Self-similar solutions for Fuzzy Dark Matter

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Introduction

Fuzzy dark matter (FDM)

- DM particles not detected.
- CDM has tensions at small scales.
- Alternative to CDM N-Body simulations.



$$\nabla^2 \Phi_{\rm N} = 4\pi\rho.$$

$$\Phi_{\rm Q} = -\frac{\epsilon^2}{2} \frac{\nabla^2 \sqrt{\rho}}{\sqrt{\rho}}.$$
$$\epsilon = \frac{T}{mL^2} \sim \frac{\lambda_{DB}}{L} \quad \lambda_{DB} \sim 0.5 \ kpc$$

FDM Soliton

r (kpc) Radial density profiles of haloes in ψ DM model

Schive, Chiueh, and Broadhurst (2014)

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Motivation of this work

- 1. Go beyond the static solitons by investigating dynamical self-similar solutions.
- 2. Understand physical processes: gravitational cooling.
- 3. Understand comparison with self similar solutions for CDM.

Dynamics: 3D Numerical simulations

FDM out of equilibrium, ε =1



Self-similar solutions for FDM

Cosmological Self-similar solutions

SELF-SIMILAR ANSTATZ

$$\rho = t^{-2} f\left(\frac{r}{\sqrt{t}}\right), \quad v = t^{-1/2} g\left(\frac{r}{\sqrt{t}}\right), \quad \Phi_{\rm N} = t^{-1} h\left(\frac{r}{\sqrt{t}}\right)$$

Continuity, Euler and Poisson

PERTURBATIONS AROUND THE EXPANDING COSMOLOGICAL BACKGROUND

$$\rho = \overline{\rho}(1+\delta), \quad \vec{v} = \overline{\vec{v}} + \vec{u}, \quad \Phi_{\mathrm{N}} = \overline{\Phi}_{\mathrm{N}} + \varphi_{\mathrm{N}},$$

Einstein de-Sitter Universe: $a \propto t^{2/3}$ Self-similar form

COMOVING FLUID EQUATIONS

$$\begin{split} &\frac{\partial \delta}{\partial t} + \frac{1}{a} \nabla_x \cdot \left[(1+\delta) \vec{u} \right] = 0, \\ &\frac{\partial \vec{u}}{\partial t} + \frac{1}{a} (\vec{u} \cdot \nabla_x) \vec{u} + H \vec{u} = -\frac{1}{a} \nabla_x (\varphi_{\rm N} + \Phi_{\rm Q}), \\ &\nabla_x^2 \varphi_{\rm N} = \frac{2}{3} \frac{\delta}{a}, \end{split}$$

SPHERICAL SELF-SIMILAR SOLUTIONS

$$\begin{split} \delta(x,t) &= \hat{\delta}(\eta), \quad u(x,t) = \epsilon^{1/2} t^{-1/2} \,\hat{u}(\eta), \\ \varphi_{\mathrm{N}}(x,t) &= \epsilon t^{-1} \,\hat{\varphi}_{\mathrm{N}}(\eta), \quad \Phi_{\mathrm{Q}}(x,t) = \epsilon t^{-1} \,\hat{\Phi}_{\mathrm{Q}}(\eta), \\ \delta M(x,t) &= \epsilon^{3/2} t^{-1/2} \,\delta \hat{M}(\eta), \end{split}$$

SCALING VARIABLE

$$\eta = \frac{t^{1/6}x}{\epsilon^{1/2}} = \frac{r}{\sqrt{\epsilon t}}.$$

1) Linear regime

2) Non-linear regime

Non-linear regime: Overdensity, $\delta(0) = 100$



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High-density asymptotic limit



- The **BKGD density becomes negligible** as compared with the central density.
- The inner profile converge to a limiting shape that obeys the scaling law:

 $\left\{\eta,\psi,\rho,M\right\} \to \left\{\lambda^{-1}\eta,\lambda^{2}\psi,\lambda^{4}\rho,\lambda M\right\}$

- The central peak of the **self-similar solution is narrower than the soliton peak**.
- The shape of the central peak of the self-similar profile does not converge to the soliton equilibrium. → kinetic effects (dominate near the boundary of the central peak).

Comparison with CDM self-similar solutions & Conclusions

Comparison: CDM vs FDM



No transition from the linear to the non-linear regime.

- Gravitational cooling.
- The size grows in physical coordinates but shrinks in comoving coordinates.





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Upcoming work

- New numerical studies at galactic scales to compare different scalar field dark matter models (SFDM).
- Extend self-similar solutions.
- SFDM cosmological simulations to study how the formation of large scale structure is modified compared to the CDM scenario.

Back up: Introduction

FDM small scale

Hydrostatic equilibrium $\Phi_{\rm N} + \Phi_{\rm Q} = \alpha, \label{eq:phi}$

Soliton profile

$$\epsilon^2 \nabla^2 \psi_{\rm sol} = 2(\Phi_{\rm N} - \alpha) \psi_{\rm sol}.$$
$$\nabla^2 \Phi_{\rm N} = 4\pi \psi_{\rm sol}^2$$







A slice of density field of ψ DM simulation on various scales at z=0.1

Schive, Chiueh, and Broadhurst (2014)

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FDM large scale distribution

Recover the success of CDM large scale distribution of filaments and voids.



Fuzzy Dark Matter (FDM)



Cold Dark Matter (CDM)



Schive, Chiueh, and Broadhurst (2014)

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Dynamics of Fuzzy Dark Matter

$$m \sim 10^{-22} eV$$
 De Broglie wavelength $\sim 0.5 kpc$

Action:

$$S = \int d^4x \sqrt{-g} \left[-\frac{1}{2} g^{\mu\nu} \partial_\mu \phi \partial_\nu \phi - \frac{m^2}{2} \phi^2 \right]$$

SCHRÖDINGER-POISSON SYSTEM (SP)

$$i\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} = -\frac{1}{2m}\nabla^2\psi + m\Phi_{\rm N}\,\psi,$$
$$\nabla^2\Phi_{\rm N} = 4\pi\mathcal{G}_{\rm N}\rho, \quad \rho = m\psi\psi^*$$

SP system scaling law

$$\{t, \vec{r}, \Phi_{\mathrm{N}}, \psi, \rho\} \rightarrow \{\lambda^{-2}t, \lambda^{-1}\vec{r}, \lambda^{2}\Phi_{\mathrm{N}}, \lambda^{2}\psi, \lambda^{4}\rho\}.$$

Non-Relativistic regime:

$$\begin{split} \phi &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2m}} \left(\psi \exp^{-imt} + \psi^* \exp^{imt} \right) \\ & |\ddot{\psi}| \ll m |\dot{\psi}| \quad \text{ Factor-out the fast time oscillation of } \pmb{\phi} \end{split}$$

HYDRODYNAMICAL PICTURE

$$\psi = \sqrt{\rho} \, e^{iS/\epsilon}, \quad \vec{v} = \nabla S,$$

$$\begin{split} &\frac{\partial\rho}{\partial t} + \nabla\cdot(\rho\vec{v}) = 0, \\ &\frac{\partial\vec{v}}{\partial t} + (\vec{v}\cdot\nabla)\vec{v} = -\nabla\left(\Phi_{\rm N} + \Phi_{\rm Q}\right) \\ &\nabla^2\Phi_{\rm N} = 4\pi\rho. \end{split}$$

Quantum pressure

$$\Phi_{\rm Q} = -\frac{\epsilon^2}{2} \frac{\nabla^2 \sqrt{\rho}}{\sqrt{\rho}}. \qquad \epsilon = \frac{T}{mL^2} \sim \frac{\lambda_{DB}}{L}$$

FDM Motivation 1) Explanation to CDM small-scales tensions

Core/cusp problem



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Introduction Self-similar solutions Linear regime Non-linear regime High-density asymptotic limit Conclusion

FDM Motivation 2) Alternative to CDM N-Body simulations

CDM: A classical collisionless fluid is governed by the **Vlasov-Poisson equations**. f = f(x, p, t)

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}f}{\mathrm{d}t} = \frac{\mathrm{d}f}{\mathrm{d}t} + \frac{\mathbf{p}}{ma^2} \cdot \nabla_{\mathbf{x}} f - m(\nabla_{\mathbf{x}}\phi) \cdot \nabla_{\mathbf{p}} f = 0, \qquad \nabla_{\mathbf{x}}^2 \phi = 4\pi G \bar{\rho}(t) a^2 \delta(\mathbf{x}, t),$$
$$\rho = \bar{\rho}(t) [1 + \delta(\mathbf{x}, t)], \qquad \rho = \int f(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{p}, t) \, \mathrm{d}^3 p.$$

• Wigner quasi-probability distribution: link the Schrödinger wave function ψ to a function f in phase space.

$$f_{\rm W}(\vec{r},\vec{v}) = \int \frac{d\vec{r}'}{(2\pi)^3} e^{i\vec{v}\cdot\vec{r}'}\psi\left(\vec{r}-\frac{\epsilon}{2}\vec{r}'\right)\psi^*\left(\vec{r}+\frac{\epsilon}{2}\vec{r}'\right),$$

• Husimi representation: smoothing of the Wigner distribution by a Gaussian filter of width σx and σp in x and p space.

$$f_{\rm H}(\vec{r},\vec{v}) = \int \frac{d\vec{r}\,'d\vec{v}\,'}{(2\pi\epsilon)^3 \sigma_r^3 \sigma_v^3} \, e^{-(\vec{r}-\vec{r}\,')^2/(2\epsilon\sigma_r^2) - (\vec{v}-\vec{v}\,')^2/(2\epsilon\sigma_v^2)} \, \times f_{\rm W}(\vec{r}\,',\vec{v}\,'),$$

• Husimi is a positive-semidefinite function \rightarrow No fast oscillations of Wigner

FDM comoving Vlasov equation

$$\frac{\partial f_{\mathrm{W}}}{\partial t} + \frac{\vec{p}}{a^2} \cdot \frac{\partial f_{\mathrm{W}}}{\partial \vec{x}} - \vec{\nabla}_x \varphi_{\mathrm{N}} \cdot \frac{\partial f_{\mathrm{W}}}{\partial \vec{p}} + \mathcal{O}(\epsilon) = 0.$$

Kaiser (1993) C. Uhlemann, M. Kopp, & T. Haugg (2014)

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FDM comoving Vlasov equation

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CDM comoving Vlasov equation

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}f}{\mathrm{d}t} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial t} + \frac{\mathbf{p}}{ma^2} \cdot \nabla_{\mathbf{x}} f - m(\nabla_{\mathbf{x}} \phi) \cdot \nabla_{\mathbf{p}} f = 0,$$

Link the Schrödinger wave function ψ to a function *f* in phase space.



Cosmological simulation at z=3, evolved either as CDM (VP eq) or as FDM (SP)

Philip Mocz and Lachlan Lancaste, Anastasia Fialkov and Fernando Becerra, Pierre-Henri Chavanis (2018).

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Kaiser (1993)

Back up: Self-similar solutions for FDM

Cosmological Self-similar solutions

FLUID PICTURE

$$\rho = t^{-2} f\left(\frac{r}{\sqrt{t}}\right), \ v = t^{-1/2} g\left(\frac{r}{\sqrt{t}}\right), \ \Phi_{\rm N} = t^{-1} h\left(\frac{r}{\sqrt{t}}\right)$$

Continuity, **Euler and Poisson**

COSMOLOGICAL BACKGROUND

Einstein de-Sitter Universe: matter era & the scale factor : $\,a \propto t^{2/3}$

$$\bar{\rho} = \frac{1}{6\pi t^2}, \quad \bar{v} = \frac{2r}{3t}, \quad \bar{\Phi}_{\rm N} = \frac{r^2}{9t^2}. \qquad {\rm Self\text{-similar form}} \quad \bigodot$$

Comoving spatial coordinates $\vec{x} = \vec{r}/a$

PERTURBATIONS AROUND THE EXPANDING BACKGROUND

$$\rho = \bar{\rho}(1+\delta), \quad \vec{v} = \bar{\vec{v}} + \vec{u}, \quad \Phi_{\rm N} = \bar{\Phi}_{\rm N} + \varphi_{\rm N},$$

Comoving Self-similar solutions: Scaling variable

 $\rho = \bar{\rho}(1+\delta), \quad \vec{v} = \bar{\vec{v}} + \vec{u}, \quad \Phi_N = \bar{\Phi}_N + \varphi_N, \quad \Rightarrow$ Substituting into the Euler, Poisson and continuity eq.

COMOVING FLUID EQUATIONS

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Quantum Pressure

$$\begin{split} \frac{\partial \delta}{\partial t} &+ \frac{1}{a} \nabla_x \cdot \left[(1+\delta) \vec{u} \right] = 0, \\ \frac{\partial \vec{u}}{\partial t} &+ \frac{1}{a} (\vec{u} \cdot \nabla_x) \vec{u} + H \vec{u} = -\frac{1}{a} \nabla_x (\varphi_N + \Phi_Q), \end{split} \qquad \Phi_Q = -\frac{\epsilon^2}{2a^2} \frac{\nabla_x^2 \sqrt{\rho}}{\sqrt{\rho}}. \\ \nabla_x^2 \varphi_N &= \frac{2}{3} \frac{\delta}{a}, \end{split}$$

Spherical self-similar solutions will be of the form:

$$\begin{split} \delta(x,t) &= \hat{\delta}(\eta), \ u(x,t) = \epsilon^{1/2} t^{-1/2} \,\hat{u}(\eta), \\ \varphi_{\mathrm{N}}(x,t) &= \epsilon t^{-1} \,\hat{\varphi}_{\mathrm{N}}(\eta), \ \Phi_{\mathrm{Q}}(x,t) = \epsilon t^{-1} \,\hat{\Phi}_{\mathrm{Q}}(\eta), \\ \delta M(x,t) &= \epsilon^{3/2} t^{-1/2} \,\delta \hat{M}(\eta), \end{split}$$

Where the mass perturbation inside the radius r :

$$\delta M(r) = 4\pi \int_0^r dr \, r^2 \delta \rho(r) = \frac{2}{3} \int_0^x dx \, x^2 \delta(x),$$

Self-similar $v = t^{-1/2}g\left(\frac{r}{\sqrt{t}}\right)$ ansatz

$$\rho = t^{-2} f\left(\frac{r}{\sqrt{t}}\right) \Phi_{\rm N} = t^{-1} h\left(\frac{r}{\sqrt{t}}\right)$$

SCALING VARIABLE

$$\eta = \frac{t^{1/6}x}{\epsilon^{1/2}} = \frac{r}{\sqrt{\epsilon t}}.$$

Scaling variable

Spherical self-similar solutions:

$$\begin{split} \delta(x,t) &= \hat{\delta}(\eta), \ u(x,t) = \epsilon^{1/2} t^{-1/2} \,\hat{u}(\eta), \\ \varphi_{\mathrm{N}}(x,t) &= \epsilon t^{-1} \,\hat{\varphi}_{\mathrm{N}}(\eta), \ \Phi_{\mathrm{Q}}(x,t) = \epsilon t^{-1} \,\hat{\Phi}_{\mathrm{Q}}(\eta), \\ \delta M(x,t) &= \epsilon^{3/2} t^{-1/2} \,\delta \hat{M}(\eta), \end{split}$$

SCALING VARIABLE

$$\eta = \frac{t^{1/6}x}{\epsilon^{1/2}} = \frac{r}{\sqrt{\epsilon t}}.$$

$$M = \bar{M} + \delta M = \epsilon^{3/2} t^{-1/2} \left[\frac{2}{9} \eta^3 + \delta \hat{M}(\eta) \right].$$

- The size grows as $\sim \sqrt{t}$ in physical units but more slowly than the scale factor, \rightarrow shrink as $t^{-1/6}$ in comoving units.
- The associated mass decreases as $M \sim 1/\sqrt{t}$. (\neq CDM: grow both in comoving size and in mass.)

Back up: Linear regime

Linear regime: Fourier space

FOURIER SPACE

$$\ddot{\delta}_L + \frac{4}{3t}\dot{\delta}_L - \frac{2}{3t^2}\delta_L + \frac{\epsilon^2 k^4}{4t^{8/3}}\delta_L = 0.$$

FDM Growing and decaying modes: $D_+(k, t)$

$$D_{+}(k,t) = t^{-1/6} J_{-5/2} \left(\frac{3}{2} \epsilon k^{2} t^{-1/3}\right),$$
$$D_{-}(k,t) = t^{-1/6} J_{5/2} \left(\frac{3}{2} \epsilon k^{2} t^{-1/3}\right).$$

CDM Growing and decaying modes: $D_+(k, t)$

- $D_+(k,t) \propto t^{2/3} \propto a$ Semi-classical limit, $\epsilon \to 0$, or on large scales $k \to 0$ $D_{-}(k,t) \propto t^{-1}$
- At late times \rightarrow CDM behaviour \rightarrow damping of Φ_Q term $t^{-8/3}$ •
- For $\epsilon \neq 0$, $\Phi_{\rm Q} \rightarrow$ Acoustic waves: $D_+(k,t) \sim \cos(3\epsilon k^2 t^{-1/3}/2) \quad D_-(k,t) \sim \sin(3\epsilon k^2 t^{-1/3}/2)$

To recover the **BKGD** density on large scales, we keep the decaying mode:

$$\delta_L(x,t) = 1 + \frac{\eta^4}{45} - \frac{8\eta^2}{9\pi} {}_2F_3\left(-\frac{1}{2},2;\frac{3}{2},\frac{5}{4},\frac{7}{4};-\frac{\eta^4}{144}\right)$$

Linear regime: Real space

REAL SPACE

$$\delta_L^{(4)} + \frac{4}{\eta}\delta_L^{(3)} + \frac{\eta^2}{9}\delta_L'' + \frac{\eta}{3}\delta_L' - \frac{8}{3}\delta_L = 0,$$

FDM 4 independent linear modes

$$\begin{split} \delta_{L1} &= 45 + \eta^4, \ \delta_{L2} = \frac{1}{\eta} {}_2F_3 \left(-\frac{5}{4}, \frac{5}{4}; \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{4}; -\frac{\eta^4}{144} \right), \\ \delta_{L3} &= \eta {}_2F_3 \left(-\frac{3}{4}, \frac{7}{4}; \frac{3}{4}, \frac{5}{4}, \frac{3}{2}; -\frac{\eta^4}{144} \right), \\ \delta_{L4} &= \eta^2 {}_2F_3 \left(-\frac{1}{2}, 2; \frac{5}{4}, \frac{3}{2}, \frac{7}{4}; -\frac{\eta^4}{144} \right). \end{split}$$

- Smooth solution at $\eta = 0$
- Satisfy the boundary conditions at infinity with $\delta(0) = 1$

$$\delta_L = -\frac{8}{9\pi} \left(\delta_{L4} - \frac{\pi}{40} \delta_{L1} \right) \quad \checkmark$$

Recover Fourier solution

Non-linear regime

Linear regime self-similar solution



- Central peak much higher than the next peaks.
- Amplitude of δ_L does not grow with time and remains constant. (\neq CDM)
 - It is stable and does not reach the nonlinear regime at late times.
 - To reach the nonlinear regime \rightarrow start with a large nonlinear perturbation.
- As time grows, self-similar solution grows in physical coordinates but shrinks in comoving coordinates.

I) Small perturbations: Linear regime, $\delta(0) = 1$



- FDM: constant amplitude. (≠ CDM)
- FDM: grows in physical coordinates but shrinks in comoving coordinates. (*≠* CDM)
- FDM : Fields with oscillations , Φ_Q . (\neq CDM)



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Back up: Non-linear regime

The fields in terms of η :

Closed equation over δM

Euler equation in terms of η :

$$\frac{1}{6}(\hat{u}+\eta\hat{u}')+\hat{u}\hat{u}'+\hat{\varphi}_{\mathrm{N}}'+\hat{\Phi}_{\mathrm{Q}}'=0,$$

$$\hat{\Phi}_{\Omega} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\eta^2 \frac{d}{dt} \sqrt{1+\hat{\delta}} \right) \qquad \hat{\delta} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\eta^2 \frac{d}{dt} \sqrt{1+\hat{\delta}} \right) \qquad \hat{\delta} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\eta^2 \frac{d}{dt} \sqrt{1+\hat{\delta}} \right) \qquad \hat{\delta} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\eta^2 \frac{d}{dt} \sqrt{1+\hat{\delta}} \right) \qquad \hat{\delta} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\eta^2 \frac{d}{dt} \sqrt{1+\hat{\delta}} \right) \qquad \hat{\delta} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\eta^2 \frac{d}{dt} \sqrt{1+\hat{\delta}} \right) \qquad \hat{\delta} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\eta^2 \frac{d}{dt} \sqrt{1+\hat{\delta}} \right) \qquad \hat{\delta} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\eta^2 \frac{d}{dt} \sqrt{1+\hat{\delta}} \right) \qquad \hat{\delta} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\eta^2 \frac{d}{dt} \sqrt{1+\hat{\delta}} \right) \qquad \hat{\delta} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\eta^2 \frac{d}{dt} \sqrt{1+\hat{\delta}} \right) \qquad \hat{\delta} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\eta^2 \frac{d}{dt} \sqrt{1+\hat{\delta}} \right) \qquad \hat{\delta} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\eta^2 \frac{d}{dt} \sqrt{1+\hat{\delta}} \right) \qquad \hat{\delta} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\eta^2 \frac{d}{dt} \sqrt{1+\hat{\delta}} \right) \qquad \hat{\delta} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\eta^2 \frac{d}{dt} \sqrt{1+\hat{\delta}} \right) \qquad \hat{\delta} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\eta^2 \frac{d}{dt} \sqrt{1+\hat{\delta}} \right) \qquad \hat{\delta} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\eta^2 \frac{d}{dt} \sqrt{1+\hat{\delta}} \right) \qquad \hat{\delta} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\eta^2 \frac{d}{dt} \sqrt{1+\hat{\delta}} \right) \qquad \hat{\delta} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\eta^2 \frac{d}{dt} \sqrt{1+\hat{\delta}} \right) \qquad \hat{\delta} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\eta^2 \frac{d}{dt} \sqrt{1+\hat{\delta}} \right) \qquad \hat{\delta} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\eta^2 \frac{d}{dt} \sqrt{1+\hat{\delta}} \right) \qquad \hat{\delta} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\eta^2 \frac{d}{dt} \sqrt{1+\hat{\delta}} \right) \qquad \hat{\delta} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\eta^2 \frac{d}{dt} \sqrt{1+\hat{\delta}} \right) \qquad \hat{\delta} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\eta^2 \frac{d}{dt} \sqrt{1+\hat{\delta}} \right) \qquad \hat{\delta} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\eta^2 \frac{d}{dt} \sqrt{1+\hat{\delta}} \right) \qquad \hat{\delta} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\eta^2 \frac{d}{dt} \sqrt{1+\hat{\delta}} \right) \qquad \hat{\delta} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\eta^2 \frac{d}{dt} \sqrt{1+\hat{\delta}} \right) \qquad \hat{\delta} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\eta^2 \frac{d}{dt} \sqrt{1+\hat{\delta}} \right) \qquad \hat{\delta} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\eta^2 \frac{d}{dt} \sqrt{1+\hat{\delta}} \right) \qquad \hat{\delta} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\eta^2 \frac{d}{dt} \sqrt{1+\hat{\delta}} \right) \qquad \hat{\delta} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\eta^2 \frac{d}{dt} \sqrt{1+\hat{\delta}} \right) \qquad \hat{\delta} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\eta^2 \frac{d}{dt} \sqrt{1+\hat{\delta}} \right) \qquad \hat{\delta} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\eta^2 \frac{d}{dt} \sqrt{1+\hat{\delta}} \right) \qquad \hat{\delta} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\eta^2 \frac{d}{dt} \sqrt{1+\hat{\delta}} \right) \qquad \hat{\delta} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\eta^2 \frac{d}{dt} \sqrt{1+\hat{\delta}} \right) \qquad \hat{\delta} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\eta^2 \frac{d}{dt} \sqrt{1+\hat{\delta}} \right) \qquad \hat{\delta} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\eta^2 \frac{d}{dt} \sqrt{1+\hat{\delta}} \right) \qquad \hat{\delta} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dt}$$

$$\hat{\eta}_{\mathrm{Q}}=-rac{1}{2\eta^{2}\sqrt{1+\hat{\delta}}}rac{d}{d\eta}\left(\eta^{2}rac{d}{d\eta}\sqrt{1+\hat{\delta}}
ight) \hspace{0.5cm}\hat{\delta}=rac{3}{2\eta^{2}}\delta\hat{M}^{\prime}$$

Poisson equation in terms of η :

$$rac{1}{\eta^2}rac{d}{d\eta}\left(\eta^2rac{d\hat{arphi}_{
m N}}{d\eta}
ight)=rac{2}{3}\hat{\delta},$$

Integrating the continuity equation:

$$\hat{u} = \frac{3\delta \hat{M} - \eta \delta \hat{M}'}{4\eta^2 + 6\delta \hat{M}'}.$$

CLOSED NON LINEAR EQUATION OVER δ M

$$\begin{split} 9(2\eta^{3} + 3\eta\delta\hat{M}')^{2}\delta\hat{M}^{(4)} &- (144\eta^{5} + 216\eta^{3}\delta\hat{M}' + 108\eta^{4}\delta\hat{M}'' \\ &+ 162\eta^{2}\delta\hat{M}'\delta\hat{M}'')\delta\hat{M}^{(3)} + (4\eta^{8} + 288\eta^{4} + 36\eta^{5}\delta\hat{M} \\ &- 216\eta^{2}\delta\hat{M}' + 324\eta^{3}\delta\hat{M}'' + 81\eta^{2}\delta\hat{M}^{2} + 81\eta^{2}\delta\hat{M}''^{2})\delta\hat{M}'' \\ &- 3(4\eta^{7} + 96\eta^{3} + 180\eta^{4}\delta\hat{M} + 243\eta^{2}\delta\hat{M}\delta\hat{M}' - 3\eta^{3}\delta\hat{M}'^{2} \\ &+ 108\delta\hat{M}\delta\hat{M}'^{2})\delta\hat{M}' - 12\eta^{3}(7\eta^{3} - 9\delta\hat{M})\delta\hat{M} = 0. \end{split}$$

Self-similar Husimi phase-space distribution $\hat{f}_H(\eta; v_r; v_t = 0)$



Radial Husimi phase-space distribution \hat{f}_H (η ; v_r ; $v_t = 0$), $\sigma = 1$



- As the spatial coarsening $\sigma_x \propto \sigma$ increases \rightarrow the velocity coarsening, $\sigma_p \propto 1/\sigma$ decreases : Heisenberg uncertainty principle.
- Velocity asymmetries but spatial profile is smoothed out.
- At large distance, the profile \rightarrow cosmological BKGD.
- The coarsening $\sigma = 1$ is no longer sufficient to separate the first few peaks.
- Artificial interferences between these peaks and to a Husimi distribution that is difficult to interpret and far from the semiclassical expectations

Radial Husimi phase-space distribution \hat{f}_H (η ; v_r ; $v_t = 0$), $\sigma = 0.3$



- Well-defined peaks increasing with $\delta(0)$ and preserves signs of the density fluctuations.
- At large distance → the cosmological BKGD.
- More faithful representation: Sequence of scalar-field clumps
- COST: This erases most of the information about the velocity field.
- Different choices of $\sigma \rightarrow$ different pictures \rightarrow Difficult to relate to the underlying dynamics
- The hydrodynamical mapping clearer picture of the dynamics.

Back up: High-density asymptotic limit

High-density asymptotic limit



- The BKGD density becomes negligible as compared with the central density.
- The inner profile converge to a limiting shape that obeys the scaling law:

 $\left\{\eta,\psi,\rho,M\right\} \rightarrow \left\{\lambda^{-1}\eta,\lambda^{2}\psi,\lambda^{4}\rho,\lambda M\right\}$

- The central peak of the **self-similar solution is narrower than the soliton peak**.
- The shape of the central peak of the self-similar profile does not converge to the soliton equilibrium. → kinetic effects (dominate near the boundary of the central peak).

CDM self-similar solutions vs FDM self-similar solutions

CDM spherical collapse

- Density contrast grows from linear regime with a power-law profile → non linear regime.
- Non-linear effects modify the shape of the profile in the inner regions → At small radii it takes again a power-law form.
- Gravitational instability and increasingly distant shells collapse → Stabilize at a fixed fraction of the turn-around radius → (gravity balanced by velocity dispersion). → Virial equilibrium in the inner nonlinear core.
- Mass and a radius that grow with time, both in physical and comoving coordinates.



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Non-linear regime

CDM self-similar solutions vs FDM self-similar solutions

- Density amplitude does not grow with time. → Balance φ_{N vs} Φ_Q
 → No transition from the linear to non-linear regime. → No
 gravitational collapse.
- Oscillations of the fields.
- The profile remains linear on all scales and at all times or non-linear at the center.
- At large distance → oscillations around the BCKG → 2 additional linear modes.
- Acoustic-like oscillations→ transport information from small to large scales.
- Matter moves though clumps : Gravitational cooling.
- FDM self-similar solutions disappear in the semi classical limit $\epsilon o 0$, as their size and mass decrease as $\epsilon^{1/2}$ and $\epsilon^{3/2}$

