

# 暗黒物質（ダークマター） の探し方

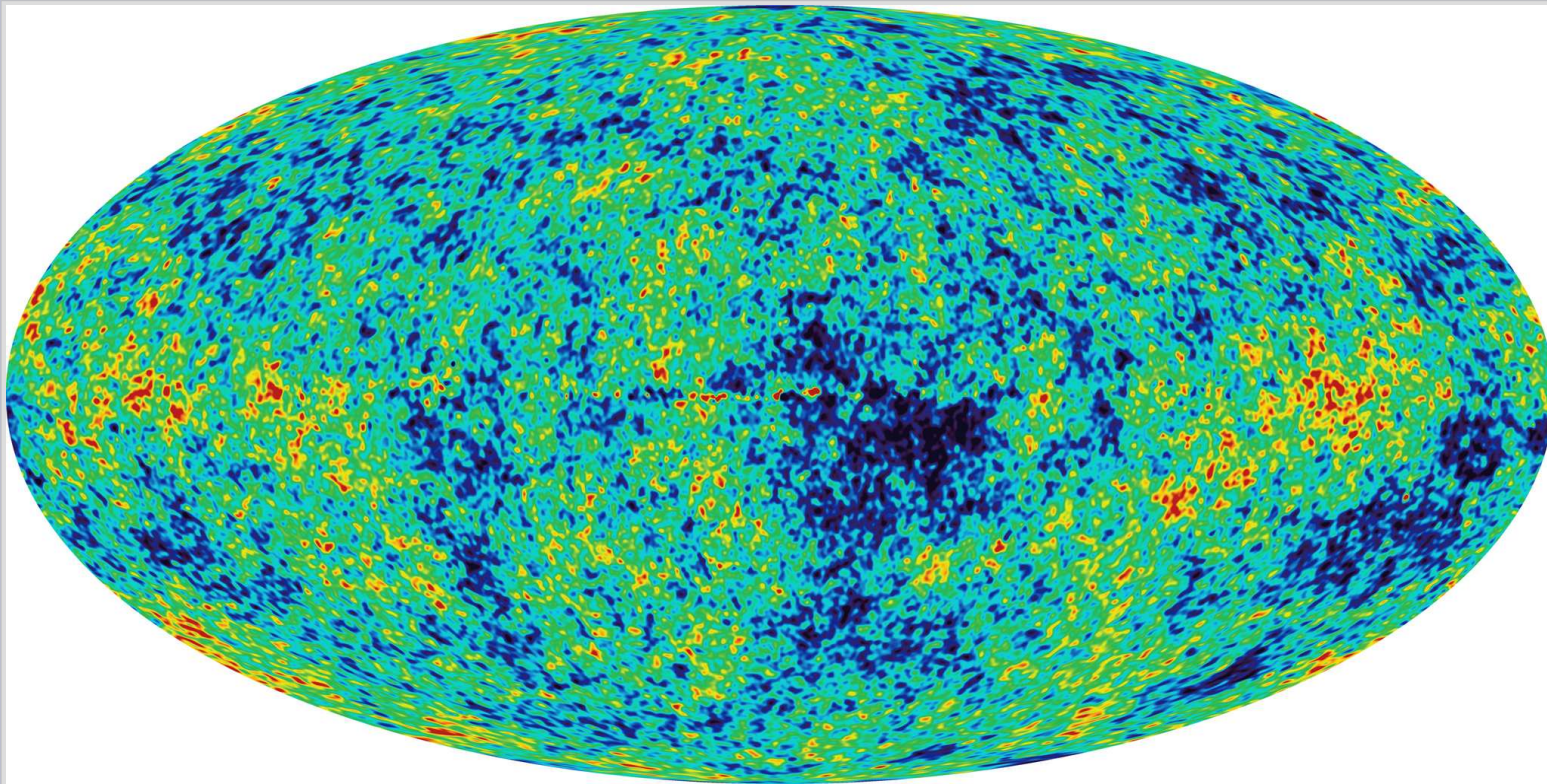
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# 暗黒物質の“歴史”

- 1933 F. Zwicky かのみのけ座銀河団の速度分散 Helv. Phys. Acta. 6 (1933) 110  
Virial 定理 ≪ 赤方偏移の光学観測 → Dark Matter の存在
- 1965 A. Penzias & R. Wilson 宇宙マイクロ波背景輻射 (CMB) の発見  
電波観測の発達
- 1973 J. Ostriker & P. Peebles ApJ. 186 (1973) 467  
多体系のシミュレーションによる回転銀河の安定条件  
≪ 我々の銀河の回転速度 220km/s → Dark Matter の存在
- 1970年代後半 電波 (HIガス 21cm 輝線) による銀河回転曲線の観測  
→ Dark Matter の存在の立証
- 1992 COBE 宇宙マイクロ波背景輻射のゆらぎの発見  
→ インフレーションモデル、 $\Omega_{\text{tot}} = 1$  を示唆
- 1998 Super Kamiokande ニュートリノ質量の発見  
→ ~~HDM~~ CDM

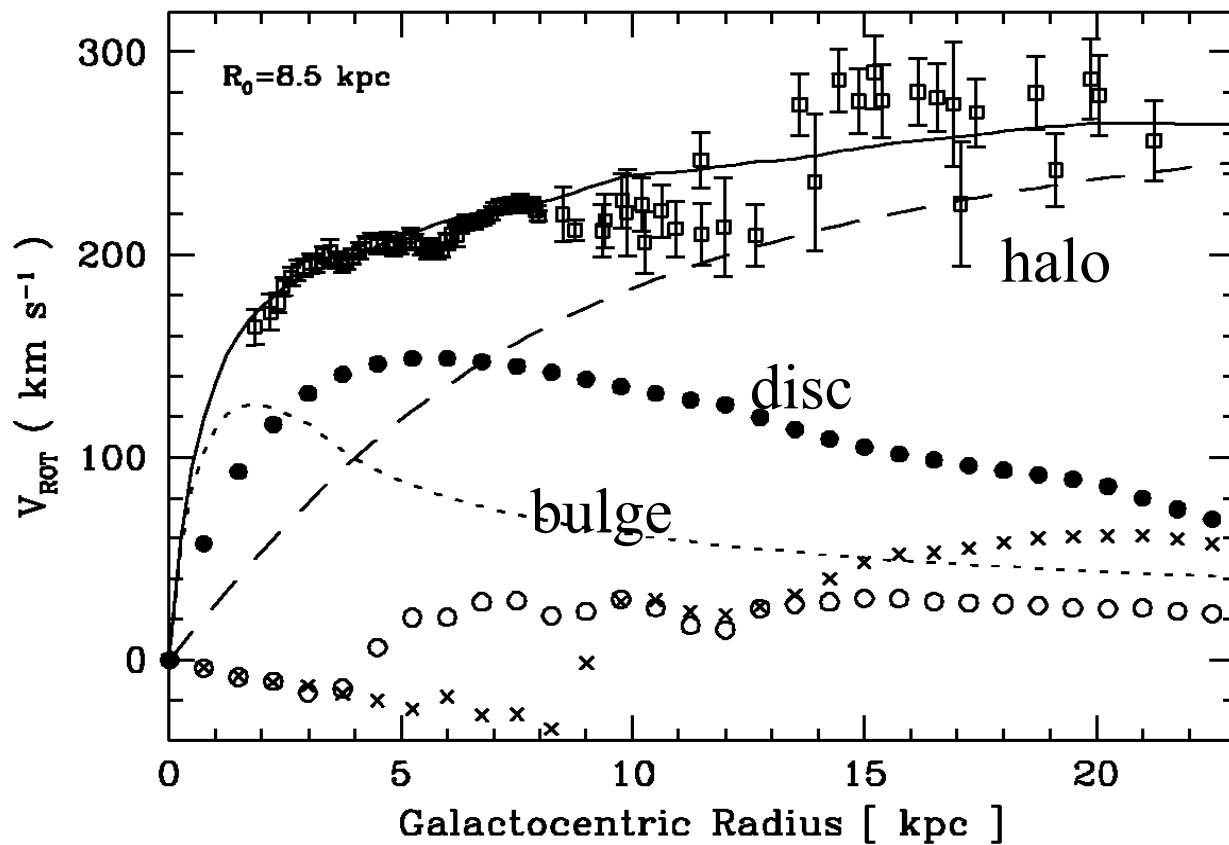
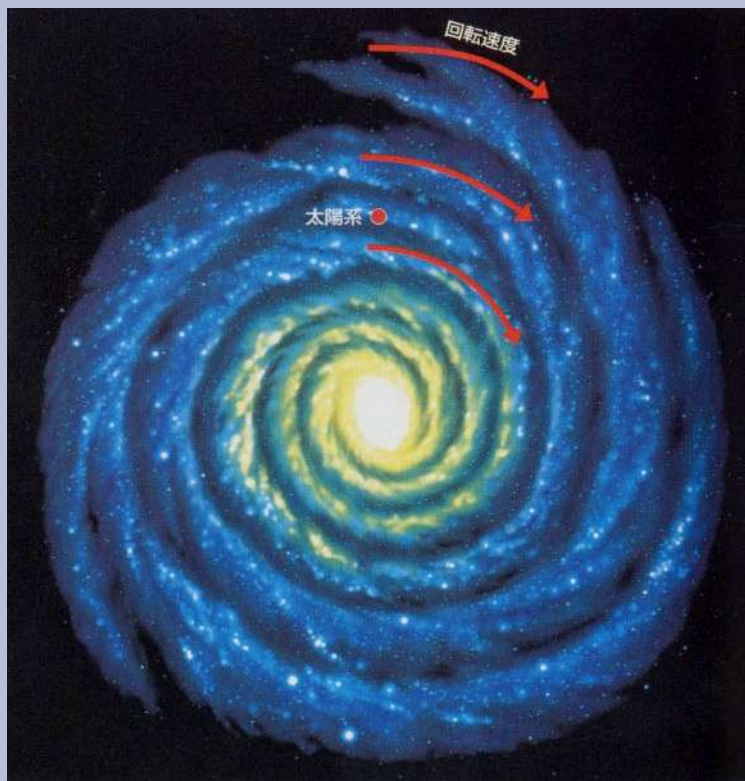
# WMAP の援護射撃



Pictures: NASA/WMAP Science Team;  
<http://map.gsfc.nasa.gov/>

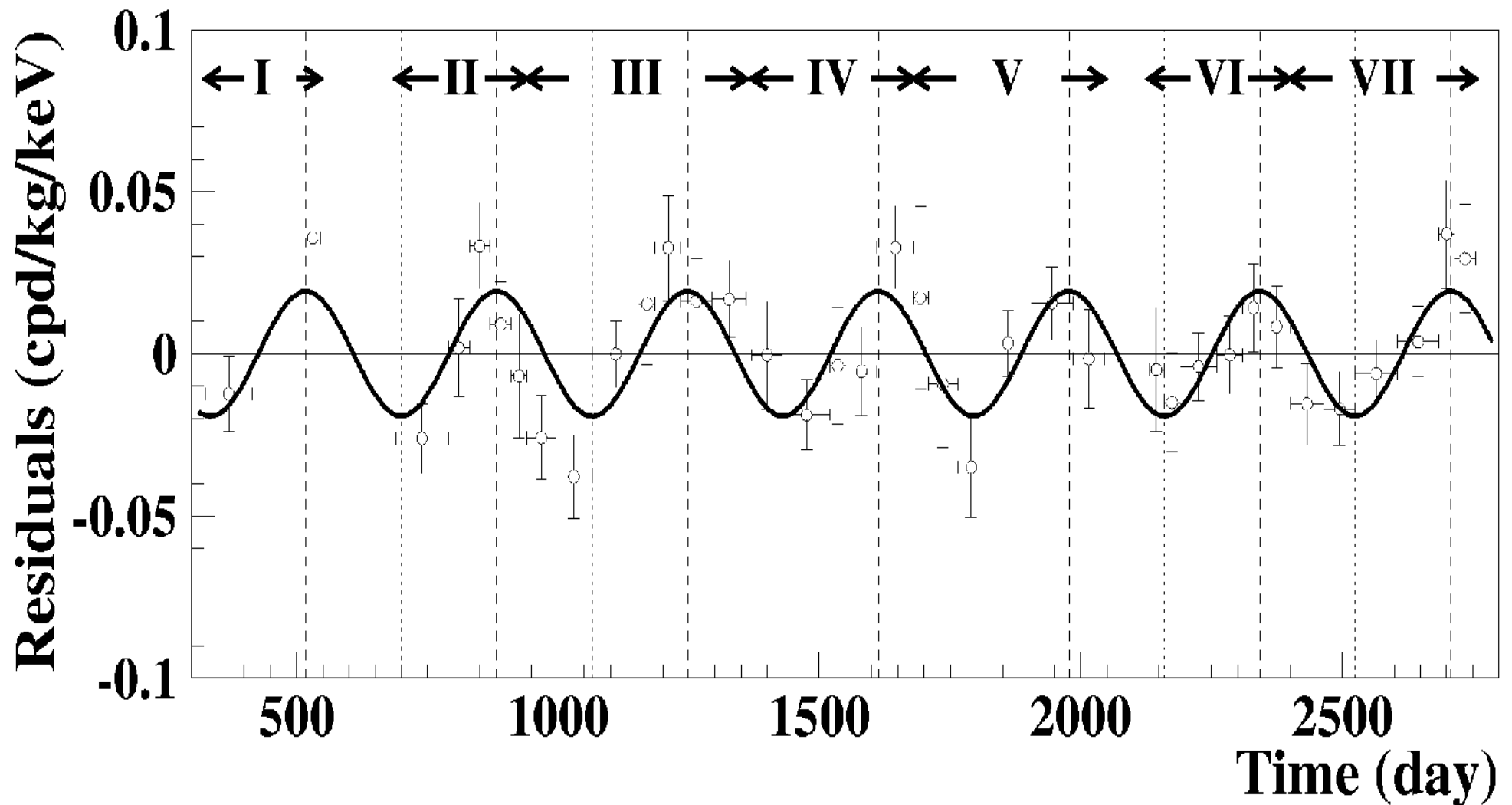


# 近傍にある証拠



# DAMA's <discovery> by annual modulation

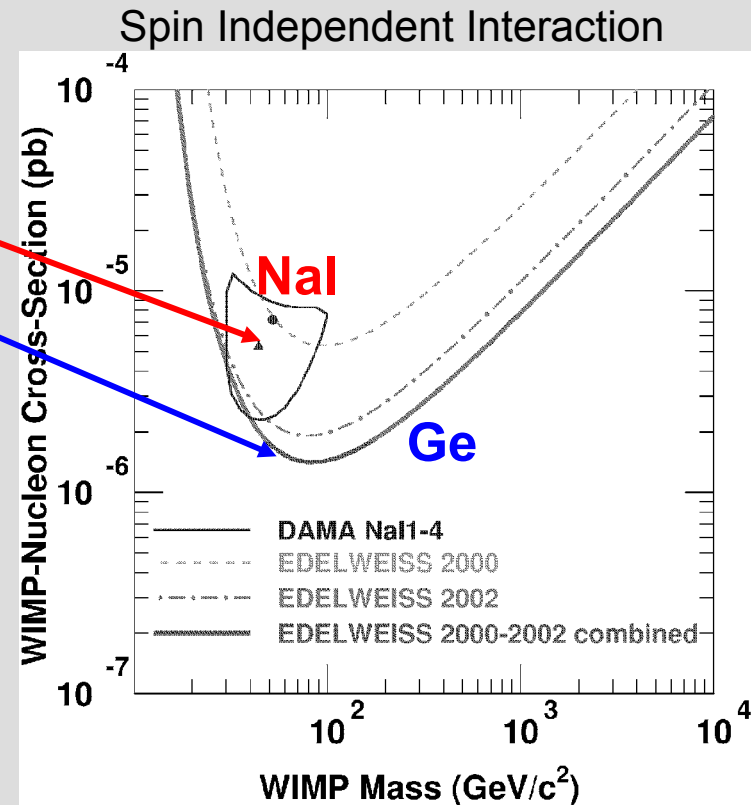
R. Bernabei et al., Riv. Nuovo Cim. 26(2003)1.)





# The story

- 1998 イタリア DAMA  
“Annual Modulation を確認”
- 2000 アメリカ CDMS
- 2002 フランス EDELWEISS  
“すべてのイベントを暗黒物質”  
とする conventional な方法で  
DAMA region を Exclude

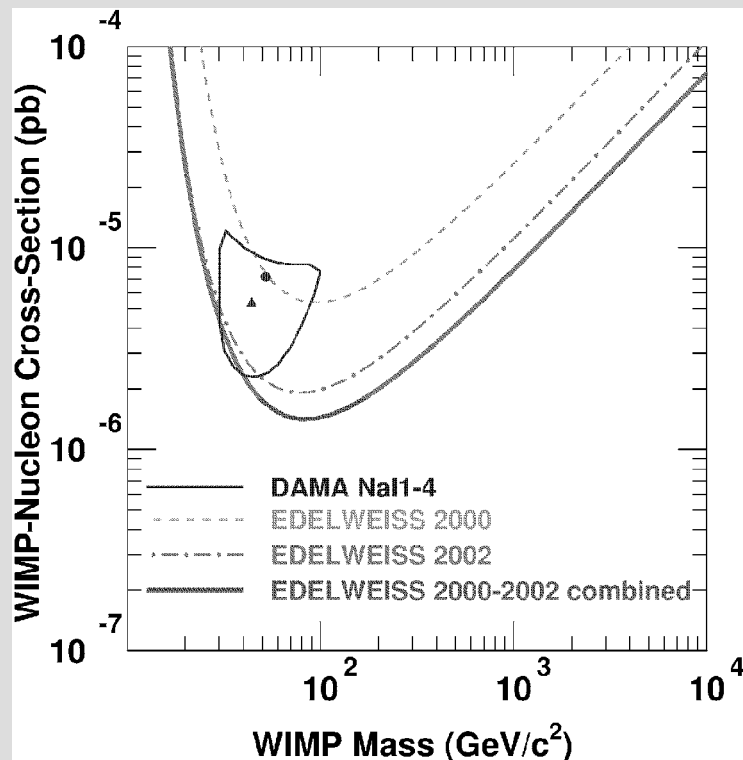


(Phys. Lett. B **545** (2002) 43)

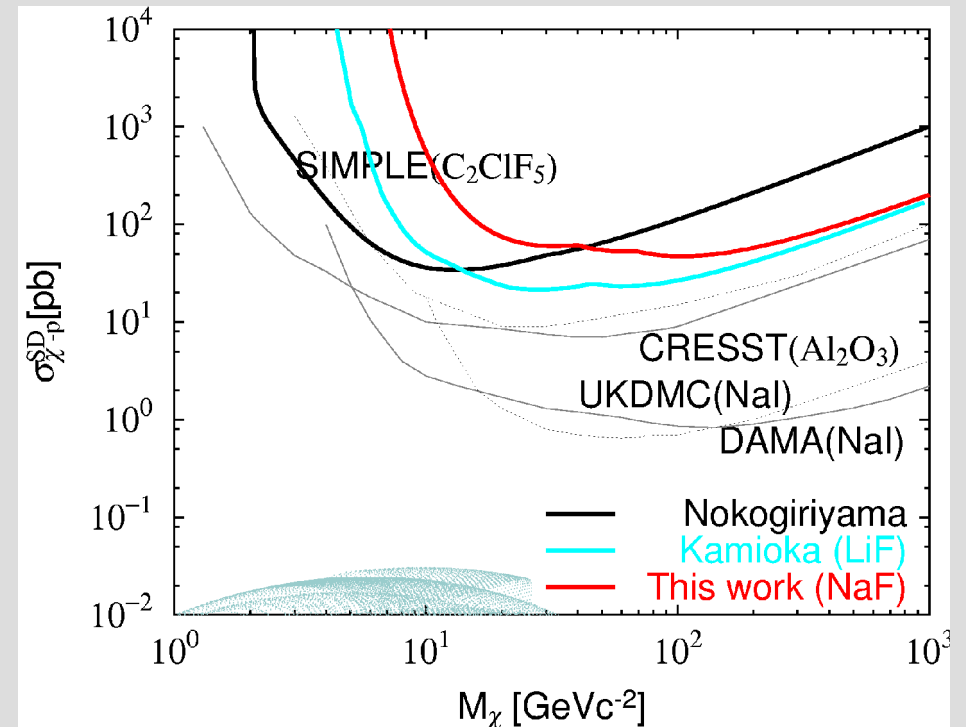
# Current exclusion limits in

$$\sigma_{\chi-n}^{\text{SI}} \quad \text{and} \quad \sigma_{\chi-p}^{\text{SD}}$$

**SI**



**SD**



# Dark Matter Candidates

- Axion (KSVZ, DFSZ)

$$m_a \propto \frac{1}{f_{PQ}} \quad 10^{-6} \text{eV} \leq m_a \leq 10^{-2} \text{eV}$$

- Neutralino

- Lightest Supersymmetric Particle
- R-parity の保存から安定

→ 宇宙初期に生成され現在まで存在し続ける

$$\chi = a_1 \tilde{B} + a_2 \tilde{W}_3 + a_3 \tilde{H}_1 + a_4 \tilde{H}_2$$

- **gauginos** と **higgsinos** の線形結合の基底状態
- coupling SUSY モデル依存
- $39 \text{GeV} < m_\chi$



# Searches, direct and indirect

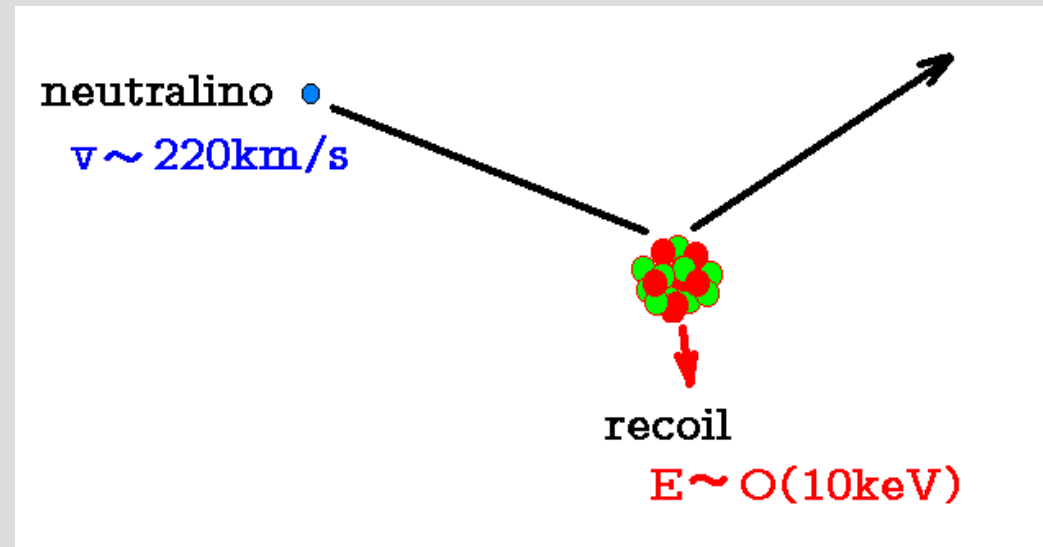
## INDIRECT searches

$$\chi\chi \rightarrow WW, ZZ, \gamma\gamma \rightarrow e^-, p^-, d^-, \gamma, \nu, \dots$$

BESS, GLAST, AMS, SK, AMANDA, MACRO, ...

## DIRECT searches

Nuclear recoil detection



# Direct detection, relevant parameters

- Event rate

$$R \sim \sigma_{\chi-N} \times n \langle v \rangle \propto \overset{\text{SUSY}}{\sigma_{\chi-N}} \times \left( \frac{\rho}{M_\chi} \right) \times \int v f(v) dv$$

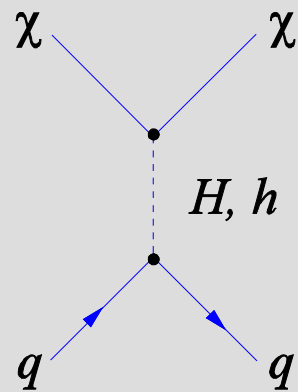
$$\rho(r) = \frac{\rho_0}{1 + r^2/r_0^2}$$

Isothermal Halo Model

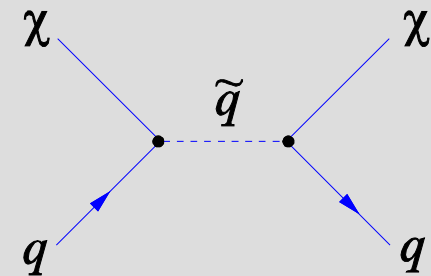
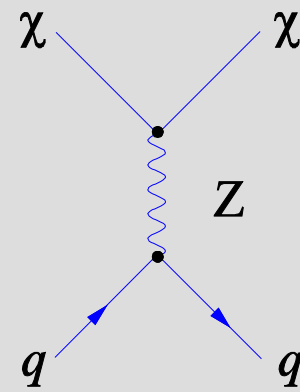
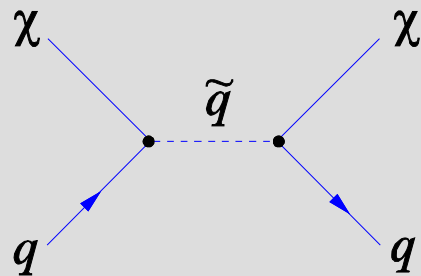
$$f(\vec{v}) = \frac{1}{\pi^{3/2} v_0^3} e^{-|\vec{v}|^2/v_0^2}$$

# Cross section

- $\sigma_{\chi-N}$  depends fundamentally on the  $\chi$ -quark interaction strength.
  - Spin-independent (SI): H, h, squark exchange
  - Spin-dependent (SD): Z, squark exchange



SI interaction



SD interaction

# Spin Independent and Spin Dependent cross sections

- Cross Section

$$\sigma_{\chi-N} = \sigma_{\chi-N}^{\text{SI}} + \sigma_{\chi-N}^{\text{SD}}$$

- SI interaction

$$\sigma_{\chi-N}^{\text{SI}} \simeq A^2 \frac{\mu_{\chi-N}^2}{\mu_{\chi-p}^2} \sigma_{\chi-n}^{\text{SI}} \quad \begin{array}{l} A : \text{mass number} \\ \mu : \text{reduced mass} \end{array}$$

- SD interaction

$$\sigma_{\chi-N}^{\text{SD}} = \frac{\lambda^2 J(J+1)}{0.75} \frac{\mu_{\chi-N}^2}{\mu_{\chi-p}^2} \sigma_{\chi-p}^{\text{SD}}$$

$\lambda$  : Landé factor

$J$  : total spin of the nucleus

- SD Cross Section

- conventional approximation using the odd-group model in which the contribution of either proton or neutron is considered.

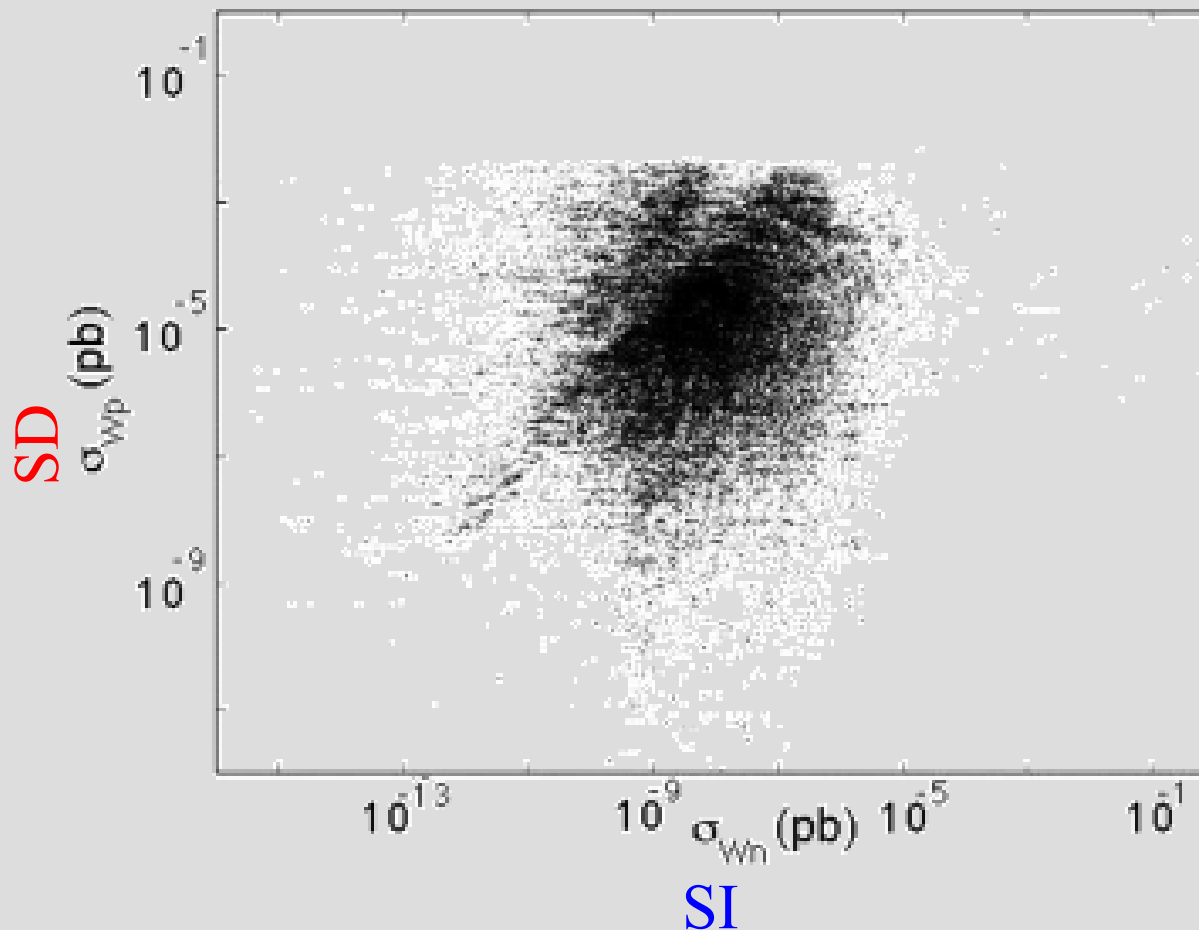
$$\sigma_{\chi-N}^{SD} = \frac{\lambda^2 J(J+1)}{0.75} \frac{\mu_{\chi-N}^2}{\mu_{\chi-p}^2} \sigma_{\chi-p}^{SD}$$

Isotope	unpaired	abundance	$\lambda^2 J(J+1)$
<sup>7</sup> Li	p	92.5%	0.411
<sup>19</sup> F	p	100%	0.647
<sup>23</sup> Na	p	100%	0.041
<sup>73</sup> Ge	n	7.8%	0.065
<sup>127</sup> I	p	100%	0.023

→ LiF for SD

(odd-group model)

# Spin Dependent (SD) and Spin Independent (SI)



$$\frac{\sigma_{\chi-p}^{\text{SD}}}{\sigma_{\chi-n}^{\text{SI}}}$$

can be as large as

$$10^3 \sim 10^4$$

Fig. 10 of J. I. Collar et al, New J. of Phys. 2 (2000) 14.1

- Expected energy spectra

$$\frac{dR}{dE_R} = c_1 \frac{R_0}{E_0 r} e^{-c_2 E_R / E_0 r} \quad [\text{count/keV/kg/day}]$$

$$R_0 = \frac{361}{M_\chi M_N} \left( \frac{\sigma_{\chi-N}}{1 \text{ pb}} \right) \left( \frac{\rho_D}{0.3 \text{ GeV cm}^{-3}} \right) \left( \frac{v_0}{230 \text{ km/s}} \right) \quad [\text{count/kg/day}]$$

$R$  : countrate

$E_R$  : recoil energy

$c_1, c_2$  : const

$E_0$  : kinetic energy of DM

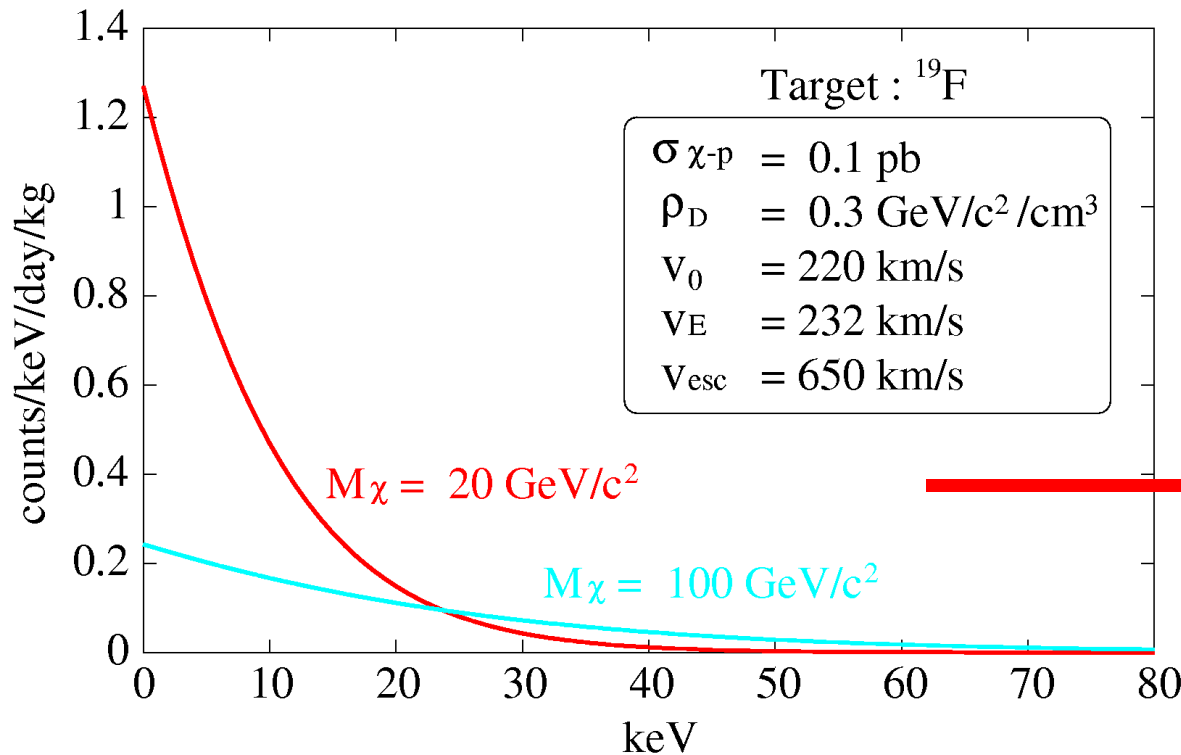
$v_0$  : DM velocity

$M_\chi$  : DM mass

$M_N$  : target mass

$$r = \frac{4M_\chi M_N}{(M_\chi + M_N)^2}$$

$\rho_D$  : DM density



low threshold and low BG are required

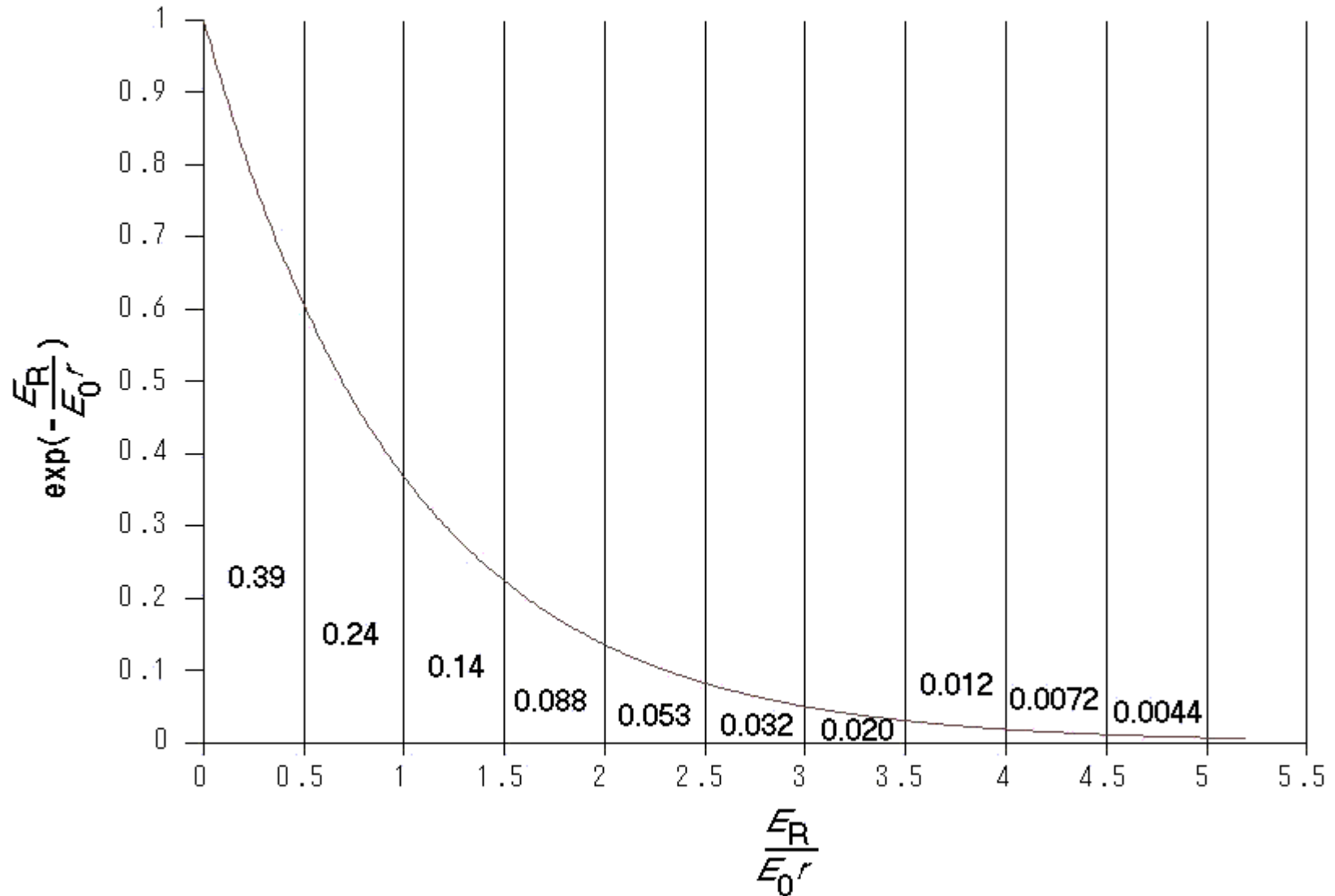


$$E_0 = \frac{1}{2} M_x v_0^2$$

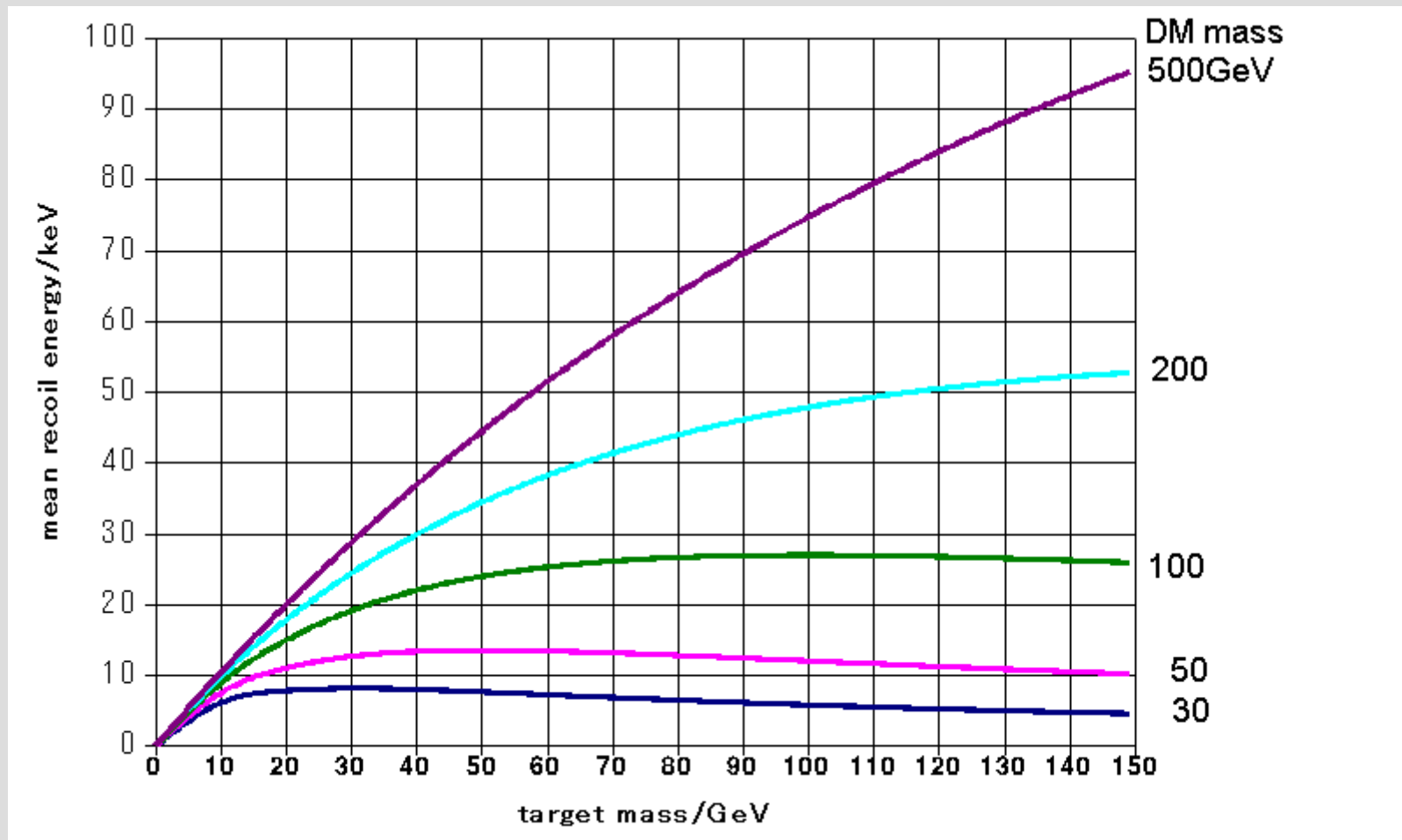
$$r = \frac{(4 M M_N)}{(M + M_N)^2}$$

$$E_0 r = 10 \text{ keV}$$

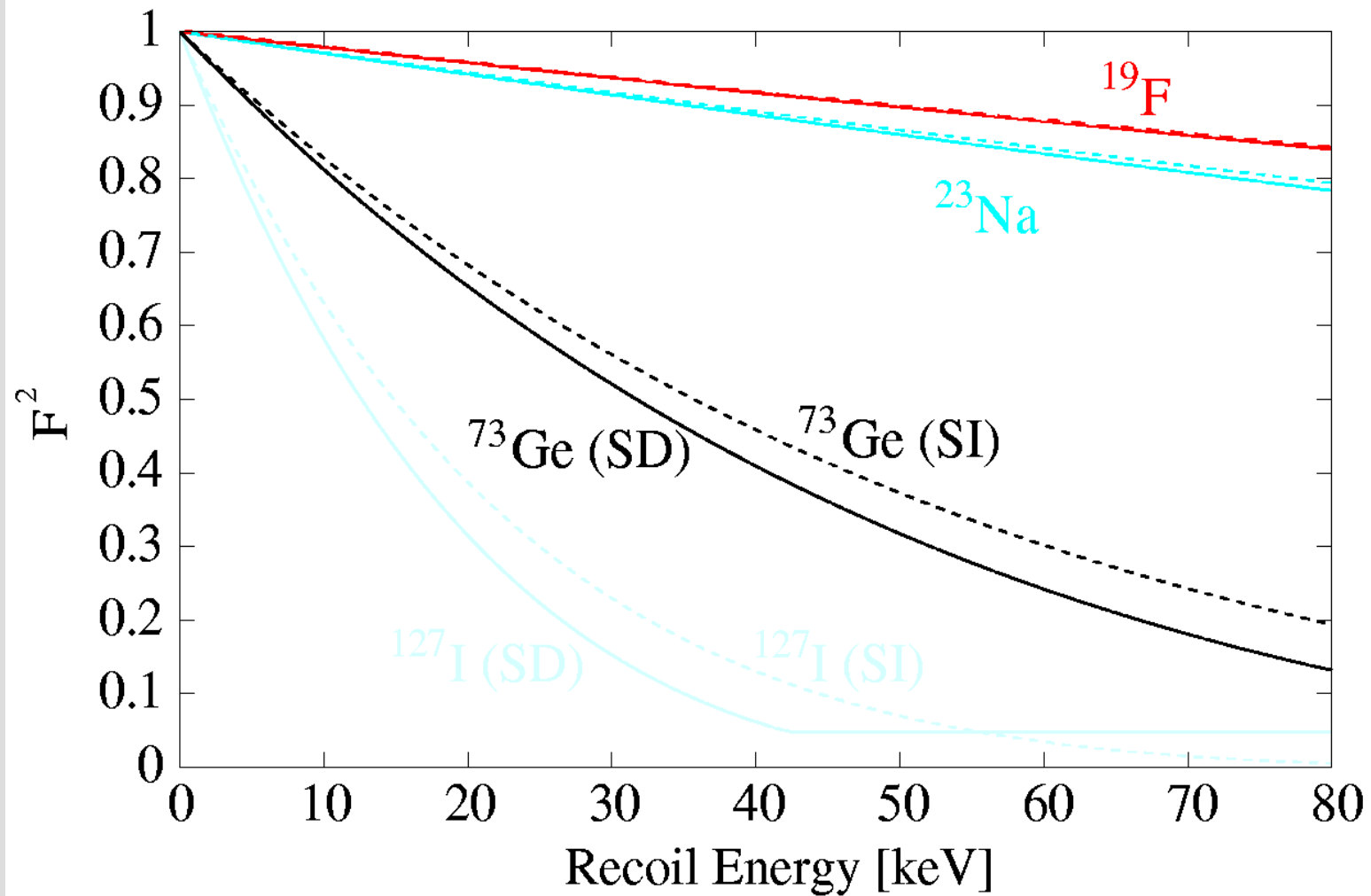
for  $M=50\text{GeV}$  and  $A=19$



# Mean recoil energy $E_{or}$ vs target mass



# Nuclear form factor



# Running experiments and projects (not complete)

## Bolometers

- CDMS(Ge/Si)
- Tokyo(LiF/NaF)
- CRESST( $\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ )

## Scintillators/semiconductors

- DAMA(NaI,  $\text{CaF}_2$ , LXe)
- UK(NaI)
- HDMS(Ge), GENIUS(Ge)
- Osaka( $\text{CaF}_2$ )
- XMASS(LXe)

# Quenching factor

$$q = \frac{E_{\text{visible}}}{E_{\text{R}}}$$

- $q < 1$  for **scintillators** and **semiconductors**

0.3 (Na), 0.09 (I)

0.25 (Ge)

0.46 (LXe)



low effective threshold

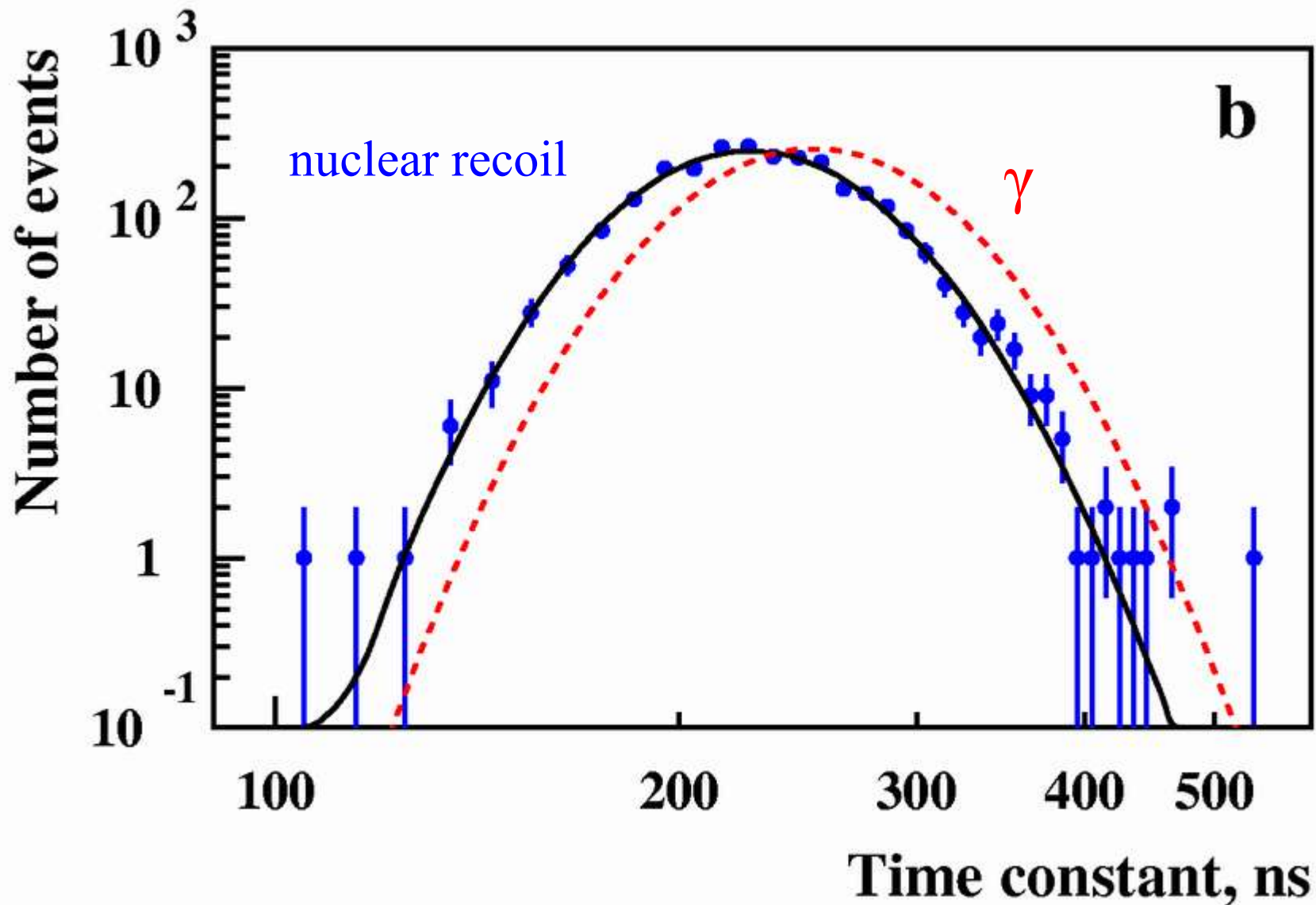
- $q = 1$  for **bolometers**

# Techniques for DM detection

- Pulse shape discrimination/analysis PSD/PSA ( $e/\gamma$  - nuclear recoil separation)
- Bolometry ( $q = 1$ )
- Phonon-ionization simultaneous measurement ( $e/\gamma$  - nuclear recoil separation)
  
- Annual modulation
- Direction sensitive detection
- Bubble chamber (!)
- Background shields

# PSD/PSA (NaI(Tl))

B. Ahmed, et al., Astropart. Phys. 19 (2003) 691.



6-8 keV



# Statistical subtraction

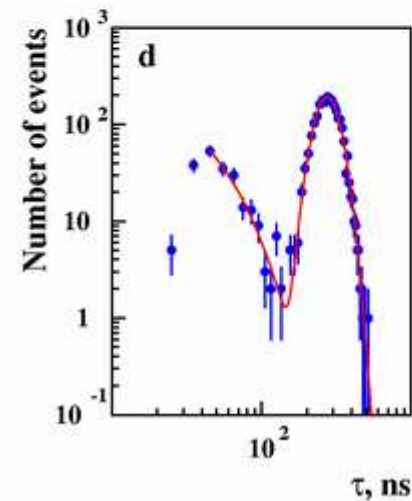
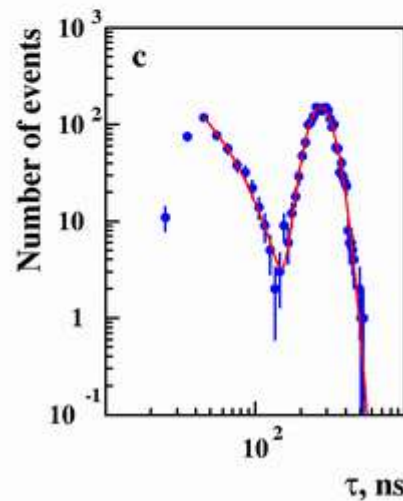
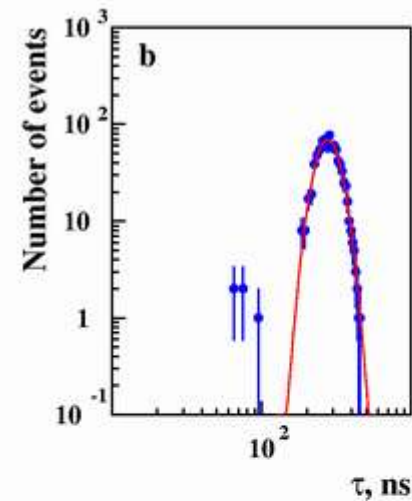
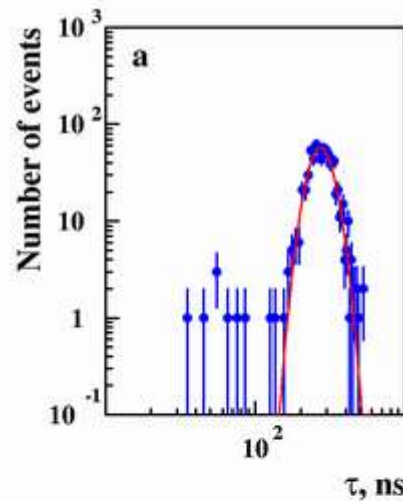
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$\gamma$ -calibration

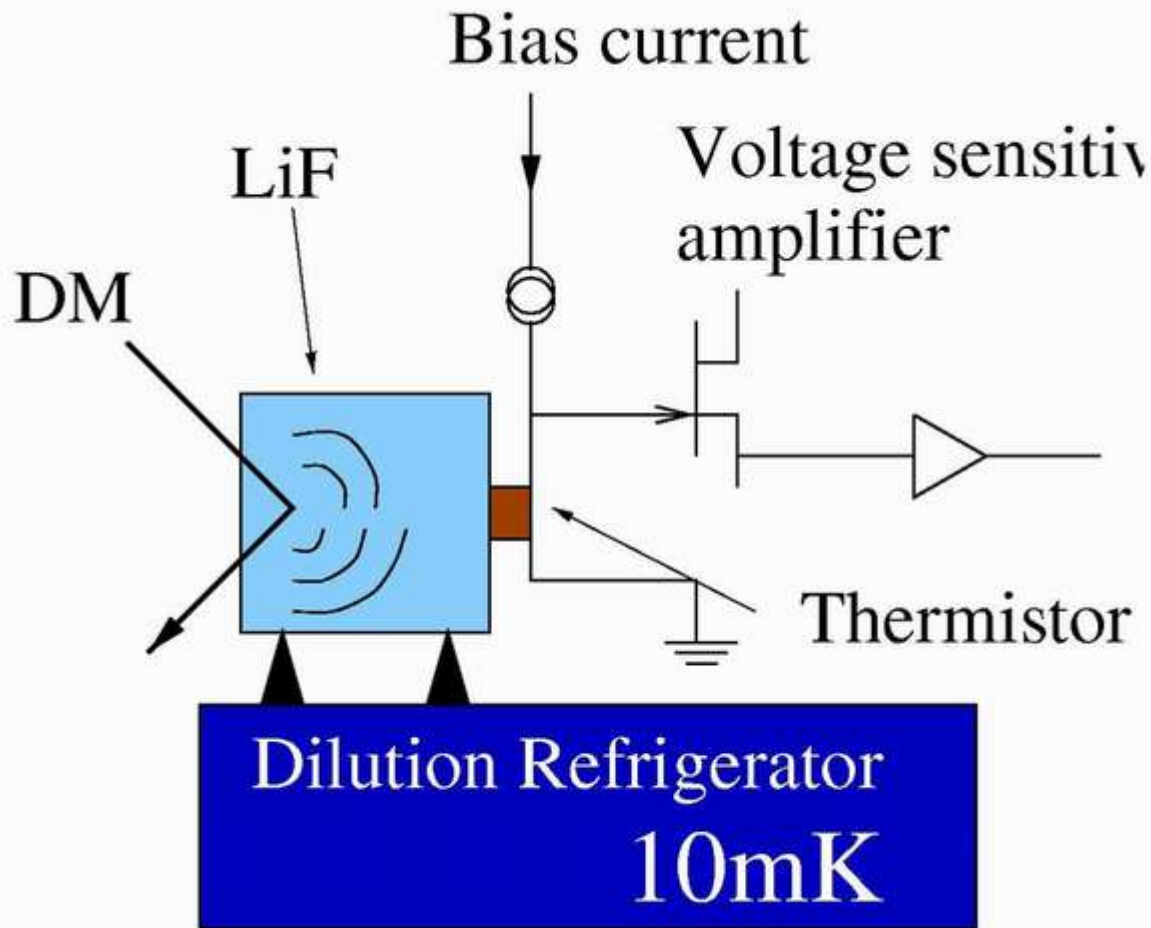
real data

6 – 7 keV

7 – 8 keV



# Bolometer

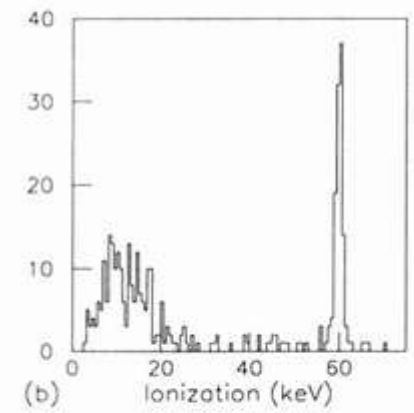
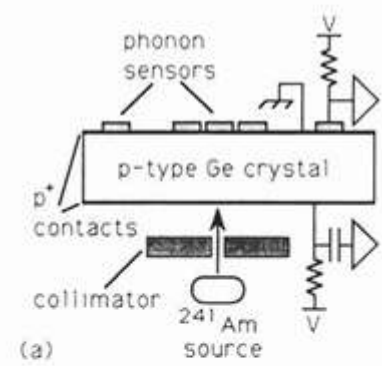
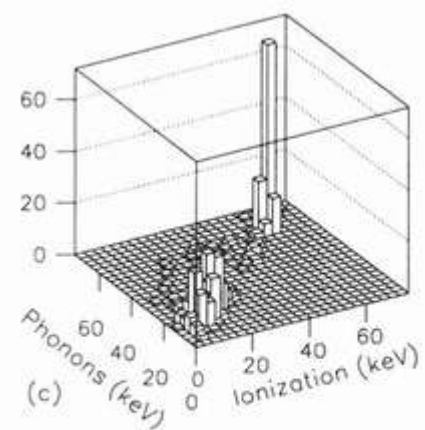
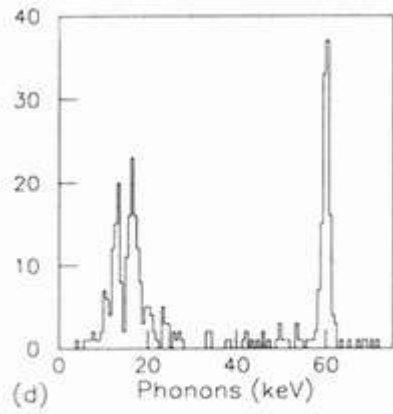


Specific heat:

$$C \propto \left( \frac{T}{\Theta_D} \right)^3$$

$\Theta_D$  : Debye temperature

# Phonon – ionization simultaneous measurement



Same response to  $e/\gamma$

but

to nuclear recoil,

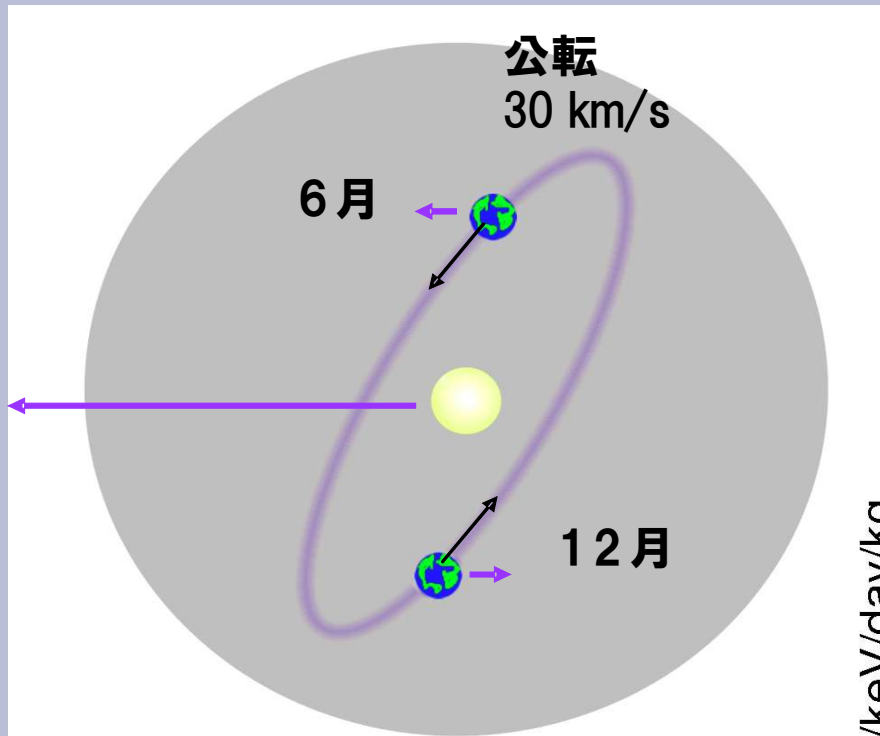
$q = 1$  for phonon

$q = 0.25$  for ionization

$e/\gamma$  - nuclear recoil separation

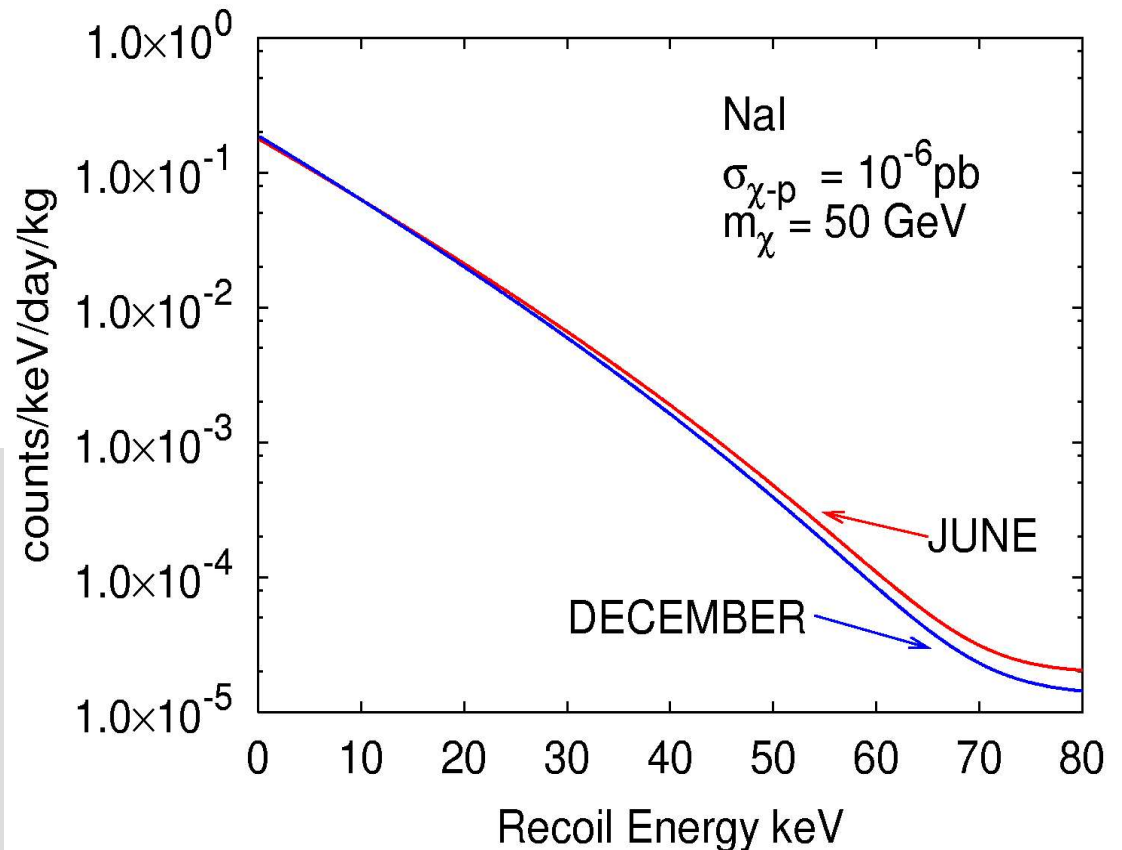
T. Shutt et. al.,  
Phys. Rev. Lett. 69 (1992) 3531

# Annual modulation

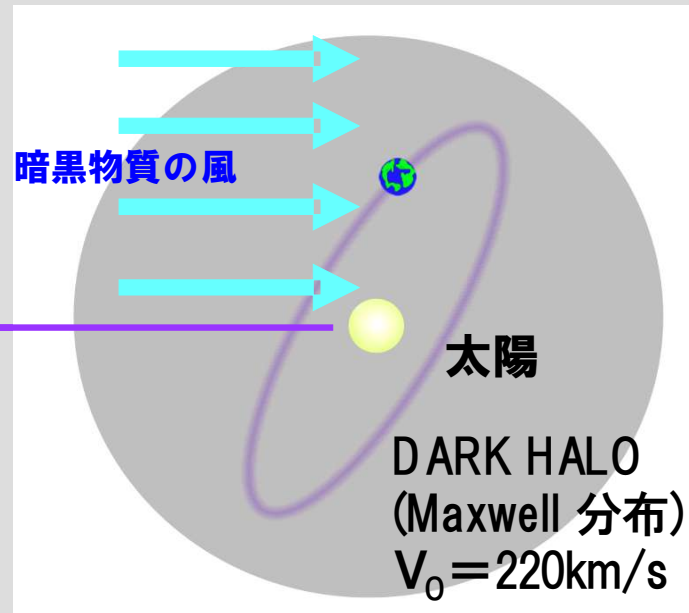


$$\vec{v}_E = \vec{v}_{\text{SUN}} + \vec{v}_{\text{ES}}$$

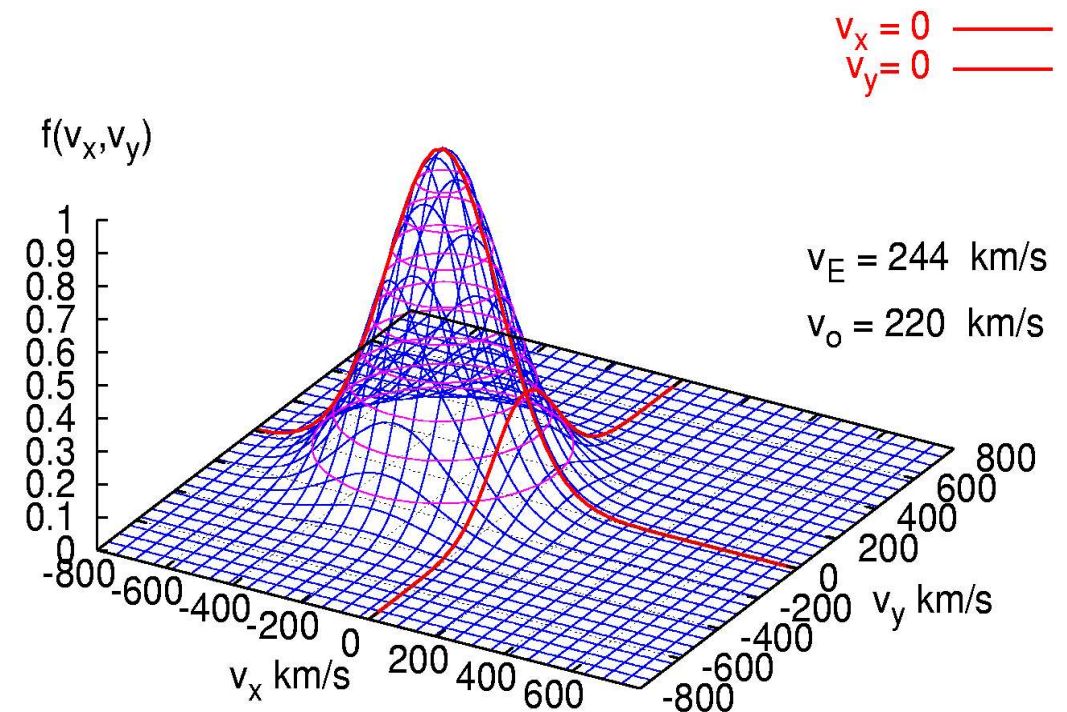
Only a few % effect

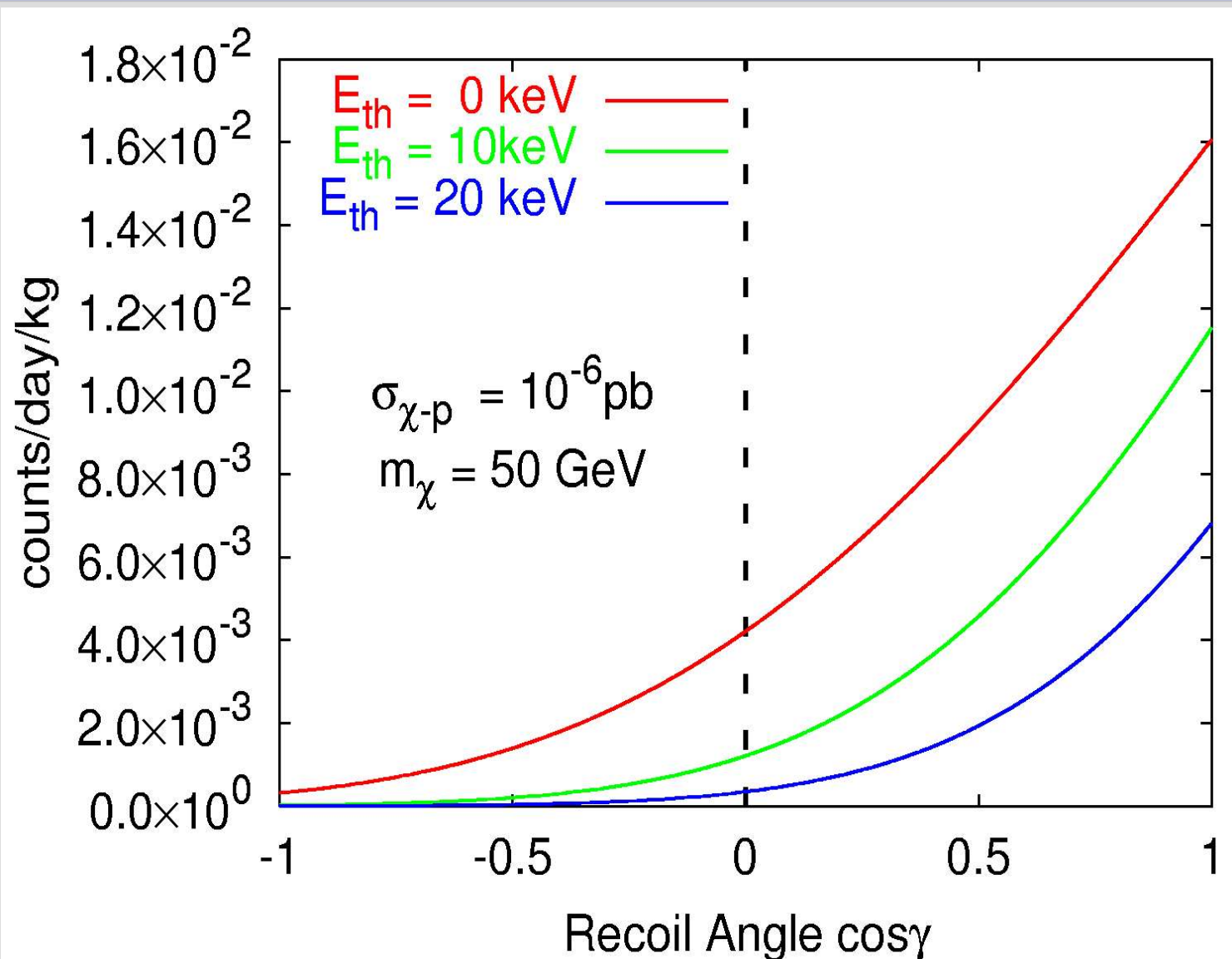
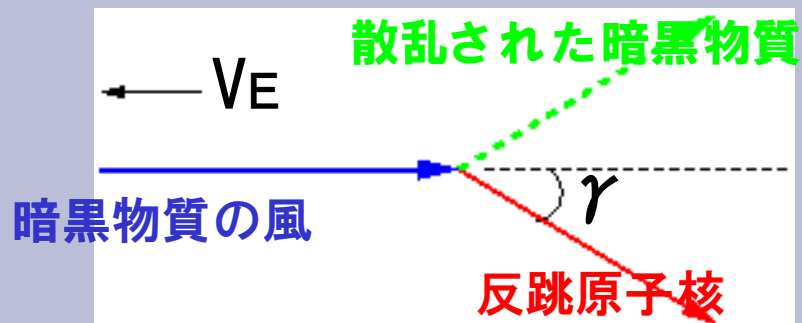


# Direction sensitive detection



Strong DM wind



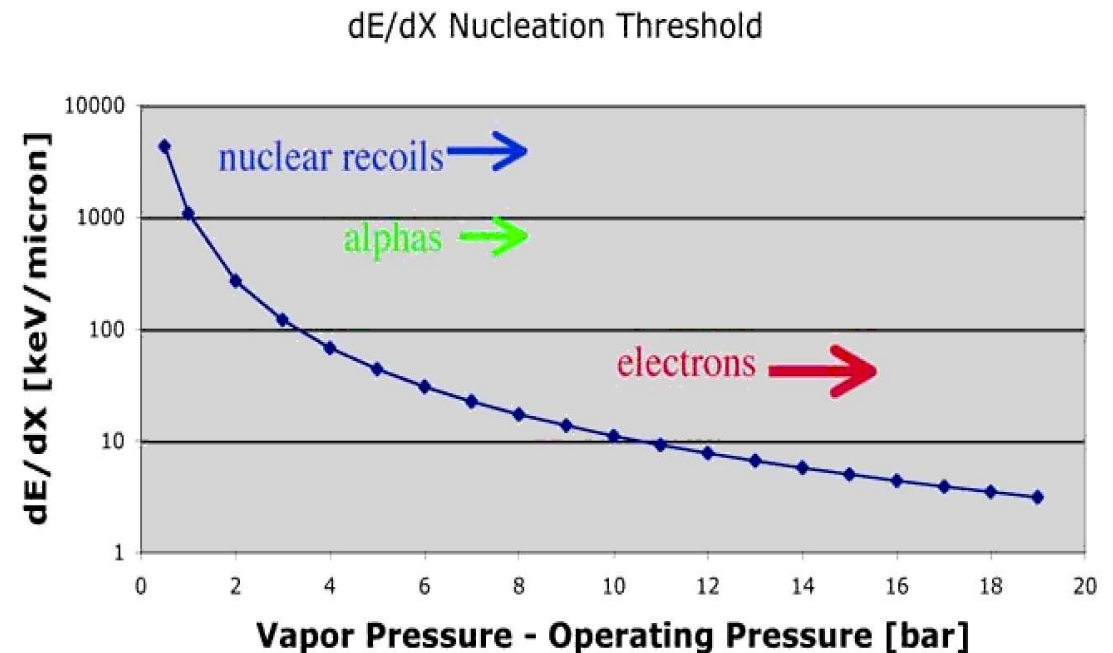
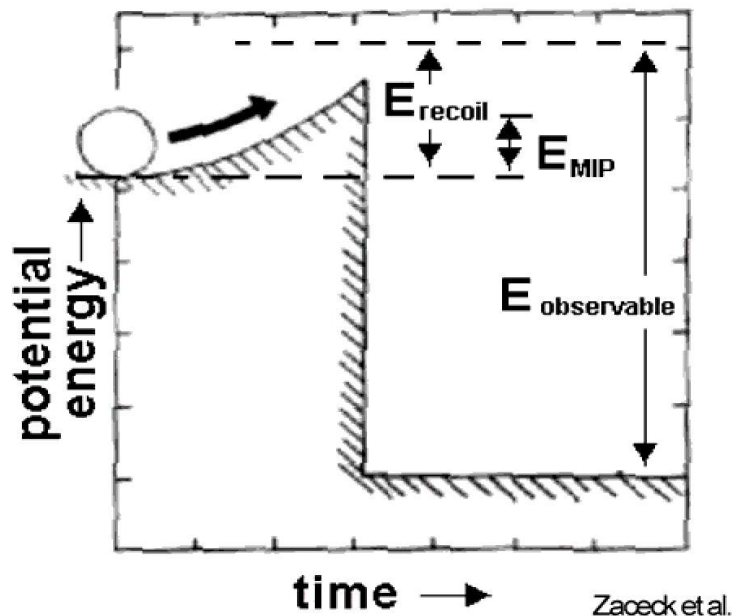


# Heavy liquid bubble chamber

J. I. Collar/U. Chicago

CF<sub>3</sub>Br / CF<sub>3</sub>I heavy liquid bubble chamber

Total insensitivity to Minimum Ionizing Particles, yet sensitive to low-energy nuclear recoils (tunable dE/dx and E-threshold)





# Background shields

- Oxygen Free High Conductivity Copper (OFHC)
- Old-age (archaeological) lead

$$T_{1/2}({}^{210}\text{Pb}) \sim 20 \text{ years}$$

- Pure water
- Active self shielding
- Radon purge



fiducial volume

# Tokyo Group (Minowa)

- Bolometer experiments (SD-sensitive)
  - Pilot run LiF      Nokogiriyama(~15m.w.e.)    ~1999
  - Results LiF/NaF    Kamioka(~2700m.w.e.)    ~2003
- R&D, direction sensitive scintillators    2003~
  - Pilot run stilbene      Kamioka

# Bolombeter **SD** limits in **$a_p$** and **$a_n$**

$$\sigma_{\chi-N}^{\text{SD}} = \frac{\lambda^2 J(J+1)}{0.75} \frac{\mu_{\chi-N}^2}{\mu_{\chi-p}^2} \sigma_{\chi-p}^{\text{SD}} = 4 G_F^2 \mu_{\chi-N}^2 C_N^{\text{SD}}$$

$$C_N^{\text{SD}} \propto (a_p \langle S_{p(N)} \rangle + a_n \langle S_{n(N)} \rangle)^2 \frac{J+1}{J}$$

$a_p, a_n$  :  $\chi$  - nucleon couplings

$\langle S_{p(N)} \rangle, \langle S_{n(N)} \rangle$  : expectation values of p, n spin in N

# $\langle S_{p(N)} \rangle$ and $\langle S_{n(N)} \rangle$

Isotope	odd	$\langle S_{p(N)} \rangle$	$\langle S_{n(N)} \rangle$
<b><math>{}^7\text{Li}</math></b>	p	0.497	0.004
<b><math>{}^{19}\text{F}</math></b>	p	0.441	<b>-0.109</b>
<b><math>{}^{23}\text{Na}</math></b>	p	0.248	0.020
${}^{73}\text{Ge}$	n	0.009	0.372
${}^{127}\text{I}$	p	0.309	0.075

For  $a_p, a_n$   
determination,

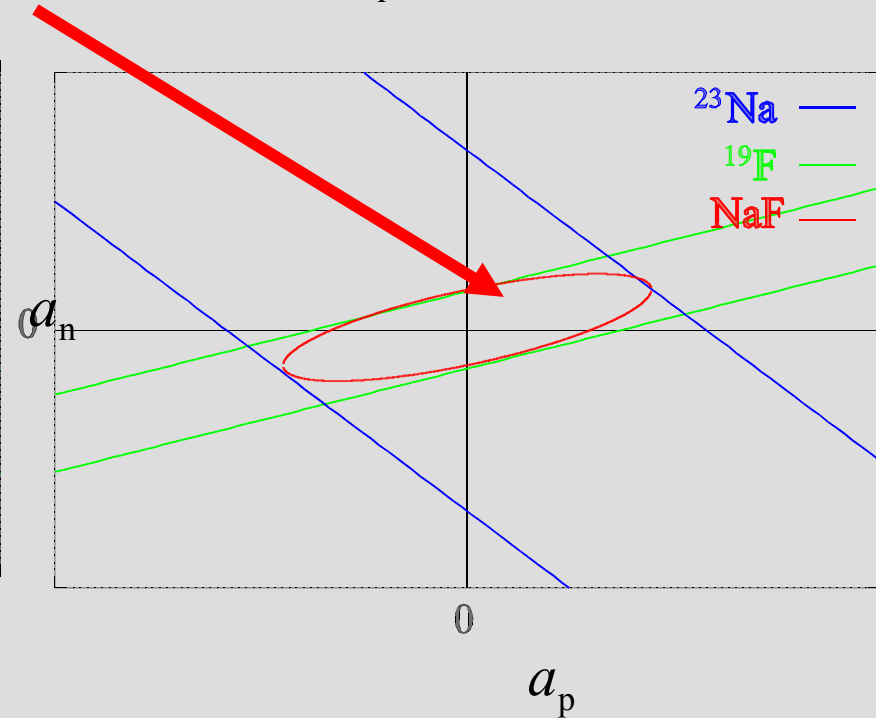
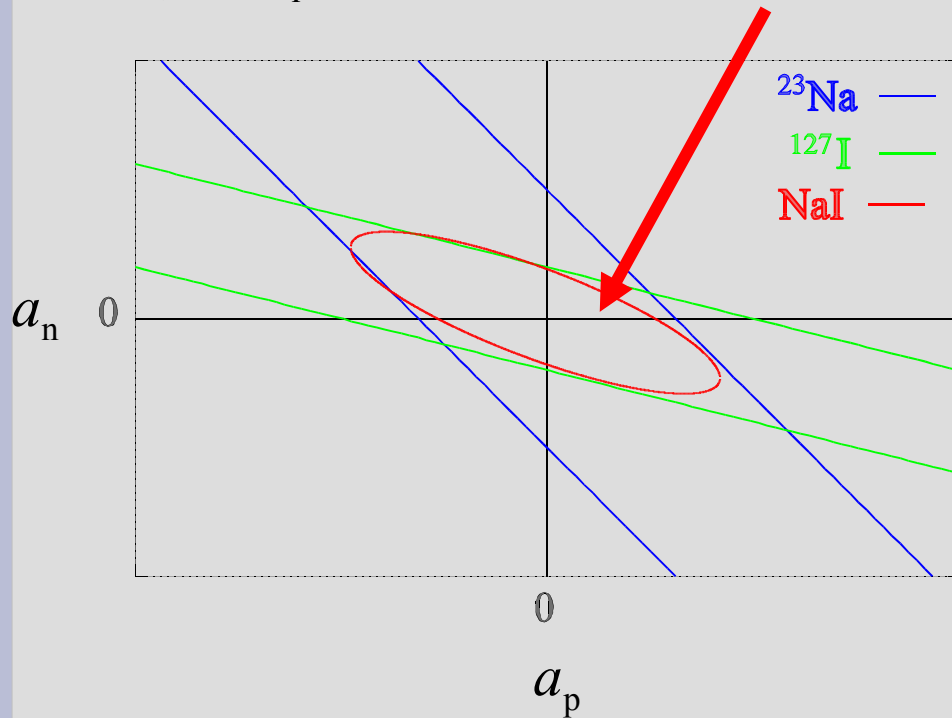
- ▶  ${}^{19}\text{F}$  is complementary to  ${}^{23}\text{Na}, {}^{73}\text{Ge}, {}^{127}\text{I}$   
due to **opposite sign** of  $\langle S_{p(N)} \rangle / \langle S_{n(N)} \rangle$
- ▶ **NaF** is more sensitive to  $a_n$   
than LiF.

# SD limits in $a_p$ and $a_n$

▶  $\langle S_{p(N)} \rangle / \langle S_{n(N)} \rangle > 0$

▶  $\langle S_{p(N)} \rangle / \langle S_{n(N)} \rangle < 0$

e.g.  $N_i = {}^{23}\text{Na}, {}^{127}\text{I}$  **COMPLEMENTARY** e.g.  $N_i = {}^{19}\text{F}$



# Detector

## ■ Bolometer

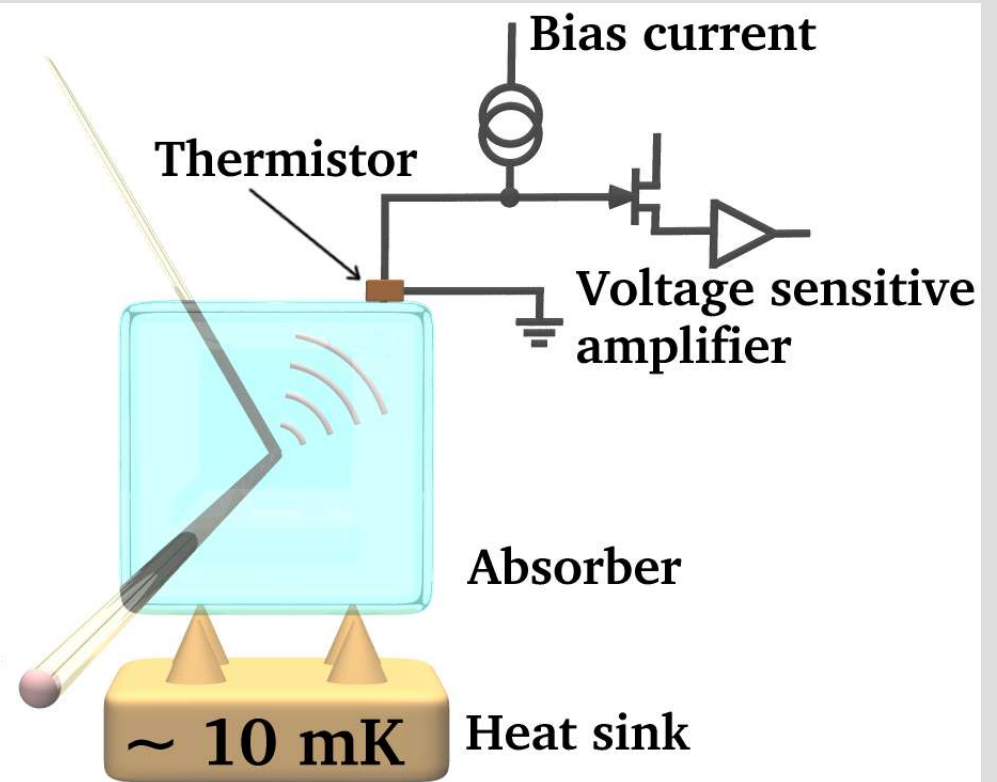
- **Wide choice** of target
- High resolution
- Low threshold
- **No quenching**

$$(E_{\text{visible}} = E_{\text{recoil}})$$

## ■ NTD Ge thermistor

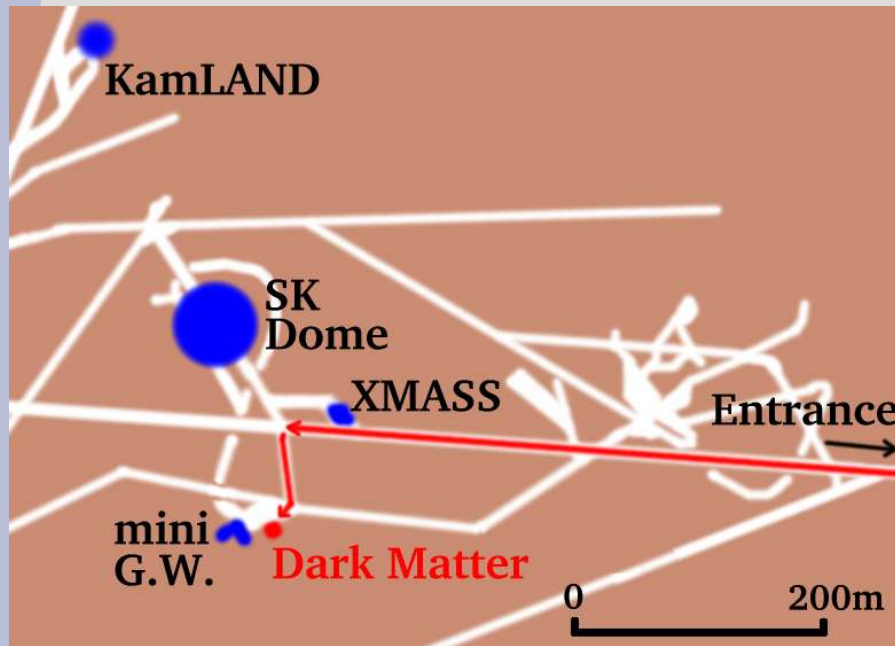
- Neutron Transmutation  
Doped Germanium

Neutralino

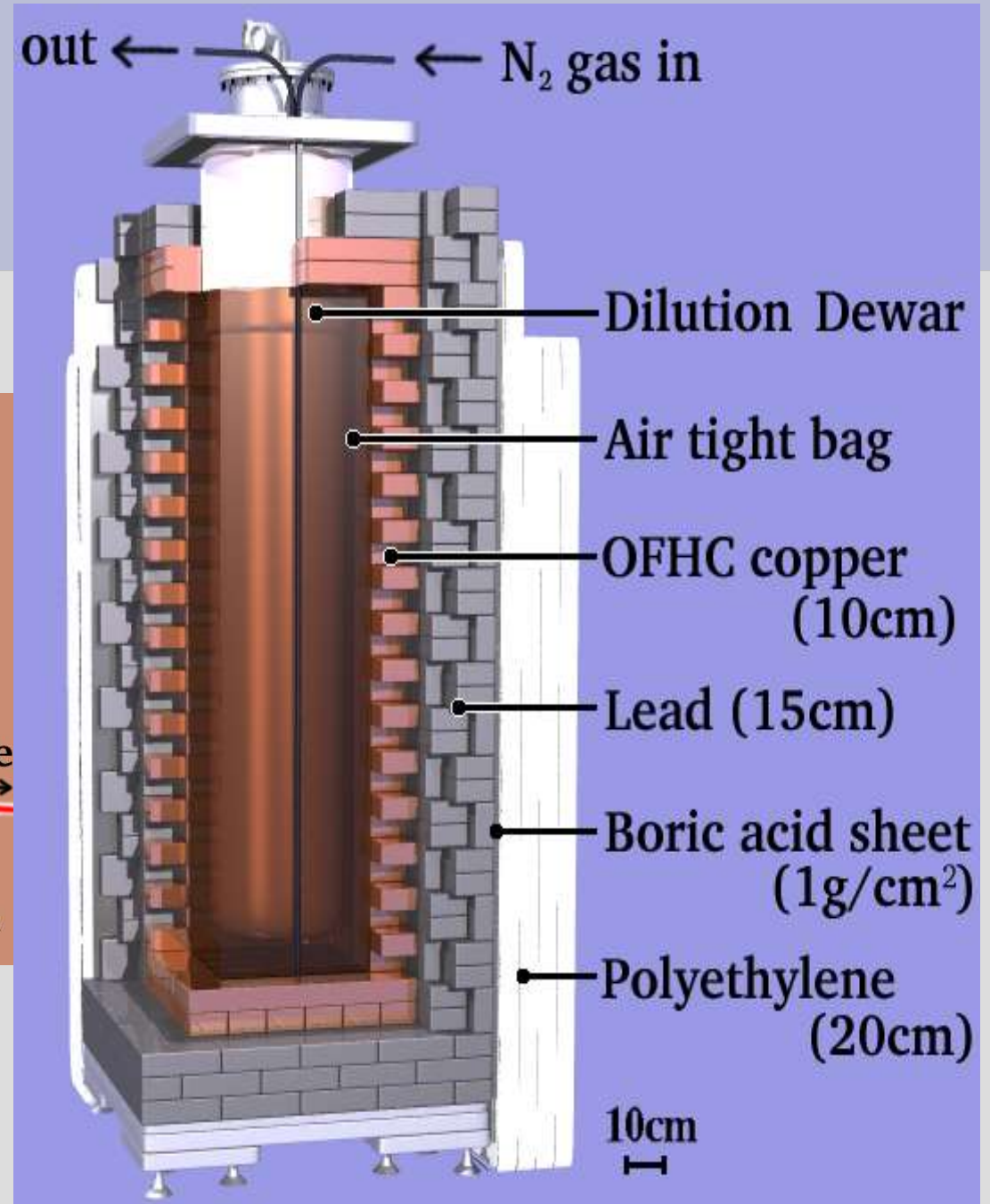


Schematic drawing of a bolometer

- Set Up
  - Outer Shields



- ▶ set at **Kamioka Observatory**  
( ~2700m.w.e. )



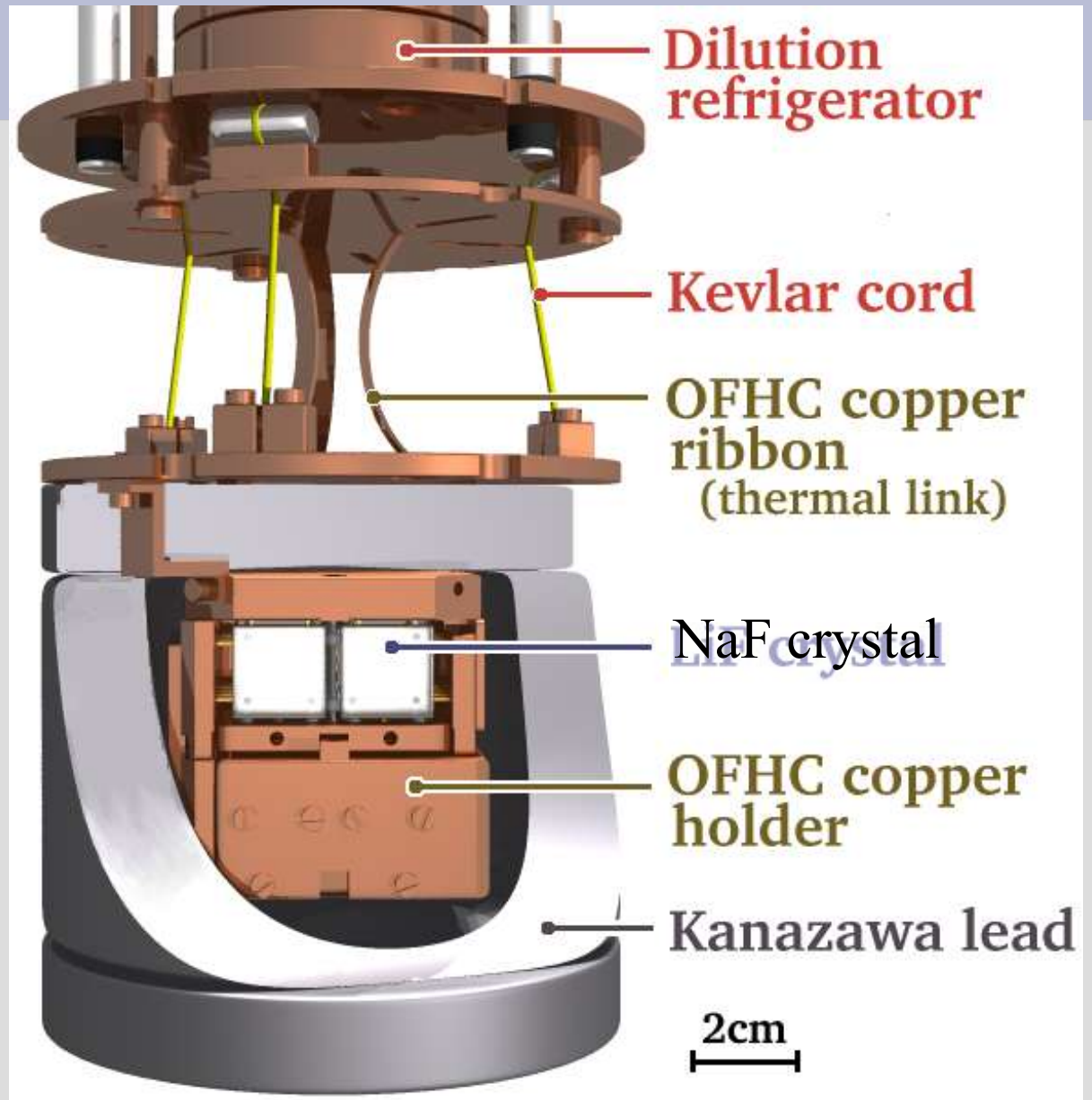
- Inner Shield

old lead (>400yrs.)  
from a wrecked ship.

$^{210}\text{Pb} < 2.0 \text{ Bq/kg}$   
0

suspending it  
with kevlar cords.

→ vibration noise  
reduction

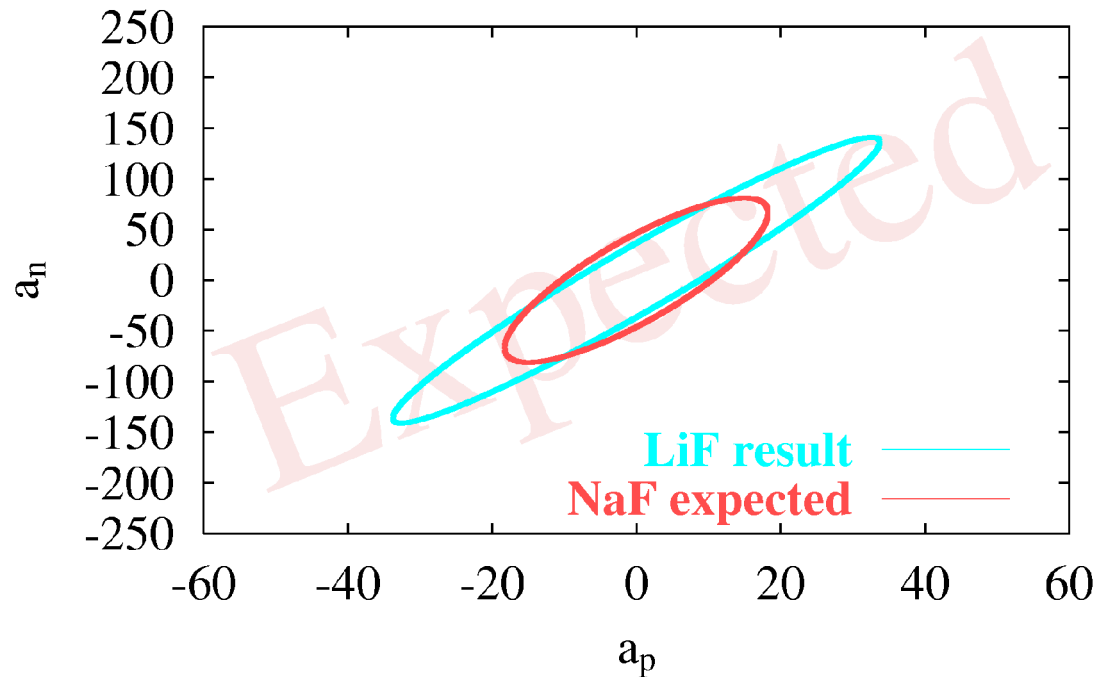




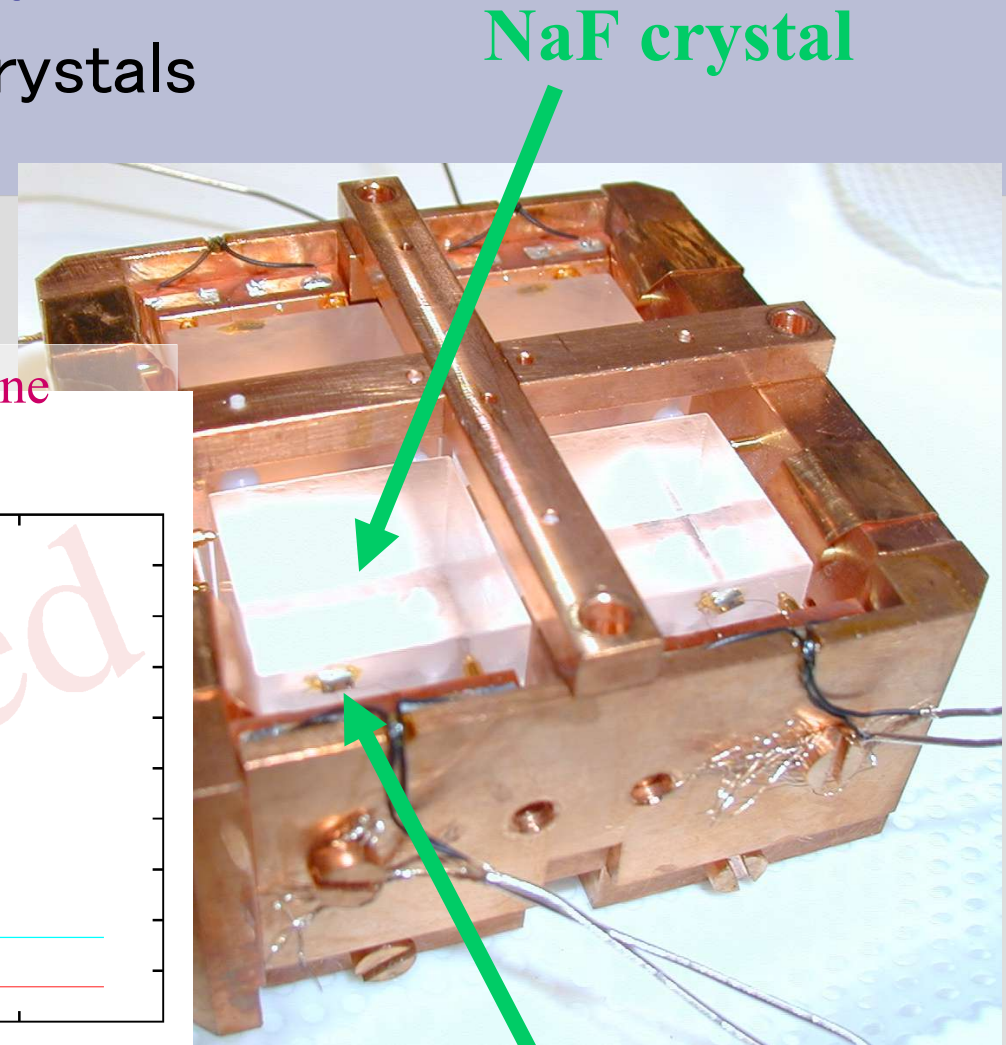
- NaF Bolometer Array

- 8pcs × 22g NaF crystals  
(2 × 2 × 2 cm<sup>3</sup>)

Expected sensitivity in the  $a_p$ - $a_n$  plane  
 $M_{\text{WIMP}} = 50 \text{ GeV}$



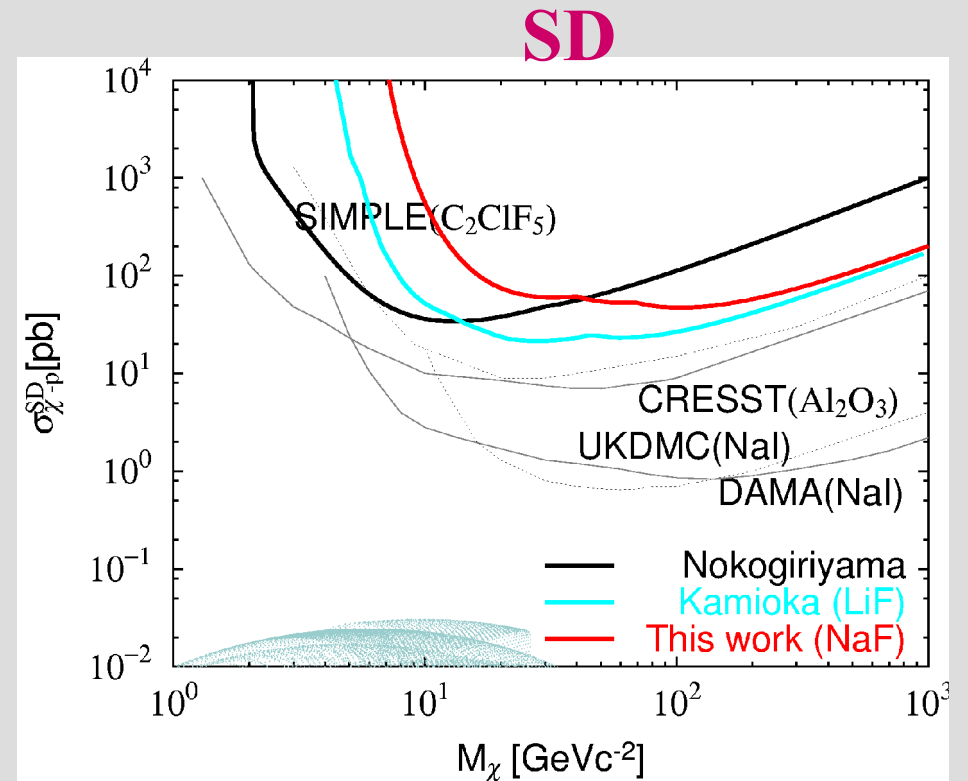
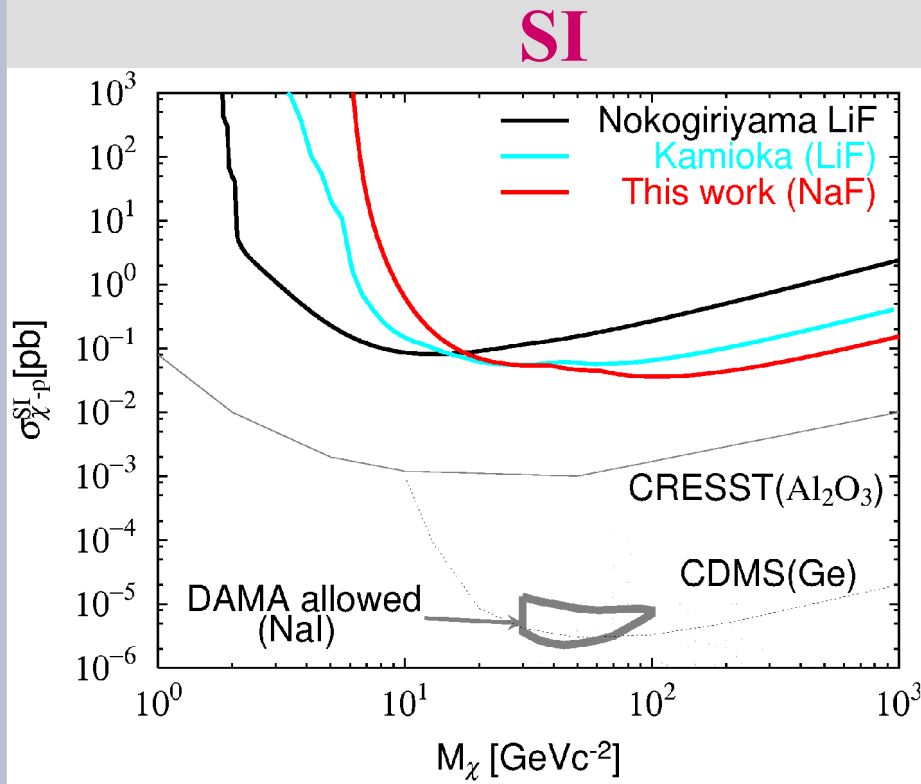
Assuming the same spectrum as that of LiF target



NTD Ge thermistor

- Result (SI and SD  $\sigma_{\chi-p}$  limit)

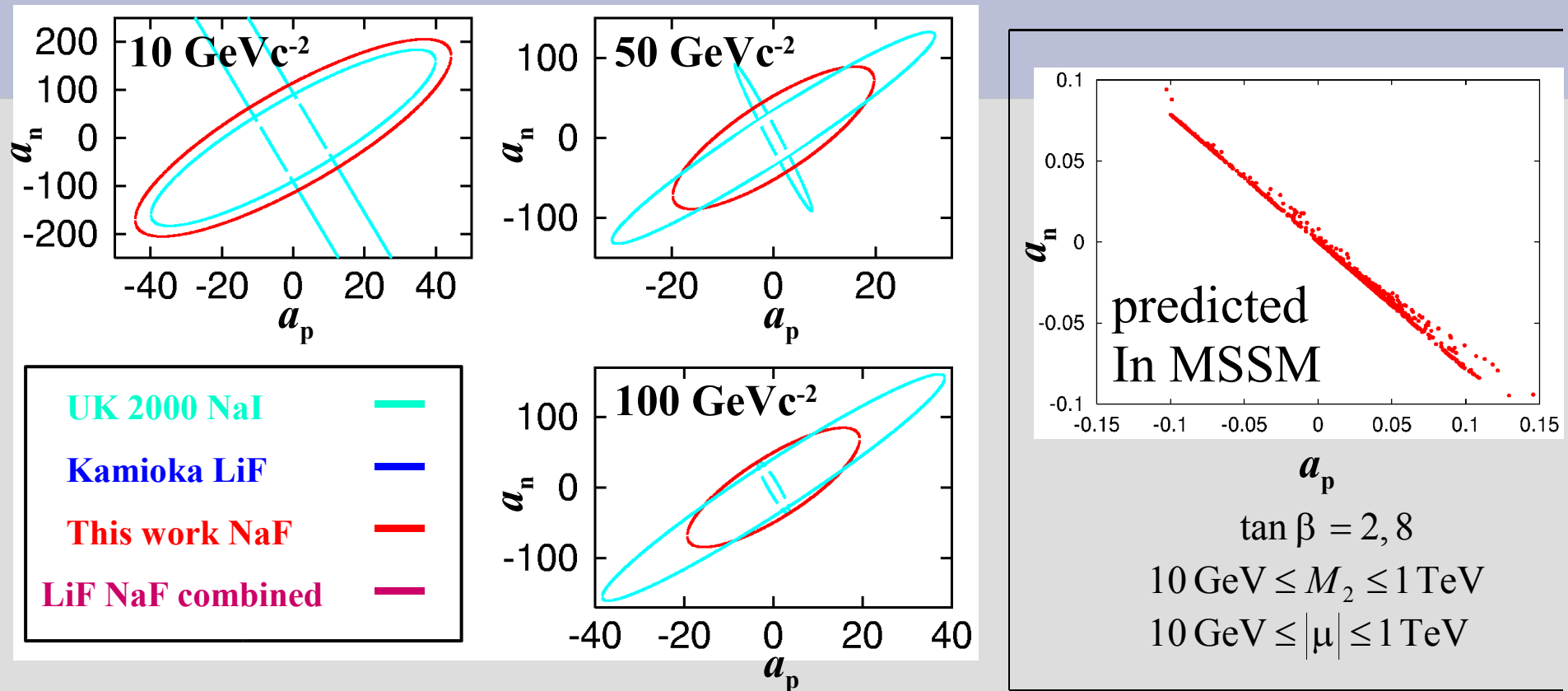
- Assumption : All events are dark matter events



▶ Best limits  
( for 103 GeV)

SI : 0.036 pb  
SD : 47 pb

- Result (SD limits in the  $a_p$ - $a_n$  plane)

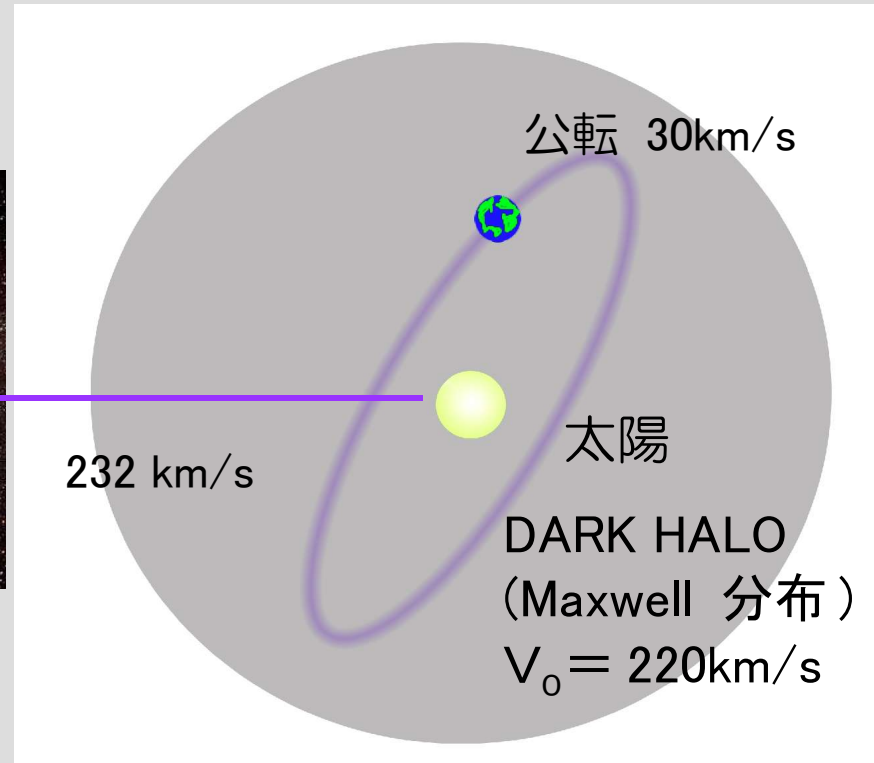


- ▶ We **improved LiF limits** in a part of the parameter space.
- ▶ Combined limits with the results of LiF are **more stringent than UK2000 limits** for 10, 50 and 100  $\text{GeV}^{-2}$ .

# Direction sensitive scintillators R&D

## 銀河中での地球の動き

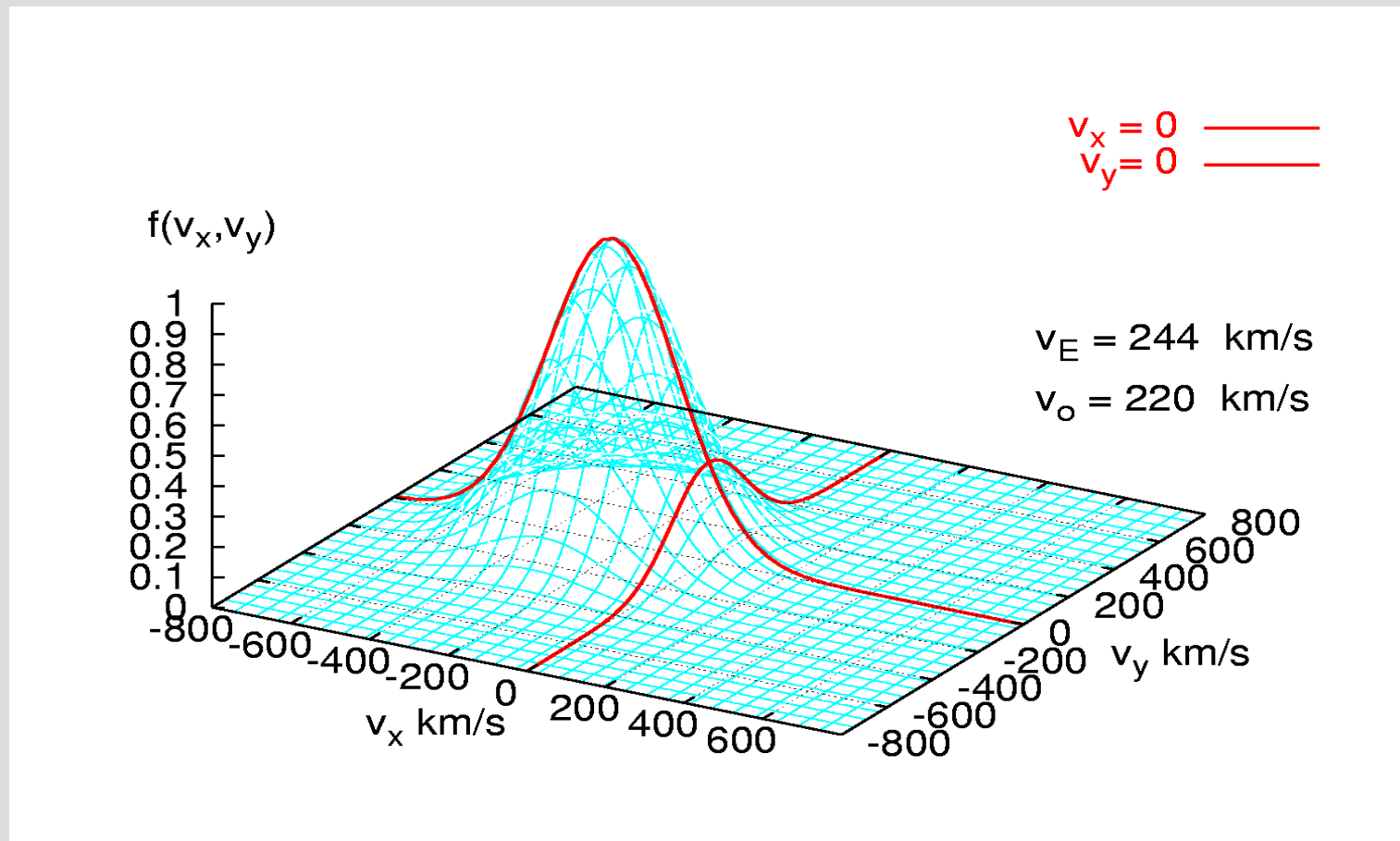
Cygnus



地球の自転 → DM の入射方向の日変化

地球の自転動きが暗黒物質のシグナルを生む

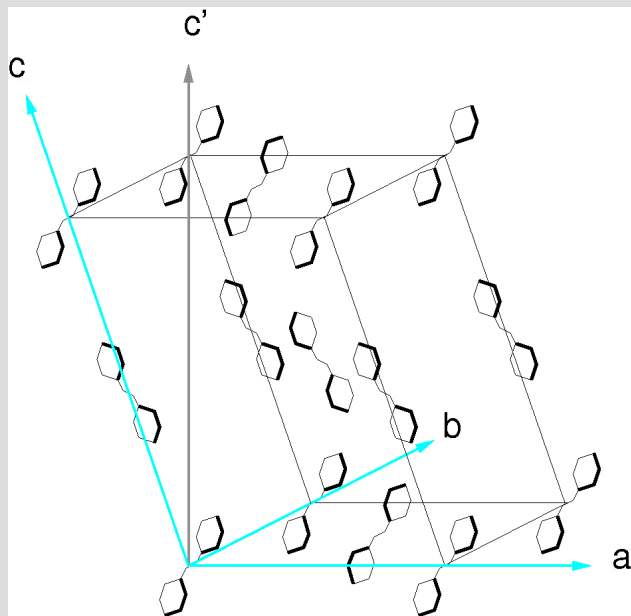
# DM wind is fairy **strong**



# スチルベンシンチレーター

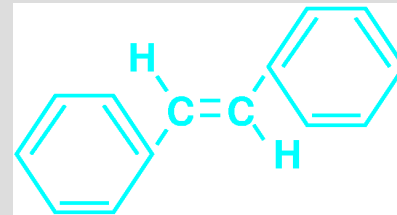
重荷電粒子の入射方向によって発光量が異なる Z. Phys. 162 (1961) 122

→ 反跳原子核の方向に対する感度が期待される



単斜晶系 単結晶

*trans*-stilbene



- 発光量 : 30% of NaI
- 発光波長 : 410 nm
- 減衰時間 : 即発成分 5 ns
- 結晶軸  $c'$  に対する角度により光量異なる

$m_x o(10\text{GeV})$  の暗黒物質に感度のある低エネルギー (100keV 以下) の炭素反跳について測定を行った

# 中性子による発光効率測定

## 炭素反跳測定の実理

中性子散乱角  $\theta_n$  を固定して ( $\theta_n = 120^\circ$ )  
 TOF で入射エネルギー  $E_n$  と散乱エネルギー  $E_{n'}$  を測定

反跳原子核  
 反跳エネルギー  $E_R$  は一意に決まる  
 反跳角  $\theta_N$

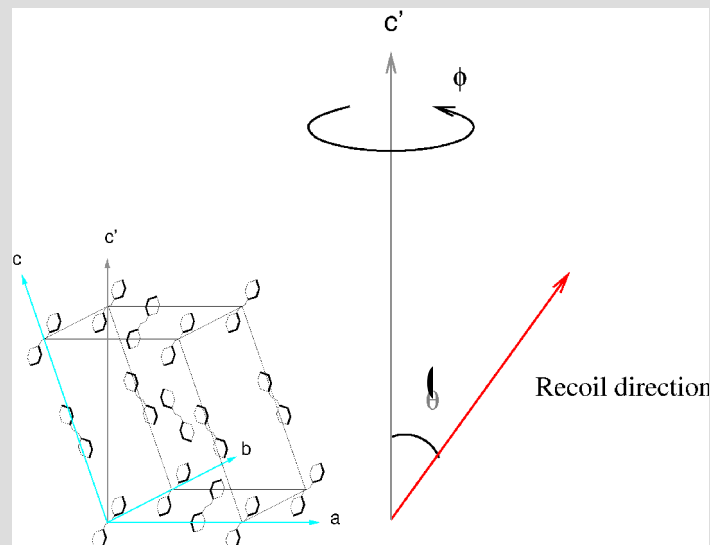
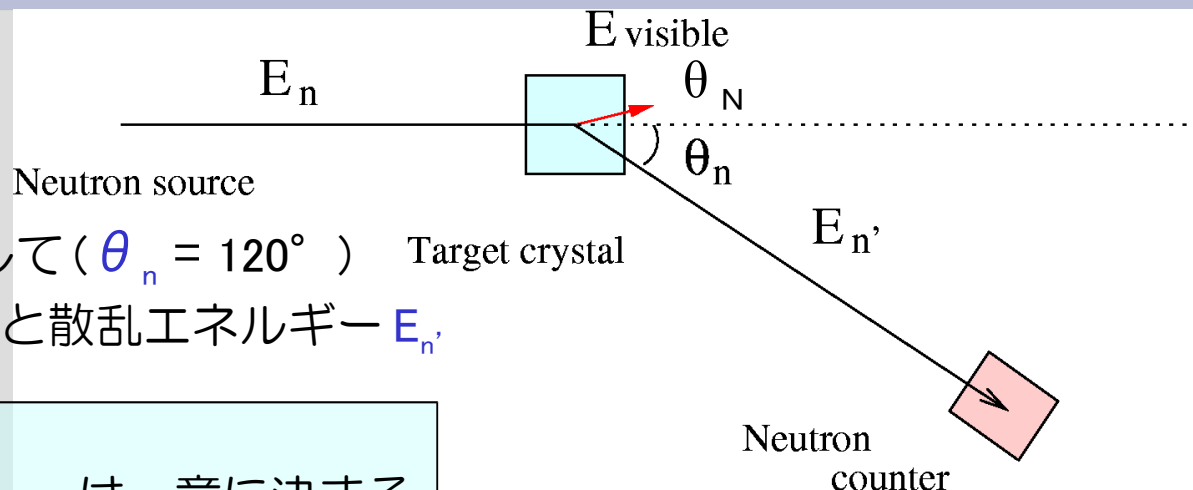
kinematics

中性子  $\leftrightarrow$  WIMP

求めるべきもの

発光効率の  $c'$  軸に対する反跳角  $\theta$  依存性

$$\text{Relative efficiency } q(E_R, \theta) = \frac{E_{\text{visible}}}{E_R}$$

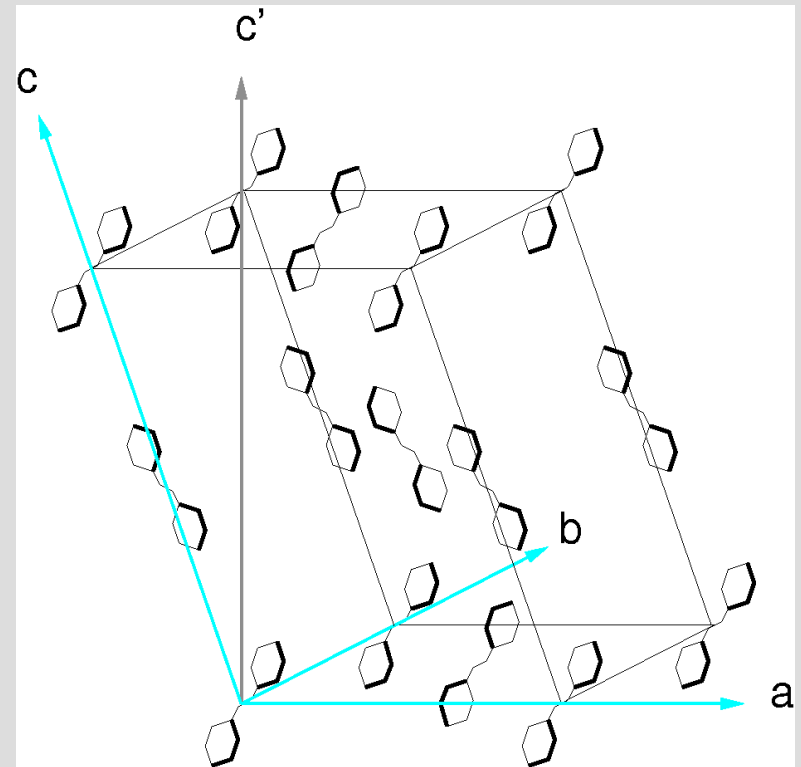


# スチルベン結晶

● 5cm  $\phi$   $\times$  5cm 116g

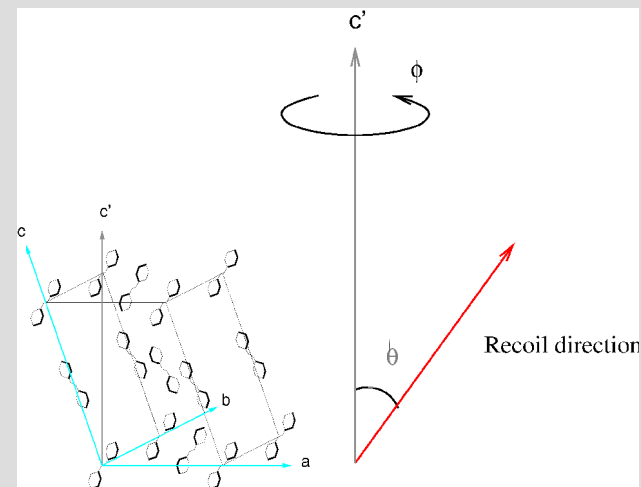
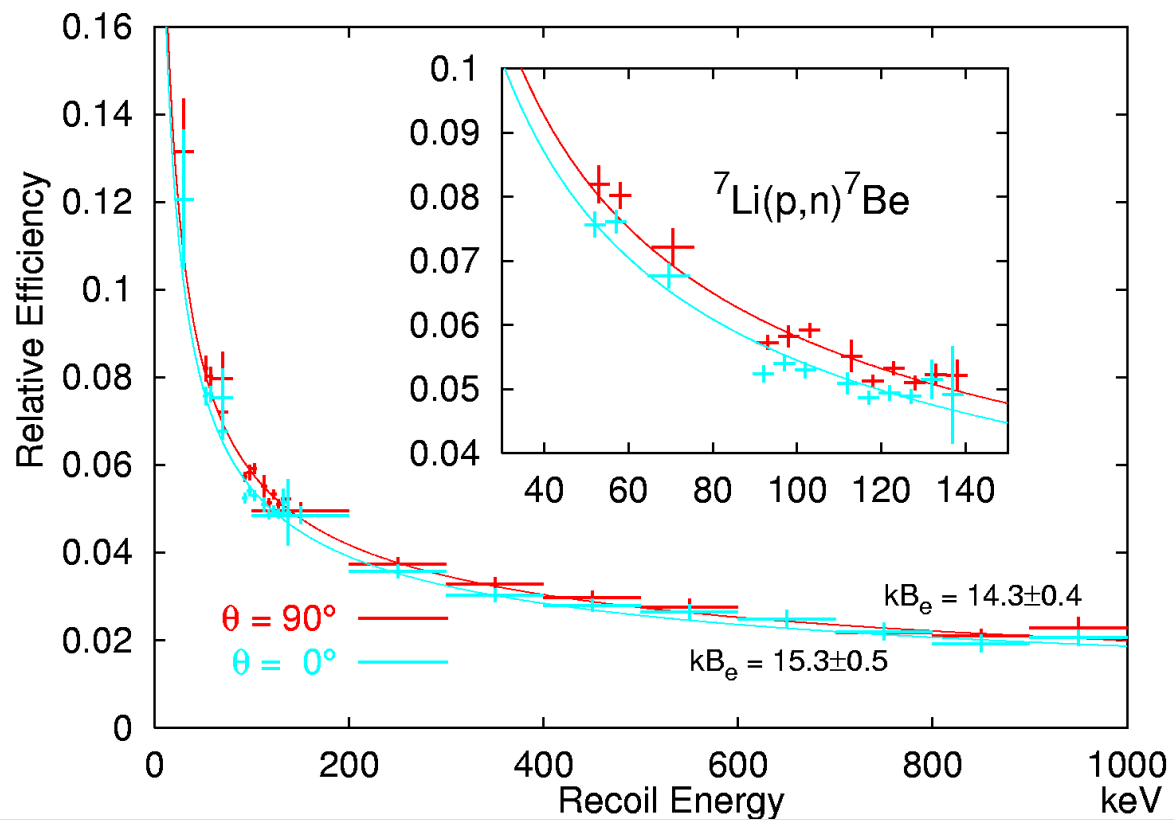


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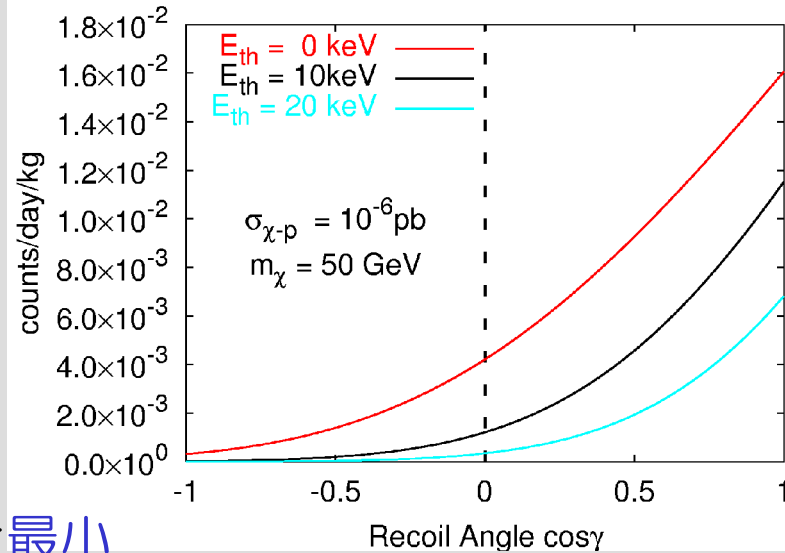
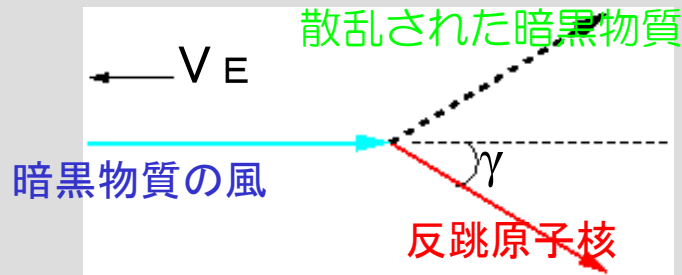


# 結果



- 炭素反跳の発光効率 は  $c'$  axis に関して 7% 変化
- ほかの軸に対する ( $\phi$ ) 依存性は見られなかった

# 暗黒物質探索への利用



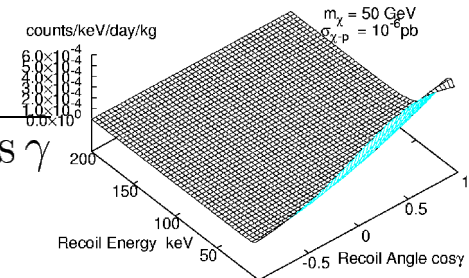
スチルベンの発光量は

- $c'$  //  $V_E$  のとき最小
- $c'$   $\perp$   $V_E$  のとき最大

暗黒物質にシグナルは光出力スペクトルに現れる

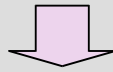
$$\frac{dR'}{dE_{\text{vis}}} = \int dE_R d\cos\gamma \delta(E_{\text{vis}} - q(E_R, \cos\gamma)E_R) \frac{d^2R}{dE_R d\cos\gamma}$$

$\cos\theta = c'$  の方向と反跳方向の内積

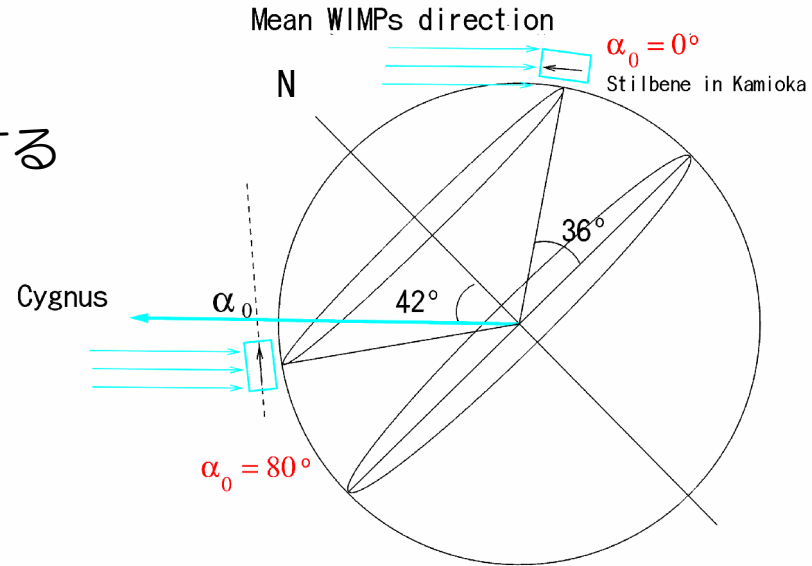


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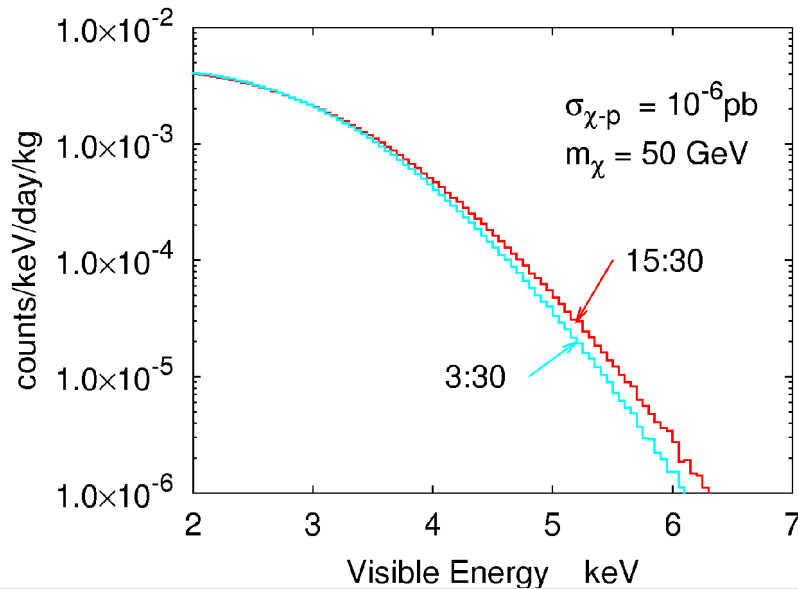
- Cygnus. の方向  
RA 21 h 12 m,  
dec. +48.19°
- 神岡 (北緯 36 度 25 分) で実験する



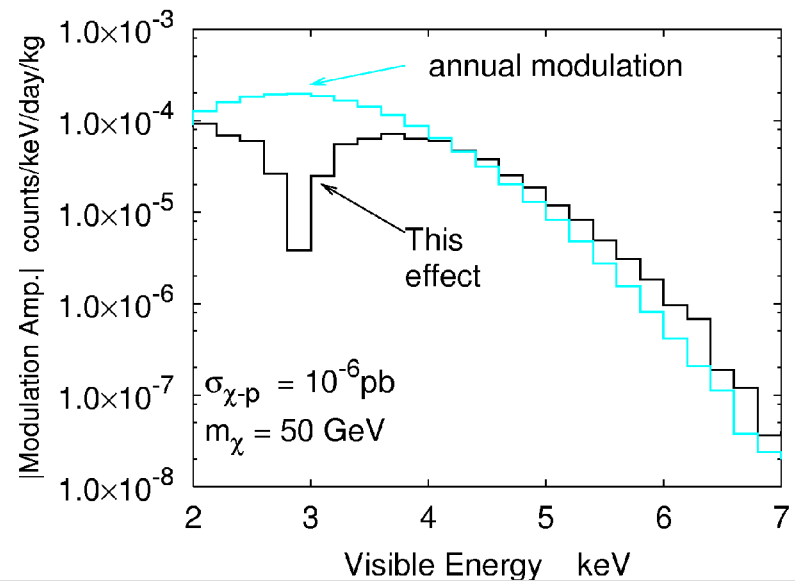
c' 軸を北極に向けておけば  
地球の自転により風向きと c' 軸  
の角度が約 80° 変化する。



スペクトルの変化 2003. 12. 1

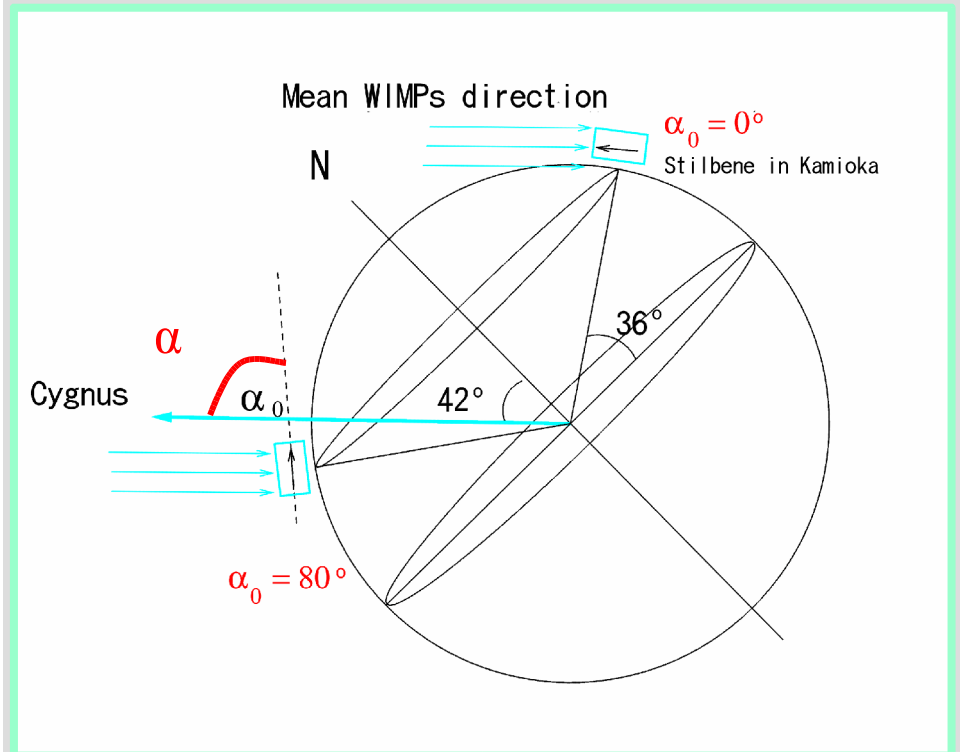
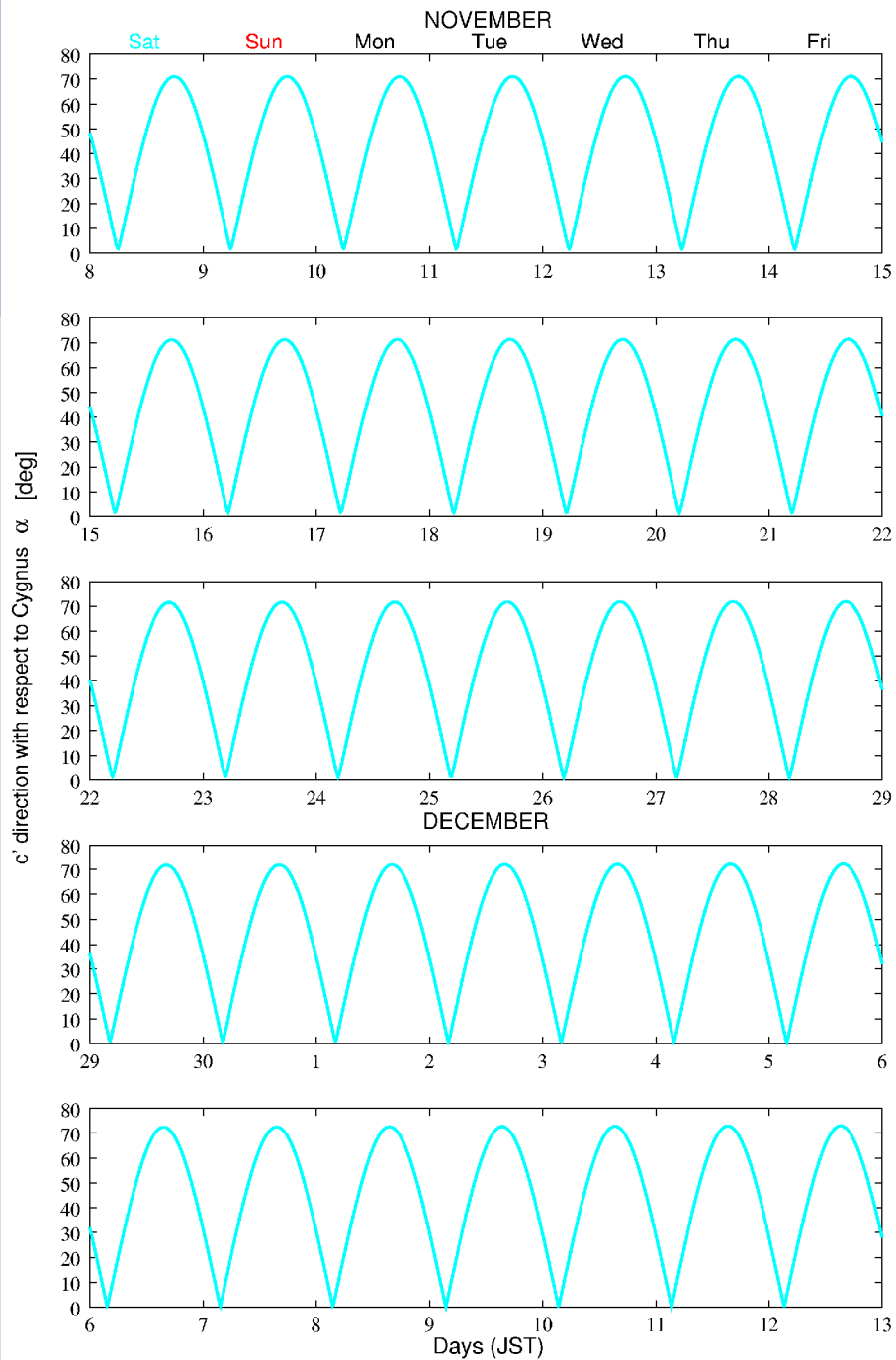


変化量



# 風向きの変化

測定期間中の  
地球の進行方向と結晶軸  $c'$   
のなす角  $\alpha$  の変化



# 問題点

実験を制限しているもの

## 1. バックグラウンドレート

PMT 中の放射性不純物

(ダイノード構造のセラミック、ステム部分のガラス)

- 
- 結晶の周りを古い鉛で囲う
  - 光検出器の改善 (量子効率の意味でも)  
Avalanche Photodiode, Prism PMT など

## 2. スチルベン結晶

Anisotropy not sufficient

$A=12$  is not large enough for SI detection  $(\sigma_{\chi-N}^{SI} \propto A^2)$

- 
- より異方性のある、アントラセン・ナフタレンの使用
  - Spin に依存した相互作用に有利な  $^{19}\text{F}$  を含む結晶の製造  
Octafluoronaphthalene, dodecafluoroanthracene

# END

## Tokyo Group Results

### Publications

**H. Sekiya, M. Minowa, Y. Shimizu, Y. Inoue, W. Suganuma:**

**Measurements of anisotropic scintillation efficiency for carbon recoils in a stilbene crystal for dark matter detection,**

**astro-ph/0307384, [Physics Letters B571 \(2003\) 132-138](#).**

**A. Takeda, M. Minowa, K. Miuchi, H. Sekiya, Y. Shimizu, Y. Inoue, W. Ootani, Y. Ootuka:**

**Limits on the WIMP-Nucleon Coupling Coefficients from Dark Matter Search Experiment with NaF Bolometer,**

**astro-ph/0306365, [Physics Letters B572 \(2003\) 145-151](#).**

**Y. Shimizu, M. Minowa, H. Sekiya, Y. Inoue:**

**Directional scintillation detector for the detection of the wind of WIMPs,**

**astro-ph/0207529, Nuclear Instruments and Methods in Physics Research Section A 496 (2003) 347-352.**

**K. Miuchi, M. Minowa, A. Takeda, H. Sekiya, Y. Shimizu, Y. Inoue, W. Ootani, and Y. Ootuka:**

**First results from dark matter search experiment with LiF bolometer at Kamioka Underground Laboratory,**

**astro-ph/0204411, [Astroparticle Physics 19 \(2003\) 135-144](#).**

# Another challenging DM search

## XMASS experiment

- Goals

- ☆ Direct detection of **Dark Matter**  
→ Discovery of Dark Matter

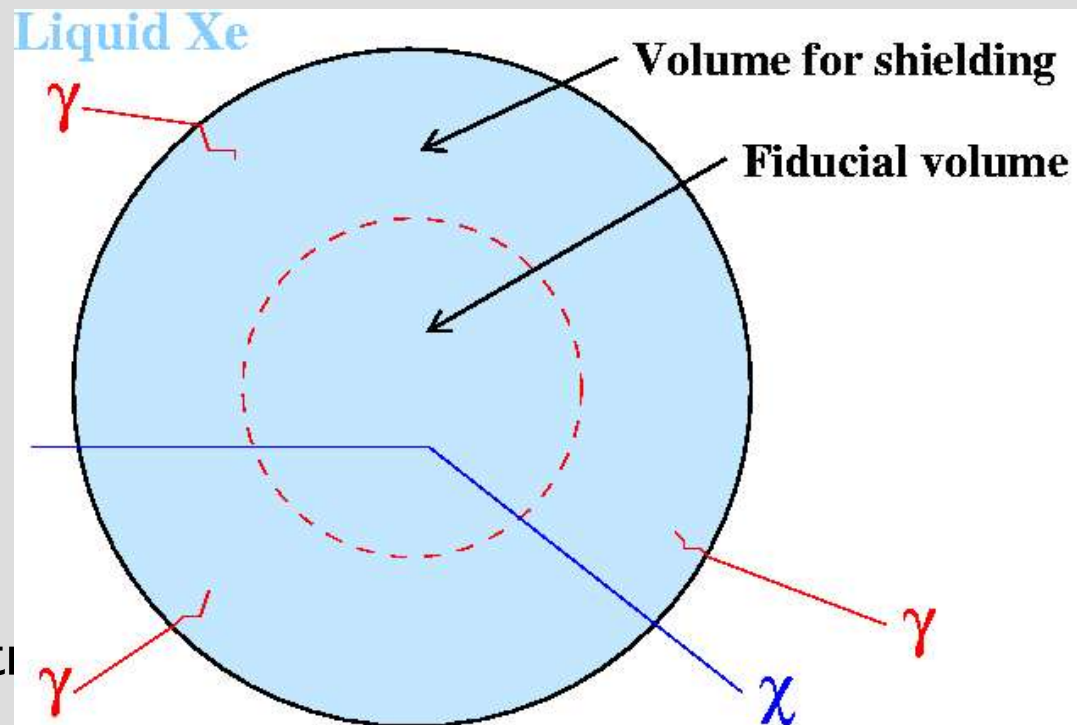
- ☆ Real time observation of **low energy solar  $\nu$  (pp,  ${}^7\text{Be}$ )**  
→ Precise determination of  $\nu$  oscillation parameters

- ☆ Observation of  **$0\nu\beta\beta$  decay**  
→ Majorana property and absolute mass of  $\nu$

**XMASS** = Multipurpose Ultra low-background detector  
with **liquid Xe**

- Key idea

Self shielding for  $\gamma$  ray background by liquid Xe ( $Z=54$ )



Reconst

ormation

→  $\gamma$  ray backgrounds are absorbed in outer volume

→ Dark matter can go into fiducial volume

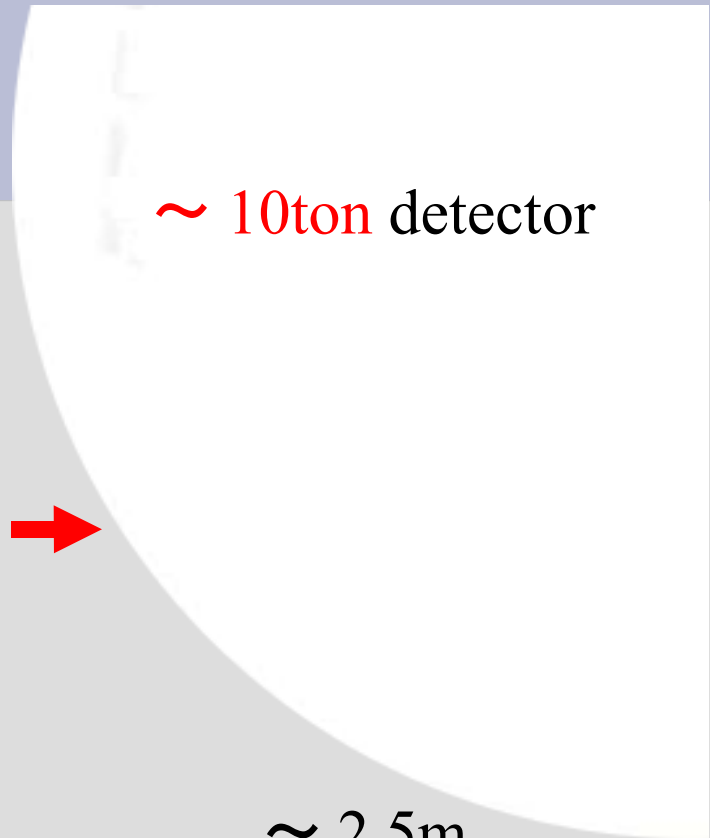
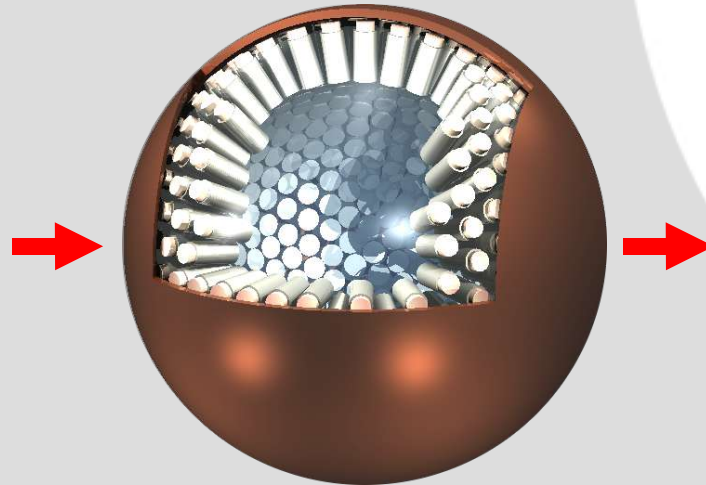
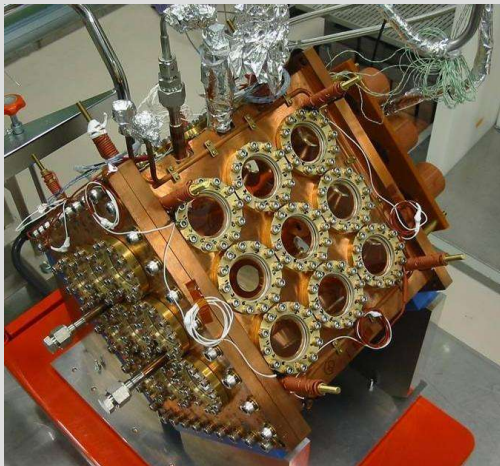


- Strategy of the scale-up

100kg prototype

800kg detector

~ 10ton detector



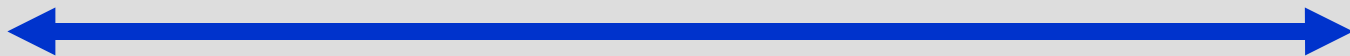
~ 30cm

~ 80cm

~ 2.5m



R&D



Dark matter search

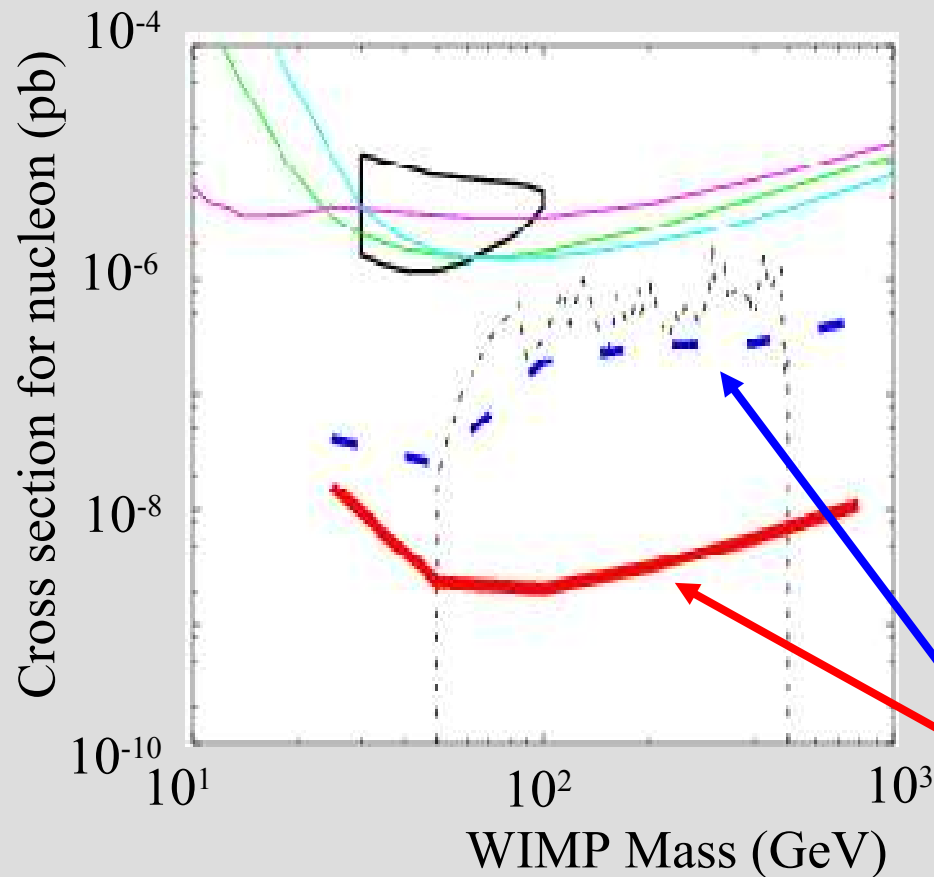


Multipurpose detector



Now

- Sensitivity of 800kg detector for DM (SI)  
Spin independent interaction



Discover!

□ DAMA (NaI)

Exclude

— Edelweiss (Ge)

— ZEPLIN (Xe)

— CDMS (Ge)

XMASS 800kg detector (Xe)  
(5keV threshold, 5year)

Annual modulation ( $3\sigma$  discovery)

Raw spectrum ( $3\sigma$  discovery)

$>10^2$  improvement of sensitivity for existing experiments

END  
XMASS Project

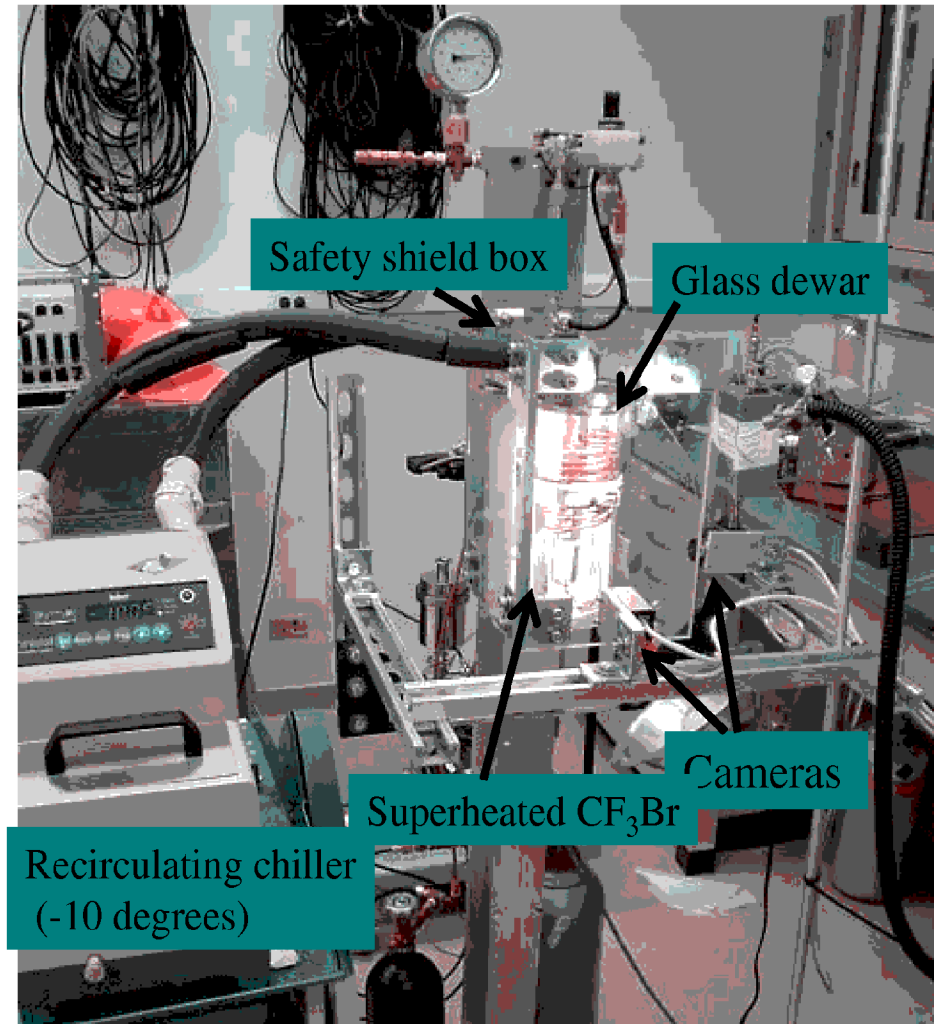
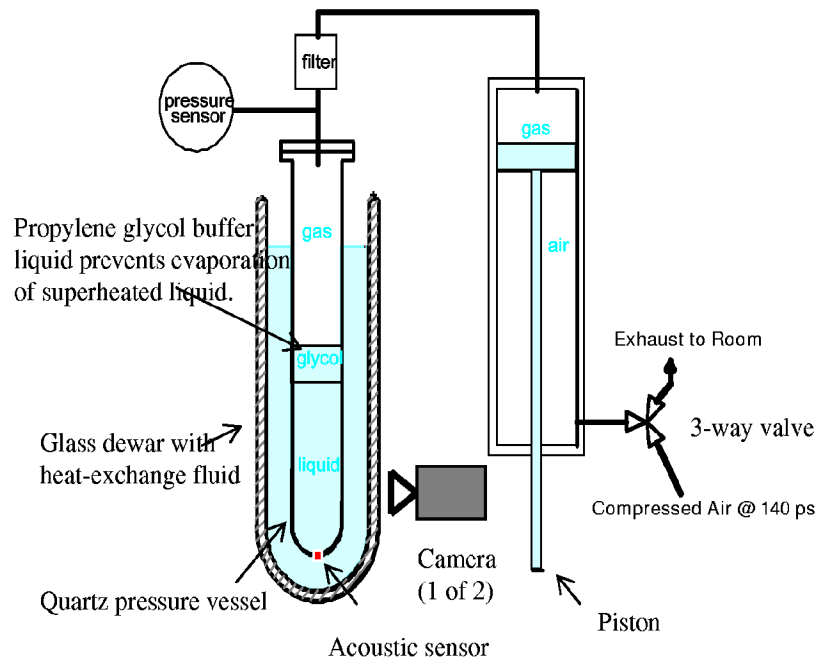


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AT THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO

First prototypes:  
~20 ml active volume  
Pressure: 0-150 psi  
Temp: -80 to + 40 degrees C

Stereo photography of  
bubbles

Three triggers: acoustic,  
pressure and video

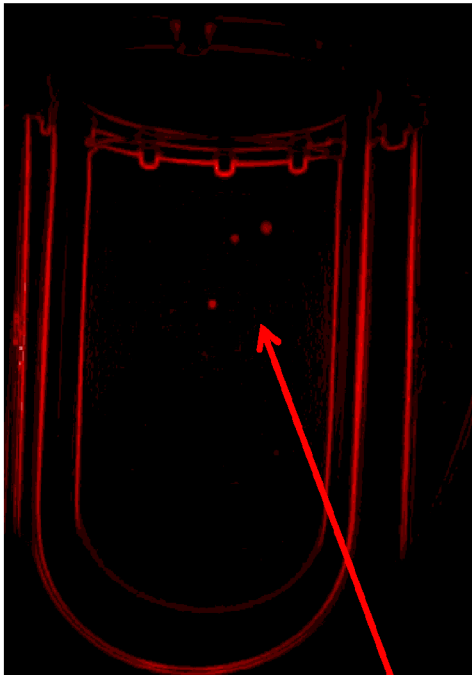


- ⇒ Old Bubble Chambers radiation-ready for only few ms at a time (coincident with beam spill)
  
- ⇒ Gas pockets in surface imperfections and motes can act as inhomogeneous nucleation centers.
  
- ⇒ A BC dedicated to WIMP searches must remain superheated indefinitely, except for radiation-induced events. Low degree of superheat helps, but is not enough.
  
- ⇒ *Recent* progress in neutralization of inhomogeneous nucleation sites (from work unrelated to bubble chambers!). E.g. use of liquid “lid”, outgassing in presence of buffer liquid, cleaning techniques and wetting improvement via vapor deposition.

## Fancy: Position Reconstruction

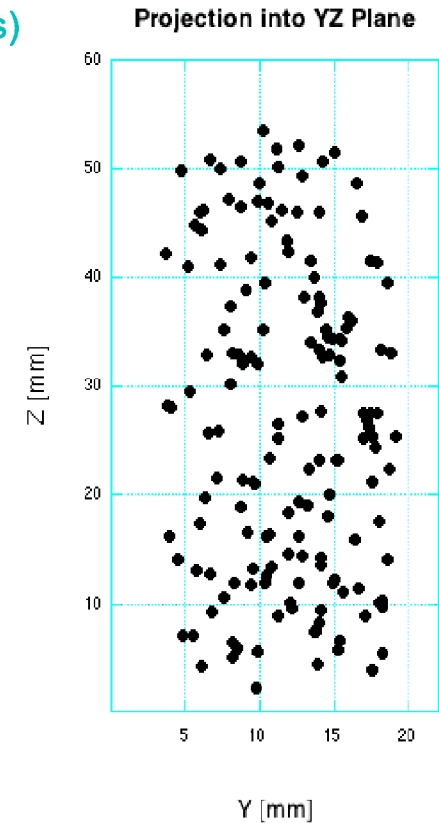
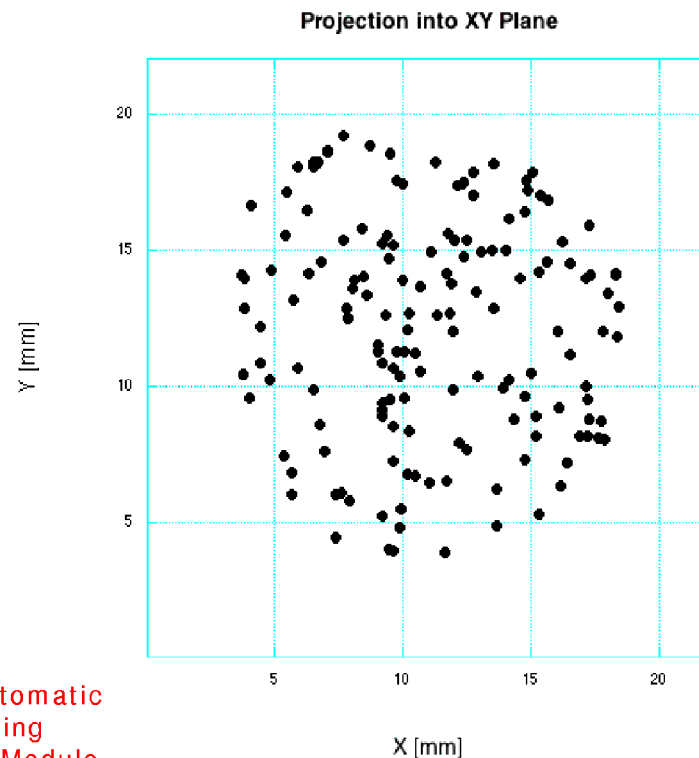


- Bubble positions can be reconstructed in 3 dimensions by scanning images taken by two cameras offset by 90 degrees.
- Position resolution is currently 530 microns r.m.s. (approximately 1/4 bubble diameter)
- Uniform spatial distribution of background events, consistent with background neutrons.



intermediate step in automatic  
inspection algorithm using  
NI Vision Development Module  
(2 kg chamber)

163 background events (1.5 live days)




# Sensitivity necessary for the discovery of DM (SI)

- How can one reach  $\sigma_{\chi-n}^{\text{SI}} \geq 2 \times 10^{-12} \text{ pb}$  ?

- Current typical limit with NaI(Tl) – PSA by UK group is:

$$\frac{dR}{dE_{\text{visible}}} \leq 4 \times 10^{-1} \text{ events/kg/day/keV } (@ 4-5 \text{ keV})$$

  $\sigma_{\chi-n}^{\text{SI}} \leq 2 \times 10^{-5} \text{ pb } (@ M_{\chi} \sim 100 \text{ GeV})$

# Well experienced experimentalist would not say that

- One has to go down to

$$\frac{dR}{dE_{\text{visible}}} \leq 4 \times 10^{-8} \text{ events/kg/day/keV } (@ 4-5 \text{ keV})$$

- with 6 p.e. /keV (NaI(Tl))  
5 p.e. /keV (LXe)
- even lower p.e.'s for larger volume detectors



# To go further,

- **Huge mass** conventional detectors **never** help even with PSA.
- **exposure**[kg · days] more than **several × {background rate[/kg/day]}<sup>-1</sup>** is not necessary
- Bolometr **background** rate is too high.
- Annual modulation **effect** is too small.
- **Innovation** needed
- Direction sensitive (and, hopefully, SD-sensitive) detector
- Self-shielding ultra pure material(e.g. LXe)
- Even cleverer detection technique to be discovered (e. g. Bubble chamber)