Vincoli sulla materia oscura e future strategie osservative con esperimenti spaziali e a terra

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Dark Matter EVIDENCES

In 1933, the astronomer Zwicky realized that the mass of the luminous matter in the Coma cluster was much smaller than its total mass implied by the motion of cluster member galaxies:

***** Since then, many other evidences:



Rotation curves of galaxies



Gravitational lensing



Bullet cluster



Structure formation as deduced from CMB



Data by WMAP imply:



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Ω ь h² ≈ 0.02







Dark Matter



An Inventory of Matter in the Universe



Dark Matter Candidates

- Kaluza-Klein DM in UED
- Kaluza-Klein DM in RS
- Axion
- •Axino
- Gravitino
- Photino
- SM Neutrino
- Sterile Neutrino
- Sneutrino
- Light DM
- Little Higgs DM
- Wimpzillas
- Q-balls
- Mirror Matter
- Champs (charged DM)
- D-matter
- Cryptons
- Self-interacting
- Superweakly interacting
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scattering (Direct detection)

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Assume χ present in the galactic halo

- χ is its own antiparticle => can annihilate in galactic halo producing gamma-rays, antiprotons, positrons....
- Antimatter not produced in large quantities through standard processes (secondary production through $p + p \rightarrow anti p + X$)
- So, any extra contribution from exotic sources ($\chi \chi$ annihilation) is an interesting signature
- ie: $\chi \chi \rightarrow \text{ anti } p + X$
- Produced from (e. g.) $\chi \chi \rightarrow q / g / gauge boson / Higgs boson and subsequent decay and/ or hadronisation.$



Annihilation channels



<u>Differential</u> <u>yield for each</u> <u>annihilation</u> <u>channel</u> γ yield per annihilation

- •Quite distinctive spectrum (no power-law)
- •solid lines are the total yields, while the dashed lines are components not due to π^0 decays



A.Cesarini, F.Fucito, A.Lionetto, A.Morselli, P.Ullio, Astroparticle Physics, 21, 267, 2004 [astro-ph/0305075]

Differential yield for b bar for different <u>neutralino mass</u>





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Gamma rays produced per dark matter annihilation

 dN_{γ}/dE_{γ} (GeV)

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Search Strategies

Satellites:

Low background and good source id, but low statistics

Galactic center:

Good statistics but source confusion/diffuse background

Milky Way halo:

Large statistics but diffuse background

> And electrons! and Anisotropies

Extra-galactic:

Large statistics, but astrophysics,galactic diffuse background

Spectral lines:

No astrophysical uncertainties, good source id, but low statistics

Galaxy clusters: Low background but

low statistics

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Pre-launch sensitivities published in Baltz et al., 2008, JCAP 0807:013 [astro-ph/0806.2911]





Dwarf spheroidal galaxies (dSph): promising targets for DM detection







Dwarf Spheroidal Galaxies combined analysis



robust constraints including J-factor uncertainties from the stellar data statistical analysis NFW. For cored dark matter profile, the J-factors for most of the dSphs would either increase or not change much

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Fermi Lat Coll., PRL 107, 241302 (2011) [arXiv:1108.3546]

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Dwarf Spheroidal Galaxies combined analysis



Dwarf Spheroidal Galaxies upper-limits



Dwarf Spheroidal Galaxies upper-limits

15 Dwarfs 4-year data 500 MeV to 500GeV

M.Ackermann et al., [Fermi Coll.] Phys.Rev.D 89, 042001 (2014) [arXiv:1310.0828]



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25 Dwarf Spheroidal Galaxies upper-limits



DM limit improvement estimate in 10 years with the composite likelihood approach (2008-2018)



Dwarf Spheroidal Galaxies upper-limits



HAWC and Dark Matter Search



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The Galactic Center



High DM density at the Galactic center

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Annihilation radiation from the GC

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Sun



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Different spatial behaviour for decaying or annihilating dark matter



The angular profile of the gamma-ray signal is shown, as function of the angle θ to the centre of the galaxy for a Navarro-Frenk-White (NFW) halo distribution for decaying DM, solid (red) line, compared to the case of self-annihilating DM, dashed (blue) line INFN





The Fermi LAT 2FGL Inner Galactic Region

August 4, 2008, to July 31, 2010

100 MeV to 100 GeV energy range



Fermi Coll. ApJS (2012) 199, 31 arXiv:1108.1435

No association	Possible ass	Possible association with SNR or PWN		
× AGN	☆ Pulsar	△ Globular cluster		
* Starburst Gal	♦ PWN	⋈ HMB		
+ Galaxy	○ SNR	* Nova		

Annihilation channels



Wimp lines search





A line at ~ 130 GeV ?



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Fermi-LAT Line Search Flux Upper Limits



•Most of the limits fall within the expected bands.

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•Near 135 GeV the limits are near the upper edge of the bands.

•The huge statistics at low energies mean small uncertainties in the collecting area can produce statistical significant spectral features.





Constraints from the inner Galaxy

3 σ upper limits on the annihilation cross-section for different channels and halo profiles

No assumption on background

very robust result

Gomez-Vargas et al. JCAP 10 (2013) 029 arXiv:1308.3515



New Low Energy Line Search

Purpose:

To perform a spectral search for gamma-ray lines from 100 MeV to 10 GeV with the Fermi-LAT data This would constrain models of gravitino decay, focus on the µvSSM (Lopez-Fogliani & C. Muñoz PRL 97(2006)041801)

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Data: 5.2 years of Pass 7 Reprocessed data Fit for lines from 100 MeV to 10 GeV





Preliminary Limits for |b|>60° RoI



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New Low Energy Line Search

But this Analysis is Systematics Limited

- Modeling effective area
 background emission
 not masking known point
 sources: because the broad PSF
- of the LAT at low energies.



To improve the search a better energy and angular resolution at low energies is needed







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Residual Emission for 15 * 15 degrees around the Galactic center



Diffuse emission and point sources account for most of the emission observed in the region.

Low-level residuals remain, the interpretation of these is work in-progress





Spectrum (E> 400 MeV, 7°×7° region centered on the Galactic Center analyzed with binned likelihood analysis)



Fermi Coll. NIM A630 (2011) 147 [arXiv:0912.3828]



GC Residuals 7°×7° region centered on the Galactic Center 11 months of data, E >400 MeV, front-converting events analyzed with binned likelihood analysis)

• The systematic uncertainty of the effective area (blue area) of the LAT is ~10% at 100 MeV, decreasing to 5% at 560 MeV and increasing to 20% at 10 GeV



Galactic Center and Dark Matter



• Spatially extended excess of 1-3 GeV γ rays with a spectrum, angular distribution, and overall normalization that is in good agreement with that predicted by simple annihilating dark matter models"

- Well fit by a 31-40 GeV WIMP with $\langle \sigma v \rangle = (1.4 2.0) \times 10^{-26} \text{ cm}^3/\text{s}$
- approximately spherically symmetric and centered around the dynamical center of the Milky Way
 A Compelling Case for Annihilating Dark Matter arXiv:1402.6703

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A comparison of the dark matter mass determination using the spectrum derived from our Inner Galaxy analysis (solid line) and using the spectrum derived from our Galactic Center analysis (dashed and dotted lines) arXiv:1402.6703

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A comparison of the spectral shape of the gamma- ray excess from the sum of all millisecond pulsars detected as individual point sources by Fermi. The gamma-ray spectrum measured from millisecond pulsars and from globular clusters (whose emission is believed to be dominated by millisecond pulsars) is consistently softer than that of the observed excess at energies below ~1 GeV.

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Sources from two years Fermi catalog , template ring model for diffuse

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Conclusioni

Per lo studio della natura della materia oscura gli esperimenti che rivelano raggi gamma provenienti dallo spazio si stanno rivelando fondamentali (in sinergia con gli esperimenti a LHC e nei laboratori sotterranei).

Nel futuro sarebbe estremamente importante estendere l'intervallo di energia con esperimenti a piu' bassa energia rispetto a Fermi (per es. Gamma-Light) e a piu' alta energia (CTA)

Grazie per l'attenzione!





