

Title: Surprising consequence of a positive cosmological constant

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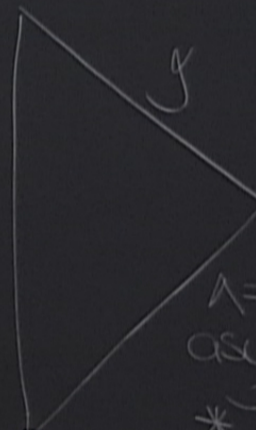
Abstract:

The study of isolated systems has been vastly successful in the context of vanishing cosmological constant, $\Lambda = 0$. However, there is no physically useful notion of asymptotics for the universe we inhabit with $\Lambda > 0$. The full non-linear framework is still under development, but some interesting results at the linearized level have been obtained. I will focus on the conceptual subtleties that arise at the linearized level and discuss the quadrupole formula for gravitational radiation.

Surprising consequences of $\Lambda > 0$

- I) Why is $\Lambda > 0$ difficult?
- II) Linearized homogeneous field
- III) Quadrupole formula

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* BMS group
* Bondi News

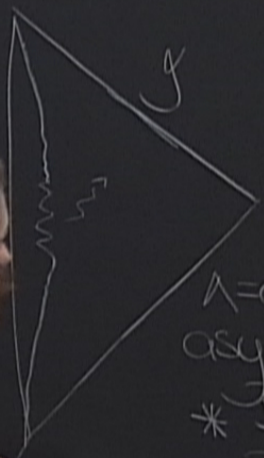
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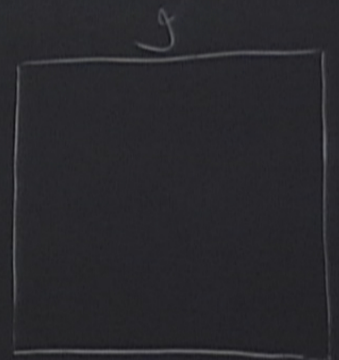
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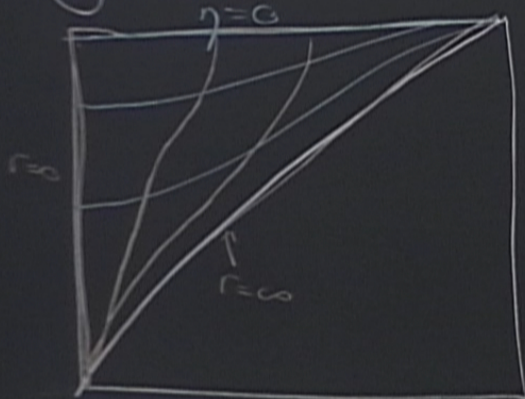
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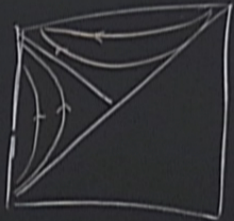
linearized homogeneous fields ($H^2 = \frac{\Lambda}{3}$)

background: $ds^2 = \frac{1}{H^2 \eta^2} (-d\eta^2 + d\vec{x}^2)$

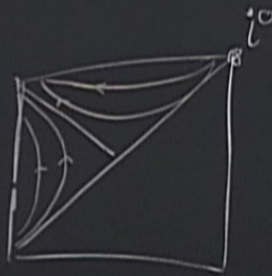


- ① late expansion is needed (NOT $1/r$!)
- ② all KVFS on $\mathcal{I} = \text{spacelike}$

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$$T^a = -H\eta \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial \eta}\right)^a - Hr \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial r}\right)^a$$



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Perturbation

$$g_{ab}(\epsilon) = a^2(\eta) (\dot{g}_{ab} + \epsilon h_{ab})$$

$$\square h_{ab} + \frac{2}{\eta} \frac{\partial}{\partial \eta} h_{ab} = 0$$

Covariant symplectic framework

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↳ true for any gauge

not for any gauge

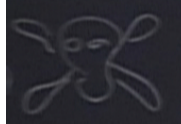
Energy

$$E_T \hat{=} \frac{1}{16\pi G_H} \int d^3x \epsilon_{ab} (\dot{L}^{bcd} - 2H^{bcd}) \dot{q}^{ac} \dot{q}^{bd}$$

③ has arbitrary sign 

④ but...  $\Rightarrow E_T > 0$

$\omega = -2H(t) dt$ $g_{\alpha\beta} = g_{\beta\alpha}$



$E_T > 0$

⑤ Limit $\Lambda \rightarrow 0$ is subtle!

Use structure provided (t, \vec{x}) :

$$ds^2 = -dt^2 + e^{2Ht} d\vec{x}^2$$

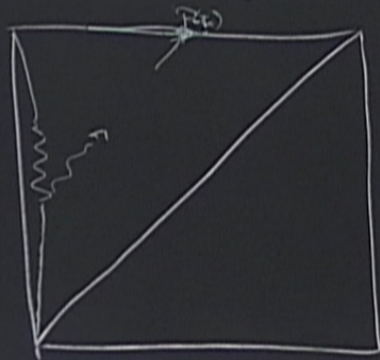
$$E_T \rightarrow \dot{E}_t$$

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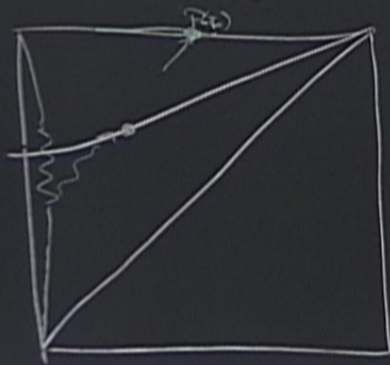
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* $D(\eta) < R$

$$\Rightarrow h_{ij}(t, x) = \frac{4G}{r} \int d^3x T_{ij}(t, x)$$

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$$h) < D_0 \ll \frac{1}{H} \quad \forall \gamma$$

$T_{ab} \neq 0$ for finite timeinterval

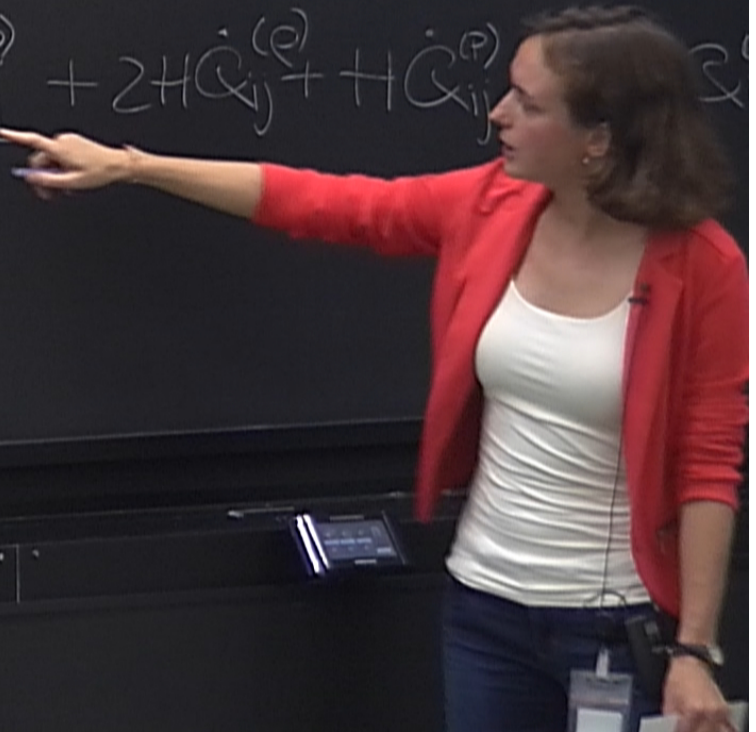
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$$x) = \frac{4G}{r} \int d^3x' T_{ij}(t_r, \vec{x}') - 4GH \int_{-\infty}^{t_r} dt' e^{Ht'} \frac{\partial}{\partial t'} \int d^3x' T_{ij}(t', \vec{x}') + \mathcal{O}$$

$$Q_{ij}^{(e)} = \int_{\Omega} \rho \bar{x}_a \bar{x}_b \underbrace{d^3x}_{a^3 \eta dx}$$

\uparrow
 $= a x_a$

$$\nabla^a T_{ab} = 0 \Rightarrow \int_{\Omega} T_{ij} = \frac{1}{2a} \left(\ddot{Q}_{ij}^{(e)} + 2H\dot{Q}_{ij}^{(e)} + H^2 Q_{ij}^{(e)} + H\dot{Q}_{ij}^{(p)} \right)$$



$$= \int d^3x \rho \bar{x}_a \bar{x}_b$$

$\underbrace{\quad}_{a^2 \eta \rho x}$
 $\quad \quad \quad \uparrow$
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$$R_{ab} = \ddot{Q}_{ab}^{(p)} + 3H\dot{Q}_{ab}^{(p)} + 2H^2Q_{ab}^{(p)} + H\ddot{Q}_{ab}^{(p)} + 3H^2\dot{Q}_{ab}^{(p)} + 2H^3Q_{ab}^{(p)}$$

$$Q_{ij}^{(e)} = \int d^3V \underbrace{\rho}_{a^2(\eta) d^3x} \underbrace{\bar{x}_a \bar{x}_b}_{= a x_a}$$

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$$P_T \hat{=} \frac{G}{8\pi} \int d^3x Q_{ab} Q_{cd} \dot{q}^{ac} \dot{q}^{bd} \Big|_{t_{\text{ret}}} \quad Q_{ab} = \overset{\dots (e)}{Q}_{ab} +$$