

Galileon Cosmology

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Scalar fields play an important role in cosmology

Inflation / Dark energy

In this talk, I will describe the (most general extension of the) **Galileon** and its applications to cosmology

The Galileon extends far beyond a specific scalar-field theory!

Talk Plan

1. Introduction to the *Galileon*
2. G-inflation – Inflation driven by the Galileon field –
3. Galileon models of dark energy

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Introduction to the *Galileon*

Scalar-field Lagrangian

1st derivative

$$\mathcal{L} = -\frac{1}{2}(\partial\phi)^2 - V(\phi)$$

Euler-Lagrange equation

2nd-order EOM

$$\square\phi - V_\phi = 0$$

$\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}(\phi, \partial\phi, \partial^2\phi, \dots)$ has higher-order EOM?

— No, not necessarily

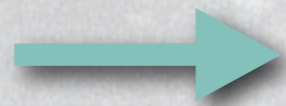
Tensor example: *Einstein-Hilbert*

$$R \supset \partial\Gamma_{\mu\nu}^\lambda \supset \partial^2 g_{\mu\nu}$$

Example:

(*) appears in an effective description of the brane-bending mode in DGP

$$\mathcal{L} \supset (\partial\phi)^2 \square\phi \quad (*)$$



$$\text{EOM} \supset (\square\phi)^2 - (\partial_\mu\partial_\nu\phi)(\partial^\mu\partial^\nu\phi)$$

2nd-order EOM

The term $\partial_\mu\phi\partial^\mu\square\phi$ is canceled out

(*) has the **Galilean shift symmetry**:

$$\phi \rightarrow \phi + v_\mu x^\mu + c$$

$$\partial_\mu\phi \rightarrow \partial_\mu\phi + v_\mu$$

looks like Galilei transformation

Look for scalar-field Lagrangians having:

- (i) Galilean shift symmetry;
- (ii) 2nd-order EOM

Galileon (in flat space)

Only 5 possible Lagrangians that have the two properties:

$$\mathcal{L}_1 = \phi,$$

$$\mathcal{L}_2 = (\partial\phi)^2,$$

$$\mathcal{L}_3 = (\partial\phi)^2 \square\phi,$$

$$\mathcal{L}_4 = (\partial\phi)^2 \left[(\square\phi)^2 - (\partial_\mu\partial_\nu\phi)^2 \right],$$

$$\mathcal{L}_5 = (\partial\phi)^2 \left[(\square\phi)^3 - 3 (\square\phi) (\partial_\mu\partial_\nu\phi)^2 + 2 (\partial_\mu\partial_\nu\phi)^3 \right].$$

Covariantization

Coupling to gravity: $\partial_\mu \rightarrow \nabla_\mu$

Forget about Galilean shift symmetry,

maintain 2nd-order equations both for ϕ and $g_{\mu\nu}$

Computation example:

$$\frac{\delta}{\delta\phi} \left\{ (\partial\phi)^2 \left[(\square\phi)^2 - (\nabla_\mu\nabla_\nu\phi)^2 \right] \right\} \supset (\dots)^\mu [\square\nabla_\mu\phi - \nabla_\mu\square\phi], \quad \longrightarrow \quad (\dots)^\mu R_{\mu\nu}\nabla^\nu\phi$$

$$(\dots) [\square\square\phi - \nabla_\mu\square\nabla^\mu\phi]$$

$$\longleftarrow \quad -R^{\mu\nu}\nabla_\mu\nabla_\nu\phi - \boxed{\frac{1}{2}\nabla^\mu R\nabla_\mu\phi}$$

**Add non-minimal coupling such as $[(\partial\phi)^2]^2 R$
so as to cancel higher-derivative terms**

Covariant completion of Galileon

$$\mathcal{L}_2 = X, \quad \text{Galilean shift symmetry is now abandoned...}$$

$$\mathcal{L}_3 = X \square \phi,$$

$$\mathcal{L}_4 = \frac{X^2}{2} R + X \left[(\square \phi)^2 - (\nabla_\mu \nabla_\nu \phi)^2 \right],$$

$$\mathcal{L}_5 = \frac{X^2}{2} G_{\mu\nu} \nabla^\mu \nabla^\nu \phi \quad \text{Non-minimal coupling to gravity}$$

$$- \frac{X}{6} \left[(\square \phi)^3 - 3 (\square \phi) (\nabla_\mu \nabla_\nu \phi)^2 + 2 (\nabla_\mu \nabla_\nu \phi)^3 \right].$$

where $X := -\frac{1}{2} (\partial \phi)^2$

Question

Can we further generalize the Galileon while maintaining the 2nd-order property?

What is **the most general** Lagrangian of the form

$$\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}(\phi, \partial\phi, \partial^2\phi, \partial^3\phi, \dots ; g_{\mu\nu}, \partial g_{\mu\nu}, \partial^2 g_{\mu\nu}, \partial^3 g_{\mu\nu}, \dots)$$

having 2nd-order field equations?

Answer

Generalized Galileon

Generalized Galileon

k-inflation/k-essence

$$\mathcal{L}_1 = \phi$$

4 arbitrary functions of ϕ and X

$$\mathcal{L}_3 = X \square \phi$$

$$\mathcal{L}_2 = K(\phi, X)$$

$$\mathcal{L}_3 = -G_3(\phi, X) \square \phi$$

$$\mathcal{L}_4 = G_4(\phi, X) R + G_{4X} \left[(\square \phi)^2 - (\nabla_\mu \nabla_\nu \phi)^2 \right]$$

$$\mathcal{L}_5 = G_5(\phi, X) G_{\mu\nu} \nabla^\mu \nabla^\nu \phi - \frac{1}{6} G_{5X} \left[(\square \phi)^3 - 3 (\square \phi) (\nabla_\mu \nabla_\nu \phi)^2 + 2 (\nabla_\mu \nabla_\nu \phi)^3 \right]$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& G_4 G_{\mu\nu} - \frac{1}{2} G_{4X} R \nabla_\mu \phi \nabla_\nu \phi - \frac{1}{2} G_{4XX} [(\square\phi)^2 - (\nabla_\alpha \nabla_\beta \phi)^2] \nabla_\mu \phi \nabla_\nu \phi - G_{4X} \square\phi \nabla_\mu \nabla_\nu \phi \\
& + G_{4X} \nabla_\lambda \nabla_\mu \phi \nabla^\lambda \nabla_\nu \phi + 2 \nabla_\lambda G_{4X} \nabla^\lambda \nabla_{(\mu} \phi \nabla_{\nu)} \phi - \nabla_\lambda G_{4X} \nabla^\lambda \phi \nabla_\mu \nabla_\nu \phi + g_{\mu\nu} (G_{4\phi} \square\phi - 2X G_{4\phi\phi}) \\
& + g_{\mu\nu} \left\{ -2G_{4\phi X} \nabla_\alpha \nabla_\beta \phi \nabla^\alpha \phi \nabla^\beta \phi + G_{4XX} \nabla_\alpha \nabla_\lambda \phi \nabla_\beta \nabla^\lambda \phi \nabla^\alpha \phi \nabla^\beta \phi + \frac{1}{2} G_{4X} [(\square\phi)^2 - (\nabla_\alpha \nabla_\beta \phi)^2] \right\} \\
& + 2 [G_{4X} R_{\lambda(\mu} \nabla_{\nu)} \phi \nabla^\lambda \phi - \nabla_{(\mu} G_{4X} \nabla_{\nu)} \phi \square\phi] - g_{\mu\nu} [G_{4X} R^{\alpha\beta} \nabla_\alpha \phi \nabla_\beta \phi - \nabla_\lambda G_{4X} \nabla^\lambda \phi \square\phi] \\
& + G_{4X} R_{\mu\alpha\nu\beta} \nabla^\alpha \phi \nabla^\beta \phi - G_{4\phi} \nabla_\mu \nabla_\nu \phi - G_{4\phi\phi} \nabla_\mu \phi \nabla_\nu \phi + 2G_{4\phi X} \nabla^\lambda \phi \nabla_\lambda \nabla_{(\mu} \phi \nabla_{\nu)} \phi \\
& - G_{4XX} \nabla^\alpha \phi \nabla_\alpha \nabla_\mu \phi \nabla^\beta \phi \nabla_\beta \nabla_\nu \phi \\
& + G_{5X} R_{\alpha\beta} \nabla^\alpha \phi \nabla^\beta \nabla_{(\mu} \phi \nabla_{\nu)} \phi - G_{5X} R_{\alpha(\mu} \nabla_{\nu)} \phi \nabla^\alpha \phi \square\phi - \frac{1}{2} G_{5X} R_{\alpha\beta} \nabla^\alpha \phi \nabla^\beta \phi \nabla_\mu \nabla_\nu \phi \\
& - \frac{1}{2} G_{5X} R_{\mu\alpha\nu\beta} \nabla^\alpha \phi \nabla^\beta \phi \square\phi + G_{5X} R_{\alpha\lambda\beta(\mu} \nabla_{\nu)} \phi \nabla^\lambda \phi \nabla^\alpha \nabla^\beta \phi + G_{5X} R_{\alpha\lambda\beta(\mu} \nabla_{\nu)} \nabla^\lambda \phi \nabla^\alpha \phi \nabla^\beta \phi \\
& - \frac{1}{2} \nabla_{(\mu} [G_{5X} \nabla^\alpha \phi] \nabla_\alpha \nabla_{\nu)} \phi \square\phi + \frac{1}{2} \nabla_{(\mu} [G_{5\phi} \nabla_{\nu)} \phi] \square\phi - \nabla_\lambda [G_{5\phi} \nabla_{(\mu} \phi] \nabla_{\nu)} \nabla^\lambda \phi \\
& + \frac{1}{2} [\nabla_\lambda (G_{5\phi} \nabla^\lambda \phi) - \nabla_\alpha (G_{5X} \nabla_\beta \phi) \nabla^\alpha \nabla^\beta \phi] \nabla_\mu \nabla_\nu \phi + \nabla^\alpha G_5 \nabla^\beta \phi R_{\alpha(\mu\nu)\beta} - \nabla_{(\mu} G_5 G_{\nu)\lambda} \nabla^\lambda \phi \\
& + \frac{1}{2} \nabla_{(\mu} G_{5X} \nabla_{\nu)} \phi [(\square\phi)^2 - (\nabla_\alpha \nabla_\beta \phi)^2] - \nabla^\lambda G_5 R_{\lambda(\mu} \nabla_{\nu)} \phi + \nabla_\alpha [G_{5X} \nabla_\beta \phi] \nabla^\alpha \nabla_{(\mu} \phi \nabla_{\nu)} \phi \\
& - \nabla_\beta G_{5X} [\square\phi \nabla^\beta \nabla_{(\mu} \phi - \nabla^\alpha \nabla^\beta \phi \nabla_\alpha \nabla_{(\mu} \phi] \nabla_{\nu)} \phi + \frac{1}{2} \nabla^\alpha \phi \nabla_\alpha G_{5X} [\square\phi \nabla_\mu \nabla_\nu \phi - \nabla_\beta \nabla_\mu \phi \nabla^\beta \nabla_\nu \phi \\
& - \frac{1}{2} G_{5X} G_{\alpha\beta} \nabla^\alpha \nabla^\beta \phi \nabla_\mu \phi \nabla_\nu \phi - \frac{1}{2} G_{5X} \square\phi \nabla_\alpha \nabla_\mu \phi \nabla^\alpha \nabla_\nu \phi + \frac{1}{2} G_{5X} (\square\phi)^2 \nabla_\mu \nabla_\nu \phi \\
& + \frac{1}{12} G_{5XX} [(\square\phi)^3 - 3\square\phi (\nabla_\alpha \nabla_\beta \phi)^2 + 2(\nabla_\alpha \nabla_\beta \phi)^3] \nabla_\mu \phi \nabla_\nu \phi + \frac{1}{2} \nabla_\lambda G_5 G_{\mu\nu} \nabla^\lambda \phi \\
& + g_{\mu\nu} \left\{ -\frac{1}{6} G_{5X} [(\square\phi)^3 - 3\square\phi (\nabla_\alpha \nabla_\beta \phi)^2 + 2(\nabla_\alpha \nabla_\beta \phi)^3] + \nabla_\alpha G_5 R^{\alpha\beta} \nabla_\beta \phi \right. \\
& \left. - \frac{1}{2} \nabla_\alpha (G_{5\phi} \nabla^\alpha \phi) \square\phi + \frac{1}{2} \nabla_\alpha (G_{5\phi} \nabla_\beta \phi) \nabla^\alpha \nabla^\beta \phi - \frac{1}{2} \nabla_\alpha G_{5X} \nabla^\alpha X \square\phi + \frac{1}{2} \nabla_\alpha G_{5X} \nabla_\beta X \nabla^\alpha \nabla^\beta \phi \right.
\end{aligned}$$



Original derivation by Deffayet *et al.*

Start with flat space; assume

$$(1) \quad \mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}(\phi, \partial\phi, \partial^2\phi)$$

(2) \mathcal{L} is polynomial in $\partial^2\phi$

and then covariantize

Not completely general... 



Strong assumptions

Lagrangians that vanish in flat space seem missing (?)

$$\xi(\phi) (R^2 - 4R_{\mu\nu}^2 + R_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma}^2)$$



Proof **in arbitrary dimensions** 

— D Lagrangians in D dimensions

However, at least **in 4 dimensions** 

their result turns out to be **the most general!**

Back in 70's...

Horndeski (Lovelock's student!) determined **the most general** scalar-tensor Lagrangian of the form

$$\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}(\phi, \partial\phi, \partial^2\phi, \partial^3\phi, \dots ; g_{\mu\nu}, \partial g_{\mu\nu}, \partial^2 g_{\mu\nu}, \partial^3 g_{\mu\nu}, \dots)$$

that has **second-order** field equations both for ϕ and $g_{\mu\nu}$ **in 4D**

—— *The generalized Galileon was already discovered in 70's ?!*

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Revisited recently by Charmousis *et al.* (2011)

Second-Order Scalar-Tensor Field Equations in a Four-Dimensional Space

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Abstract

Lagrange scalar densities which are concomitants of a pseudo-Riemannian metric-tensor, a scalar field and their derivatives of arbitrary order are considered. The most general second-order Euler-Lagrange tensors derivable from such a Lagrangian in a four-dimensional space are constructed, and it is shown that these Euler-Lagrange tensors may be obtained from a Lagrangian which is at most of second order in the derivatives of the field functions.

From Horndeski to the GG

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathcal{L}_H = & \delta_{\mu\nu\sigma}^{\alpha\beta\gamma} \left[\kappa_1 \nabla^\mu \nabla_\alpha \phi R_{\beta\gamma}{}^{\nu\sigma} + \frac{2}{3} \kappa_{1X} \nabla^\mu \nabla_\alpha \phi \nabla^\nu \nabla_\beta \phi \nabla^\sigma \nabla_\gamma \phi \right. \\
 & \left. + \kappa_3 \nabla_\alpha \phi \nabla^\mu \phi R_{\beta\gamma}{}^{\nu\sigma} + 2\kappa_{3X} \nabla_\alpha \phi \nabla^\mu \phi \nabla^\nu \nabla_\beta \phi \nabla^\sigma \nabla_\gamma \phi \right] \\
 & + \delta_{\mu\nu}^{\alpha\beta} \left[(F + 2W) R_{\alpha\beta}{}^{\mu\nu} + 2F_X \nabla^\mu \nabla_\alpha \phi \nabla^\nu \nabla_\beta \phi + 2\kappa_8 \nabla_\alpha \phi \nabla^\mu \phi \nabla^\nu \nabla_\beta \phi \right] \\
 & - 6(F_\phi + 2W_\phi - X\kappa_8) \square\phi + \kappa_9
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\partial_X F(\phi, X) = 2(\kappa_3 + 2X\kappa_{3X} - \kappa_{1\phi})$$

4 arbitrary functions of ϕ and X

$W(\phi)$: absorbed into redefinition of F

The two theories are equivalent!

$$K = \kappa_9 + 4X \int^X dX' (\kappa_{8\phi} - 2\kappa_{3\phi\phi}),$$

$$G_3 = 6F_\phi - 2X\kappa_8 - 8X\kappa_{3\phi} + 2 \int^X dX' (\kappa_8 - 2\kappa_{3\phi}),$$

$$G_4 = 2F - 4X\kappa_3,$$

$$G_5 = -4\kappa_1$$

Particular cases

✔ $\mathcal{L}_2 = K(\phi, X)$ All the **k-inflation** models

Armendariz-Picon, Damour, Mukhanov (1999)

Example: **DBI inflation**

$$\mathcal{L} = -f(\phi) \sqrt{1 + f^{-1}(\partial\phi)^2} + f - V(\phi) \quad \text{Silverstein \& Tong (2004)}$$

✔ $\mathcal{L}_4 = G_4(\phi, X)R + G_{4X} \left[(\square\phi)^2 - (\nabla_\mu \nabla_\nu \phi)^2 \right]$

$$G_4 = \frac{M_{\text{Pl}}^2}{2} \quad \longrightarrow \quad \mathcal{L}_4 = \frac{M_{\text{Pl}}^2}{2} R \quad \text{Einstein-Hilbert}$$

$$G_4 = f(\phi) \quad \longrightarrow \quad \mathcal{L}_4 = f(\phi) R \quad \text{Familiar non-minimal coupling}$$

Particular cases contd.

✓ $\mathcal{L}_5 = G_5(\phi, X) G_{\mu\nu} \nabla^\mu \nabla^\nu \phi - \frac{1}{6} G_{5X} [\dots]$

Sometimes used in inflation and dark energy models

$G_5 = -\phi$  $\mathcal{L}_5 = G^{\mu\nu} \nabla_\mu \phi \nabla_\nu \phi$

Integration by parts

e.g., Germani, Kehagias (2010)

$$\begin{aligned} K &= 8\xi^{(4)} X^2 (3 - \ln X), \\ G_3 &= 4\xi^{(3)} X (7 - 3 \ln X), \\ G_4 &= 4\xi^{(2)} X (2 - \ln X), \\ G_5 &= -4\xi^{(1)} \ln X \end{aligned}$$



Even non-minimal coupling to the Gauss-Bonnet term can be reproduced



$$\xi(\phi) (R^2 - 4R_{\mu\nu}^2 + R_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma}^2)$$

Higher-order gravity theories

✔ $\mathcal{L} = f(R) \longrightarrow \mathcal{L} = f(\phi) + f_\phi(R - \phi)$

$f(R)$ models can be transformed to a scalar-tensor theory

Example: R^2 inflation $R + \frac{R^2}{6M^2}$ Starobinsky (1980)

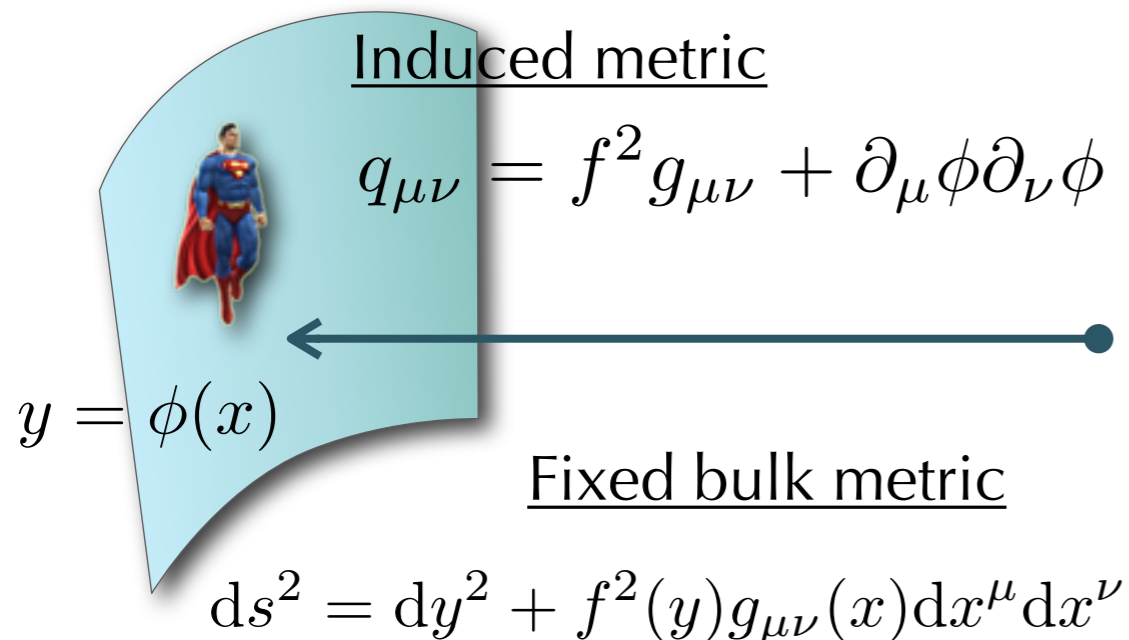
✔ $\mathcal{L} = \frac{R}{2} + f(\mathcal{G}) \longrightarrow \mathcal{L} = \frac{R}{2} + f(\phi) + f_\phi(\mathcal{G} - \phi)$

$$\mathcal{G} := R^2 - 4R_{\mu\nu}^2 + R_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma}^2$$

This can also be transformed to a single-scalar theory, with non-minimal coupling to the Gauss-Bonnet term

Galileon from higher dimensions

Particular cases of the generalized Galileon can be derived from
a probe brane embedded in a 5D bulk *a la* DBI



Induced metric

$$q_{\mu\nu} = f^2 g_{\mu\nu} + \partial_\mu \phi \partial_\nu \phi$$

$y = \phi(x)$

Fixed bulk metric

$$ds^2 = dy^2 + f^2(y) g_{\mu\nu}(x) dx^\mu dx^\nu$$

Probe brane action

$$S = -\lambda \int d^4x \sqrt{-q}$$

DBI = particular case of $K(\phi, X)$

$$S = -\lambda \int d^4x \sqrt{-g} f^4 \sqrt{1 + f^{-2} (\partial\phi)^2}$$

Generalize this to $S = \int d^4x \sqrt{-q} F(q_{\mu\nu}, R_{\mu\nu\sigma\lambda}, K_{\mu\nu}, \nabla_\mu)$

Probe brane Lagrangian that gives **second-order** equations of motion

$$\mathcal{L} = \sqrt{-q} \left(-\lambda - M_5^3 K + \frac{M_4^2}{2} R[q] - \beta \mathcal{K}_{\text{GB}} \right)$$

Gibbons-Hawking

$\sim \mathcal{L}_3$

Induced gravity

$\sim \mathcal{L}_4$

Boundary term from
bulk Gauss-Bonnet

$\sim \mathcal{L}_5$

$$\mathcal{K}_{\text{GB}} := -\frac{2}{3} K_{\mu\nu}^3 + K K_{\mu\nu}^2 - \frac{1}{3} K^3 - 2G_{\mu\nu} K^{\mu\nu}$$

Brane is 4D: no higher induced Lovelock terms;

Bulk is 5D: no higher boundary terms

Integration by parts

$$\gamma := \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + f^{-2}(\partial\phi)^2}}$$

$$\sqrt{-q}K \stackrel{\downarrow}{=} \sqrt{-g} \left[\underbrace{-4ff'X + \dots}_{\subset K(\phi, X)} + \underbrace{(f^2 \ln \gamma) \square\phi}_{\subset G_3(\phi, X)\square\phi} \right]$$

$$\sqrt{-q}R[q] = \sqrt{-g} \left\{ \underbrace{\dots}_{\subset K, G_3\square\phi} + \frac{f^2}{\gamma} R[g] - \gamma [(\square\phi)^2 - (\nabla_\mu \nabla_\nu \phi)^2] \right\}$$

$$\subset G_4R + G_{4X} [(\square\phi)^2 - (\nabla_\mu \phi \nabla_\nu \phi)^2]$$

$$\sqrt{-q}\mathcal{K}_{\text{GB}} = \dots$$

Minkowski bulk $f = 1, g_{\mu\nu} = \eta_{\mu\nu}$

Non-relativistic limit $X \ll 1$

> Shuntaro's talk



Flat space Galileon

Summary of Part 1

The **most general** scalar-tensor theory with **second-order** field equations is given by the **generalized Galileons** (in 4D)

$$\mathcal{L}_2 = K(\phi, X)$$

$$\mathcal{L}_3 = -G_3(\phi, X)\square\phi$$

$$\mathcal{L}_4 = G_4(\phi, X)R + G_{4X} \left[(\square\phi)^2 - (\nabla_\mu\nabla_\nu\phi)^2 \right]$$

$$\mathcal{L}_5 = G_5(\phi, X)G_{\mu\nu}\nabla^\mu\nabla^\nu\phi - \frac{1}{6}G_{5X} \left[(\square\phi)^3 - 3(\square\phi)(\nabla_\mu\nabla_\nu\phi)^2 + 2(\nabla_\mu\nabla_\nu\phi)^3 \right]$$

G-inflation

– Inflation driven by the Galileon field –

Now we have a framework to deal with

the most general single-field inflation model

Why don't we study inflation driven by the generalized Galileon, (generalized) G-inflation?

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Background

$\phi(t)$

$a(t)$

Background equations

$$\phi = \phi(t)$$

$$ds^2 = -N^2(t)dt^2 + a^2(t)d\mathbf{x}^2$$

$$S = \sum_{i=2}^5 \int d^4x \sqrt{-g} \mathcal{L}_i$$

Corresponding standard equations



$$\delta N$$



$$\sum_{i=2}^5 \mathcal{E}_i = 0$$

$$\rho - 3M_{\text{Pl}}^2 H^2 = 0$$



$$\delta a$$



$$\sum_{i=2}^5 \mathcal{P}_i = 0$$

$$p + M_{\text{Pl}}^2 (2\dot{H} + 3H^2) = 0$$



$$\delta \phi$$



$$\dot{J} + 3HJ = P_\phi$$

$$\ddot{\phi} + 3H\dot{\phi} = -V_\phi$$



$G_4 = M_{\text{Pl}}^2/2$ reproduces Einstein gravity

$$\mathcal{E}_2 = 2XK_X - K,$$

$$\mathcal{E}_3 = 6X\dot{\phi}HG_{3X} - 2XG_{3\phi},$$

$$\mathcal{E}_4 = -6H^2G_4 + 24H^2X(G_{4X} + XG_{4XX}) - 12HX\dot{\phi}G_{4\phi X} - 6H\dot{\phi}G_{4\phi},$$

$$\mathcal{E}_5 = 2H^3X\dot{\phi}(5G_{5X} + 2XG_{5XX}) - 6H^2X(3G_{5\phi} + 2XG_{5\phi X})$$

$$\mathcal{P}_2 = K,$$

$$\mathcal{P}_3 = -2X(G_{3\phi} + \ddot{\phi}G_{3X}),$$

$$\mathcal{P}_4 = 2(3H^2 + 2\dot{H})G_4 - 12H^2XG_{4X} - 4HX\dot{X}G_{4X} - 8\dot{H}XG_{4X}$$

$$-8HX\dot{X}G_{4XX} + 2(\ddot{\phi} + 2H\dot{\phi})G_{4\phi} + 4XG_{4\phi\phi} + 4X(\ddot{\phi} - 2H\dot{\phi})G_{4\phi X},$$

$$\mathcal{P}_5 = -2X(2H^3\dot{\phi} + 2H\dot{H}\dot{\phi} + 3H^2\ddot{\phi})G_{5X} - 4H^2X^2\ddot{\phi}G_{5XX}$$

$$+4HX(\dot{X} - HX)G_{5\phi X} + 2[2(HX)^\cdot + 3H^2X]G_{5\phi} + 4HX\dot{\phi}G_{5\phi\phi}$$

“ $-G_\mu^\nu$ ”

Our “ T_μ^ν ” includes “ $-G_\mu^\nu$ ”

— Distinction between gravitational and scalar-field parts is ambiguous

For $K = X - V(\phi)$

$$J \rightarrow \dot{\phi}$$

$$J = \dot{\phi} K_X + 6HXG_{3X} - 2\dot{\phi}G_{3\phi} \\ + 6H^2\dot{\phi}(G_{4X} + 2XG_{4XX}) - 12HXG_{4\phi X} \\ + 2H^3X(3G_{5X} + 2XG_{5XX}) \\ - 6H^2\dot{\phi}(G_{5\phi} + XG_{5\phi X})$$

$$P_\phi = K_\phi - 2X(G_{3\phi\phi} + \ddot{\phi}G_{3\phi X}) \\ + 6(2H^2 + \dot{H})G_{4\phi} + 6H(\dot{X} + 2HX)G_{4\phi X} \\ - 6H^2XG_{5\phi\phi} + 2H^3X\dot{\phi}G_{5\phi X}$$

$$P_\phi \rightarrow -V_\phi$$

Structure of the equations

“Friedmann equation” (00 equation)

$$\underbrace{(\dots)}_{\sim \mathcal{L}_2} + \underbrace{(\dots)H}_{\sim \mathcal{L}_3} + \underbrace{(\dots)H^2}_{\sim \mathcal{L}_4} + \underbrace{(\dots)H^3}_{\sim \mathcal{L}_5} = 0$$

“Kinetic gravity braiding”
Deffayet *et al.* (2010)

ij and scalar-field equations

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{H} &= (\dots)\ddot{\phi} + \dots \\ \ddot{\phi} &= (\dots)\dot{H} + \dots\end{aligned}$$

Not diagonal in second derivatives

In general, this mixing cannot be undone through conformal transformation

Cf. Usual (k-)inflation

T_{ij} does not contain second derivatives of ϕ

Scalar-field EOM does not contain second derivatives of $g_{\mu\nu}$

Background examples

How do we get $H \sim \text{const}$?

- (1) H is supported by potential energy;
(Slow-roll) scalar-field dynamics is modified by the G terms.
- (2) H is supported by kinetic energy;
Completely different from usual slow-roll dynamics
(generalization of *k-inflation*).

1. Potential-driven model

Suppose the 4 functions can be expanded in terms of X :

$$K(\phi, X) = -V(\phi) + \mathcal{K}(\phi)X + \dots$$

$$G_i(\phi, X) = g_i(\phi) + h_i(\phi)X + \dots$$

Consider slowly rolling ϕ

Slow-roll conditions:

$$\epsilon := -\frac{\dot{H}}{H^2} \ll 1, \quad \ddot{\phi} \ll H\dot{\phi}, \quad \dot{J} \ll HJ, \quad \dot{g}_i \ll Hg_i, \quad \dot{h}_i \ll Hh_i$$

“Friedmann equation”

g_4 is ϕ -dependent “ $1/16\pi G$ ”

$$\mathcal{E}_2 = \cancel{2XK_X} - K,$$

$$\mathcal{E}_3 = \cancel{6X\dot{\phi}HG_{3X} - 2XG_{3\phi}},$$

$$\mathcal{E}_4 = \cancel{-6H^2G_4 + 24H^2X(G_{4X} + XG_{4XX}) - 12HX\dot{\phi}G_{4\phi X} - 6H\dot{\phi}G_{4\phi}},$$

$$\mathcal{E}_5 = \cancel{2H^3X\dot{\phi}(5G_{5X} + 2XG_{5XX}) - 6H^2X(3G_{5\phi} + 2XG_{5\phi X})}$$

$$V(\phi) - 6H^2g_4(\phi) \simeq 0$$

Scalar-field EOM

$$3HJ \simeq -V_\phi + 12H^2g_{4\phi}$$

with $J \simeq (\mathcal{K} - 2g_{3\phi})\dot{\phi} + 6 \left[Hh_3X + H^2\dot{\phi}(h_4 - g_{5\phi}) + H^3h_5X \right]$

Friction term is modified

Application:

Enhance friction so that inflation proceeds even with a steep potential

Enhancing friction

Minimal example: $\mathcal{L} = \frac{M_{\text{Pl}}^2}{2} R + X - V - h_3(\phi) X \square \phi$

$$J \simeq \left(1 + 3Hh_3\dot{\phi}\right) \dot{\phi} \simeq -V_\phi$$

→ $\epsilon = -\frac{\dot{H}}{H^2} = \underbrace{\left(1 + 3Hh_3\dot{\phi}\right)^{-1}}_{\text{red}} \times \underbrace{\frac{M_{\text{Pl}}^2}{2} \left(\frac{V_\phi}{V}\right)^2}_{\text{blue}}$

Suppresses the slope
if $Hh_3\dot{\phi} \gg 1$

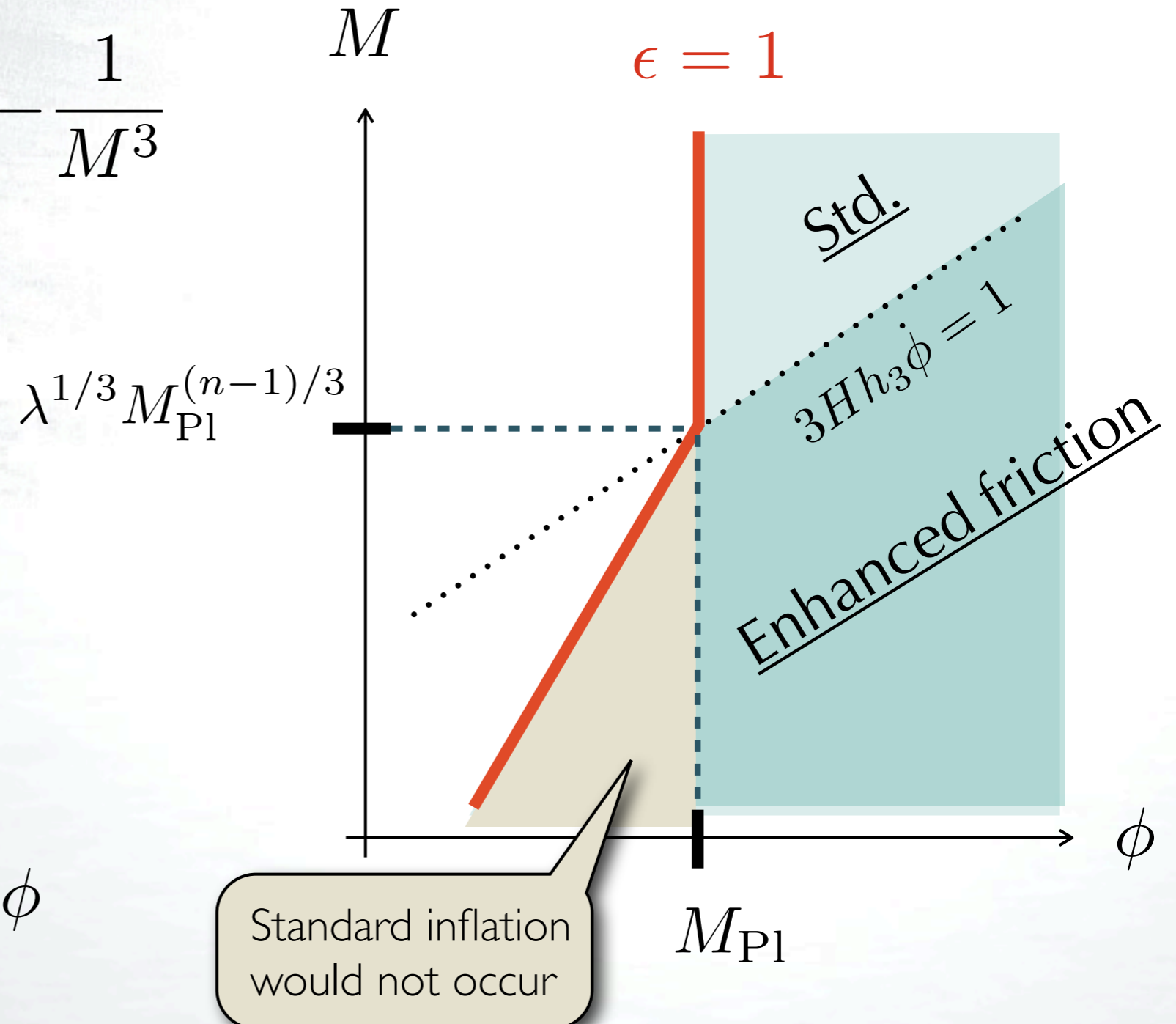
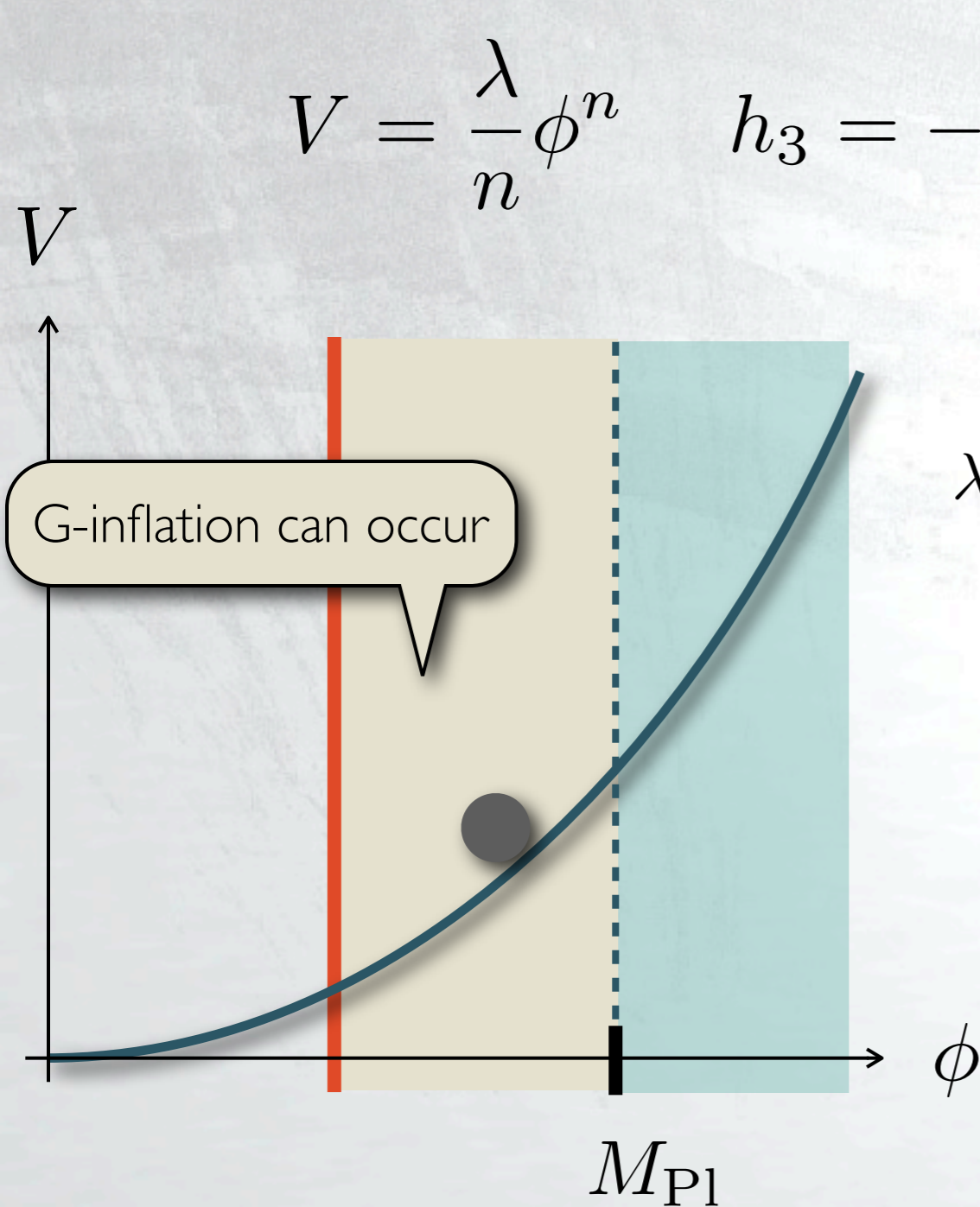
Standard expression
in terms of potential



Even when $Hh_3\dot{\phi} \gg 1$
we still have $V \gg |h_3 X \square \phi|$

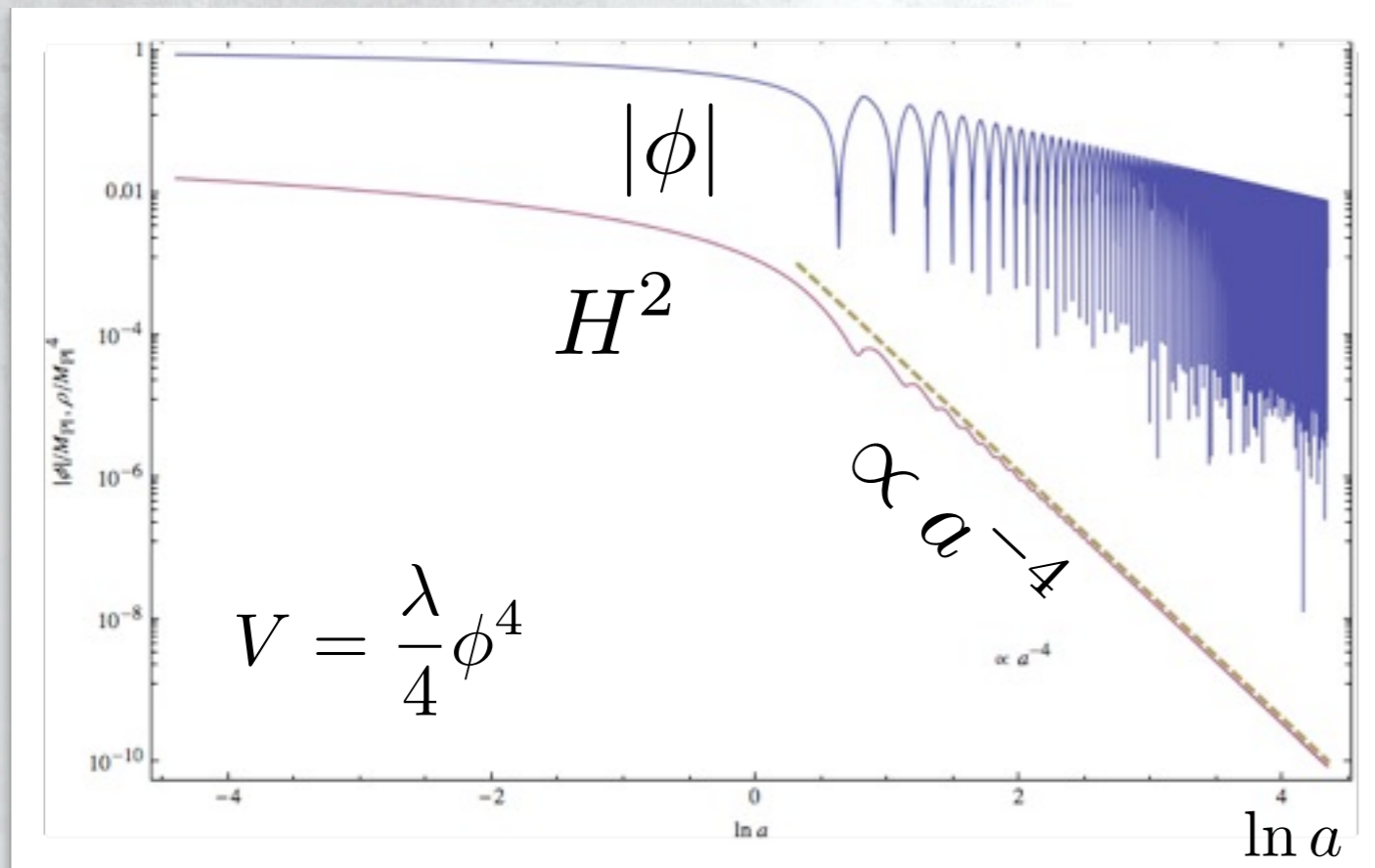
Chaotic G-inflation

$$V = \frac{\lambda}{n} \phi^n \quad h_3 = -\frac{1}{M^3}$$



Reheating

Non-trivial in general



But... arrange so that

$$K \simeq X - V(\phi)$$

$$G_i = g_i(\phi) + h_i(\phi)X + \dots$$

$\simeq \text{const}$

$\simeq 0$

around the minimum of V ,

then reheating will proceed in an usual way

2. Kinetically driven model

Shift symmetry: $\phi \rightarrow \phi + c \rightarrow K = K(X), G_i = G_i(X)$

Scalar-field EOM: $\dot{J} + 3HJ = 0 \rightarrow J(\dot{\phi}, H) \propto a^{-3} \rightarrow 0$

$$\begin{aligned}
 J = & \dot{\phi} K_X + 6HXG_{3X} \\
 & + 6H^2 \dot{\phi} (G_{4X} + 2XG_{4XX}) \\
 & + 2H^3 X (3G_{5X} + 2XG_{5XX})
 \end{aligned}$$

de Sitter attractor

$$\dot{\phi} = \text{const.}$$

$$H = \text{const.}$$

satisfying

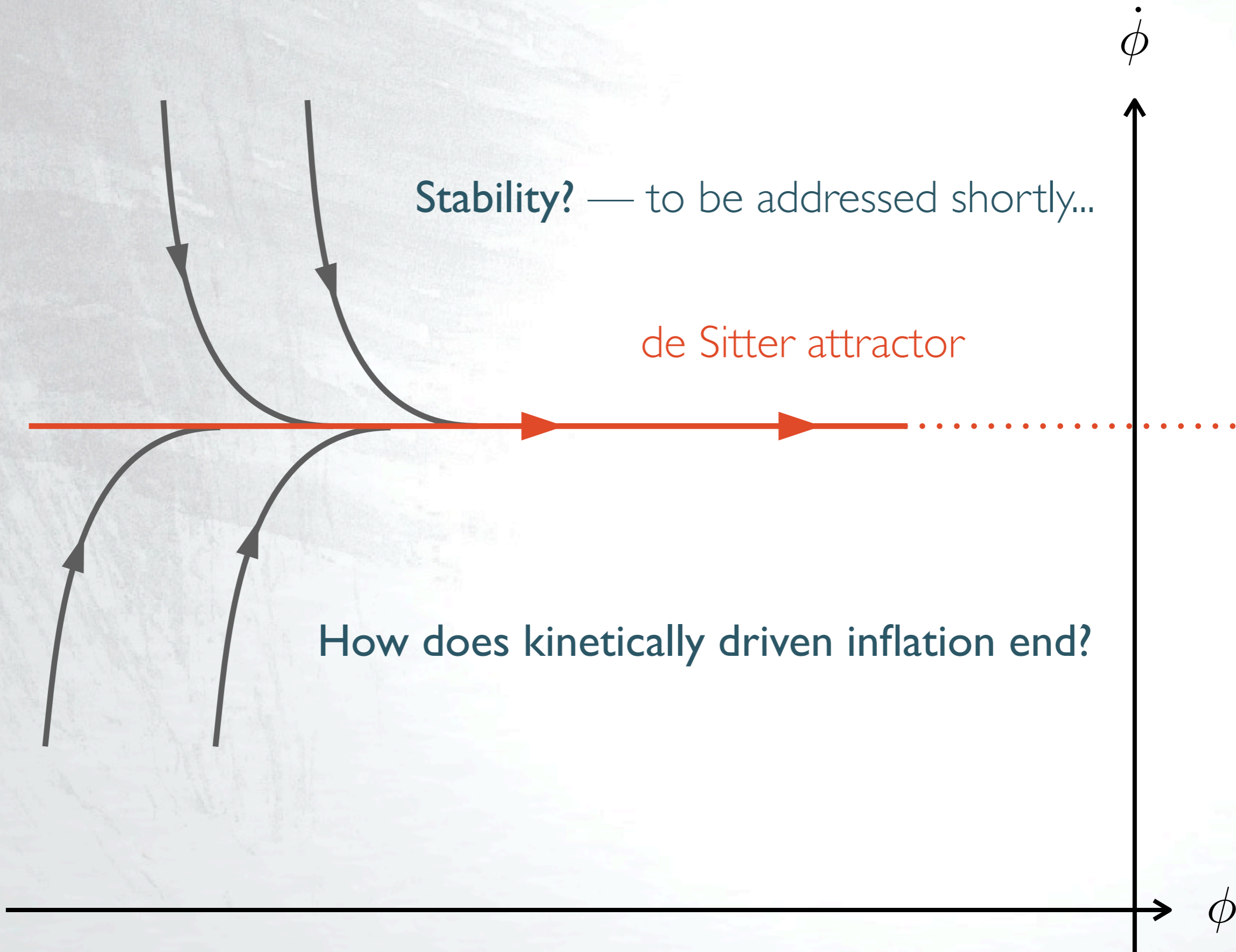
$$J(\dot{\phi}, H) = 0$$

$$F(\dot{\phi}, H) = 0$$

“Friedmann equation”

$$\sum_{i=2}^5 \mathcal{E}_i = 0 = \dot{\phi} J - \underbrace{\left[K + 6H^2(G_4 - 2XG_{4X}) - 4H^3 X \dot{\phi} G_{5X} \right]}$$

$$=: F(\dot{\phi}, H) \rightarrow 0$$



Stability? — to be addressed shortly...

de Sitter attractor

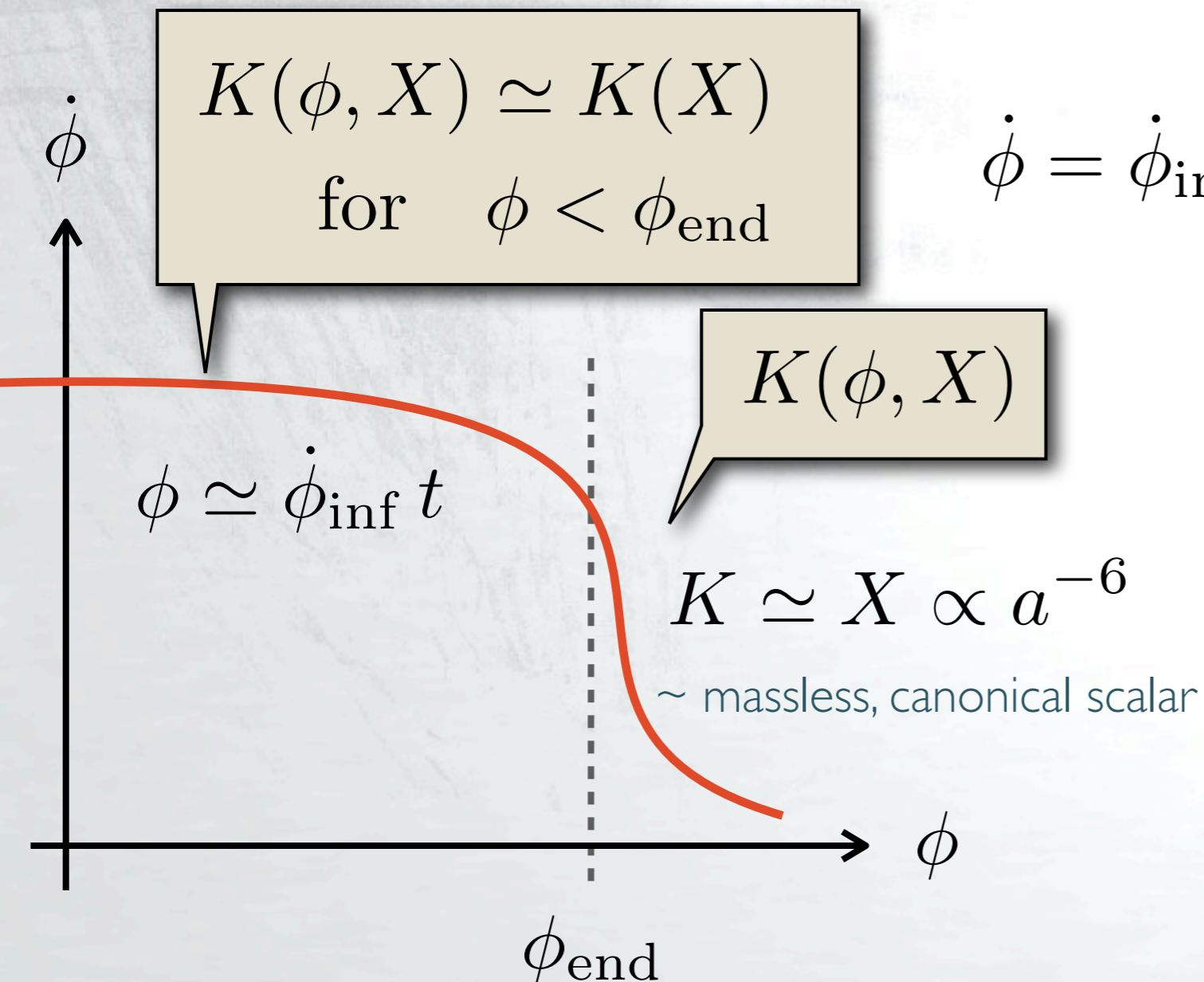
How does kinetically driven inflation end?

Exit from kinetically driven G-inflation

Shift symmetry $\phi \rightarrow \phi + c$ must be broken in order to end inflation

The situation is essentially the same as k-inflation

$\dot{\phi} = \dot{\phi}_{\text{inf}}$ is no longer a solution for $\phi > \phi_{\text{end}}$



Reheating through gravitational particle production Ford (1987)



GW spectrum is enhanced at high frequencies



Everything in the world, including what you don't want, will be produced

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h_{ij}

Perturbations

Tensor perturbation

$g_{ij} = a^2 (\delta_{ij} + h_{ij}) \longrightarrow$ Substitute this to the action and expand to second order

General quadratic action for tensor perturbations:

$$S_T^{(2)} = \frac{1}{8} \int dt d^3x a^3 \left[\mathcal{G}_T \dot{h}_{ij}^2 - \frac{\mathcal{F}_T}{a^2} (\vec{\nabla} h_{ij})^2 \right]$$

$$\mathcal{F}_T := 2 \left[G_4 - X \left(\ddot{\phi} G_{5X} + G_{5\phi} \right) \right]$$

$$\mathcal{G}_T := 2 \left[G_4 - 2X G_{4X} - X \left(H \dot{\phi} G_{5X} - G_{5\phi} \right) \right]$$

$$S_T^{(2)} = \frac{1}{8} \int dt d^3x a^3 \left[\mathcal{G}_T \dot{h}_{ij}^2 - \frac{\mathcal{F}_T}{a^2} (\vec{\nabla} h_{ij})^2 \right]$$

Propagation speed: $c_T^2 := \mathcal{F}_T / \mathcal{G}_T \longrightarrow c_T^2 \neq 1$ in general

Stability: $\mathcal{F}_T > 0$ – avoid gradient instabilities

$\mathcal{G}_T > 0$ – avoid ghost instabilities



Normalized mode: $z h_{ij} = \frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{2} \sqrt{-y} H_{\nu}^{(1)}(-ky) e_{ij}$

$$z := \frac{a}{2} (\mathcal{F}_T \mathcal{G}_T)^{1/4}$$

$$dy := \frac{c_T}{a} dt$$

$$\nu := \frac{3 - \epsilon - 2s_T + f_T}{2(1 - \epsilon - s_T)}$$

Constant (slow) variation parameters

$$\epsilon = \text{const}, \quad s_T := \frac{\dot{c}_T}{H c_T} = \text{const}, \quad f_T := \frac{\dot{\mathcal{F}}_T}{H \mathcal{F}_T} = \text{const}$$

Tensor power spectrum

$$\checkmark \quad \mathcal{P}_T = 2^{2\nu} \left| \frac{\Gamma(\nu)}{\Gamma(3/2)} \right|^2 (1 - \epsilon - s) \frac{\mathcal{G}_T^{1/2} H^2}{\mathcal{F}_T^{3/2} 4\pi^2} \Big|_{-ky=1}$$

evaluated at sound horizon crossing

$$\checkmark \quad n_T = 3 - 2\nu$$

$$n_T > 0$$



$$2\epsilon + s_T + f_T < 0$$

In principle, this is possible without causing instabilities both in scalar and tensor modes

Curvature perturbation

Unitary gauge: $\delta\phi(t, \mathbf{x}) = 0$

$$ds^2 = -N^2 dt^2 + \gamma_{ij} (dx^i + N^i dt) (dx^j + N^j dt)$$

$$N = 1 + \alpha, \quad N_i = \partial_i \beta, \quad \gamma_{ij} = a^2(t) e^{2\zeta} \delta_{ij}$$

→ $S_S^{(2)} = \int dt d^3x a^3 \left[-3\mathcal{G}_T \dot{\zeta}^2 + \frac{\mathcal{F}_T}{a^2} (\vec{\nabla}\zeta)^2 + \textcircled{\Sigma} \alpha^2 \right.$ defined in the next slide...
 $\left. -2\textcircled{\Theta} \alpha \frac{\vec{\nabla}^2}{a^2} \beta + 2\mathcal{G}_T \dot{\zeta} \frac{\vec{\nabla}^2}{a^2} \beta + 6\textcircled{\Theta} \alpha \dot{\zeta} - 2\mathcal{G}_T \alpha \frac{\vec{\nabla}^2}{a^2} \zeta \right]$

Get quadratic action for ζ

✓ $\delta\alpha$ → Hamiltonian constraint $\Sigma\alpha - \Theta \frac{\vec{\nabla}^2}{a^2} \beta + 3\Theta \dot{\zeta} - \mathcal{G}_T \frac{\vec{\nabla}^2}{a^2} \zeta = 0$

✓ $\delta\beta$ → Momentum constraint $\Theta\alpha - \mathcal{G}_T \dot{\zeta} = 0$

$$\begin{aligned}
\Sigma &:= XK_X + 2X^2K_{XX} + 12H\dot{\phi}XG_{3X} \\
&+ 6H\dot{\phi}X^2G_{3XX} - 2XG_{3\phi} - 2X^2G_{3\phi X} - 6H^2G_4 \\
&+ 6\left[H^2(7XG_{4X} + 16X^2G_{4XX} + 4X^3G_{4XXX})\right. \\
&\quad \left.- H\dot{\phi}(G_{4\phi} + 5XG_{4\phi X} + 2X^2G_{4\phi XX})\right] \\
&+ 30H^3\dot{\phi}XG_{5X} + 26H^3\dot{\phi}X^2G_{5XX} \\
&+ 4H^3\dot{\phi}X^3G_{5XXX} - 6H^2X(6G_{5\phi} \\
&+ 9XG_{5\phi X} + 2X^2G_{5\phi XX})
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\Theta &:= -\dot{\phi}XG_{3X} + 2HG_4 - 8HXG_{4X} \\
&- 8HX^2G_{4XX} + \dot{\phi}G_{4\phi} + 2X\dot{\phi}G_{4\phi X} \\
&- H^2\dot{\phi}(5XG_{5X} + 2X^2G_{5XX}) \\
&+ 2HX(3G_{5\phi} + 2XG_{5\phi X})
\end{aligned}$$

Compact expressions

$$\Sigma = X \sum_{i=2}^5 \frac{\partial \mathcal{E}_i}{\partial X} + \frac{1}{2} H \sum_{i=2}^5 \frac{\partial \mathcal{E}_i}{\partial H}$$

$$\Theta = -\frac{1}{6} \sum_{i=2}^5 \frac{\partial \mathcal{E}_i}{\partial H}$$

General quadratic action for curvature perturbation:

$$S_S^{(2)} = \int dt d^3x a^3 \left[\mathcal{G}_S \dot{\zeta}^2 - \frac{\mathcal{F}_S}{a^2} (\vec{\nabla} \zeta)^2 \right]$$

$$\mathcal{F}_S := \frac{1}{a} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{a}{\Theta} \mathcal{G}_T^2 \right) - \mathcal{F}_T$$

$$\mathcal{G}_S := \frac{\Sigma}{\Theta^2} \mathcal{G}_T^2 + 3\mathcal{G}_T$$

Sound speed: $c_s^2 = \mathcal{F}_S / \mathcal{G}_S$ **Stability:** $\mathcal{F}_S > 0, \quad \mathcal{G}_S > 0$

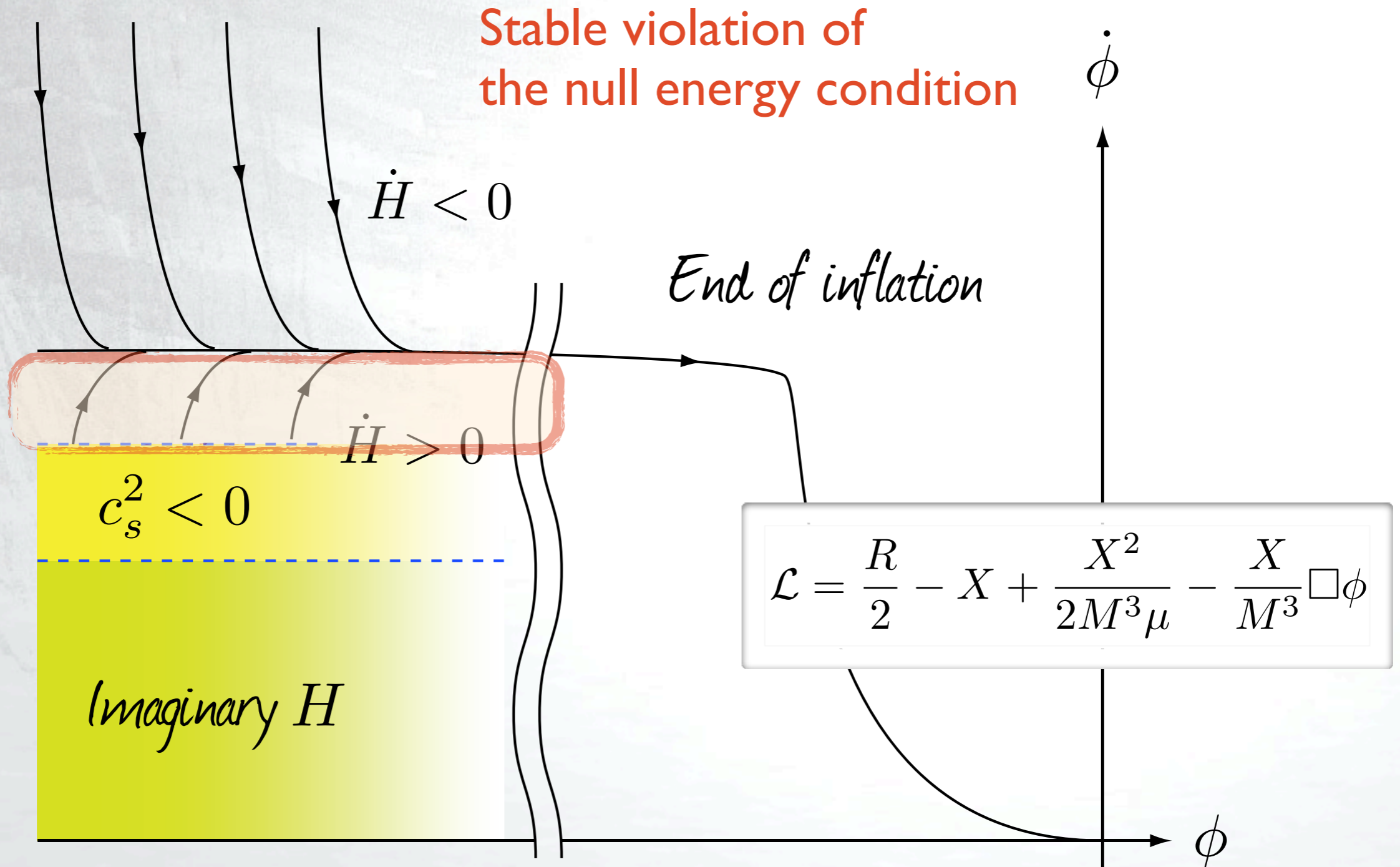
k-inflation

$$\dot{H} > 0 \leftrightarrow \text{unstable}$$

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{M_{\text{Pl}}^2}{2} R + K(\phi, X) \longrightarrow \mathcal{F}_S = M_{\text{Pl}}^2 \epsilon \quad \text{Garriga, Mukhanov (1999)}$$

In more general cases, the sign of \dot{H}
and the stability criteria are not correlated

Phase space of kinetically driven G-inflation



Normalized mode: $z \zeta = \frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{2} \sqrt{-y} H_{\nu}^{(1)}(-ky)$

$z := \sqrt{2a} (\mathcal{F}_S \mathcal{G}_S)^{1/4}$
 $dy := \frac{c_s}{a} dt$
 $\nu := \frac{3 - \epsilon - 2s + f_S}{2(1 - \epsilon - s)}$

Constant (slow) variation parameters

$$\epsilon = \text{const}, \quad s := \frac{\dot{c}_s}{H c_s} = \text{const}, \quad f_S := \frac{\dot{\mathcal{F}}_S}{H \mathcal{F}_S} = \text{const}$$

Power spectrum

✓ $\mathcal{P}_{\zeta} = 2^{2\nu-4} \left| \frac{\Gamma(\nu)}{\Gamma(3/2)} \right|^2 (1 - \epsilon - s) \frac{\mathcal{G}_S^{1/2}}{\mathcal{F}_S^{3/2}} \frac{H^2}{4\pi^2} \Big|_{-ky=1}$

✓ $n_s - 1 = 3 - 2\nu$

Approximately scale-invariant if $\nu \simeq \frac{3}{2}$

Consistency relation

$$r = 16 \frac{\mathcal{F}_S c_s}{\mathcal{F}_T c_T}$$

($r = \mathcal{P}_T / \mathcal{P}_\zeta$, Slow-variation parameters $\ll 1$)

Canonical inflation

$$r = 16\epsilon = -8n_T$$

k-inflation

$$r = 16\epsilon c_s = -8n_T c_s$$

Consistency relation in **potential-driven** G^2

$$K(\phi, X) = -V(\phi) + \mathcal{K}(\phi)X + \dots$$

$$G_i(\phi, X) = g_i(\phi) + h_i(\phi)X + \dots$$

$$\mathcal{F}_S \simeq \frac{X}{H^2} (\mathcal{K} + 6H^2 h_4) + \frac{4\dot{\phi}X}{H} (h_3 + H^2 h_5)$$

$$\mathcal{G}_S \simeq \frac{X}{H^2} (\mathcal{K} + 6H^2 h_4) + \frac{6\dot{\phi}X}{H} (h_3 + H^2 h_5)$$

$$\mathcal{F}_T \simeq \mathcal{G}_T \simeq 2g_4 \longrightarrow c_T^2 \simeq 1$$

New consistency relation

Usual consistency relation

$$c_s^2 \simeq 1$$

$$r \simeq -8n_T$$

$$c_s^2 \simeq \frac{2}{3}$$

$$r \simeq -\frac{32\sqrt{6}}{9}n_T$$

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Non-Gaussianity

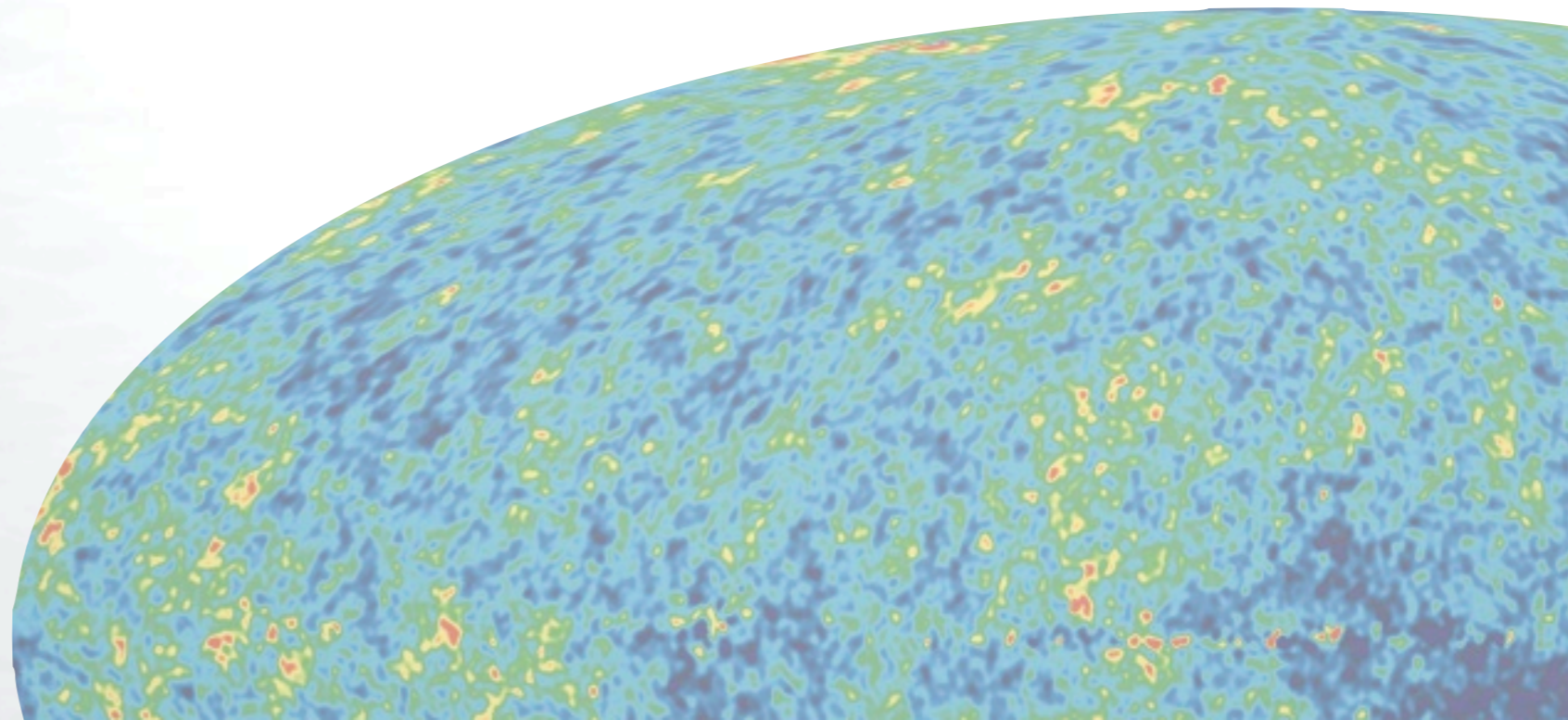
f NNL

Let's focus on the minimal example

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{R}{2} + K(\phi, X) - G(\phi, X)\square\phi,$$

and evaluate $\langle \zeta_{\mathbf{k}_1} \zeta_{\mathbf{k}_2} \zeta_{\mathbf{k}_3} \rangle$ $M_{\text{PI}} = 1$

TK, Yamaguchi, Yokoyama (2011)



Key quantities

Recall the quadratic action —

$$S = \int dt d^3x a^3 \sigma \left[\frac{1}{c_s^2} \dot{\zeta}^2 - \frac{1}{a^2} (\partial\zeta)^2 \right]$$

$$\sigma := \mathcal{F}_S$$

$$c_s^2 := \frac{\mathcal{F}_S}{\mathcal{G}_S} \quad \text{Sound speed}$$

reduces to ϵ ($= -\dot{H}/H^2$)
in standard (k-)inflation ($G=0$)

$\sigma \neq \epsilon$, not necessarily slow-roll
suppressed in (kinetically driven) G^2

Tensor-to-scalar ratio

$$r = 16\sigma c_s$$

Cubic action

$$S_3 = \int dt d^3x a^3 \left[\frac{C_1}{H} \dot{\zeta}^3 + C_2 \zeta \dot{\zeta}^2 + \frac{C_3}{a^4 H^2} \partial^2 \zeta (\partial \zeta)^2 + \frac{C_4}{a^2 H^2} \dot{\zeta}^2 \partial^2 \zeta + C_5 H \zeta^2 \dot{\zeta} \right. \\ \left. + \frac{C_6}{a^4 H} \partial^2 \zeta (\partial \zeta \cdot \partial \chi) + \frac{C_7}{a^4} \partial^2 \zeta (\partial \chi)^2 + \frac{C_8}{a^2} \zeta (\partial \zeta)^2 + \frac{C_9}{a^2} \dot{\zeta} (\partial \zeta \cdot \partial \chi) + \frac{2}{a^3} f(\zeta) \frac{\delta L}{\delta \zeta} \Big|_1 \right]$$

$$\chi := \frac{a^2 \sigma}{c_s^2} \dot{\zeta}$$

at most four derivatives

$$C_1 = -\frac{\sigma}{\Theta c_s} \left(1 + 2 \frac{\mathcal{I}}{\mathcal{G}} \right) - 2 \dot{\phi} X (G_X + X G_{XX}) \frac{H \sigma}{c_s^2 \Theta^2} + \frac{H^2 \sigma}{c_s^4 \Theta^2},$$

$$C_2 = \frac{\sigma}{c_s^2} \left[3 - \frac{H^2}{c_s^2 \Theta^2} \left(3 + \epsilon + \frac{2 \dot{\Theta}}{H \Theta} \right) \right],$$

$$C_3 = -\frac{H^2 \dot{\phi} X G_X}{\Theta^3},$$

$$C_4 = \frac{2 H^2 \dot{\phi} X (G_X + X G_{XX})}{\Theta^3},$$

$$C_5 = \frac{\sigma}{2 c_s H} \frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{H^2 \delta}{c_s^2 \Theta^2} \right),$$

$$C_6 = \frac{2 H \dot{\phi} X G_X}{\Theta^2},$$

$$C_7 = \frac{\sigma}{4} \frac{\dot{\phi} X G_X}{\Theta},$$

$$C_8 = -\frac{\sigma H}{\Theta^2 c_s^2} \left(1 - \epsilon - 2s - \frac{2 \dot{\Theta}}{H \Theta} \right),$$

$$C_9 = \frac{\sigma}{c_s^2} \left(-\frac{2H}{\Theta} + \frac{\sigma}{2} \right),$$

$$\mathcal{I} := X K_{XX} + \frac{2X^2}{3} K_{XXX} + H \dot{\phi} G_X + 6X^2 G_X^2$$

$$+ H \dot{\phi} X G_{XX} + 6X^3 G_X G_{XX} + 2H \dot{\phi} X^2 G_{XXX}$$

$$+ \frac{X}{3} (2G_{\phi X} + X G_{\phi XX})$$

σ instead of ϵ

No new shapes beyond k-inflation

Creminelli *et al.* (2011); Reneux-Petel (2011)

Evaluating Non-Gaussianity

in-in formalism

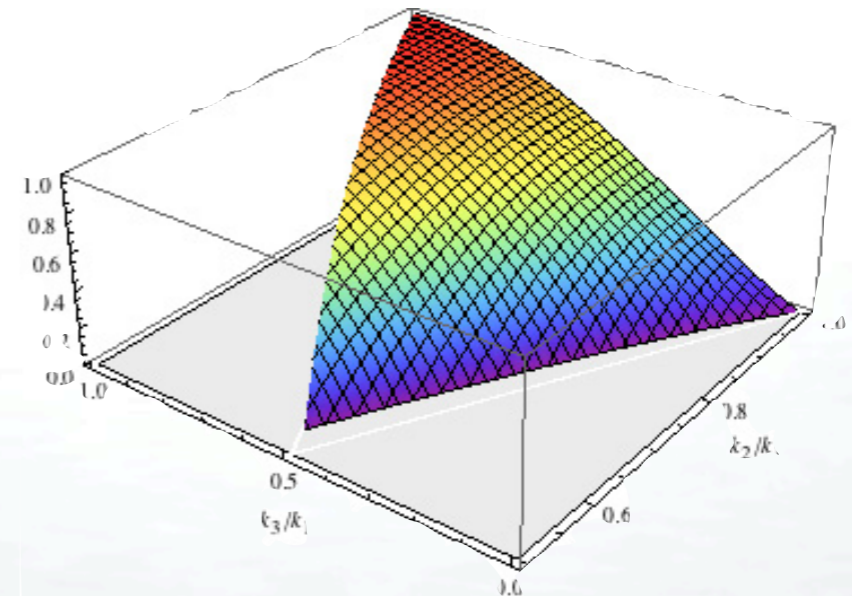
$$\langle \zeta_{\mathbf{k}_1} \zeta_{\mathbf{k}_2} \zeta_{\mathbf{k}_3} \rangle = -i \int_{t_0}^t dt' \langle [\zeta(\mathbf{k}_1, t) \zeta(\mathbf{k}_2, t) \zeta(\mathbf{k}_3, t), H_{\text{int}}(t')] \rangle$$

$$H_{\text{int}}(t) = - \int d^3x a^3 \left[\frac{\mathcal{C}_1}{H} \dot{\zeta}^3 + \mathcal{C}_2 \zeta \dot{\zeta}^2 + \dots \right]$$

$$\longrightarrow \langle \zeta_{\mathbf{k}_1} \zeta_{\mathbf{k}_2} \zeta_{\mathbf{k}_3} \rangle = (2\pi)^7 \delta^{(3)}(\mathbf{k}_1 + \mathbf{k}_2 + \mathbf{k}_3) \mathcal{P}_\zeta^2 \frac{\mathcal{A}}{k_1^3 k_2^3 k_3^3}$$

\mathcal{A} peaks at $k_1=k_2=k_3$ (except in the case of fine-tuned parameters)

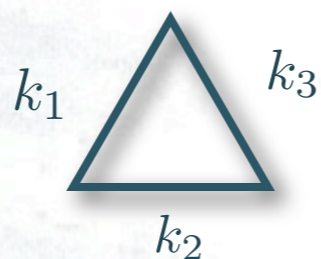
$$f_{\text{NL}}^{\text{equi}} = 30 \frac{\mathcal{A}_{k_1=k_2=k_3}}{(k_1 + k_2 + k_3)^3}$$



Size of Non-Gaussianity

$$f_{\text{NL}}^{\text{equi}} = \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{\tilde{\sigma}^2}{c_s^2}\right) + \mathcal{O}\left(\tilde{\sigma}^2 \frac{XG_{XX}}{G_X}\right) + \mathcal{O}\left(\tilde{\sigma} \frac{\mathcal{I}}{\mathcal{G}_S}\right), \quad \tilde{\sigma} := \max\{1, \sigma\}$$

C.f. $r = 16\sigma c_s$



$$\mathcal{I} := XK_{XX} + \frac{2X^2}{3}K_{XXX} + H\dot{\phi}G_X + \dots$$

k-inflation $\sigma = \epsilon$

$$f_{\text{NL}} \sim \frac{1}{c_s^2} \quad r = 16\epsilon c_s$$

Large f_{NL} (r) \rightarrow Small r (f_{NL})

G-inflation $\sigma \neq \epsilon$

Both f_{NL} and r can be large

Say, $f_{\text{NL}} = 210$ with $r = 0.17$ is possible in kinetically driven models

The most general case

$$G_4 = G_4(\phi, X), \quad G_5 = G_5(\phi, X)$$

$$S_{(3)}[\zeta] = \int d\eta d^3x a^2 \left\{ \frac{\Lambda_1}{\mathcal{H}} \zeta'^3 + \Lambda_2 \zeta'^2 \zeta + \Lambda_3 \zeta (\partial_i \zeta)^2 + \frac{\Lambda_4}{\mathcal{H}^2} \zeta'^2 \partial^2 \zeta + \Lambda_5 \zeta' \partial_i \zeta \partial^i \psi + \Lambda_6 \partial^2 \zeta (\partial_i \psi)^2 \right. \\ \left. + \frac{\Lambda_7}{\mathcal{H}^2} \left[\partial^2 \zeta (\partial_i \zeta)^2 - \zeta \partial_i \partial_j (\partial^i \zeta \partial^j \zeta) \right] + \frac{\Lambda_8}{\mathcal{H}} \left[\partial^2 \zeta \partial_i \zeta \partial^i \psi - \zeta \partial_i \partial_j (\partial^i \zeta \partial^j \psi) \right] + F(\zeta) \frac{\delta \mathcal{L}_2}{\delta \zeta} \Big|_1 \right\},$$

Gao & Steer 1107.2642

See also De Felice & Tsujikawa 1107.3917

No new operators beyond k-inflation Reneux-Petel (2011)

More complicated expressions for coefficients...

Summary of Part 2

The generalized Galileon offers a framework to study **the most general single-field inflation model**

We now have **the most general quadratic (and cubic) actions** for curvature and tensor perturbations, which can be used to **determine stability** and **compute 2-(and 3-) point functions** of **all** the single-field inflation models

Non-Gaussianity: No new shapes beyond k-inflation, but large r and large f_{NL} are compatible in more general models than k-inflation


Talk Plan

1. Introduction to the *Galileon*
2. G-inflation – Inflation driven by the Galileon field –
3. Galileon models of dark energy

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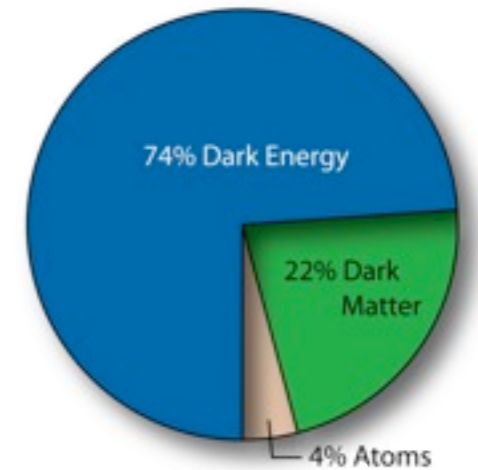
Galileon models of dark energy

Many **dynamical dark energy** models and **modified gravity** models are described in a generic, unified manner by

$$\sqrt{-g} \sum_{i=2}^5 \mathcal{L}_i + \sqrt{-g} \mathcal{L}_m$$


Most general scalar-tensor theory
= generalized Galileon

Ordinary matter:
dark matter, photons, baryons, ...



* $f(R)$ gravity is also in this class

Assume matter is coupled to $g_{\mu\nu}$, and not directly to ϕ

If you want to consider matter coupled to $\tilde{g}_{\mu\nu} = A(\phi)g_{\mu\nu}$,
a conformal transformation brings your theory to the above form

Solar-system constraints on scalar-mediated force

Severe constraint on **Brans-Dicke theory** (prototype example of ST theories)

$$\mathcal{L} = \phi R - \frac{\omega}{\phi} (\partial\phi)^2 + \mathcal{L}_m$$

Gravitational field around a point mass

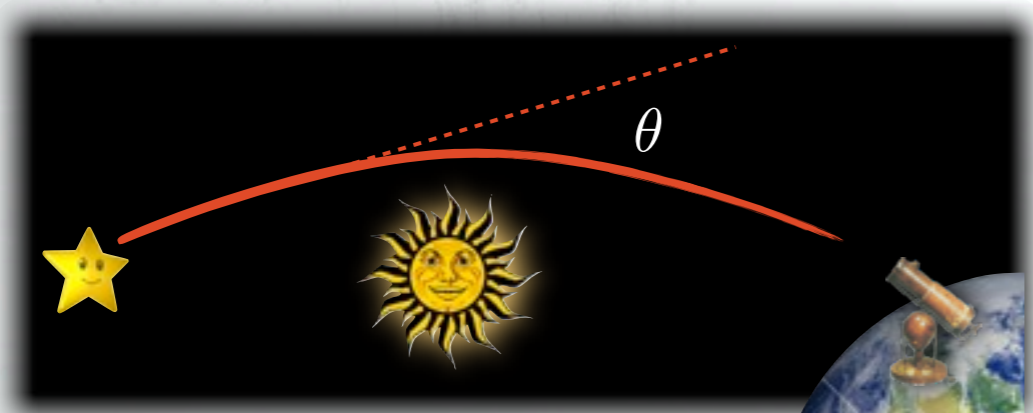
Cf. General Relativity $\gamma = 1$

$$T_{00} = M\delta^{(3)}(\mathbf{x})$$

$$ds^2 = -(1 + 2\Phi)dt^2 + (1 - 2\Psi)d\mathbf{x}^2$$



$$\gamma = \frac{\Psi}{\Phi} = \frac{1 + \omega}{2 + \omega}$$



$$\theta = 1.75'' (1 + \gamma) / 2$$

Light bending $|\gamma - 1| < 10^{-4}$

Will gr-qc/0103036

Screening mechanisms

Scalar d.o.f. must be screened somehow in the vicinity of matter

- (1) Scalar d.o.f. is effectively massive in the vicinity of matter
— not fluctuate

$$\sum_{i=2}^5 \mathcal{L}_i \supset -V(\phi)$$

Potential term at work

Chameleon mechanism

Mota, Barrow (2004)
Khoury, Weltman (2004)

- (2) Scalar d.o.f. is effectively weakly coupled in the vicinity of matter
— fluctuate, but do not care

$$\sum_{i=2}^5 \mathcal{L}_i \supset (\partial\phi)^2 \square\phi, \dots$$

Non-linear derivative interaction at work

Vainshtein mechanism

Vainshtein (1992)

Improving BD theory

Add Galileon-type interaction to BD theory

$$\mathcal{L} = \phi R - \frac{\omega}{\phi} (\partial\phi)^2 + \underline{\underline{f(\phi)(\partial\phi)^2 \square\phi}} + \mathcal{L}_m$$

$$G_3 = 2f(\phi)X$$

Schematically,

$$\square\phi \sim \phi R \sim \rho \quad \longrightarrow \quad G_3 \square\phi \propto \rho (\partial\phi)^2$$

Large kinetic term at high densities

$$\omega \ll \omega_{\text{eff}} \propto \rho$$

Source

Force

$$F_{\phi} \sim F_{\text{grav}}$$

$$F_{\phi} \ll F_{\text{grav}}$$



r_V

For $r_c \sim H_0^{-1}$

$r_V \sim 10 \text{ pc}$

Around

Cf. grav

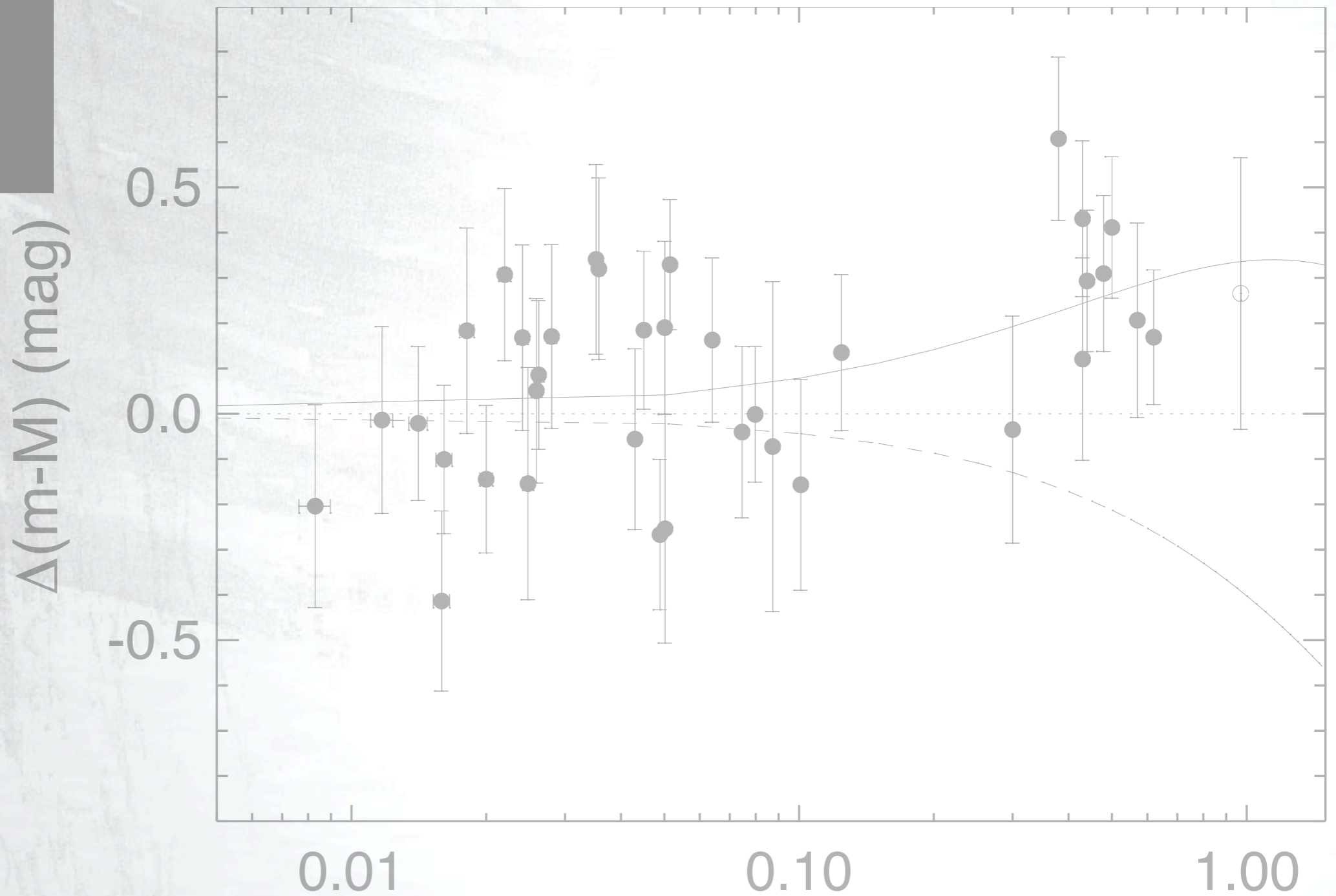
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grav

$$r \ll r_V$$

$$F_{\text{grav}} \ll F_{\text{grav}}$$

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Some Galileon models for late-time acceleration

Cosmology of BD + \mathcal{L}_3

Two-parameter model

BD + \mathcal{L}_3 + \mathcal{L}_m

α

ω

$$G_3 = 2f(\phi)X, \quad f(\phi) = \frac{r_c^2}{\phi^2} \left(\frac{2\phi}{M_{\text{Pl}}^2} \right)^\alpha \propto \phi^{\alpha-2}$$

Early-time behavior

$$H \gg r_c^{-1}$$

$$3H^2 \simeq 8\pi G\rho$$

Standard cosmology is *not* destroyed

Late-time behavior

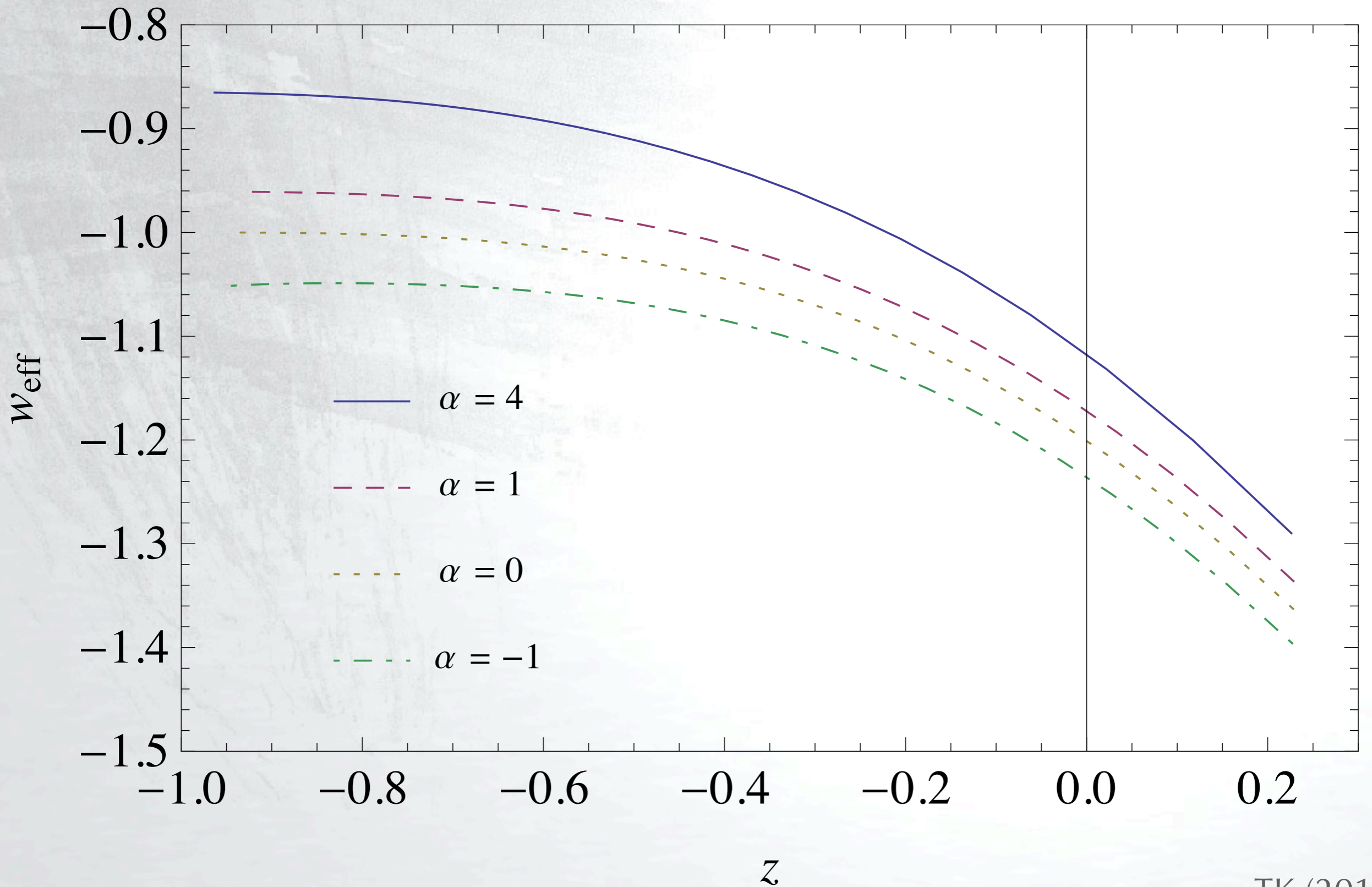
$$H \lesssim r_c^{-1}$$

$$1 + w_{\text{eff}} \rightarrow \frac{\alpha}{3} \left[\frac{-2 + \alpha \pm \sqrt{-6\omega - (2 - \alpha)(4 + \alpha)}}{\omega + 2 - \alpha} \right]$$

> 0	for	$\alpha > 0$
$= 0$	for	$\alpha = 0$
< 0	for	$\alpha < 0$

$$1 + w_{\text{eff}} = -\frac{\dot{\rho}_{\text{eff}}}{3H\rho_{\text{eff}}}$$

$$\omega = -500$$



Shift-symmetric scalar

$K = K(X), G_i = G_i(X)$ — Recall *kinetically driven G-inflation*

“Friedmann equation” $\sum^5 \epsilon_i + \rho = 0$

can mimic phenomenological models of modified Friedmann equation

$$\tilde{F}(H) = \rho$$

Along the attractor,

$$F(\dot{\phi}, H) = \rho$$

$$J(\dot{\phi}, H) = 0$$

→ de Sitter

Recent applications

“Kinetic gravity braiding”

Deffayet *et al.* (2010)

Kimura, Yamamoto (2011)

$$G_3 \propto X^n$$

“Purely kinetic coupled gravity”

Gubitosi, Linder (2011)

$$G^{\mu\nu} \partial_\mu \phi \partial_\nu \phi \leftarrow G_4 \propto X$$

Kimura, Yamamoto (2011)

Reproduce the phenomenological model of Dvali and Turner (2003)

$$K = -X, \quad G_3 \propto X^n$$

$n = 1$ – covariant Galileon

$n = \infty$ – Λ CDM

$$\alpha = -\frac{2}{2n - 1}$$

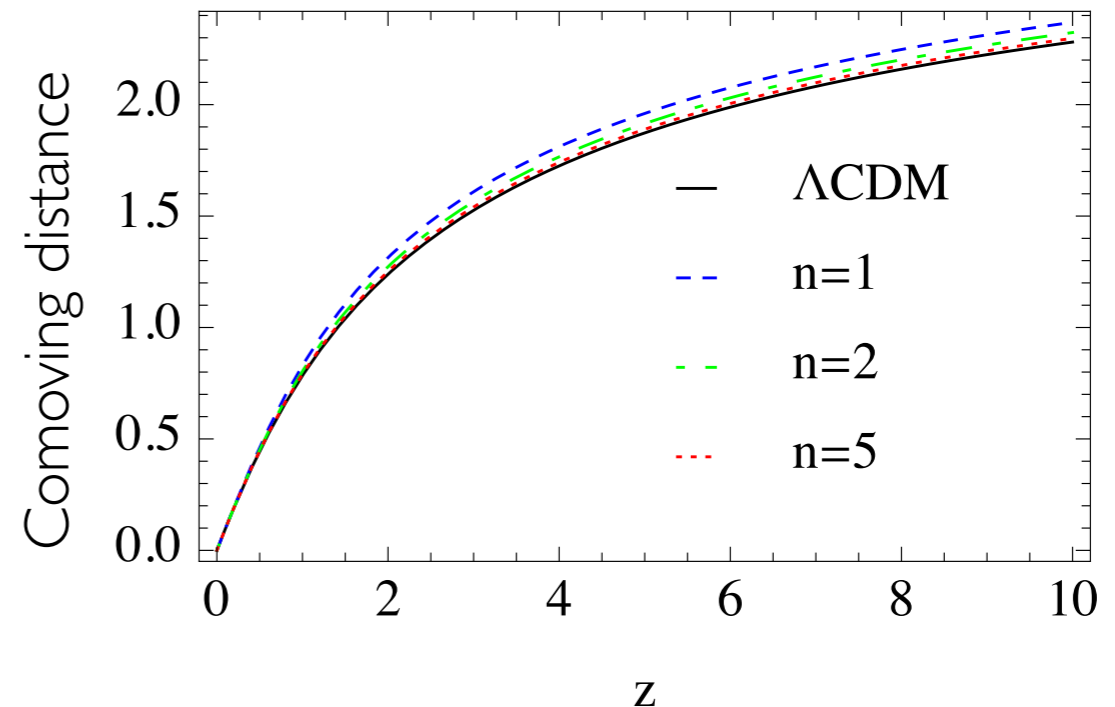
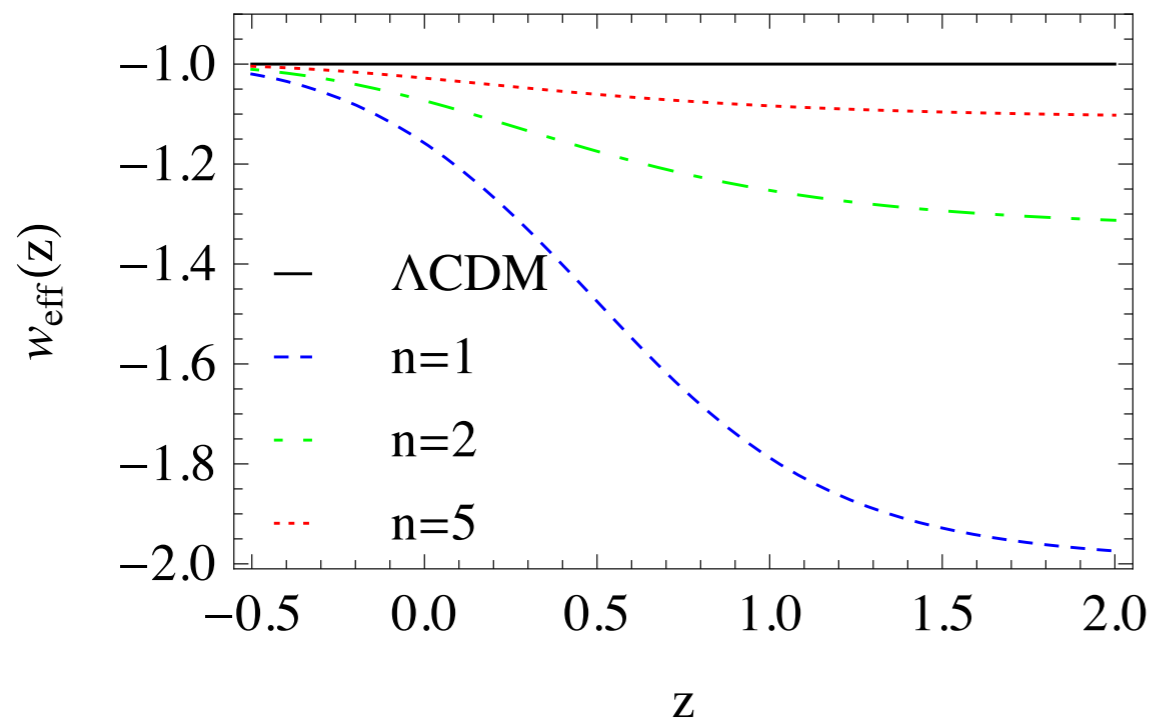
Friedmann equation

$$3M_{\text{Pl}}^2 H^2 - (X + \dot{\phi}J) = \rho$$

Along the attractor,

$$J = -\dot{\phi} + 6HXG_{3X} = 0$$

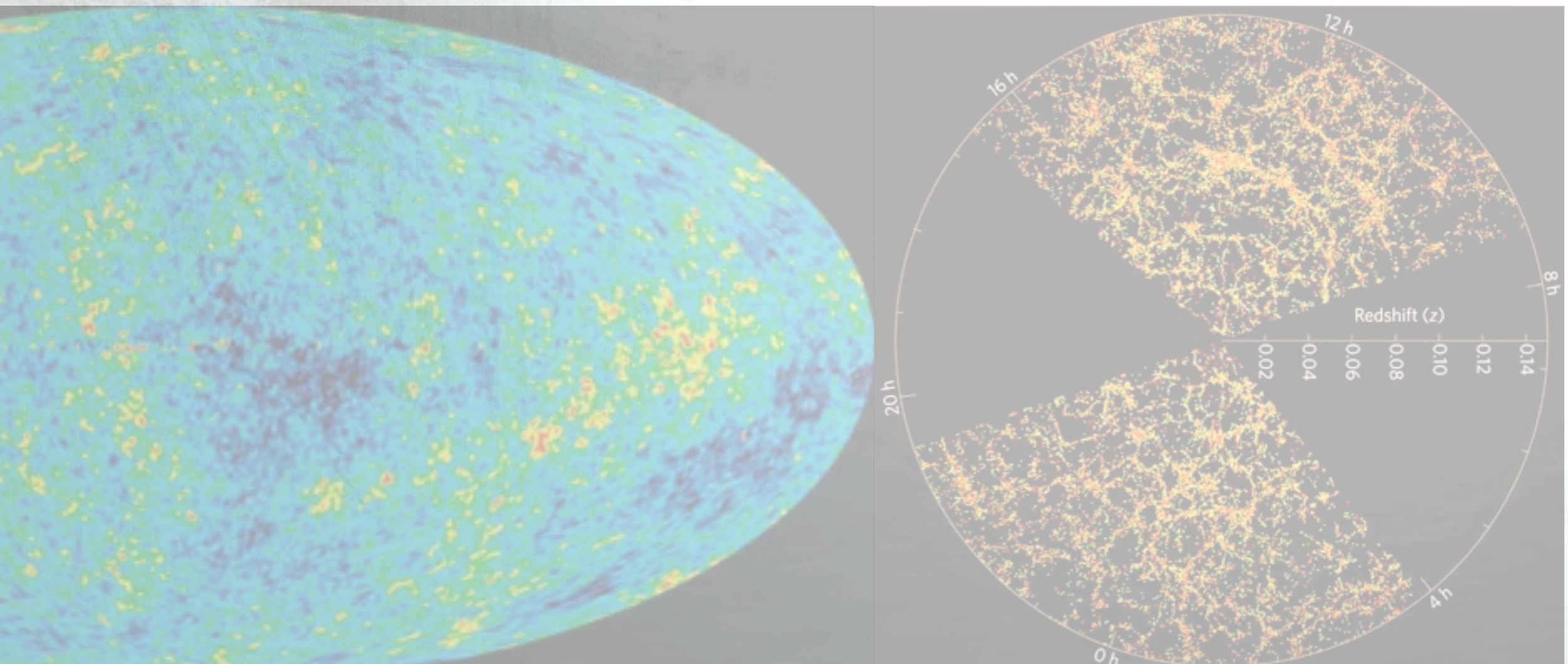
$$\left(\frac{H}{H_0}\right)^2 = \frac{\Omega_{m0}}{a^3} + (1 - \Omega_{m0}) \left(\frac{H}{H_0}\right)^\alpha$$



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Density perturbations


The aim: test/distinguish different models of dark energy and modified gravity



Density perturbations in the most general ST theory

TK, to appear

For *all* the ST theories with second-order field equations, the **sub-horizon evolution of the density perturbation** is described by

$$\ddot{\delta} + 2H\dot{\delta} = \frac{\xi(t; k)}{2} \rho_m \delta \quad 4\pi G_{\text{eff}}$$


This can be shown by using the **quasi-static approximation**

$$\partial_t \sim H \ll \frac{\partial_i}{a}$$

$$ds^2 = -(1 + 2\Phi)dt^2 + a^2(t)(1 - 2\Psi)d\mathbf{x}^2, \quad Q = H \frac{\delta\phi}{\dot{\phi}}$$

ij equation

$$\mathcal{F}_T \Psi - \mathcal{G}_T \Phi = \left(\frac{\dot{\mathcal{G}}_T}{H} + \mathcal{G}_T - \mathcal{F}_T \right) Q$$

Cf. GR $\Psi - \Phi = 0$

$$m^2 := -K_{\phi\phi}$$

00 equation

$$\mathcal{G}_T \frac{\nabla^2}{a^2} \Psi + \left(\mathcal{G}_T - \frac{\Theta}{H} \right) \frac{\nabla^2}{a^2} Q \simeq \frac{1}{2} \rho \delta$$

Scalar-field equation

$$\left[\frac{\dot{\Theta}}{H^2} + \frac{\Theta}{H} + \mathcal{F}_T - 2\mathcal{G}_T - 2\frac{\dot{\mathcal{G}}_T}{H} - \frac{\mathcal{E} + \mathcal{P}}{2H^2} \right] \frac{\nabla^2}{a^2} Q + m^2 \frac{X}{H^2} Q - \left(\frac{\dot{\mathcal{G}}_T}{H} + \mathcal{G}_T - \mathcal{F}_T \right) \frac{\nabla^2}{a^2} \Psi - \left(\mathcal{G}_T - \frac{\Theta}{H} \right) \frac{\nabla^2}{a^2} \Phi \simeq 0$$

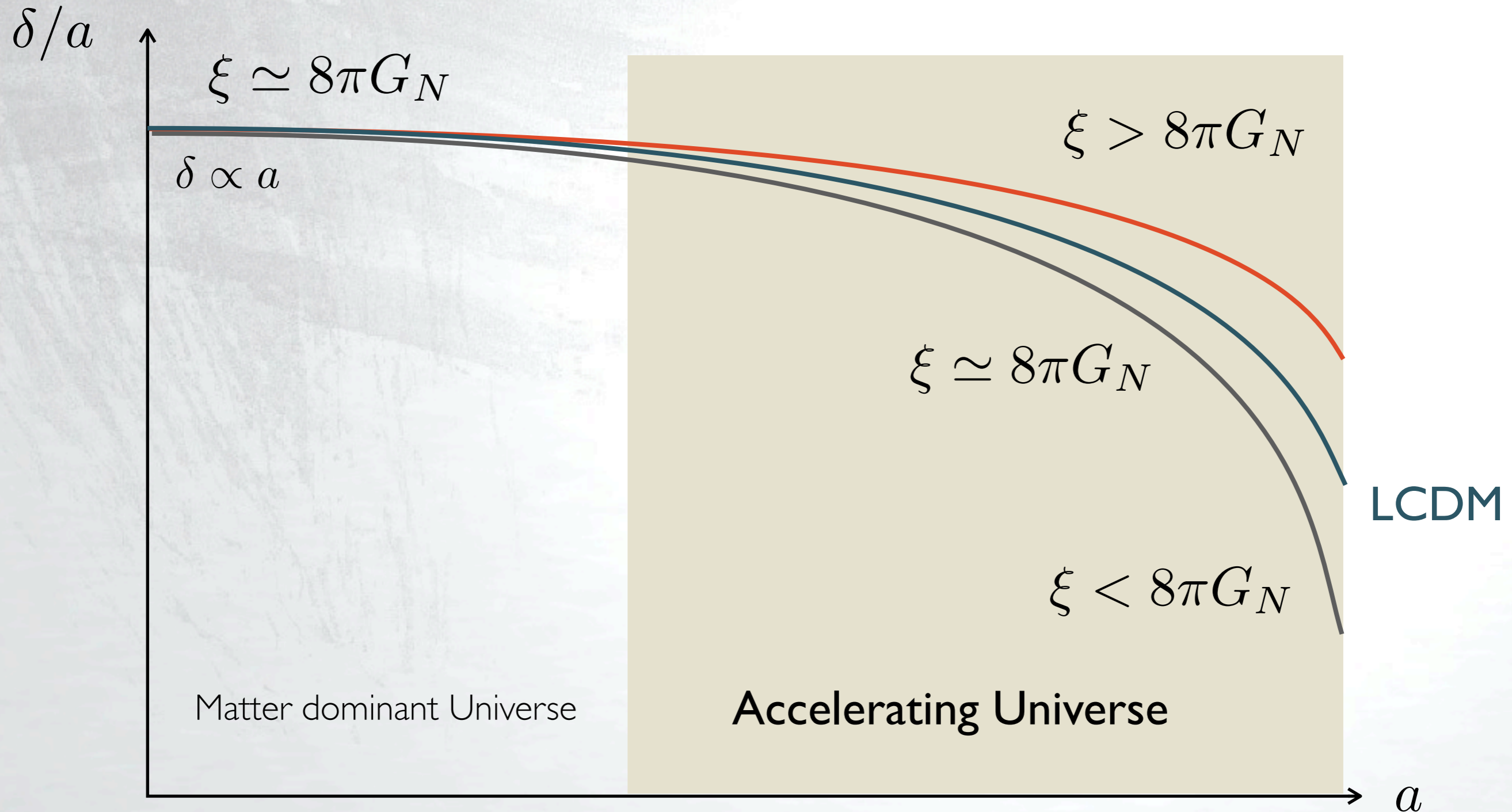
$$\frac{\nabla^2}{a^2} \Phi = \frac{\xi}{2} \delta \rho$$

$$\nabla_\mu T_\nu^{\mu(m)} = 0$$

Evolution equation for δ

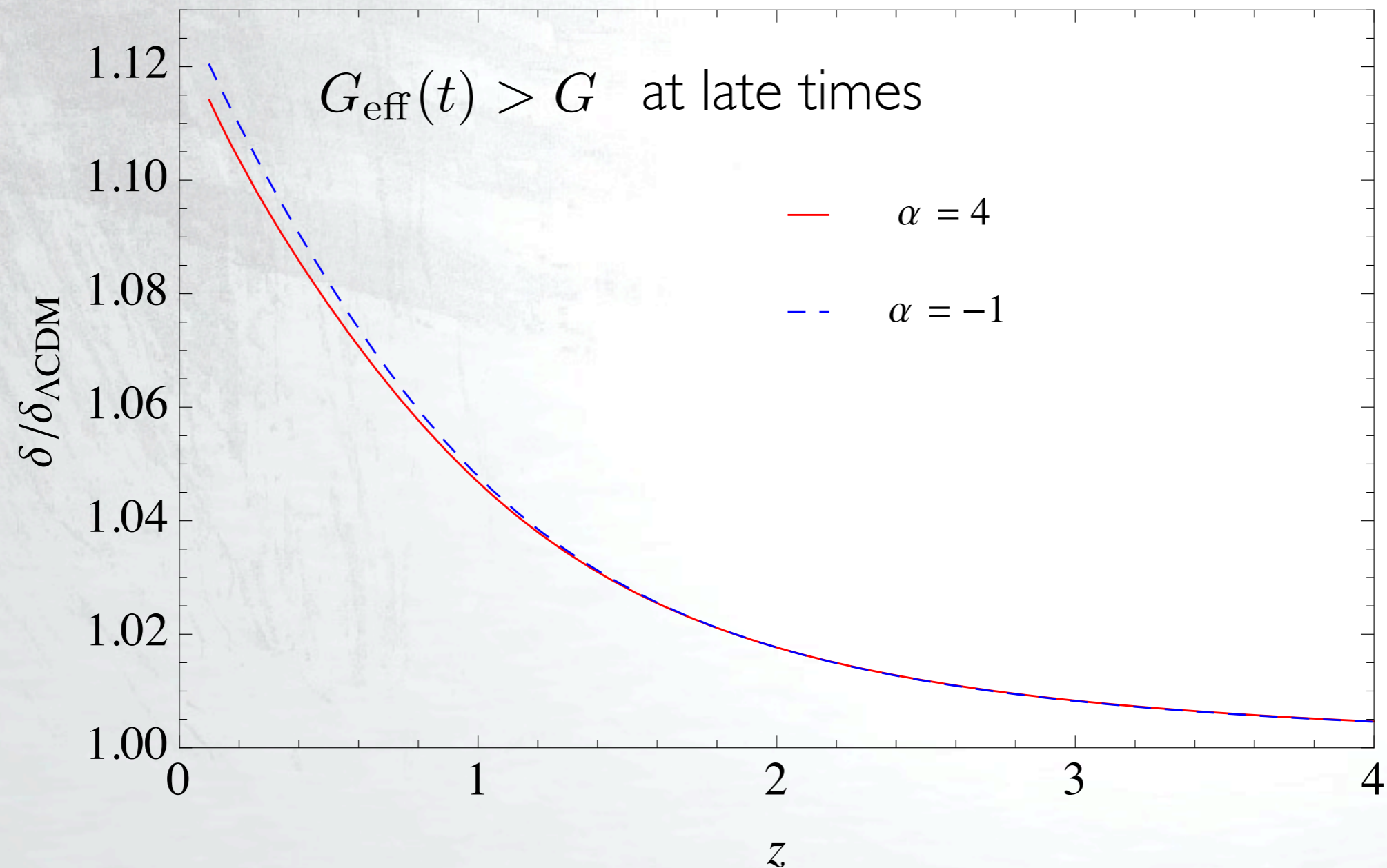
$$\xi := \frac{\left(\dot{\Theta} + H\Theta \right) \mathcal{F}_S + \left(\dot{\mathcal{G}}_T - \dot{\Theta} \mathcal{G}_T / \Theta \right)^2 + \mathcal{F}_T \left[(\mathcal{E} + \mathcal{P})/2 + X a^2 m^2 / k^2 \right]}{\Theta^2 \mathcal{F}_S + \mathcal{G}_T^2 \left[(\mathcal{E} + \mathcal{P})/2 + X a^2 m^2 / k^2 \right]}$$

Schematically...



BD + \mathcal{L}_3 model

$$\omega = -500$$



Characterizing growth history

Growth factor: $g = \delta/a$

Growth rate: $f = \frac{d \ln \delta}{d \ln a}$

Useful discriminant for distinguishing different models

Growth index:

$$f = [\Omega_m(a)]^\gamma, \quad \Omega_m(a) = \frac{\rho_m}{3M_{\text{Pl}}^2 H^2}$$

Wang, Steinhardt (1998)
Linder (2005)
Linder, Cahn (2007)

LCDM $\gamma \simeq 0.55$

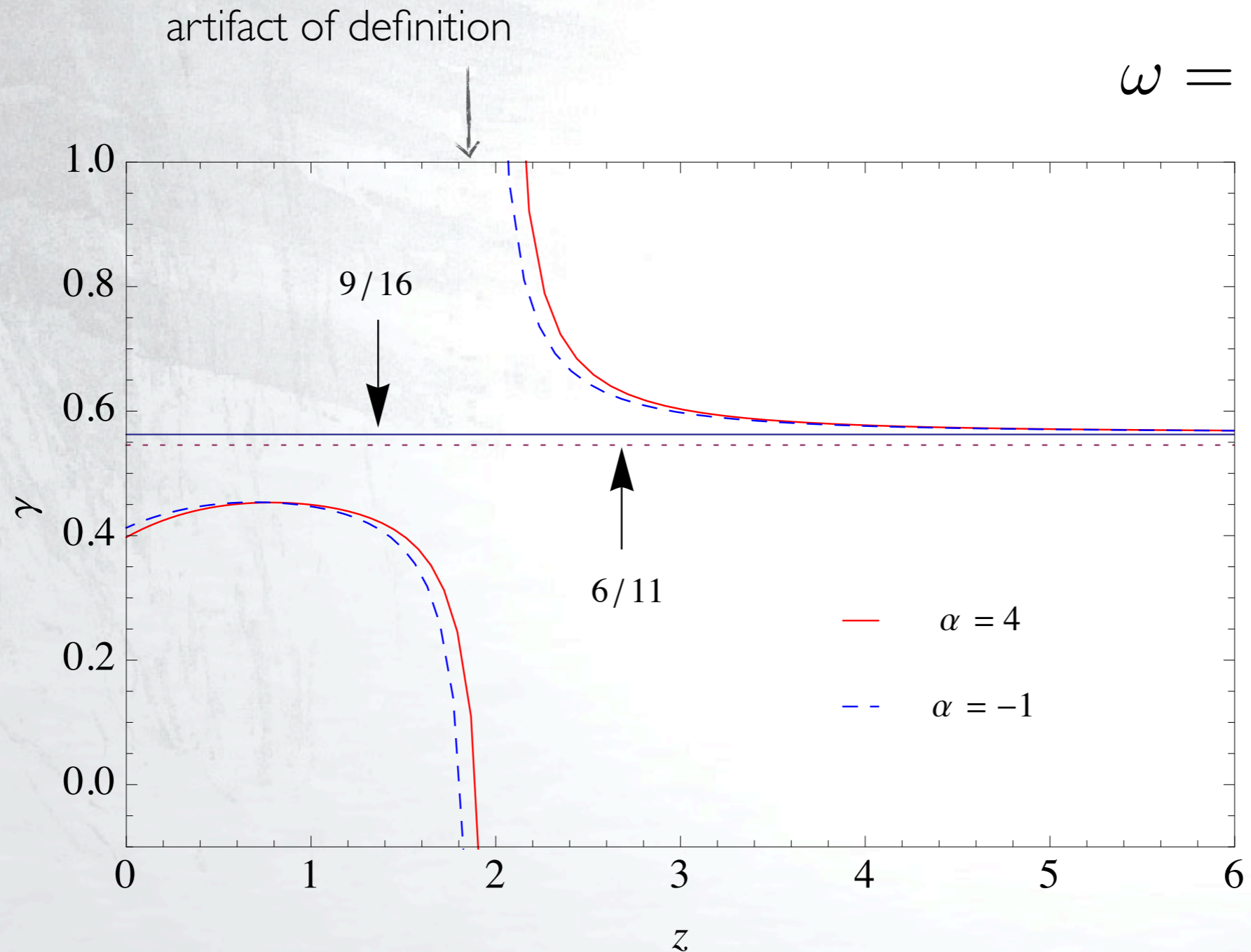
DGP $\gamma \simeq 0.69$

$f(R)$ γ small

> approximately constant

Gannouji, Moraes, Polarski (2009); Tsujikawa, Gannouji, Moraes, Polarski (2009); Narikawa, Yamamoto (2009); Motohashi, Starobinsky, Yokoyama (2010); ...

BD + \mathcal{L}_3 model

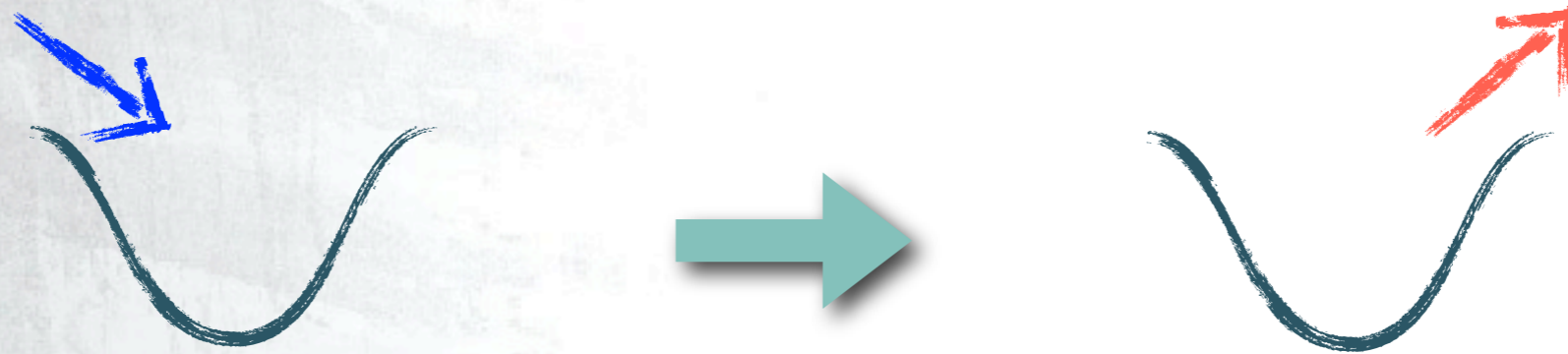


Integrated Sachs-Wolfe effect

$$\dot{\Phi} + \dot{\Psi} = 0$$

CMB photon

Blue shift = Red shift



$$\dot{\Phi} + \dot{\Psi} \neq 0$$

Blue shift \neq Red shift

$$\left(\frac{\delta T}{T}\right)_{\text{ISW}} = \int d\eta [\Phi' + \Psi']$$

$$\frac{\delta T}{T}$$

$$\dot{\Phi} + \dot{\Psi} \neq 0 \quad \text{in the accelerating Universe}$$

Late ISW — powerful dark energy probe

Difficult to measure ISW because:

- ✓ SW \gg ISW
- ✓ Cosmic variance

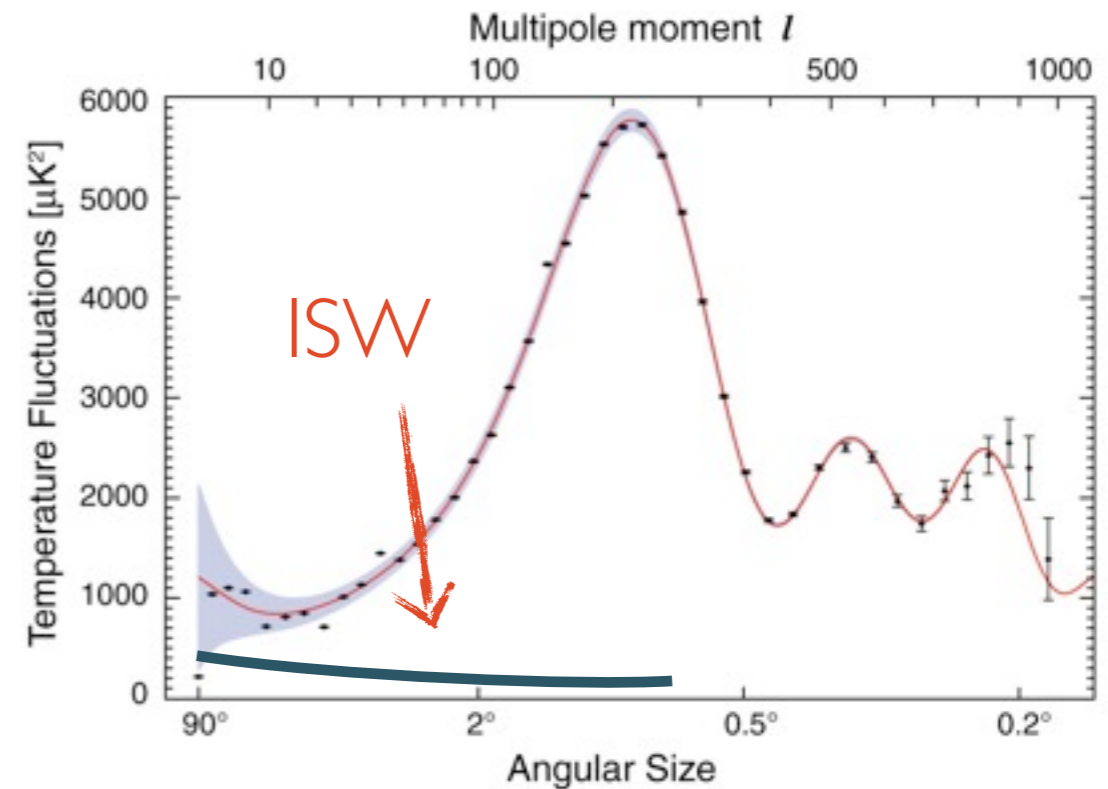
This problem can be evaded:

- ✓ ISW is correlated with matter density through potential
- ✓ Primary CMB is generated long before and is not correlated



CMB-galaxy cross-correlation

Crittenden, Turok (1995)



w/ Rampei Kimura, Kazuhiro Yamamoto (Hiroshima), to appear

ISW in KGB

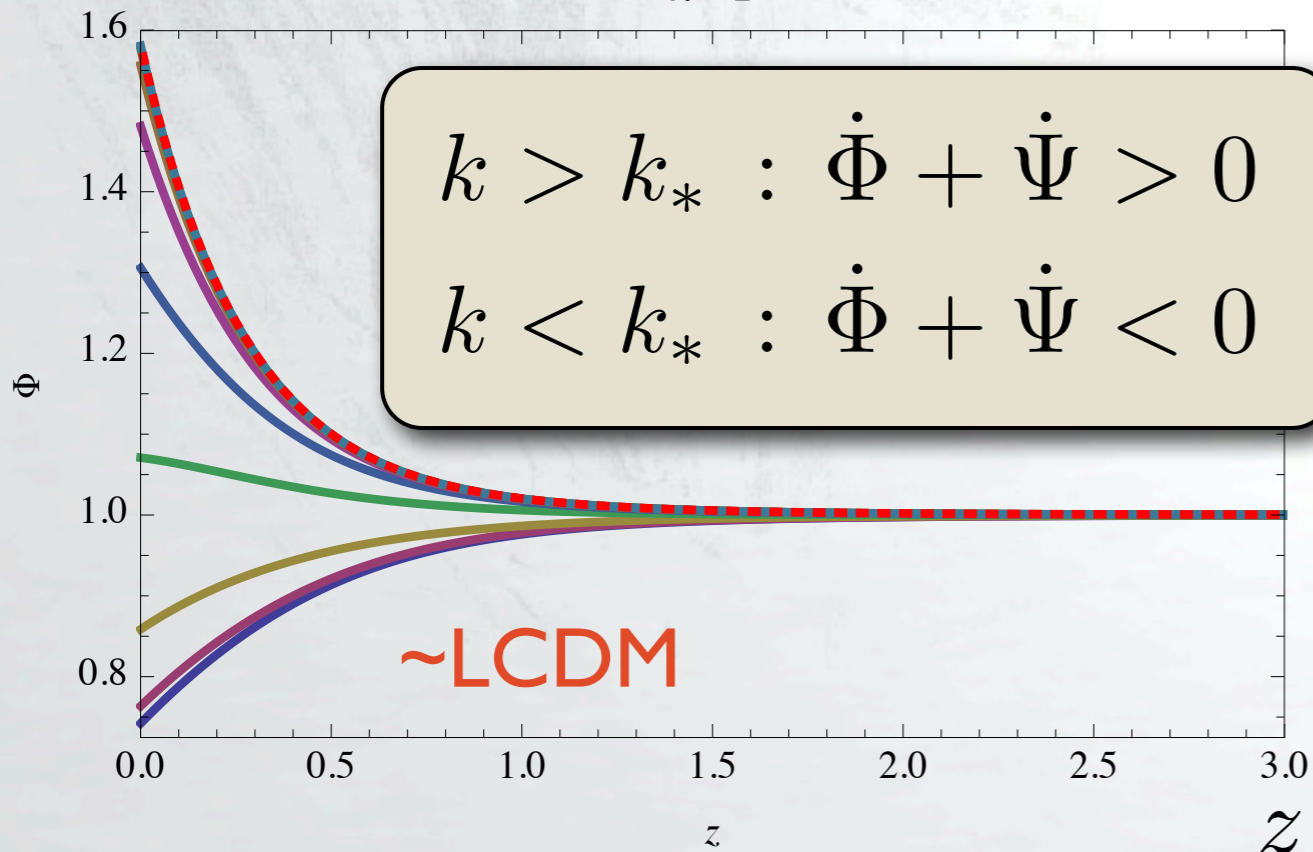
Kimura-Yamamoto model:

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{R}{2} - X - G(X)\square\phi, \quad G \propto X^n$$

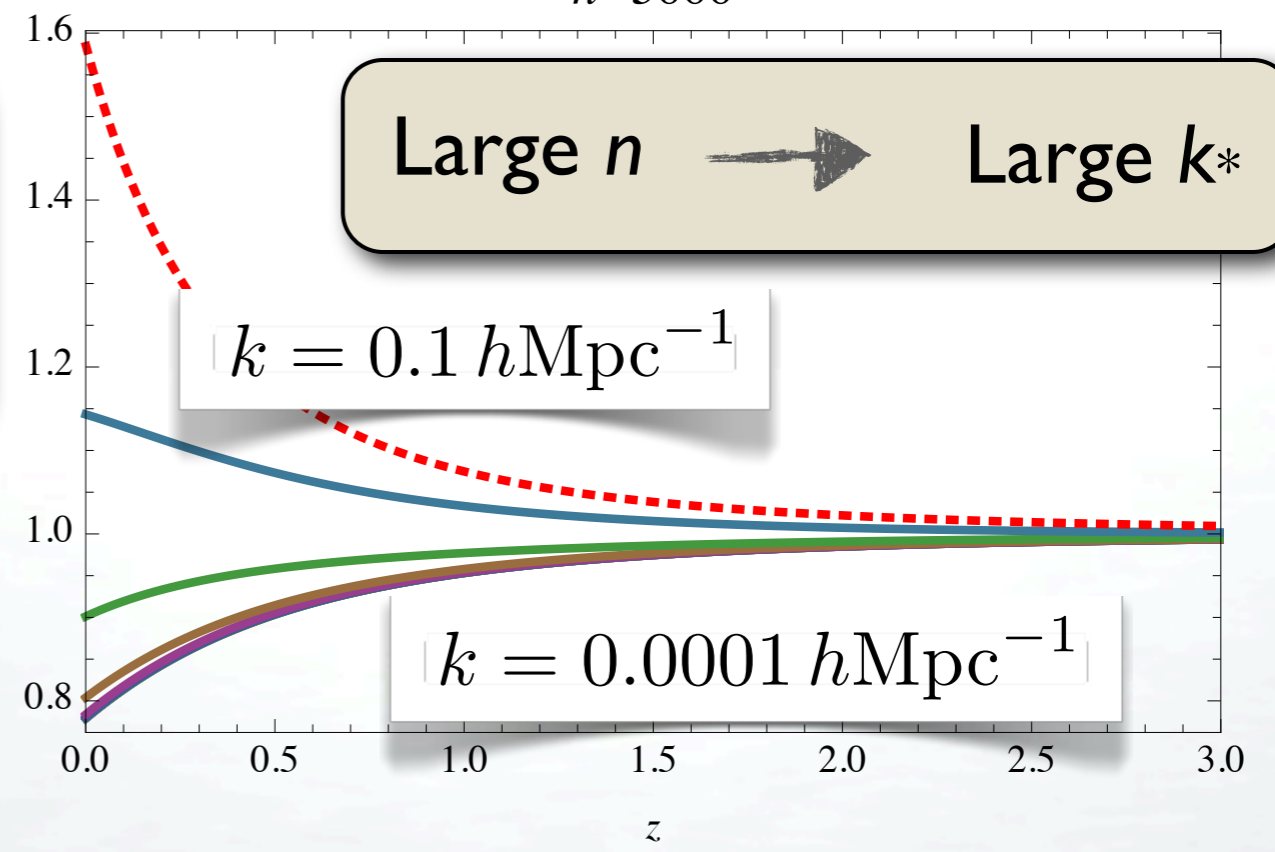
Quasi-static approximation is insufficient; need full perturbation analysis

$\Phi + \Psi$

$n=1$

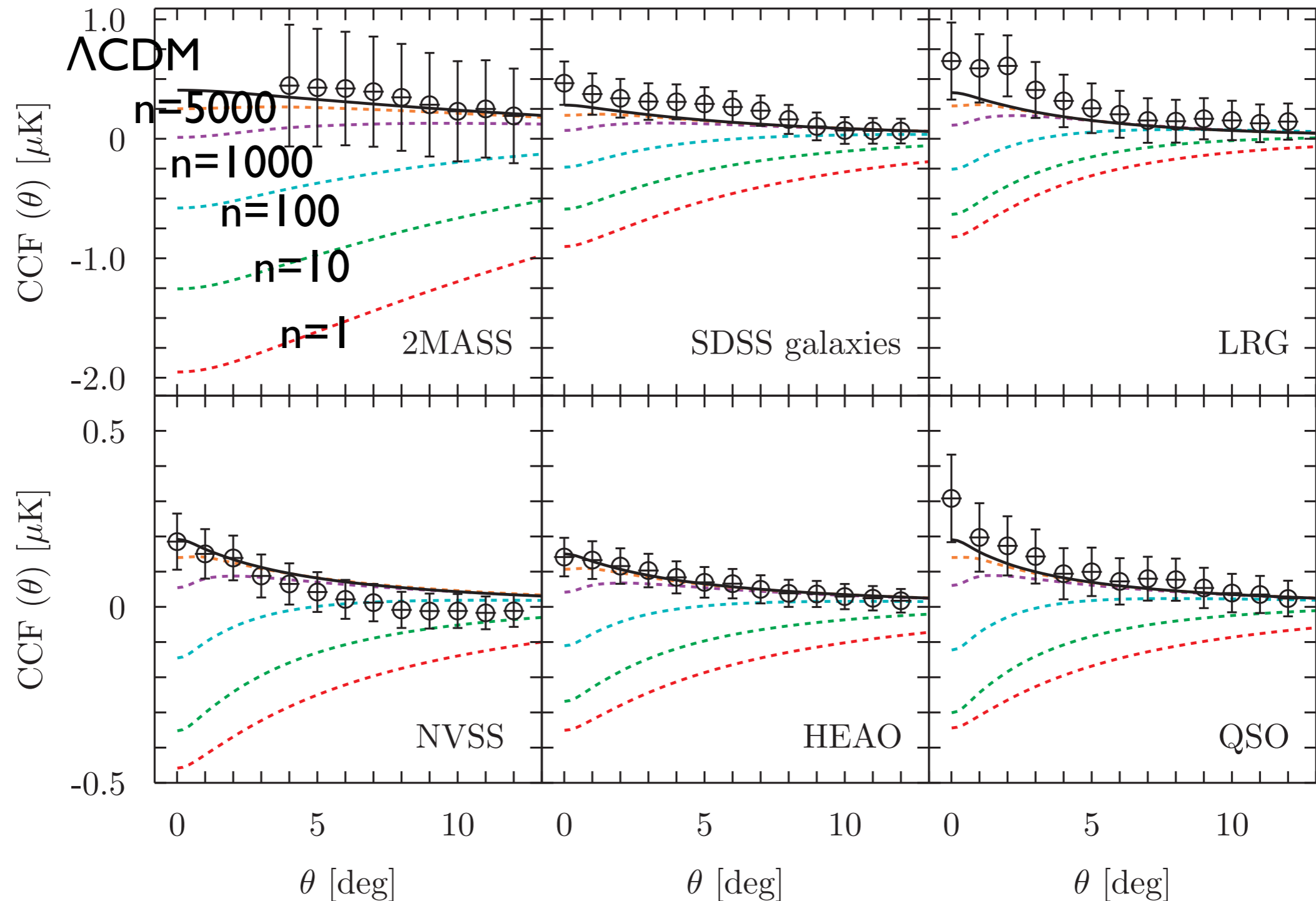


$n=5000$



Galaxy-LSS Cross-correlation

Data from Giannantonio et al. '08



$n \gtrsim 10^4$ (95% C.L.)

Summary of Part 3

Dark energy and modified gravity models with a single scalar degree of freedom (in addition to metric) are described by the generalized Galileon

Need screening mechanism:
Chameleon / Vainshtein

Implications for cosmological observations are interesting

Growth of matter perturbations / ISW / ...

Conclusion

The Galileon extends far beyond a specific scalar-field theory

The generalized Galileon is **the most general** scalar-tensor theory with second-order field equations (equivalent to Horndeski's theory)

The generalized Galileon is a useful framework to study inflation and dark energy models in a generic/unified/systematic way

New models and new scenarios, as well as all the previous examples proposed so far in the single-field context

Large GWs / large non-Gaussianity / $\dot{H} > 0$