

Gravity as Portal to (almost) Everything!

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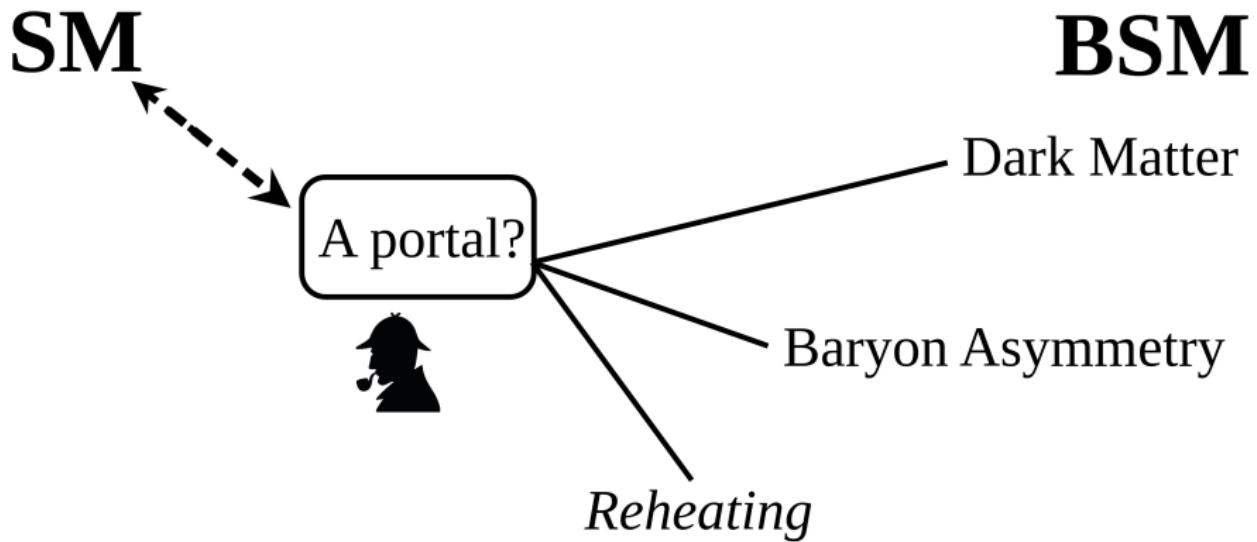
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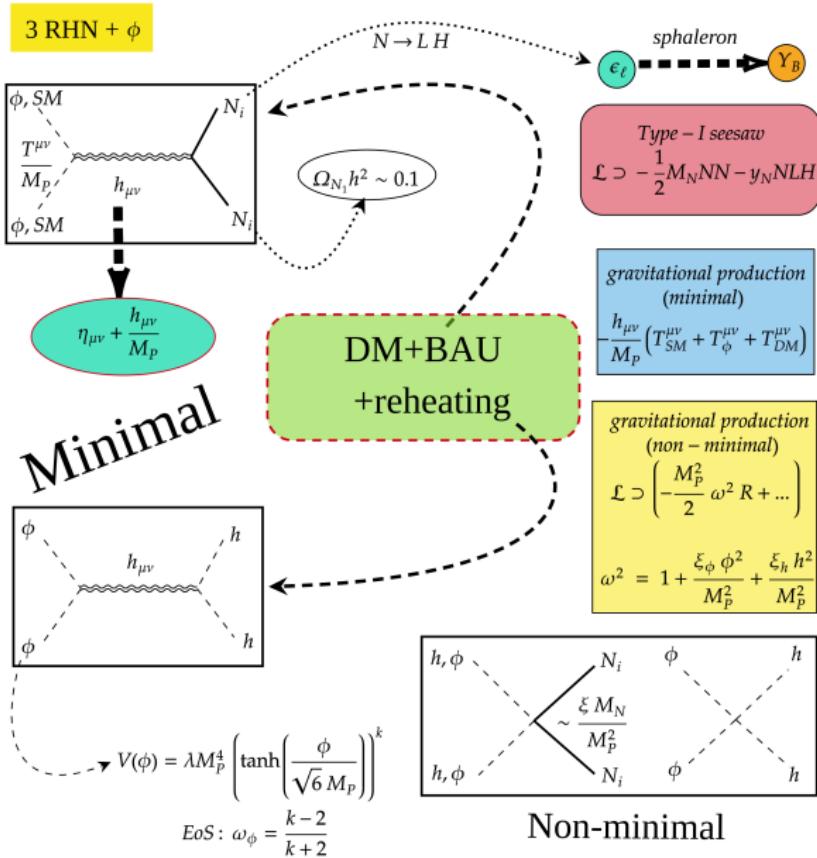
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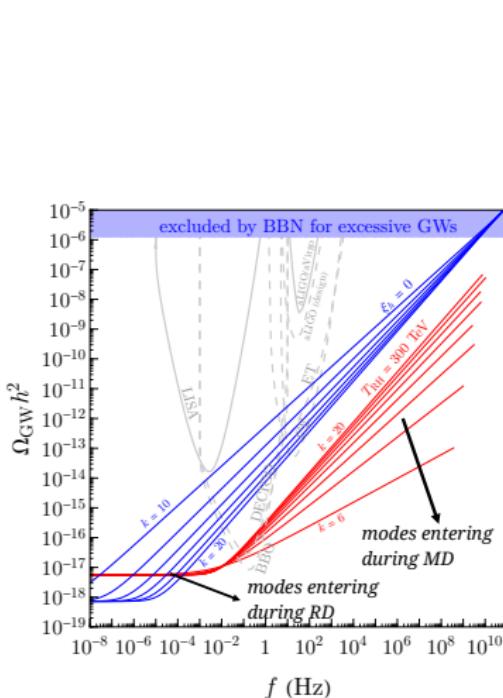


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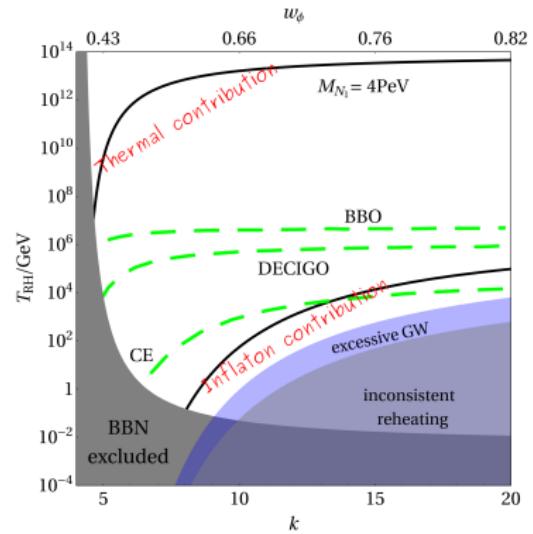


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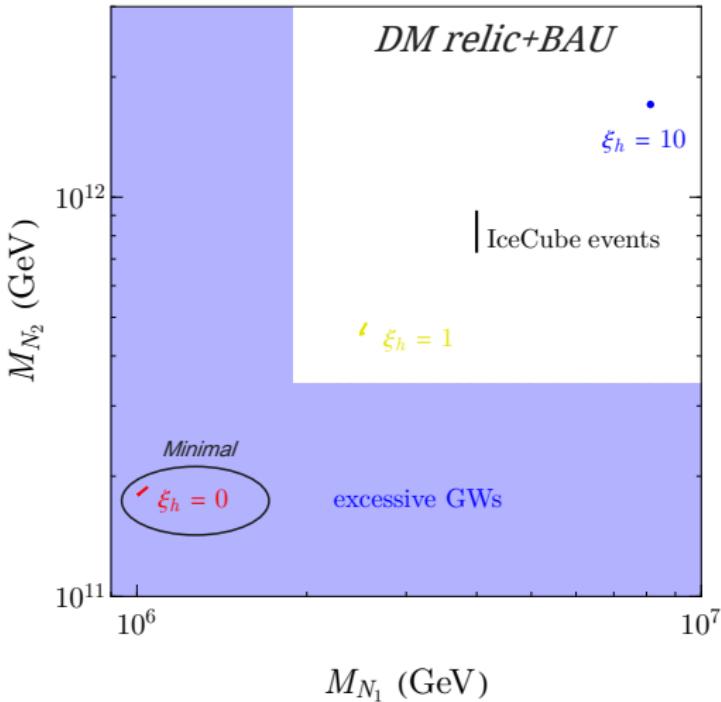


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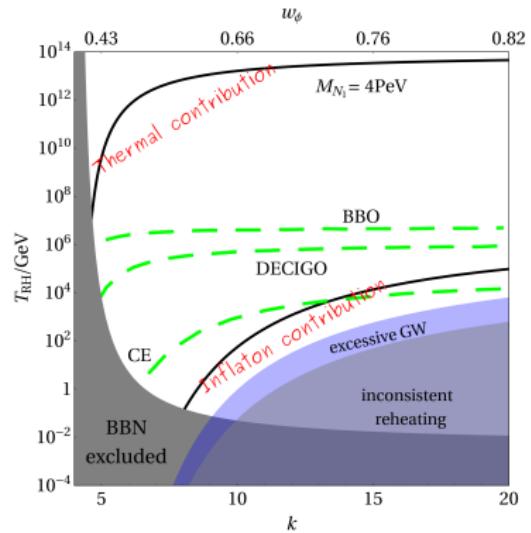


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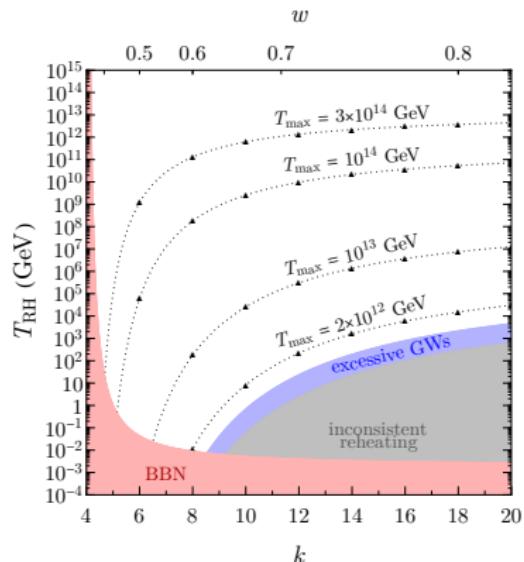
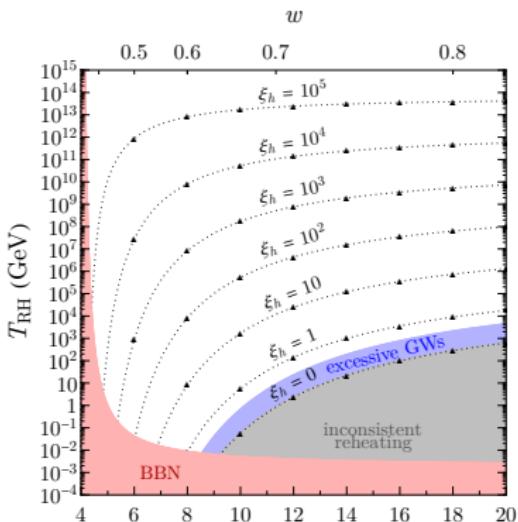
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BBN bound on reheating temperature

$$\rho_\phi = \rho_R \text{ at } T = T_{\text{rh}}$$

$$\implies 1 = \frac{\rho_\phi}{\rho_R} \Big|_{T_{\text{rh}}} = \frac{\rho_\phi}{\rho_R} \Big|_{T_{\text{BBN}}} \frac{(a_{\text{BBN}}/a_{\text{rh}})^{\frac{6k}{k+2}}}{(T_{\text{rh}}/T_{\text{BBN}})^4}$$

$$\rho_\phi(T_{\text{BBN}}) = \frac{7}{8} \left(\frac{4}{11} \right)^{\frac{4}{3}} \underbrace{\Delta N_\nu}_{< 0.226} \frac{\pi^2}{30} T_{\text{BBN}}^4$$



Interactions

$$\mathcal{S}_J = \int d^4x \sqrt{-\tilde{g}} \left[-\frac{M_P^2}{2} \Omega^2 \tilde{\mathcal{R}} + \tilde{\mathcal{L}}_\phi + \tilde{\mathcal{L}}_h + \tilde{\mathcal{L}}_{N_i} \right]$$

where

$$\tilde{\mathcal{L}}_\phi = \frac{1}{2} \partial_\mu \phi \partial^\mu \phi - V(\phi)$$

$$\tilde{\mathcal{L}}_h = \partial_\mu h \partial^\mu h^\dagger - V(hh^\dagger)$$

$$\tilde{\mathcal{L}}_{N_i} = \frac{i}{2} \overline{N_i} \overleftrightarrow{\nabla} N_i - \frac{1}{2} M_{N_i} \overline{(\mathcal{N})^c}_i N_i + \tilde{\mathcal{L}}_{\text{yuk}}$$

$$\tilde{\mathcal{L}}_{\text{yuk}} = -y_{N_i} \overline{N_i} \overleftrightarrow{h^\dagger} \mathbb{L} + \text{h.c.}$$

- Conformal transformation: $\Omega^2 \equiv 1 + \frac{\xi_\phi \phi^2}{M_P^2} + \frac{\xi_h |h|^2}{M_P^2} \implies g_{\mu\nu} = \Omega^2 \tilde{g}_{\mu\nu}$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{S}_E = \int d^4x \sqrt{-g} & \left[-\frac{M_P^2 \mathcal{R}}{2} + \frac{K^{ab}}{2} g^{\mu\nu} \partial_\mu S_a \partial_\nu S_b + \frac{i}{2\Omega^3} \overline{N_i} \overleftrightarrow{\nabla} N_i - \right. \\ & \left. \frac{1}{\Omega^4} \left(\frac{M_{N_i}}{2} \overline{N_i^c} N_i + \mathcal{L}_{\text{yuk}} \right) - \frac{3i}{4\Omega^4} \overline{N_i} \left(\overleftrightarrow{\partial} \Omega \right) N_i - \frac{1}{\Omega^4} (V_\phi + V_h) \right], \end{aligned}$$

- Field re-definitons: $L \rightarrow \Omega^{3/2} L, N \rightarrow \Omega^{3/2} N$

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GW energy density

- Assuming “hc” occurs during inflaton-domination

$$\begin{aligned}
 \Omega_{\text{GW}}(\tau, k) &= \frac{1}{12a(\tau)^2 H(\tau)^2} \mathcal{P}_T(k) [\chi(\tau, k)']^2 \\
 &= \frac{1}{12a(\tau)^2 H(\tau)^2} \mathcal{P}_T(k) \frac{k_{gw}^2}{2} \left(\frac{a_{\text{hc}}}{a_0} \right)^2 \\
 &= \frac{\Omega_\gamma h^2}{3} \frac{\rho_\phi}{\rho_{\text{RH}}} \left[\frac{g_{\star\rho,rh}}{2} \left(\frac{g_{\star\rho,rh}}{g_{\star s,dec}} \right)^{-\frac{4}{3}} \left(\frac{a_{\text{hc}}}{a_{\text{rh}}} \right)^4 \right] \left(\frac{H_{\text{end}}}{2\pi M_P} \right)^2 \\
 f &= \frac{k_{hc}}{2\pi a_0} = \frac{a_{\text{hc}} H_{hc}}{2\pi a_0} = \frac{a_{\text{hc}}}{a_0} \frac{1}{2\pi} H_{rh} \sqrt{\frac{\rho_{\text{hc}}}{\rho_{\text{RH}}}} = \frac{\sqrt{\rho_{\text{RH}}}}{2\pi\sqrt{3} M_P} \frac{a_{\text{hc}}}{a_0} \left(\frac{a_{\text{rh}}}{a_{\text{hc}}} \right)^{3k/(k+2)}
 \end{aligned}$$

Then

$$\Omega_{\text{GW}} h^2 = \frac{\Omega_\gamma h^2}{3} \frac{g_{\star\rho,rh}}{2} \left(\frac{g_{\star\rho,rh}}{g_{\star s,dec}} \right)^{-\frac{4}{3}} \left(\frac{H_{\text{end}}}{2\pi M_P} \right)^2 \left(\frac{a_0}{a_{\text{rh}}} \right)^{\frac{k-4}{k-1}} \left(\frac{2\pi\sqrt{3} M_P}{\sqrt{\rho_{\text{RH}}}} f \right)^{\frac{k-4}{k-1}}$$

- Assuming “hc” occurs during RD

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 \implies \Omega_{\text{GW}} h^2 &\simeq \Omega_{\text{GW}} h^2 \Big|_{\text{RD}} \times \mathcal{W}(f, w)
 \end{aligned}$$