Dark Matter and Primordial Black Hole Constraints from Diffuse Galactic Radio Observations

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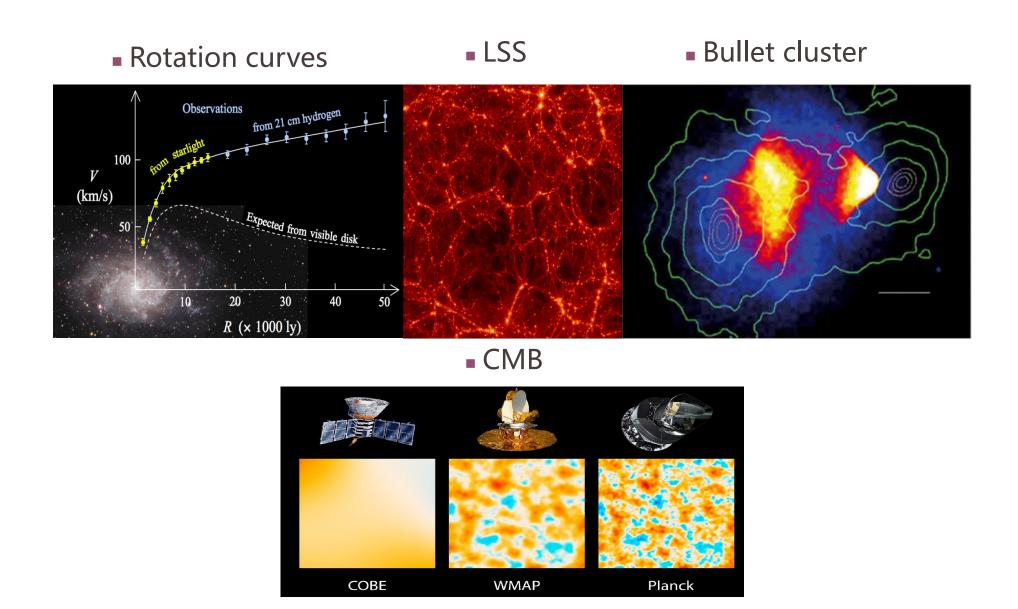
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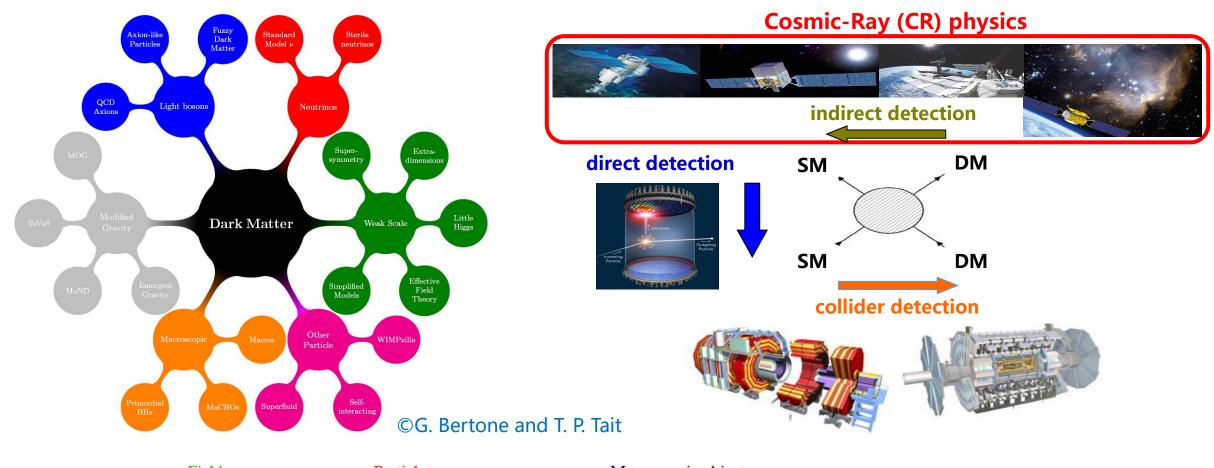
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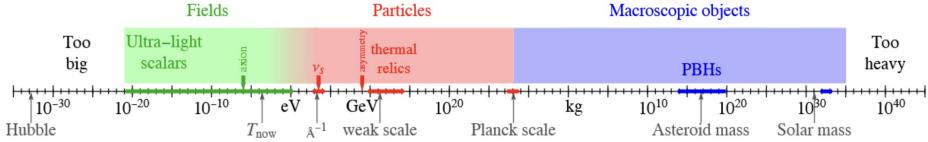
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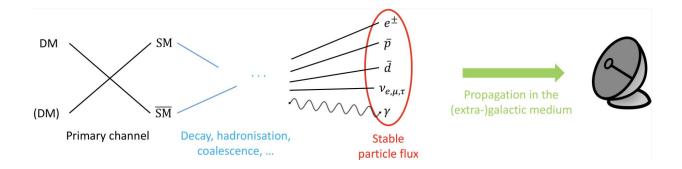
DM candidates

DM detections

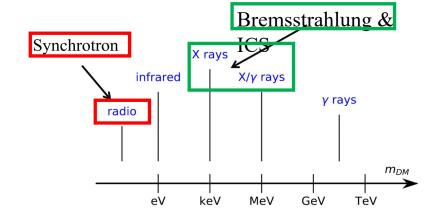


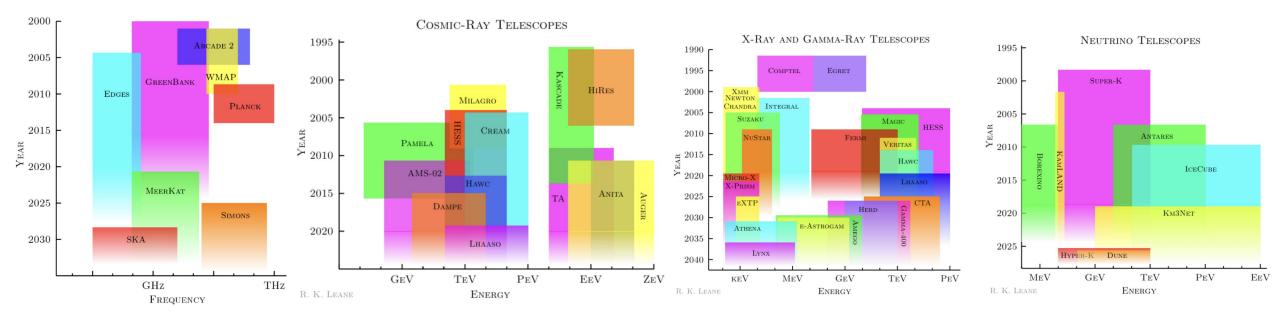


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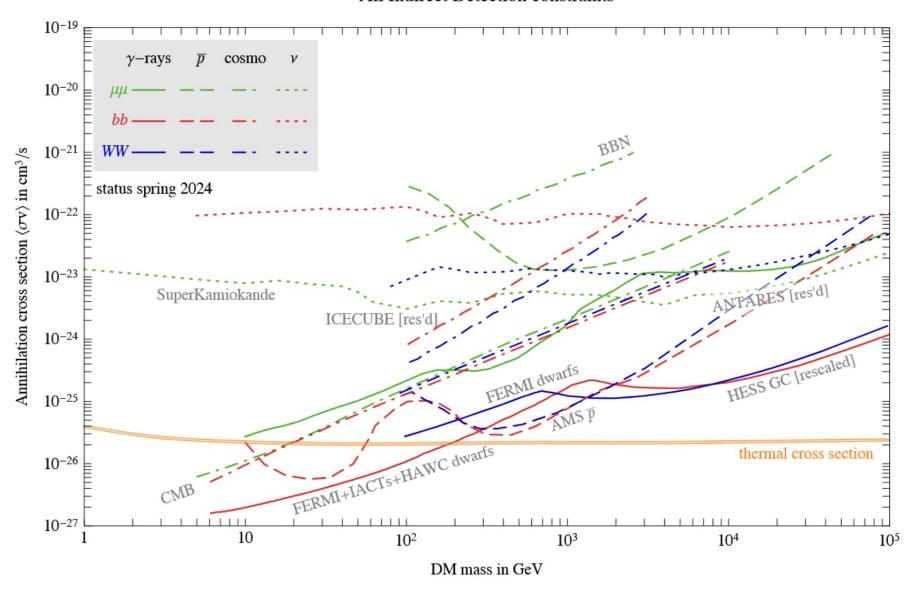


Multi-frequency observation



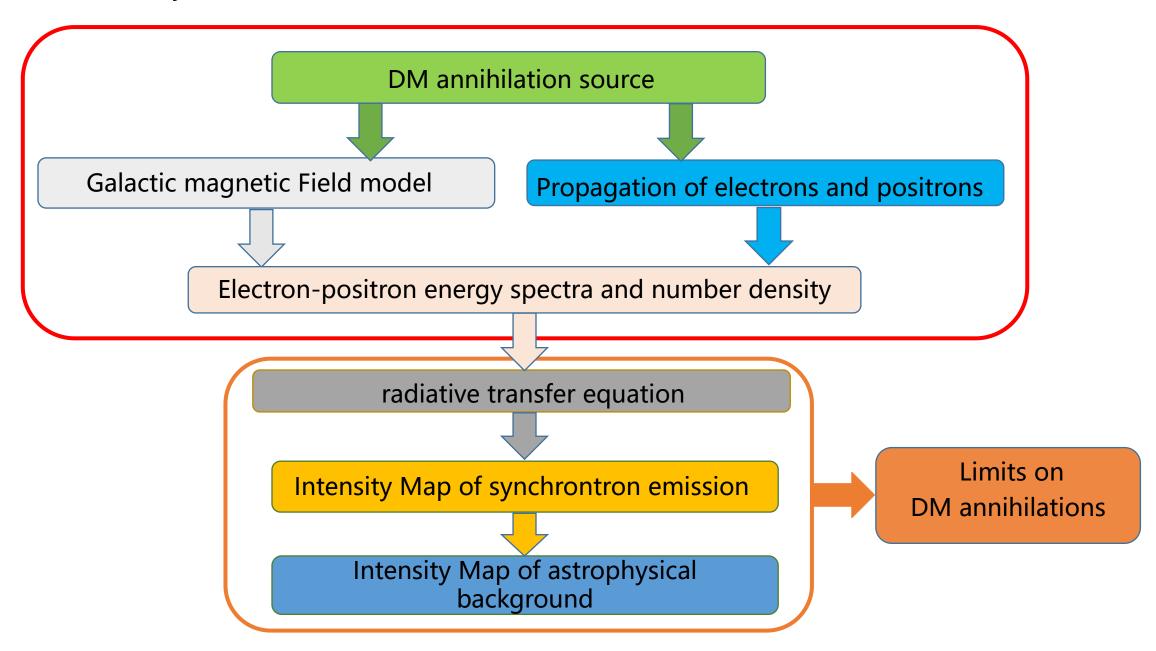


All Indirect Detection constraints

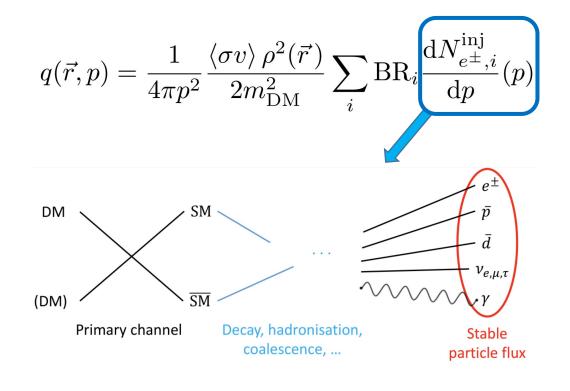


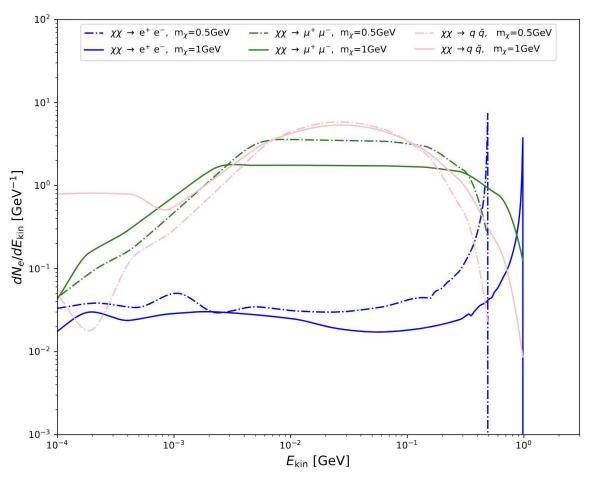
Dark Matter Constraints from Diffuse Galactic Radio emission

Synchrotron emission resulted from DM annihilation in Galactic halo



• Electron-positron energy spectra due to DM annihilation





• Galactic rdaio and microwave surveys: 10 MHz to 857 GHz

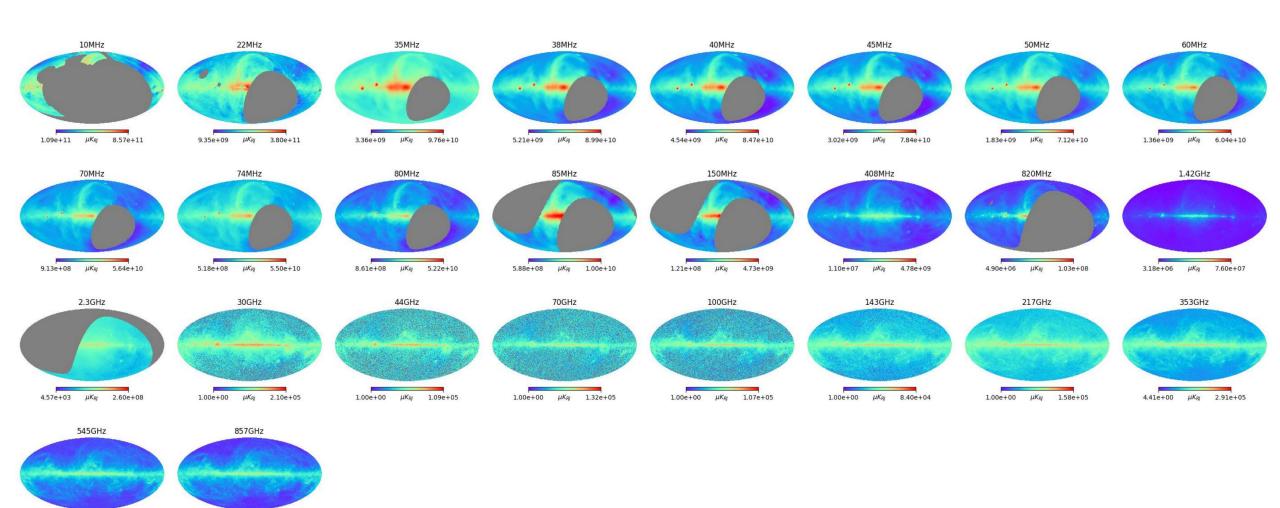
Project/Instrument	ν(GHz)	Sky coverage	Resolution	References
DRAO	0.01	28%	$2.6^{\circ} \times 1.9^{\circ}$	Caswell [25]
	0.022	73%	$1.2^{\circ} \times 1.5^{\circ}$	Roger et al. [26]
	0.035			
	0.038			
	0.040			
	0.045			
LWA1	0.050	82%	$2.0^{\circ} \sim 4.7^{\circ}$	Dowell et al. [27]
	0.060			
	0.070			
	0.074			
	0.080			
Parkes	0.085	43%	3.5°	Landecker & Wielebinski [28]
	0.150	43%	2.2°	Landecker & Wielebinski [28]
GER, AUS, ENG	0.408	100%	56'	Haslam et al. [29, 30],
				Remazeilles et al. [31]
Dwingeloo, NLD	0.82	57%	1.2°	Berkhuijsen[32]
Stokert, Villa Elisa	1.42	100%	36'	Reich [33], Reich & Reich [34],
				Reich et al. [35, 36]
S-PASS	2.3	49%	8.9'	Carretti et al. [37]
	30		32'	
	44		24'	
	70		14'	
	100		10'	
Planck	143	100%	7'	Planck Collaboration I [38]
	217		5'	
	353		5'	
	545		5'	
	857		5'	

• Sky Maps from the Milk Way rdaio and microwave surveys: 10 MHz to 857 GHz

2.21e+01 μK_{RJ} 5.82e+05

2.13e+01 μK_{RJ}

9.08e+05



Modeling diffuse Galactic radio emission

Astrophysical emission components: Synchrotron + CMB + Free-free emission + Thermal dust galprop_v57 PLANCK template model

T.A. Porter, G. Johannesson and I.V. Moskalenko, [2112.12745] PLANCK collaboration, PAstron. Astrophys. [1502.01588]

Component	Free Parameters and Priors	Brightness Temperature, $T_b(\nu)$ [μK_{RJ}]	Additional Information	
CMB		$T_b^{\text{CMB}}(\nu) = 10^6 \frac{c^2 I(\nu, T)}{2\nu^2 k_B}$	$I(\nu, T) = \frac{2h\nu^3}{c^2} \frac{1}{\exp[h\nu/(k_B T_{\rm CMB})] - 1}$	
			$T_{\rm CMB} = 2.7255K$	
Free-Free	$\log EM \sim U(-\infty, \infty)$		$\tau = 0.05468 T_{\rm e}^{-3/2} \nu_9^{-2} \text{EM} \cdot g_{\rm ff}$	$c^2I_{ m syn}(u)$
	$T_{\rm e} \sim \mathcal{N}(7000\mathrm{K}, 500\mathrm{K})$	$T_b^{\rm ff}(\nu) = 10^6 T_{\rm e} (1 - e^{-\tau})$	$g_{\rm ff} = \log \left\{ \exp \left[5.960 - \sqrt{3} / \pi \log(\nu_9 T_4^{-3/2}) \right] + e \right\}$	$T_b^{ ext{syn}}(u) = rac{c^2 I_{ ext{syn}}(u)}{2 u^2 k_B}$
			$T_4 = T_e/(10^4 \text{K}), \nu_9 = \nu/(10^9 \text{Hz})$	2ν κB
Thermal Dust	$A_{\rm d} > 0$			
	$\beta_d \sim \mathcal{N}(1.55, 0.1)$	$T_b^{\mathrm{dust}}(\nu) = A_{\mathrm{d}} \left(\frac{\nu}{\nu_0}\right)^{\beta_{\mathrm{d}}+1} \frac{\exp(\gamma\nu_0)-1}{\exp(\gamma\nu)-1}$	$\nu_0 = 545 \mathrm{GHz}$	
	$T_d \sim \mathcal{N}(23\mathrm{K}, 3\mathrm{K})$	- ,		

Propagation model

$$\frac{\partial \psi(\vec{r},p,t)}{\partial t} = \boxed{q(\vec{r},p,t)} + \vec{\nabla} \cdot (D_{xx}\vec{\nabla}\psi - \vec{V}\psi) + \frac{\partial}{\partial p}p^2D_{pp}\frac{\partial}{\partial p}\frac{1}{p^2}\psi - \frac{\partial}{\partial p}\left[\dot{p}\psi - \frac{p}{3}(\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{V})\psi\right]$$

Propagation parameters

parameters	$D_{0,xx}[10^{28} \text{cm}^2 \text{s}^{-1}]$	D_R [MV]	D_{br} [MV]	δ_1
values	4.161	4.0e3	4.3e30	0.35271
parameters	δ_2	η	diff_reacc (for galprop)	V_{Alf} [km s ⁻¹]
values	0.404	1.0	-1	15.32

Astrophysical injection

Galactic Magnetic Field (GMF) model

• regular component: Psh+11 model

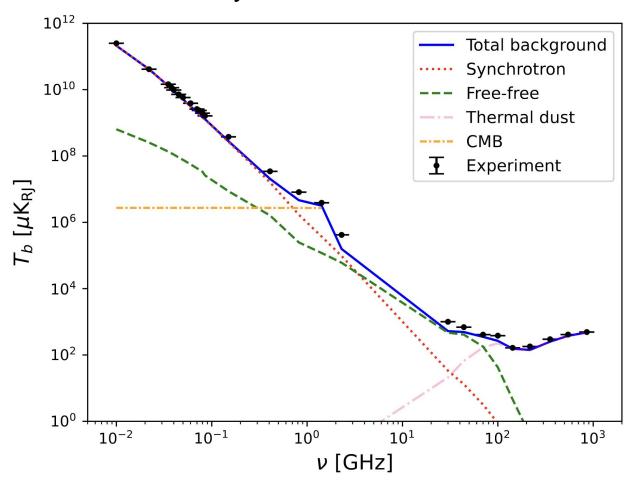
random component: Sun model

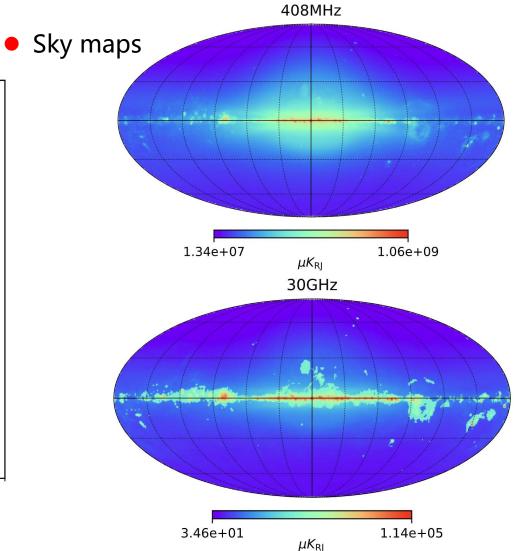
Likelihood function

$$L \propto \exp\left\{-\sum_{i} \frac{(T_i^{\text{model}} - T_i^{\text{map}})^2}{2\sigma_i^2}\right\}$$

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Total intensity





Intensity from DM annihilation

Propagation equation:

$$\frac{\partial \psi(\vec{r},p,t)}{\partial t} = \boxed{q(\vec{r},p,t)} + \boxed{\vec{\nabla} \cdot (D_{xx}\vec{\nabla}\psi - \vec{V}\psi)} + \boxed{\frac{\partial}{\partial p}p^2D_{pp}\frac{\partial}{\partial p}\frac{1}{p^2}\psi} - \boxed{\frac{\partial}{\partial p}\left[\dot{p}\psi - \frac{p}{3}(\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{V})\psi\right]}$$

spatial diffusion and convection

Radiative transfer equation:
$$\frac{dI_{\rm syn}(\nu,s)}{ds} = -\underline{\alpha(\nu,s)}I_{\rm syn}(\nu,s) + \frac{j_{\rm syn}(\nu,s)}{4\pi} \qquad j_{\rm syn}(\boldsymbol{r},\nu) = \frac{4\pi}{c}\int \mathrm{d}E\,\Phi_e(\boldsymbol{r},E)\,\mathcal{P}(\boldsymbol{r},E,\nu)$$
 free-free absorption

$$\left|rac{\partial}{\partial p} \left[\dot{p}\psi - rac{p}{3} (ec{
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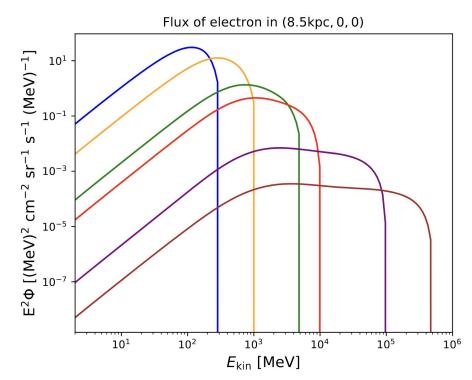
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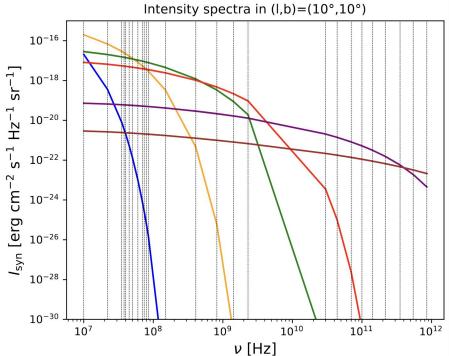
$$j_{\rm syn}(\boldsymbol{r},
u) = rac{4\pi}{c} \int \mathrm{d}E \, \Phi_e(\boldsymbol{r}, E) \, \mathcal{P}(\boldsymbol{r}, E,
u)$$

Brightness temperature: $T_b^{
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u)=rac{c^2I_{
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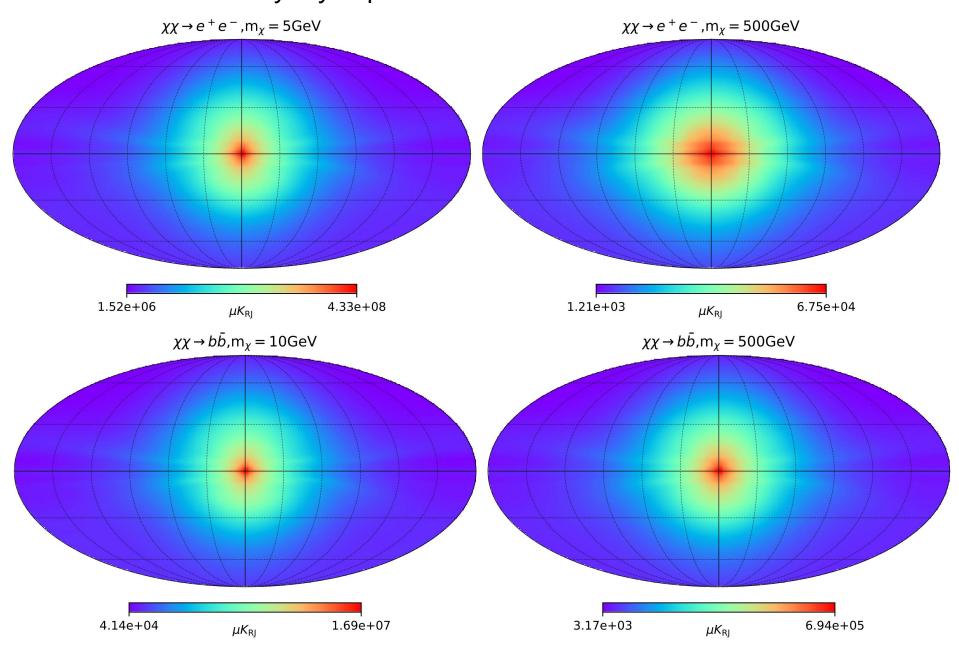
$$\langle \sigma v \rangle = 3 \times 10^{-26} \text{cm}^3/\text{s}$$

 $\chi \chi \to \mu^+ \mu^-$

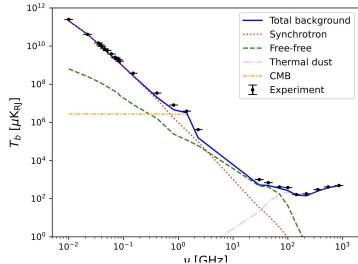




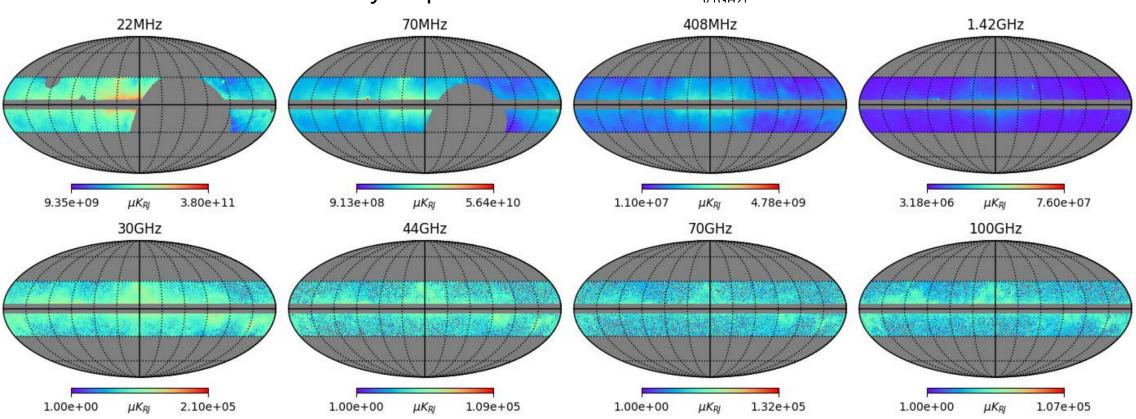
• Intensity skymap from DM annihilation at 408 MHz



Constraints from the total intensity

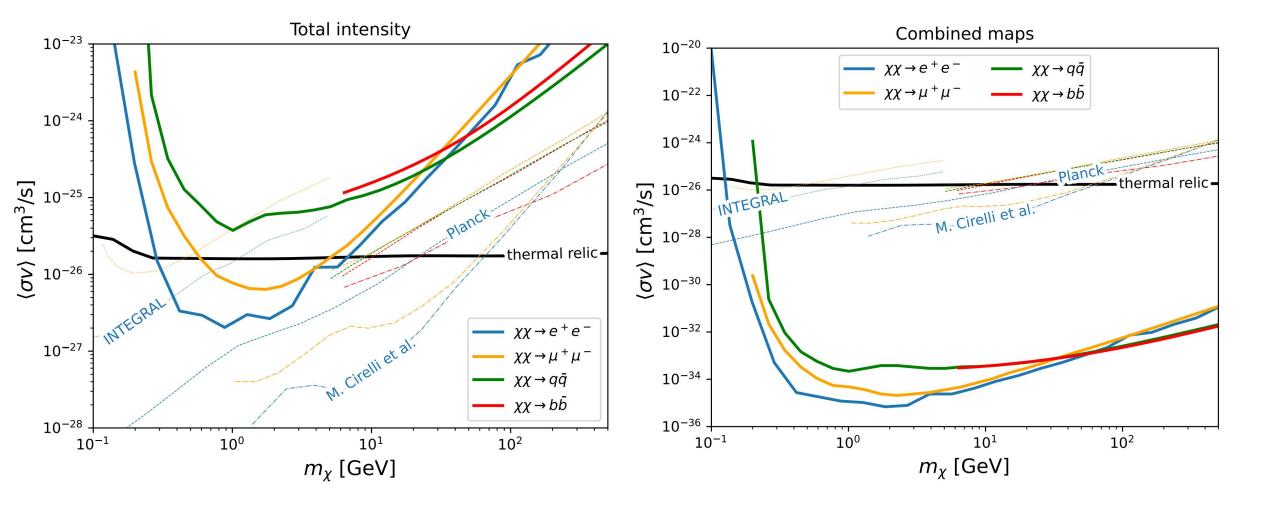


Constraints from combined sky maps



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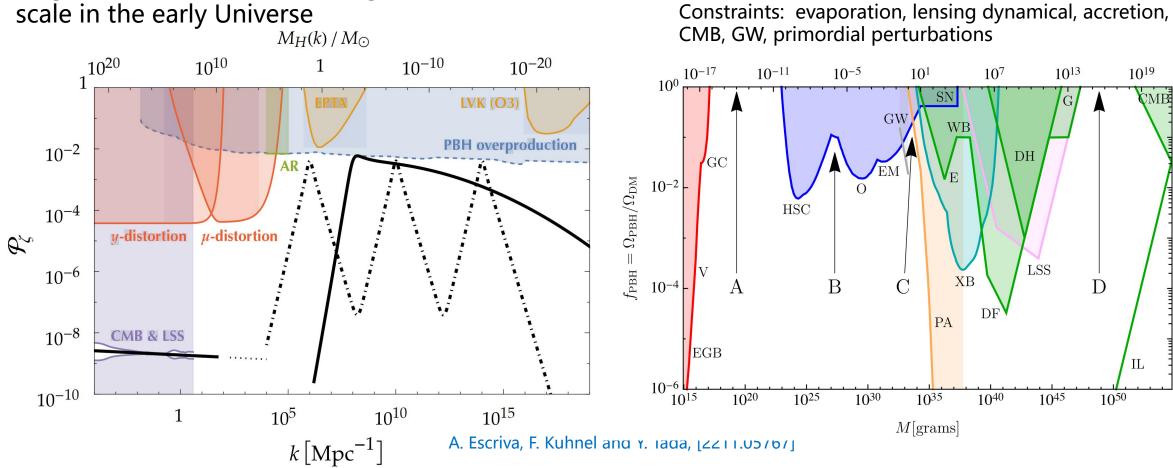
Limits on Primordial Black Hole with MHz radio observations

PBH as a DM candidate

Constraints on the PBH DM for a

monochromatic mass function

Production mechanism of PBH
 Large curvature perturbations generated at small scale in the early Universe



PBH Hawking evaporation

Temperature

$$T_{\rm BH} = \frac{M_P^2}{8\pi M_{\rm BH}}$$

Primary emission spectrum

Secondary emission spectrum

$$\frac{d^2N_i}{dtdE_i} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \sum_{\text{d.o.f.}} \frac{\Gamma_i(E_i, M, a^*)}{e^{E_i'/T} \pm 1} \longrightarrow \sum_{\text{SM}} \sum_{\text{Decay, hadronisation, coalescence, ...}} \sum_{\text{particle flux}} \frac{\bar{p}}{d}$$

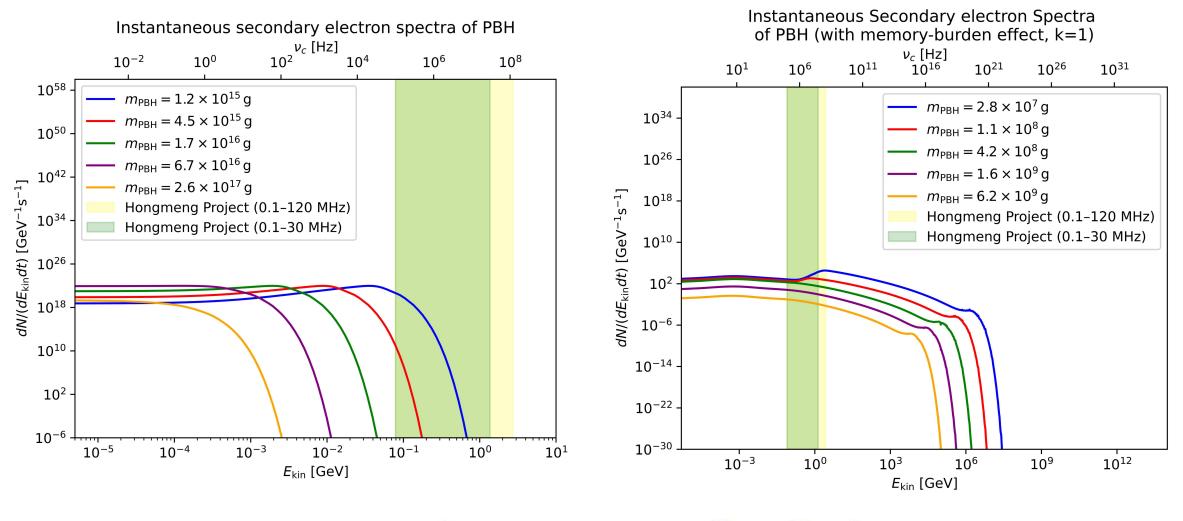
BlackHawk

Number of electron-positron injected by PBH evaporation

$$Q_{e}(E_{e}, \vec{x}) = f_{\text{PBH}} \rho_{\text{DM}}(\vec{x}) \int_{M_{\text{min}}}^{\infty} \frac{dM}{M} \frac{dN_{\text{PBH}}}{dM} \frac{d^{2}N_{e}}{dt dE_{e}}$$

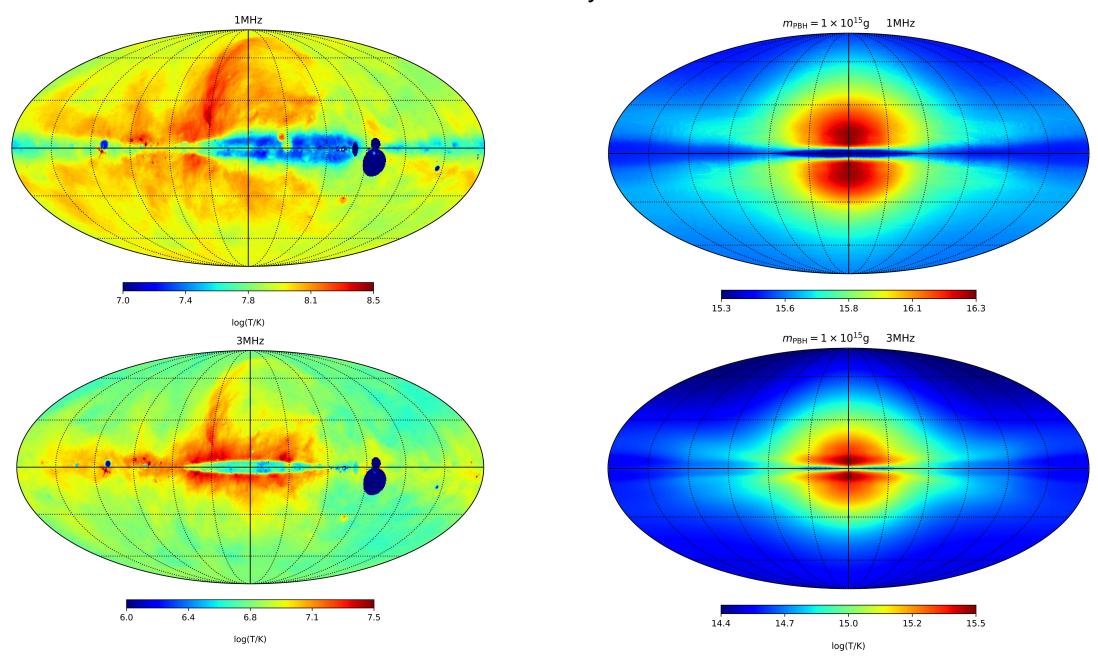
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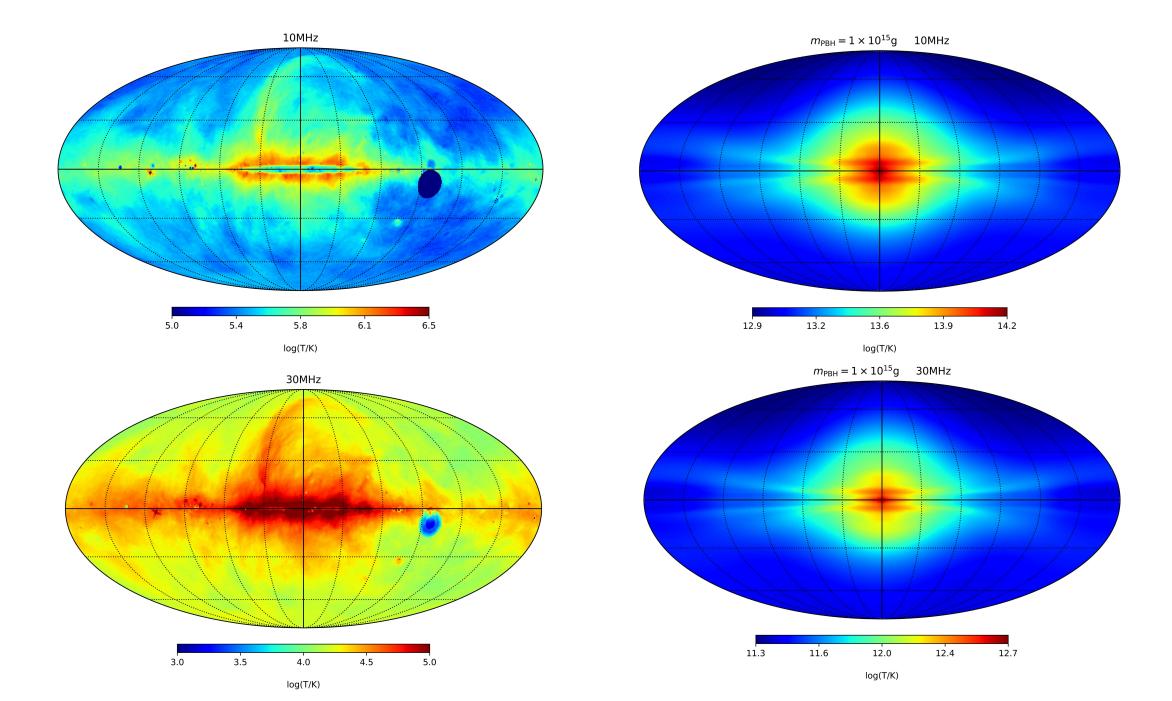
PBH energy spectra

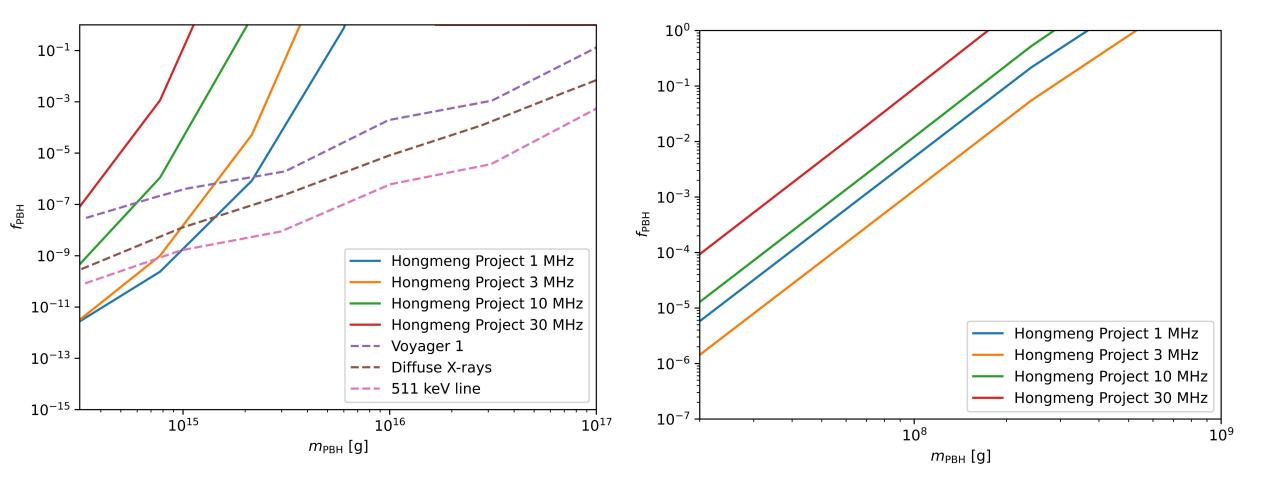


$$\nu_c = \frac{3e}{4\pi m_e c} B \gamma_e^2 \simeq (16 \text{MHz}) \left(\frac{B}{\mu \text{G}}\right) \left(\frac{E_e}{\text{GeV}}\right)^2$$

Preliminary results







Summary

- We present the sophisticated calculation of synchrotron emission resulting from DM annihilation within the Galactic halo, which can be strongly constrained by the rdaio and microwave surveys of the Mike Way.
- For Mike Way rdaio constraints, we impose constraints for both total intensity and morphology of individual sky maps, by using galprop cosmic-ray propagation code, coupled with a best-fit foreground model. This approach substantially refined the existing limits.

Thanks for your attention