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# Large-scale structure & precision cosmology

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Based on

AT, Koyama, Hiramatsu & Oka, arXiv:1309.6783 Oka, Hiramatsu Koyama, Nishimichi, AT & Yamamoto (in prep.)

# Hightlight over the past year

#### **PLANCK science results**

precision cosmological parameters as basis of precision cosmology



#### First detection of lensing-induced B-mode

new large-scale structure probe as a byproduct of search for primordial GWs



http://physics.aps.org/articles/v6/107

#### SDSS-III BOSS DR10/11 science results

Latest results from galaxy redshift survey

# Galaxy redshift surveys

- Traditional large-scale structure probe with 3D galaxy map
- Useful to pin down late-time universe (z<1-2)</li>
   ✓ Late-time cosmic acceleration
   ✓ Scrutinize the Planck cosmology results
- Upcoming projects
   BigBOSS (2015+) SuMIRe PFS (2015+)

WFIRST (2023+) EUCLID (2020+)

BOSS gives first result of stage-III class survey (dark energy task force)



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# BOSS sky coverage



#### Cosmology with 3D galaxy map Precision measurement of or correlation function $\xi(r)$ Power spectrum P(k), Tegmark et al. (206) Anderson et al. ('12) <sup>10</sup> Standard CMASS DR9 BOSS DRI0/II pest-fit model $2^{2} = 81.5 / 59$ (SDSS-III) ~1% precision !! **BOSS DR9** SDSS-I DR4 (SDSS-III) 0.01 0.1 0.1 0.01 k [h/Mpc] k [h/Mpc]

- Clarifying nature of dark energy (cosmic acceleration) with baryon acoustic oscillations
   Testing general relativity on cosmological scales
- Testing general relativity on cosmological scales with redshift-space distortions

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# Unlocking the power of BAO

A measurement of <u>anisotropies</u> in BAO gives you a separate measurement of DA(z) & H(z) via

✓ Alcock-Paczynski (AP) effect

(Alcock & Paczynski '79)



Can be quantified by 2D power spectrum/correlation function parallel & transverse to line-of-sight direction  $\frac{P(k_{\parallel},k_{\perp})}{\xi(r_{\parallel},r_{\perp})}$ 

# Redshift-space distortions(RSD)

- Yet another <u>anisotropies</u> due to peculiar velocity of galaxies through redshift measurements
  - redshift space real space  $\vec{\mathbf{s}} = \vec{\mathbf{r}} + \frac{(\vec{\mathbf{v}} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{z}})}{a H(z)} \hat{\mathbf{z}}; \quad \begin{cases} \mathbf{v} : \text{peculiar velocity} \\ \hat{\mathbf{z}} : \text{observer's} \\ \text{line of sight direction} \end{cases}$ 

    - line-of-sight direction

• On large-scales of our interest,



 $\equiv \frac{d \ln \lambda}{d}$  $\propto f(z)$ of RSD growth of structure induced by gravity

(Kaiser '87, Hamilton '92)

Combining distance measurement with BAO, RSD provides a sensitive probe of gravity on cosmological scales

### Anisotropic correlation function



### Anisotropic power spectra



#### Basic results

Anisotropies in  $\xi(r)$  or P(k) for CMASS & LOWZ samples (z= 0.57) (z= 0.32)

Alcock-Paczynski & RSD effects

• geometric distances :  $D_A(z) \& H(z) \text{ or } D_V(z) = \left[ (1+z)^2 c z \frac{D_A(z)^2}{H(z)} \right]^{1/3}$ • structure growth :  $f(z) \sigma_8(z) = \{\Omega_m(z)\}^\gamma \sigma_8(z)$ 

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paper	sample	analysis	derived results
Anderson et al.	CMASS / LOWZ	Po, $\xi_0 \& \xi_2, \xi_{//} \& \xi_{\perp}$	DA & H
Beutler et al.	CMASS	Po & P2	DA, H & f σ8
Samushia et al.	CMASS	ξο & ξ2	DA, H & f σ <sub>8</sub> ++
Chuan et al.	CMASS / LOWZ	ξ0 & ξ2	DA, H & f σ8
Sanchez et al.	CMASS / LOWZ	shape of $\xi_{//} \& \xi_{\perp}$	DA, H & f σ <sub>8</sub> ++

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Basically consistent with GR and ACDM, but ...

mild tensions with Planck ΛCDM

weaker gravity at z<l seems favorable</li>

Extend ACDM ??

New physics ??









# Dark energy & Curvature

Anderson et al.('13)



No evidence for  $w \neq -1$  generally consistent with flat  $\Lambda CDM$ 

### Growth of structure



Weaker gravity seems favorable for given  $\sigma_8$  prior by CMB

# Growth history of structure

Figure taken from Oka et al. ('13)



Discovery of a deviation of gravity from general relativity (GR) ?

# Possibility

Fixing  $\gamma = 0.55$  (GR) smaller values of f(z) $\sigma_8(z) = \{\Omega_m(z)\}^{\gamma} \sigma_8(z)$ 

together with geometric distance (BAO)

smaller \$\sigma\_s\$
 tension with Planck CMB
 but
 consistent with Planck SZ clusters \$\sigma\_s\$

Solution ? · · · · massive neutrinos

but

required mass seems large (>0.2eV) Beutler e



# Systematics ?

Measured power spectrum (or correlation func.) Seeing, spec-z failure, fiber collision Impact of satellites or small-scale phys.



next speaker Yamamoto-san

Theoretical template (model of RSD)

 $P_{\ell}^{\text{model}}(k; D_A, H, f, \cdot, \cdot)$ 

free parameter

Nonlinear systematics arising from RSD, gravity & galaxy bias needs to be properly modeled e.g., with perturbation theory (PT)



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# **Complication & limitation**

Q Suppose possible deviation from GR, can we say something about gravity beyond GR ?

• Perturbation theory (PT) template at quasilinear scales We need an underlying theory of gravity to control nonlinear systematics (i.e., RSD & gravitational growth) .... so far, we have adopted GR • Scale-independent structure growth Unlike GR, (linear) growth rate is generally scale-dependent in modified gravity models (e.g., chameleon f(R)) .... so far, we have assumed scale-indept. 'f'

What we can address is just a consistency with GR !

#### Beyond consistency test of GR

AT, Koyama, Hiramatsu & Oka ('13)

To address the nature of gravity at quasi-linear scales,

- develop new template in modified gravity (MG) model
- characterize scale-dependent structure growth

Testbed study

Using

including effects of nonlinear RSD & gravitational growth

 $|f_{R,0}| \le 1.5 \times 10^{-4} \ (1-\sigma)$ 

we develop a new power spectrum template in f(R) gravity

- validity check of PT template
- N-body sim. comparison to GR-based template

Application to SDSS-II DR7 data

Based on perturbation theory (PT),

# f(R) gravity

$$S = \int d^4x \sqrt{-g} \left\{ \frac{R + f(R)}{2\kappa^2} + L_{\rm m} \right\}$$

Starobinsky ('07)

Hu & Sawicki ('07)

Gravity model that explains late-time cosmic acceleration w/o  $\Lambda$ , while evading solar-system constraint via Chameleon mechanism (Khoury & Weltman '04)

#### Perturbation theory in MG models

Koyama, AT & Hiramatsu ('09)

- Matter sector : (Standard) fluid system
- Gravity sector: Theory looks like Brans-Dicke (BD) gravity on sub-horizon scales

### Redshift-space power spectrum

#### N-body data: Jennings et al. ('12)

AT, Koyama, Hiramatsu & Oka ('13)



#### Parameter estimation

Estimation of model parameter, fr,0, in N-body simulations with

PT model of f(R) gravity Free parameters :  $|f_{R,0}|,$  $\sigma_{
m v}$ fiducial  $k_max=0.15h/Mpc$ GR-based template in which  $\sigma_{\rm v} \, [{\rm h}^{-1} \, {\rm Mpc}]$ constant growth rate, f, is replaced with the scalefull PT template in f(R) gravity dependent one in f(R) gravity  $I-\sigma$  error: cosmic variance  $P_{\ell}^{(\mathrm{GR})}(k;f)$ limited survey of I0(Gpc/h)^3 2 10  $10^4 \left| \mathrm{f_{R,0}} \right|$ 

With GR-based template, constraining power is substantially reduced

#### Difficulty of model-independent analysis

With the GR-based template, we try to characterize the scale-dept. growth rate in a parametric form, but ...



Both cases fail to reproduce fiducial linear growth rate due to the strong parameter degeneracy

# Application to SDSS-II DR7

Oka et al. (in prep.)

Use full shape of P0 & P2 to constrain  $|f_{R,0}|$ 

# of parameters: 5  $(|f_{R,0}|, \sigma_v, \underline{b_0, A_1, A_2})$  galaxy bias



### Summary

Measurements of BAO and RSD from BOSS DR10/11 give many interesting cosmological implications

While results are generally consistent with  $\Lambda$ CDM and GR,

• mild tension with  $\Lambda CDM$ 

• weaker gravity than GR at z<1?

Need to consider the analysis beyond consistency check of GR

Testbed study in f(R) gravity

✓ robust & unbiased test of gravity is shown to be possible
 but
 ✓ model-independent characterization is found to be difficult

✓ robust constraint on f(R) gravity :  $|f_{R,0}| \le 1.5 \times 10^{-4}$  (1- $\sigma$ )