# Freeze-in Leptogenesis via Dark Matter Oscillations

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# Main Questions

- Is it possible to produce both the observed DM energy density and baryon asymmetry?
- What is the viable mass-lifetime parameter space for  $\Phi$ ?
  - What are the prospects for probing our model at colliders?
- How heavy can the dark matter mass eigenstates be?
  - Can we satisfy structure formation constraints?

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### **SM** Processes

 $\mathcal{X}^{\alpha}$  asymmetries "seed" a flavor summed asymmetry, which is converted to a baryon asymmetry



Cline, arXiv:0609145

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#### Two Scalar

- Φ<sub>2</sub>: a stand-in for unspecified source of coherent *χ* background
- Asymmetry is generated at order  $F^4$  from  $\Phi_2$  decays and  $\Phi_1$  inverse decays
- Small F coupling (F ≤ 10<sup>-7</sup>) leads to long Φ<sub>1</sub> lifetimes, (cτ ≥ 1 cm are favored if Φ<sub>1</sub> couples indiscriminately to χ<sub>1</sub> vs. χ<sub>2</sub>)

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Must be tiny,  $\lesssim 10^{-12}$ 

- Asymmetry at order  $F^4\lambda^2$
- If λ coupling large enough, it comes into equilibrium, so asymmetry effectively arises at order *F*<sup>4</sup> (details depend on flavor structure of λ)
  - No longer need to take θ to be small, though smaller θ leads to an increase in the allowed parameter space































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Decays Outside Detector (CMS HSCP)

CMS Collaboration, EXO-16-036-pas

# Summary

- We propose a simple model that combines mechanisms for DM production and leptogenesis
- Various asymmetry generating scenarios lead to a broad range of possibilities for the scalar lifetime
- DM and leptogenesis constraints favor scalar masses in the hundreds of GeV to TeV range