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Unraveling Dark Matter and neutrino mysteries with a scotogenic approach

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Standard Model and its limitations

$$
G_{\text{SM}}=SU(3)_\text{C}\times SU(2)_\text{L}\times U(1)_\text{Y}
$$

Advantages

- Higgs boson prediction
- **Observables well tested** experimentally

Major problems

- **•** Gravity not included
- **•** Description of the visible matter only
- **Neutrinos remain massless**

Unexplained phenomena

Dark Matter nature unknown despite its abundance

Neutrino oscillations linked to them having a mass

Planck measurements*^a* :

$\Omega h^2 =$ 0.1200 \pm 0.0012

 $P(\nu_i \longleftrightarrow \nu_j) \propto \sin^2\left(\frac{\Delta m_{ij}^2 L}{4F}\right)$ $\frac{Im_j^2L}{4E}\bigg)$

a [arXiv:1807.06209v4](https://arxiv.org/pdf/1807.06209.pdf)

Scotogenic models: a possible extension of the SM

Same gauge symmetry as SM Addition of an extra symmetry \mathbb{Z}_2 :

SM particles are even under this symmetry

BSM particles are odd

Lagrangian of our model

$$
-\mathcal{L}_{\text{scalar}} \supset M_H^2 |H|^2 + \lambda_H |H|^4 + \frac{1}{2} M_S^2 S^2 + \frac{1}{2} \lambda_{4S} S^4 + M_\eta^2 |\eta|^2 + \lambda_{4\eta} |\eta|^4
$$

+
$$
\frac{1}{2} \lambda_S S^2 |H|^2 + \lambda_\eta |\eta|^2 |H|^2 + \frac{1}{2} \lambda_{S\eta} S^2 |\eta|^2 + \lambda'_\eta |\eta^\dagger H|^2
$$

+
$$
\frac{1}{2} \lambda''_\eta \left(\left(\eta^\dagger H \right)^2 + \text{h.c.} \right) + \kappa \left(S \eta^\dagger H + \text{h.c.} \right)
$$

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\mathcal{L}_{\text{fermion}} \supset \frac{1}{2} M_{\Sigma_1} \overline{\Sigma}_1 \Sigma_1 + \frac{1}{2} M_{\Sigma_2} \overline{\Sigma}_2 \Sigma_2
$$

+
$$
M_\Psi \Psi_1 \Psi_2 + \mathcal{Y}_1 \mathcal{Y}_1 \Psi_1 \Sigma_j H + \mathcal{Y}_{2j} \overline{\Psi}_2 \Sigma_j H
$$

+
$$
g_\Psi^k \Psi_2 L_k S + g_{\Sigma_j}^k \eta \Sigma_j L_k + g_R^k \tilde{\eta} \Psi_1 e_k^c + \text{h.c.}
$$

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- T12A topology already been studied by Björn Herrmann and Maud Sarazin
- T12A model only allows for 2 neutrino masses to be generated
- Variant of T12A with extra fermion singlet can generate 3 neutrino masses
- **•** Phenomenology of a fermion singlet F has been studied so now we wanted to study the one of a fermion triplet

36 parameters to scan in the MCMC algorithm \implies consequent computational time to scan a 36-D hypercube

Use of Casas-Ibarra parametrization to take in account experimental constraints in input

Likelihood computed as $\mathcal{L}_n = \prod_i \mathcal{L}_i^n$ with $\ln\left(\mathcal{L}_i^n\right) = -\frac{\left(\mathcal{O}_i^n-\mathcal{O}_i^{\sf exp}\right)^2}{2\sigma_{\sf r}^2}$ $2\sigma_i^2$

33 experimental constraints were taken in account

Jump to next point if $\mathcal{L}_n > \mathcal{L}_{old}$, if not then jump with a $p = \mathcal{L}_n / \mathcal{L}_{old}$ probability

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Advantages: mass generation of 3 neutrinos

 $\nu_i \longrightarrow \bullet$ $\nu_j \longrightarrow \nu_j$

 $\bar{\eta}$

Σ*j*

Couplings determined thanks

to Casas-Ibarra parametrization

 $M^{}_\nu = \mathcal{G}^t M^{}_\text{L} \mathcal{G}$

• Diagonalization of the neutrino mass matrix by the PMNS matrix $M_\nu = V_{\sf PMNS}^\dagger D_\nu V_{\sf PMNS}^*$

Pontecorvo-Maki-Nakagawa-Sakata (PMNS) matrix expresses the mismatch between the rotations of the LH charged leptons and the neutrinos

$$
V_{PMNS}=V_{eL}^{\dagger}V_{\nu L}
$$

Decomposition of neutrino mass matrix in different terms $M_{\nu} = \mathcal{G}^t M_L \mathcal{G}$

Combining those two statements leads to

$$
\mathcal{G} = U_L D_L^{-1/2} R D_\nu^{1/2} V_{PMNS}^*
$$

with
$$
R^tR = RR^t = \mathbb{I}_3
$$

Satisfying neutrino mass differences

At LO level

At NLO level

Second bump might be linked to loop corrections

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Details on Freeze-out

Features

- DM in thermal equilibrium with thermal bath deep within the radiation-dominated epoch
- as Γ ≲ *H* DM decouples first chemically and then kinematically from the thermal bath
- **Correct relic density can** be reached by different ways

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Advantages: stability of Dark Matter particle

Boltzmann equation in FLRW model

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Dark matter candidate?

Diagonalization of mass matrices

Dark matter candidate

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\frac{\text{Counihilations}}{(\chi_1^4, \chi_2^0, \chi_3^0, \chi_4^0) = U_{\chi^0} \left(\Sigma_1^0, \Sigma_2^0, \Psi_1^0, \Psi_2^0\right)}
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\frac{\left[(\chi_1^+, \chi_2^+, \chi_3^+) = U_{\chi^+} \left(\Sigma_1^+, \Sigma_2^+, \Psi_2^+\right) \right]}{\left[(\chi_1^-, \chi_2^-, \chi_3^-) = U_{\chi^-} \left(\Sigma_1^-, \Sigma_2^-, \Psi_1^-\right) \right]}
$$
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\Sigma_j = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\Sigma_j^0}{\sqrt{2}} & \Sigma_j^+ \\ \Sigma_j^- & -\frac{\Sigma_j^0}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix}
$$

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\Psi_1=\begin{pmatrix}\Psi_1^0 \\ \Psi_1^-\end{pmatrix}, \Psi_2=\begin{pmatrix}-\Psi_2^+ \\ \Psi_2^0\end{pmatrix}
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- Extension of SM that deals with DM and neutrino masses
- Regions in parameter space satisfying major constraints (DM relic density and neutrino mass differences)
- Mass of BSM particles are reachable at the LHC

Thanks for your attention

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