# Embracing The Dark Side Hidden Naturalness in Colliders & Cosmology

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### The Standard Model (SM)

Quarks (baryons) Charged leptons

**Neutrinos** 

Ht  $\mathcal{U}$ C gbdS $\boldsymbol{e}$ μ  $\mathcal{T}$  $W^{\pm}$ Z $u_{ au}$  $\nu_e$  $u_{\mu}$ 





*g* gluon, SU(3)c color force *H* Higgs  $W^{\pm}Z$  SU(2) weak force  $\gamma$  photon, U(1)



### Some important particles to remember



## The Standard Cosmology: $\Lambda CDM$



#### Cold Dark Matter + Cosmological Constant





LSS

### We know enough to be confused...

Higgs Hierarchy problem

What is dark matter?

The solution of these puzzles will likely bind collider physics and cosmology

### Higgs Hierarchy Problem



Electroweak scale is extremely sensitive to the UV correction

If SM works up to the Planck scale ~  $10^{19}$  GeV, the cancellation for needs to be extremely tuned!

### Higgs Hierarchy Problem



SM is only tested up to ~ TeV scale **New physics may be waiting beyond that scale!** 

### What is Dark Matter?

DM is there doing important things!

Small Scale Structure ~< 10 lyrs





Large Scale Structure >~ 10 lyrs





### What is Dark Matter?

But we don't know its detailed property

What's the mass of DM particles?

Single species, or a whole zoo of dark particles?

Non-gravitational interaction?

How do they obtain their relic density?

### What is Dark Matter?

Also, we see weird things in cosmological signatures

Mass deficit problem in Small Scale Structure

 $(\sigma_8, H_0)$  problem in Large Scale Structure

Possible signals from indirect detection experiments

Suggest a more complicated dark sector

### How are we going to study these?





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but what if they don't couple to us, or if the coupling is tiny?

### Cosmological signatures



### The Collider <-> Cosmology Interplay





energy leak back into SM seeing collider signals lots of energy in new particles change the cosmology

### Example: Neutral Naturalness scenarios



# One solution to the hierarchy problem: Supersymmetry

Super particle loops cancel the divergence





### The standard structure of top partner



top partner at high mass carry the same SM top couplings (e.g., QCD for collider production)

### Motivated by collider constraints



Different gauge coupling sectors

Hidden Naturalness solution to the Hierarchy Problem



Different gauge coupling sectors

A nice structure for Dark Matter too!



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### Part I.

### Cosmological Signatures from Mirror Twin Higgs



### Mirror Symmetric Twin Higgs



Higgs coupling measurement

### Collider Search? It's hard...



### This is why we need to look into Twin Cosmology

Lots of interesting things in Twin cosmology

Cosmological Signatures of a Mirror Twin Higgs Chacko, Curtin, Geller, YT (*in progress*, 18') Solving small scale structure puzzles Prilepina, YT (17') Addressing large scale structure puzzles Prilepina, YT (17') Galactic center gamma ray excess Freytsis, Knapen, Robinson, YT(16') Cosmological constraint on twin meson lifetime

Cheng, Jung, Salvioni, YT (15')

Here I will only discuss the effect of Twin sector on Large Scale Structure

### A long time ago, when T ~ MeV (~1 sec)

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A long time ago, in a hidden universe that is so close to us

There are twin particles maintaining the stability of the Universe

SM  $(p, n, e, \gamma, \nu)$ Twin  $(\hat{p}, \hat{n}, \hat{e}, \hat{\gamma}, \hat{\nu})$ 

+ Cold DM

### Big-bang Nucleosynthesis (~1 sec, T ~ MeV)



Nucleosynthesis nuclei formation

### (neutron/proton) freeze out



$$\left(\frac{n}{p}\right) \sim e^{-\frac{\Delta M_{np}}{T_F}}$$

### Deuterium Bottleneck



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Luckily, this happens ``before" neutron decays



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### Let's first check Twin Deuterium Bottleneck



### Twin (neutron/proton) freeze out earlier



 $\Delta M_{\hat{n}\hat{p}} \sim 5\,\Delta M_{np}$ 

Twin helium dominates twin matter density

Chacko, Curtin, Geller, YT (*in progress*, 18')

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Twin helium will dominate the twin baryon acoustic oscillation



# Era for the Large Scale Structure & CMB



### Large Scale Structure of the Universe



**Density Perturbation** 

$$\delta_i \equiv \frac{\delta \rho_i}{\bar{\rho}_i}_{i = \text{DM}, \gamma, b, \nu}$$



**Space Time** 

SDSS

#### Large Scale Structure of the Universe

$$P(k)_s \propto k^{-3} \langle \delta_s(k,a)^2 \rangle$$



DES: 1507.05552

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Fourier transform into frequency in space

$$\delta_i(x,a) \to \delta_i(k,a)$$

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#### Structure formation of twin baryons

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The scattering forbids twin baryons to form structure

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#### Baryon Acoustic Oscillation (BAO)

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#### Oscillation stops after recombination

$$\mathbf{H}^{+} + e^{-} \to \mathbf{H}^{0} + \gamma + (\gamma) \quad \frac{n_{\mathbf{H}^{+}} n_{e^{-}}}{n_{\mathbf{H}^{0}}} \sim \left(\frac{m_{e} T}{2\pi}\right)^{3/2} e^{-\frac{13.6 \text{ eV}}{T}}$$

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Twin BAO suppresses the density perturbation

See also Chacko, Cui, Hong, Okui, YT (16')

How much mirror baryon density can we have?

$$r_{\hat{\mathrm{H}}} = \Omega_{\hat{\mathrm{H}}} / \Omega_{\mathrm{DM}}, \qquad r_{\hat{\mathrm{He}}} = \Omega_{\hat{\mathrm{He}}} / \Omega_{\mathrm{DM}}$$

Quantify the suppression of density perturbation with ratio

$$\delta_{tot}(k) = \sum_{i=\chi,\hat{b},p} (\Omega_i / \Omega_m) \,\delta_i(k),$$

P.S. Ratio(k) 
$$\equiv \frac{\delta_{tot}^2(k)\Big|_{\Lambda \text{CDM} + \text{MTH}}}{\delta_{tot}^2(k)\Big|_{\Lambda \text{CDM} + \text{DR}}}$$

# TBBN -> Twin Helium -> Imprints on LSS!

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# Precision measurement of the LSS

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#### Precent level precision in ~ 10 years

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#### Can see the effect from both H & He

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#### LSS constraint on mirror particle density

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Current bound allows  $\Omega_{\hat{b}}/\Omega_{\rm DM} < 10\%$ Future constraint will be < 1%

# Cosmic Microwave Background

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#### Dark radiation, asymmetric reheating

 $\hat{\gamma} \hat{\nu}$ 

give too much radiation density  $\Delta N_{eff} = 5.7$ while the current bound  $\Delta N_{eff} < 0.45 (2\sigma)$ 

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### Cosmic Microwave Background (CMB)

Different signals from free streaming/scattering radiation

scatters before twin recombination

$$\frac{\Delta N_{eff}^{free}}{\Delta N_{eff}^{scatt}} = \frac{\Delta N_{eff}^{\hat{\nu}}}{\Delta N_{eff}^{\hat{\gamma}}} = \frac{3}{4.4}$$

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CMB S-4 may test the radiation composition in MTH

Baumann et. al. 1508.06342

### Formation of the small scale structures

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#### Re-ionization of twin atoms

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# Small scale structure, mirror disc?

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There is a chance to form a Twin disc Gaia survey only allows 1% of DM forming a disc More study is needed to see if Twin disc can form

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# Upshot

Cosmology depends on various **``details**" (mass, coupling,...)

We can give concrete predictions to Twin Cosmology because the **Naturalness requirement** gives us these details

These LSS and CMB signals only scratch the surface:

more on Direct Detection Astrophysics Mirror symmetry generates new phenomenology

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# Part I.

# Collider Signatures from Hidden Naturalness

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#### Production & decay of SM Higgs @ LHC

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# Higgs decay into mirror particles

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When there's no lighter mirror particles to decay into (since we only need heavier mirror particles for Naturalness) Mirror hadrons **SLOWLY** decay back to SM particles

# If the coupling is so small => Long-lived particles

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#### Normal story: smaller coupling => bad

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# Long-lived Particle (LLP) search

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#### New physics - SM coupling

#### But if it's tooo long-lived

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# Max decay length from cosmological constraint

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If mirror mesons have mass ~ GeV are the lightest mirror particles, and if there're only couple through Higgs/Photon portals, vector meson should decay ~< 1 m to avoid BBN constraint

# Max decay length from cosmological constraint

Cheng, Jung, Salvioni, YT (15')

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Pseudo-scalar is meta-stable and overly abundant. An easy way to dump them is to have

 $\Gamma_{\hat{\Upsilon}_b} > H(T \simeq \Delta m)$ => decay length ~< 1 m

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The decay will likely happen inside the detector in the simplest mirror meson scenario

# LHC search of displaced muon pairs

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# Probing the Light-Dark unification!

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### Probe the UV structure of Twin Higgs

DV into bb or muons + lepton (pT > 100)



Cheng, Jung, Salvioni, YT (15', 16') Li, Salvioni, YT, Zhang (17')

Can probe the structure of Hidden sector up to few TeV scale!

## What does this mean?

The Long-lived particle search is very powerful. We can study both low energy portal and high energy structure of the hidden sector



Since the LLP search is so important, we need to probe every corner of that signature space

## Challenge: LLP with low mass and energy

#### Twin hadrons can be light & have low energy





> 6 LLPs with muon pT < 10 GeV

hard to distinguish signal from background

## Solution: using the flavor physics machine

LHCb detector is designed to see rare SM meson decays





#### It turns out it's also powerful for the LLP search!

Pierce, Shakya, YT, Zhao (17')

# Why LHCb?

In order to look for rare SM meson decays, LHCb has

Good vertex resolution (10  $\mu$ m) Low pileup background (~< 5 at Run 3) Good particle identification (pion fake rate for muons  $\epsilon_{\pi}^2 \approx 10^{-6}$ )

**Low pT requirement** (charge track >~ 0.5 GeV)

e.g., Multi-muon trigger in CMS/ATLAS usually require >~ 6 - 10 GeV muons (x3 muons)

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We can see the soft LLP events at the LHCb

# Light & soft LLP search at LHCb

Example: 200 GeV Z' decays into 10-20 sub-GeV hidden mesons



## LHCb constraint on the exotic Higgs decay

Pierce, Shakya, YT, Zhao (17')



#### LHCb was not designed to look for new particles

### But its precision capabilities are proving vital in the search for hidden sectors and naturalness



## Conclusion

An important interplay between **Collider** <-> **Cosmology** when solving the physics puzzles

**Neutral Naturalness** gives a concrete example to solve the **Higgs Hierarchy Problem** by **Hidden Sector physics**, which leads to exciting cosmological signatures

Many experimental efforts have been put to improve both collider & cosmological searches It it vital to combine these data for solving the puzzles