

Complementarity between Direct, Indirect, and Collider Searches

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Summary

WIMP Dark Matter

DM Exists!

- Cosmic Microwave Background
- Galaxy Rotation Curves
- □ Large Scale Structure
- Bullet Cluster
- Many more





Relic density hints at electroweak interactions:

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Searching for WIMP Dark Matter

- Annihilation diagram must exist, giving indirect detection signatures
- Crossing symmetry predicts direct detection and collider signatures
- All of these processes can have highly suppressed rates!









Direct Detection





Collider Production



Supersymmetry

- Possible symmetry of nature, relating bosons and fermions
- Each particle has a Supersymmetric partner with opposite Spin-statistics



- Eliminates large radiative corrections to scalar masses ("Hierarchy problem")
- Must be broken at or above electroweak scale (scalar and fermionic components don't have the same mass!)

Minimal Supersymmetry

- Smallest possible particle content for a supersymmetric theory (super-partners for every SM particle and an extra Higgs doublet)
- Need an approximate Z₂ symmetry (R-parity) to stabilize proton
- Exact R-parity means that superparticle number is conserved → lightest supersymmetric particle (LSP) is stable and can be dark matter
- Neutralino LSP is a neutral majorana fermion
 - \Box Mixture of the super-partners of neutral bosons (Z, γ , h, H)
 - □ Masses mostly above electroweak scale, so better to use electroweak eigenstate basis $(B, W, h_1, h_2) \rightarrow (\tilde{B}, \tilde{W}, \tilde{h}_1, \tilde{h}_2)$ ("bino, wino, Higgsinos")

Dark Matter in the MSSM

- Considering complete models provides a global picture, including effects that can't be described by a simplified model (important for LHC constraints)
- The MSSM is theoretically well-motivated (hierarchy problem, gauge coupling unification).
- In some cases, other new physics scenarios can predict MSSM-like DM phenomenology.
- Study models with a neutralino LSP

The p(henomenological) MSSM

General MSSM Lagrangian (~105 parameters) +

Minimal Flavor Violation No new CP phases Flavor-Diagonal Sparticle Mass Matrices 1st and 2nd generations degenerate R-parity Conservation

= 19 weak scale parameters

 $(M_1, M_2, M_3, \mu, \tan \beta, M_A, q_{1,3}, u_{1,3}, d_{1,3}, I_{1,3}, e_{1,3}, A_{t,b,\tau})$

- No assumptions about high scale physics (e.g. Grand Unification)
- Large parameter space requires random scan (not comprehensive).
- Number of model points limited by CPU hours available

Complementarity in the pMSSM

Goal: Understand how different experiments complement each other to achieve sensitivity to as much of the pMSSM parameter space as possible

- Scan sparticle masses up to 4 TeV, motivated by LHC reach (results in LSPs between 40 GeV and 2 TeV)
- Ensure that model points are compatible with pre-LHC data (precision EW, heavy flavor, LEP limits, Direct Detection)
- Require $\Omega_{LSP} \leq \Omega_{WMAP}$ (Note inequality!)
- Result: ~220k pMSSM models that we can test against current and planned experiments (direct detection, indirect detection and collider-based)

LSP properties in the MSSM

Bino LSPs are SM singlets, so some annihilation mechanism is required to avoid LSP overproduction:



- Wino and Higgsino LSPs annihilate through gauge/yukawa interactions.
 - Additional annihilation mechanisms not required unless LSP mass is large.
- Mixed states generally have intermediate properties, large direct detection rates.

LSP properties: Relic Density



Direct Detection

- Limits in mass-σ plane can be directly applied with factor of 4 theory uncertainty.
- Mixed states give large direct detection signals.
- Combined LZ spin-independent (SI) and spin-dependent (SD) measurements will be sensitive to entire Z/h funnel region



Xenon 2011 Xenon 2012

Xenon 1T

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Indirect Detection: Gamma Rays

- Look for high-energy photons from DM annihilation in GC or dwarf galaxies
- LSP annihilates into combination of final states (W+W-, bb, tt, ...), so each model produces a unique annihilation spectrum (calculated with DarkSUSY 5.0.5).
- Fermi limits obtained by assuming a factor of 10 improvement (more dwarfs + longer integration) over 2year dwarf analysis (see Author, 1111.2604).
- CTA limits calculated including the US contribution, assuming 500 hours exposure to galactic center SR.
- Assume NFW profile with scale radius of 20 kpc, normalized to 0.4 GeV/cm³ at the solar radius.

Indirect Detection: Gamma Rays

- Fermi sensitive to bino-Higgsino admixtures and a few bino-like LSPs.
- CTA sensitive to heavy winos and Higgsinos, many bino-Higgsino admixtures and a few binos.
- Models with resonant or co-annihilations have very low present-day annihilation rates.



Indirect Detection: Neutrinos

- Neutralinos captured in the sun annihilate to produce high-energy neutrinos, which can be seen by IceCube.
- Once capture-annihilation equilibrium is achieved (~ ¹/₂ of models), neutrino flux depends only on capture rate. Remaining models have very low flux.
- Neutrino flux spectrum calculated for each model using DarkSUSY 5.0.5.
- See Name 1105.1199 for details of our analysis.

Indirect Detection: IceCube

- Sensitive to bino-Higgsino and wino-Higgsino admixtures.
- SI and SD LZ combine to cover IceCube excluded region.
- Signal and systematic effects differ from those in direct detection experiments.
 - Would confirm a direct detection discovery and aid in characterizing the LSP



Collider Searches: LHC

- Simulated 37 LHC searches at 7/8 TeV (Missing energy-based, stable charged particle and disappearing track searches)
- Low sensitivity to models with inaccessible squarks and gluinos or a heavy neutralino (compressed spectra).



 14 TeV constraints will be shown later

LSP properties: Relic Density



Combined searches – What's left?



Putting it all Together

- LZ sensitive to all LSP masses but misses pure states
- LHC sensitivity drops off sharply above ~700 GeV
- CTA sensitivity low for light LSPs or small relic density





Putting it all Together



The 14 TeV LHC

- Simulated planned 14 TeV Jets+MET and Stop searches.
- LHC 14 will be sensitive to LSPs up to ~1.3 TeV if colored sparticles are relatively light.
- Direct bounds on LSPs expected to remain weak, strongly dependent on control of systematics.



Conclusions

- LZ, CTA, and LHC combine to exclude many interesting scenarios (heavy winos/Higgsinos, "well-tempered" neutralinos, Z/h funnel).
- Fermi and IceCube don't increase exclusion reach substantially, but would be instrumental in confirming and characterizing any discovery.
- Only co-annihilating and resonantly annihilating binos can still saturate relic density. Strong motivation to improve compressed spectrum searches at the LHC! Possible target for linear collider if light enough.
- Combination of direct detection, indirect detection and collider measurements in the coming decade will aggressively test the WIMP paradigm!

Backup Slides

Model Set Generation

Scan Ranges:

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\begin{array}{l} 50 \; {\rm GeV} \leq |{\rm M_1}| \leq 4 \; {\rm TeV} \\ 100 \; {\rm GeV} \leq |{\rm M_2}, \; \mu| \leq 4 \; {\rm TeV} \\ 400 \; {\rm GeV} \leq {\rm M_3} \leq 4 \; {\rm TeV} \\ 1 \leq \tan \beta \leq 60 \\ 100 \; {\rm GeV} \leq {\rm M_A}, \; {\rm I}, \; {\rm e} \leq 4 \; {\rm TeV} \\ 400 \; {\rm GeV} \leq {\rm q_1}, \; {\rm u_1}, \; {\rm d_1} \leq 4 \; {\rm TeV} \\ 200 \; {\rm GeV} \leq {\rm q_3}, \; {\rm u_3}, \; {\rm d_3} \leq 4 \; {\rm TeV} \\ |{\rm A_{t,b,t}}| \leq 4 \; {\rm TeV} \end{array}
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Calculations:

- Generate spectra with SOFTSUSY, cross-check with SuSpect.
- Calculate sparticle decays with modified SUSY-HIT.
- Calculate thermal relic density of LSP with micrOMEGAs.
- ~2.2×10⁵ points with a neutralino LSP (45k models have m_h = 126 ± 3 GeV).

Model Generation: Constraints

Constraints from precision electroweak data, flavor physics, collider limits, cosmology, and Higgs measurements.

LHC Higgs mass not used in model generation (pre-dates Higgs discovery).

Direct searches for sparticles and DM searches are highly independent of m_h within the LEP-allowed range.

Electroweak	$(g-2)_{\mu}, \Gamma_{inv}, \Delta \rho$
Flavor	$b \to s\gamma, \ B_s \to \mu\mu, \ B \to \tau\nu$
Collider Limits	Charged sparticles above 100 GeV (LEP),
	Model-independent LHC bounds on stable charged particles
Cosmology	Direct detection constraints (Xenon 2011),
	Ω_{LSP} less than or equal to Ω_{DM}
Higgs Sector	$\Phi \rightarrow \tau \tau$ constraints on H, A; only LEP limit on m _h *

Simulating the LHC Searches

- For each point, we generate events with PYTHIA, scale to NLO with Prospino, and pass through PGS for detector simulation.
- PYTHIA and PGS modified extensively to deal with long-lived sparticles:
 - □ Added object beta and production location to PGS output
 - □ Included hadronization for metastable squarks/gluinos
 - □ Altered momentum resolution and MET calculation to treat HSCPs correctly
- Analysis code applies the published cuts and compares the results for each channel with limits calculated using the CLs procedure.
- Analysis code validated for each search region by comparing with ATLAS benchmarks.
- 34 ATLAS + 3 CMS searches simulated! (MET-based, HSCP and Displaced Vertices)

MET-based SUSY searches

7 TeV searches

Search	Reference
2-6 jets	ATLAS-CONF-2012-033
multijets	ATLAS-CONF-2012-037
1 lepton	ATLAS-CONF-2012-041
3rd Gen. Squarks (3b)	1207.4686
Very Light Stop	ATLAS-CONF-2012-059
Medium Stop	ATLAS-CONF-2012-071
Heavy Stop (0ℓ)	1208.1447
Heavy Stop (1ℓ)	1208.2590
GMSB Direct Stop	1204.6736
Direct Sbottom	ATLAS-CONF-2012-106
3 leptons	ATLAS-CONF-2012-108
1-2 leptons	1208.4688
Slepton/gaugino (2ℓ)	1208.2884
Gaugino (3ℓ)	1208.3144
4 leptons	1210.4457
1 lepton + many jets	ATLAS-CONF-2012-140
1 lepton + γ	ATLAS-CONF-2012-144
$\gamma + b$	1211.1167
$\gamma\gamma + MET$	1209.0753

8 TeV searches

Search	Reference
2-6 jets	ATLAS-CONF-2012-109
multijets	ATLAS-CONF-2012-103
1 lepton	ATLAS-CONF-2012-104
SS dileptons	ATLAS-CONF-2012-105
2-6 jets	ATLAS-CONF-2013-047
Medium Stop (2ℓ)	ATLAS-CONF-2012-167
Med./Heavy Stop (1ℓ)	ATLAS-CONF-2012-166
Direct Sbottom $(2b)$	ATLAS-CONF-2012-165
3rd Gen. Squarks (3b)	ATLAS-CONF-2012-145
3rd Gen. Squarks (3ℓ)	ATLAS-CONF-2012-151
3 leptons	ATLAS-CONF-2012-154
4 leptons	ATLAS-CONF-2012-153
Z + jets + MET	ATLAS-CONF-2012-152

Total: 32 ATLAS searches

LSP masses: pure states



LSP Relic Densities: pure states



Indirect detection: Boost Factors



LHC Searches: Colored sparticles

ATLAS Simplified Model (Massless LSP, degenerate squarks)

ATLAS simplified model (gluino decaying to LSP, heavy squarks)



LHC Searches: 14 TeV



Z/h funnel: SI+SD DD

LZ limits on SI and SD cross-sections for LSP masses near 50 GeV combine to exclude all models (except stau coannihilator)

Need annihilation rate through Z/h funnel. hxx couplings give SI cross-section, while Zxx couplings give SD interactions.



Relic Density Exclusions



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N-body LSS Simulation



32-Mpc simulation of large-scale structure in a standard cold-dark matter Universe. Courtesy R. Cen, Princeton University.