

Naturalizing Supersymmetry

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CM Energy 7 TeV 8 TeV **13 TeV** 14 TeV

SUSY particle searches

- Gluino pair production
- Squark pair production
- Sbottom pair production
- Stop pair production
- Slepton pair production
- Chargino/neutralino pair production
- Wimp pair with heavy flavour production
- RPV SUSY
- Long-lived massive particles
- pMSSM
- GGM/GMSB
- CMSSM/MSUGRA**
- NUHM
- Universal extra dimensions

Signature

Charged tracks

- 0 lepton
- 1 lepton
- 2 leptons
- 2 leptons (same charge)
- >=3 leptons
- Taus
- Photons
- Higgs
- 0 jets
- 1 jet
- 2 jets
- >=3 jets
- All hadronic
- c-jets
- b-jets

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Analysis characteristics

- ISR
- Boosted
- MVA / machine learning
- High luminosity upgrade studies
- Statistical combination
- VBF
- BSM reinterpretation

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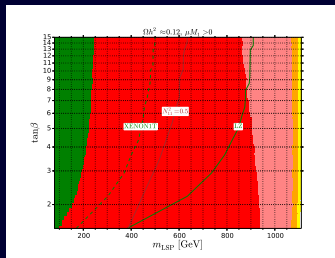
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- Fine tuning of CMSSM
 - Best case scenario, generic SUSY has heavy masses
 - $\Delta_{BG} \sim M_{SUSY}^2/m_Z^2$



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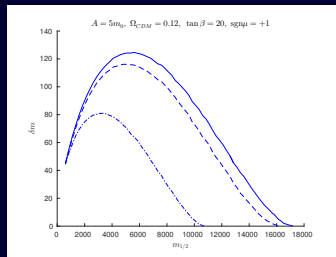
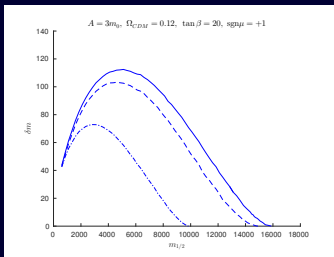
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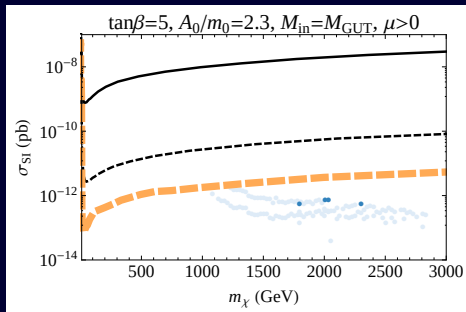
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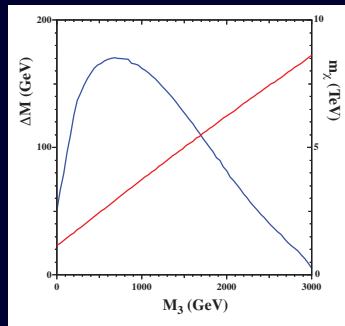
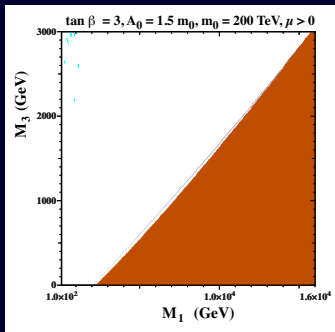
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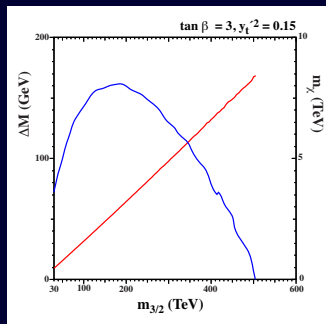
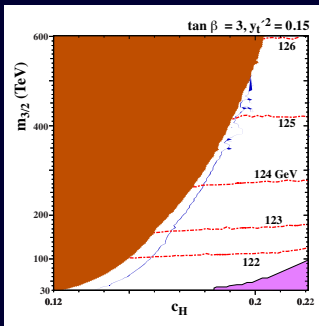
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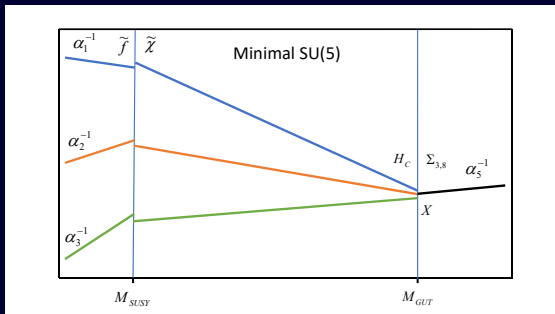
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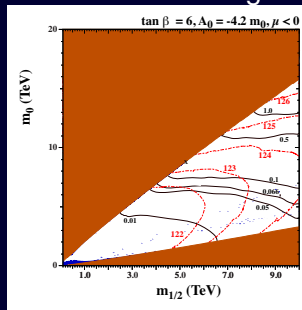
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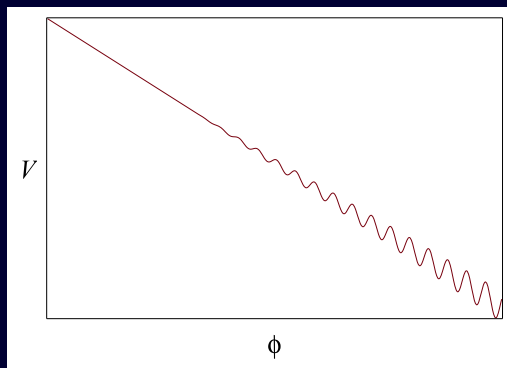
$$\mathcal{L} \supset (-M^2 + m_R \phi) |H|^2 + \frac{1}{2} (m_R \phi)^2 + \Lambda_{QCD}^4 \cos\left(\frac{\phi}{f}\right)$$

- ▶ Low scale theory: SM + axion Graham, Kaplan, Rajendran
- ▶ Axion Nambu-Goldston boson of $U(1)_{PQ}$
 - m_R small breaking of axion shift symmetry
 - All breaking proportional to m_R so technically natural
- ▶ Quark condensate further break $U(1)_{PQ}$

$$-\mathcal{L} \supset y \langle H \rangle e^{i\frac{\phi}{f}} \langle \bar{q}_L q_R \rangle + y^\dagger \langle H^\dagger \rangle e^{-i\frac{\phi}{f}} \langle \bar{q}_R q_L \rangle = 2y \langle H \rangle \langle \bar{q}_L q_R \rangle \cos\left(\frac{\phi}{f}\right)$$

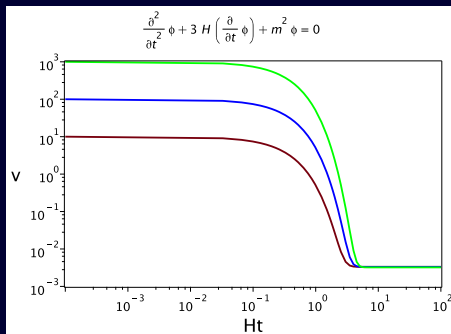
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- ▶ Hubble friction makes approach to $m_H^2 = 0$ similar
 - $\dot{\phi} \simeq v_{term}$ (Independent of IC)
 - Slow $v_{term} \rightarrow (-M^2 + g_R \phi)/M^2 \ll 1$ ($\phi \sim M^2/g_R$)



Strong CP Problem

- ▶ Instanton potential stops relaxion

$$\frac{\partial V}{\partial \phi} = g^2 \phi + \frac{m_\pi^2 \langle H \rangle f_\pi^2}{f} \sin\left(\frac{\phi}{f}\right) + \dots \sim 0$$

- ▶ Relaxion stopping point

$$\sin\left(\frac{\phi}{f}\right) \sim 1 \quad \rightarrow \quad \theta_{QCD} = \frac{\phi}{f} \sim 1$$

- ▶ Neutron EDM constraints

$$\theta_{QCD} \lesssim 10^{-11}$$

Relaxion Constraints

- Inflation dominates vacuum energy
 - Inflation unaffected by relaxion

$$V_{inf} > V_{rel} \quad \rightarrow \quad H_I > \frac{M^2}{M_P}$$

- Relaxion classical rolls ($\dot{\phi}\Delta t > H$)

$$H_I < (gM^2)^{1/3} \simeq \left(\frac{m_\pi^2 f_\pi^2}{f} \right)^{1/3} = 6 \times 10^{-5} \left(\frac{10^9 \text{ GeV}}{f} \right)^{1/3}$$

- Upper bound on allowed radiative corrections to $m_H^2 \ll M_P^2$
 - $\theta_{QCD} \sim 1$

$$M < \left(\frac{m_\pi^2 f_\pi^2 M_P^3}{f} \right)^{1/6} \sim 10^7 \text{ GeV} \left(\frac{10^9 \text{ GeV}}{f} \right)^{1/6}$$

The Numbers

- Shift symmetry breaking parameter

$$g \sim \frac{m_\pi^2 f_\pi^2}{M^2 f} = 10^{-27} \text{ GeV} \left(\frac{10^7 \text{ GeV}}{M} \right)^2 \left(\frac{10^9 \text{ GeV}}{f} \right)$$

- Super-Planckian relaxion excursion

$$\phi \sim \frac{M^2}{g} = \frac{M^4 f}{m_\pi^2 f_\pi^2} \sim 10^{41} \text{ GeV} \left(\frac{M}{10^7 \text{ GeV}} \right)^4 \left(\frac{f}{10^9 \text{ GeV}} \right)$$

- Many e-folds of inflation

$$N \gtrsim \frac{H^2}{g^2} \gtrsim \frac{M^4}{g^2 M_P^2} = \frac{M^8 f^2}{m_\pi^4 f_\pi^4 M_P^2} \sim 10^{44} \left(\frac{M}{10^7 \text{ GeV}} \right)^8 \left(\frac{f}{10^9 \text{ GeV}} \right)^2$$

Non-QCD Axion Model

- $\theta \sim 1$ non problem for other $SU(N)_R$

	$SU(N)_R$	$SU(2)_W$	$U(1)_Y$
N	N	1	1
N^c	$\bar{N}$	1	1
L	N	2	1
L^c	$\bar{N}$	2	-1

- Couple additional fields to Higgs

$$\mathcal{L} \supset m_L LL^c + m_N NN^c + y h L N^c + \tilde{y} h^\dagger L^c N + \frac{\phi}{32\pi^2 f} \tilde{G}'^{\mu\nu} G'_{\mu\nu}$$

- Relaxion effective theory

$$V_{stop} = \left(m_N + \frac{\tilde{y} y}{m_L} |h|^2 \right) \langle NN^c \rangle \cos \left(\frac{\phi}{f} \right)$$

- Higgs vev must be able to stop relaxion
 – Coincidence of scales

$$f_{\pi'} < \langle h \rangle \qquad f_{\pi'} \gtrsim \frac{y \tilde{y}}{16\pi^2} \langle h \rangle$$

Two-Field Relaxion Mechanism

- Add additional shift symmetric particle

$$\phi \rightarrow \phi + \alpha \mathbf{f}_\phi \quad \sigma \rightarrow \sigma + \beta \mathbf{f}_\sigma$$

- Shift symmetry broken by mass and couplings
 - $m_{\phi,\sigma}$ lead to field evolution
 - $g_{\phi,\sigma}$ cancels radiative corrections

$$V = \frac{1}{2} |m_\phi|^2 \phi^2 + \frac{1}{2} |m_\sigma|^2 \sigma^2 + \left(m_N - g_\phi \phi - g_\sigma \sigma + \frac{\lambda |H|^2}{M_L} \right) \langle NN^c \rangle \cos \left(\frac{\phi}{\mathbf{f}_\phi} \right)$$

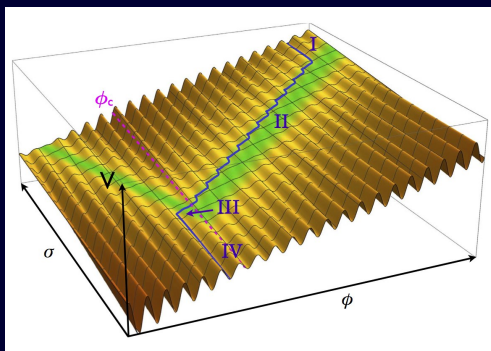
- Correction to stopping potential canceled by amplitude
 - Cancellation allows ϕ to roll until EWSB
 - Cancellation realized dynamically

$$g_\sigma \sigma \sim m_N - g_\phi \phi$$

Phase I: σ Rolls

- I. σ rolls ϕ is stuck

$$V = \frac{1}{2}|m_\phi|^2\phi^2 + \frac{1}{2}|m_\sigma|^2\sigma^2 + \left(m_N - g_\phi\phi - g_\sigma\sigma + \frac{\lambda}{M_L}|H|^2\right) \langle NN^c \rangle \cos\left(\frac{\phi}{f_\phi}\right)$$



- ϕ trapped

$$|m_S|^2\phi \ll \frac{\Lambda_N^3}{f_\phi} |\mathcal{A}(\phi, \sigma, 0)|$$

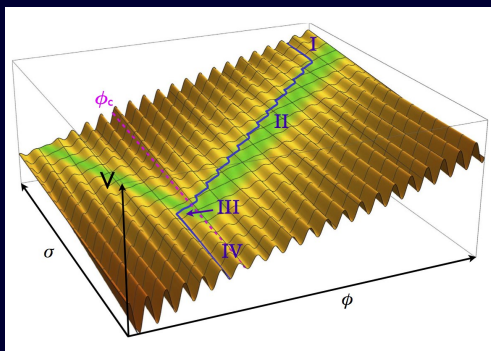
- σ slow rolls

$$\frac{\partial V_{\phi, \sigma}}{\partial \sigma} \simeq |m_\sigma|^2\sigma$$

Phases II: ϕ and σ Track Each Other

► II. ϕ tracks σ ($\mathcal{A} \simeq 0$)

$$V = \frac{1}{2}|m_\phi|^2\phi^2 + \frac{1}{2}|m_\sigma|^2\sigma^2 + \left(m_N - g_\phi\phi - g_\sigma\sigma + \frac{\lambda}{M_L}|H|^2\right) \langle NN^c \rangle \cos\left(\frac{\phi}{f_\phi}\right)$$



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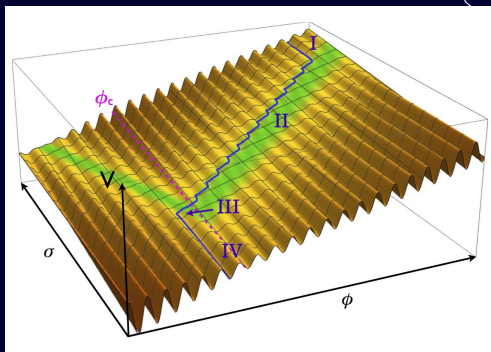
$$\frac{g_S}{\sqrt{2}} \frac{d\phi}{dt} < -\frac{g_T}{\sqrt{2}} \frac{d\sigma}{dt}$$

Phases III, IV: EWSB $\rightarrow \phi$ Trapped

► III. Higgs mass becomes negative

► IV. ϕ is trapped

$$V = \frac{1}{2}|m_\phi|^2\phi^2 + \frac{1}{2}|m_\sigma|^2\sigma^2 + \left(m_N - g_\phi\phi - g_\sigma\sigma + \frac{\lambda}{M_L}|H|^2\right) \langle NN^c \rangle \cos\left(\frac{\phi}{f_\phi}\right)$$



► A grows with v

$$\frac{\partial A}{\partial t} \simeq \frac{\partial A}{\partial v} \frac{\partial v}{\partial t} > 0$$

► ϕ trapped again

$$|m_\phi|^2\phi \ll \frac{\Lambda_N^3}{f_\phi} |\mathcal{A}(\phi, \sigma, v)|$$

Supersymmetric Two-Field Relaxation

- ▶ Shift symmetric Kähler potential
 - $\text{Im}(S, T)$ have shift symmetry

$$K \supset (S + S^\dagger)^2 + (T + T^\dagger)^2 \dots$$

- ▶ Rolling/stopping from shift symmetry breaking in superpotential

$$W = \frac{m_S}{2} S^2 + \frac{m_T}{2} T^2 + \left(m_N + ig_S S + ig_T T + \frac{\lambda}{M_L} H_u H_d \right) N \bar{N}$$

- ▶ SUSY breaking generates relaxion dependent Higgs soft masses

$$F_S = im_S \phi \quad \rightarrow \quad \int d^4\theta \frac{(S + S^\dagger)^2}{M^{*2}} |H_{u,d}|^2 = \frac{m^2 \phi^2}{M^{*2}} |H_{u,d}|^2$$

- ▶ Instanton potential from gauge kinetic function (Axion)

$$\frac{\phi}{32\pi f_\phi} G^{a\mu\nu} G_{\mu\nu}^a \quad \rightarrow \quad \int d\theta^2 c_a \frac{S}{16\pi^2 f_\phi} \text{Tr}(\mathcal{W}_a \mathcal{W}_a) + \text{h.c.}$$

Higgs Mass of SUSY Relaxion

- Generic Kähler generates relaxion dependent Higgs mass matrix

$$K \supset Z \left(S + S^\dagger \right) \left[|H_u|^2 + |H_d|^2 \right] + C(S + S^\dagger) H_u H_d + h.c.$$

- Relaxion dependent Higgs sector parameters

$$m_{H_{u,d}}^2 = c_{u,d} \frac{m^2 \phi^2}{f^2} \quad \mu = \mu_0 - c_\mu \frac{m\phi}{f} \quad B_\mu = c_0 \mu \frac{m\phi}{f} + c_B \frac{m^2 \phi^2}{f^2}$$

- $\text{Det}(M_H^2) < 0$ signifies EWSB

$$\text{Det}(M_H^2) = \left(m_{H_u}^2 + |\mu|^2 \right) \left(m_{H_d}^2 + |\mu|^2 \right) - |B_\mu|^2$$

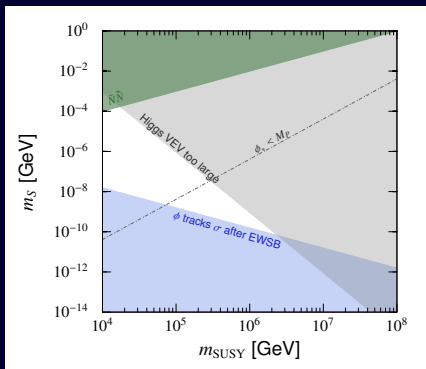
- $m\phi/f \gg \mu_0 \rightarrow \text{Det}(M_H^2) > 0$

$$\left(c_u + |c_\mu|^2 \right) \left(c_d + |c_\mu|^2 \right) - |c_B|^2 > 0$$

- $\text{Det}(M_H^2) < 0$ EWSB occurs
 - for $\mu \simeq 0$ and $c_u c_d < c_B^2$

Constraint Summary

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► Parameters

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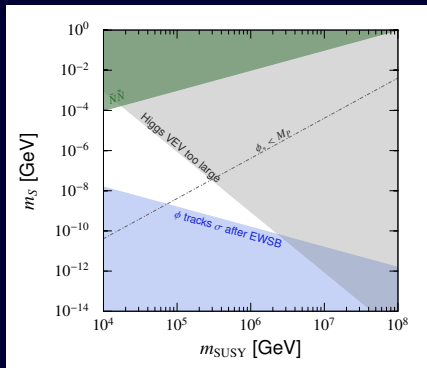
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► Barrier too small to stop ϕ

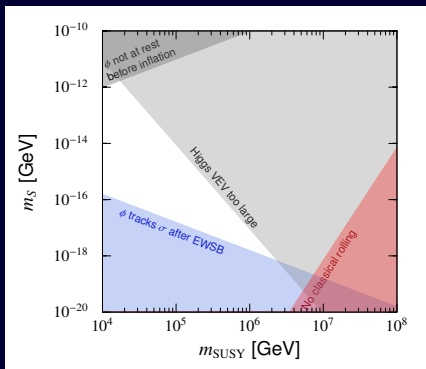
$$V' = \frac{m^2}{2} \phi + \frac{\lambda v^2 \sin(2\beta)}{4M_L} \frac{\Lambda_N^3}{f} \neq 0$$

► $\mathcal{A}$ changes too slowly with v

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{A}}{\partial t} \simeq \frac{\partial \mathcal{A}}{\partial v} \frac{\partial v}{\partial t}$$

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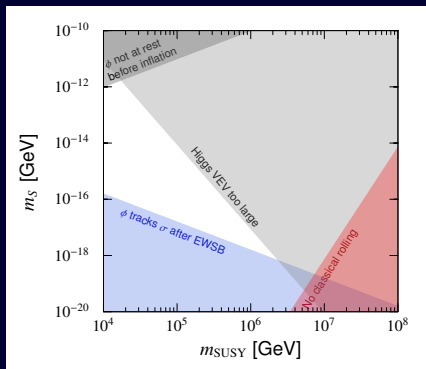
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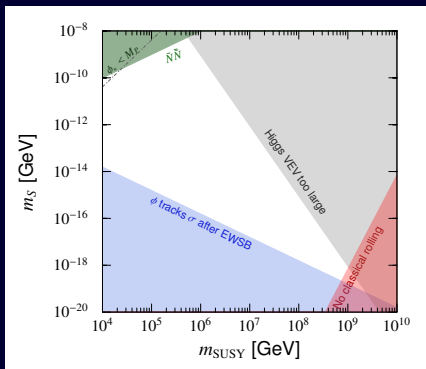


► Quantum spread of σ

$$\frac{\dot{\sigma}}{H_I} > H_I$$

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- $$m \simeq \frac{v^4}{f^2 m_{SUSY}} \sim 3 \times 10^{-6} \text{ GeV} \left(\frac{10^5 \text{ GeV}}{m_{SUSY}} \right)^2 \left(\frac{10^5 \text{ GeV}}{f} \right)$$

- $$\Delta\phi > \phi_* \sim 10^{17} \text{ GeV} \times \left(\frac{m_{\text{SUSY}}}{10^5 \text{ GeV}} \right) \left(\frac{f_\phi}{10^5 \text{ GeV}} \right) \left(\frac{10^{-5} \text{ GeV}}{m_\text{S}} \right)$$

- $$N_e \simeq \frac{H_I \Delta \phi}{\left| \frac{d\phi}{dt} \right|} \gtrsim \frac{H_I^2}{|m_S|^2} = 10^{12} \times \left(\frac{H_I}{100 \text{ GeV}} \right)^2 \left(\frac{10^{-4} \text{ GeV}}{|m_S|} \right)^2$$

- $$H_I < (mm_{\text{SUSY}} f_\phi)^{1/3} \simeq v \left(\frac{v}{f_\phi} \right)^{1/3} = 33 \text{ GeV} \left(\frac{10^9 \text{ GeV}}{f} \right)^{1/3}$$

Low-Scale Inflation

$$\epsilon = \frac{M_P^2}{2} \left(\frac{V_\phi}{V} \right)^2 \quad \eta = M_P^2 \frac{V_{\phi\phi}}{V}.$$

- Difficulties of low scale inflation

$$\epsilon = 8.6 \times 10^{-31} \left(\frac{H}{1 \text{ GeV}} \right)^2$$

- For low-scale inflation we know η

$$n_s - 1 = 2\eta - 6\epsilon \simeq 2\eta \simeq -0.03 \quad \eta \simeq -1.5 \times 10^{-2}$$

- D-term inflation can realize these unusual parameters
 - Small ϵ realized through small gauge coupling
 - $g \ll 1$ is technically natural

Slow-Roll Parameters and Low-Scale Inflation

- Power Spectrum Determines first derivative of potential

$$A_{\mathcal{R}} = \frac{1}{8\pi^2} \frac{H^2}{M_P^2 \epsilon} \quad \rightarrow \quad \left. \frac{dV(\tau)}{d\tau} \right|_{CMB} = \frac{3}{2\pi} \frac{1}{A_{\mathcal{R}}^{1/2}} H^3$$

- Spectral index determines second derivative of potential

$$n_s - 1 \simeq 2\eta \quad \rightarrow \quad \left. \frac{d^2 V(\tau)}{d\tau^2} \right|_{CMB} = -\frac{3}{2} (1 - n_s) H^2$$

- Number of e-folds determines field value

$$N_{CMB} \simeq \int \frac{d\tau}{M_P \sqrt{2\epsilon}} \quad \rightarrow \quad \Delta\tau = \frac{N_{CMB}}{A_{\mathcal{R}}^{1/2}} H$$

- $\eta = 1$ end inflation gives second derivative

$$\left. \frac{d^2 V(\tau)}{d\tau^2} \right|_0 = 3H^2$$

Generalities of Low-Scale Inflation

- ▶ Energy of Low scale inflation much larger than slopes

$$V^{1/4} \sim H^{1/2} M_P^{1/2} \quad \left(-\frac{d^2 V(\tau)}{d\tau^2} \right)^{1/2} \sim \left(\frac{dV(\tau)}{d\tau} \right)^{1/3} = H$$

- ▶ Potential derivatives give estimate of field movement
 - Some possible exceptions (See Ryuji Daido Poster)

$$\left. \frac{d^2 V(\tau)}{d\tau^2} \right|_0 (\Delta\tau)^2 = 3H^2 M_P^2 \quad \rightarrow \quad \Delta\tau = M_P$$

- ▶ Inflaton mass not expected change Hugely
 - Model below get a factor of 100 larger

$$m_\tau \sim H$$

- ▶ Mass of “inflaton” much smaller than vev

Reheating After Inflation

- Generic couplings to τ must be small (kinematically forbidden)

$$-\mathcal{L} \supset |\lambda|^2 |\tau|^2 |\varphi|^2 + \lambda \tau \bar{\psi} \psi \quad \rightarrow \quad \lambda \ll 1$$

- Generic reheat temperature quite small

$$\Gamma \sim \frac{|\lambda|^2}{8\pi} m_\tau \quad \rightarrow \quad T_r \sim 0.4 \text{ MeV} \left(\frac{H_I}{1 \text{ GeV}} \right)^{3/2} \left(\frac{\lambda}{10^{-13}} \right)$$

- Inflaton needs to be neutral to keep potential flat
 - Must couple to gauge singlet

$$\mathcal{L} \supset \frac{\tau}{M_P} H \bar{Q} u \quad \rightarrow \quad \Gamma \sim \frac{m_\tau^3}{M_P^2} \quad \rightarrow \quad T_r \sim m_\tau \left(\frac{m_\tau}{M_P} \right)^{1/2}$$

- Higgs portal offers renormalizable operators

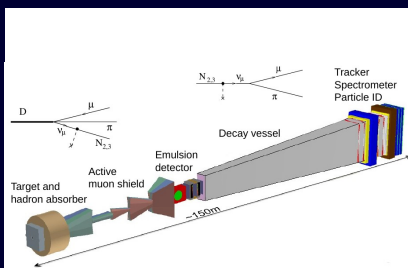
$$\mathcal{L} \supset \lambda \left(|\tau|^2 - \tau_0^2 \right) |H|^2$$

Detection: Ship Experiment

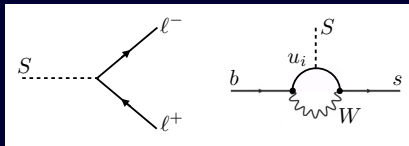
- ▶ SHiP is a beam Dump experiment
 - 400 GeV/c proton beam incident on target
 - Center of mass energy of 27 GeV
- ▶ Detector displaced from collisions
 - Only long-lived particles decay in detector
- ▶ Meson production: B, K
 - More kaons but screened so less important

$$N_K = 8 \times 10^{17}$$

$$N_B = 7 \times 10^{13}$$



Higgs Portal Detection at SHiP



- Couple “inflaton”, $\tau = S$, to SM gauge singlet operator

$$V \supset \lambda \left(|\tau|^2 - \tau_0^2 \right) |H|^2 \quad \rightarrow \quad \tan(2\theta) = \frac{\lambda \tau_0 v}{|m_h^2 - m_\phi^2|}$$

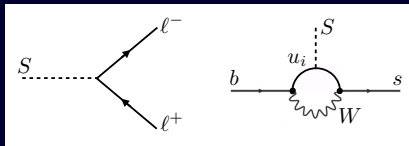
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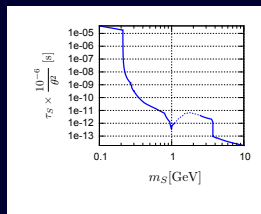
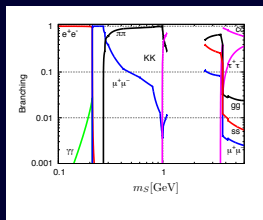
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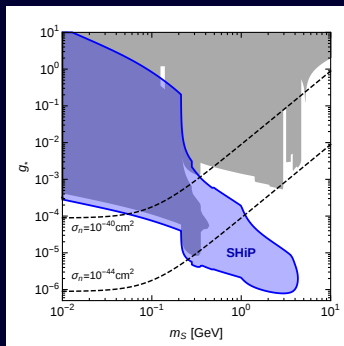
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- Number of decays in detector from lifetime

$$N_{\text{det}} \sim BR(B \rightarrow X_S + \tau) N_B \left[\exp\left(-\frac{l}{\gamma \beta c \tau_{\tau}}\right) - \exp\left(-\frac{l + \Delta l}{\gamma \beta c \tau_{\tau}}\right) \right]$$

Constraints on Higgs Portal

- SHiP can detect light inflaton with small mixing



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D-term Inflation

- D-term with FI term

$$V_D = \frac{g^2}{2} [|\phi_+| - |\phi_-| - \xi]^2$$

- Inflaton couples directly to $U(1)$ charged particles

$$W = \kappa T \phi_+ \phi_-$$

- $\langle \phi_{\pm} \rangle = 0$ during inflation

$$|\kappa T| > \sqrt{g^2 \xi}$$

- Potential perfectly flat at tree level

$$V_D = \frac{g^2}{2} \xi^2$$

Coleman-Weinberg Potential

- ▶ During inflation $\phi_{\pm}$ massive
 - integrating $\phi_{\pm}$ generates potential for T
- ▶ Potential to one-loop for $|\kappa T| > \sqrt{g^2 \xi}$

$$V = \frac{g^2 \xi^2}{2} \left(1 + \frac{g^2}{8\pi^2} \ln \left[\frac{|\kappa T|^2}{Q^2} \right] \right)$$

- ▶ Slow roll parameters

$$\epsilon = \frac{g^2}{16\pi^2} \frac{1}{N_{CMB}} \quad \leftarrow \quad \eta = -\frac{1}{2N_{CMB}}$$

- ▶ Number of e-folds possible for $\sigma_0 = M_P$

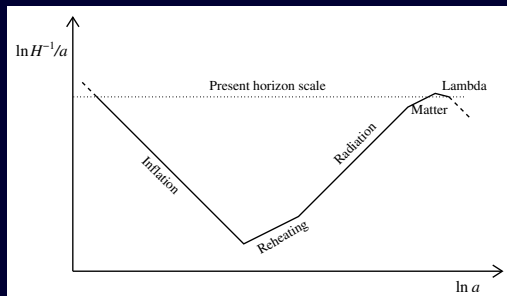
$$N_{max} = \frac{2\pi}{g^2} = 3.8 \times 10^{27} \left(\frac{1 \text{ GeV}}{H_I} \right)^2$$

- ▶ For small g , ϵ small enough

$$A_{\mathcal{R}}^{1/2} = 5 \times 10^{-5} \left(\frac{N_{CMB}}{40} \right) \left(\frac{H_I}{10^7 \text{ GeV}} \right) \left(\frac{7.3 \times 10^{-7}}{g} \right)$$

N_{CMB} and the History of the Universe

- N_{CMB} depends on expansion of universe after inflation
 - Lower ρ_{reh} → decrease radiation domination
 - Slower expansion during RD less e-folds needed



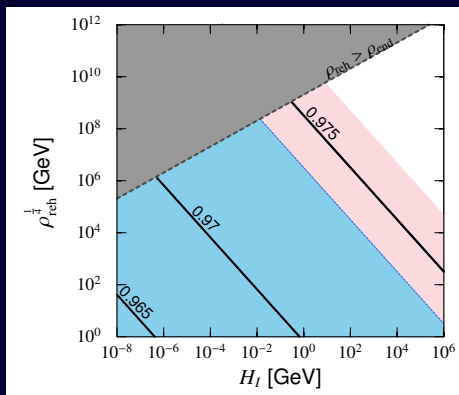
Liddle, Leach

- Instantaneous reheat/low-scale inflation

$$N_{CMB} = 35 + \frac{1}{3} \ln \left(\frac{H_I}{1 \text{ GeV}} \right) + \frac{1}{3} \ln \left(\frac{\rho_{reh}^{1/4}}{100 \text{ GeV}} \right)$$

The Spectral Tilt

- ▶ Reduced N_{CMB} puts n_s in $1 - \sigma$ lines



- Spectral tilt

$$n_s - 1 = 2\eta = -0.026 \left(\frac{39}{N_{CMB}} \right)$$

- Number of e-folds

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Reheating After Inflation

- Couple ϕ_+ through dynamical sector to flat direction

$$\Delta W = \kappa_1 R M_- \phi_+ + \kappa_2 R H_u H_d + m_R R \bar{R}$$

- $V \supset |F_R|$, gives trilinear couplings for inflaton
 - $\bar{R}$ will cancel any vev of ϕ_+ keeping everything light

$$\Delta V \supset |\kappa_1 M_- \phi_+ + \kappa_2 H_u H_d + m_R \bar{R}|^2$$

- Reheat temperature can be large
 - If reheat temperature low, Higgs portal relevant

$$T_R = 153 \text{ GeV} \times \left(\frac{106.75}{g_\rho} \right)^{1/4} \left(\frac{\langle M_- \rangle}{10^{16} \text{ GeV}} \right) \left(\frac{10^3 \text{ GeV}}{m_{\phi_+}} \right)^{1/2} \left(\frac{\kappa_1}{10^{-13}} \right) \left(\frac{\kappa_2}{10^{-7}} \right)$$

Conclusions

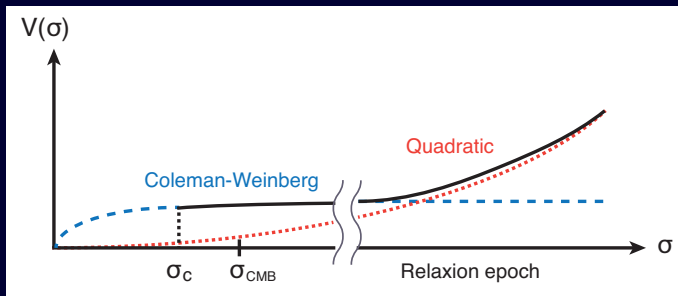
- ▶ Many of the nice features of SUSY are now complicated
 - Fine tuning is reemerging
 - Well-tempered neutralinos are all but gone
- ▶ Gauge coupling unification is still alive and kicking
 - Need perturbative/sequestered solution to naturalness
- ▶ Cosmological relaxation $\rightarrow$ natural supersymmetry
 - Does not necessarily affect unification
- ▶ Natural relaxation needs natural low-scale inflation
- ▶ Slow-roll parameters give generic features of inflaton
 - Inflaton of low-scale inflation is light
 - Some field will have large vev
- ▶ Low-scale inflation can be seen in low energy experiments
 - D-term inflation gives a viable low-scale model

Inflaton as the Second Field

- ▶ The inflaton can play the roll of the amplitudon ($T = \tau + i\sigma$)

$$W_{S,T} = \frac{m_S}{2} S^2 + \frac{m_T}{2} T^2 \quad W_{inf} = \kappa T \phi_+ \phi_-$$

- ▶ D-term and relaxion have very different energies

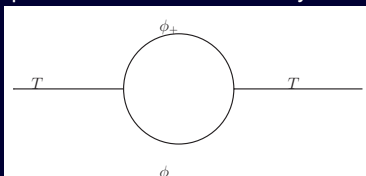


Shift Symmetry Breaking of Inflaton Sector

- ▶ Inflaton has relatively large shift symmetry breaking

$$W = \kappa T \phi_+ \phi_- \quad \kappa \gtrsim 10^{-2}$$

- ▶ Loop correction transmit shift symmetry breaking to Kähler



$$K \supset \frac{|\kappa|^2}{16\pi^2} |T|^2$$

- ▶ SUGRA corrections to scalar potential generate mass for T

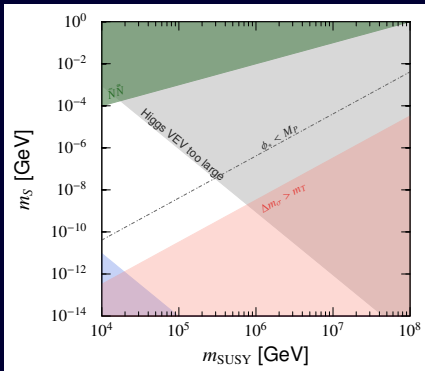
$$V \supset e^{\frac{K}{M_P}} |F_S|^2 + \dots \quad \rightarrow \quad V \supset \frac{|\kappa|^2}{16\pi^2} \frac{|F_S|^2}{M_P^2} |T|^2$$

- ▶ Kähler corrections give lower bound on m_T

$$m_T \gtrsim \frac{\kappa}{4\pi} \frac{|F_S|}{M_P} = \frac{\kappa}{4\pi} \frac{m_{\text{SUSY}} f}{M_P}$$

Constraint Summary

► $\zeta = 10^{-8}$ $r_{TS} = 0.1$ $r_{\Lambda} = 1$ $r_{\text{SUSY}} = 1$.



► Parameters

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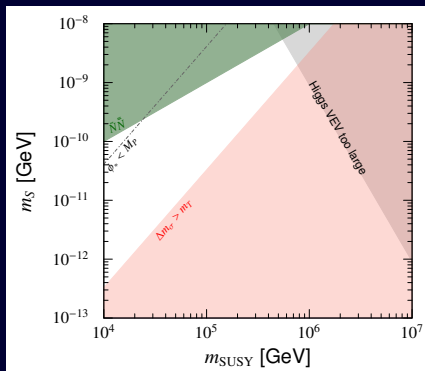
$$f \equiv f_\phi = f_\sigma \quad r_{TS} \equiv \frac{m_T}{m_S}$$

$$r_\Lambda \equiv \frac{\Lambda_N}{f} \quad r_{\text{SUSY}} \equiv \frac{m_{\text{SUSY}}}{f}$$

$$M_L = m_{\text{SUSY}} ,$$

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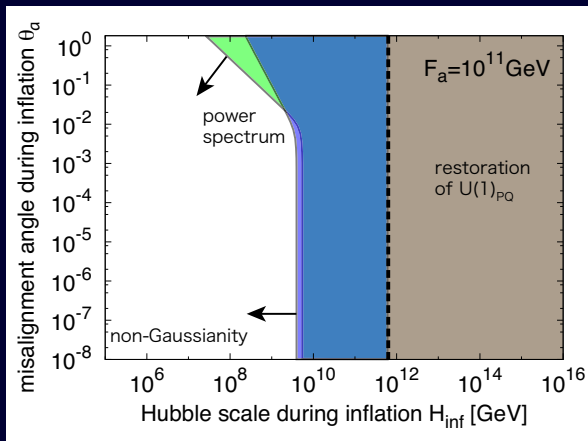
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Axion Parameter Space

- PQ breaking before inflation with $F_a = 10^{11}$ GeV



String Formation: Two Sectors of U(1) Breaking

- ▶ Hidden sector breaking of U(1)

$$V = \frac{g^2}{2} (|\phi_+|^2 - \xi)^2 + |\lambda T|^2 |\phi_+|^2 + C\phi_+ + C^\dagger \phi_+^\dagger \quad \supset \quad |C|v_+ \cos(\theta + \theta_c)$$

- ▶ Superpotential connects phase of two sectors

$$V_F \supset |\lambda T \phi_+ + \lambda_- T M_-|^2 \quad \supset \quad \lambda \lambda_+ |T|^2 M_- v_+ \cos(\theta)$$

- ▶ Quantum fluctuations could still form strings ($\phi_+ = v_r e^{i\alpha}$)

$$\langle \alpha^2 \rangle = \frac{H^3}{12\pi^2 m v_r^2} < 1$$

- ▶ Quantum fluctuation at end of inflation

$$H_I < 1 \times 10^9 \text{ TeV} \times \left(\frac{|\kappa_+|}{10^{-12}} \right) \left(\frac{|M_+|}{10^{16} \text{ GeV}} \right) \left(\frac{\kappa}{10^{-2}} \right)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \left(\frac{A_s}{2.1 \times 10^{-9}} \right)^{-\frac{1}{4}} \left(\frac{1-n_s}{0.03} \right)^{-\frac{1}{2}}.$$

Why Dynamical D-Terms

- ▶ Field independent FI terms hard to realize in SUGRA
- ▶ Field dependent gravity generated FI tend to be large

$$\sqrt{\xi} \sim \langle \phi_\xi \rangle \sim M_P$$

- ▶ Dynamically generated FI terms
 - Dynamical scale can be arbitrary

$$\sqrt{\xi} \sim \langle \phi_\xi \rangle \sim \Lambda$$

- ▶ Dynamical D-terms provide U(1) breaking during inflation