



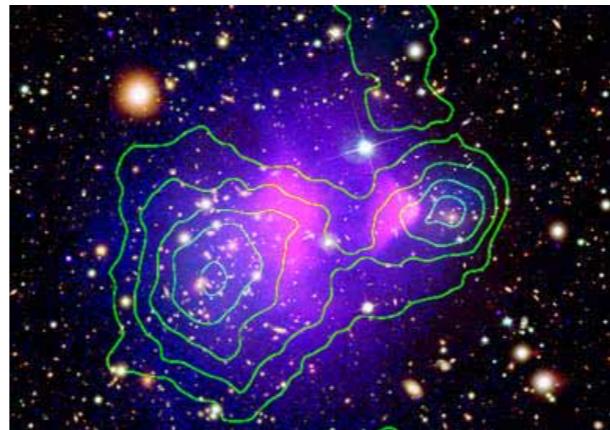
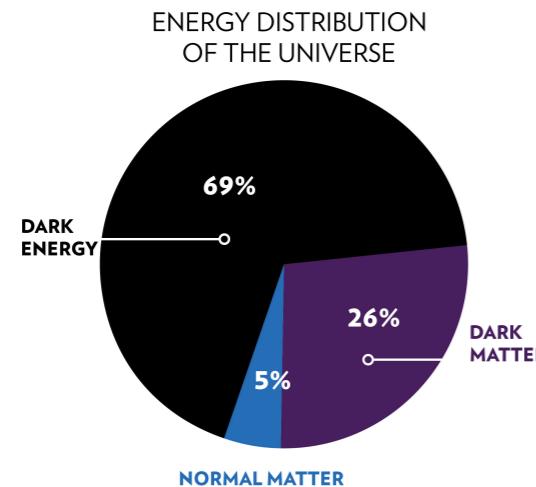
# Unitarizing **SIMP** scenario with dark vector resonances

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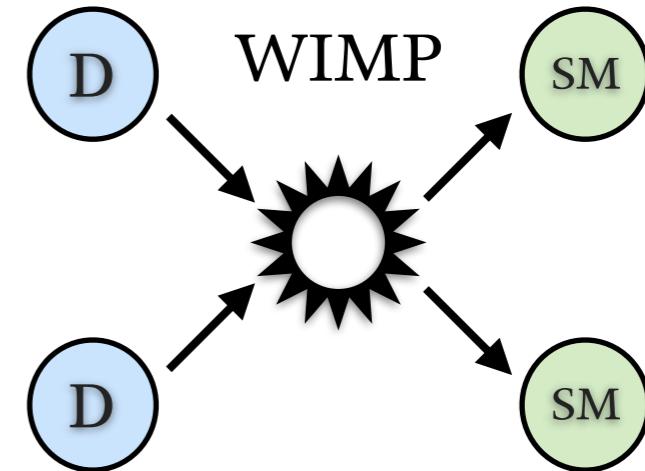
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Pyungwon Ko, Alexander Natale (KIAS)  
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# Bullet Cluster & WIMP



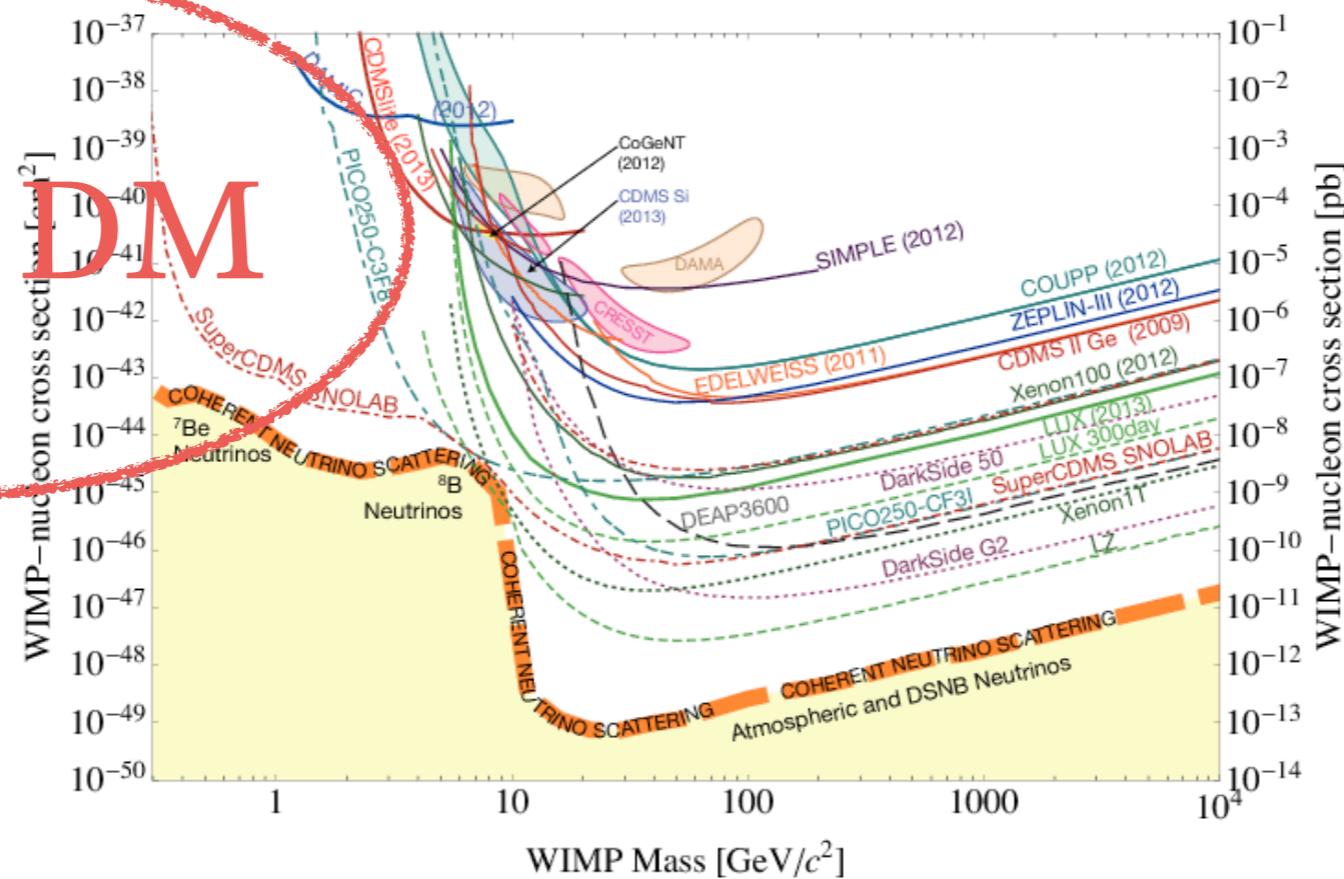
Chandra X-ray observatory



- So many indirect evidences for dark matter
- Bullet : Gravitational Lensing vs X-ray  
Self-interaction bound :  $\frac{\sigma_{\text{self}}}{m_\chi} \lesssim 1 \text{cm}^2/\text{g}$
- WIMP : The most popular mechanism for dark matter  
General freeze-out process is  $\chi\chi \rightarrow f_{\text{SM}}\bar{f}_{\text{SM}}$   
Mass scale is  $\mathcal{O}(100 \text{ GeV})$  for the relic density  
Negligible self-interaction of WIMP

# Direct Detection of WIMP

Light DM

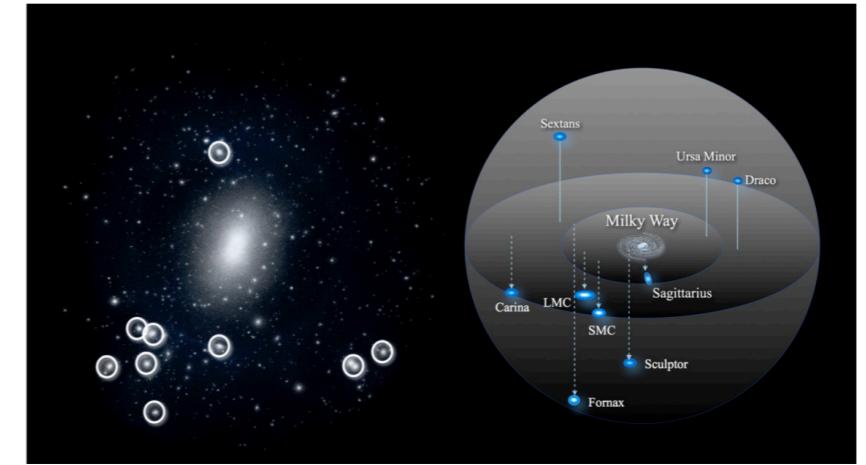
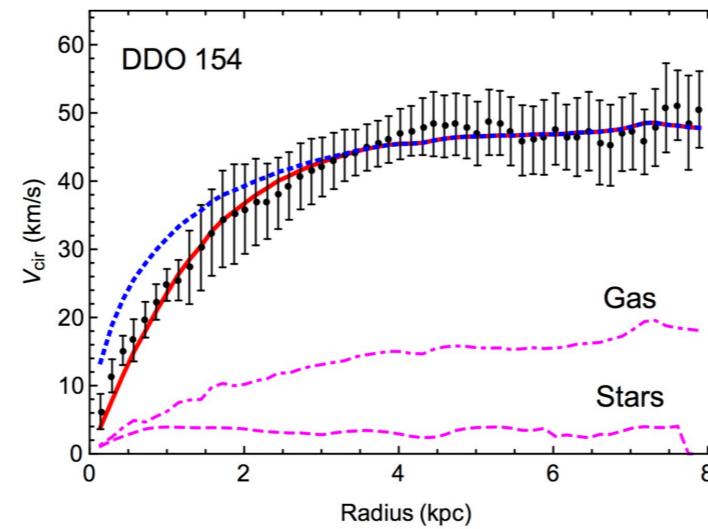
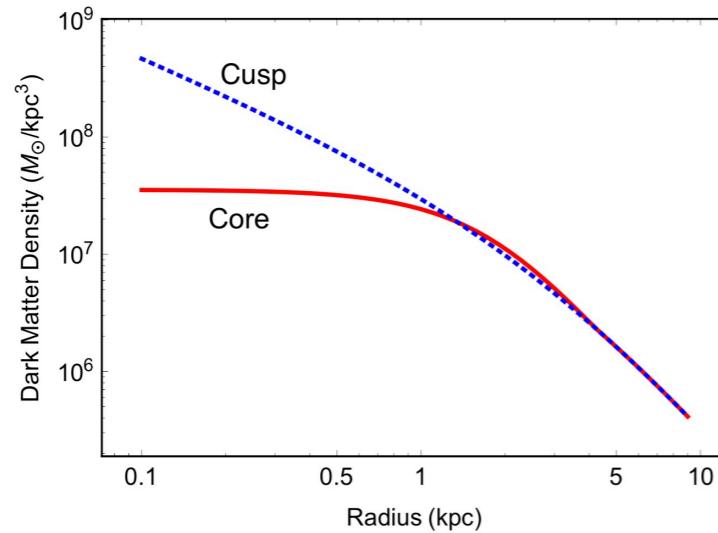


- No direct evidence for WIMP
- Direct detection is the important experiment !

M. W. Goodman, E. Witten (1985) and J. Cooley, (2014)

# Small Scale Problems

Mismatch b/w Observation and  $\Lambda$ CDM Simulation



- Core-Cusp Problem

Sim. (Cuspy) vs Obs. (Cored)  
DM density profiles

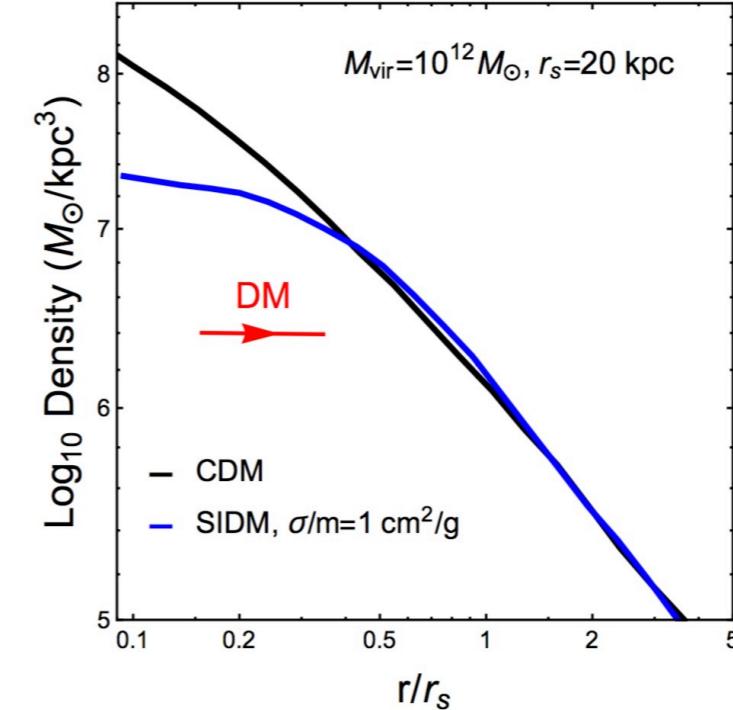
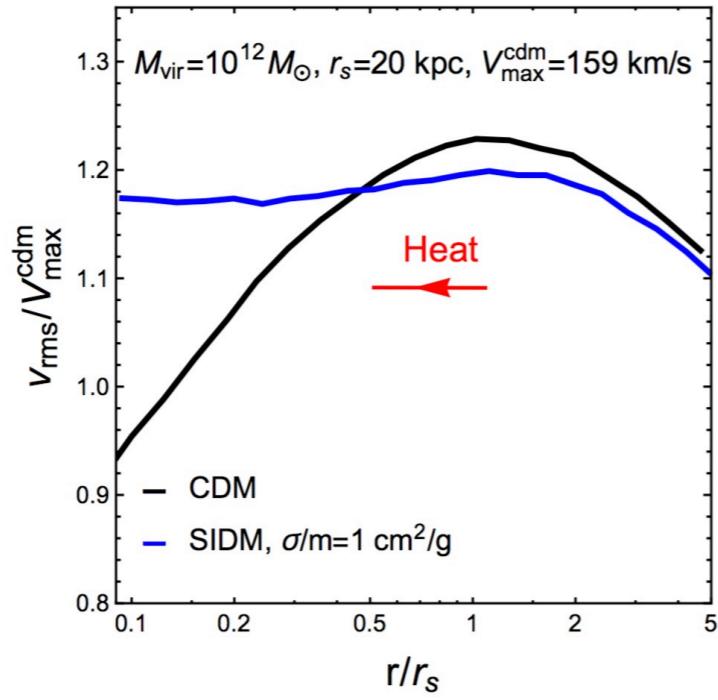
- Too-big-to-fail Problem

Too dense subhalos in Sim. ?

Bullet & Small Scale  $0.1\text{cm}^2/\text{g} \lesssim \frac{\sigma_{\text{self}}}{m_\chi} \lesssim 1\text{cm}^2/\text{g}$

See, Sean Tulin and Hai-Bo Yu (2017), D. H. Weinberg et al (2013)

# Self-Interacting Dark Matter



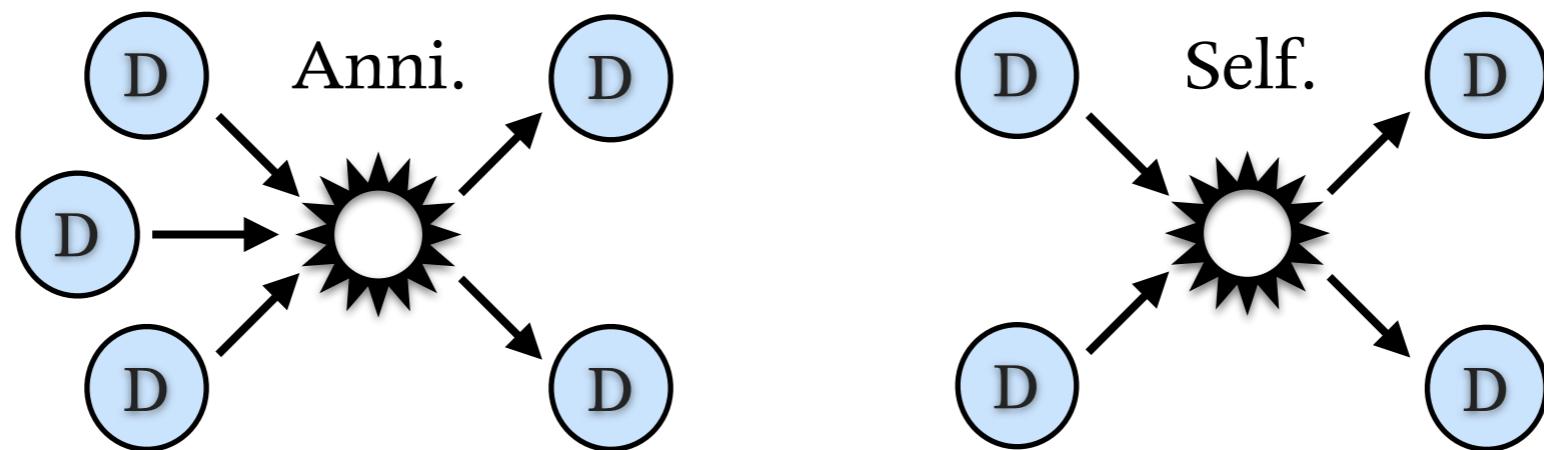
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## Models for Self-Interacting Dark Matter ?

- Sommerfeld Enhancement
- Light Dark Matter as alternatives to WIMPs :  
**Strongly Interacting Massive particles (SIMP)**

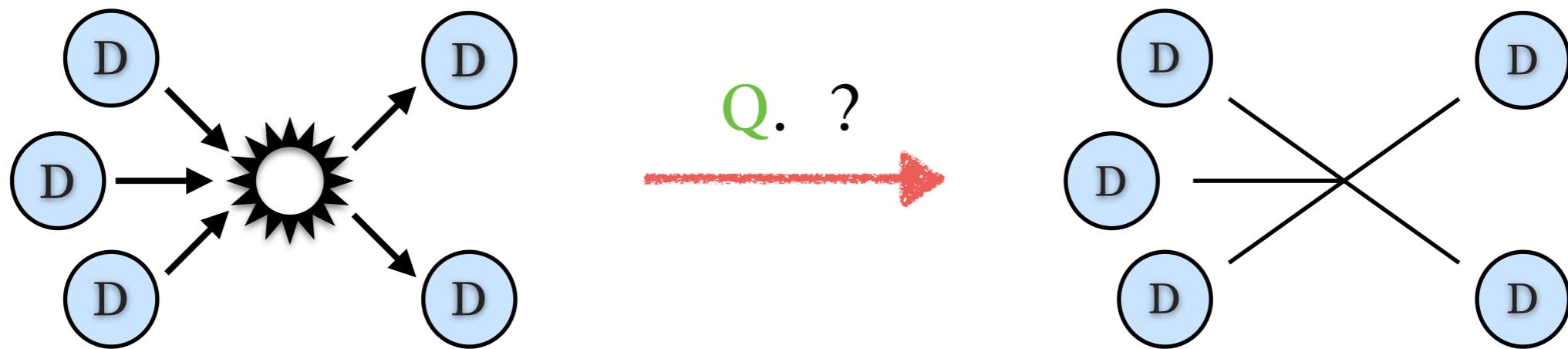
# SIMP Dark Matter

- Strongly Interacting Massive Particles
- Freeze-out process is 3 to 2 self-annihilation  $\chi\chi\chi \rightarrow \chi\chi$  with  $\langle\sigma v^2\rangle \propto \alpha^3/m_\chi^5$  and the mass scale is  $\mathcal{O}(100 \text{ MeV})$  for the relic density ( $\Rightarrow \alpha \gtrsim 1$ )
- The self-interaction can be much larger than WIMP  $\sigma_{\text{self}} \propto \alpha^2/m_\chi^2$



Y. Hochberg, E. Kuflik, T. Volansky and J. G. Wacker (2014)

# The SIMPlest realization



## A. WZW term for Dark ChPT

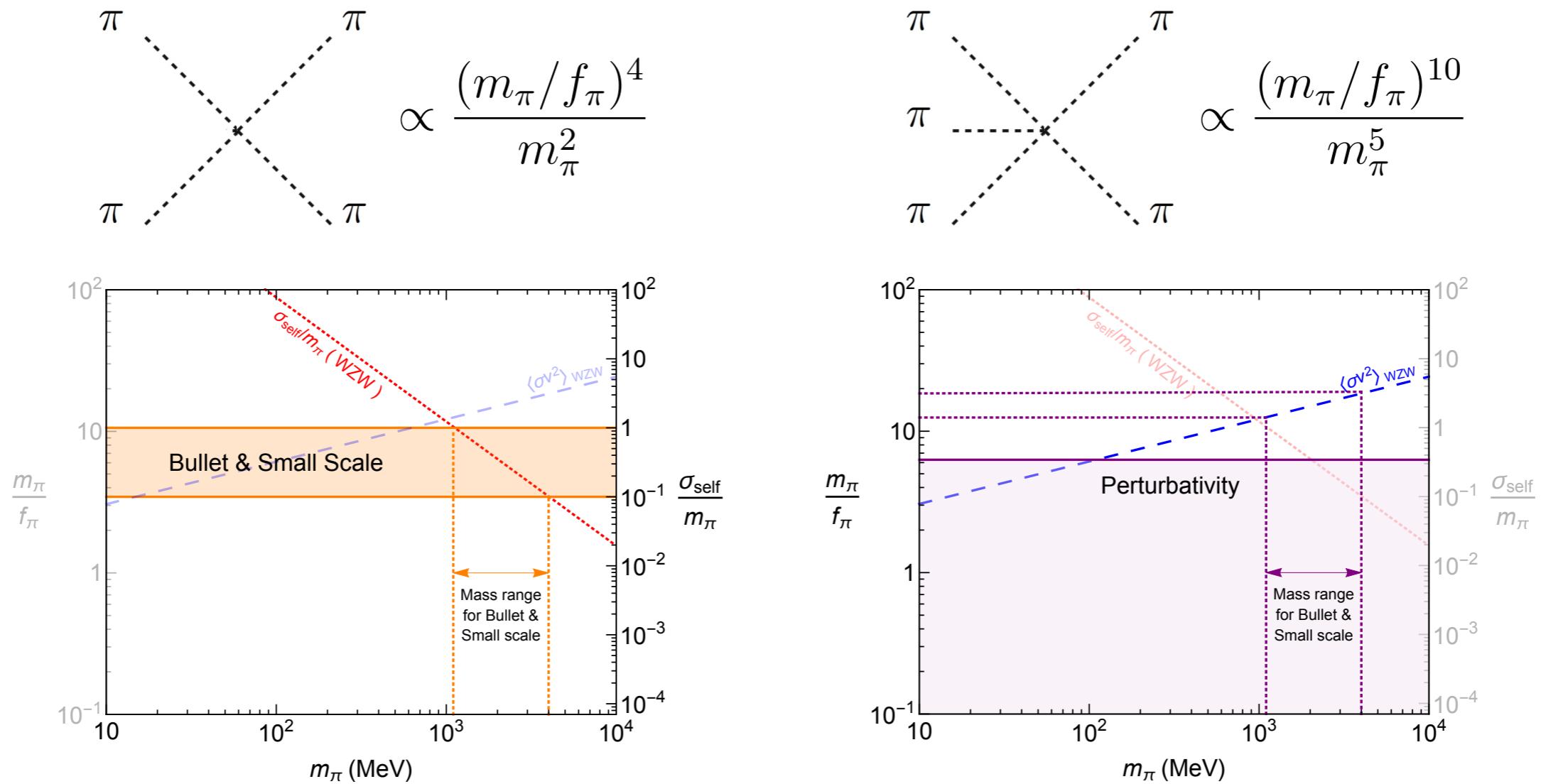
- Like Standard Model QCD,  $\mathcal{L} = -\frac{1}{4}G_{\mu\nu}^a G^{\mu\nu a} + \sum_{i=1}^3 \bar{Q}_i i\gamma^\mu D_\mu Q_i$
- Global  $SU(3)_L \times SU(3)_R \rightarrow SU(3)_V$  by condensation and pions have degenerated masses.
- Dark Pions have WZW term which contains color number as a topological index

$$\mathcal{L}_{WZW} = \frac{2N_c}{15\pi^2 f_\pi^5} \epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} \text{Tr}[\pi \partial_\mu \pi \partial_\nu \pi \partial_\rho \pi \partial_\sigma \pi]$$

Y. Hochberg, E. Kuflik, H. Murayama, T. Volansky and J. G. Wacker (2014)

# Perturbativity Problem

- This minimal SIMP with pions only has **perturbativity problem**. So Leading order ChPT will breaks down. ( $m_\pi/f_\pi \sim 2\pi$ )



M. Hansen, K.Langaeble and F. Sannino (2015)

# Dark Pion with Vector Mesons

- Non-linearly transformed  $G_{\text{global}}/H_{\text{global}} = SU(3)_L \times SU(3)_R/SU(3)_V$   
= Integrating out the vector mesons from linearly realized  $G_{\text{global}} \times H_{\text{local}}$
- Vector mesons are the massive gauge fields of a local  $SU(3)_V (\equiv H_{\text{local}})$  and they have degenerated masses
- Vector mesons mediate pion interactions.

$$\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}_\pi - \frac{1}{2} \text{Tr}(V_{\mu\nu} V^{\mu\nu}) + \Delta\mathcal{L}_V + \mathcal{L}_{\text{anon.}}$$

$$V_{\mu\nu} = \partial_\mu V_\nu - \partial_\nu V_\mu - ig[V_\mu, V_\nu]$$

$$\Delta\mathcal{L}_V = m_V^2 \text{Tr}(V_\mu V^\mu) - iag \text{Tr}(V_\mu [\partial^\mu \pi, \pi]) - \frac{a}{4f_\pi^2} \text{Tr}([\pi, \partial_\mu \pi]^2)$$

$$m_V^2 = ag^2 f_\pi^2$$

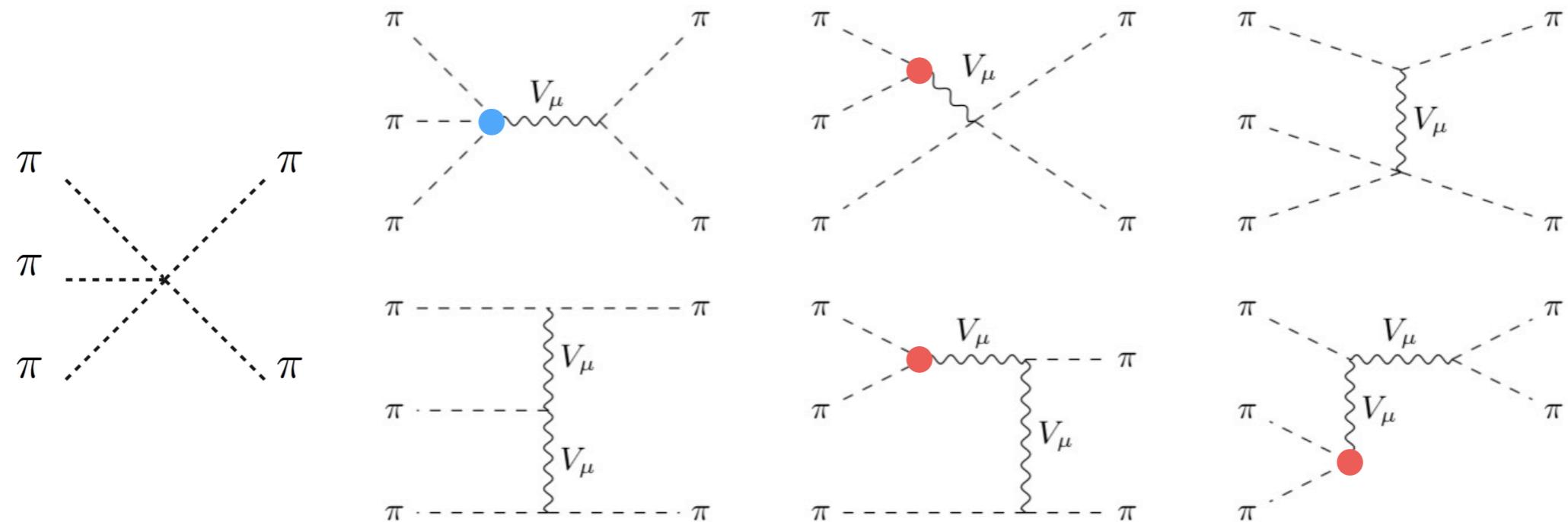
M. Bando et al (1988), P. Ko (1991), SMC, H. M. Lee, P. Ko and A. Natale (2018)

# Dark Pion with Vector Mesons

$\Delta\mathcal{L}_V + \mathcal{L}_{\text{anom.}}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \Delta\mathcal{L}_V + \mathcal{L}_{\text{WZW}} - 15(c_1\mathcal{L}_1 + c_2\mathcal{L}_2 + c_3\mathcal{L}_3) \\
 &\supset -iag\text{Tr}(V_\mu[\partial^\mu\pi, \pi]) - \frac{2N_c}{15\pi^2 f_\pi^5} \epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} \text{Tr}[\pi\partial_\mu\pi\partial_\nu\pi\partial_\rho\pi\partial_\sigma\pi] \\
 &\quad - \frac{igN_c(c_1 - c_2)}{4\pi^2 f_\pi^3} \epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} \text{Tr}[V_\mu\partial_\nu\pi\partial_\rho\pi\partial_\sigma\pi] + \frac{gN_c c_3}{8\pi^2 f_\pi} \epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} \text{Tr}[(\partial_\mu V_\nu)(V_\rho\partial_\sigma\pi - \partial_\rho\pi V_\sigma)]
 \end{aligned}$$

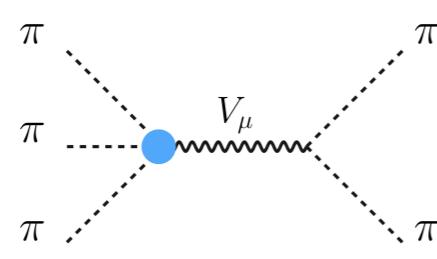
7 types of 5-point interactions with 2 types of resonances



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# Dark Pion with Vector Mesons

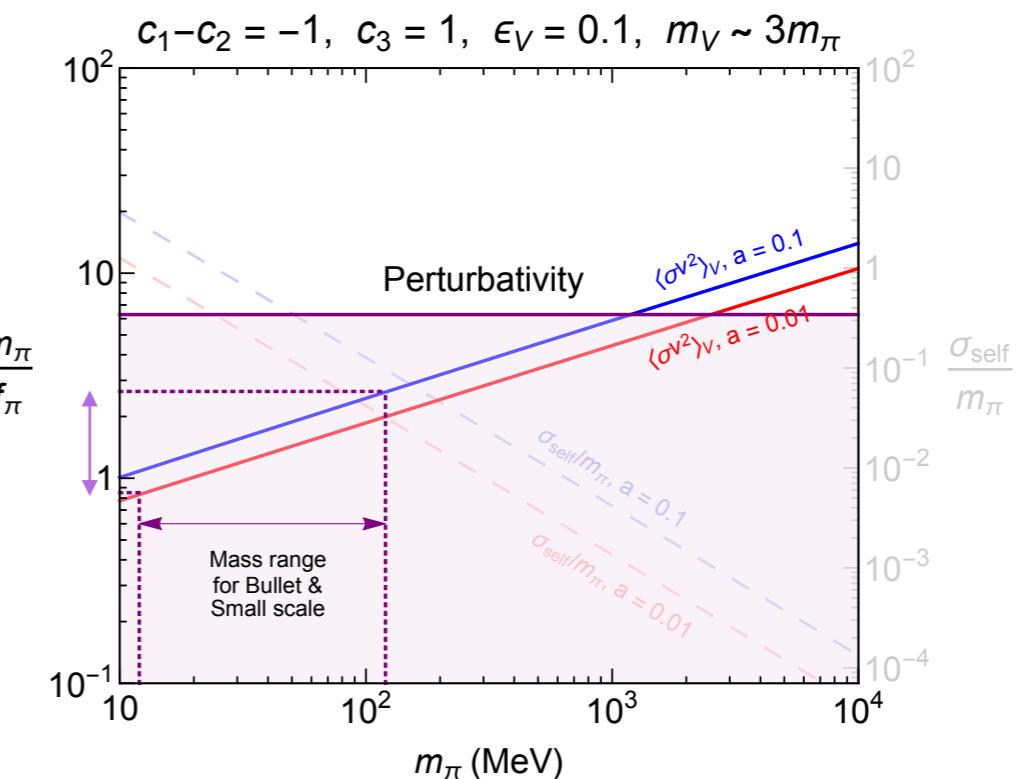
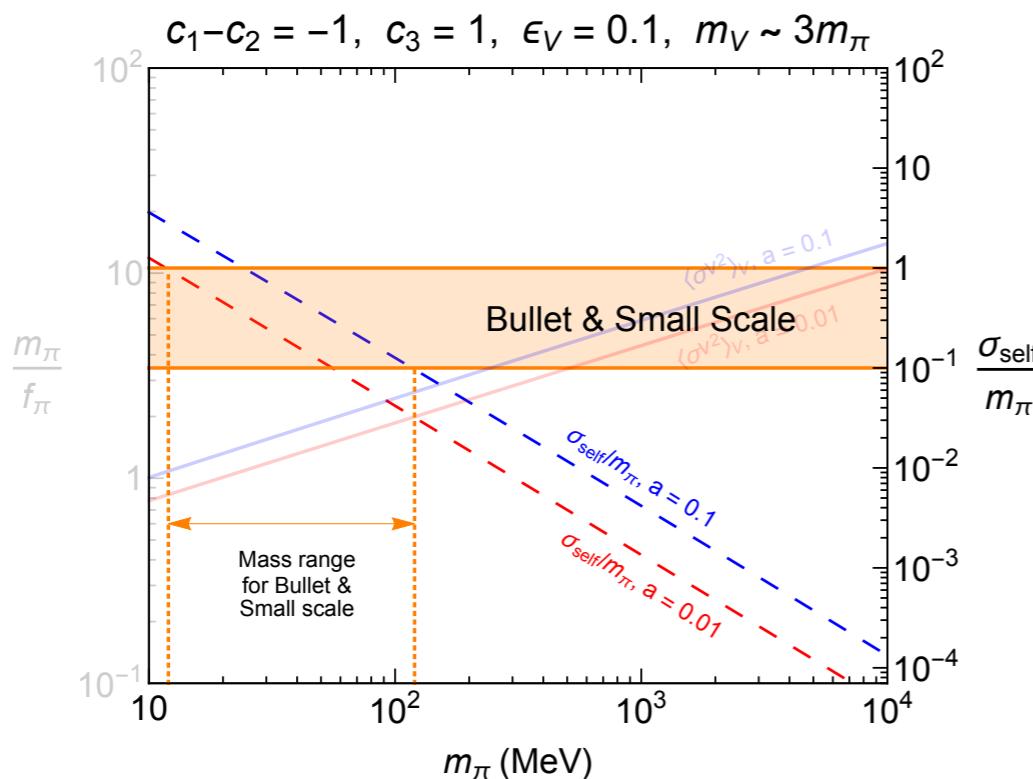
- Large effects appear on resonance ( 3-pion resonance :  $(m_V = 3m_\pi\sqrt{1 + \epsilon_V})$  )
- Expansion parameter ( $m_\pi/f_\pi$ ) can be smaller by vector meson mediated diagrams.



$$\text{Feynman diagram: } \pi \rightarrow \pi \rightarrow \pi \rightarrow \pi \text{ (via } V_\mu \text{ loop)}$$

$$\propto \left( \frac{m_\pi}{f_\pi} \right)^{10} \frac{(c_1 - c_2)^2}{(s - m_V^2)^2 + m_V^2 \Gamma_V^2}$$

$$\& \quad s \sim \left( 3m_\pi + \frac{1}{2}m_\pi(v_1^2 + v_2^2 + v_3^2) \right)^2 \text{ @ COM frame}$$

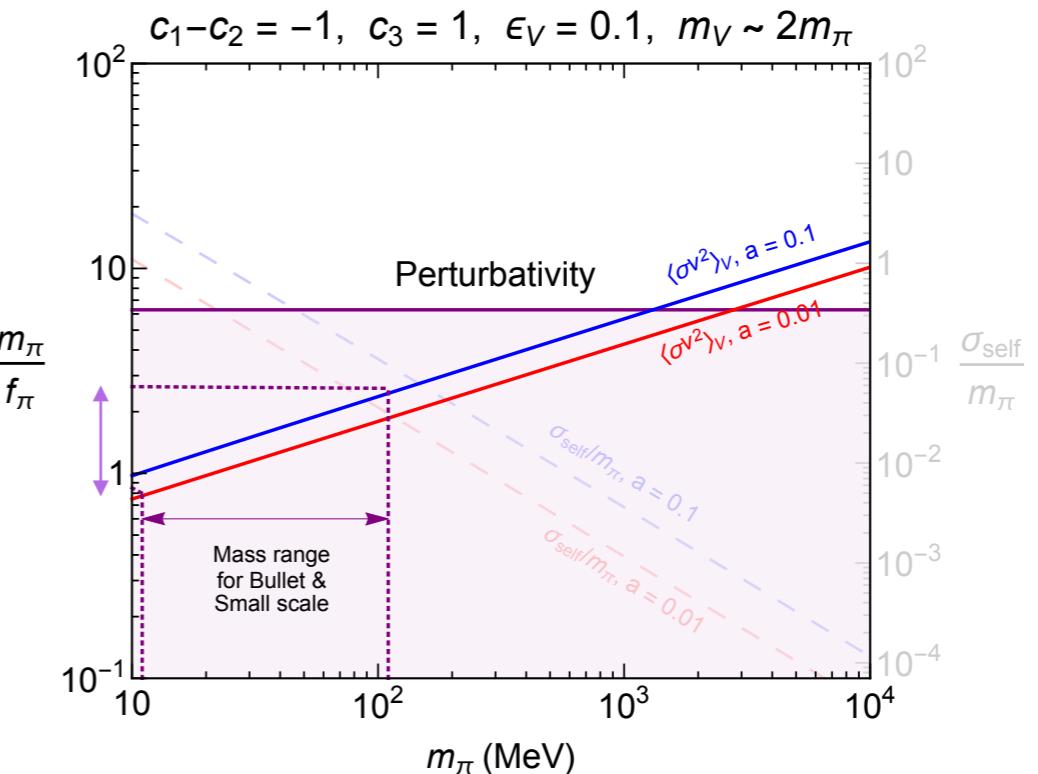
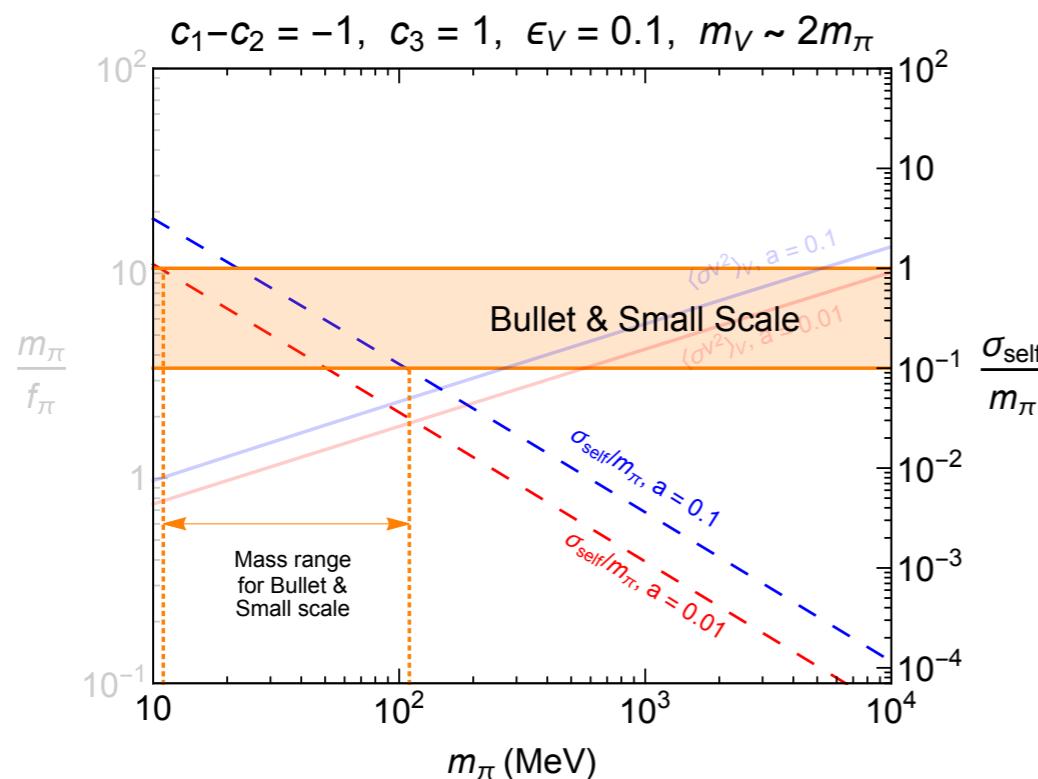
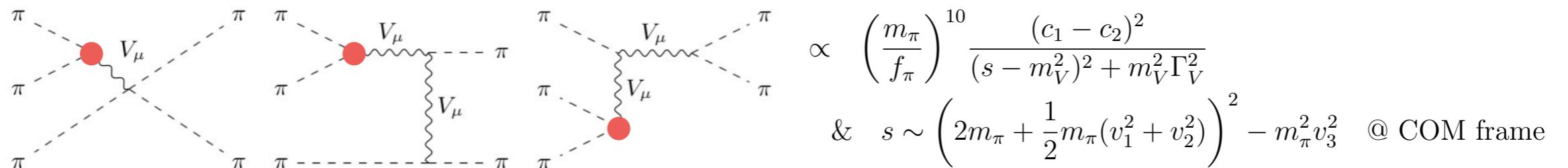


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# Dark Pion with Vector Mesons

- Large effects appear on resonance ( 2-pion resonance :  $(m_V = 2m_\pi\sqrt{1 + \epsilon_V})$  )
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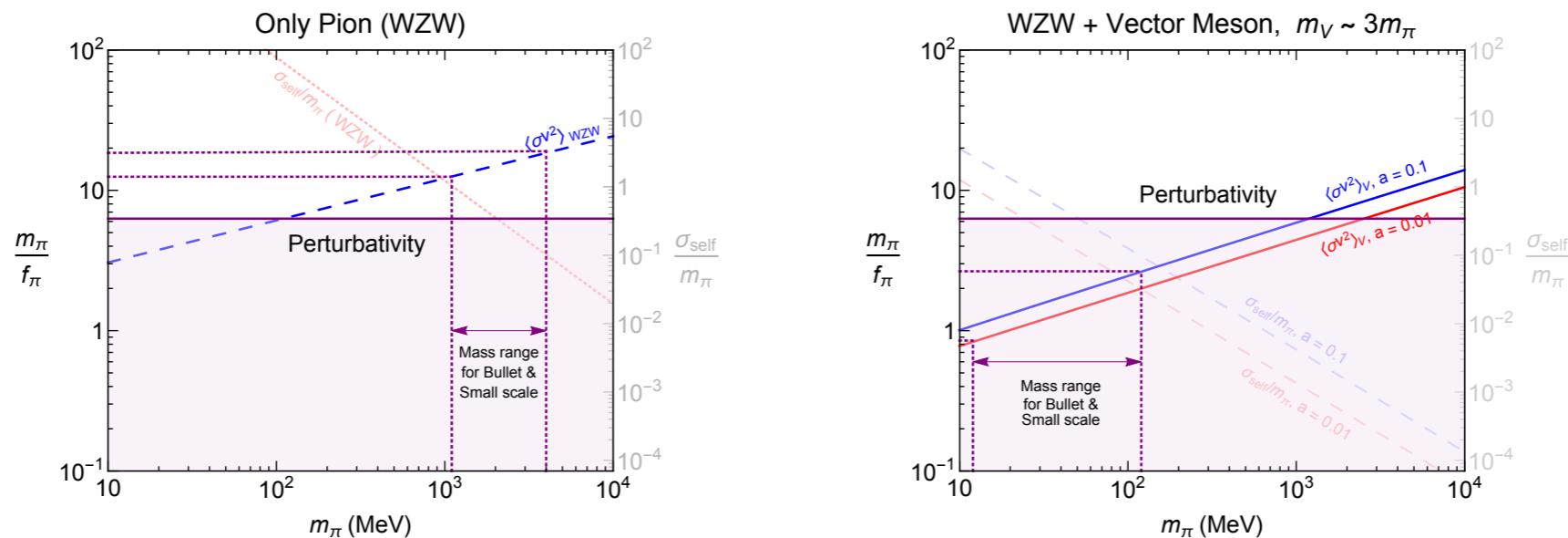


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# Conclusions

- We have considered a SIMP scenario of dark pions which are the pseudo-Goldstones from dark flavor symmetry and strongly coupled from dark QCD interactions.
- Including vector mesons in the hidden gauge symmetry, we showed that the perturbativity problem of SIMP scenarios in dark ChPT can be alleviated.



- Resonance masses of dark vector mesons can be searched through the kinetic mixing via dark photon.
- More general cases with non-degenerate pion masses and kinetic equilibrium conditions with dark sigma field or dark photon are in progress.

# Back-up $\left( m_V = 2(3)m_\pi\sqrt{1 + \epsilon_V} \right)$

