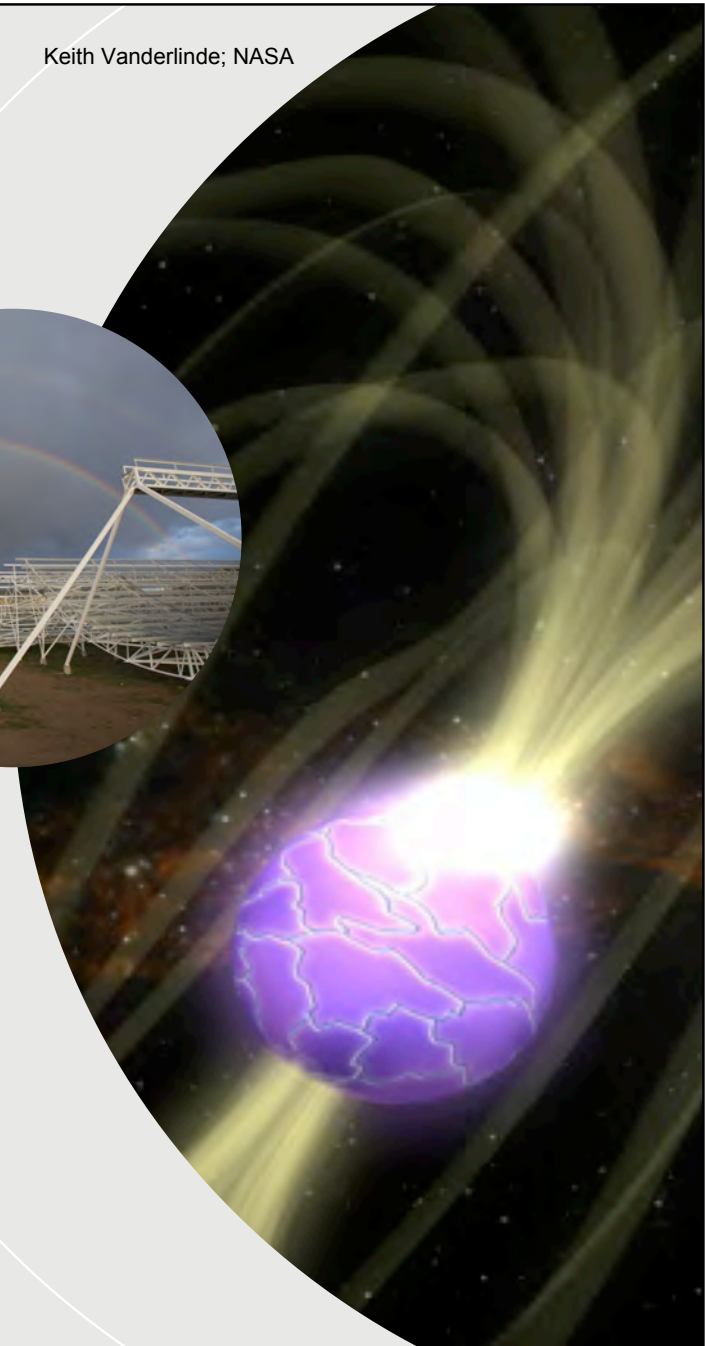


Fast Radio Burst Dispersion Measures & Rotation Measures

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Dispersion Measure and Rotation Measure

$$\text{delay} = 0.41 \text{ seconds} \times \left(\frac{\text{DM}}{\text{pc cm}^{-3}} \right) \times \left(\frac{\nu}{100 \text{ MHz}} \right)^{-2}$$

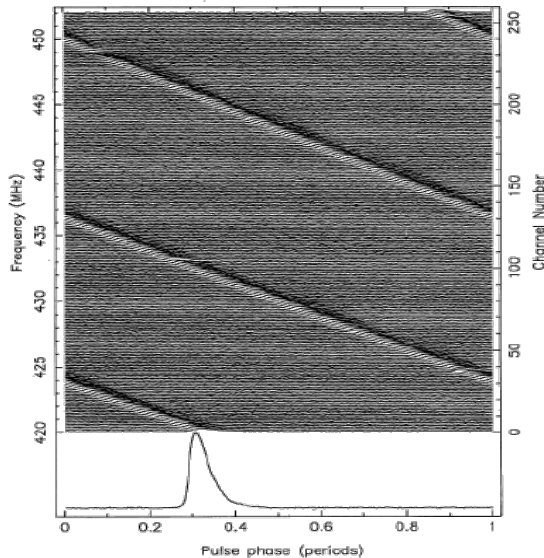
$$\Delta\Theta = \text{RM} \lambda^2$$

$$\text{DM} = \int_0^{L/\text{pc}} \left(\frac{n_e}{\text{cm}^{-3}} \right) \left(\frac{dl}{\text{pc}} \right) \text{ pc cm}^{-3}$$

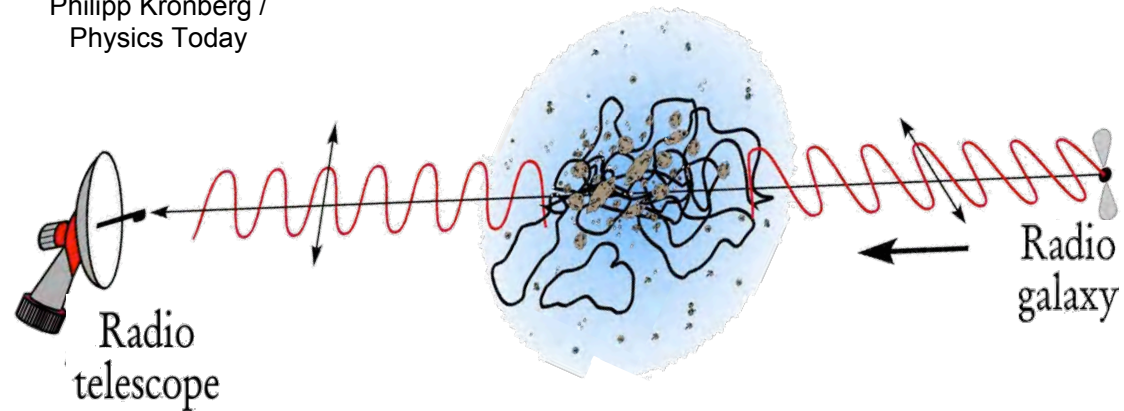
$$\text{RM} = 0.812 \int_0^{L/\text{pc}} \left(\frac{n_e}{\text{cm}^{-3}} \right) \left(\frac{B_{\parallel}}{\mu\text{G}} \right) \left(\frac{dl}{\text{pc}} \right) \text{ rad m}^{-2}$$

$$\langle B_{\parallel} \rangle = 1.232 \frac{(\text{RM} / \text{rad m}^{-2})}{(\text{DM} / \text{pc cm}^{-3})} \mu\text{G}$$

Manchester et al. (1996)

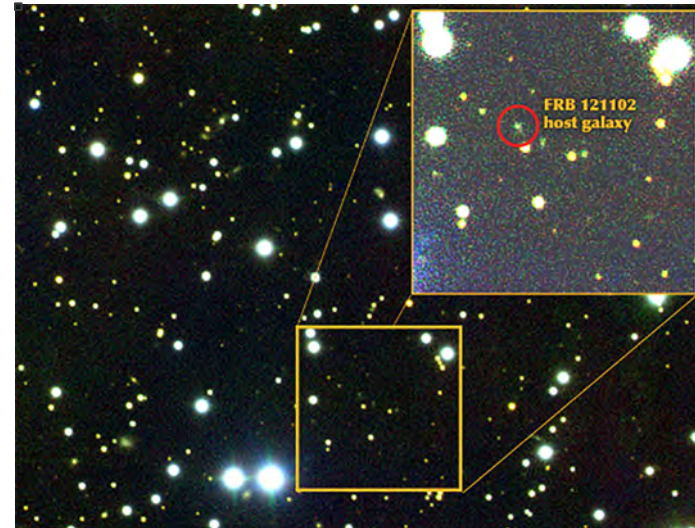
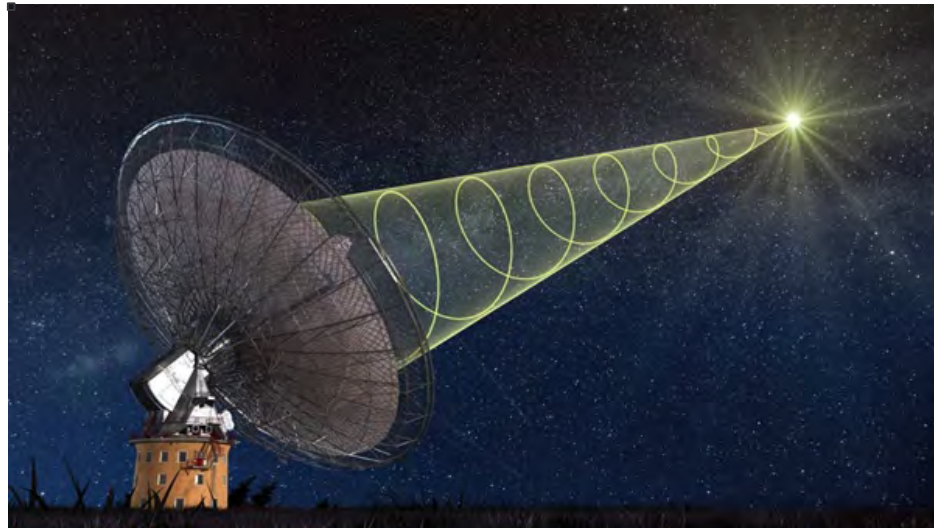


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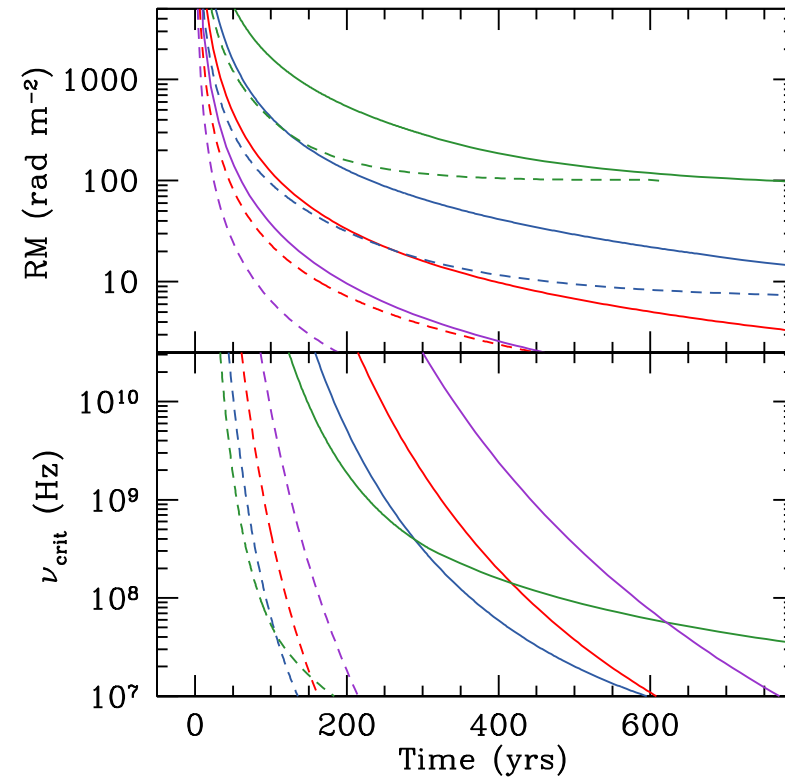
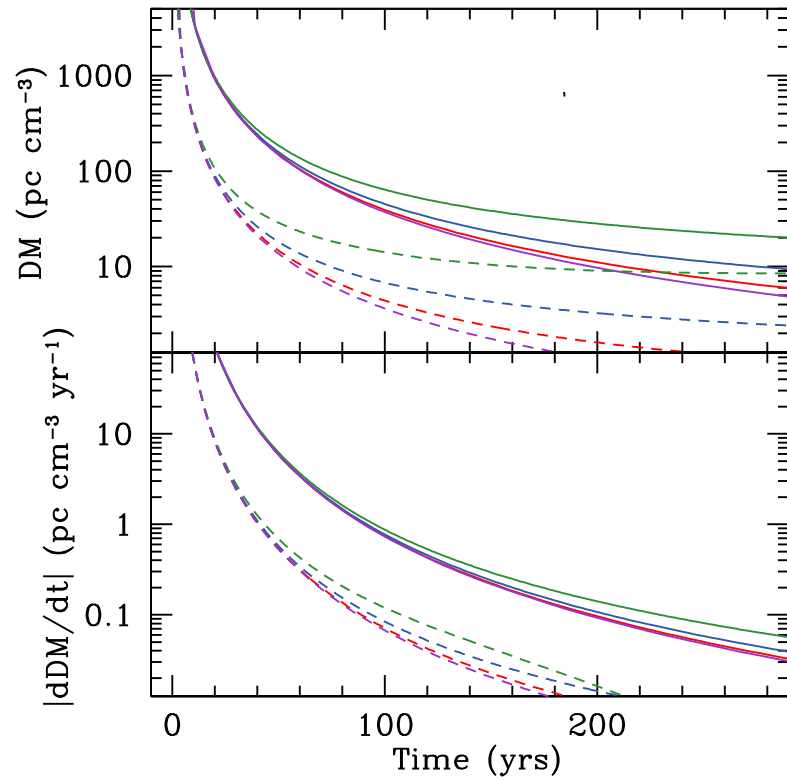


Possible DM & RM Contributions

- › Milky Way disk (Oppermann et al. 2015; Yao et al. 2016)
- › Milky Way halo (Dolag, Gaensler et al. 2015)
- › Host galaxy (Xu & Han 2015; Yang et al. 2016, 2017)
- › Local environment (Connor+ 2016; Lyuitkov+ 2016; Piro 2016, 2017)
- › Intergalactic medium (IGM) (McQuinn 2014; Dolag, Gaensler et al. 2015; Akahori, Ryu & Gaensler 2016)
- › Cosmological expansion (Zhou et al. 2014; Gao et al. 2014)



DM & RM of Supernova Ejecta



Stellar Winds

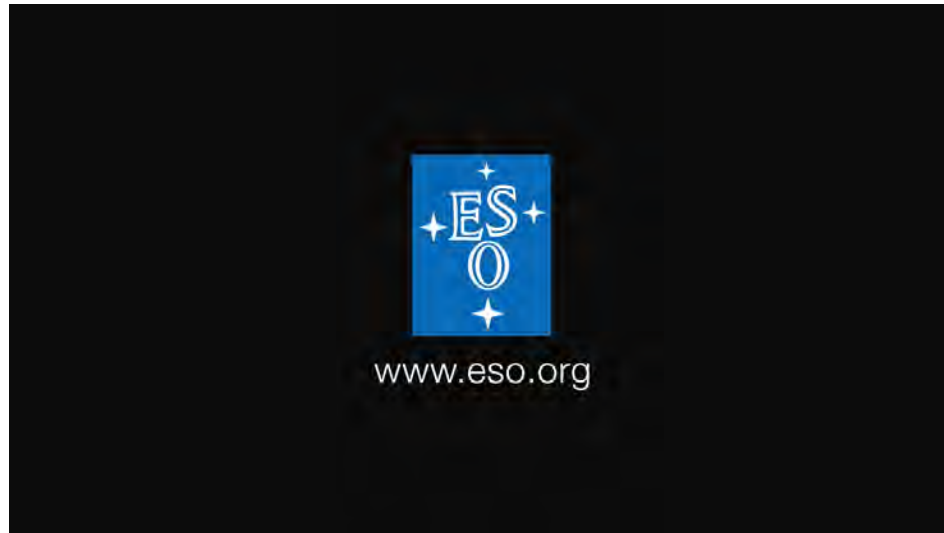


“Bubble Nebula”, aka NGC 7635 (ESA/Hubble)

Progenitor Winds: SN 1987A

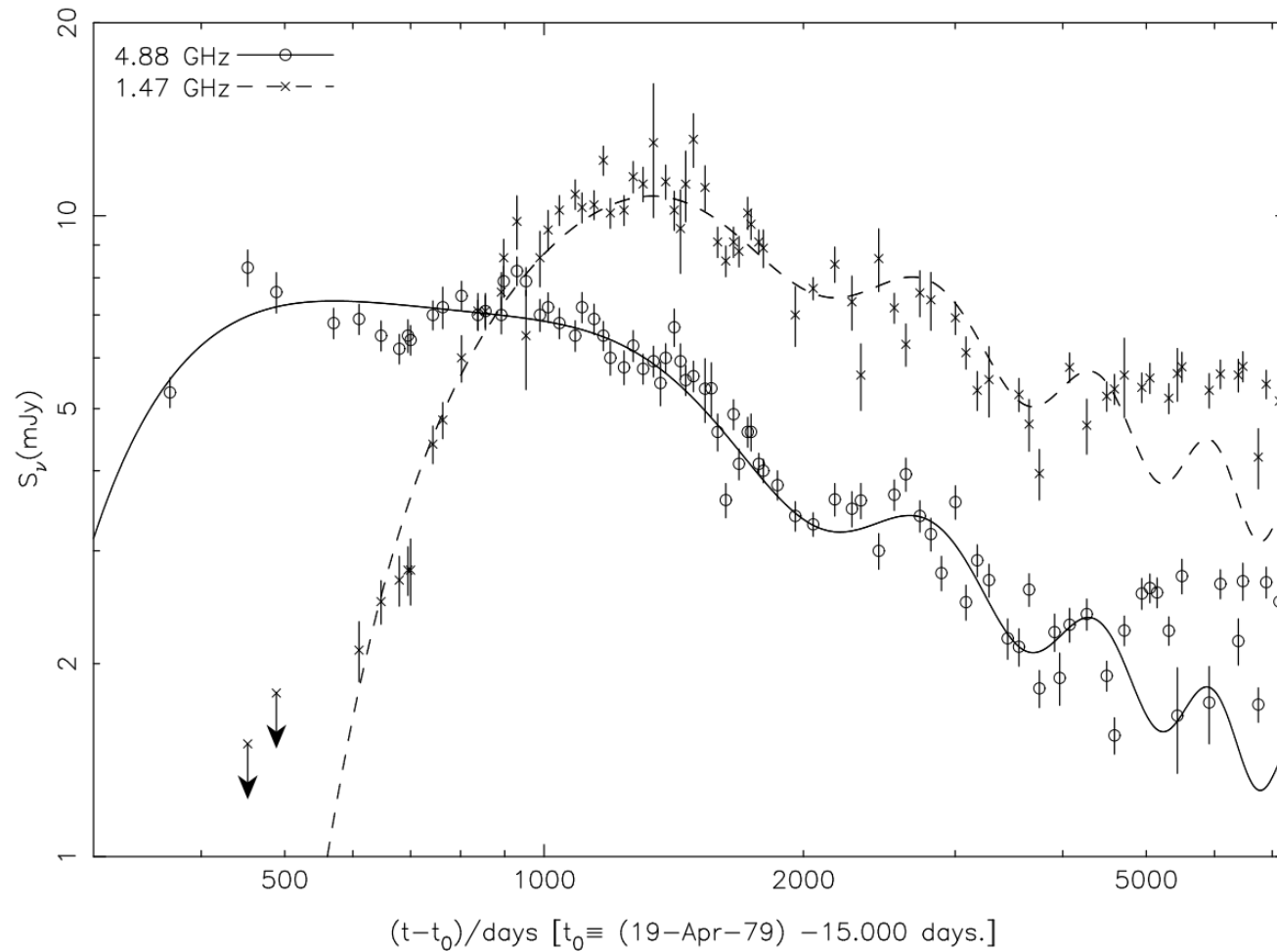


ESA/Hubble



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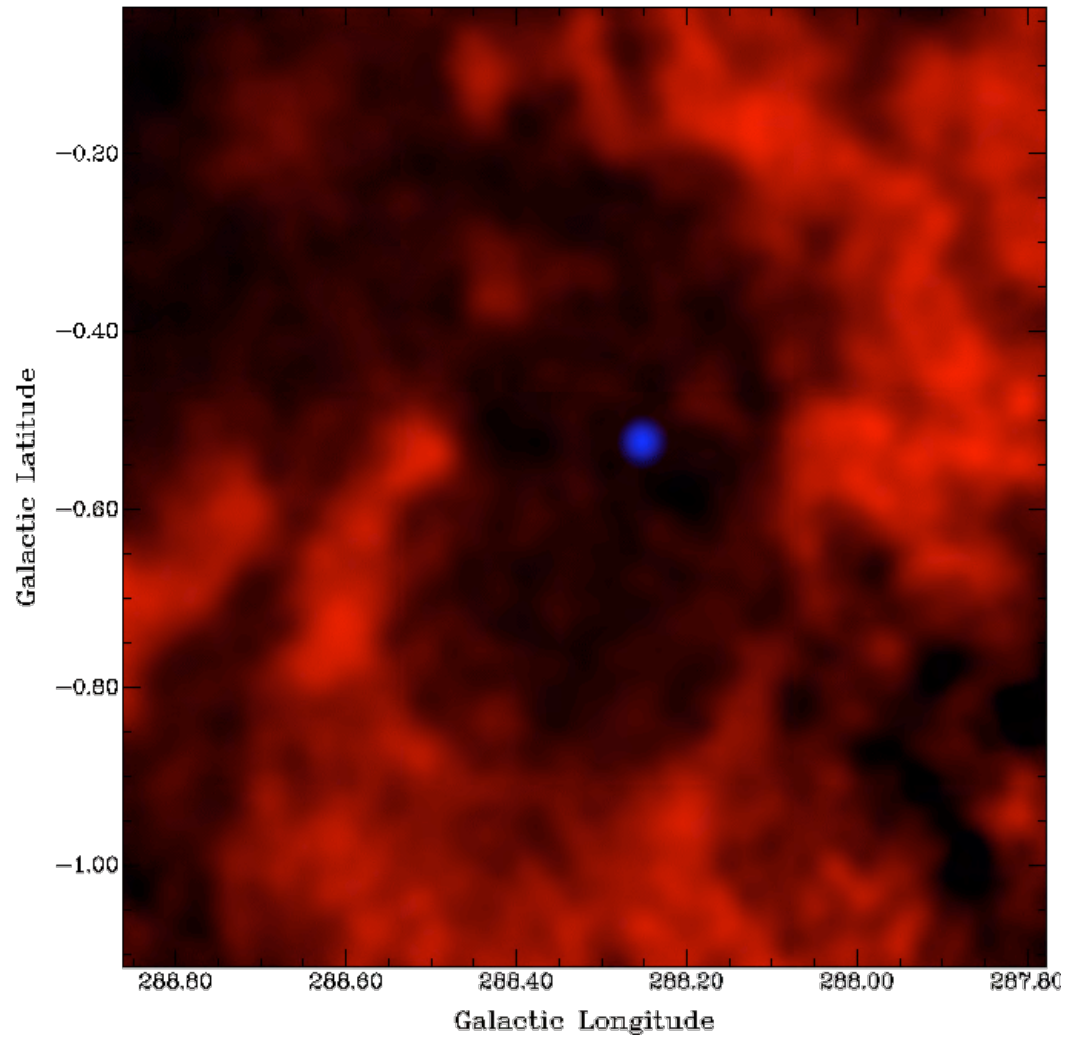
Progenitor Winds: SN 1979C



Montes et al. (2000)

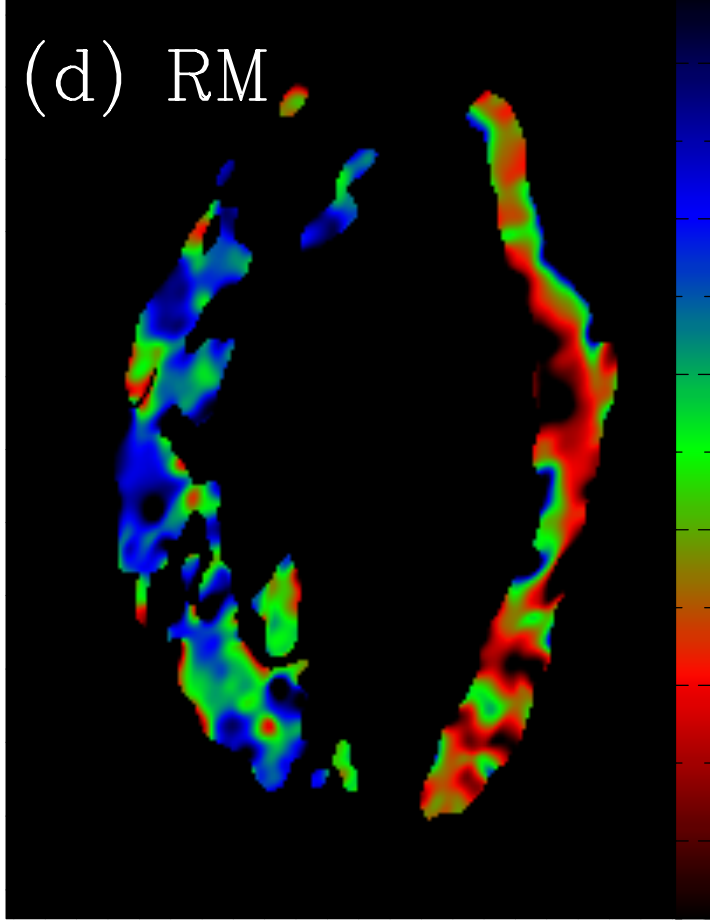
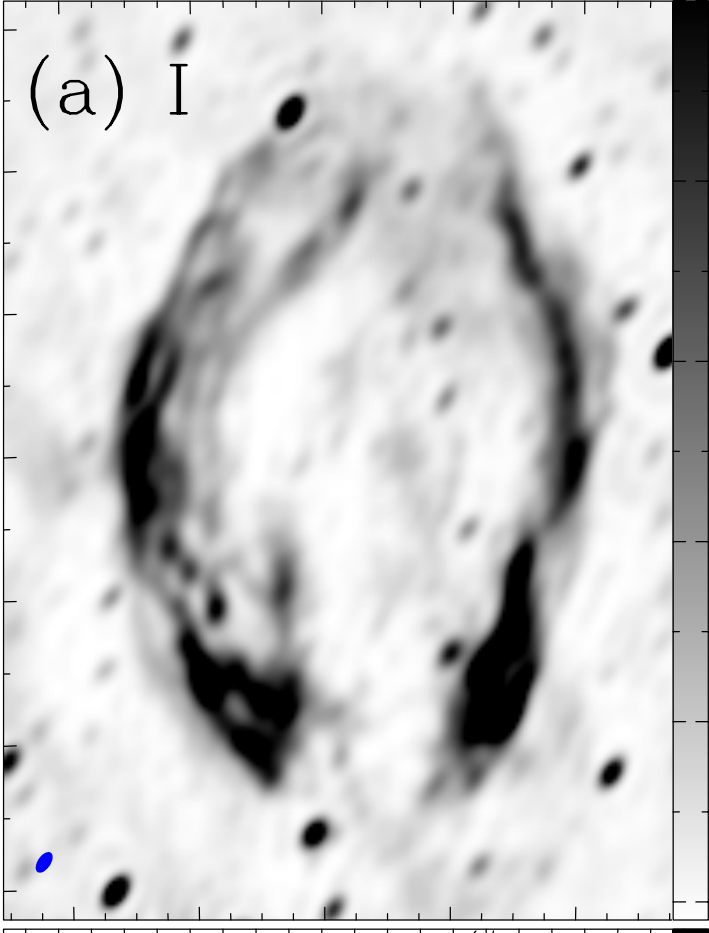
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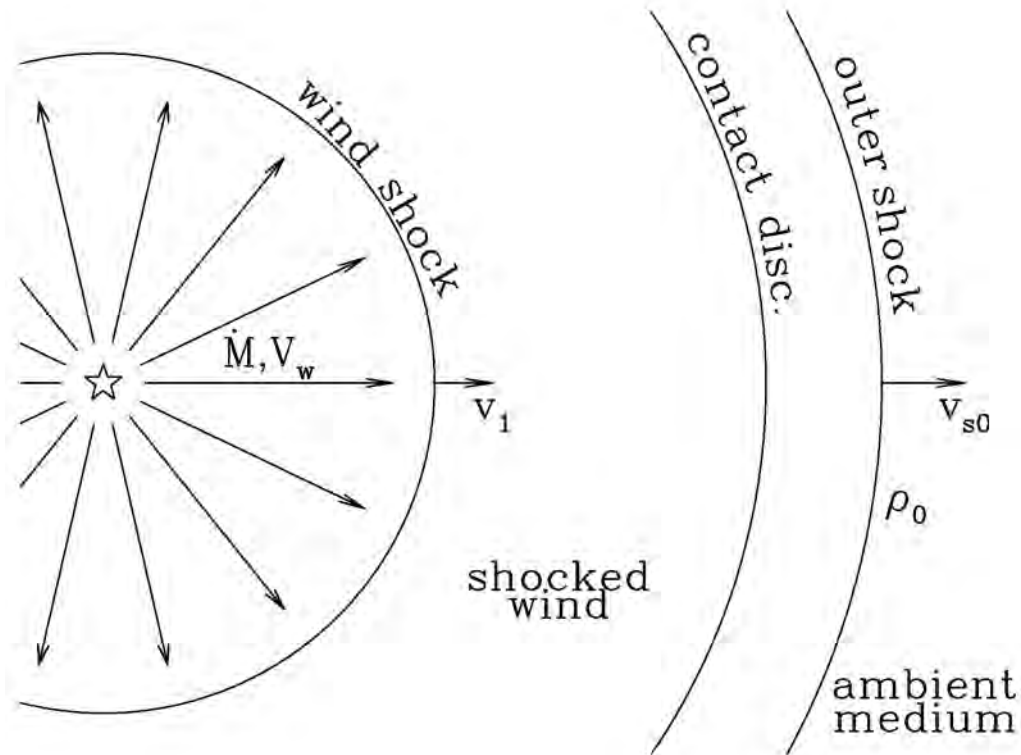
ATCA (21cm H I) + *Chandra* (Gaensler et al. 2005)

Supernova Remnants



SNR G296.5+10.0 (Harvey-Smith, Gaensler et al. 2010)

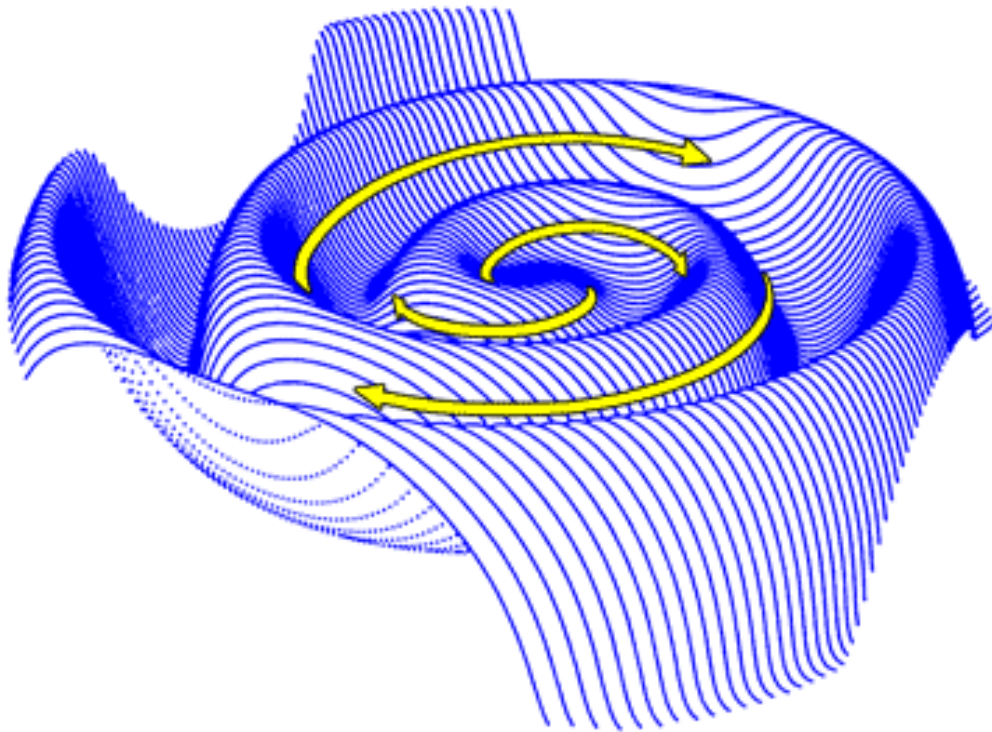
Stellar Wind Structure



Unshocked wind:

$$n(r) = \frac{\dot{M}}{4\pi r^2 V_\infty m_H}$$

Stellar Wind Structure



Unshocked wind:

$$B(r) \sim B_* \left(\frac{R_*}{r} \right) \left(\frac{V_{rot}}{V_\infty} \right)$$

Swept Up RM and DM (I)

- › Shocked ejecta (Piro 2016):

$$DM_{\text{SNR}}(t) = \frac{3f_{\text{ion}}M_{\text{ej}}}{4\pi V_{\text{SNR}}^2 m_H} t^{-2} \quad RM_{\text{SNR}}(t) = 0.81 (4\pi\epsilon_B \rho V_{\text{rev}}^2)^{1/2} \frac{3f_{\text{ion}}M_{\text{ej}}}{4\pi V_{\text{SNR}}^2 m_H} t^{-2}$$

- › Uniform ambient medium (un-ionised) :

$$DM_{\text{SNR}}(t) = \frac{n_0 V_{\text{SNR}}}{3} t \quad RM_{\text{SNR}}(t) = \frac{0.14}{\alpha} n_0 B_0 \left(\frac{R}{\Delta R} \right) V_{\text{SNR}} t$$

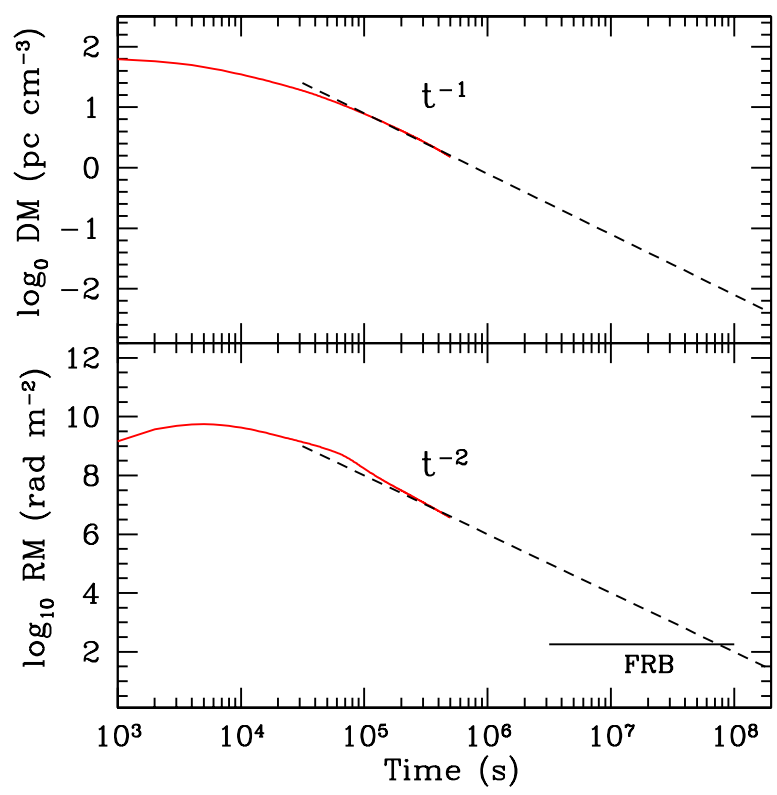
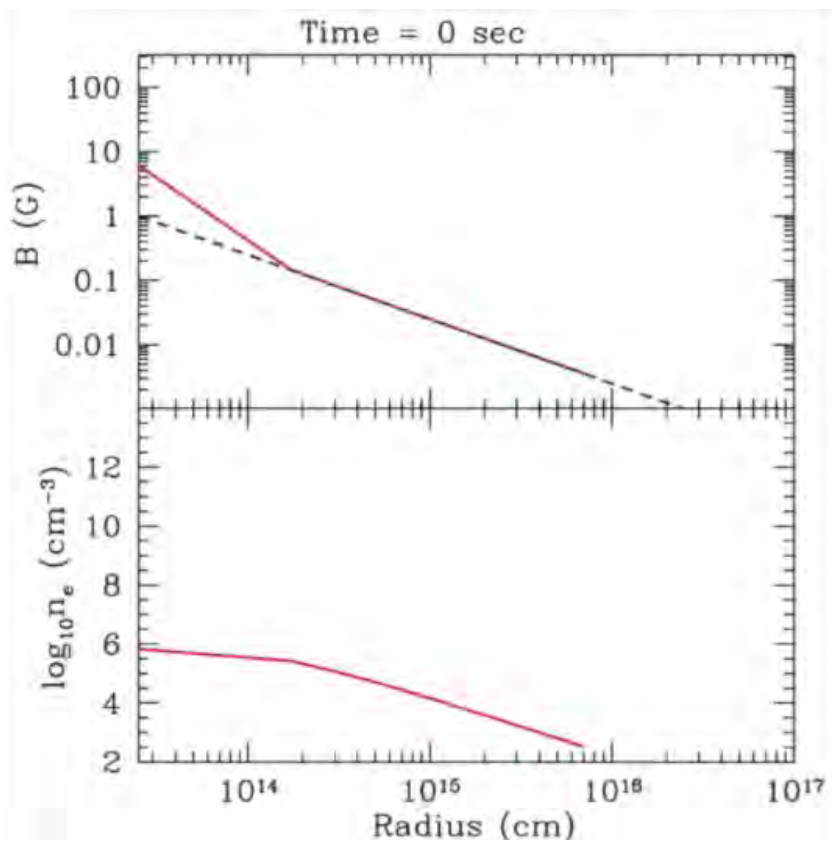
- › Stellar wind:

$$\alpha = \frac{\Delta R}{R} \approx \frac{1}{12}$$

$$DM_{\text{SNR}}(t) = \left(\frac{\alpha + 2}{\alpha + 1} \right) \frac{\dot{M}}{4\pi V_{\infty} V_{\text{SNR}} m_H} t^{-1}$$

$$RM_{\text{SNR}}(t) = 0.81 \left[\frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{(1 + \alpha)^2} \right] \left(\frac{V_{\text{rot}}}{V_{\infty}} \right) \frac{B_* R_* \dot{M}}{4\pi V_{\infty} V_{\text{SNR}}^2 m_H} t^{-2}$$

Swept Up RM and DM (II)



Swept Up RM and DM (III)

- › Uniform ambient medium : negligible
- › Shocked SNR ejecta: (Piro 2016; Piro & Burke-Spolaor 2017)

$$\text{DM}_{\text{SNR}}(t) \sim 100 \left(\frac{M_{ej}}{M_{\odot}} \right) \left(\frac{f_{ion}}{0.1} \right) \left(\frac{V_{\text{SNR}}}{10^4 \text{ km/s}} \right)^{-2} \left(\frac{t}{10 \text{ yr}} \right)^{-2} \text{ pc cm}^{-3}$$

$$\text{RM}_{\text{SNR}}(t) \sim 400 \left(\frac{M_{ej}}{M_{\odot}} \right) \left(\frac{f_{ion}}{0.1} \right) \left(\frac{V_{\text{SNR}}}{10^4 \text{ km/s}} \right)^{-1} \left(\frac{t}{10 \text{ yr}} \right)^{-2} \text{ rad m}^{-2}$$

- › Stellar wind (normalised by parameters for a red supergiant):

$$\text{DM}_{\text{SNR}}(t) \sim 10 \left(\frac{\dot{M}}{10^{-5} M_{\odot} \text{ yr}^{-1}} \right) \left(\frac{V_{\infty}}{30 \text{ km/s}} \right)^{-1} \left(\frac{V_{\text{SNR}}}{10^4 \text{ km/s}} \right)^{-1} \left(\frac{t}{10 \text{ yr}} \right)^{-1} \text{ pc cm}^{-3}$$

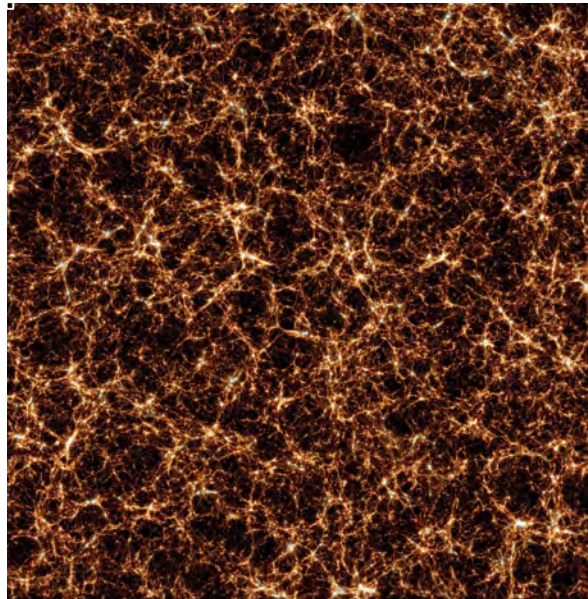
$$\text{RM}_{\text{SNR}}(t) \sim 3 \times 10^4 \left(\frac{B_*}{500 \text{ G}} \right) \left(\frac{R_*}{300 R_{\odot}} \right) \left(\frac{\dot{M}}{10^{-5} M_{\odot} \text{ yr}^{-1}} \right) \left(\frac{V_{rot}/V_{\infty}}{0.1} \right) \left(\frac{V_{\infty}}{30 \text{ km/s}} \right)^{-1} \left(\frac{V_{\text{SNR}}}{10^4 \text{ km/s}} \right)^{-2} \left(\frac{t}{10 \text{ yr}} \right)^{-2} \text{ rad m}^{-2}$$

- › Evolution of DM & RM for repeating FRBs: overall + detailed diagnostic?

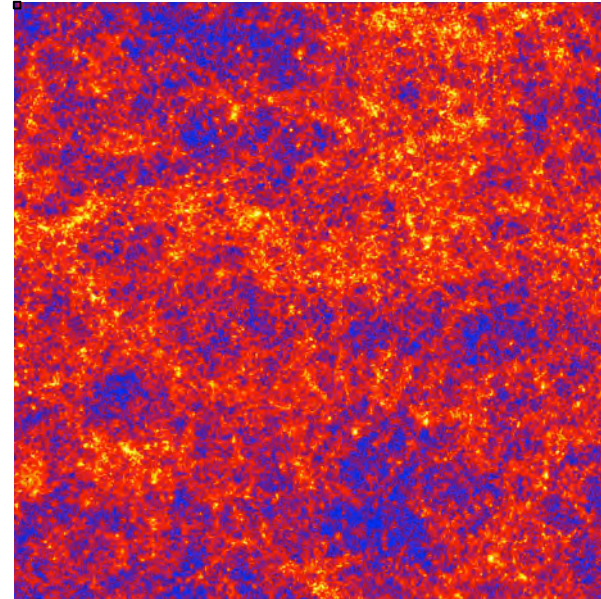
Magneticum Pathfinder Simulation

- › Very large cosmological simulation ($896h^{-3} \text{ Mpc}^3$) (Dolag et al. 2014)
 - cosmic web and halos (but not disks)
 - supernova heating, winds, ionisation, AGN growth, chemical evolution
 - medium-resolution simulation for overall volume
 - high-resolution simulation for galaxies & halos

Dolag, Gaensler, Beck and Beck (2014)



T (colour) and n (intensity) at $z = 0$

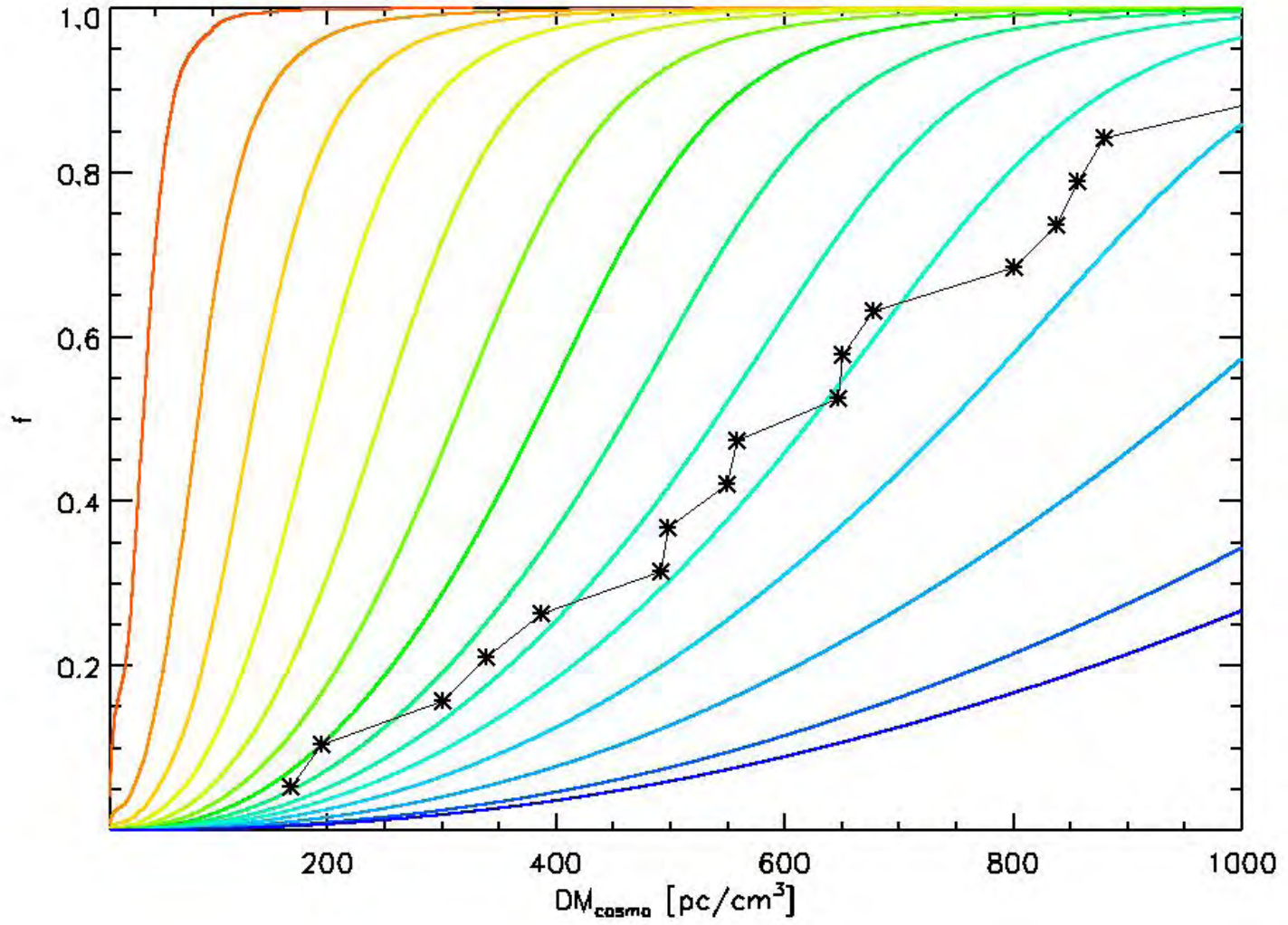


DM out to $z = 2$

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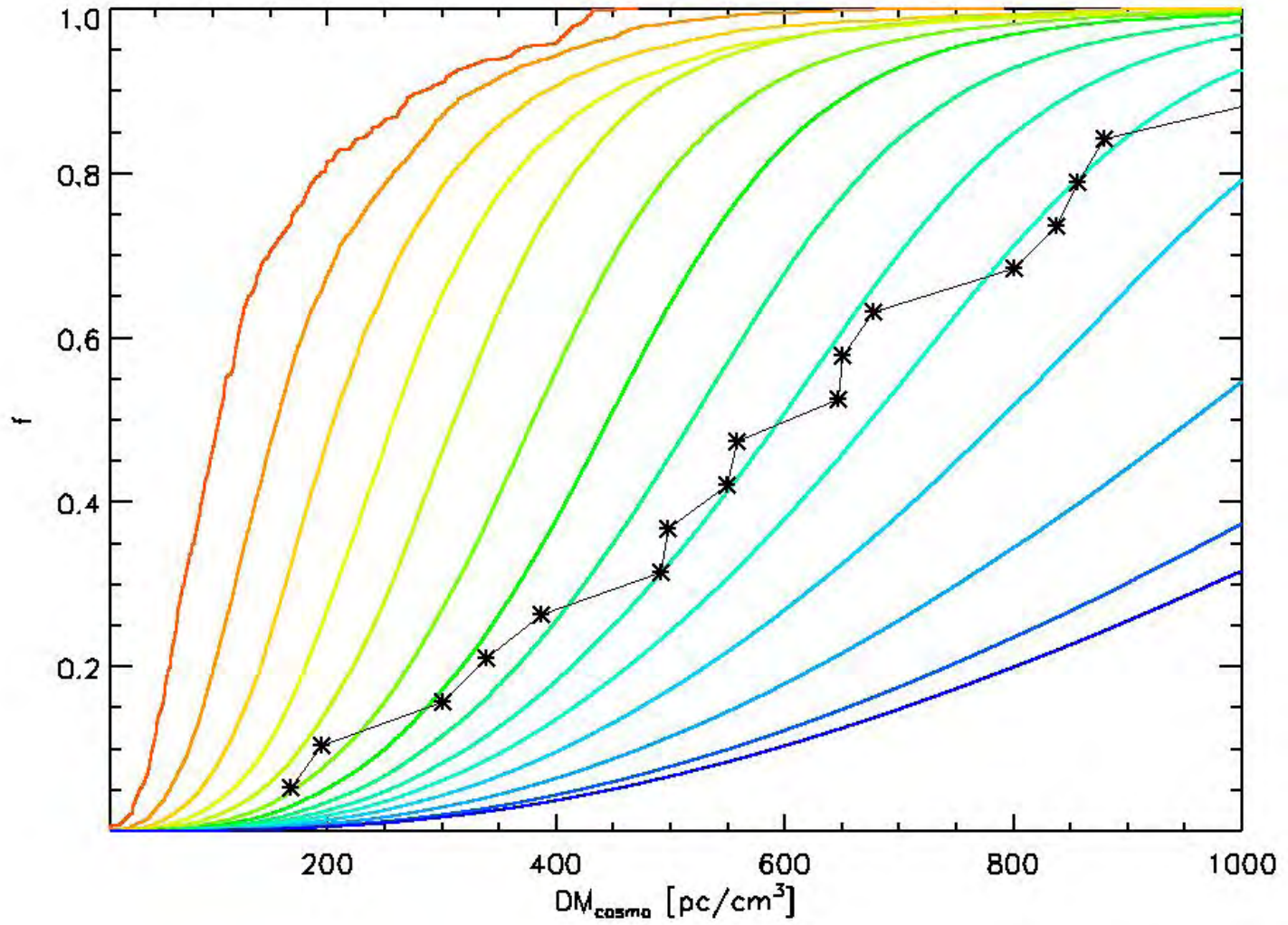
DM Distribution: Random

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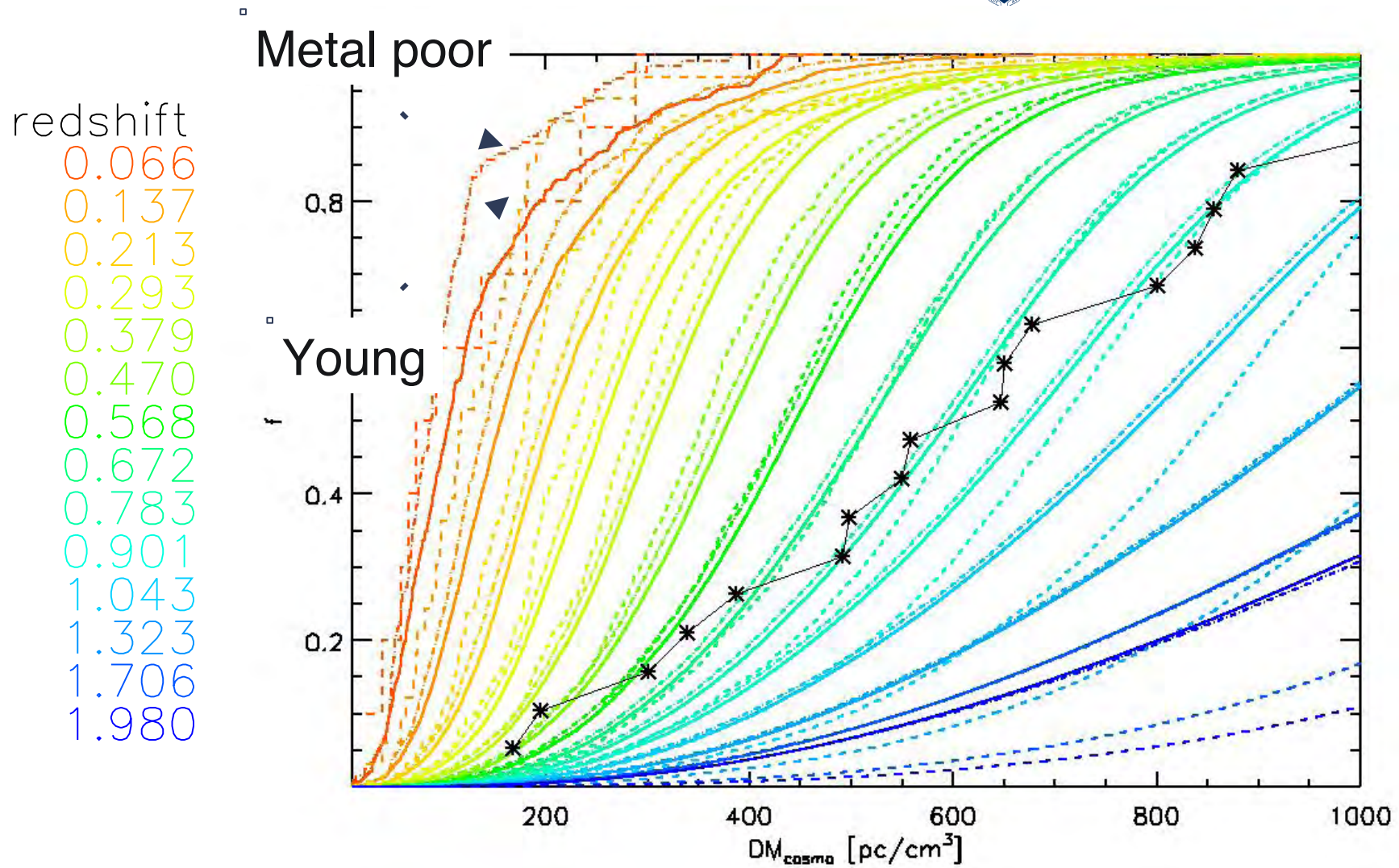


DM Distribution: Traces Stars

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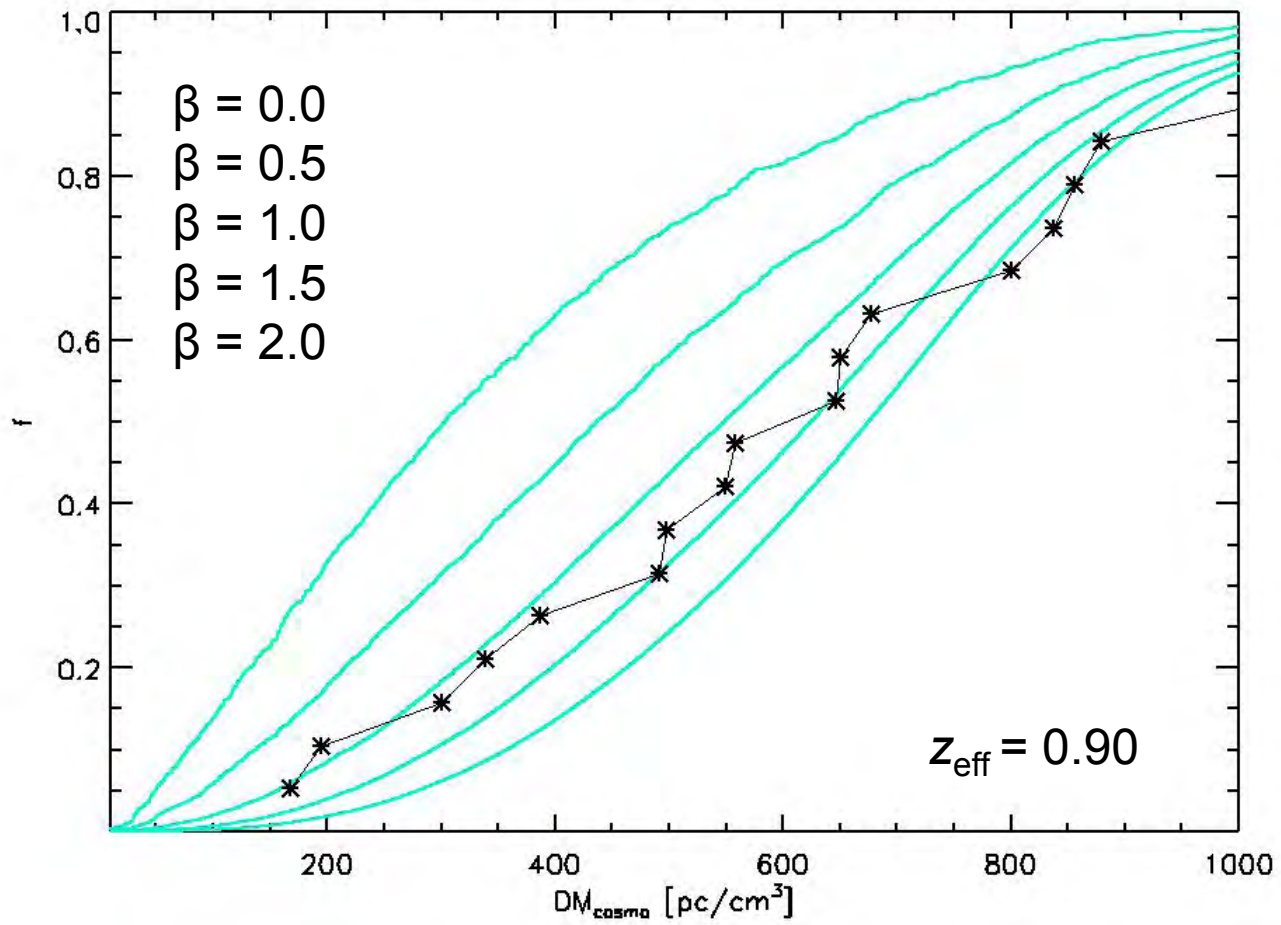


DM Distribution: Stellar Populations



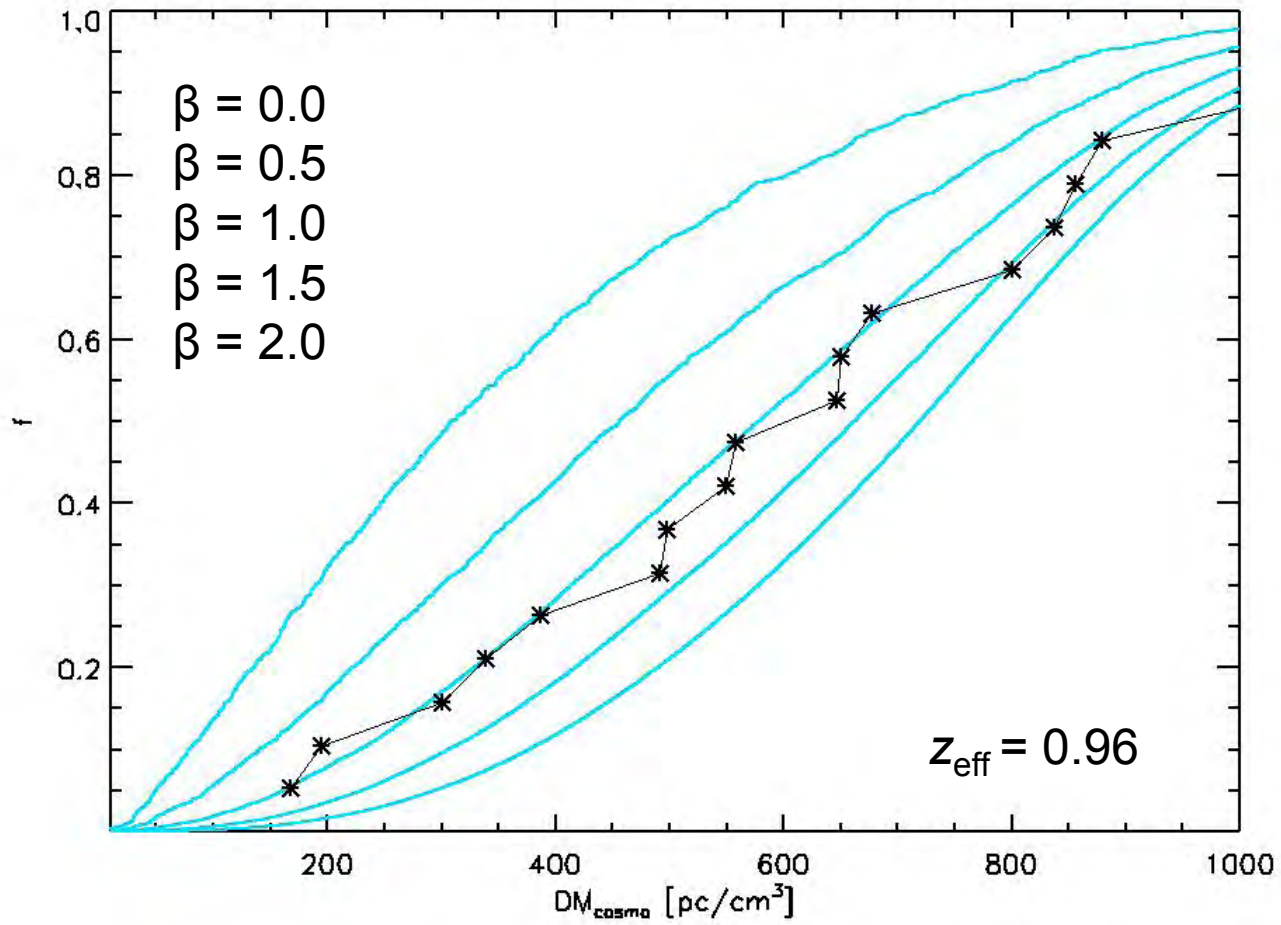
Energy Distribution (I)

> $p(E) \propto E^{-\beta}$, fluence $> F_{\text{detect}}$



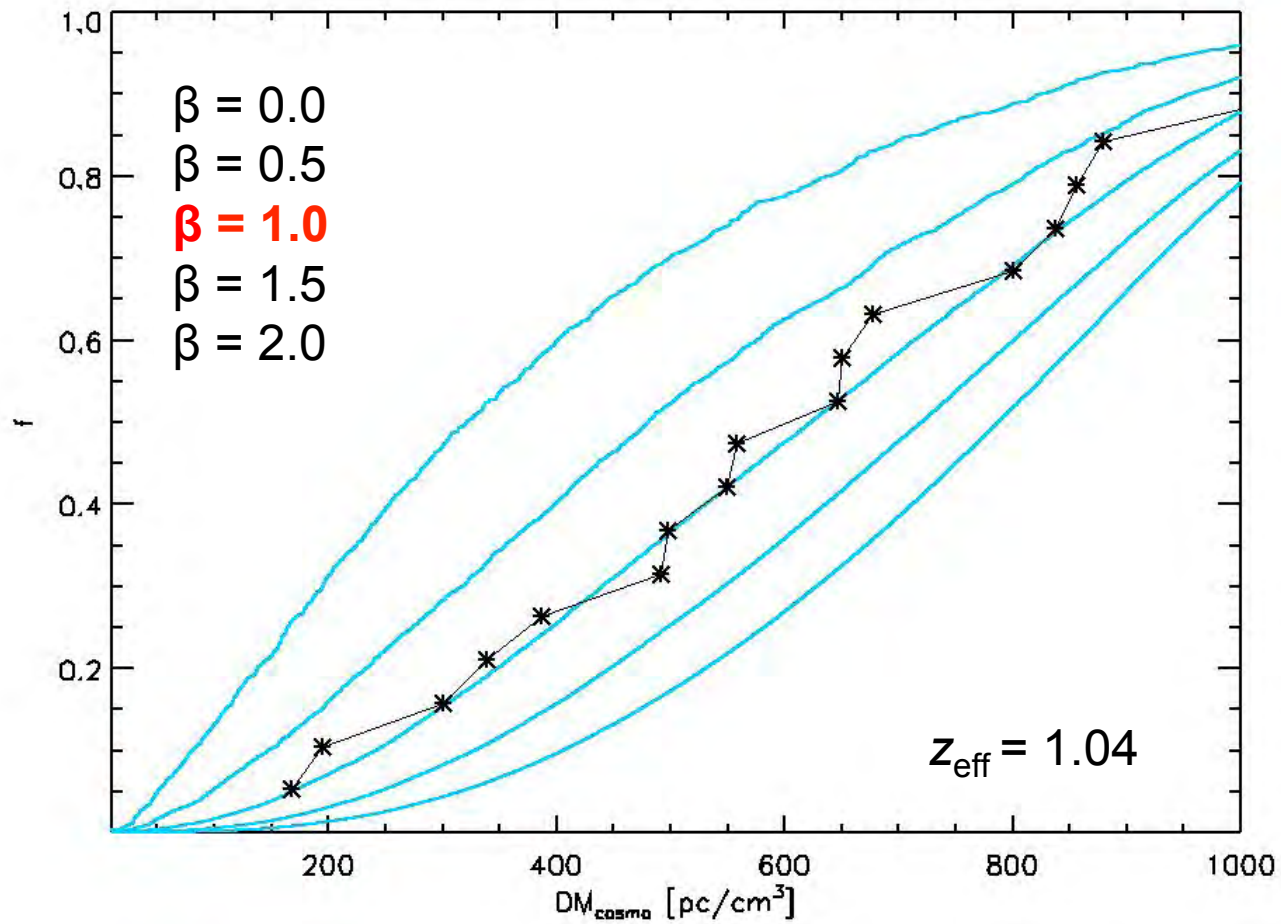
Energy Distribution (II)

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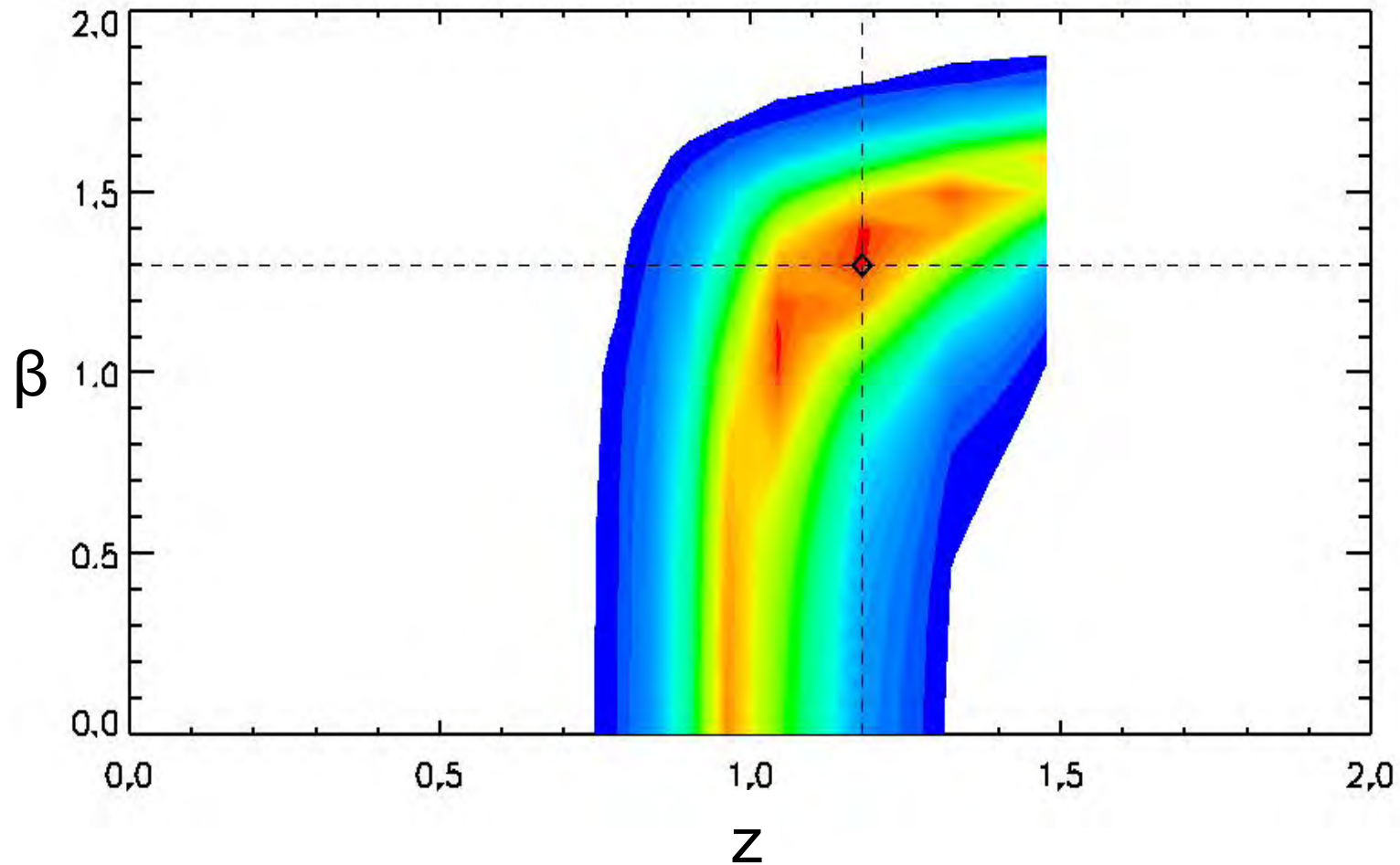
Energy Distribution (III)

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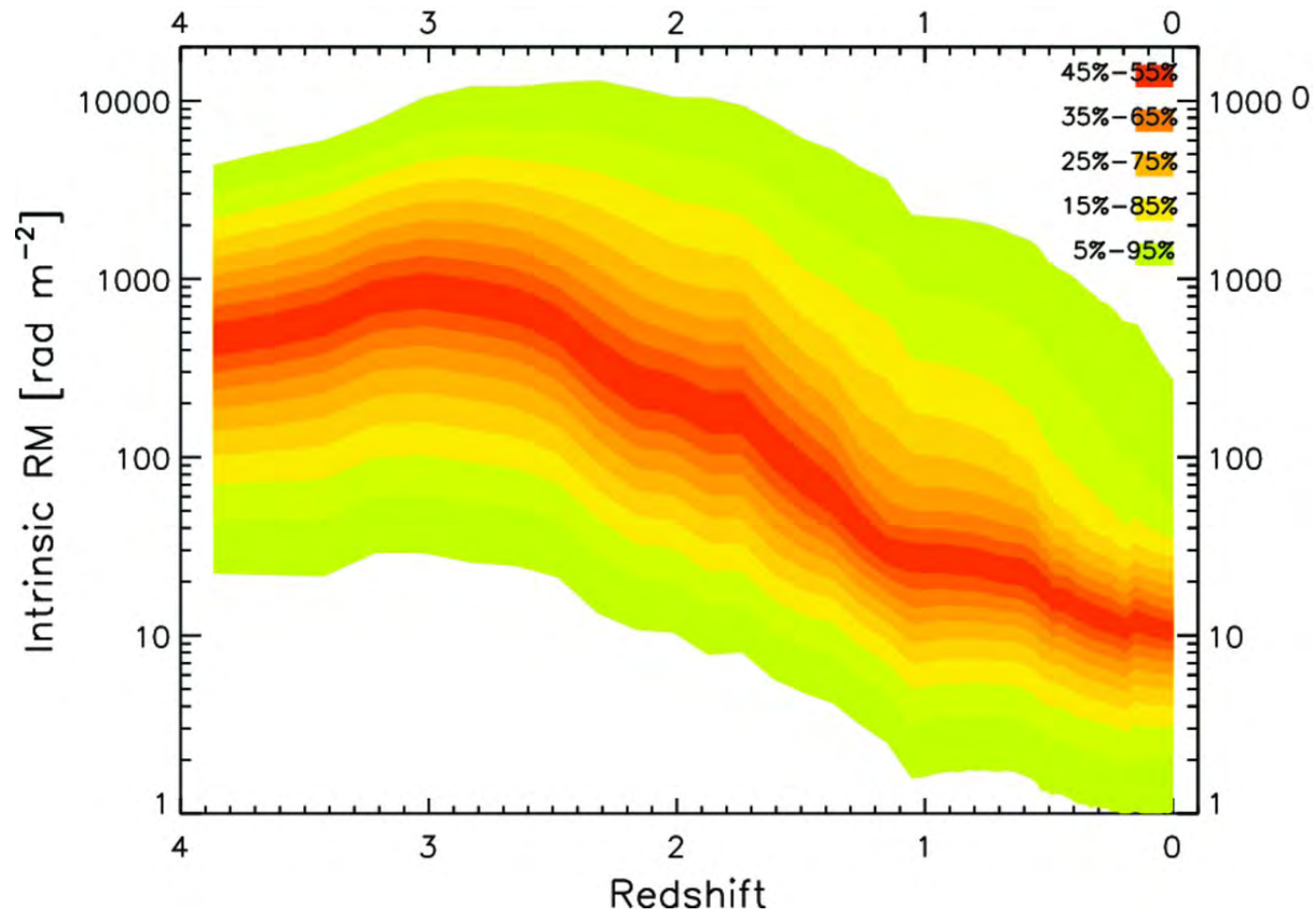


Energy Distribution (V)

> $p(E) \propto E^{-\beta}$, fluence $> F_{\text{detect}}$

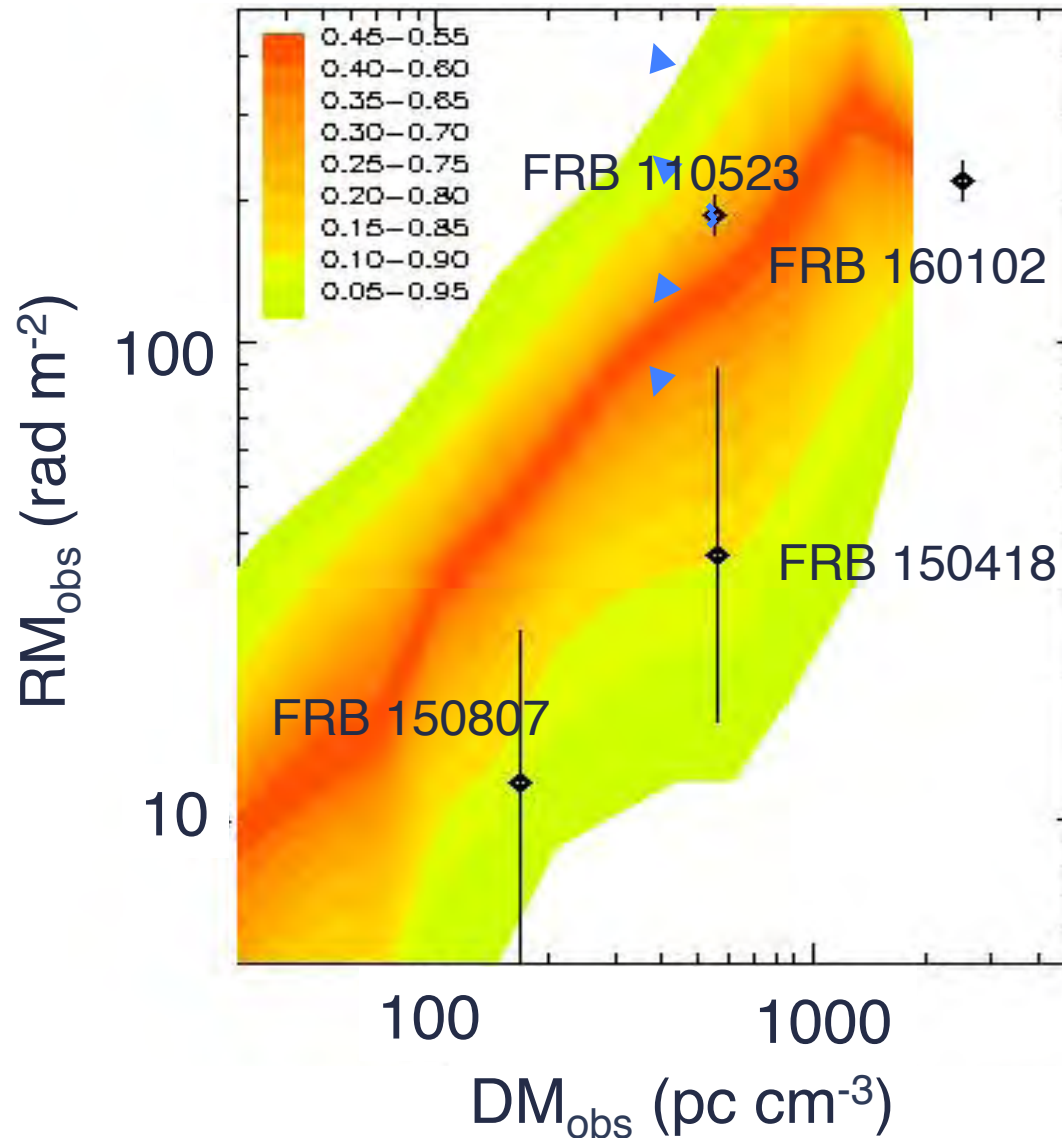


RM Contribution: Host Halo



Beck et al. (2013)

RM vs DM ($z = 1.74$)



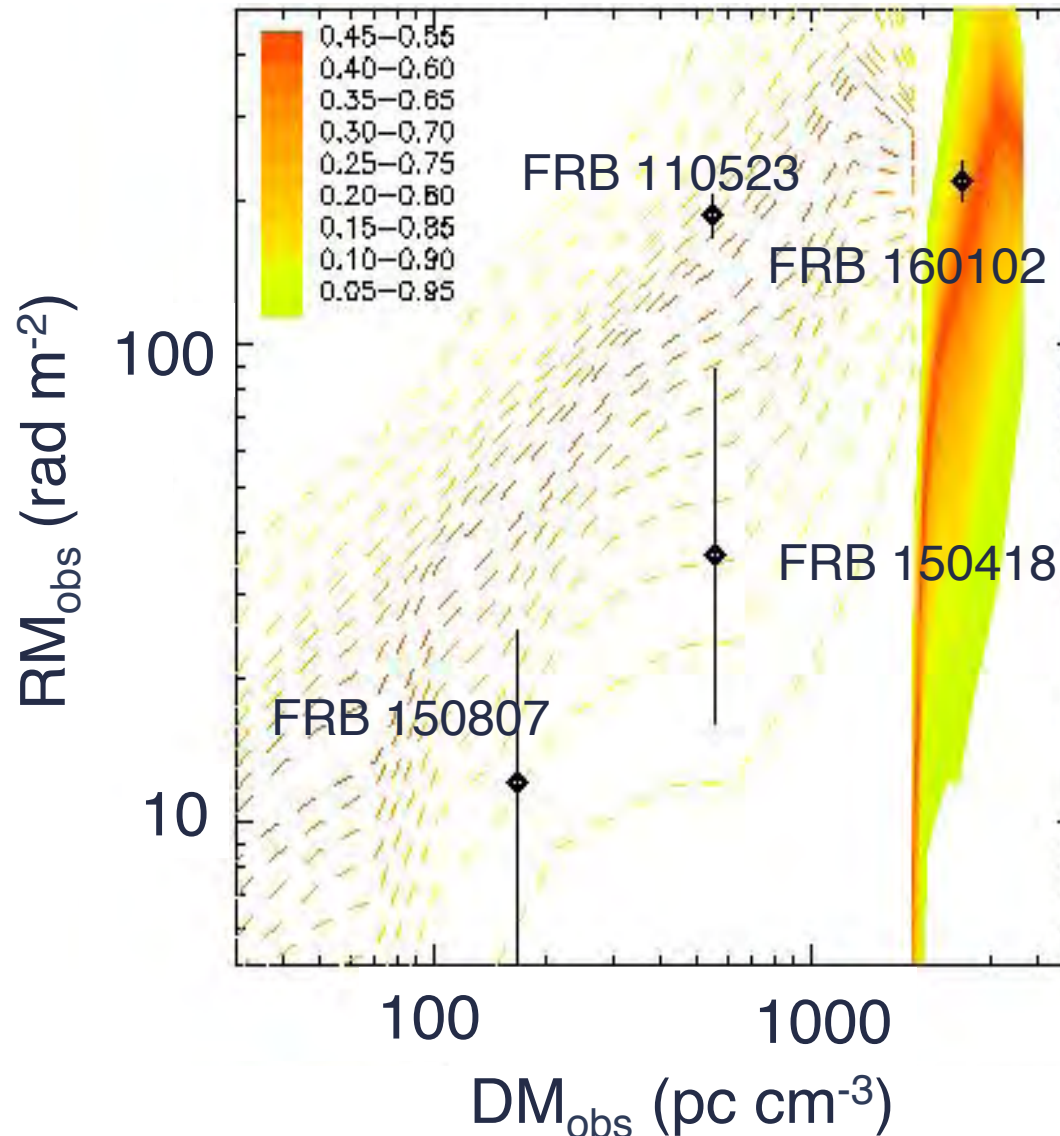
Disk
contribution:

$5 \mu\text{G}$

**HALO
ONLY**

Dolag, Gaensler et al.
(in preparation)

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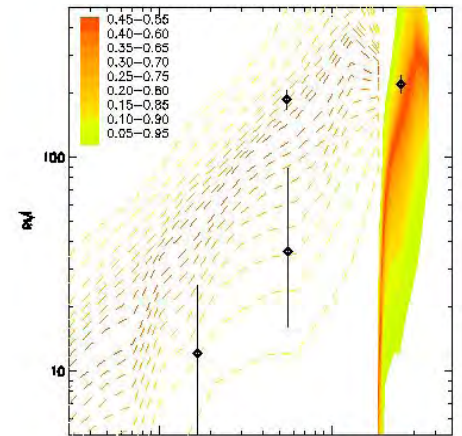


HALO
+
IGM

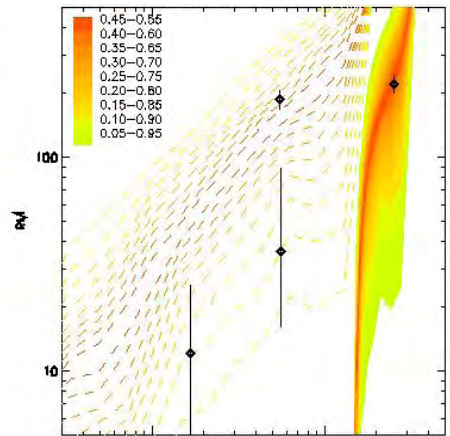
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RM vs DM vs Redshift

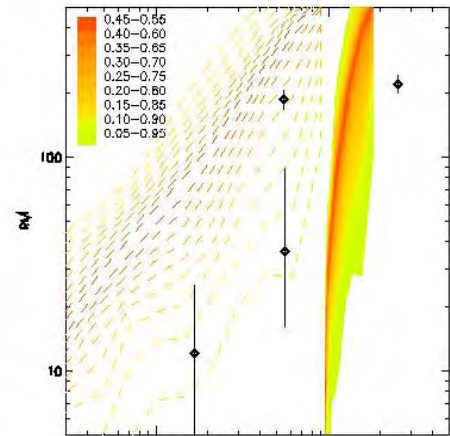
$z = 1.74$



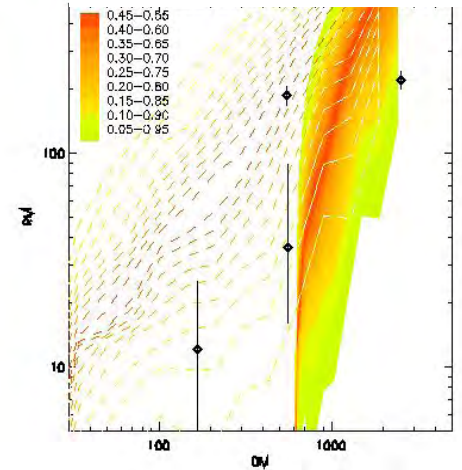
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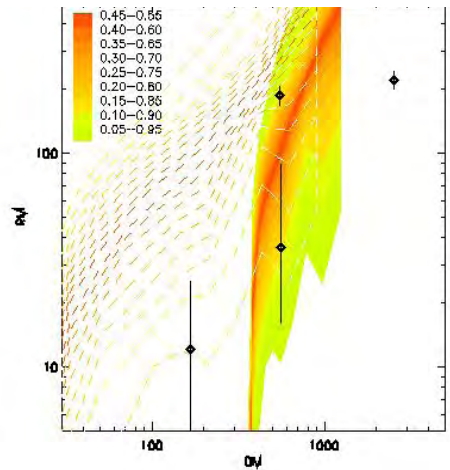
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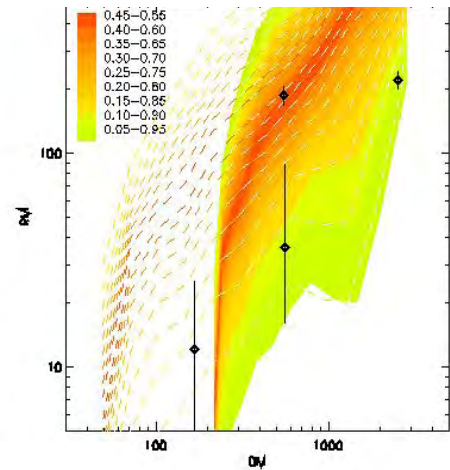
$z = 0.73$



$z = 0.49$



$z = 0.30$



Dolag, Gaensler et al.
(in preparation)

Faraday Rotation of the IGM

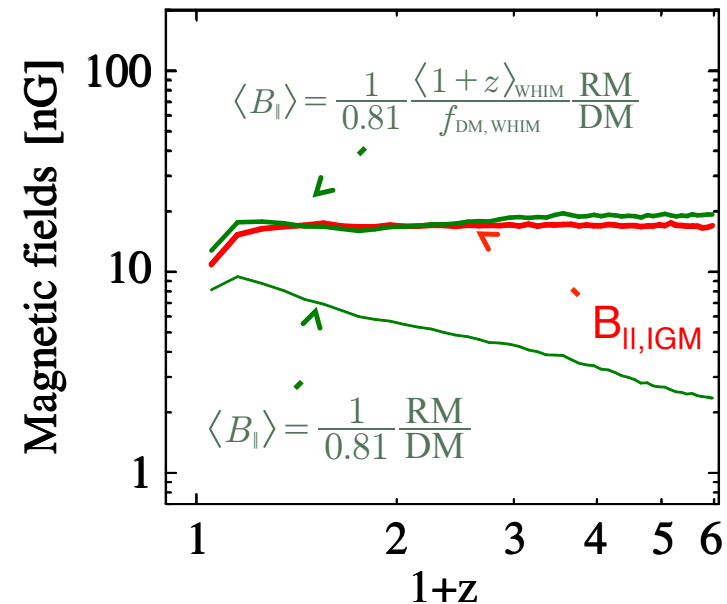
- > B_{IGM} is discriminant between competing models of cosmic magnetism

$$\langle B_{\parallel} \rangle = \frac{1}{0.81} \frac{\text{RM}}{\text{DM}}$$

- > Three issues for RM of IGM RM :
 - Main DM source depends on z (WHIM at low z ; voids at high z)
 - Main source of RM: hot cluster gas
 - DM and RM have different redshift dependencies

- > Modified equation: (Akahori, Ryu & Gaensler 2016)

$$\langle B_{\parallel} \rangle = \frac{1}{0.81} \frac{\langle 1+z \rangle_{\text{WHIM}}}{f_{\text{DM,WHIM}}} \frac{\text{RM}}{\text{DM}}$$

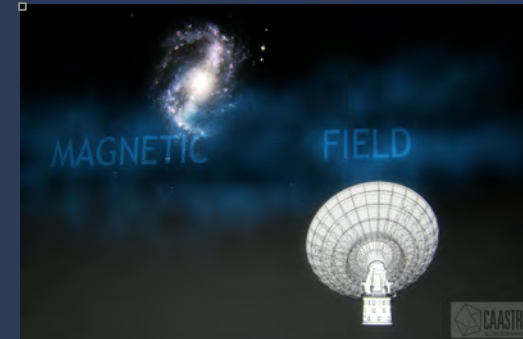


Summary & Future Work

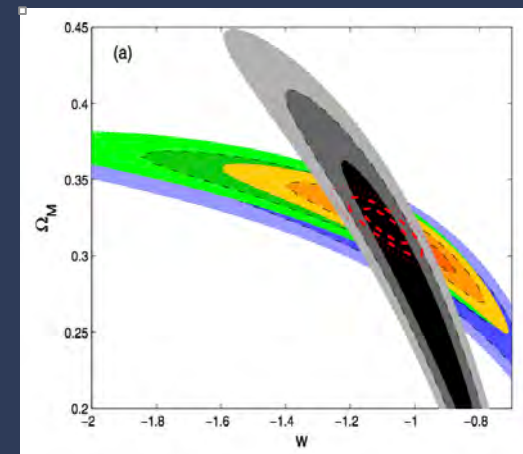
- › DM and RM from progenitor wind could be significant, should evolve with time
 - to do: full simulations, realistic wind models
- › Joint statistics of DM and RM will become increasingly important probe
 - to do: properly incorporate host contribution, simulate fluence distributions
- › FRB DMs may be sensitive to cosmology beyond flat Λ CDM
 - to do: sophisticated modelling of host galaxies and uncertainties
 - full joint constraints from FRBs with CMB, SNe, BAOs, IM, WL, RSD



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Gao et al. (2014)

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