

Dark matter searches at the CEPC

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DM searches at the e^+e^- colliders

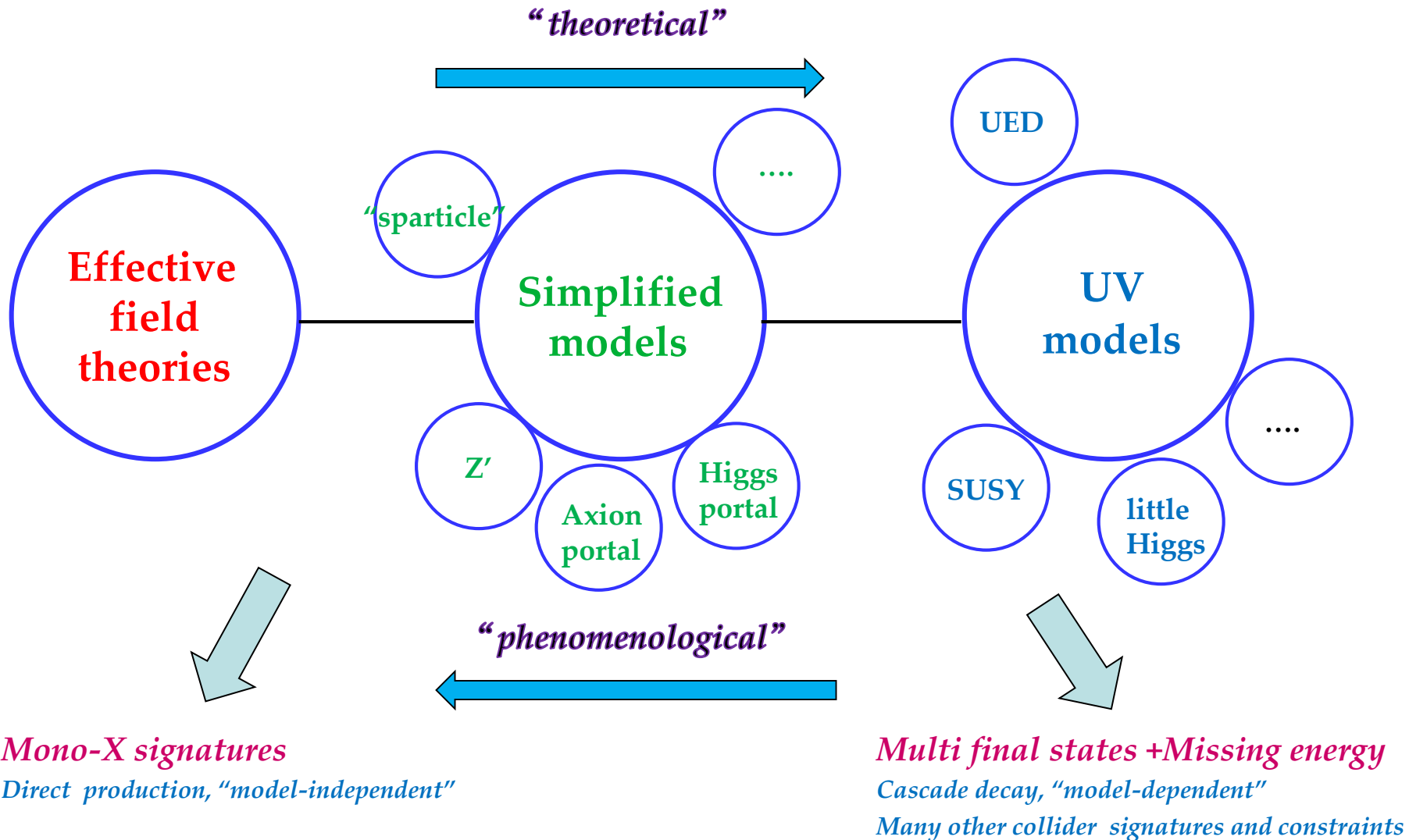
- ⊕ *Search for light DM **directly produced**, e.g. $m < 120 \text{ GeV}$, at the CEPC*
Search for interactions between the DM and electrons/EW gauge bosons/Higgs limited by the low CM energies of e^+e^- colliders

- ⊕ *Probe DM and other relevant particles in new physics models (t-channel annihilation mediator, charged particles in multiplets...)*
***Indirect searches** through loop effects, e.g. in the Higgs production and decay*

DM searches at the e^+e^- colliders

- ⊕ *Disadvantage: Low CM energy....
Can not directly detect heavy particles in the BSM*
- ⊕ *Advantage: No large QCD background; larger luminosity; precise beam energy; polarized beams.... The full missing energy can be reconstructed.
Precise measurements of DM properties are possible
It is possible to measure the mass, spin, and other quantum numbers of DM.*
- ⊕ *Complementary to searches at hadron colliders*
- ⊕ *Complementary to direct and indirect DM detection experiments*
- ⊕ *Even if a new neutral, stable, and weakly interacting particle is discovered at colliders, we should determine its potential as a constituent of dark matter within the Universe. It is necessary to combined results from different DM detections.*

Direct signatures: theoretical approach

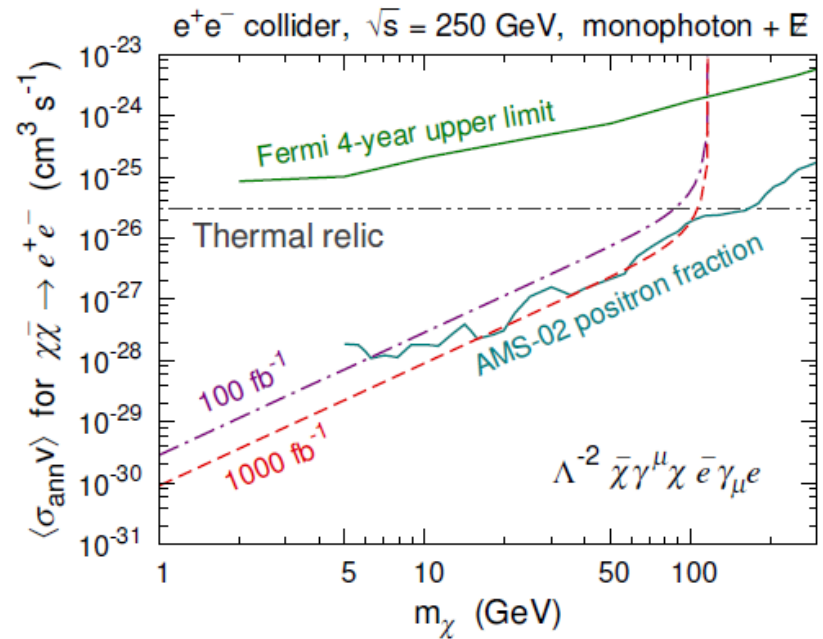
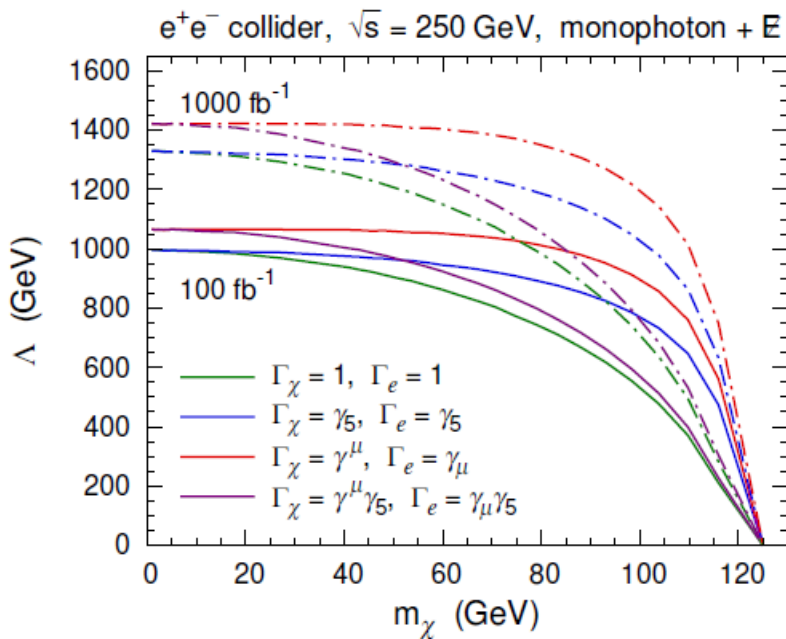


Mono-photon searches for EFTs

- ⊕ Consider the simplest EFTs

$$\mathcal{O}_e = \frac{1}{\Lambda^2} \bar{\chi} \Gamma_\chi \chi \bar{e} \Gamma_e e \quad \Gamma_\chi, \Gamma_e \in \{1, \gamma_5, \gamma^\mu, \gamma^\mu \gamma_5, \sigma^{\mu\nu}\}$$

- ⊕ Photon is emitted from the initial state radiation



Gamma-ray line and mono-photon

- ✦ *Effective operator*

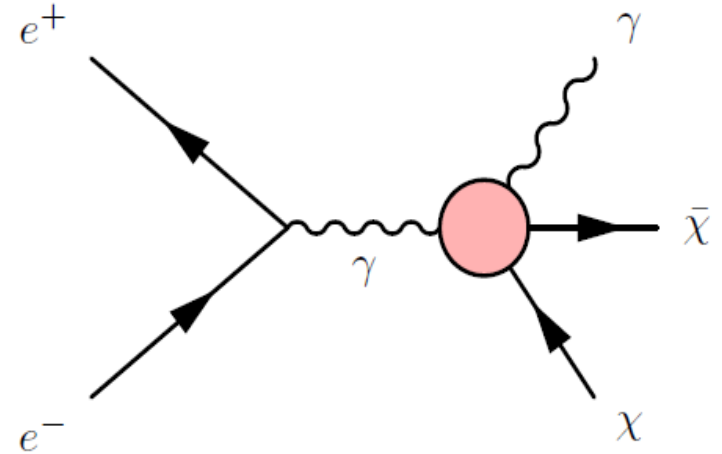
$$\mathcal{O}_F = \frac{1}{\Lambda^3} \bar{\chi} i\gamma_5 \chi F_{\mu\nu} \tilde{F}^{\mu\nu}$$

- ✦ *Search for corresponding mono-photon signals at future e^+e^- colliders*

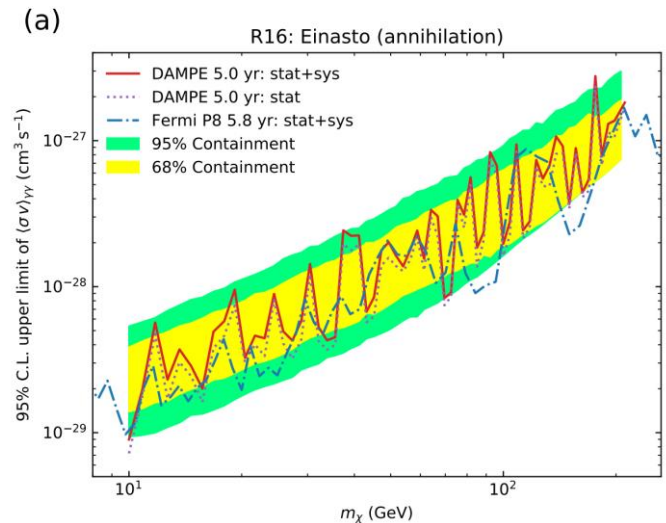
- ✦ *The operator induces gamma-ray line signature, which is a critical evidence of DM annihilation/decay*

Energy scale for a ~ 100 GeV DM and a detectable annihilation cross section is $\sim \text{TeV}$

$$\langle \sigma_{\text{ann}} v \rangle_{\chi\bar{\chi} \rightarrow 2\gamma} \simeq \frac{4m_\chi^4}{\pi\Lambda^6} = 10^{-27} \text{ cm}^3 \text{ s}^{-1} \left(\frac{m_\chi}{130 \text{ GeV}} \right)^4 \left(\frac{1272 \text{ GeV}}{\Lambda} \right)^6$$



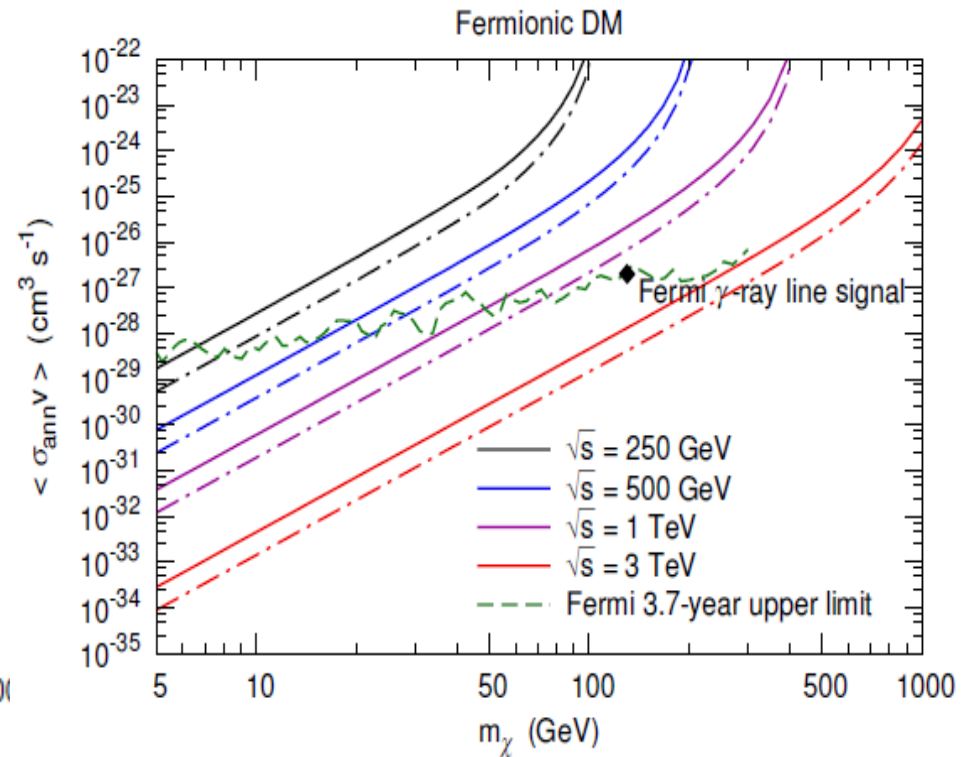
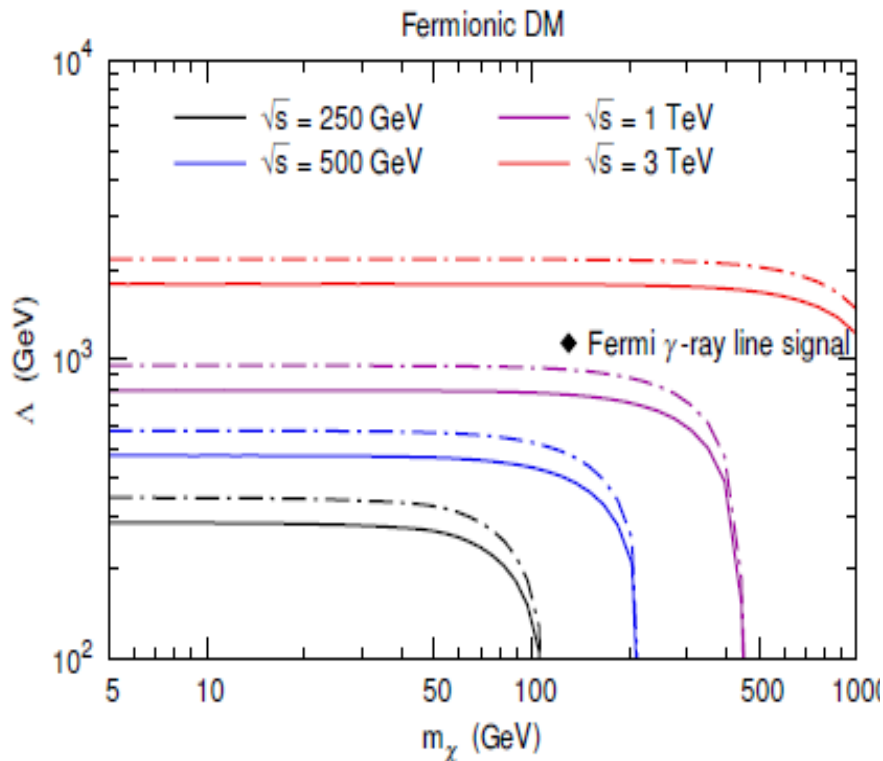
Yu, Yan, Yin, 1307.5740



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Gamma-ray line and mono-photon

- ⊕ Consider possible e^+e^- colliders with several CM energies
- ⊕ 3σ reaches for mass scale and annihilation cross section
- ⊕ Require large luminosities ($>100 \text{ fb}^{-1}$)



Mono-Z signatures for EFTs

⊕ *DM can interact with both the photon and Z boson*

⊕ *Consider effective operators*

$$\mathcal{O}_{F1} = \frac{1}{\Lambda_1^3} \bar{\chi} \chi B_{\mu\nu} B^{\mu\nu} + \frac{1}{\Lambda_2^3} \bar{\chi} \chi W_{\mu\nu}^a W^{a\mu\nu}$$

$$\supset \bar{\chi} \chi (G_{ZZ} Z_{\mu\nu} Z^{\mu\nu} + G_{AZ} A_{\mu\nu} Z^{\mu\nu})$$

$$\mathcal{O}_{F2} = \frac{1}{\Lambda_1^3} \bar{\chi} i\gamma_5 \chi B_{\mu\nu} \tilde{B}^{\mu\nu} + \frac{1}{\Lambda_2^3} \bar{\chi} i\gamma_5 \chi W_{\mu\nu}^a \tilde{W}^{a\mu\nu}$$

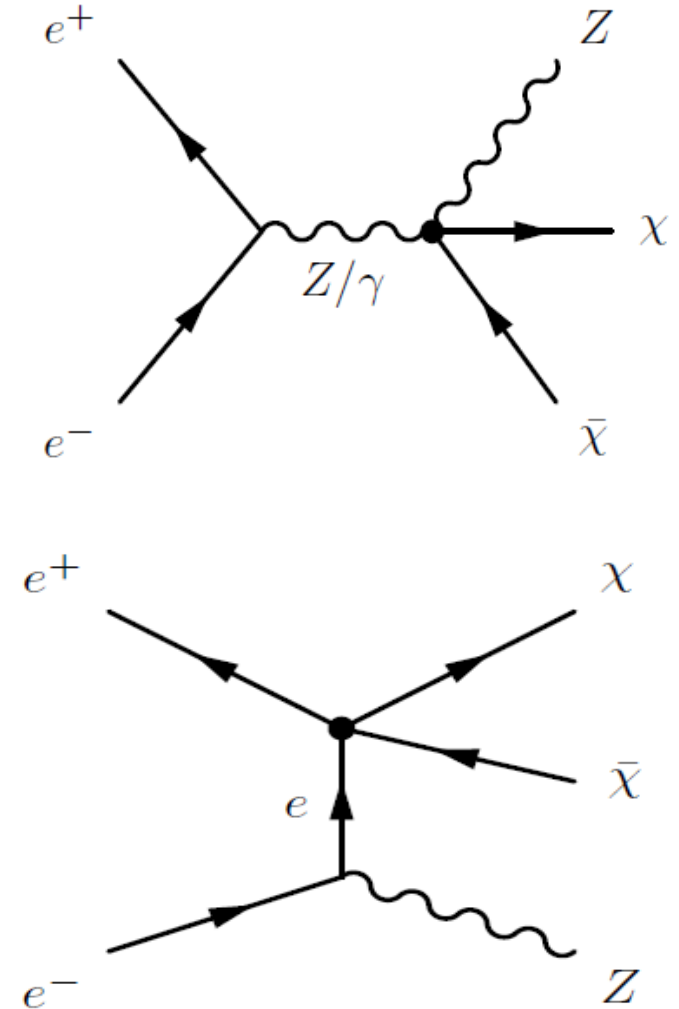
$$\supset \bar{\chi} i\gamma_5 \chi (G_{ZZ} Z_{\mu\nu} \tilde{Z}^{\mu\nu} + G_{AZ} A_{\mu\nu} \tilde{Z}^{\mu\nu})$$

$$\mathcal{O}_{FH} = \frac{1}{\Lambda^3} \bar{\chi} \chi (D_\mu H)^\dagger D_\mu H \rightarrow \frac{m_Z^2}{2\Lambda^3} \bar{\chi} \chi Z_\mu Z^\mu$$

⊕ *Z boson can also originate from initial state radiation*

$$\mathcal{O}_{FP} = \frac{1}{\Lambda^2} \bar{\chi} \gamma_5 \chi \bar{e} \gamma_5 e,$$

$$\mathcal{O}_{FA} = \frac{1}{\Lambda^2} \bar{\chi} \gamma^\mu \gamma_5 \chi \bar{e} \gamma_\mu \gamma_5 e$$



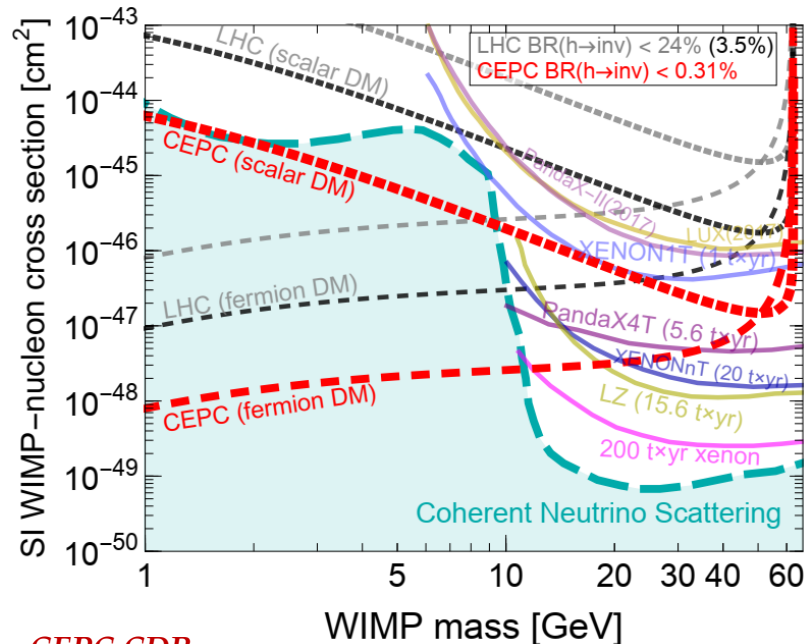
Simplified models: DM couples to mediators

- Assume that DM couples to the SM particles through some SM mediators

$$\mathcal{L} = -hJ_h, \quad J_h = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left[\sum_f y_f \bar{f} f + \bar{\psi}_{\text{DM}} (y_{\text{DM}} + iy_{\text{DM}}^P \gamma_5) \psi_{\text{DM}} + \frac{\lambda_{\text{DM}} v}{2} s_{\text{DM}}^2 \right]$$

$$\mathcal{L} = -Z_\mu J_Z^\mu, \quad J_Z^\mu = \frac{g_2}{\cos \theta_W} \left[\sum_f [\bar{f} \gamma_\mu (g_V^f + \gamma_5 g_A^f) f] + \sum_s g_s [s^* (i\partial_\mu s) - (i\partial_\mu s^*) s] \right]$$

- Searches for invisible Higgs/Z decays are useful to probe DM

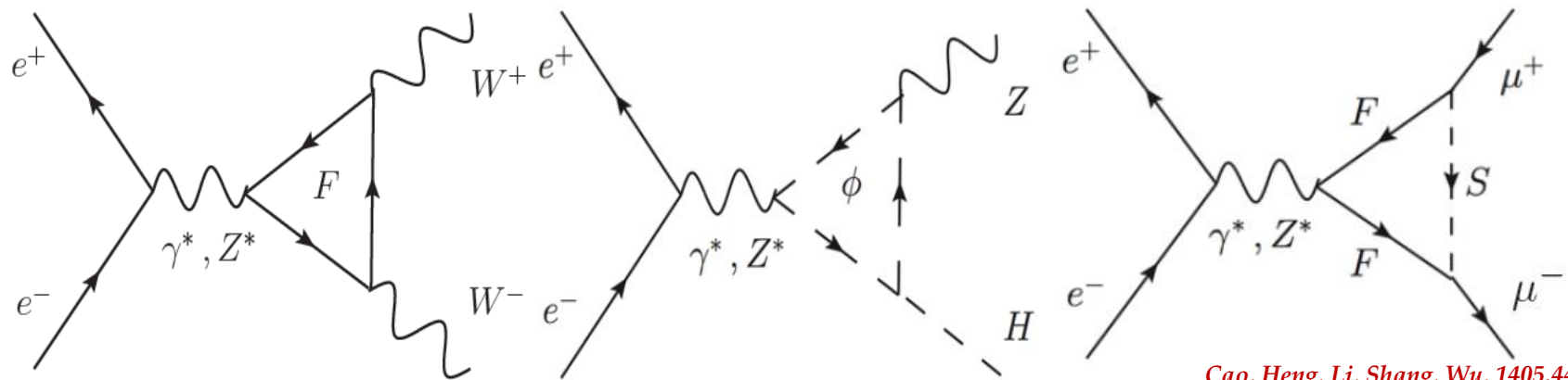


CEPC CDR

- For discussions on more portals and UV models, referred to other talks in this session

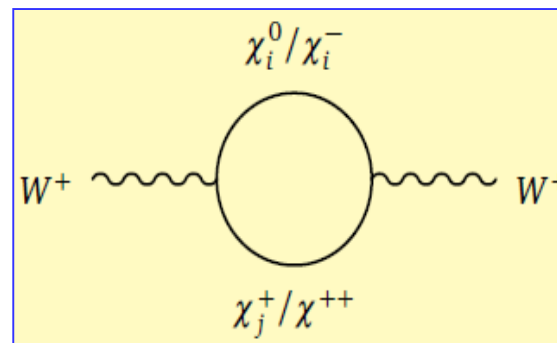
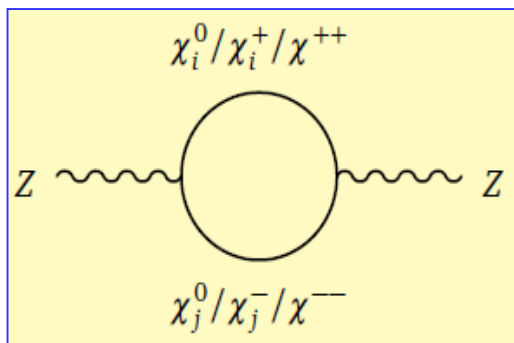
Probing DM at CEPC via loop effects

- ✦ New particles give **corrections** to SM processes, which can be measured at a level of $\sim O(0.1\%)$ at lepton colliders



Cao, Heng, Li, Shang, Wu, 1405.4489
 Cao, Li, Yan, Zhang, Zhang, 1604.07536
 Liu, Wu, 1705.02534
 Xiang, Bi, Yin, Yu, 1707.03094

- ✦ Also give **oblique corrections** to gauge boson propagators
 Search for new particles via the precision measurements and global fitting



Fedderke, Lin, Wang, 1506.05465
 Cai, Yu, Zhang, 1611.02186, 1705.07921

DM models with additional EW multiplets

- ⊕ *e^+e^- colliders offer a conducive environment for exploring the electroweak sector. Consider some simple Fermionic DM models containing new **electroweak multiplets**: a few new particles but no new mediator*

- ⊕ *One type: Add one high-dimensional representation: **minimal DM model***

Cirelli et al, hep-ph/0512090

- ⊕ *Another type: The model can also contain **a vector-like fermion** and a Z_2 symmetry stabilizing DM. DM has no coupling to the SM Higgs: no mass contribution from EWSB, degenerate mass spectrum...*

DM models with additional EW multiplets

- ✦ Adding *two different EW Fermionic multiplets* is an economical option with a rich phenomenology. We consider the models:

SDFDM: one singlet + two doublet Weyl spinors

DTFDM: two doublet + one triplet Weyl spinors

TQFDM: two quadruplet + one triplet Weyl spinors

Xiang, Bi, Yin, Yu, 1707.03094

Wang, et. al., 1711.05622

Models	Gauge eigenstates	Mass eigenstates
Singlet-Doublet	$S, \begin{pmatrix} D_1^0 \\ D_1^- \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} D_2^+ \\ D_2^0 \end{pmatrix}$	$\chi_1^0, \chi_2^0, \chi_3^0$ χ^\pm
Doublet-Triplet	$\begin{pmatrix} D_1^0 \\ D_1^- \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} D_2^+ \\ D_2^0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} T^+ \\ T^0 \\ -T^- \end{pmatrix}$	$\chi_1^0, \chi_2^0, \chi_3^0$ χ_1^\pm, χ_2^\pm

- ✦ Analogous to some well-studied DM models, such as **SUSY DM**
SDFDM-> *Bino-Higgsino in MSSM; Singlino-Higgsino in NMSSM*
DTFDM-> *Higgsino-Wino in MSSM*

$$\Delta L = M_1 \tilde{B} \tilde{B} + M_2 \tilde{W} \tilde{W} + \mu \tilde{H}_u \tilde{H}_d$$

$$+ \sqrt{2} \kappa_1 h^\dagger \tilde{W} \tilde{H}_u + \sqrt{2} \kappa_2 h \tilde{W} \tilde{H}_d + \frac{\kappa'_1}{\sqrt{2}} h^\dagger \tilde{B} \tilde{H}_u + \frac{\kappa'_2}{\sqrt{2}} h \tilde{B} \tilde{H}_d$$

“Mixed states”

Doublet-Triplet Fermionic Model

- † Introduce one Weyl triplet and two doublets

Gauge invariant Lagrangian

$$\mathcal{L}_T = iT^\dagger \bar{\sigma}^\mu D_\mu T + (m_T c_{ij} T^i T^j + \text{H.c.})$$

$$\mathcal{L}_D = iD_1^\dagger \bar{\sigma}^\mu D_\mu D_1 + iD_2^\dagger \bar{\sigma}^\mu D_\mu D_2 - (m_D \epsilon_{ij} D_1^i D_2^j + \text{H.c.})$$

Yukawa coupling

$$\mathcal{L}_Y = y_1 c_{ijk} T^i D_1^j H^k - y_2 c_{ijk} T^i D_2^j H^k + \text{H.c.}$$

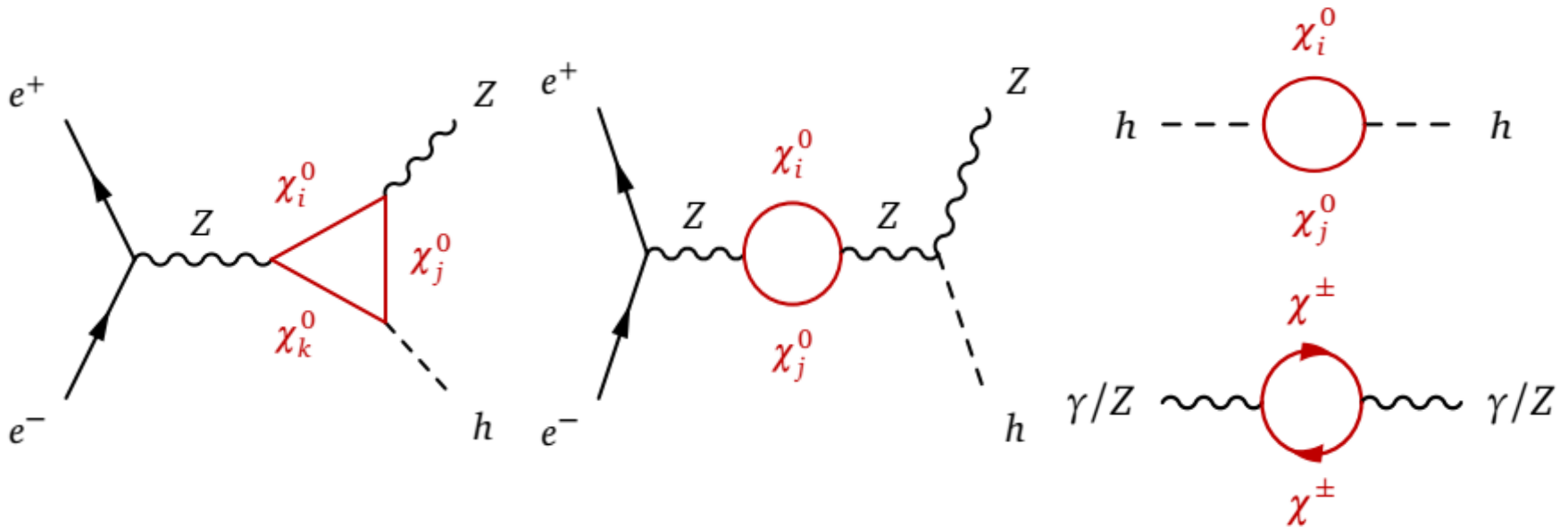
- † Four new parameters: two mass parameters m_T, m_D and two Yukawa couplings y_1, y_2

- † DM is the lightest mass eigenstate in the neutral sector after EWSB
There are three neutral and two charged particles in the dark sector

$$\begin{pmatrix} T^0 \\ D_1^0 \\ D_2^0 \end{pmatrix} = \mathcal{N} \begin{pmatrix} \chi_1^0 \\ \chi_2^0 \\ \chi_3^0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \begin{pmatrix} T^+ \\ D_2^+ \end{pmatrix} = \mathcal{C}_L \begin{pmatrix} \chi_1^+ \\ \chi_2^+ \end{pmatrix}$$

Probing DM via measurements of Zh production

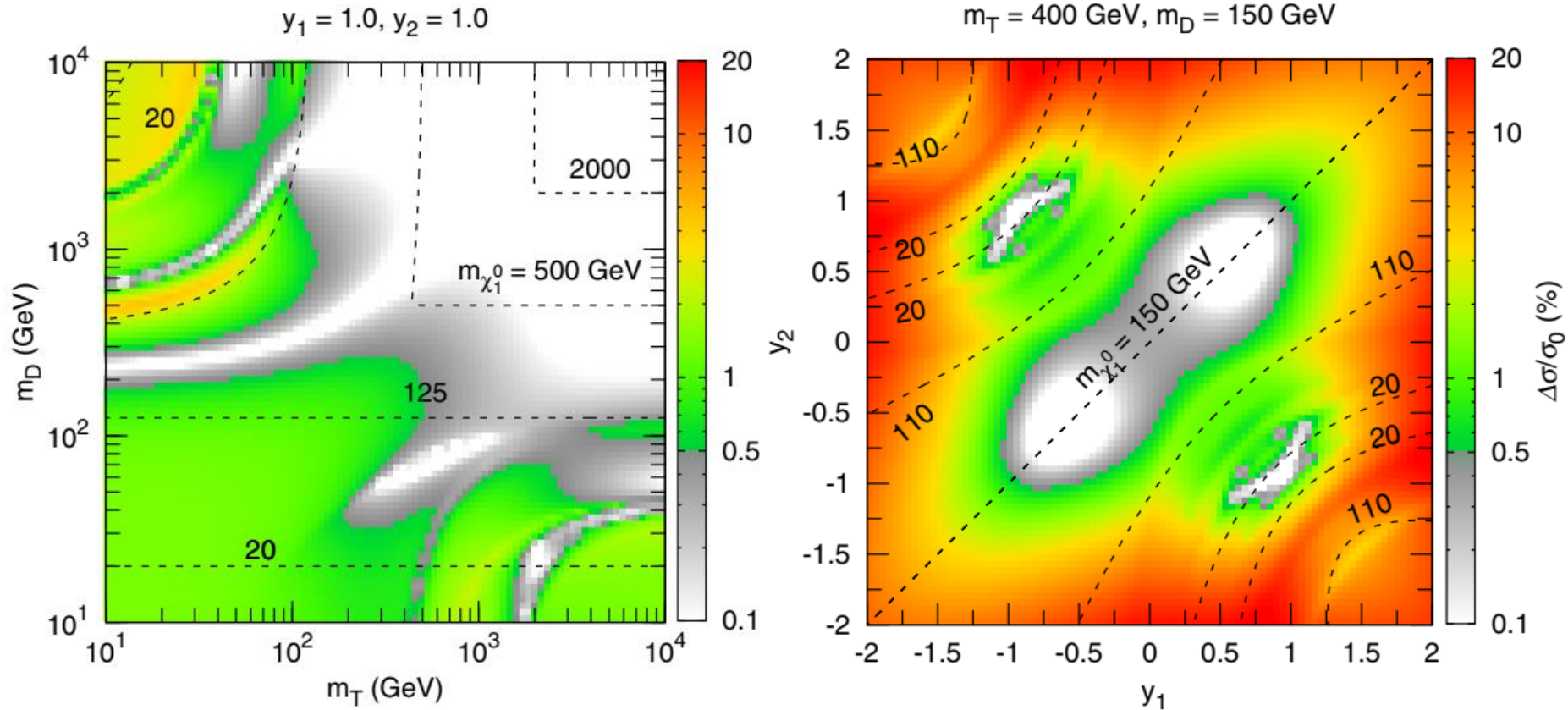
- ✦ We consider the corrections of new particles to the associated **Z-Higgs production**
This process is affected by both the gauge and Yukawa interactions



calculate corrections to the Zh production cross section ($\Delta\sigma/\sigma = (\sigma_{NP} - \sigma_{SM})/\sigma_{SM}$)

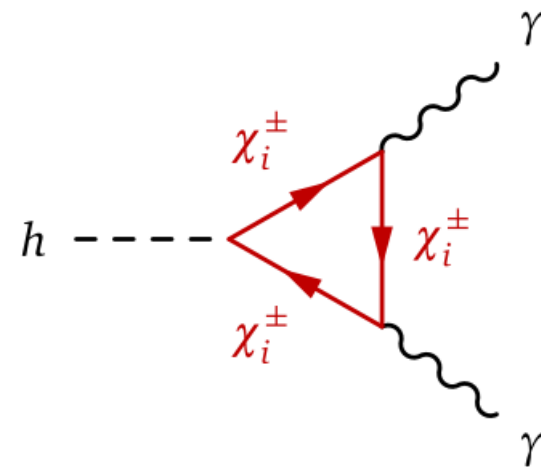
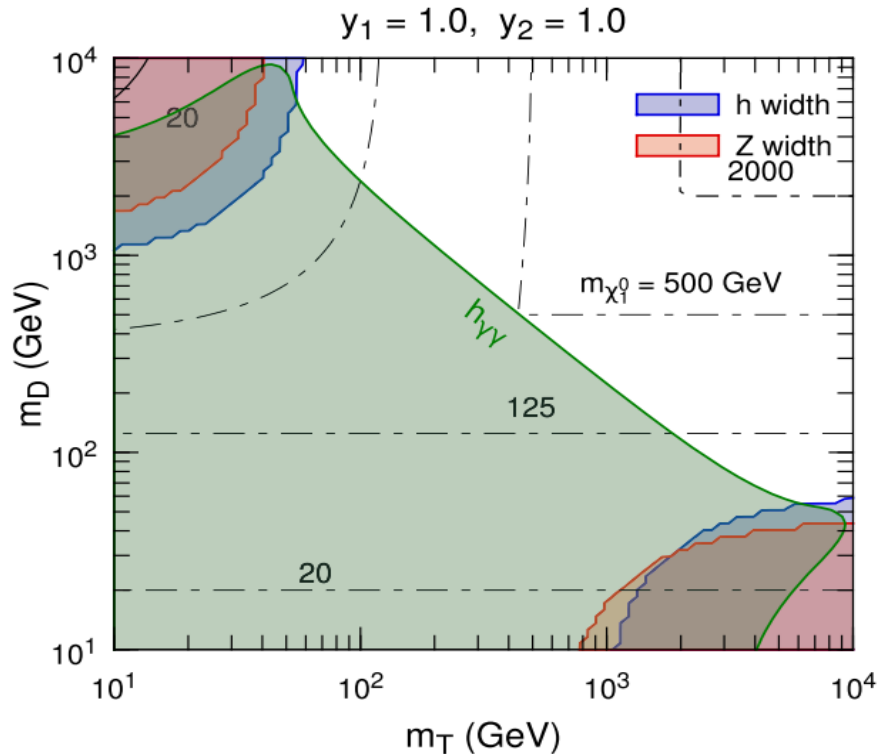
- ✦ It is possible to measure $\Delta\sigma/\sigma|_{Zh}$ at a level of $\sim 0.5\%$ at CEPC (with $5ab^{-1}$ of data)

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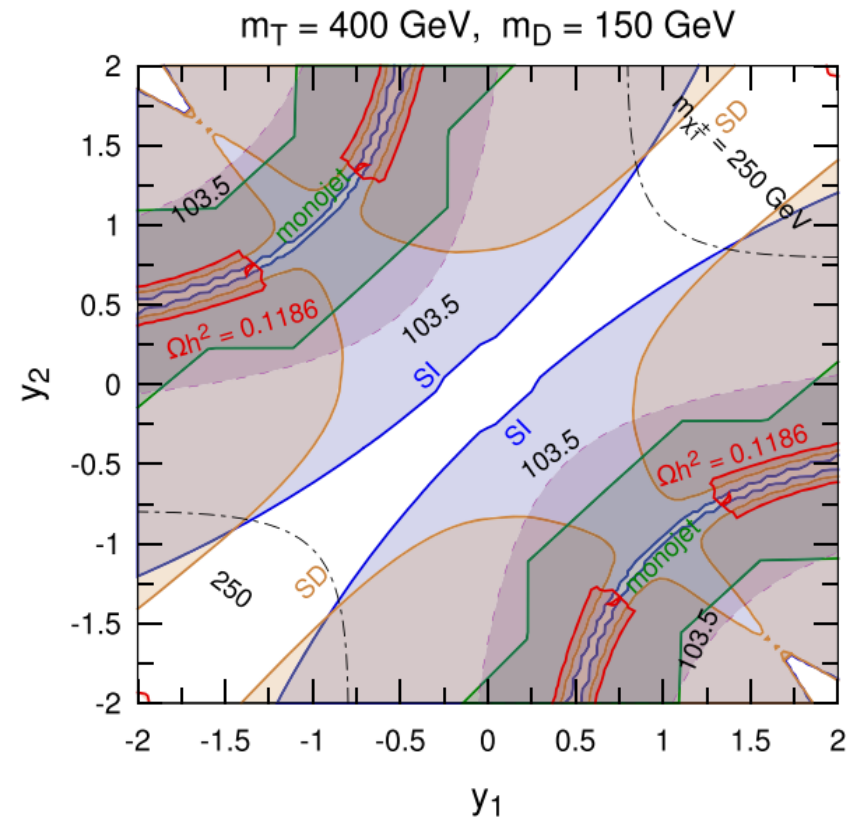
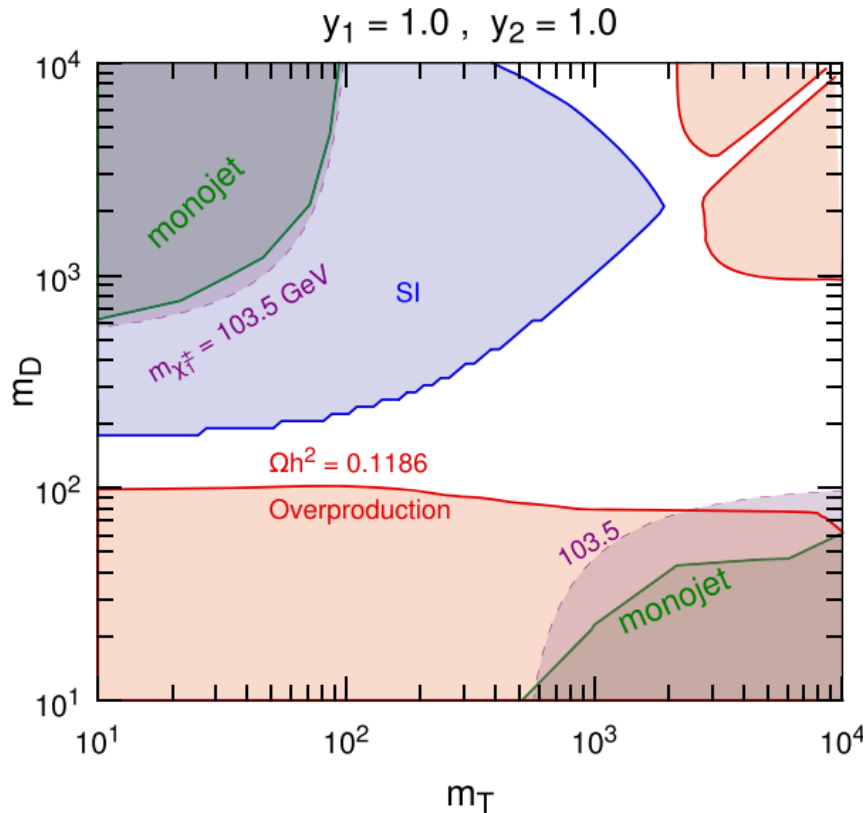
Searches of Higgs and Z decays

- As new charged particles couple to the Higgs, they can modify the **Higgs decay width to di-photons** via triangle loops. $\Delta\Gamma/\Gamma$ can be tested to be a level of $\sim 9\%$
- If the kinematics is allowed, the Higgs and Z can decay into DM particles. Such **invisible decays** are constrained by the relevant searches at colliders



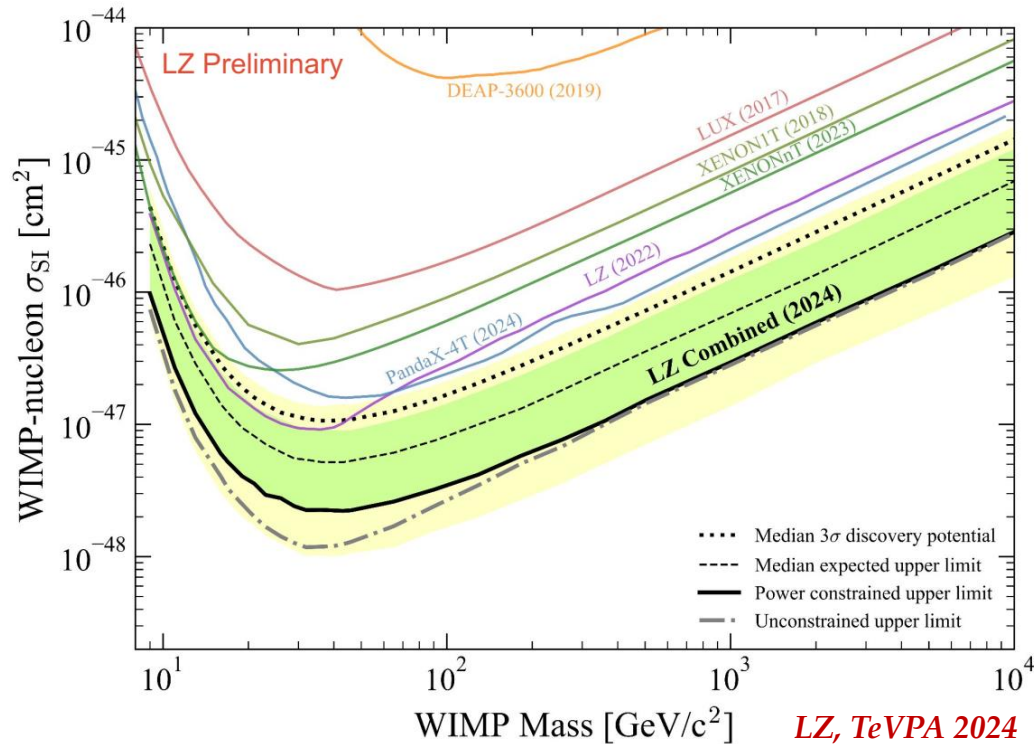
Take $\Gamma(Z \rightarrow inv) < 2 \text{ MeV}$ (LEP) and $\Gamma(h \rightarrow inv)/\Gamma_h < 2.8\%$ (for CEPC 5 ab^{-1})

Constraints from DM searches



- ⊕ *DM relic density: take into account the coannihilation effects*
- ⊕ *Direct detection: Spin-independent (SI) and Spin-dependent (SD) constraints (PANDAX)*
- ⊕ *LHC: mono-jet limits (ATLAS) on the production of dark sector particles*
- ⊕ *LEP: require the mass of new charged particle is smaller than 103.5 GeV*

More about direct detection: blind spots



- ✦ *Direct detection experiments have set stringent constraints on the DM-nucleon scattering cross section for both SI and SD interactions*
- ✦ *These results set strict limits on the **DM-Higgs** and **DM-Z** couplings*
- ✦ *Nevertheless, some parameter configurations have the capability to diminish these couplings, giving rise to what is known as the "**blind-spot**" scenario.*

Symmetry argument

⊕ When $y_1=y_2$, there is a custodial symmetry

Dedes, Karamitros, 1403.7744

Cai, Yu, Zhang, 1611.02186

Define

$$(\mathcal{D}^A)^i = \begin{pmatrix} D_1^i \\ D_2^i \end{pmatrix}, \quad (\mathcal{H}^A)_i = \begin{pmatrix} H_i^\dagger \\ H_i \end{pmatrix}$$

The singlet-doublet Lagrangian can be rewritten as

$$y(H_i S D_1^i - H_i^\dagger S D_2^i) + \text{h.c.} = y \epsilon_{AB} (\mathcal{H}^A)_i S (\mathcal{D}^B)^j + \text{h.c.}$$

The components of D provide identical Dirac mass contributions. Thus, DM has equal D components and the DM-Z coupling tends to be 0.

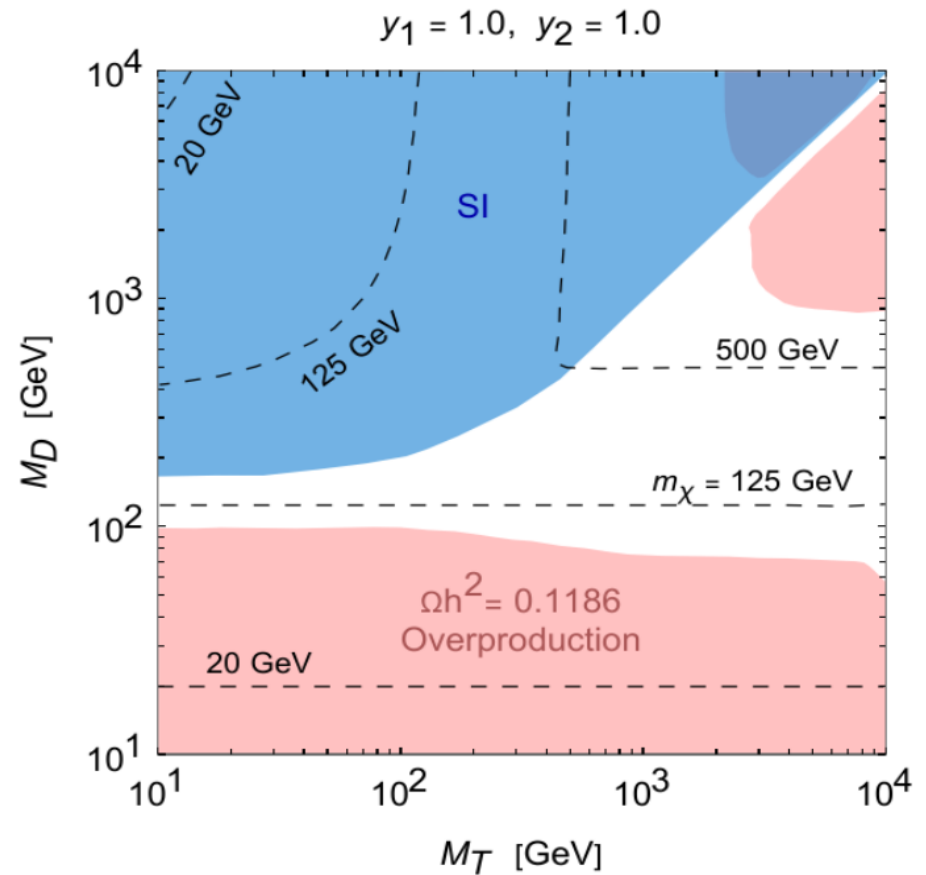
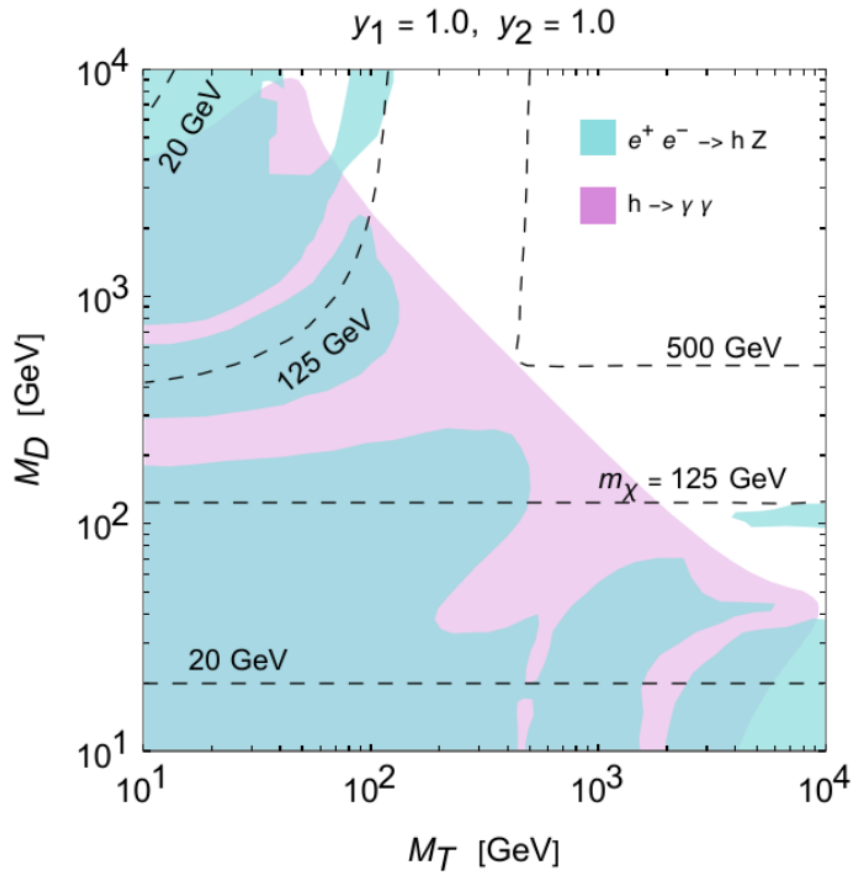
$$g_{Z\chi_1^0\chi_1^0} = -\frac{g}{2c_W} (|\mathcal{N}_{21}|^2 - |\mathcal{N}_{31}|^2)$$

The Yukawa coupling of DM may also approach 0 in the limit $y_1=y_2$ with $m_D < m_T$

$$g_{h\chi_1^0\chi_1^0} = -\sqrt{2}(y_1\mathcal{N}_{21} + y_2\mathcal{N}_{31})\mathcal{N}_{11}$$

This is a realization of “**blind-spot**”, avoiding the stringent direct detection constraints.

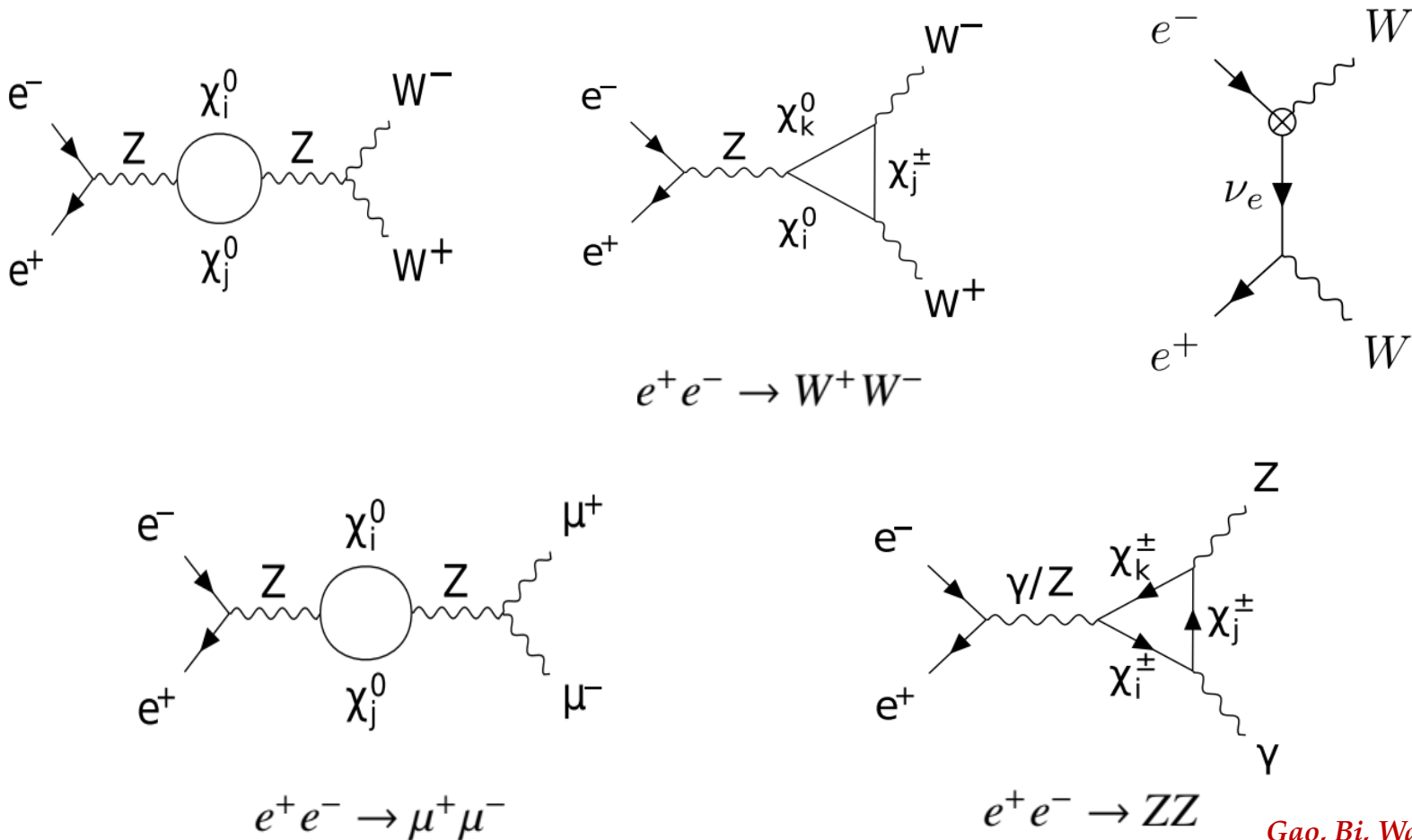
Complementary of DM detections



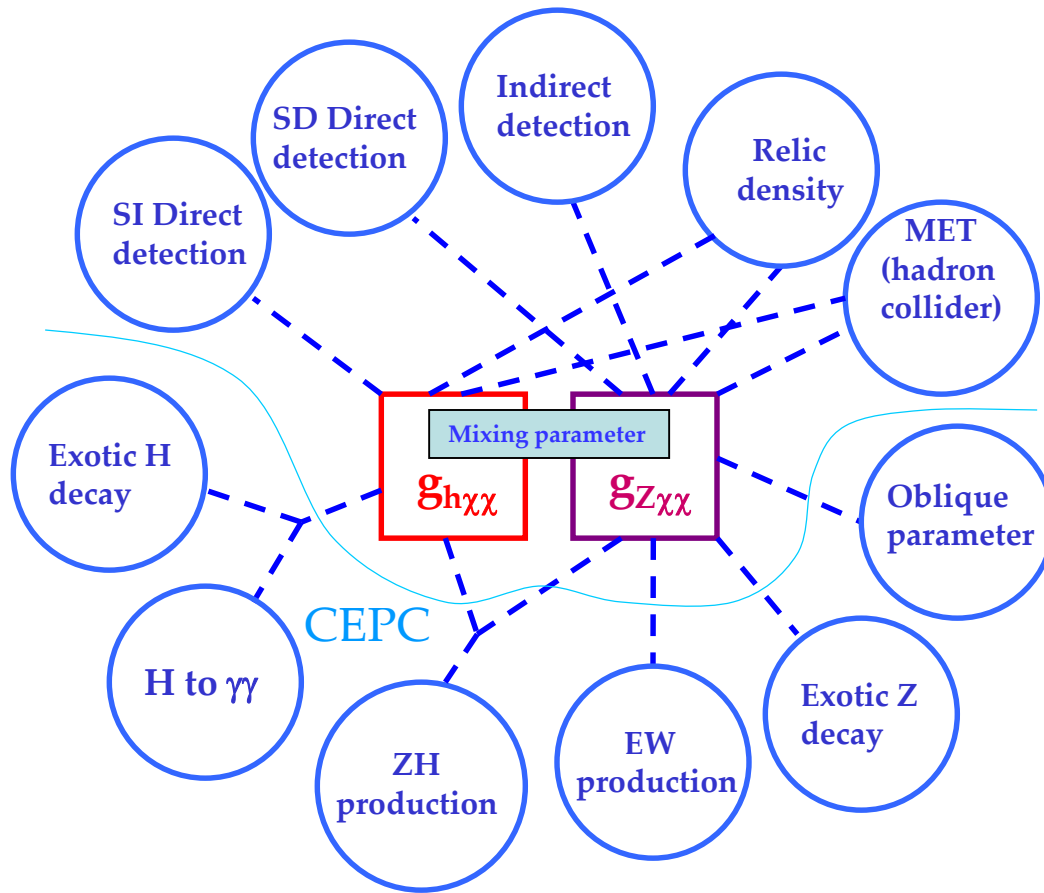
- ✦ *The exploration of the parameter space at the CEPC can serve as a complement to other DM detection experiments.*

Searches via other precision measurements

- It is possible to explore these new particles through loop effects using the precise measurements for other EW processes at the CEPC.



Summary



✦ It is possible to probe new particles directly produced or via loop effects at CEPC.

✦ We consider a kind of DM models containing additional EW multiplets, and focus on their corrections to the EW processes at the CEPC.

✦ The significant signatures at the CEPC require moderate interactions connecting new particles to Higgs and Z bosons. These interactions can be constrained by collider and DM detection experiments.

Thank you