# Primordial black hole dark matter

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# Primordial black holes

Zeldovich and Novikov 1967, Hawking1971, Hawking & Carr 1974, etc...

Bounds on their abundance. DM?
 Formation. How and when?

















https://github.com/bradkav/PBHbounds

Green, Kavanagh 2007.10722 (v3 December 2020)

$$f(M) = \delta(M - M_{\text{PBH}}) \qquad Mf(M) = \frac{f_{\text{PBH}}}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma^2}} \exp\left[-\frac{\log^2\left(\frac{M}{M_c}\right)}{2\sigma^2}\right]$$



Carr, Kohri, Sendouda, Yokoyama 2002.12778 (v2 May 2021) (by Raidal, Vaskonen, Veermäe. See also 1705.05567)

#### Evaporation

$$T = \frac{\hbar c^2}{8\pi G k_B M} = 6 \times 10^{-8} \frac{M_{\odot}}{M} K$$

Bound for  $M \lesssim 10^{17} g \simeq 5 \times 10^{-17} M_{\odot}$ 



Ballesteros, Coronado-Blázquez, Gaggero. 1906.10113



Green, Kavanagh 2007.10722 (December 2020)

### Microlensing



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Eros, OGLE: Galactic Bulge and Magellanic Clouds. Subaru HSC: M31 (finite source and wave optics effects) For  $M \sim 10^{-10} M_{\odot}$ ,  $r_s \sim \lambda$ 



Green, Kavanagh 2007.10722 (December 2020), edited.

GWs



Green, Kavanagh 2007.10722 (December 2020)

- February 2016. LIGO announces GW150914. BHs of ~30 Solar masses
- Did LIGO detect (THE) dark matter? (Bird et al 2016. Clesse and García-Bellido 2016)
- Most likely NO
- Two mechanisms to form PBHs binaries:
  - Late Universe (in halos)

Early Universe (before matter radiation equality). Nakamura et al 1997

• MAX 0.1% - 1% of the DM in the range 1-100 Solar Masses



Merge today. Observable by LIGO-Virgo if  $M \sim 10 M_{\odot}$ 

Form during radiation domination

#### The popularity of invisibles according to

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#### Accretion & Dynamical bounds



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Figure from Katz et al. 1807.11495 (modified)

See also Montero-Camacho et al. Smyth et al. 1906.05950 1910.01285

#### **Primordial black hole formation**

#### Inflation:

- Origin of CMB temperature fluctuations  $\gamma$
- Seeds of large scale structure



Image Credit: European Space Agency, Planck Collaboration

small primordial fluctuations



Image Credit: M Blanton and SDSS







Adapted from Liddle and Leach, 2003

## Individual masses

$$M \sim \frac{4}{3} \pi \,\rho \, H^{-3}$$

$$M \sim 10^{-14} \left(\frac{10^{13} \,\mathrm{Mpc}^{-1}}{k}\right)^2 M_{\odot}$$

$$N_e \simeq 18 - \frac{1}{2} \log \frac{M}{M_{\odot}}$$

#### PBH abundance (assuming Gaussianity)



$$f_{\rm PBH} = \frac{\Omega_{\rm PBH}}{\Omega_{\rm DM}} \propto \int_{\delta_c}^{\infty} \exp\left(-\frac{\delta^2}{2\sigma^2}\right) d\delta$$

$$\sigma \sim \mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{R}} \sim 10^{-2} \Longrightarrow \frac{\Omega_{\rm PBH}}{\Omega_{\rm DM}} \sim 1$$

#### Inflation and primordial black holes as dark matter



$$\mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{R}} \sim \left(\frac{H}{m_P}\right)^2 \left(\frac{H}{\dot{\phi}}\right)^2 \sim \left(\frac{V}{m_P^2 V'}\right)^2 \frac{V}{m_P^4}$$



GB, Rey, Taoso, Urbano, 2020

$$GWs: \left(\frac{M_{\text{PBH}}}{10^{17} \text{ g}}\right)^{-1/2} \simeq \frac{k}{2 \cdot 10^{14} \text{ Mpc}^{-1}} \simeq \frac{f}{0.3 \text{ Hz}}$$

$$\kappa [Mpc^{-1}]$$

$$R_{\text{GW}} \sim \mathcal{P}_{h} \sim (\mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{R}})^{2}$$
e.g. LISA
$$\mathcal{O}_{\text{GW}} \sim \mathcal{P}_{h} \sim (\mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{R}})^{2}$$
Frequency  $f$  [Hz]

(NANOGRAV Sept 2020:  $10^{-8} \rm{Hz}$  )

GB, Rey, Taoso, Urbano, 2020

#### Comoving curvature perturbation $\mathcal{R}$ : from an EFT perspective



functions of time

## PBH DM

$$10^{-12} M_{\odot} - 10^{-16} M_{\odot}$$

Interesting directions:

1. How to test the above window?

2. Phenomenology of PBH formation

3. Implications for other BSM problems