Minimal dark matter model for muon g-2 with scalar lepton partners at the TeV scale

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Outline

- Motivation: muon g-2 anomaly
- A minimal framework: two sets of muonic scalars and a Majorana
- DM production mechanism
- Theoretical consistency constraints
- Direct detection
- Conclusions

Motivation: FNAL measurement





 $a_{\mu}(FNAL) = 116592040(54) \times 10^{-11}(0.46 \ ppm)$ $a_{\mu}(BNL) = 116592080(54)(33) \times 10^{-11}(0.54 \ ppm)$ $a_{\mu}(\exp) = 116592061(41) \times 10^{-11}(0.35 \ ppm)$ $a_{\mu}(SM) = 116591810(43) \times 10^{-11}(0.37 \ ppm)$



Assume new physics



Muon g-2 contribution



Additional gauge invariant terms and MFV

- Interactions of extra states with SM gauge fields are implied
- Take MSSM as benchmark
- Only 1 light SM Higgs-like state
- LR mixing comes from the A-term

Take home message: We are working in the "large y" regime where MFV assumption is relaxed!

$$\mathcal{L} \supset m_Z^2 \sum_{j} S_j^{\dagger} \left(\hat{T}_3 - \hat{Q}_{em} s_W^2 \right) S_j \left(1 + \frac{h}{v} \right)^2$$

$$\frac{m_{LR}^2}{\nu} h(\tilde{\mu}_L \tilde{\mu}_R^{\dagger} + \text{h.c.})$$

$$A_{\mu} = m_{LR}^2 / \mathbf{v} = \mathbf{g} \mathbf{M}_W \mathbf{y}$$

cf. Minimal flavor violation (MFV) + weak scale-TeV dimensionful coupling

$$A_{\mu} \sim (muon Yukawa)(weak scale)$$

DM production mechanism

Standard lore:

S-wave annihilation

-need mass insertion ($\sim m_{\mu}^{2}/M^{2}$) to conserve angular momentum or LR mixing of scalars (killed by MFV)

P-wave annihilation

-leads to O(1) pb cross section for
 ~100 GeV sleptons; excluded by
 collider searches

"Incredible bulk"^[1]

WIMP thermal freeze-out?



[1] Fukushima, K., Kelso, C., Kumar, J., Sandick, P., & Yamamoto, T. (2014). 7 MSSM dark matter and a light slepton sector: The incredible bulk. Physical Review D, 90(9), 095007.

DM production mechanism

Coannihilations

$$\frac{dn}{dt} + 3Hn = -\langle \sigma v \rangle_{eff} \left(n^2 - n_{eq}^2 \right)$$

$$\langle \sigma_{\text{eff}} v \rangle(T) = \sum_{ij} \langle \sigma_{ij} v \rangle(T) \frac{n_i^{\text{eq}}(T) n_j^{\text{eq}}(T)}{[n^{\text{eq}}(T)]^2}$$
$$= \frac{\int_0^\infty dp_{\text{eff}} p_{\text{eff}}^2 W_{\text{eff}}(s) K_1(\frac{\sqrt{s}}{T})}{m_1^4 T [\sum_i \frac{g_i}{g_1} \frac{m_i^2}{m_1^2} K_2(\frac{m_i}{T})]^2}$$

$$W_{\text{eff}}(s) = \sum_{ij} \frac{p_{ij}}{p_{11}} \frac{g_i g_j}{g_1^2} W_{ij}$$

= $\sum_{ij} \sqrt{\frac{[s - (m_i - m_j)^2][s - (m_i + m_j)^2]}{s(s - 4m_1^2)}} \frac{g_i g_j}{g_1^2} W_{ij}$







Take home message: Low *y* explored in old MSSM scans; relaxing MFV and considering compressed spectra leads to TeV scale particles

Theoretical consistency: Perturbative unitarity



Implemented using SARAH-SPheno interfacing

Careful not to pick up the poles and thresholds!

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Theoretical consistency: EW vacuum stability

$$V_{2} = \frac{m_{LL}^{2}}{2} (X^{2} + Y^{2}) + \frac{m_{RR}^{2}}{2} Z^{2} + \frac{\mu^{2}}{2} h^{2}$$
$$V_{\text{mix}} = \frac{k_{s}}{\sqrt{2}} h Y Z$$

$$V_D^{(1)} = \frac{g^2}{32} [h^2 - (X^2 + Y^2) + 2Y_R Z^2]^2$$

$$V_D^{(2)} = \frac{g^2}{32} [h^4 - 2h^2(X^2 - Y^2) + (X^2 + Y^2)^2].$$

- Absolute stability
- Metastability
 - Equivalent to setting the bounce action B at least 440
- Used FindBounce to compute B

$$B = \int_0^\infty d\rho [\mathcal{T} + \mathcal{V}], \qquad \mathcal{T} = \frac{\pi^2}{2} \rho^3 \left[\frac{1}{2} \sum_{\phi=h,Y,Z} \left(\frac{d\phi}{d\rho} \right)^2 \right],$$
$$\mathcal{V} = \frac{\pi^2}{2} \rho^3 V_{\text{tot}}(h,Y,Z)$$





Direct detection



LZ Dark Matter Twitter Page, Retrieved from https://twitter.com/lzdarkmatter/status/ 1251610953231335430

$$\mathcal{L}_{\tilde{B}^{0}q} = c_{q}^{(0)} \bar{\tilde{B}}^{0} \tilde{B}^{0} m_{q} \bar{q}q + c_{q}^{(1)} \bar{\tilde{B}}^{0} \gamma_{\mu} \gamma^{5} \tilde{B}^{0} \bar{q} \gamma^{\mu} \gamma^{5} q$$
$$+ e Q_{q} c_{A}(k^{2}) \bar{\tilde{B}}^{0} \gamma_{\mu} \gamma^{5} \tilde{B}^{0} \bar{q} \gamma^{\mu} q$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{NREFT}} = \sum_{N=p,n} [c_N^{(0)} \mathcal{O}_1^{(N)} - 4c_N^{(1)} \mathcal{O}_9^{(N)}] \qquad \mathcal{O}_8 \equiv \vec{S}_{\chi} \cdot \vec{v}^{\perp}, - ec_A(k^2) [2\mathcal{O}_8^{(p)} - 2\mathcal{O}_9^{(p)}], \qquad \mathcal{O}_9 \equiv i\vec{S}_{\chi} \cdot \left(\vec{S}_N \times \frac{\vec{k}}{m_N}\right)$$



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Direct detection: bino-like DM



Summary

- We assessed the viability of a minimal setup involving two muonic scalars and a Majorana fermion to resolve the muon g-2 anomaly and provide for a DM candidate
- Relaxing MFV + compressed spectra at TeV = DM production through coannihilations
- Deviating too much from MFV may violate perturbative unitarity and EW vacuum (meta)stability
- Direct detection weakly constrains the model, warrants alternative ways of probing the model, e.g. lepton collider, NS heating

Thank you for your attention.

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