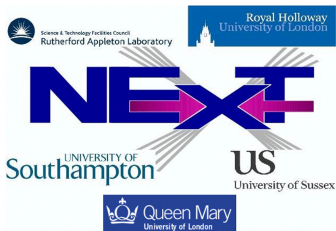


# One, Two, Three Higgs Doublets (DM in 3HDM)

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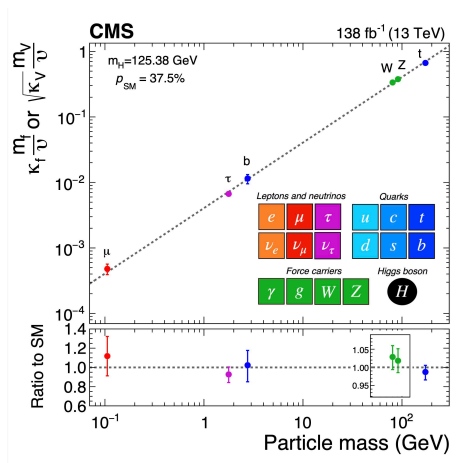
(Addendum, time allowing, two-component DM in 3HDM)

# The Standard Model and its shortcomings

- A Higgs boson discovered
- No significant deviation from the SM
- No signs of new physics

But no explanation for

- DM
- Fermion mass hierarchy
- Extra sources of CPV
- Vacuum stability



## DM

- Cold (non-relativistic at the onset of galaxy formation)
- Non-baryonic
- Neutral and weakly interacting
  - ⇒ **Weakly Interacting Massive Particle (WIMP)**
- Stable due to a discrete symmetry

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

- Freeze-out (drop out of thermal equilibrium)
- Agree with the observed relic density:  $\Omega_{DM} h^2 = 0.1199 \pm 0.0027$
- *And, of course, spin-0, scalar or pseudoscalar (eg, here scalar case)*

# 3HDMs

- Somebody actually ordered the muon (I.I. Rabi, “Who ordered that?” (a quip in 1957, verbal)).
- *Numquam ponenda est pluralitas sine necessitate* (‘Plurality must never be posited without necessity’, Wikipedia), i.e., “Among competing hypotheses, the one with the fewest assumptions should be selected”, Ockham’s razor argument (from *Quaestiones et decisiones in quattuor libros Sententiarum Petri Lombardi*).
- “Everything should be made as simple as possible, but not simpler”, Einstein’s razor argument (from “On The Method of Theoretical Physics”, The Herbert Spencer Lecture, delivered in Oxford (10 June 1933), published in *Philosophy of Science*, Vol. 1, No. 2 (April 1934), p. 165).
- Are Higgs portal models and 2HDMs too simple?

# 3HDMs

Scalar extensions **with** or without a  $Z_2$  symmetry (ie, active or **inert**):

- Higgs portal models: SM + scalar singlet
  - $\phi_{SM}, S \Rightarrow$  CPV, DM
  - $\phi_{SM}, \bar{S} \Rightarrow$  DM, CPV
- 2HDM: SM + scalar doublet
  - Type-I, Type-II, ...:  $\phi_1, \phi_2 \Rightarrow$  CPV, DM
  - IDM  $\equiv$  I(1+1)HDM:  $\phi_1, \phi_2 \Rightarrow$  DM, CPV
- 3HDM: SM + 2 scalar doublets
  - Weinberg model:  $\phi_1, \phi_2, \phi_3 \Rightarrow$  CPV, DM
  - I(1+2)HDM:  $\phi_1, \phi_2, \phi_3 \Rightarrow$  DM, CPV
  - I(2+1)HDM:  $\phi_1, \phi_2, \phi_3 \Rightarrow$  CPV, DM

(3HDMs also used in flavour problem: 3 VEVs for 3 generations)

# DM in CPC 3HDM

$$\phi_1, \phi_2, \phi_3$$

$$g_{Z_2} = \text{diag}(-1, -1, +1)$$

$$\text{VEV} = (0, 0, v)$$

# The scalar potential with real parameters

$$V_{3HDM} = V_0 + V_{Z_2}$$

$$V_0 = \sum_i^3 \left[ -\mu_i^2 (\phi_i^\dagger \phi_i) + \lambda_{ii} (\phi_i^\dagger \phi_i)^2 \right]$$

$$+ \sum_{i,j}^3 \left[ \lambda_{ij} (\phi_i^\dagger \phi_i) (\phi_j^\dagger \phi_j) + \lambda'_{ij} (\phi_i^\dagger \phi_j) (\phi_j^\dagger \phi_i) \right]$$

$$V_{Z_2} = -\mu_{12}^2 (\phi_1^\dagger \phi_2) + \lambda_1 (\phi_1^\dagger \phi_2)^2 + \lambda_2 (\phi_2^\dagger \phi_3)^2 + \lambda_3 (\phi_3^\dagger \phi_1)^2 + h.c.$$

$$+ \lambda_4 (\phi_3^\dagger \phi_1) (\phi_2^\dagger \phi_3) + \lambda_5 (\phi_1^\dagger \phi_2) (\phi_3^\dagger \phi_3) + \lambda_6 (\phi_1^\dagger \phi_2) (\phi_1^\dagger \phi_1)$$

$$+ \lambda_7 (\phi_1^\dagger \phi_2) (\phi_2^\dagger \phi_2) + \lambda_8 (\phi_3^\dagger \phi_1) (\phi_3^\dagger \phi_2) + h.c.$$

The  $Z_2$  symmetry

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



# DM in CPC 3HDM

$Z_2$ -invariant vacuum state:

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

- $\phi_3$  – SM-like doublet with SM-like Higgs  $h$
- $Z_2$ -odd doublets  $\phi_1$  and  $\phi_2$  mix:

$$H_1 = \cos \alpha_H H_1^0 + \sin \alpha_H H_2^0, \quad H_2 = \cos \alpha_H H_2^0 - \sin \alpha_H H_1^0$$

(similar for  $A_i$  and  $H_i^\pm$ )

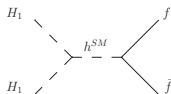
- 4 neutral and 4 charged  $Z_2$ -odd particles (double the IDM)
- $H_1$  – **DM candidate**, other dark particles heavier

# Constraints

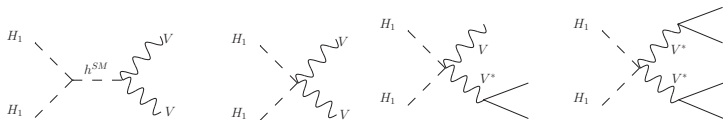
- ① Theoretical constraints (unitarity, vacuum stability, positive-definiteness of the Hessian, etc.)
- ② Experimental constraints
  - Constraints from void Higgs searches and Higgs discovery data
  - Limits from gauge bosons width:
 
$$m_{S_i} + m_{S_j^\pm} \geq m_W, \quad m_{S_i} + m_{S_j} \geq m_Z, \quad 2 m_{S_{1,2}^\pm} \geq m_Z$$
  - Limits on charged scalar mass and lifetime:
 
$$m_{S_i^\pm} \geq 70 \text{ GeV}, \quad \tau \leq 10^{-7} \text{ s} \rightarrow \Gamma_{\text{tot}} \geq 10^{-18} \text{ GeV}$$
  - Null DM collider searches excluding simultaneously:
 
$$m_{S_i} \leq 100 \text{ GeV}, \quad m_{S_1} \leq 80 \text{ GeV}, \quad \Delta m(S_1, S_i) \geq 8 \text{ GeV}$$
  - S,T,U parameters, g-2, EDMs (for CPV)

# DM annihilation

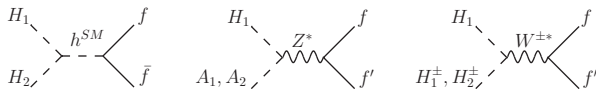
- **annihilation through Higgs into fermions:** dominant channel for  $M_{DM} < M_h/2$



- **annihilation to gauge bosons:** crucial for heavy masses



- **coannihilation:** when particles have similar masses



# DM annihilation scenarios

Low mass region:

(A) **no coannihilation effects:**

$$M_{H_1} < M_{H_2, A_1, A_2, H_1^\pm, H_2^\pm}$$

(D) **coannihilation** with  $H_2, A_{1,2}$ :

$$M_{H_1} \approx M_{A_1} \approx M_{H_2} \approx M_{A_2} < M_{H_1^\pm, H_2^\pm}$$

Heavy mass region:

(G1) **coannihilation** with  $H_2, A_{1,2}, H_{1,2}^\pm$ :

$$M_{H_1} \approx M_{A_1} \approx M_{H_2} \approx M_{A_2} \approx M_{H_1^\pm, H_2^\pm}$$

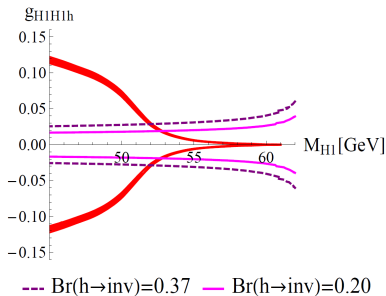
(H1) **coannihilation** with  $A_1, H_1^\pm$ :

$$M_{H_1} \approx M_{A_1} \approx, H_1^\pm < M_{H_2, A_2, H_2^\pm}$$

*(Use micrOMEGAs for DM constraints)*

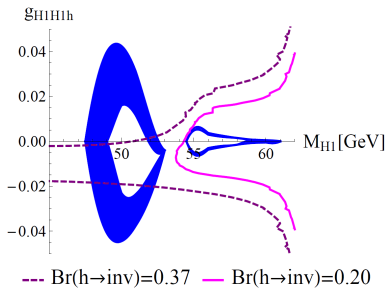
# LHC vs Planck $M_{DM} < M_h/2$

Small  $m(H_1)-m(H_2)$



case A

Large  $m(H_1)-m(H_2)$



case D

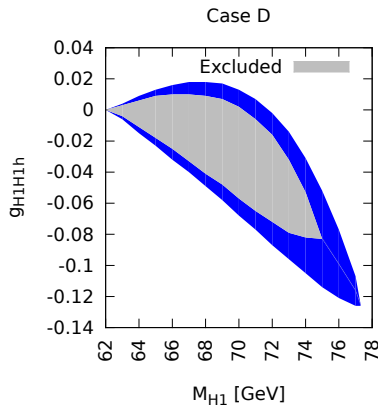
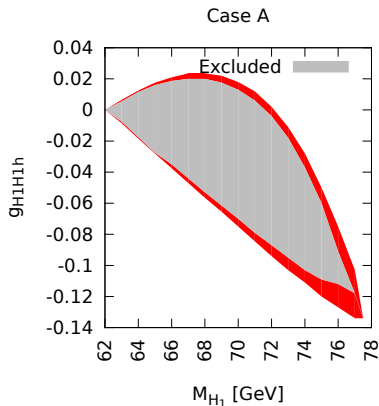
$Br(h \rightarrow inv) < 20\% \ \& \ \Omega_{DM} h^2$

- Case A:  $M_{DM} \gtrsim 53 \text{ GeV}$
- Case D: most masses are OK

# Planck constraints: $M_{DM} > M_h/2$

Relic density constraints (PLANCK)

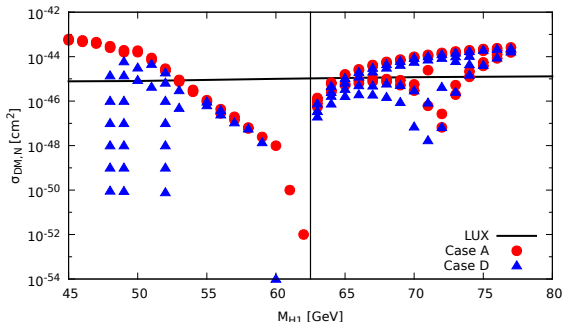
White(gray) regions are too little(much) relic abundance



Relic density values are dominated by three couplings:

$$g_{hVV}, g_{H_1H_1VV}, g_{H_1H_1h}$$

# Direct detection limits



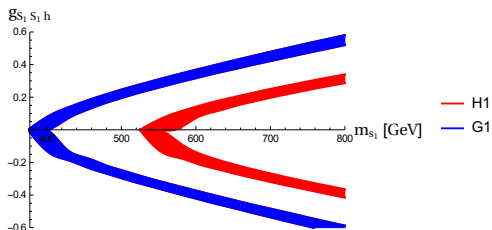
Case D: new region in agreement with LUX with respect to Case A

Can be lighter than in  $I(1+1)HDM$

- Same parameter space survives indirect detection constraints

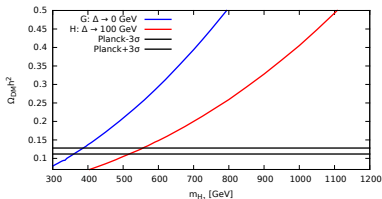
# Heavy DM mass region

## Planck measurements



## Gauge limit for the I(2+1)HDM

All quartic couplings  $\lambda_i$  are set to zero

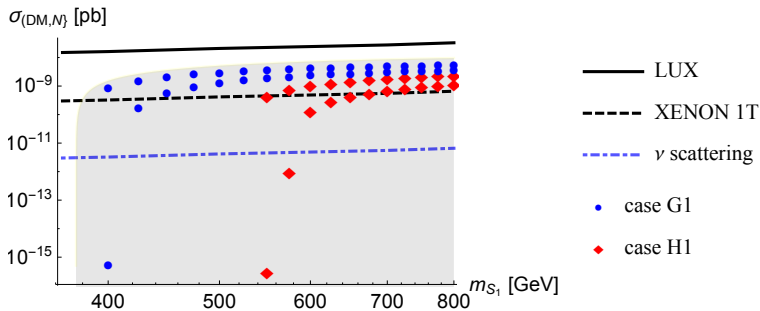


- Enabled by coannihilation, *more substantial* than in I(1+1)HDM
- Beware of Higgs-DM coupling role:  $\lambda_{345} = \lambda_3 + \lambda_4 + \lambda_5$

$$g_{H_1 H_1 Z_L Z_L} = \lambda_{345} + 2(M_{H_2}^2 - M_{H_1}^2)/v^2$$



# Direct detection (notation, $S \equiv H$ here)



# DM in CPV 3HDM

$$\phi_1, \phi_2, \phi_3$$

$$g_{Z_2} = \text{diag}(-1, -1, +1)$$

$$\text{VEV} = (0, 0, v)$$

# The scalar potential with explicit CPV

$$V_{3HDM} = V_0 + V_{Z_2}$$

$$V_0 = \sum_i^3 \left[ -\mu_i^2 (\phi_i^\dagger \phi_i) + \lambda_{ii} (\phi_i^\dagger \phi_i)^2 \right]$$

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# Parameters of the model

- no new phenomenology from  $\lambda_4, \dots, \lambda_8$  terms  $\rightarrow \lambda_{4-8} = 0$
- “dark” parameters  $\lambda_1, \lambda_{11}, \lambda_{22}, \lambda_{12}, \lambda'_{12}$
- “dark democracy” limit  
 $\mu_1^2 = \mu_2^2, \quad \lambda_3 = \lambda_2, \quad \lambda_{31} = \lambda_{23}, \quad \lambda'_{31} = \lambda'_{23}$
- fixed by the Higgs mass  $\mu_3^2 = v^2 \lambda_{33} = m_h^2/2$

## 7 important parameters

- CPV and mass splittings  $\mu_{12}^2 = |\mu_{12}^2| e^{i\theta_{12}}, \quad \lambda_2 = |\lambda_2| e^{i\theta_2}$
- Higgs-DM coupling  $\lambda_2, \lambda_{23}, \lambda'_{23}$
- Mass scale of inert particles  $\mu_2^2$

## Can remap in

- DM mass  $m_{S_1}$ , mass splittings  $\delta_{S_2-S_1}, \delta_{S_1^\pm-S_1}, \delta_{S_2^\pm-S_1^\pm}$ , Higgs-DM coupling  $g_{S_1 S_1 h}$ , CPV phases  $\theta_2, \theta_{12}$  ( $\theta_2 + \theta_{12}$  in observables)

# The CP-mixed mass eigenstates

The doublet compositions

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

The mass eigenstates

$$S_1 = \frac{\alpha H_1^0 + \alpha H_2^0 - A_1^0 + A_2^0}{\sqrt{2\alpha^2 + 2}}, \quad S_2 = \frac{-H_1^0 - H_2^0 - \alpha A_1^0 + \alpha A_2^0}{\sqrt{2\alpha^2 + 2}}$$

$$S_3 = \frac{\beta H_1^0 - \beta H_2^0 + A_1^0 + A_2^0}{\sqrt{2\beta^2 + 2}}, \quad S_4 = \frac{-H_1^0 + H_2^0 + \beta A_1^0 + \beta A_2^0}{\sqrt{2\beta^2 + 2}}$$

$$S_1^\pm = \frac{e^{\mp i\theta_{12}/2}}{\sqrt{2}} (H_2^\pm + H_1^\pm), \quad S_2^\pm = \frac{e^{\mp i\theta_{12}/2}}{\sqrt{2}} (H_2^\pm - H_1^\pm)$$

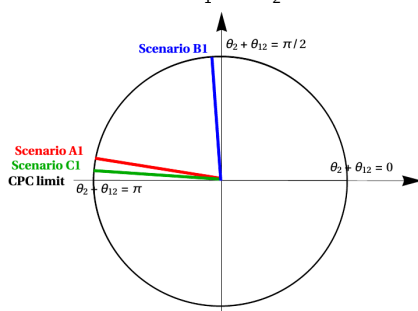
$S_1$  is assumed to be the DM candidate

(No contributions to EDMs: only active Higgs can couple to fermions.)

# Relevant DM scenarios

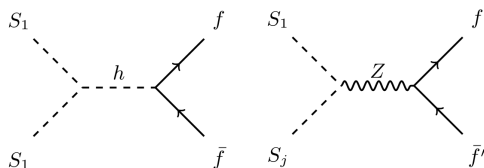
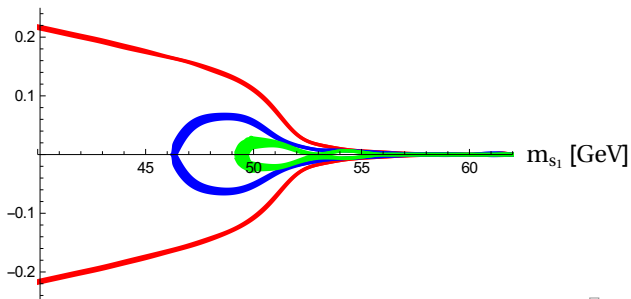
In the low mass region ( $m_{S_1} < m_Z$ ):

- **Scenario A1**: no coannihilation,  $m_{S_1} \ll m_{S_2}, m_{S_3}, m_{S_4}, m_{S_1^\pm}, m_{S_2^\pm}$
- **Scenario B1**: coannihilation with  $S_3$ ,  
 $m_{S_1} \sim m_{S_3} \ll m_{S_2}, m_{S_4}, m_{S_1^\pm}, m_{S_2^\pm}$
- **Scenario C1**: coannihilation with all neutral particles,  
 $m_{S_1} \sim m_{S_3} \sim m_{S_2} \sim m_{S_4} \ll m_{S_1^\pm}, m_{S_2^\pm}$



# Low DM mass region

## Higgs-mediated and Z-mediated (co)annihilation


 $g_{S_1 S_1 h}$ 


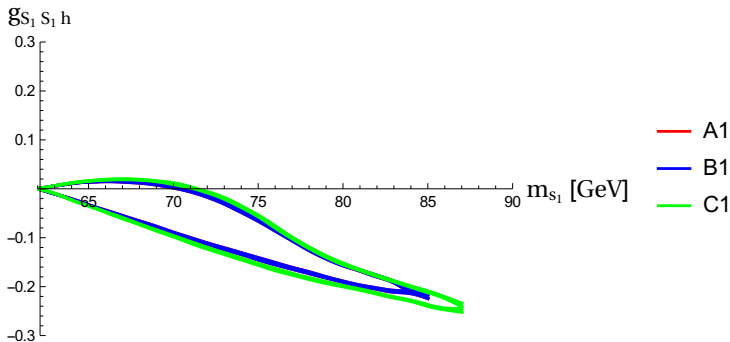
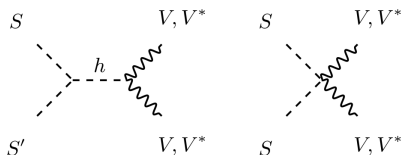
— A1

— B1

— C1

# Medium DM mass region

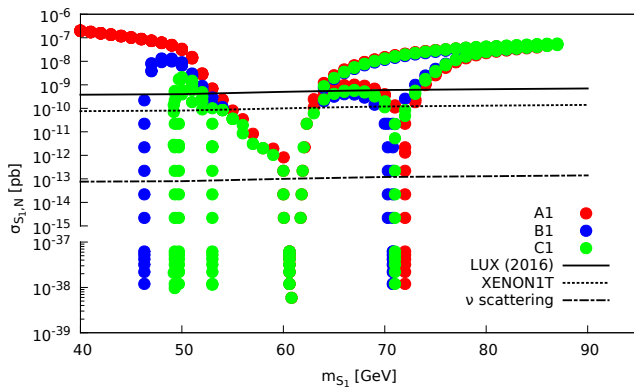
## Higgs-mediated and quartic (co)annihilation



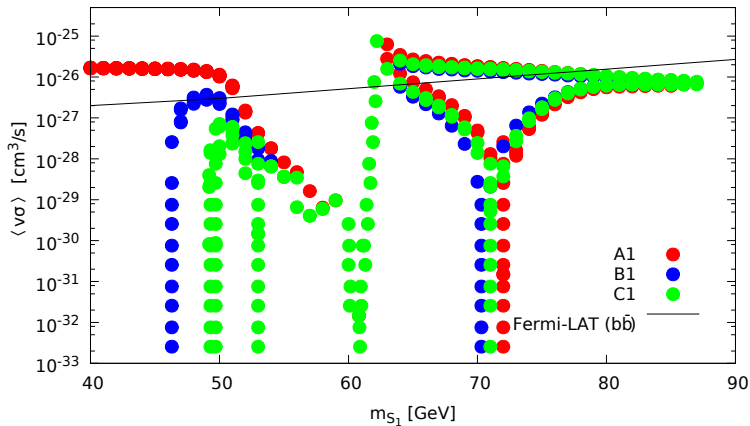


# Direct detection

$$\sigma_{DM,N} \propto g_{hDM}^2 / (m_{DM} + m_N)^2$$

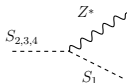


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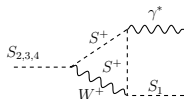


# Summary

- Both DM and CPV from scalar sector → **beyond 2HDM**
- CPC case in  $I(2+1)$ : observable heavy DM (absent in  $I(1+1)$ HDM)
- CPV in  $I(2+1)$ HDM:
  - SM-like active sector:  $H_3 \equiv h^{SM}$  (with possible inert loops, eg, in  $\gamma\gamma$  decays)
  - CPV in the inert sector:  $H_{1,2}, A_{1,2} \rightarrow S_{1,2,3,4}$  CPV DM (dark CPV)
  - Light DM viable like in  $I(1+1)$ HDM, **add accessible heavy one**
- *Adding second discrete symmetry, two-component DM:*
  - *Parameter space exists compliant with all constraints*
  - *DD can access light component & iDD can access heavy one*
  - *Simultaneous collider signals, two-kink MET, etc. distributions (LHC, FCCee)*
- Still mono-X, etc., plus new *viable* collider signatures in  $I(2+1)$ HDM:



Large mass splitting



Small mass splitting

(ie, inert cascades)

→ see Hernandez-Sanchez' talk!

$Z_2 \times Z_2'$ -symmetric 3HDM

2 scalar doublets + the SM Higgs doublet

 $\phi_1, \phi_2$  $\phi_3$ 

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

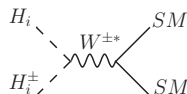
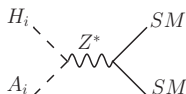
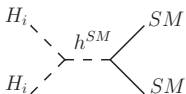
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# Two-component Dark Matter: $H_1, H_2$

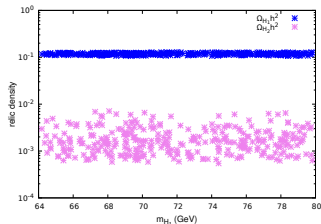
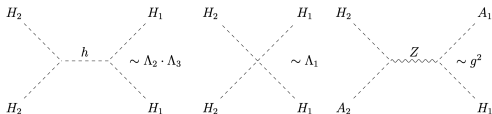
The lightest neutral field from each doublet is a viable DM candidate:

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

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

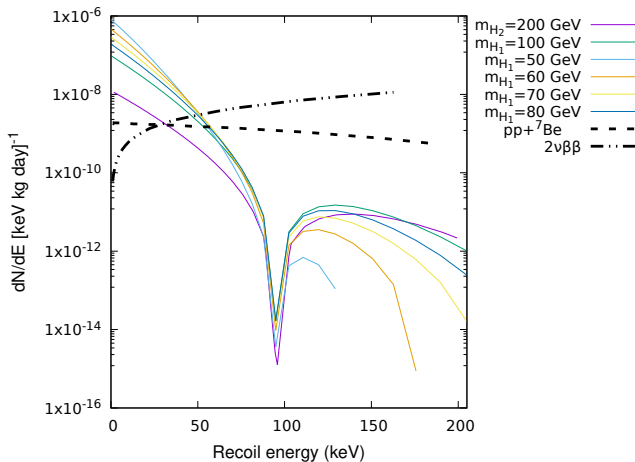


The conversion processes play an important role in DM production.



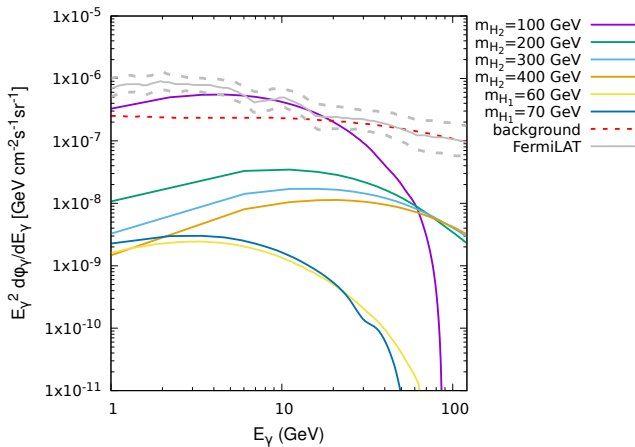
# Astrophysical probes: Direct detection XENONnT/LZ

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



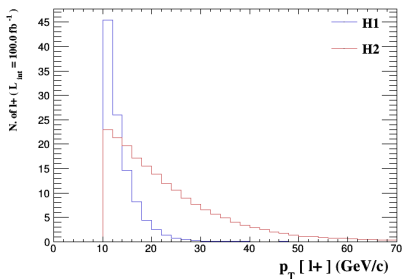
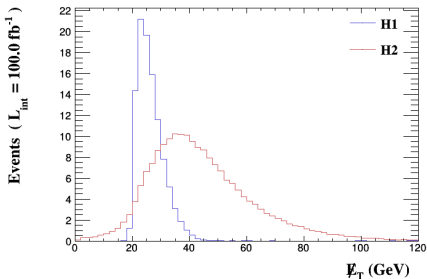
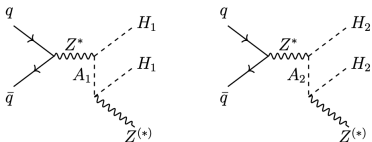
# Astrophysical probes: Indirect detection Fermi-LAT

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



# Collider probes: distributions of observables

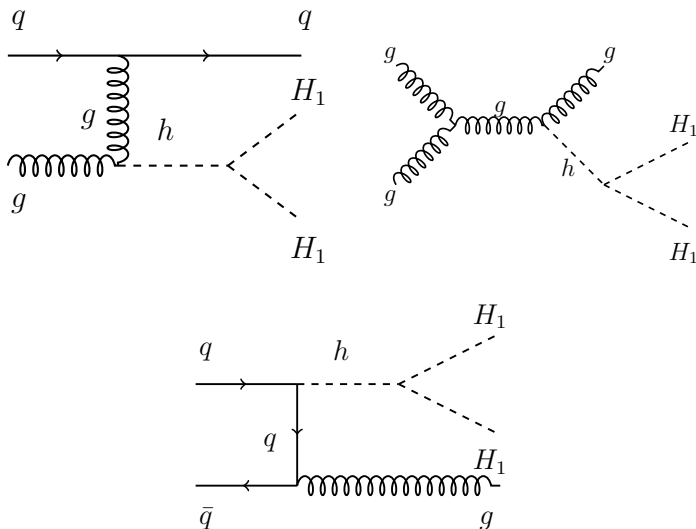
$m_{H_2} - m_{H_1} > \cancel{E}_T$  resolution  $\Rightarrow$  visible effect in different distributions



Missing transverse energy and transverse momentum of either lepton  
 $\rightarrow$  see Hernandez-Sanchez' talk!

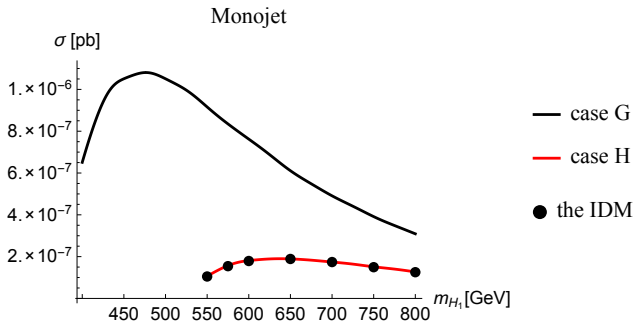


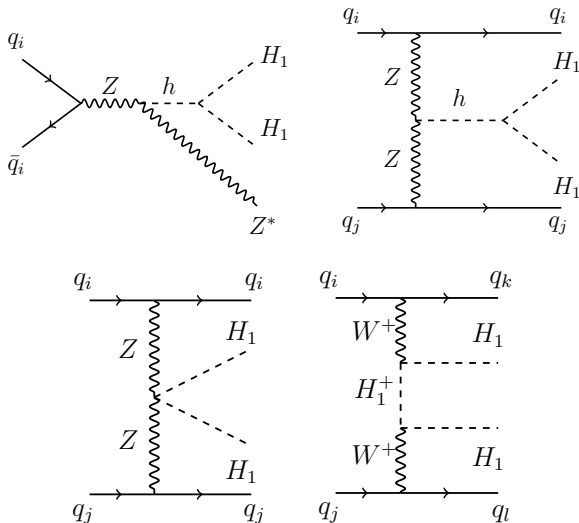
# BACKUP SLIDES

LHC signals: monojet channels  $pp \rightarrow H_1 H_1 + \text{jet}$ 

# LHC signals: monojet channels

Monojet channels  $gg \rightarrow gH_1H_1$ ,  $q\bar{q} \rightarrow gH_1H_1$ ,  $qg \rightarrow qH_1H_1$

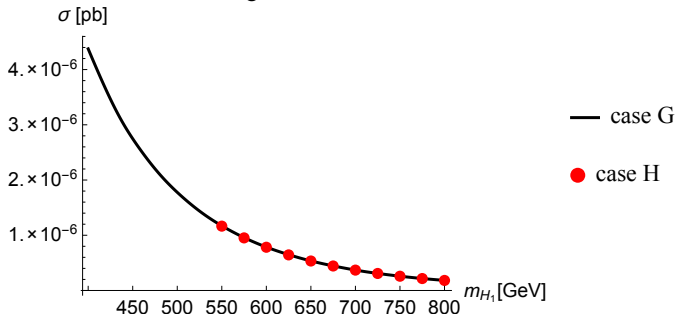


LHC signals: dijet channels  $pp \rightarrow H_1 H_1 + 2 \text{ jets}$ 

# LHC signals: dijet channels

- Vector Boson Fusion:  $q_i q_j \rightarrow H_1 H_1 q_k q_l$
- Higgs-Strahlung:  $q_i \bar{q}_j \rightarrow V^* H_1 H_1$

HS: charged channels



# Indirect searches

- I(1+1)HDM:  
indirect detection signatures: internal bremsstrahlung in the processes of  $H_1 H_1 \rightarrow W^+ W^- \gamma$  mediated by a charged scalar in the  $t$ -channel.
- I(2+1)HDM  
same signature generated through the exchange of any of the two charged scalars  $H_{1,2}^\pm$ .

The signal could even be stronger for scenario G with larger scalar couplings.

# LHC bounds on CPV DM

# Higgs invisible branching ratio and total decay

From ATLAS and CMS

$$\text{Br}(h \rightarrow \text{inv}) < 0.23 - 0.36$$

for  $m_{i,j} < m_h/2$  if long lived

$$\text{BR}(h \rightarrow \text{inv}) = \frac{\sum_{i,j} \Gamma(h \rightarrow S_i S_j)}{\Gamma_h^{\text{SM}} + \sum_i \Gamma(h \rightarrow S_i S_j)}$$

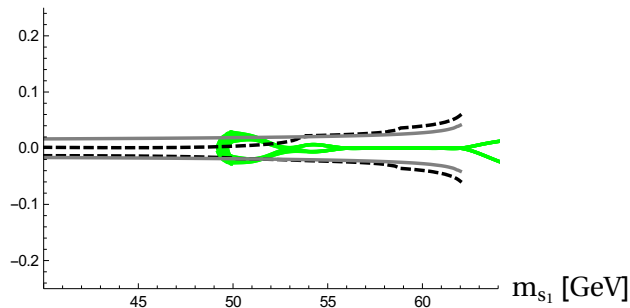
The **total decay** signal strength

$$\mu_{\text{tot}} = \frac{\text{BR}(h \rightarrow \text{XX})}{\text{BR}(h_{\text{SM}} \rightarrow \text{XX})} = \frac{\Gamma_{\text{tot}}^{\text{SM}}(h)}{\Gamma_{\text{tot}}^{\text{SM}}(h) + \Gamma^{\text{inert}}(h)}$$

We use  $\mu_{\text{tot}} = 1.17 \pm 0.17$  at  $3\sigma$  level.



## Relic density vs. Higgs decay bounds

 $g_{S_1 S_1 h}$ 

— case C1

- - -  $\mu_{\min}^{\text{tot}}(h)=0.66$ —  $\text{Br}(h \rightarrow \text{inv})=0.20$

# $h \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ signal strength bounds

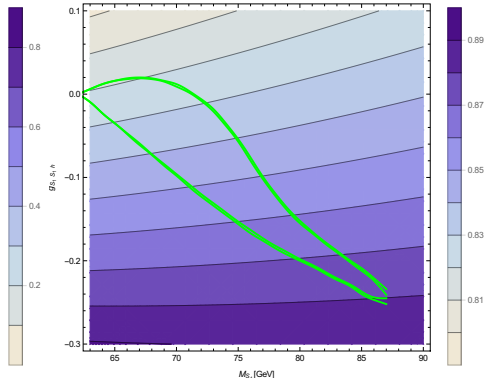
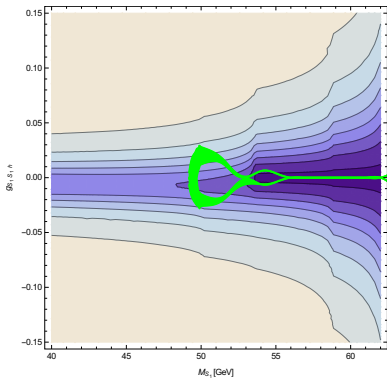
From ATLAS and CMS:  $\mu_{\gamma\gamma} = 1.16^{+0.20}_{-0.18}$

$$\mu_{\gamma\gamma} = \frac{\Gamma(h \rightarrow \gamma\gamma)^{3\text{HDM}} \Gamma(h)^{\text{SM}}}{\Gamma(h \rightarrow \gamma\gamma)^{\text{SM}} \Gamma(h)^{3\text{HDM}}}$$

Modified by

- charged scalars contribution to  $\Gamma(h \rightarrow \gamma\gamma)^{3\text{HDM}}$
- light neutral scalars contribution to  $\Gamma(h)^{3\text{HDM}}$

# Relic density vs. $\mu_{\gamma\gamma}$ - scenario C



# Relic density vs. $\mu_{\gamma\gamma}$ - scenarios G & H

