# Dark Matter from a Vector Field in a non-trivial representation of SU(2)\_L

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### Motivation

$$\mathcal{L} = -\frac{1}{2} Tr \{ G_{\mu\nu} G^{\mu\nu} \} - Tr \{ D_{\mu} V_{\nu} D^{\mu} V^{\nu} \} + Tr \{ D_{\mu} V_{\nu} D^{\nu} V^{\mu} \} - \frac{g^2}{2} Tr \{ [V_{\mu}, V_{\nu}] [V^{\mu}, V^{\nu}] \} - igTr \{ G_{\mu\nu} [V^{\mu}, V^{\nu}] \} + M^2 Tr \{ V_{\nu} V^{\nu} \}$$

V is a massive vector field in the adjoint representation of a local SU(N)

This Lagrangian is consistent with perturbative unitarity at tree level due to two crucial facts:

- It has an accidental Z<sub>2</sub> symmetry
- There is only one coupling constant: the gauge coupling constant

### The Minimal Isotriplet Vector Dark Matter Model

A.Belyaev, G. Cacciapaglia, J. McKey, D. Marin and A. Zerwekh ArXiv:1808.10464

$$\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}_{SM} - Tr \{ D_{\mu}V_{\nu}D^{\mu}V^{\nu} \} + Tr \{ D_{\mu}V_{\nu}D^{\nu}V^{\mu} \} \\ -\frac{g^{2}}{2}Tr \{ [V_{\mu}, V_{\nu}] [V^{\mu}, V^{\nu}] \} \\ -igTr \{ W_{\mu\nu} [V^{\mu}, V^{\nu}] \} + \tilde{M}^{2}Tr \{ V_{\nu}V^{\nu} \} \\ + a \left( \Phi^{\dagger}\Phi \right) Tr \{ V_{\nu}V^{\nu} \} \\ \text{Higgs doublet}$$

 $D_{\mu}~~$  is the covariant derivative of SU(2)

#### Only two free parameters: a and M

$$a^{1-\text{loop}} = -3\frac{\alpha^2}{\sin\theta_W^4} \ln\frac{\Lambda}{M_V} \approx -0.0037 \ln\frac{\Lambda}{M_V}$$

## Unitarity

$$\sigma_l(k) \le \frac{4\pi \left(2l+1\right)}{k^2}$$

$$\Lambda \approx \frac{8\sqrt{\pi}M_V^2}{\sqrt{4a^2v^2 + 3g^2M_W^2}}$$





### Radiative corrections produce mass splitting



# $\Delta M \approx 210 MeV$ $V^{\pm} \to V^0 e^{\pm} \nu \qquad V^{\pm} \to V^0 \pi^{\pm}$





# Interaction between V<sup>o</sup> and quarks (low energy)



### **Experimental Constrains**









a = 0.1



a = +/- 1(dashed) and a = +/- 5

The colour code uses red for positive values and blue for negative. The coloured bands are the experimentally allowed regions at 95 % CL from ATLAS (pink) and CMS (yellow), while the orange band shows the overlap





### What about the LHC ?



# A Vector in the fundamental representation of $SU(2)_{L}$

Bastián Díaz, Marcela González, Felipe Rojas, A. Z.

Arxiv: 1810.06375

$$L = (D_{\mu}V_{\nu} - D_{\nu}V_{\mu})^{\dagger} (D^{\mu}V^{\nu} - D^{\nu}V^{\mu}) + \frac{1}{2}M^{2}V_{\mu}^{\dagger}V^{\mu} + \lambda_{2}(\phi^{\dagger}\phi)(V_{\mu}^{\dagger}V^{\mu}) + \lambda_{3}(\phi^{\dagger}V_{\mu})(V^{\mu\dagger}\phi) + \lambda_{4}(V_{\mu}^{\dagger}\phi)(\phi^{\dagger}V^{\mu}) + \alpha_{1} [\phi^{\dagger}D_{\mu}V^{\mu} + (D_{\mu}V^{\mu})^{\dagger}\phi] + \alpha_{2} [V_{\mu}^{\dagger}(D^{\mu}\phi) + (D_{\mu}\phi)^{\dagger}V^{\mu\dagger}] + \alpha_{3}(V_{\mu}^{\dagger}V^{\mu})(V_{\nu}^{\dagger}V^{\nu}) + \alpha_{4}(V_{\mu}^{\dagger}V^{\nu})(V_{\nu}^{\dagger}V^{\mu})$$

 $V_{\mu} = \begin{pmatrix} V_{\mu}^+ \\ V_{\mu}^0 + i V_{\mu}^1 \end{pmatrix}$ 

It is not possible to couple V to standard fermions without introducing exotic vector-like fermions

Very nice but already invented by M.V. Chizhov and G. Dvali, PLB 703 (2011) 593



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## Conclusions

- We have found a consistent theoretical construction to couple a massive vector matter field to a gauge field
- We built an extension of the SM incorporating the new vector matter field and the model contains a natural dark matter candidate.
- The new Z<sub>2</sub> symmetry is motivated by theory and not imposed by hand.
- The model is consistent with collider and cosmological data
- A Vector in the Fundamental Representation offers a nice DM candidate but the model is more strongly challenged by data and by unitarity contrains



"After the discovery of 'antimatter' and 'dark matter', we have just confirmed the existence of 'doesn't matter', which does not have any influence on the Universe whatsoever."

A typical case of "doesn't matter"

Thank you