# Dark matter constraints from the observations of synchrotron emission

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# Outline

# Introduction to DM spike model

Synchrotron emission around SMBH due to DM annihilation

# • Results & Discussion

# Introduction to DM spike model

## • Evidences for DM



CMB



#### •DM candidates



WIMP detections



### DM spike model

- Adiabatic growth of SMBH will significantly enhance the DM density and form a spike structure.
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- Scaling relation arguments

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Assume a power-low initial density profile  $\rho_i \sim r^{-\gamma}$ Conservation of mass

$$\rho_i r_i^2 dr_i = \rho_f r_f^2 dr_f \Rightarrow r_i^{3-\gamma} \sim r_f^{3-\gamma_{\rm sp}}$$

Conservation of angular momentum  $r_i M_i(r) \simeq r_f M_{\rm BH} \Rightarrow r_i^{4-\gamma} \sim r_f$ 

$$\gamma_{\rm sp} = \frac{9-2\gamma}{4-\gamma}$$

• General phase space arguments

Differential energy distribution N(E) = g(E)f(E)Density of state  $g_i(E_i) \sim \int_0^{\Phi_i^{-1}(E_i)} dr r^2 \sqrt{\Phi_i(r) - E_i} \sim E_i^{(8-\gamma)/2(2-\gamma)}$ Distribution function  $f_i(E_i) \sim [\Phi(0)_i - E_i]^{-n}$ Invariance of radial action

$$E_i \sim E_f^{-(2-\gamma)/(4-\gamma)} \sim r^{(2-\gamma)/(4-\gamma)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \rho_f(r) \sim r^{-2} N_f(E_f) \left(\frac{dE_f}{dr}\right) \sim r^{-4} N_i(E_i) \left(\frac{dE_i}{dE_f}\right) \sim r^{-\gamma_{sp}}$$
with  $\gamma_{sp} = \frac{3}{2} + n \left(\frac{2-\gamma}{4-\gamma}\right)$ 

• Final density profile is determined by exact form of distubution function

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• Approximate analytical distribution function for NFW profile

$$f(\varepsilon) = \frac{3M_{\rm BH}}{2(2\pi)^3 (r_0 G M_{\rm BH})^{3/2}} \hat{f}(\varepsilon) \qquad \qquad \hat{f}(\varepsilon) = \frac{1}{7 \cdot 2^{11/2} (8 - \varepsilon)(1 - \varepsilon)^2} \left[ 252 \frac{8 + \varepsilon}{\sqrt{2(1 - \varepsilon)}} \arcsin \sqrt{\varepsilon} + P_1(\varepsilon) \sqrt{\frac{\varepsilon}{2}} + \frac{1}{2(2\pi)^3 (r_0 G M_{\rm BH})^{3/2}} \hat{f}(\varepsilon) \right]$$

$$\varepsilon = -\frac{2r_0}{GM_{\rm BH}} E \qquad \qquad +P_2(\varepsilon) E_1 \left(-\frac{\varepsilon}{8}\right) + P_3(\varepsilon) K \left(-\frac{\varepsilon}{8}\right) + 189(8 + \varepsilon) \prod \left(\varepsilon, -\frac{\varepsilon}{8}\right) \right]$$
**complete elliptic integrals e Final DM density profile b Final DM density profile comparison of full numerical and pproximate power-low model**
 $\rho_{\rm sp}(r) = \frac{4\pi}{r^2} \int_{\Phi_f}^0 dE \int_{L_{\rm min}}^{L_{\rm max}} L dL \frac{f(E^i(E^f, L), L)}{\sqrt{2E - 2\Phi(r) - L^2/r^2}}$ 
**b Approximate power-low model**
 $\rho_{\rm sp}(r) = \rho_r g_{\gamma}(r) \left(\frac{R_{\rm sp}}{r}\right)^{\gamma_{\rm sp}}$ 
**b B condolo & & J. Silk, PRL 83(1999)**
 $g_1 10^{20}$ 
 $g_{\gamma}(r) = \left(1 - \frac{2R_s}{r}\right)^3, \quad \gamma_{\rm sp} = \frac{9 - 2\gamma}{4 - \gamma}$ 
 $\gamma_{\rm sp}(r) = \frac{1}{10^{-7}} \frac{10^{-5}}{10^{-7}} \frac{10^{-5}}{10^{-1}} \frac{10^{-1}}{10^{-1}}$ 

#### • Spike with DM annihilation

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#### • DM spike profile with annihilation

$$\rho_{\chi}(r) = \begin{cases} 0 & r < R_{\rm Sch}, & \text{spike radius} \\ \frac{\rho_{\rm sp}(r)\rho_{\rm sat}}{\rho_{\rm sp}(r) + \rho_{\rm sat}} & R_{\rm Sch} \le r < R_{\rm sp}, & R_{\rm sp} \simeq 220 \text{ pc} \\ \rho_{\rm NFW}(r) & r \ge R_{\rm sp}. \end{cases}$$

Saturate DM density

$$\rho_{\rm sat} = m_{\chi} / \langle \sigma v \rangle t_{\rm BH} \longrightarrow$$
 age of SMBH  $t_{\rm BH} = 10^9 \ {\rm yr}$ 

Z-Q Shen et al.,2303.09284 [astro-ph] 0.15 (") (1)<sup>Hgg</sup> Keck (S2, 2018) + VLT (S2, 2016) Keck (S2, 2018) + VLT (S2+S1+S9+S13, 2016) 6 10<sup>2</sup> 0.05 10<sup>2</sup> 0.00 model VLT + Keck 0.04 0.02 0.00 -0.02 -0.04 -0.06 -0.08 R<sub>sp</sub> (pc) R<sub>sp</sub> (pc)  $\alpha_{-} - \alpha_{\rm BH}(t)$  (") --- theory (Gondolo+1999) --- theory (Gondolo+1999) 95% UL (Lacroix 2018) 10<sup>0</sup> 95% UL (Lacroix 2018) 10<sup>0</sup> -95% UL 95% UL \_ median median  $1\sigma$  interval  $1\sigma$  interval 0.75 1.00 1.25 1.50 0.50 0.50 0.75 1.00 1.25 1.50 Y



## • The EHT project

- VLBI: Very Long Baseline Interferometry, an Earth-sized interferometer.
- EHT collaboration: focus on improving the capability of VLBI at short wavelengths.



#### First image of a SMBH

EHT collaboration, Astrophys. J. Lett. 875 (2019) L1, [1906.11238]



Symbol	Value	Property
M	$6.2 \times 10^9 M_{\odot}$	Compact object mass
D	16.9 Mpc	Compact object distance
$v_{\rm obs,0}$	230 GHz	Observing frequency

• Synchrotron emission due to WIMP annihilations can be stringently constrainted!

# **Calculation framework**



#### • Spectra of synchrotron emission from DM annihilation



• Bnechmark flux for four annihilation channels



#### • Limits on WIMP annihilation cross sections



### Future work for improvement

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- Realistic magnetic field model from GRMHD
- Characteristic electron trajectory configuration captured by the magnetic lines
- GR effect on electron injection momentum
- The effect of the accretion disk

# Thanks for your attention

