

Cosmology in generalized Horndeski theories with second-order equations of motion

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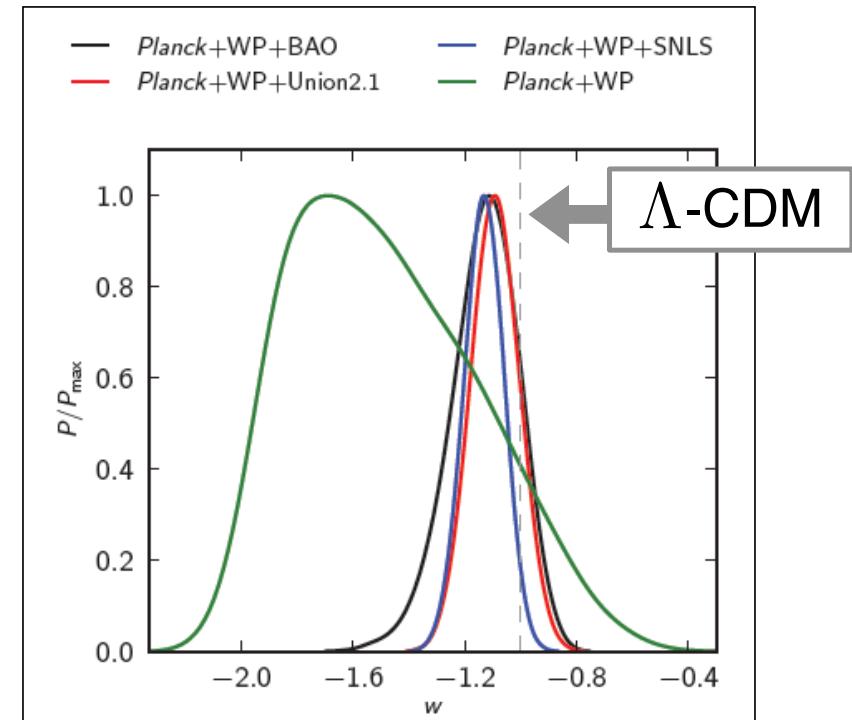
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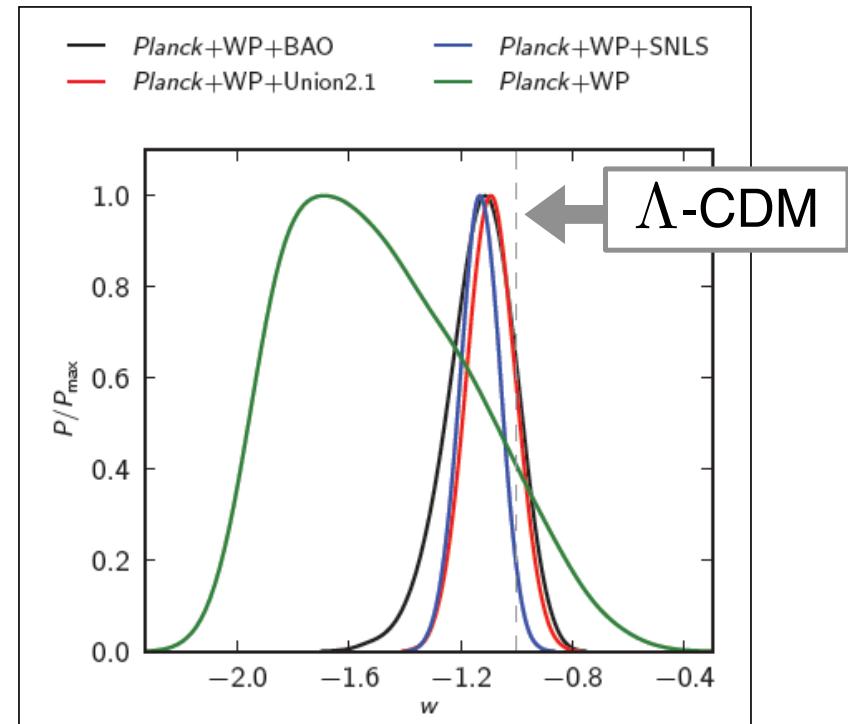
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Dark energy problem may imply some modification of gravity on large scales.

► Unified approach 1: Horndeski Lagrangians

$$L = \sum_{i=2}^5 L_i$$

$$L_2 = G_2(\chi, Y),$$

$$L_3 = G_3(\chi, Y) \square \chi,$$

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“;” covariant derivative

$Y \equiv \chi_{;\mu} \chi^{;\mu}$

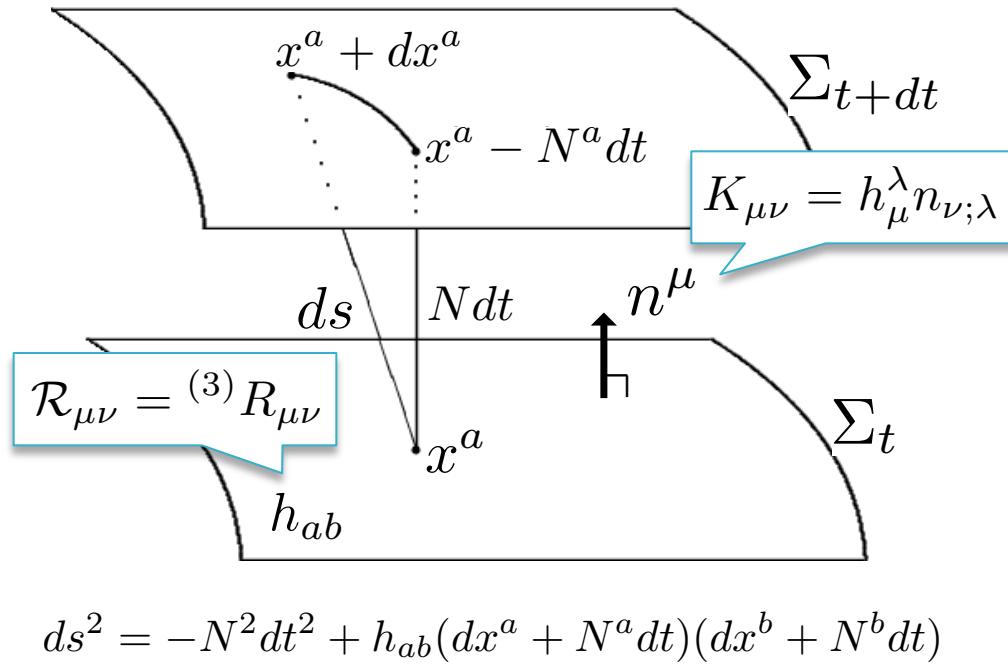
$G_{i,Y} \equiv \partial G_i / \partial Y$

- Quintessence and K-essence $G_2 = G_2(\chi, Y)$, $G_3 = 0$, $G_4 = M_{\text{pl}}^2/2$, $G_5 = 0$.
- $f(R)$ gravity and Brans–Dicke gravity $G_3 = 0$, $G_4 = F(\chi)$, $G_5 = 0$.
- Galileon $G_2 = c_2 Y$, $G_3 = c_3/M^3$, $G_4 = M_{\text{pl}}^2/2 + c_4 Y^2/M^6$, $G_5 = c_5 Y^2/M^9$.

Horndeski Lagrangians describe the most general scalar–tensor theory with **second-order** equations of motion on the **general** background.

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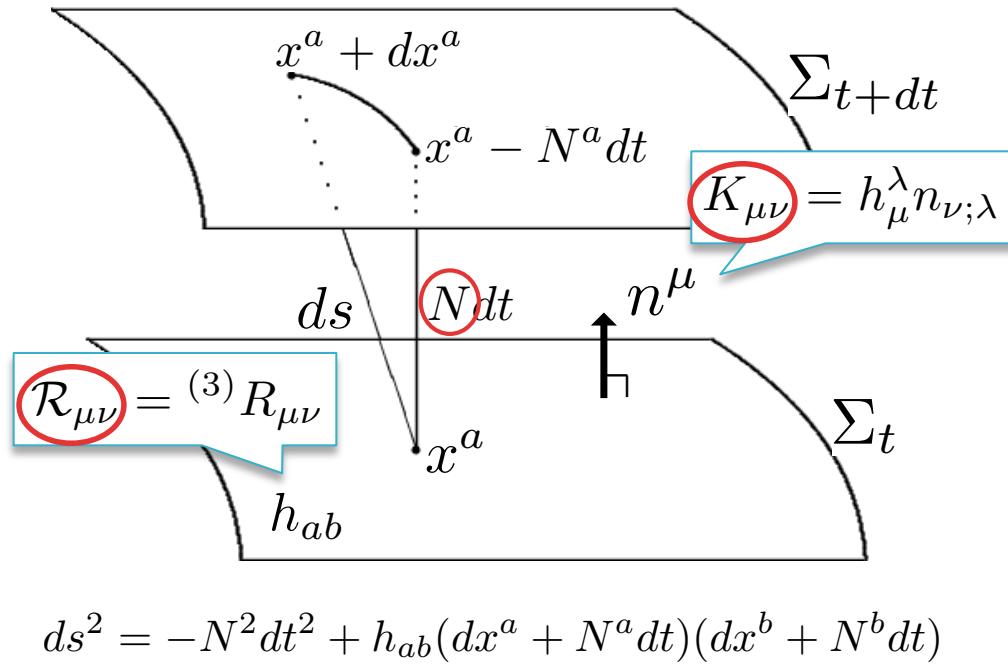
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$$n^\mu = -\chi;^\mu / \sqrt{-Y}$$

A scalar field χ associated with the modification of gravity is absorbed into the constant time hypersurfaces.

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► Horndeski Lagrangians in the EFT language

$$G_2(\chi, Y) \rightarrow G_2(N, t) \quad (Y = -\dot{\chi}^2/N^2)$$

$$n^\mu = -\chi;^\mu / \sqrt{-Y}$$

$$G_3(\chi, X)\square\chi \rightarrow 2(-Y)^{3/2}F_{3,Y}K - YF_{3,\chi} \quad (G_3 = F_3 + 2YF_{3,Y})$$

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$$\begin{aligned} L = & A_2(N, t) + A_3(N, t)K + A_4(N, t)(K^2 - \mathcal{S}) + B_4(N, t)\mathcal{R} \\ & + A_5(N, t)K_3 + B_5(N, t)(\mathcal{U} - K\mathcal{R}/2) , \\ & (K_3 = 3H(2H^2 - 2KH + K^2 - \mathcal{S}) + O(3)) \end{aligned}$$

The Horndeski theory is a subclass of the EFT of modified gravity.

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In the case of Horndeski theories there are the following relations:

$$A_4 = 2YB_{4Y} - B_4 , \quad A_5 = -YB_{5Y}/3 .$$

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Gleyzes, Langlois, Piazza, and Vernizzi (GLPV) generalized Horndeski theory in such a way that the coefficients A_4 , A_5 , B_4 , B_5 are not necessarily related to each other.

J. Gleyzes, D. Langlois, F. Piazza and F. Vernizzi, arXiv:1404.6495



A_4 , A_5 , B_4 , B_5 : arbitrary functions

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Although GLPV theories go beyond the Horndeski domain,
the number of physical degrees of freedom is same as Horndeski theories.



Mukohyama-san's talk!

It is not trivial whether the screening mechanism works sufficiently or not
compared to the Horndeski theory.



Kobayashi-san's talk!

Once we go beyond the Horndeski domain, non-trivial modifications to
all the propagation speeds of DE/matter fields.

2. Background EOMs and GLPV theories

$$S = \int d^4x \sqrt{-g} \left[L(N, K, \mathcal{S}, \mathcal{R}, \mathcal{Z}, \mathcal{U}; t) + \sum_{I=1}^{N-1} P^{(I)}(X_I) \right]$$

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$$\text{BG: } \bar{N} = 1, \quad \bar{N}^i = 0, \quad \bar{h}_{ij} = a^2(t) \delta_{ij}.$$

$\sum_{I=1}^{N-1} P^{(I)}(X_I)$: in order to model perfect fluids of matter components

Expanding the Lagrangian up to linear order as

e.g. $L_N = \partial L / \partial N$

$$L = \bar{L} + L_N \delta N + L_K \delta K + L_{\mathcal{S}} \delta \mathcal{S} + L_{\mathcal{R}} \delta \mathcal{R} + L_{\mathcal{Z}} \delta \mathcal{Z} + L_{\mathcal{U}} \delta \mathcal{U} + \mathcal{O}(2)$$

using $K_{ij} = (\partial_t h_{ij} - \nabla_i N_j - \nabla_j N_i) / (2N)$ with 3D covariant derivative ∇_i

$$S = \int d^4x \sqrt{-\bar{g}} \left[\mathcal{E}^N \delta N + \mathcal{E}^h \delta \sqrt{h} \right]$$

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Then the BG EOMs follow as

$$\mathcal{E}^N = 0 \rightarrow \bar{L} + L_N - 3H\mathcal{F} = \rho_M$$

$$\mathcal{E}^h = 0 \rightarrow \bar{L} - \dot{\mathcal{F}} - 3H\mathcal{F} = -P_M$$

$$\left(\mathcal{F} \equiv L_K + 2HL_{\mathcal{S}}, \quad \rho_M = \sum_{I=1}^{N-1} \left[2X_I P_{X_I}^{(I)} - P^{(I)} \right], \quad P_M = \sum_{I=1}^{N-1} P^{(I)} \right)$$

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Applying to the GLPV theories,

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$$\begin{aligned} A_2 - 6H^2 A_4 - 12H^3 A_5 + 2\dot{\chi}^2 (A_{2Y} + 3H A_{3Y} + 6H^2 A_{4Y} + 6H^3 A_{5Y}) &= \rho_M, \\ A_2 - 6H^2 A_4 - 12H^3 A_5 - \dot{A}_3 - 4\dot{H} A_4 - 4H \dot{A}_4 - 12H \dot{H} A_5 - 6H^2 \dot{A}_5 &= -P_M. \end{aligned}$$

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$$h_{ij} = a^2(t) e^{2\zeta} \hat{h}_{ij}, \quad \hat{h}_{ij} = \delta_{ij} + \gamma_{ij} + \gamma_{il} \gamma_{lj} / 2, \quad \det \hat{h} = 1.$$

Expanding the Lagrangian up to second order as

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using $K_{ij} = (\partial_t h_{ij} - \nabla_i N_j - \nabla_j N_i) / (2N)$ and integrating by parts...

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$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_2 = & a^3 \left\{ \frac{1}{2} (2L_N + L_{NN} - 6H\mathcal{W} + 12H^2 L_S) \delta N^2 + \left[\mathcal{W} \left(3\dot{\zeta} - \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{a^2} \right) - 4(\mathcal{D} + \mathcal{E}) \frac{\partial^2 \zeta}{a^2} \right] \delta N \right. \\ & + 4L_S \dot{\zeta} \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{a^2} - 6L_S \dot{\zeta}^2 + 2\mathcal{E} \frac{(\partial \zeta)^2}{a^2} + \sum_{I=1}^{N-1} \left[(2\dot{\phi}_I^2 P_{X_I X_I}^{(I)} - P_{X_I}^{(I)}) (\dot{\phi}_I^2 \delta N^2 - 2\dot{\phi}_I \delta \dot{\phi}_I \delta N + \dot{\phi}_I^2) \right. \\ & \left. \left. - 6\dot{\phi}_I P_{X_I}^{(I)} \zeta \delta \dot{\phi}_I - 2\dot{\phi}_I P_{X_I}^{(I)} \delta \phi_I \frac{\partial^2 \psi}{a^2} + P_{X_I}^{(I)} \frac{(\partial \delta \phi_I)^2}{a^2} \right] \right\}, \end{aligned}$$

Varying this Lagrangian density with respect to δN and $\partial^2 \psi$, we obtain the Hamiltonian and momentum constraints. Inserting them back...

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$$\vec{\mathcal{X}}^t = (\zeta, \delta\phi_1/M_{\text{pl}}, \dots, \delta\phi_{N-1}/M_{\text{pl}}) .$$

► No-ghost conditions

In order to avoid ghost instabilities, the matrix \mathbf{K} must be positive definite.

Under the tensor no-ghost condition, $L_{\mathcal{S}} > 0$, it follows that...

$$K_{11} = \frac{2L_{\mathcal{S}}}{\mathcal{W}^2} \left(g_2 + \frac{8L_{\mathcal{S}}}{M_{\text{pl}}^2} \sum_{I=2}^N \dot{\phi}_{I-1}^2 K_{II} \right) ,$$

$$K_{II} = \left[2\dot{\phi}_{I-1}^2 P_{X_{I-1}X_{I-1}}^{(I-1)} - P_{X_{I-1}}^{(I-1)} \right] M_{\text{pl}}^2 ,$$

$$K_{1I} = K_{I1} = -\frac{4L_{\mathcal{S}} \dot{\phi}_{I-1}}{M_{\text{pl}} \mathcal{W}} K_{II} ,$$

$$g_2 = 4L_{\mathcal{S}}(2L_N + L_{NN}) + 3(L_{KN} + 2H L_{\mathcal{S}N})^2 > 0 ,$$

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$$\prod_{I=1}^N (c_s^2 - c_{sHI}^2) = - \frac{8L_S}{g_2} \left(\frac{\mathcal{C}_3 \mathcal{W}}{16L_S^2} + 1 \right) \times \\ \sum_{I=2}^N \left[\dot{\phi}_{I-1}^2 P_{X_{I-1}}^{(I-1)} \left\{ 2c_s^2 + c_{sHI}^2 \left(\frac{\mathcal{C}_3 \mathcal{W}}{16L_S^2} - 1 \right) \right\} \prod_{J \neq I, J \geq 2}^N (c_s^2 - c_{sHJ}^2) \right],$$

where,

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In Horndeski theories,
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Outside the Horndeski domain,
it's not 0. **N-th degree equation**

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If the deviation from the Horndeski domain is small...

$$\mathcal{C}_3 = \mathcal{C}_3^H (1 + \delta\mathcal{C}_3) , \quad c_{s1}^2 = c_{sH1}^2 + \delta c_{s1}^2 , \quad c_{sI}^2 = c_{sHI}^2 + \delta c_{sI}^2 \quad (I = 2, 3, \dots, N) .$$

$$\delta c_{s1}^2 \simeq \sum_{I=2}^N \xi_{I-1} \delta\mathcal{C}_3 \quad \left(\xi_I \equiv \frac{16 L_S \dot{\phi}_I^2 P_{X_I}^{(I)}}{g_2} \right) ,$$

$$\delta c_{sI}^2 \simeq -\frac{c_{sHI}^2}{2(c_{sHI}^2 - c_{sH1}^2 - \delta c_{s1}^2)} \xi_{I-1} \delta\mathcal{C}_3^2 \quad (I = 2, 3, \dots, N) .$$

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As we will see later $\xi_{I-1} \gg 1$, $\delta\mathcal{C}_3 \ll 1$ realize for the covariantized version of Galileon model.

$$\delta c_{s1}^2 \simeq \sum_{I=2}^N \xi_{I-1} \delta\mathcal{C}_3 \sim \mathcal{O}(1) ,$$

$$\delta c_{sI}^2 \simeq -\frac{c_{sHI}^2}{2(c_{sHI}^2 - c_{sH1}^2 - \delta c_{s1}^2)} \xi_{I-1} \delta\mathcal{C}_3^2 \ll 1 .$$

4. Application to Galileon theories

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Since $\bar{\mathcal{R}}_{\mu\nu} = 0$, these two models cannot be distinguished at the BG level.

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4. Application to Galileon theories

► BG EOMs

$$3M_{\text{pl}}^2 H^2 = \rho_{\text{DE}} + \rho_M ,$$

$$3M_{\text{pl}}^2 H^2 + 2M_{\text{pl}}^2 \dot{H} = -P_{\text{DE}} - P_M ,$$

$$\rho_{\text{DE}} = -\frac{1}{2}c_2\dot{\chi}^2 + \frac{3c_3H\dot{\chi}^3}{M^3} - \frac{45c_4H^2\dot{\chi}^4}{2M^6} + \frac{21c_5H^3\dot{\chi}^5}{M^9} ,$$

$$P_{\text{DE}} = -\frac{1}{2}c_2\dot{\chi}^2 - \frac{c_3\dot{\chi}^2\ddot{\chi}}{M^3} + \frac{3c_4\dot{\chi}^3}{2M^6} [8H\ddot{\chi} + (3H^2 + 2\dot{H})\dot{\chi}] - \frac{3c_5H\dot{\chi}^4}{M^9} [5H\ddot{\chi} + 2(H^2 + \dot{H})\dot{\chi}] .$$

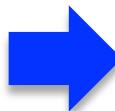
► Matter components

Matter component

$$P^{(1)}(X_1) = b_1 X_1^2 ,$$

$$P^{(2)}(X_2) = b_2(X_2 - X_0)^2 ,$$

R. J. Scherrer (2004)



$w^{(1)} = 1/3$, **radiation**

$w^{(2)} = (X_2 - X_0)/(3X_2 - X_0)$.

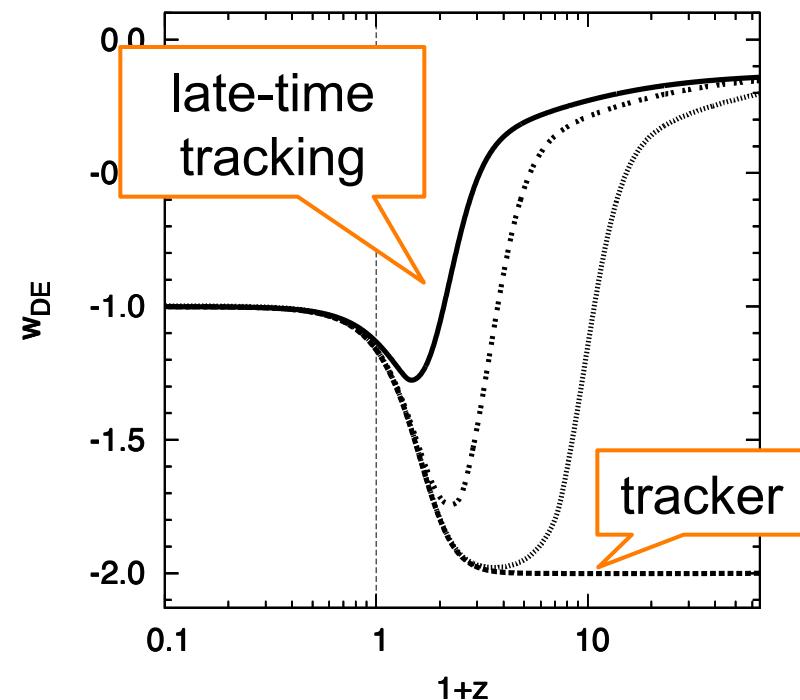
non-relativistic matter for $X_2 \simeq X_0$

4. Application to Galileon theories

► BG evolution

$$r_1 \equiv \frac{\dot{\chi}_{\text{dS}} H_{\text{dS}}}{\dot{\chi} H}, \quad r_2 \equiv \frac{H}{H_{\text{dS}}} \left(\frac{\dot{\chi}}{\dot{\chi}_{\text{dS}}} \right)^5,$$

- There is the dS point at $r_1 = r_2 = 1$.
- The tracker solution ($r_1 = 1$) is in tension with the observational data.
- The late-time tracking solution ($r_1^{\text{ini}} \ll 1$) is consistent with the observational data.



S. Nesseris, A. De Felice and S. Tsujikawa, Phys. Rev. D 82, 124054 (2010)

4. Application to Galileon theories

- Evolution of the propagation speed along the late-time tracking

(A) Covariant Galileon

$$c_{s1}^2 = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{40}(\Omega_r + 1) & \\ \frac{8 + 10\alpha - 9\beta + \Omega_r(2 + 3\alpha - 3\beta)}{3(2 - 3\alpha + 6\beta)} & \\ \frac{(\alpha - 2\beta)(4 + 15\alpha^2 - 48\alpha\beta + 36\beta^2)}{2(2 + 3\alpha - 6\beta)(2 - 3\alpha + 6\beta)} & \end{cases}$$

[(i) $r_1 \ll 1, r_2 \ll 1$] ,

[(ii) $r_1 = 1, r_2 \ll 1$] ,

[(iii) $r_1 = 1, r_2 = 1$] .

Under the no-ghost conditions,

$$\begin{array}{l} L_S > 0 \\ g_2 > 0 \end{array} \quad \xrightarrow{\hspace{1cm}} \quad \begin{array}{l} \beta > 0 \\ -2 < 3(\alpha - 2\beta) < 2 \end{array}$$

$$c_2 x_{\text{dS}}^2 = 6 + 9\alpha - 12\beta$$

$$c_3 x_{\text{dS}}^3 = 2 + 9\alpha - 9\beta$$

the above propagation speed of sound is positive in any regime.

4. Application to Galileon theories

- ▶ Evolution of the propagation speed along the late-time tracking

(B) Covariantized Galileon

$$c_{s1}^2 = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{40}(3\Omega_r - 1) \\ \frac{16 - 15(\alpha - 2\beta) + \Omega_r(4 - 3\alpha + 6\beta)}{6(2 - 3\alpha + 6\beta)} \\ \frac{\alpha - 2\beta}{2 + 3\alpha - 6\beta} \end{cases}$$

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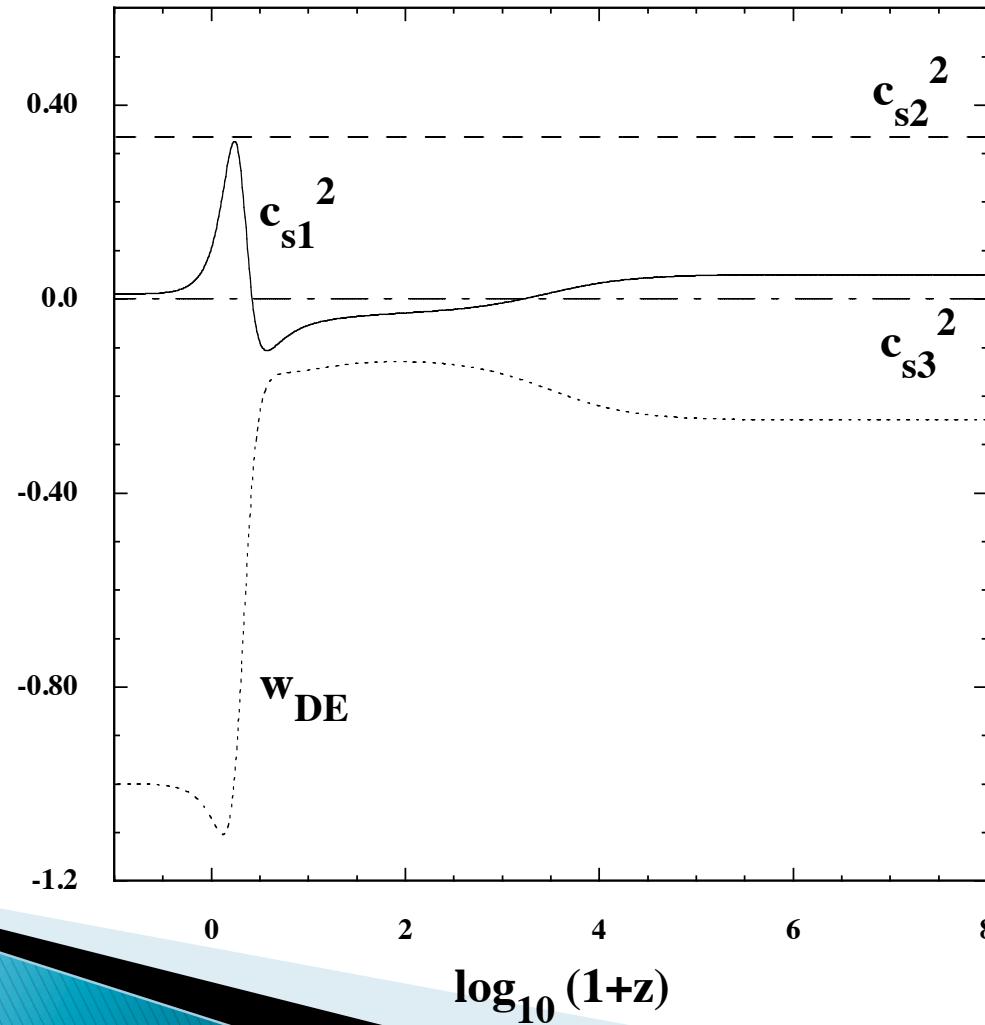
[(iii) $r_1 = 1, r_2 = 1$] .

In the regime (i), the propagation speed become negative during the matter dominated epoch!!

4. Application to Galileon theories

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Gao's talk!

X. Gao arXiv:1406.0822

- ▶ Projectable Horava–Lifshitz gravity ($\delta N = 0$)

$$L = \frac{M_{\text{pl}}^2}{2} \left[\mathcal{S} - \lambda K^2 + \mathcal{R} - M_{\text{pl}}^{-2} (g_2 \mathcal{R}^2 + g_3 \mathcal{Z}) - M_{\text{pl}}^{-4} (g_4 \mathcal{Z}_1 + g_5 \mathcal{Z}_2) \right]$$
$$(\mathcal{Z} \equiv \mathcal{R}_{\mu\nu} \mathcal{R}^{\mu\nu}, \quad \mathcal{Z}_1 \equiv \nabla_i \mathcal{R} \nabla^i \mathcal{R}, \quad \mathcal{Z}_2 \equiv \nabla_i \mathcal{R}_{jk} \nabla^i \mathcal{R}^{jk})$$

The terms $\mathcal{Z}_1, \mathcal{Z}_2$ allow the $z = 3$ scaling characterized by the transformation $t \rightarrow c^3 t$ and $x^i \rightarrow cx^i$.



The theory is power-counting renormalizable.

However, in this theory, the no-ghost condition and the condition to avoid a Laplacian instability cannot be satisfied at the same time. Moreover there is the strong coupling problem in the deep IR regime.

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► Non-projectable Horava–Lifshitz gravity ($\delta N \neq 0$)

In the non-projectable extended version of the Horava gravity, the acceleration vector $a_\nu = n^\lambda n_{\nu;\lambda} = \nabla_\nu \ln N$ does not vanish.

In this case one can consider the Lagrangian

$$L_{\mathcal{V}_3} = -\frac{1}{2M_{\text{pl}}^2} (g_4 \mathcal{Z}_1 + g_5 \mathcal{Z}_2 + \eta_4 \alpha_4 + \eta_5 \alpha_5 + \dots) ,$$

$$L_{\mathcal{V}_2} = -\frac{1}{2} (g_2 \mathcal{R}^2 + g_3 \mathcal{Z} + \eta_2 \alpha_2 + \eta_3 \alpha_3 + \dots) ,$$

$$L_{\mathcal{V}_1} = \frac{M_{\text{pl}}^2}{2} (\mathcal{R} + \eta_1 \alpha_1) , \quad \begin{aligned} \alpha_1 &\equiv a_i a^i , & \alpha_2 &\equiv a_i \Delta a^i , & \alpha_3 &\equiv \mathcal{R} \nabla_i a^i , \\ \alpha_4 &\equiv a_i \Delta^2 a^i , & \alpha_5 &\equiv \Delta \mathcal{R} \nabla_i a^i , \end{aligned}$$

$L_{\mathcal{V}_3}$, $L_{\mathcal{V}_2}$, $L_{\mathcal{V}_1}$ are invariant under $z = 3, 2, 1$ rescaling, respectively.

5. EFT including Horava–Lifshitz gravity

$$S = \int d^4x \sqrt{-g} L(N, K, \mathcal{S}, \mathcal{R}, \mathcal{Z}, \mathcal{U}, \mathcal{Z}_1, \mathcal{Z}_2, \alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_5; t)$$

RK and S. Tsujikawa, arXiv:1409.1984

$$K \equiv K^\mu{}_\mu, \quad \mathcal{S} \equiv K_{\mu\nu} K^{\mu\nu}, \quad \mathcal{R} \equiv \mathcal{R}^\mu{}_\mu, \quad \mathcal{Z} \equiv \mathcal{R}_{\mu\nu} \mathcal{R}^{\mu\nu},$$

$$\mathcal{U} \equiv \mathcal{R}_{\mu\nu} K^{\mu\nu}, \quad \mathcal{Z}_1 \equiv \nabla_i \mathcal{R} \nabla^i \mathcal{R}, \quad \mathcal{Z}_2 \equiv \nabla_i \mathcal{R}_{jk} \nabla^i \mathcal{R}^{jk},$$

$$\alpha_1 \equiv a_i a^i, \quad \alpha_2 \equiv a_i \Delta a^i, \quad \alpha_3 \equiv \mathcal{R} \nabla_i a^i, \quad \alpha_4 \equiv a_i \Delta^2 a^i, \quad \alpha_5 \equiv \Delta \mathcal{R} \nabla_i a^i,$$

Other terms such, e.g. $\mathcal{R}_i^j \mathcal{R}_j^k \mathcal{R}_k^i$, can be taken into account, but they are irrelevant to scalar linear perturbations on the flat FLRW background.

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Expanding the EFT Lagrangian up to second order, we derived

- BG EOMs,
- EOMs for linear perturbations,
- stability conditions.

We also applied our general results to

- Horndeski theories,
- GLPV theories,
- Projectable Horava-Lifshitz gravity,
- Non-projectable Horava-Lifshitz gravity.

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$$\mathcal{L}_2 = M_{\text{pl}}^2 a^3 \left(\frac{3\lambda - 1}{\lambda - 1} \dot{\zeta}^2 - \zeta \mathcal{O} \zeta \right)$$

$$\mathcal{O} \equiv \Delta + \frac{\Delta^2}{M_2^2} - \frac{\Delta^3}{M_3^4}, \quad \Delta \equiv \nabla^i \nabla_i, \quad M_2^2 \equiv M_{\text{pl}}^2 (8g_2 + 3g_3)^{-1}, \quad M_3^4 \equiv M_{\text{pl}}^4 (8g_4 + 3g_5)^{-1}.$$

which coincides with the results in
K. Koyama and F. Arroja, JHEP 1003, 061 (2010),
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In the IR regime, on the Minkowski BG,

$$\mathcal{L}_2 = M_{\text{pl}}^2 \frac{3\lambda - 1}{\lambda - 1} \left[\dot{\zeta}^2 - c_s^2 (\partial \zeta)^2 \right] \quad \left(c_s^2 = \frac{\lambda - 1}{3\lambda - 1} \frac{2 - \eta_1}{\eta_1} \right)$$

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Phys. Rev. Lett. 104, 181302 (2010)

5. Conclusions

- ▶ We studied the cosmology of an extended version of Horndeski theories with second-order equations of motion on the flat FLRW background in the presence of multiple scalar fields associated with matter fluids.
- ▶ Expanding the action up to second order, we derived the background equations of motion, equations of motion for linear perturbations and stability conditions.
- ▶ Although the Background dynamics in Horndeski theories and GLPV theories are same, they can be distinguished at the perturbation level.
- ▶ The theories beyond Horndeski induce non-trivial modifications to all the propagation speeds of N scalar fields.
- ▶ We applied our general results to the covariant Galileon (a class of Horndeski theories) and the *covariantized* Galileon model (a class of GLPV theories).
We showed that the propagation speed of the dark energy field become negative during the matter dominated epoch in the latter model.