

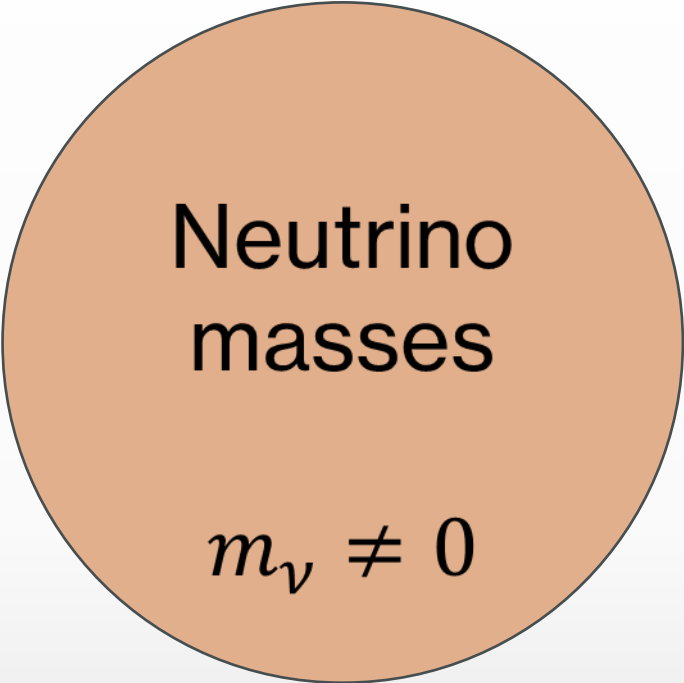
A Dirac neutrino portal to $SU(2)_D$ dark matter

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Motivation



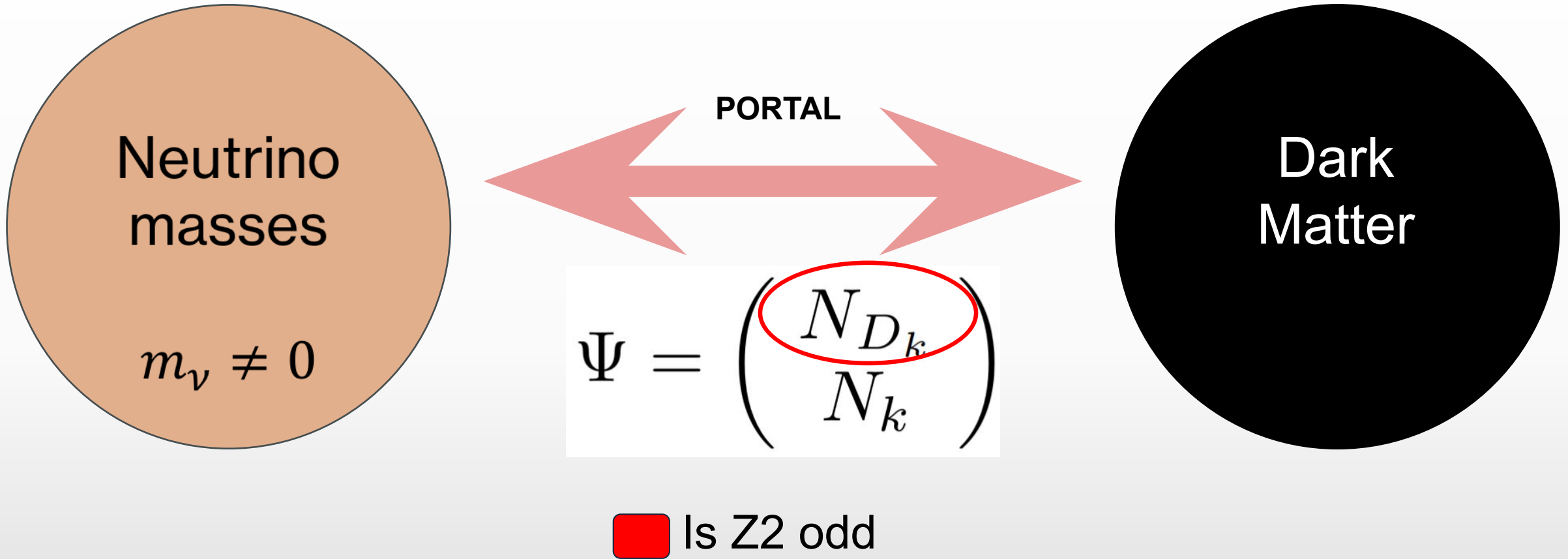
Neutrino
masses

$$m_\nu \neq 0$$



Dark
Matter

Motivation



We use the FPVDM construction [Belyaev et al., arXiv:2204.03510] an $SU(2)_D$ vector-like fermion doublet Ψ , in addition with a ν_R as the portal, applied here to Dirac neutrino masses.

The model

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L} = & \mathcal{L}_{SM} - \frac{1}{4} V_{\mu\nu}^a V^{a\mu\nu} + \sum_k \bar{\Psi}_k (iD - \mathbb{M}_\Psi)_{kk} \Psi_k + (D^\mu \Phi_D)^\dagger D_\mu \Phi_D \\ & + \mu_D^2 \Phi_D^\dagger \Phi_D - \lambda_D (\Phi_D^\dagger \Phi_D)^2 - \lambda_{HD} (\Phi^\dagger \Phi_D) |H|^2 \quad \boxed{k = 1, 2 \text{ and } l = e, \mu, \tau} \\ & + \sum_k i \bar{\nu}_{Rk} \partial \nu_{Rk} - \sum_{l,k} \mathbb{Y}_{lk}^\nu \bar{L}_l i \sigma_2 H^* \nu_{kR} - \sum_k \mathbb{Y}'_{kk} \bar{\Psi}_{kL} \Phi_D \nu_{kR} + h.c.\end{aligned}$$

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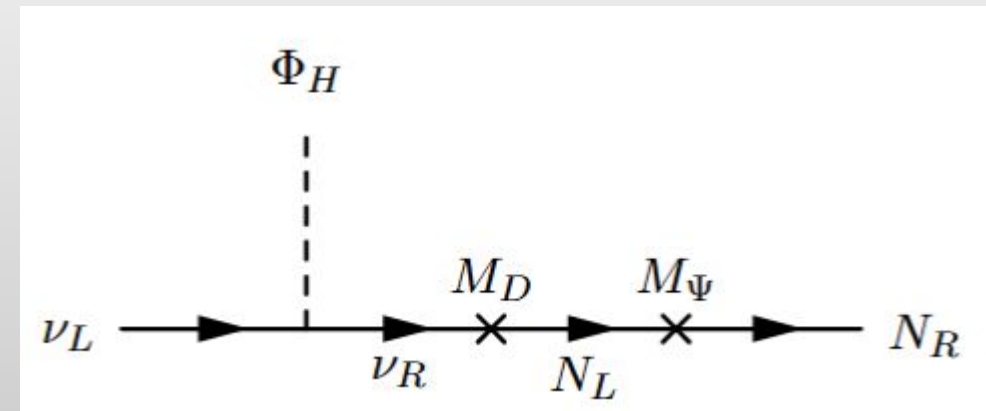
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Fields	$SU(2)_L$	$U(1)_Y$	$SU(2)_D$	$\mathbb{Z}_2$
$\Phi_D = \begin{pmatrix} \varphi_{1/2} \\ \varphi_{-1/2} \end{pmatrix}$	1	0	2	$\begin{matrix} - \\ + \end{matrix}$
$V_{D\mu} = \begin{pmatrix} V_{D\mu}^+ \\ V_{D\mu}^0 \\ V_{D\mu}^- \end{pmatrix}$	1	0	3	$\begin{matrix} - \\ + \\ - \end{matrix}$
$L = \begin{pmatrix} \nu_l \\ l \end{pmatrix}_L$	2	-1/2	1	$\begin{matrix} + \end{matrix}$
ν_{Rk}	1	0	1	$\begin{matrix} + \end{matrix}$
$\Psi_k = \begin{pmatrix} N_{Dk} \\ N_k \end{pmatrix}$	1	0	2	$\begin{matrix} - \\ + \end{matrix}$

There is also a $U(1)_{Y_D}$ global symmetry

- Dirac Neutrinos, lepton number conserved.
- Masses from a Dirac seesaw with ν_R .
- One massless neutrino (rank ≤ 2).



6-dimensional parameter space

In this work, we consider:

Dirac-seesaw limit

$$M_D \gg M_\Psi$$

No Higgs Portal

$$\lambda_{HD} = 0$$

Degeneracy in the fermion masses

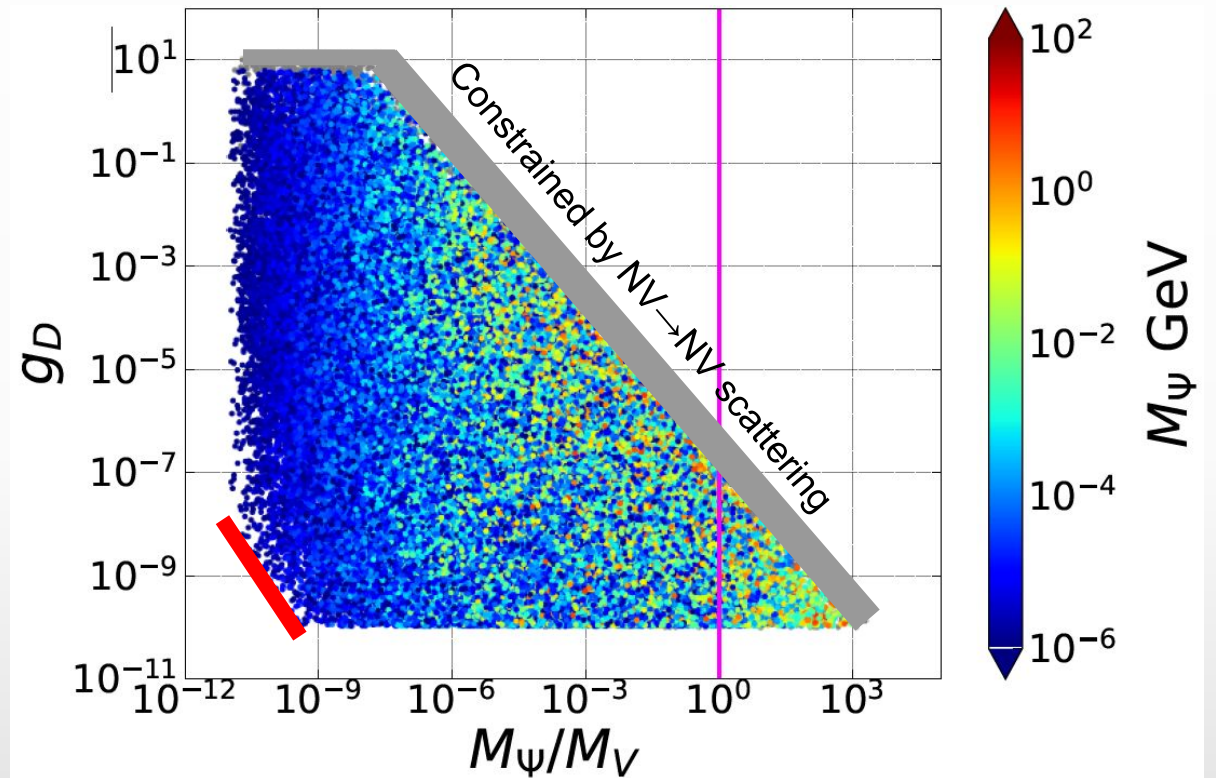
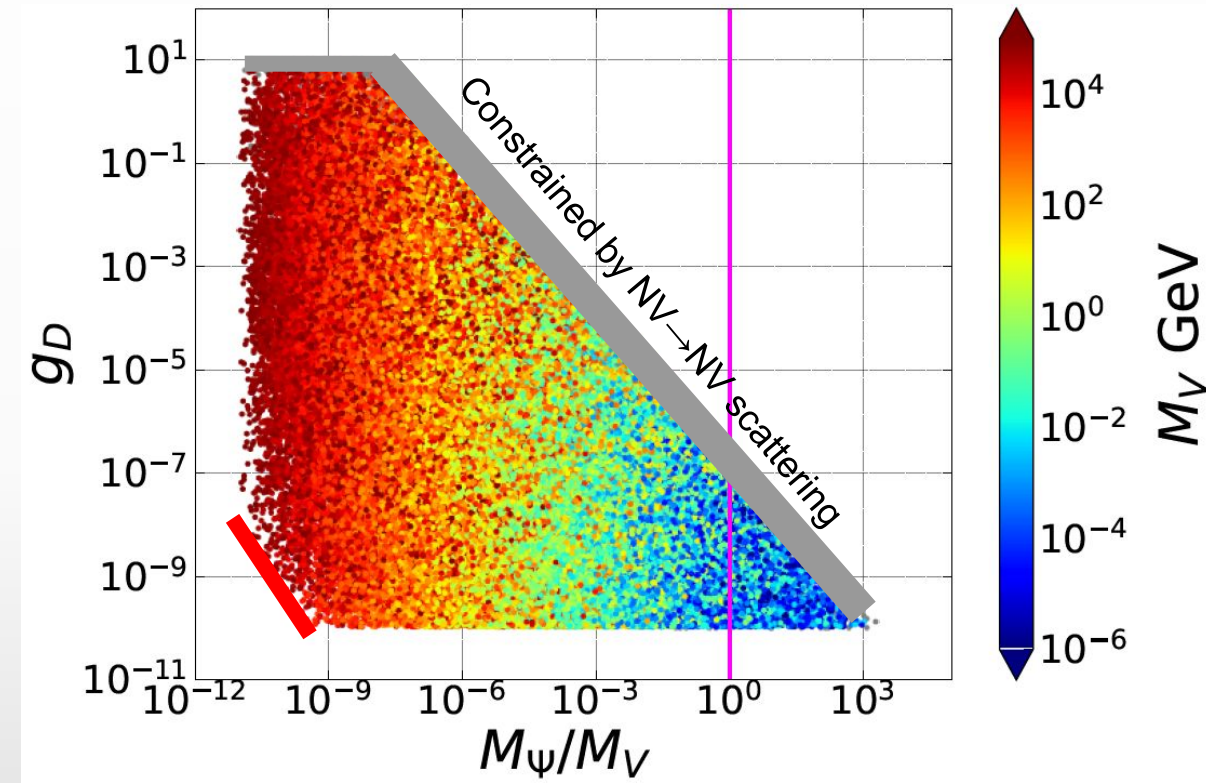
$$M_\Psi = M_{\Psi_1} = M_{\Psi_2}$$

$$M_D = M_{D_1} = M_{D_2}$$

 The lightest Z2-odd particle is the DM candidate

Parameter	Description
M_V 	Tree-level dark gauge-boson mass, $M_V = g_D v_D / 2$
M_Ψ 	Vector-like mass of the dark neutrino N_D
g_D	$SU(2)_D$ gauge coupling
M_{H_D}	Dark Higgs mass
M_D	Dirac portal mass, $M_D \sim Y' v_D$
ρ	Simplified angle parametrising a reduced 3×2 Y^ν Yukawa structure

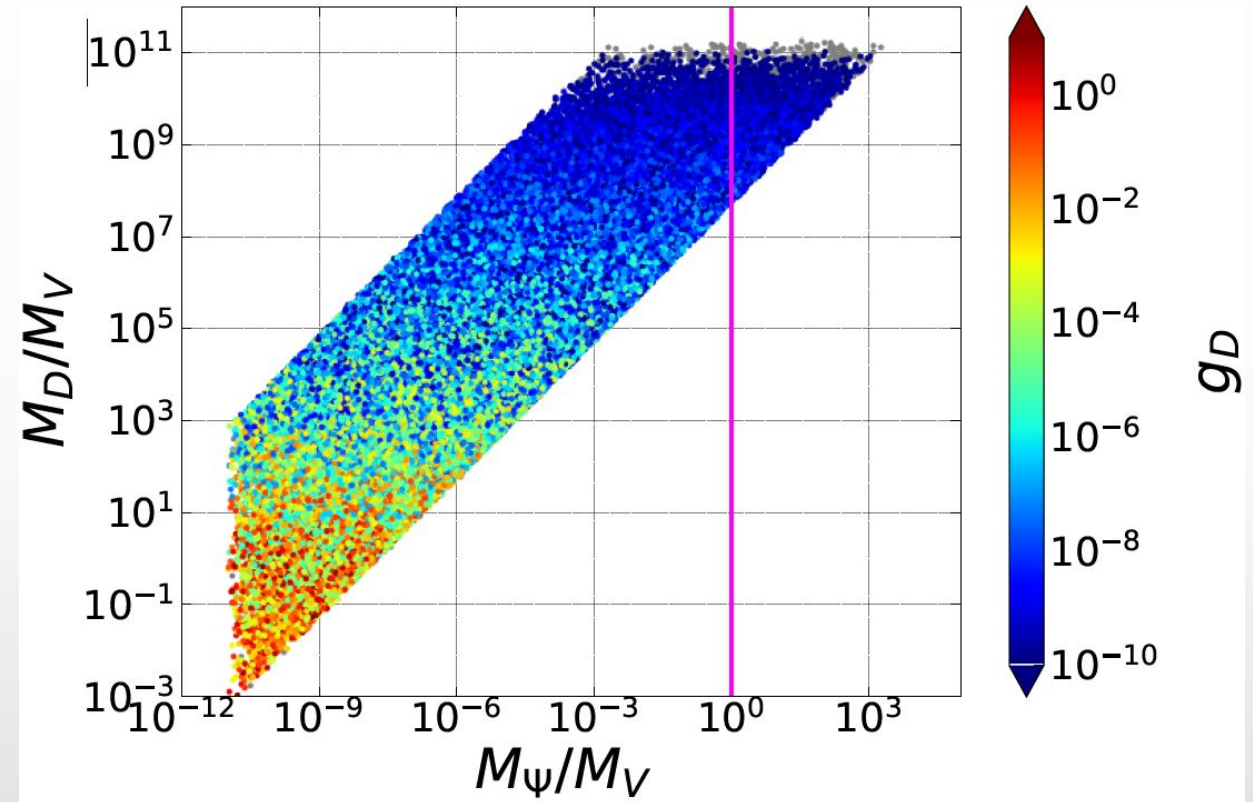
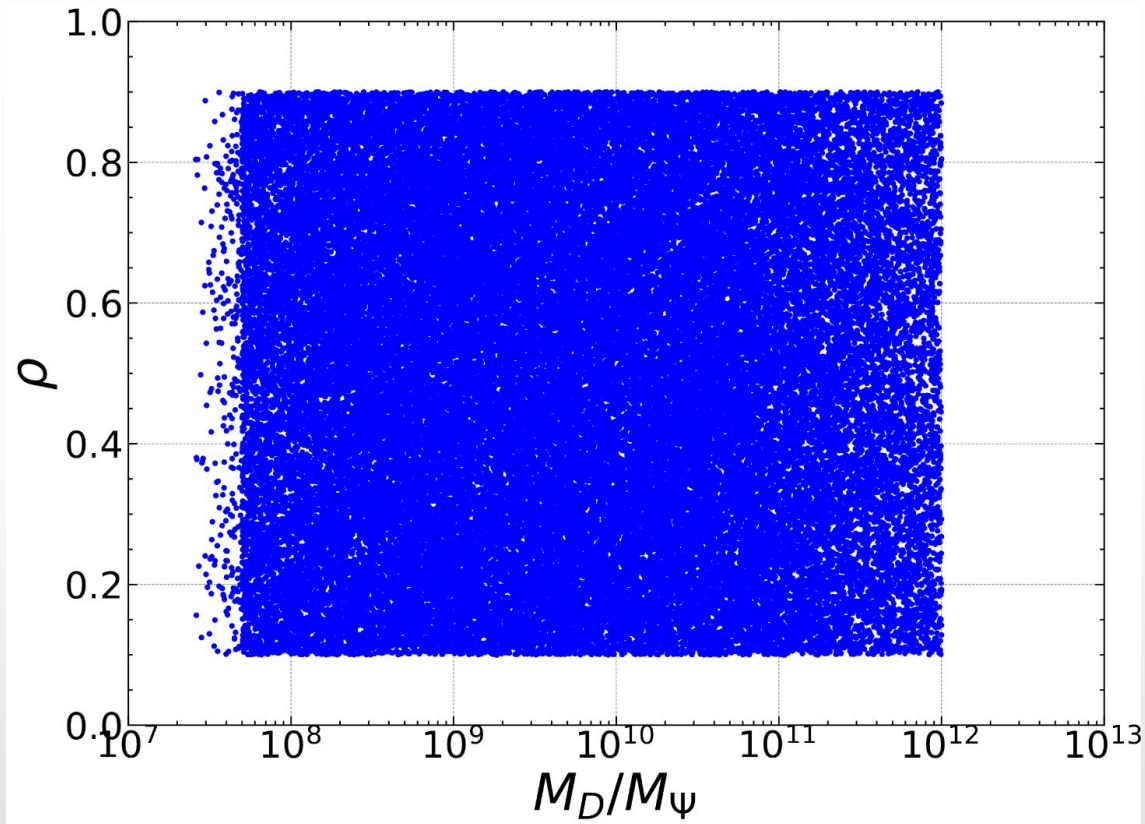
Scan: perturbativity + unitarity



The **lower-left diagonal region** in the plots corresponds to the limit where $Y' \simeq 10^{-6}$ and $Y_{ij}^v \simeq 4\pi$, whereas the **upper-right region** represents points from the parameter space with $Y_{ij}^v \simeq 10^{-6}$. It is important to mention that **these regions are already mildly constrained by the unitarity bound (gray points)** arising from the $NV \rightarrow NV$ scattering channel.

Relic density, direct detection, among other cosmology observables have **not** been applied yet!!

Dirac-seesaw hierarchy



$$m_\nu \sim Y^\nu v \cdot \frac{M_\Psi}{M_D}$$

- Dirac seesaw mechanism lift Y^ν between $\sim 10^{-6}$ to 4π
- From the Dirac-seesaw suppression arises small neutrino masses

Future Work

- Analyse separately the relic density in the allowed parameter space for the fermion (N_D) and Vector ($V_D^\pm$) DM candidate. Furthermore, compare in which scenario the relic density is full reproduced, i.e, freeze-out vs freeze-in (in the tiny g_D region).
- Identify regions of the parameter space that avoid direct detection (loop-induced γ - V mixing as in FPVDM) constraints.
- Discuss possible signals at colliders such as : HL-LHC and FCC-hh, only if g_D is sufficiently large and the dark-sector masses are around the electroweak/TeV scale.

$$V_L^+ V_L^- \rightarrow V_L^+ V_L^- : g_D^2 \left(\frac{2M_{H_D}^2}{M_V^2} + 1 \right) \leq 32\pi\sqrt{2}$$

$$N_L \bar{N}_L \rightarrow V_L^+ V_L^- : g_D^2 \left(\frac{4M_\Psi^2}{M_V^2} + 1 \right) \leq 128\sqrt{2}$$

$$N_L V_L^+ \rightarrow N_L V_L^+ : g_D^2 \left(\frac{M_D^2}{M_V^2} + 3 \right) \leq 24\pi\sqrt{2}$$

$$\nu_R V_L^+ \rightarrow \nu_R V_L^+ : g_D^2 \left| \frac{M_\Psi^2}{M_V^2} - 3 \right| \leq 24\pi\sqrt{2}$$

$$10^{-6} \leq |\mathbb{Y}'_{ii}| = \frac{M_D |g_D|}{\sqrt{2}M_V} \leq 4\pi$$

$$10^{-6} \leq |\mathbb{Y}^\nu_{ij}| = \frac{\sqrt{2}M_D}{vM_\Psi} \underbrace{|(m_a \vec{u}, m_b \vec{v})_{ij}|}_{\text{function of } \rho} \leq 4\pi$$

Tree-level partial-wave unitarity

$$a_0(s) = \frac{1}{32\pi} \int_{-1}^1 \mathcal{M} d\cos\theta$$

$$\text{with } \text{Re}(a_0) \leq 1/2$$

The subscript L in $V^\pm$ stands for longitudinal degrees of freedom, while, in the fermion N denotes a left-handed neutrino.

HIERCHACHY IN THE YUKAWA COUPLINGS

Yukawa coupling for Dirac neutrinos in the SM typically $y \sim 10^{-13}$. In order to have sizeable couplings, we choose: $y \geq 10^{-6}$