

Dark Photon Search at future e^+e^- Colliders

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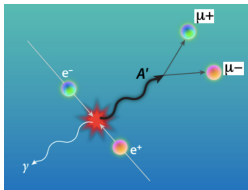
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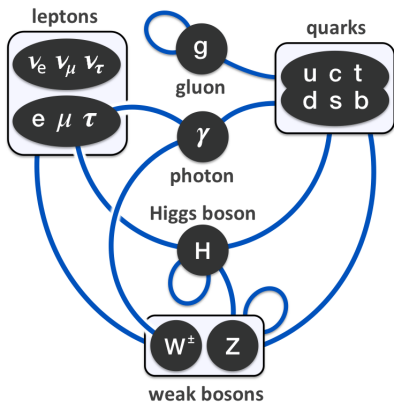


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Motivation

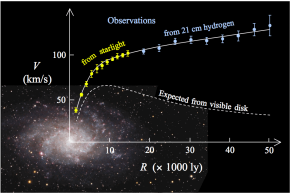
- The **Standard Model** has demonstrated huge successes in providing experimental predictions!



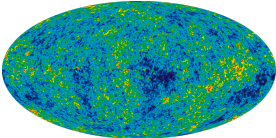
$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L} = & -\frac{1}{4} F_{\mu\nu} F^{\mu\nu} \\ & + i \bar{\Psi} \not{D} \Psi + h.c. \\ & + \bar{\Psi}_i y_{ij} \Psi_j \phi + h.c. \\ & + \frac{1}{2} D_\mu \phi^\dagger D^\mu \phi - V(\phi)\end{aligned}$$

Motivation

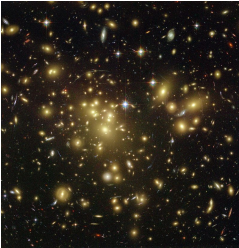
- But it leaves some **phenomena unexplained**. Evidences for **DM**.



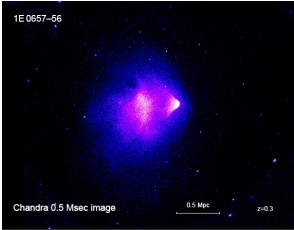
(a) Galaxy rotation curves



(b) CMB



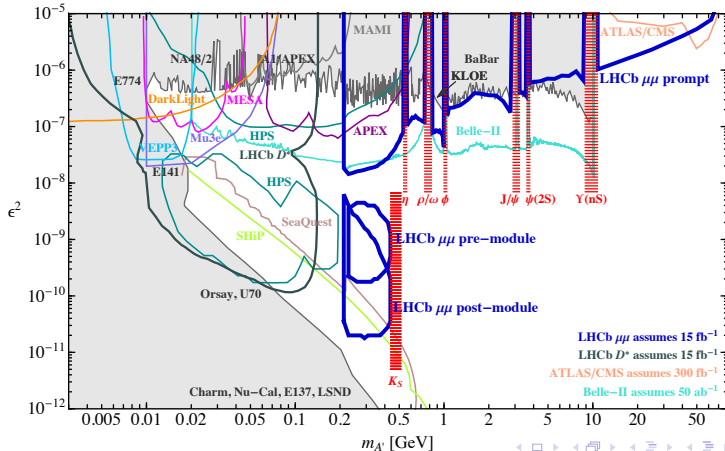
(c) Gravitational lens



(d) Bullet cluster

Motivation

- Dark matter candidates: axions, sterile neutrinos, weakly interacting massive particles(WIMPs), etc. [PDG review of dark matter].
- Search for dark photon. [Ilten, Soreq, Xue, PRL116.251803]



The dark photon model

- $SU(3)_C \times SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y \times U(1)_{A'}$ a new gauge group added. [Holdom, 1986]
- Lagrangian with kinetic mixing of $U(1)_Y$ and $U(1)_{A'}$

$$L_{\text{kinetic}} = -\frac{1}{4} B_0^{\mu\nu} B_{0,\mu\nu} - \frac{1}{2} \sigma F'_{0,\mu\nu} B_0^{\mu\nu} - \frac{1}{4} F'_{0,\mu\nu} F'^{\mu\nu} . \quad (1)$$

- $B_0 = c_W A_0 - s_W Z_0$: $U(1)_Y$ gauge field
 - $B_{0,\mu\nu} = \partial_\mu B_{0,\nu} - \partial_\nu B_{0,\mu}$: $U(1)_Y$ gauge field strength tensor
 - A'_0 : dark photon field
 - $F'_{0,\mu\nu} = \partial_\mu A'_{0,\nu} - \partial_\nu A'_{0,\mu}$: dark photon field strength tensor
 - σ : mixing parameter
 - $c_W = \cos \theta_W$, $s_W = \sin \theta_W$
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- After $U(1)_{A'}$ symmetry breaking, A'_0 receives a mass $m_{A'}$.
 - Stueckelberg mechanism.

The dark photon model

- Redefine the fields to get rid of mixing terms.

$$\begin{pmatrix} A_0 \\ Z_0 \\ A'_0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & -\frac{c_W \sigma}{\sqrt{1-\sigma^2}} \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{s_W \sigma}{\sqrt{1-\sigma^2}} \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-\sigma^2}} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \tilde{A} \\ \tilde{Z} \\ \tilde{A}' \end{pmatrix}. \quad (2)$$

- The mass matrix for the redefined fields $\tilde{A}, \tilde{Z}, \tilde{A}'$ is in the form

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & m_Z^2 & \frac{\sigma s_W}{\sqrt{1-\sigma^2}} m_Z^2 \\ 0 & \frac{\sigma s_W}{\sqrt{1-\sigma^2}} m_Z^2 & \frac{1}{1-\sigma^2} m_{A'}^2 + \frac{\sigma^2 s_W^2}{1-\sigma^2} m_Z^2 \end{pmatrix}. \quad (3)$$

- We need to further diagonalize this mass matrix.

The dark photon model

- The final transformation matrix $V \equiv V_-(V_+)$ for $m_{A'} < m_Z (m_{A'} > m_Z)$ are given by

$$V_- = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \frac{-c_W \sigma (\lambda_1 - m_Z^2)}{\mathbf{M} \sqrt{1 - \sigma^2}} & \frac{-\sigma^2 s_W c_W m_Z^2}{\mathbf{M} (1 - \sigma^2)} \\ 0 & \frac{s_W \sigma \lambda_1}{\mathbf{M} \sqrt{1 - \sigma^2}} & \frac{1}{\mathbf{M}} \left(m_Z^2 - \lambda_1 + \frac{\sigma^2 s_W^2 m_Z^2}{1 - \sigma^2} \right) \\ 0 & \frac{\lambda_1 - m_Z^2}{\mathbf{M} \sqrt{1 - \sigma^2}} & \frac{\sigma s_W m_Z^2}{\mathbf{M} (1 - \sigma^2)} \end{pmatrix}, \quad (4)$$

$$V_+ = V_- \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{M} = \sqrt{(\lambda_1 - m_Z^2)^2 + \frac{\sigma^2 s_W^2}{1 - \sigma^2} m_Z^4}, \quad (5)$$

$$\lambda_{1,2} = \frac{1}{2} \left(m_Z^2 + \frac{1}{1 - \sigma^2} m_{A'}^2 + \frac{\sigma^2 s_W^2}{1 - \sigma^2} m_Z^2 \pm \Delta \right), \quad \lambda_1 \geq \lambda_2, \quad (6)$$

$$\Delta \equiv \sqrt{\left(m_Z^2 - \frac{1}{1 - \sigma^2} m_{A'}^2 - \frac{\sigma^2 s_W^2}{1 - \sigma^2} m_Z^2 \right)^2 + \frac{4\sigma^2 s_W^2}{1 - \sigma^2} m_Z^4}. \quad (7)$$

The dark photon model

- The interaction Hamiltonian

$$L_{\text{int}} = J_{em}^\mu (V_{11}A_\mu + V_{12}Z_\mu + V_{13}A'_\mu) + J_Z^\mu (V_{22}Z_\mu + V_{23}A'_\mu), \quad (8)$$

- We find that if $|m_Z - m_{A'}| \gg s_W m_Z \sigma$, we will have

$$V_+ = V_- = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & -c_W \sigma \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{s_W \sigma m_{A'}^2}{m_{A'}^2 - m_Z^2} \\ 0 & -\frac{s_W \sigma m_Z^2}{m_{A'}^2 - m_Z^2} & 1 \end{pmatrix} + \mathcal{O}(\sigma^2), \quad (9)$$

- Using notation $-c_W \sigma = \epsilon$, $\frac{m_{A'}^2 s_W \epsilon}{(m_Z^2 - m_{A'}^2) c_W} = \tau$

$$L_{\text{int}} = J_{em}^\mu A_{1\mu} + J_Z^\mu Z_{1\mu} + \epsilon J_{em}^\mu A'_{1\mu} + \tau J_Z^\mu A'_{1\mu} \quad (10)$$

The dark photon model

- After diagonalizing the mass matrix, we get the mass for the eigenstates A , Z and A'

$$(m_A^{phys.})^2 = 0, \quad (11)$$

$$(m_Z^{phys.})^2 \approx m_Z^2 + \frac{m_Z^4 s_W^2 \sigma^2}{m_Z^2 - m_{A'}^2}, \quad (12)$$

$$(m_{A'}^{phys.})^2 \approx m_{A'}^2 + \frac{(c_W^2 m_Z^2 - m_{A'}^2) m_{A'}^2 \sigma^2}{m_Z^2 - m_{A'}^2} \quad (13)$$

- For $\sigma \sim 10^{-3} - 10^{-2}$, the relative mass shift is at most 0.3%. In later discussions, we will use m_Z and $m_{A'}$ as the physical Z boson mass and dark photon mass, respectively.

The dark photon model

- $m_{A'} < 1\text{MeV}$, $A' \rightarrow 3\gamma$, Landau-Yang theorem. The dark photon can be **cosmologically stable**, and can be the **candidate of dark matter**.

$$\Gamma_{V \rightarrow 3\gamma} = \frac{17\kappa^2\alpha^4}{27365^3\pi^3} \frac{m_V^9}{m_e^8}$$

Pospelov, Ritz, Voloshin 2008

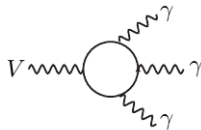
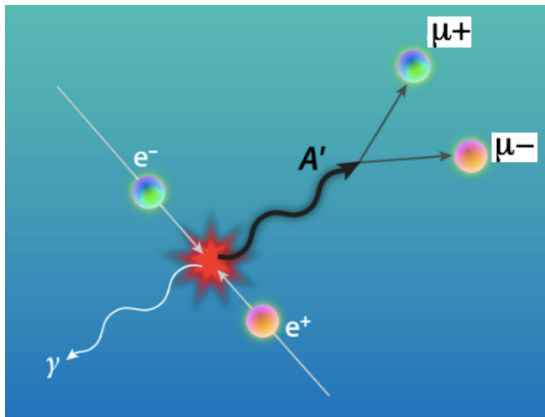


Figure: $V \sim A'$ and $\kappa \sim \sigma$

- $m_{A'} > 1\text{MeV}$, $A' \rightarrow e^+e^-$. The dark photon **decays fast** and can be the **mediator of the dark force**.

Production and decay of dark photon

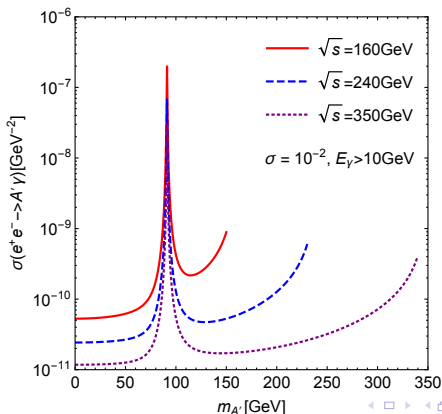
- What a circular e^+e^- collider can do for the dark photon?
- We study the production and search for dark photon using process
 $e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma A'^* \rightarrow \gamma \mu^+ \mu^-$



Production and decay of dark photon

- Cross section of $e^+e^- \rightarrow A'\gamma$. Here $g_V^e = -1/2 + 2s_W^2$, $g_A^e = -1/2$.

$$\sigma_{A'\gamma} = -\frac{e^2(m_{A'}^4 + s^2)(1 - \ln \frac{s}{m_e^2})}{4\pi s^2(s - m_{A'}^2)} \left\{ e^2 \epsilon^2 + \frac{g^2 \tau^2 [(g_V^e)^2 + (g_A^e)^2]}{4c_W^2} - \frac{egg_V^e \epsilon \tau}{c_W} \right\},$$



Production and decay of dark photon

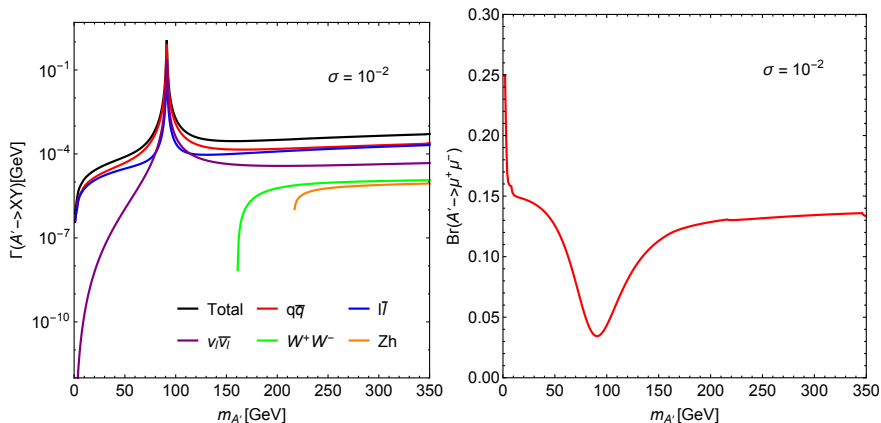
Assuming that the dark photon A' decays exclusively to the SM particles, the partial widths of A' are

$$\begin{aligned}\Gamma(A' \rightarrow f\bar{f}) &= \frac{g^2 m_{A'}}{12\pi c_W^2} N_c^f \{ \epsilon^2 Q_f^2 c_W^2 s_W^2 + \epsilon \tau Q_f c_W s_W g_V^f \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{4} \tau^2 [(g_V^f)^2 + (g_A^f)^2] \}, \\ \Gamma(A' \rightarrow Zh) &= \frac{g^2 \tau^2 m_{A'}}{192\pi c_W^2} \lambda^{1/2}(1, x_Z, x_h) \{ \lambda(1, x_Z, x_h) + 12x_Z \}, \\ \Gamma(A' \rightarrow W^+ W^-) &= \frac{g^2 s_W^2 (\epsilon + \tau \cot \theta_W)^2 m_{A'}}{192\pi} x_W^{-2} (1 - 4x_W)^{3/2} \\ &\quad \times (1 + 20x_W + 12x_W^2),\end{aligned}\tag{14}$$

where $N_c^f = 3$ for quarks and 1 for leptons, $x_{W,Z,h} = (m_{W,Z,h}/m_{A'})^2$ and $\lambda(x, y, z) = x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - 2xy - 2yz - 2zx$.

Production and decay of dark photon

- Total and partial widths of A' (left) and the branching ratio of $A' \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ (right) with $\sigma = 10^{-2}$.



Sensitivities at future e^+e^- colliders

- The projected/updated integrated luminosities at the CEPC, FCC-ee and ILC.

Integrated luminosity (ab^{-1})	CEPC	FCC-ee	ILC
$\sqrt{s} = 160 \text{ GeV}$	-	10	0.5
$\sqrt{s} = 240 \sim 250 \text{ GeV}$	5	5	1.5
$\sqrt{s} = 350 \text{ GeV}$	-	1.5	0.2

For event generation, we use MG5_aMC_v2_4_3. The following *basic cuts* are imposed at the parton-level:

$$|\eta_{\mu^\pm, \gamma}| < 3, \quad E_\gamma > 2 \text{ GeV}, \quad \Delta R_{ij} > 0.2, \quad \Delta m_{\mu^+\mu^-} < 10 \text{ GeV}, \quad (15)$$

where $\Delta R_{ij} = \sqrt{(\eta_i - \eta_j)^2 + (\phi_i - \phi_j)^2}$ with $i, j = \mu^\pm, \gamma$ and $\Delta m_{\mu^+\mu^-} \equiv |m_{\mu^+\mu^-} - m_{A'}|$.

- Pythia6: parton shower and hadronization
- Delphes-3.4.1: detector effects

Sensitivities at future e^+e^- colliders

The detector parametrization for muon momentum resolution and electromagnetic calorimeter (ECAL) energy resolution are

- $\frac{\Delta p_T}{p_T} = 0.1\% \oplus \frac{p_T}{10^5 \text{ GeV}}$ for $|\eta| < 1.0$ and 10 times larger for $1.0 < |\eta| < 3.0$;
- $\frac{\Delta E}{E} = \frac{0.20}{\sqrt{E/\text{GeV}}} \oplus 0.5\%$. for $|\eta| < 3.0$.

for the CEPC and

- $\frac{\Delta p_T}{p_T} = 0.1\% \oplus \frac{p_T}{10^5 \text{ GeV}}$ for $|\eta| < 1.0$ and 10 times larger for $1.0 < |\eta| < 2.4$;
- $\frac{\Delta E}{E} = \frac{0.15}{\sqrt{E/\text{GeV}}} \oplus 1\%$. for $|\eta| < 3.0$.

for the FCC-ee.

In order to identify objects in the final state, we impose the following *pre-selection criteria*:

- A pair of opposite-sign muons are selected with $E_{\mu^\pm} > 2$ GeV, $|\eta_{\mu^\pm}| < 2.5$ for the CEPC with a better muon identification than the ILD-like detector performance: $p_{T\mu^\pm} > 10$ GeV, $|\eta_{\mu^\pm}| < 2.5$, which is used for the simulation at the FCC-ee;
- Exactly one photon with $p_T^\gamma \geq 10$ GeV and $|\eta_\gamma| < 2.5$ is selected;
- $\Delta R_{ij} > 0.4$ for $i, j = \mu^\pm, \gamma$.

Sensitivities at future e^+e^- colliders

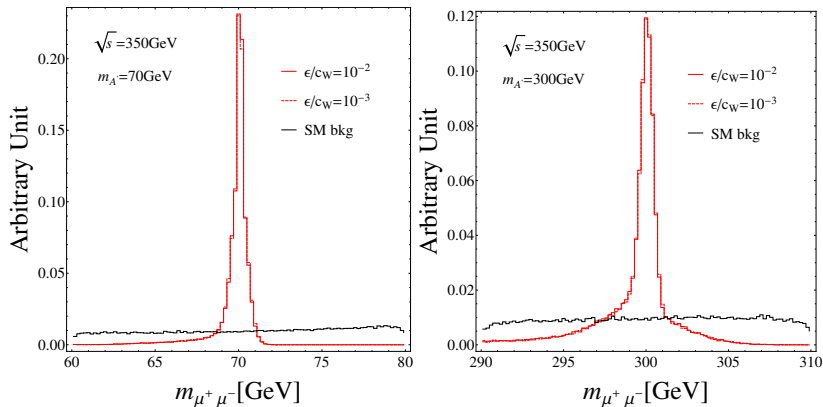


Figure: The normalized $m_{\mu^+\mu^-}$ distributions for $m_{A'} = 70$ GeV, 300 GeV with $\epsilon/c_W = 10^{-2}$ and $\epsilon/c_W = 10^{-3}$ at $\sqrt{s} = 350$ GeV. The distributions are not sensitive to the total width and thus ϵ for $\epsilon/c_W \sim 10^{-3} - 10^{-2}$.

Sensitivities at future e^+e^- colliders

Based on the kinematical distributions, we further impose the *selection cuts*:

$$\Delta m_{\mu^+\mu^-} < 0.5 \sim 1.5 \text{ GeV}, \quad E_T^{\text{miss}} < 5 \text{ GeV}, \quad (16)$$

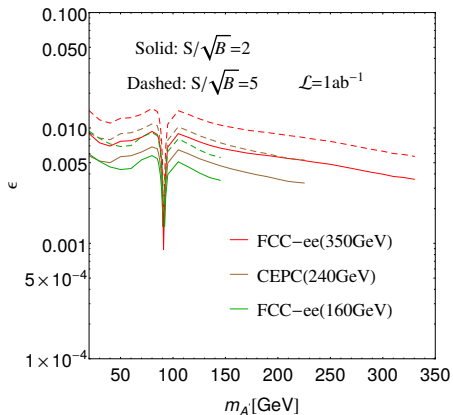
where the $\Delta m_{\mu^+\mu^-}$ cut is explicitly shown in the table below. The missing transverse momentum (E_T^{miss}) cut is used to remove the SM backgrounds $\tau^+\tau^-\gamma$ and $W^+W^-\gamma$, which have larger E_T^{miss} .

$m_{A'}$	FCC-ee (160 GeV)	CEPC (240 GeV)	FCC-ee (350 GeV)
[20, 40]	0.5	0.5	0.5
[50, 60]	0.5	1.0	1.0
[70, 94]	1.0	1.0	1.0
≥ 95	1.5	1.5	1.5

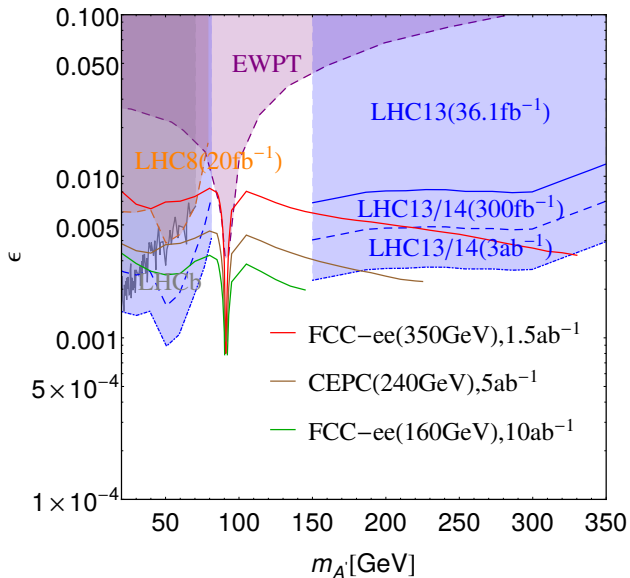
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The signal significance is evaluated using

$$\frac{S}{\sqrt{B}} = \left(\frac{S}{\sqrt{B}}\right)_0 \frac{\epsilon^2}{10^{-4}} \sqrt{\frac{\mathcal{L}}{1 \text{ ab}^{-1}}}, \quad (17)$$



Sensitivities at future e^+e^- colliders



The Lagrangian which describes the photon, Z boson and **massless dark photon** fields kinetic energy and their interaction with corresponding currents is in the form of

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_0 = & -\frac{1}{4}X_{\mu\nu}X^{\mu\nu} - \frac{1}{4}A_{\mu\nu}A^{\mu\nu} - \frac{1}{4}Z_{\mu\nu}Z^{\mu\nu} - \frac{1}{2}\sigma c_W X_{\mu\nu}A^{\mu\nu} + \frac{1}{2}\sigma s_W X_{\mu\nu}Z^{\mu\nu} \\ & + j_{em}^\mu A_\mu + j_Z^\mu Z_\mu + j_X^\mu X_\mu + \frac{1}{2}m_Z^2 Z_\mu Z^\mu. \end{aligned} \quad (18)$$

massless dark photon

There are two ways which have been used to remove the kinetic mixing term.

- Case a): Holdom, 1986. Dobrescu, 2005.
- Case b): Foot, He, 1991. Babu, Kolda, March-Russell, 1998.

$$\text{Case a) : } \begin{pmatrix} A \\ Z \\ X \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-\sigma^2 c_W^2}} & \frac{-\sigma^2 s_W c_W}{\sqrt{1-\sigma^2} \sqrt{1-\sigma^2 c_W^2}} & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{\sqrt{1-\sigma^2 c_W^2}}{\sqrt{1-\sigma^2}} & 0 \\ \frac{-\sigma c_W}{\sqrt{1-\sigma^2 c_W^2}} & \frac{\sigma s_W}{\sqrt{1-\sigma^2} \sqrt{1-\sigma^2 c_W^2}} & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \tilde{A} \\ \tilde{Z} \\ \tilde{X} \end{pmatrix}, \quad (19)$$

$$\text{Case b) : } \begin{pmatrix} A \\ Z \\ X \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \frac{-\sigma^2 s_W c_W}{\sqrt{1-\sigma^2} \sqrt{1-\sigma^2 c_W^2}} & \frac{-\sigma c_W}{\sqrt{1-\sigma^2 c_W^2}} \\ 0 & \frac{\sqrt{1-\sigma^2 c_W^2}}{\sqrt{1-\sigma^2}} & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{\sigma s_W}{\sqrt{1-\sigma^2} \sqrt{1-\sigma^2 c_W^2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-\sigma^2 c_W^2}} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \tilde{A}' \\ \tilde{Z}' \\ \tilde{X}' \end{pmatrix},$$

The corresponding Lagrangians are

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathcal{L}_a = & -\frac{1}{4}\tilde{X}_{\mu\nu}\tilde{X}^{\mu\nu} - \frac{1}{4}\tilde{A}_{\mu\nu}\tilde{A}^{\mu\nu} - \frac{1}{4}\tilde{Z}_{\mu\nu}\tilde{Z}^{\mu\nu} + \frac{1}{2}m_Z^2\frac{1-\sigma^2c_W^2}{1-\sigma^2}\tilde{Z}_\mu\tilde{Z}^\mu \\
 & + j_{em}^\mu\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{1-\sigma^2c_W^2}}\tilde{A}_\mu - \frac{\sigma^2s_Wc_W}{\sqrt{1-\sigma^2}\sqrt{1-\sigma^2c_W^2}}\tilde{Z}_\mu\right) + j_Z^\mu\left(\frac{\sqrt{1-\sigma^2c_W^2}}{\sqrt{1-\sigma^2}}\tilde{Z}_\mu\right) \\
 & + j_X^\mu\left(\frac{-\sigma c_W}{\sqrt{1-\sigma^2c_W^2}}\tilde{A}_\mu + \frac{\sigma s_W}{\sqrt{1-\sigma^2}\sqrt{1-\sigma^2c_W^2}}\tilde{Z}_\mu + \tilde{X}_\mu\right), \quad (20)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathcal{L}_b = & -\frac{1}{4}\tilde{X}'_{\mu\nu}\tilde{X}'^{\mu\nu} - \frac{1}{4}\tilde{A}'_{\mu\nu}\tilde{A}'^{\mu\nu} - \frac{1}{4}\tilde{Z}'_{\mu\nu}\tilde{Z}'^{\mu\nu} + \frac{1}{2}m_Z^2\frac{1-\sigma^2c_W^2}{1-\sigma^2}\tilde{Z}'_\mu\tilde{Z}'^\mu \\
 & + j_{em}^\mu(\tilde{A}'_\mu - \frac{\sigma^2s_Wc_W}{\sqrt{1-\sigma^2}\sqrt{1-\sigma^2c_W^2}}\tilde{Z}'_\mu - \frac{\sigma c_W}{\sqrt{1-\sigma^2c_W^2}}\tilde{X}'_\mu) \\
 & + j_Z^\mu(\frac{\sqrt{1-\sigma^2c_W^2}}{\sqrt{1-\sigma^2}}\tilde{Z}'_\mu) + j_X^\mu(\frac{\sigma s_W}{\sqrt{1-\sigma^2}\sqrt{1-\sigma^2c_W^2}}\tilde{Z}'_\mu + \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-\sigma^2c_W^2}}\tilde{X}'_\mu).
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{21}$$

Actually above two bases are related by

$$\begin{pmatrix} \tilde{A}' \\ \tilde{X}' \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \sqrt{1 - \sigma^2 c_W^2} & \sigma c_W \\ -\sigma c_W & \sqrt{1 - \sigma^2 c_W^2} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \tilde{A} \\ \tilde{X} \end{pmatrix}. \quad (22)$$

In general we could have a rotation

$$\begin{pmatrix} \tilde{A}' \\ \tilde{X}' \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} c_\beta & s_\beta \\ -s_\beta & c_\beta \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{A}' \\ \bar{X}' \end{pmatrix}, \quad \tilde{Z} = \bar{Z}. \quad (23)$$

massless dark photon

The Lagrangian in the most general form can be written as

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathcal{L}_{\bar{b}} = & \\
 & - \frac{1}{4} \bar{X}'_{\mu\nu} \bar{X}'^{\mu\nu} - \frac{1}{4} \bar{A}'_{\mu\nu} \bar{A}'^{\mu\nu} - \frac{1}{4} \bar{Z}'_{\mu\nu} \bar{Z}'^{\mu\nu} + \frac{1}{2} m_Z^2 \frac{1 - \sigma^2 c_W^2}{1 - \sigma^2} \bar{Z}'_\mu \bar{Z}'^\mu \\
 & + \left((c_\beta + \frac{\sigma c_W}{\sqrt{1 - \sigma^2 c_W^2}} s_\beta) j_{em}^\mu - s_\beta \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - \sigma^2 c_W^2}} j_X^\mu \right) \bar{A}'_\mu \\
 & + \left(\frac{\sqrt{1 - \sigma^2 c_W^2}}{\sqrt{1 - \sigma^2}} j_Z^\mu - \frac{\sigma^2 s_W c_W}{\sqrt{1 - \sigma^2} \sqrt{1 - \sigma^2 c_W^2}} j_{em}^\mu + \frac{\sigma s_W}{\sqrt{1 - \sigma^2} \sqrt{1 - \sigma^2 c_W^2}} j_X^\mu \right) \bar{Z}'_\mu \\
 & + \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - \sigma^2 c_W^2}} c_\beta j_X^\mu + (s_\beta - \frac{\sigma c_W}{\sqrt{1 - \sigma^2 c_W^2}} c_\beta) j_{em}^\mu \right) \bar{X}'_\mu . \tag{24}
 \end{aligned}$$

massless dark photon

Redefine some parameters.

$$\begin{aligned}\bar{m}_Z^2 &= m_Z^2(1+z), \\ z &= \sigma^2 s_W^2 / (1 - \sigma^2), \\ \bar{c}_W^2 &= \cos^2 \bar{\theta}_W = c_W^2 / (1+z), \\ c_W^2 &= m_W^2 / m_Z^2, \\ \bar{e} &= \sqrt{4\pi\alpha} = e(c_\beta + \sigma c_W s_\beta / \sqrt{1 - \sigma^2 c_W^2}), \\ \bar{j}_{em}^\mu &= \bar{e} Q_f \bar{f} \gamma^\mu f, \\ \bar{j}_Z^\mu &= (\sqrt{2} G_F \bar{m}_Z^2)^{\frac{1}{2}} \bar{f} \gamma^\mu (\bar{g}_V^f - \bar{g}_A^f \gamma^5) f, \\ \bar{g}_A^f &= \sqrt{\rho_f} I_f^\beta, \\ \bar{g}_V^f &= \sqrt{\rho_f} (I_f^\beta - 2Q_f \bar{s}_f^2), \\ \sqrt{\rho_f} &= \frac{\sqrt{1 - \sigma^2 \bar{s}_W^2}}{\sqrt{1 - \sigma^2 c_\beta + \sigma \bar{c}_W s_\beta}}.\end{aligned}\tag{25}$$

Then the interaction Lagrangian (without dark current) can be written as

$$L_{int} = \bar{j}_{em}^{\mu} \bar{A}'_{\mu} + \bar{j}_Z^{\mu} \bar{Z}'_{\mu} + R \bar{j}_{em}^{\mu} \bar{X}'_{\mu},$$

$$R = \left(\frac{s_{\beta} \sqrt{1 - \sigma^2} - \sigma \bar{c}_W c_{\beta}}{c_{\beta} \sqrt{1 - \sigma^2} + \sigma \bar{c}_W s_{\beta}} \right)^2. \quad (26)$$

Then the ρ_0 parameter, dark photon contribution to $g-2$ and the $h \rightarrow \gamma \bar{X}'$ decay to $h \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ decay ratio can be written as ($\tan \delta = \sigma \bar{c}_W / \sqrt{1 - \sigma^2}$)

$$\rho_0 = \frac{1}{(1+z)^2 \rho_f} = (1 - \sigma^2 \bar{s}_W^2)^2 \cos^2(\delta - \beta)$$

$$a_{\mu,e}^{\text{dark photon}} = R \frac{\alpha}{2\pi},$$

$$\mathcal{R}_{\gamma \bar{X}'} = \frac{\text{Br}(h \rightarrow \gamma \bar{X}')}{\text{Br}(h \rightarrow \gamma\gamma)} = 2R. \quad (27)$$

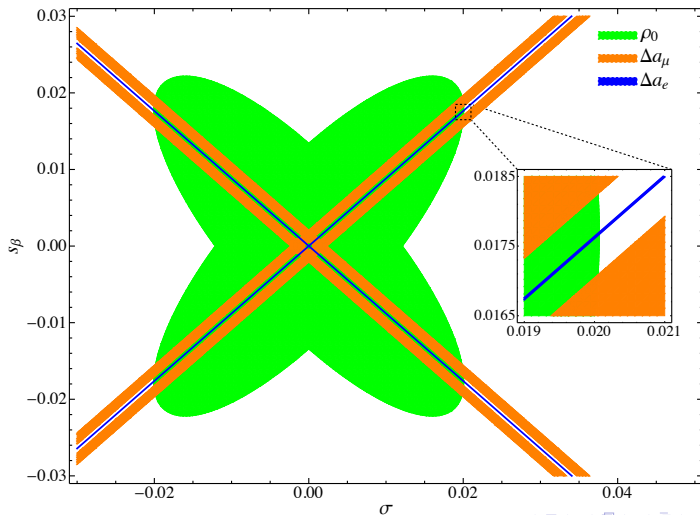
Using below experimental results, we get constraints on next page.

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta a_\mu &= a_\mu^{\text{exp}} - a_\mu^{\text{SM}} = 268(63)(43) \times 10^{-11}, \\ \Delta a_e &= a_e^{\text{exp}} - a_e^{\text{SM}} = -87(36) \times 10^{-14}, \\ \rho_0 &= 1.00039 \pm 0.00019.\end{aligned}\tag{28}$$

We have $\mathcal{R}_{\gamma\bar{\chi}'} \leq 3.62 \times 10^{-10}$ in order to satisfy data on electron $g-2$.
For a special case: $R = 0$, we have

$$\sigma^2 = \frac{1 - \sqrt{\rho_0}}{\bar{s}_W^2}, \quad c_\beta^2 = \frac{\sqrt{\rho_0} - \bar{c}_W^2}{\bar{s}_W^2 \sqrt{\rho_0}}.\tag{29}$$

massless dark photon



Summary

- we study dark photon search using $e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma A' \rightarrow \gamma \mu^+ \mu^-$ for a dark photon mass $m_{A'}$ as large as kinematically allowed at future e^+e^- colliders.
- We perform a detailed detector simulation with selection cuts based on a realistic muon momentum resolution.
- We show that stringent constraints on the parameter ϵ for a wide range of dark photon mass can be obtained at planned e^+e^- colliders, such as CEPC, ILC and FCC-ee.
- For a massless dark photon, we need a new parameter β to define the physical photon and dark photon. This parameter together with kinetic mixing parameter σ could explain both the tightly constrained $g-2$ and the relative loosely constrained ρ_0 parameter.

Backup

- $\sigma_{NLO}/\sigma_{\gamma(\gamma,Z)} = 5 \times 10^{-5}$

Table: ratio of interference term to dark photon contribution at $\epsilon = 10^{-2}$

$\frac{\sigma_{int}}{\sigma_{\gamma A'}} (10^{-5})$ \ / \ $\sqrt{s}(\text{GeV})$	160	240	350
$m_{A'}(\text{GeV})$			
1	3.1	3.1	3.1
30	6.0	5.4	5.2
60	12	9.3	8.1

Sensitivities for CEPC and FCC-ee circular colliders

