# Direct and indirect detection of sneutrino dark matter

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### Outline

- Why sneutrino as Dark Matter (DM) candidate?
- Model parameter space compatible with DM constraints
- Indirect detection of sneutrino DM: neutrino line feature
  - Estimate in a simplified model
  - Results for the MSSM+RN sample
- Conclusions

### Sneutrino can not be DM in the MSSM

Sneutrino is the superpartner of the left-handed (LH) neutrino: is a SU(2)<sub>L</sub> doublet  $(Y=1 \longrightarrow couples to the Z boson)$ 



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### **MSSM+RN model parameters**

 $M_1, M_2, M_3, \boldsymbol{m_L}, \boldsymbol{m_R}, \boldsymbol{m_N}, \boldsymbol{m_Q}, \boldsymbol{m_H}, \boldsymbol{A_l}, \boldsymbol{A_{\tilde{\nu}}}, \boldsymbol{A_q}, \tan\beta, \mathrm{sgn}\mu$ 

Nested sampling (several chains) with both log and flat priors on the free parameters

	Observable	Value/Constraint	
Measurements	$m_h$	$125.85 \pm 0.4 \text{ GeV} (\text{exp}) \pm 4 \text{ GeV} (\text{theo})$	
(Gaussian likelihood	${ m BR}(B  o X_s \gamma)  imes 10^4$	$3.55 \pm 0.24 \pm 0.09 \;(\mathrm{exp})$	
function)	${ m BR}(B_s  o \mu^+ \mu^-)  imes 10^9$	$3.2^{+1.4}_{-1.2}~{ m (stat)}~^{+0.5}_{-0.3}~{ m (sys)}$	
Limits	$\Delta\Gamma_Z^{ ext{invisible}}$	< 2  MeV (95%  CL)	
	$BR(h \rightarrow invisible)$	< 20% (95% CL)	
(Step likelihood	$m_{ ilde{ au}_1^-}$	$> 85 { m GeV} (95\% { m CL})$	
function) $m_{\widetilde{\chi}_1^+}, m_{\widetilde{e}, \widetilde{\mu}}$		> 101  GeV (95%  CL)	
	$m_{ ilde{g}}$	$> 308 { m ~GeV} (95\% { m ~CL})$	

#### + DM constraints



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### Mixed sneutrino DM is almost sterile



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### The monochromatic neutrino line

• The LSP and DM is a sneutrino tau • t-channel exchange of neutralino gives rise to neutrino tau sharp line with  $E_{nu} = m_{DM}$ 





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## Astrophysics: how to boost the signal

- Due to the smallness of sigmav the monochromatic line is not detectable by present astrophysical probes
- When black holes (BHs) form, DM density MIGHT increase to form a DM spike



### **Expected neutrino flux from Draco dSPh**



telescope set up • Point source sensitivity for TeV nus extrapolated down to GeV energies

• Idealistic neutrino

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### **Complementarity with gamma-ray searches**



### Conclusions

- Sneutrino as DM is a well motivated scenario: it relates with the generation of neutrino masses
- A large portion of the MSSM+RN parameter space is compatible with the LUX exclusion bound
- Complementary between LHC and direct detection searches
- Indirect searches: monochromatic neutrino linesare a striking signature for sneutrino DM (suppressed for neutralino DM)
- Dwarf spheroidal galaxies are the optimal targets for this signal

### Back up slides

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**MSSM + RN parameter space** 



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### dSph J factors

	dSph	D [kpc]	$J(1^{\circ}) \; [{ m GeV^2 \; cm^{-5}}]$	
$\mathrm{d} \varphi_{\nu} = 1  \mathrm{d} v  \mathrm{d} N_{\nu}  \mathrm{d} N_{\nu}$	Northern sky			
$\frac{dE}{dE} = \frac{2}{8\pi} \xi \frac{dE}{m^2} \frac{dE}{dE} \Psi_{\text{Astro}}$	Draco	80	$2.11 \times 10^{19}$	
$\mathrm{d}E$ or $m_{\tilde{\nu}_{\tau_1}}$ $\mathrm{d}E$	Ursa Minor	66	$1.24 \times 10^{19}$	
	Sextans	86	$8.09 \times 10^{17}$	
	Leo I	250	$8.87 \times 10^{17}$	
$dN_{\nu} \qquad \left( \mathcal{B}^{\tau} \stackrel{dN_{\nu_{\text{line}}}}{\longrightarrow} \delta(E - m_{\tau}) \right)$	Leo II	205	$1.37 \times 10^{18}$	
$\frac{\mathrm{d}H}{\mathrm{d}E} = \left\{ \begin{array}{cc} \mathcal{D}_{\nu} & \mathrm{d}E \\ \mathrm{d}E & \mathrm{d}N \end{array} \right\}$	Northern sky (ultra faint)			
$dE = \sum_{k} \mathcal{B}_{k}^{k} \frac{dN_{\nu_{k}}}{dE}$	Segue I	23	$2.06 \times 10^{17}$	
$( \Delta k - \nu dE)$	Ursa Major II	30	$1.87 \times 10^{20}$	
	Segue II	35	$1.72 \times 10^{19}$	
	Willman I	38	$4.75 \times 10^{19}$	
	Coma	44	$8.32 \times 10^{19}$	
	Boötes I	66	$6.07 \times 10^{18}$	
	Ursa major I	97	$6.79 \times 10^{18}$	
	Hercules	132	$1.99 \times 10^{18}$	
	Canis Venatici II	160	$4.13 \times 10^{17}$	
$\mathbf{I}$	Canis Venatici I	218	$4.50 \times 10^{18}$	
$\Psi_{\rm Astro} \equiv J(\Delta \Omega) = \int d\Omega' \int \rho_{\rm dwarf}(r(s,\theta)) d\Omega'$	S Leo V	180	$1.88 \times 10^{16}$	
$J_{\Delta\Omega}$ $J_{los}$	LeoT	407	$4.80 \times 10^{17}$	
	Southern sky			
	Carina	101	$1.05 \times 10^{18}$	
	Fornax	138	$7.07 \times 10^{17}$	
	Sculptor	79	$4.30 \times 10^{18}$	
	Southern sky (ultra faint)			
	Leo IV	160	$2.14 \times 10^{16}$	
	Reticulum II	30	$5.88 \times 10^{20}$	

### DM spike and plateau sensitivity



### **DM spike parameters**

#### Minispike in dSphs:

	dSph	$r_0 \; [ m kpc]$	$ ho_0 ~[{ m GeV}~{ m cm}^{-3}]$	$R_{sp}   [ m pc]$	$ ho_{ m R}~[{ m GeV~cm^{-3}}]$
$M_{\rm BH} = 10^4 (10^2) M_{\odot}$	Draco	2.09	0.99	1.5(0.15)	$1.3 \times 10^3 (1.3 \times 10^4)$
$R_S = 9.57  imes 10^{-9} ( imes 10^{-12}) \; { m pc}$	Reticulum II	4.28	2.81	0.63(0.063)	$1.9  imes 10^4 (1.9  imes 10^5)$

Spike in super massive black holes:

SMBH	$M_{ m BH} \ [M_{\odot}]$	$R_{\rm S}$ [pc]	D  [Mpc]	$ ho_0 ~[{ m GeV}~{ m cm}^{-3}]$	$arPhi_{ m Astro} \; [{ m GeV^2 \; cm^{-5}}]$	Declination
M87	$6.4 \times 10^{9}$	$6.1 \times 10^{-4}$	16.4	2.3	$3.5 \times 10^{11}$	$+12^{\circ}$
CenA	$5.5 \times 10^{7}$	$5.3 \times 10^{-6}$	3	$9 \times 10^{5}$	$4.3  imes 10^{20}$	-43°
NGC1277	$1.7 \times 10^{10}$	$1.6 \times 10^{-3}$	20	495	$2.5  imes 10^{12}$	$+41^{\circ}$

 $t_{BH} = 10^{10}$  years,

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