

# Trispectrum estimation in various models of equilateral type non-Gaussianity

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# Introduction

Initial condition of Big Bang Theory

Flatness problem, Horizon Problem, Monopole problem

Inflation can solve these problems

and predict perturbation of CMB is almost Gaussian and almost scale invariant

 observed

Which inflation??

More detailed information of CMB perturbation

Deviation from Gaussianity  
Deviation from scale invariance  
Different scale from CMB

Gravitational wave

 Topic of my talk: Non-Gaussianity

# Bispectrum $\sim \langle \phi\phi\phi \rangle$

Momentum dependence

$k_1, k_2, k_3$

9 variables

Constraint from symmetry on background

Homogeneity

3 constraints

Isotropy

3 constraints

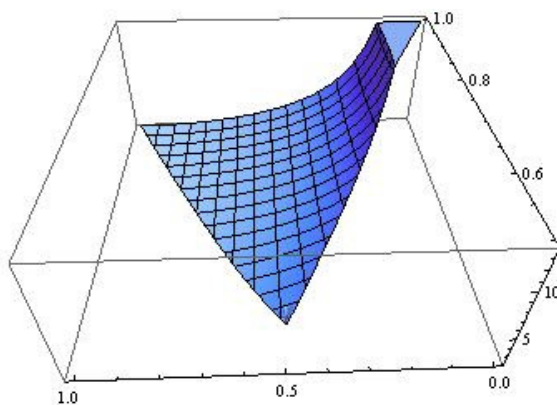


Bispectrum depends on 3 variables

Additionally, assume scale independence

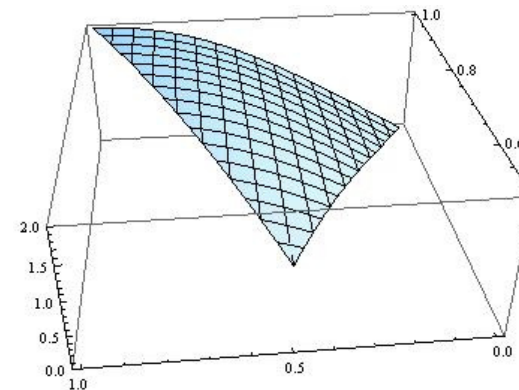


2 variables  $k_2/k_1, k_3/k_1$



$k_3/k_1$

$k_2/k_1$



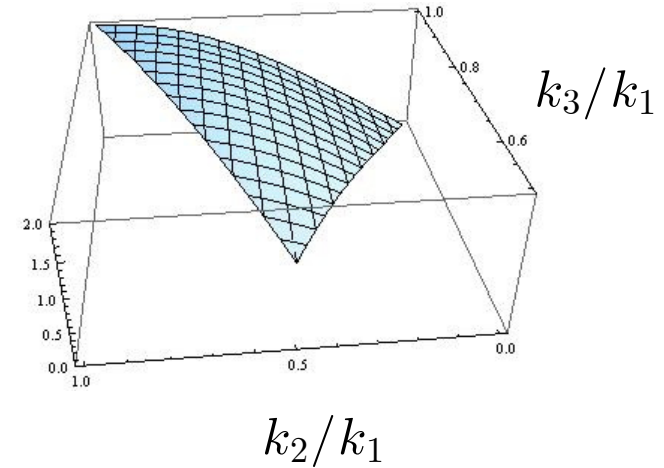
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# Equilateral shape

Maximum at equilateral point

$$k_2/k_1 = k_3/k_1$$



Derivative coupling gives equilateral shape

DBI inflation, ghost inflation, Lifshitz-scaling scalar



In these model, the shapes of bispectrum are similar.



Hard to discriminate by observation

Higher order correlation function

The next order is Trispectrum  $\sim \langle \phi\phi\phi\phi \rangle$

# Trispectrum $\sim \langle \phi\phi\phi\phi \rangle$

Momentum dependence

$\mathbf{k}_1, \mathbf{k}_2, \mathbf{k}_3, \mathbf{k}_4$

12 variables

Constraint from symmetry on background

Homogeneity

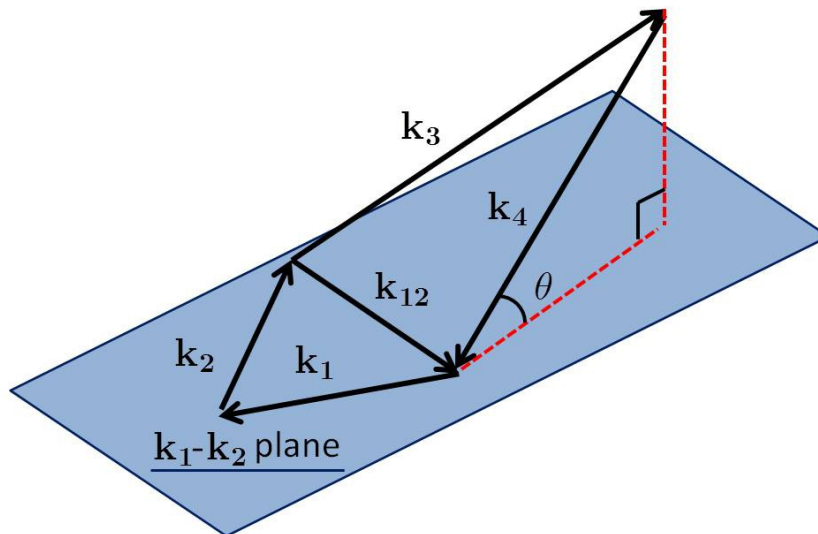
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Isotropy

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➔ Trispectrum depends on 6 variables

Additionally, assume scale independence ➔ 5 variables



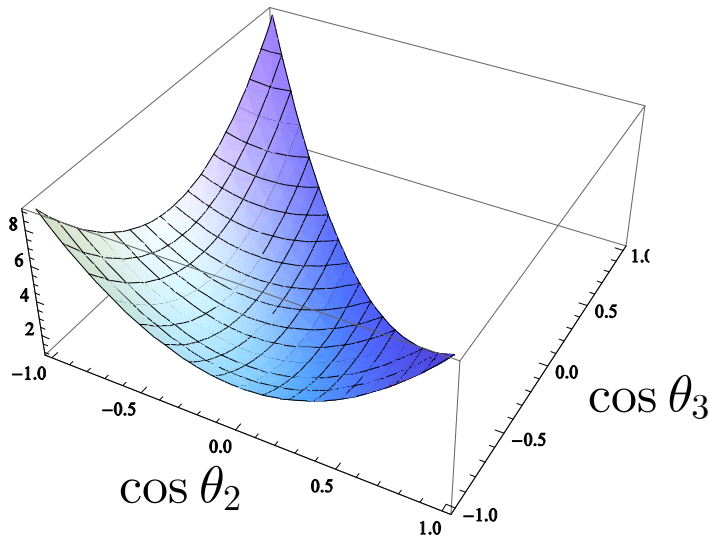
$k_2/k_1, k_3/k_1, k_4/k_1,$

$k_{12}/k_1, \cos \theta_4$

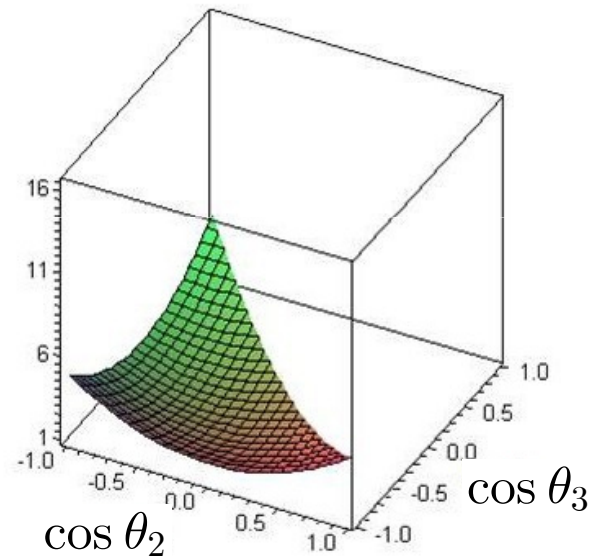
# Shape of equilateral Trispectrum

One way to see difference among models visually is fixing 3 of 5 variables

Example: equilateral case  $k_1 = k_2 = k_3 = k_4 = k$



Ghost inflation  
(K. I., S. Mukohyama 2010)



Multi DBI inflation  
(S. Mizuno, F. Arroja, K. Koyama 2009)

$$\cos \theta_i = \mathbf{k}_1 \cdot \mathbf{k}_i / k^2$$

$$\cos \theta_2 + \cos \theta_3 + \cos \theta_4 = 1$$

# Correlator of Trispectrum shape

- For exact science, numerical comparison is needed.
- using all information is better.



Introduce inner product (D. M. Regan, E. P. S. Shellard and J. R. Fergusson 2010)

In Regan's paper,

Trispectrum in some of model can be decompose into sum of functions which depends on 5 variables

$$S_T(k_1, k_2, k_3, k_4, k_{12}) + S_T(k_1, k_2, k_3, k_4, k_{13}) + S_T(k_1, k_2, k_3, k_4, k_{14})$$

Reduced Trispectrum

Definition of inner product of  $S_T(k_1, k_2, k_3, k_4, k_{12})$  and  $S_T'(k_1, k_2, k_3, k_4, k_{12})$

$$\int dk_1 dk_2 dk_3 dk_4 dk_{12} W S_T S_T'$$

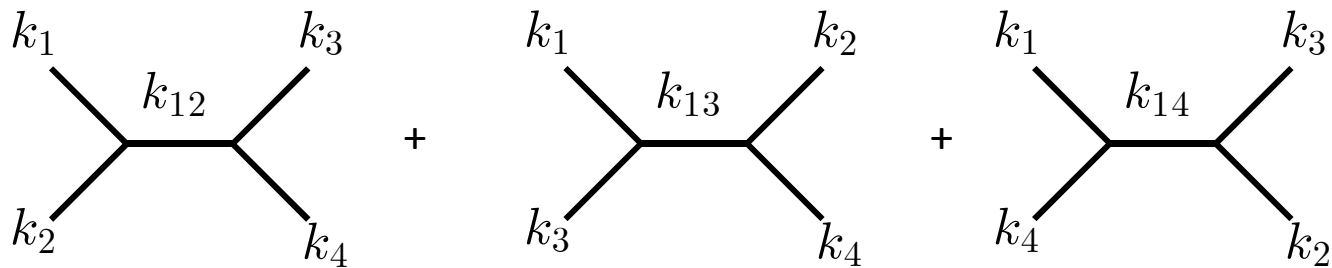
$W = W(k_1, k_2, k_3, k_4, k_{12})$  : Window function

# Decomposition of Trispectrum

$$S_T(k_1, k_2, k_3, k_4, k_{12}) + S_T(k_1, k_2, k_3, k_4, k_{13}) + S_T(k_1, k_2, k_3, k_4, k_{14})$$

Possible case

Trispectrum from scalar exchange



Impossible case

Trispectrum from higher derivative term

$$k_1 k_2 k_3 k_4 k_{12} k_{13}$$



We must use full Trispectrum

$$\int dk_1 dk_2 dk_3 dk_4 dk_{12} d \cos \theta_4 W F_T F_T'$$

$$F_T = F_T(k_1, k_2, k_3, k_4, k_{12}, \cos \theta_4) : \text{ Full Trispectrum}$$



# Difference between two definitions

Correlation by reduced Trispectrum

	$S_T^{DBI(\sigma)}$	$S_T^{DBI(s)}$	$S_T^{ghost}$	$S_T^{h(se,11)}$	$S_T^{h(se,12)}$	$S_T^{h(se,22)}$	$S_T^{h(ci,1)}$	$S_T^{h(ci,2)}$	$S_T^{h(ci,3)}$
$S_T^{c1}$	0.87	0.33	0.24	0.24	-0.62	0.95	-0.35	0.01	-0.53

Correlation by full Trispectrum

	$F_T^{DBI(\sigma)}$	$F_T^{DBI(s)}$	$F_T^{ghost}$	$F_T^{h(se,11)}$	$F_T^{h(se,12)}$	$F_T^{h(se,22)}$	$F_T^{h(ci,1)}$	$F_T^{h(ci,2)}$	$F_T^{h(ci,3)}$
$F_T^{c1}$	0.96	0.42	0.41	0.23	-0.70	0.99	-0.54	-0.01	-0.38

These two results are roughly equal.

If correlation by reduced Trispectrum is almost one,  
correlation by full Trispectrum must be almost one.

The opposite is not always true because it depends on decomposition.

$$F_T = S_T(k_{12}) + S_T(k_{13}) + S_T(k_{14})$$



In rough estimation, using reduced Trispectrum might be better  
because of easiness of calculation.

For precise result, full Trispectrum is needed

# Summary

High order correlation function of primordial perturbation gives the information of inflation epoch.

Trispectrum could give additional information of inflation.

In precise science, quantifying correlation must be needed.



By inner product, correlation can be quantified.

Reduced Trispectrum

In some model, Trispectrum can not be decomposed.

↕ Roughly equal

Full Trispectrum

Correlation can be defined in all models