

Gravitino dark matter in high scale supersymmetry

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How about high-scale SUSY?

e.g. minimal SUSY SO(10) with $\widetilde{m} \gtrsim m_{\text{inf}} \simeq 3 \times 10^{13}$ GeV

In this talk, “high-scale” means...

$$\widetilde{m} \equiv \frac{F}{\Lambda_{\text{mess}}} > m_{\text{inf}} \simeq 3 \times 10^{13} \text{ GeV}$$

$$\Lambda_{\text{mess}} > \widetilde{m} > m_{\text{inf}}$$

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$$\rightarrow m_{3/2} \sim \frac{F}{M_P} \gtrsim \frac{m_{\text{inf}} \Lambda_{\text{mess}}}{M_P} \gtrsim \frac{m_{\text{inf}}^2}{M_P} \sim \mathcal{O}(0.1) \text{ EeV}$$

Any SUSY particles (except for gravitino) have never been produced after inflation

EeV gravitino is a good candidate for dark matter

[Benakli, Chen, Dudas, Mambrini]

[Dudas, Mambrini, Olive]

Gravitino is produced through gluon + gluon → gravitino + gravitino (gluino exchange) whose reaction rate is

$$\Gamma \sim \frac{T^9}{F^4} \sim \frac{T^9}{M_P^4 m_{3/2}^4}$$

Number density of gravitino is given by

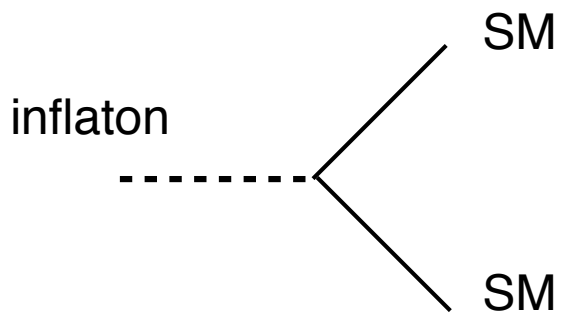
$$n_{3/2}/n_\gamma \sim \Gamma/H \propto T^7 \quad \longrightarrow \quad \Omega_{3/2} h^2 \simeq 0.11 \left(\frac{0.1 \text{ EeV}}{m_{3/2}} \right)^3 \left(\frac{T_{\text{RH}}}{2.0 \times 10^{10} \text{ GeV}} \right)^7$$

How about inflaton decays? The detail depends on models?

- Tree-level decay depends on how the inflaton couples to the gravitino
- Loop-level decay depends on how the inflaton reheats the universe

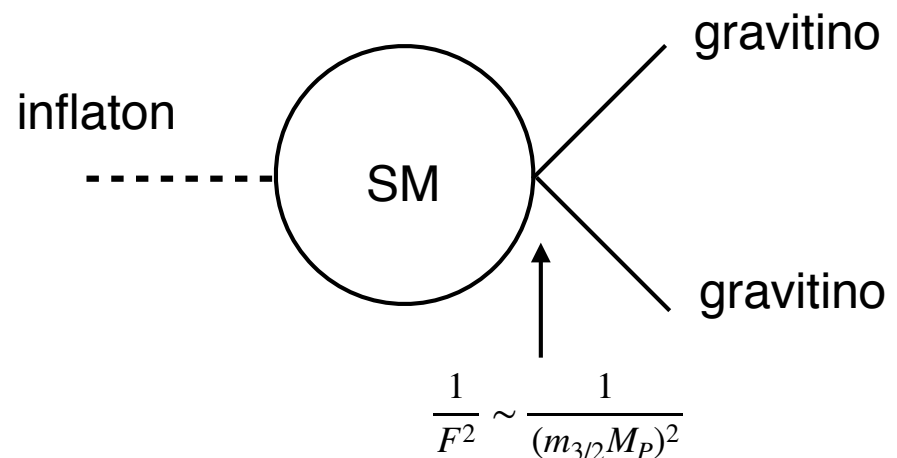
[KK, Y. Mambrini, K. Olive, '19]

reheating by inflaton decay



$$\Gamma^{\text{tree}} = \frac{y^2}{8\pi} m$$

gravitino production through the same coupling



$$\Gamma^{\text{loop}} \sim \Gamma^{\text{tree}} \times \frac{1}{(4\pi)^2} \frac{m_{3/2}^2 m^6}{(m_{3/2} M_P)^4}$$

To be more concrete, we consider a no-scale inflation model

$$K = -3 \ln \left[T + T^* - \frac{1}{3}(|\phi|^2 + |y_i|^2) \right] + |z|^2 - \frac{(zz^*)^2}{\Lambda_z^2}$$

$$\text{Re}T = \frac{1}{2} e^{\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}t} \simeq \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}t$$

T : inflaton,
 ϕ : matter-like field,
 y_i : MSSM fields,
 z : Polonyi field

$$W = \sqrt{3}M_T\phi \left(T - \frac{1}{2} \right) + \sqrt{3}m_{3/2}(z + \nu) + W_{\text{MSSM}}$$

➡ Starobinsky-like inflaton potential

Dominant inflaton decay channel: $t \rightarrow hh$ (the lightest Higgs)

$$\mathcal{L} \supset \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}\mu^2 t(|H_u|^2 + |H_d|^2) + \frac{\mu^2}{2\sqrt{6}}t(\overline{H}_u\widetilde{H}_d + h.c.) \quad (W_{\text{MSSM}} \supset \mu H_u H_d)$$

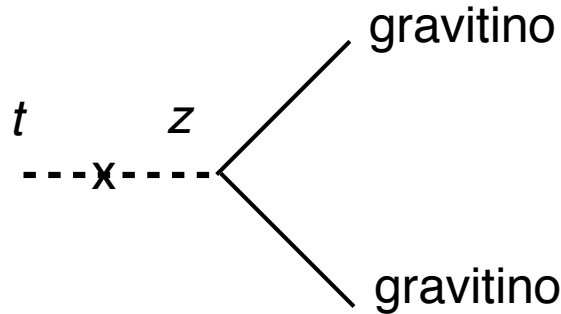
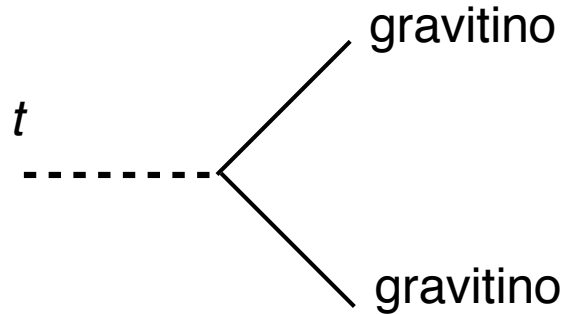
$$\text{decay width: } \Gamma_{2h} = \frac{\mu^4}{48\pi M_T M_P^2} \equiv \frac{y^2}{8\pi} M_T \quad y^2 \equiv \frac{\mu^4}{6M_T^2 M_P^2} \simeq (5.6 \times 10^{-5})^2 \times \left(\frac{\mu}{10^{14} \text{ GeV}} \right)^4 \left(\frac{3 \times 10^{13} \text{ GeV}}{M_T} \right)^2$$

Since we consider $\mu > M_T$ in high-scale SUSY, this channel becomes much more significant, compared to the low-scale SUSY case.

$$\text{➡ } T_{RH} \simeq 0.5(y/2\pi)\sqrt{M_T M_P} \simeq 3.8 \times 10^{10} \text{ GeV} \times \left(\frac{y}{5.6 \times 10^{-5}} \right) \left(\frac{M_T}{3 \times 10^{13} \text{ GeV}} \right)^{1/2} \quad T_{\text{max}} \simeq 0.5(8\pi/y^2)^{1/4} T_{RH}$$

Tree-level coupling of inflaton to gravitinos ($G = K + \ln |W|^2$):

$$\mathcal{L}_{3/2} \supset -\frac{1}{4} e^{G/2} \bar{\psi}_\mu [\gamma^\mu, \gamma^\nu] \psi_\nu \simeq -\frac{1}{4} \left(m_{3/2} + \frac{1}{2} \langle G_T + U_{Tz} G_z \rangle T + \dots \right) \bar{\psi}_\mu [\gamma^\mu, \gamma^\nu] \psi_\nu$$

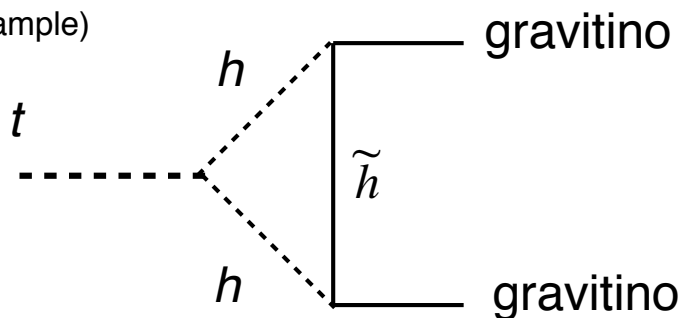


$$\Gamma^{\text{tree}} = \left(\frac{\Lambda_z}{M_P} \right)^4 \frac{81 m_{3/2}^2 M_T}{128 \pi M_P^2}$$

$$B_R^{\text{tree}} \simeq 5.5 \times 10^{-12} \left(\frac{\Lambda_z}{M_P} \right)^4 \left(\frac{m_{3/2}}{0.1 \text{ EeV}} \right)^2 \times \left(\frac{M_T}{3 \times 10^{13} \text{ GeV}} \right)^2 \left(\frac{10^{14} \text{ GeV}}{\mu} \right)^4$$

One-loop decay of inflaton to gravitinos

(example)



$$\Gamma^{\text{loop}} \simeq \frac{2}{3^3 4^5 \pi^5} \left(\frac{1}{4} - \ln \frac{\mu^2}{M_T^2} \right)^2 \frac{\mu^4 M_T^5}{m_{3/2}^2 M_P^6}$$

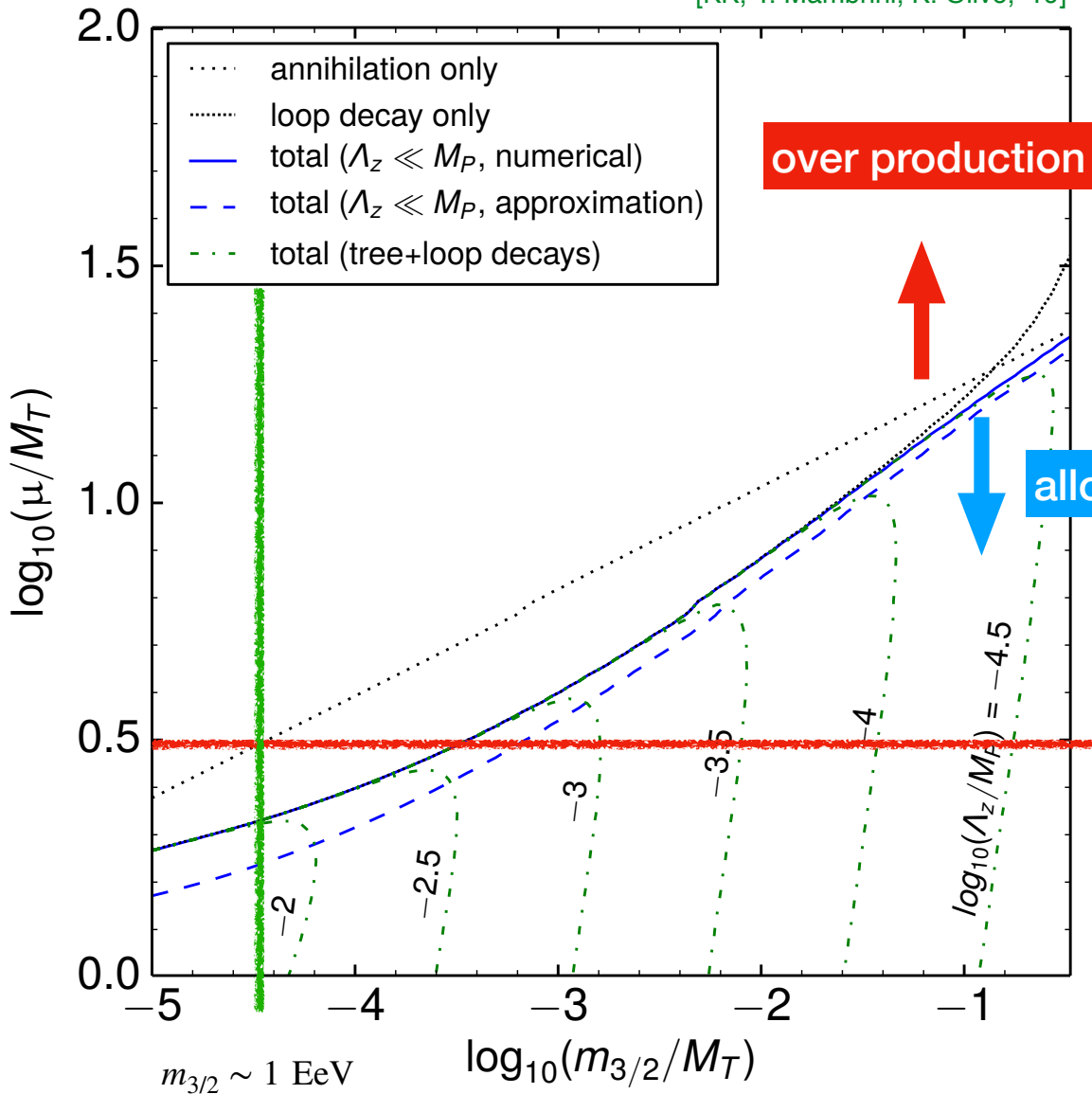
$$B_R^{\text{loop}} \simeq 9.8 \times 10^{-15} \left(\frac{0.1 \text{ EeV}}{m_{3/2}} \right)^2 \left(\frac{M_T}{3 \times 10^{13} \text{ GeV}} \right)^6 \left[1 - 8 \ln \left(\frac{\mu}{M_T} \right) \right]^2$$

Because of large $t \rightarrow hh$ contribution, the loop-induced decay can be comparable with (or even larger than) the tree-level decay, depending on Λ_z

$$\Omega h^2|_{\text{decay}} \simeq 0.1 \left(\frac{NB_R}{8.7 \times 10^{-7}} \right) \left(\frac{3 \times 10^{13} \text{ GeV}}{M_T} \right) \left(\frac{T_{RH}}{10^{10} \text{ GeV}} \right) \left(\frac{m_{3/2}}{\text{GeV}} \right)$$

$$NB_R \equiv B_R^{\text{tree}} + B_R^{\text{loop}}$$

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$$\Omega h^2|_{\text{ann}}^{\text{inst}} = 1.9 \times 10^{25} \frac{T_{RH}^7}{m_{3/2}^3 M_P^4} \ln \left[\frac{T_{\text{max}}}{T_{RH}} \right]$$

$$\simeq 0.12 \left(\frac{0.1 \text{ EeV}}{m_{3/2}} \right)^3 \left(\frac{y}{2.3 \times 10^{-5}} \right)^7$$

$$\times \left(\frac{M_T}{3 \times 10^{13} \text{ GeV}} \right)^{7/2} \ln \left(1.1/y^{1/2} \right)$$

$$T_{RH} \sim 3 \times 10^{10} \text{ GeV}$$

How can this heavy gravitino be detected?

Gravitino can decay when R-parity is not conserved

The most generic form of the RPV interactions (at renormalizable level)

$$W_{\text{RPV}} = \mu'_i H_u \cdot L_i + \frac{1}{2} \lambda_{ijk} L_i \cdot L_j E_k^c + \lambda'_{ijk} L_i \cdot Q_j D_k^c + \frac{1}{2} \lambda''_{ijk} U_i^c D_j^c D_k^c$$

In low-scale SUSY, the RPV couplings are strongly constrained by, for instance, neutrino mass, proton decay, and baryon asymmetry preservation

In high-scale SUSY, most of the limits become significantly weak

For example, μ' is constrained by the neutrino mass:

$$\mathcal{L}_5 \simeq \frac{1}{M_5} \nu_L \nu_L h h \qquad \frac{1}{M_5} \simeq \left(\frac{\mu'}{\mu} \right)^2 \frac{g_2^2 M_1 + g_1^2 M_2}{M_1 M_2 (1 + \tan^2 \beta)}$$

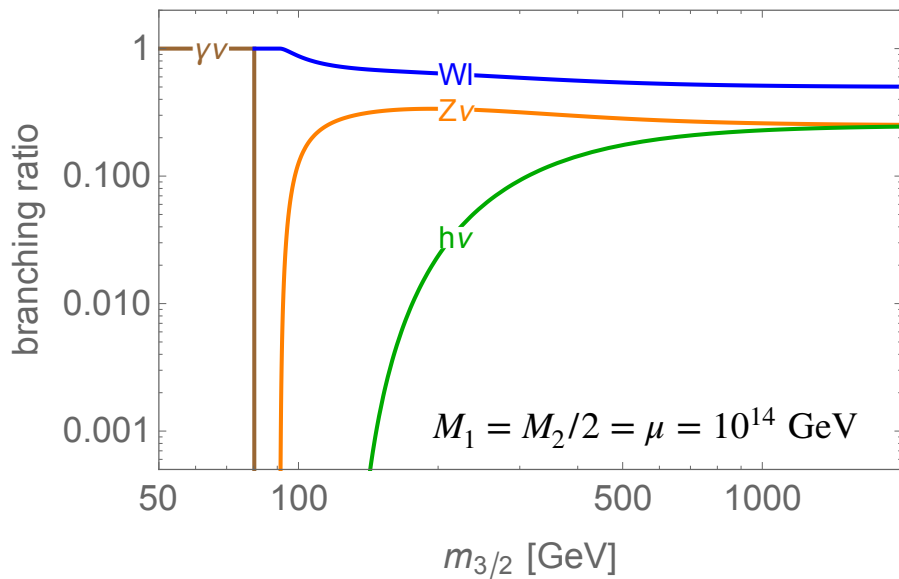
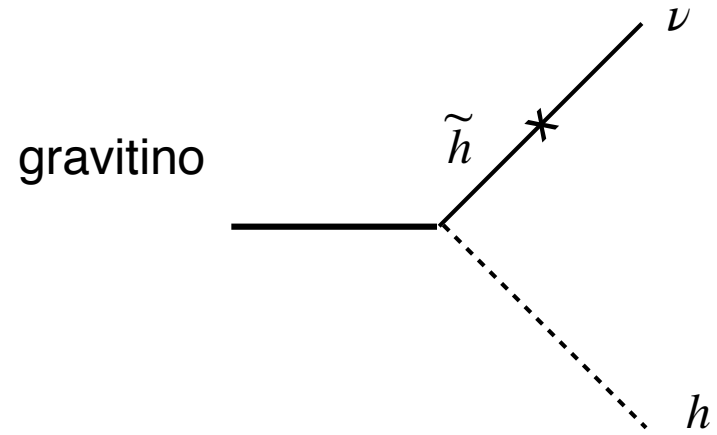
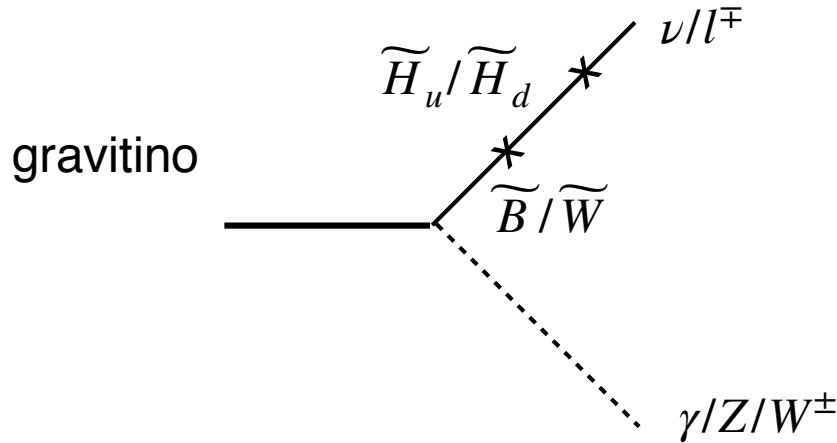
$$\mu' < 1.7 \times 10^{-7} \text{ GeV}^{-1/2} \widetilde{m}^{1/2} \mu (1 + \tan^2 \beta)^2 / g \simeq 6.6 \times 10^{13} \text{ GeV}$$

$$(\mu \sim M_1 \sim M_2 \sim \widetilde{m} \sim 3 \times 10^{13} \text{ GeV})$$

cf. in low (weak)-scale SUSY: $\mu' < 2.3 \times 10^{-5} \text{ GeV}$ (B-L asym. preservation)

Gravitino decay is induced by the bilinear RPV coupling: $W_{\text{RPV}} \supset \mu' H_u \cdot L$

$$\mathcal{L} \supset -\frac{i}{8M_P} \bar{\lambda} \gamma^\mu [\gamma^\nu, \gamma^\rho] \psi_\mu F_{\nu\rho} + \left[-\frac{i}{\sqrt{2}M_P} D_\mu \phi^\dagger \bar{\psi}_\nu \gamma^\mu \gamma^\nu \chi_L + h.c. \right]$$



Due to the longitudinal contributions in $Z\nu/Wl$ channels,
 $\Gamma(\psi_\mu \rightarrow Z\nu/Wl) \gg \Gamma(\psi_\mu \rightarrow \gamma\nu)$ at $m_{3/2} \gg m_W$

Equivalence theorem: $2\Gamma_{Z\nu} = \Gamma_{Wl} = 2\Gamma_{h\nu}$

Total decay width: $\Gamma_{\text{tot}} \simeq \frac{\epsilon^2 c_\beta^2 m_{3/2}^3}{16\pi M_P^2}$ $\epsilon \simeq \mu'/\mu$

Constraints/signals for the decaying gravitino dark matter

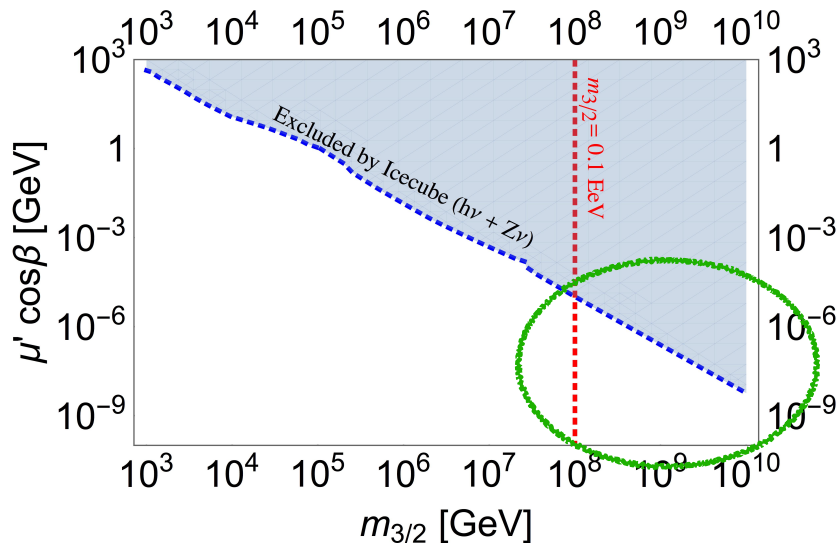
Lifetime: $\tau_{3/2} \simeq 10^{28} \left(\frac{\tilde{m}}{10^{14} \text{ GeV}} \right)^2 \left(\frac{0.44 \text{ keV}}{\mu' c_\beta} \right)^2 \left(\frac{\text{EeV}}{m_{3/2}} \right)^3 \text{ s.}$ ($\mu \sim \tilde{m}$)

By using $\Omega_{3/2} h^2 \simeq 0.11 \left(\frac{0.1 \text{ EeV}}{m_{3/2}} \right)^3 \left(\frac{T_{RH}}{2.0 \times 10^{10} \text{ GeV}} \right)^7$, we can eliminate $m_{3/2}$ and obtain the RPV parameter scale:

$$\mu' c_\beta = 14 \text{ keV} \left(\frac{\Omega_{3/2} h^2}{0.11} \right)^{1/2} \left(\frac{10^{28} \text{ s}}{\tau_{3/2}} \right)^{1/2} \left(\frac{\tilde{m}}{10^{14} \text{ GeV}} \right) \left(\frac{2 \times 10^{10} \text{ GeV}}{T_{RH}} \right)^{7/2}$$

cf. in low (weak)-scale SUSY: $\mu' c_\beta \simeq 1.4 \text{ keV} \left(\frac{10 \text{ TeV}}{\tilde{m}} \right)^2 \left(\frac{\Omega_{3/2} h^2}{0.11} \right)^{3/2} \left(\frac{10^{28} \text{ s}}{\tau_{3/2}} \right)^{1/2} \left(\frac{2.2 \times 10^6 \text{ GeV}}{T_{RH}} \right)^{3/2}$

A smoking-gun signal could be EeV scale monochromatic neutrinos



$m_{3/2} \gtrsim 0.1 \text{ EeV}$ is allowed for high-scale SUSY

By taking $m_{3/2} = 0.1 \text{ EeV}$, $\tau_{3/2} = 1.4 \times 10^{28} \text{ s}$

The number of decaying gravitino per year ~ 0.0073 , equivalently, one gravitino decay every 137 years in the volume of the Earth.

ANITA observed 2 neutrino events around EeV in 3 years

Summary

- ◆ Many good features existed in low-scale SUSY are still preserved in high-scale SUSY
- ◆ EeV gravitino provides the right amount of dark matter number density
- ◆ In addition to the thermal production, non-negligible contributions from radiative inflaton decay always exist as they are related to the reheating processes
- ◆ EeV gravitino may slowly decay via the RPV coupling, and provides monochromatic neutrinos as a smoking-gun signal