Nature of Dwarf Spheroidal Galaxies

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- Properties of dSph
- Relation to dlrr
- Theory: abundances and structure of dSph

Dwarf Spheroidal Galaxies



40x40 arcmin B band image

Fornax Dwarf spheroidal



IIxII arcmin 2Mass JHK image NGC 185 dE galaxy



8x8 arcmin 2Mass JHK image

M32 dE galaxy

Dwarf Spheroidals: strange beasts

The most abundant population of galaxies

Not abundant enough: they are at the heart of the overabundance problem

Spheroidals, but not ellipticals

Strong environmental effects: exist only in groups. No isolated dSph

Dark matter dominated, but yet strong effects of normal matter

Spheroidals are not Ellipticals: a different population





FIGURE 7: Comparison of the cumulative circular velocity functions, $N(>V_{max})$, of subhalos and dwarf satellites of the Milky Way within the radius of 286 kpc (this radius is chosen to match the maximum distance to observed satellites in the sample and is smaller than the virial radius of the simulated halo, $R_{337} = 326$ kpc). The subhalo VFs are plotted for the host halos with maximum circular velocities of 160 km/s and 208 km/s that should bracket the V_{max} of the actual Milky Way halo. The VF for the observed satellites was constructed using circular velocities estimated from the line-of-sight velocity dispersions as $V_{max} = \sqrt{3}\sigma_r$ (see the discussion in the text for the uncertainties of this conversion).

Velocity function of galaxies



10 Mpc sphere centered on the Milky Way

Theory predicts correct abundance if galaxies with Vcirc> 50 km/s (Magellanic Clouds)

On small scales the disagreement is large. The discrepancy is due to a combination of photoionization heating at at the moment of re-ionization($z\sim10$) and stellar feedback. Small halos do not host galaxies Connection to dIrr galaxies

dSph are transformed dlrr: as dlrr falls into parent halo, its gas is ram pressure stripped its disk tumbles

dSph (may) have the same issues as dlrr: exponential stellar profiles cored DM (not cusp)

We really do not know this: physics of tiny dlrr is poorly understood. Some should not exist, but they do.



 $M_B = -14.8$ inclination = 12deg

UGC 8508 6m IFP data (smoothed to 3") Ikpc



Galaxy, which should not exist: Cam B (Begum et al 2003)

$$V_{rot+rms} = 10 km/s$$

 $M_B = -12.3$
 $D = 3.5 Mpc$





Fig. 3. The digitized Palomar Sky Survey image of Cam B with the GMRT $40'' \times 38''$ resolution integrated HI emission (moment 0) map overlayed. The contour levels are 3.7, 8.8, 19.1, 24.3, 29.4, 34.6, 39.8, 44.9, 50.1, 55.2, 60.4, 65.5 and 70.7×10^{19} atoms cm⁻².

Density Profiles: Mass at ~ 1 kpc radius. Core-cusp problem



NGC 6822, de Blok etal 2007





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Figure 3. Star formation history in the runs without (left-hand plot) and with (right-hand plot) feedback.



Figure 5. Evolution of the dark matter density profile over the 2Gyr of evolution for the control run with cooling, star formation and stellar feedback. We see the formation of a large core. We also show for comparison the analytical fit (dashed line) based on a pseudo-isothermal profile.

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Projected velocity dispersion profiles for six Milky Way dSph satelli Overplotted are profiles corresponding to mass-follows light (King 1962) models (dashed lines; these fall to zero at the nominal "edge stellar distribution), and best-fitting NFW profiles that assume cons velocity anisotropy. Short, vertical lines indicate luminous core radi Distance moduli are adopted from Mateo (1998)

Walker et al 20



Solid lines represent density, mass and M/L profiles corresponding to best-fitting NFW profiles.

Dotted lines in the top and middle panels are baryonic density and mass profiles, respectively, following from the assumption that the stellar component (assumed to have M/L=1) has exponentially falling density





FIGURE 10: The mass within the central 300 pc versus luminosity for the dwarf satellites of the Milky Way (stars with error bars, see [88]). The open symbols of different types show the expected relation for subhalos in three different Milky Way-sized halos formed in the simulations of the concordance Λ CDM cosmology if the luminosity of the subhalos is related to their virial mass at accretion epoch as $L = 5 \times 10^3 L_{\odot} (M_{\rm vir,acc}/10^9 M_{\odot})^{2.5}$ (see text for discussion).

Kravtsov 2009

Cusp or core

$$\begin{split} M_{1/2} &\equiv M(r_{1/2}) \simeq 3G^{-1} \langle \sigma_{\rm los}^2 \rangle r_{1/2}, \\ &\simeq 4G^{-1}, \langle \sigma_{\rm los}^2 \rangle R_{\rm e}, \\ &\simeq 930 \, \left(\frac{\langle \sigma_{\rm los}^2 \rangle}{\rm km^2 \, s^{-2}} \right) \, \left(\frac{R_{\rm e}}{\rm pc} \right) \, M_{\bigodot} \, . \end{split}$$

In the second line, we have used $R_e \simeq (3/4)r_{1/2}$ for the twodimensional (2D) projected half-light radius. This approximation is accurate to better than 2 per cent for exponential, Gaussian, King, Plummer and Sérsic profiles (see Appendix B for useful fitting

$$-n_{\star}\frac{\mathrm{d}\Phi}{\mathrm{d}r} = \frac{\mathrm{d}(n_{\star}\sigma_{\mathrm{r}}^{2})}{\mathrm{d}r} + 2\frac{\beta n_{\star}\sigma_{\mathrm{r}}^{2}}{r}$$

Here $\sigma_r(r)$ is the radial velocity dispersion of the stars/tracers and $\beta(r) \equiv 1 - \sigma_t^2/\sigma_r^2$ is a measure of the velocity anisotropy, where the tangential velocity dispersion $\sigma_t = \sigma_\theta = \sigma_\phi$. It is informative to rewrite the implied total mass profile as

$$M(r) = \frac{r\sigma_{\rm r}^2}{G} \left(\gamma_{\star} + \gamma_{\sigma} - 2\beta\right),\tag{9}$$

where $\gamma_{\star} \equiv -d \ln n_{\star}/d \ln r$ and $\gamma_{\sigma} \equiv -d \ln \sigma_{\rm r}^2/d \ln r$. Without the



Figure 1 Left: the sumulative mass profile generated by evaluating the Carine dSph using four different constant velocity dispersion enjoytropies. The lines

M. Boylan-Kolchin, J. S. Bullock, and M. Kaplinghat ApJ 2012

Too Big To Fail

Is the structure of large dwarf spheroidal galaxies consistent with the LCDM?



Figure 1. Observed V_{circ} values of the nine bright dSphs (symbols, with sizes proportional to log L_V), along with rotation curves corresponding to NFW subhaloes with $V_{\text{max}} = (12, 18, 24, 40) \text{ km s}^{-1}$. The shading indicates the 1σ scatter in r_{max} at fixed V_{max} taken from the Aquarius simulations. All of the bright dSphs are consistent with subhaloes having $V_{\text{max}} \leq 24 \text{ km s}^{-1}$, and most require $V_{\text{max}} \lesssim 18 \text{ km s}^{-1}$. Only Draco, the least luminous dSph in our sample, is consistent (within 2σ) with a massive CDM subhalo of $\approx 40 \text{ km s}^{-1}$ at z = 0.



Circular velocity profiles at redshift zero for subhaloes of the Aquarius halo (Mvir = 1.4 x 10^{12} M) that have $V_{infall} > 30$ km s⁻¹ and $V_{max}(z = 0) > 10$ km s⁻¹ (excluding Magellanic Clouds candidates).

Measured $V_{circ}(r1/2)$ values for the MW dSphs are plotted as data points with error bars. Each subsequent panel shows redshift-zero rotation curves for subhaloes from the left-hand panel with the 10 highest values of $V_{max}(z = 0)$ (second panel), V_{infall} (third panel) or $V_{max}(z = 10)$ (fourth panel). In none of the three scenarios are the most massive subhaloes dynamically consistent with the bright MW dSphs: there are always several subhaloes more massive than all of the MW dSphs. (Analogous results are found for the other four haloes.)

- Cosmological hydro simulations with and without baryons removal
- Evolution of isolated NFW halo with baryons removed:
 - slow
 - fast
- Evolution of NFW satellite as it orbits around the Milky Way

 Cosmological N-body simulations are wrong because baryons are assumed to follow dark matter, which is not a good approximation for dwarf spheroidals

- There is not much of baryons (stars, gas) at present in dSphs
- Significant gas mass should have been removed by ram pressure when dlrr (progenitor of dSph) fell into halo of its parent
- This removal of 20% of mass resulted in expansion of dark matter

hydro simulation: testing analytics



Simple analytics

$$V_{\rm circ} = \sqrt{GM(r)/r}$$

conservation of angular momentum:

$$r_{\rm f} = \frac{r_{\rm i}}{\alpha(r_{\rm i})},$$
$$V_f(r_{\rm f}) = \alpha(r_{\rm i}) V_i(r_{\rm i}) = \alpha(\alpha r_{\rm f}) V_i(\alpha r_{\rm f}).$$



 $\alpha(r_{\rm i})$ is the fraction of mass that remains inside $r_{\rm i}$ after the removal

$$\rho(r) = \rho_0 \Psi\left(\frac{r}{r_0}\right) \qquad \rho_{0,f} = \alpha_0^4 \,\rho_{0,i}, \qquad r_{0,f} = \frac{r_{0,i}}{\alpha_0}$$

 $1 - f_b \approx 0.8$, which leads to a drop in density of $\rho_{0,\rm f}/\rho_{0,\rm i} \approx 0.4$

$$\frac{\rho_{\rm f}(r)}{\rho_{\rm i}(r)} = \alpha_0^4 \frac{\Psi\left(\frac{r}{r_{0,\rm f}}\right)}{\Psi\left(\frac{r}{\alpha_0 r_{0,\rm f}}\right)}.$$

If the function Ψ is the power law $\Psi \propto x^{-\beta}$, then

 $\frac{\rho_{\rm f}(r)}{\rho_{\rm i}(r)} = \alpha_0^{4-\beta}.$

For the NFW profile, the central cusp has slope $\beta = 1$ and the density declines by large factor $\rho_f/\rho_i = \alpha_0^3 \approx 0.5$, again assuming that $\alpha_0 \approx 0.8$. The change in the outer region is much smaller as $\beta = 3$, so $\rho_f/\rho_i = \alpha_0 \approx 0.8$. It is interesting to note that a density profile with a central core ($\beta = 0$) experiences the largest decline in density, $\rho_f/\rho_i = \alpha_0^4$.



Removal of a small fraction of mass (20%) from isolated NFW cuspy profile:

Fast or slow give the same result Analytics works very well

K. Arraki et al ApJ 2012

Tidal stripping of satellite orbiting Milky Way



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Once tidal radius is less than 2 core radii of the density profile, results are very sensitive to small changes in parameters.





Enhanced tidal stripping

- removal of gas from a dwarf makes it more vulnerable for tides

- infall of baryons to the primary makes tides stronger



Comparison of circular orbits to observations of the MW satellites (black squares) and the Aquarius E halo's "massive failures" from the analysis of Boylan-Kolchin et al. (2012) (thick grey lines). Left: The circular velocity profiles of the no mass removal case (NR). This profile does not agree with the MW dSph population and was created to mimic the Aquarius cosmological simulations. Right: The circular velocity profiles of the exponential mass removal case (ER). These profiles span a much larger range of parameter space and are in agreement with observed MW dwarfs due to their inclusion of baryonic effects. Both panels show the initial isolated profile as a solid black line. The circular orbits after 5 Gyrs of evolution are shown from top to bottom as:

150 kpc (dotted), 100 kpc (short-dashed), 70 kpc (dash-dotted), and 50 kpc (long-dashed).

- Dwarf irregular galaxy at high redshifts
 - depending on mass, re-inization may be important or not
 - if mass is large enough and star formation is bursty, core forms
 - fraction of mass in gas is ~cosmological
- Transition stage: gas is removed by ram pressure
 - disk tumbles, angular momentum is lost, heating
 - can the stripping happen outside of parent galaxy? Filament
 - dark matter expands in the central region
- Stripping of satellite as it orbits inside 'parent'
 - very dependent on ellipticity and initial moment (radius)
 - some DM satellites are totally destroyed not a bit survives.