

# J-factor estimation of Draco, Sculptor, and Ursa Minor dwarf spheroidal galaxies with the member/foreground mixture model

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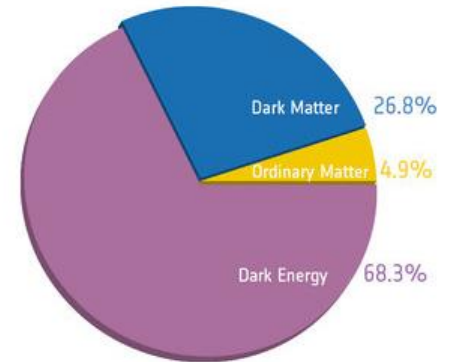
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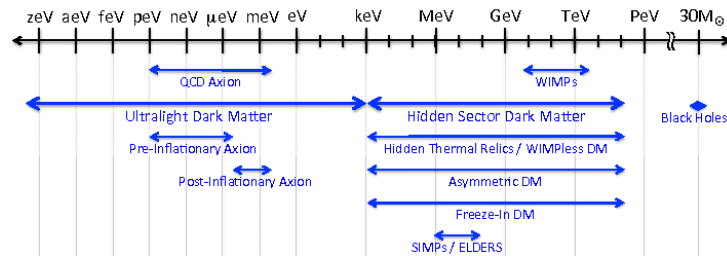
# Indirect detection of WIMP dark matter

- Dark matter (DM)
  - $\Omega_{DM} = 0.258$  (Planck 2015)



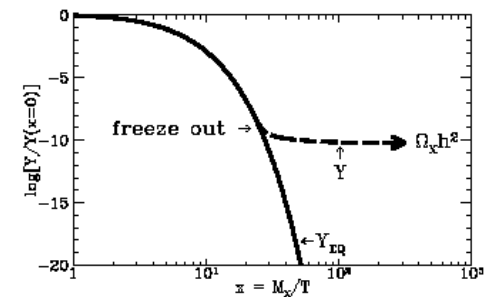
## • What is the DM?

- PBH
- Axion
- Sterile neutrino



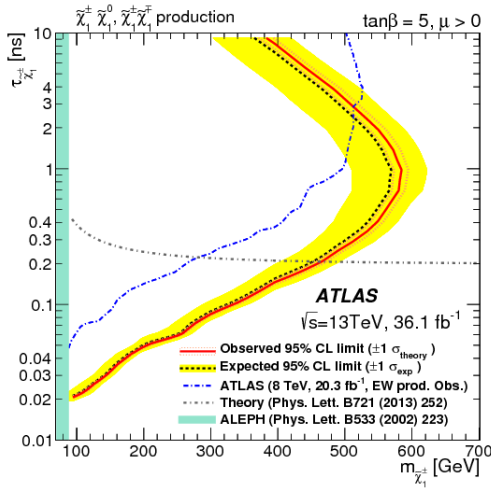
## • WIMP (Weakly Interacting Massive Particle)

- colorless, neutral
- $\Omega_{DM}$  naturally achieved by the *freeze out* mechanism
- **Some BSM predict WIMP DM**
  - e.g. wino with its mass  $M_{wino} \sim \text{TeV}$  (SUSY)

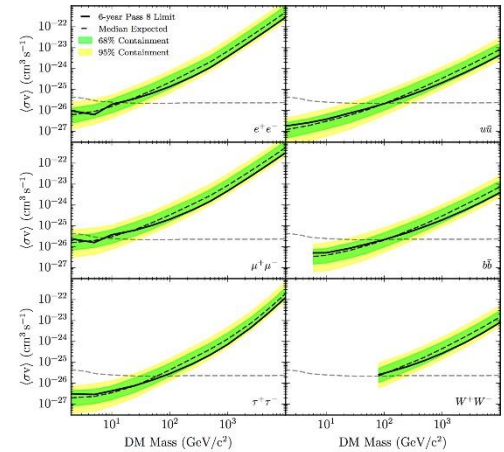
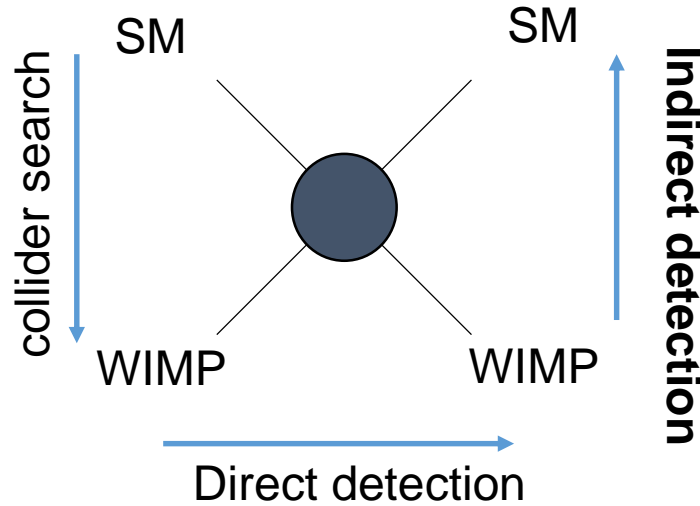


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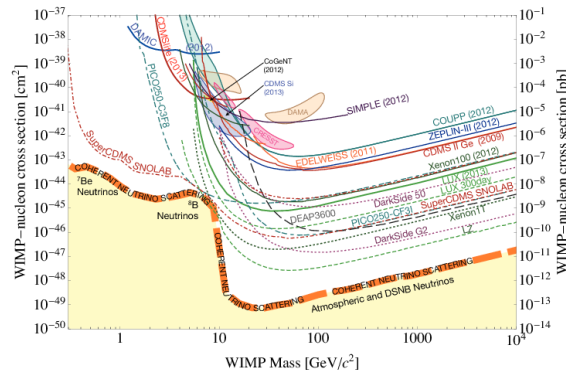
- How to detect WIMP



arXiv:[1712.02118]



arXiv:[1310.0828]  
 Sensitivity line of Fermi-LAT



arXiv:[1410.4960]

# J-factor estimation of dSphs

- Indirect detection

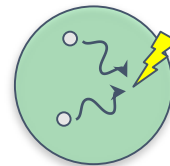
- Observing DM rich targets to find DM annihilation signal
- To calculate the sensitivity, we must estimate the amount of signal flux
- Annihilation signal flux  $\Phi(E, \Delta\Omega)$  is proportional to a “**J-factor**”:

$$\Phi(E, \Delta\Omega) = \underbrace{\left[ \frac{\langle\sigma v\rangle}{8\pi m_{\text{DM}}^2} \sum_f b_f \left( \frac{dN_\gamma}{dE} \right)_f \right]}_{\text{particle physics factor}} \times \underbrace{\left[ \int_{\Delta\Omega} d\Omega \int_{l.o.s} dl \rho^2(l, \Omega) \right]}_{\text{astrophysical factor}(\equiv J)}$$

- Targets:

- Galactic center
- Center of galaxies
- Dwarf spheroidal galaxies
- DM halo

dark matter



signal flux (gamma-ray etc.)

...Which astrophysical object has a large  $J$ -factor?

# J-factor estimation of dSphs

- **Dwarf Spheroidal galaxy (dSph):**

- close to the earth
- DM rich
- without gamma-ray noise

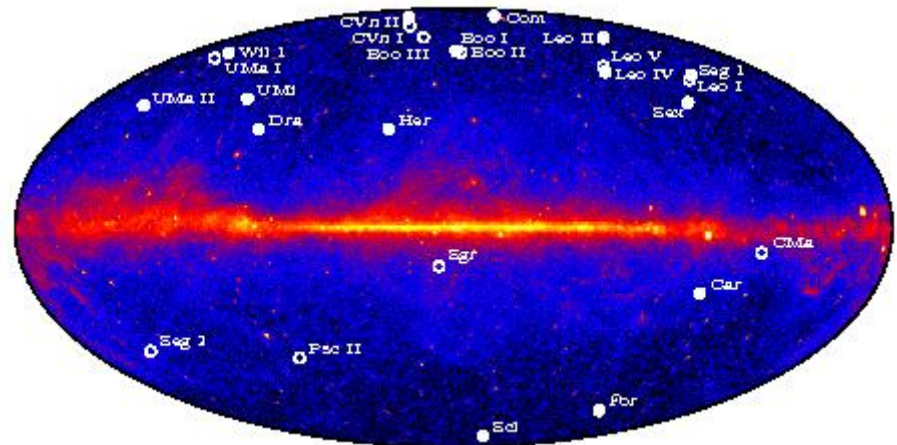
## Two class of dSph:

- **Classical dSph**

- Discovered before 2005
- Bright

- **Ultrafaint dSph**

- Discovered after 2005
- Faint



Many dSphs (about 20 or 30) have been observed.

Some of them are reported to have large J-factors.

... How can we know their J-factors or DM distributions?

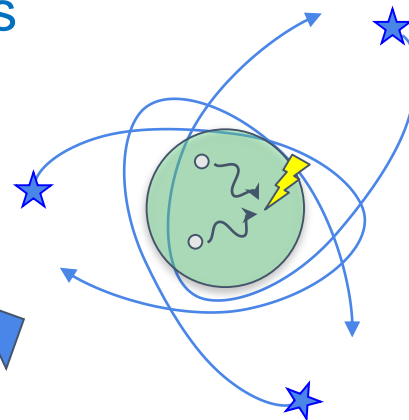
# J-factor estimation of dSphs

- The **J-factor** of a dSph is estimated by observing the velocity dispersion curve of dSph **member stars** by spectroscopic telescopes.

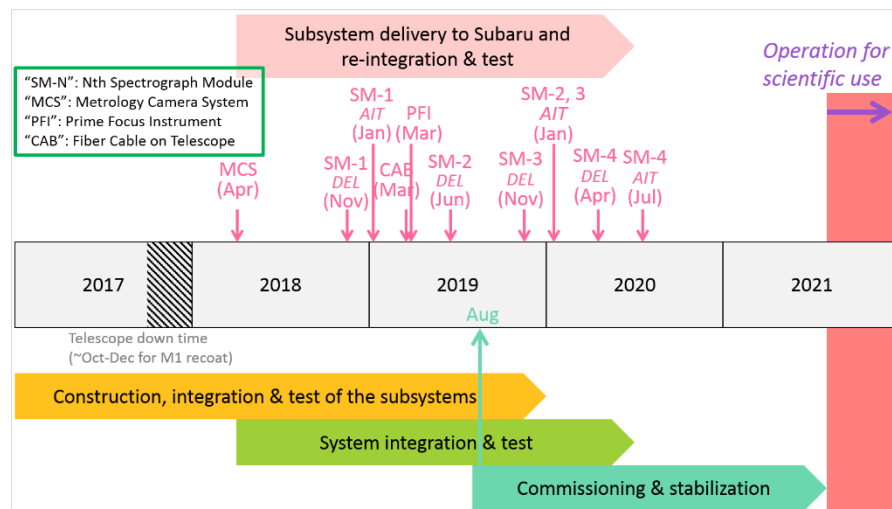
- e.g. Prime Focus Spectrograph (PFS):

- Large FoV! (~1.3 deg)
- 2400 fibers!

→ We will observe all the dSph stars simultaneously.



PFS



# Uncertainty of J-factor: foreground effect

- (Spherical) Jeans equation: Kinematics of dSph

$$\frac{1}{\nu_*(r)} \frac{\partial(\nu_*(r)\sigma_r^2(r))}{\partial r} + \frac{2\beta(r)\sigma_r^2(r)}{r} = -\frac{GM_{\text{DM}}(r)}{r^2}$$

(stellar distribution & velocity dispersion) ~ (inner dark matter mass)

This Jeans analysis has some biases:

- Anisotropy modelling (Some works assume  $\beta(r) = \text{const.}$  for simplicity)
- Non-sphericity (dwarf *spheroidal* galaxy) ← Hayashi+(2016)
- Prior bias (few stars to determine DM distribution sufficiently)
- **Foreground (FG) contamination** ← Walker+(2009), Bonnavard+(2015) and our works: Ichikawa+(2017, 2018), Shunichi+(in prep.)

We should take care of these assumptions or uncertainty.

In particular, **FG contamination** is important even for future observations yielding a large amount of stellar velocity data.

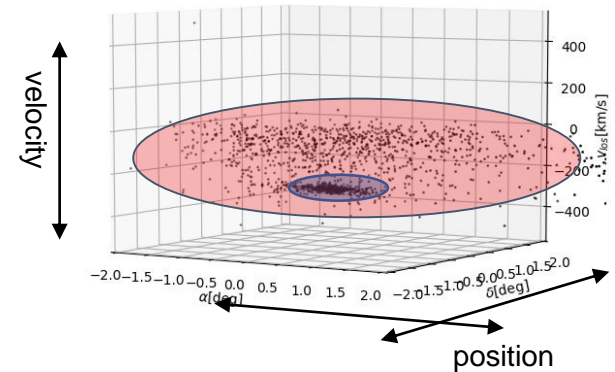
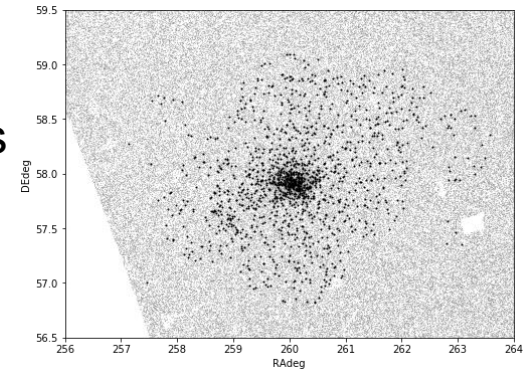
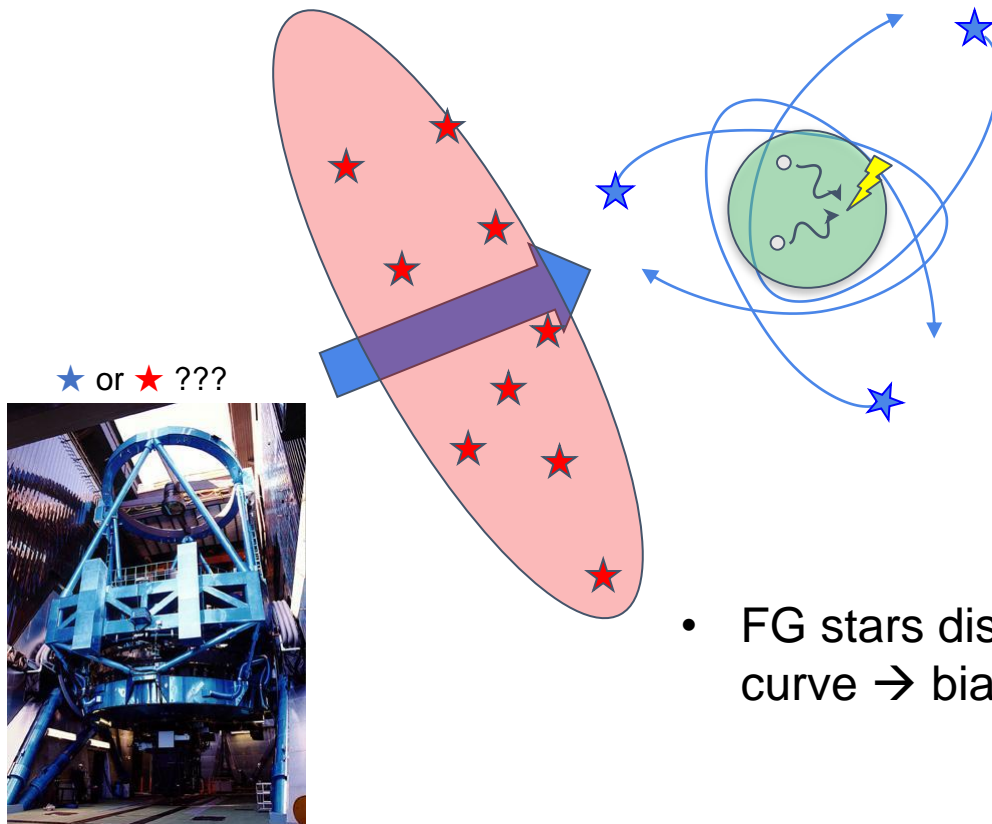
So, what is the **FG contamination**?



# Uncertainty of $J$ -factor: foreground effect

## • Foreground contamination

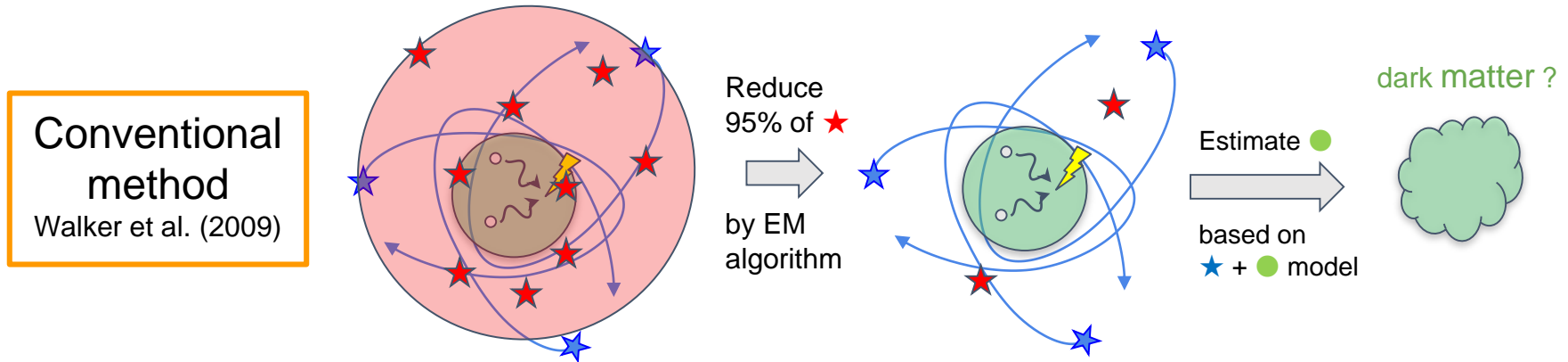
- Observed data are contaminated by Milky Way stars
- We cannot distinguish member stars from FG stars



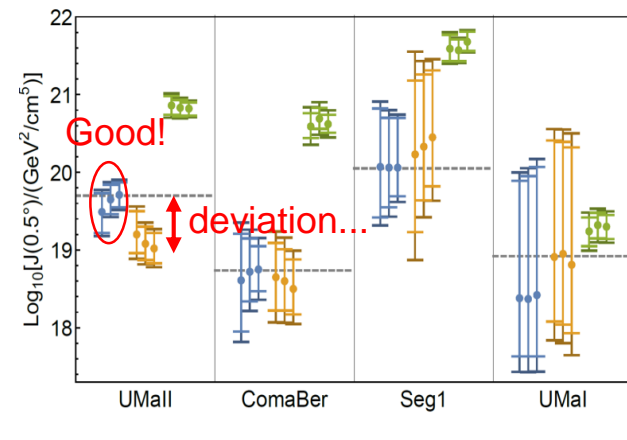
- FG stars distort the velocity dispersion curve  $\rightarrow$  biased  $J$ -factors

# Uncertainty of J-factor: foreground effect

- conventional method to remove FG stars



- In a **conventional analysis**, foreground stars are removed based on *membership probabilities*  $P_M$ , calculated by the expectation-maximization (EM) algorithm.
  - e.g. selecting the stars with  $P_M > 0.95$  (95% member-like stars)
- However, even if we try to remove FG-like stars, some FG stars remain  $\rightarrow$  biased  $J$ -factors
- However, our **mixture model** works well!!!



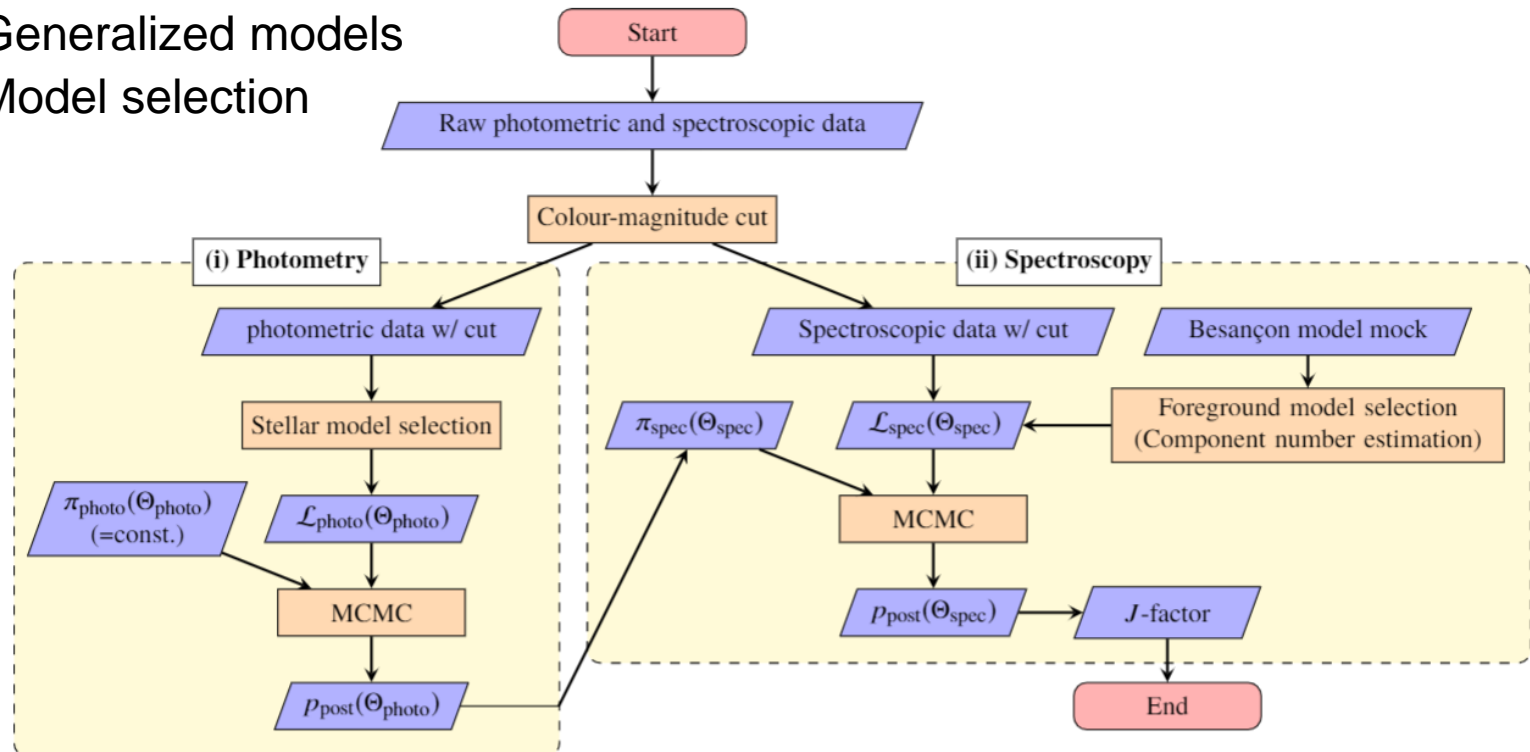
arXiv: [1709.05481]

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## • Feature:

- Using photometric and spectroscopic data
- Separated into two parts
- Generalized models
- Model selection



# Our Analysis: Member/Foreground model

## • Likelihoods :

$$\Theta_{\text{tot}} = \Theta_{\text{photo}} + \Theta_{\text{spec}}$$

## 1. Photometric part

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{photo}}(\Theta_{\text{photo}} | D_{\text{photo}}) = s \Sigma_{\text{Mem}}(R) + (1 - s) \Sigma_{\text{FG}}$$

- $\Sigma$  : stellar number density
- $s$ : total contamination rate
- $\Theta_{\text{photo}}$ : parameters (local contamination rate & half-light-radius)

→ determine the contamination rate in advance (obtain a prior  $\pi(\Theta_{\text{photo}})$ )

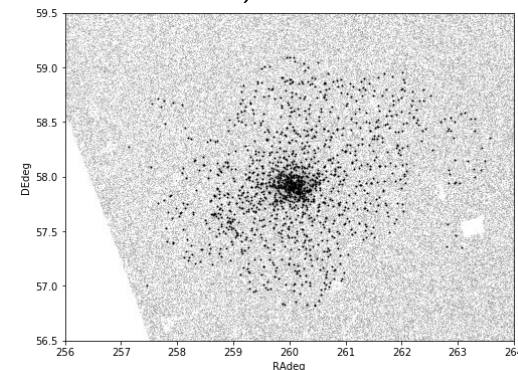
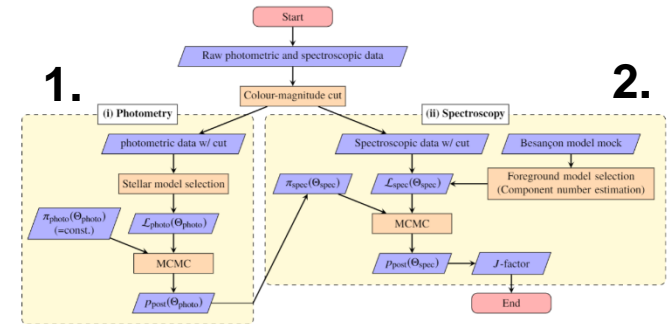
## 2. Spectroscopic part

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{spec}}(\Theta_{\text{tot}} | D_{\text{spec}}) = \prod_i \left( s \mathcal{G}_{\text{mem}}(v_i; v_{\text{mem}}, \sigma_{\text{l.o.s.}}(R_i)) + (1 - s) \prod_c \mathcal{G}_{\text{FG}}(v_i; v_c, \sigma_c) \right) \times \pi(\Theta_{\text{photo}})$$

- $\mathcal{G}$  : Gaussian function:

- Estimate the posterior probability of all parameters by using a MCMC sampler (*emcee*)

→ posterior of J-factor!



# Our Analysis: Member/Foreground model

## • Models:

- **DM profile:** Generalized NFW profile

$$\rho_{\text{DM}}(r) = \rho_s (r/r_s)^{-\gamma} \left( 1 + (r/r_s)^{\frac{-\beta+\gamma}{\alpha}} \right)^\alpha$$

- $\gamma$  : power of inner region (core ( $\gamma = 0$ ) vs. cusp ( $\gamma > 0$ ))

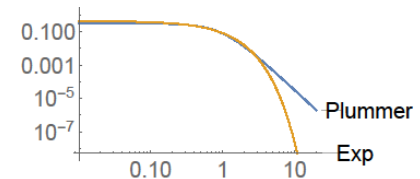
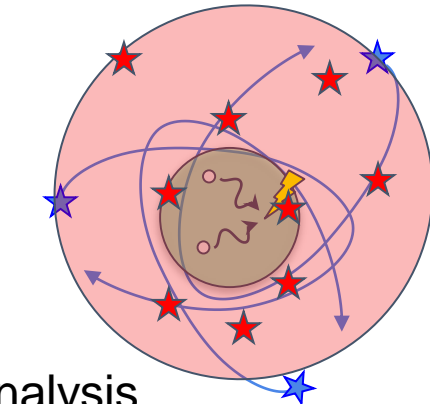
- **Stellar profile:** Plummer or exponential profile & Jeans analysis

Jeans analysis and line-of-sight projection,

$$\sigma_r^2(r) = \frac{1}{\nu_*(r)} \int_r^\infty dr' \nu_*(r') \left( \frac{r'}{r} \right)^{2\beta_{\text{ani}}} \frac{GM(r')}{r'^2}$$

$$\sigma_{l.o.s}^2(R) = \frac{1}{\Sigma_*(R)} \int_R^\infty \frac{dr}{\sqrt{1 - R^2/r^2}} \left( 1 - \beta_{\text{ani}} \frac{R^2}{r^2} \right) \nu_*(r) \sigma_r^2(r)$$

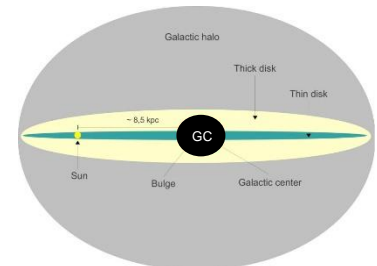
$\nu_*(r)$ ,  $\Sigma_*(R)$ : number density (3D, 2D)



- **Foreground profile:** up to 3-components (thin disk, thick disk, halo)

- Gaussian mixture model (GMM)

$$p_{\text{FG}}(v|R) = \sum_{i \in \text{thin, thick, halo}} s_i \mathcal{G}[v, \bar{v}_{\text{FG},i}, \sigma_{\text{FG},i}]$$



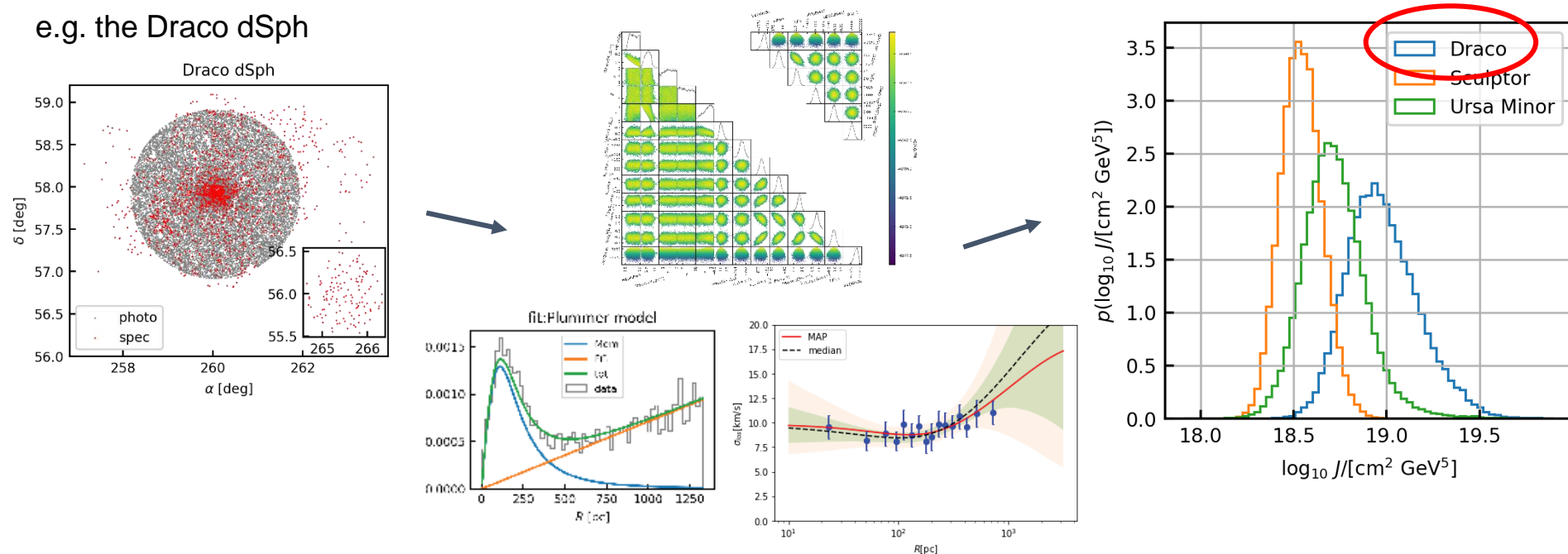
We select suitable models based on their Bayes factor.

# Our Analysis: Member/Foreground model

## • Results: J-factor of Draco, Sculptor, and Ursa Minor dSphs (preliminary, arXiv:1911:XXXX...)

- Estimate the J-factors of hopeful dSphs: Draco, Sculptor, Ursa Minor
- Data set: **photometry** & **spectroscopy**
  - Draco: **SDSS** & **MMT/Hectochelle**
  - Sculptor: **DES** & **MMFS**
  - Ursa Minor: **Pan-STARRS** & **MMT/Hectochelle**

e.g. the Draco dSph



# Summary

- dSphs are good targets of the indirect detection of DM.
- The sensitivity of the indirect detection has an uncertainty due to the foreground contamination of the J-factor estimation.
- We present the Member/Foreground mixture model to calculate accurate J-factors. Our method can work even for the case of highly-contaminated dSphs.
- Using the Member/Foreground mixture model, we obtain the J-factors of the Draco, Sculptor, and Ursa Minor dSphs.
- Future work:
  - J-factors of other dSphs, the J-factor table of all dSphs
  - other systematic uncertainties (e.g. non-sphericity, anisotropy, etc.)

감사합니다!



# Back Up

# Model selection

- We select suitable models (Plummer or exp., how many FG components) based on their **Bayes Factor**:

$$\text{BF} = \frac{\mathcal{E}_1}{\mathcal{E}_0} \quad \text{Evidence: } \mathcal{E} = \int d\Theta \mathcal{L}(\Theta)\pi(\Theta)$$

- **BIC**  $\sim -\ln(\mathcal{E})$

$$\text{BIC} = -\ln \mathcal{L}(\hat{\Theta}) + \frac{d}{2} \ln(\#\text{sample})$$

$\hat{\Theta}$ : Maximum likelihood

- **WBIC**  $\sim -\ln(\mathcal{E})$

$$\text{WBIC} = \frac{\int d\Theta \ln(\mathcal{L}(\Theta)) \mathcal{L}(\Theta)^\beta \pi(\Theta)}{\int d\Theta \mathcal{L}(\Theta)^\beta \pi(\Theta)}$$

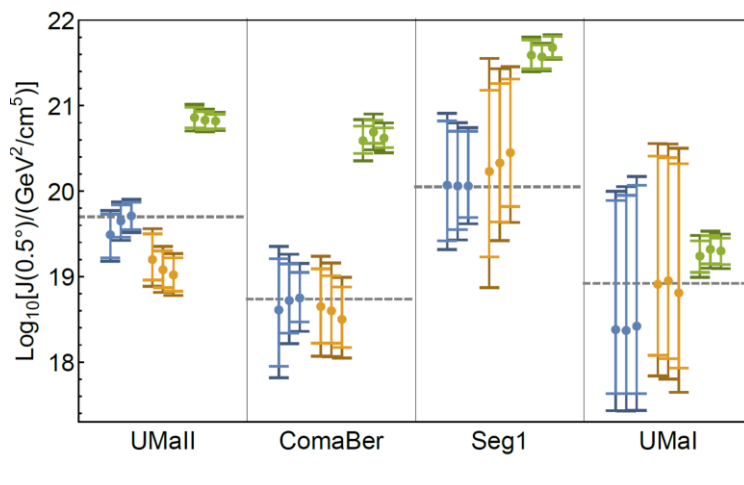
$$\beta = 1/\log(\#\text{sample})$$

- WBIC can be easily evaluated by a MCMC sampling
- Even for the case of multimodal likelihoods (cf. GMM), WBIC gives a good approximation of the statistical evidence

# Our Analysis: Member/Foreground model

## • Demonstration

- We create mock observational data of the Prime Focus Spectrograph and verify that our analysis works well (arXiv: [1608.01749] & [1709.05481])



i-band magnitude = 21.0, 21.5, 22.0

Blue: ours (Member/FG model)

Orange: 95% filtering (5% contaminated)

Green: no filtering (100% contaminated)

▪ : median                      I : 68% quantile

- - - - : True value (input of mock)

- **Filtering procedure (5% contaminated):**

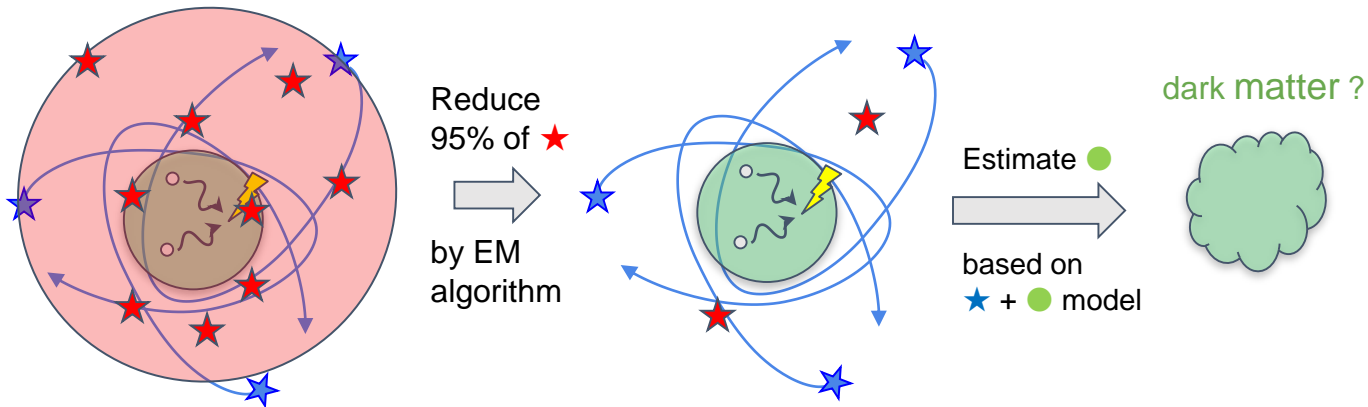
- UMal-like dSph: estimated J-factor deviates from the true value ( $\sim 1\sigma$ )
- Median of Estimated J-factor does not converged into the true value even for the larger (deeper) spectroscopic data set

- **Our analysis:** works well for all dSphs

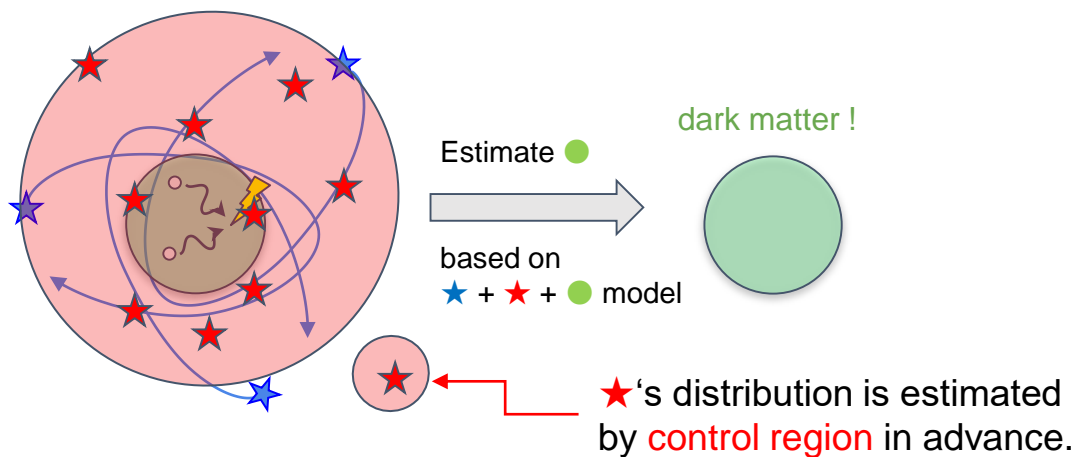
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## • Overview: Conventional vs. Ours

**Conventional method**  
Walker et al. (2009)



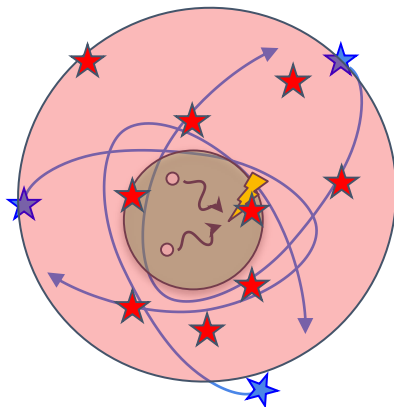
**KI17 (Mem/FG)**  
Ichikawa et. al. (2017)



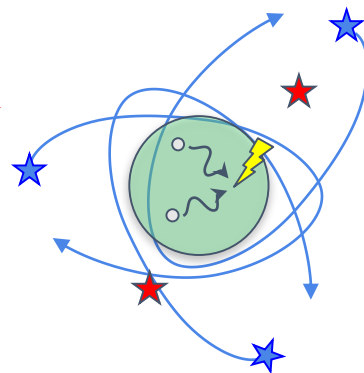
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Reduce 95% of ★  
by EM algorithm

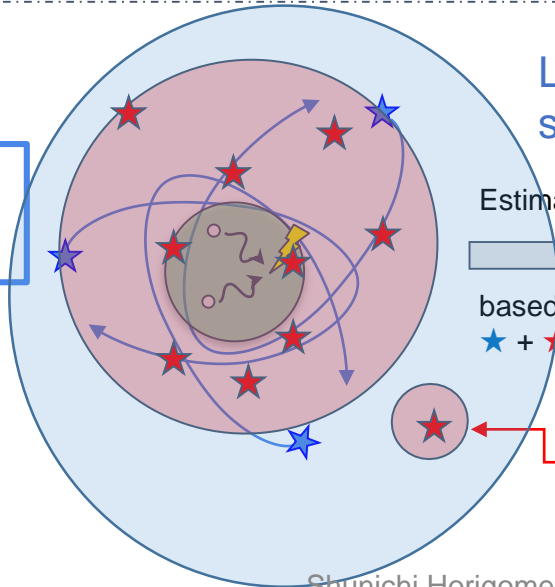


Estimate ●  
based on  
★ + ● model

dark matter ?



**KI17 (Mem/FG)**  
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Large FoV of PFS allows us to observe the signal and control regions simultaneously

dark matter !

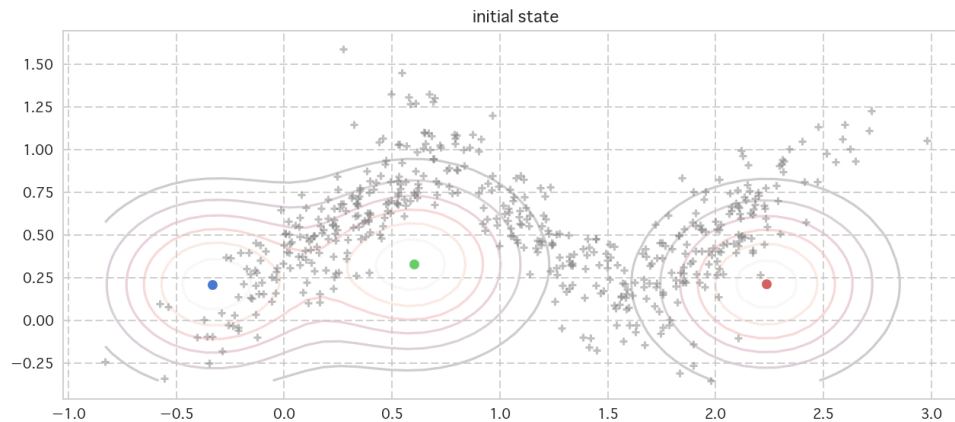
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★'s distribution is estimated by **control region** in advance.

# Expectation-Maximization algorithm

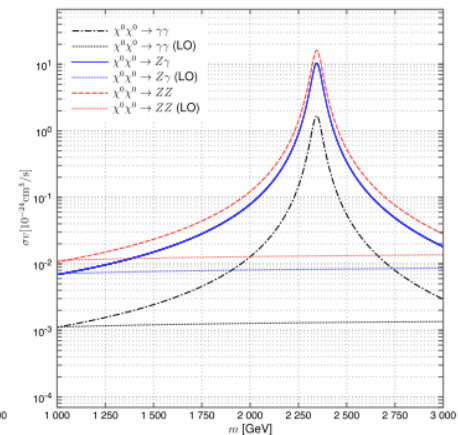
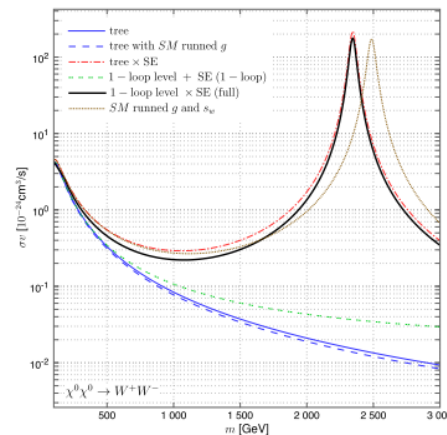
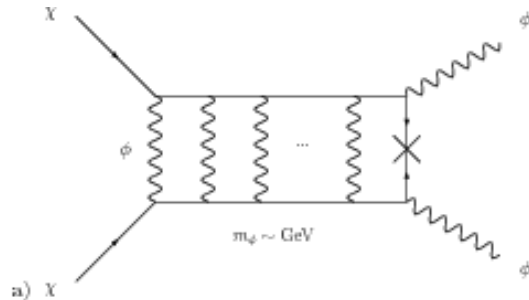
- One of the methods to find maximum of likelihood function with unknown latent observables; membership
- Assumption: “Each observed star belongs to either member or FG.”
- EM algorithm can find the maximum of likelihood and probability density functions of the latent observables (membership probability) at the same time.



e.g. Fitting of 2D three Gaussian distribution

# Sommerfeld effect

- Thermally averaged cross section  $\langle\sigma v\rangle$  can be enhanced thanks to the **Sommerfeld effect**:
  - non-perturbative effect of nonrelativistic scattering of heavy particles
  - Light particles behave like a long-range force



## $\sigma_{los}(R)$ from $M(r)$

- Solve Jeans equation:

$$\frac{1}{\nu_*(r)} \frac{\partial(\nu_*(r)\sigma_r^2(r))}{\partial r} + \frac{2\beta_{\text{ani}}\sigma_r^2(r)}{r} = -\frac{GM_{\text{DM}}(r)}{r^2}$$

$$\rightarrow \nu_*(r)\sigma_r^2(r) = \int_r^\infty dr' \nu_*(r') \left(\frac{r'}{r}\right)^{2\beta_{\text{ani}}} \frac{GM(r')}{r'^2}$$

- Line-of-sight projection:

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$$\beta_{\text{ani}} = 1 - \frac{\sigma_\theta^2 + \sigma_\phi^2}{2\sigma_r^2}$$



# Detectors

- Gamma-ray telescopes:
  - Fermi-LAT
  - HESS
  - VERITAS
  - MAGIC
  - ...
- Cosmic ray observatory:
  - AMS-02
  - PAMERA
  - ...

# Comparison to other works

- The fluctuation of the J-factors by several works
  - In particular, Draco and Ursa Minor
    - We found that the contamination rates of these two dSphs are relatively higher than that of the Sculptor dSph
      - It suggests the importance of Member/FG model

