

# Sommerfeld Enhancement for neutralino Dark Matter

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In the MSSM the LSP is stable and is a WIMP type dark matter candidate.

Neutralino: mixture of 4 Majorana fermions:  $\tilde{H}_u^0, \tilde{H}_d^0, \tilde{W}^0, \tilde{B}$

Chargino: mixture of 4 Majorana fermions:  $\tilde{H}_u^+, \tilde{H}_d^-, \tilde{W}^+, \tilde{W}^-$  and form two Dirac fermions.

Two common limits:

- Pure Higgsino:  $\tilde{H}_u^0, \tilde{H}_d^0, \tilde{H}_u^+, \tilde{H}_d^-$  form a doublet of Dirac fermions  $DM^+, DM^0$ . Relic mass  $M = 1$  TeV.
- Pure Wino:  $\tilde{W}^+, \tilde{W}^0, \tilde{W}^-$  form a triplet of Majorana fermions. Relic mass  $M = 2.1$  TeV.

The mass splitting is

$$\delta M = M_{\text{DM}^\pm} - M_{\text{DM}^0}$$

and has important phenomenological consequences

- Direct detection
- LHC searches

The mass splitting has two main sources:

- EW corrections, Higgsino: 355 MeV, Wino: 165 MeV
- SUSY corrections (parameters dependent)

When the velocity  $v$  is small, higher powers of  $\frac{\alpha}{v}$  become important. In Feynman diagram language, they correspond to ladder diagrams .

They are resummed by computing in QM the wave-function deformation in the non-relativistic potential.

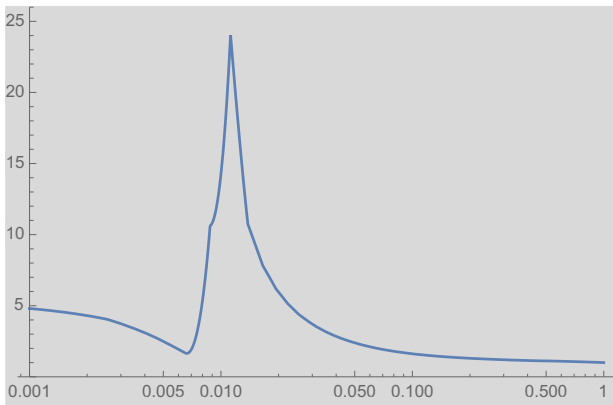
SE is sensitive to the mass splitting  $\delta M$  because the neutral pair can flip to a charged pair via  $W^\pm$  exchange.

Results:

- Higgsino  $M = 1 \text{ TeV} \rightarrow M = 1 \text{ TeV}$ , within indirect detection bounds.
- Wino  $M = 2.1 \text{ TeV} \rightarrow M = 2.7 \text{ TeV}$ , excluded by indirect detection  $\text{DM}^0\text{DM}^0 \rightarrow WW, ZZ$ .

# Sommerfeld enhancement

Example: 2.7 TeV Wino for nominal splitting of  $\delta M = 165$  MeV.



**Figure:** SE annihilation cross-section normalized to the tree-level cross-section against com velocity.

Can we change the phenomenology of the pure Higgsino/Wino DM by decreasing the splitting  $\delta M$  ?

- The relic mass is insensitive to the splitting: Higgsino stay at 1 TeV and Wino at 2.7 TeV.
- Indirect detection is sensitive to the splitting: Higgsino excluded in a small window  $\delta M = 8.5 - 9.5$  MeV.
- Maybe the Wino can evade the indirect detection bounds for lower splitting (in progress)