Low mass WIMP situation



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- Hints incompatible with null results. Take into account **uncertainties** in the results:
 - Compatibility could not be improved by astrophysics independent methods, or using velocity distributions extracted from simulations.
 - Consider various particle physics models? Haven't yet found a model to explain all signals...
- Possible issues: signal close to threshold, backgrounds hard to understand
- Maybe more models need to be explored? Can more data (e.g. from other Nal experiments) clarify the situation?



Local cosmic-ray observations: leptons



Anomaly: a rise in the positron fraction for E > 10 GeV From CR propagation physics, the ratio is expected to decrease for all propagation models.

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Why is it so exciting?



Minimal model requires an **extra-component** in the e⁻ and e⁺ fluxes:

 $J(e^{\pm}) \propto E^{-\alpha_{\text{extra}}} \exp\left(-E/E_{\text{cut}}\right)$

→ New common source of e⁻ and e⁺

Possible explanations

Positron fraction's rise due to quite massive **dark matter particle annihilation** into leptons



However:

- Accuracy of AMS02 data starts to exclude channels
- Tension with current constraints from gamma rays and CMB

Primary positrons from pair production in **pulsar magnetosphere**



How to discriminate dark matter from astrophysics?

- a. Shape of the spectrum (challenging)
- b. Anisotropy (directional signal)

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Slatyer'15, Planck Coll'15

How prejudiced are we when constructing DM models?

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(Galactic Centre Emission)



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Some data might be more difficult to explain in terms of "standard" DM models

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(Signal in various direct detection targets or at the LHC)

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This motivates working with general frameworks, where little or nothing is assumed for the DM particle

How do we predict the structure of Milky Way (cold) dark matter haloes below 100pc?



Is there a way to measure the local velocity distribution f(v) of DM?

- For stars we have (and will have) data on positions and velocities
- They can be used to infer their phase-space distribution function or to determine the properties of the gravitational potential in which they move (assuming a certain distribution function)

$$qDF(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{v}) = f_{\sigma_R}(J_R, L_Z) \times \frac{\nu}{2\pi\sigma_Z^2} \exp\left(-\frac{\nu J_Z}{\sigma_Z^2(R_c)}\right)$$

$$\ln \mathcal{L}_{i,\mathrm{DF}} = \ln \mathrm{qDF}(\mathbf{J}[\mathbf{x}_{i}, \mathbf{v}_{i}] | \mathbf{p}_{\Phi}, \mathbf{p}_{\mathrm{DF}})$$

$$- \ln \int \mathrm{d}l \, \mathrm{d}b \, \mathrm{d}D \, \mathrm{d}\mathbf{v} \, \mathrm{d}r \, \mathrm{d}(g-r) \, \mathrm{d}[\mathrm{Fe}/\mathrm{H}]$$

$$\lambda(l, b, D, \mathbf{v}, r, g-r, [\mathrm{Fe}/\mathrm{H}] | \mathbf{p}_{\Phi}, \mathbf{p}_{\mathrm{DF}})$$

$$\lambda(l, b, D, \mathbf{v}, r, g-r, [\mathrm{Fe}/\mathrm{H}]) =$$

$$\rho(r, g-r, [\mathrm{Fe}/\mathrm{H}] | R, Z, \phi) \times \mathrm{qDF}(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{v})$$

$$\times |J(R, Z, \phi; l, b, D)| \times S(\mathrm{plate}, r, g-r)$$

Is there a way to measure the local velocity distribution f(v) of DM?

- Dynamics of tracers can be used to infer the gravitational potential of the Milky Way (and, then, the amount of DM)
- What about the DM velocity distribution f(v)?



- Direct detection or neutrinos from the Sun (if we will even get a detection)
- Self-consistent approach (only works in specific simplified cases)
- Anything else?

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The Galactic Center gamma-ray emission

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[C. Eldik arXiv:1505.06055v1]



<u>FERMI-LAT</u> High Energy (HE) (0.3 -100 GeV) source 2FGL J1745.6 2858 and <u>H.E.S.S.</u> J1745-290 Very HE (VHE) (200 GeV - 70 TeV) data from the inner 10 pc at the Galactic Center Region seem to have a common origin

HESS gamma rays (< 300 pc) VLA 90 cm radio(< 300 pc)

Identification of the sources and comparison with other wavelengths is very difficult due to low angular resolution in gamma-ray observations

The Galactic Center gamma-ray emission

- Due to complicate formal shape, an identification of a single emission process is difficult.
- The signal may be associated with the Black Hole at the Galactic Center Sgr A* (a convincing signature could be the discovery of a correlated emission in X or IR or the detection of time variability), with the Supernova Remnants Sgr A East or with the Pulsar G359.95-0-04 (the last two alone may not explain the HE emission).
- There is no hint for flux variability.
- It may be produced by cumulative effect of many astrophysical sources or (why not?) an astrophysical component with a dark matter signal.

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Is it useful to use a self-interacting dark matter simulation with baryons (for contact interactions and long range interactions) and compare the various properties?

(1308.3419, 1504.06576, 1501.00497)



Sky map credit: Fermilab Fornax cr<u>edit: ESO</u>

Impact of AGN feedback in simulations

The cusp-core problem

Kyle Oman (Victoria)

How well do we know the gas distribution in halos?

Or what is the real resolution of an hydrodynamical simulation?

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Are we ever going to determine the quantum numbers of the dark matter particle?

Assume it's WIMP-like for simplicity.

Assume we know its annihilation cross section

Assume we know its scattering cross section (SI or SD)

given the variety of models that can reproduce the same observables, are we ever going to determine the quantum numbers of the dark matter particle (mass, spin, charge under hidden symmetry)?

Even if we know its mass by a combination of the direct and indirect detection measurements.

Still...

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"Same" physics of Sommerfeld:

Non rel. Quantum mechanics, "like" hydrogen atom

Stay tuned...

The DM bound state decays and gives you more signal at telescopes!

(e.g. people used QCD bound states to explain the 750 GeV $\gamma\gamma$ at CERN)

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CDM HALO SUBSTRUCTURE

What's the exact role of CDM substructure in dark matter searches?

- 1. Subhalos will boost the DM annihilation signal → SUBHALO BOOSTS
- 2. Some could be excellent DM targets → SUBHALO DETECTABILITY

There are no precise answers to these points.

(Some) OPEN ISSUES

- → Precise structural properties of DM subhalos, including low-mass ones?
- → Exact radial distribution?
- → How many? Mass function, survival probability...
- \rightarrow How do baryons affect them?
- \rightarrow Should we already see some dark satellites with current γ -ray experiments?
- → Observational evidences? (lensing, Galactic disk 'gaps', etc)
- \rightarrow Could they affect DM direct experiments in some way?

The 3.55 KeV Emission Line

Beatriz B. Siffert - Federal Univ. of Rio de Janeiro

In 2014: X-ray emission excess at 3.55 KeV from M31 and galaxy clusters with XMM-Newton and Chandra data.

(A. Boyarsky et al., PRL 113 & E. Bulbul et al., ApJ 789).

What is the **Uncertainty on the Local Dark Matter Density**?

Hamish Silverwood GRAPPA, Amsterdam.

Importance:

Justin Read, 2014

- Interpretation of Direct and Indirect Detection rates, limits
- These rates feed into analysis of Beyond the Standard Model theories (e.g. SUSY Global Scans)

Methods:

- interpolation from global measurements (rotation curves, eg locco+ 2015)
- local measurements of stars (usually vertical motions in the disc)

Questions:

I. How precise can we get the baryon distribution?

In a small volume (~100pc) around the sun we have $\rho_B = 84 \pm 12 \text{ mM}_{sun} \text{ pc}^{-3} = 3.19 \pm 0.45 \text{ GeV cm}^{-3}$ (McKee et al.) $\rho_{DM} \sim 10 \text{ mM}_{sun} \text{ pc}^{-3} \sim 0.4 \text{ GeV cm}^{-3}$. So we need to assume ~constant vertical ρ_{DM} and use high-z measurements

2. What is the structure of the stellar disc and how does this affect our measurements?

Radial and axial variation, spiral arms, chemo-spatial distribution ('thin and thick' discs)...

3. Are the steady state solutions still valid?

Radial migration, spiral arms, warping of disc from recent satellite mergers...

4. Can we detect a flattened halo, co-rotating accreted dark disc, or even a thin dark disc (eg. the Randall Dinosaur Killer)?