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## Prospects of testing dark matter with gravitational lensing and gravitational waves.

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Gravitational lensing and gravitational waves - new opportunities to test dark matter

## Abstract.

We entered the era when the opening of gravitational wave (GW) window on the universe combined with ongoing (ZTF) and forthcoming (LSST) big real time surveys creates a brackthrough in multi-messenger astrophysics. Most of the astrophysical messengers travel along null geodesics and may undergo strong gravitational lensing (SGL). SGL theory has now become a mature field with manifold applications already explored. In my talk I will discuss how such multi-messenger/multi-wavelength data, especially regarding SGL systems, could be used to constrain certain properties of dark matter like its viscosity or the nature of dark matter, e.g. fuzzy dark matter halos.

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