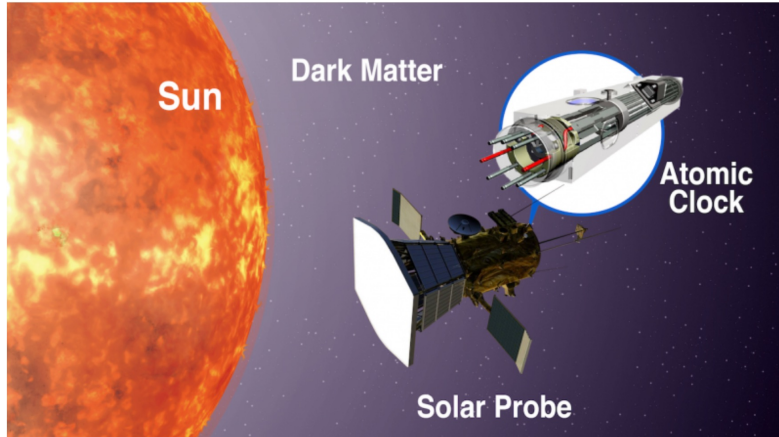


Space Quantum Sensor for Ultralight Dark Matter

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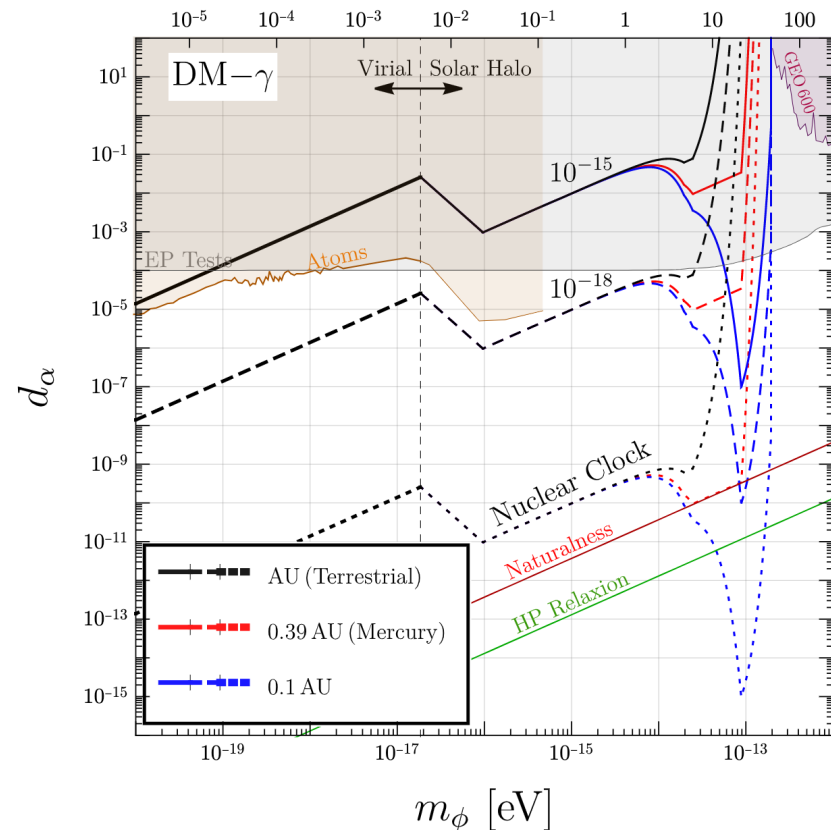
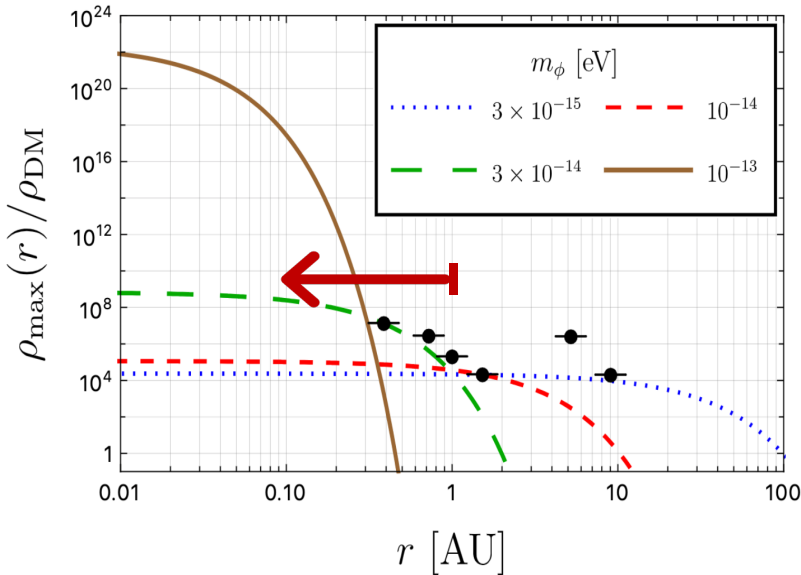
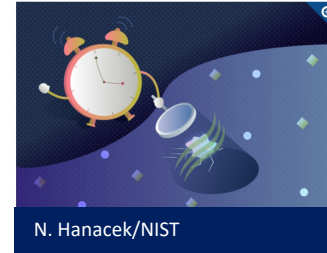
Propose a **two-clock comparison experiment** onboard **future solar probes**



$$\phi(t, \vec{x}) = \phi_0 \cos(m_\phi t - \vec{k}_\phi \cdot \vec{x} + \dots).$$

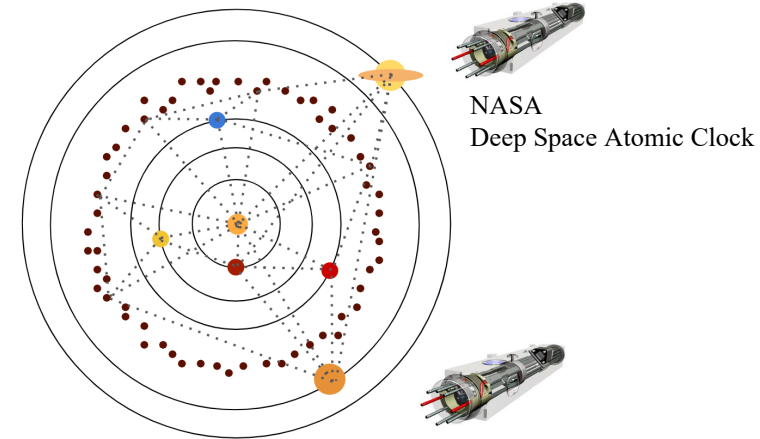
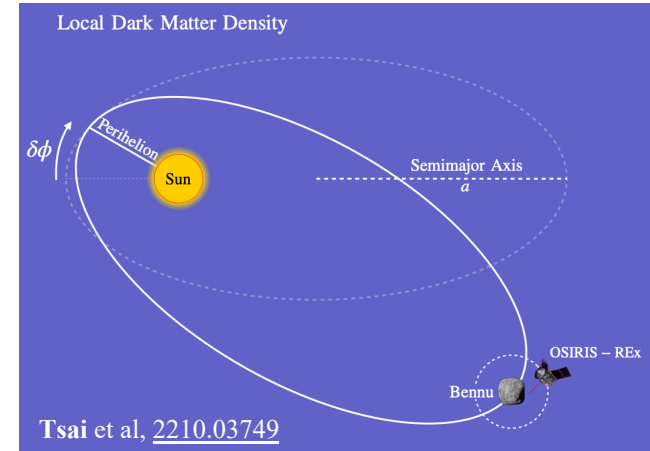
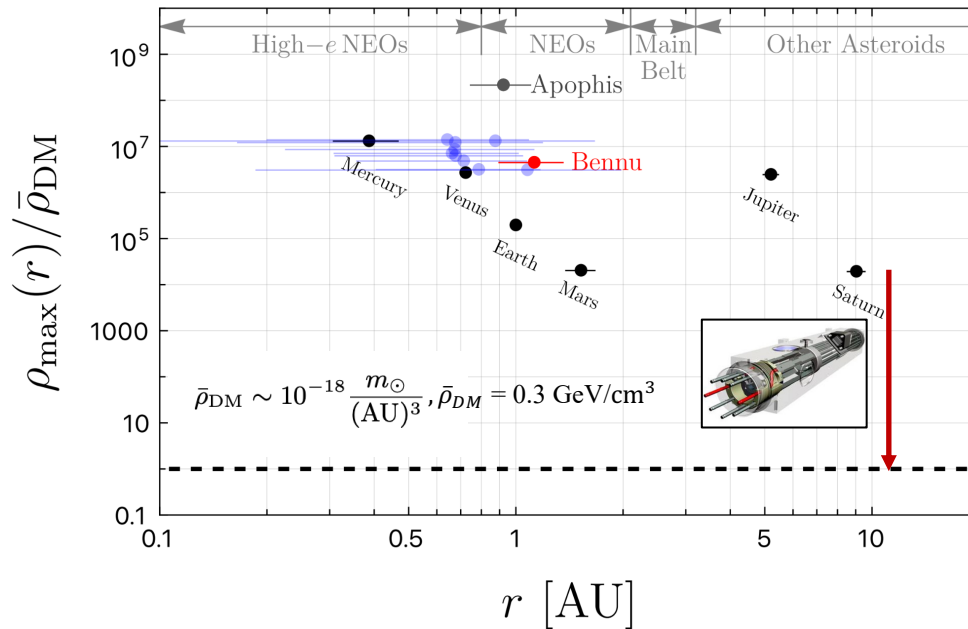
$$\omega \simeq m_\phi.$$

$$\mathcal{L} \supset \left(\frac{\sqrt{\pi} d_\alpha}{2M_P} \right) \phi F_{\mu\nu} F^{\mu\nu} \quad f \text{ [Hz]}$$



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Using the the Asteroid Tracking Network (ATN) for Fundamental Physics

1. Study **astrometry & precessions**
2. Can study **local dark matter density, cosmic background neutrinos, and long-range fifth forces**
3. Increase precision with **quantum sensors** (e.g., with quantum clocks onboard of space missions)