



Search for Gamma-ray Line emission from Dark Matter annihilation in the Galactic Centre with the MAGIC telescopes



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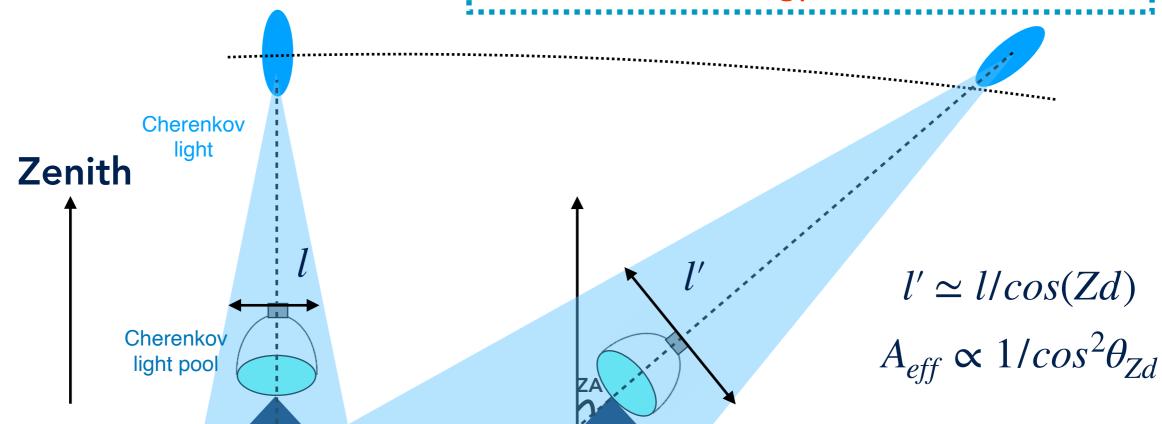
- Zenith angle : 58 70 [deg]
 - Large zenith angle observation, LZA

Pros

- Increase the γ-ray detectable area
 - Get larger statistics in higher energies

Cons

Increase the energy threshold



Vertical observations

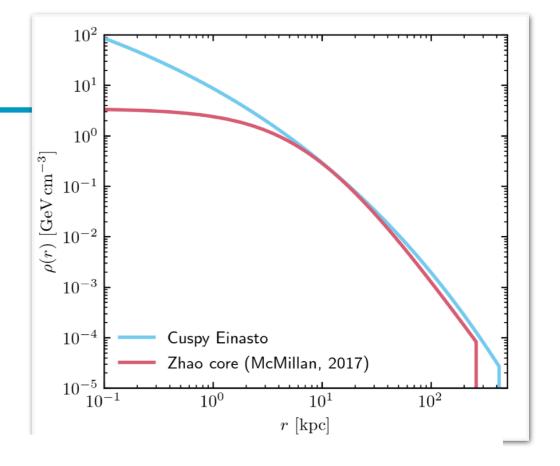
Large Zenith angle observations

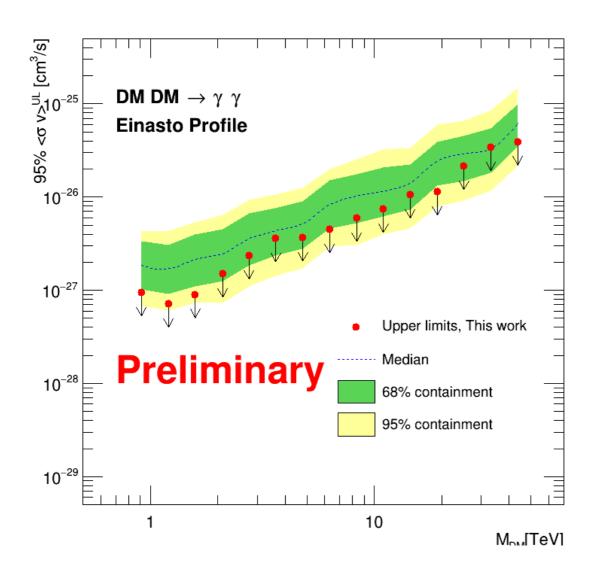
Large Zenith angle observations boost the sensitivity for line signals from TeV DM!!

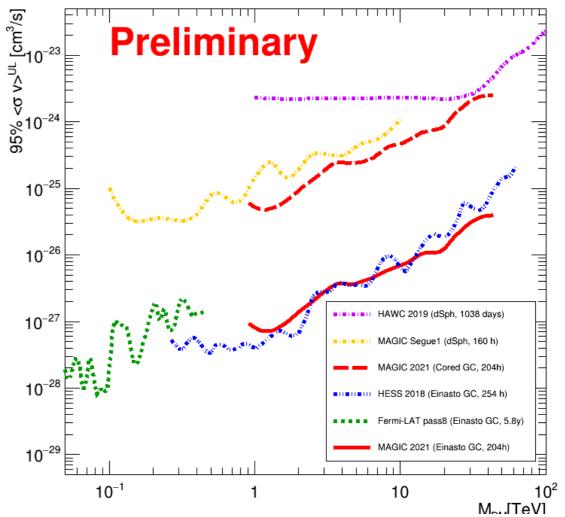
Results

No significant excess

- Set upper limits with 95% C.L. on 15 masses
- 912 GeV 43 TeV
- with Einasto (cuspy) and cored profile.
- E > 10 TeV : competitive







Summary

- Search for line-like signals in VHE gamma rays can test some promising TeV DM particle models
- We reported observations with the MAGIC telescopes located on La Palma, Spain
 - Performed large zenith angle observations to focus on TeV DM
 - First search for DM lines at the GC with MAGIC
- No significant excess was found and upper limits were set on the annihilation cross section $\chi\chi\to\gamma\gamma$
 - Competitive limits for both cuspy and core DM profiles
- For the future (CTA era)
 - Large zenith angle observations of the GC are well suited to search for heavy DM candidates
 - High potential of the northern site to contribute to next-generation DM searches