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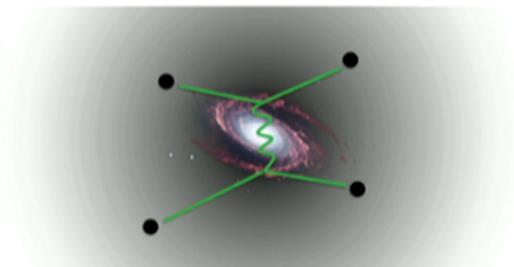
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Abstract: <p>Astrophysical observations spanning dwarf galaxies to galaxy clusters indicate that dark matter halos are less dense in their central regions compared to expectations from collisionless dark matter N-body simulations. Using detailed fits to dark matter halos of galaxies and clusters, we show that self-interacting dark matter may provide a consistent solution to the dark matter deficit problem across all scales, even though individual systems exhibit a wide diversity in halo properties. </p>

# The Self-Interacting Dark Matter Paradigm

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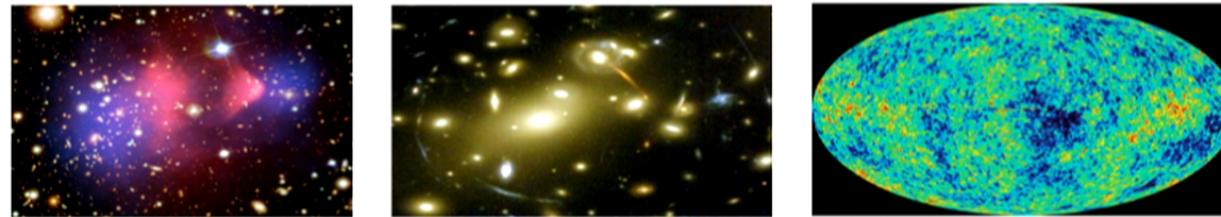


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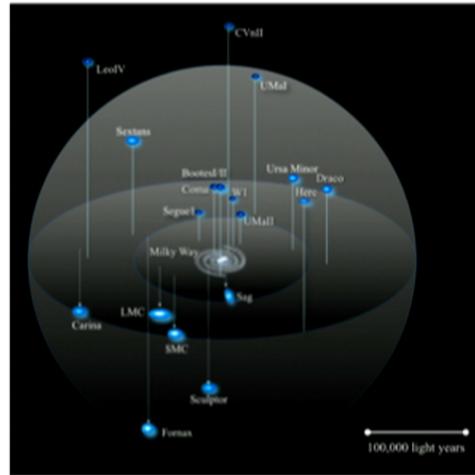
A review article for Physics Reports: Sean Tulin, HBY arXiv: 1605.XXXXX

# Cold Dark Matter

- Large scales: very well

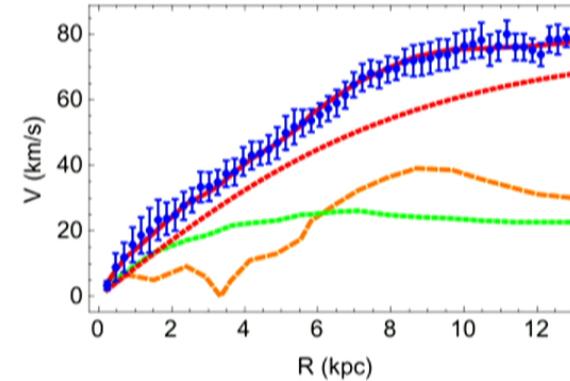
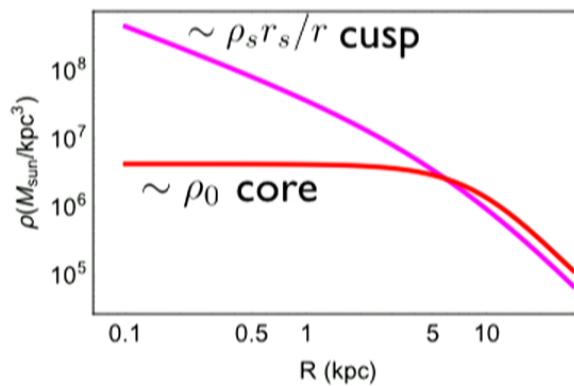
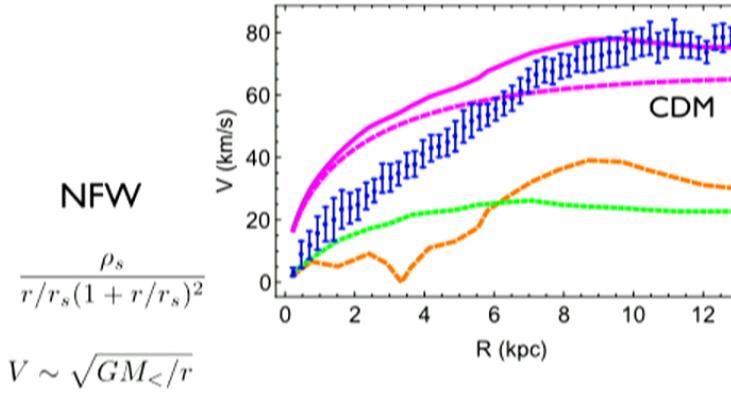
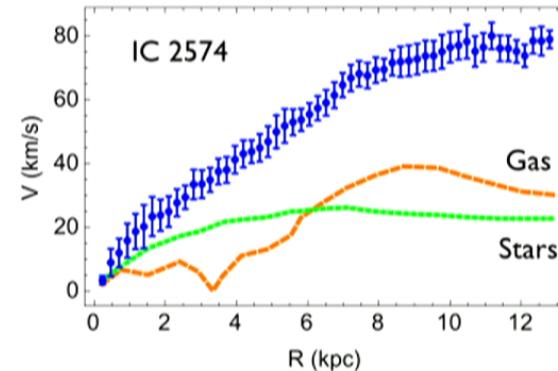


- Small scales (dwarf galaxies, subhalos, galaxy clusters): ?



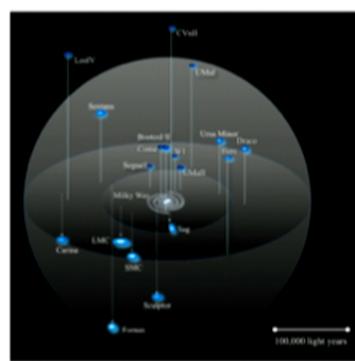
# Core VS. Cusp Problem

- DM-dominated systems (dwarfs, LSBs) from THINGS Oh+(2011)

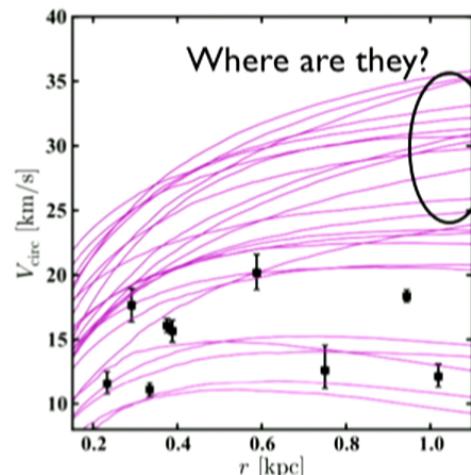


# Too-Big-to-Fail Problem

- Milky Way dwarf galaxies      Boylan-Kolchin, Bullock, Kaplinghat (2011)



$$M_{1/2} = 3 G^{-1} \langle \sigma_{\text{los}}^2 \rangle r_{1/2}$$
$$V_{\text{circ}}(r_{1/2}) = \sqrt{3 \langle \sigma_{\text{los}}^2 \rangle}.$$



Biggest predicted subhalos  
from CDM simulations

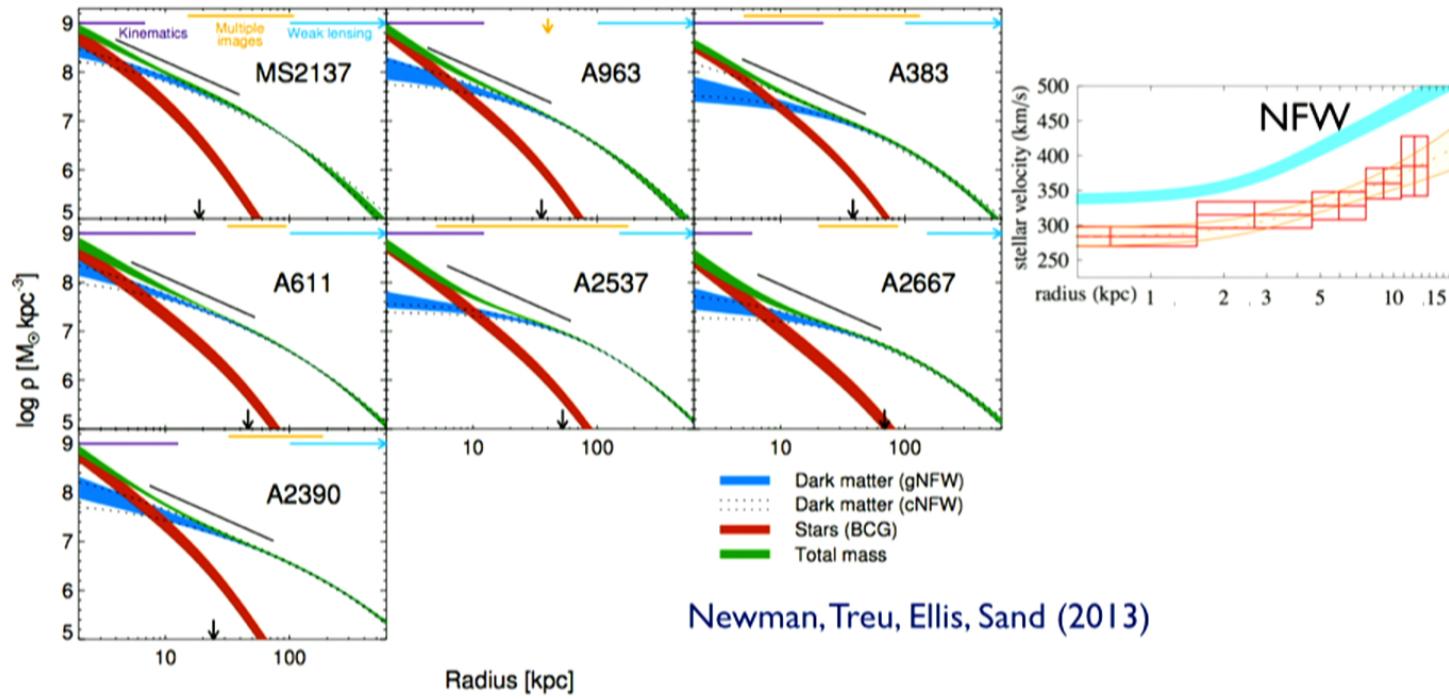
Brightest observed galaxies  
in the MW

- Most massive subhalos in CDM simulations are too dense to host observed galaxies in the Milky Way
- On the other hand, it is easier for stars to form in massive subhalos

subhalos in Andromeda, field dwarfs in Local Group, and field galaxies

# Even Galaxy Clusters!

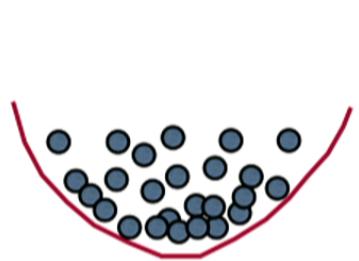
- Seven well-resolved galaxy clusters



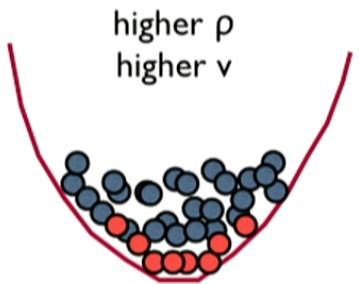
- CDM halos contain more DM in the central regions than needed

# Baryon Physics?

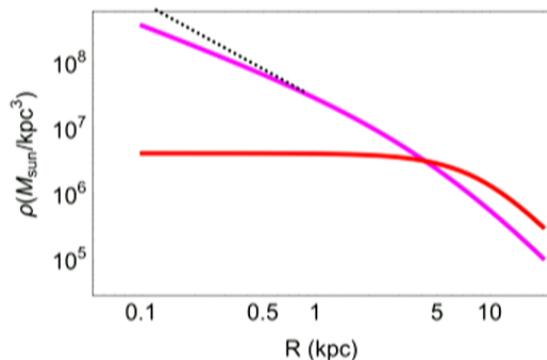
- Violent baryonic feedback process



Baryonic Infall



Supernova Explosion



Blumenthal, Flores, Primack (1986)

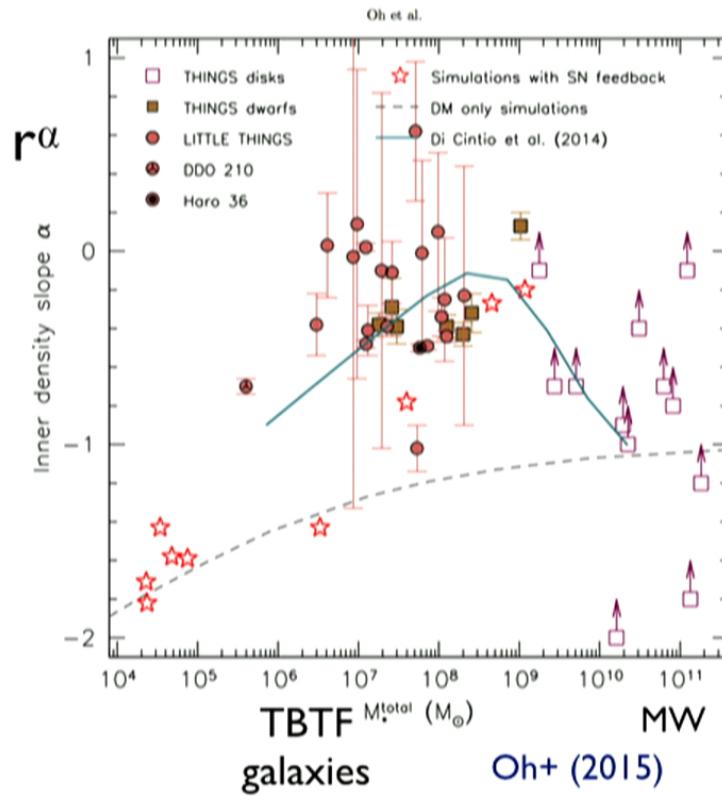
gravitational binding energy **VS.**  
energy injection from supernovae

only works  $r < r^*$

Navarro, Eke, Frenk (1996)

# Baryon Physics?

- Violent baryonic feedback process



depends on the stellar mass  
Governato+ (2012)

depends on when it occurs  
Onorbe+ (2015)

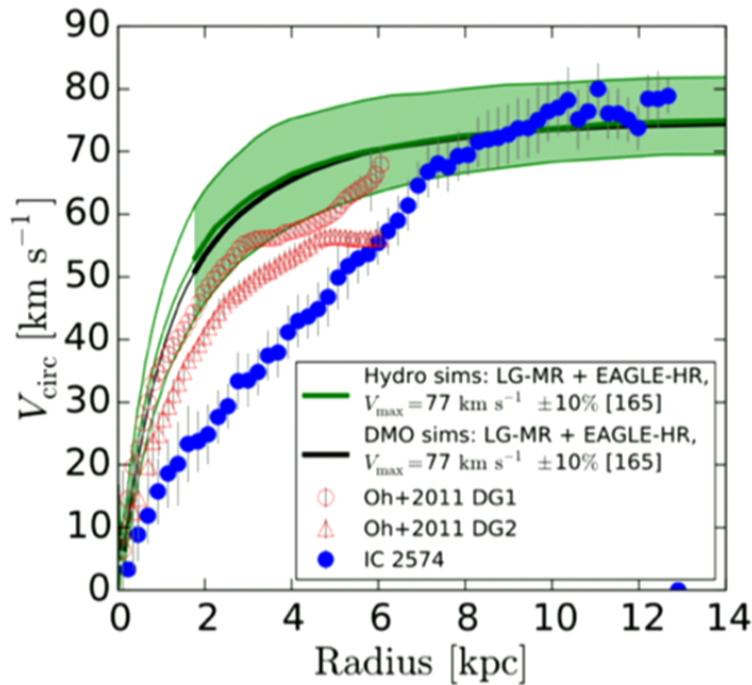
galaxies with cores larger than  $r^*$   
Papastergis, Shankar (2015)

depends on the recipe of  
hydrodynamical simulations!

Other group did not see the effect  
Oman+ (2015) ("NFW" group)

# Baryon Physics?

- Violent baryonic feedback process



Oman+ (2015) (the NFW group)

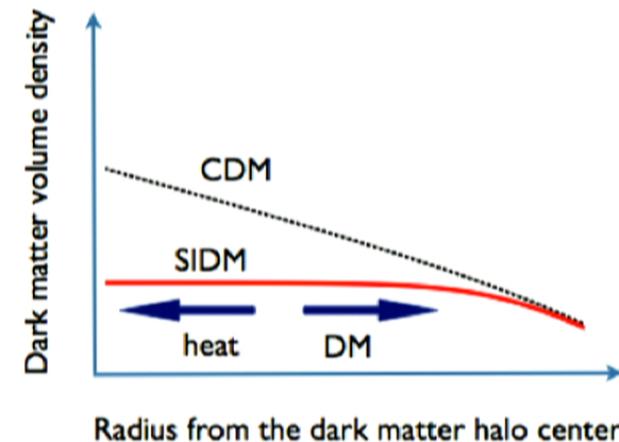
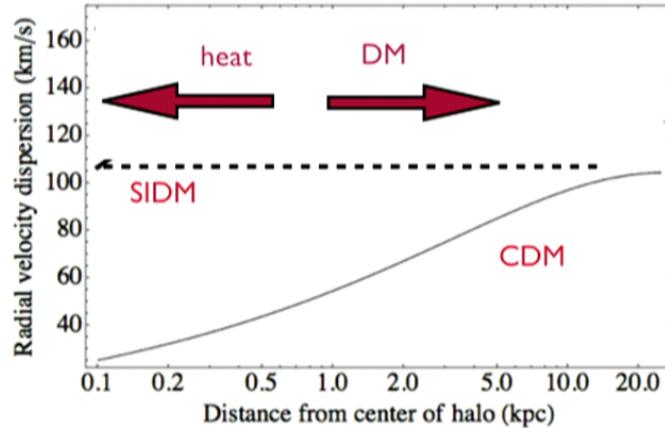
The feedback effect depends  
on how you implement the  
feedback process!

We are still debating!

# Dark Matter Physics?

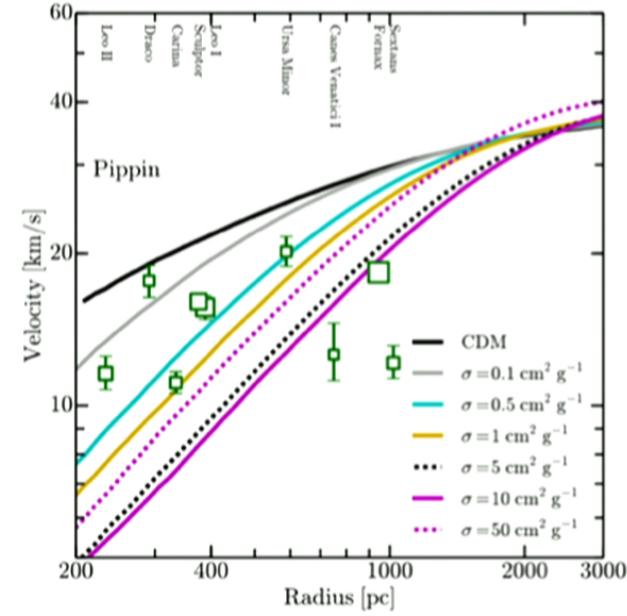
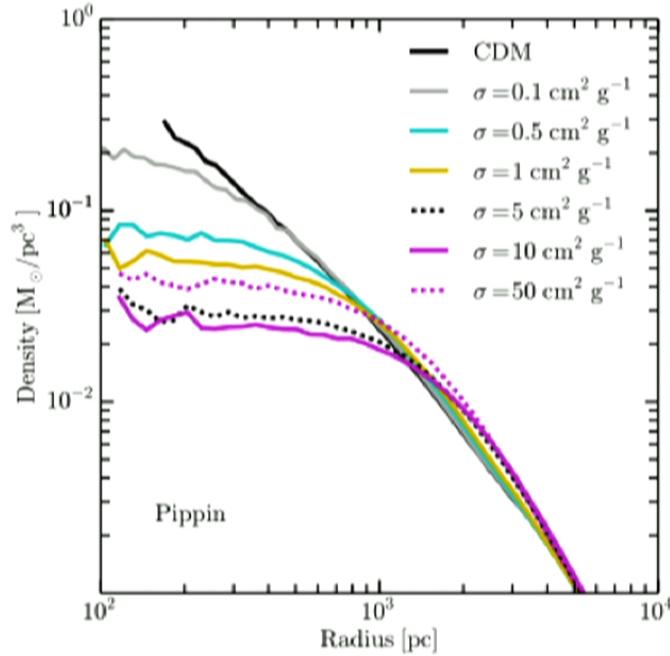
- Self-interactions can reduce the central DM density

Spergel, Steinhardt (2000)



# Self-interacting Dark Matter

- Self-interactions can reduce the central DM density



Elbert+ (2014)

$$\sigma/m_X \sim 1 \text{ cm}^2/\text{g} \text{ for } v \sim 30 \text{ km/s}$$

$$\Gamma \simeq n\sigma v = (\rho/m_X)\sigma v \sim H_0$$

# Challenges

- A really large scattering cross section! a nuclear-scale cross section

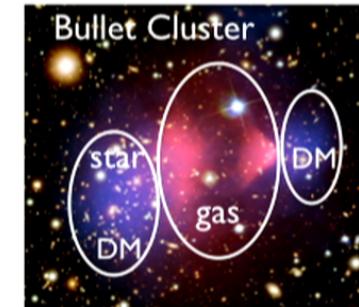
$$\sigma \sim 1 \text{ cm}^2 (\text{m}_X/\text{g}) \sim 2 \times 10^{-24} \text{ cm}^2 (\text{m}_X/\text{GeV})$$

For a WIMP:  $\sigma \sim 10^{-38} \text{ cm}^2 (\text{m}_X/100 \text{ GeV})$

SIDM indicates a new mass scale

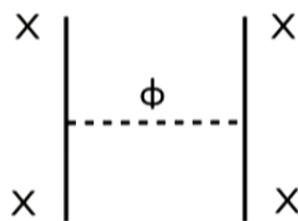
- How to avoid the constraints on large scales?

$$\sigma/m_X < 1 \text{ cm}^2/\text{g} \text{ for } 3000 \text{ km/s (Bullet cluster)}$$



In particular, if  $\sigma \sim \text{constant}$  Spergel, Steinhardt (2000)

# SIDM Particle Physics

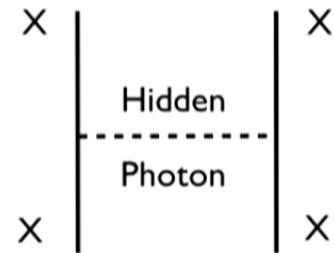


- SIDM indicates light mediators

$$\sigma \approx 5 \times 10^{-23} \text{ cm}^2 \left( \frac{\alpha_X}{0.01} \right)^2 \left( \frac{m_X}{10 \text{ GeV}} \right)^2 \left( \frac{10 \text{ MeV}}{m_\phi} \right)^4$$

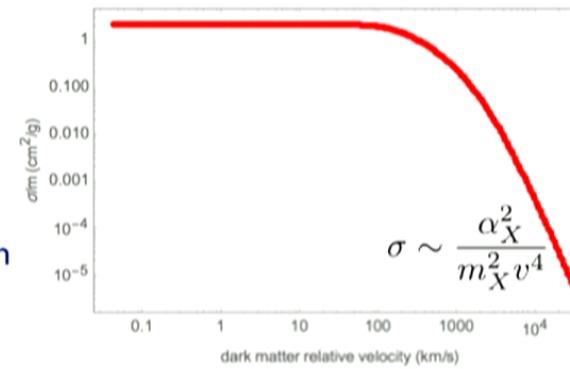
in the perturbative and small velocity limit

- With a light mediator, DM self-scattering is velocity-dependent



$$V(r) = \pm \frac{\alpha_X}{r} e^{-m_\phi r}$$

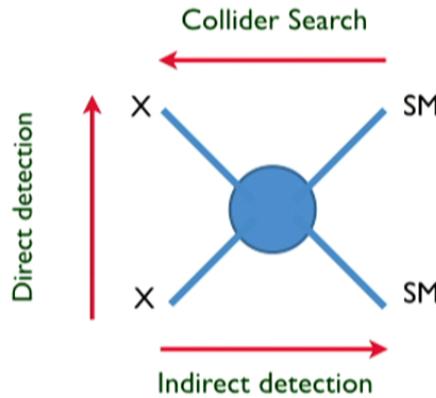
$m_X v \gg m_\phi$  Rutherford limit  
 $m_X v \ll m_\phi$  contact interaction



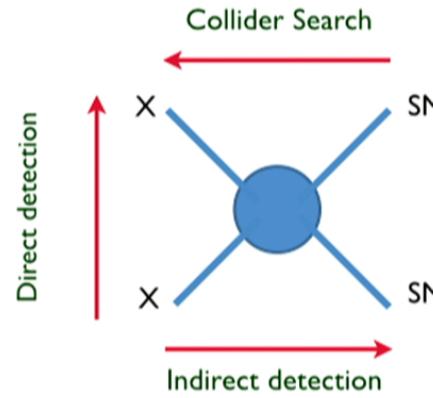
Feng, Kaplinghat, HBY (2009); Buckley, Fox (2009), Loeb, Weiner (2010); Tulin, HBY, Zurek (2012) (2013)

# The SIDM Paradigm

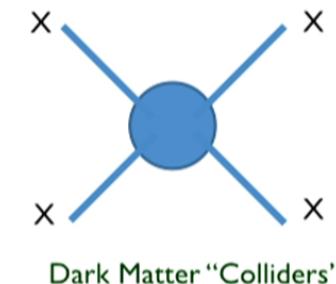
- The SIDM paradigm is predictive



the WIMP paradigm



the SIDM paradigm



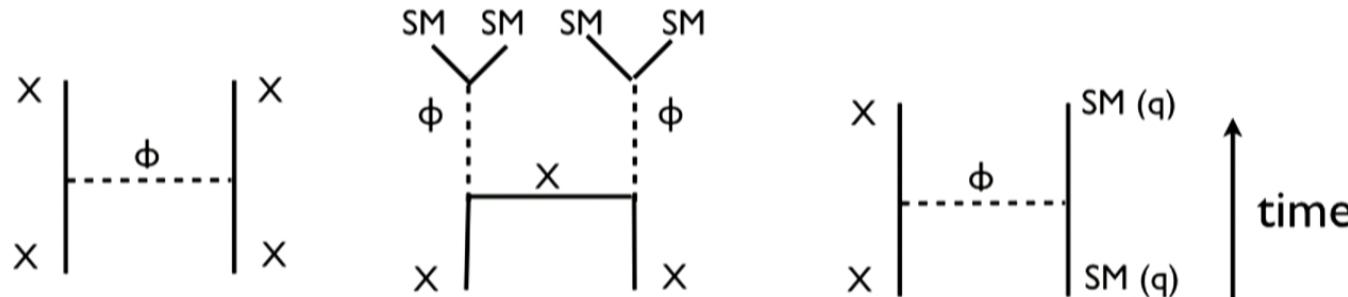
Collider search: Bjorken, Essig, Schuster, Toro (2009); Bai, Rajaraman (2011), Daci, De Bruyn, Lowette, Tytgat, Zaldivar (2015); An, Echenard, Pospelov, Zhang (2015); Tsai, Wang, Zhao (2015)

# SIDM Cosmology

- The mediator may dominate the energy density of the Universe
- The mediator decays before BBN: lifetime of  $\phi$  is  $\sim 1$  second

$$\epsilon \gtrsim 10^{-10} \sqrt{10 \text{ MeV}/m_\phi}$$

## A simple (super) model

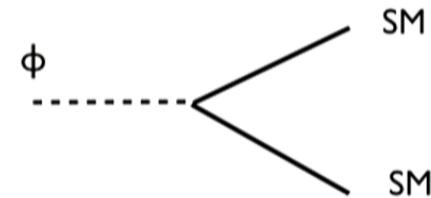
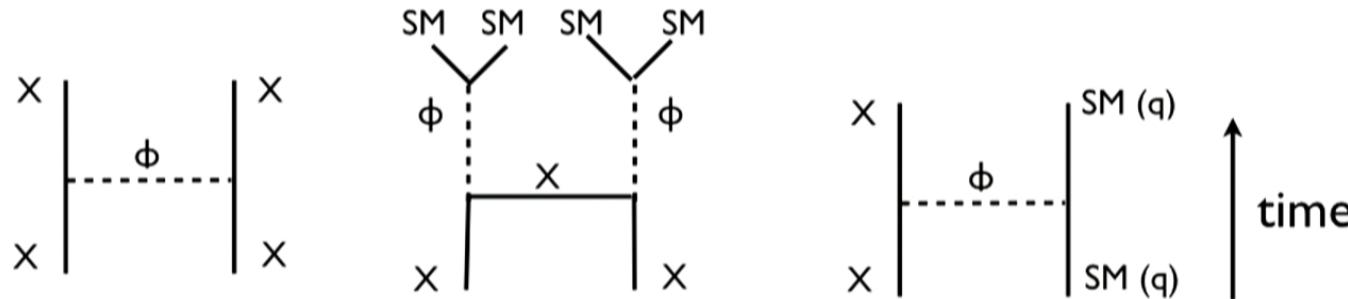


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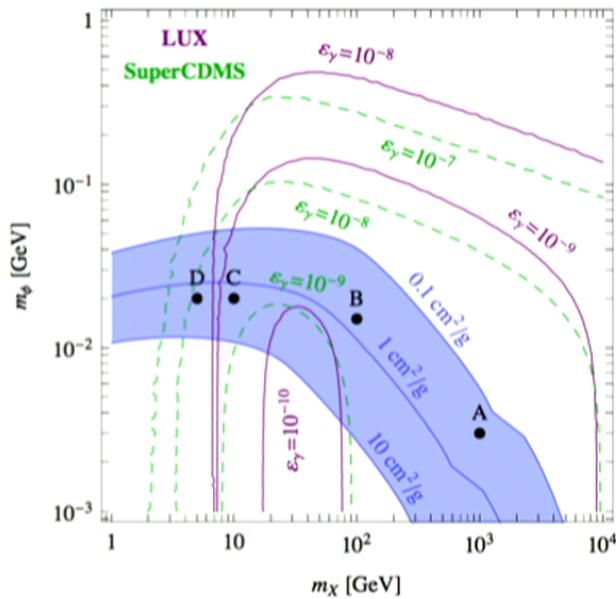
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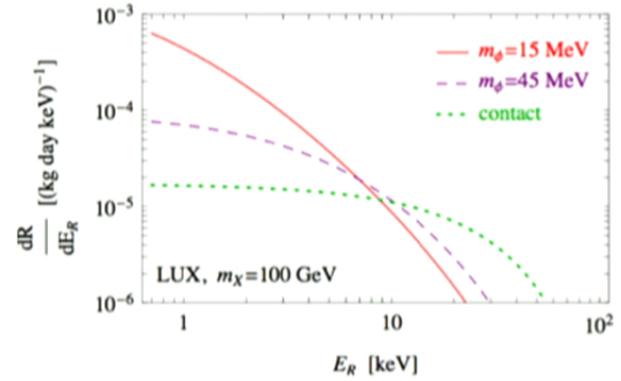
# SIDM Direct Detection

- Strong bound on the mixing parameter



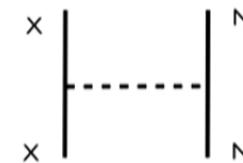
Del Nobile, Kaplinghat, HBY (JCAP 2015)

Kaplinghat, Tulin, HBY (PRD 2013)



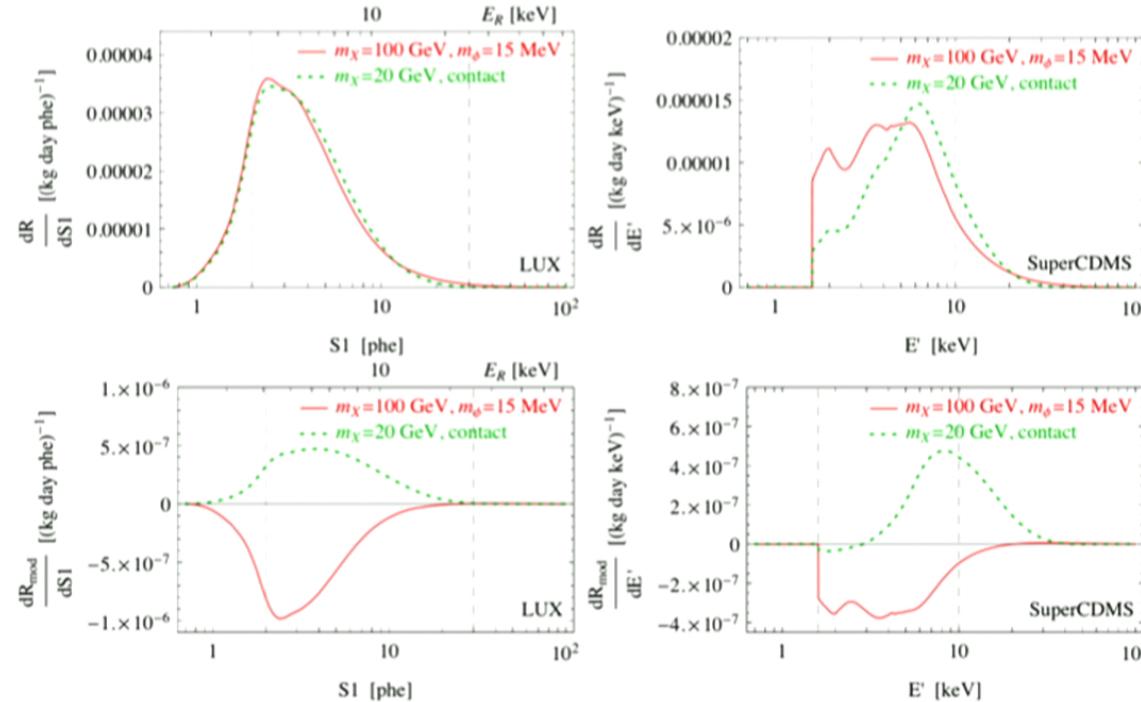
$$\frac{d\sigma}{dq^2} = \frac{4\pi\alpha_{em}\alpha_X\epsilon^2 Z^2}{(q^2 + m_\phi^2)^2 v^2}$$

$$q^2 = 2m_N E_R$$



# Smoking-Gun Signatures

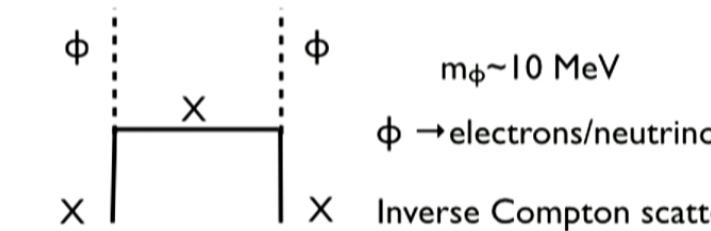
- Different nuclear targets and modulation signals



Del Nobile, Kaplinghat, HBY (JCAP 2015)

# SIDM Indirect Detection

- Lighting up the galactic center, but not dwarf galaxies!

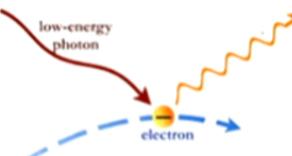


$m_\phi \sim 10$  MeV

$\phi \rightarrow$ electrons/neutrinos

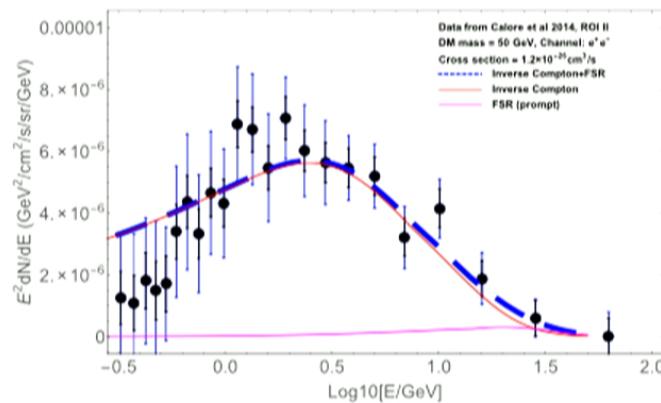
Inverse Compton scattering

starlight



$$\sim (20 \text{ GeV}/m_e)^2 E_{\text{ISRF}}$$

$$E_{\text{ISRF}} \sim 1 \text{ eV}$$

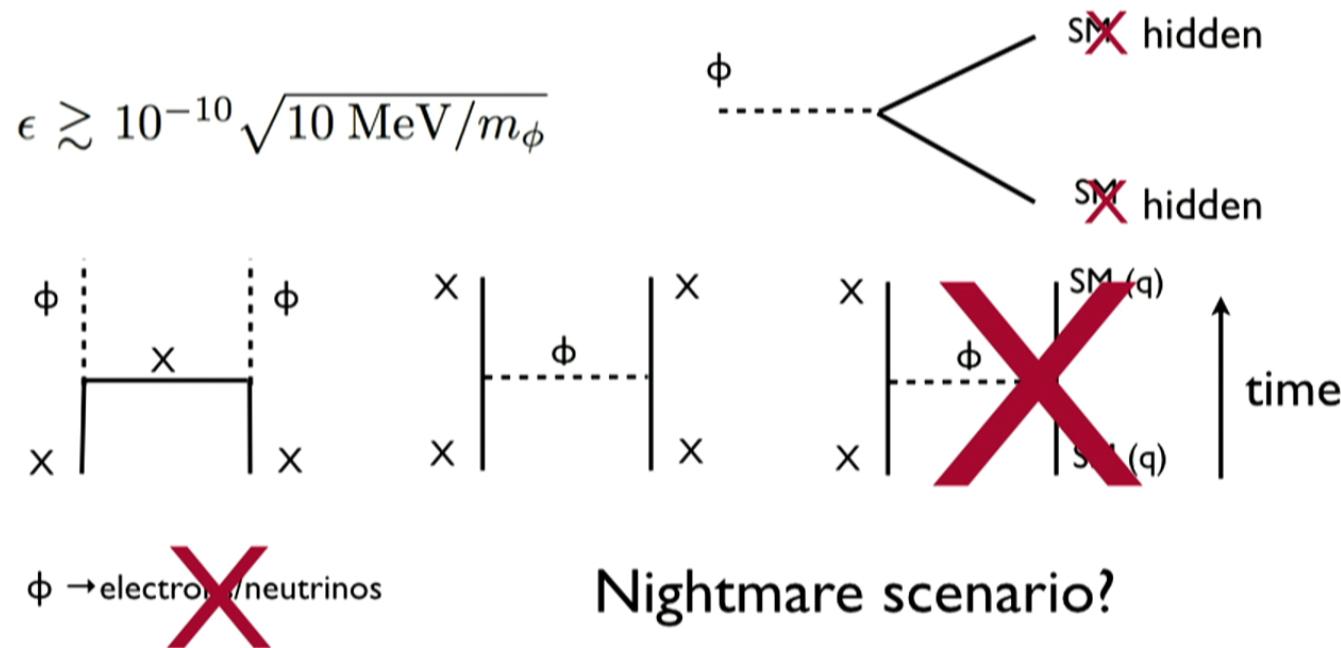


Kaplinghat, Linden, HBY (PRL 2015)

- No IC signal from dwarfs
- Soft electron spectrum (AMS02)
- The IC signal is spherically symmetric

# What if SIDM is Hidden...

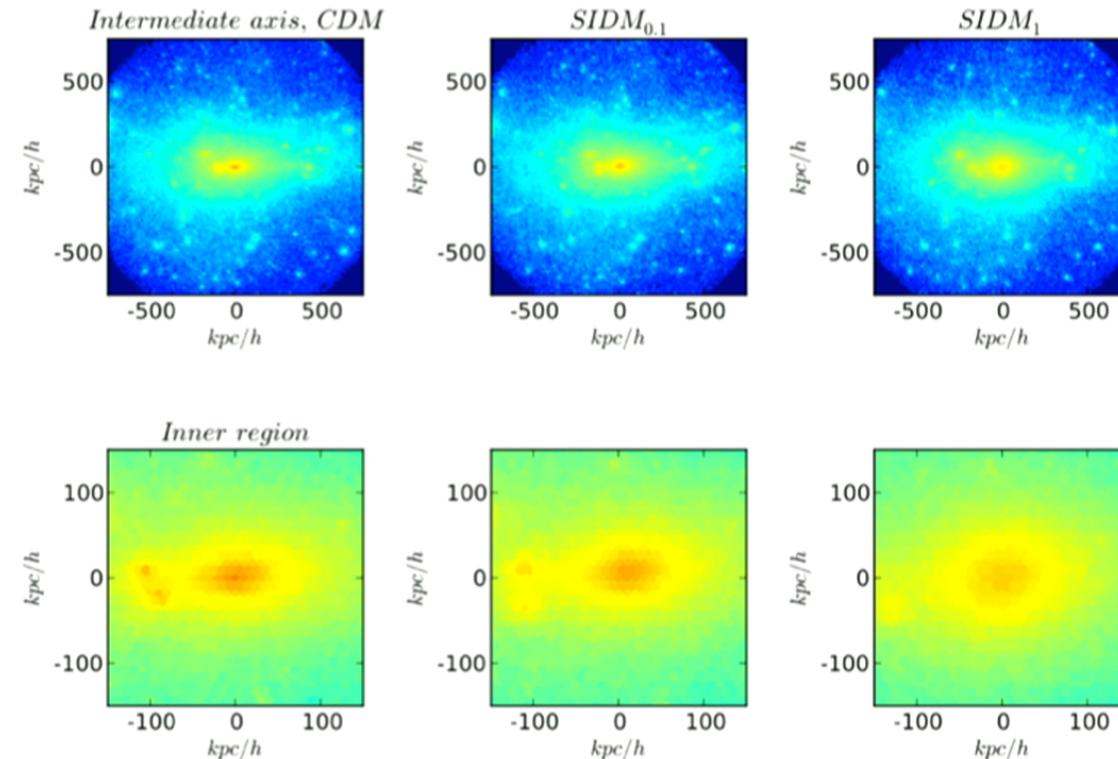
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Need unique signatures, independent of DM-SM interactions

# Ideal: Halo Morphology

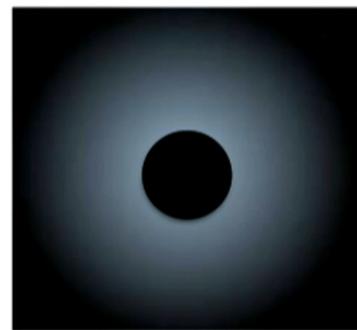
- SIDM halos are more spherically symmetric than CDM ones



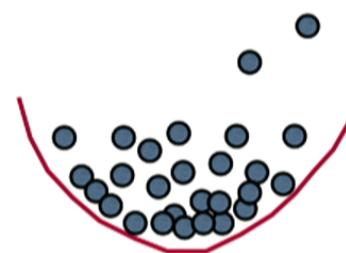
Peter et al. (2013)

# Tying SIDM to Baryons

- SIDM: equilibrium



ideal gas with gravity



$$p = k_B T \rho / m$$

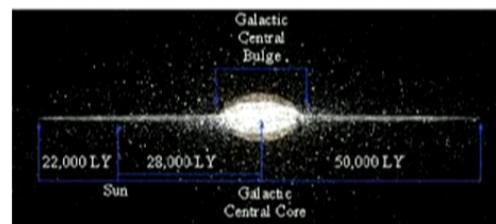
$$\nabla p = -\rho \nabla \Phi$$

$$\nabla^2 \Phi = 4\pi G(\rho + \rho_B)$$

$$\sigma_0^2 \nabla^2 \ln \rho = -4\pi G(\rho + \rho_B)$$

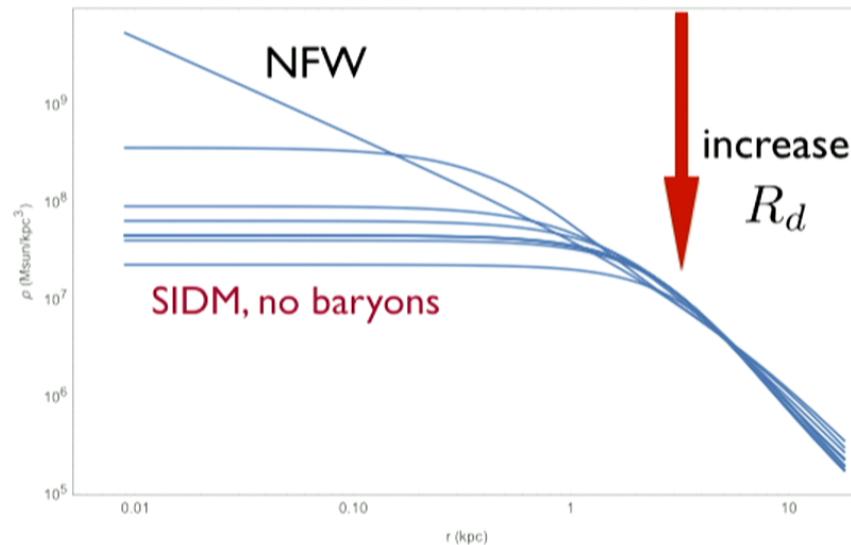
neglect

- If  $\Phi \sim \Phi_B$ , SIDM follows the stellar distribution!



# Backreaction of Baryons

- Baryons may also change the SIDM density profile



$$\Sigma = \Sigma_0 e^{-r/R_d}$$

For a given total disk mass, vary the scale radius

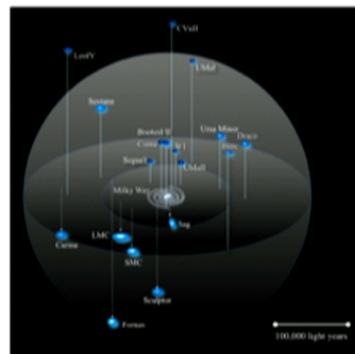
The SIDM halo could be diverse depending on the baryon concentration

Kamada, Kaplinghat, HBY (in preparation)

We are analyzing the rotation curve data for  $\sim 170$  galaxies

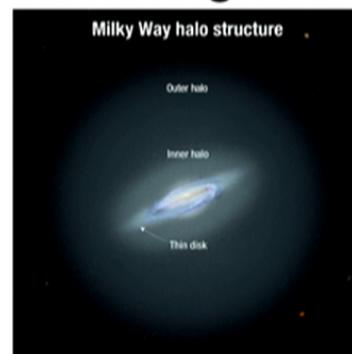
# Idea 2: Dark Matter “Colliders”

Dwarf galaxies



“B-factory” ( $v \sim 30$  km/s)

MW-size galaxies



“LEP” ( $v \sim 200$  km/s)

Clusters



“LHC” ( $v \sim 1000$  km/s)

Self-scattering  
kinematics

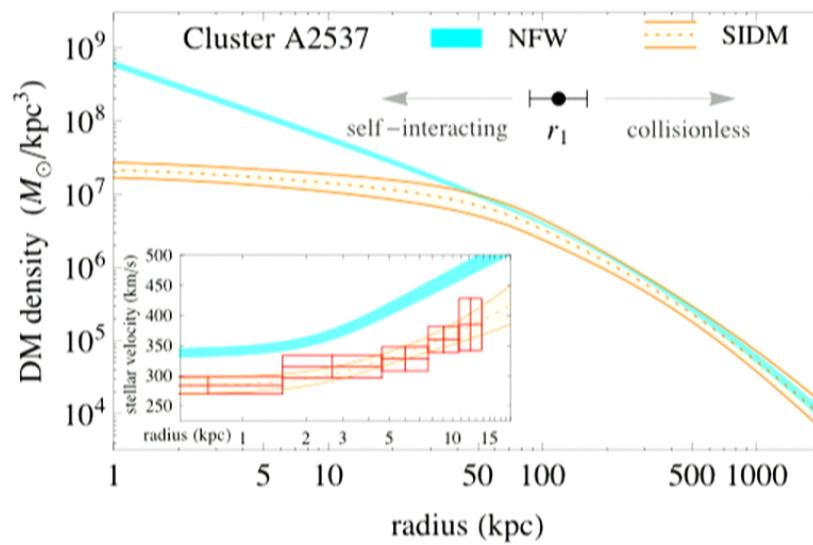


Observations  
on all scales

Measure particle  
physics parameters  
 $\sigma_x$ ,  $m_x$ ,  $g_x$

# Modelling SIDM Halos

- A semi-analytical model based on simulations



$$\sigma_0^2 \nabla^2 \ln \rho = -4\pi G(\rho + \rho_B) \quad \frac{\rho_s}{r/r_s(1+r/r_s)^2}$$

$$\text{rate} \times \text{time} \approx \frac{\langle \sigma v \rangle}{m} \rho(r_1) t_{\text{age}} \approx 1$$

$$\rho(r) = \begin{cases} \rho_{\text{iso}}(r), & r < r_1 \\ \rho_{\text{NFW}}(r), & r > r_1 \end{cases}$$

Matching conditions:

$$\rho_{\text{iso}}(r_1) = \rho_{\text{NFW}}(r_1)$$

$$M_{\text{iso}}(r_1) = M_{\text{NFW}}(r_1)$$

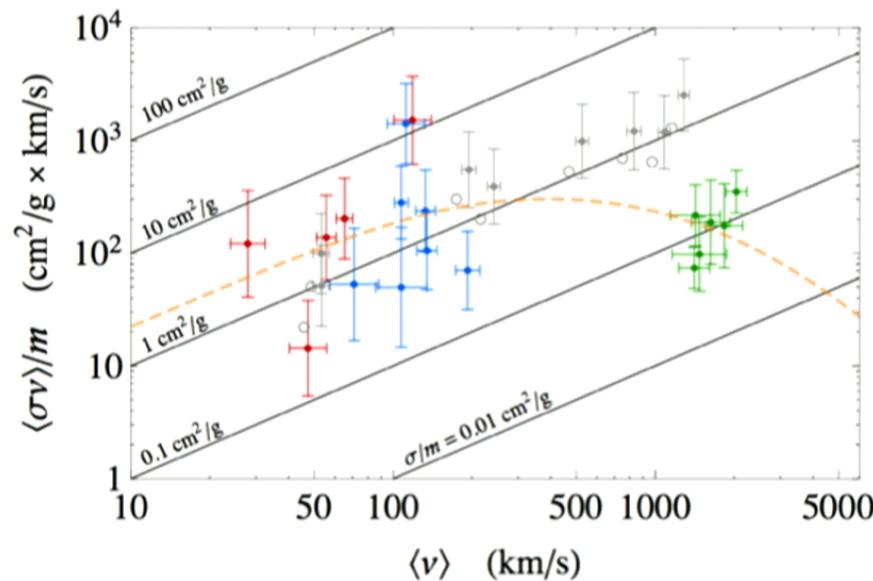
Scan over  $(\rho_0, \sigma_0, r_1)$

to fit data of stellar kinematics

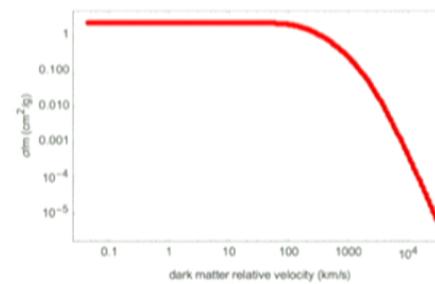
Kaplinghat, Tulin, HBY (PRL 2015)

# SIDM from Dwarfs to Clusters

- Consider 5 THINGS dwarfs (red), 7 LSBs (blue), 6 galaxy clusters (green)
- 8 simulated halos with  $\sigma/m=1 \text{ cm}^2/\text{g}$  (gray) for calibration



Outliers:  
due to scatter in halo  
concentration of the CDM halo  
favors a mild  $v$ -dependence



Galaxies:  $\sim 2 \text{ cm}^2/\text{g}$

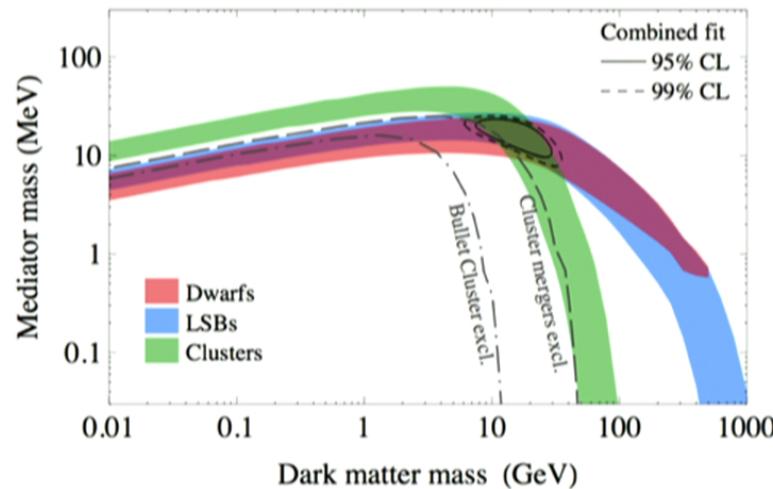
Clusters:  $\sim 0.1 \text{ cm}^2/\text{g}$

Bullet Cluster:  $< 1 \text{ cm}^2/\text{g}$

Kaplinghat, Tulin, HBY (PRL 2015)

# Measuring Dark Matter Mass

- Self-scattering kinematics determines SIDM mass



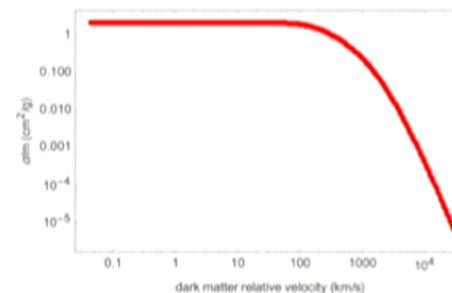
$$\alpha_X = 1/137$$

$$m_X \sim 15 \text{ GeV}, m_\phi \sim 15 \text{ MeV}$$

Kaplinghat, Tulin, HBY (PRL 2015)

$$V(r) = \frac{\alpha_X}{r} e^{-m_\phi r}$$

$$m_X \text{ vVS. } m_\phi \quad 10^{-3} m_X - m_\phi$$

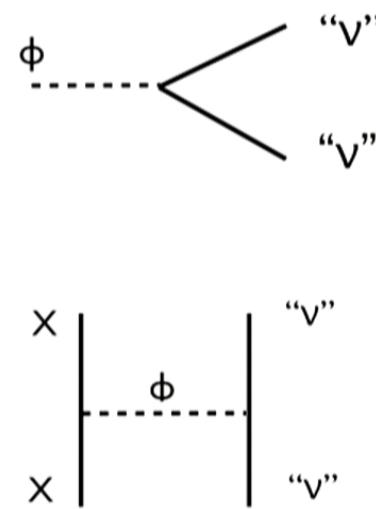
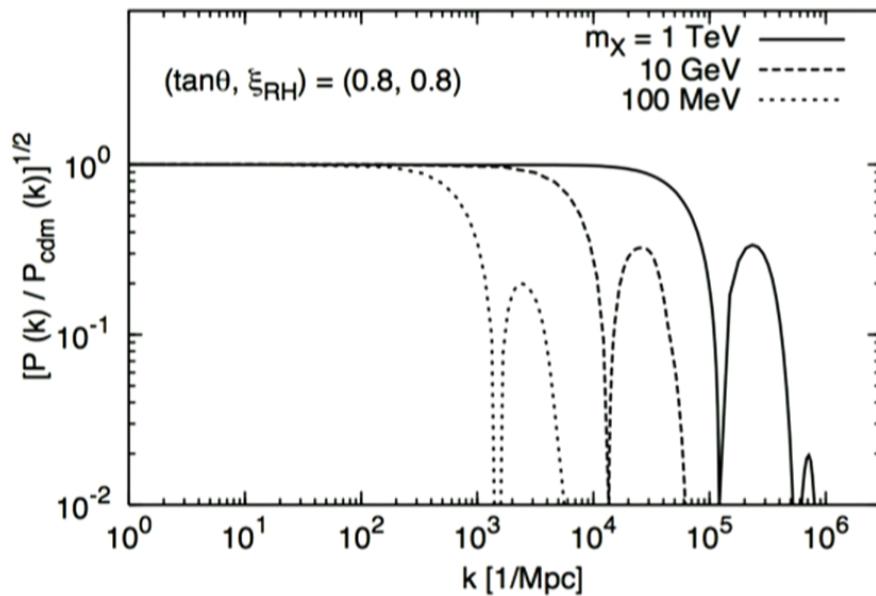


mild dependence on  $\alpha_X$

$$\alpha_X = 0.001 - 0.1$$

$$m_X \sim 5 - 30 \text{ GeV}$$

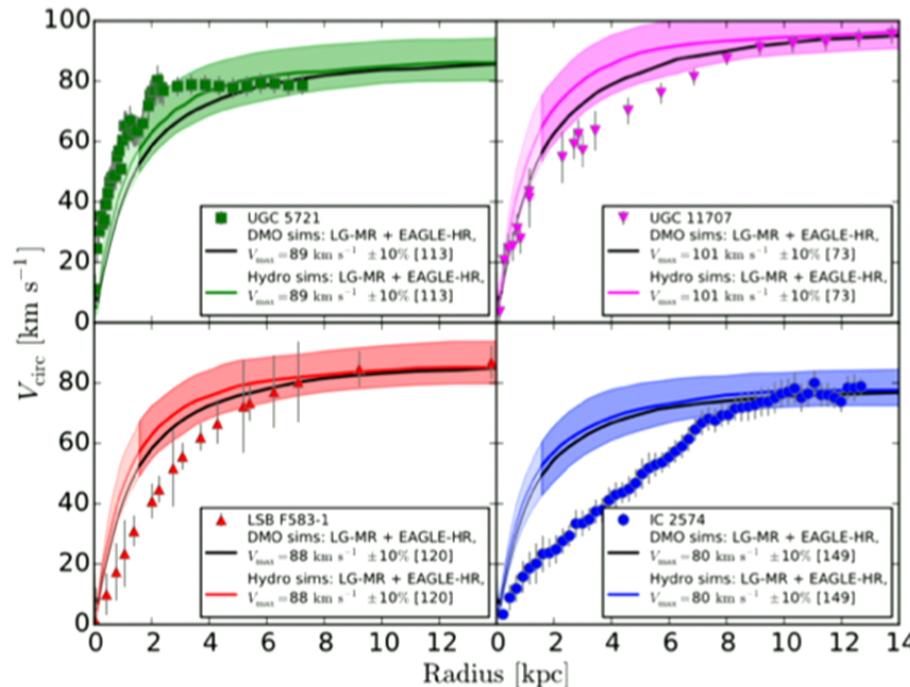
# Idea 3: Dark Acoustic Oscillation



Feng, Kaplinghat, Tu, HBY (JCAP 2009)

# Diversity

- Puzzle I: The diversity of spiral galaxies



diversity issue:  
related to halo concentration  
scatter in CDM halos  
baryonic effect

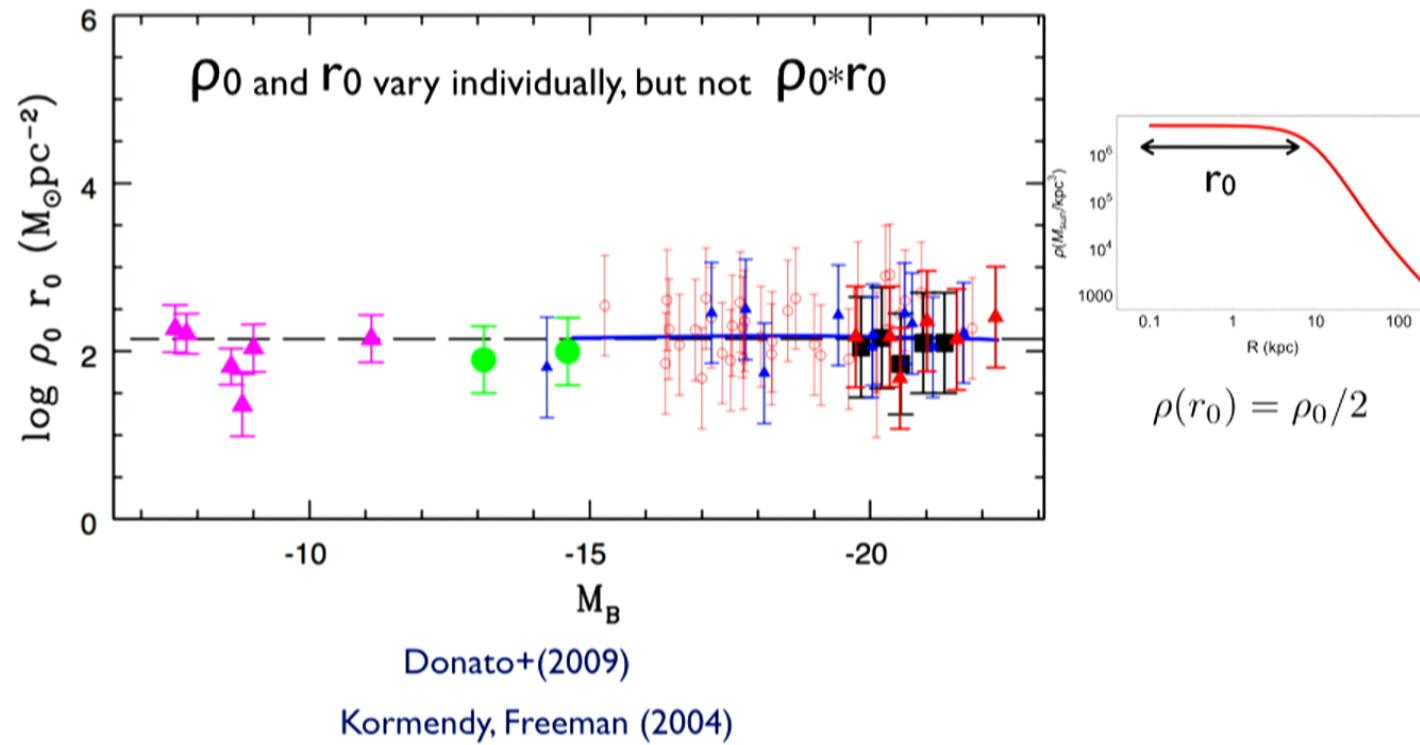
More sample galaxies

Oman+ (2015)

de Naray, Martinez, Bullock, Kaplinghat (2009)

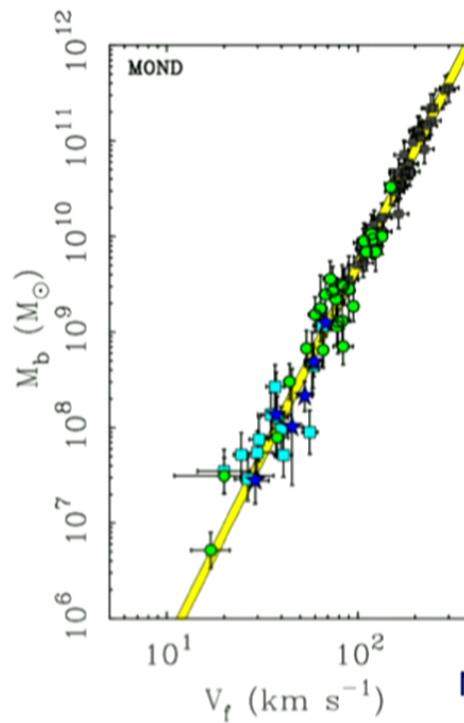
# Uniformity

- Puzzle 2: Constant DM halo surface density

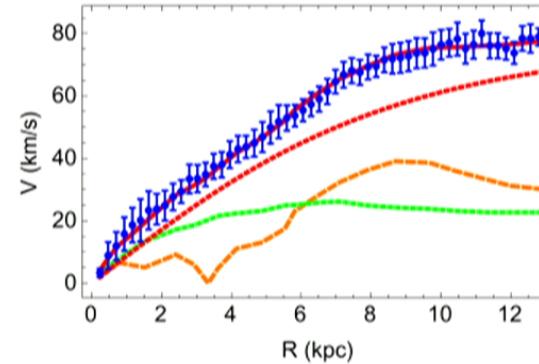


# Baryon-DM Conspiracy

- Puzzle 3: The baryonic Tully-Fisher relation



McGaugh (2011)



$$M_b = AV_f^4 \text{ with } A = 47 \pm 6 M_\odot \text{ km}^{-4} \text{ s}^4$$

# We have a lot to do!



MY WEEKEND  
IS ALL  
BOOKED

Stay tuned!

Thank You