

Colored window on dark sectors

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- proper description requires considering several effects
 - Sommerfeld enhancement
 - bound states formation
 - thermal equilibrium constraints
 - lifetime of new colored particles

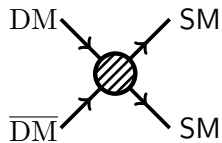
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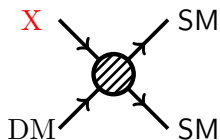
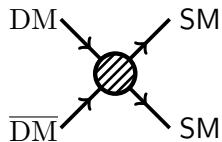
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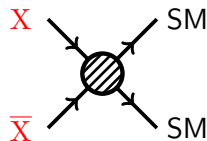
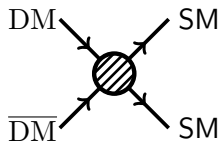
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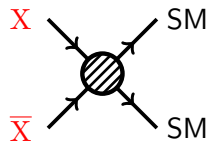
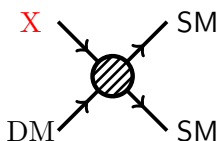
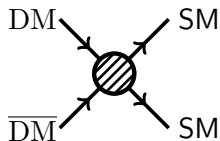


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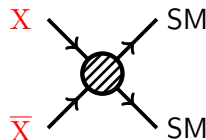
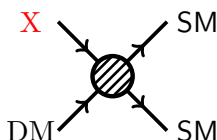
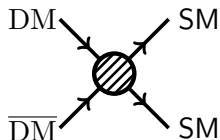
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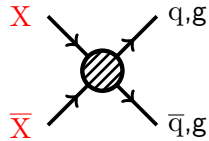
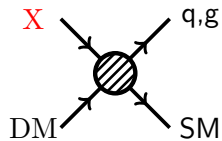


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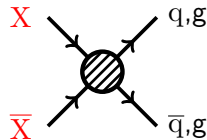
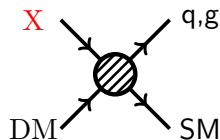
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X can have $U(1)_{\text{EM}}$ and/or QCD charges

Colored X

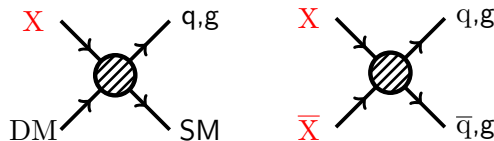


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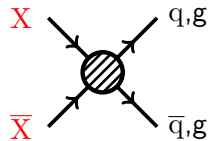
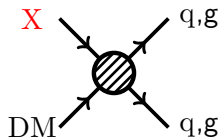
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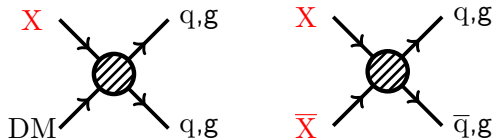


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 $\rightarrow \text{jet(s)} + \text{MET}$ as a generic search strategy for colored dark sector models
- if other kinds of SM particles couple to X , can be used in LHC search strategies, e.g. monojet + MET + soft leptons (1510.03434, 1312.7350)
- if the mediator is light, its production can contribute to coannihilation; strong pair production at the LHC, interesting signatures for M_s e.g. (ℓj) resonance + MET (1510.03434), dijet resonance + MET (1605.08056)

"Minimal" Colored X

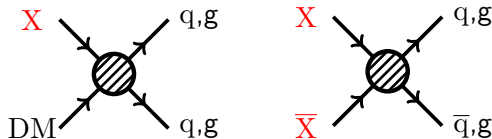


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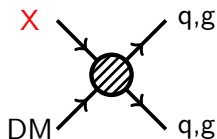
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- we choose a representative set of models with DM being a SM singlet, X charged under $SU(3)$ and a single effective operator connecting X and DM to SM particles manifesting as jets (1703.00452)

DM X SM₁ SM₂ effective interaction



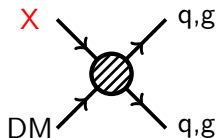
$$3 \otimes \bar{3} = 1 \oplus 8$$

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$$3 \otimes 8 = 3 \oplus \bar{6} \oplus 15$$

$$8 \otimes 8 = 1_S \oplus 8_A \oplus 8_S \oplus 10_A \oplus \bar{10}_A \oplus 27_S$$

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$$\text{DM}_F + X_{F3}$$

$$\text{DM}_S + X_{C3}$$

$$\text{DM}_F + X_{F6}$$

$$\text{DM}_S + X_{F3}$$

$$\text{DM}_F + X_{F8}$$

$$\text{DM}_S + X_{W3}$$

where S (real scalar), C (complex scalar), F (Dirac fermion), W (complex vector)

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Example effective interaction vertices we choose for our models

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{DM}_F + \text{X}_{F3}} = \frac{1}{\Lambda^2} \epsilon_{kij} \left(\bar{\psi}_k \psi_{\text{DM}} \right) \left(\bar{d}_{R,i} u_{R,j}^C \right) + \text{h.c.}$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{DM}_F + \text{X}_{F6}} = \frac{1}{\Lambda^2} K_{6,ij}^u \left(\bar{\psi}_{\text{DM}} \psi^u \right) \left(\bar{u}_{R,i} u_{R,j}^C \right) + \text{h.c.}$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{DM}_F + \text{X}_{F8}} = \frac{1}{\Lambda^2} T_{ij}^a \left(\bar{\psi}_{\text{DM}} \gamma_\mu \psi^a \right) \left(\bar{u}_{R,i} \gamma^\mu u_{R,j} \right) + \text{h.c.}$$

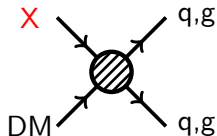
$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{DM}_S + \text{X}_{C3}} = \frac{1}{\Lambda} \epsilon_{kij} (S_{\text{DM}} S_k) \left(\bar{d}_{R,i} u_{R,j}^C \right) + \text{h.c.}$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{DM}_S + \text{X}_{F3}} = \frac{1}{16\pi^2 \Lambda^2} T_{ij}^a S_{\text{DM}} \left(\bar{d}_{R,i} \sigma^{\mu\nu} \psi_j \right) G_{\mu\nu}^a + \text{h.c.}$$

The DM X SM₁ SM₂ interaction is relevant for

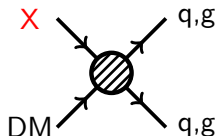
- thermal equilibrium between X and DM
- X lifetime

Thermal equilibrium



$$\text{DM SM}_1 \leftrightarrow \text{X SM}_2 \quad \text{DM SM}_2 \leftrightarrow \text{X SM}_1 \quad \text{X} \leftrightarrow \text{DM SM}_1 \text{ SM}_2$$

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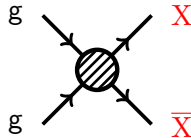
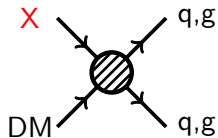


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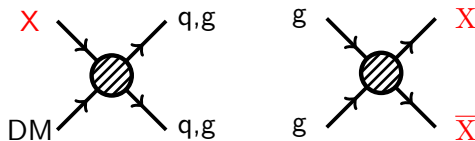
$$\Gamma_{\text{DM} \leftrightarrow \text{X}} = \int_{E_{\min}}^{\infty} \sigma_{\text{DM} \leftrightarrow \text{X}}(s) \frac{g_{\text{SM}}}{2\pi^2} \frac{p^2}{e^{\frac{p}{T}} \pm 1} dp$$

$$\Gamma_{\text{DM} \leftrightarrow \text{X}} > H \approx \left(\frac{4\pi^3}{45} \right)^{1/2} g_{\rho}^{1/2} \frac{m_{\text{DM}}^2}{x^2 M_{\text{Pl}}}$$

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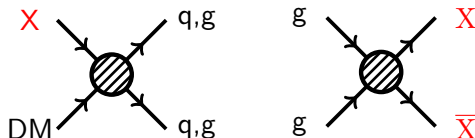
X is long-lived $\leftrightarrow$ transverse distance d_T traveled by X before it decays is larger than the beam pipe radius

$$d_T = d \sin \theta \geq d_{\text{beam}} \sim 2.5 \text{ cm}$$

$$P(d_T > d_{\text{beam}}) = \int_0^\infty \exp\left(-\frac{d_{\text{beam}}}{d_0^T(p_T)}\right) \mathcal{P}_{p_T}(p_T) p_T dp_T$$

$$d_0^T(p_T) = \frac{\hbar c}{\Gamma} \frac{p_T}{m_X}$$

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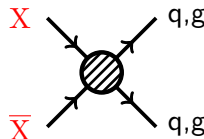
generate a large number N of $pp \rightarrow X\bar{X}$ events

$$P(d_T > d_{\text{beam}}) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_i \exp\left(-\frac{d_{\text{beam}}}{d_0^T(p_{Ti})}\right) \quad (1)$$

a (m_{DM}, Δ) parameter point is ruled out if at least one long-lived particle is expected to be produced at the working luminosity $\mathcal{L}$

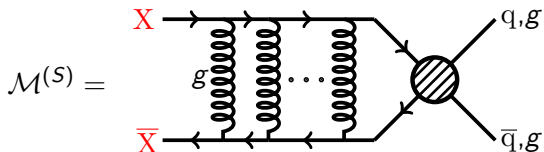
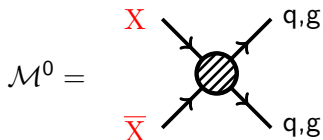
$$2 \times \sigma_{X\bar{X}} \times \mathcal{L} \times P(d_T > d_{\text{beam}}) < 1$$

The Sommerfeld effect

$$\mathcal{M}^0 =$$


A Feynman diagram illustrating the Sommerfeld effect. It features a central shaded circle with diagonal hatching. Four external lines meet at this vertex: two incoming lines from the left and two outgoing lines to the right. The top-left incoming line is labeled with a red X , and the bottom-left incoming line is labeled with a red $\bar{X}$. The top-right outgoing line is labeled q, g , and the bottom-right outgoing line is also labeled q, g . Arrows on all four lines point towards the central vertex.

The Sommerfeld effect



$$\mathcal{M}_{\beta\alpha}^{(S)} = \mathcal{M}_{\beta\alpha}^0 + \int d\gamma \frac{\mathcal{M}_{\beta\gamma}^{(S)} V_{\gamma\alpha}}{E_\alpha - E_\gamma + i\epsilon}$$

α and β - initial and final states respectively

$V_{\gamma\alpha}$ - distorting potential

Sommerfeld correction (1612.02825)

$$\mathcal{M}(p; l_l; s s_z; m_3 m_4) = \sum_{n \geq 0} \alpha_{l_l s s_z, n}^{(m_3, m_4)} p^{l+2n}$$

$$\left| \mathcal{M}_{l_l; s s_z; \mathbf{m}_f}^{(S)}(p) \right|^2 = S_l(x) \sum_{n, n'} \alpha_{l_l; s s_z; n}^{\mathbf{m}_f} \left(\alpha_{l_l; s s_z; n'}^{\mathbf{m}_f} \right)^* \mathcal{D}_{ln}(x) \mathcal{D}_{ln'}^*(x) p^{2(l+n+n')}$$

$$S_l(x) = |\mathcal{C}_l(x)|^2 = \frac{\pi x}{1 - e^{-\pi x}} \prod_{b=1}^l \left(1 + \frac{x^2}{4b^2} \right)$$

$$\mathcal{D}_{ln}(x) = \frac{n!(2l+2n+1)!}{(l+n)!} \sum_{j=0}^{2n} \frac{(-2)^j (l+j)!}{j!(2n-j)!(2l+j+1)!} \left[\prod_{b=l+1}^{l+j} \left(1 + \frac{ix}{2b} \right) \right]$$

where $x = Am/p$, $V = -A/r$

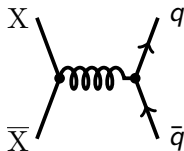
$$V_{\mathbf{R} \otimes \mathbf{R}'} = -\frac{\alpha_s(\hat{\mu})}{2r} \sum_{\mathbf{Q}} \left[C_2(\mathbf{Q}) \mathbb{1}_{\mathbf{Q}} - C_2(\mathbf{R}) \mathbb{1} - C_2(\mathbf{R}') \mathbb{1} \right]$$

where $\mathbf{R} \otimes \mathbf{R}' = \bigoplus_{\mathbf{Q}} \mathbf{Q}$

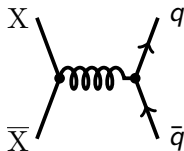
R	1	3	6	8	10	15	27	64
$C(\mathbf{R})$	0	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{5}{2}$	3	$\frac{15}{2}$	10	27	120
$C_2(\mathbf{R})$	0	$\frac{4}{3}$	$\frac{10}{3}$	3	6	$\frac{16}{3}$	8	15

$$V_{\mathbf{3} \otimes \bar{\mathbf{3}}} = \frac{\alpha_s}{r} \begin{cases} +\frac{4}{3} & (\mathbf{1}) \\ -\frac{1}{6} & (\mathbf{8}) \end{cases}, \quad V_{\mathbf{6} \otimes \bar{\mathbf{6}}} = \frac{\alpha_s}{r} \begin{cases} +\frac{10}{3} & (\mathbf{1}) \\ +\frac{11}{6} & (\mathbf{8}) \\ -\frac{2}{3} & (\mathbf{27}) \end{cases}, \quad V_{\mathbf{8} \otimes \mathbf{8}} = \frac{\alpha_s}{r} \begin{cases} +3 & (\mathbf{1}_S) \\ +\frac{3}{2} & (\mathbf{8}_A, \mathbf{8}_S) \\ 0 & (\mathbf{10}_A, \bar{\mathbf{10}}_A) \\ -1 & (\mathbf{27}_S) \end{cases}$$

Sommerfeld correcting coannihilation



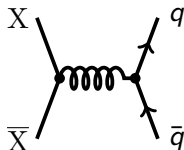
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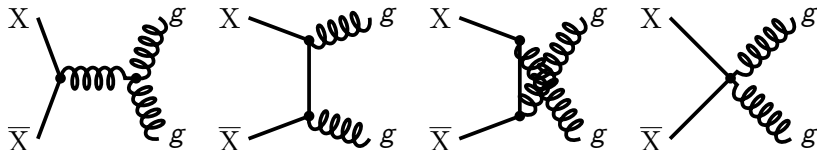
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$$\sigma_{\mathbf{6} \otimes \bar{\mathbf{6}} \rightarrow q \bar{q}}^{(S)} = \sigma_C^{(S)} \left[\frac{11\alpha_s}{6} \right]$$

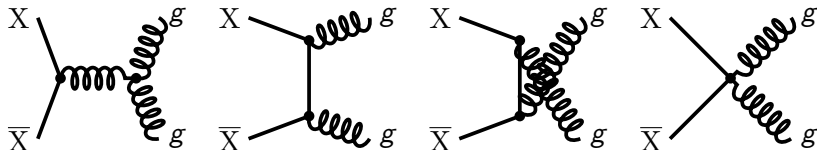
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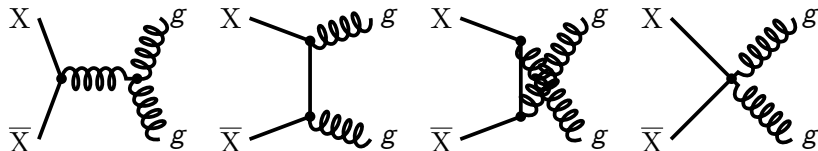


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$$\mathcal{A}^{ab}|_j^i = (-1)^{l+s} \mathcal{A}^{ba}|_j^i$$

$$\mathcal{A}^{ab}|_j^i \sim \begin{cases} \left\{ T_{\mathbf{R}}^a, T_{\mathbf{R}}^b \right\}_j^i & \text{even } l+s \\ \left[T_{\mathbf{R}}^a, T_{\mathbf{R}}^b \right]_j^i = if^{abc} T_{\mathbf{R}}^c|_j^i & \text{odd } l+s \end{cases}$$

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$$\sigma_{\mathbf{3} \otimes \bar{\mathbf{3}} \rightarrow g g}^{(S)} = \begin{cases} \frac{2}{7} \sigma_C^{(S)} \left[\frac{4\alpha_s}{3} \right] + \frac{5}{7} \sigma_C^{(S)} \left[-\frac{\alpha_s}{6} \right] & \text{even } l + s \\ \sigma_C^{(S)} \left[-\frac{\alpha_s}{6} \right] & \text{odd } l + s \end{cases}$$

$$\sigma_{\mathbf{6} \otimes \bar{\mathbf{6}} \rightarrow g g}^{(S)} = \begin{cases} \frac{5}{31} \sigma_C^{(S)} \left[\frac{10\alpha_s}{3} \right] + \frac{49}{155} \sigma_C^{(S)} \left[\frac{11\alpha_s}{6} \right] + \frac{81}{155} \sigma_C^{(S)} \left[-\frac{2\alpha_s}{3} \right] & \text{even } l + s \\ \sigma_C^{(S)} \left[\frac{11\alpha_s}{6} \right] & \text{odd } l + s \end{cases}$$

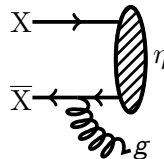
$$\sigma_{\mathbf{8} \otimes \bar{\mathbf{8}} \rightarrow g g}^{(S)} = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{6} \sigma_C^{(S)} [3\alpha_s] + \frac{1}{3} \sigma_C^{(S)} \left[\frac{3\alpha_s}{2} \right] + \frac{1}{2} \sigma_C^{(S)} [-\alpha_s] & \text{even } l + s \\ \sigma_C^{(S)} \left[\frac{3\alpha_s}{2} \right] & \text{odd } l + s \end{cases}$$

Mathematica package with (1612.02825)

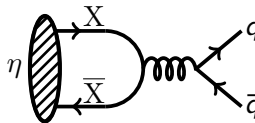
Bound states

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bound state formation



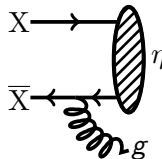
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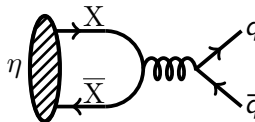
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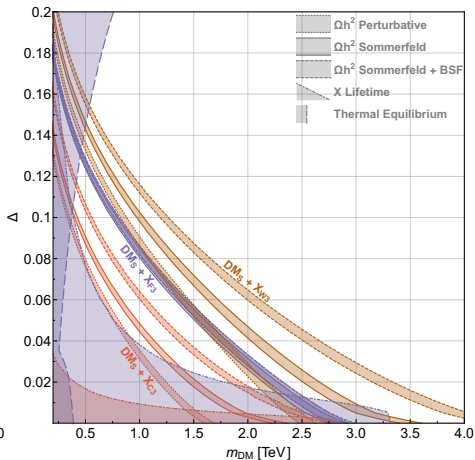
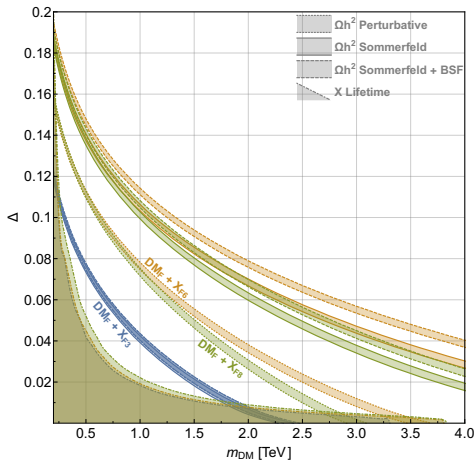


bound state decay



$$\langle\sigma v\rangle_{X\bar{X}} = \langle\sigma v\rangle_{X\bar{X}\rightarrow gg,q\bar{q}} + \langle\sigma v\rangle_{X\bar{X}\rightarrow\eta g} \frac{\langle\Gamma\rangle_{\text{decay}}}{\langle\Gamma\rangle_{\text{decay}} + \langle\Gamma\rangle_{\text{dissociation}}}$$

Relic density + thermal eq. + X lifetime



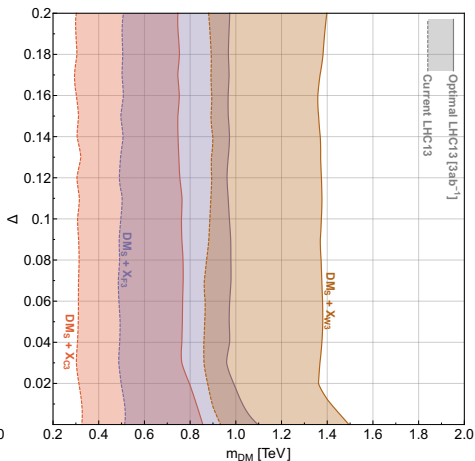
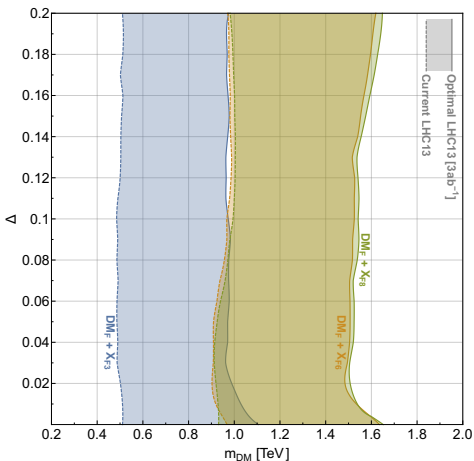
mono-jet(s)+MET reach

ATLAS mono-jet + MET with 3.2fb^{-1}

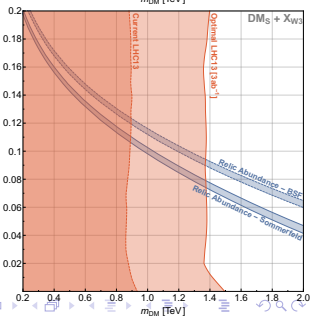
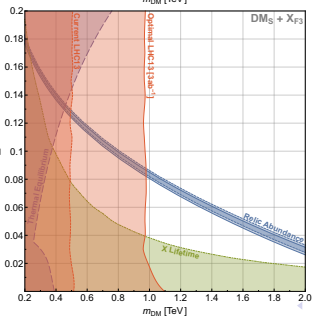
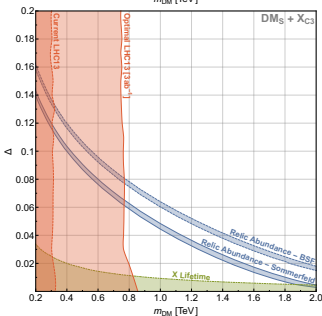
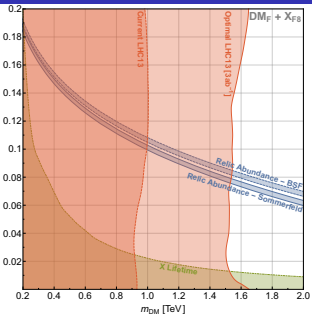
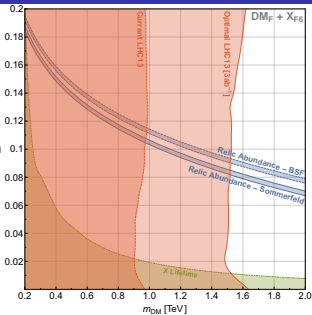
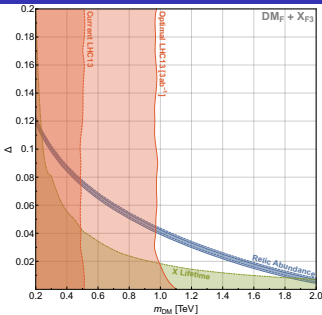
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ATLAS multi-jet + MET with 13.3fb^{-1}

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Combined results



Conclusions

- coannihilation with color partners can drastically extend the allowed DM mass range by driving the relic density prediction by $X \bar{X} \rightarrow q \bar{q}, g g$; thermal DM masses $\gtrsim 10\text{TeV}$ can be consistent with Planck
- collider phenomenology of these scenarios is dominated by strong pair production of X , followed by its decay into DM and additional jets $\rightarrow$ multi-jet(s) + MET collider searches
- demanding X prompt decays at colliders constrains the small Δ region of parameter space
- thermal equilibrium condition between X and DM in the early Universe can place additional relevant bounds if the coupling between X and DM is small
- Sommerfeld corrections and bound state effects can significantly affect the derivation of the relic density motivated parameter space of models with a strongly interacting X