

# Gamma-ray probes of dark matter annihilation

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# Self-introduction



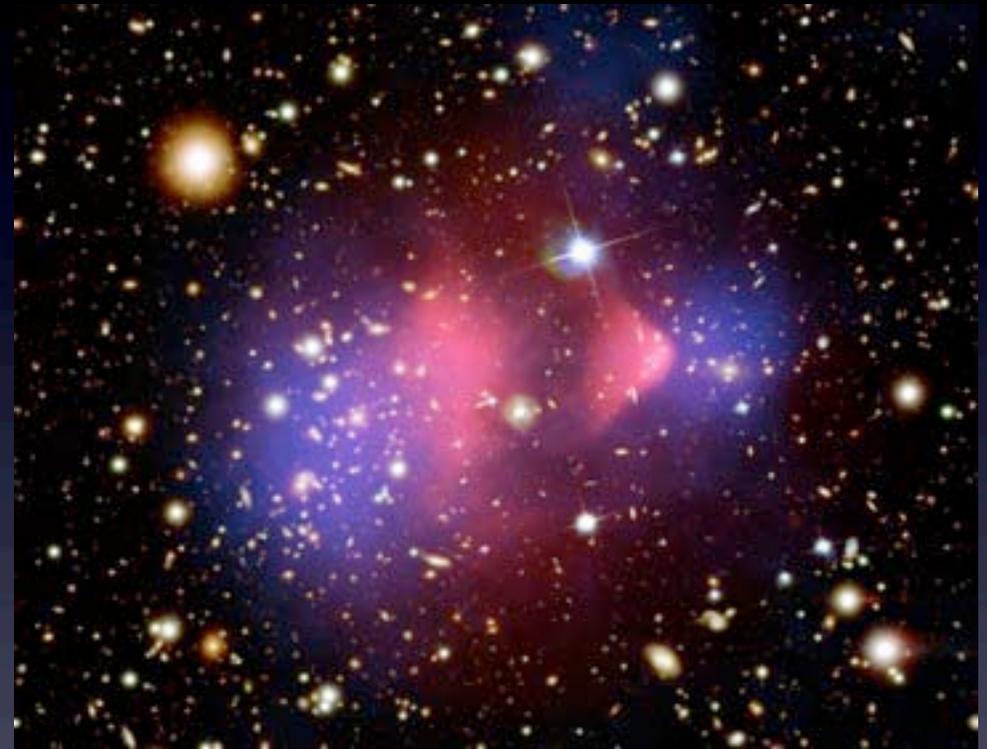
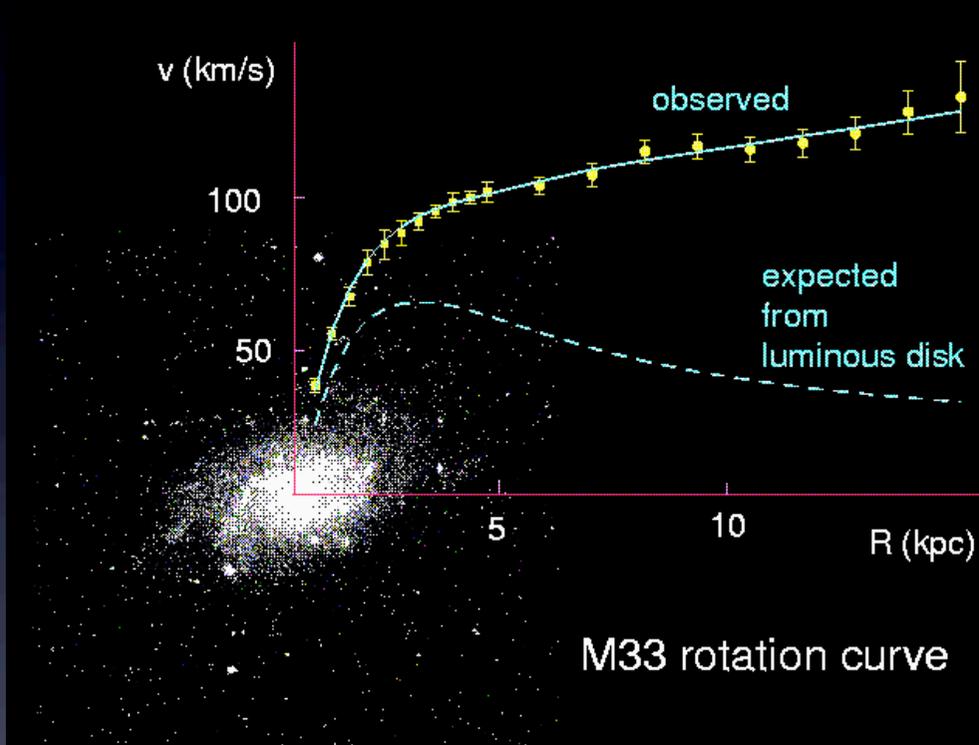
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# Introduction

# Nonbaryonic dark matter

Bergstrom, *Rep. Prog. Phys.* **63**, 793 (2000)

Bullet cluster (1E0657-56)

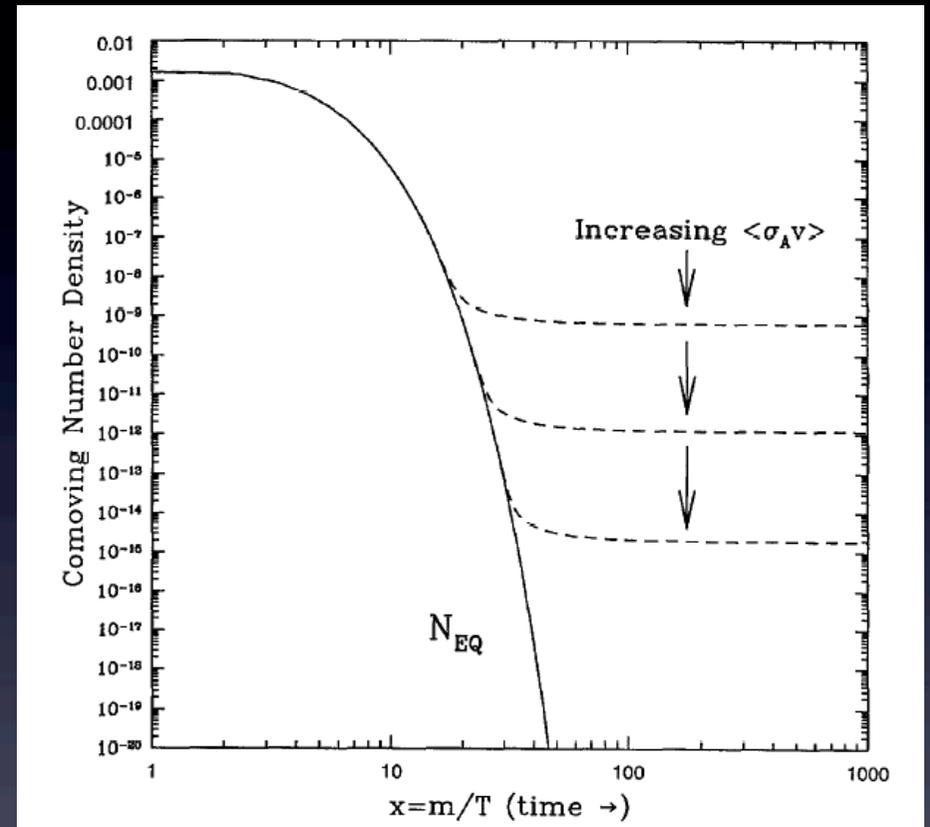


- Many observations indicate presence of *nonbaryonic dark matter*
- Galaxy rotation curves, galaxy clusters, gravitational lensing, CMB anisotropy, etc.
- ~80% of total matter in the Universe

# Identity: WIMP?

- Weakly Interacting Massive Particle (WIMP)
- WIMP with weak-scale interactions naturally explains the relic density
- E.g., supersymmetric neutralino

Jungman, Kamionkowski, Griest, *Phys. Rep.* **267**, 195 (1996); Bertone, Hooper, Silk, *Phys. Rep.* **405**, 279 (2005)



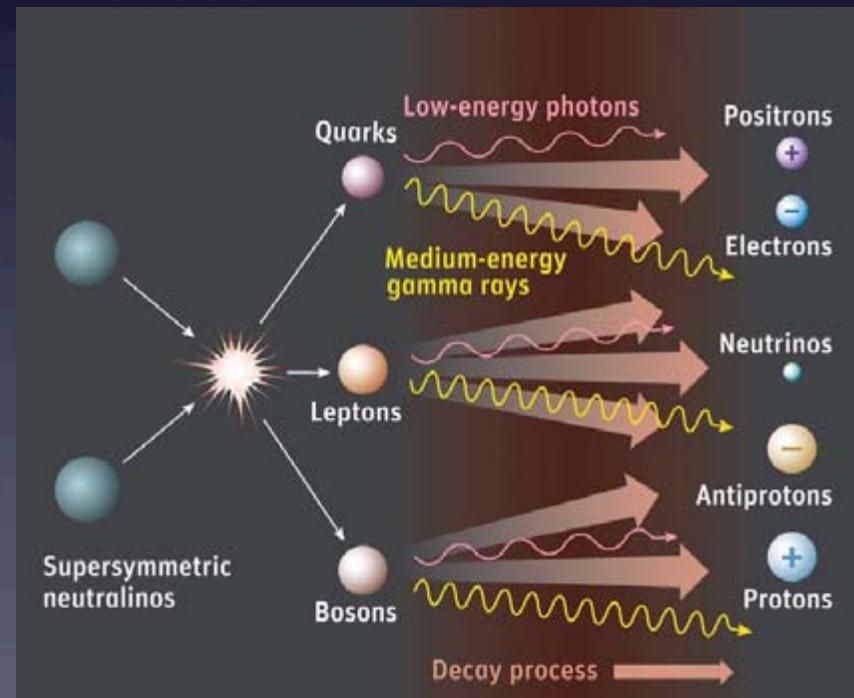
$$\Omega_{\chi} h^2 \simeq \frac{3 \times 10^{-27} \text{ cm}^3 \text{ s}^{-1}}{\langle\sigma_{\text{ann}}v\rangle}$$

$$\langle\sigma_{\text{ann}}v\rangle \sim \alpha^2 (100 \text{ GeV})^{-2}$$

$$\sim 3 \times 10^{-26} \text{ cm}^3 \text{ s}^{-1}$$

# Dark matter annihilation

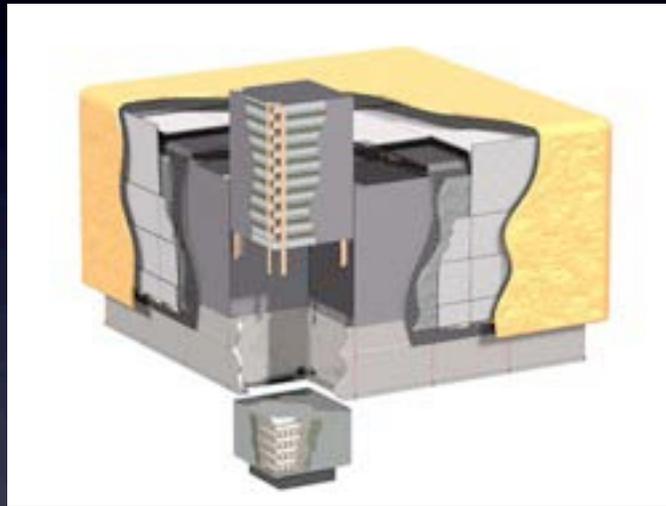
- WIMPs may annihilate into standard model particles (photons, positrons, neutrinos, etc.)
- Energy of product particles is fractions of WIMP mass ( $E \sim \text{GeV} - \text{TeV}$ )
  - High-energy detectors are necessary
- Ongoing projects
  - Fermi, ACTs ( $\gamma, e^\pm$ )
  - PAMELA, ATIC ( $e^\pm$ )
  - IceCube, ANTARES ( $\nu$ )



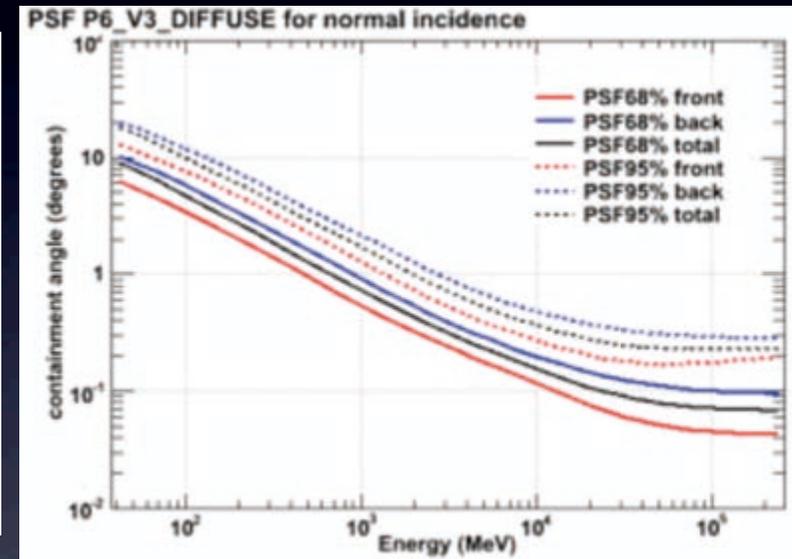
# Fermi Gamma-Ray Space Telescope



Large Area Telescope (LAT)



Pre-launch PSF (P6\_v3)



- Launched in summer 2008
- Collect photons from all sources in the entire sky
- Sensitive to photons between ~20 MeV and 300 GeV
- Angular resolution gets sub-degree for > 1 GeV

# Where to look for annihilation signature

- Galactic center
- Galactic smooth halo component
- Nearby dwarf galaxies (substructure)
- Galaxy clusters
- Diffuse gamma-ray background

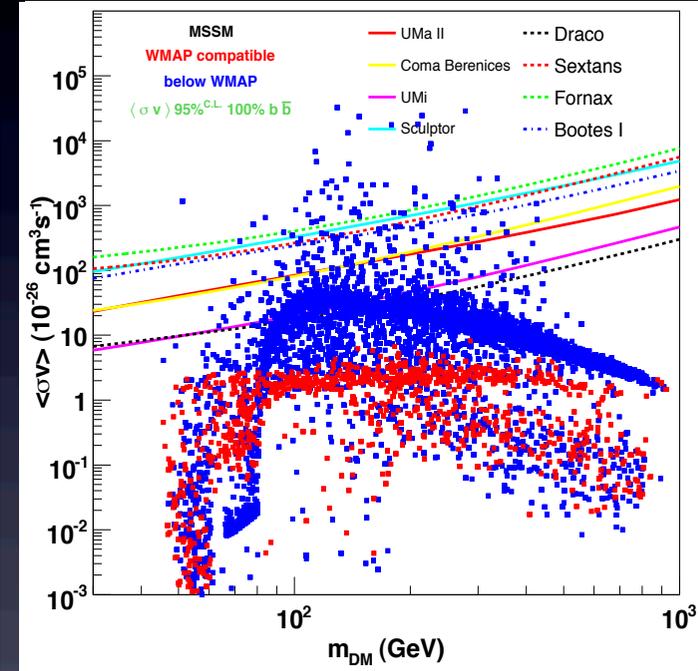
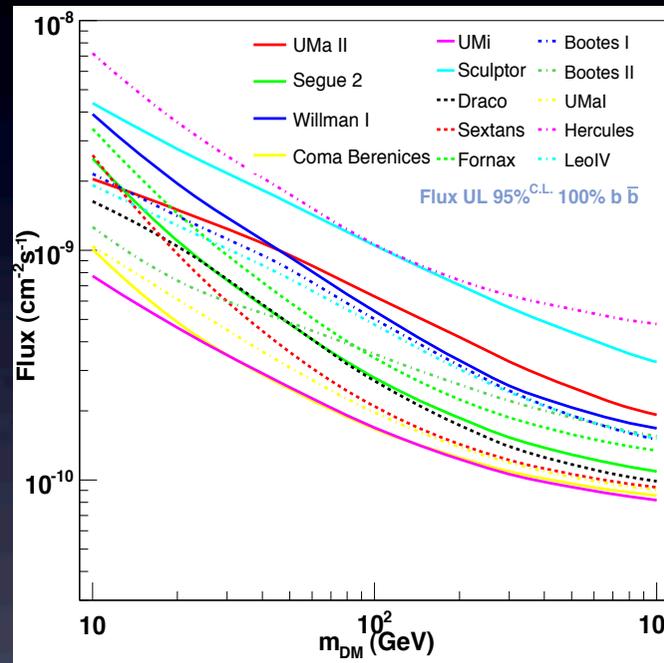
*Contributions from both Galactic subhalos and large-scale structure*

*Dark matter substructure seen by simulations*  
e.g., Diemand, Kuhlen, Madau, *Astrophys. J.* **657**, 262 (2007)

# Search for dark matter in dwarf galaxies

Fermi-LAT, Abdo et al., *Astrophys. J.* **712**, 147 (2010)

Name	Distance (kpc)	year of discovery	$M_{1/2}/L_{1/2}$ ref. 8
Ursa Major II	$30 \pm 5$	2006	$4000^{+3700}_{-2100}$
Segue 2	35	2009	650
Willman 1	$38 \pm 7$	2004	$770^{+930}_{-440}$
Coma Berenices	$44 \pm 4$	2006	$1100^{+800}_{-500}$
Bootes II	46	2007	18000??
Bootes I	$62 \pm 3$	2006	$1700^{+1400}_{-700}$
Ursa Minor	$66 \pm 3$	1954	$290^{+140}_{-90}$
Sculptor	$79 \pm 4$	1937	$18^{+6}_{-5}$
Draco	$76 \pm 5$	1954	$200^{+80}_{-60}$
Sextans	$86 \pm 4$	1990	$120^{+40}_{-35}$
Ursa Major I	$97 \pm 4$	2005	$1800^{+1300}_{-700}$
Hercules	$132 \pm 12$	2006	$1400^{+1200}_{-700}$
Fornax	$138 \pm 8$	1938	$8.7^{+2.8}_{-2.3}$
Leo IV	$160 \pm 15$	2006	$260^{+1000}_{-200}$



- No detection so far, constraining  $\langle \sigma v \rangle < 10^{-25} \text{ cm}^3 \text{ s}^{-1}$ , but starting to constrain some SUSY parameters

# Plan of this talk

- Gamma rays from dark-matter annihilation from galaxy clusters
- Angular power spectrum of the gamma-ray background from dark matter annihilation

Ando, Komatsu, *Phys. Rev. D* **73**, 023521 (2006)

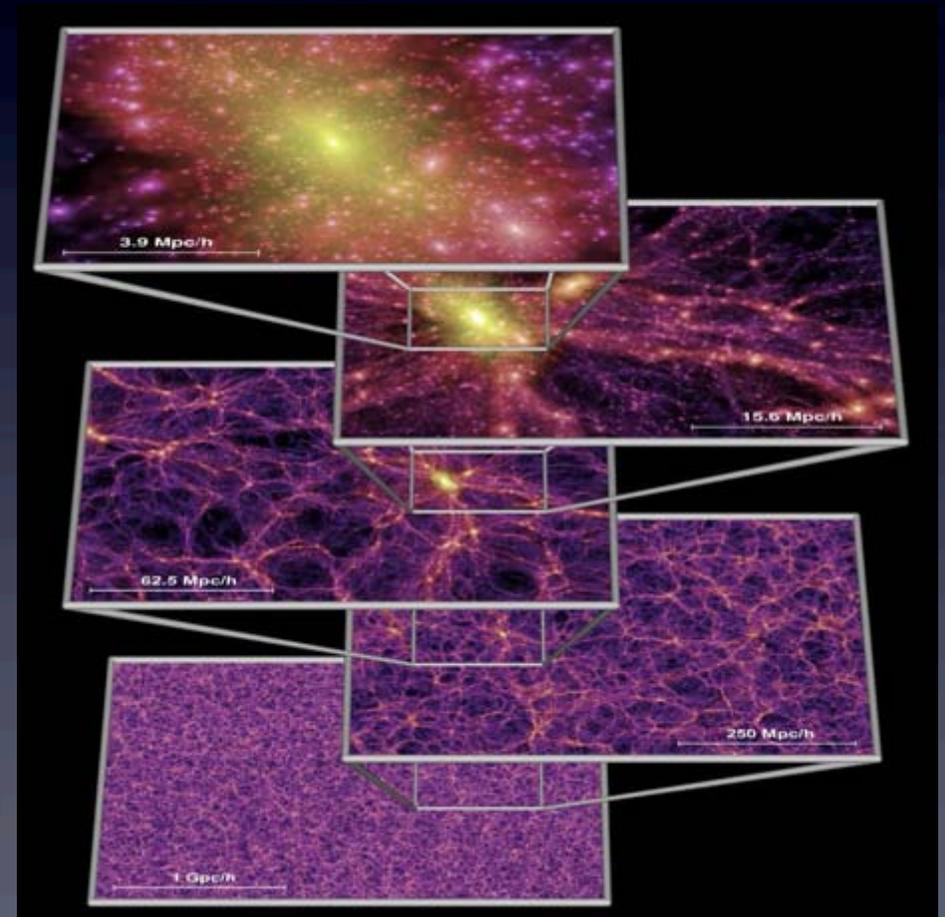
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# Gamma rays from dark matter annihilation in galaxy clusters



*Work in progress with  
E. Komatsu & D. Nagai*



# Galaxy clusters

- The largest virialized dark-matter structure
  - The largest number of dark-matter particles
  - The largest rate of annihilation
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- Density profile well represented by NFW
  - Abundance of subhalos not well known yet

# What we do

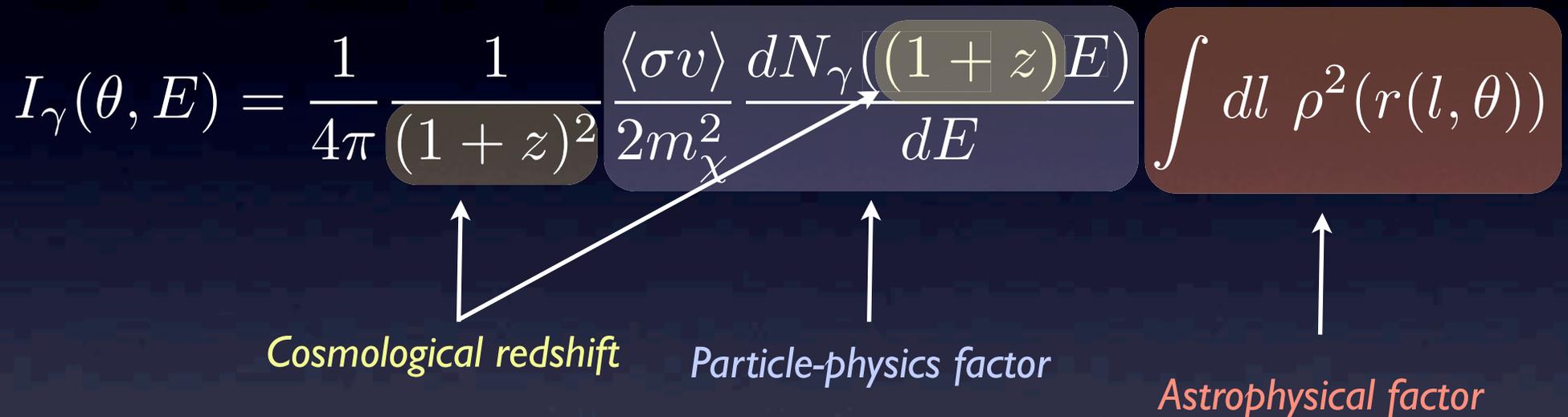
- Theory
  - Estimate of gamma-ray flux for 49 large nearby clusters
  - Using the latest models of clusters and halos (e.g., mass-concentration relation)
- Analysis
  - 2.8 years of Fermi-LAT data (cf., 11-month data in previous LAT paper)
  - Use updated models of diffuse backgrounds and sources
  - Analyze 49 clusters (cf., 7 clusters analyzed so far)
  - Improve upper limits on cross section with stacking analysis

# Dark matter annihilation in galaxy clusters

Gamma-ray intensity from annihilation

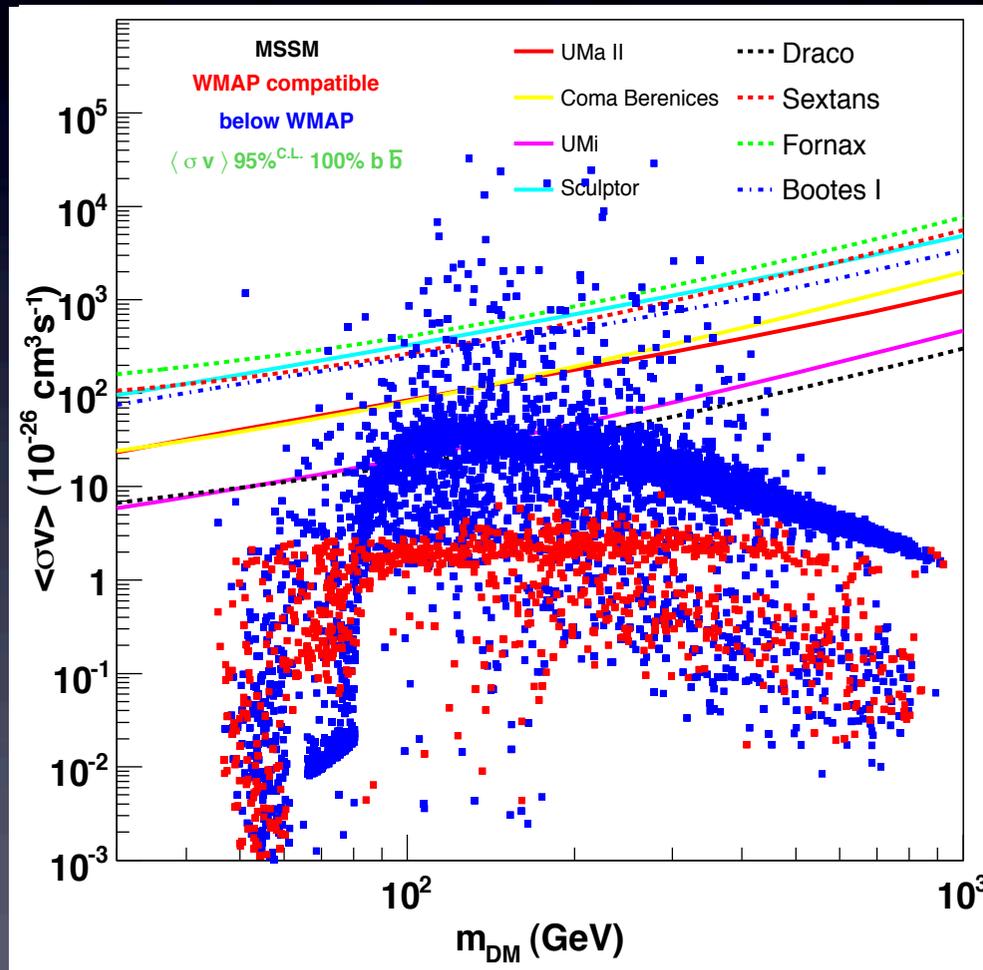
$$I_{\gamma}(\theta, E) = \frac{1}{4\pi} \frac{1}{(1+z)^2} \frac{\langle\sigma v\rangle dN_{\gamma}((1+z)E)}{2m_{\chi}^2 dE} \int dl \rho^2(r(l, \theta))$$

*Cosmological redshift*      *Particle-physics factor*      *Astrophysical factor*



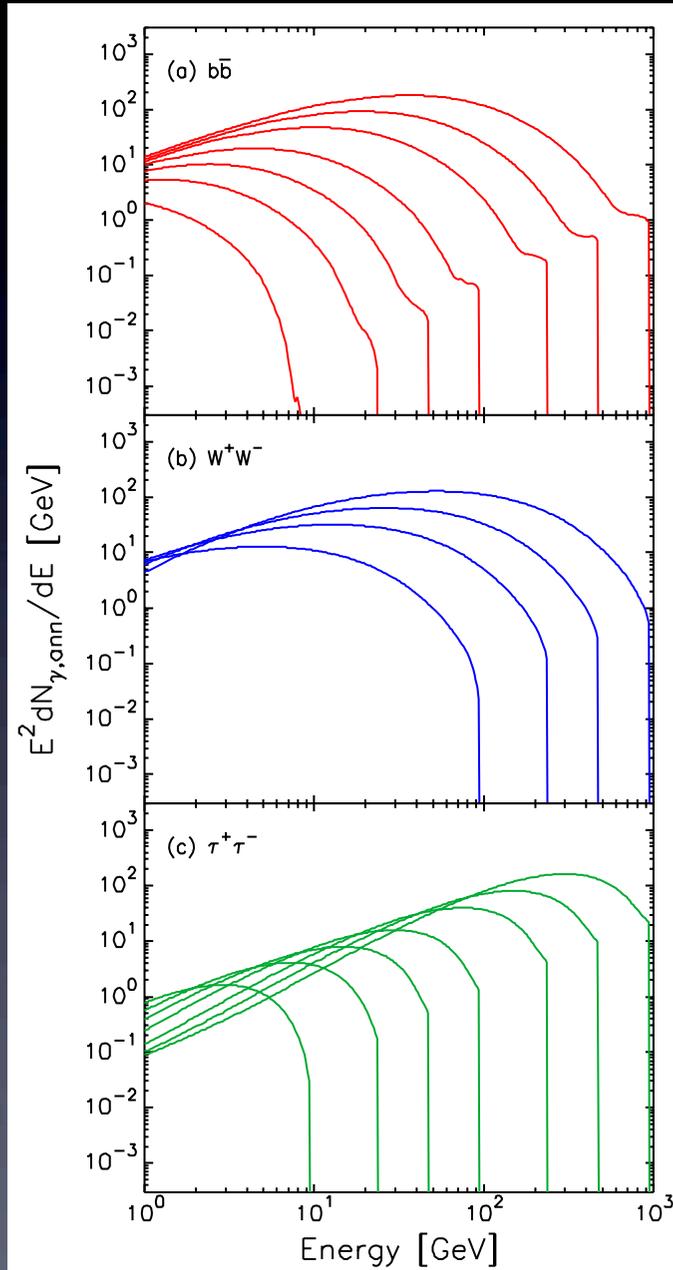
- Depends on three factors
  - Particle physics: annihilation cross section and dark-matter mass; depends on SUSY models, etc.
  - Astrophysics: density profile and subhalos
  - Cosmological redshift: straightforward if redshift is measured

# Mass and annihilation cross section



- Mass of WIMP (neutralino) is typically tens of GeV to TeV
- To thermally produce dark matter with correct abundance, the cross section will be  $\langle \sigma v \rangle \sim 3 \times 10^{-26} \text{ cm}^3/\text{s}$

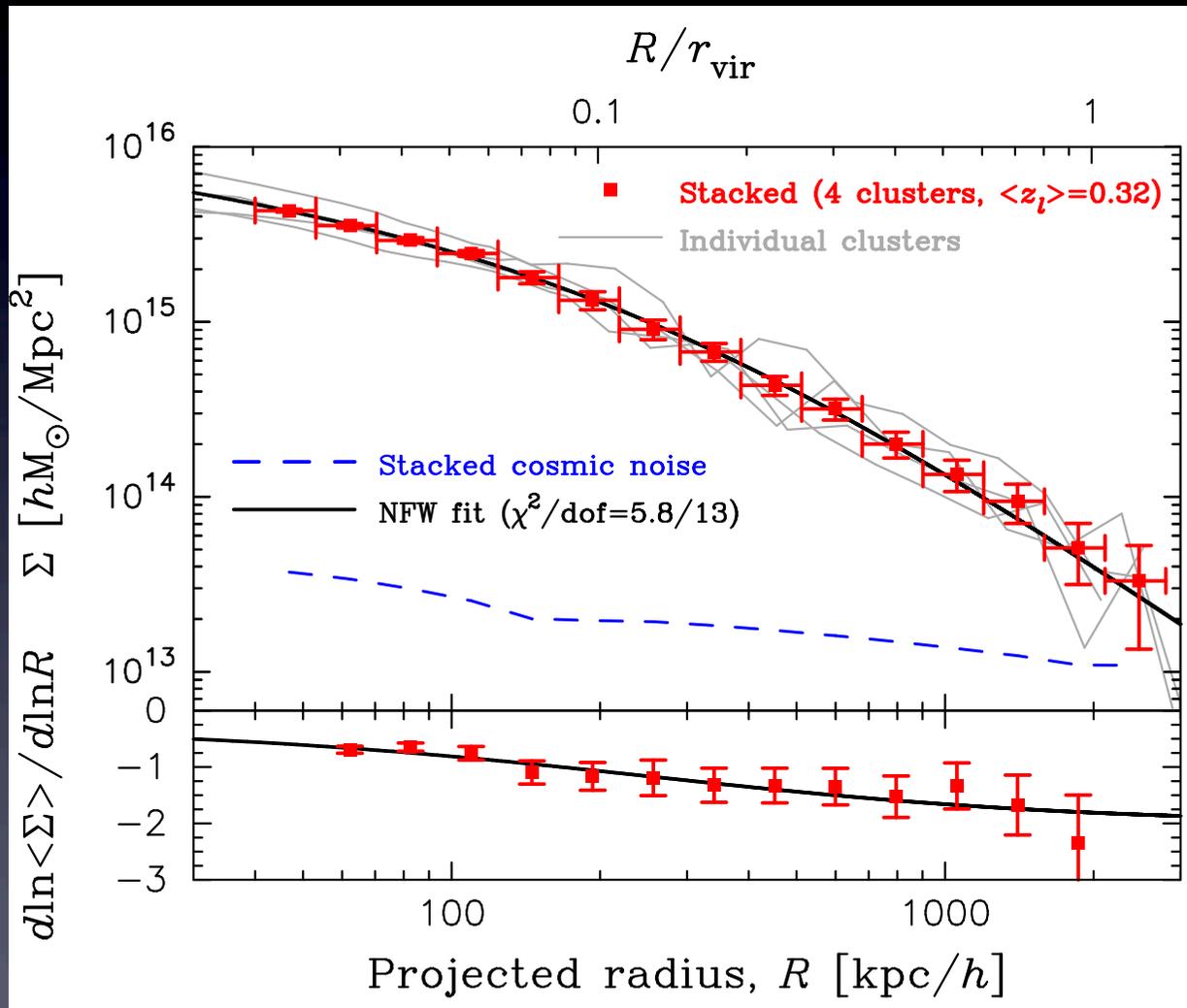
# Annihilation channel and gamma-ray yields



- Annihilation channel depends on what the neutralino is (i.e., mainly gaugino or higgsino)
- Here, we treat three annihilation channels phenomenologically
- Gamma rays from both hadronic decays and internal bremsstrahlung are included

# Astrophysical factor: density profile

Umetsu et al., *Astrophys. J.* **738**, 41 (2011)



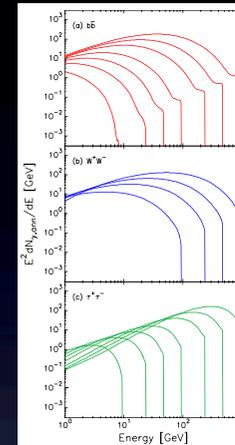
- Numerical simulations imply universal form of density profile: NFW

$$\rho = \frac{\rho_s}{(r/r_s)(r/r_s + 1)^2}$$

- $\rho \sim r^{-1}$  for small radii, and  $\rho \sim r^{-3}$  for large radii
- NFW profile is confirmed with lensing observations

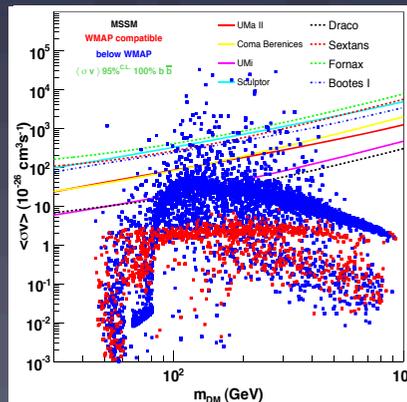
# Recap: gamma-ray intensity

Gamma-ray intensity from annihilation

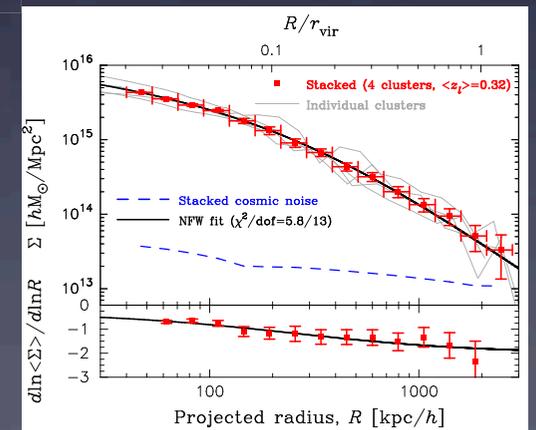


Gamma-ray spectra per annihilation

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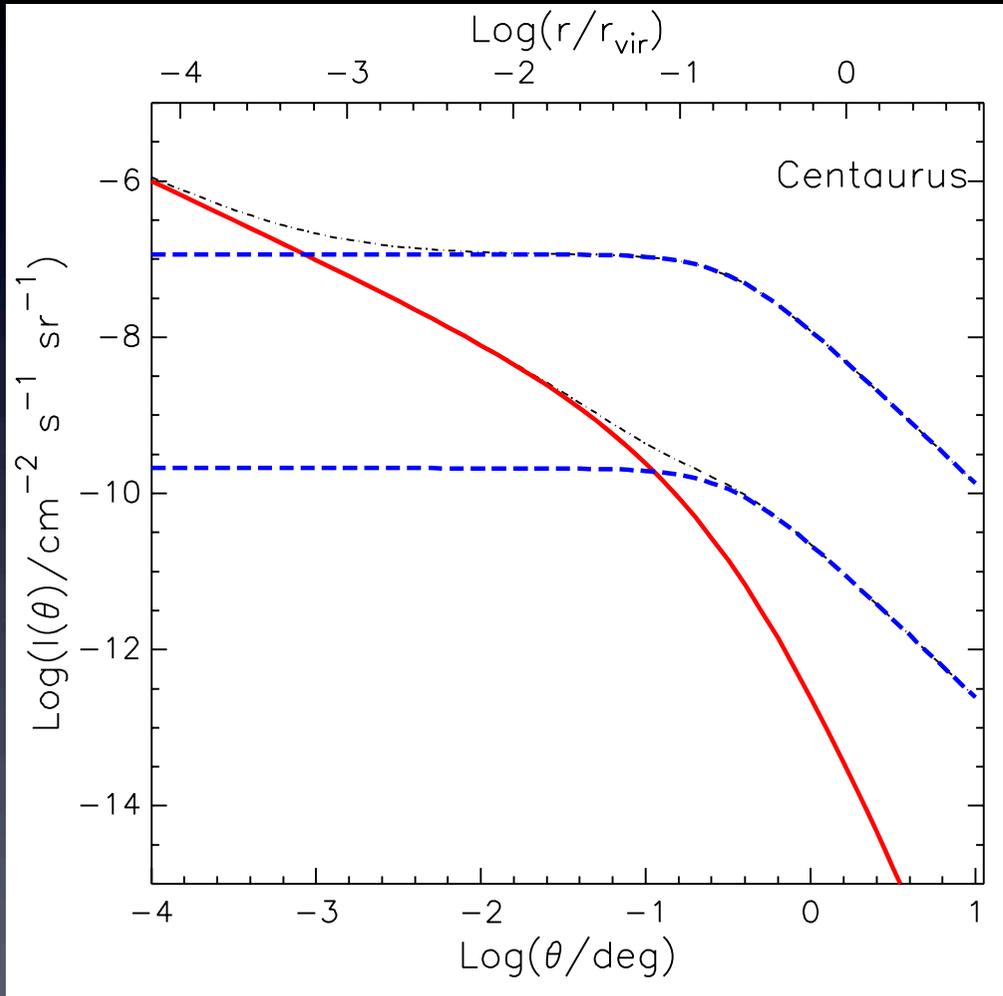


Mass and annihilation cross section



Density profile: NFW

# Intensity profile



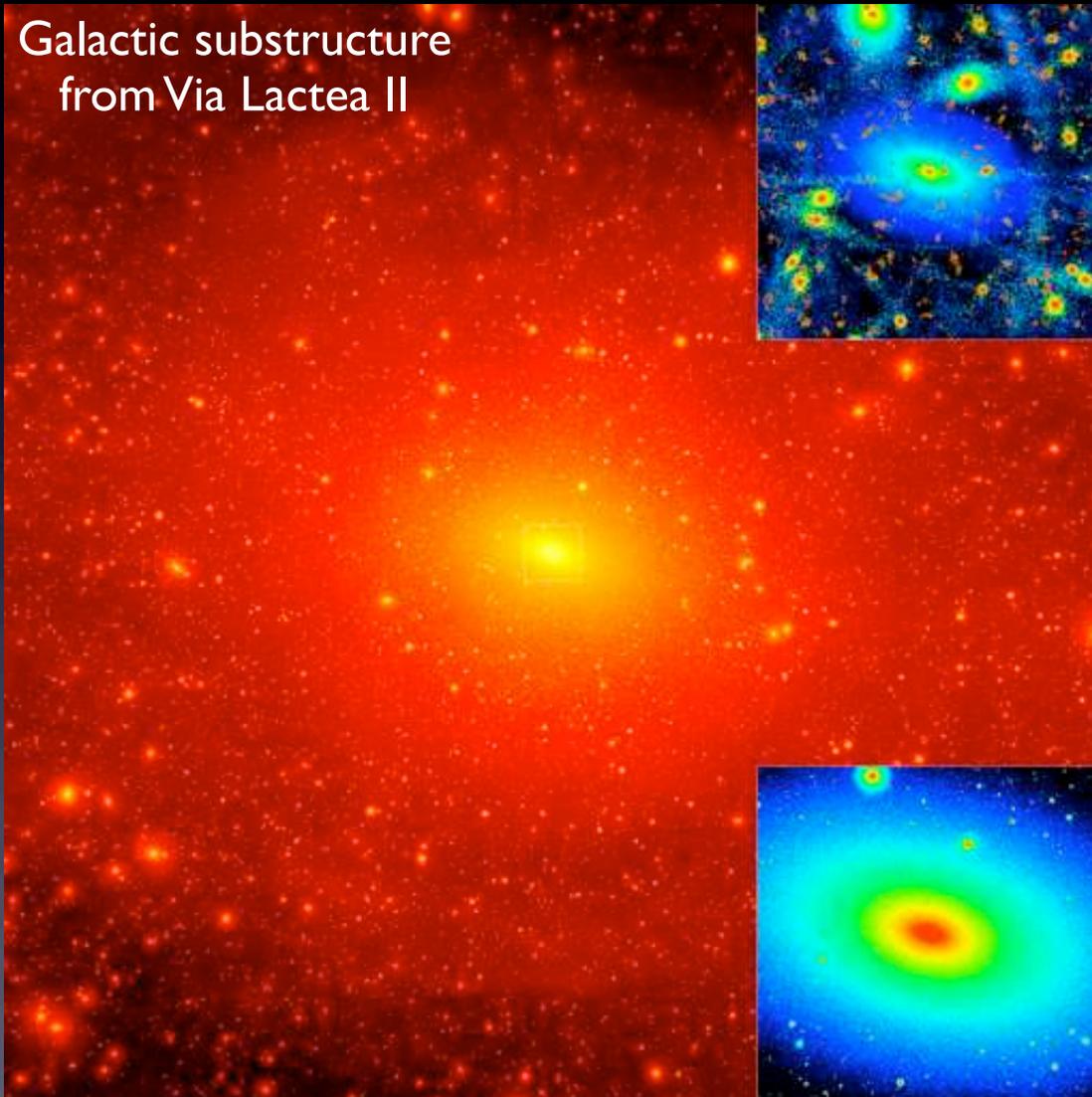
- DM mass: 100 GeV
- Cross section assumed:  
 $\langle\sigma v\rangle = 3 \times 10^{-26} \text{ cm}^3/\text{s}$
- Photon per annihilation:  
 $N_\gamma = 1$

Three representative clusters:

	$z$	$M_{\text{vir}}$ ( $10^{14} h^{-1} M_{\text{sun}}$ )	$r_{\text{vir}}$ ( $h^{-1} \text{ Mpc}$ )
Fornax	0.005	0.8	0.9
Coma	0.023	6.8	1.8
Centaurus	0.05	62	3.7

# Uncertainty: substructure

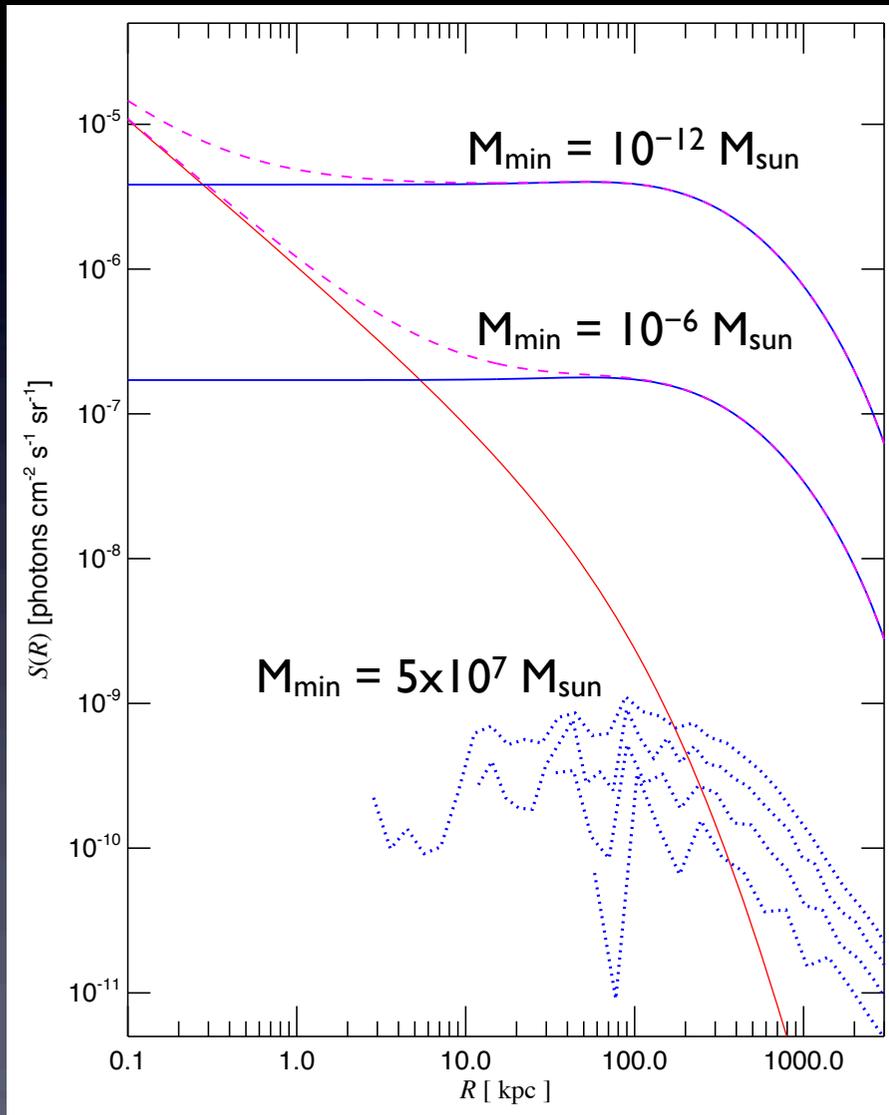
Galactic substructure  
from Via Lactea II



- Numerical simulations find lots of substructure
- This will boost annihilation signals
- Current resolution limits for cluster-like halos are  $\sim 5 \times 10^7 M_{\text{sun}}$

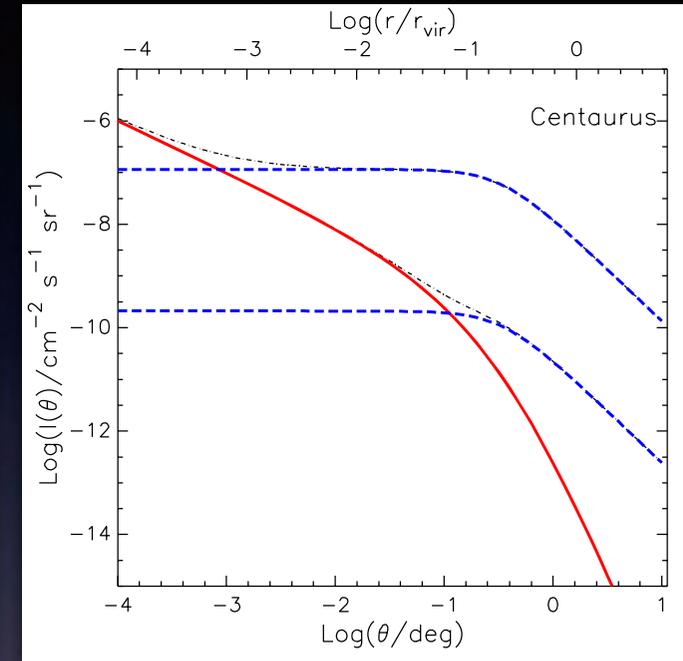
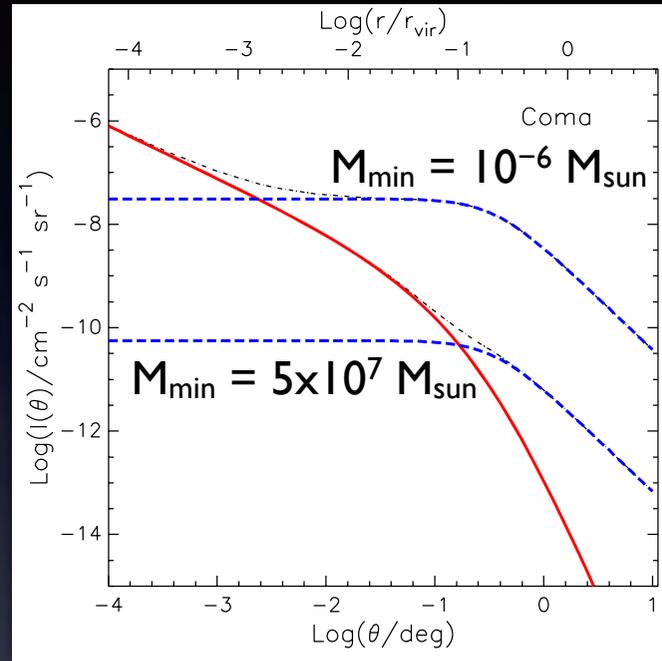
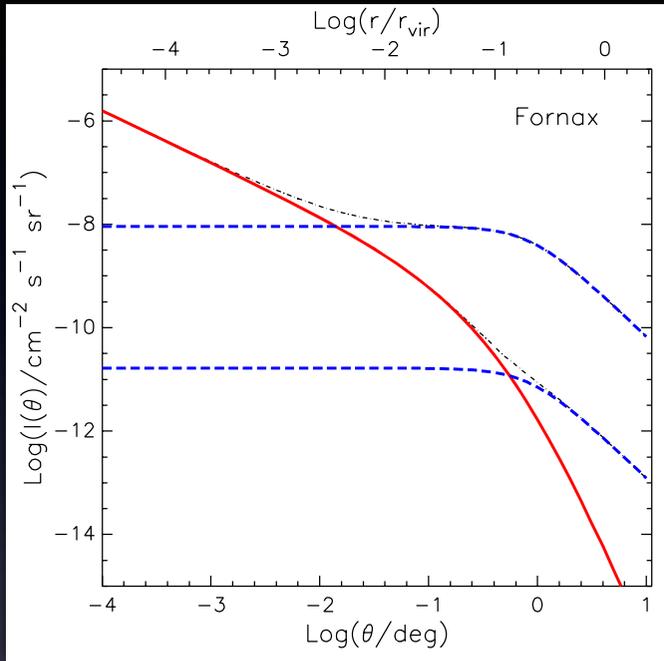
# Uncertainty: subhalos

Gao et al., arXiv:1107.1916 [astro-ph.CO]



- Minimum subhalo mass may be as small as Earth mass ( $10^{-6} M_{\text{sun}}$ ) for the neutralino dark matter
- Currently no simulations can resolve such fine structure
- Simple extrapolation shows that the boost highly depends on the minimum subhalo mass

# Subhalo boost of intensity

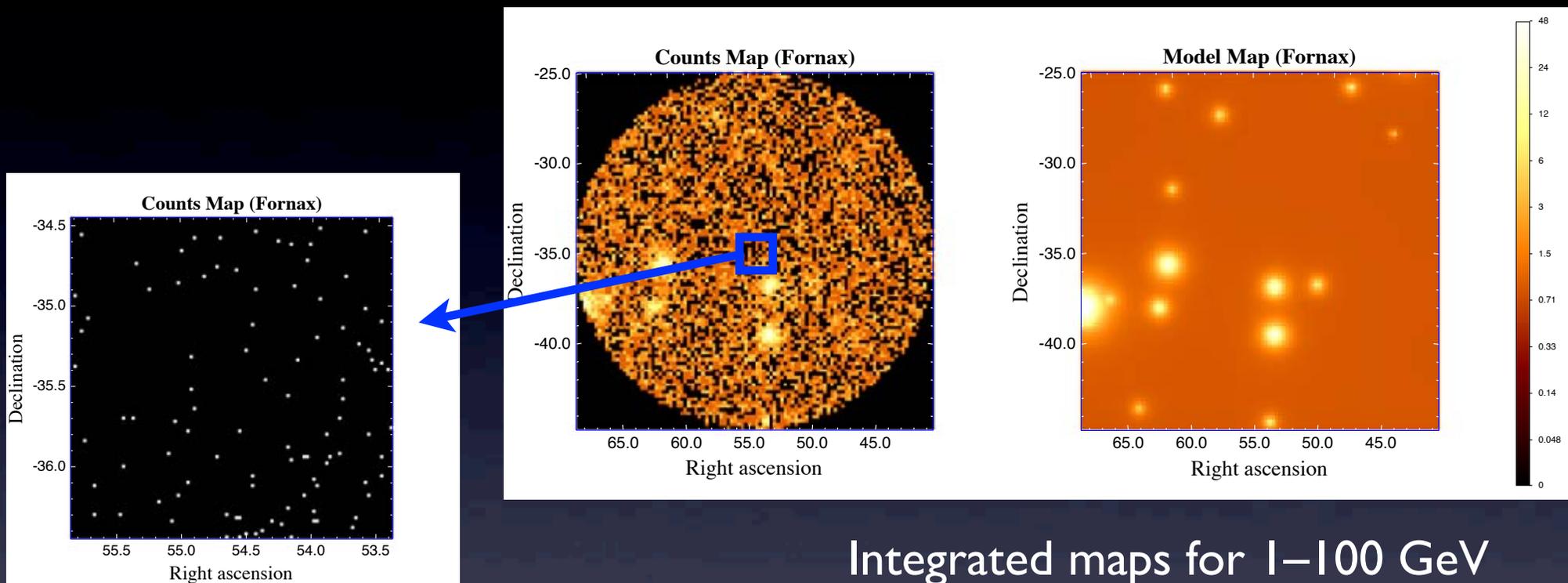


- Intensity due to subhalos is much more extended than the smooth component
- Subhalo boost factor is  $\sim 1000$  for cluster-size halos, if minimum subhalos are of Earth size

# Analysis of Fermi-LAT data

- We analyze data of Fermi-LAT for 2.8 years around 49 relatively large galaxy clusters
  - DIFFUSE and DATACLEAN class of photon data between MET = 239557417 s and 329159098 s
  - 23 clusters from X-ray (Reiprich & H. Boehringer 2002) and 34 from cosmology catalogs (Vikhlinin et al. 2009); 3 are found in both and 5 are at low Galactic latitudes
- We first perform likelihood analysis of the data using the *known* sources (from 2FGL catalog) as well as both Galactic and extragalactic backgrounds
  - Use photons between 1 GeV and 100 GeV, and divide them into 20 energy bins equally spaced logarithmically
  - Models are convolved with P6\_V11 instrumental response functions

# Fermi-LAT data and best-fit model for Fornax

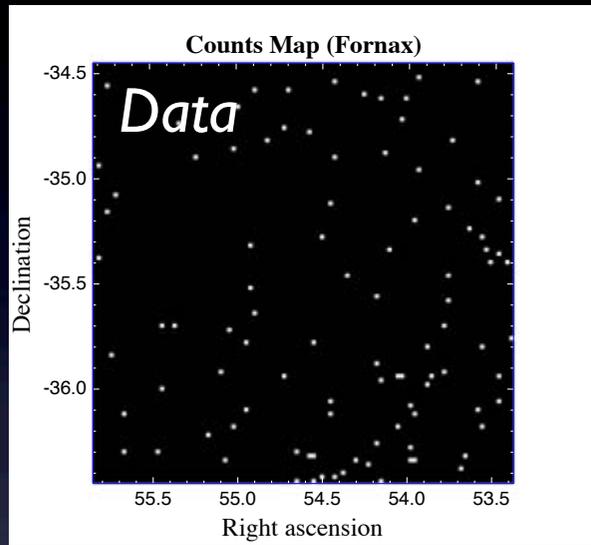


Integrated maps for 1–100 GeV

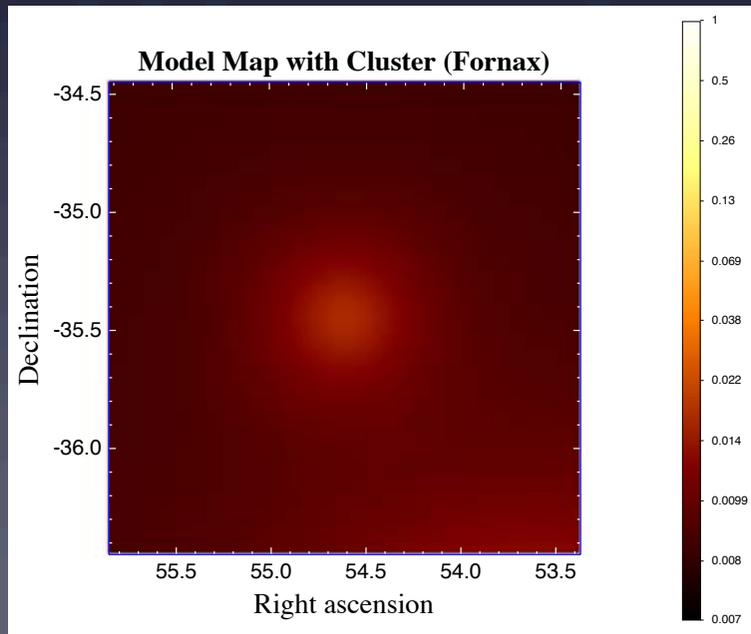
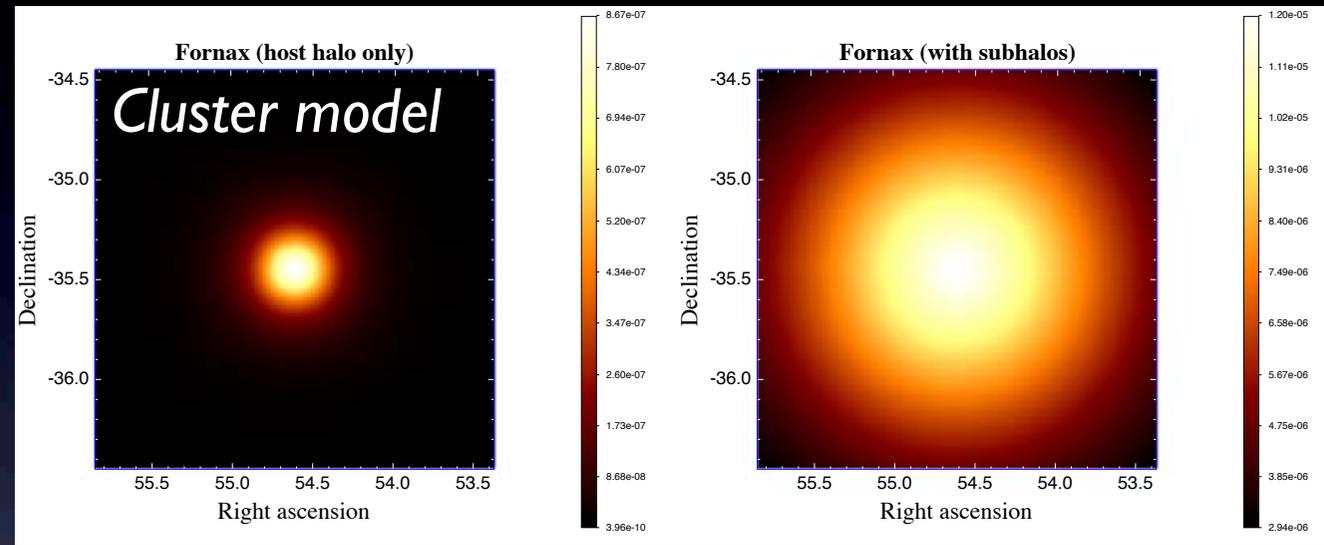
- There is no gamma-ray source at cluster location
- We then add cluster component at the center of the best-fit model map, to put upper limit on that component

# Upper limits on cluster component

Analyze



With



Outcome



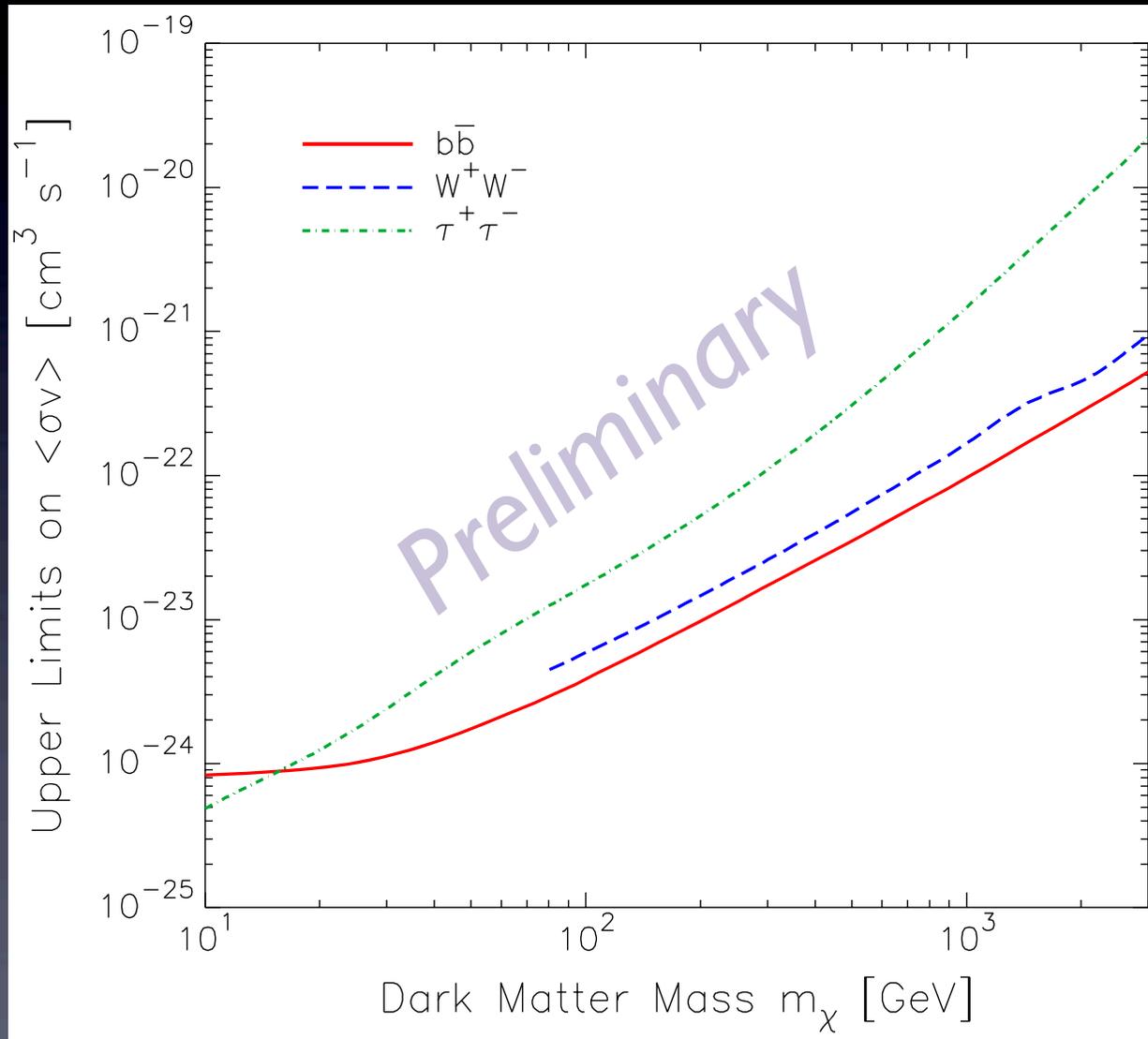
Best-fit model (almost isotropic background) and cluster component (no subhalos) allowed by 5%



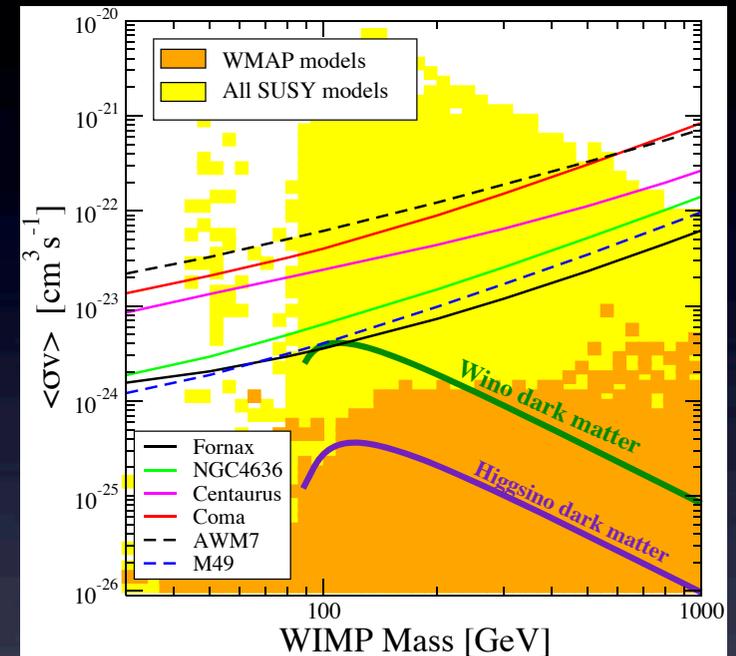
95% CL upper limits on annihilation cross section

# Limits on annihilation cross section from Fornax

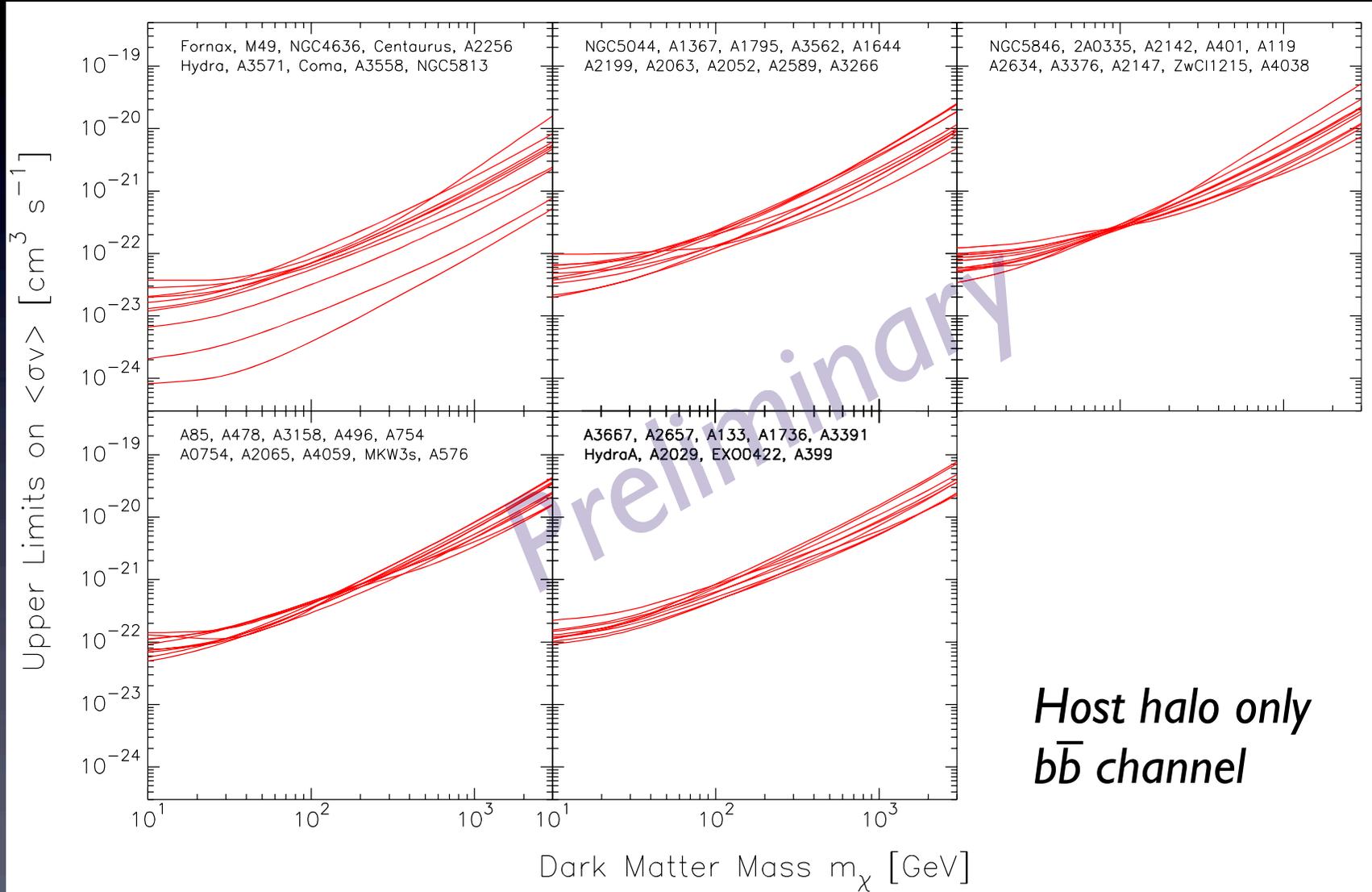
*Host halo only*



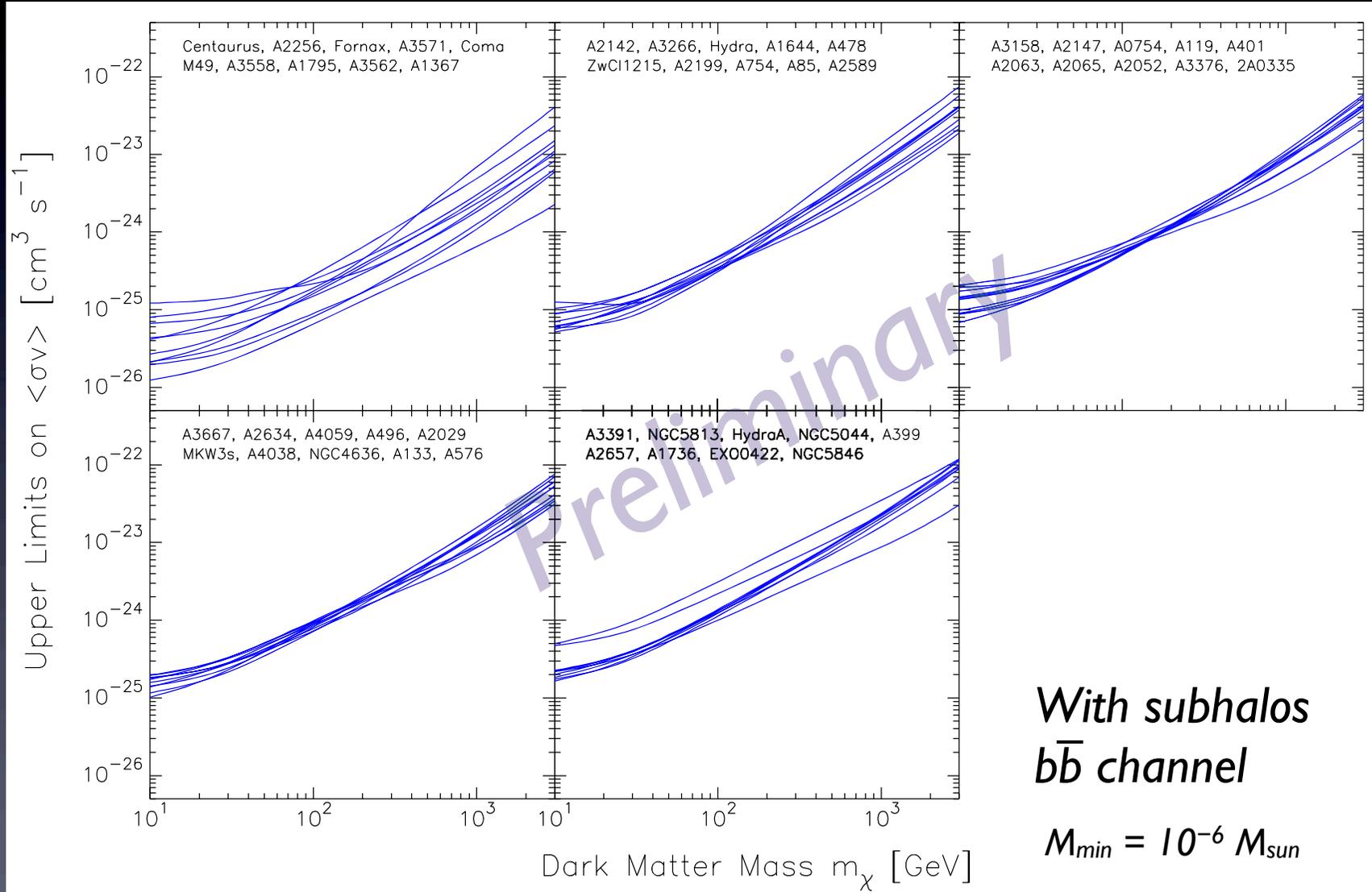
Ackermann et al., *JCAP* 1005, 025 (2010)



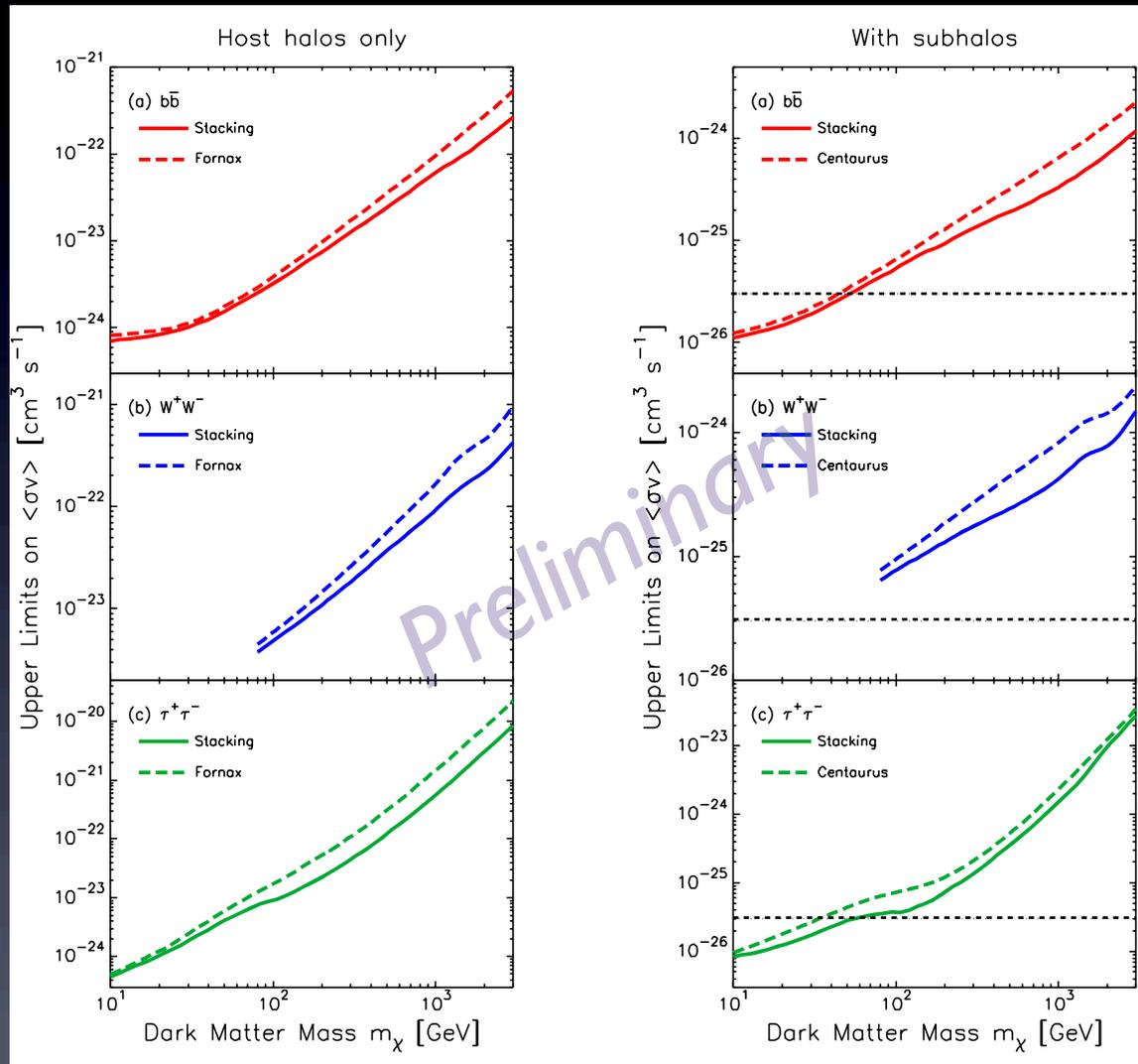
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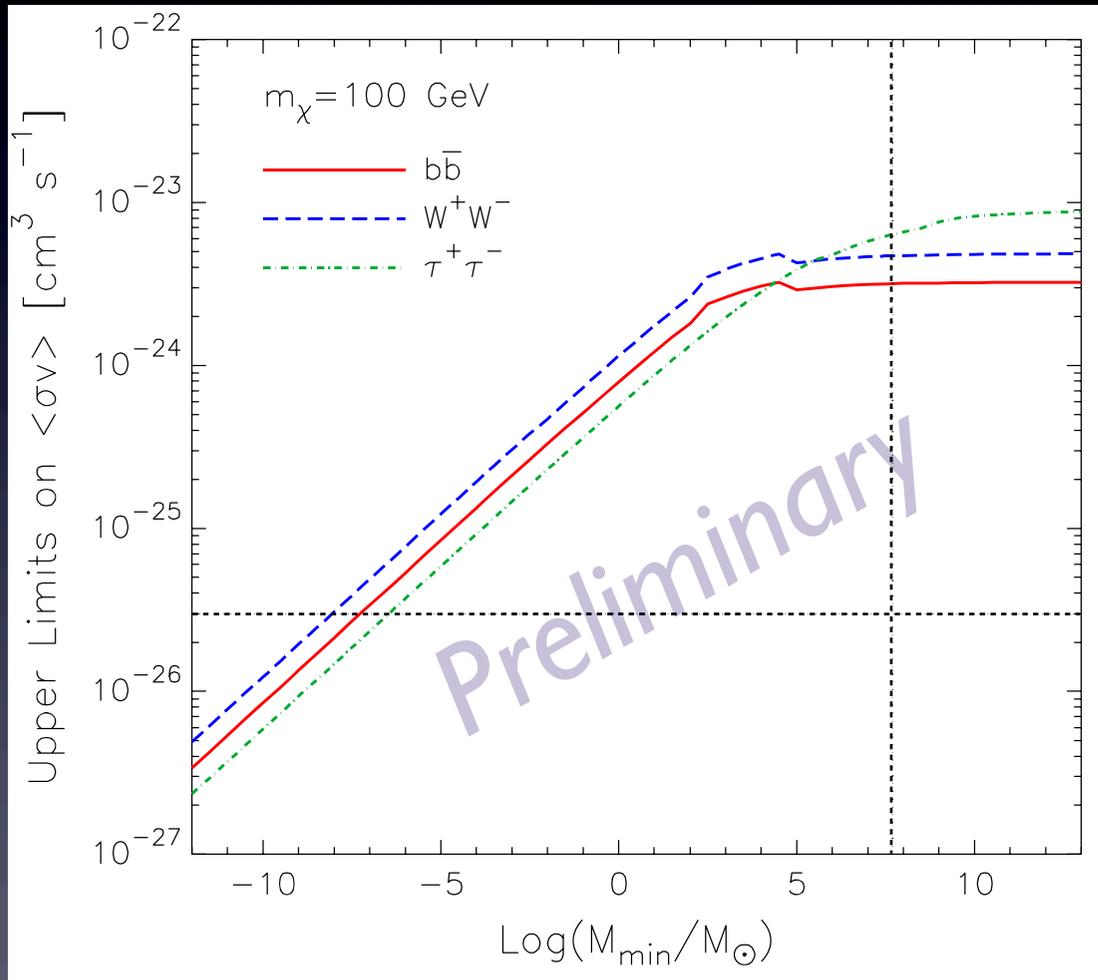


# Cross section limits from stacking analysis



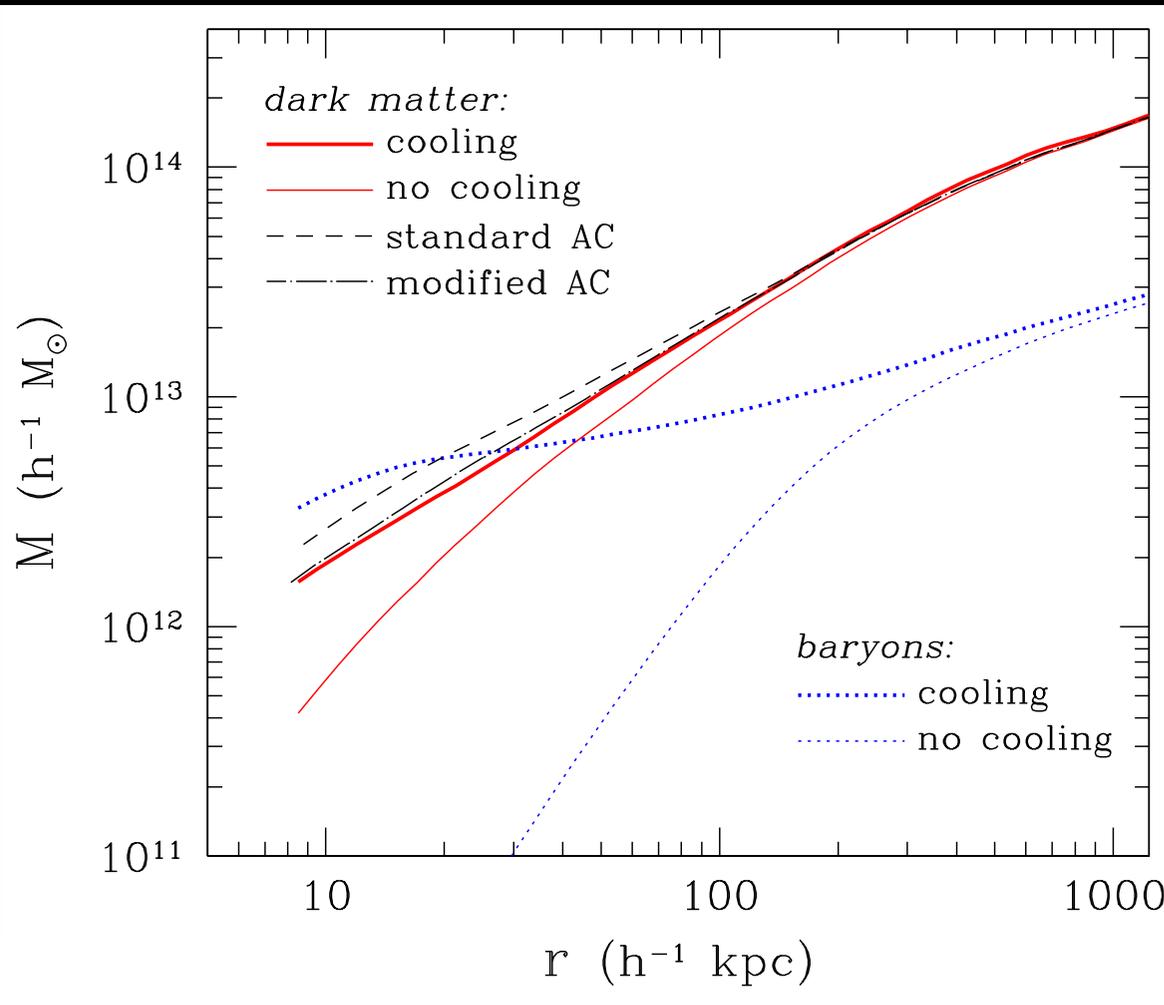
Limits improve by 10–20% (low masses) to a factor of 2 (high masses)

# Dependence on minimum subhalo mass



- If the minimum subhalo mass is around Earth size, then the canonical value of annihilation cross section is excluded
- This does not depend on annihilation channel that much
- If the minimum mass is around the current resolution limit, then the host-halo component dominates the signal

# Another effect: baryon contraction



Gnedin et al., *Astrophys. J.* **616**, 16 (2004); arXiv:1108.5736 [astro-ph.CO]

- Baryons lose energy and angular momentum due to radiation
- This will *increase* the gravitational potential toward the center
- Dark matter is also dragged toward the center as a result of this
- This affects annihilation flux by a factor of  $\sim 2-200$  (preliminary)

# Summary: galaxy clusters

- We analyzed 2.8-yr Fermi-LAT data for 49 galaxy clusters
  - Comparison made with the latest source models, diffuse backgrounds, and cluster models
  - Obtain upper limits on annihilation cross section
- Strongest limits are obtained with Fornax for smooth host-halo model, and with Centaurus for clumpy subhalo model
- Stacking clusters will improve limits by  $\sim 10\text{--}20\%$  (low masses) to a factor of 2 (high masses)
- Astrophysical implications will be discussed (future)

# Plan of this talk

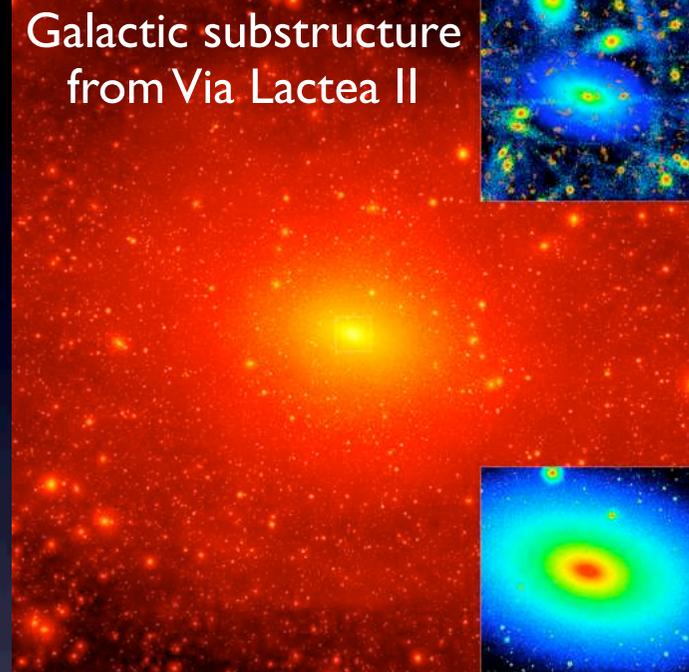
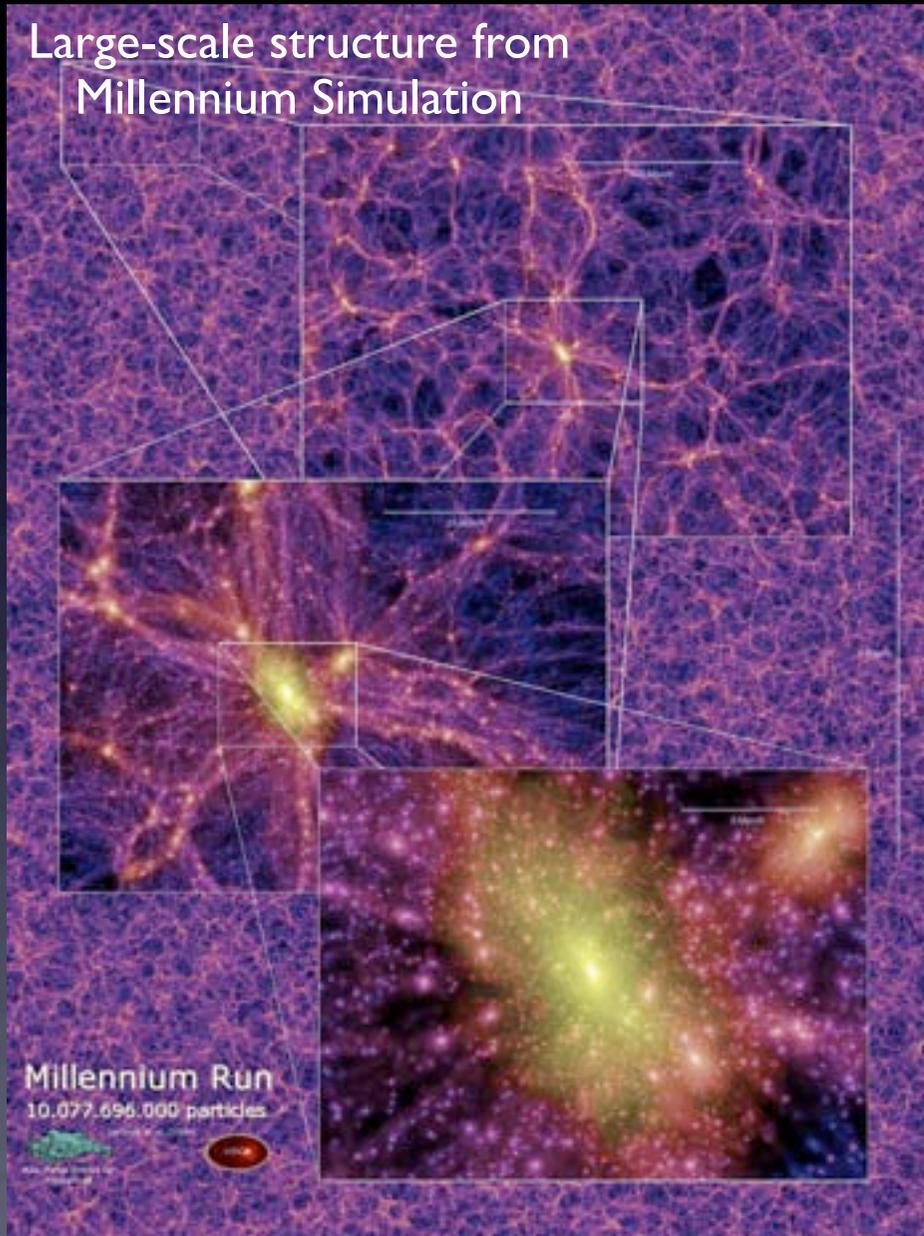
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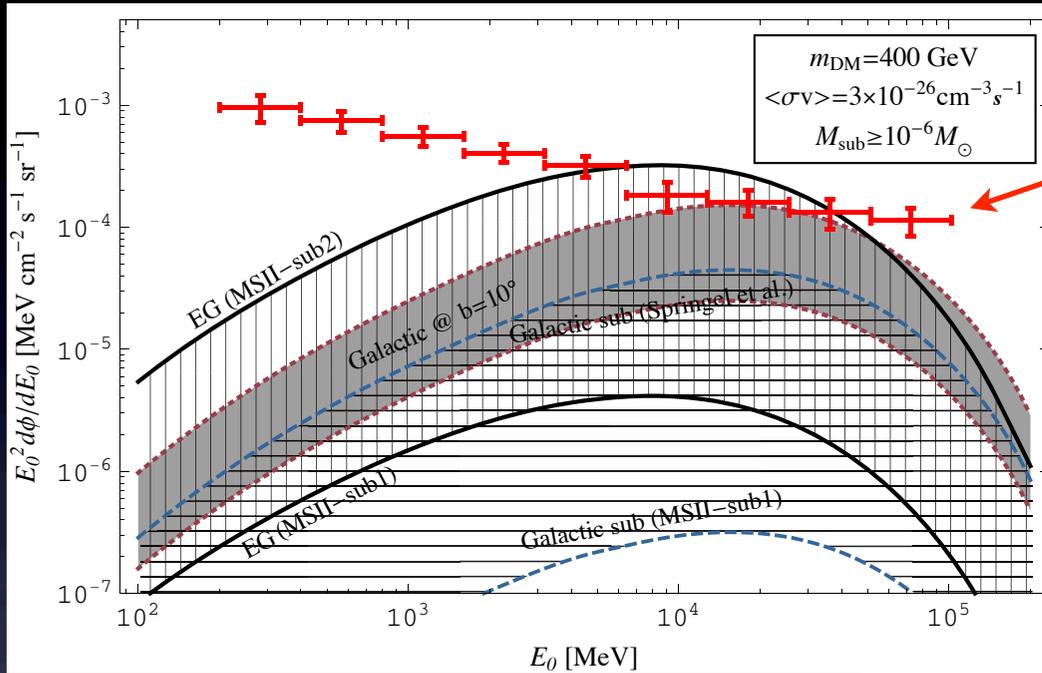
# Gamma-ray background from dark matter



Diemand et al., *Nature* **454**, 735 (2008)

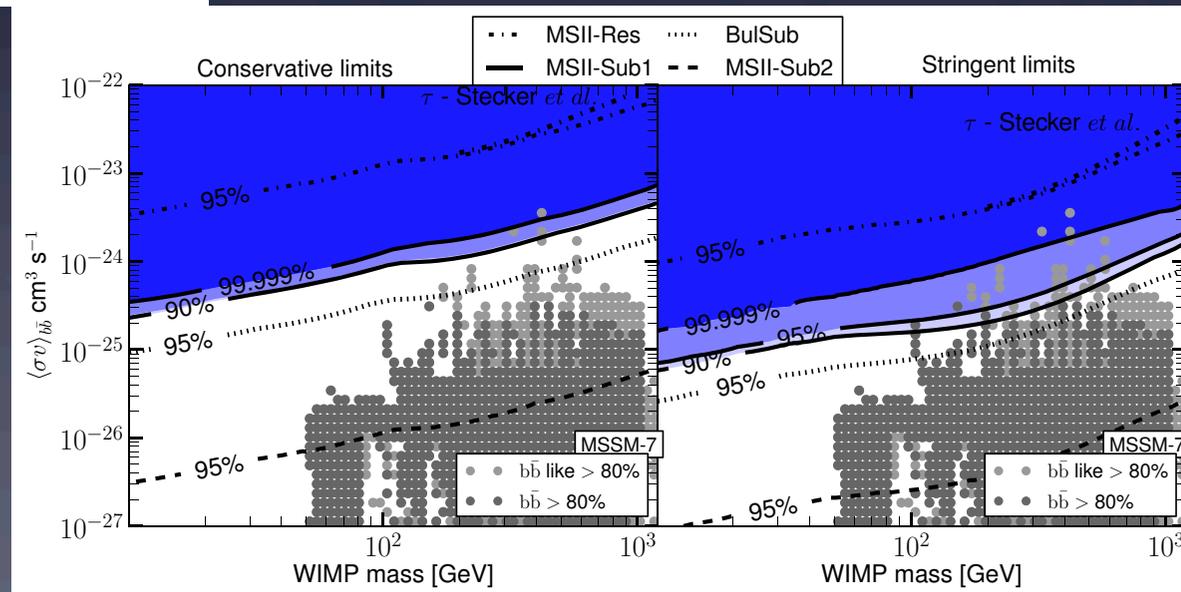
- Dark matter is annihilating everywhere!
- It gives contribution to the gamma-ray background

# Fermi 1st year result on cosmological annihilation

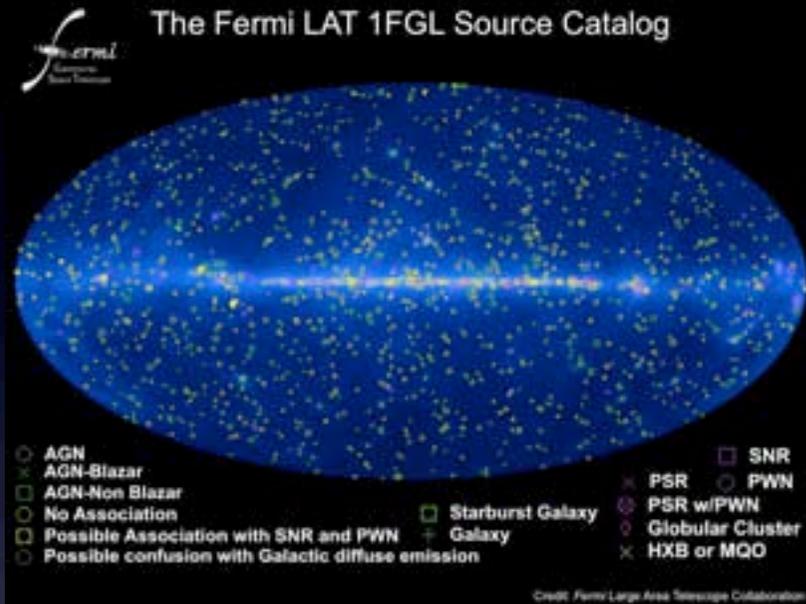


Spectrum of “isotropic” gamma-ray background

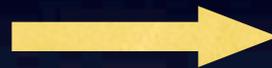
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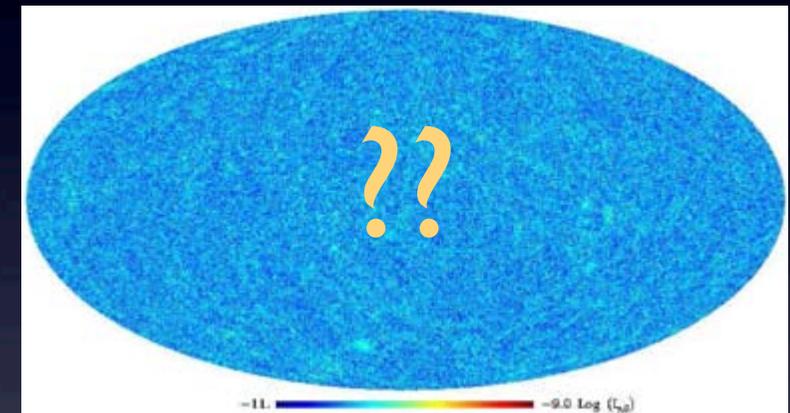
# Diffuse gamma-ray background



Remove all the identified sources

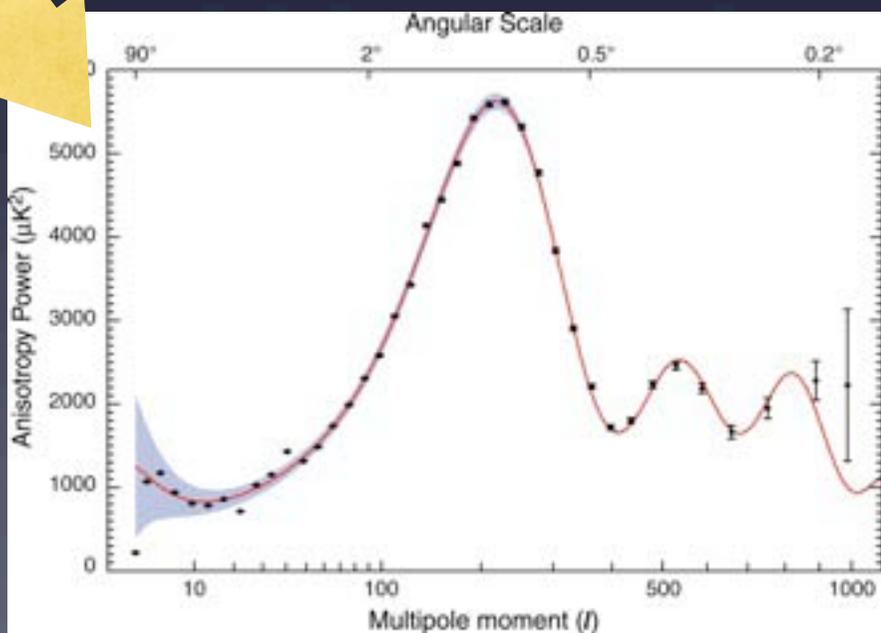
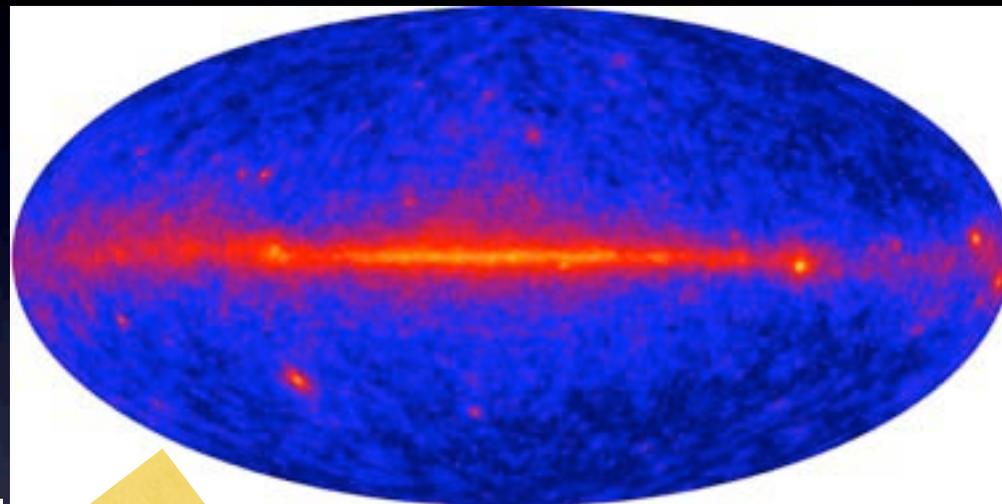
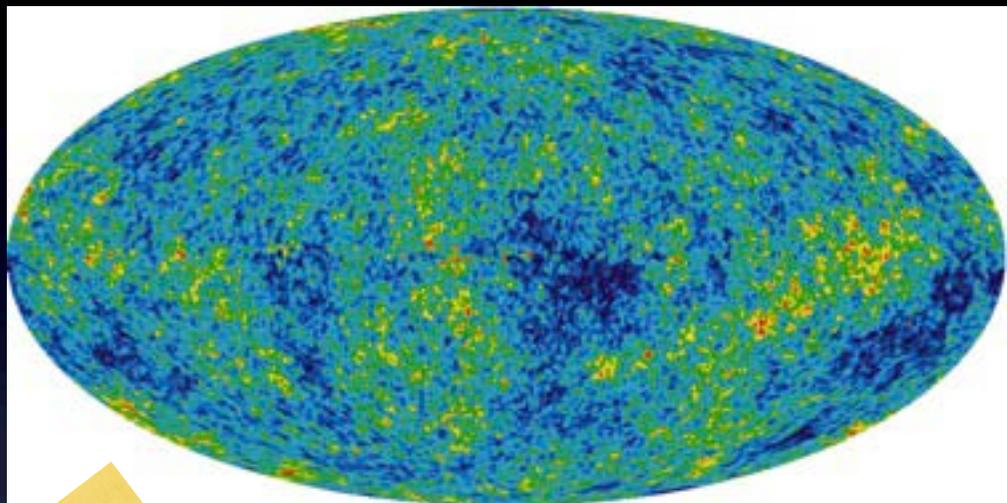


Zavala, Springel, Boylan-Kolchin,  
*MNRAS* **405**, 593 (2010)



- What would the gamma-ray background map look like?
- What information on dark matter can we extract from the gamma-ray map, and how?

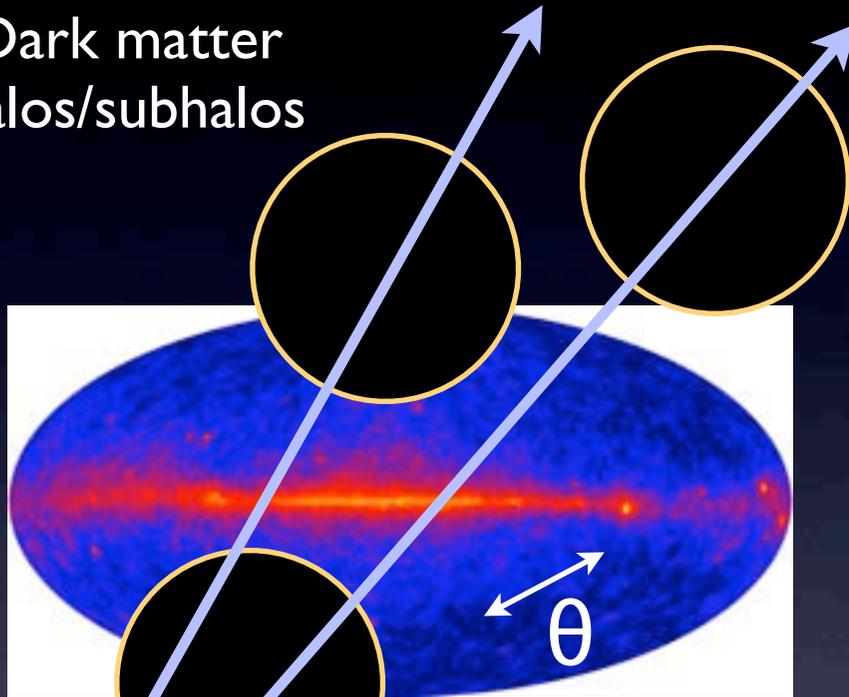
# 2-point statistics: Angular correlation



- Can Fermi do the same as WMAP in gamma-ray sky?

# Angular power spectrum

Dark matter halos/subhalos

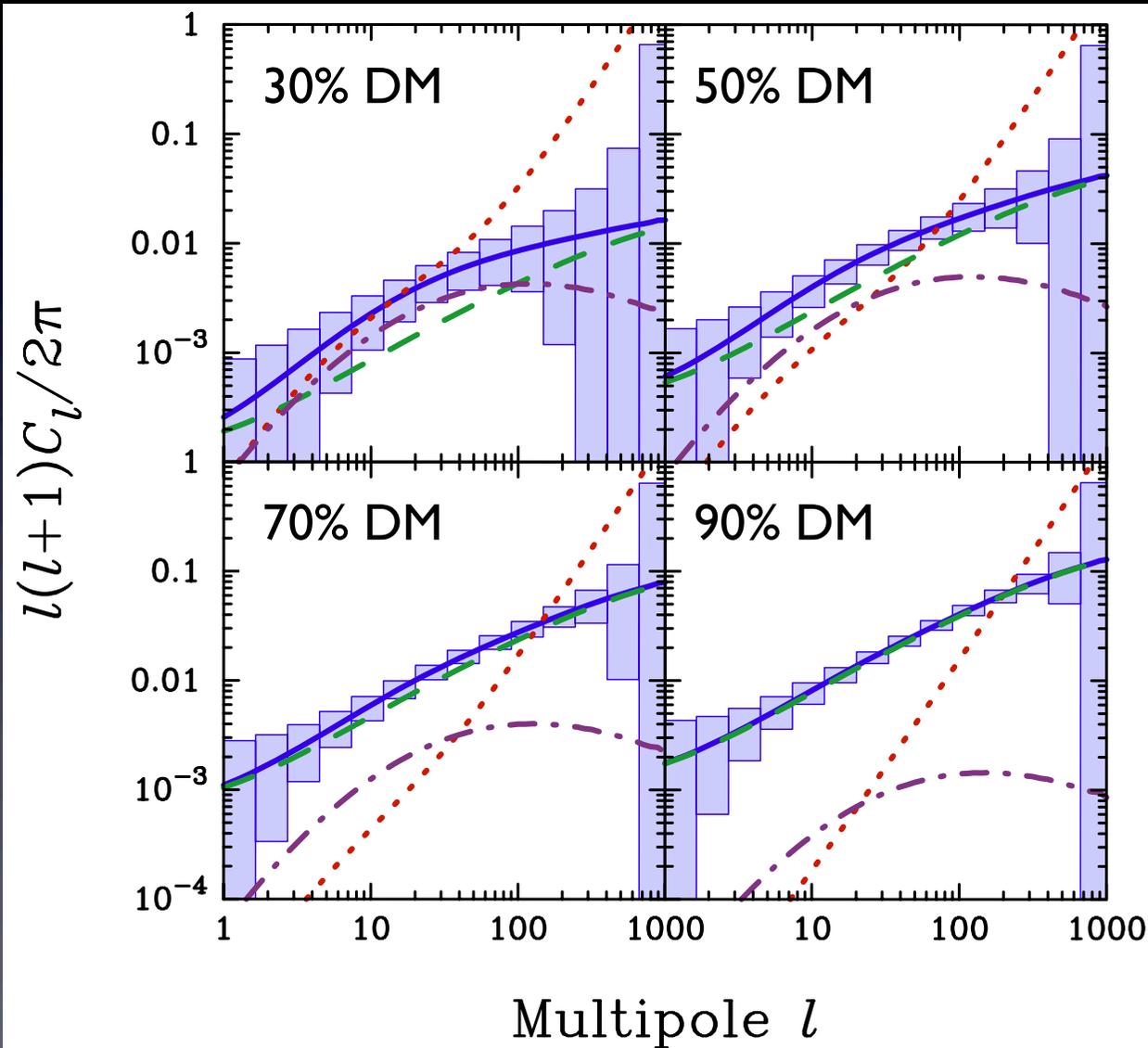


$$\theta (= \pi / \ell)$$

- Take spherical harmonic expansion  $\rightarrow$  square of coefficient: power spectrum
- Multipole  $\ell$  is related to  $\theta$  through  $\theta = \pi / \ell$
- We need to know how the halos are distributed, mass function, and density profiles
- We apply “halo model” to compute the power spectrum

# Detectability of the angular power spectrum

Ando, Komatsu, Narumoto, Totani, *Phys. Rev. D* **75**, 063519 (2007)



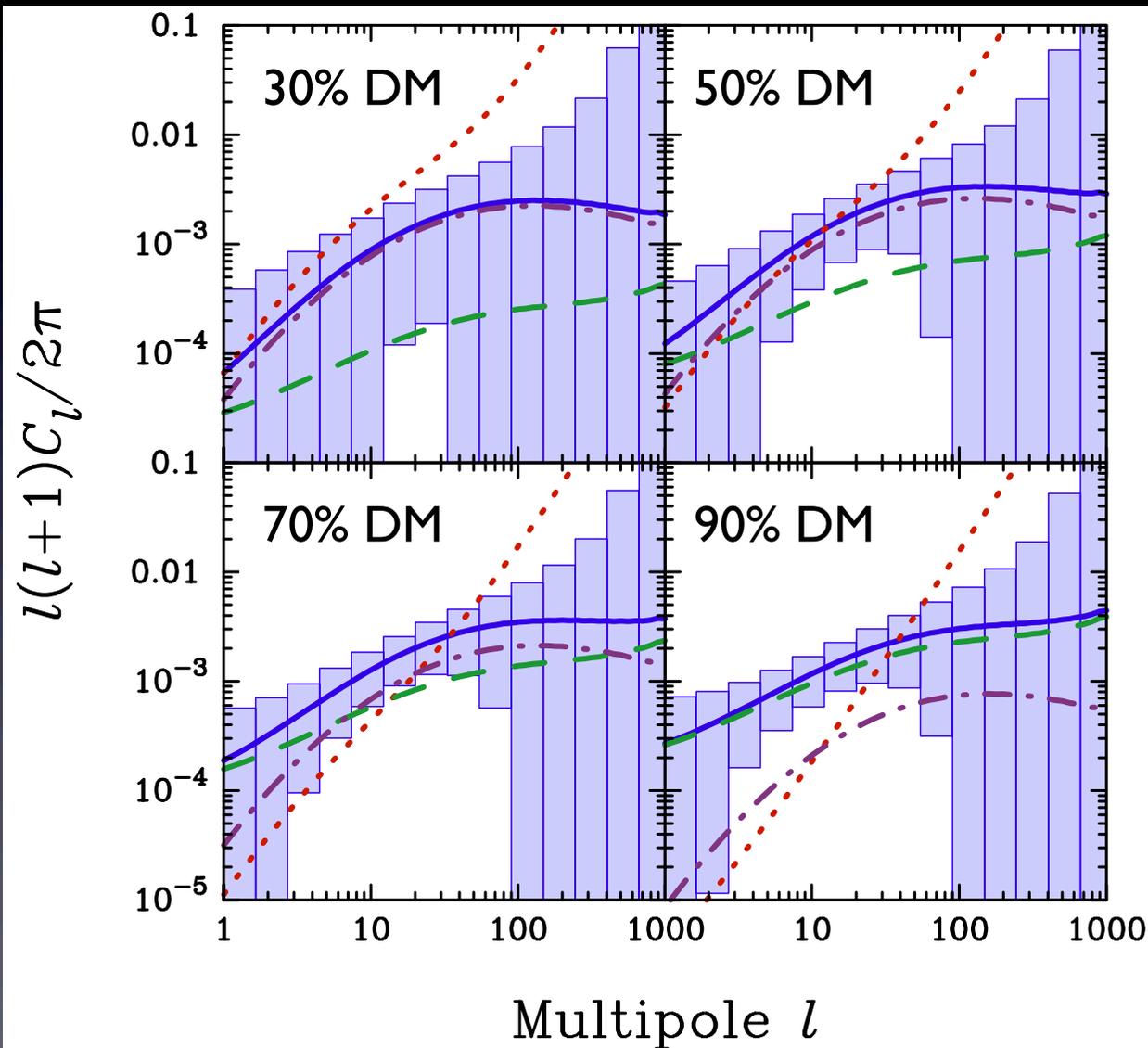
“Subhalo-dominated”

Dark matter signal  
Dark matter correlation  
Blazar background  
Dark matter-bblazar cross correlation

- Dark matter mass: 100 GeV
- At 10 GeV for 2-yr exposure
- Blazar component is easily discriminated
- Blazar power spectrum is nearly independent of energy

# “No substructure” or “smooth halo” limit

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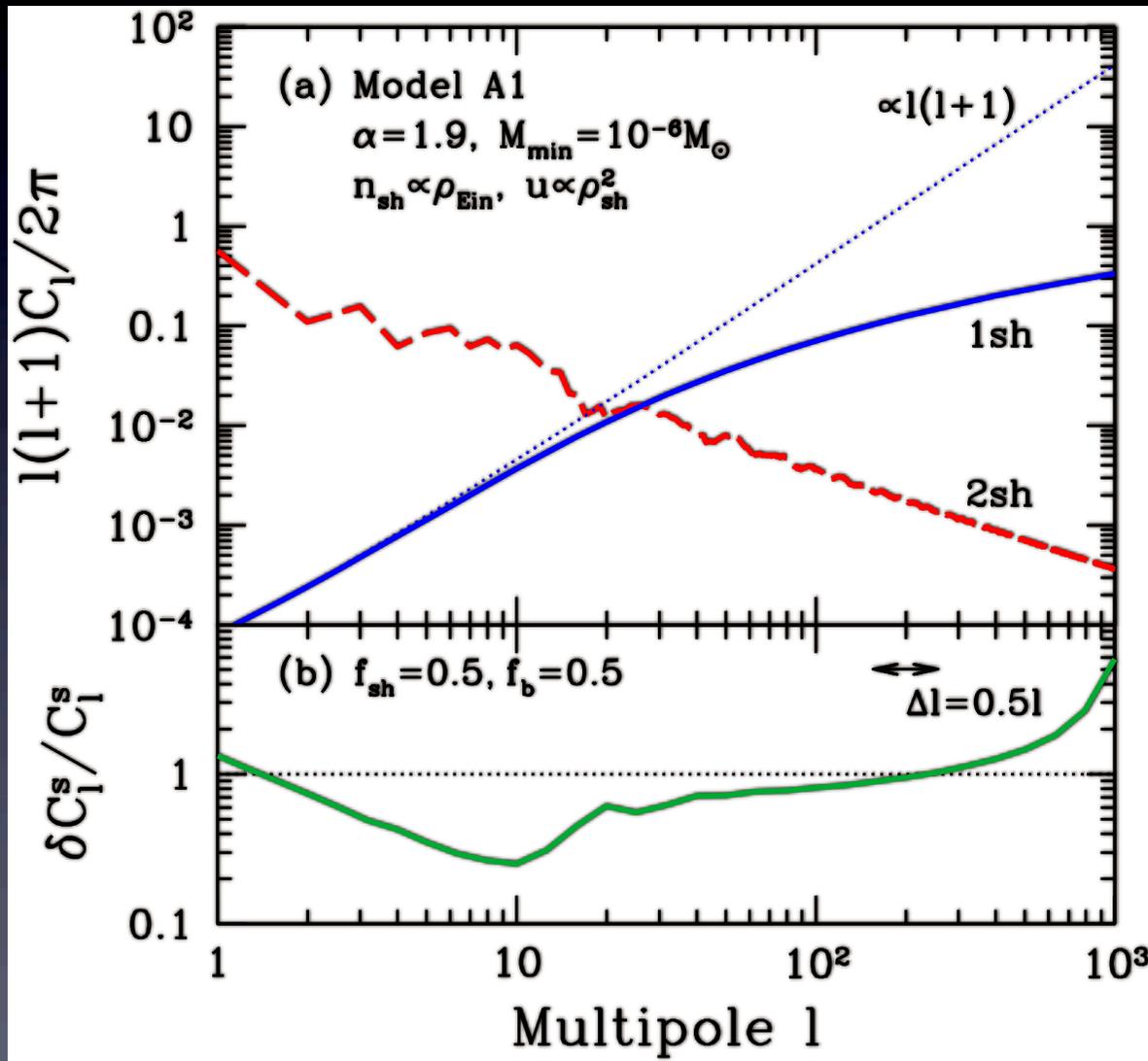
## “Host-halo-dominated”

Dark matter signal  
Dark matter correlation  
Blazar background  
Dark matter-blazar cross correlation

- $M_{\min} = 10^{-6} M_{\text{sun}}$
- Our best estimate: “If DM annihilation contributes  $> 30\%$  of the mean intensity, Fermi should be able to detect DM anisotropy”

# Anisotropy due to Galactic subhalos

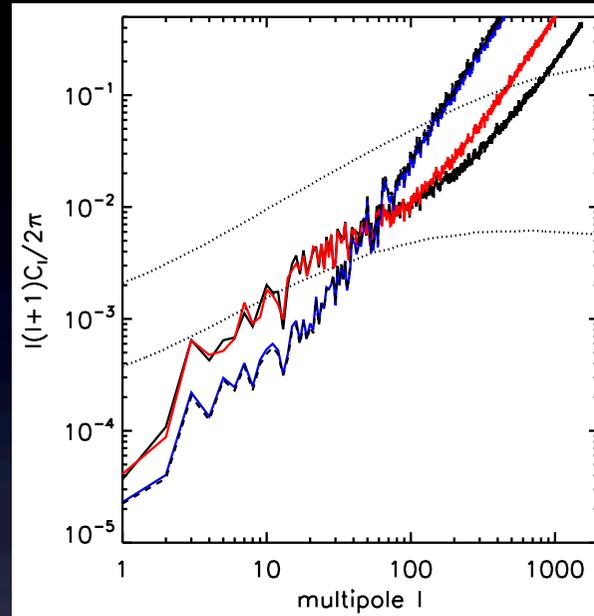
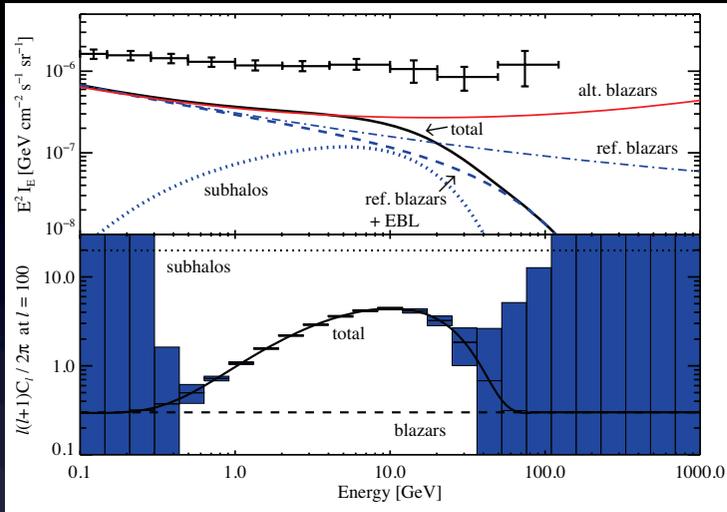
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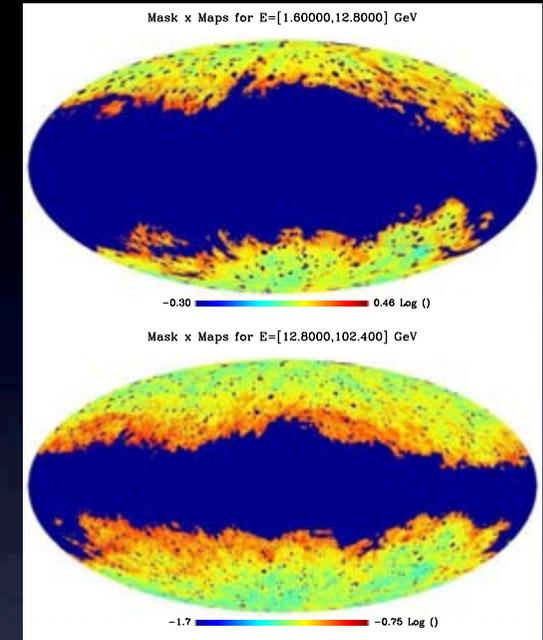
- $M_{\min} = 10^{-6} M_{\text{sun}}$
- 1sh term dominates at smaller scales
- Deviation from shot noise is due to spatial extension of subhalos
- Good chance of detection if 50:50 mixture with blazars

# Followup studies

Siegal-Gaskins, Pavlidou (2009)



Zavala, Springel, Boylan-Kolchin (2010)



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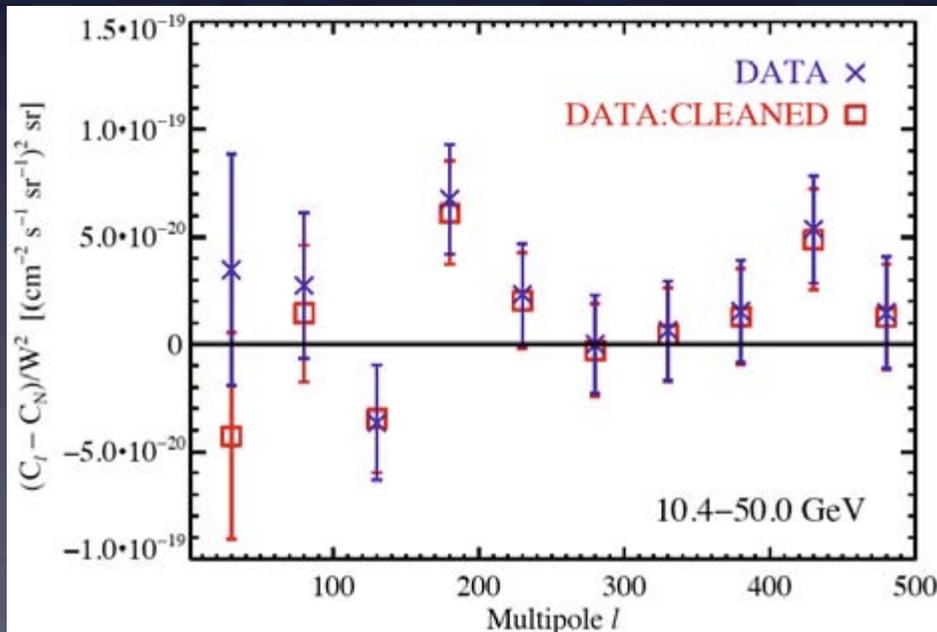
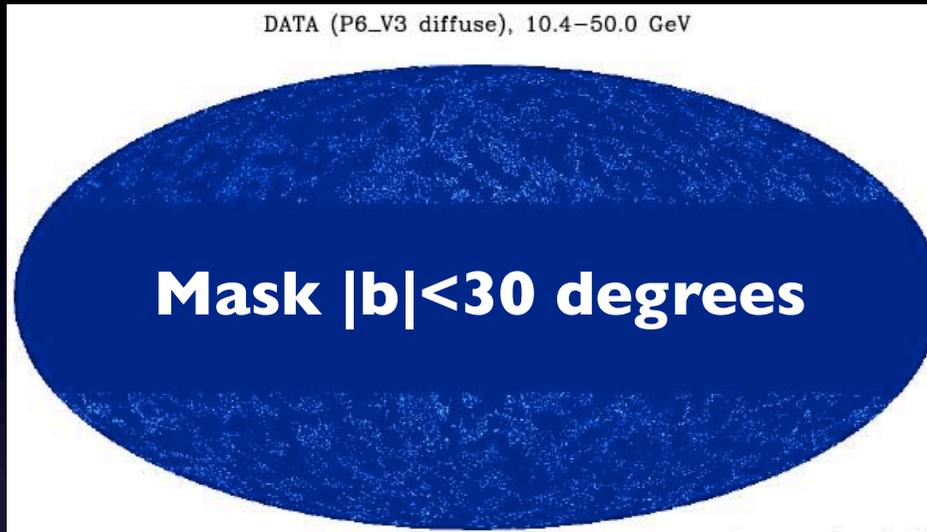
- **Dark matter annihilation**

Cuocco et al. 2007, 2008; Siegal-Gaskins 2008; Zhang, Sigl 2008; Taoso et al. 2008; Fornasa et al. 2009; Siegal-Gaskins, Pavlidou 2009; Zavala et al. 2010; Hensley et al. 2010; Ibarra et al. 2010; Cuocco et al. 2010; Zhang et al. 2010

- **Astrophysical sources**

Miniati et al. 2007; Ando, Pavlidou 2009; Siegal-Gaskins et al. 2010

# Analysis ongoing...



Fermi-LAT Collaboration + Komatsu

- So far the angular power spectrum is consistent with shot noise due to finiteness of the photon counts
- The real difficulty, though, is to remove astrophysical contribution (mainly from blazars)

From Komatsu's talk at IPMU, 2011

# Summary: gamma-ray background anisotropy

- Fermi will provide information on the origin of the gamma-ray background through anisotropy
  - This isn't just for dark matter, but *anything* contributing considerably
- From angular power spectrum, we see that if extragalactic DM component is  $> 30\%$ , Fermi should discriminate it from blazars' in anisotropy
- Galactic subhalos might give larger power spectrum, and so detection would be more promising
- This series of research is now expanding farther, including energy dependence of power spectrum, 1-point PDF (Lee, Ando, Kamionkowski 2009), etc.

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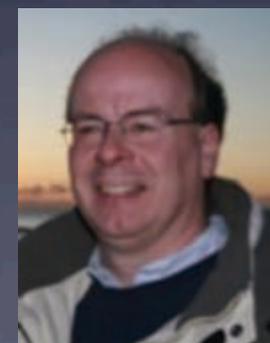
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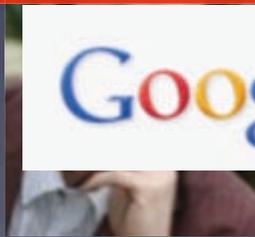
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