



# The Fermi haze from Dark Matter Annihilation and Anisotropic Diffusion

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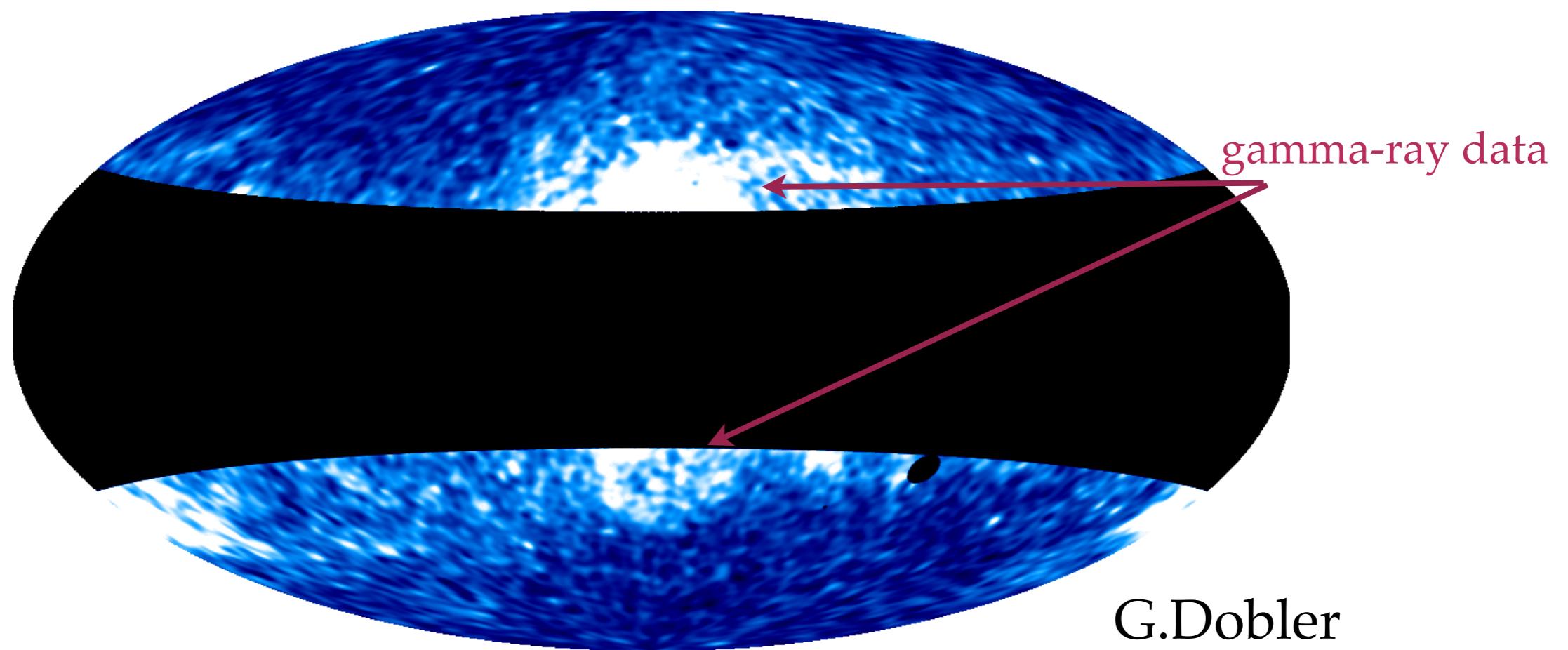
ApJ 717,825,(2010) (arXiv:0910.4583) (G. Dobler, D. Finkbeiner, IC, T. Slatyer, N. Weiner), arXiv:0911.4954 (IC, N. Weiner)

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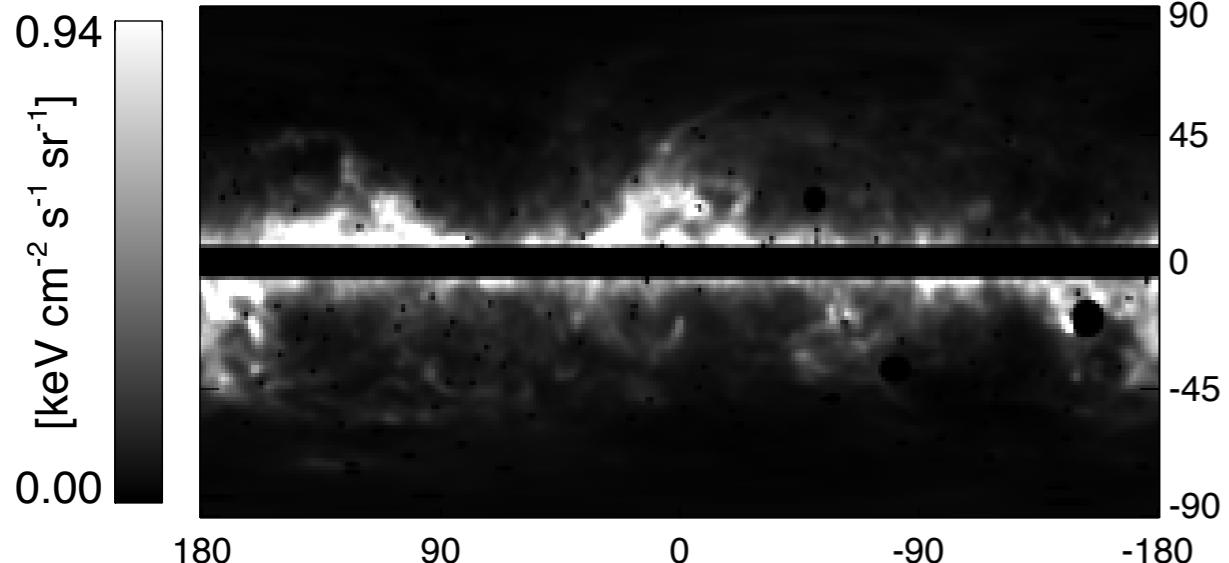
# Outline

- Fermi haze/Fermi bubbles a true signal. Lower latitudes uncertainties
- Dark Matter case (models that work)
- Anisotropic diffusion of CRs in the Galaxy
- Conclusions

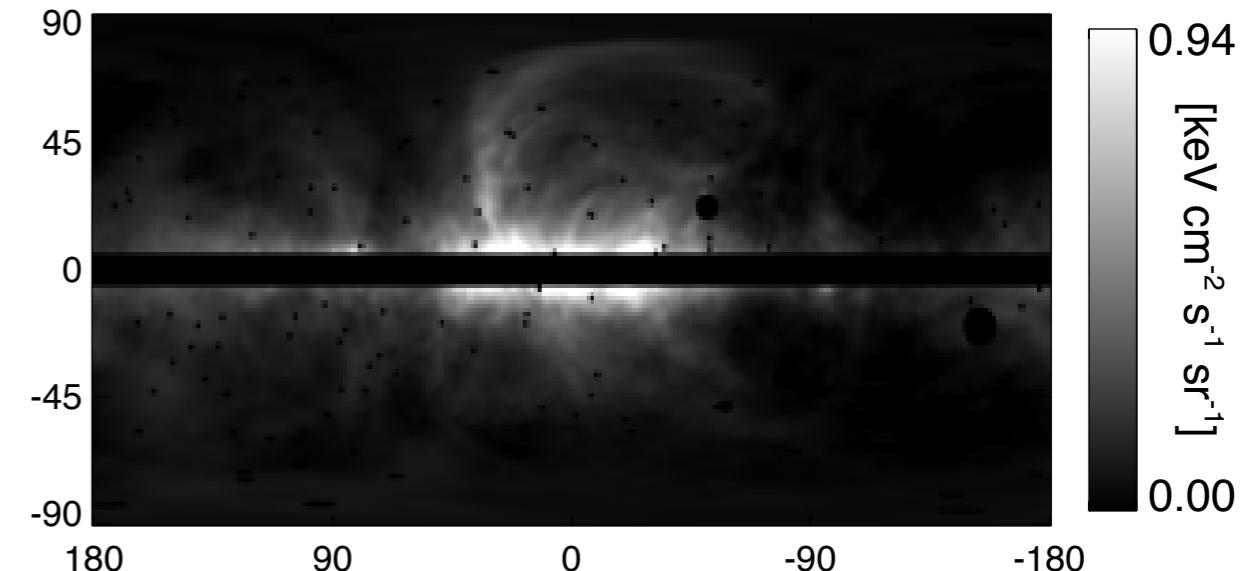


# The first Fermi haze template

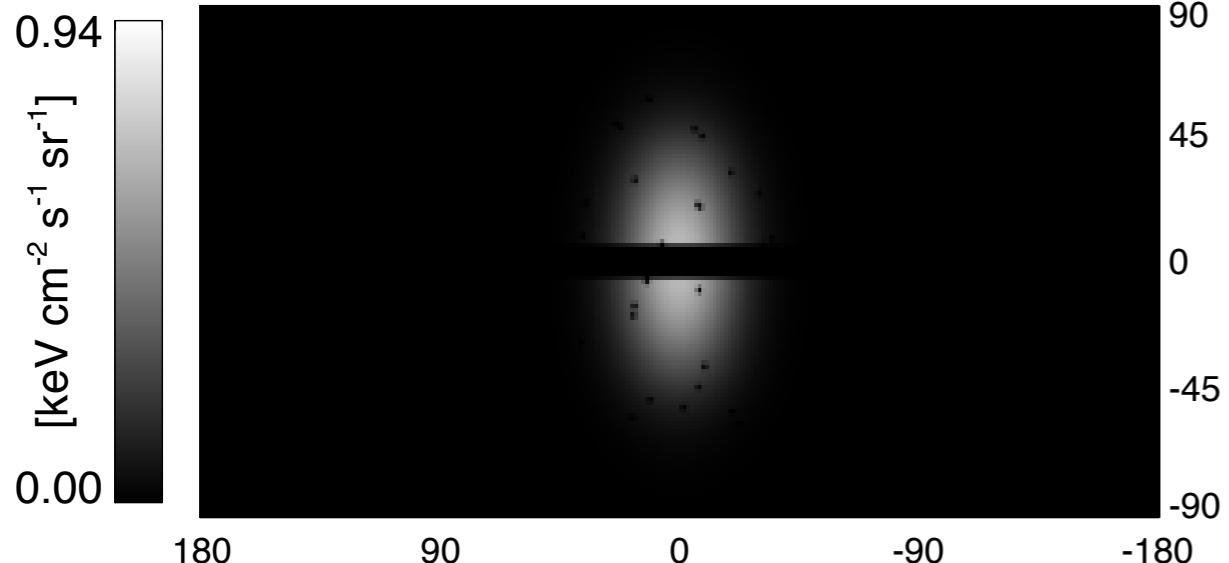
SFD Dust



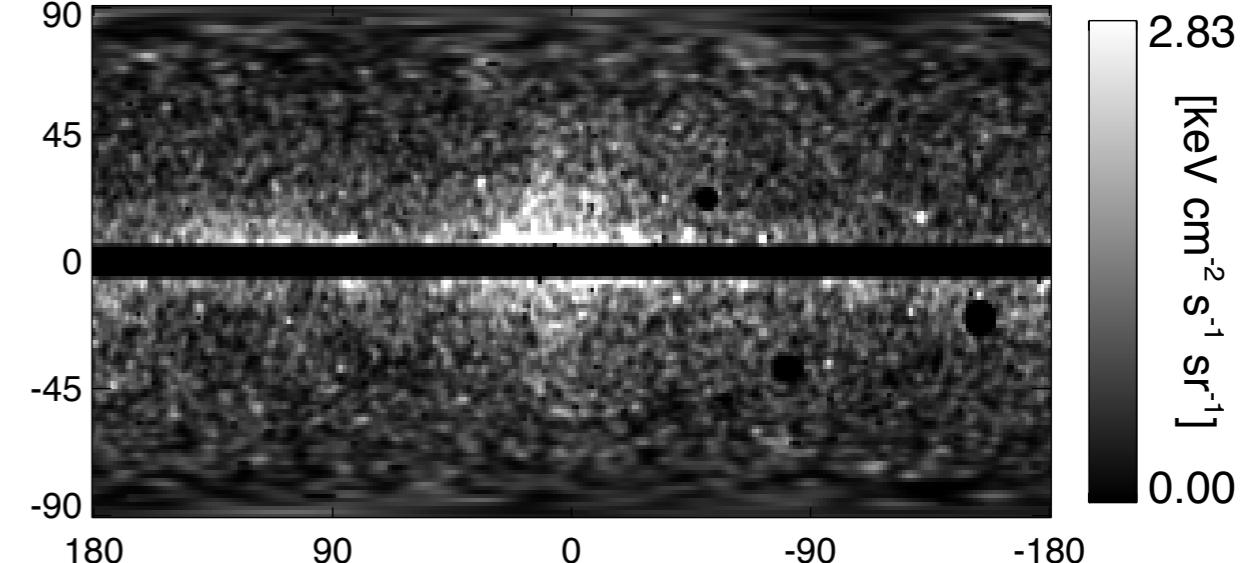
Haslam 408 MHz



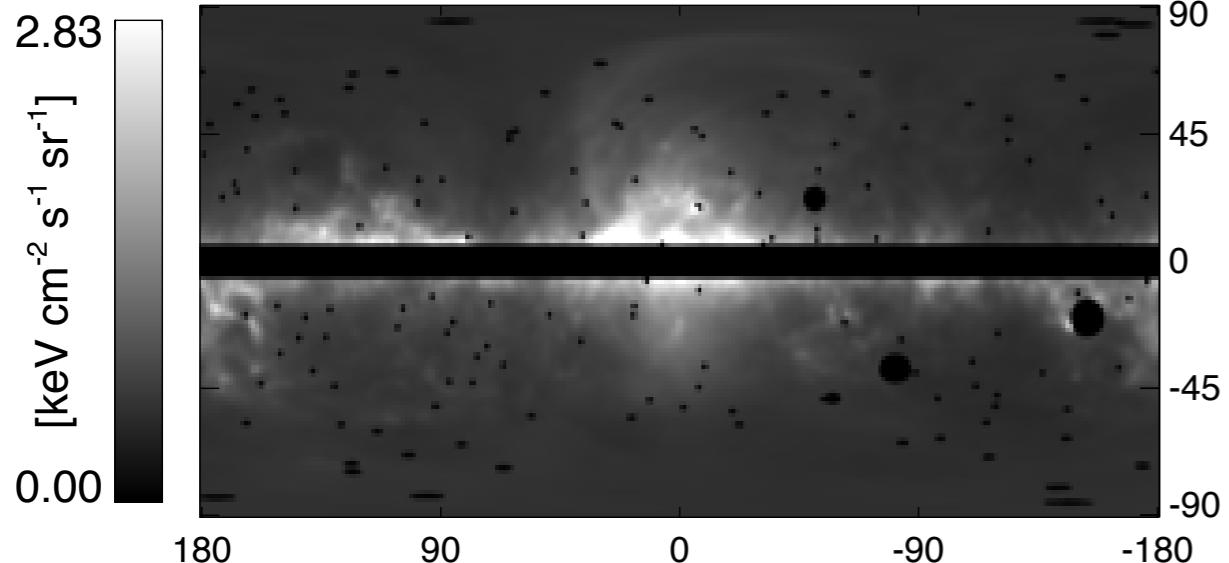
Haze template



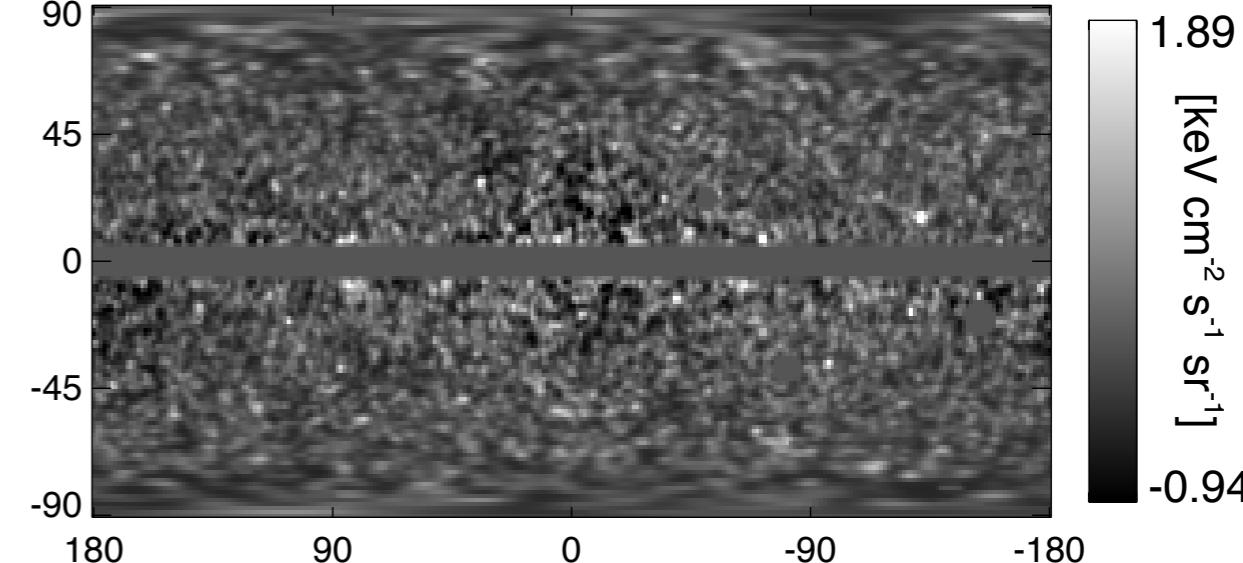
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$10 < E < 20 \text{ GeV}$  model

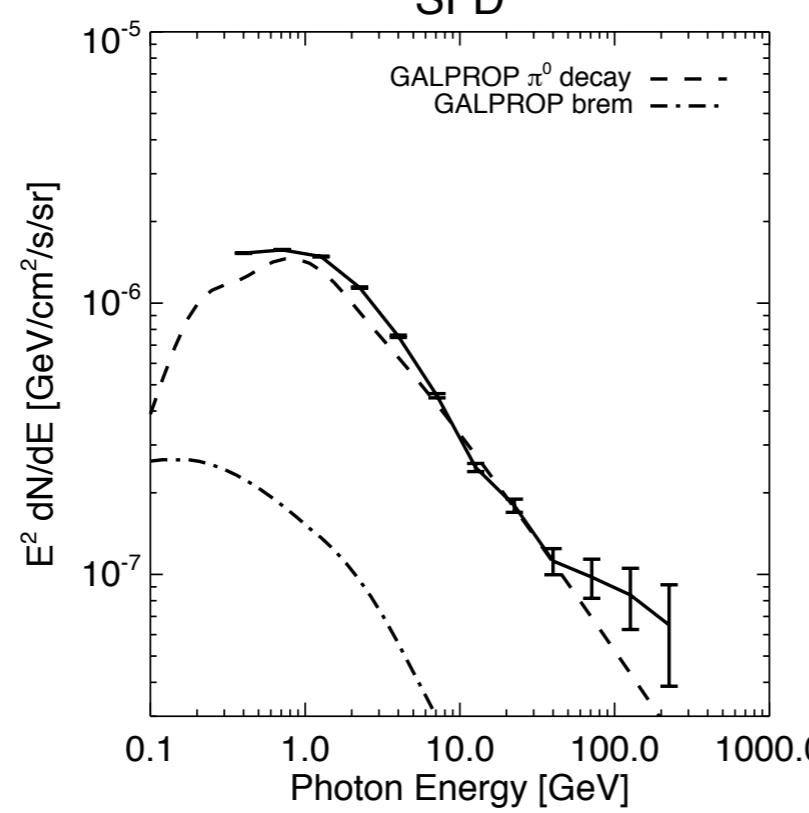


$10 < E < 20 \text{ GeV}$  observed minus model

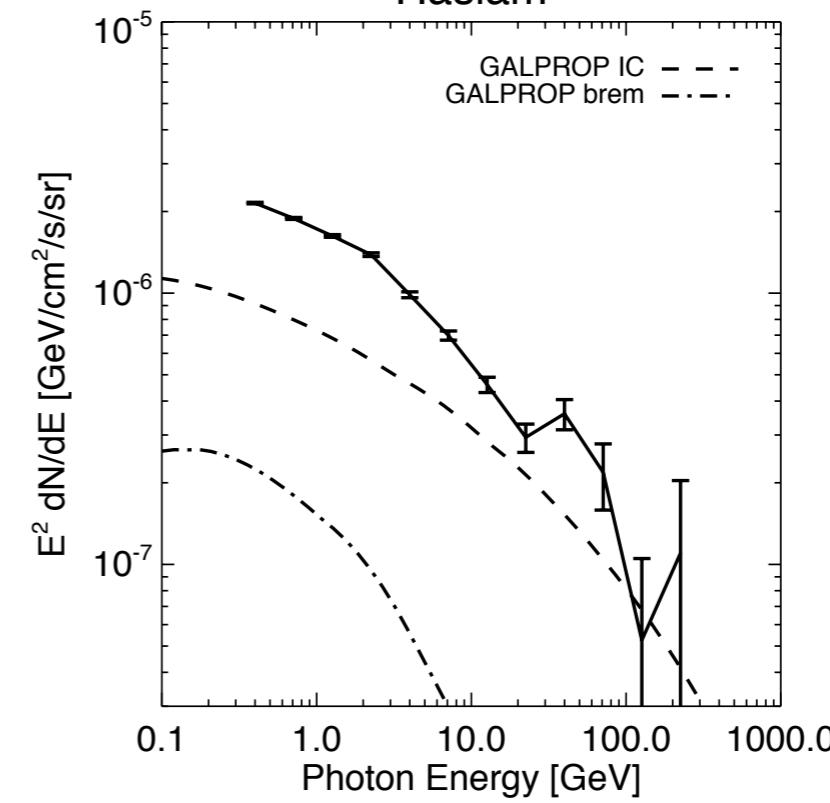


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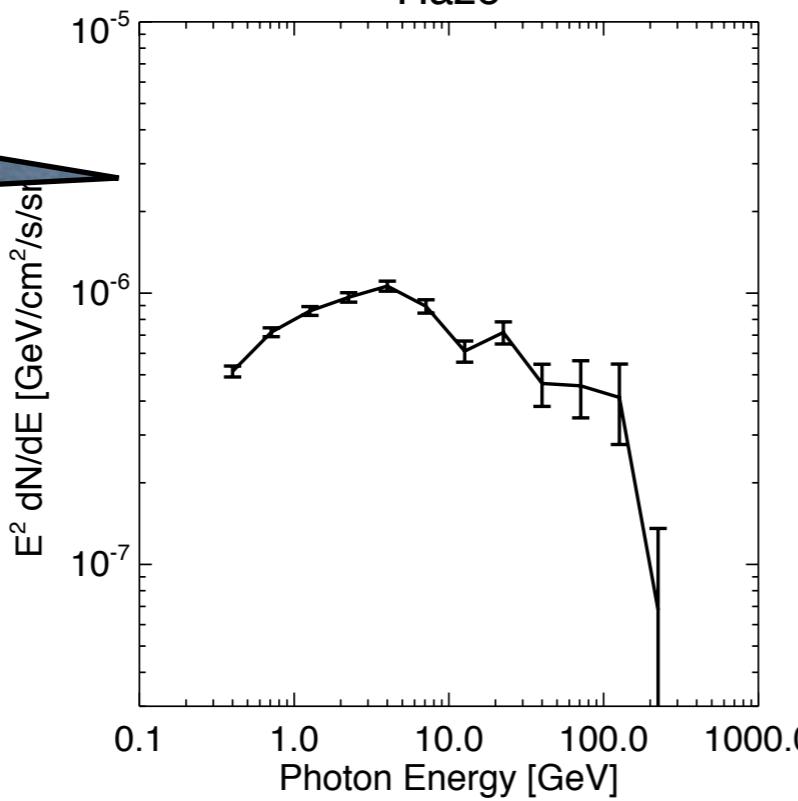
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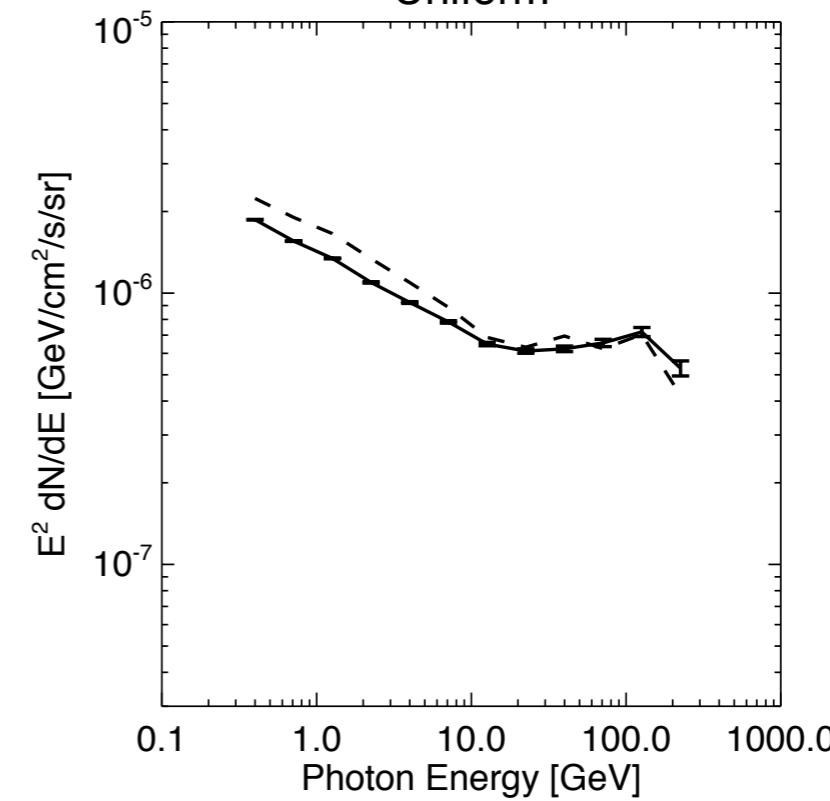
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Haze

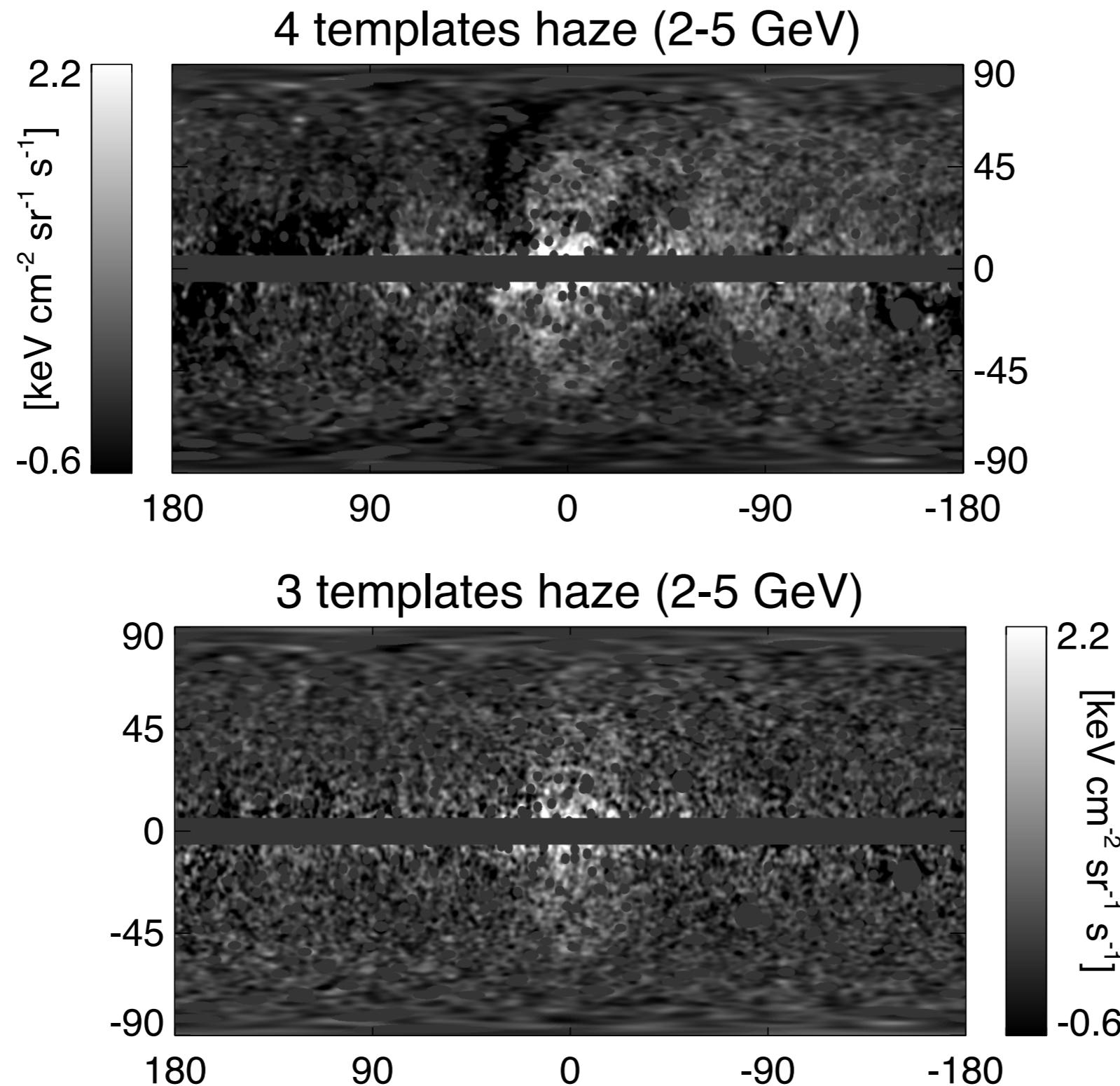


Uniform



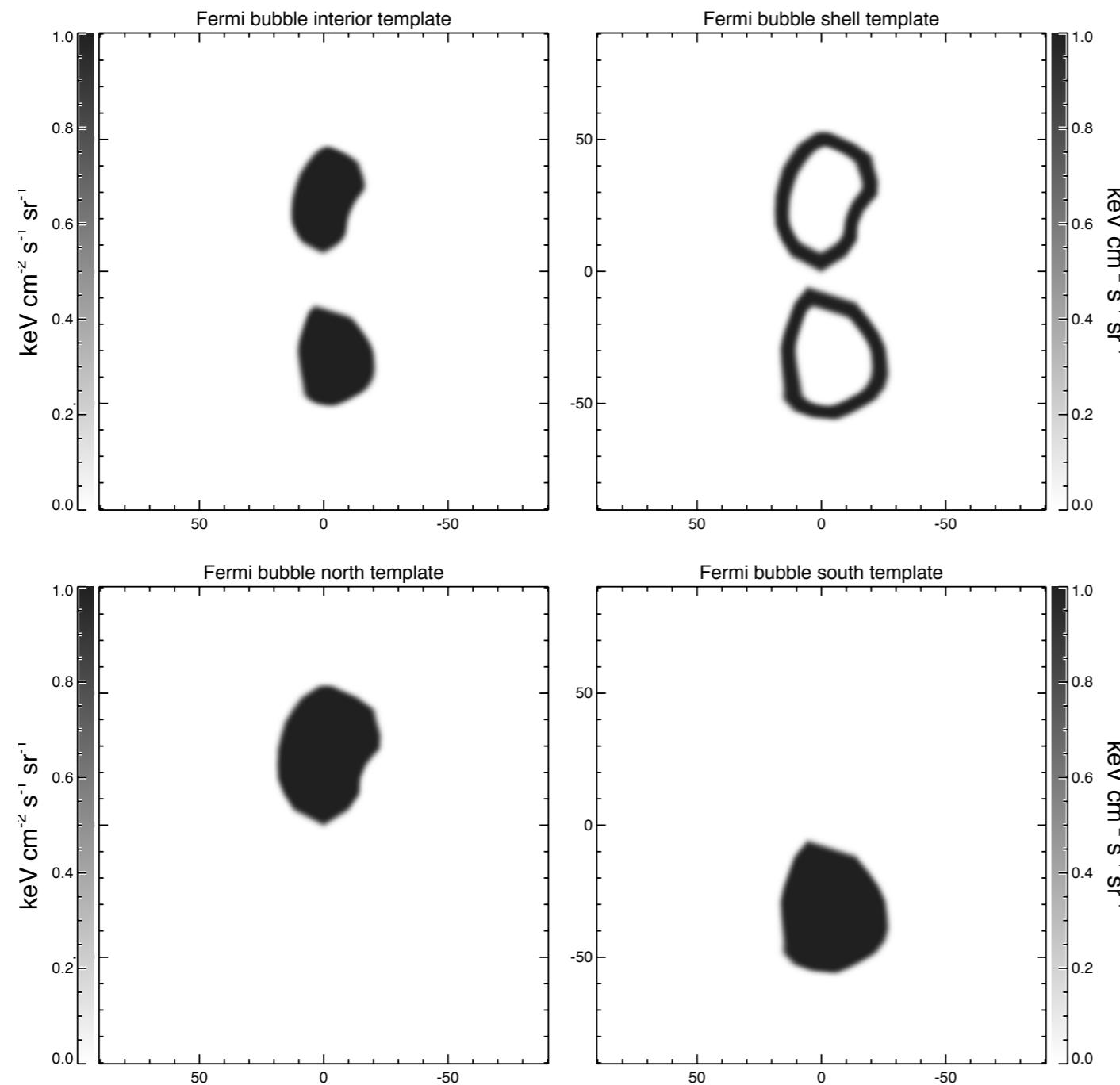
Harder  
than  
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One needs to be very careful for small (but significant in the interpretation) caveats with using templates.



# Su, Slatyer and Finkbeiner work

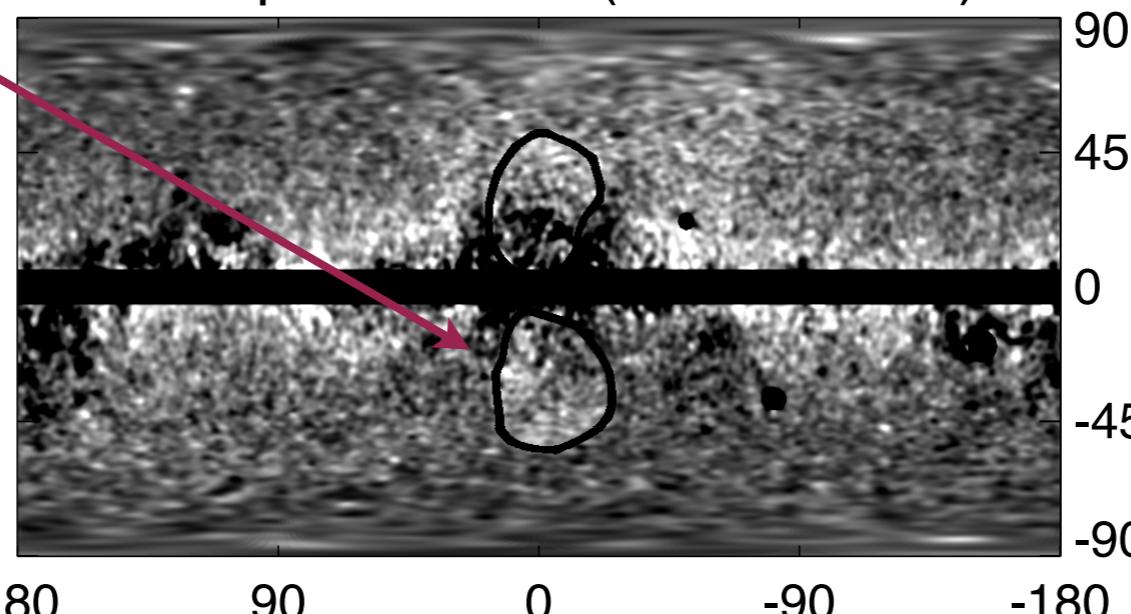
ApJ 724, 1044 (2010) (arXiv:1005.5480)



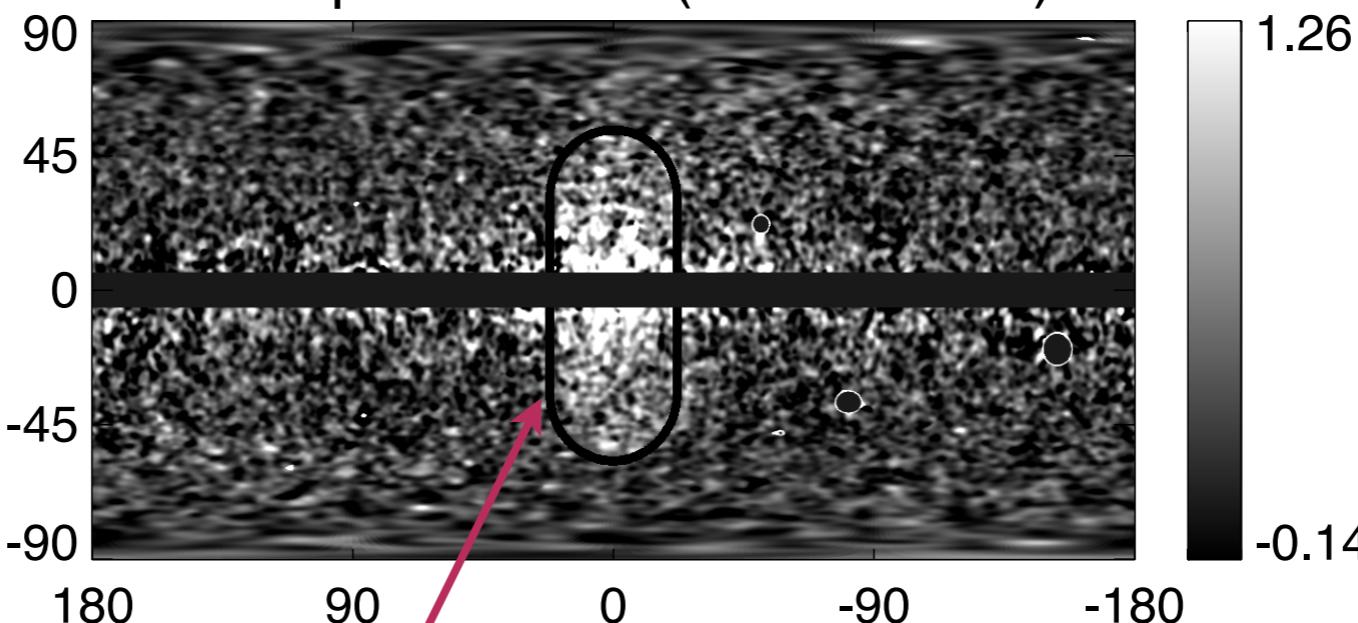
## Fermi Bubbles (Su, Slatyer, Finkbeiner) (SFD+disk+uniform+bubbles)



4 templates haze (2.0-5.0 GeV)



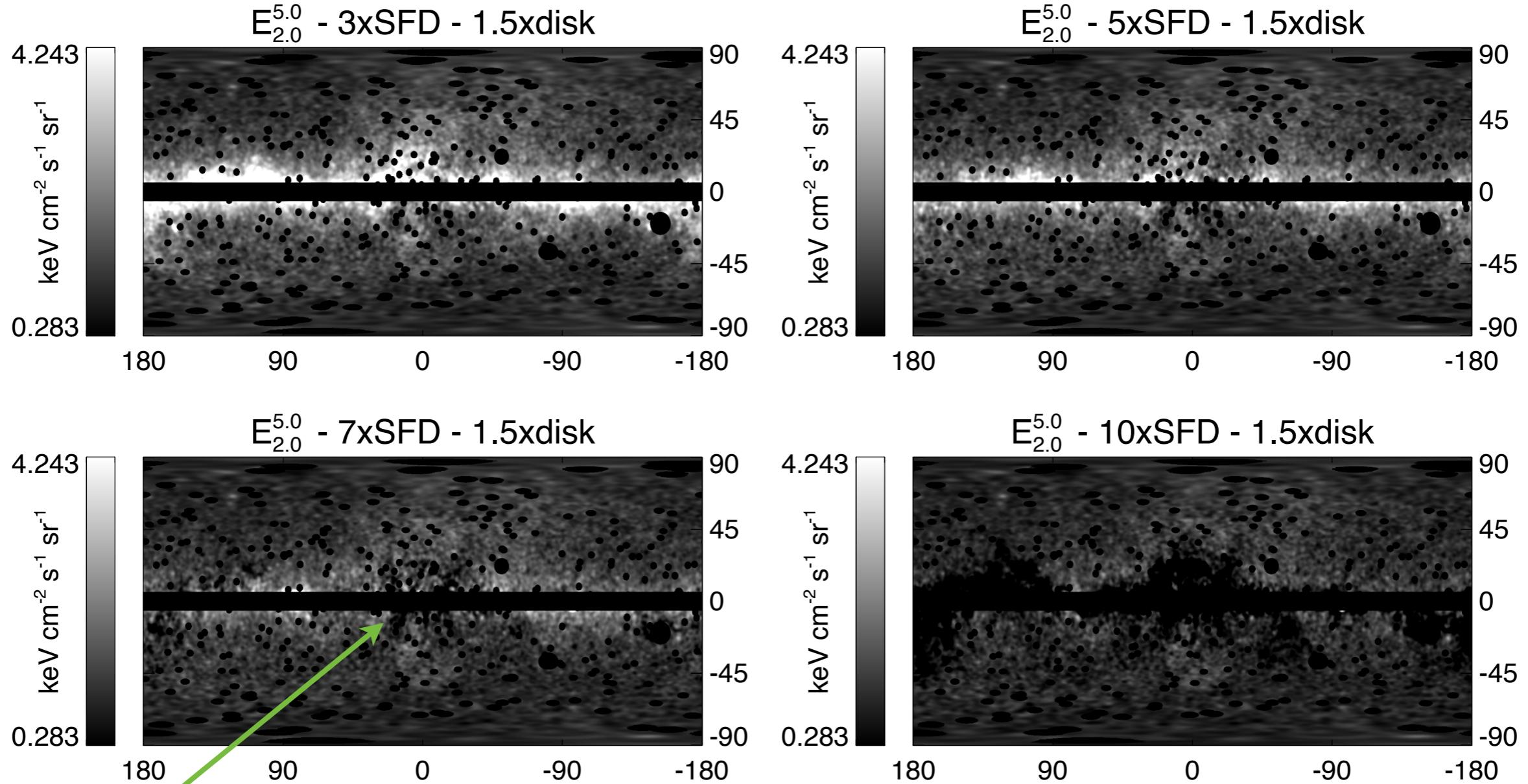
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(Updated) Fermi haze (G. Dobler, IC, N. Weiner )

We used the Fermi gamma-ray map at 0.5-1 GeV as a background galactic template+uniform + haze(modeled by GALPROP Dark Matter IC signal)

# SFD template used as a pi0 tracer may be the root of difference

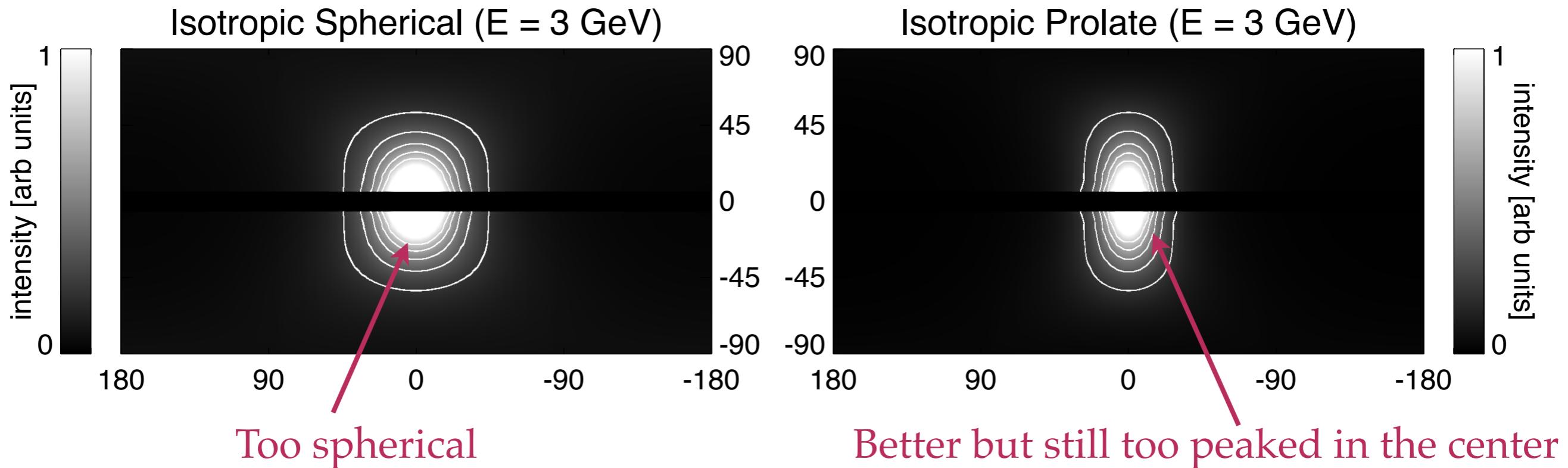


X-shape that could indicate an over-subtraction (of pi0 gamma-rays) in the SFD template scheme. **The pi0 to dust column ratio needs not to be constant** (for instance a source heating up the region and giving also the signal in X-rays). So while **at the high latitudes the signal is clear** (even some edge effect at high latitudes is confirmed) BUT at lower latitudes the template selection is **important**.

# What about Dark Matter?

The DM smooth halo has an approximately Spherical distribution, a possible candidate.

DM can explain the haze signal (WMAP + Fermi) as has been shown in arXiv: 0911.4954 (IC + N. Weiner) **based on solely energetic/spectral arguments** (XDM electrons with local annihilation  $BF \sim 100$  ( $\sim 50$  at the haze region)).



Leptophilic DM models can explain the signal. Models that annihilate to taus or have large BRs to hadrons **can not** explain the angular morphology of the signal.

# Anisotropic and inhomogeneous CR diffusion in the ISM

Propagation equation:

$$\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial(b\psi)}{\partial E} + \vec{\nabla}(D \vec{\nabla} \psi) + Q \quad (\text{I})$$

$\psi$  is the CR number density at time  $t$  and position  $\vec{x}$

$b$  : energy loss coefficient (above 5GeV dominated by IC and synchrotron emission).

$D$  : diffusion constant

$Q$  : source term

Assuming cylindrical symmetry:

$$\vec{\nabla}(D \vec{\nabla} \psi) = \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left( r D \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial r} \right) + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \left( D \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial z} \right) \quad (\text{II})$$

Anisotropic diffusion:

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{\nabla} \cdot (D \vec{\nabla} \psi) &= \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left( r D_{rr} \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial r} + r D_{rz} \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial z} \right) \\ &+ \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \left( D_{zz} \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial z} + D_{zr} \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial r} \right)\end{aligned}\tag{III}$$

What we will assume is a strong magnetic field perpendicular to the galactic plane in the inner part of the Galaxy.

Random(irreg.) B-field component:

$$B_{irreg} = B_0 e^{(R_\odot - r)/r_1 - |z|/z_1}$$

$$R_\odot = 8.5 \text{ kpc}$$

Ordered B-field component:

$$B_{ord} = B_1 e^{-r/r_2 - |z|/z_2} \times \left( 1 + K e^{-r/r_3 - |z|/z_3} \right)$$

What remains is to relate the elements of the diffusion tensor to the magnetic field.

$$D \propto \lambda_{sc} \propto r_{gyr} \propto B^{-1}$$

Also assuming that the ordered field is along z-axis and much stronger than the turbulent field we expect:

$$\lambda_{sc_z} \gg \lambda_{sc_r}$$

Following formulation developed by Parker (1965)

$v$  : frequency by which CRs scatter off from their spiral orbit

$\Omega \gg v$  : in the central part of the Galaxy

$\Omega \ll v$  : far from the galactic center

we have:

$$D_{zz} \propto B_{tot}^{-1} \left( \frac{v^2 + \frac{q^2 B_z^2}{\gamma^2 m^2 c^2}}{v^2 + \frac{q^2 B_{tot}^2}{\gamma^2 m^2 c^2}} \right)$$

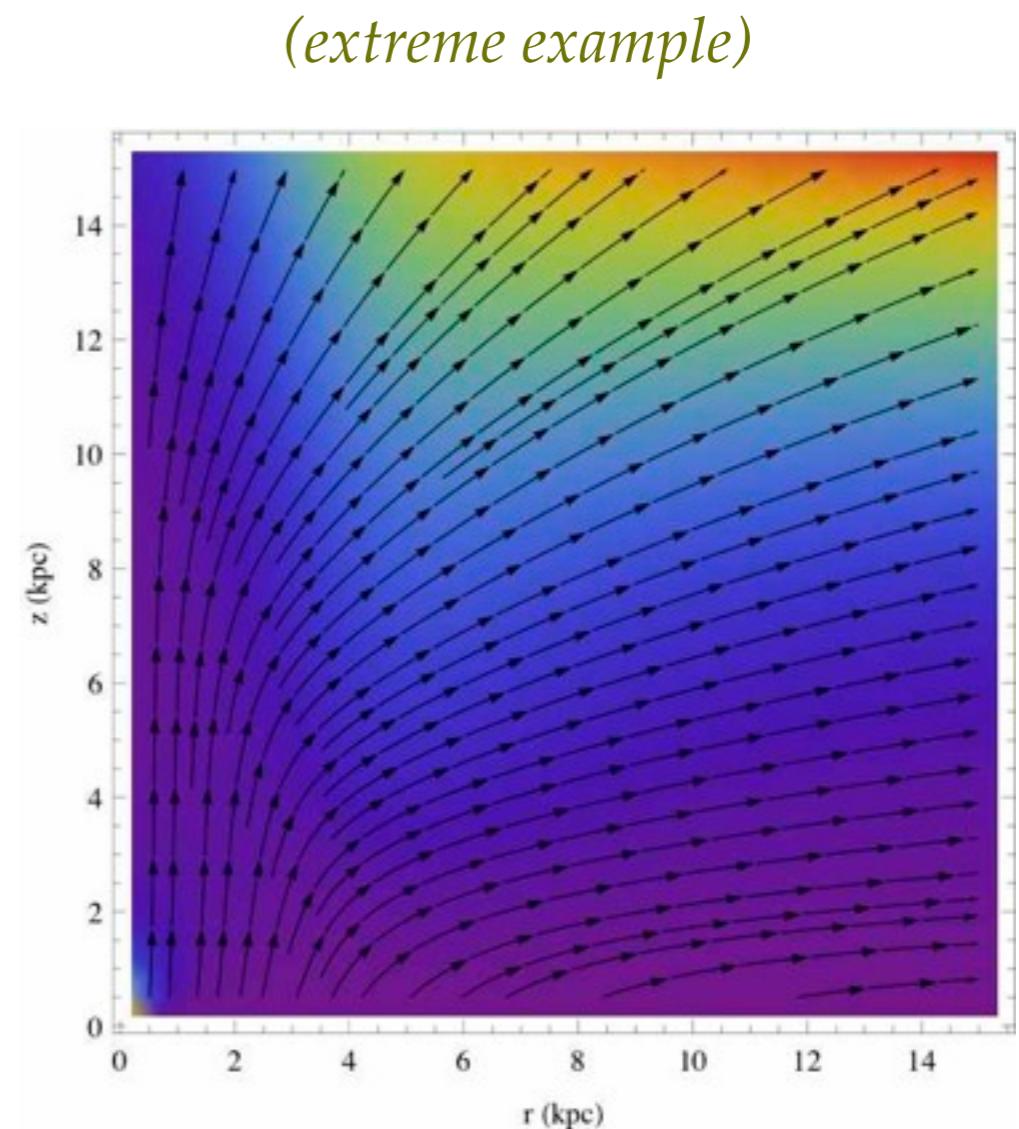
setting:

$$A = \frac{q}{\gamma m c v}$$

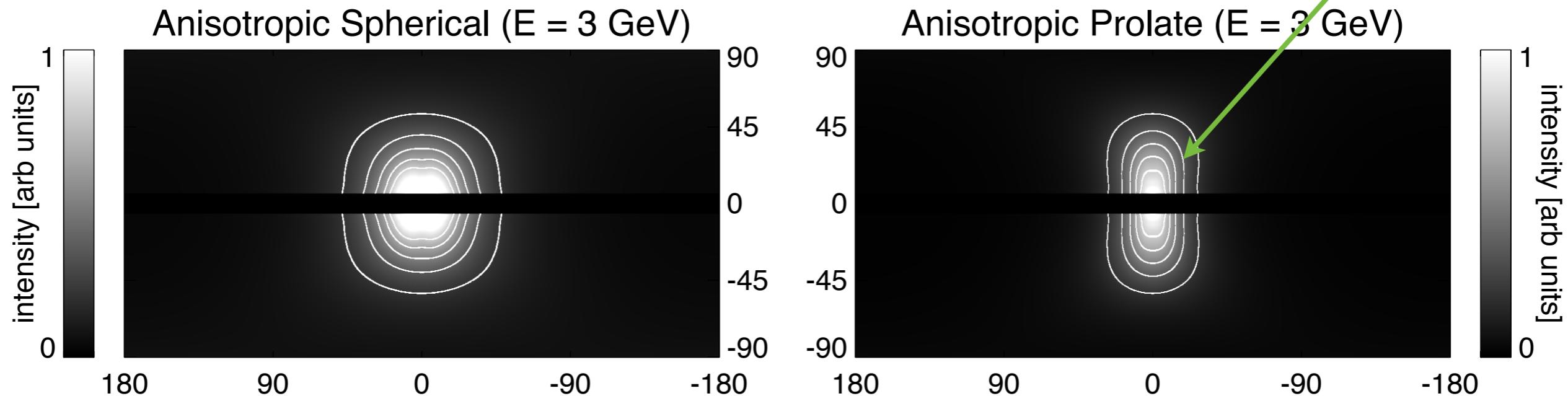
we get:

$$D_{zz} \propto B_{tot}^{-1} \left( \frac{1 + A^2 B_z^2}{1 + A^2 B_{tot}^2} \right)$$

$$\frac{D_{rr}}{D_{zz}} = \frac{1 + A^2 B_r^2}{1 + A^2 B_z^2}, \quad \frac{D_{rz}}{D_{zz}} = \frac{D_{zr}}{D_{zz}} = \frac{A^2 B_r B_z}{1 + A^2 B_z^2}$$



Thus one can get:

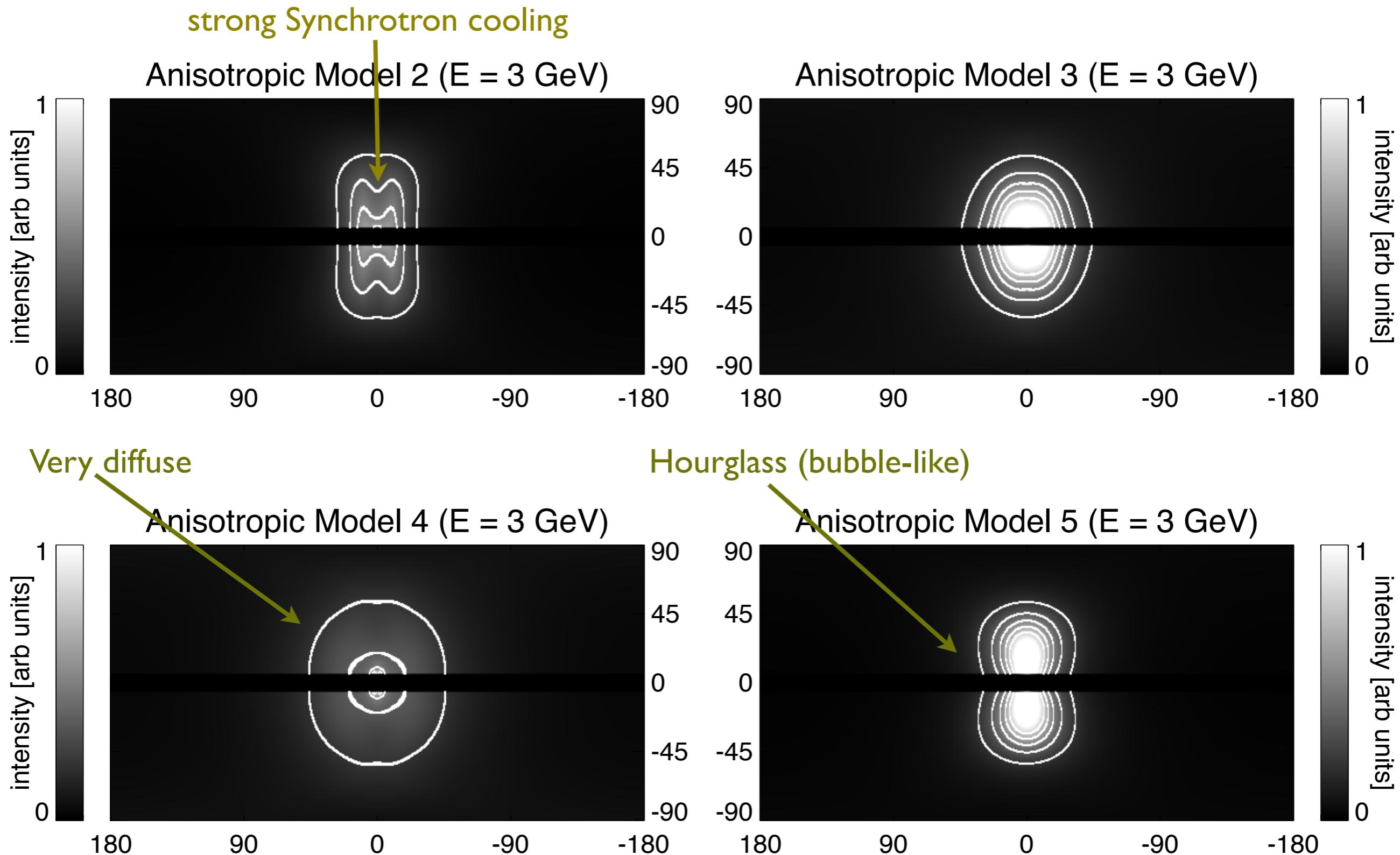


So with annihilating DM and **specific assumptions** on anisotropic and inhomogeneous diffusion we **CAN fit the Fermi haze morphology spectrum and amplitude.**

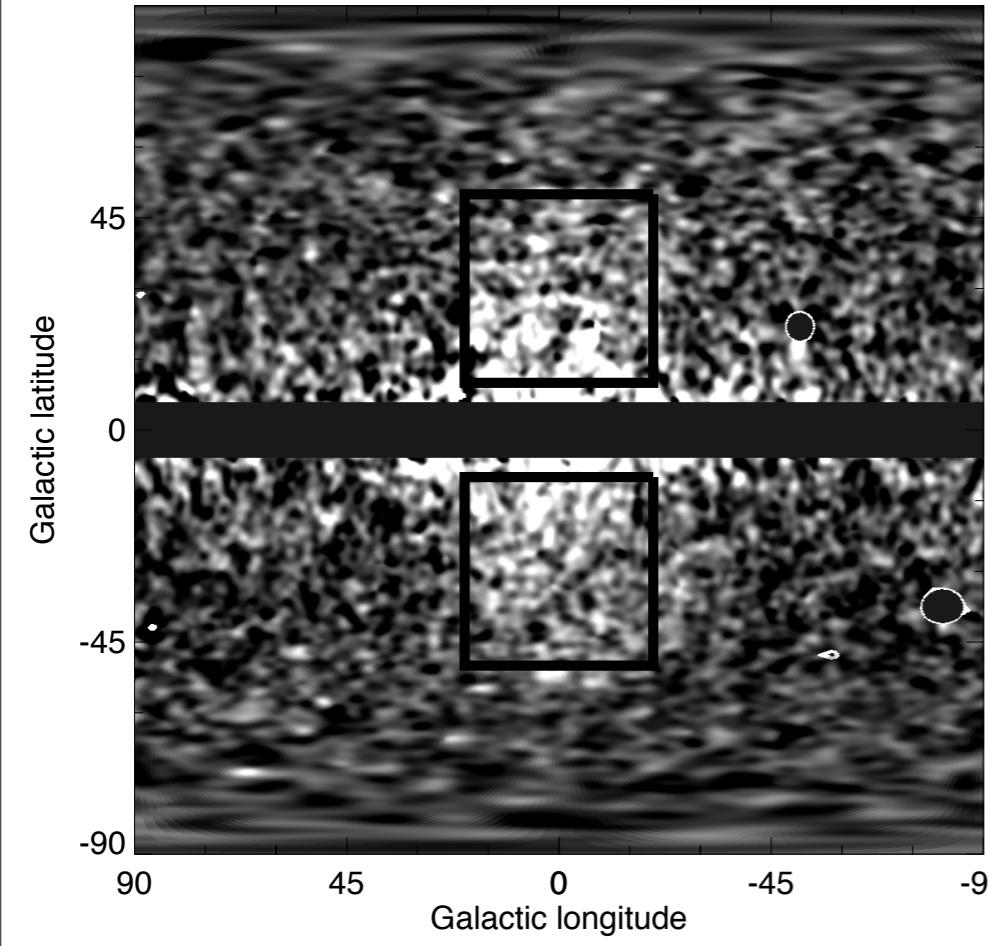
Different assumptions for the B-field can have apart from different synchrotron maps, different IC maps.

Model	$B_{\text{ord}}$ Formula	$B_0$ ( $\mu\text{G}$ )	$r_1$ (kpc)	$z_1$ (kpc)	$B_1$ ( $\mu\text{G}$ )	$K$	$r_2$ (kpc)	$z_2$ (kpc)	$r_3$ (kpc)	$z_3$ (kpc)
1	$B_1 e^{-r/r_2 -  z /z_2} \times (1 + K e^{-r/r_3 -  z /z_3})$	3	7	4	8	10	7	2	0.8	10
2	$B_1 e^{-r/r_2 -  z /z_2} \times (1 + K e^{-(r/r_3)^2} \sqrt{\cos( z /z_3) \times \pi/2})$	3	5	4	10	11	5	4	1	40
3	$B_1 e^{-r/r_2 -  z /z_2} \times (1 + K e^{-(r/r_3)^{1.5} -  z /z_3})$	3	10	2	10	6	10	3	1.2	20
4	$B_1 e^{-r/r_2 -  z /z_2} \times (1 + K e^{-(r/r_3)^{1.5} - ( z /z_3)^{1.5}})$	3.7	5	2	12.5	8	7	5	2.5	20
5	$B_1 e^{-r/r_2 -  z /z_2} \times (1 + K e^{-r/r_3 -  z /z_3})$	3.7	5	2	3.7	12	5	2	2	6

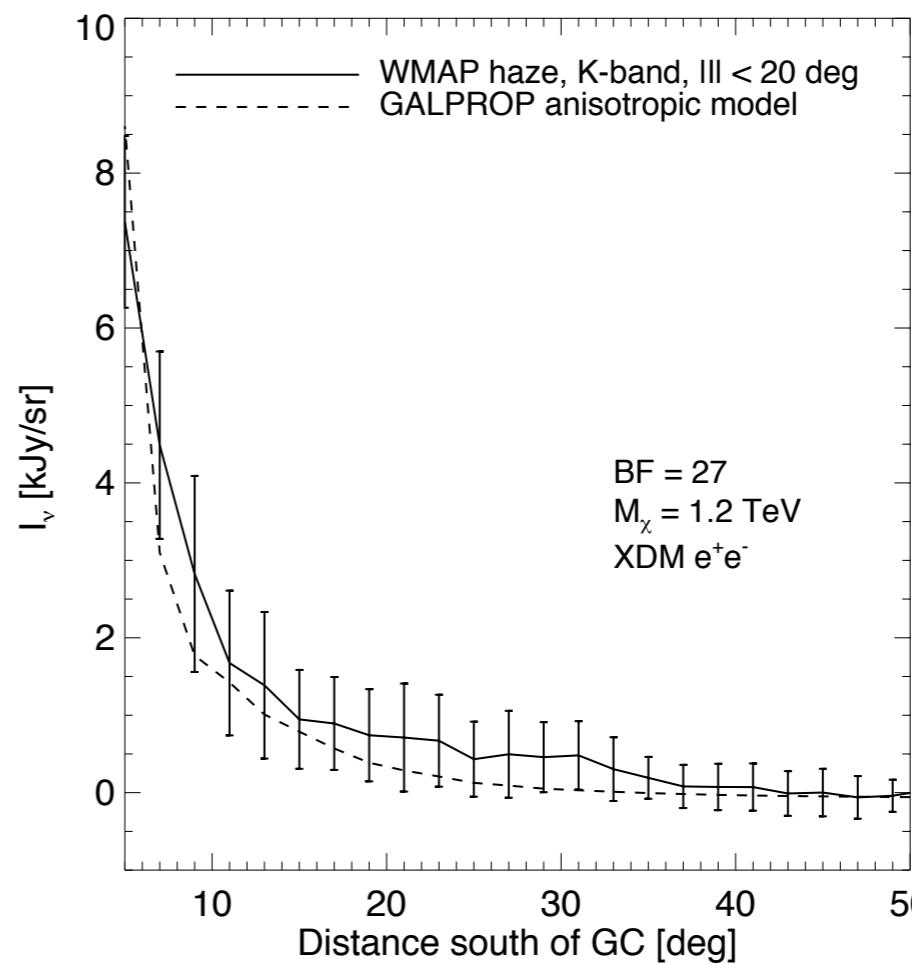
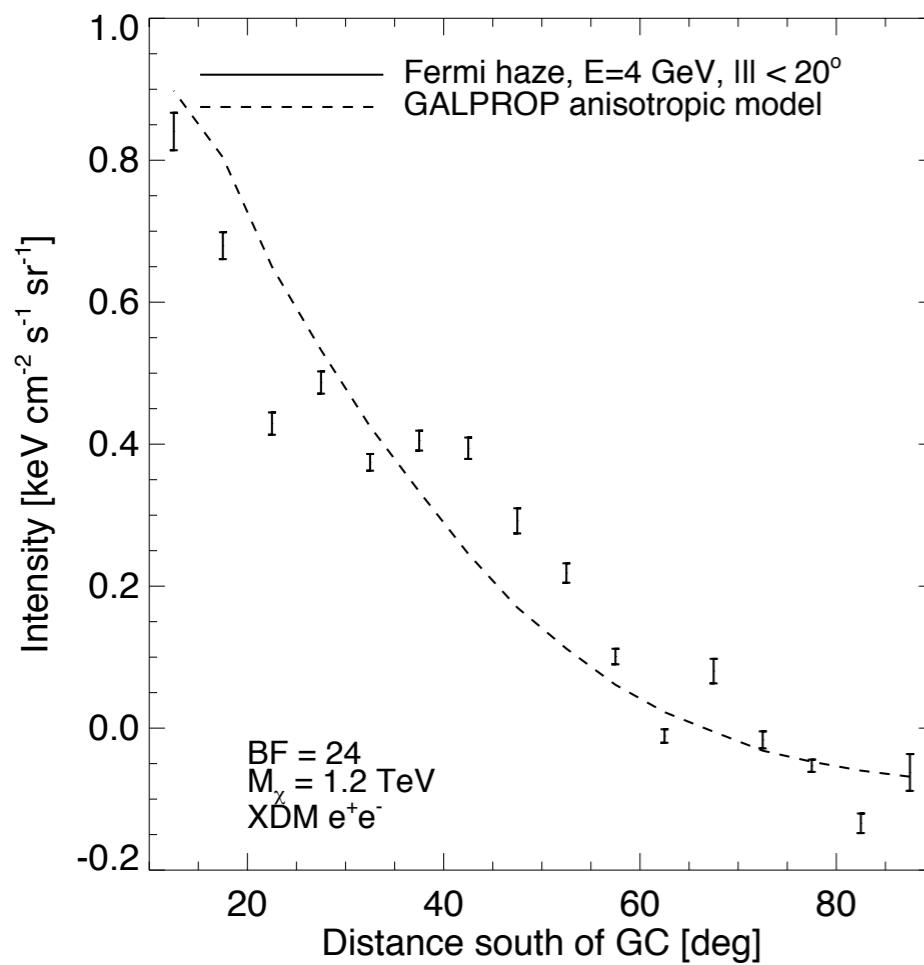
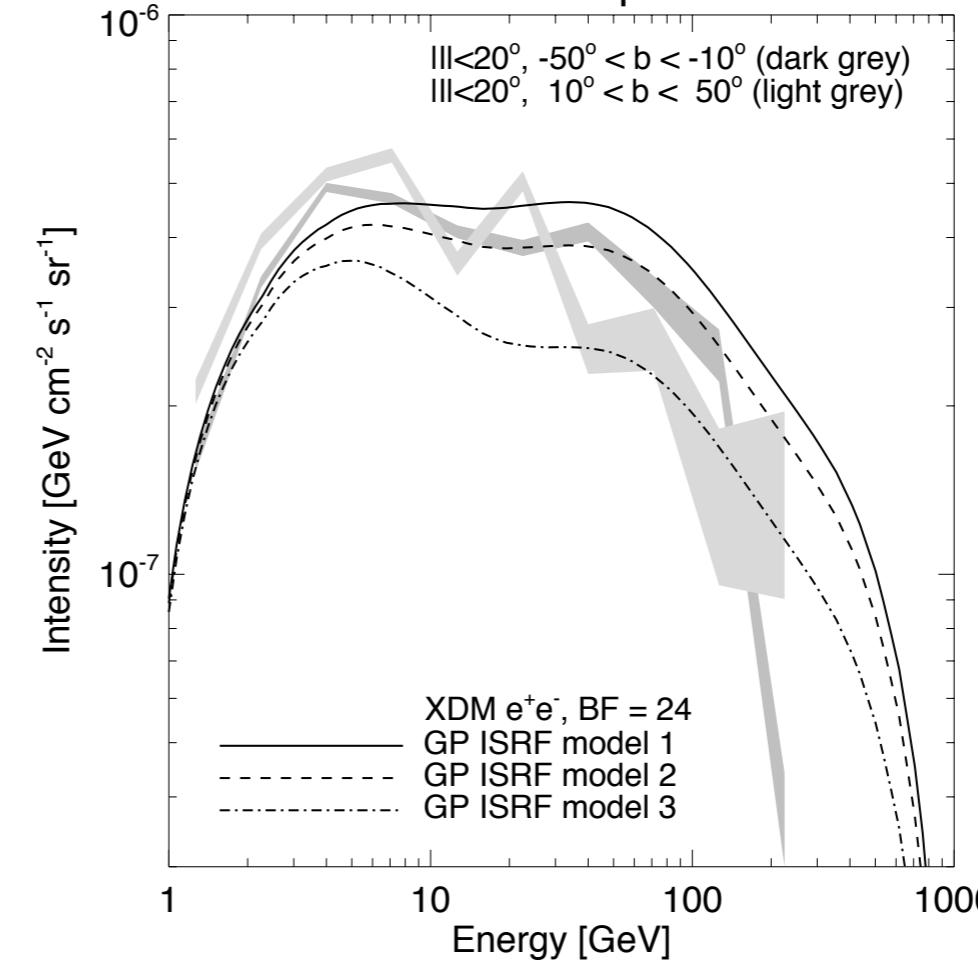
Anisotropic diffusion of CRs can have **a strong effect** on the IC map from annihilating DM:



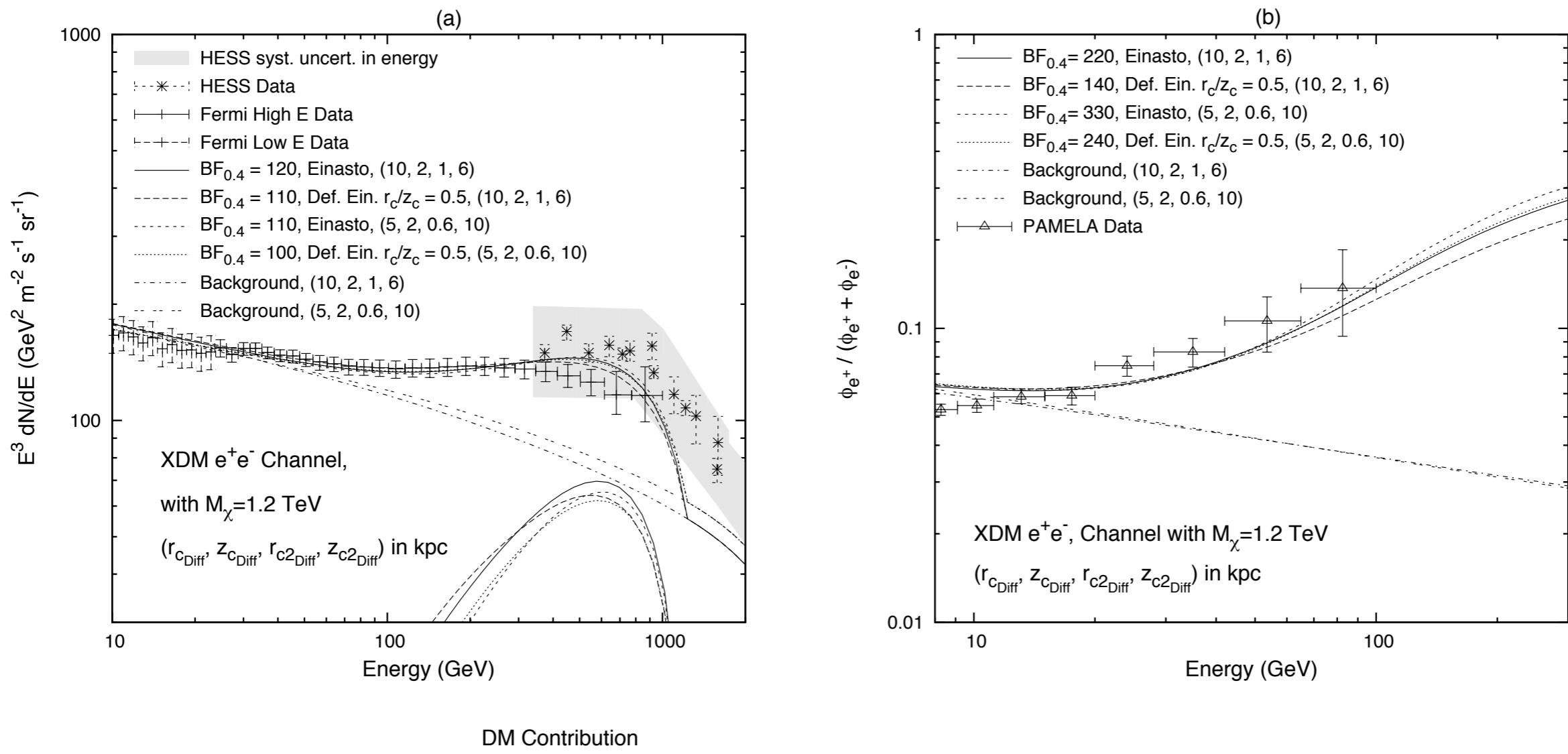
3 templates haze (2.0-5.0 GeV)



Fermi Haze Spectrum



Apart from getting the right morphology for the Fermi (and WMAP) haze, and having good spectral agreement, we also have agreement with local CRs and background gamma-rays.



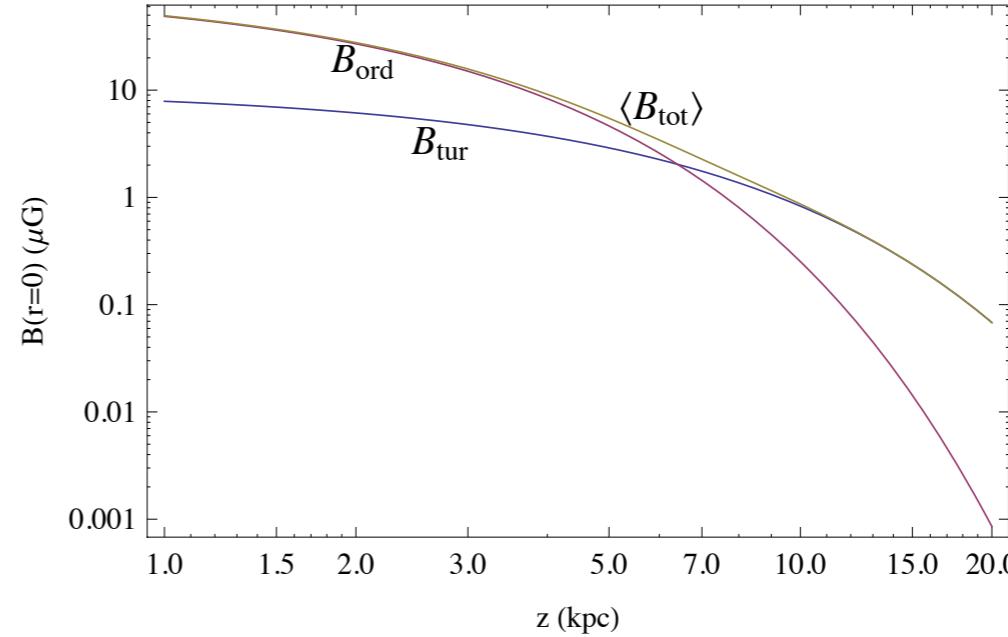
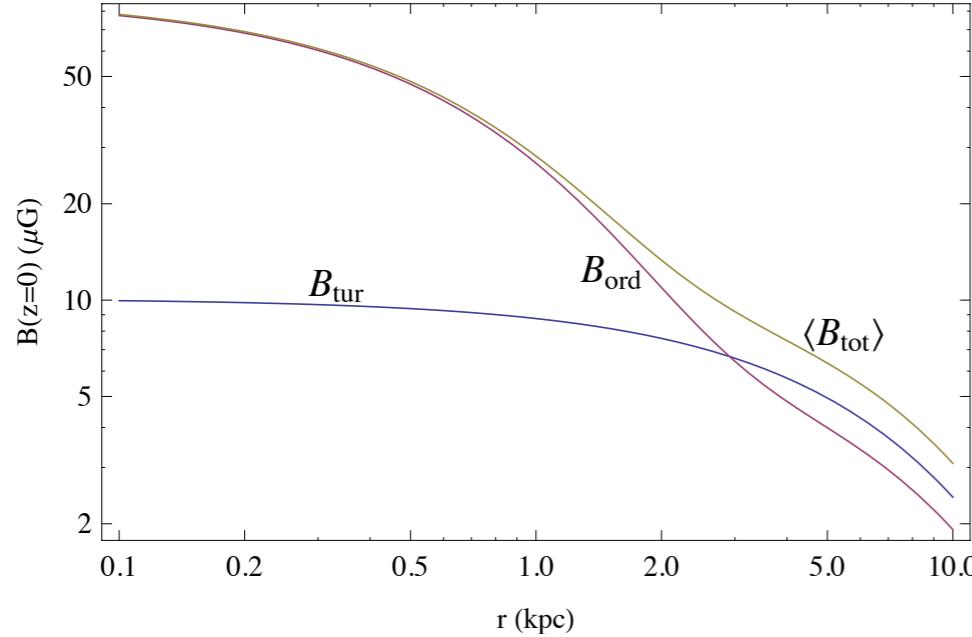
# Conclusions

- The Fermi haze is a signal of a population of harder spectrum electrons (seen before only at microwave) that “conventional” sources of electrons such as middle-aged pulsars can not explain
- DM with **Anisotropic and inhomogeneous** diffusion may be the answer
- Astrophysical explanations including MSPs (Malyshev, Cholis, Gelfand ApJ 722, p.1939-1945 (2010)), or a strong AGN activity may be in order(Guo & Mathews arXiv:1103.0055), strong Galactic wind (Crocker&Aharonian PRL 106:101102,2011), 2nd order Fermi acc. (Mertsch&Sarkar arXiv:1104.3585 (PRL))
- Need further modeling and calculations on the signal in order to better understand the gamma-ray backgrounds AND work out the signals from the possible sources
- neutrinos can be drastically different among the different models

Thank you

# Additional slides

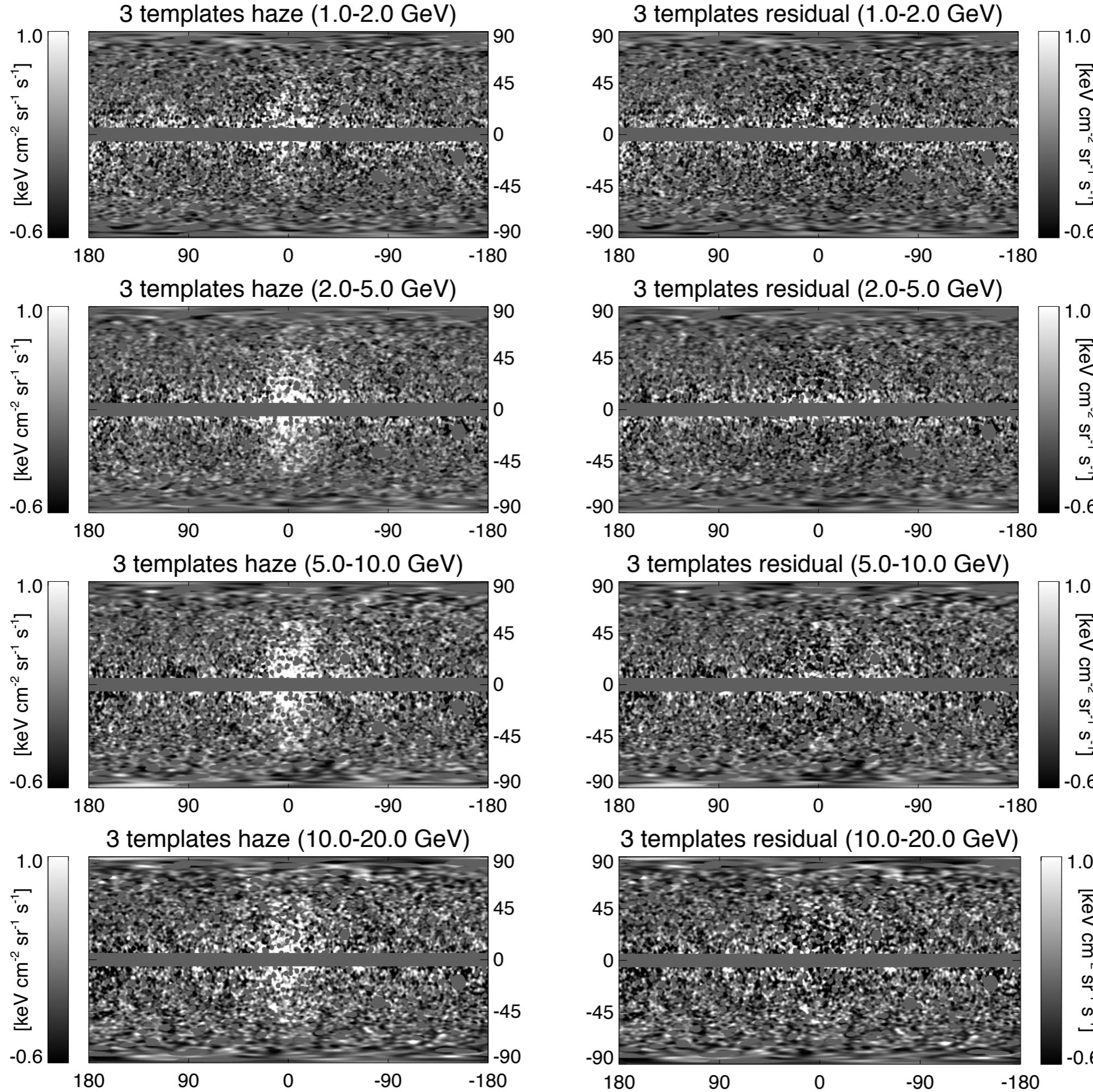
# Magnetic field profiles



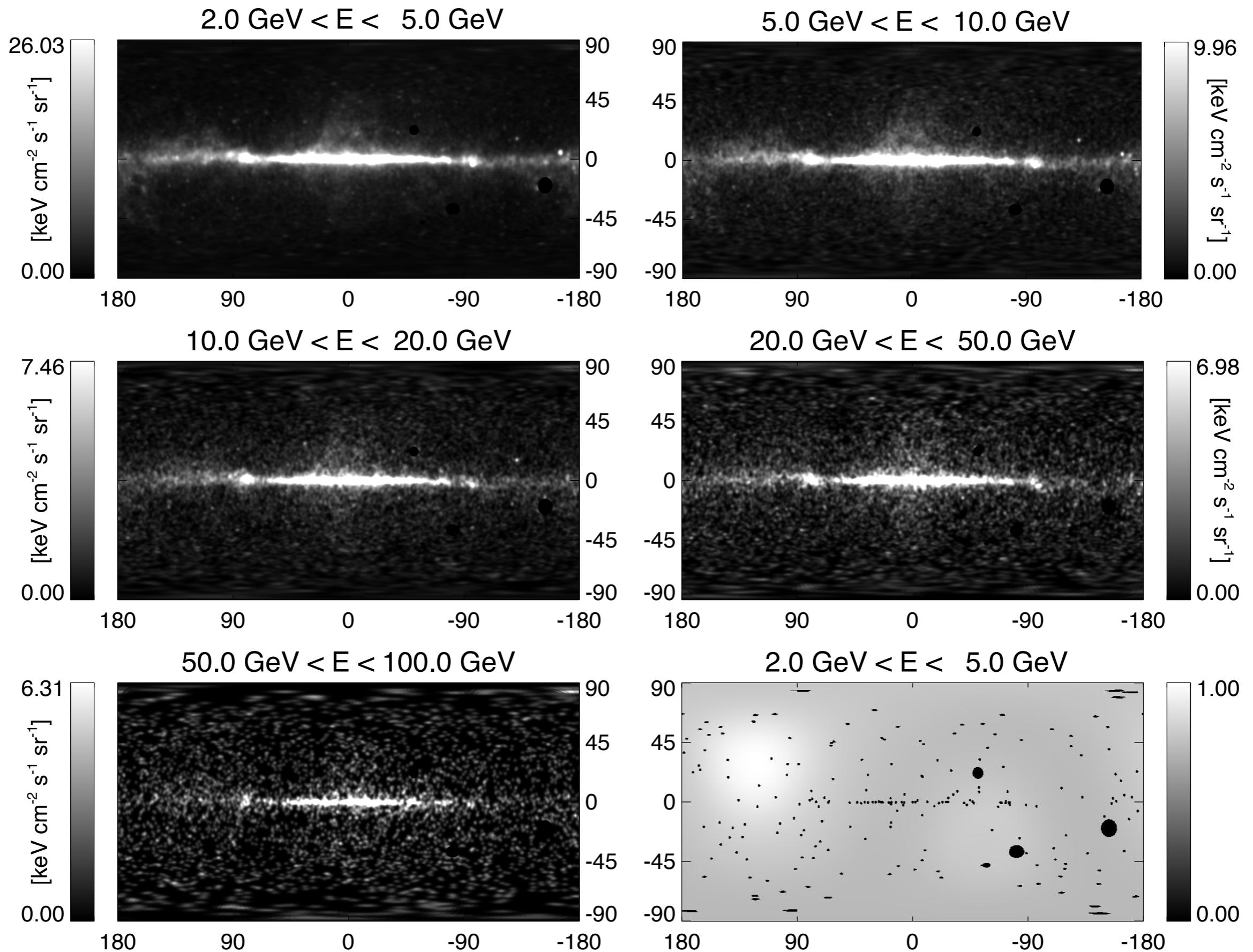
Yusef-Zadeh & Morris (1987), Morris & Yusef-Zadeh (1989), Morris (2007), have suggested mag. fields up to few mG in large non-thermal radio filaments (with widths of pc and lengths  $\sim 50$ pc). Beck (2008) suggested 0.5 mG. Those non-thermal filaments seen by VLA are directed perpendicular to the disk plane, and are probes of the general B-field properties, suggesting a predominantly bipolar field extending  $\sim 200$ pc in  $r$  (Nord et. al. (2004)).

Also arguments of CR cooling by synchrotron radiation in the inner 500pc have been used to avoid over-production of gamma-rays by ICS.

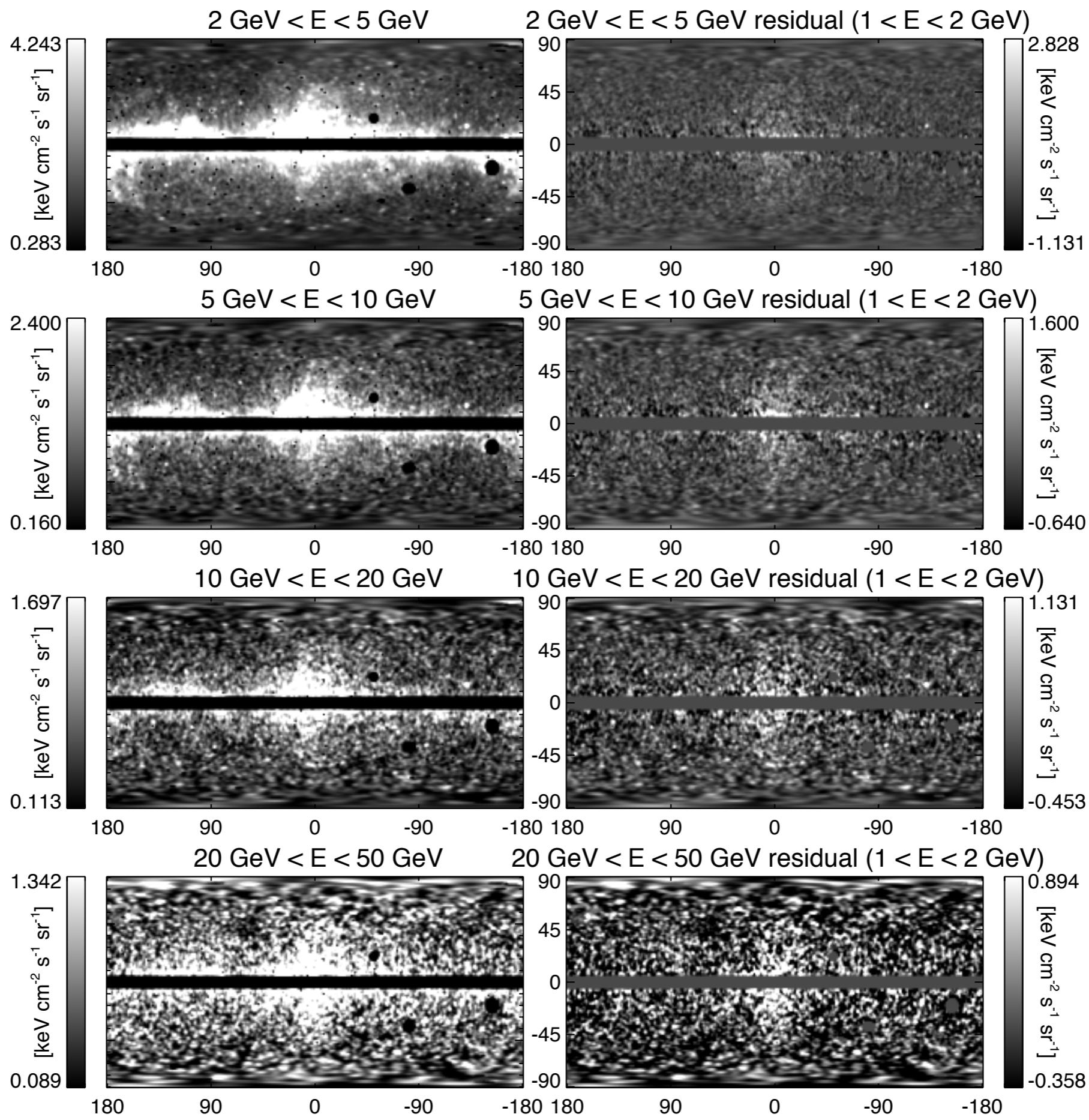
## Residual and the fit from the Anisotropic Galprop model



# The gamma-ray sky

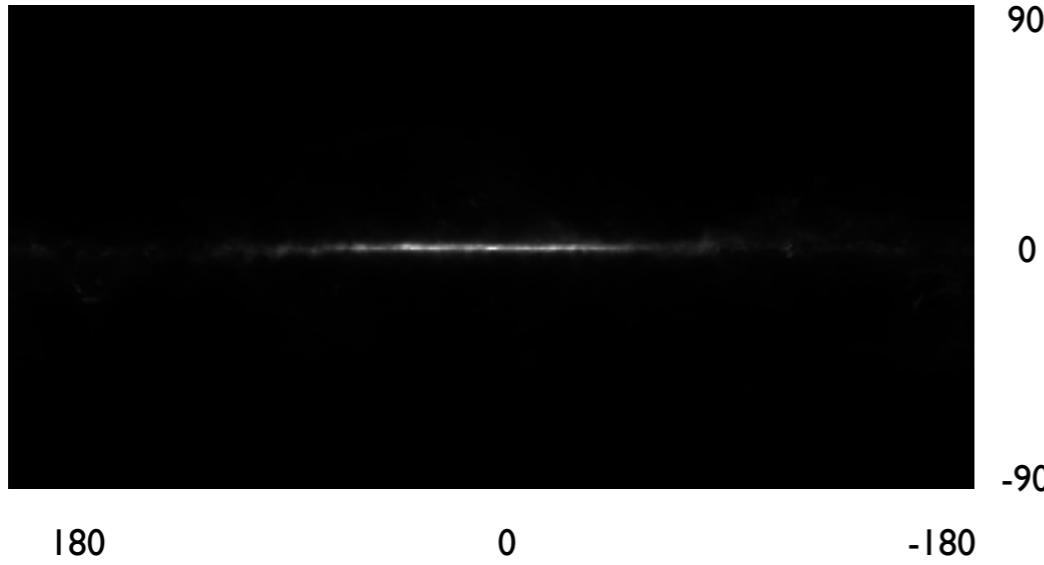


# The gamma ray map and the haze residual

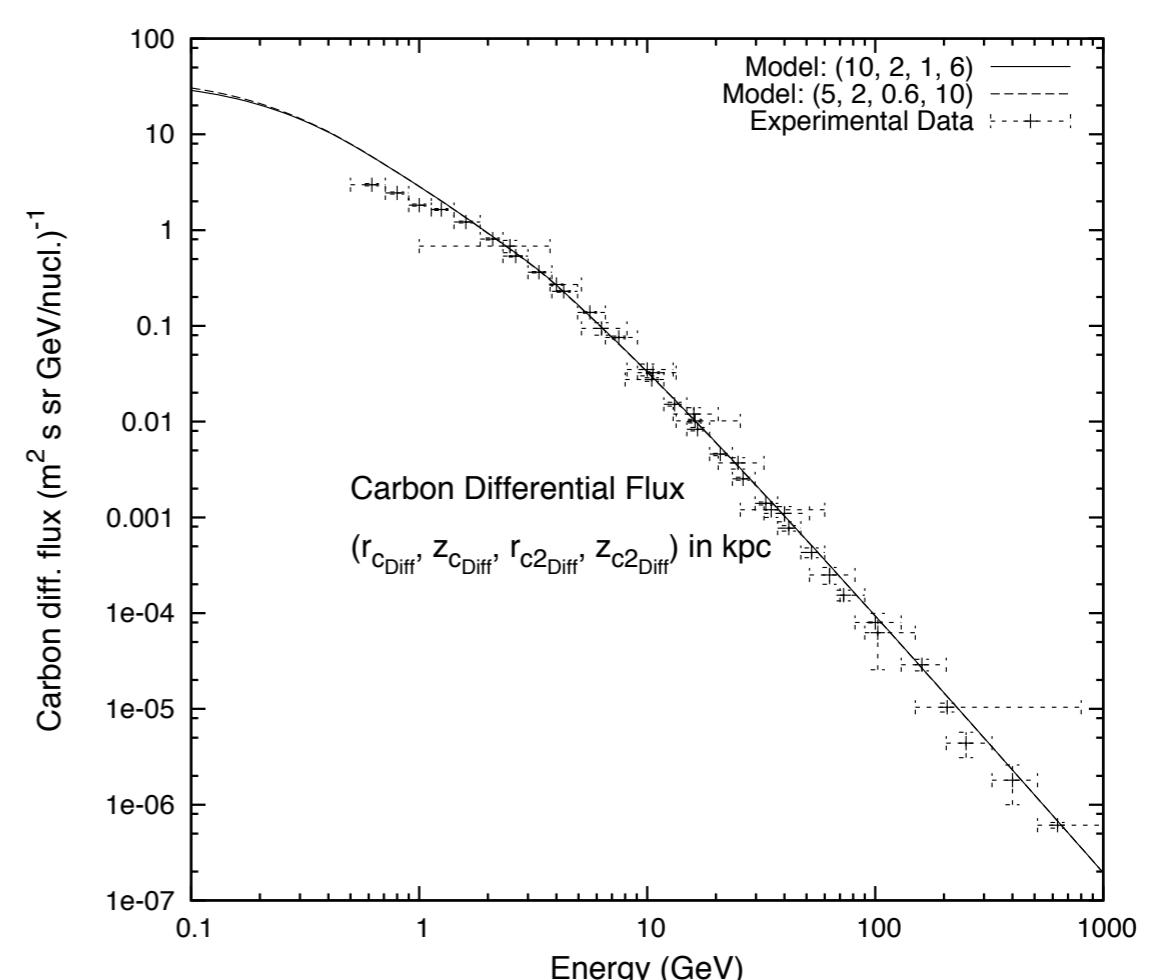
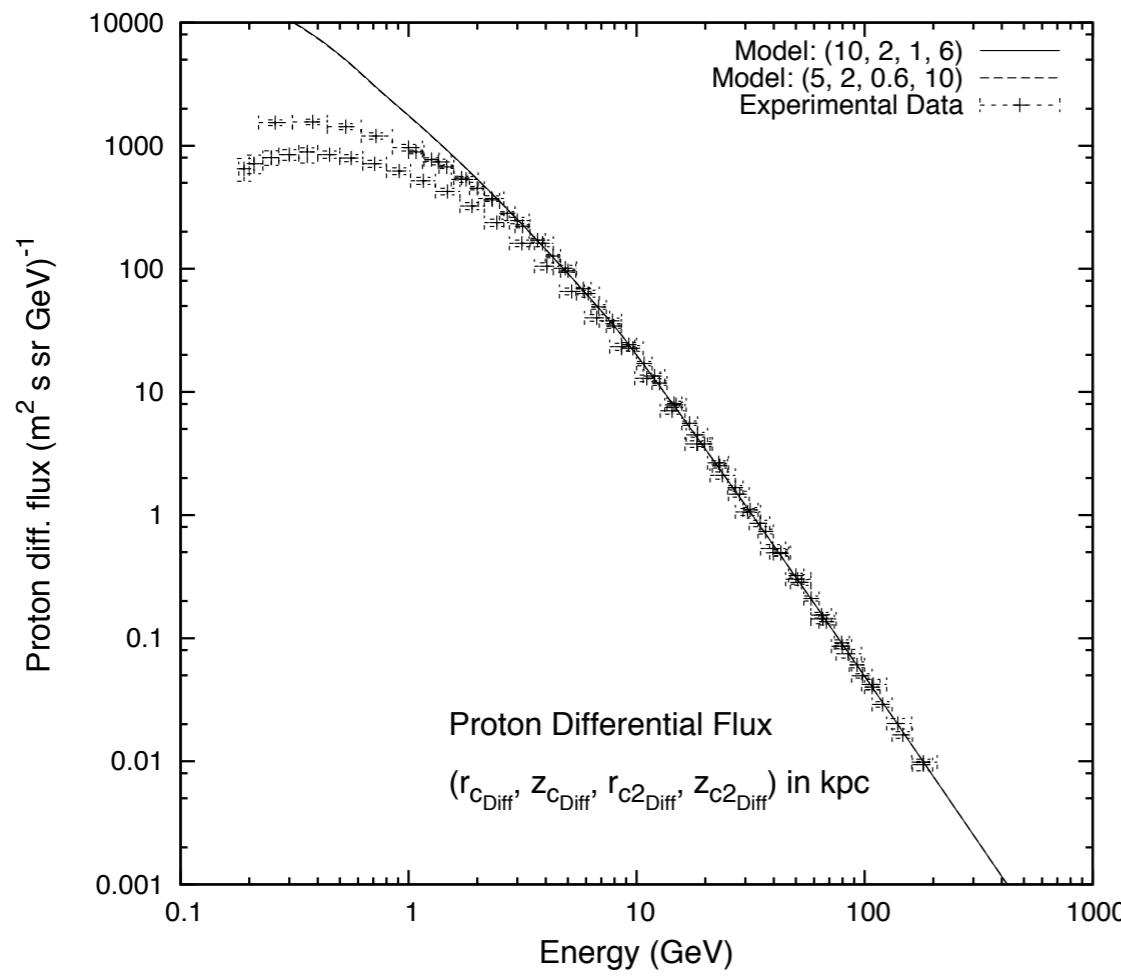
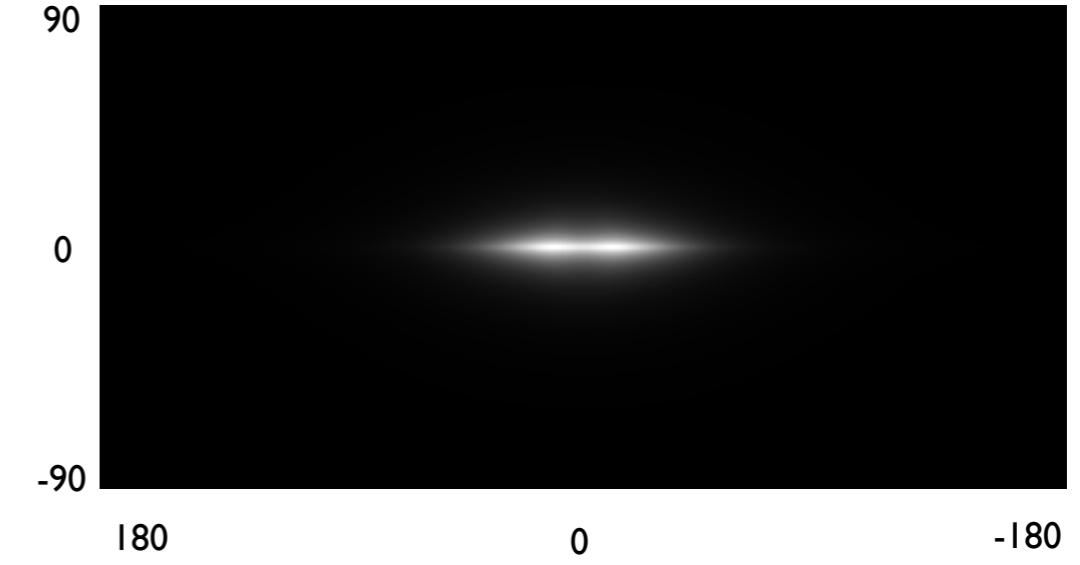


# Anisotropic diffusion assumptions tests

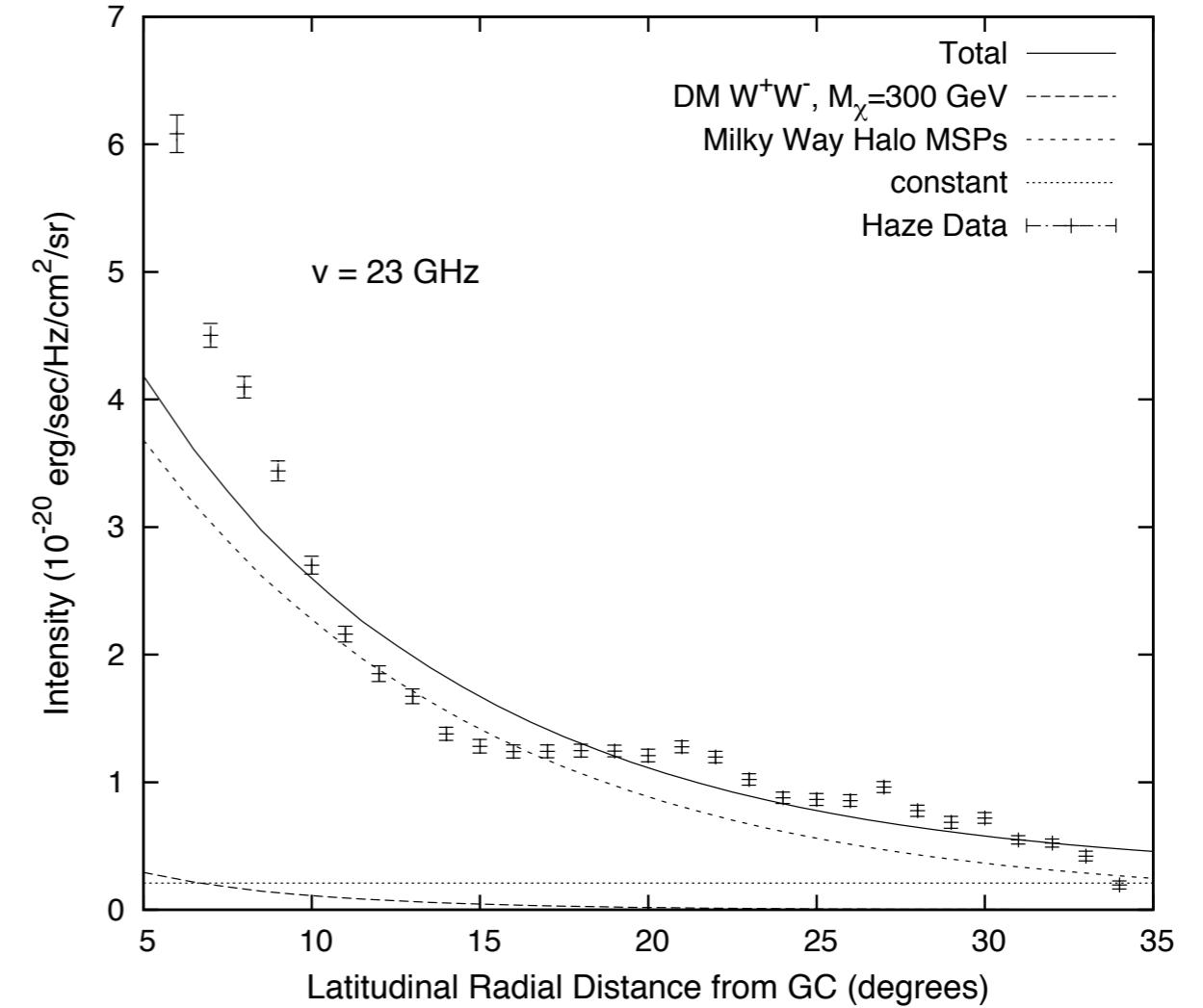
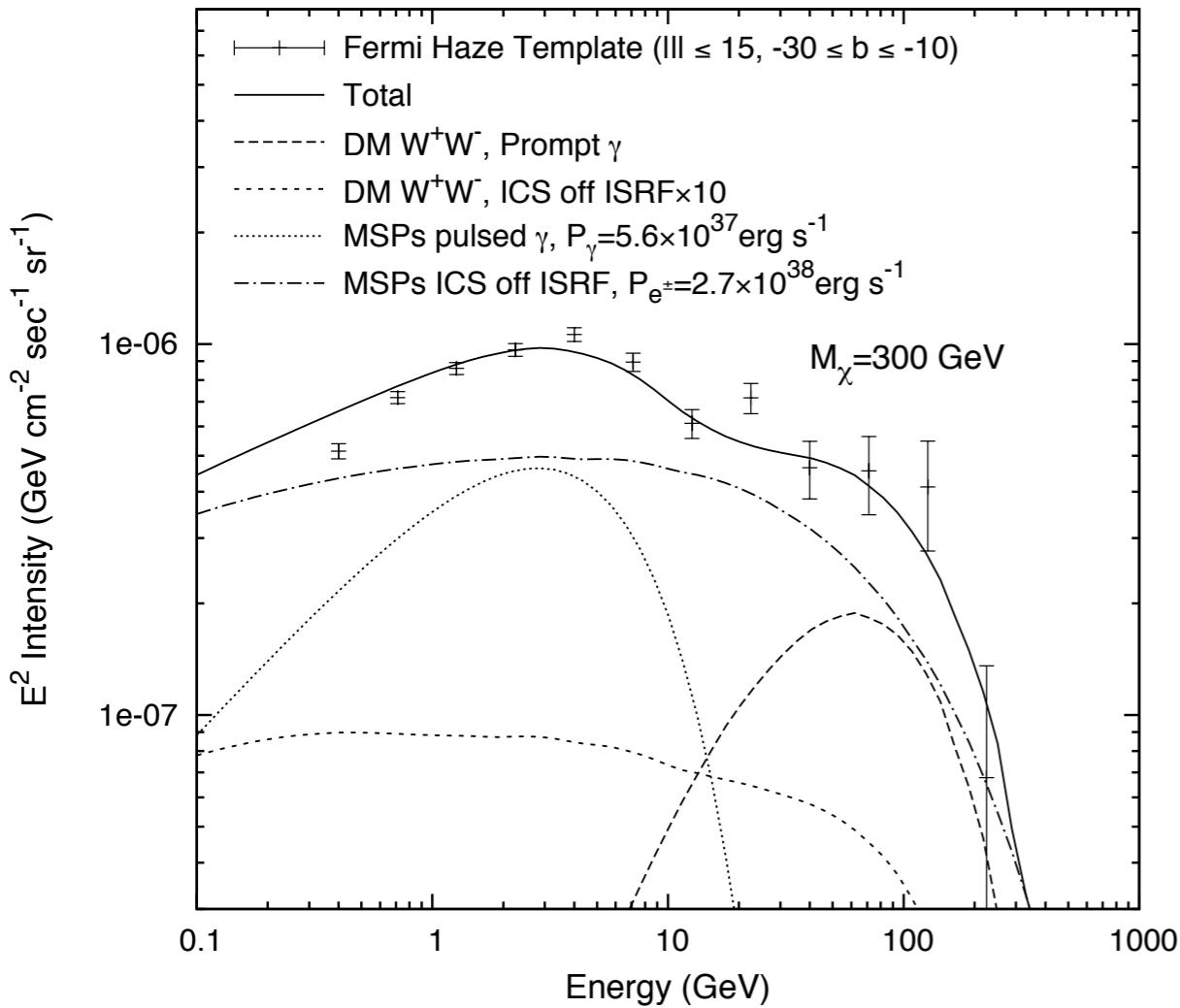
1.25 GeV (pi0)



408 MHz



# Millisecond pulsars & DM

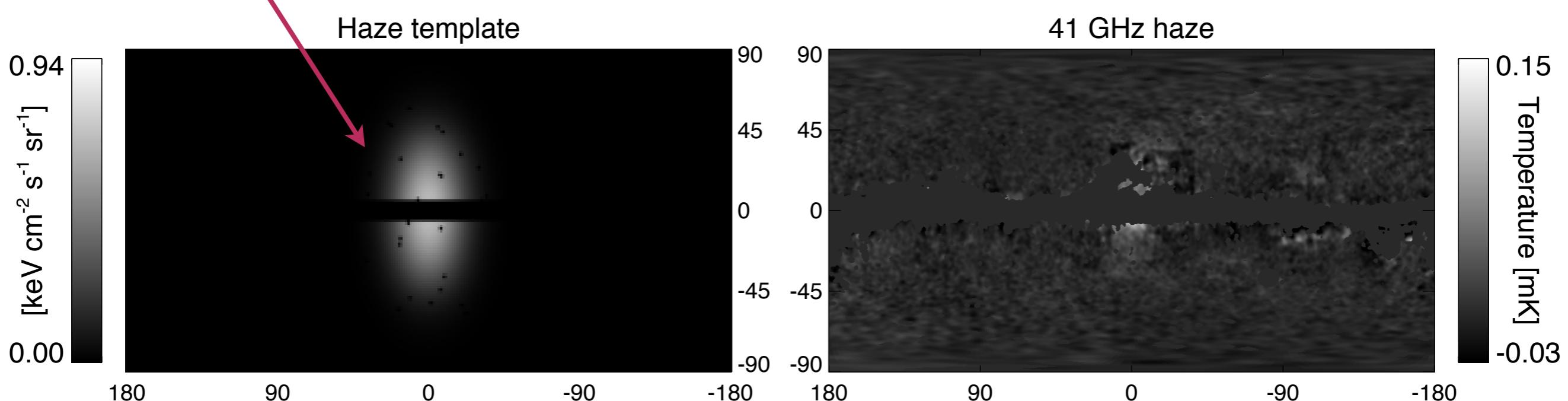


DM annihilating to  $W^+W^-$  with a thermal relic cross-section.

Need  $3 \times 10^4$  MSPs in the galactic halo! (significant implications about the evolution of the Milky way)

ApJ 722, p.1939-1945 (2010) (arXiv:1002.0587)

## First template



Probe a distribution of hard-spectrum electrons, (steady state diff. spectrum of  $\frac{dN_e}{dE} \sim E^{-2}$  )

Fermi haze: inverse Compton scattering

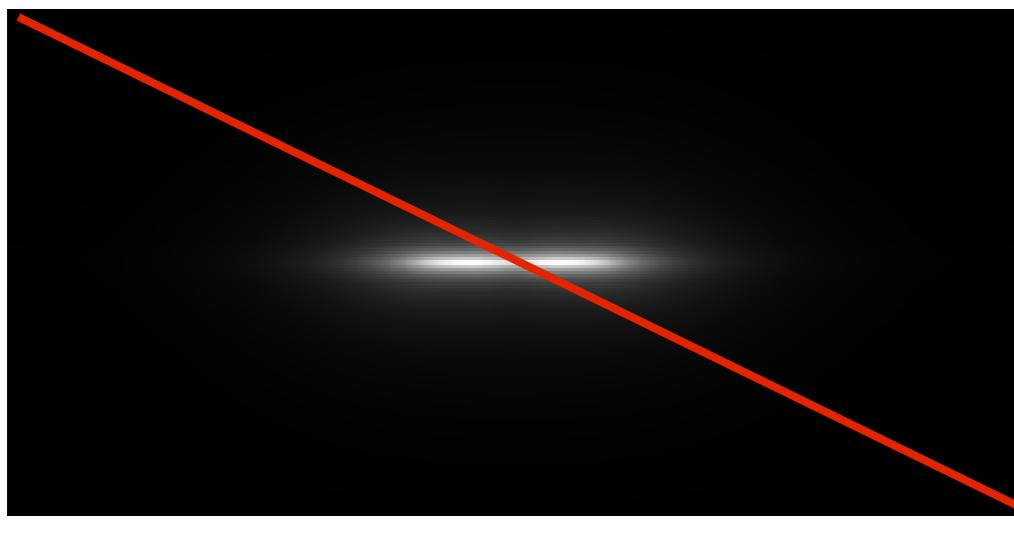
WMAP haze: synchrotron radiation

Non-trivial morphology of the Fermi haze (template:bivariate Gaussian)

The source(s) responsible for the signal must explain both spectra  
AND the non-disk-like morphology

Young pulsars, are probed still pretty well by the SNe distribution.

12GeV (ICS)

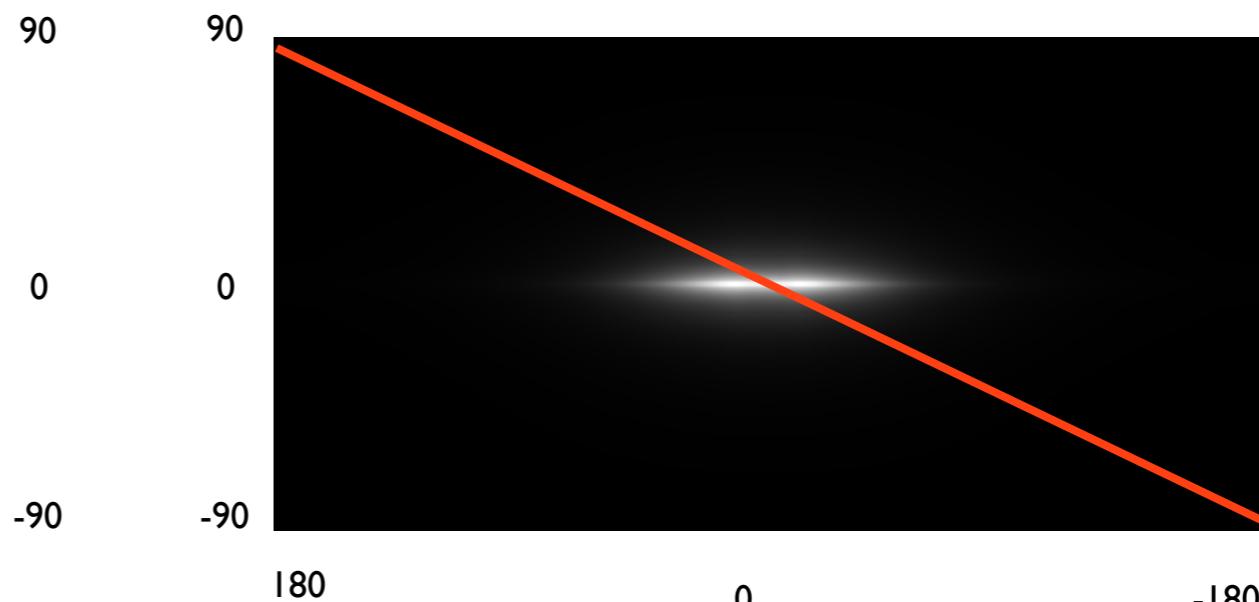


180

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-180

23 GHz



So clearly conventional astrophysical sources with disk-like distributions, **CAN NOT explain** the Fermi haze signal.