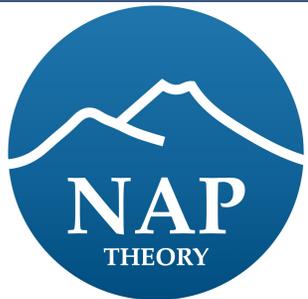


PRIMORDIAL BLACK HOLE DARK MATTER EVAPORATING ON THE NEUTRINO FLOOR

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MAIN IDEA



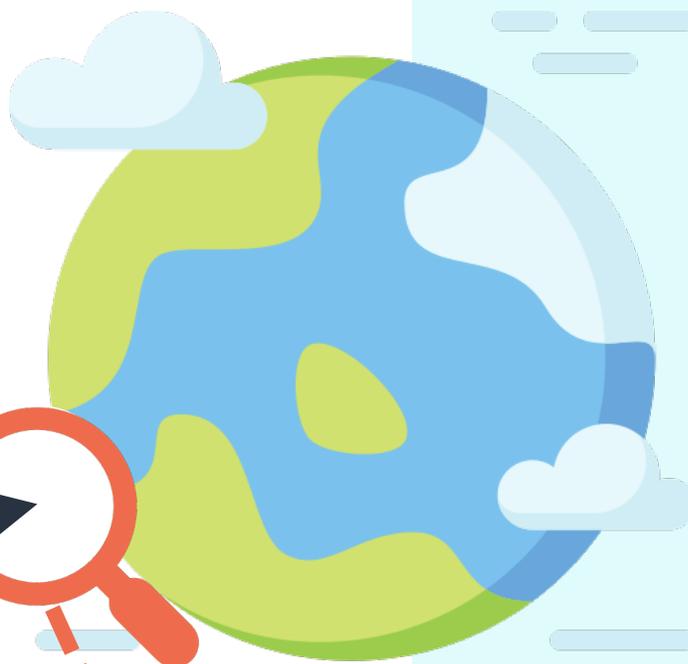
HAWKING RADIATION



e

γ

ν



Incoming ν

Recoiling nucleus

Outgoing ν

DM candidates:

- WIMPs;
- Axions;
- PBHs;
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Detection of neutrinos emitted from PBHs by Coherent Elastic Neutrino Nucleus Scattering ($CE\nu NS$)

INTRODUCTION

Primordial Black Holes

Primordial black holes could be cold **Dark Matter** candidates. They originate from **large matter over densities** in the early universe.

PBHs Abundance

The fraction of DM made up of PBHs is:

$$f_{PBH} = \frac{\rho_{PBH}}{\rho_{DM}}$$

Various constraints on it are viable in literature. We consider **neutral** and **non-rotating** PBHs

Hypothesis

We consider PBHs with masses $\sim 10^{15}g$.

We consider a **monochromatic mass distribution**

BHs lose mass emitting all the elementary particles whose mass is lower than the BHs temperature (**Hawking Radiation** \sim black body like). BHs temperature is inversely proportional to the BHs mass. Ordinary BHs evaporation is small due to their temperature.



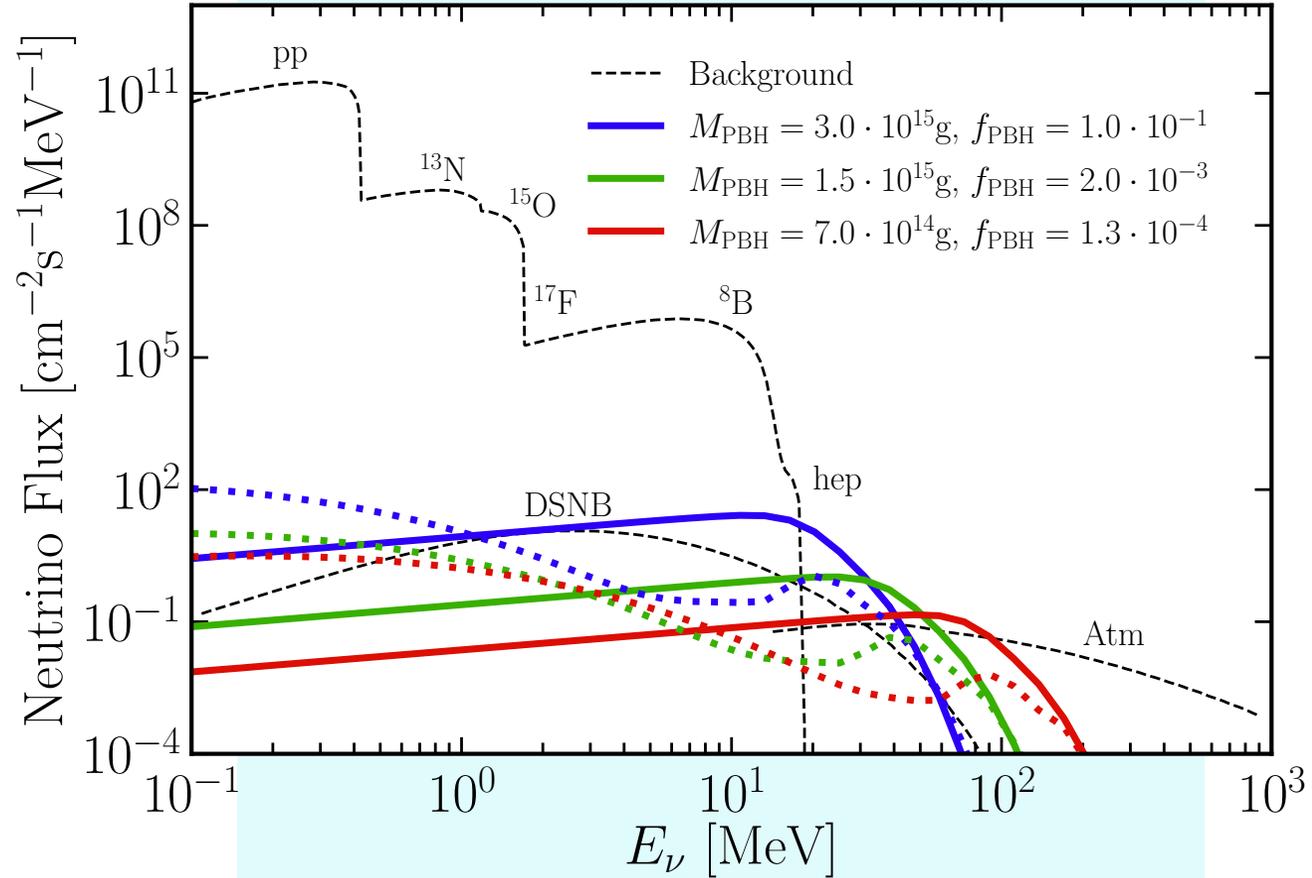
NEUTRINO FLUX

$$\frac{d\phi^{MW}}{dE_\nu} = \int \frac{d\Omega}{4\pi} \frac{dN}{dt dE_\nu} \int dl \frac{f_{PBH} \rho_{NFW}[r(l, \psi)]}{M_{PBH}}$$

$$\frac{d\phi_\nu^{EG}}{dE_\nu} = \int dt [1 + z(t)] \frac{f_{PBH} \rho_{DM}}{M_{PBH}} \frac{dN}{dt d\tilde{E}_\nu} \Big|_{\tilde{E}_\nu = E[1+z(t)]}$$

- CEvNS* is flavor blind :**
- no need to consider oscillation
 - we consider all the active neutrinos.

————— Primary
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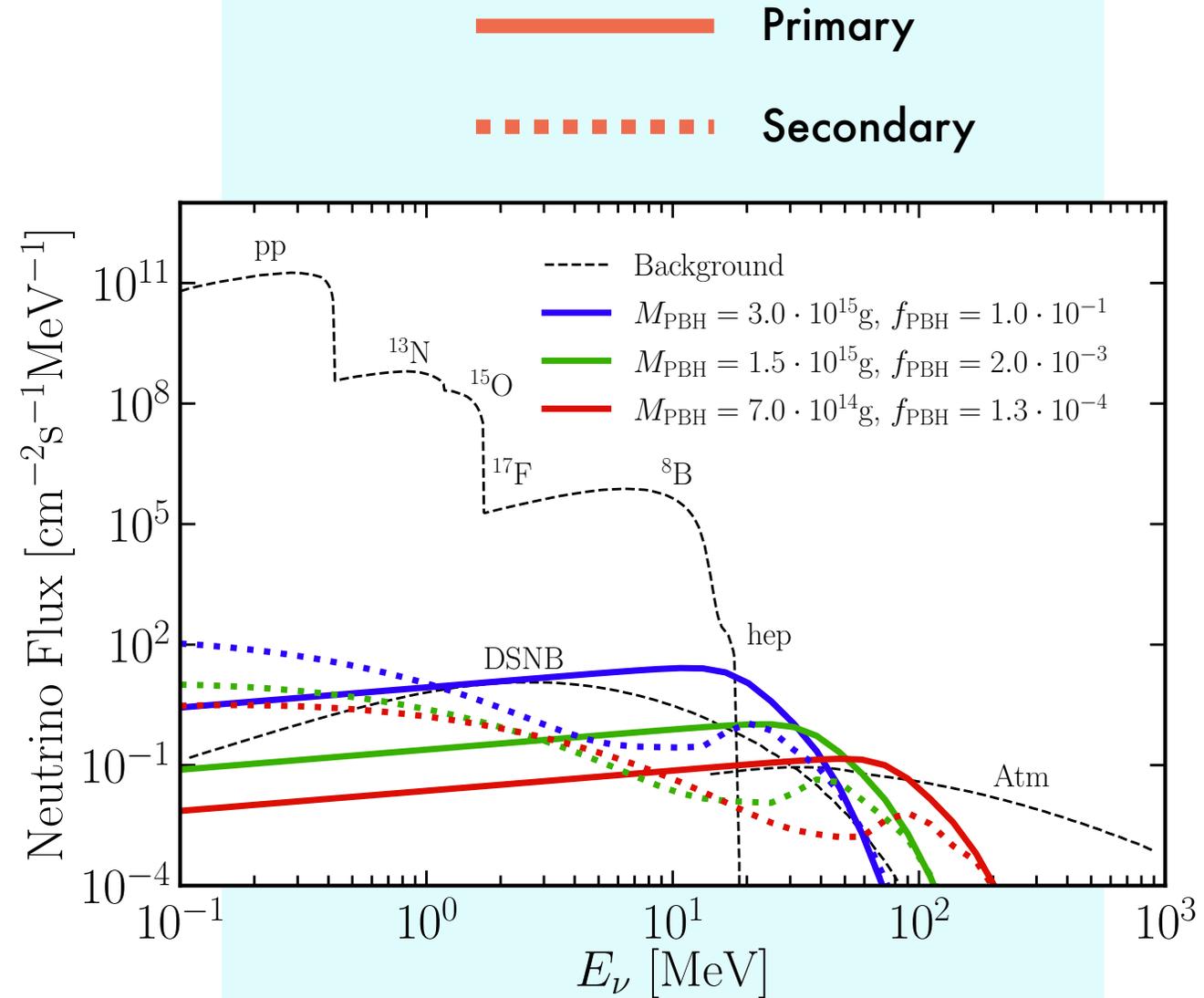


$$\frac{d\phi_\nu}{dE_\nu} \propto f_{PBH}$$

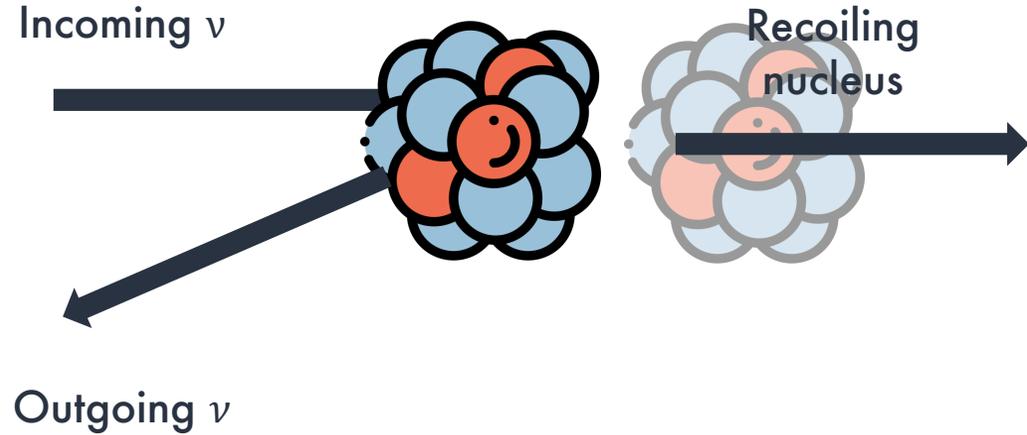
NEUTRINO FLUX

We can see that PBHs neutrinos are visible after the abrupt fall-off of the solar hep neutrinos.

The background consists in Diffuse Supernova Neutrino Background (DSNB), hep neutrinos and Atmospheric neutrinos (Atm).



CE ν NS



Coherent Neutrino-Nucleus Scattering occurs between an active neutrino flavor and a nucleus

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dE_r} = \frac{G_F^2 m_T}{4\pi} [N - Z(1 - 4 \sin^2 \theta_W^2)]^2 \left(1 - \frac{m_T E_r}{2E_\nu^2}\right) F^2(\sqrt{2m_T E_r})$$

$$F(Q) = \frac{3j_1(QR_0)}{QR_0} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2} s^2 Q^2\right)$$

The interaction of astrophysical neutrinos through CE ν NS in the detector is described by

$$\frac{dR_{\nu N}}{dE_r dt} = n_T \epsilon(E_r) \int dE_\nu \frac{d\sigma}{dE_r} \frac{d\phi}{dE_\nu} \Theta\left(\frac{2E_\nu^2}{m_T + 2E_\nu} - E_r\right)$$

TEST STATISTIC

We implemented the χ^2 test statistic

$$\chi^2 = \min_{\alpha} [\chi^2(\boldsymbol{\theta}, \boldsymbol{\alpha}) + (1 - \alpha)^T \Sigma_{\alpha}^{-1} (1 - \alpha)]$$

$$\Sigma_{\alpha} = \text{diag}(\sigma_{\alpha_1}^2, \sigma_{\alpha_2}^2, \sigma_{\alpha_3}^2) \quad \boldsymbol{\alpha}^T = [\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3] \quad \boldsymbol{\theta}^T = [M_{PBH}, f_{PBH}]$$

For the uncertainties, we have assumed 30%, 50%, and 20% respectively for solar hep, DSNB, and atmospheric neutrinos.

$$\chi^2(\boldsymbol{\theta}, \boldsymbol{\alpha}) = -2 \ln \frac{\prod P(\bar{N}_{bck}^i, N_{PBH}^i(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + N_{bck}^i(\boldsymbol{\alpha}))}{\prod P(\bar{N}_{bck}^i, \bar{N}_{bck}^i)}$$

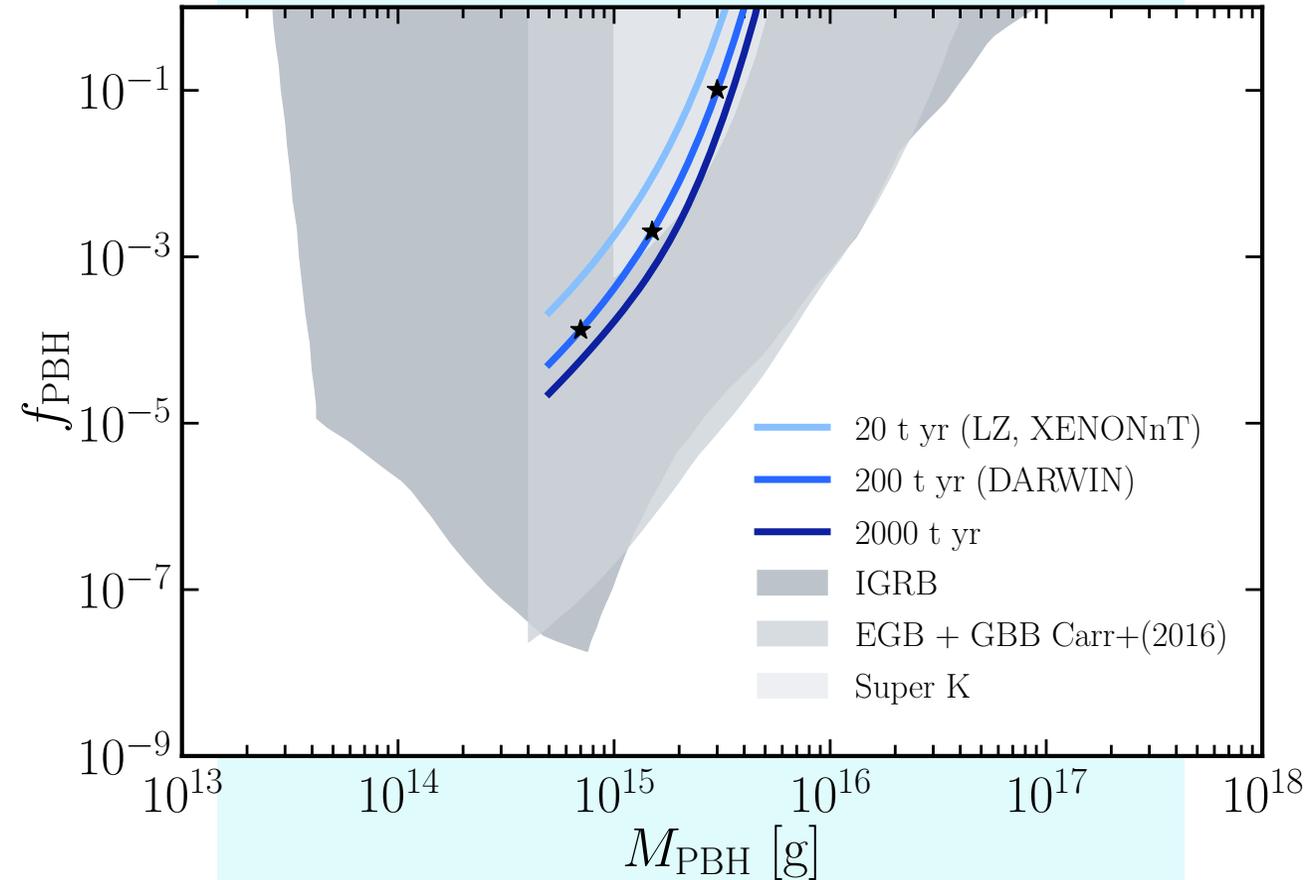
- 10 Bin
- $E_r \in [5, 50] \text{KeV}$

χ^2

UPPER LIMIT

CEνNS would allow us to improve the bounds derived from Super-Kamiokande and extend them to lower PBHs masses.

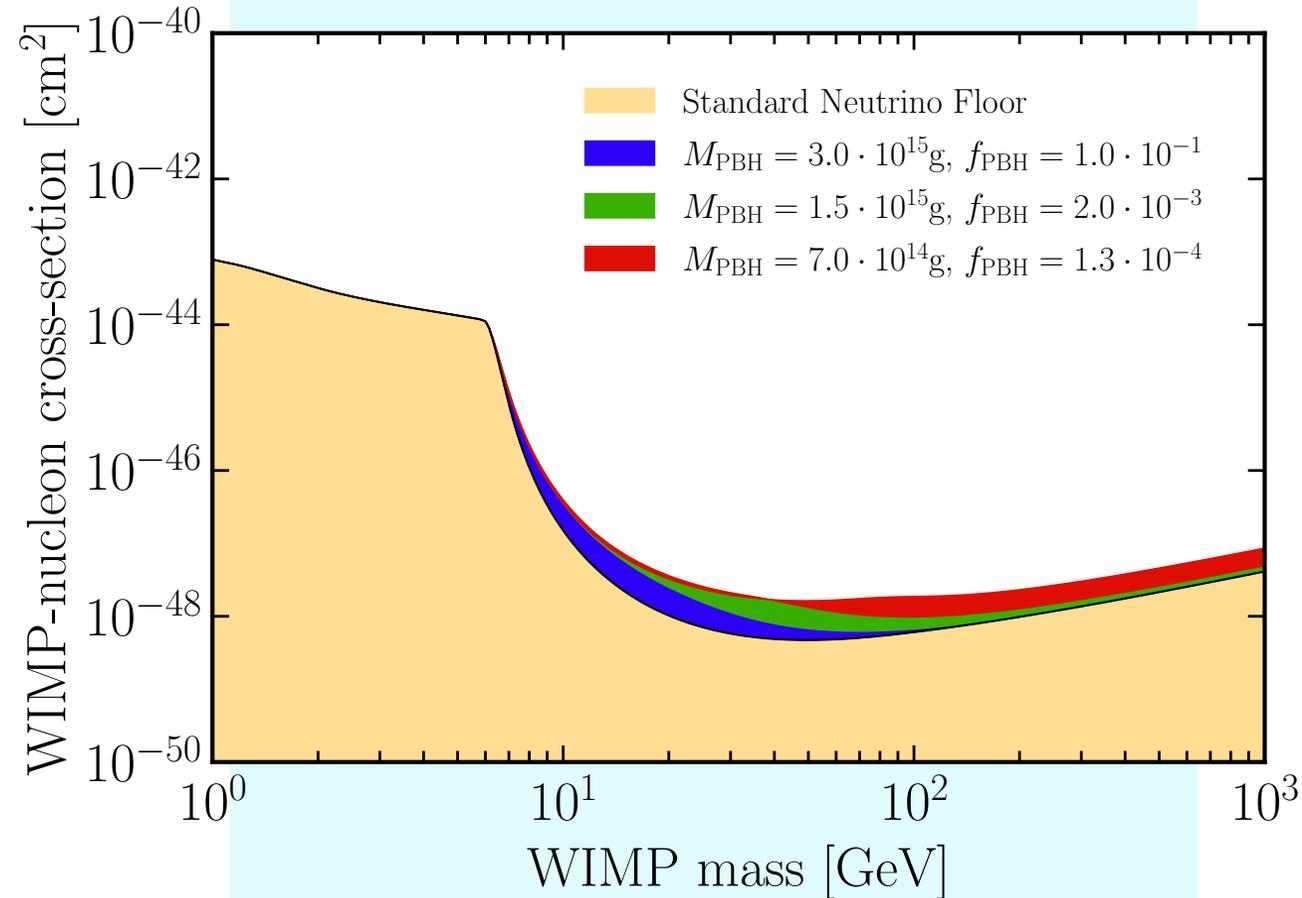
In the context of PBHs searches the direct DM experiments would rather operate as low-energy indirect observatories, complementary to the high-energy neutrino telescopes.



NEUTRINO FLOOR

The solar, DSNB and atmospheric neutrinos constitute an irreducible background for the WIMPs searches.

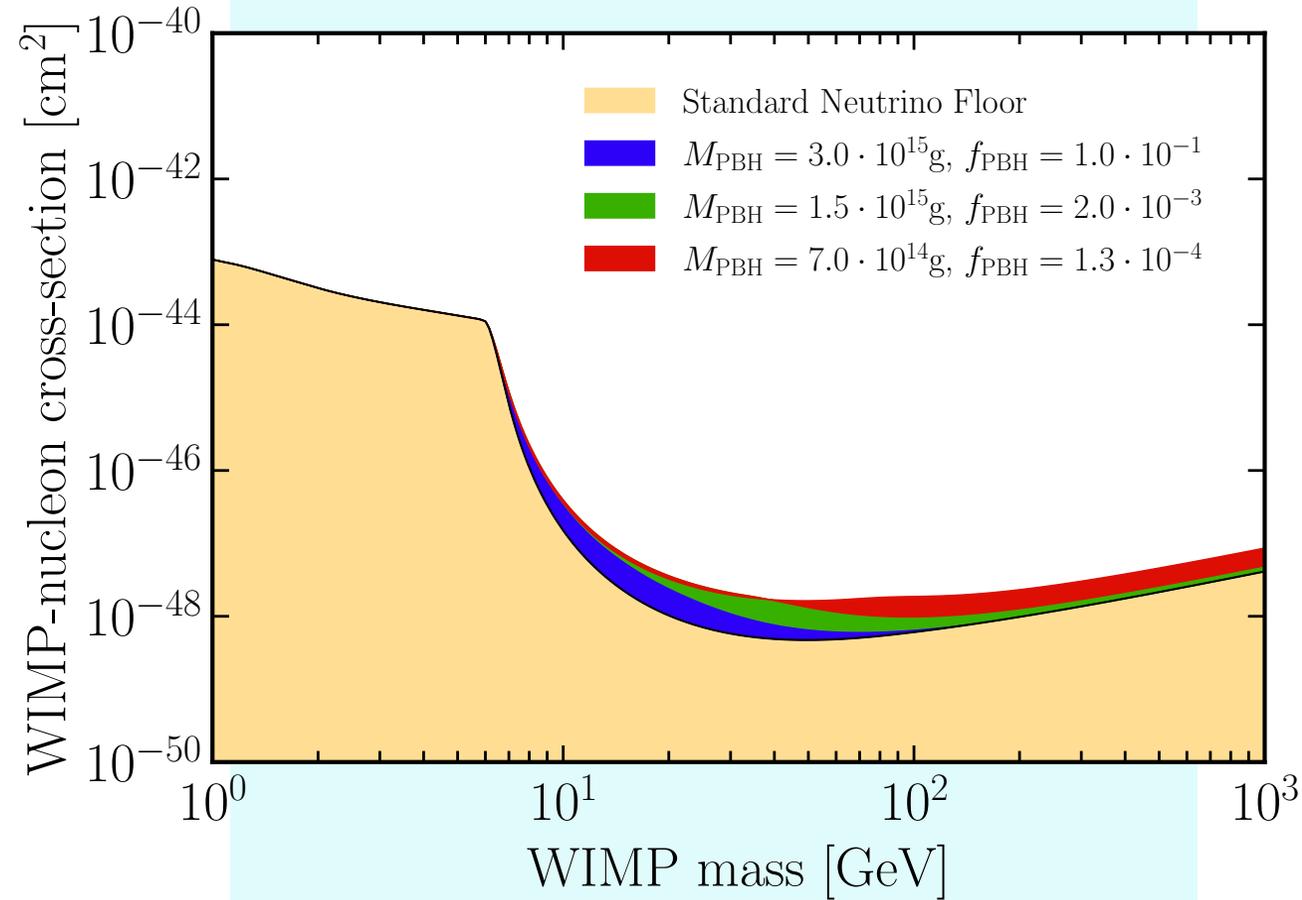
This background forms to the so-called "neutrino floor", an ultimate limitation to the discovery potential of the DM experiments.



NEUTRINO FLOOR

Since the PBHs neutrinos lie on top of the “Standard” Background, the existence of a fraction of PBHs in the DM content would modify the neutrino floor.

We have quantified how much a signal from PBHs would heighten the “neutrino floor”



CONCLUSIONS

- The $CE\nu NS$ would allow us to extend and improved Super-K constraints on PBH abundance.
- We used DM direct experiments as low-energy indirect observatories.
- We quantified how much the standard neutrino floor is affected by PBH neutrinos.





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