

Cosmic Large-scale Structure Formations

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18 weeks

Background (1 w)

- universe geometry and matter components (1 hr)
- Standard candle (SNIa) (0.5 hr)
- Standard ruler (BAO) (0.5 hr)

Linear perturbation (9 w)

- relativistic treatment perturbation (2 hr)
- primordial power spectrum (2 hr)
- linear growth rate (2 hr)
- galaxy 2-pt correlation function (2 hr)
- Baryon Acoustic Oscillation (BAO) (2 hr)
- Redshift Space Distortion (RSD) (2 hr)
- Weak Lensing (2 hr)
- Einstein-Boltzmann codes (2 hr)

outline

Non-linear perturbation (6 w)

- Non-linear power spectrum (2 hr)
- halo model (2 hr)
- N-body simulation algorithms (2 hr)
- Press-Schechter (PS) halo mass function (2 hr)
- Extended-PS (EPS) halo mass function (2 hr)
- halo bias & halo density profile (2 hr)

Statistical analysis (2 w)

- Monte-Carlo Markov Chain sampler (2 hr)
- CosmoMC use (2 hr)

Lecture2

CP:

For a **co-moving observer**, on the **large** scale, the universe is **homogenous** and **isotropic**.

we model the matter distribution via a fluid approach

$$\rho(t), P(t), a(t) \quad (\text{symmetry simplify the system})$$

on the **small** scale, the universe is **inhomogeneous** and **anisotropic**

on the perturbation level, we **break** the above symmetry

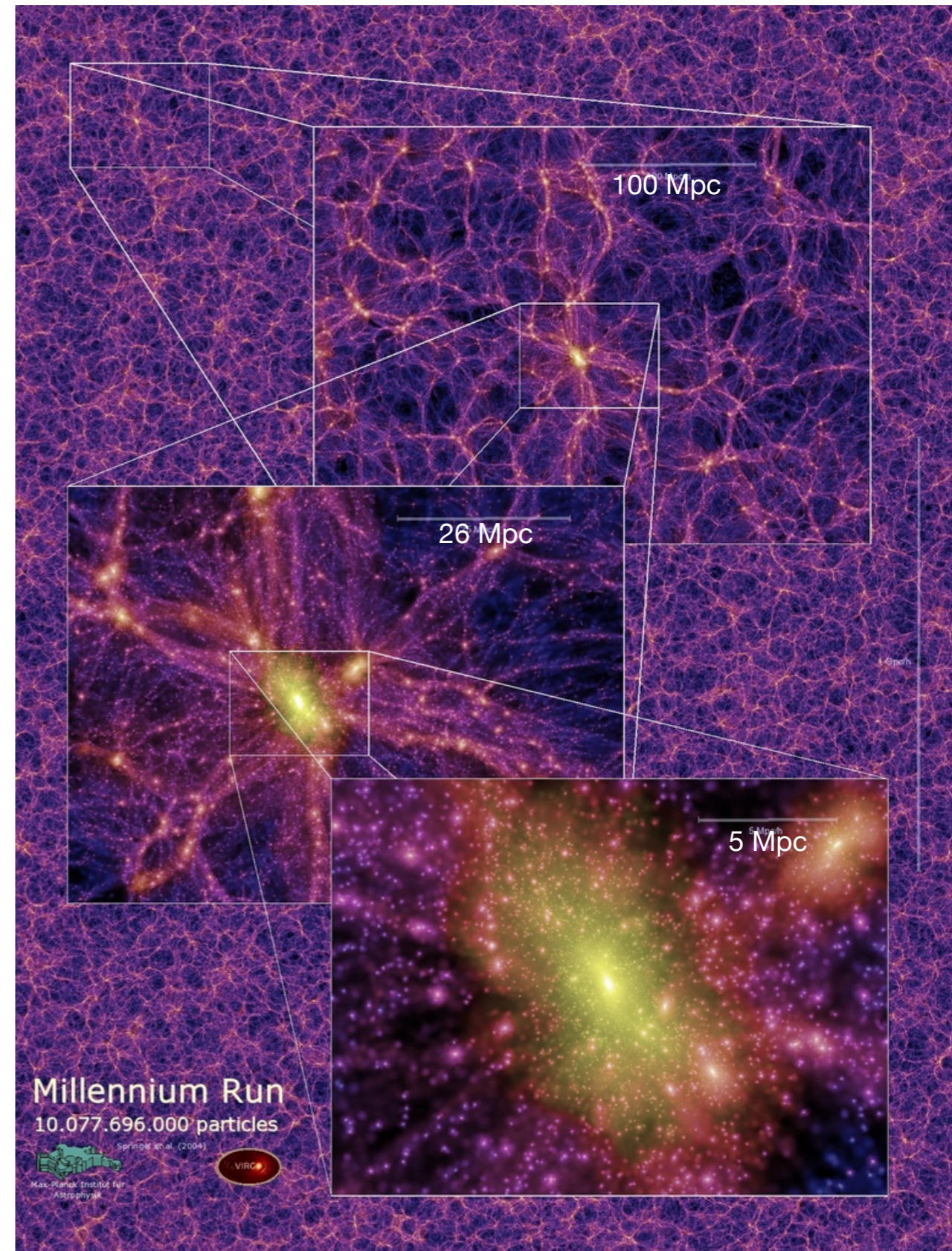
bad: the system is hard to solve



good: fruitful phenomena



$$\begin{aligned}\rho(t, \mathbf{x}) &= \rho_0(t) (1 + \delta_\epsilon(t, \mathbf{x})) \\ \mathbf{v}(t, \mathbf{x}) &= \mathbf{v}_0(t, \mathbf{x}) + \delta\mathbf{v}(t, \mathbf{x}) \\ p(t, \mathbf{x}) &= p_0(t) + \delta p(t, \mathbf{x}),\end{aligned}$$



7. Newton perturbation theory

$$\Phi \sim \Psi \sim \delta \sim v \ll 1$$

ignore entropy fluct. $\rightarrow \dot{S} + (\mathbf{v} \cdot \nabla)S = 0$
 $p = p(\rho, S)$

$$\nabla_{\mu} T^{\mu\nu} = 0$$

$$\partial_t \rho = -\nabla_r \cdot (\rho \mathbf{u})$$

continuity eq.

$$(\partial_t + \mathbf{u} \cdot \nabla_r) \mathbf{u} = -\frac{\nabla_r P}{\rho} - \nabla_r \Phi$$

Euler eq.

$$\nabla^2 \Phi = 4\pi G \delta \rho$$

Poisson eq.

$$w = P/\rho$$

EoS

$$c_s^2 = \delta P / \delta \rho$$

speed of sound

in a static background:

$$\delta \ddot{\rho} - c_s^2 \nabla^2 \delta \rho - 4\pi G \bar{\rho} \delta \rho = 0$$

(derive this eq.)

$\delta \rho$ can not collapse below $c_s^2 k^2 = 4\pi G \bar{\rho}$

$$\delta \ddot{\rho} + c_s^2 k^2 \delta \rho - 4\pi G \bar{\rho} \delta \rho = 0$$

DM: $c_s^2 = 0$

Jeans scale

Linear perturbation theory predict: DM is able to collapse to singularity

$$\ddot{\delta} - 4\pi G \delta = 0$$

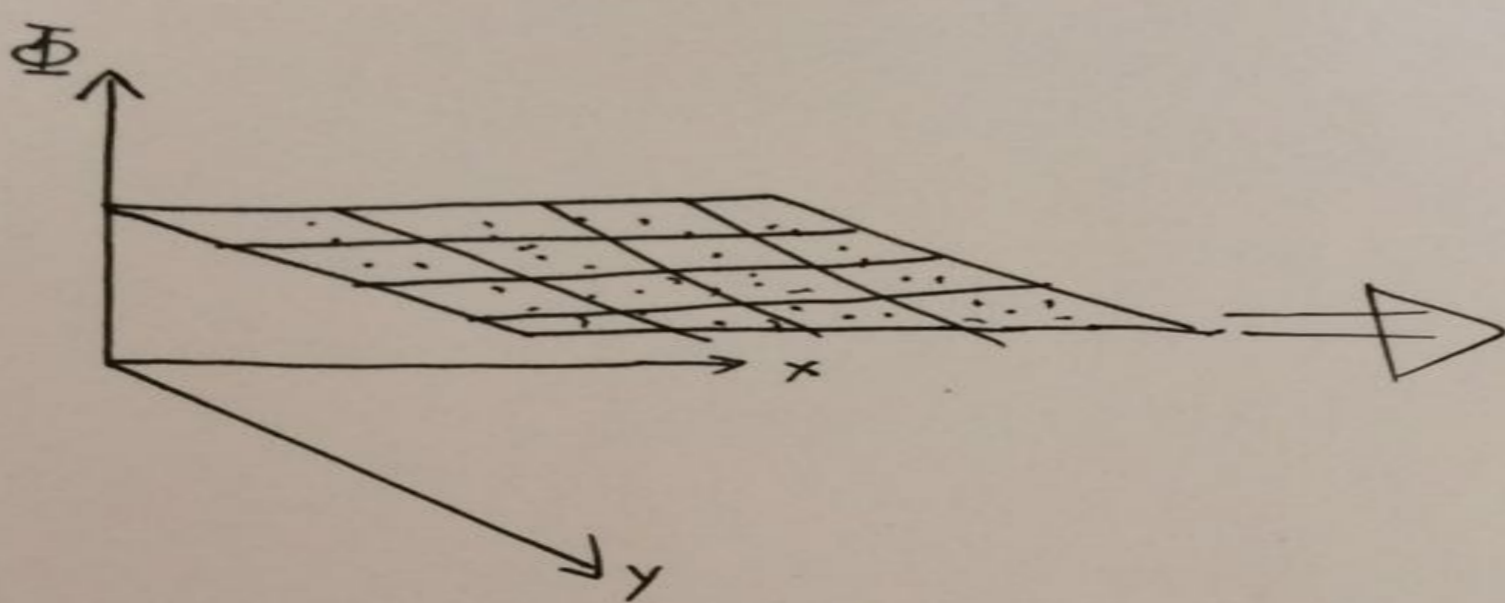
↓ exponentially grows

$$\delta = \delta_0 e^{\sqrt{4\pi G}(t-t_0)}$$

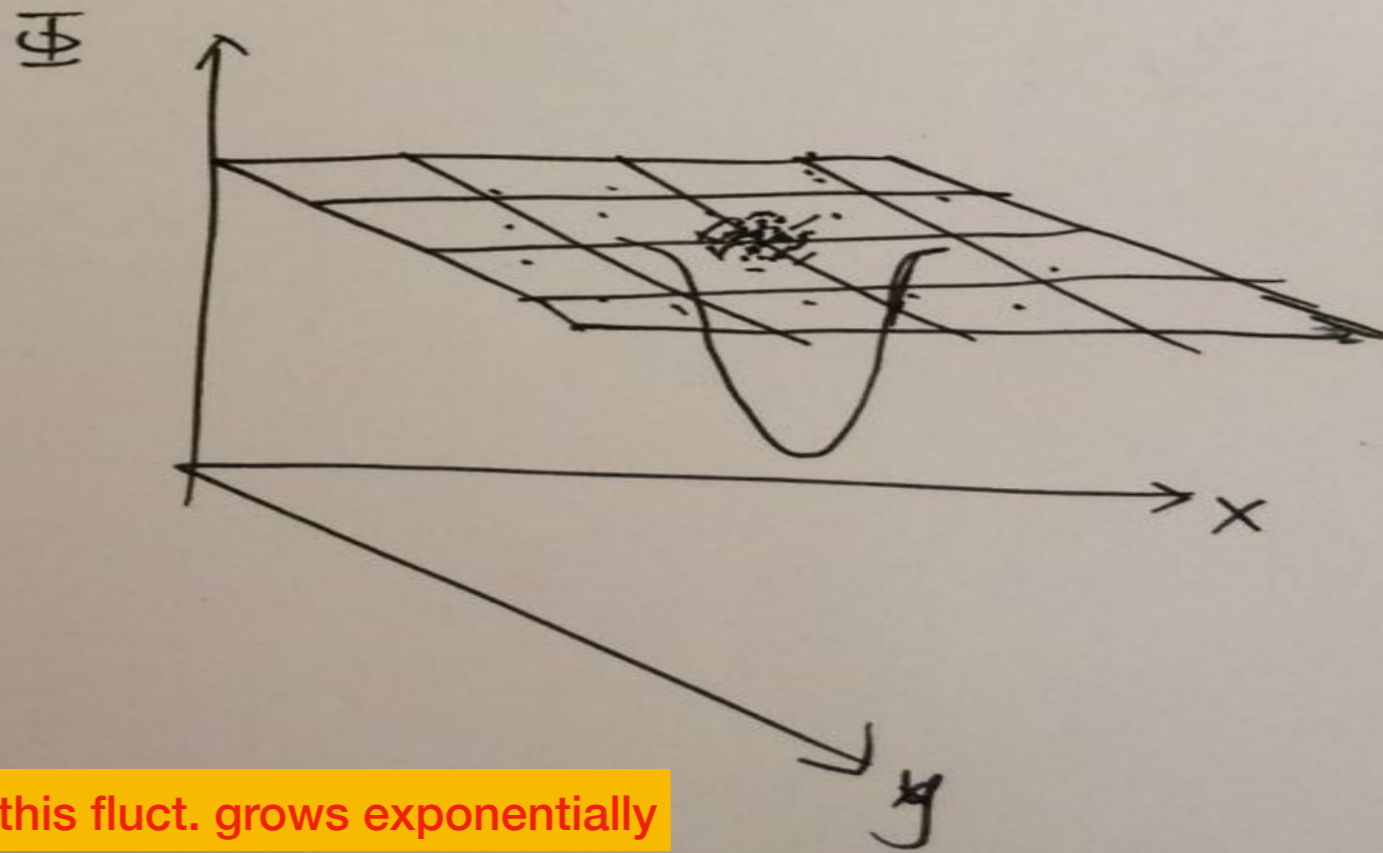
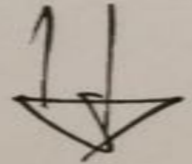
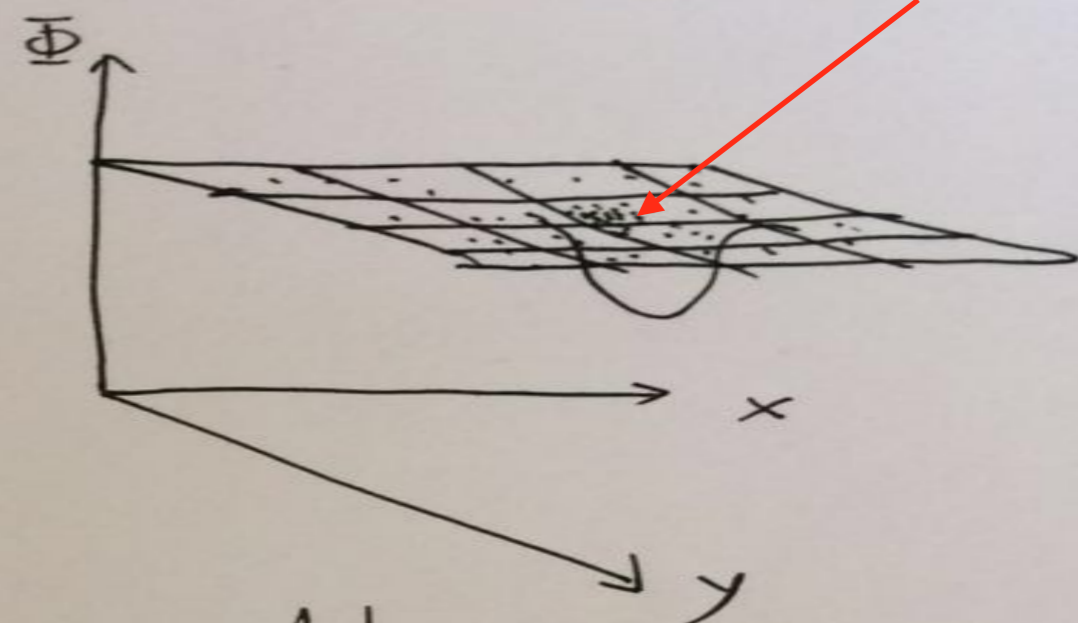
this solution is valid until $\delta \rightarrow O(1)$

Physical picture

due to unknown reasons, there is a small fluct. @ p



Beginning matter is uniformly distributed



this fluct. grows exponentially

in the expanding background

$$\mathbf{r}(t) = a(t)\mathbf{x}$$

$$\mathbf{u}(t) = \dot{\mathbf{r}} = H\mathbf{r} + \mathbf{v} \quad (\text{deriv})$$

$$\nabla_{\mathbf{r}} = a^{-1}\nabla_{\mathbf{x}} \quad (\text{deriv})$$

The relationship between time derivatives at fixed \mathbf{r} and at fixed \mathbf{x} is

$$\begin{aligned} \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial t}\right)_{\mathbf{r}} &= \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial t}\right)_{\mathbf{x}} + \left(\frac{\partial \mathbf{x}}{\partial t}\right)_{\mathbf{r}} \cdot \nabla_{\mathbf{x}} = \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial t}\right)_{\mathbf{x}} + \left(\frac{\partial a^{-1}(t)\mathbf{r}}{\partial t}\right)_{\mathbf{r}} \cdot \nabla_{\mathbf{x}} \\ &= \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial t}\right)_{\mathbf{x}} - H\mathbf{x} \cdot \nabla_{\mathbf{x}} \quad (\text{deriv}) \end{aligned}$$

continuity eq.

$$\frac{\partial \bar{\rho}}{\partial t} + 3H\bar{\rho} = 0 \quad \longrightarrow \quad \text{background} \quad \boxed{\dot{\delta} = -\frac{1}{a}\nabla \cdot \mathbf{v}} \quad (\text{deriv}) \quad \longrightarrow \quad \text{linear}$$

Euler eq.

$$\text{NULL} \quad \longrightarrow \quad \text{background} \quad \text{[Pb1.]} \quad \boxed{\dot{\mathbf{v}} + H\mathbf{v} = -\frac{1}{a\bar{\rho}}\nabla\delta P - \frac{1}{a}\nabla\delta\Phi} \quad \longrightarrow \quad \text{linear}$$

[Pb2.]

$$\boxed{\ddot{\delta} + 2H\dot{\delta} - \frac{c_s^2}{a^2}\nabla^2\delta = 4\pi G\bar{\rho}\delta}$$

background expansion slow down the collapsing process

V.S.

$$\boxed{\ddot{\delta} - c_s^2\nabla^2\delta - 4\pi G\delta = 0}$$

exponential \longrightarrow power-law

e.g. MD

$$H = 2/(3t) \quad 4\pi G\bar{\rho} = 3H^2/2$$

[Pb3.]

derive δ_m in RD and dS

$$\delta_m \propto \begin{cases} t^{-1} \propto a^{-3/2} & \longrightarrow \text{decaying} \\ t^{2/3} \propto a & \longrightarrow \text{growing} \quad (\text{check}) \end{cases}$$

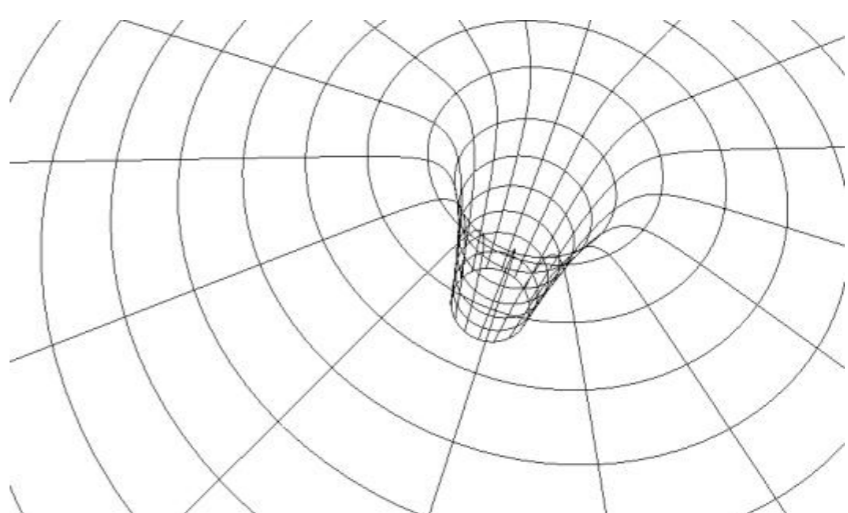
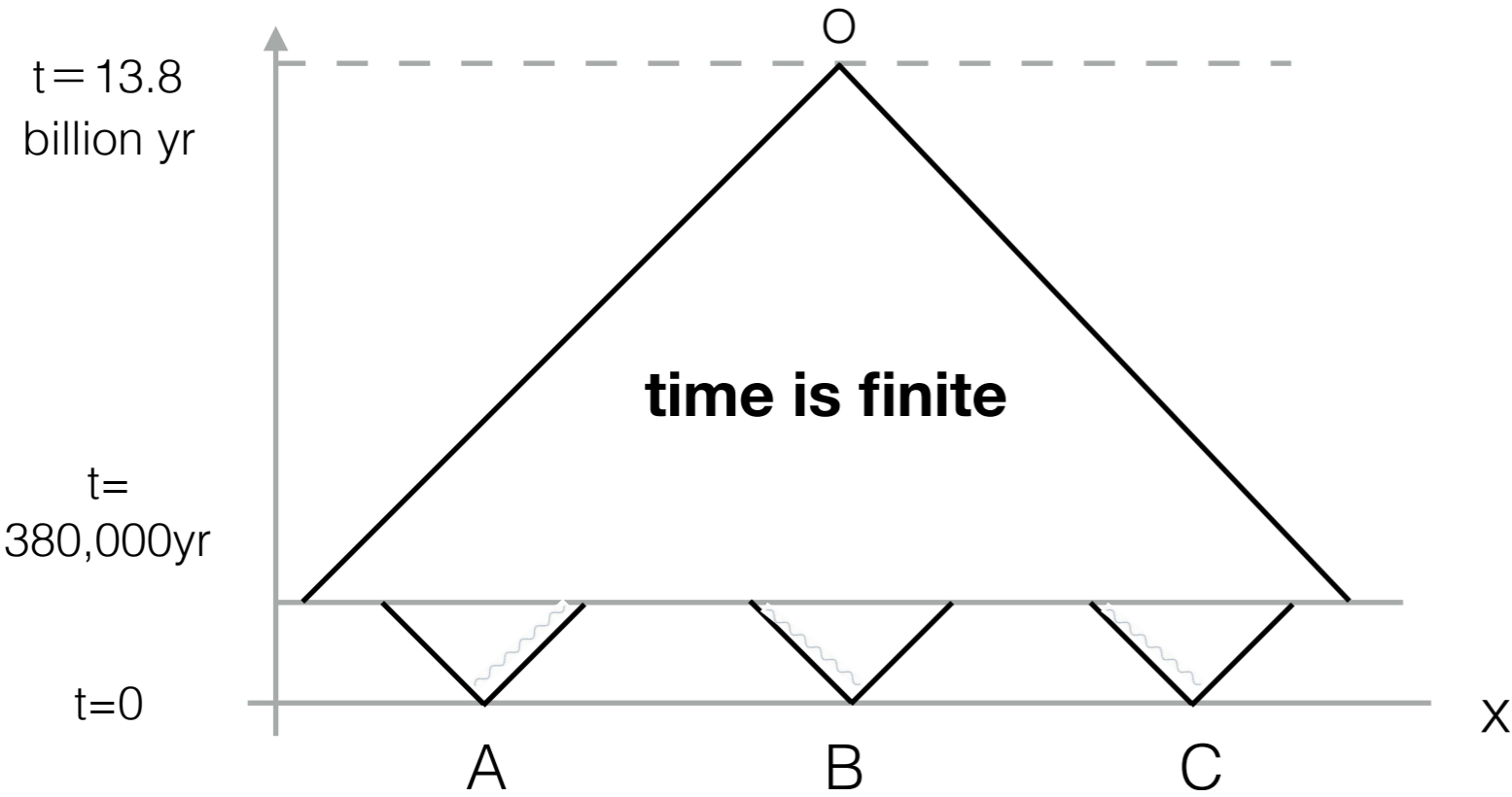
Newtonian Theory is failed

$v/c \sim 1$

$\lambda \gg 1/H \quad (k \ll \mathcal{H})$

Hubble horizon

(size of the observable patch in the universe)



unlike bh horizon

1. we live inside of the cosmic horizon vs. we live outside of bh horizon
2. finite time vs. infinite time

~~8. Relativistic perturbation theory~~

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unlike Newtonian theory, GR starts from the metric field

$$g_{\mu\nu} = \bar{g}_{\mu\nu} + \delta g_{\mu\nu}$$

$$ds^2 = a^2(\tau) \left[d\tau^2 - \delta_{ij} dx^i dx^j \right]$$

$$ds^2 = a^2(\tau) \left[(1 + 2A) d\tau^2 - 2B_i dx^i d\tau - (\delta_{ij} + h_{ij}) dx^i dx^j \right]$$

$$B_i = \underbrace{\partial_i B}_{\text{scalar}} + \underbrace{\hat{B}_i}_{\text{vector}}$$

$$h_{ij} = \underbrace{2C\delta_{ij} + 2\partial_{\langle i}\partial_{j\rangle} E}_{\text{scalar}} + \underbrace{2\partial_{(i}\hat{E}_{j)}}_{\text{vector}} + \underbrace{2\hat{E}_{ij}}_{\text{tensor}}$$

decompose $\delta g_{\mu\nu}$ into scalar, vector, tensor according to SO(3) rotation group

$$\hat{E}^i{}_i = 0$$

(traceless)

$$\partial^i \hat{E}_{ij} = 0$$

(transverse)

$$\partial_{\langle i}\partial_{j\rangle} E \equiv \left(\partial_i\partial_j - \frac{1}{3}\delta_{ij}\nabla^2 \right) E$$

$$\partial_{(i}\hat{E}_{j)} \equiv \frac{1}{2} \left(\partial_i\hat{E}_j + \partial_j\hat{E}_i \right)$$

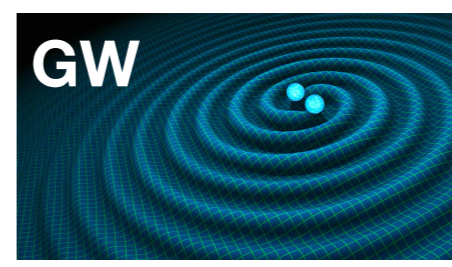
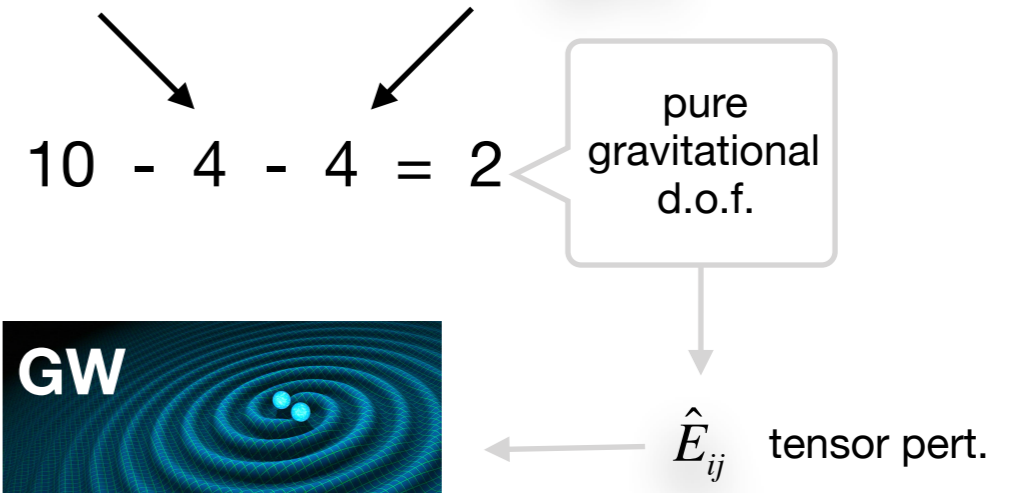
- scalars: A, B, C, E
- vectors: \hat{B}_i, \hat{E}_i
- tensors: \hat{E}_{ij}

$$\delta g_{\mu\nu} = \left\{ \begin{array}{cccc} 00 & 01 & 02 & 03 \\ & 11 & 12 & 13 \\ & & 22 & 23 \\ & & & 33 \end{array} \right\} \quad d.o.f. = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} s = 4 \\ v = 6 - 2 = 4 \\ t = 6 - 1 - 3 = 2 \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\nabla^\mu G_{\mu\nu} = 0$$

(Bianchi identity)

choosing a coordinate frame $\{x^\mu\}$



scalar & vector pert. are just the reaction of the gravity to matter sector

e.g. $\nabla^2 \Phi = 4\pi G \delta\rho$

However, tensor pert. can exist even in the matter vacuum!

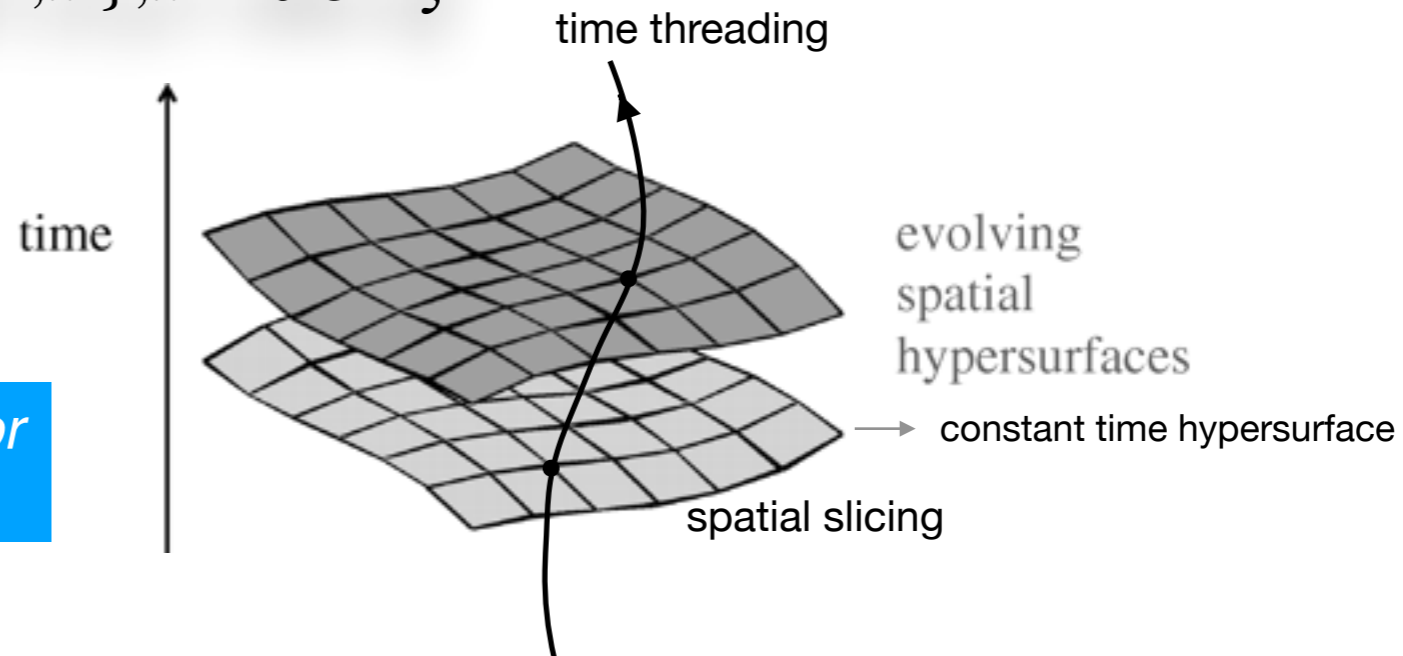
A pure gravitational phenomena.

gauge fixing \iff choosing coordinate

$$x^\mu = \{x^0, x^i\}, x^i = \partial^i \varepsilon + \xi^i$$

$$d.o.f. = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} s = 4 - 2 = 2 \\ v = 4 - 2 = 2 \\ t = 2 \end{array} \right\}$$

Theorem: At linear order, scalar/vector/tensor pert. are completely decoupled.



In FRWL background evolution, vector pert. only have decaying mode, so cosmologically irrelevant.

From now on, we only consider scalar & tensor pert. Comparing scalar & tensor pert, signal from scalar > tensor

Mathematically, scalar is more complicated than tensor. Because tensor is gauge invariant, why?

[gauge/coordinate transformation, does not involve tensor. Hence, tensor mode is free of gauge issue]

$$d.o.f. = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} s = 4 - 2 = 2 \\ \cancel{v = 4 - 2 = 2} \\ \cancel{t = 2} \end{array} \right\}$$

scalar mode gauge fixing

- *Newtonian gauge.*—The choice

$$B = E = 0,$$

gives the metric

$$ds^2 = a^2(\tau) [(1 + 2\Psi)d\tau^2 - (1 - 2\Phi)\delta_{ij}dx^i dx^j].$$

2 commonly used gauge

- *synchronous gauge* (a frame co-moving with cosmic fluid)

$$ds^2 = a^2 [d\tau^2 - (\delta_{ij} + h_{ij})dx^i dx^j]$$

$$A = B = 0$$

$$h_{ij} = 2C\delta_{ij} + 2\partial_{\langle i}\partial_{j\rangle} E$$

gauge transformation

Consider the coordinate transformation

$$X^\mu \mapsto \tilde{X}^\mu \equiv X^\mu + \xi^\mu(\tau, \mathbf{x}), \quad \xi^0 \equiv T, \quad \xi^i \equiv L^i = \partial^i L + \hat{L}^i$$

$$ds^2 = g_{\mu\nu}(X)dX^\mu dX^\nu = \tilde{g}_{\alpha\beta}(\tilde{X})d\tilde{X}^\alpha d\tilde{X}^\beta \quad g_{\mu\nu}(X) = \frac{\partial \tilde{X}^\alpha}{\partial X^\mu} \frac{\partial \tilde{X}^\beta}{\partial X^\nu} \tilde{g}_{\alpha\beta}(\tilde{X})$$

[Pb4.]

ref: Baumann lecture eq. (4.2.48)~(4.2.60)

gauge-inv variables

(Bardeen potential)

$$\Psi \equiv A + \mathcal{H}(B - E') + (B - E)'$$

$$\Phi \equiv -C - \mathcal{H}(B - E') + \frac{1}{3}\nabla^2 E \quad (\text{check})$$

A & C in conformal Newtonian gauge, equals Ψ & Φ , respectively.

$$\begin{aligned} A &\mapsto A - T' - \mathcal{H}T, \\ B &\mapsto B + T - L', \\ C &\mapsto C - \mathcal{H}T - \frac{1}{3}\nabla^2 L, \\ E &\mapsto E - L, \end{aligned}$$

$$\hat{B}_i \mapsto \hat{B}_i - \hat{L}'_i,$$

$$\hat{E}_i \mapsto \hat{E}_i - \hat{L}_i,$$

gauge-inv

$$\hat{E}_{ij} \mapsto \hat{E}_{ij}$$

$$T^\mu{}_\nu = \bar{T}^\mu{}_\nu + \delta T^\mu{}_\nu \quad \bar{T}^\mu{}_\nu = (\bar{\rho} + \bar{P})\bar{U}^\mu\bar{U}_\nu - \bar{P}\delta^\mu{}_\nu \quad \bar{U}_\mu = a\delta^0_\mu, \bar{U}^\mu = a^{-1}\delta^0_\mu \text{ for a comoving observer.}$$

perfect fluid: no energy dissipation, can not conduct heat

perfect fluid does not exist in real life, but compare with honey, water can be treated as perfect fluid.

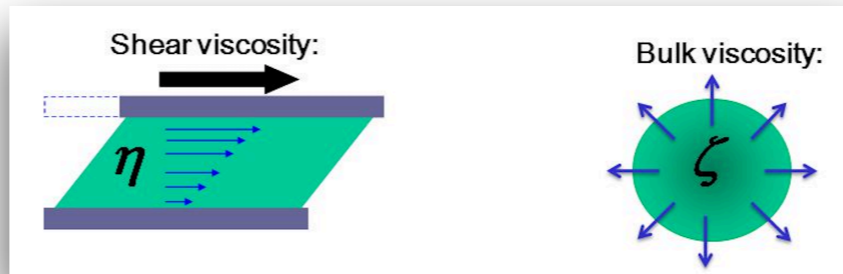
$$\delta T^\mu{}_\nu = (\delta\rho + \delta P)\bar{U}^\mu\bar{U}_\nu + (\bar{\rho} + \bar{P})(\delta U^\mu\bar{U}_\nu + \bar{U}^\mu\delta U_\nu) - \delta P\delta^\mu{}_\nu - \Pi^\mu{}_\nu \quad \text{shear-viscosity}$$

$$g_{\mu\nu}U^\mu U^\nu = 1$$

$$U^\mu = a^{-1}[1 - A, v^i] \quad (\text{deriv})$$

$$T_{vf}^{\mu\nu} = \rho u^\mu u^\nu + (p + p_b)\Delta^{\mu\nu} + \pi^{\mu\nu}$$

$$p_b = -\zeta \nabla_\mu u^\mu \quad \text{bulk-viscosity}$$



$P(\rho), P_b(\nabla u)$ P: describe the ability to do external work, the amount of work only depends on the initial & final config
 P_b : internal energy loss, the amount of energy loss depends also on the volume changing velocity

[Pb5.]

$$\begin{aligned} \delta T^0_0 &= \delta\rho, \\ \delta T^i_0 &= (\bar{\rho} + \bar{P})v^i, \\ \delta T^0_j &= -(\bar{\rho} + \bar{P})(v_j + B_j) \\ \delta T^i_j &= -\delta P\delta^i_j - \Pi^i_j. \end{aligned}$$

ref: Baumann lecture eq. (4.2.68)~(4.2.73)

$$T^\mu{}_\nu(X) = \frac{\partial X^\mu}{\partial \tilde{X}^\alpha} \frac{\partial \tilde{X}^\beta}{\partial X^\nu} \tilde{T}^\alpha{}_\beta(\tilde{X})$$

[Pb6.]

$$\begin{aligned} \delta\rho &\mapsto \delta\rho - T\bar{\rho}', \\ \delta P &\mapsto \delta P - T\bar{P}', \\ q_i &\mapsto q_i + (\bar{\rho} + \bar{P})L'_i \\ v_i &\mapsto v_i + L'_i, \\ \Pi_{ij} &\mapsto \Pi_{ij}. \end{aligned}$$

pert. classification

- adiabatic pert. \longrightarrow time delay

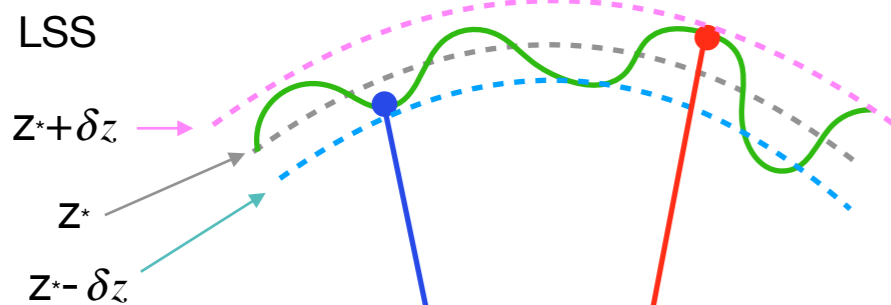
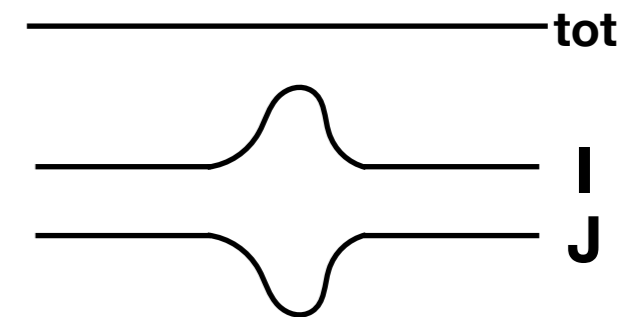
$$\delta\rho_I(\tau, \mathbf{x}) \equiv \bar{\rho}_I(\tau + \delta\tau(\mathbf{x})) - \bar{\rho}_I(\tau) = \bar{\rho}'_I \delta\tau(\mathbf{x})$$

$$\delta\tau = \frac{\delta\rho_I}{\bar{\rho}'_I} = \frac{\delta\rho_J}{\bar{\rho}'_J} \quad \text{for all species } I \text{ and } J$$

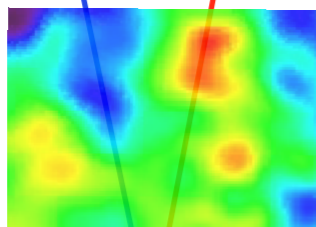
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- isocurvature/entropy pert.

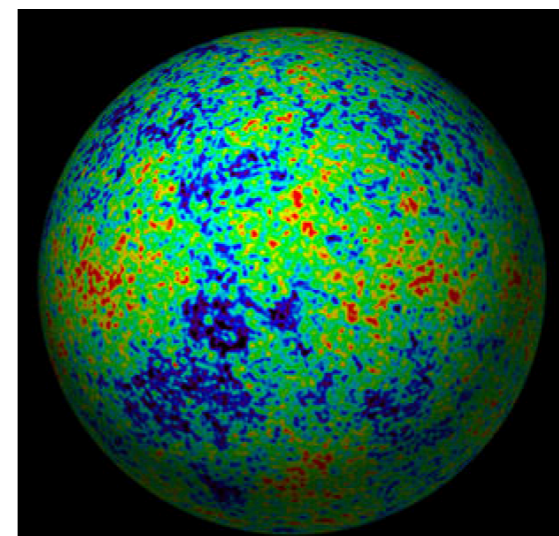
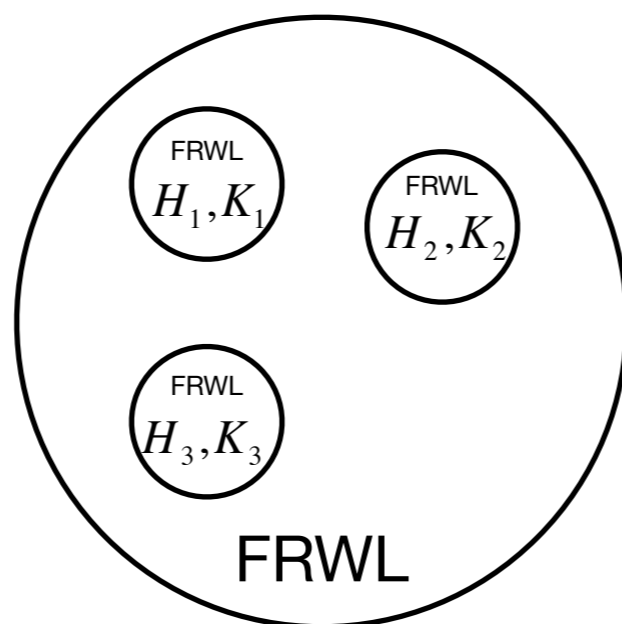
$$\delta P(\rho, s) = \frac{\partial P}{\partial \rho} \delta\rho + \frac{\partial P}{\partial s} \delta s$$



$$T \sim 1/(1+z)$$



separate universe assumption



Linearised Einstein eq.

$$\Gamma_{\nu\rho}^{\mu} = \frac{1}{2}g^{\mu\lambda} (\partial_{\nu}g_{\lambda\rho} + \partial_{\rho}g_{\lambda\nu} - \partial_{\lambda}g_{\nu\rho})$$

[Pb7.]

$$\Gamma_{00}^0 = \mathcal{H} + \Psi' , \text{ (deriv)}$$

$$\Gamma_{0i}^0 = \partial_i\Psi ,$$

$$\Gamma_{00}^i = \delta^{ij}\partial_j\Psi ,$$

$$\Gamma_{ij}^0 = \mathcal{H}\delta_{ij} - [\Phi' + 2\mathcal{H}(\Phi + \Psi)] \delta_{ij}$$

$$\Gamma_{j0}^i = \mathcal{H}\delta_j^i - \Phi'\delta_j^i ,$$

$$\Gamma_{jk}^i = -2\delta_{(j}^i\partial_{k)}\Phi + \delta_{jk}\delta^{il}\partial_l\Phi . \text{ (deriv)}$$

$$G_{\mu\nu} \equiv R_{\mu\nu} - \frac{1}{2}Rg_{\mu\nu}$$

$$R_{\mu\nu} = \partial_{\lambda}\Gamma_{\mu\nu}^{\lambda} - \partial_{\nu}\Gamma_{\mu\lambda}^{\lambda} + \Gamma_{\lambda\rho}^{\lambda}\Gamma_{\mu\nu}^{\rho} - \Gamma_{\mu\lambda}^{\rho}\Gamma_{\nu\rho}^{\lambda}$$

[Pb8.] $R_{00} = -3\mathcal{H}' + \nabla^2\Psi + 3\mathcal{H}(\Phi' + \Psi') + 3\Phi'' , \text{ (deriv)}$

$$R_{0i} = 2\partial_i\Phi' + 2\mathcal{H}\partial_i\Psi ,$$

$$R_{ij} = [\mathcal{H}' + 2\mathcal{H}^2 - \Phi'' + \nabla^2\Phi - 2(\mathcal{H}' + 2\mathcal{H}^2)(\Phi + \Psi) - \mathcal{H}\Psi' - 5\mathcal{H}\Phi'] \delta_{ij} \\ + \partial_i\partial_j(\Phi - \Psi) .$$

$$a^2R = -6(\mathcal{H}' + \mathcal{H}^2) + 2\nabla^2\Psi - 4\nabla^2\Phi + 12(\mathcal{H}' + \mathcal{H}^2)\Psi + 6\Phi'' + 6\mathcal{H}(\Psi' + 3\Phi') \text{ (deriv)}$$

[Pb9.]

$$G_{00} = 3\mathcal{H}^2 + 2\nabla^2\Phi - 6\mathcal{H}\Phi'$$

$$G_{0i} = 2\partial_i(\Phi' + \mathcal{H}\Psi)$$

$$G_{ij} = -(2\mathcal{H}' + \mathcal{H}^2)\delta_{ij} + [\nabla^2(\Psi - \Phi) + 2\Phi'' + 2(2\mathcal{H}' + \mathcal{H}^2)(\Phi + \Psi) + 2\mathcal{H}\Psi' + 4\mathcal{H}\Phi'] \delta_{ij} \\ + \partial_i\partial_j(\Phi - \Psi) . \quad (4.2.134)$$

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In these lectures, we won't encounter situations where anisotropic stress plays a significant role, so we will always be able to set $\Psi = \Phi$.

- The Einstein equations then are

[Pb10.]

$$\nabla^2\Phi - 3\mathcal{H}(\Phi' + \mathcal{H}\Phi) = 4\pi G a^2 \delta\rho , \quad (\text{deriv}) \quad (4.4.169)$$

$$\Phi' + \mathcal{H}\Phi = -4\pi G a^2 (\bar{\rho} + \bar{P})v , \quad (4.4.170)$$

$$\Phi'' + 3\mathcal{H}\Phi' + (2\mathcal{H}' + \mathcal{H}^2)\Phi = 4\pi G a^2 \delta P . \quad (4.4.171)$$

neglect time evolution term \downarrow $\Psi = \Phi$

Poisson eq. $\nabla^2\Psi = 4\pi G\delta\rho$

$$k < \mathcal{H} / \mathcal{L} > 1/\mathcal{H}$$

On the cosmic large scale, we do need relativity theory!

On the small scale, Newtonian theory works well!

$\mathcal{H}^{-1} \rightarrow$ co-moving Hubble radius

$$k > \mathcal{H} / \mathcal{L} < 1/\mathcal{H}$$

Further reading:

- **Baumann lecture note/chapter 4**
- **<https://arxiv.org/abs/hep-th/0306071v1>**

