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# Beyond Equilibrium

$$n_i a^3 \sim \text{const.}$$

$$\frac{dn_i}{dt} + 3 \frac{\dot{a}}{a} n_i = 0$$

$$\Leftrightarrow n_i \propto a^{-3}$$



$$\frac{1}{a^3} \frac{d(a^3 n_i)}{dt} = C_i[\{n_i\}]$$

Boltzmann Equation

$$\frac{d}{dt} (a^3 n_i) = -\alpha \underbrace{n_1 n_2}_{\Gamma_1} + \beta n_3 n_4$$

in Equil.  $\rightarrow$

$$\beta = \left( \frac{n_1 n_2}{n_3 n_4} \right)_{\text{eq}} \alpha$$

RHS = 0

$$\Gamma_1 = \alpha n_2 = \langle \sigma v \rangle n_2$$

PP

$$\frac{1}{a^3} \frac{d a^3 n_i}{dt} = - \langle \sigma v \rangle \left[ n_1 n_2 - \left( \frac{n_1 n_2}{n_3 n_4} \right)_{eq} n_3 n_4 \right]$$

$$N_i \equiv \frac{n_i}{s} \propto n_i a^3$$

$$\frac{1}{N_i} \times \frac{1}{H} \quad (H dt = d \ln a)$$

$$\frac{d N_i}{N_i d \ln a} = \frac{d \ln N_i}{d \ln a} = - \frac{\langle \sigma v \rangle n_2}{H} \left[ \frac{a^3 n_1}{N_i} - \left( \frac{N_1 N_2}{N_3 N_4} \right)_{eq} \frac{n_3 n_4 a^3}{N_2 N_1} \right]$$

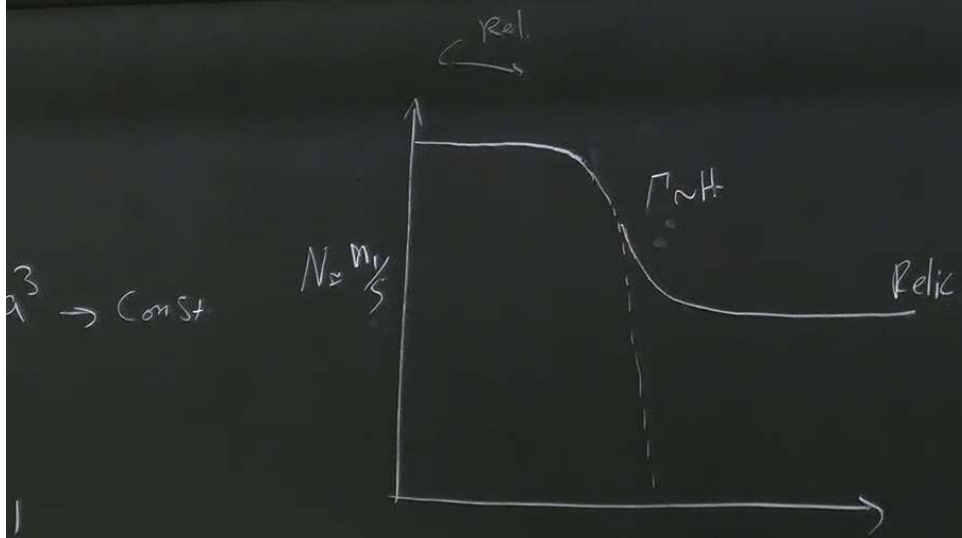
$$= - \frac{1}{H} \left[ 1 - \left( \frac{N_1 N_2}{N_3 N_4} \right)_{eq} \frac{N_3 N_4}{N_2 N_1} \right]$$

$\Gamma_1 \gg H$ : System  $\rightarrow$  equil. quickly

$\Gamma_1 \lesssim H$ : Species 1  $\rightarrow$  freezes out  $N_1 = \frac{n_1}{s} \propto n_1 a^3 \rightarrow \text{const}$

$$N_1 \gg N_1^{\text{eq}}, \quad N_i = N_i^{\text{eq}} \quad i \in \{2, 3, 4\}$$

$$\frac{d \ln N_1}{d \ln a} = -\frac{\Gamma_1}{H} \left[ 1 - \frac{N_1^{\text{eq}}}{N_1} \right] \Rightarrow N_1 \downarrow$$



$\alpha^3 \rightarrow \text{const}$

$\sim T^3$

# Dark Matter Relic.

WIMP.



Weak Interaction

eq.

light Strong Interaction.

$$n_X = n_{\bar{X}}$$

$$\frac{dN_X}{dt} = -S \langle \sigma v \rangle \left[ N_X^2 - (N_X)_{\text{eq}}^2 \right]$$

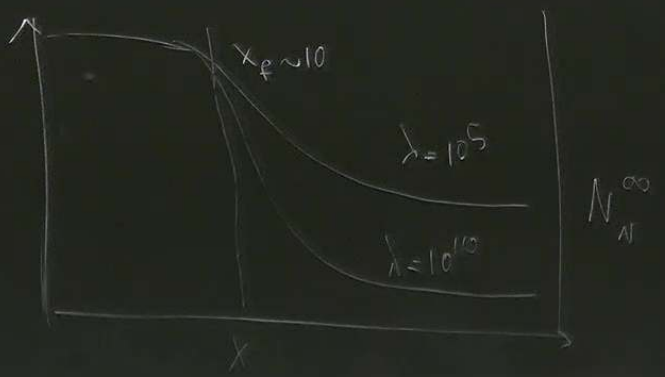
$$= -\frac{1}{H} \left[ 1 - \left( \frac{N_3 N_4}{e_9} \right) \right]$$

$$\chi = \frac{M_x}{T} \quad \rightarrow \quad \frac{dN_x}{dx} = -\frac{\lambda}{x^2} \left[ N_x^2 - (N_x^{eq})^2 \right] \quad \text{Ricatte eq.}$$

$\lambda = (M_x, \langle \sigma v \rangle, H, T_s)$

WIMP Miracle

obs. DM  $\rightarrow \sqrt{\langle \sigma v \rangle} \sim 10^{-4} \text{ GeV} \sim 0.1 \sqrt{GF}$



$$T_{\text{BBN}} \sim 100 \text{ keV}$$

$$T_{\text{rec}} \sim 0.3 \text{ eV}$$



① Recombination

e↓

↳



decoupling

$$M_p + M_e = M_H$$

⇒ CMB

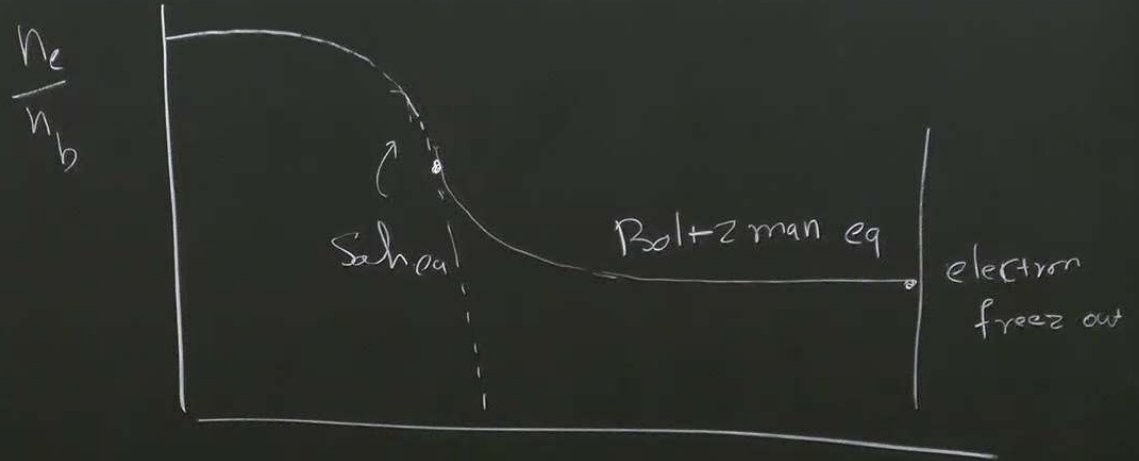
$$n_i = g_i \left( \frac{m_i T}{2\pi} \right)^{3/2} e^{-\frac{m_i}{T}}$$

$$\left( \frac{n_H}{n_e n_p} \right) = \frac{g_H}{g_e g_p} \left( \frac{m_H}{m_e m_p} \frac{2\pi}{T} \right)^{3/2} e^{-\frac{m_p + m_e - m_H}{T}}$$

$$B_H = m_p + m_e - m_H = 13.6 \text{ eV}$$

$$X_e = \frac{n_e}{n_b} \rightarrow \text{Saha eq: } \left( \frac{1 - X_e}{X_e^2} \right)_{\text{eq}} = \frac{2\sqrt{3}}{\pi^2} n_b \left( \frac{2\pi T}{m_e} \right)^{3/2} e^{B_e/T}$$

$$e \frac{m_p + m_e - m_p}{T}$$



$$\left( \frac{1 - x_e}{x_e^2} \right)_{eq} = \frac{2\sqrt{3}}{\pi^2} n_b \left( \frac{2\pi T}{m_e} \right)^{3/2} e^{B_E/T}$$

$$T_{\text{BBN}} \sim 100 \text{ keV}$$

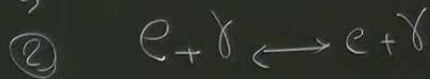
$$T_{\text{rec}} \sim 0.3 \text{ eV}, \quad Z \approx 1320 \ll Z_{\text{eq}}$$



$$M_p + M_e = M_H$$

① Recombination

↳ eV



decoupling

⇒ CMB

$$T_{\text{dec}} \sim 0.27 \text{ eV}, \quad Z \approx 1100$$

$$n_i = g_i \left( \frac{m_i T}{2\pi} \right)^{3/2}$$

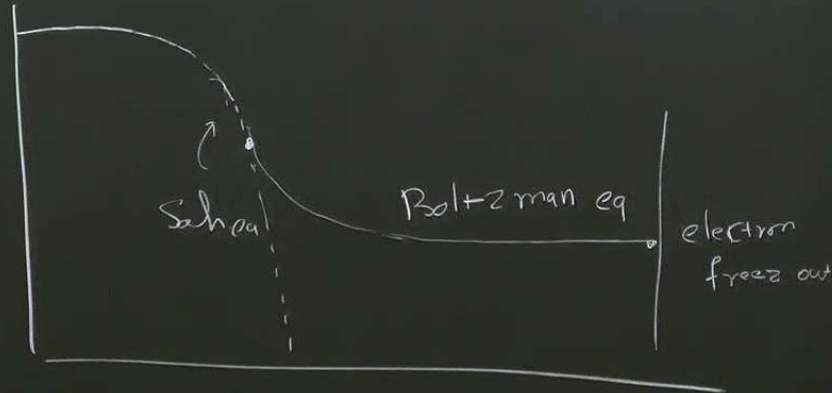
$$\left( \frac{n_H}{n_e n_p} \right) = \frac{g_H}{g_e g_p} \left( \dots \right)$$

$$B_H = m_p + m_e$$

$$X_e = \frac{n_e}{n_b}$$

$$e \frac{m_p + m_e - m_p}{T}$$

$$\frac{n_e}{n_b}$$



$$n_e^{\infty} \sim 10^{-3} n_b$$

$$\left( \frac{1 - X_e}{X_e^2} \right)_{eq} = \frac{2 \sqrt{3}}{\pi^2} n_b \left( \frac{2\pi^2}{m_e} \right)^{3/2} e^{B_e/T}$$