COSMIC RAY INDUCED GALACTIC WINDS

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OVERVIEW



- What are Galactic winds?
- The role of CRs
- Hydrodynamics of galactic winds
- CR transport in a CR-driven wind
- Diffusive halo
- CR spectrum
- Role of the Galactic environment



WHAT ARE GALACTIC WINDS?



- Outflows from Galaxies
- (non)-stationary
- Flow subsonic near the gal. Disk
- Flow accelerated to supersonic speed by thermal, radiation, CR pressure gradients...

WINDS IN GALAXIES



- AGN, Starburst Galaxies, ...
- Mass loss $\dot{M} \simeq M_s / yr$
- Flow speed $u \simeq 100 \, km/s$
- Driven by P_{TH} , P_{RAD} , P_{CR} , ...
- Galactic evolution
- Star formation rate
- Chemistry of ISM and IGM
- Missing barions

WINDS IN THE MILKY WAY

(Miller and Bregman (2015))

OBSERVED GALACTIC HALO

EVIDENCE OF WINDS?

- X-ray em./abs.
- Oxygen lines
- Large (~ 100 kpc)
- Hot (~ millions K)
- Metallicity ~0.2-0.3
- From the disk

THE ROLE OF CRs

(Ipavich (1975))

(Breitschwerdt et al. (1991))

- Thermal and radiation pressure not enough in the Milky Way
- Dynamical role of CRs $E_{CR} \simeq E_{TH} \simeq E_{MAG}$
- CR push against the gravitational force

(Recchia et al. (2016))

- CR diffusive and advective motion
- CR scattering and Effective coupling with ISM
- Role of self-generation of plasma waves and wave damping
- Effective propagation region becomes energy dependent
- Prominent effects on the CR spectrum

WINDS HYDRODYNAMICS



- One-dim model: the flow and the CR transport occur along the magnetic field lines, perpendicular to the disk
- Stationary flow
- Flux-tube geometry is preassigned
- CRs treated as a fluid, pressure contribution
- PCR connected with the CR spectrum
- Damping of waves heats the gas

WINDS HYDRODYNAMICS

z= distance from the galactic disk

MASS, MOMENTUM AND ENERGY CONSERVATION



$$c_s^2 = \gamma_g \frac{P_g}{\rho} + \gamma_{eff} \frac{P_c}{\rho} \left[1 - (\gamma_g - 1) \frac{v_A}{u} \right] \frac{2u + v_A}{u + v_A}$$
 GENERALIZED SOUND SPEED

HYDRODYNAMIC CR TRANSPORT

WIND HYDRODYNAMICS

Flow speed

u/c* WIND EQUATION: SUPERSONIC FLOW WIND SONIC POINT 17 1 UNPHYSICAL SONIC P NIT <u>1</u> *du* INFAL u dz BREEZE Zc ZΛ <u>distance from the GD</u>

WIND BASE:

Need to determine u0 that

gives smooth transition to

supersonic flow



RESULTS: HYDRODYNAMICS

THE WIND LAUNCHING DEPENDS ON:

- input parameters at the wind base (n, T, B, Pc)
- flux-tube geometry
- Galactic gravitational potential (bulge, disk, Dark Matter halo)

CONSTRAINT FROM OBSERVATIONS, DEPENDENCE ON THE POSITION IN THE GALAXY

- Wind solution exists for closed intervals of n, T, Pc, g
- Small n and g, large T and Pc: non stationary outflows...
- Large n and g, small T and Pc: not enough energy for outflow...
- Stationary non transonic flows, non stationary flows...
 (Everett et al. (2008)) (Recchia et al. (2016))

HYDRODYNAMICS : TYPICAL CASE



HYDRODYNAMICS: DM HALO



DM important also far from the disk

models of DM halo:

- Navarro-Frenk-White (NFW)
- Burkert (BUR)
- Innanen(INN)
- Similar DM densities at the SUN

both u_0 and u_f change

CR TRANSPORT: SIMPLE MODEL



CR TRANSPORT EQUATION

$$\frac{-\partial}{\partial z} \left[D(p) \frac{\partial f}{\partial z} \right] + u \frac{\partial f}{\partial z} - \frac{du}{dz} \frac{p}{3} \frac{\partial f}{\partial p} = Q_0(p) \delta(z)$$
 INJECTION

DIFFUSION ADVECTION COMPRESSION

CR TRANSPORT: SIMPLE MODEL

ADVECTION DOMINATETED REGIME

- Low energies (below ~ 10 GeV)
- $f_0^{adv}(p) = \frac{Q_0}{2u} \sim p^{-\gamma}$ Spectral slope same as injection

DIFFUSION DOMINATETED REGIME High energies $f_0^{diff}(p) = \frac{Q_0}{2} \frac{H}{D} \sim p^{-\gamma - \delta}$

Spectral slope depends also on D(p)

Dependence on the halo size?

WHAT SCATTERS CRs

- Plasma (Alfvén) waves?
- Resonant scattering?
- Self-generation from CRs?
- Background turbulence?
- Damping mechanisms?

• Here we assume:

Self-generation by streaming instability Damping by NLLD Background Kolmogorov turbulence

CR PROPAGATION : ISSUES

- Physical processes which determine D, u and H?
- CR gradient
- CR induced diffusion
- Advection with self-generated waves
- CR-driven large scale flows (WINDS)
- Free escape boundary? Size of the propagation region



SIZE OF THE DIFFUSIVE HALO

(Ptuskin et al. (1997))

(Recchia et al. (2016))

- u(z) grows with z
- At a given z*(p) advection overcome diffusion $U \sim U_0 Z$

$$\frac{H^{2}(p)}{D} = \frac{H(p)}{u} \rightarrow H(p) \sim \sqrt{D}$$

- The size of the diffusive halo becomes energy dependent
- No need to impose H by hand output from the $A(z)=A_0\left[1+\left(\frac{z}{Z_b}\right)^{\alpha}\right]$ transport model
- Additional effects if z* is in the region of flux tube opening

CR TRANSPORT IN A CR-DRIVEN WIND

WIND HYDRODYNAMICS: determine the wind velocity, the gas density and pressure, the CR pressure and the magnetic field

<u>CR TRANSPORT</u>: determine the CR distribution function and the CR-induced diffusion coefficient



DIFFUSION COEFFICIENT WIND VELOCITY

PROBLEM BADLY NON LINEAR

CR SPECTRUM AT EARTH (Recchia et al. (2016))



- Wind lanched near the disk at Sun position
- launching param. within observations
- advection v_A(z)+u(z)
- Hard spectrum at low energies

$$f_0^{adv}(p) = \frac{Q_0}{2u} \sim p^{-\gamma}$$

CR SPECTRUM AT EARTH



- wind launched at $z_0 = 100$ pc
- launching param. within observations
- U₀ = 30km/s VS 93km/s
- smaller advection, better agreement at low energy

CR SPECTRUM AT EARTH



- steep diffusion coefficient (self generation)
- wind expansion, H(p) in the expansion region
- very steep spectrum at high energy
- Need additional source of turbulence

CR SPECTRUM AT EARTH



HARDENING

TRANSITION FROM SELF-GEN. D TO KOLMOGOROV (D(p) ~ p^{1/3})

- Role of pre-existing
 turbulence
- Spectral hardening at high energies

(Aloisio et al. (2015))

SUMMARY



- Winds ubiquitous and important for galaxies
- Winds maybe also in the Milky Way (observation of the halo)
- CRs are likely to drive winds in the MW
- Strong dependence on the Galactic environment
- CR transport in CR driven winds
- Self-generation, advection, halo size
- Important implication for the CR spectrum

INTERESTING DEVELOPMENTS

- Non stationary flows (fountains, winds, ...) (Ruszkowski et al. (2013))
- Other stationary flows (Breezes) (Taylor et al. (2017))
- CR distribution in the Galaxy (Recchia et al. (2016))
- Transport of metals etc with the wind
- Implications on the CR grammage
- Reacceleration of CRs at the wind termination shock
- Self consistent determination of the flux tube geometry
- Application to other galaxies



CR DISTRIBUTION: GAMMA-RAY DATA



- FermiLAT data
- Gamma-Rays → nCR (R)
- Catalogs → CR Sources(R)

R < 10 kpc n_{cR} > than at R> 10 kpc n_{cR} peak at 2-5 kpc CR slope <u>2.5-2.6</u> at 3 kpc

R > 10 kpc

n_{cR} flatter than SN(R)

"radial gradient problem"

CR slope <u>2.8-2.9</u>

A DIFFICULT INTERPRETATION

[Acero et al. ArXiv:1602.07246]

[Yang, Aharonian & Evoli, 2016]



- difficult to explain in a standard leaky-box model
- D constant in the Galaxy. Cannot explain n_{CR}(R) and slope(R)
- Several extension of the leaky box have been proposed

PROPOSED SOLUTIONS

- Extended halo, H > 4 (Dogiel, Uryson, 1988; Strong et al., 1988; Bloemen, 1993, Ackerman et al., 2011)
- Flatter distribution of SNR in the outer Galaxy (Ackerman et al., 2011)
- Enhancement of CO/H₂ density ratio (X) in the outer Galaxy (Strong et al., 2004)
- Injection dependence on the ISM temperature (Erlykin et al., 2015)
- Advection effects due to the Galactic wind (Bloemen, 1993; Breitschwerdt, Dogiel, Voelk, 2002)

None of these ideas can simultaneously account for the both the CR density and spectral slope

RADIAL DEPENDENCE

- Natural radial dependence in non-linear CR propagation, in particular with winds
- Standard CR prop. Models \rightarrow D constant in the Galaxy. Cannot explain $n_{CR}(R)$ and slope(R) Evoli et al. (2012), Gaggero et al. (2015a,b)
- Galactic magnetic field and ISM density

$$v_A(R) = \frac{B(R)}{4 \pi \rho(R)} \qquad D_{self-gen}(v_A, B, n_{CR}) \qquad u_{wind}$$

• Injection of CRs, Galactic distribution of sources $Q_0(p,R)$

ASSUMPTIONS

- D is self generated
- VA constant along Z (perp. to the disk)
- Free escape boundary at z=H

- n(R)=const
- B(R) varies

 B₀(R)
 const
 R<5 kpc</th>

 1/R
 R>5 kpc

 [exp. cut-off
 R>10 kpc]

(GREEN 2015) $f_{SNR} \propto \left(\frac{R}{R_s}\right)^{\alpha} e^{-\beta \frac{R-R_s}{R_s}}$

TRANSPORT EQUATION: SOLUTION WITHOUT WINDS

• Injection Spectrum $Q_0^{adv}(p) \sim p^{-\gamma}$ $\gamma \approx 4.3$

• Diffusive regime $f_0^{diff}(R) \sim \left(\frac{Q_0(R)}{B_0(R)}\right)^3$

$$f_0^{diff}(p) \sim p^{7-3\gamma}$$

Advective regime

$$f_0^{adv}(R) \sim \left(\frac{Q_0(R)}{B_0(R)}\right)$$

$$f_0^{adv}(p) \sim p^{-\gamma}$$

CR RADIAL GRADIENT(NO WINDS)

spectral slope at 20 GeV

CR density at 20 GeV

4.5 **ADVECTION** 3.8 Proton density [Acero et al.] Emissivity [Yang et al. Fig.7] nCR(20 GeV), B with cut-off nCR(20 GeV), B ~ 1/R 4 3.6 3.5 3.4 source distribution 3 3.2 2.5 3 2.8 2 2.6 1.5 2.4 1 Acero et al.(2016) + **ADVECTION** Yang et al.(2016) 2.2 0.5 nCR(20 GeV), B with cut-off nCR(20 GeV), B ~ 1/R 2 0 5 10 15 20 25 30 0 5 10 15 20 25 30 0 R(kpc) R(kpc)



B~const

peak Q₀ ====> many waves ====> CRs well confined

• peak CR density

advective regime ====> hard spectrum

CR RADIAL GRADIENT(NO WINDS)

spectral slope at 20 GeV

CR density at 20 GeV



 $f_0^{diff} \sim \left(\frac{Q_0}{B_0}\right)^3$

 $f_0^{diff}(p) \sim p^{7-3\gamma}$

- B~1/R
- small Q₀ ====> few waves ====> CRs poorly confined
- low CR density
- diffusive regime ====> steep spectrum

CR RADIAL GRADIENT(NO WINDS)

spectral slope at 20 GeV

CR density at 20 GeV



- B~1/R with exponential cut-off above R=10kpc
- small Q₀ + small B ====> D smaller despite few sources
- better confinement of CRs higher CR density
- B and Q₀ same R dependence ===> <u>flatter CR density</u>

Mixed diffusion/advection regime ====> harder CR spectrum

Cut-off scale ~ 3kpc

CR RADIAL GRADIENT(WINDS)



- At the source peak: larger advection with wind \rightarrow smaller CR density
- At the source peak: larger advection with wind VS larger D(less waves)
- At R > 10 kpc wind not launched (for the chosen input parameters)
- Results at R< 10 kpc depend on the Dark Matter halo potential

WIND HYDRODYNAMICS

WIND EQUATION:

$$\frac{1}{u}\frac{du}{dz} = \frac{\frac{1}{A}\frac{dA}{dz} - g/c_s^2}{M^2 - 1}$$

$$\frac{1}{u}\frac{du}{dz} = \frac{\frac{1}{A}\frac{dA}{dz}}{M^2 - 1}$$



