Messenger inflation in gauge mediation and superWIMP dark matter

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Constraints on inflation



SUSY Higgs Inflation

- MSSM no good, NMSSM good [Einhorn & Jones 2009]
- NMSSM model unstable [Ferrara Kallosh Linde Marrani Van Proeyen, 1004.0712]
- Instability removed if appropriate Kähler potential is used [Ferrara Kallosh Linde Marrani Van Proeyen, 1008.2942]
- SU(5) SUSY GUT Higgs inflation [Arai, SK, Okada 1107.4767]
- SUSY seesaw (LHu) inflation [Arai, SK, Okada 1112.2391]

MSSM really cannot accommodate this type of inflation models?

It does!

If SUSY breaking sector is included.

	Gravity mediation	Gauge mediation
Coupling	Planck suppressed ops	MSSM gauge
FCNC	Challenging	Naturally suppressed
μ -problem	Simple	Challenging
DM	Neutralino	Gravitino

Minimal GMSB

 N_5 , M, Λ , $\tan\beta$, y, $\operatorname{sign}\mu$

Superpotential

 $W = (yS + M)\overline{\Phi}\Phi + W_{\text{hid}}(S),$

Messenger field

$$\overline{\Phi} = (D^c, \overline{L}), \quad \Phi = (D, L),$$
$$\times N_5 \text{ sets}$$

	$SU(3)_c$	$SU(2)_L$	$U(1)_Y$
D^{c}	3^*	1	+1/3
\overline{L}	1	2	-1/2
D	3	1	-1/3
L	1	2	+1/2

$$\langle S \rangle = 0 + \theta^2 F_S, \qquad \langle \Phi \rangle = \langle \overline{\Phi} \rangle = 0.$$

 $\alpha_a \equiv \frac{g_a^2}{4\pi} \Lambda, \qquad \Lambda \equiv \frac{yF_S}{M}.$

Gaugino mass

$$M_a = N_5 \frac{\alpha_a}{4\pi} \Lambda,$$

Soft mass

$$m_i^2 = 2N_5\Lambda^2 \sum_{a=1}^3 C_a(R_i) \left(\frac{\alpha_a}{4\pi}\right)^2.$$

Gravitino mass

$$m_{3/2} = \frac{F_S}{\sqrt{3}M_{\rm P}},$$

Messenger inflation

Superpotential

 $W = (yS + M)\overline{\Phi}\Phi + W_{\text{hid}}(S),$

Kähler potential (superconformal framework)

 $\mathcal{K} = -3M_{\rm P}^2 + (|\overline{\Phi}|^2 + |\Phi|^2 + |S|^2) - \frac{3}{2}\gamma (\overline{\Phi}\Phi + \text{h.c.}) + \cdots,$

Scalar potential (Einstein frame)

$$V_{\rm E}(\varphi) = \frac{y^2}{16} \frac{\varphi^4}{(M_{\rm P}^2 + \xi \varphi^2)^2} \cdot \left(\xi = \frac{\gamma}{4} - \frac{1}{6}\right)$$



SuperWIMP DM

Neutralino NLSP decay \rightarrow gravitino DM

 $\Omega_{3/2}h^2 = \Omega_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0}h^2 \times \left(\frac{m_{3/2}}{m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0}}\right) = 0.120,$

This constrains the model parameters

Another requirement is Higgs mass = 125.1 GeV

mGMSB parameters: N_5 , M, Λ , $\tan \beta$, y, sign μ

5 (+1) → **3 (+1)**

If $N_5 = 1$, $\tan \beta = 10$ are fixed and $\mu > 0$, there is only one parameter left (M)

Messenger Inflation: CMB



Summary

- Inflation in the flat direction of the messenger fields of minimal GMSB
- Higgs mass and superWIMP DM abundance as constraints
- CMB spectrum \iff messenger mass M
- Energetic gravitino: large free streaming length (warm DM)

 $\lambda_{\rm FS} \simeq 0.1 \; {
m Mpc}$ Small scale structure formation

Backup slides

Benchmark model

$N_5 = 1, \ \tan \beta = 10$

Inflaton (messenger) decay via

 $W \supset y_L \overline{L} H_d e^c + y_D D^c H_d Q,$

Reheating temperature

$$T_{\rm rh} \simeq \frac{y_L}{2\pi} \sqrt{MM_{\rm P}} \left(\frac{45}{2g_*}\right)^{1/4}.$$

 $10^3 \text{ GeV} \lesssim T_{\text{rh}} \lesssim 10^6 \text{ GeV}$

neutralino thermal production

no gravitino thermal production

$$y_L \sim 10^{-8}$$

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Lifetime of bino-like neutralino \approx 1 sec

Gravitino free streaming length

 $\lambda_{\rm FS} \simeq 0.1 \ {\rm Mpc}$

Small scale structure formation