

# Density Profiles of DM Haloes

## ① Isothermal sphere (Singular)

$$\rho(r) = \frac{\sigma^2}{2\pi G r^2}, \quad M(r) = \frac{2\sigma^2 r}{G}, \quad \phi(r) = 2\sigma^2 \ln(r) + \text{const.}$$

This is an isotropic model w/ a dist. function

$$f(E) = \frac{\rho_0}{(2\pi\sigma^2)^{3/2}} e^{-E/\sigma^2}, \quad E = \frac{1}{2}v^2 + \phi(r)$$

$$\Rightarrow \rho(\phi) = \int_0^{v_{\text{esc}}} 4\pi v^2 f(E) dv = 4\pi \int_{\phi}^0 f(E) \sqrt{2E - 2\phi} dE = \rho_0 \exp\left(-\frac{\phi}{\sigma^2}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \phi = -\sigma^2 \ln(\rho/\rho_0) \Rightarrow d\phi = -\sigma^2 d \ln \rho$$

plug this to Poisson Eq. and solve for  $\rho$  ( $\nabla^2 \phi = 4\pi G \rho$ )

$$\frac{1}{r^2} \frac{d}{dr} \left( r^2 \frac{d\phi}{dr} \right) = 4\pi G \rho,$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dr} \left( r^2 \frac{d \ln \rho}{dr} \right) = -\frac{4\pi G}{\sigma^2} \rho \cdot r^2 \Rightarrow \rho(r) = \frac{\sigma^2}{2\pi G r^2}$$

why this density profile is called isothermal?

consider isothermal gas in hydrostatic equilibrium:

$$\frac{d\rho}{dr} = \frac{kT}{m} \cdot \frac{d\rho}{dr} = -\rho \frac{d\phi}{dr} = -\rho \frac{GM(r)}{r^2}$$

multiply  $\frac{mr^2}{\rho kT}$  on both sides & diff. by  $r$

$$\frac{d}{dr} \left( r^2 \frac{d \ln \rho}{dr} \right) = -\frac{4\pi G m}{kT} r^2 \rho, \quad \text{where we used } \frac{dM}{dr} = 4\pi \rho r^2$$

define  $\sigma^2 = kT/m$  we have the same equation as the Poisson Eq.

thus, self-gravitating isothermal gas will have a density profile ( $\propto r^{-2}$ ) same as self-gravitating collisionless particles that have a D.F.  $f(E)$  above.

An important property of SIS is its flat rotation curve:

$$v_{\text{circ}} = \sqrt{\frac{GM(r)}{r}} = \sqrt{2} \sigma = \text{const.}$$

② Navarro-Frenk-White (NFW 1996)

based on analysis of density profiles formal in DM-only simulations

$$\rho(r) = \frac{4\rho_s}{(r/r_s)(1+r/r_s)^2} \quad , \quad r_s: \text{scale radius}, \rho_s = \rho(r_s)$$

$$\Rightarrow M(r) = \int_0^r 4\pi r'^2 \rho(r') dr' = 16\pi \rho_s r_s^3 \left[ \ln\left(1 + \frac{r}{r_s}\right) - \frac{r/r_s}{1+r/r_s} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \rho_s = \frac{M_\Delta}{16\pi r_s^3 \left[ \ln(1+c_\Delta) - c_\Delta/(1+c_\Delta) \right]} \quad , \quad c_\Delta = \frac{r_\Delta}{r_s} \text{ concentration}$$

$$\Phi(r) = -16\pi G \rho_s r_s^2 \frac{\ln(1+r/r_s)}{r/r_s}$$

if we define SIS density profile as:

$$\rho(r) = \rho_s \cdot (r/r_s)^{-2} \quad \text{then} \quad \sigma^2 = 2\pi G \rho_s r_s^2$$

$$\Phi(r) = 4\pi G \rho_s r_s^2 \ln(r/r_s)$$

How to calculate NFW profile for a halo with  $M_\Delta$  at  $z$ ?

$$\textcircled{1} \quad c_\Delta = c_0(z) \left( \frac{M_\Delta}{10^{12} h^+ M_\odot} \right)^{-0.075} \left[ 1 + \left( \frac{M_{\text{vir}}}{M_0(z)} \right)^{0.26} \right]$$

where  $c_0(z)$  &  $M_0(z)$  is in a look-up table in Klypin+(2011)

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \text{solve for } r_\Delta : M_\Delta = \frac{4\pi}{3} \Delta_c \rho_c(z) \cdot r_\Delta^3$$

$$\text{where } \Delta_c(z) = 18\pi^2 + 82y - 39y^2, \quad y \equiv \Omega_m(z) - 1, \quad \Omega_m(z) = \frac{\Omega_{m,0}(1+z)^3}{\Omega_{m,0}(1+z)^3 + \Omega_b}$$

$$\approx 178 \text{ at } z > 4, \quad \approx 100 \text{ at } z \sim 0$$

for simplicity,  $\Delta_c = 200$ .

$$\rho_c(z) = \frac{3H_0^2(z)}{8\pi G} = 277 M_\odot \text{ kpc}^{-3} h^2 \left[ \Omega_{m,0}(1+z)^3 + \Omega_b \right]$$

$$\textcircled{3} \quad r_s = r_\Delta / c_\Delta, \quad \textcircled{4} \quad \rho_s(M_\Delta, r_s, c_\Delta) \Rightarrow \rho_{\text{NFW}}(r; \rho_s, r_s)$$

NFW rotation velocity curve

$$\left[ \frac{V_c(r)}{V_\Delta} \right]^2 = \frac{1}{x} \frac{\ln(1+cx) - cx/(1+cx)}{\ln(1+c) - c/(1+c)}, \quad x \equiv r/r_\Delta \quad (\text{Navarro 98})$$

where  $V_\Delta = \sqrt{\frac{GM_\Delta}{r_\Delta}}$  virial velocity:  
the circular velocity at virial radius

$$= 207.4 \text{ km/s} \left[ \frac{M_\Delta}{10^{12} M_\odot} \cdot \frac{100 \text{ kpc}}{R_\Delta} \right]^{1/2}$$

$$T_\Delta = \frac{1}{2} \mu m_p V_\Delta^2 / k \rightarrow \text{virial temperature}$$

$$= 3.6 \times 10^5 \text{ K} \left( \frac{V_\Delta}{100 \text{ km/s}} \right)^2 \quad \text{for } \mu = 0.59 \text{ (ionized H \& He)}$$

$$M_\Delta = 2.3 \times 10^5 (V_\Delta / \text{km/s})^3 h^{-1} M_\odot$$

$$M_\Delta \propto V_\Delta^3 \text{ because } V_\Delta \propto \sqrt{M_\Delta / r_\Delta}, \quad r_\Delta \propto M_\Delta^{1/3} \Rightarrow V_\Delta \propto M_\Delta^{1/3}$$

Maximum velocity

$$r_c^{\text{max}} = 2.16 r_s = 2.16 r_\Delta / c_\Delta$$

$$V_c^{\text{max}} = 1.64 r_s \cdot \sqrt{G \rho_s}$$

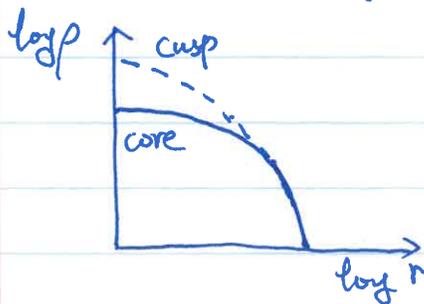
Logarithmic density slope (core vs. cusp)

$$\gamma(r) = \frac{d \ln \rho}{d \ln r} = \frac{r}{\rho} \frac{d\rho}{dr}, \quad \text{dimensionless}$$

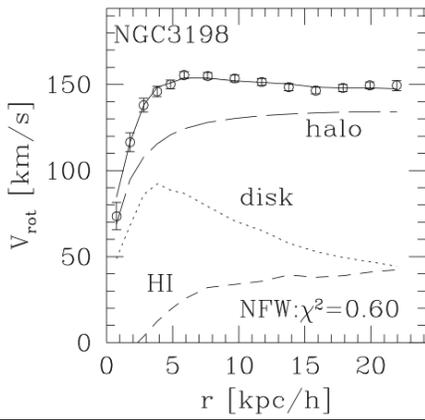
$$= -\frac{1+3r/r_s}{1+r/r_s} = \begin{cases} -1 & \text{at } r \rightarrow 0 \\ -2 & \text{at } r_s \\ -3 & \text{at } r \rightarrow \infty \end{cases}$$

density cusps:  $\gamma(r \rightarrow 0) < 0$  (or  $-0.5$ ) e.g. NFW & SIS.

cores:  $\gamma(r \rightarrow 0) \geq 0$  (or  $> -0.5$ )

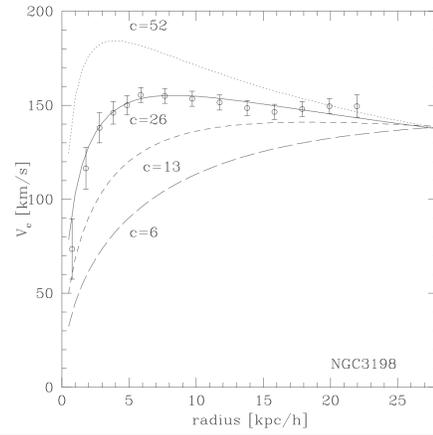


### Fitting the Observed Rotation Curve of NGC 3198 w/ an NFW halo



Navarro 1998

### NFW rotation curve's dependency on the concentration parameter



Navarro 1998