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Neutrino mass models and dark matter

-- a possibility to relate neutrino mass to dark matter --

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- A radiative seesaw model and its features
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Motivation

The standard model (SM) is a successful framework for physics up to weak scales, but it has been considered not to be satisfactory from a theoretical point of view.

supersymmetry, extra dimension, etc.

DM LSP lightest K-K mode

Several recent experimental results require to extend the SM.

the existence of neutrino masses the existence of dark matter

It may be an important and promising way to consider the extension of the SM only on the basis of these experimental results. I follow this way in my talk.

Basic idea

Neutrino oscillation data suggest neutrino masses are small : $m_{\nu} \lesssim O(10^{-1})$ eV. ($\sum m_{\nu} < 1.3$ eV @WMAP5)

 If Dirac mass terms exist at tree level, right-handed neutrinos should be heavy enough. (depend on Dirac mass) ordinary seesaw mechanism

If Dirac mass terms are forbidden at tree level by some symmetry, small neutrino masses may be induced radiatively even for rather light right-handed neutrinos. radiative seesaw mechanism

The same symmetry may guarantee the stability of some neutral particle (dark matter candidate).

origin of neutrino mass

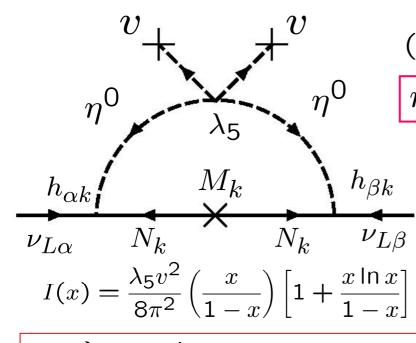


origin of dark matter

A Radiative seesaw model E. Ma

- Z_2 is imposed to forbid Dirac neutrino masses at tree level.
- Field contents Z_2 $\langle H \rangle = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ v \end{pmatrix}$ $\begin{cases} SM \text{ fields} \\ \eta (SU(2) \text{ inert doublet}) \\ N_k (right handed neutrinos) -1 \\ The lightest one is stable \end{cases}$
- Z2 invariant interaction and potential
- $\mathcal{L}_{N} = h_{\alpha k} L_{\alpha} \eta N_{k} + \frac{1}{2} M_{k} N_{k} N_{k} + \text{h.c.}$ $V = m_{H}^{2} H^{\dagger} H + m_{\eta}^{2} \eta^{\dagger} \eta + \frac{\lambda_{1}}{2} (H^{\dagger} H)^{2} + \frac{\lambda_{2}}{2} (\eta^{\dagger} \eta)^{2}$
 - + $\lambda_3(H^{\dagger}H)(\eta^{\dagger}\eta) + \lambda_4(H^{\dagger}\eta)(\eta^{\dagger}H) + \frac{\lambda_5}{2}[(H^{\dagger}\eta)^2 + \text{h.c.}]$

(1) Neutrino mass



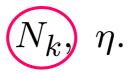
 $(\mathcal{M}_{\nu})_{\alpha\beta} = \sum_{k} \frac{h_{\alpha k} h_{\beta k} I(M_{k}^{2}/m_{\eta}^{2})}{M_{k}}$ $\overset{m_{\eta} \gg M_{k}}{\simeq} \sum_{k} h_{\alpha k} h_{\beta k} \left(\frac{\lambda_{5} v^{2} M_{k}}{8\pi^{2} m_{\eta}^{2}}\right)$

Neutrino masses are proportional to right-handed neutrino masses.

 $\lambda_5 \ll 1$ even if masses of N_k and η are O(1) TeV small neutrino masses are realized

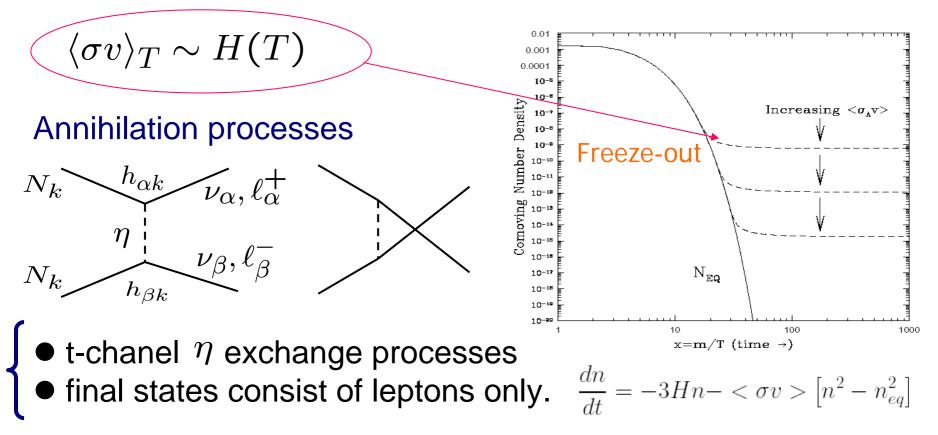
New physics is expected in lepton sector at TeV regions.

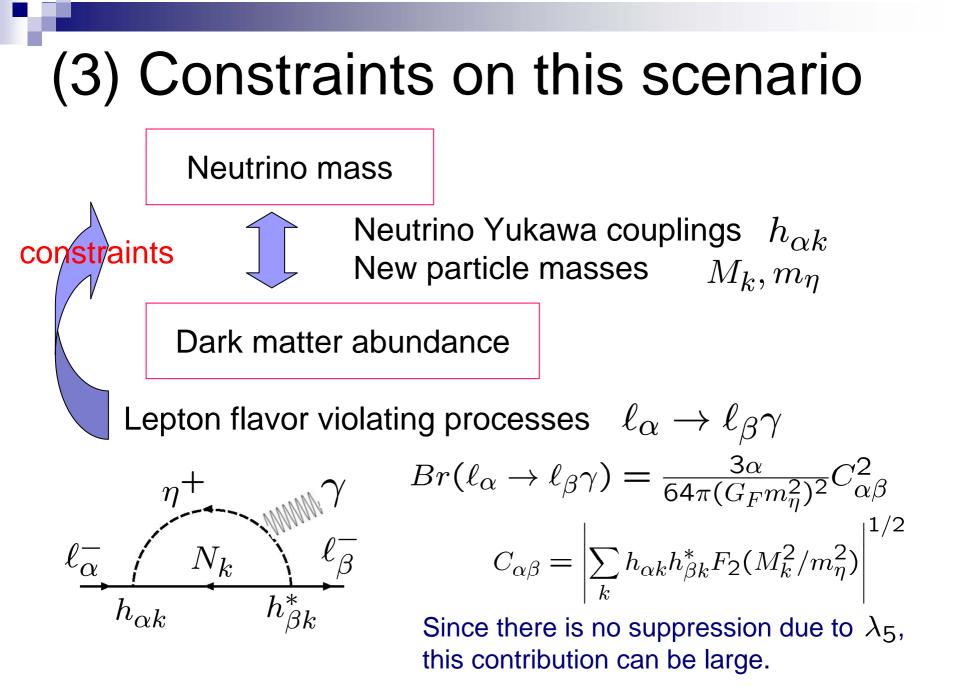
(2) Dark matter



Relic abundance follows usual thermal relic scenario.

It is determined by the abundance at the freeze-out temperature as thermal relic.

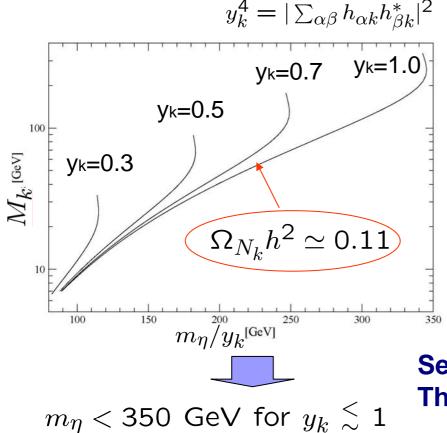




The original model Kubo, Ma, D.S.

• No special assumption on flavor structure of $h_{\alpha k}$

DM relic abundance



 $\mu \to e\gamma \text{ constraint}$ $Br(\mu \to e\gamma) < 1.2 \times 10^{-11}$ $Br(\mu \to e\gamma) \simeq \left(\frac{30 \text{ GeV}}{m_{\eta}/C_{\mu e}}\right)^{4}$ $\int m_{\eta} \sim 350 \text{ GeV}$ $|\sum_{k} h_{\mu k} h_{ek}^{*}| \sim 1$ $Br(\mu \to e\gamma) \gtrsim 5 \times 10^{-7}$

Serious contradiction is caused. This seems a general fault of the model.

Several solutions for this problem

Key: How to suppress $\,\mu \to e \gamma\,$ without affecting the DM abundance for the same neutrino Yukawa couplings?

To assume degeneracy among right-handed neutrinos \square cancellation in $C_{\mu e}$ Kubo, Ma, D.S. To introduce Z' interaction Kubo, D.S. enhancement of DM annihilation • To assume a light right-handed neutrino N_1 A.D.Sierra, et al. warm dark matter, smaller Yukawa couplings $h_{\alpha 1}$ To assume special flavor structure of $h_{lpha k}$ \implies suppression of $\mu \rightarrow e\gamma$ D.S., Toma, Yoshida

A model with special flavor structure

To fix the flavor structure, we impose:

Neutrino mass matrix $\mathcal{M}_{
u}$ is diagonalized by PMNS-matrix

$$U = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta_1 & \sin \theta_1 & 0\\ -\frac{\sin \theta_1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{\cos \theta_1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\\ \frac{\sin \theta_1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{\cos \theta_1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix}$$

tri-bi maximal mixing $\sin^2 \theta_1 = \frac{1}{3}$

$$(\mathcal{M}_{\nu})_{\alpha\beta} = \sum_{k} h_{\alpha k} h_{\beta k} \Lambda_{k}$$

A solution $h_{ei} = 0, \quad h_{\mu i} = h_{\tau i} \quad (i = 1, 2);$
 $h_{e3} \neq 0, \quad h_{\mu 3} = -h_{\tau 3}$

Features on the lepton flavor

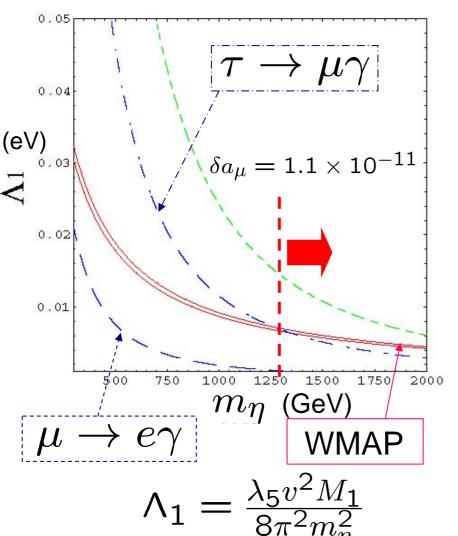
• The constraint from $\tau \to \mu \gamma$ may give a stronger condition than the constraint from $\mu \to e \gamma$ in certain parameter space.

$$\begin{array}{ll} M_1 \stackrel{<}{_\sim} M_2 < M_3, m_\eta \\ \hline h_{ei} = 0, \quad h_{\mu i} = h_{\tau i} \quad (i = 1, 2) \\ \hline h_{e3} \neq 0, \quad h_{\mu 3} = -h_{\tau 3} \end{array} \end{array} \begin{array}{l} \text{Relic abundance} \\ \mu \rightarrow e\gamma \end{array}$$

Relevant Yukawa coupings for each process can be decoupled.

• The final states of N_1 annihilation contain μ^{\pm} and τ^{\pm} only, but e^{\pm} are not included.

Allowed regions in a typical case



 $M_1/m_\eta = 0.4, \ M_3/m_\eta = 10$

- Neutrino oscillation data have been imposed in the figure.
- If $M_1 \gtrsim 1 \text{TeV}$ is satisfied, the model can realize the dark matter abundance successfully.
- •Some additional contributions are necessary to explain $\delta a_{\mu} = (30.2 \pm 8, 2) \times 10^{-10}$

Amonaly in PAMELA/Fermi-LAT

- Anomaly in cosmic rays PAMELA: excess of positron flux at 30 – 100 GeV region but no excess of antiproton Fermi-LAT: excess of (positron + electron) flux at 100 - 900 GeV energy region
- This may be explained by dark matter annihilation. required conditions
 - { -- final state includes no quarks
 -- annihilation cross section

 $\begin{array}{ll} \mathsf{WMAP} & \langle \sigma v \rangle_{T_F} \sim 10^{-26} \ \mathrm{cm}^3 \cdot \mathrm{sec} \\ \mathsf{PAMELA} & \langle \sigma v \rangle \sim 10^{-24} \ \mathrm{cm}^3 \cdot \mathrm{sec} \end{array}$

Model independent analyses for the amonaly suggest $\mu^+\mu^-$ and $\tau^+\tau^-$ are favored as the final states of annihilation, $M_{\rm DM} \gtrsim 1 {\rm TeV}$

Explanation of PAMELA/Fermi-LAT

- Charged final states of the annihilation of this dark matter consist of leptons (μ^{\pm}, τ^{\pm}) only. $M_1 \gtrsim 1 \text{TeV}$
- An extremely large enhancement O(10⁶) of cross section is required for the explanation of positron excess of PAMELA.

If a singlet scalar is introduced, the Breit-Wigner enhancement may be applied to improve this fault.

Other modification

If the model is supersymmetrized, two types of dark matter candidates can appear. Since one of them may decay through anomaly induced interaction with extremely long life time, the positron excess may be explained. Fukuoka, Kubo, D.S.

This model is potentially interesting for this anomaly.

A model with Z' interaction

Discrete symmetry Z_2 is assumed as a remnant of U(1)'.

- Field contents
 - SM fields η (SU(2) doublet) N_2 (right handed neutrino) N_3 (right handed neutrino) ϕ (SM singlet)

$$\langle H \rangle = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ v \end{pmatrix} \quad \langle \eta \rangle = 0$$

 $U(1)' \qquad Z_2$ $Q_L(2q), L_L(0), H(0) \qquad +1$ $-q \qquad -1$ $0 \qquad +1$ $q \qquad -1$ $-2q \qquad +1$ $\langle \phi \rangle \neq 0$

There are two types of right-handed netrino. D.S. If a usual heavy right-handed neutrino like N_1 is additionally introduced, leptogenesis is also possible.

• U(1)' invariant interaction and potential

$$\mathcal{L}_{N} = h_{\alpha 1} L_{\alpha} H N_{1} + h_{\alpha 2} L_{\alpha} \eta N_{2} + \frac{1}{2} M_{*} N_{1} N_{1} + \frac{\lambda}{2} \phi N_{2} N_{2} + \text{h.c.}$$

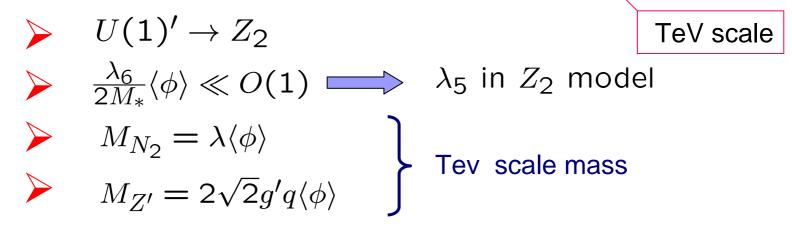
$$V = m_{H}^{2} H^{\dagger} H + m_{\eta}^{2} \eta^{\dagger} \eta + m_{\phi}^{2} \phi^{\dagger} \phi + \frac{\lambda_{1}}{2} (H^{\dagger} H)^{2} + \frac{\lambda_{2}}{2} (\eta^{\dagger} \eta)^{2} + \frac{\lambda_{3}}{2} (\phi^{\dagger} \phi)^{2}$$

$$+ \lambda_{4} (H^{\dagger} H) (\eta^{\dagger} \eta) + \lambda_{5} (H^{\dagger} \eta) (\eta^{\dagger} H) + \frac{\lambda_{6}}{2M_{*}} [\phi (\eta^{\dagger} H)^{2} + \text{h.c.}]$$

$$+ \lambda_{7} \phi^{\dagger} \phi H^{\dagger} H + \lambda_{8} \phi^{\dagger} \phi \eta^{\dagger} \eta$$

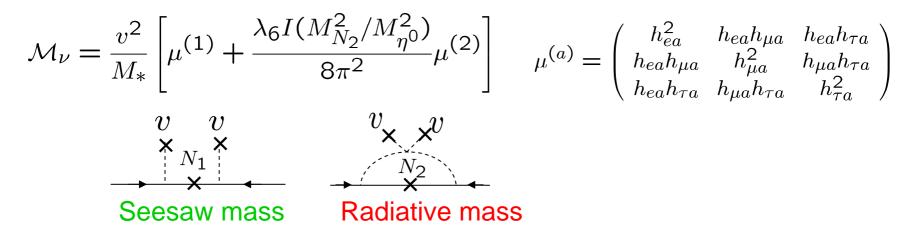
 M_* Effective mass scale

After spontaneous breaking of U(1)' due to $\langle \phi \rangle \ll M_*$

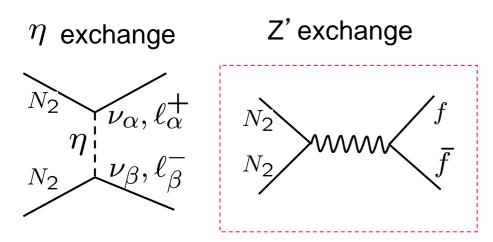


Neutrino mass and DM abundance

Neutrino mass

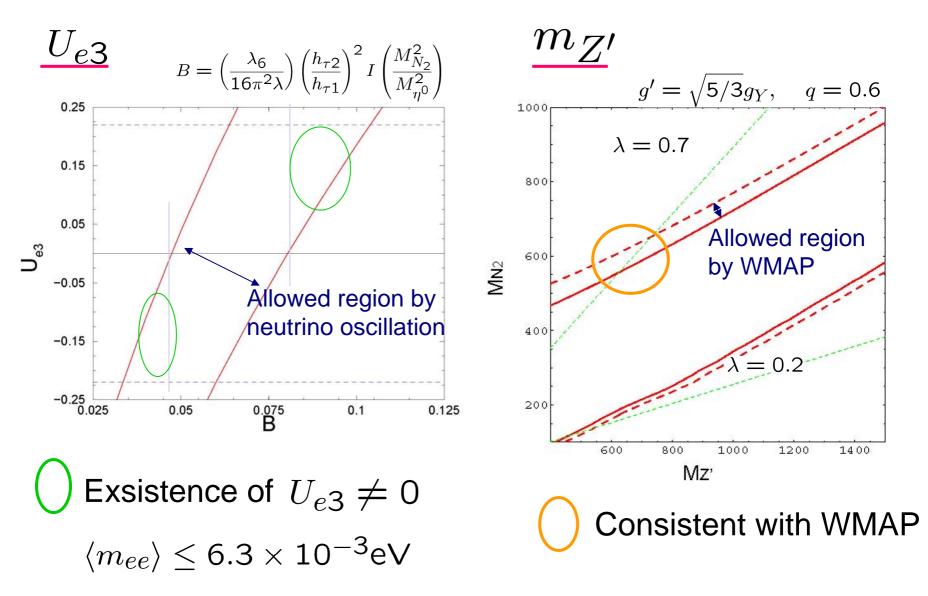


Dark matter annihilation



- Dominant contributions for the DM annihilation come from Z' exchange. The small neutrino couplings can be allowed.
- Quarks are included in the final states.

Predictions of the model



Summary

- Neutrino masses and dark matter can be strongly related each other. In that case the smallness of neutrino mass may give us some clues to explain the existence of dark matter.
- The radiative seesaw model gives a concrete example for such an idea.
- Lepton flavor violating processes give severe constraints on the model. How to overcome this problem is a key to construct a viable model.
- The model may be constrained and examined through experiments such as LHC, MEG and direct or indirect dark matter searches depending on the solution.