The Origin of dark matter deficient galaxies

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Galactic Physics term presentation

Outline

- Observation debates: dark-matter-deficient or not?
- Possible theoretical models and their implications.
- Backup slides: More details.

First detection of a dark matter deficient galaxy



Van Dokkum et al, Nature, 2022

NGC 1052-DF2: An ultra diffused galaxy (UDG) with many compact globular clusters shown as bright point sources.



Van Dokkum et al, Nature, 2018 HST/ACS image of DF2

First detection of a dark matter deficient galaxy





Van Dokkum et al, Nature, 2018

Measured velocity dispersion distribution of **10 Globular** clusters, corresponds to an intrinsic velocity dispersion of $\sigma_{intr} = 3.2^{+5.5}_{-3.2} \text{ km s}^{-1}$

Much smaller than typical value of 32 km/s in local clusters.

Dark matter mass derived from NFW model expectations compared with stellar mass derived from luminositymass conversion, assuming a distance of ~ 20 Mpc.

Debate on mass and distance measurement



Shen et al, ApJL, 2021

Another DMDG DF4 is detected at 2019 in the same cluster, which shares very similar properties to DF2.

Model dependent, Empirical relation from normal galaxies, detection sensitivity. etc.

distance M/L Stellar mass: FLUX -----> Luminosity -----> M

Total mass: **velocity dispersion** as the observational given a two component (DM + stars) kinematic model.

Low brightness, few dynamic proxies, large uncertainty, Statistical model robustness. etc.

Debate on mass and distance measurement





Tip of the Red Giant Branch at HR diagram as the standard candle.

It sensitively depends on how **deep** the image reaches since stars will looks fainter when the distance is larger. Trujillo et al 2019 only use HST **1+1** orbit data in filter F814W & F606W, which is **only able to reach D ~ 14 Mpc** claimed in Shen+ 2021. A single outlier (GC98) give significantly different result for a small sample, which tends out to be an observational error.

Debate on dynamical mass estimation

Final solution: MUSE integral field spectrum



Spectrum of DF2 integrated over an aperture of 1 Re





$$egin{aligned} &\sigma_*(R_e) = 10.\, 8^{+3.2}_{-4.0} km s^{-1} \ &\sigma_{int} = 10.\, 6^{+3.9}_{-2.3} km s^{-1} \end{aligned}$$

Impact on mass to light ratio $M_{dyn}/L_V = 3.7^{+3.3}_{-1.5}, 3.9^{+2.3}_{-2.6}$

Debate on distance measurement



HST 20+20 orbits data

HST 8+4 orbits data



D_DF2 = 22.1 ± 1.2 Mpc D_DF4 = 20.0 ± 1.6 Mpc δD= 2.1 ± 0.5 Mpc

DF2, DF4 have similar size, color, morphology, luminosity, population of GCs and extremely low velocity dispersion.

Possible theoretical explanations

- 1. Tidal dwarf galaxy
- 2. extreme tidal stripping (by NGC 1052, NGC 1035)
- 3. intrinsic offset to mean SMHM function
- 4. bullet-galaxy like collision
- 5. MOND

Tidal stripping by host galaxy



Ogiya, MNRAS, 2018

The satellite needs to have a cored dark matter profile. It should be tightly bounded to host galaxy and has a very radial orbit, which is very rare in cosmological simulations.

Upper limit of the mass of DF2 from the obs.

r [kpc]

10





Or the satellite is gradually stripped by a smoothly growing host halo for a long enough time.

Unusual GC luminosity of DF2

$egin{aligned} \Omega \geq 0.~7 Myr^{-1} \ \sum_{ISM} \geq 10^3 M_{\odot} pc^{-2} \end{aligned}$



Van Dokkum et al, MNRAS, 2018b

An obvious offset of GC luminosity function found in nearby clusters, implying very dense formation environment.



Trujillo-Gomez et al, MNRAS, 2020

Birth galactic environmental conditions required by the observed GCMF.

Major merger or nuclear-starburst

history

Typical value found in galaxies in local universe:

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\sum_{ISM} < 50 M_\odot pc^{-2} \ \Omega < 0.\,05 Myr^{-1}
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Implying severe formation environment:

1. dense circumnuclear starbursts

2. mergers





nuclear starburst scenario requires very small formation region, easily leading to nuclear star cluster, which is not seen in DF2. Fine tuning needed.



Lee et al, ApJL, 2021

A major merger might explain why GCs have lower metallicity since they may mainly form during the merger by incoming low-metallicity gas of low mass satellite.

Stellar feedback driven expansion to diffuse the galaxy mean SMHM function obtained from ACDM





An intrinsic upward scatter to mean SMHM give rise to enhanced SN feedback, driving expansion to a cored DM profile with r_e > 10kpc and significantly reduce DM fraction as well.

Trujillo-Gomez et al, MNRAS, 2021

New evidence on collision scenario



Shen et al, ApJL, 2021

δD = 2.1 ± 0.5 Mpc

Large distance of DF2 & DF4 indicates as least one of them in **not bounded** in NGC 1052. It implies different mechanisms work for them if consider they form independently. Then how about the **coincidence** the only 2 DMDGs discovered by now locates so close to each other in projection plane (0.24Mpc) and share very similar properties.

Collision probability lower or all the coincidences are more impossible?

New evidence on collision scenario



Van Dokkum et al, Nature, 2022

A line structure of possible collisional aftermaths.

Other galaxies

16

18

22

20

g (mag)

-0.1 0 +0

-2

0 ∆RA (°)

New evidence on collision scenario



Given their relative velocity and distance, it matches well with the scenario that collision happened ~8Gyrs ago, which is in excellent agreement with the ages of the GCs (9 ± 2 Gyrs).



elongated to DF4 direction

Summary

1. NGC 1052-DF2, DF4 are two galaxies confirmed to be dark matter deficient galaxies with consensus now, whose velocity dispersions are too small to account for large DM components.

2. Unusually luminous GC population suggests initially dense formation environments for DMDGs (Caused by merger etc.).

2. Model considering environmental effect like tidal stripping or the DMDGs are born to be tidal dwarf galaxies need extreme initial or evolutional conditions. It cannot be the exclusive mechanism since some UDGs are in field environments.

3. Models proposing the intrinsic upward scatter to mean SMDM function explain how enhanced SN feedback drive a cored DM profile and dark matter loss, in which DMDGs could be produced.

4. New observation evidence show possible aftermaths of bullet galaxy like collision, which supports the joint formation of DF2 & DF4 by collision.



Van Dokkum et al, Nature, 2022

Back-up slides

Debate on dynamical mass estimation



2. An outlier: GC 98



Revised velocity dispersion of GC 98 by LRIS data: -39 km/s -> -19 km/s





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A concern: rotating galaxy?

Debate on distance measurement



1. Radial velocity (Hubble flow)

2. Proximity to NGC 1052 (elliptical galaxy)

3. Surface brightness fluctuation (smoother for further galaxies)

4. Tip of the Red Giant Branch as the standard candle.

5. Empirical relation from Globular clusters (peak luminosity)

Trujillo et al, MNRAS,2019

If the distance is decreased from ~20 Mpc to ~13 Mpc, the resulting DM fraction will increase to ~ 75%.

Debate on distance measurement



M55 HR diagram [B.J. Mochejska, J. Kaluzny (CAMK), 1m Swope Telescope]



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Metallicity, star population



Fensch et al, A&A, 2019

DF2's stellar and GC components have similar age ~ 8.9Gyr. They are both metal poor but GC metallicity is 0.5 dex lower.

The metallicity and age of the population is consistent with other dwarf galaxies.

Tidal dwarf galaxy



Lelli et al, A&A, 2015

HI emission of tidal dwarf galaxies.

Fensch+ 2019 also shows the stellar population is **homogeneous** spatially, which means there should be process like merger or tidal interaction to mix it at early stage.

This process is easy to disrupt a galaxy without dark matter.

Moreover, *Muller O +2019* doesn't see any evidence of **tidal debris** around DF2.

A few words on MOND

Van Dokkum+ 2018 comments that the discovery of DMDGs could falsify MOND since all galaxy should have similar modification.

However, Kroupa+ 2018, Haghi+. (2019), and Müller+. (2019a) found the observed velocity dispersions of both NGC 1052–DF2 and NGC 1052–DF4 are consistent with MOND in velocity dispersions if both galaxies are close to a massive galaxy (**External Field Effect**).

DF2 seems to be close to NGC 1052, while DF4 could possibly be close to NGC 1035. However, HST deep field image doesn't show any evidence that they could be closely related.



Shen et al, ApJL, 2021