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Non-linear structure formation in modified gravity models

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General picture

Largest scales

gravity is modified so that the universe accelerates without dark energy

 Large scale structure scales gravity is still modified by a fifth force from scalar graviton *model independent tests of GR* Small scales (solar system) GR is recovered



On non-liner scales, the fifth force must be screened by some mechanisms Joyce, Jain, Khoury & Trodden arXiv:1407.0059

How to recover GR on small scales?

Chameleon mechanism Khoury & Weltman Phys. Rev. Lett. 93 (2004) 171104 The mass of a scalar mode becomes large in dense regions

$$\nabla^2 \phi = \partial_{\phi} V + \frac{\alpha}{M_{pl}} \rho e^{\alpha \phi / M_{pl}}$$

Vainshtein mechanism

Non-liner derivative self-interactions become large in a dense region

$$3\nabla^2 \varphi + r_c^2 \left\{ \left(\nabla^2 \varphi \right)^2 - \partial_i \partial_j \varphi \, \partial^i \partial^j \varphi \right\} = 8\pi G a^2 \rho$$

Behaviour of gravity

There regimes of gravity



In most models, the scalar mode obeys non-linear equations describing the transition from the scalar tensor theory on large scales to GR on small scales

$$\rho_{crit} \approx 10^{-29} g / cm^3,$$

$$\rho_{galaxy} \approx 10^{-24} g / cm^3,$$

$$\rho_{solar} \approx 10g / cm^3$$

Understandings of non-linear clustering require N-body simulations where the non-linear scalar equation needs to be solved



- Modified gravity models
 In the non-linear nature of the scalar field equation implies that the superposition rule does not hold
 - It is required to solve the non-linear scalar equation directly on a mesh a computational challenge!
 - The breakdown of the superposition rule has interesting consequences

N-body Simulations (Puchwein's talk)

- Multi-level adaptive mesh refinement
- solve Poisson equation using a linear Gauss-Seidel relaxation
- add a scalar field solver using a non-linear Gauss Seidel relaxation

Fn 1 exists on

this patch

Fn 2

exists on

this patch

ECOSMOG Li, Zhao, Teyssier, KK JCAP1201 (2012) 051 MG-GADGET Puchwein, Baldi, Springel MNRAS (2013) 436 348 ISIS Llinares, Mota, Winther A&A (2014) 562 A78 DGPM, Schmidt PRD80, 043001

Modified Gravity Simulations comparison project Winther, Shcmidt, Barreira et.al. arXiv: 1506.06384



exists.or

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Redshift space distortions

 Power spectrum in redshift space is anisotropic

$$P(k,\mu), \ \mu = k_{\parallel} / k$$

Multipole decomposition

$$P(k,\mu) = \sum_{\ell} P_{\ell}(k) L_{\ell}(\mu)$$

$$\frac{P_2}{P_0}\bigg|_{linear} = \frac{\frac{4}{3}f + \frac{4}{7}f^2}{1 + \frac{2}{3}f + \frac{1}{5}f^2}$$

$$f = \sqrt{\frac{P_{\theta\theta}}{P_{\delta\delta}}}, \quad \theta = \nabla \cdot v$$



Jennings, Baugh, Li, Zhao, Koyama, 1205.2698



	KK,Taruya, Hiramatsu PRD79 123512
Perturbation theory	Taruya,KK, Hiramatsu, Oka, PRD89 043509 Taruya et.al. PRD90 123515

• Peturbation theory based template (Taruya's talk) $\tilde{P}(k,\mu) = \{b^2 P_{\delta\delta}(k) + 2\mu^2 b G_{\Theta} P_{\delta\Theta}(k) + \mu^4 G_{\Theta}^2 P_{\Theta\Theta}(k) + A(k,\mu;b,G_{\Theta}) + B(k,\mu;b,G_{\Theta})\} \times D_{FoG}(k\mu\sigma_p)$



How do we test gravity in cosmology?

- Newton potential Ψ controls dynamics of non relativistic
 - particles
- Space curvature Φ
 also deflects lights

In GR there is a special relation between the two $\Psi = \Phi$

dynamical mass = lensing mass in GR



$Where \ to \ test \ GR \ \ (\mbox{we consider the chameleon mechanism here})$

GR is recovered in high dense regions

• GR is restored in massive dark matter halos





Environmental effects

Even if dark matter halo itself is small, if it happens to live near massive halos, GR is recovered

Using simulations, we can develop criteria to identify the places where GR is not recovered Zhao, Li, KK Phy. Rev. Lett. 107 (2011) 071303 Environmental dependence

Difference between lensing and dynamical mass



Testing chameleon gravity

Outskirt of clusters

Terukina. et.al. PRD86 103503, JCAP 1404 013



Dynamical mass can be inferred from X-ray and SZ



48 X-ray clusters from XCS compared with lensing (shear) from CFHTLS

 $|f_{R0}| < 7.9 \times 10^{-5}$

Wilcok et.al. MNRAS (1504.03937)

Creating a screening map

It is essential to find places where GR is not recovered

- Small galaxies in underdense regions
- SDSS galaxies within 200 Mpc

Cabre, Vikram, Zhao, Jain, KK JCAP 1207 (2012) 034



Tests of gravity on small scales

Hui, Nicolis & Stubbs Phys. Rev. D80 (2009) 104002

- dwarf galaxies in voids strong modified gravity effects
 - Galaxies are brighter
 - Pulsers pulsate faster
 - Various other tests

Jain & Vander Plas JCAP 1110 (2011) 032







Davis et.al. Phys. Rev. D85 (2012) 123006 Jain et.al. ApJ 779 (2013) 39 Vikram et.al. JCAP1308 (2013) 020

$$f_{R0} \mid < 5 \times 10^{-7}$$

(we consider the chameleon mechanism here)

Constraints on chameleon gravity



- Non-linear regime is powerful for constraining chameleon gravity
- Astrophysical tests could give better constraints than the solar system tests and can be done by "piggybacking" ongoing surveys

Vainshtein mechanism (Falck's talk)

Vainshtein mechanism is very efficient

- dark matter halos are all screened regardless of mass and environment Schmidt PRD81103002
- Inear/quasi non-linear scales are the best place to test the models

Screening depends on dimensionality of the system



Summary

- In the next decade, we may be able to detect the failure of GR on cosmological scales
 - Linear scales

model independent tests of gravity

SURVEY





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Non-linear scales

novel astrophysical tests of gravity (in a model dependent way)



It is required to develop theoretical models from fundamental theory