

First multipole moments

$$\Theta_l = \frac{1}{(-i)^l} \int_{-1}^1 \frac{d\mu}{2} \mathcal{Y}_l(\mu) \Theta(\mu)$$

$l=0$   
monopole

$l=2$   
quadrupole

$$\Theta_2 = - \int_{-1}^1 \frac{d\mu}{4} (3\mu^2\Theta - \Theta) = \int_{-1}^1 \frac{d\mu}{4} (\Theta - 3\mu^2\Theta)$$

$$\Theta_0 = \int_{-1}^1 \frac{d\mu}{2} \Theta(\mu) = \frac{1}{4\pi} \int d\Omega' \Theta(\hat{x}, \hat{p}, t)$$

$$\Theta_1 = i \int_{-1}^1 \frac{d\mu}{2} \mu \Theta(\mu)$$

$$\int d\Omega' = \int d(\cos\theta) d\varphi = 2\pi \int d\mu$$

Compton scattering produces  $\Theta$  with basically only non-radiating

monopole  $\Theta_0$  and dipole  $\Theta_1$  (if electrons have a non-zero bulk velocity)

photons behave like

a fluid : tightly coupled photon-electron fluid

Now let's add collision term to the Boltzmann equations

Previously we saw

$$\left. \frac{df}{dt} \right|_{\text{first order}} = -p \frac{\partial f^{(0)}}{\partial p} \left[ \frac{\partial \Theta}{\partial t} + \frac{\hat{p}^i}{a} \frac{\partial \Theta}{\partial x^i} + \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial t} + \frac{\hat{p}^i}{a} \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial x^i} \right]$$

$$C[f] = -p \frac{\partial f^{(0)}}{\partial p} n_e \sigma_T [\Theta_0 - \Theta(\hat{p}) + \hat{p} \cdot \bar{v}_b]$$

$$\frac{df}{dt} = C[f] \Rightarrow \frac{\partial \Theta}{\partial t} + \frac{\hat{p}^i}{a} \frac{\partial \Theta}{\partial x^i} + \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial t} + \frac{\hat{p}^i}{a} \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial x^i} = n_e \sigma_T [\Theta_0 - \Theta(\hat{p}) + \hat{p} \cdot \bar{v}_b]$$

More convenient to introduce conformal time  $\eta$

$$d\eta = \frac{dt}{a} \quad \frac{d}{d\eta} = a \frac{d}{dt}$$

$$\frac{d}{d\eta} = a \frac{d}{dt} \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{d}{dt} = \frac{1}{a} \frac{d}{d\eta} = \frac{\dot{\phantom{x}}}{a} \quad \text{so} \quad \frac{\partial \Theta}{\partial t} = \frac{1}{a} \dot{\Theta} \quad \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial t} = \frac{\dot{\Phi}}{a}$$

$$\frac{\dot{\Theta}}{a} + \frac{\hat{p}^i}{a} \frac{\partial \Theta}{\partial x^i} + \frac{\dot{\Phi}}{a} + \frac{\hat{p}^i}{a} \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial x^i} = n_e \sigma_T [\Theta_0 - \Theta(\hat{p}) + \hat{p} \cdot \bar{v}_b]$$

$$\Rightarrow \left[ \ddot{\Theta} + \hat{p}^i \frac{\partial \dot{\Theta}}{\partial x^i} + \ddot{\Phi} + \hat{p}^i \frac{\partial \dot{\Phi}}{\partial x^i} = n_e \sigma_T a [\Theta_0 - \Theta + \hat{p} \cdot \vec{v}_b] \right]$$

Partial differential linear equation in  $\eta, x$

Move to Fourier space!

Mode  $\vec{k}_x$  evolves without caring about  $\vec{k}_y$ , can solve for each mode independently

PDE  $\rightarrow$  ODE for each Fourier mode

Linear Fourier modes evolve independently

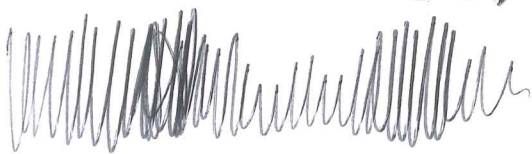
FT gives a set of uncoupled ODEs for Fourier modes

Linearity:  $\sim$  valid for perturbations to CMB, ~~or~~ out large-scale perturbations at late times

$$\Theta(\vec{x}) = \int \frac{d^3k}{(2\pi)^3} e^{i\vec{k} \cdot \vec{x}} \tilde{\Theta}(\vec{k}) \quad k = \sqrt{k^i k^i}$$

$$\mu \equiv \frac{\vec{k} \cdot \hat{p}}{k} = \cos \theta \quad \theta: \text{angle between } \vec{k} \text{ and } \hat{p}$$

$\vec{k}$  aligned with direction in which temperature changes



$\mu=1$  photon travelling along direction of gradient

$\mu=0$  photon travelling along direction of constant temperature

Assumption: velocity is rotational ~~( $\vec{v} \propto \vec{k}$ )~~  $\vec{v} \propto \vec{k} \Rightarrow \vec{v}_b \cdot \hat{p} = v_b \mu$

Define optical depth  $\tau(\eta) \equiv \int d\eta' a n_e \sigma_T$   $\tau \ll 1$  late times

By definition  $\dot{\tau} = \frac{d\tau}{d\eta} = -n_e \sigma_T a$

early times  $\tau \gg 1$

Fourier transform convention

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x^i} \rightarrow ik_i \quad (\equiv ik^i)$$

Fourier transform Boltzmann equation

$$\dot{\Theta} + \underbrace{\dot{\rho}^i}_{ik_\mu \tilde{\Theta}} \frac{\partial \Theta}{\partial x^i} + \underbrace{\tilde{\Phi}}_{ik_\mu \tilde{\Psi}} + \underbrace{\dot{\rho}^i}_{-i} \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial x^i} = \underbrace{-a n_e \sigma_T}_{-i} [\Theta_0 - \Theta + \underbrace{\dot{\rho}^i \tilde{v}_i}_{\tilde{v}_{b\mu}}]$$

↳

$$\dot{\tilde{\Theta}} + ik_\mu \tilde{\Theta} + \tilde{\Phi} + ik_\mu \tilde{\Psi} = -i [\tilde{\Theta}_0 - \tilde{\Theta} + \mu \tilde{v}_b]$$

Collisional Boltzmann equations for photons

- to 1st order
- in Fourier space
- expressed with temperature perturbation  $\Theta$

Boltzmann equations for cold dark matter

Differences with respect to photons:

- DM doesn't interact with other components

↳ No collision term!!!

- DM is non-relativistic

Constraint equation:

$$\mathbf{P}^2 = g_{\mu\nu} P^\mu P^\nu = -m^2 \quad (m \text{ mass of DM})$$

$$E = \sqrt{p^2 + m^2} \quad \text{where} \quad p = g_{ij} P^i P^j \text{ as previously}$$

↳ in the massless case  $E=p$ , which is why  $E$  was superfluous for photons once we chose  $p$



So we will use  $E$  as one of the variables on which  $f$  depends

$$f(\bar{x}, t, \hat{p}, E)$$

Analogously to photons

$$P^2 = -m^2 = -(1+2\psi)(P^0)^2 + p^2 \Rightarrow P^0 = \frac{\sqrt{p^2 + m^2}}{\sqrt{1+2\psi}} = \frac{E}{\sqrt{1+2\psi}} \approx E(1-\psi)$$

$$P^i \equiv C \hat{p}^i \Rightarrow p^2 = g_{ij} \hat{p}^i \hat{p}^j C^2 = a^2(1+2\Phi) C^2 \delta_{ij} \hat{p}^i \hat{p}^j = a^2(1+2\Phi) C^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \hat{p}^i C = p^i \Rightarrow p^2 = a^2(1+2\Phi) C^2 \rightarrow C = \frac{p}{a\sqrt{1+2\Phi}} \approx \frac{p(1-\Phi)}{a}$$

$$\rightarrow P^i = C \hat{p}^i \approx \frac{p \hat{p}^i (1-\Phi)}{a}$$

$$P^\mu \approx [E(1-\psi), p \hat{p}^i \frac{1-\Phi}{a}]$$

$$\frac{df_{dm}}{dt} = \frac{\partial f_{dm}}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial f_{dm}}{\partial x^i} \frac{dx^i}{dt} + \frac{\partial f_{dm}}{\partial E} \frac{dE}{dt} + \frac{\partial f_{dm}}{\partial \hat{p}^i} \frac{d\hat{p}^i}{dt}$$

2nd order  
as for photons

$\frac{dx^i}{dt}$  and  $\frac{dE}{dt}$  different compared to photon case

(recall for photons  $\frac{df}{dt} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial t} + \frac{p^i}{a} \frac{\partial f}{\partial x^i} - p \frac{\partial f}{\partial p} \left[ H + \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial t} + \frac{p^i}{a} \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial x^i} \right]$ )

$$\frac{dx^i}{dt} = \frac{dx^i}{d\lambda} \frac{d\lambda}{dt} = \frac{p^i}{P^0} = \frac{p \hat{p}^i (1-\Phi)}{a E (1-\psi)} = \frac{p}{a E} (1+\psi-\Phi)$$

But  $\frac{\partial f_{dm}}{\partial x^i}$  is already 1st-order  $\rightarrow \frac{\partial f_{dm}}{\partial x^i} \frac{dx^i}{dt} \approx \frac{\hat{p}^i p}{a E} \frac{\partial f_{dm}}{\partial x^i}$

Similarly  $\frac{\partial f_{dm}}{\partial \hat{p}^i} \frac{d\hat{p}^i}{dt}$  2nd order so we neglect it

$\frac{dp}{dt}$  identical to the photon case (long calculation through geodesic equation)

$$\frac{dp}{dt} = -p \left[ H + \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial t} + \frac{\hat{p}^i}{a} \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial x^i} \right] = - \left[ p H + p \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial t} + \frac{p \hat{p}^i}{a} \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial x^i} \right]$$

involved  $\frac{dx^i}{dt}$ , compensates factor of  $\frac{1}{E}$

However here we want to use  $E$ , need Jacobian

$$\frac{dE}{dt} = \frac{dE}{dp} \frac{dp}{dt} = \frac{p}{E} \frac{dp}{dt}$$

$$\hookrightarrow \frac{dE}{dp} = \frac{d}{dp} (p^2 + m^2)^{1/2} = \frac{1/2 p}{(p^2 + m^2)^{1/2}} = \frac{p}{(p^2 + m^2)^{1/2}} = \frac{p}{E}$$

$$\frac{df_{dm}}{dt} \approx \frac{\partial f_{dm}}{\partial t} + \frac{\hat{p}^i}{a} \frac{p}{E} \frac{\partial f_{dm}}{\partial x^i} - \frac{\partial f_{dm}}{\partial E} \left[ \frac{da/dt}{a} \frac{p^2}{E} + \frac{p^2}{E} \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial t} + \frac{\hat{p}^i}{a} \frac{p}{E} \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial x^i} \right] = 0$$

1st order

Collisionless Boltzmann equation for DM

(reduces to equation for photons as  $m \rightarrow 0$ ,  $p \rightarrow E$ )

For photons we proceeded expanding  $f \approx f^{(0)} - p \frac{\partial f^{(0)}}{\partial p} \Theta$  BE

For DM we don't know that much about  $f$ , and in fact we don't need to!

what we need to know: DM very non-relativistic  $v_{dm} \ll 1$

~~DM~~  $\hookrightarrow$  neglect thermal motion of DM

However cannot neglect  $\frac{p}{m}$  completely:  $\frac{p}{m} \sim v$ , velocity flows induced by density perturbations through continuity equation

- So: - keep terms linear in  $\frac{p}{E}$
- neglect terms quadratic in  $\frac{p}{E}$

Don't assume a form for  $f_{dm}$ , but take ~~moments~~ moments of the Boltzmann equation

Multiply by  $\frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3}$ , then integrate

Define first two moments

~~$\frac{\partial f_{dm}}{\partial t} + \frac{p^i}{a} \frac{\partial f_{dm}}{\partial x^i}$~~

$$n_{dm} \equiv \int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} f_{dm}$$

$$v^i \equiv \frac{1}{n_{dm}} \int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{p^i p^j}{E} f_{dm} = \frac{\int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{p^i p^j}{E} f_{dm}}{\int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} f_{dm}}$$

$$0 = \int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{\partial f_{dm}}{\partial t} + \int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{p^i}{a} \frac{\partial f_{dm}}{\partial x^i} - \int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{p^2}{E} \frac{\partial f_{dm}}{\partial E} \left[ \frac{da/dt}{a} + \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial t} \right] - \int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{p^i}{a} \frac{\partial f_{dm}}{\partial x^i} \frac{\partial f_{dm}}{\partial E}$$



$$\underbrace{\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} f_{dm}}_{\frac{\partial n_{dm}}{\partial t}} + \underbrace{\frac{1}{a} \frac{\partial}{\partial x^i} \int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} f_{dm} \frac{p^i}{E}}_{\frac{1}{a} \frac{\partial}{\partial x^i} (n_{dm} v^i)} - \left[ \frac{da/dt}{a} + \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial t} \right] \underbrace{\int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{\partial f_{dm}}{\partial E} \frac{p^2}{E}}_{\text{1st order}} - \underbrace{\frac{1}{a} \frac{\partial}{\partial x^i} \int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{p^i p^j}{E} \frac{\partial f_{dm}}{\partial E}}_{\text{2nd order}} - \underbrace{\int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{p^i}{a} \frac{\partial f_{dm}}{\partial x^i} \frac{\partial f_{dm}}{\partial E}}_{\text{1st order}}$$

need perturbed part of  $f_{dm}$

$$\int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{\partial f_{dm}}{\partial E} \frac{p^2}{E} \stackrel{\frac{dE}{dp} = p}{=} \int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{\partial f_{dm}}{\partial E} \frac{dE}{dp} p = \int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} p \frac{\partial f_{dm}}{\partial p} = \int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} f_{dm} = n_{dm}$$

$$= \frac{4\pi}{(2\pi)^3} \int_0^\infty dp p^2 p \frac{\partial f_{dm}}{\partial p} = \frac{4\pi}{(2\pi)^3} \int_0^\infty dp p^3 \frac{\partial f_{dm}}{\partial p} \stackrel{\text{by parts}}{=} -3 \frac{4\pi}{(2\pi)^3} \int_0^\infty dp p^2 f_{dm} = -3 n_{dm}$$

Cosmological generalization of the continuity equation

$$\frac{\partial n_{dm}}{\partial t} + \frac{1}{a} \frac{\partial}{\partial x^i} (n_{dm} v^i) + 3 \left[ \frac{da/dt}{a} + \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial t} \right] n_{dm} = 0$$



Now let's collect zeroth and first order terms

0th order

$$\frac{\partial n_{dm}}{\partial t} + \frac{1}{a} \frac{\partial}{\partial x^i} (n_{dm} v^i) + 3 \left[ \frac{da/dt}{a} + \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial t} \right] n_{dm} = 0$$

$$\hookrightarrow \frac{\partial n_{dm}^{(0)}}{\partial t} + 3 \frac{da/dt}{a} n_{dm}^{(0)} = 0$$

$$= \frac{1}{a^3} \frac{d}{dt} (n_{dm}^{(0)} a^3) = \frac{1}{a^3} \frac{d n_{dm}^{(0)}}{dt} + \frac{3 \dot{a}}{a^3} n_{dm}^{(0)} = \frac{\partial n_{dm}^{(0)}}{\partial t} + 3H n_{dm}^{(0)}$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} (n_{dm}^{(0)} a^3) = 0 \Rightarrow \boxed{n_{dm}^{(0)} \propto a^{-3}}$$

confirms that  $\rho_{dm} \propto a^{-3}$  as expected for dust component

1st order

(terms  $\sim n_{dm} v$ ,  $\sim n_{dm} \Phi \rightarrow$  set  $n_{dm} = n_{dm}^{(0)}$ )

"small" quantities:  $\Phi, \delta, v$

$$n_{dm} = n_{dm}^{(0)} [1 + \delta(\bar{x}, t)]$$

$$\text{so } n_{dm}^{(1)} = n_{dm}^{(0)} \delta$$

$\delta$ : fractional overdensity

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} [n_{dm}^{(0)} + n_{dm}^{(0)} \delta] + \frac{1}{a} \frac{\partial}{\partial x^i} [n_{dm}^{(0)} v^i + n_{dm}^{(0)} \delta v^i] + 3 \left[ \frac{da/dt}{a} + \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial t} \right] (n_{dm}^{(0)} + n_{dm}^{(0)} \delta)$$

$$\approx \frac{\partial}{\partial t} [n_{dm}^{(0)} \delta] + \frac{1}{a} \frac{\partial}{\partial x^i} [n_{dm}^{(0)} v^i] + 3H (n_{dm}^{(0)} + n_{dm}^{(0)} \delta) + 3 \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial t} (n_{dm}^{(0)} + n_{dm}^{(0)} \delta)$$

$$\approx \frac{\partial n_{dm}^{(0)} \delta}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial \delta}{\partial t} n_{dm}^{(0)} + \frac{1}{a} \frac{\partial n_{dm}^{(0)} v^i}{\partial x^i} + \frac{1}{a} n_{dm}^{(0)} \frac{\partial v^i}{\partial x^i} + 3H n_{dm}^{(0)} \delta + 3 \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial t} n_{dm}^{(0)}$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} [n_{dm}^{(0)} \delta] = \frac{d}{dt} [n_{dm,0} a^{-3}] = n_{dm,0} \times -3 \frac{\dot{a}}{a^4} = -3 n_{dm,0} \frac{\dot{a}}{a^3} = -3H n_{dm,0} a^{-3} = -3H n_{dm}^{(0)}$$

$$= -3H n_{dm}^{(0)} \delta + n_{dm}^{(0)} \frac{\partial \delta}{\partial t} + \frac{1}{a} \frac{\partial n_{dm}^{(0)} v^i}{\partial x^i} + \frac{1}{a} n_{dm}^{(0)} \frac{\partial v^i}{\partial x^i} + 3H n_{dm}^{(0)} \delta + 3 \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial t} n_{dm}^{(0)} =$$

$$= n_{dm}^{(0)} \frac{\partial \delta}{\partial t} + \frac{1}{a} n_{dm}^{(0)} \frac{\partial v^i}{\partial x^i} + 3 \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial t} n_{dm}^{(0)} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left[ \frac{\partial \delta}{\partial t} + \frac{1}{a} \frac{\partial v^i}{\partial x^i} + 3 \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial t} \right] = 0$$

Boltzmann equation for cold DM overdensity  
~~(1st order / 0th moment)~~  
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Two variables:  $\delta, v^i$   
 ↑      ↙      1st moment  
          0th moment

Need another equation

Return to unintegrated Boltzmann equation, but this time

take the 1st instead of 0th  $\left( \int x \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} \right)$  moment

$$\int x \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} \left( \frac{p^i p^j}{E} \right) \rightarrow v^j$$

$$0 = \int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{p^i p^j}{E} \frac{\partial f_{dm}}{\partial t} + \int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{p^i p^j}{E} \frac{1}{a} \frac{p^k}{E} \frac{\partial f_{dm}}{\partial x^k} - \int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{p^i p^j}{E} \left[ \frac{da/dt}{a} + \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial t} \right] \frac{p^2}{E} \frac{\partial f_{dm}}{\partial E}$$

~~$$\int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{p^i p^j}{E} \frac{1}{a} \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial x^i} \frac{\partial f_{dm}}{\partial E}$$~~

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} f_{dm} \frac{p^i p^j}{E} + \frac{1}{a} \frac{\partial}{\partial x^i} \int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} f_{dm} \frac{p^2 p^i p^j}{E^2} - \left[ H + \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial t} \right] \int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{\partial f_{dm}}{\partial E} \frac{p^3 p^i p^j}{E^2} - \frac{1}{a} \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial x^i} \int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{\partial f_{dm}}{\partial E} \frac{p^i p^j}{E}$$

$$\int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{\partial f_{dm}}{\partial E} \frac{p^3 p^i p^j}{E^2} = \int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{E}{p} \frac{p^3 p^i p^j}{E^2} \frac{\partial f_{dm}}{\partial p} = \int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{p^2 p^i p^j}{E} \frac{\partial f_{dm}}{\partial p}$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \frac{dE}{dp} = \frac{p}{E} \rightarrow \frac{\partial}{\partial E} = \frac{E}{p} \frac{\partial}{\partial p} \end{aligned} \right\} = \int \frac{d\Omega}{(2\pi)^3} \int dp \frac{p^4}{E} \frac{\partial f_{dm}}{\partial p} \quad \leftarrow \text{by parts}$$