

Higgs Portal Vector Dark Matter and its Indirect Signatures

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Evidences for Dark Matter

- Rotation Curves of Galaxies
- Gravitational Lensing
- Large scale structure
- CMB anisotropies
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Some features

- Interaction with standard model particles need to be weak,
- Stable, if it decay, its lifetime must be long, even longer than the age of Universe.
Usually associated with global symmetry.
- R-parity in MSSM, new physics models
- Z_2 symmetry $\phi \rightarrow -\phi$

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{1}{2}\partial_\mu\phi\partial^\mu\phi - \frac{1}{2}m^2\phi^2 - \lambda\phi^4 - \lambda_{\phi H}\phi^2 H^\dagger H + \mathcal{L}_{\text{SM}}$$

Global Symmetry

- There are some reasons to expect that global symmetries are not respected by nonperturbative quantum gravity.
- Global charges can be absorbed by black holes which then evaporate.

R.Kallosh, A.Linde, D.Linde and L.Susskind, hep-th/9502069

- There is no global symmetry in string theory, symmetry must be gauged.

T.Banks and N.Seiberg, arXiv:1011.5120

Scalar Dark Matter

- Scalar dark matter with Z_2 symmetry, $\phi \rightarrow -\phi$

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{1}{2}\partial_\mu\phi\partial^\mu\phi - \frac{1}{2}m^2\phi^2 - \lambda\phi^4 - \lambda_{\phi H}\phi^2 H^\dagger H + \mathcal{L}_{\text{SM}}$$

- Z_2 violating terms lead to decay

$$\delta\mathcal{L}_{\text{eff}} = \frac{g}{M_{pl}}\phi\mathcal{O}_{\text{SM}}, \quad \mathcal{O}_{\text{SM}} = F_{\mu\nu}F^{\mu\nu}, \bar{f}\gamma\cdot Df, \bar{f}_L f_R H + h.c., \dots$$

- Lifetime $\Gamma \sim \frac{g^2}{16\pi} \frac{m^3}{M_{pl}^2} \simeq g^2 \times \left(\frac{m}{1\text{TeV}}\right)^3 \times 10^{-29}\text{GeV}$

$$\Rightarrow \tau \sim \frac{1}{g^2} \left(\frac{1\text{TeV}}{m}\right)^3 \times 10^4 \text{ s} \qquad t_0 \sim 10^{18} \text{ s}$$

$U(1)_X$ gauge symmetry

Minimal extension, a complex scalar Φ and a gauge boson X_μ

$$\mathcal{L} = -\frac{1}{4}X_{\mu\nu}X^{\mu\nu} + (D_\mu\Phi)^\dagger(D^\mu\Phi) - \lambda_\Phi\left(\Phi^\dagger\Phi - \frac{v_\Phi^2}{2}\right)^2 \\ - \lambda_{H\Phi}\left(H^\dagger H - \frac{v_H^2}{2}\right)\left(\Phi^\dagger\Phi - \frac{v_\Phi^2}{2}\right) - \lambda_H\left(H^\dagger H - \frac{v_H^2}{2}\right)^2 + \mathcal{L}_{\text{SM}}$$

With D_μ on Φ is defined as

$$D_\mu\Phi = (\partial_\mu + ig_X Q_\Phi X_\mu)\Phi,$$

Spontaneous breaking

$$\Phi = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(v_\Phi + \varphi)$$

Mixing with Higgs

- Mass Eigenstates

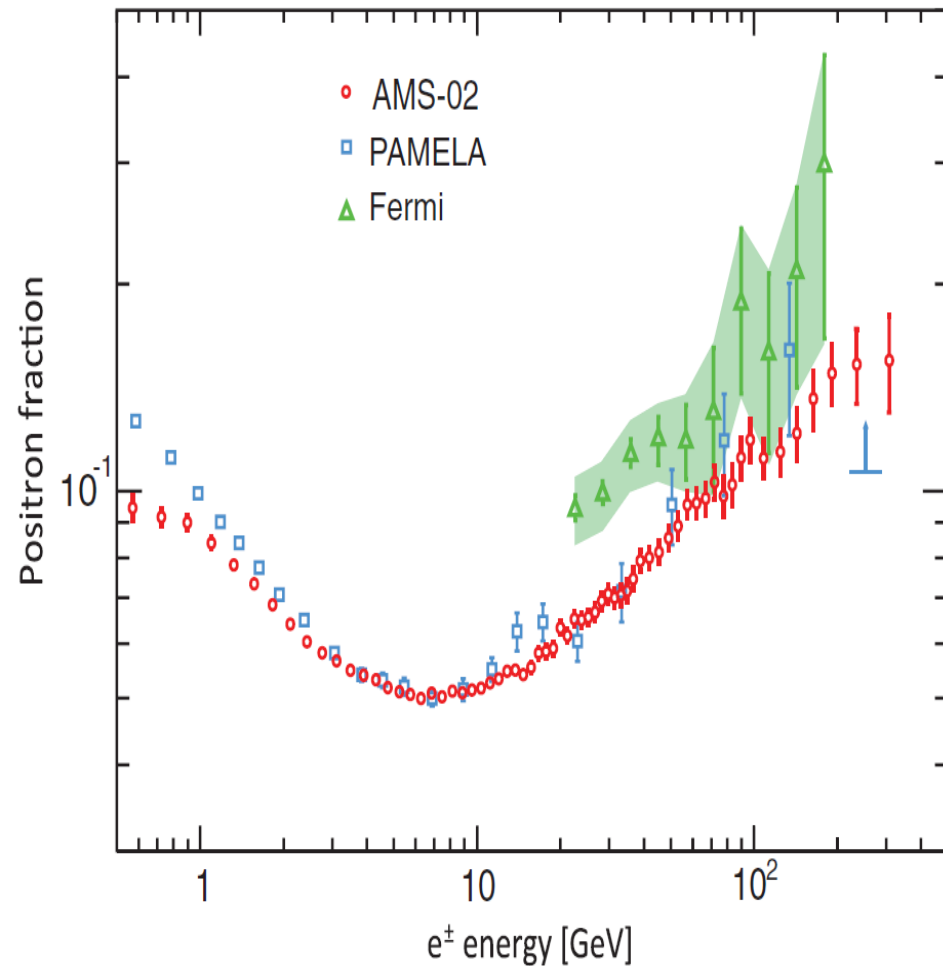
$$\begin{pmatrix} h \\ \varphi \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} c_\alpha & s_\alpha \\ -s_\alpha & c_\alpha \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} H_1 \\ H_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2\lambda_H v_H^2 & \lambda_{H\Phi} v_H v_\Phi \\ \lambda_{H\Phi} v_H v_\Phi & 2\lambda_\Phi v_\Phi^2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} m_1^2 c_\alpha^2 + m_2^2 s_\alpha^2 & (m_2^2 - m_1^2) s_\alpha c_\alpha \\ (m_2^2 - m_1^2) s_\alpha c_\alpha & m_1^2 s_\alpha^2 + m_2^2 c_\alpha^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

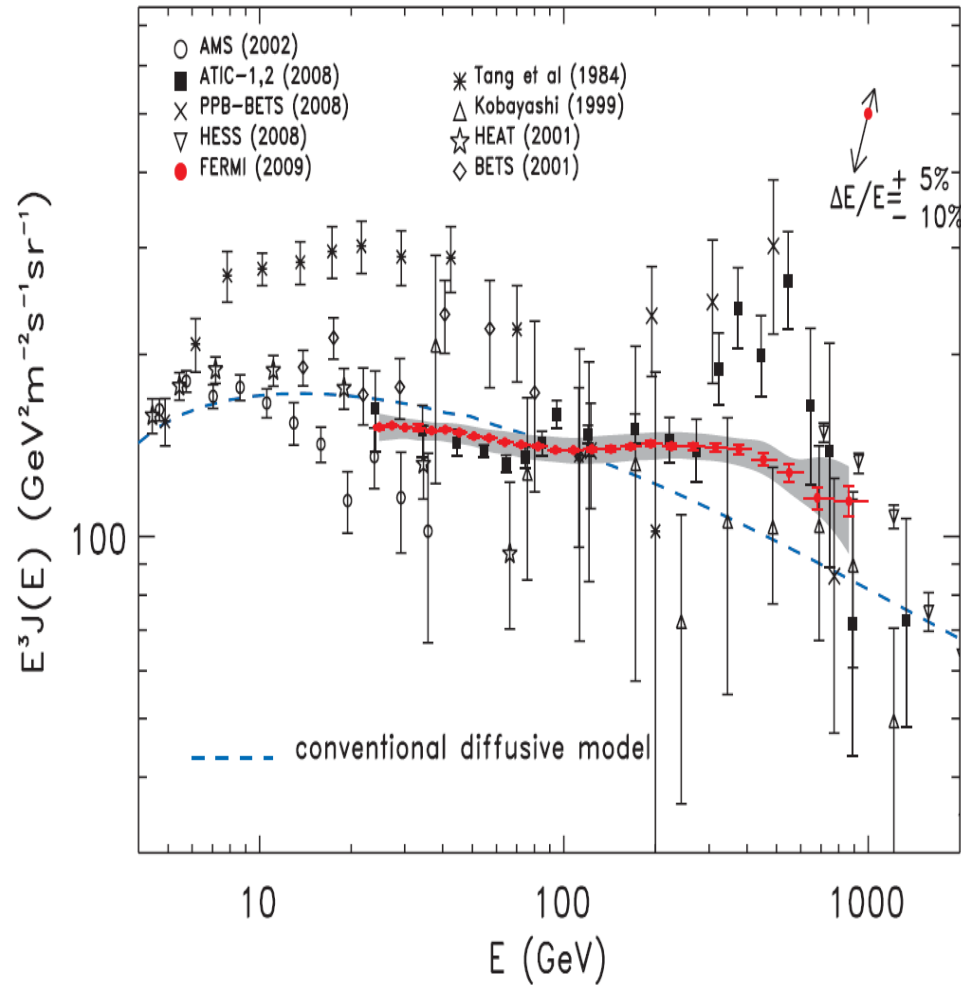
$$\tan 2\alpha = \frac{2\mathcal{M}_{12}}{\mathcal{M}_{11} - \mathcal{M}_{22}}, \text{ or } \sin 2\alpha = \frac{2\lambda_{H\Phi} v_H v_\Phi}{m_2^2 - m_1^2}.$$

- Higgs' coupling to SM particle are universally scaled by $\sin\alpha$.

Positron Excess



Leptonphilic, TeV dark Matter



Possible Explanations

- DM annihilation $\langle\sigma v\rangle \simeq 10^{-23}\text{cm}^3/\text{s} \gg 10^{-26}\text{cm}^3/\text{s}$
 - Sommerfeld Enhancement
 - Breit-Wigner resonance
- DM decay, $\tau_{\text{DM}} \simeq 10^{26}\text{s}$
- ...

Decaying Dark Matter

- High dimensional operators can induce DM decay

$$\mathcal{L} = -\frac{g_\Lambda^2}{\Lambda^2} \mathcal{O}_6$$

$$\Gamma \sim \frac{g_\Lambda^4 M^5}{\Lambda^4}, \quad \tau = \frac{\hbar}{\Gamma} \sim 10^{26} \text{s} \Rightarrow \Gamma \sim 6 \times 10^{-51} \text{GeV}$$

$$\Lambda \sim g_\Lambda \left(\frac{M^5 \tau}{\hbar} \right)^{\frac{1}{4}} = g_\Lambda \left(\frac{10^{15} \text{GeV}^5 \times 10^{26} \text{s}}{6.583 \times 10^{-25} \text{GeV s}} \right)^{\frac{1}{4}} \sim 2g_\Lambda \times 10^{16} \text{GeV},$$

Effective Operators

Gauge invariant building blocks in dark sector

$$\Phi^\dagger \Phi, \quad \Phi^\dagger i \overleftrightarrow{D}_\mu \Phi, \quad X^{\mu\nu}, \quad \tilde{X}^{\mu\nu}.$$

where

$$\Phi^\dagger \overleftrightarrow{D}_\mu \Phi = \Phi^\dagger D_\mu \Phi - (D_\mu \Phi)^\dagger \Phi$$

then dimension-6 operators are

$$(\Phi^\dagger \Phi)^3, \quad (\Phi^\dagger \Phi) \square (\Phi^\dagger \Phi), \quad (\Phi^\dagger D^\mu \Phi)^\dagger (\Phi^\dagger D^\mu \Phi), \\ \Phi^\dagger \Phi X_{\mu\nu} X^{\mu\nu}, \quad \Phi^\dagger \Phi \tilde{X}_{\mu\nu} X^{\mu\nu},$$

Effective Operators

- Building components in the SM

$$H^\dagger H, H^\dagger i \overleftrightarrow{D}_\mu H, B^{\mu\nu}, \tilde{B}^{\mu\nu}, \bar{L}_i R_j H, \bar{f}_i \gamma^\mu f_j, \\ (\bar{L}_i \sigma^{\mu\nu} R_j) H, H^\dagger \tau^I H W_{\mu\nu}^I, H^\dagger \tau^I H \tilde{W}_{\mu\nu}^I,$$

- Operators involves both DM sector and SM

$$(\Phi^\dagger \Phi)^2 H^\dagger H, \Phi^\dagger \Phi (H^\dagger H)^2, \Phi^\dagger \Phi \square H^\dagger H, \left(\Phi^\dagger i \overleftrightarrow{D}_\mu \Phi \right) \left(H^\dagger i \overleftrightarrow{D}_\mu H \right), \\ \Phi^\dagger \Phi (\bar{L}_i R_j H + h.c), \left(\Phi^\dagger i \overleftrightarrow{D}_\mu \Phi \right) (\bar{L}_i \gamma^\mu L_j + \bar{R}_i \gamma^\mu R_j), (\bar{L}_i \sigma^{\mu\nu} R_j) H X^{\mu\nu} + h.c, \\ \Phi^\dagger \Phi B_{\mu\nu} X^{\mu\nu}, \Phi^\dagger \Phi \tilde{B}_{\mu\nu} X^{\mu\nu}, H^\dagger H B_{\mu\nu} X^{\mu\nu}, H^\dagger H \tilde{B}_{\mu\nu} X^{\mu\nu}, \\ H^\dagger H X_{\mu\nu} X^{\mu\nu}, H^\dagger H \tilde{X}_{\mu\nu} X^{\mu\nu}, H^\dagger \tau^I H W_{\mu\nu}^I X^{\mu\nu}, H^\dagger \tau^I H \tilde{W}_{\mu\nu}^I X^{\mu\nu}.$$

DM decay

- After the symmetry breaking, DM can decay induced by these effective operators,

$$\left(\Phi^\dagger i \overleftrightarrow{D}_\mu \Phi \right) \left(H^\dagger i \overleftrightarrow{D}^\mu H \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow X^\mu \rightarrow \varphi + Z,$$

$$\left(\Phi^\dagger i \overleftrightarrow{D}_\mu \Phi \right) \left(\bar{f} \gamma^\mu f \right), \quad \bar{L} \sigma_{\mu\nu} R H X^{\mu\nu}$$

$$\Rightarrow X^\mu \rightarrow \bar{f} + f,$$

DM decay

$$\Phi^\dagger \Phi B_{\mu\nu} X^{\mu\nu}, \quad \Phi^\dagger \Phi \tilde{B}_{\mu\nu} X^{\mu\nu}, \quad (\Phi \rightarrow H)$$
$$\Rightarrow X^\mu \rightarrow \varphi/h + \gamma/Z,$$

$$H^\dagger \tau^I H W_{\mu\nu}^I X^{\mu\nu}, \quad H^\dagger \tau^I H \tilde{W}_{\mu\nu}^I X^{\mu\nu}$$
$$\Rightarrow X^\mu \rightarrow \varphi/h + \gamma/Z,$$

Three body decay

$$\Phi^\dagger \Phi B_{\mu\nu} X^{\mu\nu} \Rightarrow X^\mu \rightarrow \varphi + \varphi + \gamma/Z.$$

Phenomenology

Some Estimations

The LHC higgs data give constraint on the mixing angle, roughly $\sin^2 \alpha \leq 0.1$, then

$$\sin \alpha \simeq \frac{\lambda_{H\Phi} v_H v_\Phi}{m_2^2 - m_1^2}$$

take for example

$$M_X = 2\text{TeV}, \quad g_X \simeq 1, \quad \text{and} \quad M_{H_2} = 200\text{GeV}$$

we have

$$\lambda_{H\Phi} \sim \frac{\sin \alpha (200^2 - 125^2)}{246 \times 2000} \sim 0.1 \times \sin \alpha$$

$$\lambda_\Phi \sim \frac{200^2}{2 \times 2000^2} = 0.005, \quad \lambda_H = \frac{125^2}{2 \times 246^2} \sim 0.13.$$

Perturbativity

Since we need no more new physics below Λ , the theory should be perturbative up to Λ .

$$\frac{d\lambda_H}{d\ln\mu} = \frac{1}{16\pi^2} \left[24\lambda_H^2 + \lambda_{H\Phi}^2 - 6y_t^4 + \frac{3}{8} \left(2g_2^2 + (g_1^2 + g_2^2)^2 \right) - \lambda_H (9g_2^2 + 3g_1^2 - 12y_t^2) \right]$$

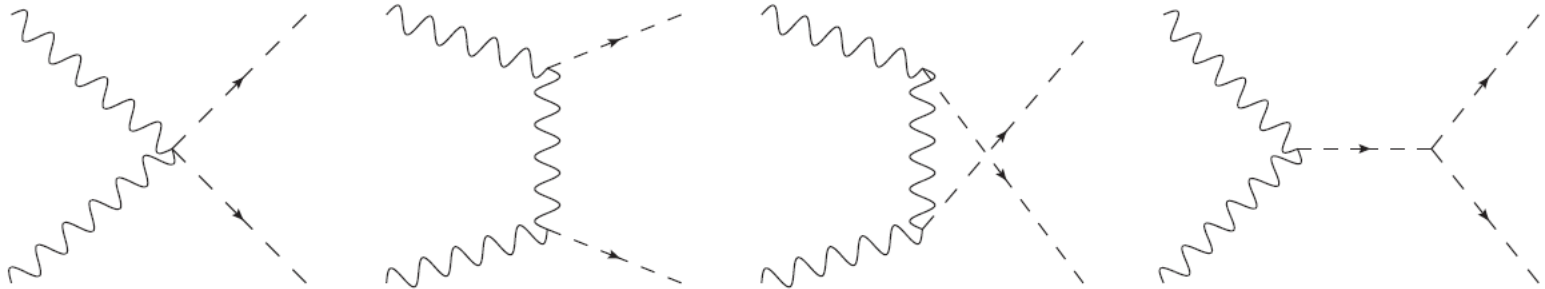
$$\frac{d\lambda_{H\Phi}}{d\ln\mu} = \frac{1}{16\pi^2} \left[2\lambda_{H\Phi} (6\lambda_H + 4\lambda_\Phi + 2\lambda_{H\Phi}) - \lambda_{H\Phi} \left(\frac{9}{2}g_2^2 + \frac{3}{2}g_1^2 - 6y_t^2 + 6g_X^2 \right) \right],$$

$$\frac{d\lambda_\Phi}{d\ln\mu} = \frac{1}{16\pi^2} [2(\lambda_{H\Phi}^2 + 10\lambda_\Phi^2 + 3g_X^4) - 12\lambda_\Phi g_X^2],$$

$$\frac{dg_X}{d\ln\mu} = \frac{1}{16\pi^2} \frac{1}{3} g_X^3.$$

$$\lambda_\Phi(\Lambda) < 4\pi \Rightarrow g_X \leq 1.5$$

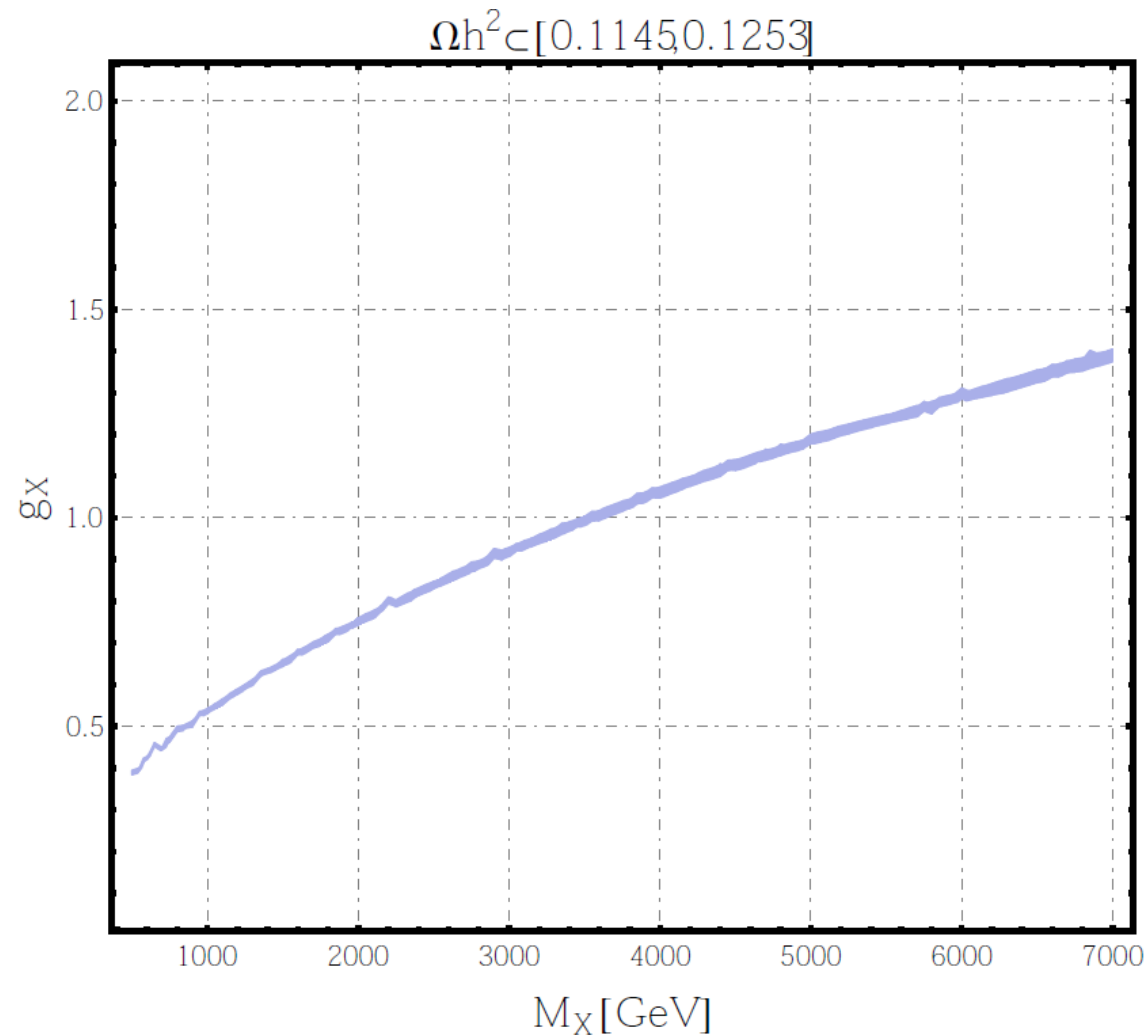
Relic density



$$\langle\sigma v\rangle = \frac{g_X^4}{144\pi M_X^2} \left[3 - \frac{8(M_{H_2}^2 - 4M_X^2)}{M_{H_2}^2 - 2M_X^2} + \frac{16(M_{H_2}^4 - 4M_{H_2}^2 M_X^2 + 6M_X^4)}{(M_{H_2}^2 - 2M_X^2)^2} \right]$$

$$g_X \sim 0.57 \times \left(\frac{M_X}{1\text{TeV}} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

Relic density



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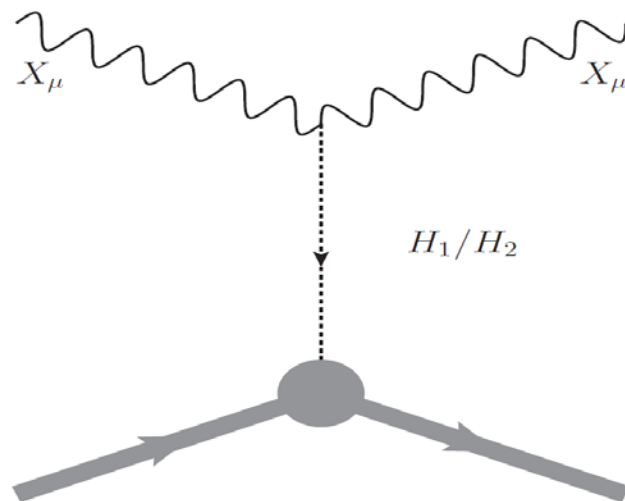
- Planck gives

$$\Omega h^2 = 0.1199 \pm 0.0027$$

- approximation

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Direct detection

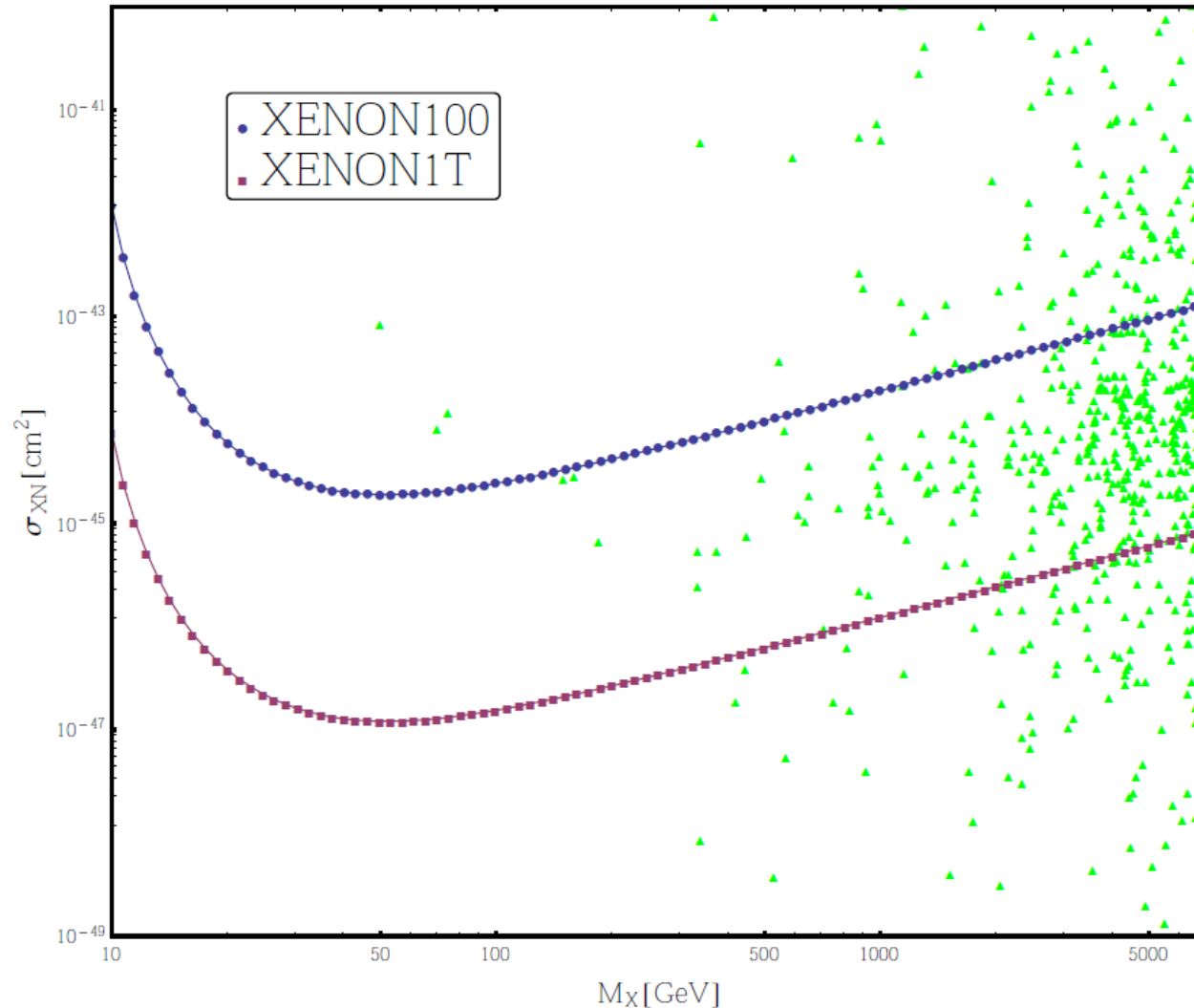


The cross section of dark matter scattering of a nucleon

$$\sigma(X_\mu N \rightarrow X_\mu N) = \frac{1}{16\pi} g_X^4 \sin^2 2\alpha \frac{f^2 m_N^2}{v_H^2} \left(\frac{1}{m_{H_2}^2} - \frac{1}{m_{H_1}^2} \right)^2 \left(\frac{M_X m_N}{M_X + m_N} \right)^2$$

$$m_{H_2} = m_{H_1}, \quad \sigma = 0$$

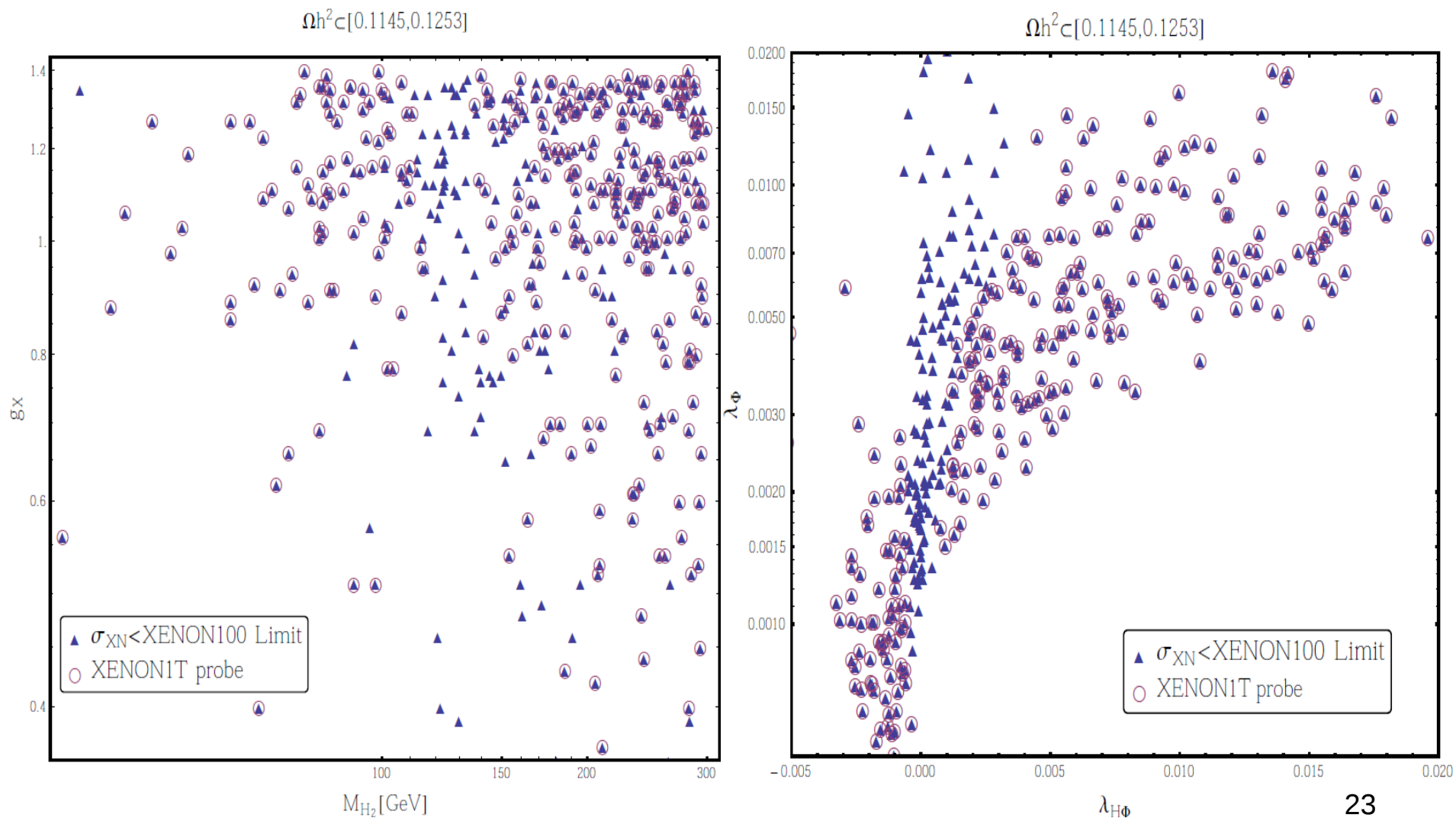
XENON Limits



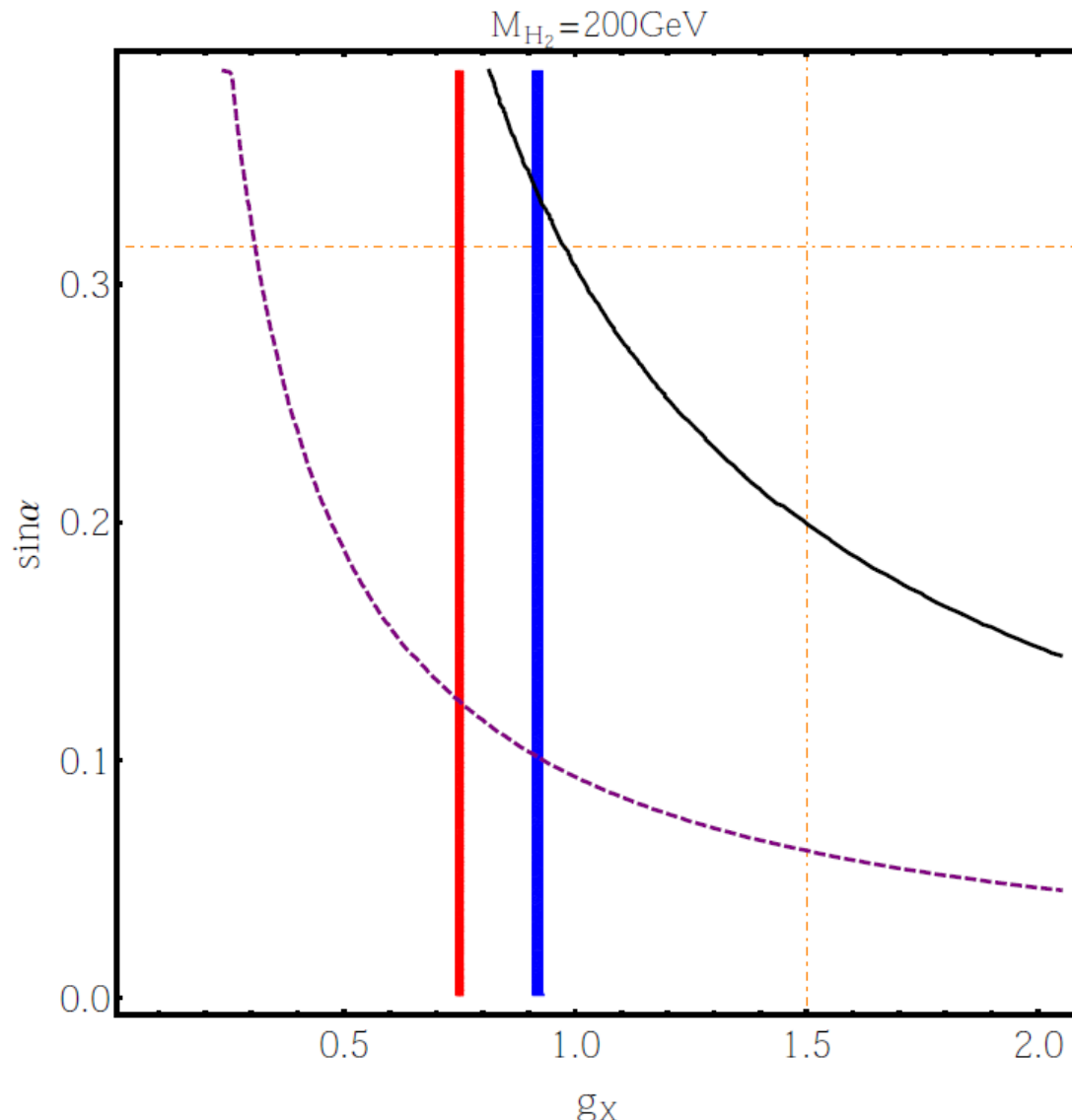
Blue line is the latest XENON100 limit.

Purple line shows the expected limit from XENON1T.

Parameter Space

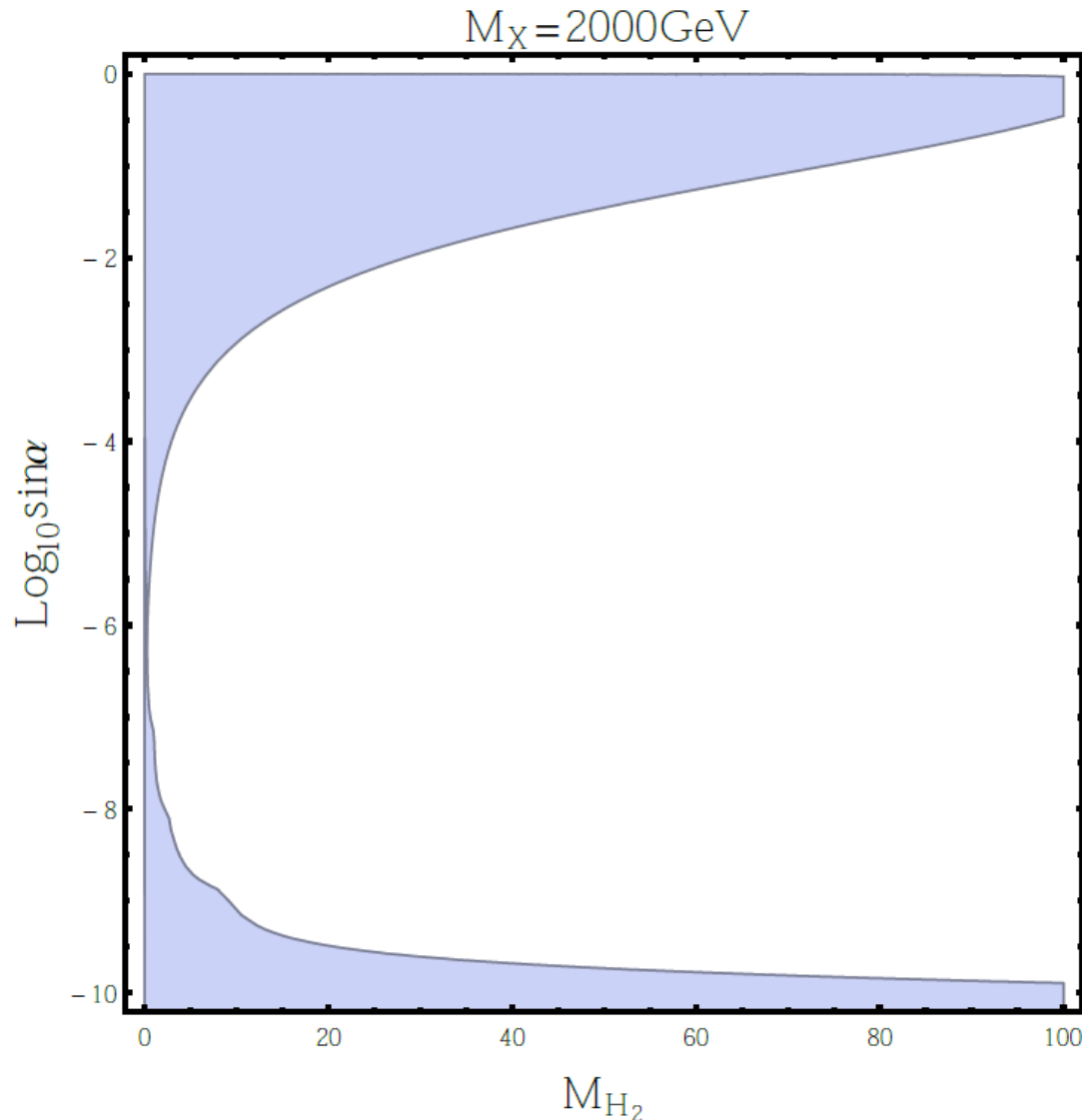


Parameter Limits



- Blue band is for 2000 GeV DM, and red one for 1000 GeV.

Limits on the Mixing angle



- Upper bound:
From XENON100 direct detection.
- Lower bound:
Lifetime should not be too long to spoil BBN.

Decaying DM and Indirect Signatures

An illustrative example

Effective operator

$$-\frac{g_\Lambda^2}{\Lambda^2} \left(\Phi^\dagger i \overleftrightarrow{D}_\mu \Phi \right) (\bar{f} \gamma^\mu f)$$

can be induced from the following UV complete theory,

$$\mathcal{L} = (D'_\mu \Phi)^\dagger D'^\mu \Phi + \bar{f} i \gamma^\mu D'_\mu f - \frac{1}{4} F'^{\mu\nu} F'_{\mu\nu} + (D'_\mu \phi)^\dagger D'^\mu \phi - V(\phi^\dagger \phi),$$

$$D'_\mu \Phi = (\partial_\mu + i g_X Q_X X_\mu + i g' Q'_\Phi A'_\mu) \Phi,$$

$$D'_\mu \phi = (\partial_\mu + i g' Q'_\phi A'_\mu) \phi,$$

$$D'_\mu f = (D_\mu^{\text{SM}} + i g' Q'_f A'_\mu) f.$$

$$\Lambda \rightarrow M_{A'}, \quad g_\Lambda \rightarrow g'$$

An illustrative example

- The previous symmetry can be identified as the lepton number.
- It can also serve as the source for type-I seesaw mechanism.
- If it is only associated with one generation of leptons, DM then decays solely to that generation lepton pair.

Indirect Signatures

- DM decay can provide additional source,

$$Q(E, \vec{r}) = \frac{\rho(\vec{r})}{M_{\text{DM}}\tau_{\text{DM}}} \frac{dN^{e^\pm}}{dE}.$$

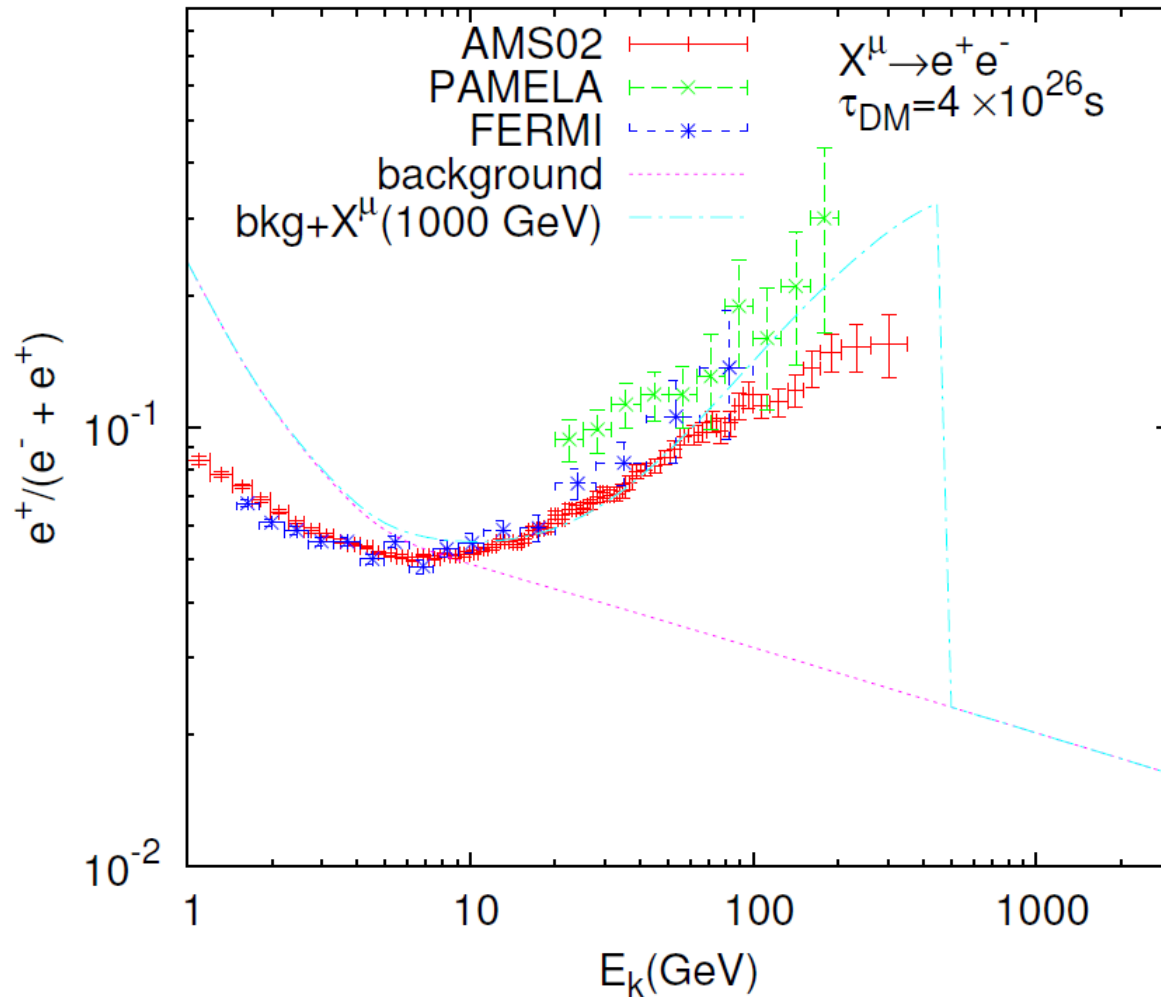
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- We use the NFW density profile

$$\rho(\vec{r}) = \rho_\odot \left[\frac{r_\odot}{r} \right] \left[\frac{1 + (r_\odot/r_c)}{1 + (r/r_c)} \right]^2$$

$$\rho_\odot \simeq 0.3 \text{GeV}/\text{cm}^3, \quad r_\odot \simeq 8.5 \text{kpc} \text{ and } r_c \simeq 20 \text{kpc}$$

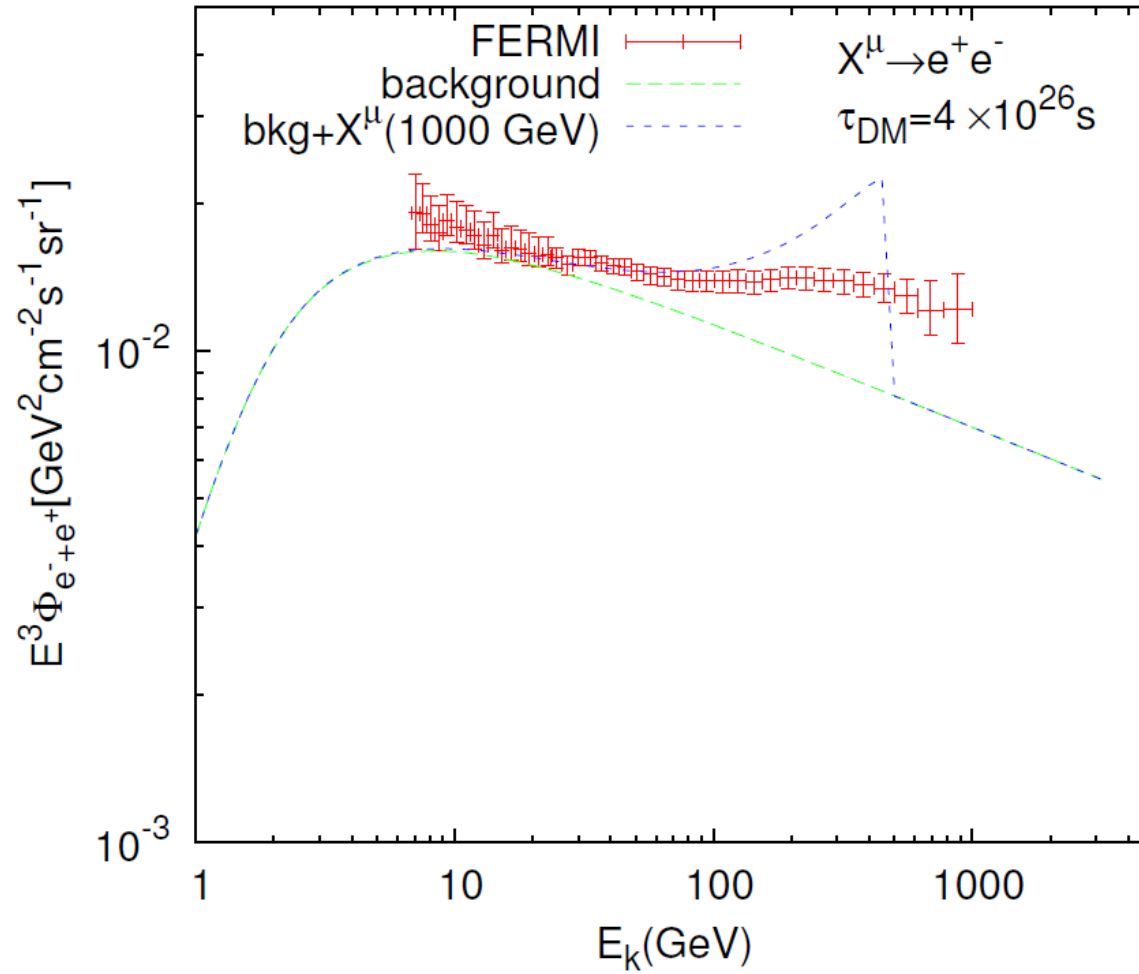
$$X^\mu \rightarrow e^+ e^-$$



$E < 10 \text{ GeV}$ can be affected by solar wind significantly.

The spectrum is very sharp near the end point.

$$X^\mu \rightarrow e^+ e^-$$

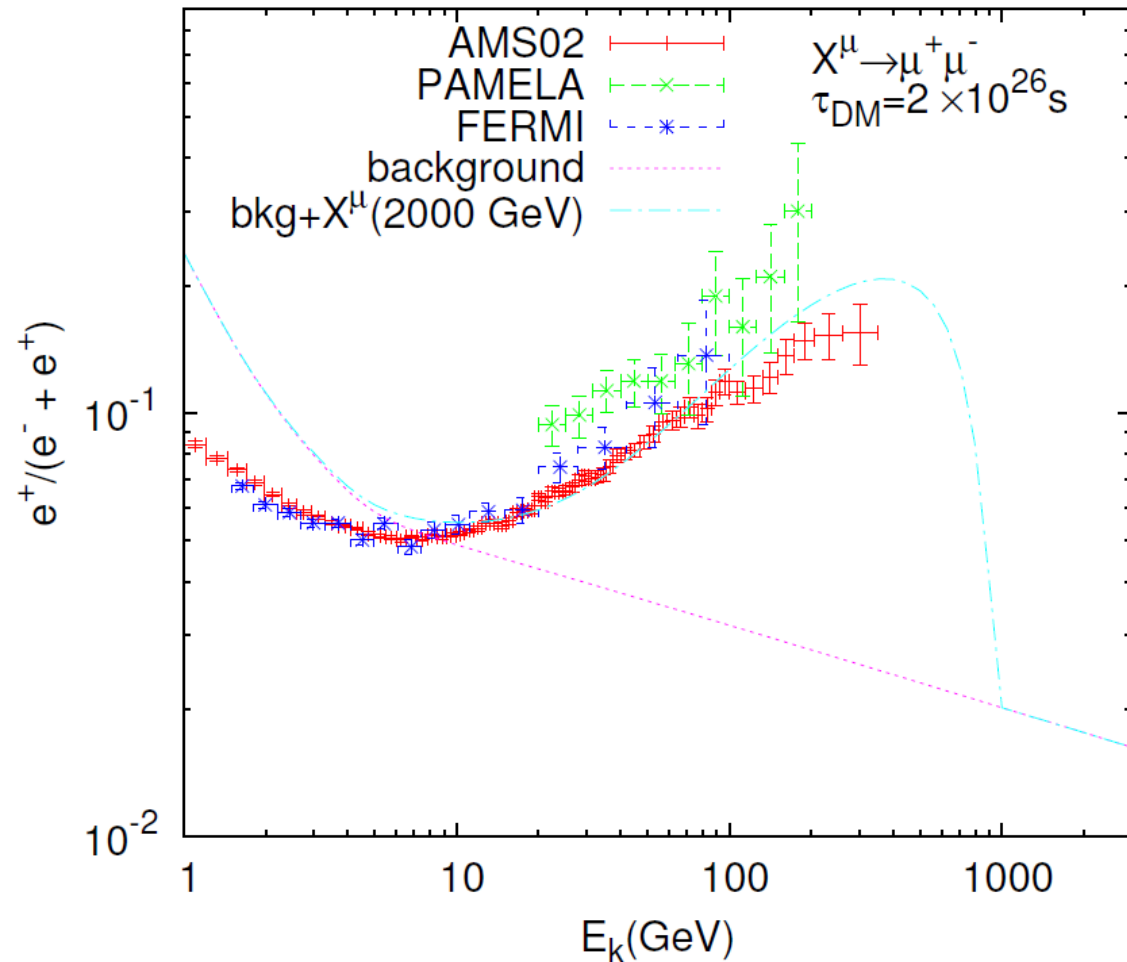


$$X^\mu \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$$

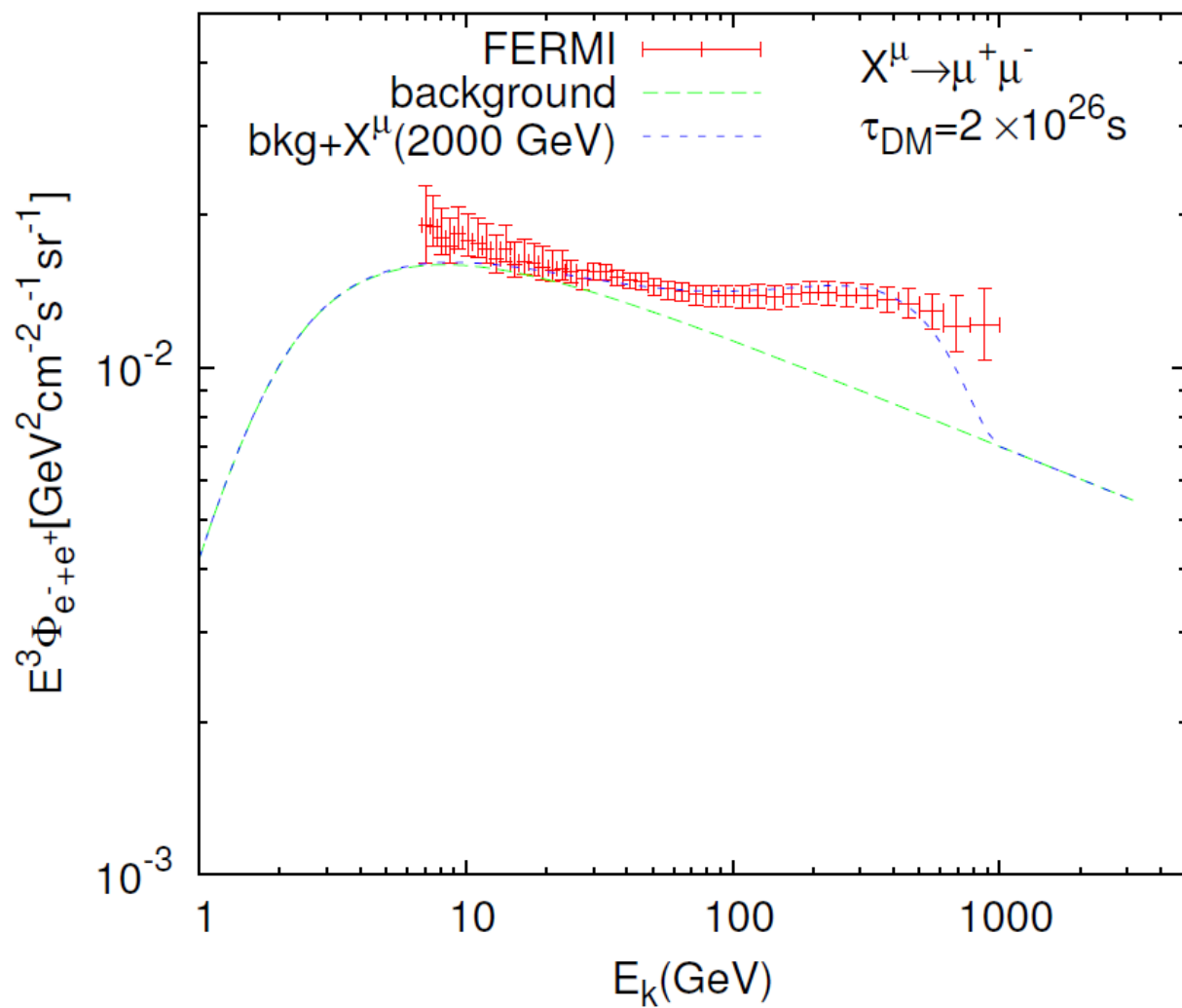
- The spectrum is softer than the $X^\mu \rightarrow e^+e^-$ case.

- Muons decay

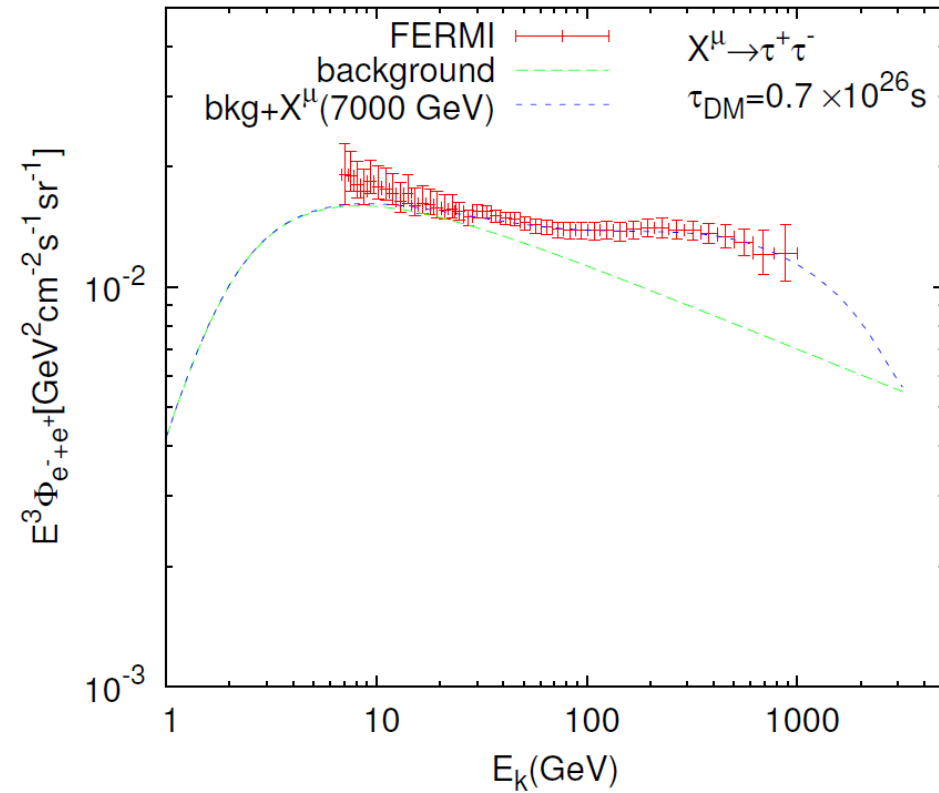
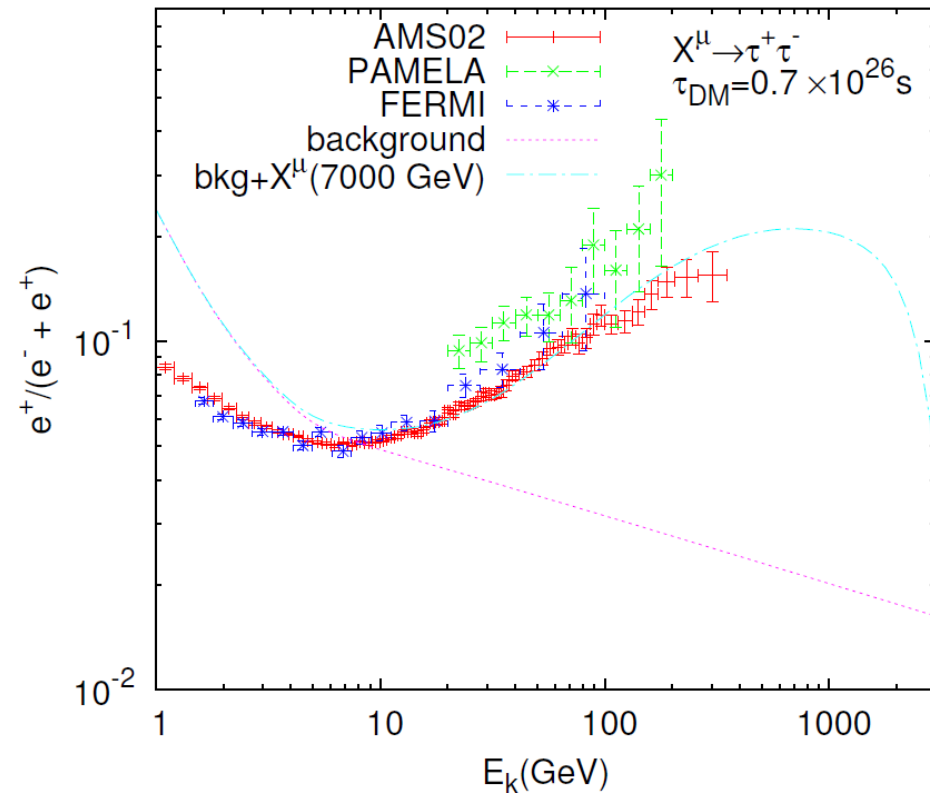
$$\mu^\pm \rightarrow e^\pm + \nu_e + \nu_\mu$$



$$X^\mu \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$$

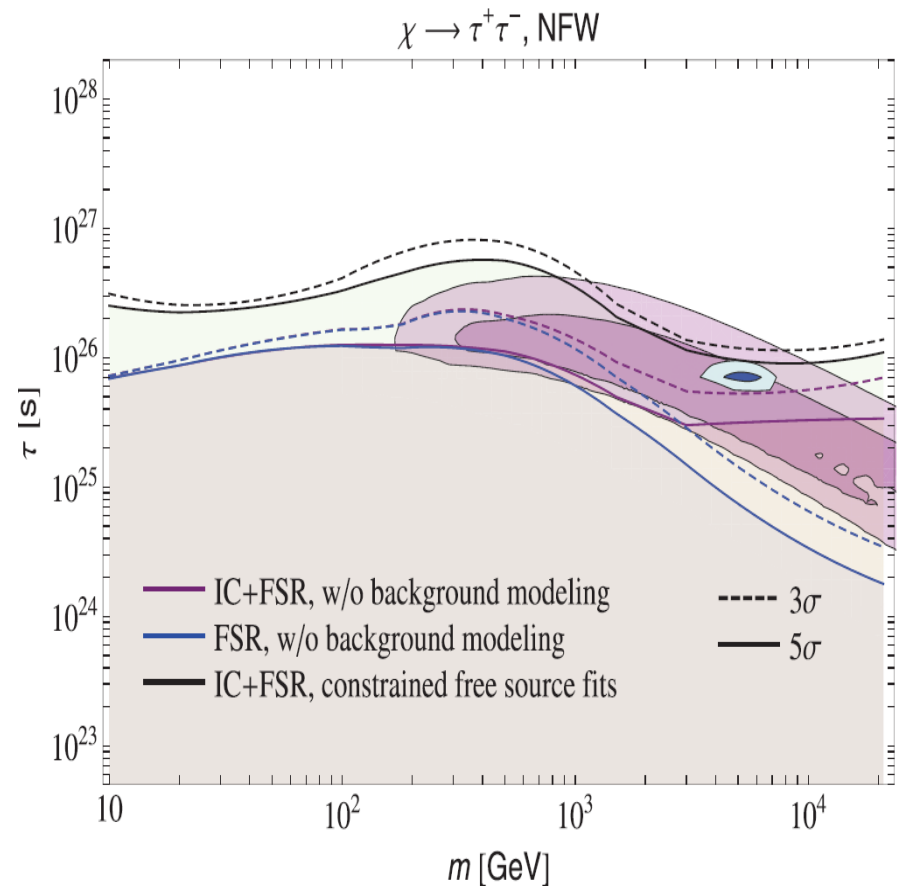
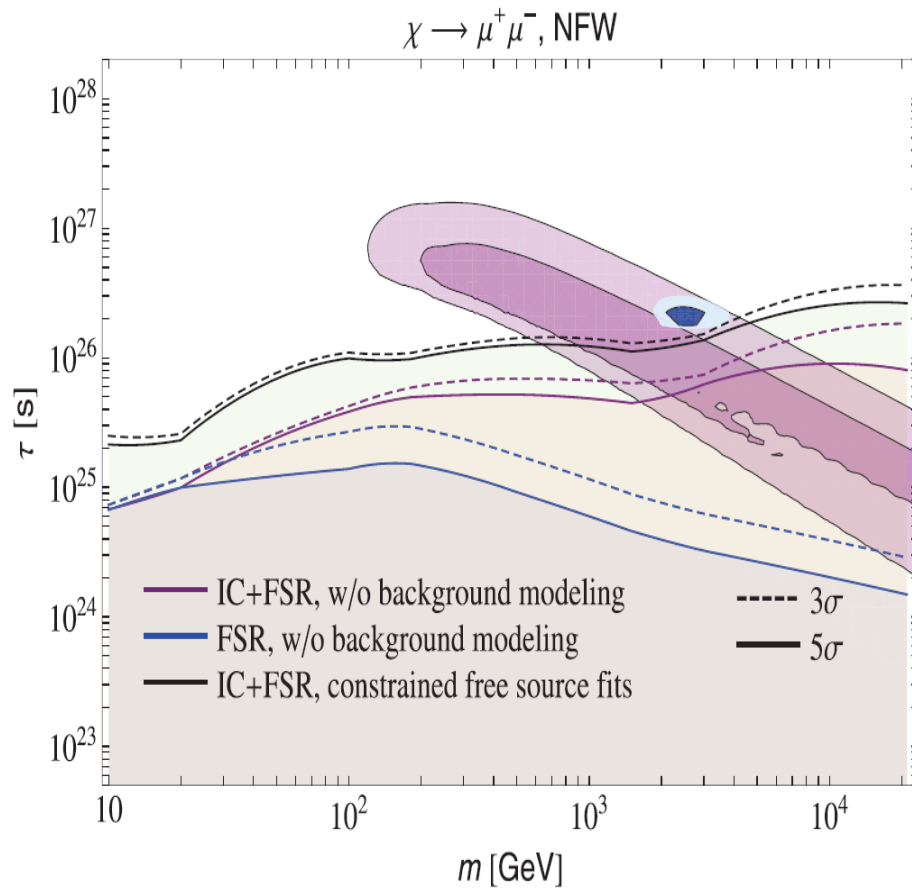


$$X^\mu \rightarrow \tau^+ \tau^-$$



Only 1/3 taus decay to light leptons, the rest mainly to pions, $\pi^\pm \rightarrow \mu^\pm + \nu_\mu$ and $\pi^0 \rightarrow 2\gamma$ 34

Fermi-LAT Constraints



Summary

- We have investigated a simple extension of SM, $U_X(1)$ VDM model.
- Higher dimensional operators can induce the DM decay.
- Phenomenological constraints are shown.
- An illustrative example is given to explain the positron excess.