

Inflation and reheating in the early Universe

Lecture #2

Introduction: observables in Hot Big Bang Theory

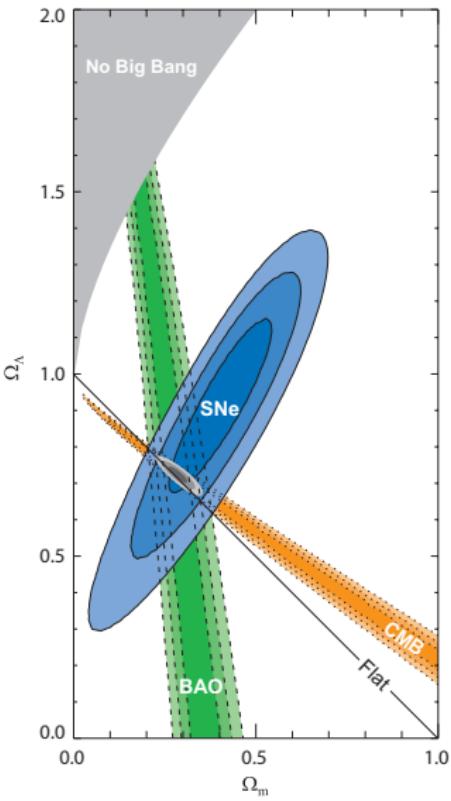
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Astrophysical and cosmological data are in agreement



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$$\rho_{\Lambda} = \text{const}$$

$$\frac{3H_0^2}{8\pi G} = \rho_{\text{density}}^{\text{energy}}(t_0) \equiv \rho_c \approx 0.53 \times 10^{-5} \frac{\text{GeV}}{\text{cm}^3}$$

radiation:

$$\Omega_\gamma \equiv \frac{\rho_\gamma}{\rho_c} = 0.5 \times 10^{-4}$$

Baryons (H, He):

$$\Omega_B \equiv \frac{\rho_B}{\rho_c} = 0.05$$

Neutrino:

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Dark energy:

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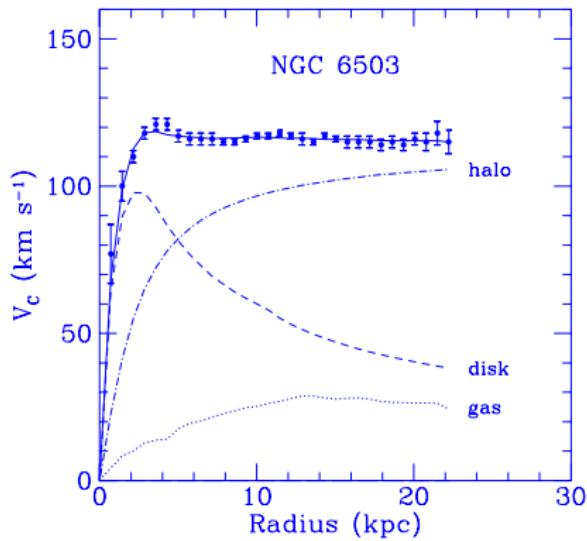
Why do we need dark components (within GR)?

- **Astrophysical data favor Dark Matter**
 - ▶ Observations in galaxies
 - ▶ Observations in galaxy clusters
- **Cosmological data favor Dark Matter and Dark Energy**
 - ▶ Observation of objects at cosmological distances (far=early)
 - ▶ Baryonic Acoustic (Sakharov) Oscillations (BAO) in two-point galaxy correlation function
 - ▶ Evolution of galaxy clusters in the Universe
 - ▶ Anisotropy of Cosmic Microwave Background (CMB)

Galactic dark halos: flat rotation curves

$$v(R) = \sqrt{G \frac{M(R)}{R}}$$

$$M(R) = 4\pi \int_0^R \rho(r) r^2 dr$$



observations:

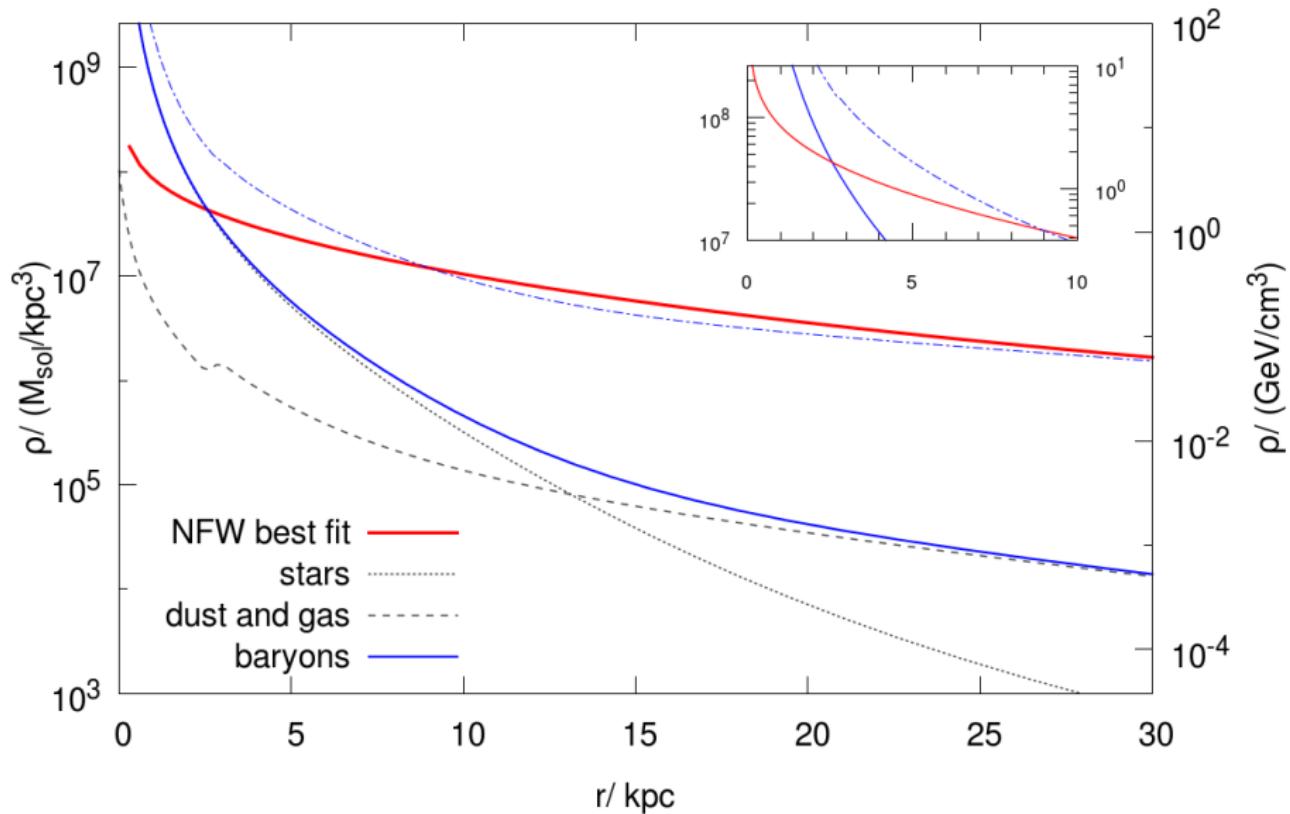
visible matter:

$$v(R) \simeq \text{const}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\text{internal regions } v(R) \propto \sqrt{R} \\ &\text{external ("empty") regions } v(R) \propto 1/\sqrt{R} \end{aligned}$$

Matter distribution in the Milky Way

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Dark Matter in clusters

X-rays from hot gas in clusters

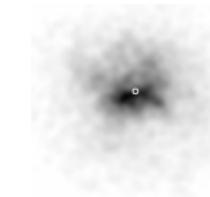
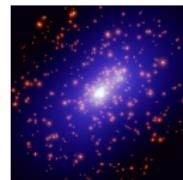
$$\frac{dP}{dR} = -\mu n_e(R) m_p \frac{GM(R)}{R^2}, \quad M(R) = 4\pi \int_0^R \rho(r) r^2 dr, \quad P(R) = n_e(R) T_e(R)$$

galaxies in clusters

virial theorem

$$U + 2E_k = 0$$

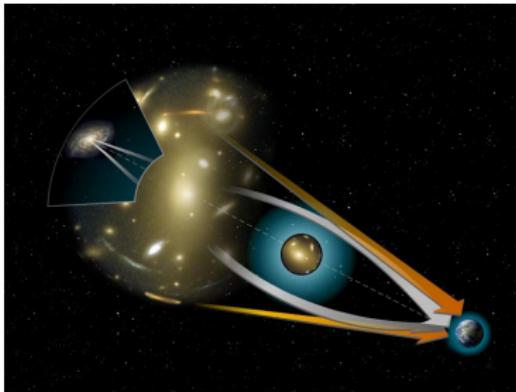
$$3M\langle v_r^2 \rangle = G \frac{M^2}{R}$$



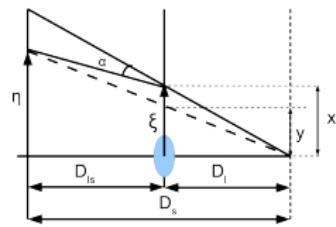
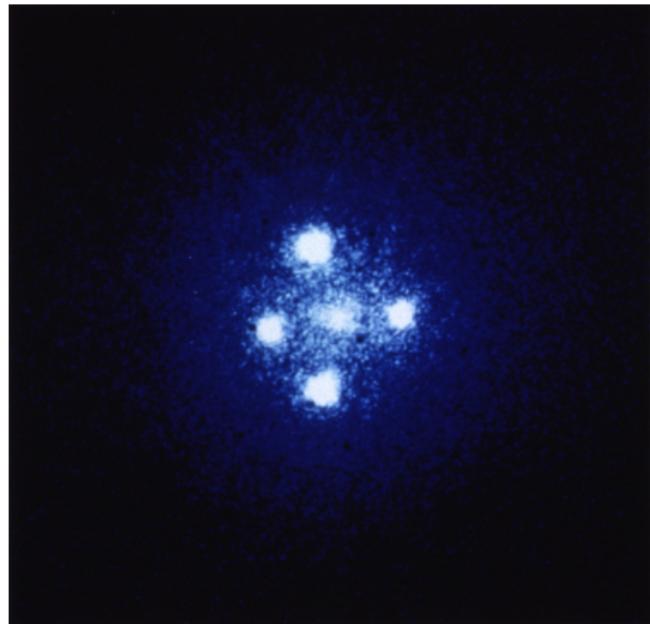
Milky Way: Virgo infall

Gravitational lensing in GR:

$$\alpha = 4GM/(c^2 b)$$



Einstein Cross



$$\vec{\eta} = \frac{D_s}{D_l} \vec{\xi} - D_{ls} \vec{\alpha}(\vec{\xi})$$

common lens
with specific
refraction
coefficient

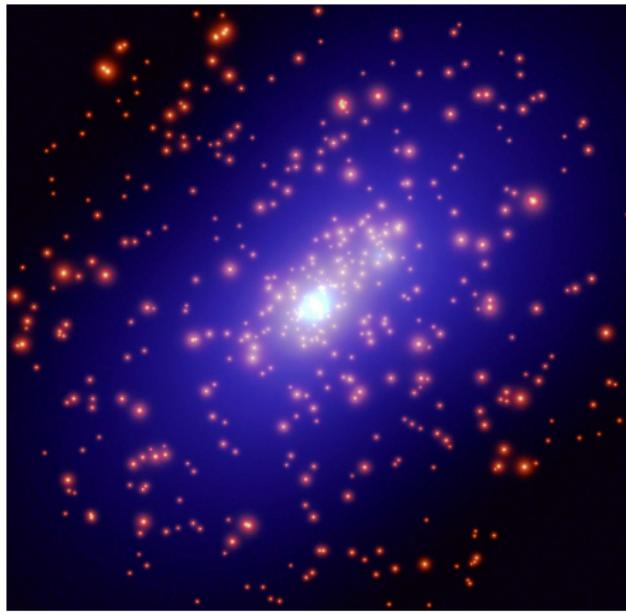
$$\vec{\alpha}(\vec{\xi}) = \frac{4G}{c} \int \frac{\vec{\xi} - \vec{\xi}'}{|\vec{\xi} - \vec{\xi}'|^2} d^2 \xi' \int p\left(\frac{\vec{\xi}'}{z}, z\right) dz$$

source: quasar $D_s = 2.4$ Gpc
lens: galaxy $D_l = 120$ Mpc

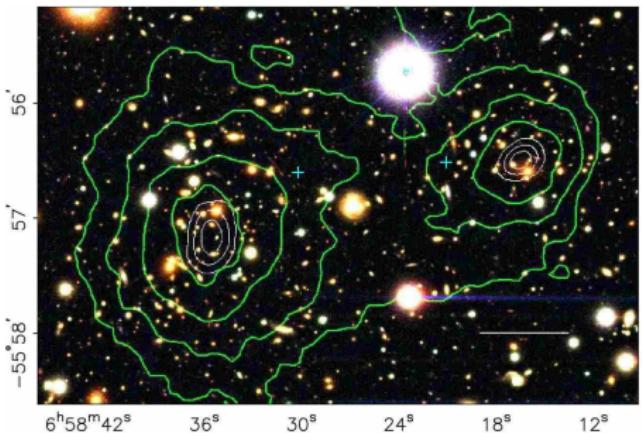
Dark Matter in clusters

gravitational lensing

$$\rho_B \approx 0.25 \rho_{DM}$$



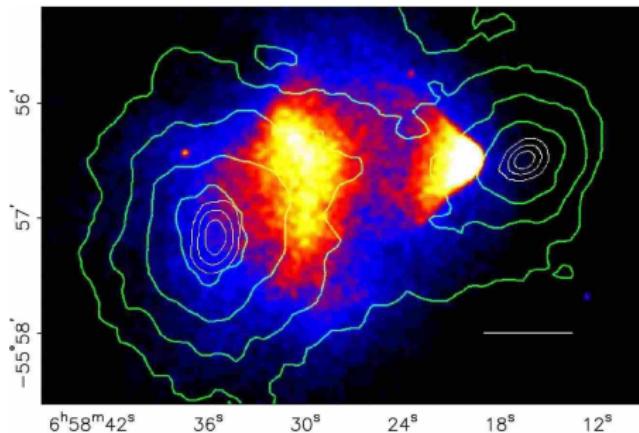
Colliding clusters (Bullet clusters 1E0657-558)



gravitational lensing

scale is 200 kpc

clusters are at 1.5 Gpc



Observations in X-rays
 $M \simeq 10 \times m$

Dark Matter Properties

$$p = 0$$

(If) particles:

- ① stable on cosmological time-scale
- ② nonrelativistic long before RD/MD-transition (either **Cold** or **Warm**, $v_{RD/MD} \lesssim 10^{-3}$)
- ③ (almost) collisionless
- ④ (almost) electrically neutral

If were in thermal equilibrium:

$$M_x \gtrsim 1 \text{ keV}$$

If not:

$$\lambda = 2\pi/(M_x v_x), \text{ in a galaxy } v_x \sim 0.5 \cdot 10^{-3} \longrightarrow M_x \gtrsim 3 \cdot 10^{-22} \text{ eV}$$

for bosons

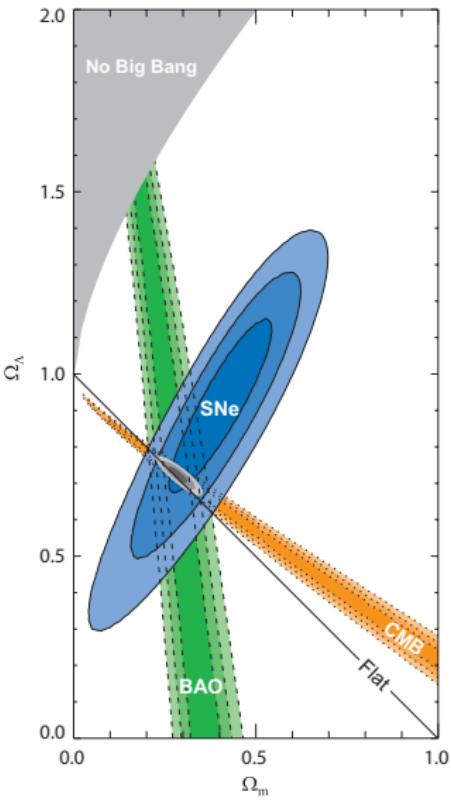
for fermions

Pauli blocking:

$$M_x \gtrsim 750 \text{ eV}$$

$$f(\mathbf{p}, \mathbf{x}) = \frac{\rho_x(\mathbf{x})}{M_x} \cdot \frac{1}{\left(\sqrt{2\pi} M_x v_x\right)^3} \cdot e^{-\frac{\mathbf{p}^2}{2M_x^2 v_x^2}} \Big|_{\mathbf{p}=0} \leq \frac{g_x}{(2\pi)^3}$$

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Determination of $a(t)$ reveals the composition of the present Universe

$$\Delta s^2 = c^2 \Delta t^2 - a^2(t) \Delta \vec{x}^2 \rightarrow ds^2 = g_{\mu\nu} dx^\mu dx^\nu$$

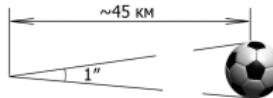
How do we check it?

Light propagation changes...

by measuring distance L to an object!

- Measuring angular size θ of an object of known size d

$$\theta = \frac{d}{L}$$



single-type galaxies

- Measuring angular size $\theta(t)$ corresponding to physical size $d(t)$ with known evolution
 - BAO in galaxy distribution
 - lensing of CMB anisotropy

$$\theta(t) = \frac{d(t)}{L}$$



- Measuring brightness J of an object of known luminosity F

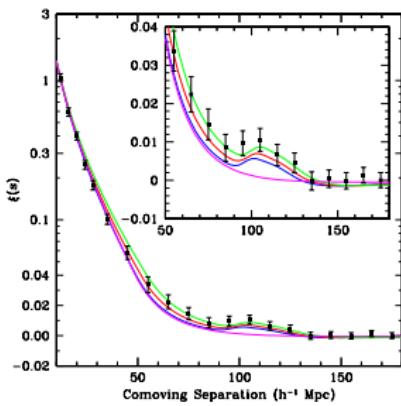
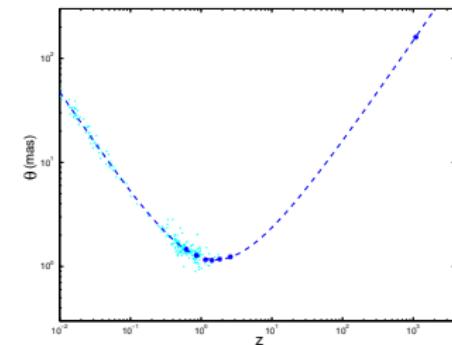
$$J = \frac{F}{4\pi L^2}$$



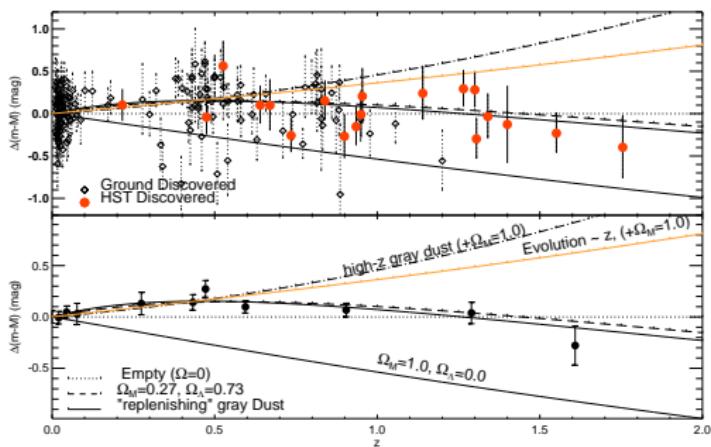
"standard candles"

In the expanding Universe all these laws get modified

Results of distance measurements



$$\Delta(m-M) = 5 \log \frac{r_{ph}}{r_{ph}(\Omega_c = 0.8, \Omega_M = 0.2)}$$



Key observable: matter perturbations

- CMB is isotropic, but “up to corrections, of course...”

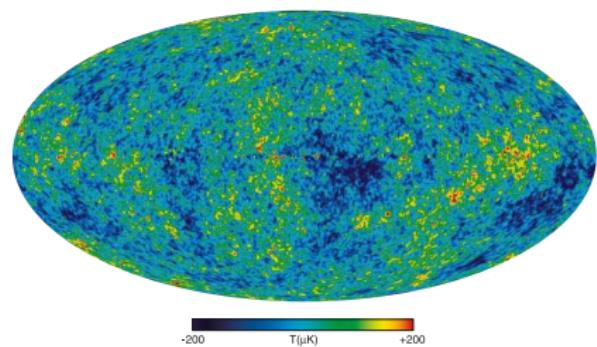
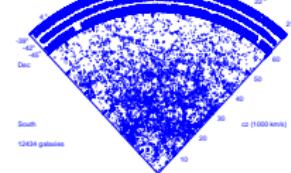
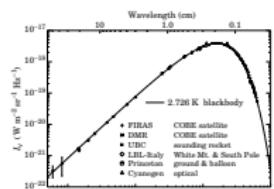
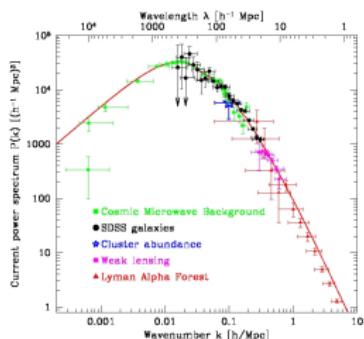
- Earth movement with respect to CMB

$$\frac{\Delta T_{\text{dipole}}}{T} \sim 10^{-3}$$

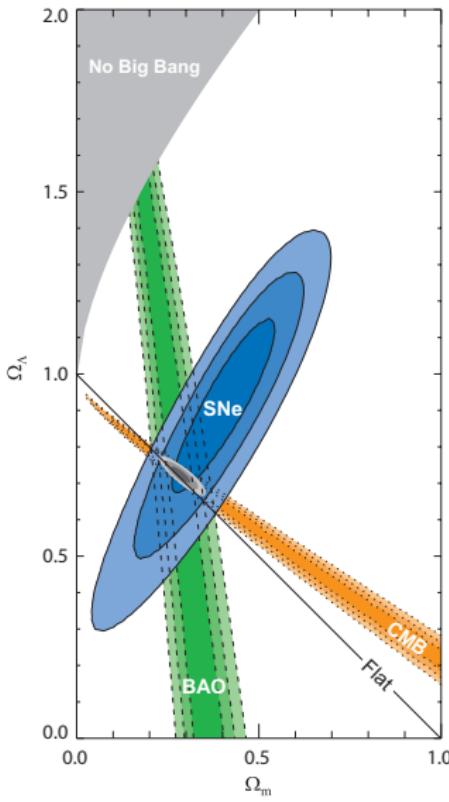
- More complex anisotropy!

$$\frac{\Delta T}{T} \sim 10^{-4} - 10^{-5}$$

- There were matter inhomogeneities $\Delta\rho/\rho \sim \Delta T/T$ at the stage of recombination ($e + p \rightarrow \gamma + H^*$)
- Jeans instability in the system of gravitating particles at rest $\Rightarrow \Delta\rho/\rho \nearrow$ \Rightarrow galaxies (CDM halos)



Dark Energy: nonclumping matter?



- estimates of Matter contribution confined in galaxies and clusters
 $\rho_c - \rho_M \neq 0$ but the Universe is flat, so
 $\rho_{curv} \simeq 0$
- corrections to the Hubble law : red shift – brightness curves for standard candles (SN Ia)
- The age of the Universe
- CMB anisotropy, large scale structures (galaxy clusters formation), etc

$$\rho_\Lambda = 0.68\rho_c$$

$$\rho_\Lambda \sim 10^{-5} \text{ GeV/cm}^3 \sim (10^{-11.5} \text{ GeV})^4$$

Dark Energy: all evidences are from cosmology

Working hypothesis is cosmological constant $\Lambda \approx (2.5 \times 10^{-3} \text{ eV})^4$:
 $p = w(t)\rho$, $w = \text{const} = -1$, $\rho = \Lambda$

$$S_\Lambda = -\Lambda \int d^4x \sqrt{-\det g_{\mu\nu}}$$

both parts contribute

$$S_{\text{grav}} = -\frac{1}{16\pi G} \int d^4x \sqrt{-\det g_{\mu\nu}} R,$$

$$S_{\text{matter}} = \int d^4x \sqrt{-\det g_{\mu\nu}} \left(\frac{1}{2} g^{\lambda\rho} \partial_\lambda \phi \partial_\rho \phi - V(\phi) \right)$$

natural values

$$\Lambda_{\text{grav}} \sim 1/G^2 \sim (10^{19} \text{ GeV})^4, \quad \Lambda_{\text{matter}} \sim V(\phi_{\text{vac}}) \sim (100 \text{ GeV})^4, (100 \text{ MeV})^4, \dots$$

Why Λ is small? Why $\Lambda \sim \rho_{\text{matter}}$? Why $\rho_B \sim \rho_{DM} \sim \rho_\Lambda$ today?

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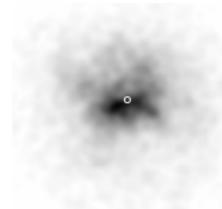
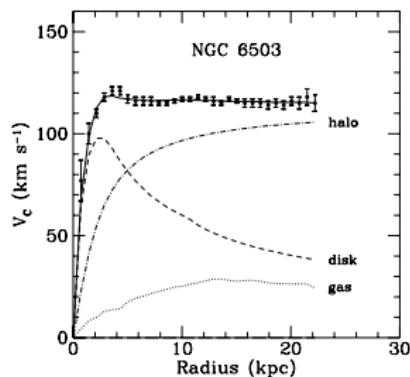
$$\rho_{\Lambda} = \text{const}$$

Why do we think it is most probably new particle physics
(new gravity if any is not enough) ?

DM at various spatial scales, BAU requires baryon number violation

Universe content from astrophysics

Rotational curves



X-rays from centers of galaxy clusters

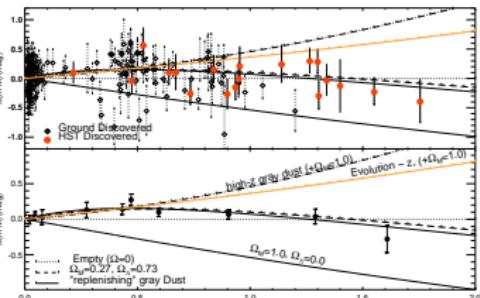
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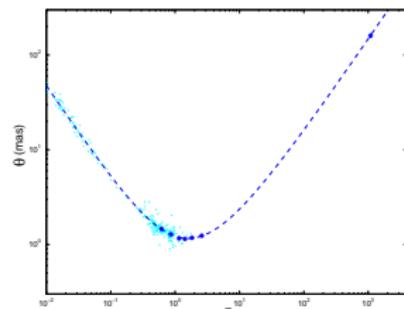
"Bullet" cluster

Universe content from cosmology

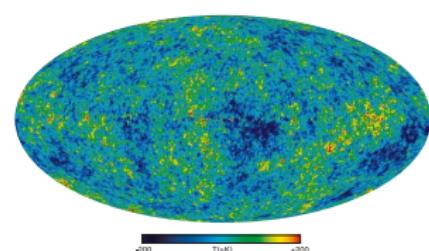
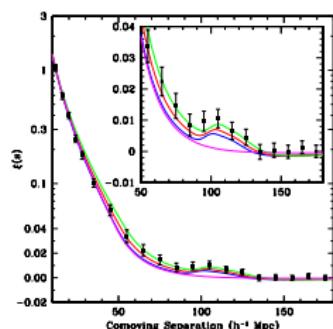
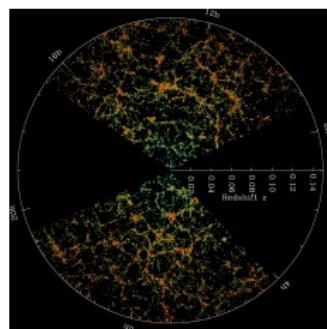
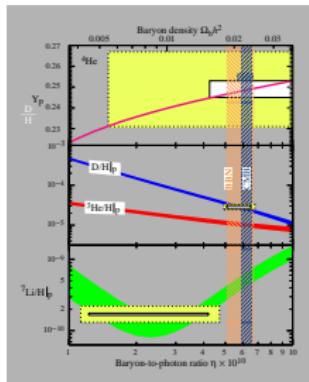
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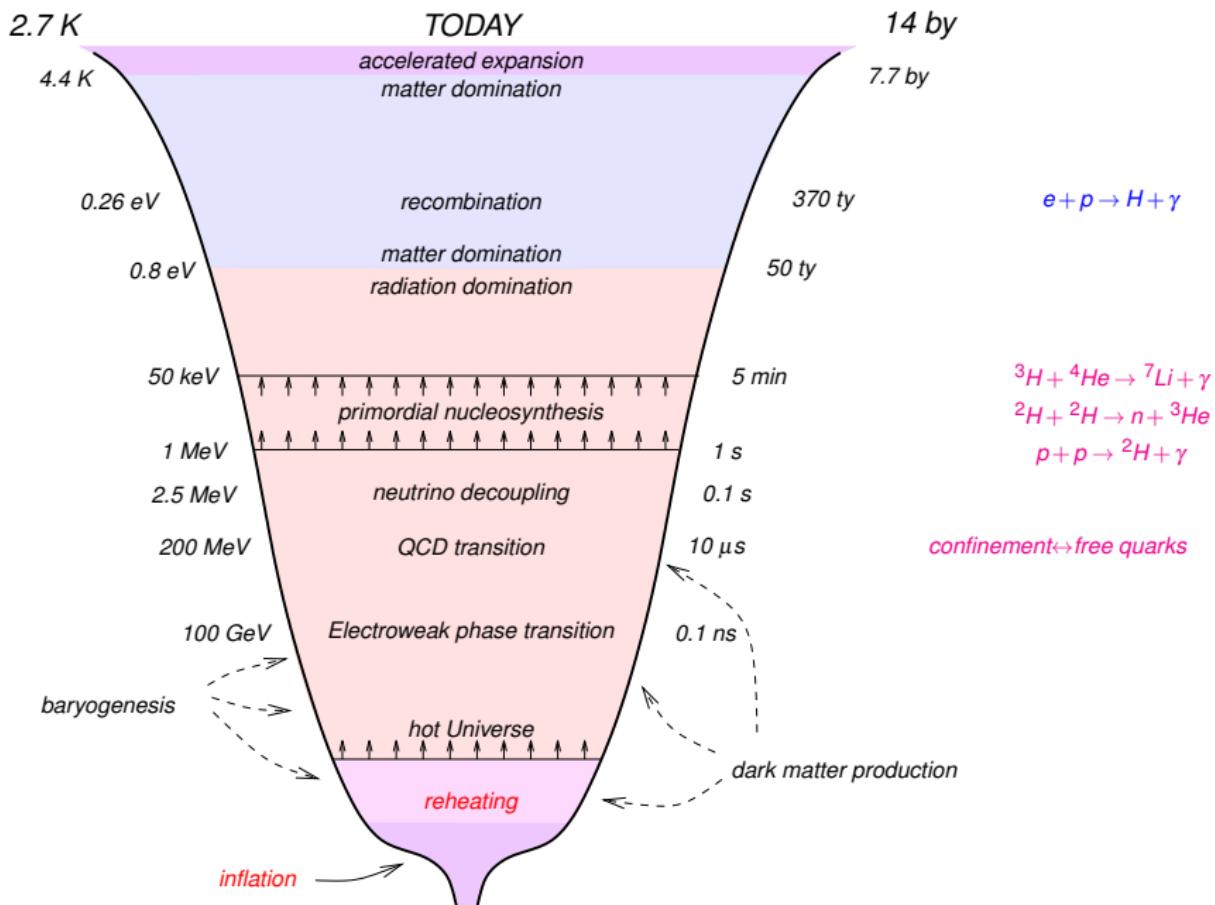


Angular distance



Nucleosynthesis





Friedmann equation for the present Universe

$$H^2 \equiv \left(\frac{\dot{a}}{a} \right)^2 = \frac{8\pi}{3} G (\rho_M + \rho_{rad} + \rho_\Lambda + \rho_{curv})$$

$$\frac{8\pi}{3} G \rho_{curv} = -\frac{\kappa}{a^2}, \quad \rho_c \equiv \frac{3}{8\pi G} H_0^2$$

$$\rho_c = \rho_{M,0} + \rho_{rad,0} + \rho_{\Lambda,0} = \rho_c = 0.53 \cdot 10^{-5} \frac{\text{GeV}}{\text{cm}^3},$$

$$\Omega_X \equiv \frac{\rho_{X,0}}{\rho_c}$$

$$\left(\frac{\dot{a}}{a} \right)^2 = \frac{8\pi}{3} G \rho_c \left[\Omega_M \left(\frac{a_0}{a} \right)^3 + \Omega_{rad} \left(\frac{a_0}{a} \right)^4 + \Omega_\Lambda \right]$$

FLRW metric

$$g_{\mu\nu}$$

$$ds^2 = g_{\mu\nu} dx^\mu dx^\nu = dt^2 - a^2(t) d\vec{r}^2 = dt^2 - a^2(t) \gamma_{ij} dx^i dx^j ,$$

$$H(t) = \frac{\dot{a}(t)}{a(t)}$$

Special frame: different parts look similar

Also this is comoving frame: world lines of particles at rest are geodesics,

$$\frac{du^\mu}{ds} + \Gamma^\mu_{\nu\lambda} u^\nu u^\lambda = 0$$

$$\gamma_{ij} \approx \delta_{ij}$$

Photons in the expanding Universe

$$S = -\frac{1}{4} \int d^4x \sqrt{-g} g^{\mu\nu} g^{\lambda\rho} F_{\mu\lambda} F_{\nu\rho}$$

$$dt = ad\eta$$

conformally flat metric

$$ds^2 = dt^2 - a^2(t) \delta_{ij} dx^i dx^j \rightarrow ds^2 = a^2(\eta) [d\eta^2 - \delta_{ij} dx^i dx^j]$$

$$S = -\frac{1}{4} \int d^4x \eta^{\mu\nu} \eta^{\lambda\rho} F_{\mu\lambda} F_{\nu\rho}, \quad A_\mu^{(\alpha)} = e_\mu^{(\alpha)} e^{ik\eta - i\mathbf{k}\mathbf{x}}, \quad k = |\mathbf{k}|$$

$$\Delta x = 2\pi/k, \quad \Delta\eta = 2\pi/k$$

$$\lambda(t) = a(t)\Delta x = 2\pi \frac{a(t)}{k}, \quad T = a(t)\Delta\eta = 2\pi \frac{a(t)}{k}$$

Redshift and the Hubble law $\lambda_0 = \lambda_i \frac{a_0}{a(t_i)} \equiv \lambda_i(1 + z(t_i))$

$$\mathbf{p}(t) = \frac{\mathbf{k}}{a(t)}, \quad \omega(t) = \frac{k}{a(t)}$$

for not very distant objects

$1 \text{ pc} \approx 3 \text{ ly}$

$$a(t_i) = a_0 - \dot{a}(t_0)(t_0 - t_i) \longrightarrow a(t_i) = a_0[1 - H_0(t_0 - t_i)]$$

$$z(t_i) = H_0(t_0 - t_i) = H_0 r, \quad z \ll 1$$

$$H_0 = h \cdot 100 \frac{\text{km}}{\text{s} \cdot \text{Mpc}}, \quad h \approx 0.68$$

similar reddening for other relativistic particles (small H , \dot{H} , etc.)

$$\mathbf{p} = \frac{\mathbf{k}}{a(t)}$$

is true for massive particles as well

Gas of free particles in the expanding Universe

homogeneous gas

$$dN = f(\mathbf{p}, t) d^3 \mathbf{X} d^3 \mathbf{p}$$

in comoving coordinates:

$$d^3 \mathbf{x} = \text{const}, \quad d^3 \mathbf{k} = \text{const}, \quad f(k) = \text{const}$$

$$f(k) d^3 \mathbf{x} d^3 \mathbf{k} = \text{const}$$

comoving volume equals physical volume

$$d^3 \mathbf{x} d^3 \mathbf{k} = d^3(a \mathbf{x}) d^3 \left(\frac{\mathbf{k}}{a} \right) = d^3 \mathbf{X} d^3 \mathbf{p}$$

$$f(\mathbf{p}, t) = f(\mathbf{k}) = f[a(t) \cdot \mathbf{p}] .$$

$$t = t_i : \quad f_i(\mathbf{p}) \longrightarrow f(\mathbf{p}, t) = f_i \left(\frac{a(t)}{a(t_i)} \mathbf{p} \right)$$

Massless bosons (photons)

fermions

$$f_i(\mathbf{p}) = f_{\text{Pl}} \left(\frac{|\mathbf{p}|}{T_i} \right) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{1}{e^{|\mathbf{p}|/T_i} - 1}$$

$$f(\mathbf{p}, t) = f_{\text{Pl}} \left(\frac{a(t)|\mathbf{p}|}{a_i T_i} \right) = f_{\text{Pl}} \left(\frac{|\mathbf{p}|}{T_{\text{eff}}(t)} \right)$$

$$T_{\text{eff}}(t) = \frac{a_i}{a(t)} T_i$$

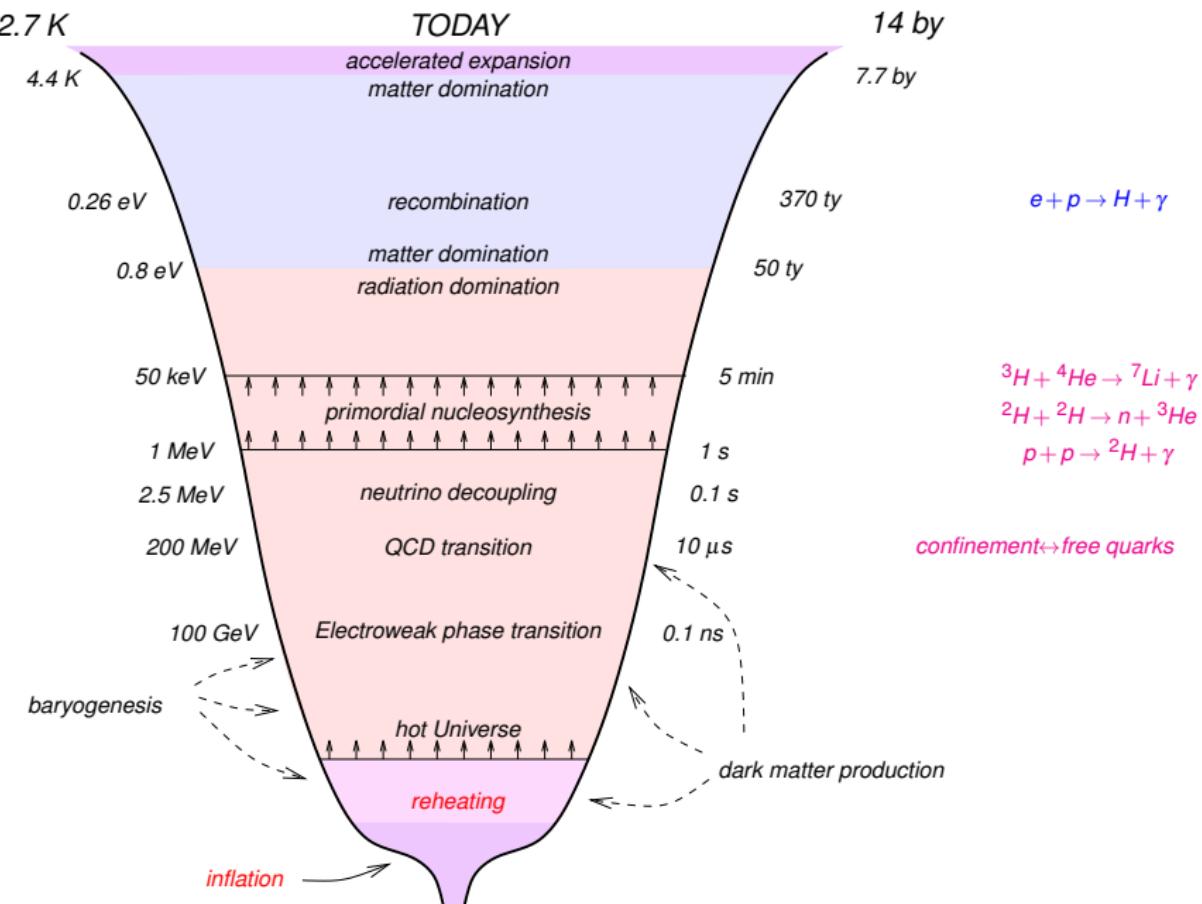
decoupling at $T \gg m$:

neutrinos, hot(warm) dark matter

$$\text{decoupling at } T \ll m : f(\mathbf{p}) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^3} \exp \left(-\frac{m - \mu_i}{T_i} \right) \exp \left(-\frac{a^2(t)\mathbf{p}^2}{2ma_i^2 T_i} \right)$$

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Einstein equations

$T_{\mu\nu}$: macroscopic description

$$T_{\mu\nu} = (p + \rho)u_\mu u_\nu - g_{\mu\nu}p$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \int d^4x \sqrt{-g} T_{\mu\nu} \delta g^{\mu\nu}$$

ideal fluid with $\rho(t)$ and $p(t)$

in the comoving frame $u^0 = 1$, $\mathbf{u} = 0$

(almost) always works

$$T_\mu^\nu = \text{diag}(\rho, -p)$$

$$ds^2 = dt^2 - a^2(t)\gamma_{ij}dx^i dx^j ,$$

$$S_{EH} = -\frac{1}{16\pi G} \int d^4x \sqrt{-g} R : R_{\mu\nu} - \frac{1}{2}g_{\mu\nu}R = 8\pi G T_{\mu\nu}$$

$$(00) : \left(\frac{\dot{a}}{a} \right)^2 = \frac{8\pi}{3} G\rho - \frac{\kappa}{a^2}$$

Friedmann equation (00) : $\left(\frac{\dot{a}}{a}\right)^2 = \frac{8\pi}{3} G\rho - \frac{\kappa}{a^2}$

$$\nabla_\mu T^{\mu 0} = 0 \longrightarrow \dot{\rho} + 3\frac{\dot{a}}{a}(\rho + p) = 0$$

the equation of state

$$p = p(\rho)$$

many-component liquid,
in case of thermal equilibrium

other equations

$$-3d(\ln a) = \frac{dp}{p+\rho} = d(\ln s)$$

entropy of cosmic primordial plasma is conserved in a comoving frame

$$sa^3 = \text{const}$$

Examples of cosmological solutions

$$\varkappa = 0$$

$$\left(\frac{\dot{a}}{a}\right)^2 = \frac{8\pi}{3} G\rho$$

dust:

$$p = 0$$

singular at $t = t_s$

$$\rho = \frac{\text{const}}{a^3}, \quad a(t) = \text{const} \cdot (t - t_s)^{2/3}, \quad \rho(t) = \frac{\text{const}}{(t - t_s)^2}$$



$$t_s = 0, \quad H(t) = \frac{\dot{a}}{a}(t) = \frac{2}{3t}, \quad \rho = \frac{3}{8\pi G} H^2 = \frac{1}{6\pi G} \frac{1}{t^2}$$

the Universe is too young

$$t_0 = \frac{2}{3H_0} = 0.9 \times 10^{10} \text{ yr} \quad (h = 0.7)$$

Cosmological (particle) horizon $l_H(t)$

distance covered by photons emitted at $t = 0$

the size of causally-connected region — the size of the visible part of the Universe

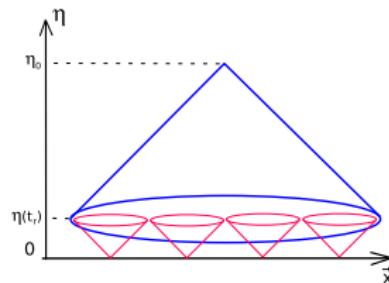
in conformal coordinates:

$$ds^2 = 0 \rightarrow |d\mathbf{x}| = d\eta$$

coordinate size of the horizon equals

$$\eta(t) = \int d\eta$$

$$l_H(t) = a(t)\eta(t) = a(t) \int_0^t \frac{dt'}{a(t')}$$



dust

$$l_H(t) = 3t = \frac{2}{H(t)}, \quad l_{H,0} = 2.6 \times 10^{28} \text{ cm} \quad (h = 0.7)$$

Examples of cosmological solutions

radiation:

$$p = \frac{1}{3}\rho$$

singular at $t = t_s$

$$\rho = \frac{\text{const}}{a^4}, \quad a(t) = \text{const} \cdot (t - t_s)^{1/2}, \quad \rho(t) = \frac{\text{const}}{(t - t_s)^2}$$



$$t_s = 0, \quad H(t) = \frac{\dot{a}}{a}(t) = \frac{1}{2t}, \quad \rho = \frac{3}{8\pi G}H^2 = \frac{3}{32\pi G} \frac{1}{t^2}$$

$$l_H(t) = a(t) \int_0^t \frac{dt'}{a(t')} = 2t = \frac{1}{H(t)}.$$

In case of thermal equilibrium

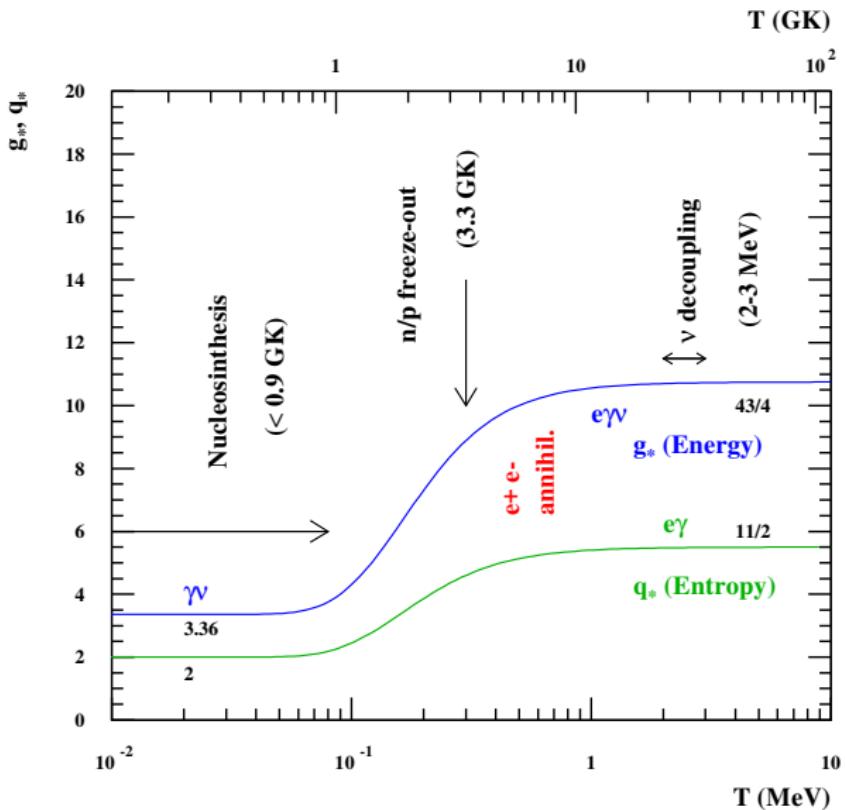
$$T = \text{const}/a$$

$$\rho_b = \frac{\pi^2}{30} g_b T^4, \quad \rho_f = \frac{7}{8} \frac{\pi^2}{30} g_f T^4$$

$$\rho = \frac{\pi^2}{30} g_* T^4, \quad g_* = \sum_b g_b + \frac{7}{8} \sum_f g_f = g_*(T)$$

Evolution of energy and entropy densities

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Examples of cosmological solutions

vacuum:

$$T_{\mu\nu} = \rho_{vac}\eta_{\mu\nu}$$

$$p = -\rho$$

$$S_G = -\frac{1}{16\pi G} \int R \sqrt{-g} d^4x, \quad S_\Lambda = -\Lambda \int \sqrt{-g} d^4x.$$

$$a = \text{const} \cdot e^{H_{dS}t}, \quad H_{dS} = \sqrt{\frac{8\pi}{3} G \rho_{vac}}$$

de Sitter space: space-time of constant curvature

$$ds^2 = dt^2 - e^{2H_{dS}t} d\mathbf{x}^2$$

$$\ddot{a} > 0,$$

no initial singularity

$$ds^2 = dt^2 - e^{2H_{dS}t} d\mathbf{x}^2$$

no cosmological horizon: $I_H(t) = e^{H_{dS}t} \int_{-\infty}^t dt' e^{-H_{dS}t'} = \infty$

de Sitter (events) horizon ($\mathbf{x} = 0, t$):

from which distance $I(t)$ one can detect light emitted at t ?

in conformal coordinates: $ds^2 = 0 \longrightarrow |d\mathbf{x}| = d\eta$

coordinate size: $\eta(t \rightarrow \infty) - \eta(t) = \int_t^\infty \frac{dt'}{a(t')}$

physical size: $I_{dS} = a(t) \int_t^\infty \frac{dt'}{a(t')} = \frac{1}{H_{dS}}$

observer will never be informed what happens at distances larger than
 $I_{dS} = H_{dS}^{-1}$

Our future? with $H_{dS} = 0.8 \times H_0$

Friedmann equation for the present Universe

$$H^2 \equiv \left(\frac{\dot{a}}{a} \right)^2 = \frac{8\pi}{3} G (\rho_M + \rho_{rad} + \rho_\Lambda + \rho_{curv})$$

$$\frac{8\pi}{3} G \rho_{curv} = -\frac{\kappa}{a^2}, \quad \rho_c \equiv \frac{3}{8\pi G} H_0^2$$

$$\rho_c = \rho_{M,0} + \rho_{rad,0} + \rho_{\Lambda,0} = \rho_c = 0.52 \cdot 10^{-5} \frac{\text{GeV}}{\text{cm}^3}, \quad \text{for } h = 0.7$$

$$\Omega_X \equiv \frac{\rho_{X,0}}{\rho_c}$$

$$\left(\frac{\dot{a}}{a} \right)^2 = \frac{8\pi}{3} G \rho_c \left[\Omega_M \left(\frac{a_0}{a} \right)^3 + \Omega_{rad} \left(\frac{a_0}{a} \right)^4 + \Omega_\Lambda + \Omega_{curv} \left(\frac{a_0}{a} \right)^2 \right]$$

Homogeneous and isotropic 3d manifolds

$$dl^2 = d\rho^2 + r^2(\rho)(d\theta^2 + \sin^2 \theta d\phi^2)$$

$$r(\rho) = \begin{cases} R \sin(\rho/R), & \text{3-sphere} \\ \rho, & \text{3-plane} \\ R \sinh(\rho/R), & \text{3-hyperboloid} \end{cases}$$

ρ is a geodesic distance;

$$S = 4\pi r^2(\rho);$$

$$\Delta\theta = \frac{l}{r(\rho)}$$

$$d\rho^2 = \frac{dr^2}{\cosh^2 \frac{\rho}{R}} = \frac{dr^2}{1 + \frac{r^2}{R^2}}$$

$$d\rho^2 = \frac{dr^2}{\cos^2 \frac{\rho}{R}} = \frac{dr^2}{1 - \frac{r^2}{R^2}}$$

$$dl^2 = \frac{dr^2}{1 - \kappa \frac{r^2}{R^2}} + r^2(d\theta^2 + \sin^2 \theta d\phi^2)$$

Brightness–redshift dependence in the Universe

$$ds^2 = dt^2 - a^2(t) \left[d\chi^2 + \sinh^2 \chi \left(d\theta^2 + \sin^2 \theta d\phi^2 \right) \right]$$

coordinate distance $\rho/R \rightarrow \chi = \int_{t_i}^{t_0} \frac{dt}{a(t)}$ $z(t) = \frac{a_0}{a(t)} - 1$

$$\chi(z) = \int_0^z \frac{dz'}{a_0 H_0} \frac{1}{\sqrt{\Omega_M(z'+1)^3 + \Omega_\Lambda + \Omega_{curv}(z'+1)^2}}$$

$$a_0^2 H_0^2 \Omega_{curv} = 1 , \quad \Omega_M + \Omega_\Lambda + \Omega_{curv} = 1$$

$$S(z) = 4\pi r^2(z) , \quad r(z) = a_0 \sinh \chi(z)$$

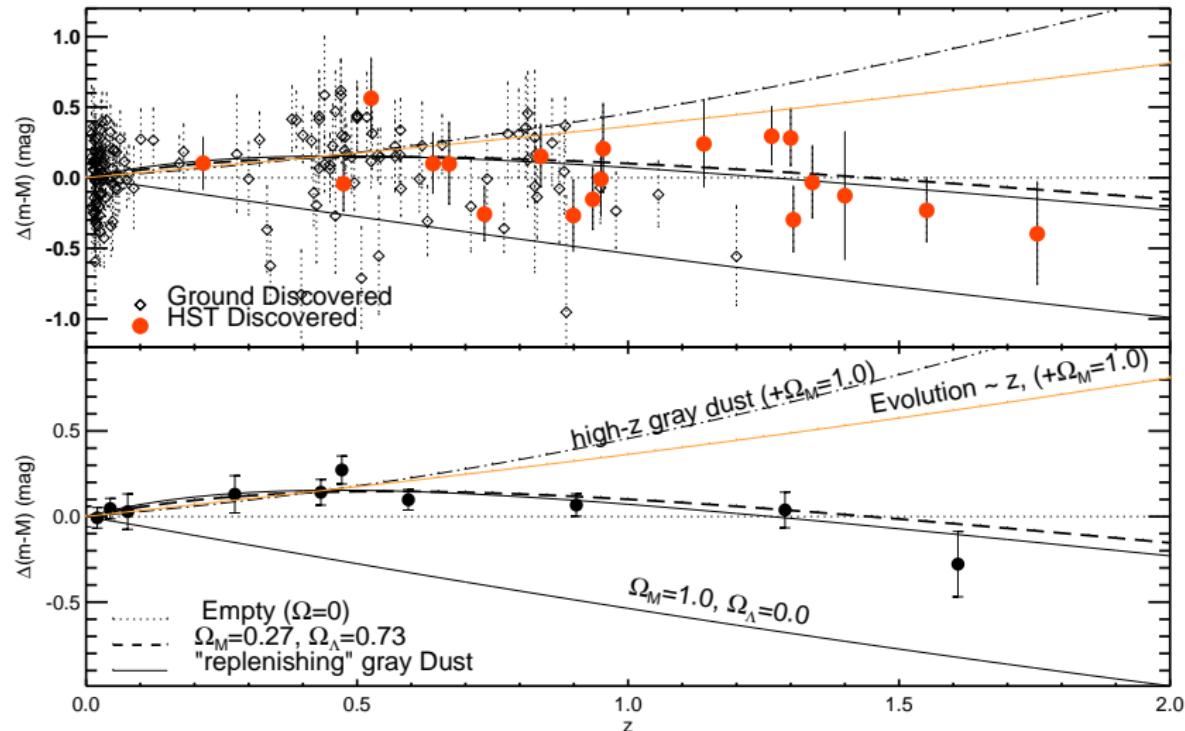
detector: $N_\gamma \propto S^{-1}$, $\omega = \omega_i/(1+z)$, $dt_0 = (1+z)dt_i$

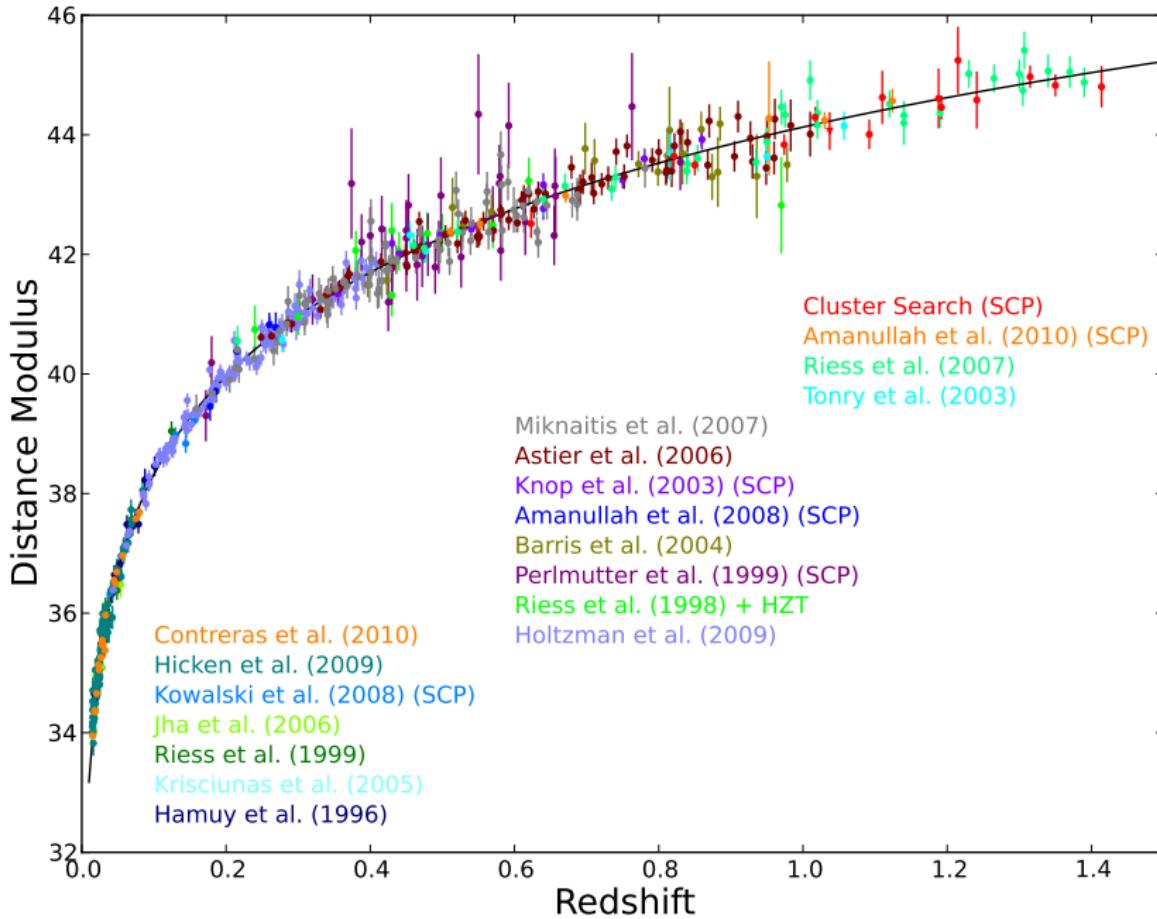
hence the brightness (energy flux measured by a detector) is

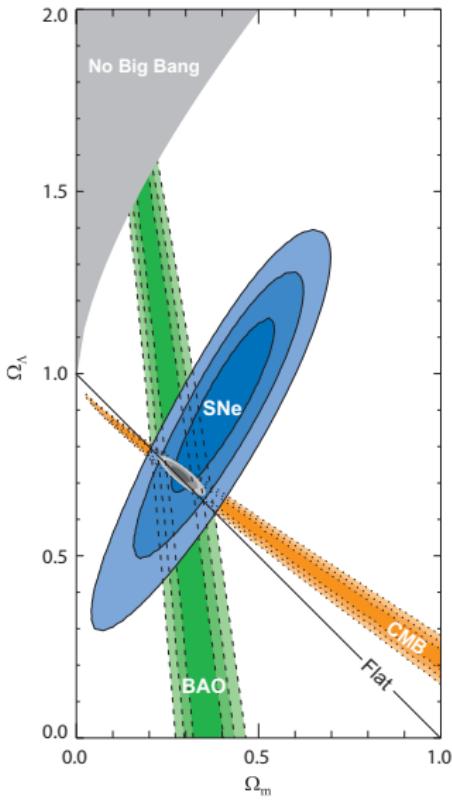
$$J = \frac{L}{(1+z)^2 S(z)} \equiv \frac{L}{4\pi r_{ph}^2} , \quad r_{ph} = (1+z) \cdot r(z)$$

Brightness–redshift dependence: SNe Ia

$$\Delta(m-M) = 5 \log \frac{r_{ph}}{r_{ph}(\Omega_c = 0.8, \Omega_M = 0.2)}$$







Microscopic processes in the expanding Universe

A competition between scattering, decays, etc and expansion

for general processes one should solve kinetic equations

$$\frac{dn_{X_i}}{dt} + 3Hn_{X_i} = \sum (\text{production} - \text{destruction})$$

Boltzmann equation in a comoving volume: $\frac{d}{dt}(na^3) = a^3 \int \dots$

production:

$$\sigma(A+B \rightarrow X+C)n_A n_B, \quad \Gamma(D \rightarrow E+X)n_D \cdot M_D/E_D, \quad \text{etc}$$

desrtuction:

$$\sigma(A+X \rightarrow C+B)n_A n_X, \quad \Gamma(X \rightarrow F+G)n_X \cdot M_X/E_X, \quad \text{etc}$$

Fast direct and inverse processes, $\Gamma \gtrsim H$, are in equilibrium,

$$\Sigma(\) = 0 \quad \text{and thermalize particles}$$

Last scattering: $\gamma e \rightarrow \gamma e$

$$\sigma_T = \frac{8\pi}{3} \frac{\alpha^2}{m_e^2} \approx 0.67 \cdot 10^{-24} \text{ cm}^2, \quad \tau_\gamma = \frac{1}{\sigma_T \cdot n_e(T)}$$

last scattering:

$$\tau_\gamma(T_f) \simeq H^{-1}(T_f) \simeq t_f$$

$$T_f = 0.26 \text{ eV}, \quad z = 1100, \quad t_f = 370\,000 \text{ yr}$$

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Boltzmann equation in a comoving volume: $\frac{d}{dt} (na^3) = a^3 \int \dots$

Recombination: horizon

matter domination:

$$l_{\text{H},r} = 2H_r^{-1}$$

$$H_r^2 = \frac{8\pi}{3} G\rho_{\text{M}}(t_r) = \frac{8\pi}{3} G\rho_{\text{M},0} \left(\frac{a_0}{a_r}\right)^3 = \frac{8\pi}{3} G\rho_c \Omega_{\text{M},0} (1+z_r)^3.$$

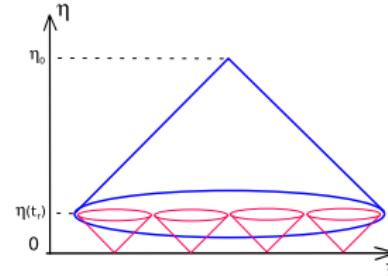
at recombination:

$$l_{\text{H},r} = \frac{2}{H_0 \sqrt{\Omega_{\text{M}}}} \frac{1}{(1+z_r)^{3/2}}$$

today:

$$l_{\text{H},r}(t_0) = l_{\text{H},r} \times \frac{a_0}{a_r} = \frac{2}{H_0 \sqrt{\Omega_{\text{M}}}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+z_r}}$$

$$\frac{l_{H_0}}{l_{\text{H},r}(t_0)} \sim \sqrt{1+z_r} \simeq 30$$



Recombination: angle

angular distance:

$$d_{ph} = r_a(z) \Delta\theta$$

$$\chi_r = \int_{t_r}^{t_0} \frac{dt}{a(t)}, \quad \Delta\theta_r = \frac{l_{H,r}}{r_a(z_r)}$$

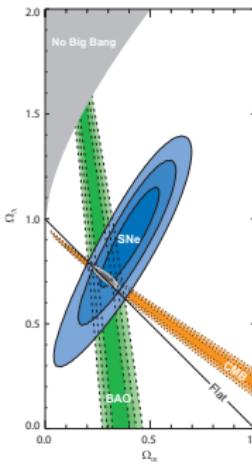
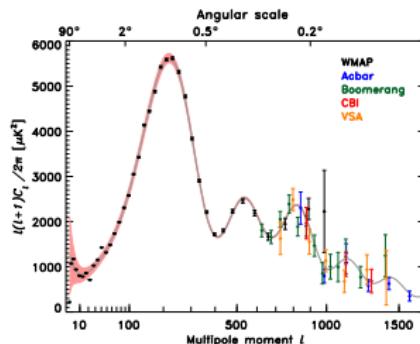
$$d_{conf} = \sinh \chi_r \Delta\theta$$

$$r_a(z_r) = (1 + z_r)^{-1} \cdot a_0 \cdot \sinh \chi_r$$

$$\Delta\theta_r = \frac{1}{\sqrt{z_r + 1}}, \quad \Omega_{curv} = \Omega_\Lambda = 0.$$

$$\Delta\theta_r = \frac{1}{\sqrt{z_r + 1}} \frac{2\sqrt{\Omega_{curv}/\Omega_M}}{\sinh\left(2\sqrt{\Omega_{curv}/\Omega_M} l\right)}.$$

$$l = \int_0^1 \frac{dy}{\sqrt{1 + \frac{\Omega_\Lambda}{\Omega_M} y^6}}$$



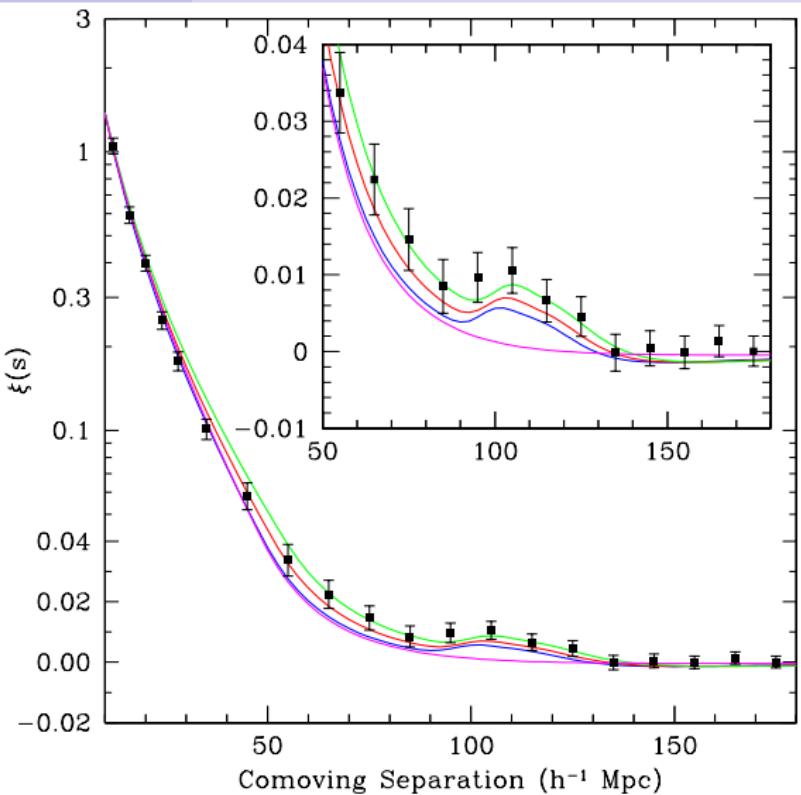
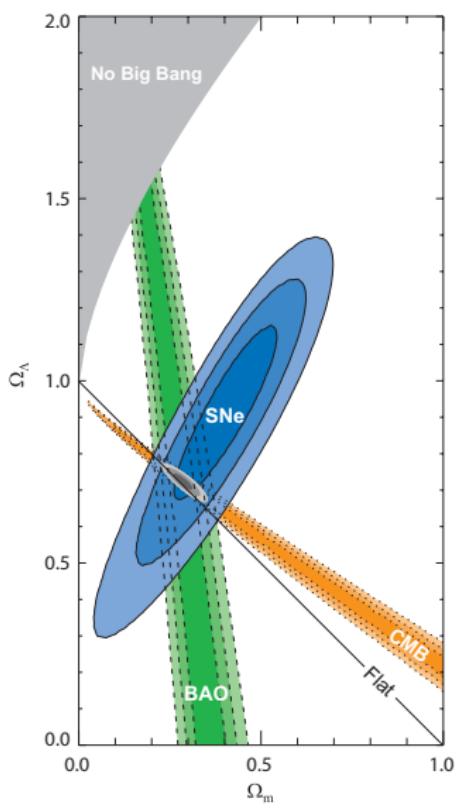
Acoustic oscillations in relativistic plasma:
What matters is the **sound horizon**:

$$l_{s,r} = l_{H,r} \cdot v_s \approx l_{H,r} / \sqrt{3}$$

Then

$$\Delta\theta_{r,s} =$$

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+z}} \times \frac{180^\circ}{\pi} \simeq 1^\circ$$



$$110/0.7 \text{Mpc} \simeq I_{H,r}(t_0) \times \sqrt{v_s^2} \simeq I_{H_0}/\sqrt{3}/\sqrt{1+z_r}$$

Neutrino freeze-out

$$T > m_e$$

$$e^+ e^- \leftrightarrow \nu \bar{\nu}, e \nu \leftrightarrow e \bar{\nu}$$

$$\sigma_\nu \sim G_F^2 E^2$$

neutrino interaction rate

$$\tau_\nu = \frac{1}{\langle \sigma_\nu n \rangle} \sim \frac{1}{G_F^2 T^5} \quad H^2 = \frac{8\pi}{3 M_{Pl}^2} \frac{\pi^2}{30} g_* T^4 \equiv \frac{T^4}{M_{Pl}^{*2}}$$

$$\tau_\nu(T) \sim H^{-1}(T) = \frac{M_{Pl}^*}{T^2}$$

$$T_{\nu,f} \sim \left(\frac{1}{G_F^2 M_{Pl}^*} \right)^{1/3} \sim 2 \div 3 \text{ MeV}$$

Neutron decoupling



typical energy scales

$$T \gtrsim \Delta m = 1.3 \text{ MeV}, \quad T \gtrsim m_e = 0.5 \text{ MeV}$$

neutron interaction rate

$$\tau_{n \leftrightarrow p} = \frac{1}{\Gamma_{n \leftrightarrow p}} = \frac{1}{C_n G_F^2 T^5}$$

neutron decoupling

$$\Gamma_{n \leftrightarrow p}(T) \sim H(T) = T^2/M_{Pl}^*$$

$$T_n = \frac{1}{(C_n M_{Pl}^* G_F^2)^{1/3}} \approx 0.8 \text{ MeV}$$

$$g_* = 2 + \frac{7}{8} \cdot 4 + \frac{7}{8} \cdot 2 \cdot N_\nu \quad t = \frac{1}{2H(T_n)} = \frac{M_{Pl}^*}{2T_n^2} \approx 1 \text{ s}$$

Neutron density at decoupling

$$n_n = g_n \left(\frac{m_n T}{2\pi} \right)^{3/2} e^{\frac{\mu_n - m_n}{T}}$$

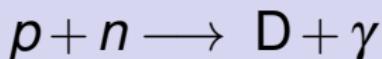
$$\mu_n + \mu_\nu = \mu_p + \mu_e$$

$$\frac{n_n}{n_p} = e^{-\frac{m_n - m_p}{T}} e^{\frac{\mu_n - \mu_p}{T}}$$

for relativistic e^+ and e^-

$$n_{e^-} - n_{e^+} \sim \mu_e T^2 \longrightarrow \frac{\mu_e}{T} \sim \frac{n_{e^-} - n_{e^+}}{T^3} = \frac{n_p}{T^3} \sim \eta_B \equiv \frac{n_p}{n_\gamma} = 6 \times 10^{-10}$$

$$\frac{n_n}{n_p} = e^{-\frac{m_n - m_p}{T_n}} \equiv e^{-\frac{\Delta m}{T_n}} \approx \frac{1}{5} e^{-\frac{\mu_\nu}{T_n}}$$



Saha equation

$$n_n = 2 \left(\frac{m_p T}{2\pi} \right)^{3/2} e^{\frac{\mu_n - m_n}{T}}, \quad n_p = 2 \left(\frac{m_p T}{2\pi} \right)^{3/2} e^{\frac{\mu_p - m_p}{T}},$$

Chemical equilibrium for nuclei:

$$\mu_A = \mu_p \cdot Z + \mu_n \cdot (A - Z)$$

$$n_D \sim \left(\frac{m_D T}{2\pi} \right)^{3/2} e^{\frac{\mu_D - m_D}{T}},$$

Temperature of BBN T_{NS} :

$$n_D \sim n_n$$

$$\Delta_D = 2.23 \text{ MeV}$$

$$t_{NS} \approx 3 \text{ min}$$

$$n_D/n_p(T_{NS}) \sim \eta_B \left(\frac{2.5 T_{NS}}{m_p} \right)^{3/2} e^{\frac{\Delta_D}{T_{NS}}} \sim 1 \longrightarrow T_{NS} \approx 50 \text{ keV}$$

Helium abundance (NO chemical equilibrium)

Neutrons remain mostly in helium

$$n_{^4\text{He}}(T_{NS}) = \frac{1}{2} n_n(T_{NS}),$$

neutron-to-proton ratio

$\tau_n \approx 880 \text{ s}$

$$\frac{n_n(T_{NS})}{n_p(T_{NS})} \approx \frac{1}{5} \cdot e^{-\frac{\tau_n}{\tau_n}} \cdot e^{-\frac{\mu_v}{T_n}} \approx \frac{1}{7},$$

$$Y_p \equiv X_{^4\text{He}} = \frac{m_{^4\text{He}} \cdot n_{^4\text{He}}(T_{NS})}{m_p(n_p(T_{NS}) + n_n(T_{NS}))} = \frac{2}{\frac{n_p(T_{NS})}{n_n(T_{NS})} + 1} \approx 25\%$$

from observations of relic helium abundance:

$$\Delta N_{v,\text{eff}} \leq 1, \quad \left| \frac{\mu_v}{T_n} \right| \lesssim 0.01$$

Main nuclear reactions

- ① $p(n, \gamma)D$ — deuterium production, BBN starts.
- ② $D(p, \gamma)^3\text{He}$, $D(D, n)^3\text{He}$, $D(D, p)\text{T}$, $^3\text{He}(n, p)\text{T}$ — intermediate stage.
- ③ $\text{T}(D, n)^4\text{He}$, $^3\text{He}(D, p)^4\text{He}$ — production of ^4He .
- ④ $\text{T}(\alpha, \gamma)^7\text{Li}$, $^3\text{He}(\alpha, \gamma)^7\text{Be}$, $^7\text{Be}(n, p)^7\text{Li}$ — production of the heaviest baryonic relics.
- ⑤ $^7\text{Li}(p, \alpha)^4\text{He}$ — ^7Li burning.

One has to compare reaction rates to the expansion rate

$$H(T_{NS} = 50 \text{ keV}) = 10^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$$

to obtain nonequilibrium concentrations

Neutron burning



@ $T = T_{NS} = 65$ keV

$$(\sigma v)_{p(n,\gamma)D} \approx 6 \cdot 10^{-20} \frac{\text{cm}^3}{\text{s}}.$$

for the rate (neutron disappearance when meets proton)

$$\Gamma_{p(n,\gamma)D} = n_p \cdot (\sigma v)_{p(n,\gamma)D} = \eta_B \cdot 2 \frac{\zeta(3)}{\pi^2} T^3 \cdot (\sigma v)_{p(n,\gamma)D} = 0.31 \text{ s}^{-1}$$

for $\eta_B = 6.15 \cdot 10^{-10}$ and $T = T_{NS}$

So, neutrons disappear very rapidly

$$\Gamma_{p(n,\gamma)D} \gg H(T_{NS}) = 4 \cdot 10^{-3} \text{ s}^{-1}$$

Deuterium burning

$$D(D, n)^3\text{He}, \quad D(D, p)T$$

Coloumb barrier: tunneling

$$T_9 \equiv T/(10^9 \text{ K}) = T/(86 \text{ keV})$$

$$\langle \sigma v \rangle_{DD} = 3 \cdot 10^{-15} \frac{\text{cm}^3}{\text{s}} \cdot T_9^{-2/3} \cdot e^{-4.26 \cdot T_9^{-1/3}}.$$

deuterium stops burning when

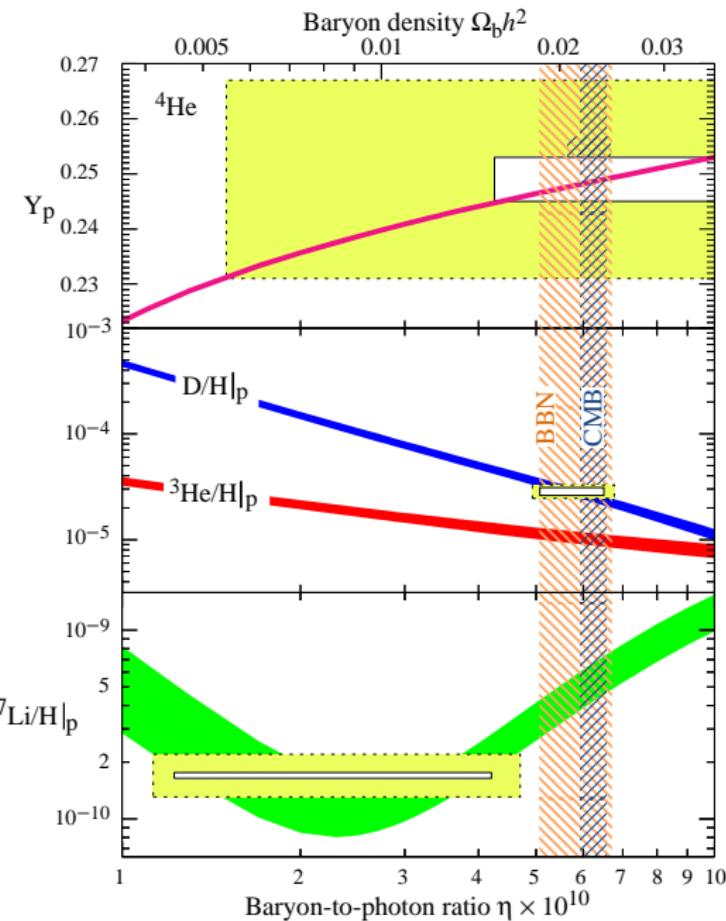
$$T = T_{NS}(T_9 = 0.75)$$

$$\Gamma_{DD} = n_D(T) \cdot \langle \sigma v \rangle_{DD}(T) \sim H(T).$$

Then relic deuterium abundance is estimated as

$$\frac{n_D}{n_p} = \frac{1}{0.75 \eta_B} \cdot \frac{n_D}{n_\gamma(T_{NS})} = 0.3 \cdot 10^{-4}$$

for $\eta_B = 6.15 \cdot 10^{-10}$



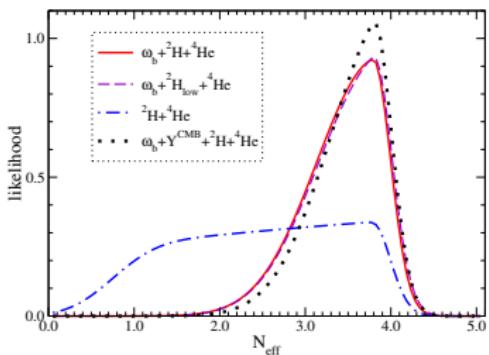
Measurement of $\eta_B = n_B/n_\gamma$ at $T \sim 1 \text{ MeV}$

Lack of Lithium... Exotics needed?

$$Y_p = 0.2581 \pm 0.025,$$

$$D/\text{H}|_p = (2.87 \pm 0.21) \times 10^{-5}$$

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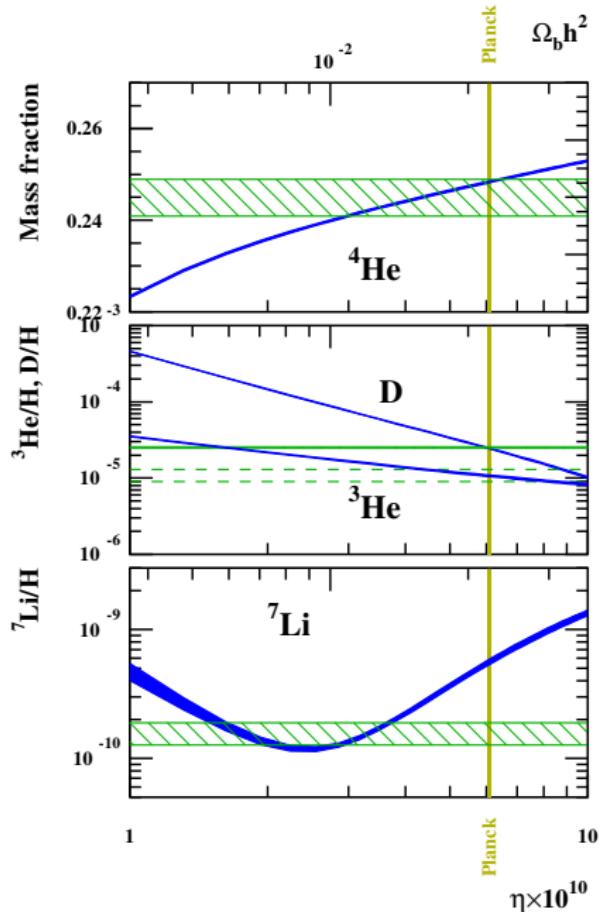
similar results from other recent studies including structure formation

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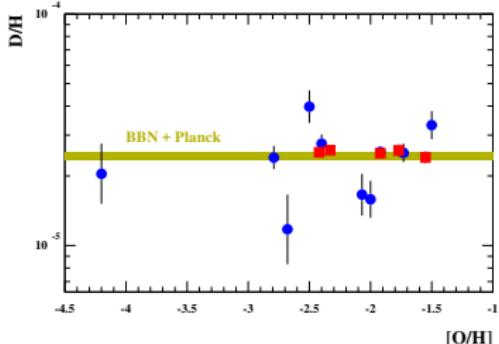
$$N_{v,\text{eff}} < 4.2 @ 95\% \text{CL}$$

$$N_{v,\text{eff}} < 4.0 \text{ from D/H}$$

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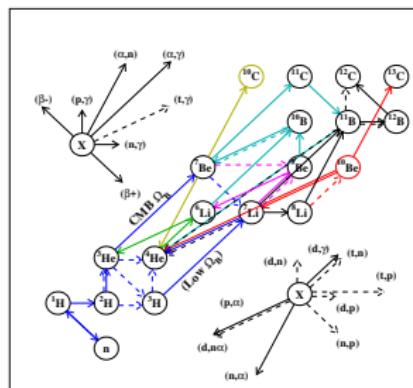


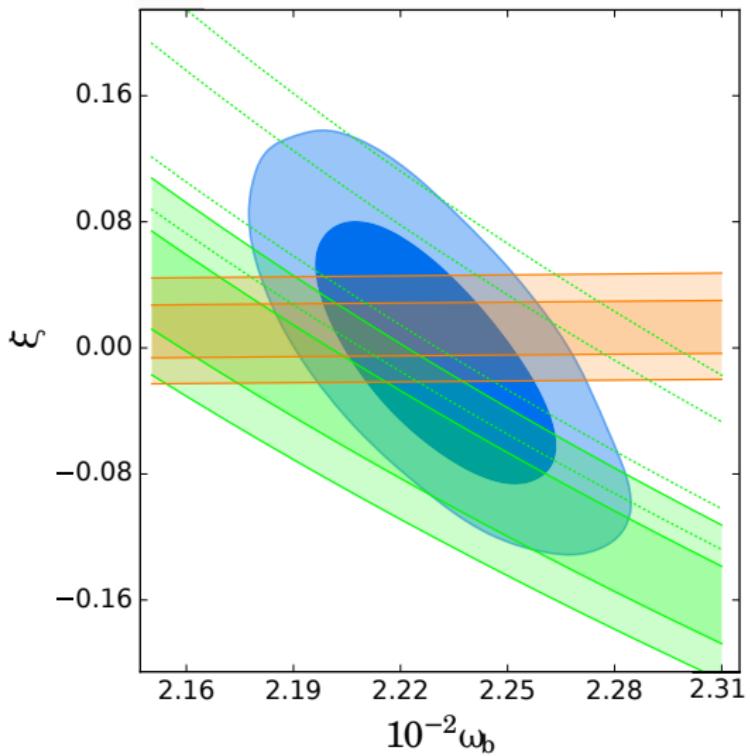
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Lack of Lithium...

Exotics needed?





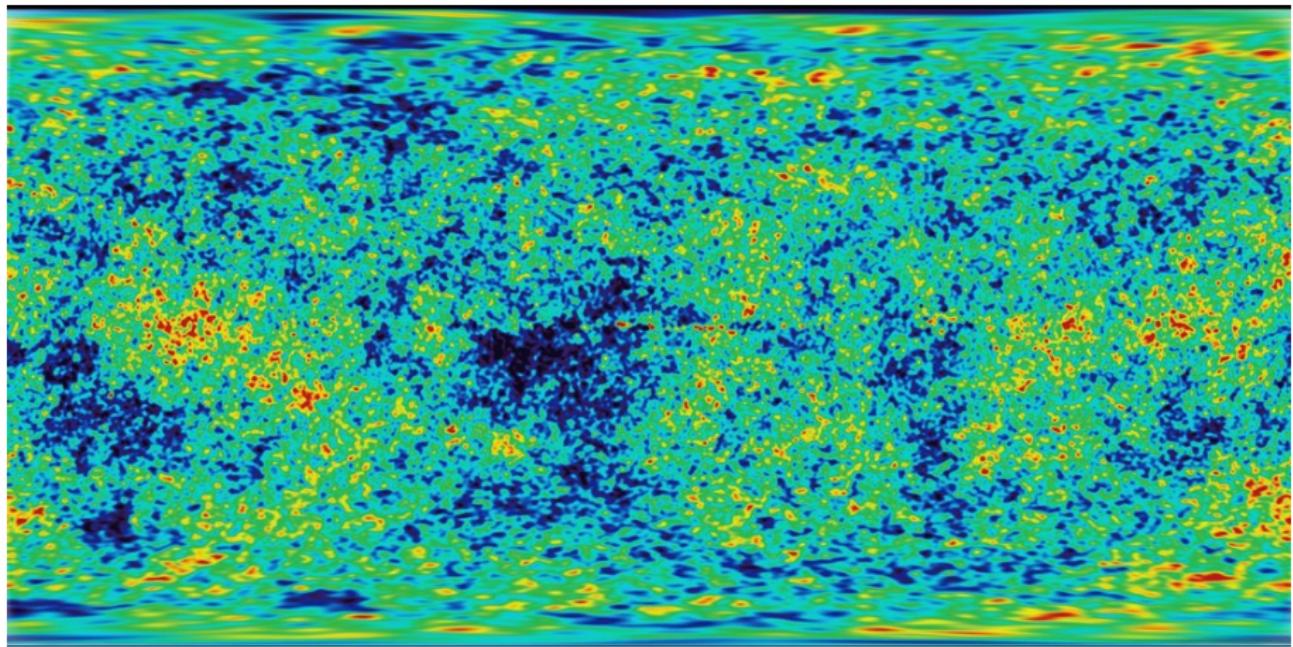
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Primordial Element Abundance Observations:

- Lack of Lithium...
Exotics needed?
- Measurement of $\eta_B = n_B/n_\gamma$ at $T \sim 1 \text{ MeV}$ consistent with present and recombination values
 - no “decaying relics”
- measurement of the Universe expansion rate
 - $H^2 \sim \rho_{\text{relativistic}}$
 - in particular:
 - neutrino number $N_\nu \approx 3$
 - no “dark radiation”

Baryon asymmetry must be produced before BBN !!

CMB map



Mode evolution

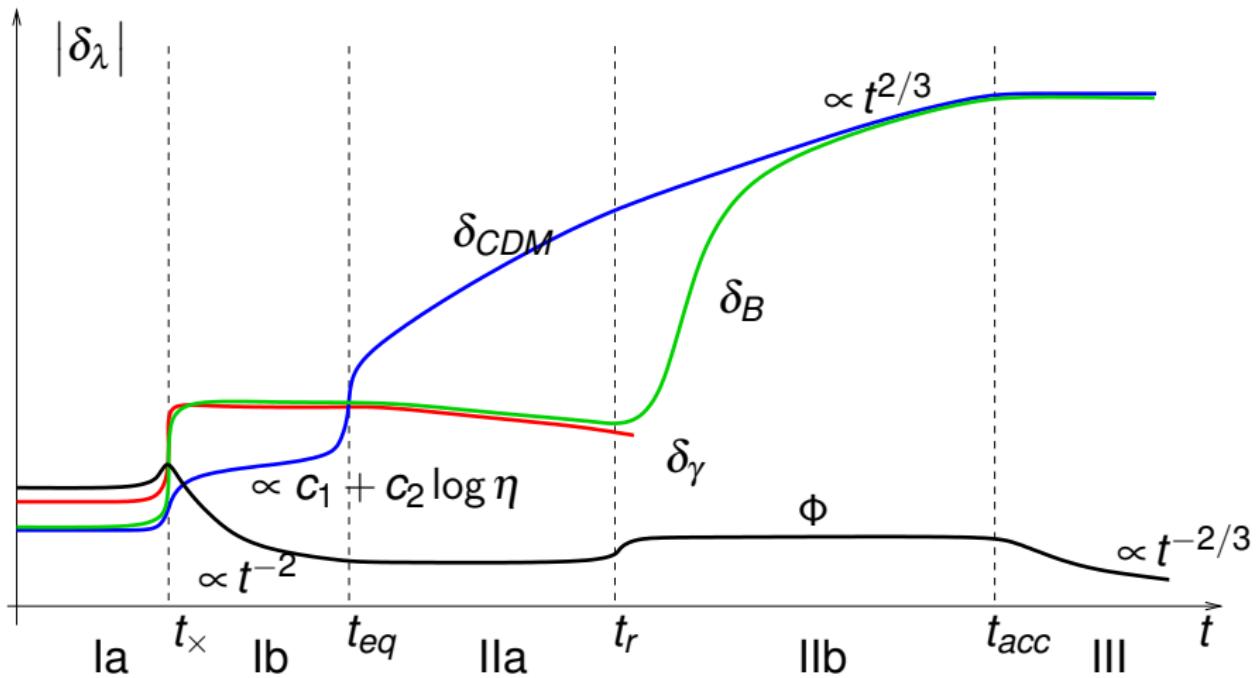
- Amplitude remains constant, while superhorizon, e.g. $k/a < H$
- Subhorizon Inhomogeneities of DM start to grow at MD-stage, $\delta\rho_{CDM}/\rho_{CDM} \propto a$ from $T \approx 0.8 \text{ eV}$
Smaller objects (first stars, dwarf galaxies) are first to form
- Subhorizon Inhomogeneities of baryons join those of DM only after recombination, $\delta\rho_{CDM}/\rho_{CDM} \propto a$ from $T_{rec} \approx 0.25 \text{ eV}$
- at recombination $\delta\rho_B/\rho_B \sim \delta T/T \sim 10^{-4}$ and would grow only by a factor $T_{rec}/T_0 \sim 10^3$ without DM
- Subhorizon Inhomogeneities of photons $\delta\rho_\gamma/\rho_\gamma$ oscillate with constant amplitude at RD and with decreasing amplitude at MD, thus we can measure $T_{RD/MD}/T_{rec}$
- Phase of oscillations decoupled after recombination depends on the wave-length, recombination time and sound speed

$$\delta\rho_\gamma/\rho_\gamma \propto \cos\left(k \int_0^{t_r} \frac{v_s dt}{a(t)}\right) = \cos(kl_{sound})$$



$$\delta T(\theta, \varphi) = \sum a_{lm} Y_{lm}(\theta, \varphi), \quad \langle a_{lm}^* a_{lm} \rangle = C_l \equiv 2\pi \mathcal{D}_l / (l(l+1))$$

Mode evolution at various stages



On formulas...

- short waves, $k\eta_{eq} \gg 1$

$$R_B \equiv 3\rho_B/4\rho_\gamma$$

$$\delta_\gamma = \Phi_{(i)} \cdot \left[-324 \cdot (1 + R_B) l^2 \frac{\Omega_{CDM}}{\Omega_M} (1 + z_{eq}) \frac{\log(0.2k\eta_{eq})}{(k\eta_0)^2} + \frac{6}{(1 + R_B)^{1/4}} \cos \left(k \int_0^\eta d\tilde{\eta} u_s \right) \right],$$

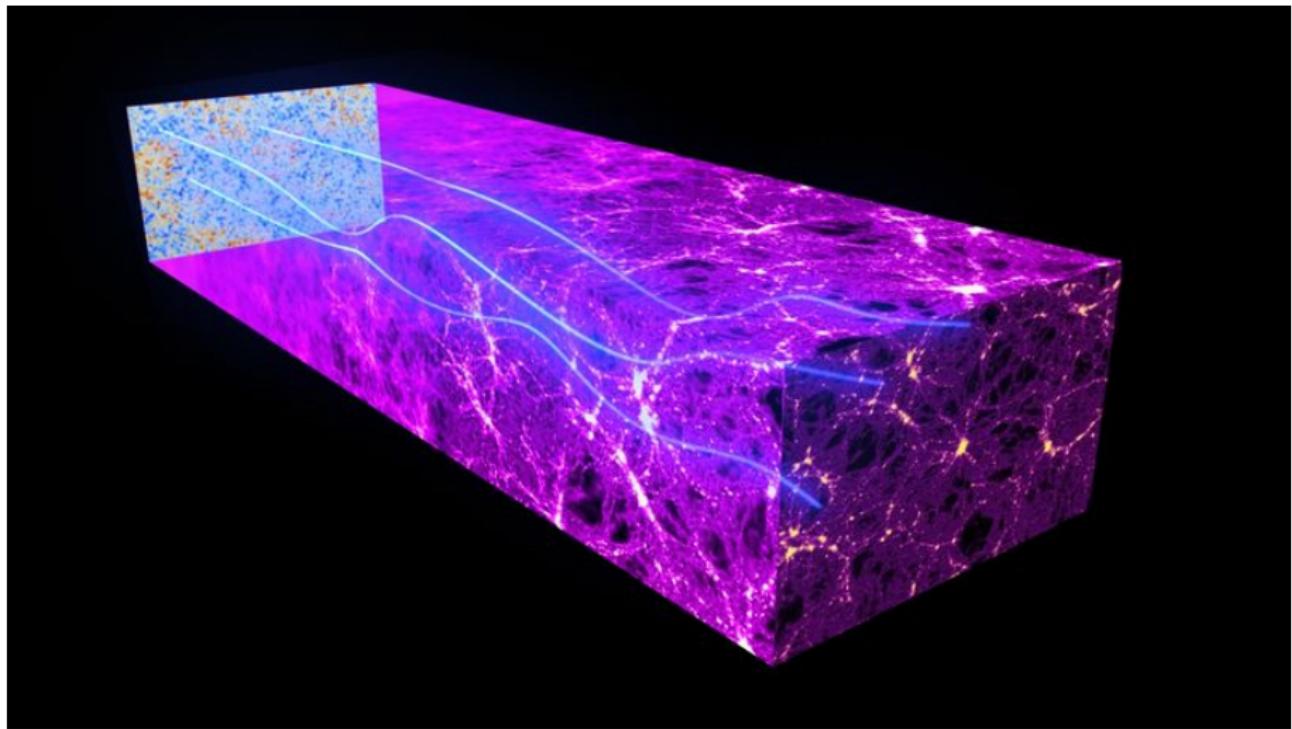
- long waves, $k\eta_{rec} \ll 1$

$$\delta_\gamma = -\frac{12}{5} \Phi_{(i)} = \text{const}$$

- intermediate waves ...

$$\delta_\gamma(\mathbf{k}, \eta) = -4 [1 + R_B(\eta)] \Phi(\mathbf{k}, \eta) + 4 \Phi_{(i)}(\mathbf{k}) \cdot A(k, \eta) \cos \left(k \int_0^\eta u_s d\tilde{\eta} \right),$$

On top of that: propagation in expanding Universe



On formulas...

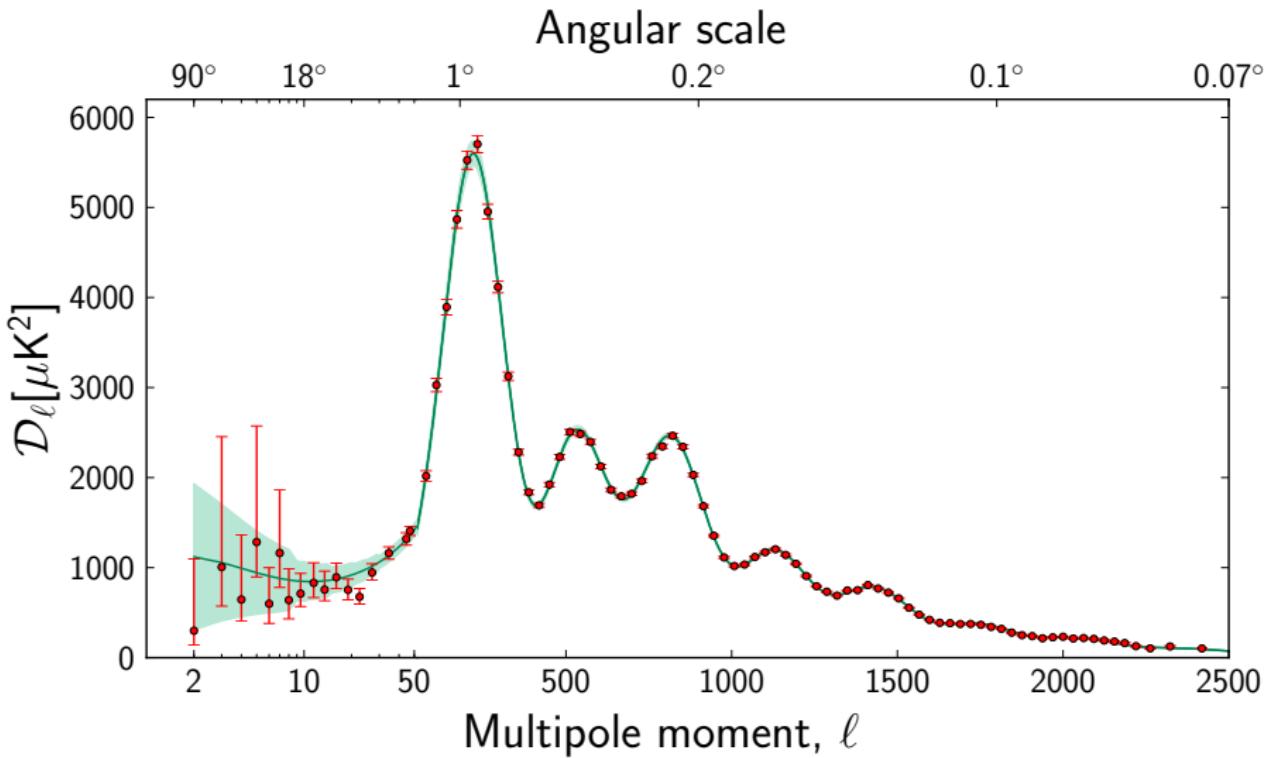
From linear approximation to the geodesic equation...
for scalar perturbations

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\delta T}{T}(\mathbf{n}, \eta_0) = & \frac{1}{4} \delta_\gamma(\eta_r) + (\Phi(\eta_r) - \Phi(\eta_0)) \\ & + \int_{\eta_r}^{\eta_0} (\Phi' - \Psi') d\eta \\ & + \mathbf{n} \mathbf{v}(\eta_r) - \mathbf{n} \mathbf{v}(\eta_0).\end{aligned}$$

for tensor perturbations

$$\frac{\delta T}{T}(\mathbf{n}, \eta_0) = \frac{1}{2} \int_{\eta_r}^{\eta_0} d\eta n_i h_{ij}^{TT'} n_j,$$

CMB measurements (Planck) $\theta, \Omega_{DM}, \Omega_B, \tau, \Delta_{\mathcal{R}}, n_s$



Standard cosmological model $ds^2 = dt^2 - a^2(t)dx^2$

$$\left(\frac{\dot{a}}{a}\right)^2 \equiv H^2 = H_0^2 \left[\Omega_\Lambda + (\Omega_{DM} + \Omega_B + \Omega_{v,m \neq 0}) \left(\frac{a_0}{a}\right)^3 + (\Omega_\gamma + \Omega_{v,m=0}) \left(\frac{a_0}{a}\right)^4 \right]$$

- $T_\gamma = 2.735 \text{ K}$, $\Rightarrow \Omega_\gamma \sim 10^{-5}$
- $N_v \approx 3$, $\sum m_v < 0.2 \text{ eV}$ $\Rightarrow \Omega_{v,\neq 0}, \Omega_{v,0} \sim 10^{-5}$?
- $\Omega_B = 4.5\%$ $\Rightarrow \eta_B \equiv n_B/n_\gamma = 6 \times 10^{-10}$
- $\Omega_{DM} = 27.5\%$
- $H_0 = 67 \text{ km/s/Mpc}$ $\Rightarrow \rho_0 = 5 \text{ GeV/m}^3$
- $\Omega_\Lambda = 68\%$ \Rightarrow flat space
- adiabatic, gaussian matter perturbations

$$\langle \left(\frac{\delta \rho}{\rho} \right)^2 \rangle \sim A_S \int \frac{dk}{k} \left(\frac{k}{k_*} \right)^{n_S - 1}$$

with $A_S = 3 \times 10^{-9}$ and $n_S = 0.97$

- no tensor perturbations, $r \equiv A_T/A_S < 0.05$
- reionization at $z \equiv a_0/a = 10$