

UHE emission from γ-ray loud binaries LSI 61⁰303 and LS 5039

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Location: 29°21′ 27.6″*N* 100°08′ 19.6″*E* Altitude: 4410*m a.s.l*



Outline

Motivation

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Binaries at TeV





10 Binaries in TeVCat

- PSR?+Massive star: 8
- Micro quasars: SS433+V4641 Sgr?
- Others: Eta Carinae
- 6 binaries are in LHAASO's view.



γ-ray loud Binary



 γ-ray loud binary is a kind of source that emits gamma rays.

The flux modulated by the orbital phase.
It has flares at gamma ray bands sometimes.

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LHAASO data analysis



Data:

- KM2A: Half array(299days)+quarter array(218days)+full array(884days);
- WCDA: Full array(~880days);
- CR background estimation:
 - Direct integration method
 - •Region with distance less than 10deg from Galactic plane are masked
- Analysis method:
 - A 3D likelihood fitting framework is developed

LSI 61⁰303



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- ➢ Companion star: Be star;
- Compact object: Unknown;
- Orbital period: 26.4960 days;

Detected from radio to very high energy (VHE) gamma rays.





Orbital modulation



• Orbit-to-orbit variability has been associated with a superorbital modulation at a period of 1667 ± 8 days.

PoS ICRC2017 (2018), 712

A&A 591, A76 (2016)

Results from LHAASO





>25 TeV

• Clean environment

The most nearby source is LHAASO J0248+6021, which is about 2 degrees from LSI 61⁰303 and might be a pulsar halo or PWN.

 The two sources are fitted simultaneously using 2D
 Gaussian model to describe the morphology of the sources.

LSI 61⁰303





A point source is detected at a significance of more than 5 sigma by both KM2A and WCDA.

RA: $40.16 \pm 0.11(stat) \pm 0.03(sys);$ DEC: $61.17 \pm 0.05(stat) \pm 0.03(sys);$



Orbital light curve





Spectrum



LS 5039





- Detected by HESS at TeV;
- The minimum flux is close to superior conjunction or to periastron and maximum flux occurs around inferior conjunction.
- At INFC, the best fit spectrum is a power law with $\Gamma \approx 1.8$ and an exponential cutoff at E_c ≈ 8.7 TeV.
- At SUPC, the source is fainter and best described by a single power-law with a softer index $\Gamma\approx$ 2.5.

LS 5039





◆LHAASO has detected a source with significance of more than 5sigma above 25TeV;

◆The more dedicated analysis is ongoing now.



Conclusion and prospect

- LSI 61⁰303 is detected by both WCDA and KM2A;
- The orbital modulation is more significant at TeV;
- No sharp cut-off at least up to 100 TeV;
- Another interesting binary LS 5039 is also detected by LHAASO with energy above 25TeV;



Thanks !

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