

On the analytical method of inflationary particle production with form fields

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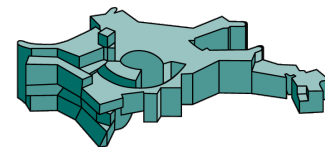
ダークマターの正体は何か？

広大なディスカバリースペースの網羅的研究

What is dark matter? - Comprehensive study of the huge discovery space in dark matter



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Form fields with kinetic couplings

- In higher dimensional theories, scalar sectors are naturally coupled to gauge sectors (form fields):

$$\mathcal{L} \supset I(\varphi)^2 F_{\mu\nu} F^{\mu\nu}, \quad I(\varphi)^2 H_{\mu\nu\rho} H^{\mu\nu\rho}$$

$$F_{\mu\nu} = \partial_\mu A_\nu - \partial_\nu A_\mu \quad : \text{vector field (1-form field)}$$

$$H_{\mu\nu\rho} = \partial_\mu B_{\nu\rho} + \partial_\nu B_{\rho\mu} + \partial_\rho B_{\mu\nu} \quad : \text{antisymmetric tensor field (2-form field)}$$

→ axions

- Time variation of the kinetic function could trigger the particle production of form fields during inflation

Rich cosmological phenomena

$I^2 FF$ model

- Generation of primordial magnetic fields ***Ratra (1992); Martin, Yokoyama (2008); Fujita, Mukohyama (2012);... (a lot)***
- Anisotropic inflation models ***Watanabe, Kanno, Soda (2009)...; Ito, Soda (2015);***
- Statistically-anisotropic primordial GWs ***Fujita, IO, Tanaka, Yokoyama (2018); Hiramatsu, Murai, IO, Yokoyama (2020);***
- Generation of primordial BHs & GWs ***Kawasaki, Nakatsuka, IO (2019)***

$I^2 HH$ model

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Inflation with form field (setup)

- Consider the vector field model:

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{1}{2}M_p^2 R - \frac{1}{2}(\partial_\mu\varphi)^2 - V(\varphi) - \frac{1}{4}I(\varphi)^2 F_{\mu\nu}F^{\mu\nu}$$

FLRW Metric: $ds^2 = -dt^2 + a(t)^2 d\mathbf{x}^2 = a(\tau)^2(-d\tau^2 + d\mathbf{x}^2)$

Gauge conditions: $A_0 = 0, \partial_i A_i = 0$

- Consider the operator expansion in Fourier space:

$$A_i(\tau, \mathbf{x}) = \sum_{s=X,Y} \int \frac{d\mathbf{k}}{(2\pi)^3} \hat{A}_{\mathbf{k}}^s(\tau) e_i^s(\hat{\mathbf{k}}) e^{i\mathbf{k}\cdot\mathbf{x}}$$

$$\hat{A}_{\mathbf{k}}^s = A_{\mathbf{k}}^s a_{\mathbf{k}}^s + A_{\mathbf{k}}^{s*} a_{-\mathbf{k}}^{s\dagger} \quad [a_{\mathbf{k}}^{s1}, a_{-\mathbf{k}'}^{s2\dagger}] = (2\pi)^3 \delta^{s_1 s_2} \delta(\mathbf{k} + \mathbf{k}')$$

↑ find a solution of mode function

Solution of mode function (1)

- EOM for the mode function: $V_k \equiv I A_k^s$

$$\partial_\tau^2 V_k + \left(k^2 - \frac{\partial_\tau^2 I}{I} \right) V_k = 0$$

- Define the following index: $n \equiv \frac{\dot{I}}{HI} \rightarrow I(\varphi(\tau)) \propto a(\tau)^n$

when $n = n_0$ (const.), EOM leads to

$$\partial_\tau^2 V_k + \left(k^2 - \frac{n_0(n_0 + 1)}{\tau^2} \right) V_k = 0$$

then, we obtain

$$V_k(\tau) = \frac{e^{i(n_0+1)\pi/2}}{\sqrt{2k}} \sqrt{\frac{-\pi k\tau}{2}} H_{n_0+1/2}^{(1)}(-k\tau)$$

(Banch-Davies initial condition is chosen)

Solution of mode function (2)

- The solution of the mode functions of electromagnetic field:

$$E_k = \frac{I}{a^2} \frac{d}{d\tau} \left(\frac{V_k}{I} \right) = e^{i(n-1)\pi/2} \frac{H^2}{\sqrt{2k^3}} \sqrt{\frac{\pi(-k\tau)^5}{2}} H_{n-1/2}^{(1)}(-k\tau) ,$$

$$B_k = \frac{kV_k}{a^2} = e^{i(n+1)\pi/2} \frac{H^2}{\sqrt{2k^3}} \sqrt{\frac{\pi(-k\tau)^5}{2}} H_{n+1/2}^{(1)}(-k\tau) .$$

- Then, using the following asymptotic form in the super-horizon limit:

$$H_{\nu < 0}^{(1)}(x) = i(-1)^{\nu+1} \frac{\Gamma(-\nu)}{\pi} \left(\frac{2}{x} \right)^{-\nu} \quad (x \rightarrow 0) ,$$

we obtain

$$E_k = e^{-i(n+1)\pi/2} \frac{H^2}{\sqrt{2k^3}} \frac{\Gamma(\frac{1}{2} - n)}{2^n \sqrt{\pi}} (-k\tau)^{n+2} \quad (|k\tau| \rightarrow 0) ,$$

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Solution of mode function (3)

Thus, the magnitude of electromagnetic fields evolves as

$$\begin{aligned} |E_k(a)| &= \frac{H^2}{\sqrt{2k^3}} \frac{\Gamma(\frac{1}{2} - n_0)}{2^{n_0} \sqrt{\pi}} \left(\frac{a_k}{a}\right)^{n_0+2} \\ |B_k(a)| &= \frac{H^2}{\sqrt{2k^3}} \frac{\Gamma(-\frac{1}{2} - n_0)}{2^{n_0+1} \sqrt{\pi}} \left(\frac{a_k}{a}\right)^{n_0+3} \end{aligned} \quad \begin{aligned} &(a_k \equiv k/H \ll a) \\ &\text{on super-horizon scales} \end{aligned}$$

■ Electric (magnetic) field is amplified when $n_0 < -2$ ($n_0 < -3$)

■ This expression holds when the index “n” is a **constant** value

However,

The index “n” generically depends on the configuration of kinetic function

The problem is...

- In most cases, the index n is not a constant but a dynamical value

(except for)

$$I(\varphi) = \exp\left(-\frac{n_0}{M_p^2} \int \frac{V}{V_\varphi} d\varphi\right)$$

Ex) consider the simplest configuration

$$I(\varphi) = I_0 \exp\left(\frac{\varphi}{\Lambda}\right) \rightarrow n = \frac{\dot{\varphi}}{H\Lambda} \neq \text{const.}$$

Since the speed of scalar field naturally increases in time, we need to solve the EOM with dynamical “ n ”:

$$\partial_\tau^2 V_k + \left(k^2 - \frac{n(\tau)(n(\tau) + 1)}{\tau^2}\right) V_k = 0$$

→ No analytical solution. Numerical analysis has been developed

Kawasaki, Nakatsuka, IO (2019); Fujita, Nakatsuka, IO, Young (2022);

New discovery???

- Once we define the following **time-averaged index**

$$\bar{n}(k, \tau) \equiv \frac{1}{N(\tau) - N_l} \int_{N_l}^{N(\tau)} n(N) dN$$

$$N_l \equiv \ln(k/H) - \ln \sqrt{n(-k^{-1})(n(-k^{-1}) + 1)}$$

the following expression fits well the evolution on super-horizon scales:

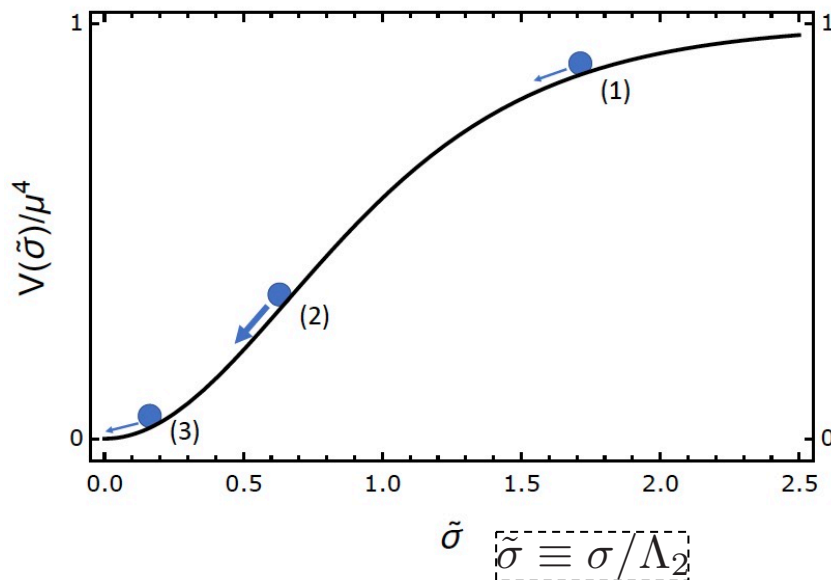
$$\begin{aligned} |E_k^{\text{app}}(\tau)| &\equiv \frac{H^2}{\sqrt{2k^3}} \sqrt{\frac{\pi(-k\tau)^5}{2}} \left| H_{\bar{n}(k,\tau)-1/2}^{(1)}(-k\tau) \right| \\ &= \frac{H^2}{\sqrt{2k^3}} \frac{\Gamma(1/2 - \bar{n}(k, \tau))}{2^{\bar{n}(k,\tau)} \pi^{1/2}} (-k\tau)^{\bar{n}(k,\tau)+2} \quad (\tau \rightarrow 0) \end{aligned}$$

Toy model (1)

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{M_p^2}{2} R + \mathcal{L}_{\text{inf}} - \frac{1}{2} (\partial_\mu \sigma)^2 - V(\sigma) - \frac{1}{4} I(\sigma)^2 F_{\mu\nu} F^{\mu\nu} \quad \sigma : \text{spectator field}$$

$$\text{Kinetic function: } I(\sigma) = I_0 \exp\left(\frac{\sigma}{\Lambda_1}\right) \rightarrow n = \frac{dI/dN}{I} = \frac{d\sigma/dN}{\Lambda_1}$$

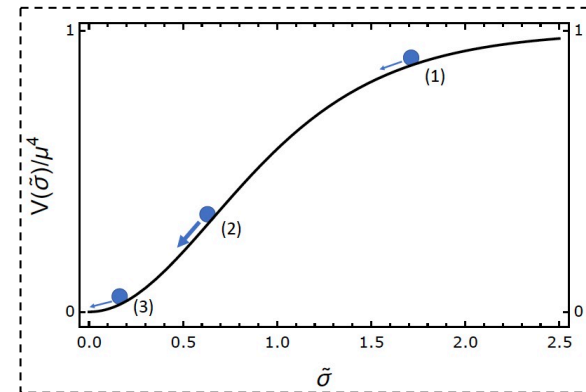
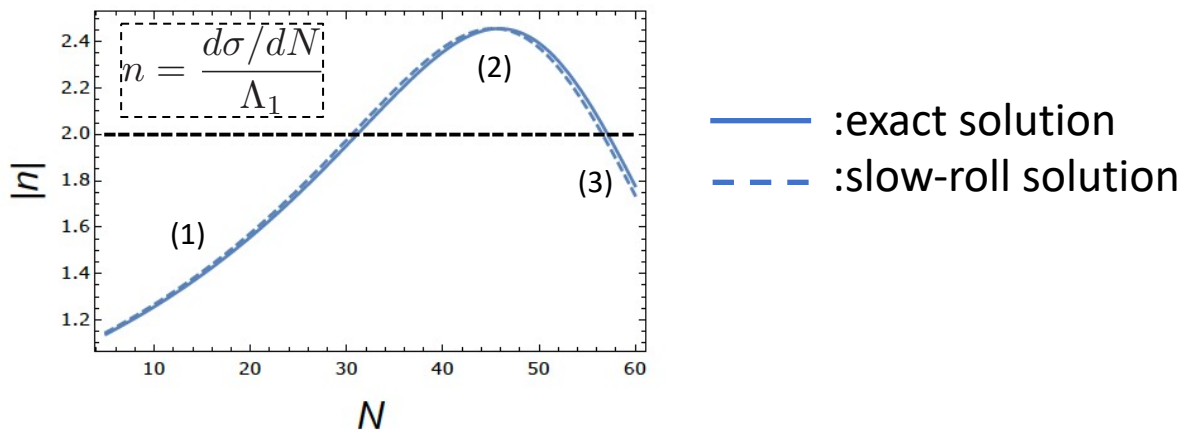
$$\text{Potential form: } V(\sigma) = \mu^4 \tanh^2\left(\frac{\sigma}{\Lambda_2}\right)$$



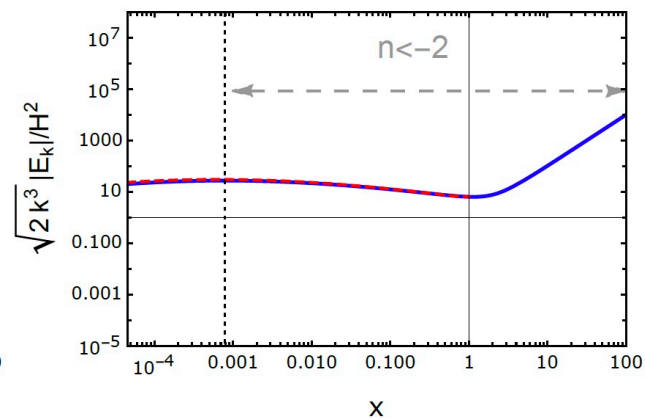
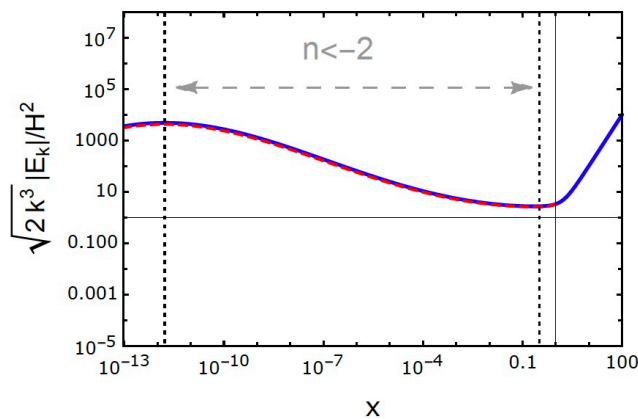
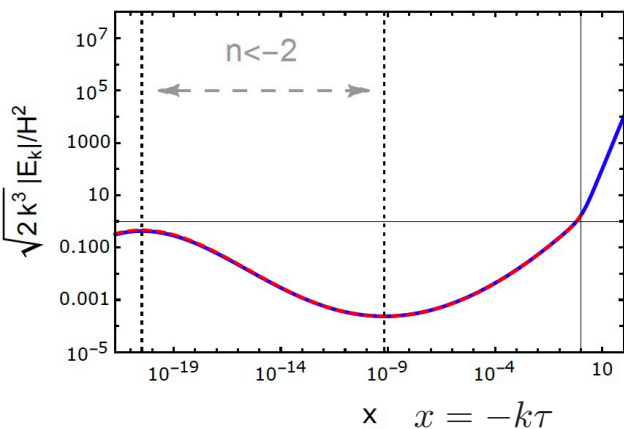
- (1) At initial time (CMB scales), the velocity speed monotonically increases.
- (2) At a certain time, the scalar field crosses the inflection point and the velocity gets maximized.
- (3) After that, the speed turns to decrease towards the minimum of potential

Toy model (2)

Time evolution of "n"



Evolutions of electric mode function on super-horizon regime



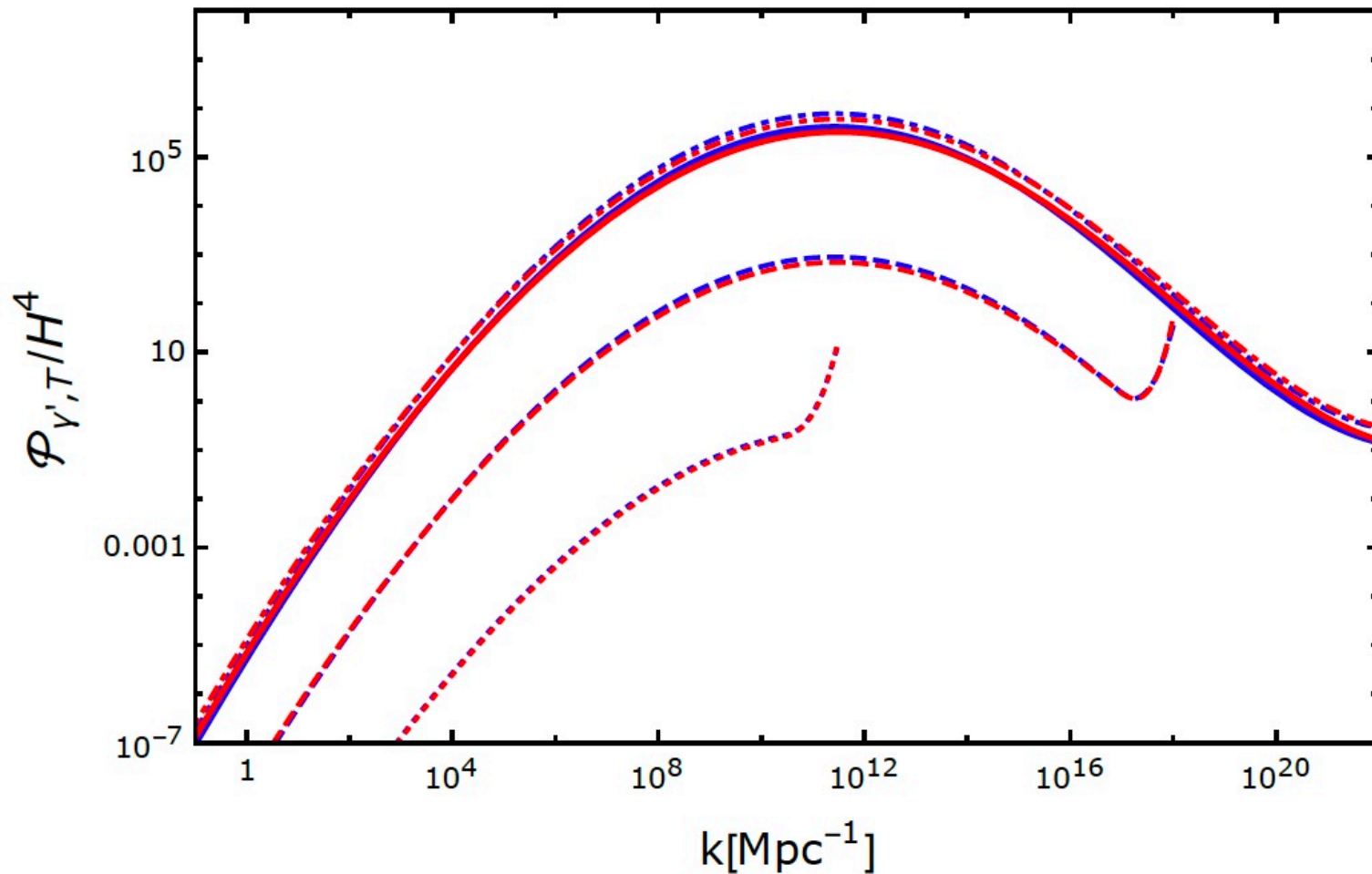
Exiting horizon at $N = 10$

$N = 30$

$N = 50$ 11 / 13

Toy model (3)

Power spectrum of vector field at several e-folds



Questions...

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- How exactly to prove this? Is it already known?
- How universal does this hold? e.g. 2-form field model
- Application to the cosmological scenarios?

Nakai, Namba, IO; in progress