DARK MATTER IN DWARF SPHEROIDAL GALAXIES

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Galactic dSphs as a probe of DM

Mass to Light ratio (M/L) within stellar extent in dSphs



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Candidate to solve these issues:

- Baryon feedbacks?
- Alternative dark matter models, such as WDM?
- Incomplete observational data and dynamical analysis?



Deriving DM profiles from spherical mass models

Spherical mass models

Dark halo model :

$$\rho(r) = \rho_0 \left(\frac{r}{r_0}\right)^{-\gamma} \left[1 + \left(\frac{r}{r_0}\right)^{\alpha}\right]^{\frac{\gamma-3}{\alpha}}$$

Plummer model for stellar density :

$$u \propto [1 + r^2 / r_{
m half}^2]^{-5/2}$$

Spherical Jeans equation

$$\nu \bar{v_r^2} = Gr^{-2\beta} \int_r^\infty s^{2\beta - 2} \nu(s) M(s) ds$$

Velocity anisotropy β= *constant*

It is too simple, isn't it?

"Spherical averaged" I-o-s velocity dispersion profiles



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Workshop on Astrophysics of Dark Matter

Walker+ 2009

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Sculptor

Fornax



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Springel et al.2008

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Construction of axisymmetric mass models for dSphs to obtain plausible limits on their density profiles and shapes of their DM halos (KH & Chiba 2012, 2015a, b).





Springel et al.2008

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It is clear that our axisymmetric mass models provide a different picture of this issue, namely, the mass constancy within the inner 300 pc as argued by spherical models is not necessarily the case.



New universality for the DM halos

KH & Chiba(2015a,b) based on axisymmetric mass models

Maximum circular velocity



We suppose that a test particle perform circular motion in a DM halo potential.

$$V_{
m circ}(r) = \sqrt{rac{GM(< r)}{r}}$$

 $r_{\rm max}$ indicates the radius of the maximum value of circular velocity, $V_{\rm max}.$

✓ DM surface density within r_{max}



$$\Sigma_{V_{
m max}} \propto
ho_s r_s$$

for NEW profiles $ho(r)=
ho_s(r/r_s)^{-1}(1+r/r_s)^{-2}$

A common surface density scale for dark halos



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Galaxy type	Assumed DM profile				
spirals (THINGS & GHASP)	pseudo-isothermal profile				
dwarf irregulars	Burkert profile				
spirals and ellipticals	Burkert profile				
MW and M31 dSph	double power law profile		dSphs (c	ore) [This work]	
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Dark matter surface density within r_{max} is sufficiently constant across a wide range of galaxies, irrespective of dark halo density profiles.



Comparison with dark matter scenario

- At higher halo-mass range, this constancy for real galaxies can be naturally reproduced by both CDM & WDM, even though do not perform any fitting to the data!
 - Mean surface density derived





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Summary

- We have constructed axisymmetric mass models for dSphs in the MW and M31 to obtain plausible limits on the structure of their dark halos.
- 2. The global shapes of dark halos have largely effects on the limitation of particle mass and cross section of dark matter.
- 3. We find that the total mass of the dSphs enclosed within 300 pc varies from $10^6 M_{\odot}$ to $10^7 M_{\odot}$. This is quit different from the conclusion based on spherical models.
- 4. It is found that dark matter surface density within a radius of Vmax is nearly constant across a wide range of galaxies, and this universality is enable us to obtain the limits on particle masses of WDM scenario.