

Fermi on DM Spikes

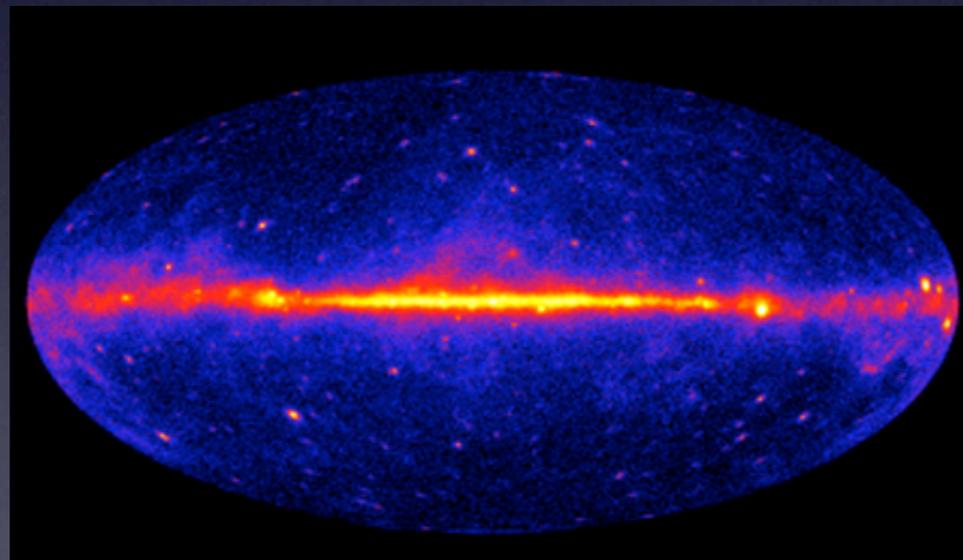
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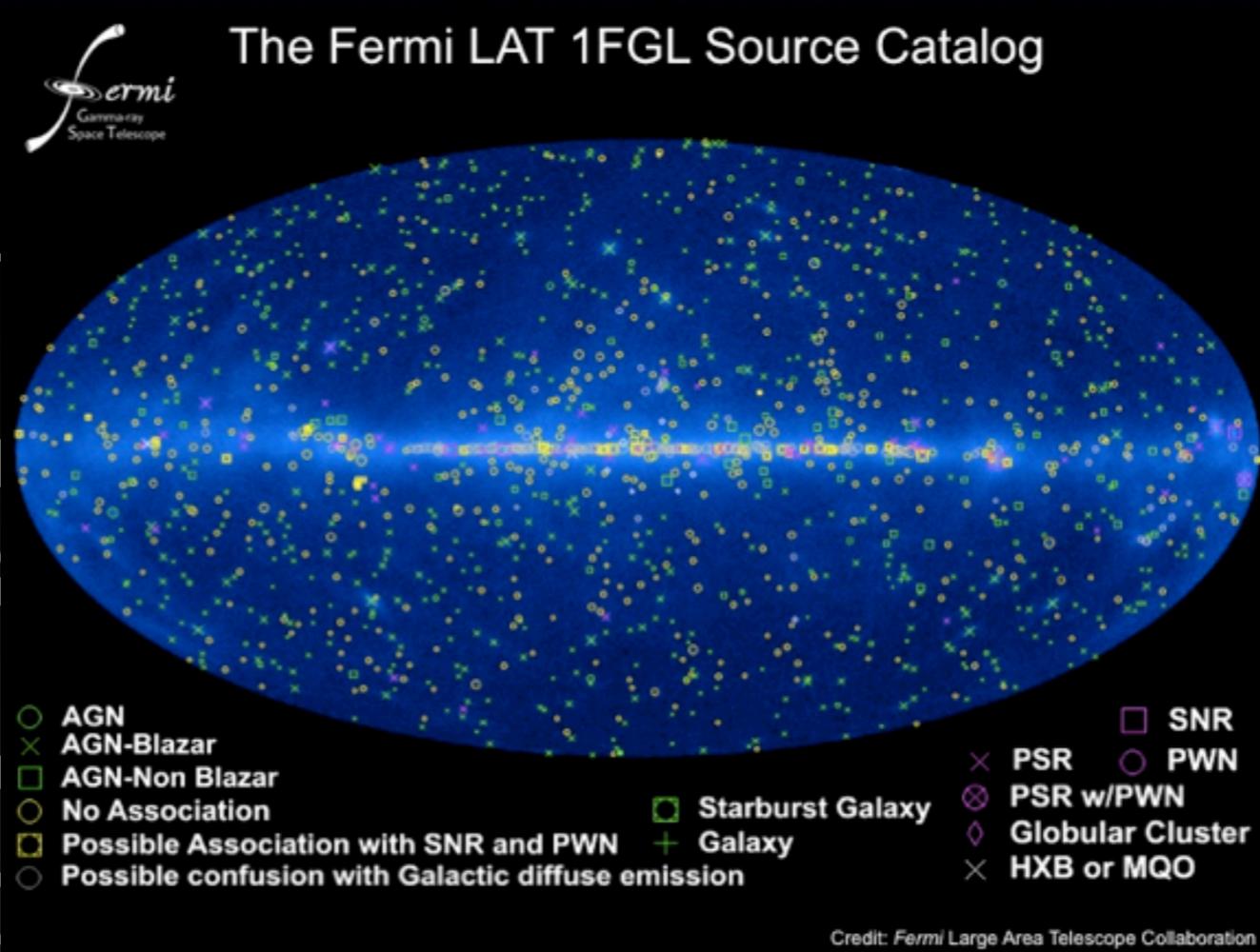
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- If DM can annihilate, Fermi could detect the spike as an unidentified point source.

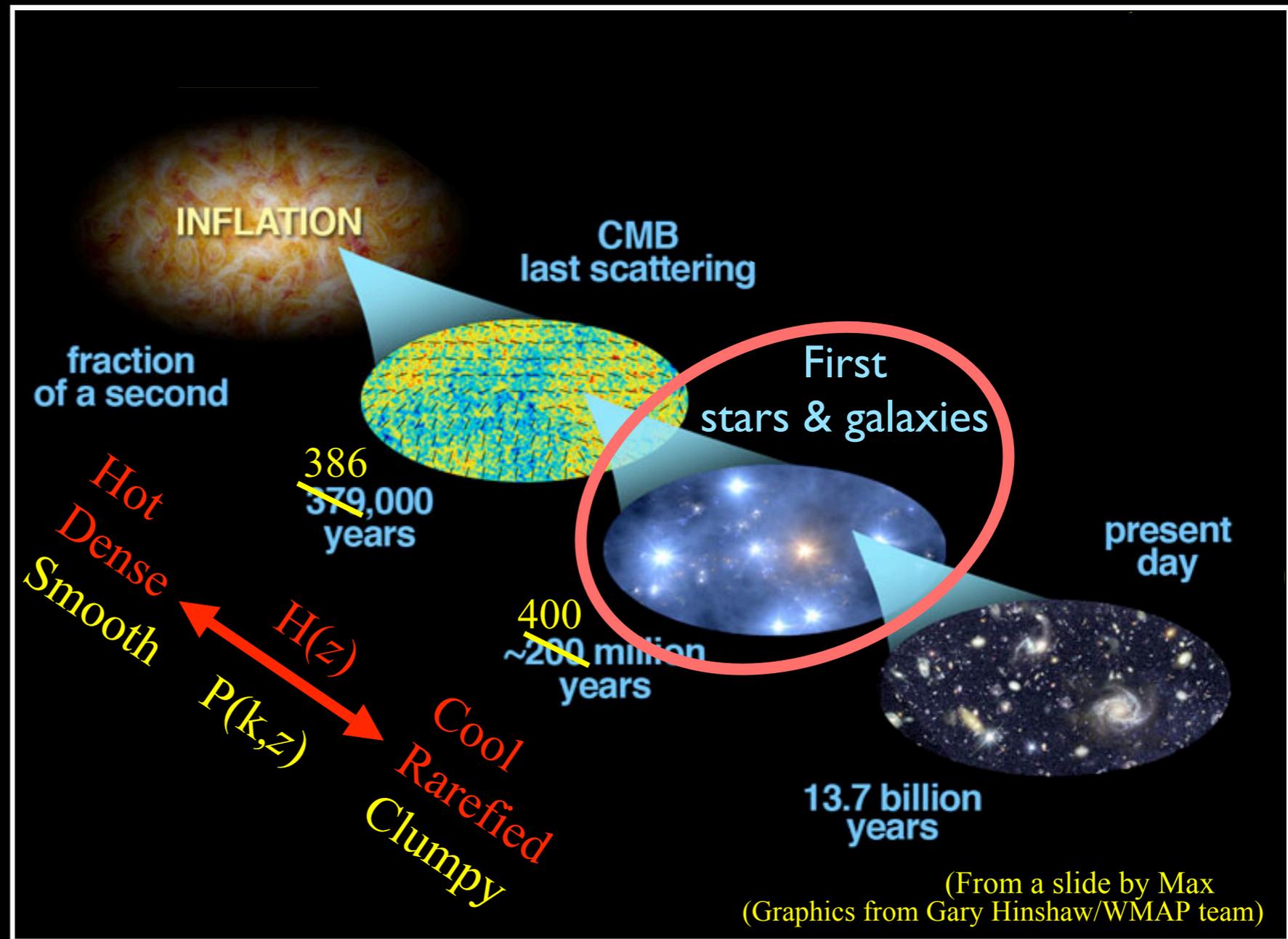


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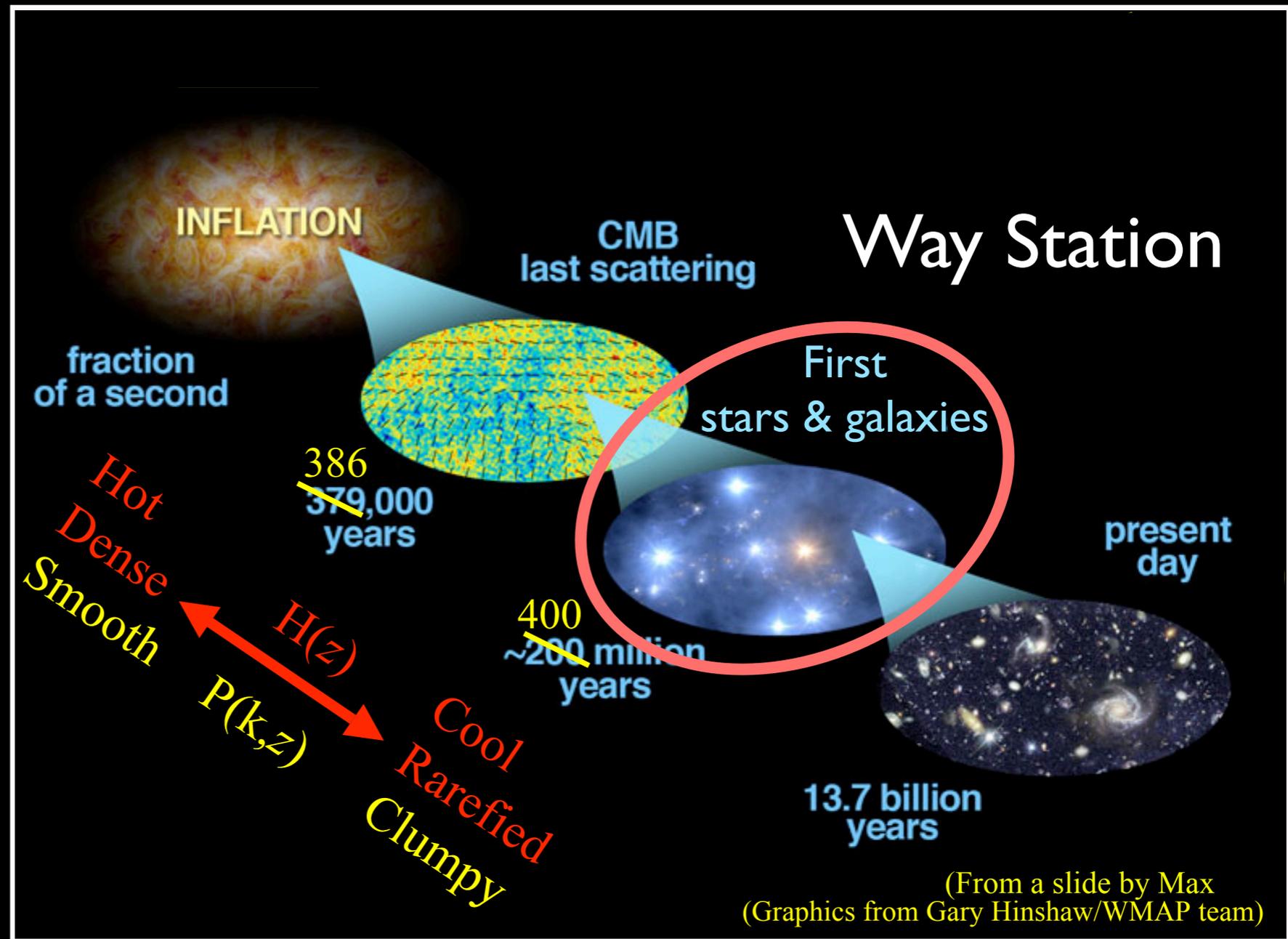
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 - first stars/DarkStars
 - direct collapse
- DM spike formation and profile
- DM spikes in the MilkyWay
- Fermi Sky
- Limits on DM spikes
- Conclusion



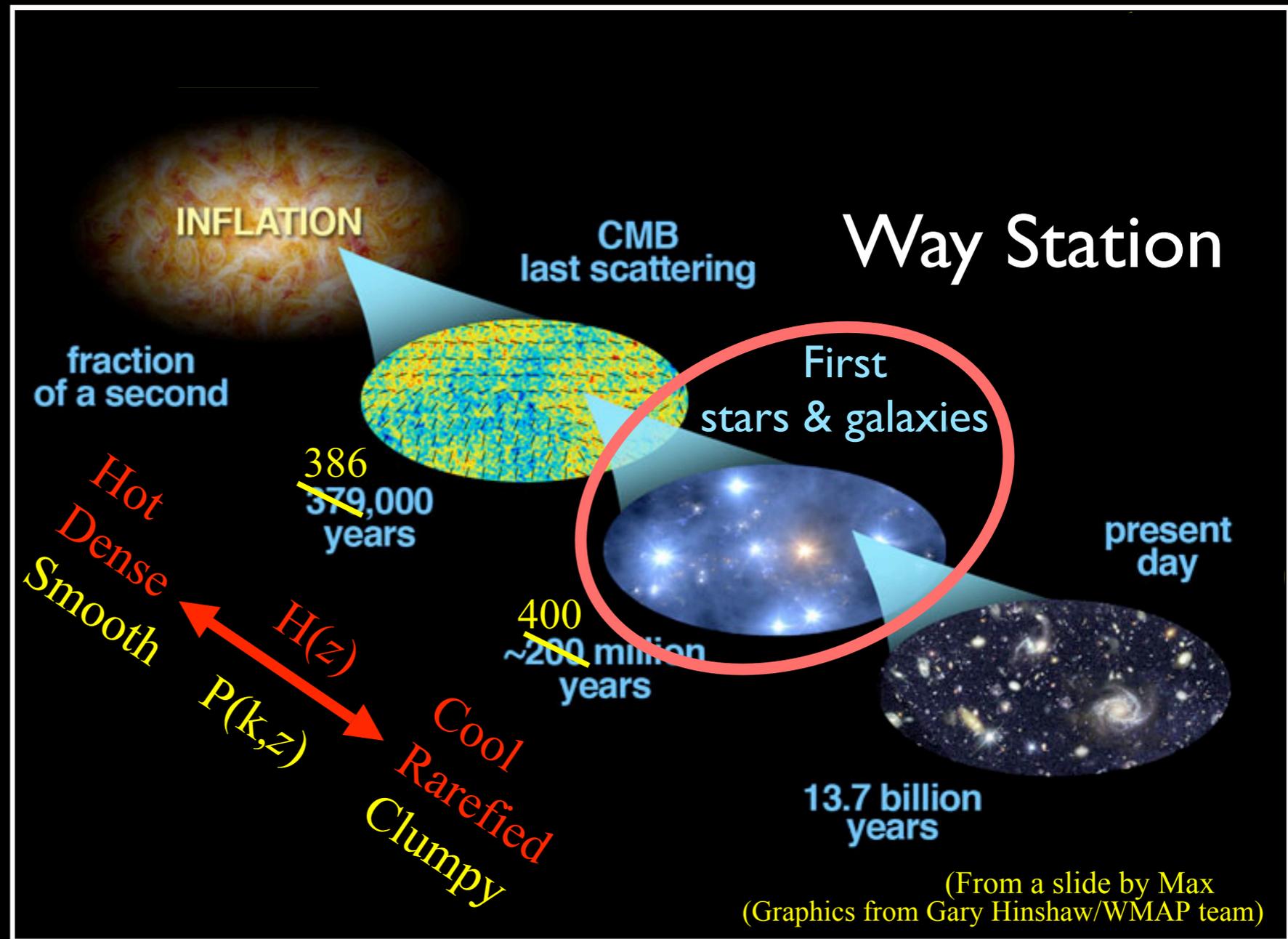
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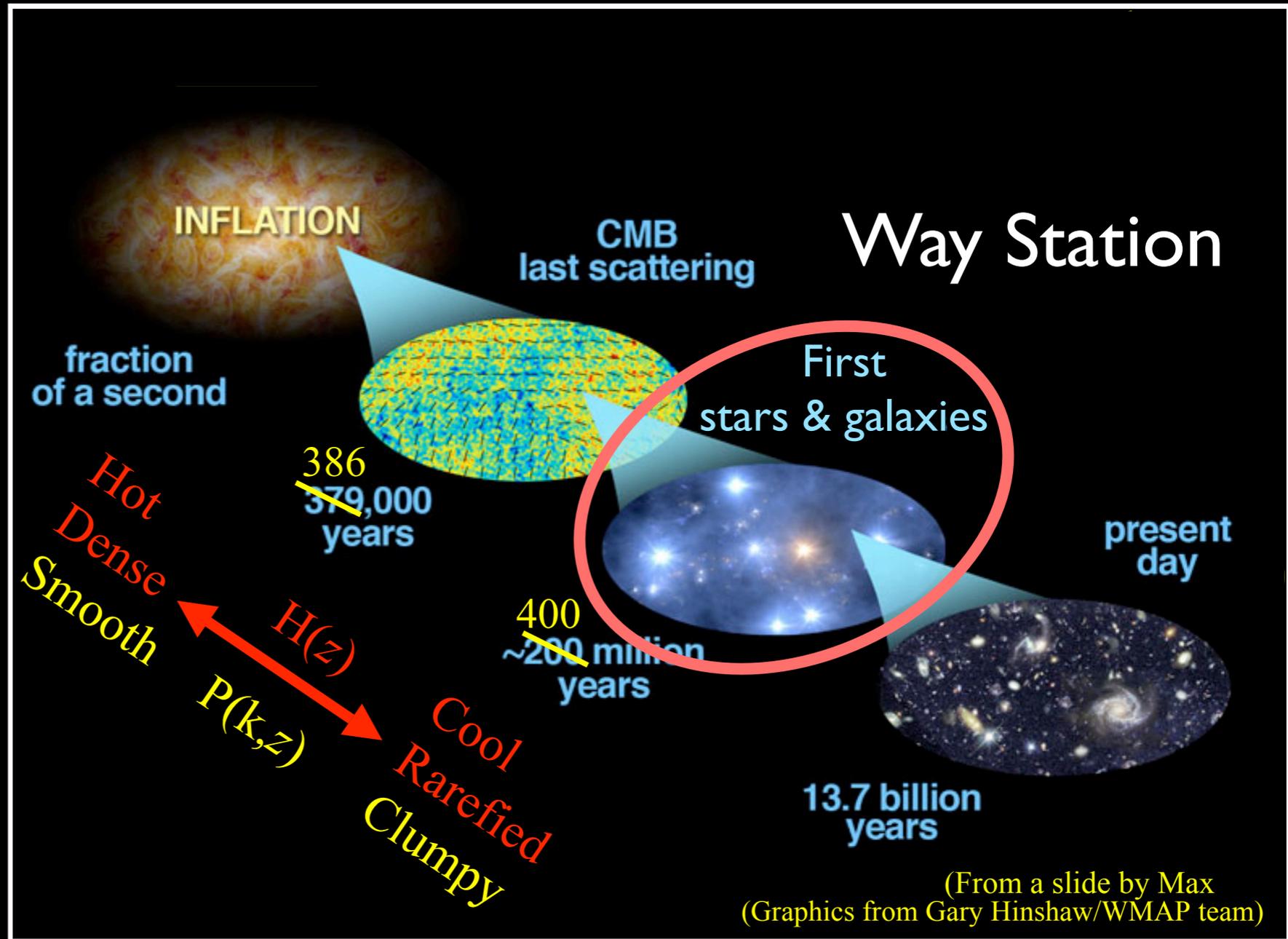


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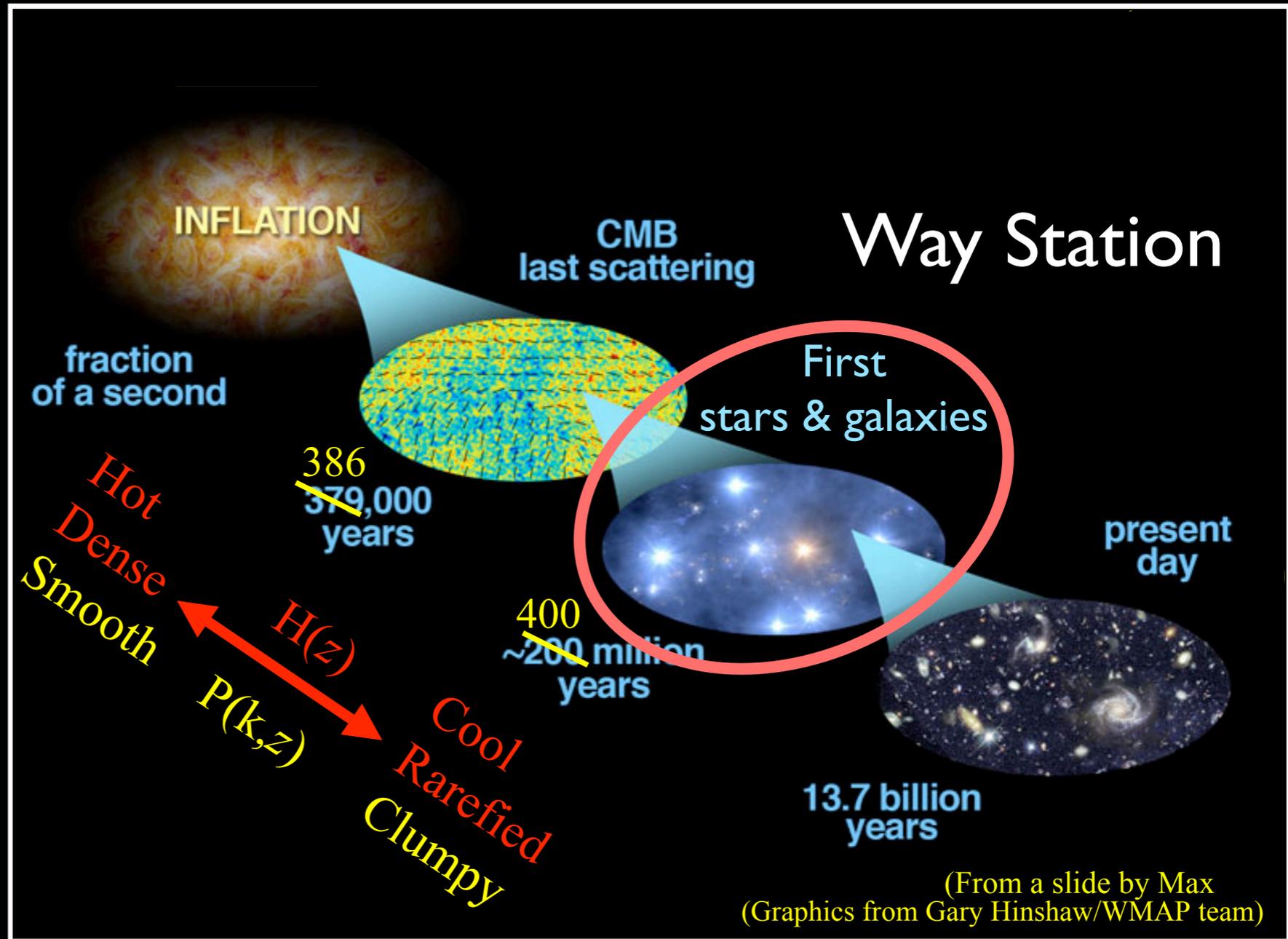
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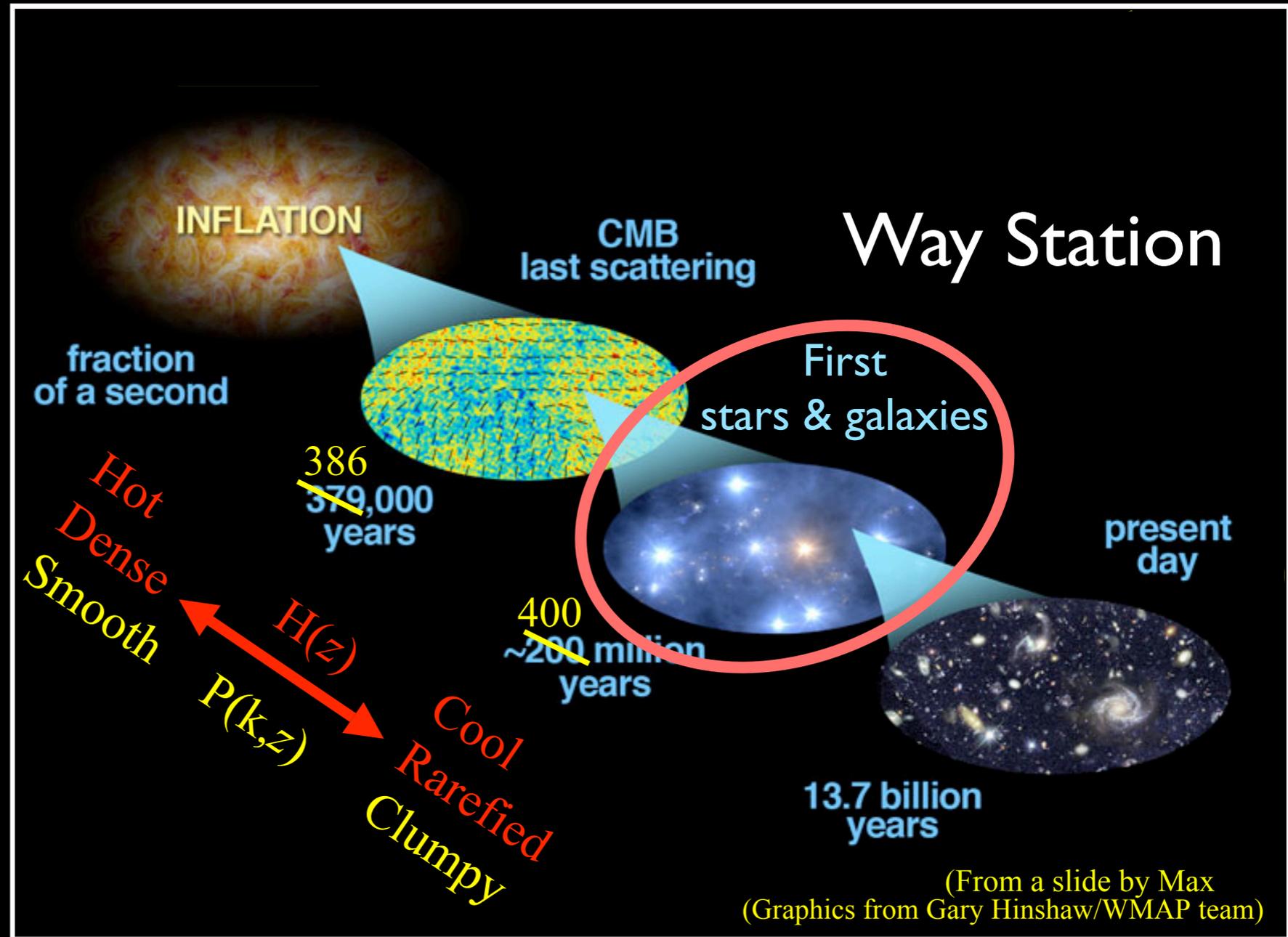
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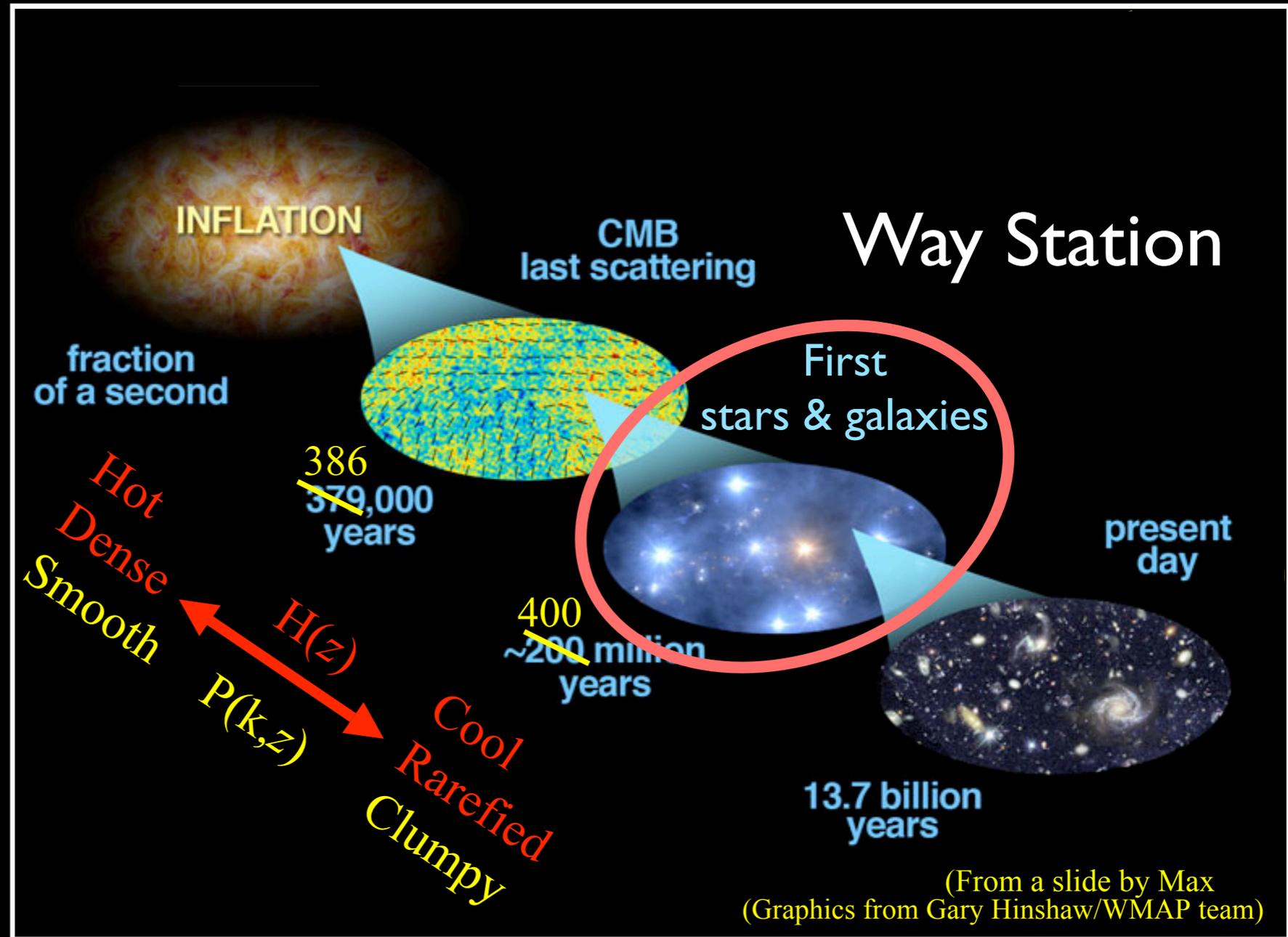
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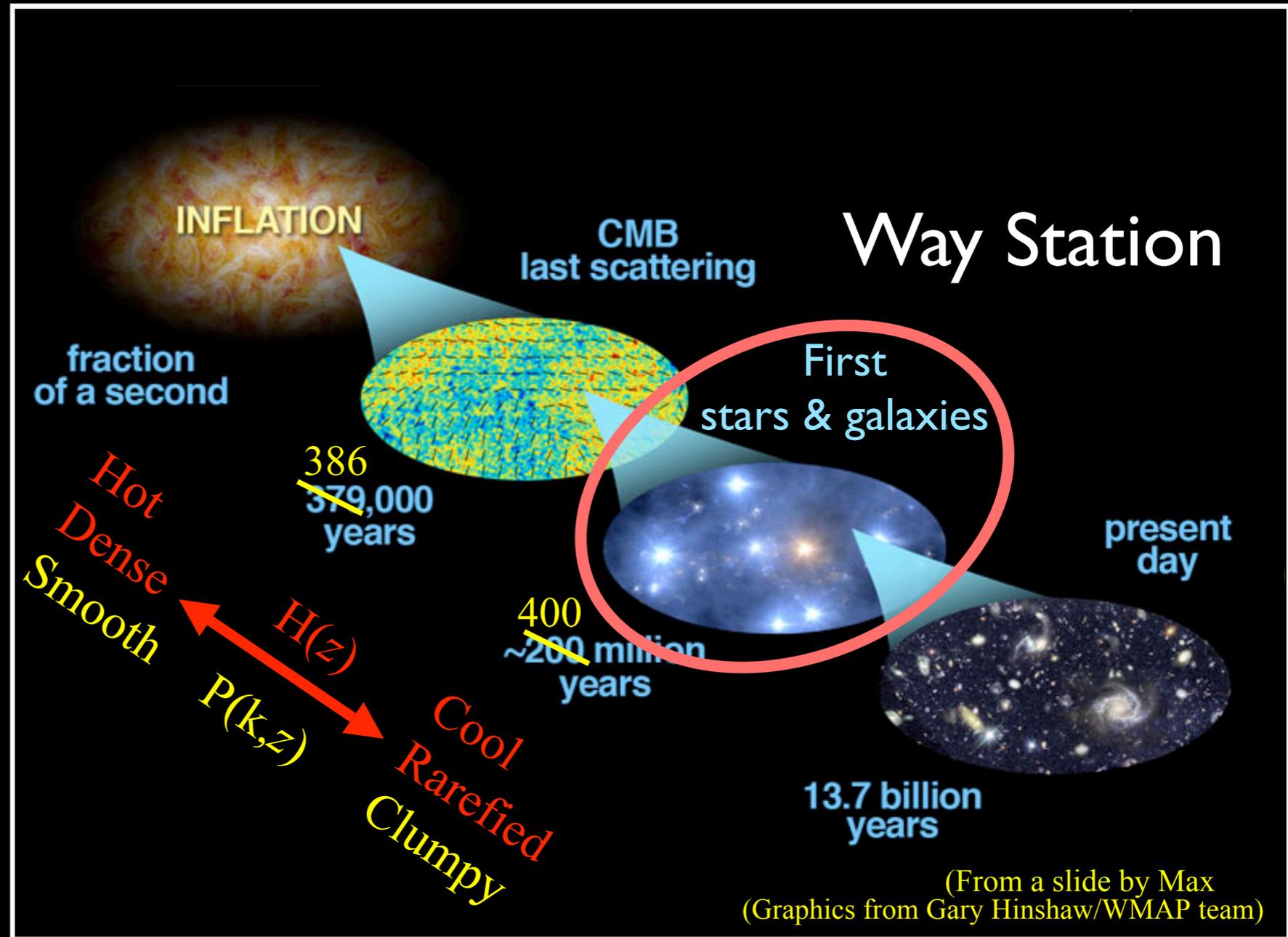
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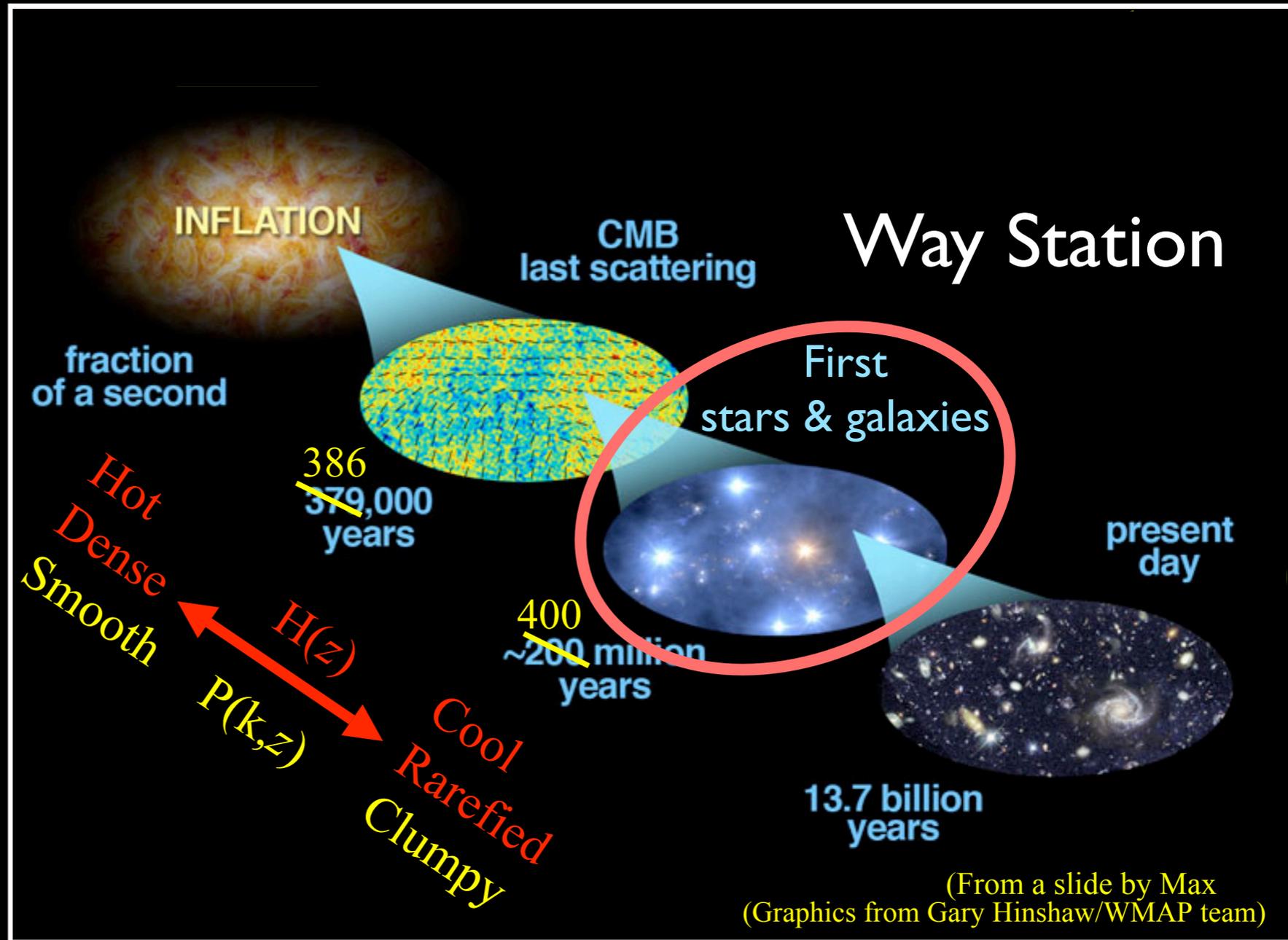
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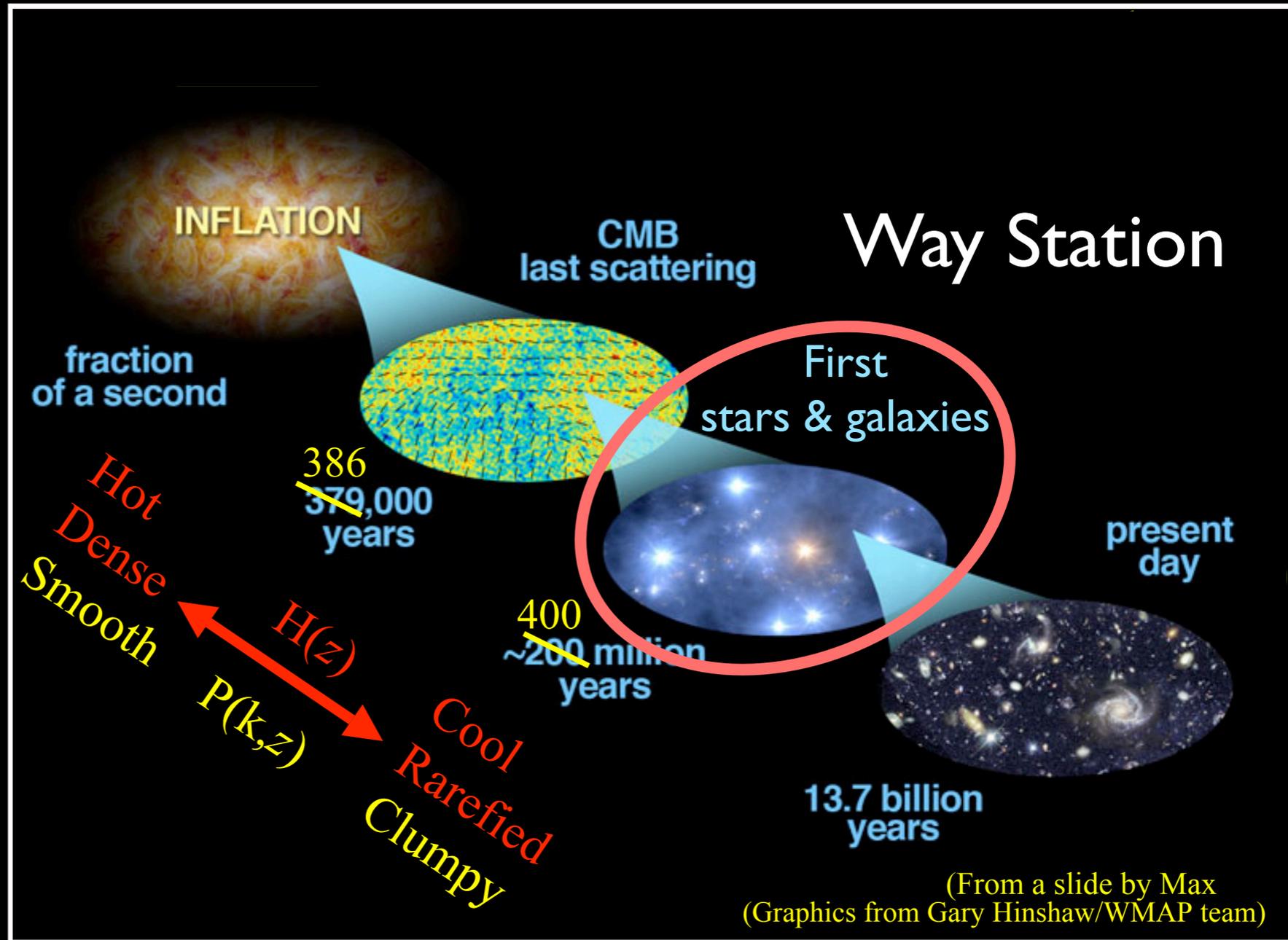
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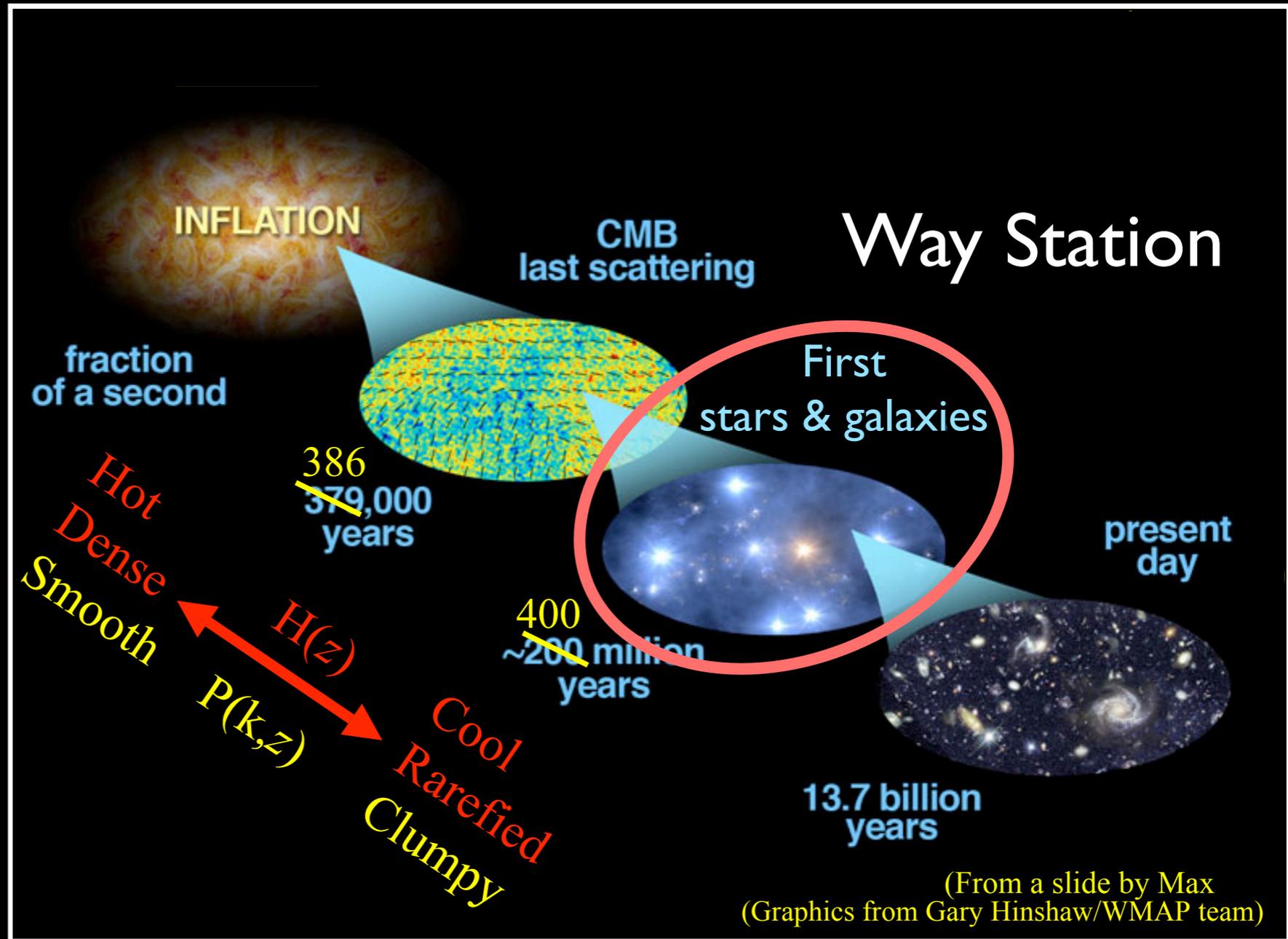
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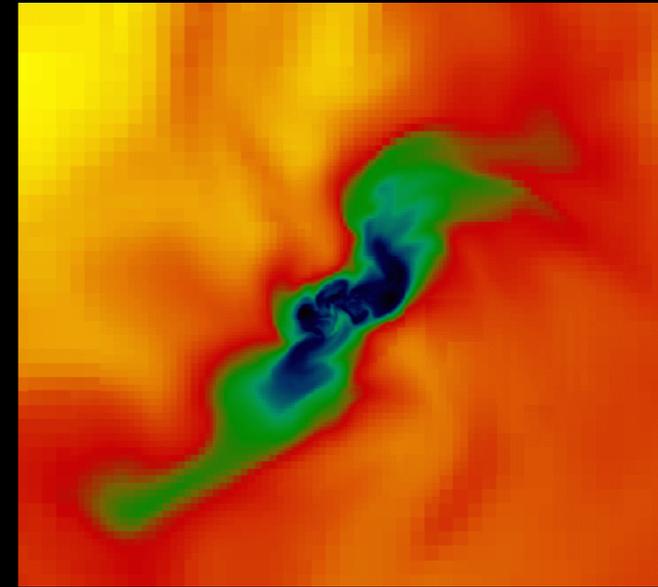
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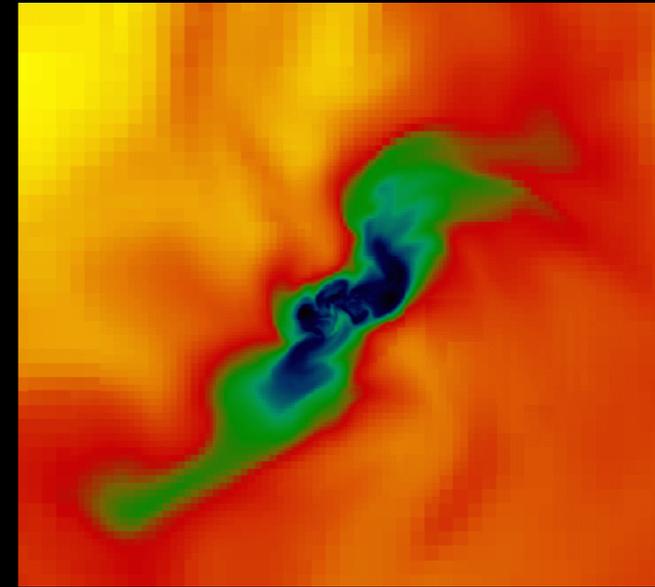


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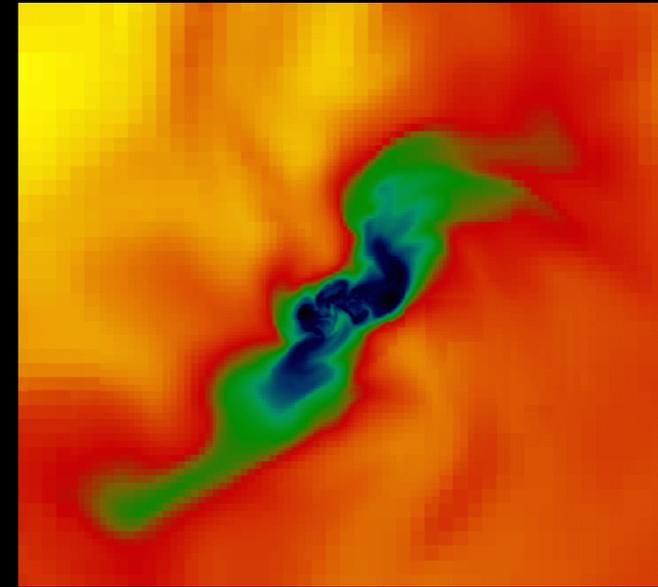
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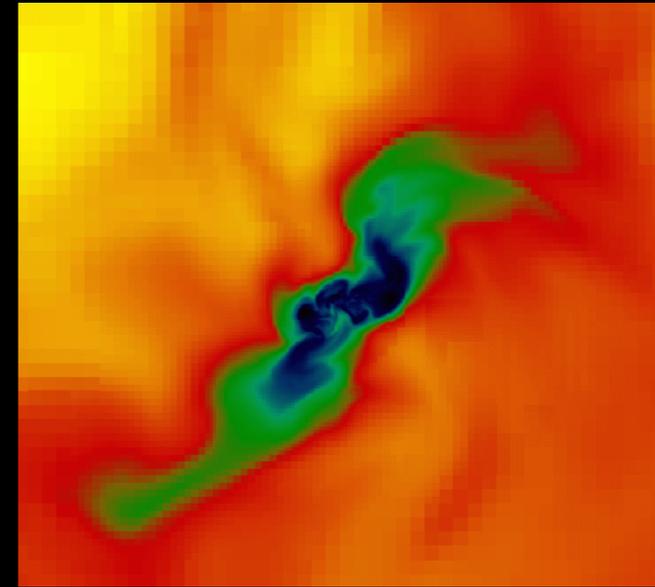
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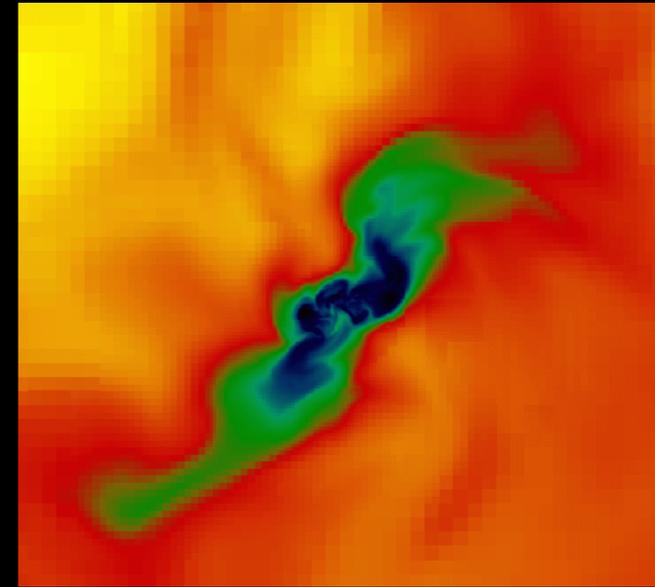
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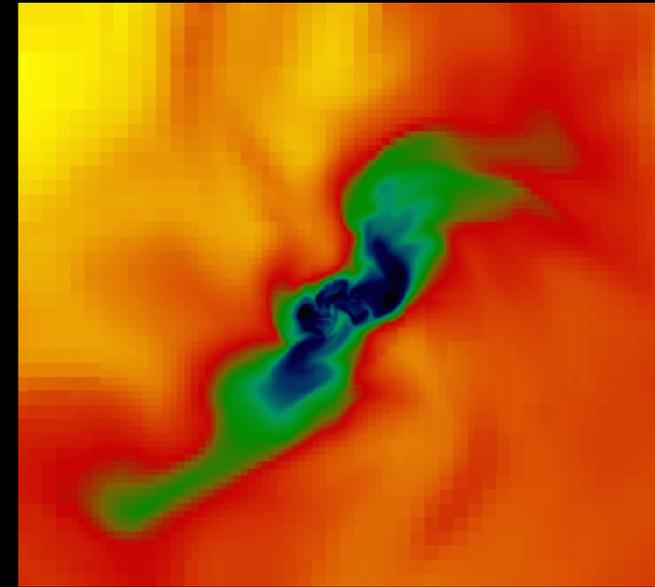
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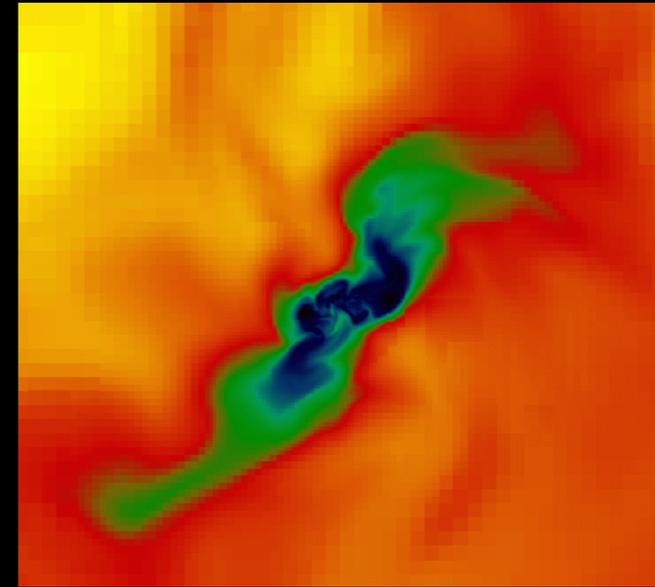
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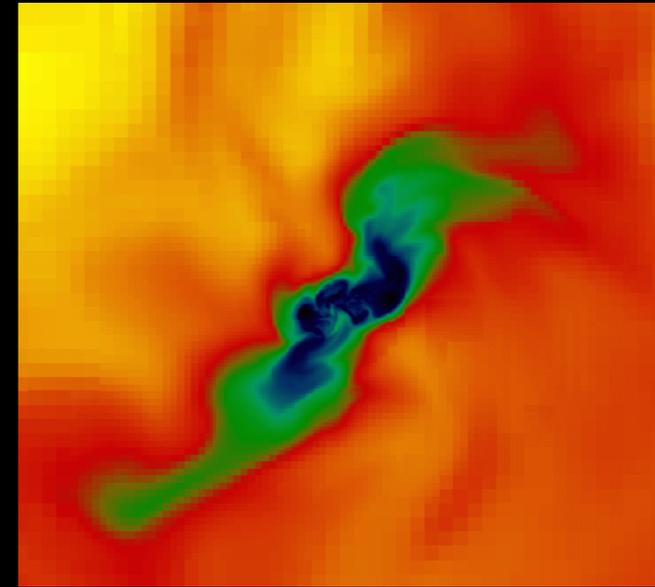
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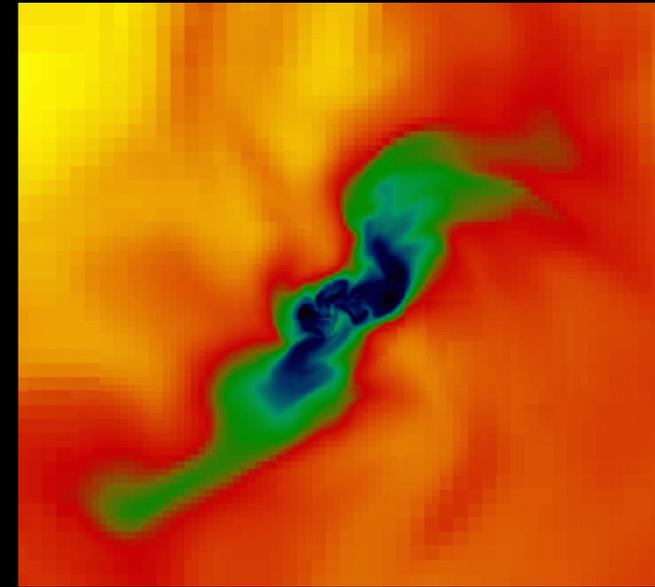
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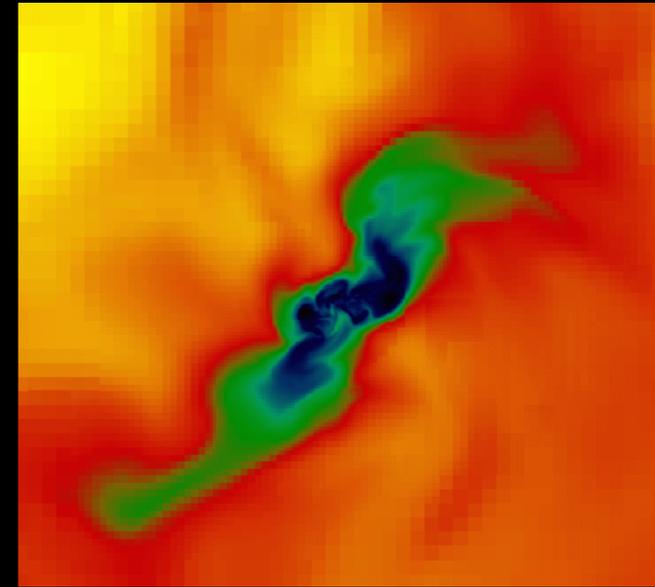
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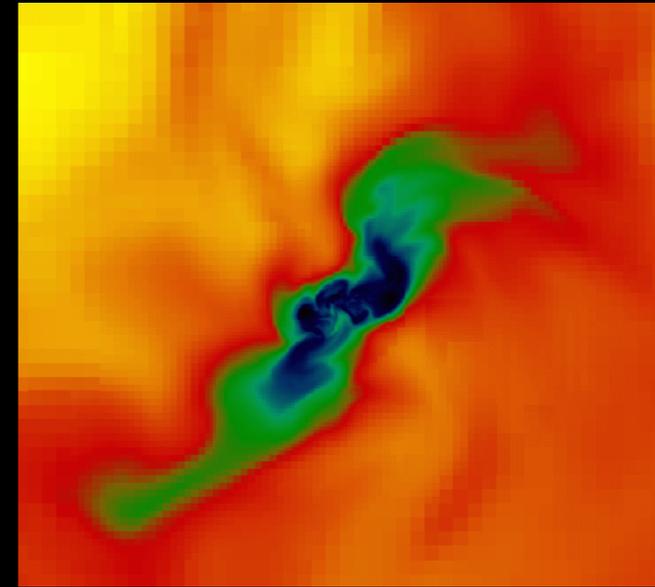
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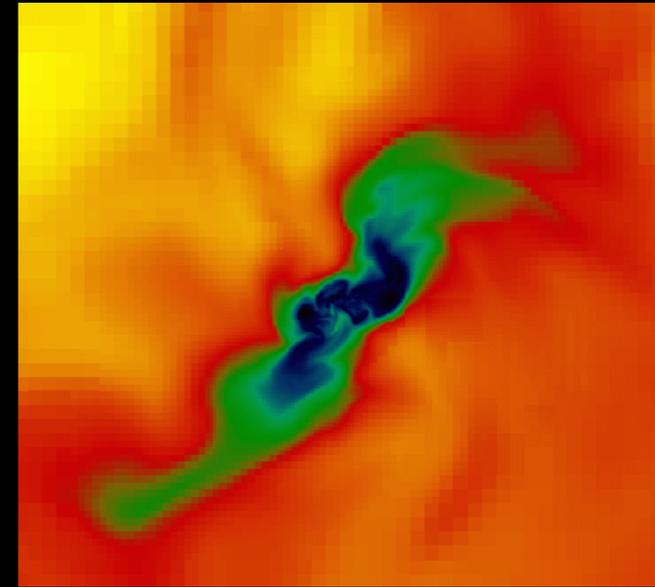
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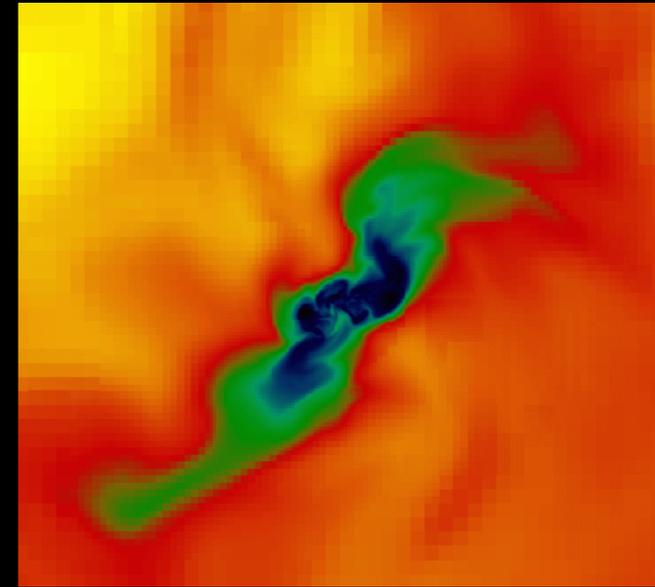
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Could first Stars be larger?
DarkStars

Dark-Star Spotter's Guide to the Universe

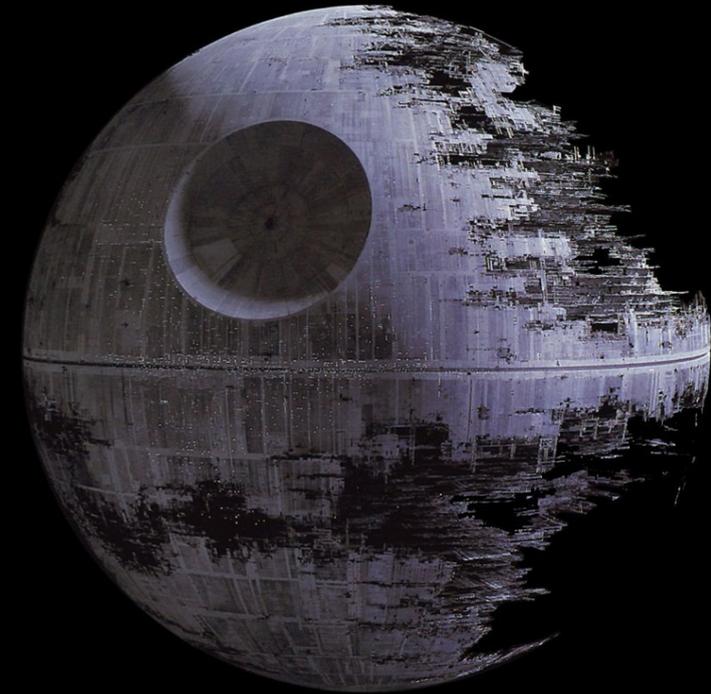
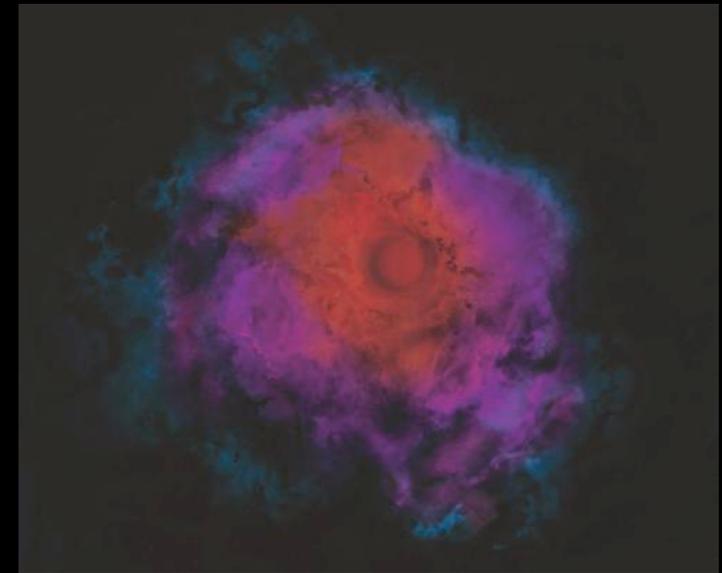
a definition of a 'Dark Star': **any star whose structure or evolution has been effected by DM annihilation**

→ There are Many kinds of dark stars....

- **Main Sequence stars**- fed by scattering (Salati, Spergel, Press, Scott, Fairbairn, Iocco, Freese)
- **White dwarfs**- fed by scattering (Moskalenko, Wai, Fairbairn, etc.)
- Neutron stars in the Milky Way -fed by scattering (Fairbairn, Bertone)-considered any compact star
- The first stars in the early Universe - fed by scatter and by gravitational contraction (Spolyar, Freese, Iocco, Gondolo)

DarkStars in the Early Universe

- First Stars form Deep inside DM halo
 - Very high DM density
 - DM heating can drive the stellar structure
 - Star MUCH cooler than typical first stars
 - ▶ 10,000 K vs. 100,000 K
 - ▶ Hence can accrete More baryons
 - ▶ Live one the order of a million years
 - ▶ Mass can be much larger than first stars
 - 10^3 to $10^5 M_{\odot}$
 - Upon Collapse Form Massive BHs



Direct Collapse (DC) Star

- In Halos with mass of 10^7 to $10^9 M_{\odot}$, gas rapidly cools due to Hydrogen cooling and neutrino cooling. The gas collapses to form a BH with a mass of 10^4 to $10^6 M_{\odot}$
- Haehnelt & Rees 1993; Umemeera, Loeb & Turner; Loeb & Rasio 1994; Eisenstein & Loeb 1995; Bromm & Loeb 2003; Koushiappas, Bullock & Dekel 2004; Begelman, Volonteri & Rees 2006

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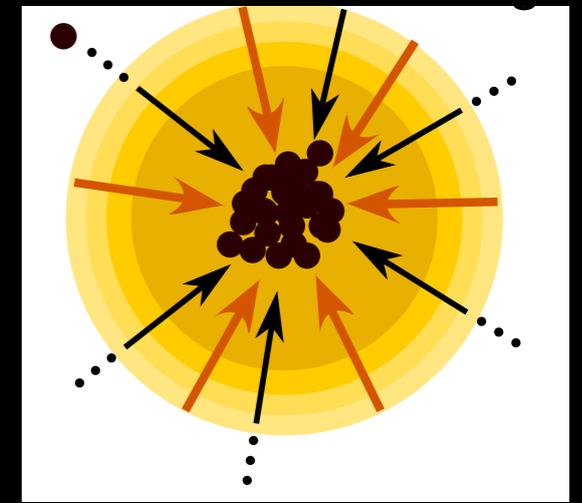


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- Many galaxies (if not all galaxies) have a Super Massive Black Hole at the center of the Galaxy.
- Have observed high redshift quasars $z \gtrsim 6$
 - Presumably powered by accretion onto a massive central Black hole $\simeq 10^9 M_{\odot}$
 - Believed to have grown from a seed BH which came from a DC Star, First Star, or Dark Star.
 - We will focus on BH which form around first star whether powered by DM or fusion. DC scenario will be qualitatively similar

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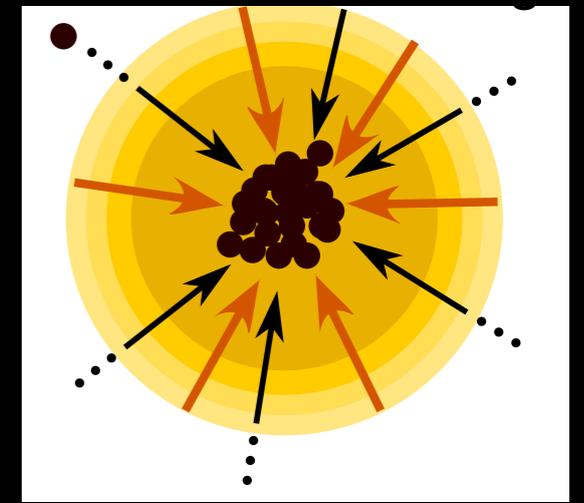
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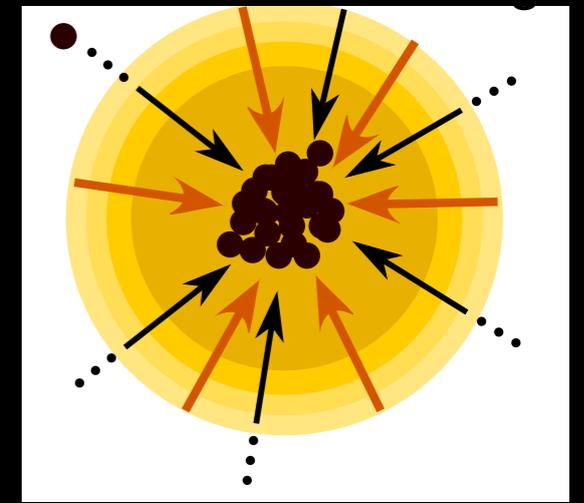
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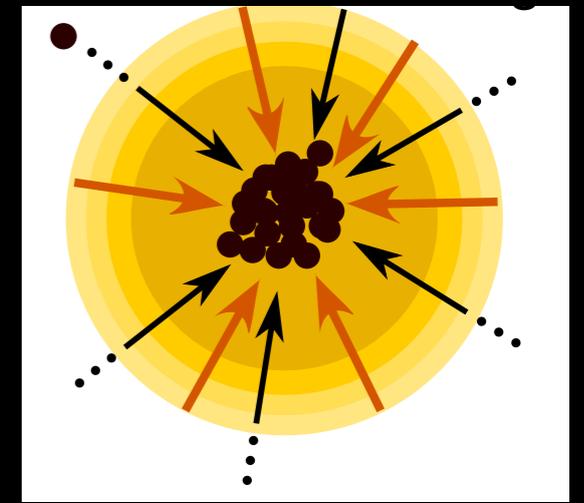
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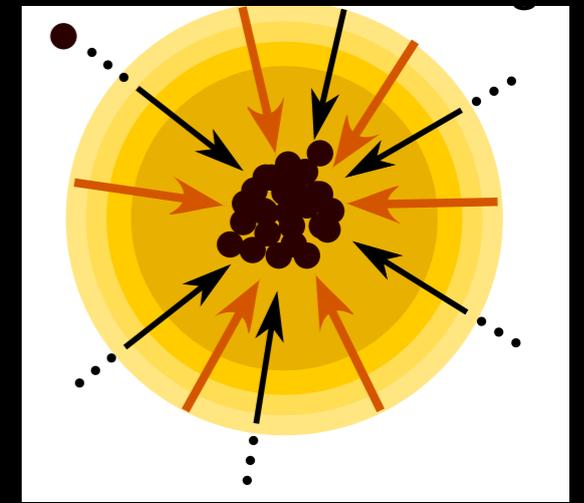
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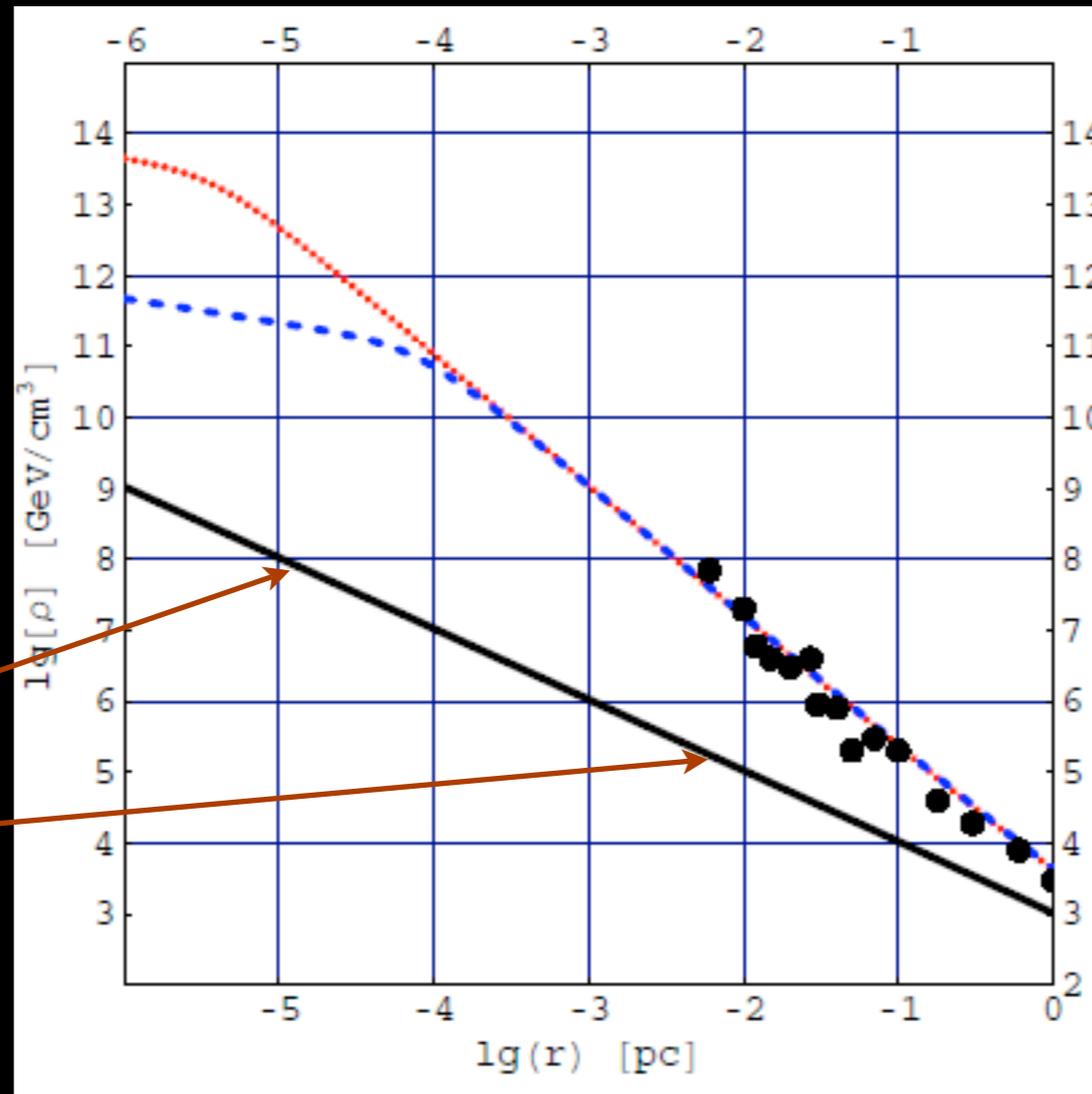
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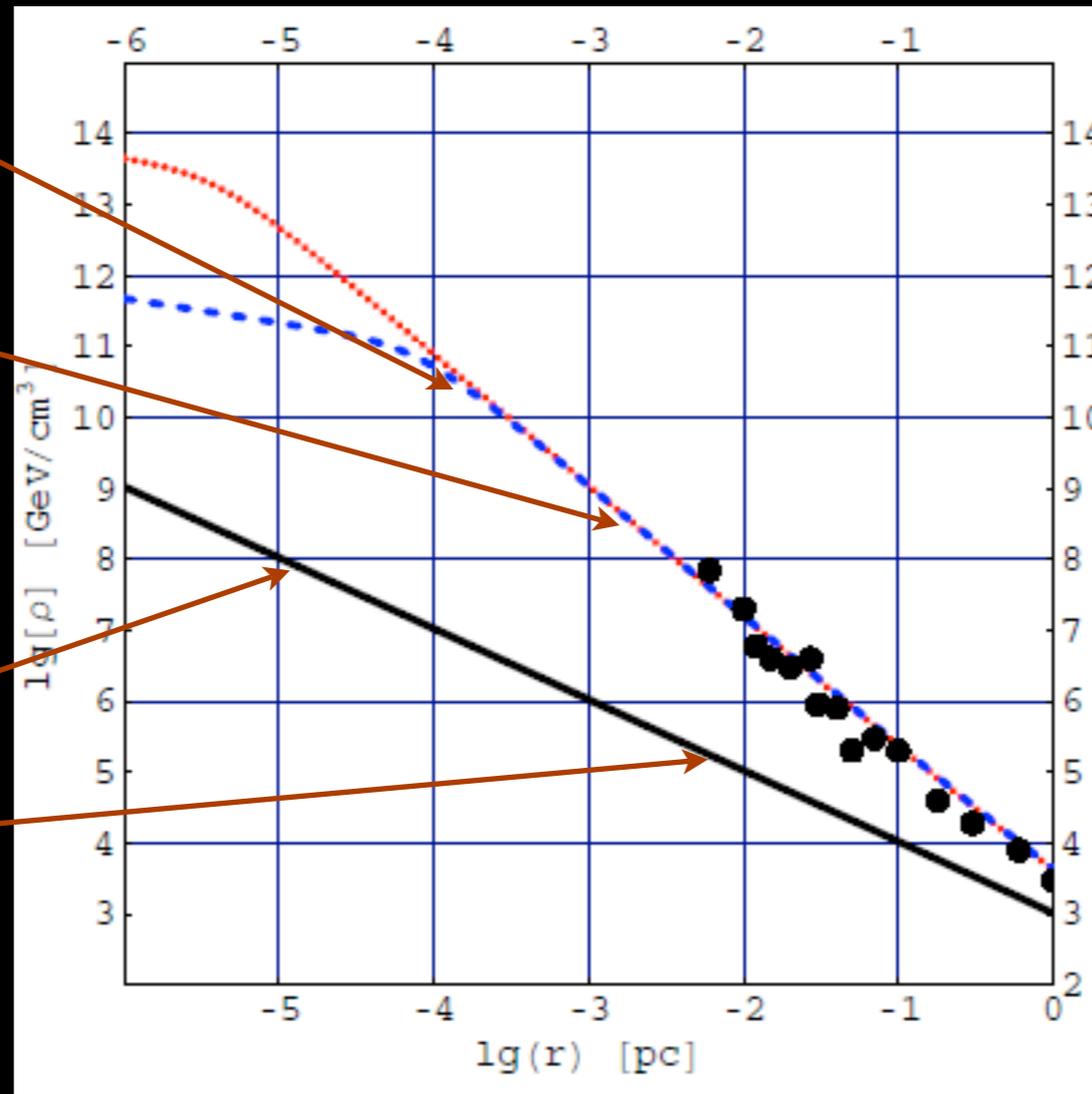


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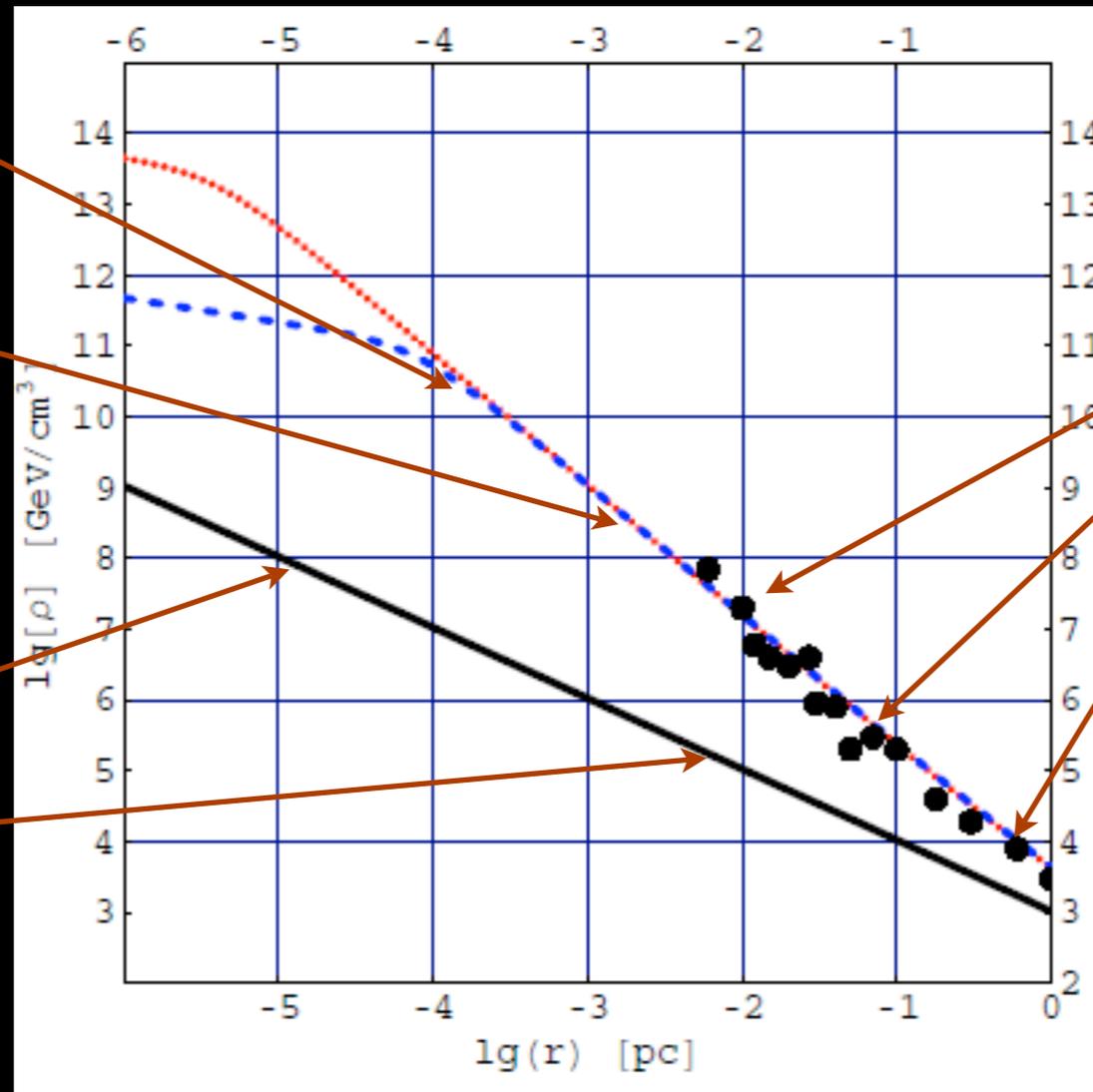
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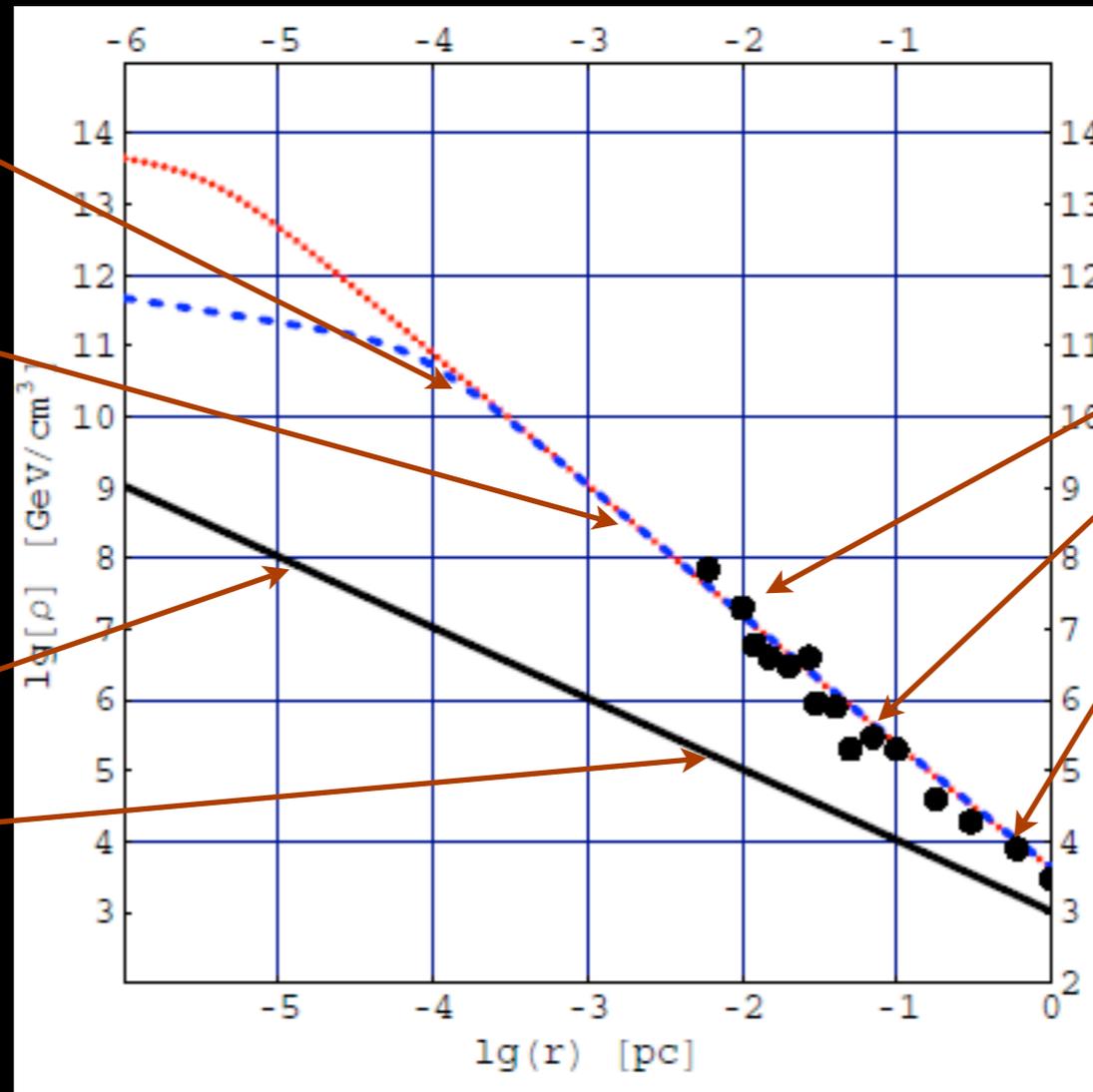


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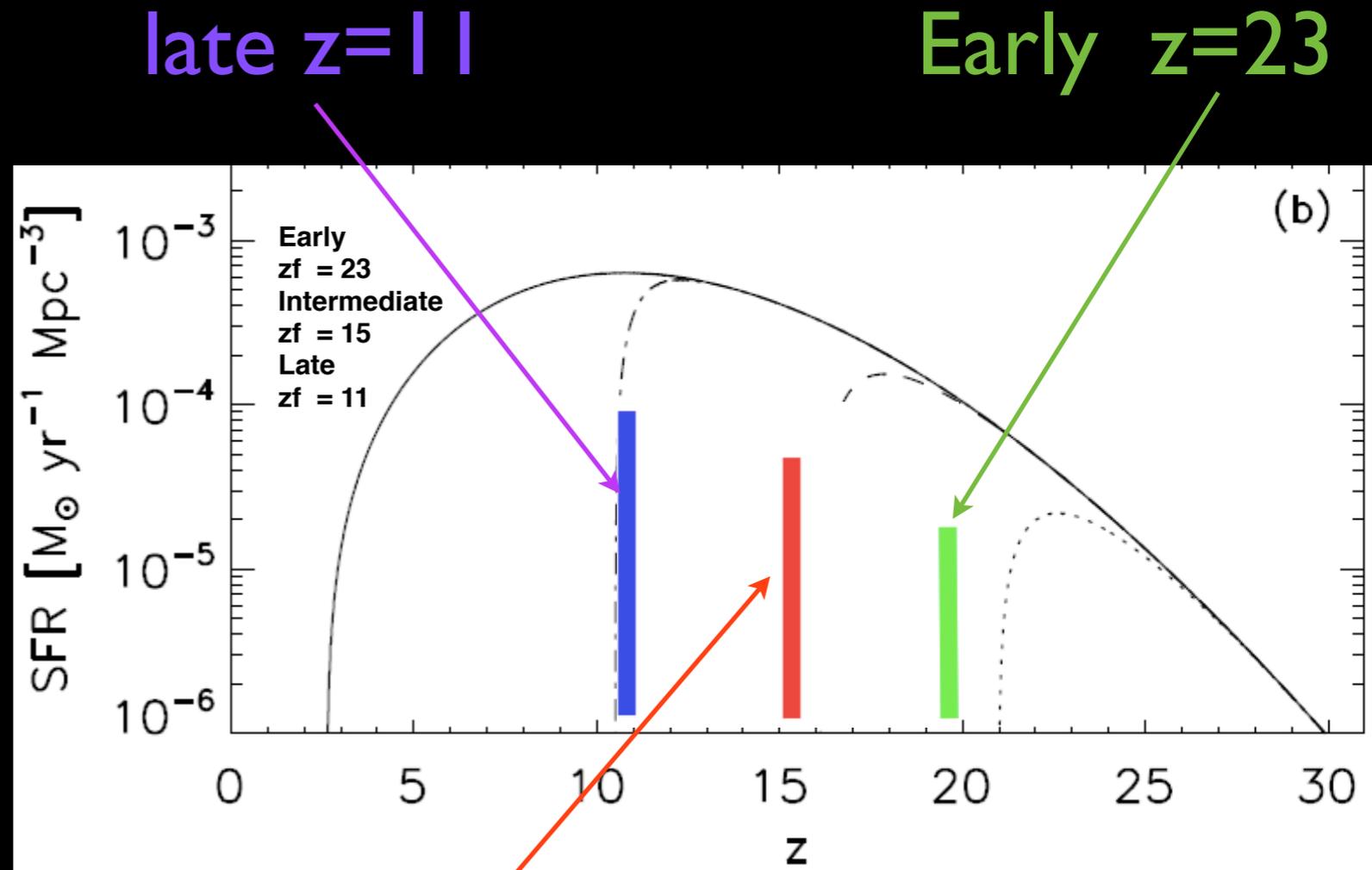
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Parametrize end of Population III.1 star formation à la Greif & Bromm (2006):



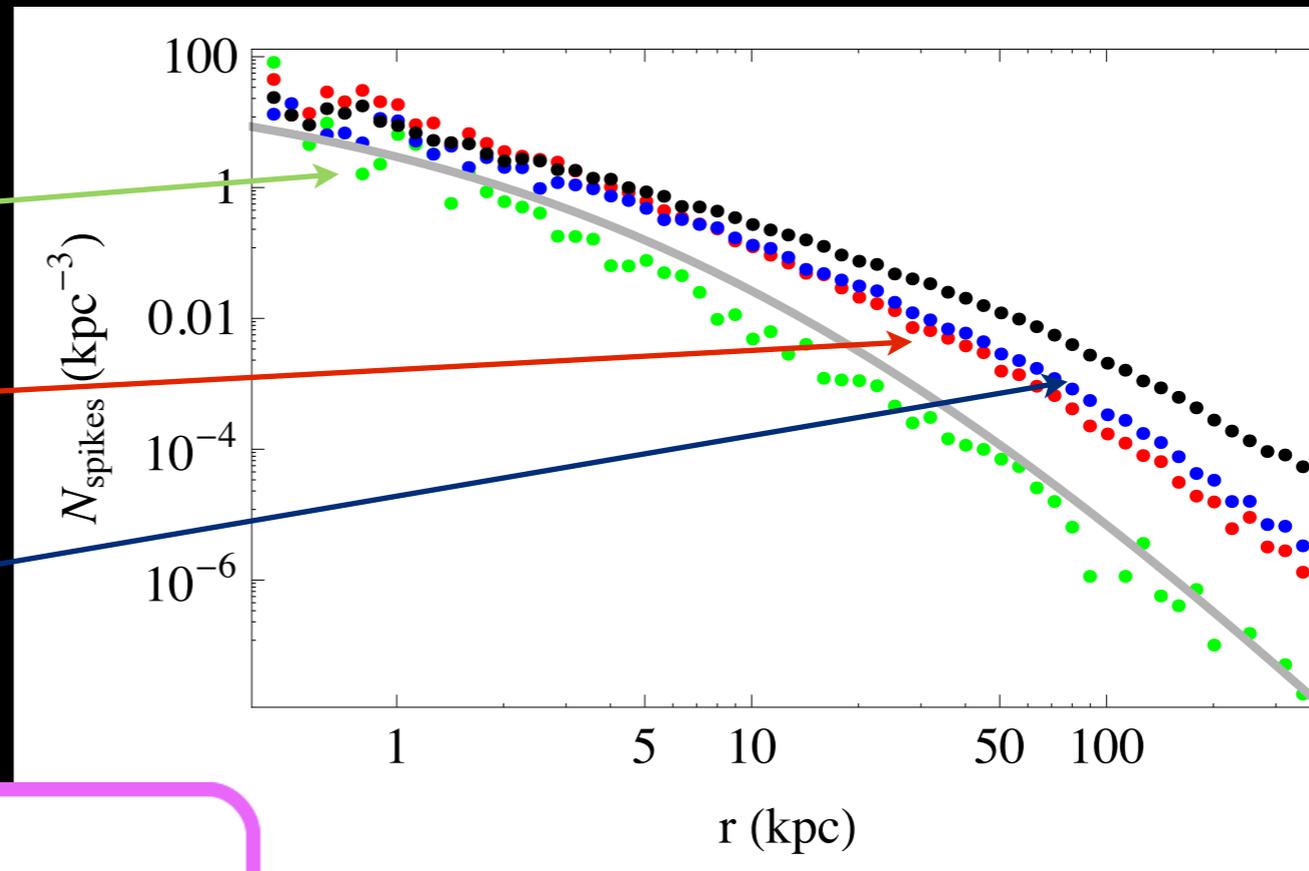
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Via Lactea II gives the distribution of the different host halos in MilkyWay Halo

early

Intermediate

Late



Introduce f_{DS}

$$\text{Actual } N_{\text{sp}} = f_{\text{DS}} \cdot \text{Total Possible } N_{\text{sp}}$$

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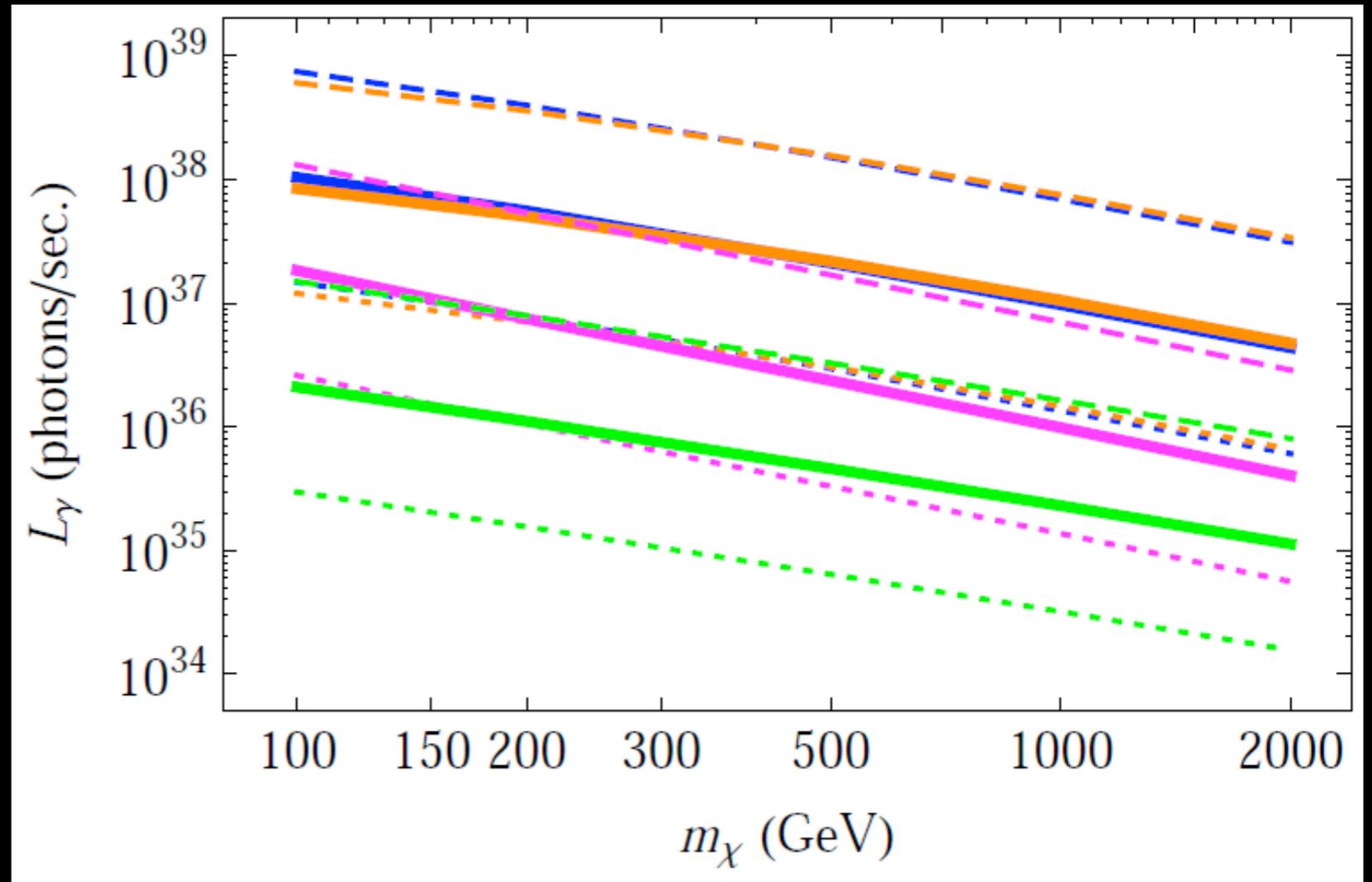
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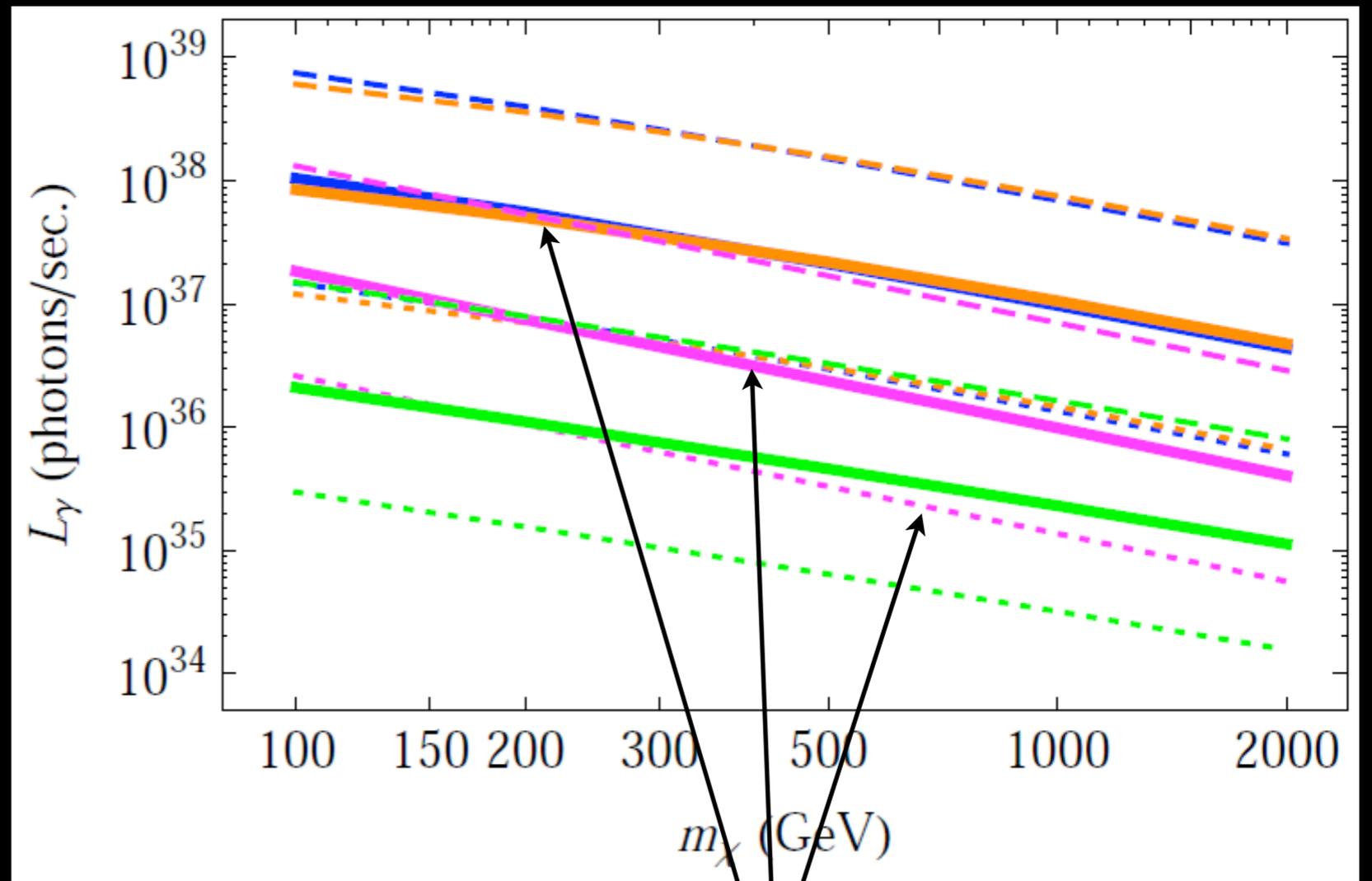
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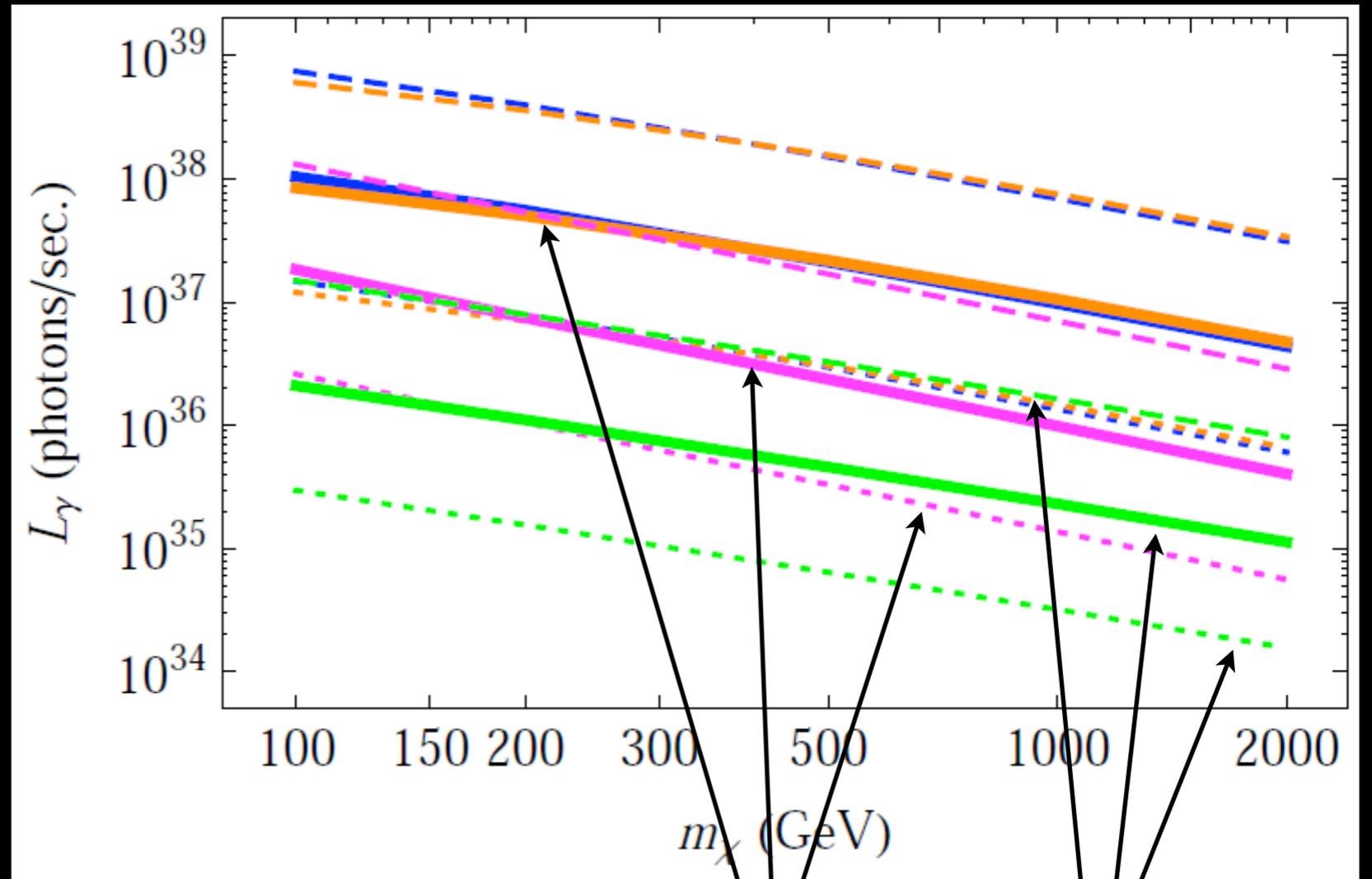
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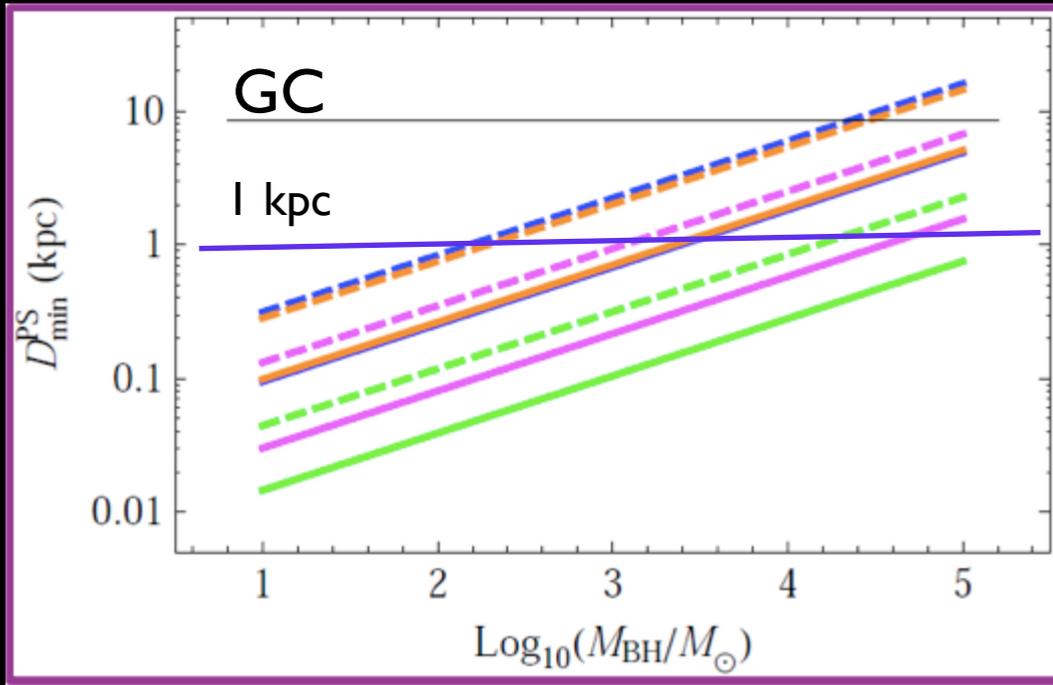
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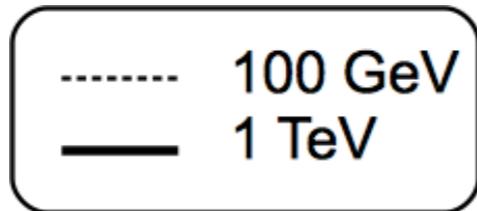
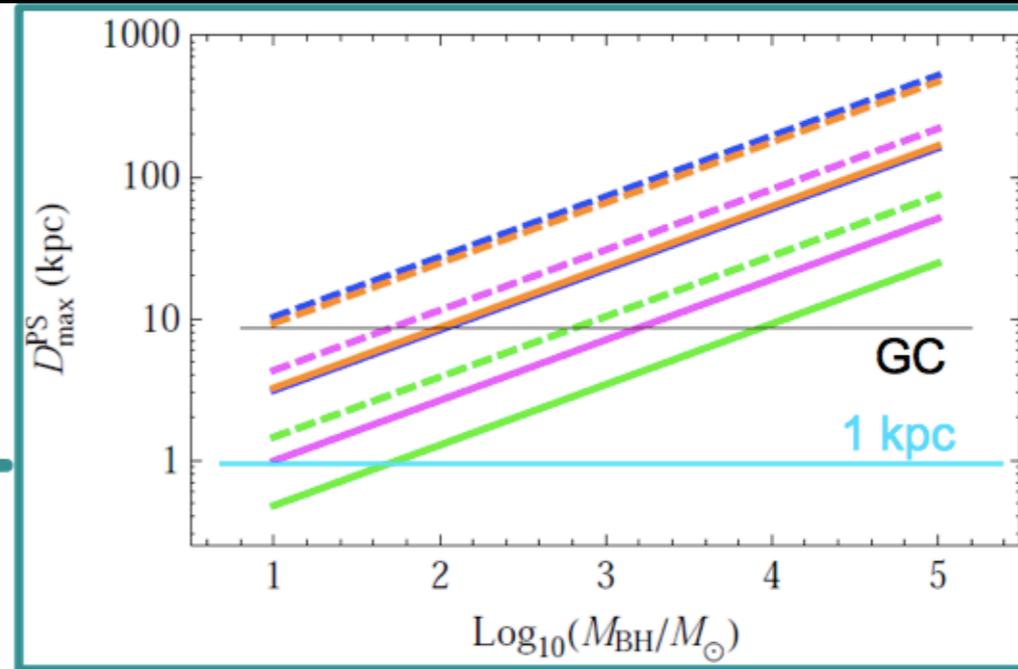
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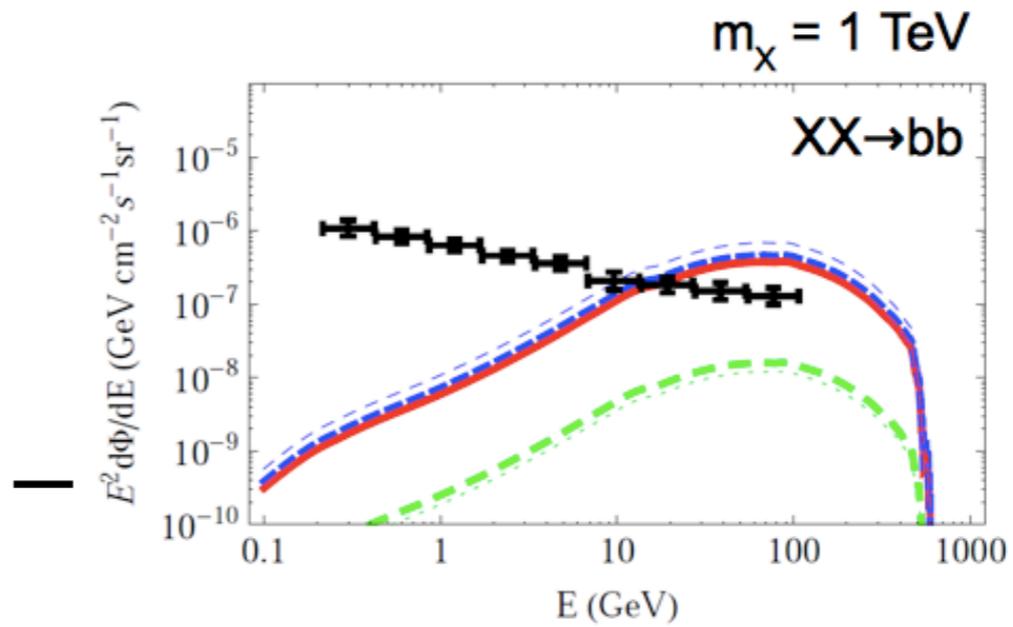
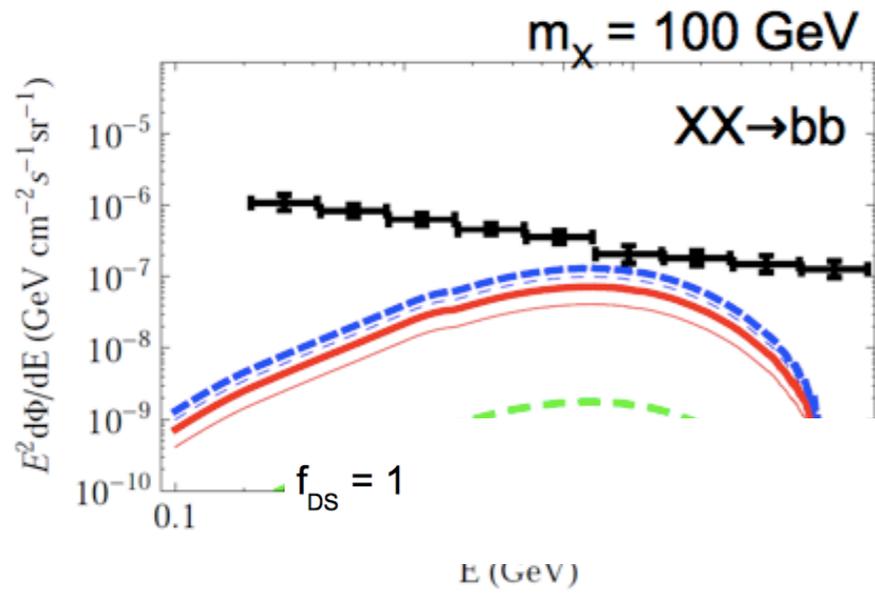


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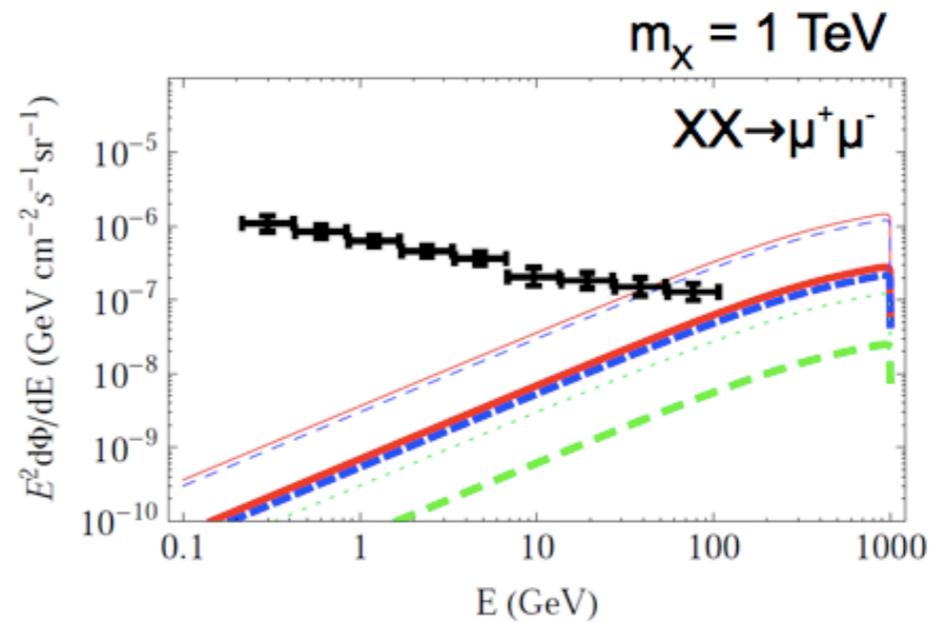
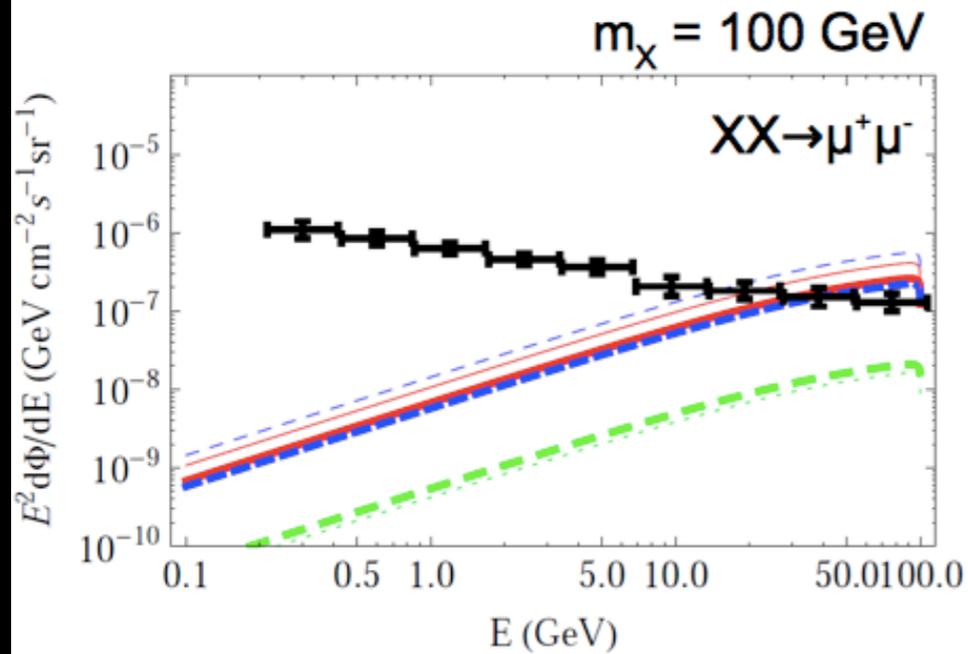
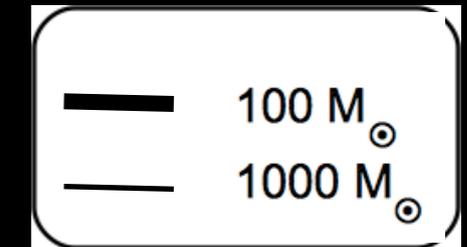
D_{maxPS}: maximal distance at which a PS would be bright enough to have been identified by FGST in the first year of operation



Diffuse Flux



$$f_{\text{ds}} = 1$$



Constraining f_{DS}

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$$\Phi_i(f_{DS}) = f_{DS} \times \Phi_i(f_{DS} = 1)$$

Require that diffuse flux does not exceed the EGB by more than 3σ .

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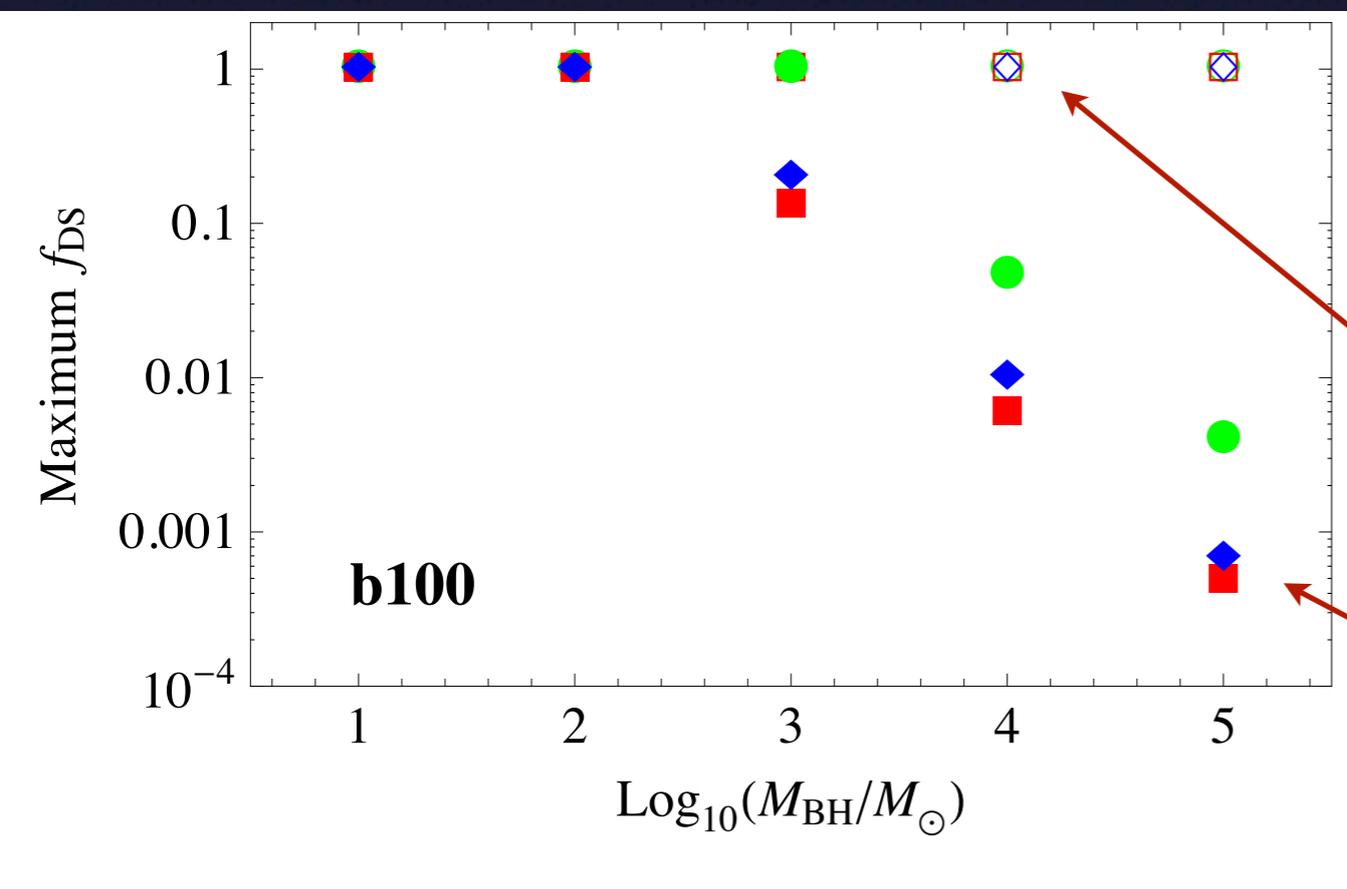
$$N_{sp}(R, f_{DS}) = f_{DS} \times N_{sp}(R, f_{DS} = 1)$$

$$\int_0^{D_{min}^{PS}} ds \int_{allsky} d\Omega N_{sp}(R, f_{DS}) \leq 1$$

Require an expectation of < 1 spike within D_{minPS} of our Solar System.

Fermi Constraints on Fraction of DM spikes

- DM = 100 GeV
- Decays into b-mesons
- different colors correspond to different end of DS formation



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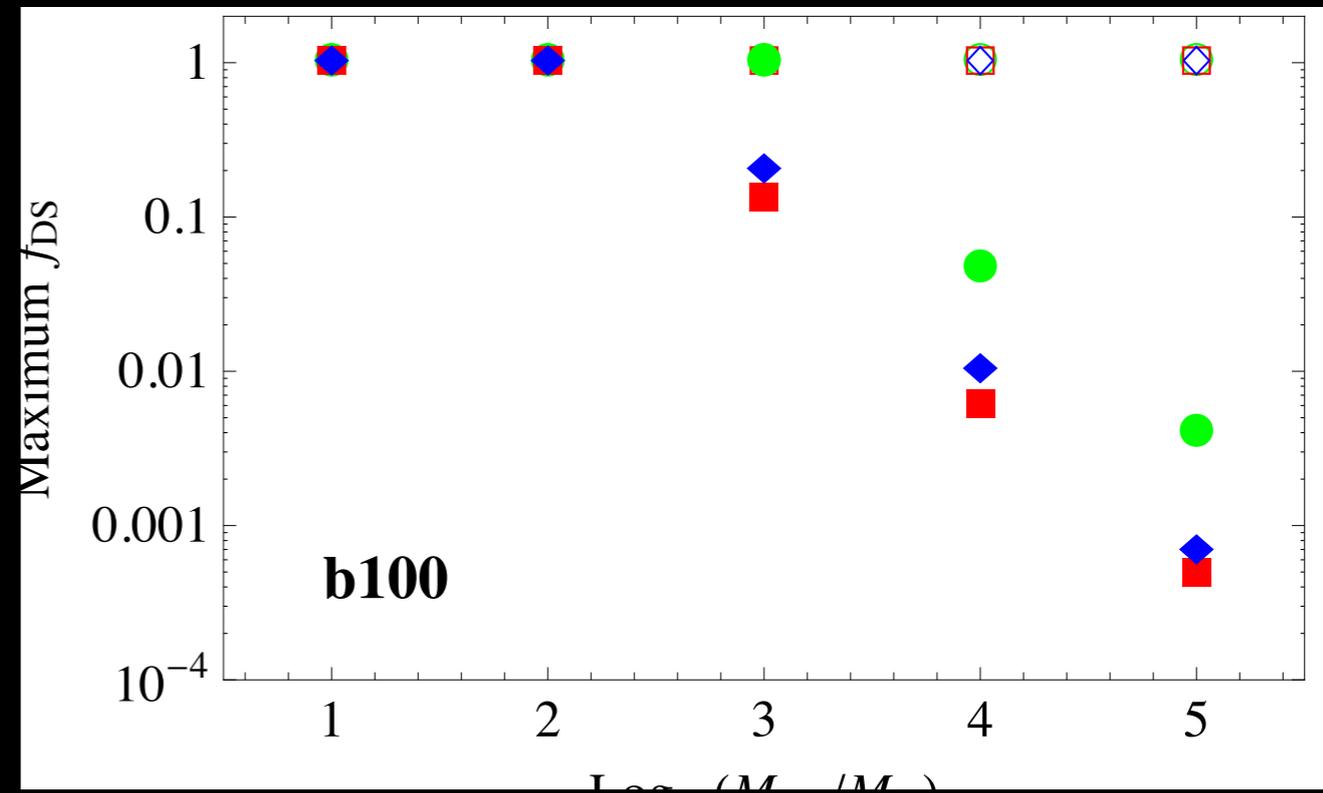
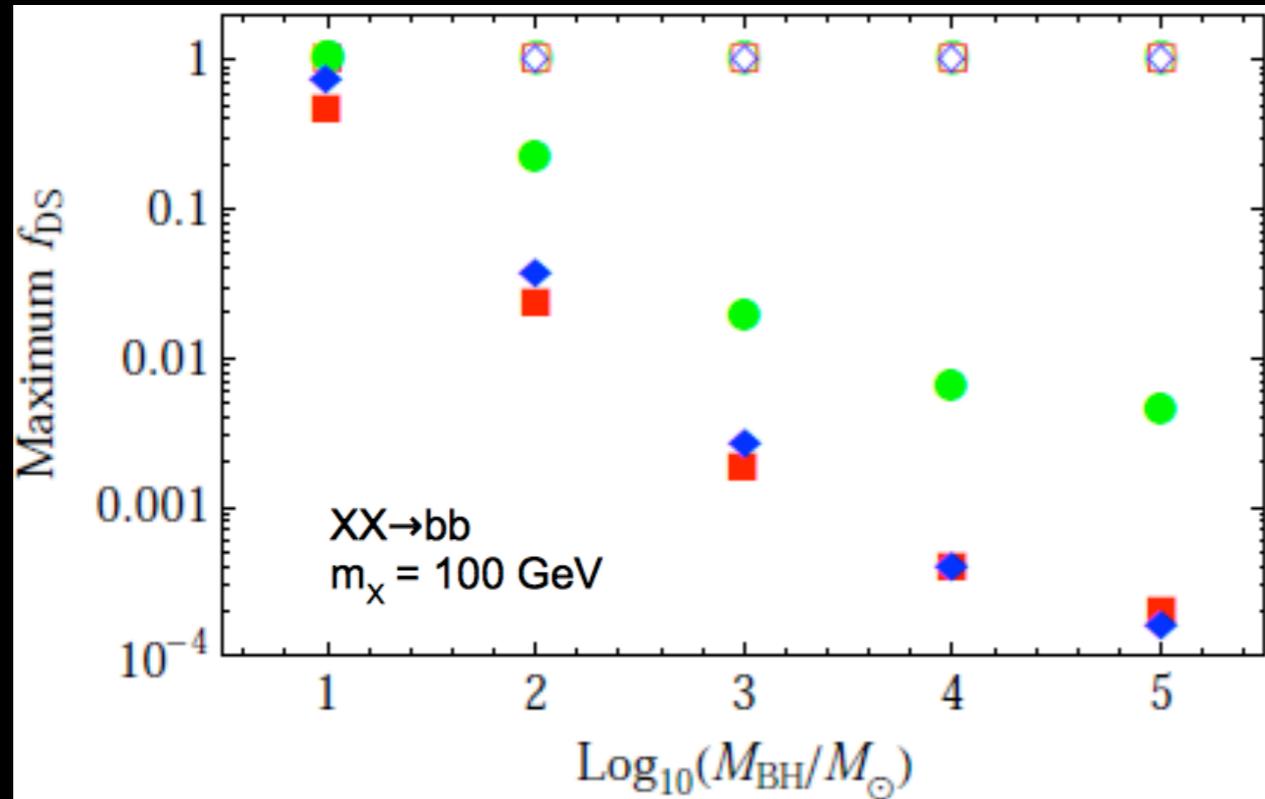
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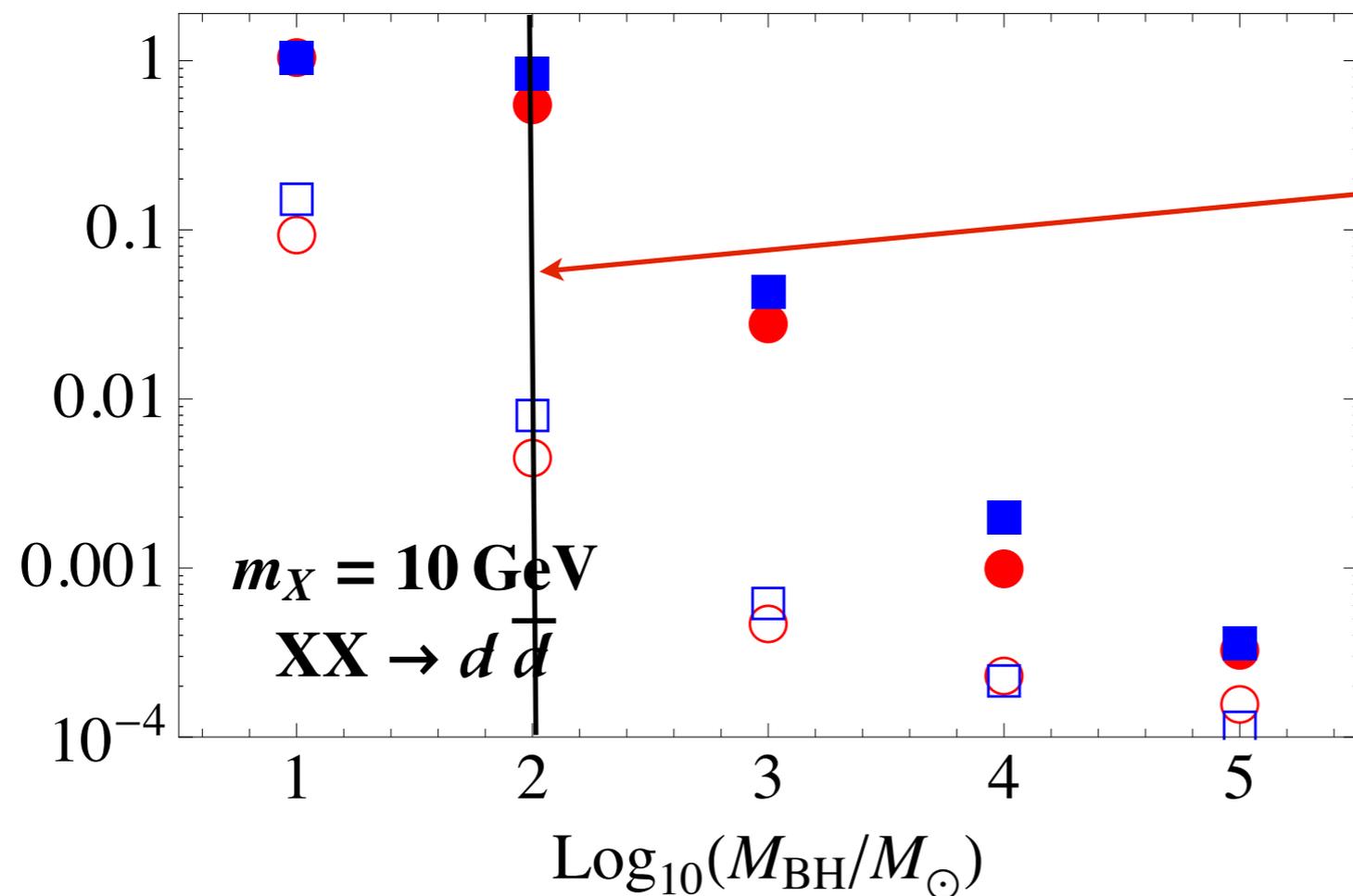


diffuse \rightarrow open

point source \rightarrow filled

Strong Constraints on Low Mass WIMPs

- Motivated by DAMA, Cogent, CREST, Fermi GC excesses, etc.



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Fermi may have already seen some of these things! Buckley & Hooper (2010)

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