

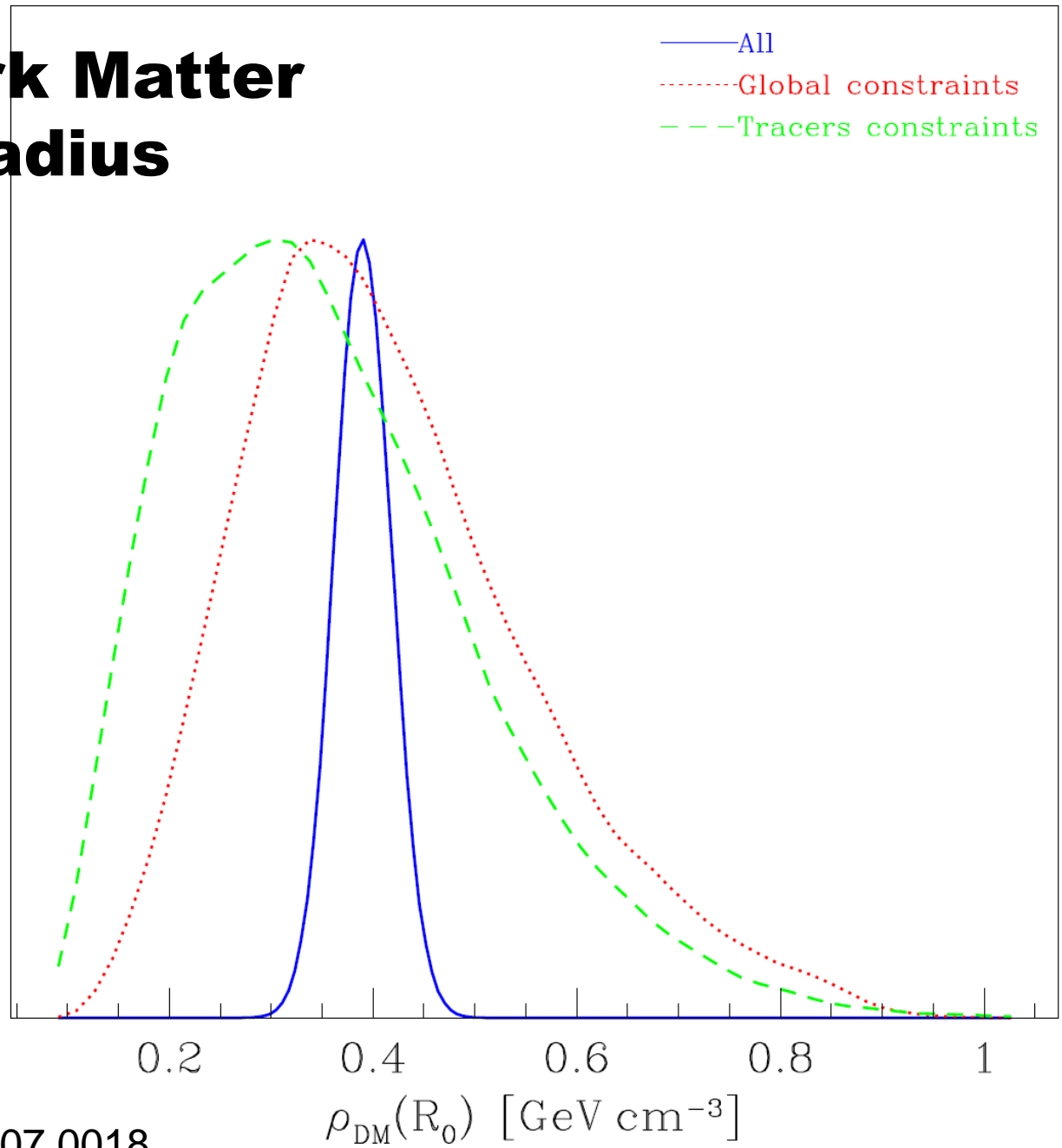
# **Velocity distribution of dark matter**

Malcolm Fairbairn

# Outline

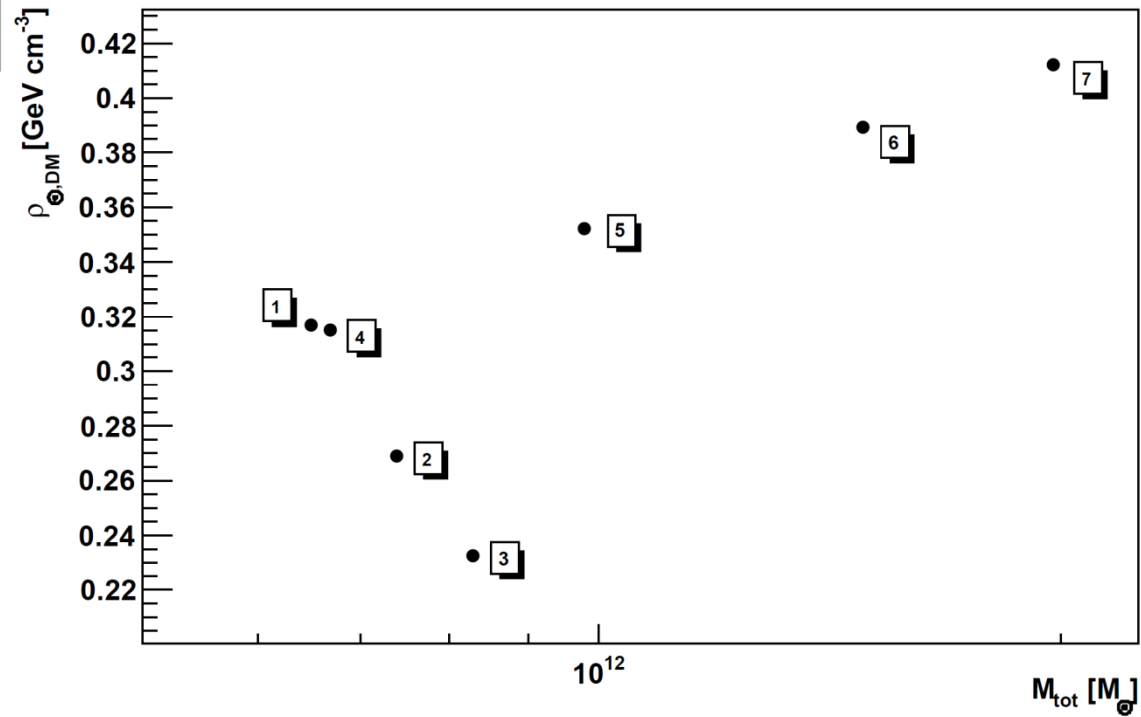
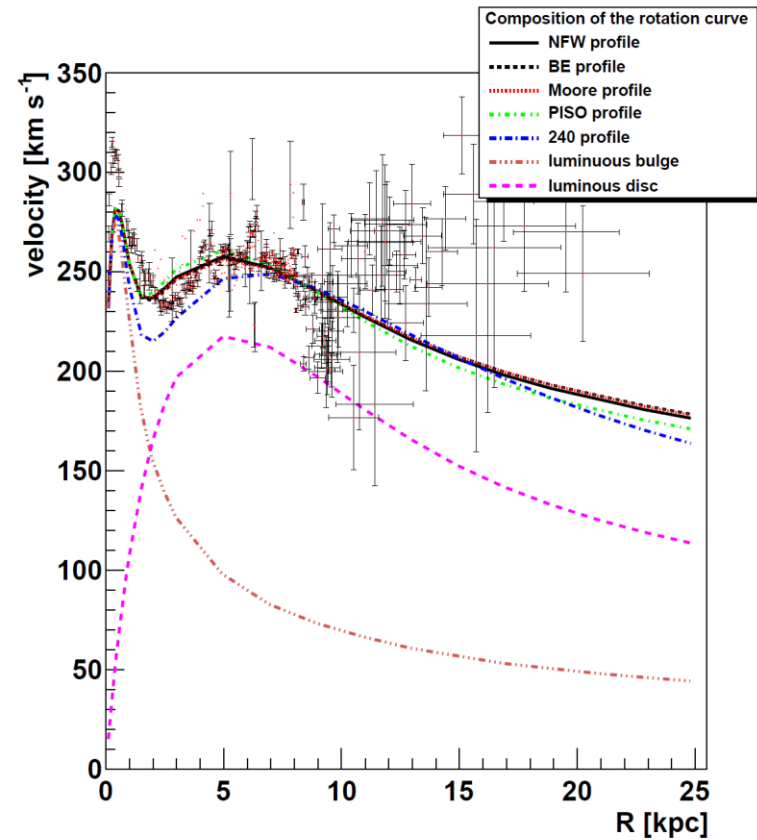
1. Dark matter density uncertainties
2. Dark matter anisotropy uncertainties
3. Is it smooth?
4. Is it Maxwellian?

# Density of Dark Matter at Solar Radius



Relatively under control?

# ...but is it really understood?



Weber and de Boer arXiv:0910.4272

# **Default halo model for dark matter direct detection**

1. Isothermal halo
2. Gaussian velocity distribution
3. Isotropic velocity distribution

**PROBABLY NONE OF THESE ARE TRUE !**

# So what?



# Direct detection of dark matter

Look for recoil of DM-nucleus scattering:

$$\chi + N \rightarrow \chi + N$$

cnts / kg-detector mass / keV recoil energy  $E_R$ :

$$\frac{dN}{dE_R}(t) = \frac{\rho_\chi}{m_\chi} \frac{\sigma(q)}{2\mu_\chi^2} \int_{v>v_{\min}} d^3v \frac{f_\oplus(\vec{v}, t)}{v}$$

$\rho_\chi$

DM energy density, default:  $0.3 \text{ GeV cm}^{-3}$

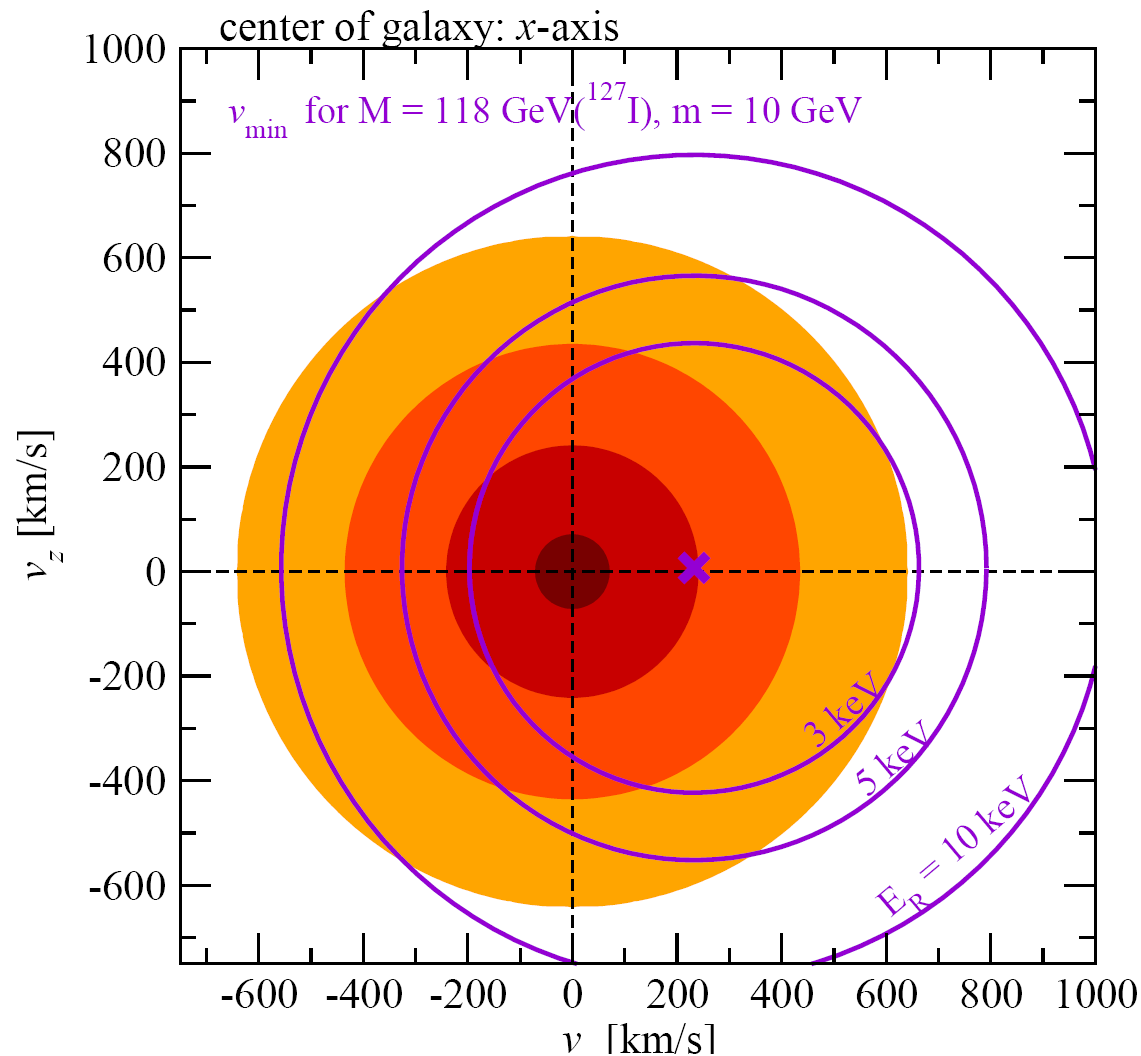
$q = \sqrt{2ME_R}$

momentum transfer

$\mu_\chi = m_\chi M / (m_\chi + M)$

reduced DM/nucleus mass

# Solar Orbit signal



$$\int_{v > v_{\min}} d^3v \frac{f_{\oplus}(\vec{v}, t)}{v}$$

$$v_{\min} = \sqrt{\frac{M E_R}{2\mu_{\chi}^2}}$$

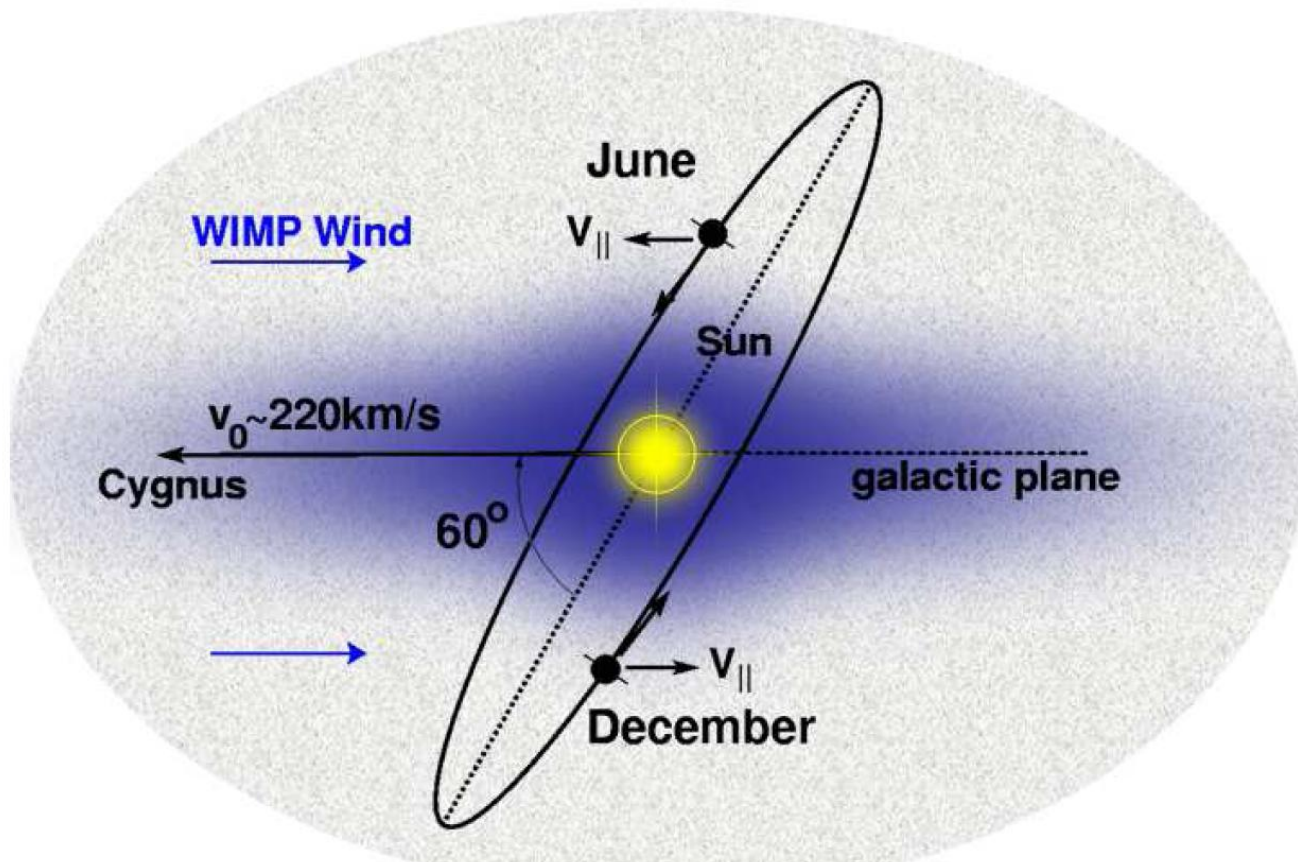


# Earth goes round Sun, Sun goes round Galaxy

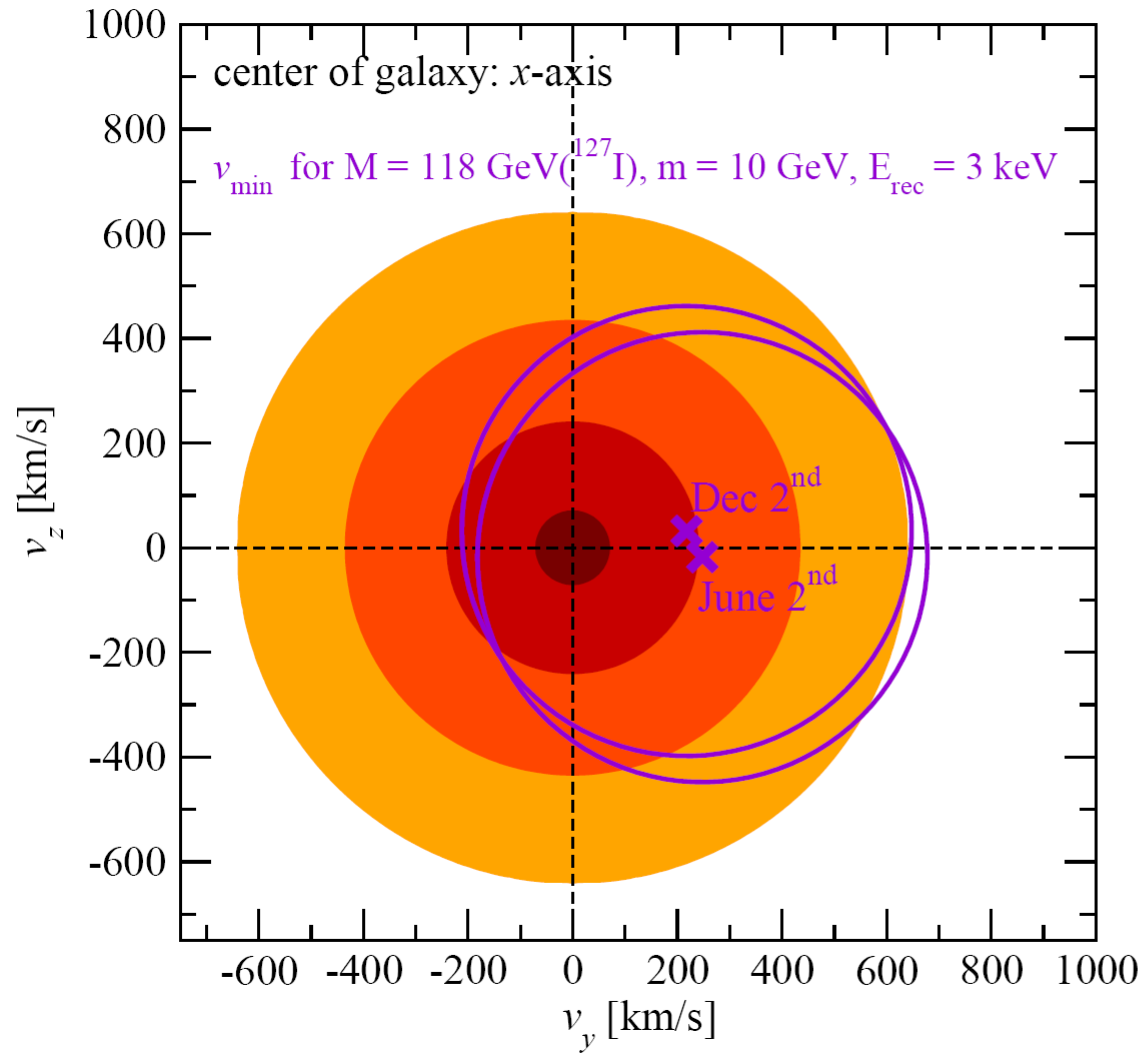
$$f_{\oplus}(\vec{v}, t) = f_{\text{gal}}(\vec{v} + \vec{v}_{\odot} + \vec{v}_{\oplus}(t))$$

sun velocity:  $\vec{v}_{\odot} = (0, 220, 0) + (10, 13, 7) \text{ km/s}$

earth velocity:  $\vec{v}_{\oplus}(t)$  with  $v_{\oplus} \approx 30 \text{ km/s}$

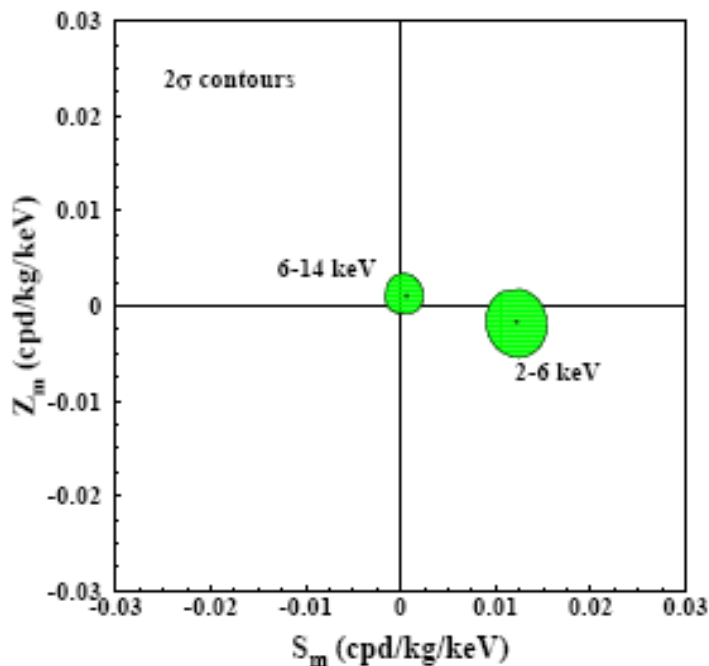
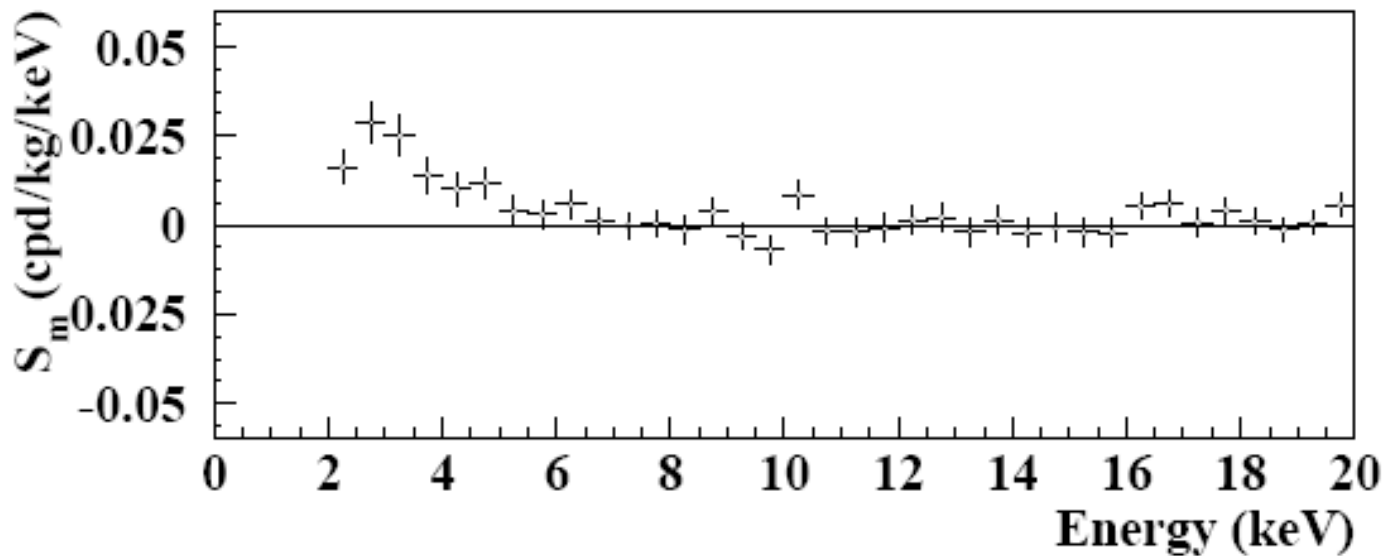


# Annual modulation signal



$$\int_{v > v_{\min}} d^3v \frac{f_{\oplus}(\vec{v}, t)}{v}$$

# DAMA/LIBRA results

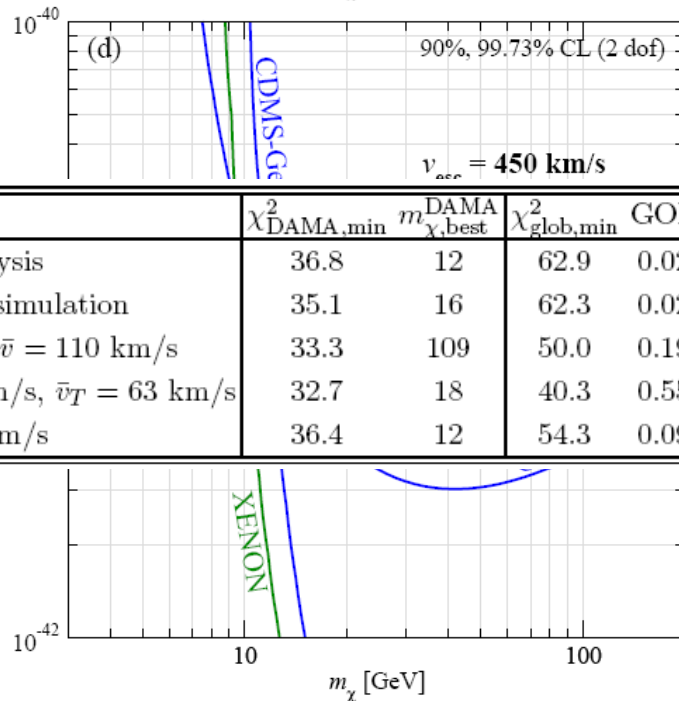
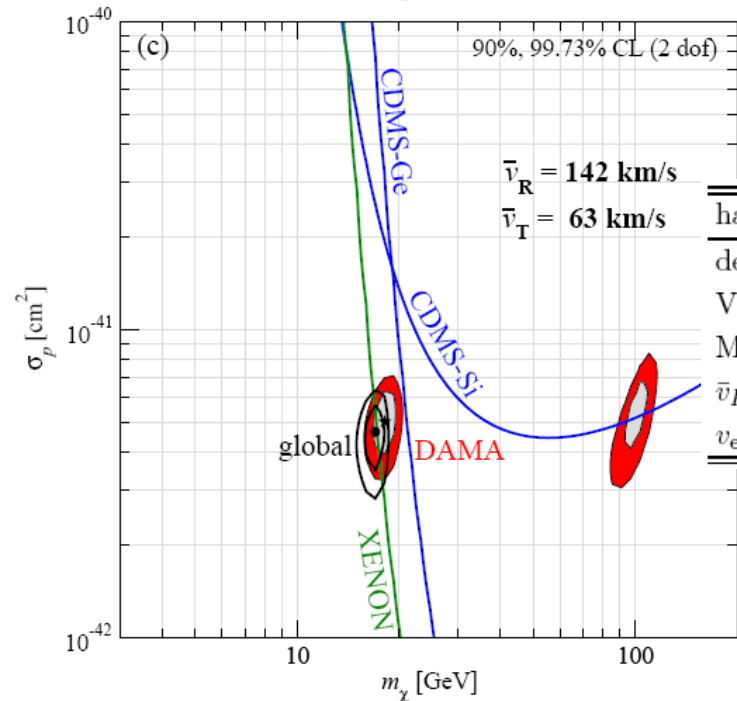
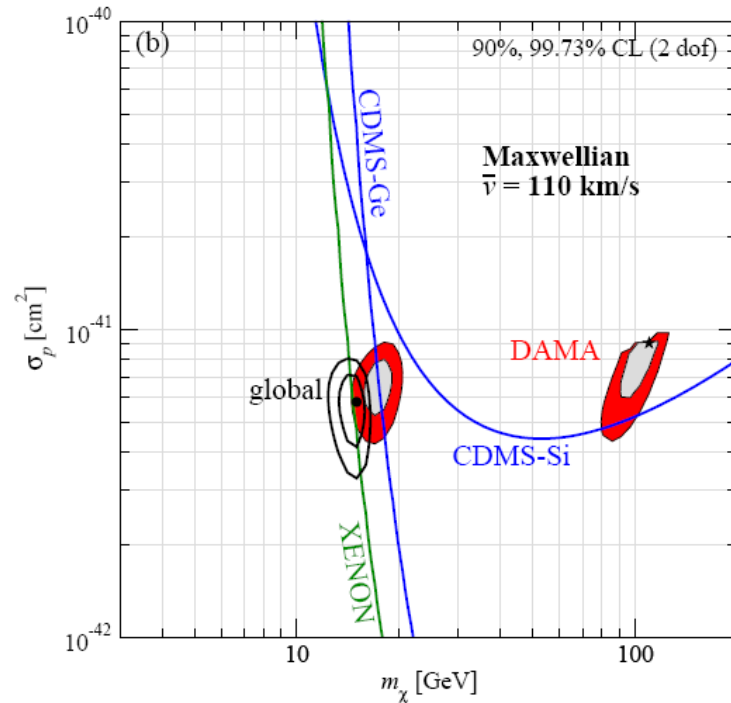
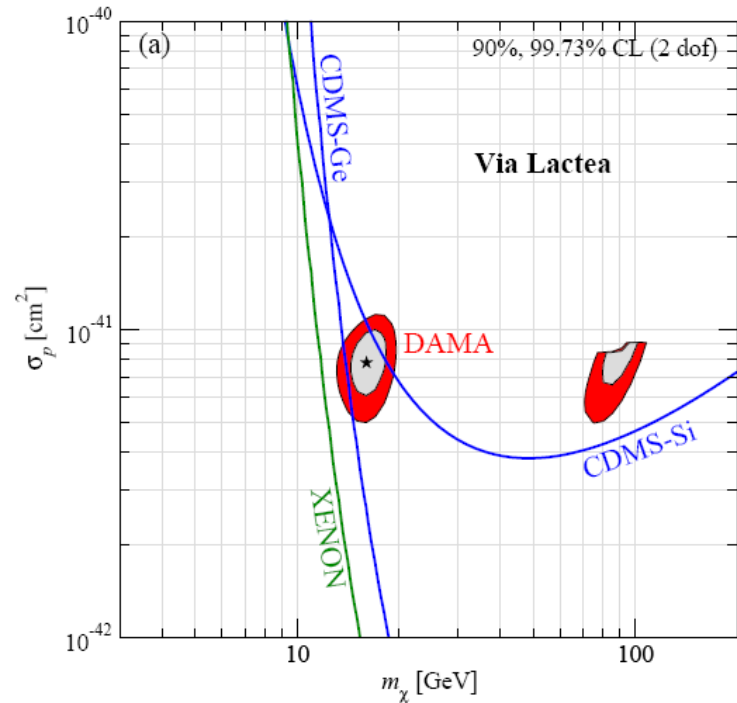


modulation signal at 2 – 6 keV  
above 6 keV no modulation

fitting:

$$S_0 + S_m \cos \omega(t - t_0) + Z_m \sin \omega(t - t_0)$$

with  $t_0 = 152$ ,  $T = 1$  yr

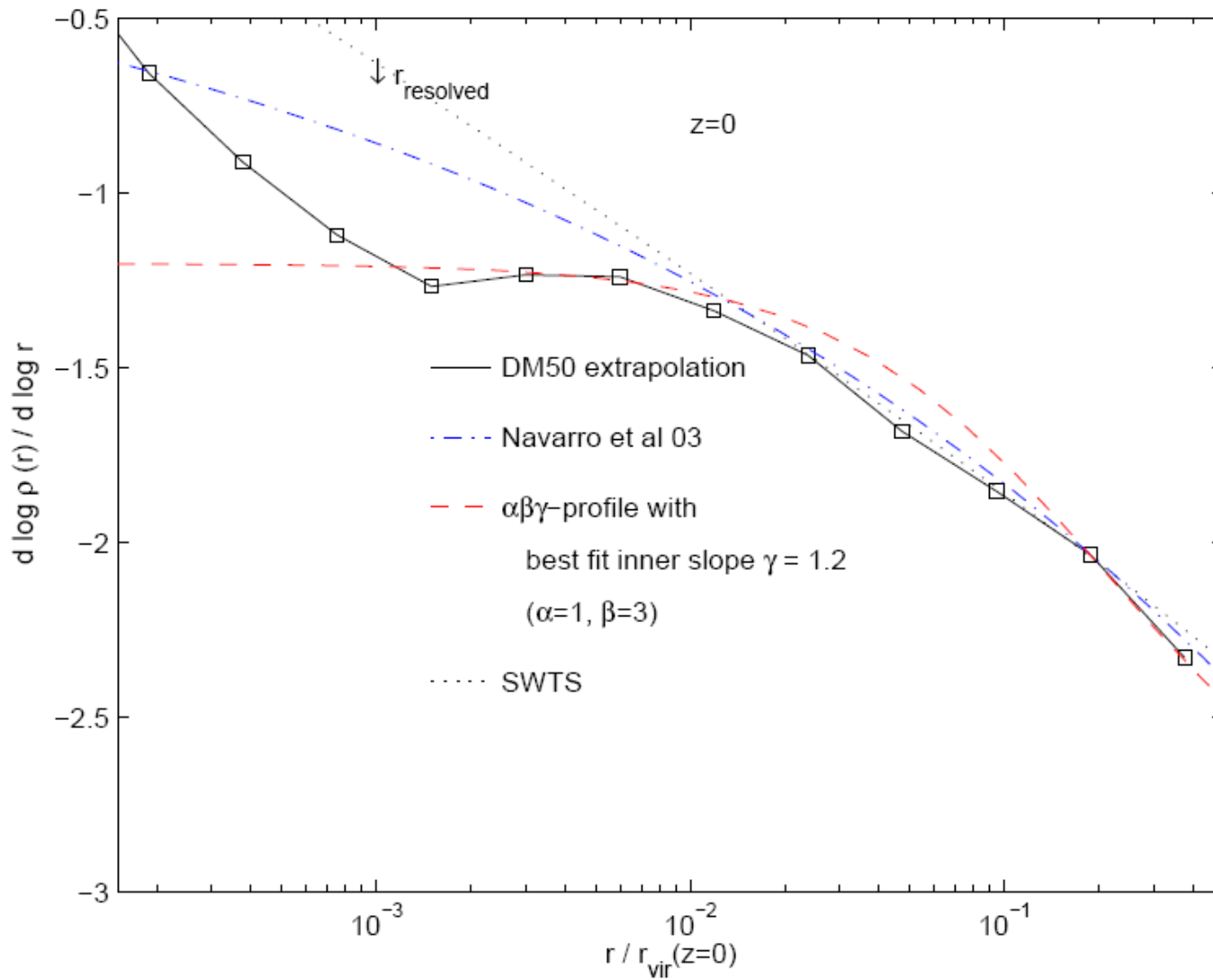


halo model	$\chi^2_{\text{DAMA,min}}$	$m_{\chi,\text{best}}^{\text{DAMA}}$	$\chi^2_{\text{glob,min}}$	GOF	$\chi^2_{\text{PG}}$	PG	$m_{\chi,\text{best}}^{\text{glob}}$
default analysis	36.8	12	62.9	0.02	26.1	$2 \times 10^{-6}$	8.6
Via Lactea simulation	35.1	16	62.3	0.02	27.2	$1 \times 10^{-6}$	12
Maxwellian $\bar{v} = 110 \text{ km/s}$	33.3	109	50.0	0.19	16.7	$2 \times 10^{-4}$	15
$\bar{v}_R = 142 \text{ km/s}, \bar{v}_T = 63 \text{ km/s}$	32.7	18	40.3	0.55	7.6	0.02	17
$v_{\text{esc}} = 450 \text{ km/s}$	36.4	12	54.3	0.09	17.9	$2 \times 10^{-4}$	9.7

# Simulations show halos not isothermal

$$\rho(r) = \frac{\rho_0}{(r/r_s)^\gamma [1 + (r/r_s)^\alpha]^\frac{\beta-\gamma}{\alpha}}$$

Typical values obtained from simulations  
are  $1 < \gamma < 1.5$ ,  $\beta = 3$

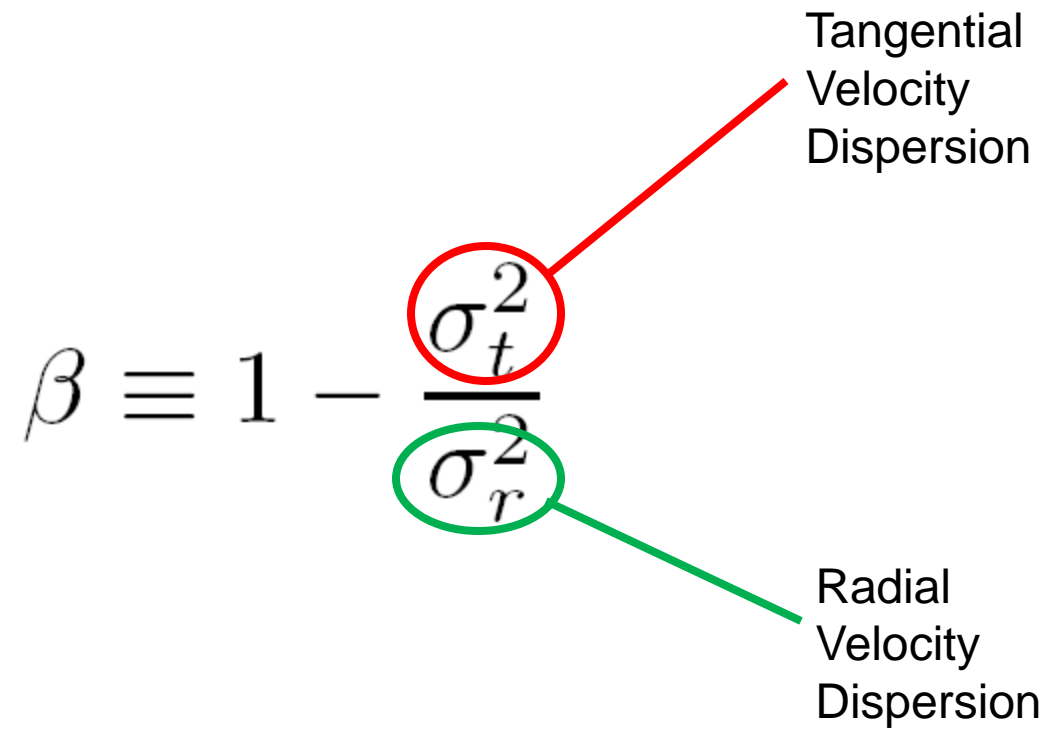


Diemand et al.  
(2005)

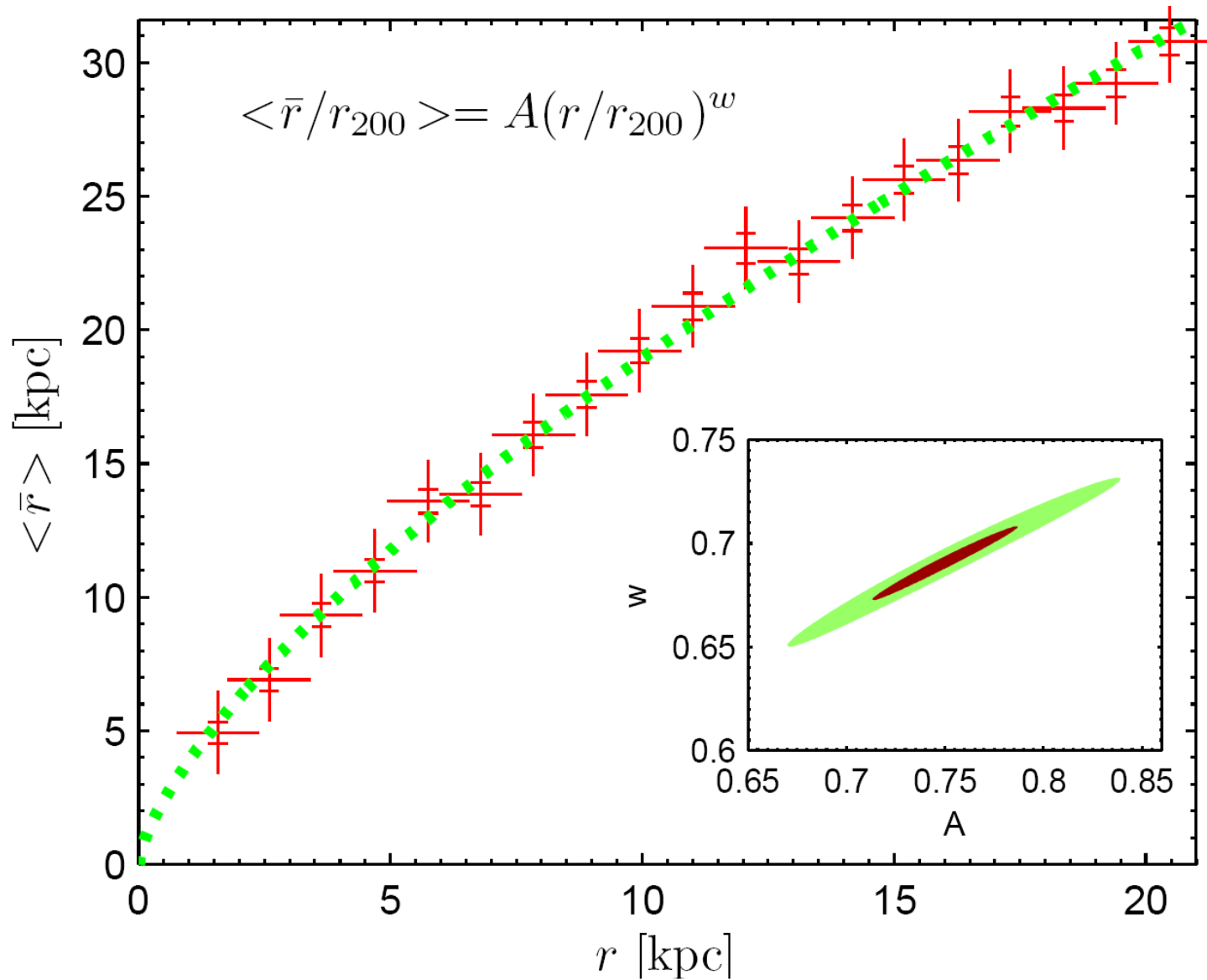
$$\beta \equiv 1 - \frac{\sigma_t^2}{\sigma_r^2}$$

Tangential  
Velocity  
Dispersion

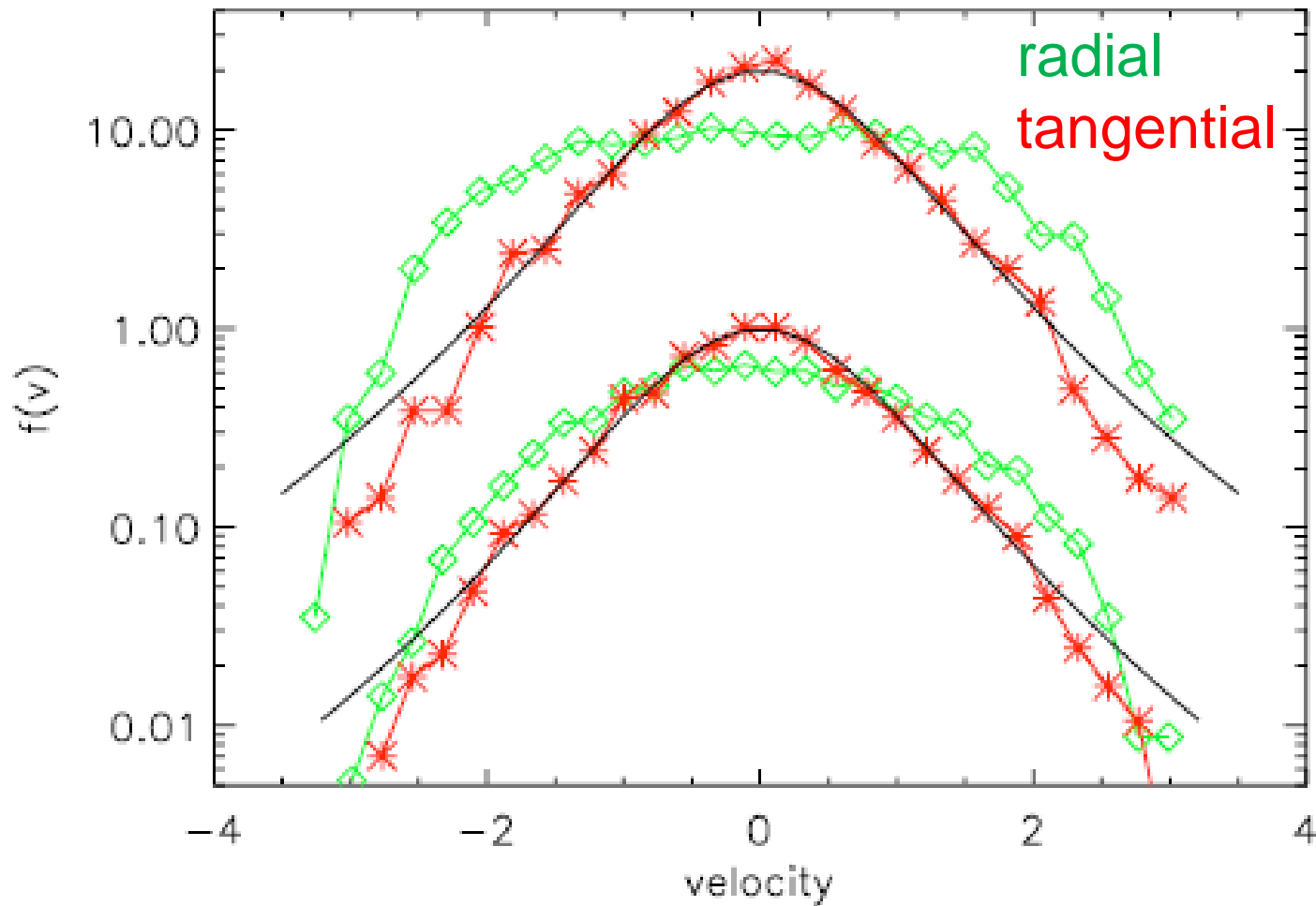
Radial  
Velocity  
Dispersion



# Dark matter particle orbits far from circular

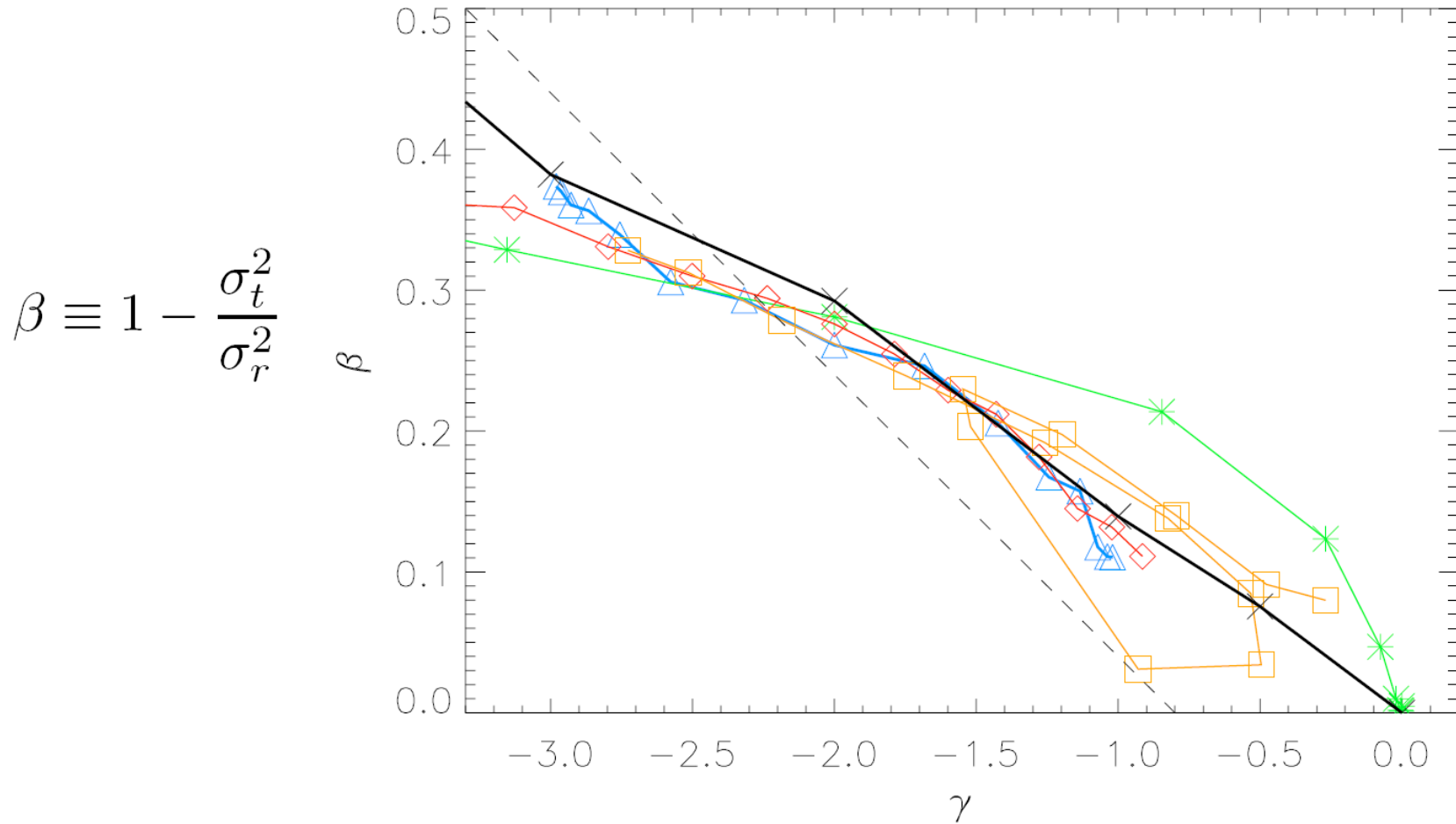


# Dark Matter halos anisotropic





# Anisotropy vs density gradient



Hansen 0812.1048

$$\gamma \equiv \frac{d \ln \langle \rho \rangle}{d \ln \langle r \rangle}$$

# Velocity Anisotropy in Galaxy Clusters

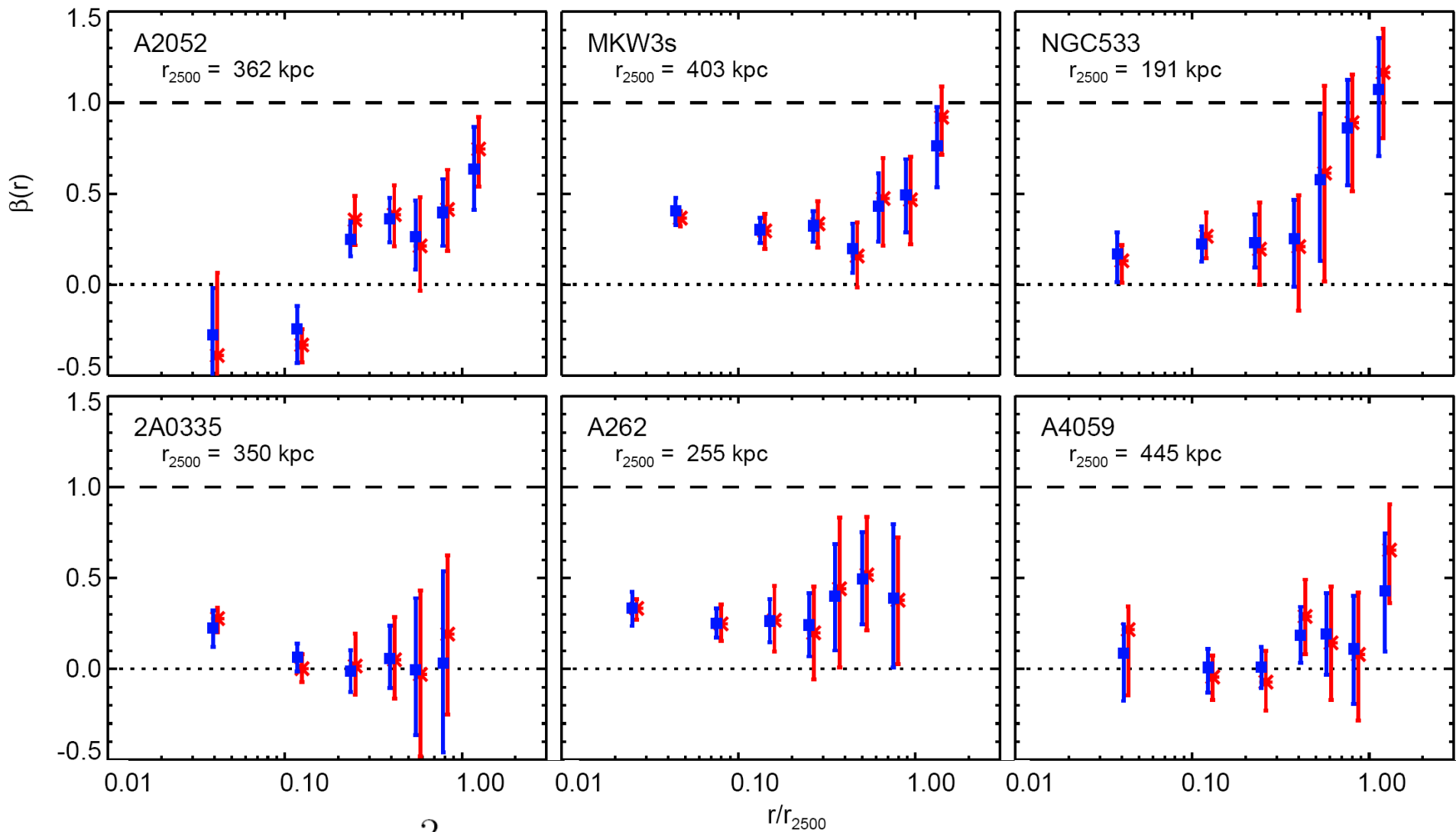
$$\sigma_r^2 \left( \frac{d \ln \rho_{\text{DM}}}{d \ln r} + \frac{d \ln \sigma_r^2}{d \ln r} + 2\beta \right) = -\frac{GM(r)}{r} \quad \text{Jeans equation}$$

$$\frac{k_B T_{\text{gas}}}{\mu m_H} \left( \frac{d \ln n_e}{d \ln r} + \frac{d \ln T_{\text{gas}}}{d \ln r} \right) = -\frac{GM(r)}{r} \quad \text{hydrostatic equilibrium}$$

Can use plus assumptions to derive  $\beta(r)$ .

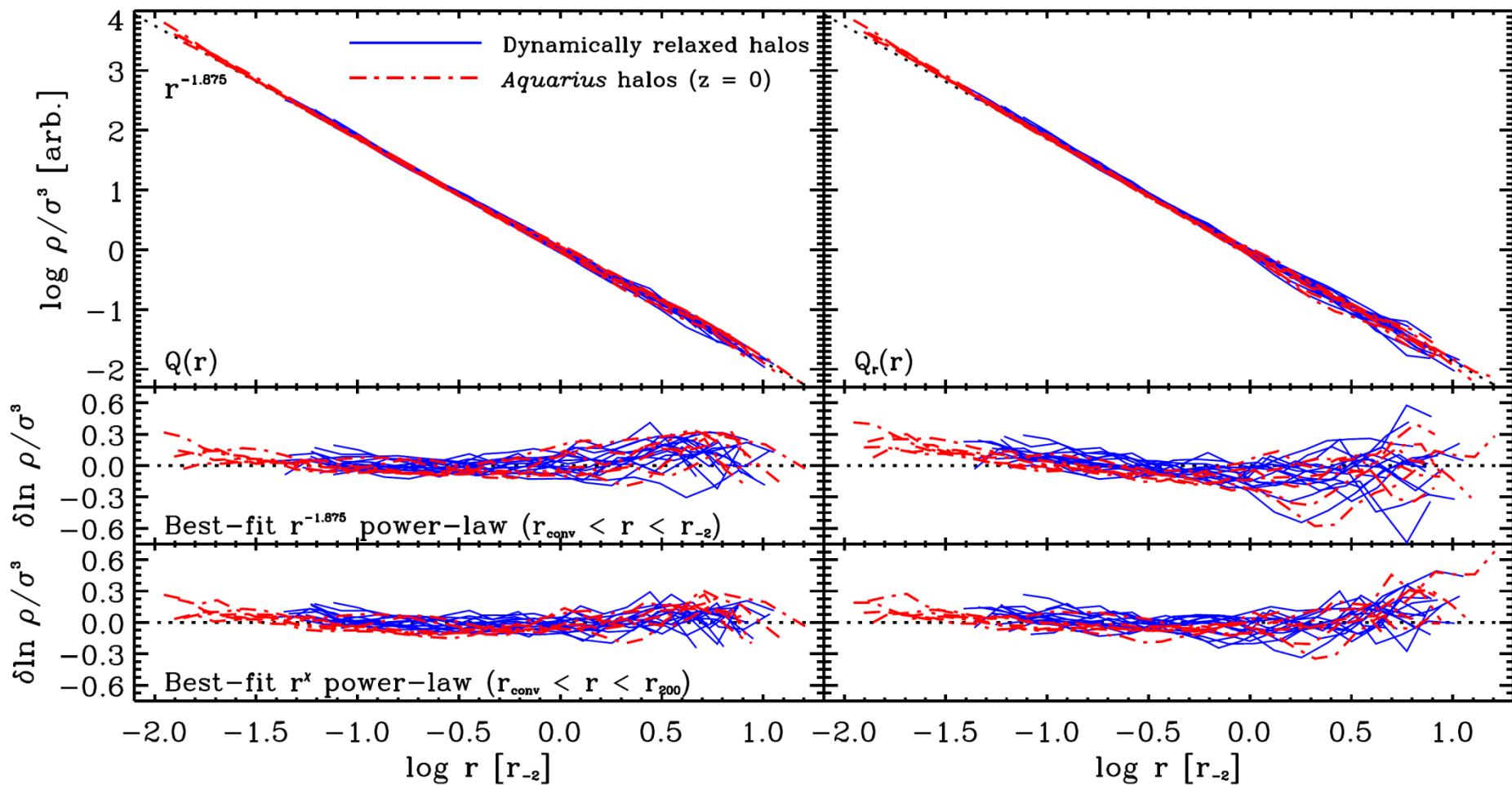
Authors have tested method using simulated clusters.

# Velocity Anisotropy in Galaxy Clusters



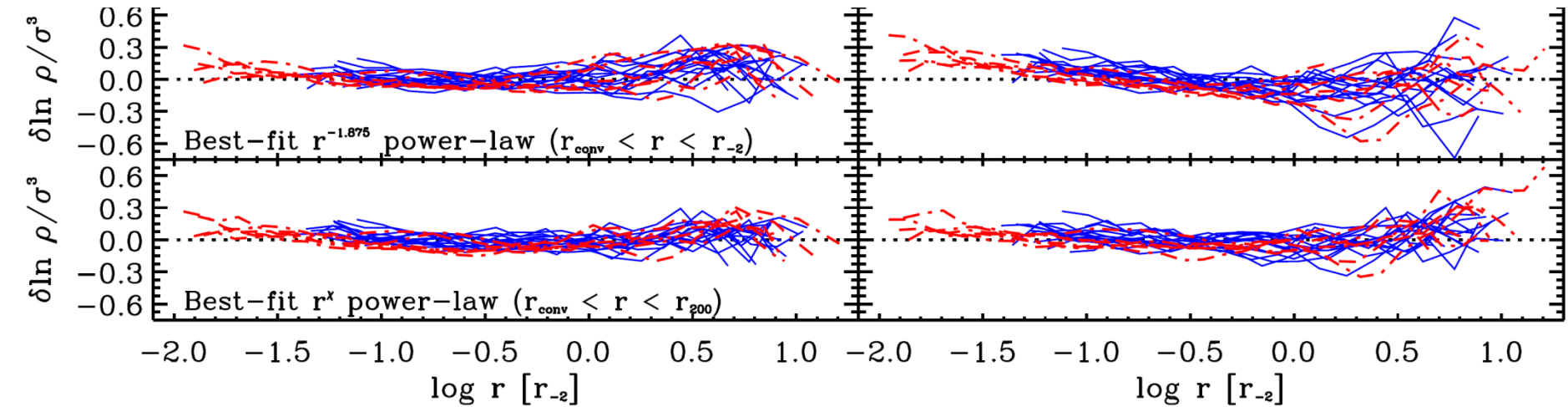
$$\beta \equiv 1 - \frac{\sigma_t^2}{\sigma_r^2}$$

# Pseudo Phase-space Density



$$\frac{\rho}{\sigma^3} \propto r^{-1.875}$$

## Trying to model this



$$\frac{\rho}{\sigma^3} \frac{\sigma_c^3}{\rho_c} = \exp \left[ -\frac{\chi}{\omega} (\chi^\omega - 1) \right]$$

$$\frac{\rho}{\sigma^3} \frac{\sigma_c^3}{\rho_c} = \exp \left[ -\frac{\chi_R}{\omega_R} (\chi_R^{\omega_R} - 1) \right]$$

## Try to reconstruct Einasto profile using Jean's equation and our model for Pseudo Phase Space Density

$$\frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} (\rho \sigma_R^2) + 2 \frac{\beta \sigma_R^2}{r} = - \frac{GM}{r^2}$$

$$\gamma = \frac{d \ln \rho}{d \ln r}$$

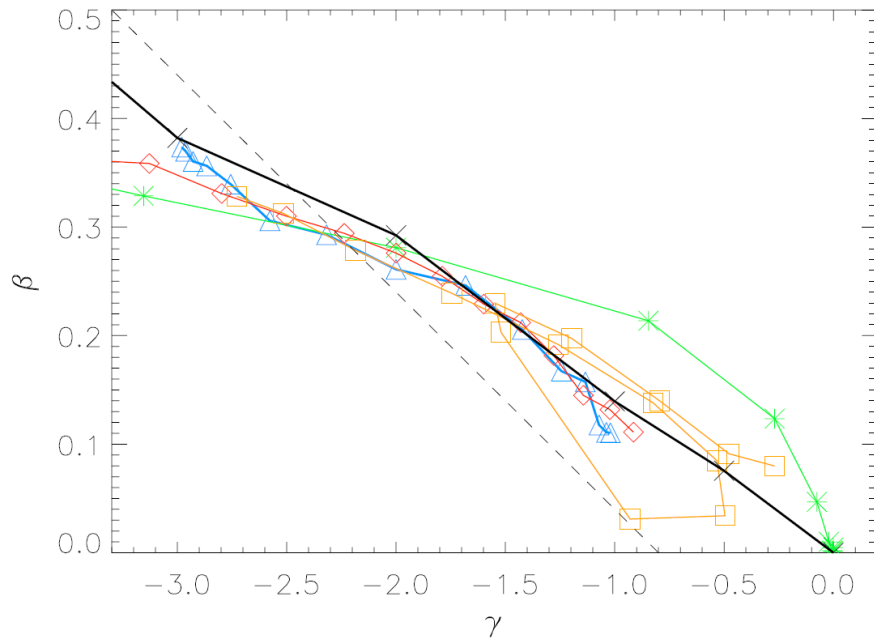
We integrate this

$$\gamma = -\frac{2}{5} \chi_R x^{\omega_R} - \frac{6}{5} \beta - \frac{K}{\bar{\rho}^{2/3} x} \exp \left\{ -\frac{2}{3} \frac{\chi_R}{\omega_R} (x_R^{\omega} - 1) \right\} \int_0^x \bar{\rho} x^2 dx$$

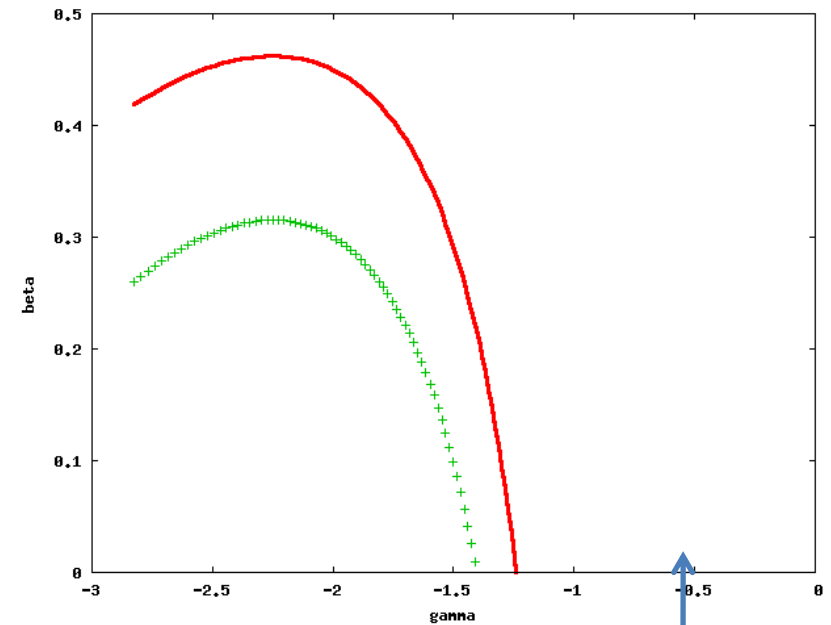
And (try to) fit to get Einasto profile!!

See also Dehnen and McLaughlin for related approach.

## Does it explain observed $\gamma$ - $\beta$ relationship?

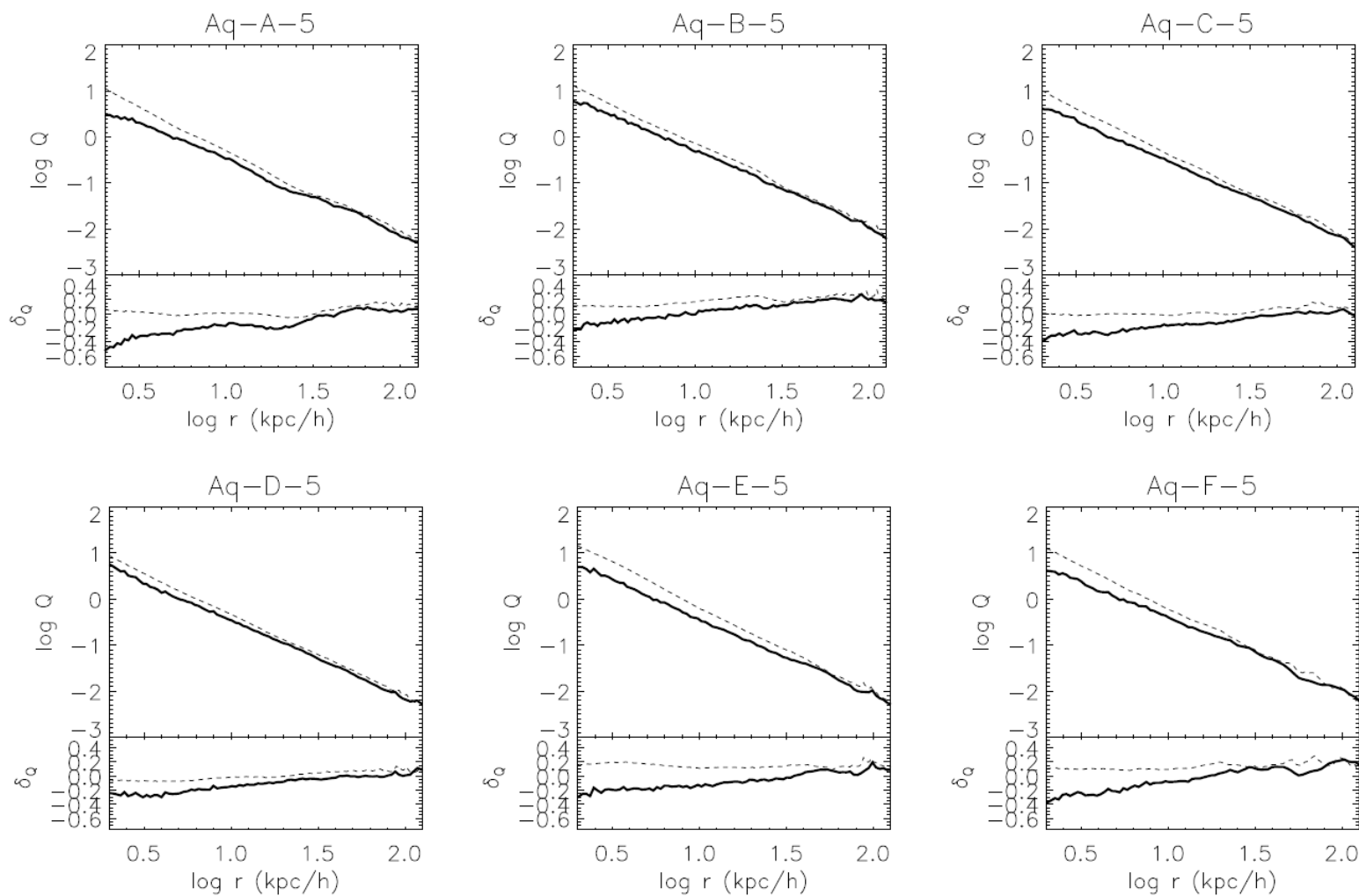


well kind of.....



Expect things to go wrong  
in the middle anyway

## Phase space density with baryons

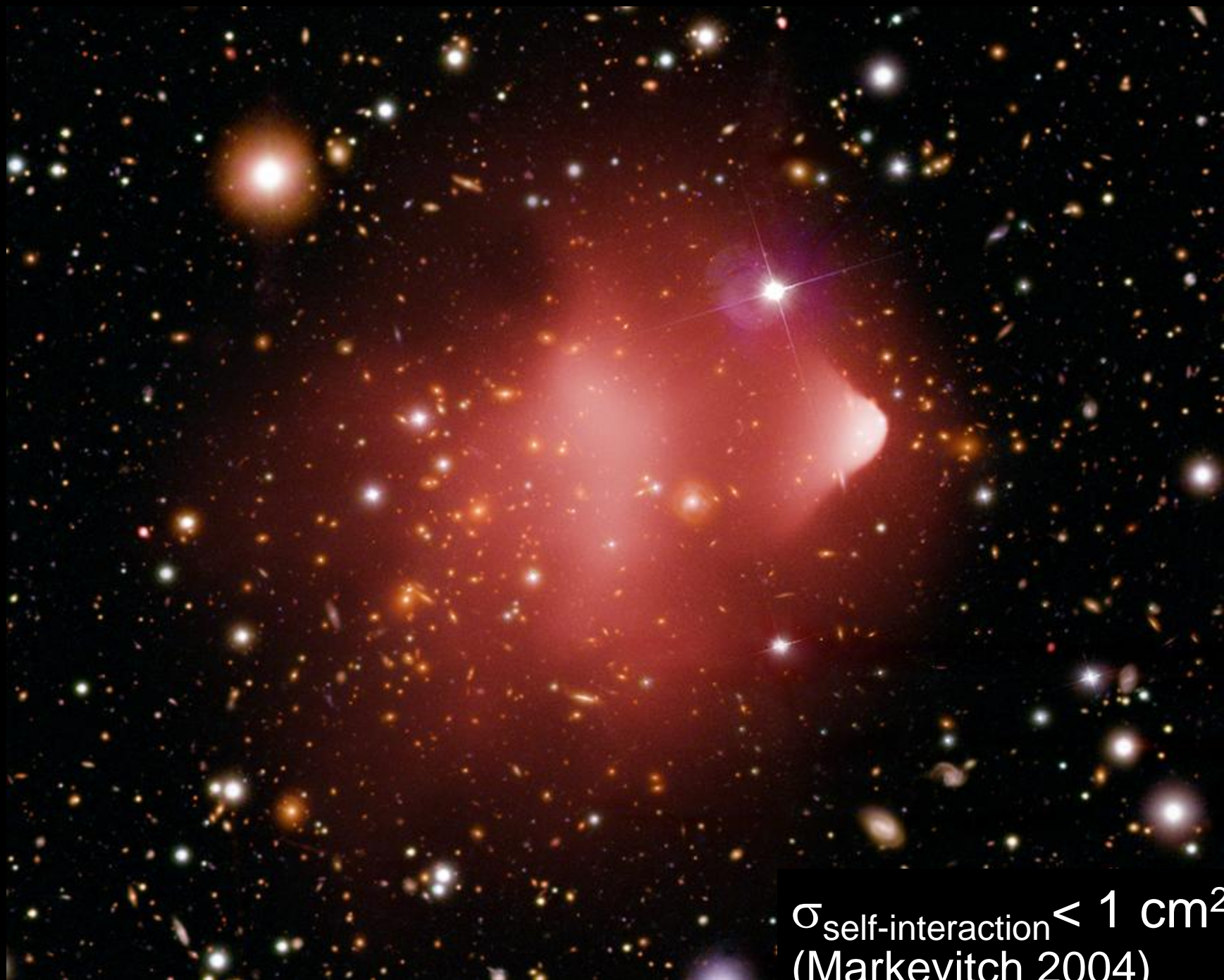




**It gets worse**



**The distribution is non-Gaussian**



$\sigma_{\text{self-interaction}} < 1 \text{ cm}^2/\text{g}$   
(Markevitch 2004)

# Modelling train delays with $q$ -exponential functions

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## Abstract

We demonstrate that the distribution of train delays on the British railway network is accurately described by  $q$ -exponential functions. We explain this by constructing an underlying superstatistical model.

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# Non Extensive Statistics

At any given time, probability of a particular delay time,  $t$ , given by

$$P(t|\beta) = \beta e^{-\beta t}$$

Over course of a year,  $\beta$  varies quite a lot due to seasonal factors.  
Therefore, over the long term, one needs to include fluctuations in  $\beta$

$$p(t) = \int_0^{\infty} f(\beta) p(t|\beta) d\beta = \int_0^{\infty} f(\beta) \beta e^{-\beta t}$$

# Non Extensive Statistics

if  $\beta$  is sum over Gaussian random variables ...  $\beta = \sum_{i=1}^n X_i^2$

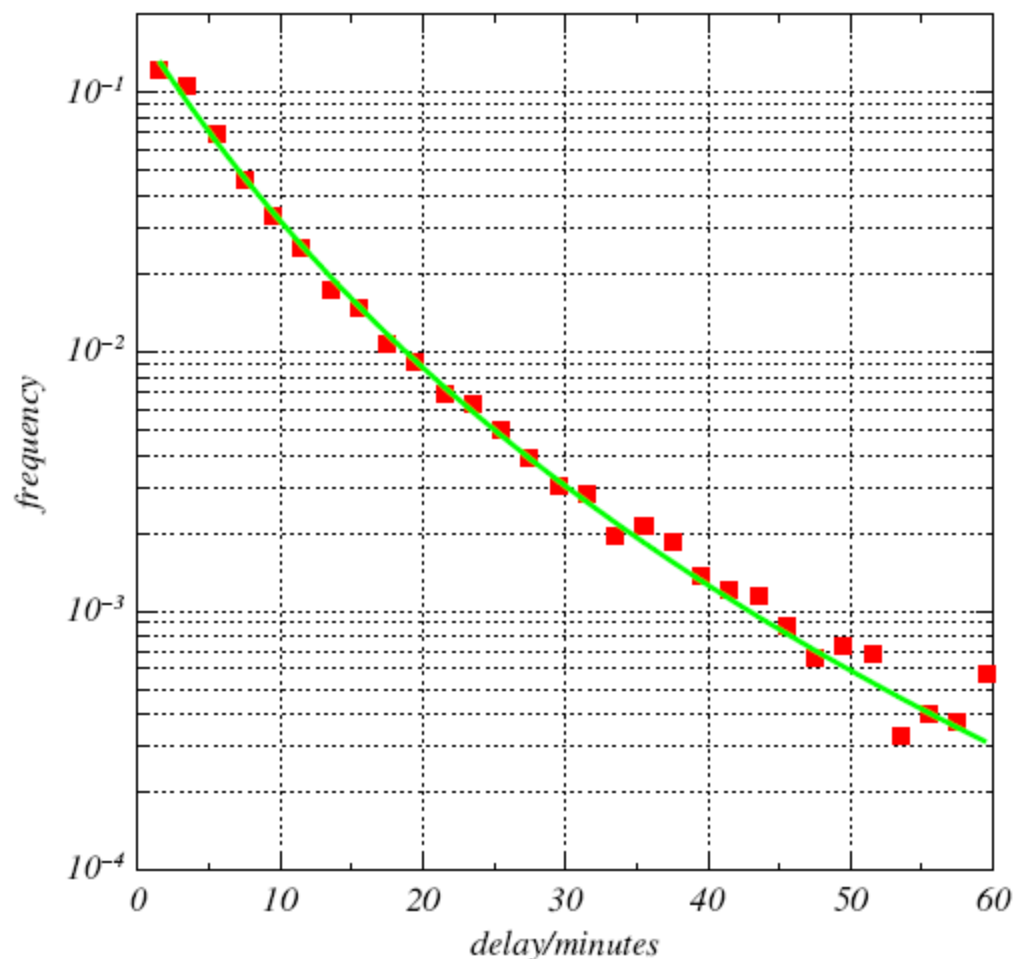
leads to a  $\chi^2$  distribution ...  $f(\beta) = \frac{1}{\Gamma\left(\frac{n}{2}\right)} \left(\frac{n}{2\beta_0}\right)^{\frac{n}{2}} \beta^{\frac{n}{2}-1} \exp\left(-\frac{n\beta}{2\beta_0}\right)$

which yields  $p(t) \sim (1 + b(q - 1)t)^{\frac{1}{1-q}}$

where  $q = 1 + 2/(n + 2)$  and  $b = 2\beta_0/(2 - q)$



## Applied to train times



Reading to London Paddington:

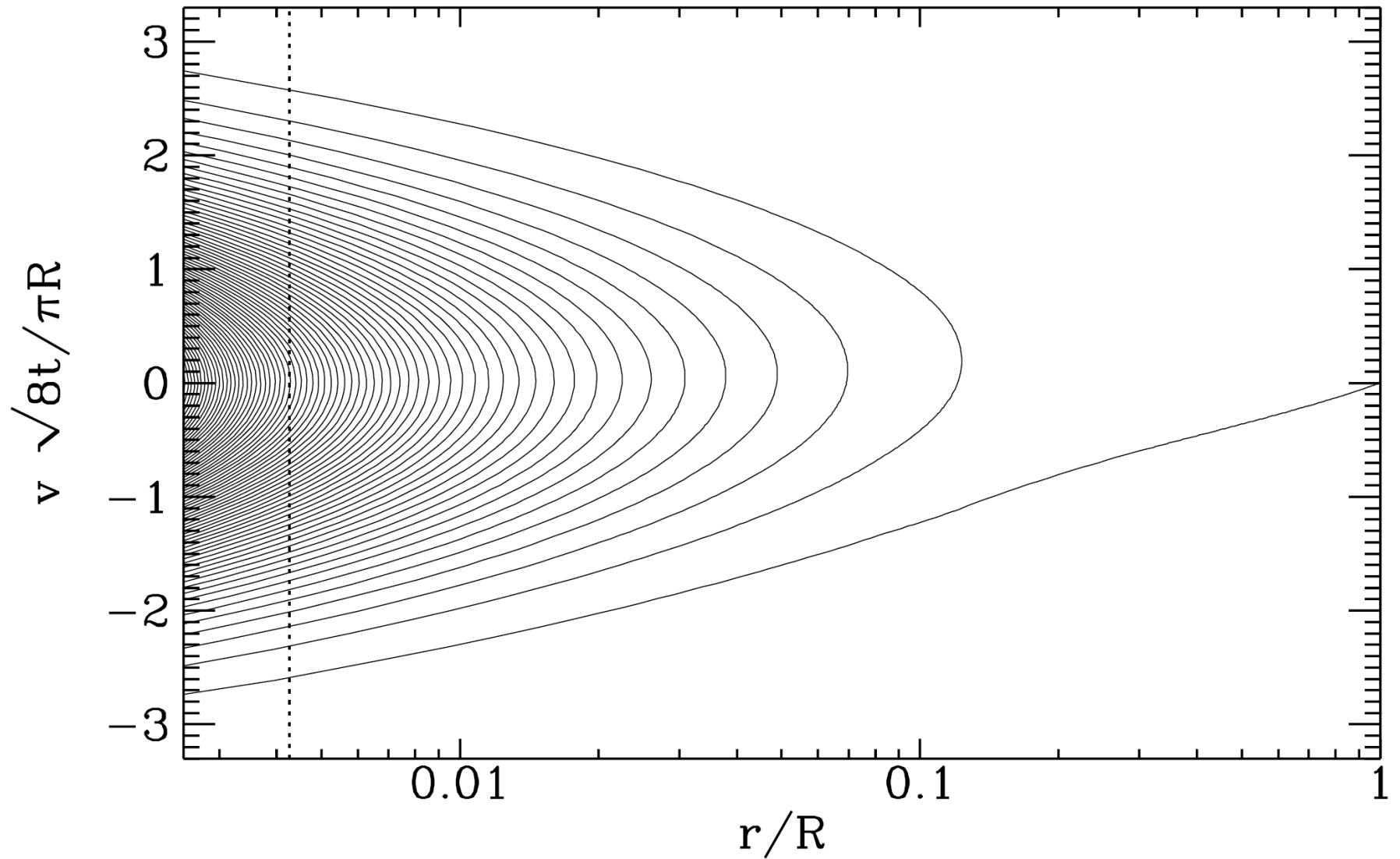
$$q = 1.183 \pm 0.0063, b = 0.202 \pm 2.7 \times 10^{-6}$$

station	$q$	$b$
Bath Spa	1.195	0.209
Birmingham	1.257	0.271
Cambridge	1.270	0.396
Canterbury East	1.298	0.400
Canterbury West	1.267	0.402
City Thameslink	1.124	0.277
Colchester	1.222	0.272
Coventry	1.291	0.330
Doncaster	1.289	0.332
Edinburgh	1.228	0.401
Ely	1.316	0.393
Ipswich	1.291	0.333
Leeds	1.247	0.273
Leicester	1.231	0.337
Manchester Piccadilly	1.231	0.332
Newcastle	1.378	0.330
Nottingham	1.166	0.209
Oxford	1.046	0.141
Peterborough	1.232	0.201
Reading	1.251	0.268
Sheffield	1.316	0.335
Swindon	1.226	0.253
York	1.311	0.259

# **Reasons why Non Extensive Statistics may be relevant for dark matter**

1. Long range forces (gravity)
2. Lack of thermalisation (Non-self interacting)
3. Multiple populations of dark matter

# Intuition from spherical infall?

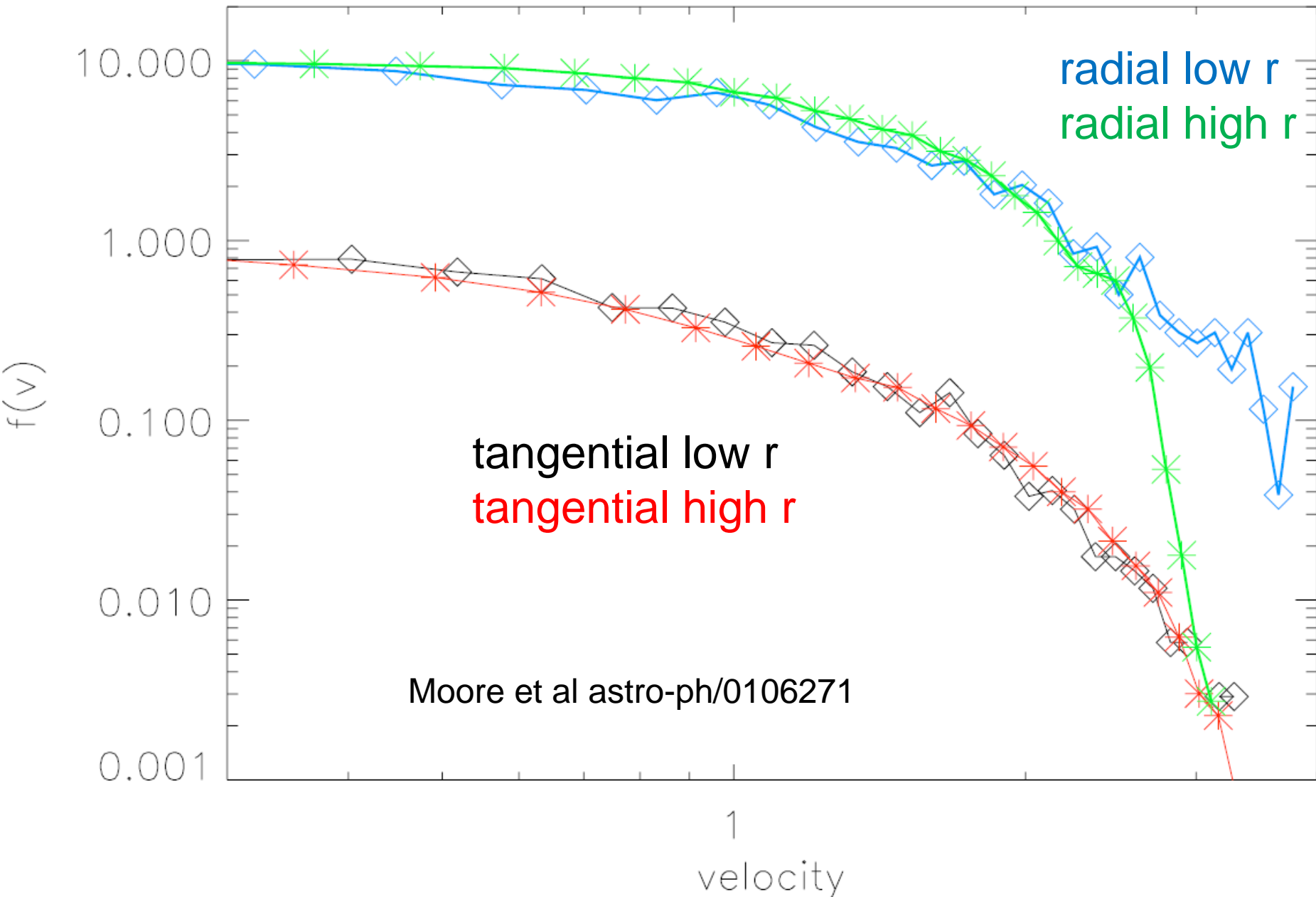


Sikivie, Tkachev and Wang astro-ph/9609022



# Tangential tails vs. Radial Tails

Earlier simulations also claim tangential distribution changes less

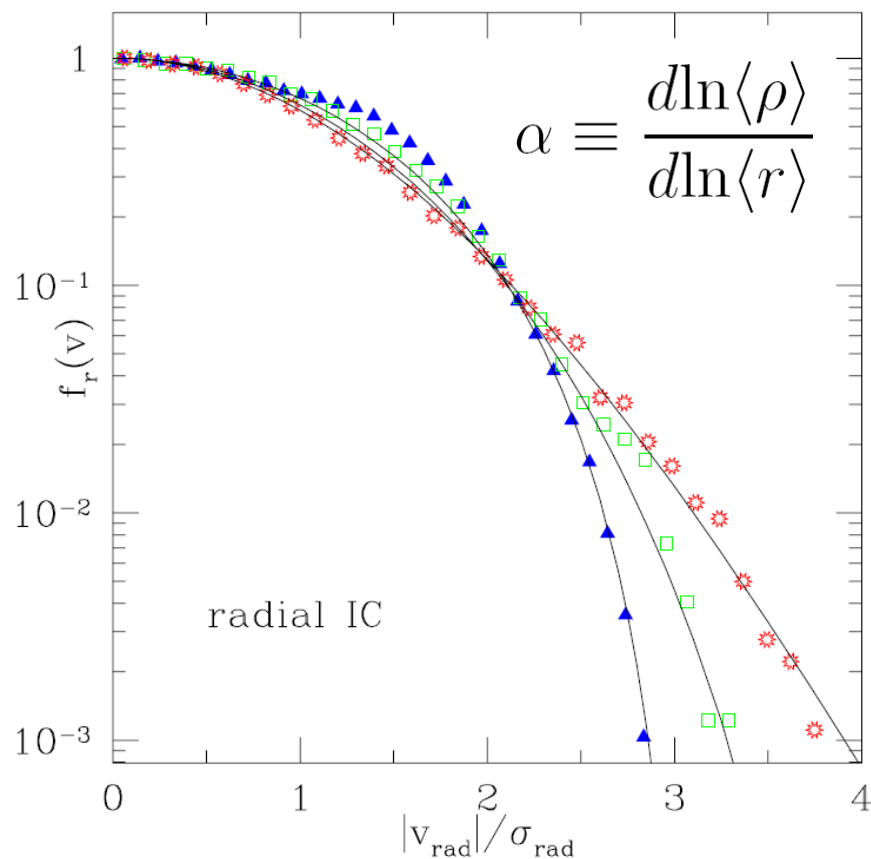


# Universal Velocity Distribution?

Hansen, Moore, Zemp

and Stadel astro-ph/0505420

$$f_r(v) = \left( 1 - (1 - q) \left( \frac{v}{\kappa_1 \sigma_{\text{rad}}} \right)^2 \right)^{\frac{q}{1-q}}$$



$$\alpha = -1.1$$

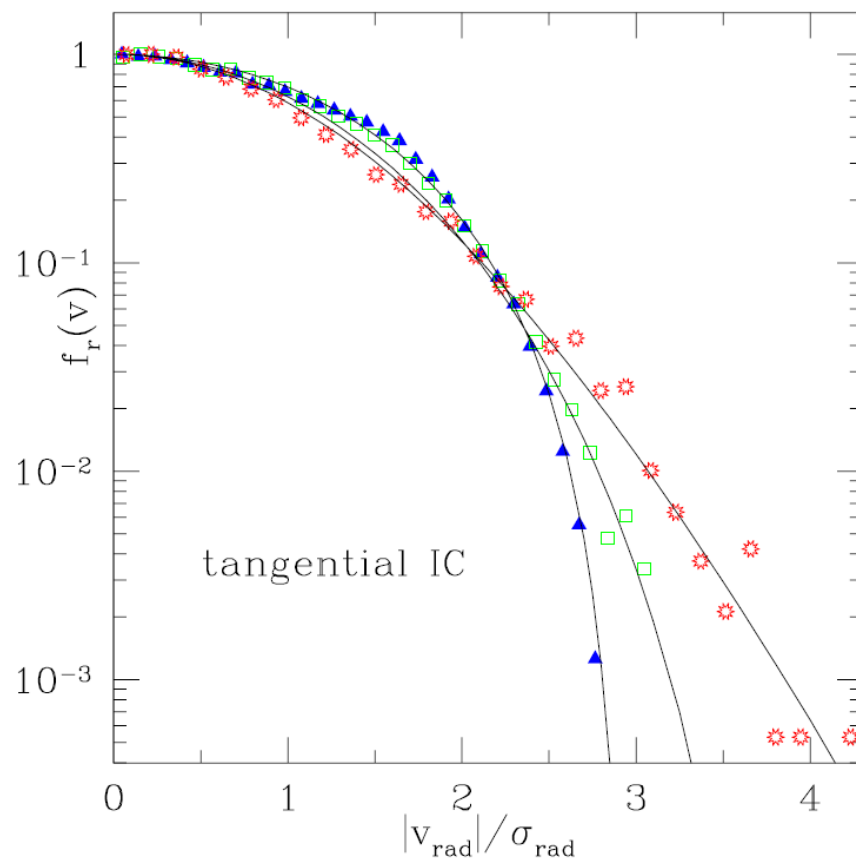
$$q = 0.79$$

$$\alpha = -2$$

$$q = 0.91$$

$$\alpha = -2.6$$

$$q = 1.05$$



$$\alpha = -1.1$$

$$q = 0.75$$

$$\alpha = -2$$

$$q = 0.89$$

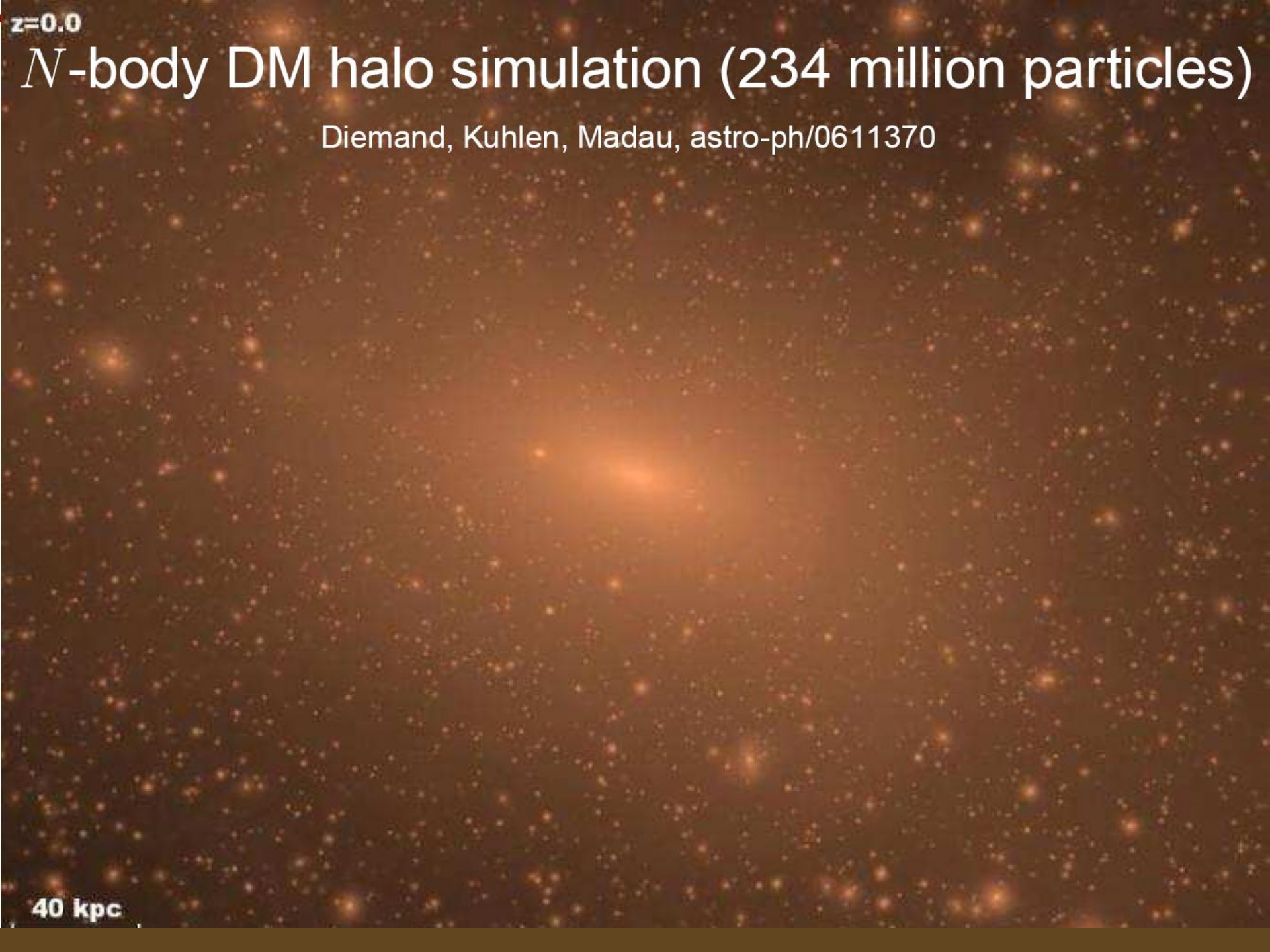
$$\alpha = -2.6$$

$$q = 1.045$$

**$z=0.0$**

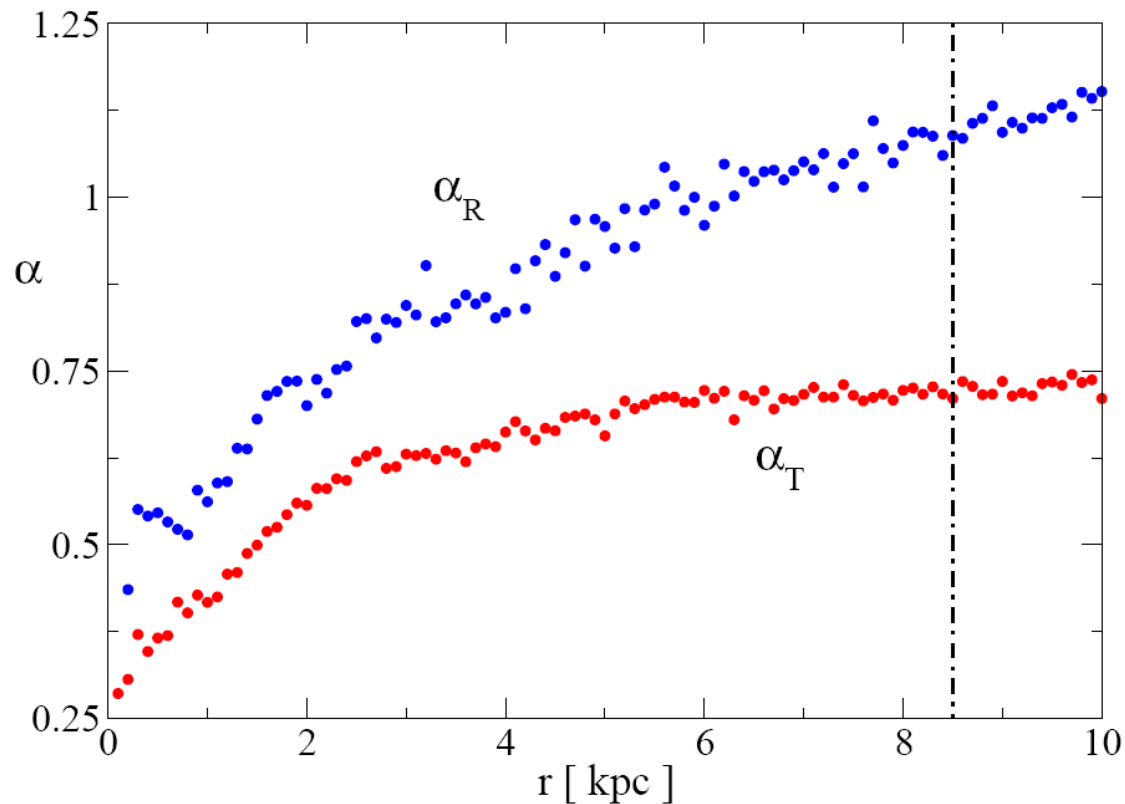
# $N$ -body DM halo simulation (234 million particles)

Diemand, Kuhlen, Madau, astro-ph/0611370



**40 kpc**

# Via Lactea non-Gaussianity and anisotropy

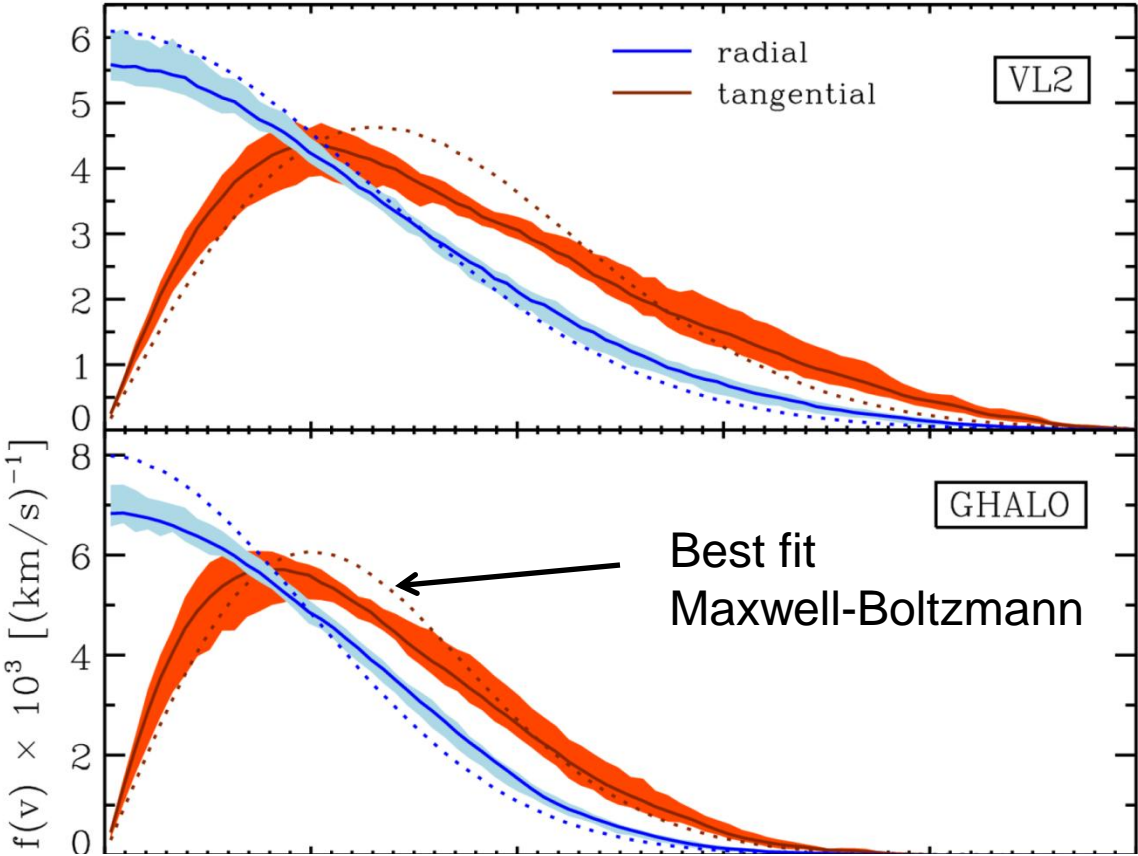


$$\frac{1}{N_R} \exp \left[ - \left( \frac{\tilde{v}_R^2}{f_R^2} \right)^{\alpha_R} \right]$$

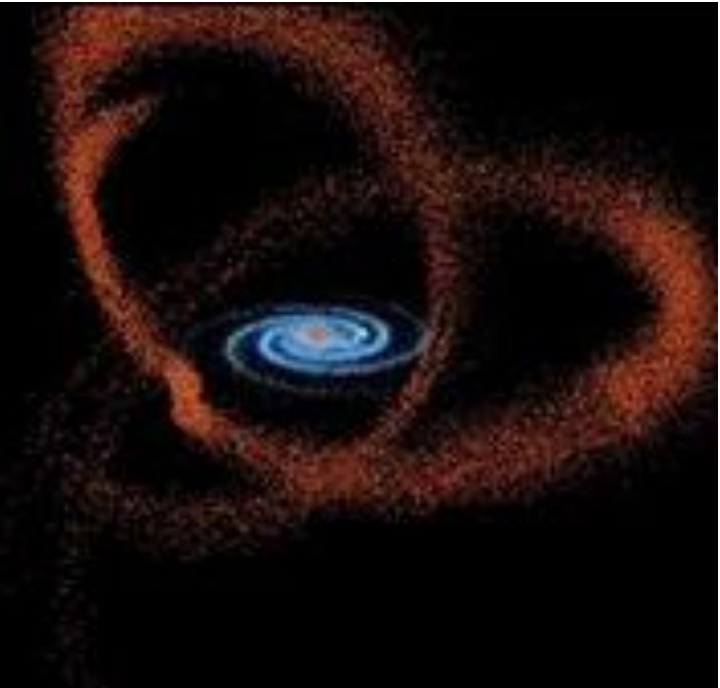
$$\frac{2\pi v_T}{N_T} \exp \left[ - \left( \frac{\tilde{v}_T^2}{f_T^2} \right)^{\alpha_T} \right]$$

# Velocity distributions around 8.5 kpc.

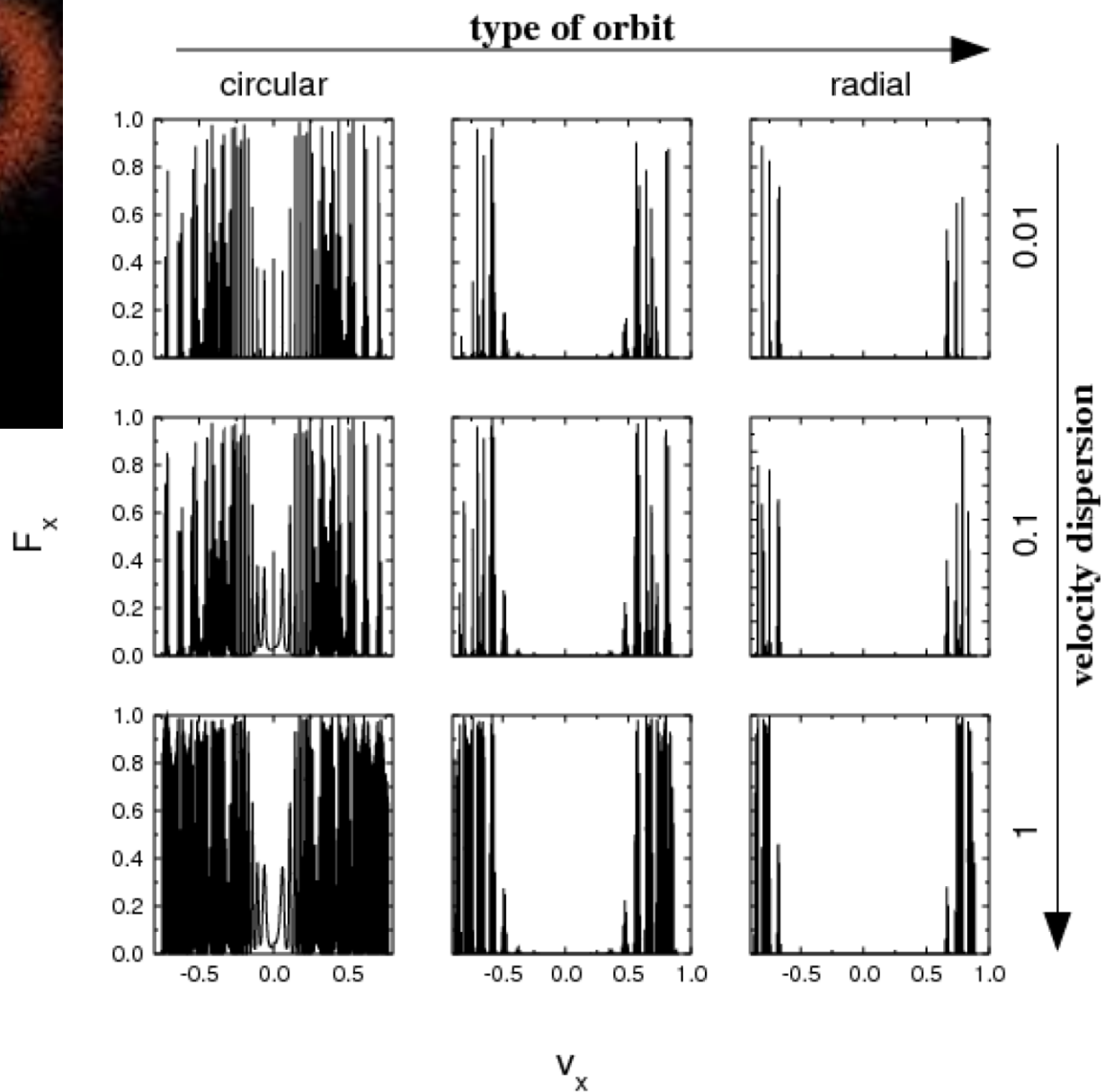
Kuhlen et al.  
arXiv: 0912.2358



		radial				tangential			
		shell	median	16 <sup>th</sup>	84 <sup>th</sup>	shell	median	16 <sup>th</sup>	84 <sup>th</sup>
VL2	$\bar{v}_{r,t}$ [km/s]	202.4	199.9	185.5	212.7	128.9	135.1	124.2	148.9
	$\alpha_{r,t}$	0.934	0.941	0.877	0.985	0.642	0.657	0.638	0.674
GHALO	$\bar{v}_{r,t}$ [km/s]	167.9	163.6	156.4	173.0	103.1	114.3	93.21	137.0
	$\alpha_{r,t}$	1.12	1.11	1.02	1.20	0.685	0.719	0.666	0.819
GHALO <sub>s</sub>	$\bar{v}_{r,t}$ [km/s]	217.9	213.8	202.3	226.6	138.2	162.2	125.1	183.1
	$\alpha_{r,t}$	1.11	1.11	1.01	1.18	0.687	0.759	0.664	0.842

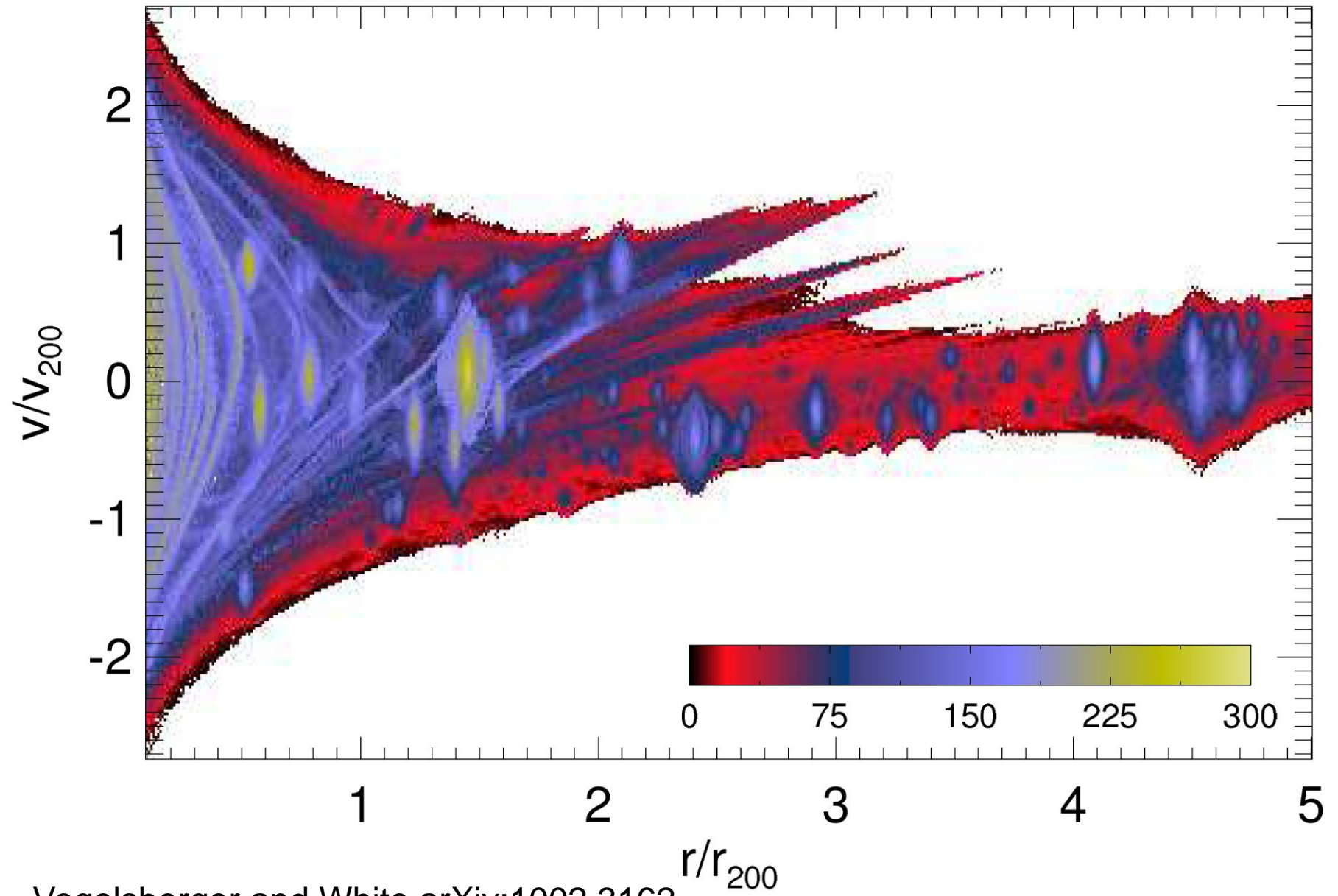


Fantin, Merrifield  
and Green  
arXiv:0808.1050

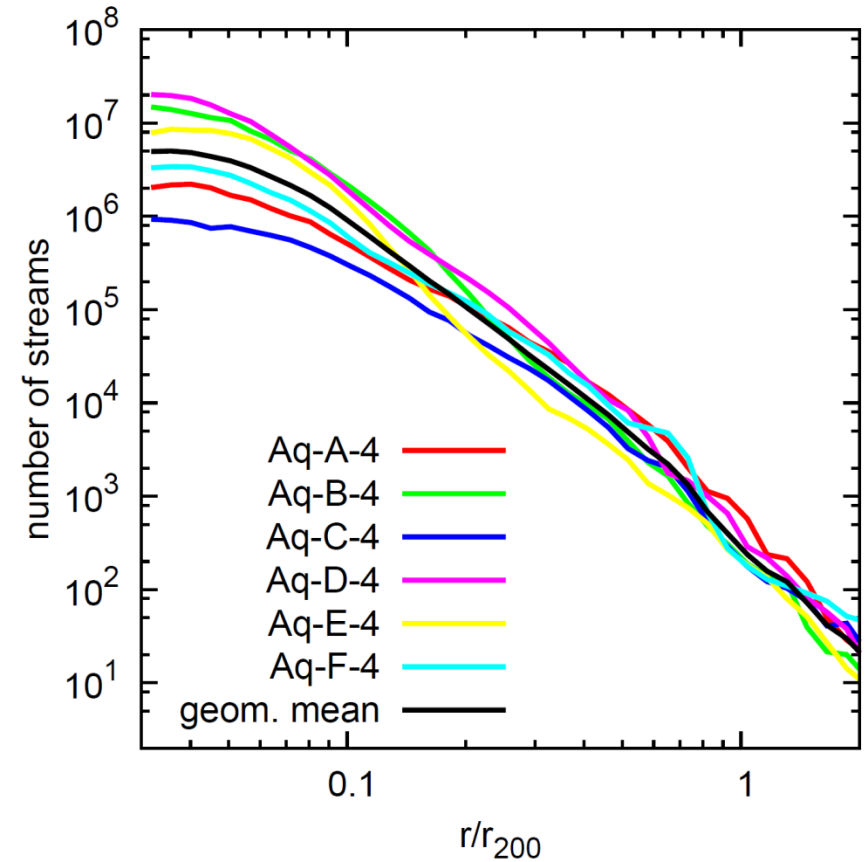
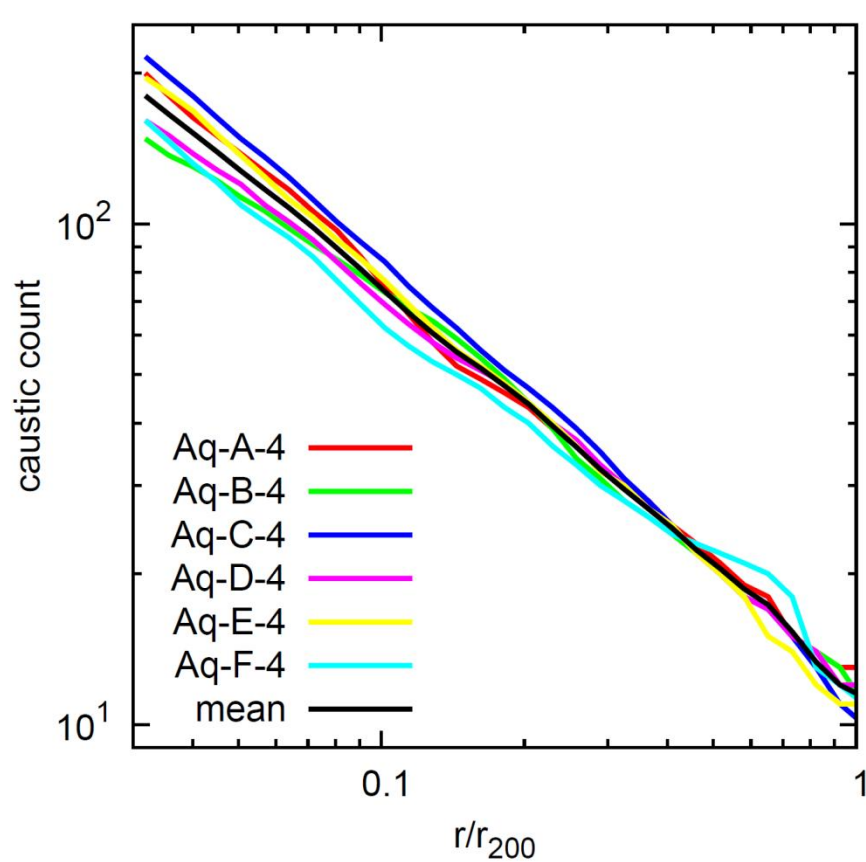




# Detailed resimulation of Aquarius Halo



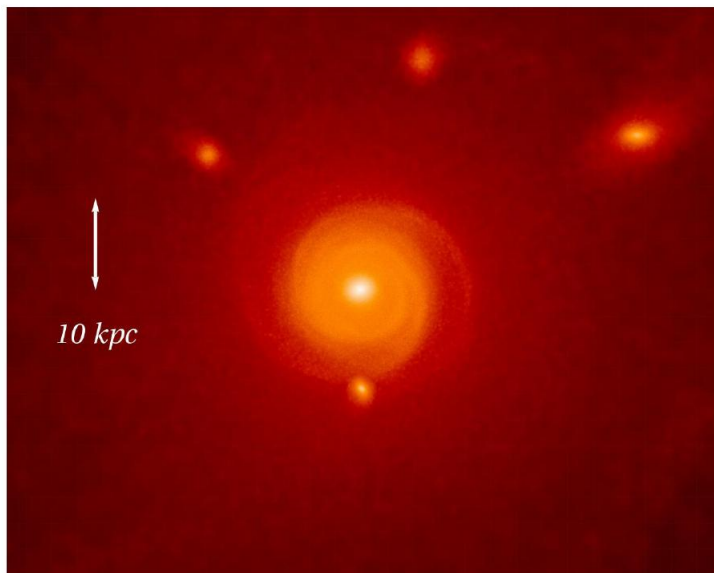
# Large Number of Fine Streams Contributing to Dispersion - No sharp features



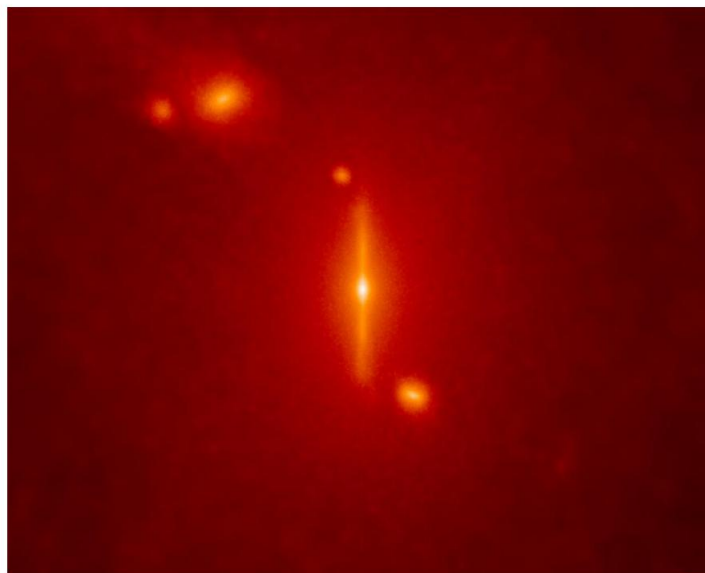
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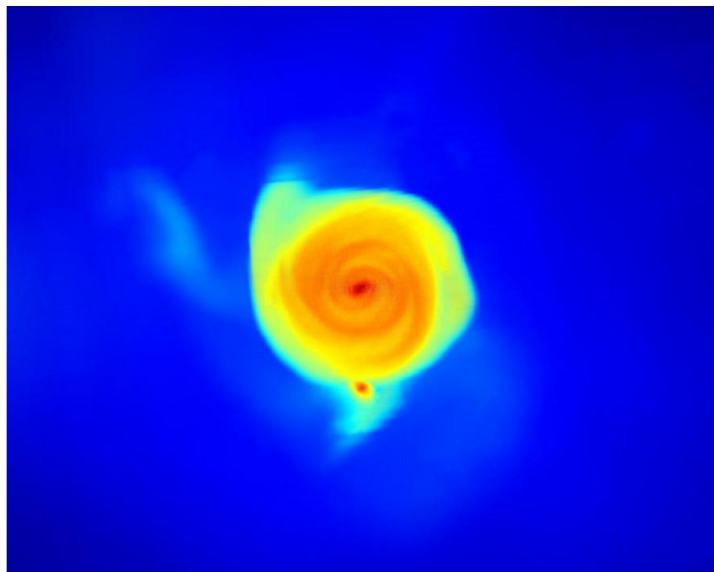
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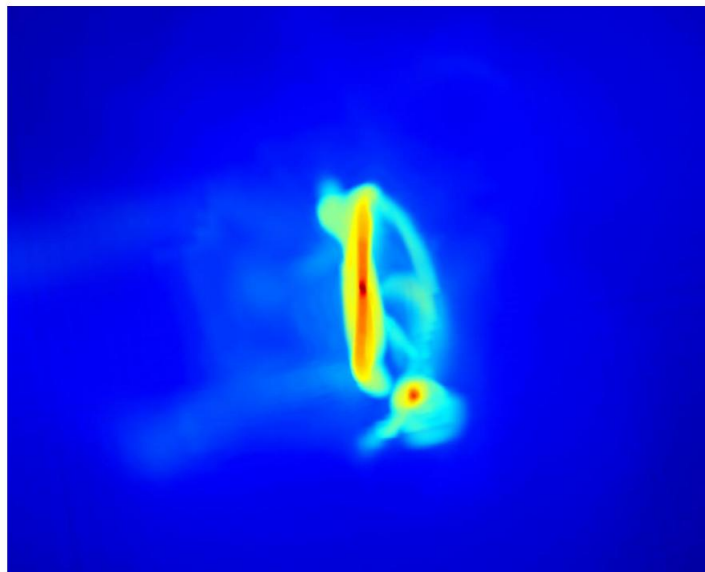
a) Stars face on



b) Stars edge on



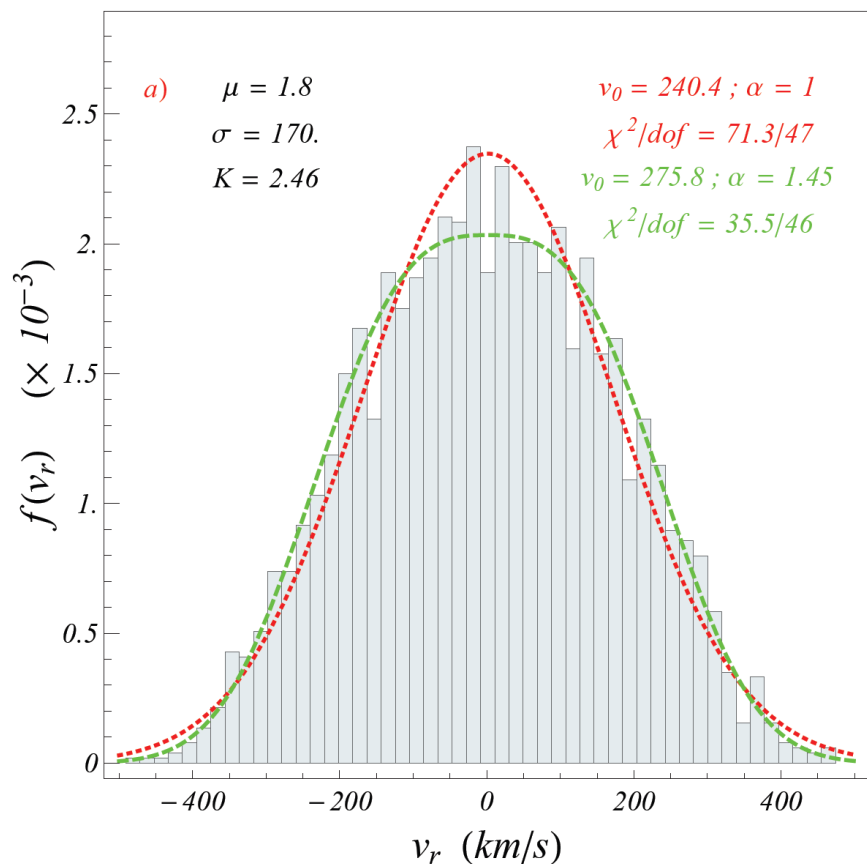
c) Gas face on



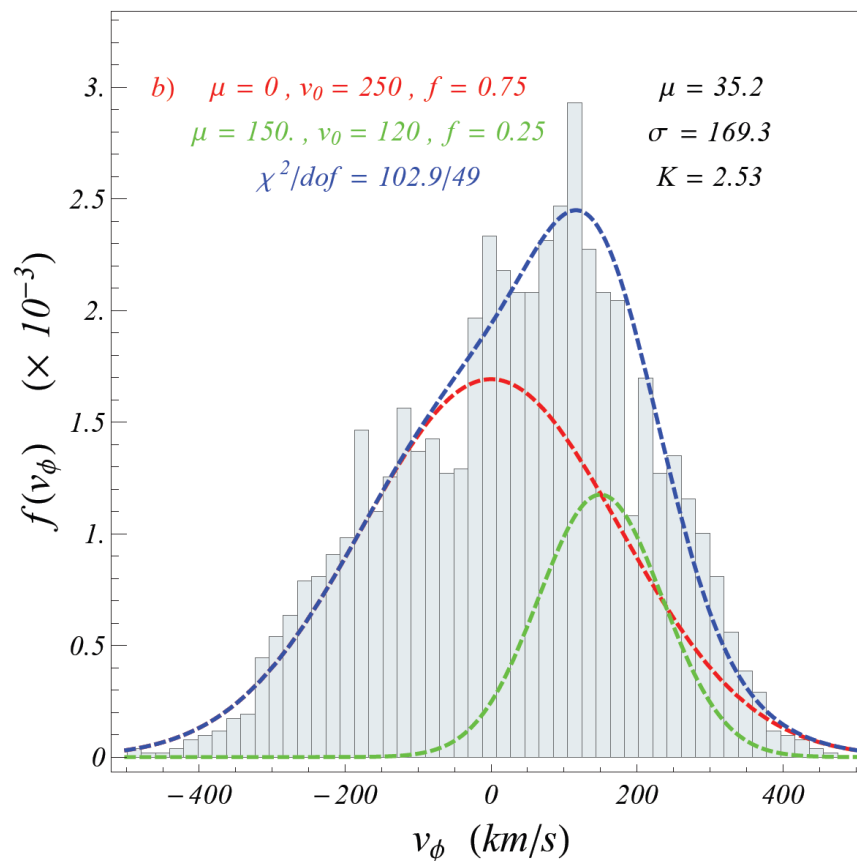
d) Gas edge on

Ling et al.  
arXiv:  
0909.2028

# Simulations with baryons



Non-gaussianity



Evidence for co-rotating dark disk?

# Conclusions

1. Dark Matter velocity distribution non-Gaussian.
2. Dark Matter velocity anisotropic.
3. Dark Matter velocity badly understood.
4. Normally will not effect discovery of dark matter in direct experiment.
5. Critical for comparing different experiments with each other,
6. Critical for comparing direct detection with colliders.
7. Will affect interpretation of positive signal from any detector.

**damn anti-gravity cat**



**always disproving ma theorem**