

Dark matter direct detection at one loop

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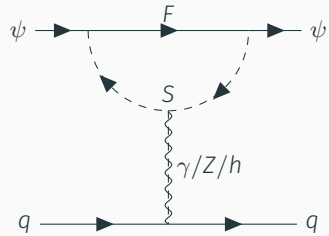
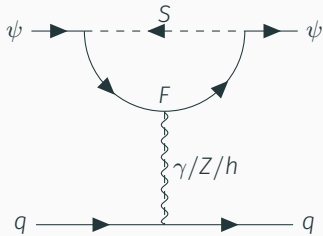
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Motivation

- No clear evidence for DM in direct/indirect detection or at LHC
- Only hints from DAM.*
- Option: DM is not directly coupled to quarks
- Examples: fermionic singlet DM ψ such as bino, fermionic DM in scotogenic model, or models explaining the DAMPE result
- Direct detection occurs at one loop
- Next generation (liquid noble gas) experiments could probe it



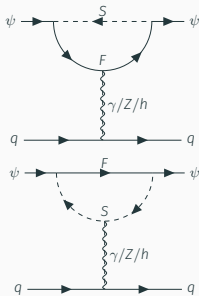
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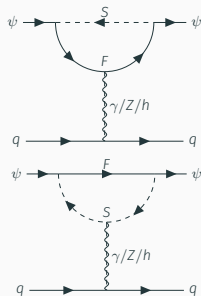
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SM fields in loop

1. $F \rightarrow L_L/e_R$: ψ or S have $L = 1$ LFV, EDM/AMMs, LNV
2. $F \rightarrow \nu_R$: ν_R and ψ or S have $L = 1$ Gonzalez-Macias, Escudero, ...
3. $S \rightarrow H$: mixing $\psi - F_0$, thus tree-level H/Z exchange



(Relevant) effective operators for direct detection

Dirac DM

- Electric and magnetic dipoles: $\mathcal{L} = \mu_\psi \mathcal{O}_{\text{mag}} + d_\psi \mathcal{O}_{\text{edm}}$ [long-range]

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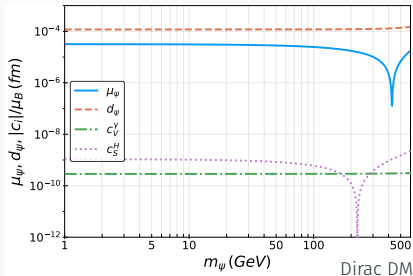
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Majorana DM

- no dipole and vector operators
- P-violating vector-operator [momentum suppressed]

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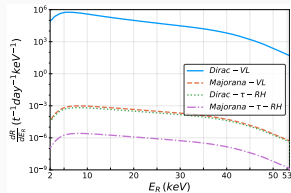
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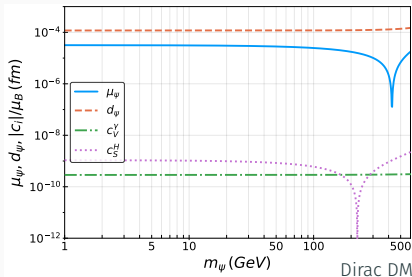
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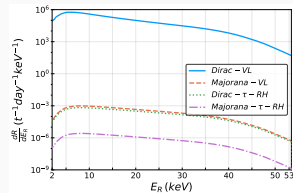
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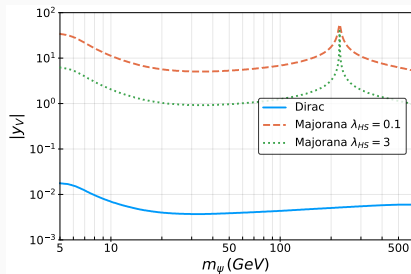
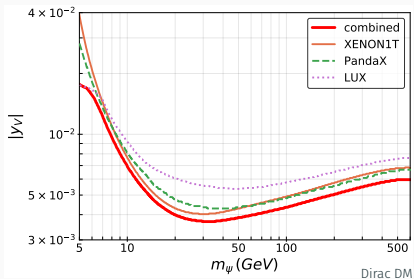
All contributions have to be considered simultaneously



- Analytical expressions valid for general models provided in paper and compared to existing results [Berlin, Chang, Agrawal, Kumar, Schmidt, Kopp, Ibarra...](#)
- Implemented with [DirectDM_{1708.02678}](#) and [LikeDM_{1708.04630}](#)

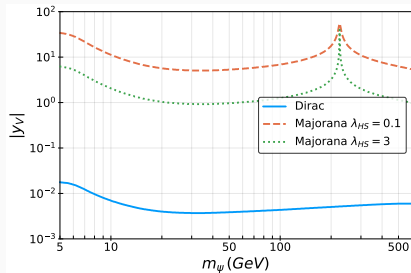
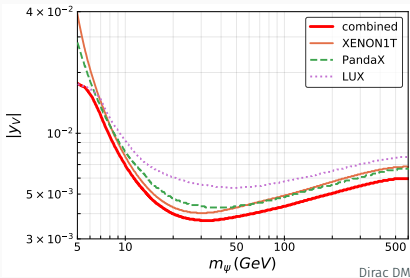
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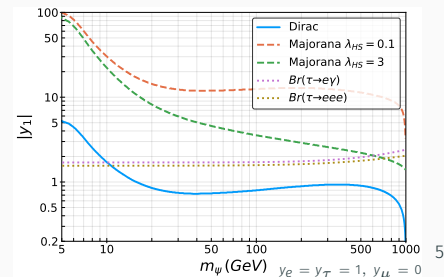
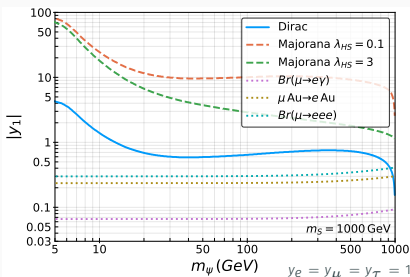


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Right-handed charged leptons



Connection to neutrino masses:
scotogenic model with Dirac fermion

Scotogenic model with Dirac DM

Simple example of loopy DD with radiative ν masses:

Dirac DM ψ , $F \equiv L_L$, $S = \Phi, \Phi'$. Dark global (anomaly-free) $U(1)_{\text{DM}}$

Field	$SU(3)_C$	$SU(2)_L$	$U(1)_Y$	$U(1)_{\text{DM}}$
Φ	1	2	1/2	1
Φ'	1	2	-1/2	1
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Just one fermionic singlet ψ needed. $\mathbf{y}_{\Phi^{(\prime)}}$ are 3-component vectors

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Two neutral scalars $\eta_0^{(\prime)}$ (mixing angle θ),
two charged scalars $\eta^{(\prime)\pm}$ (no mixing)

$$V \supset \lambda_{H\Phi\Phi'} \left[(H^\dagger \tilde{\Phi}') (H^\dagger \Phi) + \text{H.c.} \right] \quad \longrightarrow \quad \sin 2\theta \propto \lambda_{H\Phi\Phi'}.$$

Different classifications

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Discussion

Survey of models



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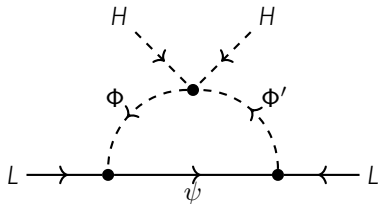
From the Trees to the Forest: A Review of Radiative Neutrino Mass Models

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A plausible explanation for the lightness of neutrino masses is that neutrinos are loops, with their mass (typically Majorana) being generated from tree level, together with the suppression of the new degrees of freedom cannot be tested using different searches, making the new particle signals in lepton-flavor and neutrinos, which are not mixings. The main space from

Majorana ν mass



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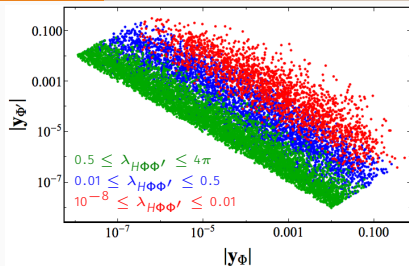
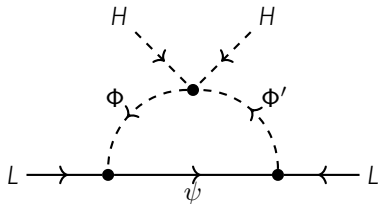
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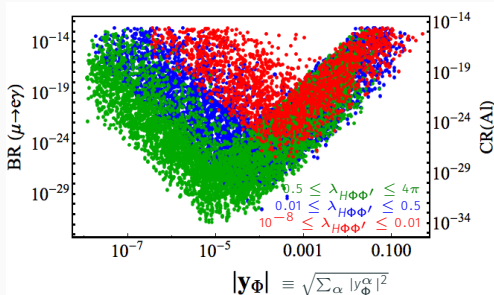
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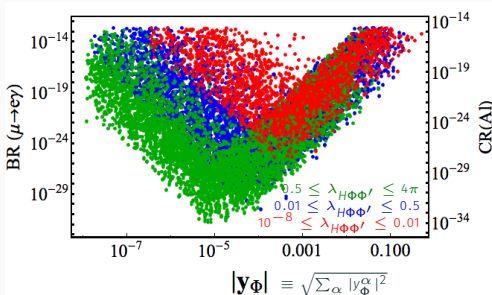
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with u_i being the columns of the PMNS matrix

$$\text{Using } f\left(\frac{m_\psi^2}{m_{\eta^\pm}^2}\right) \xrightarrow{m_{\eta^\pm} \rightarrow m_\psi} \frac{1}{12}$$

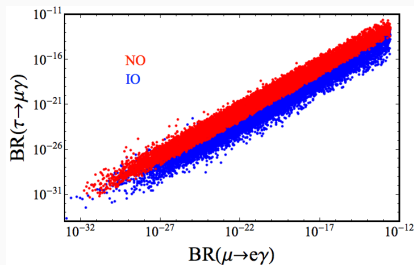
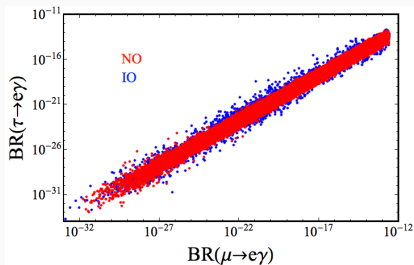
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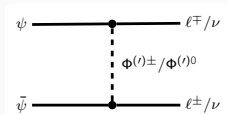
Correlation between different LFV rates

$$\text{NO} : \frac{\text{BR}(\tau \rightarrow e \gamma)}{\text{BR}(\mu \rightarrow e \gamma)} \approx 0.2 \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{\text{BR}(\tau \rightarrow \mu \gamma)}{\text{BR}(\mu \rightarrow e \gamma)} \approx 5$$

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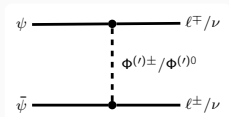
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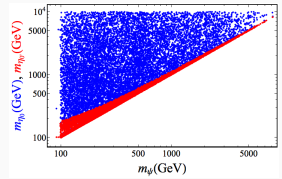
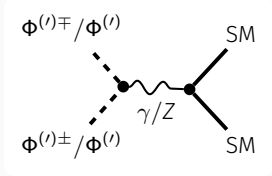
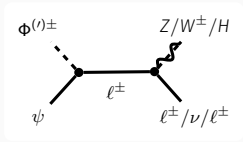
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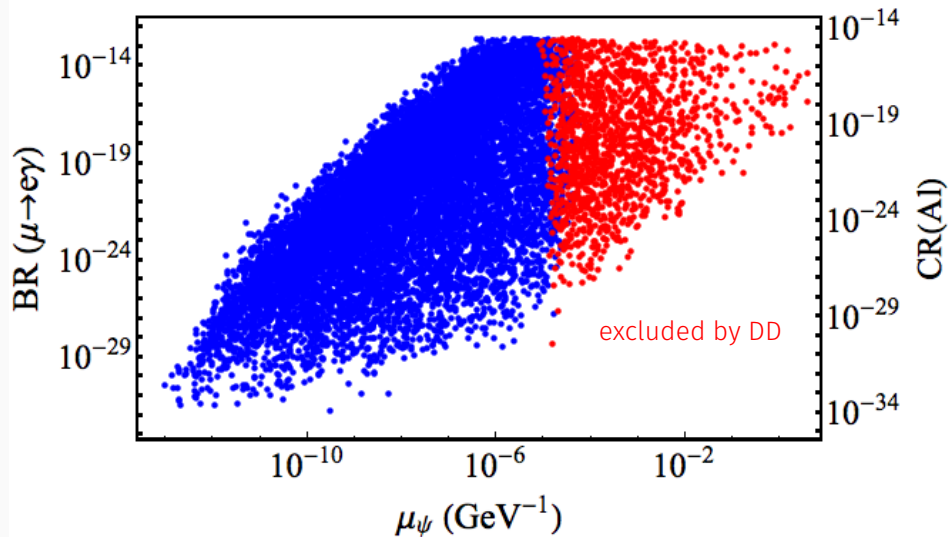
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Annihilations into leptons too small: need coannihilation with scalars $\Phi^{(\prime)}$



Complementarity of LFV and DM direct detection



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