

Cosmology with Dirac (s)neutrinos in the MSSM

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Overview

- Take MSSM, add RH (s)neutrino, but only Dirac mass term (and susy-breaking mass): scalar sector has a ‘sterile’, RH sneutrino; Yukawas are v. small.
- especially interesting for mattergenesis
 - what’s mattergenesis
 - why is ν_R LSP interesting candidate for DM in mattergenesis
 - mattergenesis scenarios that make use of small Yukawas

What is mattergenesis

- mattergenesis: explain ratio

$$\frac{\Omega_{DM}}{\Omega_b} \sim \frac{0.19}{0.04} \sim 4.9$$

- usual case: (baryo/lepto)genesis creates baryons, DM is freeze-out relic density
- What if DM and baryons have ‘common origin’
- (baryo/lepto)genesis creates baryons *and* dark matter, ie new ‘mattergenesis’ mechanism

$\tilde{\nu}_R$ and mattergenesis

- *Useful* for mattergenesis: non-thermal DM (no reprocessing of ‘early’ DM asymmetry)
 - exists ways around, eg. ‘late decay’ mechanism
- *Necessary* for mattergenesis: outside of new mechanism relic density is low/negligible
- in MSSM+(Dirac) (s)neutrino, both can happen with ν_R LSP
 - **cannot** happen if large Majorana mass!
 - could work with pseudo-Dirac (s)neutrinos, but beware of constraints

$\tilde{\nu}_R$ interactions

Only a handful:

- Superpotential

$$\mathcal{W} \supset \lambda \mathbf{L}^i \epsilon_{ij} \mathbf{H_u}^j \bar{\mathbf{N}}$$

- 4-point terms
- higgsino-lepton-sneutrino

- Susy breaking

$$\mathcal{V}_{\text{SB}} = m_{\tilde{\nu}_L}^2 \tilde{\nu}_L^* \tilde{\nu}_L + m_{\tilde{\nu}_R}^2 \tilde{\nu}_R^{c*} \tilde{\nu}_R^c + \left(a \lambda H_u \tilde{L} \tilde{\nu}_R^c + h.c. \right)$$

- mass terms
- higgs-slepton-sneutrino
- left-right sneutrinos mixing

$\tilde{\nu}_R$ thermalisation

- Annihilations $\tilde{\nu}_R - \tilde{\nu}_R$ can go through:
 - 4-points terms $\sim \lambda^4$, always out of eq.
 - higgsino exchange ($\sim \lambda^2/m_H^2$), always out of eq.
 - slepton exchange constrains trilinear coupling

$$a \quad < \quad 10^{-1} m_{\tilde{\nu}_L}^2 \text{ GeV}$$

- gaug(e/ino) interactions from LH part constrain

$$\frac{\lambda a v}{(m_{\tilde{\nu}_L}^2 - m_{\tilde{\nu}_R}^2)} < 3 \times 10^{-10}$$

- $\tilde{\nu}_R$ doesn't thermalise

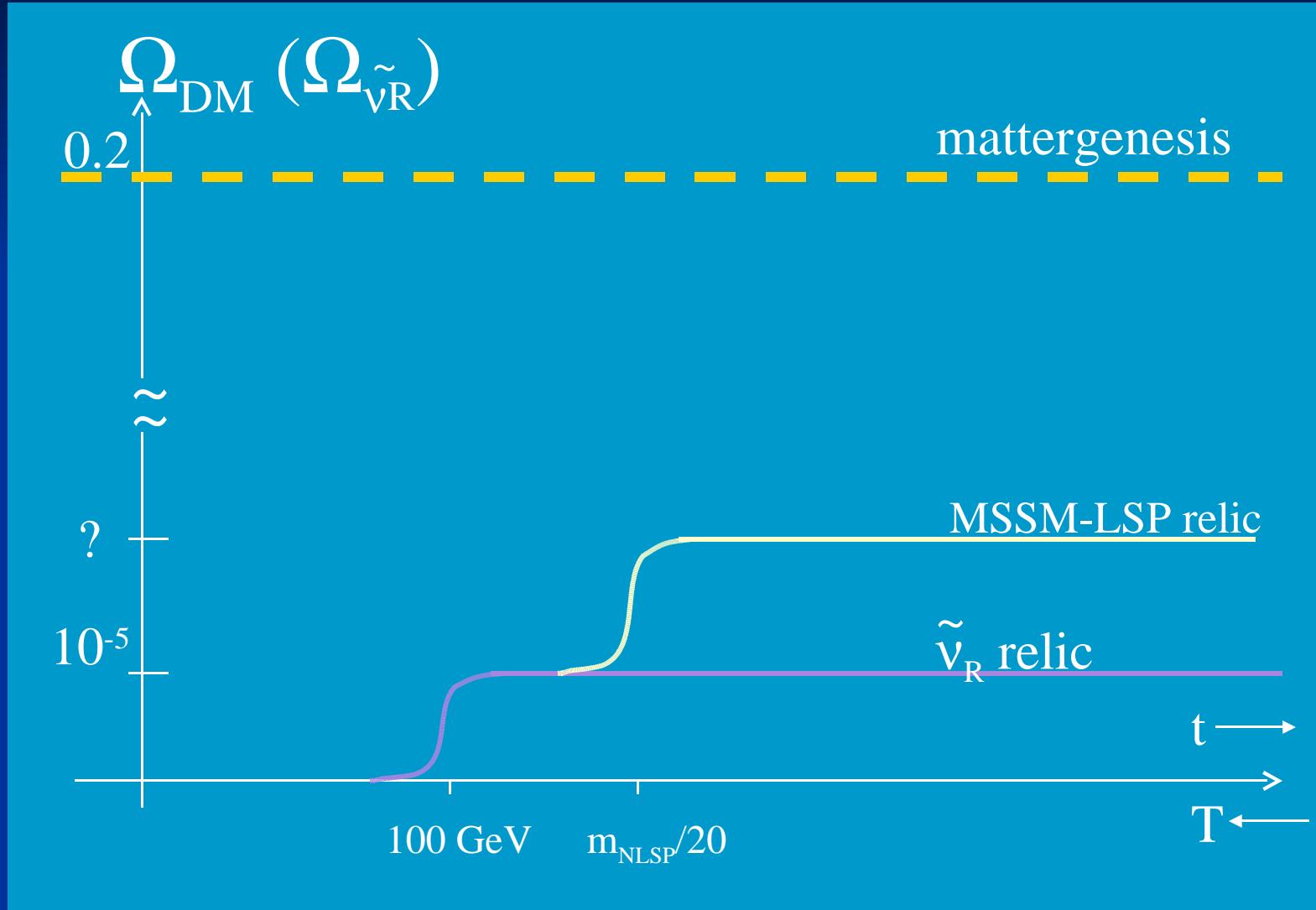
$\tilde{\nu}_R$ relic density I

- $\tilde{\nu}_R$ created by decays of particles in thermal eq., eg higgsino- \rightarrow lepton+ $\tilde{\nu}_R$
- this creates tiny (10^{-4} - 10^{-2} Ω_{DM}^{\sim}) relic density (trilinear coupling not ‘large’ and sneutrino masses not degenerate)
- enhancement see Asaka, Ishiwata, Moroi, hep-ph/0512118
- point is: easy to make relic density small

$\tilde{\nu}_R$ relic density II

- decaying particle (eg. higgsino) will freeze-out
-> dumping of $\tilde{\nu}_R$ MSSM-LSP density into ν_R
- small neutralino relic a possibility, eg. Arkani-Hamed&al, hep-ph/0601041, Bélanger&al, hep-ph/0604150
- general danger for mattergenesis

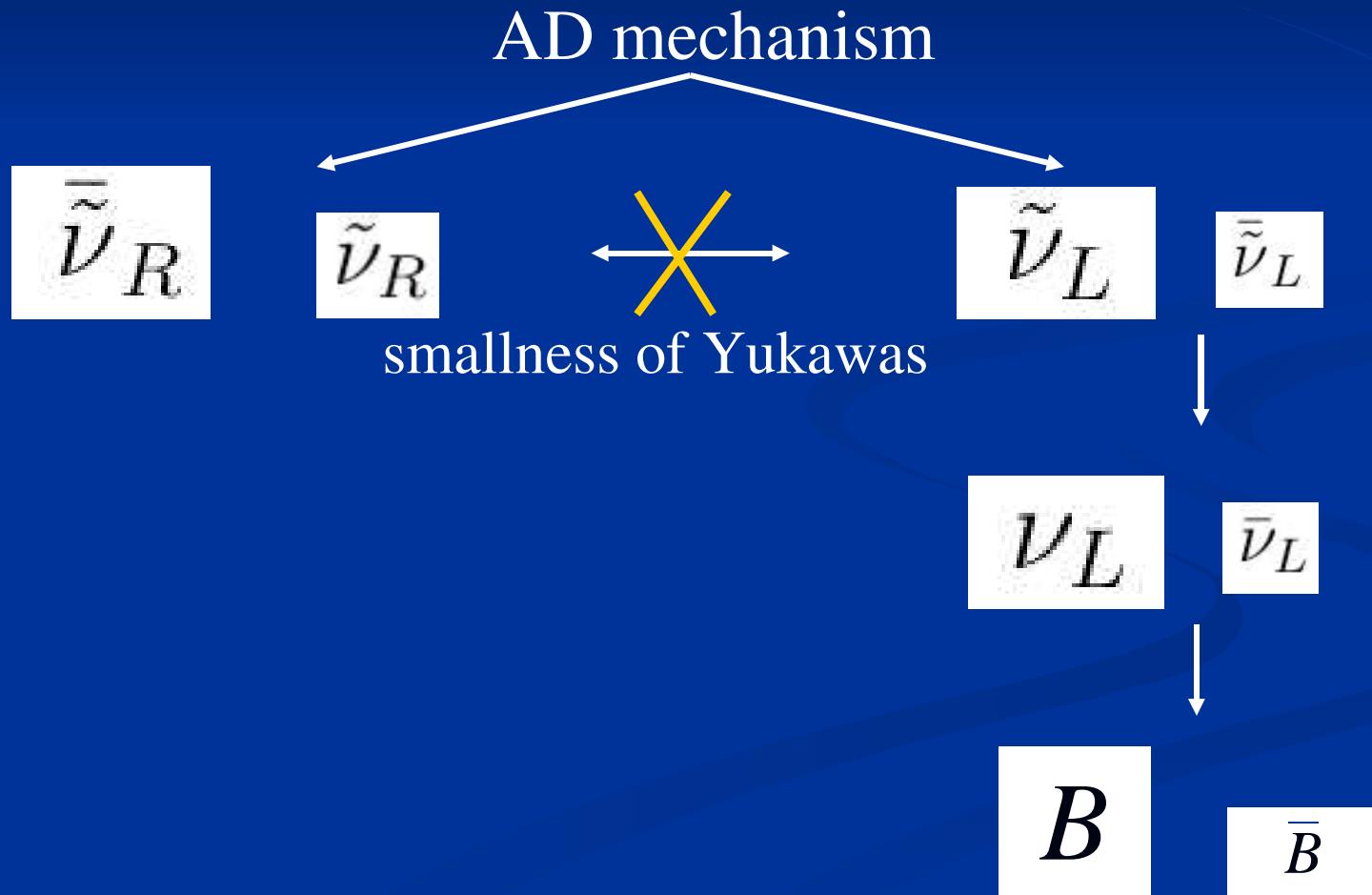
General picture



Mattergenesis scenarios

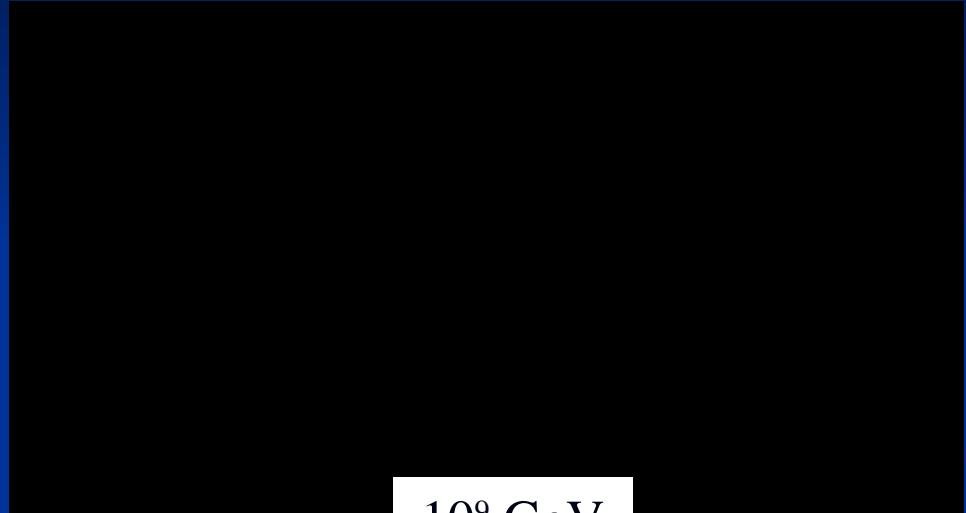
- hep-ph/0601149, Affleck-Dine leptogenesis and DM
 $v_w v_R$
- J. McDonald, hep-ph/0609126, AD mattergenesis w
 v_R
- don't create nett L-number, create L-R polarisation
(Dick&al. hep-ph/9907562)
- possible only with Dirac (s)neutrino because left and right don't equilibrate (small Yukawas)

Mattergenesis scenarios

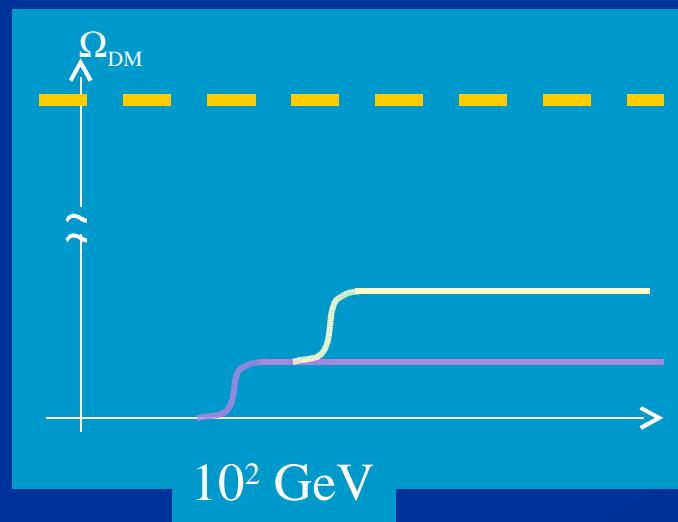


Mattergenesis scenarios

Asymmetry ($\rightarrow \tilde{\nu}_R$)
created before relic
density created



10^9 GeV



$m_{\tilde{\nu}_R} \sim 1 \text{ GeV}$

for correct amounts of dark
and baryonic matter

Mattergenesis scenarios

- Kuzmin, hep-ph/9701269: ‘asymmetrization of plasma with respect to B-L distribution between the normal fermionic sector of SM and the new sector R’ ... via early decay of new massive X particle
- suggested minimal implementation in $\text{MSSM} + \tilde{v}_R$

Overview: cosmology with Dirac

$$\mathbf{v}_R \sim$$

- MSSM+'Dirac' \tilde{v}_R
 - give candidate for mattergenesis-DM (non-thermal non-abundant relic)
 - provide mattergenesis mechanism possibilities
 - mattergenesis produces DM
- MSSM+'see-saw' \tilde{v}_R
 - no candidate for mattergenesis-DM
 - leptogenesis produces baryons
 - LSP freeze-out produces DM