

Complementary probes of multi-component Dark Matter

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Ireland is finally joining CERN

Trinity academics call on Ireland to join CERN

by Leigh Mc Gowran

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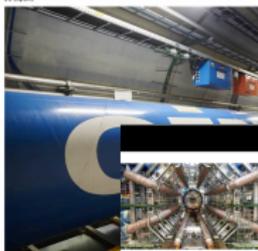
Opinion

Harris say benefits of joining Cern 'significant' as department prepares submission

Minister tells Dáil he has Taoiseach's full support in bid to join nuclear research agency

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Science Analysis

A happy new year for Ireland and Cern

Irish scientists could at last participate in 'big science' experiments and work with the best in the world

THE IRISH TIMES

Ireland should join Cern, says Oireachtas committee

Membership of organization is critical to becoming 'a global innovation leader'

Thu Nov 14 2018 - 11:58

Why is Ireland not a member of Cern?

State has rich history in particle physics but will not cough up €1m Cern membership fee

Thu Jan 24 2019 - 01:00

Government to consider Cern membership

Review will study benefits and costs of joining the European nuclear research lab

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Ireland could join CERN by 2018 - Gianotti

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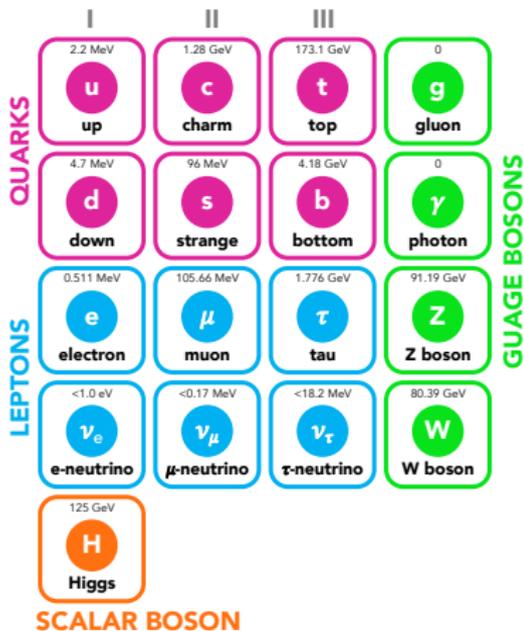
Webpage: <https://indico.cern.ch/e/catch24>

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The Standard Model

Its current formulation was finalised in the 70's and predicted:

- the W & Z bosons
discovered in 1983
- the top quark
discovered in 1995
- the tau neutrino
discovered in 2000
- the Brout-Englert-Higgs mechanism
a scalar boson discovered in 2012



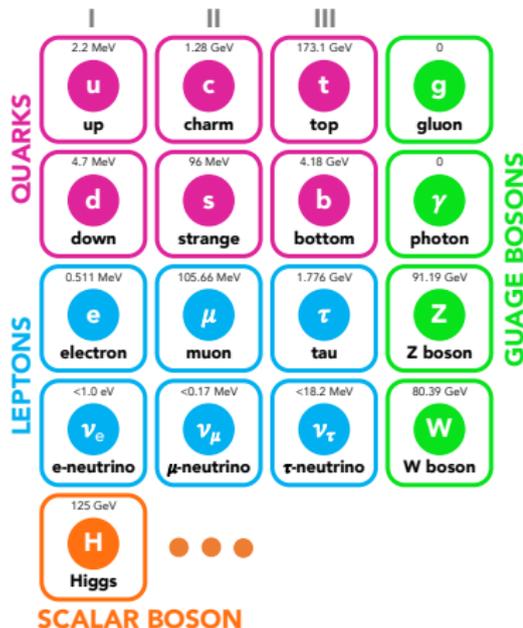
... and the need to go beyond

What is missing:

- a suitable Dark Matter candidate [link](#)
- a successful baryogenesis mechanism
 - strong first order phase transition
 - sufficient amount of CP violation [link](#)
- a natural inflation framework [link](#)
- an explanation for the fermion mass hierarchy [link](#)
- a stable electroweak vacuum [link](#)

⇒ beyond the Standard Model

⇒ scalar extensions of the SM



Scalar extensions of the SM

SM + scalar singlets

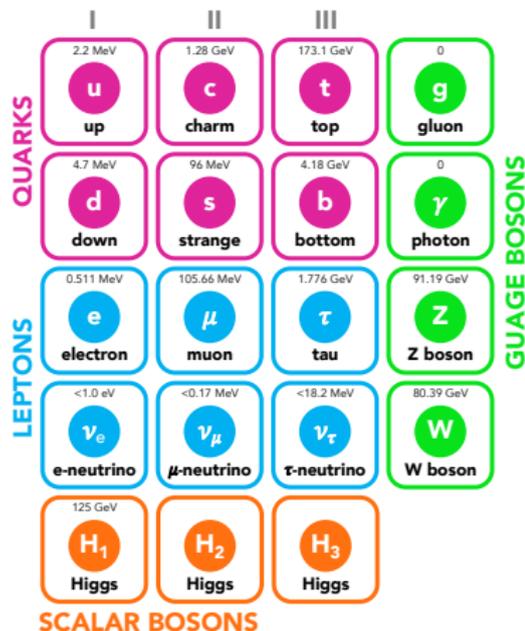
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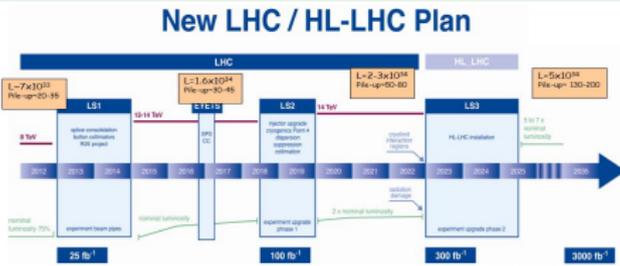
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- Strong first order EWPT **easily achieved**
- Bonus: fermion mass hierarchy explanation



Complementary experimental probes of scalar extensions

- Collider experiments
 - LHC-RUN-III
 - HL-LHC
 - CEPC
- DM experiments
 - XENONnT
 - CTA
- GW experiments
 - DECIGO
 - LISA mission
- Precision experiments
 - $(g - 2)_\mu$
 - Advanced ACME



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2005-2007

XENON100



2008-2016

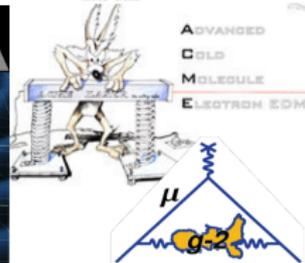
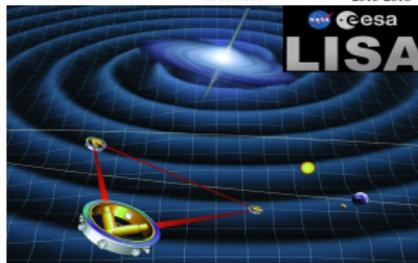
XENONnT



2013-2018



2019-2025



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How do we know Dark Matter exists?

The common misinformation:

For the first time, Fritz Zwicky in 1933: “The Coma cluster moves **too fast** for its apparent **gravitational pull** (due to its luminous matter) to stay together.”

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The correct information:

Three years prior, Knut Lundmark in 1930 had already found evidence for Dark Matter and coined the term.



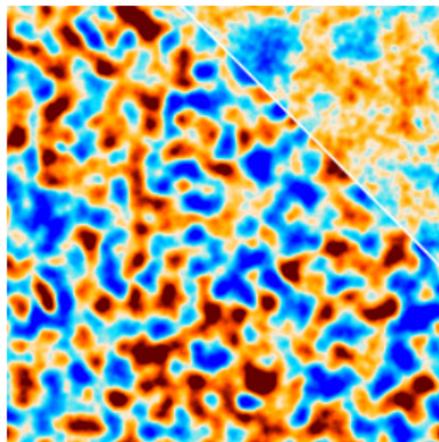
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Patterns in the Cosmic Microwave Background (CMB):

Competition between

- the force of **gravity** causing matter to fall inward
- an outward pressure exerted by **photons**

Dark Matter feels the gravity but not the pressure from photons.



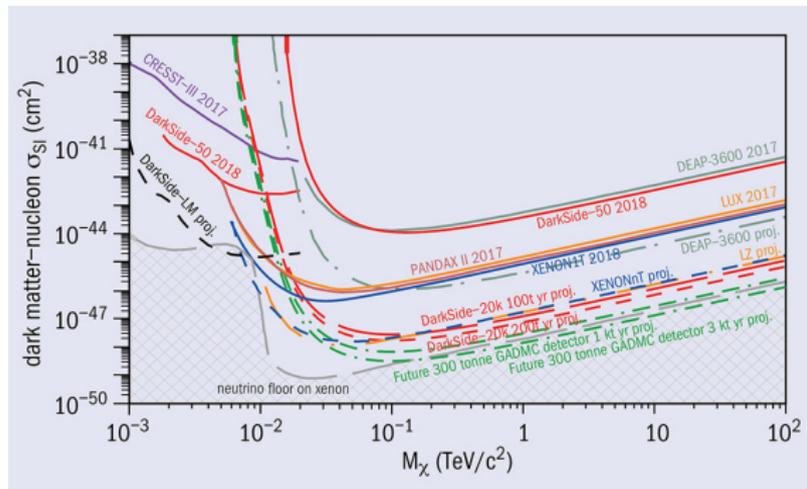
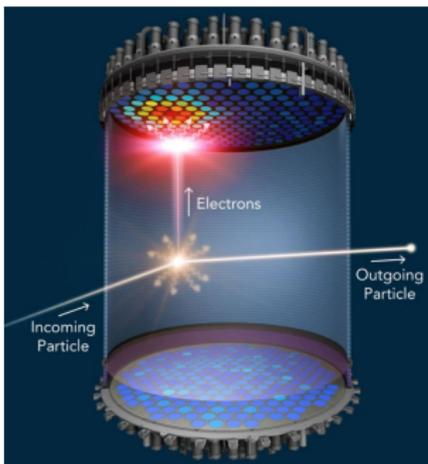
Planck CMB simulator

The total relic density by the Planck data: $\Omega_{\text{DM}} h^2 = 0.1200 \pm 0.0012$

N. Aghanim et al. [Planck], *Astron. Astrophys.* 641, A6 (2020)

Direct Detection searches

In deep underground gigantic tanks of liquid gas

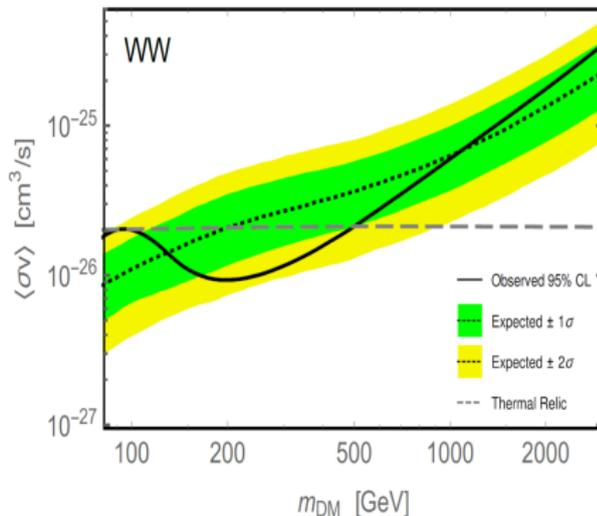
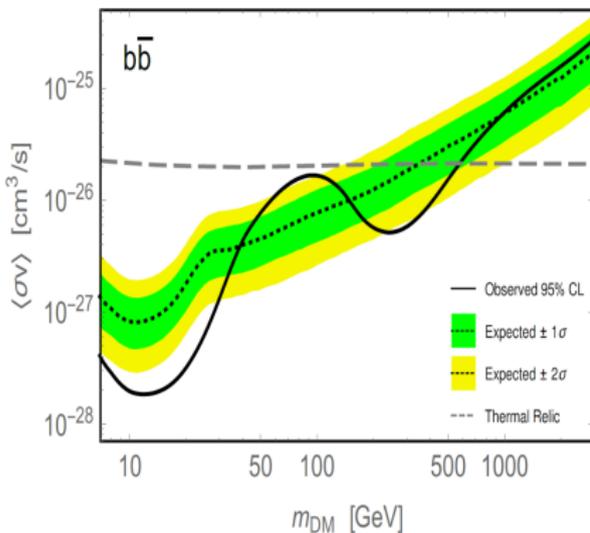


Constrain the spin-independent scattering cross section of DM off of nuclei

E. Aprile et al. [XENON], Phys. Rev. Lett. 121, no.11, 111302 (2018)

Indirect Detection observations

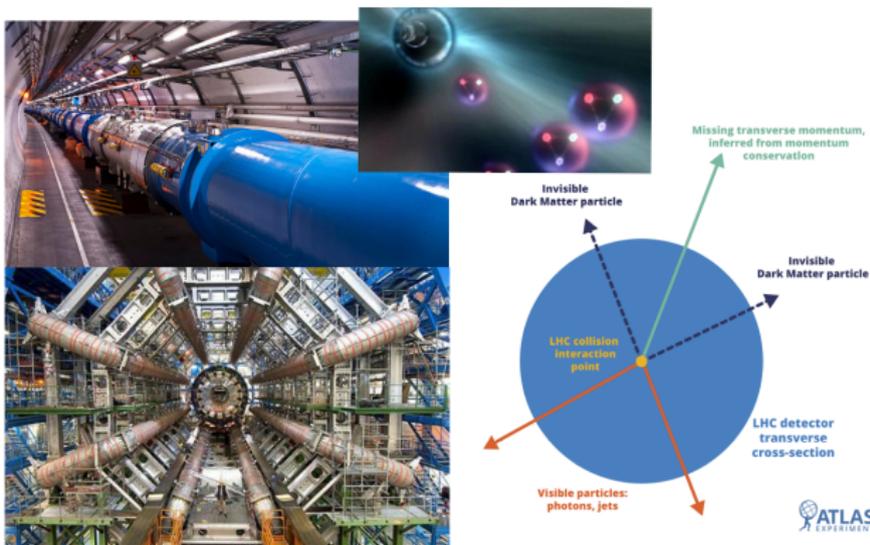
In dense regions of sky with telescopes in orbit $DM DM \rightarrow bb/\tau\tau/WW$



[M. Ackermann et al. [Fermi-LAT], Phys. Rev. Lett. 115, no.23, 231301 (2015)], [M. Cirelli and G. Giesen, JCAP 04, 015 (2013)], [Symmetry 2020, 12(10), 1648]

High energy collider experiments

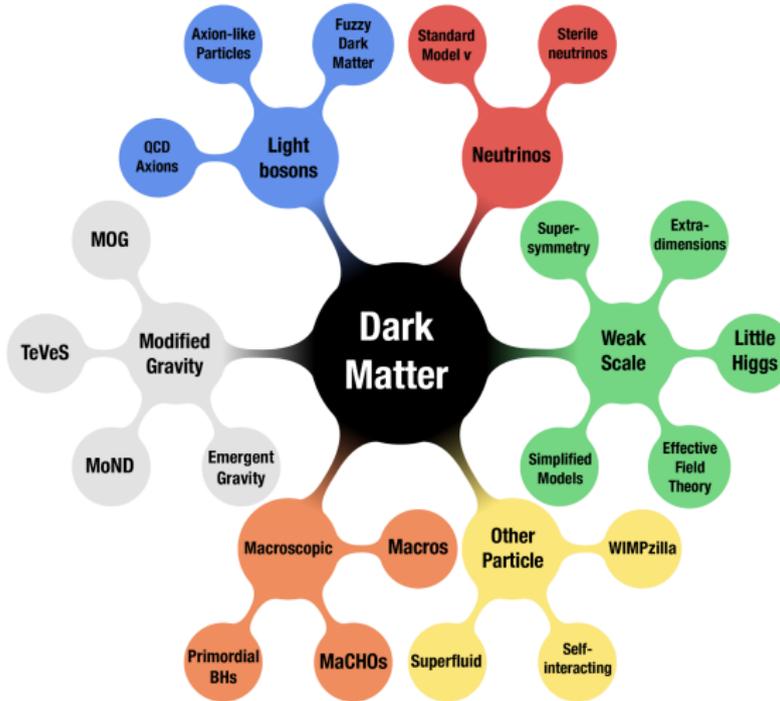
Pair-producing it in high energy collider experiments



Looking for events with MET + model dependent objects

$$pp \rightarrow \text{jets/leptons}/\gamma/W/Z/h + \cancel{E}_T$$

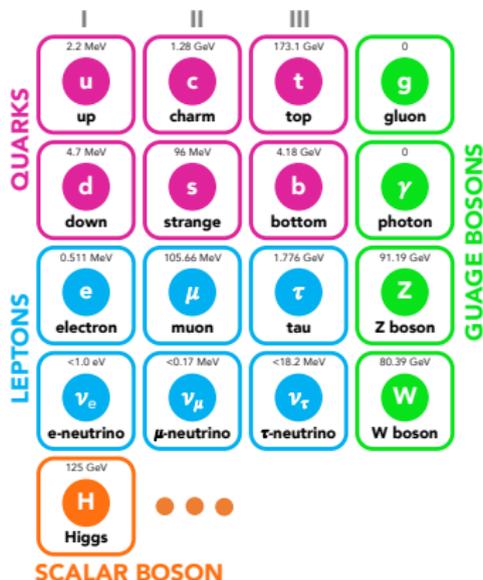
What is Dark Matter?



(Image: G. Bertone and T. M. P. Tait)

Higgs portal models and extra scalars

Scalar extensions are a common characteristic of almost all BSM scenarios.



The scalar sector is the least understood and experimentally least constrained sector.

Scalar extensions of the SM

SM + scalar singlets [link](#)

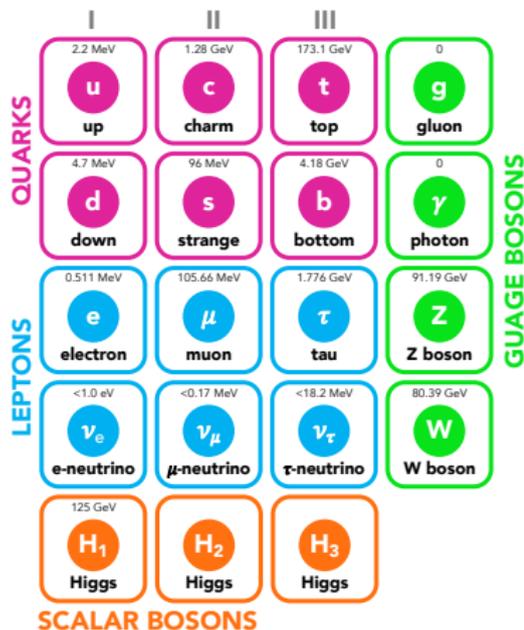
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3-Higgs doublet models (3HDMs)

2 scalar doublets + the SM Higgs doublet

ϕ_1, ϕ_2

ϕ_3

$$\phi_1 = \begin{pmatrix} H_1^+ \\ \frac{H_1 + iA_1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix}, \quad \phi_2 = \begin{pmatrix} H_2^+ \\ \frac{H_2 + iA_2}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix}, \quad \phi_3 = \begin{pmatrix} G^+ \\ \frac{h + iG^0}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix}$$

3HDM with a $Z_2 \times Z'_2$ symmetry

DM protected by a Z_2 symmetry $(-, +, +)$, and Z'_2 symmetry $(+, -, +)$

$$\phi_1 \rightarrow -\phi_1, \quad \phi_2 \rightarrow -\phi_2, \quad \text{SM fields} \rightarrow \text{SM fields}, \quad \phi_3 \rightarrow \phi_3$$

Z_2 symmetry respected by the vacuum $(0, 0, v)$:

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The lightest neutral field from each doublet is a viable DM candidate.

Z_2 symmetry: only ϕ_3 couples to fermions $\phi_u = \phi_d = \phi_e = \phi_3$

$$-\mathcal{L}_{Yukawa} = Y_u \bar{Q}'_L i\sigma_2 \phi_u^* u'_R + Y_d \bar{Q}'_L \phi_d d'_R + Y_e \bar{L}'_L \phi_e e'_R + \text{h.c.}$$

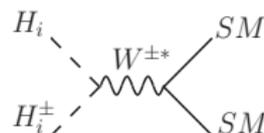
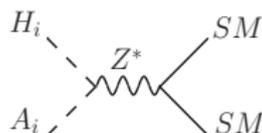
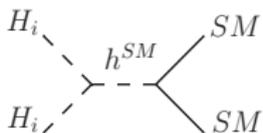
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Two-component Dark Matter: H_1, H_2

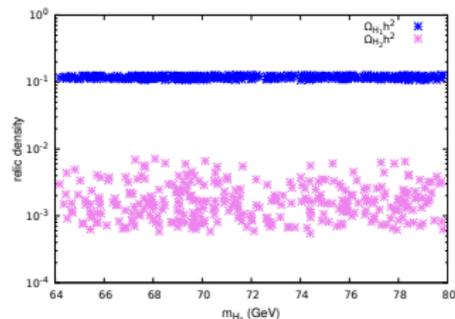
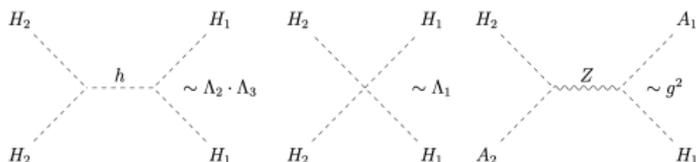
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$$m_{H_1} < m_{A_1} < m_{H_1^\pm}$$

$$m_{H_2} < m_{A_2} < m_{H_2^\pm}$$

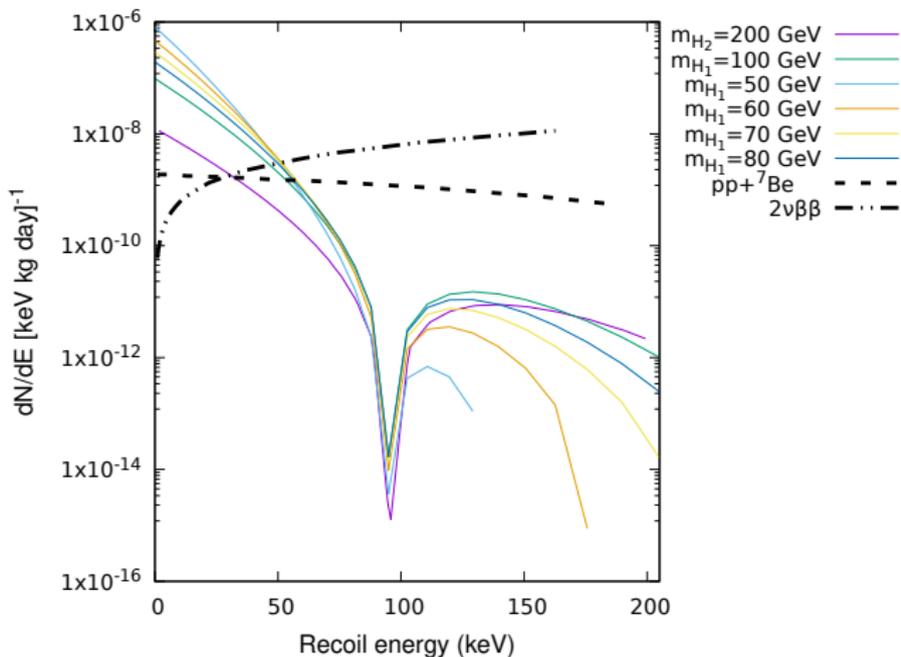


The conversion processes play an important role in DM production.



Astrophysical probes: Direct detection XENONnT/LZ

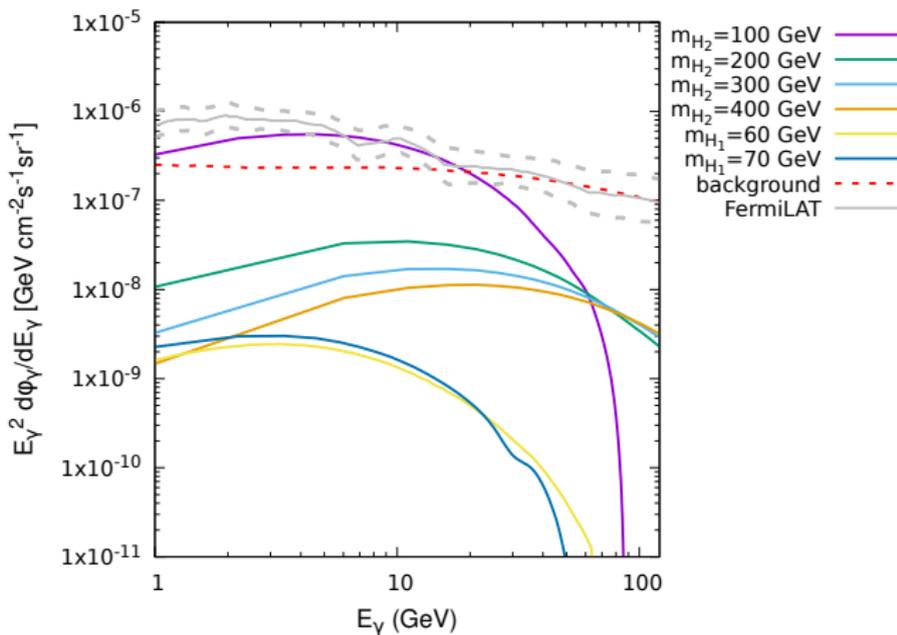
Light DM H_1 : probed in the nuclear recoil energy event rate



J. Hernandez, V. Keus, S. Moretti, D. Rojas, D. Sokolowska, [JHEP 03, 045 (2023)] and [arXiv:2012.11621]

Astrophysical probes: Indirect detection Fermi-LAT

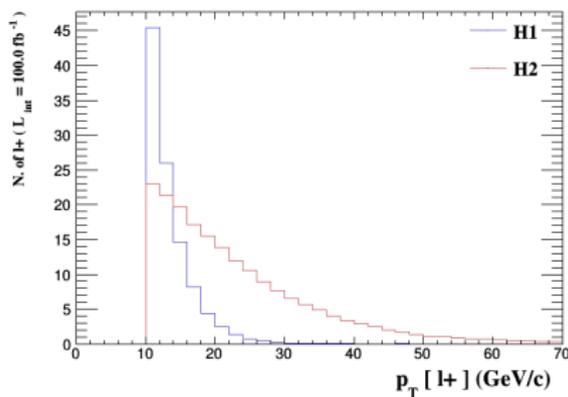
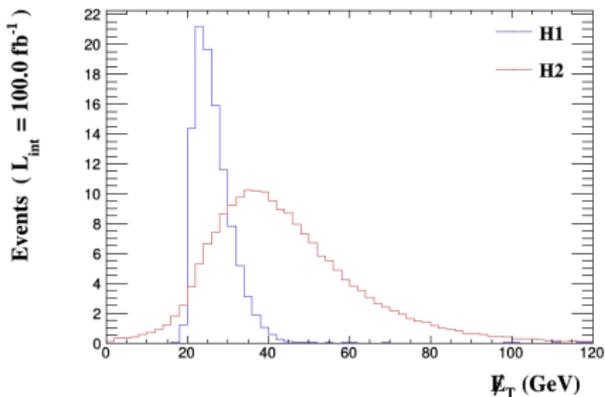
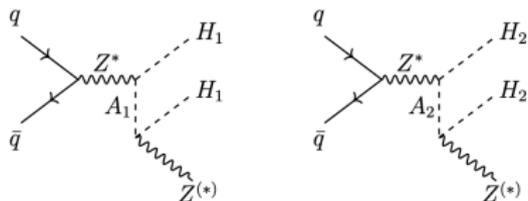
Heavy DM H_2 : contributes to the photon flux from the galactic center



J. Hernandez, V. Keus, S. Moretti, D. Rojas, D. Sokolowska, [JHEP 03, 045 (2023)] and [arXiv:2012.11621]

Collider probes: distributions of observables

$m_{H_2} - m_{H_1} > \cancel{E}_T$ resolution \Rightarrow visible effect in different distributions

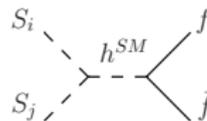


Missing transverse energy and transverse momentum of either lepton

Purely scalar extensions as DM models:

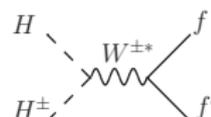
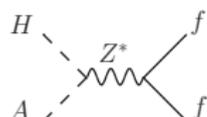
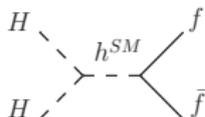
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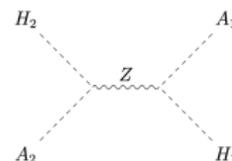
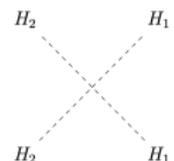
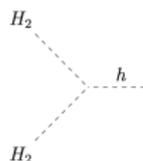
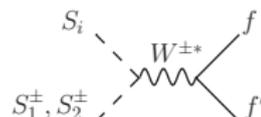
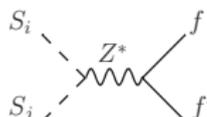
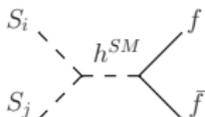
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Complementary collider and astrophysical probes of both components of DM H_1 and H_2

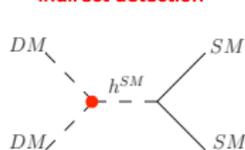
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Purely scalar extensions w/o a Z_2 symmetry:

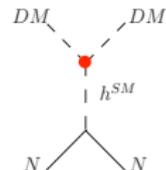
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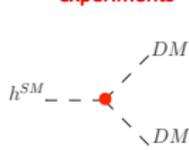
Relic density
Indirect detection



Direct detection

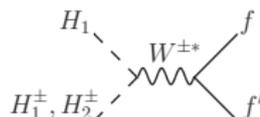
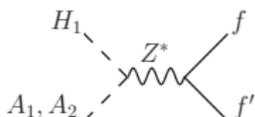
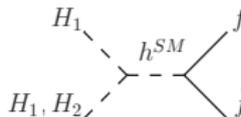


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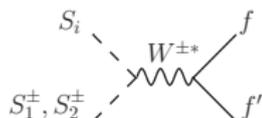
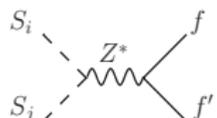
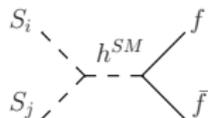


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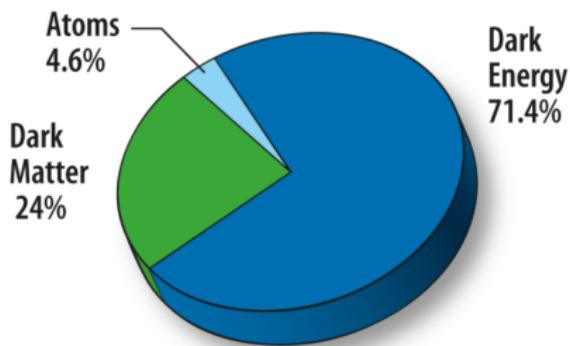
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Dark Matter

Characteristics:

- Cold (non-relativistic at the onset of galaxy formation)
- Non-baryonic
- Neutral & weakly interacting
- Stable due to a discrete symmetry

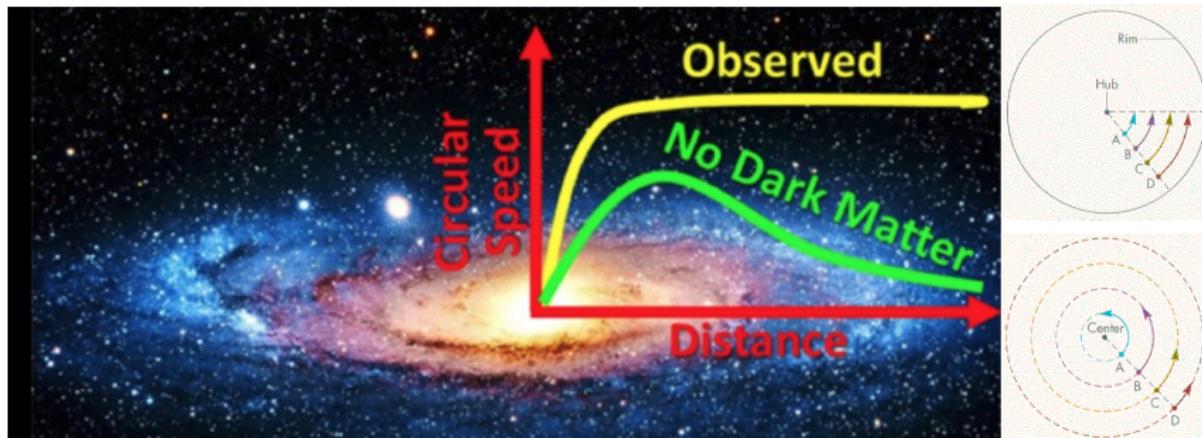


$$\underbrace{\text{DM DM} \rightarrow \text{SM SM}}_{\text{pair annihilation}}$$

$$\underbrace{\text{DM} \not\rightarrow \text{SM}, \dots}_{\text{stable}}$$

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Galactic rotation curves



Expectation: stars velocity to fall towards the edges.

Observation: stars velocity stays constant towards the edges.

⇒ a spread of Dark Matter throughout the galaxy

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Baryon asymmetry in the universe

Sakharov's conditions for a successful baryogenesis mechanism:

- B-violation
- C & CP-violation
- Departure from thermal equilibrium

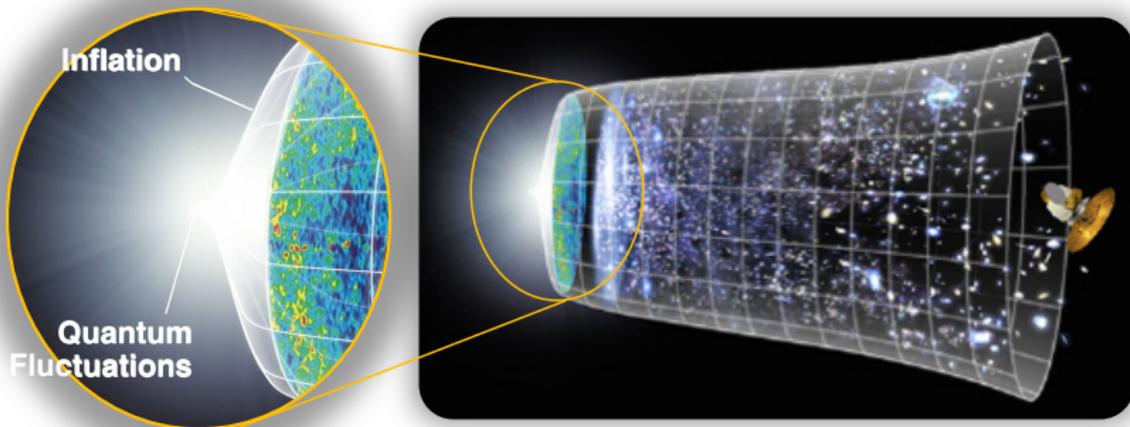
$$\begin{pmatrix} d' \\ s' \\ b' \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} V_{ud} & V_{us} & V_{ub} \\ V_{cd} & V_{cs} & V_{cb} \\ V_{td} & V_{ts} & V_{tb} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} d \\ s \\ b \end{pmatrix}$$

$$V_{ub} \neq V_{ub}^*; V_{td} \neq V_{td}^* \Rightarrow \text{CPV}$$



Observation $\frac{N(B)}{N(\gamma)} \approx 10^{-9} \gg 10^{-20}$ provided by the SM
 \Rightarrow **New sources of CPV needed.**

Inflation: an exponential expansion in the early universe



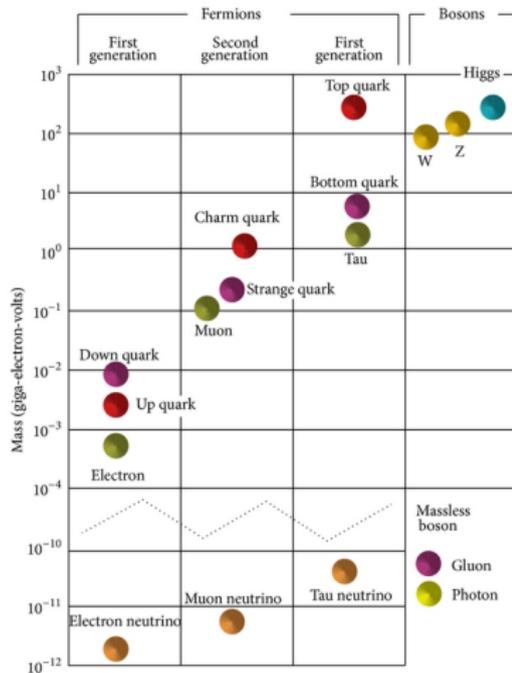
Explains: generation of primordial density fluctuations seeding structure formation, the flatness, homogeneity and isotropy of the universe

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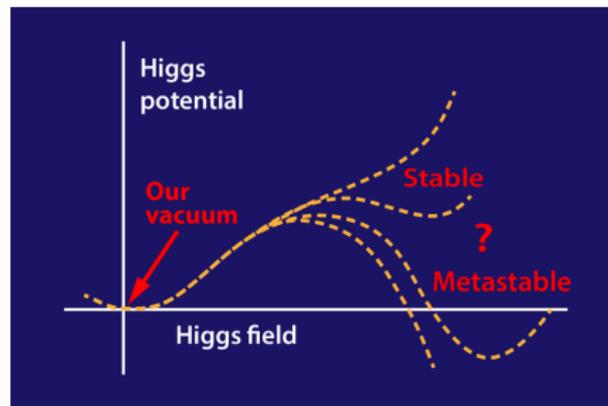
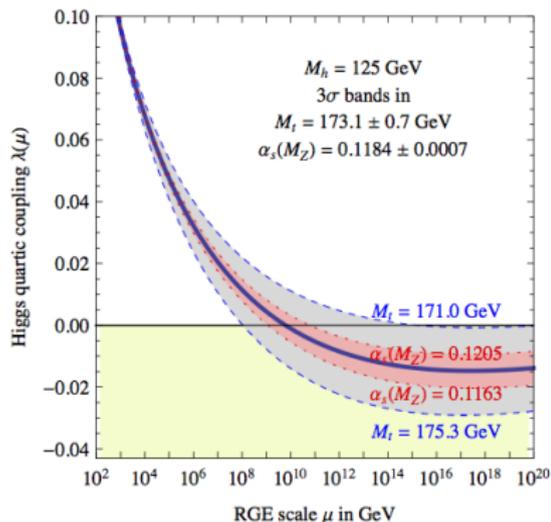
Fermion mass hierarchy in the SM

No explanation for

- $m_t/m_e \approx 10^6$
- $m_t/m_\nu \approx 10^{11}$



The SM electroweak vacuum is not stable



$$V = -\mu^2 \phi^\dagger \phi + \lambda (\phi^\dagger \phi)^2$$

⇒ Scalar extensions can stabilise the EW vacuum.

Who discovered the expansion of the universe?

Common lore: **Edwin Hubble** discovered the expansion of the Universe, in 1929. **Fritz Zwicky** discovered Dark Matter, in 1933.

Forgotten pioneer: **Knut Lundmark**, Sweden (1889 – 1958)



*" ... measurements by a Swedish astronomer, **Knut Lundmark**, were much more advanced than formerly appreciated. Lundmark was the first person to find observational evidence for expansion, in 1924 — three years before Lemaître and five years before Hubble. Lundmark's extragalactic distance estimates were far more accurate than Hubble's..."*

Ian Steer, NASA/IPAC, Pasadena, arxiv:1212.1359; J. R. Astron. Soc. Can. 105 (2011) 18

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Scalar singlet extension of SM

the SM Higgs doublet + a scalar singlet

 ϕ
 S

$$\phi = \begin{pmatrix} G^+ \\ \frac{h+iG^0}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$S = \begin{pmatrix} s \\ \sqrt{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\underbrace{S S \rightarrow \text{SM SM}}_{\text{pair annihilation}},$$

$$\underbrace{S \not\rightarrow \text{SM SM}}_{\text{stable}}$$

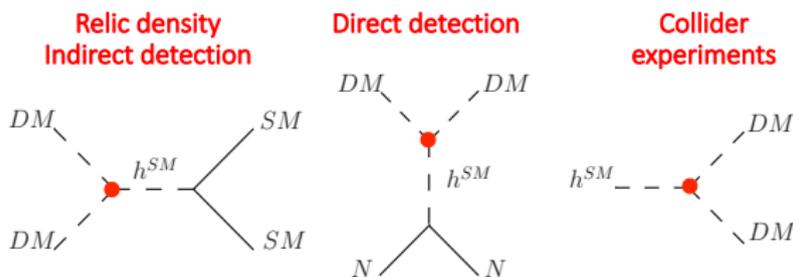
SM + scalar singlet

DM protected by a Z_2 symmetry (+, -) from decaying to SM particles.

SM fields \rightarrow SM fields, $\phi \rightarrow \phi$, $S \rightarrow -S$

The Lagrangian and the vacuum are Z_2 symmetric: $\langle \phi \rangle = v$, $\langle S \rangle = 0$

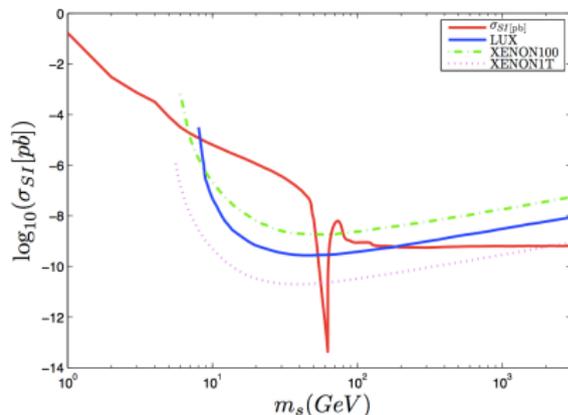
$$\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}_{SM} + \frac{1}{2}(\partial S)^2 - m_s^2 S^2 - \lambda_s S^4 - \lambda_{hs} \phi^2 S^2$$



Tension: all relevant interactions are governed by the same coupling!

SM + scalar singlet

- Bounded from below potential:
 $h, s \rightarrow \infty \Rightarrow V > 0$
- Vacuum stability:
 $\tau_{\text{VEW}} > \text{age of the universe}$
- Perturbative unitarity:
 $|\lambda_i| \leq 4\pi, |\Lambda_i| \leq 8\pi$
- Higgs decays:
 $BR(h \rightarrow \text{inv.}) < 20\% \Rightarrow \lambda_{hs} \text{ small}$
- Relic density:
 $\lambda_{hs} \text{ large}$
- Direct and indirect detection:
 $\lambda_{hs} \text{ small}$



H. Han, S. Zheng, [JHEP 12 (2015) 044]

2-Higgs doublet models (2HDMs)

the SM Higgs doublet + 1 scalar doublet

 ϕ_1
 ϕ_2

$$\phi_1 = \begin{pmatrix} G^+ \\ \frac{h+iG^0}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix} \quad \phi_2 = \begin{pmatrix} H^+ \\ \frac{H+iA}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix}$$

Higgs portal models: SM + 2 scalar doublets

DM is protected by a Z_2 symmetry (+, -) from decaying to SM particles:

$$\text{SM fields} \rightarrow \text{SM fields}, \quad \phi_1 \rightarrow \phi_1, \quad \phi_2 \rightarrow -\phi_2$$

Z_2 symmetry: only ϕ_1 couples to fermions $\phi_u = \phi_d = \phi_e = \phi_1$

$$-\mathcal{L}_{Yukawa} = Y_u \bar{Q}'_L i \sigma_2 \phi_u^* u'_R + Y_d \bar{Q}'_L \phi_d d'_R + Y_e \bar{L}'_L \phi_e e'_R + \text{h.c.}$$

Z_2 symmetry respected by the vacuum: $\phi_1 = \begin{pmatrix} G^+ \\ \frac{v+h+iG^0}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix}$, $\phi_2 = \begin{pmatrix} H^+ \\ \frac{H+iA}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix}$

DM candidate: the lightest neutral particle from the dark doublet

$$HH \rightarrow h \rightarrow \text{SM}, \quad HA \rightarrow Z \rightarrow \text{SM}, \quad HH^\pm \rightarrow W^\pm \rightarrow \text{SM}$$

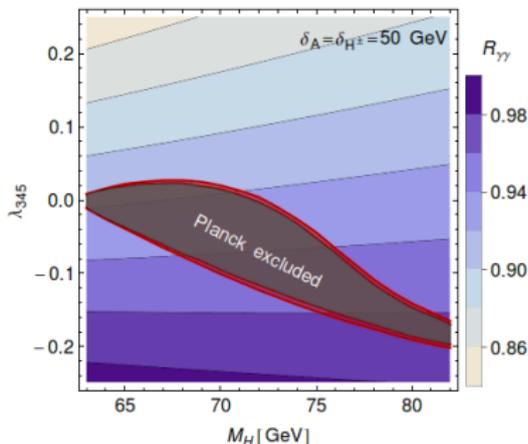
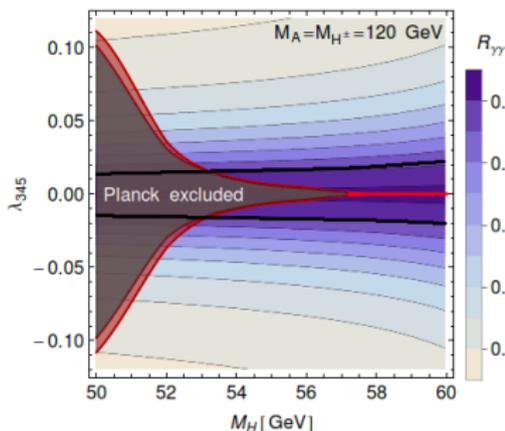
Tension: all scalar interactions are governed by the same coupling!
Gauge couplings are fixed!

Higgs portal models: SM + 2 scalar doublets

More constraints:

Higgs invisible decays: $\text{BR}(h \rightarrow S_i S_j) < 0.23 - 0.36$

$h \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ signal strength: $\mu_{\gamma\gamma} = 1.16^{+0.20}_{-0.18}$



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M. Krawczyk, D. Sokolowska, P. Swaczyna and B. Swiezewski, [JHEP 09 (2013) 055]

3-Higgs doublet models (3HDMs)

two scalar doublets + the SM Higgs doublet

ϕ_1, ϕ_2

ϕ_3

$$\phi_1 = \begin{pmatrix} H_1^+ \\ \frac{H_1 + iA_1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix}, \quad \phi_2 = \begin{pmatrix} H_2^+ \\ \frac{H_2 + iA_2}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix}, \quad \phi_3 = \begin{pmatrix} G^+ \\ \frac{h + iG^0}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix}$$

Z_2 -symmetric 3HDM with dark CPV

DM is protected by a Z_2 symmetry $(-, -, +)$:

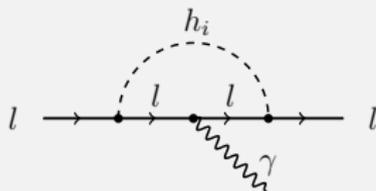
$$\phi_1 \rightarrow -\phi_1, \quad \phi_2 \rightarrow -\phi_2, \quad \text{SM fields} \rightarrow \text{SM fields}, \quad \phi_3 \rightarrow \phi_3$$

Z_2 symmetry respected by the vacuum $(0, 0, v)$:

$$\phi_1 = \begin{pmatrix} H_1^+ \\ \frac{H_1 + iA_1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix}, \quad \phi_2 = \begin{pmatrix} H_2^+ \\ \frac{H_2 + iA_2}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix}, \quad \phi_3 = \begin{pmatrix} G^+ \\ \frac{v+h+iG^0}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix}$$

Only ϕ_3 can couple to fermions $\phi_u = \phi_d = \phi_e = \phi_3$ and $h_i = h$

$$\begin{aligned} -\mathcal{L}_{Yukawa} = & Y_u \bar{Q}'_L i \sigma_2 \phi_u^* u'_R \\ & + Y_d \bar{Q}'_L \phi_d d'_R \\ & + Y_e \bar{L}'_L \phi_e e'_R + \text{h.c.} \end{aligned}$$



No contributions to electric dipole moments (EDMs)

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Z_2 -symmetric 3HDM with dark CPV

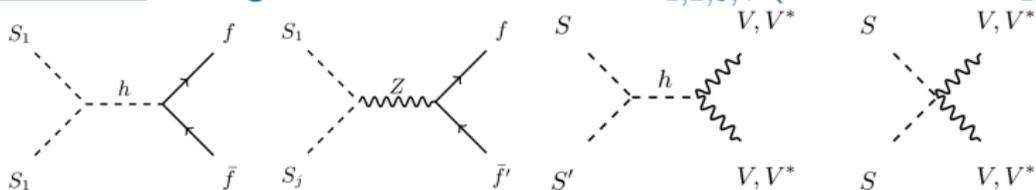
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DM candidate: the lightest CP-mixed state $S_{1,2,3,4}$ (mixtures of $H_{1,2}, A_{1,2}$)

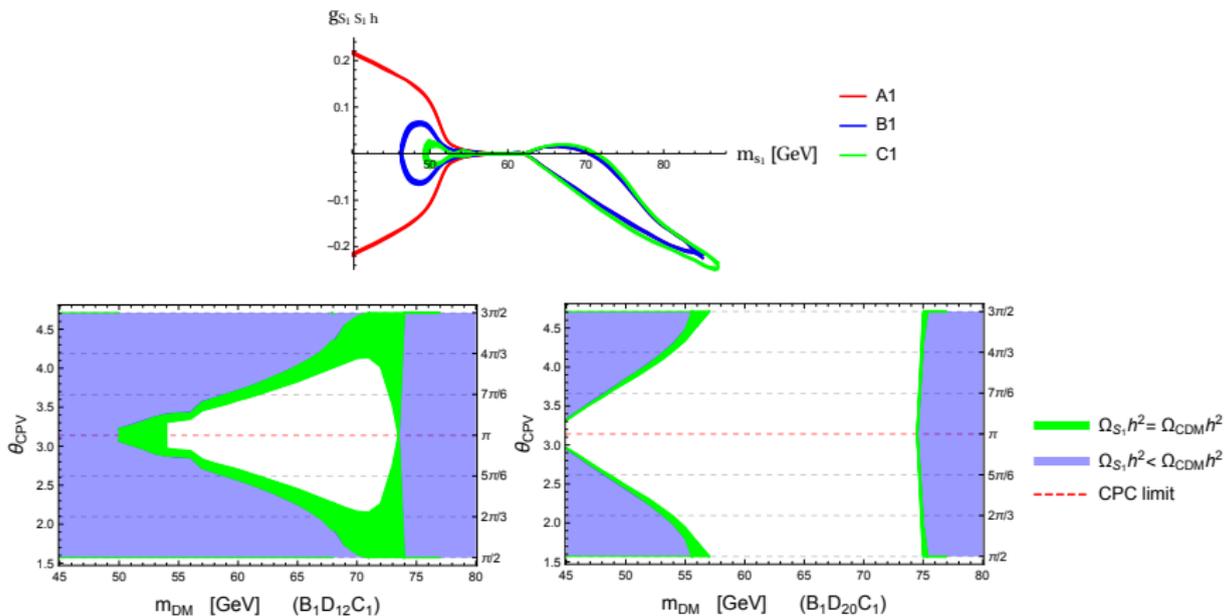


Tension released: the extended dark sector allows for annihilations, co-annihilations and CP-violation!

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Z_2 -symmetric 3HDM with dark CPV

Due to co-annihilation with other dark particles



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V. Keus, S. F. King, S. Moretti, D. Sokolowska, et al., [JHEP 12, 014 (2016)], V. Keus, [Phys. Rev. D 101, 073007 (2020)]