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Searching for particle dark matter by cross-correlating gamma rays and large-scale structure

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Gamma x large-scale structure

Fermi-LAT, Phys. Rev. Lett. 121, 241101 (2018)

All the gamma-ray sources must trace large-scale structure in the Universe



Huchra et al., Astrophys. J. Suppl. Ser. 199, 26 (2011)



There has to be positive cross correlation

Cross correlation as efficient dark matter probe



- Cross correlating with LSS proven to be efficient probe of particle DM
 - Utilize all available information (energy, spatial and redshift info) with efficient kernel
 - Astrophysical components are relatively suppressed
 - Interpretation is however limited by understanding of substructure

Contents

 Results of cross-correlation analysis between the Fermi-LAT gamma-ray data and Dark Energy Survey (DES) weak-lensing data

Ammazzalorso, Gruen, Regis, Camera, Ando, Fornengo et al. *Phys. Rev. Lett.* (2020) [arXiv:1907.13484 [astro-ph.CO]]

• New models of dark matter subhalos and annihilation boost

Hiroshima, Ando, Ishiyama, *Phys. Rev. D* **97**, 123002 (2018) Ando, Ishiyama, Hiroshima, *Galaxies* **7**, 68 (2019)

• New dwarf constraints on dark matter annihilation



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- Phenomenological model
 - PSF-like: Same sources contributing to both gammaray emission and shear
 - 2halo-like: Large-scalestructure distribution

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Physical model

- Astrophysical components (BLZ, mAGN, SFG)
- Dark matter annihilation
- Signal-to-noise ratio = 5.2

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MCMC parameter scan



	$ au^+ au^-$	$b\bar{b}$
Significance	2.8σ	2.7σ
$\frac{m_{\rm DM}}{{ m GeV}}$	65^{+27}_{-23}	308^{+188}_{-120}
$\frac{\langle \sigma v \rangle}{\langle \sigma v \rangle_{\rm th}}$	26^{+17}_{-15}	78^{+67}_{-43}

- Slight preference toward DM
- But required cross section is one order of magnitude larger, for recent subhalo models by Hiroshima et al. (2018); Ando et al. (2019)

Dark matter subhalos

http://wwwmpa.mpa-garching.mpg.de/aquarius/

How uncertain is the boost?



Gao et al., Mon. Not. R. Astron. Soc. 419, 1721 (2012)



Moliné et al., Mon. Not. R. Astron. Soc. 466, 4974 (2017)

- Very uncertain, of which we don't even have good sense
- No way that it can be solved with numerical simulations

Analytic modeling



Model ingredients

Infall distribution of subhalos:

Extended Press-Schechter formalism

Modeling of tidal mass loss:

Monte Carlo calibrated with simulations



Yang et al., Astrophys. J. 741, 13, (2011)

Hiroshima, Ando, Ishiyama, Phys. Rev. D 97, 123002 (2018)

Subhalo mass function: Clusters and galaxies



Hiroshima, Ando, Ishiyama, Phys. Rev. D 97, 123002 (2018)

Subhalo mass function: Galaxies at z=2,4



Hiroshima, Ando, Ishiyama, Phys. Rev. D 97, 123002 (2018)

Subhalo mass function: Dwarfs at z=5



Hiroshima, Ando, Ishiyama, Phys. Rev. D 97, 123002 (2018)

Annihilation boost

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w/ up to sub³-subhalos



- Boost can be as large as ~1 (3) for galaxies (clusters)
- Boost factors are higher at larger redshifts, but saturates after z = 1
- For one combination of host mass and redshifts (*M*, *z*), the code takes only
 ~O(1) min to calculate the boost on a laptop computer

Implications for dwarf J factors

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Hayashi et al., Mon. Not. R. Astron. Soc. 461, 2914 (2016)

Estimates of density profiles

• Estimates of r_s and ρ_s usually rely on Bayesian statistics:

$$P(r_s, \rho_s | \mathbf{d}) \propto P(r_s, \rho_s) \mathscr{L}(\mathbf{d} | r_s, \rho_s)$$

- If data are not constraining, the posterior depends on prior choices
- Usually **log-uniform priors** are chosen for both r_s and ρ_s
- Doing frequentist way is very challenging, which is done only for *classical* dwarfs (Chiappo et al. 2016, 2018)

Ando, Geringer-Sameth, Hiroshima, Hoof, Trotta, Walker, in preparation



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- This is hard to achieve with simulations as they are limited by statistics of finding dwarf candidates





- Using satellite priors will systematically shift the J distribution toward lower values
- But this depends on satellite formation models



Ando, Geringer-Sameth, Hiroshima, Hoof, Trotta, Walker, in preparation

Cross section constraints



- Adopting satellite priors weaken the cross section constraints by a factor of 2-7
- The effect is relatively insensitive to condition of satellite formation: robust prediction
- Thermal cross section can be excluded only up to 20-50 GeV
- Also very relevant for wino dark matter targeted by CTA

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Conclusions

- Correlation between gamma-ray (Fermi-LAT) and weaklensing (DES) data has been detected
- **Dark matter interpretation** is only **slightly preferred** over purely astrophysical scenario, but required cross section is very high and also depends how to model subhalos
- We developed analytic models which yielded relatively modest annihilation boost ~O(1) for galaxies
- Applying the same models weakens the dwarf constraints on the annihilation cross section by a factor of 2-7

Backup

Comparison with VL-II simulations



