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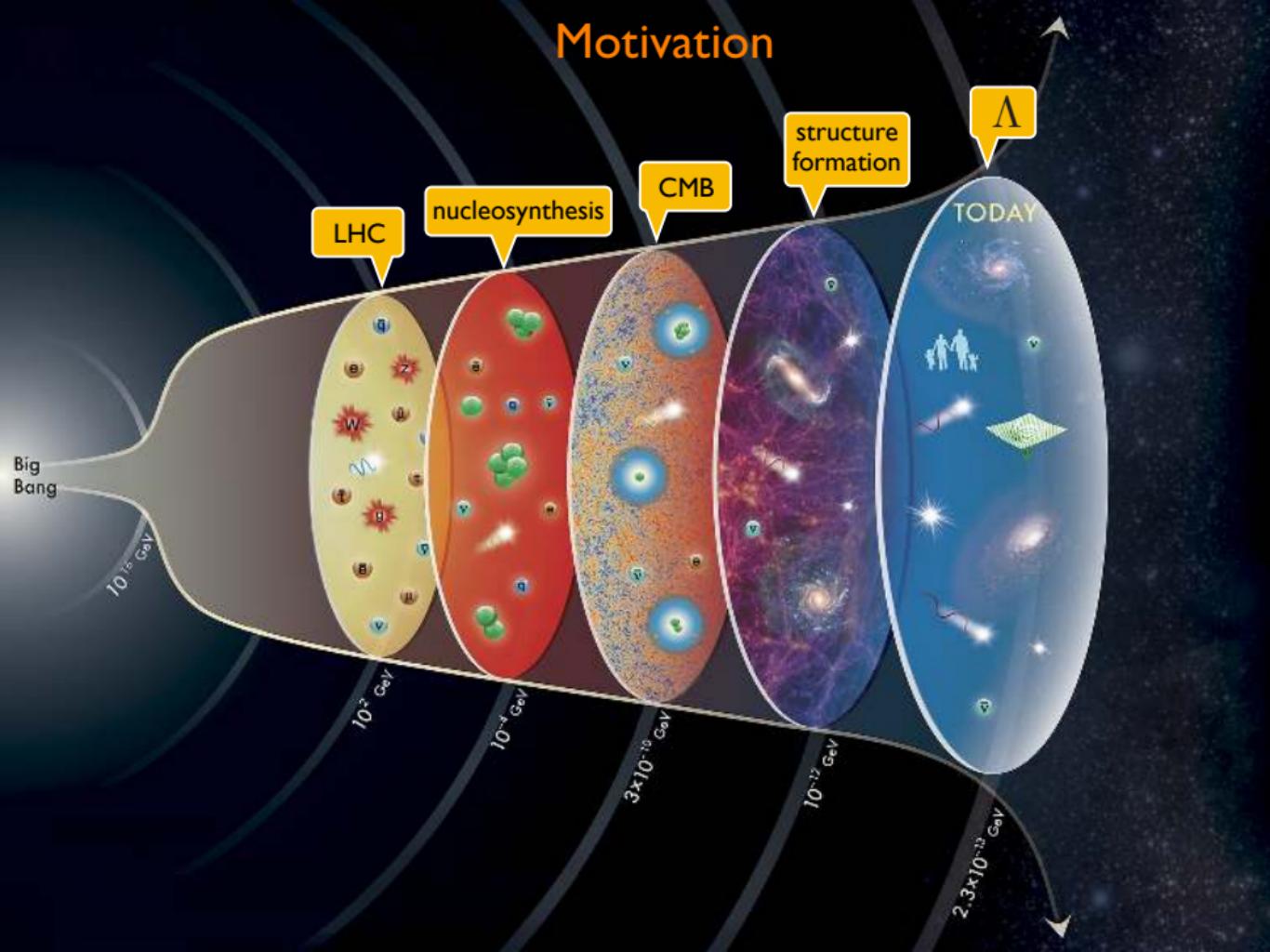
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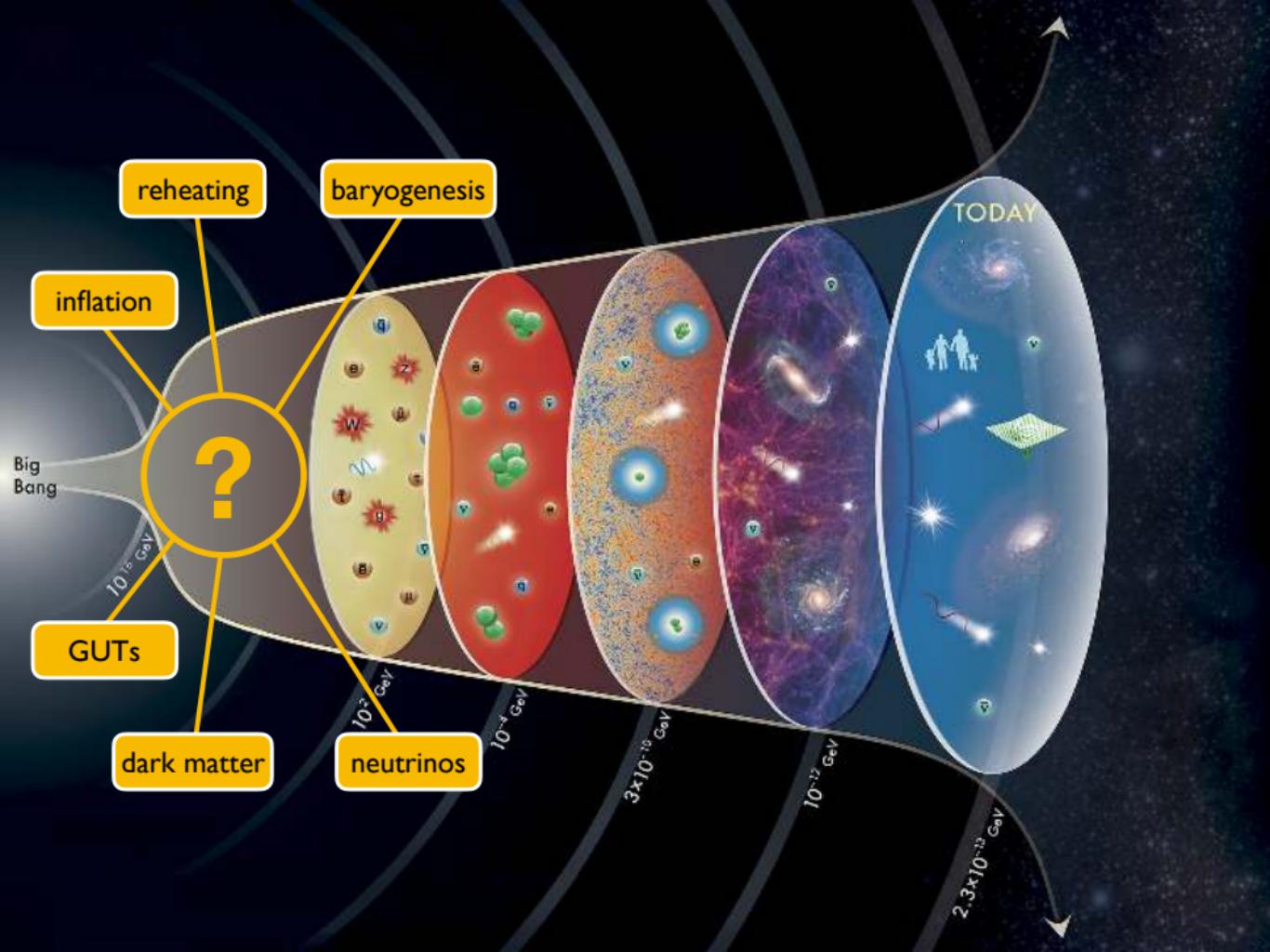
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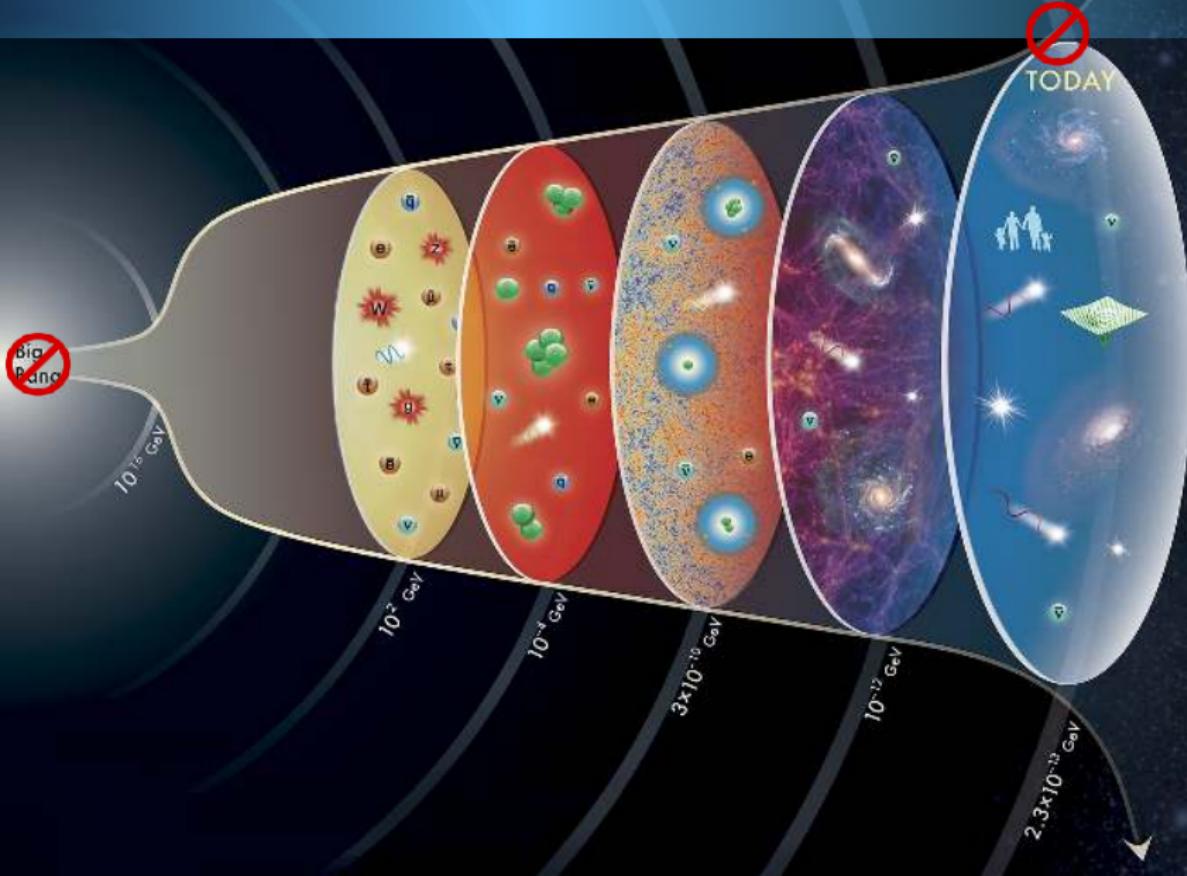
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Motivation



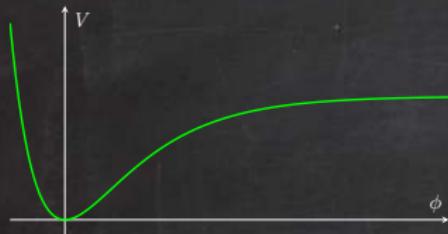


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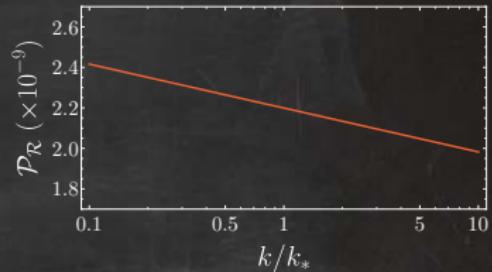
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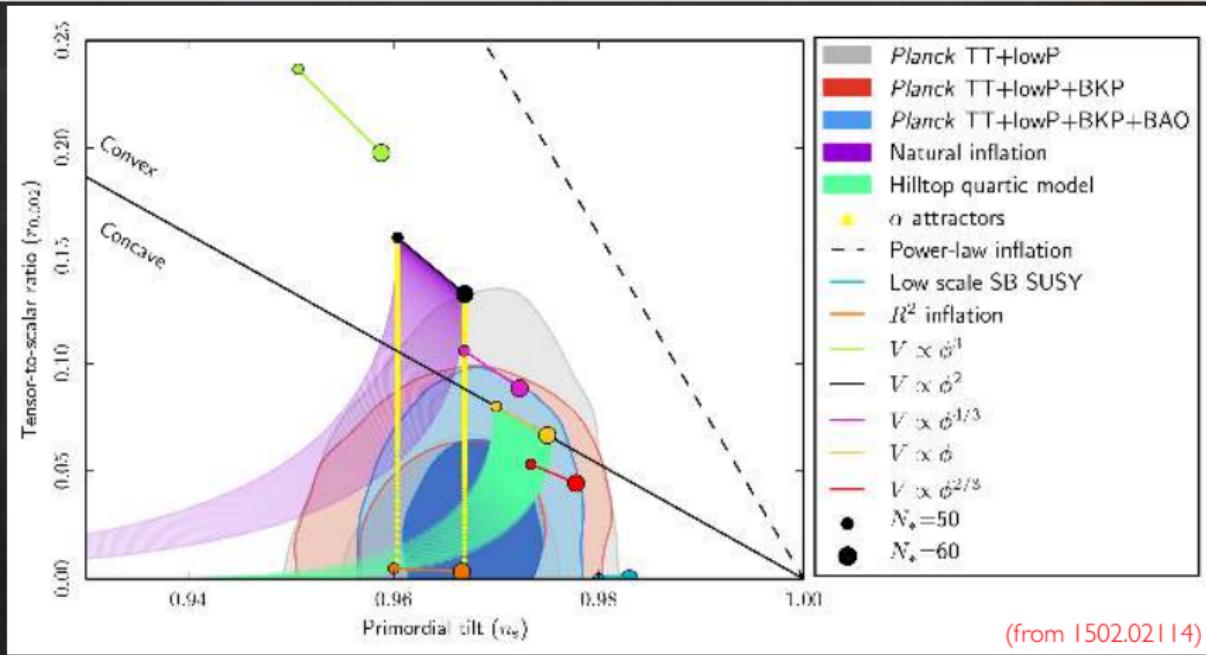


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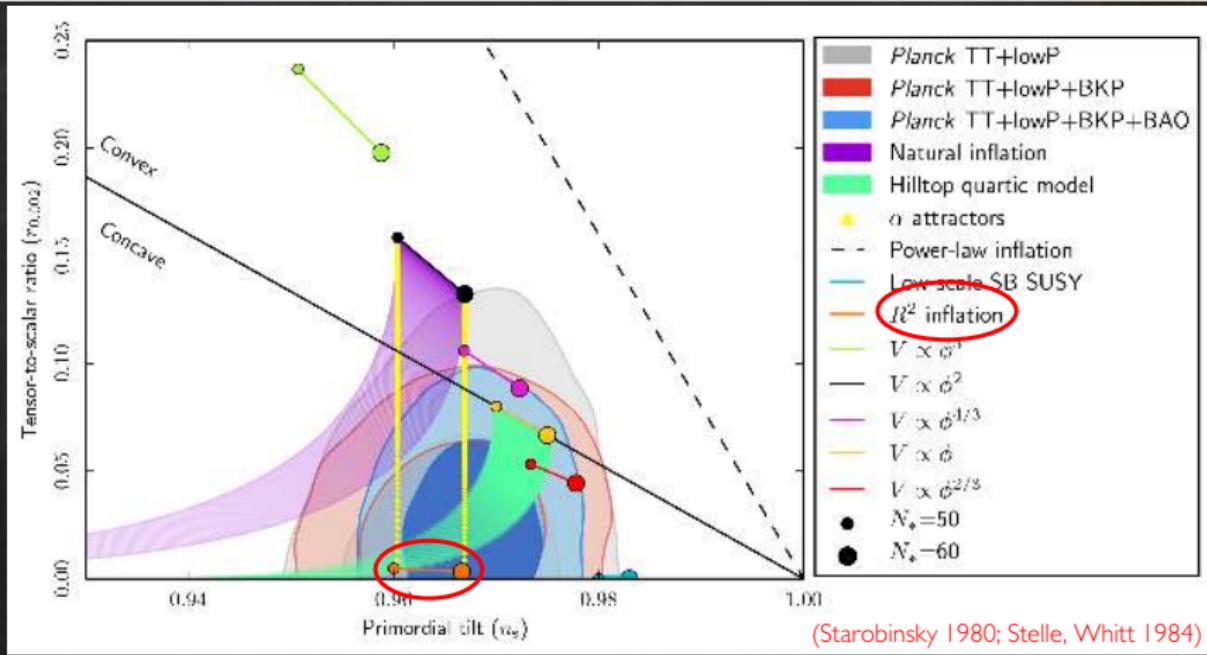
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$$\mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{R}} = \underbrace{\frac{H^4}{4\pi^2 \dot{\phi}^2}}_{A_S} \left(\frac{k}{aH} \right)^{n_s - 1}$$

$$\mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{T}} = \underbrace{\frac{2}{\pi^2} H^2}_{A_T} \left(\frac{k}{aH} \right)^{n_T}$$



$$\ln(10^{10} A_S) = 3.094 \pm .034, \quad n_s = 1 + \frac{d \ln \mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{R}}}{d \ln k}, \quad r = \frac{\mathcal{P}_T}{\mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{R}}}$$



$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{S} &= \frac{1}{2} \int d^4x \sqrt{-g} \left(-R + \frac{R^2}{6m^2} \right) \\ &= \int d^4x \sqrt{-\tilde{g}} \left[-\frac{\tilde{R}}{2} + \frac{1}{2}(\partial_\mu \phi)^2 - \frac{3}{4}m^2 \left(1 - e^{-\sqrt{2/3}\phi} \right)^2 \right] \quad (\tilde{g} \rightarrow \Omega(\phi)g) \end{aligned}$$

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Particles are arranged in irreps of the superalgebra (supermultiplets)

Chiral superfields: matter (Higgs) + susy partners $\Phi \supset (\phi, \psi, F)$

Vector superfields: gauge bosons + susy partners $V^a \supset (A_\mu^a, \lambda^a, D^a)$

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Radiative corrections are multiplicative

$$\Delta m_\phi^2 \sim \Lambda^2 + (-)\Lambda^2$$

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The coupling of supergravity to matter is in general complicated 

For chiral fields it is determined by the (real) Kähler potential $K(\Phi, \bar{\Phi})$ and the (holomorphic) superpotential $W(\Phi)$ through

$$G = K + \ln |W|^2.$$

Coupling to gauge fields is determined by the gauge kinetic function $f_{ab}(\Phi)$.

In the global limit ($M_P \rightarrow \infty$), renormalizable theories have quadratic K , cubic W and $f_{ab} = \delta_{ab}$.

 (Cremmer, Ferrara, Girardello & Van Proeyen, 1983)

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& + G_j^i D_\mu\phi_i D^\mu\bar{\phi}^j - e^G(G_i(G^{-1})_j^i G^j - 3) - \frac{1}{4}(\text{Re } f_{ab})F_{a\mu\nu}F_b^{\mu\nu} + \frac{i}{4}(\text{Im } f_{ab})F_{a\mu\nu}\tilde{F}_b^{\mu\nu} \\
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 & \left. + \frac{1}{8}\text{Im } f_{ab} e^{-1}D_\mu(e\bar{\lambda}_a\gamma_5\gamma^\mu\lambda_b) - \frac{i}{4\sqrt{2}}(f_{ab})^{ij}\bar{\chi}_{i\text{L}}\sigma^{\mu\nu}F_{a\mu\nu}\lambda_{b\text{R}} + \frac{i}{\sqrt{2}}e^{G/2}G^i\bar{\psi}_{\mu\text{L}}\gamma^\mu\chi_{i\text{L}} \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

chiral scalars

$$\begin{aligned}
 e^{-1}\mathcal{L} = & K_i^i\partial_\mu\phi\partial^\mu\phi - e^K\left[(K^{-1})_i^j(K^iW + W^i)(K_j\bar{W} + \bar{W}_j) - 3|W|^2\right] \\
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(Cremmer, Ferrara, Kounnas & Nanopoulos, 1983)

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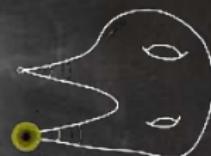
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low energy physics, $E \ll M_P$

no-scale
supergravity



string dynamics, $E \gtrsim M_P$

- A sliding gravitino mass, $m_{3/2}^2 = \langle T + \bar{T} \rangle^{-3}$. Soft susy-breaking parameters are radiatively determined

$$m_0 = A = B = 0, \quad m_{1/2} \neq 0$$

 (Witten, 1985)

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Cecotti, 1987

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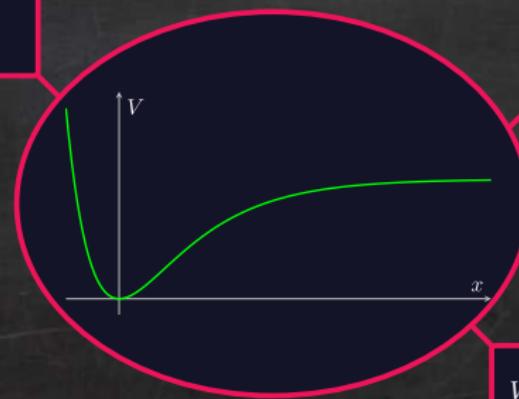
Ellis, Nanopoulos, Olive, 2013

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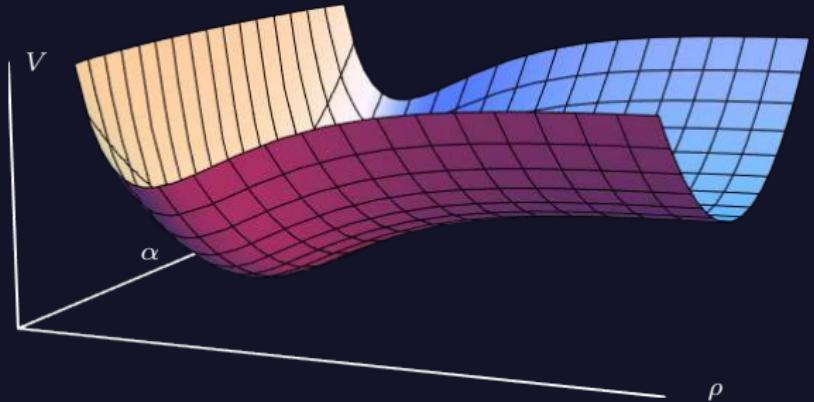
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Ellis, MG, Nanopoulos, Olive, 1405.0271

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Flipped $SU(5)$

Supersymmetry improves Grand Unification. We choose Flipped $SU(5)$ ⁸:

'Regular' $SU(5)$	Flipped $SU(5)$
$\Psi_i = \mathbf{10}_i \quad \ni \{u^c, Q, e^c\}_i$	$F_i = (\mathbf{10}, 1)_i \quad \ni \{d^c, Q, \nu^c\}_i ,$
$\Phi_i = \bar{\mathbf{5}}_i \quad \ni \{d^c, L\}_i$	$\bar{f}_i = (\bar{\mathbf{5}}, -3)_i \quad \ni \{u^c, L\}_i ,$
$\nu_i^c = \mathbf{1}_i$	$\ell_i^c = (\mathbf{1}, 5)_i \quad \ni \{e^c\}_i ,$
$\Sigma = \mathbf{24}$	$H = (\mathbf{10}, 1) ,$
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$SU(5) \xrightarrow{\Sigma} SU(3)_C \times SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y$ $\xrightarrow{h} SU(3)_C \times U(1)_{\text{EM}}$	$SU(5) \times U(1)_X \xrightarrow{H} SU(3)_C \times SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y$ $\xrightarrow{h} SU(3)_C \times U(1)_{\text{EM}}$
$Y = T_{24} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{60}} \text{diag}(2, 2, 2, -3, -3)$	$Y = \frac{1}{\sqrt{15}} T_{24} + \frac{1}{5} Q_X$

⁸(Barr, 1982; Derendinger, Kim & Nanopoulos, 1984)

\mathbb{Z}_2 -symmetric ($H \rightarrow -H$) superpotential \diamond

$$\begin{aligned} W = & \lambda_1^{ij} F_i F_j h + \lambda_2^{ij} F_i \bar{f}_j \bar{h} + \lambda_3^{ij} \bar{f}_i \ell_j^c h + \lambda_4 H H h + \lambda_5 \bar{H} \bar{H} \bar{h} \\ & + \lambda_6^{ia} F_i \bar{H} \phi_a + \lambda_7^a h \bar{h} \phi_a + \lambda_8^{abc} \phi_a \phi_b \phi_c + \mu^{ab} \phi_a \phi_b \end{aligned}$$

with ϕ_0, \dots, ϕ_3 singlets.

No-scale Kähler potential

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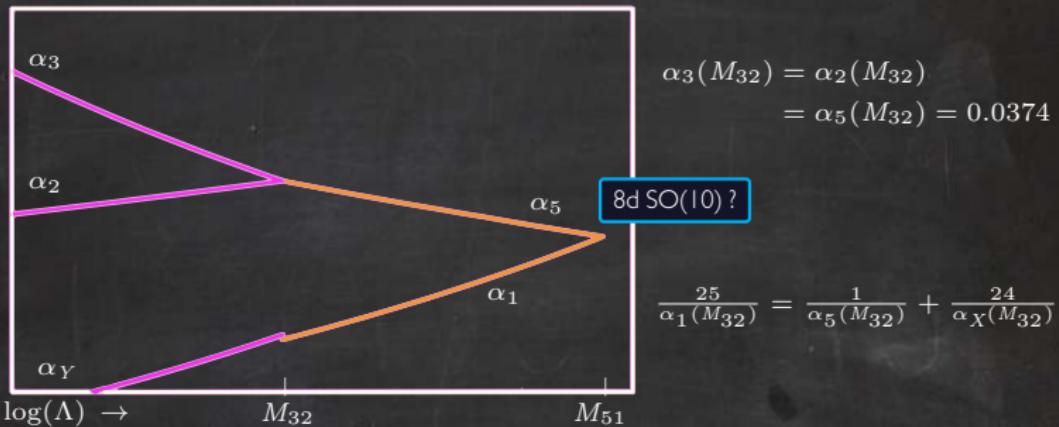
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- Yukawa unification: $f_u(M_{32}) = f_\nu(M_{32})$
- Doublet-triplet SM Higgs splitting: $HHh \Rightarrow \langle \nu_H^c \rangle d_H^c h_3 ; \text{ not for } h_2$
- No dimension 5 proton decay operators (Li, Nanopoulos & Walker, 1003.2570)

$$\tau(p \rightarrow e^+ \pi^0) = 4.6 \times 10^{35} \times \left(\frac{M_{32}}{10^{16} \text{ GeV}} \right)^4 \times \left(\frac{0.0374}{\alpha_5(M_{32})} \right)^2 \text{ yrs}$$

No-Scale Flipped Inflation

Case I: segregated inflaton

Let $S = \phi_0$ be the inflaton. If other singlets don't vanish, potential will be deformed,

$$e^{-2K/3} \frac{\partial V}{\partial \bar{\phi}^a} = \sum_b W^b \left(\frac{2}{3} K_a \bar{W}_b + \bar{W}_{ab} \right)$$

$$W^i = 3\lambda_8^{00i} S^2 + 2 \sum_j (\mu^{ij} + 3\lambda_8^{0ij} S) \phi_j + 3 \sum_{j,k} \lambda_8^{ijk} \phi_j \phi_k ,$$

$$W^0 = m(S - S^2/\sqrt{3}) + 6S \sum_j \lambda_8^{00j} \phi_j + 3 \sum_{j,k} \lambda_8^{0jk} \phi_j \phi_k ,$$

$$\bar{W}_{ab} = 2\bar{\mu}_{ab} + 6\bar{\lambda}_8{}_{0ab}\bar{S} + 6 \sum_j \bar{\lambda}_8{}_{abj} \bar{\phi}^j$$

If μ^{ab} and λ_8^{0ab} are simultaneously diagonalizable, and $S = \phi_0^D$, then

$$\phi_i = 0$$

during inflation

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With

$$\mu^{00} = m/2, \quad \lambda_8^{000} = -m/3\sqrt{3},$$

then

$$V = \frac{3}{4}m^2 \left(1 - e^{-\sqrt{2/3}s}\right)^2, \quad s = \sqrt{6} \tanh^{-1}(S/\sqrt{3})$$

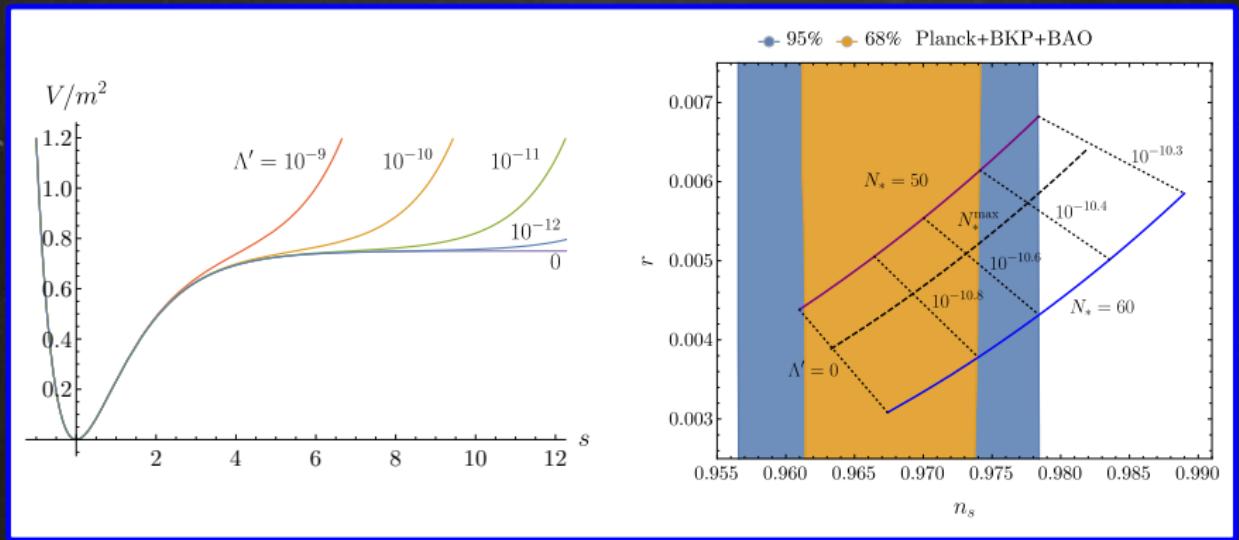
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$$\frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial \phi_i \partial \bar{\phi}^j} = \frac{2}{3} e^K m^2 |S - S^2/\sqrt{3}|^2 \delta_j^i + \dots \simeq \frac{1}{8} m^2 e^{\sqrt{2/3}s} \delta_j^i + \dots \gg H^2$$

Case II: mass hierarchy

If only $\mu^{ab} = \text{diag}(m/2, \mu^1, \mu^2, \mu^3)$, $\lambda_8^{00i} \ll \lambda_8^{0ij} < \mu^i \leq M_{\text{GUT}}$

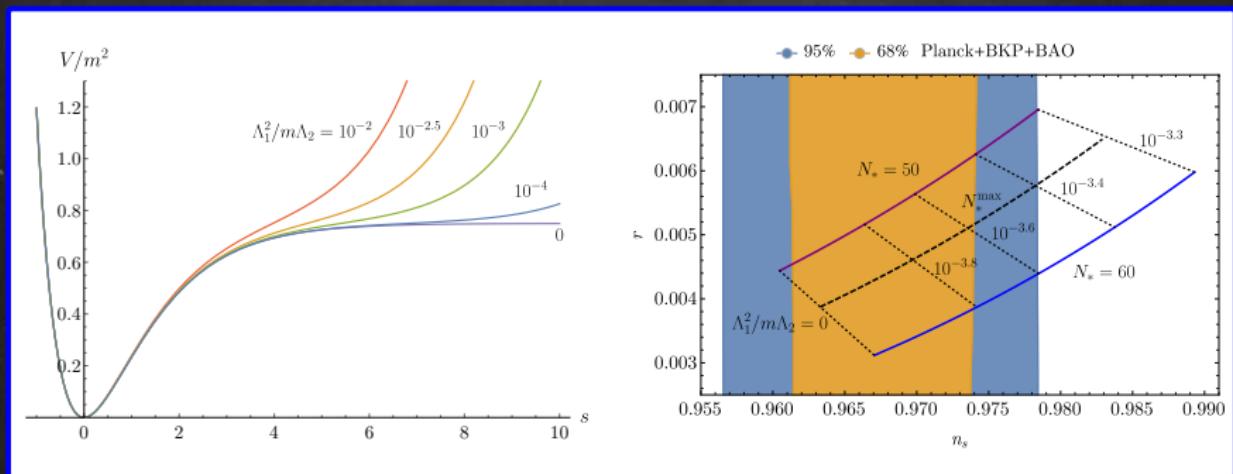
$$V \simeq \frac{3}{4} m^2 \left(1 - e^{-\sqrt{2/3}s}\right)^2 + 81 m \sinh^4(s/\sqrt{6}) \left(\tanh(s/\sqrt{6}) - 1\right) \sum_i \underbrace{\left[\mu_i^{-1} (\lambda_8^{00i})^2 + \text{h.c.}\right]}_{-\Lambda'}$$



Case III: all light singlets ($-3\sqrt{3}\lambda_8^{000} = 2\mu^{00} = m$ off-diagonally)

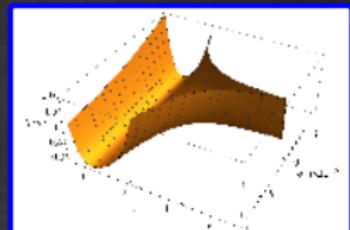
With $\lambda_8^{00i} S \sim \mu^{0i} \sim \Lambda_1$, $\lambda_8^{0ij} S \sim \mu^{ij} \sim \Lambda_2$

$$\langle \phi_i \rangle_{\text{inf}} \sim \Lambda_1 / \Lambda_2, \quad \Delta V \sim m \frac{\sqrt{3} \Lambda_1^2}{8 \Lambda_2} e^{\sqrt{2/3} s}$$

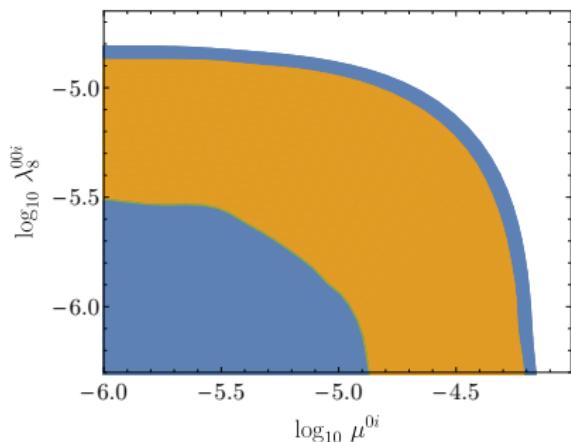


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Full numerical

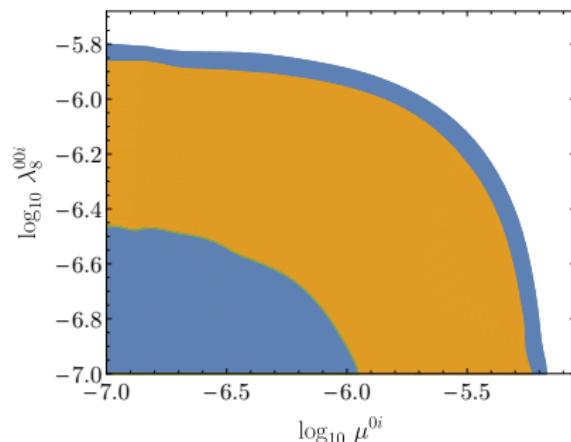


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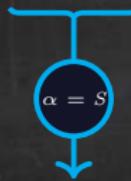


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Perturbed initial conditions

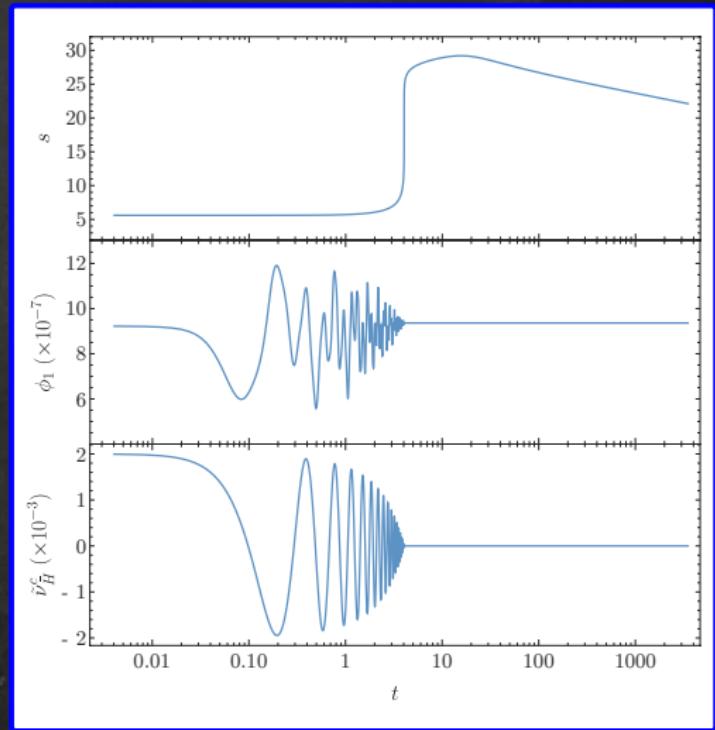
$$\ddot{\Psi}^\alpha + 3H\dot{\Psi}^\alpha + \Gamma_{\beta\gamma}^\alpha \dot{\Psi}^\beta \dot{\Psi}^\gamma + K^{\alpha\bar{\beta}} \frac{\partial V}{\partial \bar{\Psi}^\beta} = 0$$



$$-\frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}} \sinh(\sqrt{2/3} s) (\dot{\phi}_i^2 + (\dot{\nu}^c)^2 + (\dot{\nu}_H^c)^2) + \dots$$

Generic initial conditions at $V \sim 1$

(MG, Nagaraj & Nanopoulos, upcoming)



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$$m_{N_\pm} \sim \frac{1}{2} \left[\mu \pm \sqrt{\mu^2 + (4\lambda_6\langle H \rangle)^2} \right] \quad m_{\nu_i} \sim \mu \left(\frac{\lambda_2\langle h \rangle}{\lambda_6\langle H \rangle} \right)^2$$



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$$m_{N_1 \pm} = \frac{1}{2} \left[m \pm \sqrt{m^2 + (2\lambda_6^{10}\langle H \rangle)^2} \right]$$

$$m_{\nu_1} \simeq \frac{m(\lambda_2^{11}\langle h \rangle)^2}{(\lambda_6^{10}\langle H \rangle)^2}$$



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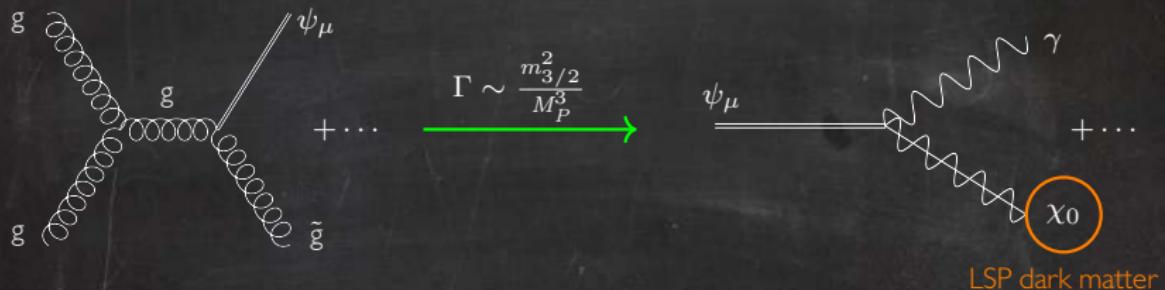
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Light gravitino produced in thermalized plasma 



$$\Omega_{\text{cold}} h^2 = 0.12$$

+

BBN

$$\Rightarrow |\lambda_2^{1j} \sin \theta| \lesssim 2.7 \times 10^{-5} \Delta \left(\frac{100 \text{ GeV}}{m_{\text{LSP}}} \right)$$

 (Ellis, MG, Nanopoulos, Olive & Peloso, 1512.05701)

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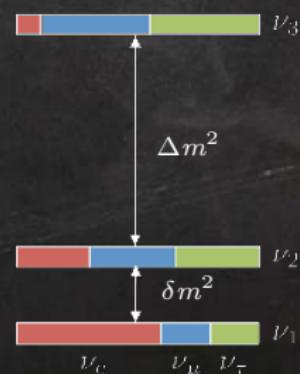
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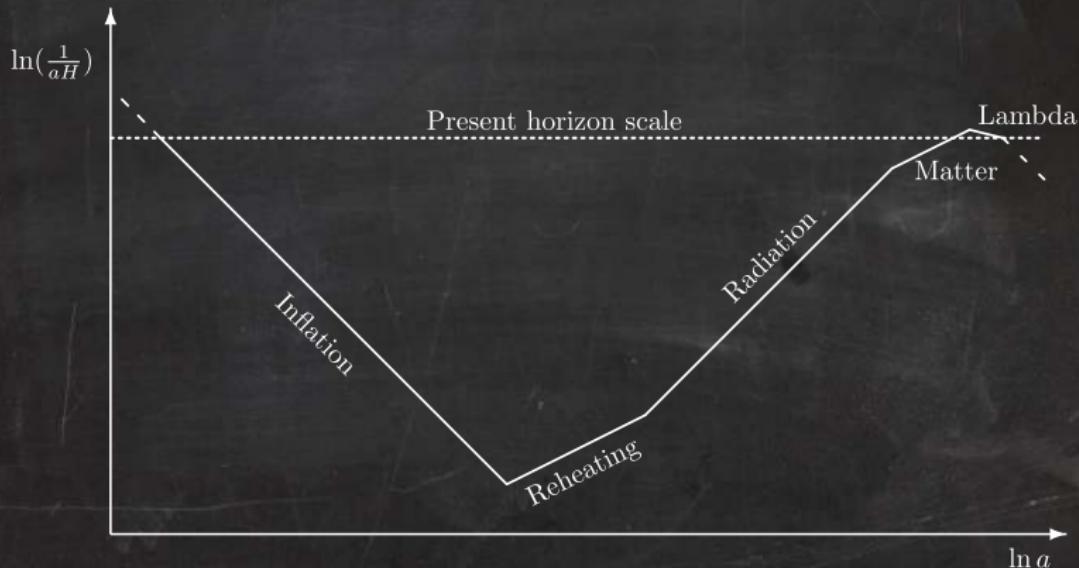
$$m_{\nu_1} \simeq 10^{-9} \times \left(\frac{m}{3 \times 10^{13} \text{ GeV}} \right) \left(\frac{|\lambda_6^{10}|}{10^{-3}} \right)^{-2} \left(\frac{\langle H \rangle}{10^{16} \text{ GeV}} \right)^{-2} \text{ eV}$$

$$m_{\nu_2} \simeq |\delta m^2|^{\frac{1}{2}} \simeq 9 \times 10^{-3} \text{ eV}$$

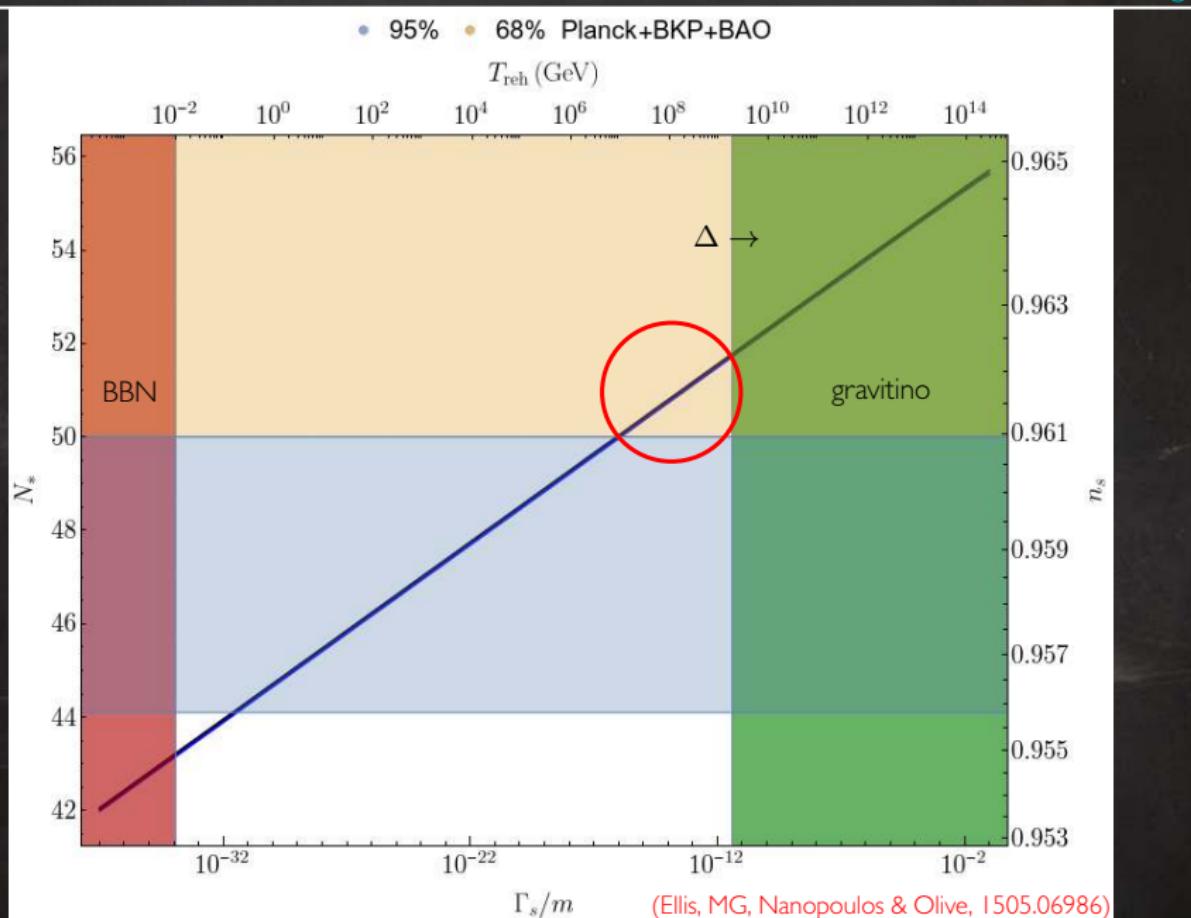
$$m_{\nu_3} \simeq |\Delta m^2|^{\frac{1}{2}} \simeq 5 \times 10^{-2} \text{ eV}$$



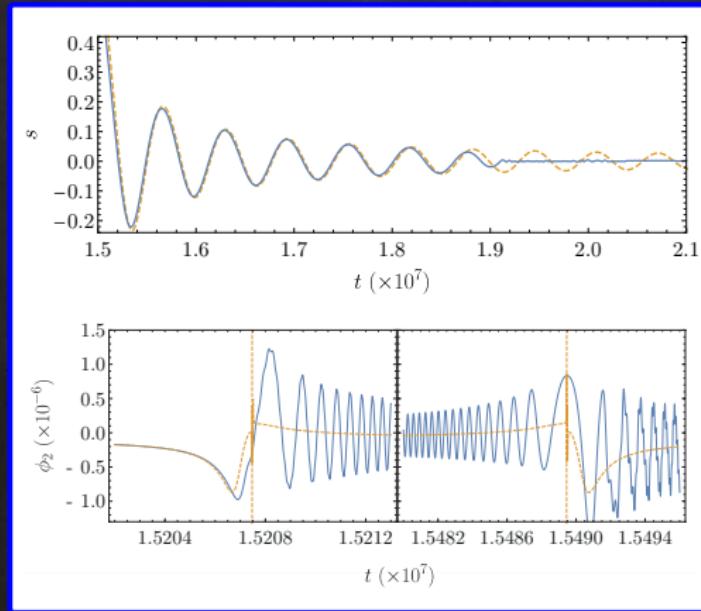
$$N_* = \ln \left(\frac{\rho_{\text{reh}}^{1/4} a_{\text{reh}}}{\sqrt{3} a_0 H_0} \right) - \ln \left(\frac{k_*}{a_0 H_0} \right) + \frac{1}{4} \ln \left(\frac{V_*^2}{M_P^4 \rho_{\text{end}}} \right) + \frac{1 - 3w_{\text{int}}}{12(1 + w_{\text{int}})} \ln \left(\frac{\rho_{\text{reh}}}{\rho_{\text{end}}} \right)$$



(Liddle & Leach, astro-ph/0305263)



Decay of the non-segregated inflaton



Localized, non-adiabatic events

stochastic particle production

Brownian-motion inspired methods

(Amin & Baumann, 1512.02637)

(Amin, MG, Xie & Wen, 1706.02319)

(MG et.al, upcoming)

The GUT phase transition

Whatever happened to the GUT-breaking field?

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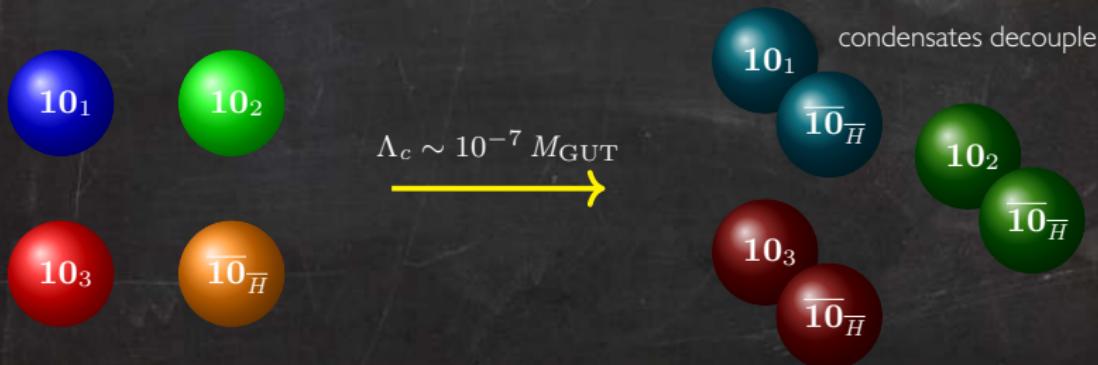
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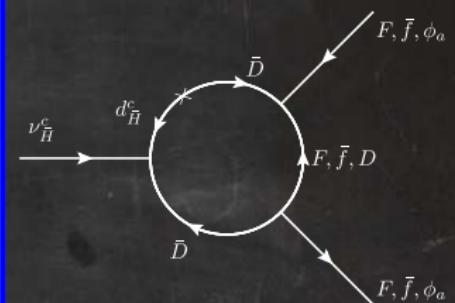
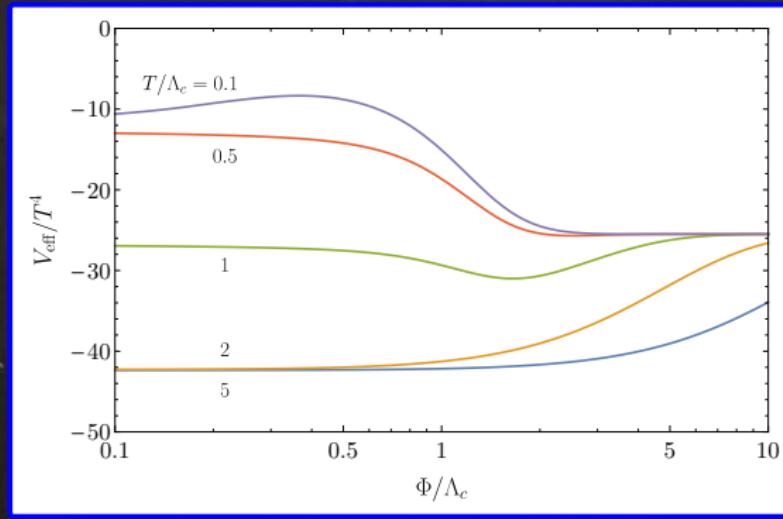
$\Rightarrow \text{SU}(5) \times U(1)_X$ broken after inflation

Asymptotic freedom of $SU(5)$ takes care of this! 

$$g^2(\Lambda_c)(C_c - C_1 - C_2) \simeq 4$$



 (Kogut, 1983; Campbell, Ellis, Hagelin, Nanopoulos & Olive, 1987)

1-loop T -dependent effective potential

$T_{\text{reh}} > \Lambda_c \quad \Rightarrow \quad \text{adiabatic evolution of } \Phi \text{ until } |m_\Phi| > T_\Phi$

$$\Delta \simeq 8 \times 10^3 \lambda_{1,2,3,7}^{-2} \left(\frac{g_{d\Phi}}{43/4} \right)^{1/4} \left(\frac{915/4}{g_{\text{dec}}} \right) \left(\frac{\langle \Phi \rangle}{5 \times 10^{15} \text{ GeV}} \right) \left(\frac{10 \text{ TeV}}{m_{F,\bar{f},\ell^c,\tilde{\phi}_a}^2 / |m_\Phi|} \right)^{1/2}$$

Baryogenesis

Leptogenesis from inflaton decays, $s \rightarrow L \tilde{h}_u, \bar{L} h_u$

$$\frac{n_L}{s} \sim \frac{\epsilon}{\Delta} f \frac{T_R}{m}$$

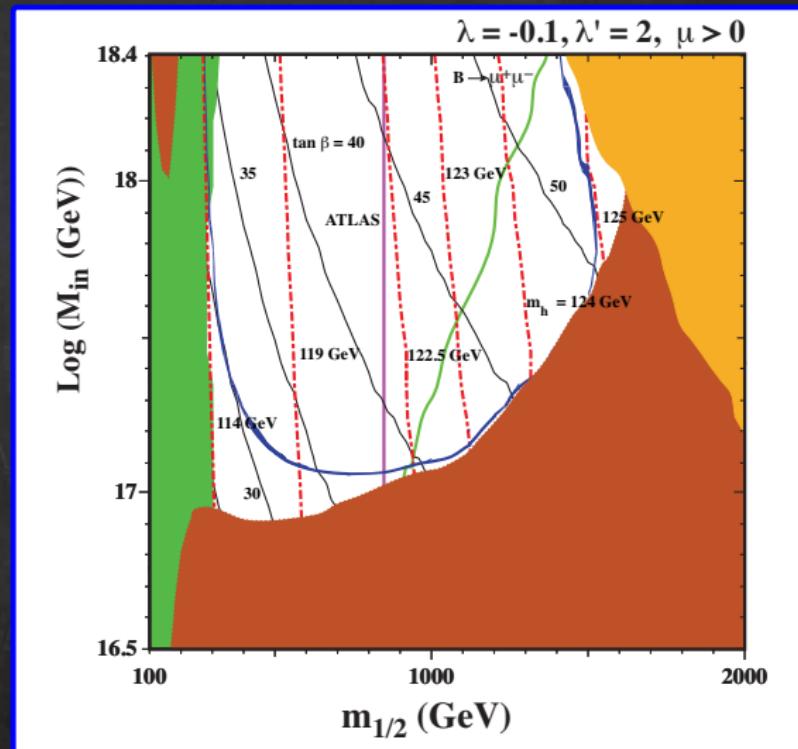
$$\epsilon \simeq -\frac{3}{4\pi} \frac{1}{\left(U_{\nu^c}^\dagger (\lambda_2^D)^2 U_{\nu^c} \right)_{11}} \sum_{i=2,3} \text{Im} \left[\left(U_{\nu^c}^\dagger (\lambda_2^D)^2 U_{\nu^c} \right)_{i1}^2 \right] \frac{m}{M_N}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{n_L}{s} &\simeq 3.8 \times 10^{-11} \delta f \lambda_{1,2,3,7}^2 \lambda_6^{-2} \left(\frac{43/4}{g_{d\Phi}} \right)^{1/4} \left(\frac{915/4}{g_{reh}} \right)^{1/4} \left(\frac{g_{dec}}{915/4} \right) \left(\frac{y}{10^{-5}} \right) \\ &\quad \times \left(\frac{5 \times 10^{15} \text{ GeV}}{\langle \Phi \rangle} \right)^2 \left(\frac{m_{F,\bar{f},\ell^c,\tilde{\phi}_a}^2 / |m_\Phi|}{10 \text{ TeV}} \right)^{1/2} \left(\frac{m}{3 \times 10^{13} \text{ GeV}} \right)^{1/2} \end{aligned}$$

Close to the EW phase transition $L \rightarrow B$ through sphaleron interactions

EW Phenomenology

Planck
+
dark matter
+
leptogenesis
+
neutrino masses
+
flavor
+
Higgs mass
+
LHC
+
...



(Ellis, Nanopoulos & Olive, 1310.4770; Li, Maxin & Nanopoulos, 1705.07973)

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