

# Pseudo Nambu Goldstone dark matter

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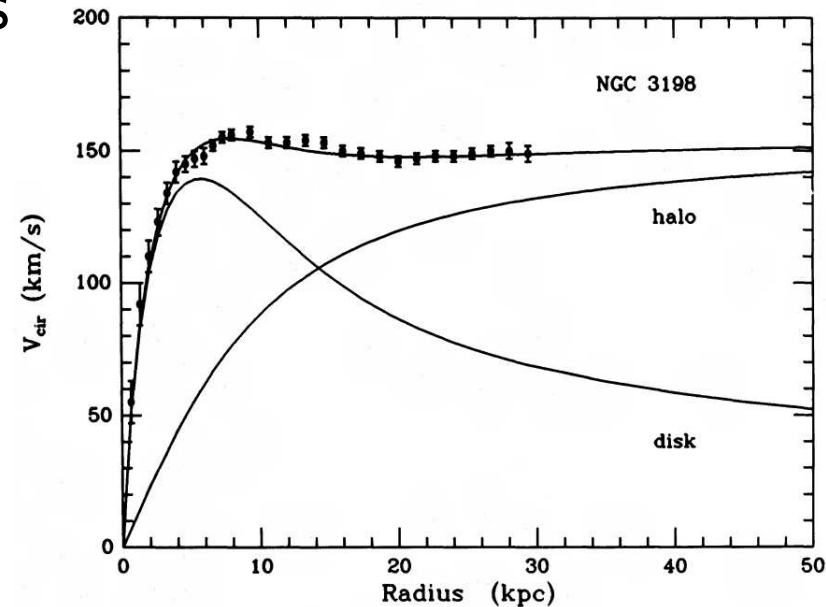
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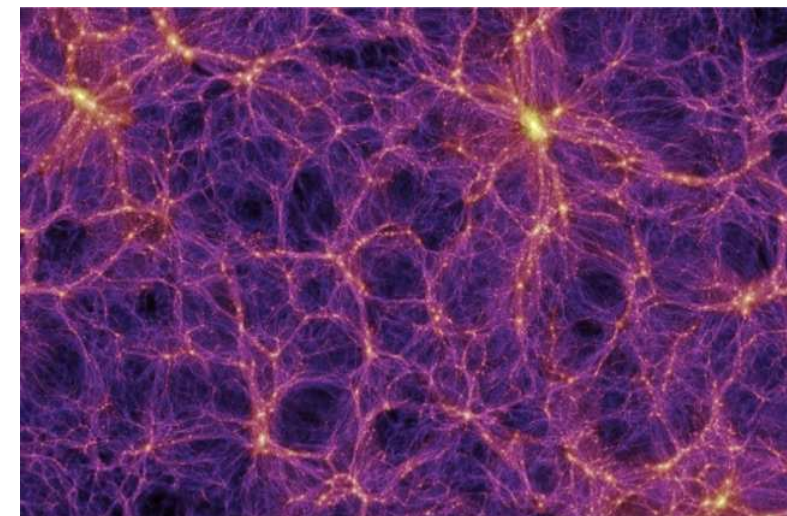
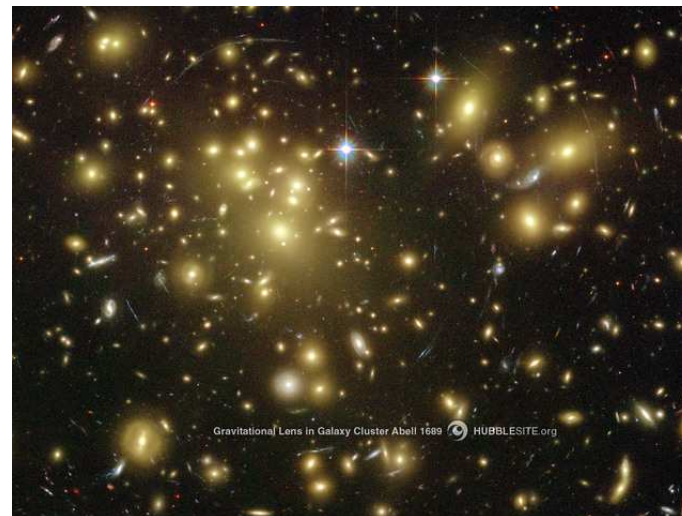
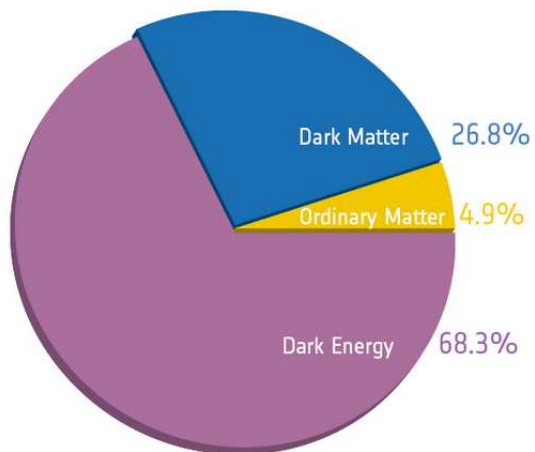
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- Gravitational lensing
- Large scale structure of the universe
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DM existence is crucial.

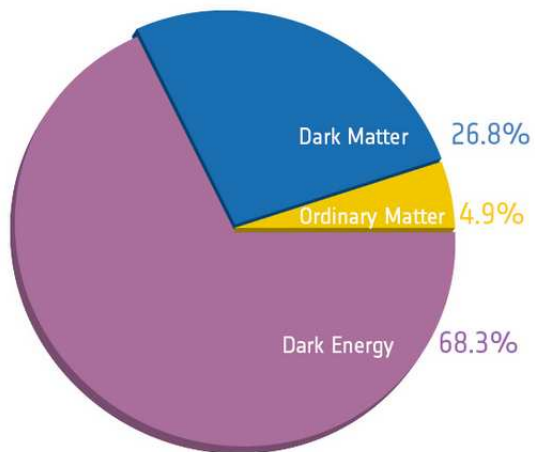


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# Nature of DM

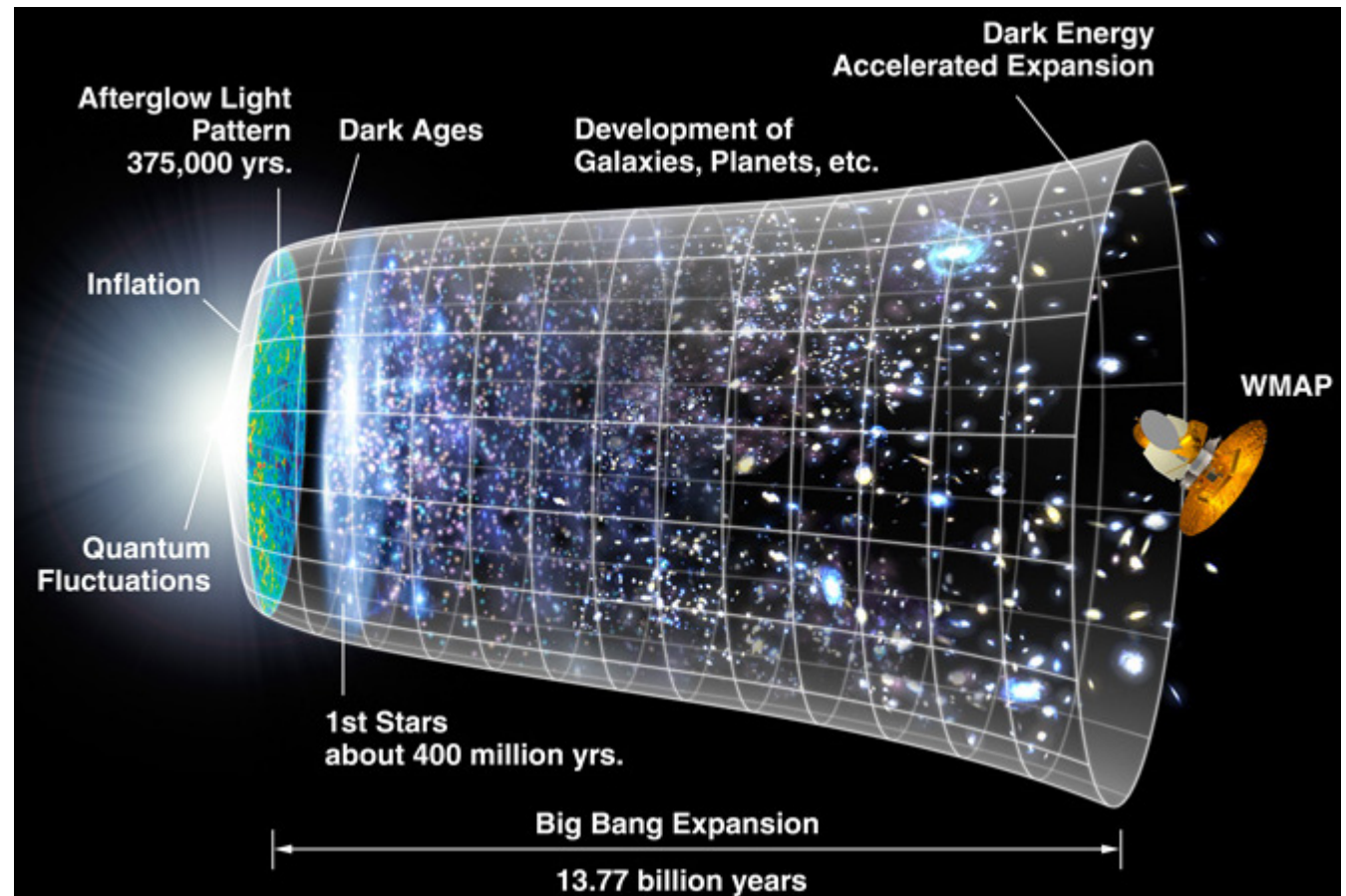
- Stable (at least longer than age of universe)
- Electrically neutral (may have very small charge)
- Occupy 27% of energy density of the universe
- Gravitational interaction
- Non-relativistic (cold)

Good candidates:

WIMP, FIMP, SIMP,  
axion, sterile neutrino,  
PBHs etc



Revived by recent observations of gravitational waves

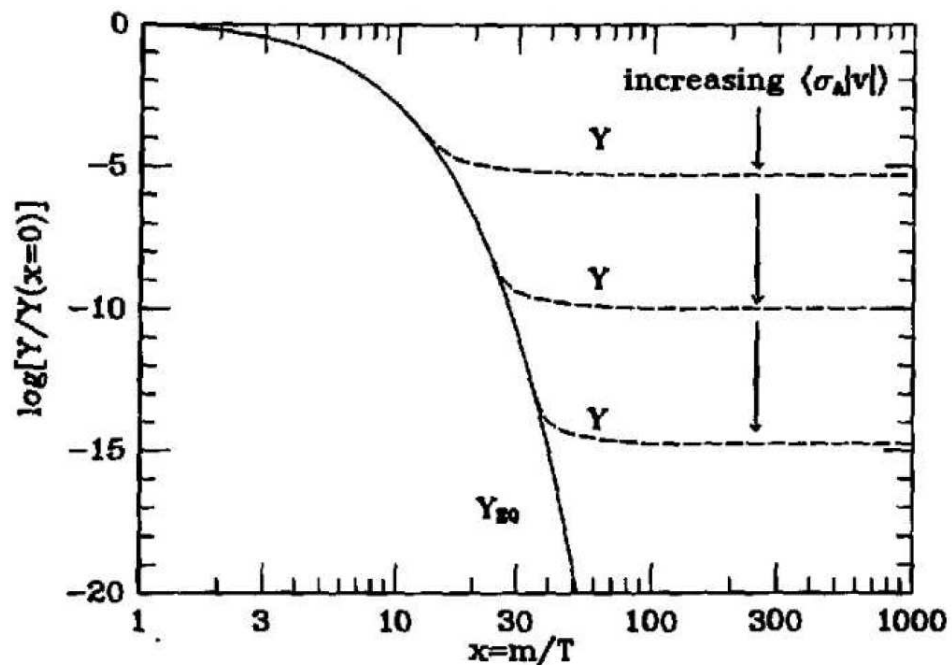


# WIMP production

Evolution of DM number density follows the Boltzmann eq.

$$\frac{dn_\chi}{dt} + 3Hn_\chi = -\langle\sigma v\rangle (n_\chi^2 - n_\chi^{\text{eq}2})$$

change variables  $t \leftrightarrow x \equiv \frac{m}{T}$ ,  $n_\chi \leftrightarrow Y \equiv \frac{n_\chi}{s}$ ,  $\Gamma \equiv \langle\sigma v\rangle n_\chi^{\text{eq}}$ ,



- DM relic is determined by  $\langle\sigma v\rangle$ .

- $\sigma v$  can be expanded by  $v$ .

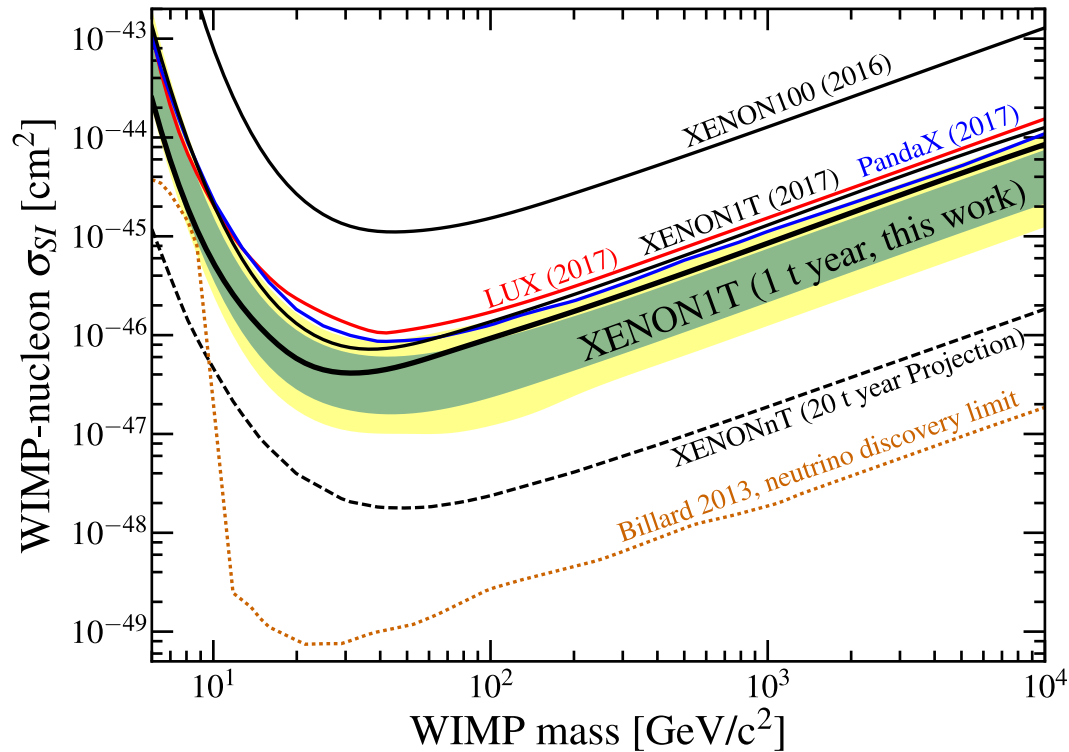
- $$\Omega h^2 \sim \frac{10^{-10} [\text{GeV}^{-2}]}{\langle\sigma v\rangle} \sim 0.1$$

(Planck Collaboration Data)

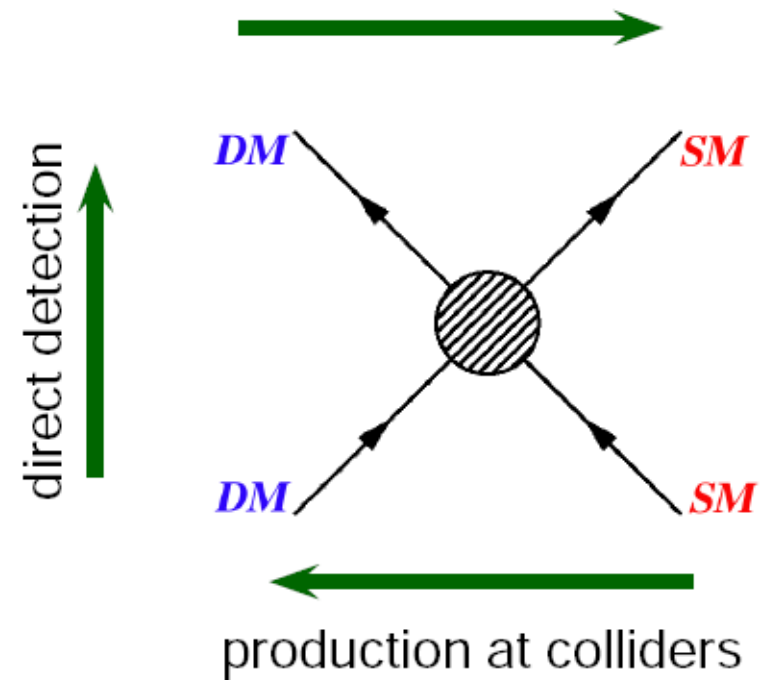
$$\begin{aligned} \rightarrow \langle\sigma v\rangle &\sim 10^{-9} [\text{GeV}^{-2}] \\ &\sim 10^{-26} [\text{cm}^3/\text{s}] \end{aligned}$$

# WIMP search status

Direct detection **XENON1T, PRL (2018)**



thermal freeze-out (early Univ.)  
indirect detection (now)



- Experimental bounds are stronger and stronger.
- Interactions between DM and SM are very weak? → non-WIMP DM?

In this talk, I will consider a simple DM model which naturally evades the strong DD constraint.

# Pseudo Nambu Goldstone DM



# Model of pseudo-Goldstone DM

C. Gross, O. Lebedev, TT, PRL (2017) [arXiv:1708.02253]

- Introduce complex scalar field  $S = (s + i\chi)/\sqrt{2}$
- Assume global  $U(1)$  symmetry (invariant under  $S \rightarrow e^{i\alpha} S$ )

$$\mathcal{V} = -\frac{\mu_H^2}{2}|H|^2 - \frac{\mu_S^2}{2}|S|^2 + \frac{\lambda_H}{2}|H|^4 + \lambda_{HS}|H|^2|S|^2 + \frac{\lambda_S}{2}|S|^4$$

$$- \left( \frac{\mu_S'^2}{4} S^2 + \text{H.c.} \right) \quad \leftarrow \text{soft breaking mass term}$$

- After  $H$  and  $S$  get VEVs,  $\phi$  and  $s$  mix

$$H = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ (v + \phi)/\sqrt{2} \end{pmatrix}, \quad S = \frac{v_s + s + i\chi}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \phi \\ s \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta & \sin \theta \\ -\sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} h_1 \\ h_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

- $\sin \theta \lesssim 0.3$   $\leftarrow$  Constrained by EWPT,  $h_2$  direct search at LHC

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- $\chi$  is mass eigenstate itself  $m_\chi^2 = \mu_S'^2$   
Invariant under  $S \rightarrow S^\dagger$ ,  $\Rightarrow \chi$  can be a DM candidate
- Higgs portal DM
- 4 independent parameters ( $m_\chi, m_{h_2}, \sin \theta, v_s$  ( $\lambda_S$ ))
- Rewrite scalar potential  $\mathcal{V} = \mu_{h_1\chi\chi} h_1 \chi^2 + \mu_{h_2\chi\chi} h_2 \chi^2 + \dots$

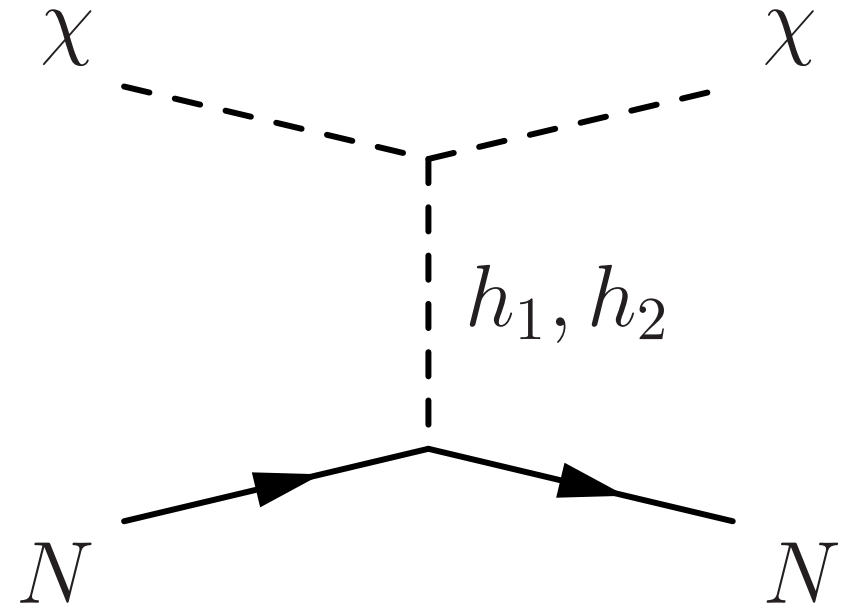
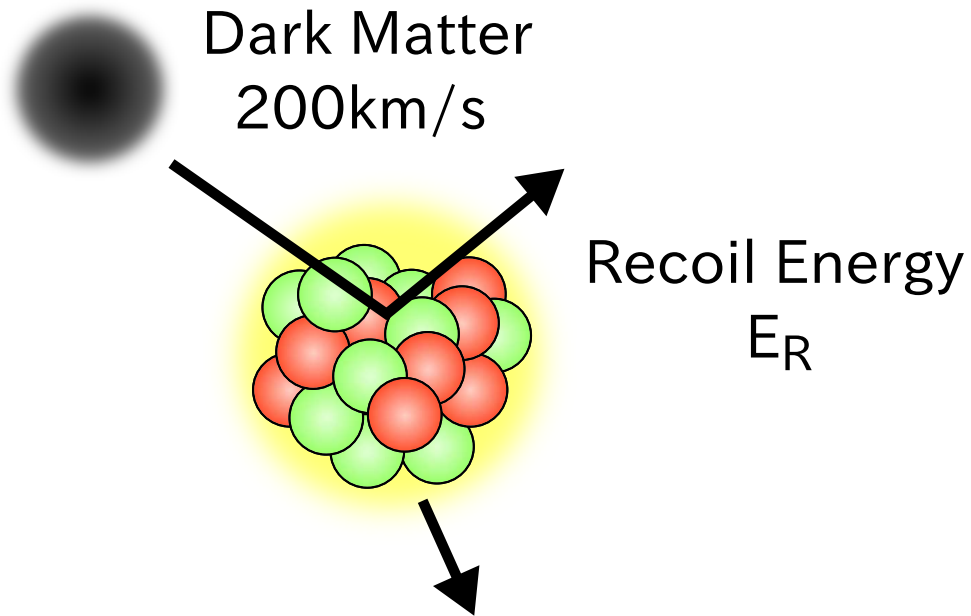
$$\mu_{h_1\chi\chi} = -\frac{m_{h_1}^2 \sin \theta}{v_s}, \quad \mu_{h_2\chi\chi} = \frac{m_{h_2}^2 \cos \theta}{v_s},$$

SM Yukawa int.  $\mathcal{L} \supset -y_q \left( \cos \theta h_1 + \sin \theta h_2 \right) \bar{q}q$

$$\lambda_H = \frac{\cos^2 \theta m_{h_1}^2 + \sin^2 \theta m_{h_2}^2}{v^2}, \quad \lambda_S = \frac{\sin^2 \theta m_{h_1}^2 + \cos^2 \theta m_{h_2}^2}{v_s^2}, \quad \lambda_{HS} = \frac{\sin \theta \cos \theta (m_{h_2}^2 - m_{h_1}^2)}{v v_s}$$

# Direct detection (tree level)

C. Gross, O. Lebedev, TT, PRL (2017) [arXiv:1708.02253]



- Scattering amplitude cancels between  $h_1, h_2$  mediated diagrams

$$i\mathcal{M} \sim i \left( \frac{m_{h_1}^2}{q^2 - m_{h_1}^2} - \frac{m_{h_2}^2}{q^2 - m_{h_2}^2} \right) \sim i \frac{q^2(m_{h_1}^2 - m_{h_2}^2)}{m_{h_1}^2 m_{h_2}^2}$$

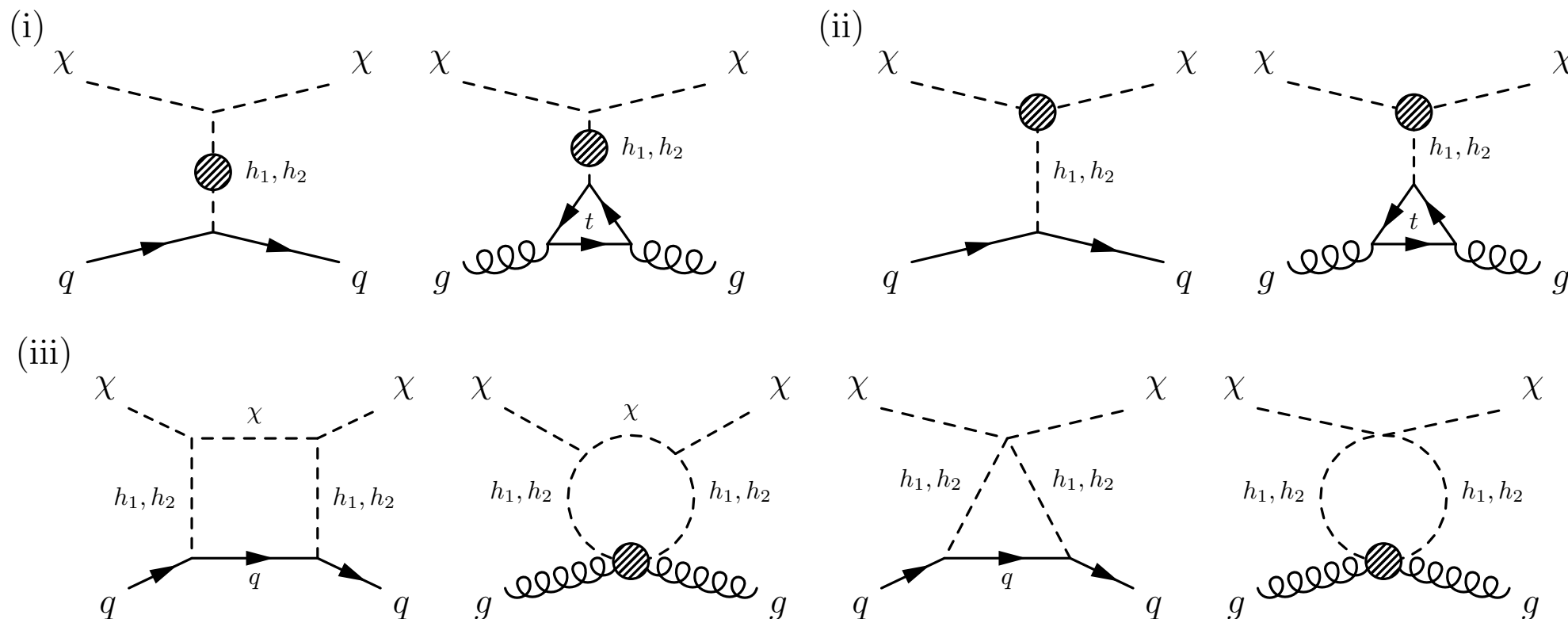
- The cancellation happens because of nature of Goldstone boson

$$\rightarrow \mathcal{L}_{\text{int}} = \mathcal{L}_{\text{int}}(\partial_\mu \chi)$$

# Direct detection (1-loop level)

K. Ishiwata, TT, JHEP [arXiv:1810.08139]

- Compute Feynman diagrams at 1-loop level



- (i) self-energy correction

- (ii) vertex correction

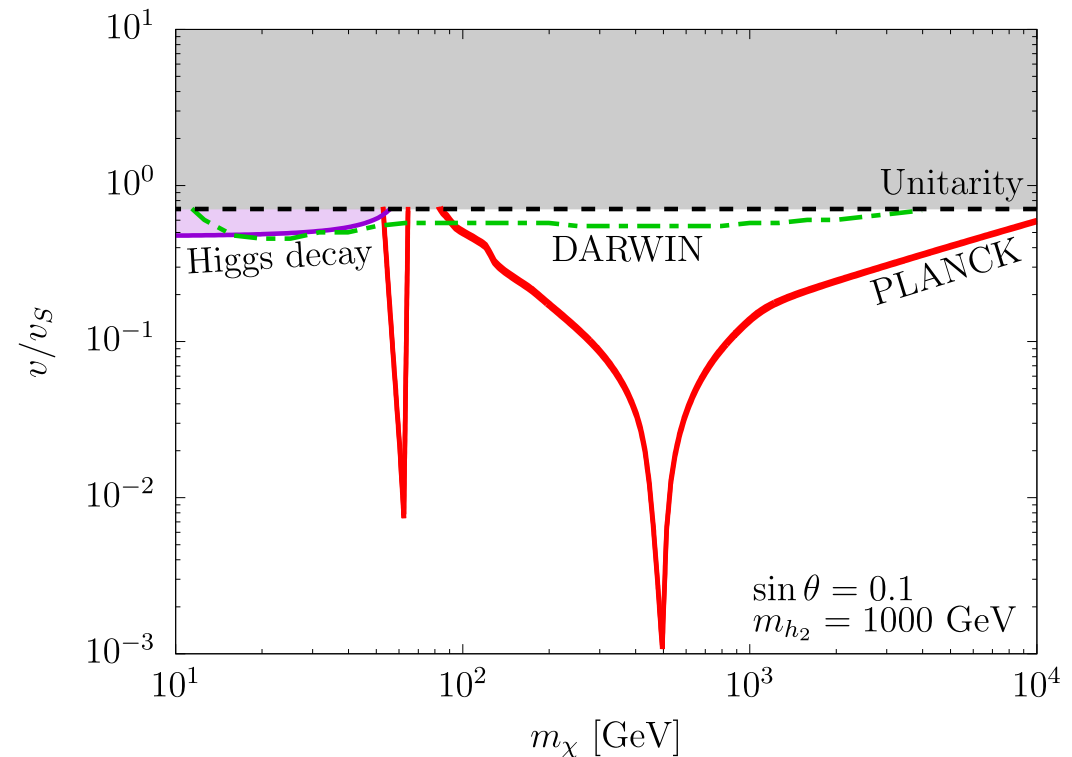
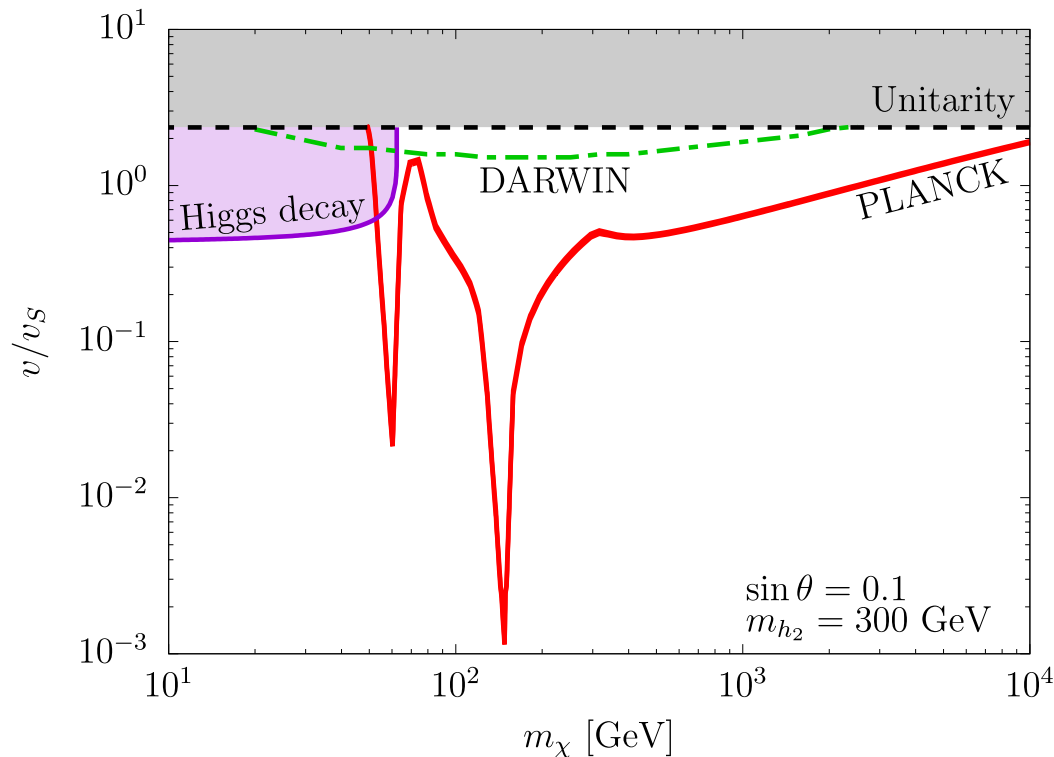
- (iii) box and triangle

→ two Yukawa couplings

→ sub-dominant in most cases

# Numerical analysis (1-loop level)

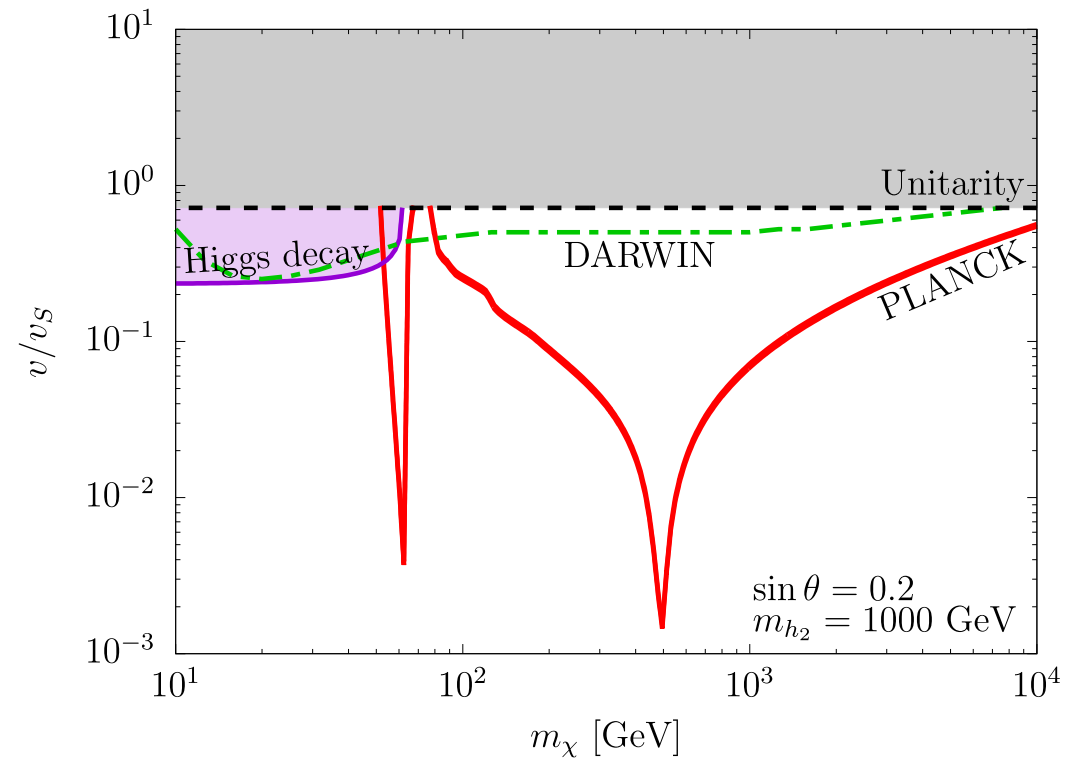
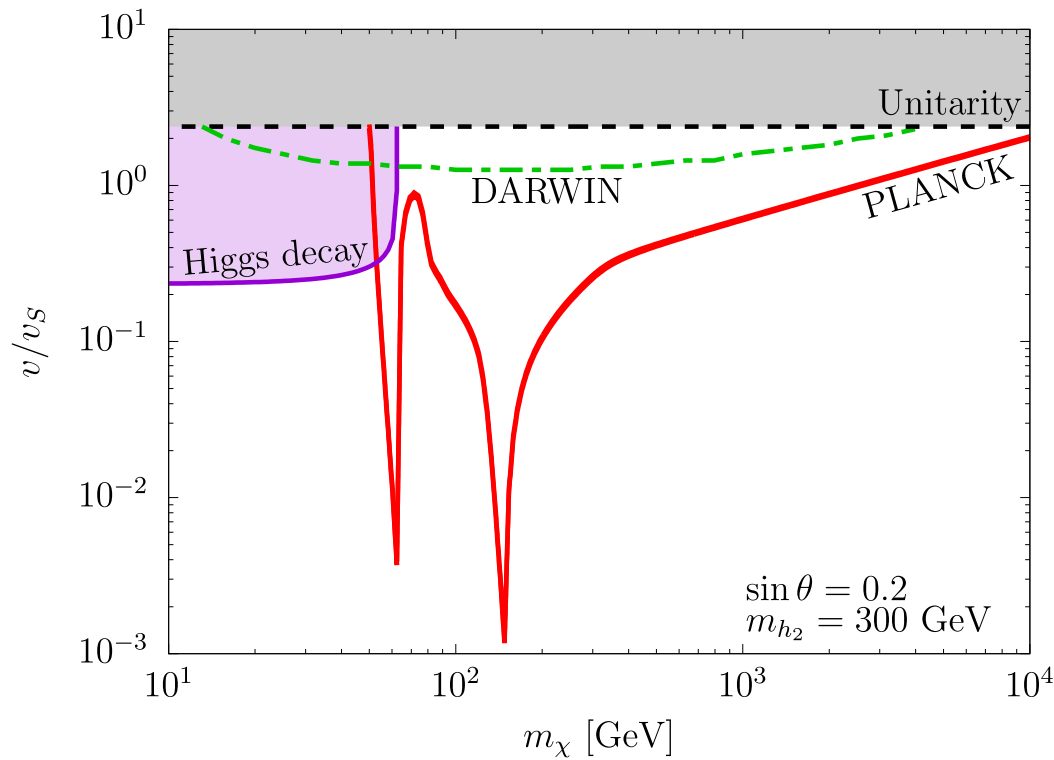
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- $\sin \theta = 0.1$  ( (i)+(ii) is dominant )
- invisible Higgs decay  $\text{Br}(h_1 \rightarrow \text{inv}) \lesssim 10\%$  at LHC
- Two resonances at  $(h_1, h_2)$ ,  $v/v_s \sim \sqrt{\lambda_S} v / m_{h_2}$
- Perturbative unitarity  $\lambda_S \leq 8\pi/3$  [Chen et al., arXiv:1410.5488](#)
- $\sigma_{\text{SI}}^p = \mathcal{O}(10^{-48}) \text{ cm}^2$  at most
- Direct detection limit is always above the unitarity bound

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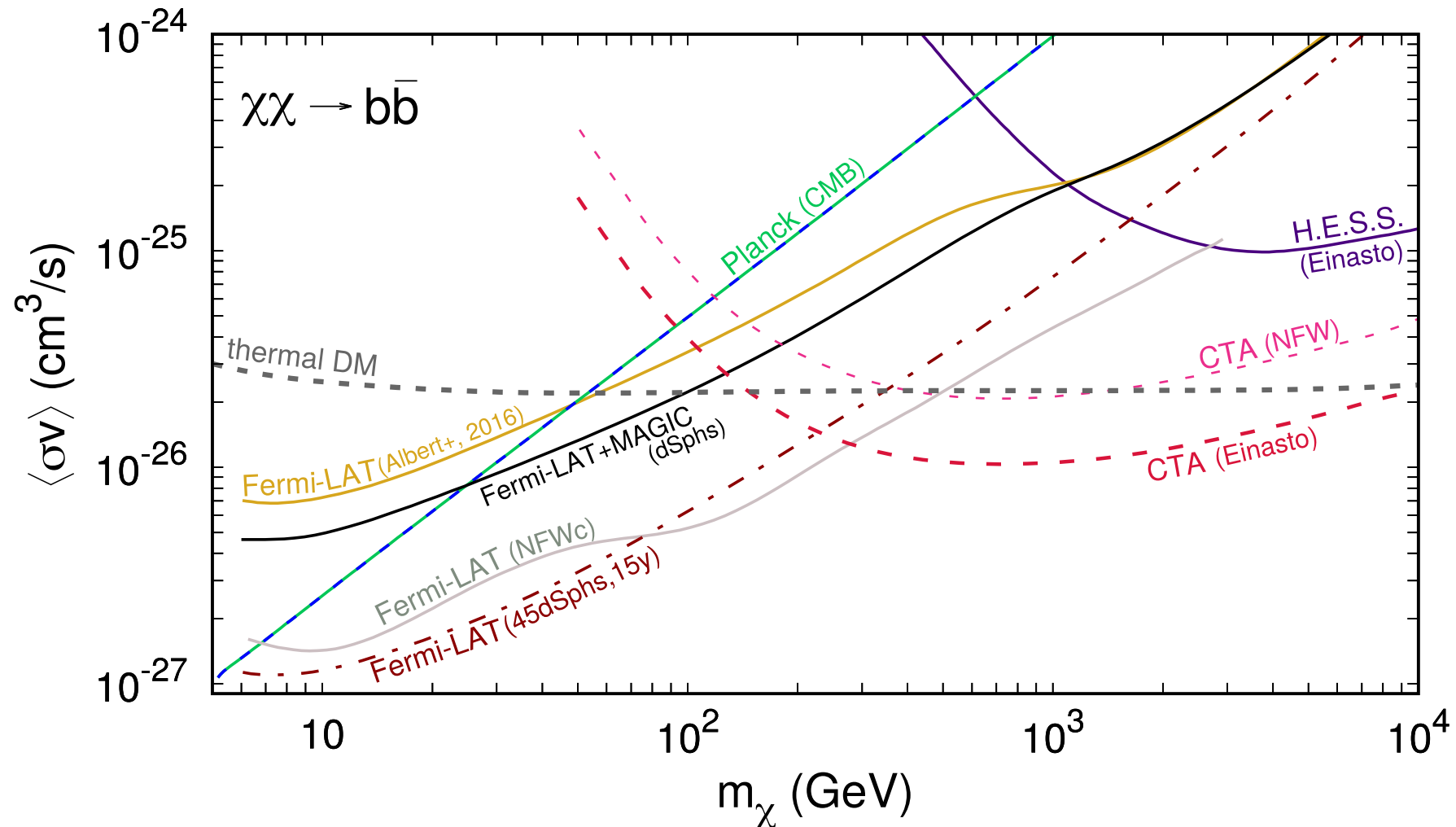
- $\sin \theta = 0.2$
- Direct detection limit is always above the unitarity bound.
- Testable parameter space is slightly extended.

# Signals of Pseudo Nambu Goldstone DM

# Gamma-ray constraint

L. Roszkowski et al., Rept.Prog.Phys. 81 (2018), [arXiv:1707.06277]

- Present bounds and future prospects ( $\chi\chi \rightarrow b\bar{b}$ )



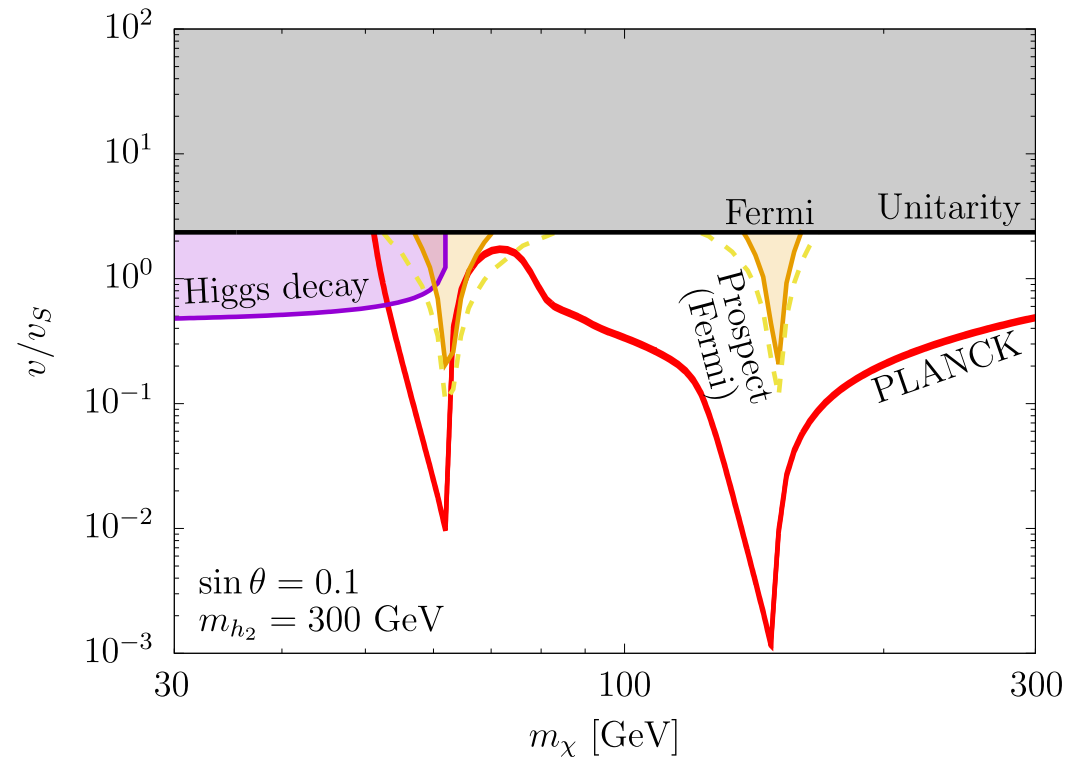
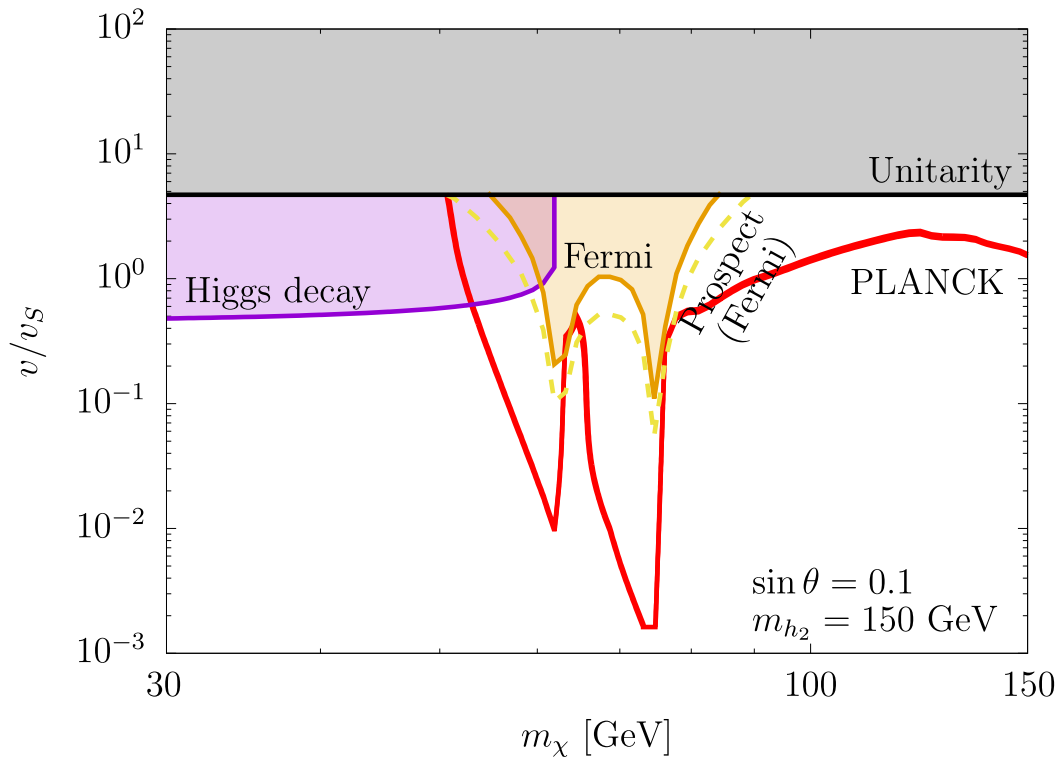
DM annihilations:  $\chi\chi \rightarrow h_i h_j, WW, ZZ, f\bar{f}$

- Gamma-rays are produced at the end



# Gamma-ray constraint

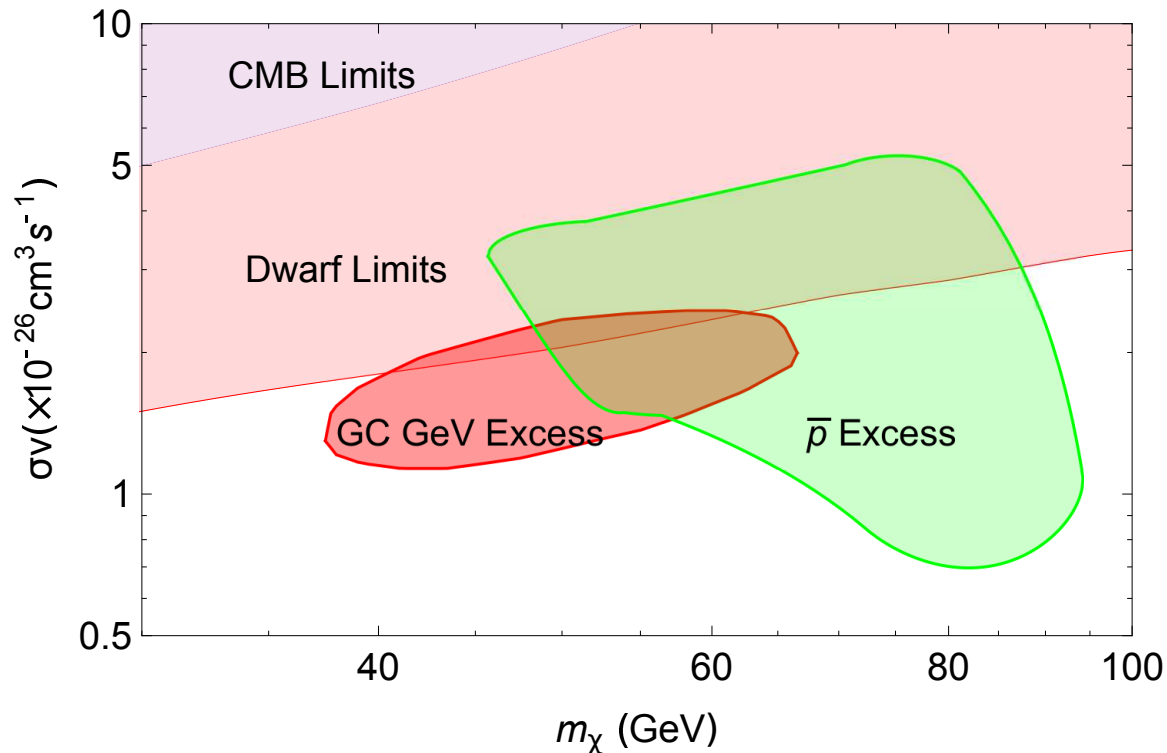
Huitu, Koivunen, Lebedev, Mondal, TT, arXiv:1812.05952



- Small parameter space is excluded by Fermi-LAT gamma-ray observation
- Thermal WIMP scenarios can be tested only when  $m_\chi = \mathcal{O}(100)$  GeV
- CTA is sensitive in heavy DM mass region (DM profile dependent) but  $\chi\chi \rightarrow h_2h_2$  is dominant in this mass range.

# Cosmic ray anomalies

Cholis, Linden, Hooper, arXiv:1903.02549



- Excesses in gamma ray and anti-proton cosmic ray.  $\gtrsim 4\sigma$
- could be (thermal) DM signal. (other explanations: pulsar etc)

$$\chi\chi \rightarrow f\bar{f}, WW, ZZ \rightarrow \gamma, \bar{p}$$

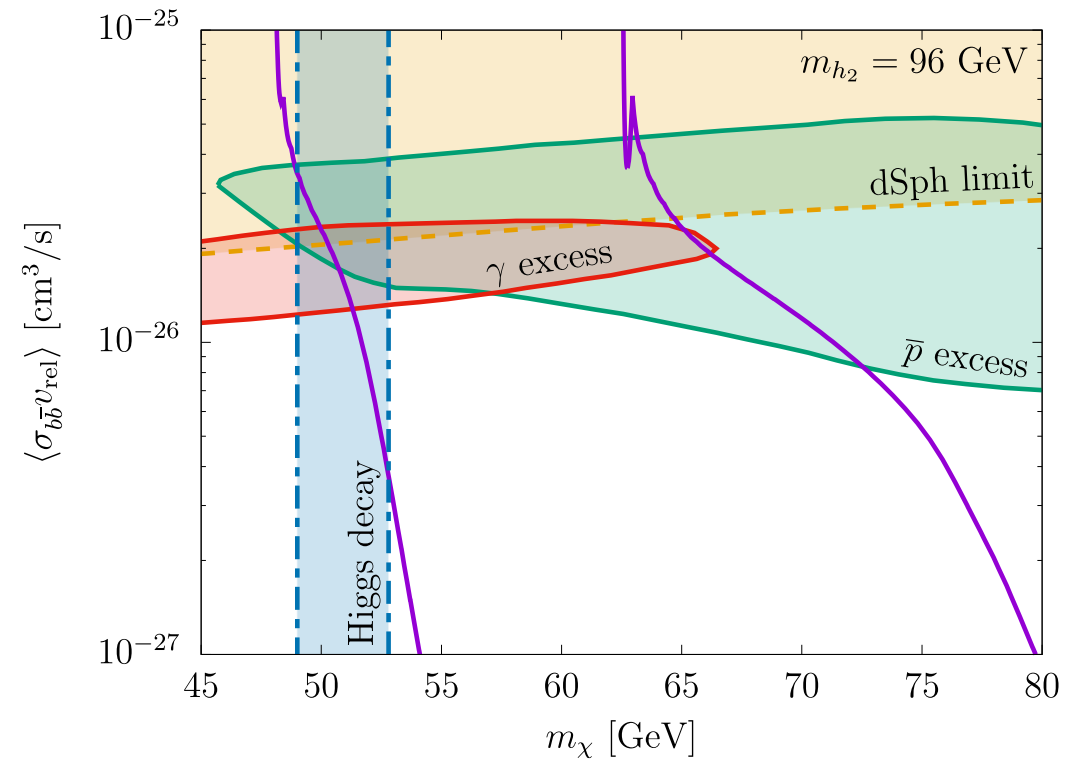
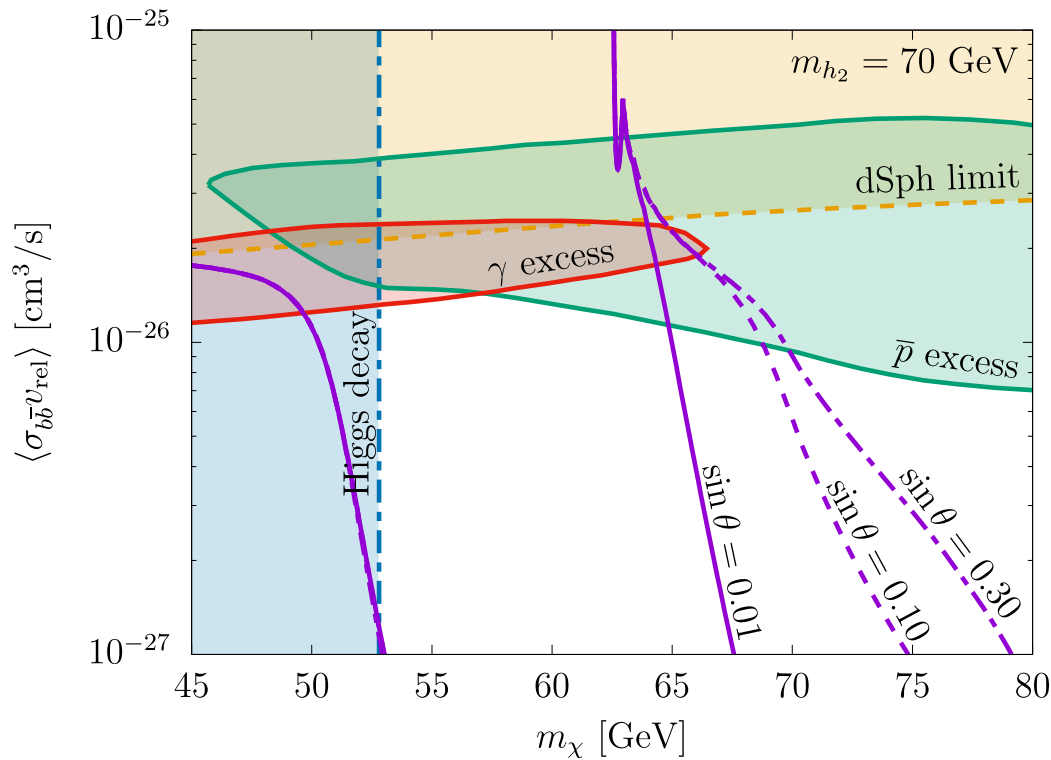
- Cross section:  $\langle\sigma_{b\bar{b}v}\rangle \approx (0.8 - 5.2) \times 10^{-26} \text{ cm}^3/\text{s}$   
DM mass: 64 – 88 GeV

→ coincide with  $\langle\sigma v\rangle$  for thermal relic.

- Typical thermal WIMP conflicts with direct detection bound. But pseudo Goldstone DM can naturally avoid the constraint.

# Cosmic ray anomalies

Cline, TT, arXiv:1906.07659



- $m_{h_2} = 70, 96$  GeV.
- Additional channel  $\chi\chi \rightarrow h_2 h_2$  if  $m_\chi > m_{h_2}$ .  $\rightarrow$  mixing dependence
- Cosmic-ray anomalies can be explained by pseudo Goldstone DM in  $2\sigma$  CL if  $m_\chi = 64 - 67$  GeV.

# Collider anomalies

Heinemeyer, Stefaniak, arXiv:1812.05864  
CMS-PAS-HIG-14-037, CMS-PAS-HIG-17-013

- Collider anomalies around 96 GeV.  $2.3\sigma$  (LEP) and  $2.9\sigma$  (CMS)

$$b\bar{b} \text{ excess at LEP : } \mu_{\text{LEP}} \equiv \frac{\sigma_{\text{exp}}(e^+e^- \rightarrow h_2 \rightarrow Zb\bar{b})}{\sigma_{\text{SM}}(e^+e^- \rightarrow h_{\text{SM}}(96) \rightarrow Zb\bar{b})} = 0.117 \pm 0.057$$

$$\gamma\gamma \text{ excess at CMS : } \mu_{\text{CMS}} \equiv \frac{\sigma_{\text{exp}}(gg \rightarrow h_2 \rightarrow \gamma\gamma)}{\sigma_{\text{SM}}(gg \rightarrow h_{\text{SM}}(96) \rightarrow \gamma\gamma)} = 0.6 \pm 0.2$$

- Both anomalies cannot be explained at the same time in the model.
- But can be explained if a new scalar quark  $\Phi$  is added.  
→ change  $h\gamma\gamma$  and  $hgg$  effective couplings (and other couplings)
- $\Phi$  is triplet or sextet

$$\mathcal{L} = -\lambda_{S\Phi}|S|^2|\Phi|^2 - \lambda_{H\Phi}|H|^2|\Phi|^2 + \left( y_{\Phi}\Phi^*\overline{q_R}q_R^c \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{\Phi}{\Lambda^3}(\overline{q_R}q_R^c)^2 \right)$$

$$m_{\Phi}^2 = \mu_{\Phi}^2 + \frac{\lambda_{S\Phi}}{2}v_s^2 + \frac{\lambda_{H\Phi}}{2}v^2 \equiv \mu_{\Phi}^2 + \overline{\mu}_{\Phi}^2$$

# Collider anomalies

Cline, TT, arXiv:1906.07659

## ■ Model list:

model	$q_\Phi$	$N_c$	$\frac{m_\Phi}{ \lambda_{S\Phi} ^{1/2}}$ [GeV]	$\frac{\bar{\mu}_\Phi}{ \lambda_{S\Phi} ^{1/2}}$ [GeV]	$s_\theta$	$\lambda_{S\Phi}$	$\lambda_{H\Phi}$	$\chi^2/\text{d.o.f.}$
1	8/3	6	943	836	0.39	1.9	3.3	3.6
2	8/3	3	601	778	0.36	1.4	1.6	2.2
3	5/3	6	700	741	0.34	3.4	3.5	2.1
4	5/3	3	417	838	0.39	3.0	5.2	3.7
5	2/3	6	588	795	0.37	4.8	5.9	1.4
6(*)	2/3	3	284	765	0.35	3.4	3.6	1.5
7	-1/3	6	554	830	0.39	5.4	8.0	1.5
8(*)	-1/3	3	256	810	0.38	4.1	5.6	1.4
9	-4/3	6	666	752	0.35	3.8	3.9	1.8
10(*)	-4/3	3	333	737	0.34	2.4	3.0	2.5

■ We need large couplings  $\lambda_{S\Phi}$ ,  $\lambda_{H\Phi}$ , and large mixing  $s_\theta$

■ Mass bounds:  $m_\Phi \gtrsim 720$  GeV (triplet 4jet)

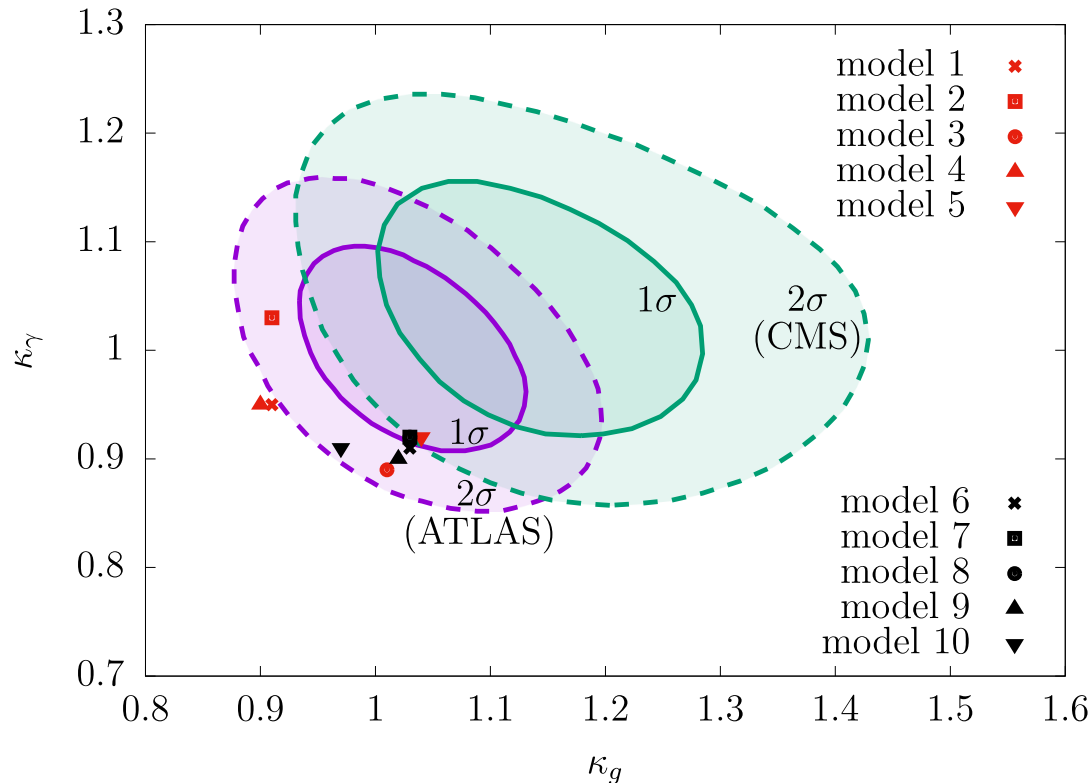
$m_\Phi \gtrsim 1.3$  TeV (sextet 4jet)

$m_\Phi \gtrsim 520$  GeV (triplet 2jet)

# Collider anomalies

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## ■ $\kappa_\gamma - \kappa_g$ plane



- Higgs coupling strengths are also affected

$$\kappa_i = \frac{\text{coupling in our model}}{\text{coupling in SM}}$$

ex.  $\mathcal{L} = g_{hZZ} h Z^2 \rightarrow \kappa_Z = c_\theta$

- Model 5,6,7,8 within 2 $\sigma$  range (all observables).

- $\chi\chi \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$  is also enhanced by  $\Phi$ .  $\rightarrow \sigma_{\gamma\gamma} v \sim 10^{-28} \text{ cm}^3/\text{s}$   
slightly below the Fermi bound  $(0.5 - 4) \times 10^{-28} \text{ cm}^3/\text{s}$

# Summary

- 1 DD constraint is strong, but pseudo-Goldstone DM naturally avoids.
- 2 Elastic cross section with nucleon is  $\sigma_{\text{SI}}^N = \mathcal{O}(10^{-48}) \text{ cm}^2$  at most.  
(1-loop)
- 3 Gamma ray and anti proton excesses can be explained at the same time with  $m_\chi = 64 - 67 \text{ GeV}$ .
- 4 Collider anomalies can also be fit if a new colored scalar is introduced.

## Future works

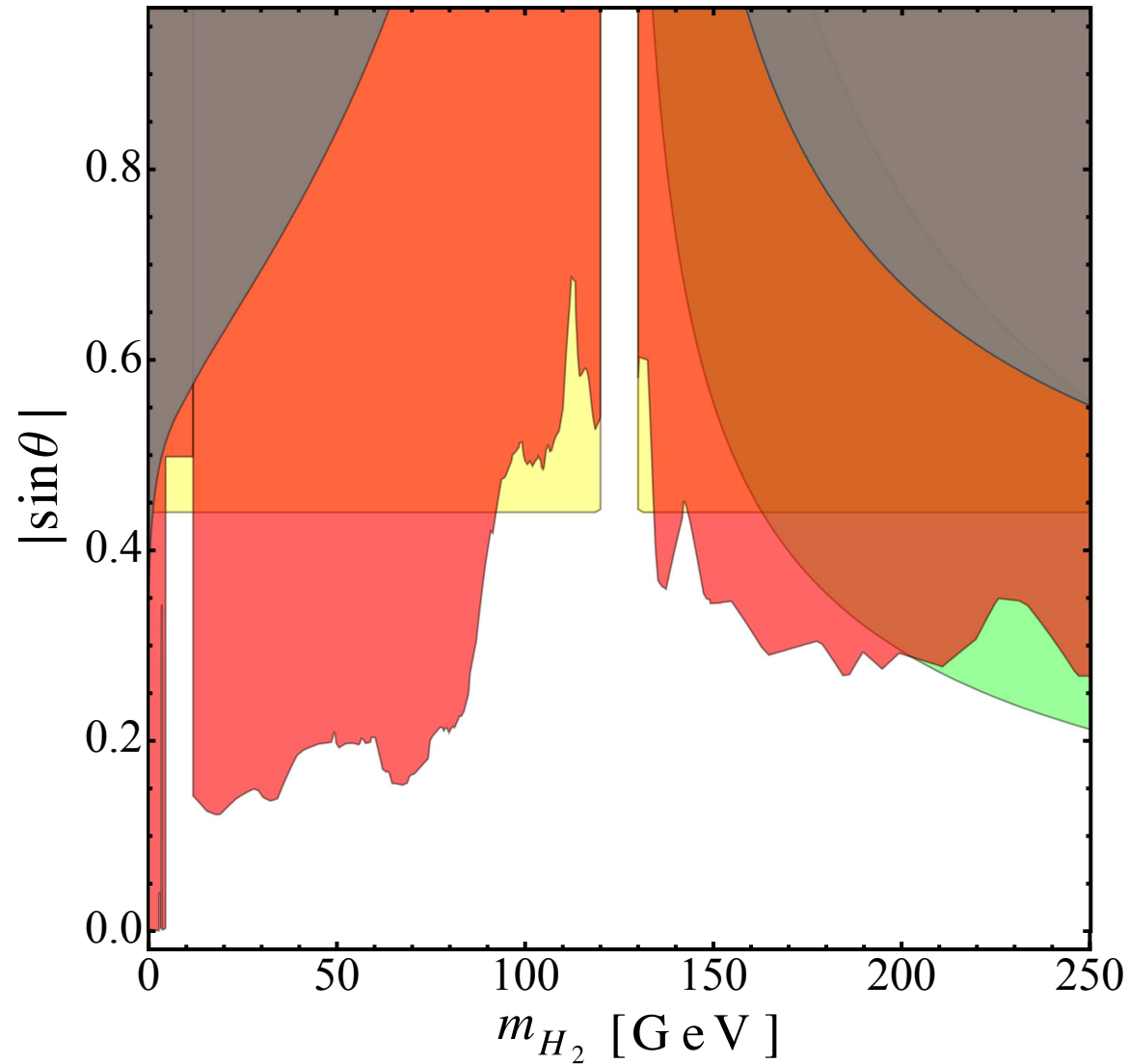
- 1 Embedding in a UV Gauged  $U(1)$  model  $\rightarrow$  induce DM decay

# Buck Up



# Bound on $\sin \theta$

A. Falkowski et al., JHEP 1505 (2015) [arxiv:1502.01361]



- $|\sin \theta| \lesssim 0.44$  at  $m_{H_2} = 96$  GeV.

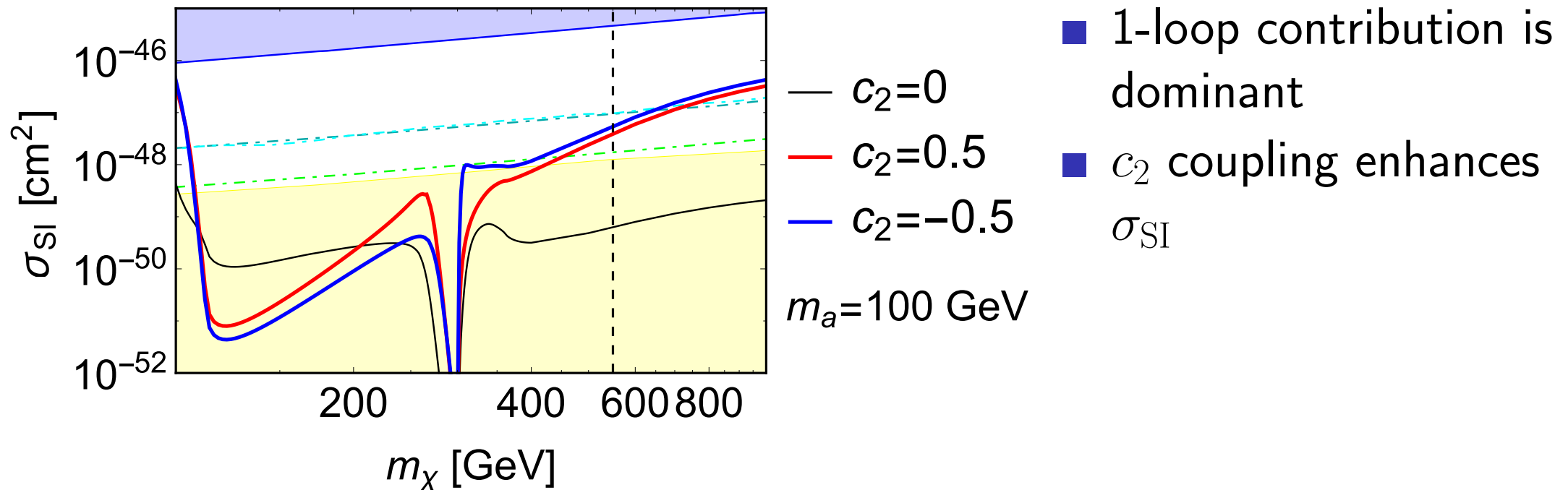
# Majorana DM model

G. Arcadi et al., JCAP 1803 (2018), T. Abe et al. arxiv:1810.01039, ...

Majorana DM interacting with pseudo-scalar

$$\mathcal{L} \supset \frac{g_\chi}{2} a \bar{\chi} \gamma_5 \chi - c_2 a^2 |H_2|^2 + \dots$$

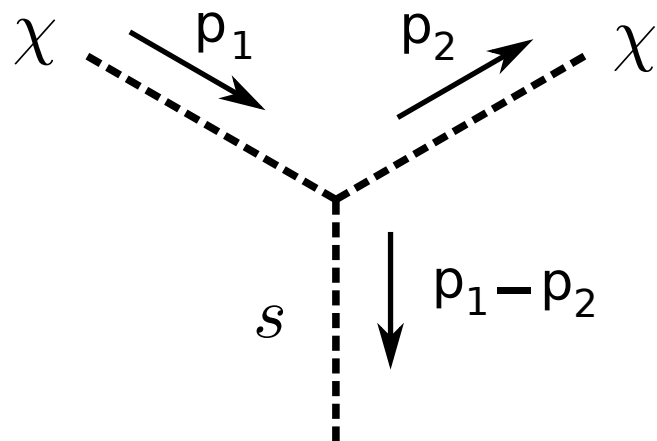
- Two Higgs Doublet + fermion DM ( $\chi$ ) + pseudo-scalar ( $a$ ).
- Tree level amplitude vanishes in non-relativistic limit



# Direct detection (tree level)

C. Gross, O. Lebedev, TT, PRL (2017) [arXiv:1708.02253]

$$\text{Rewrite with } S = \frac{(v_s + s)}{\sqrt{2}} e^{i\chi/v_s} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \mathcal{L} \supset -\frac{1}{v_s} \partial_\mu s (\chi \partial^\mu \chi)$$



$$\rightarrow i\mathcal{M} \sim -\frac{2i}{v_s} (p_1 - p_2)^2 \sim -\frac{2i}{v_s} m_\chi^2 v_\chi^2$$

- The cancellation happens because of nature of Goldstone boson  
 $\rightarrow$  All the interactions are written with derivative couplings

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{int}} = \mathcal{L}_{\text{int}}(\partial_\mu \chi)$$

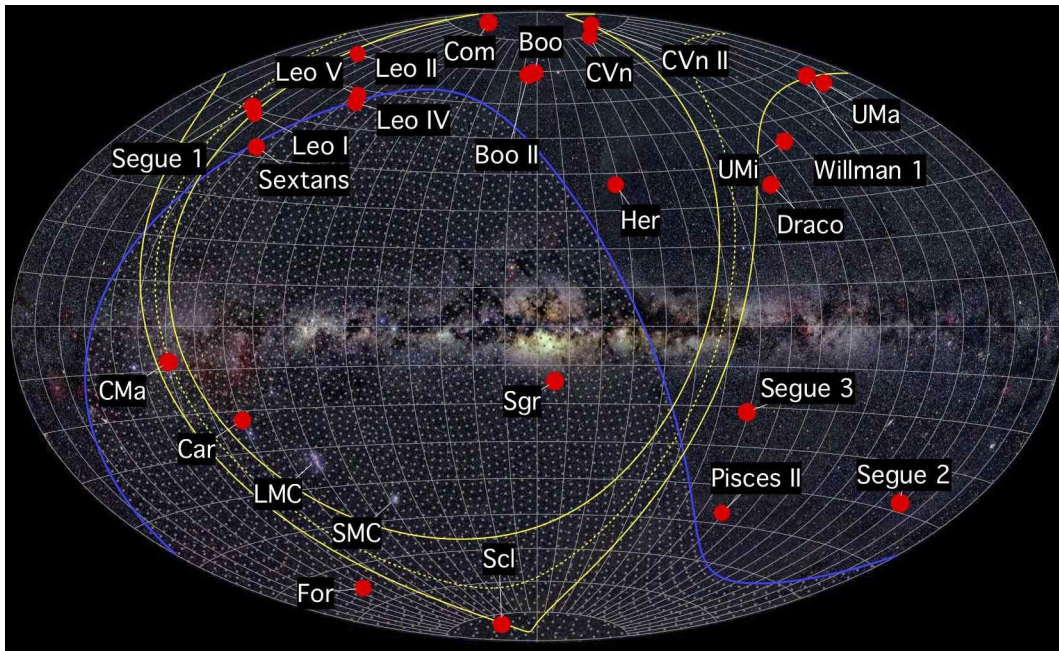
- Additional comment: Scalar potential can be stabilized up to Planck scale if  $m_{h_2} \gtrsim 200$  GeV.

# Indirect detection

## DM annihilations

$$\chi\chi \rightarrow h_i h_j, WW, ZZ, f\bar{f}$$

- Gamma-rays are produced at the end
- Strong constraints from dSphs (rich DM and less visible matter)



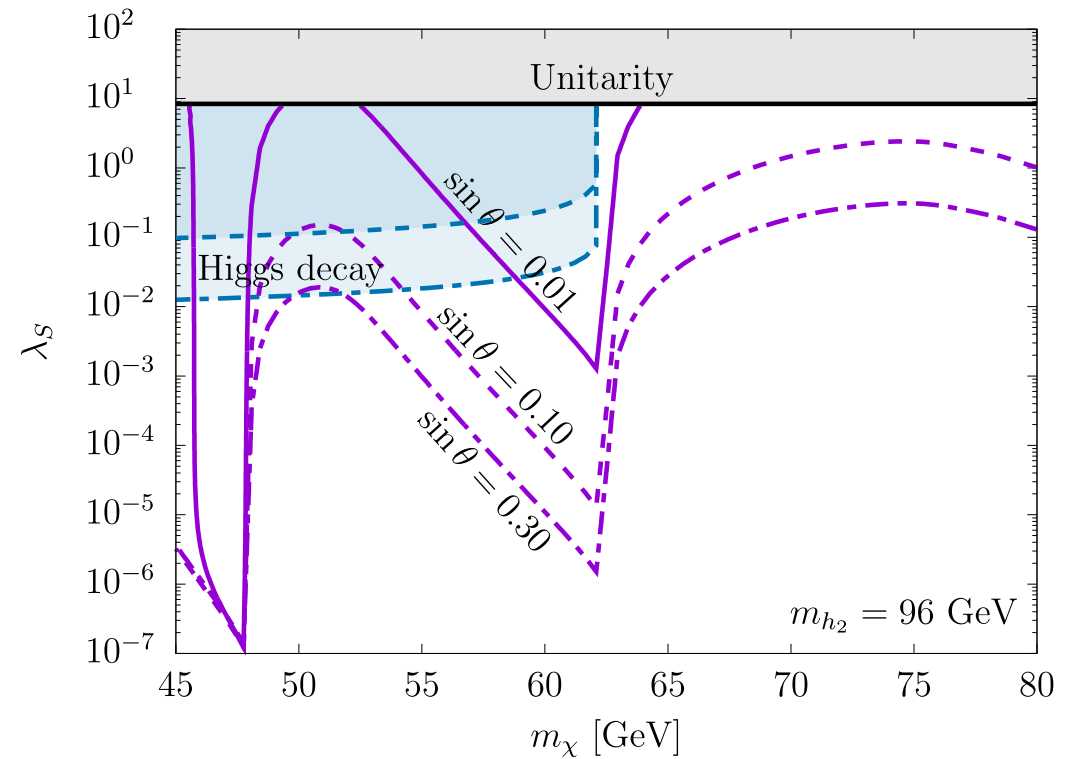
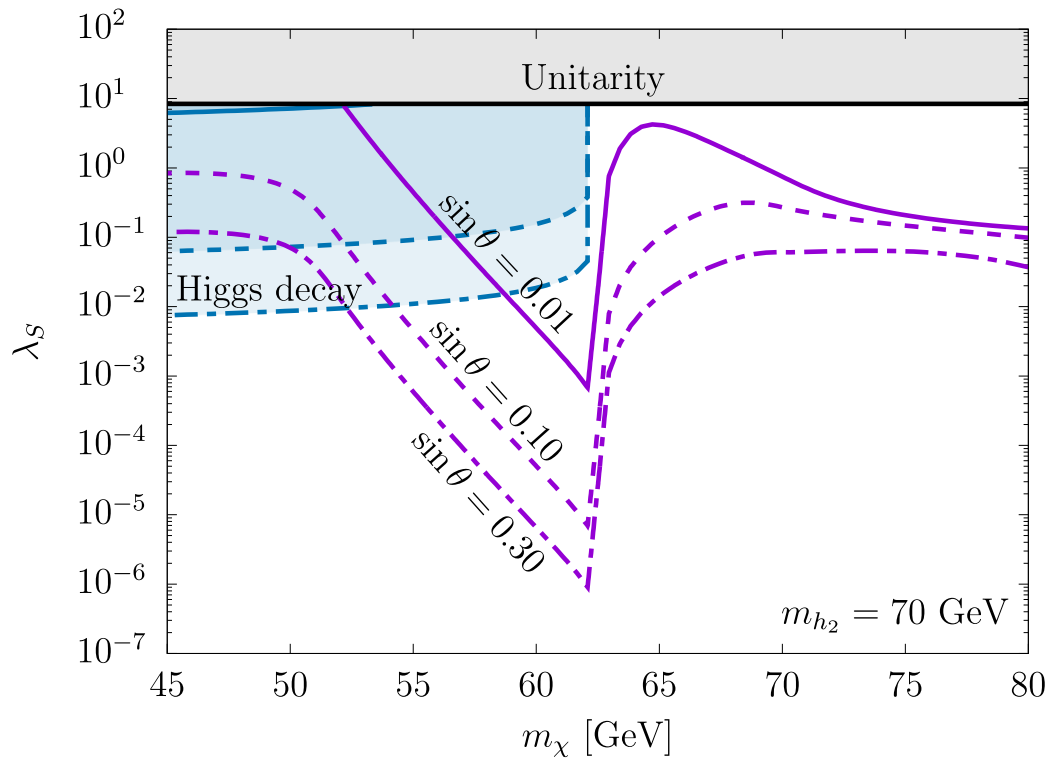
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- $\mathcal{O}(50)$  dSphs have been found so far.
- DM models are constrained.

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# Collider search

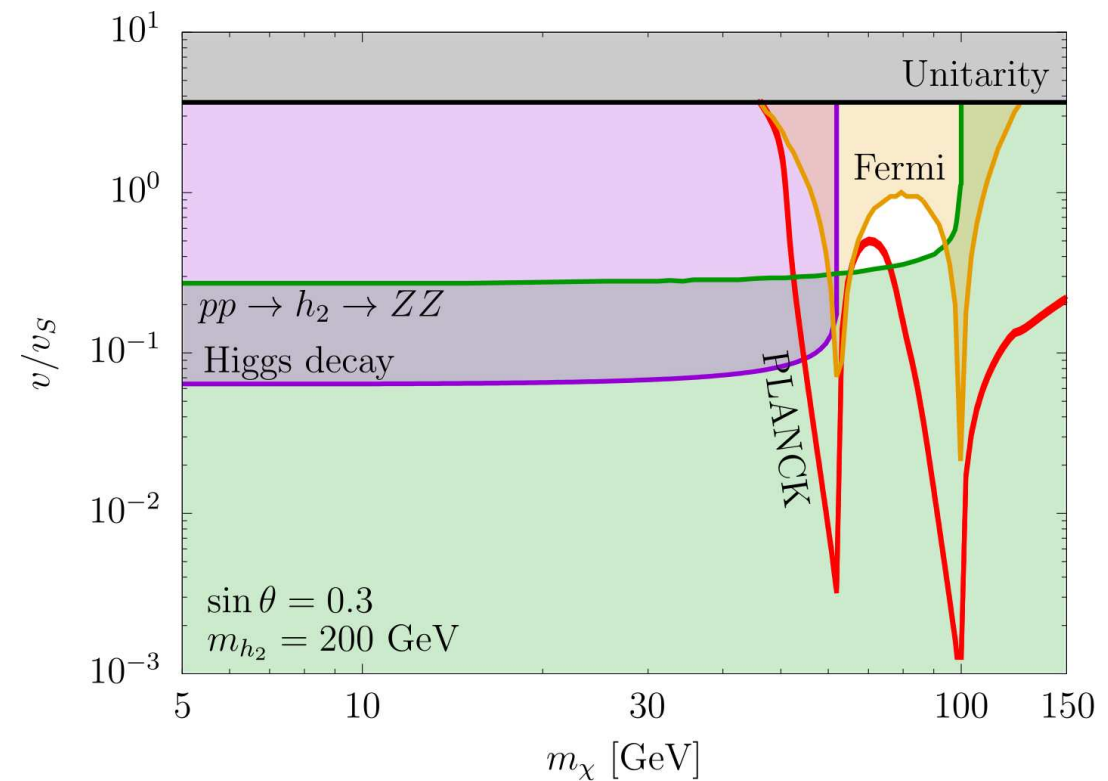
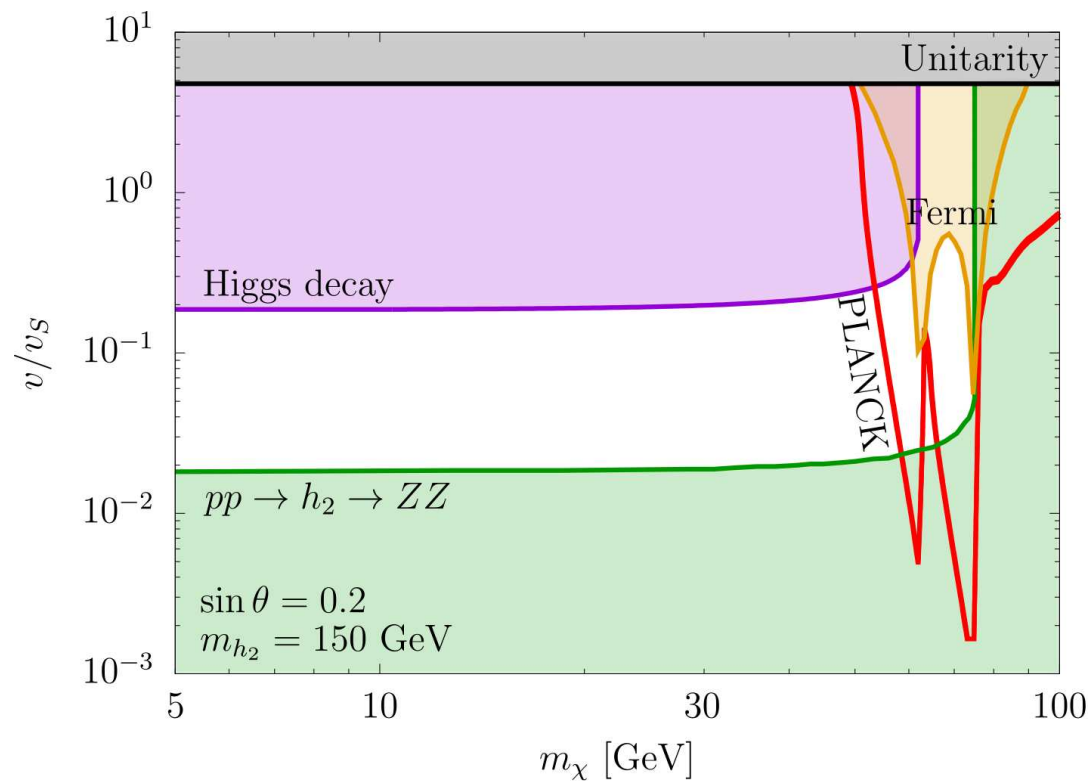
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- Constraint on  $h_2$  production cross section at LHC

$$\sigma_{\text{prod}} = \sigma(pp \rightarrow h_2) \text{Br}(h_2 \rightarrow \text{SM}) \propto \sin^2 \theta \text{Br}(h_2 \rightarrow \text{SM})$$

- $pp \rightarrow h_2 \rightarrow ZZ$  mode

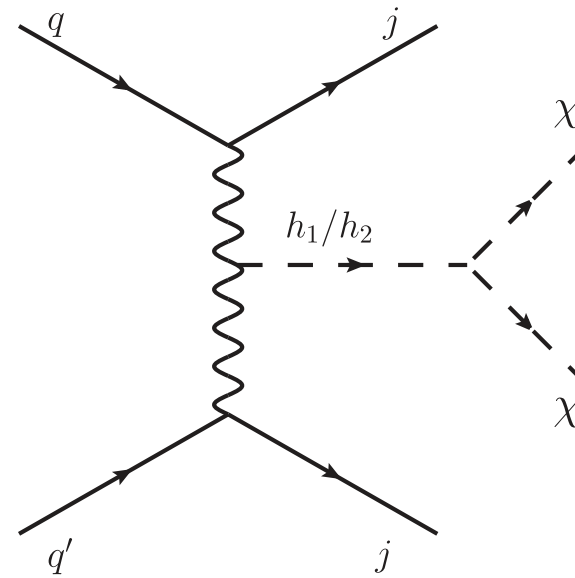
When  $\sin \theta \gtrsim 0.2$  and  $m_{h_2} \lesssim 2m_{h_1}$ , parameters are constrained.



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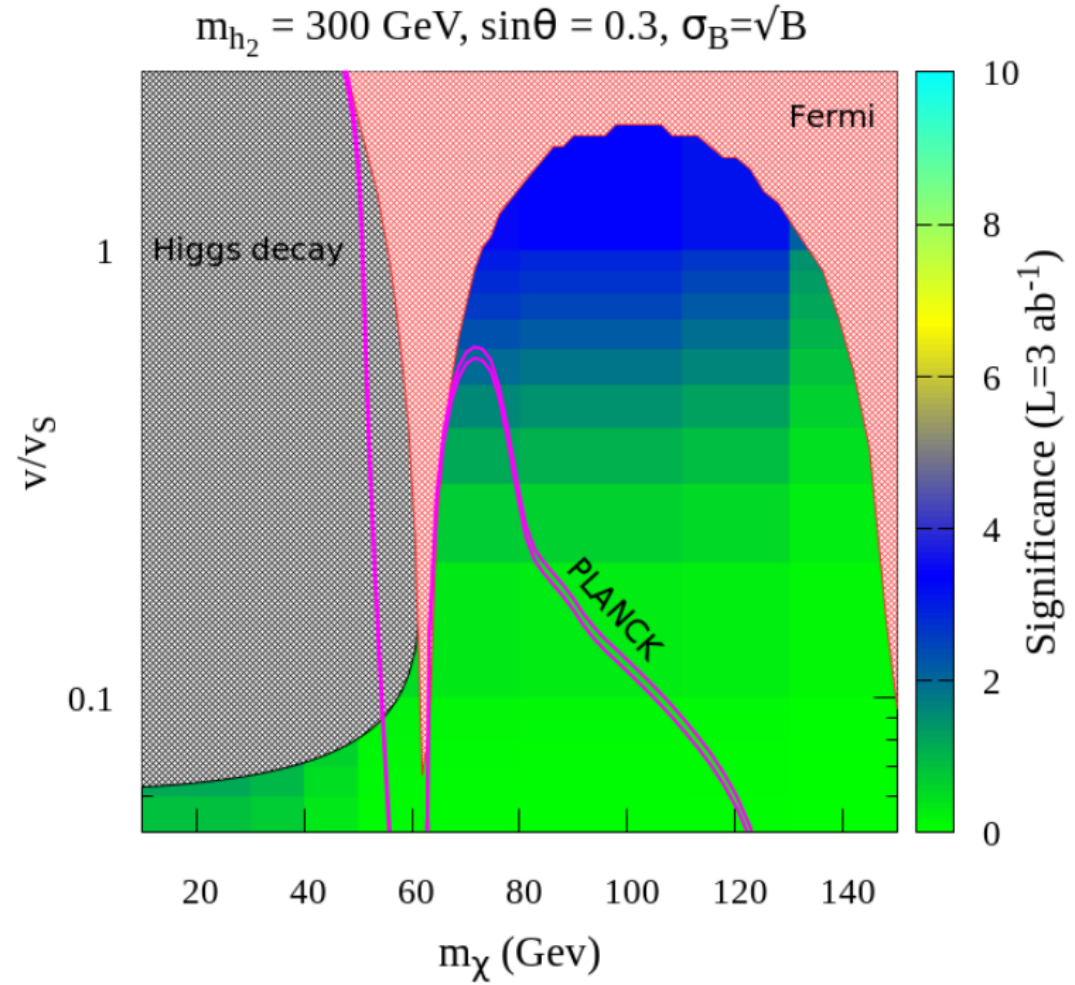
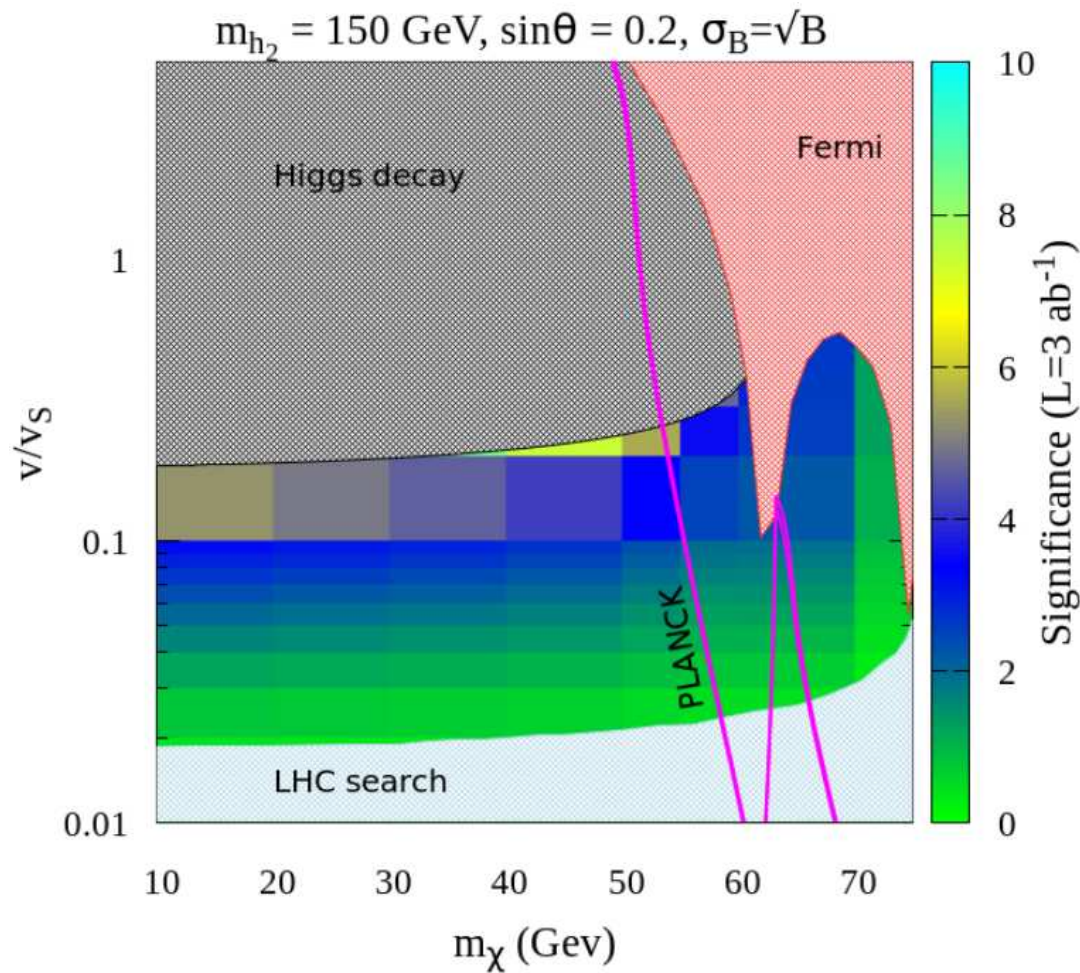
- Signal channel (VBF)  
 $h_1$  and  $h_2$ , both contributions are important
- We focus on  $m_{h_2} \geq 2m_\chi$
- Simulate the events and put appropriate cuts  
 $\cancel{E}_T > 250 \text{ GeV}$ ,  $p_j > 80 \text{ GeV}$  etc



- Signal significance 
$$\mathcal{S} = \frac{S}{\sqrt{S + B + \sigma_B^2}}$$
- Background  $B \pm \sigma_B = 1779 \pm 96$  at  $35.9 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  (CMS)
- Analyzed with  $3000 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ .

# Collider search

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- Signal significance can be  $\mathcal{S} \approx 4 - 6$  at most.
- $m_\chi \lesssim 100 \text{ GeV}$  can be visible.