Constraining PBHs with microlensing

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Contents of my talk

- Microlensing constraints on PBH with Subaru
- Microlensing constraints on PBH with OGLE
- Future prospects for PBHs/LIGO BHs

8.2m Subaru/Hyper Suprime-Cam

- Large aperture (8.2m)
- Wide FoV = $9 \times full \mod 1$
- ~1G pixels (104 CCDs)

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116 HPK FD CCDs

Microlensing search of stars in Andromeda Galaxy (M31)

- In the northern hemisphere (not accessible from VST, DES, LSST)
- Large spiral galaxy
- HSC FoV ~ entire M31
- ~770kpc (μ~24.4), reachable distance (not too far)!

PBH microlensing of M31 star

- <a few Msun BH \Rightarrow PBH
- Lensed image can't be resolved with optical resolution (~10⁻⁸ arcsec) ⇒ only light curve is a signal
- MW/M31 halo ~ 10¹²Msun (we assumed NFW models)
- PBH has a peculiar velocity of ~200km/s
- ~1000 expected events if PBH is DM
- Need to monitor brightness of the same star as a function of "time" (time domain astronomy)

$$R_E = \sqrt{\frac{4\pi G M_{\rm PBH} d(1 - d/d_s)}{c^2}}$$

PBH microlensing on M31 star

Cumulative optical depth of PBH microlensing for a single star in M31

If we observe ~10⁶ stars at one time, one star at leas should be micro-lensed if PBHs are DM

Event rate per unit obs. time and per a single star in M31 for a given timescale of light curve (we monitored ~10⁸ stars)

Rule of the game: LC timescale vs. Cadence

Design the ML observation satisfying the condition $\Delta t_{\rm visit} \sim \frac{t_{\rm LC}}{O(10)}$

time from the start of observation

Challenges: Pixel lensing

Fluxes from multiple stars are overlapped at each position

dense star region

Upper left: reference image (0.5'') Upper right: target image (0.8'') Lower: difference image

Accurate PSF and astrometry measurements needed. HSC pipeline (hscPipe) works!

Procedures: search for ML events difference image (coadds of 3 exposures)

identify candidates in each diff. image ⇒15,571

measure light curve (188 data points)

fitting of LC to the microlensing model

selection criteria → 66

visual inspection of individual candidates...

One microlensing candidate among ~15,000 variable stars ...?

Expected number of ML events

 $N_{\rm ML,exp} \simeq N_{\rm s} \times t_{\rm obs} \times \frac{\mathrm{d}\tau}{\mathrm{d}t_E} \times \frac{\epsilon(t_E)}{\epsilon(t_E)}$

of source stars – depends on target gals (M31, LMC, Galactic bulge), tel. aperture, seeing, ...

total observation time (duration of monitoring observation)

ML optical depth depends on the number of compact objects (MS, WD, NS, BH) ... PBHs

efficiency depends on cadence and quality of data

$$R_{\rm E} = \sqrt{\frac{4\pi G M_{\rm PBH} d_{\rm PBH} (1 - d_{\rm PBH}/d_{\rm s})}{c^2}}$$
$$t_{\rm E} \simeq \frac{R_{\rm E}}{v}$$

Optical Gravitational Lensing Experiment (OGLE)

- A long-term monitoring observation of Galactic bulge (1992-).
 PI Prof. Udalski (Warsaw): Note MOA (Nagoya, Osaka, ...)
- 1.3m Warsaw U. Telescope at Las Campanas, Chile

5-years OGLE data: Mroz et al. 2017

 2622 ML events: the ML timescale distribution is provided (now >5000 events)

Spatial distribution of "stars" 0 aurus Arn Arm Norma Ann Outer Am 🕑 Sun Q. seus Arm 30,000 ly

Gould & Han 1995: spatial structure of "stars"

TABLE 2

Location	Model	Distribution
Bulge	isothermal Kent	$\rho(r) = \sigma_{\text{bulge}}^2 / 2\pi Gr^2 = 36.7 (\sigma_{\text{bulge}}/r)^2 \ M_{\odot} \text{ pc}^{-3}$ $\rho(s) = 1.04 \times 10^6 (s/0.482)^{-1.85} \ M_{\odot} \text{ pc}^{-3} (s < 938 \text{ pc})$ $\rho(s) = 3.53 K_0 (s/667) \ M_{\odot} \text{ pc}^{-3} (s \ge 938 \text{ pc})$
	bar	$v(r_s) = v_0 \exp(-0.5r_s^2) \times 10^9 L_{\odot} \text{ pc}^{-3}$
Disk	Bahcall Kent	$n(R, z) = n(0, 0) \exp \left\{-\left[\frac{(R - 8000)}{3500} + \frac{z}{325}\right]\right\}$ $v(R, z) = 3.0 \exp \left[-\frac{(R}{3001} + \frac{z}{h_1}\right] L_{\odot} \text{ pc}^{-3} (R < 5 \text{ kpc})$
		$v(R, z) = 3.0(h_1/h_2) \exp \left[-(R/3001 + z/h_2)\right] L_{\odot} \text{ pc}^{-3} (R \ge 5 \text{ kpc})$
	КР	$\rho = 0.1 \ M_{\odot} \ \text{pc}^{-3} (d < d_{\text{max}})$ $\rho = 0 \ M_{\odot} \ \text{pc}^{-3} (d \ge d_{\text{max}})$

The density distribution models adopted for stellar populations. The values $r = (x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{1/2}$, $R = (x^2 + y^2)^{1/2}$, $s^4 = R^4 + (z/0.61)^4$ are measured in pc. K_0 is a modified Bessel function and $n(0, 0) = 0.097 \text{ pc}^{-3}$. We adopted $d_{\text{max}} \sim 4 \text{ kpc}$ for the KP model. The Bahcall and Kent disk models and the barred bulge model are expressed in number density, n(R, z), and luminosity functions, v(R, z) and $v(r_s)$, respectively. For the Kent disk model two different scale heights are adopted for the inner $(h_1 \text{ for } R < 5 \text{ kpc})$ and outer $(h_2 \text{ for } R \ge 5 \text{ kpc})$ parts of the disk. The respective scale heights are $h_1 = 165 \text{ pc}$ and $h_2 = (0.027R + 28.3) \text{ pc}$. For the barred (anisotropic) bulge model, $v_0 = 3.66 \times 10^7 L_{\odot} \text{ kpc}^{-3}$, and $r_s = \{[(x'/x_0)^2 + (y'/y_0)^2]^2 + (z'/z_0)^4\}^{1/4}$. Here the coordinates (x', y', z') have their center at the Galactic center, the longest axis is the x' axis, and the shortest axis is the z' axis. The values of the scale lengths are $x_0 = 1.58 \text{ kpc}$, $y_0 = 0.62 \text{ kpc}$, and $z_0 = 0.43 \text{ kpc}$, respectively.

Velocity structure of "stars" disk stars (vertical) Earth: rigid rotation ~220km/s ~30km/s diameter of Milky Way bulge stars galaxy ~100km/s (100,000 light-years)

galaxy viewed from above

galaxy viewed from the side

Microlensing of Galactic bulge

• Microlensing light curve timescale

$$t_{\rm E} = \frac{R_{\rm E}}{v_{\rm t}} \simeq 44 \, \operatorname{days} \left(\frac{M}{M_{\odot}}\right)^{1/2} \left(\frac{d_{\rm l}d_{\rm ls}/d_{\rm s}}{4 \, \mathrm{kpc}}\right)^{1/2} \left(\frac{v_{\rm t}}{220 \, \mathrm{km/s}}\right)^{-1}$$
$$\mathbf{v}_t = \mathbf{v}_{\rm l} - \left(\frac{d_{\rm l}}{d_{\rm s}}\mathbf{v}_{\rm s} + \frac{d_{\rm l}}{d_{\rm s}}\mathbf{v}_{\rm o}\right)$$

Expected event # at a given LC timescale (t_E)

$$\begin{split} N_{\mathrm{exp}}(t_{\mathrm{E}})\Delta t_{\mathrm{E}} &\sim N_{\mathrm{s}}t_{\mathrm{obs}}\Delta t_{\mathrm{E}} \int_{0}^{d_{\mathrm{s}}} \mathrm{d}d_{\mathrm{l}}n_{\mathrm{l}}(d_{\mathrm{l}})R_{\mathrm{E}} \int \mathrm{d}v_{\perp} \ v_{\perp}^{2}f(v_{\perp})\delta_{D}\left(t_{\mathrm{E}}-\frac{2R_{\mathrm{E}}}{v_{\perp}}\right) \\ &\sim N_{\mathrm{s}}t_{\mathrm{obs}}\Delta t_{\mathrm{E}} \int_{0}^{d_{\mathrm{s}}} \mathrm{d}d_{\mathrm{l}}n_{\mathrm{l}}(d_{\mathrm{l}}) \frac{R_{\mathrm{E}}^{4}}{t_{\mathrm{E}}^{4}} f\left(v_{\perp}=\frac{2R_{\mathrm{E}}}{t_{\mathrm{E}}}\right) \\ &\propto M^{2} \\ &\text{velocity distribution} \\ \end{split}$$

(old-days) Astronomers very smart!

PBH lenses needed?

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From today's arXiv

Compact Dark Matter Objects via N Dark Sectors

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We propose a novel class of compact dark matter objects in theories where the dark matter consists of multiple sectors. We call these objects N-MACHOs. In such theories neither the existence of dark matter species nor their extremely weak coupling to the observable sector represent additional hypotheses but instead are imposed by the solution to the Hierarchy Problem and unitarity. The crucial point is that particles from the same sector have non-trivial interactions but interact only gravitationally otherwise. As a consequence, the pressure that counteracts the gravitational collapse is reduced while the gravitational force remains the same. This results in collapsed structures much lighter and smaller as compared to the ordinary single-sector case. We apply this phenomenon to a dark matter theory that consists of N dilute copies of the Standard Model. The solutions do not rely on an exotic stabilization mechanism, but rather use the same well-understood properties as known

stellar structures. This framework also gives rise to new microscopic super example with mass 10^8 g and size 10^{-13} cm. By confronting the resulting obje constraints, we find that, due to a huge suppression factor entering the mass sp evade the strongest constrained region of the parameter space. Finally, we disc scenarios of N-MACHOs. We argue that, due to the efficient dissipation of e high-density regions such as ultra-compact mini-halos could serve as formation

I. INTRODUCTION

To the present day the fundamental nature of the dark matter (DM) remains one of the major mysteries in cosmology and particle physics. At the same time, another major unanswered question in particle physics is what stabilizes the mass term of the Higgs boson against quantum corrections at a value more than 32 orders of magniIn the present paper which goes under the n the Hierarchy Problem low-energy effective the species, the quantum-gr

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FIG. 2: The blue-shading represents the 95% C.L. allowed region of *N*-MACHO abundance using combined data from OGLE [42] and HSC/Subaru [41]. (Figure adapted from Ref. [43])

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~70Msun BH found! (last week Nature paper)

Article

A wide star-black-hole binary system from radial-velocity measurements

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All stellar-mass black holes have hitherto been identified by X-rays emitted from gas that is accreting onto the black hole from a companion star. These systems are all binaries with a black-hole mass that is less than 30 times that of the Sun¹⁻⁴. Theory predicts, however, that X-ray-emitting systems form a minority of the total population of star–black-hole binaries^{5,6}. When the black hole is not accreting gas, it can be found through radial-velocity measurements of the motion of the companion star. Here we report radial-velocity measurements taken over two years of the Galactic B-type star, LB-1. We find that the motion of the B star and an accompanying H α emission line require the presence of a dark companion with a mass of 68^{+11}_{-13} solar masses, which can only be a black hole. The long orbital period of 78.9 days shows that this is a wide binary system. Gravitational-wave experiments have detected black holes of similar mass, but the formation of such massive ones in a high-metallicity environment would be extremely challenging within current stellar evolution theories.

summary

- Gravitational microlensing is a very powerful probe of "compact, invisible objects" including PBH and astrophysical BH
- We used the 8.2m Subaru HSC data of M31 to search for ML due to PBHs, and obtained the tightest upper bound on the abundance of PBHs
- Also used the 5yrs OGLE data (1.3m) to constrain PBH

- A hint of the Earth-mass PBHs?

 ML can be used to search for LIGO-counterpart BH of ~10Msun, if we can have ~10yr data of Galactic bulge/disk with HSC or LSST

- The same data allows various science cases (IMF, exoplanets, ...)