

Theory: dark matter models from the astro theory point of view

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The Cosmological Dark Matter Problem

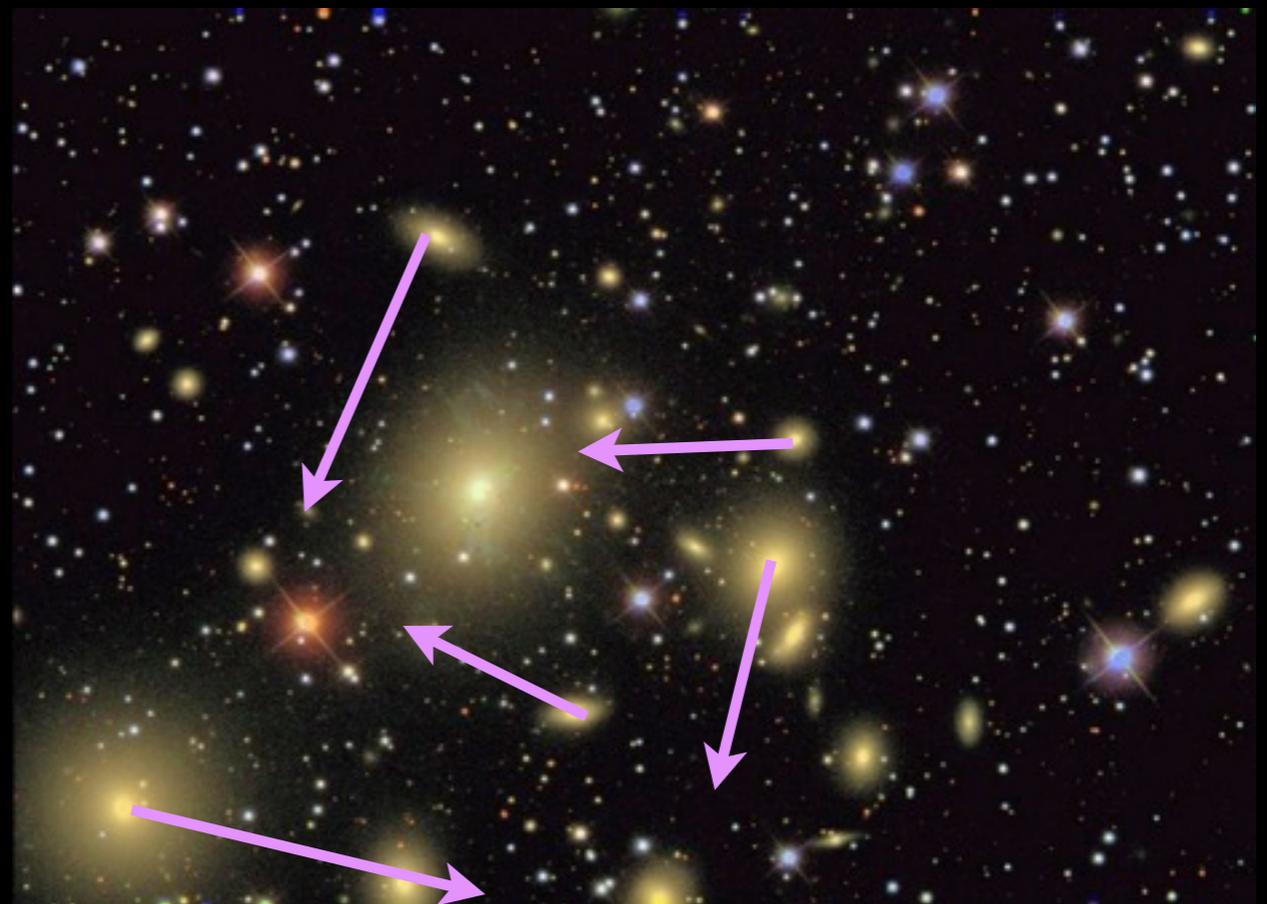
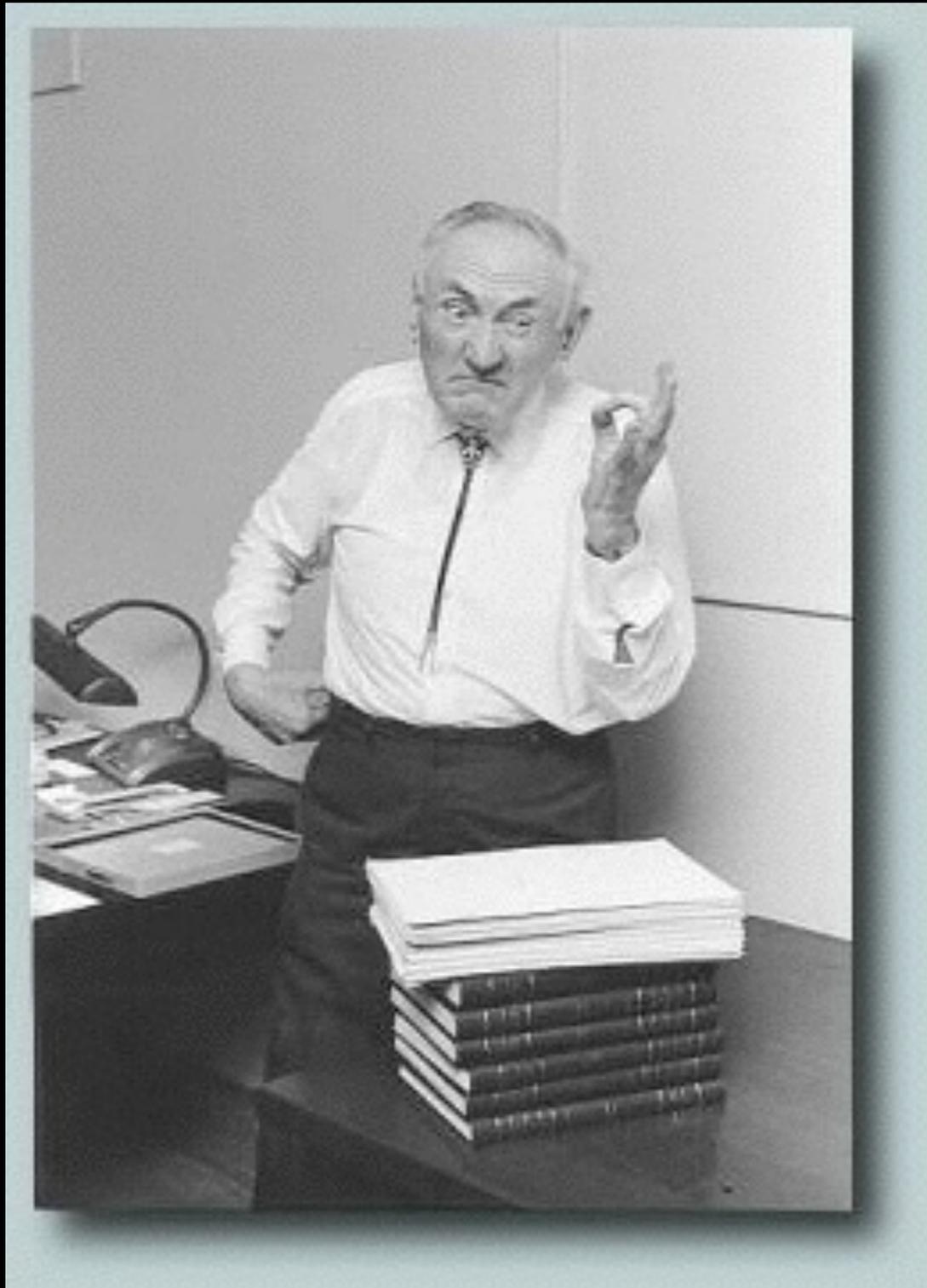
First indications: velocity of galaxies in a cluster

$$GM = \langle v^2 \rangle r_{1/2} \alpha^{-1}$$

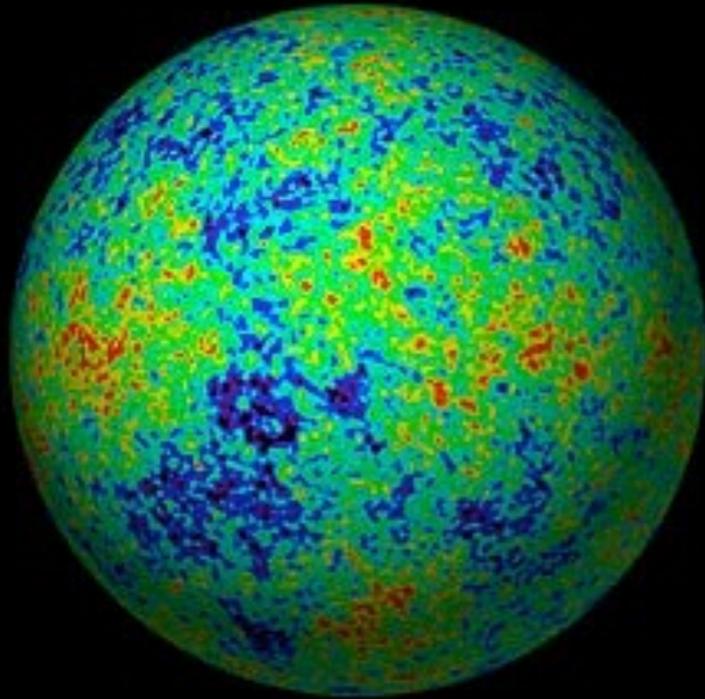
$$\Rightarrow M \gg M_{\text{stars}} + M_{\text{gas}}$$

Zwicky (1933):

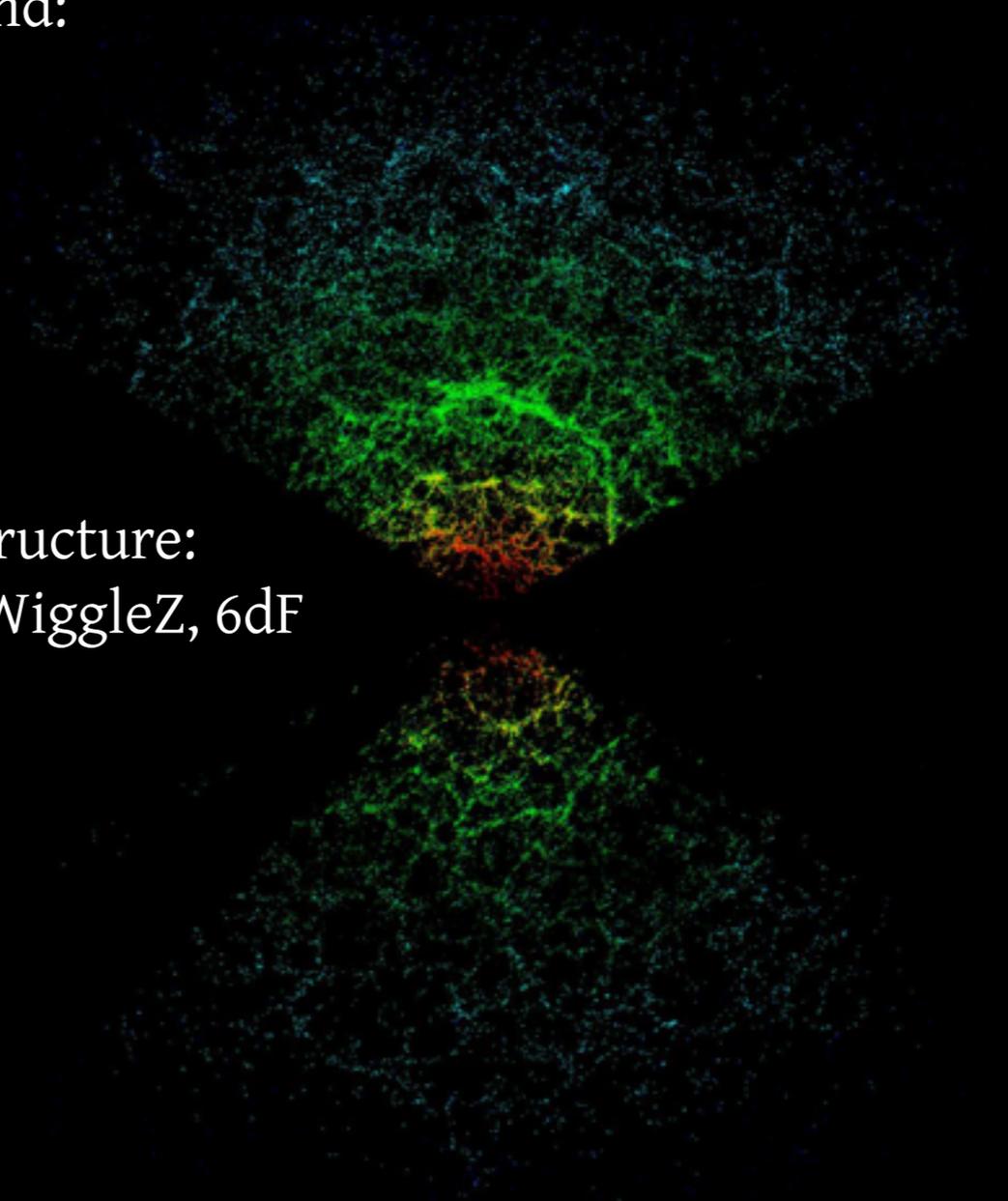
the “dunkel-materiel”/ the “dark matter”



Dark Matter Today: from large scale cosmology



Cosmic Microwave Background:
Planck, SPT, ACT, PolarBEAR

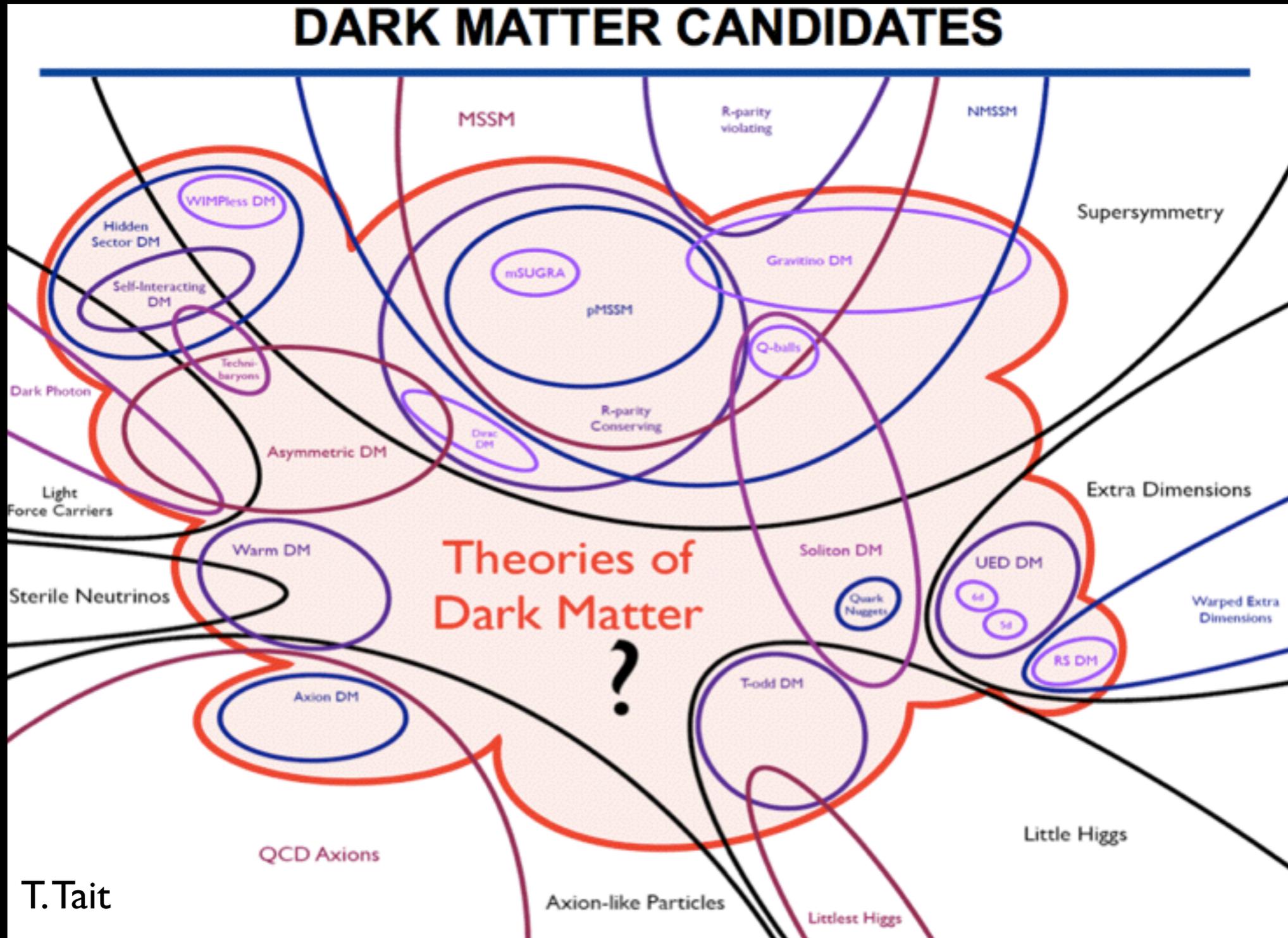


Large Scale Structure:
SDSS (BOSS), WiggleZ, 6dF

$$\Omega_{\text{DM}} \equiv \frac{\rho_{\text{DM}}}{\rho_{\text{crit}}} = 0.259 \pm 0.002$$

Planck 2015 + BAO + SNe + H_0
(Planck Collab. 2015)

What is dark matter?



Large Scale Structure: the cosmological density perturbation spectrum

- Power spectrum of cosmological density fluctuations

$$P(k) = \langle |\delta_k|^2 \rangle$$

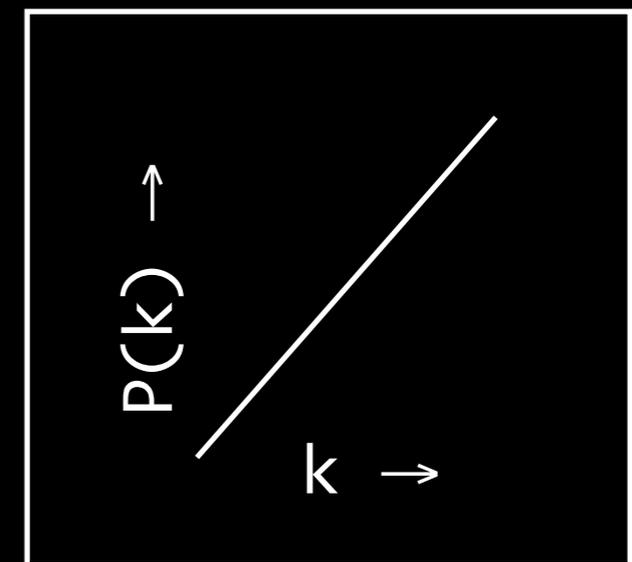
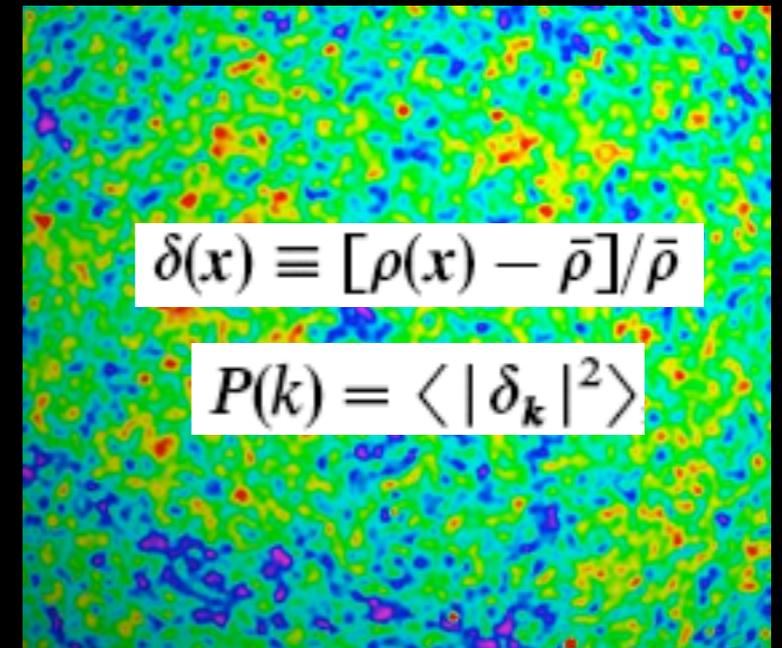
- Primordial Harrison-Zeldovich:
from scale invariance

$$P(k) \propto k$$

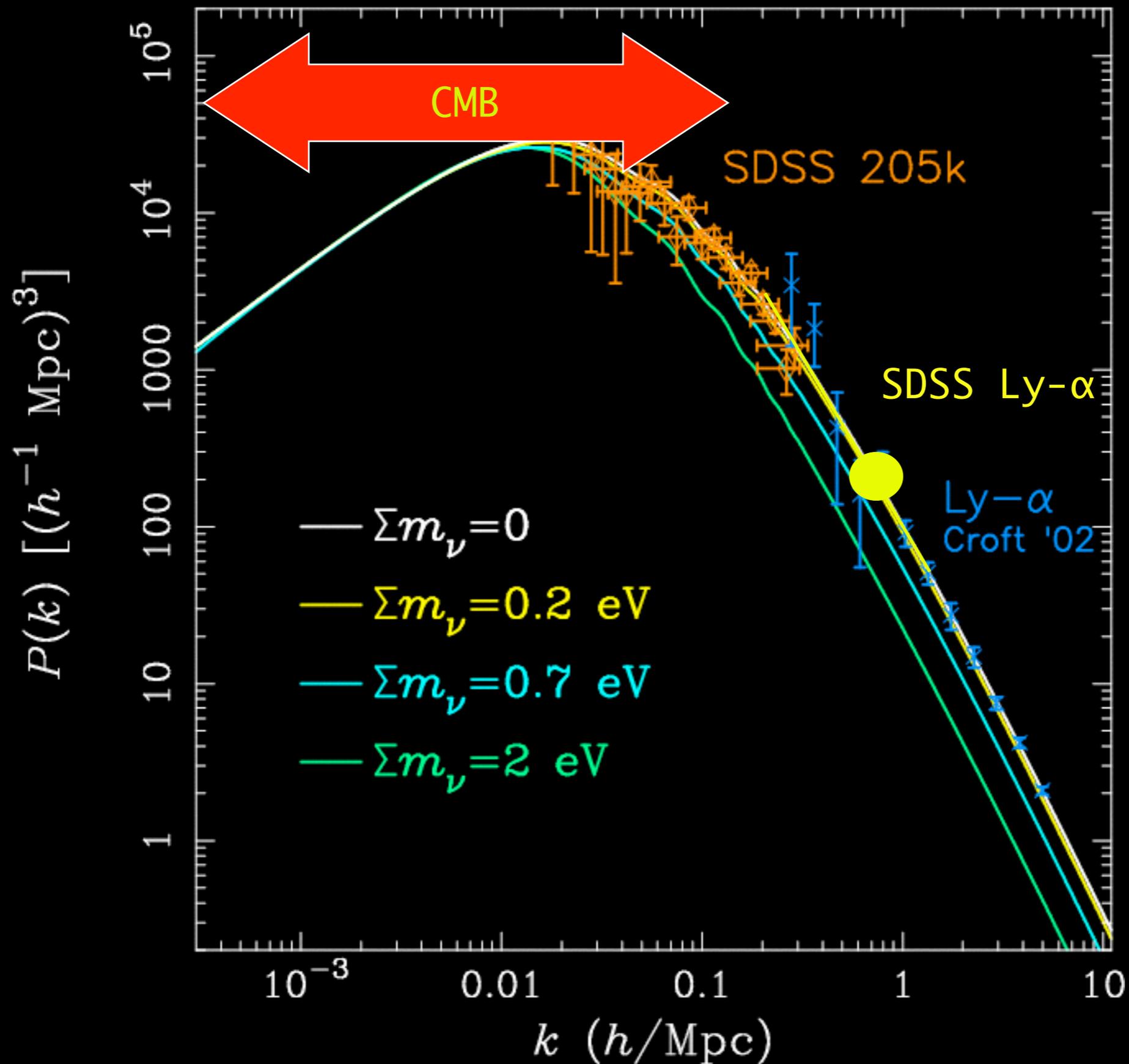
- Natural solution to perturbation spectrum:
self-similar evolution

- Predicted by inflation

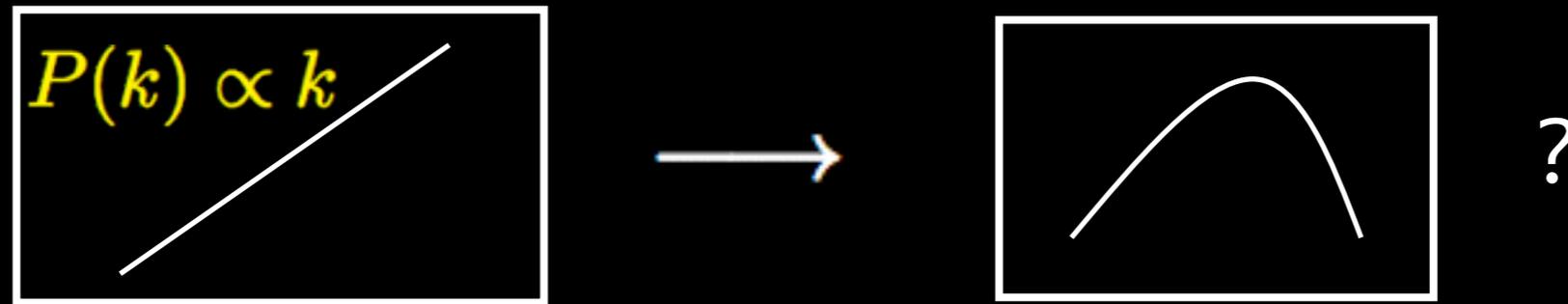
$$P(k) \propto k^n \quad n \lesssim 1$$



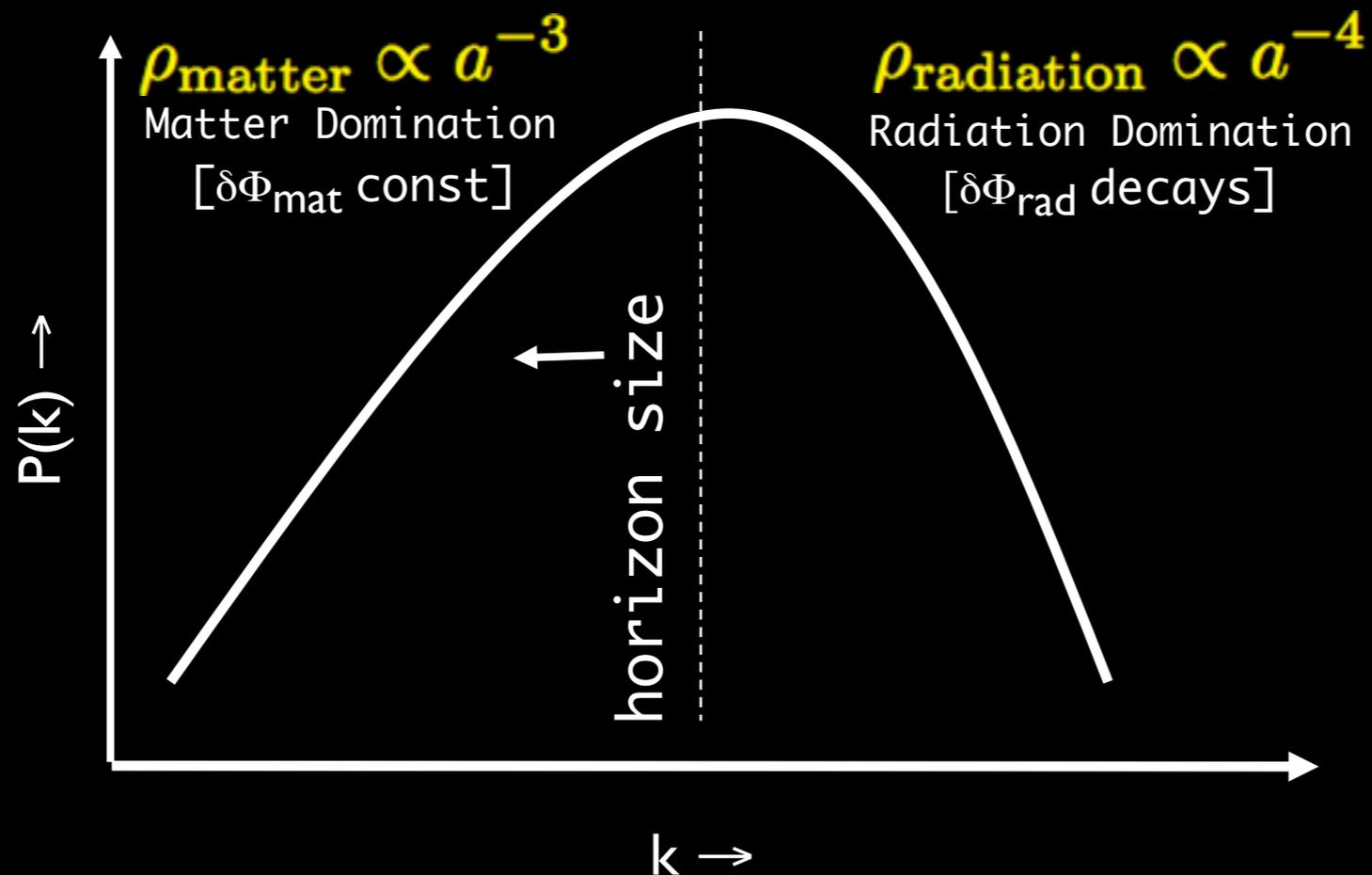
Measuring Large Scale Structure $P(k)$



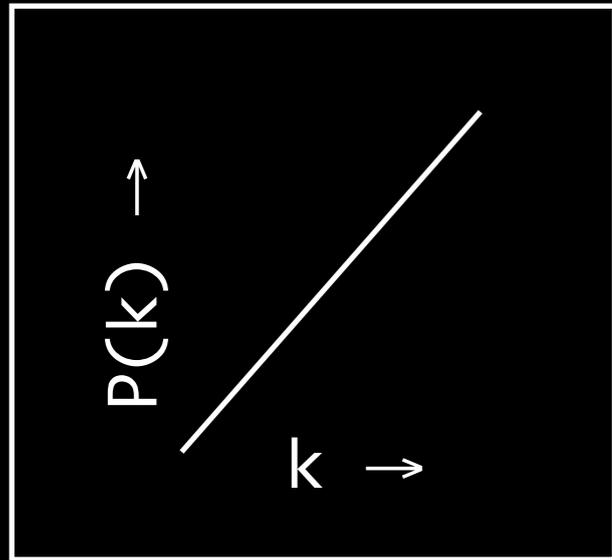
The Cosmological Matter Power Spectrum



Perturbations enter horizon:

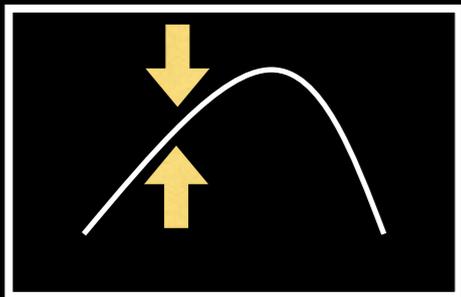


The Primordial Spectrum: CMB gives a Precision Determination at Large Scales



$$P(k) = Ak^n$$

Planck Collaboration 2015:

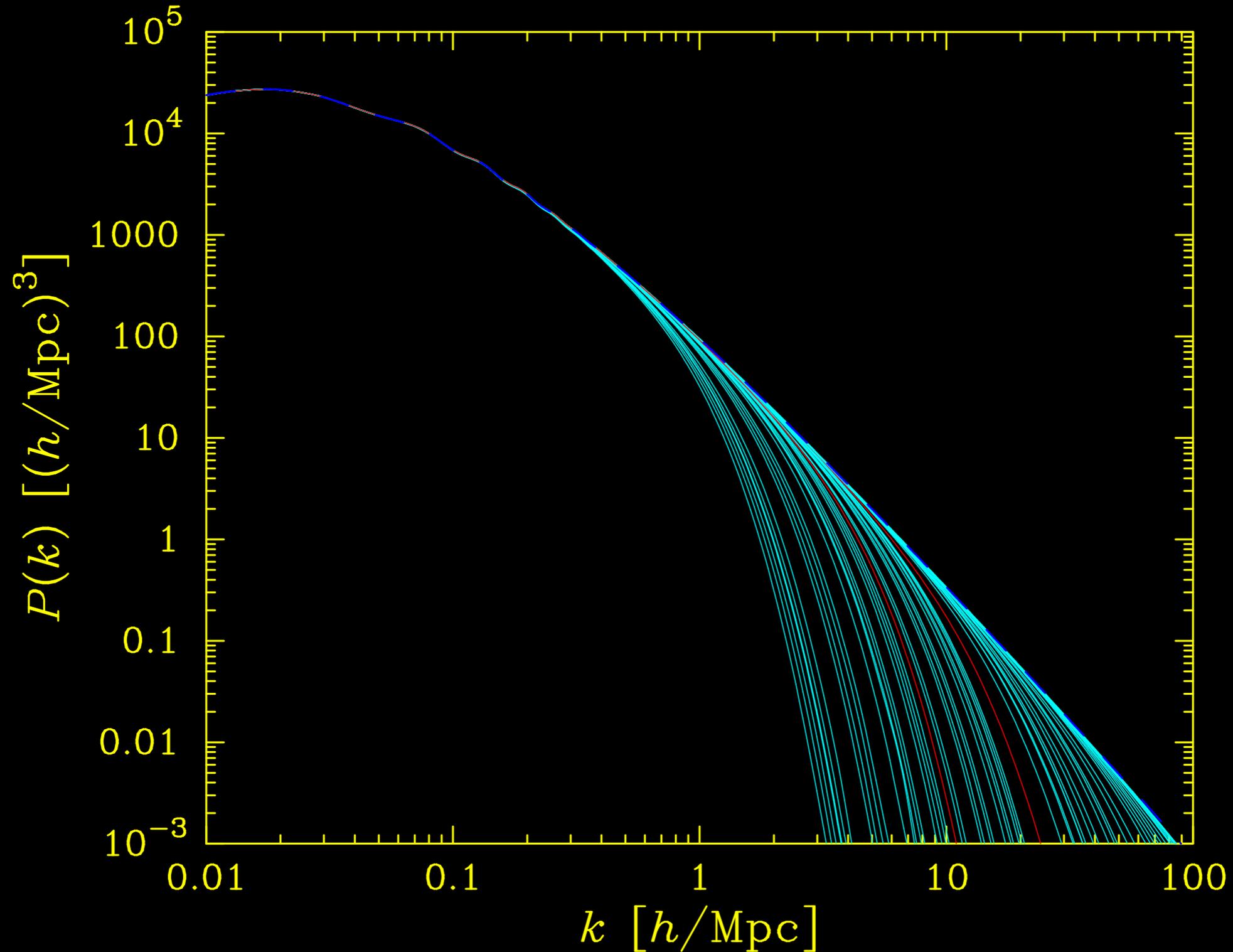


$$\ln(10^{10} A) = 3.094 \pm 0.034 \quad (1.1\%)$$

$$n = 0.9645 \pm 0.0049 \quad (0.51\%)$$

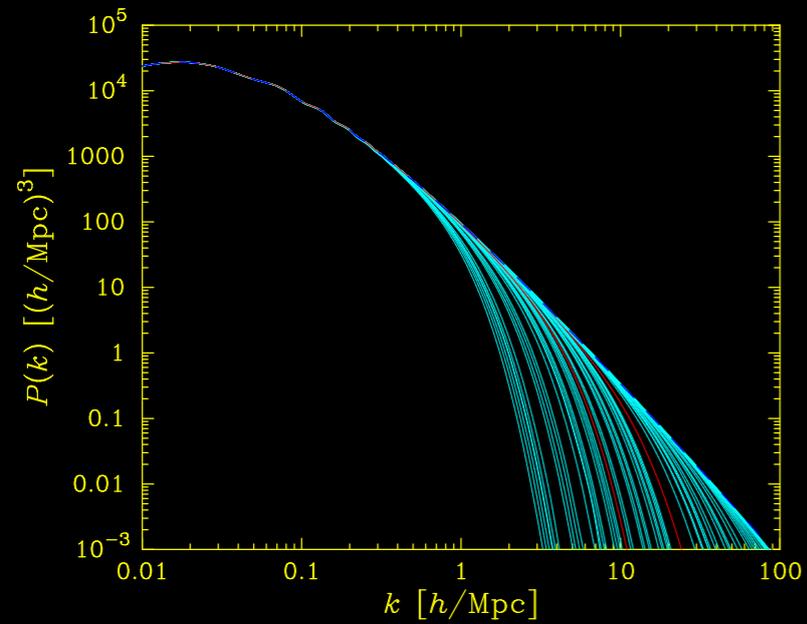
Perturbation Evolution

How warm is too warm?



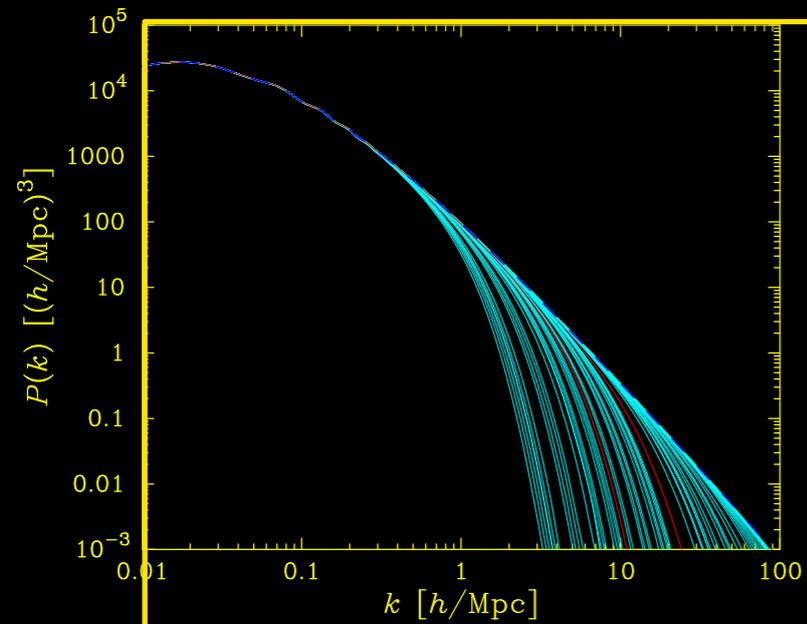
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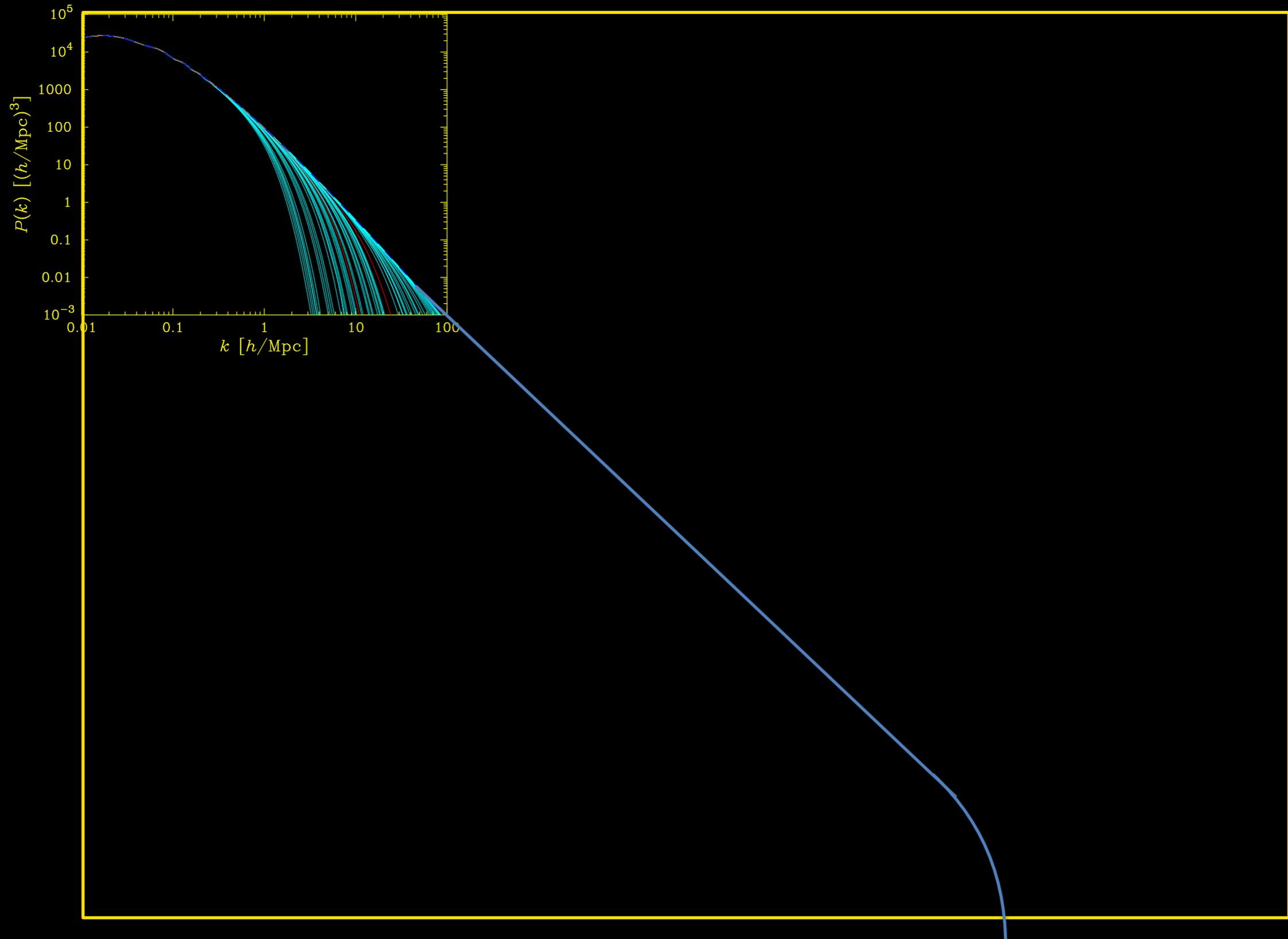
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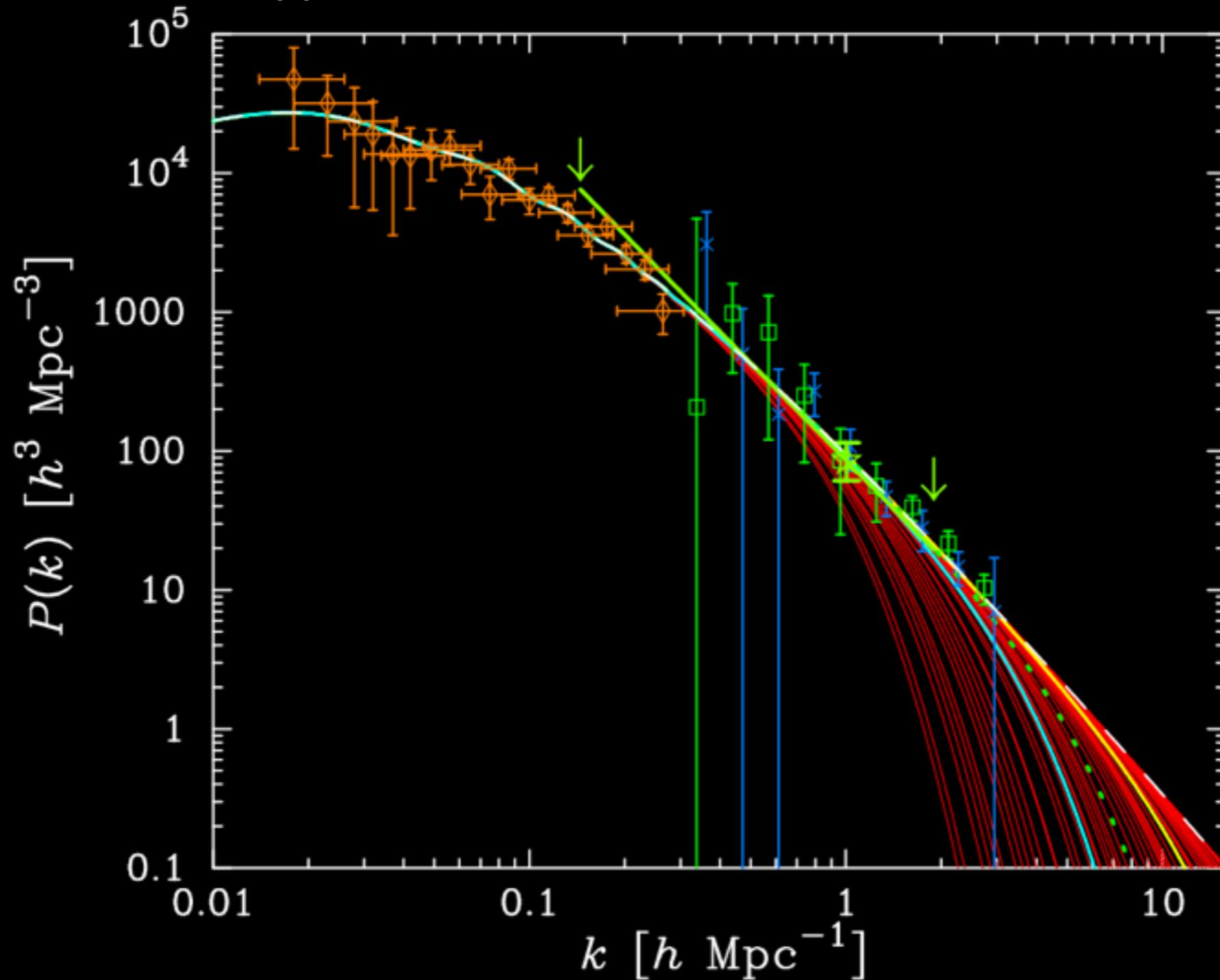


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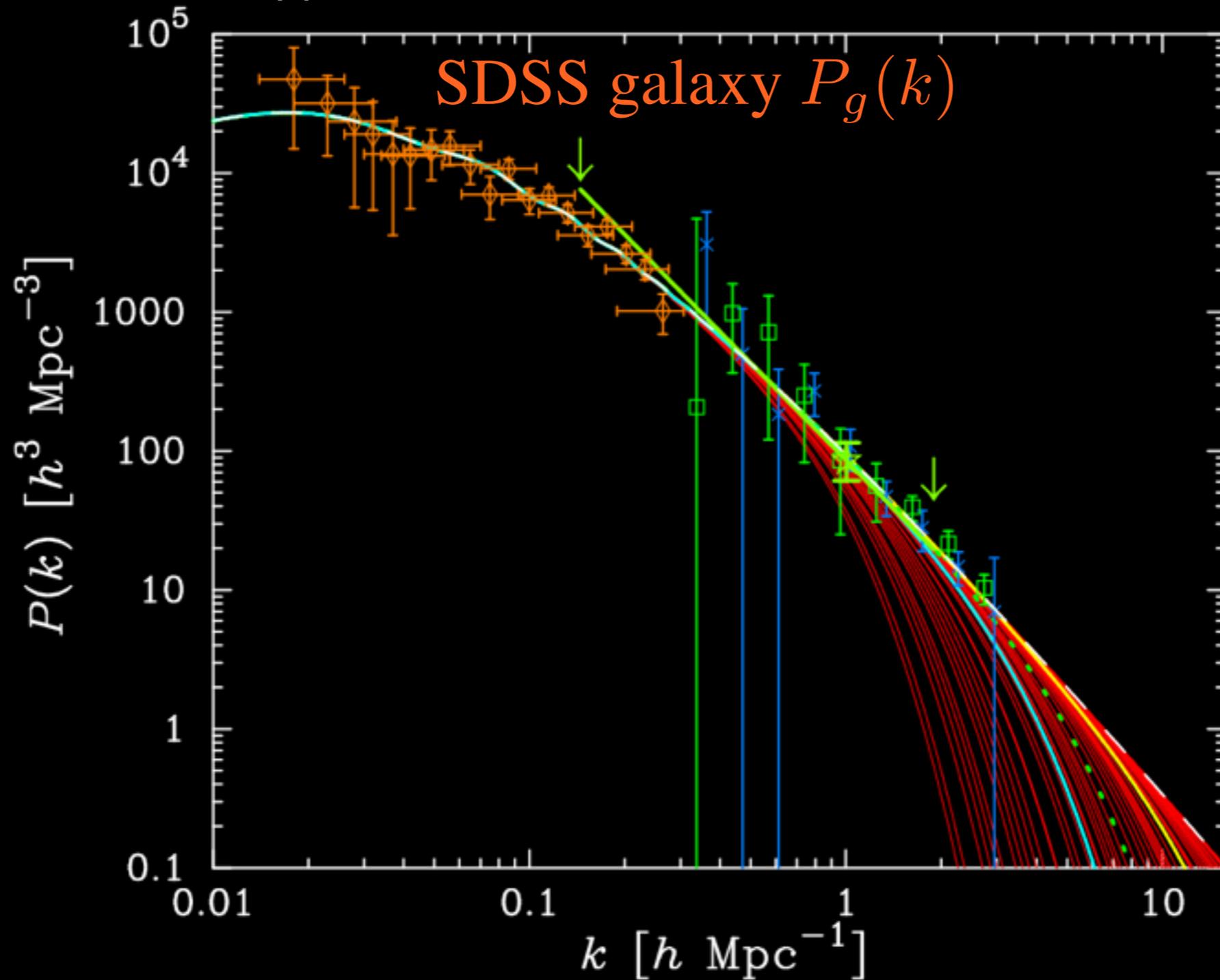


Lower Bounds on Mass: Suppression of Small-Scale Structure



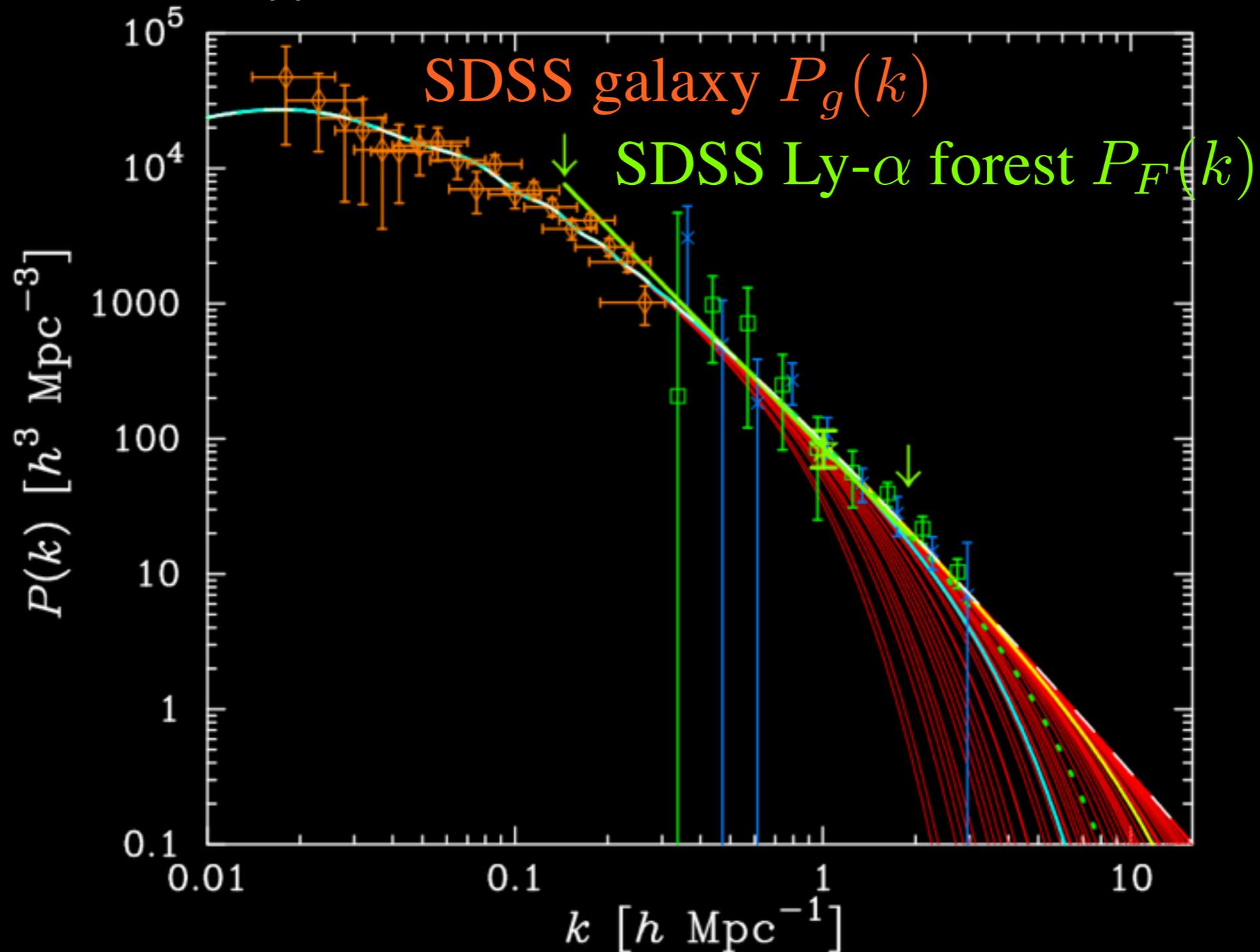
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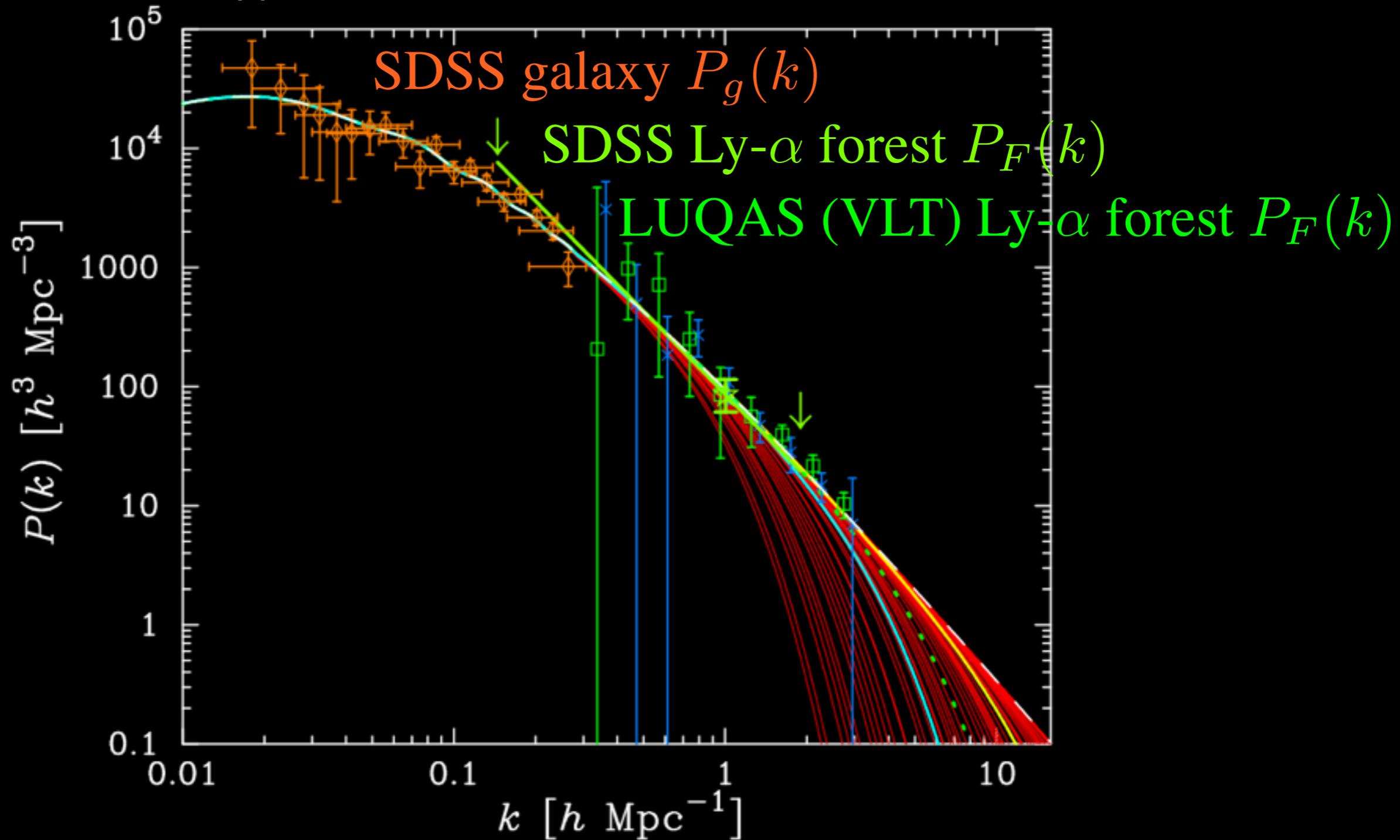
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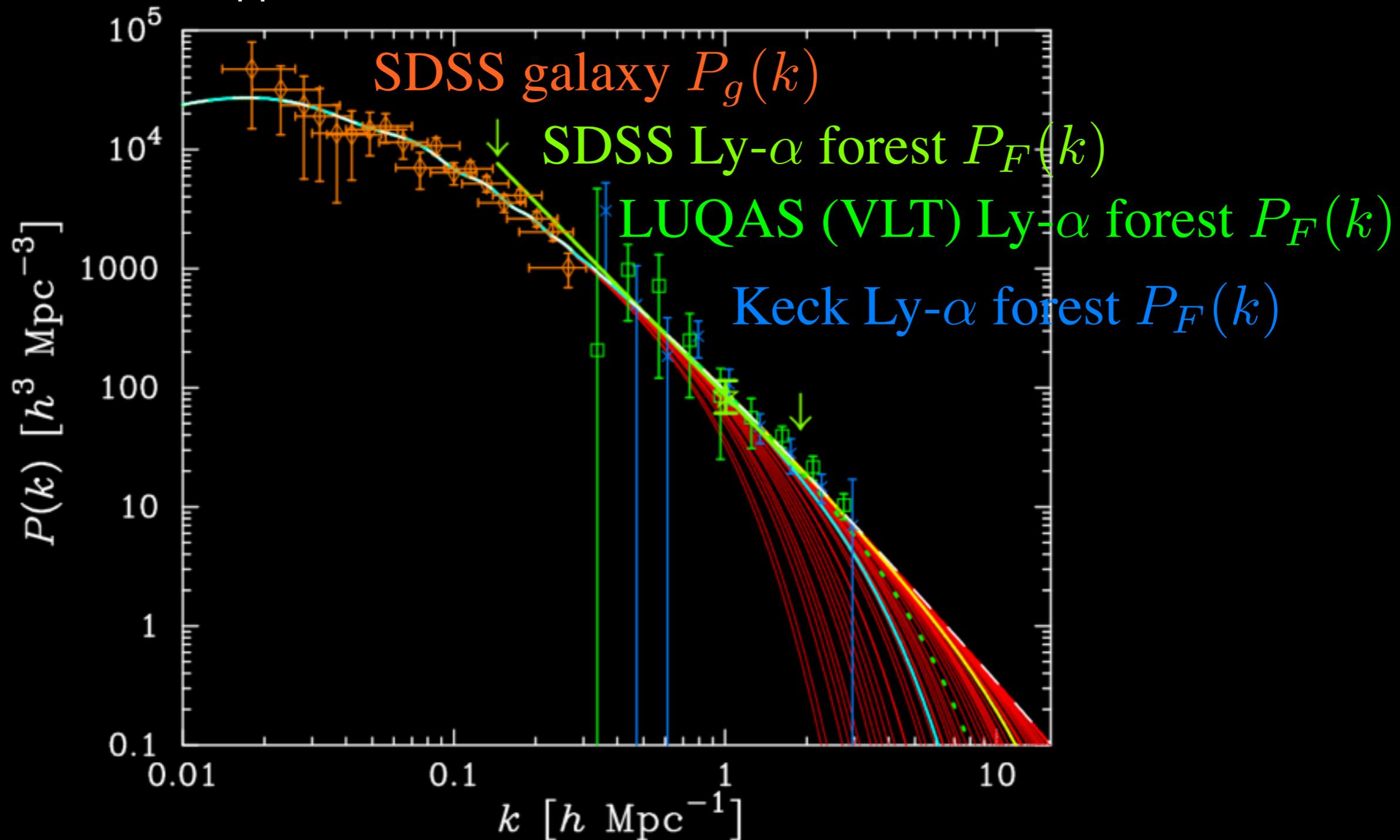
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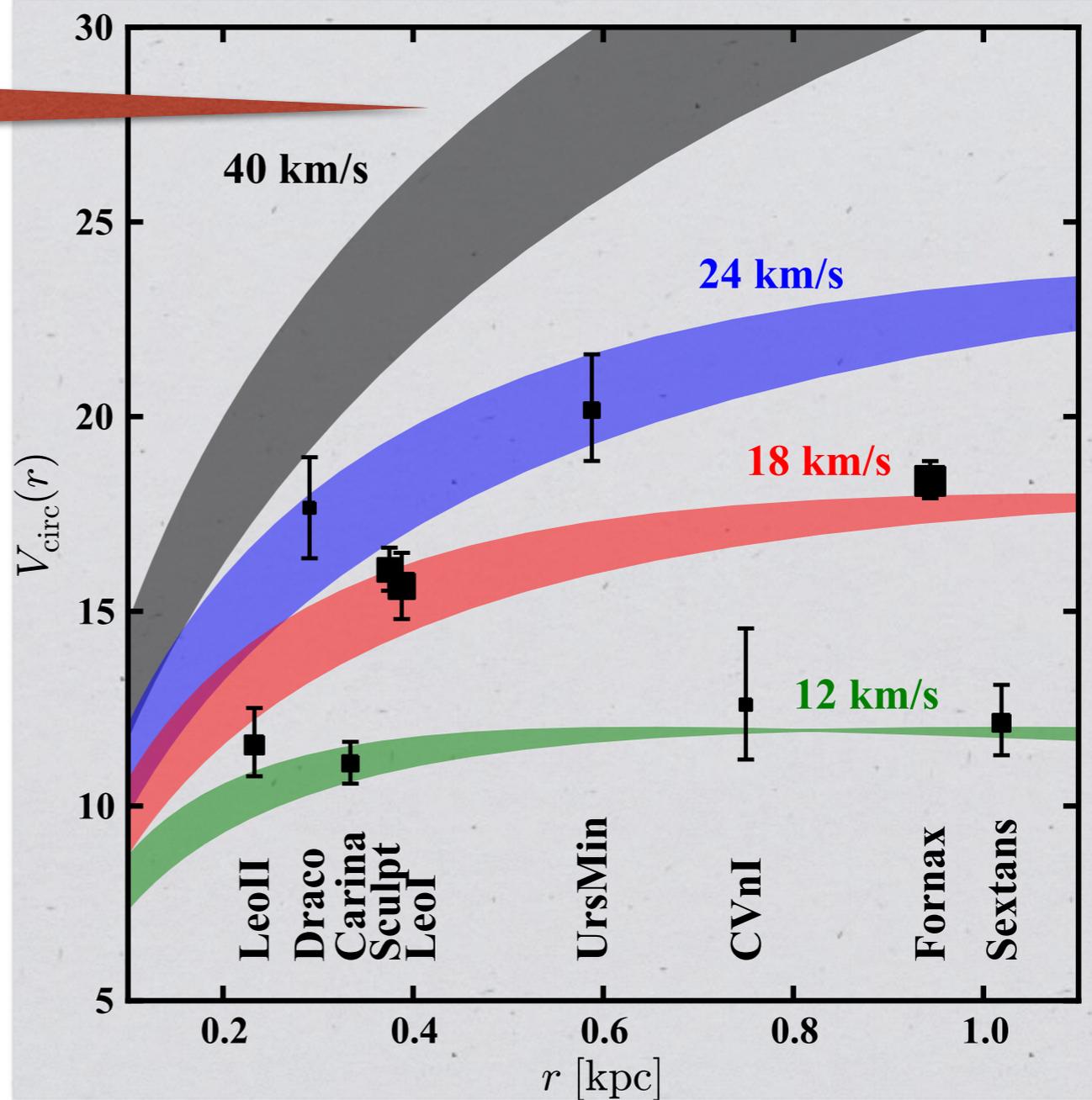


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Too big to fail? The most massive apparently don't light up...

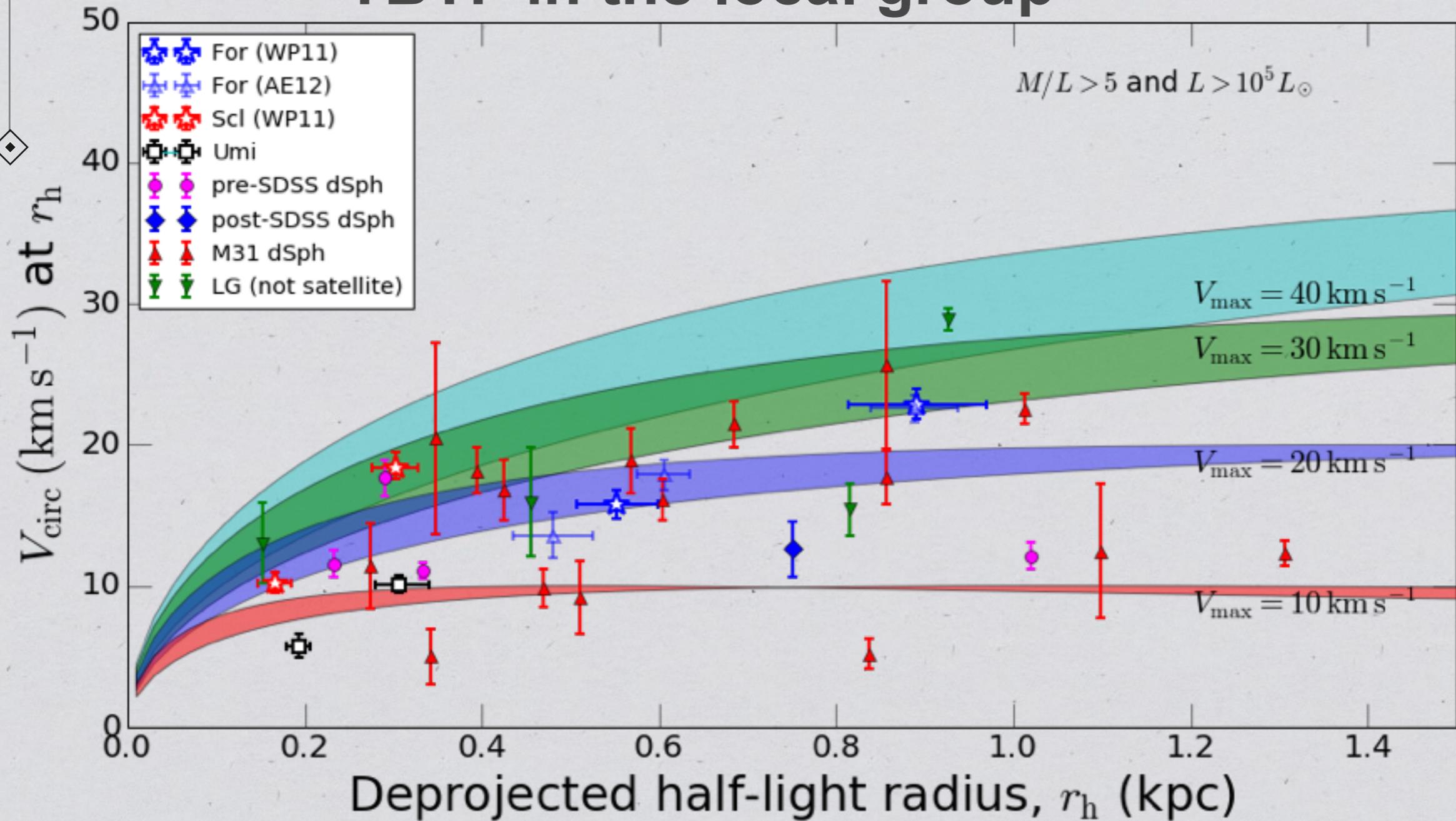
Where are these denser satellites?

Not dependent on resolving about core/cusp



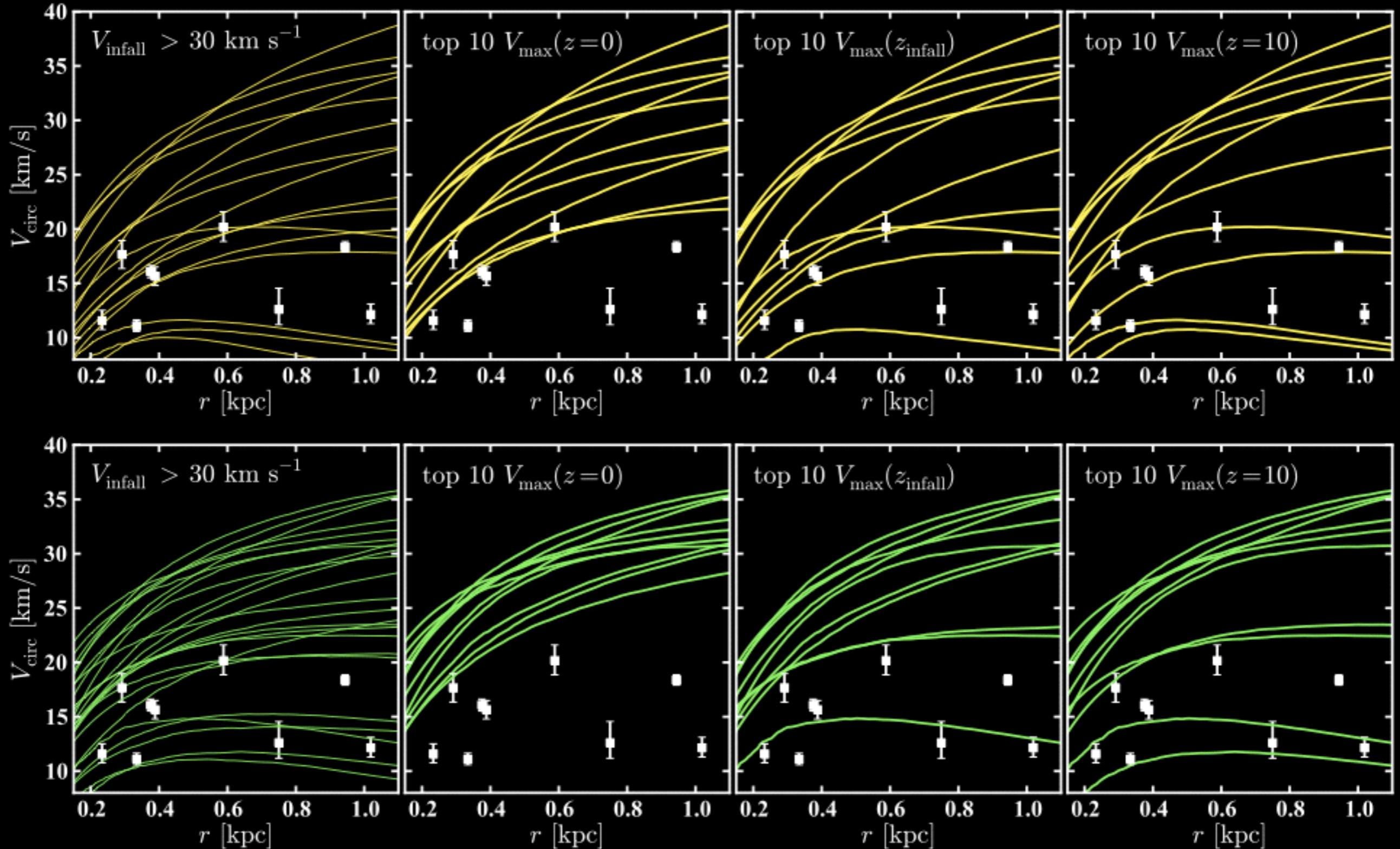
Boylan-Kolchin, Bullock, Kaplinghat 2011, 2012

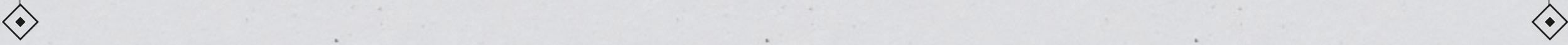
TBTf in the local group



Generic issue in the Local Group (M31, MW and in between)
[Tollerud + 2014, Kirby + 2014, Garrison-Kimmel + 2014]

OBSERVED DWARF GALAXY CONCENTRATIONS ARE MUCH TOO LOW, WHILE CDM SUBHALOS ARE “TOO BIG TOO FAIL”

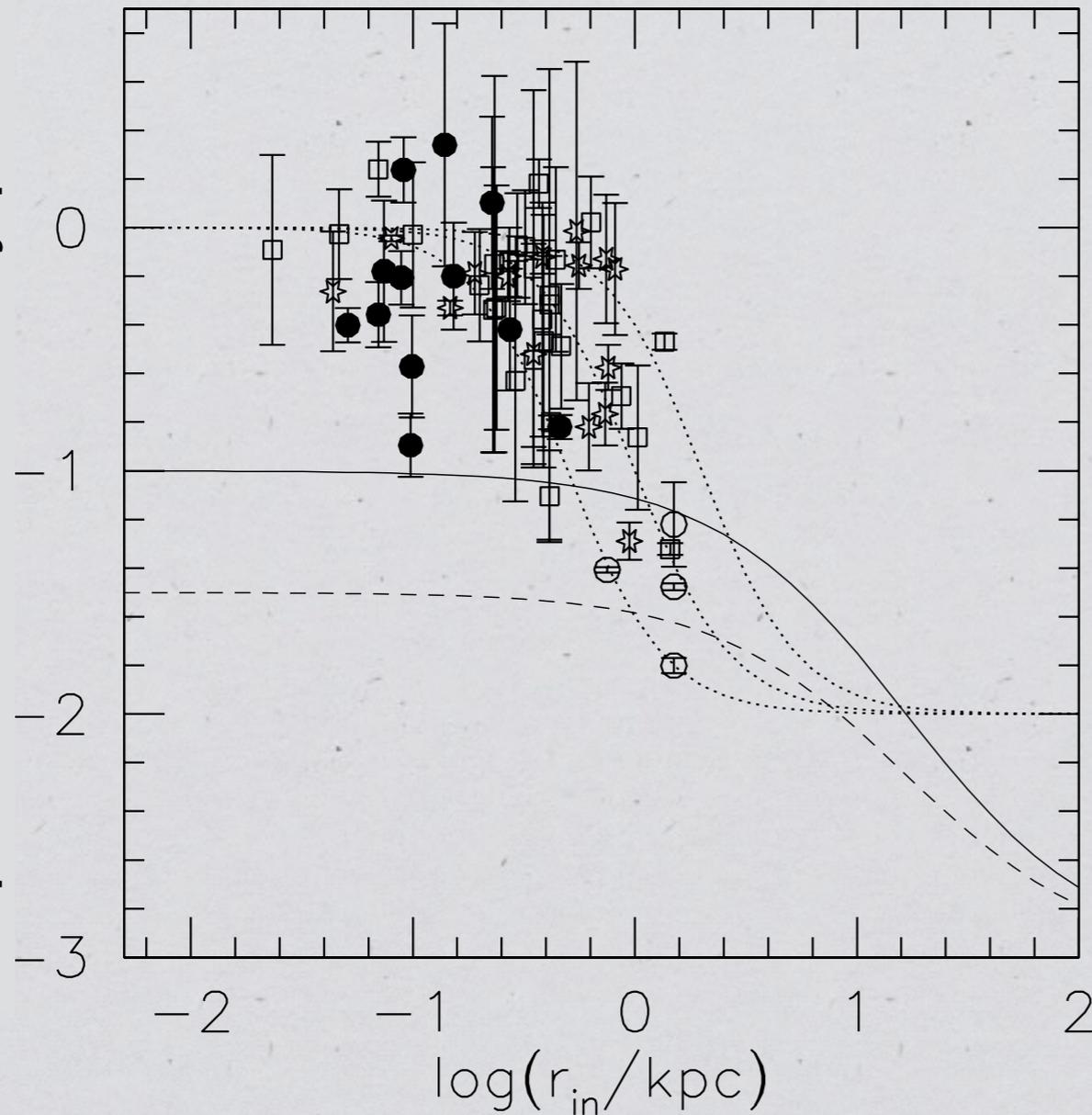




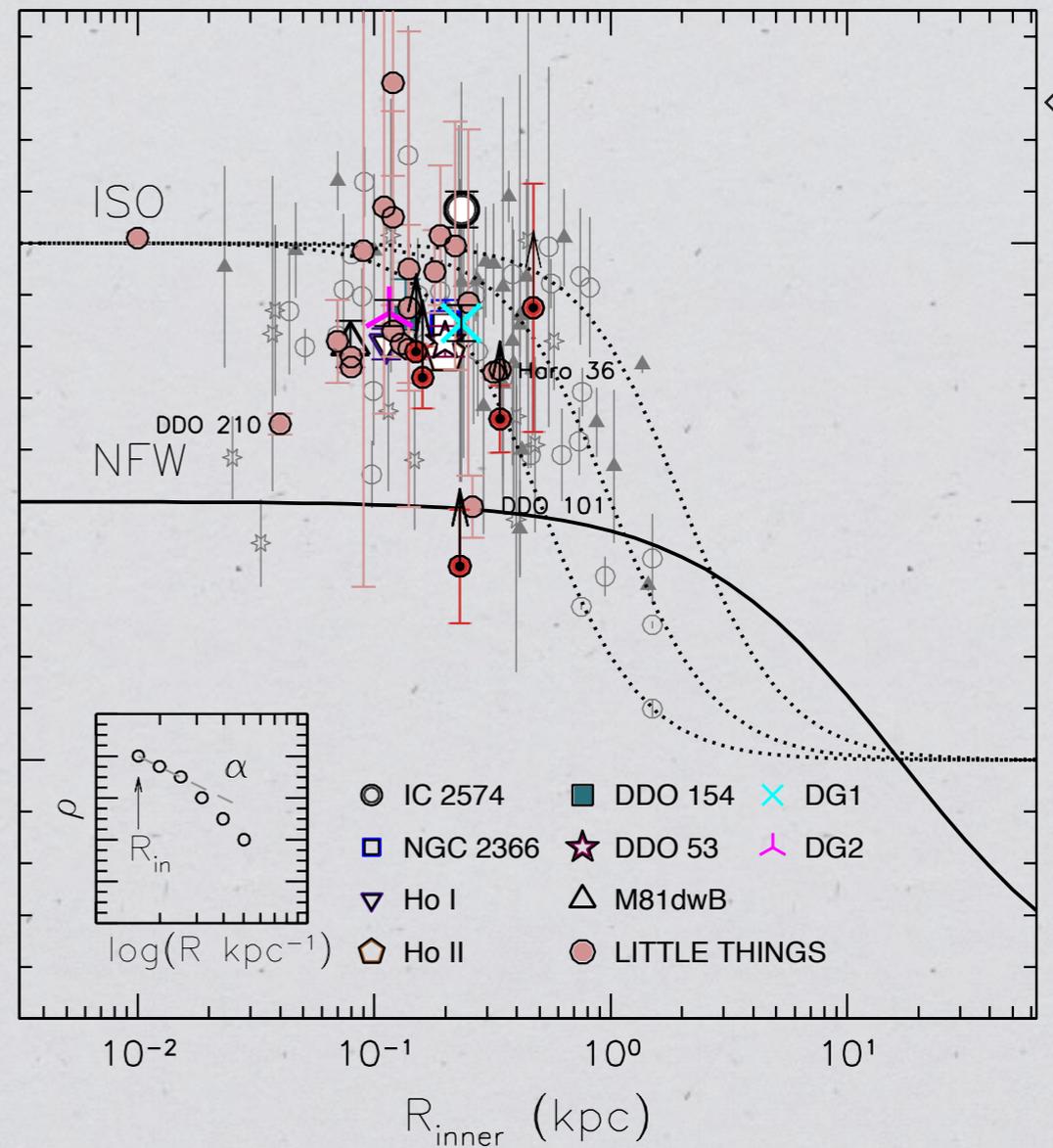
Cusp/Core: dwarf galaxies
to clusters of galaxies

Cores in dwarf galaxies

Slope of the DM density profile

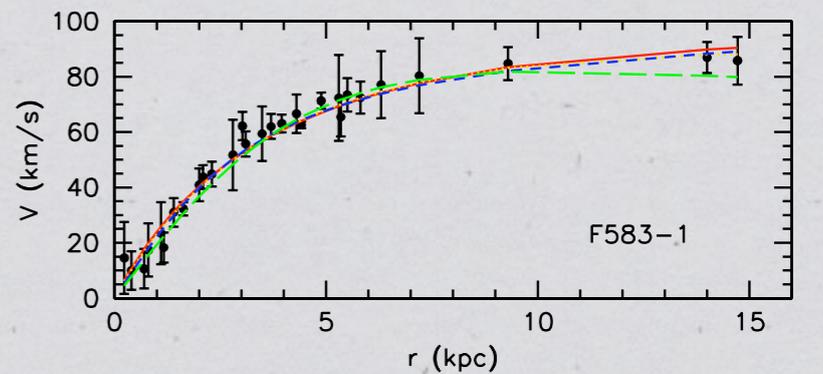
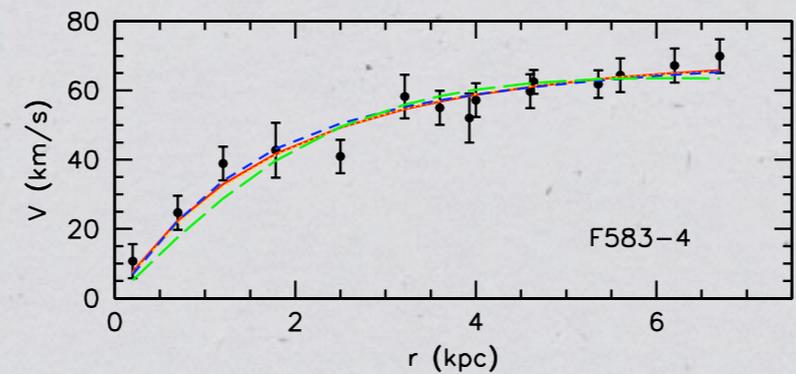
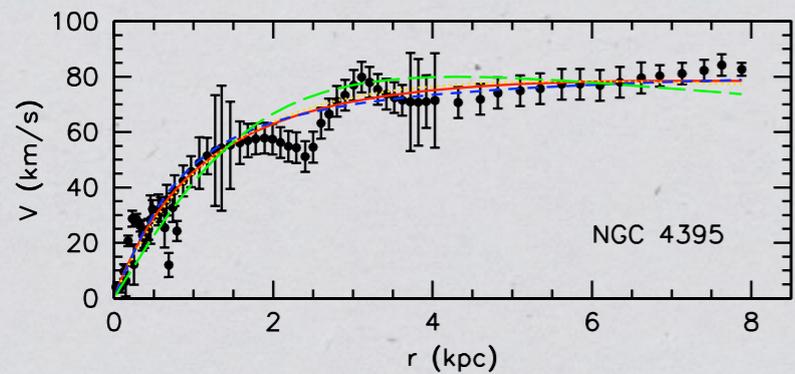
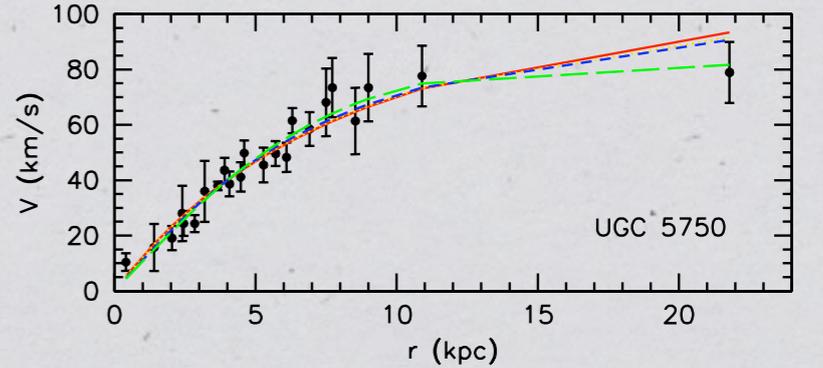
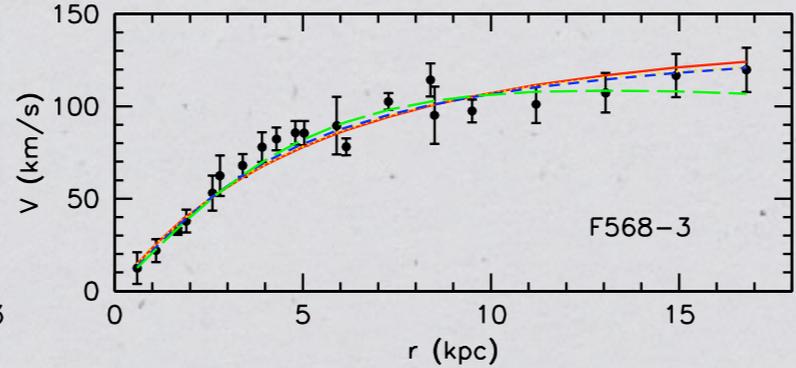
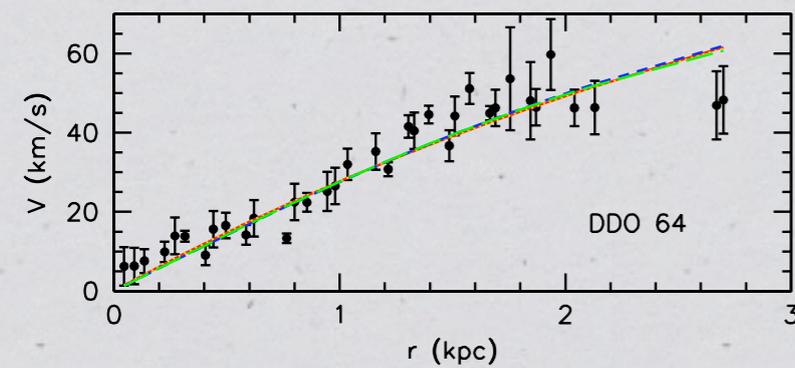
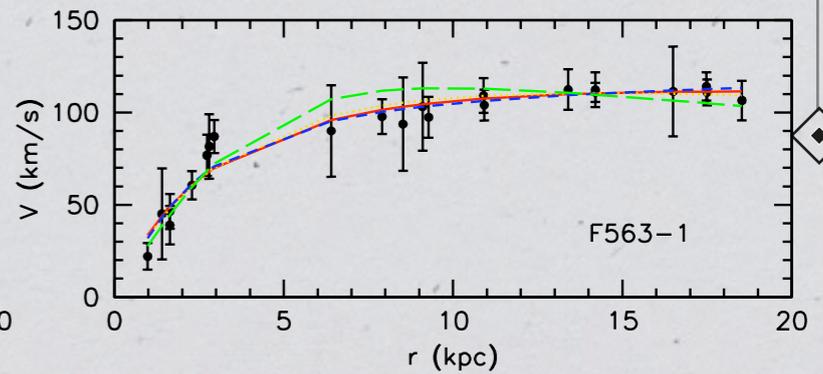
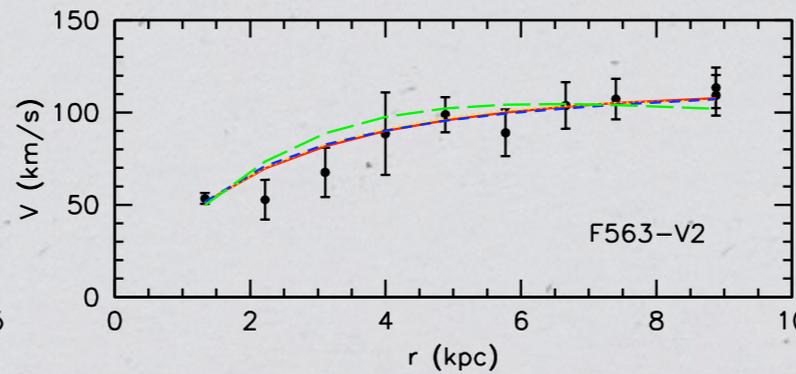
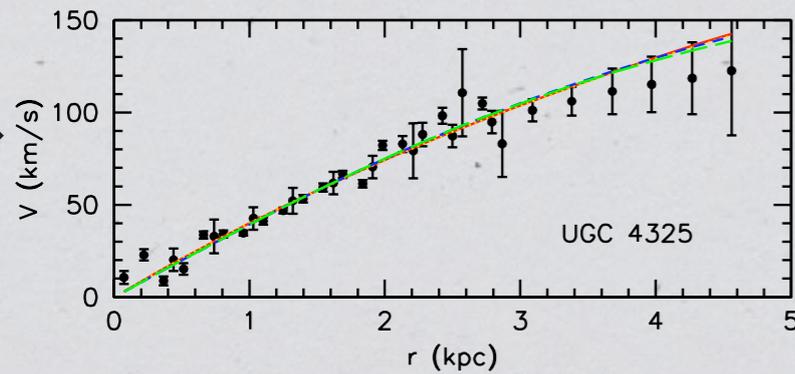


deBlok and Bosma, 2002



LITTLE THINGS, Oh et al 2015

Cores in more massive (LSB) galaxies



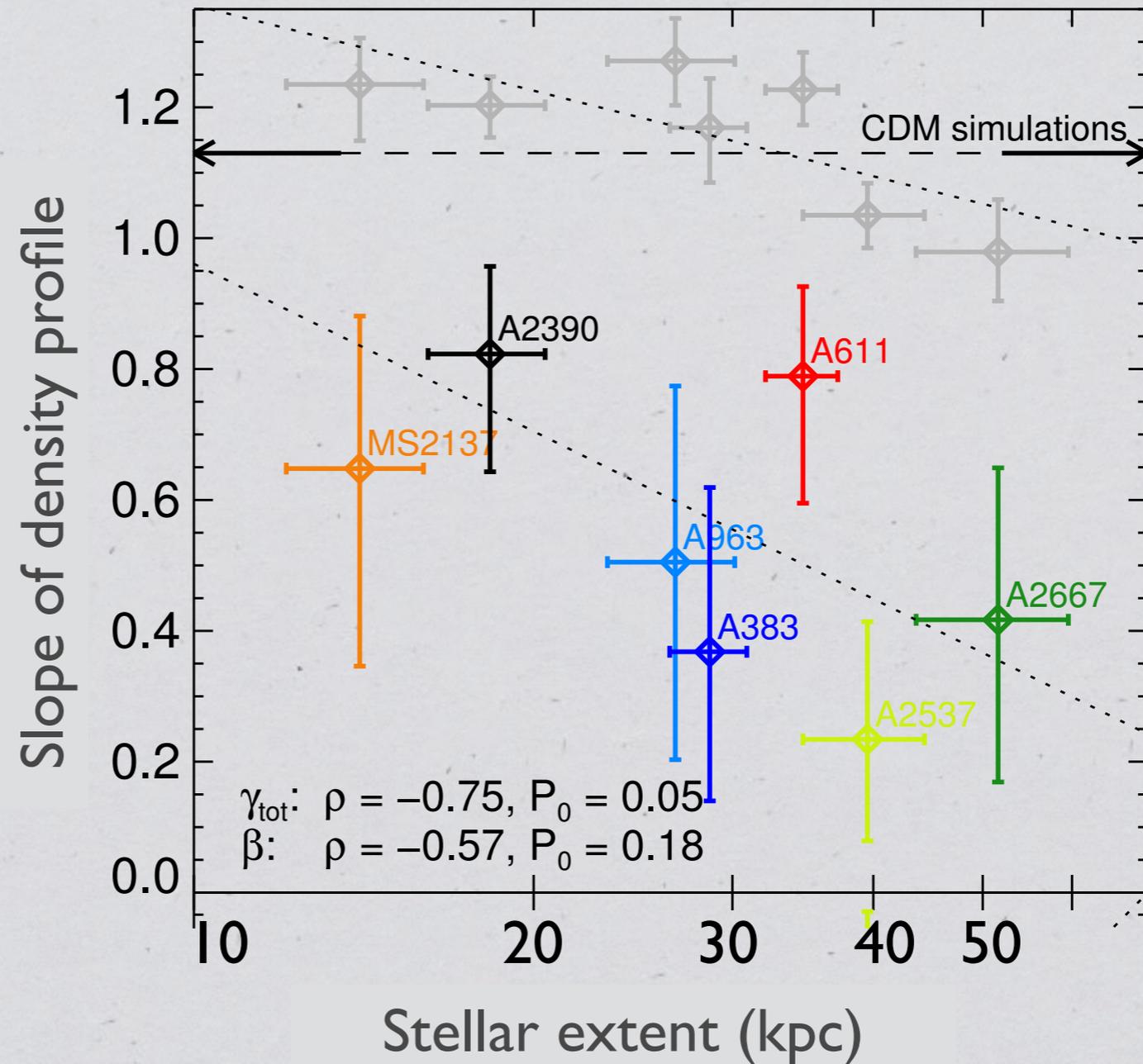
Note the linear rise in rotation velocity at small radii for all galaxies => constant density cores

Kuzio de Naray, McGaugh, de Blok, Bosma 2005, 2006

Cores of clusters of galaxies

Weak lensing, strong lensing and BCG stellar kinematics used

Masses $\sim 10^{15} M_{\text{sun}}$



Newman et al 2012

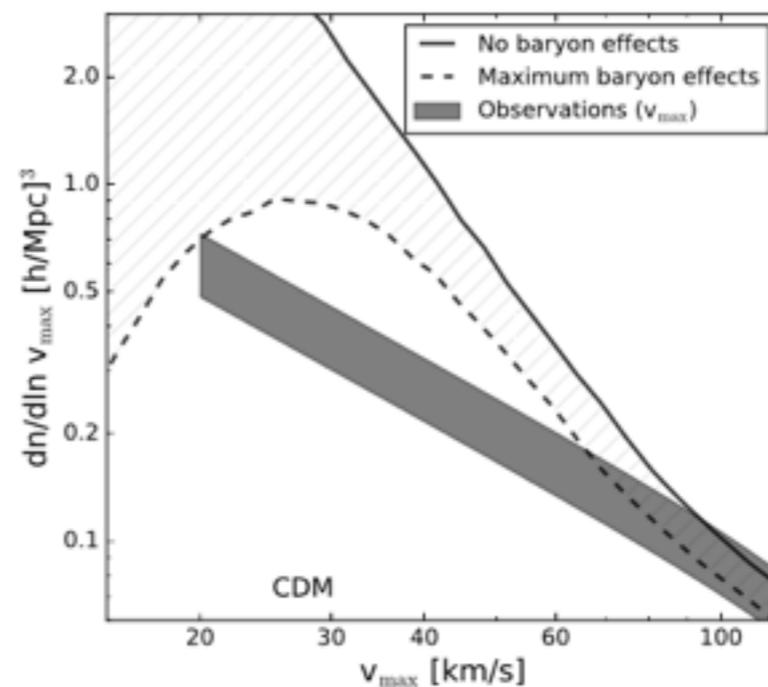
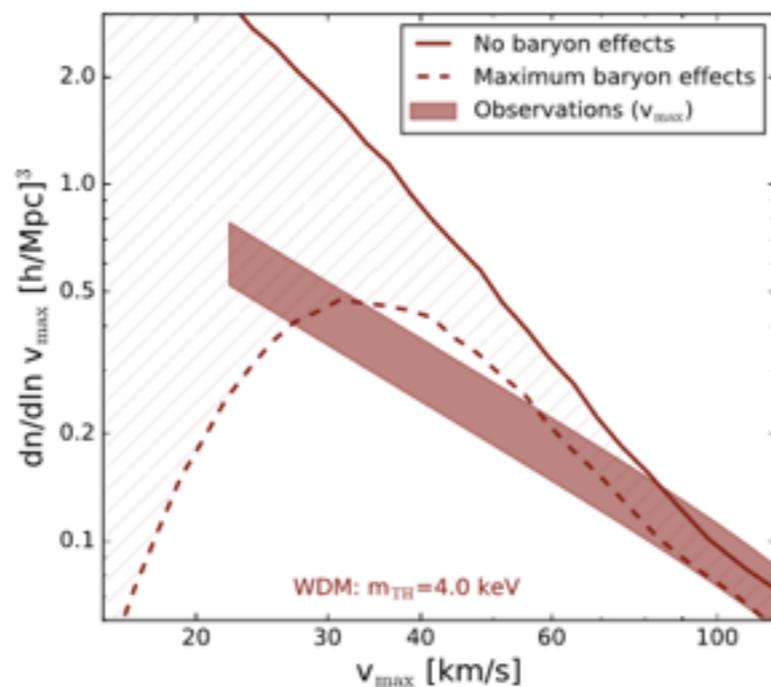
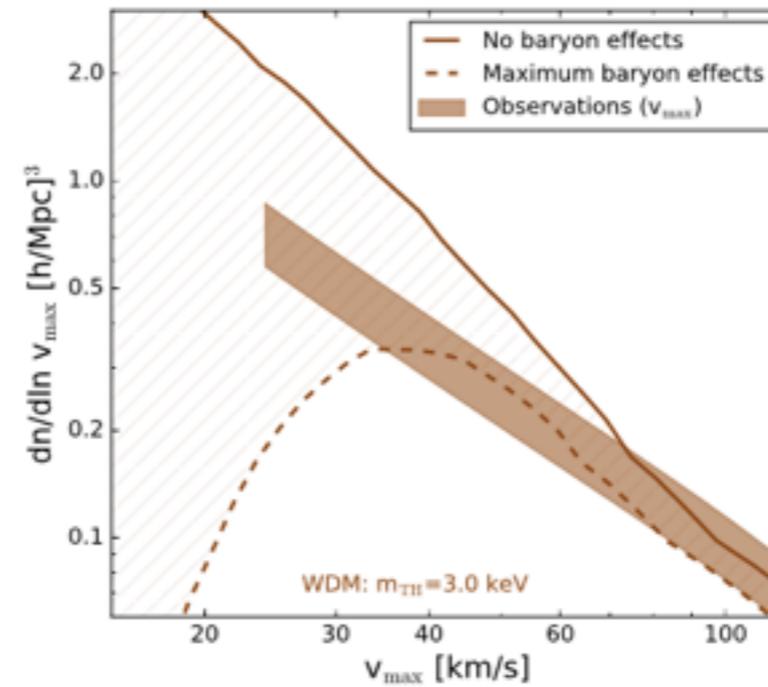
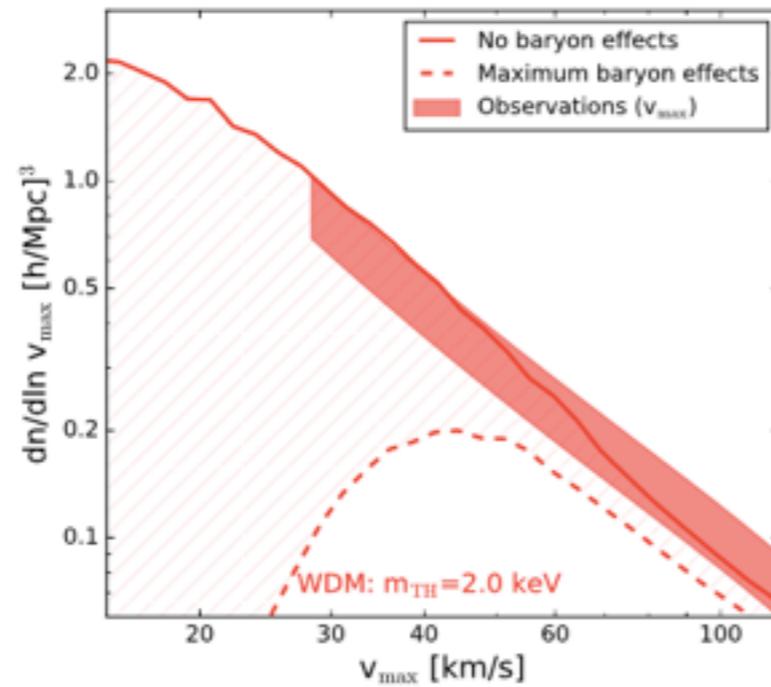
Dark matter densities in the inner regions of galaxies

	Scales of interest (distance from center of galaxy)	Cores (region of roughly constant density)	Lower densities than predicted by CDM-only simulations
Clusters of galaxies (10^{14} - 10^{15} M_{sun})	5-50 kpc	Not clear	Yes
Large spirals and ellipticals (10^{12} - 10^{13} M_{sun})	1-20 kpc	Not required	No evidence
Dwarf galaxies; Low surface brightness galaxies (10^{10} - 10^{12} M_{sun})	0.5-5 kpc	Yes	Yes
Dwarf galaxies within the Milky Way (satellites) (10^9 - 10^{10} M_{sun})	0.3-1 kpc	? (See Walker and Penarrubia and Strigari et al)	Yes

Testing WDM vs CDM with Velocity Function

Schneider+ 1611.09362

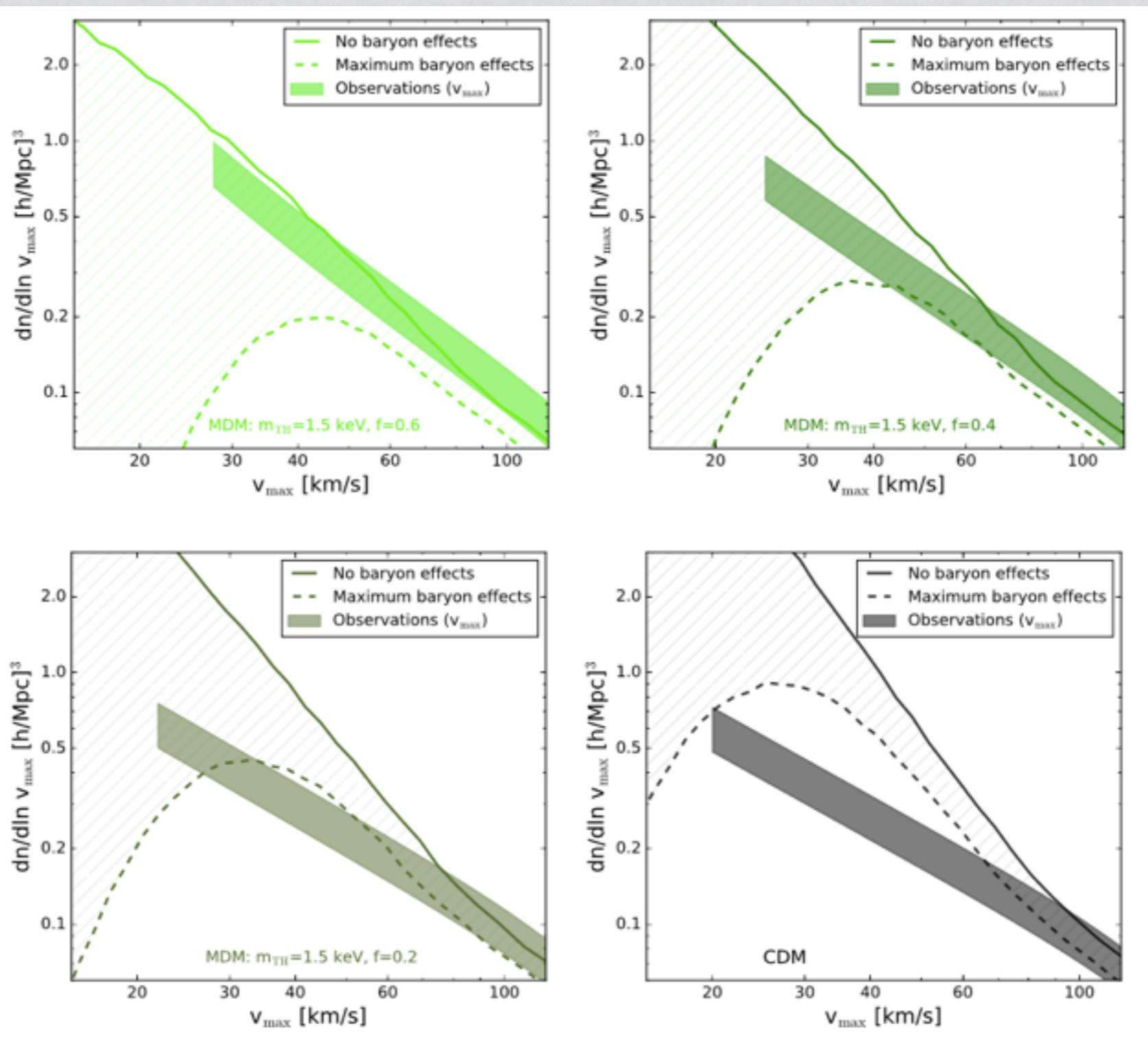
Warm Dark Matter



Testing CDM & fractional WDM with Velocity Function

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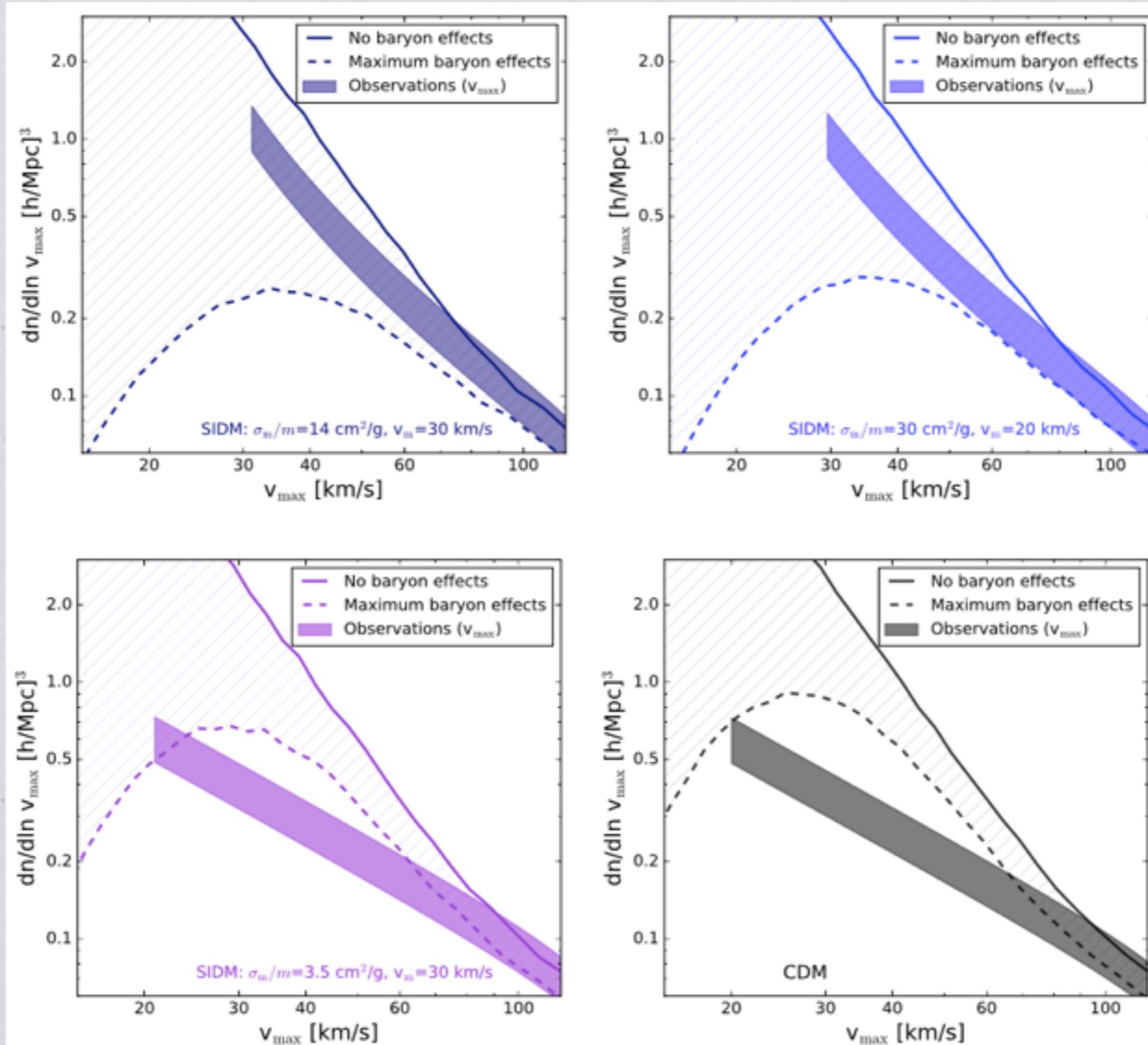
Fractional Warm Dark Matter

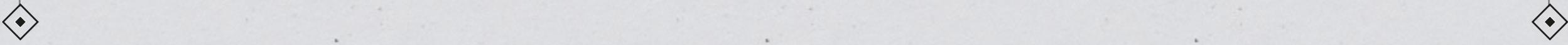


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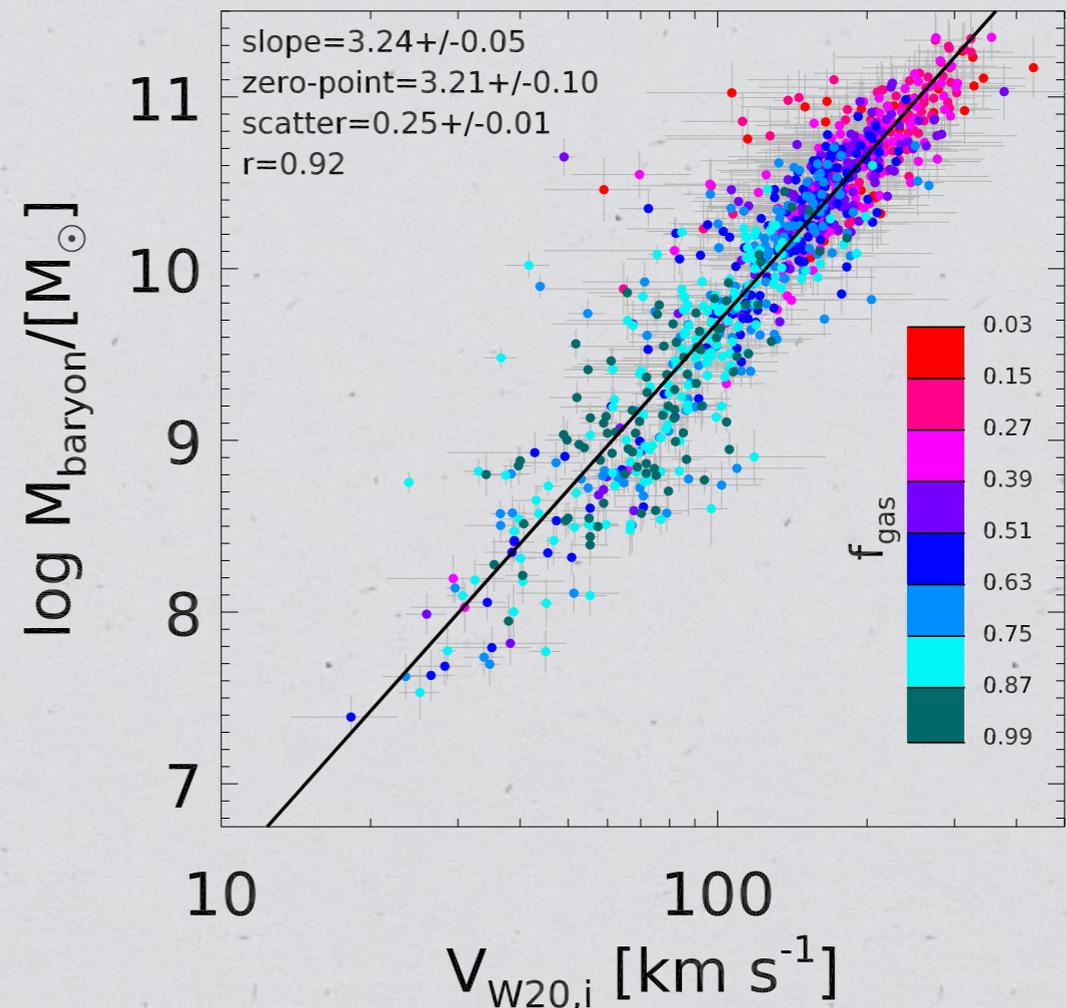
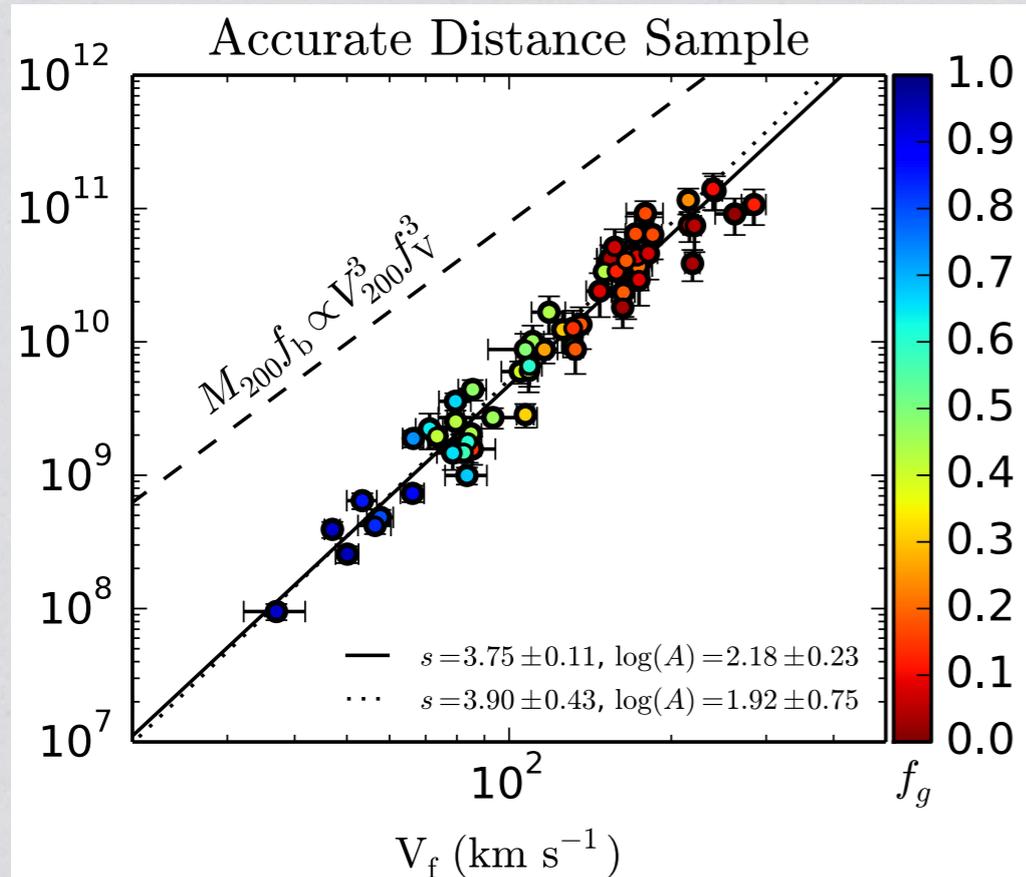
Self-Interacting Dark Matter



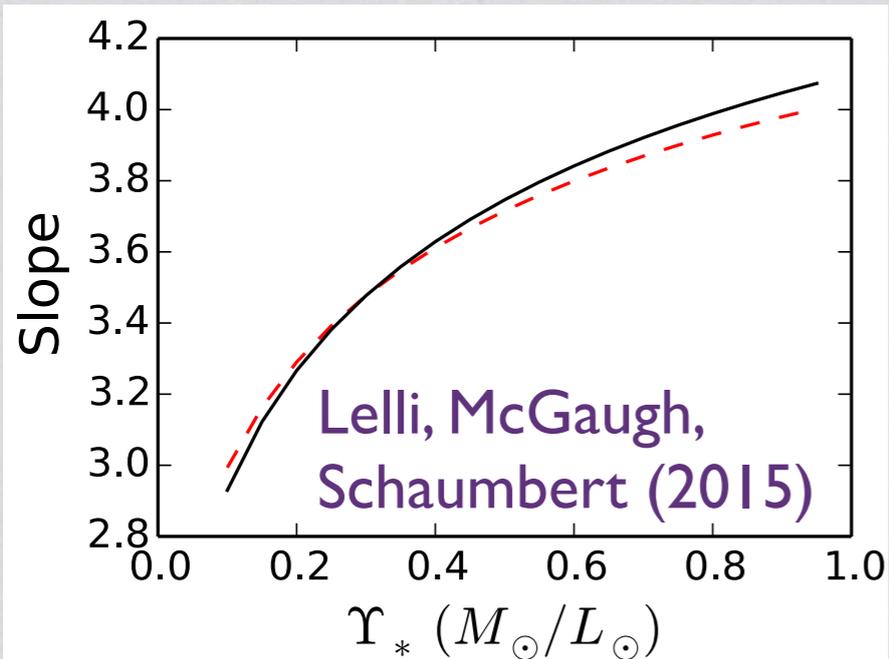


**Rotation curves:
Diversity, uniformity and
correlations**

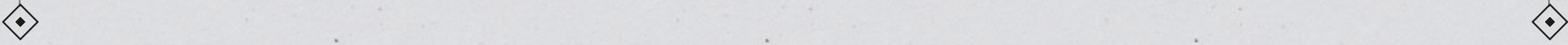
Correlations: Tully-Fisher relations



Bradford, Geha, van den Bosch (2016)

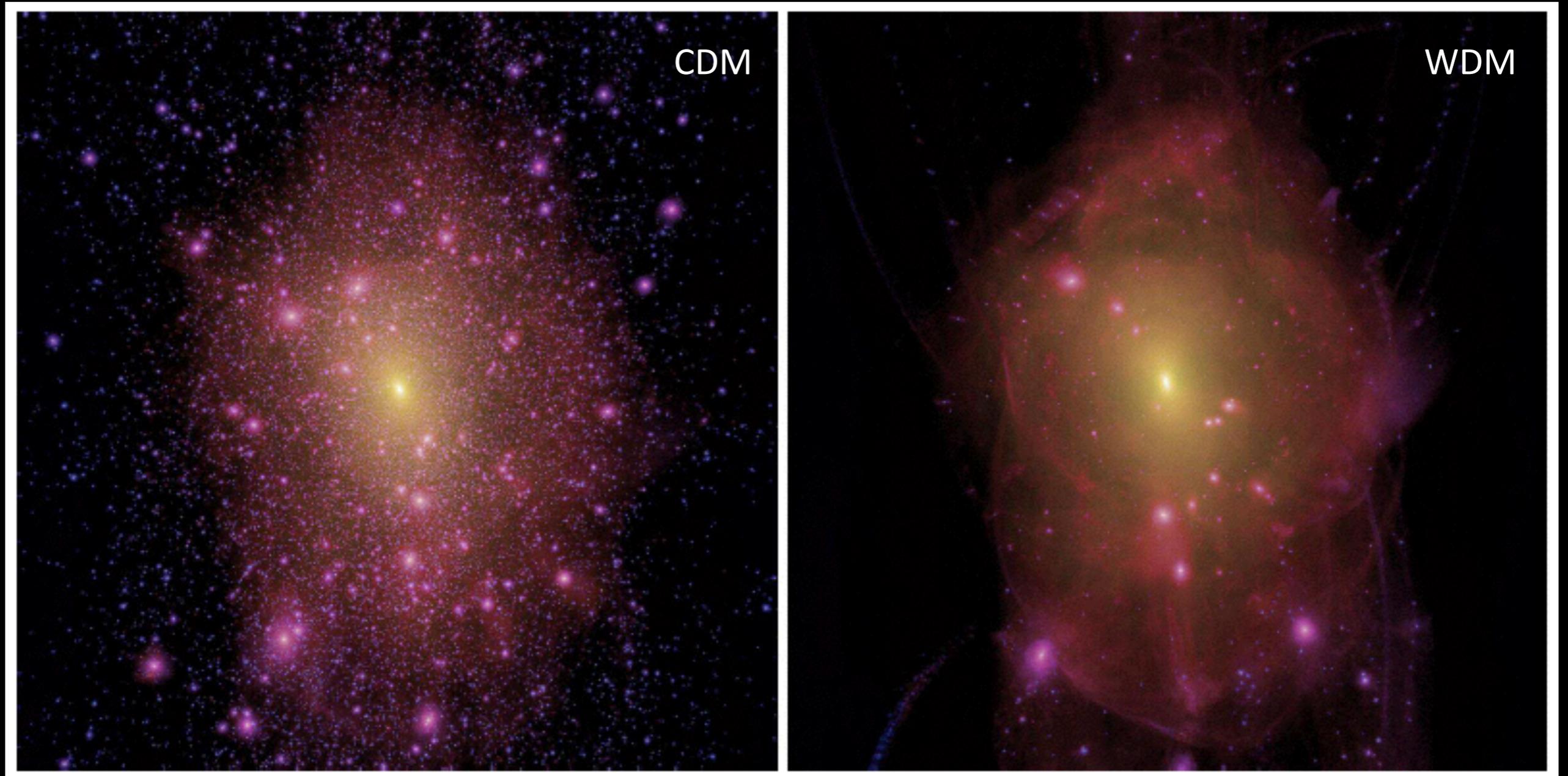


Also see Papastergis, Adams and Hulst (2016)



**Warm dark matter as a
solution of the small-
scale puzzles**

Warm dark matter structures



Lovell et al, MNRAS (2012)

Based on a resonant sterile neutrino model

What is the relationship
between particle mass and
warm dark matter free
streaming scale?

WDM Particle Mass: Sterile Neutrinos vs “Thermal” WDM

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- “Thermal” WDM is frozen-out early, then abundance is set by disappearance of degrees of freedom. That is, there is a heating up of plasma after freezout to reduce WDM abundance to match Ω_{dm} .

- Cools the DM relative to plasma (photons & neutrinos)

- Dodelson-Widrow Sterile Neutrinos have neutrino velocity “thermal” distribution: they are warmer than gravitinos

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- Shi-Fuller Sterile Neutrinos are *colder* versions of Dodelson-Widrow neutrinos ($m_{\text{SF}} < m_{\text{DW}}$)

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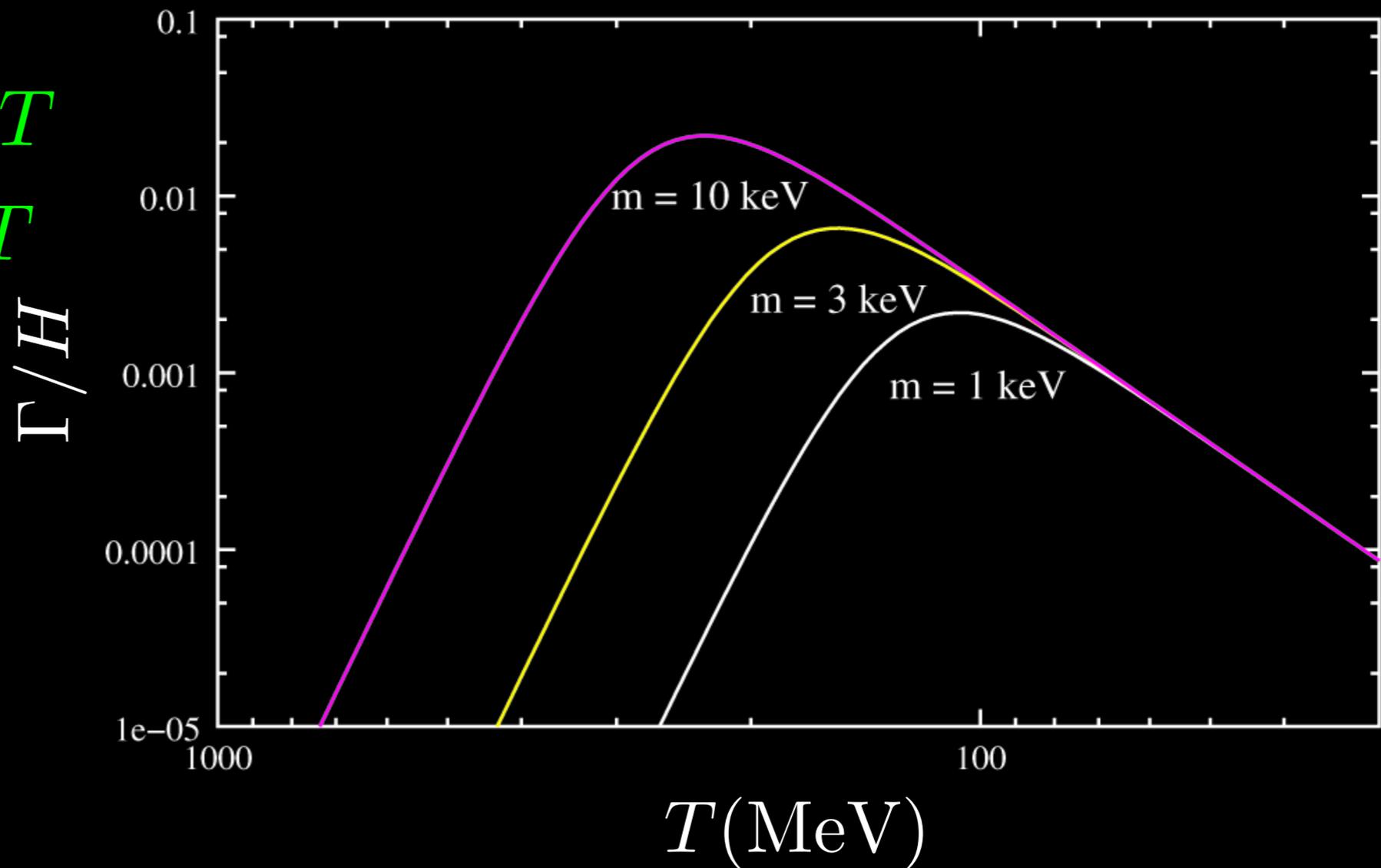
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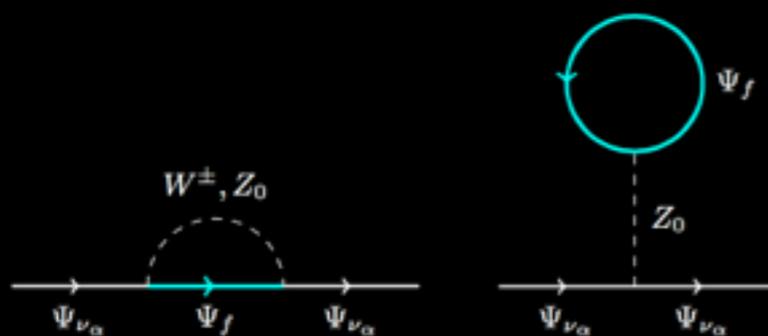
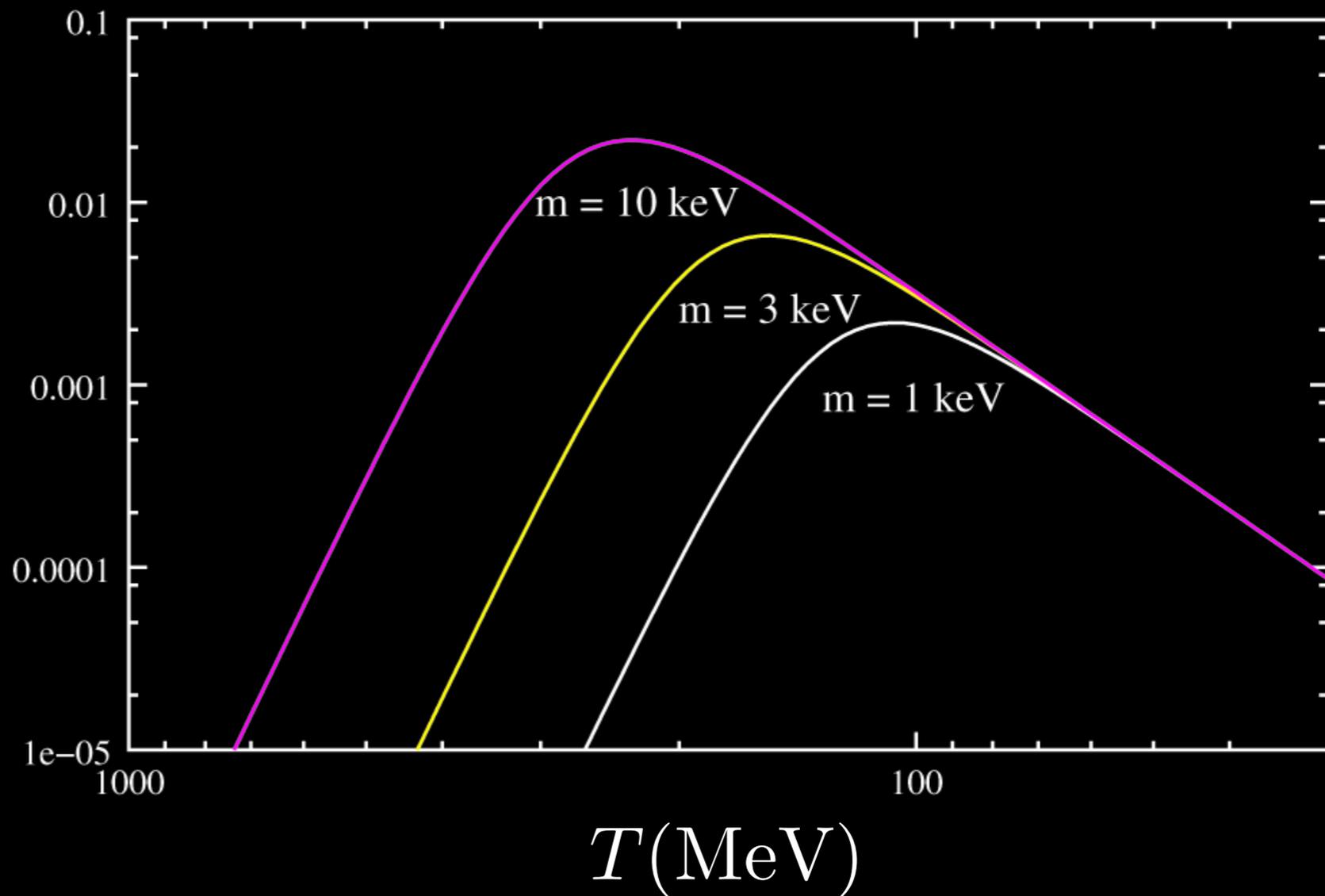
$\Delta^2 \sim p^{-2} \sim T^{-2}$
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 $[V^T]^2 \sim T^{10}$

$$H^2 = \frac{8\pi}{3} G\rho \sim T^4$$

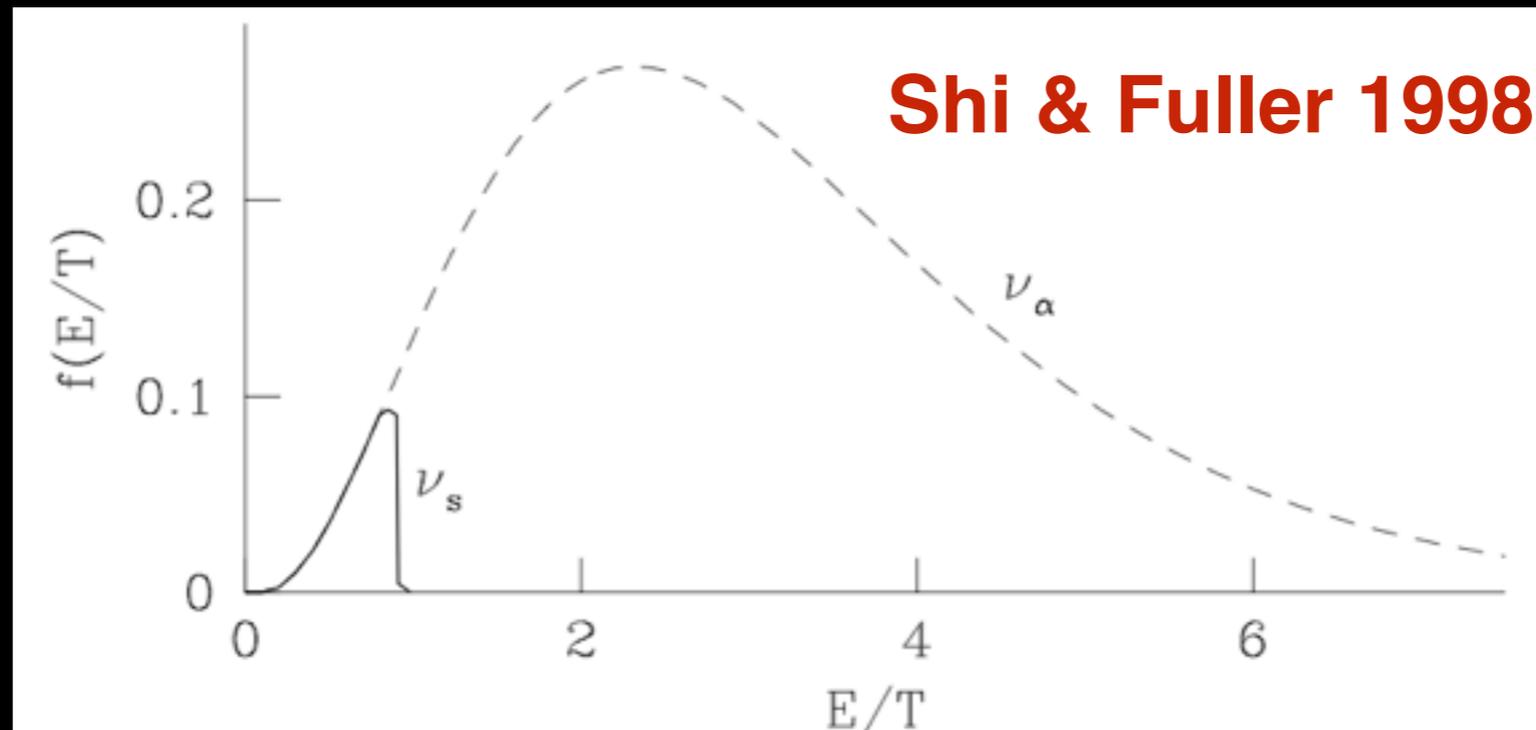
$$\frac{\Gamma}{H} \sim \begin{cases} T^{-9} & \text{High } T \\ T^3 & \text{Low } T \end{cases}$$

Never in Equilibrium!!

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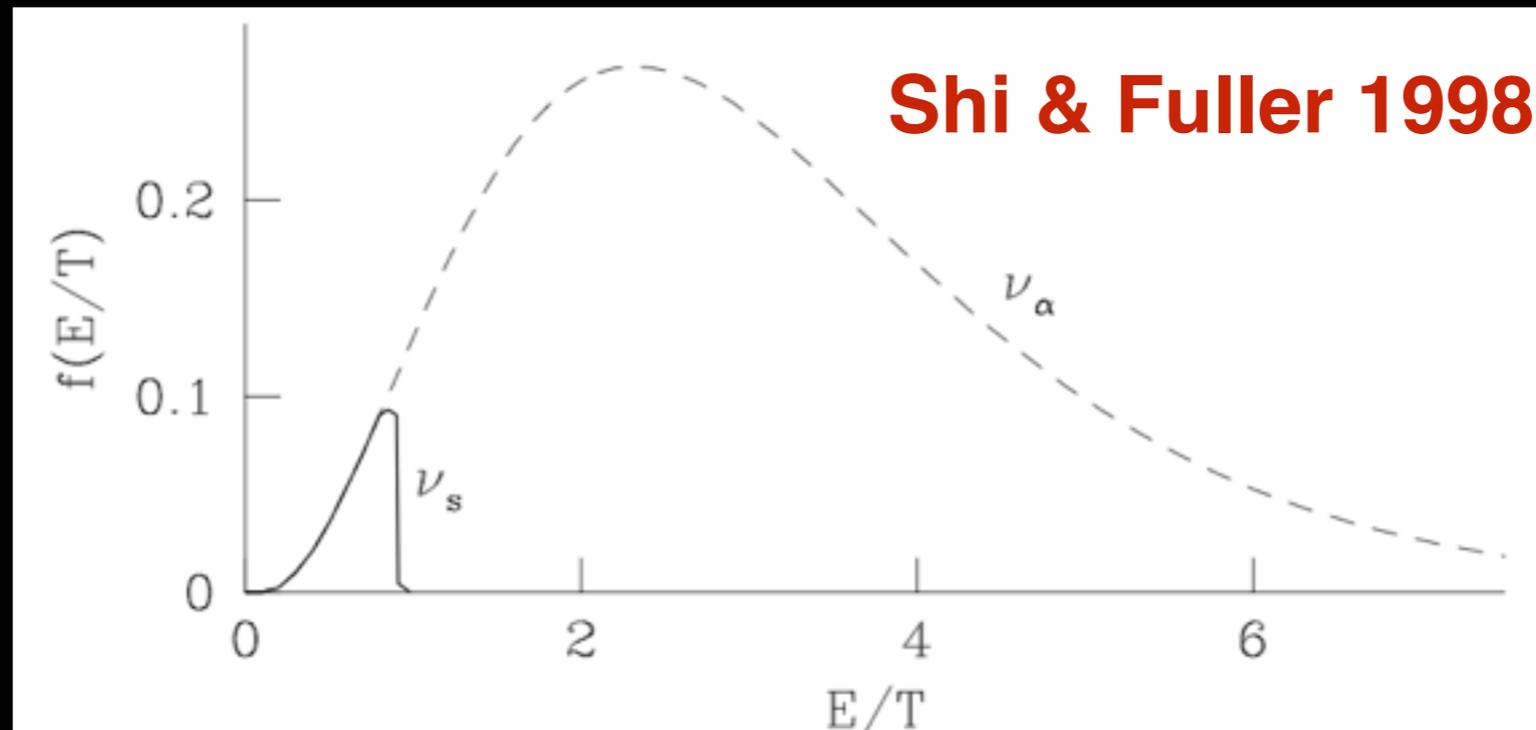
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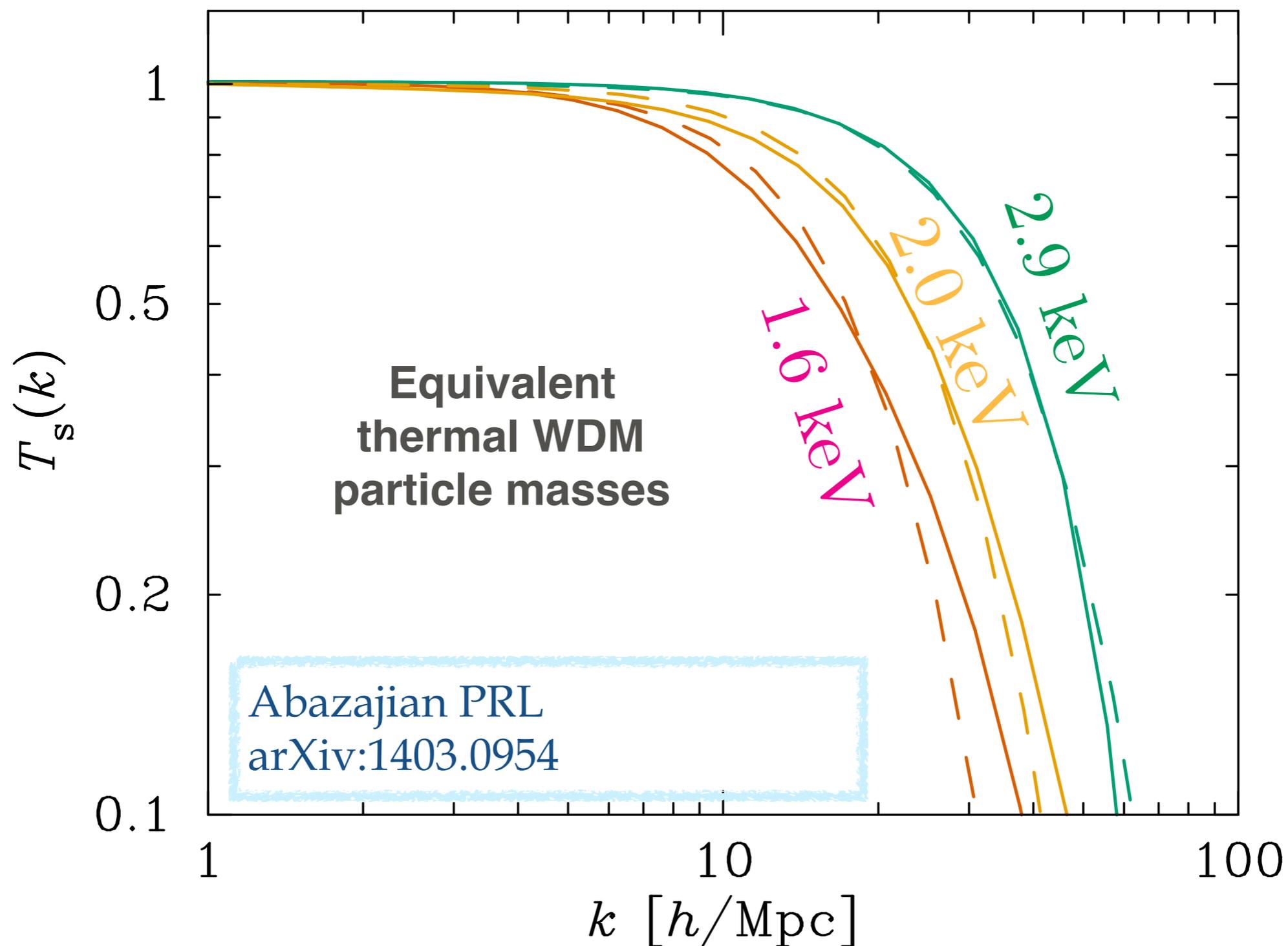
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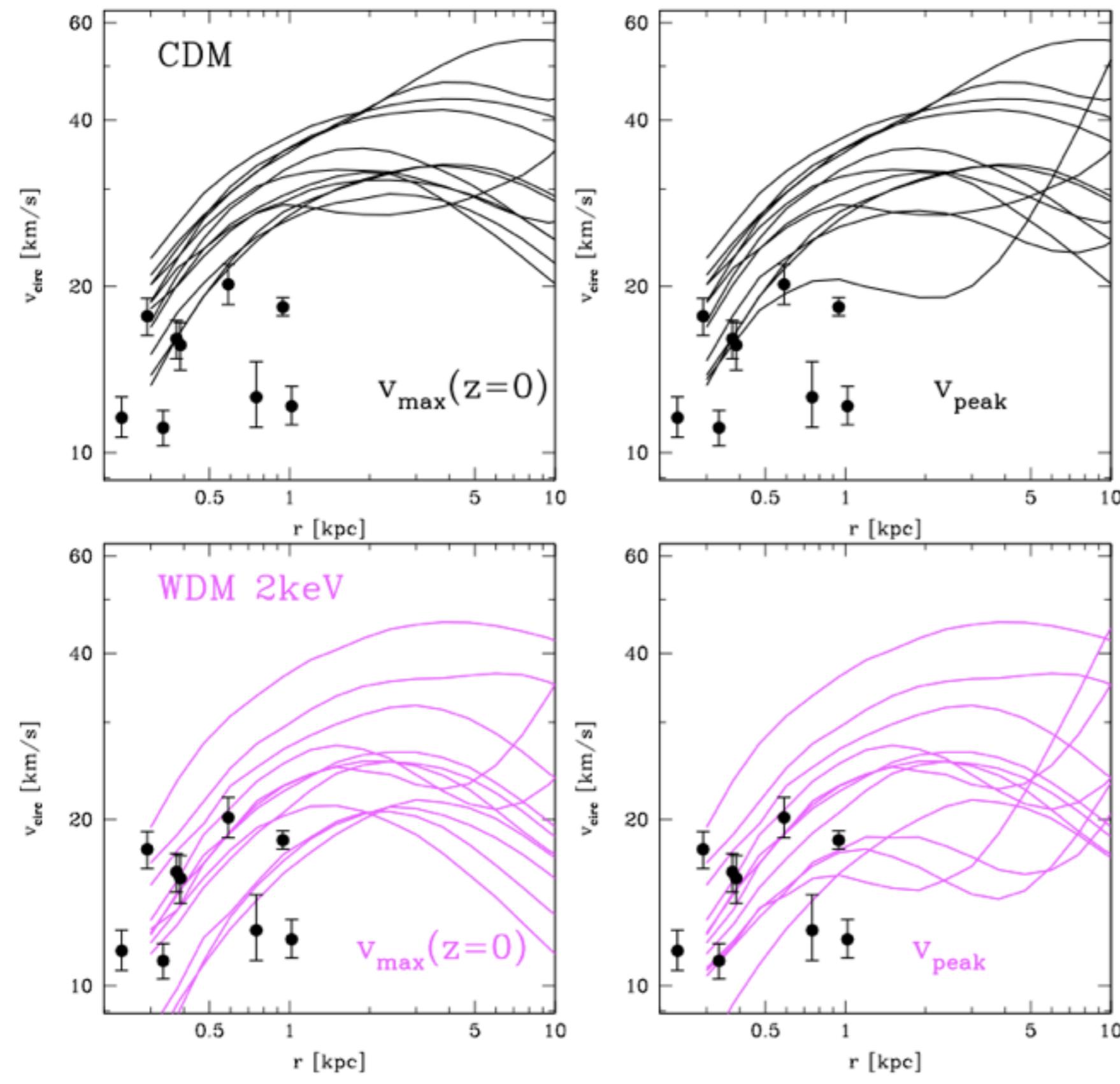
$$\approx 3.65 \left(\frac{\delta m^2}{(7 \text{ keV})^2} \right) \left(\frac{10^{-3}}{L} \right) \left(\frac{170 \text{ MeV}}{T} \right)^4$$

*7 keV Resonant Sterile Neutrino:
Free streaming cutoff is very different, even for the
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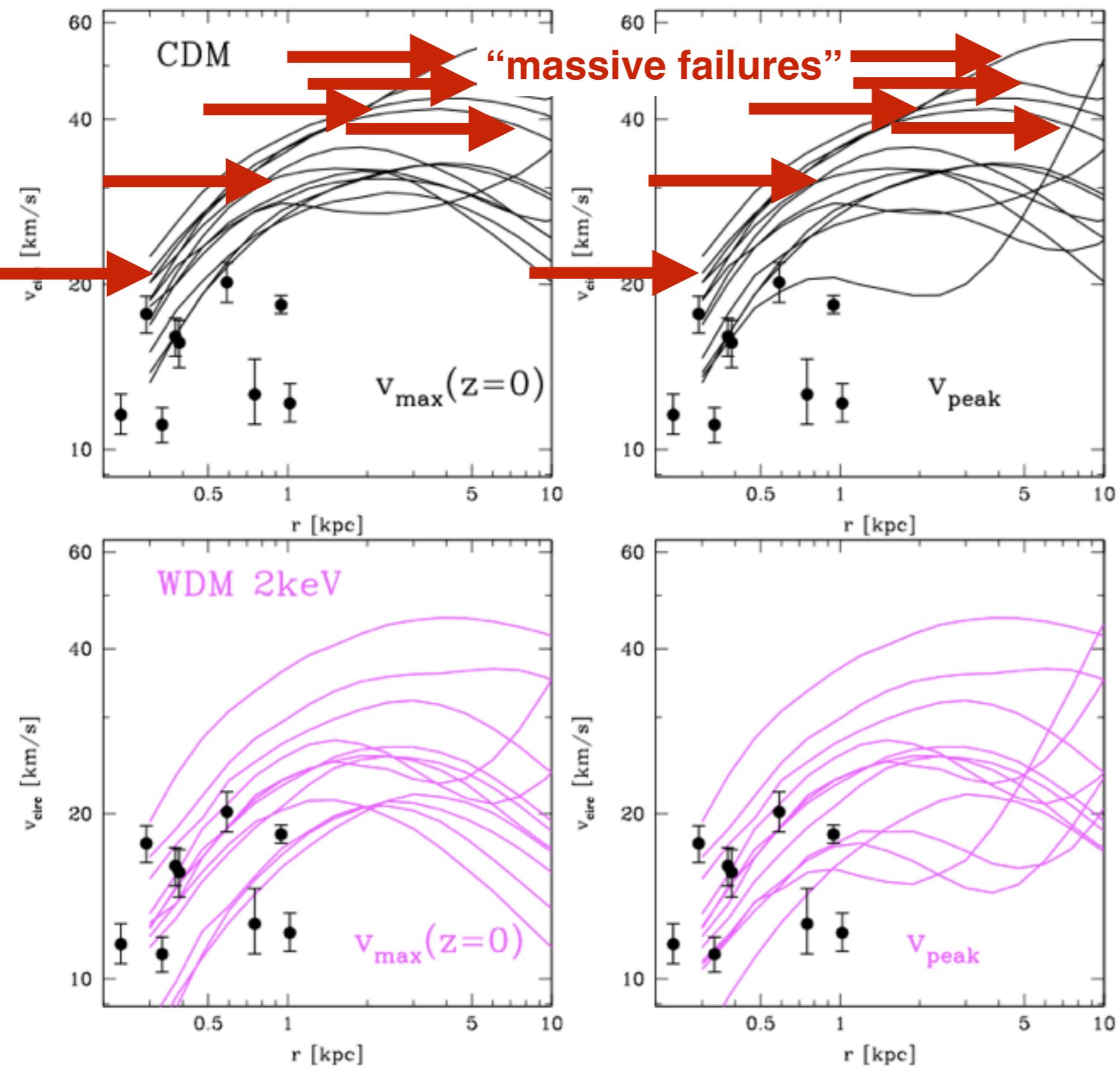


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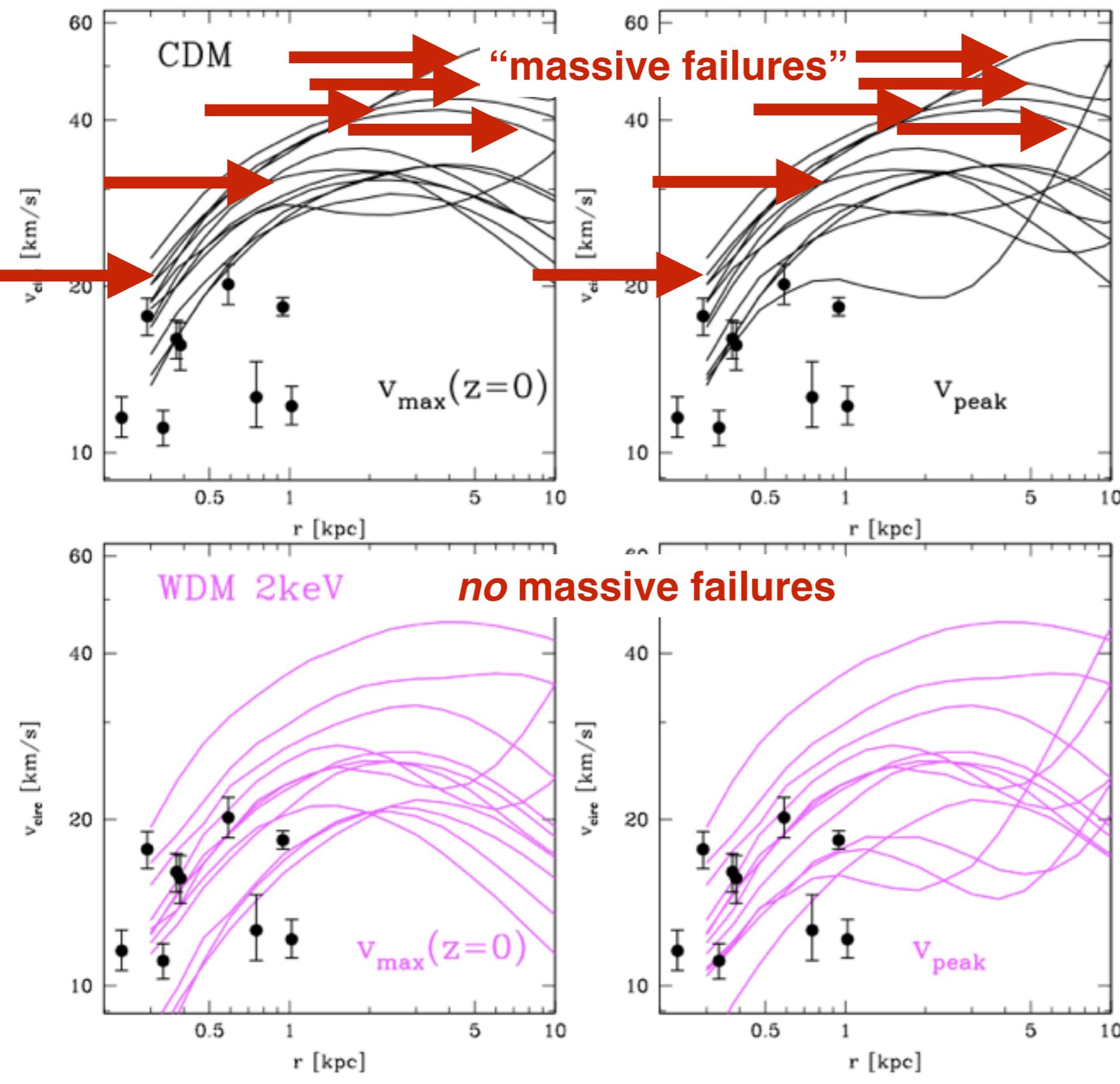
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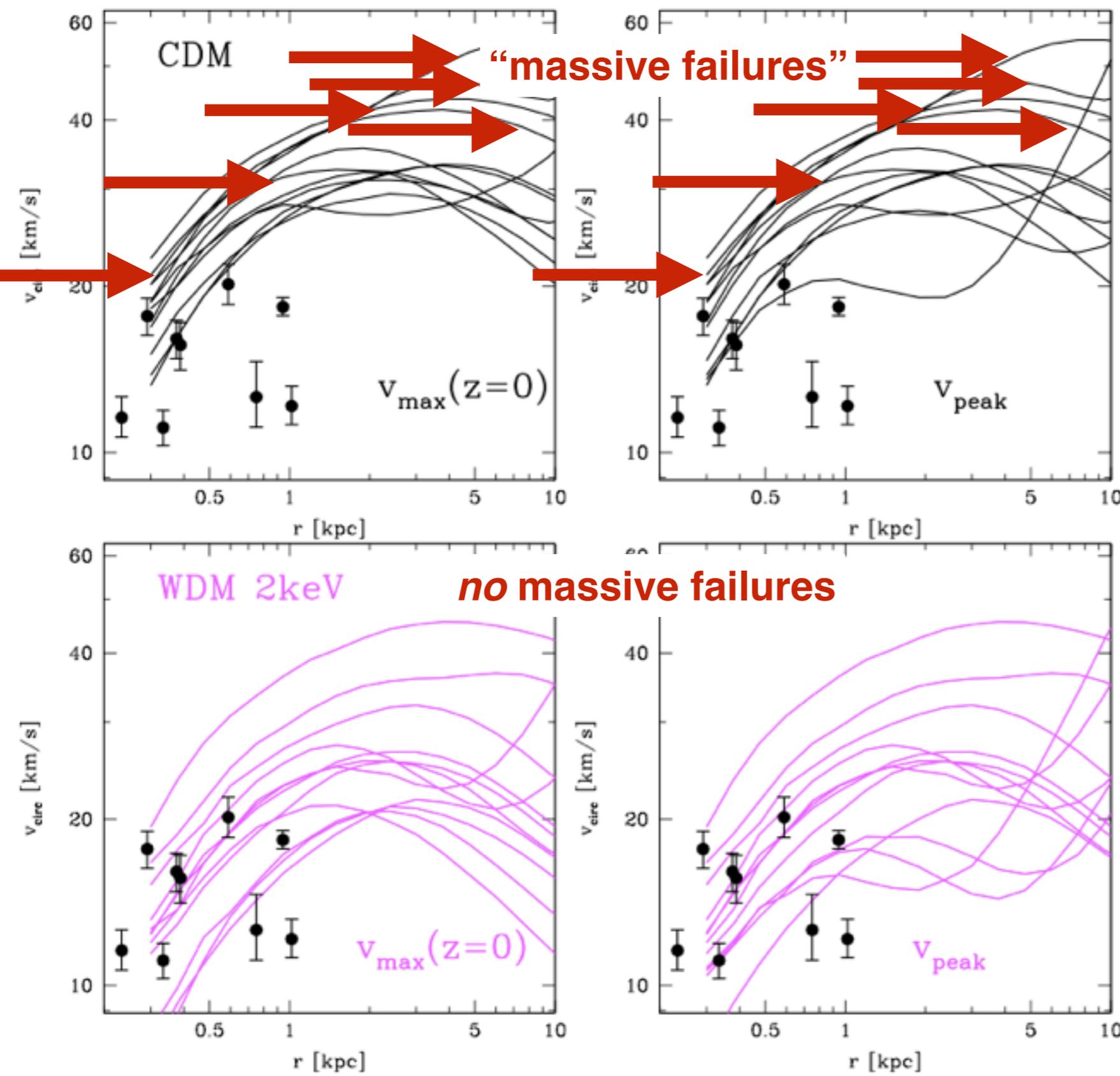
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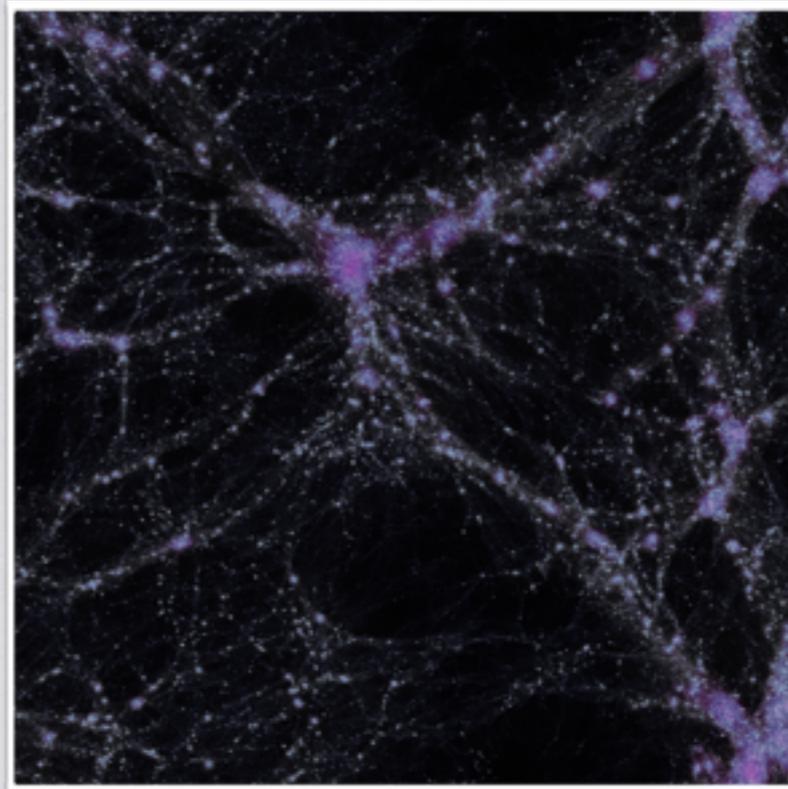
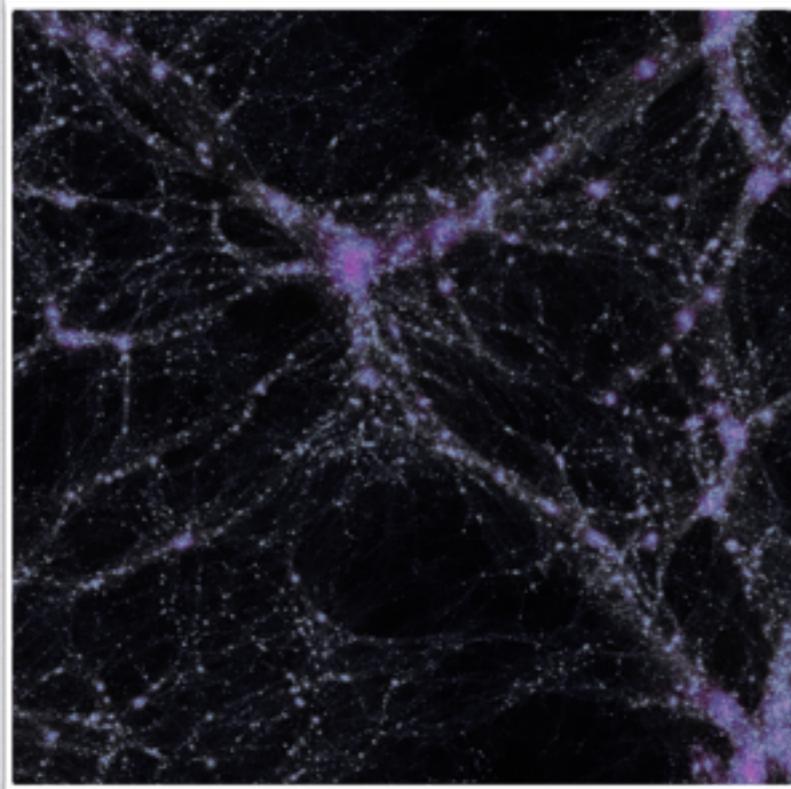
"It seems that only the pure WDM model with a 2 keV [thermal] particle is able to match the all observations" of the Milky Way Satellites: "the total satellite abundance, their radial distribution and their mass profile" (or TBTF)



**Self-interacting dark
matter as a solution of
the small-scale puzzles**

SIDM = CDM (almost)

SIDM looks the same as CDM on large scales, so it passes all the cosmological tests. It modifies the inner part of halos [Spergel and Steinhardt 2000].



Rocha et al 2012

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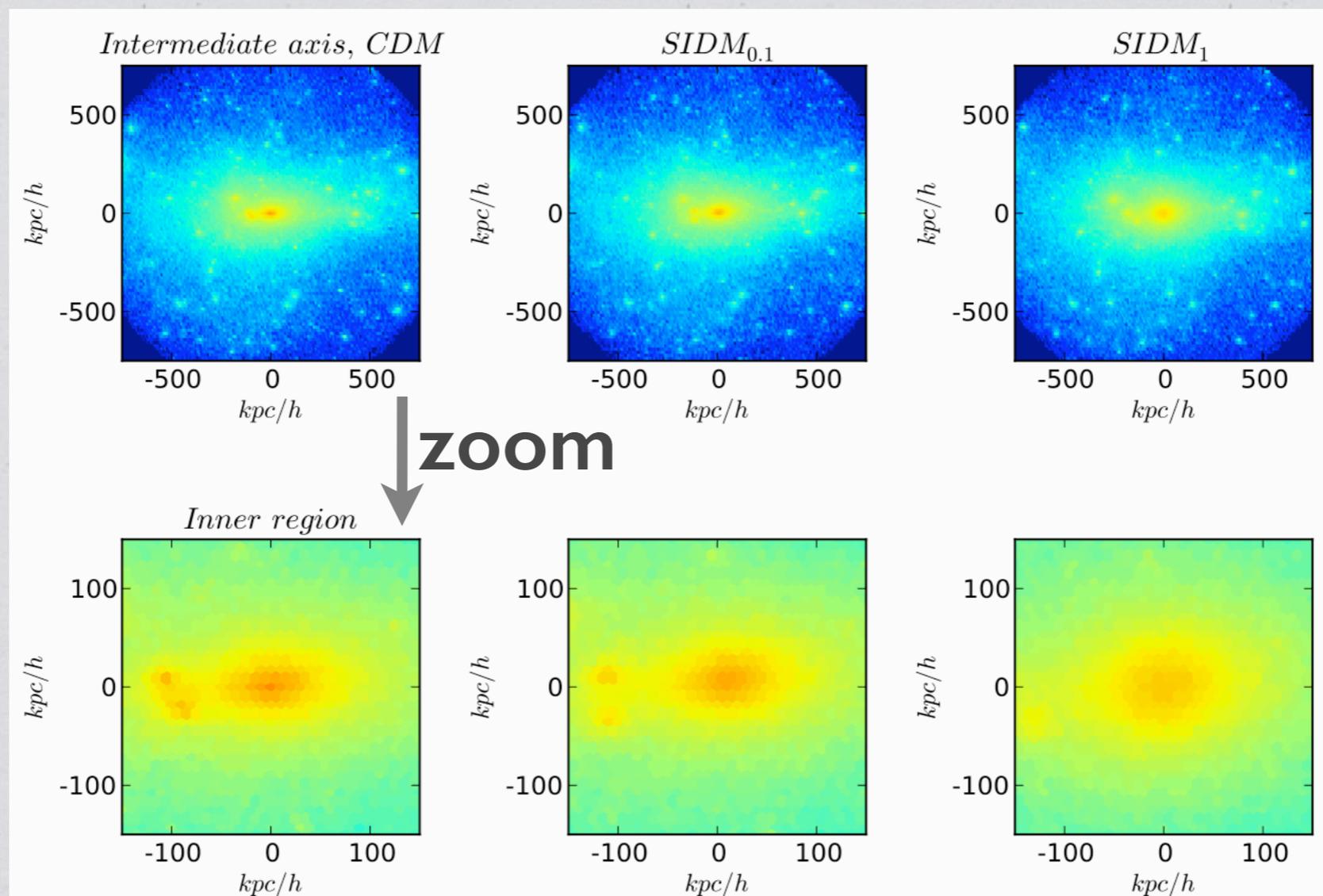
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Recent revival of SIDM motivated partly by model building: Ackerman, Buckley, Carroll, Kamionkowski (2008), Feng, Kaplinghat, Yu, Tu (2009), Feng, Kaplinghat, Yu 2010, Loeb and Weiner 2011

Cluster halo shape constraints

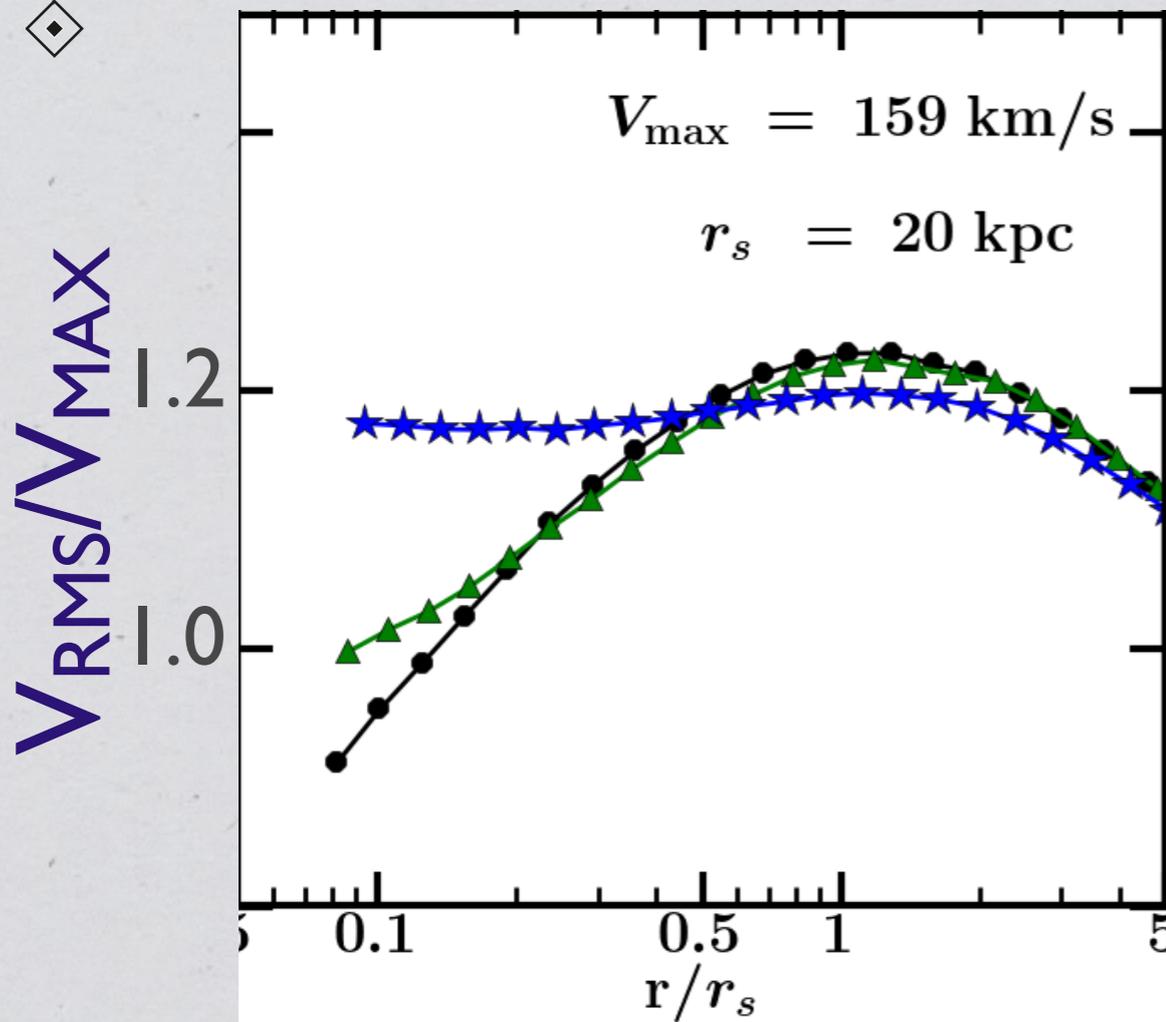


Constraints using shapes of LoCuSS clusters (Richards et al 2010) not better than about $1 \text{ cm}^2/\text{g}$.

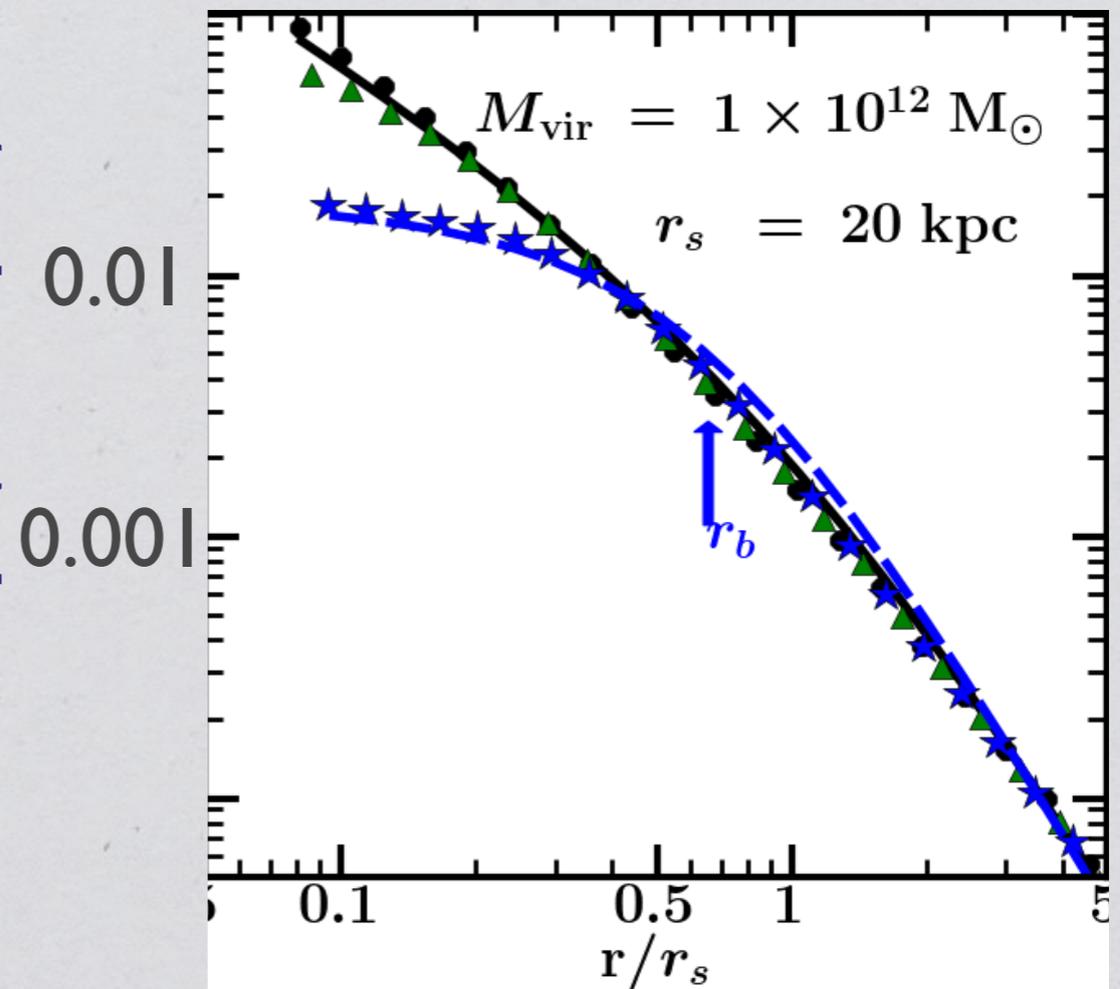
Peter, Rocha, Bullock, Kaplinghat 2012

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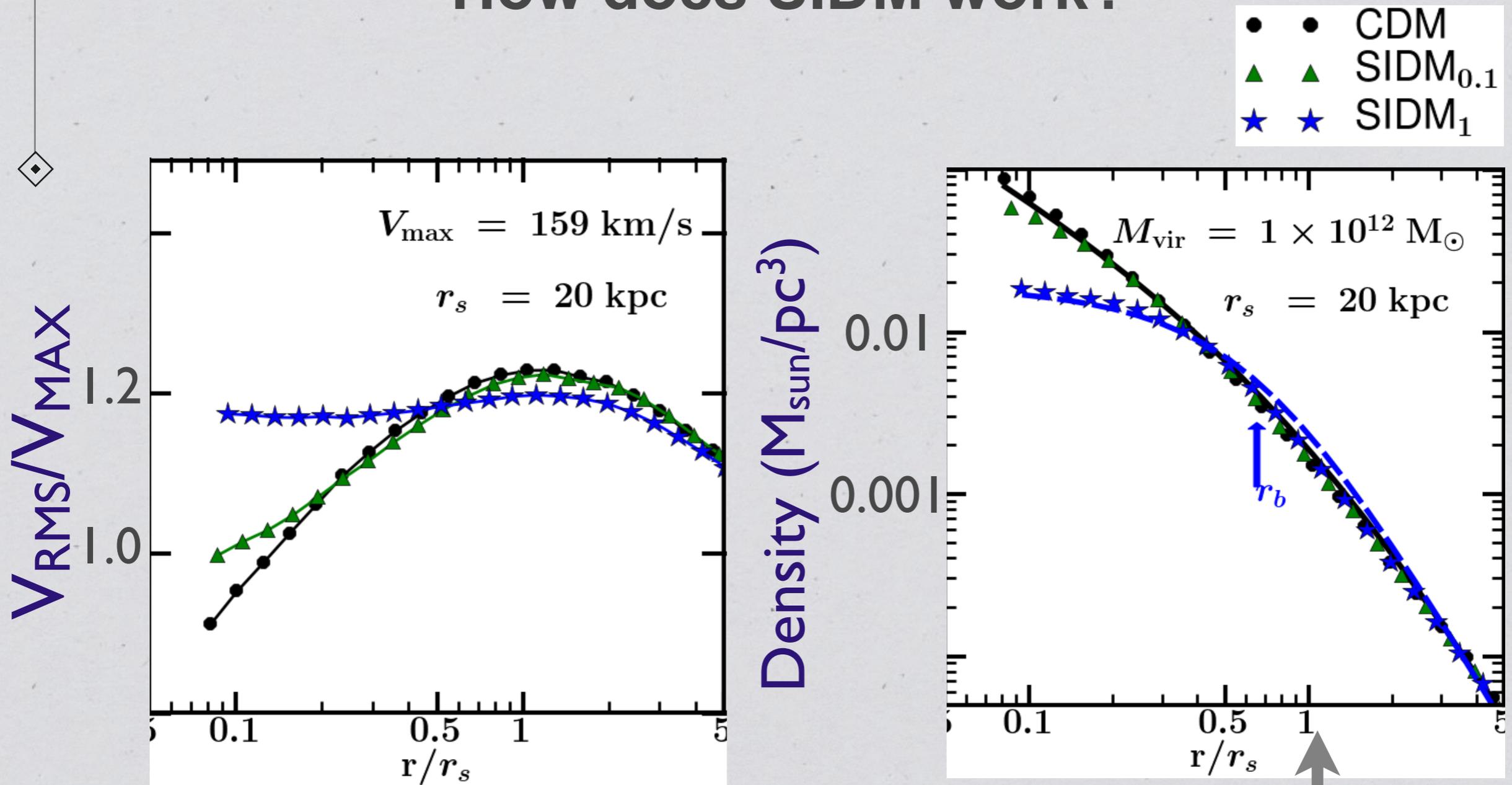
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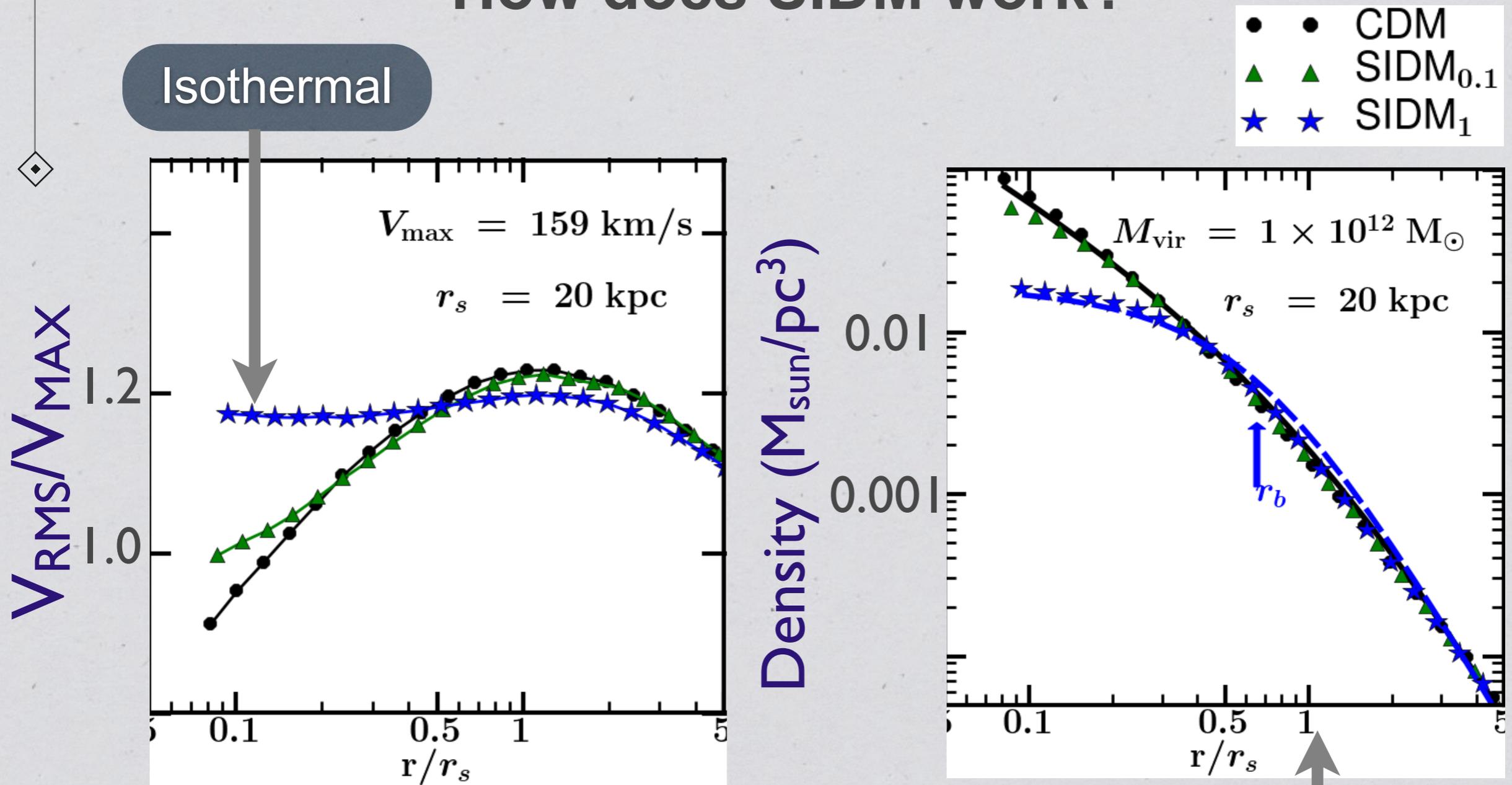
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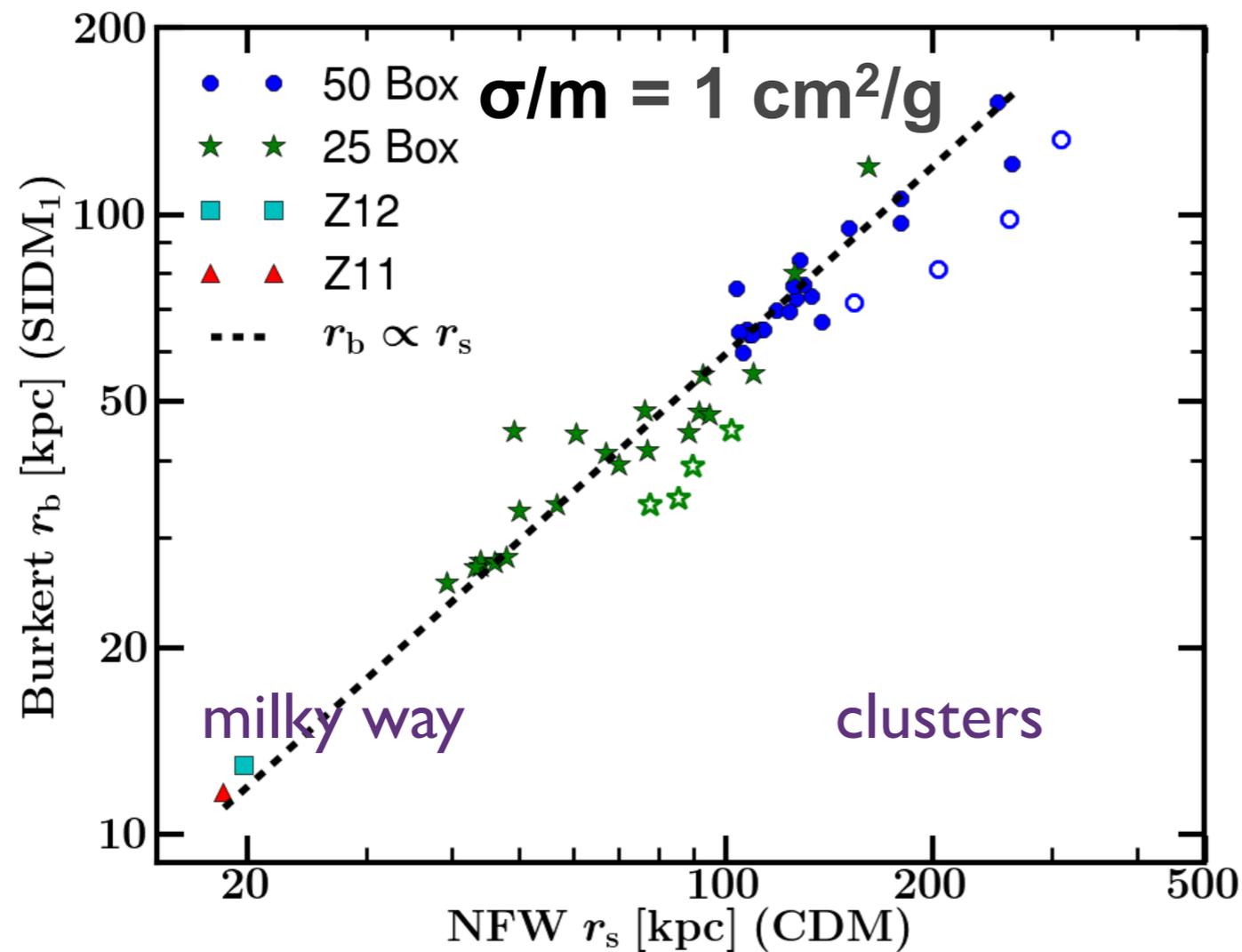
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SIDM solution: core sizes

Outside this core radius, solution is CDM-like.

Core radius



Core size $\sim 0.5 r_s$, large enough to explain spiral and dwarf galaxy observations.

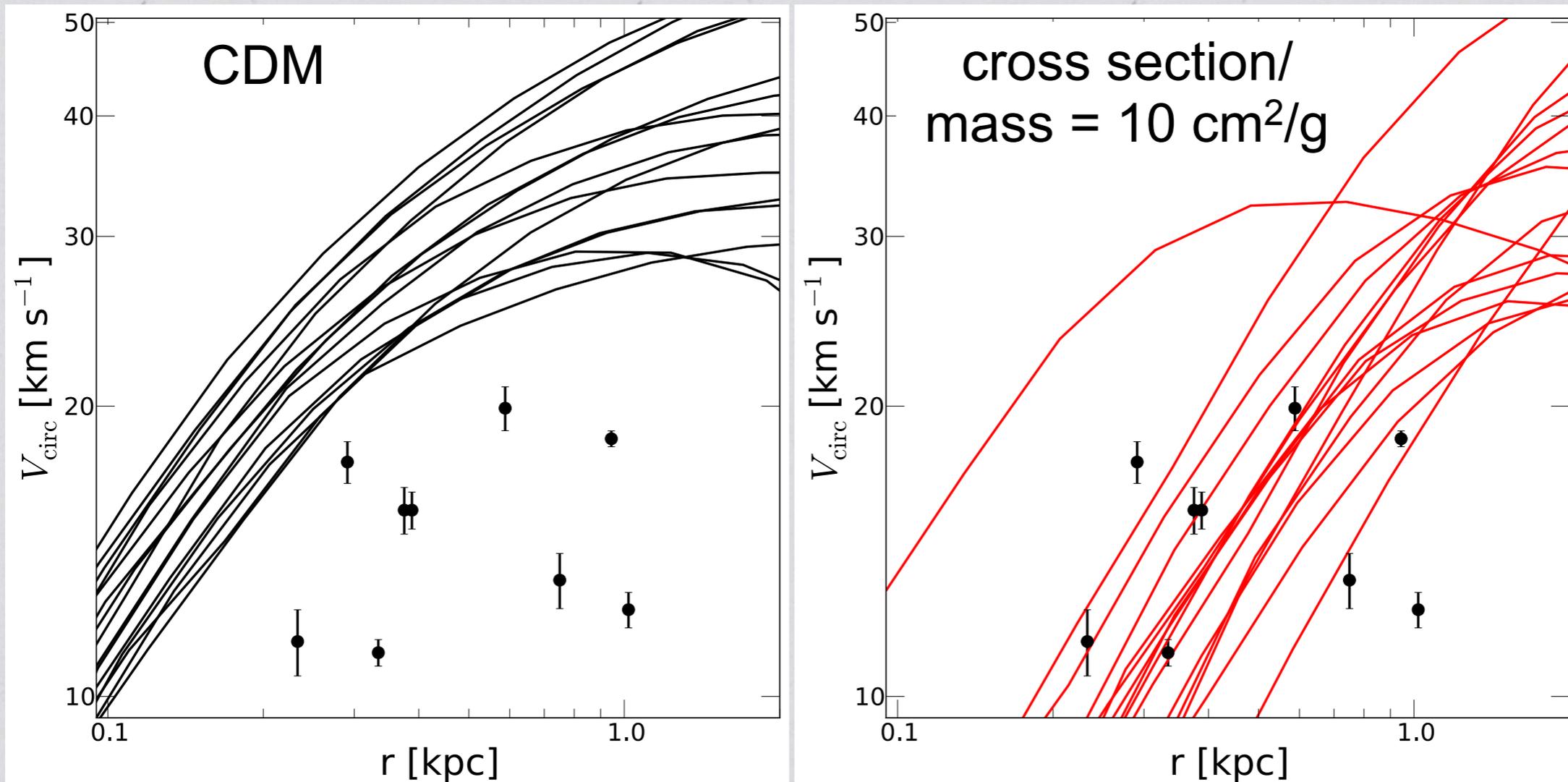
$$\rho_{\text{core}} \propto 1/V_{\text{max}}$$

Rocha et al (2012)

Elbert et al (2015)

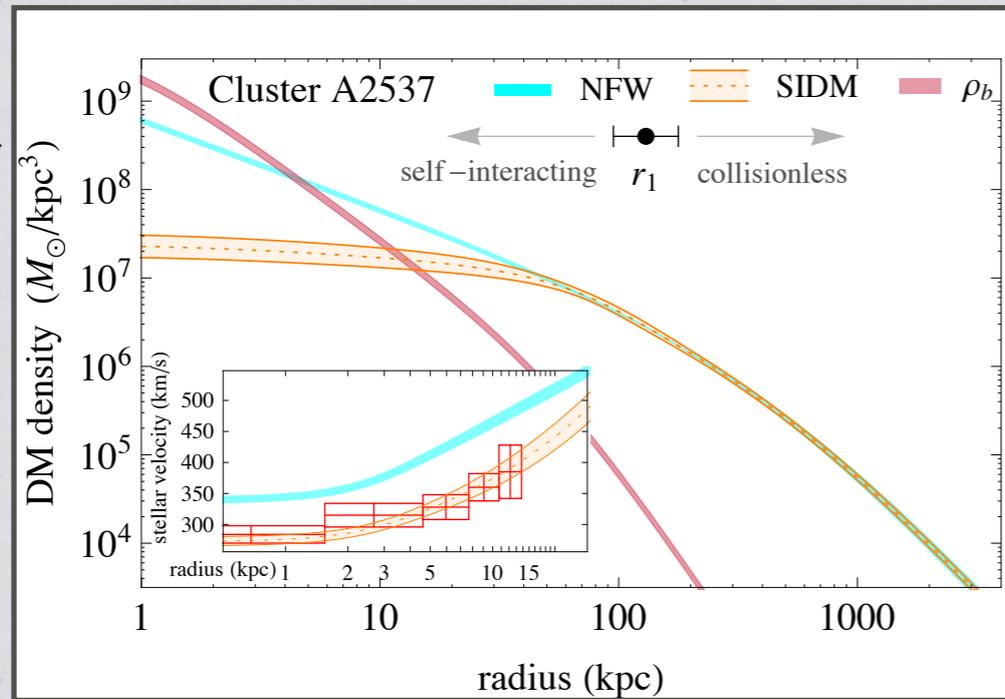
Similar results from Fry et al (2015)

SIDM solution for satellites



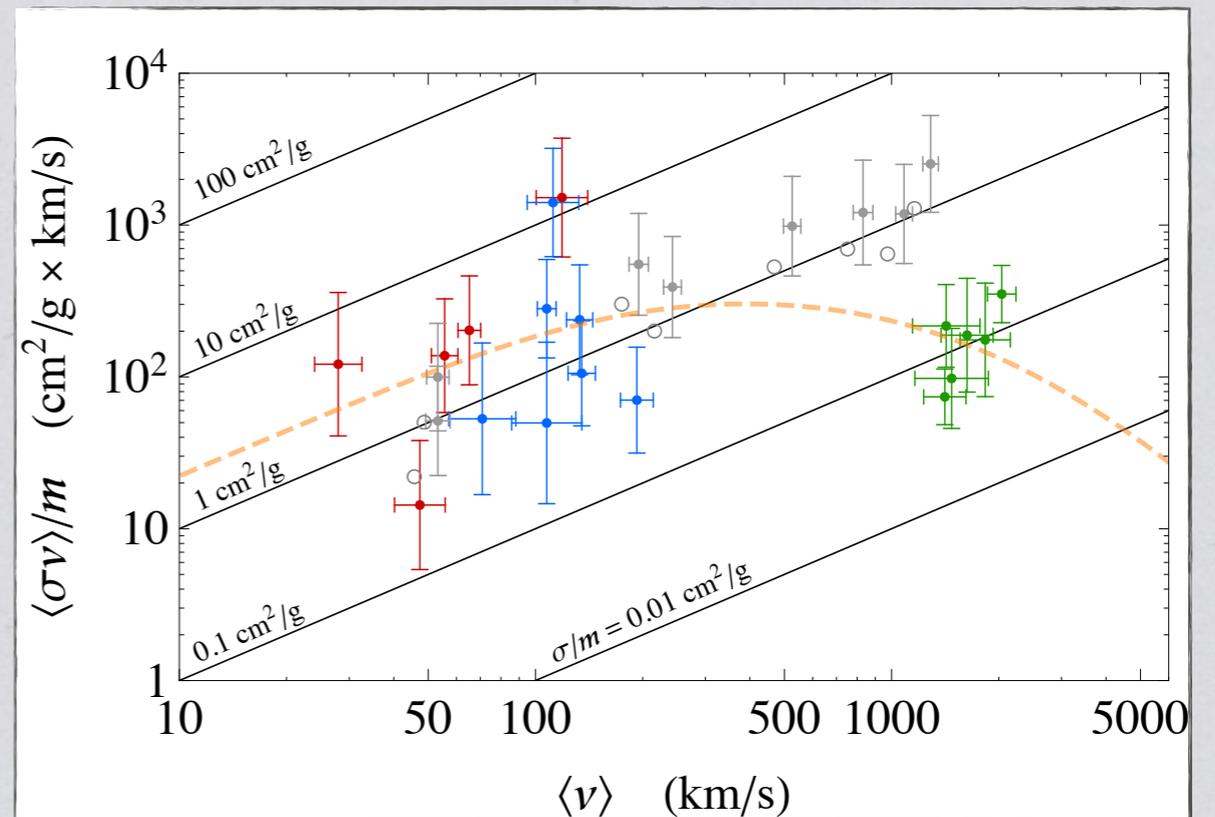
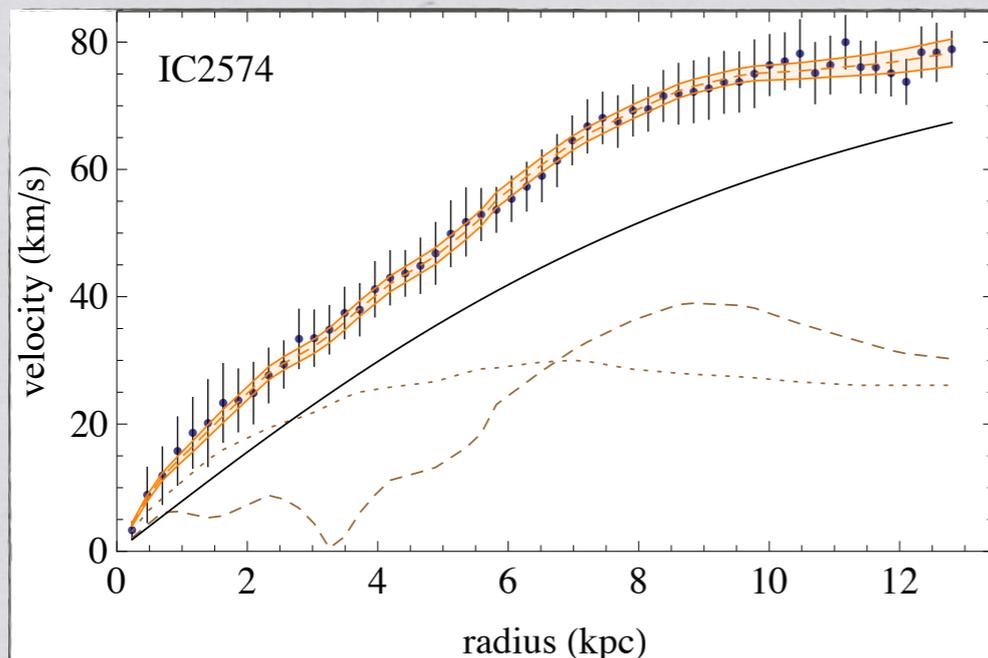
TBTF problem can be solved with the production of large cores [Vogelsberger, Zavala and Loeb 2012, Vogelsberger, Zavala and Walker 2012]

SIDM fits to galaxies and clusters



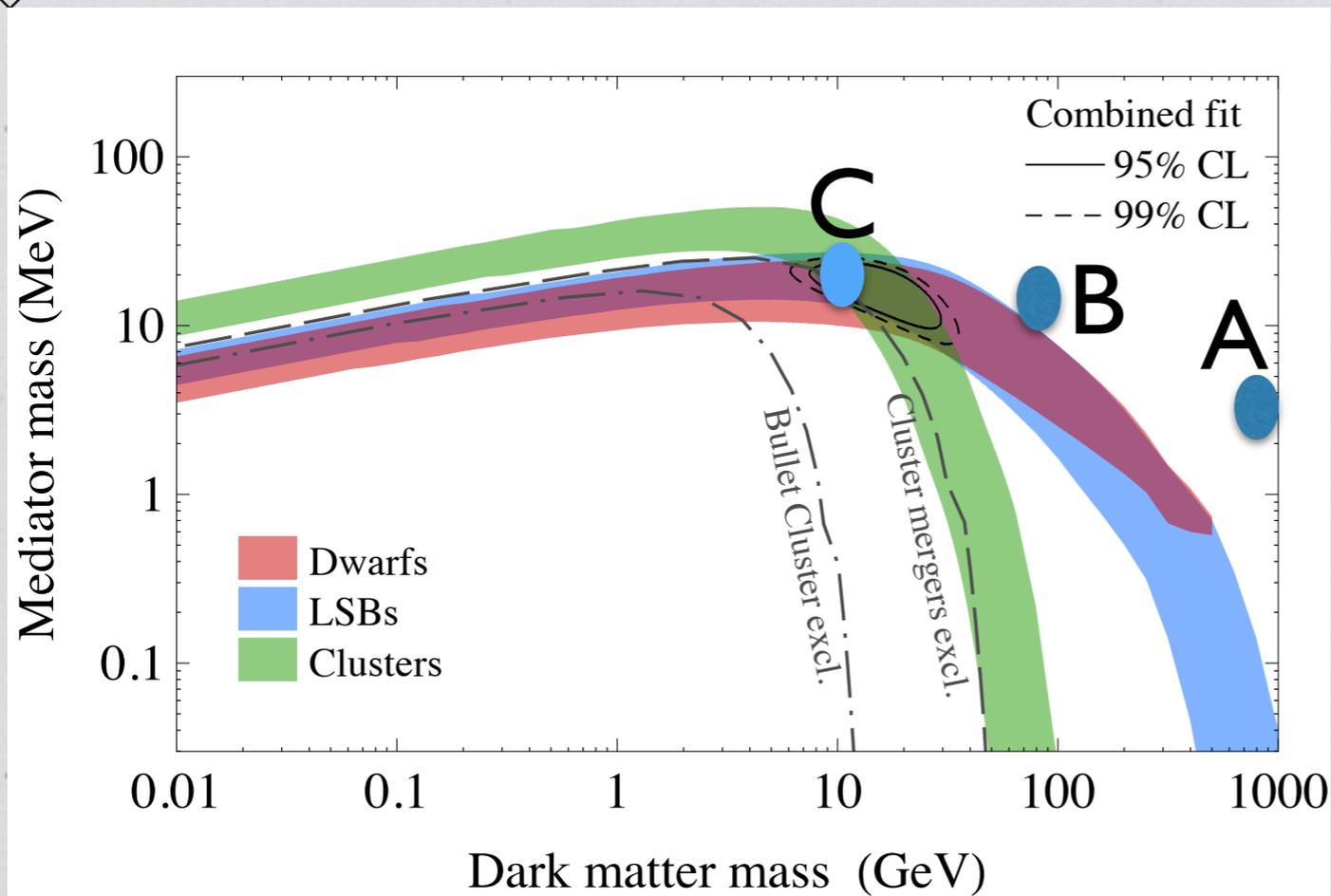
$$\rho(r) = \begin{cases} \rho_{\text{iso}}(r), & r < r_1 \\ \rho_{\text{NFW}}(r), & r > r_1 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{rate} \times \text{time} \approx \frac{\langle \sigma v \rangle}{m} \rho(r_1) t_{\text{age}} \approx 1$$



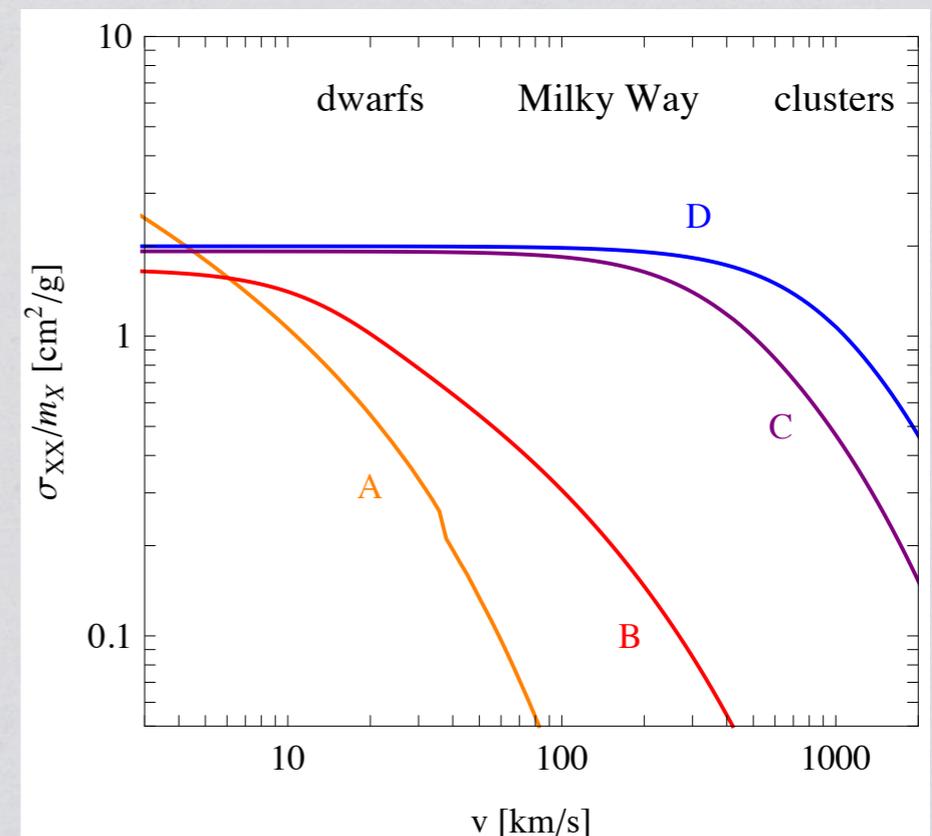
Diversity in cores $\sim c(M)$ relation

A consistent SIDM solution requires a mild velocity dependence!



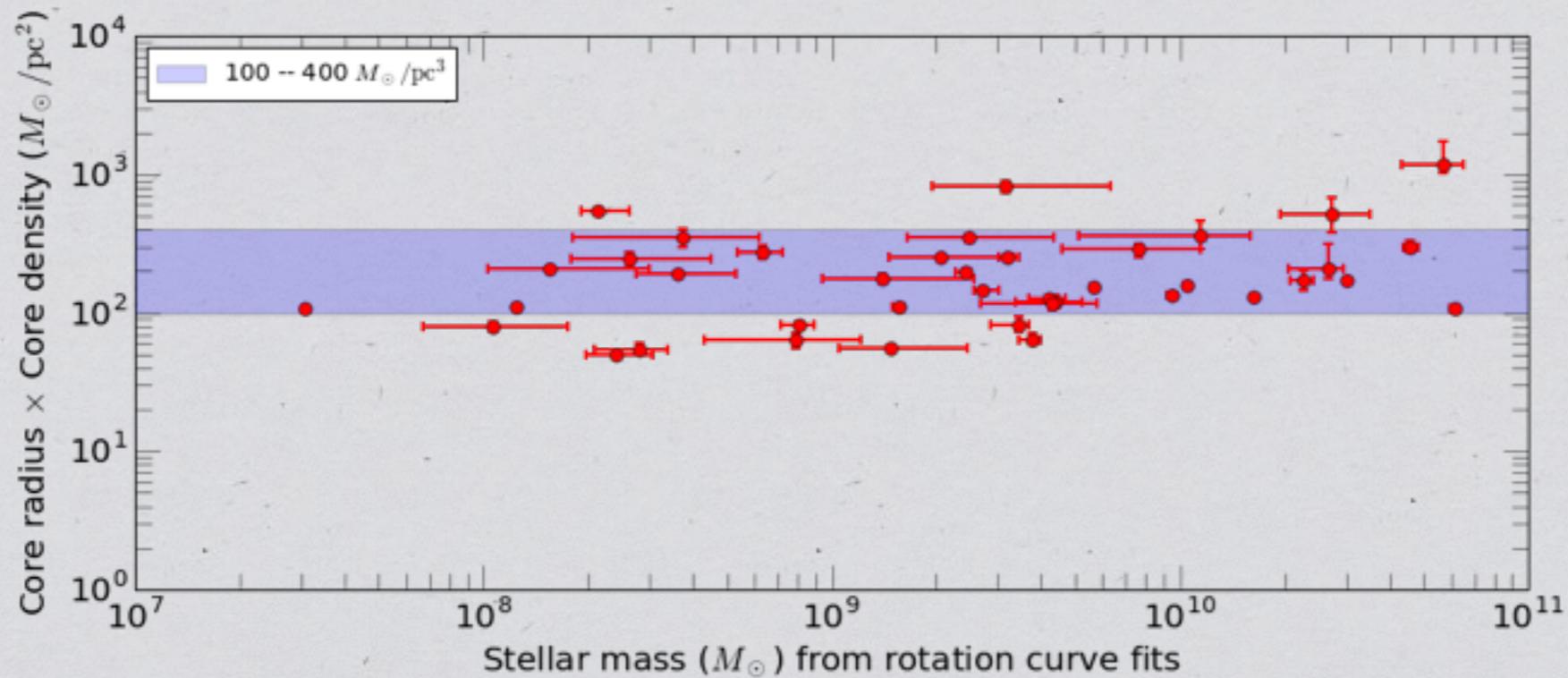
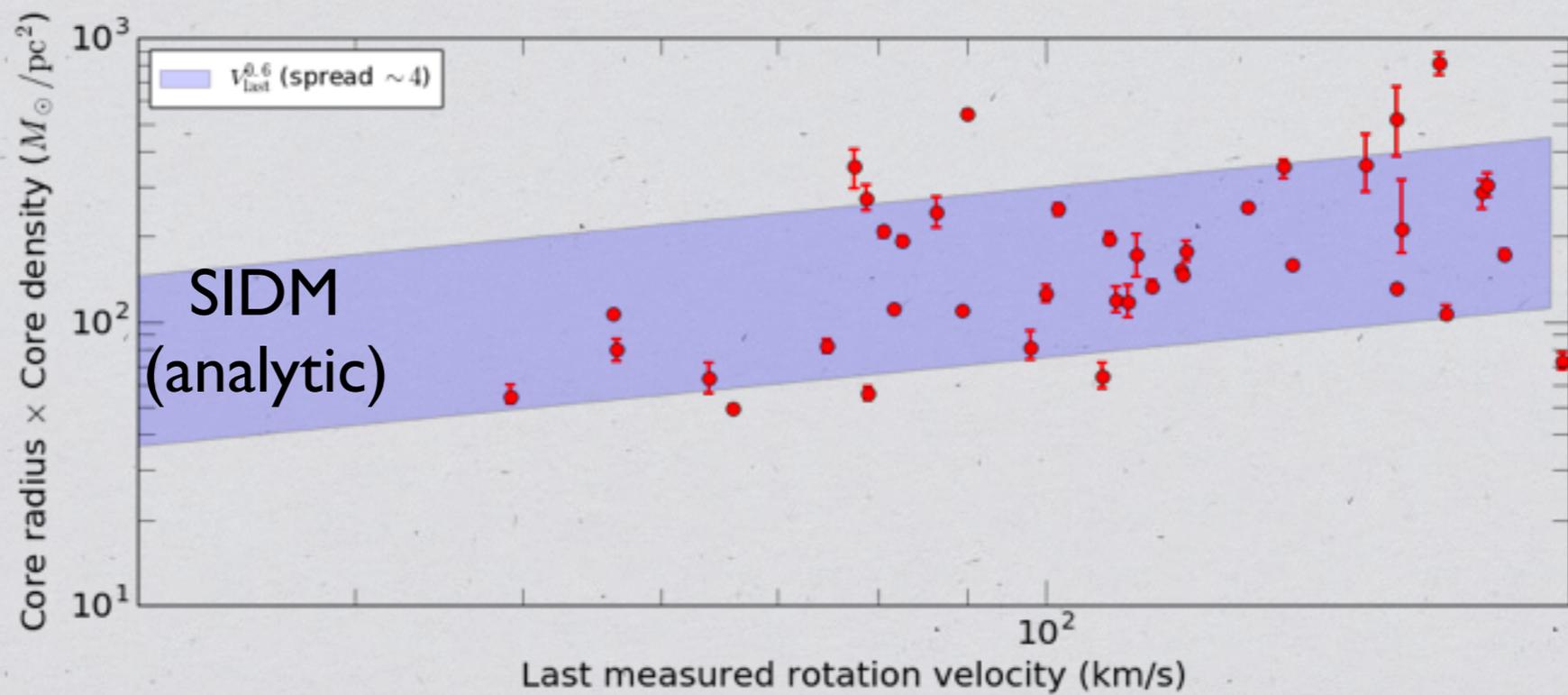
$$\mathcal{L} = g_x \bar{\chi} \gamma^\mu \chi \phi_\mu + m_\chi \bar{\chi} \chi + m_\phi^2 \phi^\mu \phi_\mu$$

$$V = \pm \frac{\alpha_x}{r} \exp(-m_\phi r)$$



Kaplinghat, Tulin and Yu, 2015

Uniformity of DM (cored) profiles



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