

Radiative natural SUSY spectrum from deflected AMSB scenario with messenger-matter interactions

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ABSTRACT: A radiative natural SUSY spectrum are proposed in the deflected anomaly mediation scenario with general messenger-matter interactions. Due to the contributions from the new interactions, positive slepton masses as well as a large $|A_t|$ term can naturally be obtained with either sign of deflection parameter and few messenger species (thus avoid the possible Landau pole problem). In this scenario, in contrast to the ordinary (radiative) natural SUSY scenario with under-abundance of dark matter (DM), the DM can be the mixed bino-higgsino and have the right relic density. The 125 GeV Higgs mass can also be easily obtained in our scenario. The majority of low EW fine tuning points can be covered by the XENON-1T direct detection experiments.

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1 Introduction

The standard model (SM) of particle physics has been confirmed by various experiments. Especially, a 125 GeV SM-like Higgs boson was discovered by both the ATLAS [1] and CMS collaborations [2] of the Large Hadron Collider (LHC). On the other hand, the SM, as a successful effective theory, has many theoretical or aesthetical problems which necessitate various extensions. Low energy supersymmetry (SUSY) is a highly motivated paradigm for physics beyond the SM. In fact, an interesting observation is that the Higgs mass lies miraculously in the narrow 115 – 135 GeV window predicted by the minimal SUSY model (MSSM). In addition, the top quark mass also lies exactly at what is needed to properly drive the radiative electroweak symmetry breaking (EWSB). Besides, the gauge hierarchy problem, the successful gauge coupling unification requirement as well as the dark matter (DM) puzzle can all be solved by SUSY.

The low energy SUSY paradigm is appealing, but so far there is no sign of SUSY particles after extensive searches at the LHC. In fact, no significant deviations from the SM have been observed in electroweak precision measurements as well as in flavor physics. The LHC data has already set stringent constraints [3–5] on certain CMSSM models: $m_{\tilde{g}} \gtrsim 1.8$ TeV for $m_{\tilde{q}} \sim m_{\tilde{g}}$, and $m_{\tilde{g}} \gtrsim 1.3$ TeV for $m_{\tilde{q}} \gg m_{\tilde{g}}$. Besides, the rather large value of the Higgs mass at 125 GeV requires TeV-scale highly mixed top squarks, which seems to contradict to the expectation from naturalness. In order to generate a soft SUSY spectrum that can be consistent with the LHC discoveries, a proper SUSY breaking mechanism is needed.

One of the most elegant SUSY breaking mechanisms is the anomaly mediation [6, 7] SUSY breaking scenario. The ordinary AMSB has many advantages and is very predictive. However, it has the tachyonic slepton problem [8–14] and needs an extension. An elegant extension to tackle the tachyonic slepton problem is the deflected AMSB scenario [15, 16], in which the messengers are introduced to deflect the Renormalization Group Equation

(RGE) trajectory. The tachyonic slepton problem can be solved with such a deflection. On the other hand, many messenger species are needed to push slepton masses positive for a negative deflection parameter. A large number of messenger species could cause the Landau pole below the Planck scale. Besides, a large fine-tuning is needed to generate the 125 GeV Higgs mass in the ordinary deflected AMSB scenario.

In our previous work [17], we proposed to introduce general messenger-matter interactions in the deflected AMSB scenario. The slepton sector can receive additional contributions from both the messenger-matter interactions and the ordinary deflected anomaly mediation to avoid tachyonic slepton masses. At the same time, additional contributions to trilinear coupling A_t term which typically increase $|\tilde{A}_t|(\equiv A_t - \mu \cot \beta)$ could be helpful to give the 125 GeV Higgs and reduce the fine-tuning involved. Besides, even with one messenger we can generate positive slepton masses regardless the sign of deflection parameters [18–20]. So the Landau pole problem can be evaded in our new scenario.

Note that with a large A_t term and the TeV-scale stops as well as a small $\mu \sim 100 - 300$ GeV, the radiative natural SUSY scenario [21–25] can naturally be realized in the deflected AMSB with general messenger-matter interactions. The electroweak (EW) fine-tuning [26–28] is small (typically $\Delta_{EW} < 50$), especially when A_t is large which will decrease the fine-tuning involved. On the other hand, the DM in ordinary natural SUSY will always be higgsino-like and results in under-abundance. Although two-component dark matter (axion and higgsino) can work well [29–33], it is preferable to change the nature of DM. We know that the gaugino mass relation in the ordinary AMSB is different from the relation in gauge mediation and gravity mediation. It will result in wino-higgsino DM and thus the under-abundance problem persists [34]. With the deflection of AMSB trajectory, the DM can be the mixed bino-higgsino and could give the right relic density. In this work we focus on such a realization of the radiative natural SUSY in the deflected AMSB with general messenger-matter interactions.

This paper is organized as follows. We briefly review the deflected AMSB scenario with general messenger-matter interactions in section 2. In section 3 we introduce new messenger-matter interactions to the deflected AMSB and study the soft parameters which can generate the radiative natural SUSY. Numerical results are presented in section 4. Section 5 contains our conclusions.

2 A review on deflected AMSB with matter-messenger interactions

We briefly review the general results of the deflected AMSB scenario with general matter-messenger interactions. The relevant details can be found in our previous study [17]. General messenger-matter interactions in GMSB can be seen in various papers [35–42].

The superpotential in the deflected AMSB scenario includes general messenger-matter interactions:

$$W = \lambda_{\phi ij} X Q_i Q_j + y_{ijk} Q_i Q_j Q_k + W(X), \quad (2.1)$$

where the indices ' i, j ' run over all MSSM and messenger fields. Subscripts ' U, D ' will denote the cases up and below the messenger threshold, respectively. $W(X)$ denotes the superpotential for pseudo-moduli field X which defines the messenger threshold.

After integrating out the messenger fields, we have the general form for the MSSM fields only:

$$\mathcal{L} = \int d^4\theta Q_a^\dagger Z_D^{ab} \left(\frac{\mu}{\sqrt{\phi^\dagger \phi}}, \sqrt{\frac{X^\dagger X}{\phi^\dagger \phi}} \right) Q_b + \int d^2\theta y_{abc} Q^a Q^b Q^c, \quad (2.2)$$

which can give additional contributions to soft SUSY breaking parameters. Here ' ϕ ' denotes the compensator field with Weyl weight 1 and ' Z_D ' the wavefunction renormalization factor below the messenger threshold.

The leading-order contributions to the trilinear terms and scalar terms are

$$\frac{A_{abc}}{y_{abc}} = \sum_{i=a,b,c} \left(-\frac{1}{2} F_\phi \frac{\partial}{\partial \ln \mu} + \frac{dF_\phi}{2} \frac{\partial}{\partial \ln |\tilde{X}|} \right) \ln Z_D^{ii}(\mu, |\tilde{X}|), \quad (2.3)$$

$$\begin{aligned} m_{ab}^2 &= \left(-\frac{|F_\phi|^2}{4} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial (\ln \mu)^2} - \frac{|F_{\tilde{X}}|^2}{4} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial |\tilde{X}|^2} + \frac{|F_\phi| |F_{\tilde{X}}|}{2} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \ln \mu \partial |\tilde{X}|} \right) \ln Z_D^{ab}(\mu, |\tilde{X}|), \\ &= \left[-\frac{|F_\phi|^2}{4} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial (\ln \mu)^2} - \frac{d^2 |F_\phi|^2}{4} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \ln |\tilde{X}|^2} + \frac{d|F_\phi|^2}{2} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \ln \mu \partial \ln |\tilde{X}|} \right] \ln Z_D^{ab}(\mu, |\tilde{X}|), \end{aligned} \quad (2.4)$$

where the last term is the unique feature of this deflected AMSB scenario which involves the interference between the pure anomaly and gauge mediation type contributions.

Following the conventions in [36], the derivative of the wavefunction with respect to $t = \ln \mu$ are given as

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dZ_{ij}}{dt} &\equiv G_{ij}[Z(\ln \mu); \lambda(\ln \mu); g(\ln \mu)], \\ &= -\frac{1}{8\pi^2} \left(\frac{1}{2} d_i^{kl} \lambda_{ikl}^* Z_{km}^{-1} * Z_{ln}^{-1} * \lambda_{jmn} - 2c_r^i Z_{ij} g_r^2 \right), \end{aligned} \quad (2.5)$$

we can obtain the expression for the first derivative of wavefunction with respect to ' X ' [35] at the messenger scale $\mu = |X|$

$$\frac{\partial Z_D^{ab}(\ln \mu, |X|)}{\partial X} = \frac{1}{2X} \Delta G^{ab}, \quad (2.6)$$

with $\Delta(\dots)$ denoting the discontinuity of its followed expression, and d_i^{kl} being the standard multiplicity factor in the one-loop anomalous dimensions.

The interference terms between the anomaly mediation and gauge mediation are

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \ln \mu \partial \ln |\tilde{X}|} Z_D^a(\mu, |\tilde{X}|) &= \frac{\partial}{\partial \ln |\tilde{X}|} G_a[Z_D(\ln \mu, \tilde{X}); \lambda(\ln \mu, \tilde{X}); g(\ln \mu, \tilde{X})], \\ &= \left(\Delta(\beta_\lambda) \frac{\partial}{\partial \lambda} + \Delta(\beta_g) \frac{\partial}{\partial g} + \frac{\partial Z_D^a}{\partial \ln \tilde{X}} \frac{\partial}{\partial Z_D^a} \right) G_a[Z_D^a(\ln \mu); \lambda(\ln \mu); g(\ln \mu)]. \end{aligned} \quad (2.7)$$

So we arrive at the final results for the trilinear and scalar soft masses with a general messenger sector at the messenger scale [17]:

$$A_a = -\frac{1}{2} G_{aa}^D F_\phi - \frac{1}{32\pi^2} d_a^{ij} \Delta(|\lambda_{aij}|^2) dF_\phi, \quad (2.8)$$

$$m^2 = m_{\text{AMSB}}^2 + m_{\text{gauge}}^2 + m_{\text{inter}}^2, \quad (2.9)$$

with

$$m_{\text{AMSB}}^2 = \left[-\frac{|F_\phi|^2}{4} \left(\frac{\partial \gamma^a}{\partial g_i} \beta(g_i) + \frac{\partial \gamma^a}{\partial y_i} \beta(y_i) \right) \right], \quad (2.10)$$

$$(m_{ab}^2)_{\text{inter}} = \frac{dF_\phi^2}{2} \left\{ -\frac{1}{8\pi^2} \left[d_a^{kl} \lambda_{akl}^* \lambda_{bmn} \left(\frac{\Delta G_{km}^D}{2} + \frac{\Delta G_{ln}^D}{2} \right) + 2c_r^i g_r^2 \frac{\Delta G_{ab}^D}{2} \right] \right. \\ \left. + \frac{1}{8\pi^2} 4c_r^k \frac{1}{16\pi^2} g_k^4 \Delta(b_k) - G_D \frac{\Delta G_D}{2} \right\}, \quad (2.11)$$

and the gauge mediation type contributions similar to [36]:

$$(m_{ab}^2)_{\text{gauge}} = \frac{d^2 F_\phi^2}{4} \frac{1}{256\pi^4} \left[\frac{1}{2} d_a^{ik} d_i^{lm} \left(\Delta(\lambda_{aik}^* \lambda_{bjk}) (\lambda_{ilm} \lambda_{jlm}^*)^U \right) - (\lambda_{aik}^* \lambda_{bjk})^D \Delta(\lambda_{ilm} \lambda_{jlm}^*) \right. \\ \left. + \frac{1}{4} d_a^{ij} d_b^{kl} \Delta(\lambda_{aij}^* \lambda_{cij}) \Delta(\lambda_{ckl}^* \lambda_{bkl}) - d_a^{ij} C_r^{aij} g_r^2 \Delta(\lambda_{aij}^* \lambda_{bij}) \right]. \quad (2.12)$$

3 Deflected AMSB with new messenger-matter interactions

The characteristic feature of the radiative natural SUSY with respect to the ordinary natural SUSY is the large $|A_t|$ term. In order to obtain the relatively large trilinear terms, we include new messenger-matter interactions in the deflected AMSB scenario. The messengers are introduced in pairs of $(\mathbf{5}, \bar{\mathbf{5}})$ representations of SU(5). So the messengers obviously have the following decomposition in terms of the SM $SU(3)_c \times SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y$ quantum number:

$$\mathbf{5}_a = N_a(1, 2)_{1/2} \oplus M_a(3, 1)_{-1/3}, \\ \bar{\mathbf{5}}_a = \bar{N}_a(1, \bar{2})_{-1/2} \oplus \bar{M}_a(\bar{3}, 1)_{1/3}, \quad (3.1)$$

with $'a'$ denoting the N_F messenger species.

We introduce the following superpotential that involves the messenger-MSSM interaction

$$W^U \supset X \bar{N}_a N_a + X \bar{M}_a M_a + W(X) \\ + \sum_i \left[\lambda_{ai}^D Q_L^i (D_R^c)_i \bar{N}_a + \lambda_{ai}^L L_i (E_L^c)_i \bar{N}_a + \lambda_{ai}^U Q_L^i (U_R^c)_i N_a \right],$$

with the typical form of superpotential $W(X)$ for pseudo-moduli field X to determine the deflection parameter d in combination with F_ϕ . Here the superscript $'i'$ denotes the family indices.

From the general expressions of soft parameters in section 2, we can obtain the soft SUSY breaking parameters for sfermions and trilinear couplings at the messenger scale. We keep the leading terms involving only $y_t, g_3, \lambda_{L,i}, \lambda_{U,i}, \lambda_{D,i}$. Subleading terms like $g_{1,2}^4, y_{b,\tau}^2, \lambda_{L,U,D;ia}^2$ are not kept in the following expressions. For simplicity, we set family and messenger species universal couplings $\lambda_{L,ai} = \lambda_L; \lambda_{U,ai} = \lambda_U; \lambda_{D,ai} = \lambda_D$ for messenger-matter interactions. Besides, we only give explicitly the soft terms for the third generation

squarks. The first two generation squarks can be obtained by removing the y_t^2 terms in the relevant expressions. The soft SUSY mass terms for the three generations of sleptons have the same form. The values of μ and $B\mu$ are model-dependent and we leave them as free parameters because we do not give an explicit mechanism in our scenario. They are determined by successful EWSB conditions.

The gaugino masses are given by

$$M_i = -\frac{\alpha_i}{4\pi}(b_i + N_F d), \tag{3.2}$$

with the beta function $(b_1, b_2, b_3) = (33/5, 1, -3)$ and the standard normalization for g_1 coupling $g_1^2 = 5g_Y^2/3$.

The trilinear couplings are calculated to be

$$\begin{aligned} A_t &= \frac{F_\phi}{16\pi^2} \left[6y_t^2 - (3\lambda_U^2 + \lambda_D^2)d - \frac{16}{3}g_3^2 \right], \\ A_b &= \frac{F_\phi}{16\pi^2} \left[y_t^2 - (\lambda_U^2 + 3\lambda_D^2)d - \frac{16}{3}g_3^2 \right], \\ A_\tau &= \frac{F_\phi}{16\pi^2} (-3\lambda_L^2 d). \end{aligned} \tag{3.3}$$

The soft parameters are

$$\frac{m^2}{F_\phi^2} = \frac{d}{2}\delta^m + \frac{d^2}{4}(\delta^G + \delta^3) + \frac{1}{4}\delta^A, \tag{3.4}$$

with the relevant tedious expressions given in the appendix.

We have the following discussions:

- (i) In our scenario, the notorious tachyonic slepton problem which appears in the ordinary AMSB can be naturally solved. Besides, the slepton masses receive (dominant) positive contributions from matter-messenger interactions regardless of the sign of the deflection parameter d .
- (ii) In our scenario, even one messenger specie can work well to give positive slepton masses regardless of the sign of deflection parameter d . So the possible Landau pole problem below the Planck scale will naturally be evaded in our scenario.
- (iii) The A_t value can be either positive or negative, depending on the sign of d . Large $\lambda_{U,D}$ can lead to a large value of $|A_t|$ which can naturally give a large Higgs mass with a less fine-tuning.
- (iv) There is some parameter space for light soft stop masses. So the radiative natural SUSY spectrum can be realized in our scenario. We will discuss such a realization in next section.

4 Radiative natural SUSY spectrum and numerical analysis

The 125 GeV Higgs has already set some constraints on the low energy SUSY spectrum. Obviously from the formula

$$m_h^2 \simeq m_Z^2 \cos^2 2\beta + \frac{3m_t^4}{4\pi^2 v^2} \left[\log \frac{M_{\text{SUSY}}^2}{m_t^2} + \frac{\tilde{A}_t^2}{M_{\text{SUSY}}^2} \left(1 - \frac{\tilde{A}_t^2}{12M_{\text{SUSY}}^2} \right) \right], \quad (4.1)$$

with

$$\tilde{A}_t = A_t - \mu \cot \beta, \quad M_{\text{SUSY}}^2 = m_{\tilde{t}_1} m_{\tilde{t}_2},$$

we need either $M_{\text{SUSY}}/m_t \gg 1$ or $M_{\text{SUSY}}/m_t > 1$ with $\tilde{A}_t/M_{\text{SUSY}} > 1$. The stop masses must be larger than 10 TeV in case of no stop mixing, and hence a large fine tuning is needed. Obviously, a large \tilde{A}_t is preferable for low energy SUSY.

The models of natural SUSY [21–24] try to retain the naturalness of weak scale SUSY by proposing a spectrum of light higgsinos $|\mu| \sim 100 - 300$ GeV and light $\tilde{t}_{1,2}, \tilde{b}_1$ along with very heavy masses of other squarks and TeV-scale gluinos. The gluino mass can affect the stop masses via RGE evolution. So, a low EW fine-tuning requires that the gluino mass can not be too heavy. On the other hand, it is also bounded from below to be $m_{\tilde{g}} \gtrsim 1.3$ TeV by the LHC searches within the context of SUSY models like mSUGRA/CMSSM. The first two generation sfermions can be allowed to lie in the 5-20 TeV range without introducing unnaturalness. Heavier first two generation squarks can ameliorates the SUSY flavour, CP, gravitino and proton-decay problems due to decoupling. Such models have a low electroweak fine-tuning and satisfy the LHC constraints.

However, the relatively heavy (125 GeV) Higgs mass has some tension with the ordinary natural SUSY scenario and indicates that natural SUSY may take the form of radiative natural SUSY [25] which requires a large A_t term. In fact, a large $|A_t|$ value can suppress the top squark contributions to Σ_u^u and at the same time lift up the Higgs mass. Such a large $|A_t|$ can easily be obtained in our scenario. We can see from eq. (3.3) that a large $|A_t|$ will appear in case of a large λ and either sign of deflection parameter d .

In the ordinary radiative natural SUSY scenario with universal gaugino mass at the GUT scale, the lightest sparticle (LSP) is always the higgsino which can not fully account for the DM relic abundance. The gaugino relation at the EW scale can naturally be evaded in the deflected AMSB scenario and thus the DM can be the mixed bino-higgsino or wino-higgsino (or pure bino, pure wino). We know that in the ordinary AMSB, the gaugino mass ratio at the EW scale is

$$M_1 : M_2 : M_3 \approx 3.29 : 1 : -9.6.$$

This can lead to the mixed higgsino-wino dark matter for gluino at about 2 TeV. As noted in [34], the under-abundance problem of DM persists. In general, in order to get the mixed higgsino-electroweakino DM, we need the gaugino mass ratio to satisfy

$$M_3 : \min(M_1, M_2) \gtrsim 5,$$

with gluino mass heavier than 1.5 TeV. The mixed bino-higgsino DM can give the full DM abundance. This prefer a negative deflection parameter with $N_{Fd} \lesssim -3$.

In our scenario, the soft terms are characterized by the following free parameters

$$N_F, d, \mu, M_{\text{mess}}, F_\phi, \tan \beta, \lambda_U, \lambda_D, \lambda_L. \tag{4.2}$$

We scan the parameter space with the following messenger scale(M_{mess}) inputs:

- The μ parameter is chosen to lie between $|\mu| \sim 100-300$ GeV to keep EW naturalness.
- The scale of F_ϕ determines the whole SUSY spectrum. The gaugino masses, the EWSB condition as well the Higgs mass constrain the value of F_ϕ to be in the range $10\text{TeV} < F_\phi < 500\text{TeV}$.
- The messenger scale M_{mess} can be chosen to lie between the GUT scale and the typical sparticle scale: $10\text{TeV} < M_{\text{mess}} < 10^{16}\text{GeV}$.
- The value of $\tan \beta$ is chosen to be $40 \geq \tan \beta \geq 2$. The messenger species N_F should lie in the range $1 \leq N_F \leq 3$ to avoid the possible Landau pole while the deflection parameter d is chosen to satisfy $N_F \cdot d \lesssim -3$ to fully account for the DM relic density.
- For simplicity, we set $\lambda_U = \lambda_D = \lambda$. We set the range of the messenger-matter interactions: $0.5 \lesssim \lambda, \lambda_L \lesssim 3$ to justify our keeping of the leading contributions in previous calculations and at the same time avoid the possible Landau pole.

In our scan we take into account the following collider and dark matter constraints:

- (1) Successful radiative EWSB condition.
- (2) The stop and sbottom masses can be relatively heavy in the radiative natural SUSY scenario in contrast to the upper bound of 1.5 TeV in ordinary natural SUSY (with less than 10% EW fine tuning). We require that the stop masses to satisfy $m_{\tilde{t}_{1,2}} \lesssim 4$ TeV which corresponds to to an upper bound for the EW fine-tuning $\Delta_{EW} \lesssim 50$. A large $|A_t|$ will always decrease the fine-tuning involved. Due to the gluino loop contribution to the stop masses, the gluino is bounded to be below 12 TeV.
- (3) The lower bounds on neutralino and chargino masses from LEP, including the invisible decay of Z -boson. The most stringent constraints of LEP come from the chargino mass and the invisible Z -boson decay. We require $m_{\tilde{\chi}^\pm} > 103.5\text{GeV}$ and the invisible decay width $\Gamma(Z \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_0 \tilde{\chi}_0) < 1.71$ MeV, which is consistent with the 2σ precision EW measurement $\Gamma_{\text{inv}}^{\text{non-SM}} < 2.0$ MeV.
- (4) The combined mass range for the Higgs boson: $123\text{GeV} < M_h < 127\text{GeV}$ from ATLAS and CMS data [1, 2].
- (5) The relic density of the neutralino dark matter satisfies the Planck result $\Omega_{DM} = 0.1199 \pm 0.0027$ [43] (in combination with the WMAP data [44]) with a 10% theoretical uncertainty).

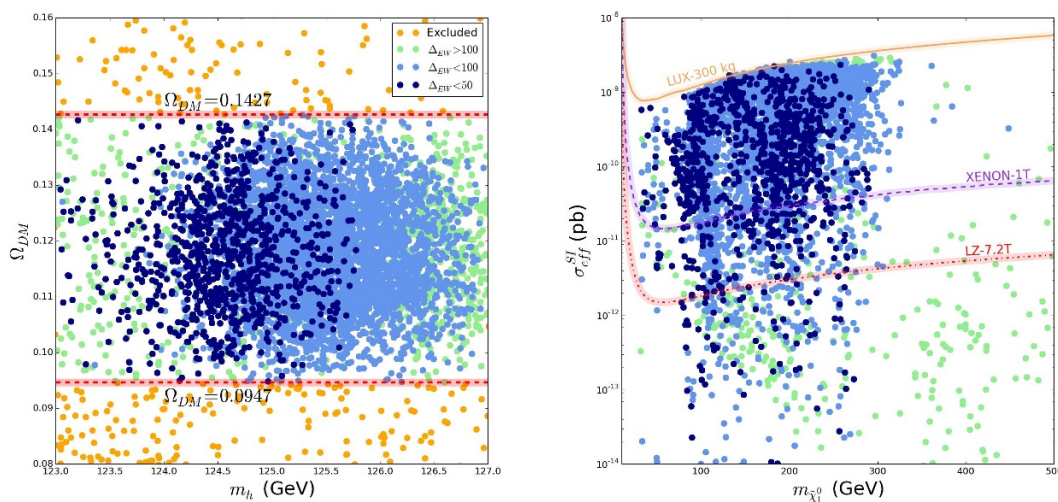


Figure 1. The scatter plots of the parameter space in our scenario, showing the dark matter relic density versus the Higgs mass in the left panel and the spin-independent DM-nucleon scattering cross section versus the LSP mass in the right panel. All the points can survive the collider and dark matter constraints (1-6). The EW fine tuning (Δ_{EW}) for the sample points are also shown.

- (6) The dark matter in our scenario can be the mixed bino-higgsino. In this case, the direct detection experiments can possibly set stringent constraints on dark matter. We survey the spin-independent (SI) direct detection bounds from LUX [45], Xeon1T [46] and the future LUX-ZEPLIN 7.2 Ton [47] experiment.

The numerical results with the corresponding EW fine-tuning are shown in Fig 1. It should be noted that [49] conventional measures, include BG measure [48], tend to overestimate EWFT in supersymmetric models, often by several orders of magnitude. Accord to the Fine-tuning Rule proposed in [50], both Higgs mass and the traditional Δ_{BG} fine-tuning measures reduce to the model-independent EW fine-tuning measure Δ_{EW} .

From the figure, we have the following observations:

- Both the 125 GeV Higgs mass and the correct DM relic density can be obtained in our scenario. We can see that there is a large parameter space which can give the correct relic abundance of DM. This is the consequence of the mixed bino-higgsino DM nature in our scenario. The deflection of AMSB trajectory is crucial for a light bino to be the lightest gaugino (with $M_1 \lesssim \mu$) that can be compatible with the LHC constraints on gluino mass $m_{\tilde{g}} \gtrsim 1.3\text{TeV}$. Without the deflection, the lightest gaugino would be heavy and at the same time wino-like. Such a relation would predict either higgsino or mixed wino-higgsino DM, both of which would lead to under-abundance of DM.
- Our scenario can also give the observed 125 GeV Higgs mass. This is the consequence of a relatively large A_t term. Besides, the EW fine-tuning needed for the 125 GeV Higgs mass can be as low as $\Delta_{EW} \lesssim 50$. Larger higgs mass will slight increase the EW fine tuning involved.

- We also survey the spin-independent (SI) direct detection bounds from DM-nucleon scattering experiments. It is well known that the SI interaction of the neutralino DM with quarks inside the nucleus occurs via the s -channel squark exchange and t -channel Higgs exchange processes. As squarks are bounded by the LHC data to be considerably heavy, the Higgs exchange diagrams would dominantly contribute to the spin-independent $\chi - p$ scattering cross section. The Higgs- χ - χ coupling is driven by bino-higgsino and wino-higgsino mixing. Unlike the case for a pure gaugino or a pure higgsino DM in which the associated SI cross-section would become quite small, the SI cross section could be large when DM is the mixed bino-higgsino. However, the DM can evade the SI direct detection experiments if the mixing is small. In our numerical study, we find that the most interesting points with low EW fine tuning (namely the points that can account for the 125 GeV Higgs mass with $\Delta_{EW} < 100$) have typically a cross section below $10^{-9} pb$. The majority of such points will be covered by XENON-1T. On the other hand, there are still small regions with low EW fine tuning that can survive the XENON-1T and LUX-ZEPLIN 7.2 Ton sensitivity. Such points may indicate that the corresponding mixing of bino-higgsino is not large.

5 Conclusions

In this work a radiative natural SUSY spectrum were proposed in deflected anomaly mediation scenario with general messenger-matter interactions. Due to the contributions from new interactions, positive slepton masses as well as a large $|A_t|$ term can naturally be obtained with either sign of deflection parameter and few messenger species (thus avoid the possible Landau pole problem). In this scenario, in contrast to the ordinary radiative natural SUSY scenario with under-abundance of DM, the DM can be the mixed bino-higgsino and give the right relic density. The 125 GeV Higgs mass can also be easily obtained in our scenario. The majority of low EW fine tuning points can be covered by the XENON-1T direct detection experiments.

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A Scalar soft SUSY breaking mass terms

The expression for the scalar soft parameters are derived from the general forms in [17] and given by

$$\frac{m^2}{F_\phi^2} = \frac{d}{2}\delta^m + \frac{d^2}{4}(\delta^G + \delta^3) + \frac{1}{4}\delta^A, \quad (\text{A.1})$$

with each type of contributions given below. The relevant expressions are

- Cross term (anomaly-gauge mediation) contributions:

the anomaly-gauge mixed mediation part given by

$$\begin{aligned} \delta^m &= \frac{\partial^2}{\partial\mu\partial\ln|X|} \ln Z_{ab}^D, \\ &= \left(\frac{\Delta G_a^D}{2} \frac{\partial}{\partial Z_a^D} + \Delta\beta_{g_r} \frac{\partial}{\partial g_r} \right) G^- - G_a^D \frac{\Delta G_a}{2}. \end{aligned} \quad (\text{A.2})$$

Cross the messenger threshold, the change of the beta function for g_i is given by

$$\Delta\beta_{g_i} = \frac{1}{16\pi^2} N_F g_i^3 \quad (\text{A.3})$$

and the discontinuity of G^a is

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\Delta G_L}{2} &= -\frac{1}{8\pi^2} \lambda_L^2, \\ \frac{\Delta G_{E_L^\epsilon}}{2} &= -\frac{1}{8\pi^2} 2\lambda_L^2, \\ \frac{\Delta G_{Q_L}}{2} &= -\frac{1}{8\pi^2} (\lambda_D^2 + \lambda_U^2), \\ \frac{\Delta G_{U_L^\epsilon}}{2} &= -\frac{1}{8\pi^2} (2\lambda_U^2), \\ \frac{\Delta G_{D_L^\epsilon}}{2} &= -\frac{1}{8\pi^2} (2\lambda_D^2). \end{aligned} \quad (\text{A.4})$$

After some manipulations, we can obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \delta_Q^m &= \frac{1}{8\pi^2} \left[y_t^2 \frac{\Delta G_{y_t}}{2} + y_b^2 \frac{\Delta G_{y_b}}{2} \right] + \Delta\beta_{g_r} \frac{\partial}{\partial g_r} G_Q^D, \\ &\approx -\frac{1}{8\pi^2} \left[2y_t^2 \frac{1}{16\pi^2} (3\lambda_U^2 + \lambda_D^2) - 2\frac{8}{3} \frac{1}{16\pi^2} N_F g_3^4 \right], \\ \delta_U^m &= -\frac{1}{8\pi^2} \left[4y_t^2 \frac{1}{16\pi^2} (3\lambda_U^2 + \lambda_D^2) - 2\frac{8}{3} \frac{1}{16\pi^2} N_F g_3^4 \right], \\ \delta_D^m &= -\frac{1}{8\pi^2} \left[-2\frac{8}{3} \frac{1}{16\pi^2} N_F g_3^4 \right], \\ \delta_L^m &= \delta_E^m = \delta_{H_D}^m = 0, \\ \delta_{H_U}^m &= -\frac{1}{8\pi^2} \left[6y_t^2 \frac{1}{16\pi^2} (3\lambda_U^2 + \lambda_D^2) \right], \end{aligned} \quad (\text{A.5})$$

Expressions for the first two generation squarks can be obtained by simply removing the y_t^2 terms.

- Gauge mediation-type contributions:

the gauge mediation part given by

$$\delta^G + \delta^3 = -\frac{\partial^2}{\partial \ln |X|^2} \ln Z = -\frac{\partial^2}{\partial \ln |X|^2} Z + \left| \frac{\partial Z}{\partial \ln |X|} \right|^2. \quad (\text{A.6})$$

The sums of the discontinuity are

$$\begin{aligned} \sum \Delta \left(\frac{\partial G^Q}{\partial Z_a} \right) G_a &= \frac{1}{8\pi^2} [\lambda_U^2 (G_{\lambda_U} - G_Q) + \lambda_D^2 (G_{\lambda_D} - G_Q)], \\ \sum \Delta \left(\frac{\partial G^U}{\partial Z_a} \right) G_a &= \frac{1}{8\pi^2} [2\lambda_U^2 (G_{\lambda_U} - G_U)], \\ \sum \Delta \left(\frac{\partial G^D}{\partial Z_a} \right) G_a &= \frac{1}{8\pi^2} [2\lambda_D^2 (G_{\lambda_D} - G_D)], \\ \sum \Delta \left(\frac{\partial G^L}{\partial Z_a} \right) G_a &= \frac{1}{8\pi^2} [\lambda_L^2 (G_{\lambda_L} - G_L)], \\ \sum \Delta \left(\frac{\partial G^E}{\partial Z_a} \right) G_a &= \frac{1}{8\pi^2} [\lambda_U^2 (G_{\lambda_U} - G_E)], \end{aligned} \quad (\text{A.7})$$

with $G_{\lambda_U}^U = G_Q^U + G_U^U + G_{X_u}^U$ and $G_{\lambda_D}^U = G_Q^U + G_D^U + G_{X_d}^U$ the anomalous dimension for λ_U and λ_D above the threshold. So we can obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \delta_Q^G &= \frac{1}{8\pi^2} \left[y_t^2 \frac{\Delta G_{y_t}}{2} - \lambda_U^2 G_{\lambda_U}^{TU} - \lambda_D^2 G_{\lambda_D}^{TU} \right], \\ \delta_U^G &= \frac{1}{8\pi^2} \left[2y_t^2 \frac{\Delta G_{y_t}}{2} - 2\lambda_U^2 G_{\lambda_U}^{TU} \right], \\ \delta_D^G &= \frac{1}{8\pi^2} [-2\lambda_D^2 G_{\lambda_D}^{TU}], \\ \delta_L^G &= \frac{1}{8\pi^2} [-\lambda_L^2 G_{\lambda_L}^{TU}], \\ \delta_E^G &= \frac{1}{8\pi^2} [-2\lambda_U^2 G_{\lambda_U}^{TU}], \\ \delta_{H_D}^G &= 0, \\ \delta_{H_U}^G &= \frac{1}{8\pi^2} \left[3y_t^2 \frac{\Delta G_{y_t}}{2} - 3\lambda_U^2 G_{\lambda_U}^{TU} \right], \end{aligned} \quad (\text{A.8})$$

The index TU denotes the value upon the messenger threshold. We list their expressions:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\Delta G_{y_t}}{2} &= -\frac{1}{8\pi^2} (3\lambda_U^2 + \lambda_D^2), \\ \frac{\Delta G_{y_b}}{2} &= -\frac{1}{8\pi^2} (\lambda_U^2 + 3\lambda_D^2), \\ G_{\lambda_U}^{TU} &= -\frac{1}{8\pi^2} \left(6\lambda_U^2 + \lambda_D^2 + 3y_t^2 - \frac{16}{3}g_3^2 \right), \\ G_{\lambda_D}^{TU} &= -\frac{1}{8\pi^2} \left(6\lambda_D^2 + \lambda_U^2 + \lambda_L^2 + y_t^2 - \frac{16}{3}g_3^2 \right), \\ G_{\lambda_L}^{TU} &= -\frac{1}{8\pi^2} (4\lambda_L^2 + 3\lambda_D^2). \end{aligned} \quad (\text{A.9})$$

There are other terms from ordinary GMSB part with

$$\delta^3 = \Delta\beta_{g_r} \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial g_r} G^{TD} \right) = \frac{1}{8\pi^2} 2c_r 2g_r \frac{N_F}{16\pi^2} g_r^3. \quad (\text{A.10})$$

Note that the change of the beta function is $\Delta\beta_g = N_F$.

$$\begin{aligned} \delta_Q^3 &= \delta_U^3 = \delta_D^3 = \frac{N_F}{(8\pi^2)^2} \left[\frac{8}{3} g_3^4 \right], \\ \delta_L^3 &= \delta_E^3 = \delta_{H_D}^3 = \delta_{H_U}^3 \approx 0. \end{aligned} \quad (\text{A.11})$$

In the previous expressions, we keep the terms involving only g_3 .

- Pure anomaly contributions:

$$\delta^A = -\frac{\partial^2}{\partial \ln |X|^2} \ln Z = -\frac{\partial^2}{\partial \ln |X|^2} Z + \left| \frac{\partial Z}{\partial \ln |X|} \right|^2. \quad (\text{A.12})$$

So we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \delta_Q^A &= -\frac{1}{8\pi^2} [y_t^2 G_{y_t} + y_b^2 G_{y_b}] - \frac{1}{4\pi^2} \left[\frac{1}{30} b_1 \alpha_1^2 + \frac{3}{2} b_2 \alpha_2^2 + \frac{8}{3} b_3 \alpha_3^2 \right], \\ &\approx \frac{1}{(8\pi^2)^2} \left[y_t^2 \left(6y_t^2 - \frac{16}{3} g_3^2 \right) \right] - \frac{1}{4\pi^2} \frac{8}{3} b_3 \alpha_3^2, \\ \delta_U^A &= -\frac{1}{8\pi^2} [2y_t^2 G_{y_t}] - \frac{1}{4\pi^2} \left[\frac{8}{15} b_1 \alpha_1^2 + \frac{8}{3} b_3 \alpha_3^2 \right], \\ &\approx \frac{1}{(8\pi^2)^2} \left[2y_t^2 \left(6y_t^2 - \frac{16}{3} g_3^2 \right) \right] - \frac{1}{4\pi^2} \frac{8}{3} b_3 \alpha_3^2, \\ \delta_D^A &\approx -\frac{1}{4\pi^2} \frac{8}{3} b_3 \alpha_3^2, \\ \delta_{H_u}^A &= \frac{1}{(8\pi^2)^2} 3y_t^2 \left(6y_t^2 - \frac{16}{3} g_3^2 \right), \\ \delta_L^A &= \delta_E^A = \delta_{H_d}^A \approx 0. \end{aligned} \quad (\text{A.13})$$

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