

Vacuum Stability in the Extended Standard Model scenarios

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- To ensure the EW Vacuum stability till Planck scale
- Dark matter candidate
- Generation of neutrino mass

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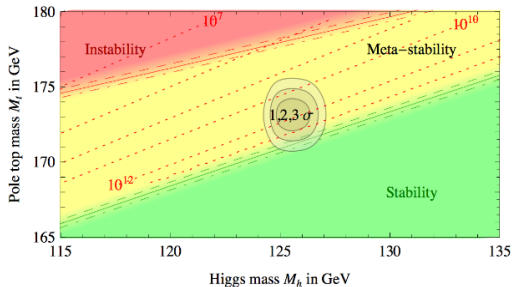
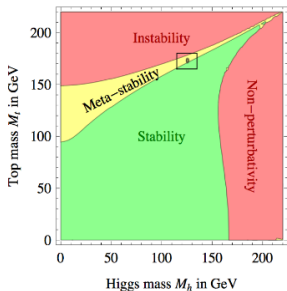
$$V_{\text{eff}}(h, \mu) \simeq \lambda_{\text{eff}}(h, \mu) \frac{h^4}{4}, \quad \text{with } h \gg v,$$

- Where λ_{eff} is given by

$$\lambda_{\text{eff}}(h, \mu) \simeq \underbrace{\lambda_h(\mu)}_{\text{tree-level}} + \underbrace{\frac{1}{16\pi^2} \left[-12 Y_t^4 \left[\log \frac{Y_t^2 h^2}{\mu^2} - \frac{3}{2} \right] \right]}_{\text{Negative Contribution from top quark}}.$$

- Condition of metastability

$$0 > \lambda_{\text{eff}}(\mu) \simeq \frac{-0.065}{1 - 0.01 \log \frac{v}{\mu}}$$



Within the uncertainty of top mass we are
 a **metastable vacuum**

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- The general Z_2 symmetric Higgs potential for inert 2HDM is

$$V_{\text{scalar}} = m_{11}^2 \Phi_1^\dagger \Phi_1 + m_{22}^2 \Phi_2^\dagger \Phi_2 + \lambda_1 (\Phi_1^\dagger \Phi_1)^2 + \lambda_2 (\Phi_2^\dagger \Phi_2)^2 + \lambda_3 (\Phi_1^\dagger \Phi_1) (\Phi_2^\dagger \Phi_2) + \lambda_4 (\Phi_1^\dagger \Phi_2) (\Phi_2^\dagger \Phi_1) + [\lambda_5 (\Phi_1^\dagger \Phi_2)^2 + \text{H.c.}]$$

- A Z_2 symmetric potential for ITM can be written as

$$V = m_h^2 \Phi^\dagger \Phi + m_T^2 \text{Tr}(T^\dagger T) + \lambda_1 |\Phi^\dagger \Phi|^2 + \lambda_t (\text{Tr}|T^\dagger T|)^2$$

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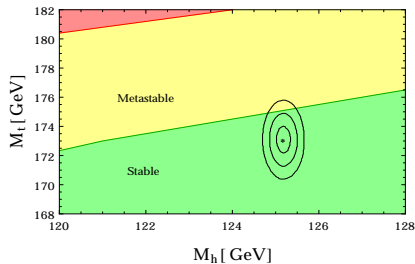
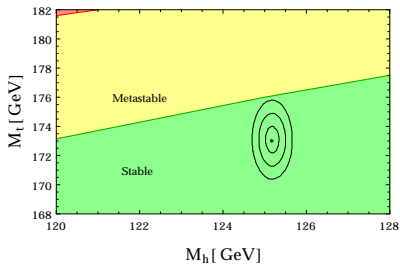
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- In both scenarios, Planck scale stability is achievable unlike SM.
- IDM is bit more stable than ITM.

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- Seesaw mechanism is motivated for generating small neutrino mass
- Two different scenarios are considered
 - Type-I Seesaw- Singlet fermions
 - Type-III Seesaw- Triplet fermions with $SU(2)$ gauge charge
- The $SU(2)$ gauge charge of triplet fermions will show drastic change in stability and perturbativity behaviour

- Type-I seesaw Lagrangian

$$\mathcal{L}_I = i\bar{N}_{R_i}\not{\partial}N_{R_i} - (Y_{N_{ij}}\bar{L}_i\tilde{\Phi}_1N_{R_j} - \frac{1}{2}\bar{N}_{R_i}^c M_{R_i}N_{R_i} + \text{H.c.}),$$

- Neutrino mass matrix

$$\mathcal{M}_\nu = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & M_D \\ M_D^T & M_R \end{pmatrix}$$

- Light neutrino mass

$$m_\nu = -M_D M_R^{-1} M_D^T$$

- Inverse-Seesaw Lagrangian

$$\mathcal{L}_{ISS} = i\bar{N}_R\not{\partial}N_R + i\bar{S}\not{\partial}S - \left(Y_N\bar{L}_L\tilde{\Phi}_1N_R + \bar{N}_R M_R S + \frac{1}{2}\bar{S}^c\mu_S S + \text{H.c.} \right),$$

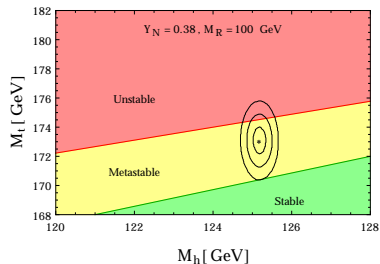
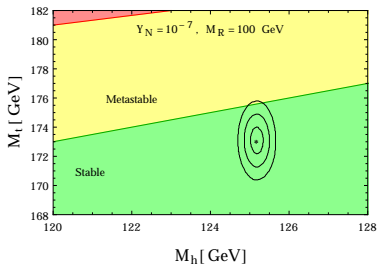
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$$m_\nu = M_D M_R^{-1} \mu_S (M_R^T)^{-1} M_D^T$$

- Rest are almost degenerate around $M_R \pm \frac{\mu_S}{2}$



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- Lower Y_N corresponds to almost stable region
- Higher Y_N corresponds to large unstable region

- We have SU(2) doublets Φ_1, Φ_2 with same hypercharge $\frac{1}{2}$ and three generations of fermionic triplets Σ_1, Σ_2 with zero hypercharge

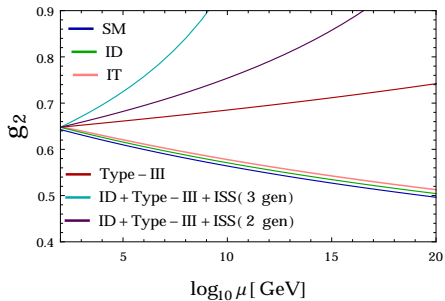
$$\Phi_1 = \begin{pmatrix} \phi_1^+ \\ \phi_1^0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \Phi_2 = \begin{pmatrix} \phi_2^+ \\ \phi_2^0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Sigma_1 = \begin{pmatrix} \Sigma_1^0/\sqrt{2} & \Sigma_1^+ \\ \Sigma_1^- & -\Sigma_1^0/\sqrt{2} \end{pmatrix} \quad \Sigma_2 = \begin{pmatrix} \Sigma_2^0/\sqrt{2} & \Sigma_2^+ \\ \Sigma_2^- & -\Sigma_2^0/\sqrt{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

- The general Higgs potential for Type-III Inverse seesaw

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_{\text{ISS}} = & \text{Tr}[\overline{\Sigma_{1i}} \not{D} \Sigma_{1i}] + \text{Tr}[\overline{\Sigma_{2i}} \not{D} \Sigma_{2i}] - \frac{1}{2} \text{Tr}[\overline{\Sigma_{2i}} \mu_{\Sigma_{ij}} \Sigma_{2j}^c + \overline{\Sigma_{2i}^c} \mu_{\Sigma_{ij}}^* \Sigma_{2j}] \\ & - \left(\tilde{\Phi}_1^\dagger \overline{\Sigma_{1i}} \sqrt{2} Y_{N_{ij}} L_j + \text{Tr}[\overline{\Sigma_{1i}} M_{N_{ij}} \Sigma_{2j}] + \text{H.c.} \right) \end{aligned}$$

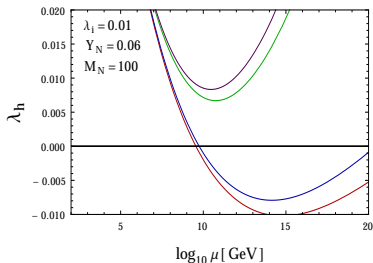
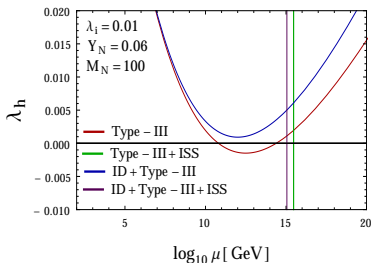
- Gauge coupling g_2 enhances positively large in Type-III



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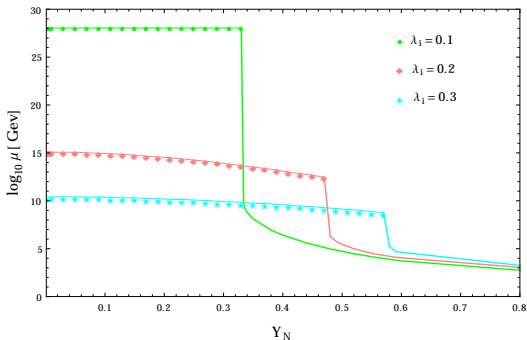
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- g_2 contribution is too large with three generations
- Stability gets enhanced with large g_2 contribution



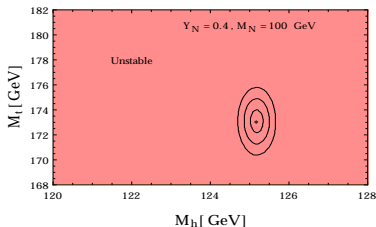
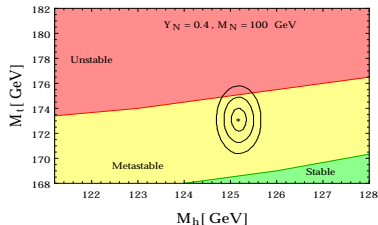
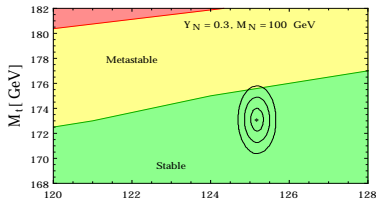
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- For $\lambda_i(EW) \leq \lambda_h = 0.1264$, λ_h hits the Landau pole till a particular value of Y_N
- λ_i 's hits the Landau pole for higher values of Y_N before λ_h
- Stability scale enhances with increase in λ_i



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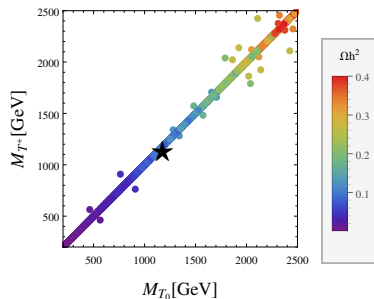
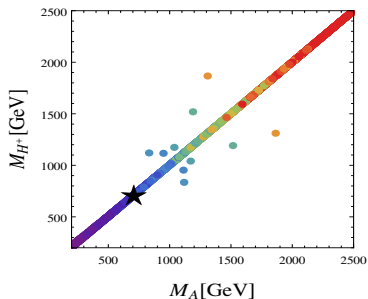
- Type-III seesw is completely unstable
- 3σ contour lies in unstable region for $Y_N = 0.4$



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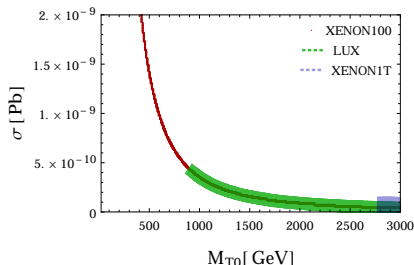
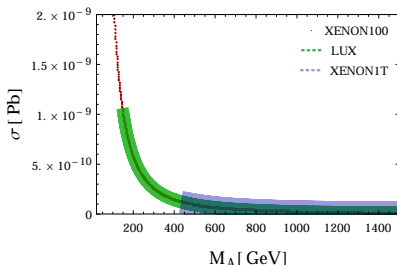
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- For IDM, $M_A > 700$ GeV corresponds to correct DM relic value
- For ITM, $M_{T_0} > 1200$ GeV corresponds to correct DM relic value
- The presence of one extra Z_2 -odd scalar results into higher DM number density in IDM case, leading to lower mass bound on DM mass for IDM.

$$\text{XENON100} : \sigma_{\text{SI}} \leq 2.0 \times 10^{-45} \text{ cm}^2,$$

$$\text{LUX} : \sigma_{\text{SI}} \leq 7.6 \times 10^{-46} \text{ cm}^2,$$

$$\text{XENON1T} : \sigma_{\text{SI}} \leq 1.6 \times 10^{-47} \text{ cm}^2.$$



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- The cross-section varies with the DM mass and the Higgs quartic coupling λ_{345} for IDM and λ_{ht} for ITM
- In IDM, Higgs quartic coupling $\lambda_{345} = (\lambda_3 + \lambda_4 - 2\lambda_5)$ can be fine-tuned to satisfy the cross-section bounds for much lower DM mass compared to ITM

- The additional Z_2' symmetry restricts the decay modes and only three-body decays are allowed.
- In case of IDM we get prompt decay.
- In case of ITM we have much more compressed spectrum which gives $\mathcal{O}(1 - 10)$ m decay length (displaced decay).

- The minimal extension to SM necessary for Charged Higgs is $SU(2)$ doublet and triplet in $SU(2)$ representation.
- Planck scale stability is achieved in both IDM and ITM unlike SM.
- IDM and ITM both are safe but in case of ITM we have LHC signatures of displaced vertex which are not so natural in IDM.
- The bound on DM mass from DM relic density is ≥ 700 GeV in IDM and ≥ 1176 GeV in ITM.
- The additional Z_2' symmetry in IDM and ITM also restricts their decay modes.
- In the case of IDM + Type-I, $Y_N=0.32$ value is crucial from stability bound.
- IDM and Type-I seesaw do not directly talk to each other so one has to rely on three-body decays.
- Type-III scenario is very interesting because of the $SU(2)$ charge of the fermion.
- The Planck scale stability/perturbativity demands only two generations of Type-III.
- Because of the TeV mass range LHC at $(\sqrt{s} = 100)$ TeV is better to probe the signals than 14 TeV.

