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### Indirect Search for Dark Matter

### Evidence for Dark Matter



# Coma Cluster, THE DARK MATTER MYSTERY

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Virial Theorem: The time average total kinetic energy relates to the total potential energy in a stable system bound by a potential

 $-\frac{1}{2}\langle V_{TOT}\rangle_{\tau}$ .

Since Zwicky observed the Coma cluster evidence has hardened

- Structure formations
   Cosmological simulations
- Gravitational lensing
- Rotation curves
- Cosmic microwave background

Dark Matter already gravitationally "observed", but ...

• What is it ?

• What are it's properties ?



- Some of the first measurements of rotation curves of Galaxies were performed by Vera Rubin and her team in the 70s and 80s
  - Result: Rotation curves stay flat as far out as can be measured



Vera Cooper Rubin (July 23, 1928 – December 25, 2016)





Vera Rubin measuring galaxy rotation curves (~1970)





Resulting spectrum of light within aperture





#### H-alpha 656.281nm trace of ionised hydrogen





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• Density profile can be derived from rotation curve

 $v^2(r) = \frac{GM(r)}{r}$ 

- Based on luminous matter rotation curve can be predicted  $v_{lum}^2(r) = \frac{GM_{lum}(r)}{r}$
- Mass to light ratio is the ratio of matter over visible matter



#### Milky Way fits to observed rotation curve



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Recent compilation of all existing data in Nature Physics paper, February 9, 2015



Angular velocity measurements (red) together with the contribution of all baryonic models (grey band); errors are 1-sigma uncertainties

Residuals between observed and predicted angular velocities for the fiducial baryonic model

#### F. locco, M. Pato, G. Bertone, Nature Physics, DOI 10.1038

# Gravitational Lensing

# Gravitational lensing





### Bullet cluster



#### Cosmic Microwave Background (CMB)





# What is CMB

Accidental discovery of cosmic microwave background (CMB) radiation in 1964 by Arno Allan Penzias and Robert Woodrow Wilson with the Holmdel Horn Antenna. Nobel Prize 1978



- The entire Universe is filled with radiation in the form of a 2.7K black-body.
- This radiation is a relic of the hot, dense, early phase of the Universe (big bang).
- The light travels to us from a "surface of last scattering" at z~1100 (when the Universe was 10-3 times smaller than today and only 380,000yr old).
  - At this z the Universe was finally cold enough for protons to capture electrons to form neutral Hydrogen.
  - •Optical depth to photon scattering quickly drops from  $\tau >>1$  to  $\tau <<1$ .
- The radiation has almost the same intensity in all directions, however contains tiny fluctuations in intensity (or temperature) at the level of 10-4: CMB anisotropy.







Planck Telescope 1.5x1.9m off-axis Gregorian T = 50 K





#### LFI Radiometers 30-70 GHz, T = 20 K



HFI Bolometers 100-857 GHz, T = 0.1 K



## Planck vs WMAP



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#### Date: 20 March 2013 Satellite: Planck **Depicts: Cosmic Microwave Background** Copyright: ESA and the Planck Collaboration; NASA / WMAP Science Team

This image shows temperature fluctuations in the Cosmic Microwave Background as seen by ESA's Planck satellite (upper right half) and by its predecessor, NASA's Wilkinson Microwave Anisotropy Probe (WMAP; lower left half).

# Planck



#### http://www.esa.int/Planck

Based on Planck data:

- Universe contains
  - ~ 5% baryonic matter, the building blocks of stars and planets.
  - ~27% is dark matter, which does not emit or absorb light. Detected indirectly through its gravity.
  - ~68% dark energy, which acts as a sort of an anti-gravity and responsible for the present-day acceleration of the universal expansion.

#### https://arxiv.org/abs/1502.01589

https://lambda.gsfc.nasa.gov/education/cmb\_plotter/

### Structure formation



## Structure formation



#### over densities grow to large structures, observed today



Cold, Warm, and Hot dark matter simulations, credit ITP, University of Zurich.











#### Alfred P. Sloan Foundation

# 2.5m du Pont Telescope at Las Campanas2.5m Telescope at Apache Point Observatory

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SDSSIII



#### Sloan Digital Sky Survey III January 15, 2002



This aluminum plate was used by the Sloan Digital Sky Survey (SDSS) to make a 3D map of the universe. The images above and left show the sky area where this plate was used; the red circle shows the area observed by the plate. Each hole matches a star, galaxy, or quasar.

Using this plate, the SDSS can measure the distance and chemical makeup of 640 stars and galaxies at once.

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### Structure Formation Conclusions

- Dark Matter cannot be hot (relativistic)
  - Neutrinos are not a good dark matter candidate
- Dark Matter should be cold (v<<c)</li>
  - Dark Matter might still be warm



### What is dark matter ?



### General Observational Evidence

- Dark matter should be
  - non-relativistic velocities (Cold)
  - not electro-magnetically interacting (Neutral)
  - not strongly interacting with itself or with baryonic matter (Non-baryonic)
  - has not decayed (Stable)

## So what is dark matter ?





### Structure Formation Conclusions



# not stable Electromagnetic interaction hot dark matter



### Weakly Interacting Massive Particle ( $\chi$ )

#### Observational Evidence for Dark Matter points

- to
  - Non-baryonic
  - Cold massive
  - Not strongly interacting
  - Stable (long lived)

#### • WIMPs often arise naturally in extensions to the

#### Standard Model of Particle Physics: Supersymmetry, ... **SUSY** particles

**Standard** particles

WIMP







### Indirect Dark Matter Searches



### Searches for WIMPs





### **Dark Matter Annihilation Signals**

- Interactions that determine the WIMP relic abundance also lead to self-annihilations in the present epoch
  - Identify overdense regions of Dark Matter ⇒self-annihilation can occur at significant rates
- Pick prominent Dark Matter target
- Understand backgrounds
- Features in the signal enhance to chance distinguish backgrounds
  - Line / End-point







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### Dark Matter Signals



Credit: Sky & Telescope / Gregg Dinderman


# Strategies and Targets



# Dark Matter at all scales



## Sources of High Energy Neutrinos

### Dark Matter self-annihilation or decay

#### Annihilation



Measure Flux



Decay

expected prompt signal for particles propagating directly to the observer (gamma-rays, neutrinos)

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Neutrino Energy  $E_{\nu_{\mu}}$  (GeV)

# **N-Body Simulations**

These images show the six Milky-Way sized halos we simulated, at z=0. The resolution corresponds to our resolution level 2, which has between 160 and 224 million particles in the final halo.

Click to enlarge the images.



Links to some N-body movies of structure formation (DM-only): Millennium run (Structure formation): http://www.mpa-garching.mpg.de/galform/virgo/millennium/ Aquarius run (Milky Way halo): http://www.mpa-garching.mpg.de/aquarius/



# How Dark Matter is distributed

- N-body simulations of Milky Way like galaxies yield halo profiles ρ(r). Halo profiles described the average dark matter density (smooth)
- <u>Two major difficulties</u>
  - Inner halo shape (cuspy or cored ?)
  - Sub-structure in outer halo





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## Boost factor

Surface brightness from dark matter annihilation at the position of the Sun, calculated directly from the Aq-A-I simulation.

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# Boost factor

#### Astro-physical boost factor

 Local clumps in the DM halo enhance the density and boost the flux from annihilations:

• Boost 
$$B = \frac{\phi^{actual}(\vec{r})}{\phi^{smooth}(\vec{r})}$$

- Typical boost factors are B~ I-20 (simulations)
- Boost factor ~ I (for central halo region <10kpc) tidal stripping



FIG. 4. The local substructure boost B(r) (solid) and the cumulative luminosity boost B(< r) (dotted), as a function of radius.

# Boost factor

#### Boost factor important for:

- Galaxy clusters,
- Diffuse extra galactic, ...
- Not important for:
  - Galactic Center
  - Solar circle
  - Dwarf Spheriodal Galaxies

$$B(r) = \frac{\int \rho^2 dV}{\int (\bar{\rho})^2 dV},$$



## Sources





# Experimental Searches



## Indirect Searches - Instruments











#### **Neutrino Detectors**

- ANTARES, NESTOR, NEMO, KM3Net...
- IceCube, PINGU, ORCA, ...
- Baikal, ...
- Super-K, KamLAND, Laguna-LBNO, Hyper-K, ...

#### Gamma Ray Telescopes

- MAGIC, H.E.S.S., VERITAS, ...
- Fermi, ...
- CTA, Gamma-400,...
- **Anti-Matter Satellites** 
  - PAMELA, ATIC, PPB-Bets, ...
  - AMS-02

Others

• x-ray, radio, ...









#### Larmor Radius and Rigidity

Larmor radius, or gyroradius,  $r_L$ , is the radius of the orbit of a charged particle moving in a uniform, perpendicular magnetic field, obtained by simply equating the Lorentz force with the centripetal force:

$$q\nu B = \frac{m\nu^2}{r_L} \Rightarrow r_L = \frac{p}{ZeB}$$
(1)

where p has replaced mv in the classical limit. However, this also holds for the relativistic generalization by considering p to be the relativistic 3-momentum. There are several adaptations of this formula, tuned to units natural to various scenarios. One such is

$$r_{L} = 33.36 \, \text{km} \left(\frac{p}{\text{GeV/c}}\right) \left(\frac{1}{Z}\right) \left(\frac{G}{B}\right)$$

In cosmic ray physics, one often sees references in the literature to the *rigidity* of a particle, defined as

$$R \equiv r_L B c = \frac{pc}{Ze}$$
(2)

which has units Volts! A 10 GeV proton has a rigidity of 10 GV, etc ...



## PAMELA – Payload for Anti-Matter Exploration and Light-nuclei Astrophysics

Low-earth elliptical orbitLow-earth elliptical orbitLaunched: June 2006Satellite-born MagneticSpectrometer

- Size 70x70x130cm<sup>3</sup>
- e<sup>+</sup>(e<sup>-</sup>) 50 MeV –300GeV (600GeV)
- Protons up to ~ITeV



Astropart.Phys. 27 (2007) 296-315

Indirect WIMP Searches



#### AMS: A TeV precision, multipurpose spectrometer

#### Transition Radiation Detector Identify e+, e-Time of Flight Z, E Particles and nuclei are defined by their charge (Z) and energy (E) TRD Magnet Silicon Tracker TOF Z, P 3-4 5-6 7-8 FOF RICH **Ring Imaging Cherenkov** Electromagnetic Calorimeter Ĕ of e⁺, e⁻ The Charge and Energy are measured independently by many detectors



#### Tests at CERN AMS in accelerator test beams Feb 4-8 and Aug 8-20, 2010



AMS installed on the ISS at 5:15 CDT May 19, 2011

AMS taking data since 9:35 CDT May 19, 2011

## To date AMS collected over 85 billion events



## **Dark Matter**

Collision of "ordinary" Cosmic Rays produce e+, p... Annihilation of Dark Matter (neutralinos, χ) will produce additional e+, p M. Turner and F. Wilczek, Phys. Rev. D42 (1990) 1001



First Result from the AMS on the ISS: Precision Measurement of the Positron Fraction in Primary Cosmic Rays of 0.5-350 GeV, PRL 110 (2013) 141102 Selected by APS as a Highlight of the Year 2013 AMS positron fraction papers cited >700 times

#### **Positron fraction analysis**



#### TRD Estimator shows clear separation between protons and positrons with a small charge confusion background



#### Results on the Positron Fraction from 11 million et



#### 1. The energy at which positron fraction begins to increase



### 3. Behavior of the positron fraction at high energies



# 5. The expected rate at which it falls beyond the turning point.



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# Boron / Carbon Ratio

- Carbon nuclei are primary particles produced in Stellar Nucleosynthesis and accelerated by supernova remnants, whereas
- Boron nuclei are considered to be secondary particles from spallation of heavier elements (Carbon, Nitrogen, Oxygen) in the interstellar medium



Figure 1-7: Previous measurements of the Boron to Carbon ratio in cosmic rays from HEAO [6], CNR [7], ATIC [8], CREAM [9], TRACER [10], and AMS-01 [11].





# Conclusions cosmic rays

- Rise in positron fraction is unexpected and very interesting
  - It could hint at dark matter, but astrophysical origins seem more likely
  - With cosmic ray observations alone we will probably never be able to definitely identify a dark matter signal
  - If it is dark matter then heavy (~TeV) and leptophilic



# Gamma-ray searches



# Sources of Gamma-ray

- Production mechanisms of gamma-rays
  - Synchrotron radiation:
    - The deflection of charged particles in a magnetic field gives rise to an accelerated motion. An accelerated electrical charge radiates electromagnetic waves. This 'bremsstrahlung' of charged particles in magnetic fields is call synchrotron radiation.
    - The energy spectrum of synchrotron photons is continuous.
    - The power P radiated by an electron of energy E in a magnetic field of strength B is P  ${\sim}E^{2}B^{2}$
  - Bremsstrahlung
    - charged particle which is deflected in the Coulomb field of a charge (atomic nucleus or electron) emits bremsstrahlung photons
    - probability for bremsstrahlung  $\phi$  depends on the projectile charge z, mass m, energy E, and depends on the target charge Z.

• φ=z^2Z^2 E/m^2

- Because of the smallness of the electron mass bremsstrahlung is predominantly created by electrons.
- The energy spectrum of bremsstrahlung photons is continuous and the spectrum decreases like  $I/E_{\rm v}$  to high energies.
- Inverse Compton

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- Energetic electrons transfer part of their energy to low energy photons in a collision
- Numerous photons of
  - CMB / blackbody radiation (E  $_{_{\rm V}}\approx~250~\mu$  eV, photon density N  $_{_{\rm V}}\approx~400$  / cm^2)
  - Starlight photons ( $E_v \approx 1 \text{ eV}, N_v \approx 1/\text{ cm^3}$ )







## Sources of Gamma-ray ... continued

- Production mechanisms of gamma-rays
  - $\pi^0$ -Decay
    - Neutral pions decay rapidly ( $\tau = 8.4 \times 10^{-17}$ s) into two  $\gamma \ (\pi^0 \rightarrow \gamma + \gamma)$
    - p + nucleus  $\rightarrow$  p + nucleus' +  $\pi^+$  +  $\pi^-$  +  $\pi^0$
  - Matter-Antimatter Annihilation
    - $e^++e^-\rightarrow\gamma+\gamma$
    - p+pbar  $\rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$
  - Nuclear decays
    - Radio active isotopes dec
- ${}^{60}\text{Co} \rightarrow {}^{60}\text{Ni}^{**} + e^- + \bar{\nu}_e$   ${}^{60}\text{Ni}^* + \gamma(1.17 \text{ MeV})$   ${}^{60}\text{Ni} + \gamma(1.33 \text{ MeV})$



#### Neutrino 2012

## gamma-rays





Large (LAT	Area Telescope Gamma-ray Burst Monitor (GBM)	r
	Fermi-LAT	Imaging Air Cherenkov Telescopes
Detection Method	Pair conversion	Cherenkov light from particle shower
Effective Area	l m <sup>2</sup>	~400-500m <sup>2</sup>
Field of View (FOV)	2.5sr	3.5° - 5.0°
Duty cycle	~100%	~15%
Energy range	20MeV - 300GeV	>I00GeV
Energy resolution	4% (@5GeV) 2% (@200GeV)	10% - 20%
Angular resolution	~0.1° (@10GeV)	0.1° at 100 GeV
	~3.5°(@1001*lev)	

## Fermi-LAT


### Photons ... Fermi

Large Area Telescope (LAT)

Two Instruments: Large Area Telescope (LAT) 20 MeV - 300 GeV >2.5 sr FoV

Gamma-Ray Burst Monitor (GBM) 8 keV – 40 MeV 9 sr FoV

#### Launched: June 11 2008

Gamma-ray Burst Monitor (GBM)

	Years	Ang. Res. (100 MeV)	Ang. Res. (10 GeV)	Eng. Rng. (GeV)	A <sub>eff</sub> Ω (cm² sr)	#γ-rays
EGRET	1991-00	5.8°	0.5°	0.03–10	750	1.4 × 10 <sup>6</sup> /yr
AGILE	2007-	4.7°	0.2°	0.03-50	1,500	4 × 10 <sup>6</sup> /yr
<i>Fermi</i> LAT	2008–	3.5°	0.1°	0.02–300	25,000	1 × 10 <sup>8</sup> /yr



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#### Neutrino 2012



Fermi Large Area Telescope (LAT)

Large Area Telescope (LAT)



- Pair conversion telescope
- Launched June 11, 2008

Effective area  $\sim Im$ 

Fall 2016

Dark Matter - PHY5178

- Energy range 20MeV 300GeV
- γ-ray angular resolution ~0.1<sup>°</sup>
   (@10GeV) [~3.5<sup>°</sup> (@100MeV)]
- 2.5sr FoV

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- Pair conversion telescope
- Tracking detector: 16 tungsten foils + 18 pairs of SI strip detectors
- Calorimeter: ~8.5 radiation length 8 layers of Csl logs
- Anti-coincidence detector: 89 scintillating tiles ~99.97% efficient for MIPs
  - September 22, 2016

### Fermi - Large Area Telescope (LAT)

1.8 m

• Trigger

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[arXiv:0902.1089]

1.8 m

- Overall HW Trigger rate ~few kHz
- Filters reduce rate
- Downlink ~ 400-500 Hz

• Tracking detector

- 16 tungsten foils
- 18 pairs of SI strip detectors
- Calorimeter
  - ~8.5 radiation length
  - 8 layers of CsI logs
- Anti-coincidence detector
  - 89 scintillating tiles
  - ~99.97% efficient for MIPs

### Gamma-ray Energy Loss Mechanism

- For photons in matter above ~10 MeV, pair conversion is the dominant energy loss mechanism.
  - Pair conversion telescope



Fig. 2: Photon cross-section  $\sigma$  in lead as a function of photon energy. The intensity of photons can be expressed as  $I = I_0 \exp(-\sigma x)$ , where x is the path length in radiation lengths. (Review of Particle Properties, April 1980 edition).



#### Gamma rays from Dark Matter Annihilations



Gamma rays from dark matter annihilation

## Fermi-LAT 5 Year Sky Map





## Halo analysis: background modeling

#### DM limits with simultaneous modeling of non-DM astrophysical signal:

- uncertainties from diffusion models and gas maps taken into account by scanning over a grid of GALPROP models
- for each GALPROP (+DM) model, maps of different components of diffuse emission are generated and fit to the Fermi LAT data, incorporating both morphology and spectra
- the distribution of CR sources is highly uncertain, so is left free to vary in radial Galactic bins. To get more conservative DM constraints, the distribution is set to zero in the inner 3 kpc
- the profile likelihood method is used to combine all the models in the grid, and to derive the DM limits marginalized over the astrophysical uncertainties



## DWARF SPHERIODAL GALAXIES



Source	Distance (kpc)	Mass (10 <sup>7</sup> M <sub>Sun</sub> )	Right asc.	Dec.
Segue I	25	1.58	10 07' 04"	+16 04'55"
Ursa Major II	32	1.09	08 51' 30"	+63 07'48''
Willman I	38	0.77	10 49' 22"	+51 03'04"
Coma Berenices	44	0.72	12 26' 59"	+23 55'09"
Ursa Minor	66	1.79	15 09' 09"	+67  3'2 "
Draco	80	1.87	17 20' 12"	+57 54'55"
•••		•••		•••

Roughly two dozen dwarf spheroidal satellite galaxies of the Milky Way

Some of the most dark matter dominated objects in the Universe

No astrophysical gamma-ray production expected

Boost factor expected to be less than 10
 [J.Diemand, et al., Nature 454,735 (2008) / V.
 Springel et al., Mon. Not. R.Astron. Soc., 391, 1685 (2008), ...]

## Dwarf Galaxies



- there are roughly two dozen known dwarf spheroidal galaxies (dSphs) of the Milky Way
- some of the most dark-matter--dominated objects in the Universe
- no non-DM astrophysical gamma-ray production expected



### IMAGING ATMOSPHERIC CHERENKOV TELESCOPES (IACTS)

 Large optical reflector focuses Cherenkov
 light emitted by
 particle air showers
 onto a camera



#### Technique: Cherenkov light is secondary radiation from Extensive Air Showers



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#### Technique: an imaging Cherenkov telescope



Michael Daniel (Durham)

placing a telescope anywhere in the lightpool means a relatively small detector can have a large effective collecting area.



Michael Daniel (Durham)

Having several telescopes:
> improves background rejection
> gives better angular resolution
> gives better energy resolution

Cherenkov image is faint





so large collectors (i.e. big mirrors) are needed

Cherenkov image is faint

The Cherenkov signal can easily be swamped by background light, so these instruments do not operate under bright conditions, i.e. under moonlight\*



so duty cycle of an IACT can be as low as ~10%

\*though some do run at reduced gain when the moon is far from full

Cherenkov image is faint, brief

lightpool contained in a pancake of a few nanoseconds duration



so using fast electronics with a narrow integration window increases signal/noise by reducing night sky background contamination.



Cherenkov image is faint, brief & blue



Spectrum of Cherenkov light

Cherenkov image is faint, brief & blue. It is also quite large.



The optical support structure is usually of Davies-Cotton design as a compromise between timing and off-axis performance.

#### The main IACTs today

### MAGIC-II Canary Islands 2x17m

#### VERITAS 4x 110m<sup>2</sup> reflectors on irregular grid

HESS-II Nambia 4x12.5m 1x28m



Dark Matter - PHY5178 Fall 2016







- Array of 4 12-meter IACTs
- Camera: 499 PMTs
- Operational since September 2007
- Sensitivity to a wide range of energies (150GeV - 30TeV) through stereoscopic imaging
- γ-ray reconstruction accuracy ~0.1 and energy resolution ~15%-20%
- Sensitivity 1% Crab at  $5\sigma$  in 25h







- Stereo IACT with 2 x 17mØ
- Camera: 577pixels (upgrading to 1039)
- Regular stereo observations since Fall 2009
- Energy threshold ~ 50GeV
- Angular resolution: 0.1° at 100 GeV, down to 0.04° at >1 TeV.
- Energy resolution: 20% at 100 GeV, down to 15% around 1 TeV.
- Sensitivity <0.8% Crab at 5σ in 50h above 300GeV

lowest trigger en- ergy threshold among the existing IACTs

MAGIC-I has been in operation since 2004 and the stereoscopic system has been operation since 2009

high quantum efficiency photomulti- plier tubes (PMTs) from Hamamatsu (superbialkali type, QE  $\sim$  32% at the peak wavelength) that we operate at rather low gain of  $3\cdot10^{4}$ 



## Fermi+MAGIC



# Gamma-rays future



- Follow up to Fermi
- extend energy range to 3TeV
- Improve angular resolution
- Launch of the GAMMA-400 space observatory is planned in 2018

#### Cherenkov Telescope Array (CTA)



- Energy range: a few tens of GeV to above 100 TeV)
- Baseline design consists of three singlemirror telescopes: Small/Medium/Large size telescopes.
- Improvement in flux sensitivity of I-2 orders of magnitude over current instruments is expected

## **CTA** Prospects





## Neutrinos



### Principle of an optical Neutrino Telescope





## Neutrino Telescopes



Large Water Cherenkov Neutrino Detectors

### ANTARES

KM3Net

IceCube Gen2/PINGU



### Lake Baikal

THE PERSON NEWSFILM

Hyper-K

Super-K



Prototype Construction Planned

Active

Retired

## Neutrino Telescopes / Detectors

- ANTARES is located at a depth of 2475 m in the Mediterranean Sea, 40 km offshore from Toulon
- Consists 885 10"PMTs on 12 lines with 25 storeys each.
- Detector was competed in May 2008
- Depth: 850 hg/cm<sup>2</sup>



- Baksan Underground Scintillator Telescope with muon energy threshold about 1 GeV using 3,150 liquid scintillation counters
- Operating since Dec 1978; More than 34 years of continuous operation
- Lake Baikal, Siberia, at a depth 1.1 km
   NT36 in 1993
- NT200 (since Apr 1998) consists of one central and seven peripheral strings of 70m length



- IceCube at the Geographic South Pole
- 5160 10"PMTs in Digital optical modules distributed over 86 strings instrumenting ~1km<sup>3</sup>
- Physics data taking since 2007 ; Completed in December 2010, including DeepCore low-





- Super-Kamiokande at Kamioka uses IIK 20" PMTs
- 50kt pure water (22.5kt fiducial) watercherenkov detector
- Operating since 1996

## ANTARES







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12 lines

- 25 storeys / line
- 3 PMTs / storey
- 885 PMTs

•~10MT

**Resolution:** Position < 10 cm Timing ~ 0.5 ns

> Junction Box

cable to shore 40km

#### NIM A 656 (2011) 11-38

12th International Symposium on Cosmology and Particle Astrophysics CosPA2015 12-16 October 2015

### Storey with 30Ms

12 lines

- 25 storeys / line
- 3 PMTs / storey
- 885 PMTs
- •~10MT

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Interlint

Resolution: Position < 10 cm Timing ~ 0.5 ns

> Junction Box

ble to shore 40km

#### NIM A 656 (2011) 11-38

12th International Symposium on Cosmology and Particle Astrophysics CosPA2015 12-16 October 2015





70m

### The IceCube Neutrino Telescope





Laboratory at the South Pole



#### Geographic South Pole


### The IceCube Neutrino Telescope



- 5160 Digital optical modules distributed over 86 strings
- Completed in December 2010, start of data taking with full detector May 2011
- Data acquired during the construction phase has been <sup>14</sup> analyzed
- Neutrinos are identified through Cherenkov light 2450 m emission from secondary 2820 m
   particles produced in the neutrino interaction with the ice



Astronomy Colloquium Nov 10, 2016



# The Ice



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Major calibration efforts resulted in a very precise understanding of the ice surrounding the IceCube detector

- Calibration Sources:
  - I2 LED flashers on each DOM
  - In-Ice Calibration Laser
  - Cosmic Rays
  - One pair of Camera DOMs

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absorption length ~ 210m scattering length ~20-40m



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#### DOM @ SKKU

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#### South Pole Summer / Winter







### South Pole Summer / Winter

# Signals in IceCube



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### Event Topologies in IceCube

**СС:** v<sub>µ</sub>

Track topology (e.g. induced by muon neutrino)

Good pointing, 0.2° - 1° Lower bound on energy for through-going events

CC: ν<sub>e</sub> ν<sub>τ</sub> NC: ν<sub>e</sub> ν<sub>μ</sub> ν<sub>τ</sub> Cascade topology (e.g. induced by electron neutrino)

Good energy resolution, 15% Some pointing, 10° - 15°

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ν<sub>μ</sub> ν<sub>μ</sub> ν<sub>μ</sub> CC-int



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### IceCube Science



Very diverse science program, with neutrinos from 10GeV to EeV, and MeV burst neutrinos



# Dark Matter Self-annihilations $<\sigma_A v>$



# Dark Matter in the Milky Way

### Dark Matter Annihilation



#### IceCube Collaboration arXiv1505.07259 Eur.Phys.J. C75 (2015) 10, 492

# Galactic Center

 $\log_{10}(J\!(\Psi))$  for NFW

Use IceCube external strings as a veto:

- 3 complete layers around DeepCore (~ 375m)
- Full sky sensitivity: access to southern hemisphere



Use scrambled data for background estimation

10<sup>1</sup>

10<sup>2</sup>

 $10^{4}$ 

10<sup>3</sup>

 $m_{\gamma}$  [GeV]

#### Neutrinos test lepton anomalies



Neutrino Telescopes can probe models motivated by the observed lepton anomalies

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#### arXiv:1612.04595

### ANTARES 9yrs GC analysis



#### Combining 9yrs of ANTARES Data









#### Dark Matter Decay / Astro-physical Neutrinos



#### Search for highest energy neutrinos

#### IceCube Coll. Phys.Rev.Lett. 111 (2013) 021103 / arXiv 1304.5356



Dataset / Results (670days of IC79/IC86 data) expected 0.08 events observed 2 events (→ 2.70)

- Ernie ~1.15 PeV (~1.9 ·10 J)
- Bert ~  $1.05 \text{ PeV} (~1.7 \cdot 10^{-4} \text{J})$
- Energy is the visible energy of the cascade, could originate from NC event,  $V_{T}$  CC, or  $V_{e}$  CC
- Angular resolution on cascade events at this energy ~10
- Energy resolution is about 15% on the deposited energy

Ernie & Bert are not GZK, but ...



### High-energy neutrino search 4yrs

#### 54 events (15 track-like, 39 showers) observed Expectation from conventional atm. muons and neutrinos ~21.6



#### ICRC 2015 proceedings

IceCube Collaboration, *Science 342, 1242856 (2013)*, IceCube Collaboration, *Phys. Rev. Lett 113, 101101 (2014)* 

- Mesons including charm quarks in the atmosphere decay immediately to produce neutrinos, known as prompt neutrinos which are not observed yet.
- ERS, or Enberg et al. Phys. Rev. D 78, 043005 (2008) is used as a baseline prompt model
- Significance are based on the exact neutrino flux model, not including the uncertainty of the model.
- Atmospheric Bkg : CR Muon (12.6±5.1), Conv. Neutrino (9.0<sup>+8.0</sup>-2.2),
- Over 60 TeV < E < 2000 TeV, the spectrum best fit with E<sup>-2.58</sup>
- E<sup>-2</sup> spectrum predicts too may neutrinos above ~2 PeV. So, a cutoff or steeper spectrum needed.

#### ~7 sigma rejection of atmospheric-only hypothesis

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# Skymap HESE-4yrs

IceCube Collaboration, Science 342, 1242856 (2013)



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#### Origin of the high-energy neutrinos ?



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u}$  (GeV cm $^{-2}$ 

 $\mathbf{H}_2$ 

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# Heavy Dark Matter

 Intriguing overlap in energy of the two I PeV cascade events of IceCube high energy event sample

#### Could this be dark matter ?

- **Evidence:** example: B. Feldstein, A. Kusenko, S. Matsumoto, and T. Yanagida arXiv:1303.7320v1 / Phys.Rev. D88 (2013) 1, 015004
- 2.4PeV Dark Matter Particle mass
- Flux can be related to the lifetime  $\tau_{\rm DM}$
- $\tau_{\rm DM} \simeq 1.9 N_{\nu} \times 10^{28} {\rm s}$
- Models
  - Singlet fermion in an extra dimension
  - Hidden Sector Gauge Boson
  - Gravitino Dark Matter with R-Parity Violation



FIG. 4. The two observed events from (a) August 2011 and (b) January 2012. Each sphere represents a DOM. Colors represent the arrival times of the photons where red indicates early and blue late times. The size of the spheres is a measure for the recorded number of photo-electrons.





# Heavy Dark Matter Decay

- Heavy Decaying Dark Matter (example χ→νh)
- Focus on most detectable feature (neutrino line)
- Backgrounds steeply falling with energy, highest energy events provide best sensitivity
- Continuum and spacial distribution could help identify a signal
- Bounds from Fermi-LAT and PAMELA derived from search for bb annihilation channel (dominant decay channel of Higgs).

Dedicated IceCube analysis should improve on these bounds Analyses on-going

#### Bound on lifetime ~10<sup>28</sup>s derived with IceCube data





### Dark Matter Capture in the Sun



### Solar WIMPs



## Dark Matter Capture

#### Annihilation Rate $\leftarrow \rightarrow$ Cross section

$$\frac{dN}{dt} = \frac{C_C - C_A N^2}{C_E N} - C_E N$$

 $C_{C}$  – Capture Rate  $C_{A}N^{2}$  – Annihilation Rate (2x)  $C_{E}N$  - Evaporation Rate (can often be neglected but should not be forgotten)

$$\Gamma_A = \frac{1}{2}C_A N^2 = \frac{1}{2}C_C \tanh^2\left(\frac{t}{\tau}\right) \quad \tau = \frac{1}{\sqrt{C_C C_A}}$$

Equilibrium for  $t/\tau >> 1$ 

$$\Gamma_A = \frac{1}{2}C_C, \frac{dN}{dt} = 0$$



$$\tau = 1/\sqrt{C_C C_A} \quad \frac{dN}{dt} = C_c - C_A N^2 - C_E N$$

# Solar WIMP Capture

- WIMPs can get gravitationally captured by the Sun
  - Capture rate,  $\Gamma_C$ , depends on WIMP-nucleon scattering cross section
- Dark Matter accumulates and starts annihilating
  - → Only neutrinos can make it out
- Equilibrium: The capture rate regulates the annihilation rate  $(\Gamma_A = \Gamma_C/2)$ 
  - The neutrino flux only depends on the WIMP-Nucleon scattering cross section





#### Dark Matter Distribution in the Sun



Figure 1. Left panel: distribution of the number density of WIMPs in the Sun (normalized to the density at the center of the Sun),  $n_{\chi}(r,t)/n_{\chi}(0,t)$ , as a function of the distance to the center of the Sun for four WIMP masses. Right panel: weighted density and composition of the Sun, according to the SSM [27, 28] and to the distribution of WIMPs (left panel), as a function of the WIMP mass. We only show the two main elements, He<sup>4</sup> and H. Here, we have assumed a spin-dependent cross section,  $\sigma_{\rm p}^{\rm SD} = 10^{-40}$  cm<sup>2</sup>, although the results are almost the same for any other case.

#### Dark Matter Annihilation in the Sun



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### **Annihilation Channels**



#### Soft channel



W+ DECAY MODE	S F	Fraction (Γ <sub>i</sub> /Γ)	Confidence	ہ level (MeV/c)	
$\ell^+ \nu$	[b]	(10.80± 0.09)	%	_	
$e^+\nu$		$(10.75 \pm 0.13)$	%	40199	
$\mu^+\nu$	$(10.57\pm 0.15)$ %		%	40199	1
$\pi^+ \mu$		$(11.25 \pm 0.20)$		40190	
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nadrons	$(67.60 \pm 0.27)\%$			-	
	$ au^-$ decay modes		Fraction (Γ <sub>i</sub> /Γ)	Scale factor/ Confidence level	р (MeV/c)
	Modes with one charged particle				
	$particle^- \ge 0$ neu ("1-prong")	trals $\geq 0K^0  u_{ au}$	(85.36±0.07) %	S=1.3	-
	$particle^- \ge 0$ neu	trals $\geq 0 K_L^0  u_{ au}$	(84.72±0.08) %	S=1.3	-
	$\mu^- \overline{ u}_\mu  u_ au$	_ [g]	(17.39±0.04) %	S=1.1	885
	$\mu^+ \overline{ u}_\mu  u_ au \gamma$	[ <i>e</i> ]	( 3.6 $\pm$ 0.4 ) $\times$	10 <sup>-3</sup>	885
	$e^-\overline{ u}_e \nu_{ au}$	[g]	(17.82±0.04) %	S=1.1	888
	$e^-\overline{\nu}_e \nu_{\chi} \gamma$	[e]	( 1.75±0.18) %		888
	$h^- \geq 0 K^0_L \;  u_ au$		(12.13±0.07) %	S=1.1	883
	$h^-  u_ au$		(11.61±0.06) %	S=1.1	883
CAY MODES	Fraction $(\Gamma_i/\Gamma)$	Scale factor/ Confidence level(M	р leV/c)		
Semiler	otonic and leptonic modes				
nything	[a] ( 10.99 ±0.28 ) 9	%	-		
$V_e X_c$	(10.8 ±0.4 )9	%	-		
$\nu_\ell$ anything	( 9.8 ±0.7 )9	%	-		
$l^+ \nu_\ell$	[a] ( 2.23 $\pm 0.11$ ) $\%$	%	2310		
$+\nu_{\tau}$	( 7.7 ±2.5 )>	× 10 <sup>-3</sup>	1911		
$(2007)^{\circ} \ell^+ \nu_{\ell}$	[a] ( 5.68 $\pm 0.19$ ) $\%$	%	2258		
2007) $\tau^+ \nu_{\tau}$	$(2.1 \pm 0.4)$	%	1839		
$\pi^+\ell^+\nu_\ell$	( 4.2 ±0.5 )>	× 10 <sup>-3</sup>	2306		
$\ell^{*}(2420)^{\circ}\ell^{+}\nu_{\ell} \times$	$(2.5 \pm 0.5)$	× 10 <sup>-5</sup>	-		

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 $\ell^+ \nu$ 

### WIMPSim

- High energy neutrinos (1TeV) do not escape the Sun → Indirect dark matter searches from the Sun are "low-energy" analysis in neutrino telescopes.
- Utilize data when the Sun is below the horizon to reduce atmospheric muon background
- Consider different annihilation channels
  - hard neutrino spectrum ττ, W+W-
  - Soft neutrino spectrum bb
- Off-source region can be used to estimate background from data itself





### WIMPSim



#### 3yrs IceCube Solar WIMP Analysis

#### IceCubeColl., arXiv:1612.05949v1

- Three years of data in 86-string configuration used (May 2011 May 2014)
  - Only up-going events (Sun below the horizon) results in 532days of livetime
- Two independent analysis performed
  - ① IceCube: Higher energy focus ( $m_{\chi} > 100 \text{GeV}$ )
  - ② **DeepCore**: Low-energy focus ( $m_{\chi} = 30 \text{GeV} 100 \text{GeV}$ )

Median angular resolutions

- Up-going
- IceCube Dominated
- No Containment

- Up-going
  - DeepCore Dominated
- Strong Containment



#### **Effective Areas**



#### 3yrs IceCube Solar WIMP Analysis

#### IceCubeColl., arXiv:1612.05949v1



# Solar WIMPs Summary

#### IceCubeColl., arXiv:1612.05949v1



Spin-dependent scattering

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Spin-independent scattering



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### Solar WIMPs (Spin-dependent)

IceCubeColl., arXiv:1612.05949v1



Neutrino bounds extremely competitive with Dark Matter direct detection & Can test models beyond the reach of LHC

Soft

#### •pMSSM model scans

 Hard / Soft defined by fraction of hard and soft final states

No evidence for dark matter

### nulike

http://nulike.hepforge.org./





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### Impact of velocity distribution

 Explore the change in capture rate using different velocity distributions obtained from dark matter simulations



• A comparison of captures rates for different WIMP velocity distributions show that overall changes in the capture rate are smaller than 20%

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### Impact of astrophysical uncertainties



https://mdanning.web.cern.ch/mdanning/public/Interactive\_figures/



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# Local Dark Matter Density



#### Local Dark Matter Density Determinations

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P. Salucci, F. Nesti, G. Gentile, C. Martins, The dark matter density at the Sun's location, Astron. Astrophys. 523 (2010) A83.
F. Nesti, P. Salucci, The Dark Matter halo of the Milky Way, AD 2013, JCAP 1307 (2013) 016.

#### Local dark matter density closer to around 0.4GeV/cm<sup>3</sup>

On the horizon: With ESA's Gaia satellite (Perryman et al. 2001) we will soon have access to proper motions and parallaxes for a billion stars.







# Earth WIMPs







# IceCube Earth WIMPs

- Dark Matter could be captured in the Earth and produce a vertically up-going excess neutrino flux
- IceCube:Two statistically independent analyses
  - Low energy & High energy
  - IC86-I (327 days of livetime during 2011/12)



## Earth WIMPs

Combine High-energy and low-energy analysis, based on the best sensitivity



**Publications:** 

- Super-K S.Desai et al (2004)
- IceCube arXiv:1609.01492
- ANTARES forthcoming

Earth WIMPs



• Earth WIMP analysis more sensitivity than Solar WIMP analysis for SI scattering for  $m_{\chi}$  close to Fe resonance

 Standard halo model was assumed. Possibility of dark disk could boost Earth WIMP bounds by two orders of magnitude

### Future Plans for IceCube ...



#### Beyond Standard Model Physics at the PeV scale



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#### Intense interest in high-energy neutrino region

- Observations defy any simple explanation from a single generic source class
  - Multiple sources classes ?
  - Hints of new physics ?
    - PeV Scale Right Handed Neutrino Dark Matter
    - Super Heavy Dark Matter
    - Neutrino Portal Dark Matter
    - Right-handed neutrino mixing via Higgs portal
    - Heavy right-handed neutrino dark matter
    - Leptophilic Dark Matter
    - PeV Scale Supersymmetric Neutrino Sector Dark Matter
    - Dark matter with two- and many-body decays
    - Shadow dark matter
    - Boosted Dark Matter
    - ..

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# Next generation -

#### IceCube Gen2 arXiv:1412.5106

- IceCube has provided an amazing sample of events, but is still limited by the small number of events
- Observed astrophysical flux is consistent with a isotropic flux of equal amounts of all neutrino flavors
  - So far non of the analyses has shown any evidence for point sources
- Where are the point sources?
- What is the flavor composition?
- What is the spectrum? Cutoff?
- Transients ?
- Multi-messenger physics?
- GZK neutrinos?

### IceCube Gen2 Facility "





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#### PINGU - Precision IceCube Next Generation

IceCube PINGU Collaboration arXiv:1401.2046

- PINGU upgrade plan
  - Instrument a volume of about 5MT with 20-26 strings
  - Rely on well established drilling technology and photo sensors
  - Create platform for calibration program and test technologies for future detectors
- Physics Goals:
  - Precision measurements of neutrino oscillations (mass <u>hierarchy,</u>...)
  - Test low mass dark matter models

#### PINGU LOI to be updated shortly

Short version <a href="https://arxiv.org/pdf/1607.02671.pdf">https://arxiv.org/pdf/1607.02671.pdf</a>



Upgrade





- Dark Matter is one of the most exciting problem in modern physics
- There is overwhelming evidence for dark matter, but still we have no hint what it is
- Indirect searches for dark matter represent a key effort to identify dark matter
- Different search techniques are complementary
- The search goes on, many exciting experiments on the horizon