

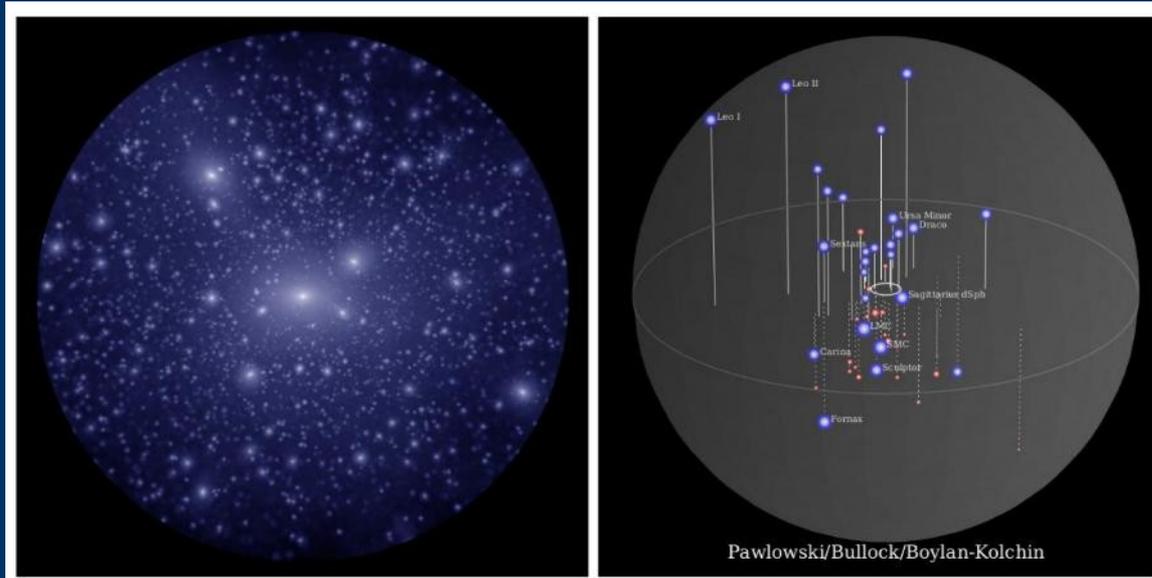
“Even more on subhalos”

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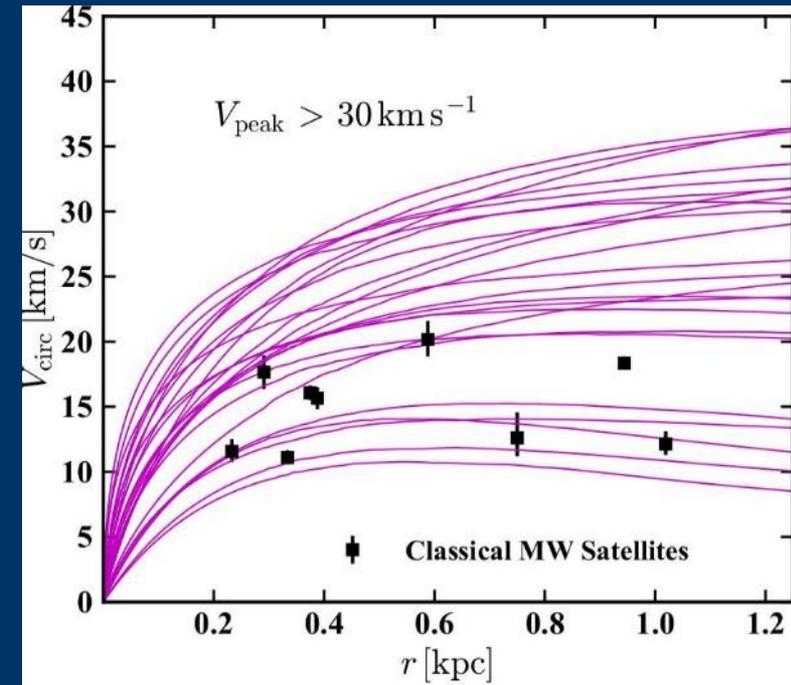


Small-scale challenges of Λ CDM

Missing satellites

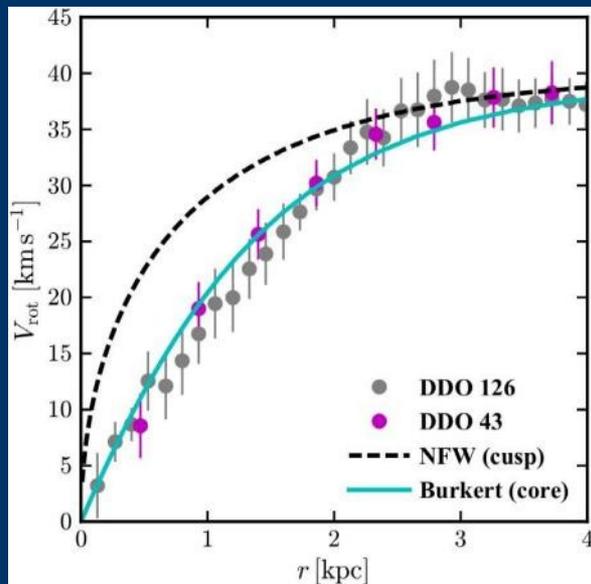


Too big to fail



Review by Bullock & Boylan-Kolchin 17

core-vs-cusp



DM halos in Λ CDM are

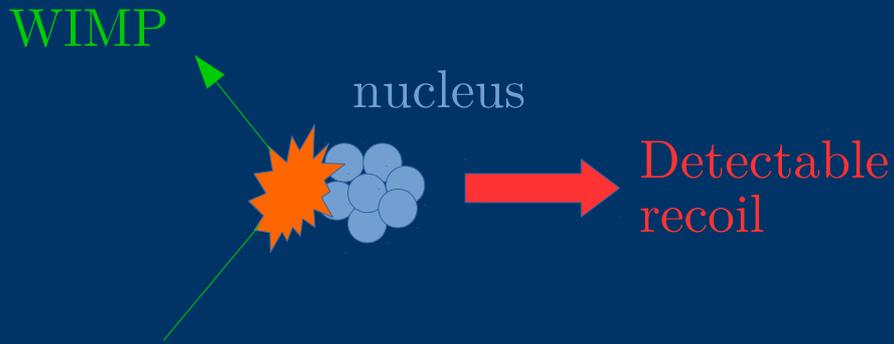
- Too numerous
- Too concentrated

Possible solutions

- DM physics (SIDM, WDM)
- Baryonic physics

Subhalos and dark matter searches

Direct searches



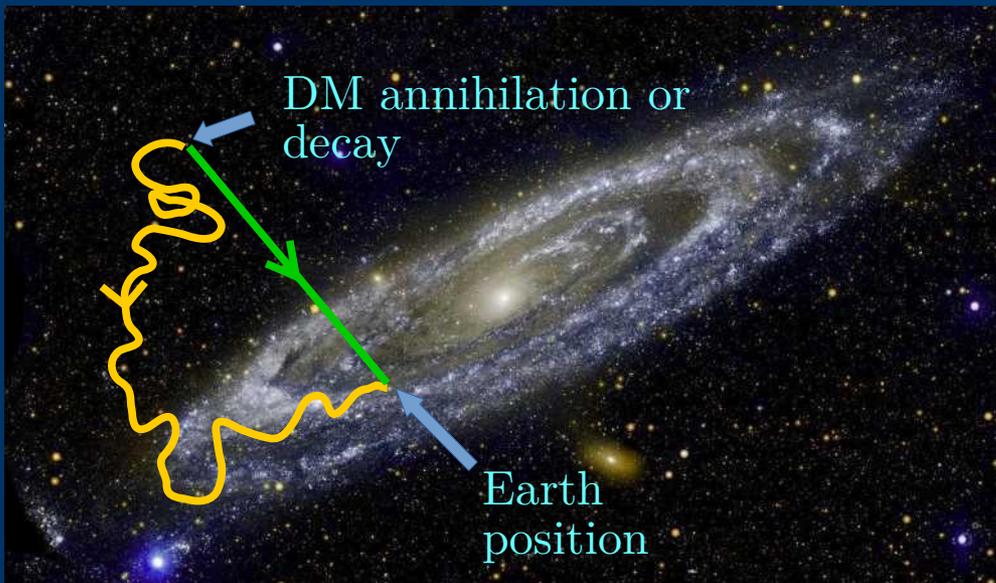
Differential event rate

$$\frac{dR}{dE_r} = \text{part. physics} \times \rho_{\odot} \int_{v_{\min}(E_r)}^{v_{\text{esc}}} \frac{f_{\odot}(\vec{v})}{|\vec{v}|} d^3\vec{v}$$

- Local DM density
- Local DM velocity DF

➡ Importance of the local clustering

Indirect searches



Probe of the (extra-)Galactic DM density profile via **gamma rays**, **neutrinos** or **charged cosmic rays**

Inhomogeneities boost the annihilation signal
Silk & Stebbins 93

+ dynamics: e.g. tidal force field of subhalos **Penarrubia 17**

Modeling subhalos: numerical vs analytical

Numerical simulations

- Self-consistent modeling of gravity
- Non-linear evolution
- Computing power
- Limited resolution
- Unconsistent with observed dynamics

Analytic models

- Unlimited resolution
- Easy implementation of cosmo/part. physics constraints
- Dynamically constrainable
- Approximations needed beyond the linear regime

➔ Semi-analytic approach = analytic calculations + calibration on simulations

- Cosmo, part. phys and dynamical constraints
- No resolution limit
- Reproduces numerical simulations results

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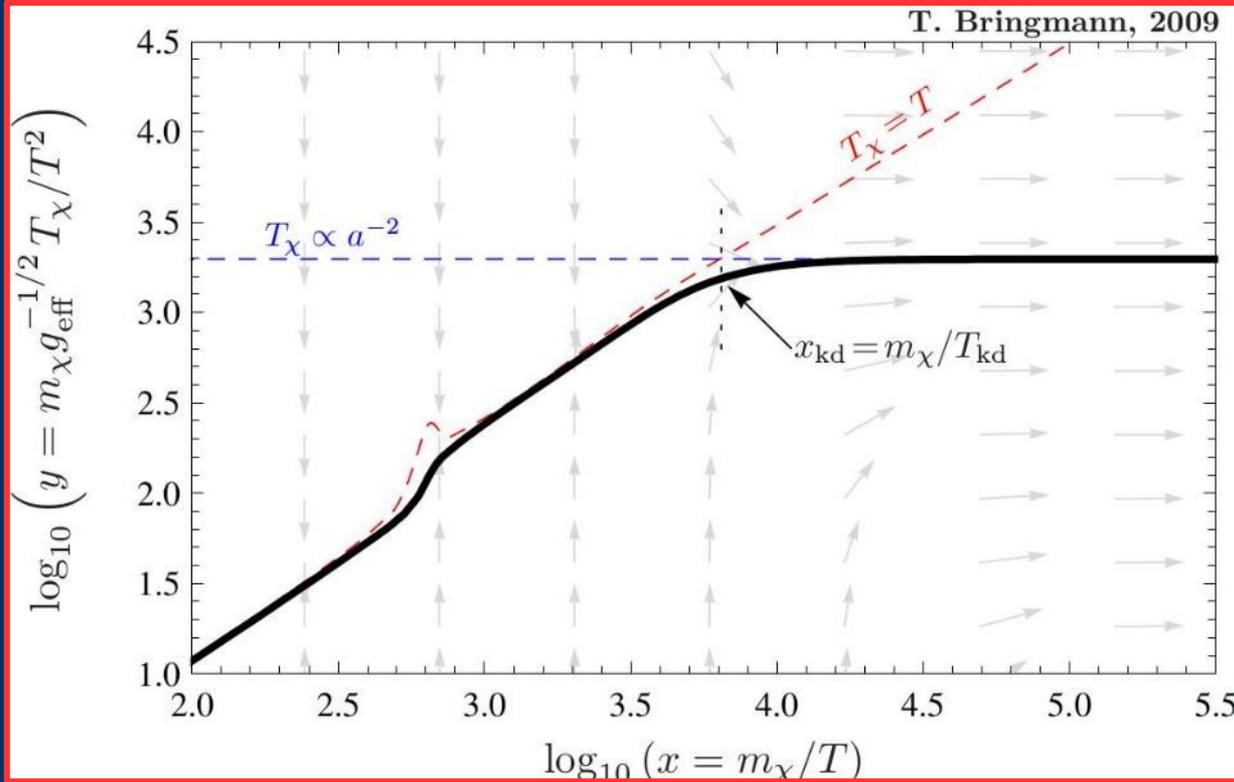
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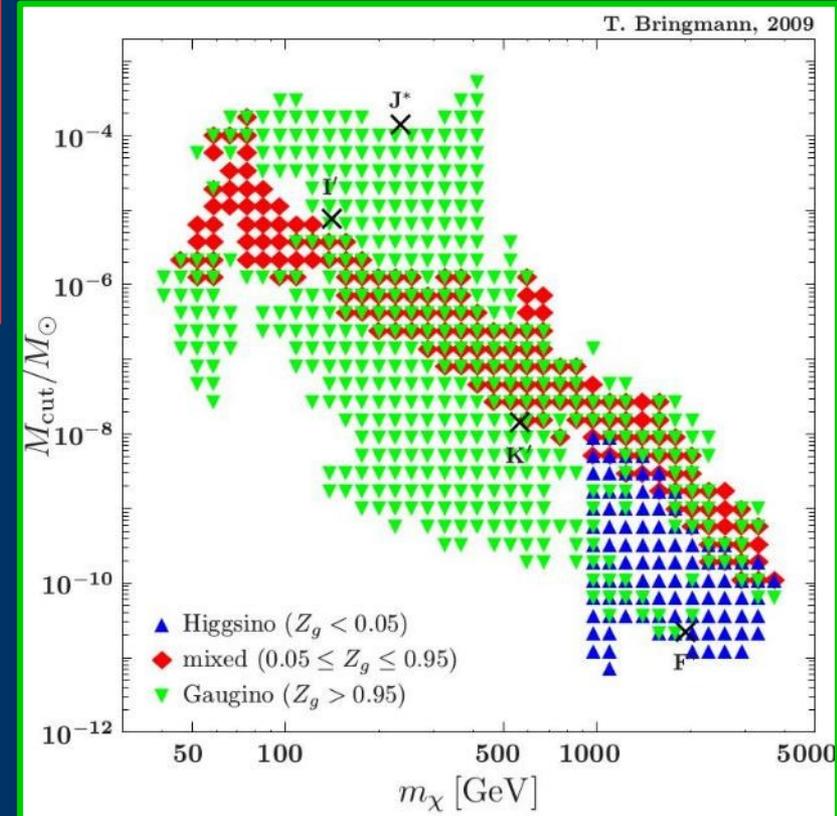
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$$H(t_{\text{kd}}) = \Gamma_{\text{scat}}(t_{\text{kd}})$$



See e.g. Berezhinsky+ 03, Green+ 05, Profumo+ 06, Bringmann & Hofmann 07, Bringmann 09

SUSY example:



Free-streaming length

$$l_{\text{fs}} = \int_{t_{\text{kd}}}^{t_{\text{eq}}} \frac{v_\chi(t')}{a(t')} dt'$$



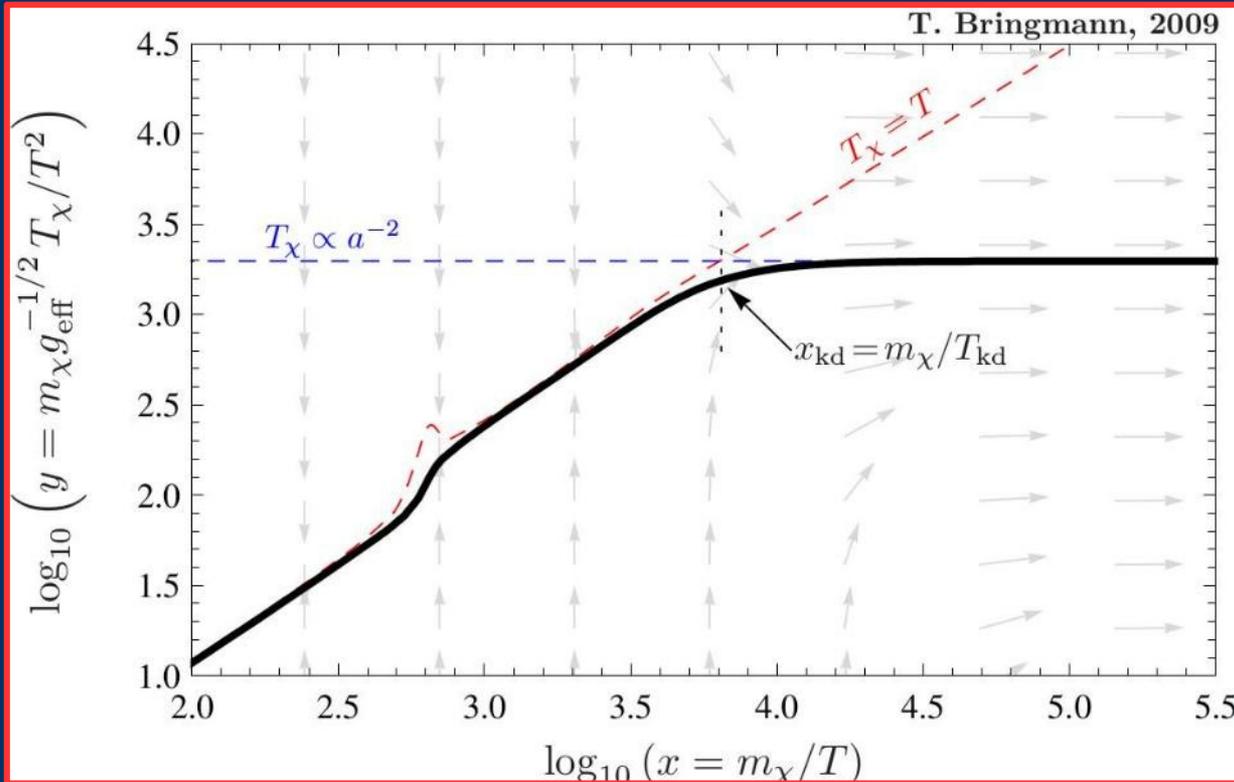
Minimal mass

$$M_{\text{fs}} = \frac{4}{3} \pi \rho_\chi(t_{\text{eq}}) l_{\text{fs}}^3$$

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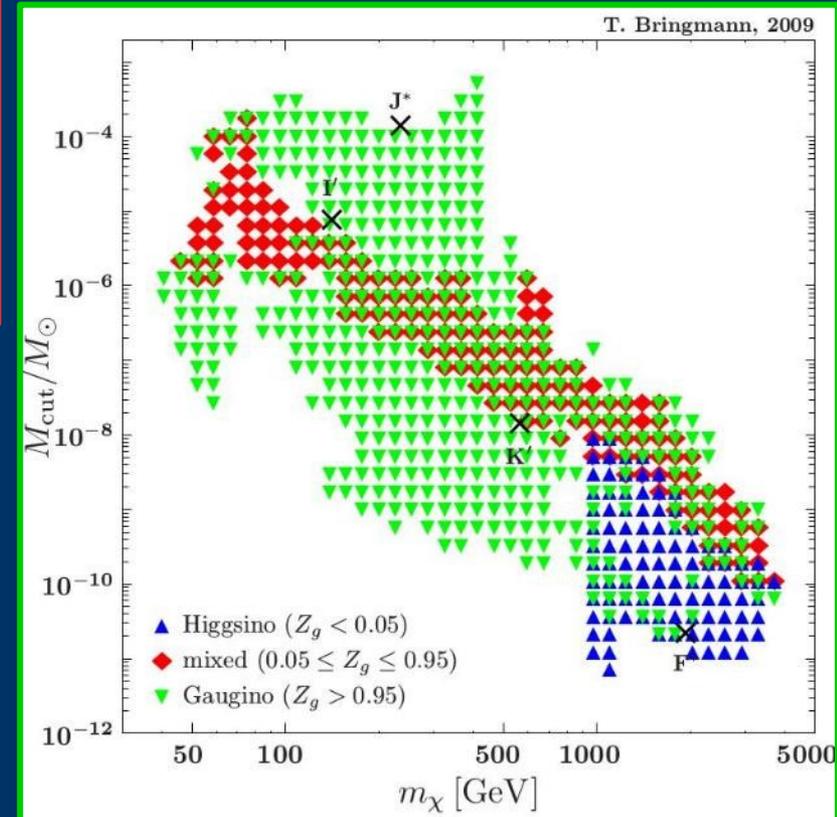
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Similar cutoff for QCD axion CDM (non-thermal):
Minicluster mass

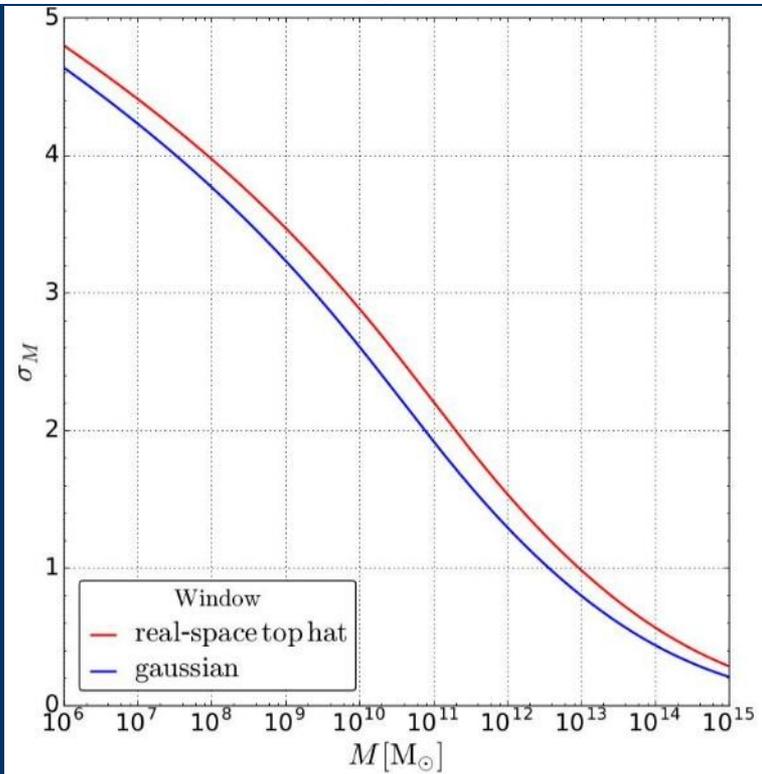
$$M_{\text{mc}} \sim 10^{-10} - 10^{-12} M_\odot$$

Kolb & Tkachev 96

Halo mass function

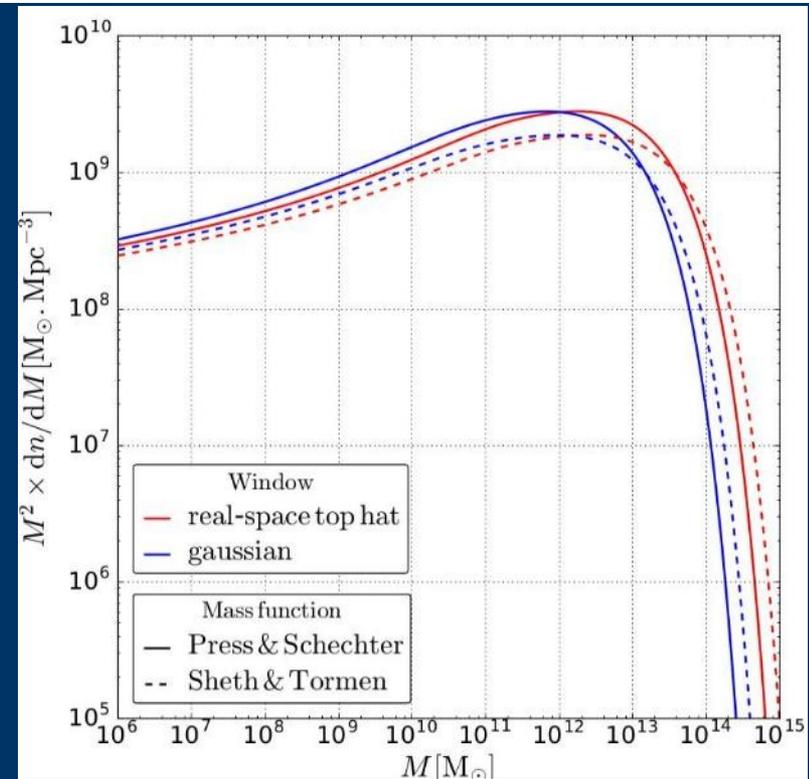
Mass variance

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Press & Schechter mass function (1974)

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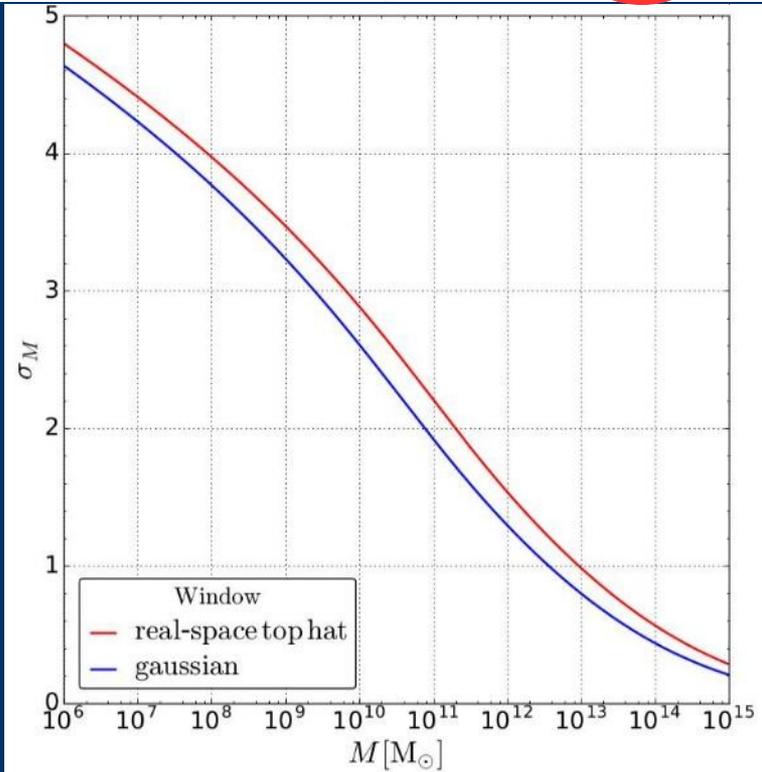
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Halo mass function

Cosmological parameters n_s σ_8 Ω_{cdm}

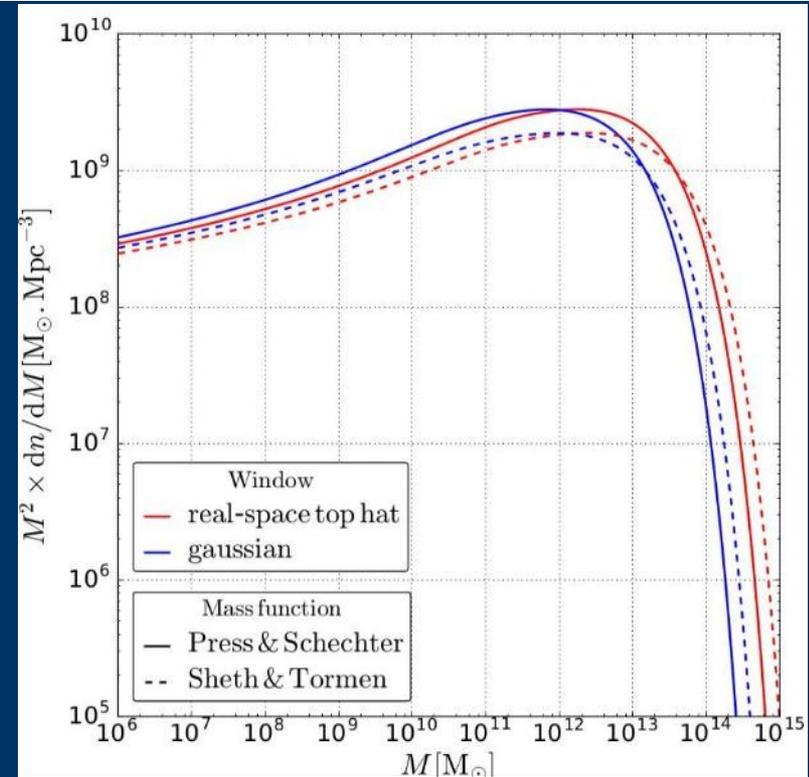
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Halo mass function: Effective description

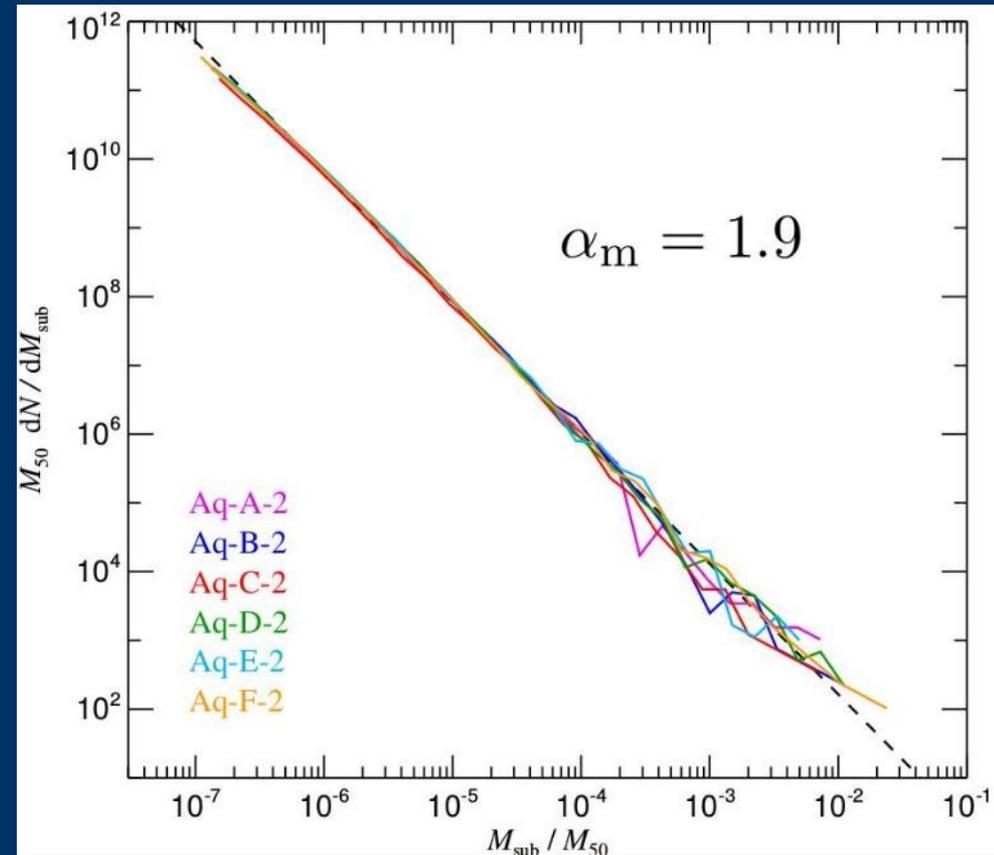
Below the galactic scale: power-law

$$\frac{dn}{dm} \propto m^{-\alpha_m}$$
$$\alpha_m \simeq 2$$

Sharp cutoff at $m = m_{\min}$

- Cosmology in α_m
- Particle physics in m_{\min}

Aquarius simulation (Springel+ 08)



Concentration

Pseudo-virial radius:

$$\frac{m(r_{200})}{\frac{4}{3} \pi r_{200}^3} = 200 \rho_{\text{crit}}$$

~ scale radius:

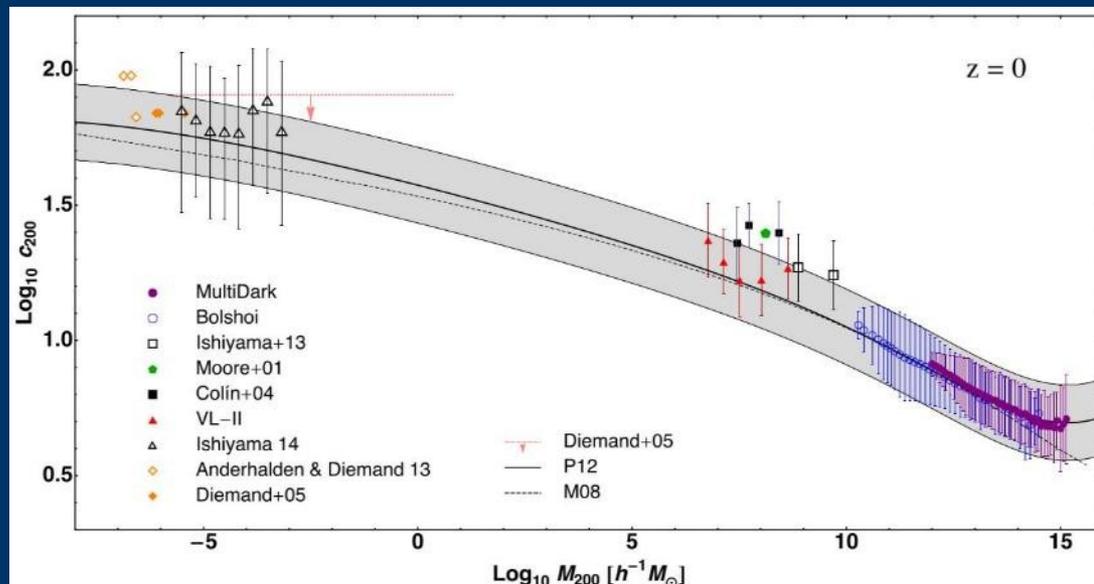
$$\left. \frac{d \ln \rho}{d \ln r} \right|_{r=r_{-2}} = -2$$

$$c_{200} \equiv \frac{r_{200}}{r_{-2}}$$

Direct measure of the internal density

Smaller halos collapse earlier in a denser Universe → correlation between mass and concentration

Mass-concentration correlation



Relation recovered in simple semi-analytic models (Bullock+ 01, Maccio+ 08, Prada+ 12)

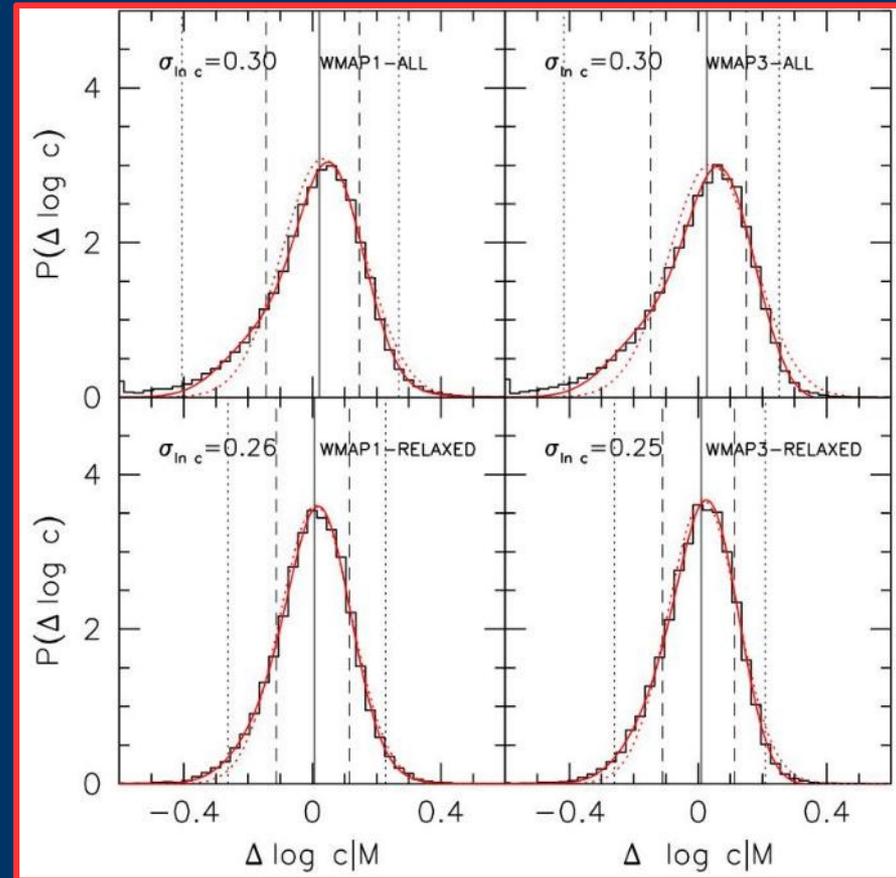
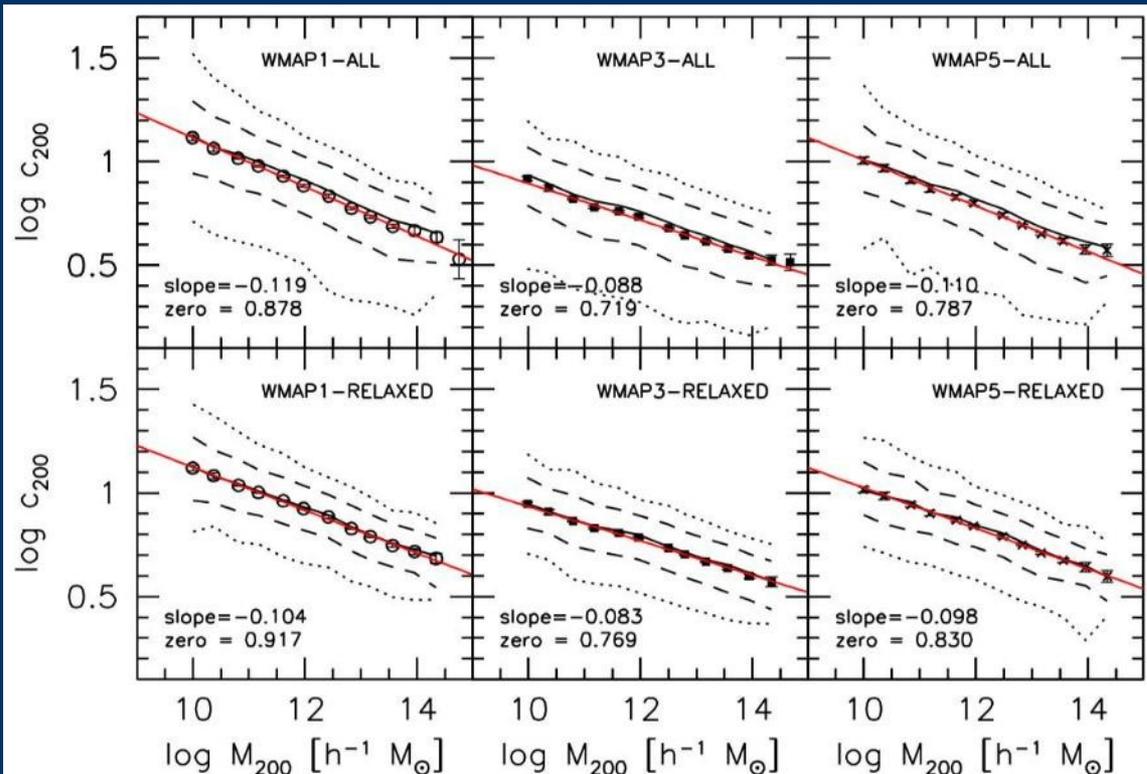
→ Link to cosmological parameters

Concentration II

Log-normal distribution

$$\frac{dP}{dc_{200}}(c_{200}, \bar{c}) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma_c^2} c_{200}} \exp\left[-\frac{(\ln c_{200} - \ln \bar{c})^2}{2\sigma_c^2}\right]$$

- $\bar{c} = \bar{c}(m_{200})$ median concentration
- $\sigma_c = \text{constant}$, independent of the mass



Maccio+ 08

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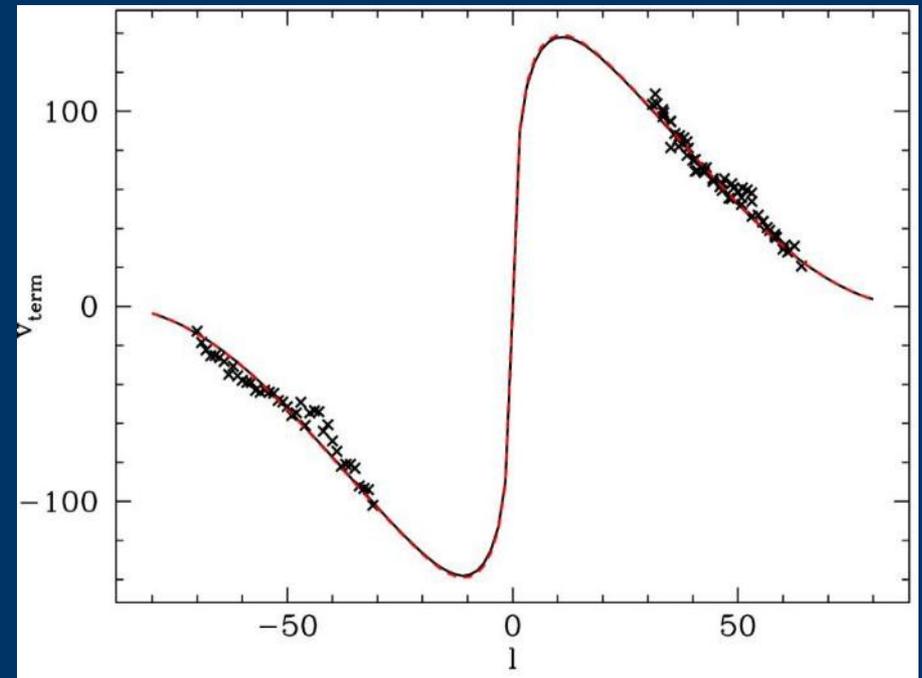
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Mass distribution of DM and baryons: ρ_{DM} ρ_{bulge} ρ_{disc} ...

e.g. McMillan 11, 17

Kinematical data:

- Maser observations
- Solar velocity
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McMillan 11

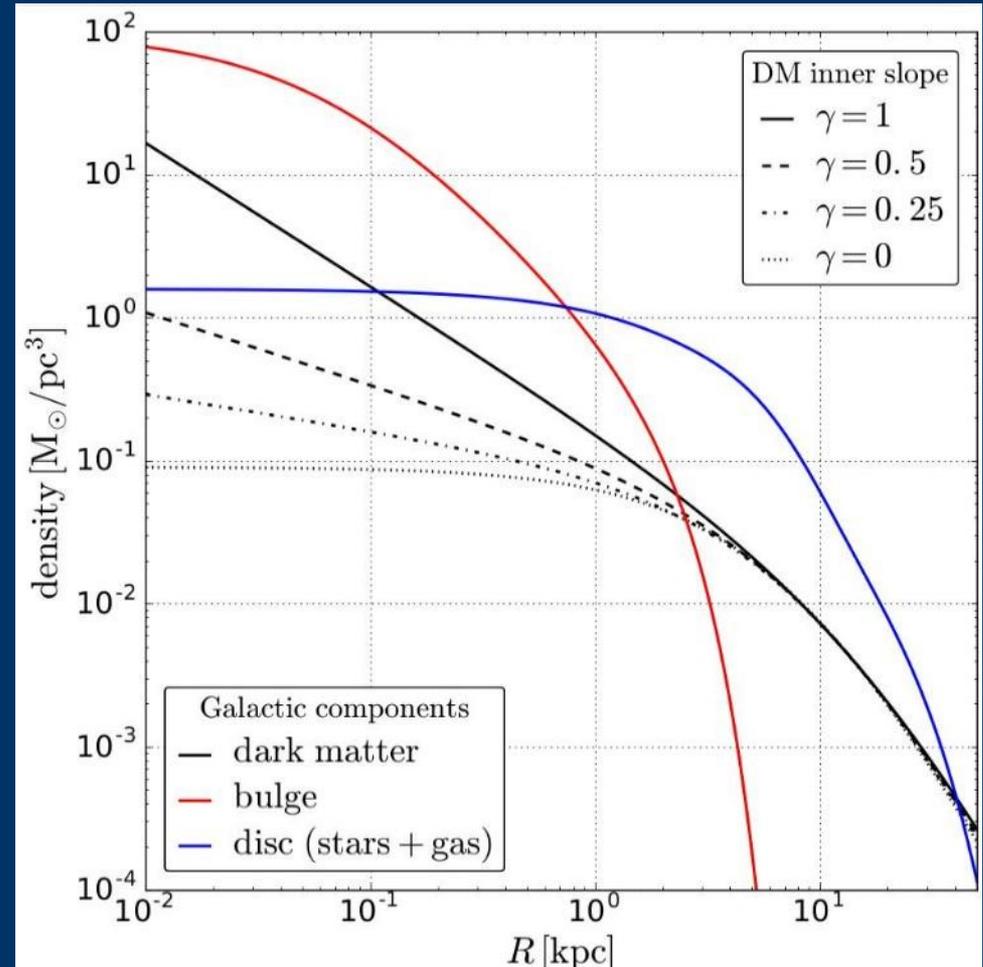
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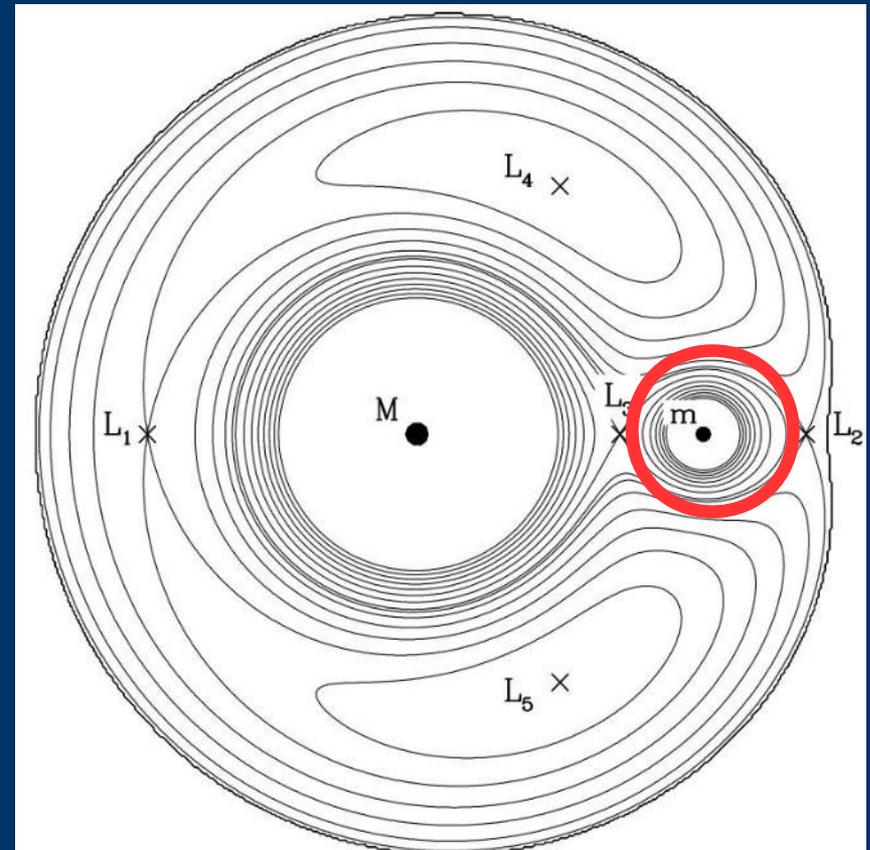
For a host with a smooth mass distribution:

$$r_t = \left[\frac{m(r_t)}{3M(R) \left(1 - \frac{1}{3} \frac{d \ln M}{d \ln R}\right)} \right]^{1/3} R$$

↑
subhalo's tidal radius

↑
Position in the Galaxy

Assumes circular orbits for the subhalos



Binney & Tremaine 08

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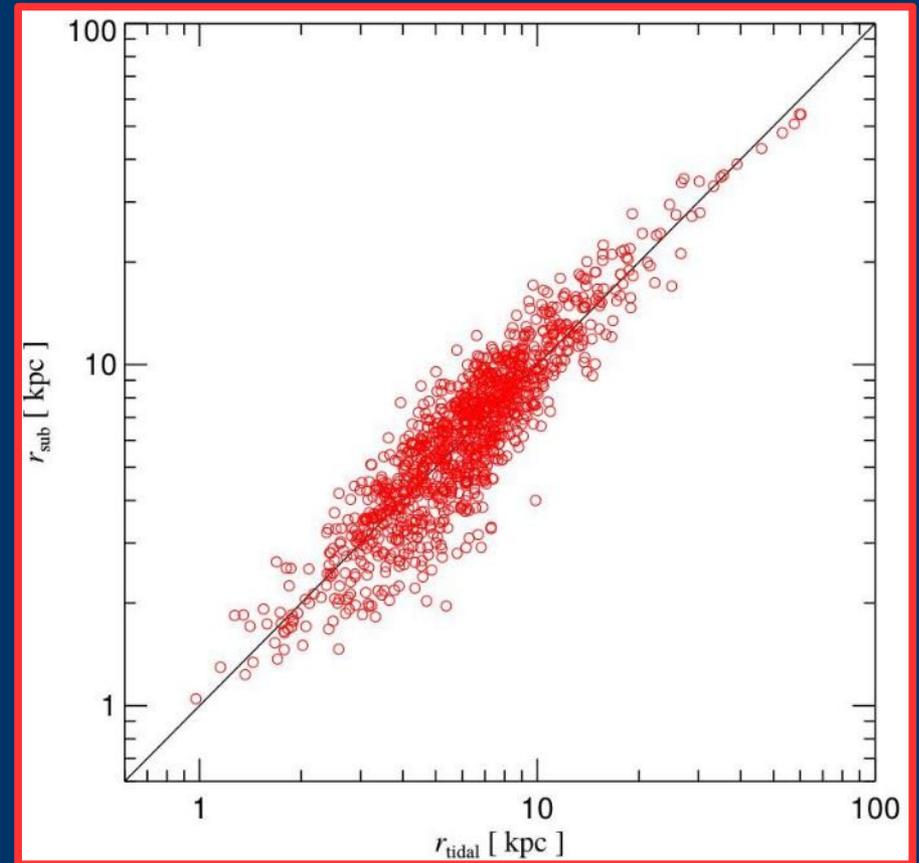
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Aquarius simulation Springel+ 08

Tidal effects: disc shocking (1)

Computation by [Ostriker+ 72](#) for globular clusters crossing the disc

Impulsive approximation : clump's inner dynamics is frozen

$$\frac{dv_z}{dt} \simeq \delta Z \frac{dg_z}{dz}$$

Average kinetic energy increase per particle mass:

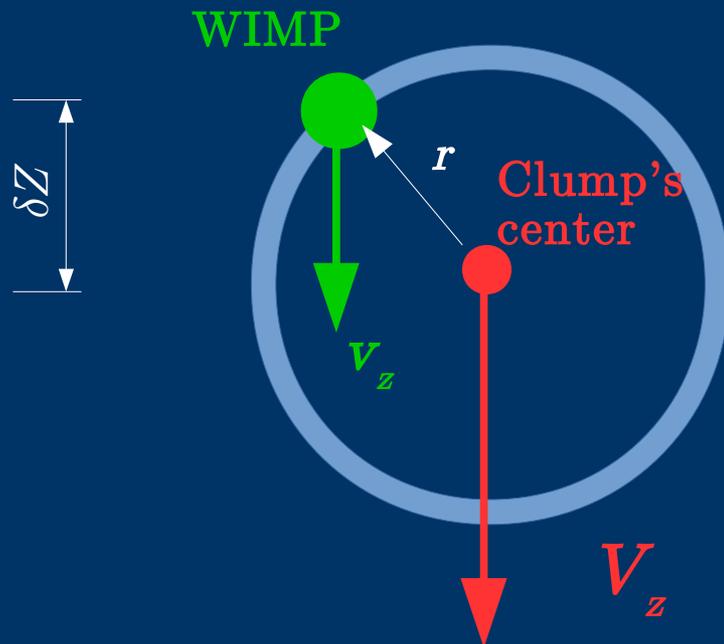
$$\langle \delta \epsilon \rangle = \frac{2 g_z^2 r^2}{3 V_z} A(\tau \omega)$$

A adiabatic correction [Gnedin & Ostriker 99](#)

τ crossing time

ω clump orbital frequency

$$A(\tau \omega) \rightarrow \begin{cases} 1 & \text{for } \tau \omega \ll 1 \\ 0 & \text{for } \tau \omega \gg 1 \end{cases}$$



Stellar disk

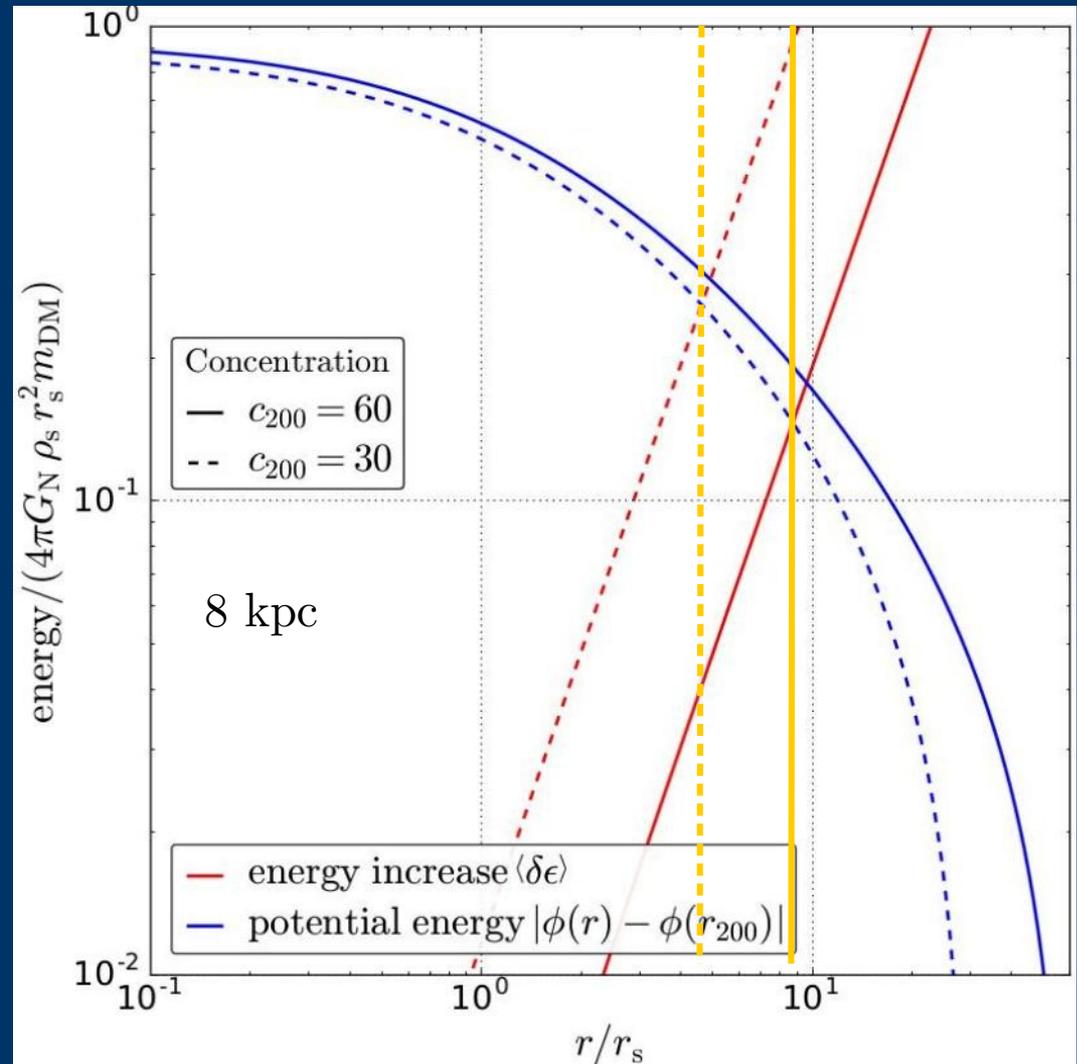
Tidal effects: disc shocking (2)

Tidal shocking radius definition

$$\delta\epsilon(r_t) = |\phi(r_t) - \phi(r_{200})|$$

- Iterative computation:
 r_t changes at each crossing
- Assumes circular orbits

Numerical studies of disc shocking
D'Onghia+ 10, Errani+ 17



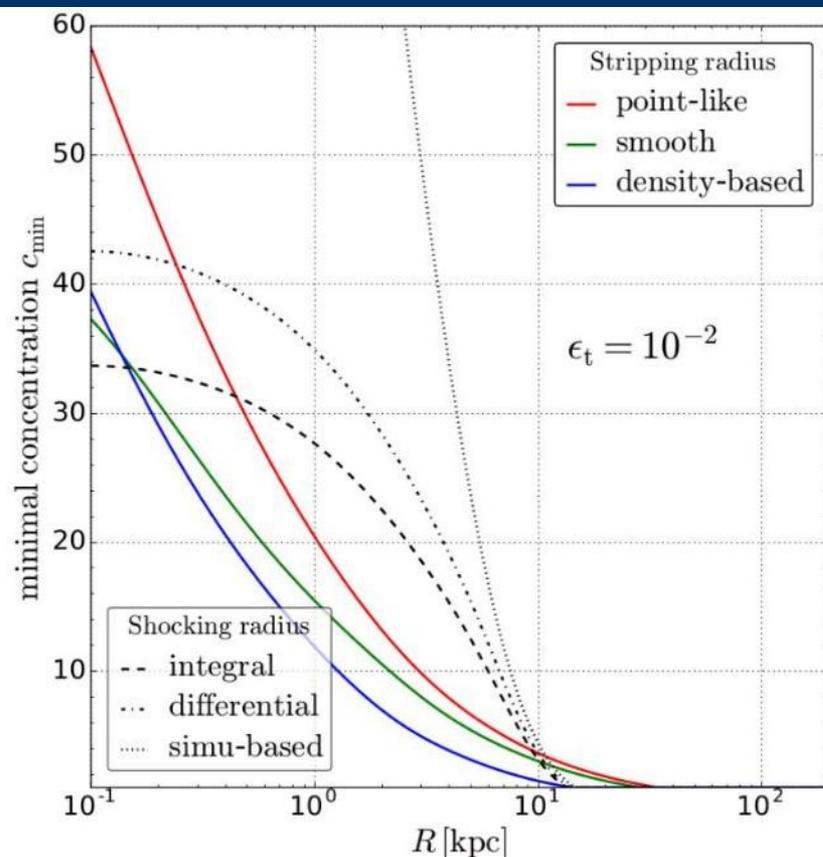
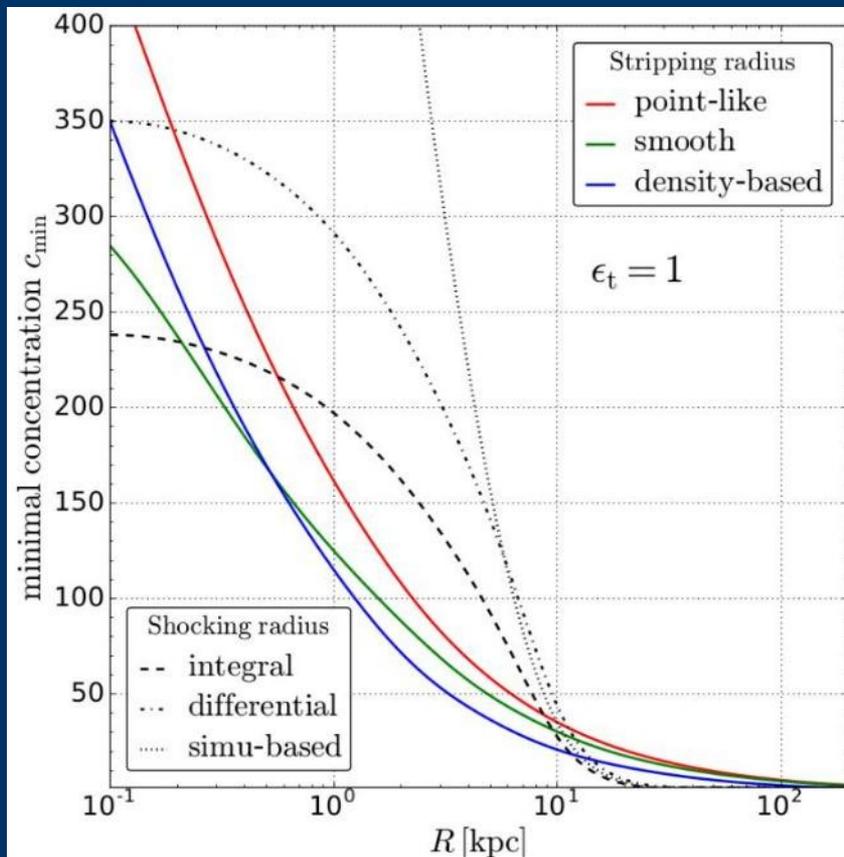
Subhalo disruption?

$$\frac{r_t}{r_s} \leq \epsilon_t \iff c_{200} \leq c_{\min}$$

Disruption criterion

Realistic value for ϵ_t ?

- $\epsilon_t \sim 1$ from simulations [Hayashi+ 03](#)
- $\epsilon_t \sim 0$? from recent studies [van den Bosch+ 17](#), [van den Bosch & Ogiya 18](#)



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Calibration on an N-body simulation

Calibration of the *resolved* subhalo mass fraction on a DMO simulation

➔ Avoid uncertainties related to baryons

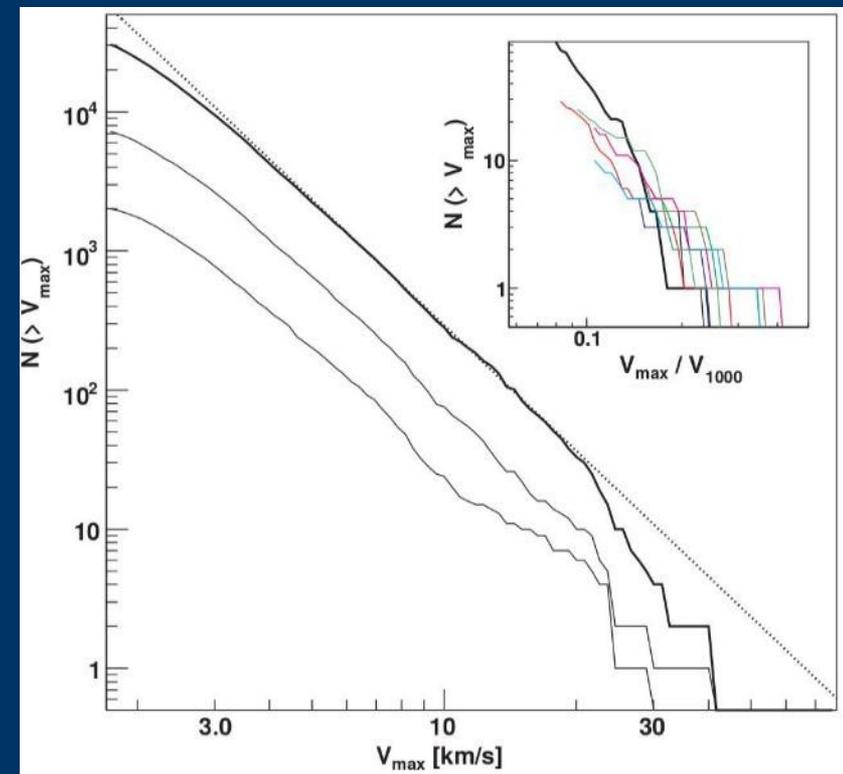
Limit : only valid for DMO tides and $\epsilon_t \sim 1$

In other configurations (*e.g.* with the disc or low ϵ_t), the number of subhalos is found by assuming tides don't affect subhalos in the outskirts of the Galactic halo

$N_{\text{sub}} (\epsilon_t = 1)$	$M_{\text{min}} = 10^{-10}$	$M_{\text{min}} = 10^{-6}$
$\alpha_m = 1.9$	4.79×10^{18}	1.20×10^{15}
$\alpha_m = 2$	2.60×10^{20}	2.59×10^{16}

$N_{\text{sub}} (\epsilon_t = 0)$	$M_{\text{min}} = 10^{-10}$	$M_{\text{min}} = 10^{-6}$
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Diemand+ 08



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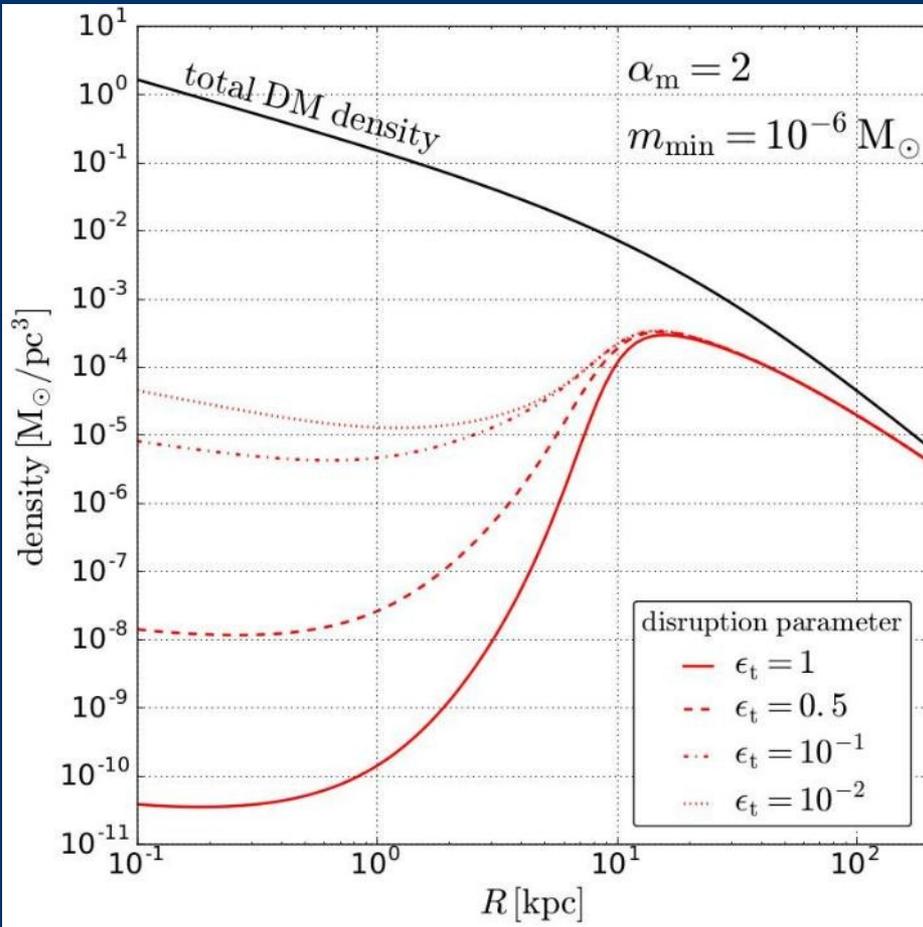
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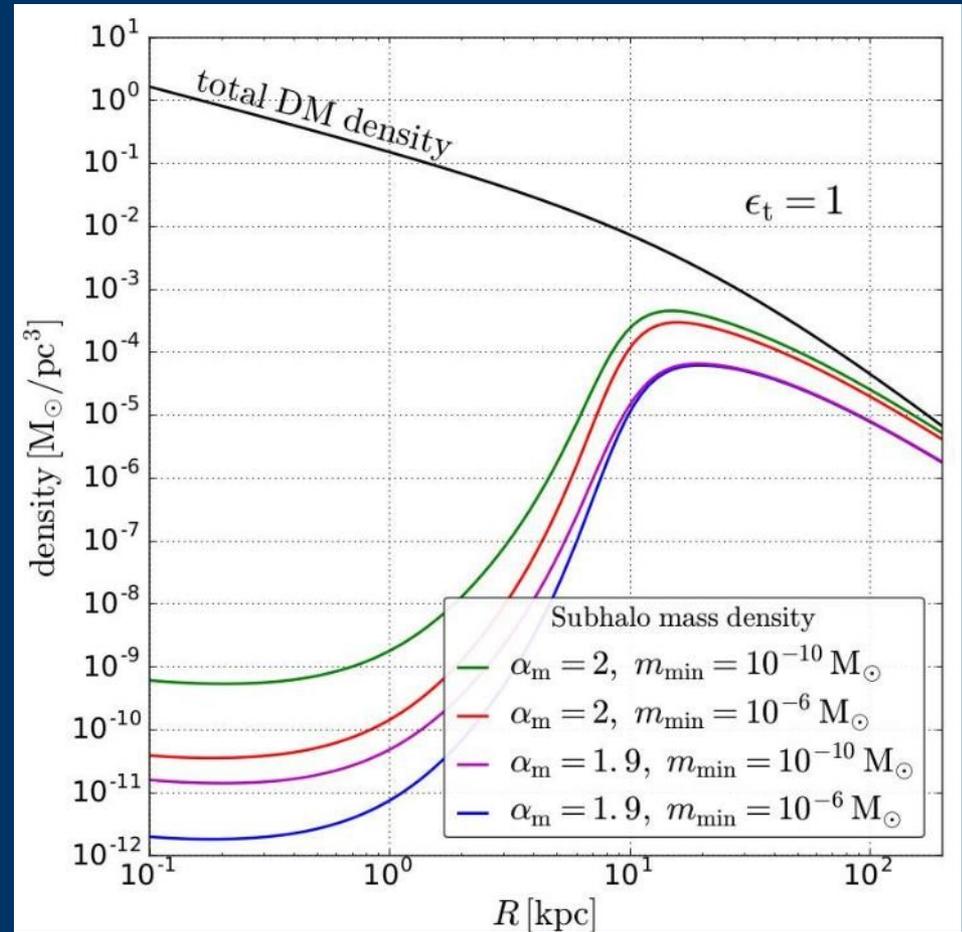
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Mass density

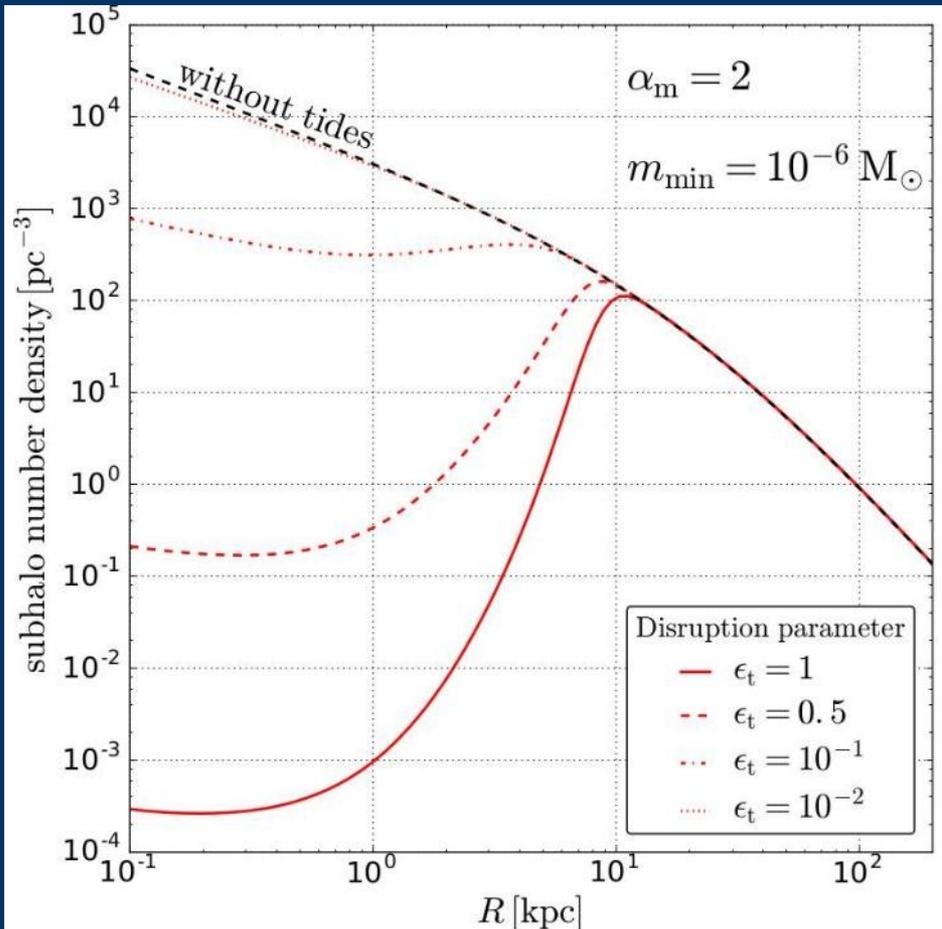
Impact of the disruption parameter



Impact of the mass function



Number density



Potentially very high number at the center!

- Very light objects $\sim m_{\min}$
- Very stripped

To be checked:

- Shocking by stars
- Impact on dynamics ?
- Two-body relaxation?
- Impact on DM searches

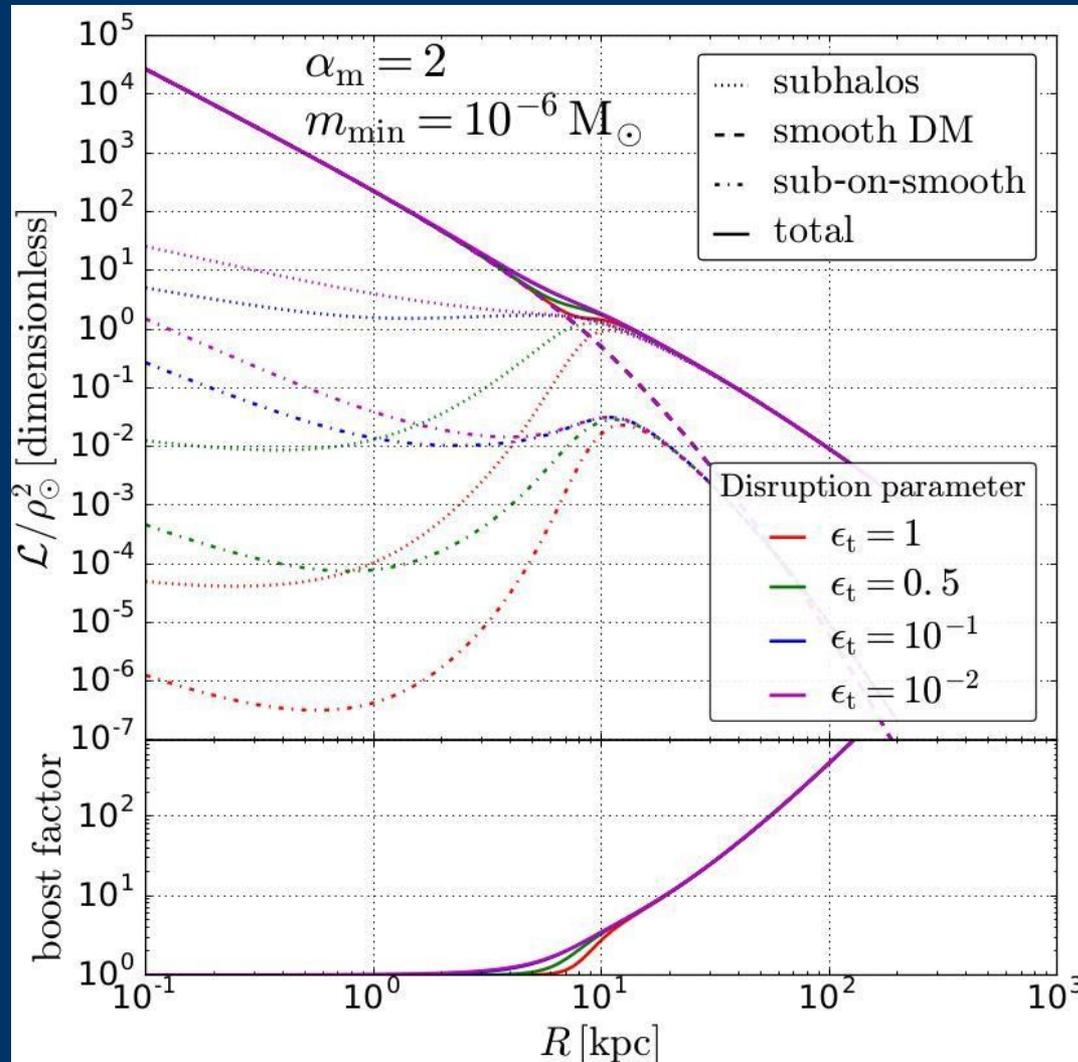
Boost factors

Indirect searches for annihilating DM sensitive to

$$\mathcal{L} = \langle \rho^2 \rangle$$

Subhalos boost the annihilation signal
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$$\text{boost factor} \simeq \frac{\mathcal{L}_{\text{tot}}}{\mathcal{L}_{\text{smooth}}} > 1$$

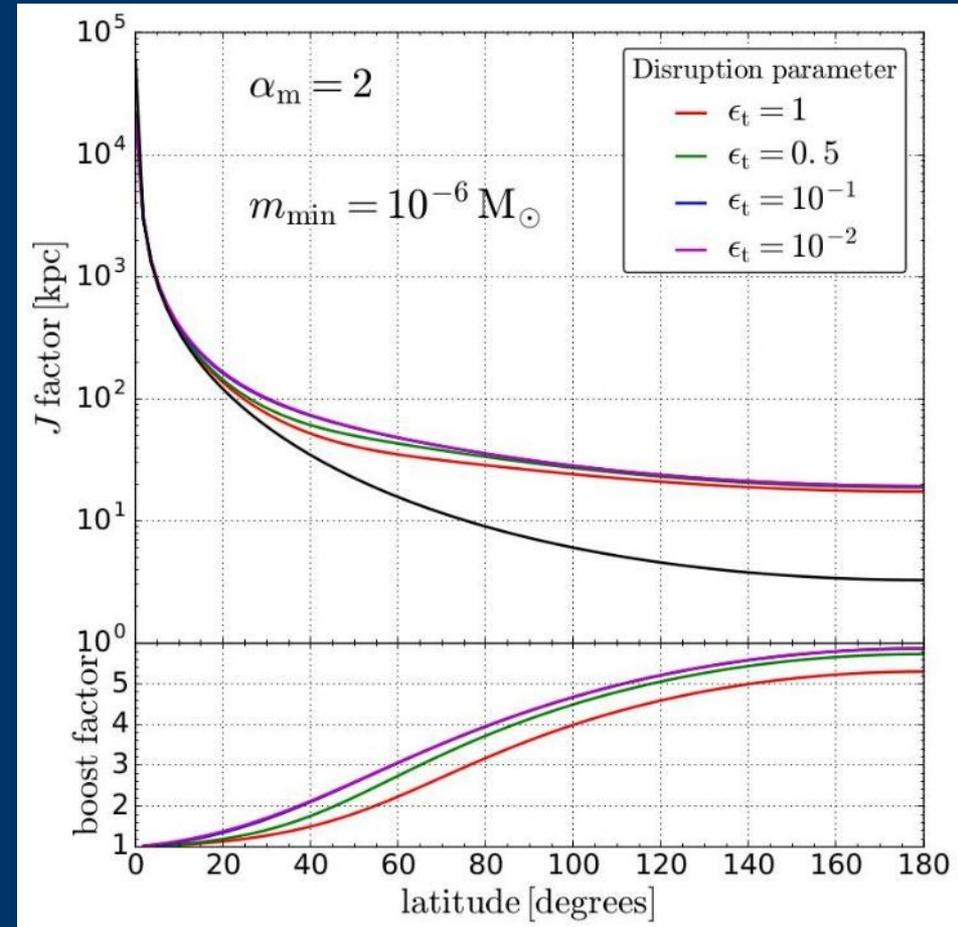
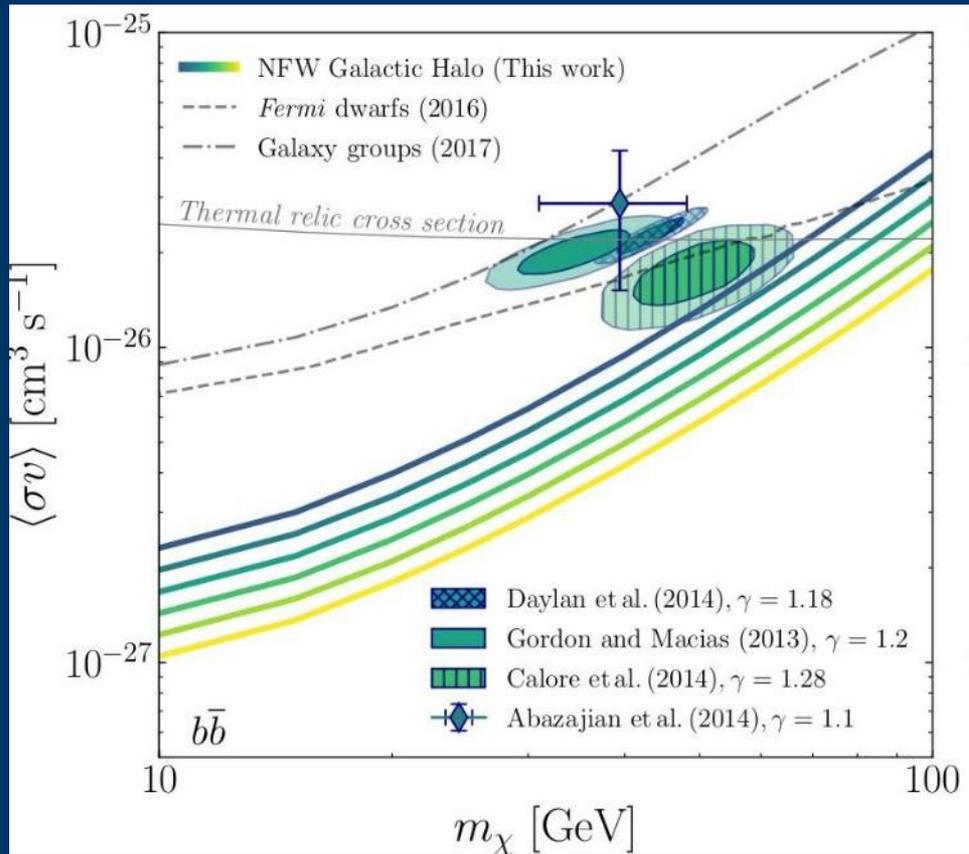


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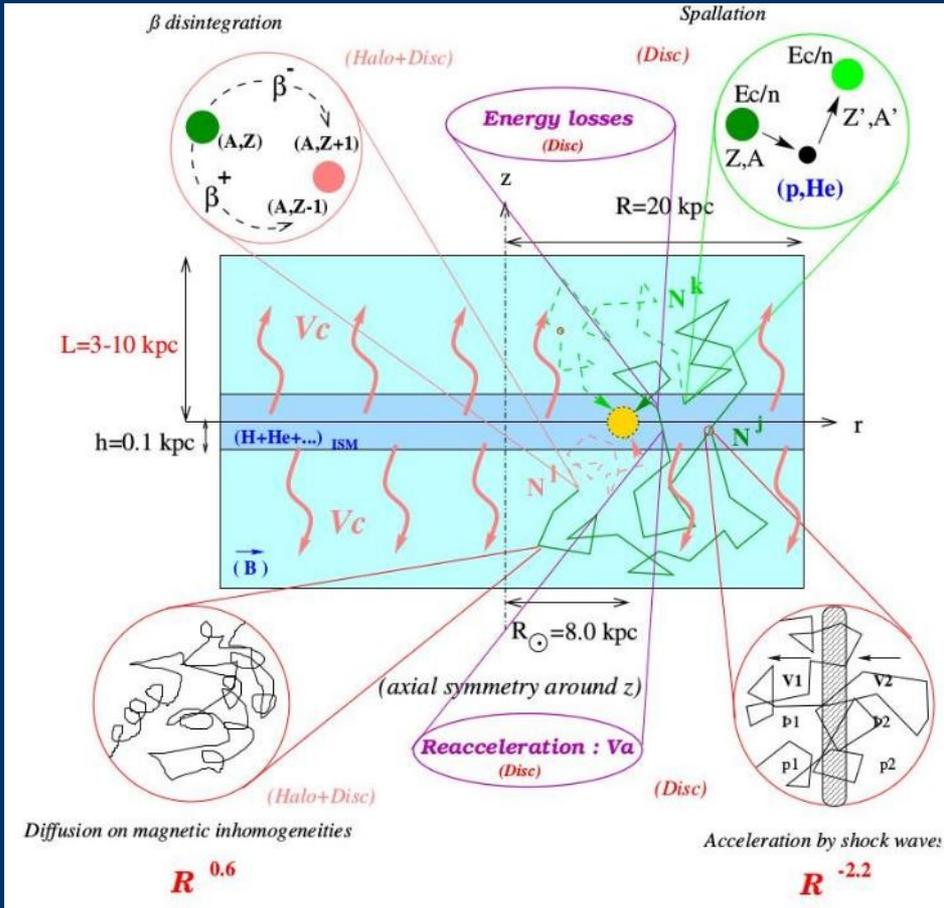
Chang+ 18: $|b| > 20^\circ$ & $r > 50^\circ$
Smooth halo



But line-of-sight boost important!



Cosmic-ray antiprotons

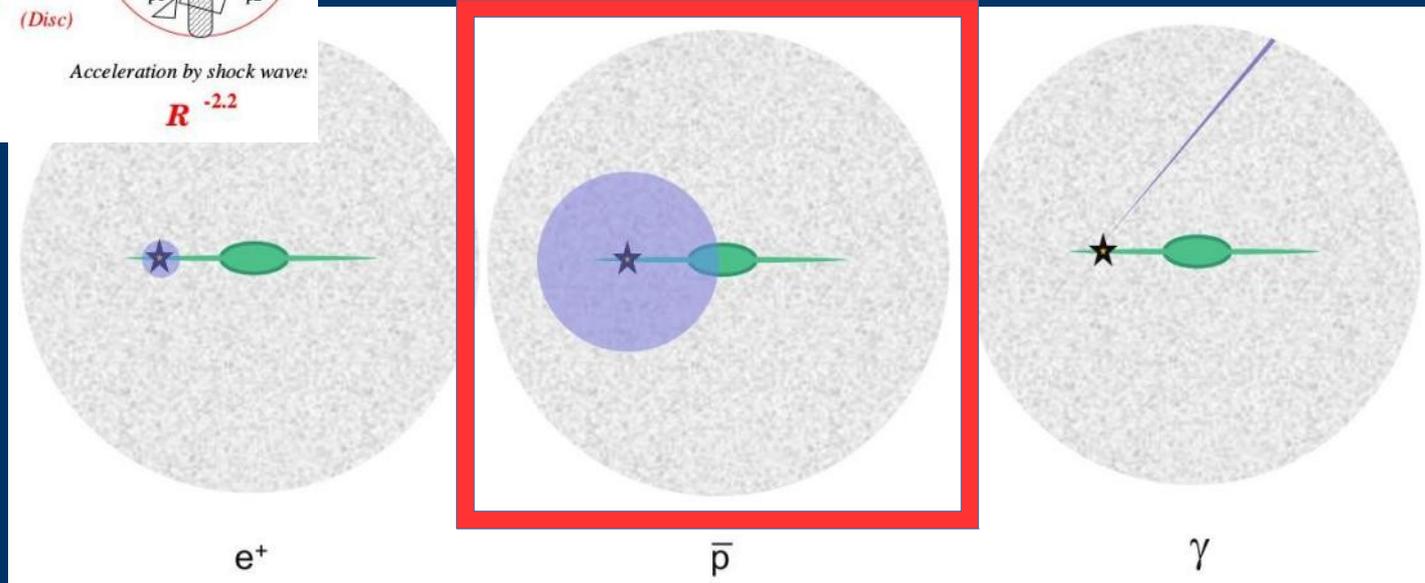


Diffusive propagation in the MW magnetic halo

- Acceleration by SN shock waves
- Reacceleration
- Spallation
- Energy losses

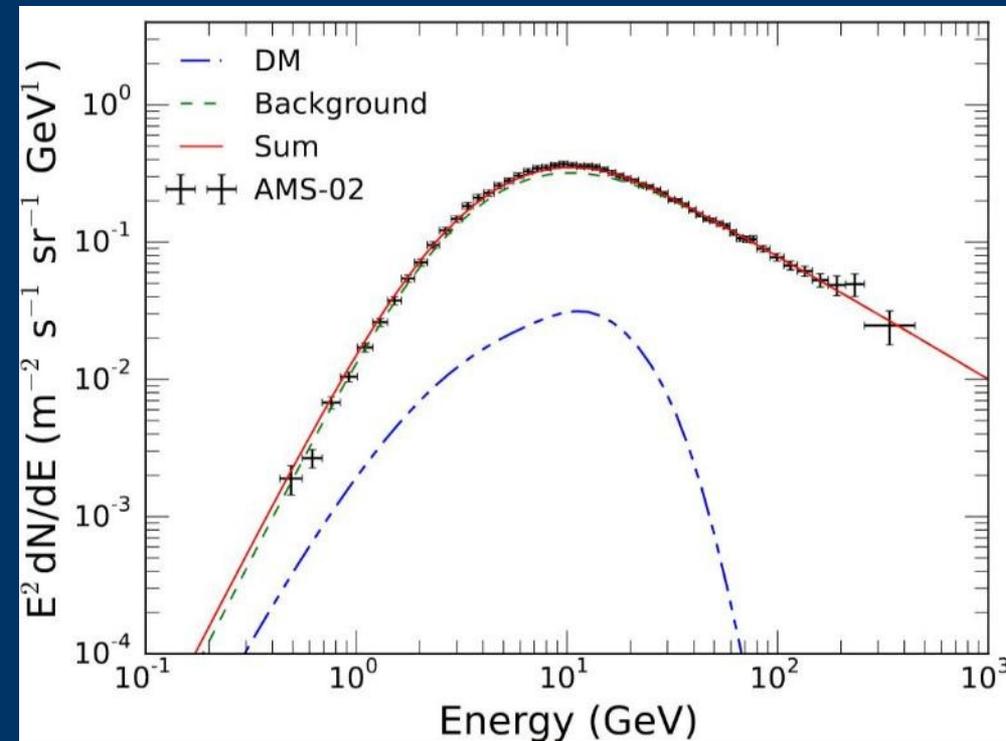
Bergstrom 09

Maurin+ 04

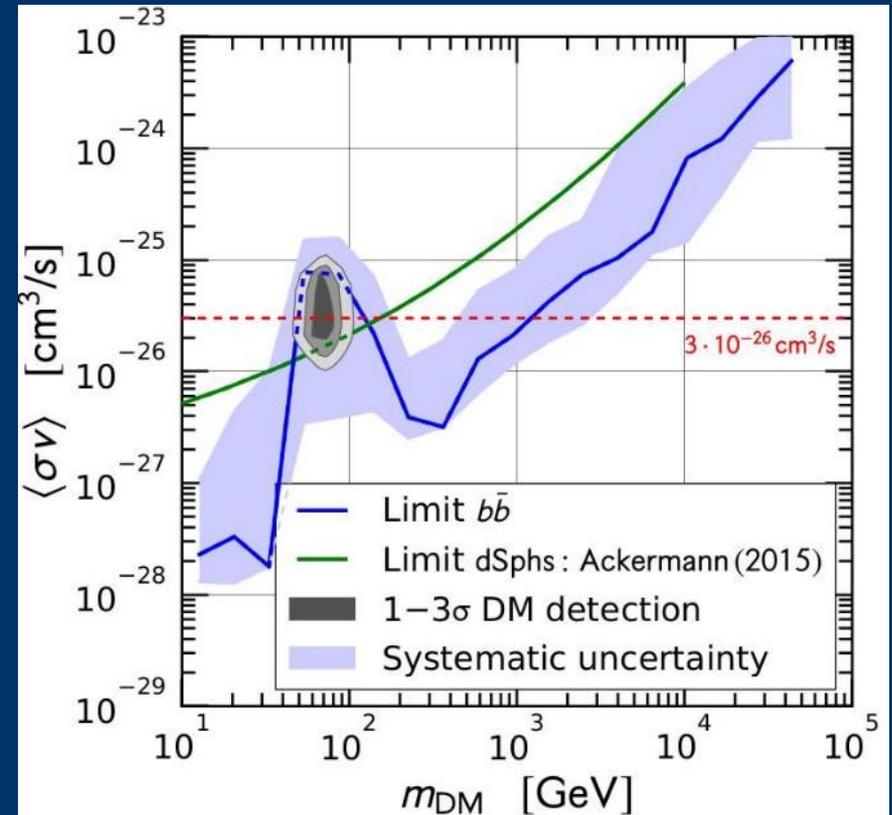


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Evidence for DM in antiprotons?



Cui+ 18



Cuoco+ 16

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Subhalos important for consistency!

$$\bar{p} \text{ flux} \propto \int_{\text{mag. halo}} dV G(E, \vec{r}) \langle \rho^2 \rangle$$

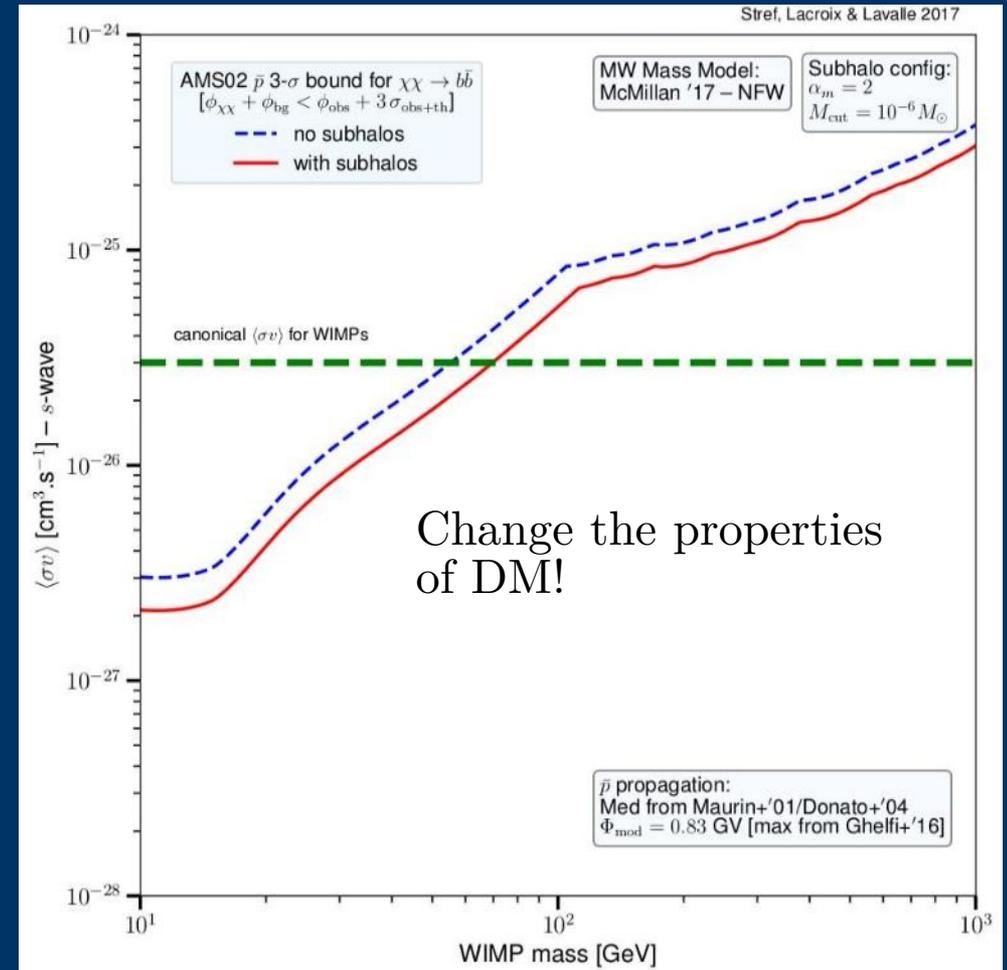
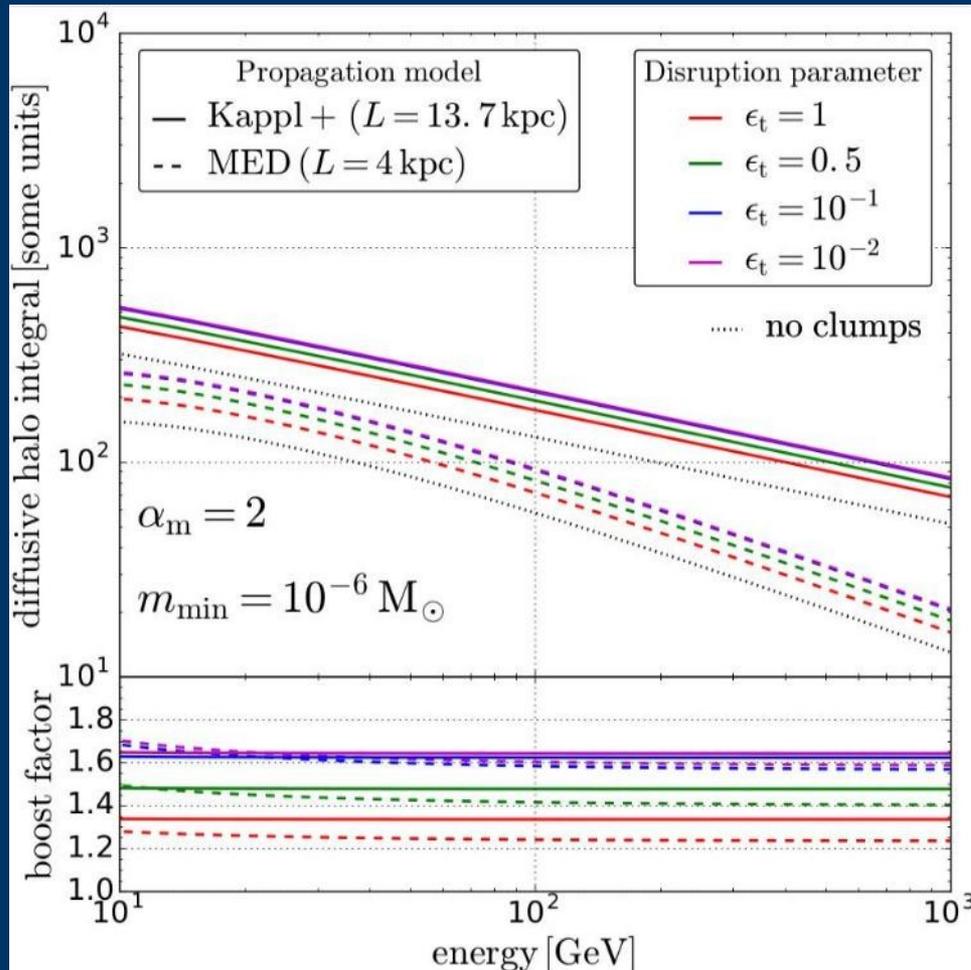
Lavalle+ 07
Lavalle+ 08

Green's function of the
propagation equation

$$\{\partial_t + \partial_z(V_c \cdot) - K\Delta + \partial_E(b_{\text{loss}} \cdot - K_E \partial_E \cdot)\} G = \delta(E - E_0) \delta^{(3)}(\vec{r} - \vec{r}_0)$$

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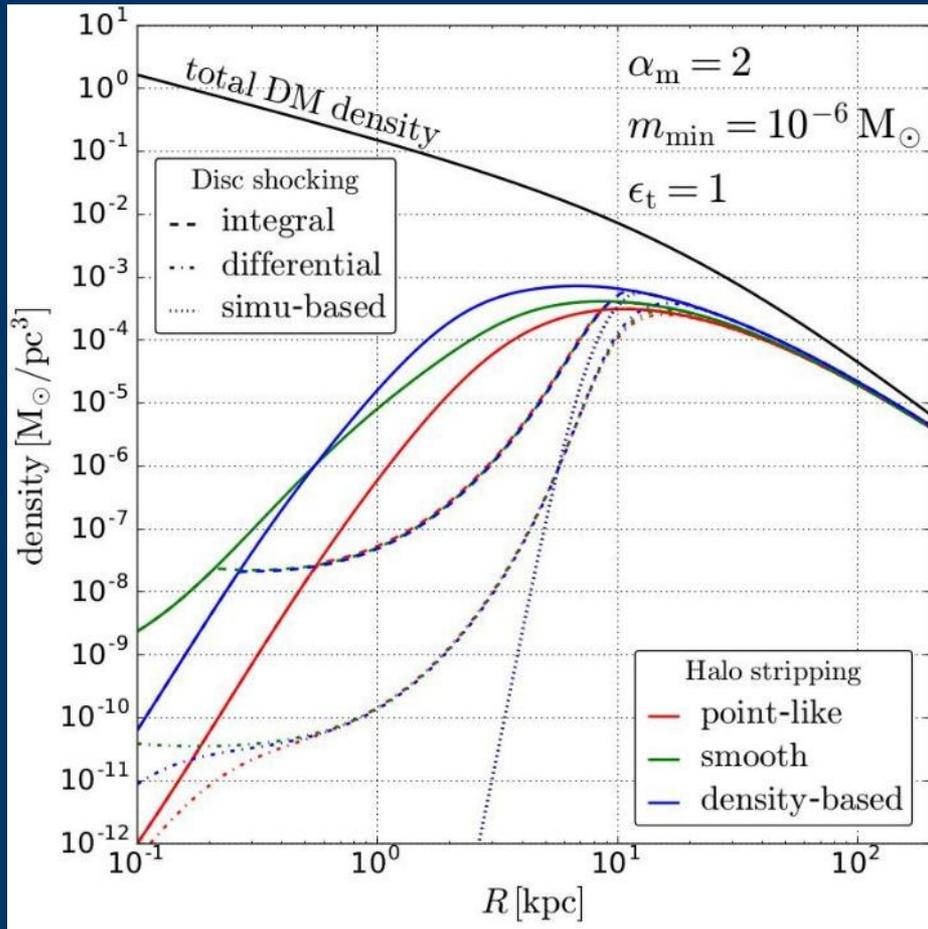
Conclusion

- Dynamical constraints are important when discussing subhalos, especially now that we have Gaia DR2!
- Survival of cores?
- Subhalos crucial for indirect searches and microlensing (PBHs, axions miniclusters)
- Impact on dynamics? Stellar streams, binaries, ...

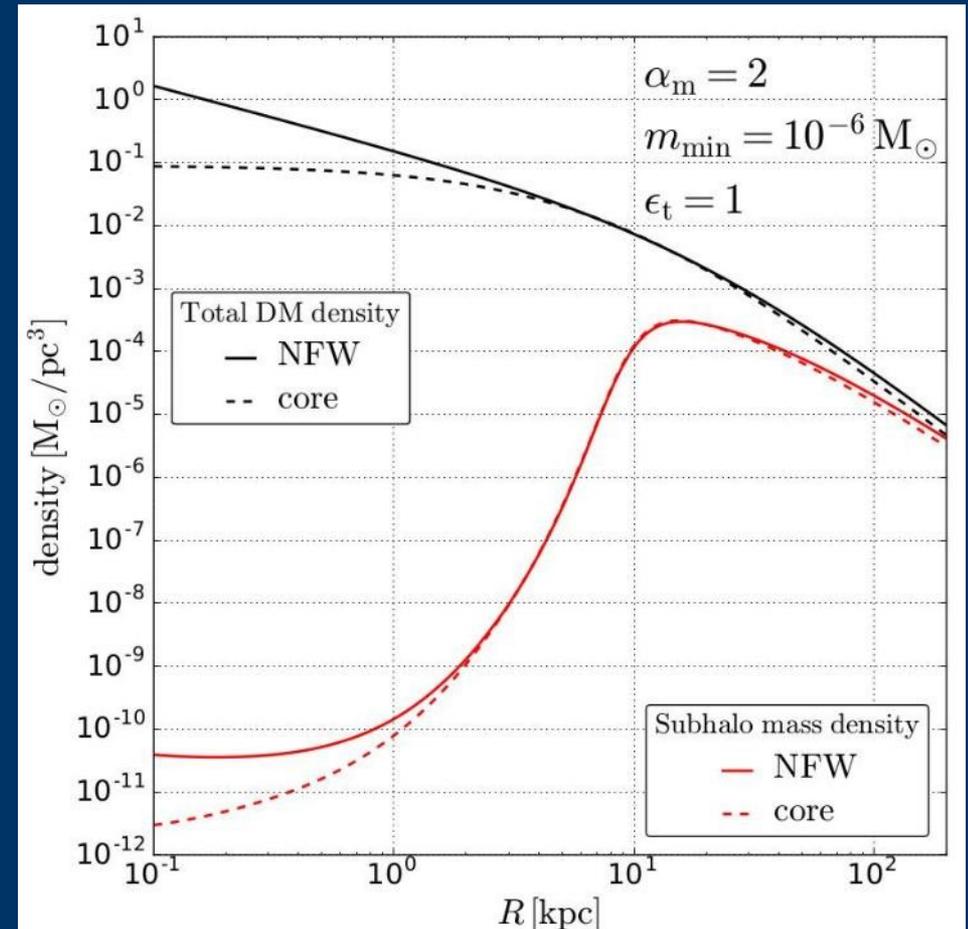
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More on the mass density

Various definitions of the tidal radius

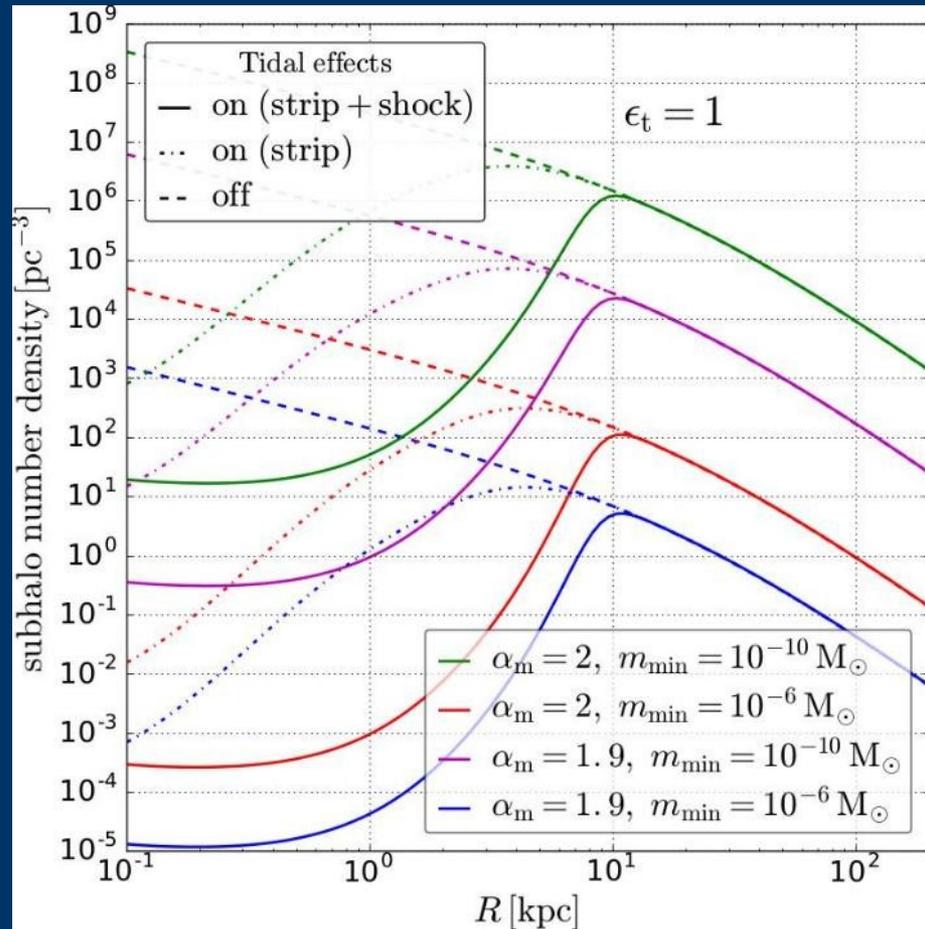


Impact of the inner DM slope

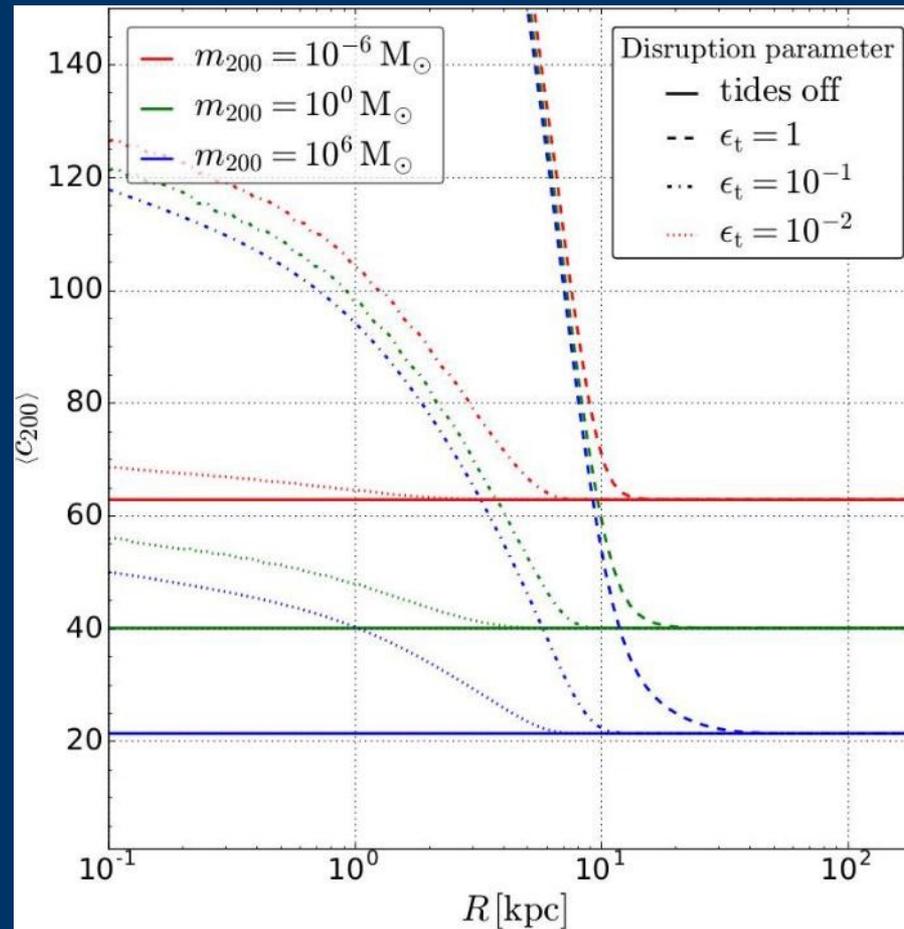


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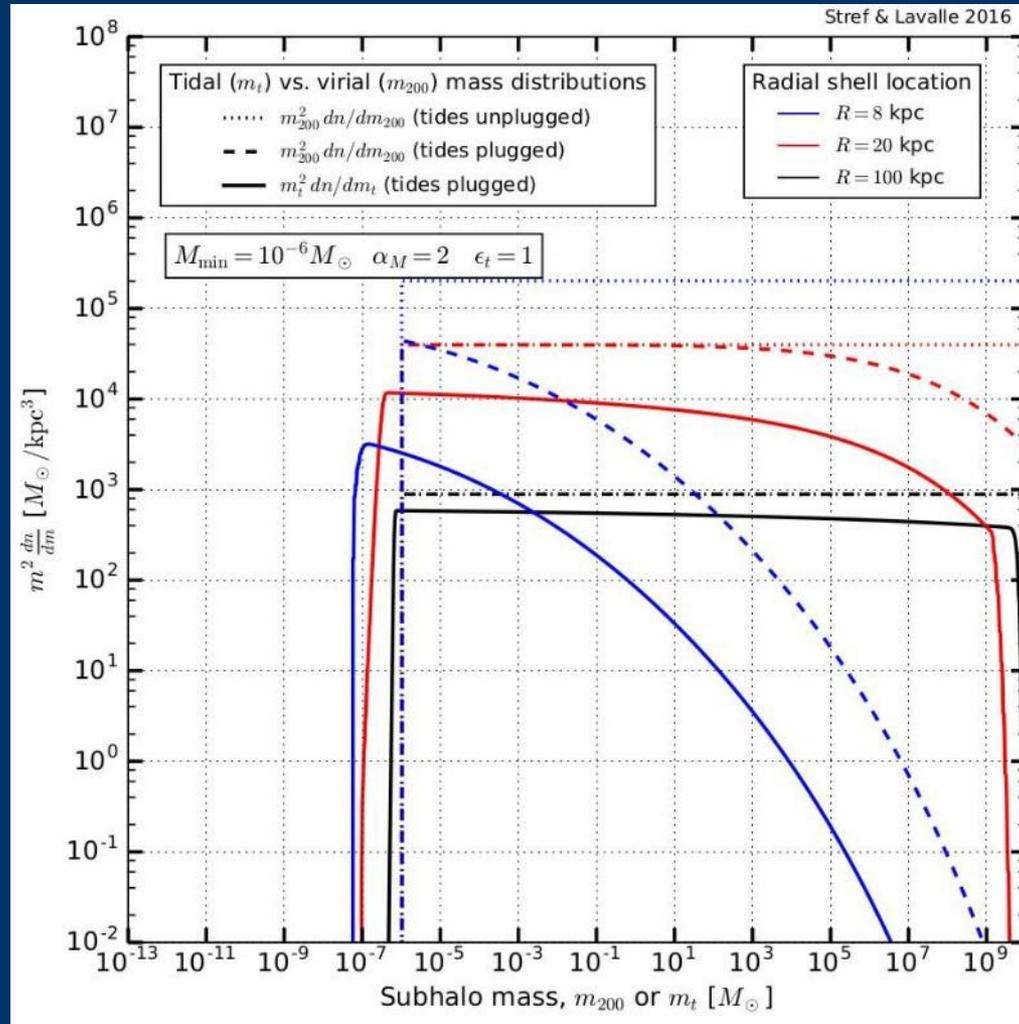
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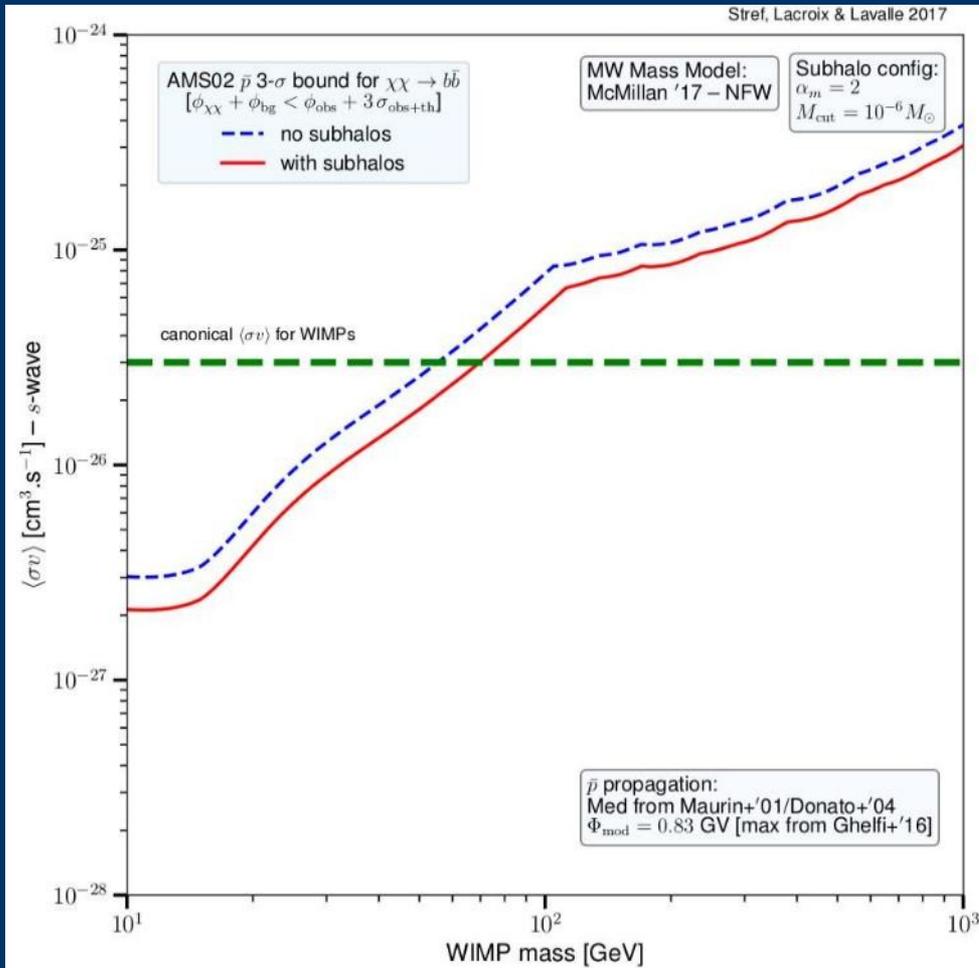
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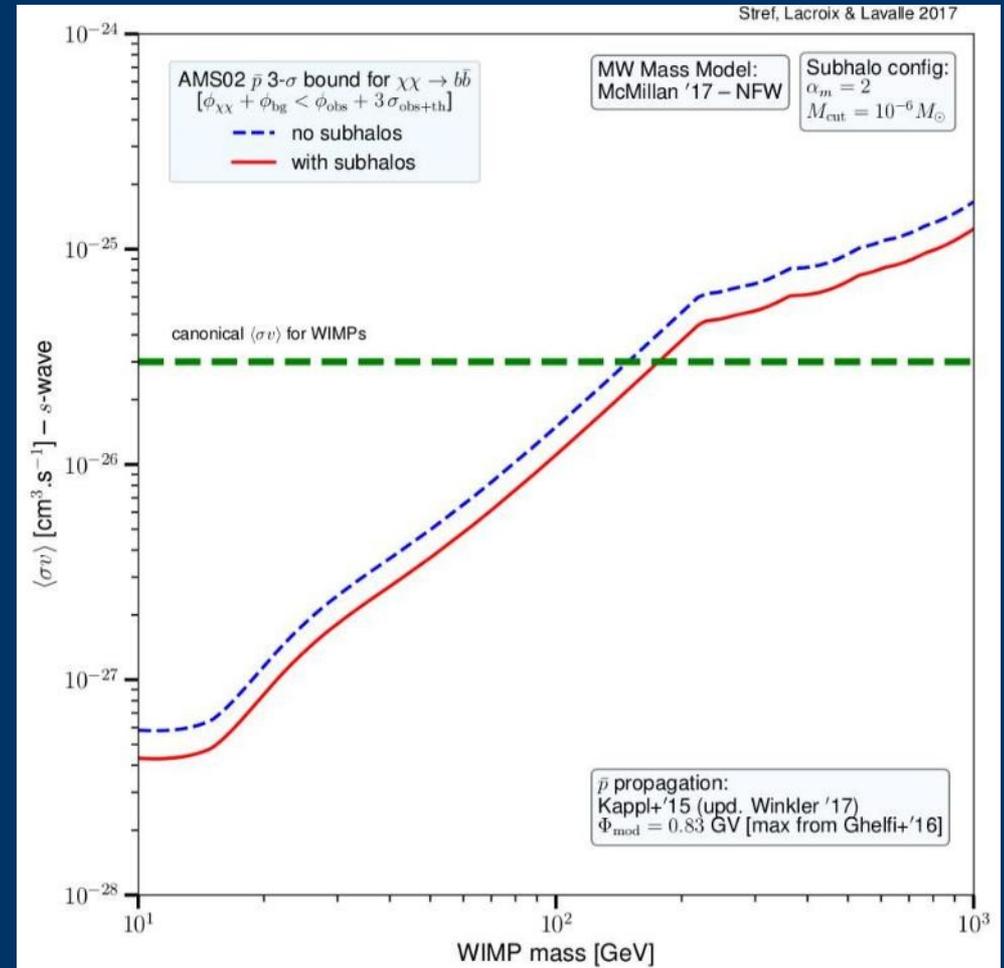
Modification of the mass function



DM in antiprotons



$L = 4$ kpc



$L = 13.7$ kpc