

Ultra-light dark matter: the light and fuzzy side of our universe

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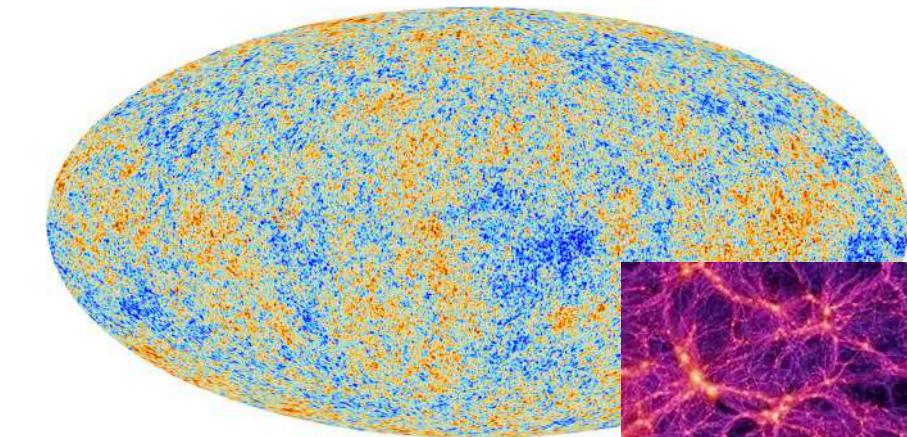
We can observe its effects in

Galaxies

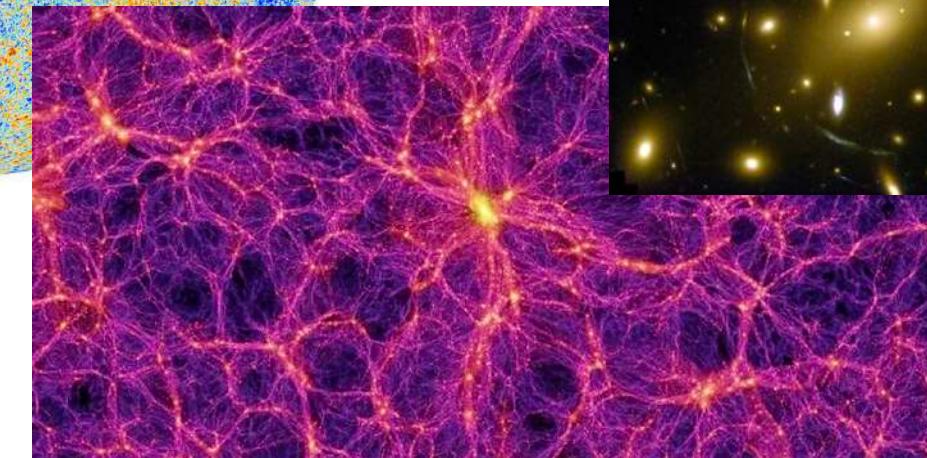


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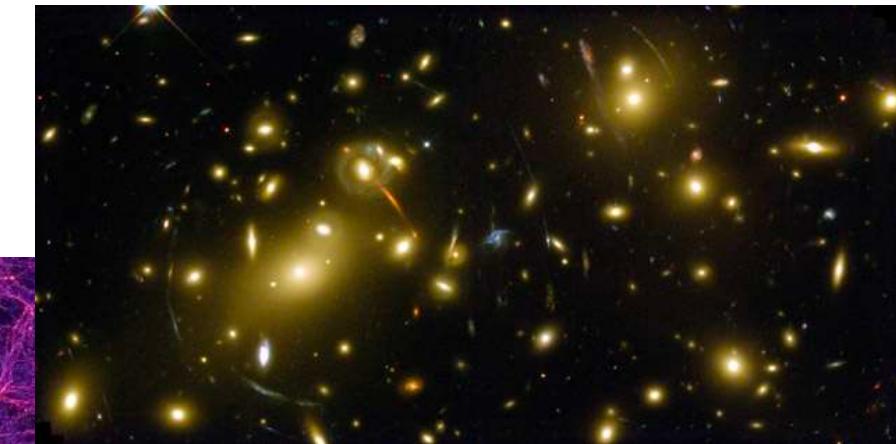
CMB+LSS



ESA and the Planck Collaboration

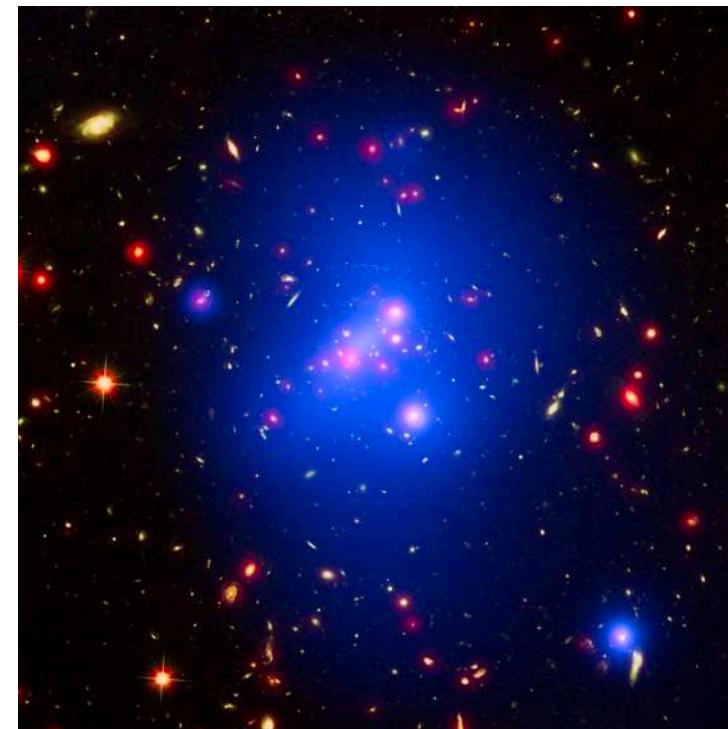


Springel & others / Virgo Consortium



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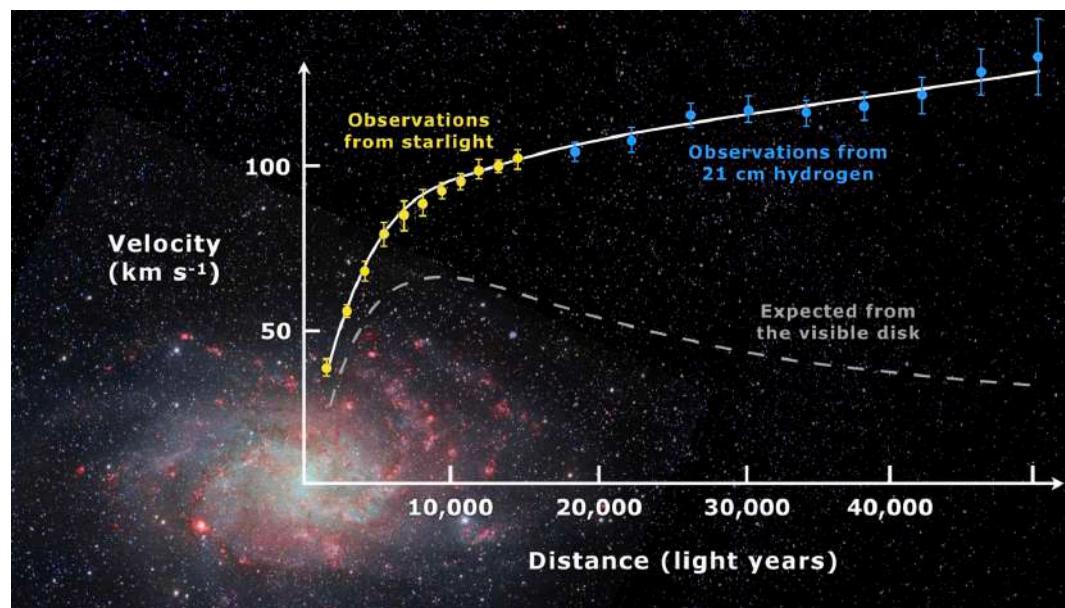


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Huge amount of evidence
From all scales

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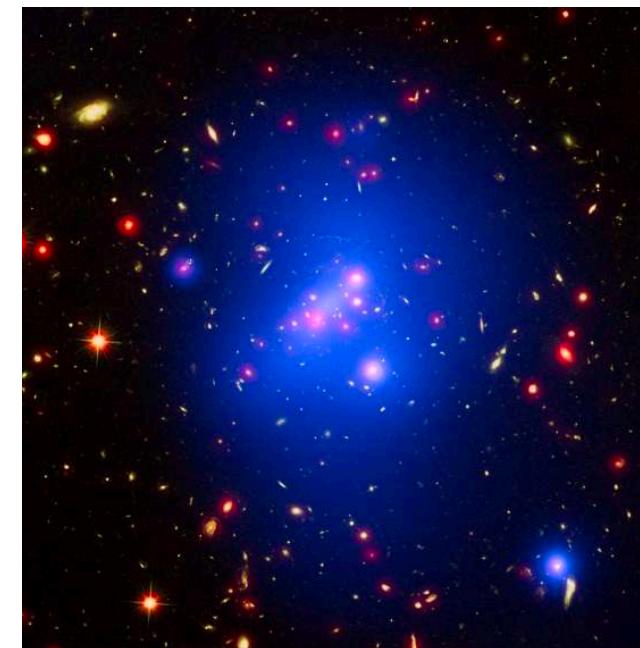
Galaxy rotation curves



Credit: Mario De Leo

- Mass fraction
- Distribution

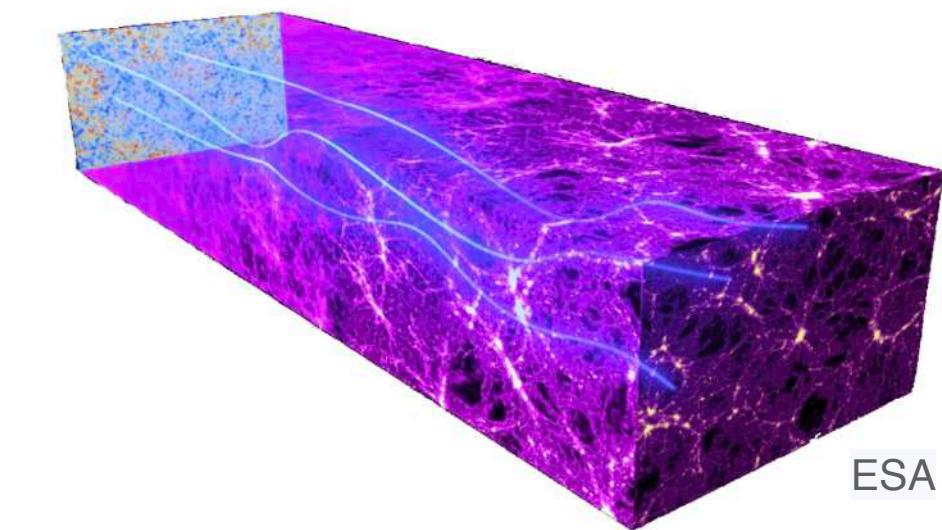
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Lensing



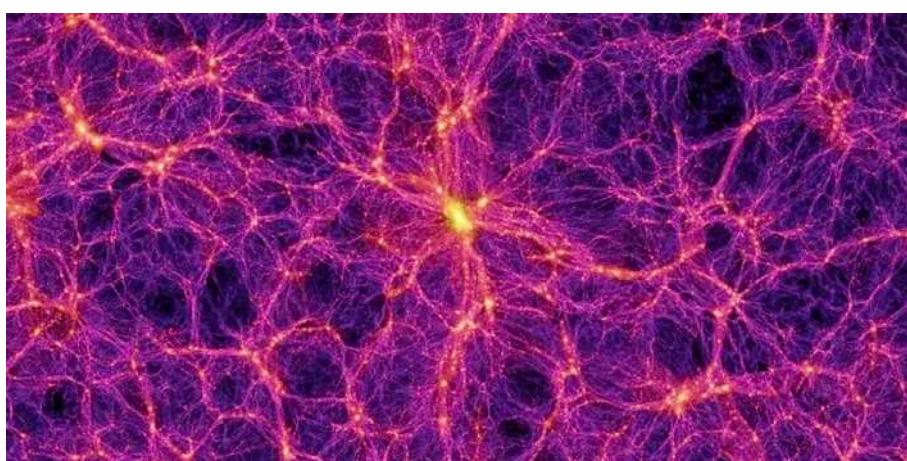
ESA

- Strong lensing
- Mass fraction
- Distribution

- Weak lensing
- Distribution
- Shape
- Structure

- Micro lensing
- Mass fraction
- Smoothness
- Structure

Large Scale Structure



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CMB/LSS

- Ratio of DM/collisional matter
- Thermal history

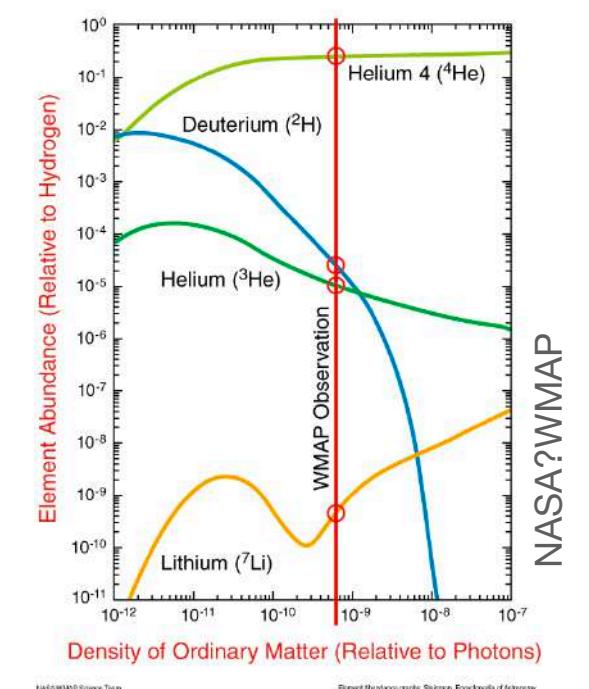
Cluster collision



NASA/CXC/CfA and NASA/STScI

- Distribution
- Separation from collisional matter
- Self-interaction

Big Bang Nucleosynthesis

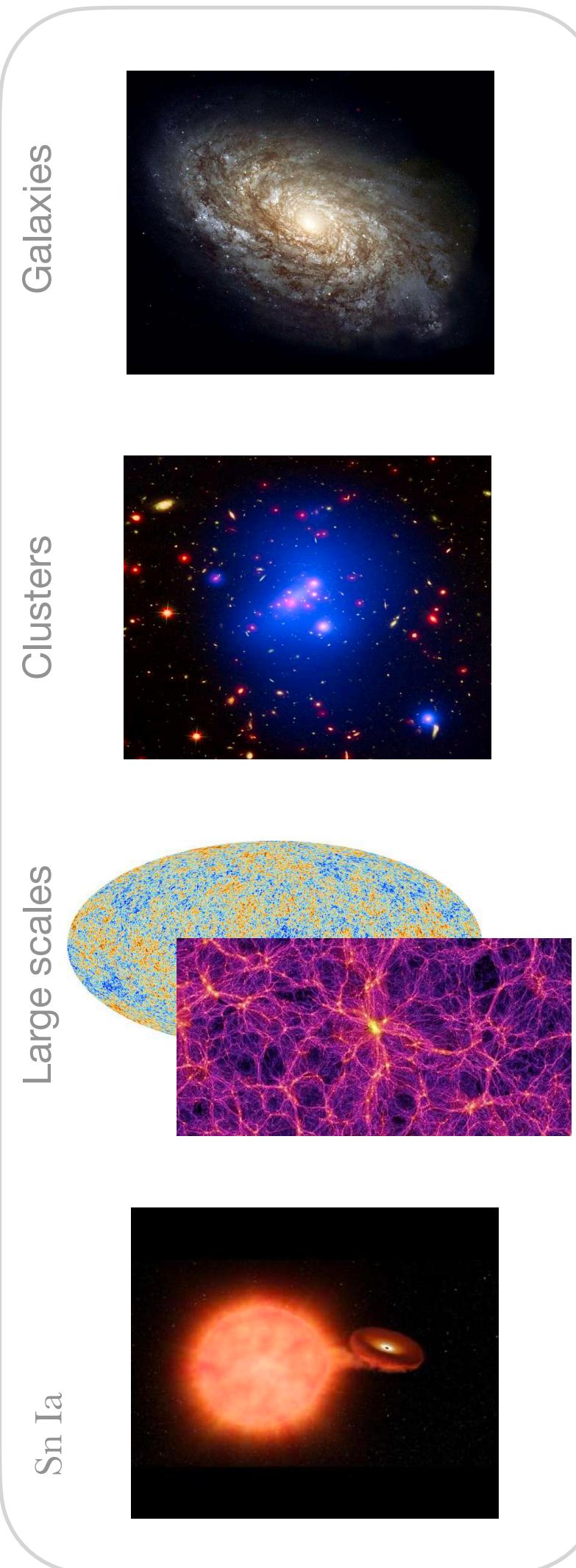


Based on K. Mack

- Amount of baryons

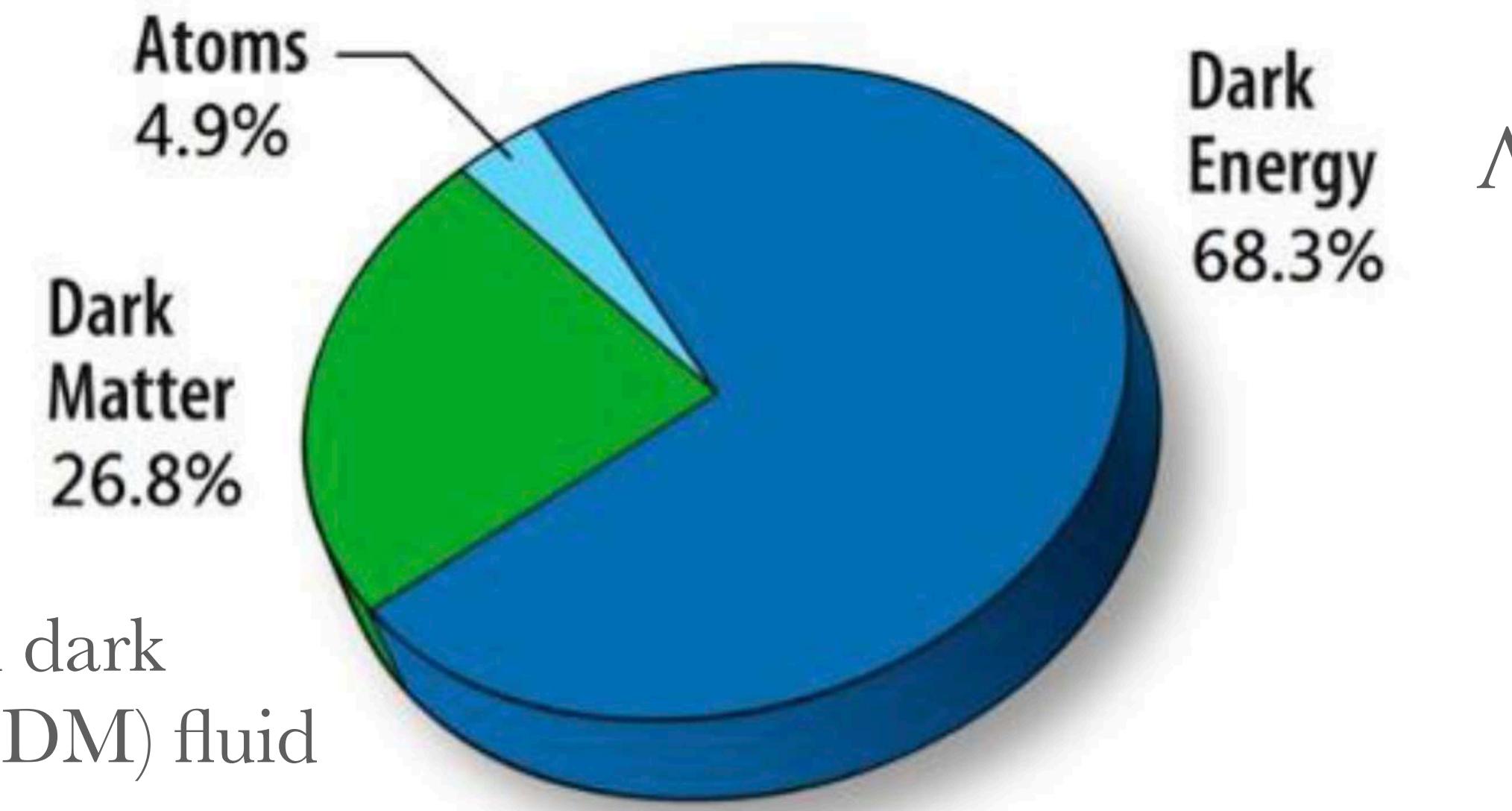
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*What we **know** about dark matter*



Λ CDM – the **standard cosmological model**

Successful description of our universe with 6 free parameters, tested to sub-percent precision.



DM: cold dark matter (CDM) fluid

Λ CDM
simple but exotic model!

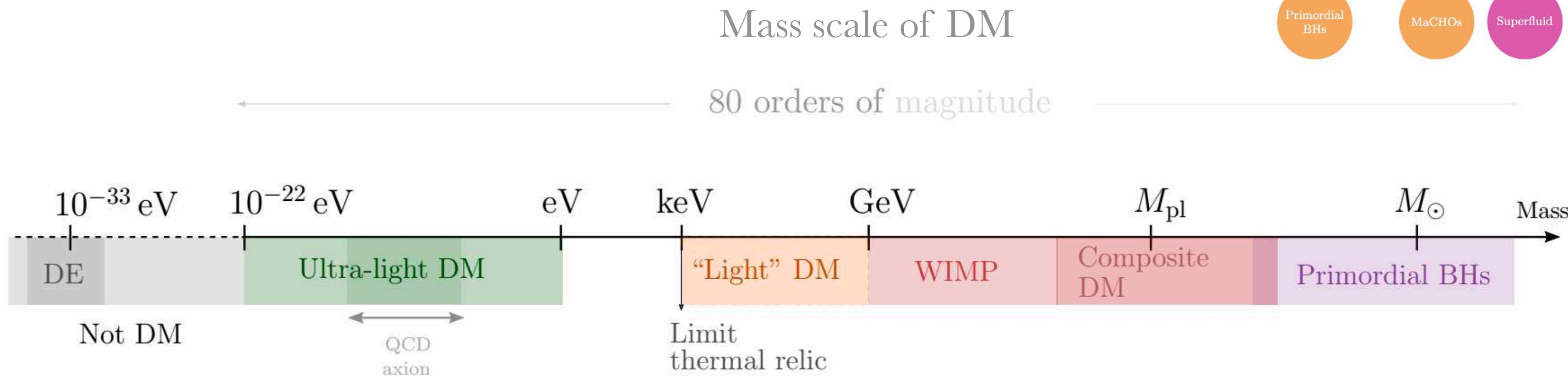
Cold dark matter

- **Cold**: moves much slower than c
- **Pressureless**: gravitational attractive, clusters
- **Dark** (transparent): no/weakly electromagnetic interaction
- **Collisionless**: no/weakly self-interaction or interaction with baryons
- **Abundance**: amount of dark matter today known

What we *don't* know

- What is DM? What is the nature of DM?

State of the “art”



What we don't know

- What is DM? Nature

- ~~Cold~~



How cold it is?

WDM

- ~~Pressureless~~



Cluster on all scales?

- ~~Dark (transparent)~~



Non-gravitational interaction?

Milicharged DM

- ~~Collisionless~~



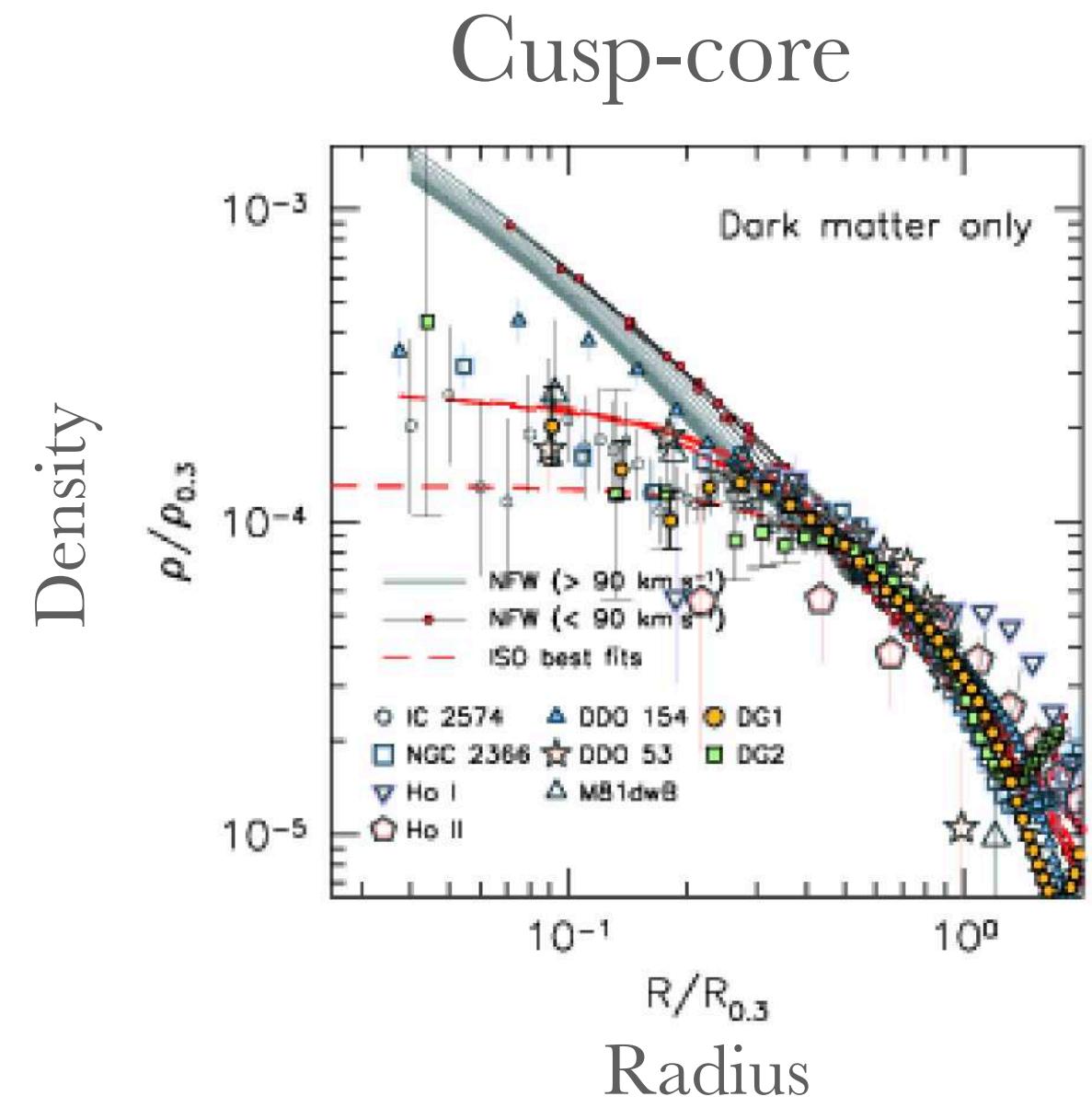
How small self-interaction?

SIDM

Although still behaves like CDM on large scales

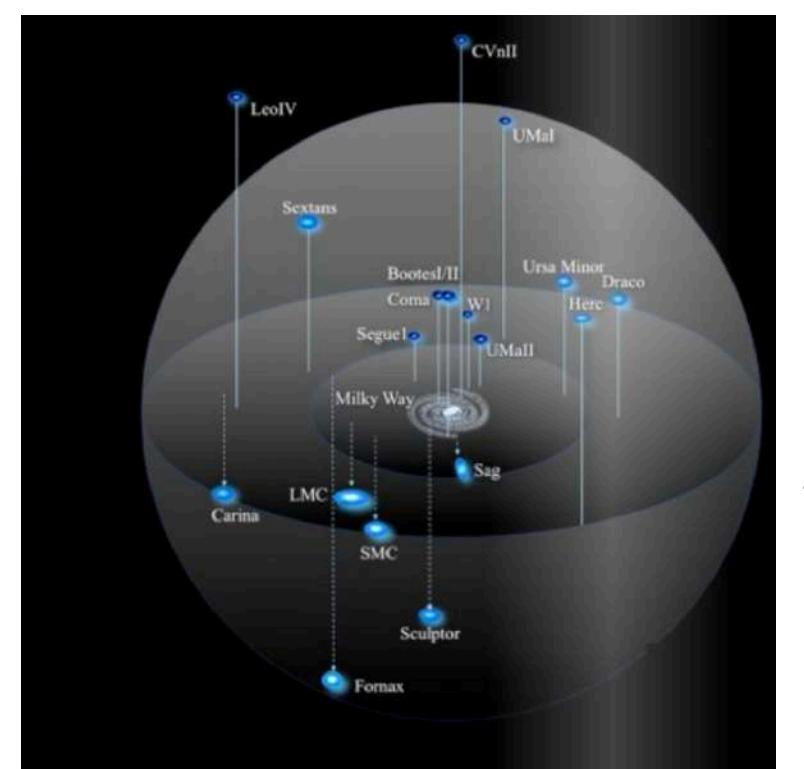
Small scale behavior: still weakly constrained and small scale challenges

Small scale challenges



Missing satellites

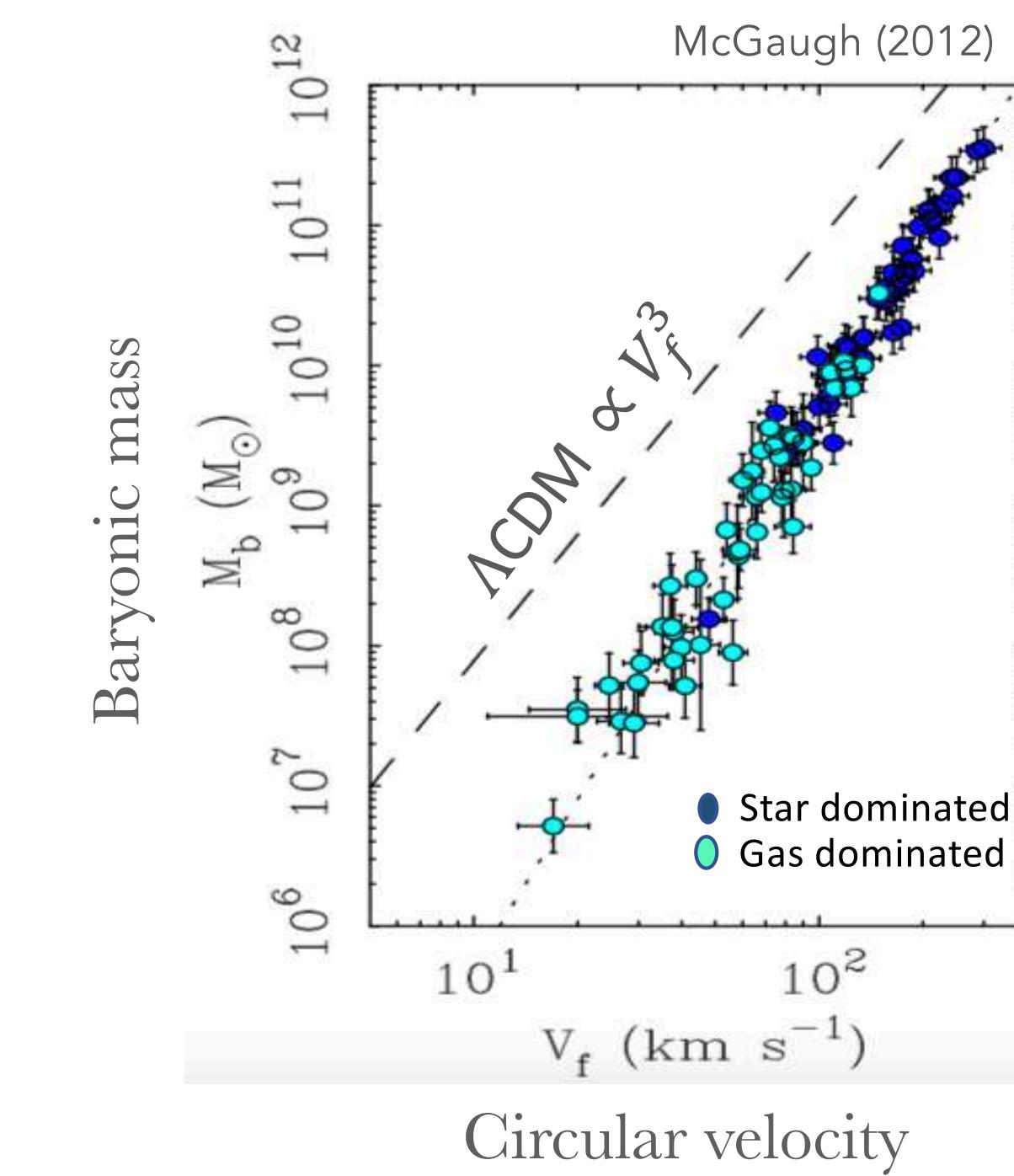
Incompatibility between the # of satellites predicted by simulations using **LCDM** and the # of observed satellites



Regularity/diversity of rotation curves

- Baryonic Tully-Fisher relation (BTFR)

Remarkably **tight** scaling relations between dynamical and baryonic properties.



$$a_0 \simeq \frac{1}{6} H_0 \simeq 1.2 \times 10^{-8} \text{ cm/s}^2 = 2.7 \times 10^{-34} \text{ eV}.$$

Dark matter-

Large scales: CDM

Small scales:

- Feedback: Within Λ CDM

- Star formation
- Stellar evolution
- Sn rates
- BH and AGN feedback
- Stellar feedback
- ...

Questions:

- Can it solve all these?
- \neq simulations, \neq parametrizations
- Enough feedback?
- Explains tight scaling relation?

- MOND:

Modified Newtonian Dynamics

Empirical relation

$$a = \begin{cases} a_N^b, & a_N^b \gg a_0. \\ \sqrt{a_N^b a_0}, & a_N^b \ll a_0. \end{cases}$$

Curiosity: Baryons drive the dynamics!

Works extremely well for: (1) rotation curves; (2) scaling relations

BUT:

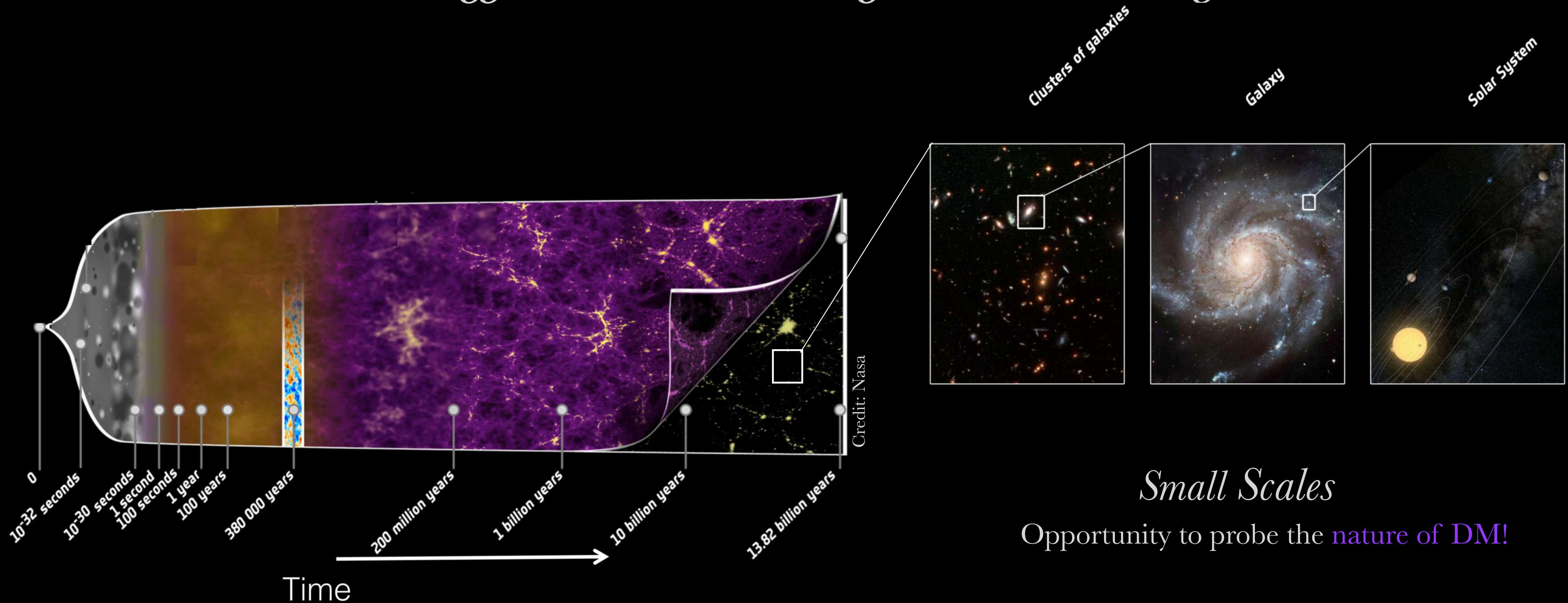
~~MOND without DM~~

Problems explaining large scales

- Modify dark matter:

DM with different properties on small scales

*Small scales can offer some **hints** of the nature of DM*

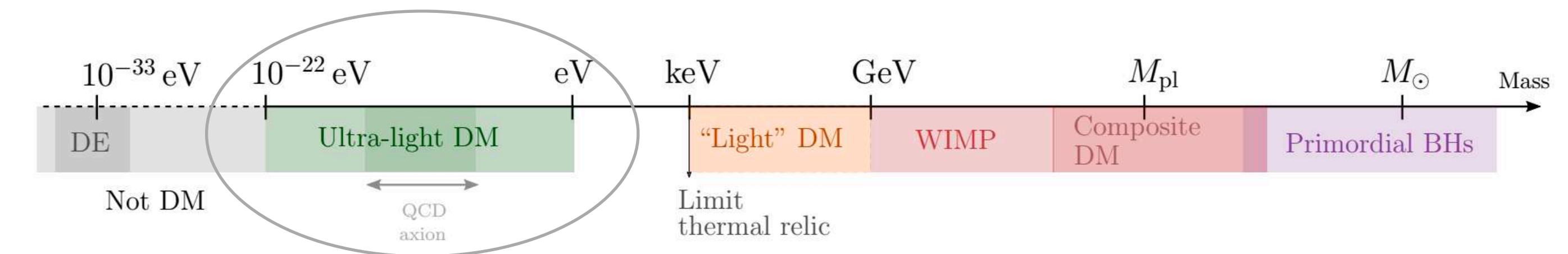


Small Scales

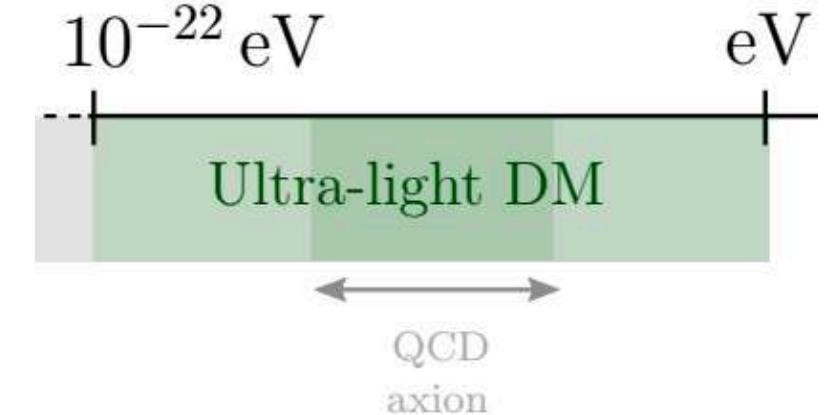
Opportunity to probe the **nature of DM!**



Ultra-light dark matter



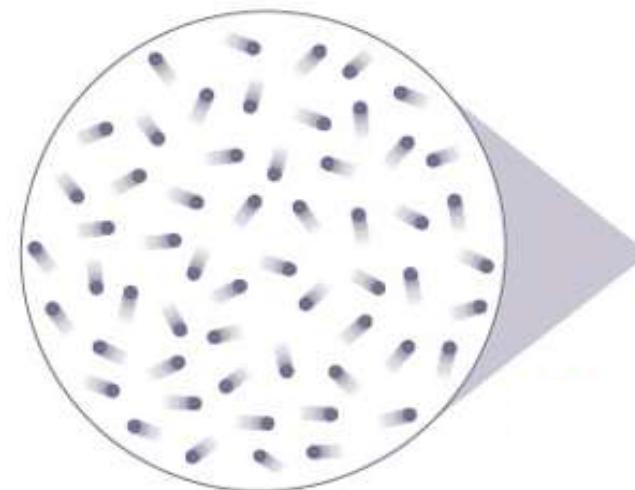
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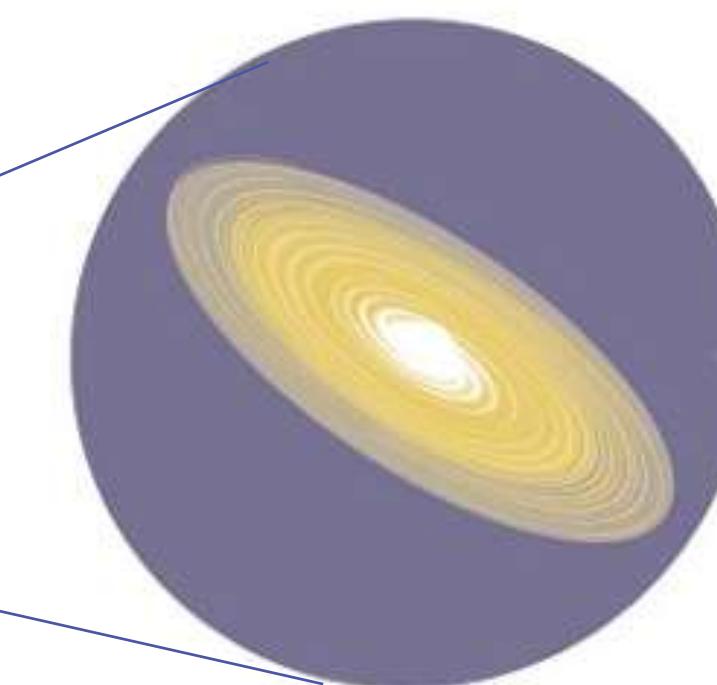
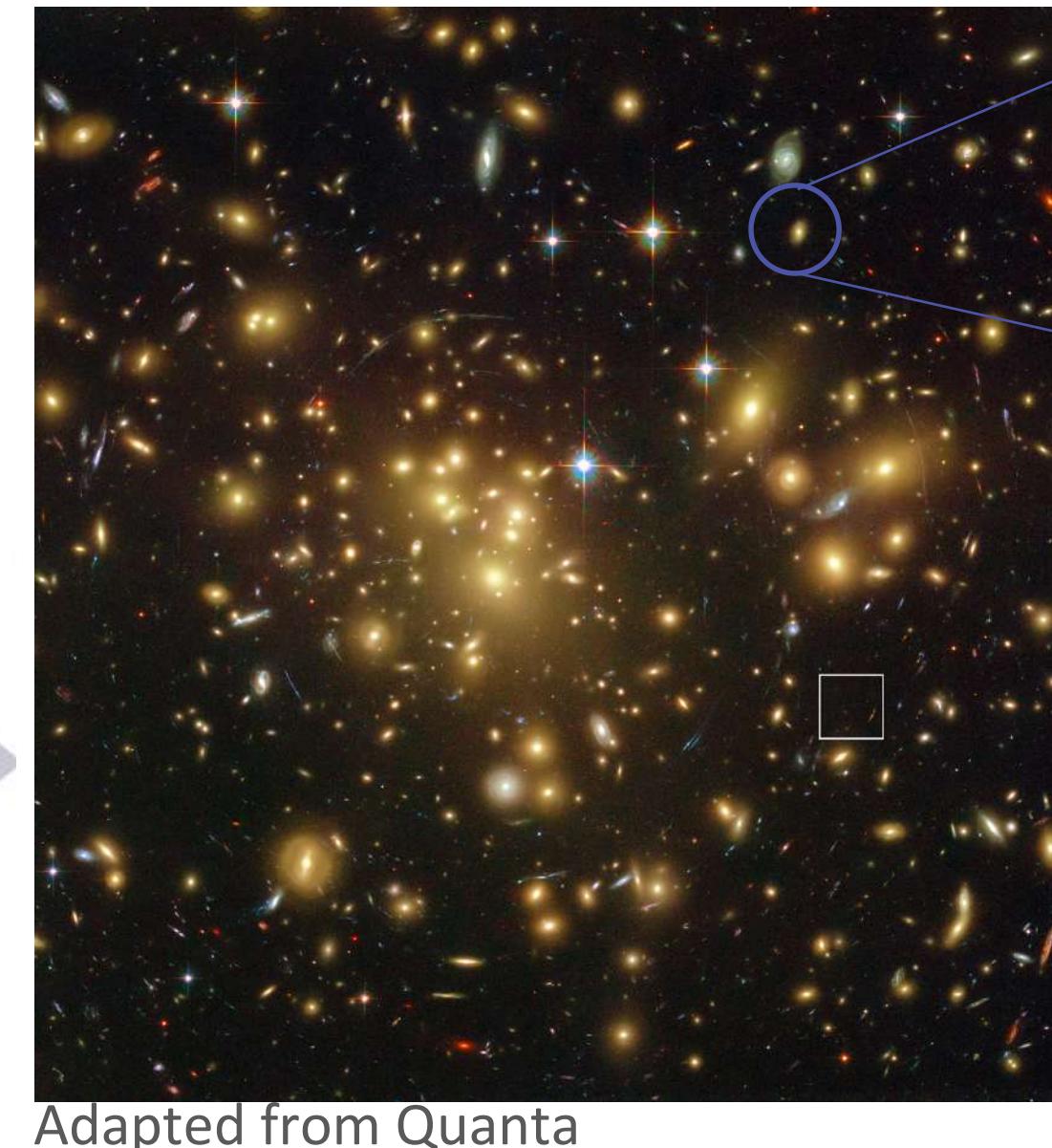
Ultra-light candidate

$$\text{Large } \lambda_{dB} \sim 1/mv$$

Large scales:
DM behaves like standard
particle DM (**CDM**).

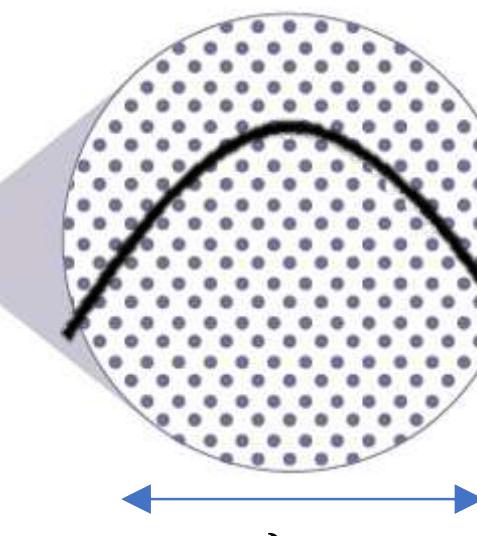


DM: particles
 $d \gg \lambda_{dB}$



Galaxy halo

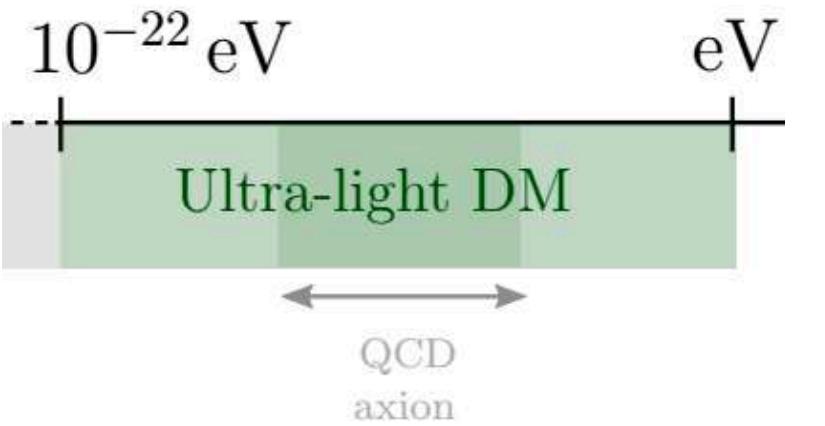
DM: wave behaviour



$$d \ll \lambda_{dB}$$

Small scales:
DM behaves like a **wave**

Strengths of the *ULDM*



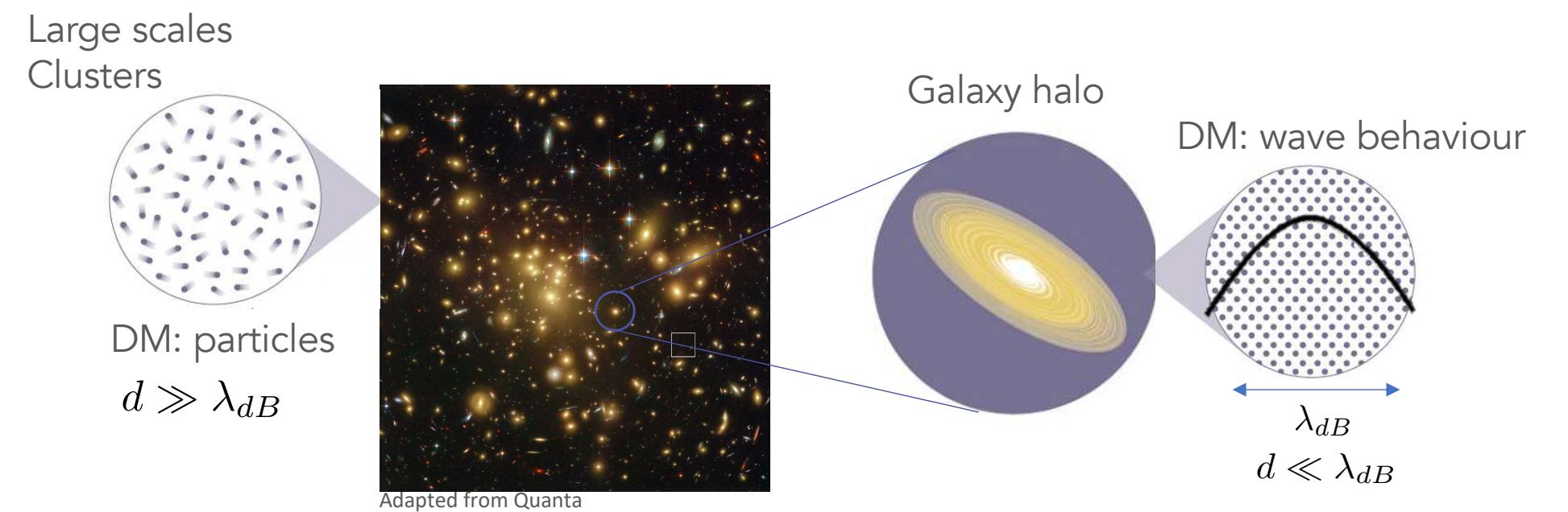
- Particle physics/HEP/condensed matter motivation

Candidates: Axions, ALPs, UL particles, ...

- Might address small scales problems

- **Rich phenomenology on small scales:**

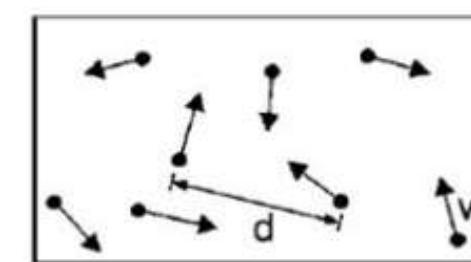
- Wave nature manifest on galactic scales
- Forms a **Bose-Einstein condensate** or **superfluid** interior of galaxies



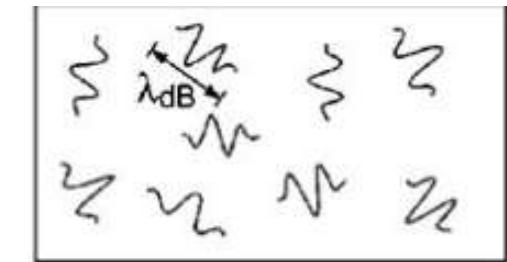
Allows to probe the internal properties of the ULDM

Bose Einstein Condensate

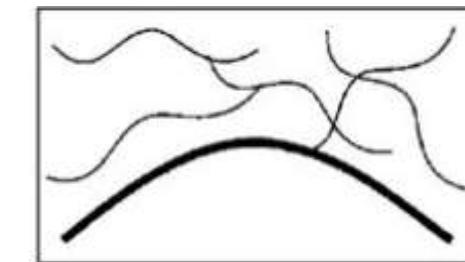
- Bose Einstein condensate (BEC): macroscopic occupation of the ground state
- At low temperatures, each particle wave function overlap - single wave function describes the entire fluid.



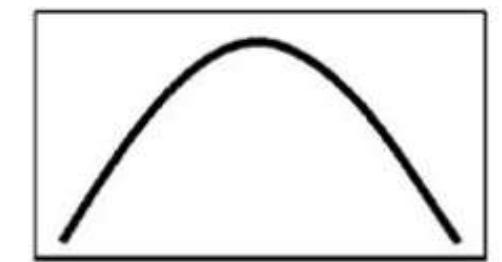
High temperature
Thermal velocities



Low temperature
 $\lambda_B \sim T^{-1/2}$
"wave packets"



$T = T_c$
BEC
"matter wave overlap"
 $d \sim \lambda_{dB}$



$T = 0$
Pure BEC
"giant matter wave"

Superfluid

- Appears at low T after the superfluid condenses into a BEC.
- Effective dynamics: fluid flows without friction



Description

Mean field approximation:

Large N, dilute

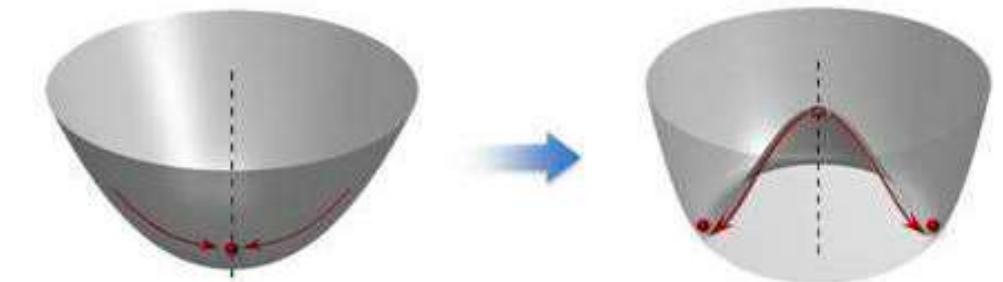
"wavefunction of the condensate"

$$\hat{\Psi}(\mathbf{r}, t) = \psi(\mathbf{r}, t) + \delta\hat{\Psi}(\mathbf{r}, t)$$

classical field

small perturbation: describes depletion of the condensate

with $\psi(\mathbf{r}, t) = \langle \hat{\Psi}(\mathbf{r}, t) \rangle$
Fixed $n_0 = |\psi(\mathbf{r}, t)|^2$



Credit: Peking University

$$i\partial_t \psi(\mathbf{r}, t) = \left(-\frac{\nabla^2}{2m} + V_{trap}(\mathbf{r}) + U_0 |\psi(\mathbf{r}, t)|^2 \right) \psi(\mathbf{r}, t)$$

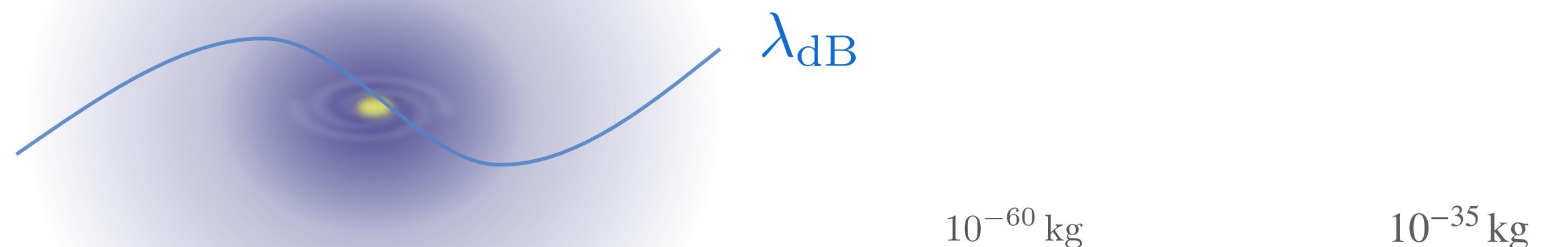
Non-linear Schrödinger equation - Gross-Pitaevskii equation

How light is ultra-light?

Behave as wave on galactic scales:

- λ_{dB} must be **smaller** than the halo

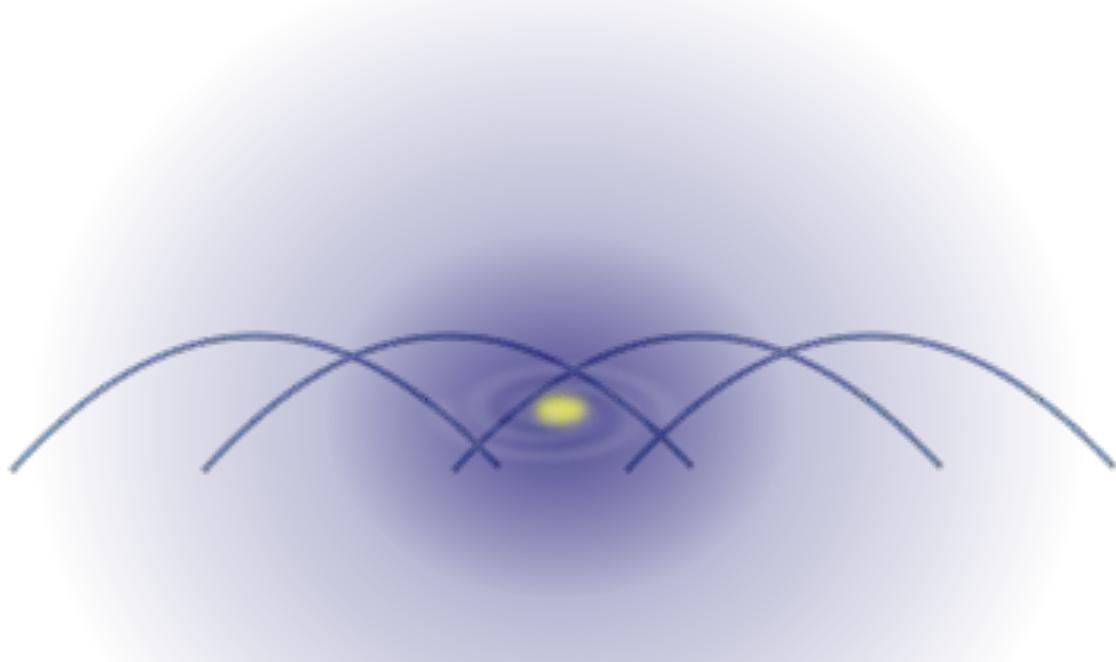
$$\lambda_{dB} < R_{\text{halo}}$$
$$\Rightarrow m \gtrsim 10^{-25} \text{ eV}$$



$$10^{-25} \text{ eV} \lesssim m \lesssim \text{eV}$$

- λ_{dB} **overlap** to be of halo size

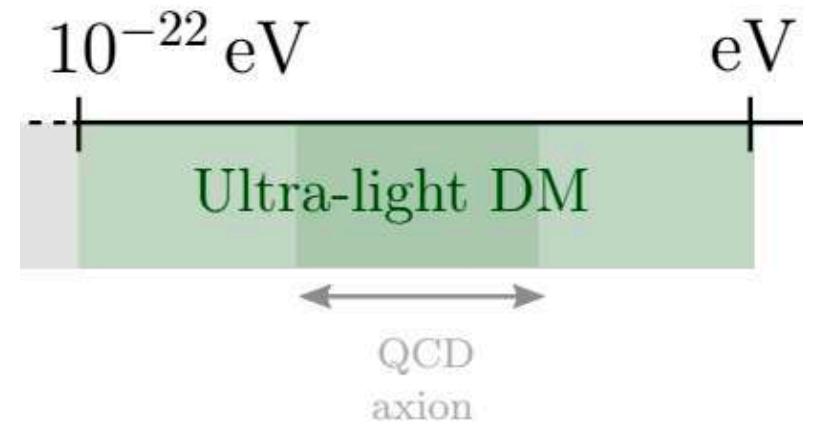
$$\lambda_b \sim \frac{1}{mv} \geq d \sim \left(\frac{m}{\rho_{vir}} \right)^{\frac{1}{3}}$$
$$\Rightarrow m \leq 2 \text{ eV}$$



$$\lambda_{dB}^{ULDM} \sim \text{pc} - \text{kpc}$$

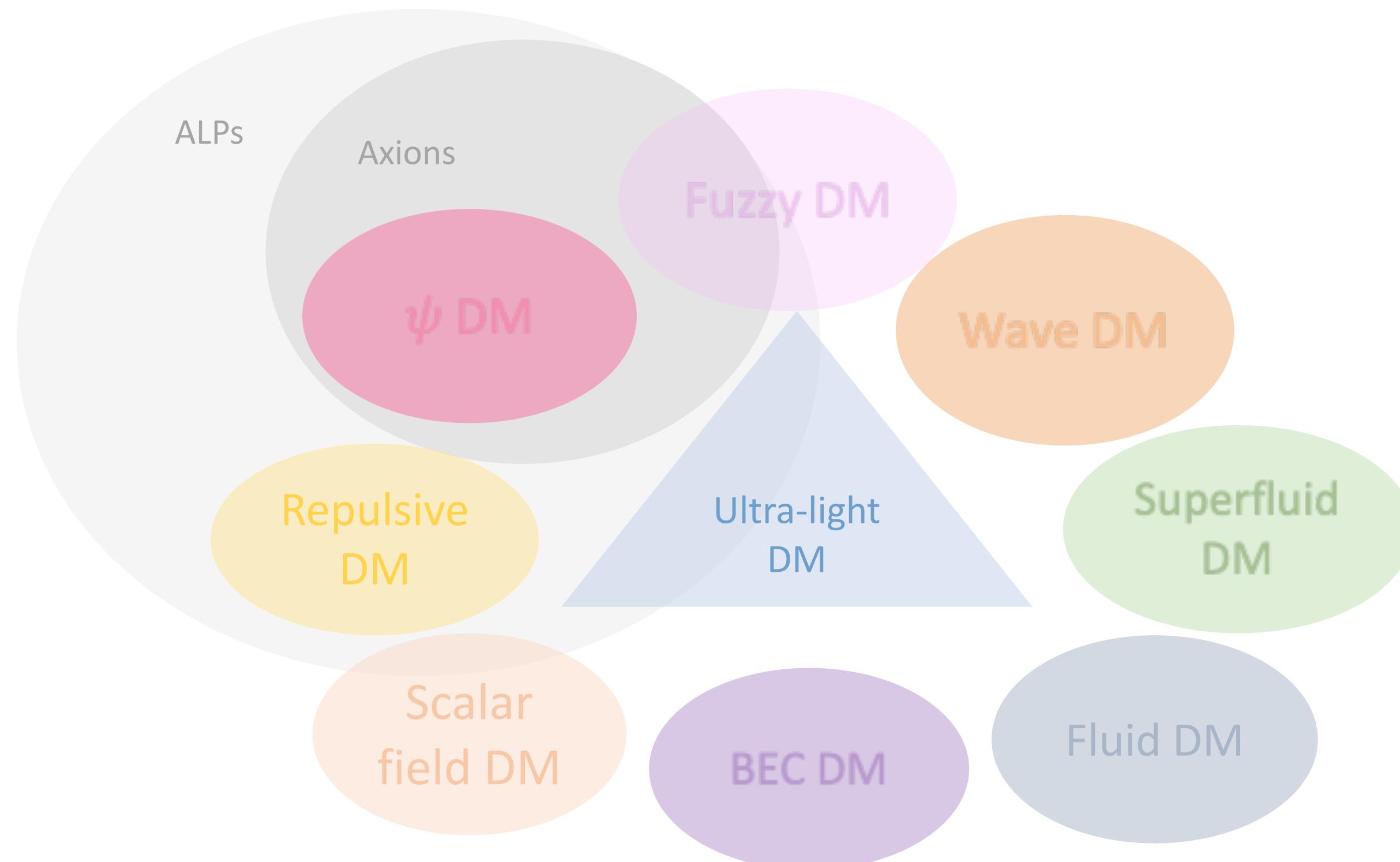
$$\text{pc} \simeq 3 \times 10^{16} \text{ m}$$

Ultra-light Dark Matter - models

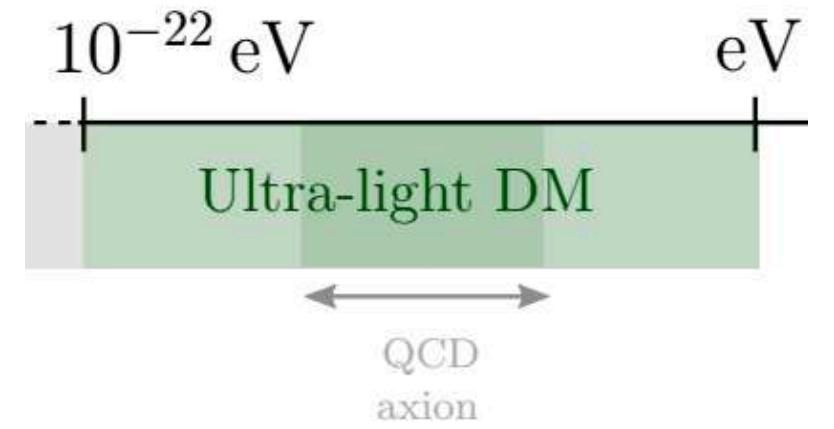


There are many ULDM models in the literature

However, each of these models presents a different dynamics on small scales - different **phenomenology**



Ultra-light Dark Matter -classes



3 classes:

Fuzzy DM (FDM)

- Gravitationally bounded ultra-light scalar field model
- Condensation under gravity (BEC)

m

DOFs

Self Interacting FDM (SIFDM)

- Presence of (weakly) self-interaction
- Condensation under gravity + SI (superfluid)

$m \quad g$

DM Superfluid

- Forms a superfluid in galaxies
- MOND behaviour interior of galaxies

Axion and ALP (axion like particles)

→ Connection with condensed matter and particle physics!

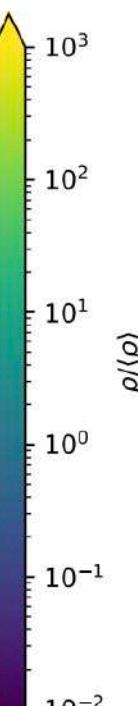
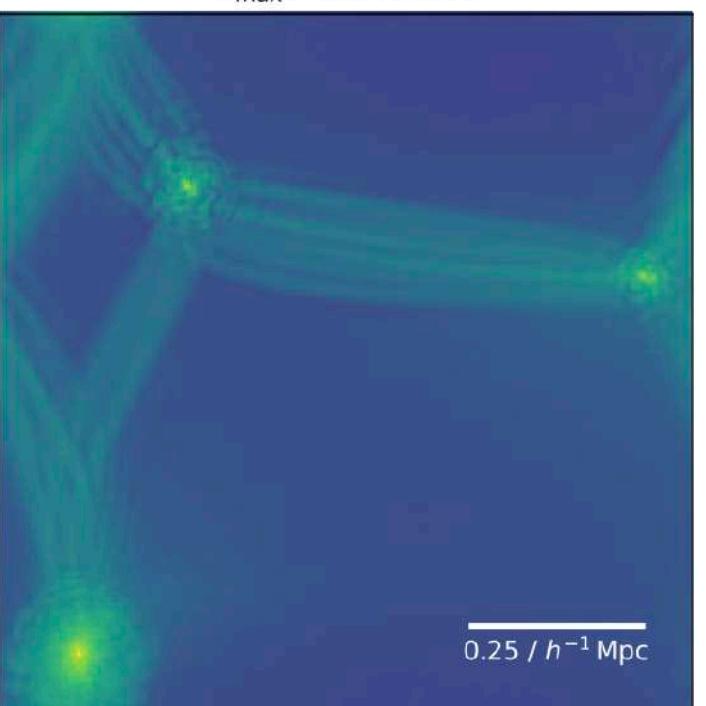
Phenomenology

“Ultra-light dark matter”, E.Ferreira, 2020. Review.

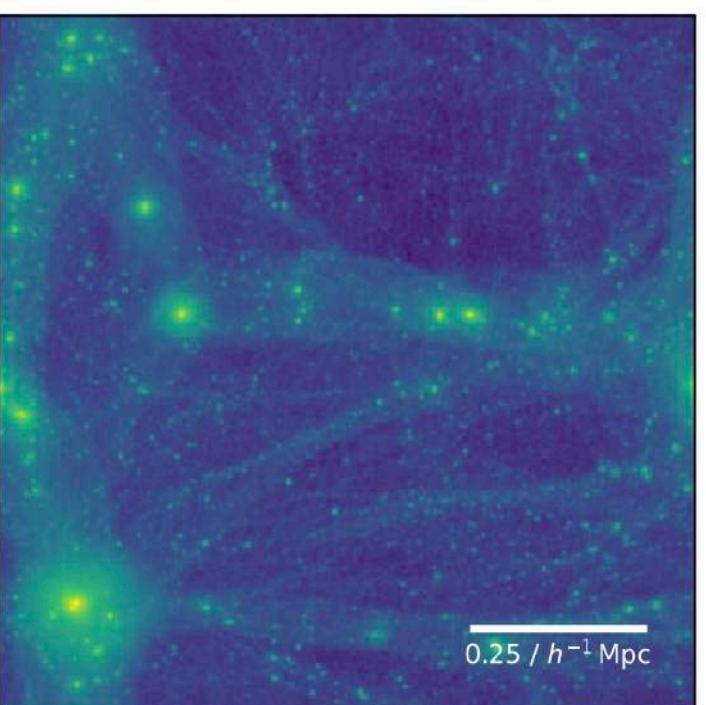
RICH PHENOMENOLOGY ON SMALL SCALES

Suppression of small structures

FDM: 256^3 , $mc^2 = 1.75 \times 10^{-23}$ eV, $z = 0.00$
 $v_{\max} = 88.1$ km/s

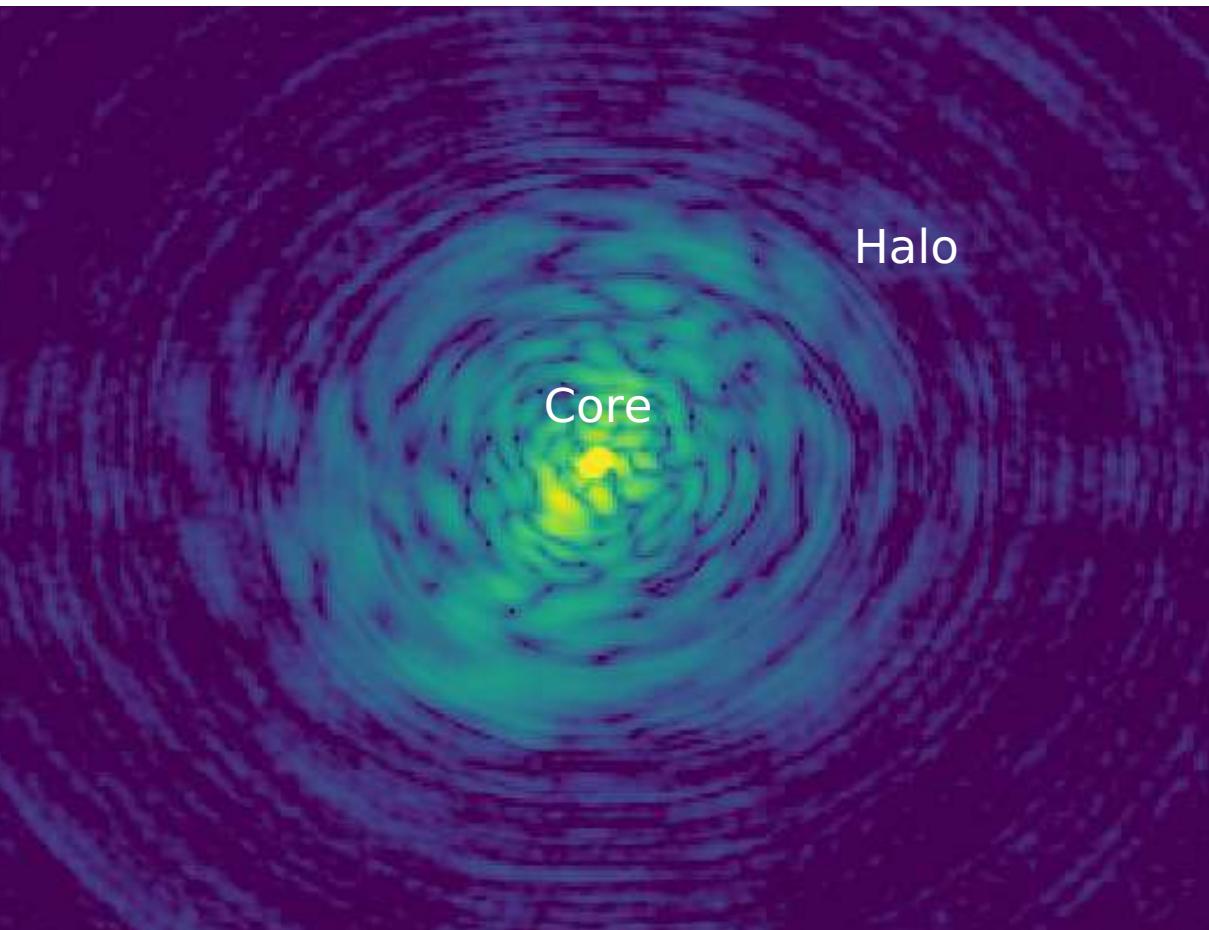


CDM: 256^3 , $z = 0.00$

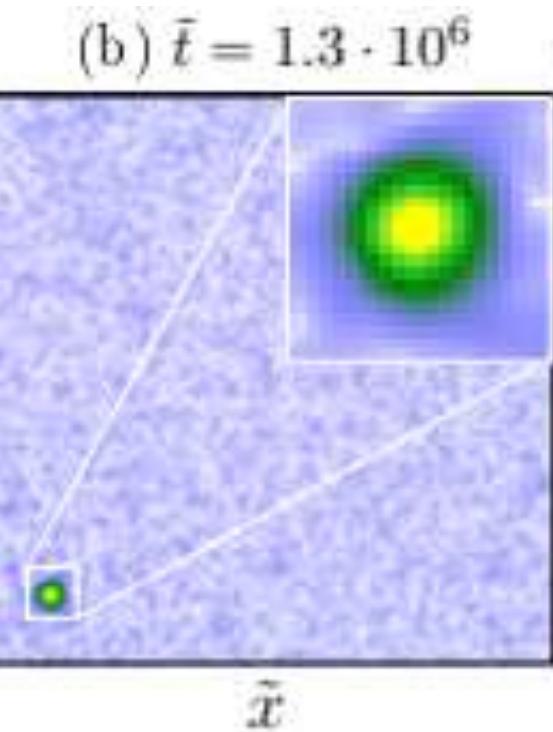


S. May et al. 2021

Formation of a solitonic core

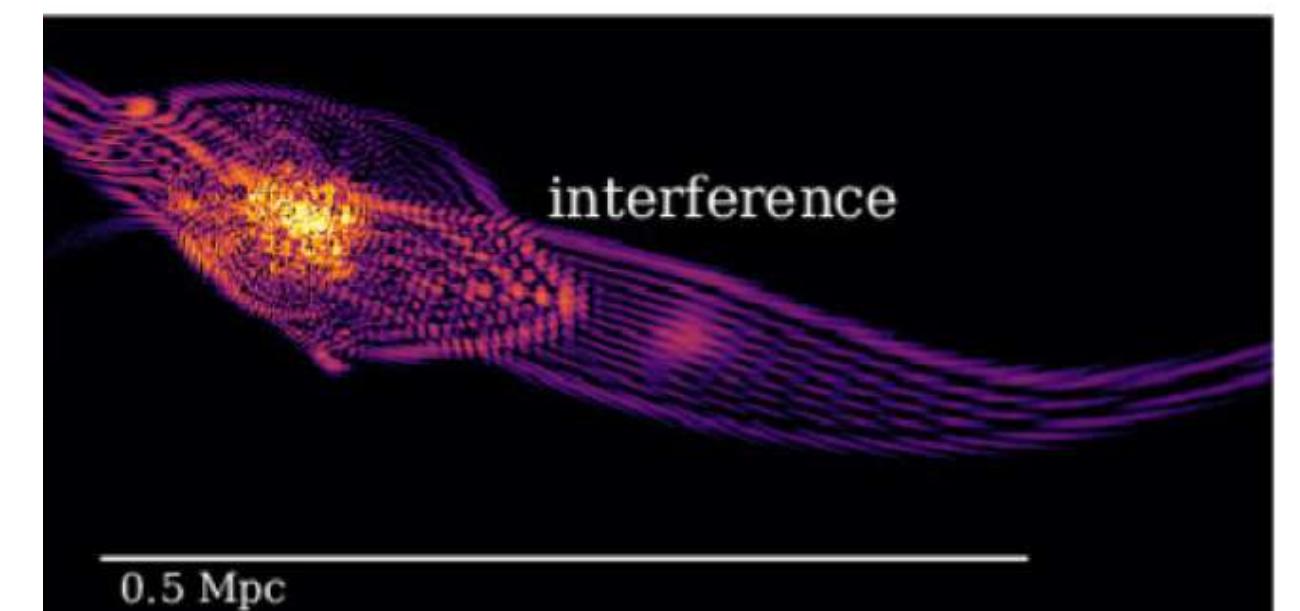


Dynamical effects



Levkov et al. 2018

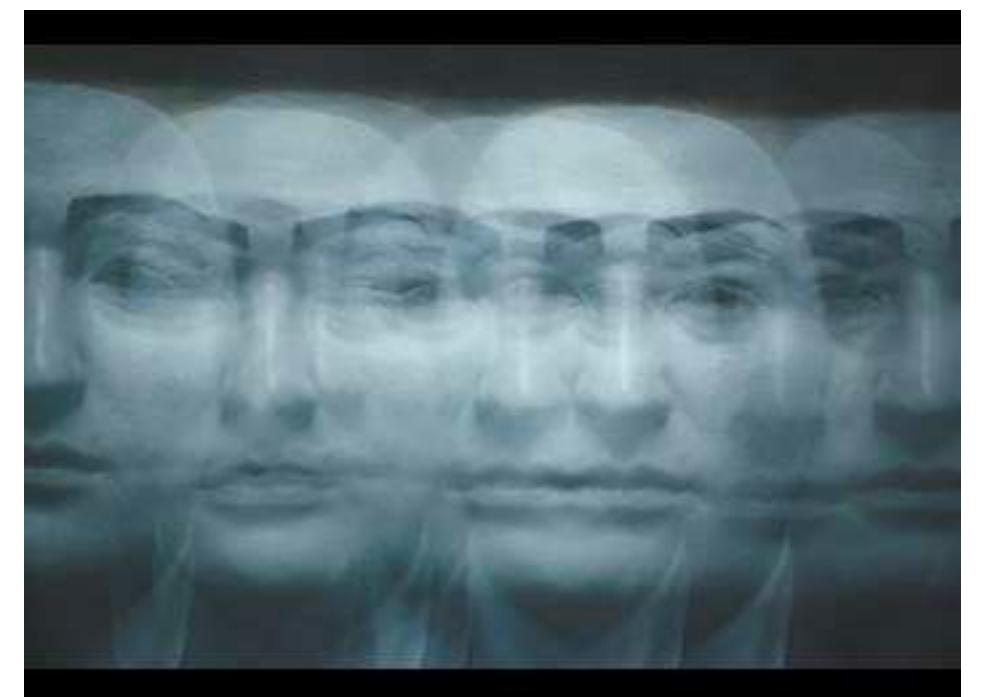
Wave interference



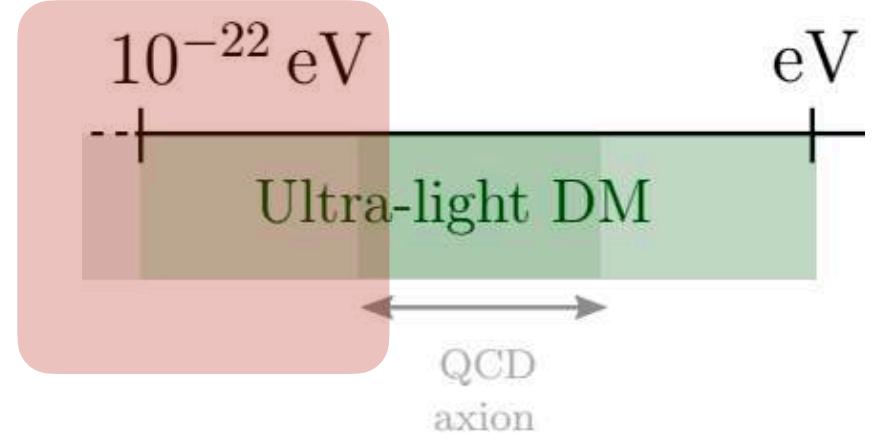
Mocz et al. 2017

Fuzzy dark matter

Self interacting fuzzy dark matter



Fuzzy DM and self-interacting FDM



Fuzzy DM (FDM)

- Gravitationally bounded ultra-light scalar field model
- Condensation under gravity (BEC)

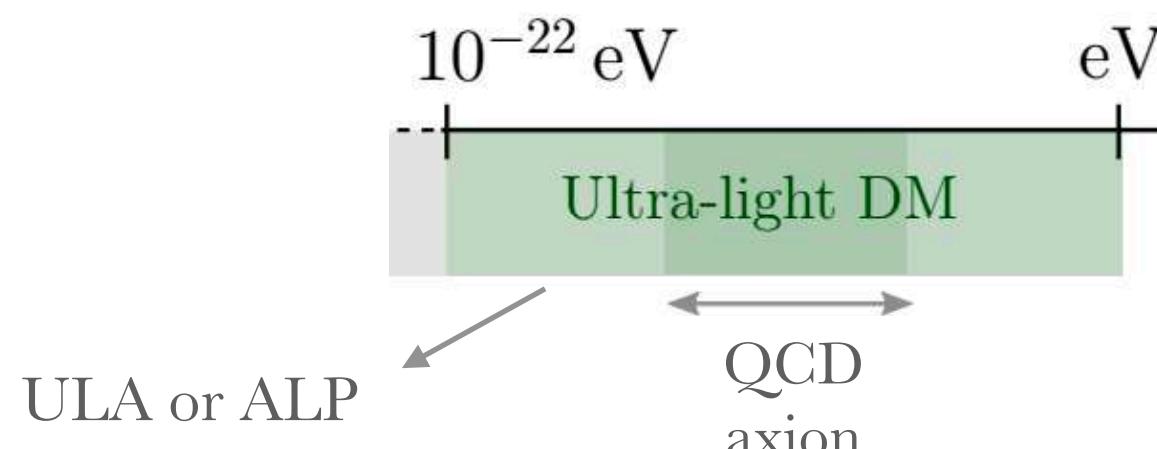
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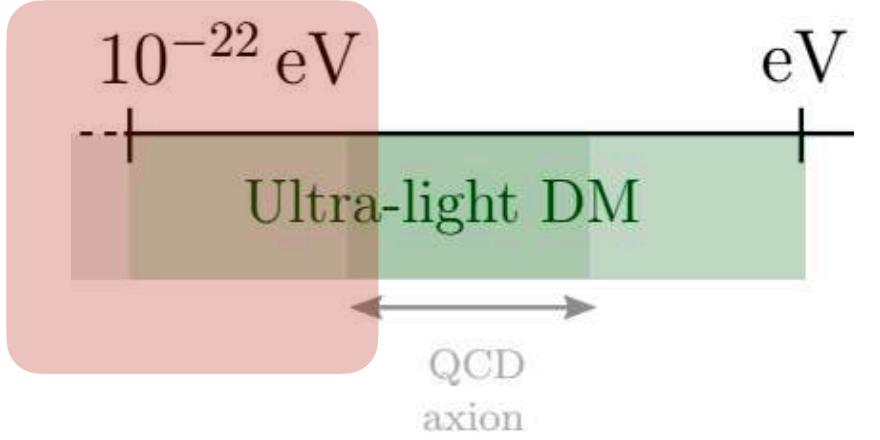
Candidates: Ultra-light scalar particles, axion and ALP (axion like particles) or ultra-light axions



Axions/ALPs

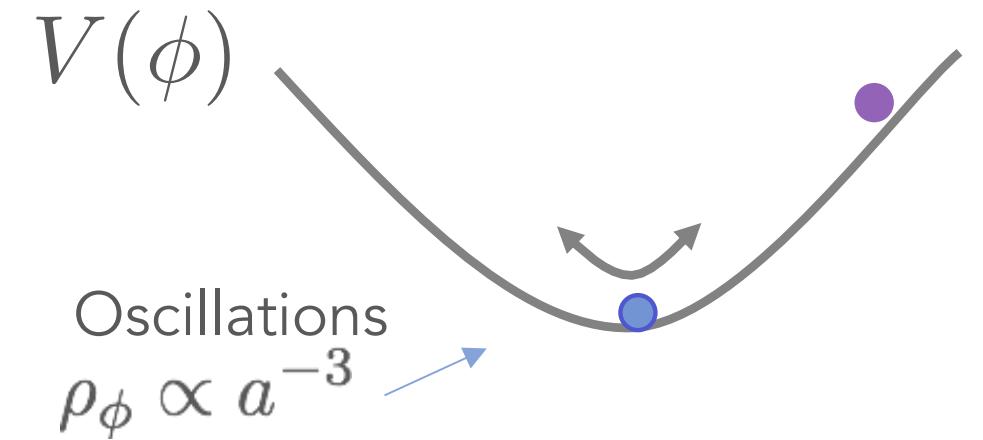
- Motivation from particle physics
- Axions/ALPs behave like DM: one of the leading candidates for DM

Cosmological evolution



Boson/ Scalar field in a cosmological (FRW) background

$$\ddot{\phi} + 3H\dot{\phi} + m^2\phi + g\phi^2\phi = 0$$



Axions or Axion like particles (ALP)

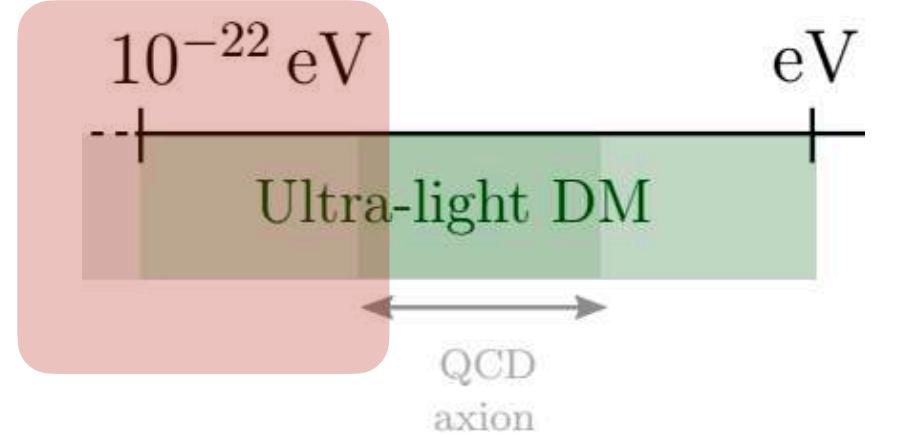
Axions and ALPs are pseudo Nambu Goldstone bosons from the spontaneous symmetry breaking of a $U_{\text{PQ}}(1)$ ($U(1)$) symmetry, and are described by the complex field: $\Psi = v e^{i\phi/f_a}$

$$v_{0,ssb} = f_a/\sqrt{2} \quad \longrightarrow \quad \phi \rightarrow \phi + c$$

Non-perturbative effects (from string theory or instantons) induce a potential:

$$V(\phi) = \Lambda_a^4 [1 - \cos(\phi/f_a)] \underset{\phi \ll f_a}{\longrightarrow} \frac{1}{2}m^2\phi^2 + \frac{g}{4}\phi^4 + \dots$$

Structure formation - non-relativistic regime



Evolution on small scales: take non-relativistic regime of the theory, relevant for structure formation.

Schrödinger-Poisson system : describe the FDM and the SIFDM

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} i\dot{\psi} = \left(-\frac{1}{2m}\nabla^2 + \frac{g}{8m^2}|\psi|^2 - m\Phi \right) \psi \\ \nabla^2\Phi = 4\pi G(m|\psi|^2 - \bar{\rho}) \end{array} \right.$$

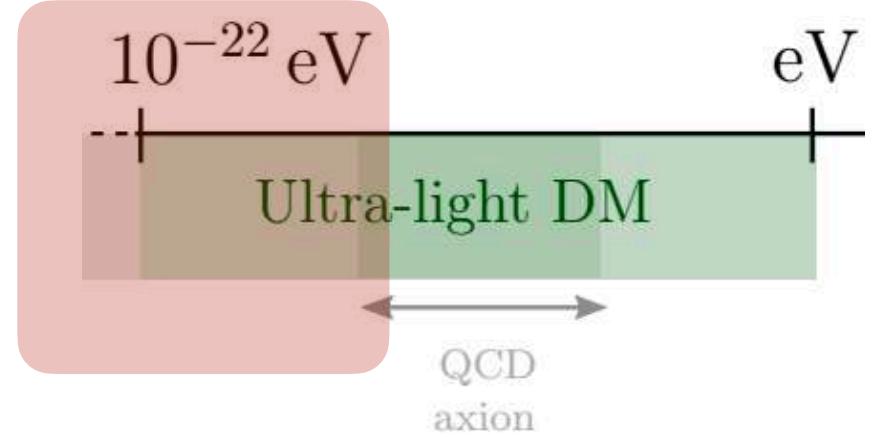
Schrödinger equation
(Gross-Pitaevskii)

Poisson equation

$g = 0 \longrightarrow$ FDM
 $g \neq 0 \longrightarrow$ SIFDM

Fundamentally different than
CDM/WDM/SIDM!

Structure formation - non-relativistic regime



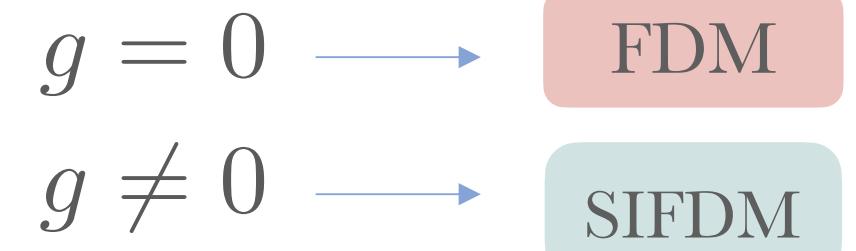
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Madelung equations $(\psi \equiv \sqrt{\rho/m} e^{i\theta} \text{ and } \mathbf{v} \equiv \nabla\theta/m)$

$$\dot{\rho} + \nabla \cdot (\rho \mathbf{v}) = 0$$

$$\dot{\mathbf{v}} + (\mathbf{v} \cdot \nabla)\mathbf{v} = -\frac{1}{m} \left(V_{grav} - P_{int} - \frac{1}{2m} \frac{\nabla^2 \sqrt{\rho}}{\sqrt{\rho}} \right)$$

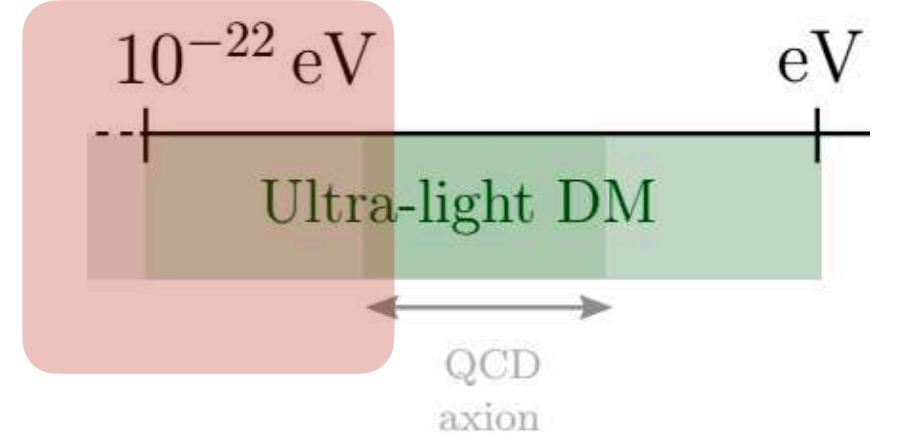
$$P_{int} = K\rho^{(j+1)/j} = \frac{g}{2m^2}\rho^2$$

$$\frac{1}{2m} \frac{\nabla^2 \sqrt{\rho}}{\sqrt{\rho}}$$

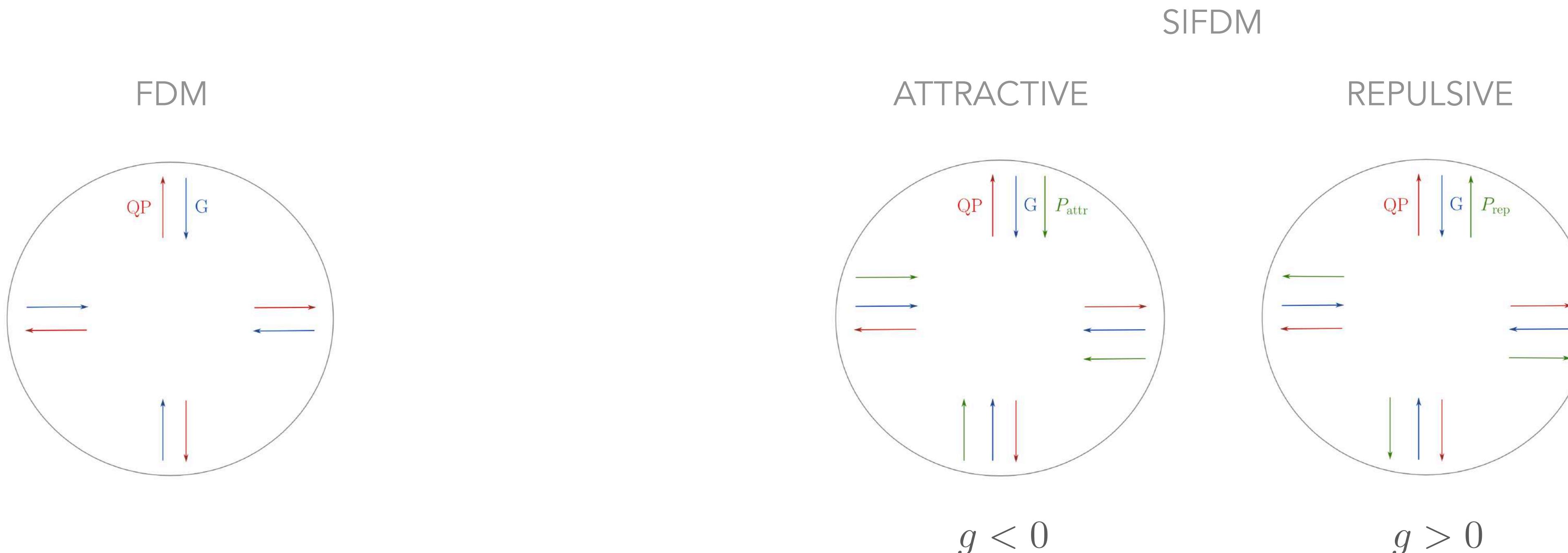
Quantum pressure

FLUID
DESCRIPTION

Structure formation - perturbation and stability



Competition between gravity and pressure (quantum pressure and interaction)



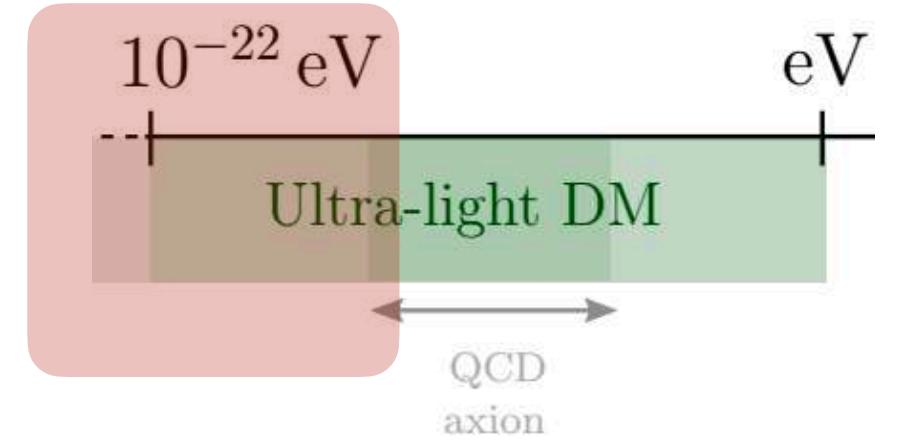
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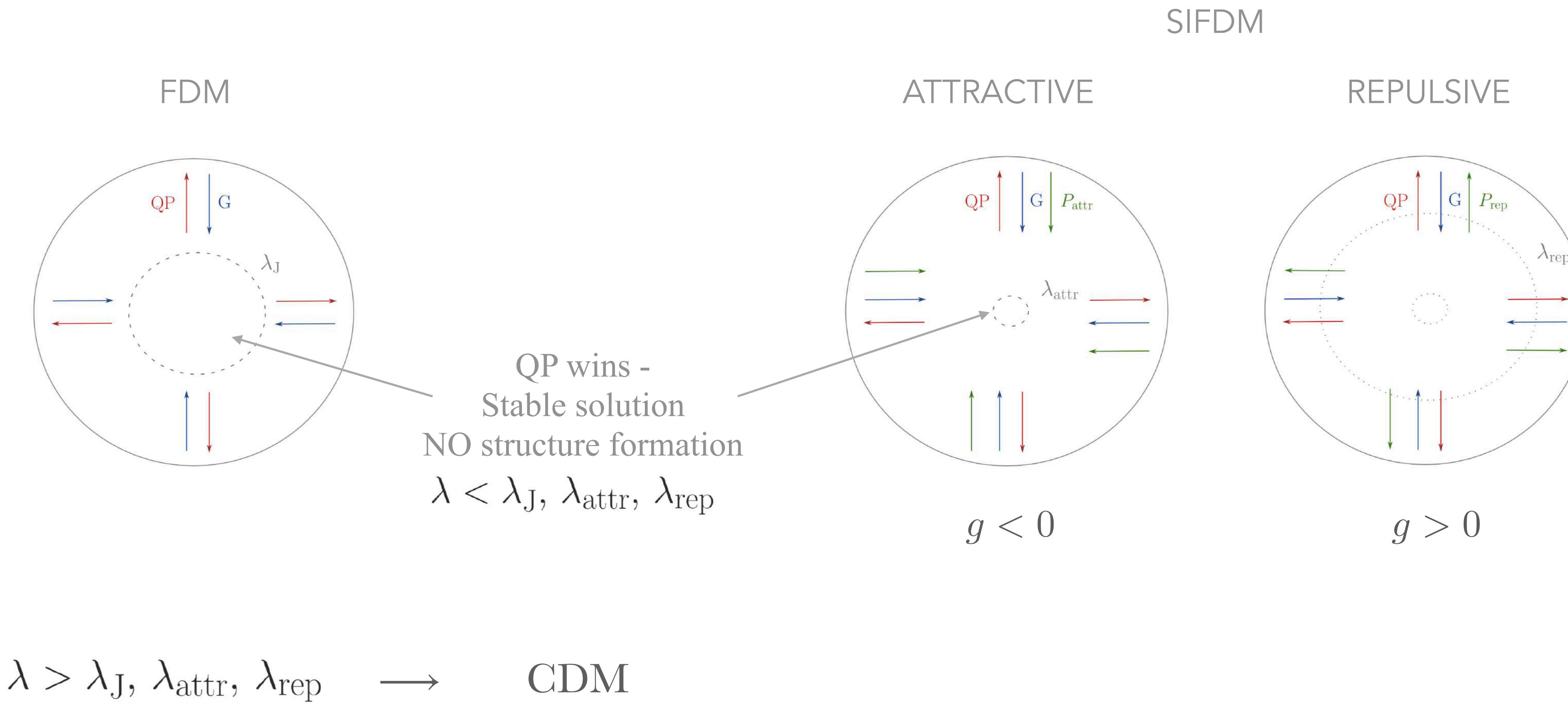
$P_{int} = \frac{g}{2m^2} \rho^2$

Quantum pressure

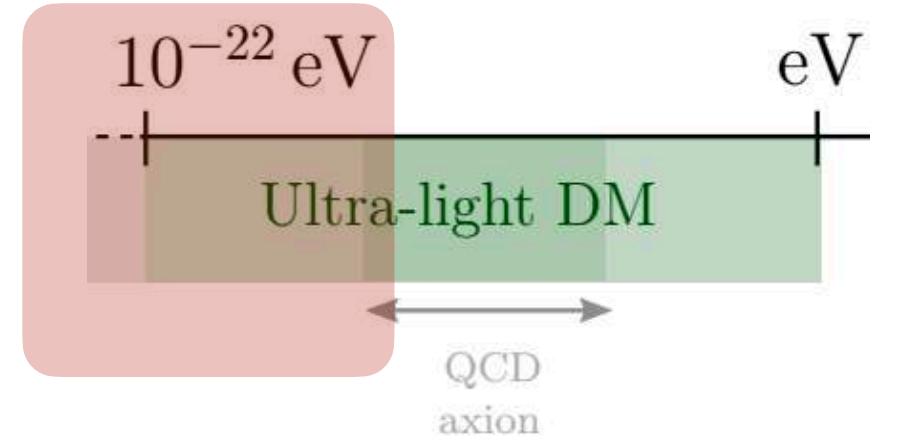
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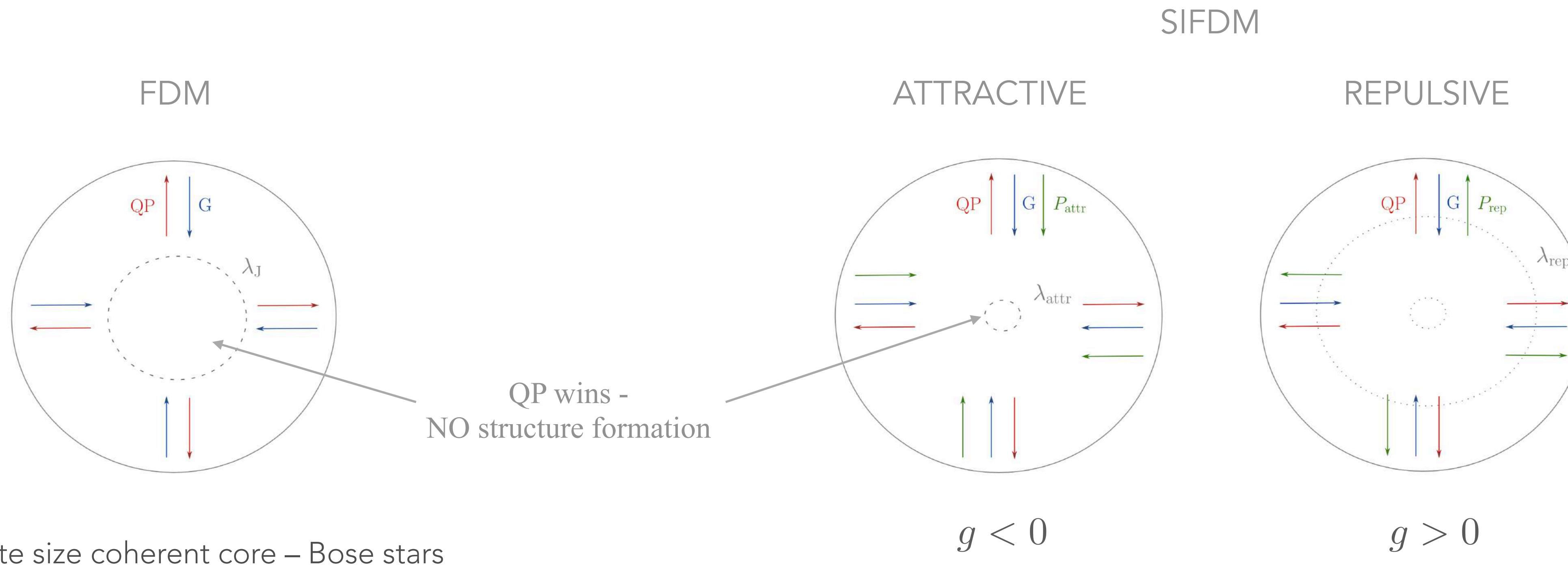
Finite clustering scale - no structure formation on small scales



Structure formation - perturbation and stability



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$$\lambda_J = 55 \left(\frac{m}{10^{-22} \text{ eV}} \right)^{-1/2} \left(\frac{\rho}{\bar{\rho}} \right)^{-1/4} (\Omega_m h)^{-1/4} \text{ kpc}$$

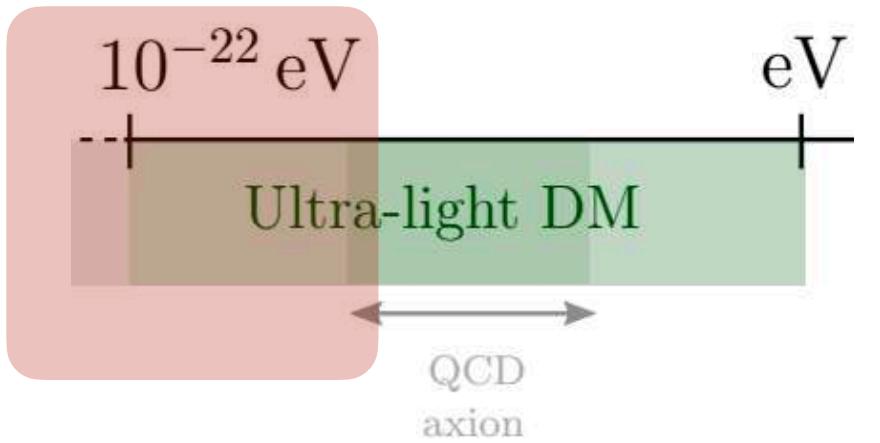
$$m \leq 10^{-20} \text{ eV} \Rightarrow \lambda_{dB} > \mathcal{O}(\text{kpc})$$

Galactic scales

For **attractive** interactions can only form **localized clumps** (solitons)

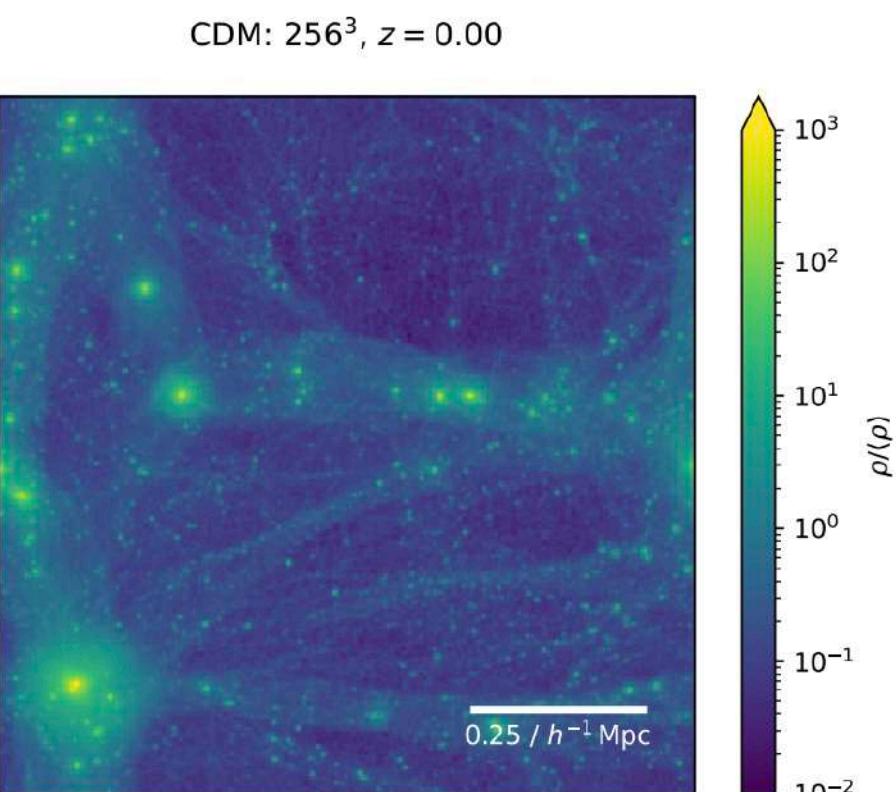
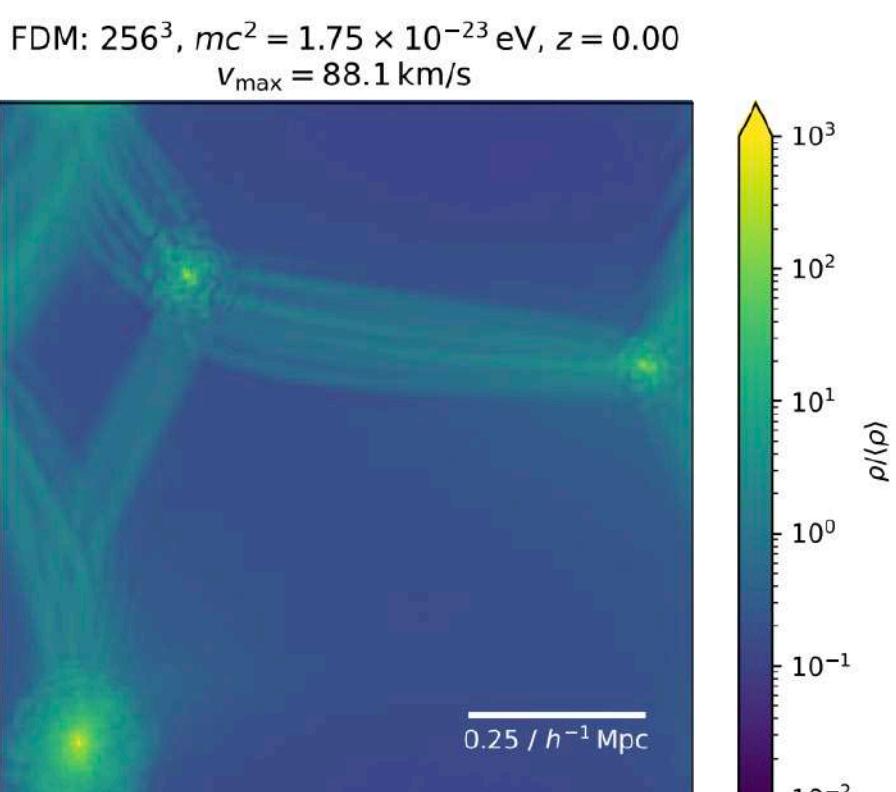
QCD axion: $m \sim 10^{-5} \text{ eV}$ $\lambda_a \sim -10^{-48}$ $\rightarrow l_{soliton} \sim 10^{-5} \text{ kpc}$

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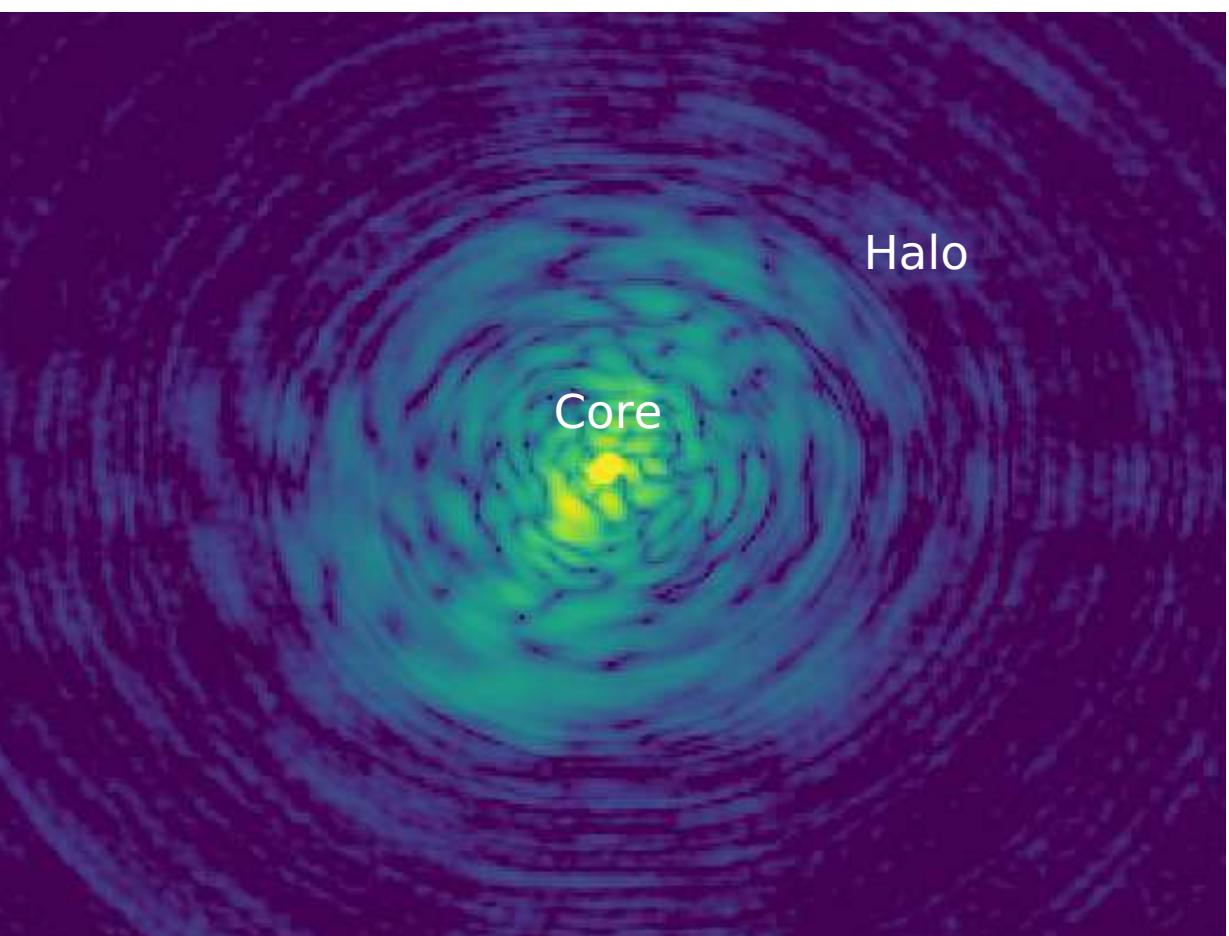
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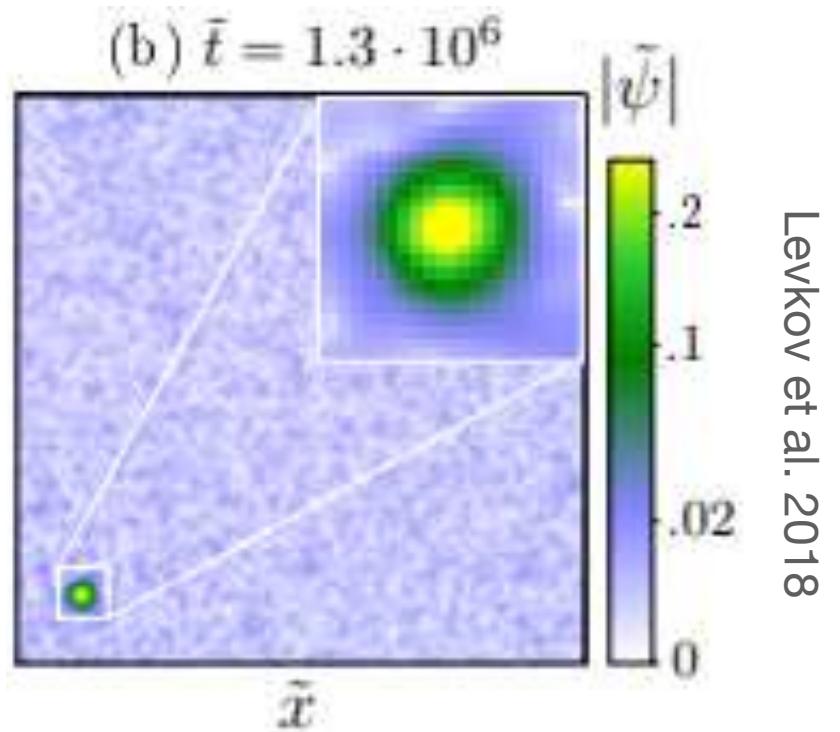


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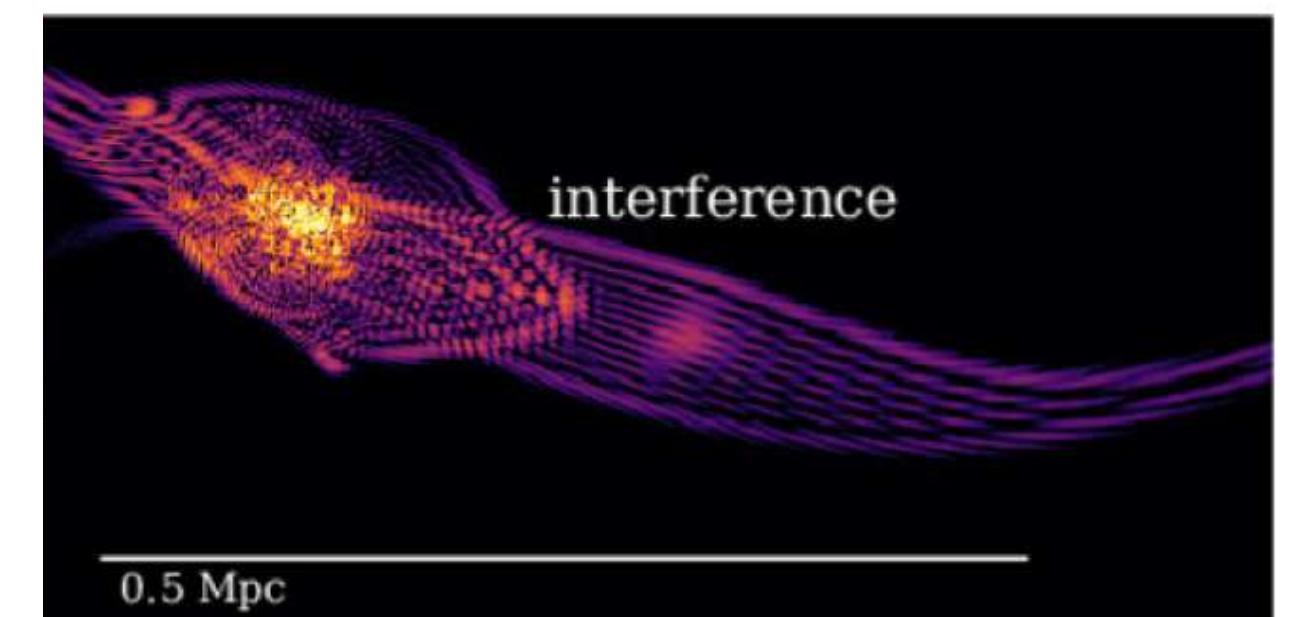
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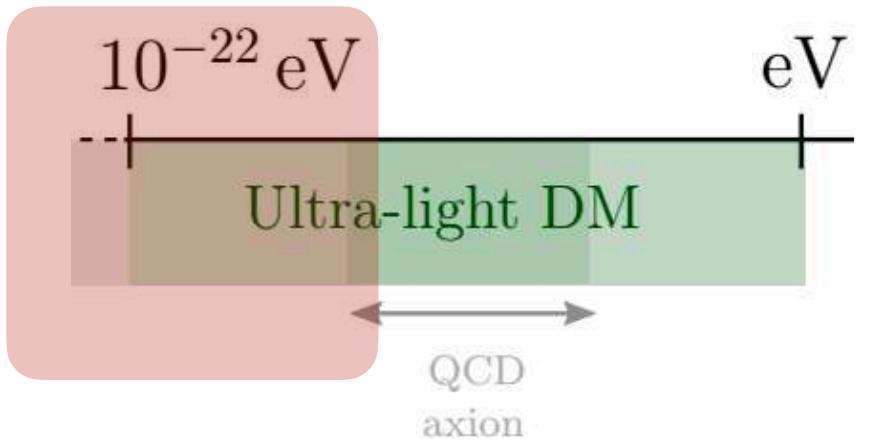


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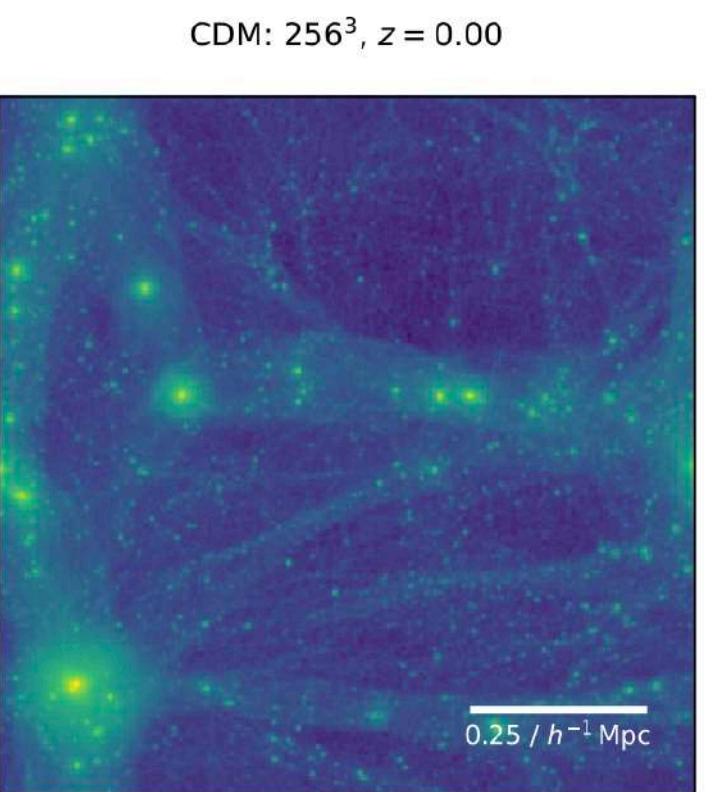
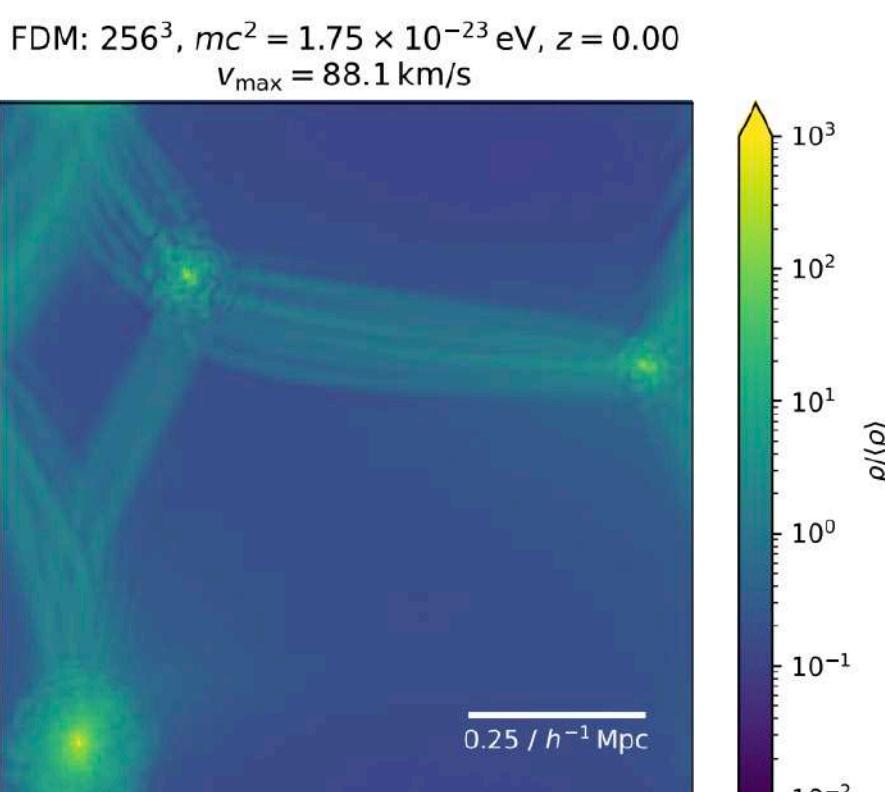
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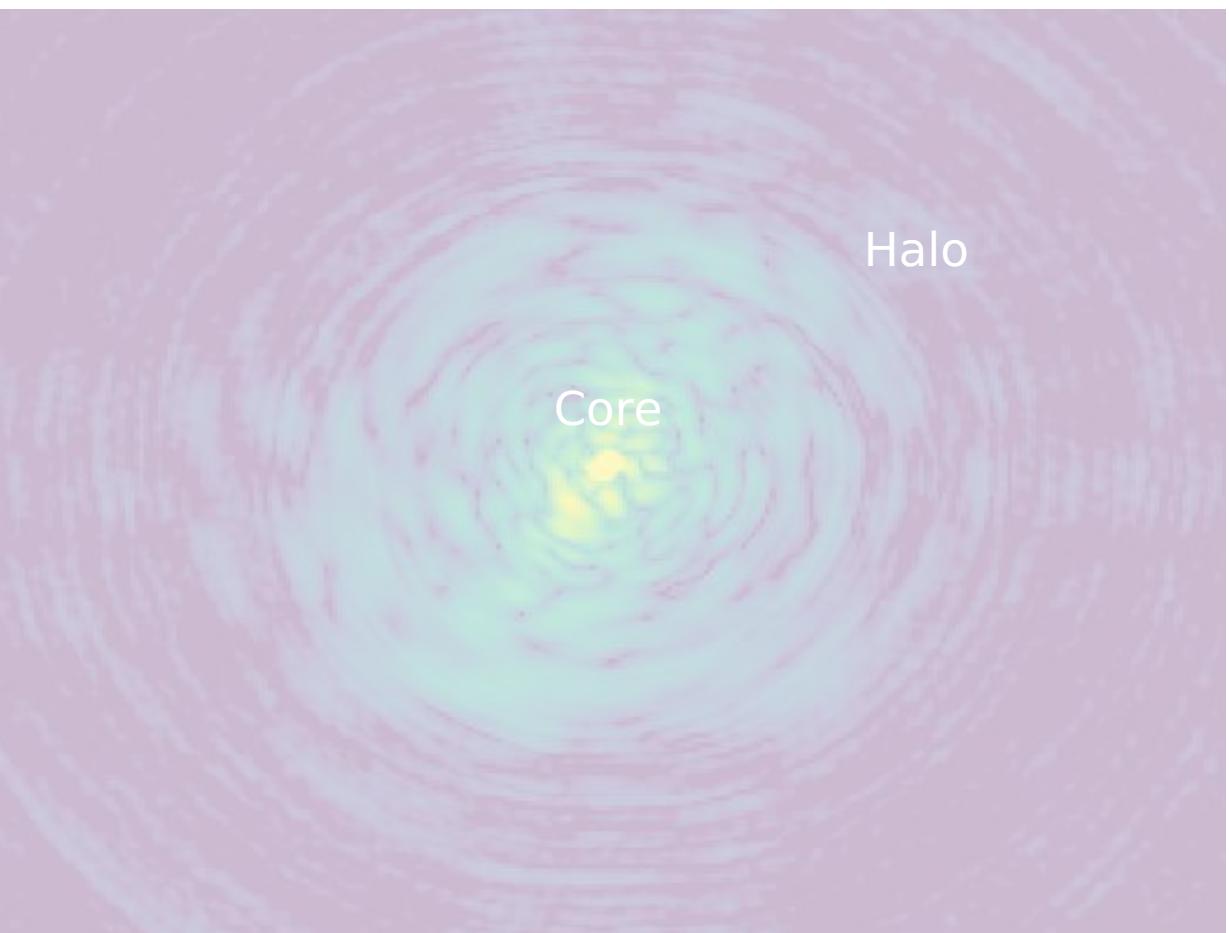
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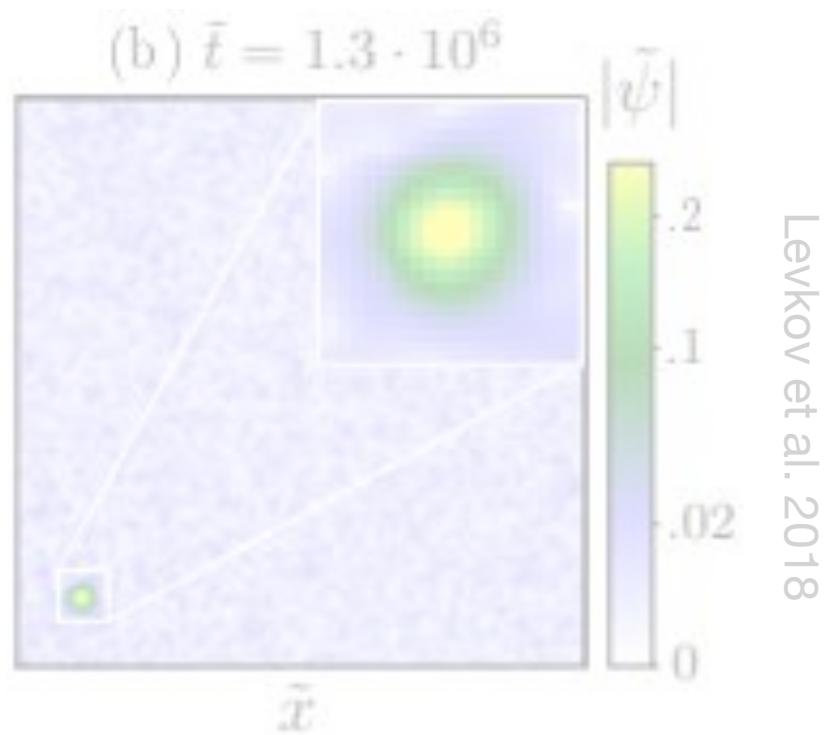


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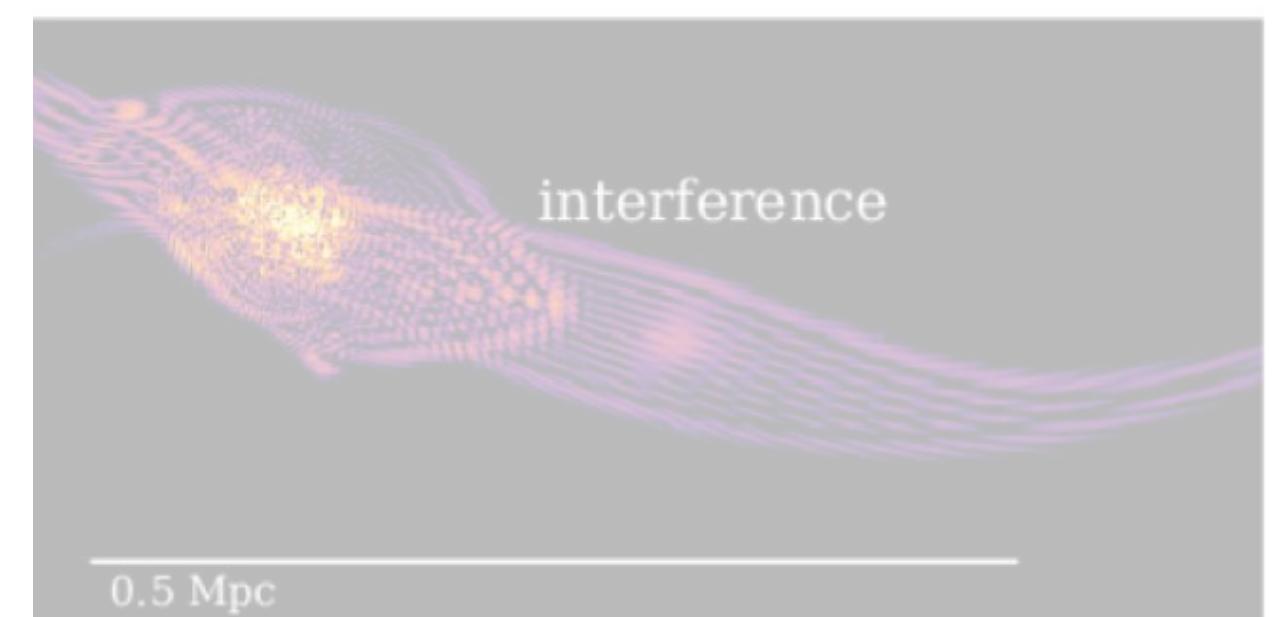
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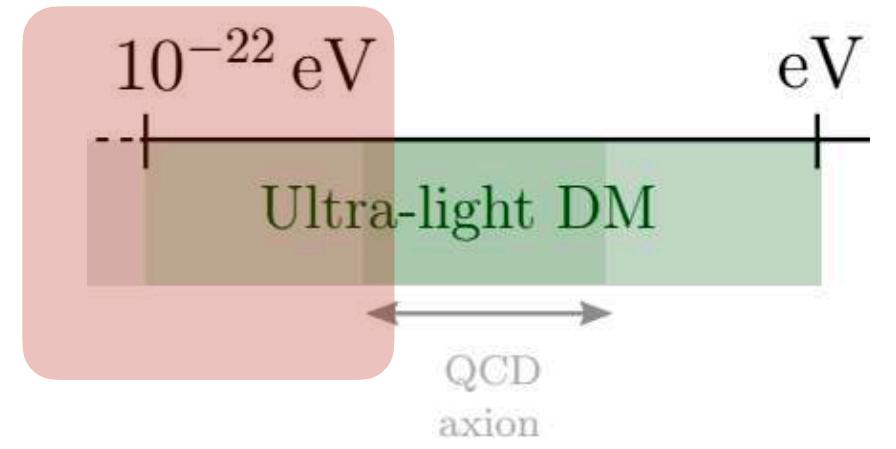
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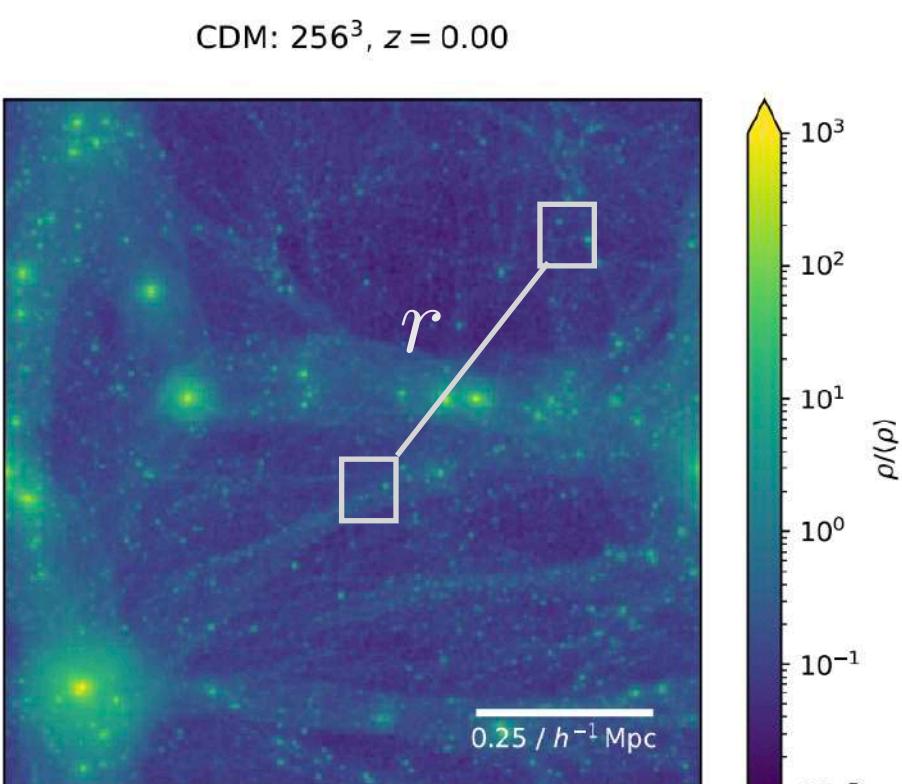
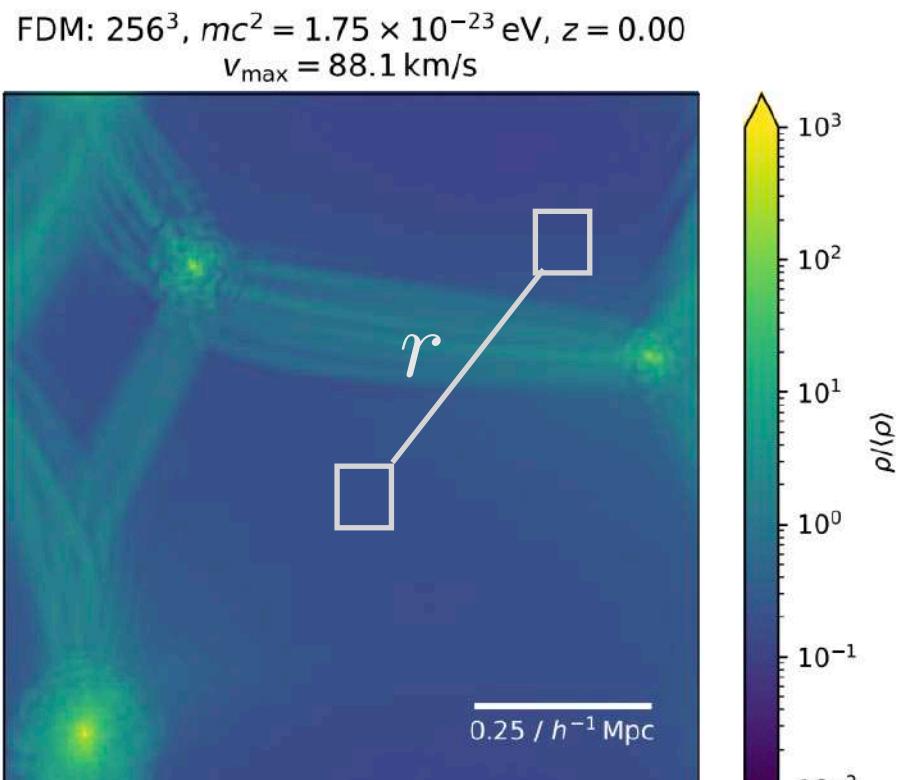
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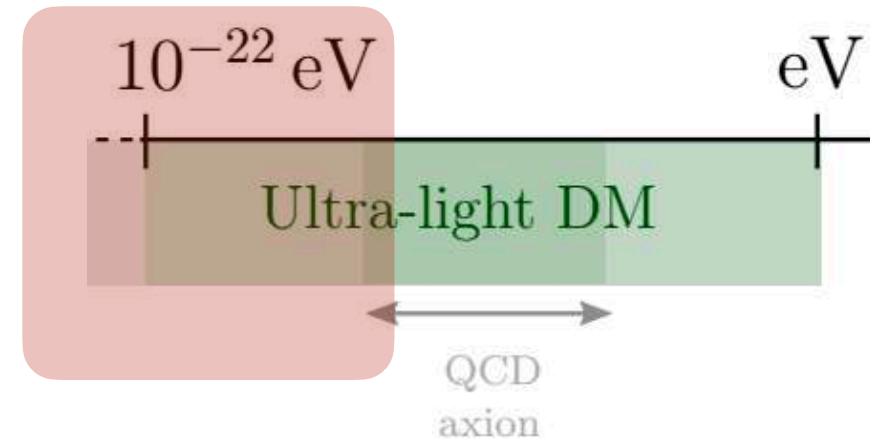


No small scale structure



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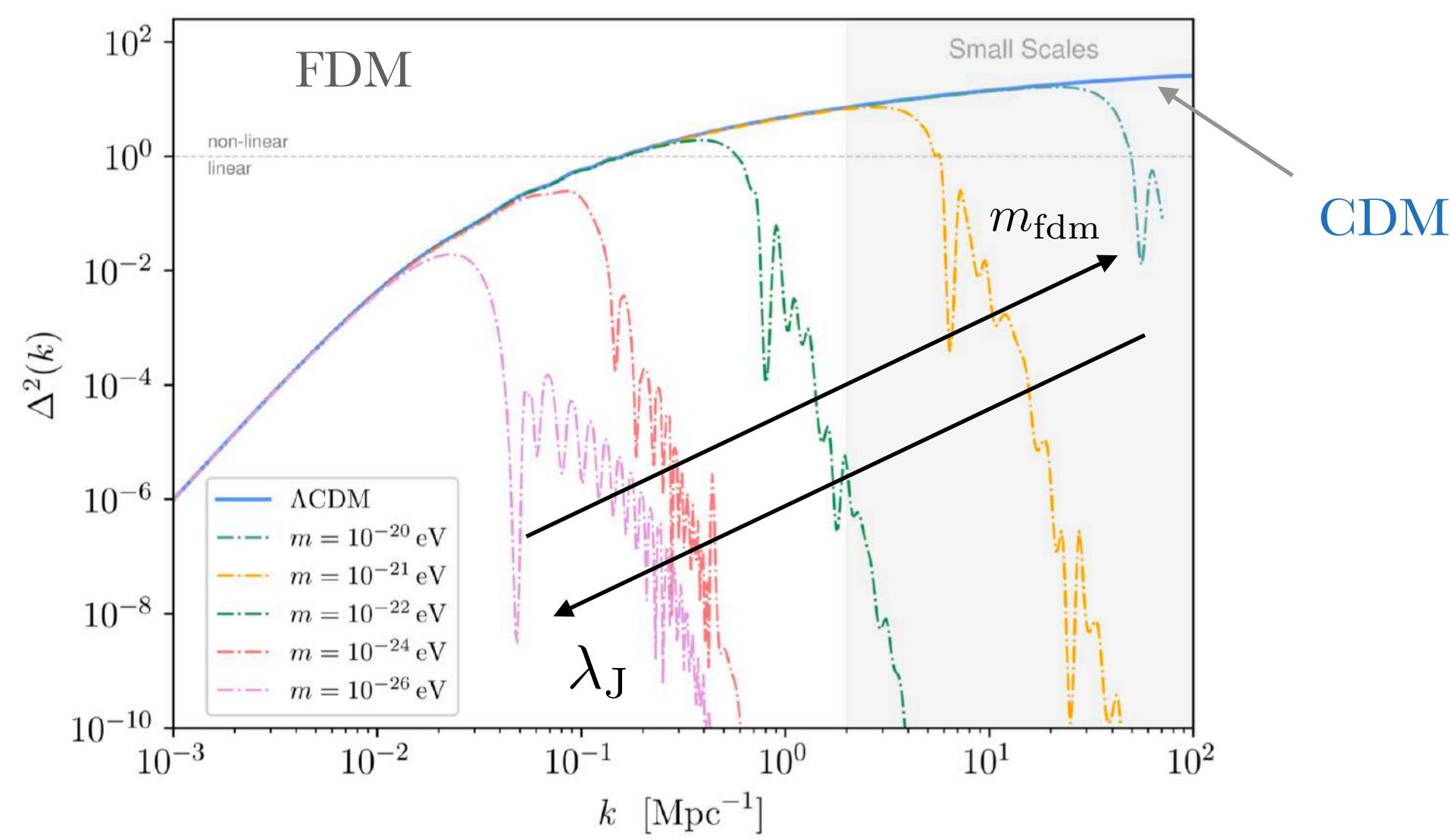


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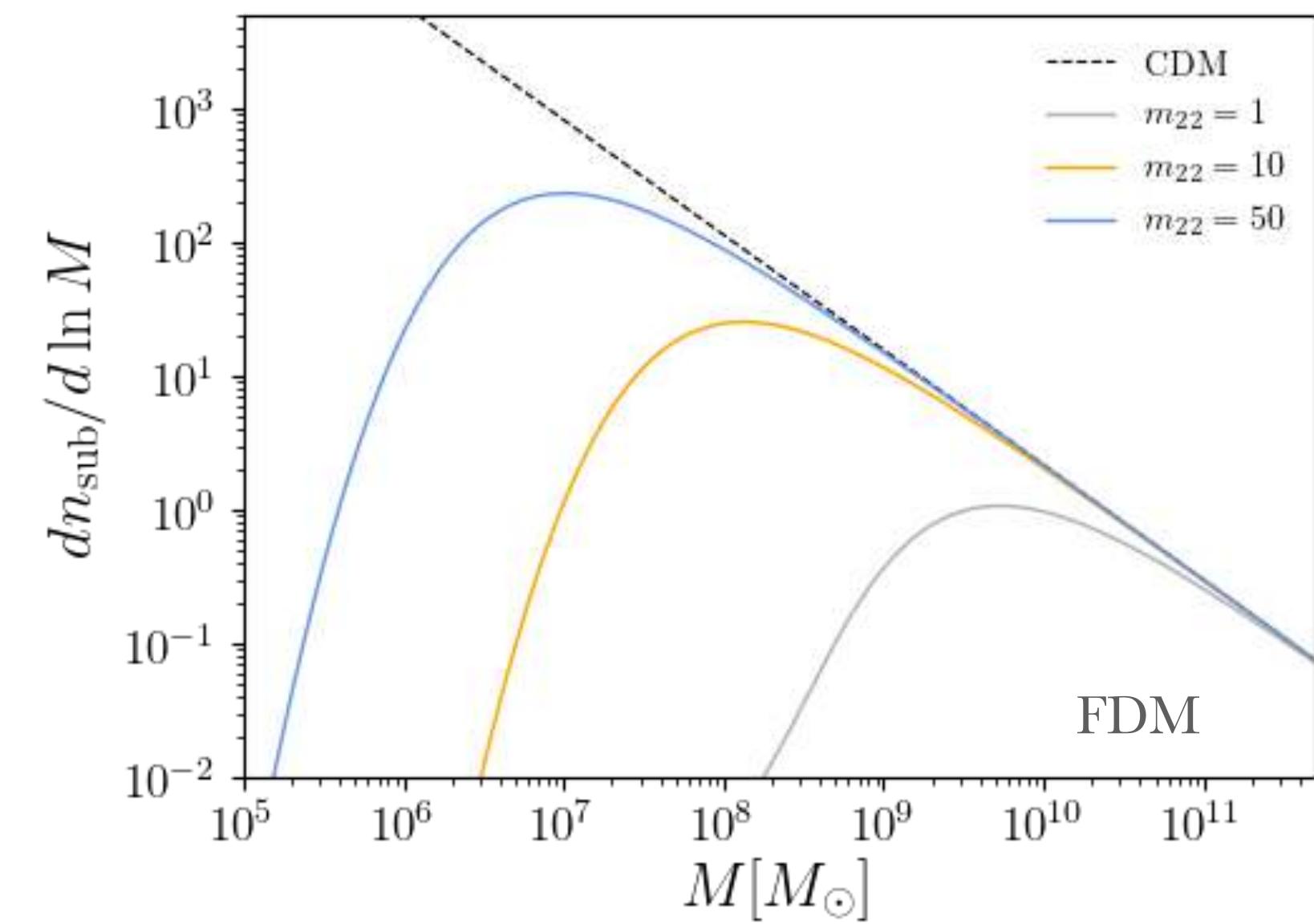


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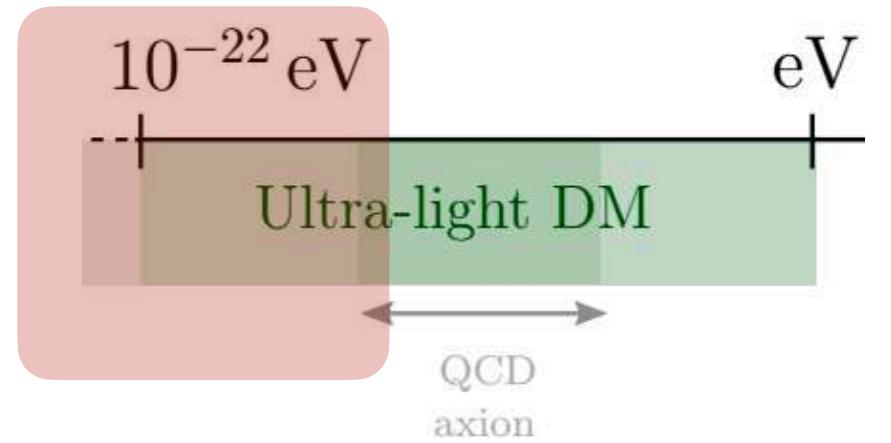


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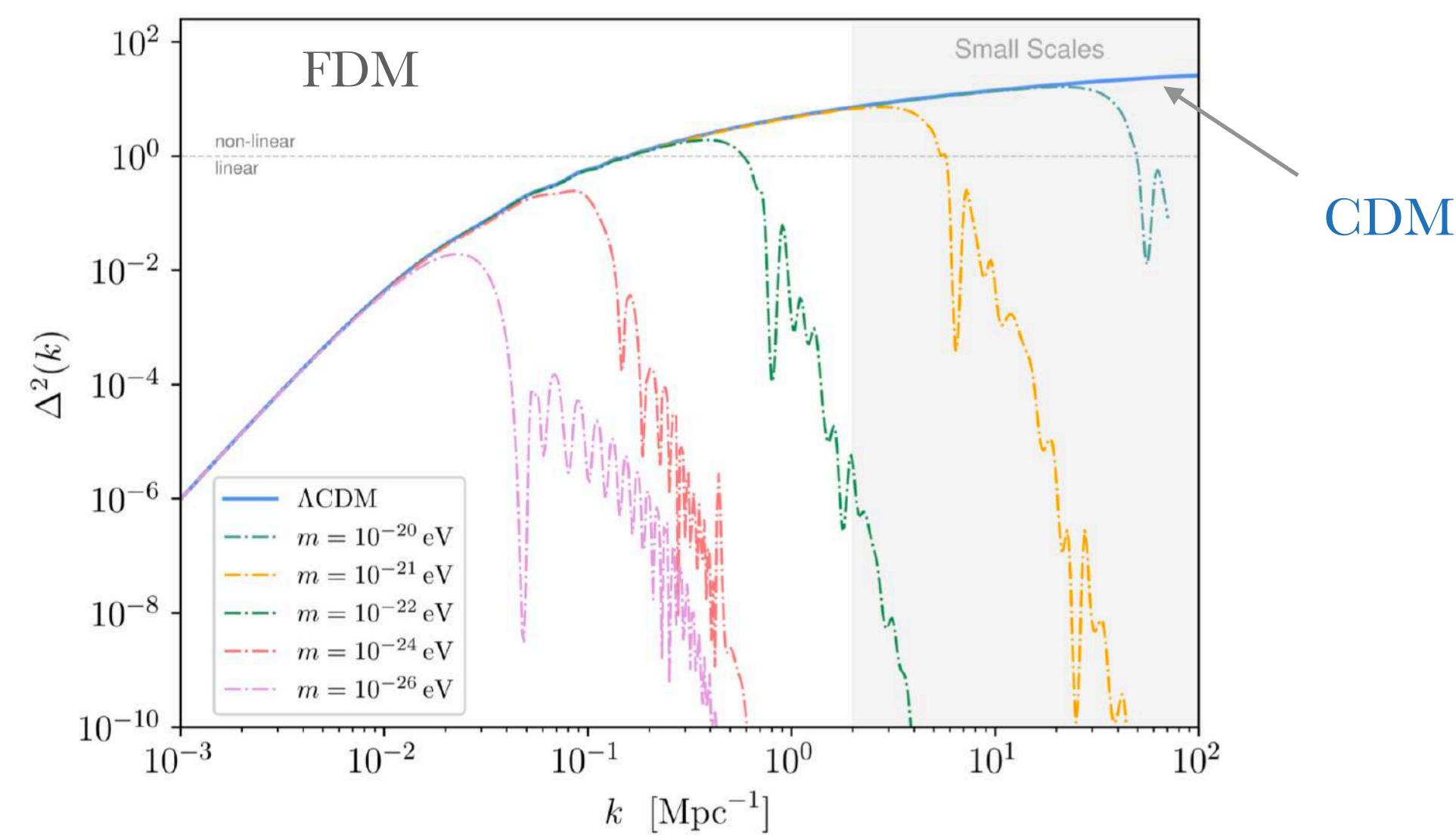


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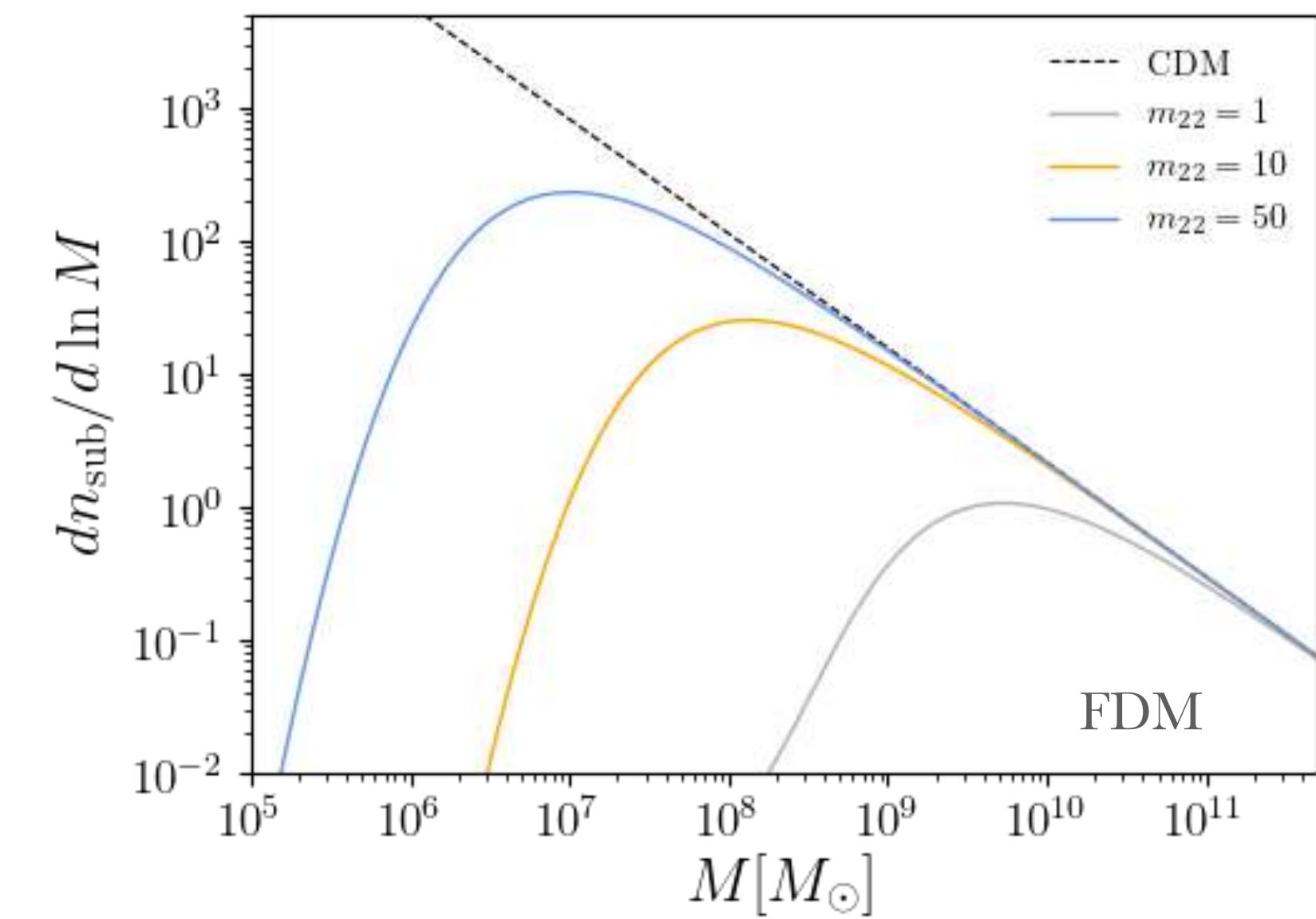


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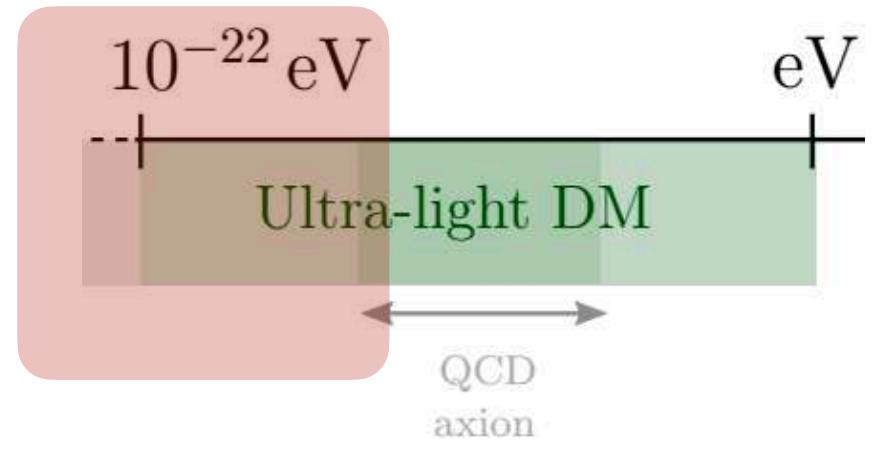
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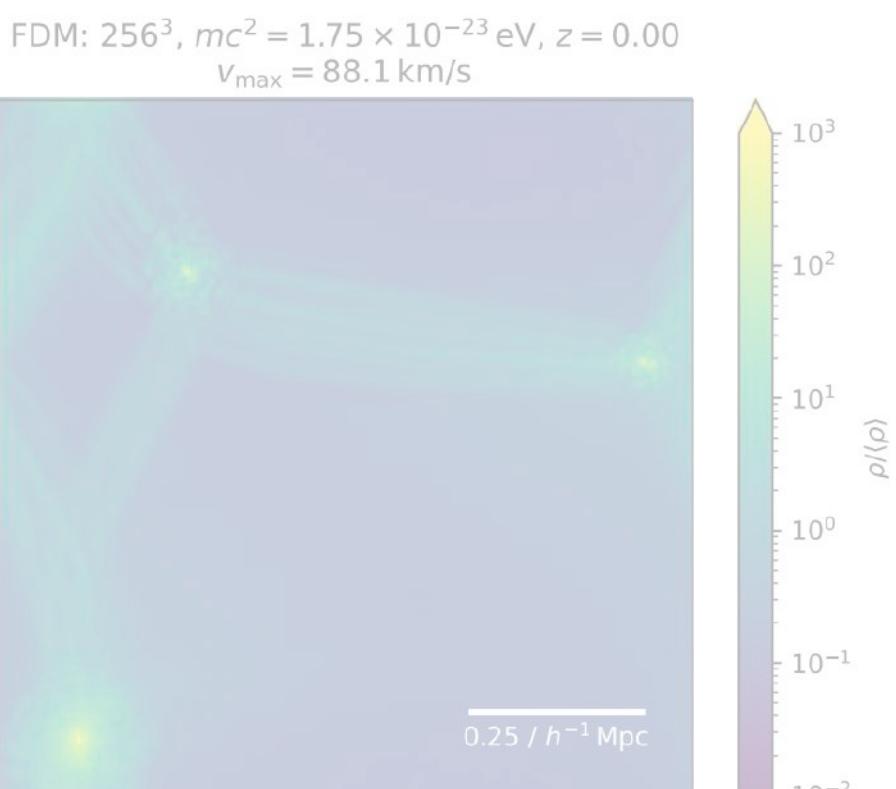
Ongoing: Modifying Boltzmann codes (*CLASS*) for the SIFDM case.

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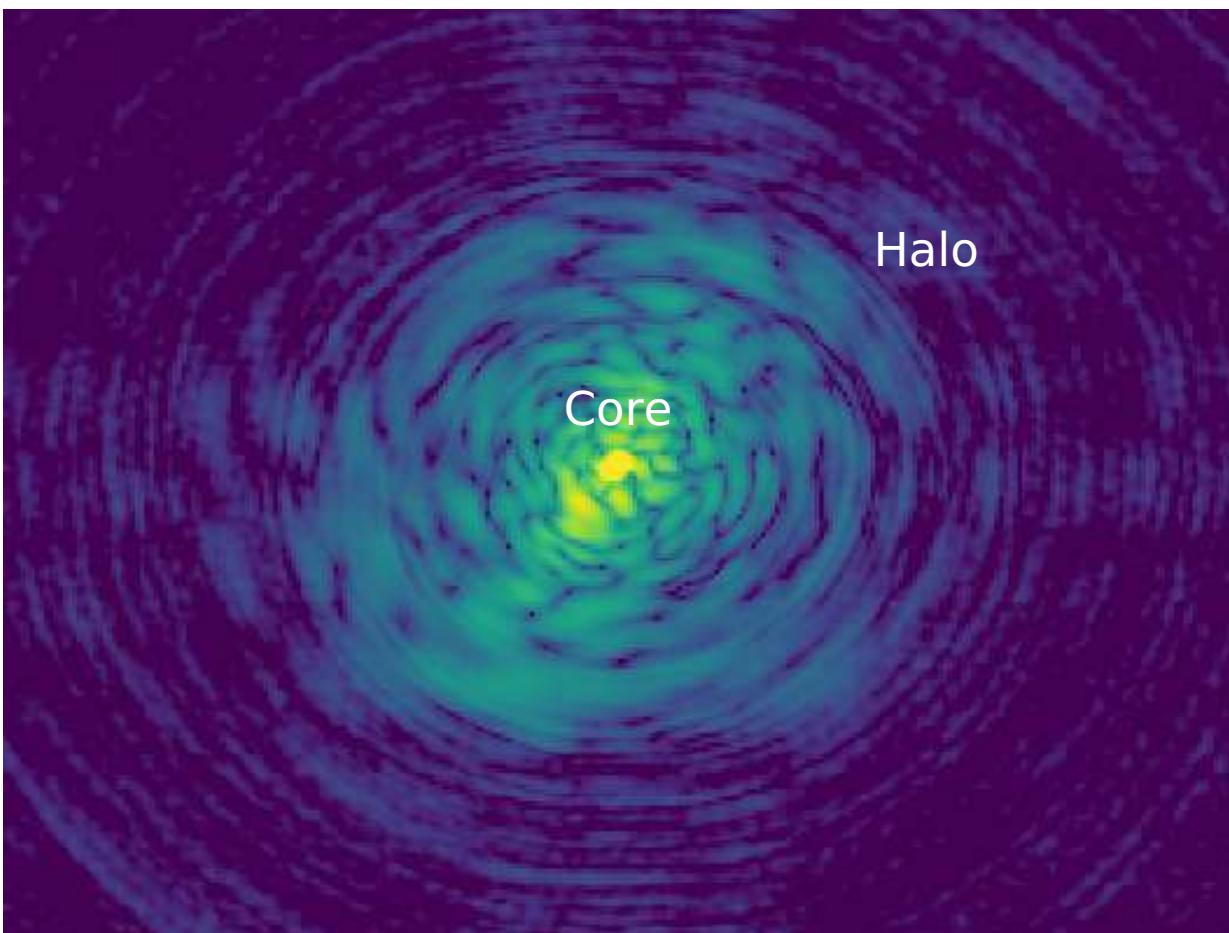


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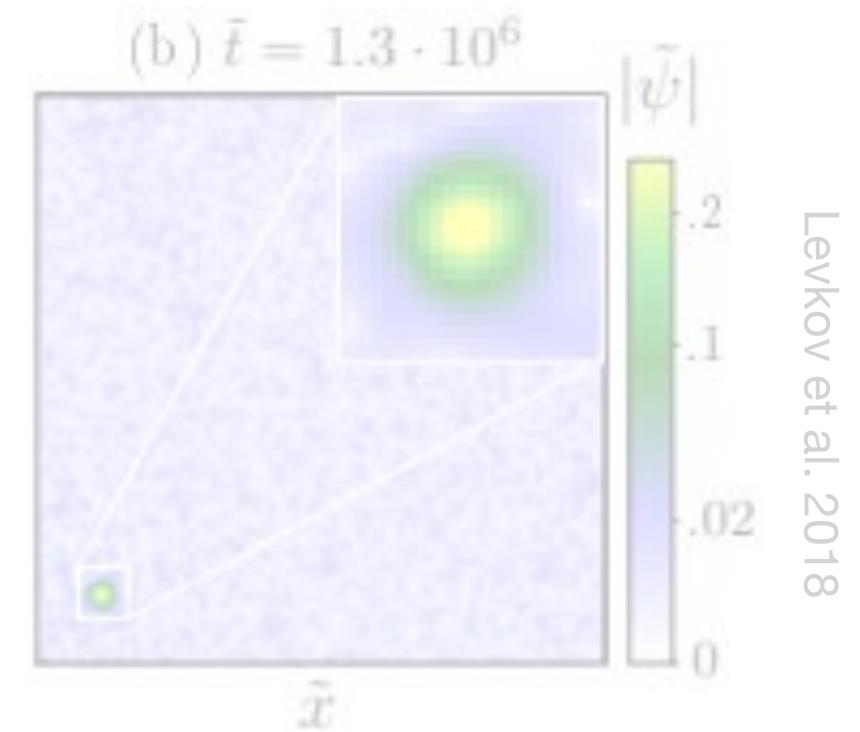


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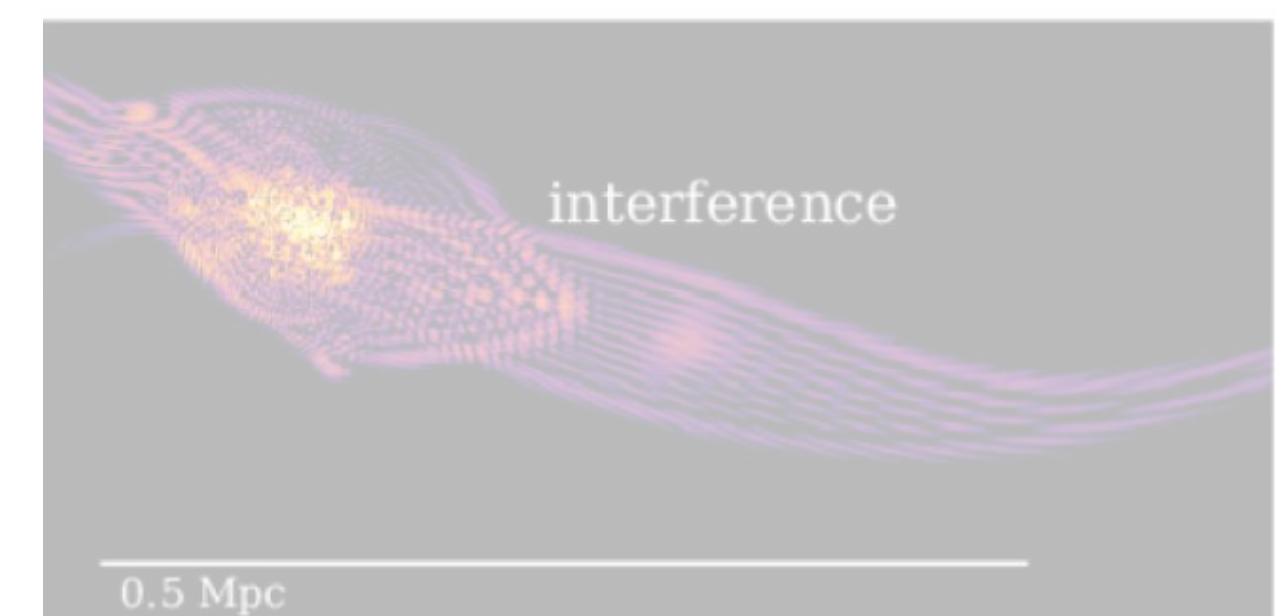
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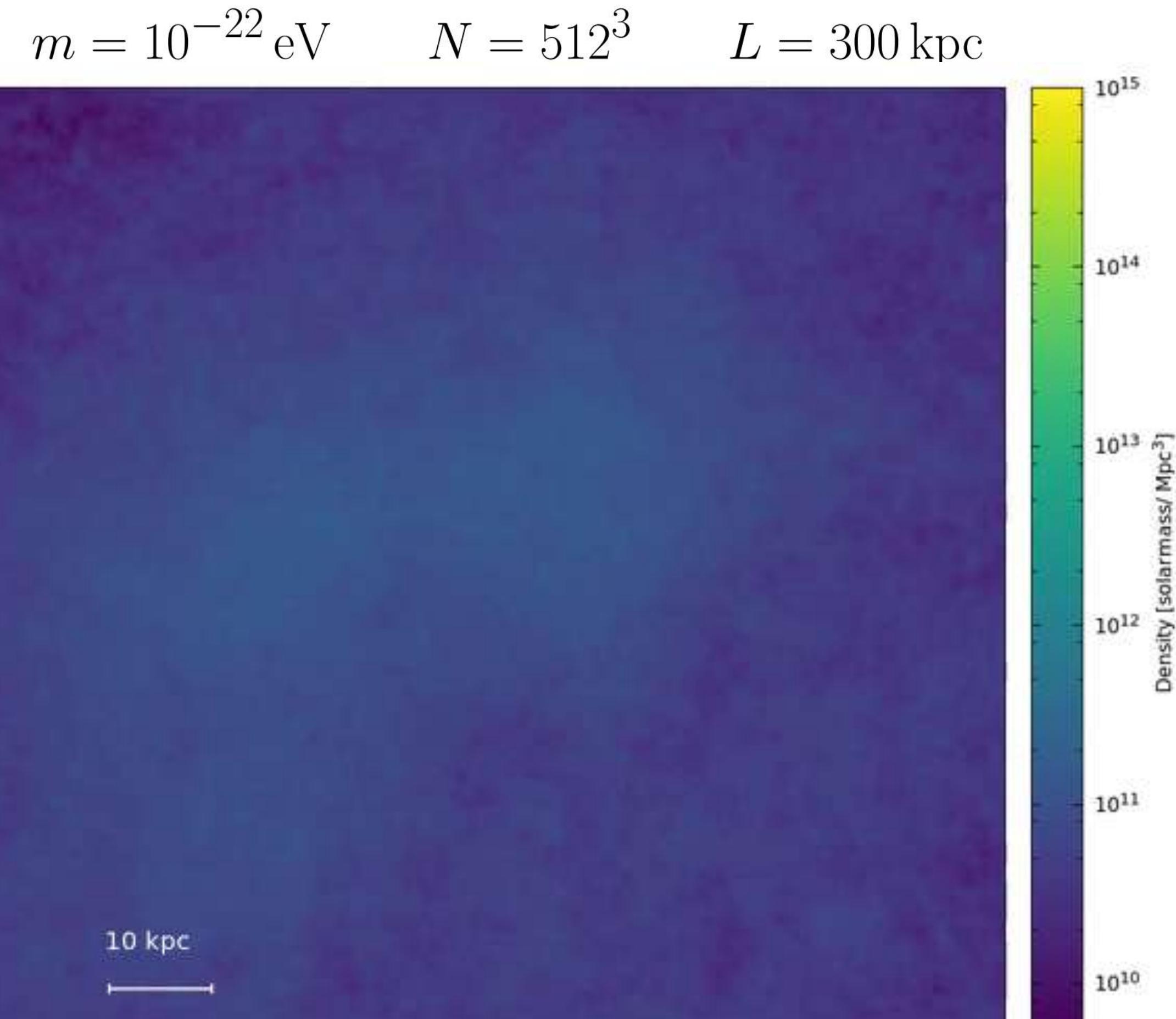


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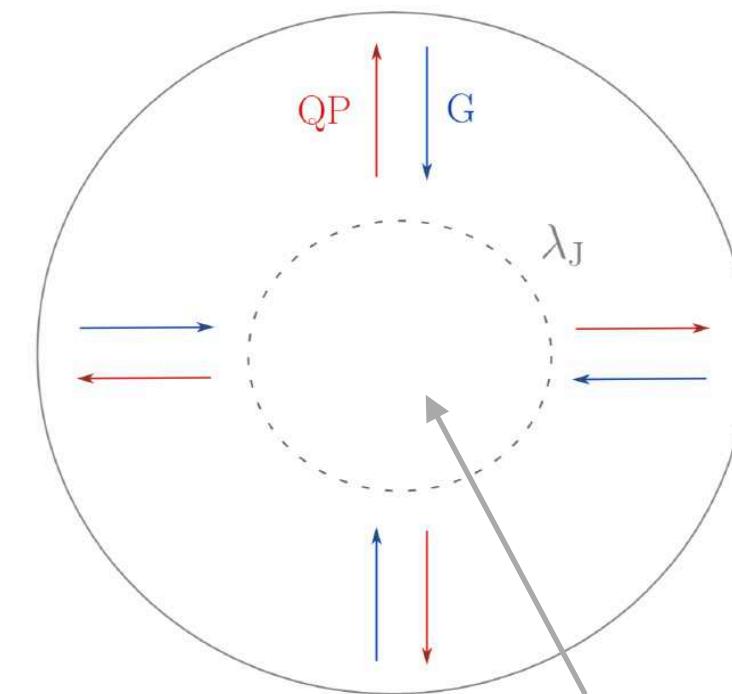
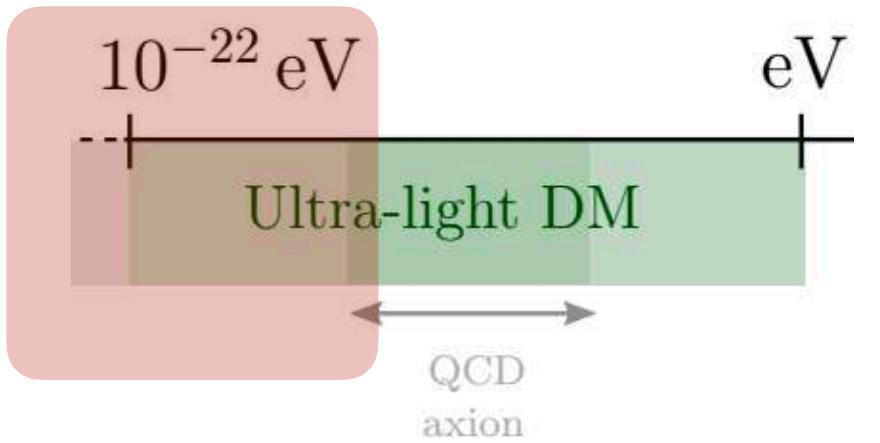
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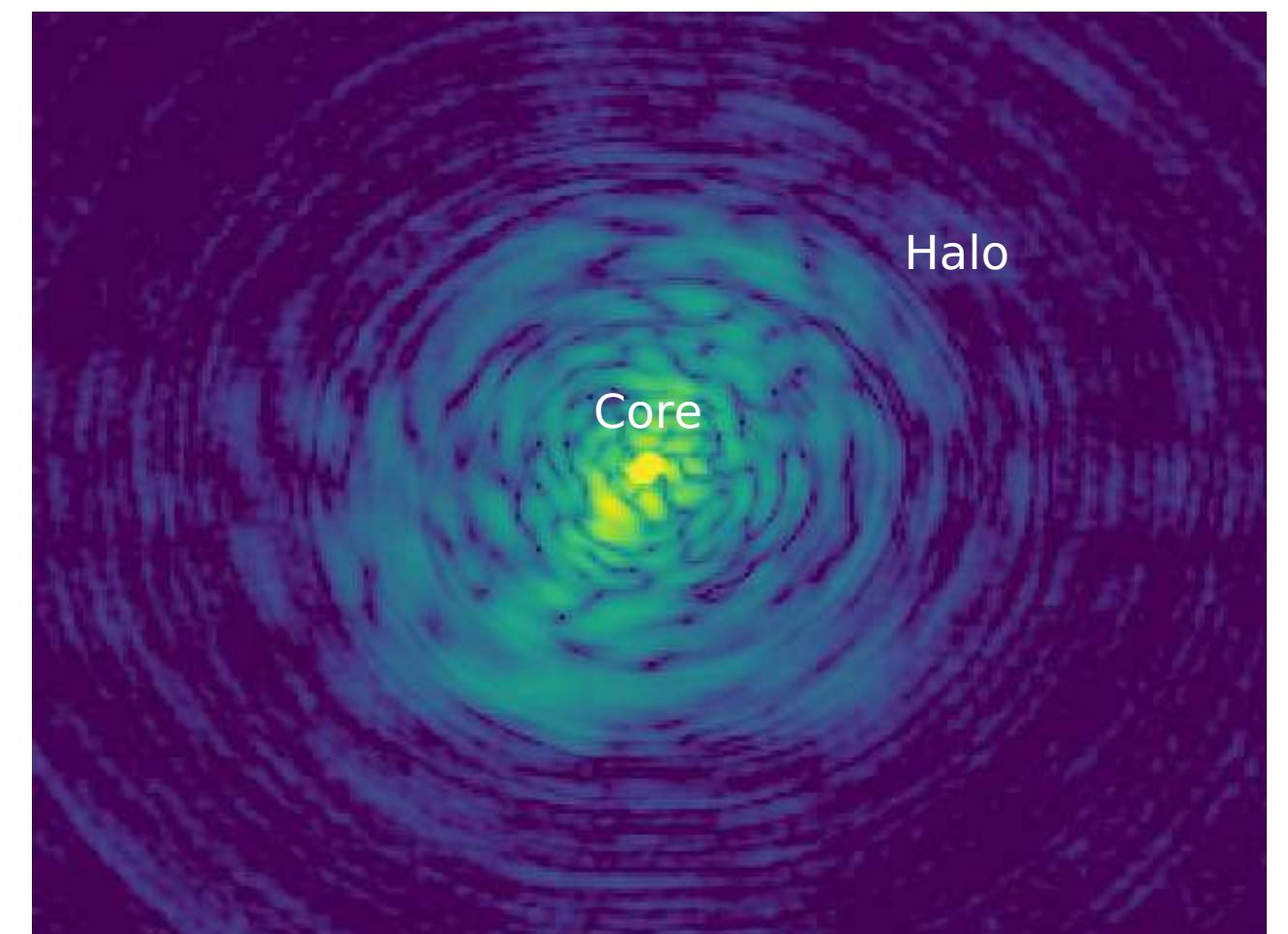
NON-LINEAR
evolution: need
simulations



Simulation by Jowett Chan

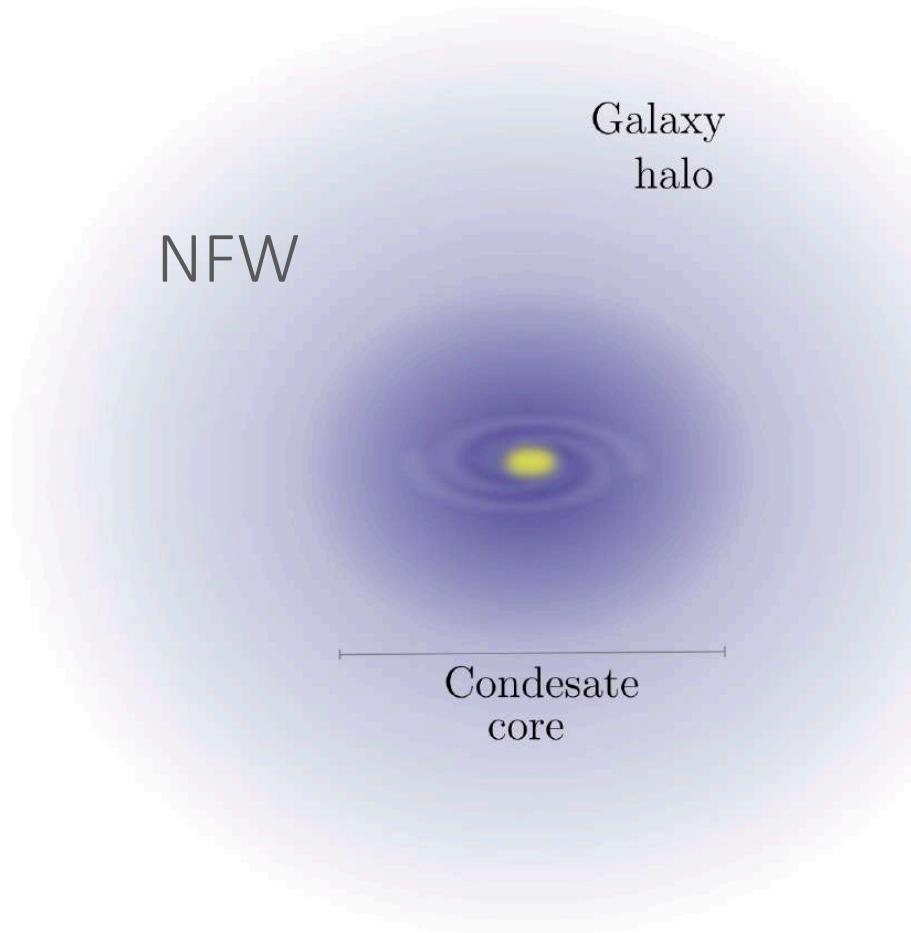


NO structure formation
Stable, oscillating solution

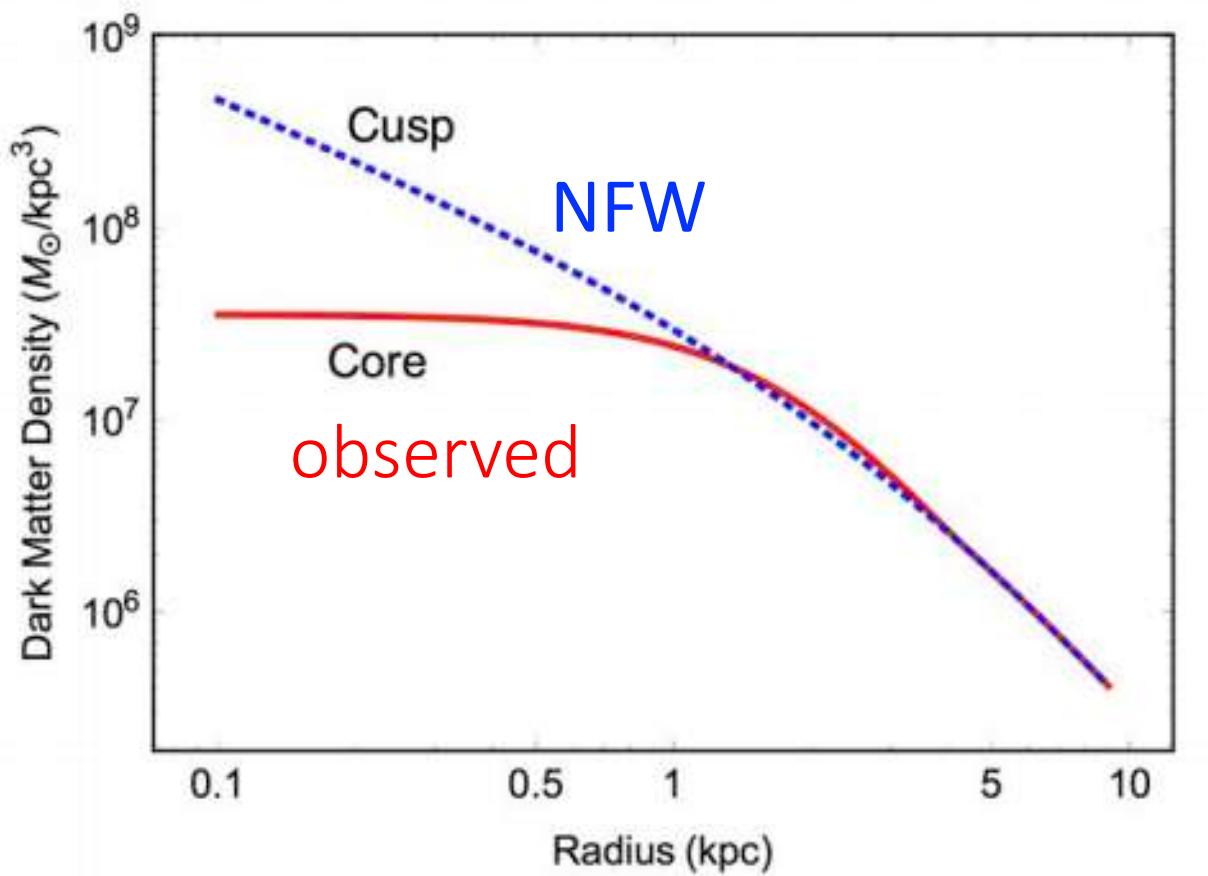
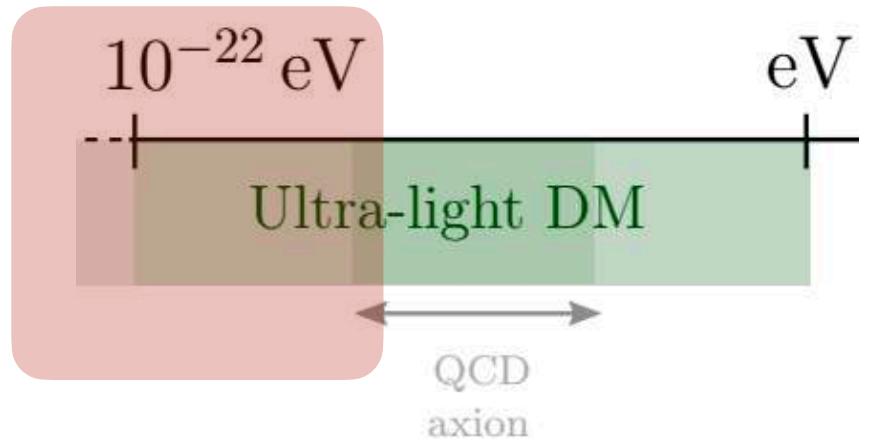


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Formation of cores



$$\rho(r) \simeq \begin{cases} \rho_c & \text{for } r \leq r_c \\ \rho_{\text{NFW}} & \text{for } r \geq r_c \end{cases}$$



FDM

From simulations Schive et al. 2014, fitting function:

$$\rho_c \simeq \frac{1.9 \times 10^{-2}}{[1 + 0.091(r/R_{1/2,c})^2]^8} \left(\frac{m}{10^{-22} \text{ eV}}\right)^{-2} \left(\frac{r_c}{\text{kpc}}\right)^{-4} M_\odot \text{ pc}^{-3},$$

$$r_c \simeq 0.16 \left(\frac{m}{10^{-22} \text{ eV}}\right)^{-1} \left(\frac{M}{10^{12} M_\odot}\right)^{-1/3} \text{ kpc}.$$

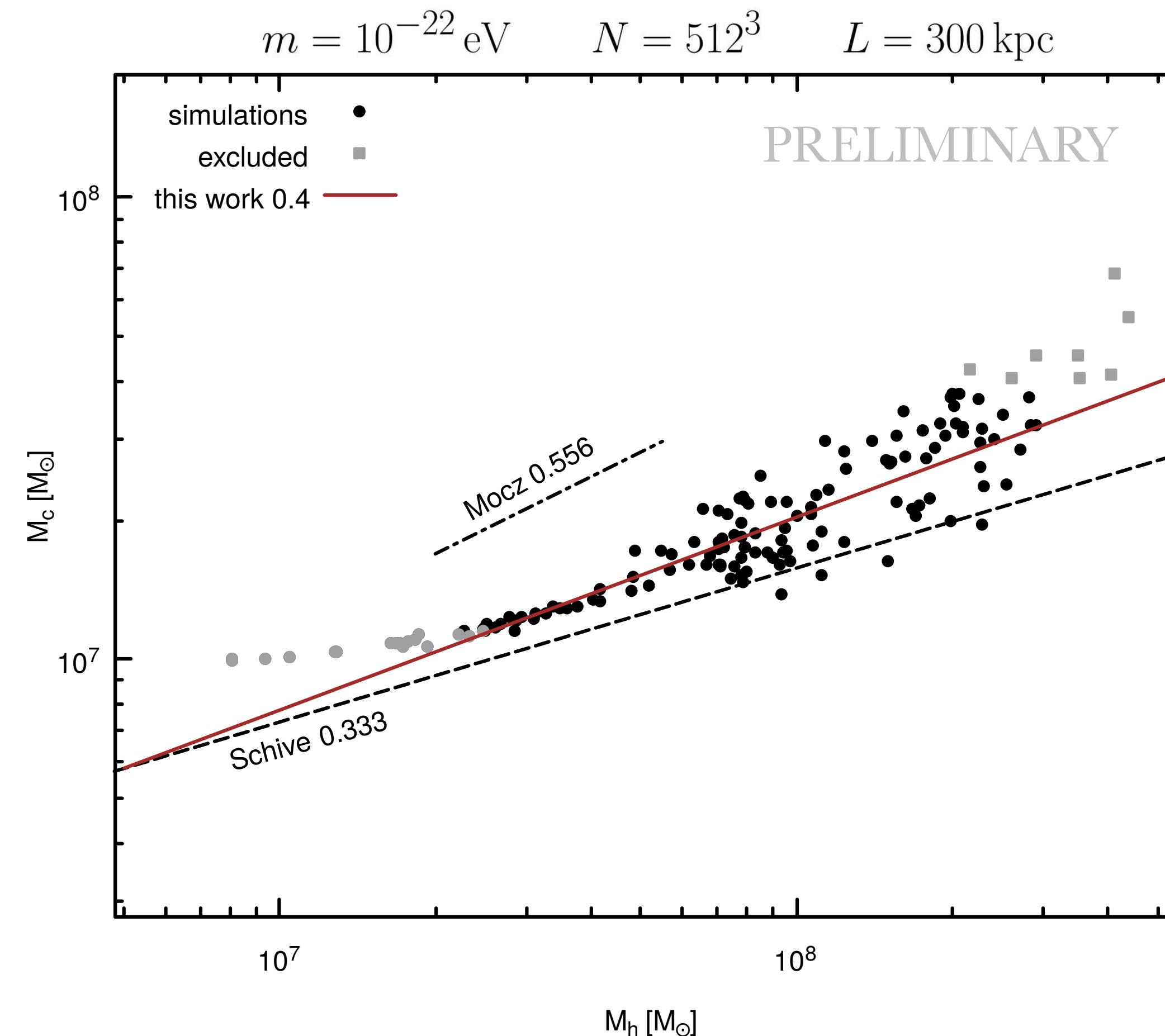
Relations used to compare with observations

Ongoing: Core - halo relation

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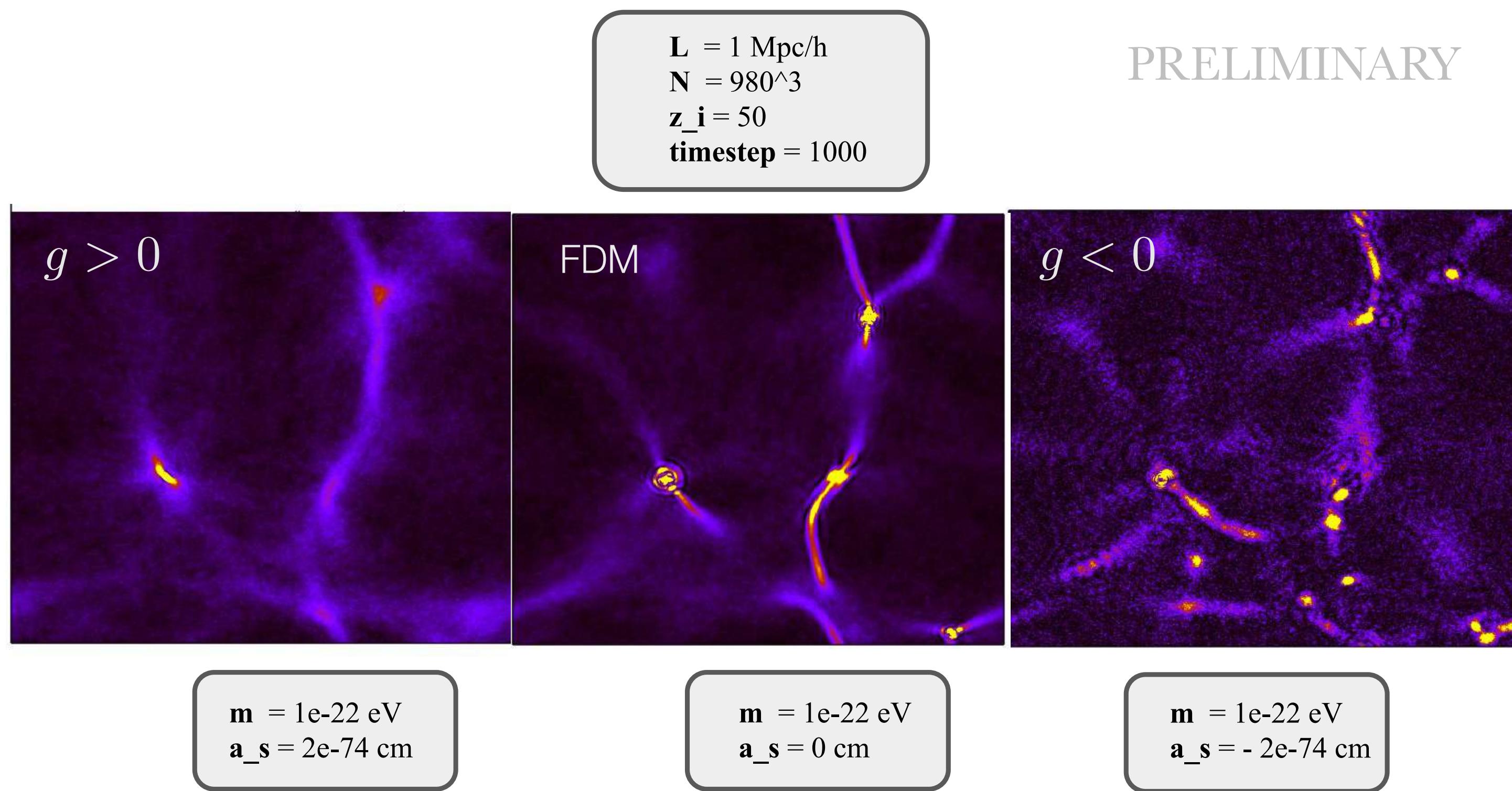
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SIFDM can present very different phenomenology - very few simulations of this class

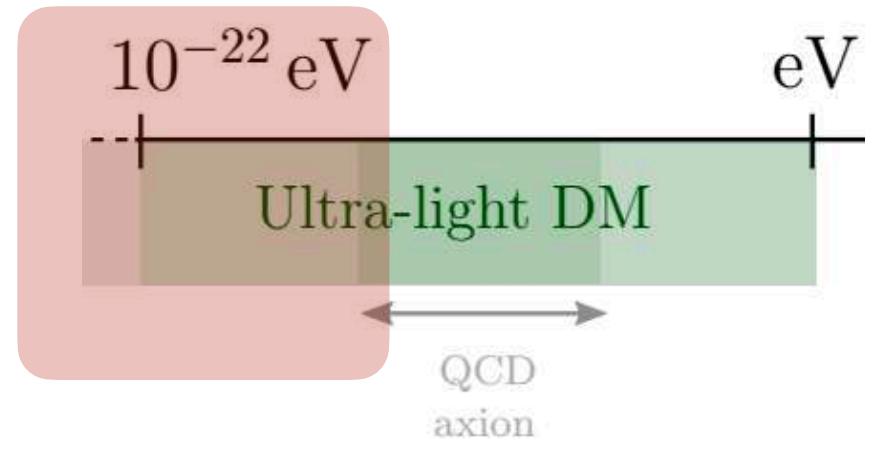
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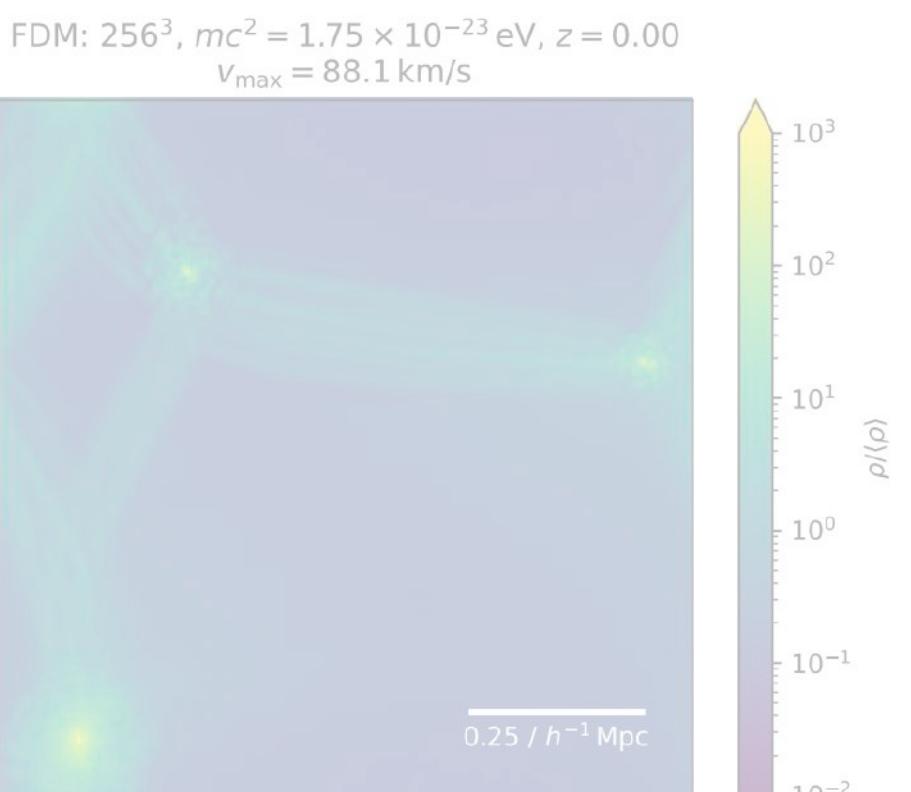
Other simulations with SIFDM: Amin et al. 2019,
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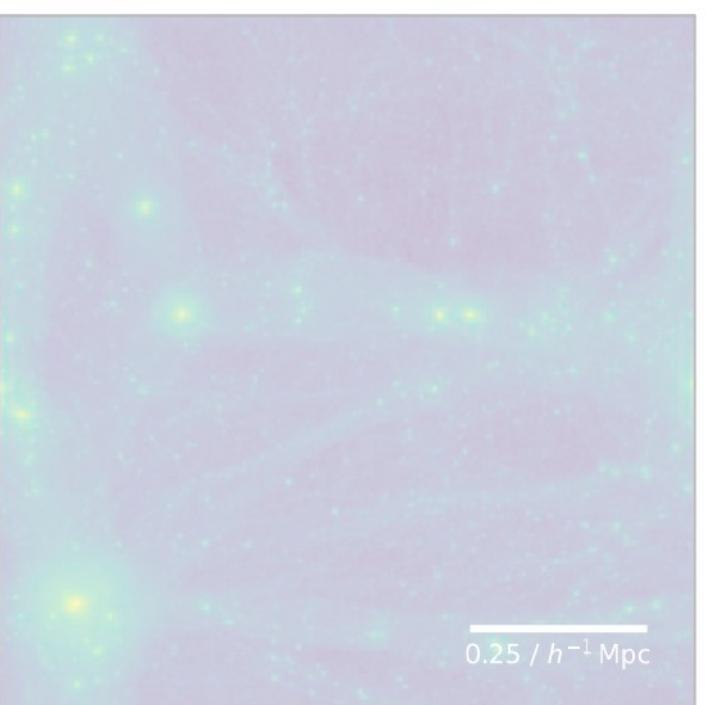
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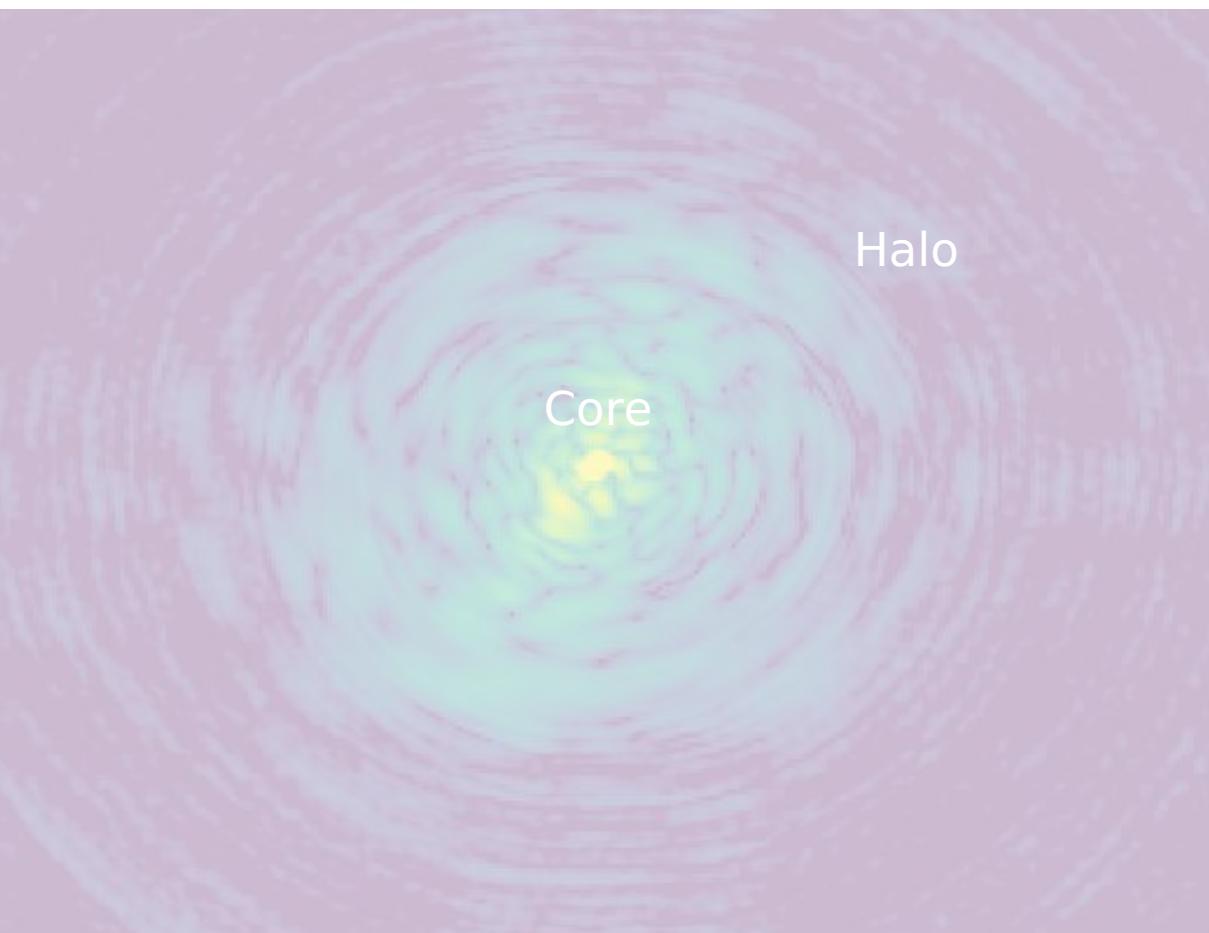


CDM: 256^3 , $z = 0.00$

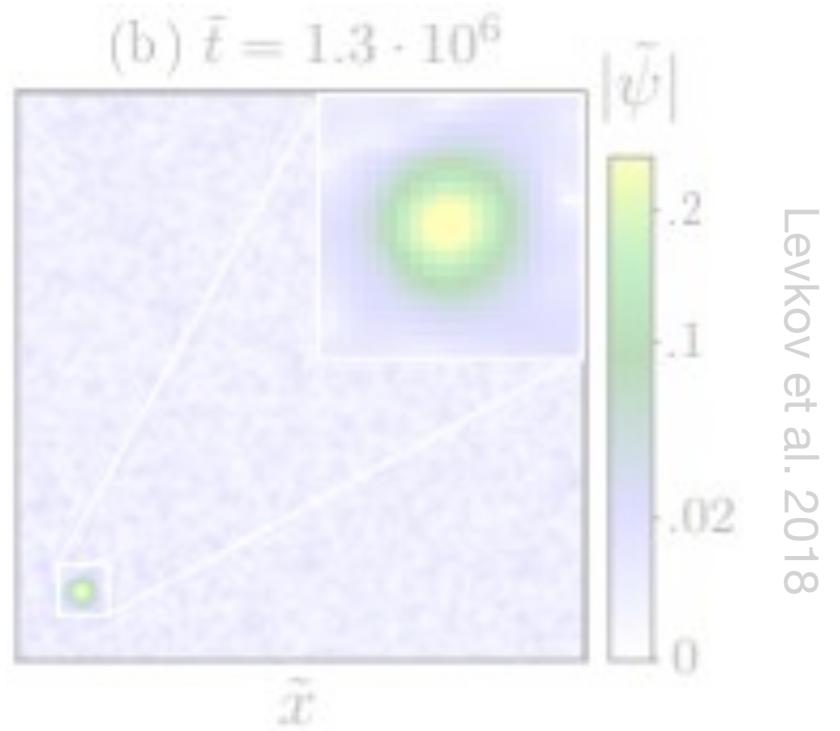


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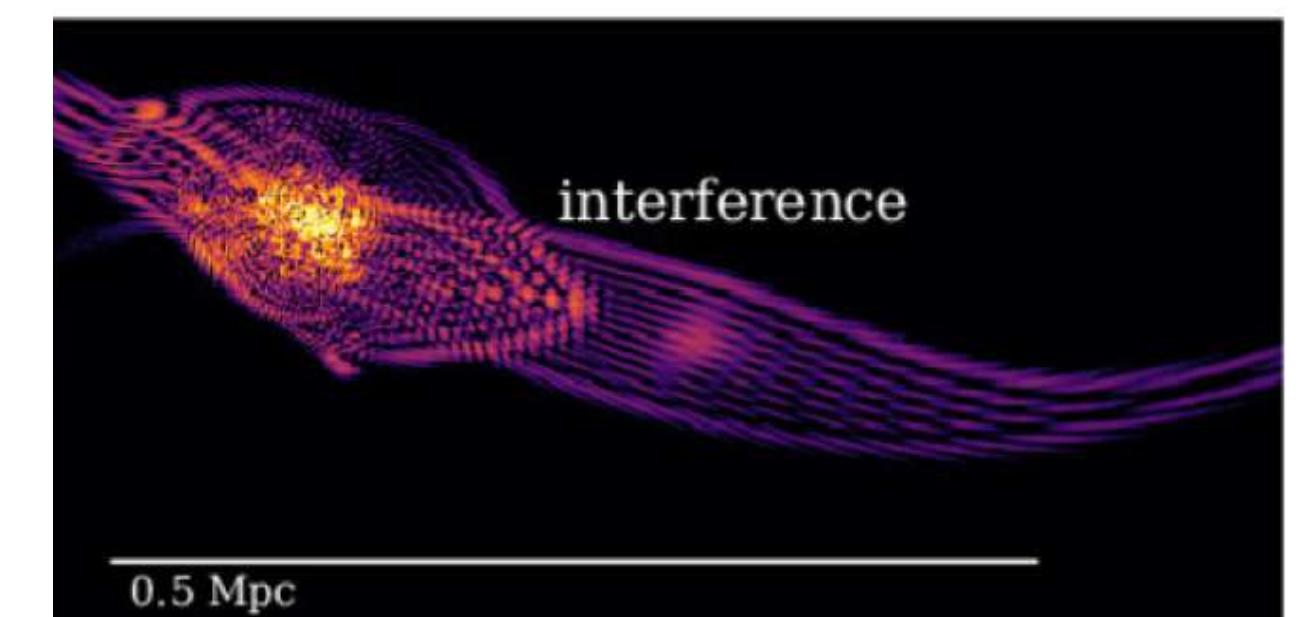
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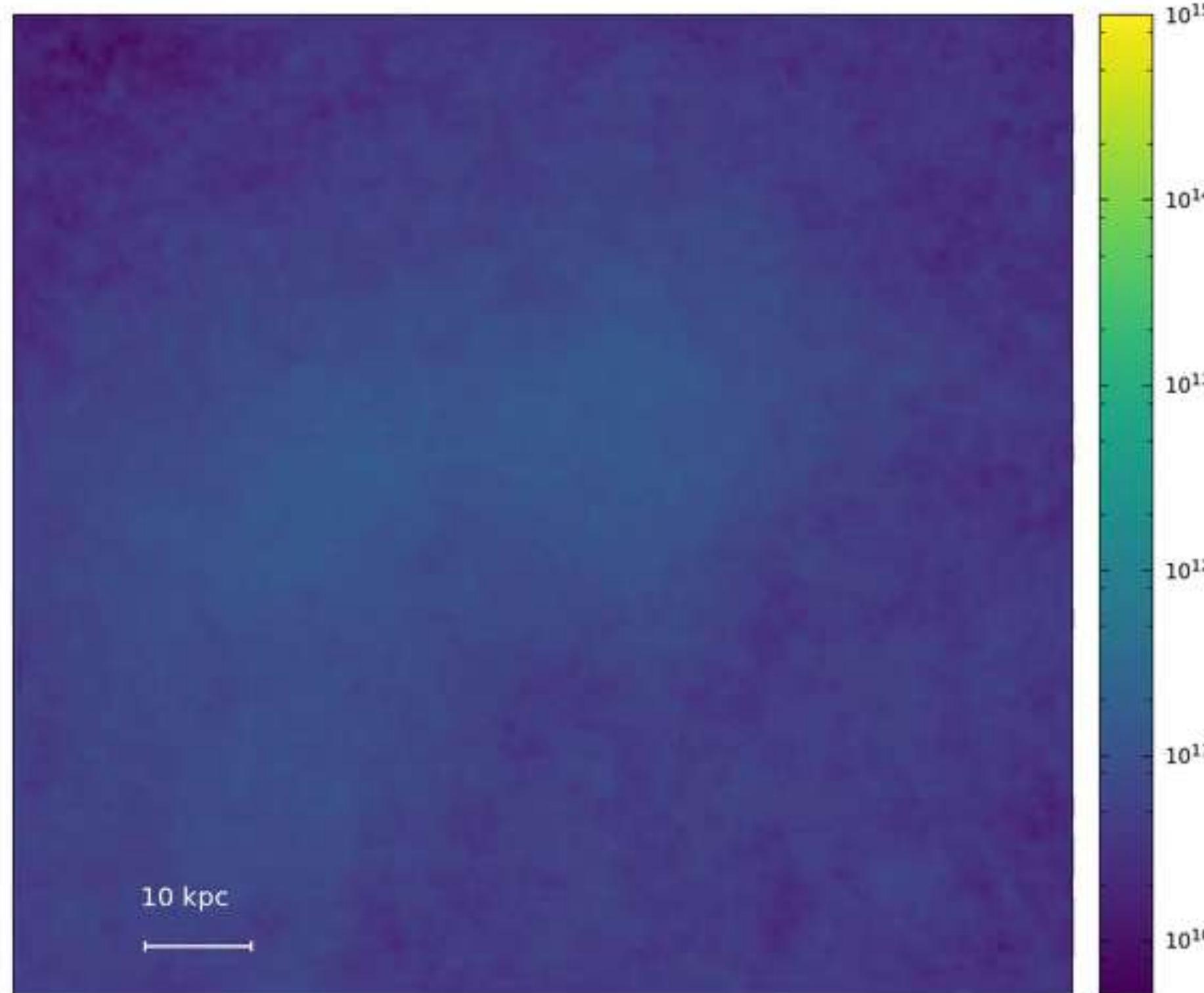
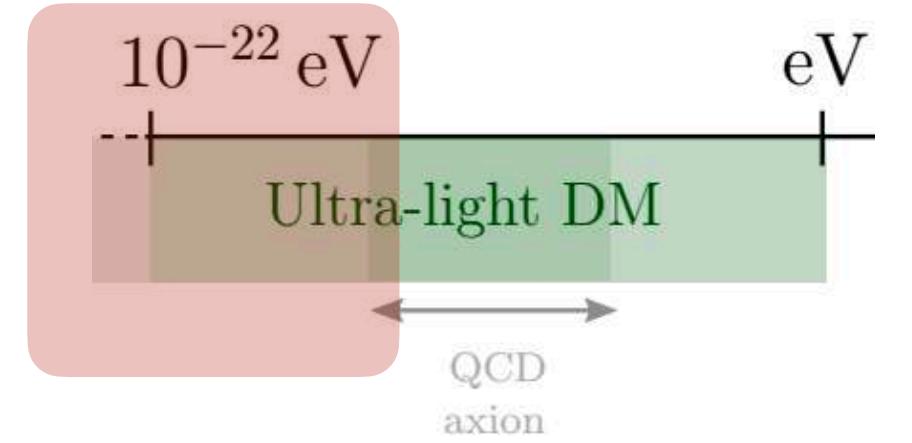
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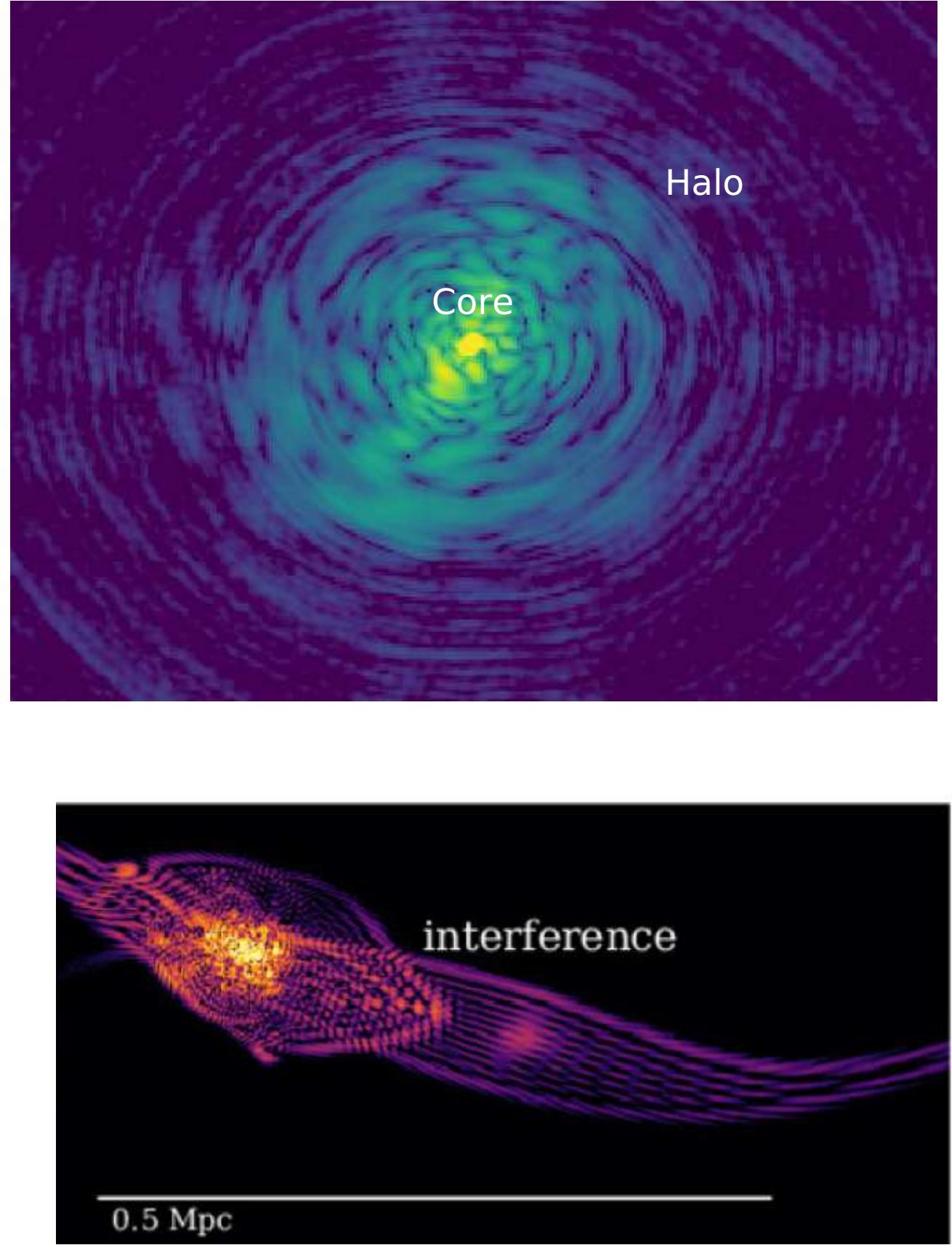
Wave interference: granules and vortices



Order one fluctuations in density

→ Constructive interference: **granules**
Destructive interference

$$\sim \lambda_{\text{dB}}$$



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Hard to observe!

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Vortices

Observational **signature** of superfluidity

Reveals *quantum mechanical* nature of superfluid

Superfluid cannot rotate uniformly.

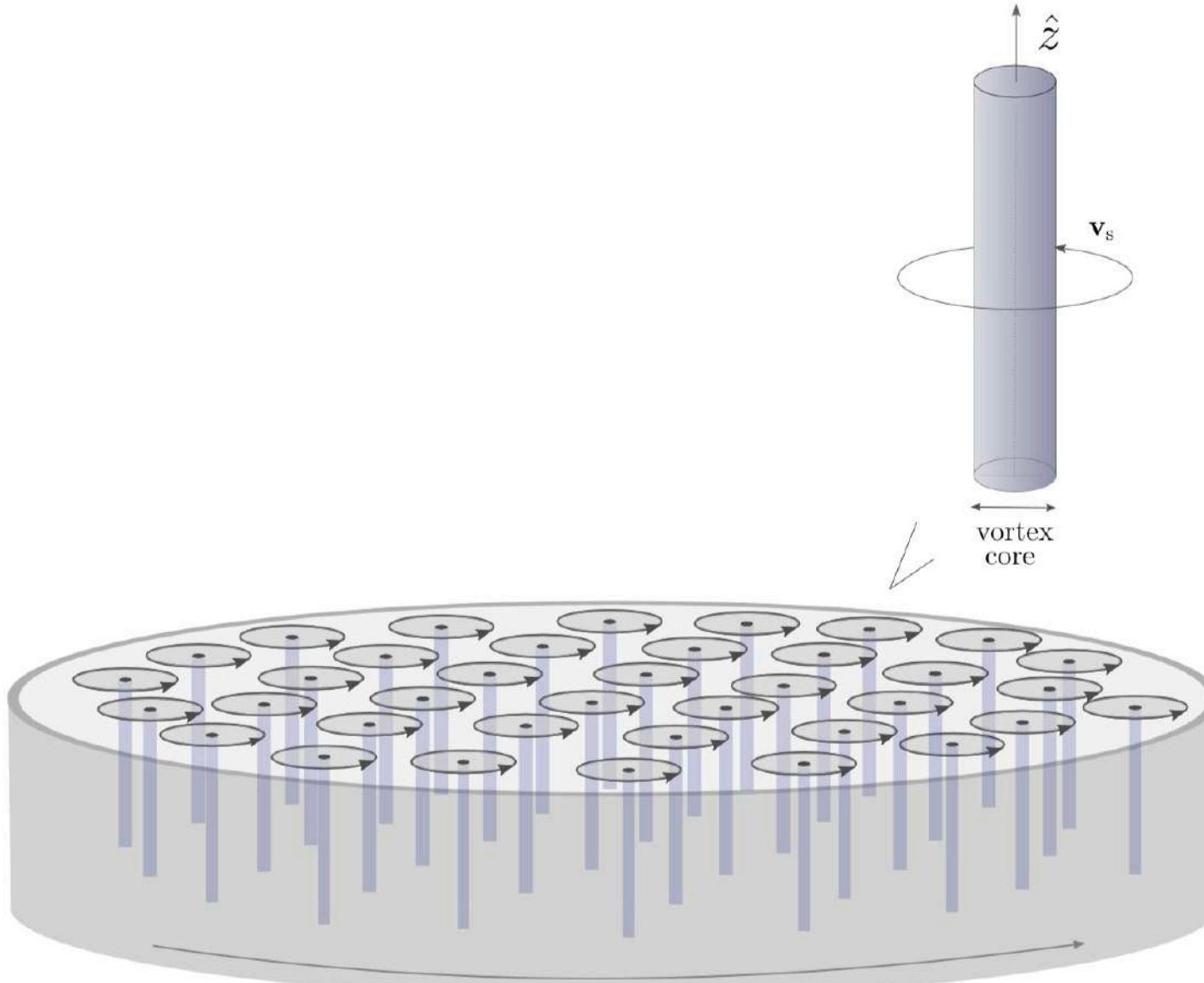
If the superfluid rotates faster than the critical vel.:

$$\omega_{cr} \sim \frac{1}{mR^2} \sim 10^{-41} \text{s}^{-1}$$

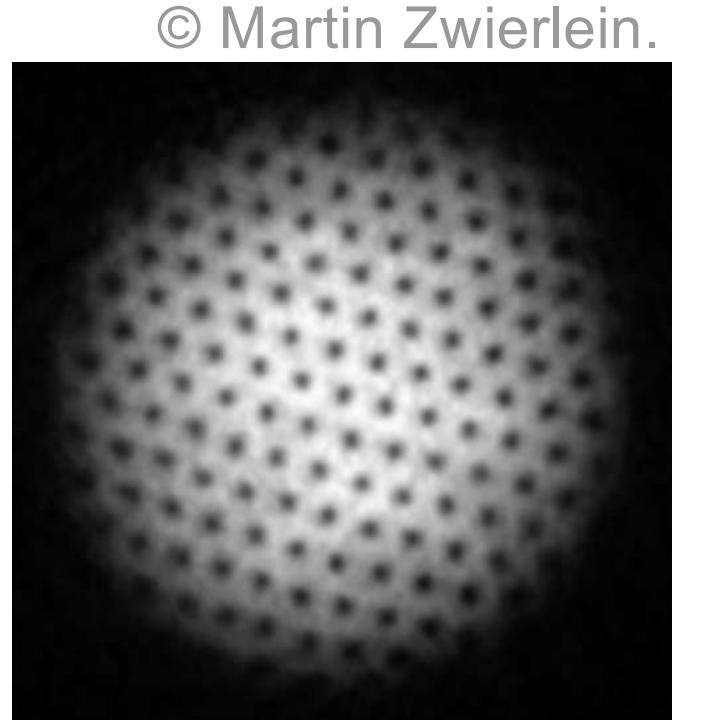
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$$\omega \sim \lambda \sqrt{G_N \rho_{halo}} \sim 10^{-18} \lambda \text{s}^{-1}$$

Formation of vortices!



EF, 2020



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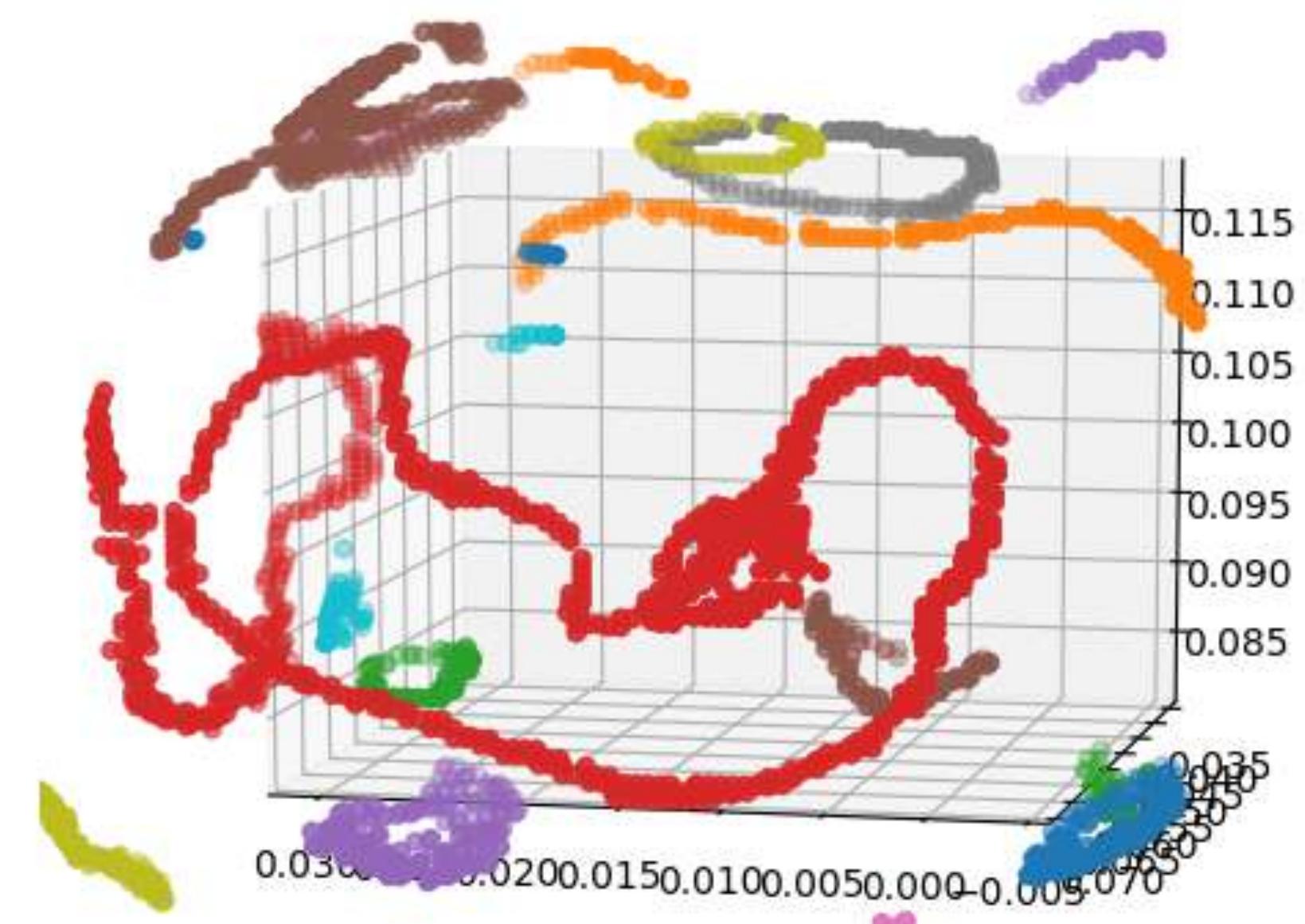
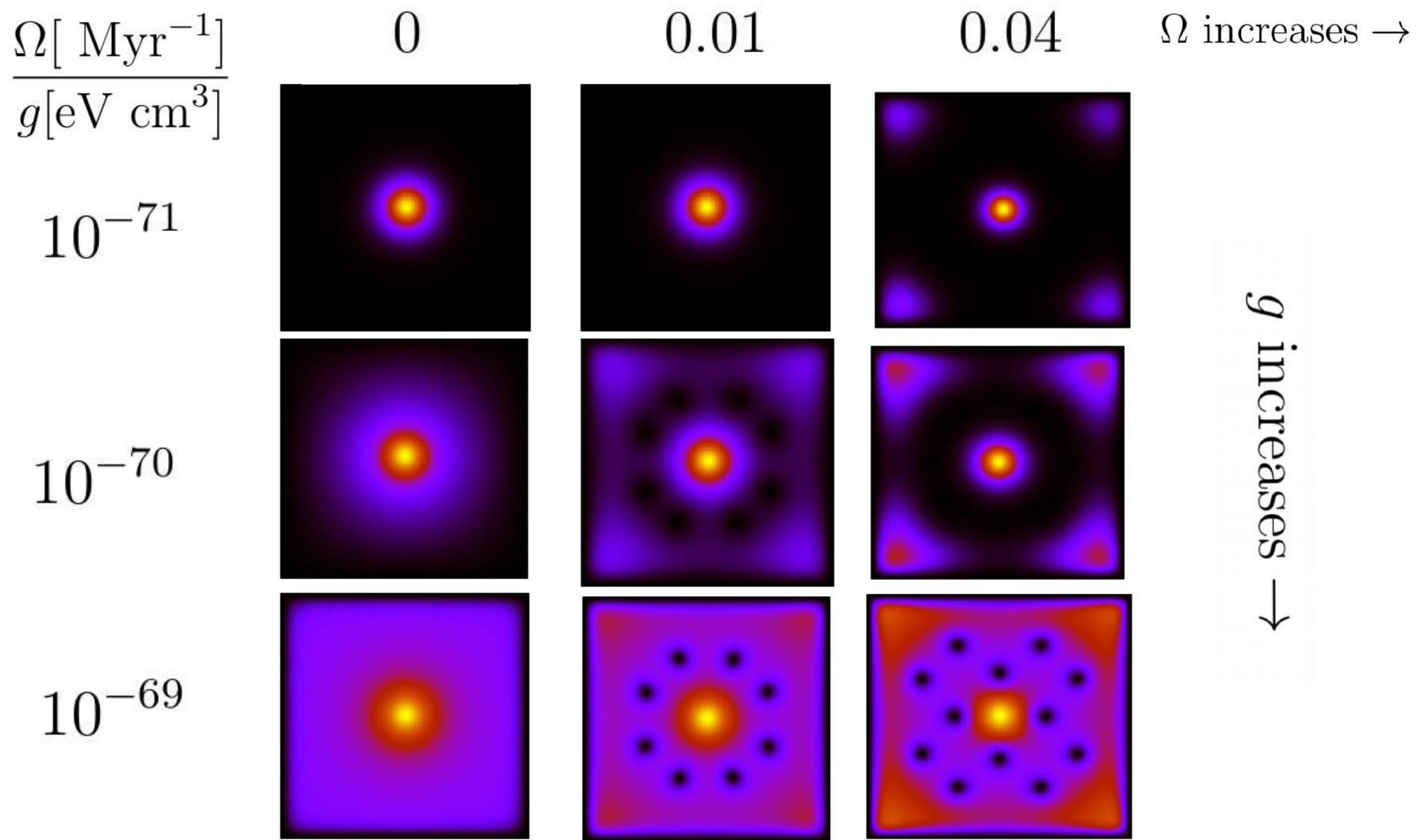
Vortices: smoking gun for superfluid DM



What is the predicted **size and abundance** of vortices in the halo?
Are they **observable**?

Ongoing: Vortices in SIFDM

PRELIMINARY



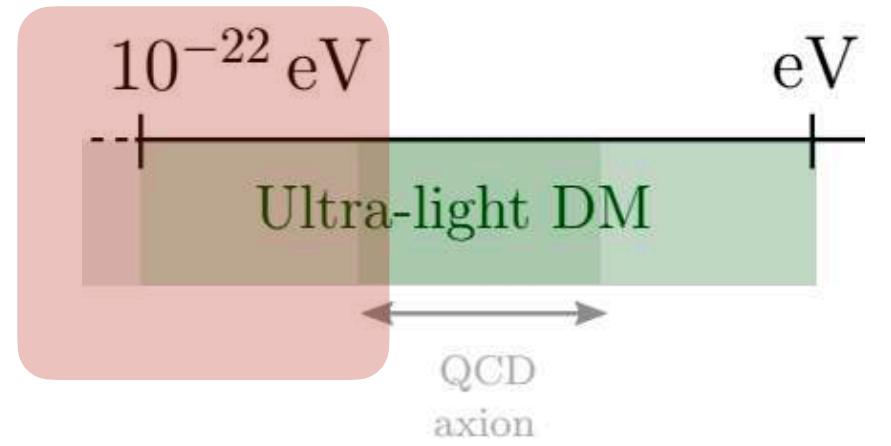
$$i\dot{\psi} = \left(-\frac{1}{2m}\nabla^2 + \frac{g}{8m^2}|\psi|^2 - m\Phi \right)\psi$$
$$\nabla^2\Phi = 4\pi G(m|\psi|^2 - \bar{\rho})$$



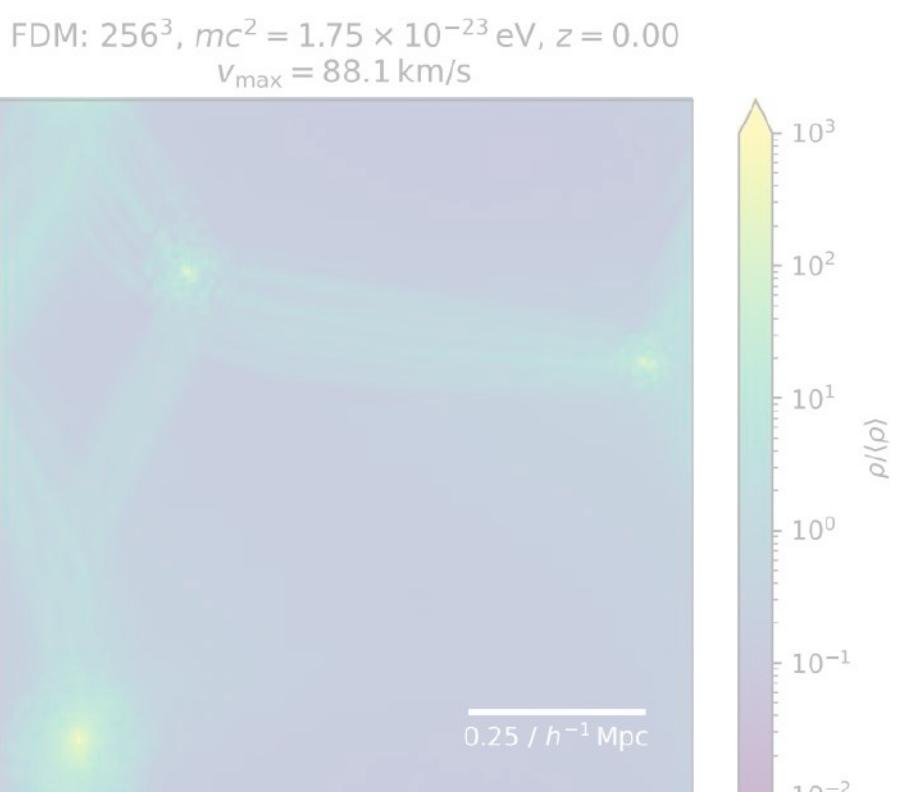
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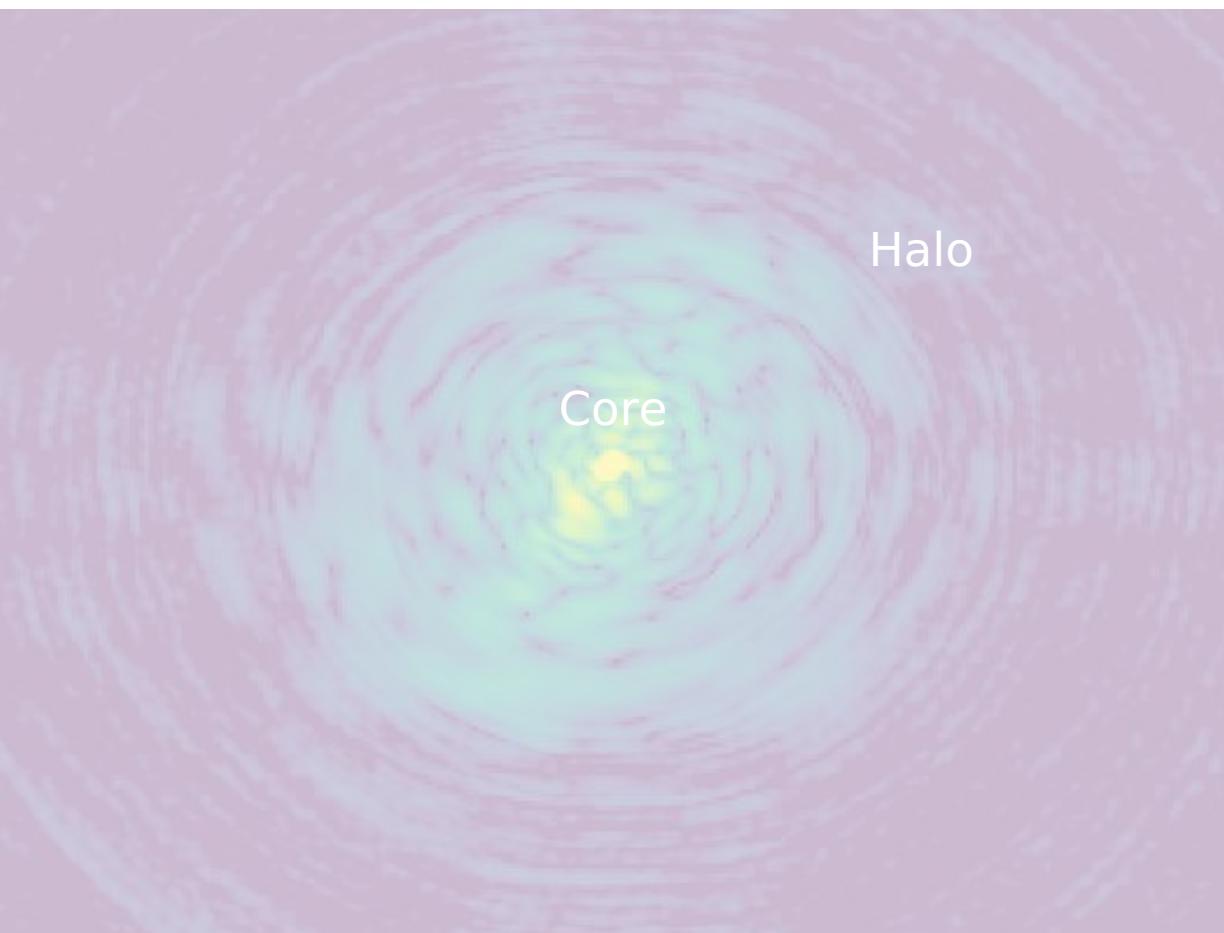


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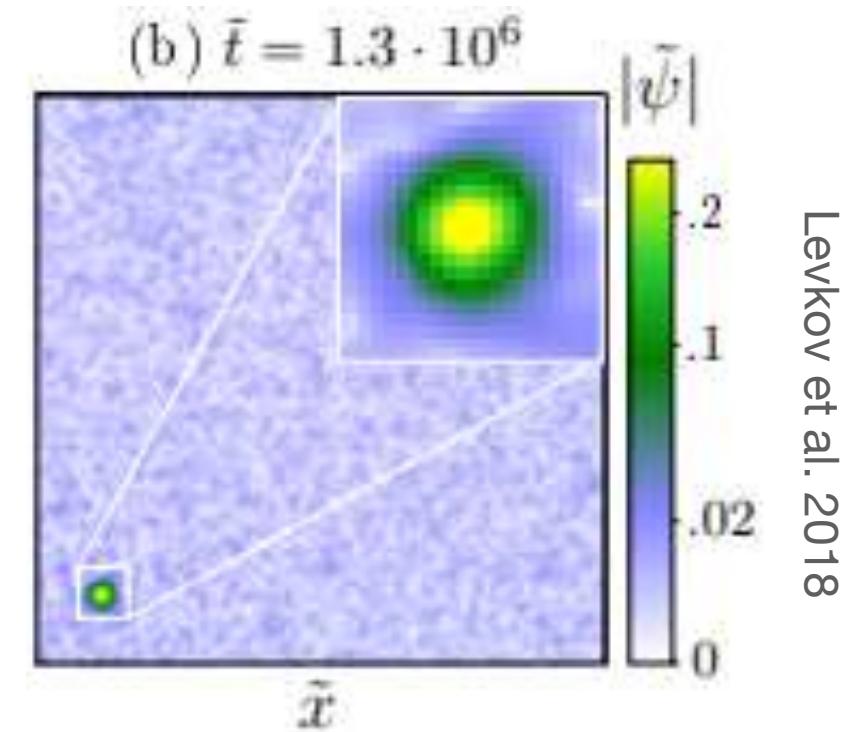


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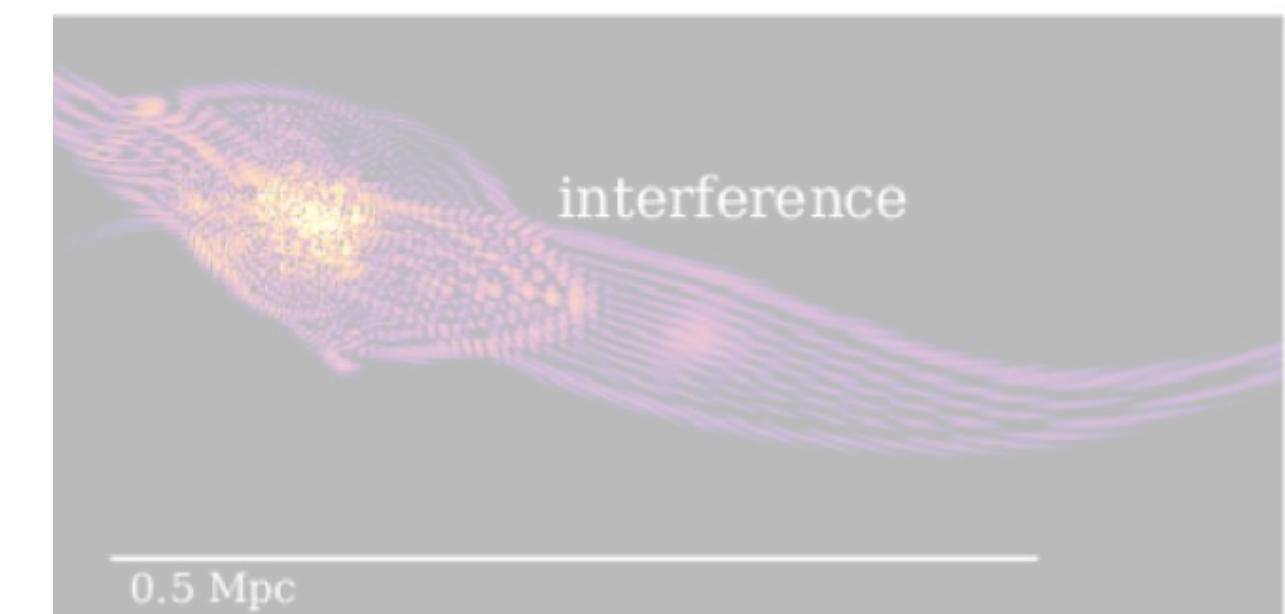
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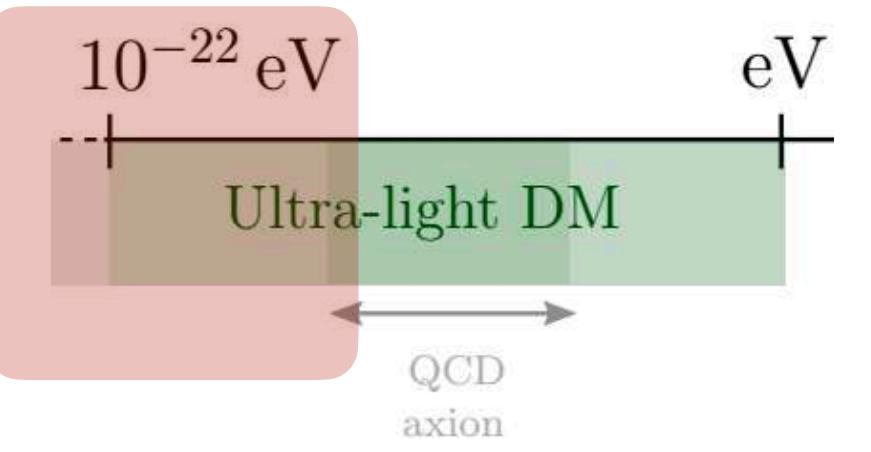


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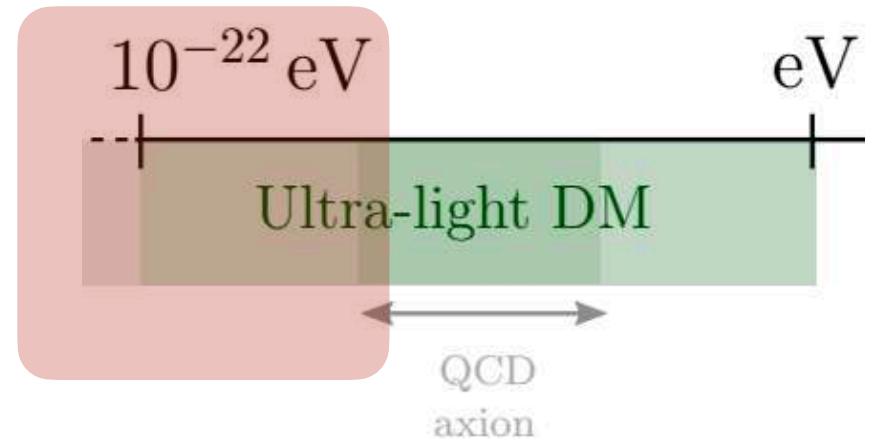
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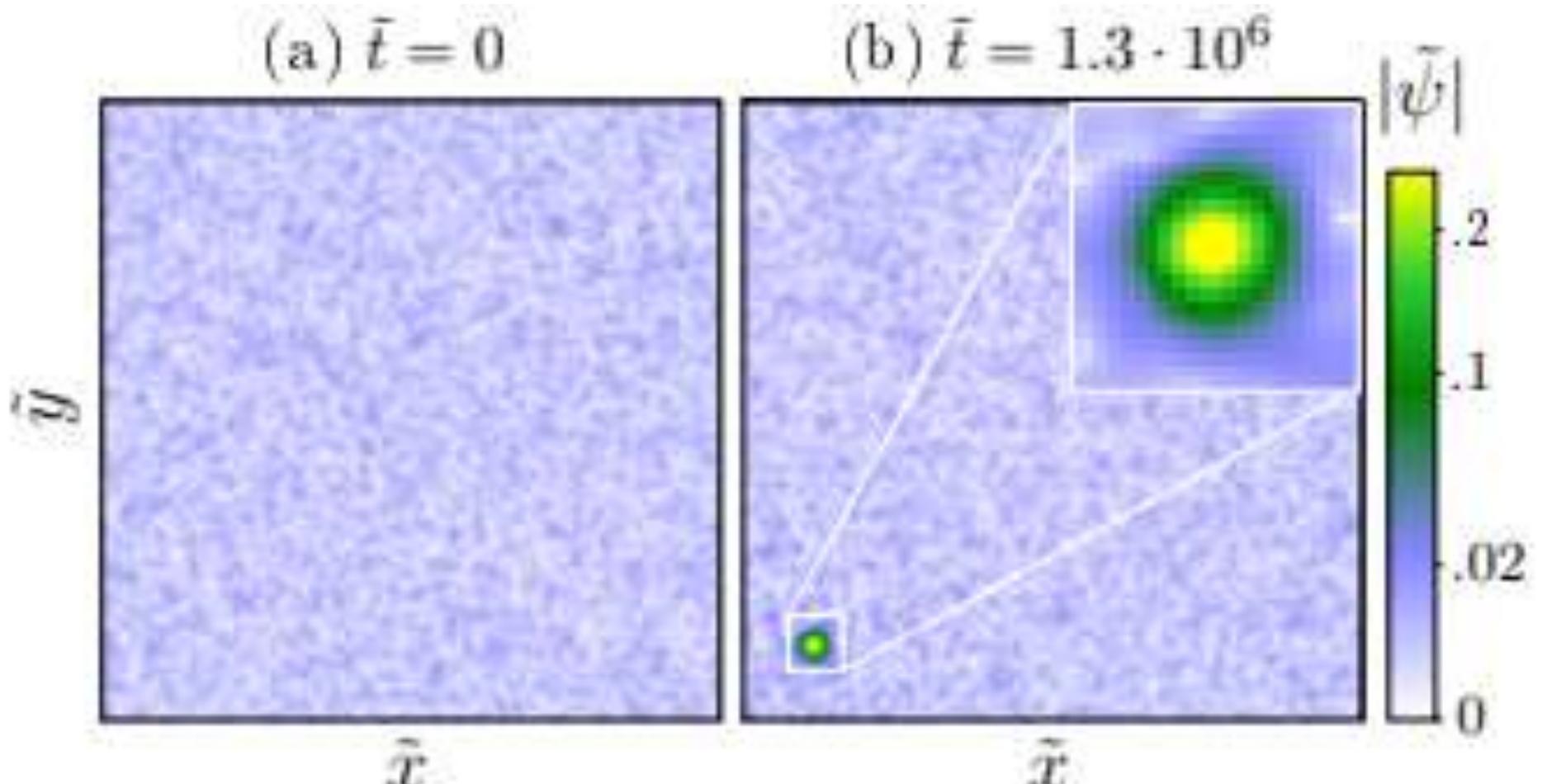
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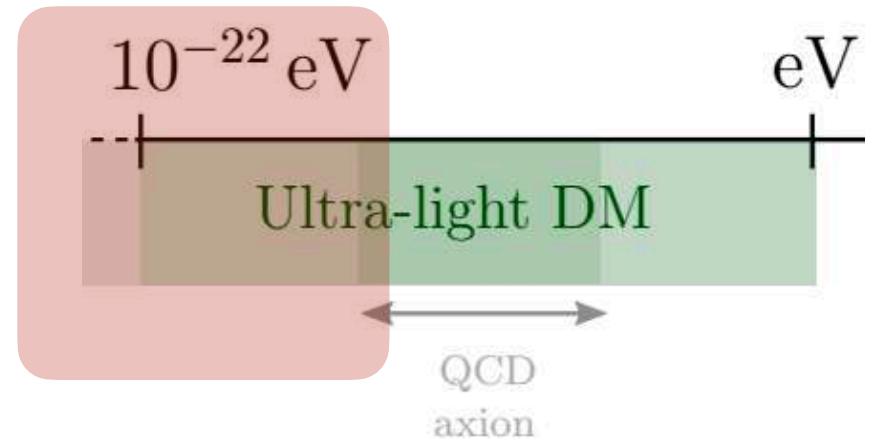


Lekov et al. 2018, Kirpatrick et al. 2020

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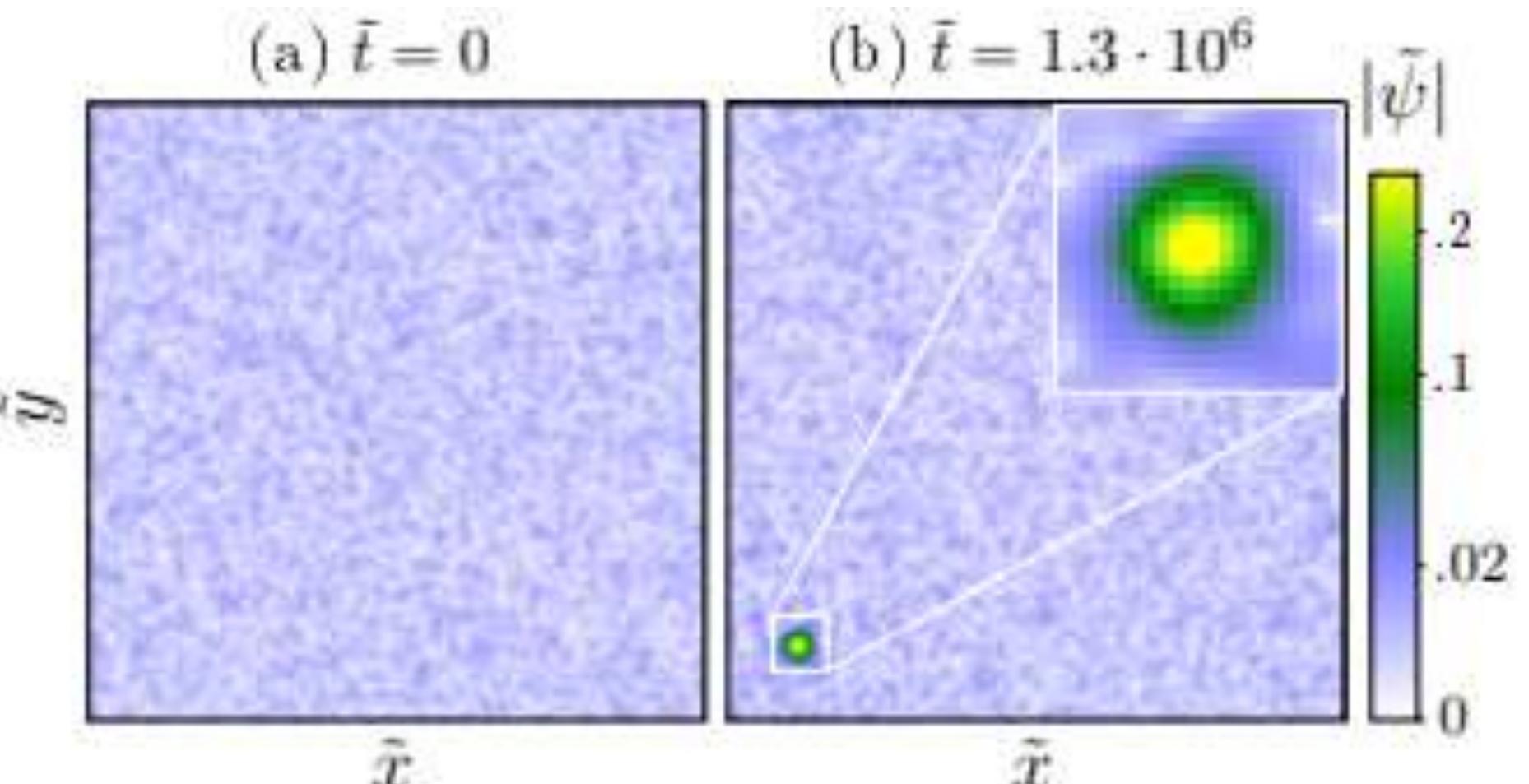
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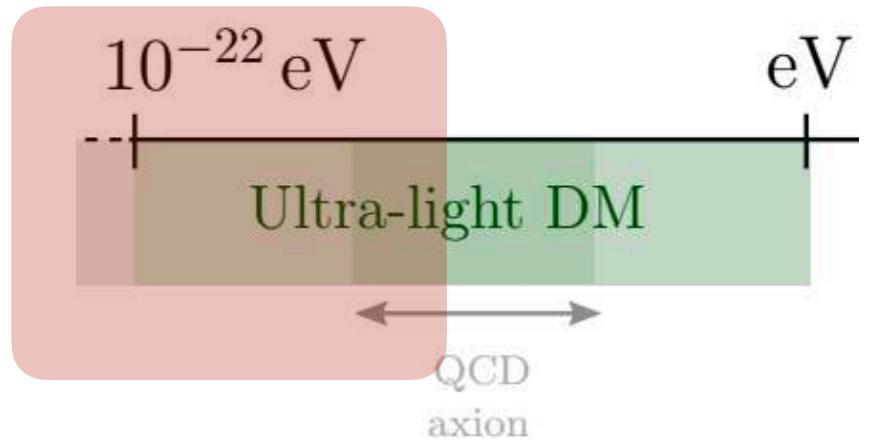


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BUT: Analogous system to a condensate used.
Condensation happens?
Open question!

GOAL

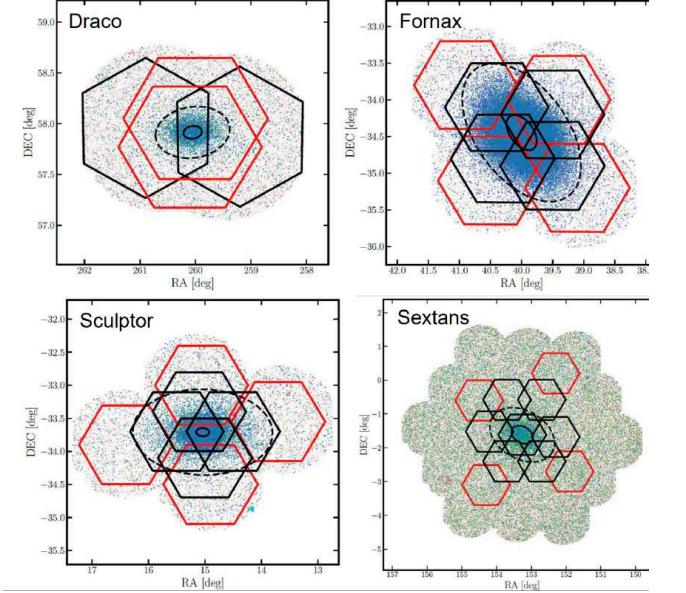
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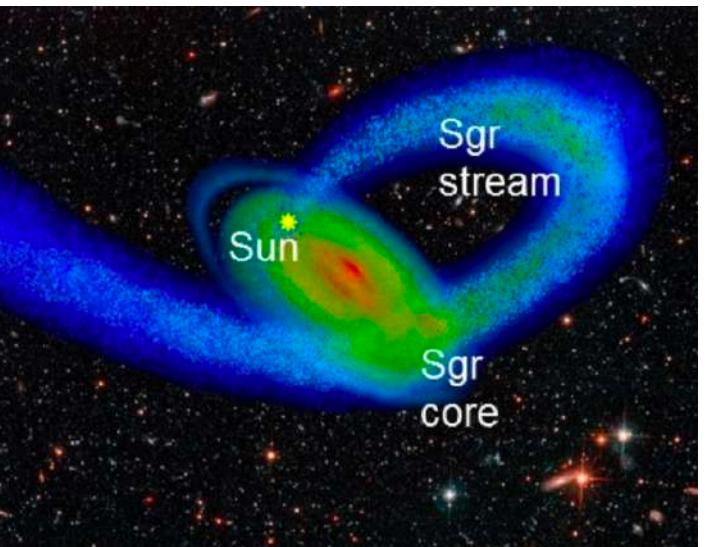
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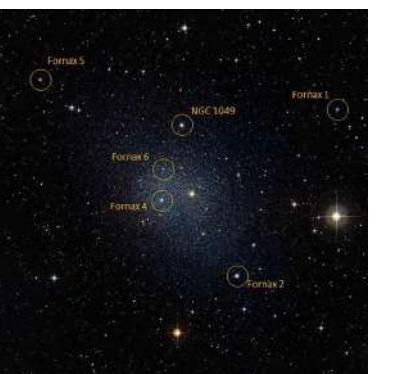


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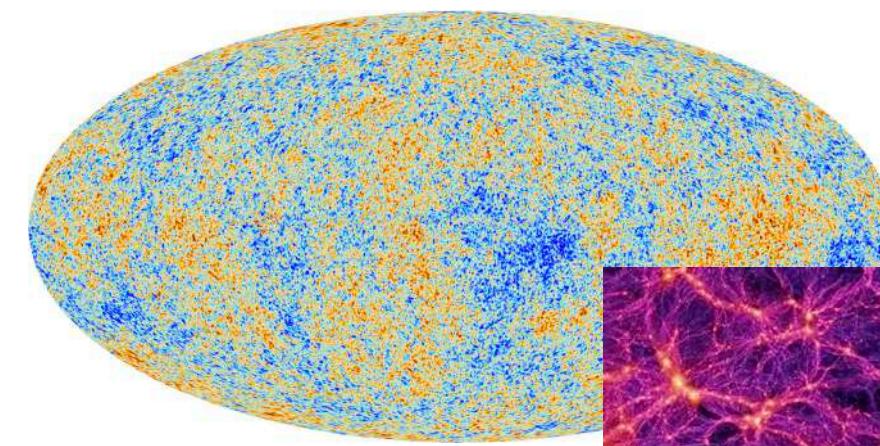


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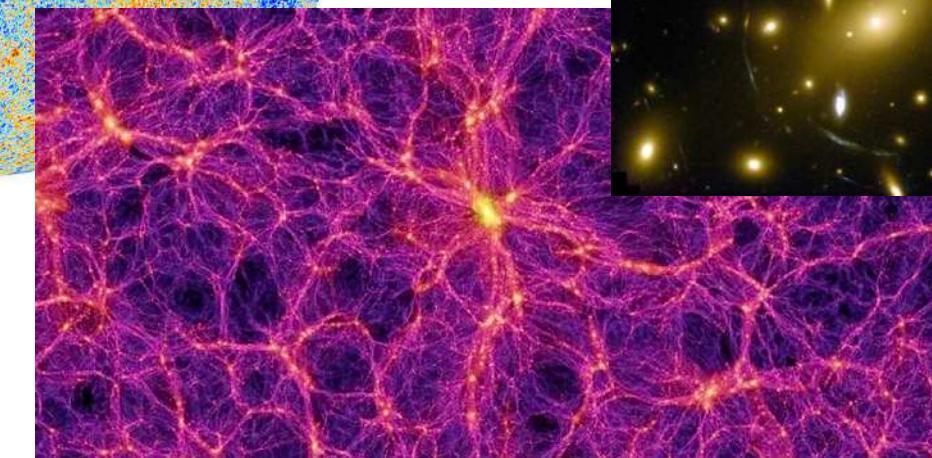
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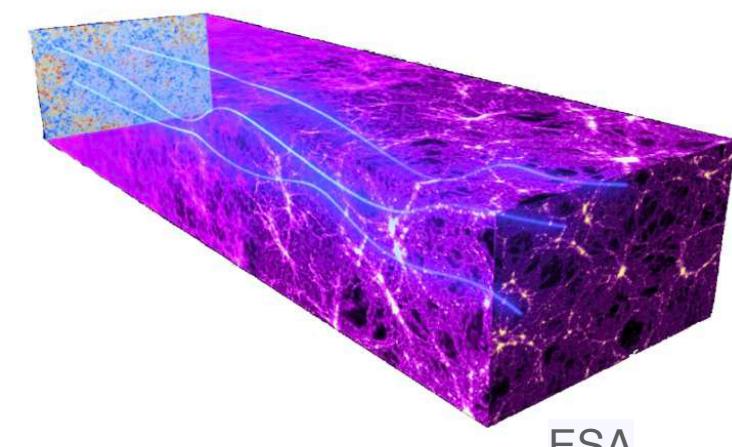
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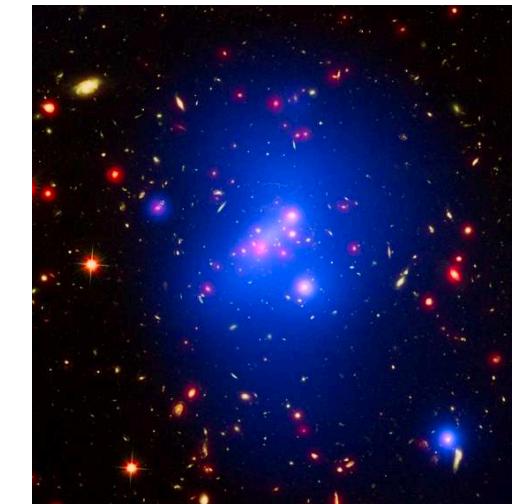


Springel & others / Virgo Consortium



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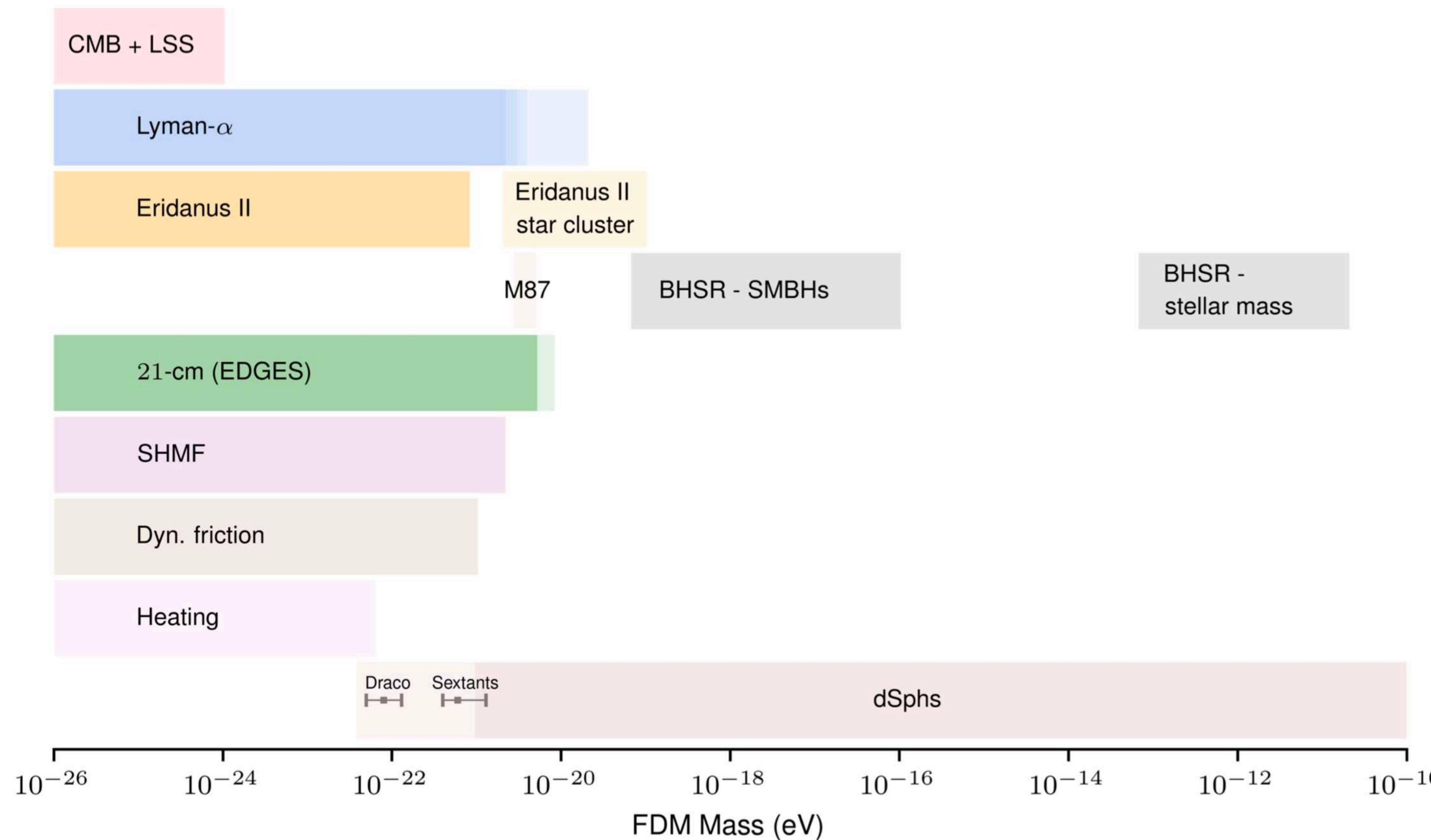
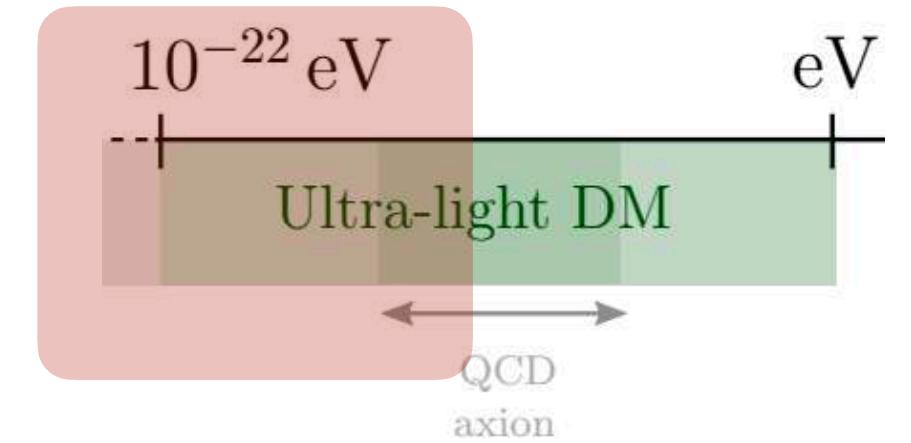


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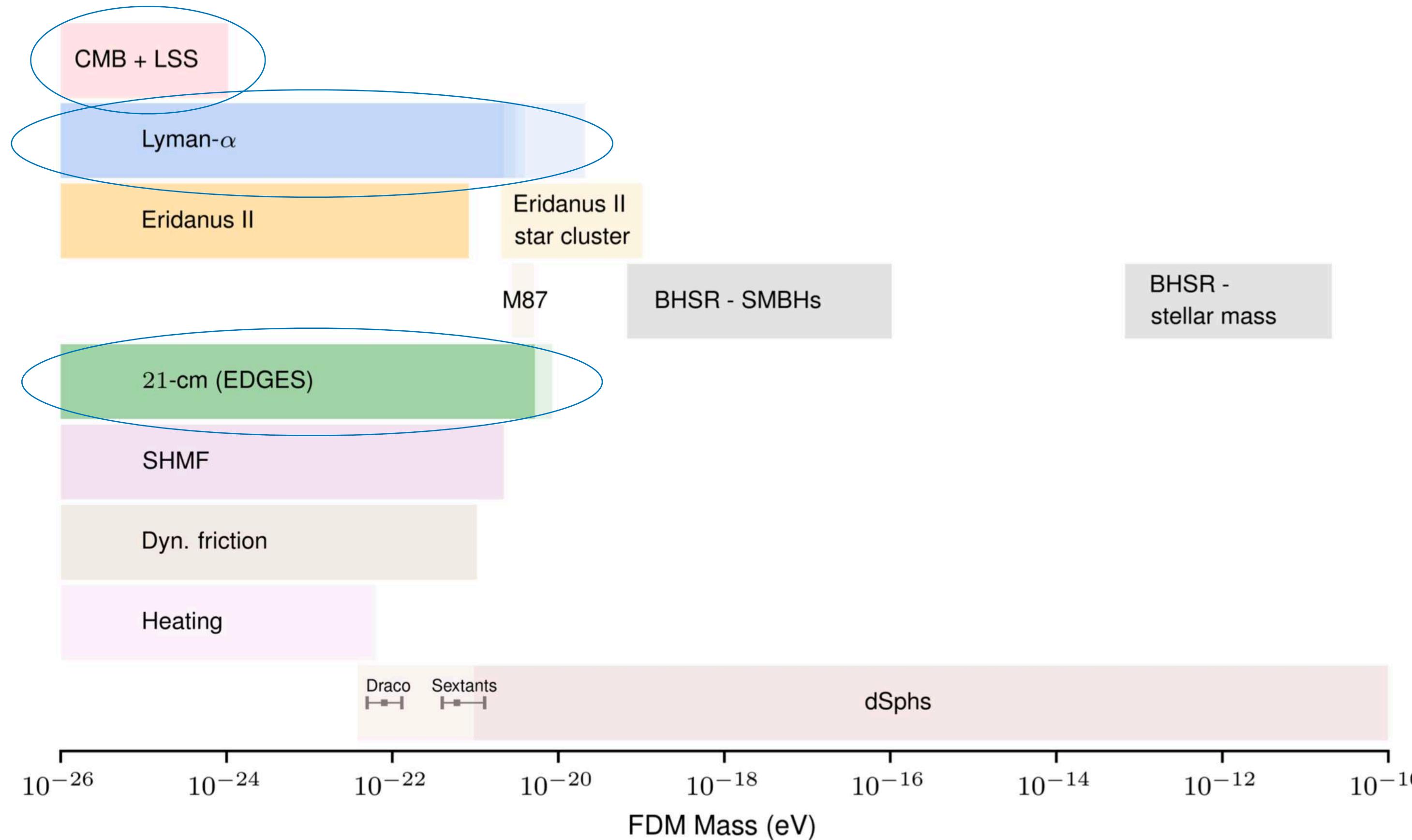
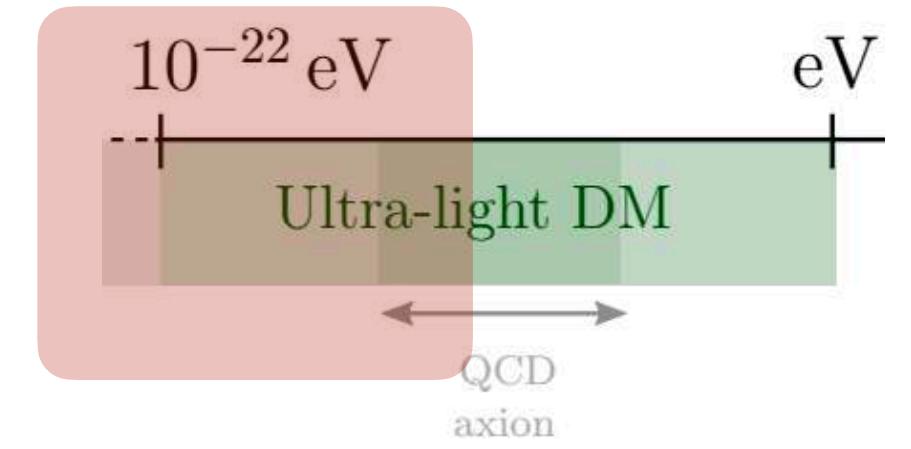
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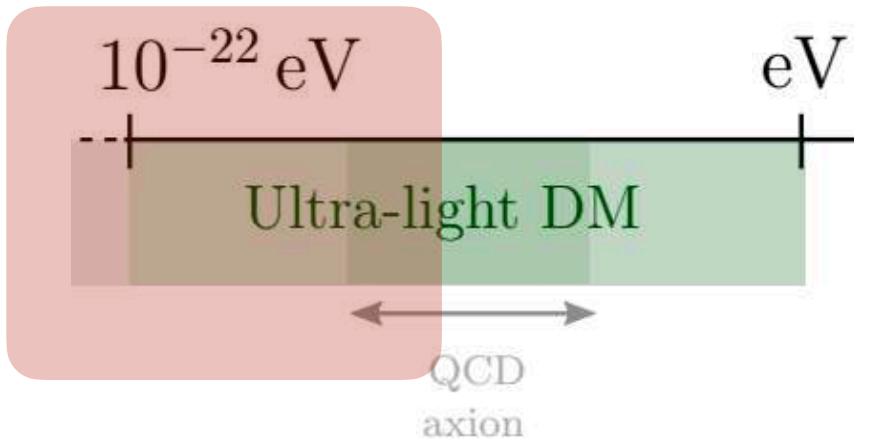
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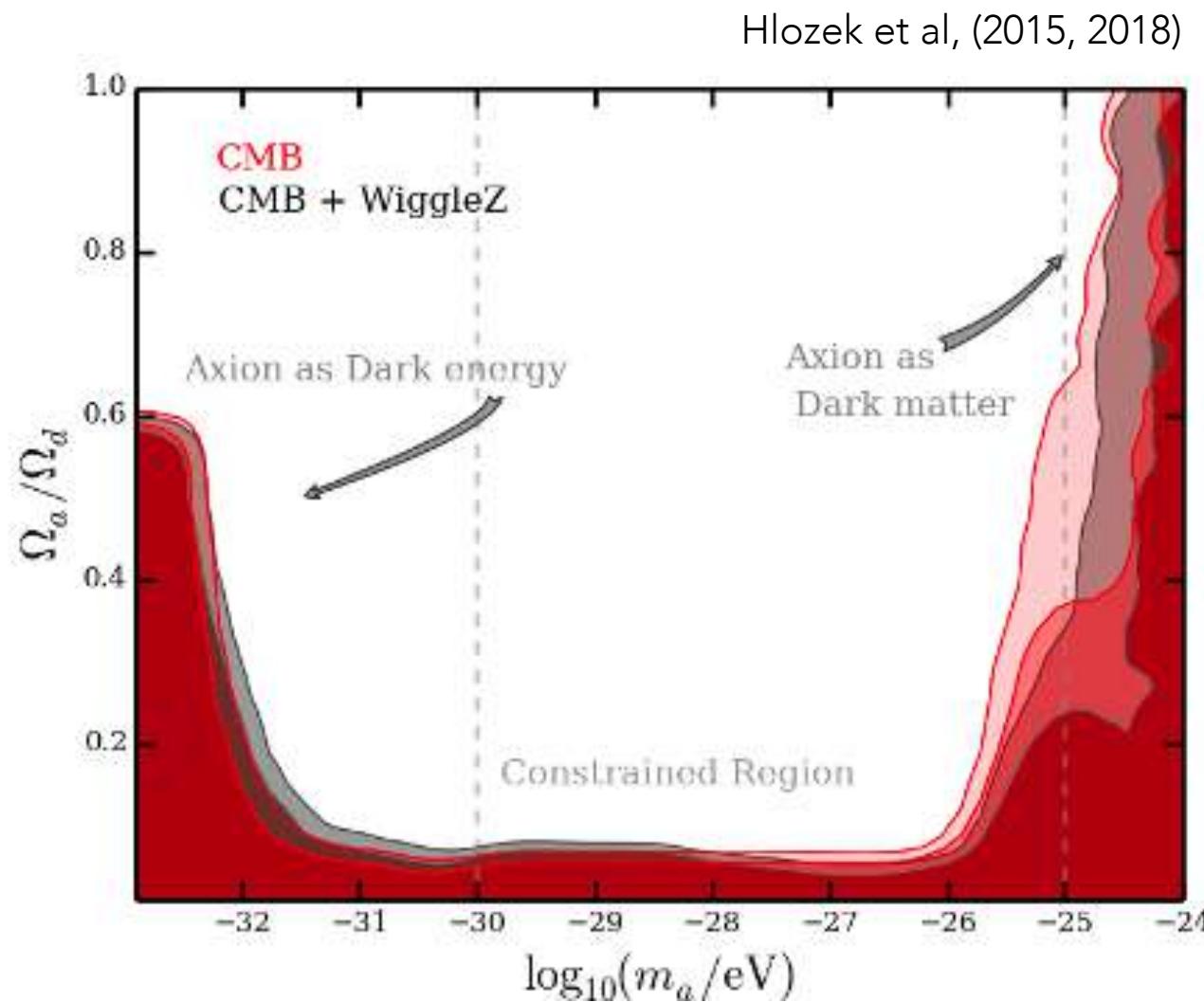


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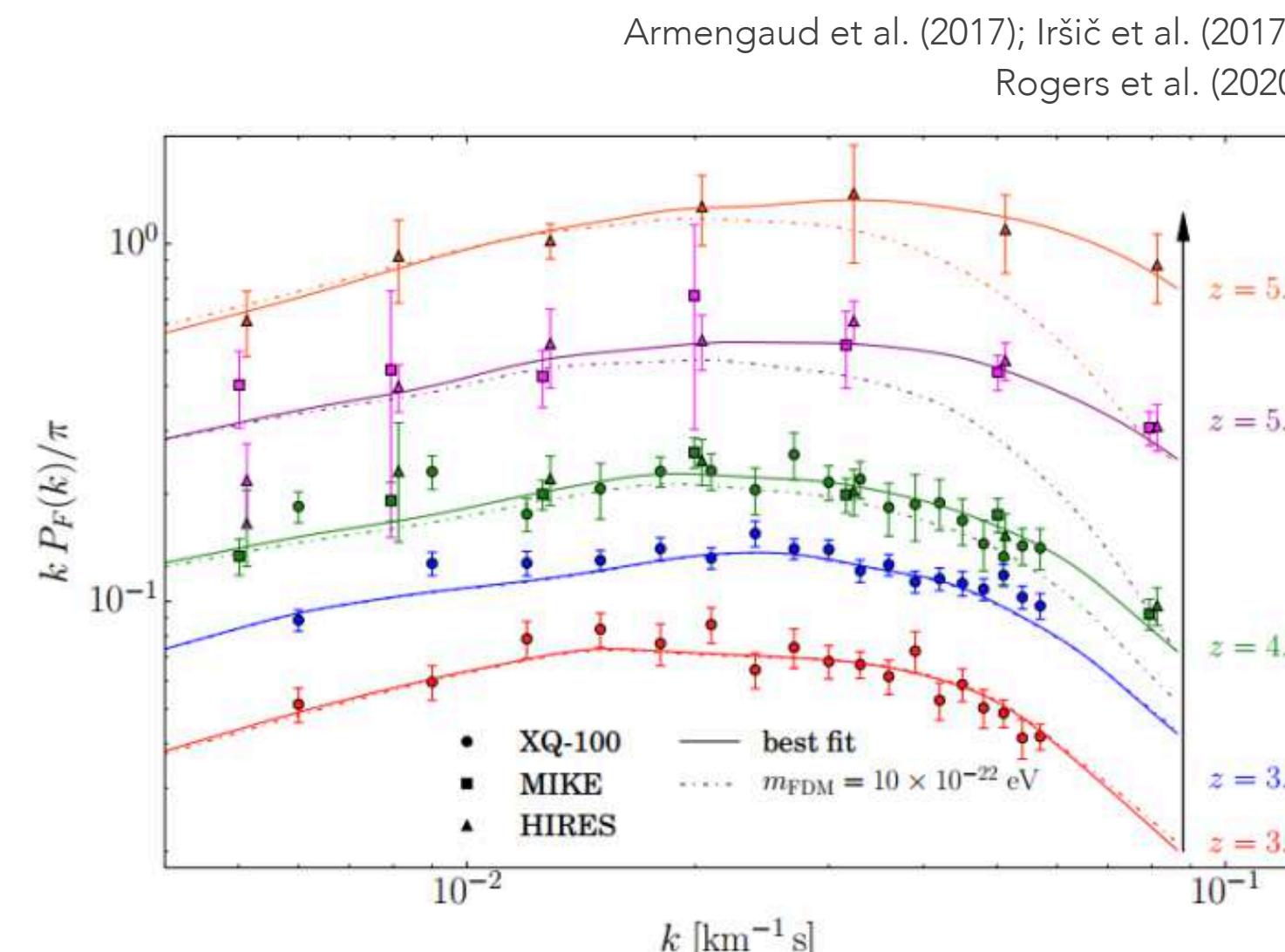


CMB/LSS



$$m \gtrsim 10^{-24} \text{ eV}$$

Lyman alpha



$$m \gtrsim 2 \times 10^{-20} \text{ eV}$$

so enough Mpc-scale power in Ly- α forest at $z = 5$.

Global 21 cm

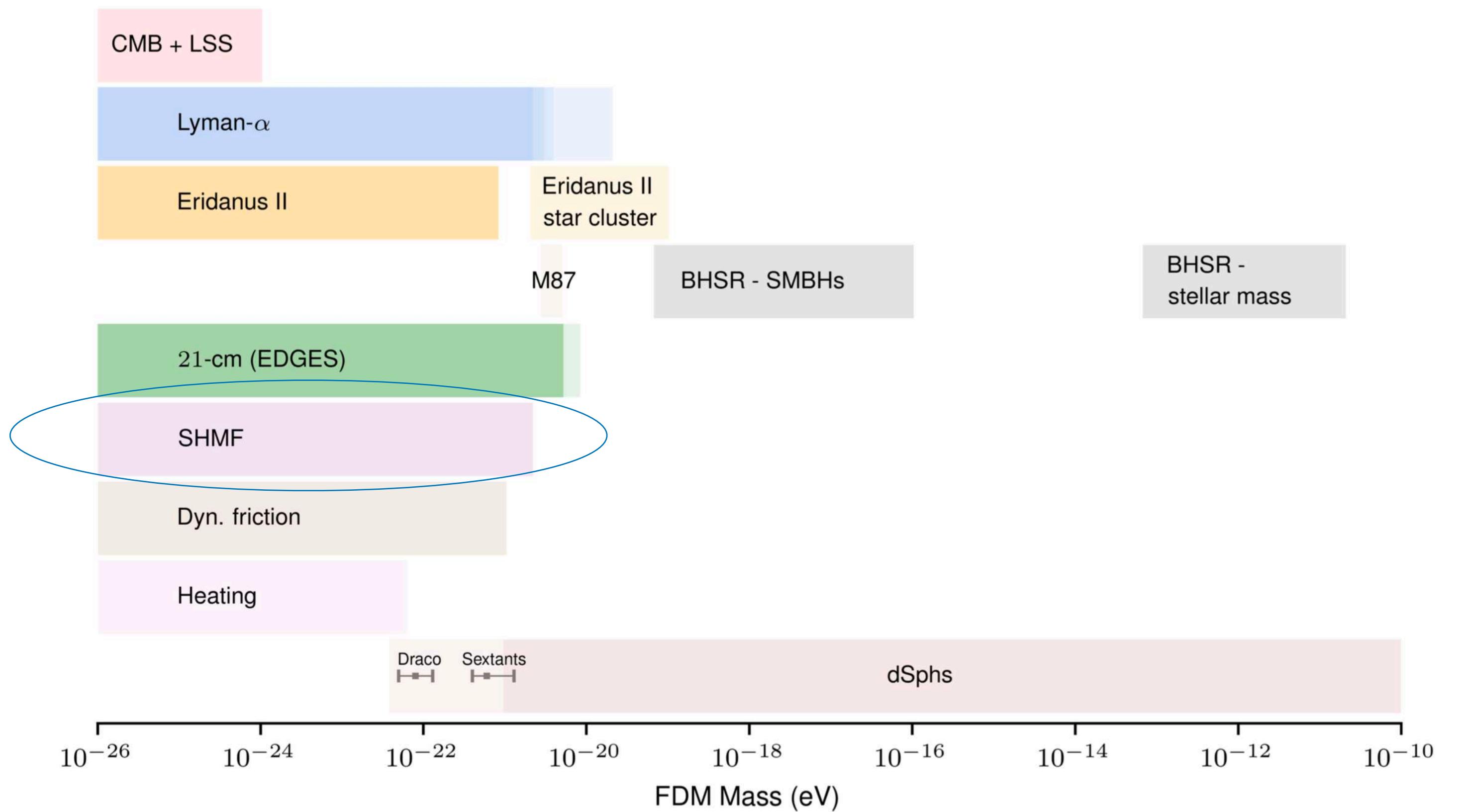
Suppressed small scale structure
↓
Postpone Ly- α coupling, heating,
reionization H
↓
Smaller 21-cm global signal

$$m \gtrsim 6 \times 10^{-22} \text{ eV}$$

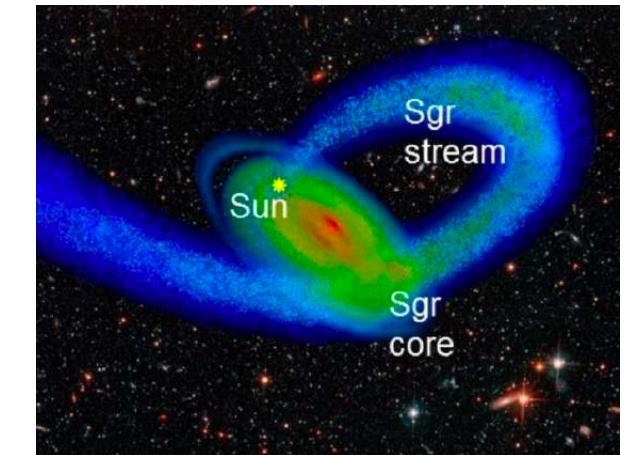
EDGES global 21 cm signal
Olof Nebrin et al.(2019)

Observational implications and constraints

Fuzzy Dark Matter - bounds on the mass



Stellar streams



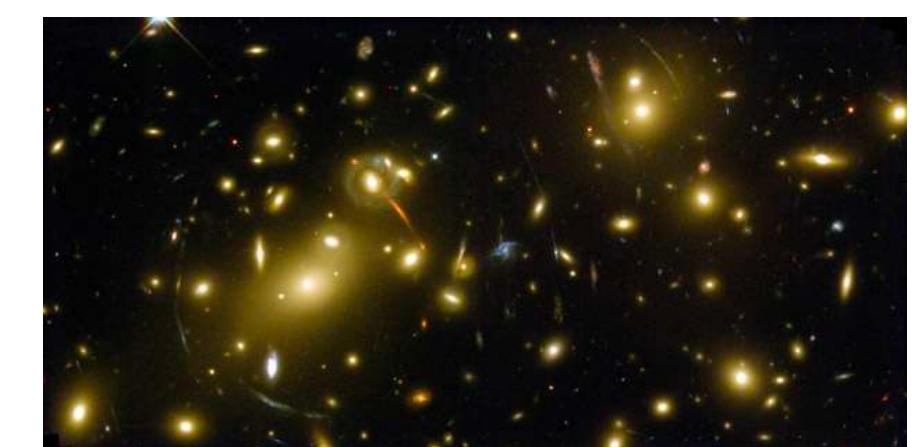
- DM properties encoded in variations density in stellar streams
- Opportunity to probe nature of DM
- GD-1 : compatible with CDM

Ibata et al. (2020): at this stage, hard to disentangle DM signal.

Schutz 2020: bound in the FDM using stellar streams and grav. lensing

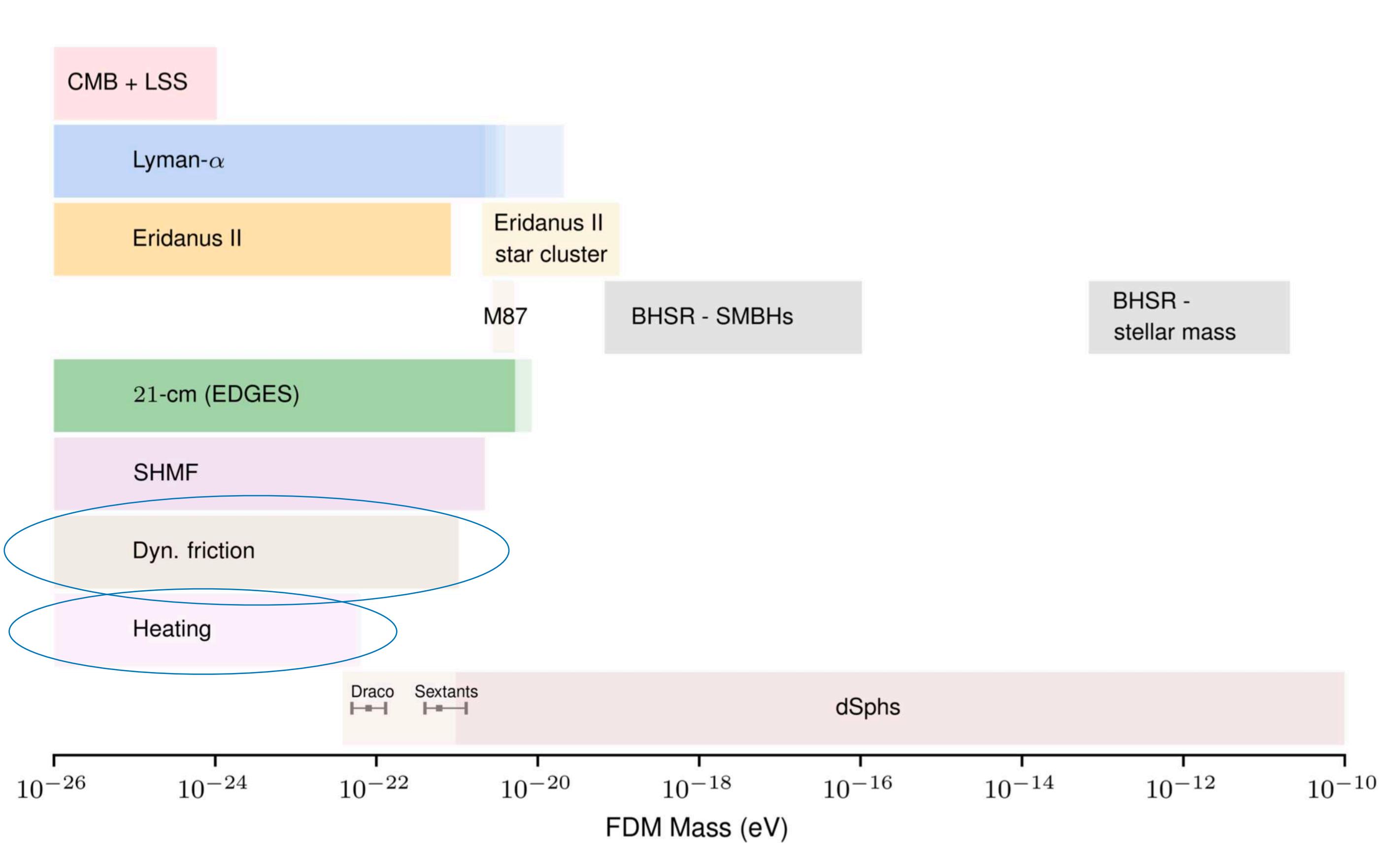
Future: PFS, LSST

Grav. lensing



Observational implications and constraints

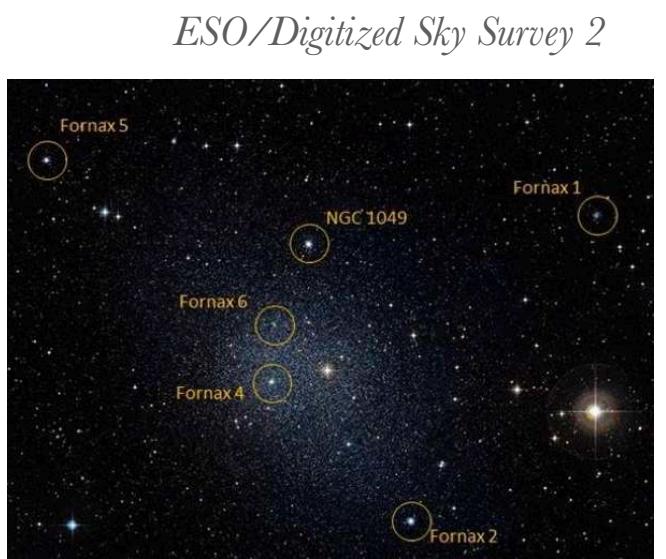
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Globular clusters

Fornax: globular cluster should have merged with Fornax due to dynamical friction.

Can explain these glob. Clusters



ESO/Digitized Sky Survey 2

Lancaster et al. 2020

$$m > 10^{-21} \text{ eV}$$

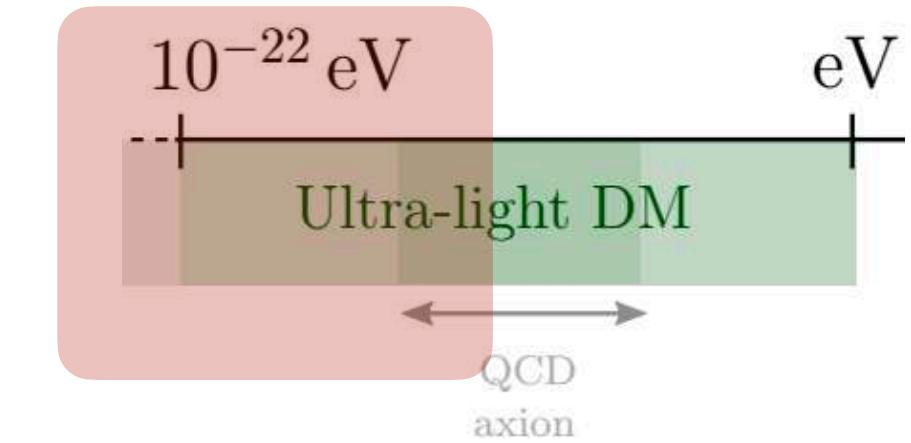
Heating of the MW disk

Church et al. 2019

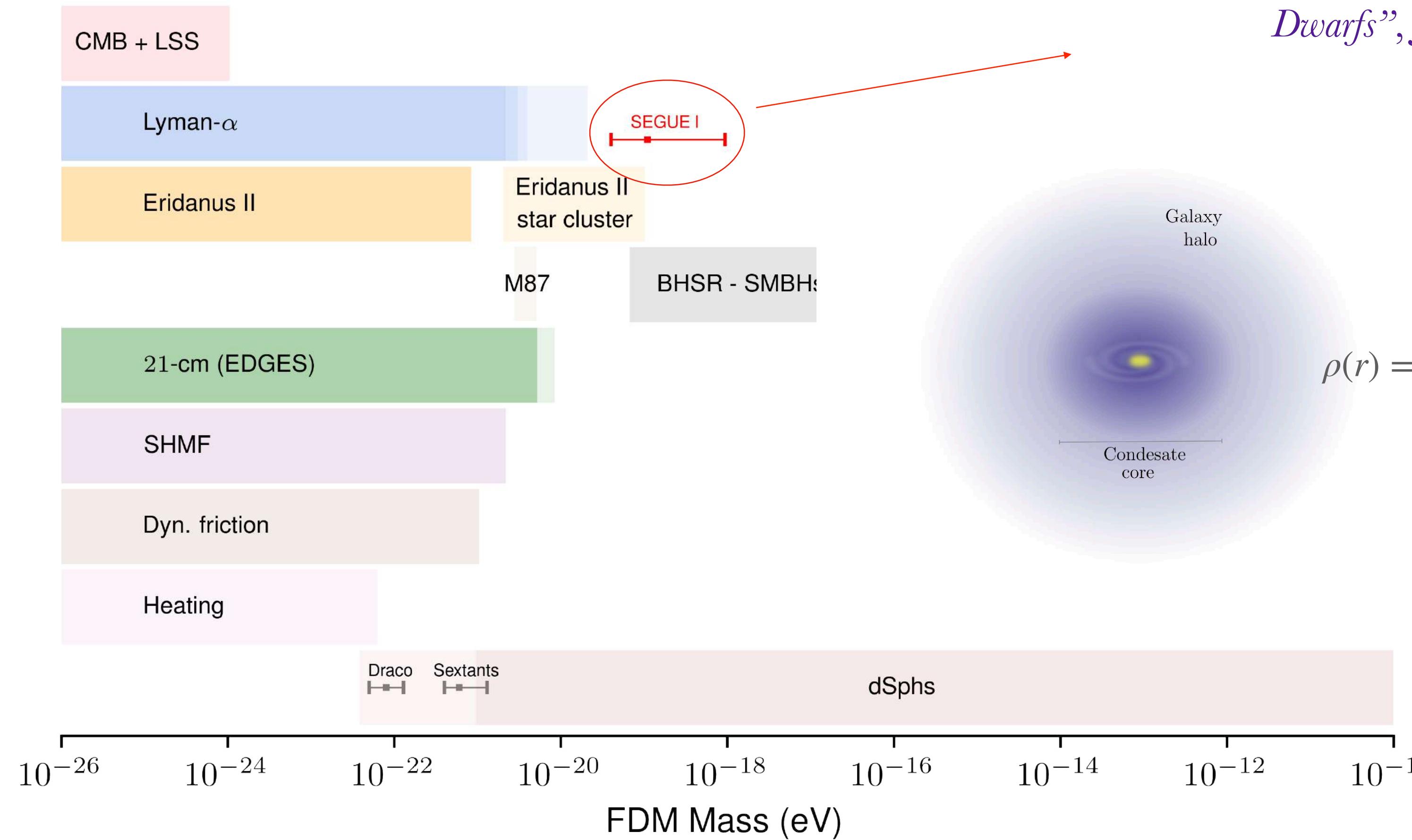
$$m > 0.6 \times 10^{-22} \text{ eV}$$

Observational implications and constraints

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“Narrowing the mass range of Fuzzy Dark Matter with Ultra-faint Dwarfs”, J. Chan, E.F., K. Hayashi, 2021.



FDM SIMULATIONS

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“Ultra-light dark matter”, E.F., 2020

Constraints on the mass

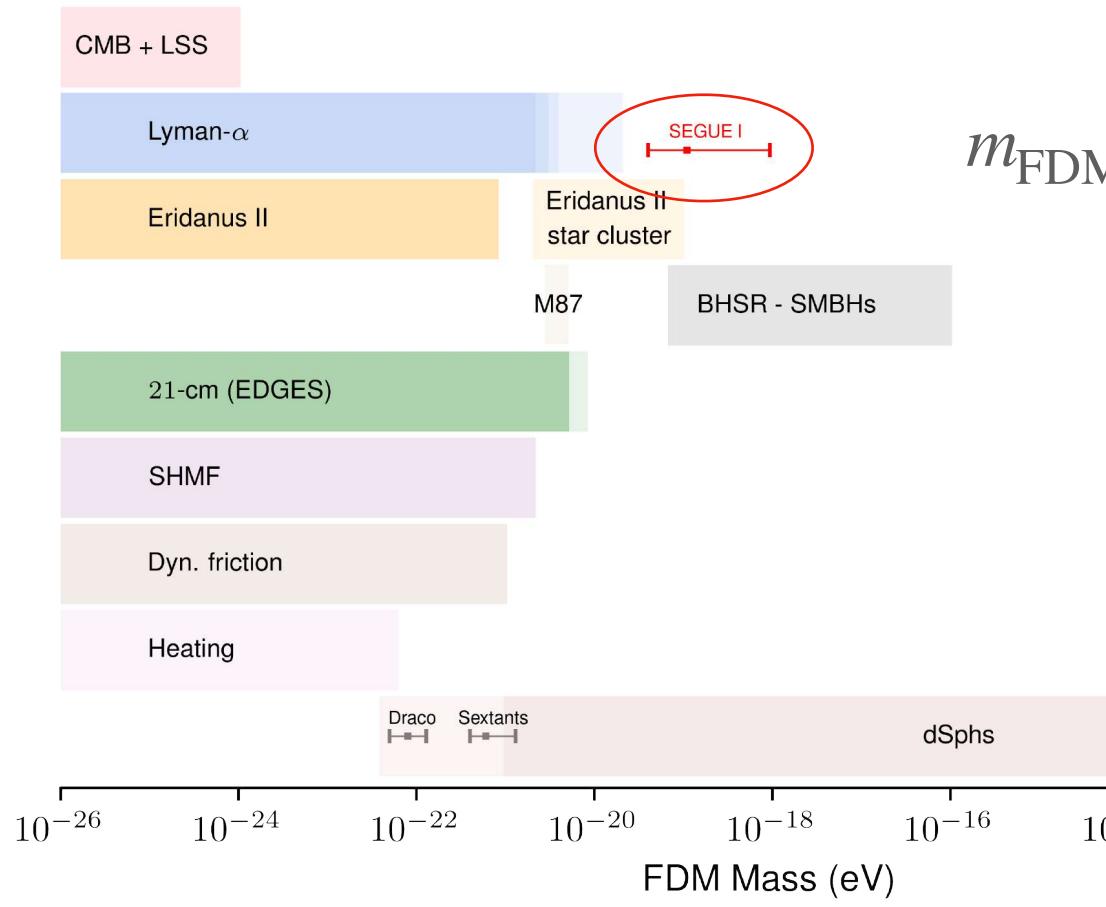
FDM mass from Ultra-faint dwarfs



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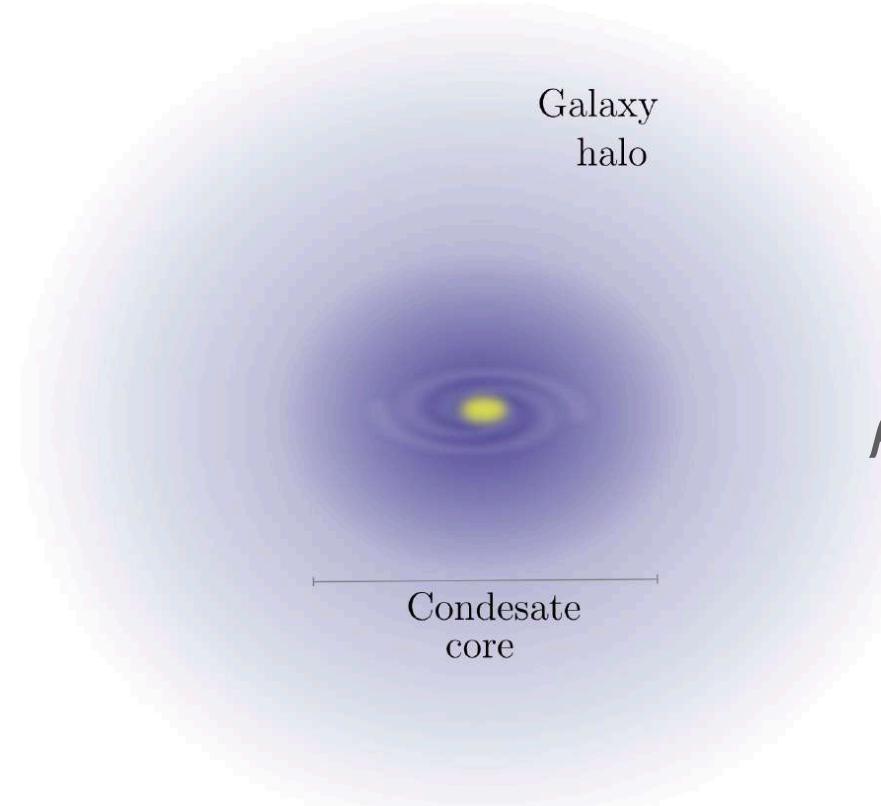
Ultra-faint dwarfs (UFD): ideal laboratory to study DM

Stellar kinematic data from 18 UFDs to fit the FDM profile:



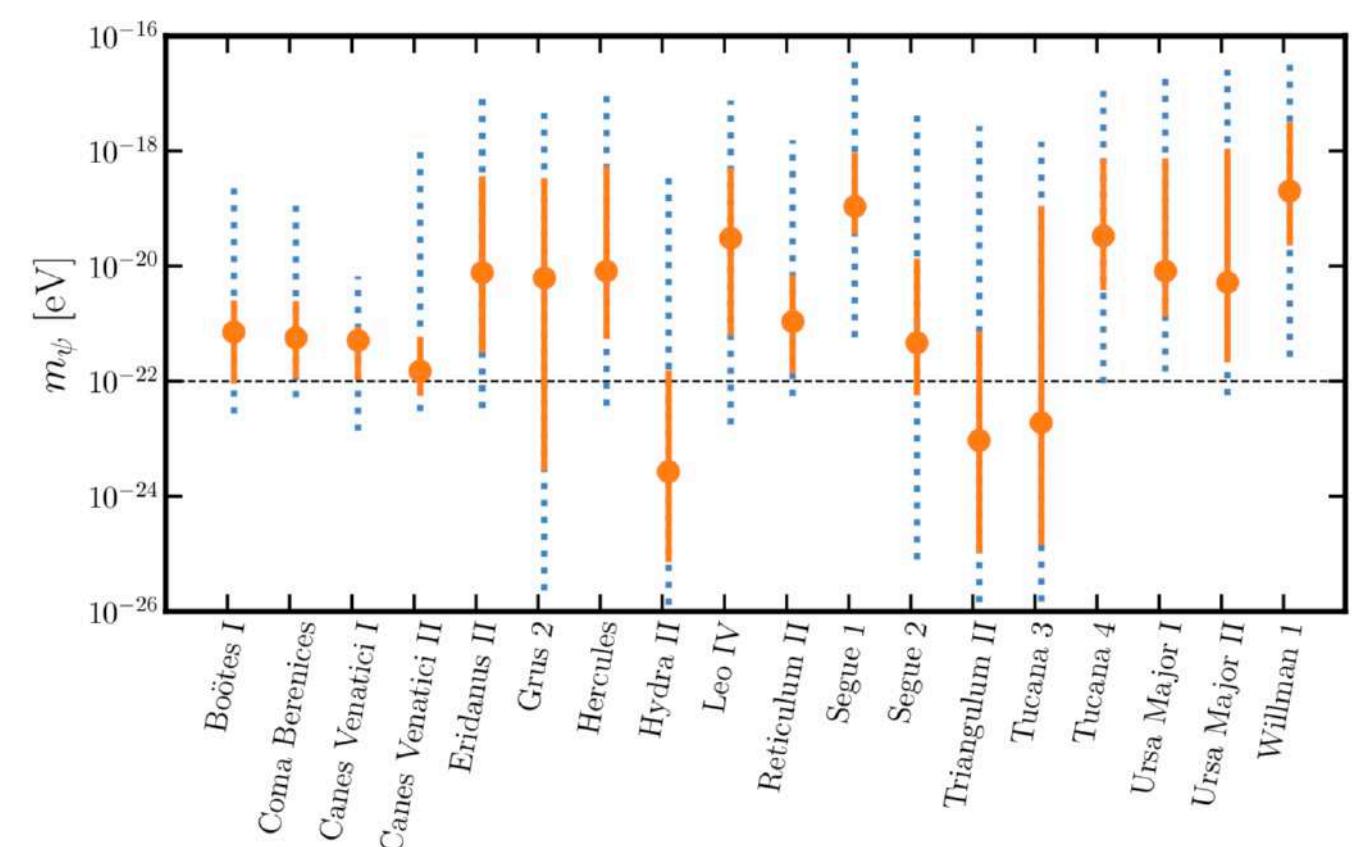
$$m_{\text{FDM}} = 1.1^{+8.3}_{-0.7} \times 10^{-19} \text{ eV}$$

Strongest constraint on m_{FDM} to date!



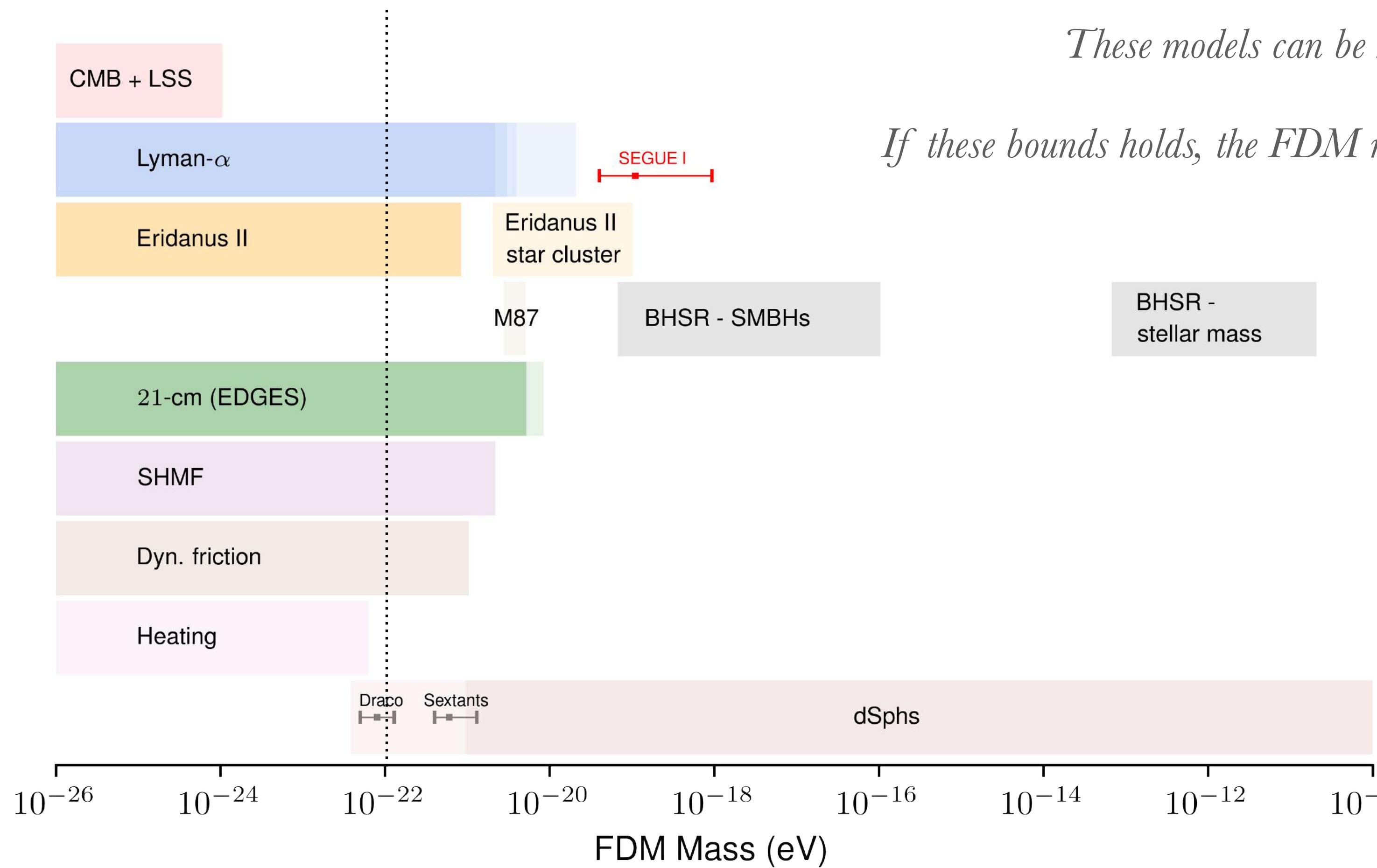
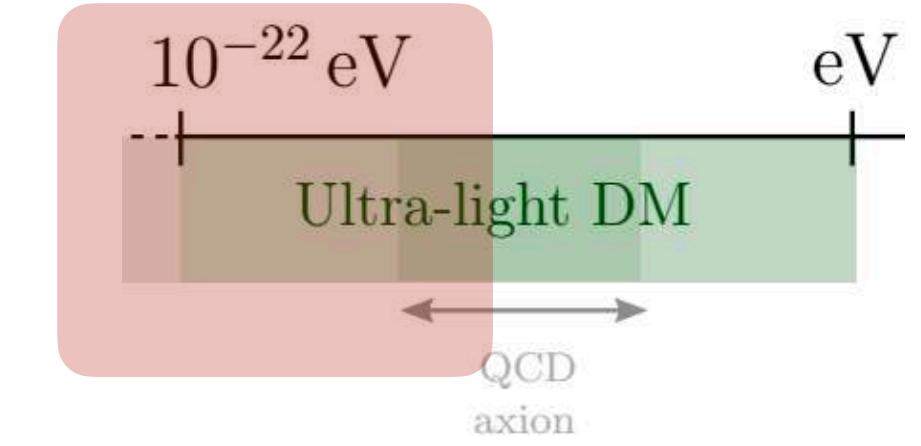
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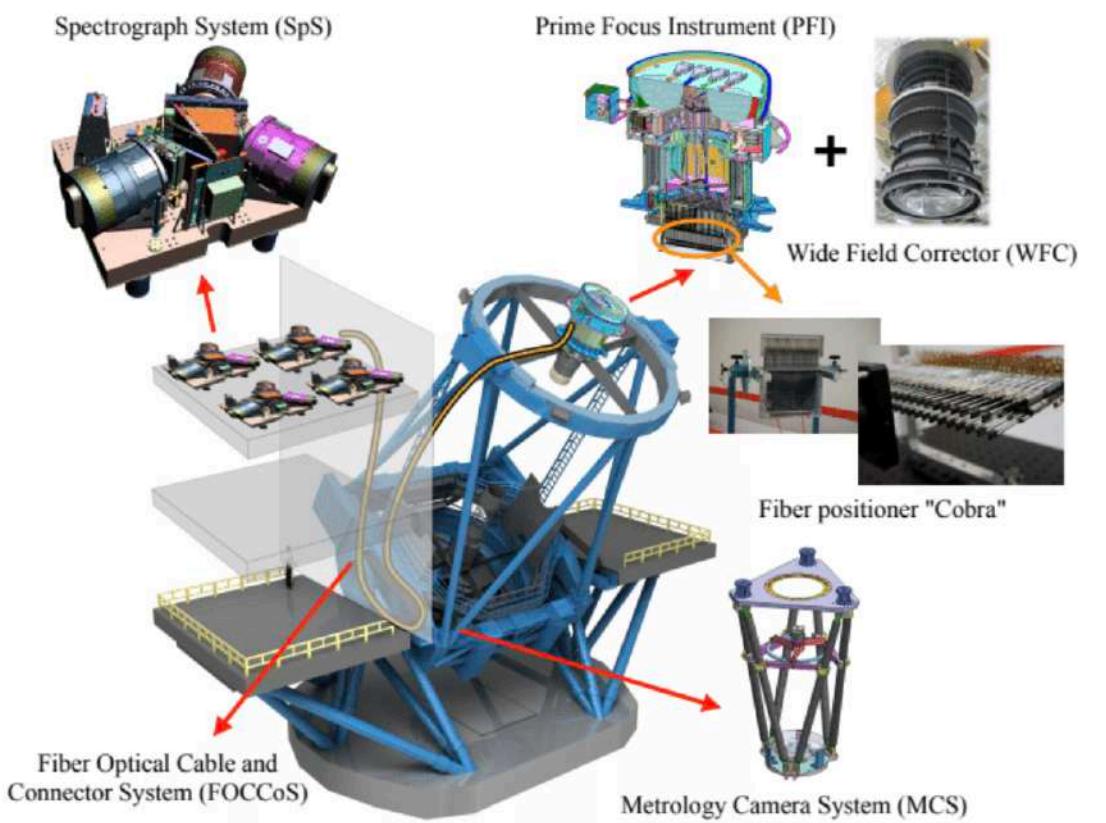
These models can be highly constrained

If these bounds holds, the FDM mass range is narrowing down

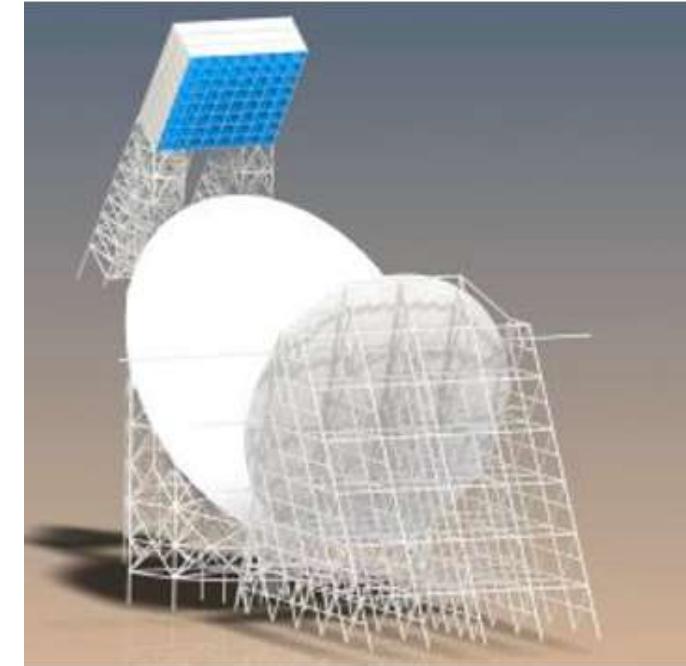
GOAL: Constraints for SIFDM

Future

Prime Focus Spectrograph (PFS)



BINGO telescope



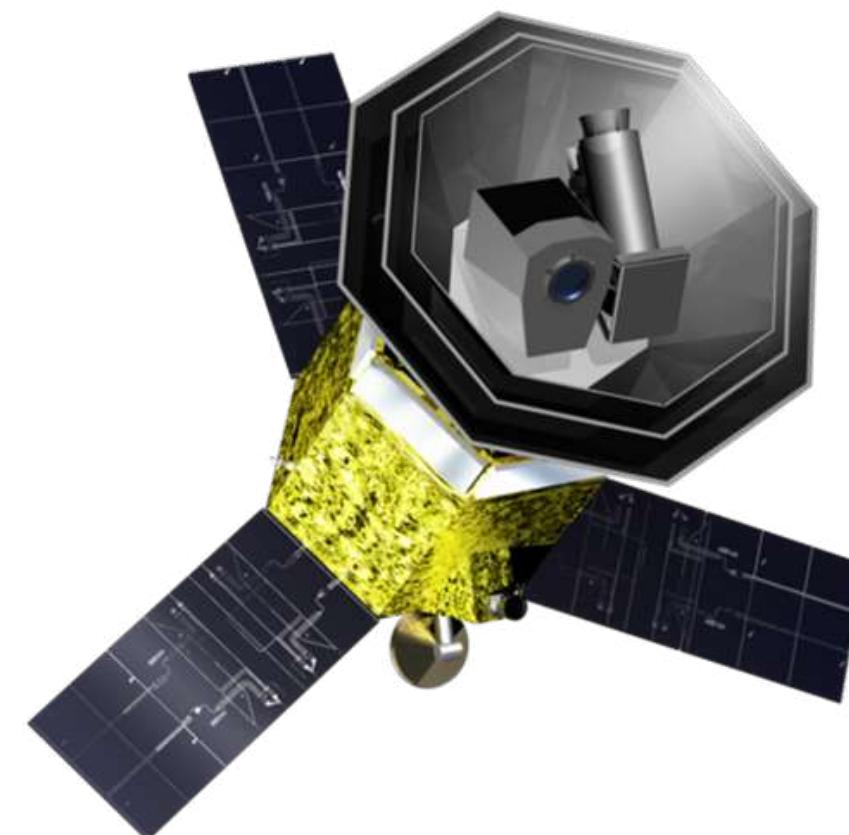
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Vera Rubin observatory (LSST)



LiteBIRD



PFS (*Prime Focus Spectrograph*)

PFS is going to be exquisite to measure the properties of DM

GOAL

PFS: spectroscopy part of *SuMIRe project*

DM with PFS → synergy between science goals

Galaxy archeology

- Nature of DM (dSphs)
- Structure of MW dark halo
- Streams
- Stellar kinematics and chemical abundances – MW & M31

Cosmology

- Power spectrum
- HSC+PFS
- Linear growth (RSD)

Galaxy evolution

- Small-scale tests of structure growth
- Halo-galaxy connection M_*/M_{200}
- Physics of cosmic reionization via LAEs & 21cm studies
- Tomography of gas and DM

Wide & deep survey of MW dwarf galaxies w. Subaru/PFS

PFS (*Prime Focus Spectrograph*)

Ongoing

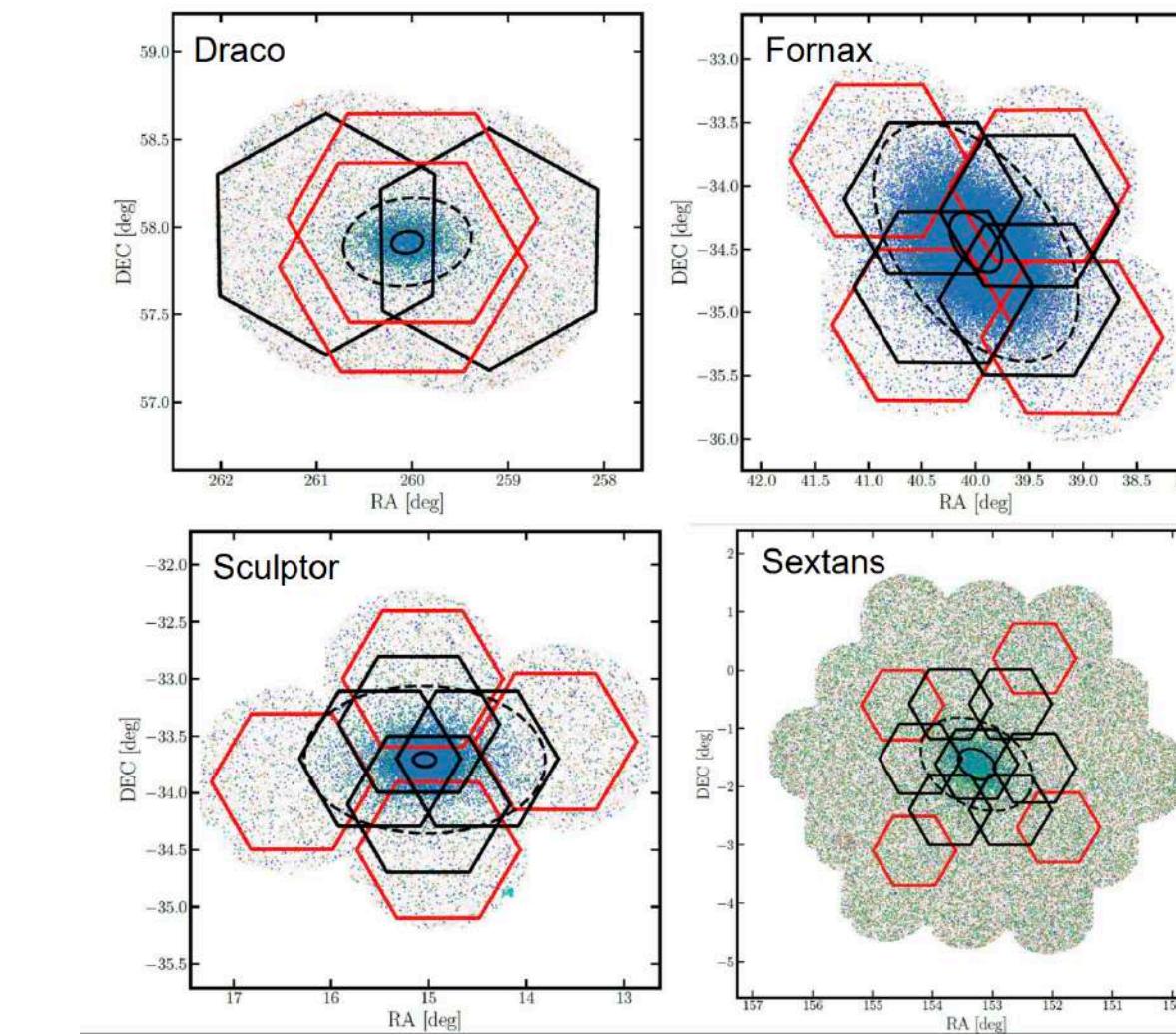
TESTING ULTRA LIGHT DM/DM with PFS

GOAL

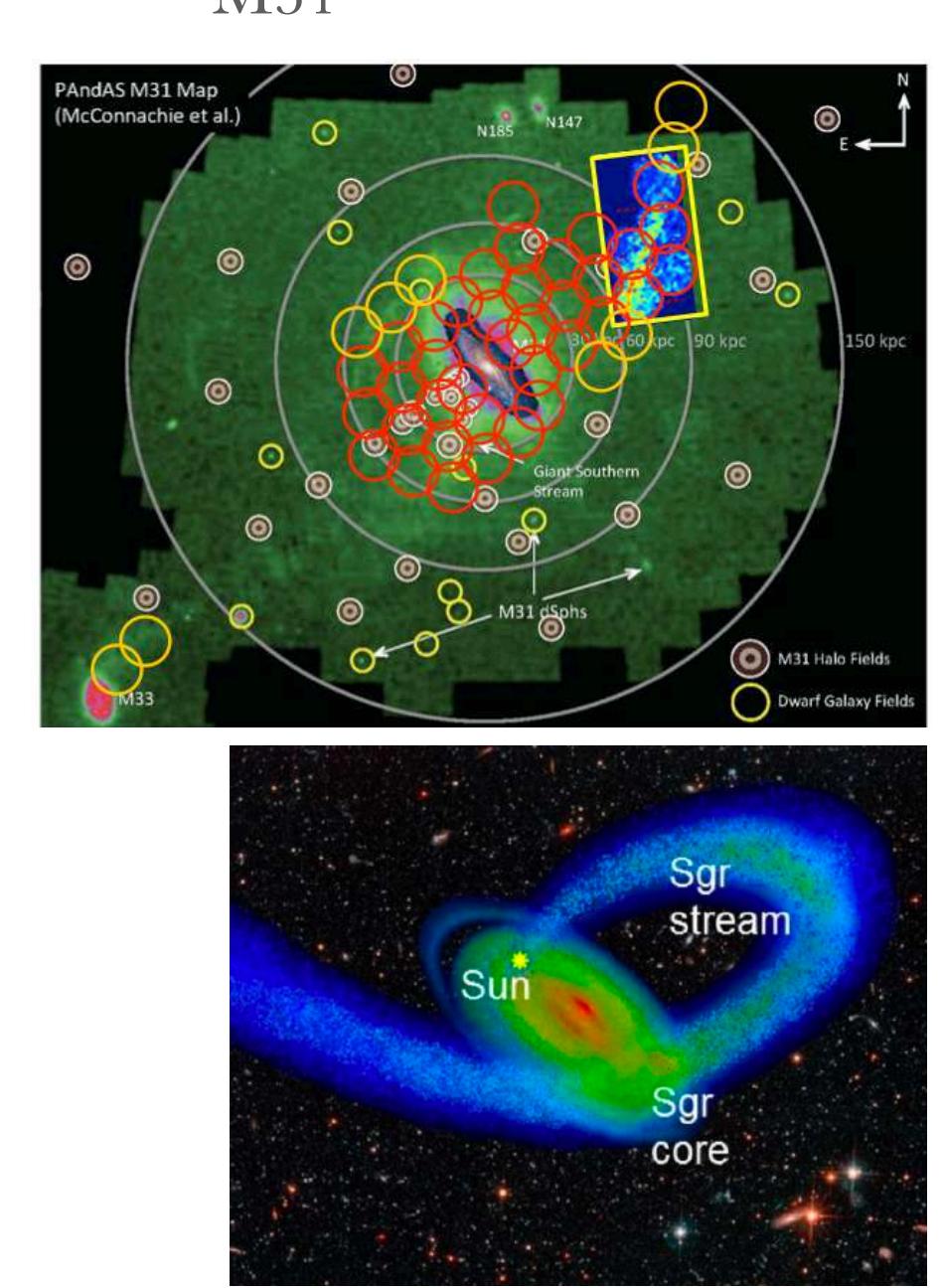
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dSphs



MW outer disk

- MW dwarf satellites - DM halo profile and [Fe/H] & [α/Fe] over largest areas → Unique & high impact
- M31 halo - DM subhalos, chemo-dynamics with spectroscopic [Fe/H] and [α/Fe]
- MW halostreams/disks - Chemo-dynamics of the MW outer disks, halo dynamics, constraints on the Galactic potential → Unique: beyond reach of *Gaia* and VLT

GA → potential to put unprecedented constraints on ULDM. Potential for discovery!

PFS (*Prime Focus Spectrograph*)

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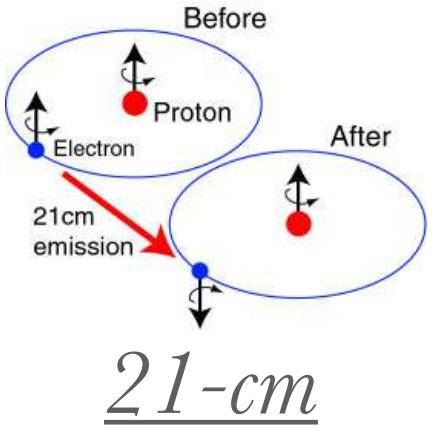
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Use PFS GA, GE and cosmology to constrain the properties of DM.

Future - BINGO telescope



TESTING ULTRA LIGHT DM w/ 21-cm (BINGO)

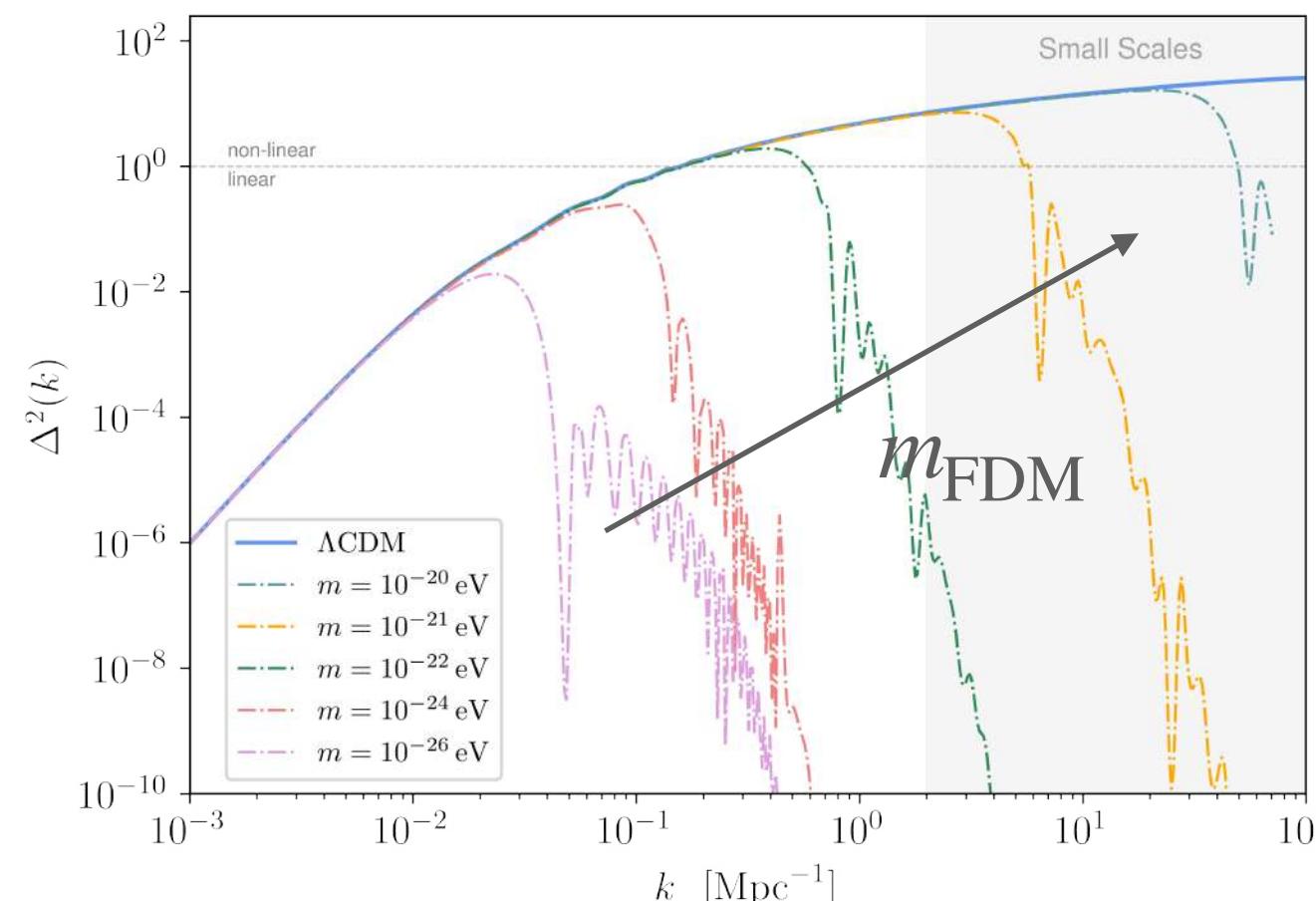
Ultra-light DM (FDM) with 21-cm intensity mapping

- Intensity mapping (IM) - 3D tomographic map: great potential as a future cosmological probe
- **Complementary** to forest probes
- Capacity to probe power spectrum for *smaller scales*

With 21-cm we can probe:

$$m$$

$$\Omega_a/\Omega_t$$

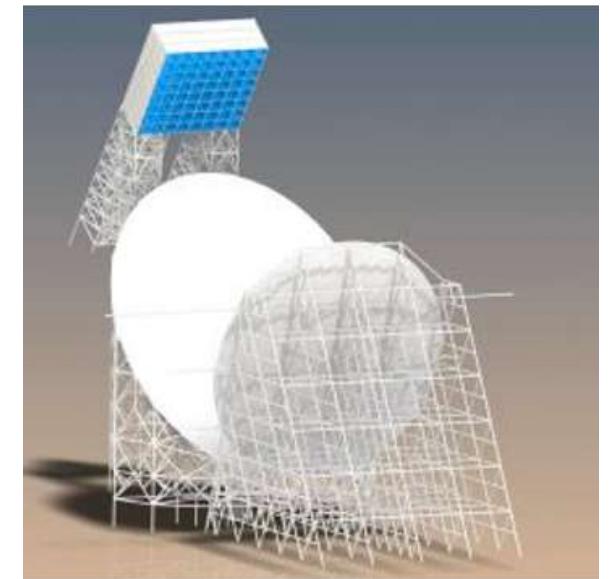


- Suppression of PS
- Increase in b_{HI}

BINGO (BAO In Neutral Gas Observations)

Intensity mapping - BAO

- Dish diameter: 40m
- Area : $15 \times 200 \text{ deg}^2$ – drift scan
- Frequency range: 960 - 1260MHz
- Redshift range: 0.12 - 0.48



- Main goals: DE, FRBs
- Constraints on DM

Observation start: end of 2022

FORECAST

Bauer et al 2020
Carucci et al 2018

$$\sigma(\Omega_a/\Omega_T)_{\text{bingo}} = 0.2$$

*“The BINGO project I”, Abdalla, E.F., et al, 2021
+ The BINGO project II - VII, including E.F.*



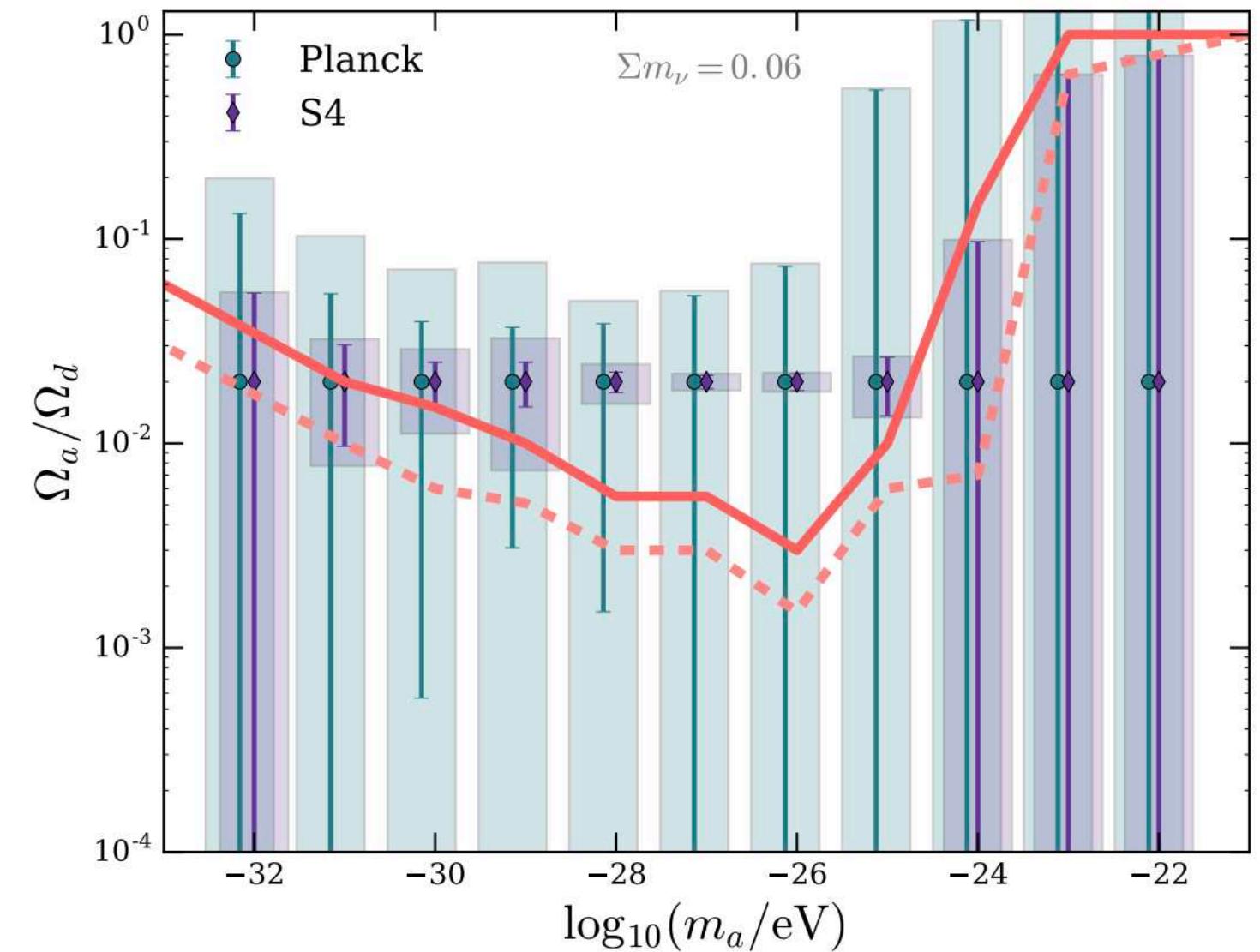
Future - Cosmic Microwave Background

TESTING ULTRA LIGHT DM CMB

GOAL

CMB - S4

Constraints on Ω_a/Ω_d



Hlozek et al., 2016

Significantly improve constraints on the composition of the dark sector!

Constraints on the *optical depth* $\tau(r_{\text{rec}})$

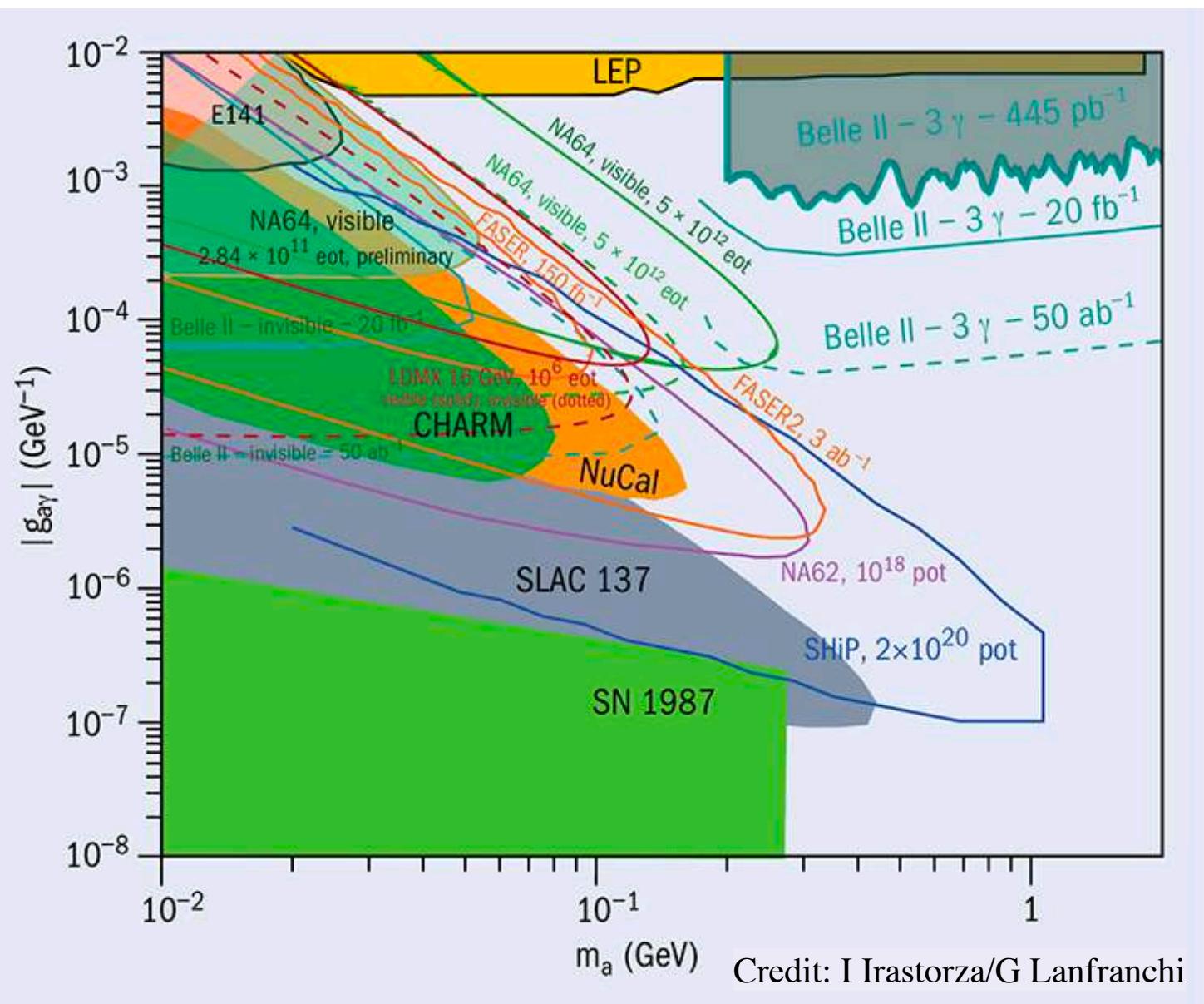
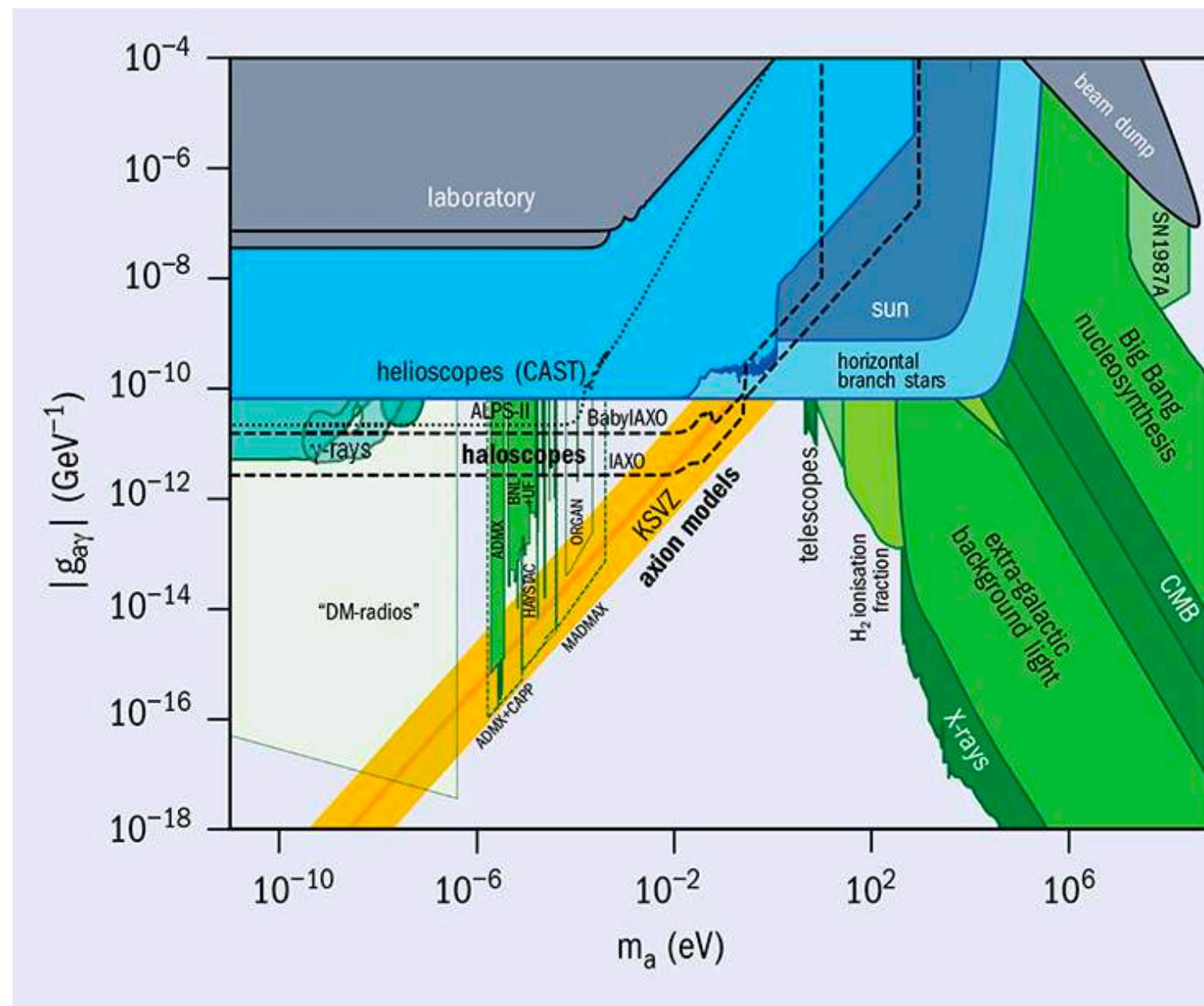
Constraint the ULDM mass

Kinematic Sunyaev-Zel'dovich effect: sensitive to the duration of the reionization

- *LiteBIRD*
- *Advances ACTPol*
- *CMB-S4*

Axion - direct and indirect detection

Axion ou ALP interacts with photons



Axion ou ALP interacts with neutrinos

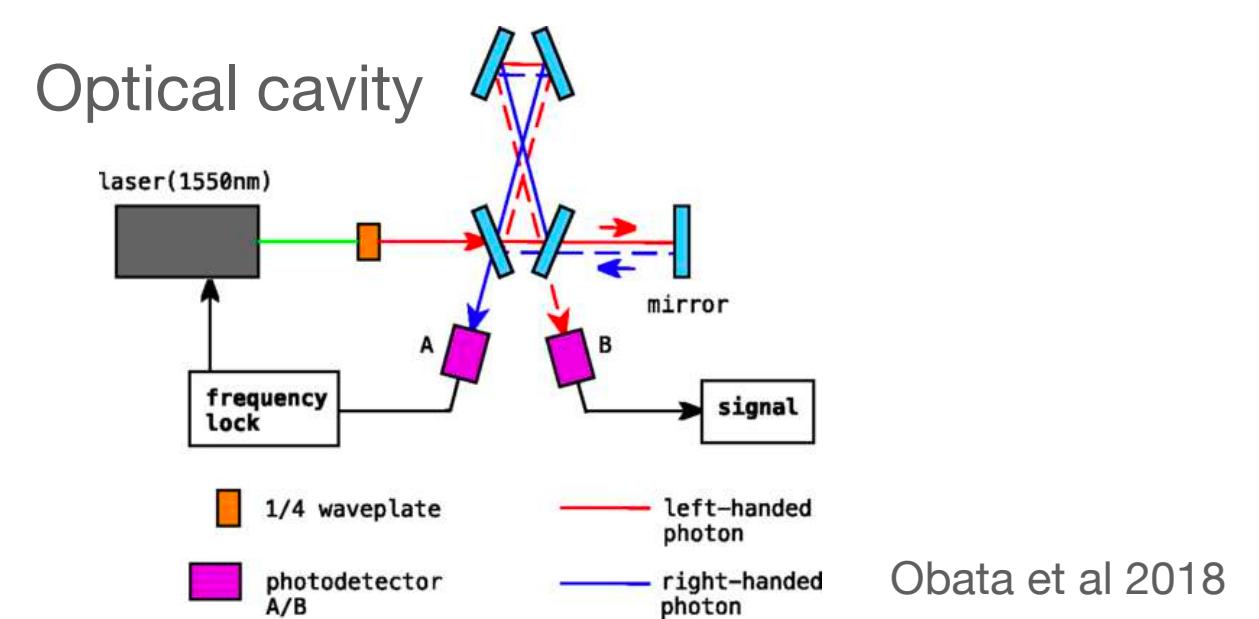
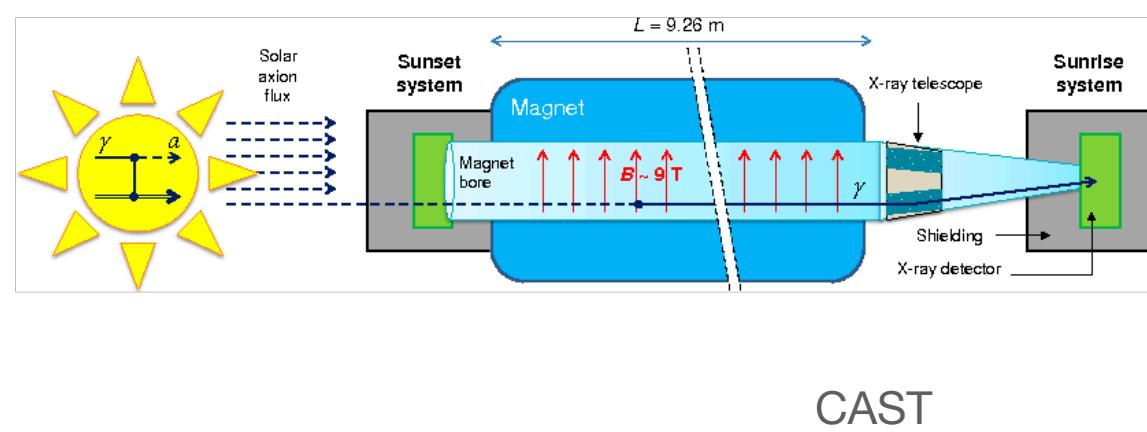
Shao-Feng Ge, Hitoshi Murayama, 2019

Abhish Dev et al, 2020

Effects of oscillations of the axions can be probed in neutrino oscillation experiments

- time variation os neutrino signal
- Oscillation prob. distorted
- ...

Super-Kamiokande?
(Hyper-K)



This effect can also be seen in:

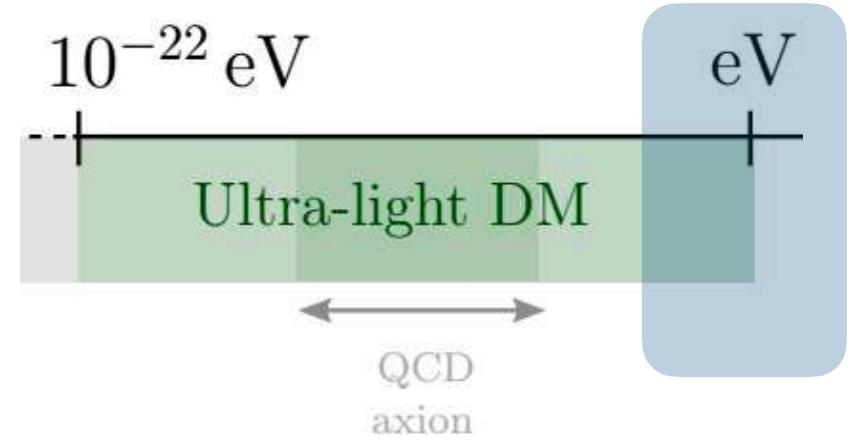
- CMB
- BBN
- Astrophysical neutrinos and Sn 1987A

Superfluid Dark Matter



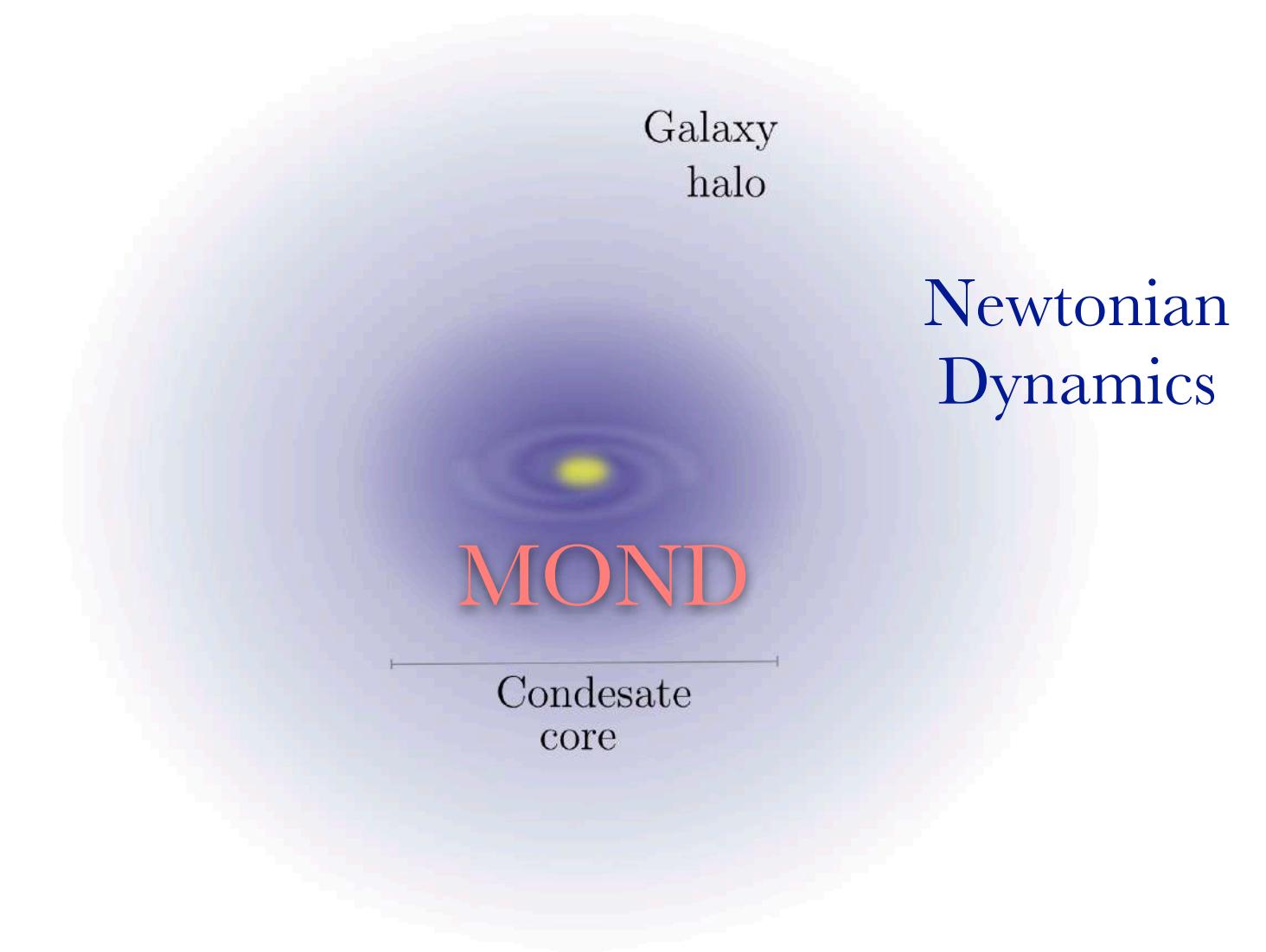
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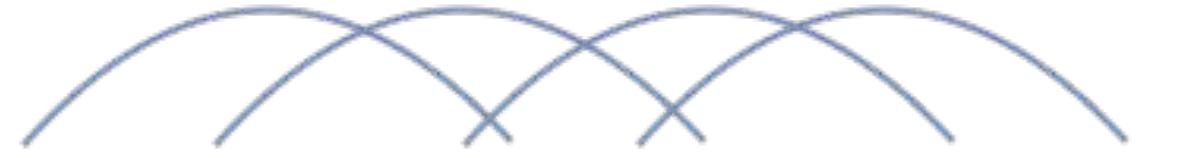


Lasha Berezhiani and Justin Khoury (2016)

Large scales:
DM behaves like standard
particle DM (**CDM**).



Galactic scales:
DM forms a **superfluid**
→ emergent **MOND** dynamics
in galaxies



$$a = \begin{cases} a_N^b, & a_N^b \gg a_0. \\ \sqrt{a_N^b a_0}, & a_N^b \ll a_0. \end{cases}$$

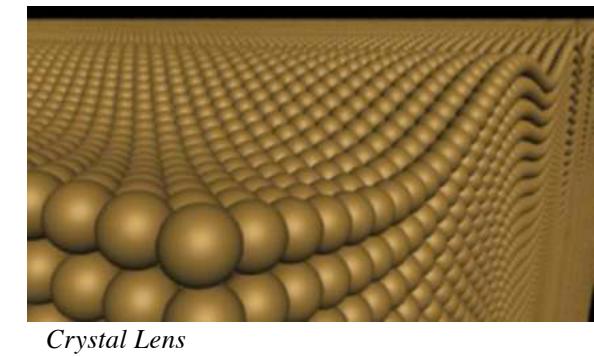
Similar phenomenology than the FDM & SIFDM + explains the **rotations curves and scaling relations**

Suppresses small structures, dyn. effects, formation of cores

Superfluid Dark Matter

How to construct - MOND from phonons

EFT of superfluids

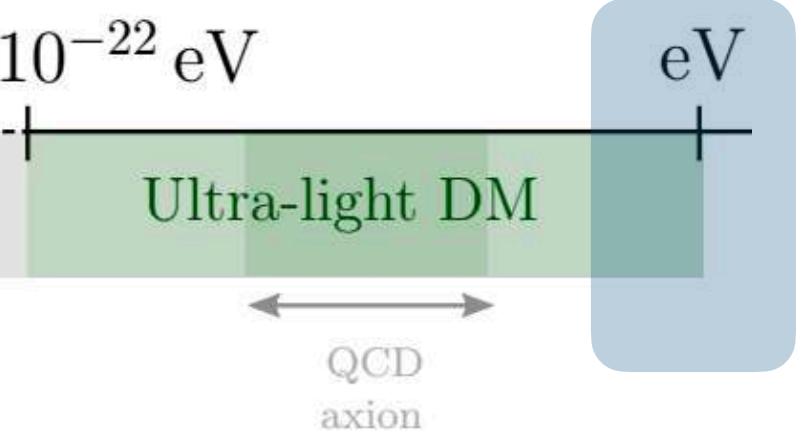


$$\mathcal{L} = P(X)$$

$$X = \dot{\theta} - m\Phi - \frac{(\vec{\nabla}\theta)^2}{2m}$$

$$\Psi = (v + \rho)e^{i(\mu t + \theta)}$$

Low energy: only θ excited - phonon
Nambu Goldstone boson



Lasha Berezhiani and Justin Khoury (2016)

Different phenomena $P(X) \propto (\dot{\theta}/m)^n$

$n = 2$: $P \sim \rho^2$ BEC

$n = 3/2$: $P \sim \rho^3$ "MOND"

$n = 5/2$: $P \sim \rho^{5/3}$ Unitary Fermi gas

To describe non-relativistic MOND, it is imposed that:

$$P(X) = \frac{2\Lambda (2m)^{3/2}}{3} X \sqrt{|X|}$$

→ Leads to an equation of state $P \sim \rho^3$
required to describe MOND

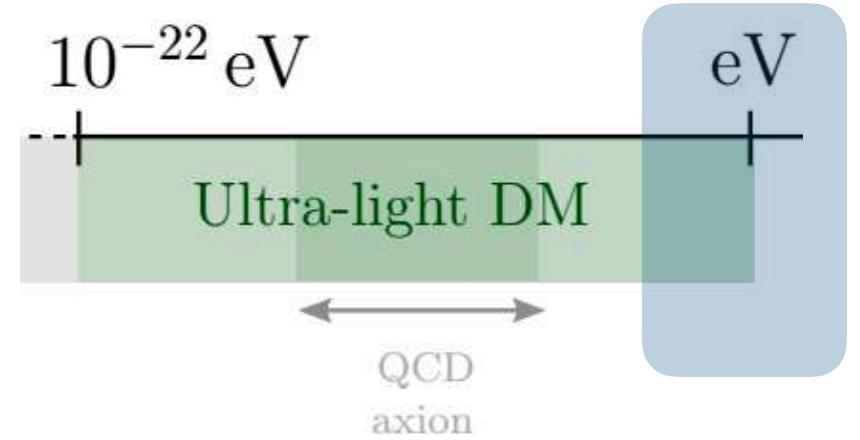
To mediate the MONDian force,
couple phonons to baryons:

$$\mathcal{L}_{int} \sim \frac{\Lambda}{M_{pl}} \theta \rho_b$$

Softly breaks shift symmetry

$$\Lambda = \sqrt{a_0 M_{pl}} \sim 0.8 \text{ meV}$$

Superfluid Dark Matter



- Newtonian limit: $|\vec{\nabla}\Phi| > 3a_0$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\vec{\nabla}^2\Phi = \frac{\rho_s + \rho_b}{2M_{pl}^2}}$$

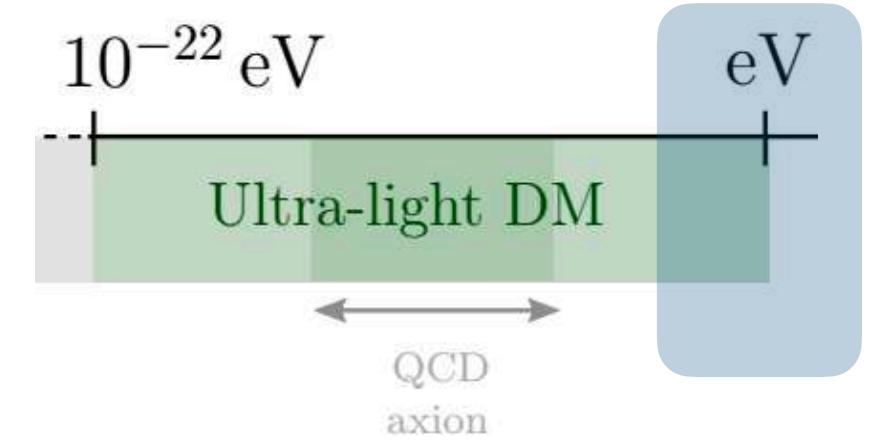
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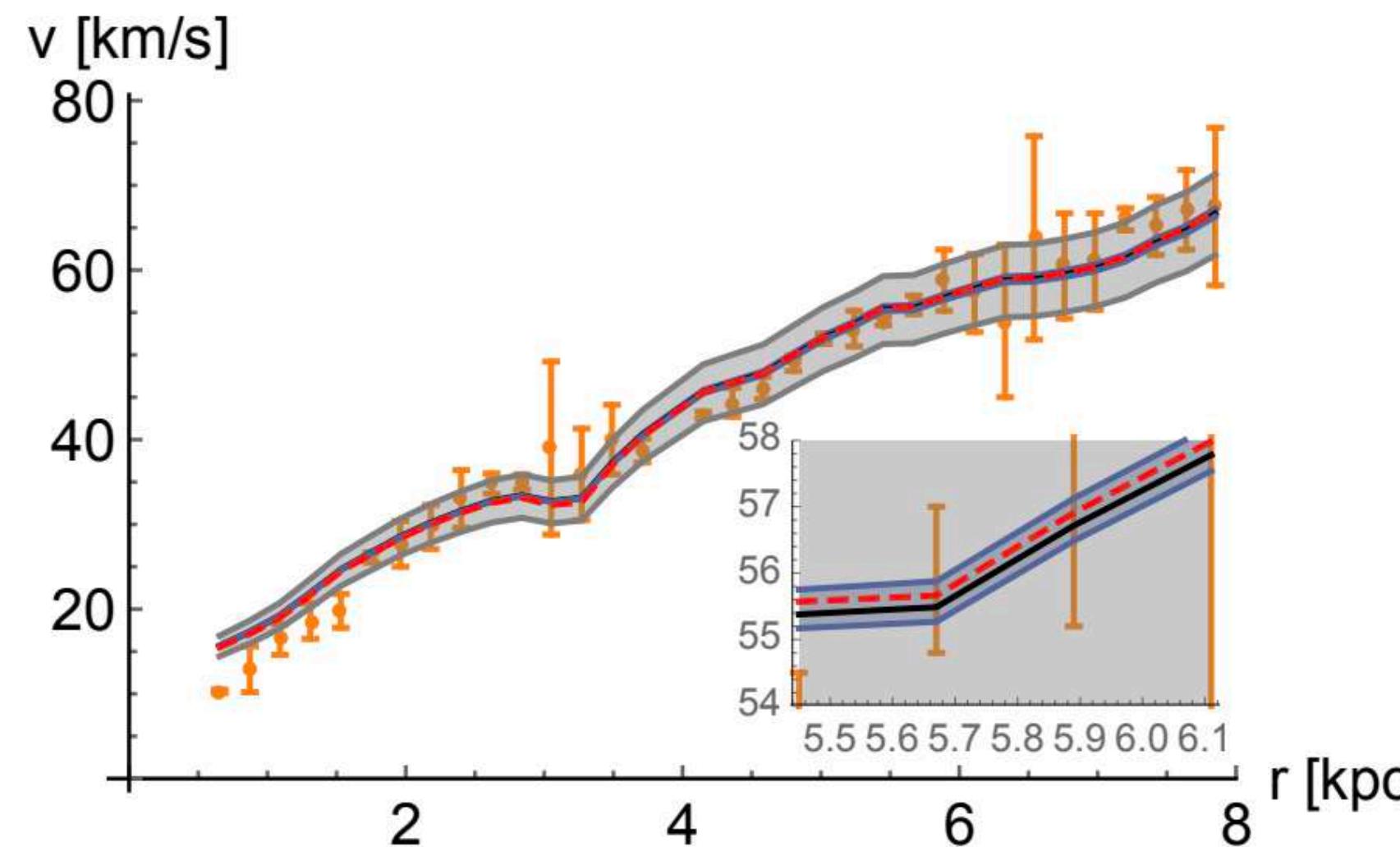


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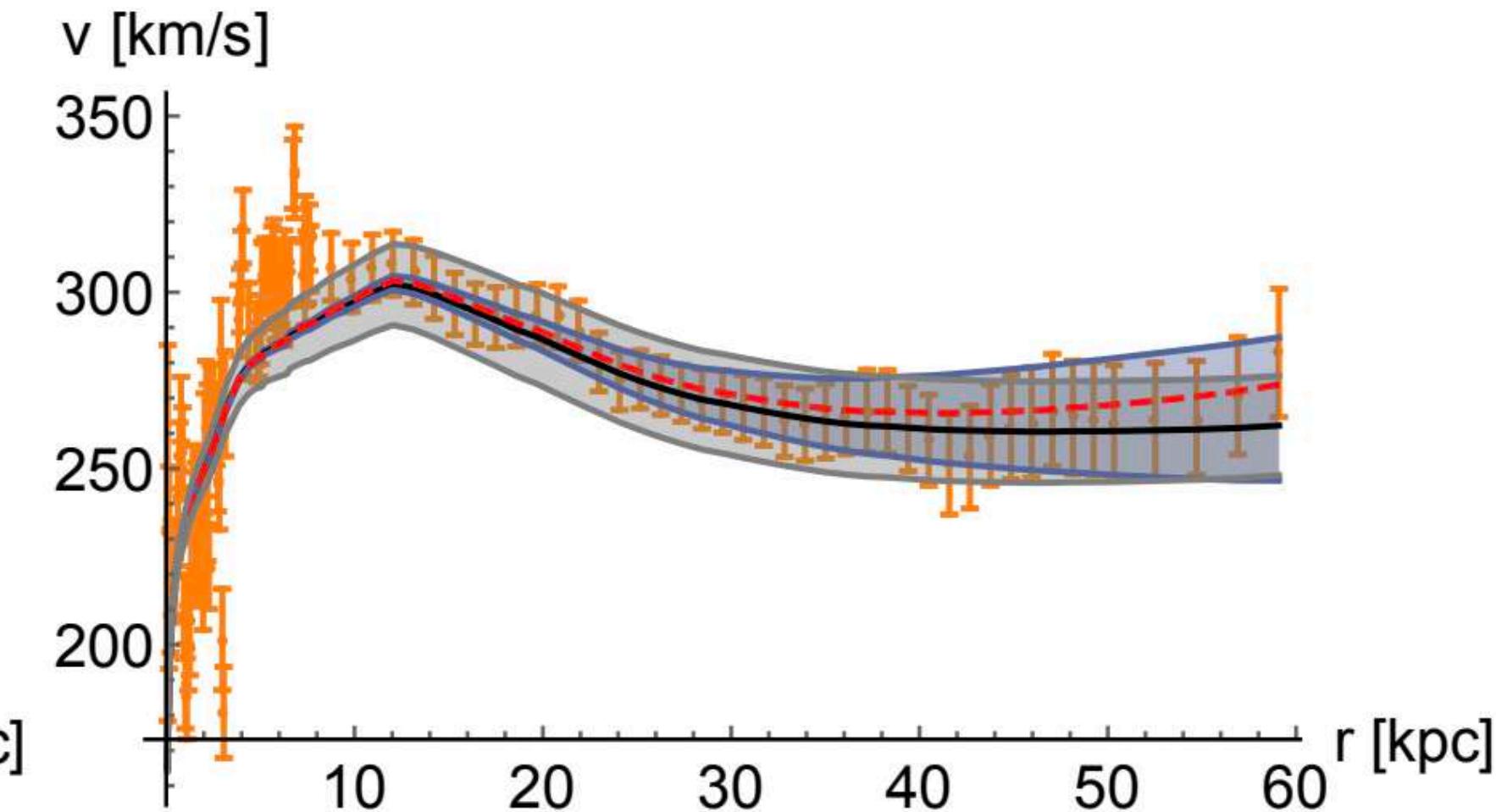
Rotation curves



Low surface brightness



High surface brightness



Superfluid core:

$$R_{halo} = 57 \text{ kpc}$$

$$R_{Sf} = 40 \text{ kpc}$$

58% of the total mass of the halo

$$R_{halo} = 445 \text{ kpc}$$

$$R_{Sf} = 79 \text{ kpc}$$

25% of the total mass of the halo

Superfluid Dark Matter

Observational consequences

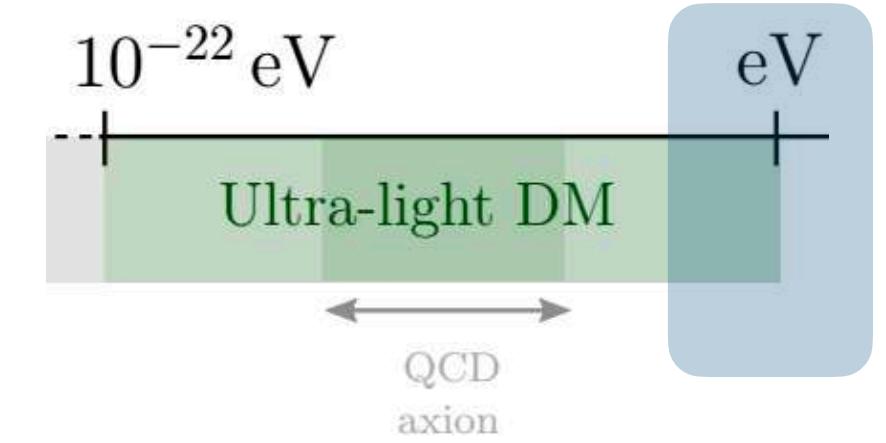
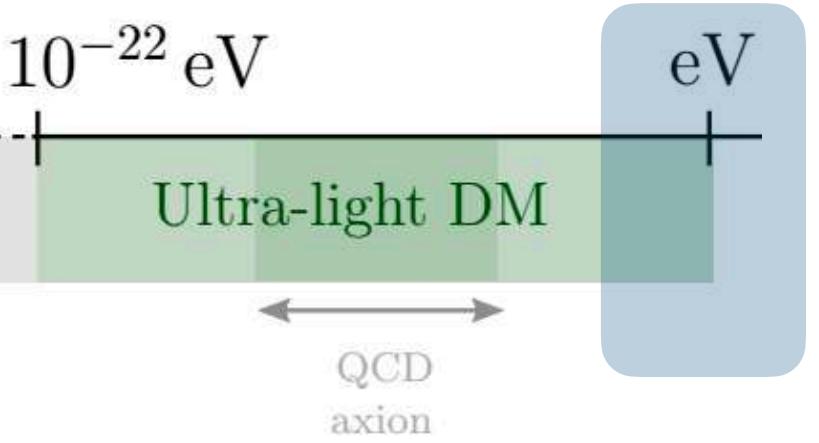


Table 2: Summary of observational consequences of superfluid DM from [124].

System	Behavior
Rotating Systems	
Solar system	Newtonian
Galaxy rotation curve shapes	MOND (+ small DM component making HSB curves rise)
Baryonic Tully–Fisher Relation	MOND for rotation curves (but particle DM for lensing)
Bars and spiral structure in galaxies	MOND
Interacting Galaxies	
Dynamical friction	Absent in superfluid core
Tidal dwarf galaxies	Newtonian when outside of superfluid core
Spheroidal Systems	
Star clusters	MOND with EFE inside galaxy host core — Newton outside of core
Dwarf Spheroidals	MOND with EFE inside galaxy host core — MOND+DM outside of core
Clusters of Galaxies	Mostly particle DM (for both dynamics and lensing)
Ultra-diffuse galaxies	MOND without EFE outside of cluster core
Galaxy-galaxy lensing	
Driven by DM enveloppe \implies not MOND	
Gravitational wave observations	
	As in General Relativity

Superfluid Dark Matter

Dynamical Friction

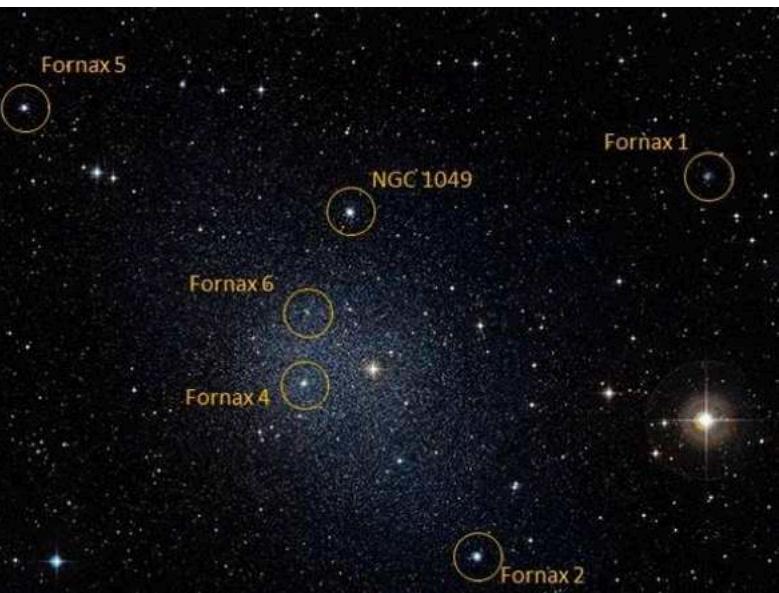


Inner region of galaxy:
Superfluid core

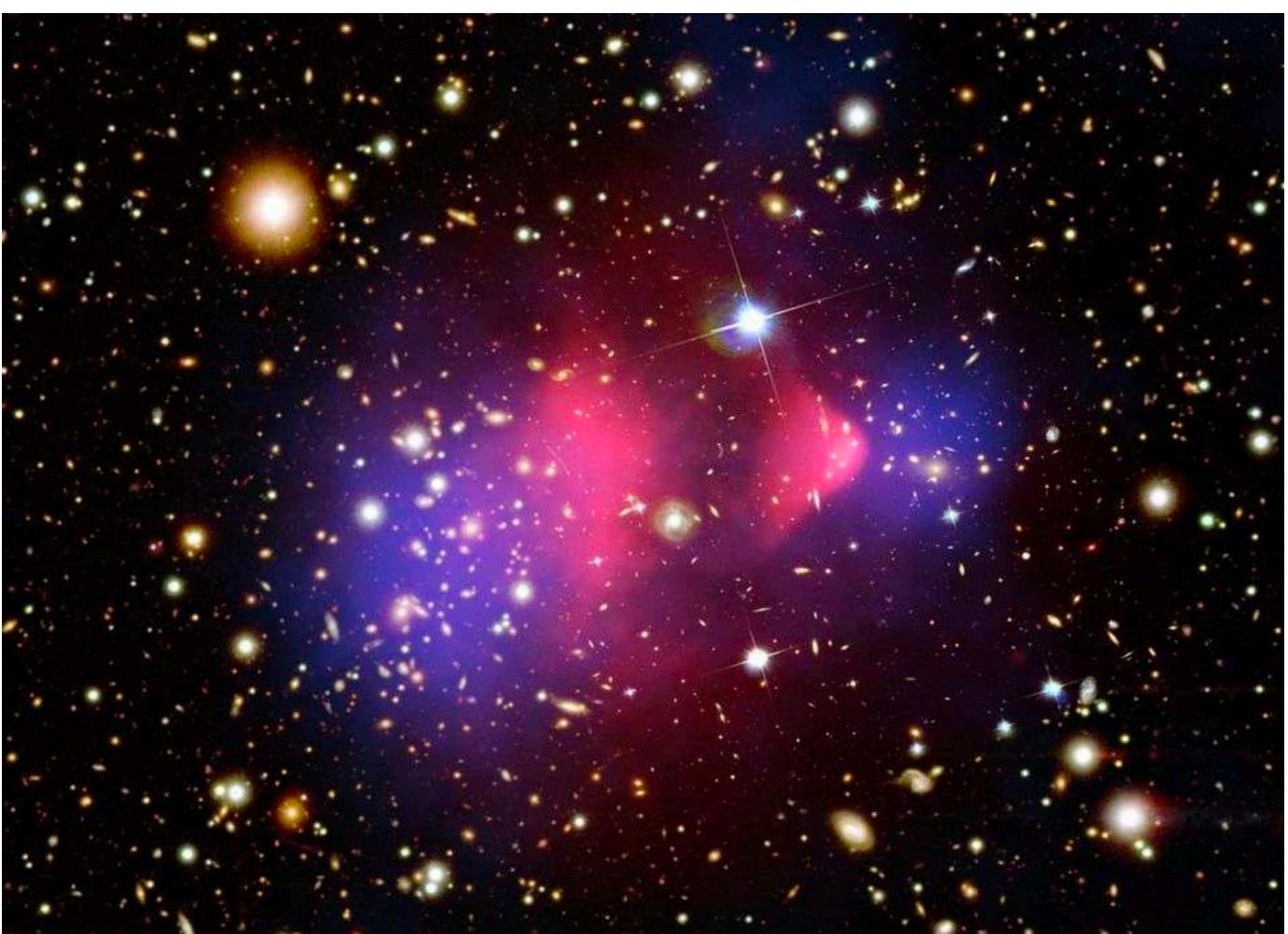


Superfluid flows **without friction**

- **Fornax:** globular cluster should have merged with Fornax due to dynamical friction.
Superfluid \rightarrow no friction
Can explain these glob. Clusters



Complete analysis in: B. Elder et al., JCAP 1910 (2019) no.10, 074

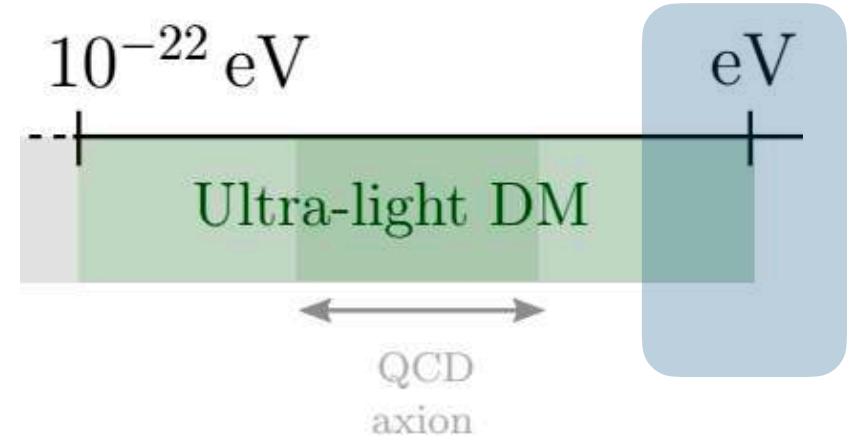


Composite Credit: X-ray: NASA/CXC/M.M. Markevitch et al.;
Lensing Map: NASA/STScI; ESO/WFI; Magellan/U.Arizona/D.Clowe et al.;
Optical: NASA/STScI; Magellan/U.Arizona/D.Clowe et al.

Large cluster **subsonic** and small
cluster **supersonic** (Sf core)
Bullet cluster as expected!

Landa criteria for
superfluid
 $v < v_c$

Superfluid Dark Matter



Superfluid DM model presents a very interesting behaviour in galaxies, being able to reproduce MOND from DM

- Presents only a phenomenological non-relativistic description
- Need to develop cosmology
- Does not present many constraints yet.

Presents opportunities of theoretical and observational advances!

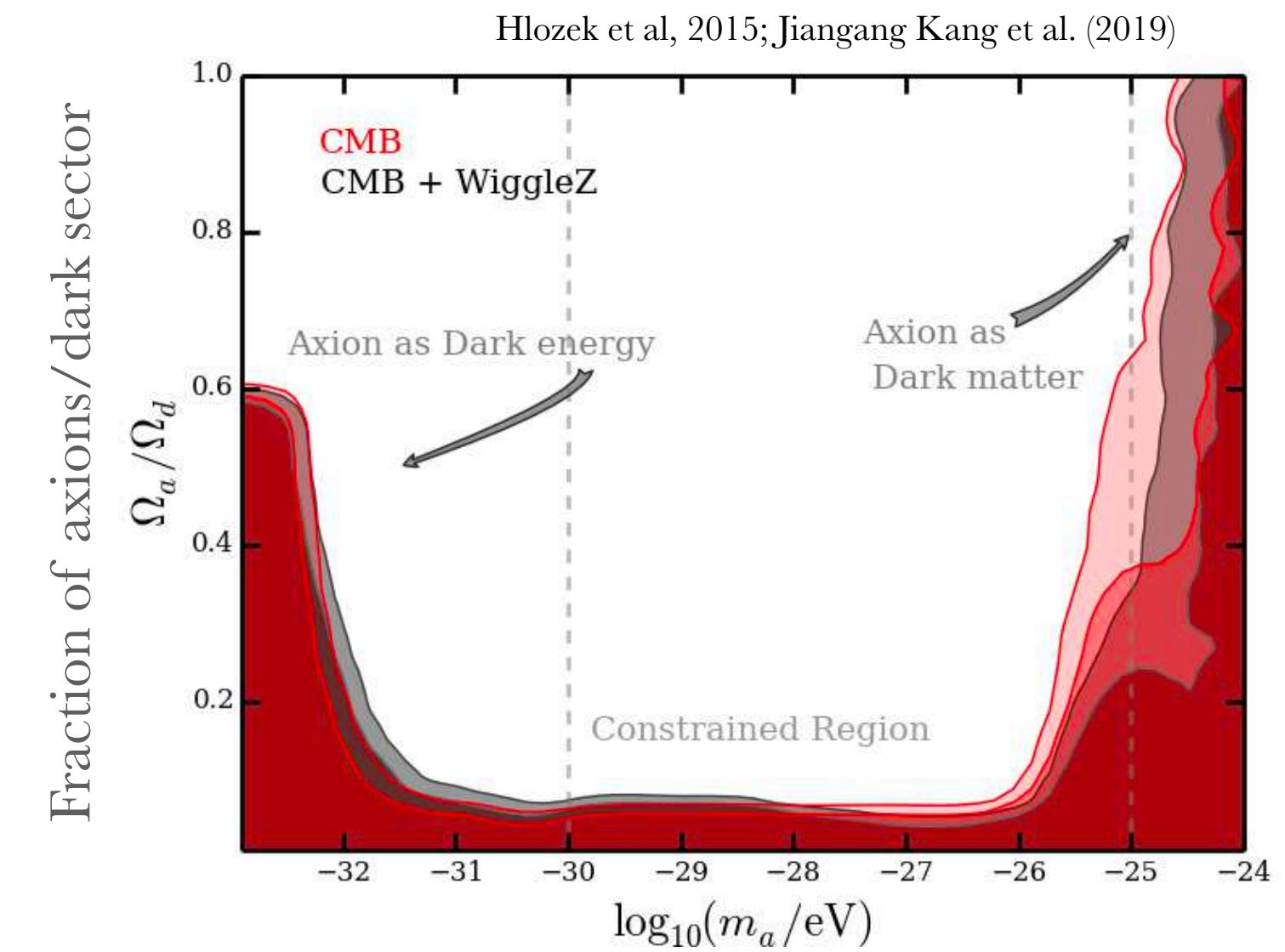
Ultra-light fields as Dark Energy

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Fuzzy Dark Matter

Behave as **dark energy** with $w \sim -1$ for

$$m_{\text{fdm}} < 10^{-32} \text{ eV}$$



Ultra-light fields as Dark Energy



Unified superfluid dark sector

- DM superfluid with **two interacting distinguishable states**.
- Phonons: propagate with **different phases** for each species
→ Potential for the $(\theta_1 - \theta_2)$
- **Prediction** for clustering

Unified framework
w/ DM alone!

- Acceleration from **interactions** (no dark energy)
- Use condensed matter methods in cosmology – effective change of the dynamics, no change in the fundamental theory.

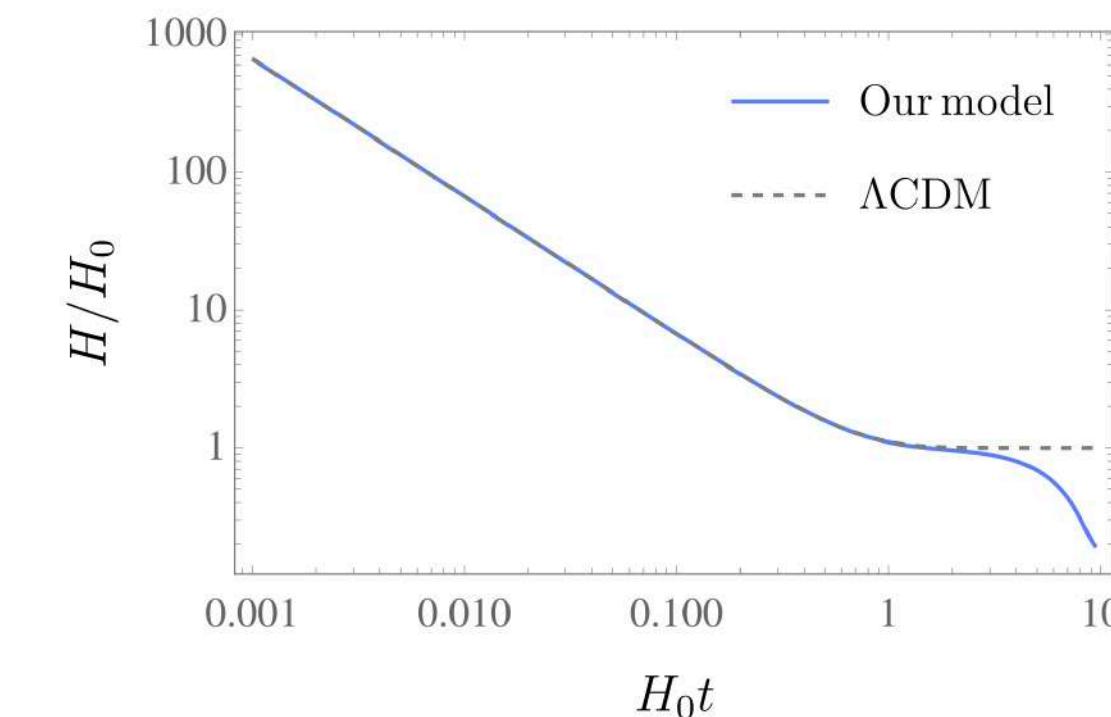
“*Unified superfluid dark sector*”, EF, G. Franzmann, J. Khoury, R. Brandenberger, 2018

$$\mathcal{L} = P(X_1) + P(X_2) - M^4 [1 + \cos(\theta_1 - \theta_2)/f]$$

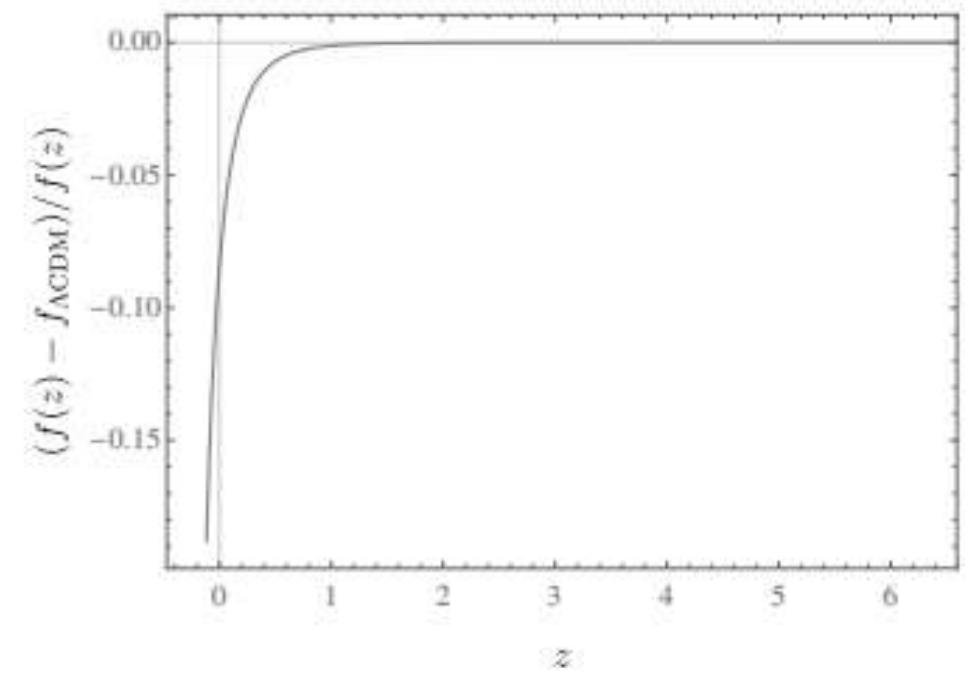
Dark matter

Potential - dark energy

Background evolution



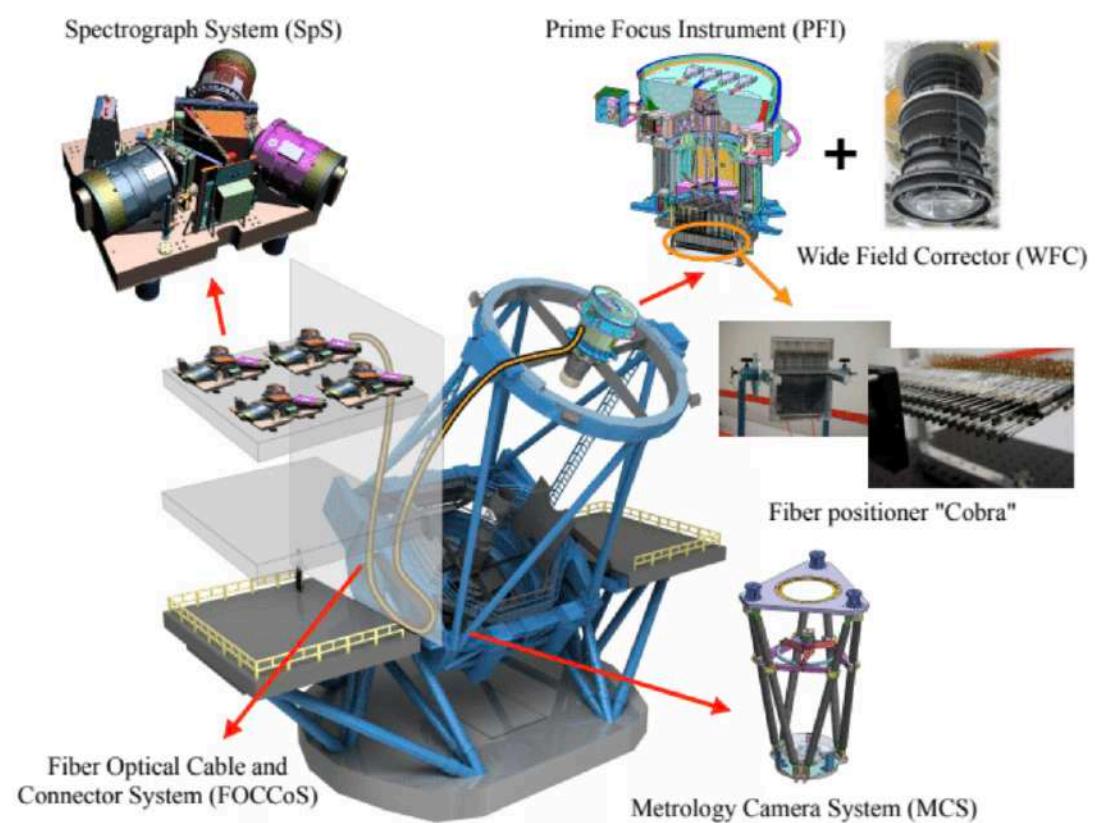
Clustering:
growth factor



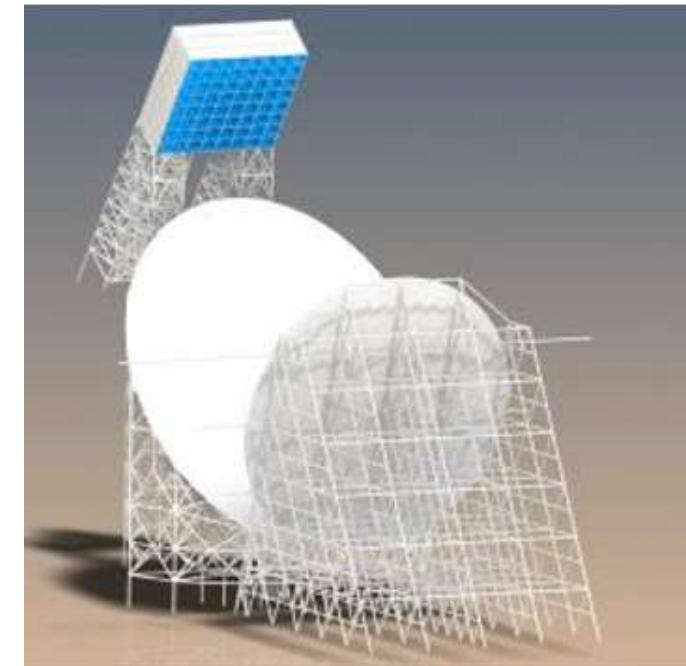
Future

Search for DE - main goal of many of these experiments

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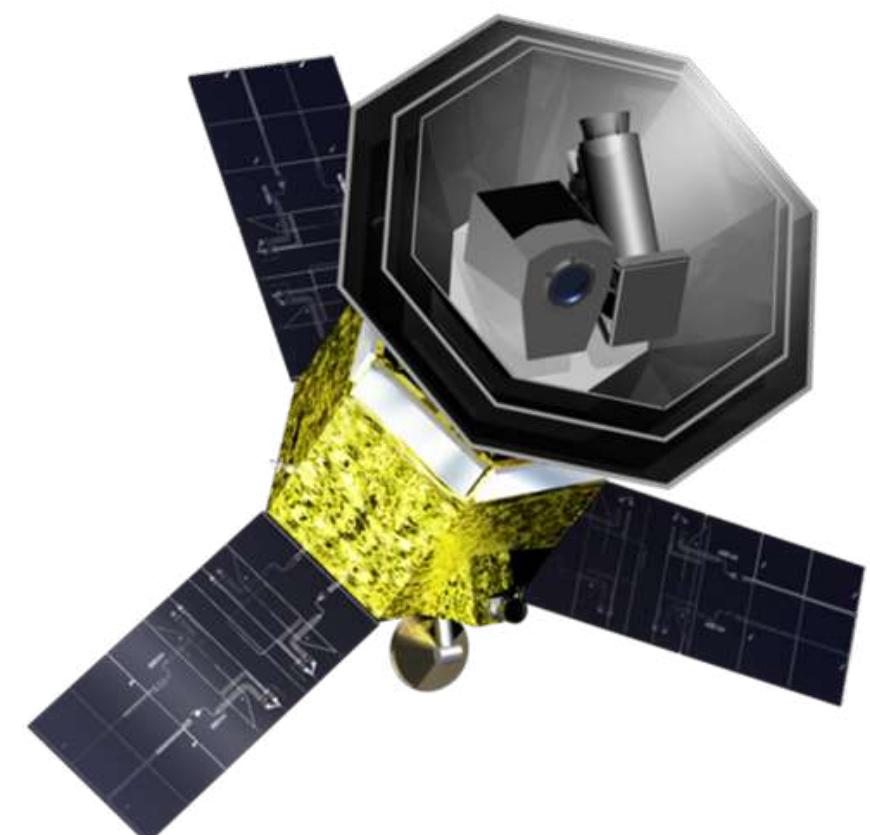
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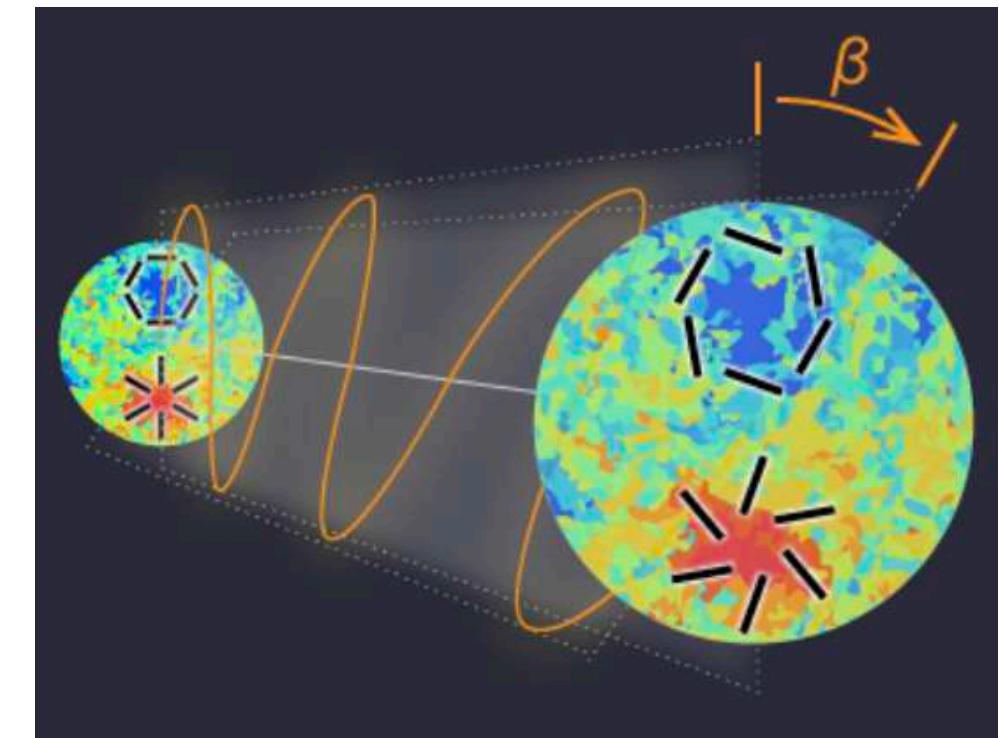
Future - Cosmic Microwave Background

Cosmic Birefringence from axions

Parity-violating physics in polarisation of the cosmic microwave background



Rotation of the CMB polarization plane



Minami/Komatsu

Minami , Komatsu 2020

Could be cause by an **ultra-light axion** that behaves like **dark energy**

LiteBIRD can possibly constraint this effect

- Develop models with such axion
- Study their predictions
- Forecasts for LiteBIIRD

Future Directions

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We have only scratched the surface of the study of these models and their constraints:

**Observations: testing ULDM/
axions**

PFS (Prime Focus Spectrograph)

21cm with BINGO

Constraining ALPs with LiteBIRD

**Predictions, improving
and developing models**

Ultra-light Dark Matter

Numerical Simulations

Ultra-Light field as Dark Energy

Potential for discovery (highly constrain) these models in the near future!

Future Directions

Open questions

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Self-Interacting FDM

- Observable signatures?
- Simulations?

Dark Matter superfluid

- Relativistic completion?
- Microphysics description?
- Cosmology?
- Mass?

Condensation

- BEC or a Superfluid formed in galaxies?
- Break of classicality?

Core vs halo relation

- Observable signatures?
- Simulations?
- Mergers?

Vortices

- Prediction - simulations?
- Observable? How can be probed?

New models

- New well motivated models? (vector ULDM)
- New microphysics description?

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Predictions, improving and developing models

Open questions

Ultra-light Dark Matter

Numerical Simulations

Necessary to compare these models with observations

- SIFDM and DM Sf
- NEW observable: vortices and its predictions
- Zoom-in simulations - halo mass vs core relation

Ultra-Light field as Dark Energy

ALPs and UL fields role in the dark sector

- Unified DM superfluid: completion and test

Potential for discovery (highly constrain) these models in the near future!

Also happy to talk about my work on other topics in cosmology

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Summary

Ultra-Light Dark Matter

- Well motivated DM models
- Rich and distinct phenomenology on small scales
- Testable prediction
- One of the leading candidate for DM

Small Scales

- Opportunity to probe the microphysics, particle physics properties of DM
- Small scales provide strong constraints in these models
- FDM mass being narrowed down

Dark Energy

- Axion like particles and ultra-light fields can have an important role in the dark sector

Future

PFS will be exquisite to measure the properties of DM

- 21cm - complementary probe, power on small scales (BINGO telescope)
- Simulations necessary for testing ULDM models with observations
- New observables, new well motivated models

Thank you!

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