Multi-messenger signatures from high-energy astrophysical phenomena: binary neutron star mergers

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Research overview

IceCube likelihood analysis pipeline: Correlations with Type Ia/ Type II supernovae Upcoming JWST searches

Astrophysical signatures of dark matter (DM): DM cooling in AGNs, CR boosted DM DM induced neutron star implosions

Quantum fields in time- and space-dependent backgrounds: particle production and back reaction Applications to early universe cosmology: formation and annihilation of vortices, domain walls, cosmic strings

arXiv:1907.03762, 2004.07249, 2009.11480, 2110.08277, 2303.03415, 2406.13301

Connections to NANOGrav results?

Prologue

New physics, understanding the fundamentals,….

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Tevatron

LHC

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The multi-messenger paradigm

Compact object mergers, TDEs, CCSNe,….

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High-energy astrophysical phenomena

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GW170817

~ 40 Mpc (NGC 4993)

GW

No neutrinos :(

X-rays (Chandra)

Optical (HST)

12 *Troja, Piro, van Earthen et al., 2017, Nature, 551, 71Image credits: [https://ahead.iaps.inaf.it](https://ahead.iaps.inaf.it/?page_id=1437&print=print) Abbott et al. 2017, ApJ 848, L13*

The multi-messenger paradigm

High-energy neutrinos

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High-energy neutrino detectors

with no track

Charged-current v_t

IceCube observes seven astrophysical tau neutrino candidates

Posted on March 7, 2024 by Alisa King-Klemperer

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Double cascade

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KM3NeT

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Baikal GVD **ANTARES**

Future detectors: IceCube-Gen2, RNO-G, GRAND, P-ONE….

NGC 1068 (also TXS 0506+056)

The Galactic plane

10 years of PS data (2011-2020)

$\sim 4.5\sigma$ diffuse emission models w.r.t background only hypothesis

High-energy (HE) neutrinos

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- c) Significant density on target media matter and radiation
- d) (a) and (b) -> production of charged mesons pions that decay into neutrinos, charged leptons, and gamma-rays

Proton energy loss due to p-*γ* interactions

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Model A (Γ _i = 300, L _{iso} = 10⁵¹ erg s⁻¹, t_{dur} =2 s)

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Fate of NS-NS mergers

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Fate decided by EOS, Mass, Spin, ….

Model

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t_{\rm sd} = 5.63 \times 10^5 \text{ s} \left(\frac{B_d}{10^{14} \text{ G}} \right)^{-2} \left(\frac{P_i}{0.003 \text{ s}} \right)^2
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CR protons extracted from the magnetar surface: Goldreich-Julian (GJ) number density of charges

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n_{\text{GJ}} = -\frac{\mathbf{\Omega} \cdot \mathbf{B}}{2\pi \mathbf{Z}ec}
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\dot{N}_p = n_{\text{GJ}} 2A_{\text{pc}}c = \frac{4\pi^2}{\mathbf{Z}e} \frac{R_*^3}{c} \frac{B_0}{P^2}
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\nRock (TS)

\nAcceleration sites:

\nTermination

\nshock (TS)

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Cosmic ray (CR) proton acceleration

 $E_p = \int d\varepsilon'_p \; \varepsilon'_p$ $d\dot{N}_{p,\mathrm{inj}}$ *dε*′ *p t*

The money plot: Neutrino fluences (takeaway)

Peak fluence $\sim 10^6$ s post-merger 6 s Peak fluence $\sim 10^{6.5}$ s post-merger

Neutrino fluences: timescales

Neutrino fluences: importance of pion cooling

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Next-generation GW and neutrino detectors

Detection strategy: triggered stacking search

Next-generation GW detectors

Sensitive to NS-NS mergers from very high redshifts

Evans et al., (2021)

Impacts on triggered stacking searches

Motivations: How to obtain meaningful triggers?

Use the sky localization capabilities of the GW detectors….

Sky localization and BNS merger rate

Chan et al., PRD (2018) Wanderman & Piran, MNRAS (2015)

Distance limits for GW detectors

Distance limits for GW detectors $-\delta t - f_{\text{th}}$ **plane**

High energy neutrinos from BNS mergers

$\boldsymbol{\mathsf{Results}}$ - varying f_{ν} and δt

 10^{-5} 5 × 10⁻⁵

Motivated by physical models Fiducial Parameters: $f_{\nu} = 2.5 \times 10^{-5}$ $\delta t = 1000$ s $E^{\rm tot}$ ∼ 5 × 10^{54} erg

1 s 10^6 s

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Backgrounds

Next-generation GW and UHE neutrino detectors

Giant Radio Array for Neutrino Detection

GRAND IceCube-Gen2 Radio RNO-G

GW-triggered UHE neutrino searches at GRAND-200k

Prospects for GRAND and IceCube-Gen2 Radio

Joint UHE neutrino network: FOV

Takeaways

 $\delta t = 1000$ s

Backup