

# Probing Baryogenesis with Displaced Vertices at the LHC

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- Phys.Rev.D, 87,11603, YC and Raman Sundrum
- JHEP 1312 (2013) 067, YC
- JHEP 1502 (2015) 049, YC and Brian Shuve
- Ongoing corporation with ATLAS displaced jets working group

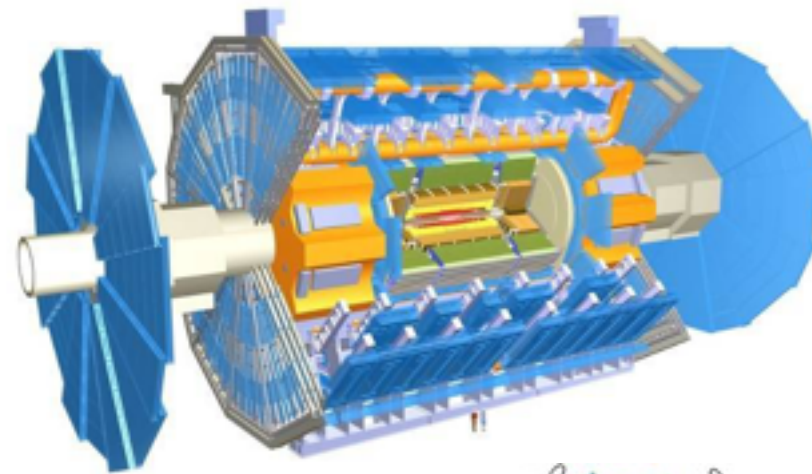
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# Outline

- **A mini-review of long-lived particle (displaced vertex) searches at the LHC:** motivation, status
- **A general cosmological motivation: baryogenesis triggered by weak scale new particle decay**
- **A motivated example: WIMP baryogenesis**  
embed in natural/split SUSY
- **Recast existing LHC analyses with theorists' tools:**  
Baryogenesis as an example, easy to generalize!
- **Conclusion/Outlook**

# Long-lived Particle Searches at the LHC

- Nearly all SM particles decay **promptly** or have **small masses** relative to the LHC partonic CM energy
- Energetic objects reconstructing a high mass can emerge from all parts of the detector, giving **displaced vertices (DV)**



**Displaced vertex signal is spectacular!** 🙌👉

- low SM background, sensitive to **rare signal events** (new long-lived particles...)

# Long-lived Particle Searches at the LHC

Displaced vertex signal is spectacular!

▶ But, we could easily miss it entirely!...



- Most LHC searches require that objects pass through the **primary vertex (PV)** to reject cosmics, mis-reconstructed objects, etc.
- In most searches, the transverse impact parameter (distance of closest approach to the beam) has to be  $\lesssim 100 \mu\text{m} - 1 \text{ mm}$  (= *prompt*) (track quality cut)

👉 Without dedicated efforts, DV signal events may fail to be even **triggered** on!



# Long-lived Particle Searches at the LHC

Rising interests+ endeavours from **both** experimentalists and theorists in the recent years!

- A (incomplete) list of related ATLAS/CMS publications based on 8 TeV data:
  - ▶ ATLAS displaced dijets (arxiv:1504.03634)
  - ▶ ATLAS displaced lepton pairs/multitrack (arxiv:1504.05162)
  - ▶ ATLAS displaced muon+tracks (ATLAS-CONF-2013-092)
  - ▶ CMS displaced dijets (arxiv:1411.6530)
  - ▶ CMS displaced dilepton (CMS-PAS-B2G-12-024) ...
- Rising # of related papers by theorists...
- Displaced higgs decay: A focus of the exotic Higgs decay working group of the LHC collaboration
- Dedicated workshop: e.g. at UMass-Amherst, Nov 2015...

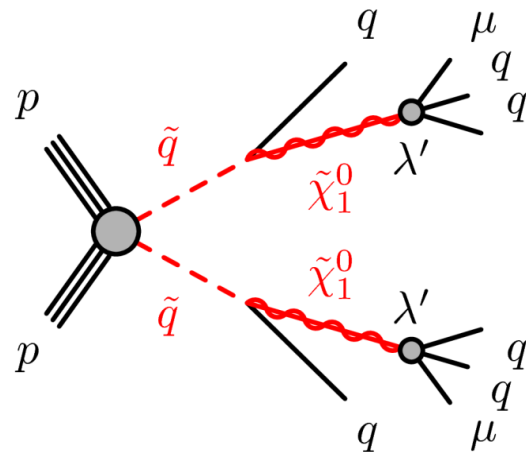
# Theoretical Motivations

- **Naturalness**: long lifetime from approximate  $Z_2$  symmetry

## SUPERSYMMETRY

- Can evade MET searches with (small)  $R$ -parity violation
- ‘Displaced SUSY’

(Graham, Kaplan, Rajendran, Saraswat 2012...)

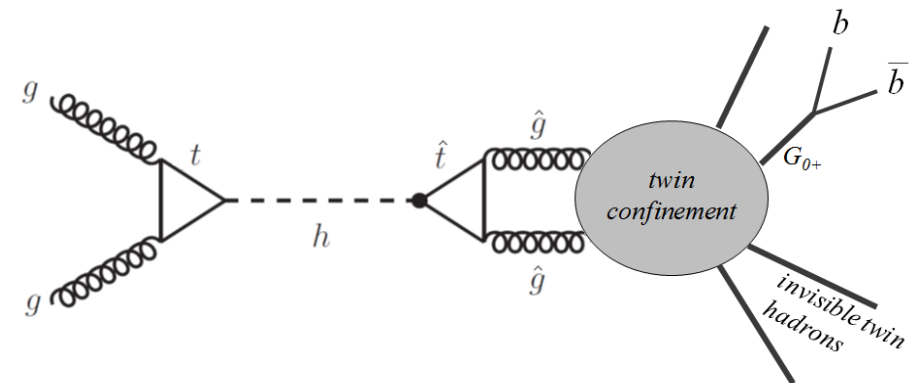


- Long-lived LSPs can also arise with split spectra

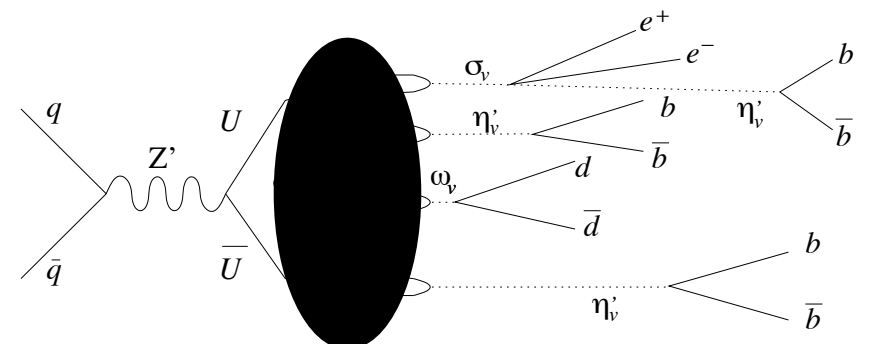
- **General hidden valley type of new physics** (Strassler, Zurek 2006...)

## TWIN HIGGS

- Approximate  $Z_2$  symmetry relates SM fields to ‘twin’ fields, cancelling the top divergence
- Breaking must be non-zero to obtain observed EWSB, but small to obtain a natural theory



(Craig, Katz, Strassler, Sundrum 2015...)




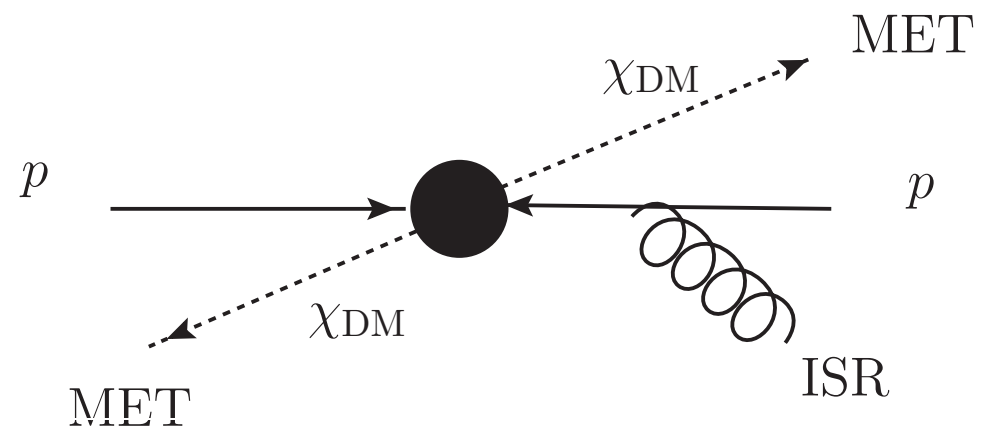
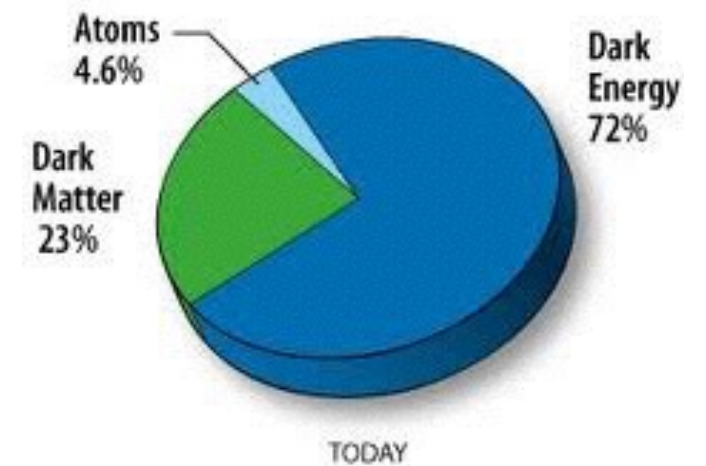
# Theoretical Motivations (*new*)

## Baryogenesis from Metastable Weak-scale New Particle

 Could LHC shed light on prominent puzzles in modern cosmology?

$$\Omega_{\text{DM}} \approx 23\%, \Omega_{\text{B}} \approx 5\%, \Omega_{\text{B}} \sim \Omega_{\text{DM}}$$

- Familiar/well-studied case: WIMP dark matter ( $\Omega_{\text{DM}}$ )
  - Mass  $\sim O(10-100)$  GeV, can be produced within  $E_{\text{LHC}} = 14$  TeV
  - Pair produced ( $Z_2$ ), invisible, MET + X 

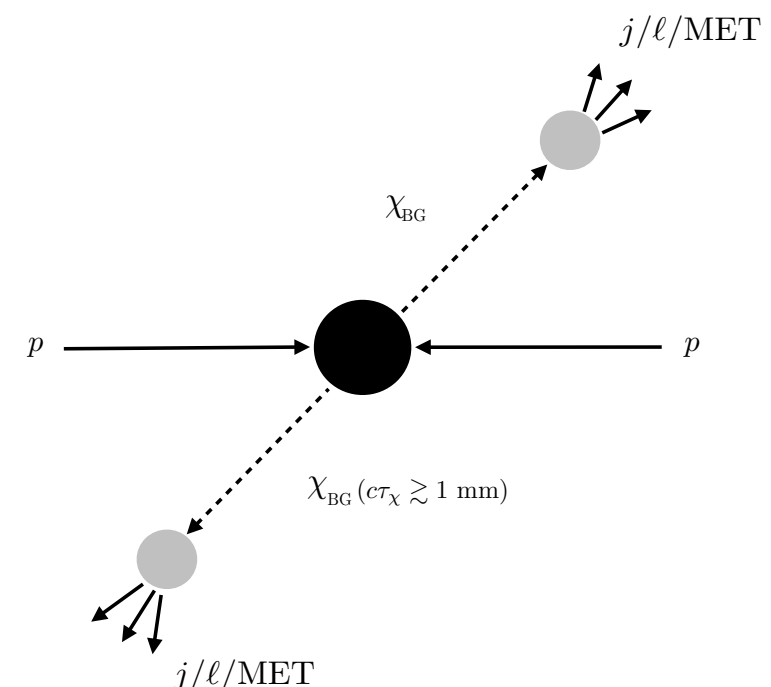


# Theoretical Motivations (*new*)

## Baryogenesis from Metastable Weak-scale New Particle

- **New opportunity:** baryogenesis  
(address  $\Omega_B$ , possibly  $+\Omega_B \sim \Omega_{DM}$ )
  - New metastable particle (baryon parent),  
w/mass  $\sim O(10-100)$  GeV
  - Pair produced (approx.  $Z_2$ ), via  $Z/Z'$ , or Higgs portal
  - **Cosmological condition**

➔ typical decay final states:  
**Displaced decay**, to  $j/\ell/MET$



# Mini-Review of Baryogenesis

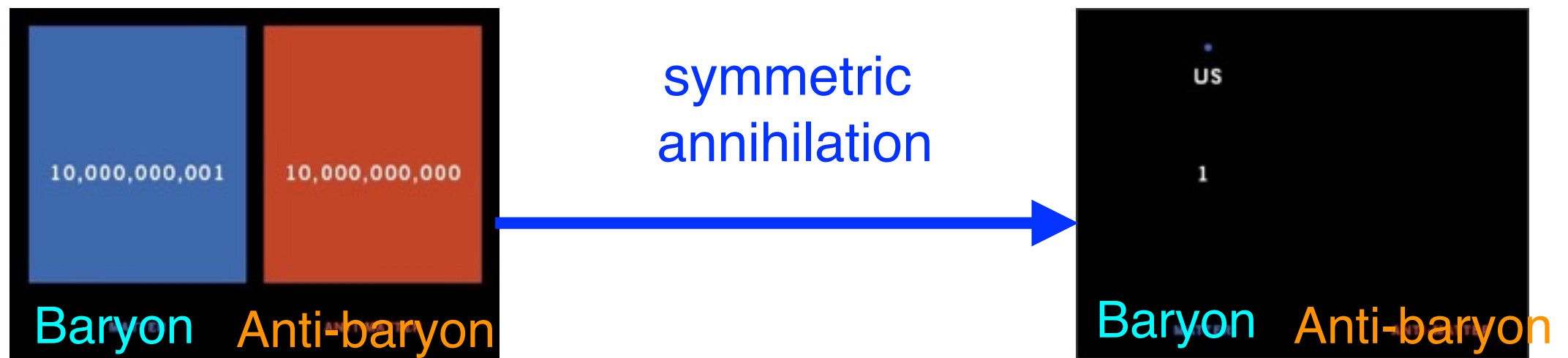
- Origin of  $\Omega_B$  ? = Where do we ourselves come from?



We do not know!

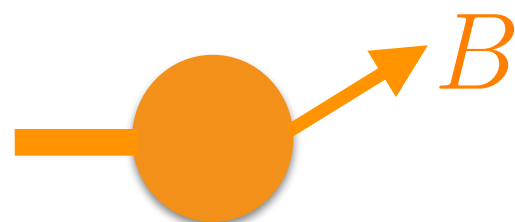
**Initial  $B - \bar{B}$  asymmetry**

$$\eta_B = (n_B - n_{\bar{B}})/n_\gamma \sim 10^{-10}$$

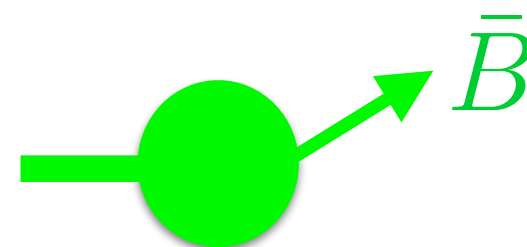


## Sakharov Conditions (1967):

- Require baryon number violation
- Require C-, CP-symmetry violation



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# Mini-Review of Baryogenesis

## Sakharov Conditions (cont.):

In thermal equilibrium:

$$n_B(p)^{\text{eq}} \sim \exp \left[ \left( -\sqrt{p^2 + m_B^2} + \mu \right) / T \right], \quad n_{\bar{B}}(p)^{\text{eq}} \sim \exp \left[ \left( -\sqrt{p^2 + m_{\bar{B}}^2} - \mu \right) / T \right]$$

$\bar{B} \longleftrightarrow B$          $\mu = 0$

CPT symmetry         $m_B = m_{\bar{B}}$

$\rightarrow$      $n_B^{\text{eq}} = n_{\bar{B}}^{\text{eq}}, \quad \langle B \rangle_{\text{eq}} = 0$



$\Omega_B \approx 5\%:$   
**Need beyond the Standard Model Physics!**

## • Require departure from equilibrium!

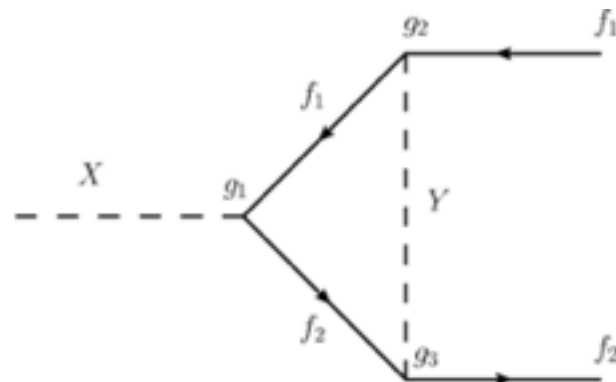
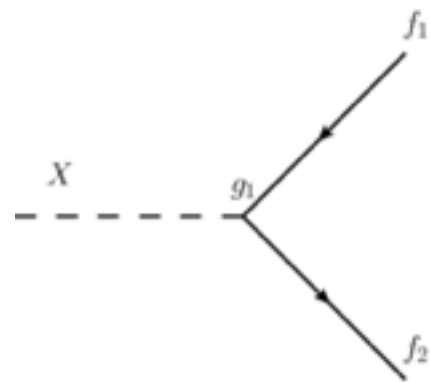
❖ Existing baryogenesis mechanisms: (leptogenesis, EWBG...)

Most involve high M or/and T, direct experimental test impossible (c.f. WIMP DM for  $\Omega_{\text{DM}}$ )

# Baryogenesis from Out-of-Equilibrium Decay

**A general class of baryogenesis models** (e.g. leptogenesis)

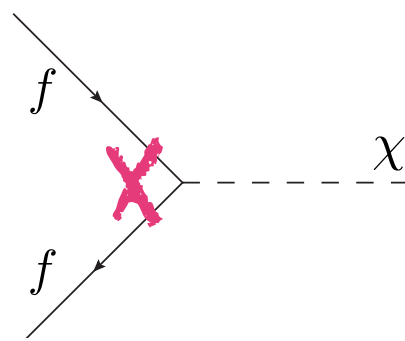
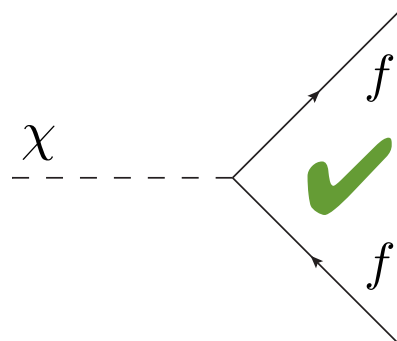
- Assume a massive neutral particle  $\chi$
- Baryon asymmetry can be produced in its decay (B-, CP-violating)



$$\Gamma(\chi \rightarrow f) \neq \Gamma(\chi \rightarrow \bar{f})$$

$$n_f - n_{\bar{f}} \neq 0$$

- Typically, the inverse processes efficiently erase the asymmetry
- But, if  $\chi$  is **long-lived**, and **decays only after  $T_f < M_\chi$** :

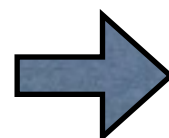


Inverse decay:  
Boltzmann suppressed

$$e^{-M_\chi/T_{\text{decay}}}$$



**Out-of-equilibrium decay**



**Sakharov conditions** ✓



# Baryogenesis from Out-of-Equilibrium Decay



- Asymmetry is **robustly preserved** if ( $H$ : Hubble expansion rate)

$$\Gamma_\chi < H(T = M_\chi) \quad \text{👉 Weak washout scenario}$$



**An intriguing observation** (YC, Sundrum 2012; YC, Shuve, 2014)

- If  $\chi$  has mass at **weak scale** (the new energy frontier LHC is exploring!), numerology gives  $c\tau_\chi^{-1} < H(T_{EW}) \sim 10^{-13} \text{ GeV}$
- Converting to decay length:

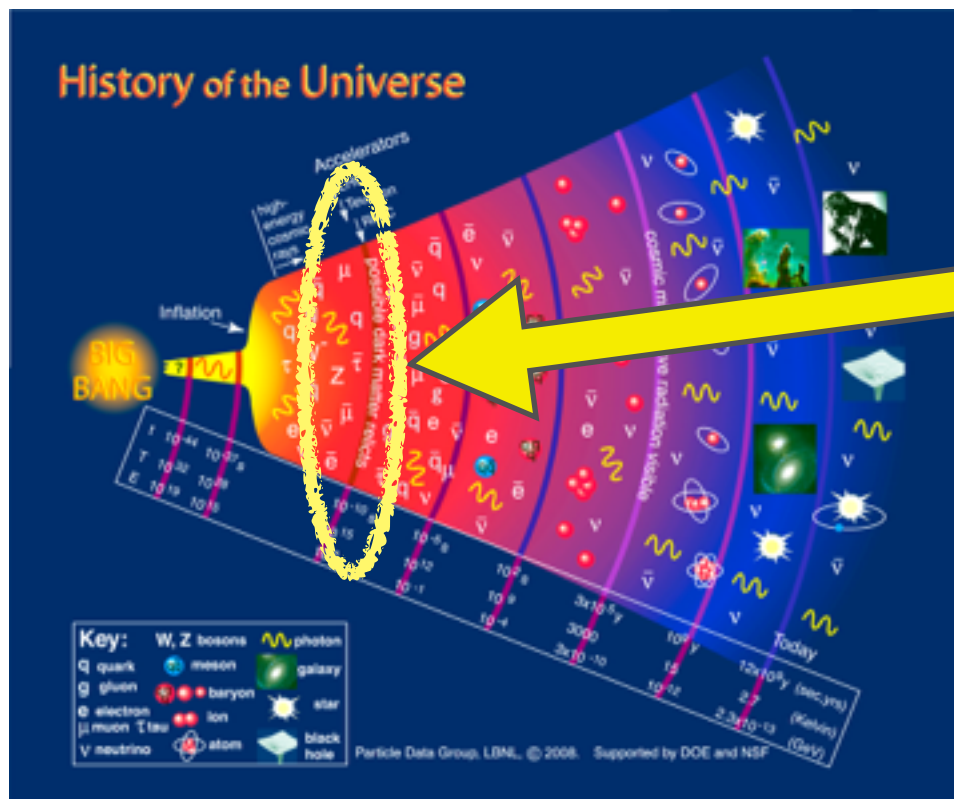
$$c\tau_\chi \gtrsim \text{mm} \quad \text{👉 Displaced vertex regime @LHC!}$$



# Displaced Vertices Motivated by Baryogenesis

$$\Gamma_\chi < H(T = M_\chi) \quad \longleftrightarrow \quad c\tau_\chi \gtrsim \text{mm}$$

- A **generic connection** between **cosmological slow rates at  $T \sim 100 \text{ GeV}$**  and **displaced vertices at colliders**
- **The universe around EW phase transition was just slightly bigger than LHC tracking resolution!**



$$H(100 \text{ GeV}) \sim 10^{-14} \text{ GeV} \sim (1.3 \text{ cm})^{-1}$$

$$10 \text{ GeV} \rightarrow (1.3 \text{ m})^{-1}$$

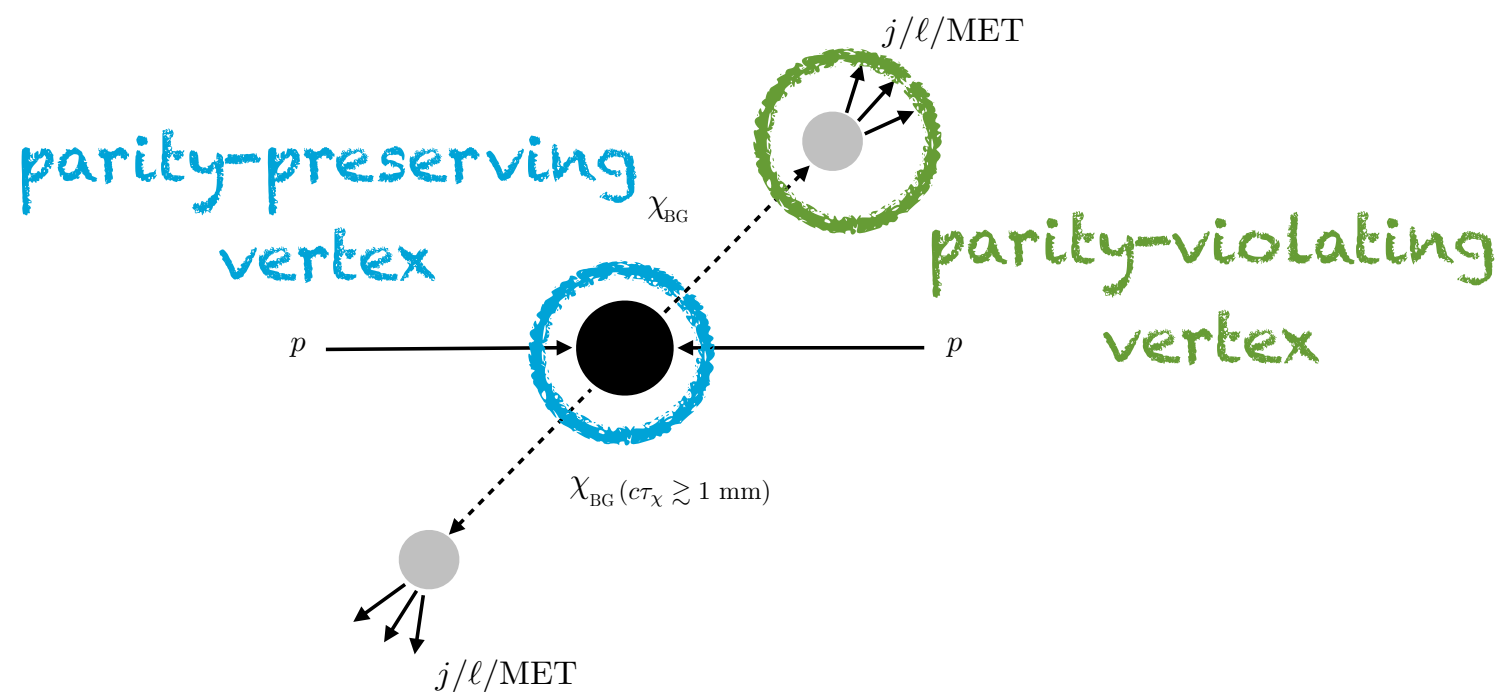
$$1 \text{ TeV} \rightarrow (0.13 \text{ mm})^{-1}$$

*also see: Chang, Luty, 2009*

# Displaced Vertices Motivated by Baryogenesis

- **Production at the LHC?**

No conflict between a **small** decay rate and a **large** production rate



- Long lifetime due to approximate symmetry (e.g.  $Z_2$  parity)
- Recover MET signal for DM in the limit of exact symmetry!

 *Concrete, motivated baryogenesis models as example?*

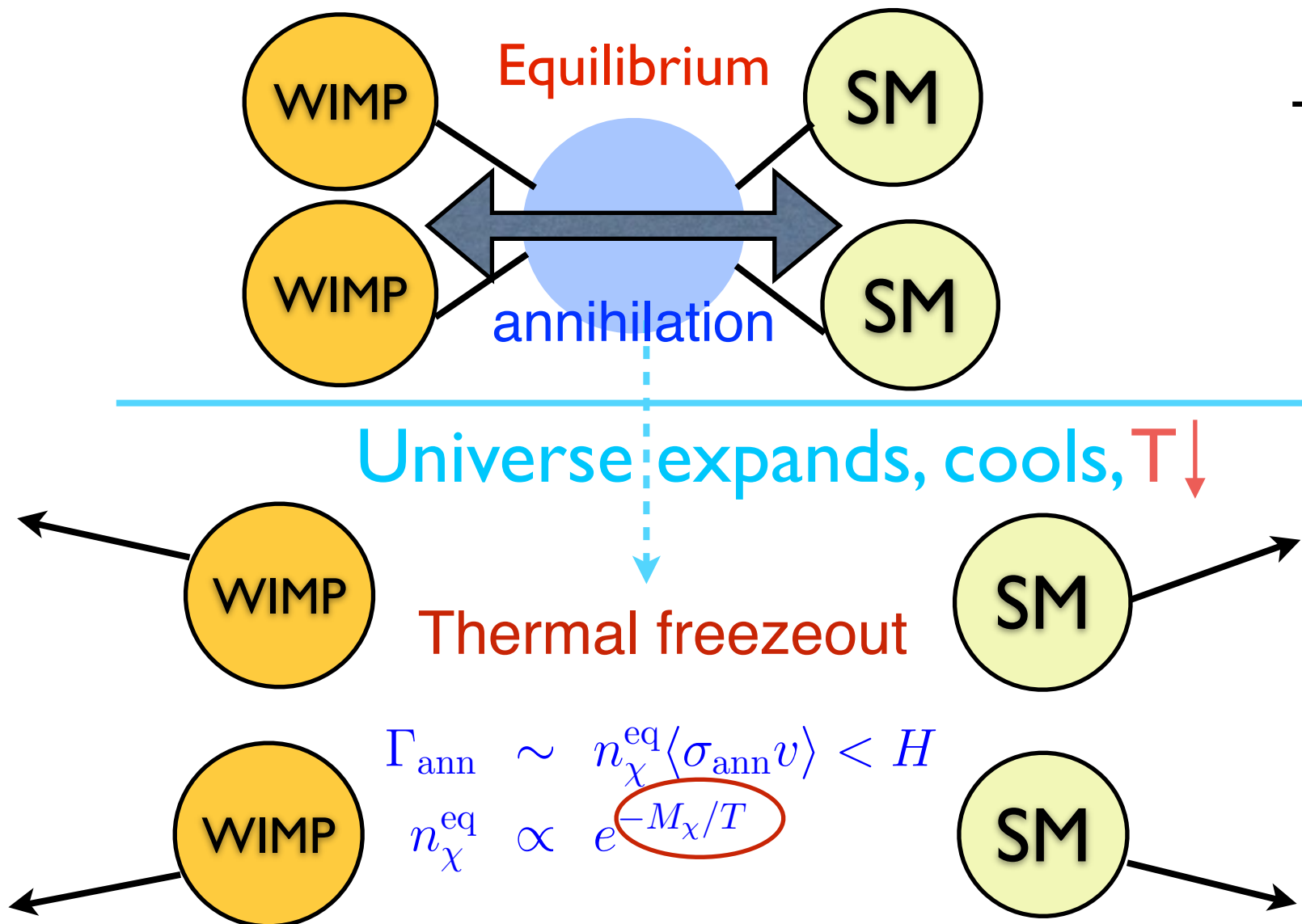
# Baryogenesis from WIMPs

- YC and Raman Sundrum, Phys.Rev.D, 11603 (2012)
- YC, JHEP 1312 (2013) 067

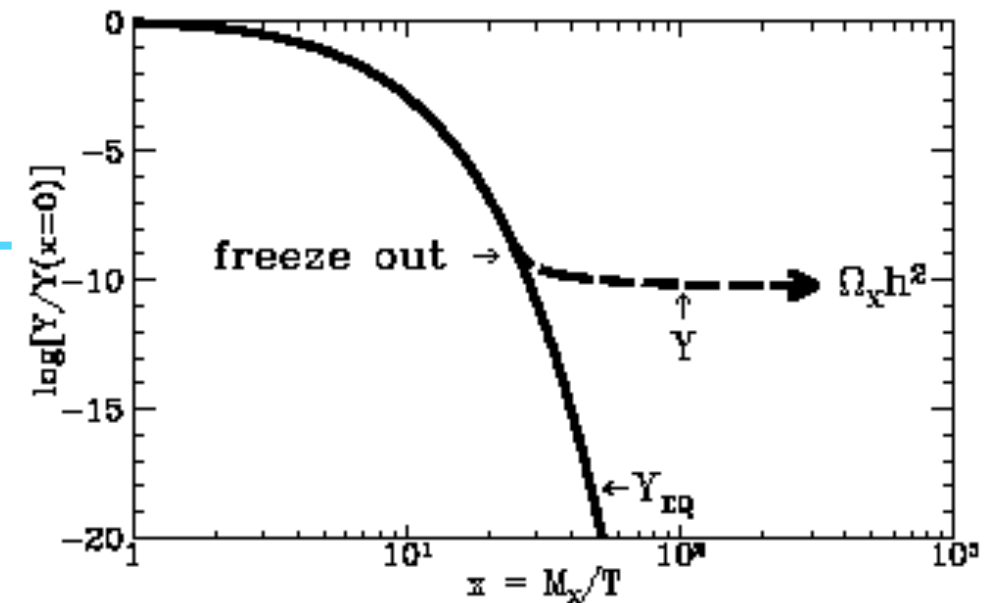
# WIMP Miracle for DM

—  $\Omega_{\text{DM}}$  by weak scale new physics

- Cosmic Evolution of a stable WIMP  $\chi$ :



Time evolution of  $\chi$  abundance:



→ time

**Departure from equilibrium: key to  $\Omega_{\text{WIMP}}$  !**

# WIMP DM **Miracle**

- Neat prediction for the absolute amount of  $\Omega_{\text{DM}}$  :

$$\begin{aligned}\Omega_\chi &\propto \langle \sigma_{\text{ann}} v \rangle^{-1} \\ &\sim 0.1 \left( \frac{G_{\text{Fermi}}}{G_\chi} \right)^2 \left( \frac{M_{\text{weak}}}{m_\chi} \right)^2\end{aligned}$$

With  $m_\chi \sim M_{\text{weak}}$ ,  $G_\chi \sim G_{\text{Fermi}}$ , readily gives  $\Omega_{\text{DM}} \approx 23\%$  !

- **Robust**, insensitive to cosmic initial condition
- **Miracle**: Predicts the right location of a needle in a haystack!

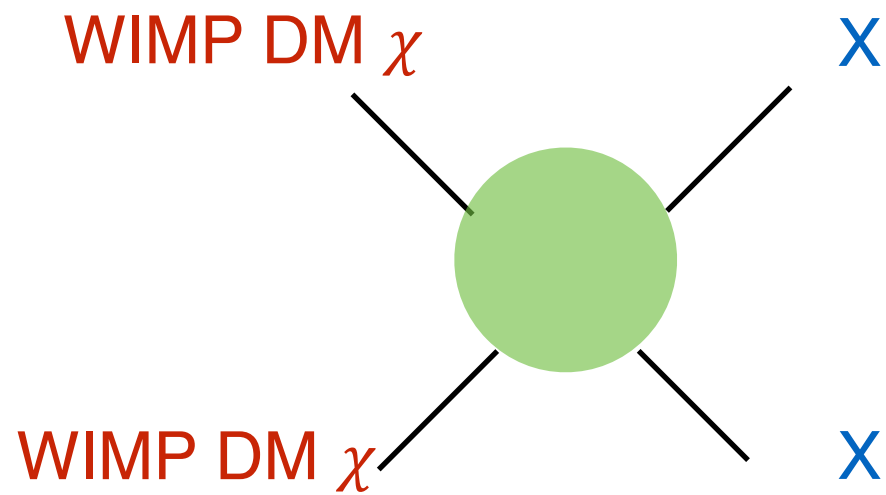


Observed  
 $\Omega_{\text{DM}} \approx 23\%$

*yet not precise*

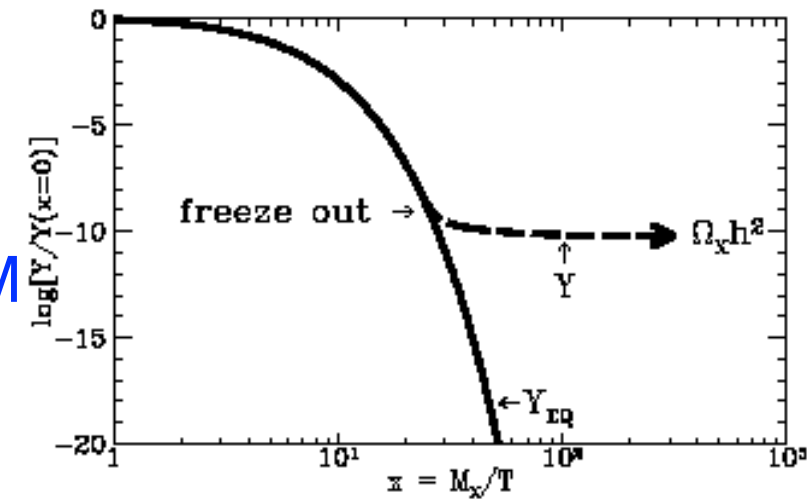
Vast possible range of a cosmological quantity: e.g.  $\Omega_{\text{DM}}^{\text{theory}} \sim (10^{-7} - 10^{35})$

# The familiar story of a stable WIMP

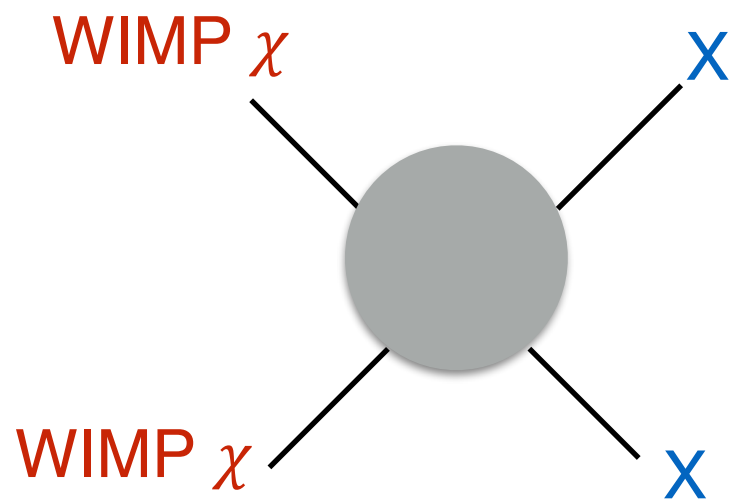


thermal freeze out  
**out-of-equilibrium**

$\Omega_{DM}$



# A different story of a (general) WIMP?



thermal freeze out  
**out-of-equilibrium**

?

Stable  $\chi_{DM}$ ,  
 $\Omega_{DM}$



Metastable  $\chi_B$ ?  
 (later decay)



\* **Diverse lifetimes:** generic in nature

(symmetry, mass/coupling hierarchy)

e.g. long lifetime of b-quark, muon

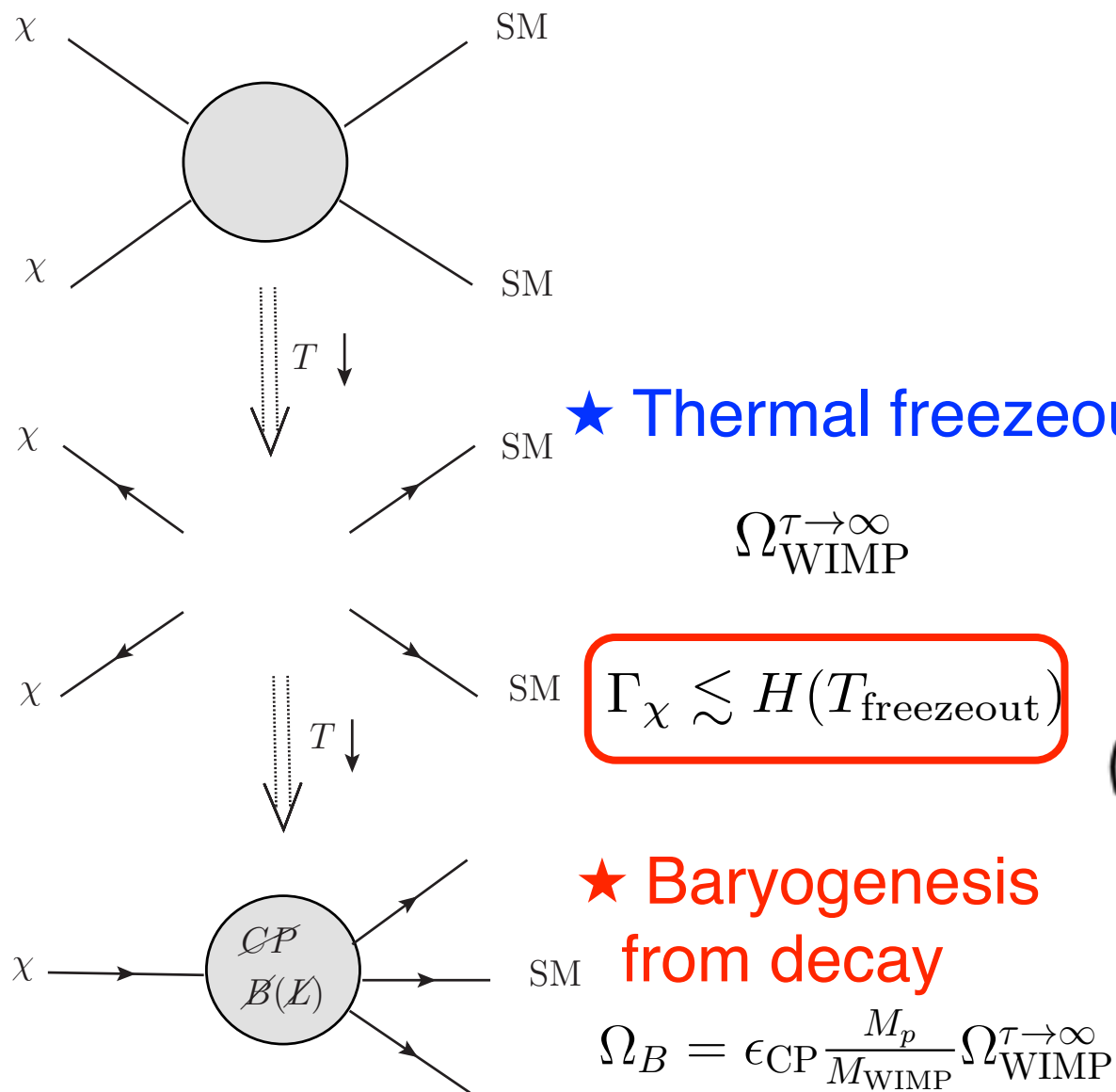
( $m_W \gg m_b, m_\mu$ ), SUSY WIMP w/RPV

+ **B-, C-, CP-violating decay**

YC and Sundrum 2012;

YC 2013

# Baryogenesis from Metastable WIMP Decay



- A new baryogenesis mechanism w/weak scale new physics:

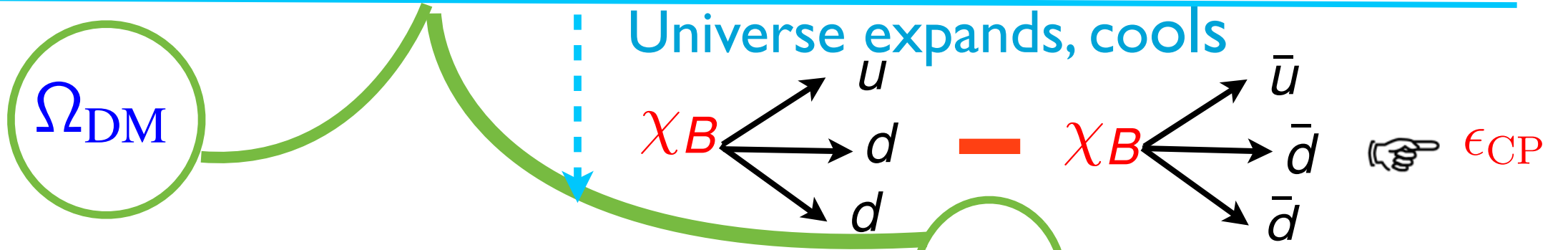
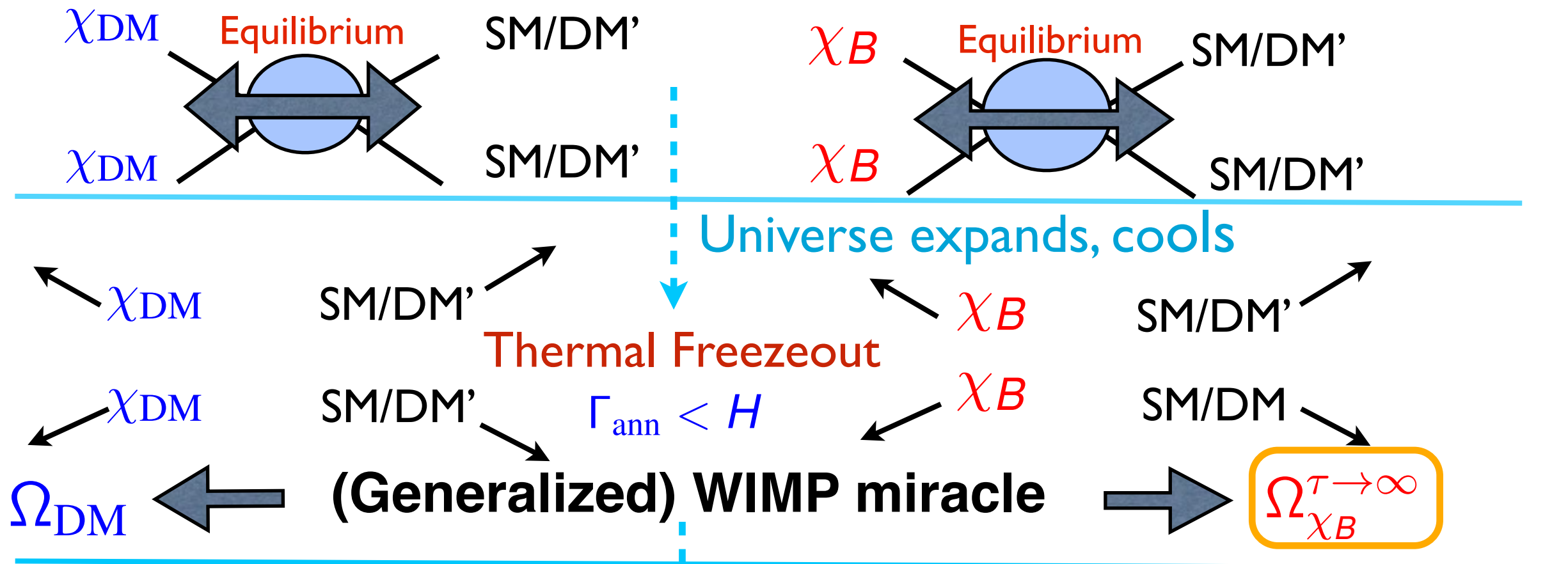
A WIMP miracle for baryons, can occur well below  $T_{\text{EW}}$

- If + A stable WIMP DM new path addressing  $\Omega_B \sim \Omega_{\text{DM}}$



Consider a **stable WIMP  $\chi_{DM}$**  as DM;  
In addition, a **metastable WIMP  $\chi_B$**  as baryon parent

• **Cosmic evolution of the two WIMPs:**



**Baryogenesis from  $B$ ,  $CP$  decay of  $\chi_B$  after its thermal freeze out**

$\Omega_B = \epsilon_{CP} \frac{m_p}{m_{\chi_B}} \Omega_{\chi_B}^{\tau \rightarrow \infty}$



# Central Result:

## Generalized WIMP Miracle

$$\Omega_{\text{DM}} \sim \Omega_B = \epsilon_{\text{CP}} \frac{m_p}{m_{\chi_B}} \Omega_{\chi_B}^{\tau \rightarrow \infty}$$

- **Robust:** insensitive to model details (weak washout typical)
- Novel low scale baryogenesis (independent of WIMP DM)
- Extra factor  $\epsilon_{\text{CP}} \frac{m_p}{m_{\chi_B}}$  ( $\epsilon_{\text{CP}} \sim 1\%$ ,  $m_{\chi_B} \sim 100$  GeV), compensated by  $\Omega_{\chi_B}^{\tau \rightarrow \infty} > \Omega_{\chi_{\text{DM}}}$  — accommodated by O(1) **different masses/couplings** associated w/  $\chi_{\text{DM}}$  and  $\chi_B$  ( $\chi_B$ : a “weaker” WIMP)



**Recall: WIMP miracle is not precise!**

$$\Omega_{\chi} \sim 0.1 \left( \frac{G_{\text{Fermi}}}{G_{\chi}} \right)^2 \left( \frac{M_{\text{weak}}}{m_{\chi}} \right)^2$$

# A Minimal Model Example

- We add to the Standard Model Lagrangian ( $\mathcal{B}, \mathcal{CP}$ ):

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta\mathcal{L} = & \lambda_{ij}\phi\mathbf{d}_i\mathbf{d}_j + \varepsilon_i\chi\bar{u}_i\phi + M_\chi^2\chi^2 + y_i\psi\bar{u}_i\phi + M_\psi^2\psi^2 \\ & + \alpha\chi^2\mathcal{S} + \beta|H|^2\mathcal{S} + M_S^2\mathcal{S}^2 + \text{h.c.}\end{aligned}$$

$\phi$ : di-quark scalar w/same charges as SM u-quark;

$\chi, \psi$ : SM singlet Majorana fermions;

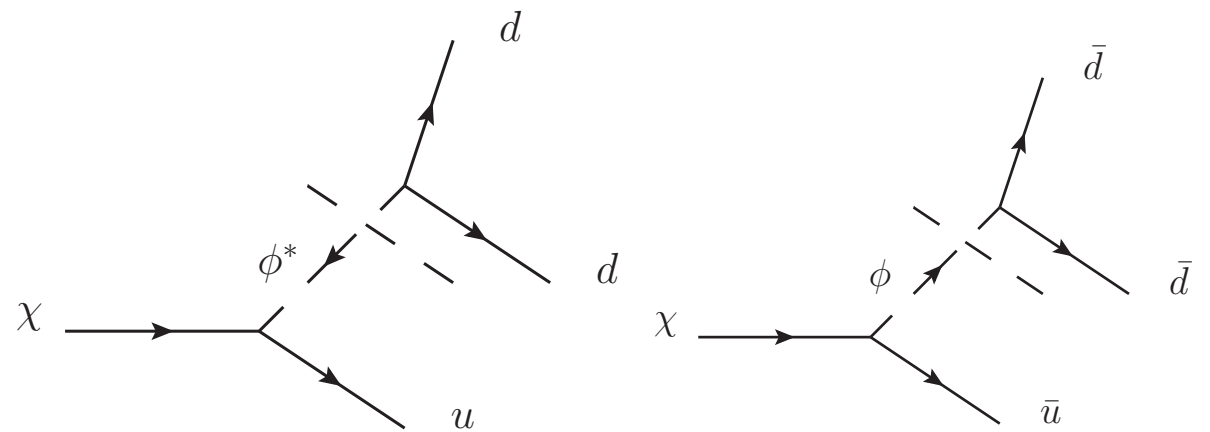
$\varepsilon_i \ll 1$ : small breaking of a  $\chi$ -parity  $\Rightarrow$  long-lived  $\chi$

$\chi \equiv \chi_B$ , the WIMP parent for baryogenesis.

$\mathcal{S}$ : singlet scalar, mediate WIMP annihilation  $\chi\chi \rightarrow \text{SM}$   
via h-portal

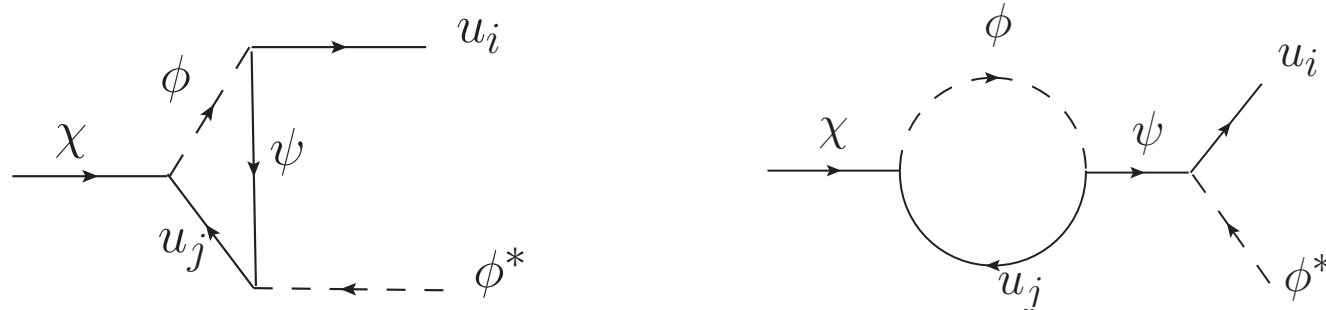
# A Minimal Model Example

- Out-of-equilibrium decay of  $\chi \rightarrow \Omega_B$



- Interference of tree- & loop-level decay

→ CP asymmetry  $\epsilon_{CP} \equiv \frac{\Gamma(\chi \rightarrow \phi^* u) - \Gamma(\chi \rightarrow \phi \bar{u})}{\Gamma(\chi \rightarrow \phi^* u) + \Gamma(\chi \rightarrow \phi \bar{u})}$



- Check other constraints ( $n \rightarrow \bar{n}$  oscillation, neutron EDM...)

→ With weak scale masses, new particles couple mostly to heaviest quarks (b, t) (just like the Higgs boson!)

# Meeting Particle Physics Frontier – Embedding in Supersymmetry (SUSY)

- **Our mechanism:** **generic** low scale baryogenesis



Embed in motivated theory framework, e.g. SUSY?

## Favored viable SUSY models after LHC runs:

- “Natural” SUSY: light stop  $m_{\tilde{t}} \ll m_{\tilde{q}_{1,2}}$  and/or B-(L-) violation
- (Mini-)Split SUSY ( $m_{\text{gauginos}} \ll m_{\text{sfermions}}$ )

# Embedding in Natural SUSY: Model

Our minimal model: direct “**blueprint**”

- **Promote** singlets  $\chi$ ,  $S$  to chiral **superfields**, add to the MSSM.

$\mathcal{B}$  superpotential:

$$W \supset \lambda_{ij} T D_i D_j + \varepsilon' \chi H_u H_d + y_t Q H_u T + \mu_\chi \chi^2 + \mu H_u H_d + \mu_S S^2 + \alpha \chi^2 S + \beta S H_u H_d.$$

- Assume ~~SUSY~~ pattern: scalar  $\chi$  and  $\tilde{q}_{1,2}$  heavy, decoupled, as in “**natural SUSY**”
- Mapping: (minimal model  $\longrightarrow$  SUSY model)
  - Diquark  $\phi \longrightarrow$  light  $\tilde{t}_R$  in superfield  $T$
  - Baryon parent singlet  $\chi \longrightarrow$  fermion singlet  $\chi$
  - Majorana  $\psi \longrightarrow$  MSSM gaugino
  - Singlet scalar  $S \longrightarrow$  singlet  $S$ , mixes with  $H_u$ , enables  $\chi$  annihilation
  - Small parameter  $\varepsilon \longrightarrow \varepsilon'$ , enables late decay  $\chi \rightarrow \tilde{t}t$  via  $\chi - \tilde{H}_u$  mixing

# Embedding in Natural SUSY

- Also a remedy!

**Potential cosmological crisis of  $\mathcal{B}$  natural SUSY:**

- An important channel of natural SUSY search at the LHC:

light stop with B-violating prompt decay

→  $TD_i D_j$  coupling  $\lambda_{ij} \gtrsim 10^{-7}$

- **Cosmological problem:**

Assume conventional baryogenesis at  $T \gtrsim m_{EW}$  → pre-existing  $Y_B^{\text{init}}$  can be efficiently washed out by  $\mathcal{B}$  scattering

e.g.  $\tilde{H}_u t \rightarrow \bar{d}_i \bar{d}_j$  with  $\lambda_{ij} \gtrsim 10^{-7}$  !

- **Our model in Natural SUSY:** Baryon asymmetry regenerated below weak scale when all washout decouple

→ **A robust cure to this problem!**



# Embedding in Mini-Split SUSY

(Cui, JHEP 1312 (2013) 067)

Interesting (surprising) finding: successful baryogenesis from **minimal** SUSY standard model (WIMP  $\tilde{B}$  decay)!

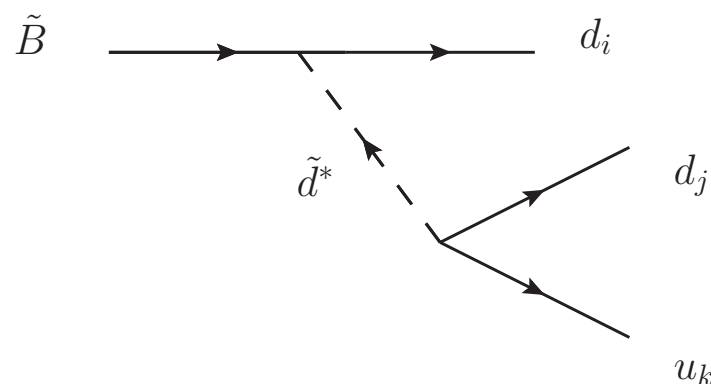
$$\tilde{B} \rightarrow \Delta B !$$

**Sakharov#1: out-of equilibrium** ✓

Split SUSY+ O(1) RPV: Natural long life-time of gauginos

Split spectrum  $O(100 - 1000)\text{TeV} \sim m_{\text{scalar}} \gg m_{\text{gaugino}} \sim \text{TeV} + \text{RPV}$

➔ Late decay automatic! e.g.  $\chi \rightarrow udd$  (heavy mediator, 3-body...)



# Embedding in Mini-Split SUSY

★ Sakharov #2, #3 (CP-, B/L-violation) ✓  
rich CPV sources in SUSY (e.g. Majorana gaugino masses),  $\cancel{B}$  ( $\cancel{L}$ ) from RPV couplings (safer w/heavy scalars)

★ WIMP parent  $\chi$  for baryons with “would-be” overabundance ✓: Bino  $\tilde{B}$ ! (not desirable if it is DM in RPC SUSY...)

★ Nanopoulos-Weinberg Theorem for Baryogenesis:

additional  $\cancel{B}$  source in the interference loop ✓

→ Another Majorana fermion in MSSM?  $\tilde{W}$ ,  $\tilde{g}$ !

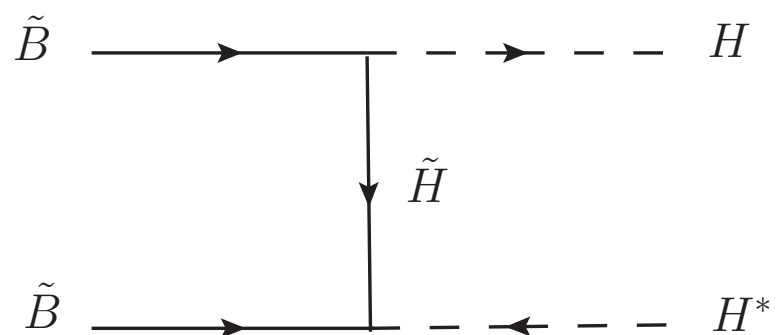
**Minimal** model (MSSM+RPV) gives everything needed for baryogenesis!



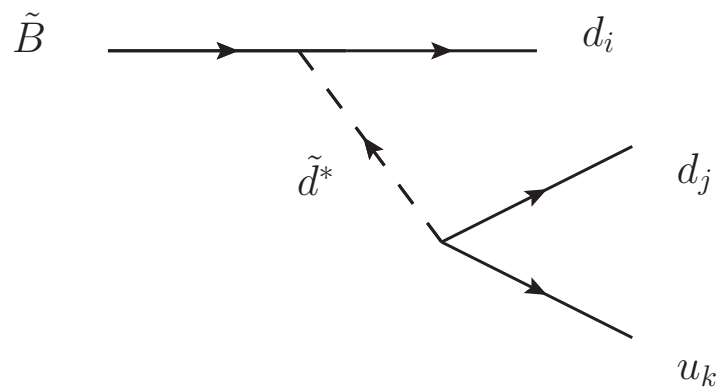
# Embedding in Mini-split SUSY

- **Key processes:**

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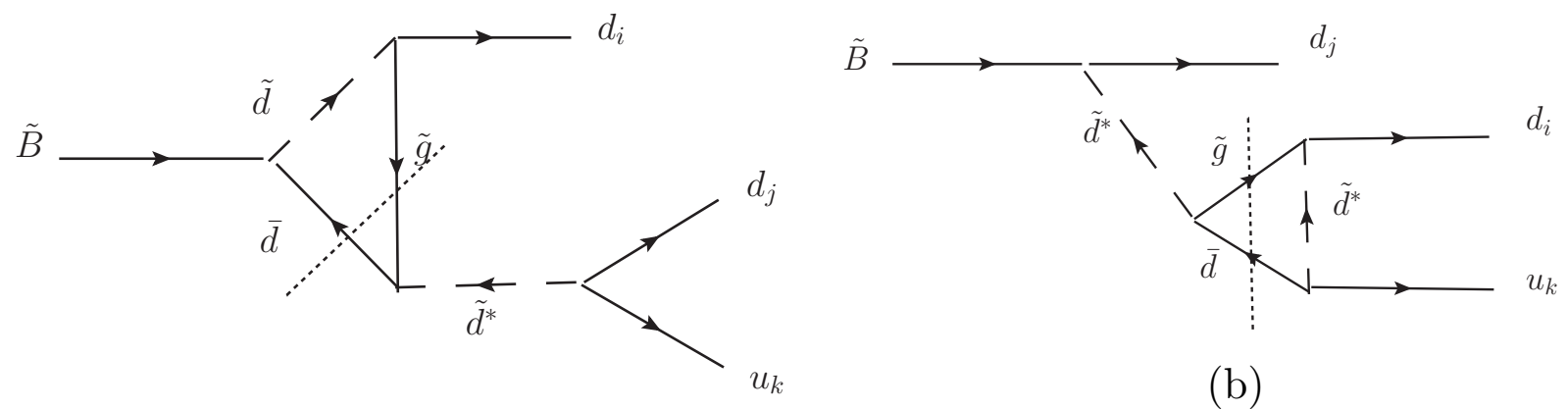


Tree-level RPV decay:



(RPC decays also included in analysis)

Interference loop:



# Numerical Results, examples

Include cosmological constraints:  $\Omega_{\Delta B}$  ...

→ mini-split:  $m_{\text{scalar}} \sim O(100 - 1000)\text{TeV}$  !



Loss of full naturalness: a compromise with anthropic/environmental selection?

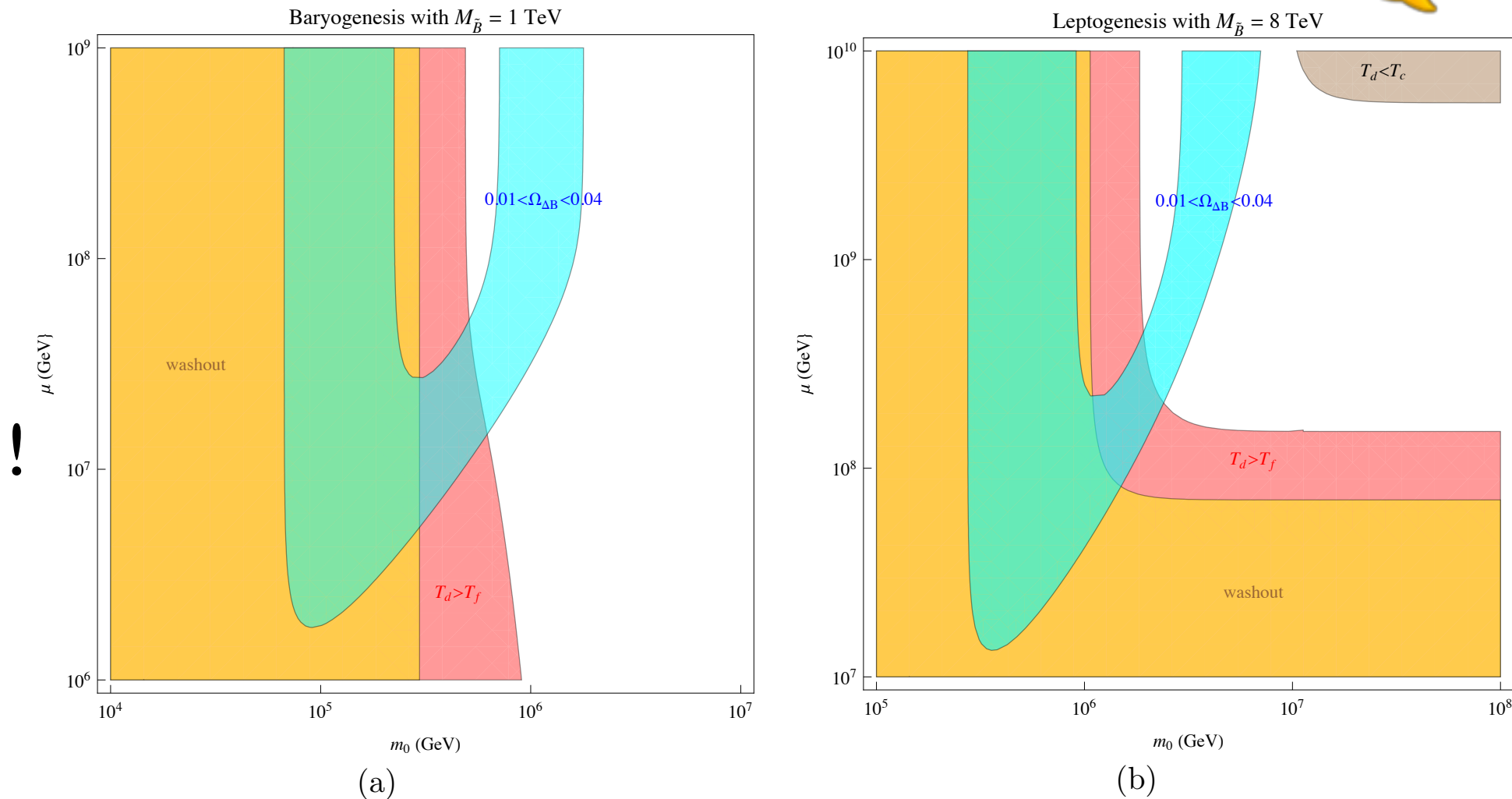


Figure 7: Cosmologically allowed regions of parameter space for (a) baryogenesis and (b) leptogenesis models. We set RPV couplings  $\lambda'' = \lambda' = 0.2$ ,  $\phi = \frac{\pi}{2}$ . Cyan region provides baryon abundance  $10^{-2} < \Omega_{\Delta B} < 4 \cdot 10^{-2}$ . In the case of leptogenesis the brown region is excluded by decay after EWPT at  $T_c \approx 100$  GeV. The pink region is excluded by our simple basic assumption that bino decays after freezeout. Yellow region is excluded by requiring that washout processes are suppressed ( $T_d < M_{\tilde{B}}$ ). Yellow region is in fact all included in the pink region (so appear to be orange in the overlapped region).

# Baryogenesis from Out-of-equilibrium Decays

## — Collider Phenomenology

YC and Shuve, arxiv:1409.6729, JHEP

- ★ *Strategy/results generally applicable to other new physics search via displaced vertices*

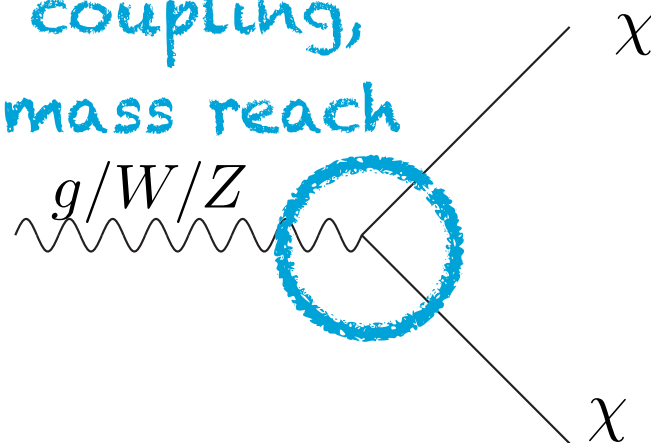
# Simplified Models

- Classify parity-invariant production modes (analogy to DM search @LHC!), e.g.

## Charged under SM gauge interactions:

wino/gluino-like (state in interference loop)

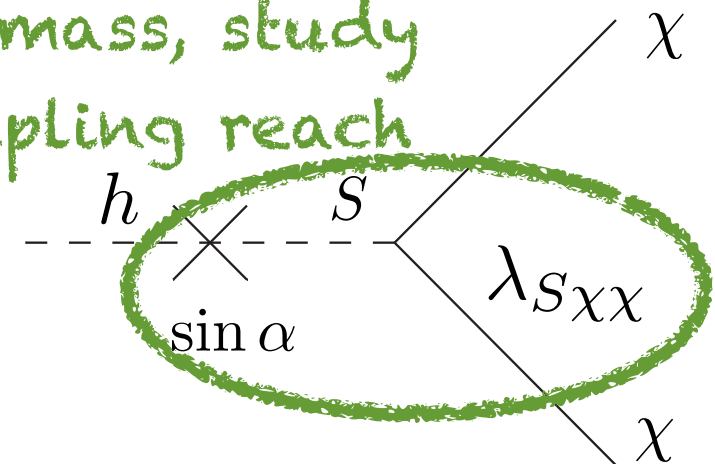
fixed coupling,  
study mass reach



## Higgs portal:

singlet-like (e.g.  $M_\chi = 150$  GeV)

fix mass, study  
coupling reach



- Classify decay modes (unlike DM search), e.g.

## Baryon number violating:

$$\chi \rightarrow u_i d_j d_k$$

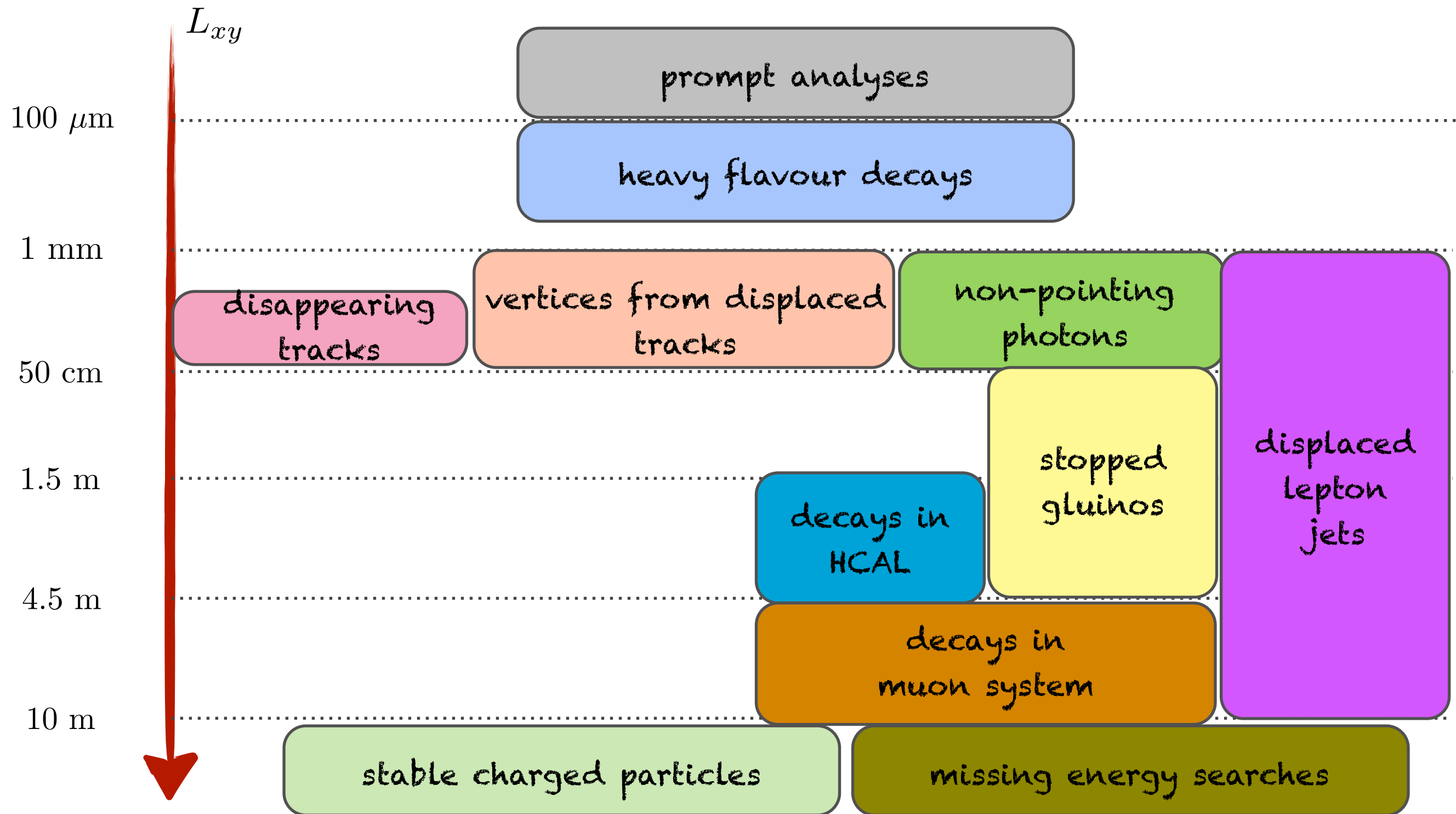
## Lepton number violating:

$$\chi \rightarrow L_i Q_j \bar{d}_k$$

$$\chi \rightarrow L_i L_j \bar{E}_k$$

Later comprehensive analyses in RPV SUSY: Liu, Tweedie 2015; Csaki et.al 2015; Zwanne 2015

# LHC Search Possibilities



# Experimental Searches

- Focus on displaced decay in tracking volume
- Near lower bound  $c\tau_\chi \gtrsim \text{mm}$  & better sensitivity, easier to model!  
(decay in other parts of detector important too...)
- Do recasts and reasonable variations of existing analyses due to modelling difficulties (for theorists!)
- Two concrete examples (light-flavour only):

## Baryon number violating:

$$\chi \rightarrow 3q$$

displaced jets (all-hadronic)

CMS, arXiv:1411.6530

## Lepton number violating:

$$\chi \rightarrow \ell + 2q$$

displaced muon + hadrons

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## • Goal of our analysis:

- What is the coverage for our simplified models based on benchmarks chosen by the collaborations?
- What advice can we provide for general experimental improvement?



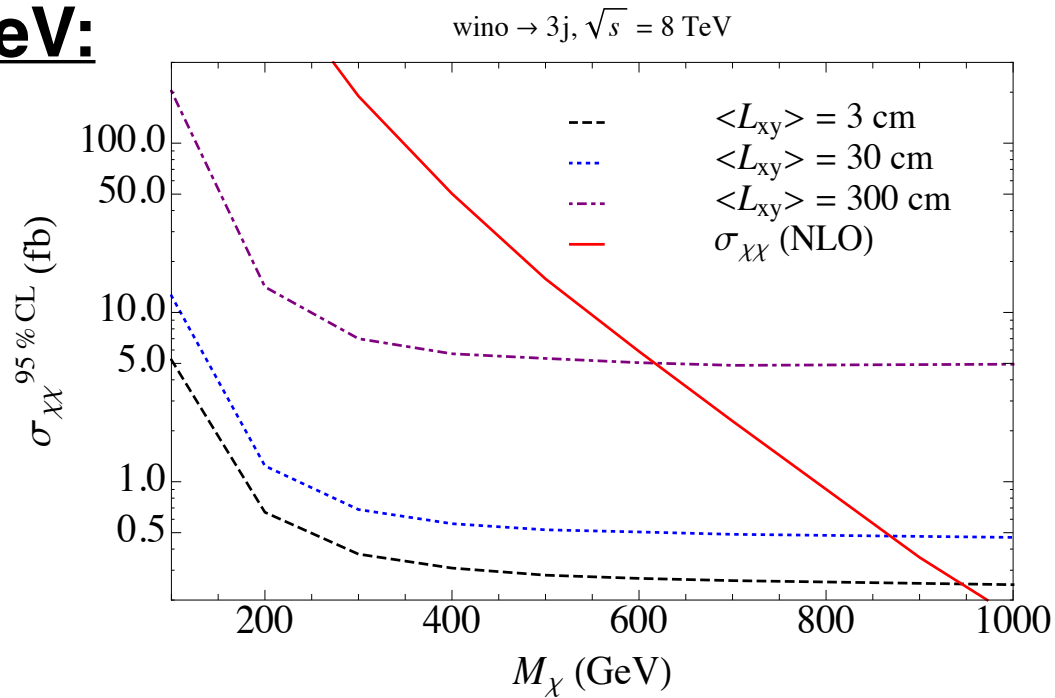
# Fully hadronic displaced vertices

CMS displaced dijet, arXiv:1411.6530

*wino*

*singlet-like (Higgs portal)*

**8 TeV:**



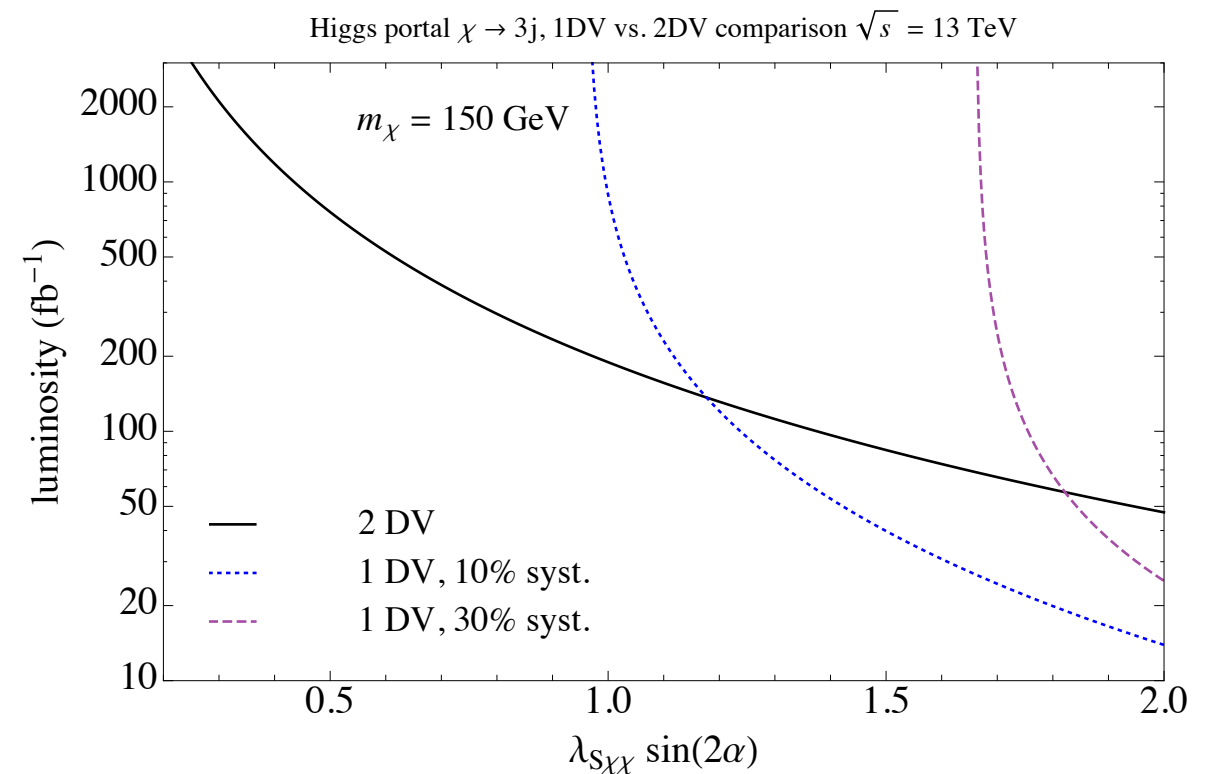
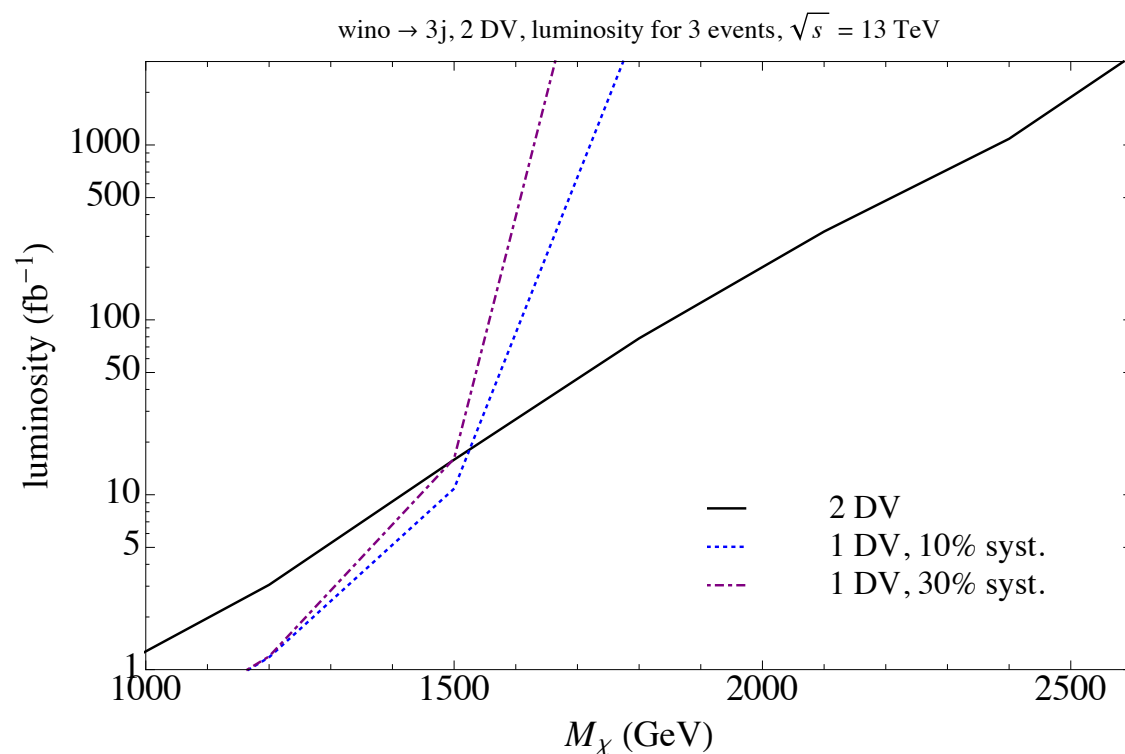
(we study a challenging case:

$M_\chi = 150$  GeV, moderately off-shell!)

No bound @ 8 TeV 20 fb<sup>-1</sup>!

**13 TeV:**

$L_{xy} = 3$  cm

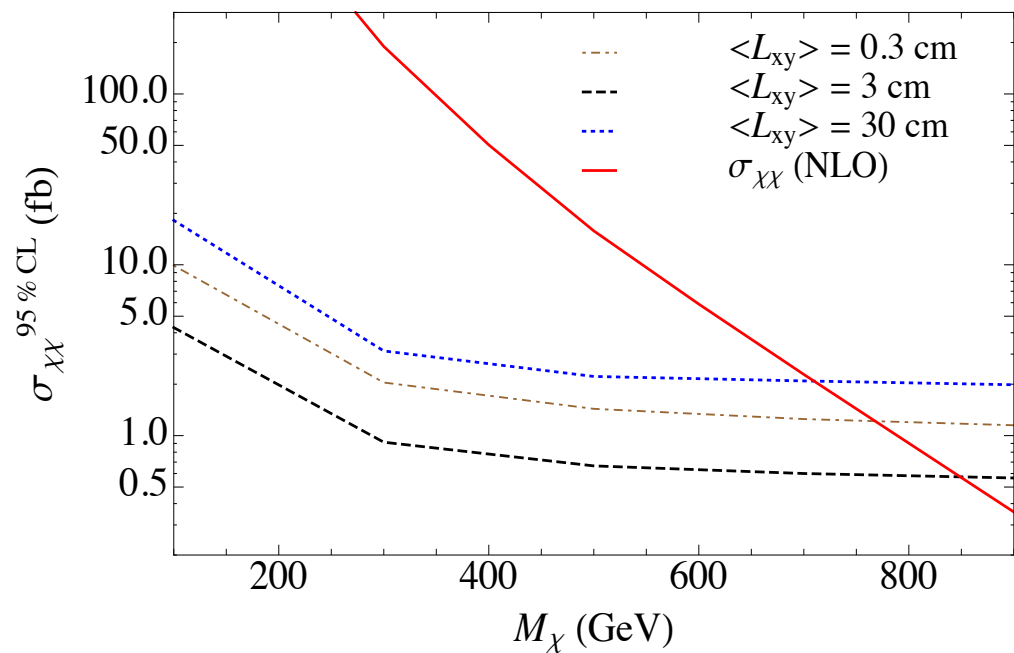


# Displaced muon + hadrons

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*wino*

wino  $\rightarrow \mu + \text{tracks}$ ,  $\sqrt{s} = 8 \text{ TeV}$



8 TeV

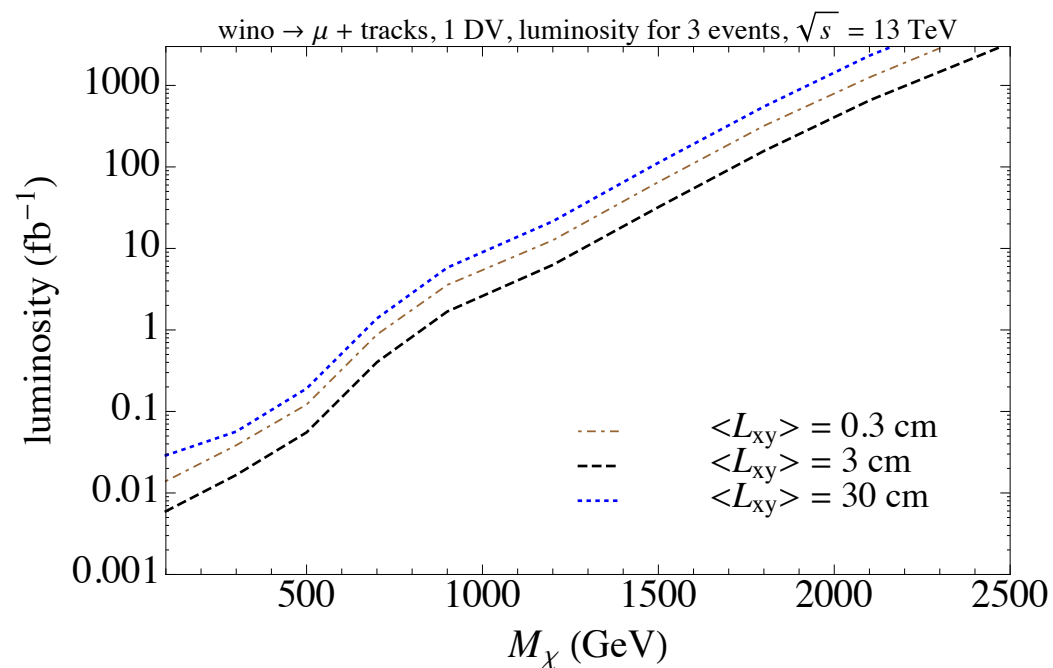
*singlet (Higgs portal)*

(singlet-like,  $M_\chi = 150 \text{ GeV}$ )

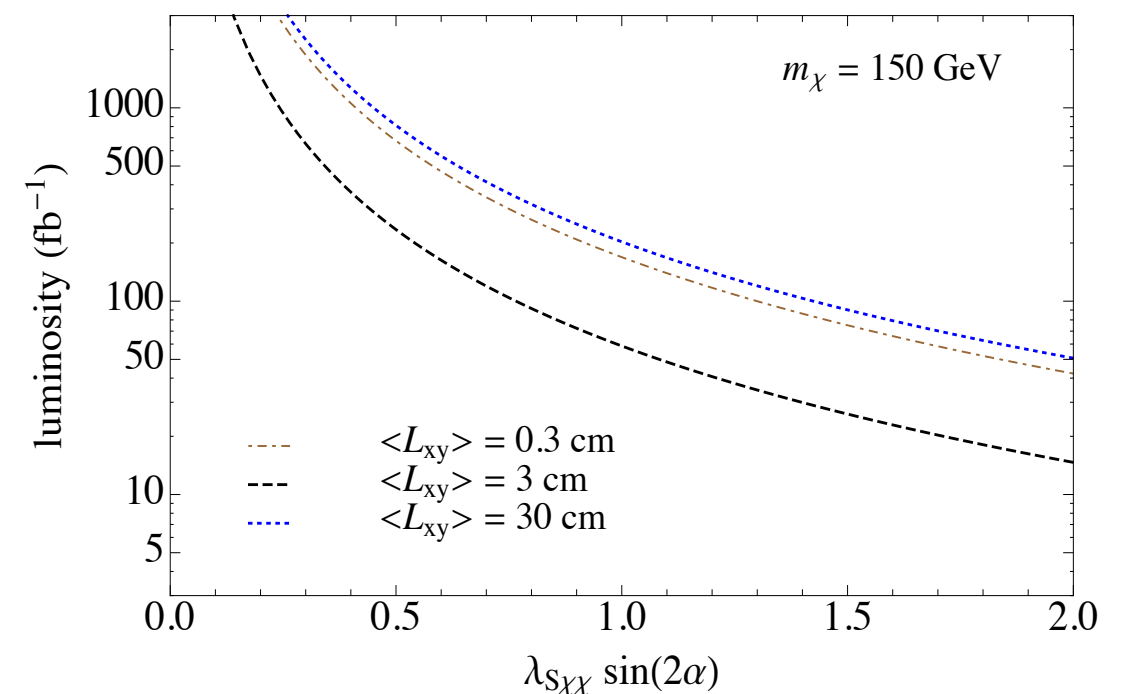
No bound @ 8 TeV 20 fb<sup>-1</sup>

- 13 TeV:  $\sigma_S \sim 10 \text{ ab}$  for  $L_{xy} \sim 1 \text{ cm}$ !

13 TeV:  
M ~ 2.5 TeV



Higgs portal  $\chi \rightarrow \mu + \text{tracks}$ , 1DV, luminosity for 3 events,  $\sqrt{s} = 13 \text{ TeV}$





# Conclusion/Outlook

- Search for long-lived particles/DV at the LHC:
  - Spectacular channel, exciting developing field
  - Theoretically motivated, *not mere “exotic”!*
  - Challenges: e.g. trigger on low mass all hadronic states
- Baryogenesis from metastable weak scale particle decay:
  - A **robust cosmological motivation** for DV searches @ LHC
  - **Exciting opportunity to reproduce the early universe BG @LHC!**
- **WIMP baryogenesis:** a motivated example, new mechanism addressing  $\Omega_B (+)\Omega_B \sim \Omega_{DM}$ , natural embedding in SUSY
- **w/ATLAS displaced jets working group:** working on implementing simplified models of WIMP BG as a benchmark example in official analysis w/LHC Run 2 data...

**Thank you !**