X-ray study of the dark side of the universe

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Clusters of galaxies

Abell 1689 Optical X-ray

• Useful cosmological probe

Credit: Abell 1689, X-ray: NASA/CXC/MIT/ E.-H Peng et al.; Optical: NASA/STScl

- Carrying initial condition in the early universe
- Structure is relatively simple and common to many systems
- Full of information
 - Gravitational structure (Dark matter distribution)
 - Baryon vs dark matter ratio
 - Power spectrum in large scales
 - Chemical evolution of the universe
 - High energy processes (merger shocks)

X-ray clusters

- Brightest objects in the universe
 - Comparable to bright quasars
 - Observable to redshift > 1
- Emission lines from many elements
- Hot gas is optically thin and 3-dimensioanl structure can be recognized
- Spherical symmetry is good approximation
- Temperatures are 2 10 keV, and the radiation can be covered with standard X-ray detectors



M87 core (Werner+ 06)

Cluster constraint on dark energy

- S. Allen et al. 2011: a review
- Cluster mass function: distributions of distant and local clusters define growth speed
- Gas mass fraction: First proposed by S. Sasaki (96). Constancy of f_{gas} defines cosmology $(M_{gas} \propto d^{5/2}, M_{total} \propto d)$



Cluster constraints



eROSITA (early 2017)

eROSITA

- All-sky survey of X-ray AGN and clusters, with 30 times higher sensitivity than ROSAT
- 10⁵ clusters out to z > 1 (several hundred to z = 1.5), and 3 x 10⁶ AGNs will be detected
- Constraining the dark energy is the main purpose
- All sky data will be evenly divided by Germany and Russia



eROSITA on board SRG, to be launched by Russia



Dark matter

X-rays can study:

- Equilibrium distribution in clusters
- DM motion in colliding clusters
- Search and prospect of warm DM (sterile neutrino)

Distribution of gas and dark matter

• Gas distribution: approximated by b-model

- Close to isothermal gas sphere

$$n(r) = n_0 \left[1 + \left(\frac{r}{a}\right)^2 \right]^{-\frac{3}{2}\beta}$$

a: core radius β: beta parameter

- DM distribution: NFW profile
 - Based on numerical simulation, but agrees well with observations

$$\frac{\rho(r)}{\rho_{crit}} = \frac{\delta_c}{(r/r_s)(1+r/r_s)^2} \qquad \dots \text{ Cusp in the center}$$

Navarro, Frenk & White 97

Mass of clusters

Hydrostatic equilibrium

$$\frac{dp}{dr} = -\frac{GM\rho}{r^2}$$
Hot gas approximated as ideal gas

$$p = nkT = \frac{\rho kT}{\mu m_H}$$

M: Gravitational mass

proton mass $m_{\rm H}$ mean molecular weight μ = 0.6

Gravitational mass

$$M(r) = -\frac{kTr}{\mu m_H G} \left(\frac{d\ln n}{d\ln r} + \frac{d\ln T}{d\ln r}\right)$$

X-ray brightness \Rightarrow gas mass, Optical brightness \Rightarrow stellar mass

Mass distribution from X-ray data



Gravitational mass is \sim 10 times larger than the hot gas mass

DM distribution is estimated iteratively from the gas profile.

Near the core, gravitational mass shows a cusp-like structure Hayakawa et al. 2006 10

Dark matter behavior in a cluster collision

- 1E0657-56 (cluster at z=0.3) :
 Bow shock is clearly seen
- Sub-cluster passes with ~ 3 times the sound velocity
- Weak-lens data shows DM concentrations are offset from the hot gas locations
- DM passes through the collision (no pressure)
 σ/m < 1 cm²/g





Evidence of the DM existence

Markevitch et al. 2002, 2004 Clowe et al. 2006

Reports of unidentified emission lines

- Bulbul et al. 2014: Stacked 73 cluster data with XMM-Newton, and 3.5 keV line is found at > 3σ significance EW ~ 1 eV: very weak
- Boyarsky et al. 2014: M31 data of XMM-Newton show 3.5 keV line
- Tamura et al. 2015: Suzaku data of Perseus cluster (> 500 ks) show no line at 3.5 keV
- If sterile neutrino is the origin, line width is 35 eV: wider than thermal lines

$$\frac{GM}{r} \approx \frac{1}{2}v^2$$



Charge exchange line?

- Gu et al. 2015, in press, arXiv: 1511.06557
- Interaction of hot and cold gasses produce charge exchange lines:
 S¹⁶⁺ + H → S¹⁵⁺ + H⁺
- Capture probability is maximum at n = 9-10, producing 3.5 keV line
- Interaction volume of 3 kpc square times 0.1 kpc depth can explain the line intensity
- Detection of other CX lines with ASTRO-H will confirm this scenario



Search for decay lines from sterile neutrinos

- Intensity of the line: $\Gamma \simeq 1.4 \times 10^{-32} \mathrm{s}^{-1} \left(\frac{\mathrm{sin}^2 \, 2\theta}{10^{-10}}\right) \left(\frac{m_{\mathrm{dm}}}{\mathrm{keV}}\right)^5$ $\simeq 9.3 \times 10^{-5} \mathrm{cm}^{-2} \mathrm{sr}^{-1} \mathrm{s}^{-1} \frac{1}{(1+z)^3} \left(\frac{\Sigma_{\mathrm{dm}}}{10^3 M_{\odot} \mathrm{pc}^{-2}}\right) \left(\frac{\Gamma}{10^{-32} \mathrm{s}^{-1}}\right) \left(\frac{m_{\mathrm{dm}}}{\mathrm{keV}}\right)^{-1}$
- Line energy E
 - $E_0 = 0.5 m_{dm} c^2^{T}$ $E = E_0 / (z+1)$
- Line width ΔE

 $\Delta E_0 = 7.9 \text{ eV} \quad \frac{\sigma_{dm}}{1000 \text{ km/s}} \quad \frac{E_0/(1+z)}{\text{keV}}$ $\Delta E = \Delta E_0 * \Delta E_{det} \quad \text{(convolution)}$

Σ_{dm}	mass column density
m _{dm}	mass of DM particle
Γ	decay rate
Z	redshift
σ_{dm}	velocity dispersion

Possible sources for DM search

- Tremaine-Gunn limit: E₀ > 0.3 keV for fermionic dark matter (limit on phase-space density)
- Milky Way: signal is strong, but many bright sources and high interstellar absorption limit the sensitivity
- Dwarf galaxies: Low velocity dispersion with low background emission, but the signal is weak
- Clusters of galaxies: Strong decay signal with known mass profile and low absorption column, but the thermal emission is strong



Predicted distribution of dark matter decay line: X-ray $\propto n^2$ DM line $\propto n$

Simulated spectra with ASTRO-H

- High spectral resolution (< 7 eV) will allow detection of weak lines
- Because of the small field of view (3 arcmin), long exposure is necessary





Dark baryon

- Baryons occupy only ~ 5% of the energy density in the local universe
- However, more than half of baryons remain unidentified
- Dark baryons carry important information of the thermal, structural, chemical evolution of the universe
- Baryons are good probe of the dark matter

Baryon census from UV study Shull et al. 2012



Thermal history of the universe



WHIM (warm-hot intergalactic medium) will tell us the evolution of the hot-phase material in the universe

Cosmic structure

<u>WHIM</u> (10⁵-10⁷ K) traces the cosmic large-scale structure

= "Missing baryon"

Typical matter density: $\delta (=n/\langle n_B \rangle) = 10 - 100$

Yoshikawa et al. 2001, ApJ, 558, 520

size = $30 h^{-1}$ Mpc $\approx 5 \text{ deg at } z=0.1$

Dark matter





IGM (10⁵-10⁷K) Clu

Galaxies (~10⁴K)



Cluster gas (10⁷K)

Branchini et DIOS observable Search for Dark Baryons al. 2009

- Numerical simulations indicate much of local baryons are in the form of Warm-Hot Intergalactic Medium (WHIM: $\sim 10^6$ K)
- Absorption lines can detect lowdensity gas - but, geometry and thermal structures are difficult to estimate
- Emission lines like H-like and Helike triplets are simple, and spatial structure can be measured
- High-resolution spectra can separate from Galactic emission with redshifts



DIOS and its grasp (S Ω)



4-reflection telescope and TES calorimeter array $\Delta E < 5 \text{ eV}$, Energy range < 2 keV, F.O.V. = 50×50 arcmin² Mechanical coolers are same as ASTRO-H

DIOS: Expected spectrum



- Line-free energy ranges of MW emission give us windows in redshift space for WHIM detection
- 5 deg × 5 deg survey (1 Ms × 30) plus one deep (5 Ms) pointing can be a plan

Expected 3D map at z = 0.2



0.5 – 1 Msec pointing per position. About 30 points mapped. DIOS can pick up filaments and faint galaxy groups. Overdensity $\rho/\langle \rho \rangle \sim$ 30 is explored, revealing about 30% of baryons.



ASTRO-H

- Launch date is February 12, 2016
- http://astro-h.isas.jaxa.jp/en/
- Science white papers: <u>arXiv:1412.2351</u> (introduction)

Mission overview





lose-up view of the ap

This instrument focuses X-rays from celestial

reflecting telescope is made up of over one

ASTRO-H

Micro Calorimeter

into concentric circles.

Reflecting X-ray Telescopes (SXT/HXT)

objects onto the detectors. Unlike the single lenses

and mirrors usually used for visible light, this X-ray

thousand reflector-coated aluminum foils stacked

Soft X-ray Spectrometer (SXS) —^J Specialized detector elements are cooled down to

near absolute zero (-273 degrees Celsius) using a series of refrigeration units. When an X-ray hits a

detector element, its temperature slightly rises. This increase in "heat" is measured, and from this the energy of the incident X-ray can be estimated to a higher degree of accuracy than any achieved to date.

Researchers from around the world have great

expectations for this instrument, the centerpiece of



Soft X-ray Imager (SXI) This is a wide field-of-view X-ray camera using an array of four large-format X-ray CCD chips. It provide simultaneous imaging and spectroscopic data in the energy range of 0.5 keV to 12 keV. The detector will be placed in the main body of the satellite.

Si/CdTe Compton Camera



Soft Gamma-ray Detector (SGD) Many layers of semiconductor sensors are stacked to optimize the sensitivity of the gamma-ray spectrometer. Since gamma-rays have a higher penetrating power than X-rays, this instrument plays an important role investigating astronomical objects surrounded by dense gas.



X-ray sensor and signal-processing electronics

Hard X-ray Imager (HXI)

This produces images of objects in the hard X-rays above 5 keV using a combination of silicon and cadmium telluride semi-conductors. Since this imaging telescope has a 12-meter focal length, this sensor will be placed at the end of a boom which will be extended in orbit. Si/CCTE Imager 1. High Resolution Spectroscopy by a micro-calorimeter array

ASTRO-H is the first mission to carry out high resolution spectroscopy of extended objects at Fe-K

2. Wide Band /High Sensitivity Observation

0.3 keV - 600 keV : Four Instruments including Hard X-ray Focusing optics



ASTRO-H Team





ASTRO-H in thermal vacuum chamber 😂



Microcalorimeters and dewar



- X-ray micro-calorimeter spectrometer with energy resolution better than 7 eV (FWHM)
- 6×6 array with $3' \times 3'$ field of view
- Operated at 50 mK
 - Nominal expected liquid He lifetime 3.3 years



High resolution spectroscopy



31 pixel readout

34 pixel readout

Soft X-ray imager



Large FOV X-ray CCD (F.L. 5.6 m)



Recent Progress EM Model/ Thermal Balance Test (2011/June)

4CCD chips/62x62mm² Depletion Layer ~200 micron





Turbulence in Perseus Cluster



The Perseus Cluster:

Brightest extragalactic extended X-ray source with very strong Fe-K line

X-ray image suggests turbulence or gas motion



Perseus cluster (r<2', 100ks) Turbulence and temperature structure



Cluster dynamics: Gas bulk motion



•With SXS, the velocity of matter can be derived from the energy shift and width of emission lines



Clusters of galaxies

Fe

5

Ni

10



SXS FOV

PKS 0745-191 **Dynamics** (Turbulence, collisions) Non-thermal emission Temperature map Heavy metal distribution 6 SXI FOW Fe-Mg Counts/sec/keV Ne 4 Si 0 S 2

Energy (keV)

Astro-H/SXS

essential for spectra

of extended sources.

0.5

Centaurus cluster simulation: very high metal abundance in the center

Credit: NASA/ISAS/Suzaku/M. George, et al

Plasma evolution and spectroscopy





ASTRO-H - Synergy with other BIG missions



ASTRO-H will be the only "General Observatory in X-ray" in the mid 2010's. There is a worldwide devoid of future X-ray missions around 2016. An X-ray mission is indispensable to maximize the scientific yields expected by large radio, infrared, and optical missions.



Summary



- X-ray emission from clusters is a powerful probe in constraining the cosmology independently from other methods.
- All sky survey with eROSITA will bring us detailed view of the cluster evolution.
- Microcalorimeters (on ASTRO-H and DIOS) are new powerful instrument in measuring gas dynamics and (non) thermal features.
- ASTRO-H, with launch scheduled on February 12, is a major international observatory and an important jumping board for future X-ray astronomy.
- ASTRO-H Science White Papers (16 papers) were released in December 2014
 - arXiv:1412.2351 ASTRO-H White Paper Introduction
 - ASTRO-H homepage: astro-h.isas.jaxa.jp

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