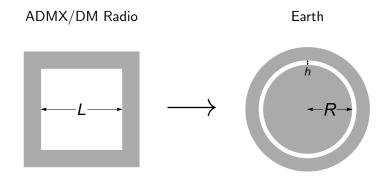
Global magnetic field signal of dark-photon dark matter

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Suppressed by $m_{DM}L$

Suppressed by $m_{DM}R!$

Signal Properties

Observable magnetic field at Earth's surface

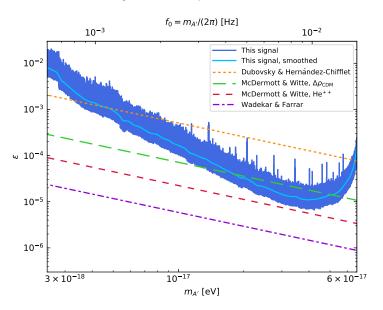
• Suppressed by $m_{DM}R$ not $m_{DM}h$

Spatially coherent across globe with particular spatial pattern

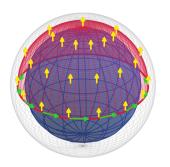
• Sharply peaked in frequency with $Q \sim 10^6$

Robust to details of conductivity profile near Earth

Analysis of SuperMAG Data



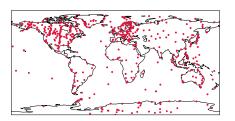
Ampère's Law Argument (for Earth)

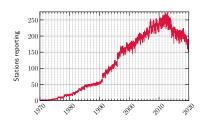


$$BR \sim \oint m{B} \cdot dm{\ell} = \iint m{J}_{eff} \cdot dm{A} \sim arepsilon m_{A'}^2 R^2 A'$$

$$B \sim \varepsilon m_{A'}^2 RA' \sim \varepsilon m_{A'} R \sqrt{\rho_{\rm DM}}$$

SuperMAG





- Collaboration of over 500 ground-based magnetometers
- Data collected over 50 years
- 1-minute time resolution
- Active stations highly variable and stations not uniformly distributed