

Direct and Indirect Detection in Cosmology

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Searching for non-gravitational evidence of DM





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Indirect detection in Cosmology

Energy injection following relic WIMP annihilations can affect our various probes



Destroy nucleiAffect the BB distribution

Affect the recombination era

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Affect the 21cm signal

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Constraints from various cosmological probes VP, Lesgourgues, Serpico; 1610.10051



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Energy injection impact recombination

$$\frac{dx_e}{dz} = \frac{1}{(1+z)H(z)} [R_s(z) - I_s(z) - I_X(z)]$$

$$\frac{dT_{\rm M}}{dz} = \frac{1}{1+z} \left[2T_{\rm M} + \gamma (T_{\rm M} - T_{\rm CMB}) + K_h \right]$$

$$I_X(z)$$
 and $K_h(z) \propto \frac{dE}{dVdt}\Big|_{dep,c}$



Toy model: the « three levels atom » developed by Peebles, 1969. We use Recfast (seager et al. 1999) and HyRec (Ali-Haimoud et al. 2012).

Key quantity dE/dVdtl_{dep,c}:

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- The energy deposition rate per unit volume in each channel: ionization, excitation and heating.
- Difficulty: the plasma is not necessarily efficient at absorbing energy!

What is in ExoCLASS?

$$\frac{dE}{dVdt}\Big|_{\mathrm{dep},c}(z) = f_c(z)\frac{dE}{dVdt}\Big|_{\mathrm{inj}}(z)$$

ExoCLASS calculates the energy deposited in each channel from:

an energy injection history dE/dVdt_{inj}.

a set of "energy deposition function per channel" f(z), which requires to convolute the spectrum of electrons and photons with a set of transfer function T_c(z_inj,z_dep,E_inj) encoding the calorimetric properties of the plasma.

We have already implemented 4 energy injection histories:

annihilating DM including the effects of halo formation;Poulin et al., 1508.01370decaying DM, allowing small fraction with high decay rate;Poulin et al., 1610.10051low masses (~[1013,1017]g) evaporating PBH (Hawking radiation); Stoecker et al., 1801.01871Poulin et al., 1707.04206high masses (~[1,104] Msun) accreting PBH (disk or spherical).Poulin et al., 1707.04206

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DM annihilations

VP, Lesgourgues, Serpico; 1508.01370



DM annihilations delay the recombination and increase the freeze-out plateau

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CMB power spectra

VP, Lesgourgues, Serpico; 1508.01370



Recombination delay: shifts of the peak, more diffusion damping.

Higher freeze-out plateau: reionisation bump higher, higher optical depth.

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Planck 2015 results

Planck 2015, 1502.01589



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Higgs portal model

Stoecker, VP, et al., 1801.01871





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How does it compare to other probes?



CMB is usually weaker except for: i) low masses (MeV); ii) pure electronic channels.
 CMB is not affected by propagation or DM profile uncertainties.

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PBH evaporation

We explicitly show that the "on-the-spot" approximation is bad: f(z) has a too strong z-dependence



See Stoecker, VP, et al., 1801.01871 for all details on evaporation rate and spectra

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Boddy & Gluscevic, 1712.07133, 1801.08609

Temperature evolution

$$\dot{T}_{\chi} = -2\frac{a}{a}T_{\chi} + 2R'_{\chi}(T_b - T_{\chi})$$
Rate of heat transfer

$$\dot{T}_b = -2\frac{\dot{a}}{a}T_b + \frac{2\mu_b}{m_{\chi}}\frac{\rho_{\chi}}{\rho_b}R'_{\chi}(T_{\chi} - T_b) + \frac{2\mu_b}{m_e}R_{\gamma}(T_{\gamma} - T_b) ,$$

Evolution of density and velocity perturbations

The rates can be linked to the DD formalism:

$$\frac{d\vec{V}_{\chi}}{dt} = (1+z)R_{\chi}(\vec{V}_{b} - \vec{V}_{\chi}) = -\rho_{b}\sum_{B}\frac{Y_{B}}{m_{\chi} + m_{B}}\int d^{3}v\vec{v}[\sigma_{\rm MT}]_{B}(v)v]f(\vec{v})$$

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momentum-transfer cross section

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21 cm as a probe of DM-b scattering

 Hyperfine transition from neutral hydrogen
 Very sensitive probes of the Epoch of Reionization (EoR)
 Key quantities : Spin temperature Ts and differential brightness temperature Tb



$$\frac{n_1}{n_0} = 3e^{-E_{10}/k_B T_S}$$



$$T_S^{-1} = \frac{T_{\text{CMB}}^{-1} + x_c T_K^{-1} + x_\alpha T_c^{-1}}{1 + x_c + x_\alpha}$$

scattering with CMB

collision within the gas

interaction with UV from stars

Compare patch of the sky with/without hydrogen clouds:

$$\delta T_b(\nu) = \frac{T_s - T_{\rm CMB}}{1+z} \left(1 - \exp(-\tau_{\nu 21})\right)$$

see e.g. Furlanetto et al. Phys.Rept. 433 (2006) 181-301

Difficulty = Huge astrophysical uncertainty below $z \approx 20$ Stars can emits UV, ionizing photons and X-ray (heating)

21cm signal from EDGES

Bowman et al, nature25792

EDGES is a broadband antenna (50-100 MHz) located in Western Australia
 The signal is much more (x2.5) in absorption than one expects.



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Have we discovered DM (again)?

- The gas is cooler than the pure adiabatic expansion. Scattering on CDM?
- requires a v⁻⁴ dependence to avoid other constraints! e.g. milli-charged DM.
- One subtlety: large DM-b relative velocity can heat the baryons.



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My next task: check the CMB/LSS

with K. Boddy and V. Gluscevic

- Boddy & Gluscevic 1801.08609: constraints on positive power of velocities.
- Xu et al, 1802.06788: Bad treatment of relative velocities and recombination

Currently I believe that such an interacting DM is still allowed



Boddy & Gluscevic, 1712.07133, 1801.08609

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Conclusions

We can perform both direct and indirect detection with the CMB: ExoCLASS. Constraints are competitive and/or complementary to galactic searches.

An interesting DM-b signal has been seen in the 21cm: it will probably die (first experiment!) but it shows that data are coming! We ought to be ready.

Thank you!

Back Up

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EFT Operator

Anand et al. (2014), Fitzpatrick et al. (2013), Fan et al. (2010)



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Constraints on SI and SD

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Comparison with DD

Emken and Kouvaris 1802.04764



Underground DD are shielded and insensitive to strongly interacting DM!

The CMB extends constraints down to the KeV scale.

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