

A LOOK ON SUPERSYMMETRIC DARK MATTER THROUGH INDIRECT SIGNALS

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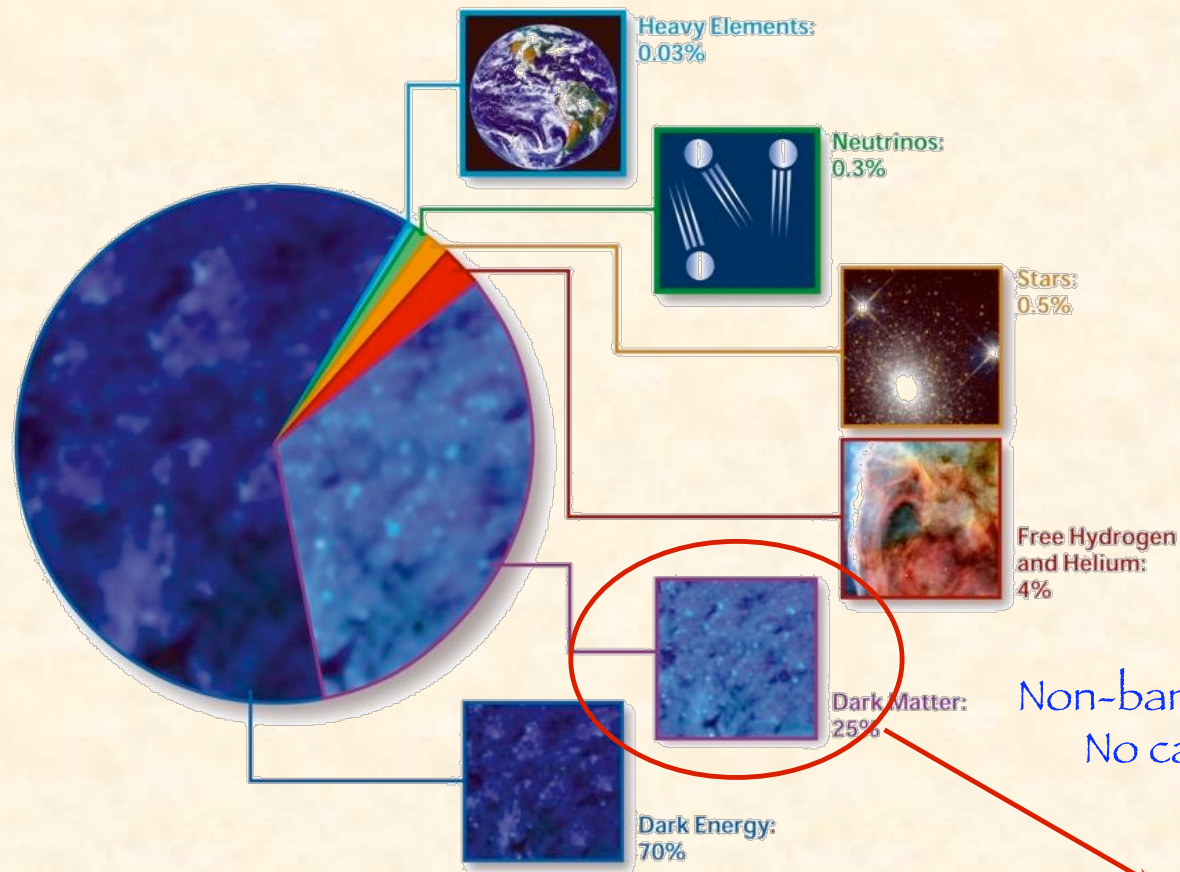
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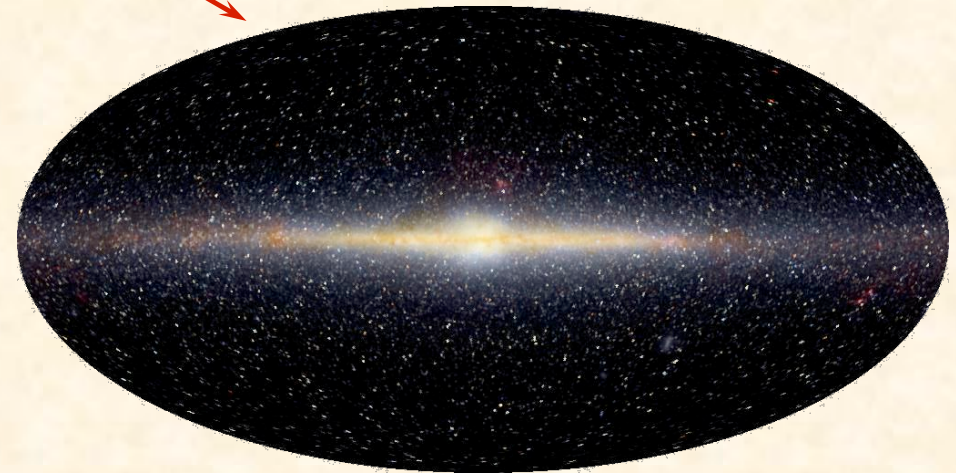


Theoretical miniWorkshop on Dark Matters
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Dark Matter



Non-baryonic (cold) dark matter is needed
No candidate in the Standard Model
New fundamental Physics



Dynamics of galaxy clusters
Rotational curves of galaxies
Weak lensing
Structure formation from primordial
density fluctuations
Energy density budget

Galactic Dark Matter

CDM in galaxies:

- Massive particle with weak-type interactions (WIMP)
- Distributed to form a halo
 - Thermal component
 - Substructures
 - Non-thermal component

Galactic dark matter detection:

- Identify types of signals
- Exploit specific signatures
- Exploit (anti)correlations among signals
- Study relevant backgrounds
- Quantify uncertainties



MultiChannel search of dark matter

- Direct search: elastic scattering of χ off nuclei in a low background detector

recoil energy of the nucleus
annual modulation of the rate
directionality of the recoil

- Indirect searches:

- signals due to $\chi\chi$ annihilation taking place inside celestial bodies (Sun, Earth) where χ have been captured and accumulated

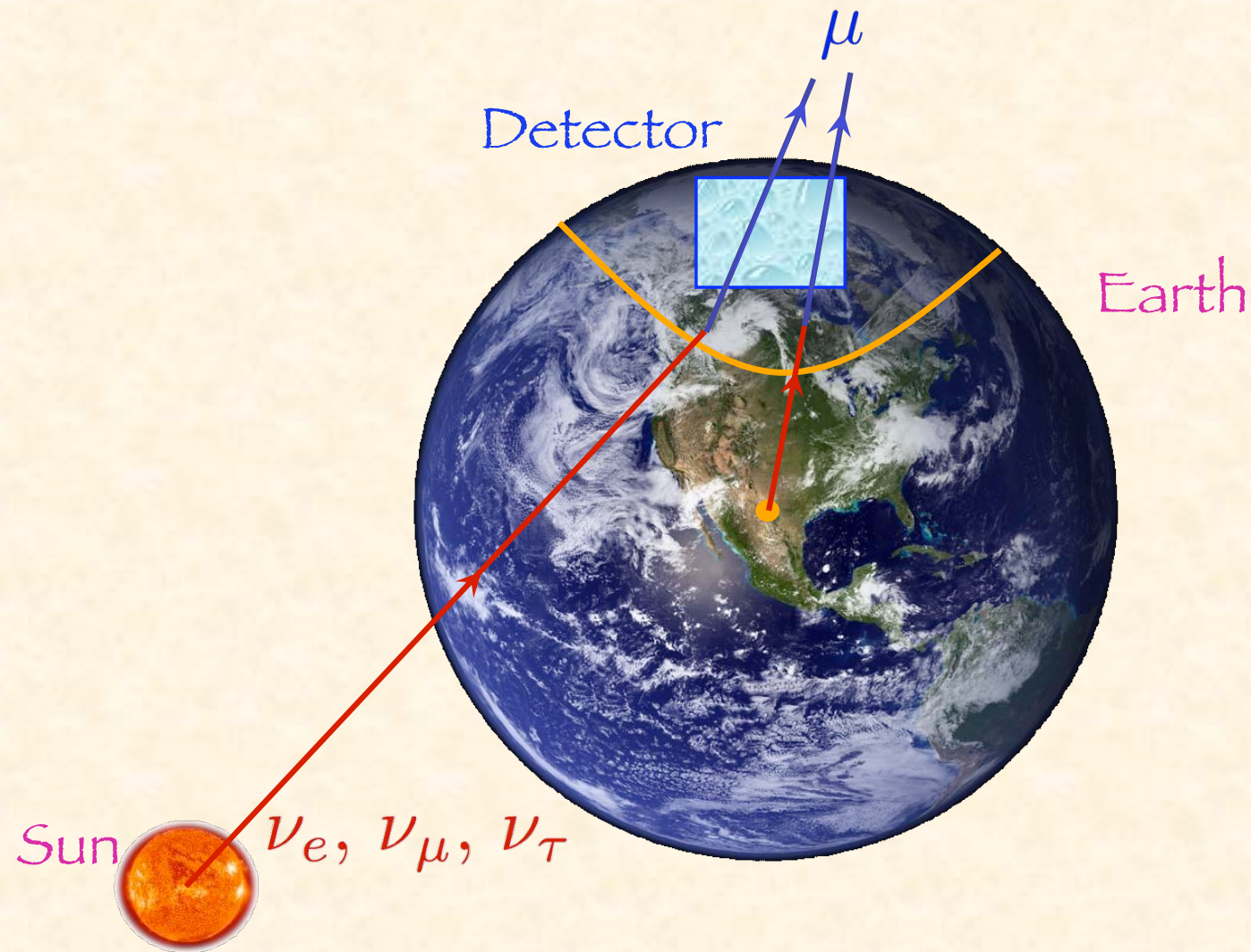
Neutrino flux → up-going muons in a neutrino telescope
source location/some spectral feature

- signals due to $\chi\chi$ annihilation taking place in the galactic halo

→ Neutrinos	source location/some spectral feature
→ Photons	
~ continuous gamma-ray flux	source location/some spectral feature
~ gamma-ray line	very good spectral feature
→ Positrons	spectral feature
→ Antiprotons	spectral feature
→ Antideuterons	very good spectral feature
→ Electrons/positrons	→ multiwavelength search (radio, X, gamma rays; SZ on CMB)

SEARCHES AT NEUTRINO TELESCOPES

Neutrino flux from the Earth or Sun

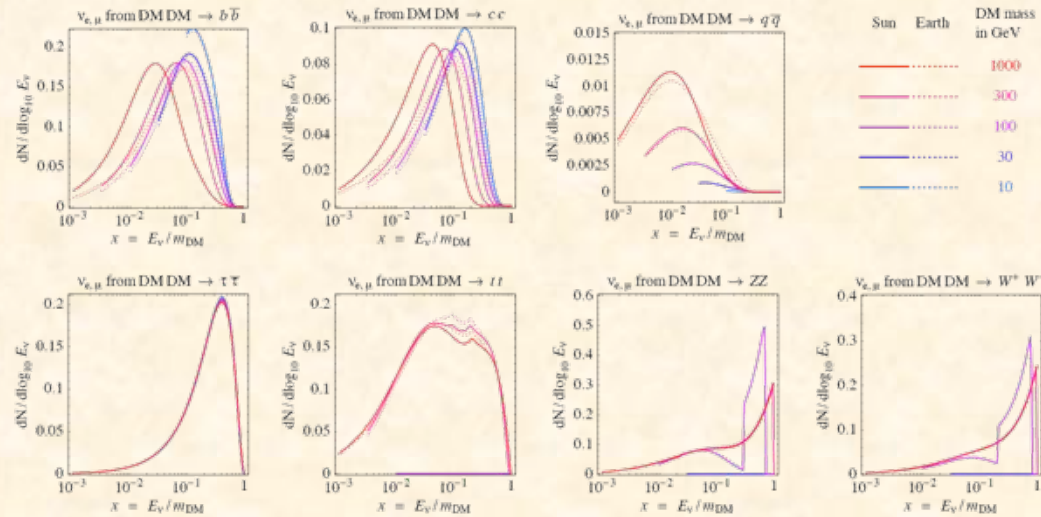


Neutrino Production

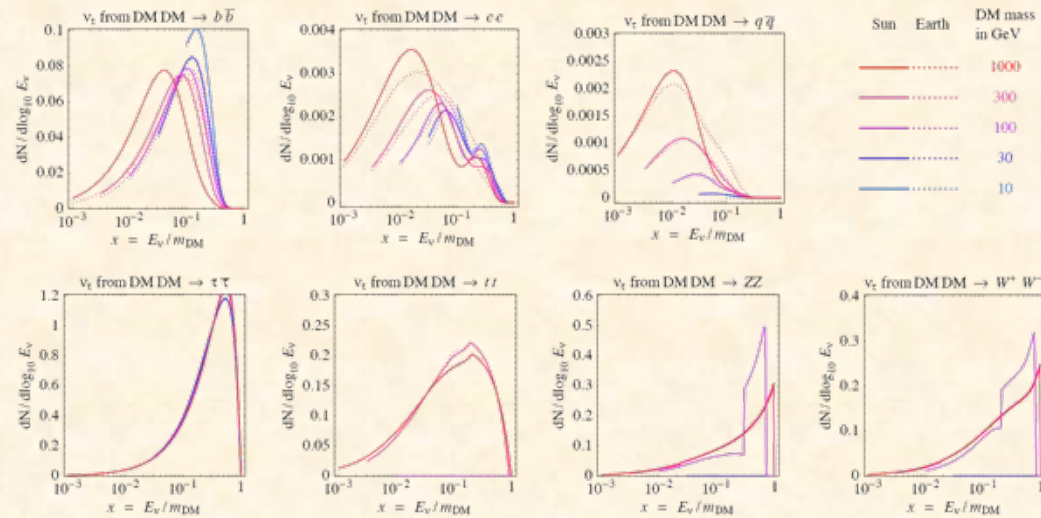
- Neutrinos are produced by DM annihilation
 - Available channels depend on mass threshold
$$\chi\chi \rightarrow \nu\nu, \bar{l}l, q\bar{q}, W^+W^-, ZZ, \text{Higgses, Higgs} + \text{gauge}$$
 - Quark hadronize $\rightarrow$ neutrinos from hadron decay
- Productions in Earth
 - Muons: stopped before decay $\rightarrow$ neutrinos below typical thresholds
 - Taus: decay almost as in vacuum
 - Light hadrons: typically stopped before decay
 - Heavy hadrons: typically decay before losing significant energy
- Production in Sun
 - Leptons: stopping power of medium is stronger $\rightarrow$ softer neutrino spectra
 - Light hadrons: typically stopped before decay
 - Heavy hadrons: energy losses important, need modeling

Spectra at production

ν_e, ν_μ



ν_τ



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Neutrino propagation

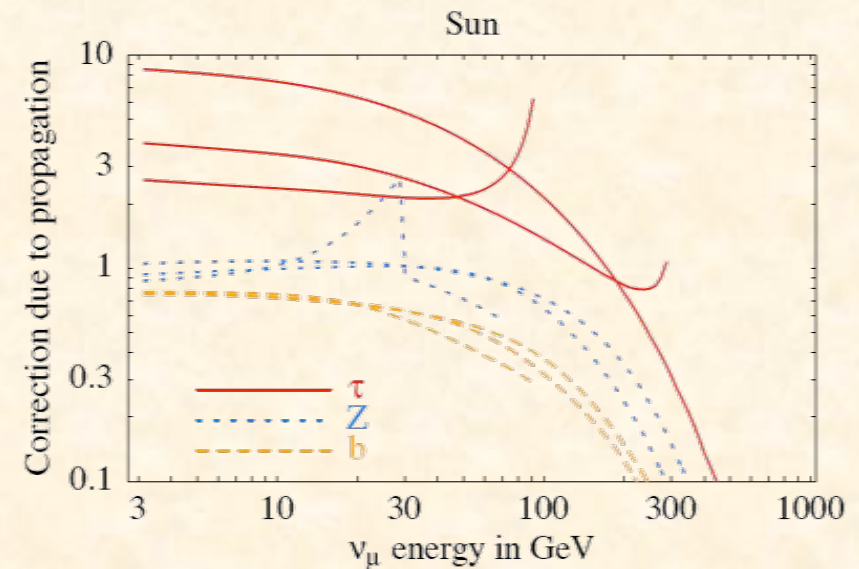
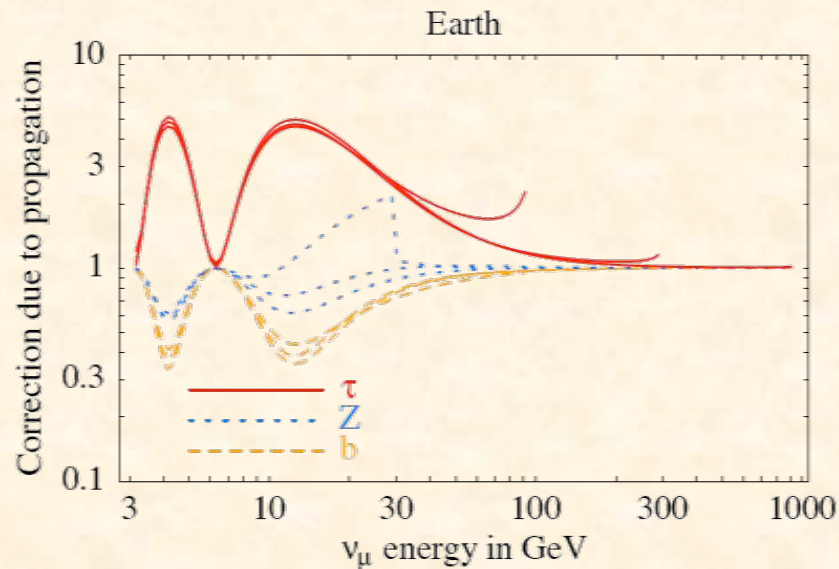
Density matrix evolution

$$\frac{d\rho}{dr} = -i[\mathbf{H}, \rho] + \underbrace{\frac{d\rho}{dr}\bigg|_{\text{CC}}}_{\text{charged-current processes}} + \underbrace{\frac{d\rho}{dr}\bigg|_{\text{NC}}}_{\text{neutral-current processes}} + \underbrace{\frac{d\rho}{dr}\bigg|_{\text{in}}}_{\text{source}}$$

Vacuum oscillations and MSW matter effect

$$\mathbf{H} = \frac{m^\dagger m}{2E_\nu} + \sqrt{2}G_F \left[N_e \text{diag}(1, 0, 0) - \frac{N_n}{2} \text{diag}(1, 1, 1) \right]$$

Effect of propagation



Earth:

- Affected only by “atmospheric” oscillation $\nu_\mu \leftrightarrow \nu_\tau$ at $E < 100$ GeV

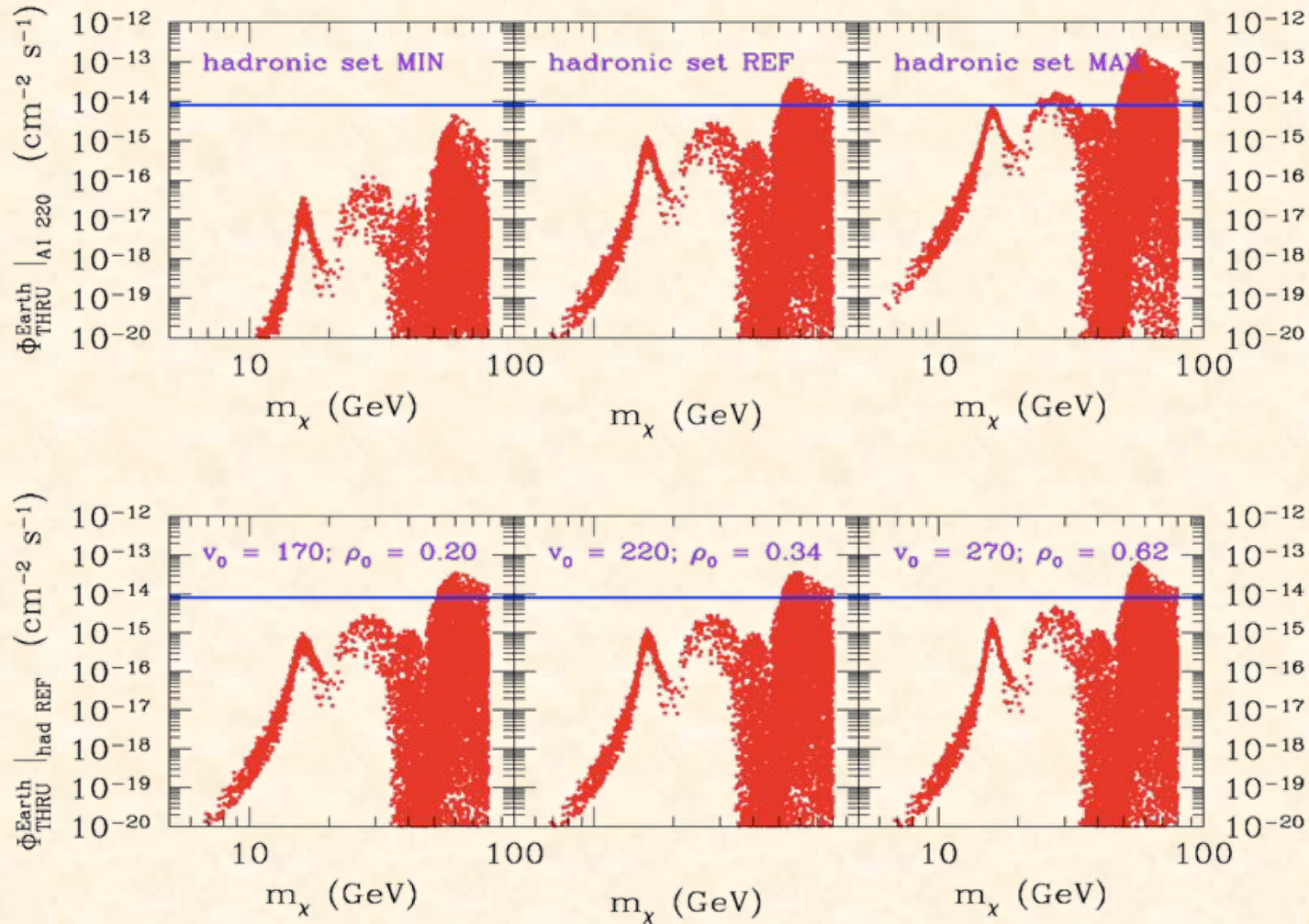
Sun:

- Affected by average “solar” and “atmospheric” oscillations
- Absorption suppresses neutrinos for $E > 100$ GeV (partially converted to lower energy neutrinos (by NC and regeneration))

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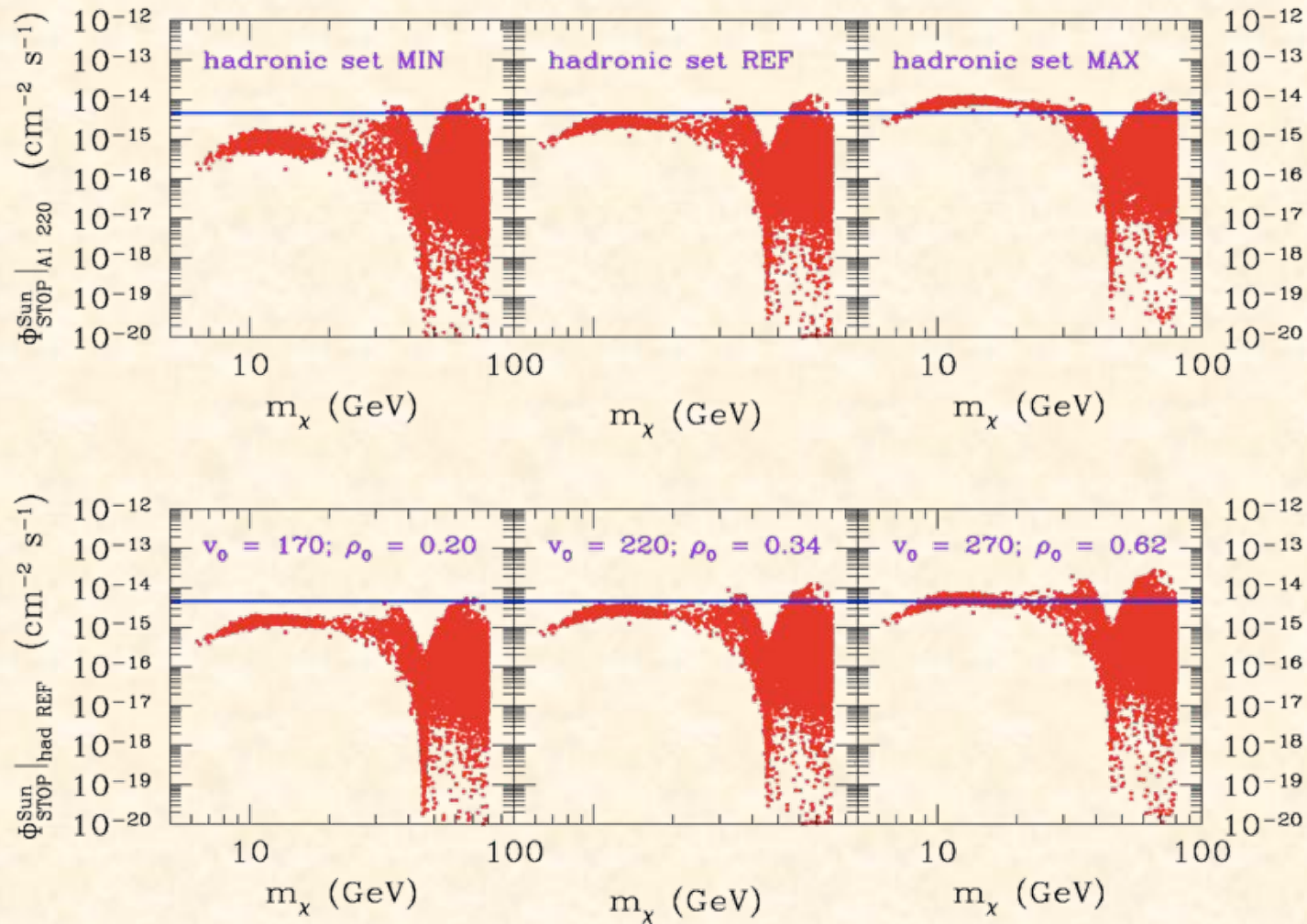
See also: M. Blennow, J. Edsjö, T. Ohlsson, JCAP 0801 (2008) 021 for an event-based MC approach

Earth signal: through-going muons



V. Niro, A. Bottino, N. Fornengo, S. Scopel, arXiv:0909.2348

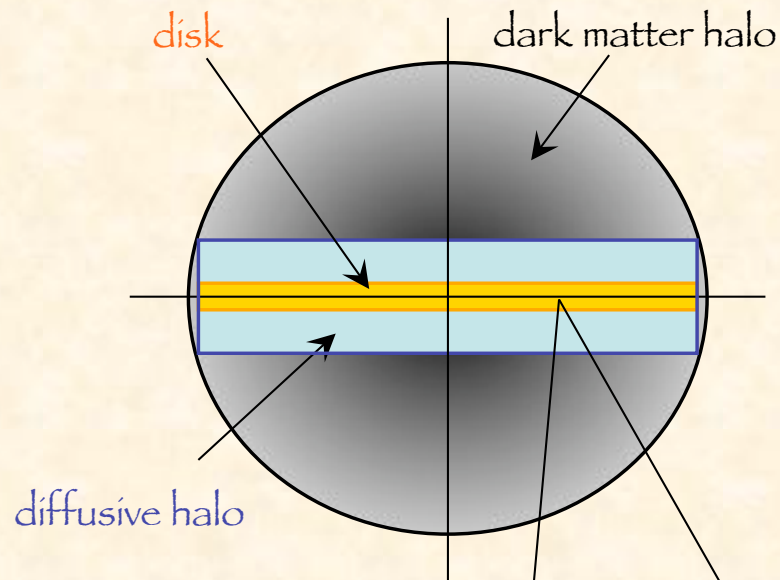
Sun signal: stopping muons



V. Niro, A. Bottino, N. Fornengo, S. Scopel, arXiv:0909.2348

ANTIPROTONS

Antiproton signal



Secondaries

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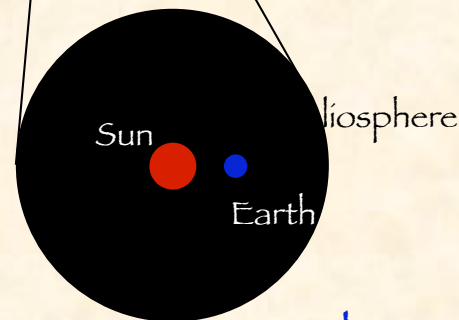
Propagation and energy redistribution in the diffusive halo

DM signal

$$\chi\chi \longrightarrow (\dots) \longrightarrow p\bar{p}$$

Produced in the DM halo

Propagation and energy redistribution in the diffusive halo



Diffusion and propagation in the Galaxy

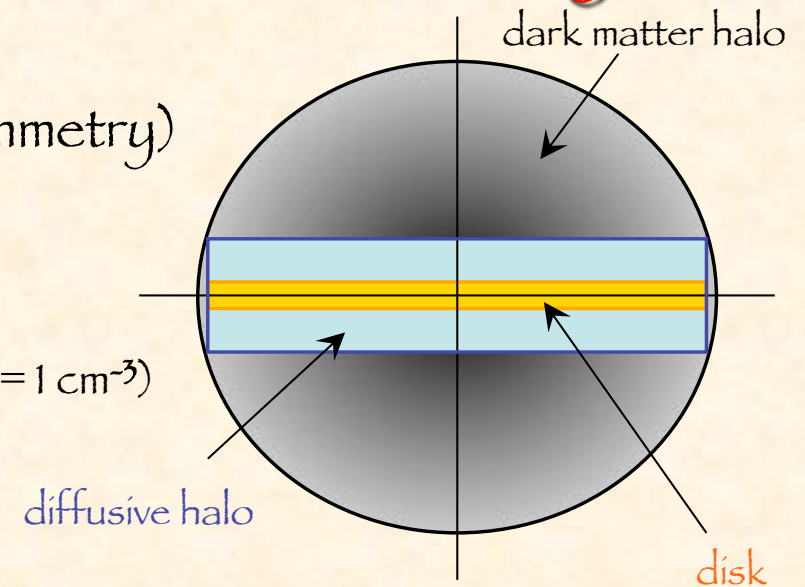
- Two-zone diffusion model (cylindrical symmetry)

- Thin disk

- ✓ Radius $R = 20$ kpc
 - ✓ Thickness $h = 100$ pc
 - ✓ Surface density of IS gas: $\Sigma = 2hn_{\text{ISM}}$ ($n_{\text{ISM}} = 1 \text{ cm}^{-3}$)

- Diffusive halo

- ✓ Radius R
 - ✓ Height L



- Physical processes

- Diffusion: uniform in the whole (disk + diffusive halo) volume
 - Inelastic (non-annihilating) scattering and annihilation
 - Galactic wind away from the disk in vertical direction
 - Energy losses:
 - ✓ Ionization: interaction with the neutral IS matter
 - ✓ Coulomb scattering: interaction with ionized plasma (thermal electrons)
 - Reacceleration on random hydrodynamic waves (in the disk only)

$$q_{\bar{p}}^{\text{DM}}(r, z, T_{\bar{p}})$$

Propagation in the Galaxy

$$\Phi^{\bar{p}}(r, z, T_{\bar{p}})$$

- solution of the steady-state diffusion equation with energy losses and reacceleration

- depends on a number of astrophysical parameters:

- diffusion coefficient

$$K(E) = K_0 \beta (\mathcal{R}/1 \text{ GV})^\delta$$

- height of the diffusive halo

L

- galactic wind velocity

V_c

- Alfvén velocity (reacceleration)

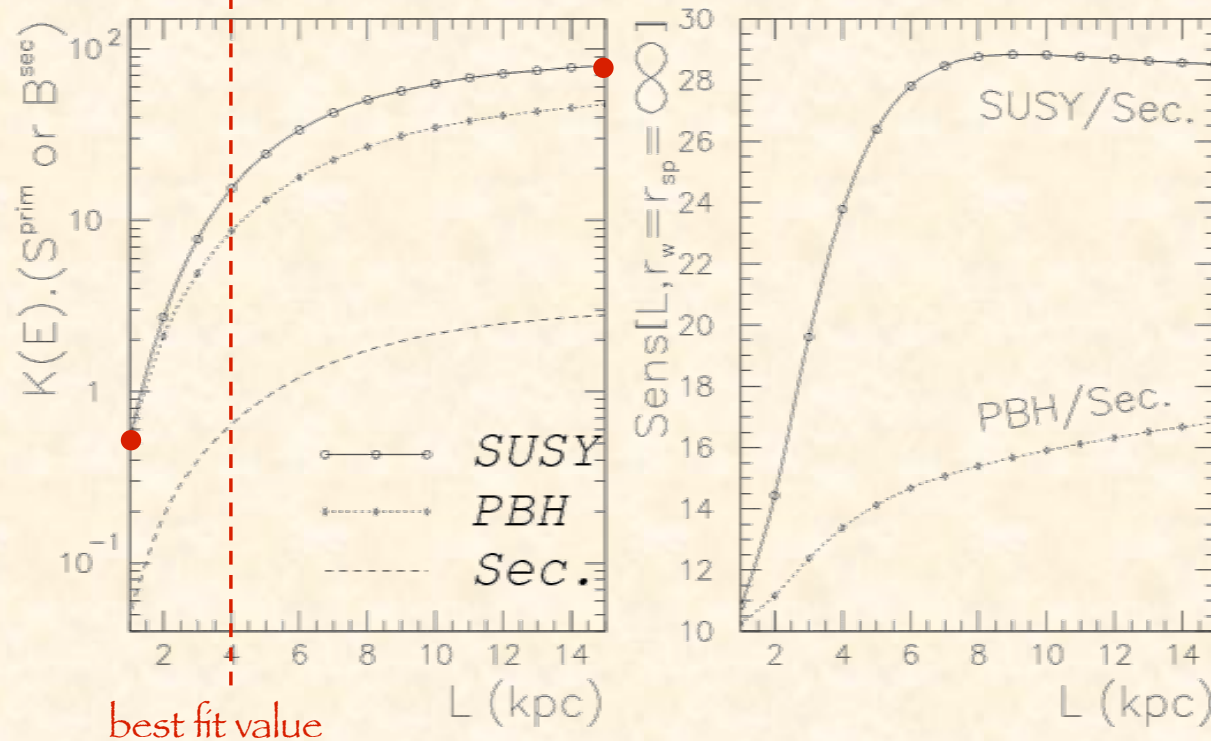
V_A

The params are constrained by stable nuclei propagation, mainly B/C

[D. Maurin et al. Astron. Astrophys. 381 (2002) 539]

case	δ	K_0 (kpc ² /Myr)	L (kpc)	V_c (km/sec)	V_A (km/sec)	$\chi_{\text{B/C}}^2$
max	0.46	0.0765	15	5	117.6	39.98
med	0.70	0.0112	4	12	52.9	25.68
min	0.85	0.0016	1	13.5	22.4	39.02

Dependence on height of diffusive halo

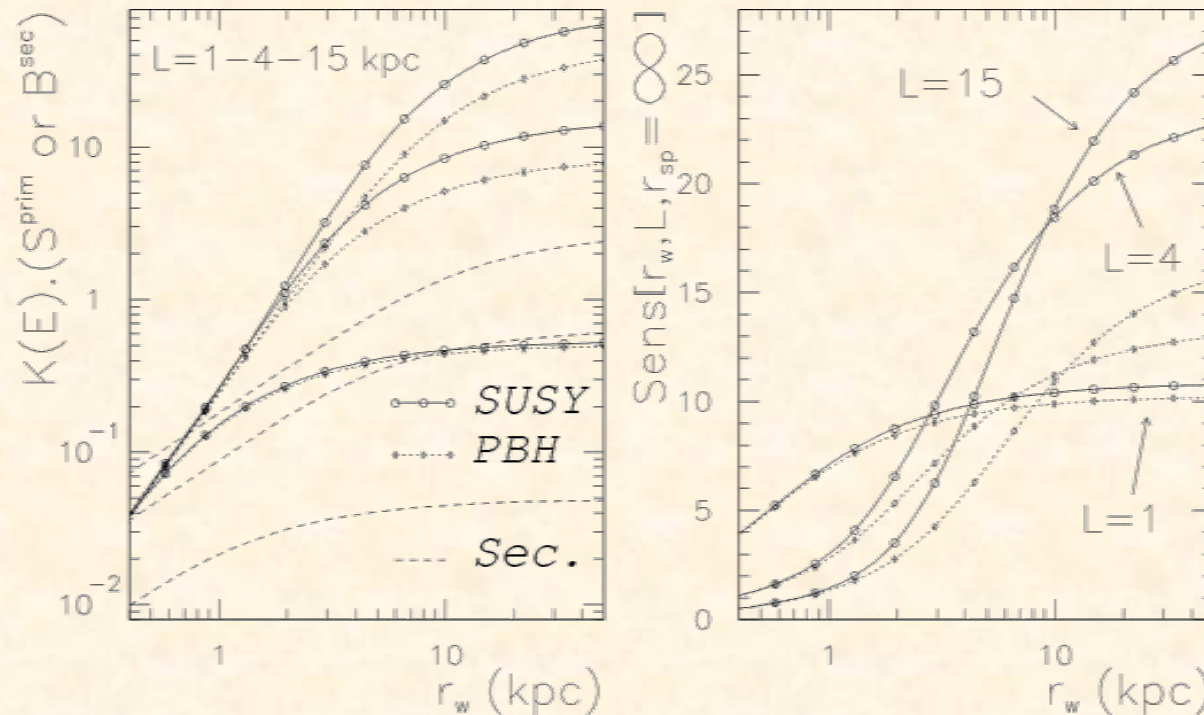


- L determines the extension of the confinement region:
 - For small L , only the sources very close to the solar neighborhood can contribute
 - As L increases, confinement is more efficient and more sources contribute

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Dependence on galactic wind velocity

$$r_w \equiv \frac{2K(E)}{V_c}$$

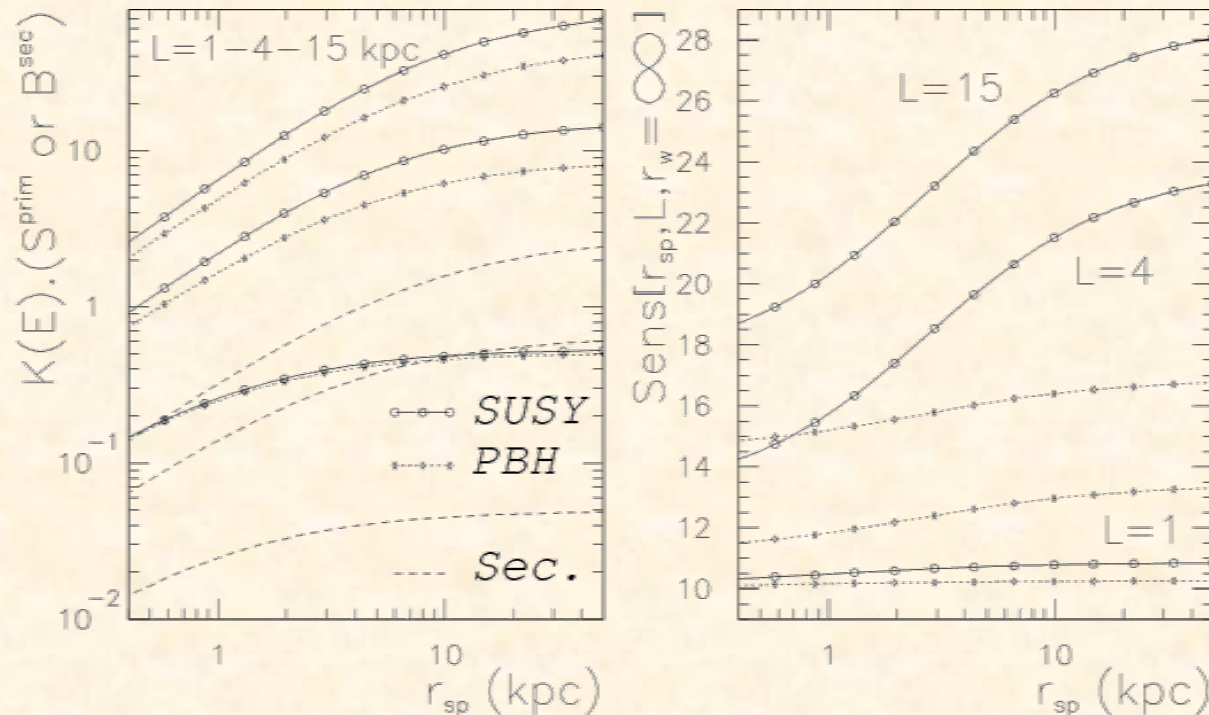


- The galactic wind blows the particles away from the disk (convection), leading to an effective size of the diffusive halo of the order of r_w
- There is a competition between L and r_w :
 - For large L , the evolution is driven by r_w
 - For small r_w all curves converge, independently of L , because the CR are convected away before being able to reach the boundaries of the diffusion region

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Dependence on rate of spallation

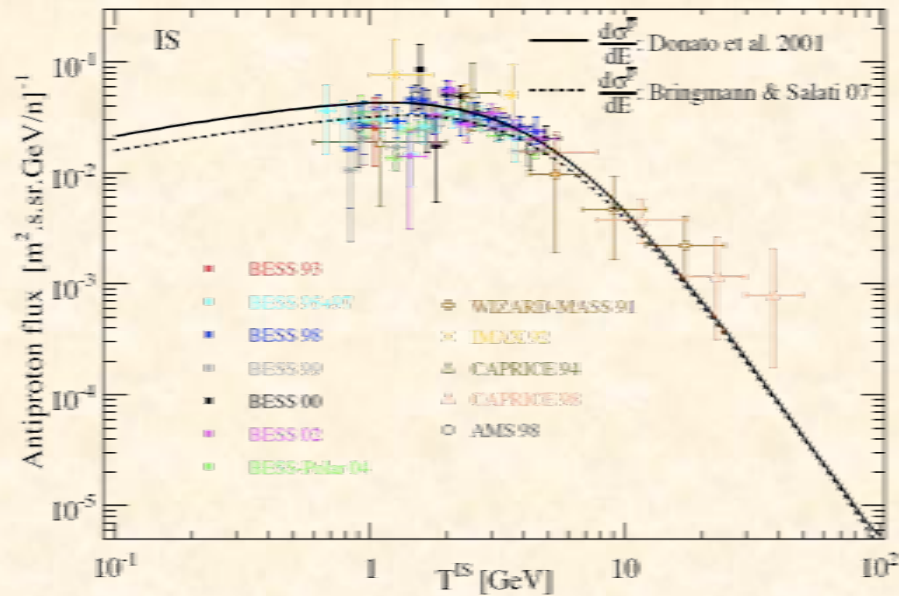
$$r_{\text{sp}} \equiv \frac{K(E)}{h\Gamma_{\text{inel}}(E)}$$



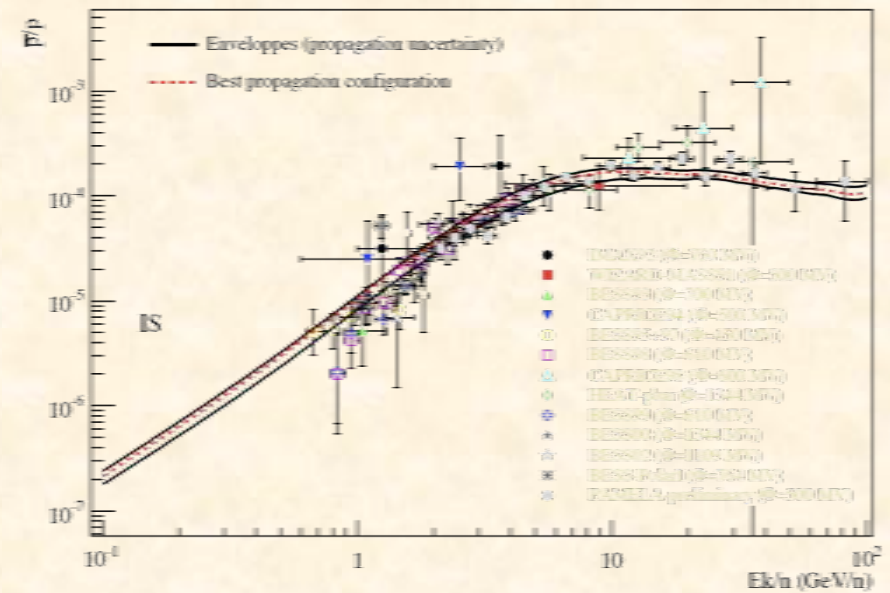
- At low energies particles are destroyed more easily, since the probability to cross the disk (and therefore to interact with matter) increases relatively to escape (diffusive or convective)
- There is a competition between L , r_w and r_{sp} :
 - The effect of r_{sp} is milder: the cut-off due to spallation is less efficient than diffusion or convection to prevent particles coming from faraway from reaching us

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Secondary antiprotons



Antiproton flux

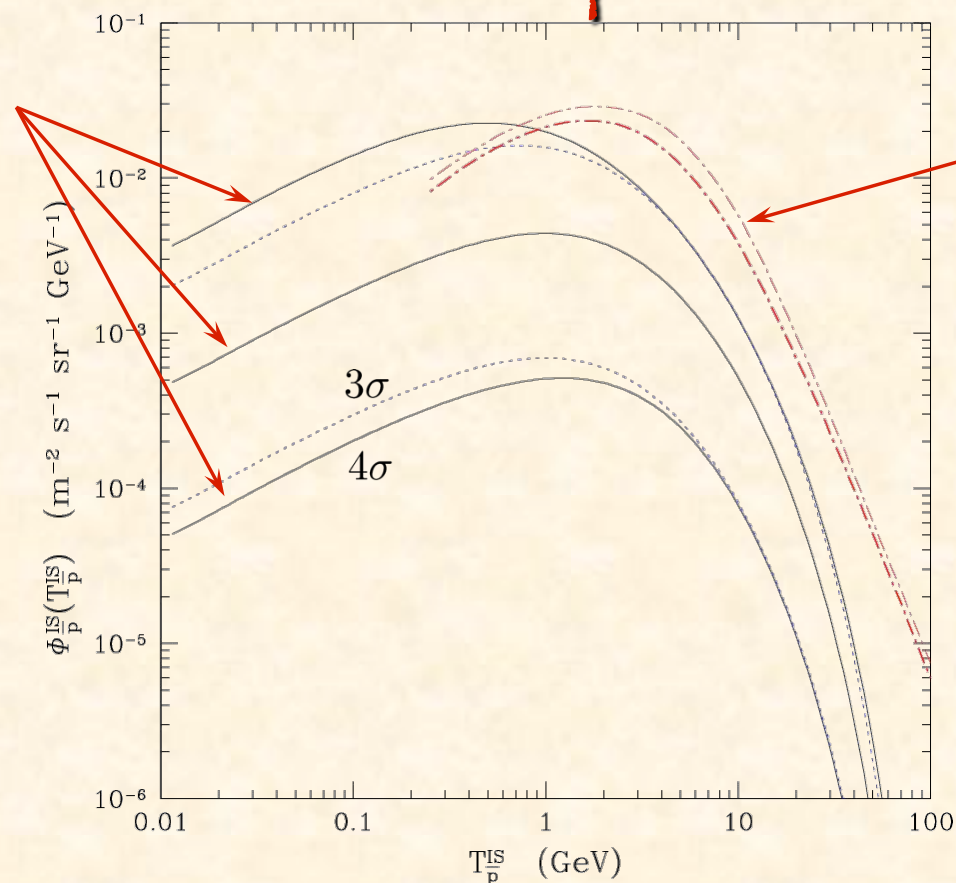


Antiproton/proton fraction

F. Donato, D. Maurin, P. Brun, T. Delahaye, P. Salati, PRL 102 (2009) 071301

Interstellar antiproton fluxes

Primaries (1)
(DM signal)
 $m_\chi = 100 \text{ GeV}$



Secondaries (2)
(background)

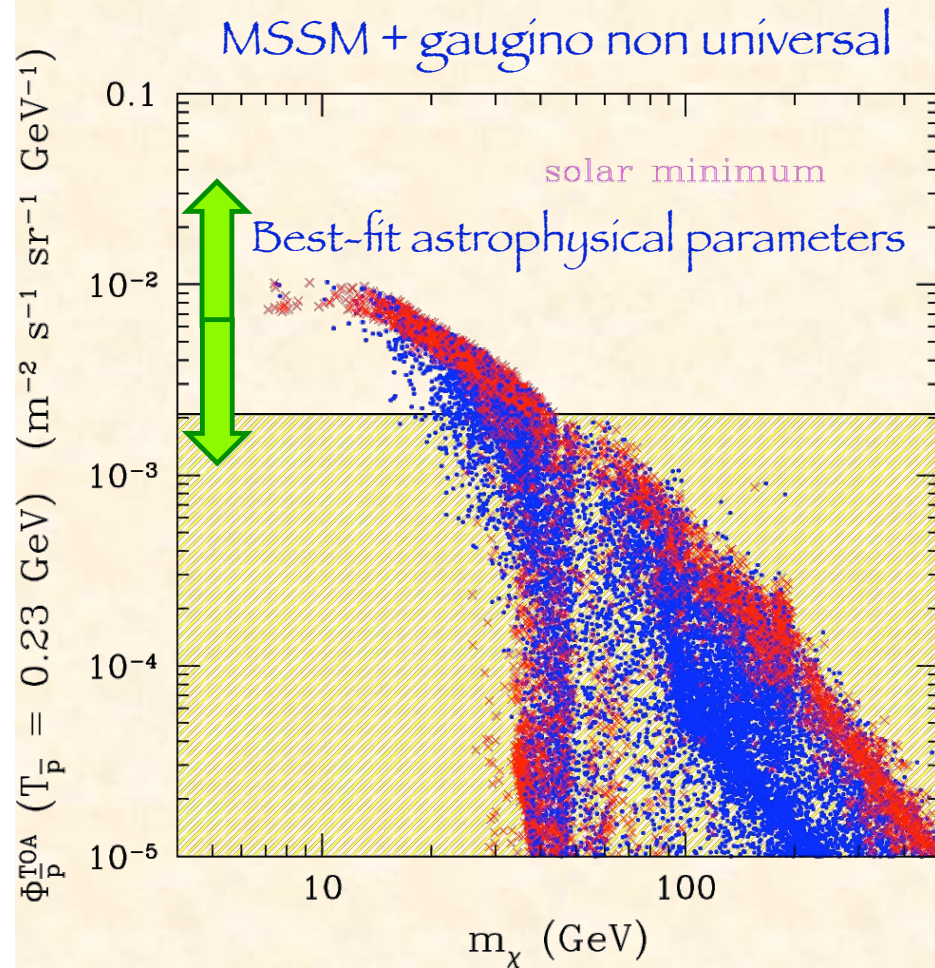
< 25% uncertainty

(1) F. Donato, N. Fornengo, D. Maurin, P. Salati, R. Taillet, PRD 69 (2004) 0603501

(2) D. Maurin et al. Astron. Astrophys. 381 (2002) 539

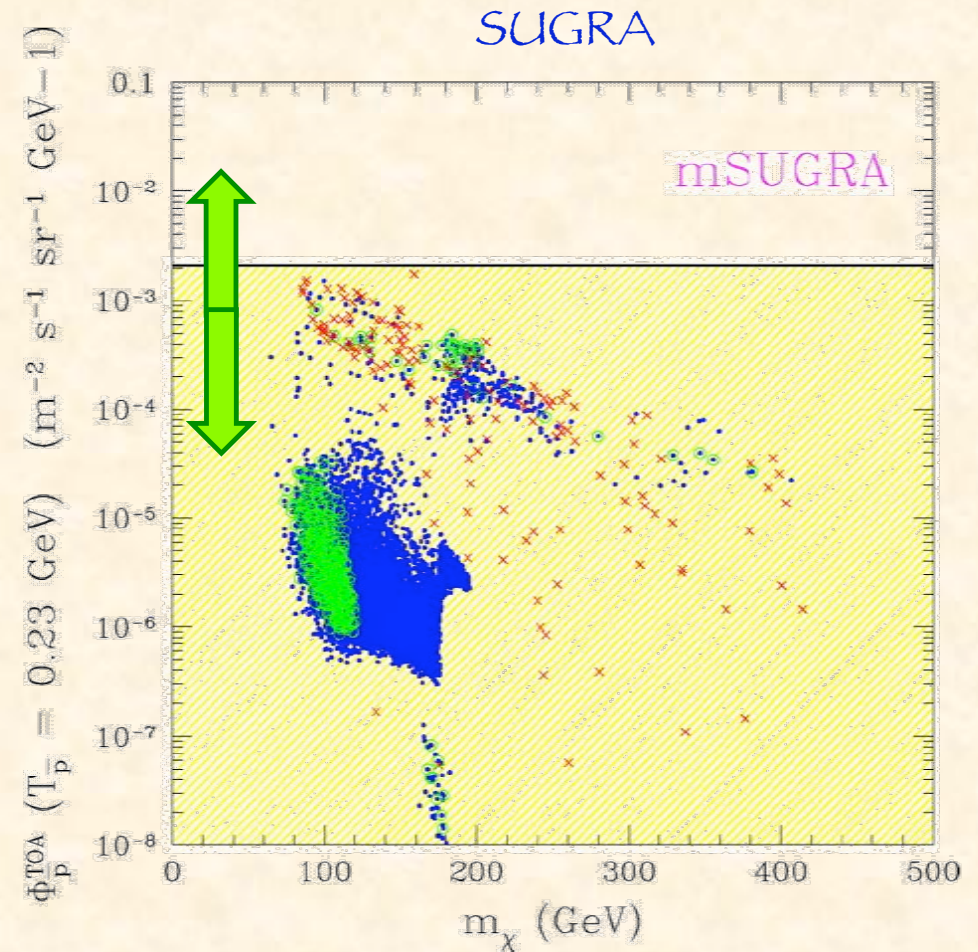
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Theoretical predictions for neutralinos



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- cosmologically **subdominant** neutralinos

A. Bottino, F. Donato, N.F., S. Scopel, PRD 70 (2004) 015005

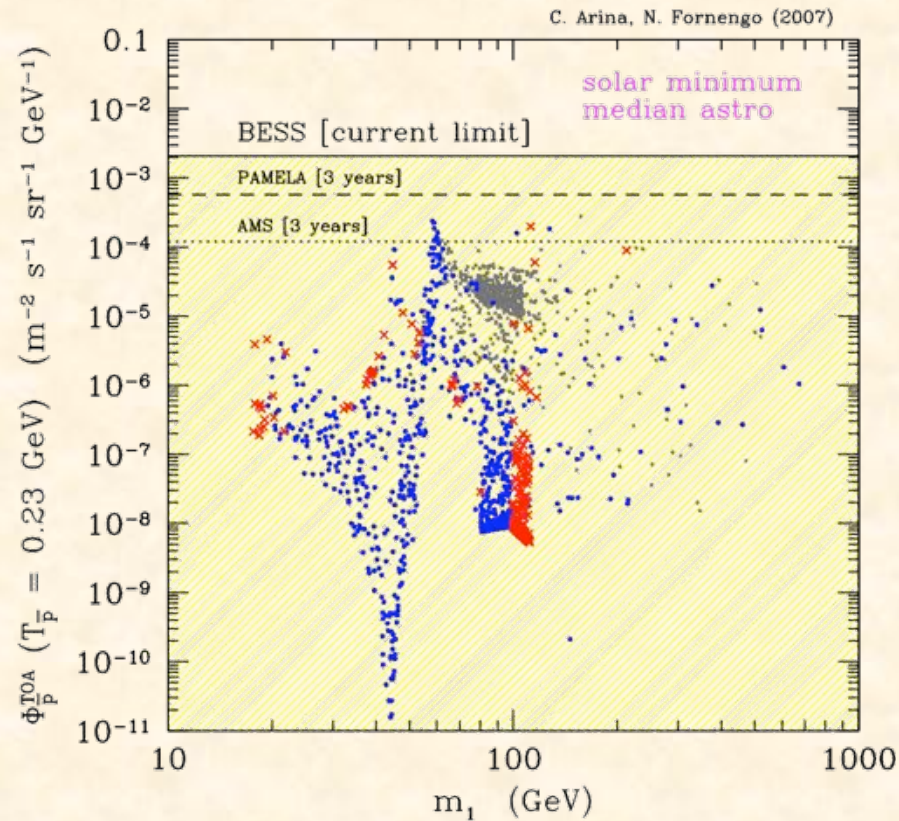


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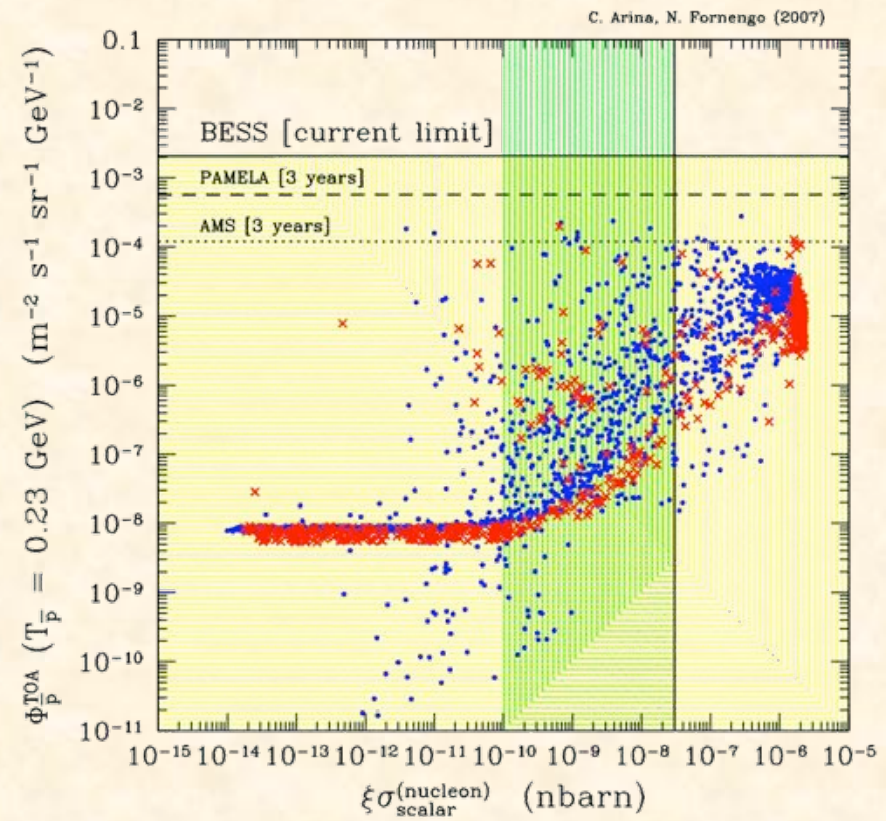
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Sneutrinos in Left-Right models



antiprotons vs. mass

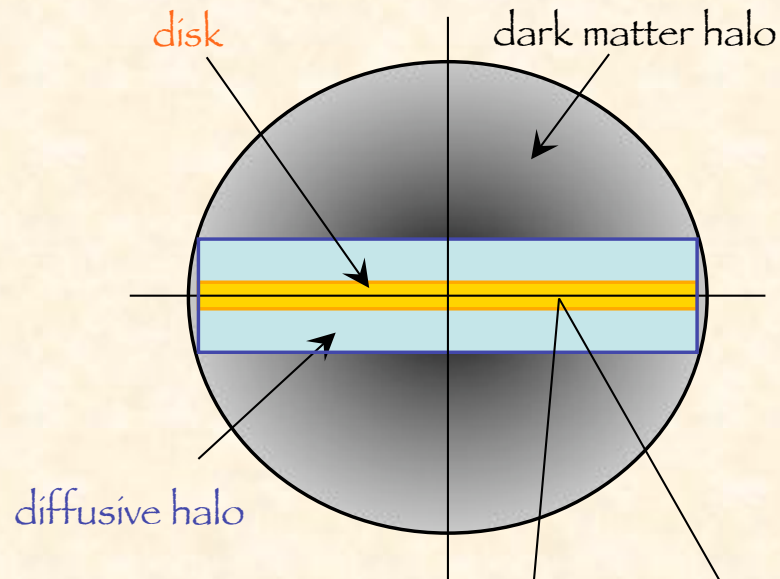


antiprotons vs. direct detection

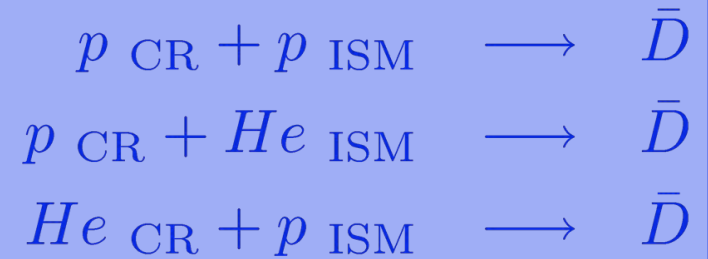
ANTIDEUTERONS

Cosmic antideuteron

F. Donato, N. Fornengo, P. Salati, PRD 62 (2000) 043003



Secondaries



Produced in the disk

Propagation and energy redistribution in the diffusive halo

DM signal



Produced in the DM halo

Propagation and energy redistribution in the diffusive halo

solar modulation

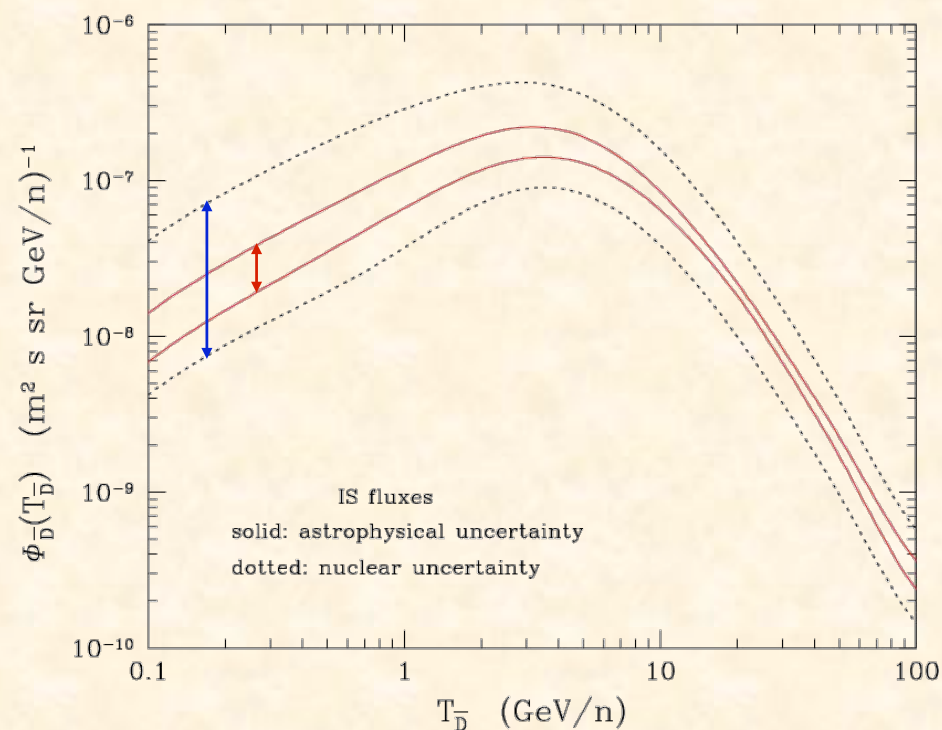
Secondaries and their uncertainties

Astrophysical:

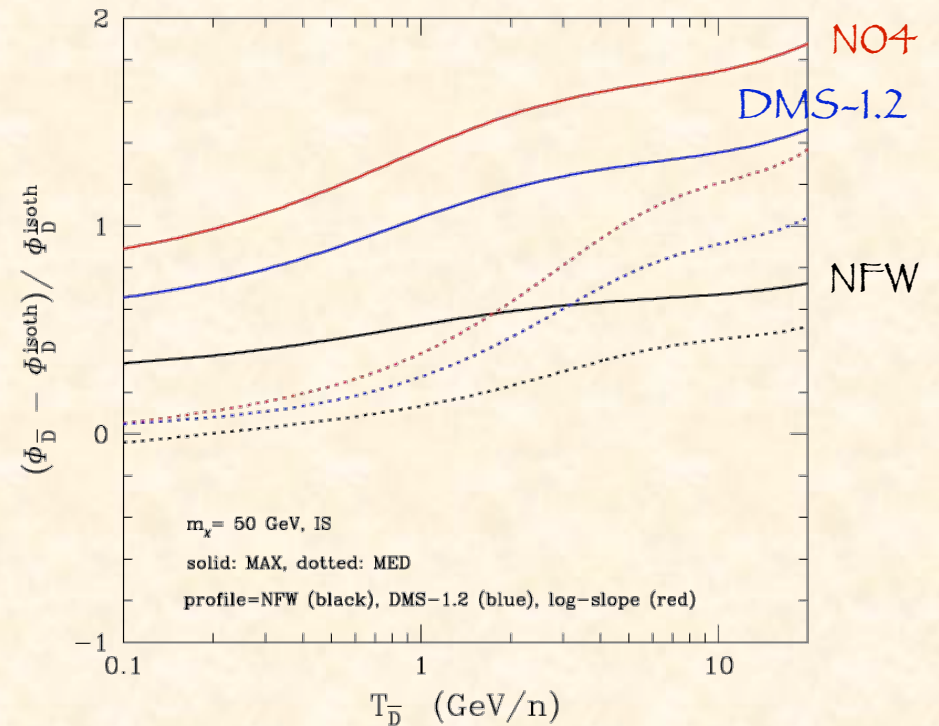
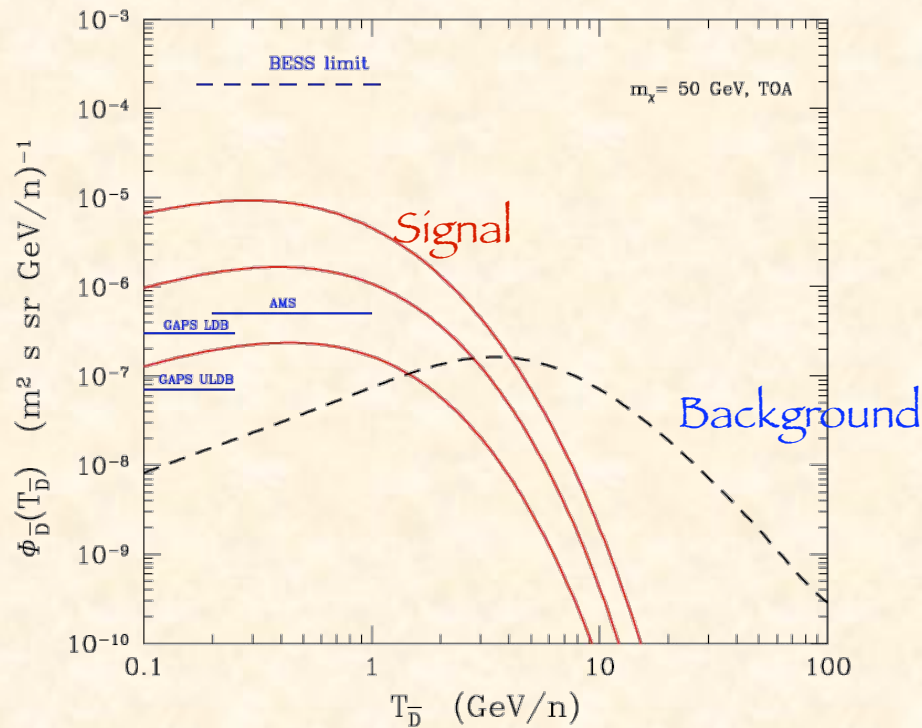
- Transport
- Energy losses and redistribution

Nuclear (very conservative):

- Elementary production processes
- Coalescence



TOA fluxes and S/B gain

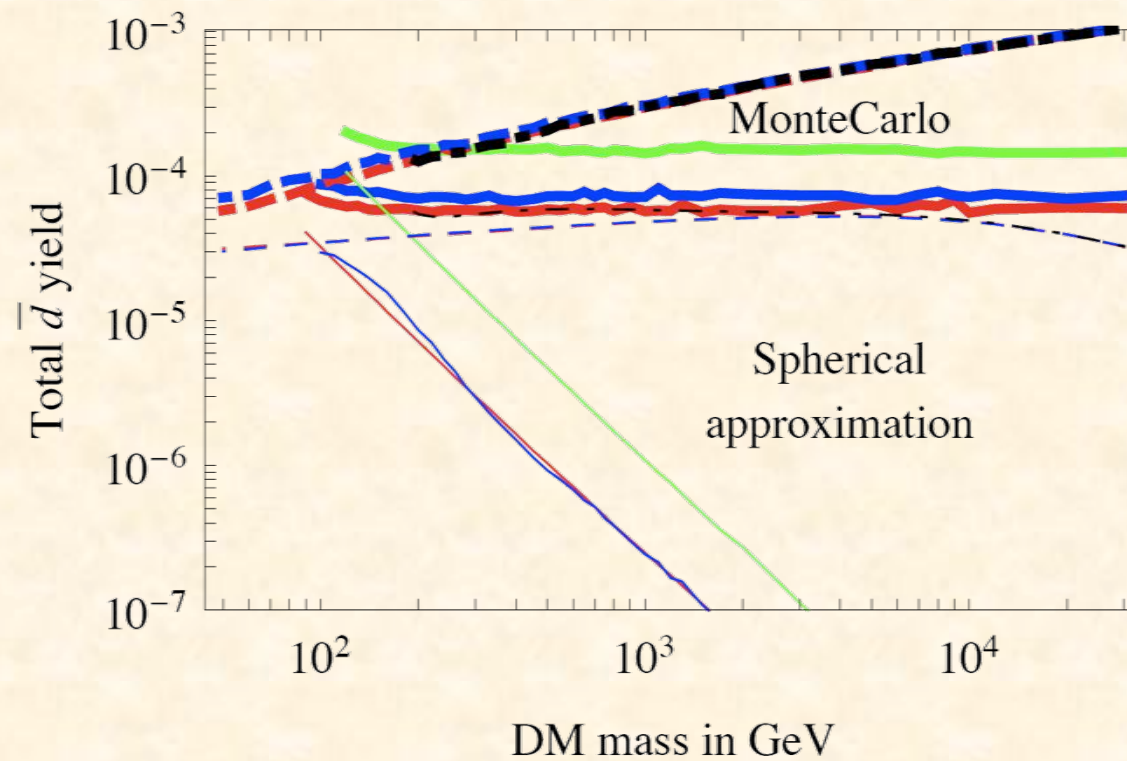


Signal with uncertainty band for:

- ~ 50 GeV WIMP mass
- ~ WMAP relic abundance

Change of DM halo profile
[fixed local density]

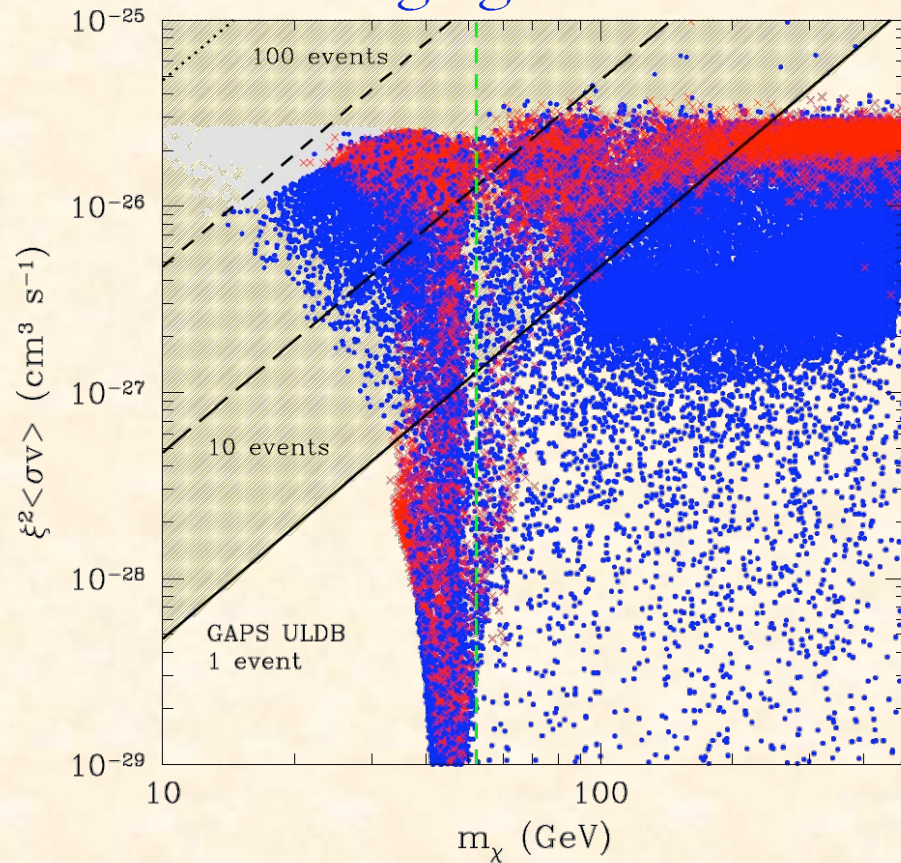
A. Donato, N. Fornengo, D. Maurin, PRD 78 (2008) 043506



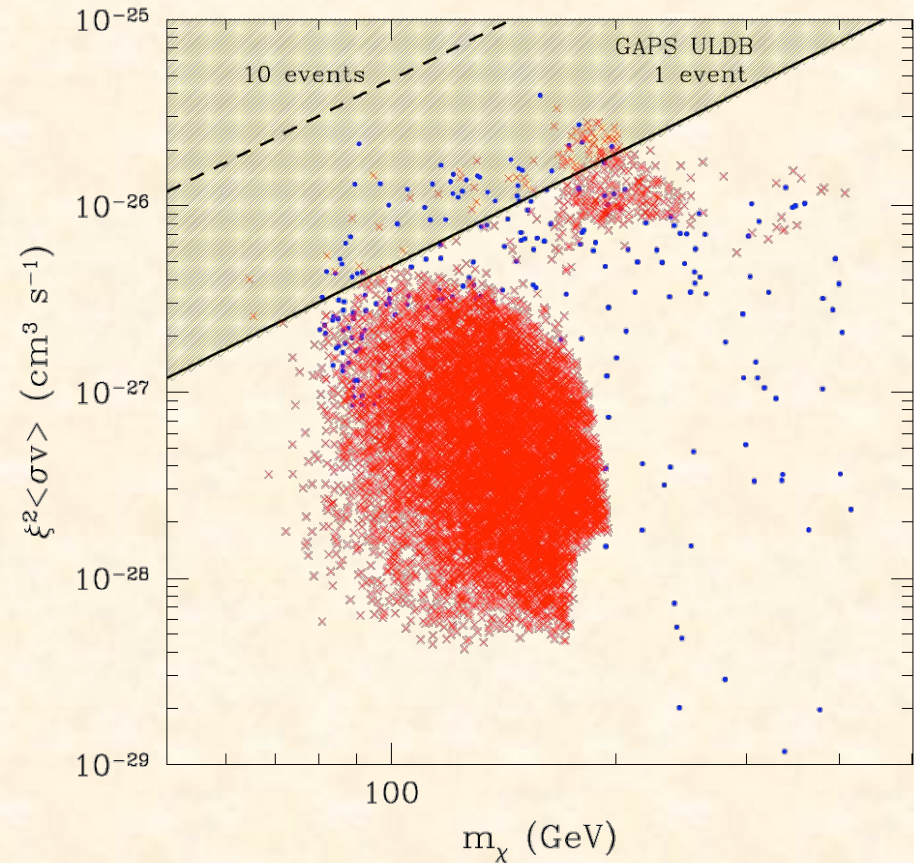
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Antideuteron

MSSM + gaugino non universal



SUGRA



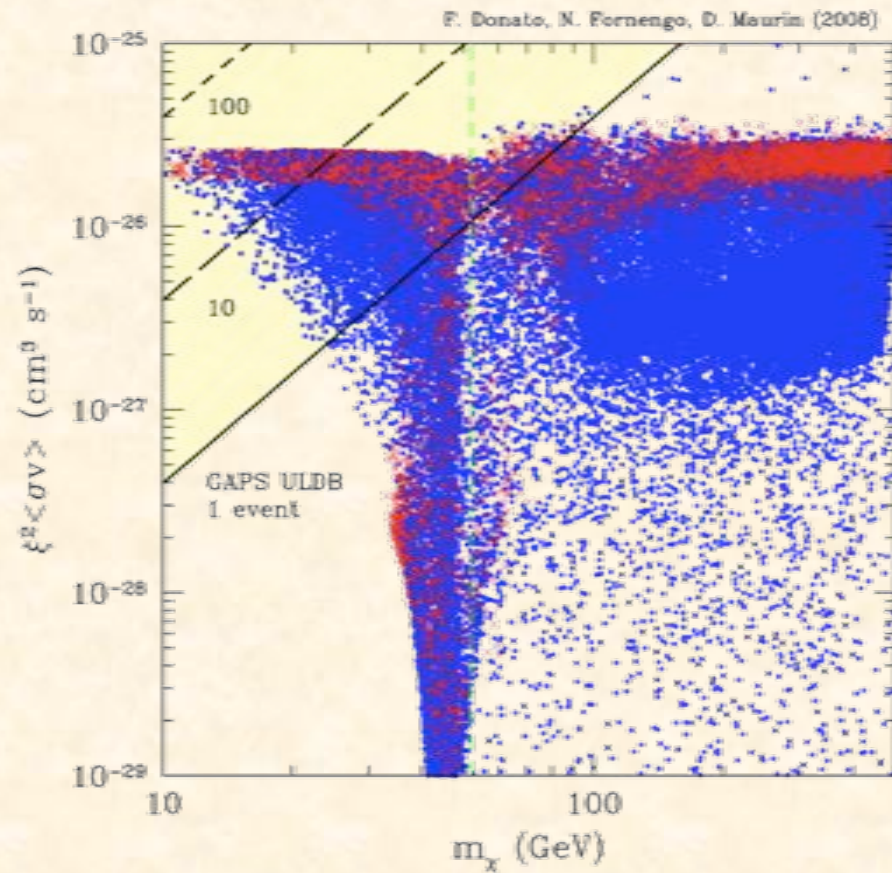
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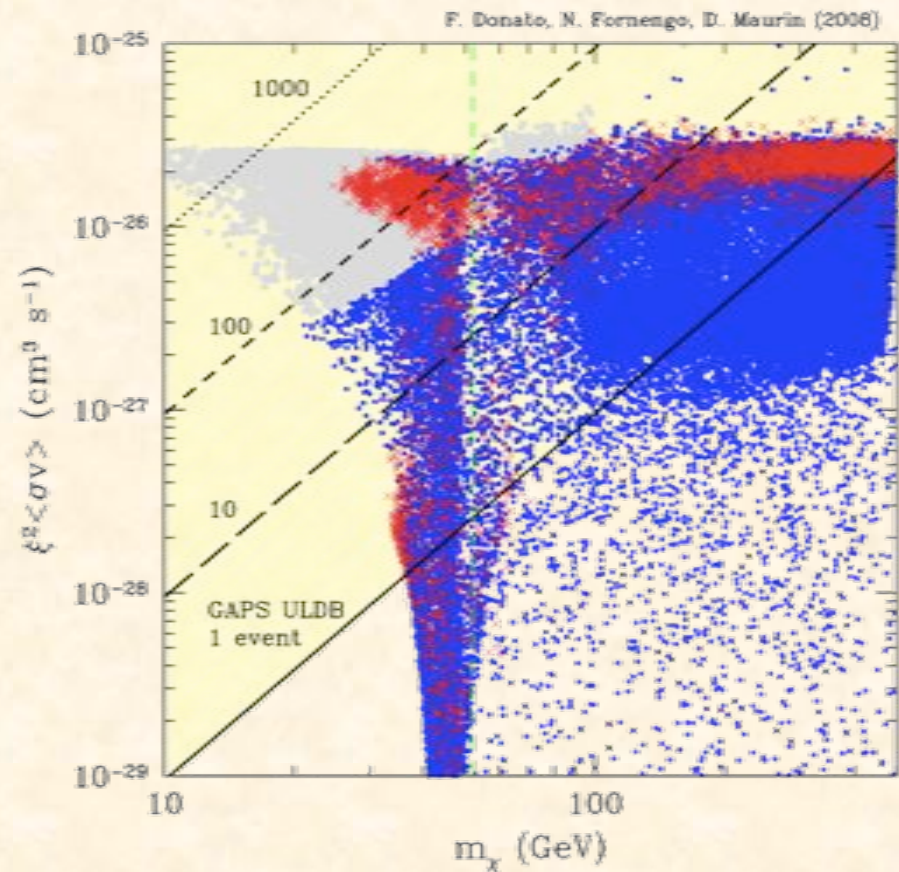
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Antideuteron



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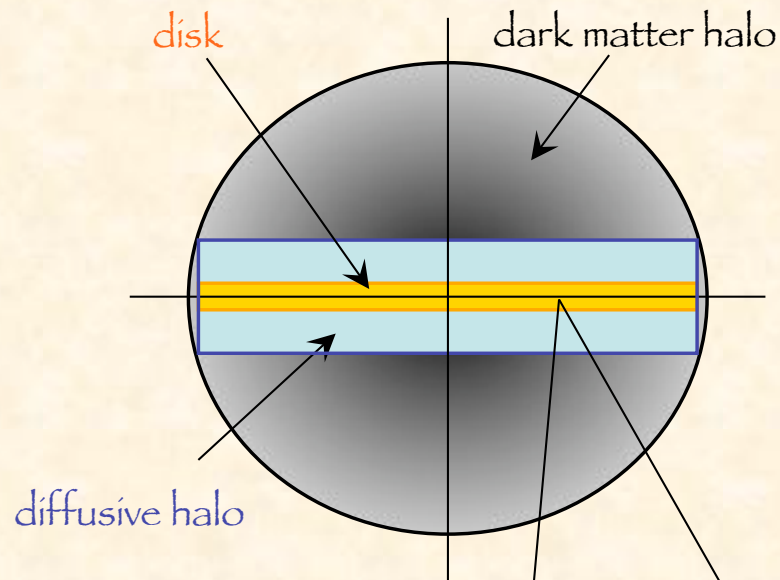


MAX

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POSITRONS

Cosmic positrons



Secondaries

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Produced in the disk

Propagation and energy redistribution in the diffusive halo

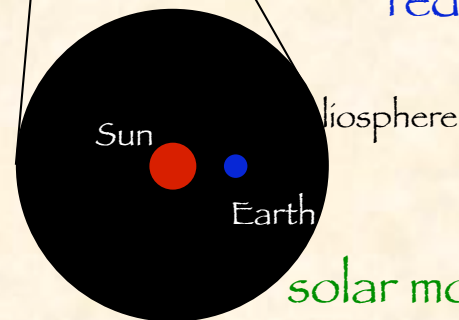
DM signal

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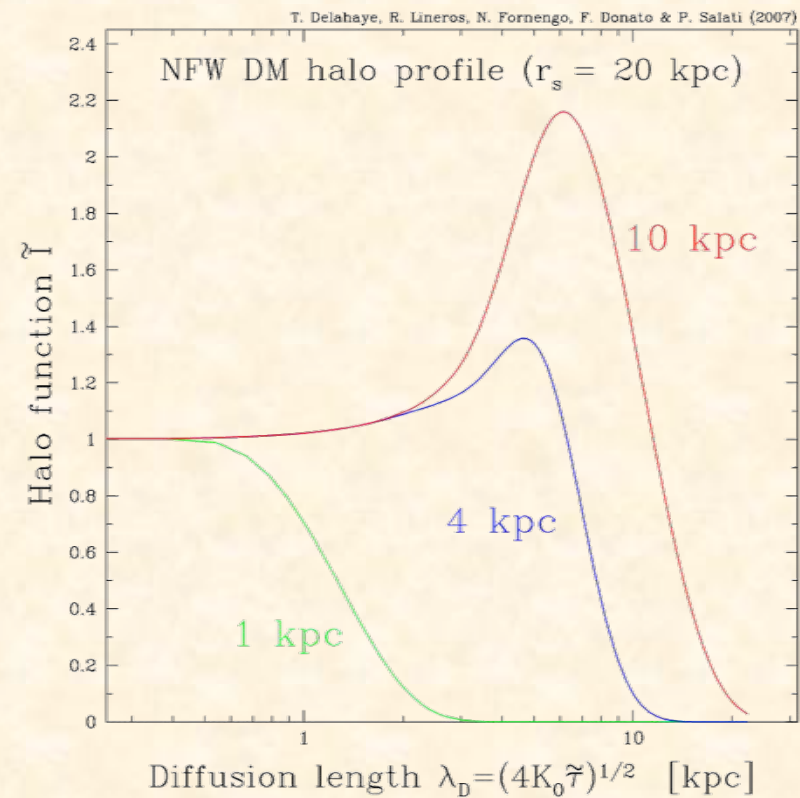
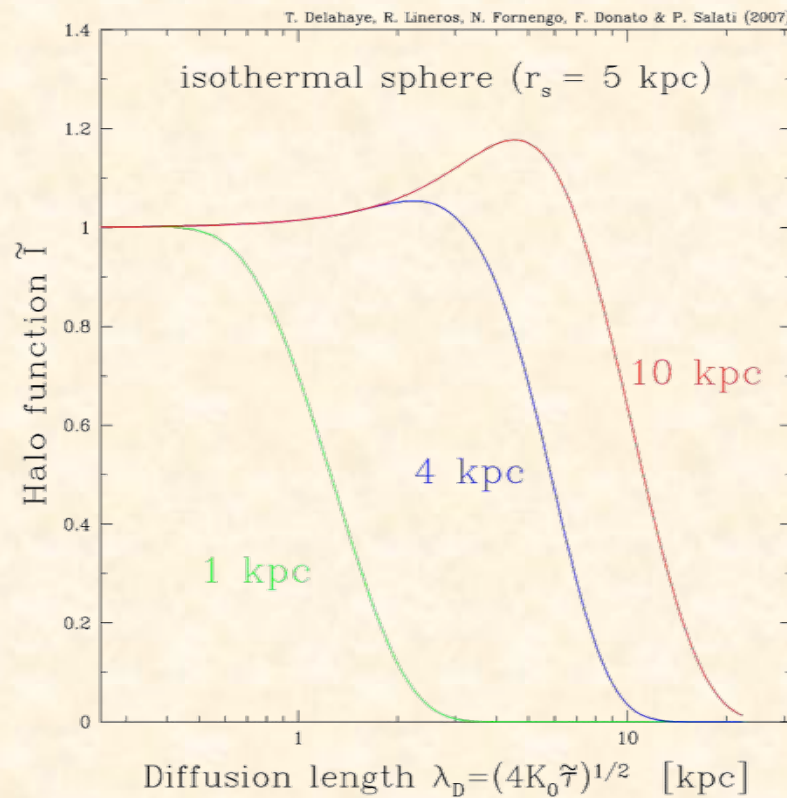
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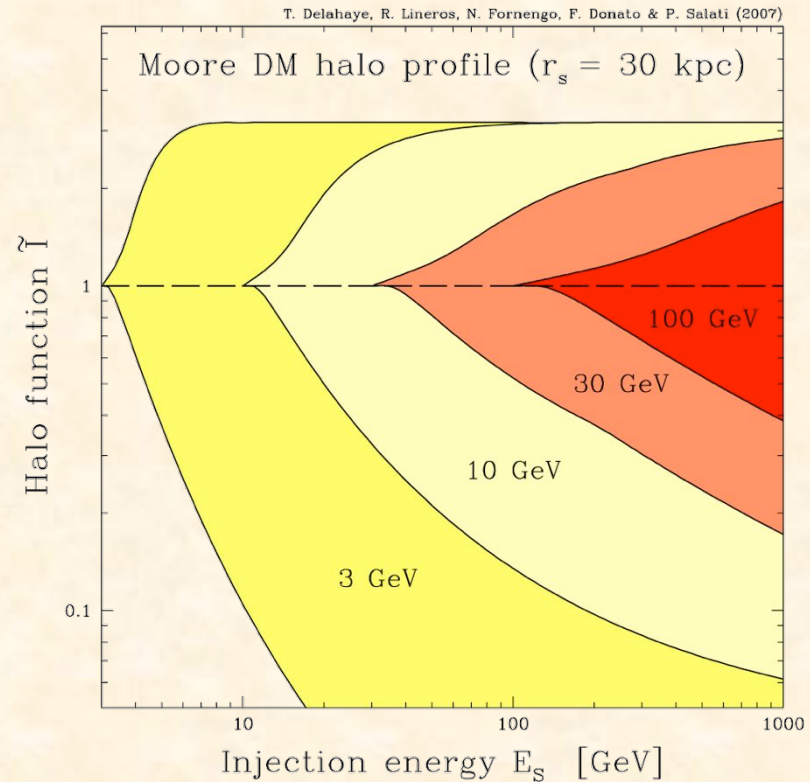
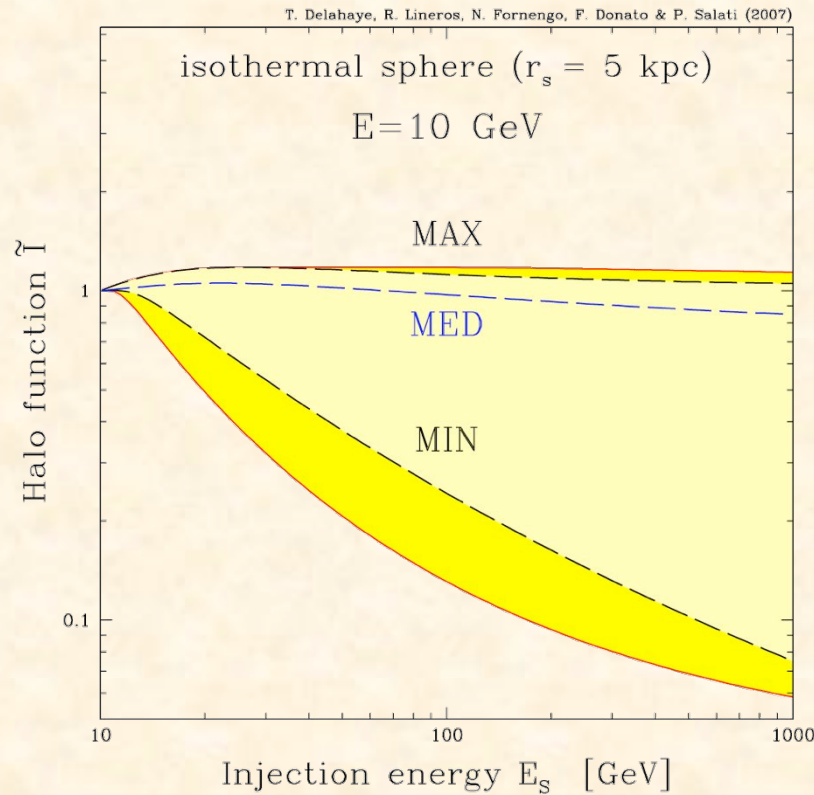
Astrophysical sources
(e.g.: pulsars)

Halo function dependence on L and DM profile



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Uncertainty on the halo function

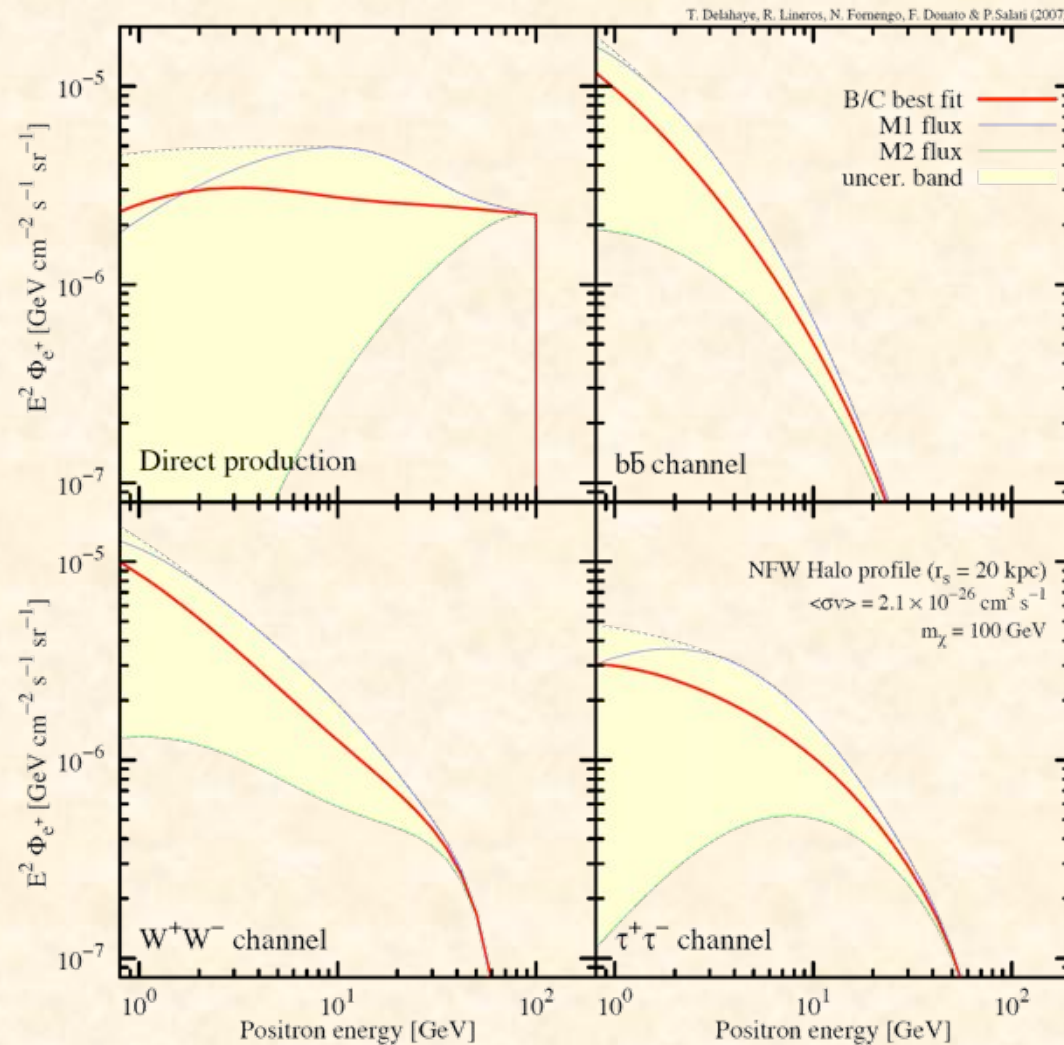


“observed” energy: $E \approx 10$ GeV

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DM signal: astrophysical uncertainties

$m_\chi \approx 100$ GeV

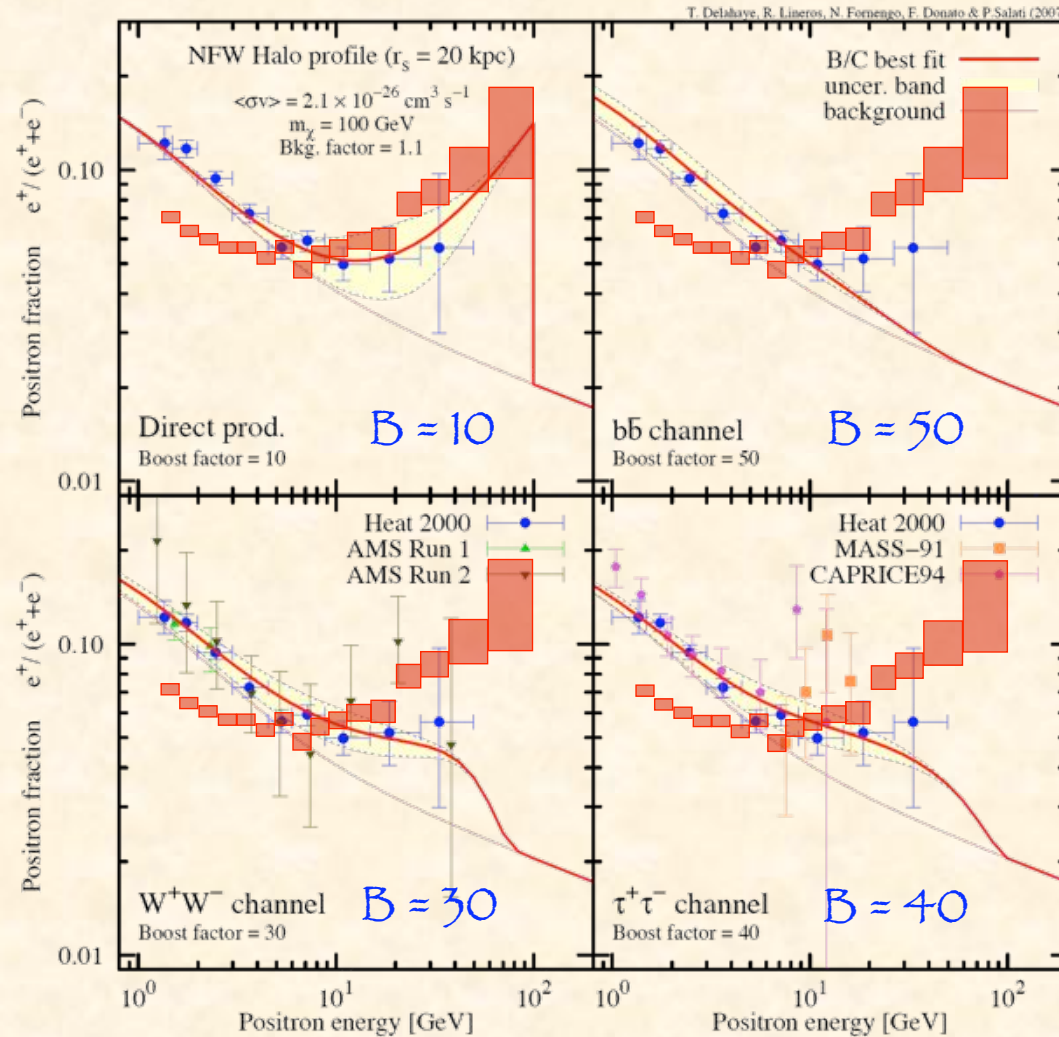


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Positron fraction: including a DM signal

$$m_\chi \approx 100 \text{ GeV}$$

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$$\langle \sigma v \rangle = 2.1 \cdot 10^{-26} \text{ cm}^3 \text{ s}^{-1}$$

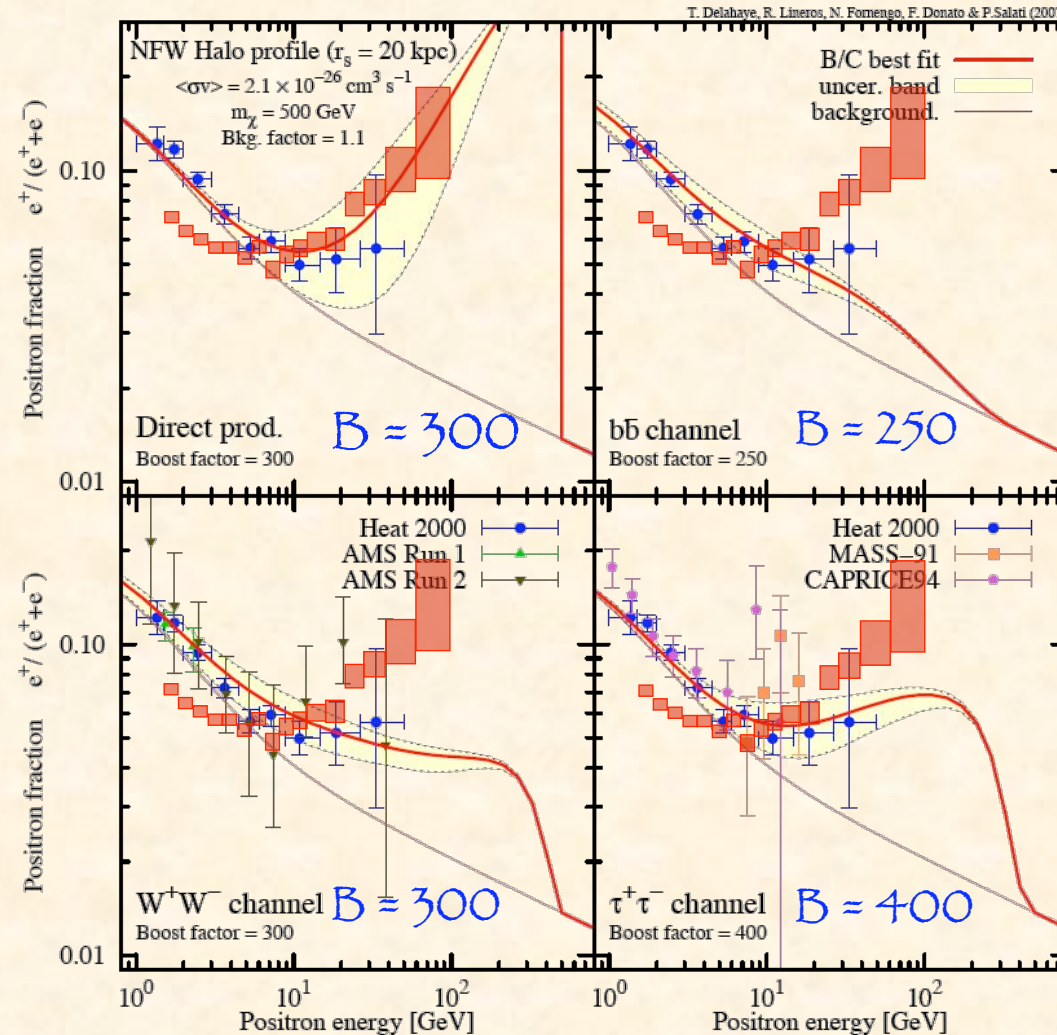
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For annihilation cross section consistent with WMAP for a thermal relic
Smooth NFW halo

Positron fraction: including a DM signal

$$m_\chi = 500 \text{ GeV}$$

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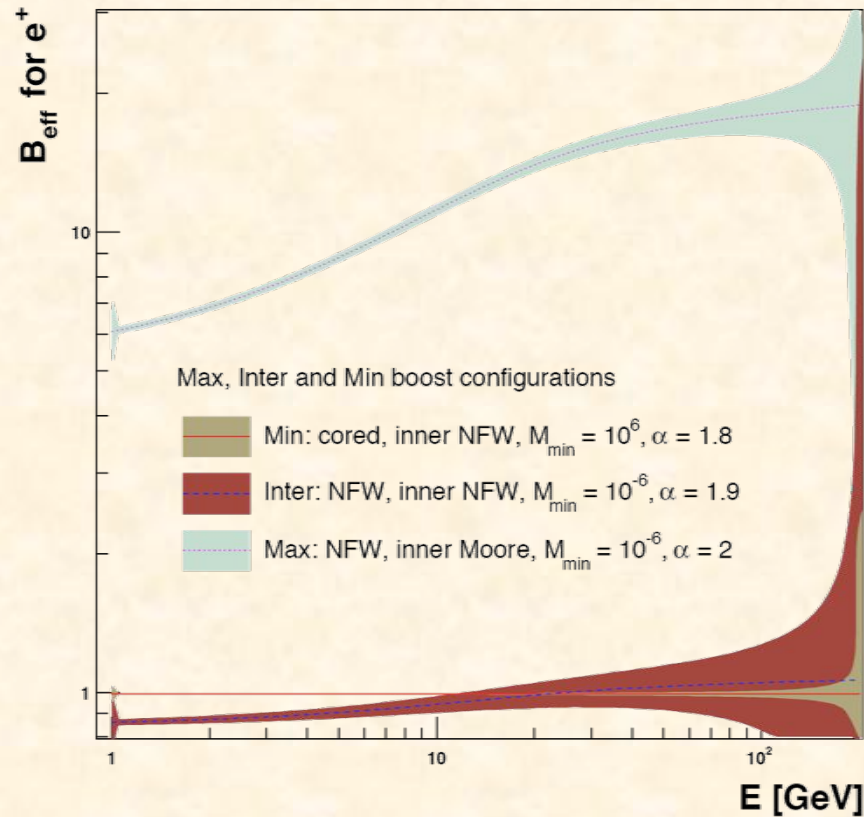


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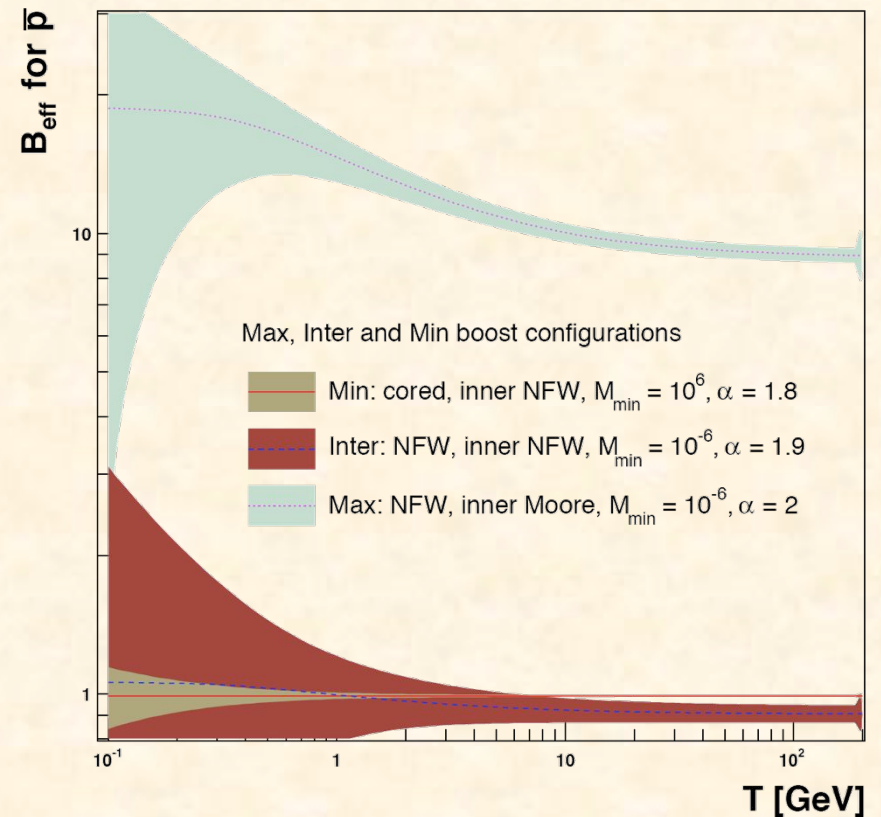
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Astrophysical boost



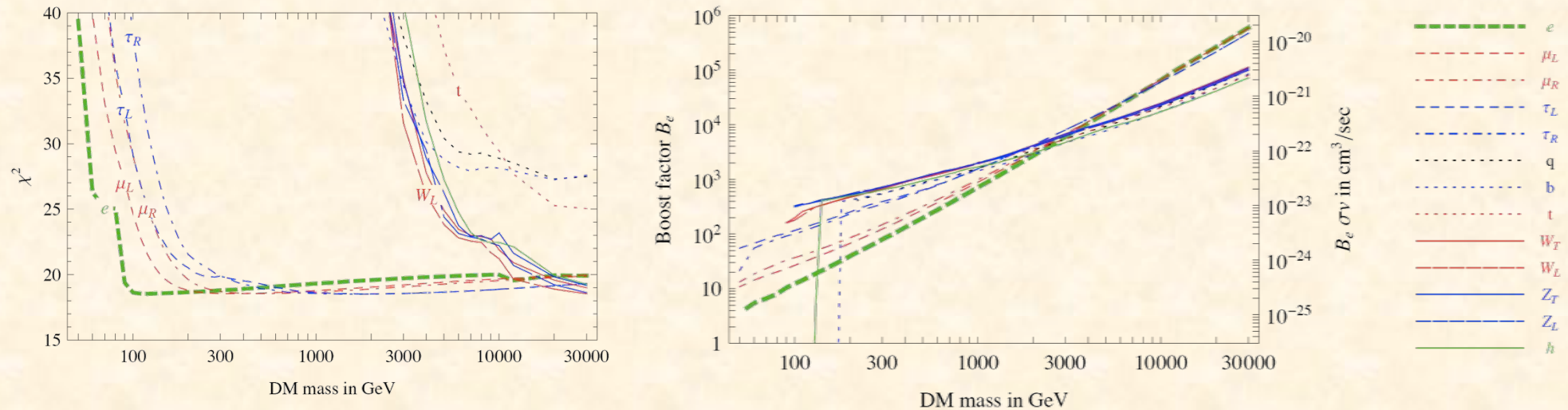
Positrons



Antiprotons

J. Lavalle, Q. Yuan, D. Maurin, X.J. Bí, A&A 479 (2008) 427

Model independent analysis



M. Cirelli, M. Kadastik, M. Raidal, A. Strumia, arXiv:0809.2409v3 [hep-ph]

Fit on positron and antiproton data (with S&M background)

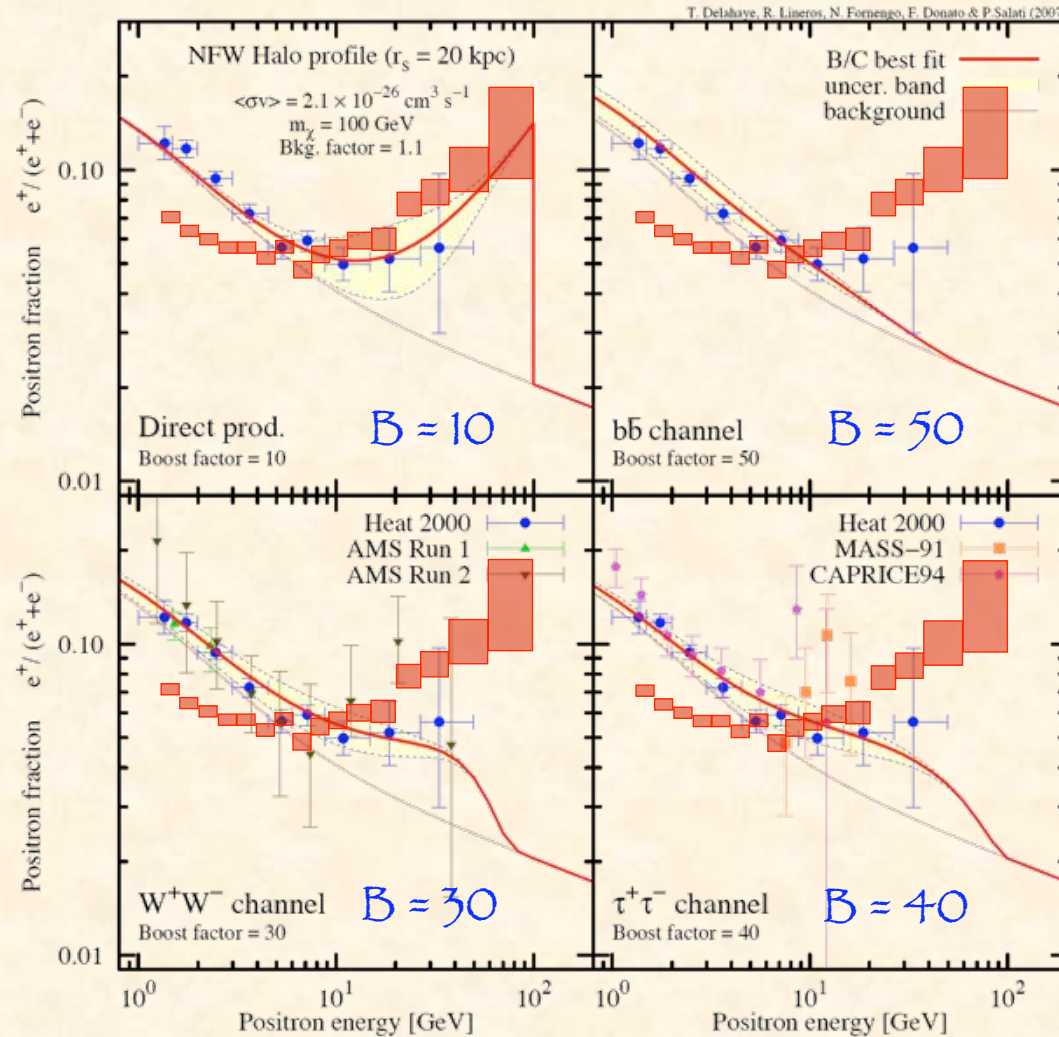
Hadrophobic or very heavy DM: does not fit well SUSY candidates

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 D. Grasso et al., arXiv:0905.0636v1 [astro-ph.HE] : L. Bergstrom, J. Esjo, G. Zaharijas, arXiv:0905.0333 [astro-ph.HE]
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Positron fraction: including a DM signal

$$m_\chi \approx 100 \text{ GeV}$$

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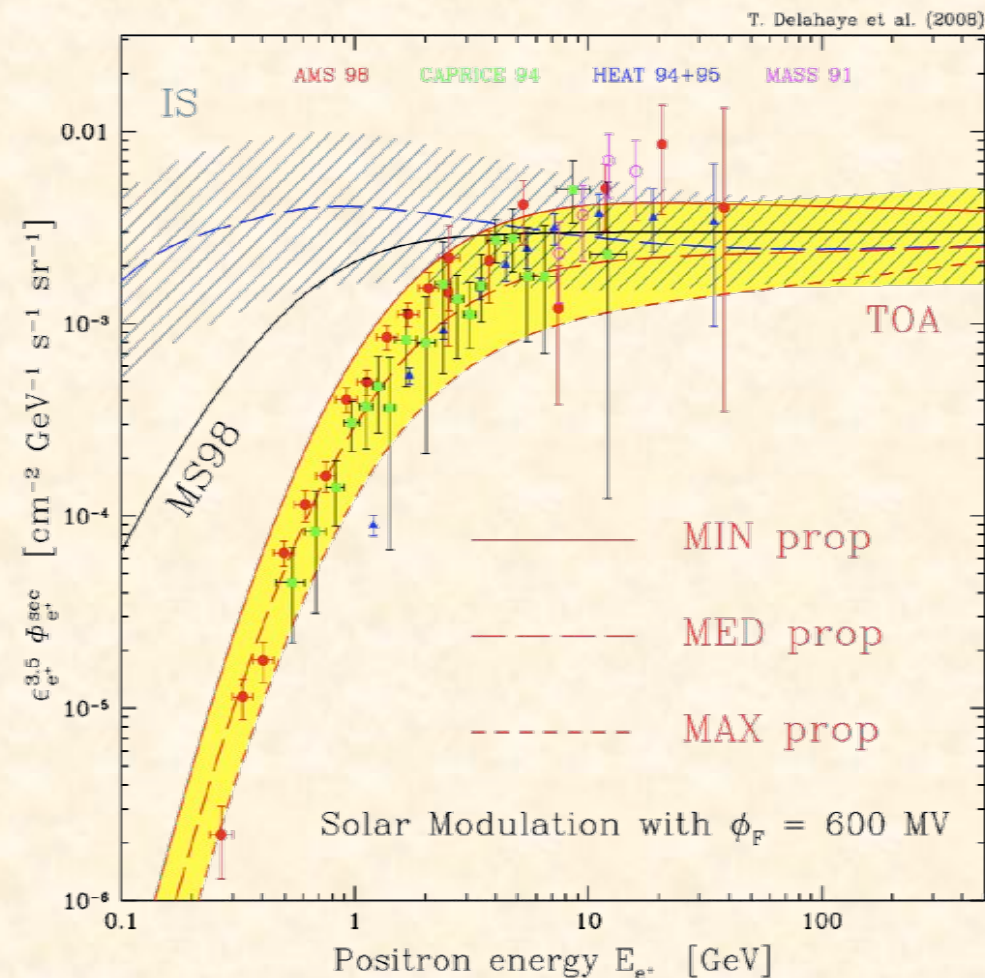


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For annihilation cross section consistent with WMAP for a thermal relic
Smooth NFW halo

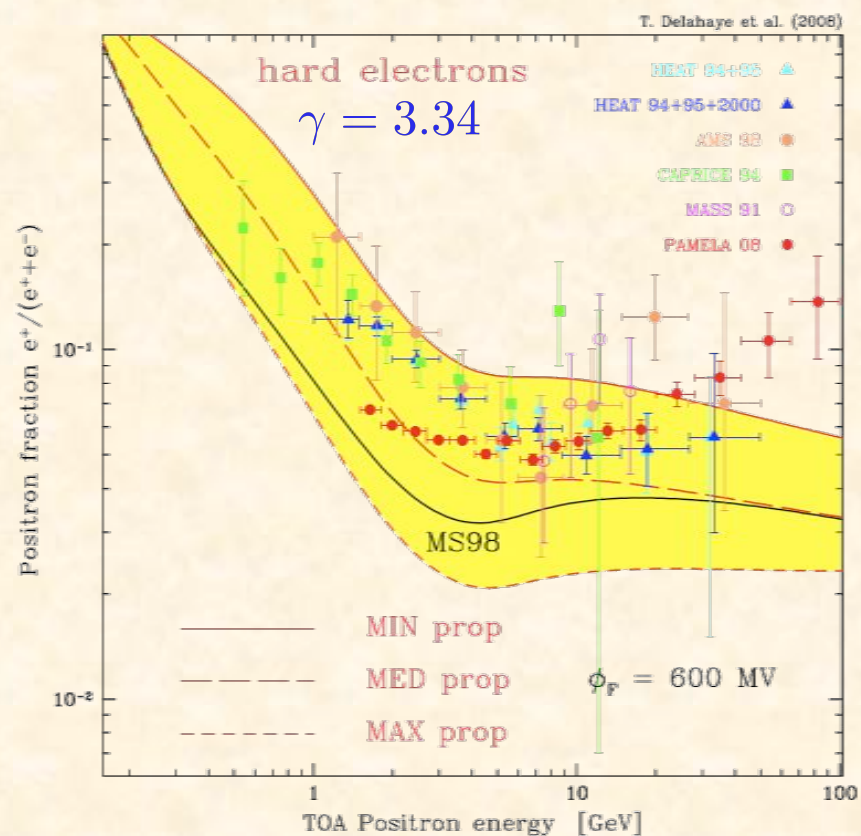
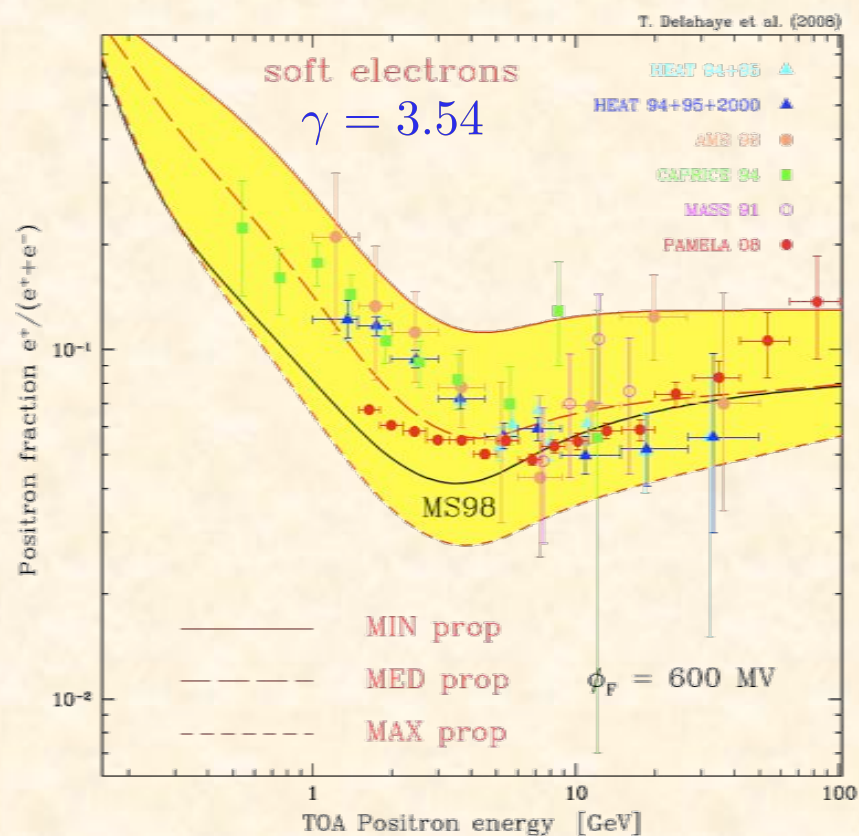
Secondary positrons: propagation uncertainties



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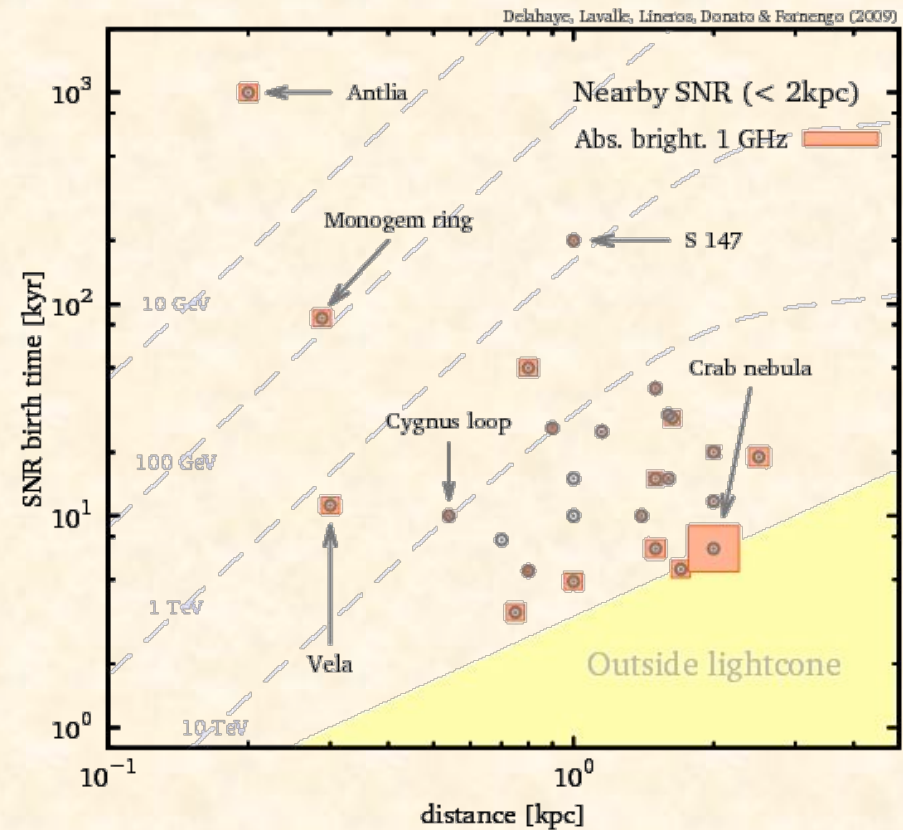
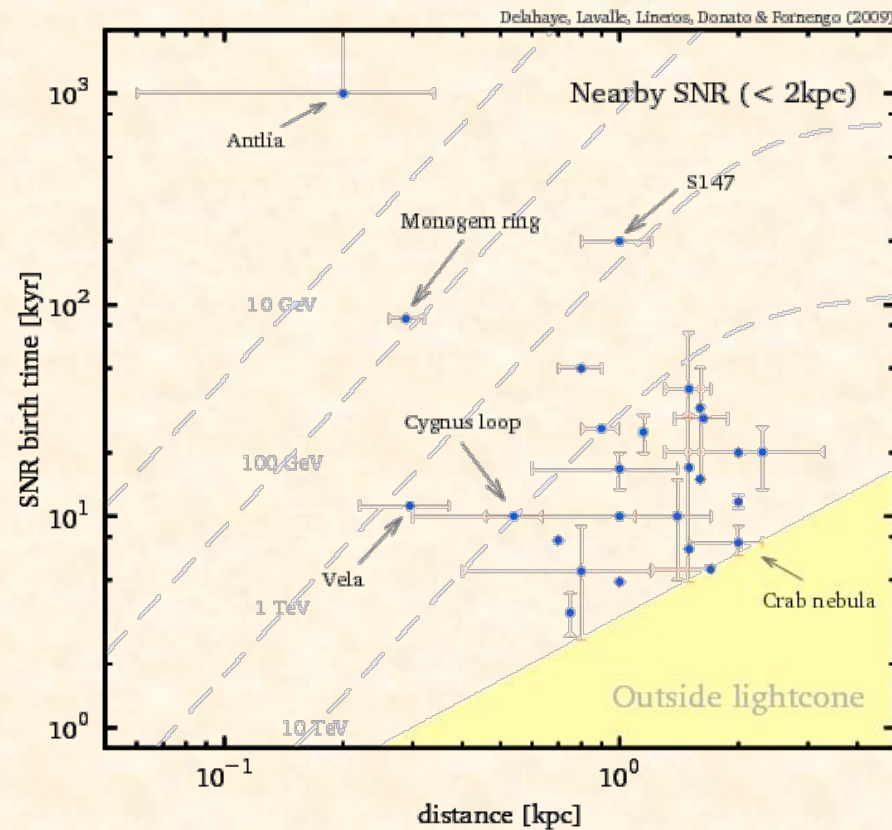
Positron fraction

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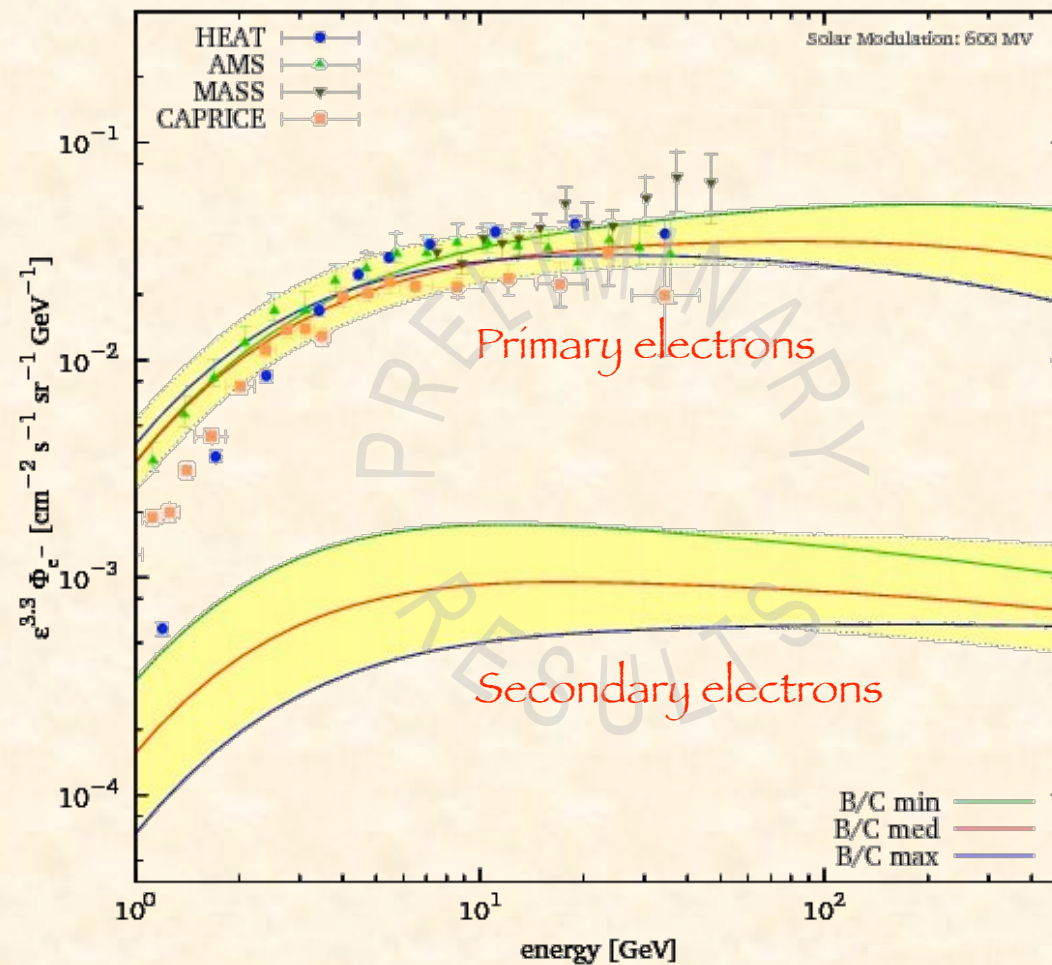


PAMELA data point toward an “excess”

Supernova remnants

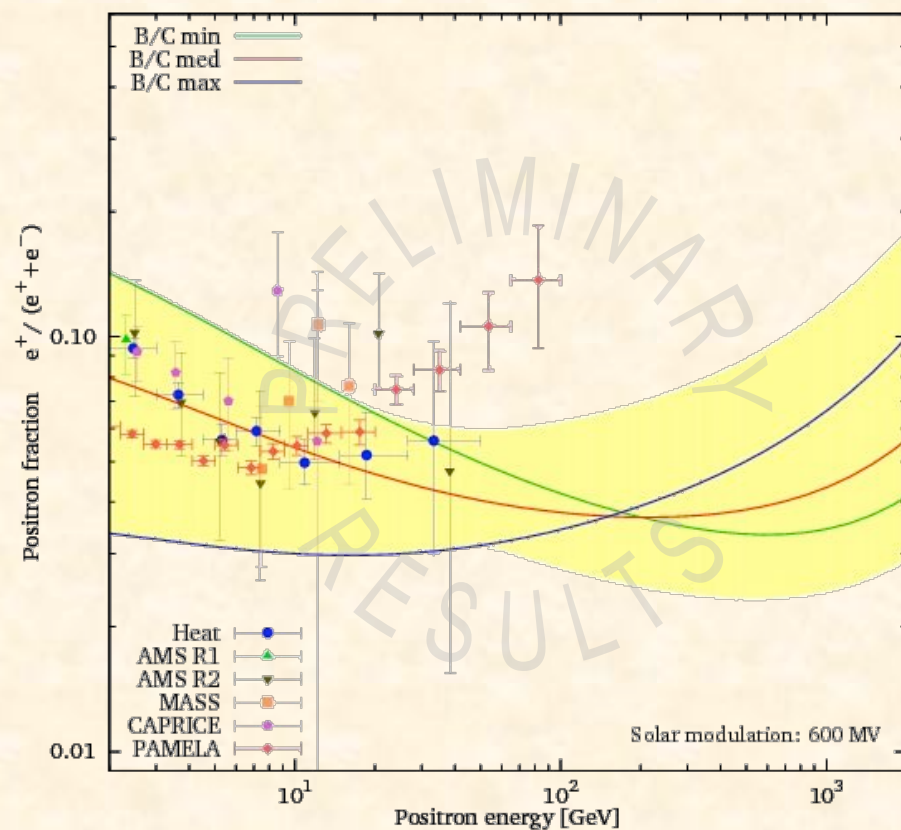


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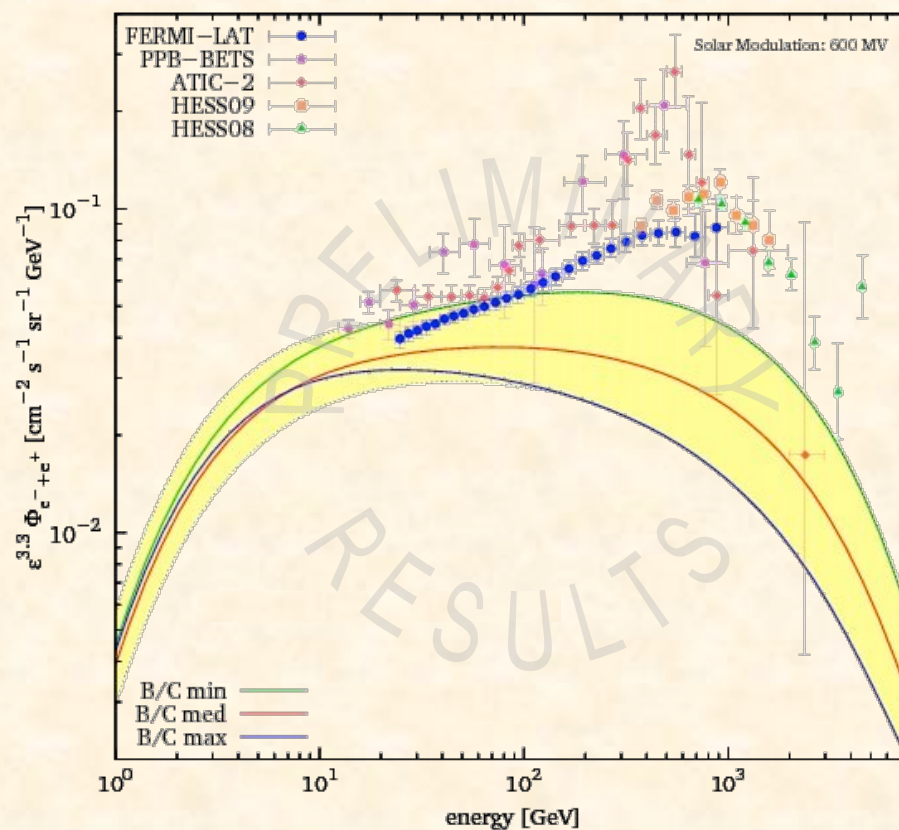


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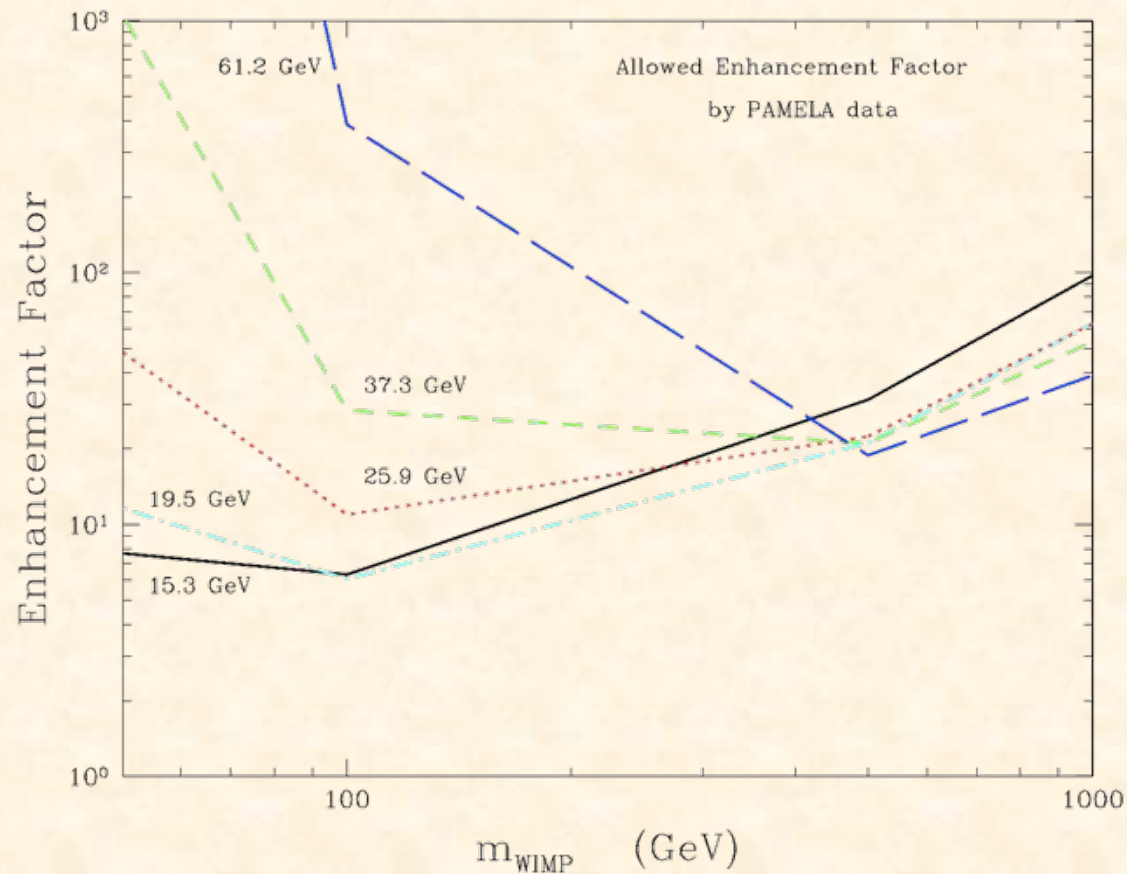


Electrons + positrons



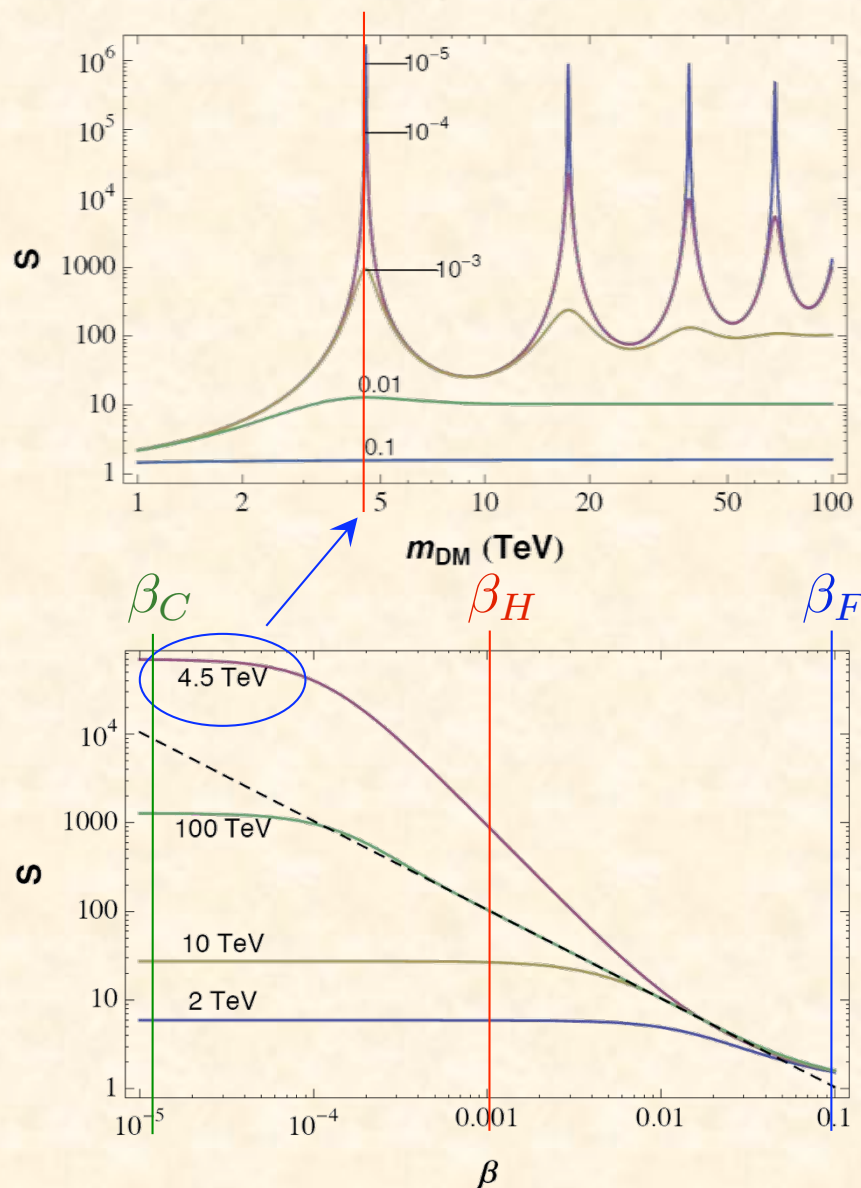
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Constraint on boost from antiprotons



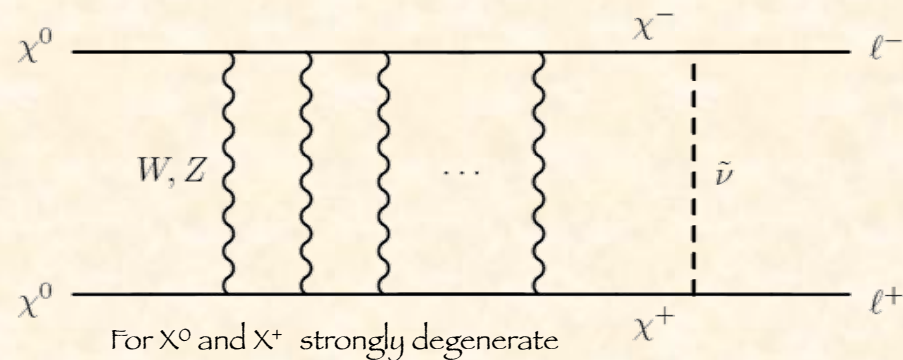
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Particle physics boost: Sommerfeld effect



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It may work differently for different annihilation channels (e.g. fermions wrt gauge bosons)

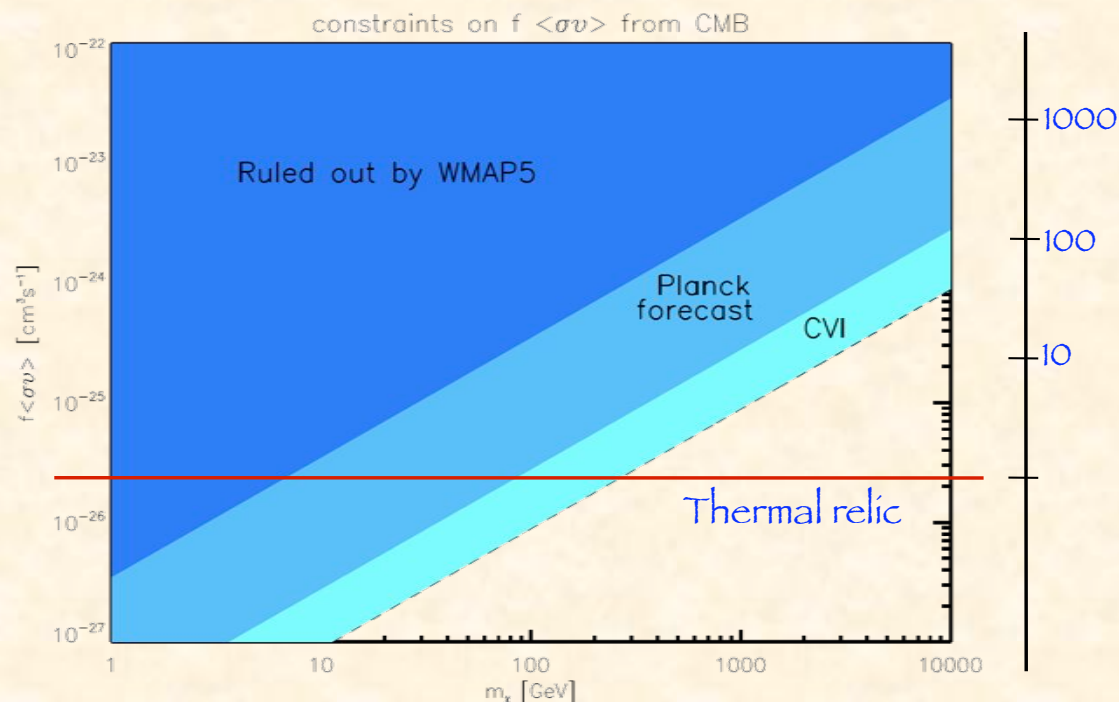


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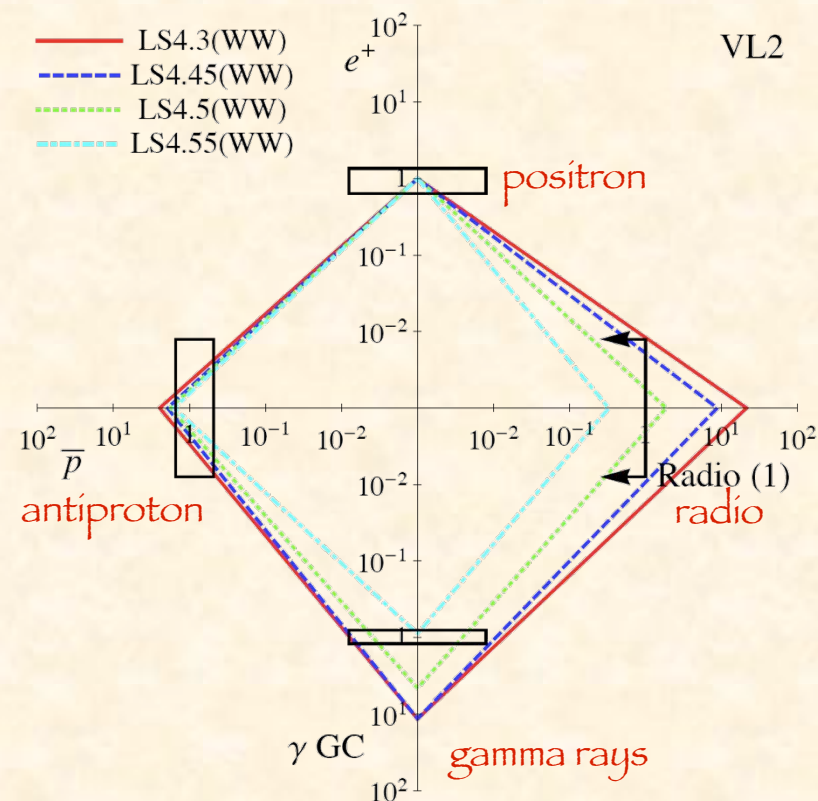
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Bounds on Sommerfeld boost

From CMB



From multiwavelength

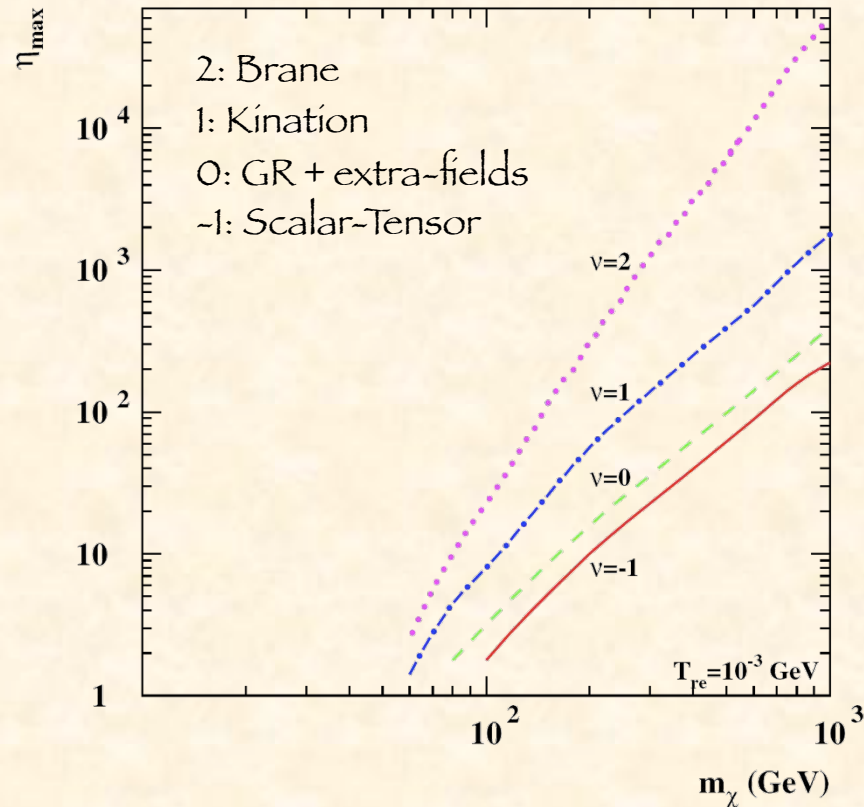


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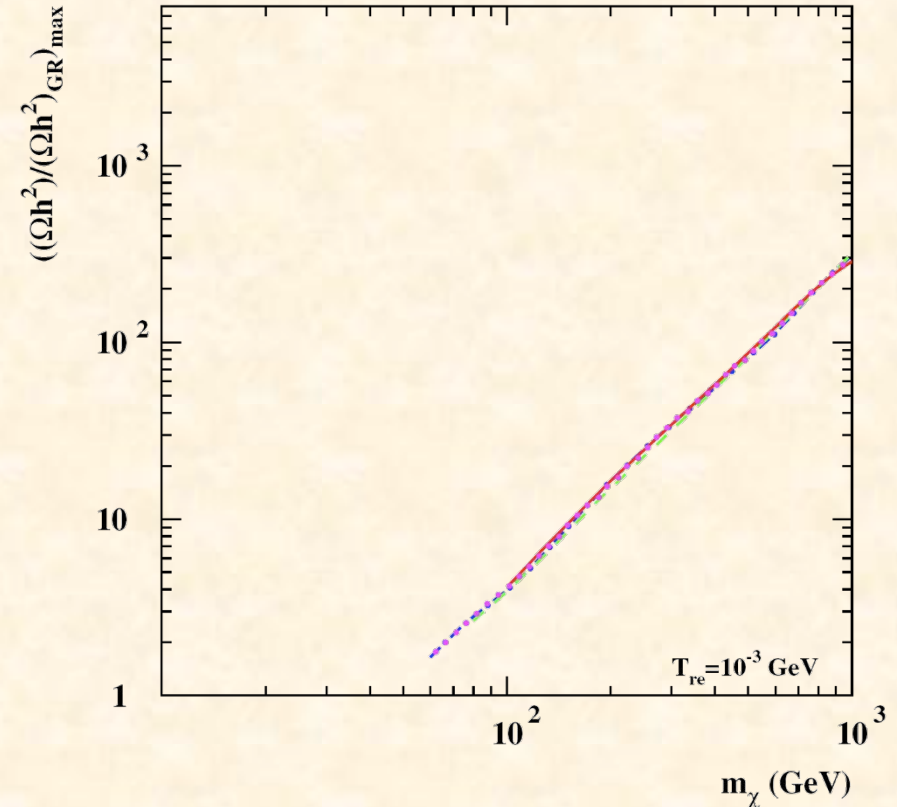
Cosmological boost

$$H = H_{\text{GR}}[1 + \eta(T/T_F)^\nu] \quad (\text{for } T > T_{\text{BBM}})$$



Maximal enhancement of
Hubble rate at freeze-out
consistent with antiproton data

$$B = \langle \sigma v \rangle^{\text{WMAP}} / \langle \sigma v \rangle_{\text{GR}}^{\text{WMAP}}$$



Induced boost

Boosts equally leptonic and hadronic channels

M. Schelke, R. Catena, N. Fornengo, A. Masiero, M. Pietroni, PRD 74 (2006) 083505

Summary: Indirect Detection

- AntiDeuterons

- Strong feature at low-energies: offer the best possibility to detect a signal

- AntiProtons

- Mild feature at low energies, but suitable to set (potentially relevant) bounds
- Possible features at high energies, but requires “boost”
- Data show no anomaly (latest from PAMELA)

- Positrons

- May possess spectral features, typically require “boosts”
- PAMELA data on positron fraction exhibit “anomalous” rise (may be astrophysical: e.g. pulsars)
- FERMI data on electron+positrons exhibit a mild bump (may be astrophysical) [HESS; ATIC]

- Gamma Rays

- May possess spectral features
- Line: amazing signature, but typically strongly suppressed (very hard for some DM candidates)
- FERMI: currently no anomaly above the galactic center
- Astrophysical background relevant, especially at the galactic center

- Neutrinos from Earth and Sun

- Spectral and angular features
- Affected by uncertainties similar to direct detection: astrophysical, hadronic
- Potentially accessible, especially from the Sun