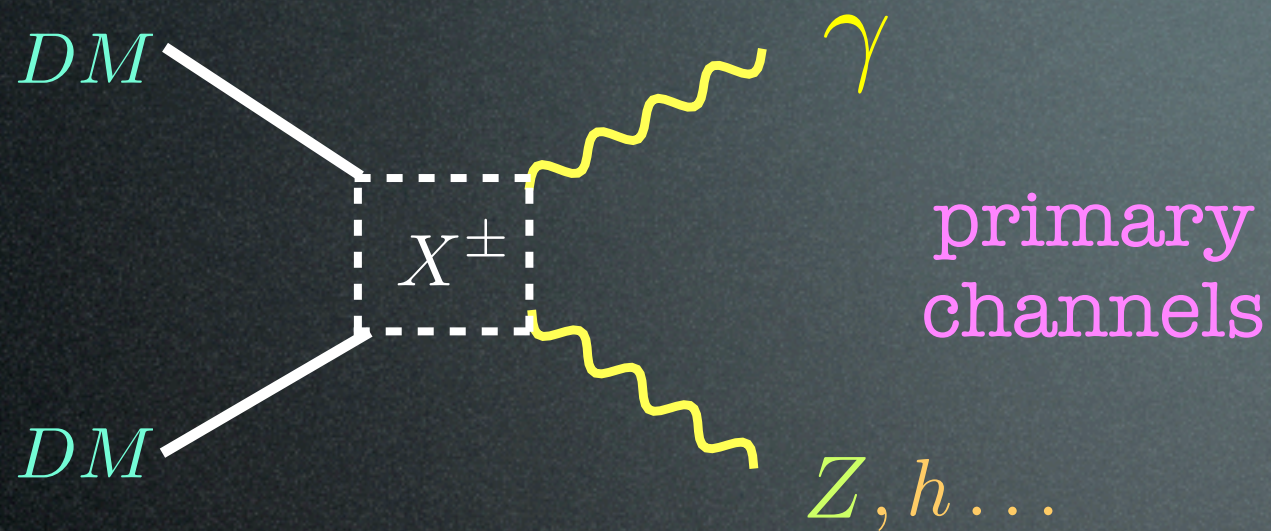


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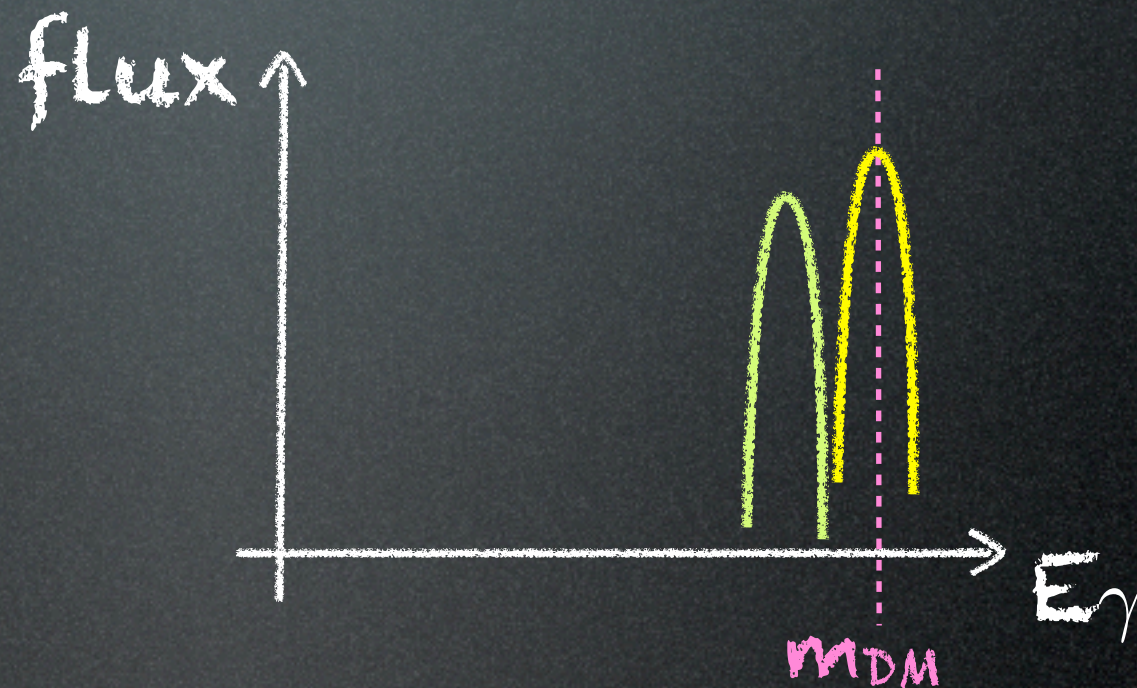


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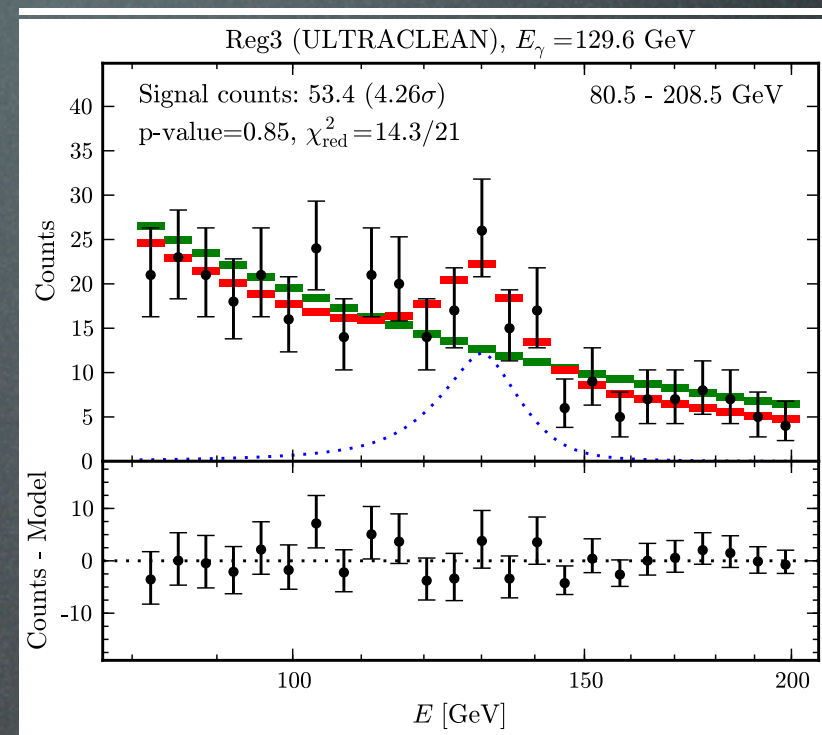
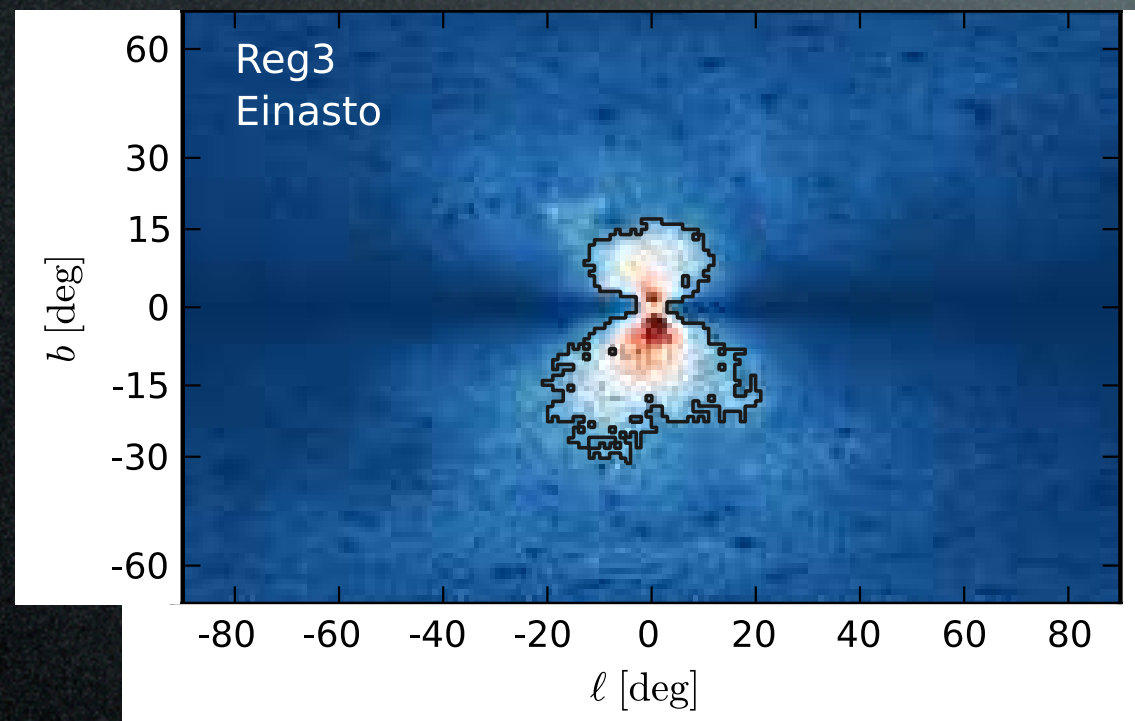


So what are the particle physics parameters?

1. Dark Matter **mass**
2. **annihilation** cross section σ_{ann}

Fermi 130 GeV line

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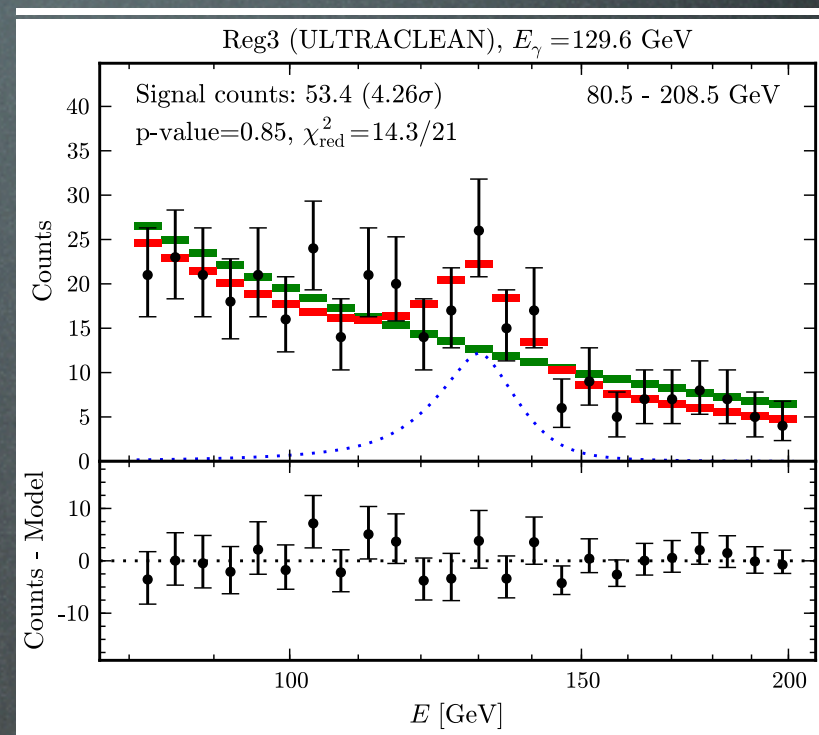
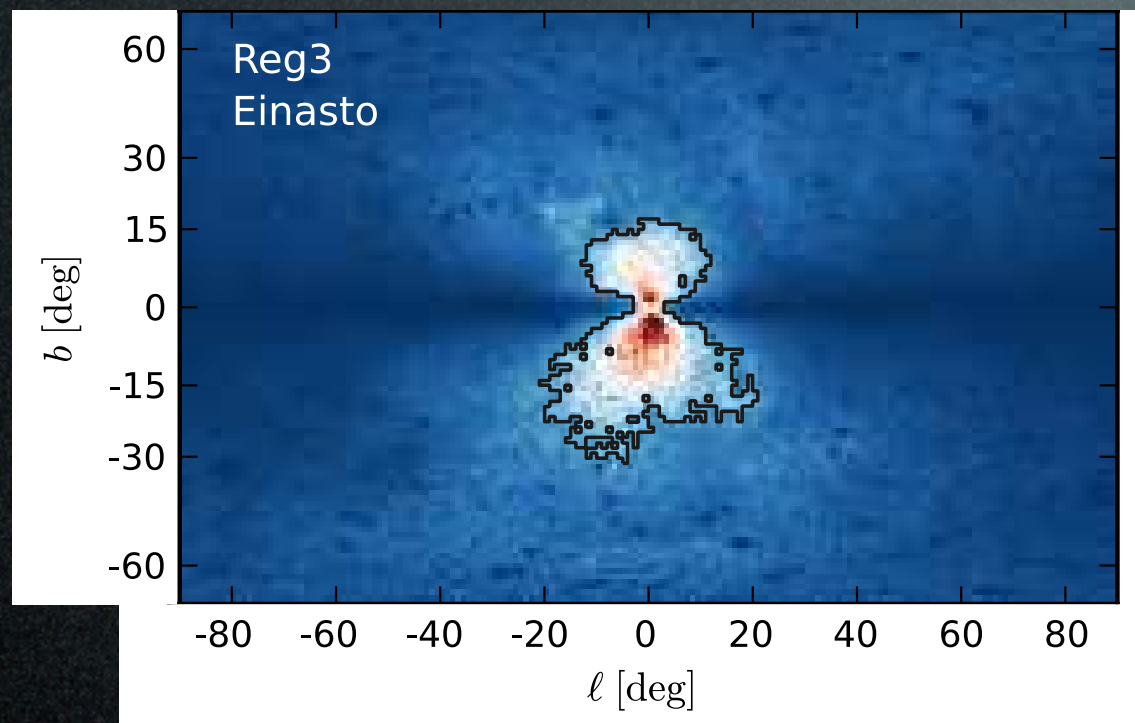
Ch. Weniger,
1204.2797

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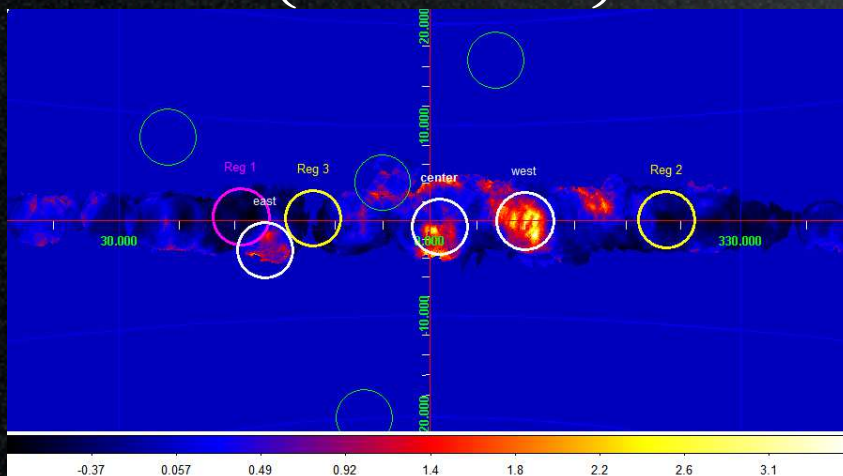
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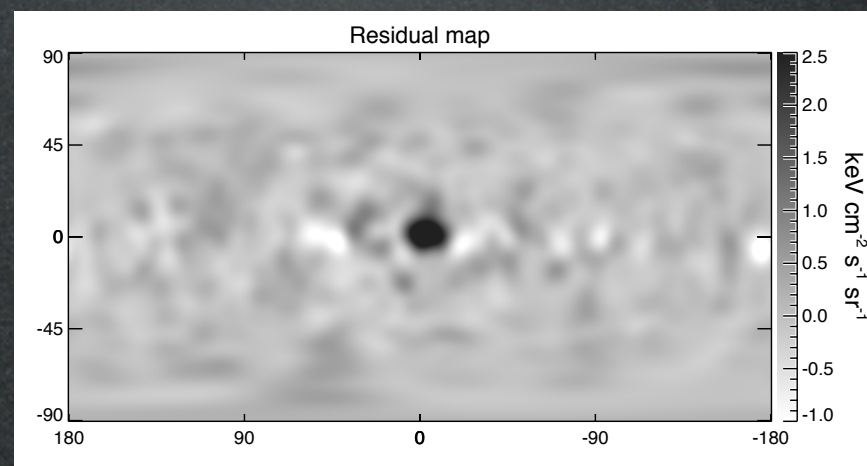
Similar excesses found elsewhere
(fluctuation?)

The excess is only in the GC
(actually, a bit off-set)

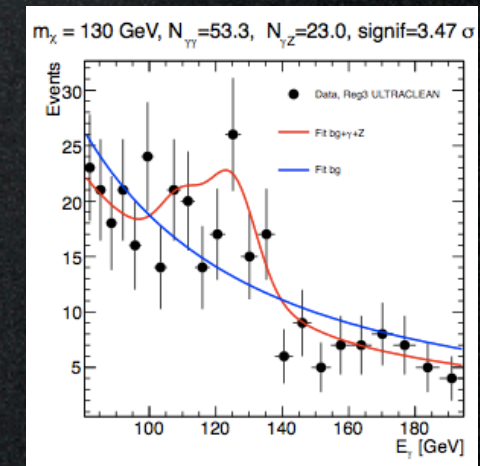
And there might be 2 lines:
111 GeV, 129 GeV



Boyarsky, Malyshev,
Ruchayskiy, 1205.4700



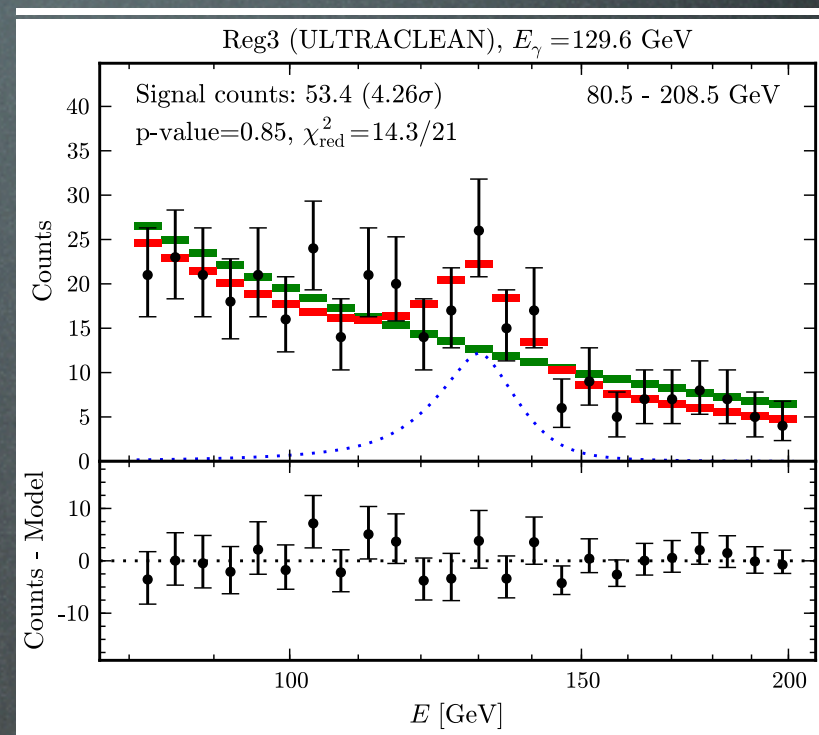
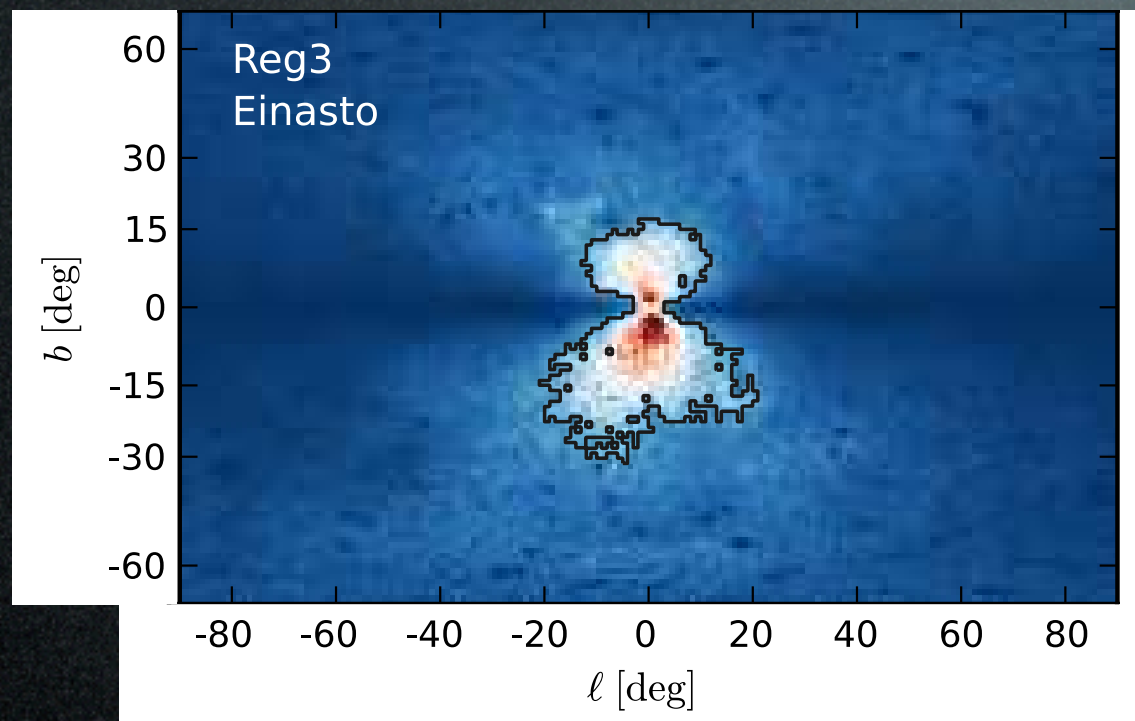
Su, Finkbeiner, 1206.1616



Rajaraman, Tait, Whiteson
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Fermi 130 GeV line

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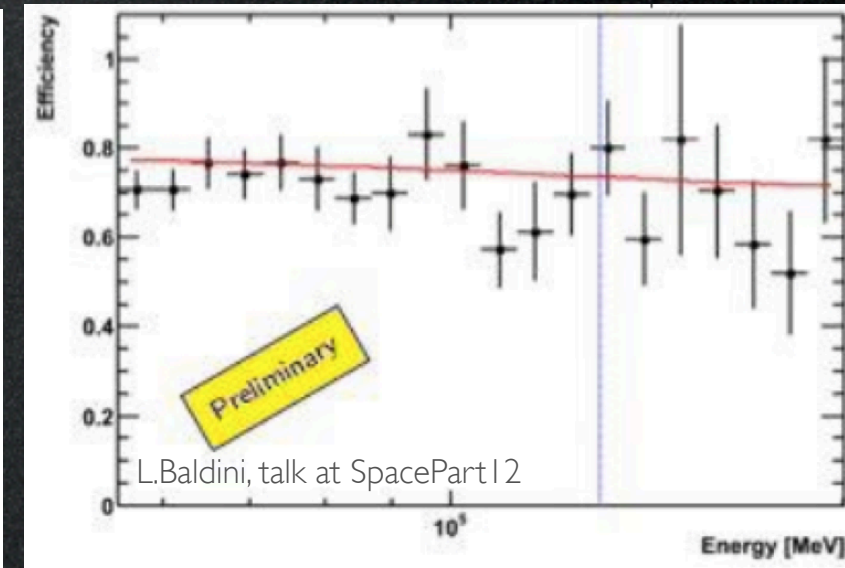
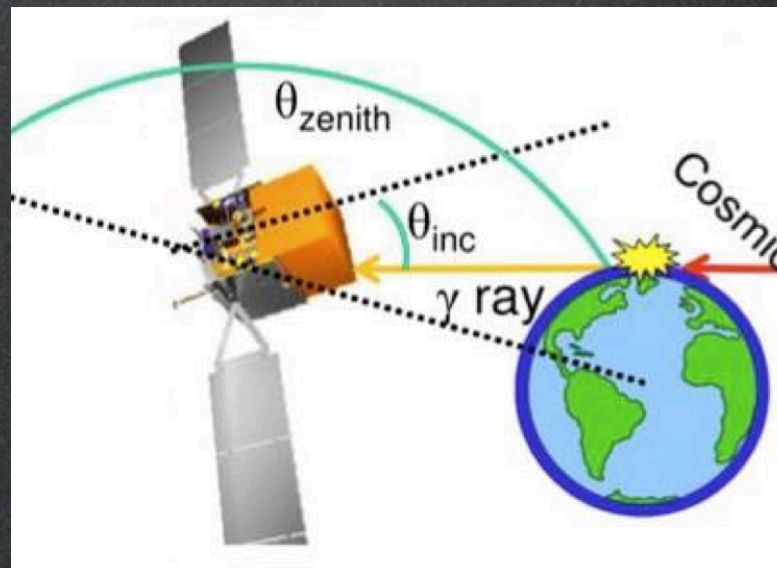
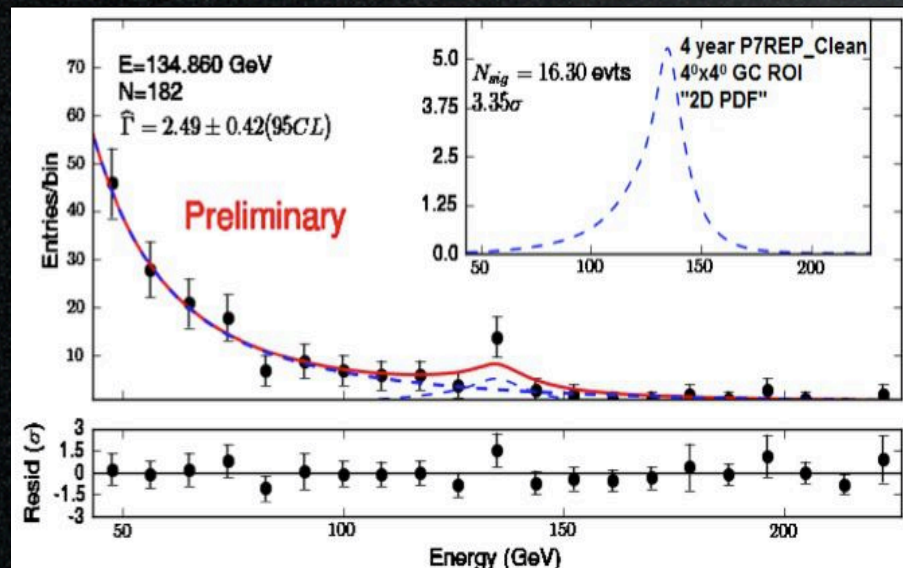


Ch. Weniger,
1204.2797

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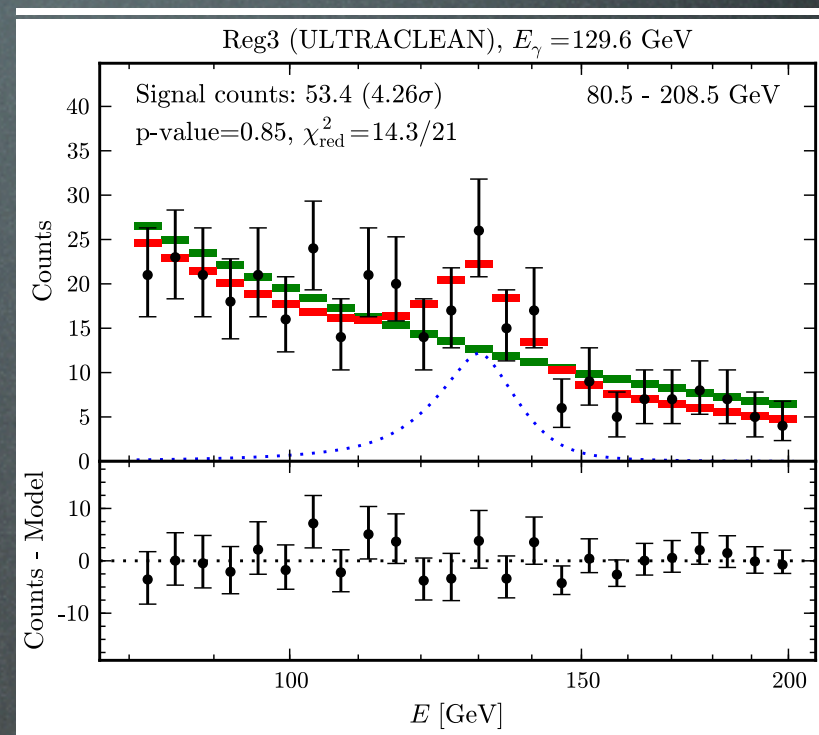
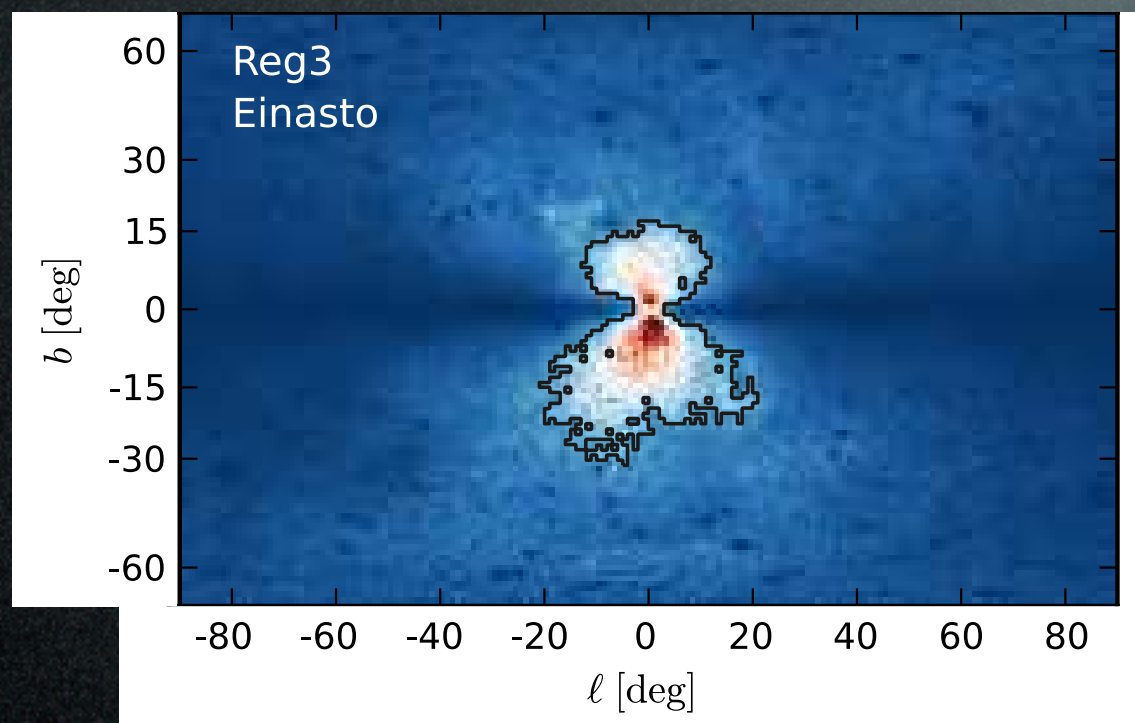
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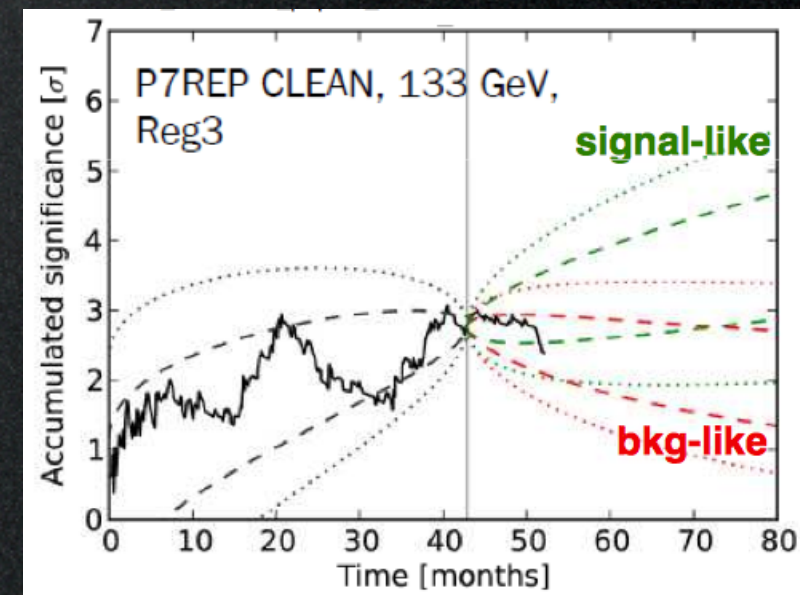
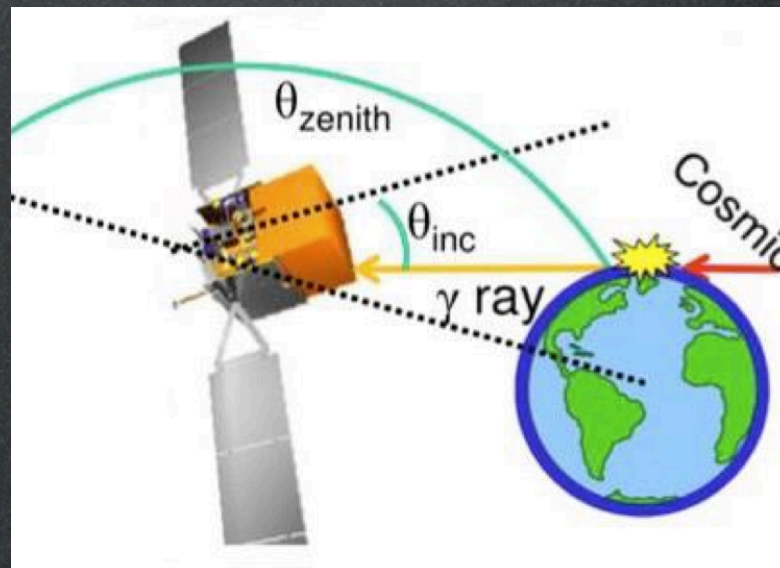
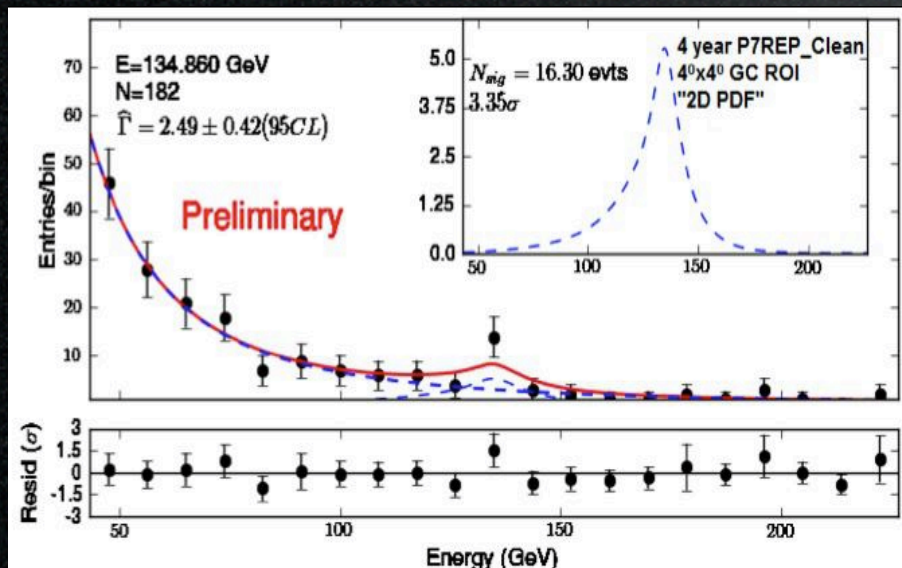


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Theorist's reaction



2. the '130 GeV line' frenzy

It's 'easy' to make a line:
any 2-body final state
with at least one γ . But:

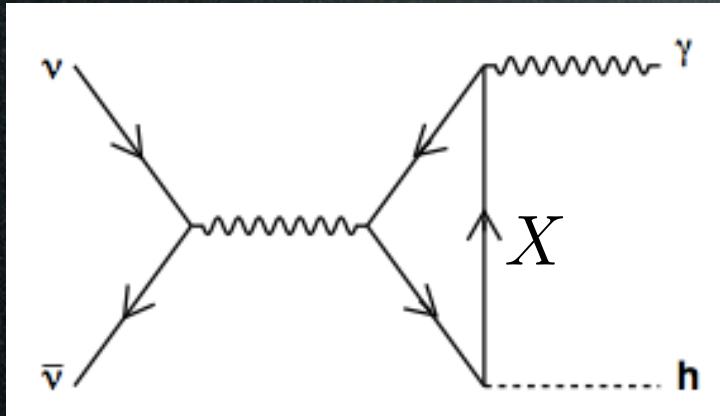
Challenges

DM is neutral: need 'something' to couple to γ

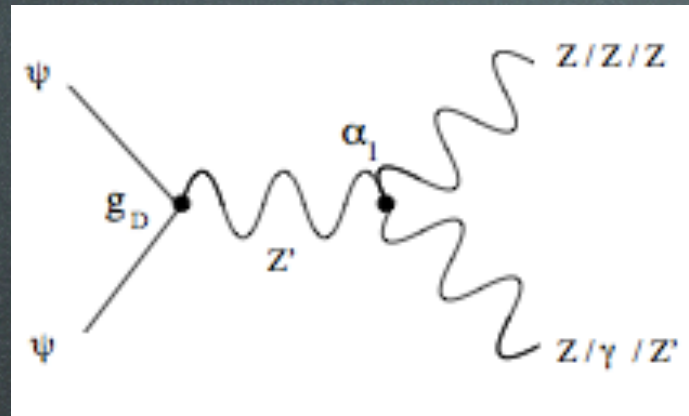
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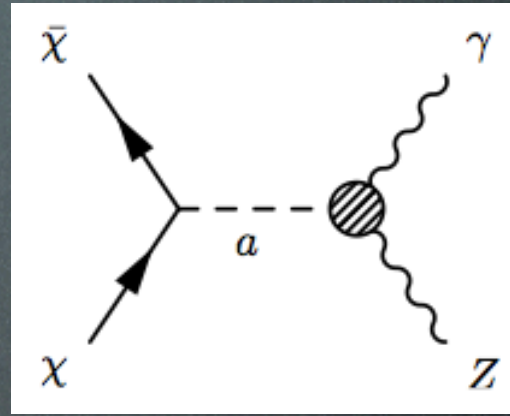
a loop



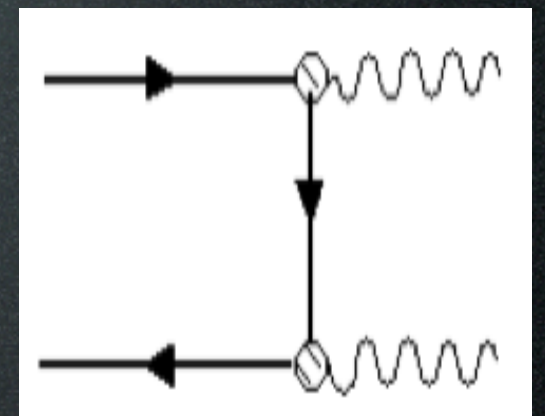
Chern-Simons



axions



magn dipole



...

Dudas et al., 1205.1520

Lee & Park² 1205.4675

Heo, Kim 1207.1341

$X \in$ SM
MSSM
dark sector...

‘Higgs in space!’ 0912.0004
Kysae, Park 1205.4151
Cline 1205.2688

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Buchmüller, Garny 1206.7056
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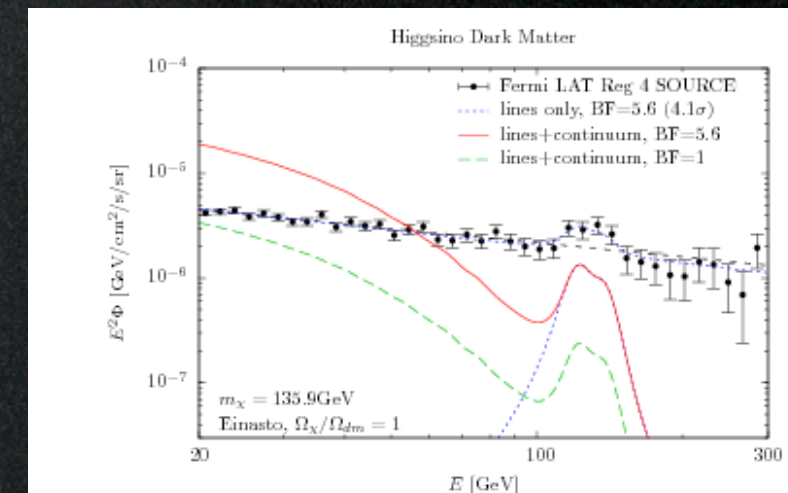
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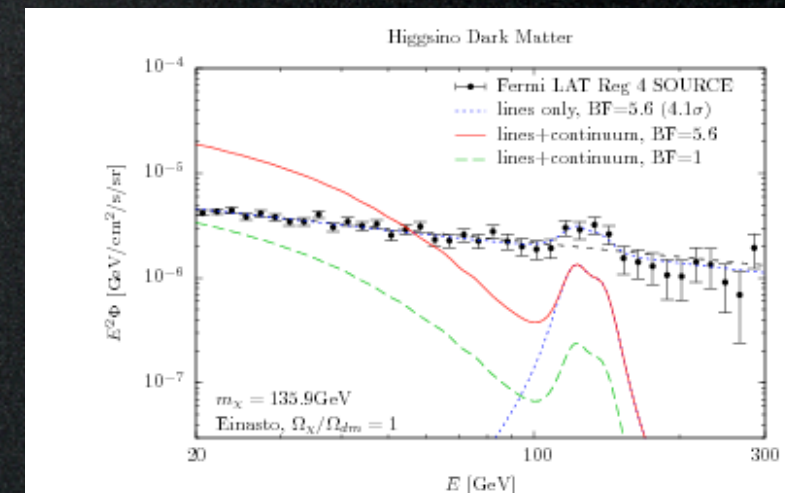


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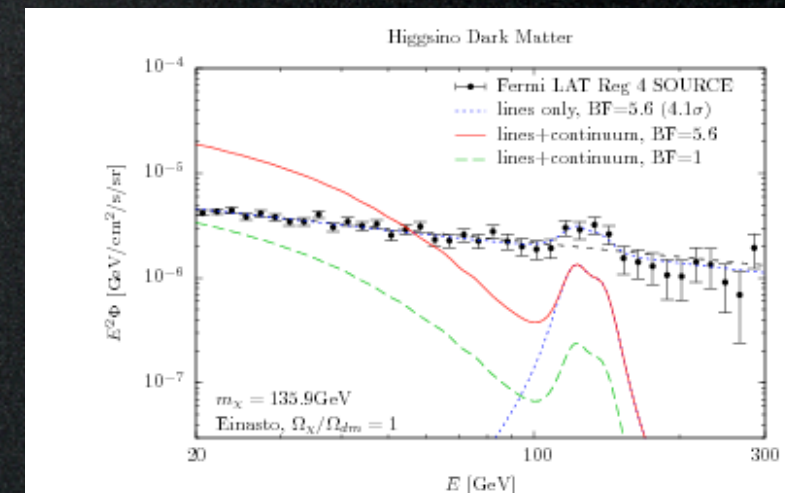


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In summary:

- kinematically forbidden channel
- different diagrams
- s -wave vs p -wave
- coannihilations and splitting
- DM production is decoupled from annihilations
- ...

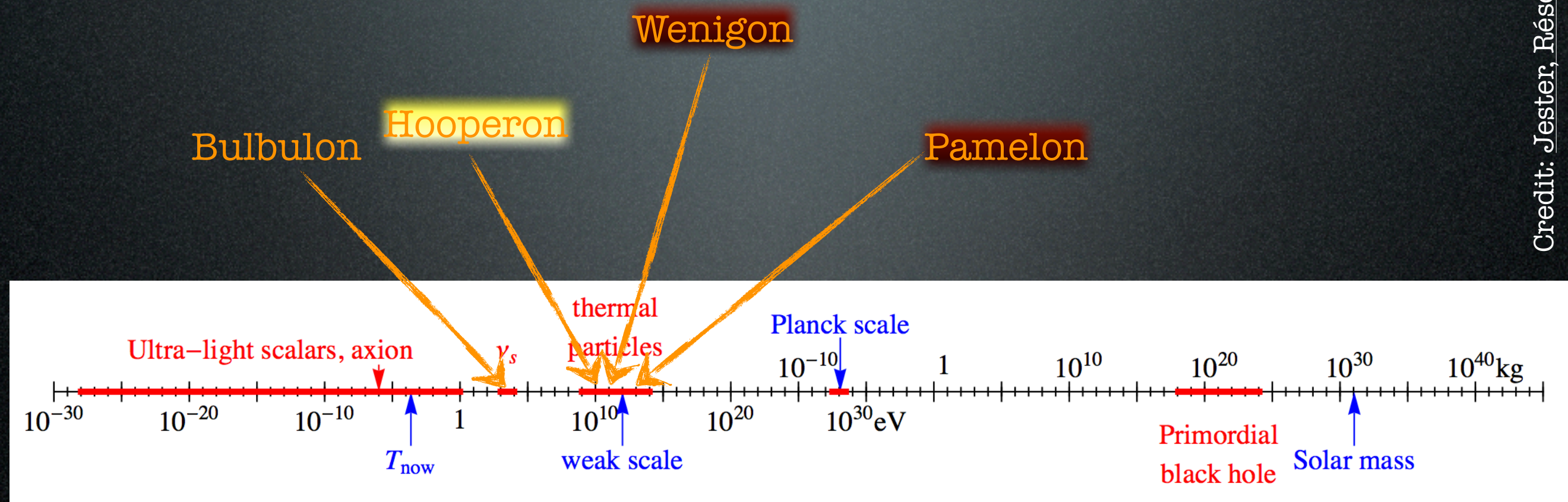
Gamma rays



3. the 'Hooperon'

DM Candidates

A matter of perspective: plausible mass ranges



Credit: Jester, Résonances

‘only’ 90 orders of magnitude!

GeV gamma excess?

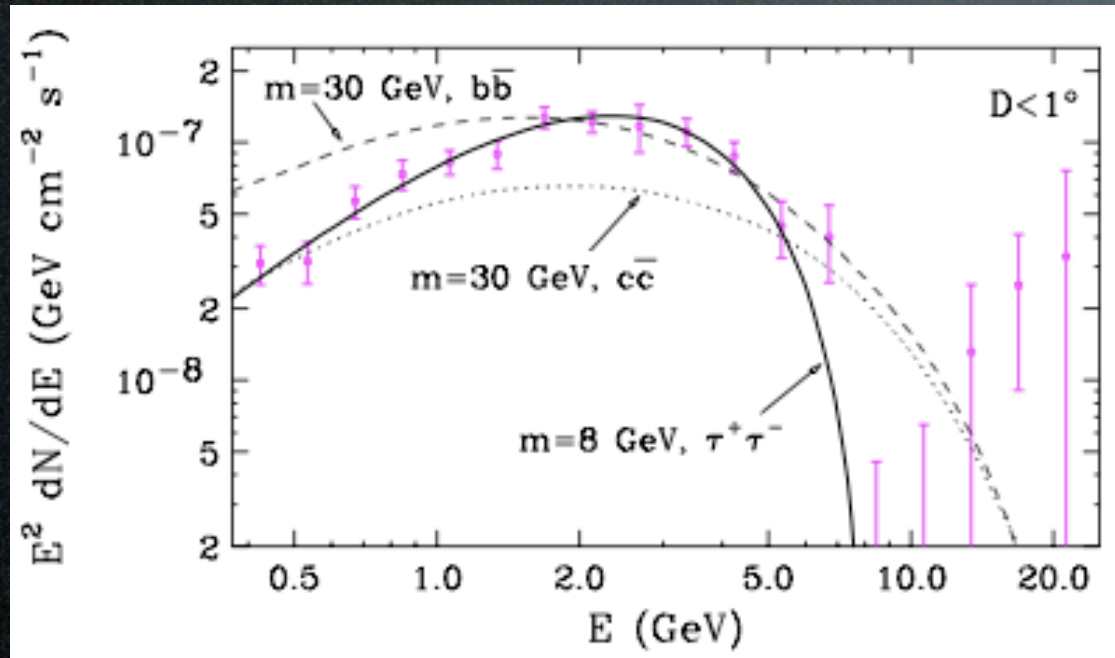
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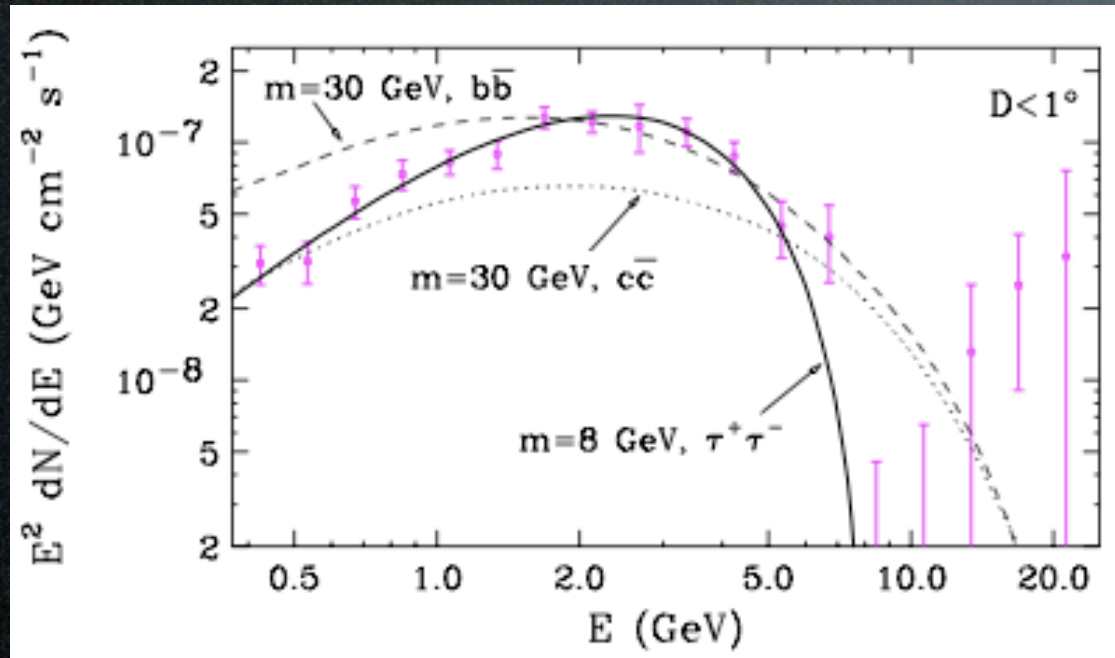
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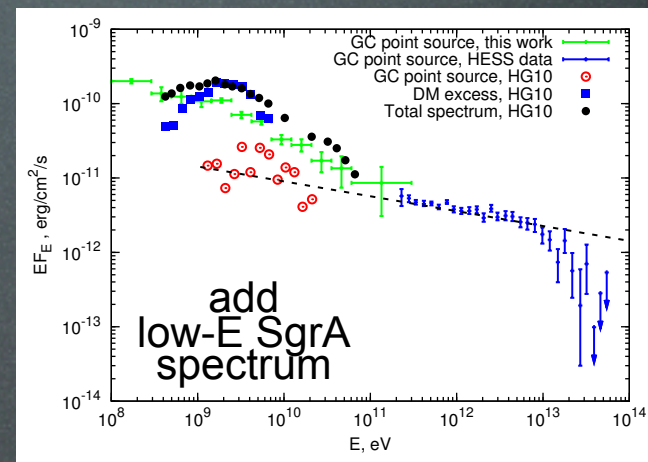
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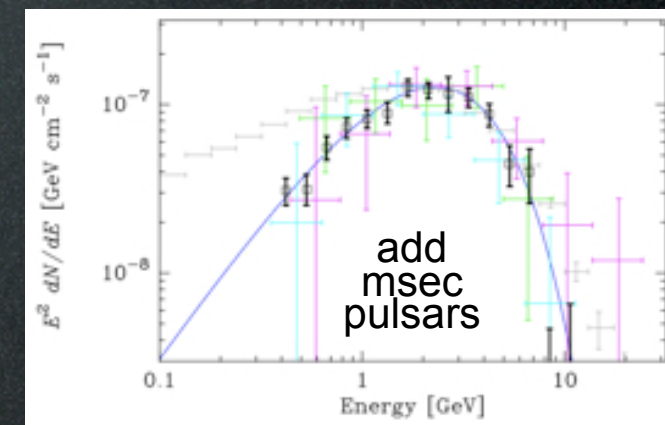


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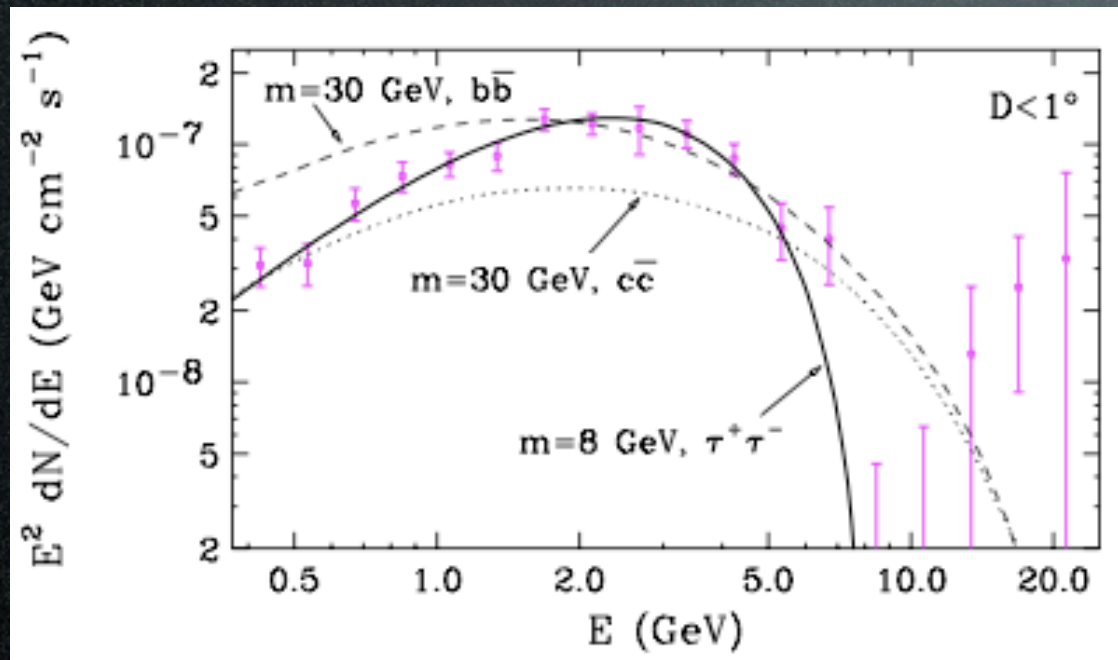
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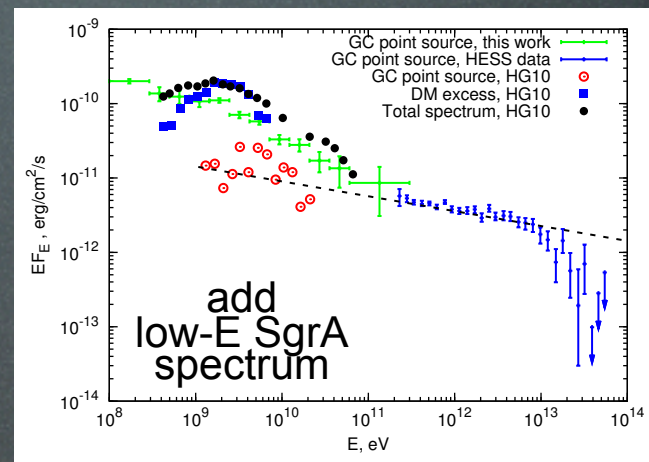
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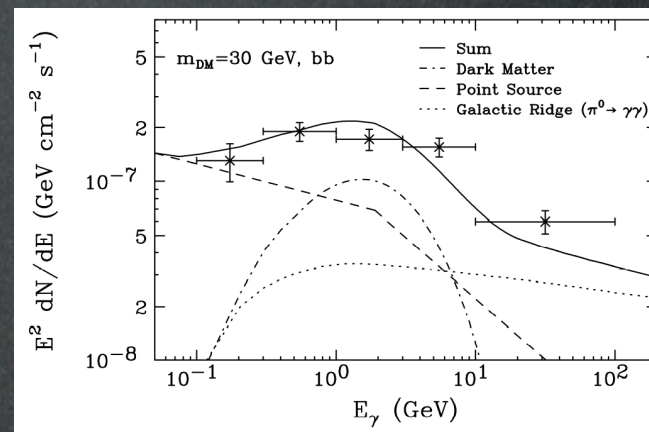
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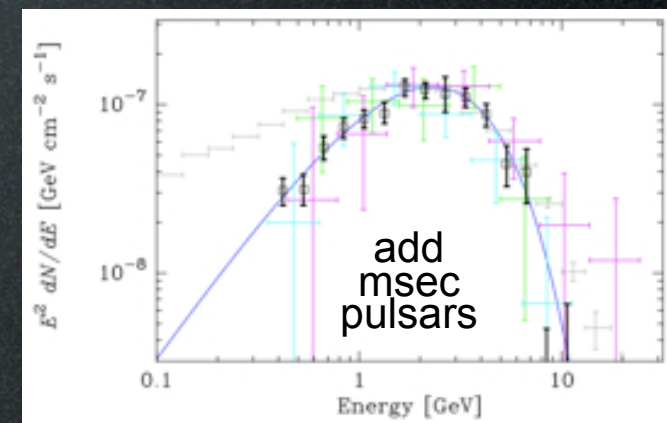


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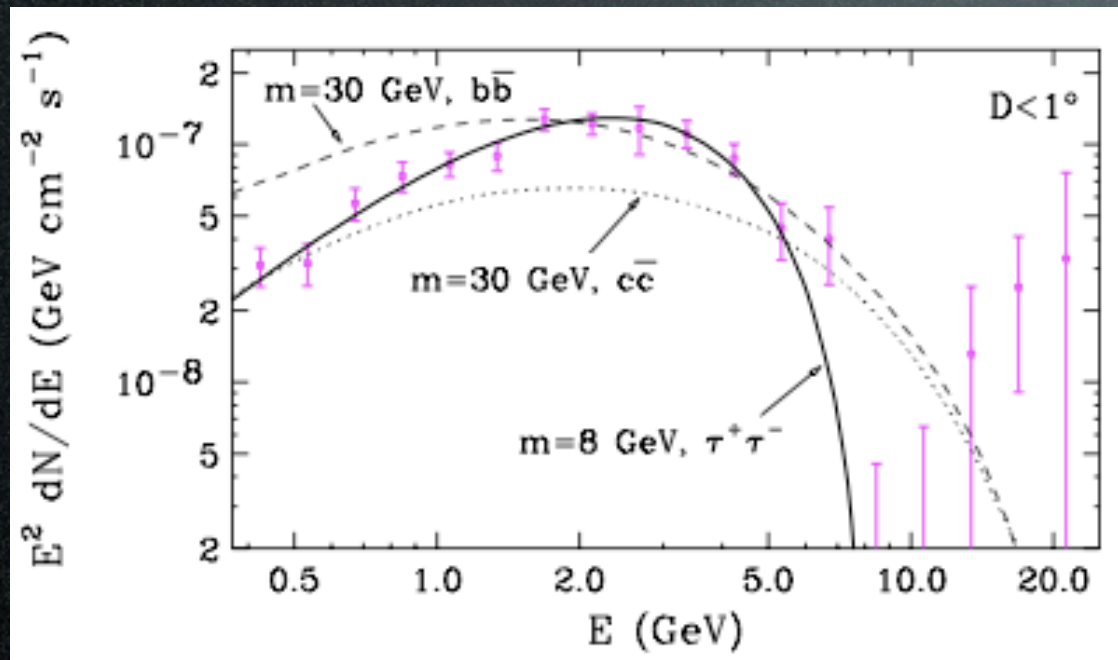
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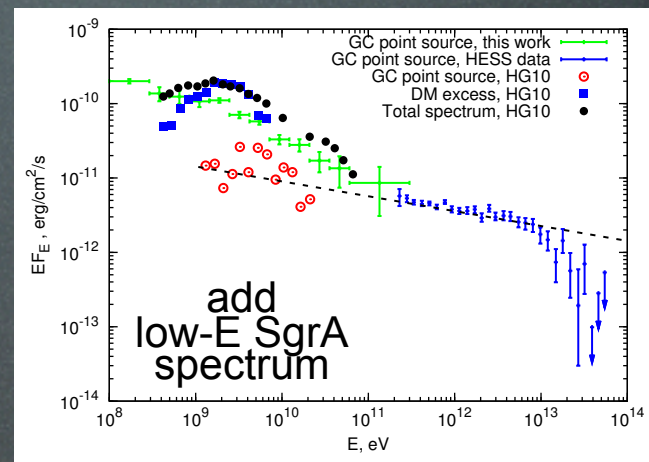
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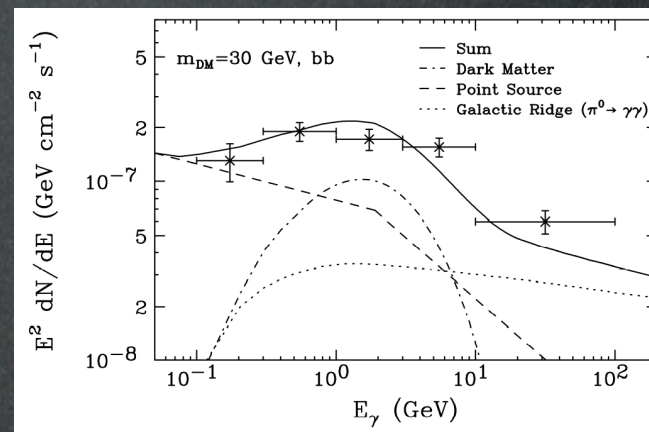
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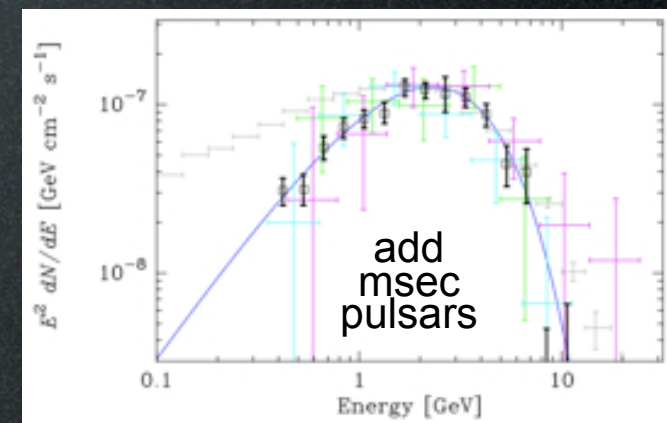


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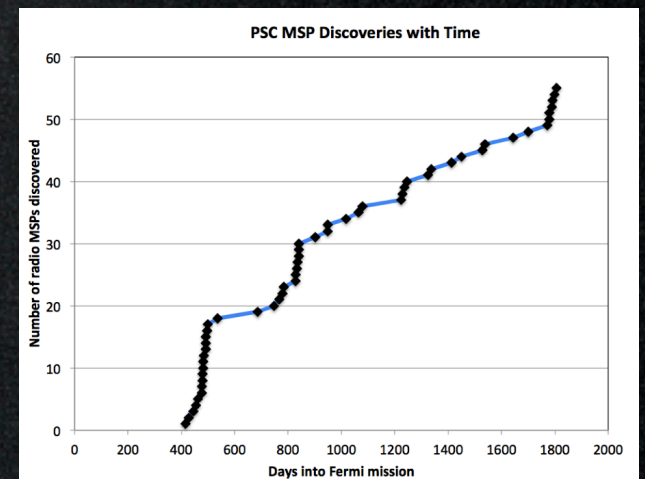


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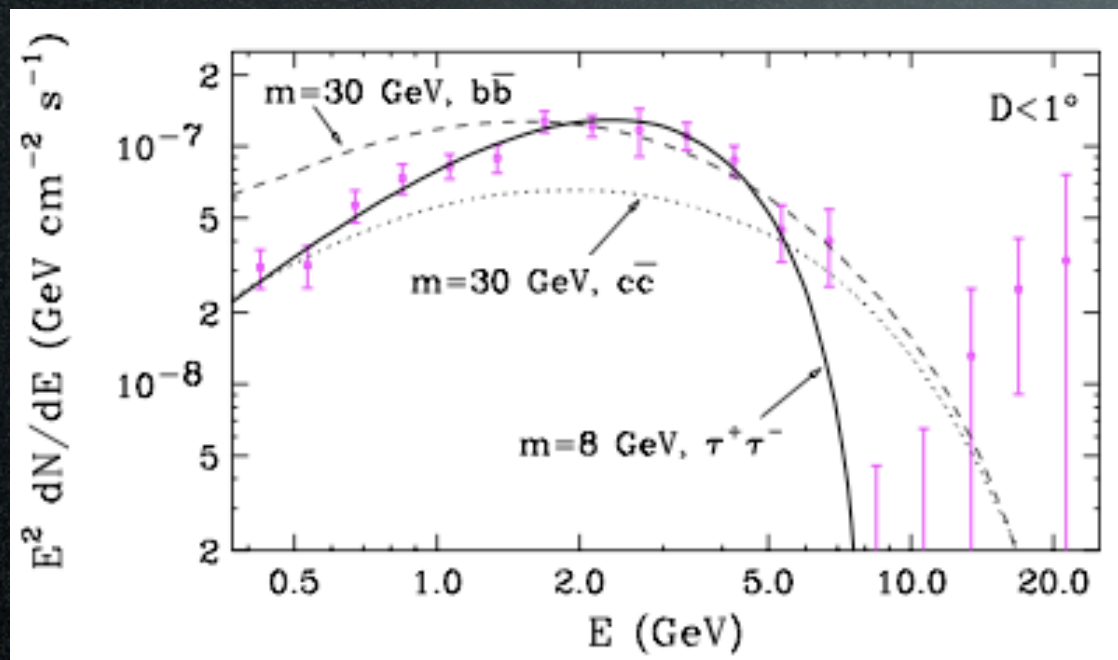
MSPs exist.



Caraveo 1312.2913

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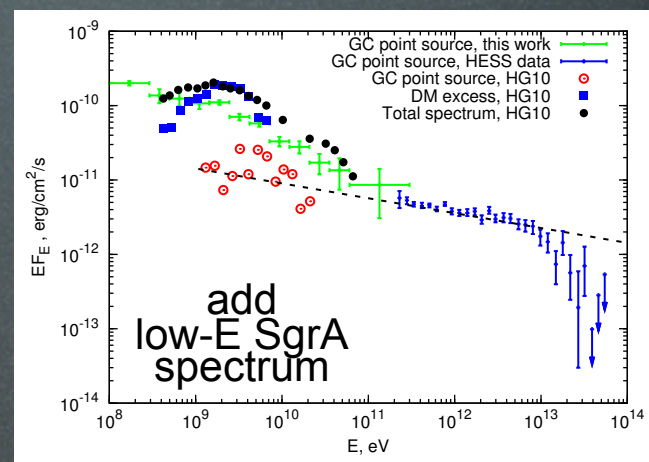
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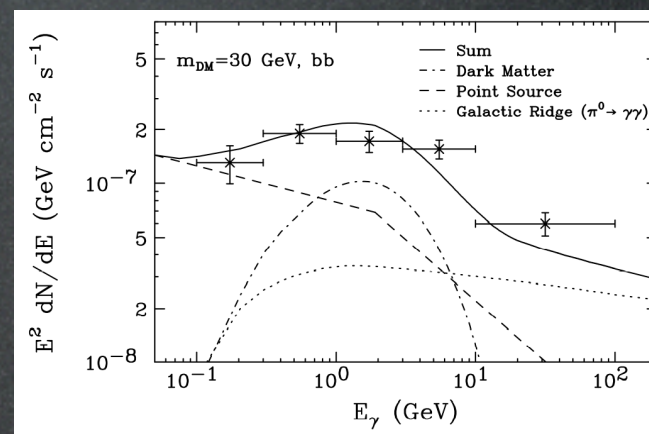
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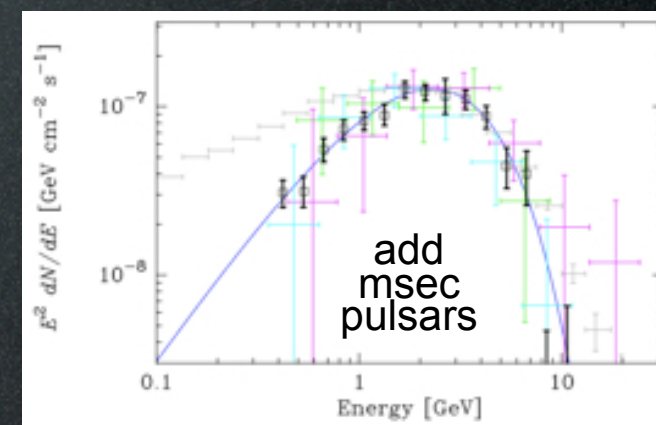


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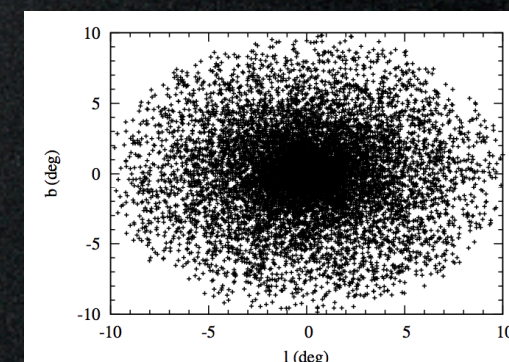


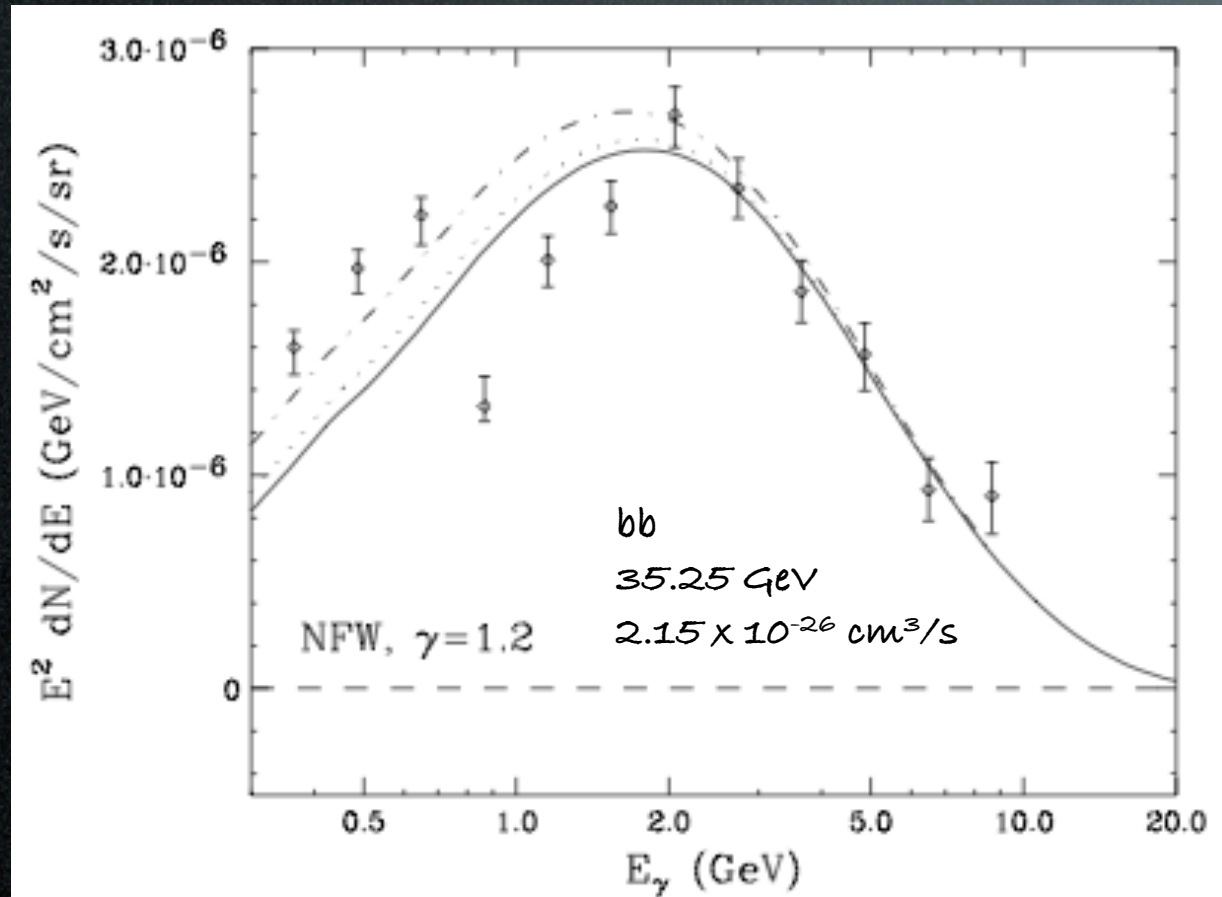
Figure 5: Simulated spatial distribution of the bulge MSPs.

(LMXB (tracers of MSP?)
seen in M31 with this distribution)

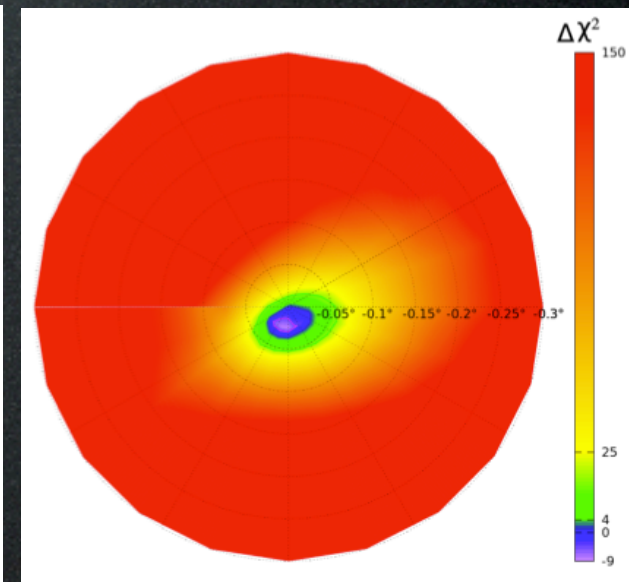
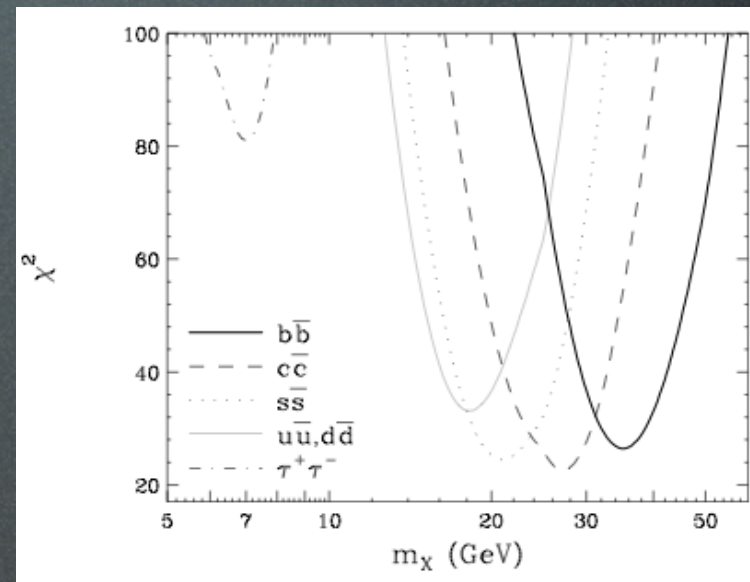
Yuan, Zhang
1404.2318

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Using events with accurate directional reconstruction



A compelling case
for annihilating DM

Daylan, Finkbeiner, Hooper, Linden,
Portillo, Rodd, Slatyer 1402.6703

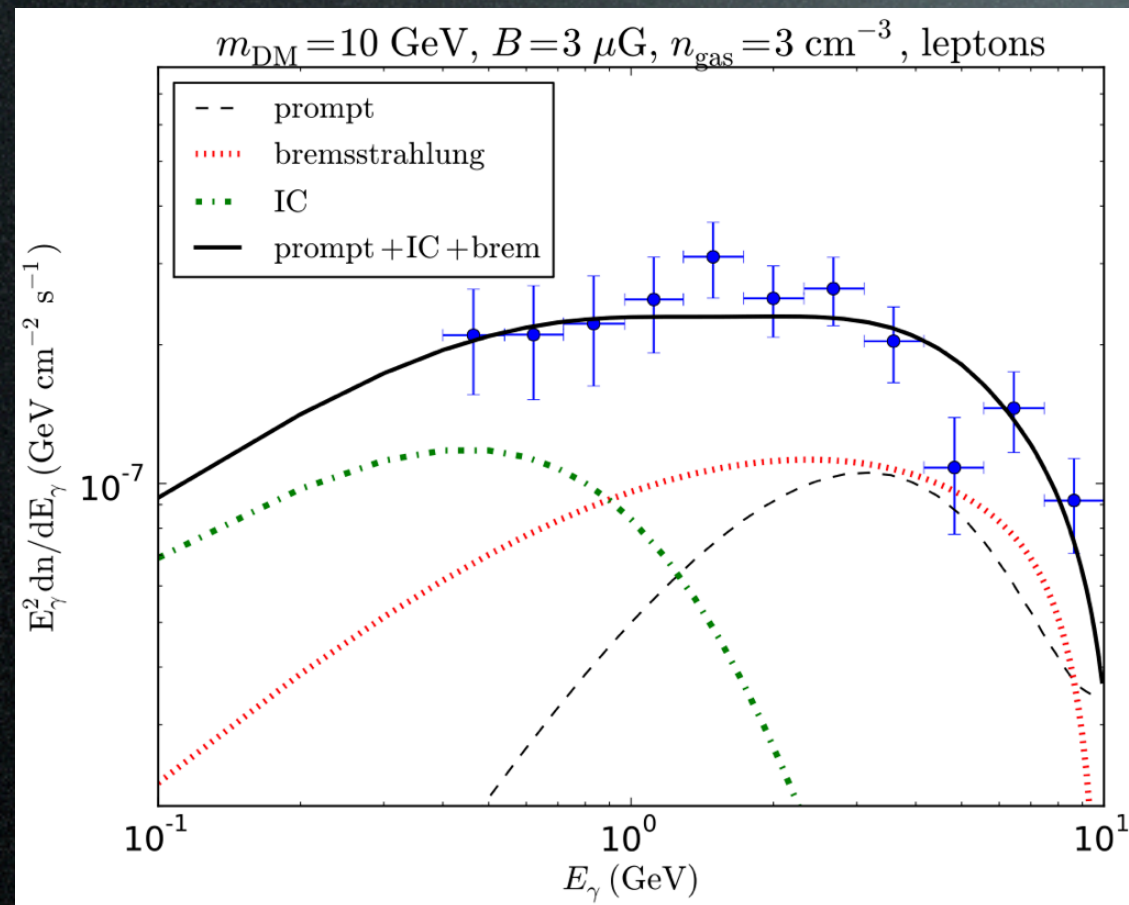
Best fit:

$\sim 35 \text{ GeV}$, quarks, \sim thermal σv

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Lacroix, Boehm, Silk 1403.1987

Including secondary emission changes the conclusions

But: propagation is approximate

Best fit:

$\sim 10 \text{ GeV}$, leptons, \sim thermal σv

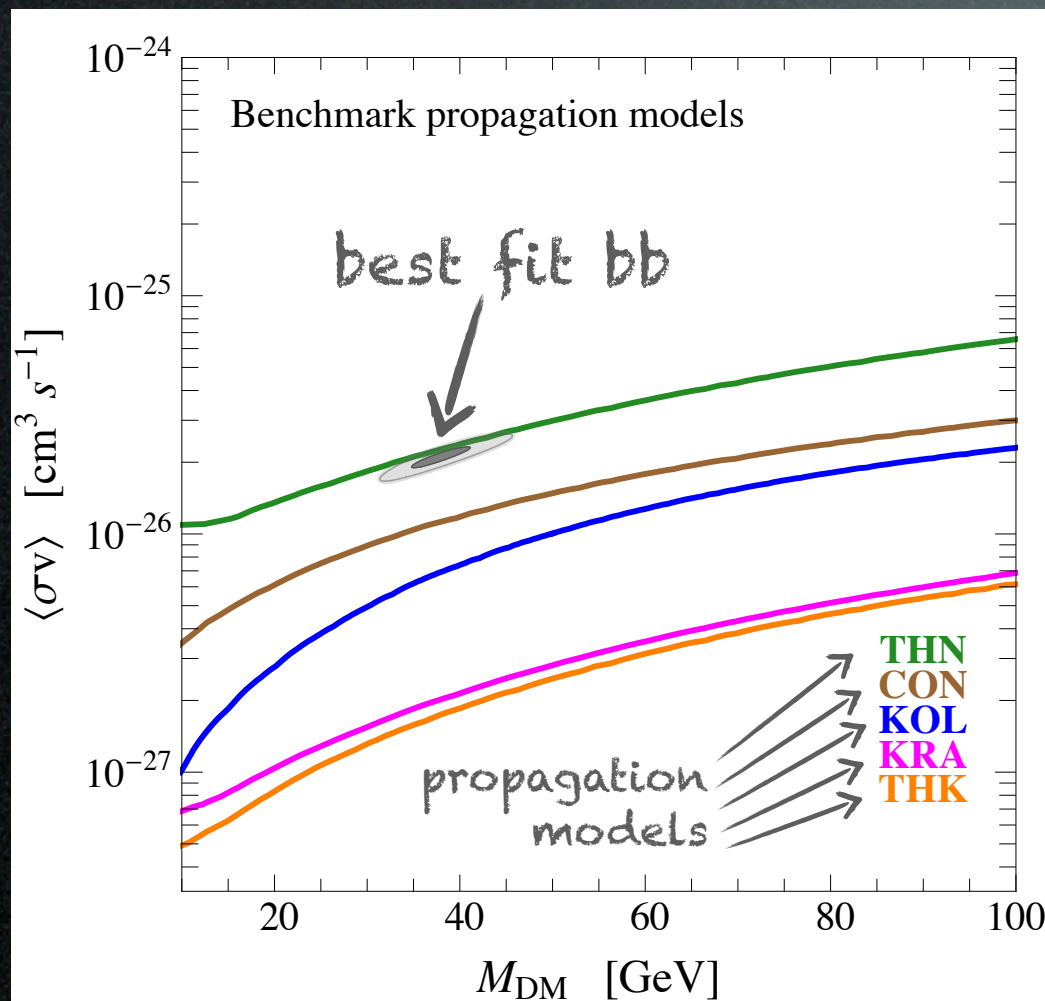
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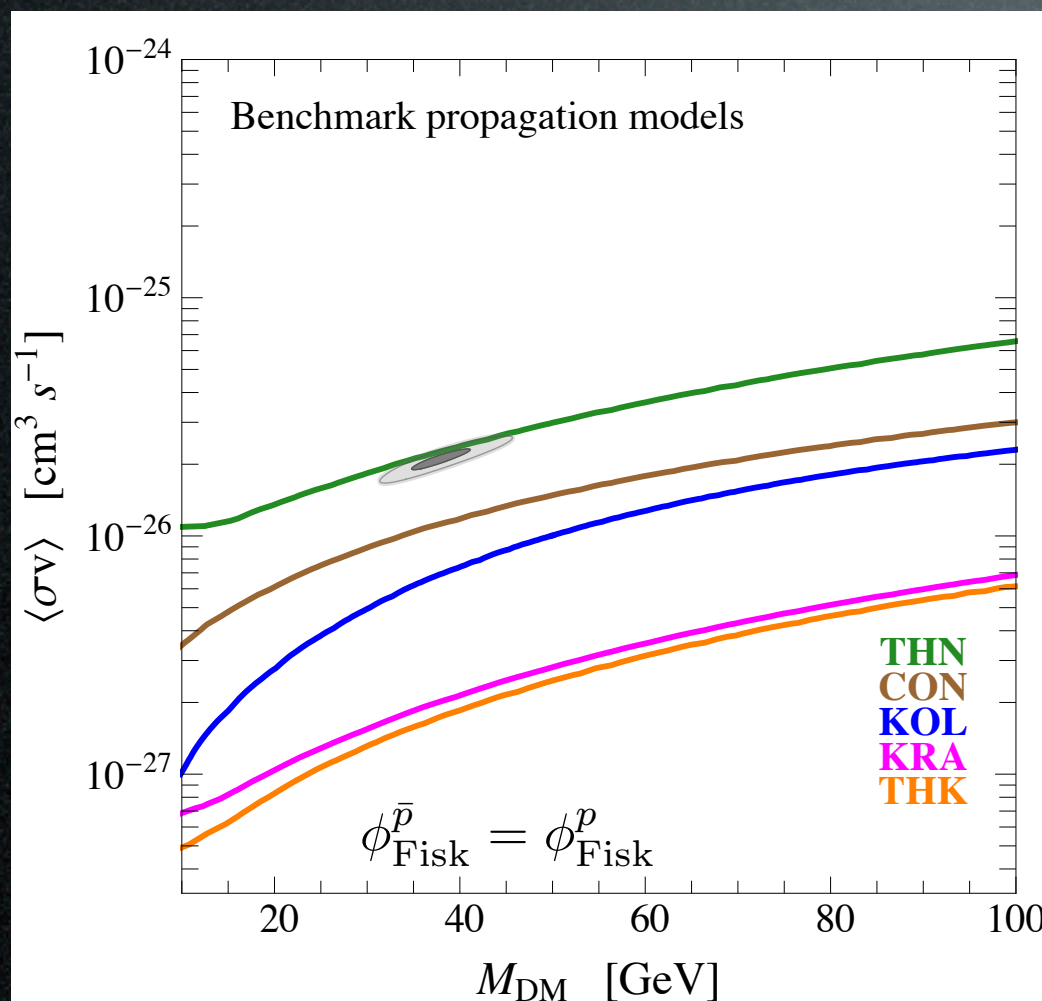


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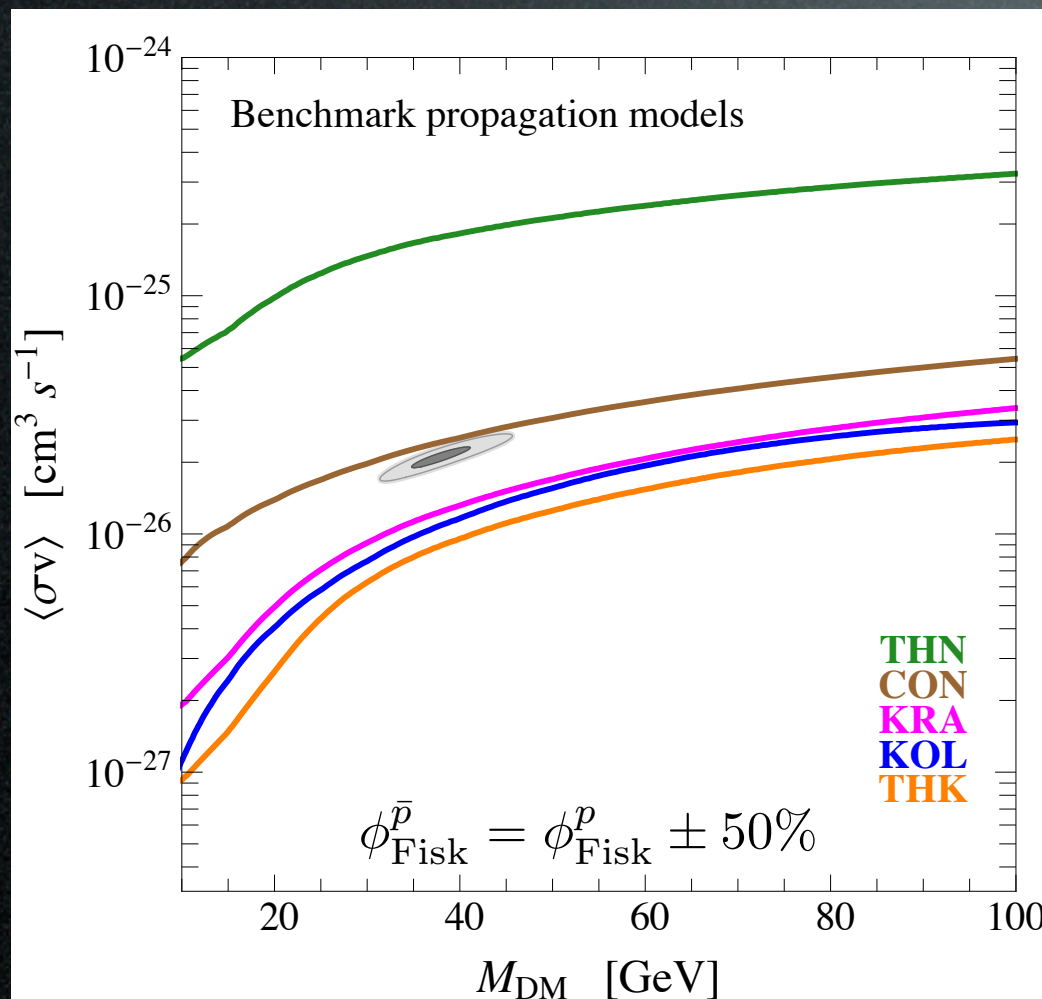
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(except unrealistic THN)

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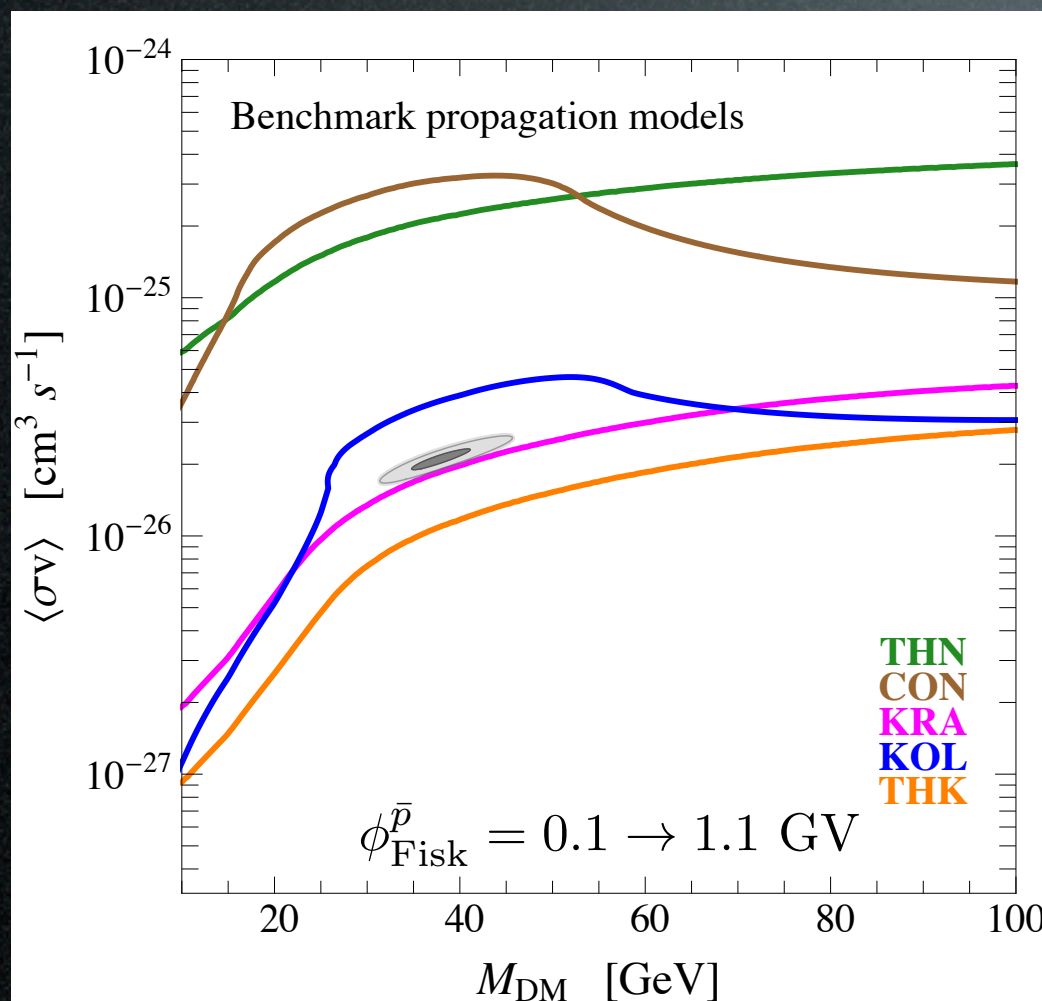
Assumption: flexible solar modulation

Result: hooperon may be excluded or not

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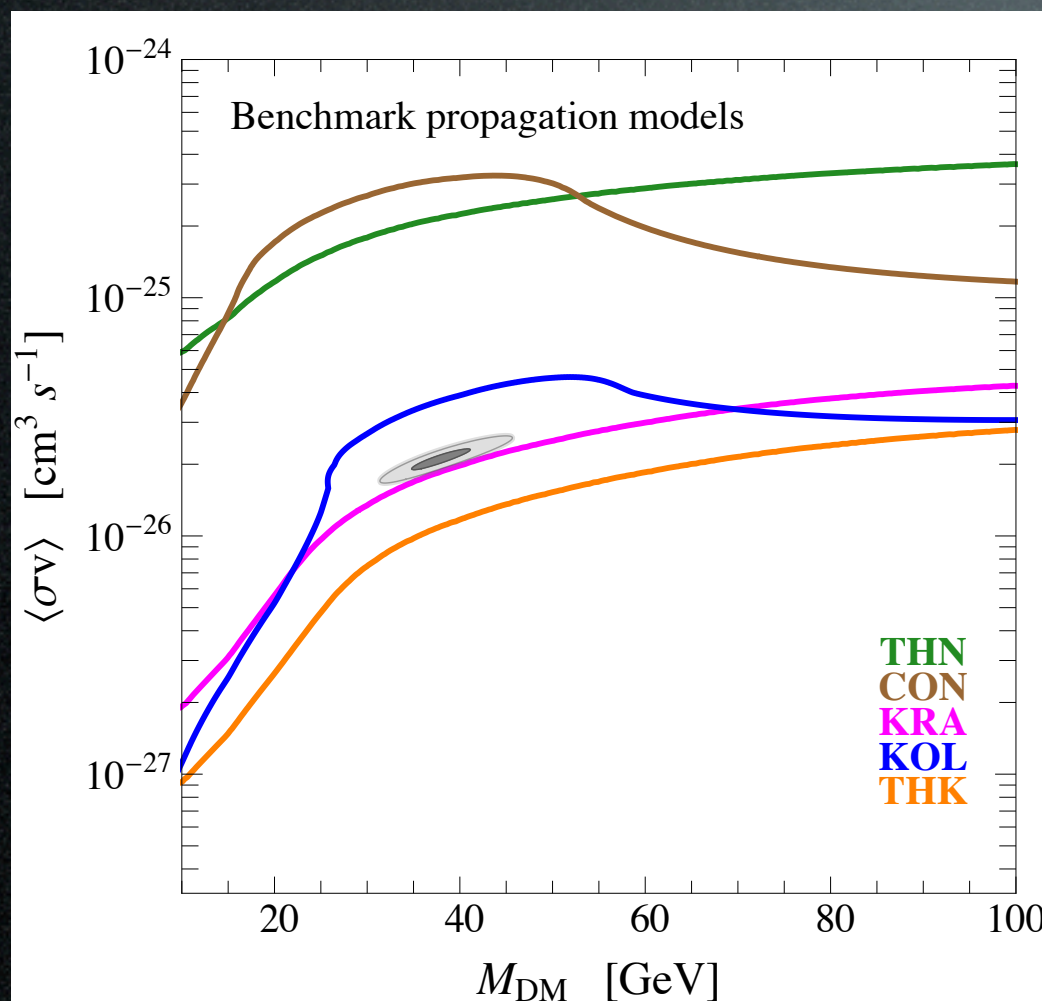
Assumption: conservative solar modulation

Result: hooperon probably **reallowed** (except THK models)

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NB Conclusion differs from

Bringmann, Vollmann, Weniger 1406.6027
which finds exclusion / strong tension

GeV gamma excess?

An excess with respect to **what**?

Extracting 'data points' is not trivial:

- i. choose a **ROI** (shape, extension, masking...) and harvest Fermi-LAT data
- ii. impose sensible **cuts** (Pass N, angles, CTBCORE...)
- iii. in each energy bin, fit to a sum of spatial **templates**:
 1. Fermi Coll. diffuse
 2. isotropic
 3. unresolved point sources
 4. features (bubbles...)
 5. AOB (molecular gas...)
- iv. repeat the same, adding a template for:
 6. **Dark Matter**, having chosen a certain **profile**!
- v. if iii. \rightarrow iv. improves χ^2 , there's evidence for DM
- vi. the component fitted by 6 is the residual excess to be explained

Note:

Adding 6 will in general change the recipe of 1...5 (you'll need a bit more of x here, a bit less of y there...).
Changing the profile of 6 too.

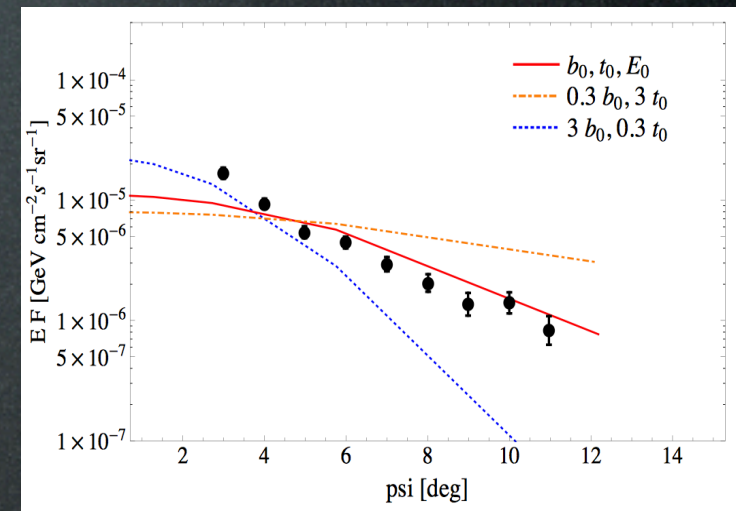
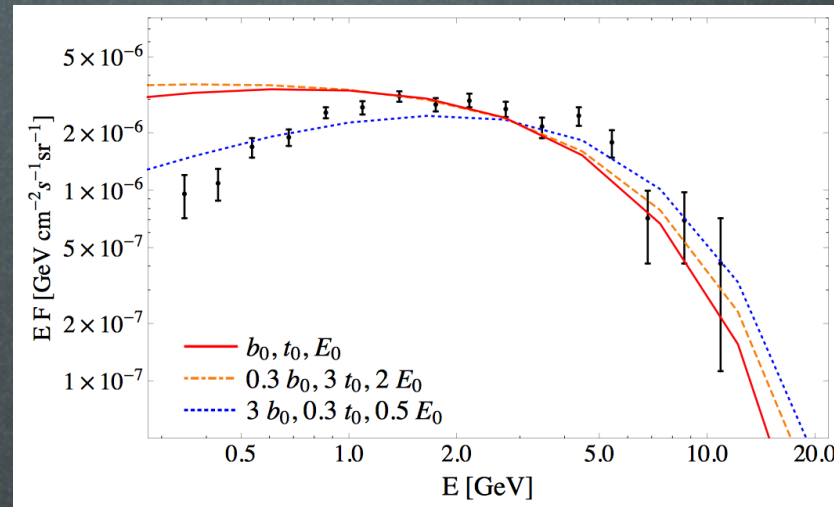
Astrophysical interpretation

Millisec pulsars

A transient phenomenon:

the GC spit 10^{52} ergs in e^\pm 1 mln yrs ago and they do ICS on ambient light, 'fits' both spectrum and morphology

Petrović, Serpico, Zaharijas 1405.7928

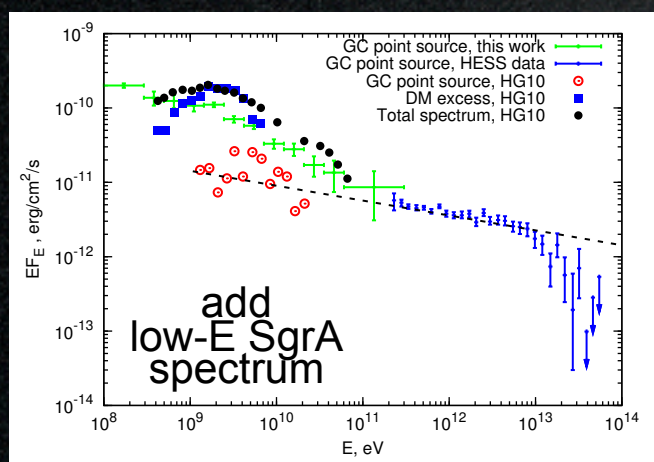


but: can one really get everything right?

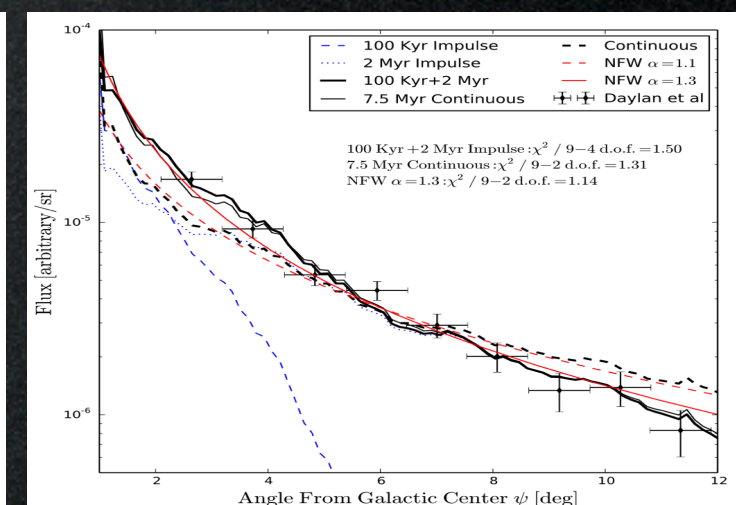
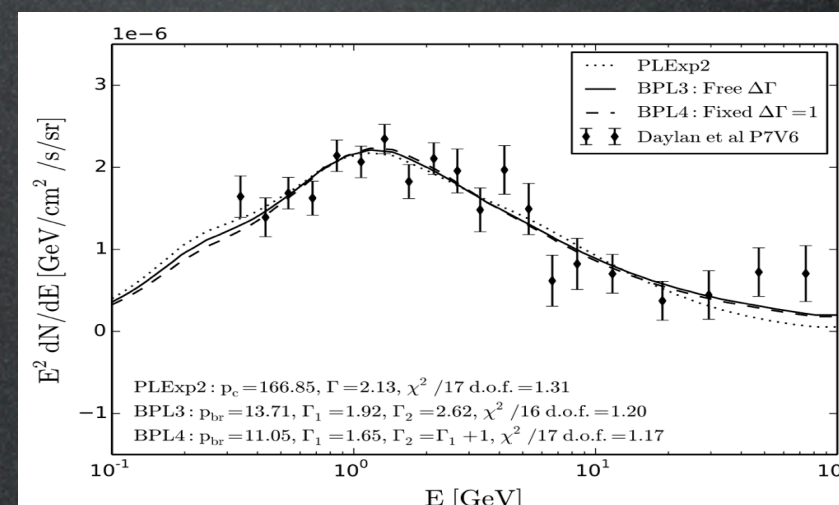
Non-trivial SgrA spectrum

a SN explosion spits protons 5000 yrs ago and they do spallations + bremsstrahlung as well as e^\pm which do ICS... fits spectrum & morphology

Carlson, Profumo 1405.7685



Boyarisky et al., 1012.5839

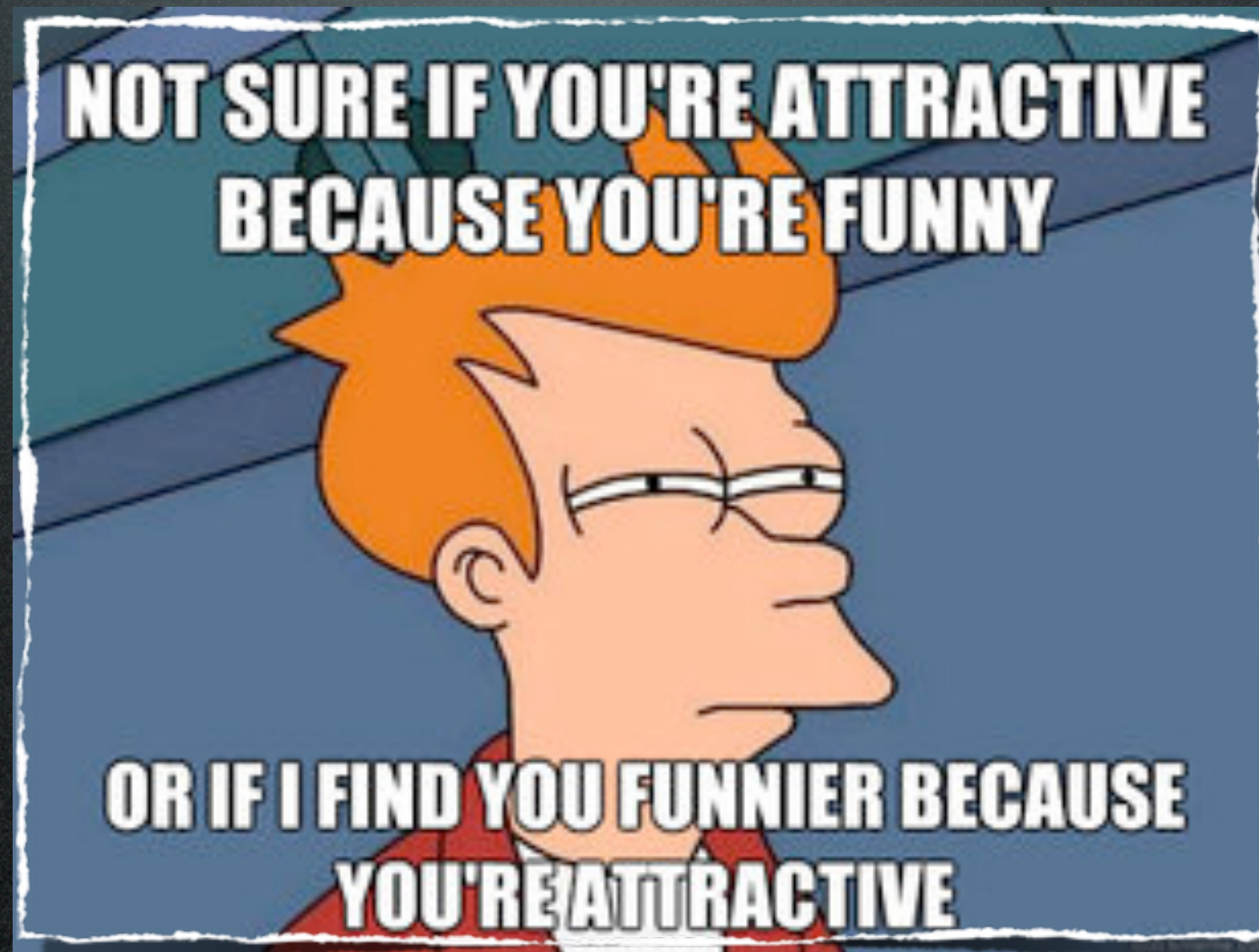


but: why correlation with gas density not seen?

Theorist's reaction

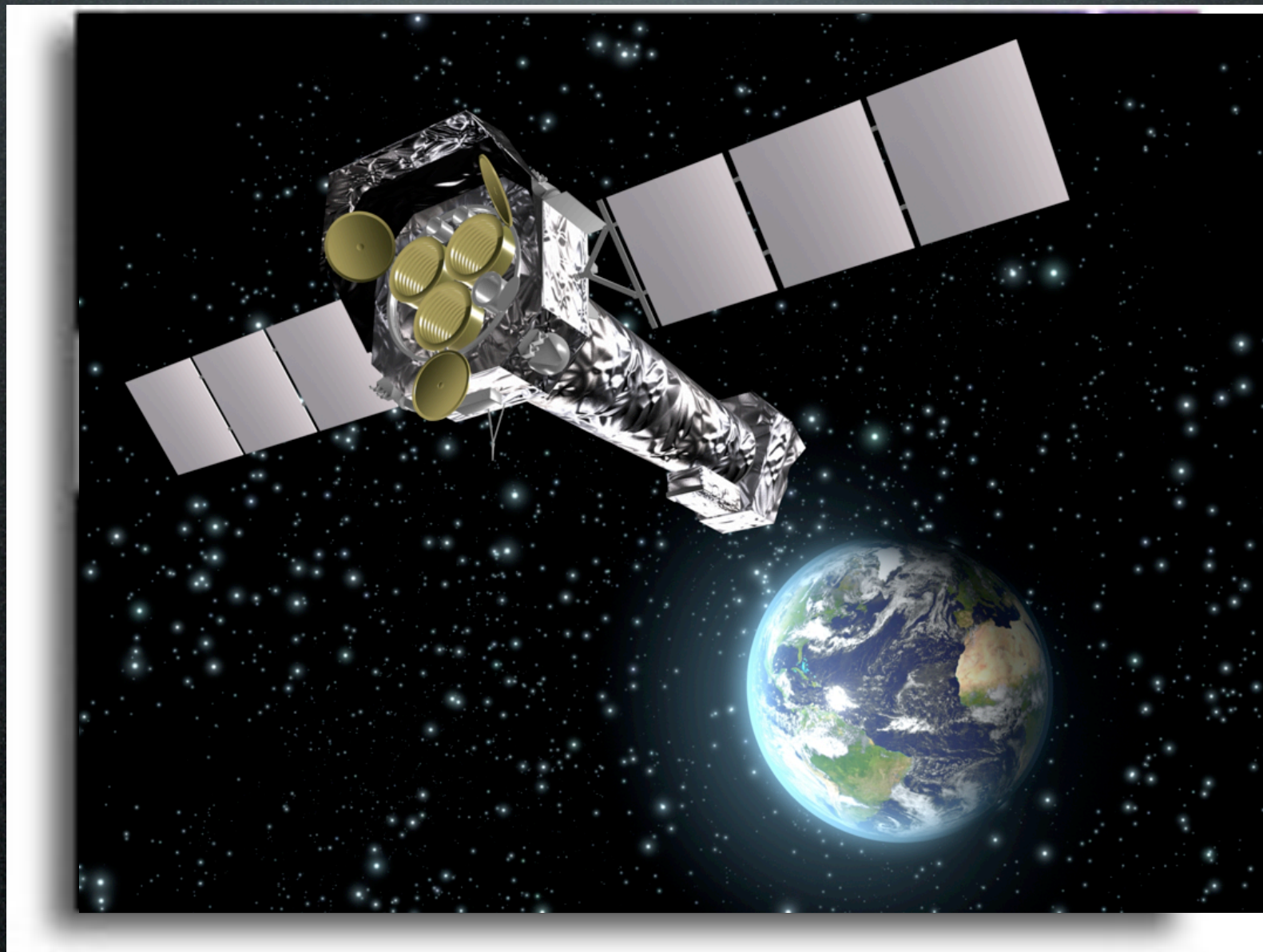
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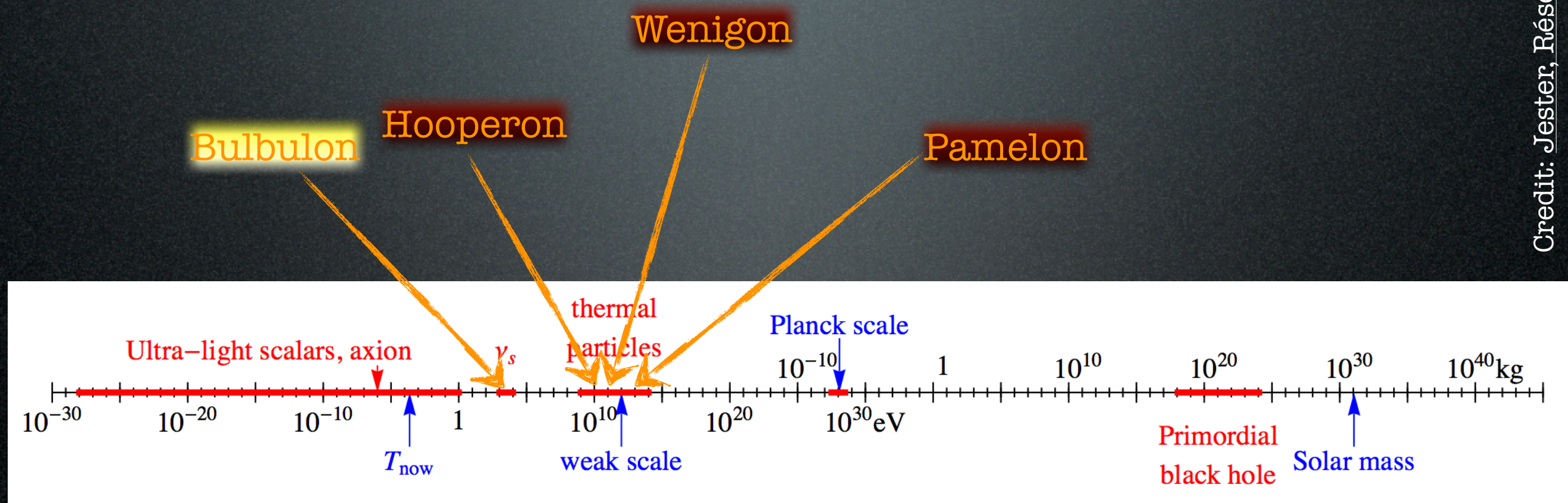
X-rays



4. the '3.5 KeV line'

DM Candidates

A matter of perspective: plausible mass ranges



Credit: Jester, Résonances

‘only’ 90 orders of magnitude!

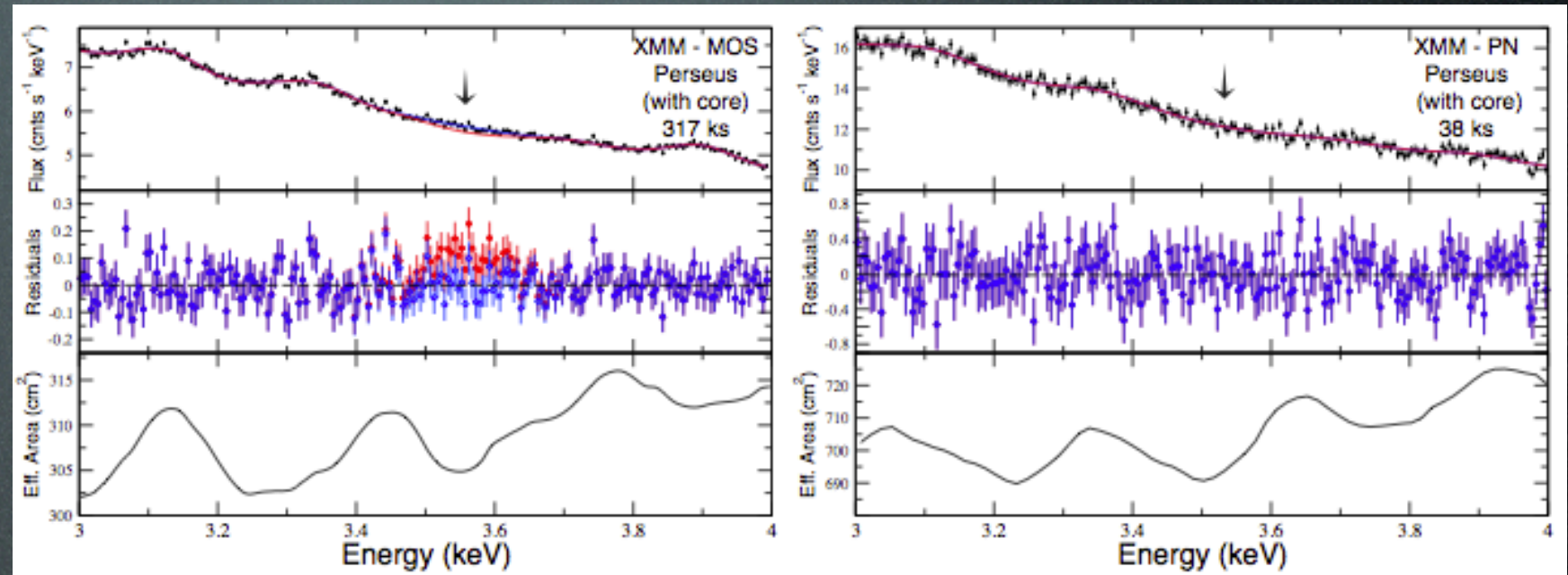
X-ray line

Bulbul et al., 1402.2301

$3.55 - 3.57 \pm 0.03$ KeV

73 clusters

$z = 0.01 - 0.35$

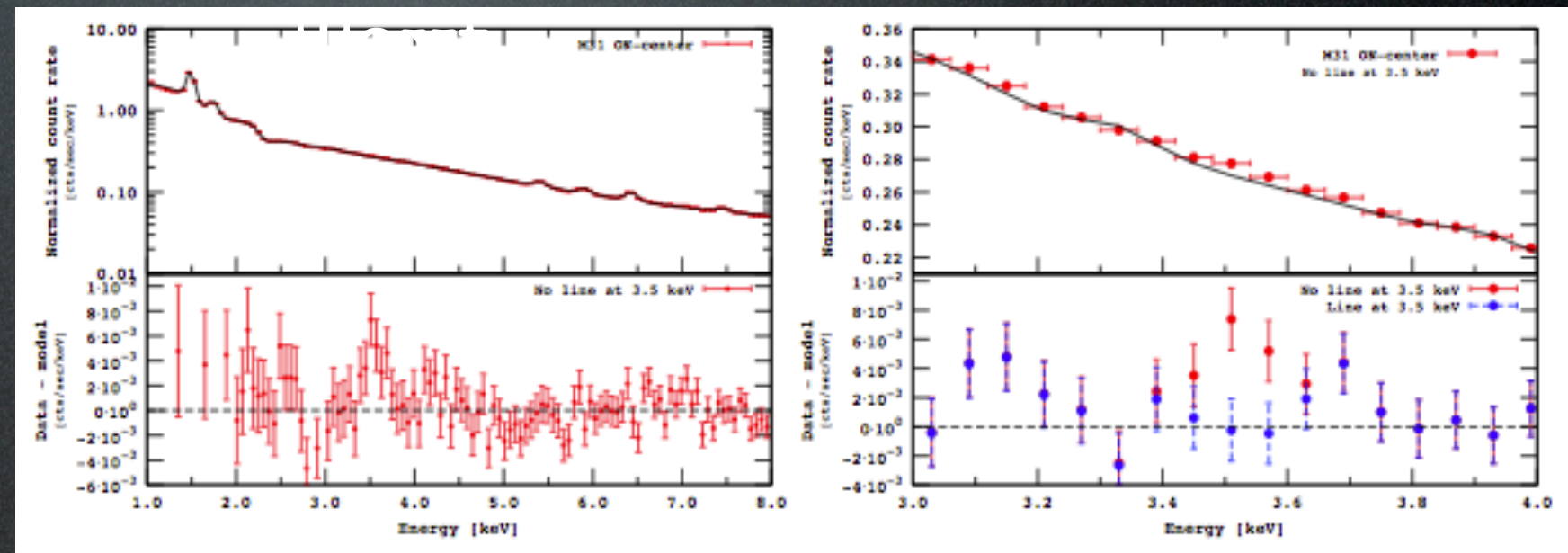


Boyarsky, Ruchayskiy,
1402.4119

3.5 KeV

Andromeda galaxy
+ Perseus cluster

$z = 0$ and 0.0179



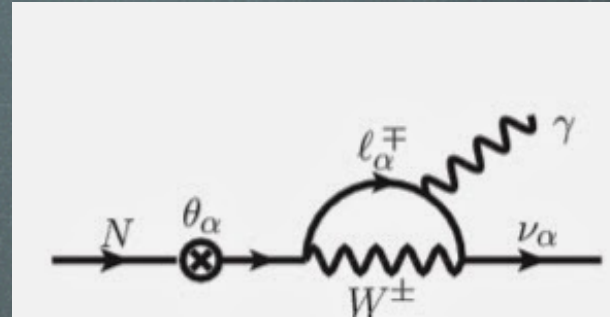
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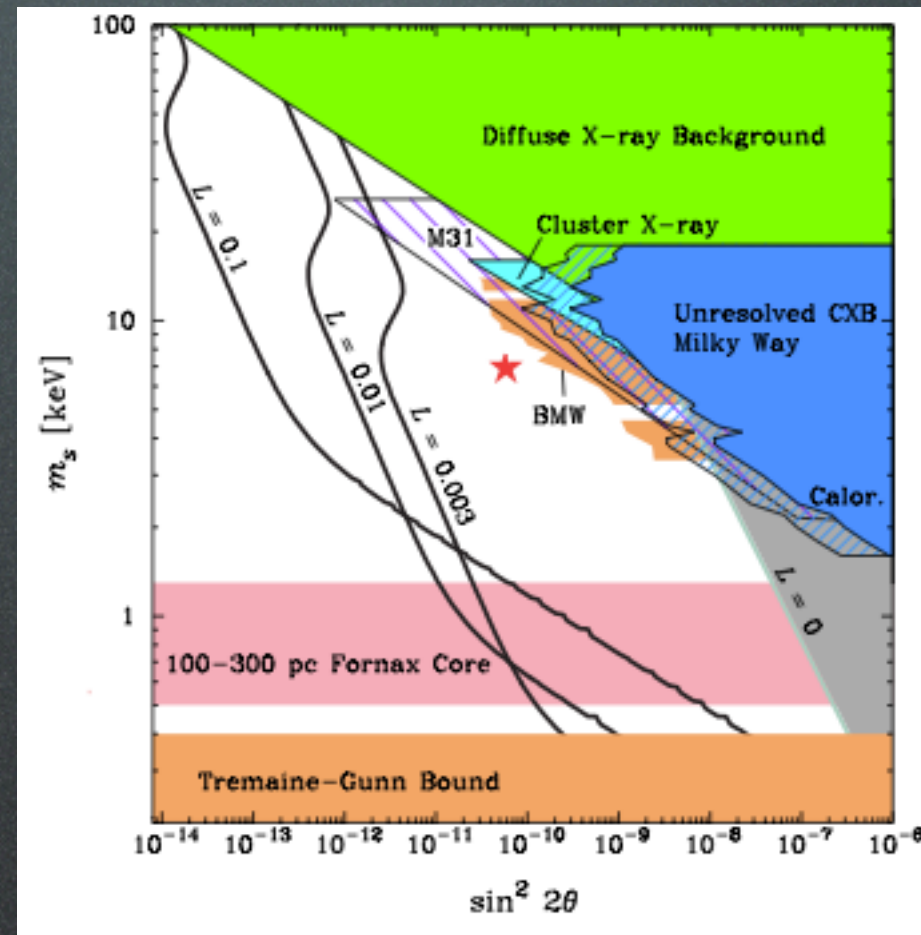
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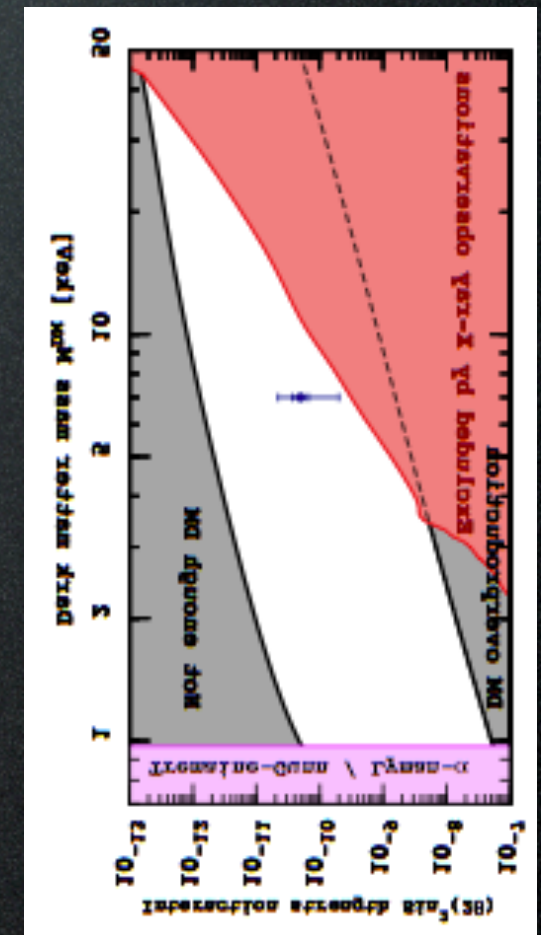
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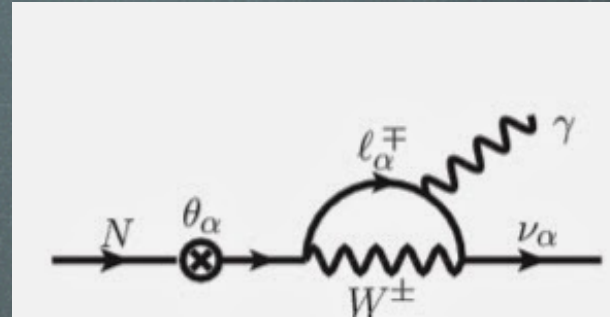
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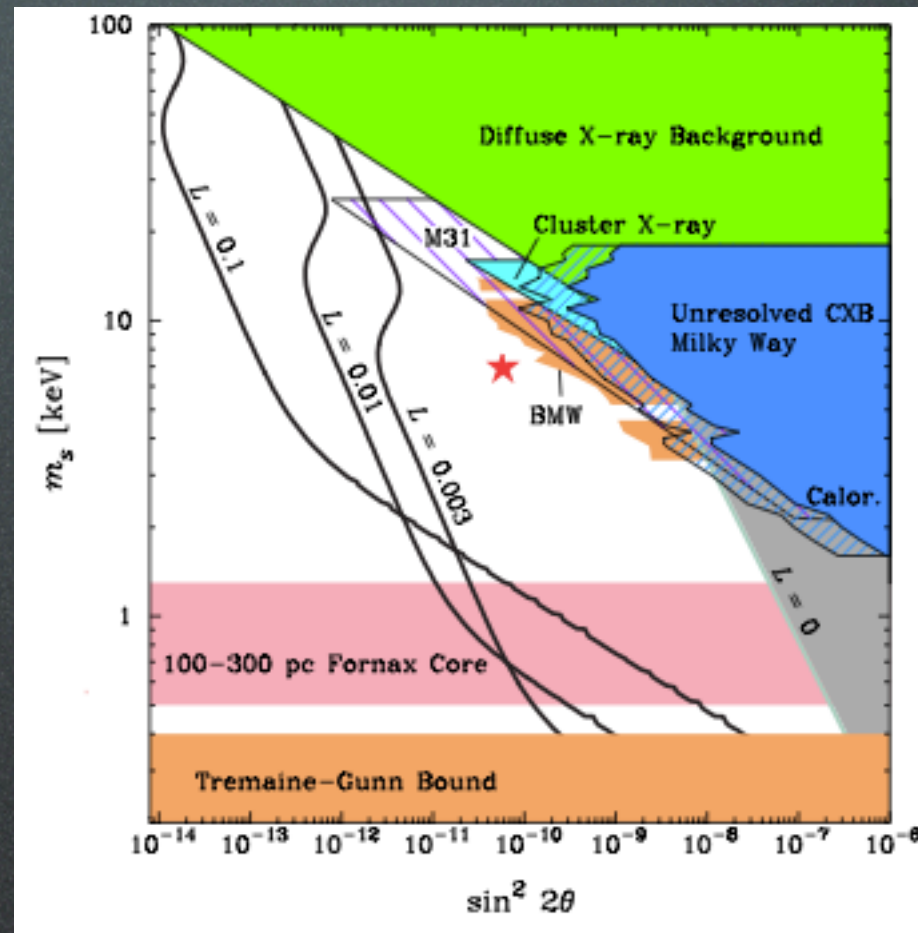
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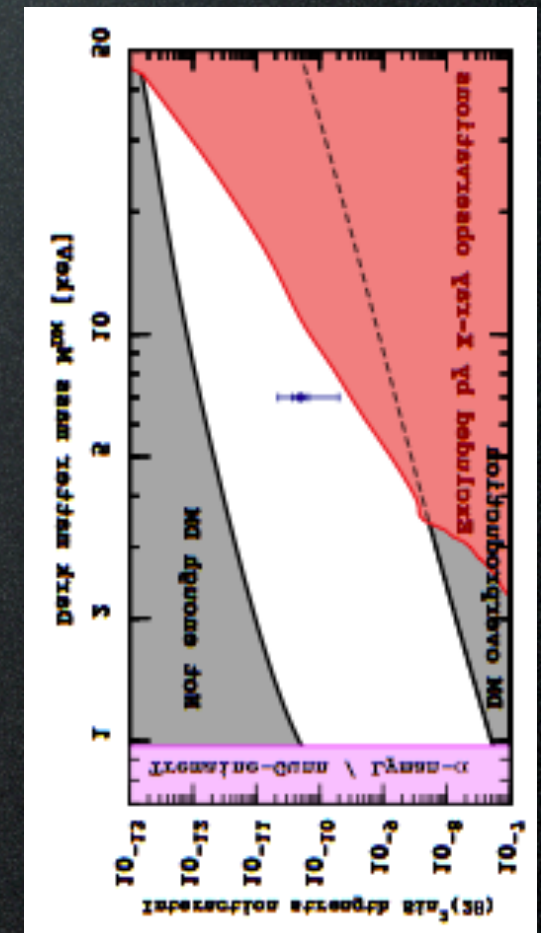
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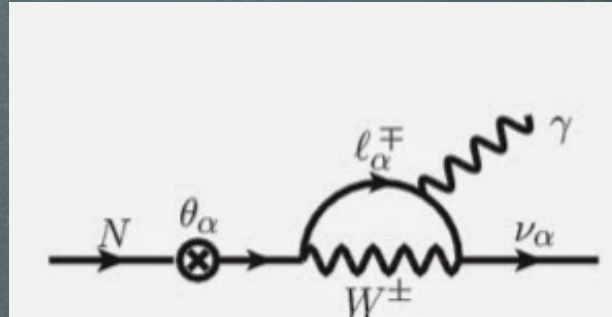
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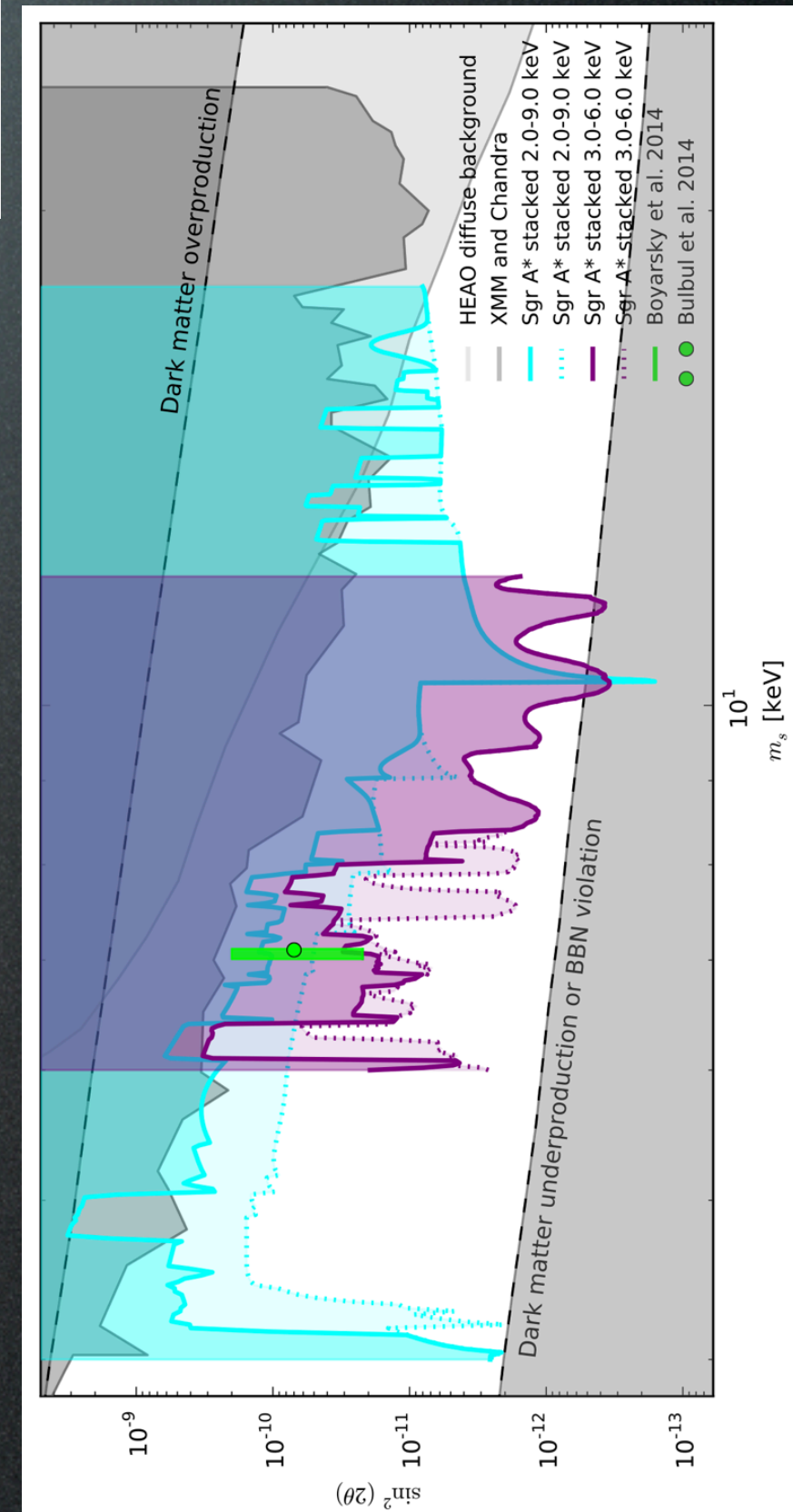
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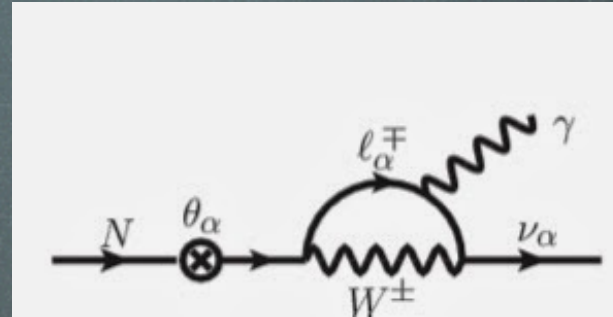
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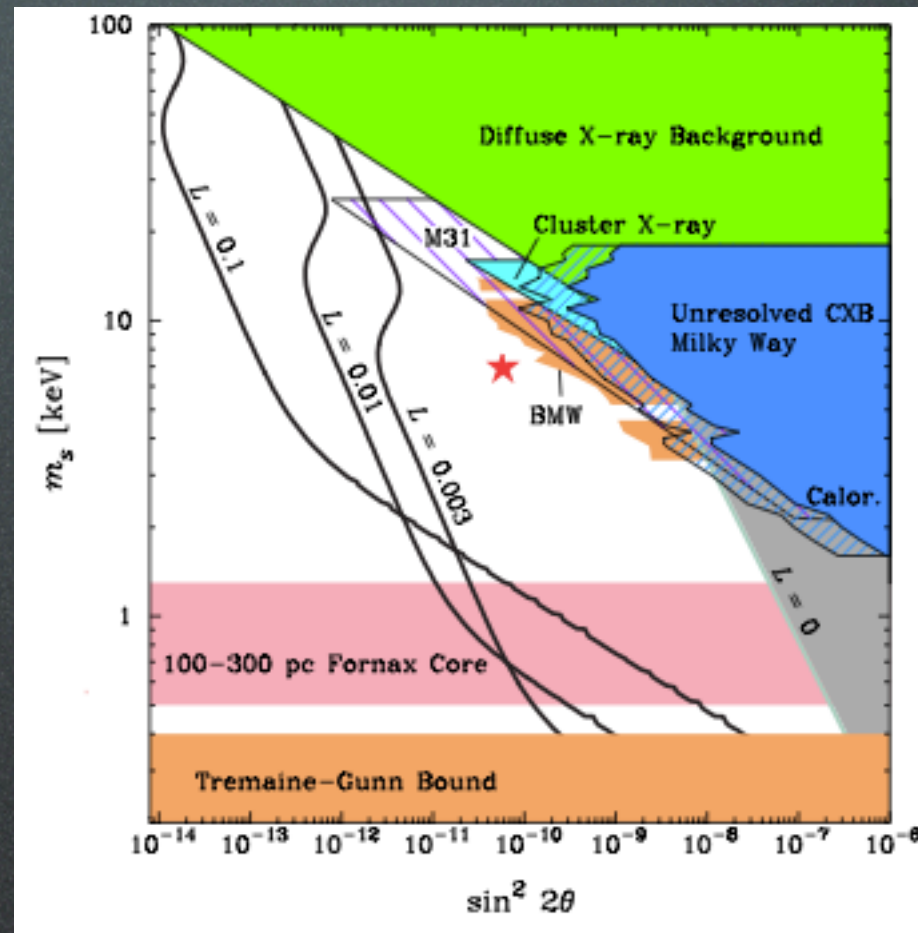
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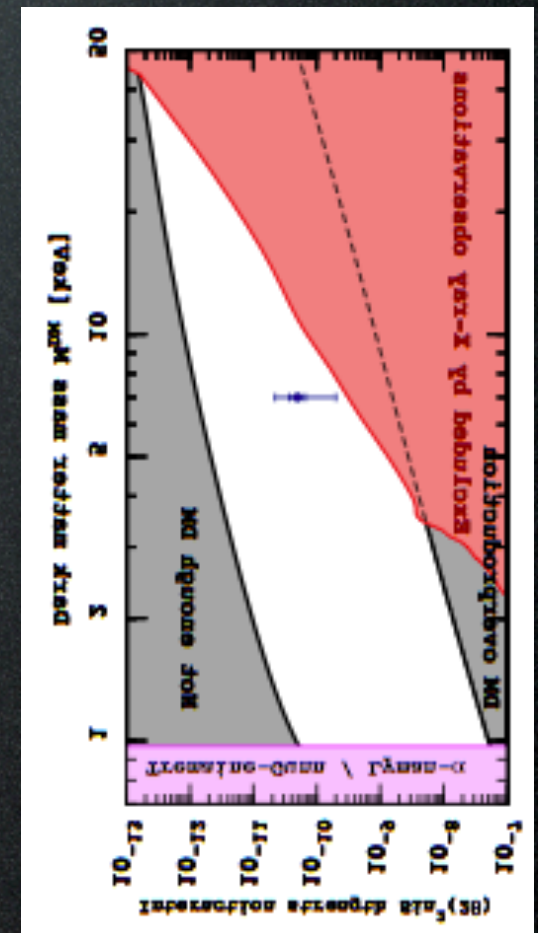
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Other possibilities:

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