

# Cold Dark Matter Production

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# Motivation

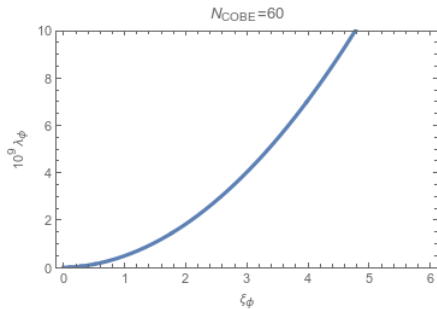
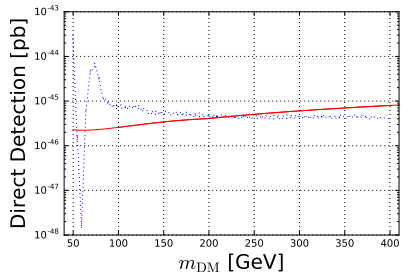


Figure: WIMP & FIMPLATON

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- FLRW metric

$$\begin{aligned} ds^2 &= dx^\mu dx^\nu g_{\mu\nu} \\ &= dt^2 - a(t)^2 \left( \frac{dr^2}{1 - kr^2} + r^2 (d\theta^2 + \sin^2 \theta d\phi^2) \right) \end{aligned}$$

- Friedman equation

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- Accelerate

$$\frac{d}{dt}(aH)^{-1} = \frac{d}{dt}(\dot{a})^{-1} = -\frac{\ddot{a}}{(\dot{a})^{-1}},$$
$$\frac{d^2 a}{dt^2} > 0$$

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- Flat potential

$$\dot{\phi} = -\frac{1}{3H}\partial_{\phi}V$$

# Slow Roll parameters

$$\epsilon_V \equiv \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{\partial_\phi V}{V} \right)^2 ,$$
$$\eta_V \equiv \frac{\partial_\phi^2 V}{V} .$$

# End of inflation

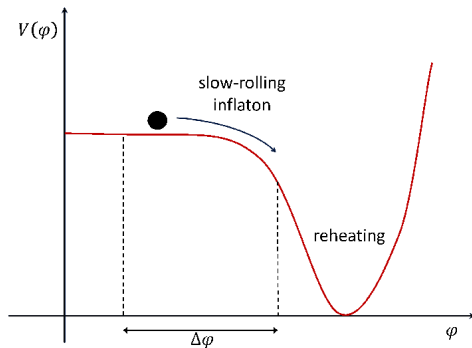


Figure: Reheating epoch starts. Inflaton decays into ordinary matter.

Trans-Planckian energy scale

$$N = \int_{t_*}^{t_{\text{end}}} H dt \simeq \frac{1}{M_p^2} \int_{\phi_{\text{end}}}^{\phi_*} \frac{V}{V_\phi} d\phi \simeq \frac{1}{4} \left( \frac{\phi_*}{M_p} \right)^2$$

with

$$\phi_* \gg \phi_{\text{end}}.$$

Once the trans plankian scale is computed one can calculate the inflation observables; tensor to scalar ratio  $r$ , and spectral index  $n_s$  and contrast the model with CMB measurements.

$$n_s \approx 1 - 6 \epsilon_V^* + 2 \eta_V^*$$

$$r \approx 16 \epsilon_V^* .$$

Scalar singlet extension  $\phi$  (or **S**):

$$\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}_{\text{SM}} + \frac{1}{2}\partial_\mu\phi\partial^\mu\phi - \frac{1}{2}\mu_\phi^2\phi^2 - \frac{1}{2}\lambda_{\text{HS}}\phi^2 H^\dagger H - \frac{\lambda_\phi}{4!}\phi^4, \quad (1)$$

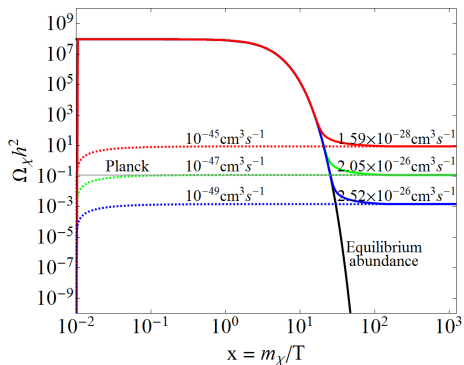
with  $\mu_\phi$  as the mass parameter,  $H$  Higgs doublet and  $\lambda_{\text{HS}}$  coupling to Higgs.

When the electroweak symmetry is spontaneously broken, the phenomenology of the model is completely determined by :

$$\mu_\phi^2 = m_\phi^2 - \frac{1}{2}\lambda_{\text{HS}}v_0^2, \quad (2)$$

where  $m_\phi$  represents the mass of the scalar singlet with expected value of vacuum  $v_0 = 246,2$  GeV.

# Regimes





# Dark matter in a matter dominated era

# Cold Dark Matter Production: non instantaneous reheating

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{n}_\phi + 3Hn_\phi + \Gamma_\phi n_\phi &= 0, \\ \dot{\rho}_R + 4H\rho_R - \Gamma_\phi n_\phi m_\phi \Delta_\phi - 2m_\chi \langle \sigma v \rangle (n_\chi^2 - n_{\chi eq}^2) &= 0, \\ \dot{n}_\chi + 3Hn_\chi + \langle \sigma v \rangle (n_\chi^2 - n_{\chi eq}^2) - \Gamma_\phi N_\chi n_\phi &= 0,\end{aligned}$$

where dots represents cosmic time derivative,  $\Delta_\phi = (m_\phi - N_\chi m_\chi)/m_\phi$  is a shorthand,  $\langle \sigma v \rangle$  is the thermal average cross section [1].

The equilibrium number density of  $\chi$  particles can be expressed in terms of the modified Bessel Function of second kind,  $K_2$ :

$$\begin{aligned}n_{\text{eq}\chi} &= \frac{gT^3}{2\pi^2} \left(\frac{m_\chi}{T}\right)^2 K_2\left(\frac{m_\chi}{T}\right) & (3) \\&\rightarrow \frac{gT^3}{\pi^2} (T \gg m_\chi) \\&\rightarrow g \left(\frac{m_\chi}{T}\right)^{3/2} e^{-m_\chi/T} (T \ll m_\chi),\end{aligned}$$

where  $g = 2$  are the degrees of freedom of  $\chi$  particles.

## Hubble parameter

$$H^2 = \frac{8\pi}{3M_{\text{p}}^2}(\rho_{\phi} + \rho_R + \rho_{\chi}), \quad (4)$$

## $\Gamma_{\phi} \sim H$

$$\Gamma_{\phi} = 2\sqrt{\frac{\pi^3 g_{\rho^*}(T_R)}{45} \frac{T_R^2}{M_{\text{p}}}} \quad (5)$$

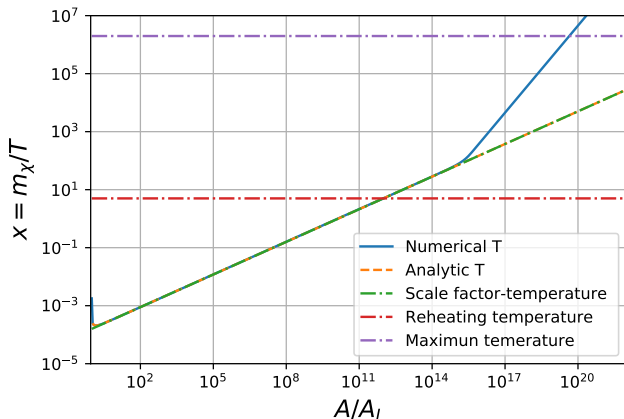
o solve the Boltzmann equations set, it is more convenient to express the variables in terms of dimensionless quantities as follows:

$$\Phi = n_{\phi} A^3, \quad R = \rho_R A^4, \quad \chi_{[eq]} = n_{\chi[eq]} A^3, \quad (6)$$

where  $A = HA_I$ , represents the scalar factor

| Parameters                             |                      |                       |
|--|----------------------|-----------------------|
| Quantity                               | WIMP                 | FIMP                  |
| $m_\phi$ [GeV]                         | $1 \times 10^6$      | $1 \times 10^{13}$    |
| $m_\chi$ [GeV]                         | 410                  | 410                   |
| $T_R$ [GeV]                            | 5                    | 5                     |
| $\langle\sigma v\rangle$ [GeV] $^{-2}$ | $1 \times 10^{-10}$  | $8.5 \times 10^{-30}$ |
| $N_\chi$                               | $1.4 \times 10^{-7}$ | $1.4 \times 10^{-7}$  |
| $g_{\rho^*}$                           | 10.88                | 3.36                  |
| $g_{s^*}$                              | 10.85                | 3.96                  |

**Table:** Parameters used to test the matter dominated era model in WIMP and FIMP frameworks.



**Figure:** Numerical and analytic temperature behaviour. The graph includes the temperature behaviour obtained from the scale factor equation

# Components evolution

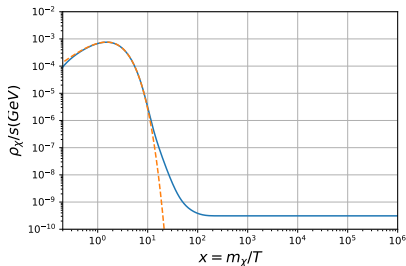
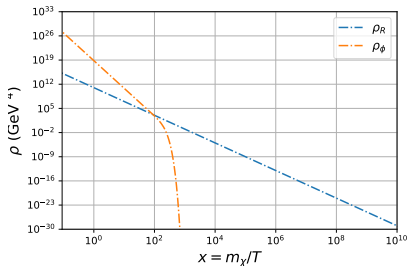


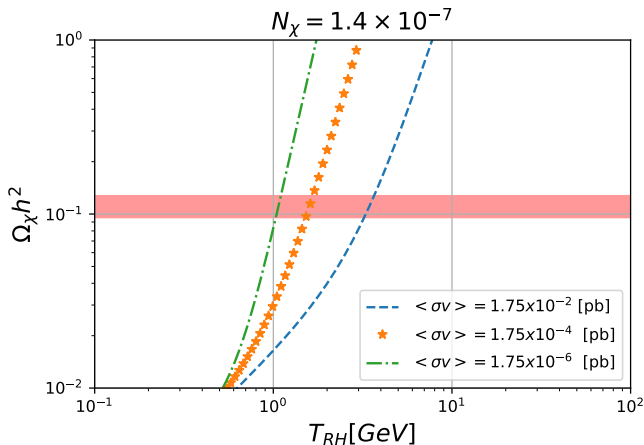
Figure: Evolution of the energy components



| DD cross section |                         |                               |                    |
|------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------|
| $\lambda_{HS}$   | $\sigma_{SI}$ [pb]      | $\langle\sigma v\rangle$ [pb] | $\Omega h^2$       |
| $10^{-2}$        | $2.130 \times 10^{-11}$ | $1.75 \times 10^{-2}$         | 3.62               |
| $10^{-3}$        | $2.130 \times 10^{-13}$ | $1.75 \times 10^{-4}$         | $2.79 \times 10^2$ |
| $10^{-4}$        | $2.213 \times 10^{-15}$ | $1.75 \times 10^{-6}$         | $1.98 \times 10^4$ |

**Table:** Direct detection cross section, thermal averaged cross section and relic density obtained for a fixed mass of 410 GeV using single scalar model implemented in micrOMEGAS

# For WIMPS: thermal production



**Figure:** Dark matter abundance for excluded the thermal average cross sections from Direct detection [2]. The pink band represents the current dark matter abundance constrain  $\Omega h^2 = 0.112_{-0.0181}^{+0.0161}$ .

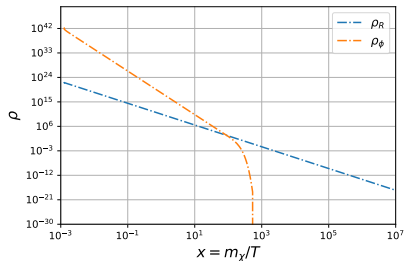
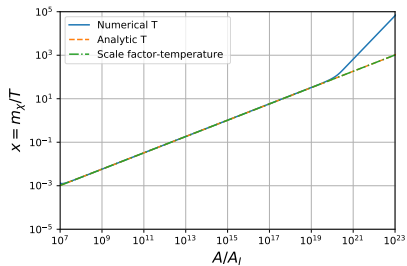


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- MicrOmegas function **vSigma** to find  $\langle\sigma v\rangle$ .
- We found  $\langle\sigma v\rangle \propto 1/T^2$
- Interpolation function for  $M_\chi = 550$  GeV

For FIMPs: non-thermal production

| $m_\phi$ [GeV] | $m_\chi$ [GeV] | $N_\chi$  | $T_R$ [GeV] | $\langle\sigma v\rangle$ [GeV] $^{-2}$ |
|----------------|----------------|-----------|-------------|--|
| $10^{13}$      | 550            | $10^{-8}$ | $10^9$      | $10^{-36}$                             |

We tested these parameters for ultraviolet reheating, and the for infrared reheating (variable thermal average cross section: fit with MicrOMEGAS) and we found a coupling of order  $\lambda \approx 10^{-14}$

# DM and inflation through dark portal

$$-\mathcal{L} \supset \frac{\lambda_\phi}{2} \left( \Phi^\dagger \Phi - \frac{v_\phi^2}{2} \right)^2 + \frac{\lambda_\sigma}{2} \left( \Sigma^\dagger \Sigma - \frac{v_\sigma^2}{2} \right)^2 + \delta \left( \Phi^\dagger \Phi - \frac{v_\phi^2}{2} \right) \left( \Sigma^\dagger \Sigma - \frac{v_\sigma^2}{2} \right),$$

where  $v_\phi$  and  $v_\sigma$  are the vacuum expectation value of each field and the last term in the lagrangian represents the inflaton portal interaction, [4, 5].

$$\Phi = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(v_\phi + \phi + iS_d), \quad (7)$$

$$\Sigma = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(v_\sigma + \sigma + iS_v), \quad (8)$$

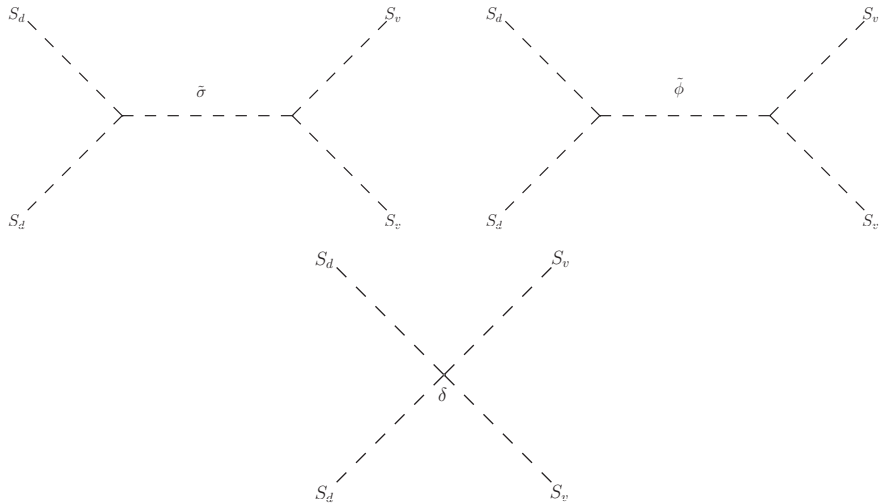
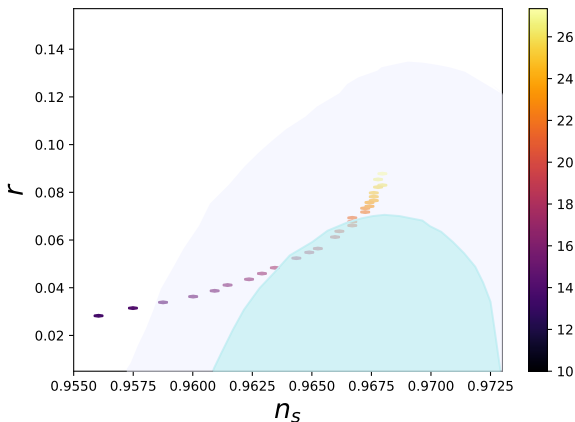


Figure: Diagrams leading dark sector annihilating into the visible sector.



To ensure single field inflation, we consider  $m_\sigma^2 \geq H^2$ . Also, to make sure that light excitations get watered down during inflation, Nambu-Goldstone bosons  $S_\nu$  and  $S_d$ , and the standard model are supposed to get effective Hubble masses.

$$V_{inf}(\phi) \propto (\phi^4 + 4v_\phi^2\phi^2 + 4v_\phi\phi^3). \quad (9)$$








**Figure:** Inflaton observables for  $N = 60$  and some vev  $v_\phi$  corresponding to the color bar (times Planck mass). Contours represent Planck measurements [3]. From the plot we can obtain a  $v_\phi \approx 20M_P$

$$\langle \sigma v \rangle n_{eq}^2 = \frac{4\pi}{2} \frac{T}{32(2\pi)^6} \int_{4m_d^2}^{\infty} |\mathcal{M}|^2 \sqrt{s - 4m_d^2} K_1 \left( \frac{\sqrt{s}}{T} \right) ds.$$

We restrict dark matter production and found:

$$\Omega_{\text{non-thermal}} h^2 \approx 0.12 \left( \frac{\delta}{4.2 \times 10^{-12}} \right)^2.$$

Thanks for your attention

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