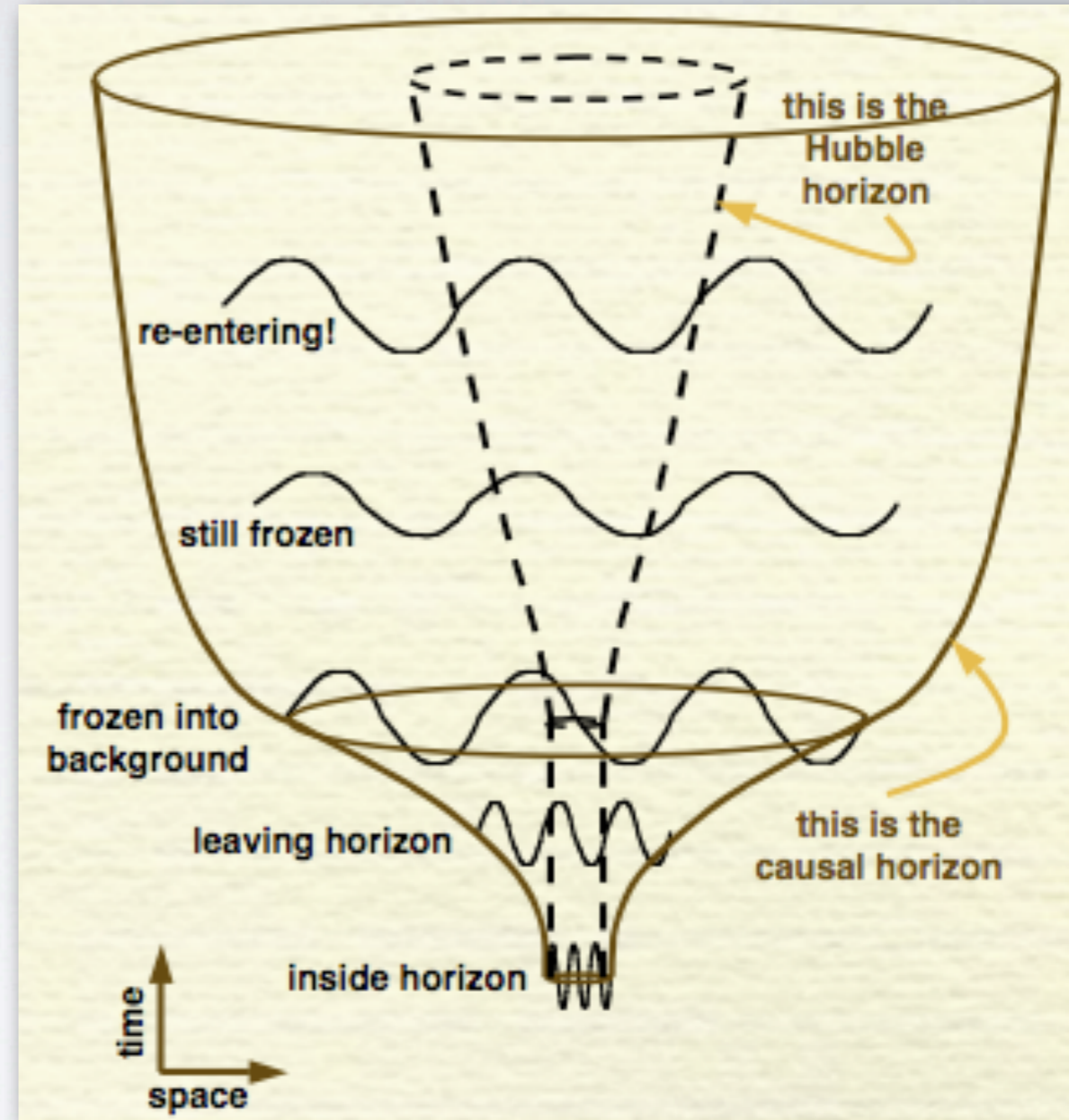
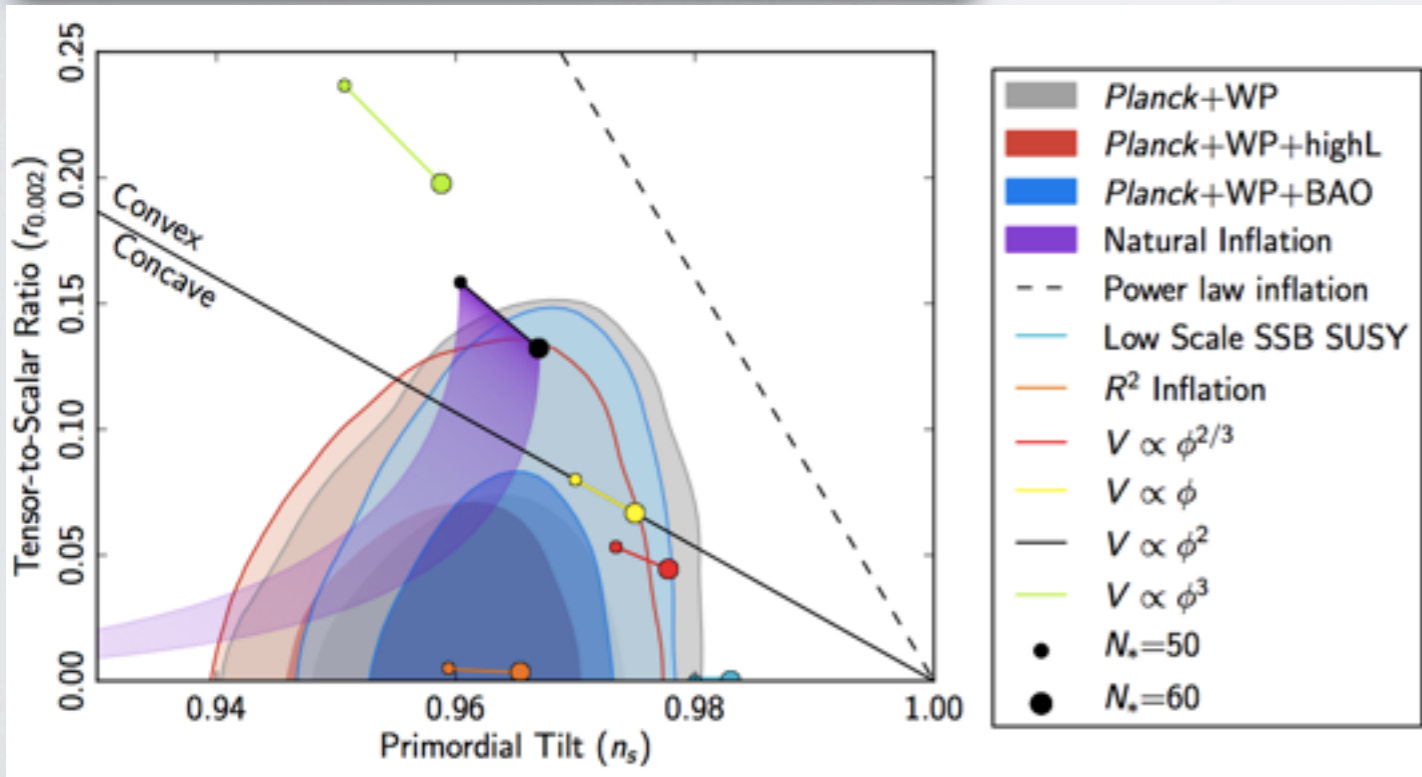
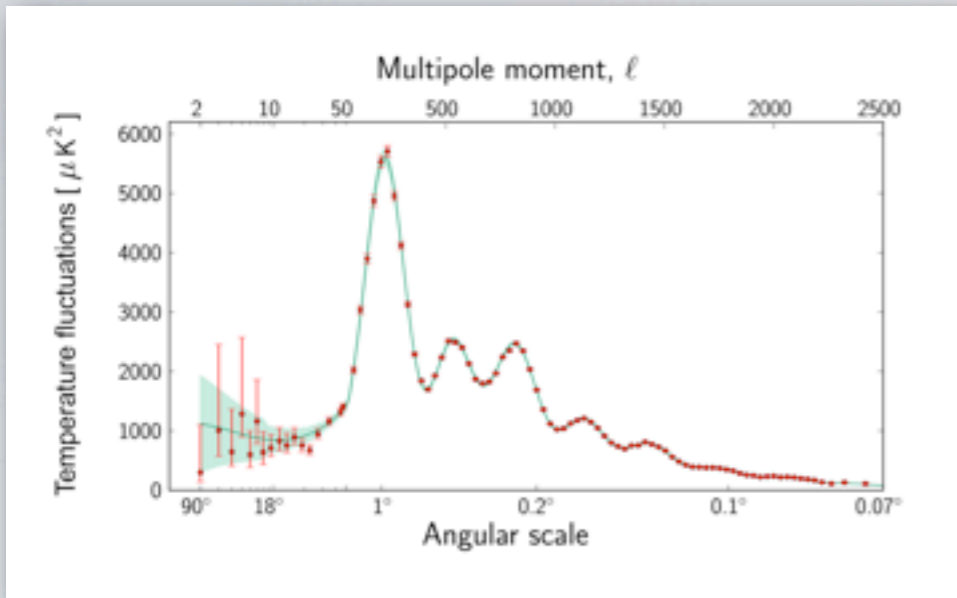


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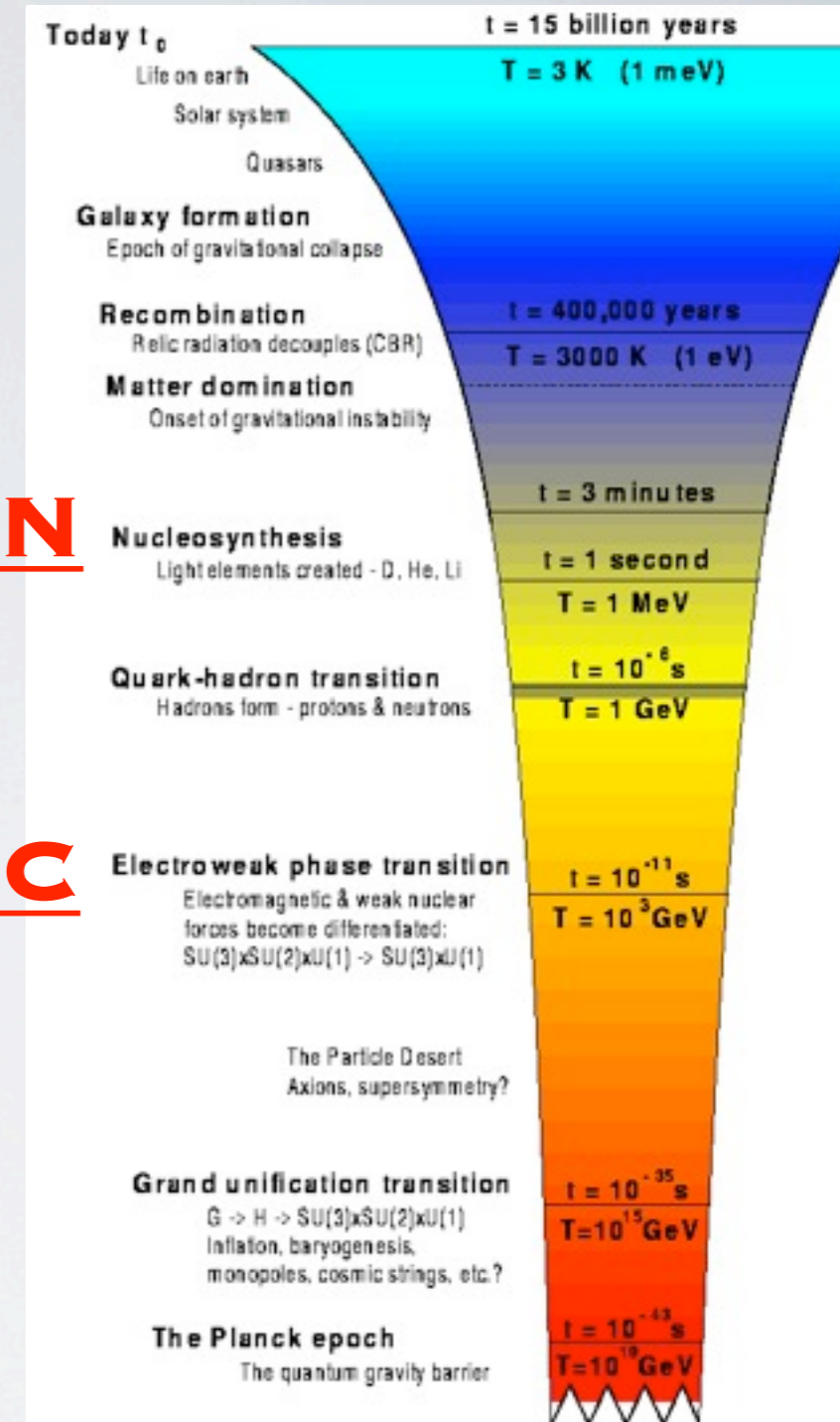
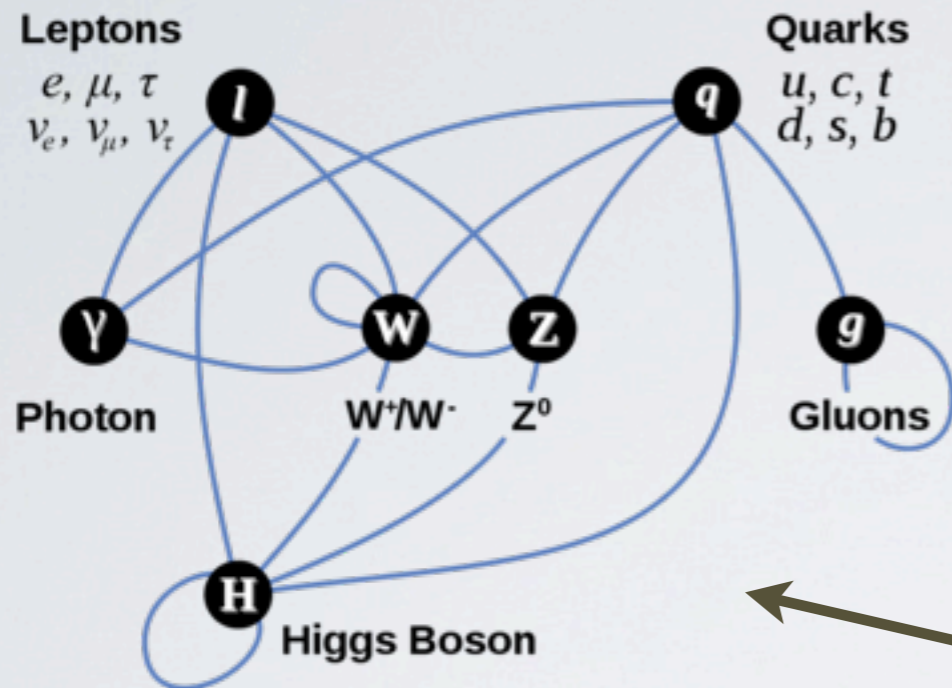
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We mostly Concentrate on CMB
99% of INFLATION papers are HALF complete!!

CONFUSIONS/CONCLUSIONS



BBN

LHC

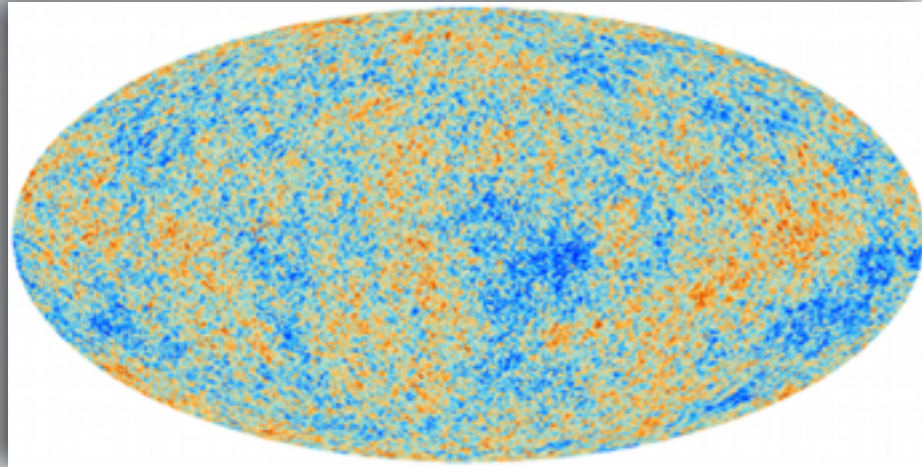
✦ INFLATON CAN NOT BE AN ARBITRARY FIELD

✦ QUANTIFYING THE REHEAT TEMPERATURE

✦ SUB-PLANCKIAN VEV INFLATIONARY MODELS CAN GENERATE LARGE TENSOR-TO-SCALAR RATIO

CONFUSION-1

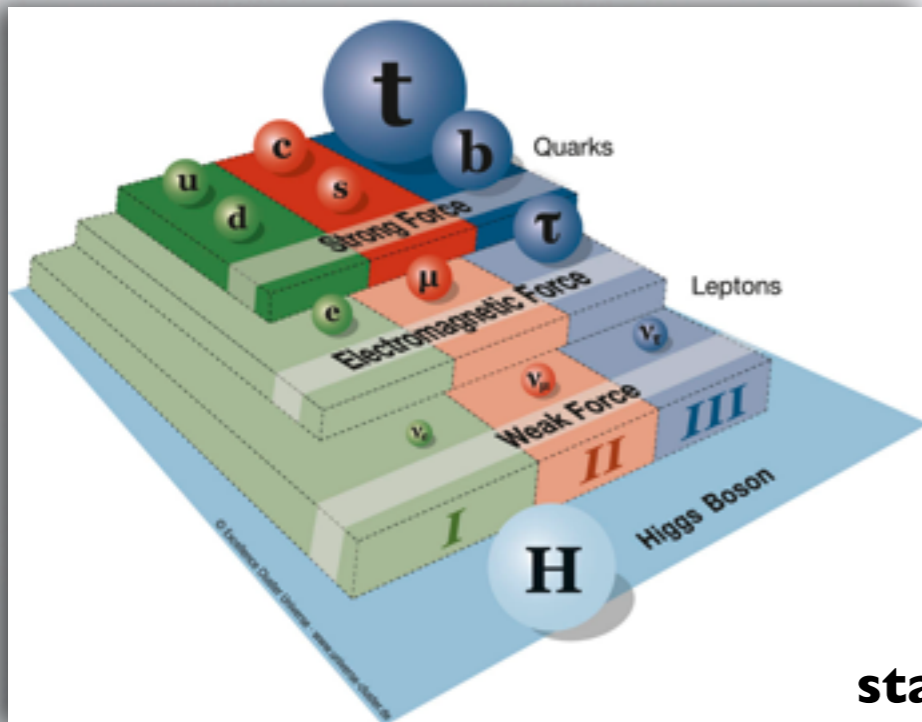
CMB PERTURBATIONS



**EINSTEIN'S GRAVITY +
EQUATION OF STATE,**

NO MODIFICATION OF GR IS REQUIRED AT LOW ENERGIES

INFLATION DILUTES ALL MATTER !!

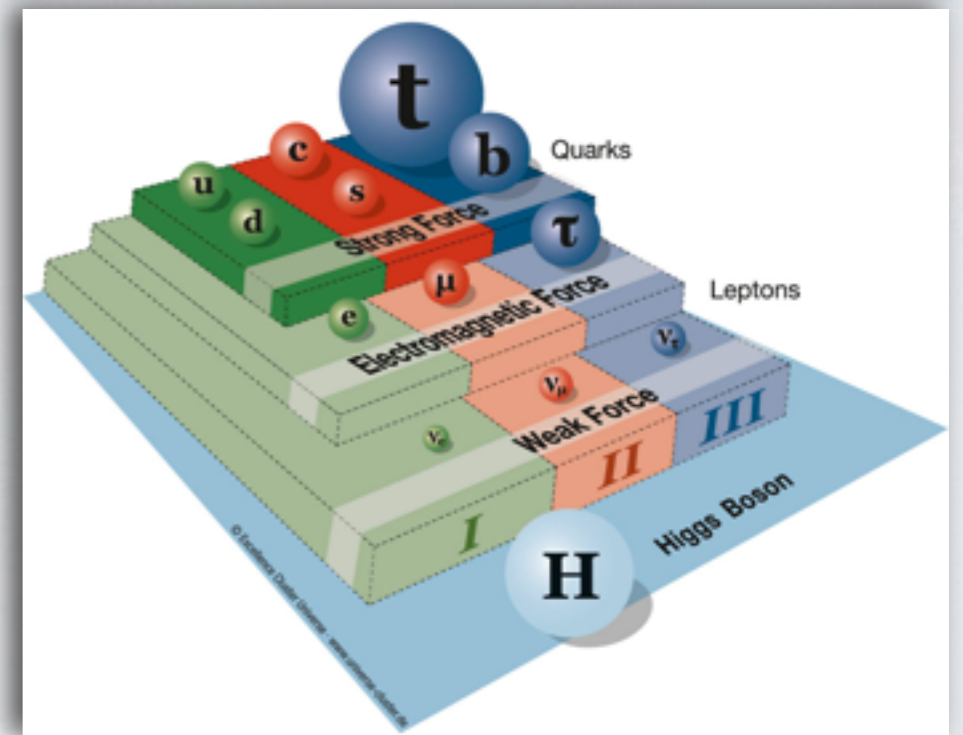
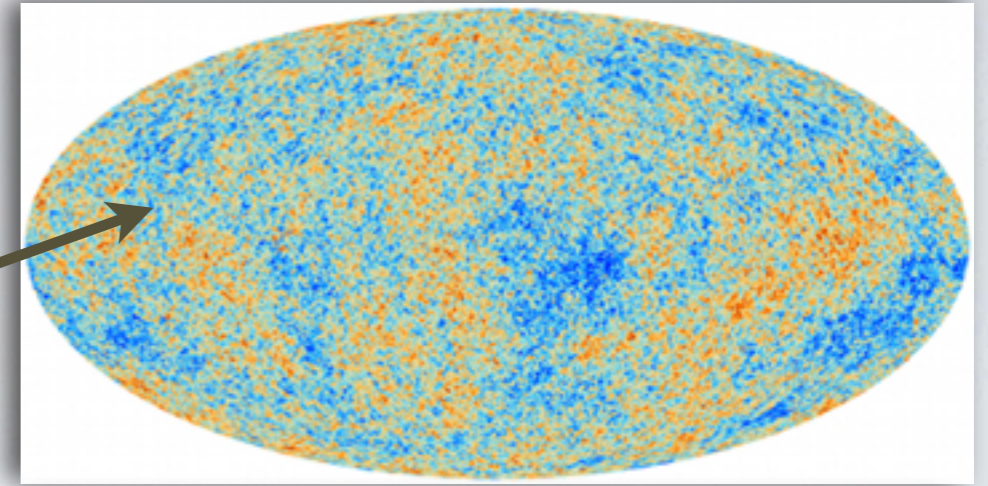
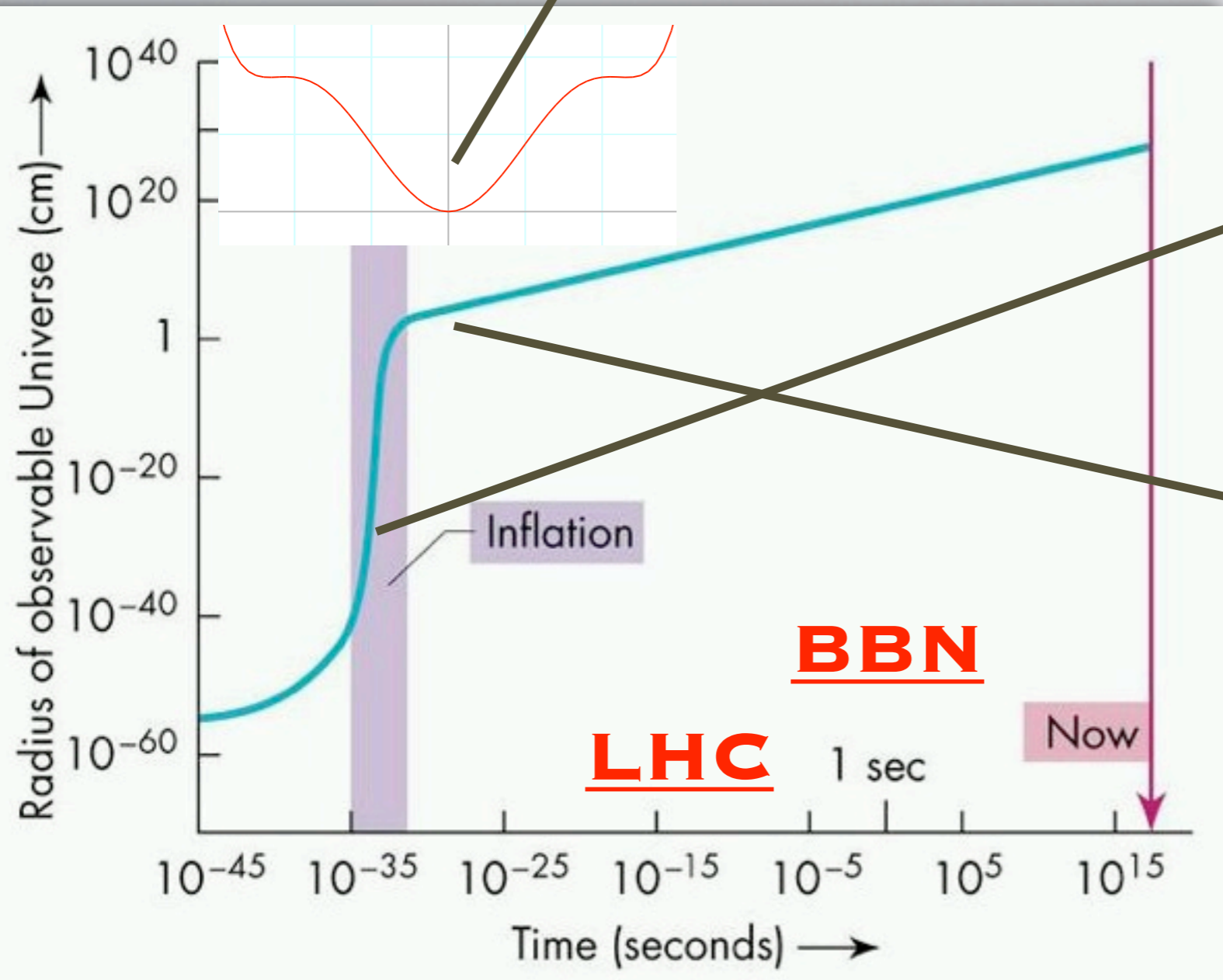


**YOU MUST EXPLAIN THE RELEVANT DOF.
&**

NOT JUST THE EQUATION OF STATE

99% of INFLATION papers are happy with an equation of state argument for reheating, whether they are SM or some other radiation -- who cares? (its part of assumption !!)

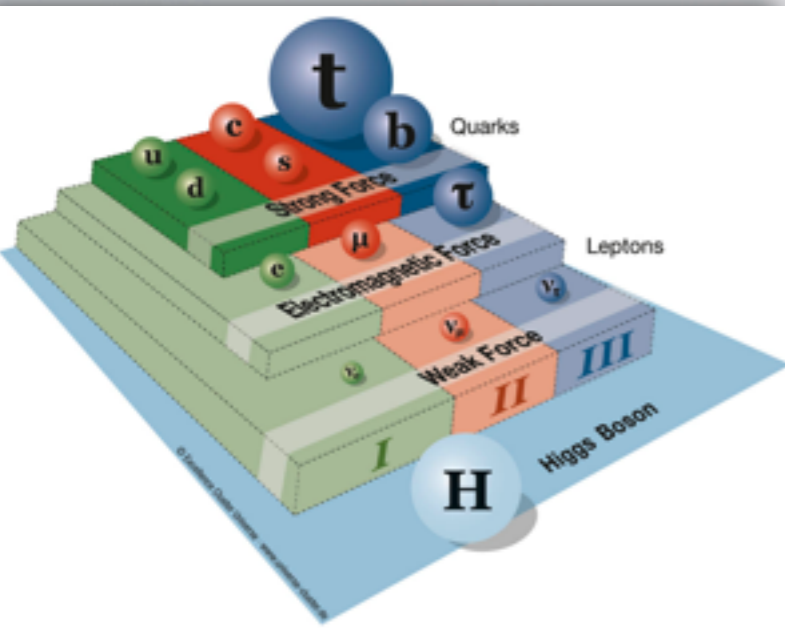
THE INFLATON VACUUM CANNOT BE ARBITRARY: IT MUST KNOW OUR EXISTENCE!



NO HIDDEN RADIATION - ONLY STANDARD MODEL DOF

STANDARD MODEL HIGGS

**THE LAST 50-60 E-FOLDINGS OF INFLATION
MUST HAPPEN IN A VISIBLE SECTOR**



THE ACTION ? VALIDITY OF EFT ?

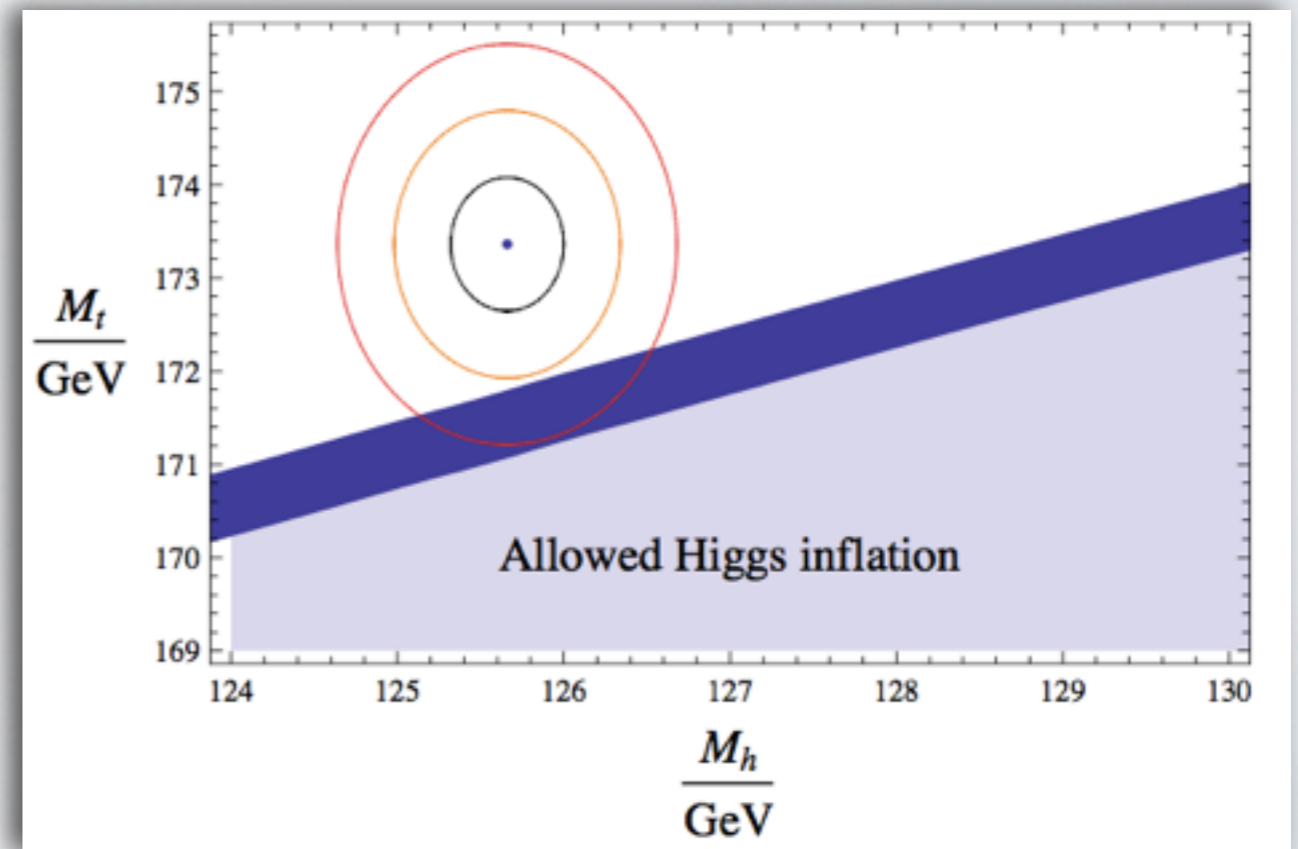
$$S_J = \int d^4x \sqrt{-g} \left\{ \frac{M^2 + \xi h^2}{2} R + \frac{1}{2} \partial_\mu h \partial^\mu h - \frac{\lambda}{4} (h^2 - v^2)^2 \right\}$$

$$\xi \simeq 5 \times 10^4 \sqrt{\lambda}$$

**EMBEDDING HIGGS INFLATION IN
SUGRA DOES NOT HELP**

**INTRODUCES MORE UNKNOWN
PARAMETERS**

**MSSM HIGGSSES WITH D-FLAT
DIRECTION CAN OVERCOME
THESE ISSUES**



Starobinsky $R + R^2$ It is utterly INCOMPLETE !

$$\begin{aligned}
 S_q = & \int d^4x \sqrt{-g} [RF_1(\square)R + RF_2(\square)\nabla_\mu\nabla_\nu R^{\mu\nu} + R_{\mu\nu}F_3(\square)R^{\mu\nu} + R^\nu_\mu F_4(\square)\nabla_\nu\nabla_\lambda R^{\mu\lambda} \\
 & + R^{\lambda\sigma}F_5(\square)\nabla_\mu\nabla_\sigma\nabla_\nu\nabla_\lambda R^{\mu\nu} + RF_6(\square)\nabla_\mu\nabla_\nu\nabla_\lambda\nabla_\sigma R^{\mu\nu\lambda\sigma} + R_{\mu\lambda}F_7(\square)\nabla_\nu\nabla_\sigma R^{\mu\nu\lambda\sigma} \\
 & + R^\rho_\lambda F_8(\square)\nabla_\mu\nabla_\sigma\nabla_\nu\nabla_\rho R^{\mu\nu\lambda\sigma} + R^{\mu_1\nu_1}F_9(\square)\nabla_{\mu_1}\nabla_{\nu_1}\nabla_\mu\nabla_\nu\nabla_\lambda\nabla_\sigma R^{\mu\nu\lambda\sigma} \\
 & + R_{\mu\nu\lambda\sigma}F_{10}(\square)R^{\mu\nu\lambda\sigma} + R^\rho_{\mu\nu\lambda}F_{11}(\square)\nabla_\rho\nabla_\sigma R^{\mu\nu\lambda\sigma} + R_{\mu\rho_1\nu\sigma_1}F_{12}(\square)\nabla^{\rho_1}\nabla^{\sigma_1}\nabla_\rho\nabla_\sigma R^{\mu\rho\nu\sigma} \\
 & + R^{\nu_1\rho_1\sigma_1}_\mu F_{13}(\square)\nabla_{\rho_1}\nabla_{\sigma_1}\nabla_{\nu_1}\nabla_\nu\nabla_\rho\nabla_\sigma R^{\mu\nu\lambda\sigma} + R^{\mu_1\nu_1\rho_1\sigma_1}F_{14}(\square)\nabla_{\rho_1}\nabla_{\sigma_1}\nabla_{\nu_1}\nabla_{\mu_1}\nabla_\mu\nabla_\nu\nabla_\rho\nabla_\sigma R^{\mu\nu\lambda\sigma}
 \end{aligned}$$

GRAVITY INVOKES ∞ HIGHER ORDER CORRECTIONS

$$S = \int d^4x \sqrt{-g} [R + R\mathcal{F}_1(\square)R + R_{\mu\nu}\mathcal{F}_2(\square)R^{\mu\nu} + R_{\mu\nu\alpha\beta}\mathcal{F}_3(\square)R^{\mu\nu\alpha\beta}]$$

$$\mathcal{F}_i(\square) = \sum_n^\infty a_n \square^n$$

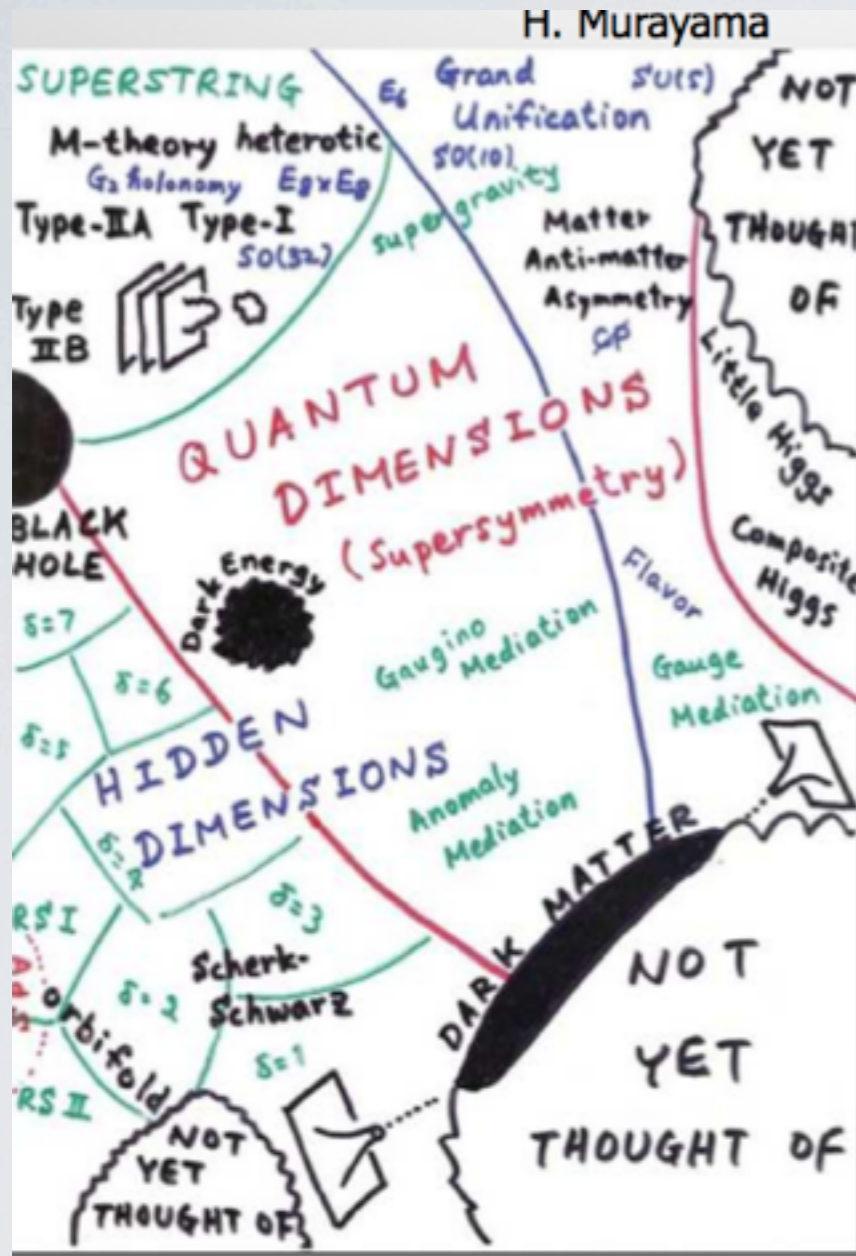
$$\Delta\mathcal{L} = \sqrt{-g} (\alpha R^2 + \beta R^2_{\mu\nu} + \gamma R^2_{\alpha\beta\mu\nu})$$

$$2\mathcal{F}_1(\square) + \mathcal{F}_2(\square) + 2\mathcal{F}_3(\square) = 0$$

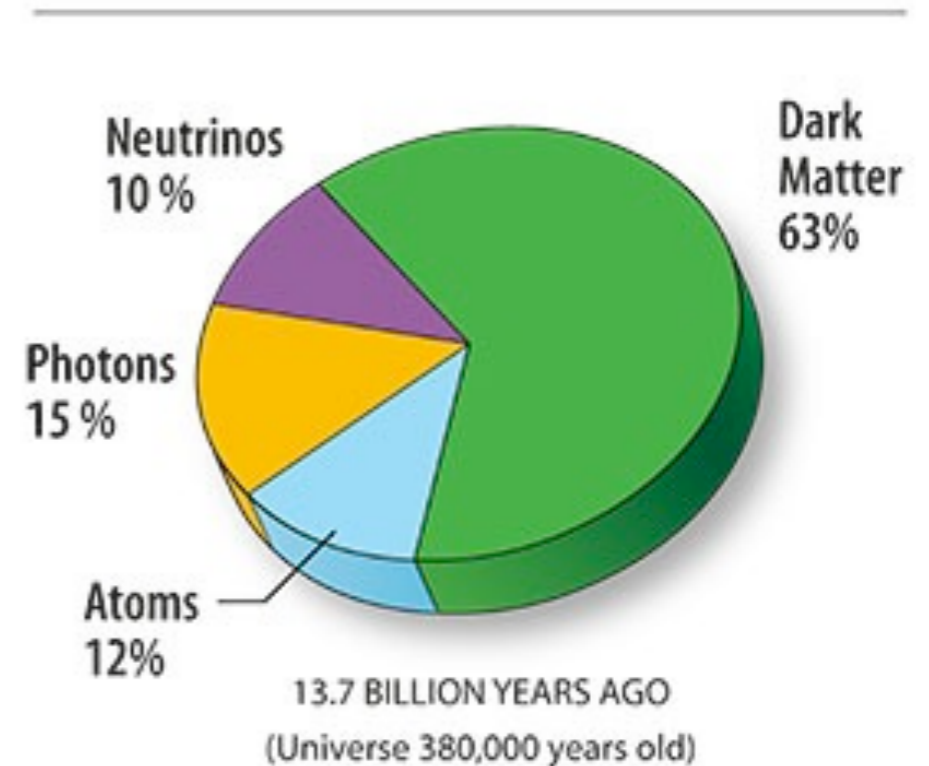
**Classical Gravity becomes
WEAK in the UV
(Asymptotic Freedom)**

Biswas, Gerwick, Koivisto & AM, Phys. Rev. Lett. (2012)

BESIDES... GRAVITY/SUPERGRAVITY YOU NEED TO INVOKE THE BSM



THIS IS WHAT NATURE CARES FOR !!



SINGLET INFLATON HAS NO PREFERENCE:

BILLION HIDDEN SECTORS VS. 1 SM

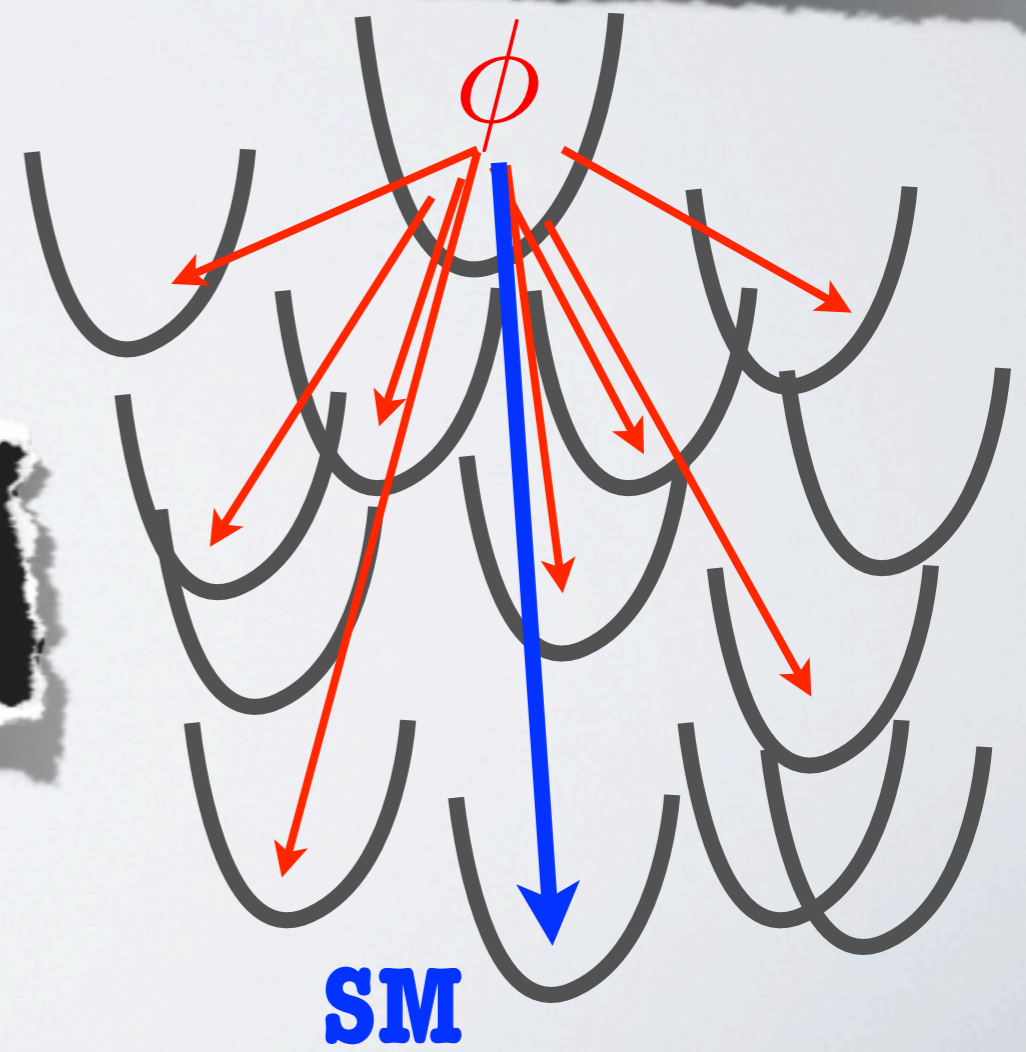
Standard Model $g^2 \phi^2 H^2, \frac{\phi}{M_*} (H q_L) q_R, \frac{\phi}{M_*} \tilde{F} F$

Hidden Sector $\phi^2 \sum_i^{N_{Hidden}} g_i^2 \chi_i^2, \phi \sum_i^{N_{Hidden}} h_i \bar{\psi}_i \psi_i, \frac{\phi}{M_*} \sum_i^{N_{Hidden}} \tilde{G}_i G_i$

$N_{Hidden}, h_i, g_i ???$

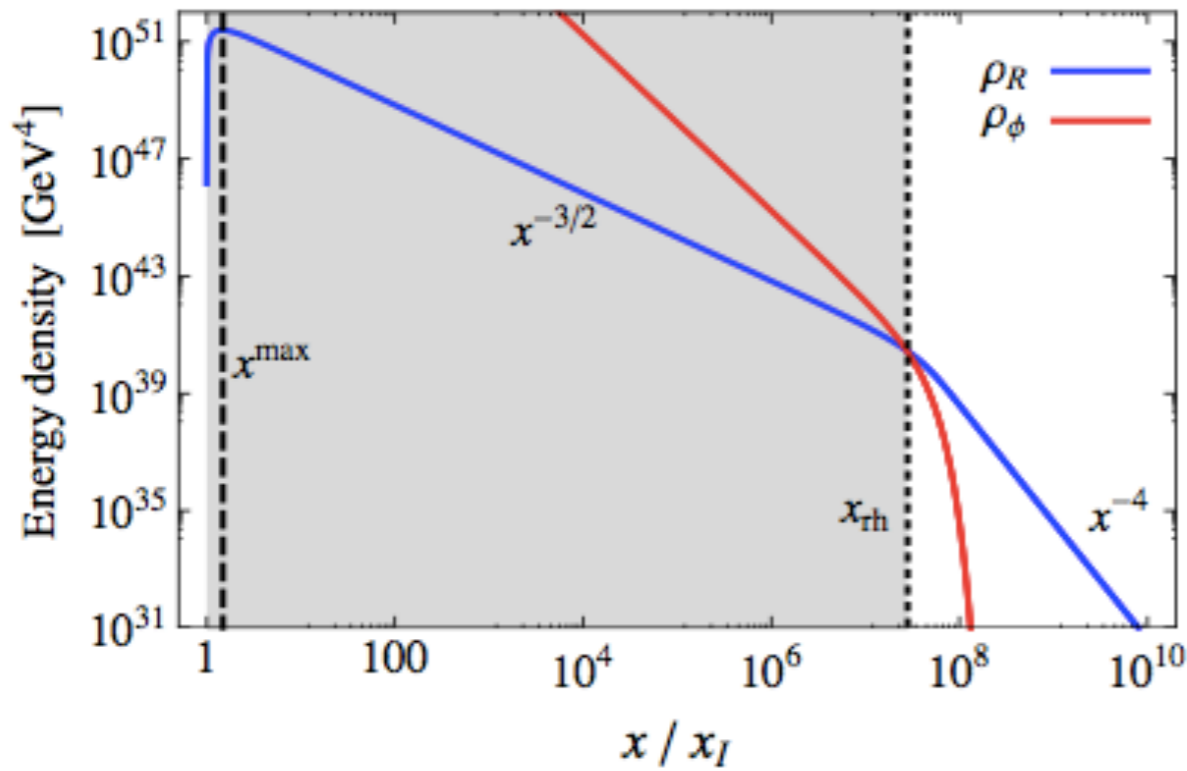
$$\Omega_X h^2 \approx 10^{17} \left(\frac{T_R}{10^9 \text{ GeV}} \right) \frac{\rho_X}{\rho_{inf}}$$

OVER ABUNDANT DARK MATTER FROM DIRECT INFLATON DECAY!!



WHEN DOES THE NOTION OF **TEMPERATURE** MAKES SENSE AFTER **INFLATION** ?

$m_\phi = 10^{13} \text{ GeV}, \alpha_\phi = 10^{-11}$

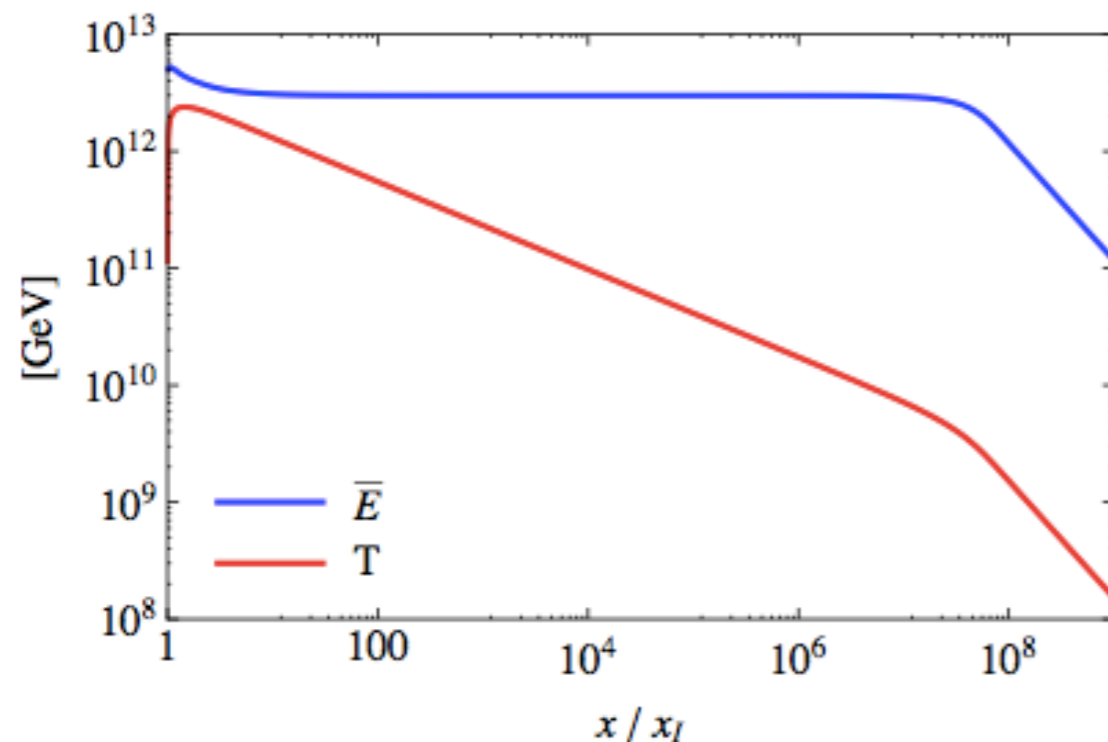


STANDARD REHEAT TEMPERATURE SINCE 1980S

$$T(t) = \left[\frac{30}{\pi^2} \rho_R(t) / g_*(t) \right]^{1/4} \quad T_{rh} = \left(\frac{90}{8\pi^3 g_*} \right)^{1/4} \sqrt{\Gamma_\phi M_P}$$

$$T_{\max} \simeq \left[\frac{1.57}{\pi^3 g_*} \right]^{1/4} \sqrt{M_P} (\Gamma_\phi H_I)^{1/4}$$

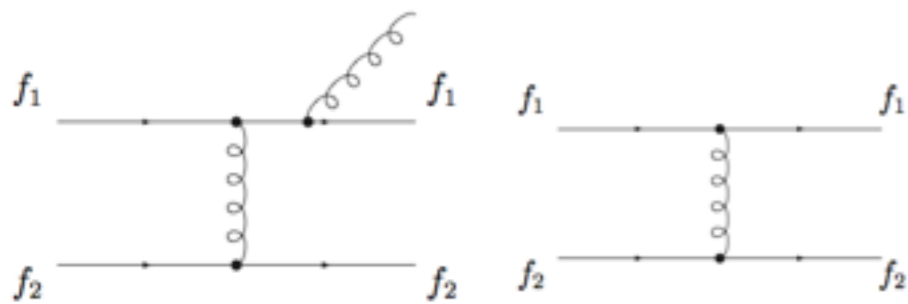
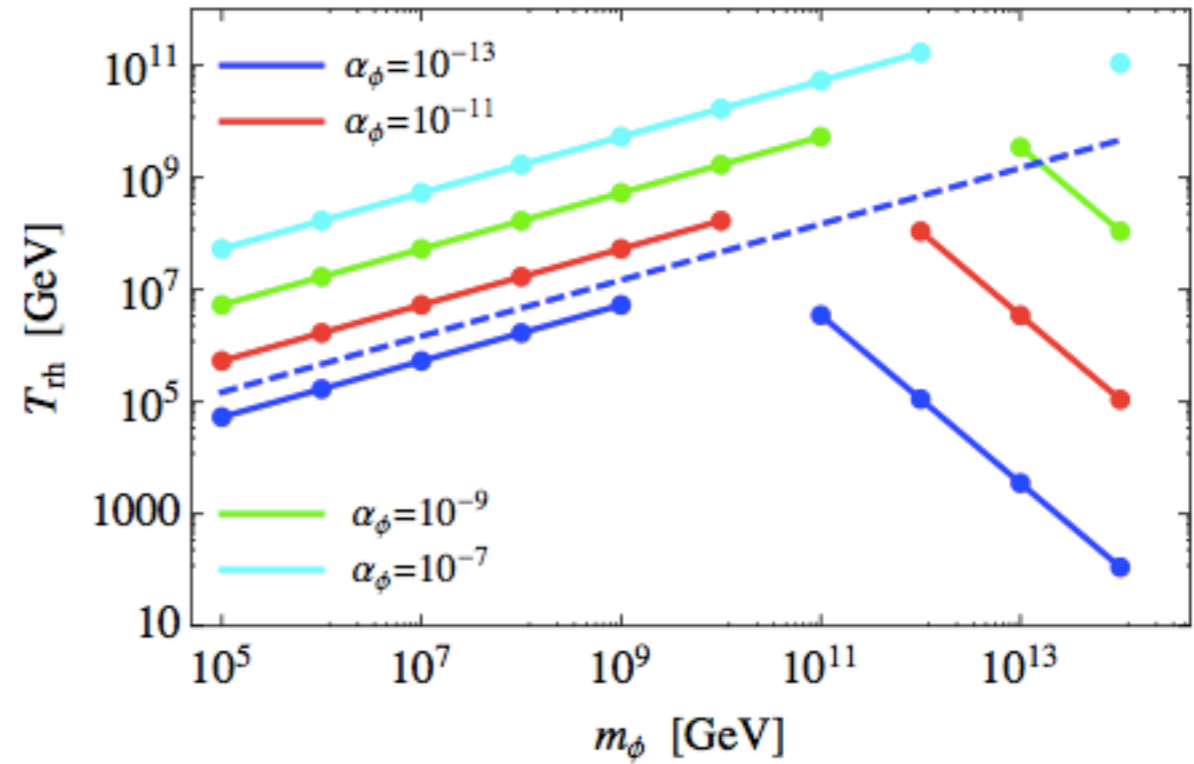
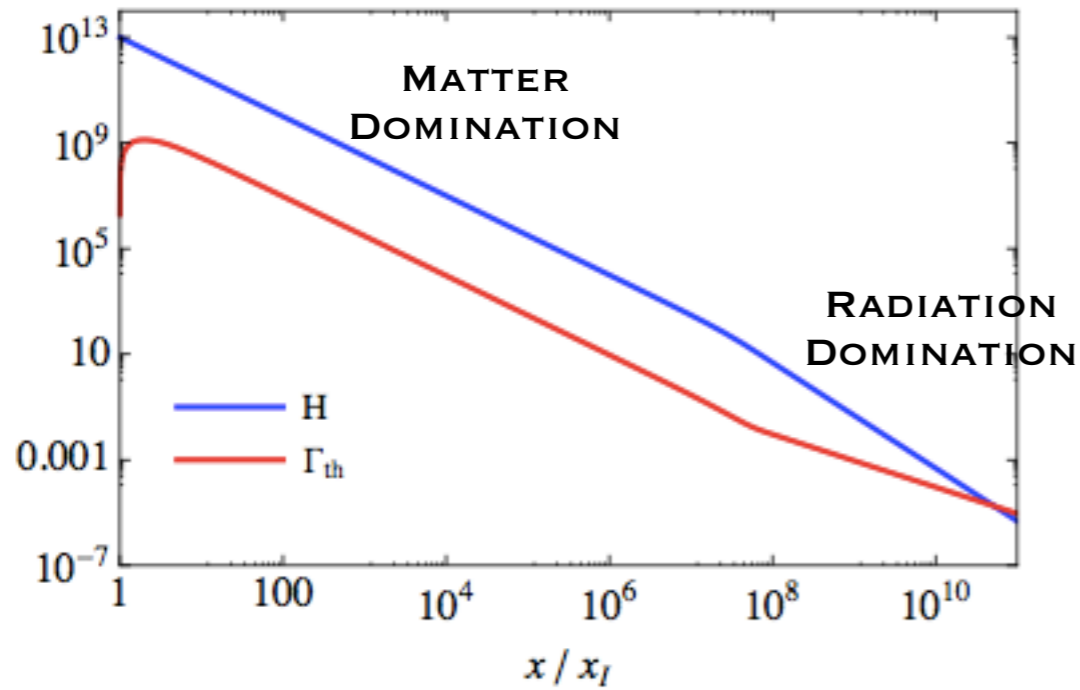
THIS ASSUMES THERMALIZATION IS ACHIEVED INSTANTLY AT THE TIME OF RADIATION DOMINATION



HOW GOOD THE ASSUMPTION OF INSTANT THERMALIZATION IS?

QUANTIFYING REHEAT TEMPERATURE

STANDARD ESTIMATION OF REHEAT TEMPERATURE IS WRONG



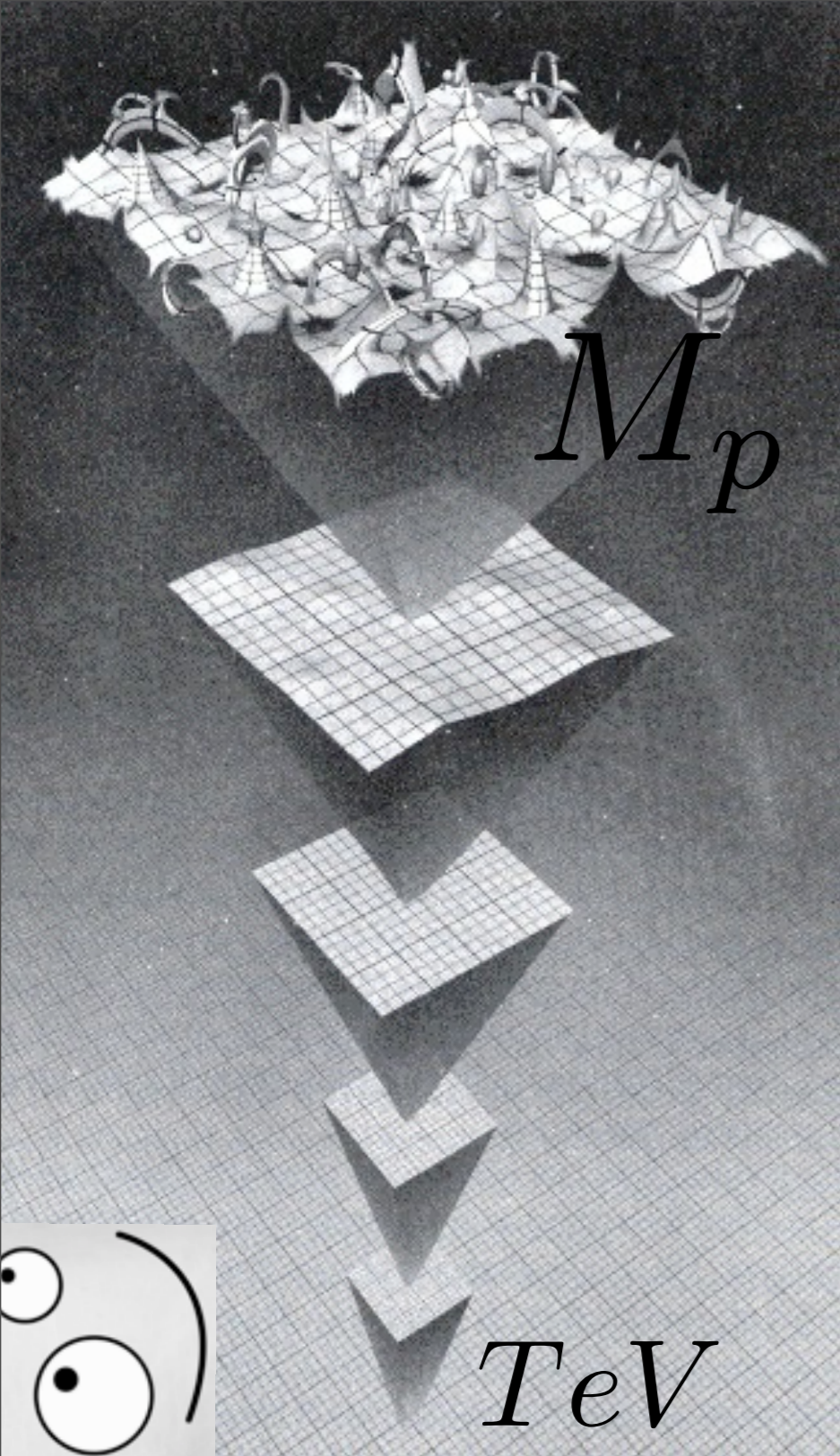
$$\sigma \sim \frac{\alpha_s^3}{p(t)^2} \log \left(\frac{m_\phi^2}{p(t)^2} \right)$$

INSTANT THERMALIZATION

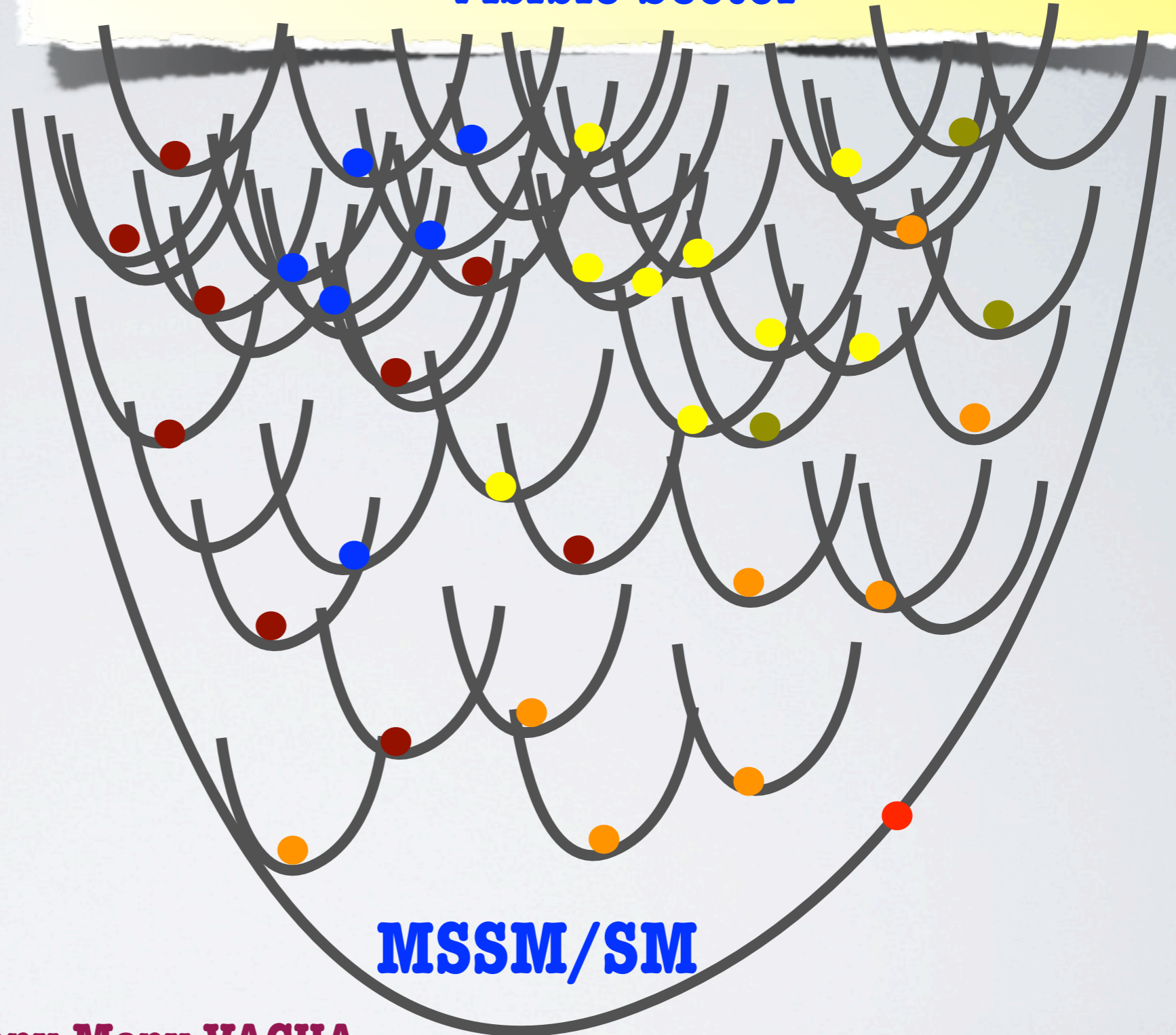
$$T_{rh}(x_{th} \ll x_{rd}) \approx \frac{0.6}{g_*^{1/4}} \sqrt{\alpha_\phi m_\phi M_P}$$

DELAYED THERMALIZATION

$$T_{rh}(x_{th} \gg x_{rd}) \approx \frac{0.7 \alpha_s^3 \alpha_\phi^{3/2} M_P^{5/2}}{g_*^{1/4} m_\phi^{3/2}}$$

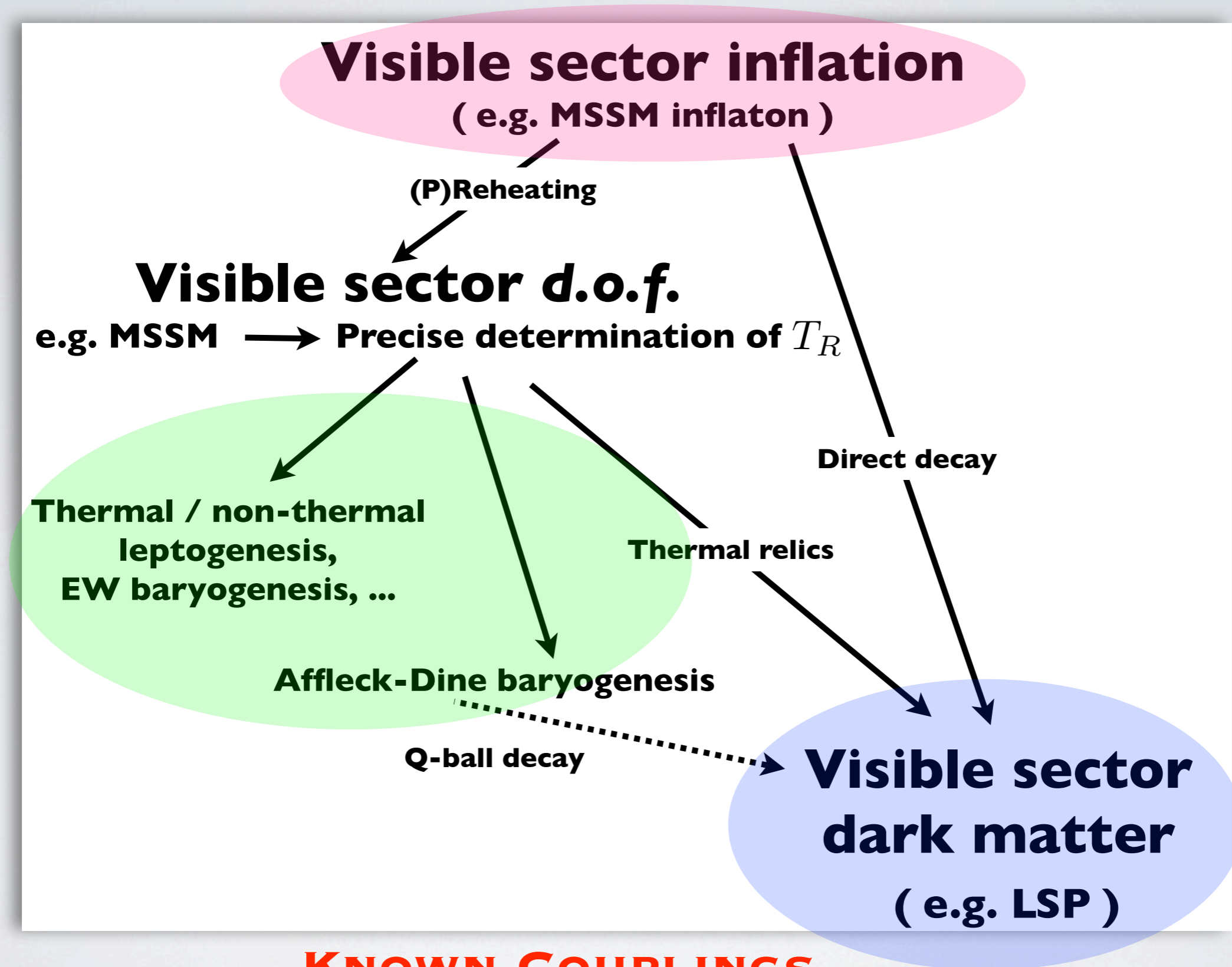


Last 50-60 e-folds MUST happen within a Visible Sector



**Inflation can happen in Many Many VACUA,
BUT the Lightest states are naturally displaced from their minimum
The lightest states are presumably MSSM/SM**

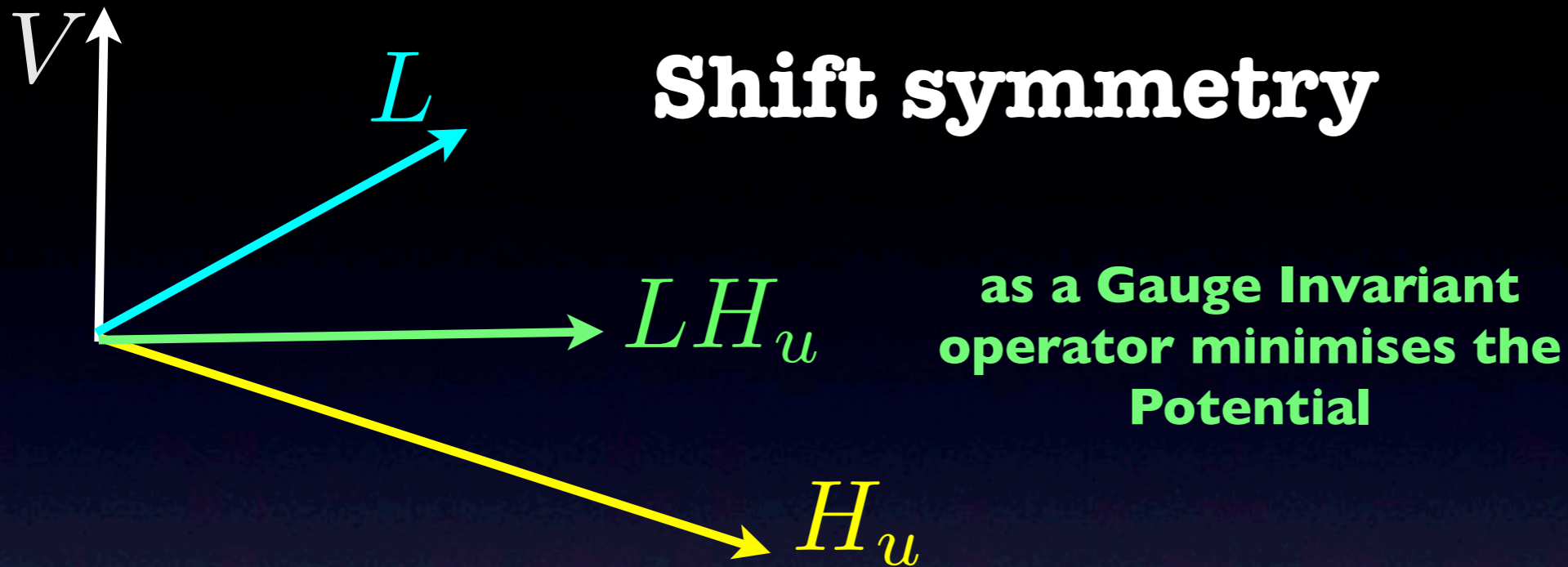
WHY MSSM ? PREDICTIVE POWER



KNOWN COUPLINGS

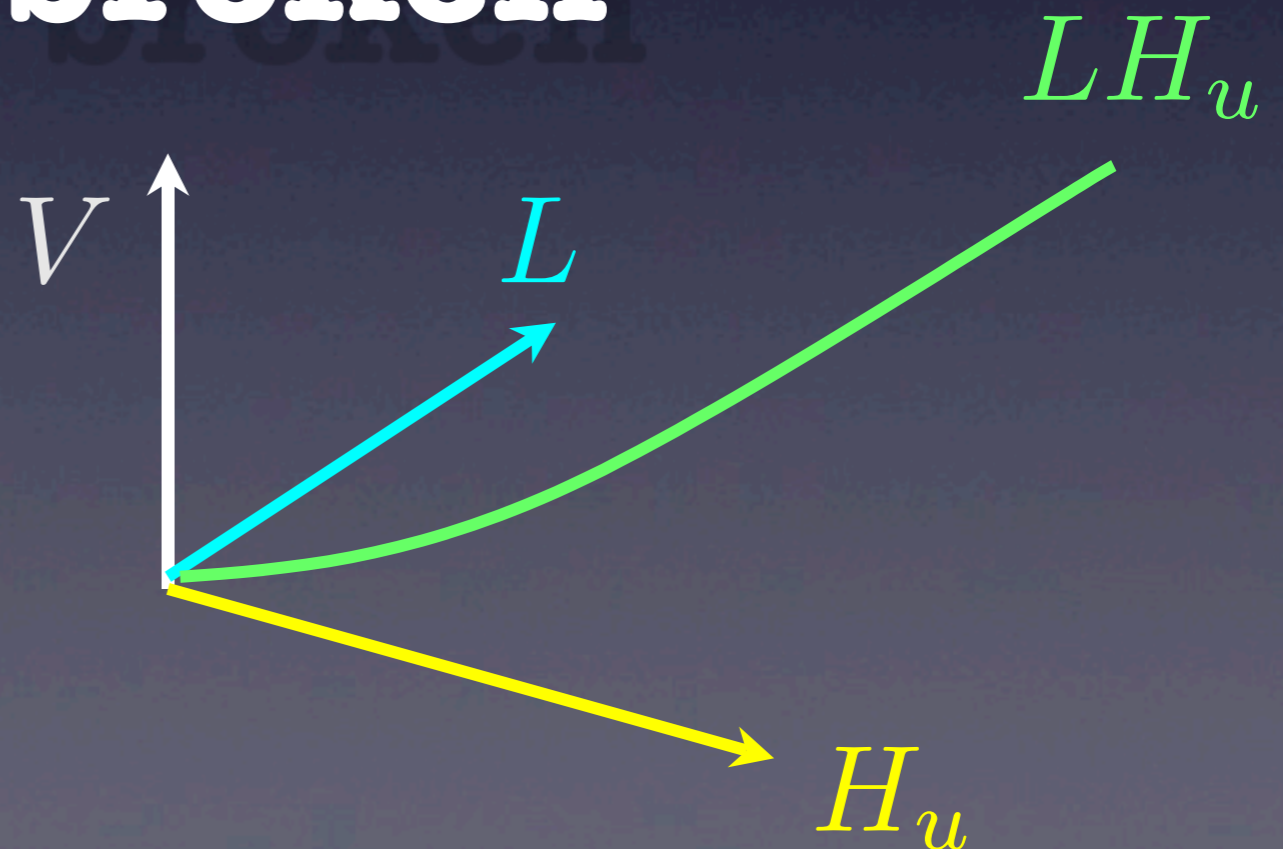
SUSY BREAKING SCALE IS THE MAIN UNCERTAINTY

SUSY Flat directions



SUSY is broken

Shift symmetry is broken



GAUGE INVARIANT INFLATONS

	B-L	Always lifted by W_{renorm} ?
LH _u	-1	
H _u H _d	0	
udd	-1	
LLe	-1	
QuL	-1	
QuH _u	0	✓
QdH _d	0	✓
LH _d e	0	✓
QQQL	0	
QuQd	0	
QuLe	0	
uude	0	
QQQH _d	1	✓
QuH _d e	1	✓
dddLL	-3	
uuuee	1	
QuQue	1	
QQQQu	1	
dddLH _d	-2	✓
uudQdH _u	-1	✓
(QQQ) ₄ LLH _u	-1	✓
(QQQ) ₄ LH _u H _d	0	✓
(QQQ) ₄ H _u H _d H _d	1	✓
(QQQ) ₄ LLLe	-1	
uudQdQd	-1	
(QQQ) ₄ LLH _d e	0	✓
(QQQ) ₄ LH _d H _d e	1	✓
(QQQ) ₄ H _d H _d H _d e	2	✓

$$SU(3) \times SU(2)_l \times U(1)_Y$$

$$u_1 d_2 d_3 \quad d_2^\beta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \phi \quad u_1^\alpha = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \phi \quad d_3^\gamma = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \phi$$

$$L_1 L_2 e_3 \quad L_1^a = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \phi \end{pmatrix} \quad L_2^b = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \begin{pmatrix} \phi \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad e_3 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \phi$$

$$H_u H_d \quad H_u = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} \phi \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad H_d = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \phi \end{pmatrix}$$

$$SU(3) \times SU(2)_l \times U(1)_Y \times U(1)_{B-L}$$

$$N H_u L \quad N = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \phi \quad H_u = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \phi \end{pmatrix} \quad L = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \begin{pmatrix} \phi \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Allahverdi, Enqvist, Bellido, AM, (PRL, 2006), (JCAP, 2007), Allahverdi, Kusenko, AM, JCAP (2007), Allahverdi, Dutta, AM (PRL 2007), Chatterjee, AM, JCAP (2011)

MSSM INFLATON POTENTIAL

$$V(\tilde{u} \tilde{d} \tilde{d} / \tilde{L} \tilde{L} \tilde{e}) \quad W \sim \lambda \sum_{n>3} \frac{\Phi^n}{M_p^{n-3}} \quad V = \text{Soft SUSY terms} + \left| \frac{\partial W}{\partial \Phi} \right|^2$$

Point of enhanced gauge symmetry

Inflection Point

YOU CAN COMPUTE THE POTENTIAL FROM FIRST PRINCIPLE WITHOUT ASSUMING AD-HOC INTERACTIONS

HIGHER ORDER CORRECTIONS CAN BE INCLUDED WITHIN EFFECTIVE FIELD THEORY

RGE flow

ϕ_{LHC}

$\phi_{\text{inflation}}$

$(\tilde{u} \tilde{d} \tilde{d} / \tilde{L} \tilde{L} \tilde{e})$

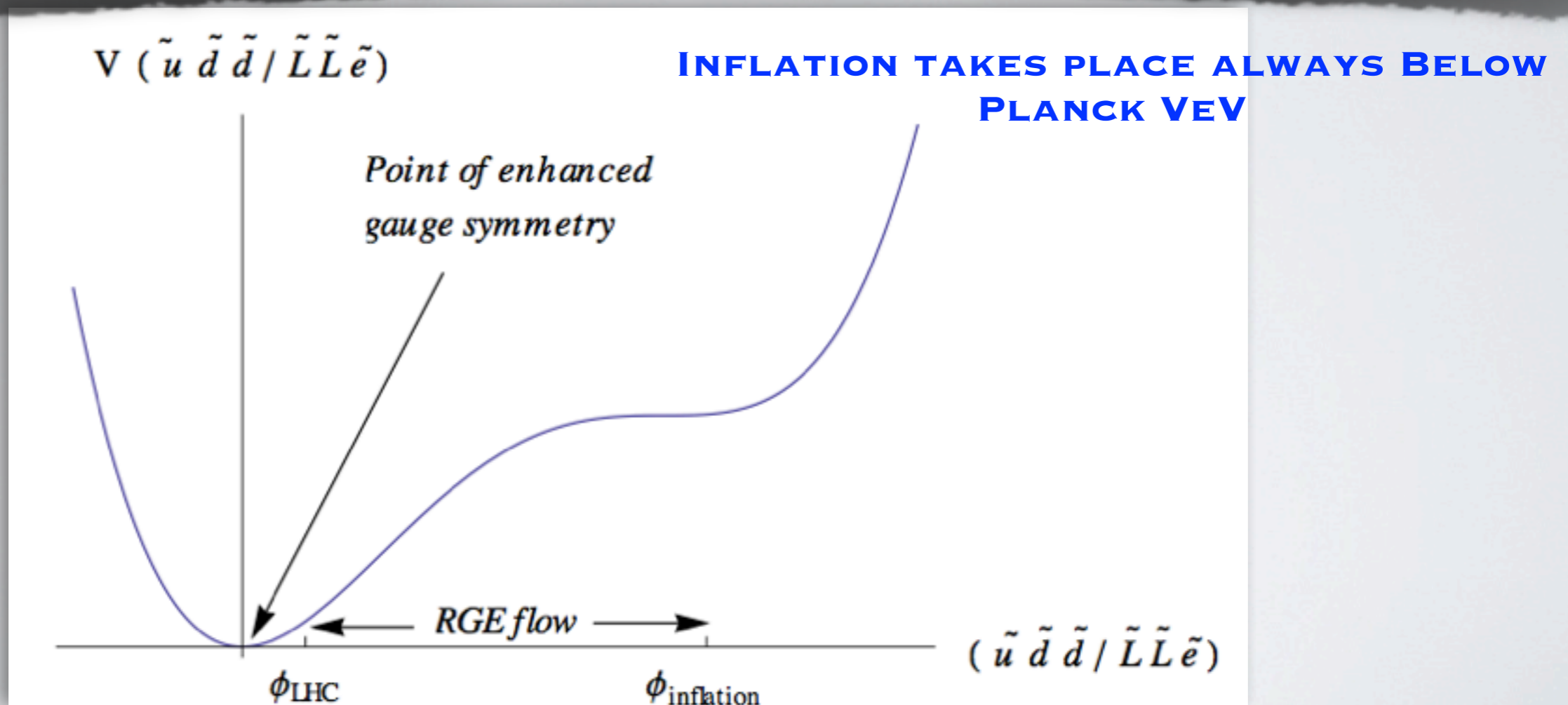
POTENTIALS ARE CONSTRUCTED BY SMALL PERTURBATIONS AROUND THE ENHANCED GAUGE SYMMETRY POINT

Allahverdi, Enqvist, Garcia-Bellido, AM, PRL (2006), JCAP (2006)

CONSTRUCTING A POTENTIAL AT THE LOWEST ORDER

$$V(|\phi|) = \frac{1}{2}m^2|\phi|^2 - \frac{Ah}{3}\phi^3 + h^2|\phi|^4 \quad (n = 3)$$

$$V(|\phi|) = \frac{1}{2}m^2|\phi|^2 - \frac{A\lambda}{6}\frac{\phi^6}{M_p^3} + \lambda^2\frac{|\phi|^{10}}{M_p^6} \quad (n = 6)$$

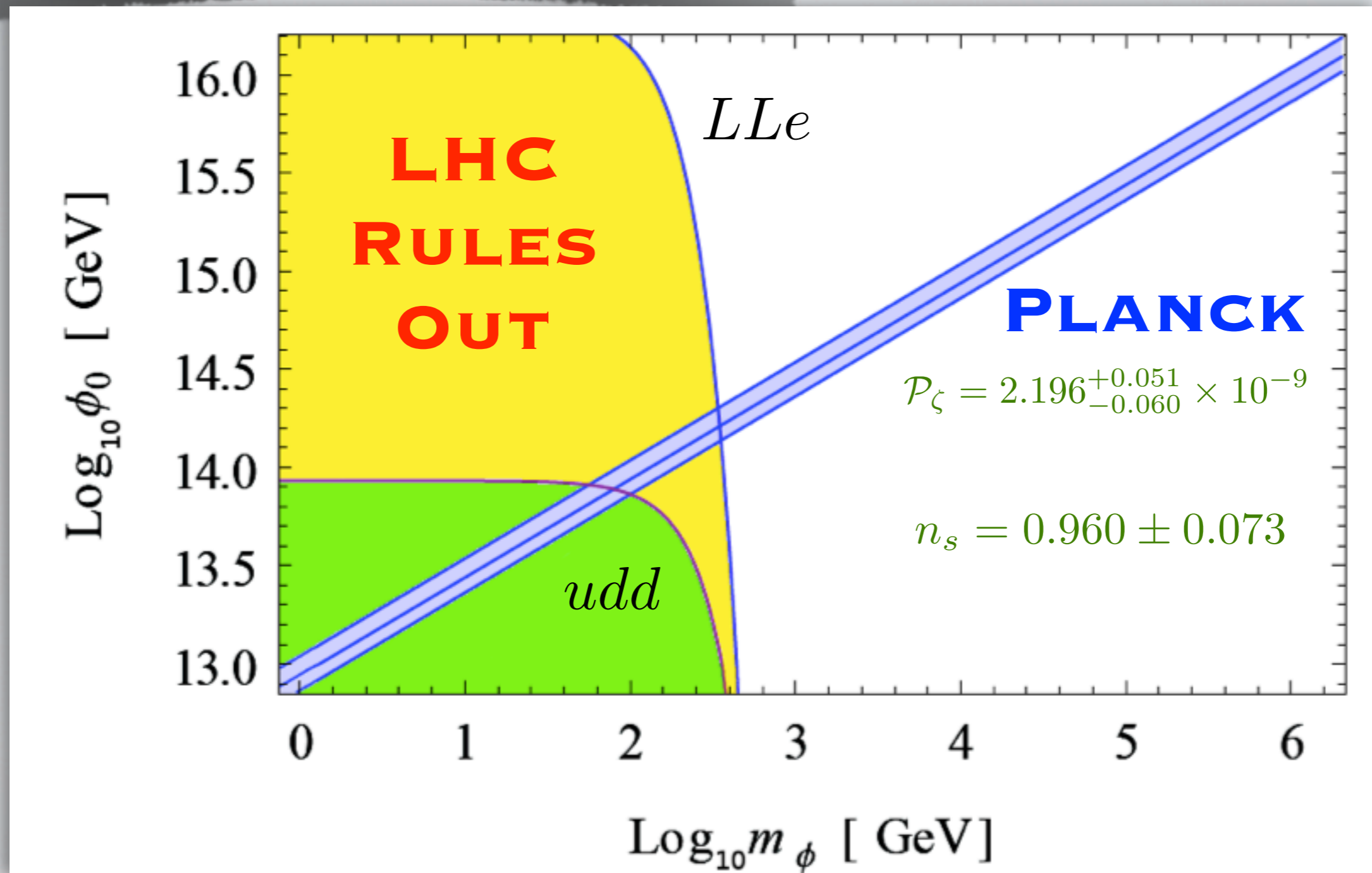


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LHC & PLANCK JOINT CONSTRAINTS ON INFLATONS

$$W = \lambda \frac{(LLe)(LLe)}{M_p^3} \quad \text{or} \quad \lambda \frac{(udd)(udd)}{M_p^3}$$

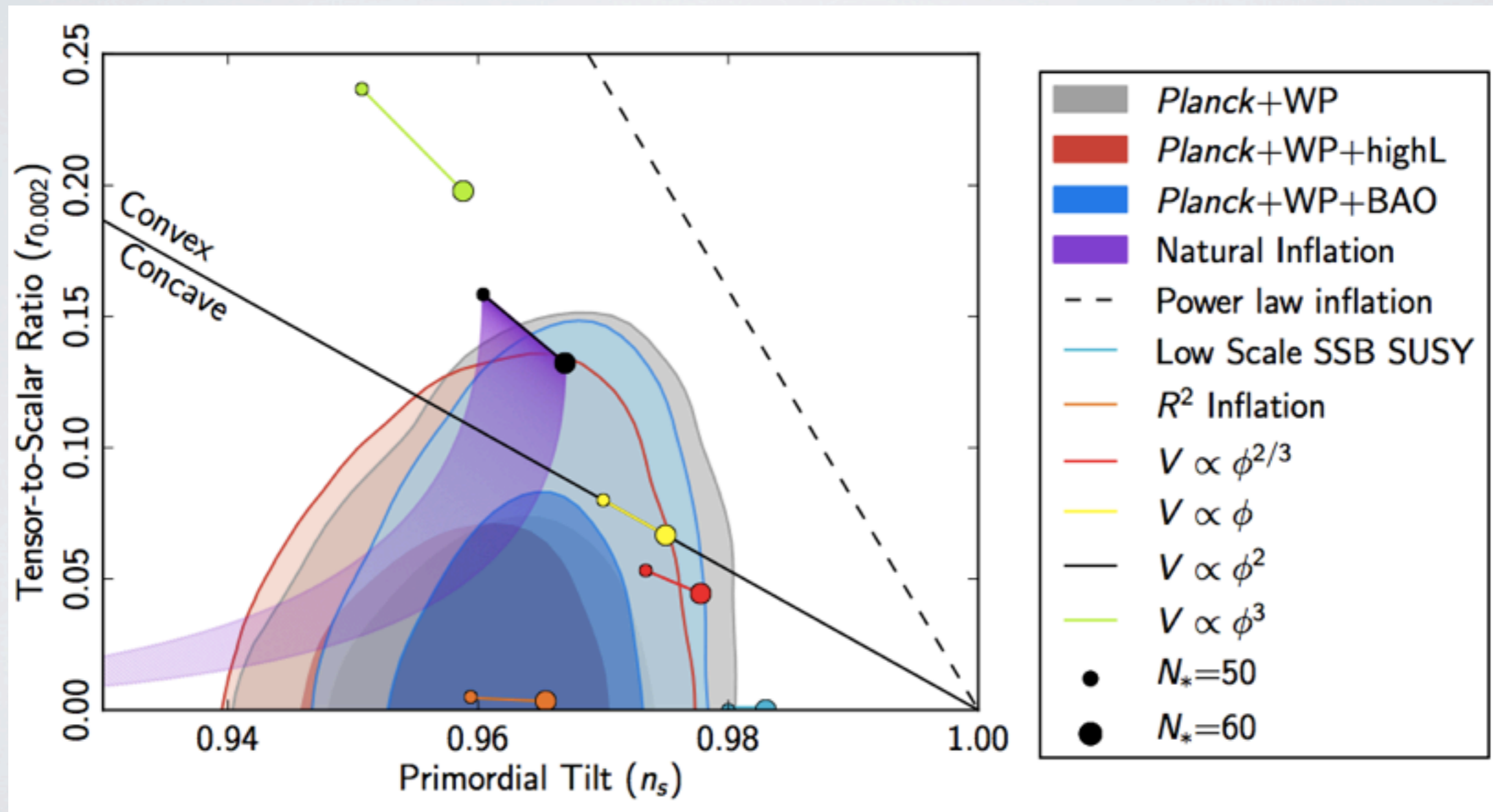
RENORMALIZATION GROUP EQUATIONS CAN RELATE LHC SCALE TO INFLATIONARY SCALE



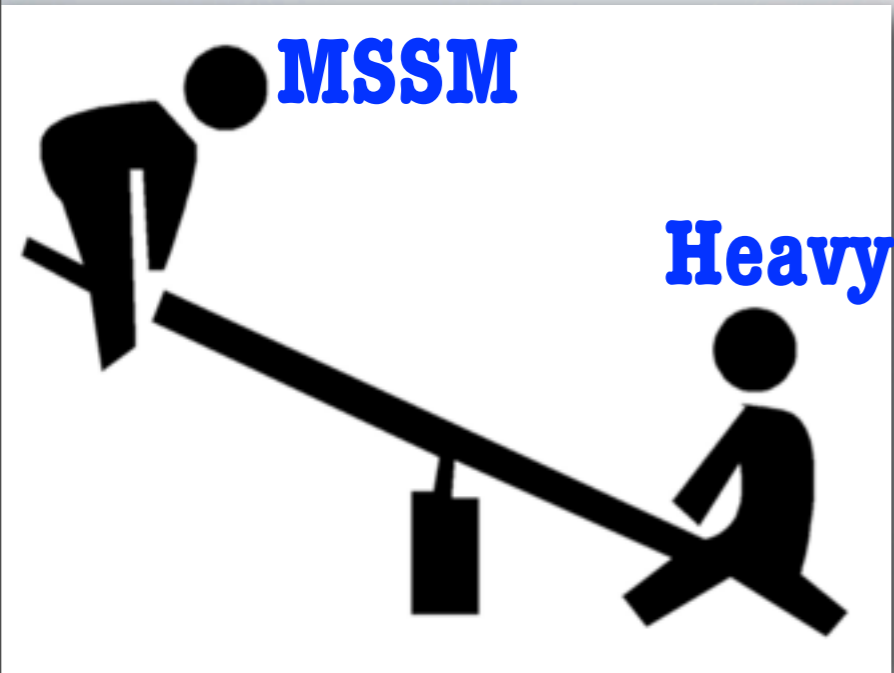
BOEHM, DASILVA, AM & PUKARTAS, PRD (2012),

WANG, PUKARTAS & AM, JCAP (2013)

CAN MSSM INFLATION PRODUCE LARGE TENSOR TO SCALAR RATIO?

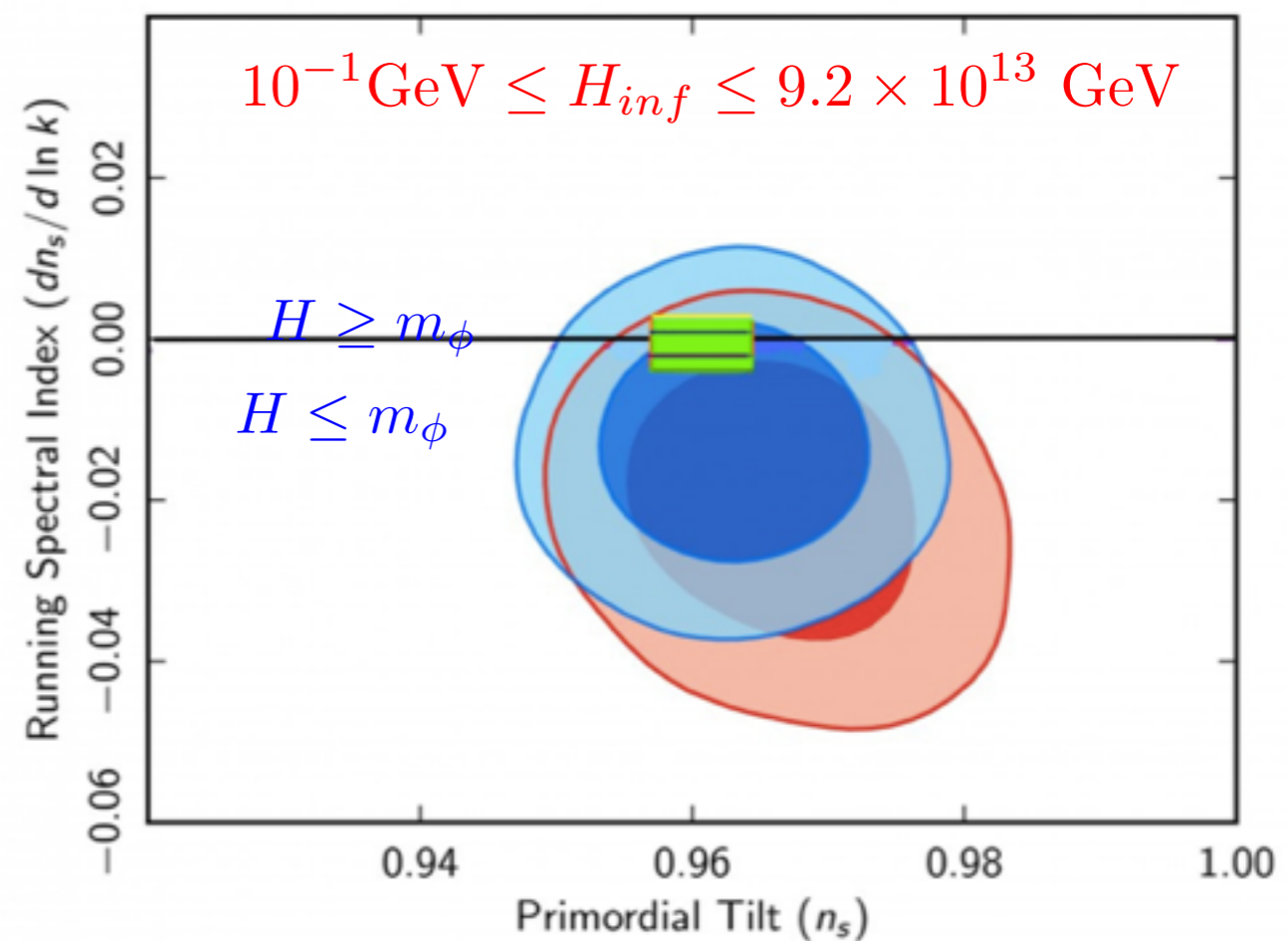
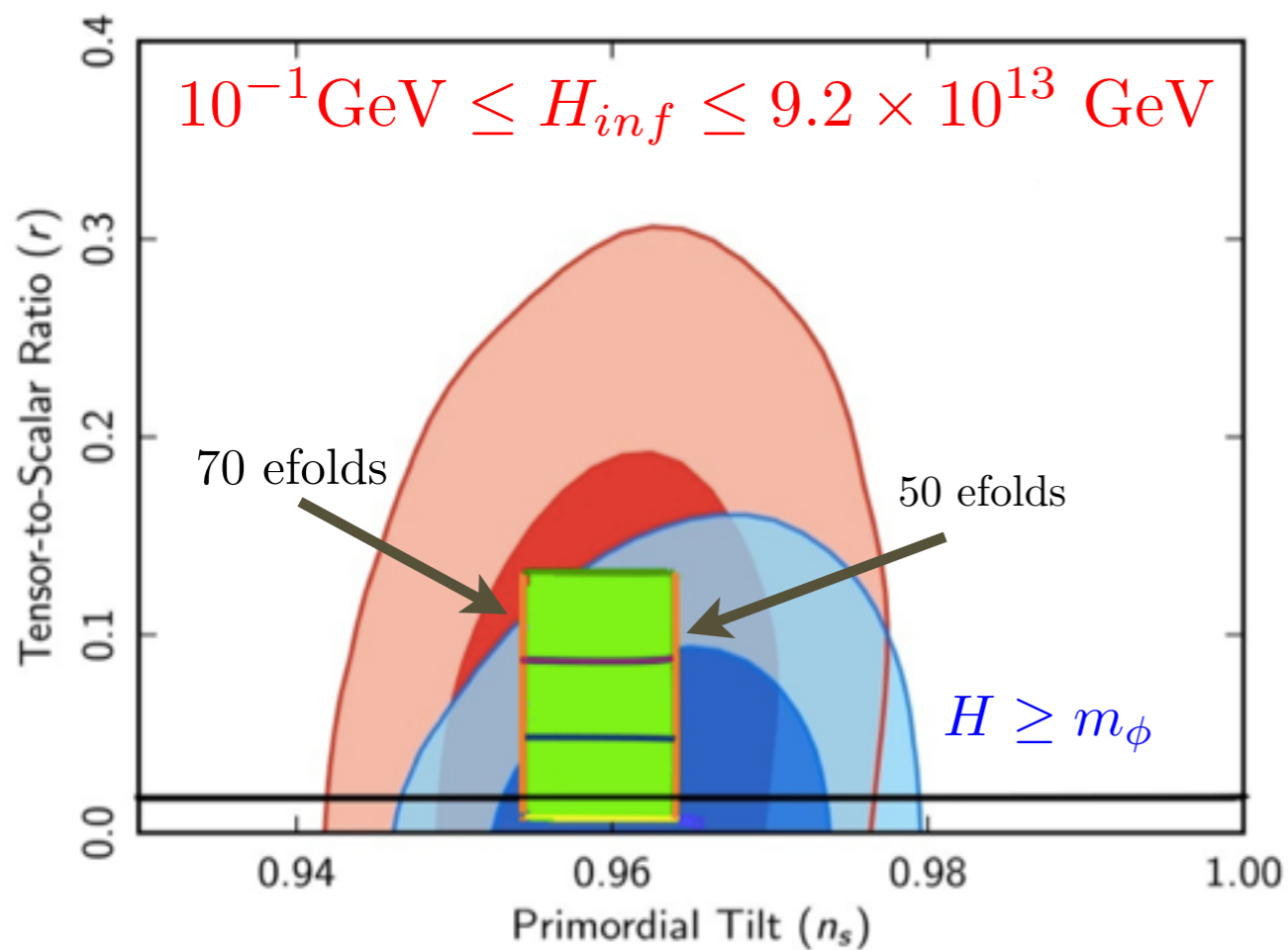


N=1 SUGRA & MSSM INFLATION



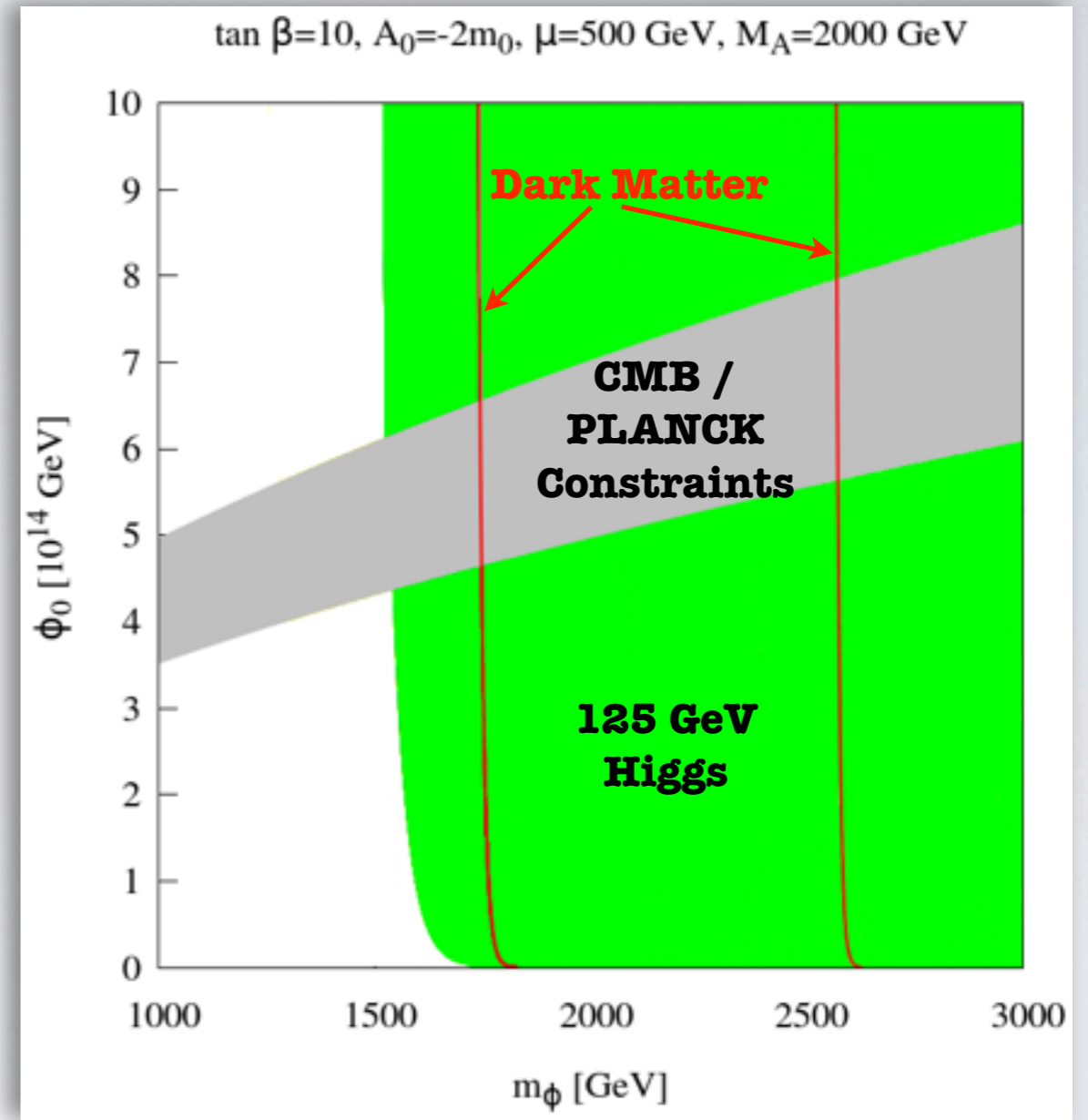
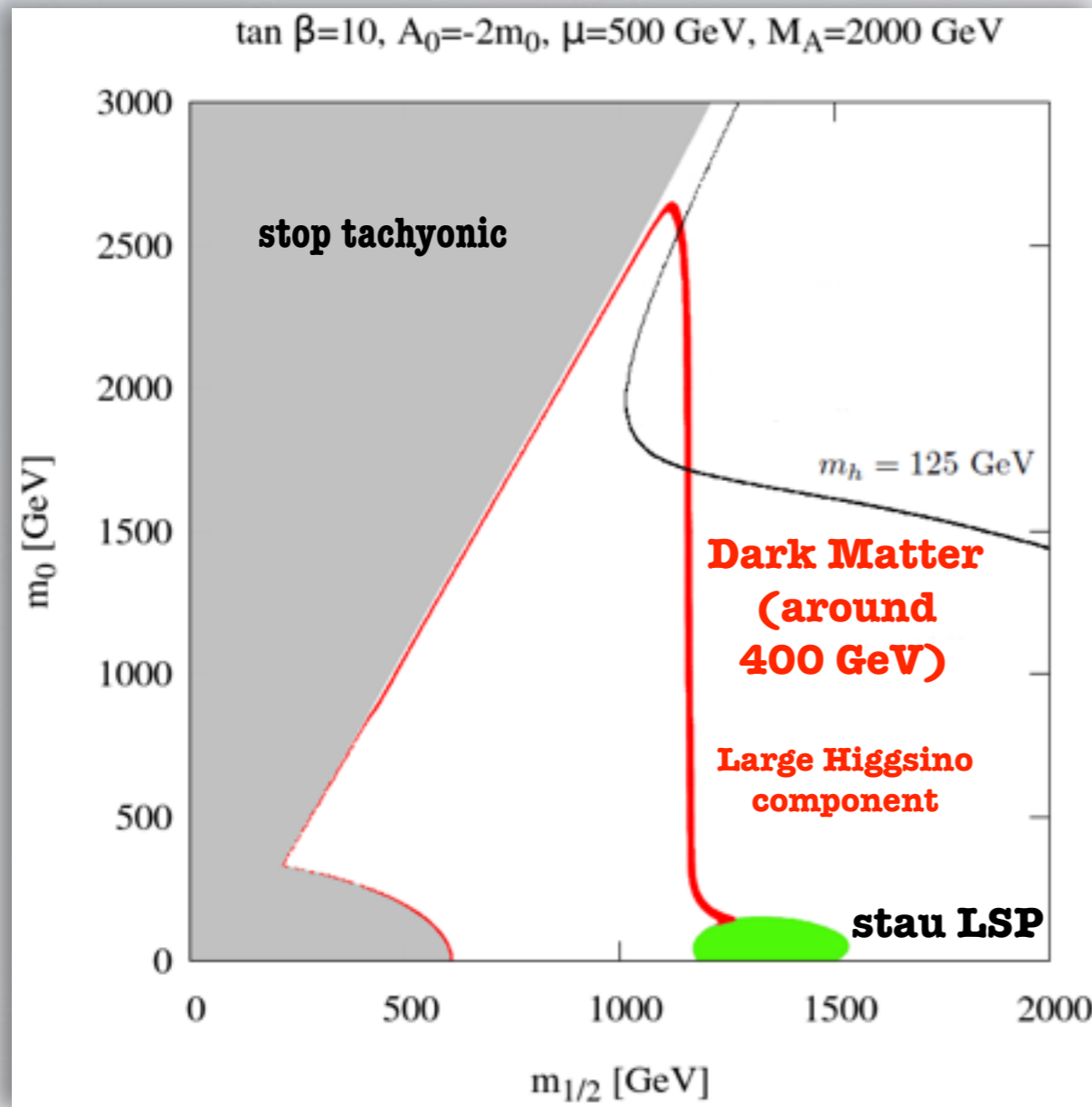
$$V(\phi) = V_c + \frac{c_H H^2}{2} |\phi|^2 - \frac{a_H H}{n M_P^{n-3}} \phi^n + \frac{|\phi|^{2(n-1)}}{M_P^{2(n-3)}}$$

$$H \geq m_\phi$$



CHOUHURY, AM, PAL, JCAP (2013)

Correlation between CMB + Dark matter

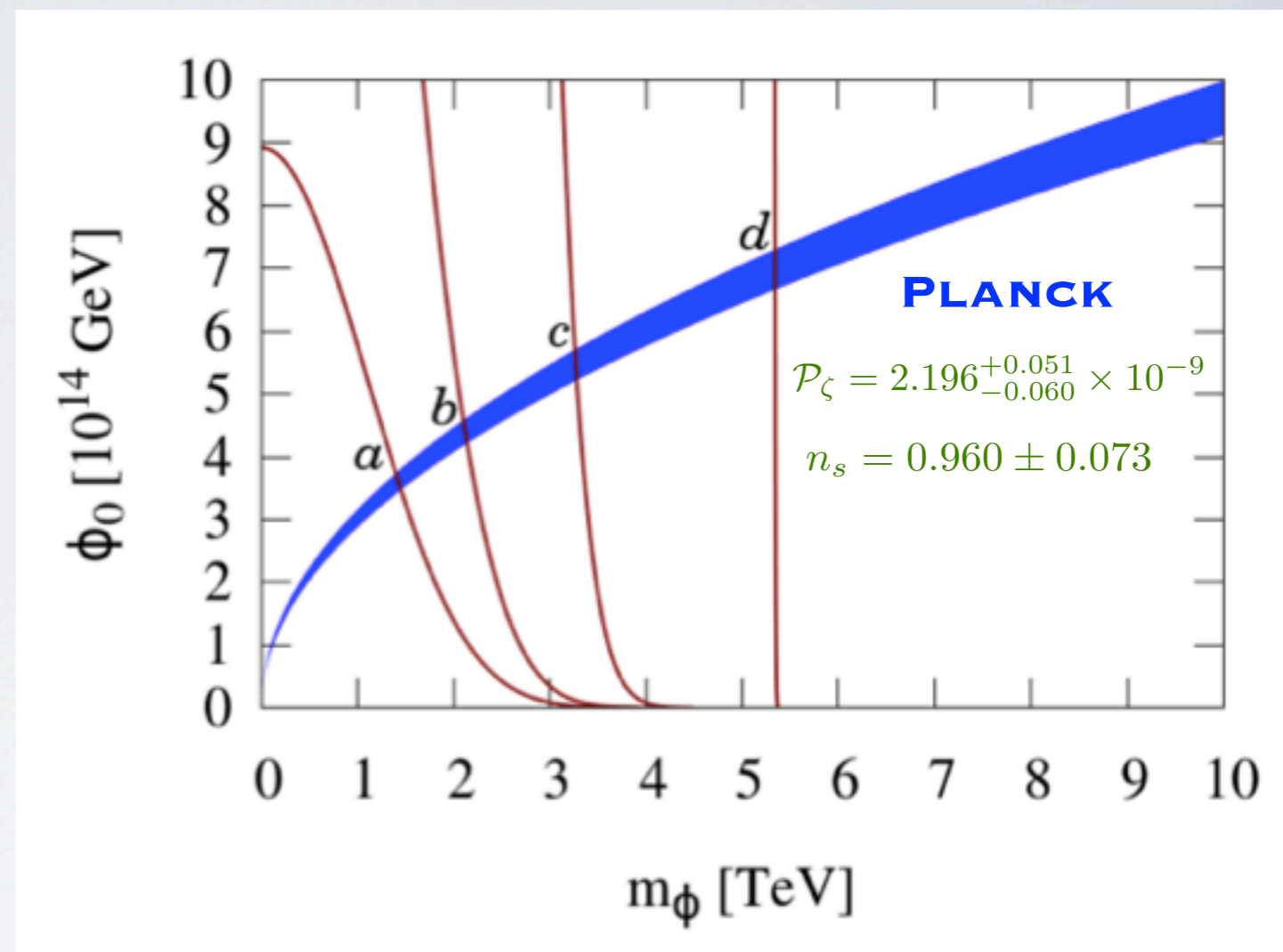
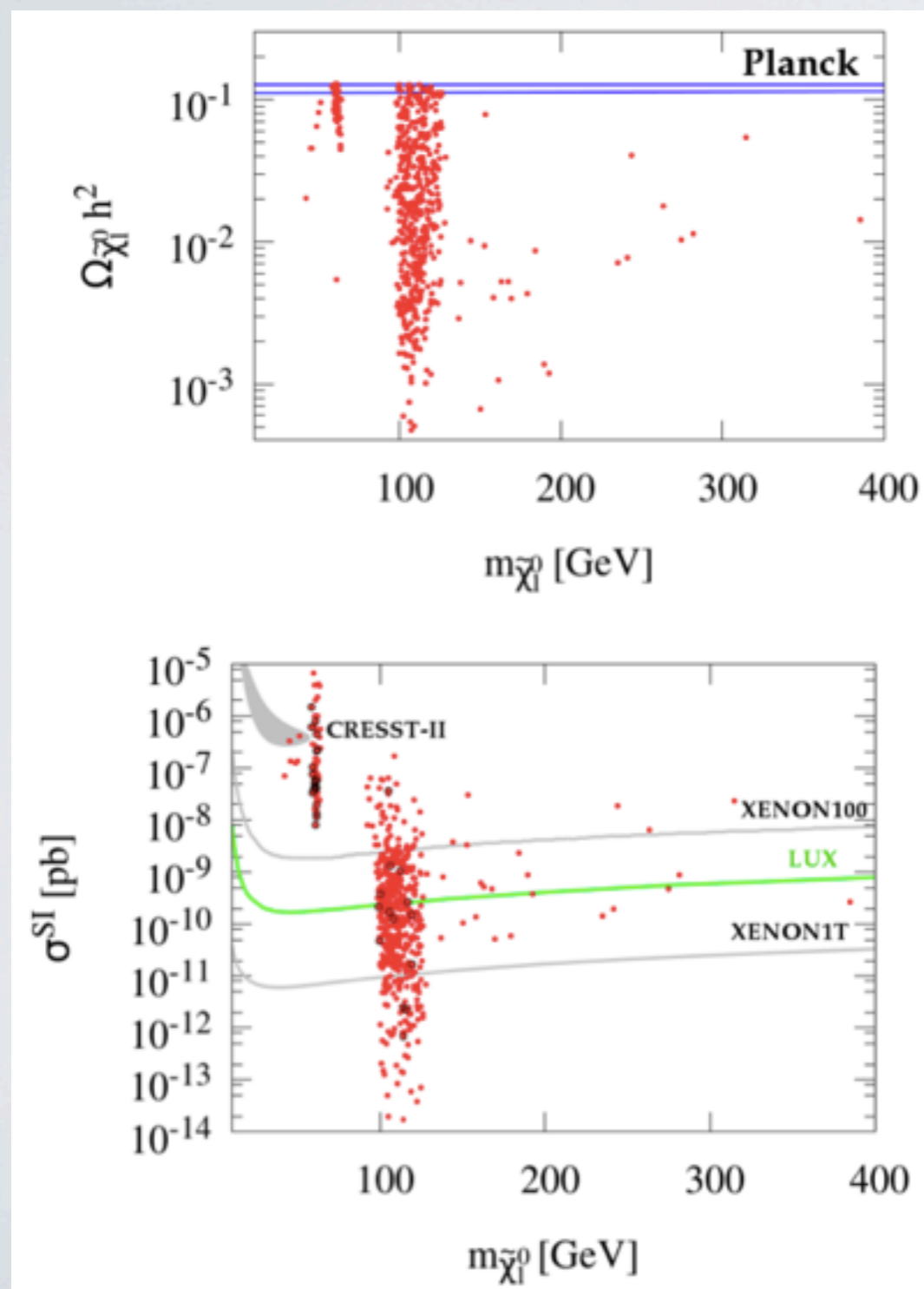


Higgs Mass + Dark matter constraint + CMB for udd Inflaton

Boehm, DaSilva, AM & Pukartas, PRD (2012), Wang, Pukartas & AM JCAP (2013) (hep-ph/1303.535)

ONE MORE BSM ... NMSSM

NMSSM: CAN INVOKE SUCCESSFUL ELECTROWEAK BARYOGENESIS VIA 1ST ORDER PHASE TRANSITION



**HIGGS MASS CONSTRAINT
DARK MATTER CONSTRAINT
1ST ORDER PHASE TRANSITION
INFLATIONARY CONSTRAINT FOR UDD INFLATON**

BALASZ+AM+ PUKARTAS + WHITE 1309.5091

LAST 50-60 E-FOLDS MUST HAPPEN WITHIN A VISIBLE SECTOR

	\mathcal{P}_ζ	$\mathcal{P}_\zeta \propto k^{n_s-1}$	$r = \frac{\mathcal{P}_T}{\mathcal{P}_\zeta}$	HIDDEN RADIATION	UV COMPLETION	DARK MATTER ABUNDANCE
PURE GRAVITY +SM	✓	✓	✓	✓	Required	No prediction
STRING THEORY	✓	✓	✓	No prediction	Required	No prediction
HIGGS INFLATION	✓	✓	✓	NO	Required but Quantum Gravity	Extra Physics
VISIBLE SECTOR, I.E. MSSM	✓	✓	✓	NO	Required but within Matter sector	✓

STRINGY INFLATION IS STILL HELPFUL BUT NOT DURING LAST 50-60 E-FOLDS...

$R + R^2$ Gravity is utterly incomplete : requires higher derivative terms

CONFUSION-3

LARGE TENSOR TO SCALAR RATIO CAN BE OBTAINED BY SUB-PLANCKIAN VEV INFLATION

$$\frac{3}{25} \sqrt{\frac{r(k_*)}{0.12}} \left| \left\{ \frac{3}{400} \left(\frac{r(k_*)}{0.12} \right) - \frac{\eta_V(k_*)}{2} - \frac{1}{2} - \left(8C_E + \frac{14}{3} \right) \epsilon_V^2(k_*) - \frac{\eta_V^2(k_*)}{6} - \frac{\xi_V^2(k_*)}{8} + \frac{5\eta_V(k_*)\epsilon_V(k_*)}{12} - \frac{\sigma_V^3(k_*)}{24} + \dots \right\} \right| \approx \frac{|\Delta\phi|}{M_p}$$

INFLECTION POINT INFLATION

BEN-DAYAN, R. BRUSTEIN, JCAP (2009),

HOTCHKISS, AM, SESHADRI, JCAP (2012)

CHOUDHURY, AM, PAL, JCAP (2013), CHOUDHURY, AM, 1306.4496

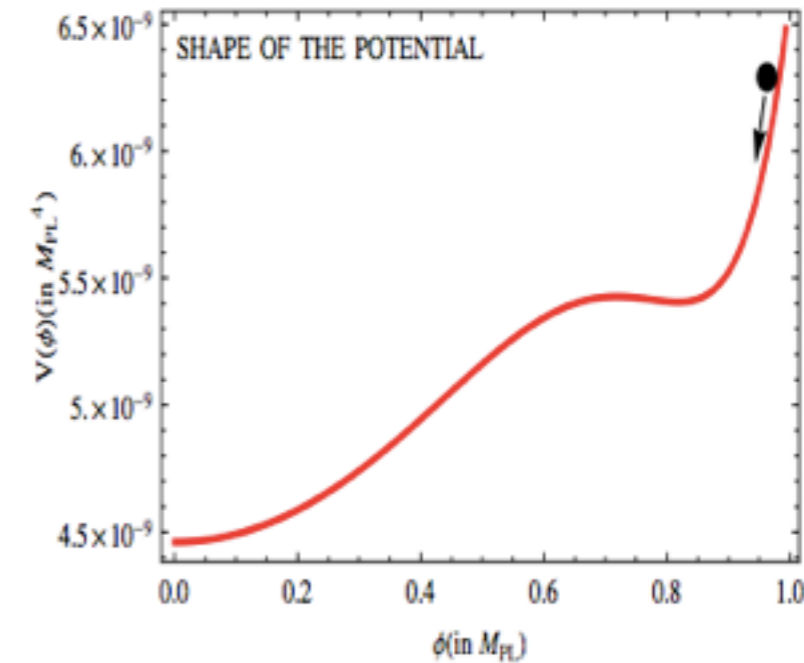
An accurate bound on tensor-to-scalar ratio and the scale of inflation

Sayantana Choudhury¹ and Anupam Mazumdar²

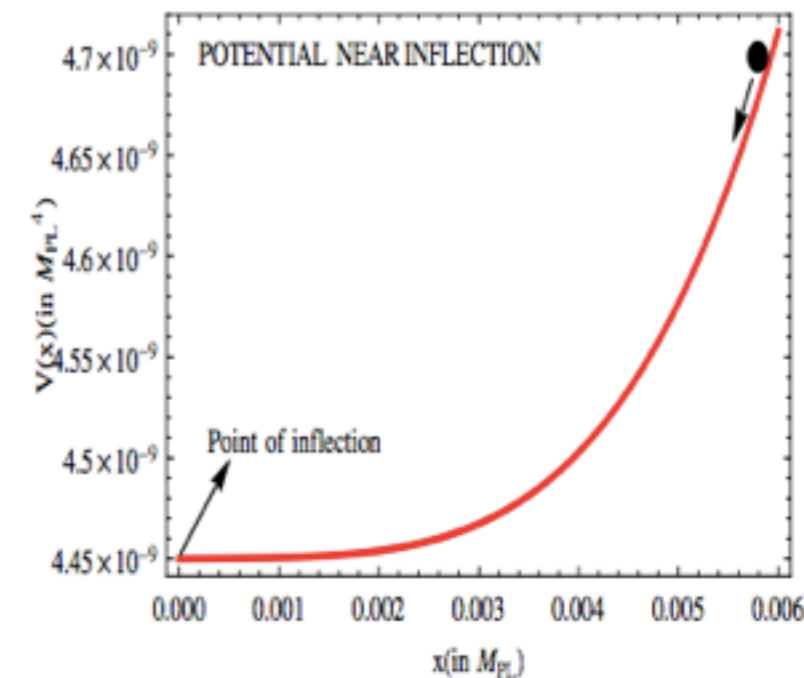
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²Consortium for Fundamental Physics, Physics Department, Lancaster University, LA1 4YB, UK

In this paper we provide an accurate bound on tensor-to-scalar ratio (r) for class of models where inflation always occurs below the Planck scale, and the field displacement during inflation remains sub-Planckian.



(a) Shape of the potential. Note the existence of a flat plateau below the Planck scale.



(b) The blow up picture of the potential near the inflection point. Here $x = \phi - \phi_0$, where ϕ_0 is the inflection-point.

LHC data

Planck & Future

No TeV scale SUSY

TeV scale SUSY

Small tensor perturbations

Large tensor perturbations

Understand new d.o.f. of BSM physics

Constrain parameter space for TeV scale MSSM inflation from LHC

Construct inflationary vacuum within new BSM sector (without invoking hidden sectors)

(1) New Chapter

- Determine T_R
- Determine dark matter candidate
- Determine mechanism for baryogenesis

(2) Precision SUSY cosmology

- Constrain thermal history of the Universe precisely
- MSSM parameter space for inflation, baryogenesis, and dark matter

(3) TeV scale SUSY

- Construct high scale MSSM inflationary vacuum below M_p (without invoking hidden sectors)
- Connect inflation with LHC observables

(4) No TeV scale SUSY

- Construct high scale inflationary vacuum based on new BSM physics (without invoking hidden sectors)
- Seek new LHC signatures

Revolutionary ROAD MAP

Extra Slides

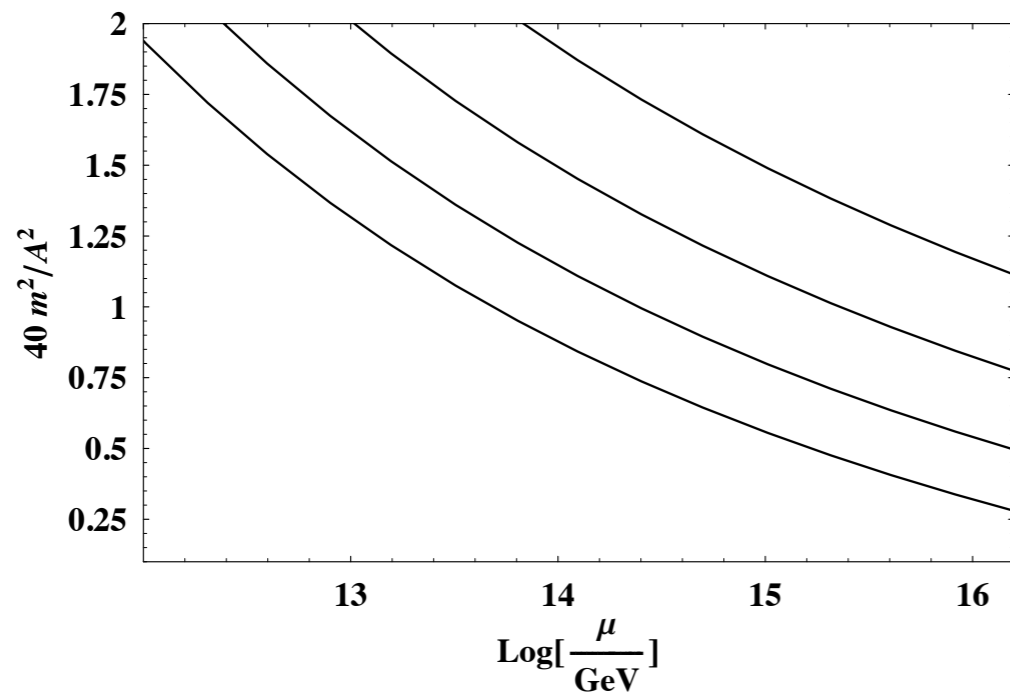


FIG. 2: The ratio $(40m_\phi^2/A^2)$ as a function of $\text{Log}[\frac{\mu}{\text{GeV}}]$ in the case of *udd* flat direction. The curves are for M_{GUT} boundary values $m_\phi = 150, 200, 250, 300$ GeV (respectively from left to right), and $A = 1.6$ TeV.

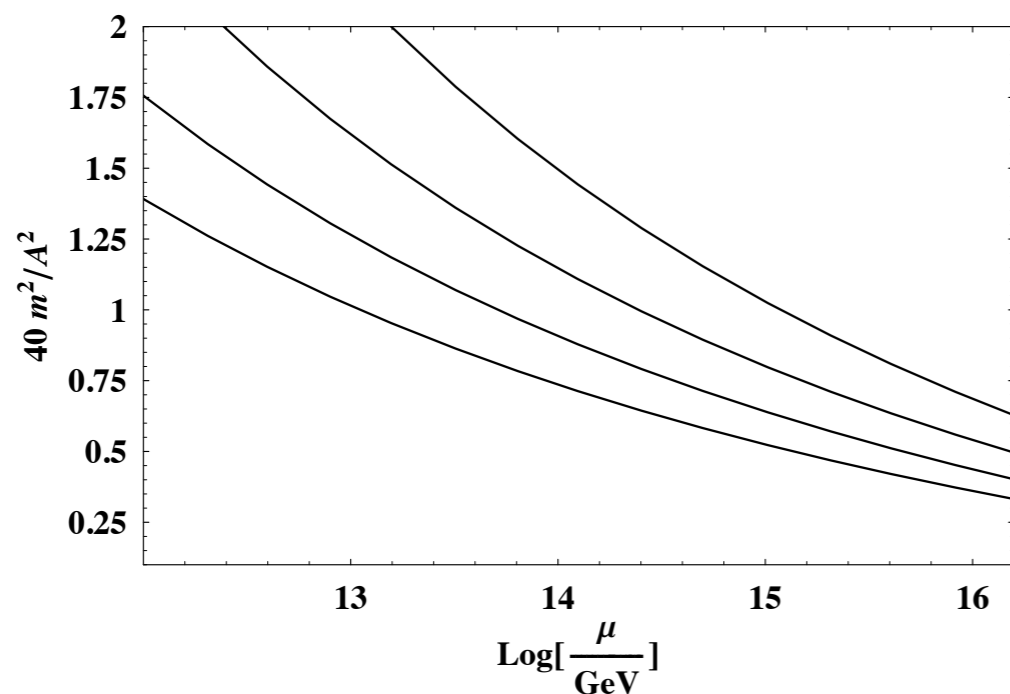


FIG. 3: The ratio $(40m_\phi^2/A^2)$ as a function of $\text{Log}[\frac{\mu}{\text{GeV}}]$ in the case of *udd* flat direction. The curves are for M_{GUT} boundary values $A_{udd} = 1.6, 1.8, 2.0, 2.2$ TeV (respectively from top to bottom), and $m_\phi = 400$ GeV.

IS THERE A FINE - TUNING ?

$$m_\phi(\phi_0), A(\phi_0)$$



RG - EQUATIONS

$$m_\phi(100 \text{ GeV}), A(100 \text{ GeV})$$

PREDICTIONS FROM 10^{500} VACUA

EXCESS DARK MATTER

EXCESS GRAVITINOS

EXCESS DARK RADIATION

**NO SOLUTION TO SINGULARITY
PROBLEM**

**(1) SETTING UP THE
INITIAL CONDITION FOR A
VISIBLE SECTOR INFLATION**

$$V = V_{Landscape} + V_{MSSM}$$

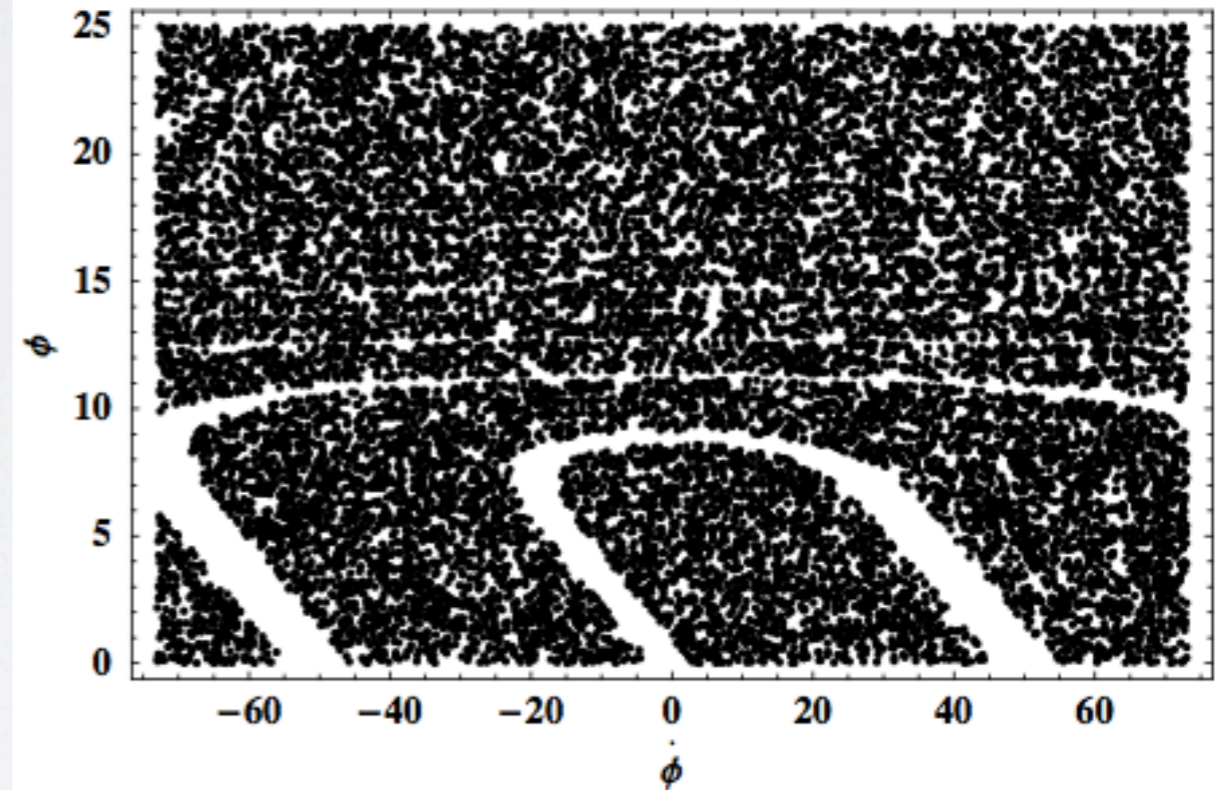


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(2) COSMOLOGICAL CONSTANT



HOW ABOUT COSMOLOGICAL SINGULARITY PROBLEM?

**STRING THEORY IS IMMATURE TO TACKLE THIS PROBLEM:
ONE REQUIRES CLOSE STRING FIELD THEORY**

$$\begin{aligned}
 S_q = & \int d^4x \sqrt{-g} [RF_1(\square)R + RF_2(\square)\nabla_\mu \nabla_\nu R^{\mu\nu} + R_{\mu\nu}F_3(\square)R^{\mu\nu} + R_\mu^\nu F_4(\square)\nabla_\nu \nabla_\lambda R^{\mu\lambda} \\
 & + R^{\lambda\sigma} F_5(\square)\nabla_\mu \nabla_\sigma \nabla_\nu \nabla_\lambda R^{\mu\nu} + RF_6(\square)\nabla_\mu \nabla_\nu \nabla_\lambda \nabla_\sigma R^{\mu\nu\lambda\sigma} + R_{\mu\lambda}F_7(\square)\nabla_\nu \nabla_\sigma R^{\mu\nu\lambda\sigma} \\
 & + R_\lambda^\rho F_8(\square)\nabla_\mu \nabla_\sigma \nabla_\nu \nabla_\rho R^{\mu\nu\lambda\sigma} + R^{\mu_1\nu_1} F_9(\square)\nabla_{\mu_1} \nabla_{\nu_1} \nabla_\mu \nabla_\nu \nabla_\lambda \nabla_\sigma R^{\mu\nu\lambda\sigma} \\
 & + R_{\mu\nu\lambda\sigma} F_{10}(\square)R^{\mu\nu\lambda\sigma} + R_{\mu\nu\lambda}^\rho F_{11}(\square)\nabla_\rho \nabla_\sigma R^{\mu\nu\lambda\sigma} + R_{\mu\rho_1\nu\sigma_1} F_{12}(\square)\nabla^{\rho_1} \nabla^{\sigma_1} \nabla_\rho \nabla_\sigma R^{\mu\rho\nu\sigma} \\
 & + R_\mu^{\nu_1\rho_1\sigma_1} F_{13}(\square)\nabla_{\rho_1} \nabla_{\sigma_1} \nabla_{\nu_1} \nabla_\nu \nabla_\rho \nabla_\sigma R^{\mu\nu\lambda\sigma} + R^{\mu_1\nu_1\rho_1\sigma_1} F_{14}(\square)\nabla_{\rho_1} \nabla_{\sigma_1} \nabla_{\nu_1} \nabla_{\mu_1} \nabla_\mu \nabla_\nu \nabla_\rho \nabla_\sigma R^{\mu\nu\lambda\sigma}]
 \end{aligned}$$

GRAVITY INVOKES ∞ HIGHER ORDER CORRECTIONS

$$S = \int d^4x \sqrt{-g} [R + R\mathcal{F}_1(\square)R + R_{\mu\nu}\mathcal{F}_2(\square)R^{\mu\nu} + R_{\mu\nu\alpha\beta}\mathcal{F}_3(\square)R^{\mu\nu\alpha\beta}]$$

$$\mathcal{F}_i(\square) = \sum_n^\infty a_n \square^n$$

$$\Delta\mathcal{L} = \sqrt{-g} (\alpha R^2 + \beta R_{\mu\nu}^2 + \gamma R_{\alpha\beta\mu\nu}^2)$$

$$2\mathcal{F}_1(\square) + \mathcal{F}_2(\square) + 2\mathcal{F}_3(\square) = 0$$

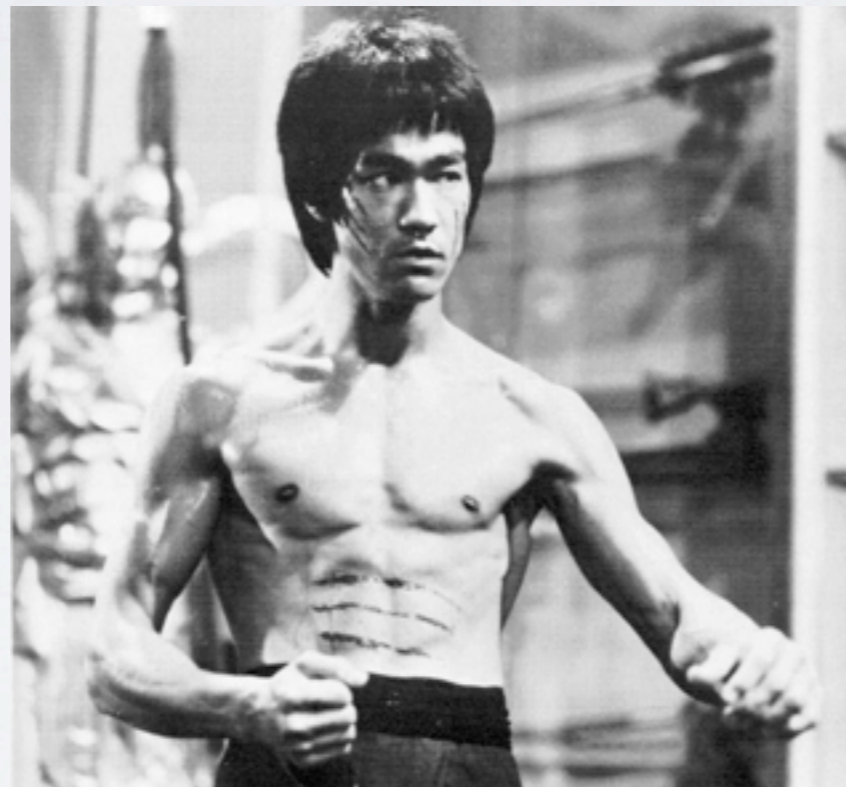
**Classical Gravity becomes
WEAK in the UV**

Biswas, Gerwick, Koivisto & AM, Phys. Rev. Lett.

SUSY SCALE COULD BE HIGHER THAN TEV !!

UNDERSTANDING FINE TUNING IS IMPORTANT

IT CAN ONLY BE ADDRESSED WITHIN A CONTEXT

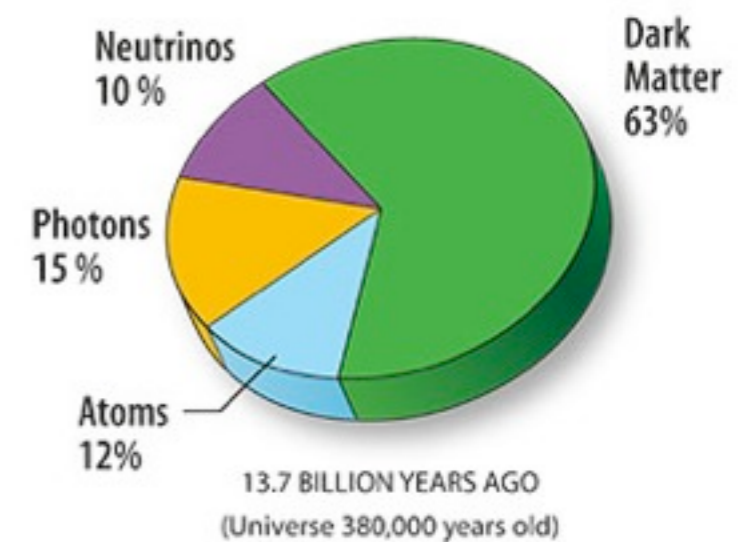
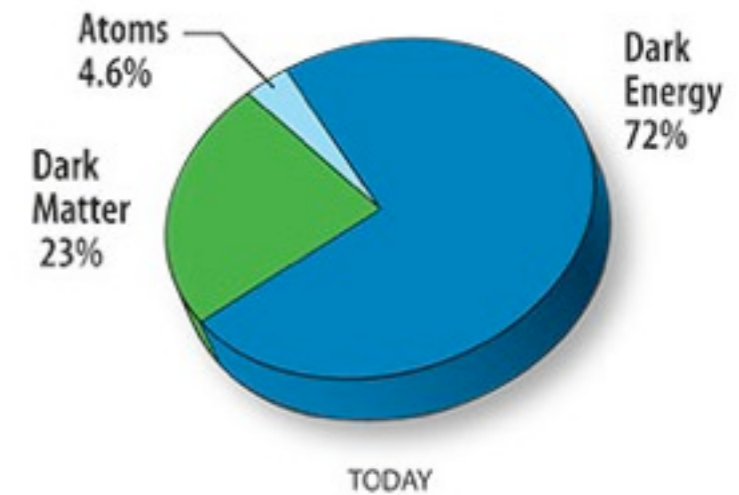
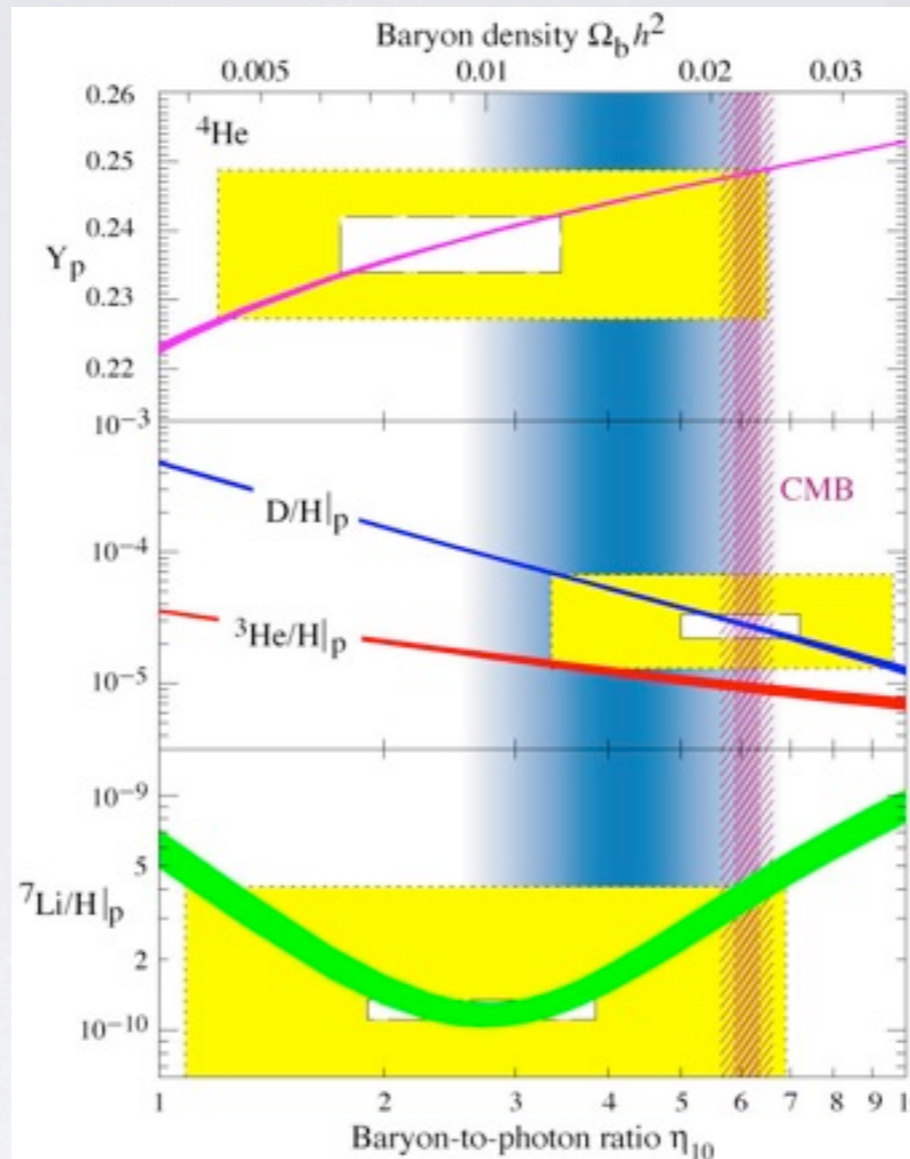


10^{-11} for neutrino mass and 10^{-44} for $C.C$

NATURE IS FINE TUNED

FOUR REASONS WHY INFLATION MUST END IN A VISIBLE SECTOR

- **BIG BANG NUCLEOSYNTHESIS**
- **BARYONIC ASYMMETRY**
- **OBSERVED DARK MATTER ABUNDANCE**
- **DARK RADIATION**



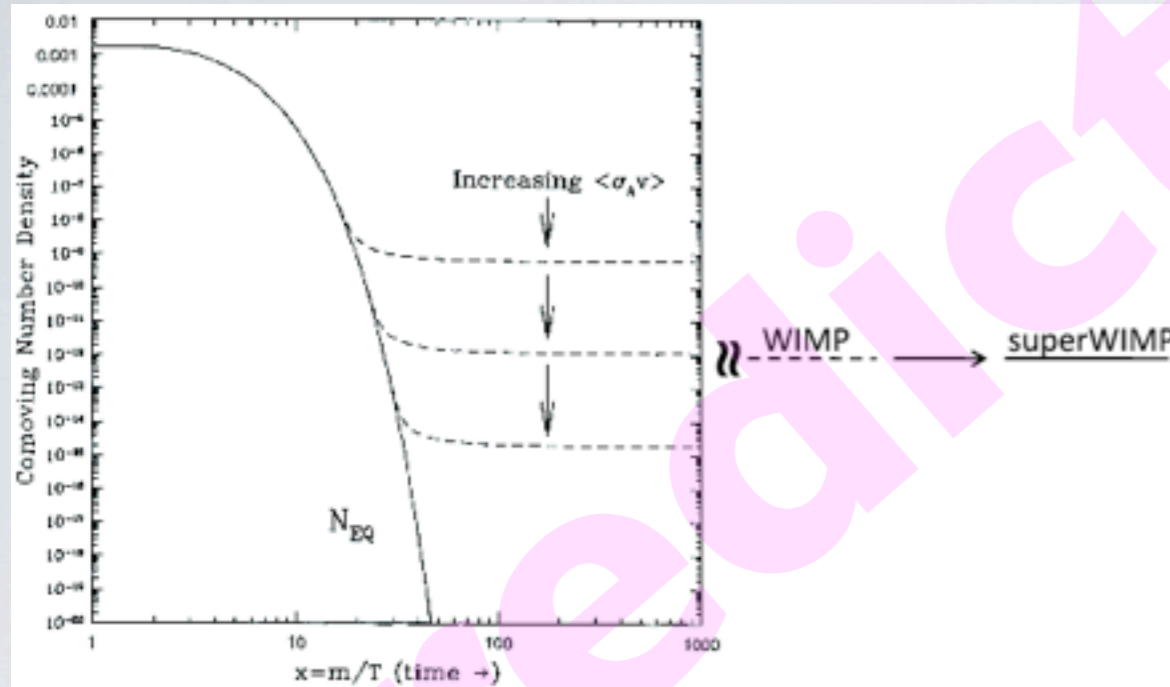
$$\Omega_X h^2 \approx 10^{17} \left(\frac{T_R}{10^9 \text{ GeV}} \right) \frac{\rho_X}{\rho_{inf}}$$

**HIDDEN SECTOR INFLATION CAN
EASILY OVERPRODUCE ANY DARK
LONG LIVED SECTOR**

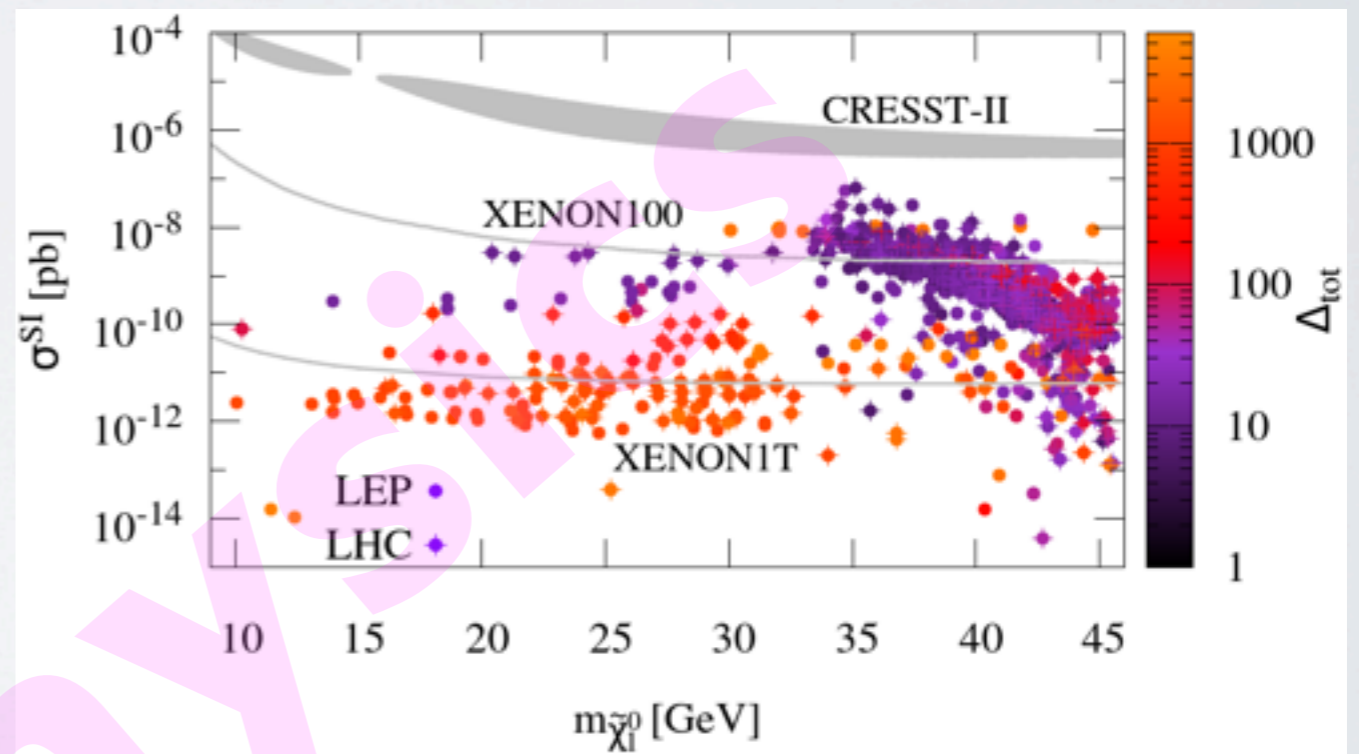
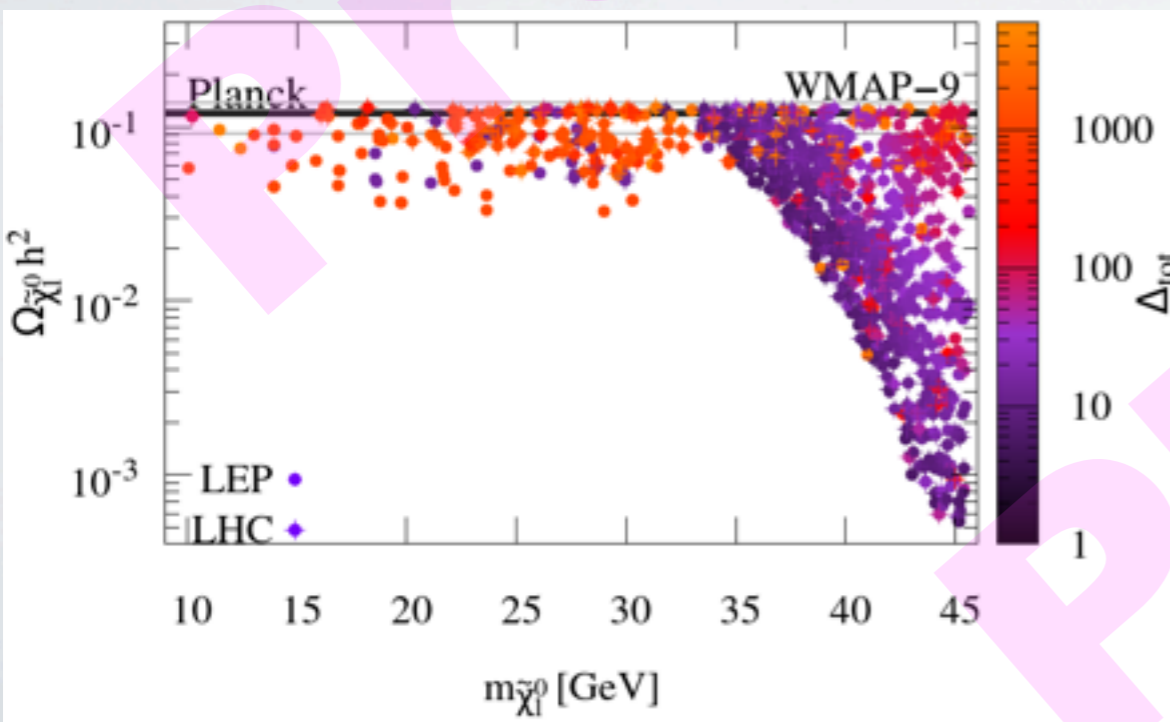
YOU REALLY NEED TO SUPPRESS THE BRANCHING RATIO

What about Dark Matter ?

Concrete predictions can be made **ONLY** for a WIMP scenario
 --> Particle Physics Embedding (BSM Physics)



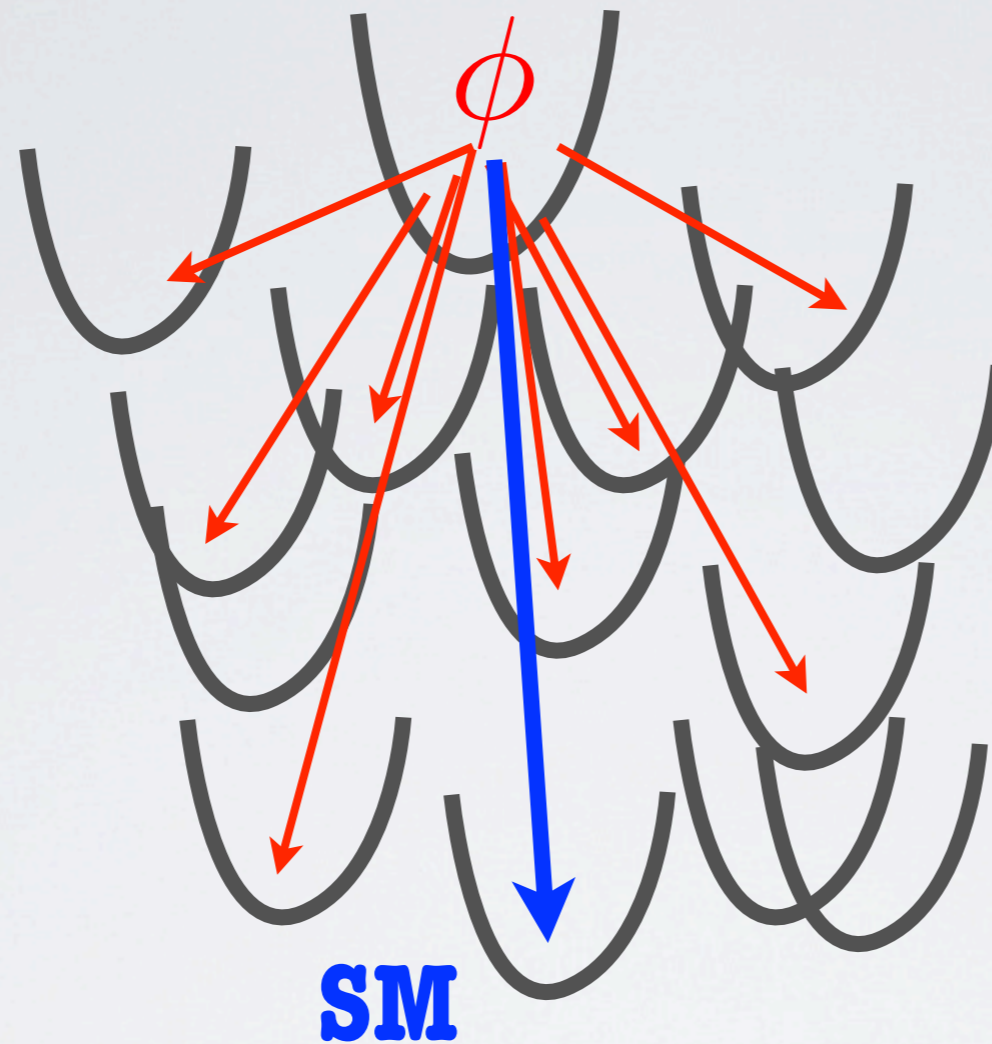
$$\Omega h^2 \approx \frac{3 \times 10^{-27} \text{ cm}^2/\text{s}}{\langle\sigma_{\text{ann}}v\rangle}$$



**Latest Status on light
Neutralino Dark Matter**

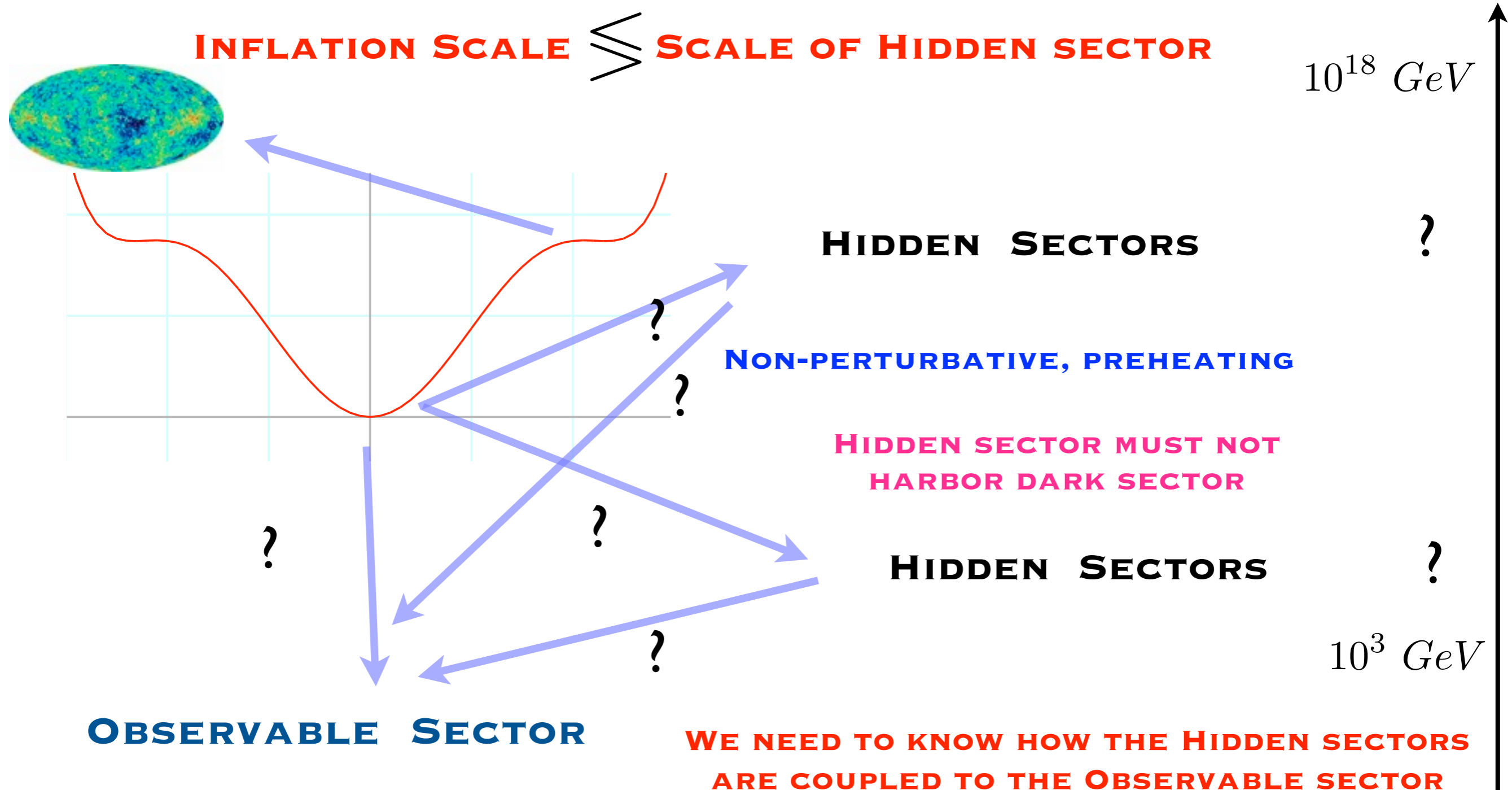
Boehm, Dev, AM, Pukartas

PERHAPS WE CAN NEVER MAKE IT PREDICTIVE



**ONE HAS TO KNOW ALL THE HIDDEN
SECTORS, THEN THEY ARE NO LONGER
HIDDEN ANY MORE!!**

JUMBLED ROUTE FOR A SINGLET/HIDDEN INFLATON



Top-down & Bottom-up approach Cicoli, AM, JCAP(2010), PRD (2010)

EVEN IF THE ORIGIN OF INFLATON COMES FROM SUSY S(10)

$$SO(10) \xrightarrow{M_G} SU(4)_c \times SU(2)_L \times SU(2)_R$$

$$\xrightarrow{M_X} SU(3)_c \times SU(2)_L \times SU(2)_R \times U(1)_{B-L}$$

$$\xrightarrow{M_{B-L}} SU(3)_c \times SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y$$

$$\xrightarrow{m_W} SU(3)_c \times U(1)_{em}.$$

**THERE ARE MANY SCALARS -
NATURALLY THEIR MASSES/
VEVS ARE ALL AT THE GUT
SCALE !!**

**NONE OF THEM CAN BE
MADE TECHNICALLY LIGHT
TO BE AN INFLATON**



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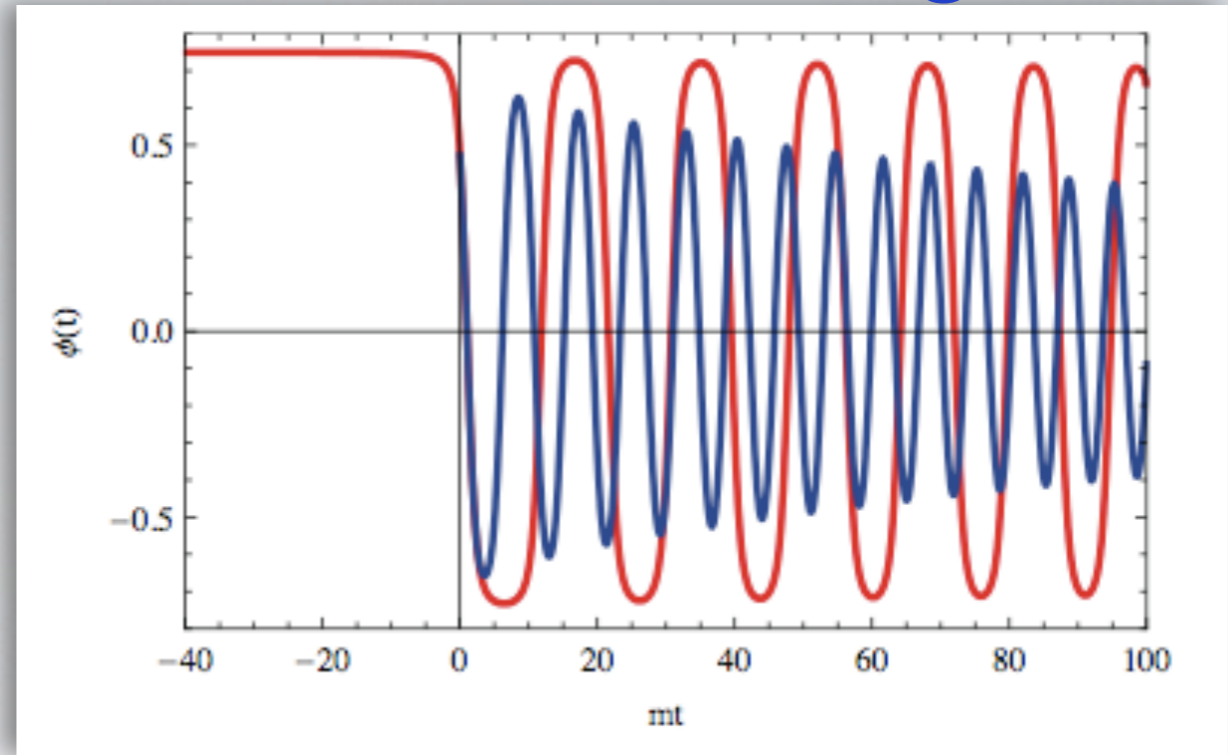
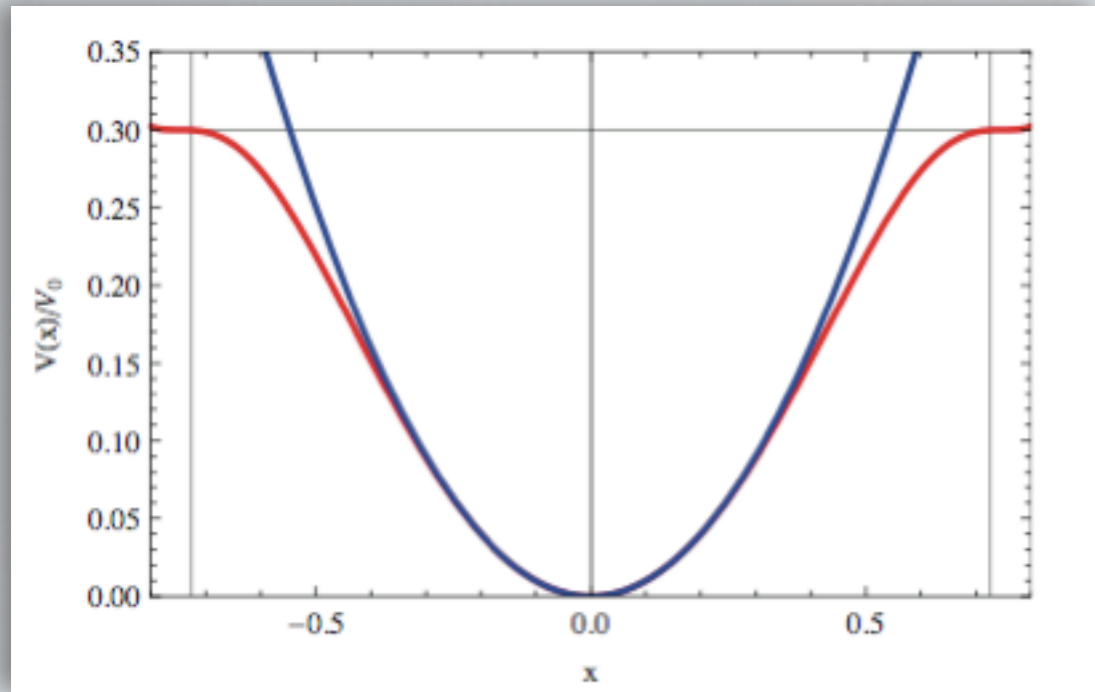
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Particle physics models of inflation and curvaton scenarios

Anupam Mazumdar^{a,b,*}, Jonathan Rocher^c

MSSM dof Via Instant Preheating

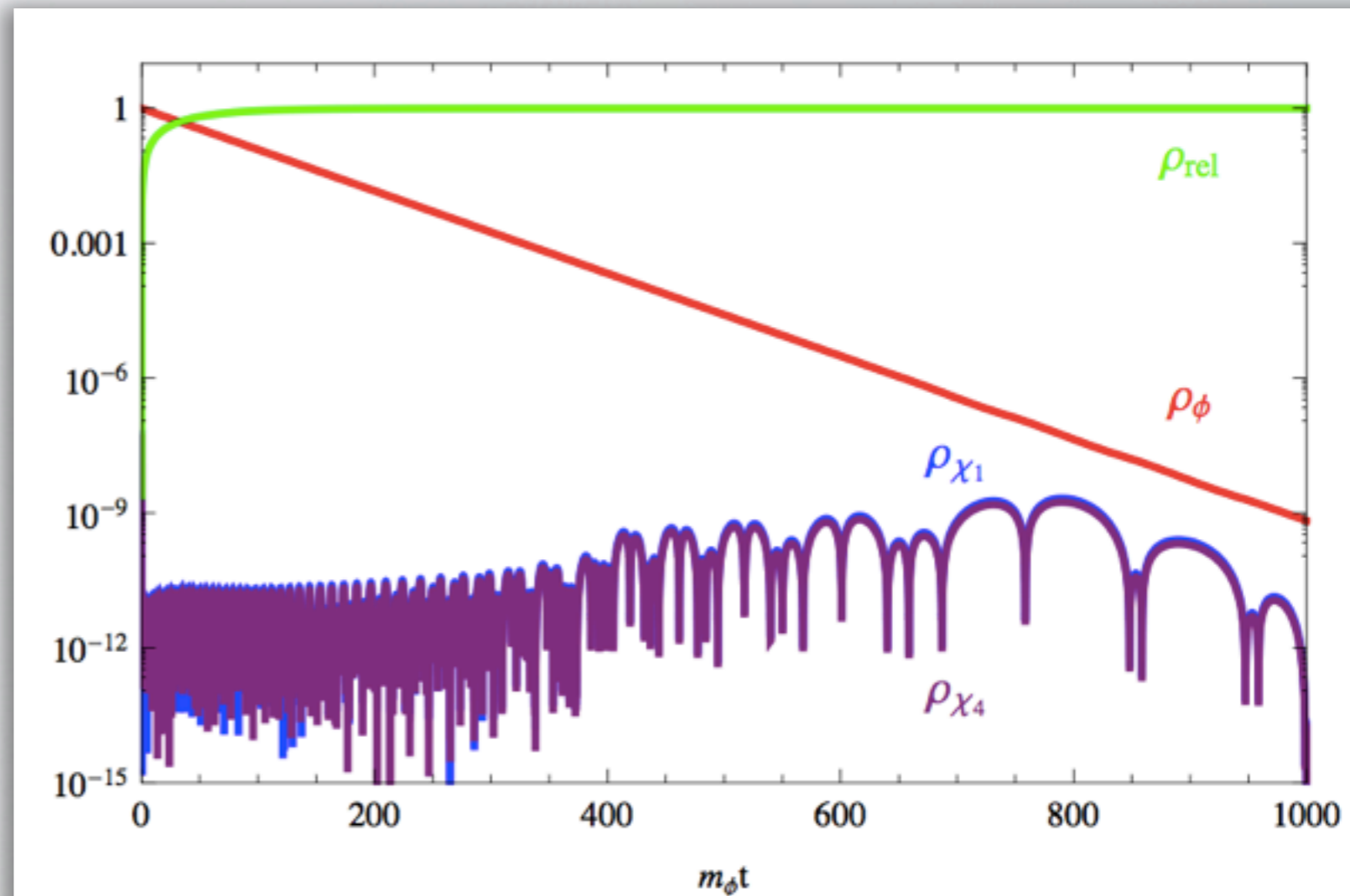


$$V = \frac{1}{2}m^2\phi^2 - A\frac{\phi^6}{M_P^3} + \frac{\phi^{10}}{M_P^4}$$

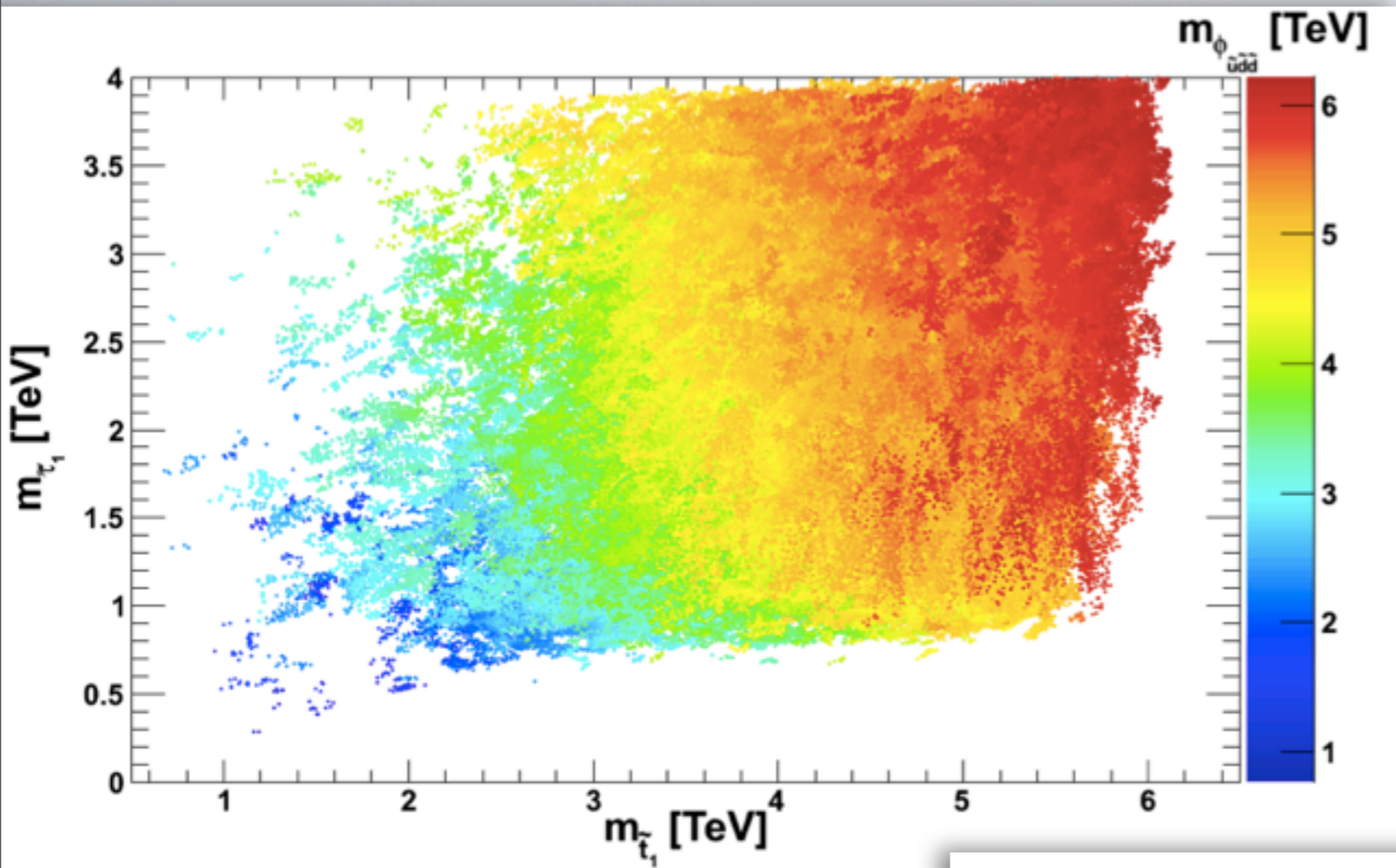
$$\frac{\rho_{rel}}{\rho_\phi} \sim 10\% \text{ (per crossing)}$$

$$T_{rh} = \left(\frac{30}{\pi^2 g_*} \right)^{1/4} \rho_\phi^{1/4}$$

$$\sim 3 \times 10^8 \text{ GeV (for } m_\phi \sim 1 \text{ TeV)}$$

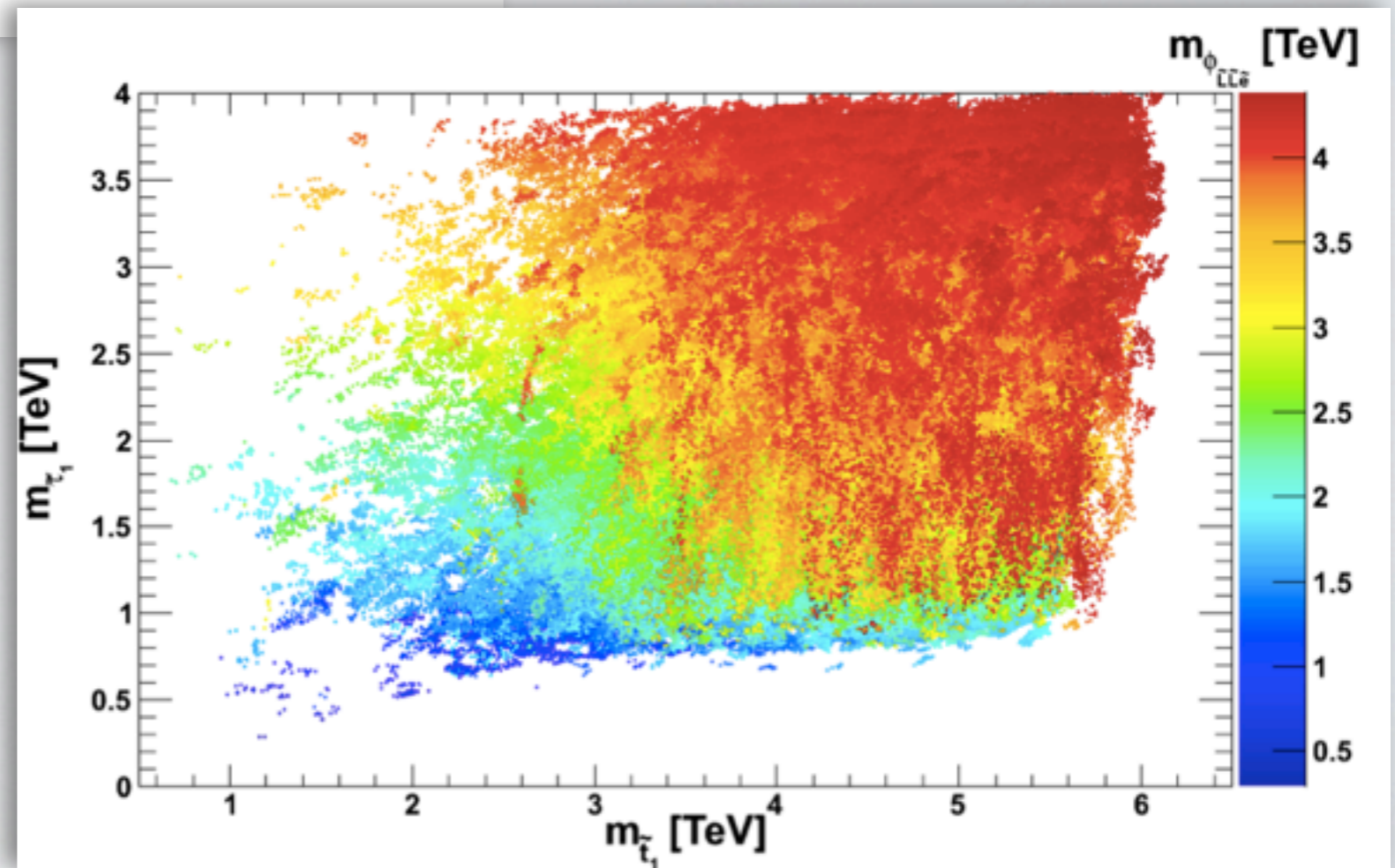


Allahverdi, Ferrantelli, Garcia-Bellido & AM PRD (2011)



**Scanning
NUHM-2
scenario**

**Correlation between
Inflaton, Stau &
lightest Stop**



Boehm, DaSilva, AM & Pukartas, PRD (2012),

Attraction Towards Inflection Point

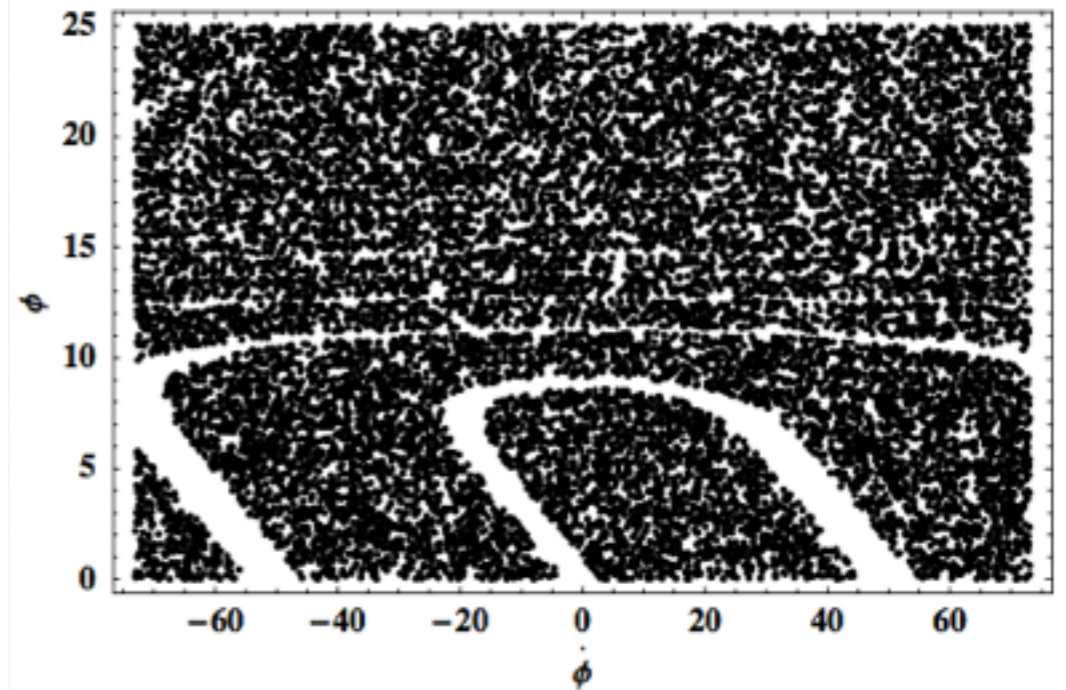
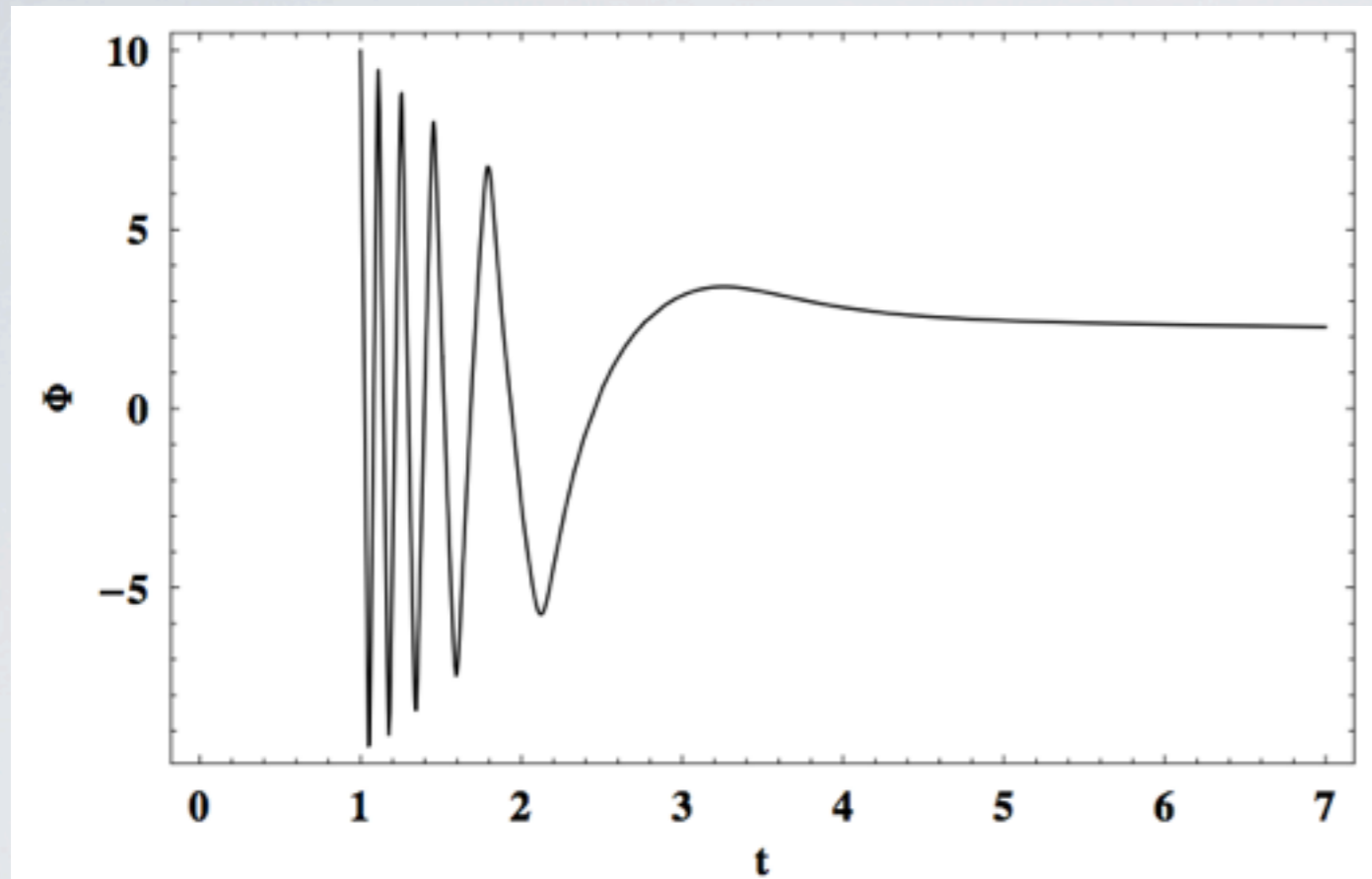


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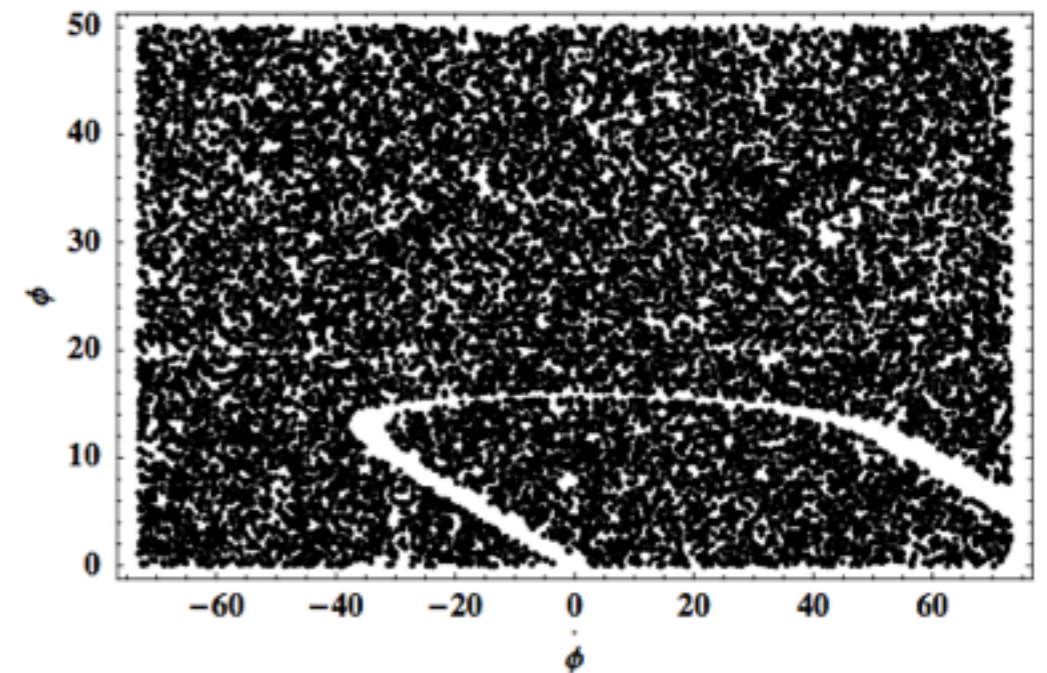


FIG. 6: Same as in Fig. (4) for $H_{\text{false}} = 10^4 m_\phi$.

$$V = V_{\text{Landscape}} + V_{\text{MSSM}}$$

Allahverdi, Dutta & AM, Phys. Rev. D (2008)

Bench-Mark Points for Visible Sector Models of Inflation & Curvaton

Planck Constraints (1σ)	MSSM inflation	MSSM Curvaton
Tensor-to-scalar ratio $r < 0.11$ (95% CL) [4]	★ Negligible, ✓	Negligible, ✓
$10^9 P_\zeta = 2.196^{+0.051}_{-0.060}$ [2]	✓	✓
$n_s = 0.9603 \pm 0.073$ [2]	✓	✓
$dn_s/d \ln k = -0.0134 \pm 0.0090$ [4]	$\lesssim -0.002$, ✓	✓
$f_{\text{NL}}^{\text{local}} = 2.7 \pm 5.8$ [3]	< 1 , ✓	Constrained, ✓
$f_{\text{NL}}^{\text{equil}} = -42 \pm 75$ [3]	< 1 , ✓	Constrained, ✓
$f_{\text{NL}}^{\text{orth}} = -25 \pm 39$ [3]	< 1 , ✓	Constrained, ✓
Relativistic <i>dof</i> [2]	only SM	only SM

★ $r < 0.11$

With Hubble-Induced SUGRA Corrections

Inflection Point for
Inflaton

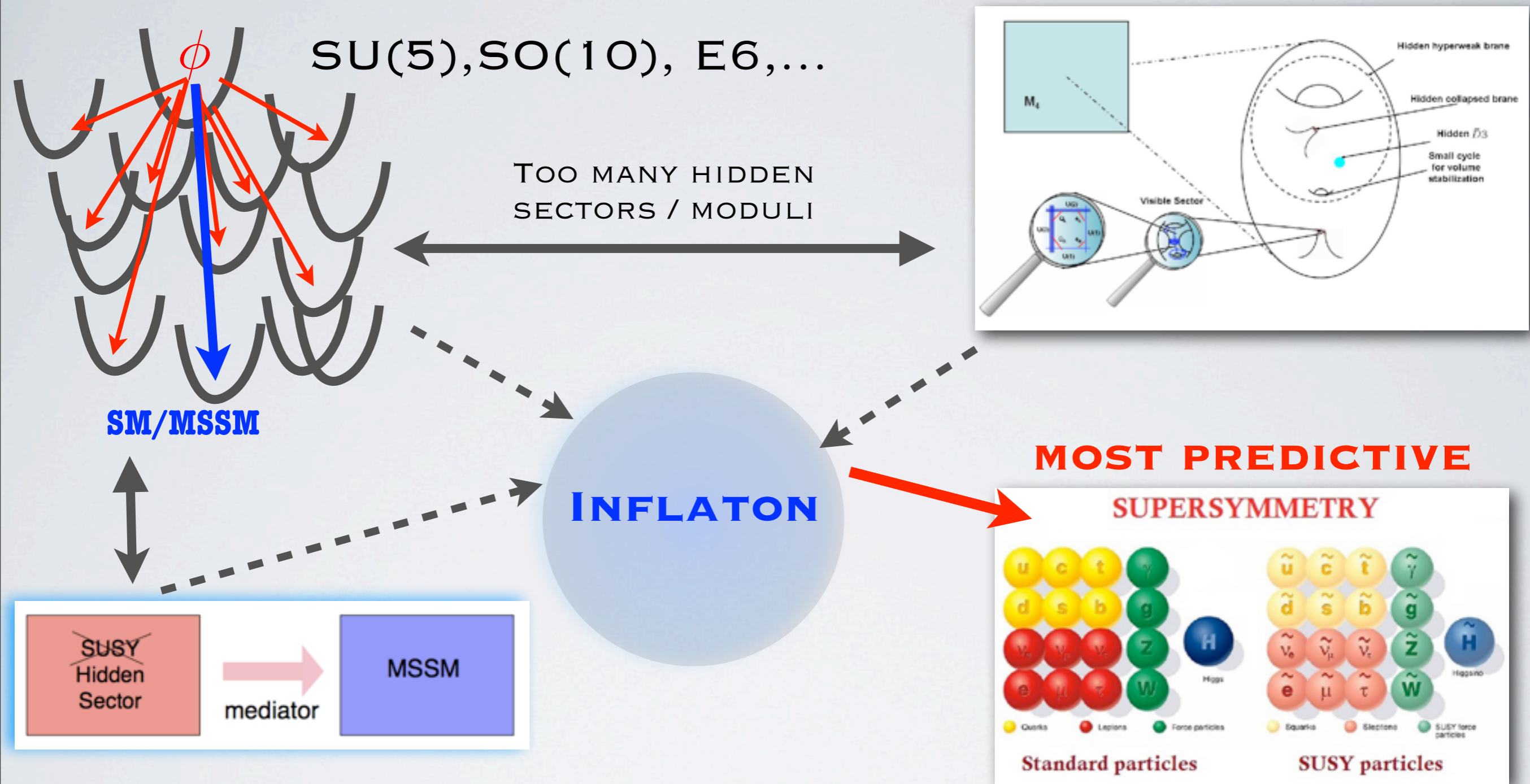
Saddle Point for
Both Inflaton &
Curvaton

Conclusions

Last 50-60 e-folds of Inflation MUST be embedded within a VISIBLE sector

Discovery of B-modes will not only test the Inflationary paradigm but will also test the structure of Space-Time and perhaps the nature of Quantum Gravity itself

LAST 50-60 E-FOLDS OF INFLATION

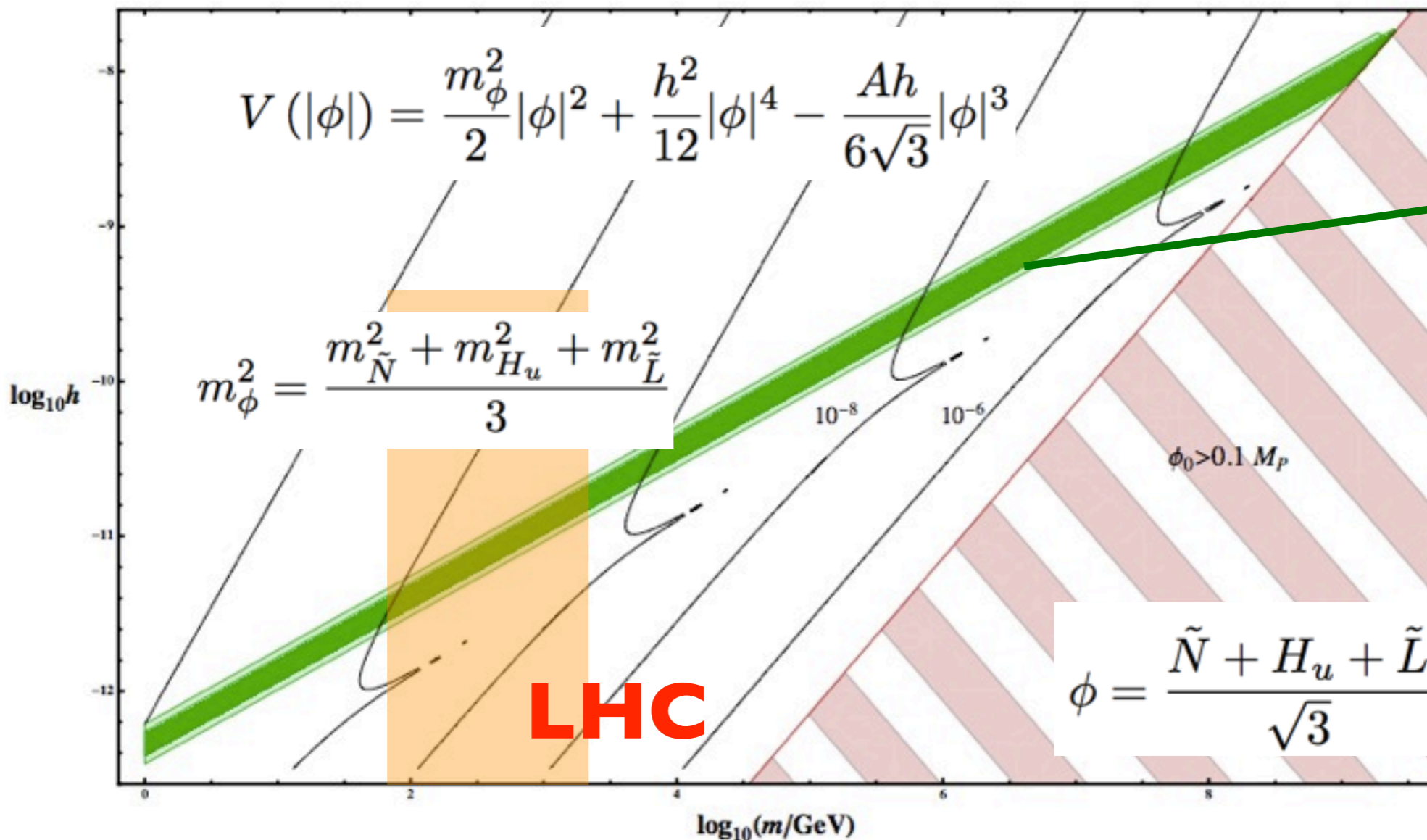


CICOLI, AM: SHOW EXPLICITLY HIDDEN SECTORS ARE POPULATED MORE THAN MSSM/VISIBLE IN STRING COMPACTIFICATION

JCAP(2010), PRD (2011)

AVOID ANY HIDDEN STATE : INFLATE WITH A MINIMAL CONTENT OF MATTER OF A VISIBLE SECTOR

Renormalizable Potential from a Visible Sector



$\mathcal{P}_\zeta = 2.196^{+0.051}_{-0.060} \times 10^{-9}$
 $n_s = 0.960 \pm 0.073$

Allahverdi, Kusenko & AM, JCAP (2006)

Hotchkiss, AM & Nadathur, JCAP (2011)

Inflaton is a D-flat direction of MSSM*U(1), i.e.

$SU(3) \times S(2)_L \times U(1)_Y \times U(1)_{B-L}$

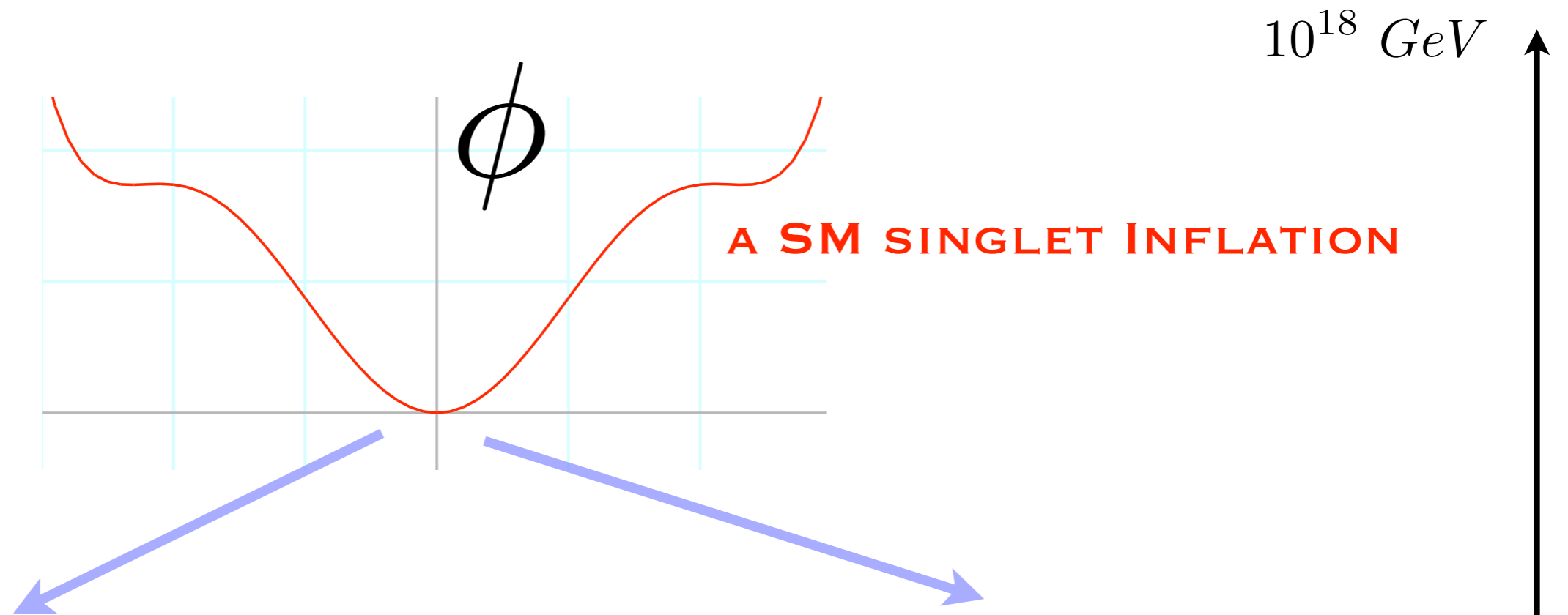
$W \supset h\mathbf{N}H_u\mathbf{L}$

$m_\nu \sim h\langle H_u \rangle \sim 0.1eV$

Inflaton decays into MSSM dof + LSP (dark matter candidate)

Allahverdi, Dutta & AM, Phys.Rev.Lett. (2007)

SINGLET /HIDDEN SECTOR INFLATION & BRANCHING RATIO?



OBSERVABLE SECTOR

HIDDEN SECTOR

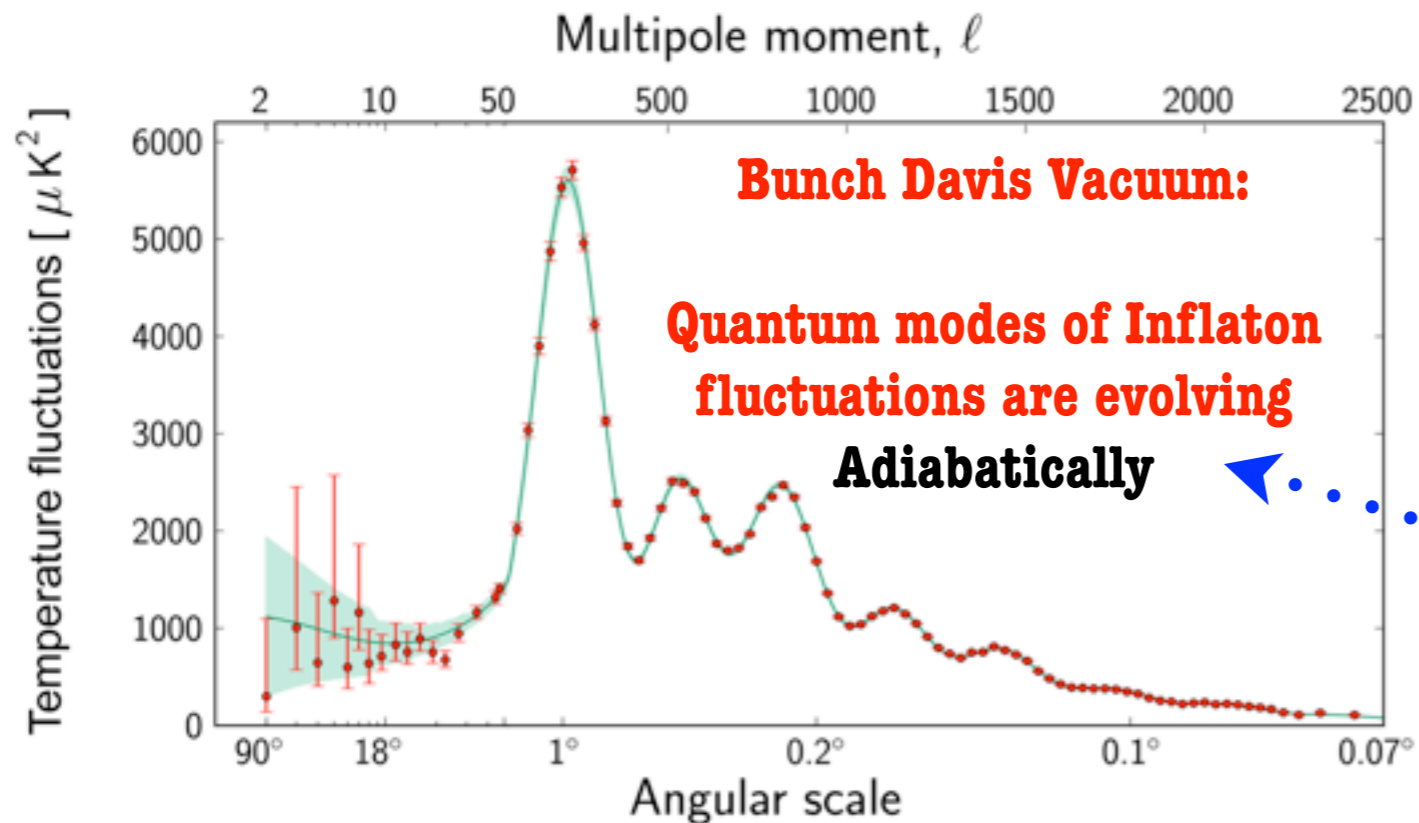
HIDDEN SECTORS ALWAYS EXIST BEYOND THE SM

10^3 GeV

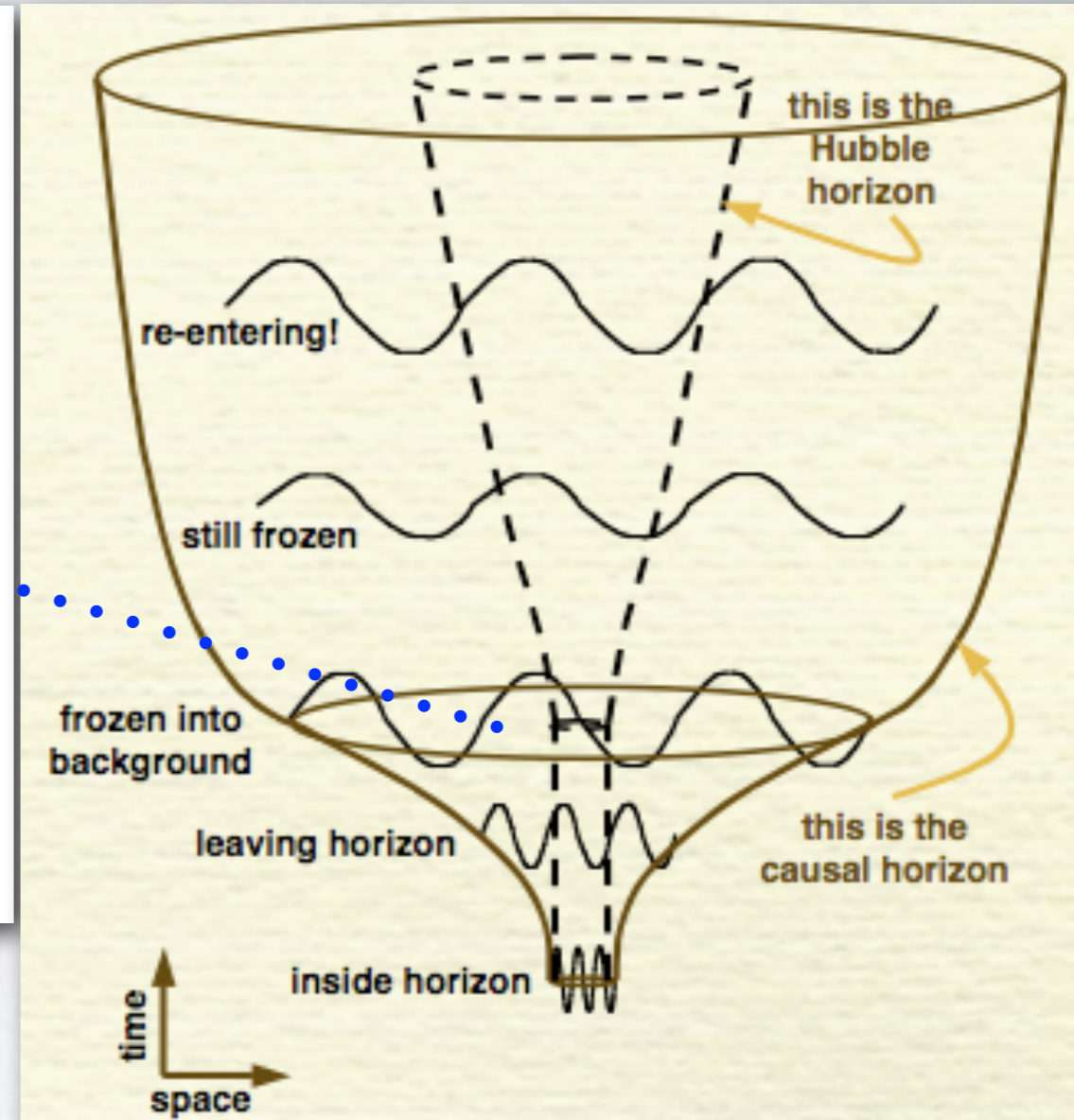
**HOW DO WE MAKE SURE THAT INFLATON EXCITES THE
SM QUARKS AND LEPTONS ?**

MAZUMDAR & ROCHER, 1001.0993 PHYS. REPT. (2010)

Inflation + Adiabatic Vacuum



17 e-foldings

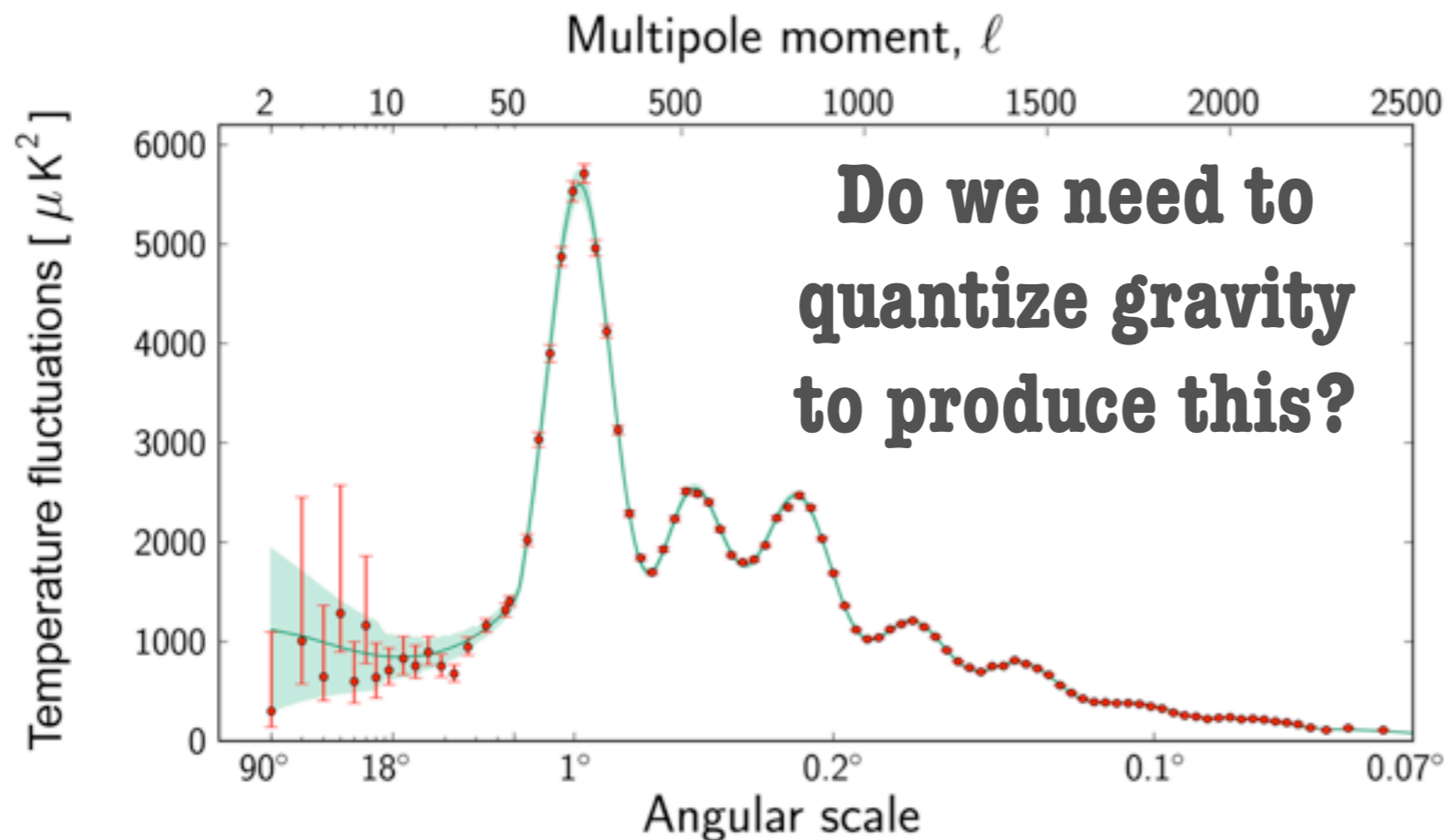


Why is **Quantum Gravity** so kind towards us?

What is the **CMB** telling us about the Nature of Gravity in **UV**?

Some Issues about Inflation

Quantization of Space Time



May be gravity remains classical forever

or

Gravity becomes Asymptotically Free in the UV

Biswas, Gerwick, Koivisto & AM, Phys. Rev. Lett. (2012)

Would we ever see B-mode of Polarization ?

Never: If Gravity is treated Classically

Ashoorioon, Dev & AM (1211.4678)

Note: B-modes do not require super-Planckian Inflaton VEVs such as Chaotic Inflation

Inflection Point Inflation can do so with VeVs below the cut-off

Hotchkiss, AM & Nadathur, JCAP (2012)

Ever Changing models of Inflation

1980 **R*R, OLD, NEW, CHAOTIC, EXTENDED, SOFT, BRANS-DICKE, SUSY, SUGRA, THERMAL, EXPONENTIAL, DOUBLE, ...**

HYBRID, MUTATED HYBRID, INVERTED

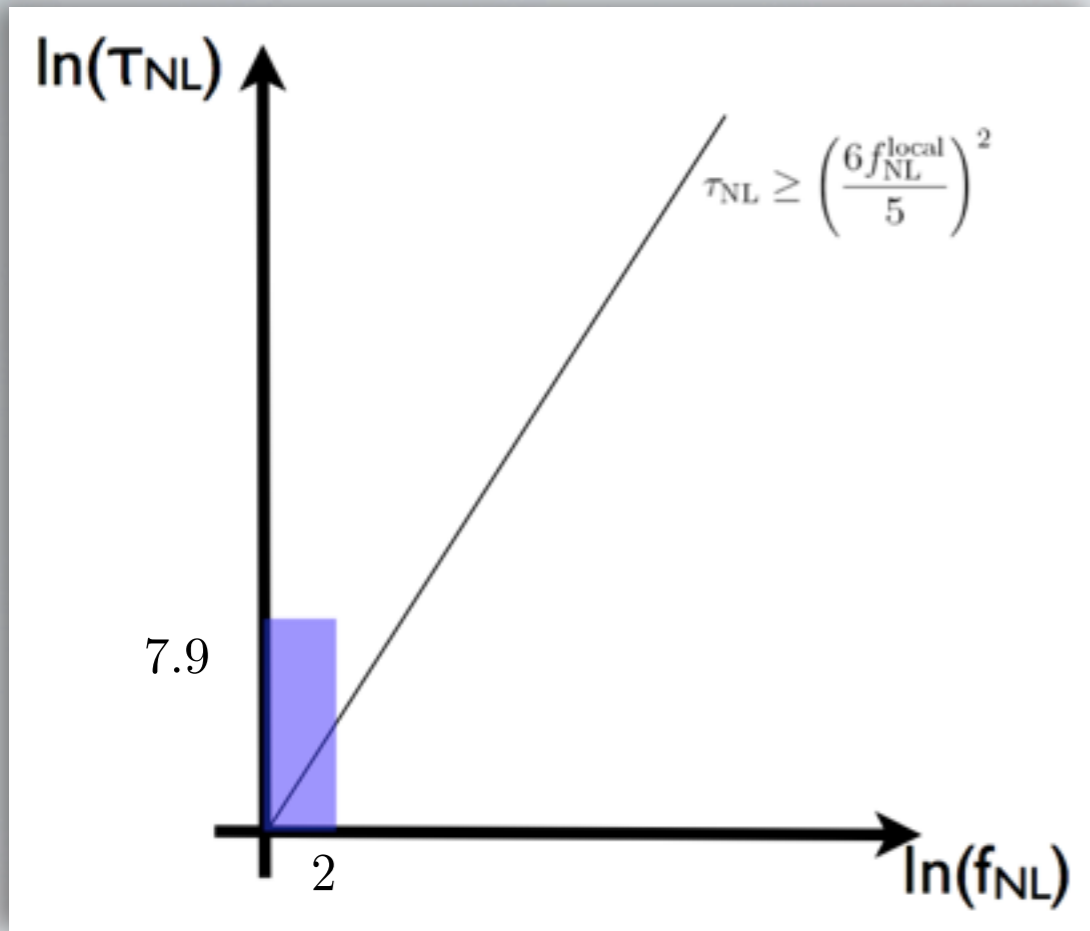
1990 **HYBRID, F-TERM, D-TERM, K-TERM, TOPOLOGICAL, ASSISTED,**

N-FLATION, BRANE, BRANE-CHAOTIC/

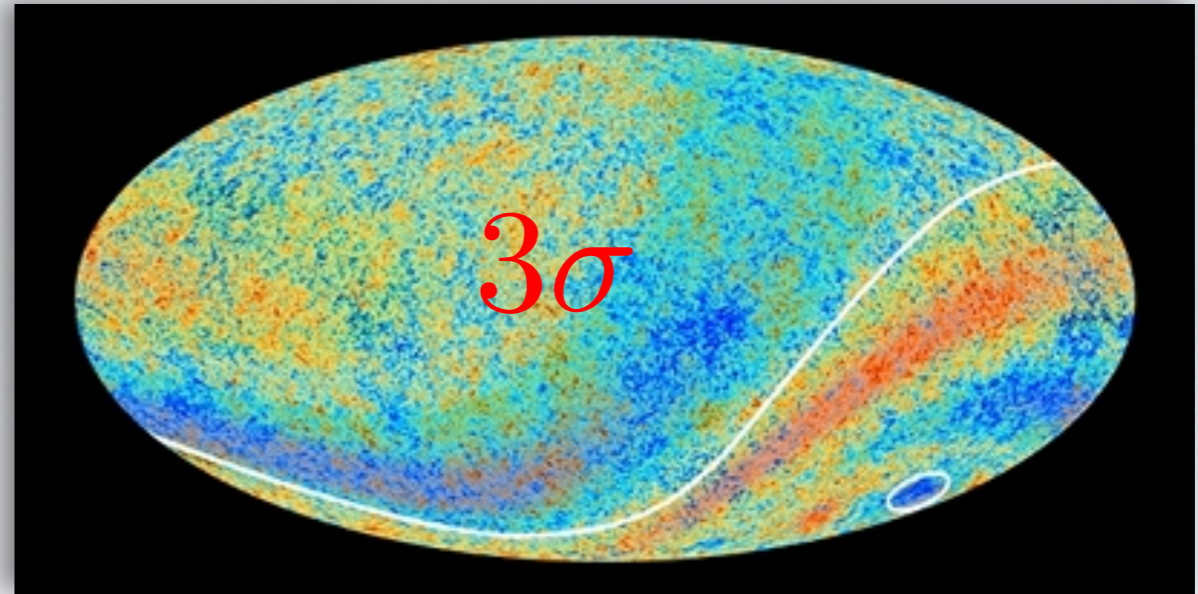
2000 **HYBRID, TACHYONIC, DBI, RACE-TRACK, HILL-TOP, FAST-ROLL, P-TERM, F+D-TERM, EXTENDED-HIGGS, CYCLIC, Kahler, Non-Kahler, Sweese Cheese, D3/D7, ...**

**None of these models can
actually work !!**

Planck Data: Good Agreements



It is consistent with a SINGLE Inflaton
No need for exotic models, except



$$\mathcal{P}_\zeta(k, r) = \mathcal{P}_\zeta(k) [1 + 2A \vec{p} \cdot \vec{r} / r_{ls}] \quad A = \frac{\Delta \mathcal{P}_\zeta}{\mathcal{P}_\zeta} = 0.072 \pm 0.022 \quad (\ell < 64)$$

$$A \propto f_{NL} \quad \Phi = \Phi_g + f_{NL} \Phi_g^2 + (\tau_{NL} + g_{NL}) \Phi_g^3 + \dots$$

More than one sources of Non-Gaussianity

$$+f_{NL} \quad \& \quad -f_{NL} \quad |A| \leq \sqrt{\tau_{NL}} \quad \tau_{NL} < 2800 \quad (@ 95\%)$$

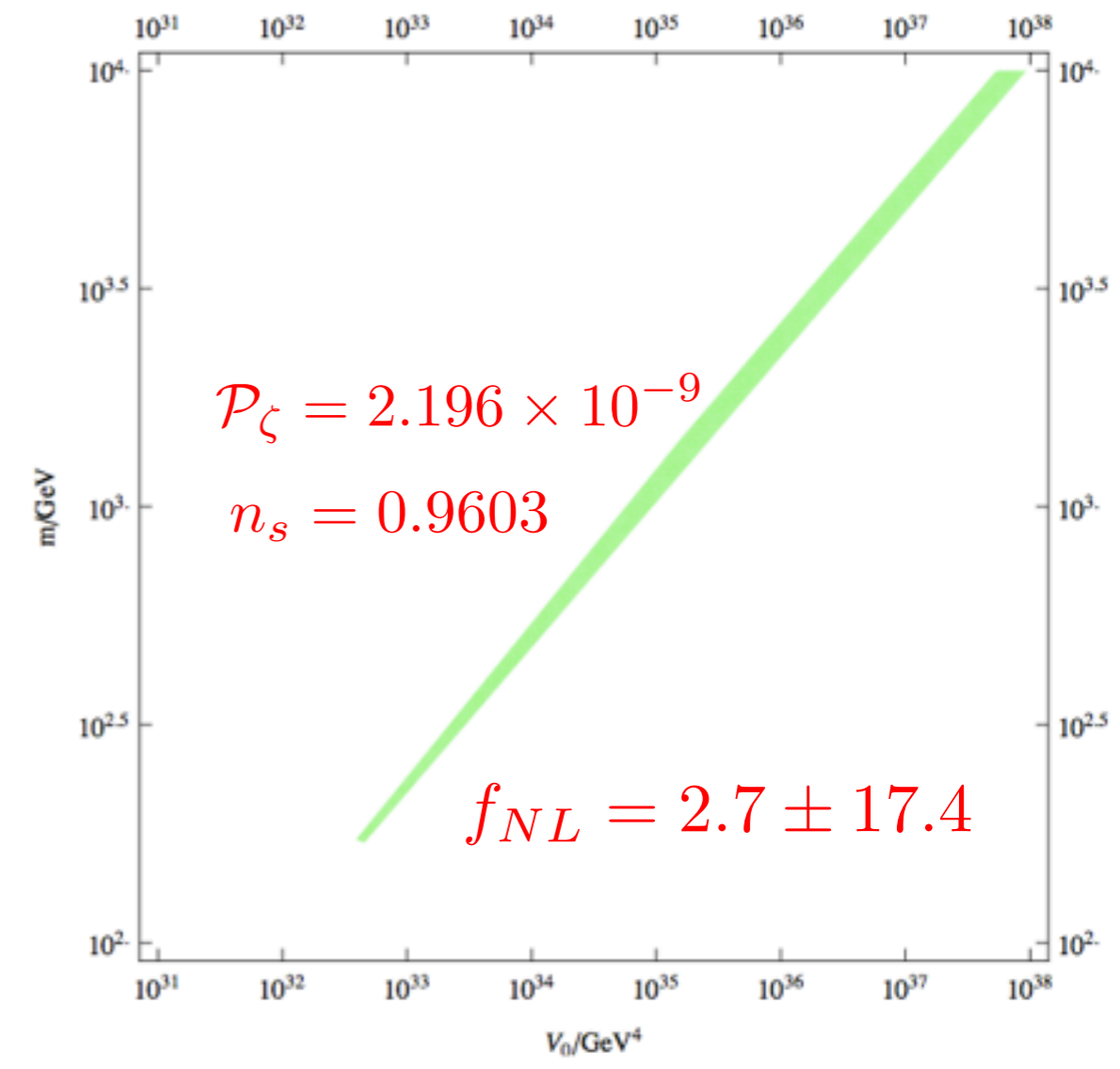
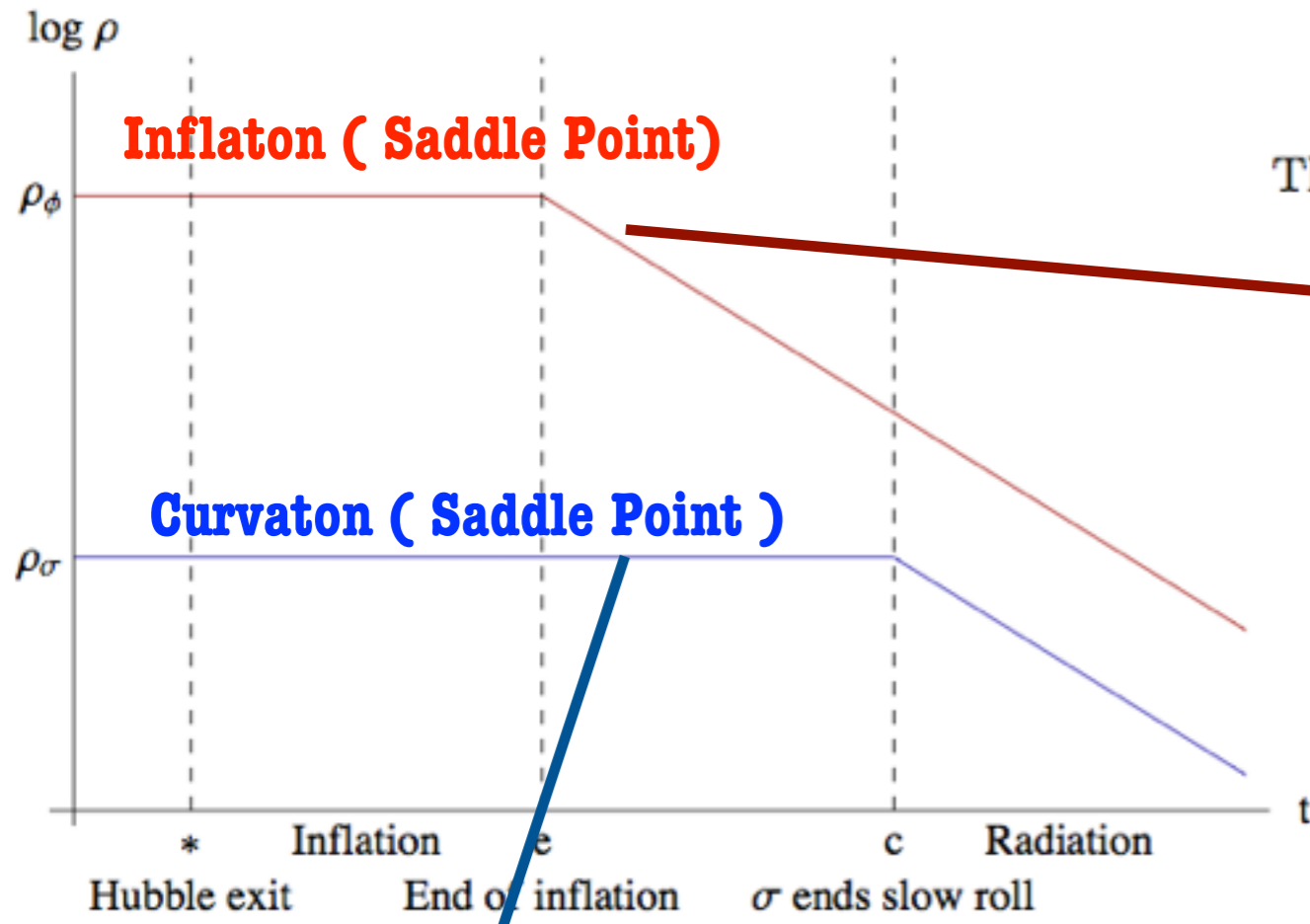
Wang, AM (2013), 1304.6399

Curvaton & Inflaton from MSSM

$$W = \sum_{m \geq 2} \frac{\lambda_m}{3m} \frac{\Phi^{3m}}{M_*^{3m-3}}$$

The potential at lowest order would be:

$$\phi = \frac{\tilde{u} + \tilde{d} + \tilde{d}}{\sqrt{3}} \quad V(\phi) = \left| \lambda_2 \frac{\phi^5}{M_*^3} + \lambda_3 \frac{\phi^8}{M_*^6} + \lambda_4 \frac{\phi^{11}}{M_*^9} + \dots \right|^2$$



$$\sigma = \frac{(\tilde{L} + \tilde{L} + \tilde{e})}{\sqrt{3}}, \quad m_\sigma^2 = \frac{m_{\tilde{L}}^2 + m_{\tilde{L}}^2 + m_{\tilde{e}}^2}{3}$$

$$U(\sigma) = \frac{1}{2} m_\sigma^2 |\sigma|^2 - \frac{A\lambda}{6} \frac{\sigma^6}{M_*^3} + \lambda^2 \frac{|\sigma|^{10}}{M_*^6}$$

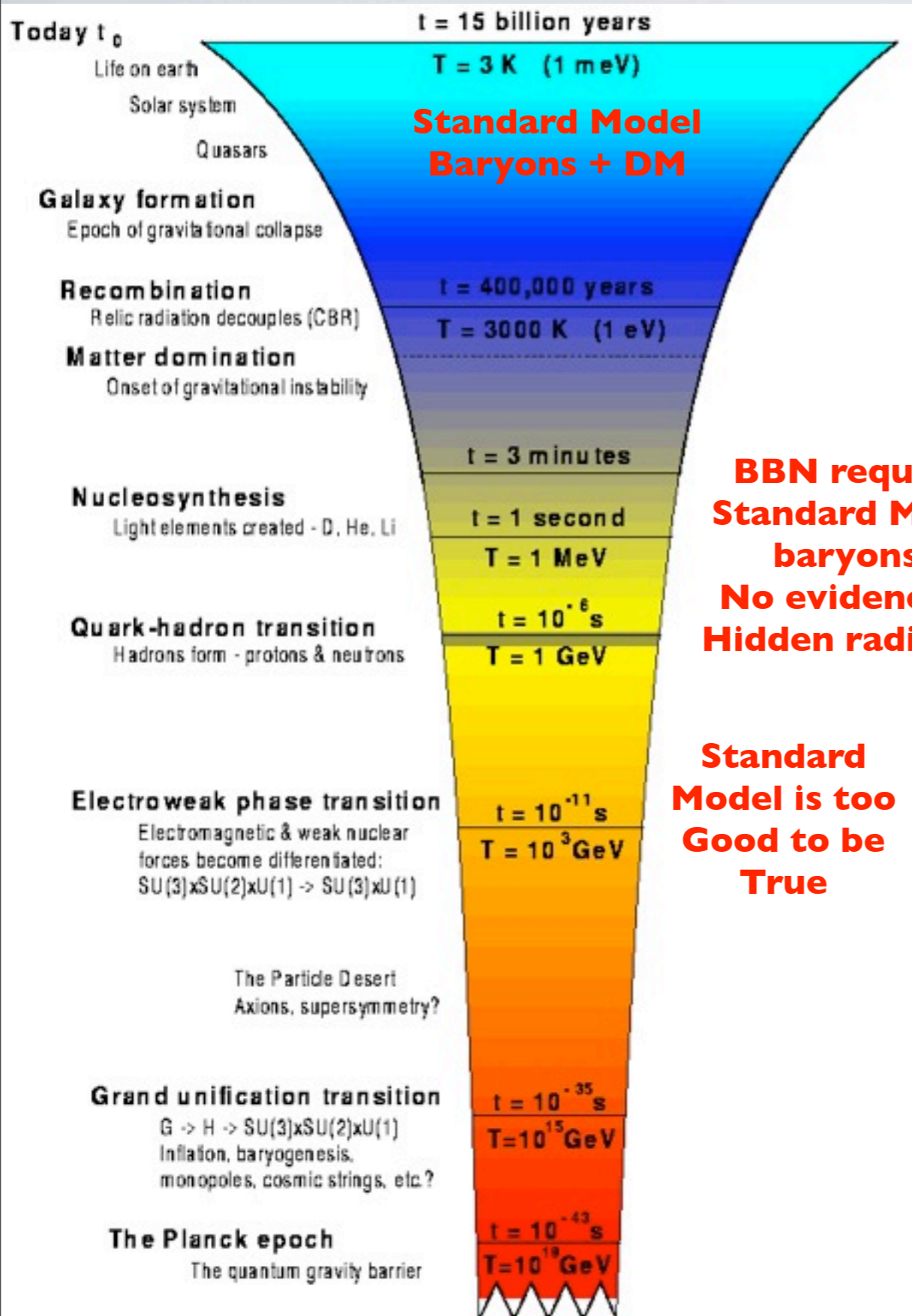
**NO Iso-Curvatures
Perturbations**

AM & Nadathur, Phys. Rev. Lett. (2012),

Wang, Pukartas & AM, (hep-ph/1303.535)

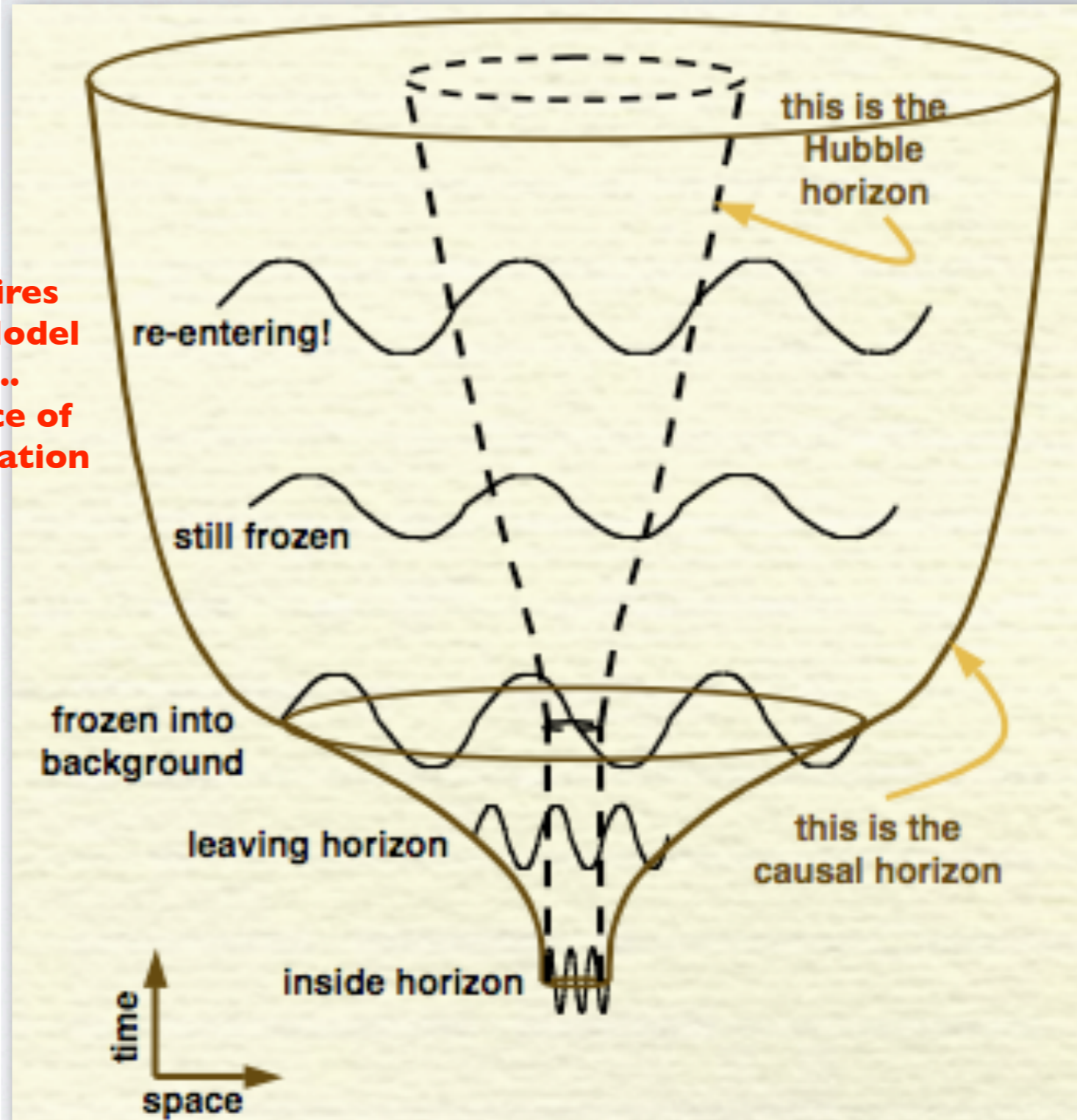
EXPLAINING OUR UNIVERSE

ALMOST SCALE INVARIANCE GAUSSIAN PERTURBATIONS



BBN requires Standard Model baryons.. No evidence of Hidden radiation

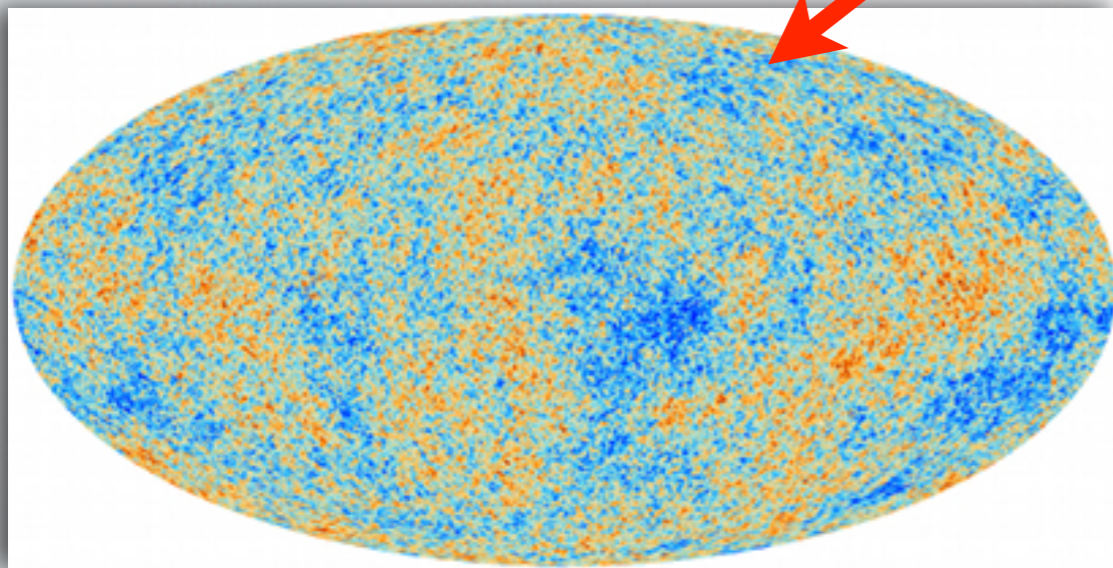
Standard Model is too Good to be True



MODEL INDEPENDENT ANALYSIS IS NICE TO DESCRIBE CMB, E.G. NON-GAUSSIANITY, ANOMALIES, FEATURES, ETC.

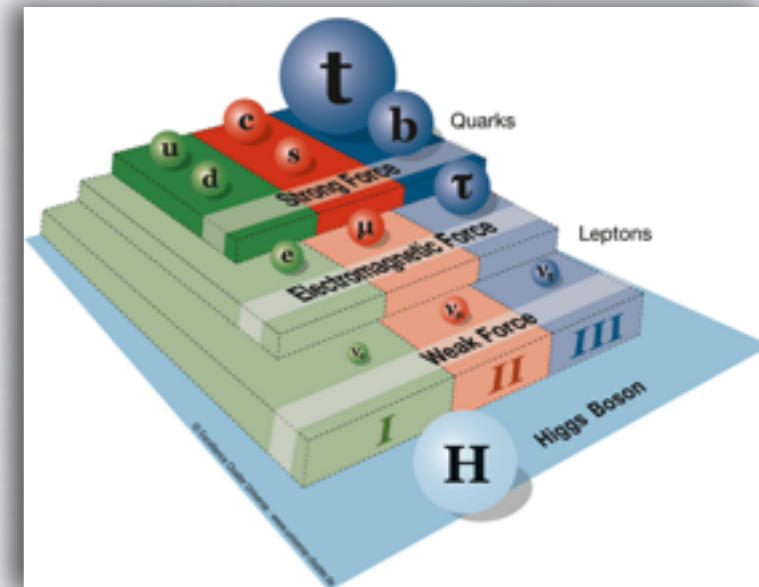
BUT YOU NEED TO EMBED THE INFLATON INTERACTIONS IN A PROPER CONTEXT - DON'T FORGET THAT YOU NEED TO EXCITE THE SM DOF

Inflaton Interactions



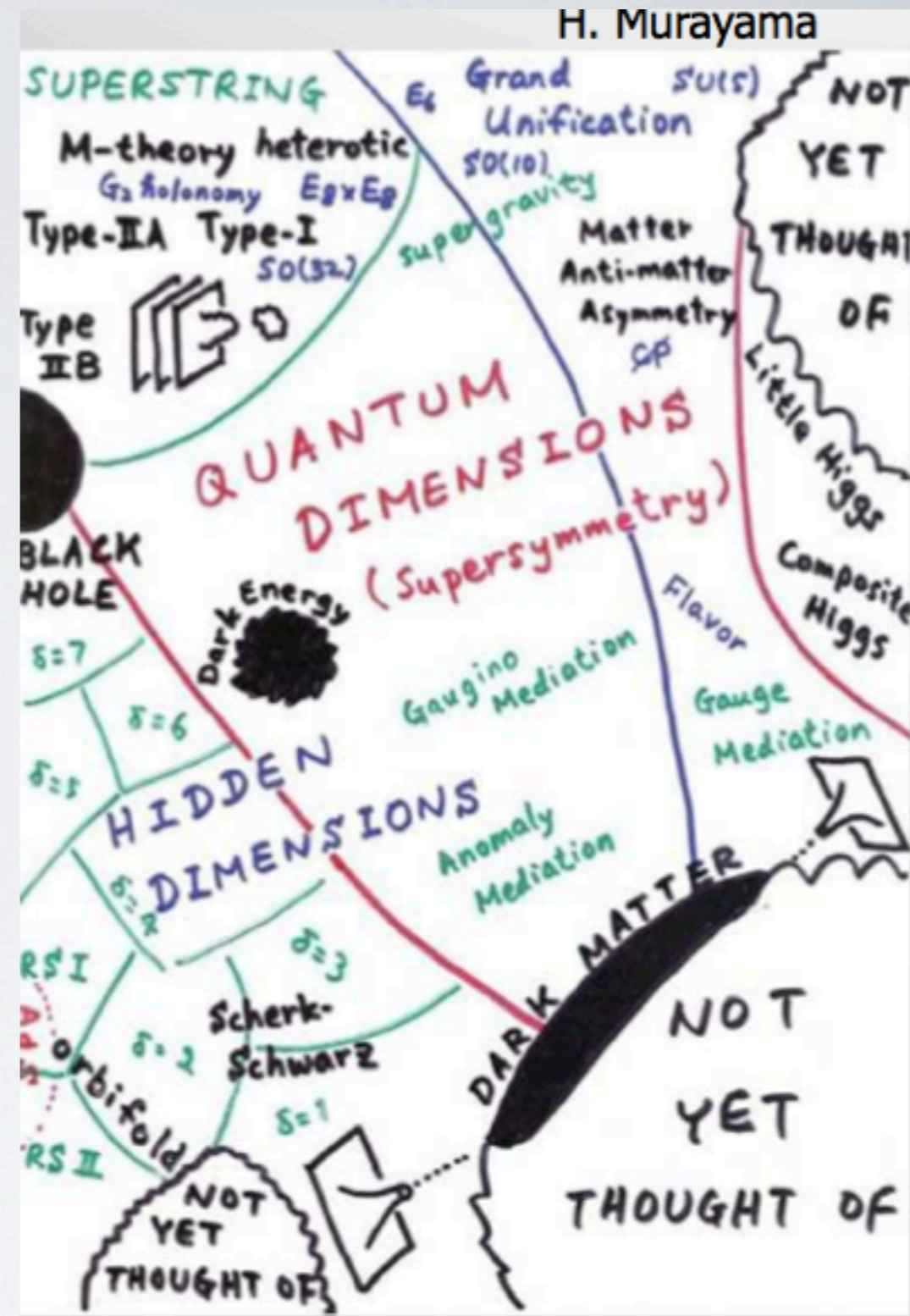
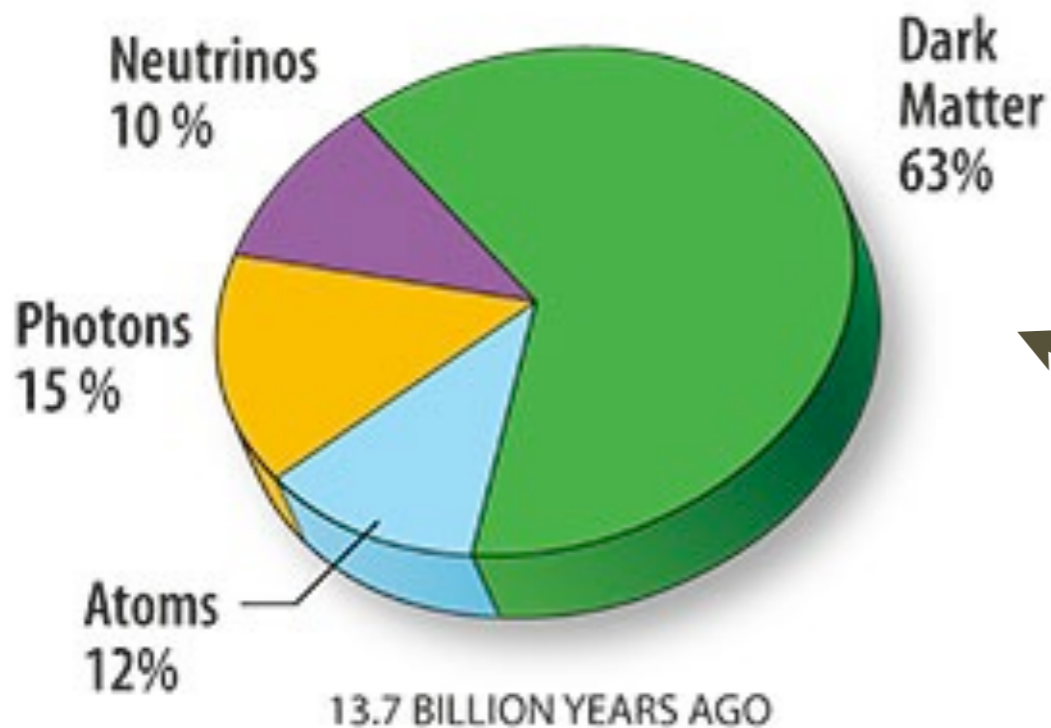
**NON-GAUSSIANITY,
MAGNETIC FIELD, ETC..**

**EFT APPROACH
MUST TAKE THIS
INTO ACCOUNT**



E.G. CHIRALITY

BEYOND THE STANDARD MODEL



BUT THIS IS WHAT NATURE CARES FOR !!

CONFUSION -2: EFFECTIVE FIELD THEORY FOR INFLATION

MSSM



$$K = I^\dagger I + \phi^\dagger \phi + \delta K,$$

$$\delta K = f(\phi^\dagger \phi, I^\dagger I), f(I^\dagger \phi \phi), f(I^\dagger I^\dagger \phi \phi), f(I \phi^\dagger \phi)$$

$$W = W_{MSSM} + W_{Heavy}$$

$$W(\phi) = \lambda \frac{\Phi^n}{M_{pl}^{n-3}} \quad W(I) = M_s I^2$$

$$K = \phi^\dagger \phi + I^\dagger I + \frac{a}{M_{Pl}^2} \phi^\dagger \phi I^\dagger I$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{Kin} = K_{ij^*} (\partial_\mu \Phi^i) (\partial^\mu \Phi^{j^*}) = \left(1 + \frac{a|I|^2}{M_{Pl}^2}\right) (\partial_\mu \phi) (\partial^\mu \phi^\dagger) + \frac{a}{M_{Pl}^2} \{ \phi^\dagger I (\partial_\mu \phi) (\partial^\mu I^\dagger) + \phi I^\dagger (\partial_\mu I) (\partial^\mu \phi^\dagger) \} + \left(1 + \frac{a|\phi|^2}{M_{Pl}^2}\right) (\partial_\mu I) (\partial^\mu I^\dagger).$$

$$V(\phi) \approx \begin{cases} V_0 + \left(m_\phi^2 + 3(1-a)H^2\right) |\phi|^2 - \frac{A\phi^n}{nM_{Pl}^{n-3}} + \lambda^2 \frac{|\phi|^{2(n-1)}}{M_{Pl}^{2(n-3)}} & \text{for } |I| \ll M_{Pl} \\ V_0 + \left(m_\phi^2 + 3(1+a^2)H^2\right) |\phi|^2 - \left\{ A \frac{\phi^n}{nM_{Pl}^{n-3}} + \left[\left((1+a)^2 - \frac{4}{n} - \frac{2a}{n} \right) \frac{\lambda M \phi^n}{M_{Pl}^{n-3}} + h.c. \right] \right\} + \lambda^2 \frac{|\phi|^{2(n-1)}}{M_{Pl}^{2(n-3)}} & \text{for } |I| \sim M_{Pl}. \end{cases}$$

MOSTLY PAPERS PLAY AN ARBITRARY GAME HERE - BREAK GLOBAL/LOCAL INVARIANCE, INTRODUCE GHOSTS & SPURIOUS STATES, ETC.