

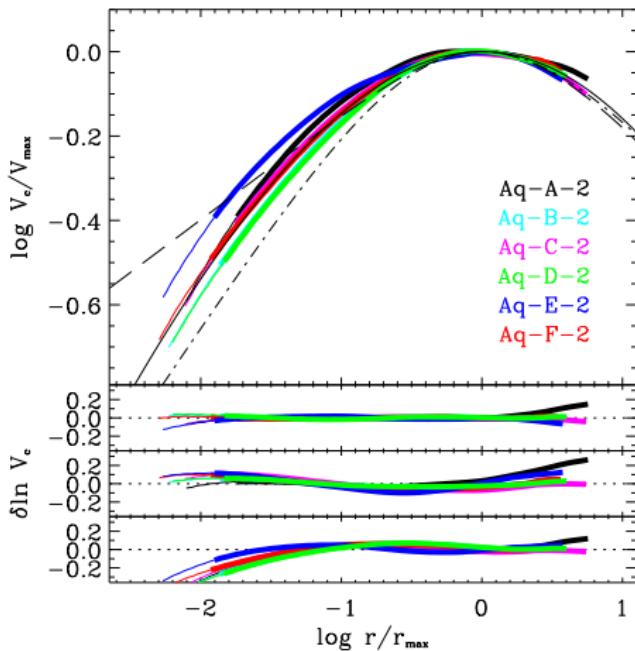
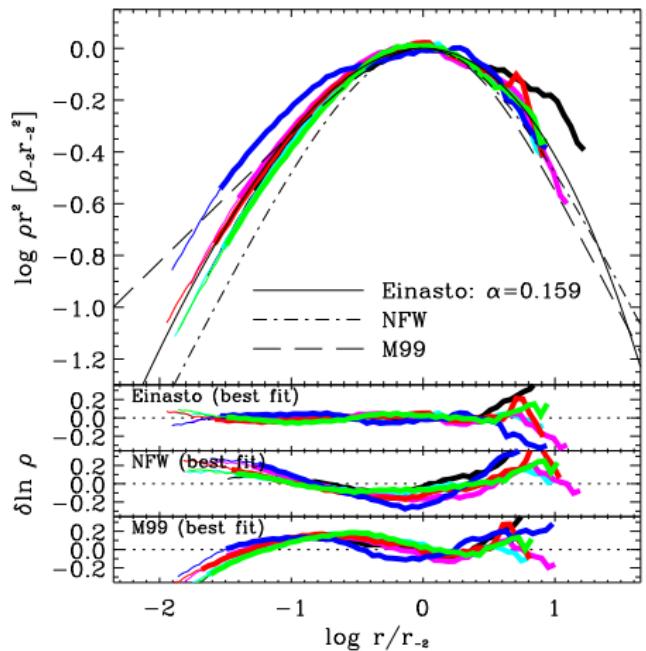
# Indirect dark matter detection

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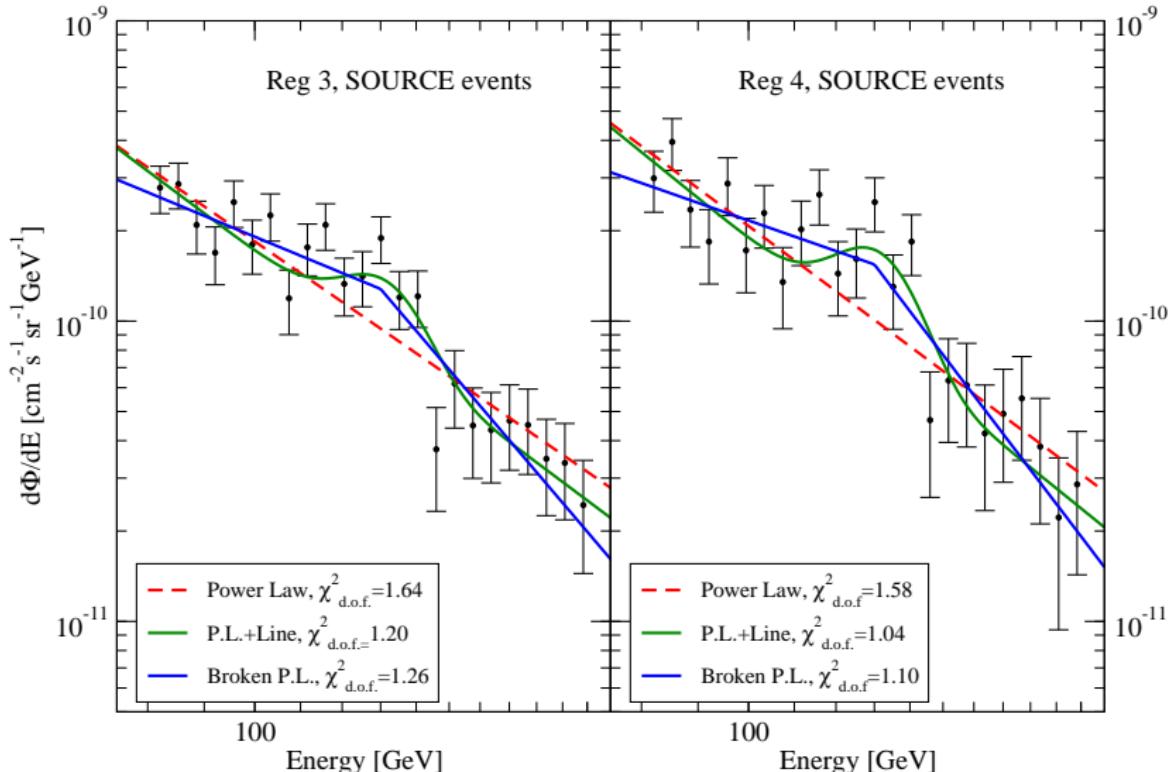
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# Predicted halo profiles from the Aquarius simulation



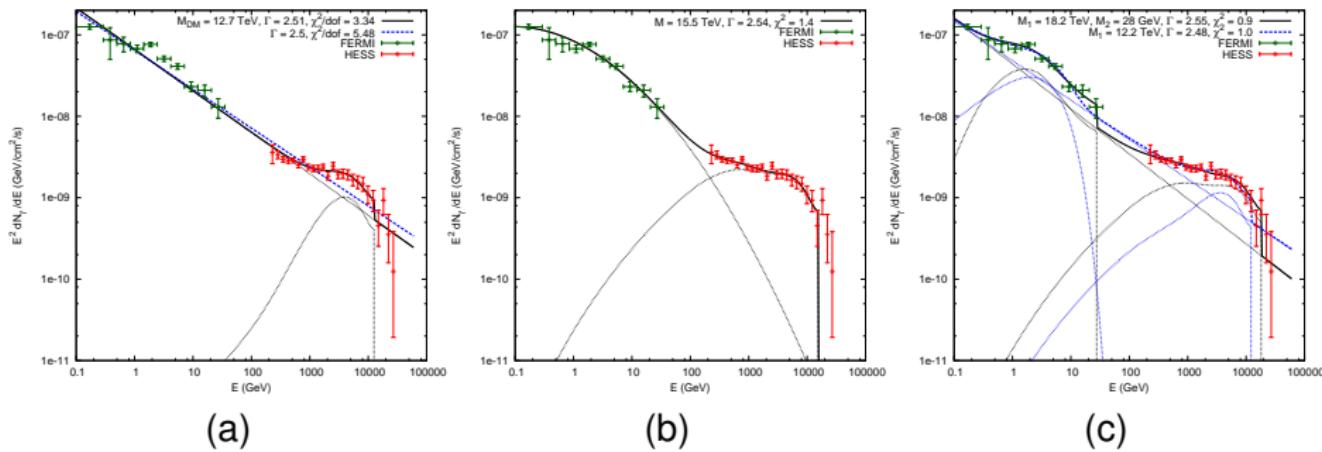
Navarro et al. arXiv:0810.1522

# Gamma ray spectrum from the galactic center (1)



Profumo Linden arXiv:1204.6047

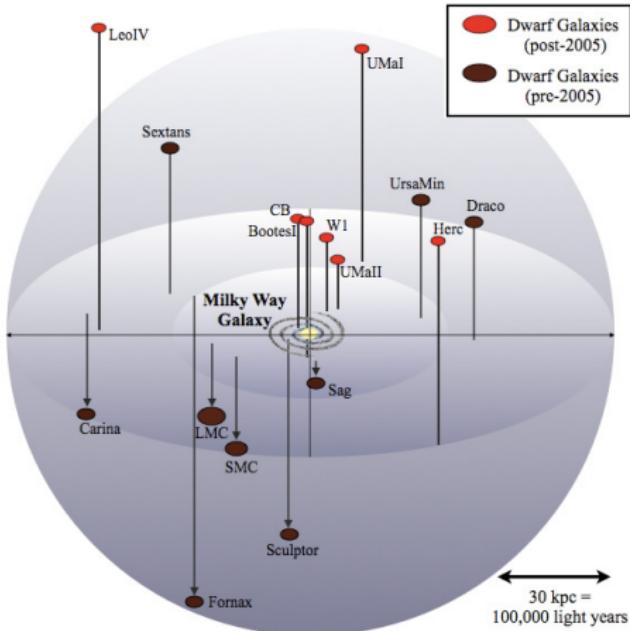
# Gamma ray spectrum from the galactic center (2)



- (a) power law + DM
- (b) pulsar + DM
- (c) power law + DM + pulsar / power law + 2 DM annihilation channels

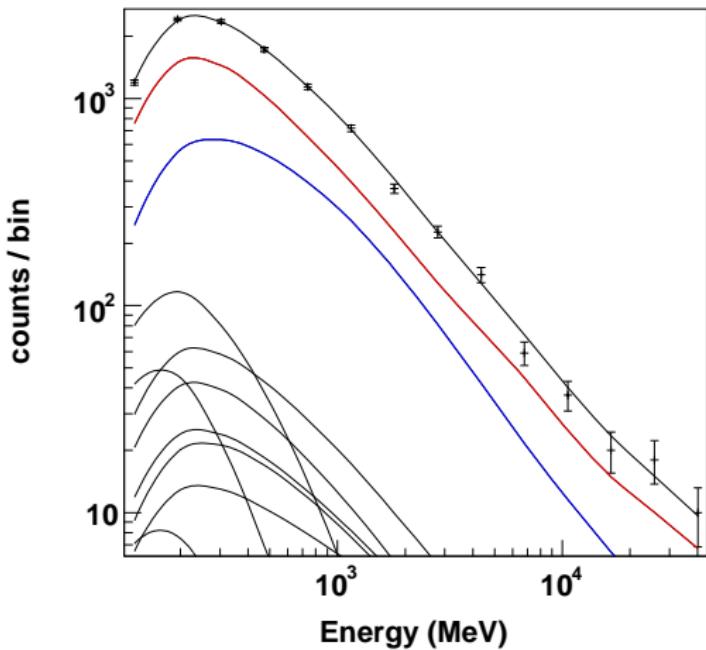
Belikov Zaharijas Silk arXiv:1207.2412

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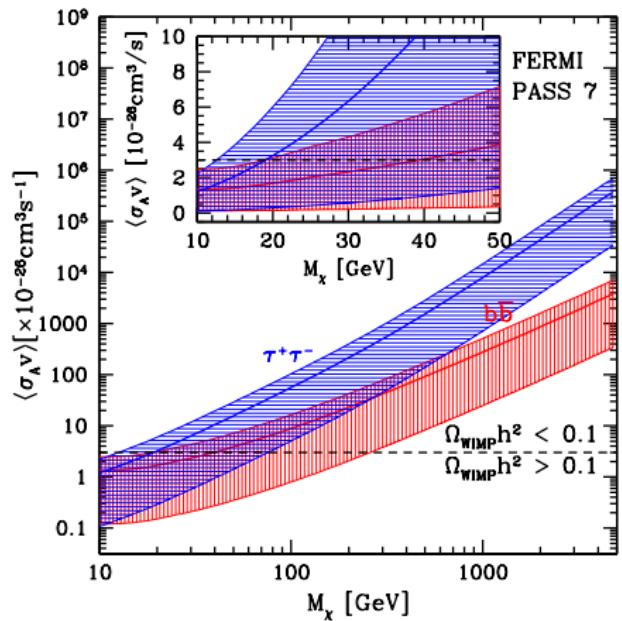
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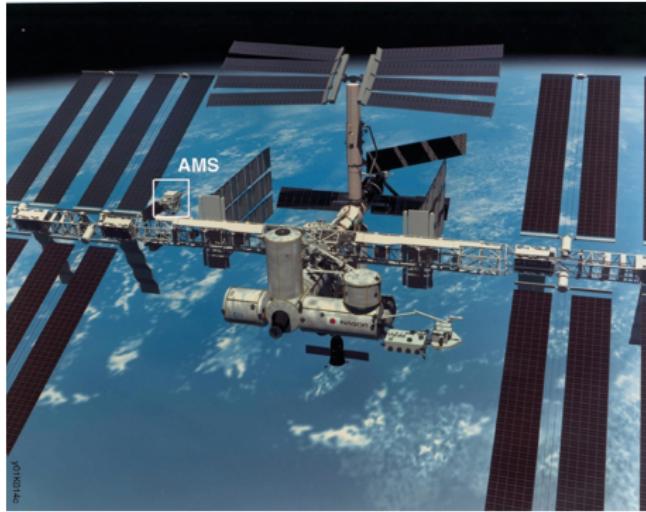
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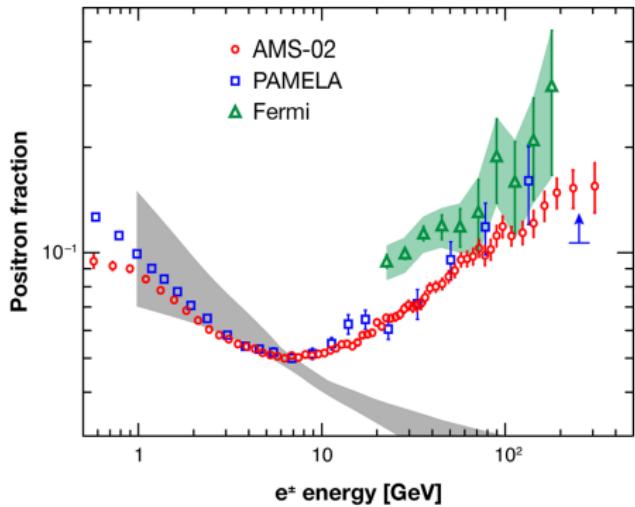
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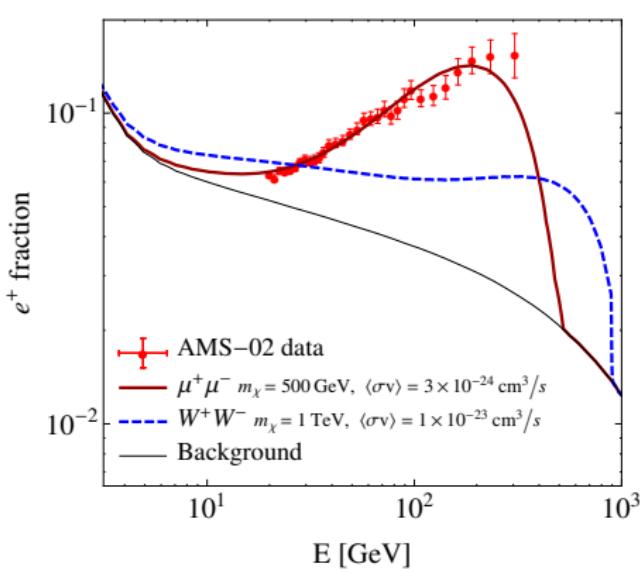
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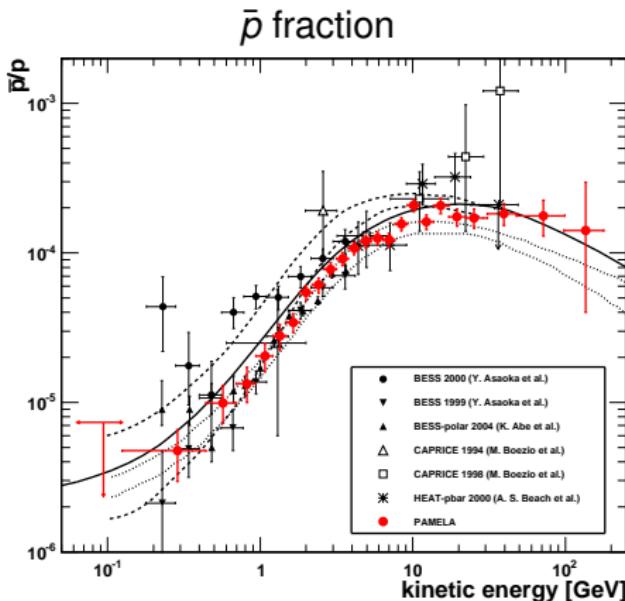
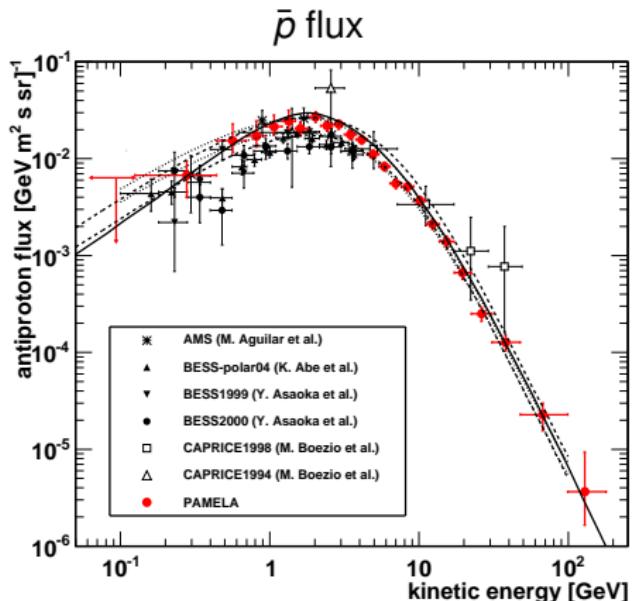
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# Cosmic antiprotons



PAMELA arXiv:1007.0821

- Measurement consistent with predictions
  - ▶ Tight constraints on hadronic DM annihilation channels