

Global **BSM** Fits & **Astrophysical** Data: Three Examples

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JCAP 01, 031 (2010) [arXiv:0909.3300]

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Peter's talk (publish experimental results):

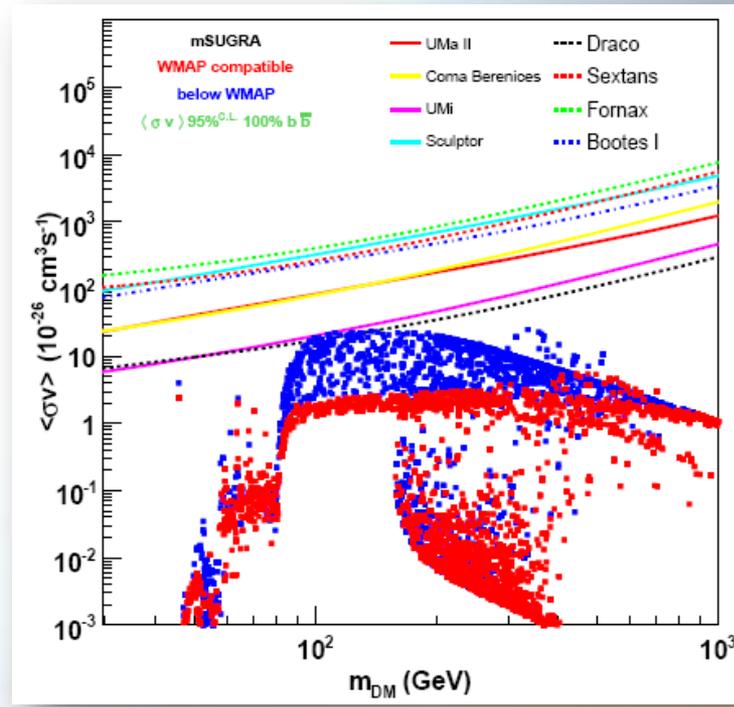
Possible strategies:

- Publication of detector unfolded fiducial cross-sections
Cons: model-dependence of unfolding, analysis optimisation model specific
- Publication of measurements without detector unfolding
Cons: test of alternative models requires detector simulation, analysis optimisation model spec.
- Publication in terms of simplified models
Cons: mapping of specific model onto simplified models only approximate

Until recently:

- ✿ **Simplified** models

Example: 100% annihilation to $b\bar{b}$

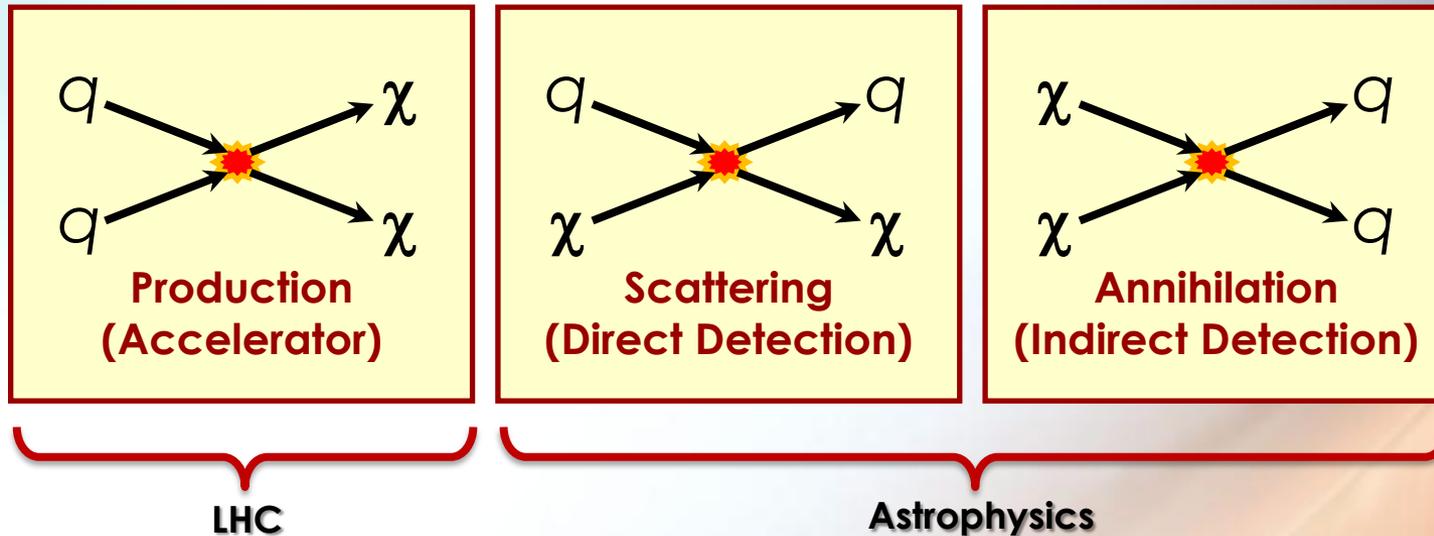


Fermi Collaboration, *Astro. J.* (2010) [arXiv:1001.4531]

More recently:

- ✿ **Unfolded** data
 - Indirect Detection: **H.E.S.S.** (GC/Sagittarius)
- ✿ rawdata
 - Model **folded with detector response**
 - ❖ Indirect detection: **Fermi** (Segue 1)
 - ❖ Direct detection: **Future ton-scale** experiments

WIMP Dark Matter



Astrophysicists are interested in Dark Matter problem.

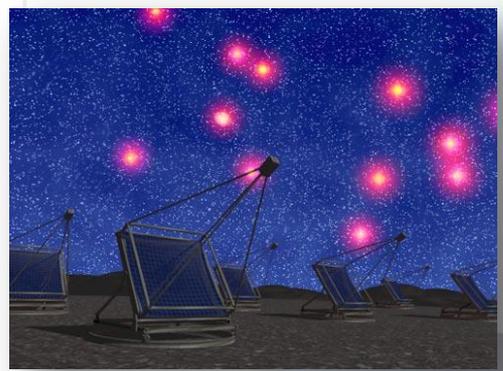
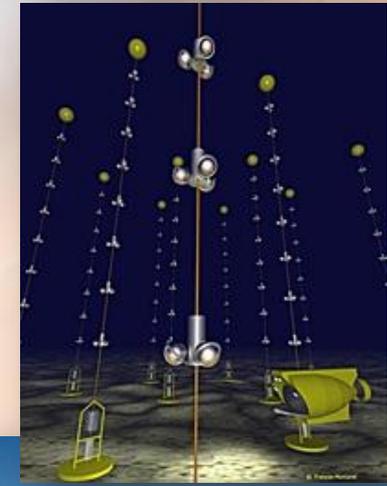
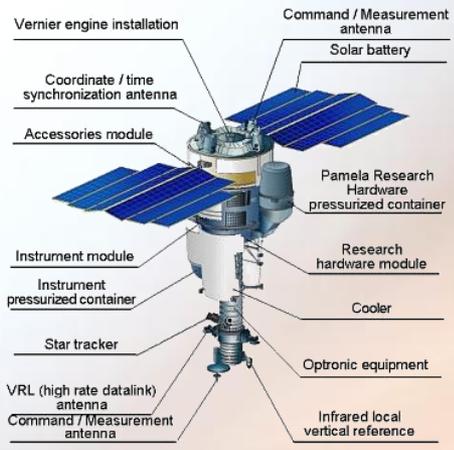
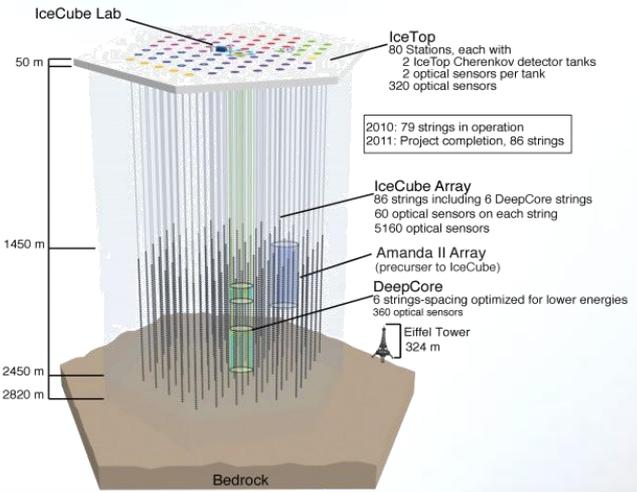
Simpler than LHC:

Astrophysical constraints are sensitive only to the following observables:

- ✱ **WIMP mass and cross-sections**
- ✱ **Some branching fractions (different annihilation channels in ID)**

Indirect Detection – WIMP annihilation into:

- ✿ positrons – **PAMELA, Fermi, ATIC, AMS**
- ✿ gamma-rays – **Fermi, H.E.S.S., CTA**
- ✿ anti-protons – **PAMELA, AMS**
- ✿ anti-deuterons – **AMS, GAPS**
- ✿ neutrinos – **IceCube, ANTARES**



Gamma-rays from dark matter:

Theoretical differential gamma-ray flux per unit solid angle:

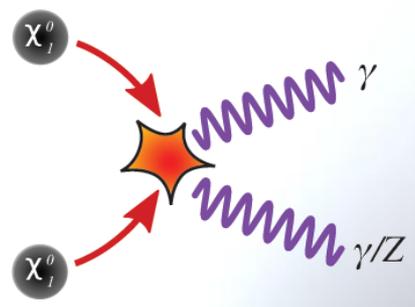
$$\frac{d\Phi}{dE d\Omega} = \frac{1 + BF}{8\pi m_\chi^2} \sum_f \frac{dN_f^\gamma}{dE} \sigma_{fv} \int_{l.o.s.} \rho_\chi^2(l) dl$$

Theoretically predicted spectrum
(differential photon yield from any particular final state)

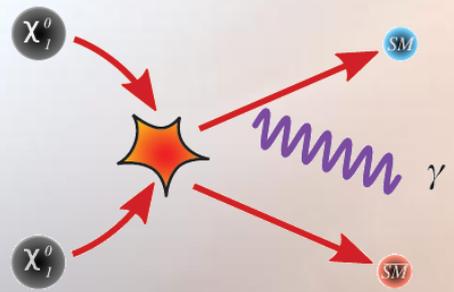
Likely targets:

- ✱ Galactic centre - **large signal, large BG**
- ✱ Galactic halo - **moderate signal, moderate BG**
- ✱ Dark clumps - **low statistics, low BG**
- ✱ Dwarf galaxies - **low statistics, low BG**
- ✱ Clusters/extragalactic diffuse - **large modelling uncertainties, low signal, low BG**
- ✱ The Sun - **neutrinos only, very model-dependent**

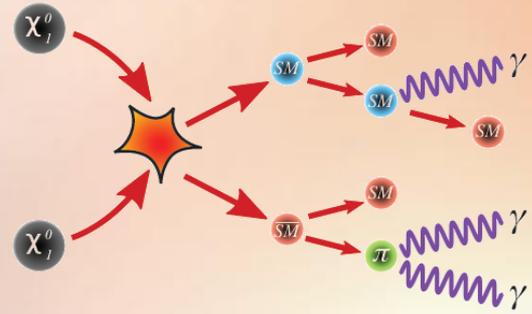
3 main gamma-ray channels:



2 photons or Z+photon:
Monochromatic Lines



Internal Bremsstrahlung:
Hard Spectrum



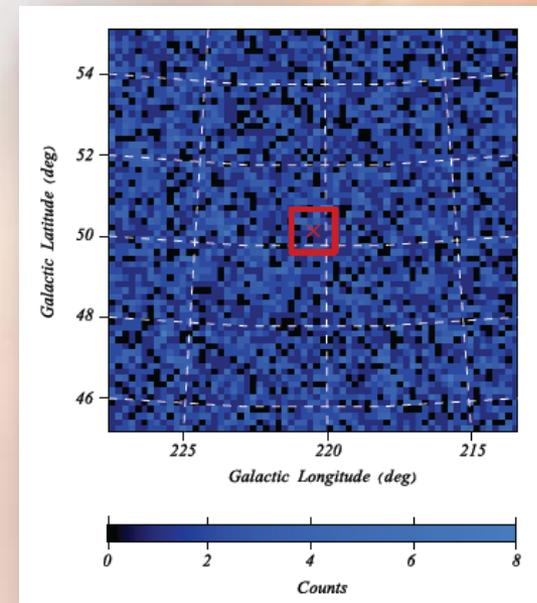
Secondary Decay:
Sof(ter) Continuum Spectrum

Example 1: *Fermi* Observations of Segue 1 + CMSSM Scans:

Why Segue 1?



→ Leads the pack in *Fermi* DM upper limit analyses (1–2 orders of magnitude better than UMi & Draco)



Purpose:

see how Segue observations impact real models, considering ‘soft bounds’ (i.e. full likelihood function).

Some Technicalities:

- ✿ Same **cuts**:
 - “DIFFUSE” event class
 - 105 zenith angle cut
 - 10 ROI
 - 14 energy bins from 100MeV–300 GeV
- ✿ **Binned Poissonian** likelihood
- ✿ **Spatial-spectral fit** to inner 6 x 6 bins of 64 x 64 region of interest
- ✿ Dark matter **halo profile** from best-fit Einasto profile from stellar kinematic data (Martinez et al., JCAP 2009)
- ✿ **Galactic diffuse BG** from preliminary *Fermi* all-sky *GALPROP* fits
- ✿ Isotropic powerlaw **extragalactic BG** (as seen by *EGRET*)
- ✿ **BG normalisations** from dwarf UL fits (i.e. full $10^\circ \times 10^\circ$)
- ✿ **Fast integration** over energy-dependent IRFs (P6v3) with **FLATlib** – (dwarf UL analysis skips energy dispersion)
- ✿ Inclusion of **systematic errors** from effective area and theoretical calculations – (dwarf UL analysis skips systematics)
- ✿ Integration into **SuperBayeS**, upgraded with **DarkSUSY 5** (including internal bremsstrahlung), bug fixes, etc.
- ✿ **515 data points** in the global fit, vs 11 previously with SuperBayeS 1.35 (admittedly not such a fair comparison)

LAT IRFs (Instrument Response Functions):

✳ IRF is the mapping between the incoming photon flux and the detected events. IRF can be framed as an area times the probability that a photon with a given set of input parameters is detected as an event with a set of observables.

✳ For the LAT, the photon parameters are the energy E and the inclination angle φ (the angle between the LAT normal and the true source position) and the event is characterized by the apparent energy E' and the apparent source position φ' . Note that φ is an angle while φ' is a vector.

✳ Current formulation of the IRF is:

$$R(E', \varphi' ; E, \varphi) = \underbrace{A_{\text{eff}}(E, \varphi)}_{\text{Effective Area}} \underbrace{p_{\text{PSF}}(\varphi' ; E, \varphi)}_{\text{Point Spread Function}} \underbrace{p_E(E' ; E)}_{\text{Energy Redistribution}}$$

- A_{eff} is the effective area (with units of area),
- p_{PSF} is the point-spread function (PSF)
- p_E is the energy redistribution function.
- φ is the inclination angle for the photon's actual direction
- φ' is the vector for the photon's apparent direction.

✳ A number of assumptions are embedded in this formulation:

- the energy redistribution function is assumed to have no dependence on the actual or apparent inclination angles
- the PSF has no dependence on the apparent energy.
- in addition, it is assumed that p_{PSF} is actually $p_{\text{PSF}}(\theta ; E, \varphi)$, where θ is the angle between the true and apparent source positions; thus we assume that the PSF is circular around the true source position.

✳ The LAT IRF is determined by Monte Carlo simulations of the response of the LAT to a photon of energy E and inclination angle φ , and then reconstructing the resulting event. The comparison between the calculated properties of the event and the incoming photon gives the IRF.

We convolved our modelled GR fluxes with LAT IRF using the publicly-available Fortran90 library FLATlib

Likelihoods from Segue 1:

9 months of real data:

✿ Because of the very low statistics observed in LAT photon counts towards Segue 1, a χ^2 estimation of the likelihood is inappropriate in this case. We calculated the likelihood using a binned Poissonian measure:

$$\mathcal{L} = \prod_j \frac{\theta_j^{n_j} e^{-\theta_j}}{n_j!}$$

- n_j is the observed number of counts in the j^{th} bin
- θ_j is the predicted number of counts

✿ If we consider a systematic error that has the impact of consistently rescaling the observed number of counts as $n_j \rightarrow \epsilon n_j$ (i.e. a constant percentage systematic error $|1-\epsilon|$), and assume a Gaussian form with width σ_ϵ for the PDF of ϵ , the marginalised log-likelihood is:

$$\begin{aligned} -\ln \mathcal{L} &= -\sum_j \ln \left\{ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma_\epsilon} \int_0^\infty \frac{(\epsilon\theta_j)^{n_j} e^{-\epsilon\theta_j} \exp\left[-\frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{1-\epsilon}{\sigma_\epsilon}\right)^2\right]}{n_j!} d\epsilon \right\} \\ &= -\sum_j \ln \left\{ \frac{\theta_j^{n_j}}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma_\epsilon n_j!} \int_0^\infty \epsilon^{n_j} \exp\left[-\epsilon\theta_j - \frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{1-\epsilon}{\sigma_\epsilon}\right)^2\right] d\epsilon \right\} \end{aligned}$$

Extrapolation to 5 years of observations:

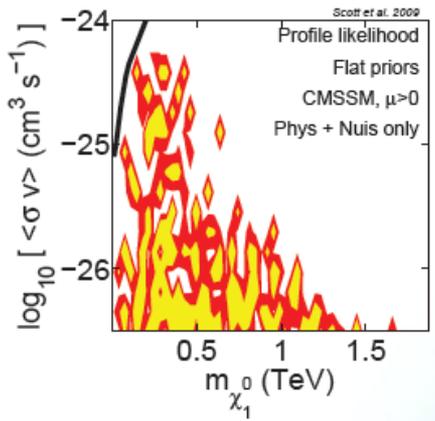
✿ We explicitly assume that no excess events will have been observed after this time.

$$\chi^2 = \sum_j \frac{(\Phi_{\text{model},j} - \Phi_{\text{observed},j})^2}{\frac{\Phi_{\text{model},j}}{\epsilon_j} + \Phi_{\text{observed},j}^2 f(E_j)^2 + \tau^2 \Phi_{\text{model},j}^2}$$

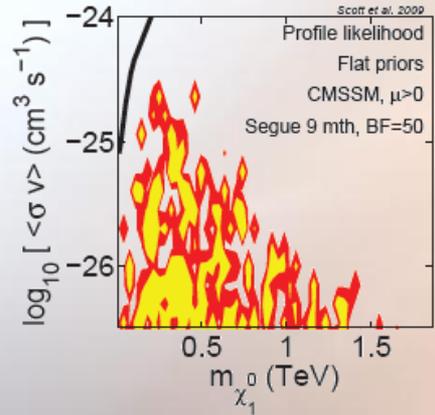
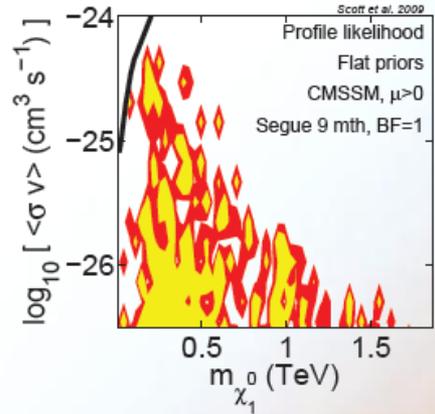
Annihilation Cross-Section (Segue 1 Only):

Scott, Conrad, Edsjö, Bergström, Farnier & YA, JCAP 2010

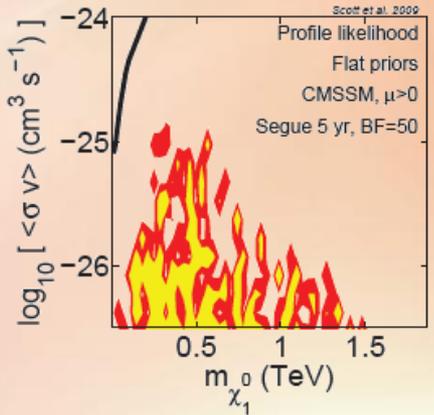
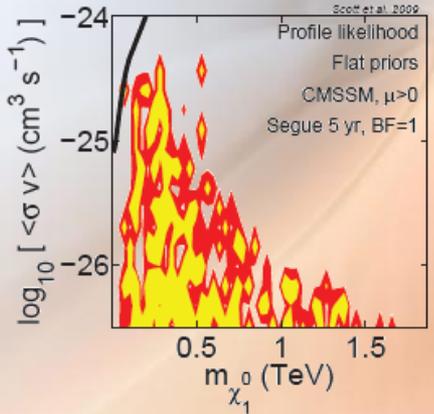
No Fermi data



9 months of real data



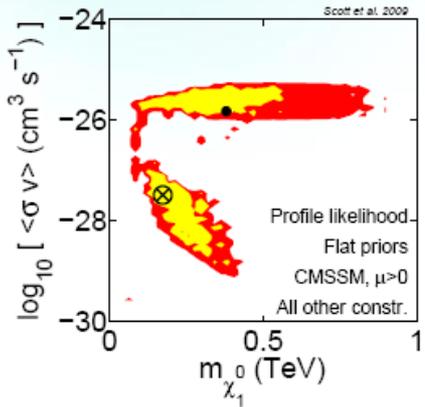
5 year projection



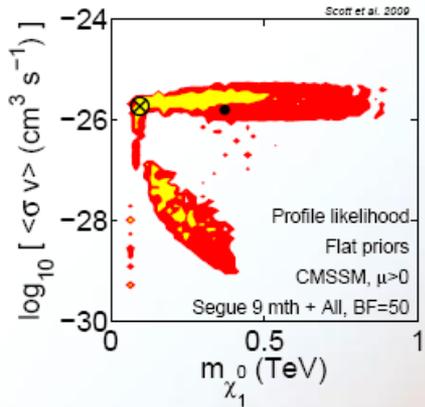
Annihilation Cross-Section (Segue 1 + All Other Observables):

Scott, Conrad, Edsjö, Bergström, Farnier & YA, JCAP 2010

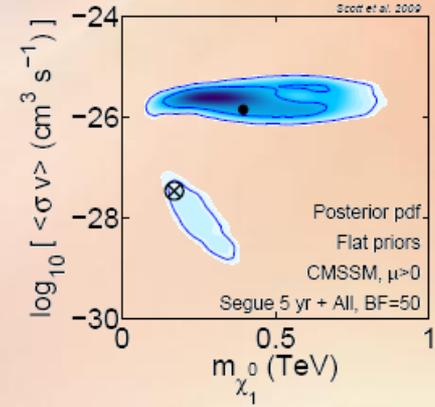
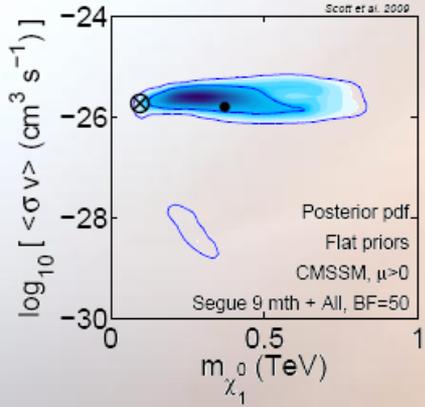
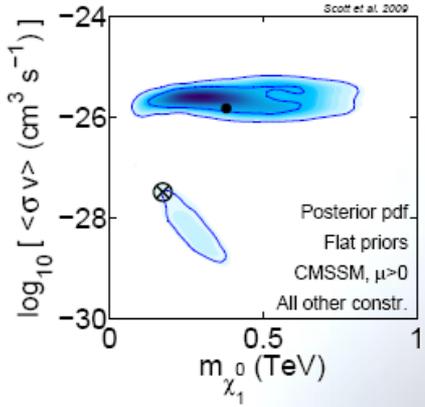
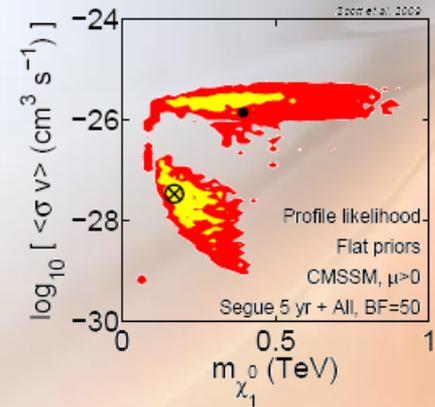
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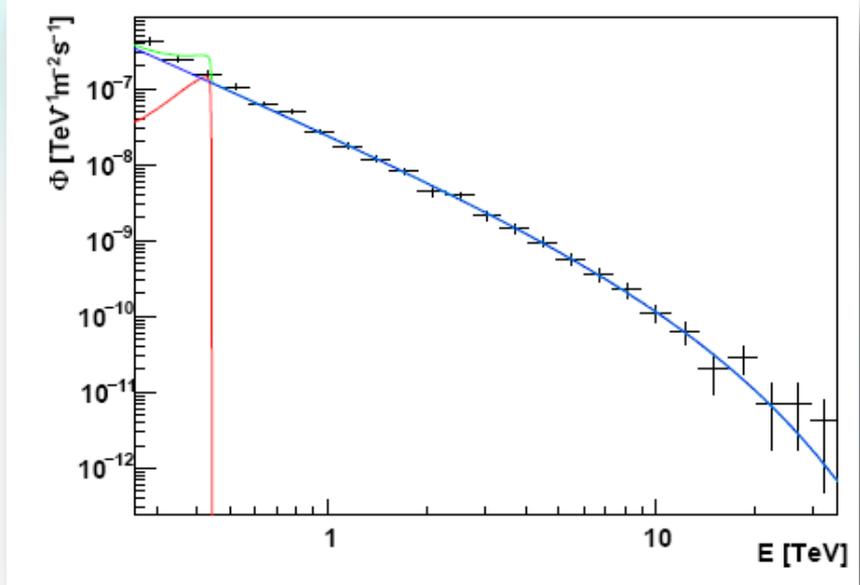


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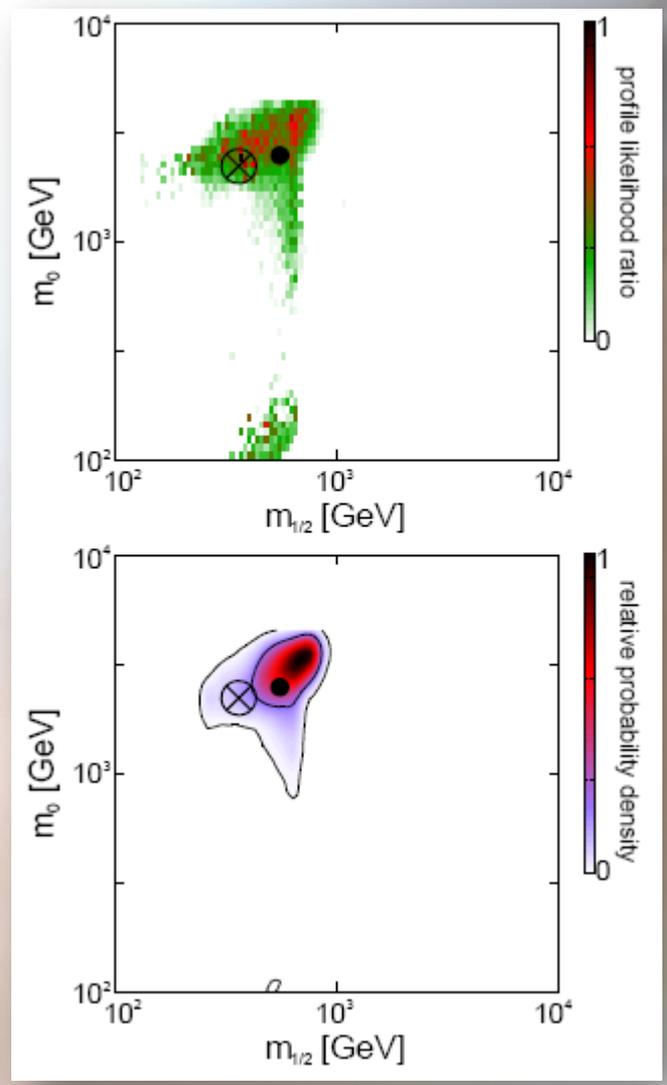
Example 2: H.E.S.S. Observations of GC & Sagittarius + CMSSM Scans:

Unfolded spectrum:



Ripken, Conrad & Scott [arXiv:1012.3939]

93 hr, $\bar{J}(\Delta\Omega)\Delta\Omega = 100$ sr

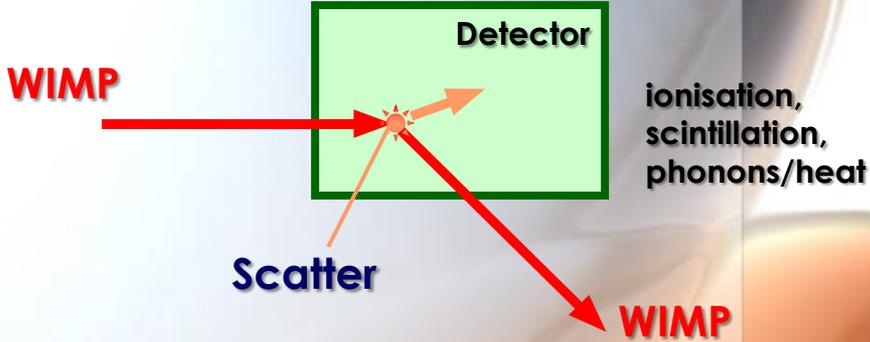
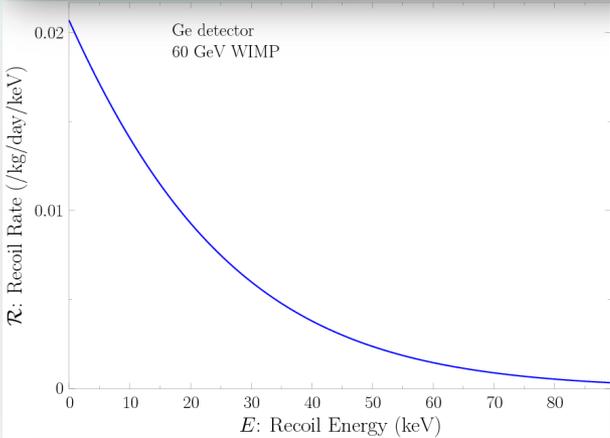


Direct Detection - Elastic Scattering of WIMP Off Detector Nuclei:

Theoretical differential recoil rate per unit detector mass:

Goodman & Witten (1985)

$$\frac{dR_{nr}}{dE_{nr}} = \frac{1}{2m\mu^2} \sigma F^2(q) \rho_0 \eta(E_{nr}, t)$$



CDMS, EDELWEISS, CRESST, ZEPLIN, XENON, LUX, COUPP, CoGeNT, TEXONO, etc.

Real experimental apparatus cannot determine the event energies with perfect precision (**Efficiencies, quenching, energy resolution, multiple elements**).

→ In a real experiment, the expected observed spectrum is:

$$\frac{dR}{dE} = \int_0^\infty dE_{nr} \phi(E, E_{nr}) \frac{dR_{nr}}{dE_{nr}}(E_{nr}, t)$$

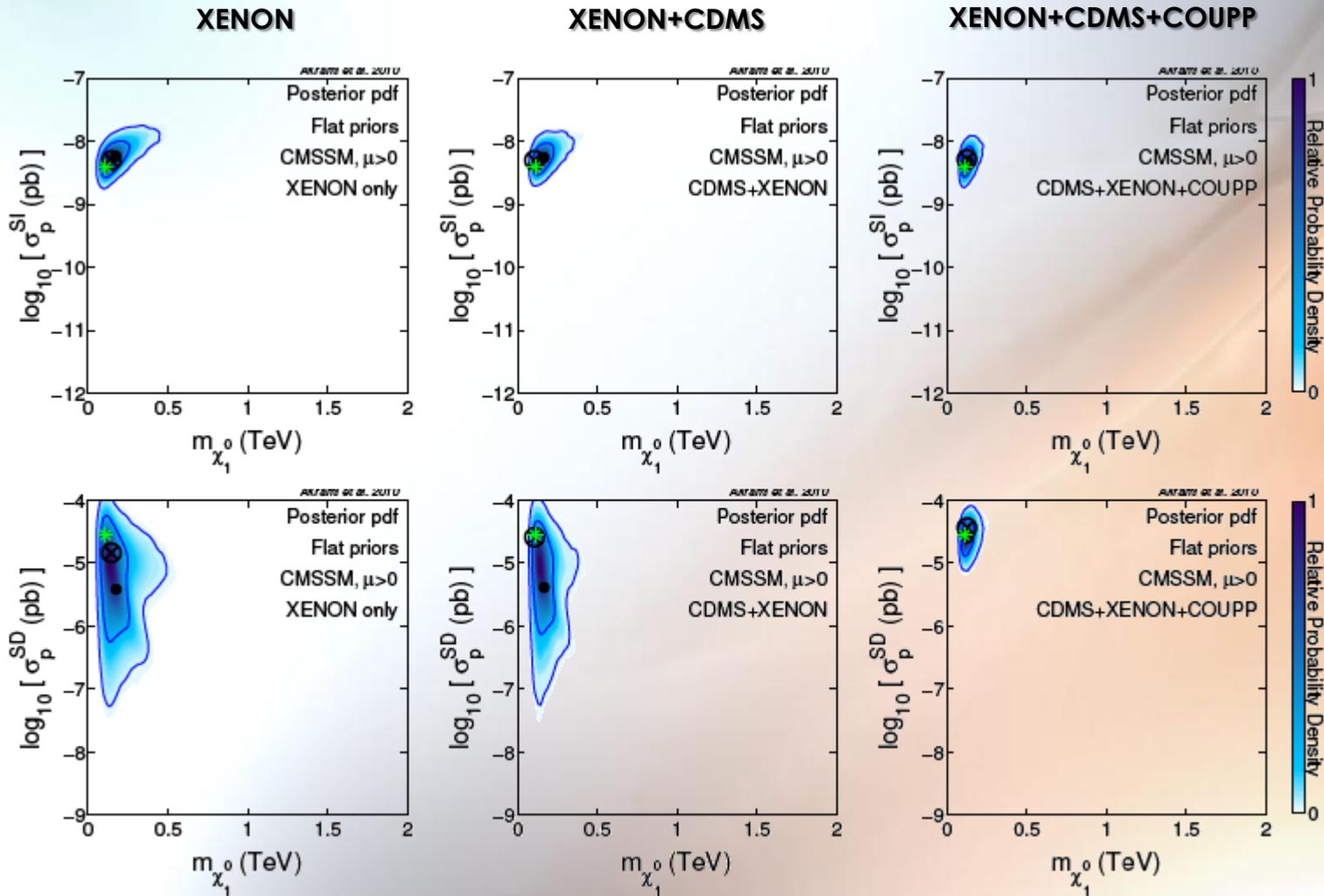
- E_{nr} is the true recoil energy
- E is the estimated recoil energy

Likelihood:

$$\mathcal{L}_{DD}(N, E_{1,\dots,N}) = P(N|\mu_{tot}) \prod_{i=1..N} f(E_i)$$

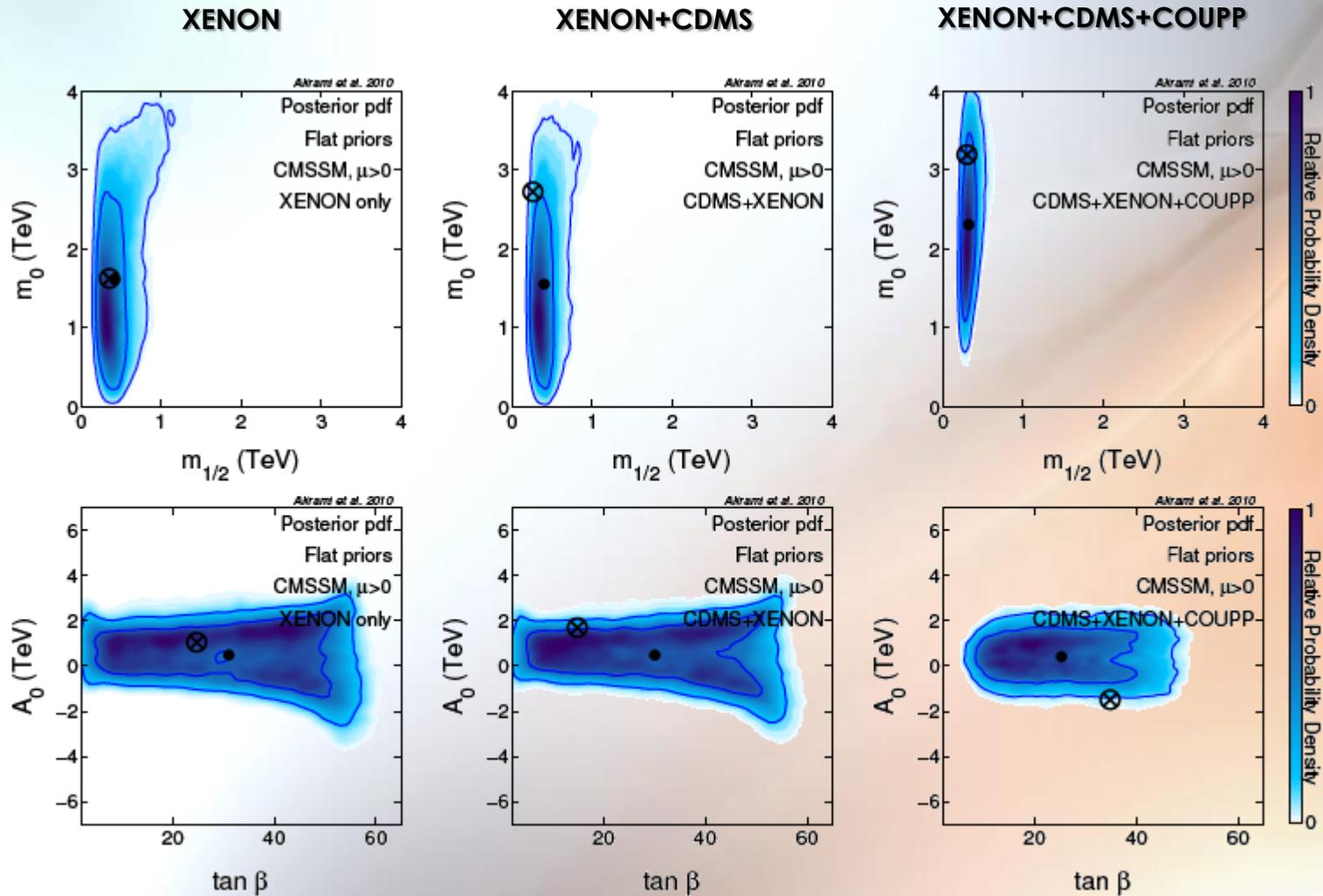
Scattering Cross-Sections (Future Ton-Scale DD Experiments Only):

YA, Savage, Scott, Conrad & Edsjö [arXiv:1011.4318]



CMSSM Parameters (Future Ton-Scale DD Experiments Only):

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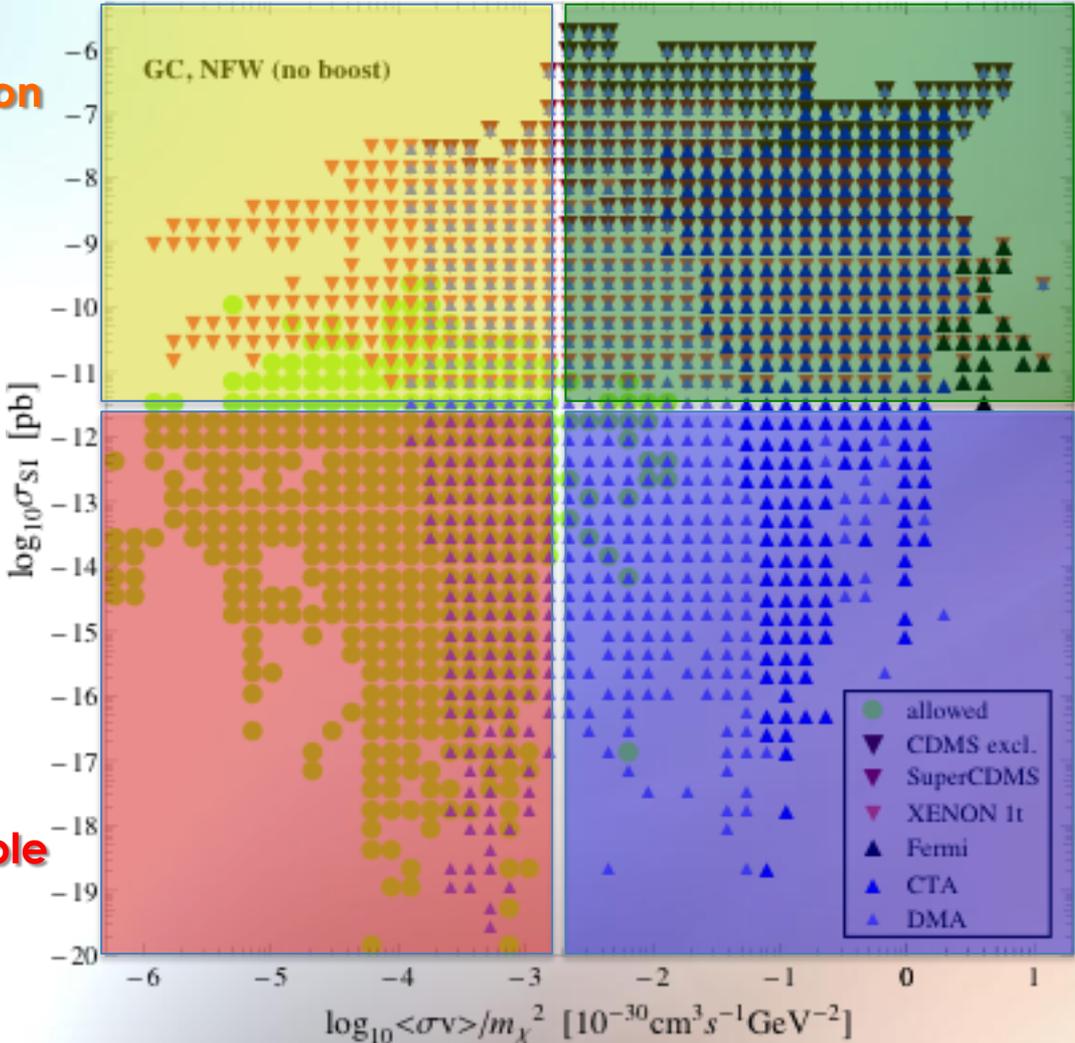
Direct vs Indirect and LHC:

Large scan of MSSM and CMSSM models:

Bergström, Bringmann & Edsjö [arXiv:1011.4514]

Bergström, Bringmann & Edsjö (2010)

Direct detection rules



The sweet spot

The impossible part

- Choose benchmark models for LHC in the four corners.
- From the astrophysical point of view, it does not matter what mass spectra are chosen for the benchmarks.

Indirect detection rules

Summary and Concluding Remarks:

- ✿ Astrophysicists are using all three *"possible strategies"* for publishing their experimental results all the time.
- ✿ It is however a much simpler case compared to the LHC: not many observables are used.
- ✿ The main goal of astrophysical analyses is to solve the DM problem, and the data need to be integrated with LHC data to put strong constraints upon BSM parameters.
- ✿ Astrophysical analyses can suggest interesting benchmarks, although they are basically benchmark classes of BSM points rather than actual benchmark points.