

Cosmology:
Lecture #1
Our Universe at present:
main ingredients and the expansion law

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Standard Model: Success and Problems

Gauge fields (interactions): γ, W^\pm, Z, g

Three generations of matter: $L = \begin{pmatrix} \nu_L \\ e_L \end{pmatrix}, e_R; Q = \begin{pmatrix} u_L \\ d_L \end{pmatrix}, d_R, u_R$

- Describes
 - ▶ all experiments dealing with electroweak and strong interactions
- Does not describe
 - ▶ Neutrino oscillations
 - ▶ Dark matter (Ω_{DM})
 - ▶ Baryon asymmetry (Ω_B)
 - ▶ Inflationary stage
 - ▶ Dark energy (Ω_Λ)
 - ▶ Strong CP: ? (boundary terms, new topology, ...)
 - ▶ Gauge hierarchy: ? (No new scales!)
 - ▶ Quantum gravity

Try to explain all above

Planck-scale physics saves the day

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- 1 General facts and key observables
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“Natural” units in particle physics

$$\hbar = c = k_B = 1$$

measured in GeV: energy E , mass M , temperature T

$$m_p = 0.938 \text{ GeV}, \quad 1 \text{ K} = 8.6 \times 10^{-14} \text{ GeV}$$

measured in GeV^{-1} : time t , length L

$$1 \text{ s} = 1.5 \times 10^{24} \text{ GeV}^{-1}, \quad 1 \text{ cm} = 5.1 \times 10^{13} \text{ GeV}^{-1}$$

$$\text{Gravity (General Relativity): } V(r) = -G \frac{m_1 m_2}{r} \quad [G] = M^{-2}$$

$$M_{\text{Pl}} = 1.2 \times 10^{19} \text{ GeV} = 22 \mu\text{g}$$

$$G \equiv \frac{1}{M_{\text{Pl}}^2}$$

“Natural” units in cosmology

$$1 \text{ Mpc} = 3.1 \times 10^{24} \text{ cm}$$

$$1 \text{ AU} = 1.5 \times 10^{13} \text{ cm}$$

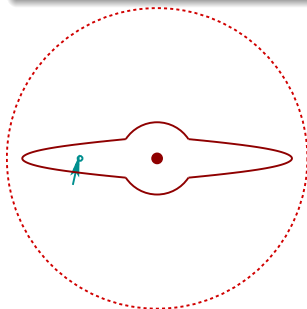
$$1 \text{ ly} = 0.95 \times 10^{18} \text{ cm}$$

$$1 \text{ pc} = 3.3 \text{ ly} = 3.1 \times 10^{18} \text{ cm}$$

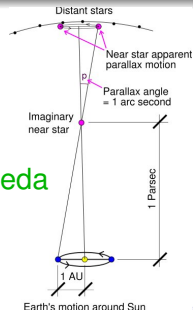
mean Earth-to-Sun distance
distance light travels in one year

$$1 \text{ yr} = 3.16 \times 10^7 \text{ s}$$

distance to object which has
a parallax angle of one arcsec



100 AU — Solar system size
1.3 pc — nearest-to-Sun stars
1 kpc — size of dwarf galaxies
50 kpc — distance to dwarves
0.8 Mpc — distance to Andromeda
1-3 Mpc — size of clusters
15 Mpc — distance to Virgo

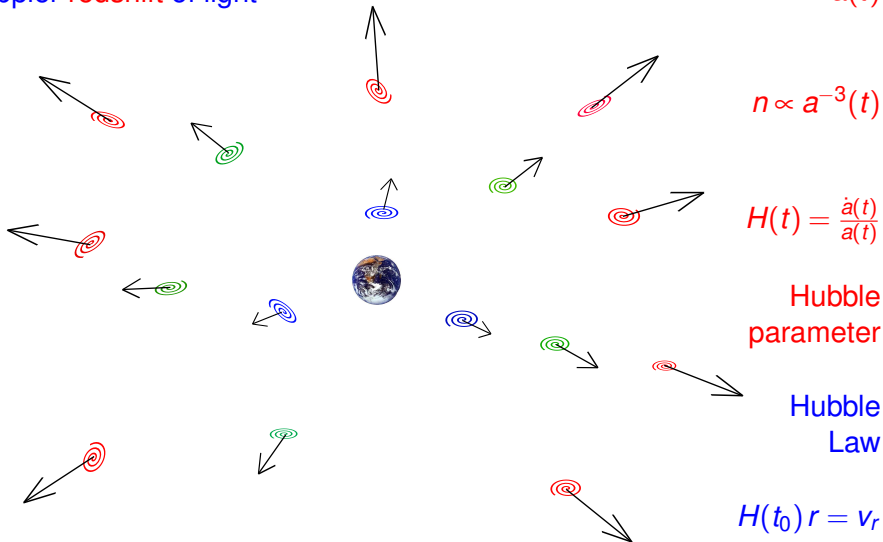


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Universe is expanding

Doppler redshift of light

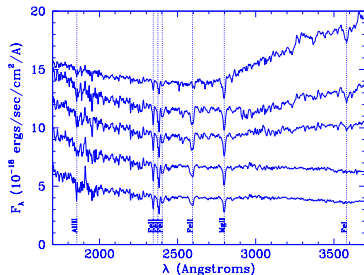
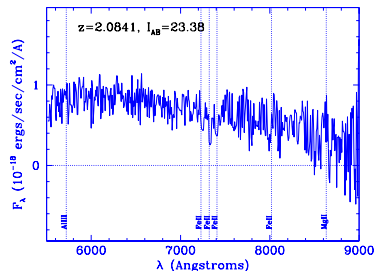


Expansion: redshift z

$$\lambda_{\text{abs.}} / \lambda_{\text{em.}} \equiv 1 + z$$

$$z \ll 1 \text{ Hubble law : } z = H_0 r$$

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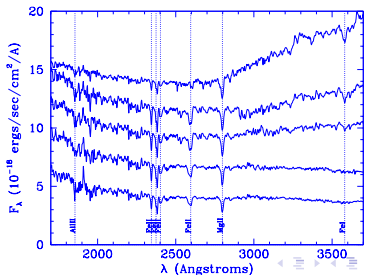
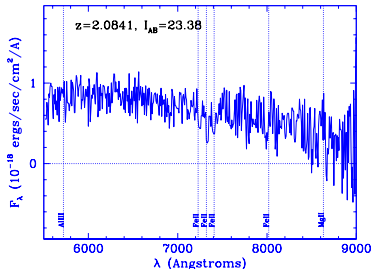
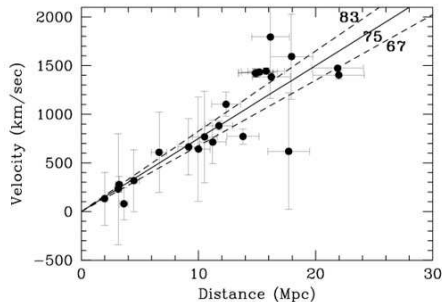
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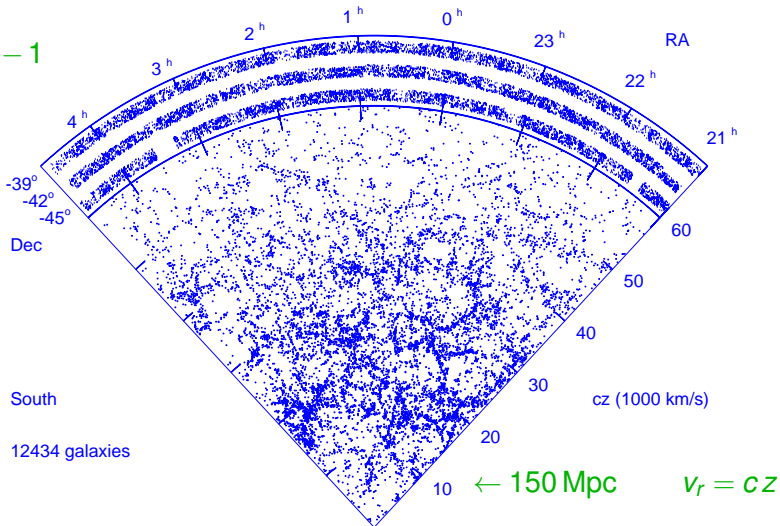
Hubble Diagram for Cepheids (flow-corrected)



Universe is homogeneous and isotropic

redshift

$$z \equiv \frac{\lambda_{\text{detector}}}{\lambda_{\text{source}}} - 1$$



The Universe: age & geometry & energy density

$$[H_0] = L^{-1} = t^{-1}$$

time scale: $t_{H_0} = H_0^{-1} \approx 14 \times 10^9$ yr

age of our Universe

spatial scale: $l_{H_0} = H_0^{-1} \approx 4.3 \times 10^3$ Mpc

size of the visible Universe

t_{H_0} is in agreement with various observations

homogeneity and isotropy in 3d:

flat, spherical or hyperbolic

Observations:

“very” flat

$$l_{H_0}/R_{curv} < 0.1$$

order-of-magnitude estimate:

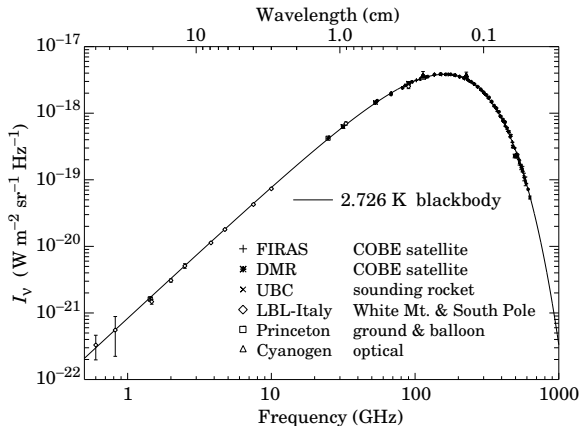
$$GM_U/l_U \sim G\rho_0 l_{H_0}^3 / l_{H_0} \sim 1$$

flat Universe

$$\rho_c = \frac{3}{8\pi} H_0^2 M_{Pl}^2 \approx 0.53 \times 10^{-5} \frac{\text{GeV}}{\text{cm}^3}$$

→ 5 protons in each $1 m^3$

Universe is occupied by “thermal” photons



$$T_0 = 2.726 \text{ K}$$

the spectrum
(shape and
normalization!)
is thermal

$$n_\gamma = 411 \text{ cm}^{-3}$$

Conclusions from observations

The Universe is homogeneous, isotropic, hot and expanding...

Conclusions

- interval between events gets modified

$$\Delta s^2 = c^2 \Delta t^2 - a^2(t) \Delta \mathbf{x}^2$$

in GR expansion is described by the Friedmann equation

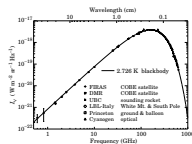
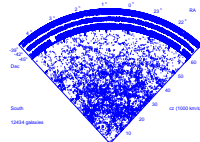
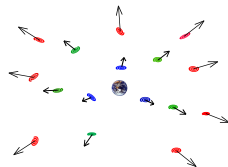
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$$\rho_{\text{density}}^{\text{energy}} = \rho_{\text{radiation}} + \rho_{\text{matter}} + \dots$$

- in the past the matter density was higher, our Universe was “hotter” filled with electromagnetic plasma

$$\rho_{\text{matter}} \propto 1/a^3(t), \quad \rho_{\text{radiation}} \propto 1/a^4(t), \quad \rho_{\text{curvature}} \propto 1/a^2(t)$$

certainly known up to $T \sim 1 \text{ MeV} \sim 10^{10} \text{ K}$



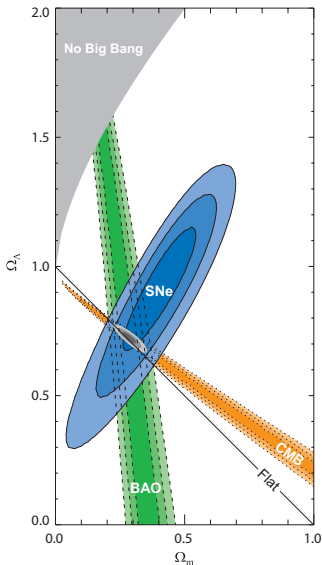
Why do we need dark components (within GR)?

- **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)

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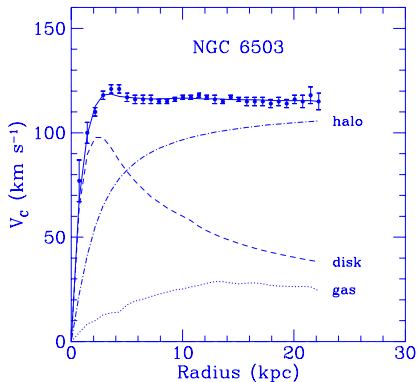
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Galactic dark halos:

flat rotation curves

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

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



observations:

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

visible matter:

internal regions $v(R) \propto \sqrt{R}$
 external ("empty") regions $v(R) \propto 1/\sqrt{R}$

Dark Matter in clusters

X-rays from hot gas in clusters

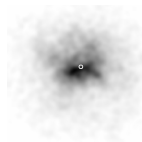
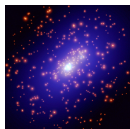
$$\frac{dP}{dR} = -\mu n_e(R) m_p \frac{GM(R)}{R^2}, \quad M(R) = 4\pi \int_0^R \rho(r) r^2 dr, \quad P(R) = n_e(R) T_e(R)$$

galaxies in clusters

virial theorem

$$U + 2E_k = 0$$

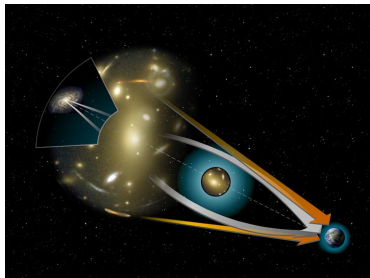
$$3M \langle v_r^2 \rangle = G \frac{M^2}{R}$$



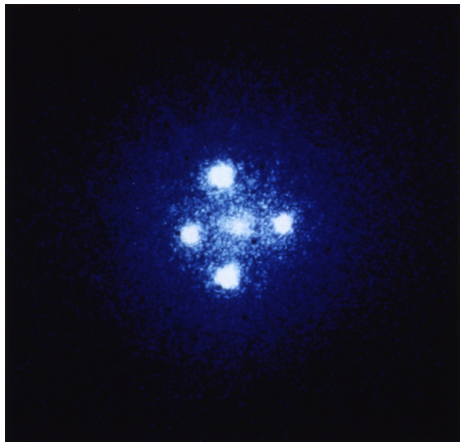
Milky Way: Virgo infall

Gravitational lensing in GR:

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

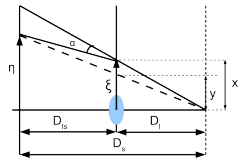


Einstein Cross



source: quasar $D_s = 2.4$ Gpc

lens: galaxy $D_l = 120$ Mpc



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

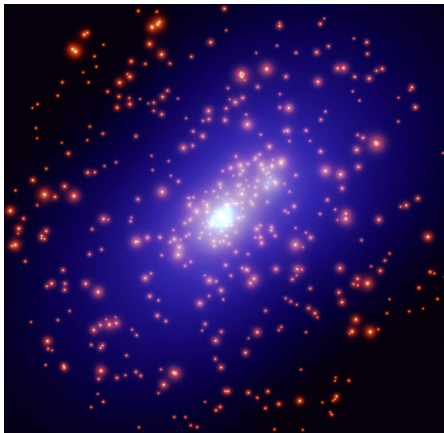
common lens
with specific
refraction
coefficient

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

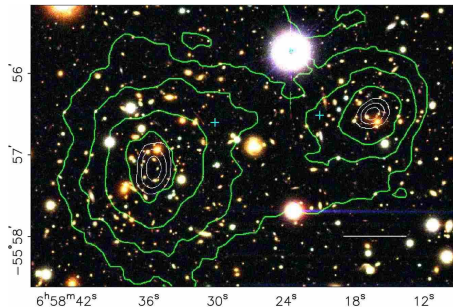
Dark Matter in clusters

gravitational lensing

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



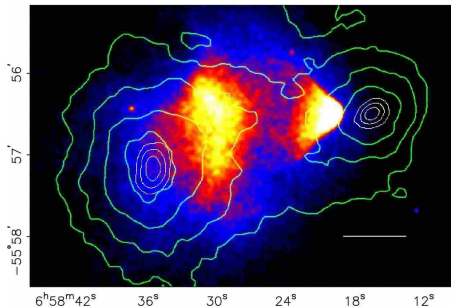
Colliding clusters (Bullet clusters 1E0657-558)



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:

for bosons

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

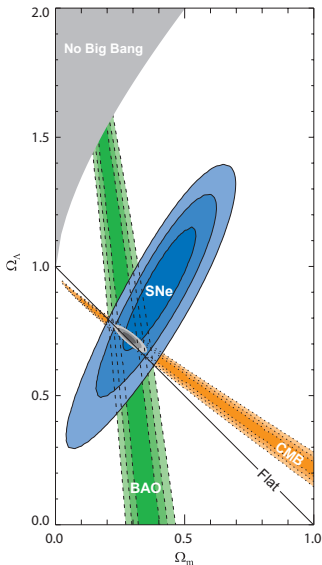
for fermions

Pauli blocking:

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

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

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

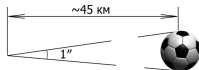
$$\Delta s^2 = c^2 \Delta t^2 - a^2(t) \Delta \vec{x}^2 \rightarrow ds^2 = g_{\mu\nu} dx^\mu dx^\nu$$

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

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

- Measuring brightness J of an object of known luminosity F

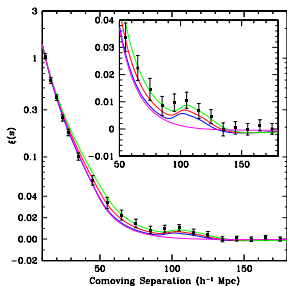
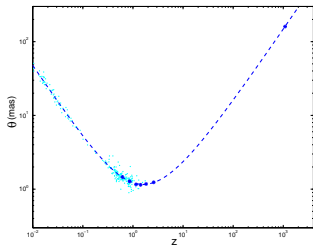
$$J = \frac{F}{4\pi L^2}$$

"standard candles"

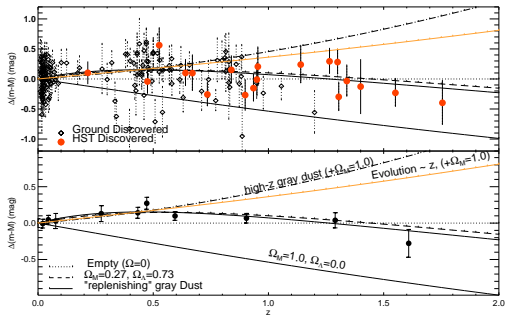


In the expanding Universe all these laws get modified

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...”

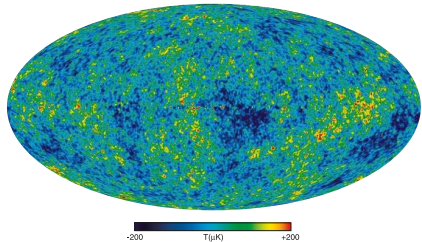
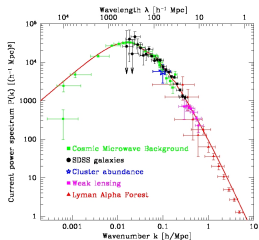
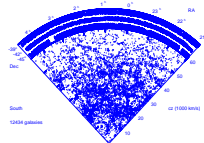
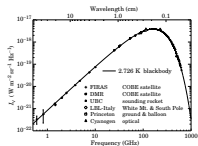
- 1 Earth movement with respect to CMB

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

- 2 More complex anisotropy!

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

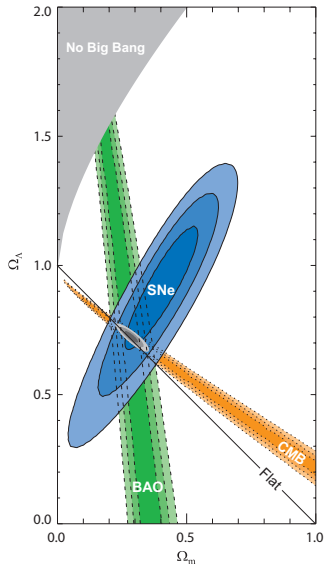
- There were matter inhomogenities $\Delta\rho/\rho \sim \Delta T/T$ at the stage of recombination ($e + p \rightarrow \gamma + H^*$)
- Jeans instability in the system of gravitating particles at rest $\Rightarrow \Delta\rho/\rho \nearrow \Rightarrow$ galaxies (CDM halos)



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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

$$\rho_\Lambda = 0.73\rho_c$$

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

Dark Energy: all evidences are from cosmology

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

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

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 $\Lambda \sim \rho$?

Why $\rho_B \sim \rho_{DM} \sim \rho_\Lambda$ today?

The future Universe

We will live for a while...

the same period with the same expansion rate

$t \sim 10$ Billion years

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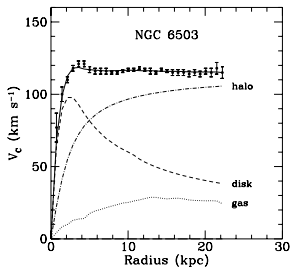
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Why do we think it is most probably new particle physics
(new gravity if any is not enough) ?

DM at various spatial scales, BAU requires baryon number violation

Universe content from astrophysics

Rotational curves



Gravitational lensing



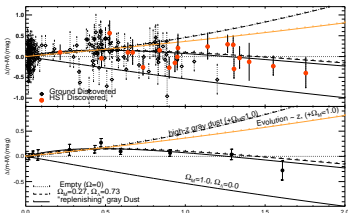
X-rays from centers of galaxy clusters

"Bullet" cluster

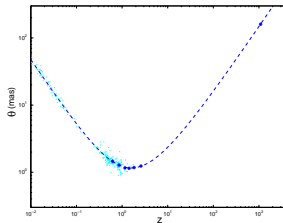


Universe content from cosmology

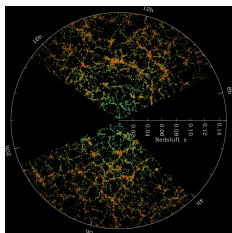
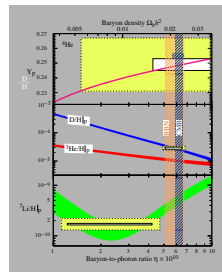
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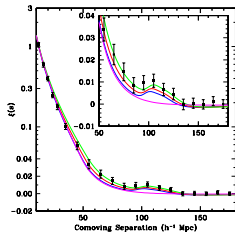
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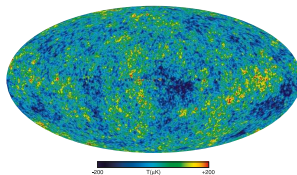
Nucleosynthesis



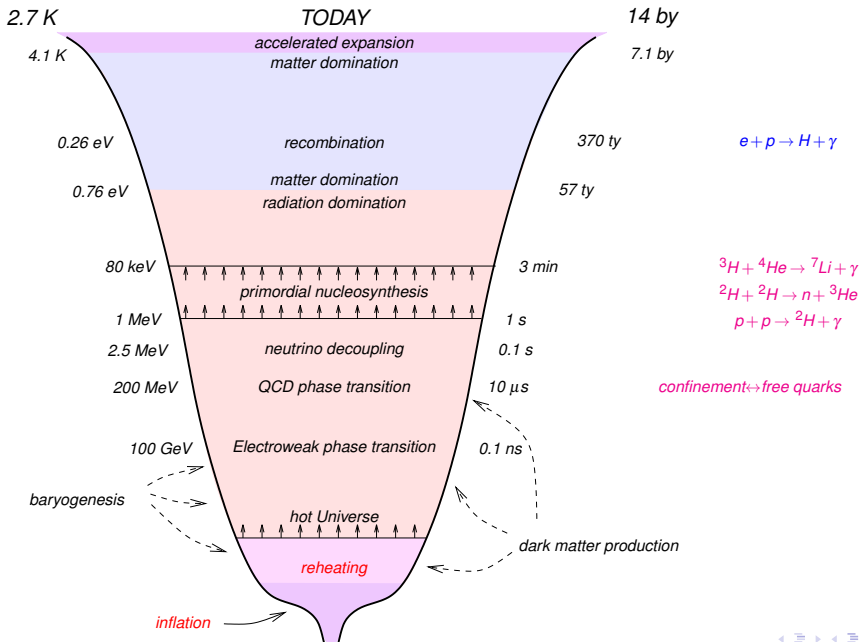
Large Scale Structures



Baryon acoustic oscillations



CMB anisotropy



Friedmann equation for the present Universe

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

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

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

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

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

Simple tasks to be solved



- 1 Refine the estimate of the age of our Universe

$$t_0 = \frac{1}{H_0} = 14 \times 10^9 \text{ years}$$

- 2 When (z_{acc} , t_{acc} , T_γ - ?) did deceleration-acceleration transition happen?
- 3 When (z_{EQ} , t_{EQ} , T_γ - ?) did matter-radiation transition (Equality) happen?

Hint: neutrino contribution to radiation energy density is 70% of photon contribution

- 4 Find the time of Electroweak phase transition, $T \sim 100 \text{ GeV}$

The early Universe to be tested at LHC ...

Hint: all SM particles contribute to energy density as about 50 photon species

Outline

- 1 General facts and key observables
- 2 Evidences for Dark Matter in astrophysics and cosmology
- 3 Mystery of Dark Energy
- 4 Redshift and the Hubble law**

FLRW metric

$$g_{\mu\nu}$$

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

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

Special frame: **different parts look similar**

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

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

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

Photons in the expanding Universe

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

$$dt = a d\eta$$

conformally flat metric

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

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

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

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

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 pc \approx 3 ly

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

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

$$H_0 = h \cdot 100 \frac{\text{km}}{\text{s} \cdot \text{Mpc}}, \quad h = 0.705 \pm 0.013$$

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

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

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

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

Massless bosons (photons)

fermions

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

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

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

decoupling at $T \gg m$:

neutrinos, hot(warm) dark matter

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

$$f(\mathbf{p}, t) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^3} \exp \left(-\frac{m - \mu_{eff}}{T_{eff}} \right) \exp \left(-\frac{\mathbf{p}^2}{2mT_{eff}} \right)$$

$$T_{eff}(t) = \left(\frac{a_i}{a(t)} \right)^2 T_i, \quad \frac{m - \mu_{eff}(t)}{T_{eff}} = \frac{m - \mu_i}{T_i}$$