

# Testing Leptogenesis at the LHC and Future Muon Colliders: a Z' Scenario

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#### **Baryon Asymmetry of the Universe**

 $\frac{n_{\Delta B}}{s} \approx (8.59 \pm 0.11) \times 10^{-11}$ <br/>from Planck satellite [1]





Figure from Kaori Fuyuto [2]

#### **Baryon Asymmetry of the Universe**

Sakhorov's criteria 1. Baryon number violating process, Generate  $n_{\Lambda B}$ . **Triangle Anomoly** 2. C and CP violations,  $\Gamma(X \to Y + b) \neq \Gamma(\overline{X} \to \overline{Y} + \overline{b}), L \text{ and } R.$ CKM 3. Out of equilibrium.  $\Gamma(X \to Y + b) \neq \Gamma(Y + b \to X).$ 

Electroweak phase transition

Way too small to explain the observed BAU within the SM. We need new physics!

#### **Baryon Asymmetry of the Universe**

- Potential solutions:
- 1. GUT baryogenesis
- 2. Electroweak baryogenesis,
- 3. The Affleck-Dine mechanism
- 4. Leptogenesis

We focus on the **leptogenesis** due to the **neutrino mass** problems.

#### **Origin of the Neutrino Masses**

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\sum m_{\nu} \lesssim 0.12 \ eVfrom Planck satellite [1]
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https://physicsworld.com/a/daya-baynails-neutrino-oscillation/

From Hitoshi Murayama

#### **Origin of the Neutrino Masses**

Seesaw mechanism

$$L \supset -y_D \overline{l_L} \widetilde{H} \nu_R - M_R \overline{\nu_R} \nu_R \nu_R$$
$$M = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & M_D \\ M_D & M_R \end{pmatrix}$$
$$m_1 \approx \frac{-M_D^2}{M_R}, m_2 \approx M_R.$$

The lightness of the observed neutrinos is explained by heavy right-handed neutrinos, with  $M_R \approx 10^{14}$  GeV to make  $y_D$  natural. Not required by the inverse seesaw.

**Additional CP violations** can exists in the **neutrino mass matrix.** 

# Leptogenesis

BAU from neutrino!

1. Lepton number is violated within the neutrino masses terms.

2. Additional CP violations can exists in the neutrino mass matrix.

3. Right-handed neutrinos decay out of equilibrium potentially.

And EW sphaleron to transfer  $n_{\Delta L}$  into  $n_{\Delta B}$  during EW phase transition,

$$Y_B = \frac{28}{79} Y_{B-L}$$

# Leptogenesis

 $\epsilon_{\alpha\alpha}$  is the CP asymmetry in  $N_1$  decay, comes from the interference between the tree-level and one loop amplitude.

Hierarchical RH neutrinos,  $\epsilon \leq 10^{-15} M_{N_1}, Y_{\Delta B} \simeq 10^{-3} \times \epsilon \times \eta \simeq 10^{-10}.$ As  $\eta \sim 0.1, \epsilon \simeq 10^{-6}$ , so  $M_{N_1} \geq 10^9 \text{GeV}.$ Davidson-Ibarra Bound, no possible collider signatures.

#### **Resonant leptogenesis (what we focus on)**

if at least two of the RH neutrinos masses are degenerate, as  $\Delta M \lesssim \Gamma$ .

 $\epsilon \lesssim \frac{1}{2}$ , only needs  $M_{N_1} \ge T_{sph} \approx 130$  GeV.

#### **B-L Model**

#### Natural Seesaw mechanism if B-L number is gauged

$$M_R = y_M x$$

Where x is the vev of the B-L Higgs. RH neutrinos masses are generated via the spontaneous symmetry breaking of the  $U(1)_{B-L}$ .

Additional Z' gauge boson might interfere the leptogenesis via the scatterings.  $f, \phi$ 



Figure from Ref. [3]

#### **Boltzmann Equations**

Corrections on the Boltzmann equations,

$$\frac{S_N H_N}{z^4} \frac{dY_N}{dz} = -\left(\frac{Y_N}{Y_N^{eq}} - 1\right) \left(\gamma_D + 2\gamma_{h,s} + 4\gamma_{h,t}\right)$$
$$-\left(\frac{Y_N^2}{(Y_N^{eq})^2} - 1\right) 2\gamma_{Z'},$$

$$\frac{s_N H_N}{z^4} \frac{dY_{B-L}}{dz} = -\epsilon \left( \frac{Y_N}{Y_N^{eq}} - 1 \right) - \frac{Y_{B-L}}{Y_l^{eq}} \left( \frac{1}{2} \gamma_D + 2 \left( \gamma_{N,s} + \gamma_{N,s} + \gamma_{h,t} \right) + \frac{Y_N}{Y_N^{eq}} \gamma_{h,s} \right),$$

$$Y_{B-L} \equiv \frac{1}{2} \left( Y_l - Y_{\overline{l}} \right).$$

#### **BAU and CP Violations**

The scattering mediated via Z'makes the *N* closer to the equilibrium



The BAU is diluted due to the scatterings. Large CP violation in need!

Muon colliders Precision and energy frontier!

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Compared to the  $e^+e^-$  machine:



Synchrotron radiation is suppressed by  $10^9$ , hence the collision energy can reach O(10) TeV;

Also very clean, as long as the beam-inducedbackground is controllable (main challenge).

Compared to the *pp* machine:

The entire collision energy can be used to probe hard process;

Much cleaner due to the small QCD background.



corresponds to  $pp(\mu\mu) \rightarrow Z'(\gamma) \rightarrow NN$ 

The CP violations can be measured by the **same-sign dilepton** signatures from the *N* decays, **there will be difference between ++ and -- pairs**.

Same-sign dileptons from RH neutrinos decay  $pp(\mu\mu) \rightarrow Z'(\gamma) \rightarrow NN \rightarrow l^{\pm}l^{\pm} + W^{\mp}W^{\mp}(\text{jets})$   $BR(N \rightarrow l^{+}W^{-}) \approx 25\%$  for  $\epsilon \sim 0$ CP violations from the final states  $\epsilon = \frac{\Gamma(N \rightarrow l^{+}W^{-}) - \Gamma(N \rightarrow l^{-}W^{+})}{\Gamma(N \rightarrow l^{+}W^{-}) + \Gamma(N \rightarrow l^{-}W^{+})}$ 

The limits are put assuming the number of signal events follows a **Poisson distribution**.

We only focus on the *N* interacts with the **electrons**, and **assume other** *Ns*' **contribution to the BAU is subdominant**. (Discussions on the other *Ns* can be seen at Ref. [4])

Backgrounds

mainly arise from leptonic final states with charge misidentification. The rate is  $\sim 0.1\%$  at the current LHC.

LHC	Trigger cut [fb]	Same-sign lepton [fb]	W-jet [fb]
Signal	$\sim 10^{-3}$	$\sim 10^{-3}$	${\sim}10^{-4}$
$t ar{t}$	$\sim 10^{-4} \; (*)$	$\lesssim 10^{-7}$	$\lesssim 10^{-10}$
$W^{\pm}W^{\pm}jj$	$\lesssim 10^{-2}$	$\lesssim 10^{-4}$	$\lesssim 10^{-7}$
10 TeV muon collider	Trigger cut [fb]	Same-sign lepton [fb]	W-jet [fb]
Signal	$\sim 1$	$\sim 1$	$\sim 10^{-1}$
$\mu^+\mu^- \to e^+e^-W^+W^-$	$\sim 10^{-2}$	$\sim 10^{-5}$	$\sim 10^{-6}$
$\mu^+\mu^- \to e^+e^-W^+W^-\gamma/Z$	$\sim 10^{-2}$	$\sim 10^{-5}$	$\sim 10^{-6}$
$\mu^+\mu^- \to W^+W^- jj$	$\sim 10^{-1}$	$\sim 10^{-6}$	$\sim 10^{-9}$

Mistag rate 5% for QCD jets faking *W*-jets.  $t\overline{t}$  is further required to have  $M_{t\overline{t}} > 6$  TeV Clean after cuts.

# Sensitivities of the Leptogenesis at Colliders

HL-LHC has merely no sensitivities

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10 TeV muon collider can test leptogenesis with  $M_{Z'} \leq 30$  TeV.

30 TeV muon collider can test leptogenesis with  $M_{Z'} \leq 100$  TeV potentially.

#### **BAU and CP Violations**



Fixed  $M_N$ ,  $M_{Z'} \uparrow \to \sigma_{Z'} \downarrow \to \eta \uparrow \to \epsilon \downarrow$ Fixed  $M_{Z'}$ , A.  $M_N \uparrow \to \Delta t \uparrow \to \eta \uparrow \to \epsilon \downarrow$ B.  $M_N \uparrow \to Washout \uparrow \to \eta \downarrow \to \epsilon \uparrow$ Larger CP violations in need to compensate the inefficiencies due to the scatterings, and  $\epsilon \gtrsim 1$  is **forbidden**.

# Conclusion

- Leptogenesis is the natural solution to the BAU problem, once the origins of the neutrino masses are considered.
- Resonant leptogenesis can be tested at colliders.
- U(1) gauge bosons lead to additional RH neutrinos pair scatterings, might dilute the BAU, larger CP violations in need, detectable at colliders.
- Both the HL-LHC and muon colliders can test the resonant leptogenesis via the same-sign dilepton signatures, while muon colliders show much better sensitivities.

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# Outline

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- **3. Boltzmann Equations During the Early Universe**
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# Leptogenesis

#### Precise evolutions need solving Boltzmann equations

Results of one example



Shapes controlled by  $m_N$  and washout parameters, including thermal neutrino masses  $(\tilde{m})$ , and effective neutrino masses  $(m_*)$ .

#### RH neutrinos production via Z' decays

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Muon colliders has much larger cross section, and can produce RH neutrinos **off-shell**, beyond their collision energies.

Cuts on the two electrons (Parton) LHC

$$p_T^e > 100 \text{ GeV}, |\eta_e| < 2.5,$$

Muon colliders

$$p_T^e > 30 \text{ GeV}, |\eta_e| < 2.43.$$

Cuts on the two *W*-jets (Parton) LHC

$$p_T^W > 500 \text{ GeV}, |\eta_W| < 2,$$

Muon colliders

 $p_T^W > 500 \text{ GeV}, |\eta_W| < 2.43.$ 

# Leptogenesis

Main ideas

$$Y_{\Delta B} \simeq \frac{135\zeta(3)}{4\pi g_*} \sum_{\alpha} \epsilon_{\alpha\alpha} \times \eta_{\alpha} \times C$$

BAU is generated mainly by the lightest RH neutrinos,  $N_1$ .

 $\frac{135\zeta(3)}{4\pi g_*} \sim 10^{-3}$  is the equilibrium  $N_1$  number density by entropy.

 $\epsilon_{\alpha\alpha}$  is the CP asymmetry in  $N_1$  decay.

 $\eta_{\alpha}$  describe the efficiencies, including the production and washout effects.

Projections on the sensitivities of Z'



HL-LHC should be less than one magnitude better the current LHC.

Muon colliders can push the sensitivities to heavier Z' and weaker couplings  $(g_{B-L})$ . We focus on  $M \to 6$  ToV and fix  $g_{B-L} = 0.8$  as o

We focus on  $M_{Z'} > 6$  TeV, and fix  $g_{B-L} = 0.8$  as our benchmarks to get maximal number of RH neutrinos.

#### 0.500 0.500 0.500 Rec. N mass Rec. Z mass W-jets Normalized distribution $v_T^W > 500 \text{ GeV}$ Normalized distribution Normalized distribution $M_7 = 8 \text{ TeV}$ $0.050 M_N = 500 \text{ GeV}$ $\mu^+\mu^- \to e^+e^-W^+W^-\gamma$ Signal 0.010 0.010 0.010 0.005 0.005 0.005 1.5 0.5 1.0 2.0 11 9 10 $p_T^W$ [TeV] M<sub>lw</sub> [TeV] M<sub>llww</sub> [TeV]

Excellent separation between signal and background.

Reconstruction on N mass is powerful.

#### Kinematics at the 10 TeV muon colliders

# Conclusion

#### In this work

- Derive the CP violations *ε* within a Z' scenario and resonant leptogenesis, via solving Boltzmann Equations.
- Obtain the sensitivities of CP violations  $\epsilon$  at the HL-LHC and muon colliders via same-sign dilepton signals.
- Testing the resonant leptogenesis at colliders by comparison.