

量子势、真空暴涨与宇宙波函数



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报告大纲

- 标准宇宙学模型中的问题
- 德布罗意-玻姆量子轨道理论
- 真空暴涨
- 宇宙波函数的物理解释
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标准宇宙学模型：大爆炸+暴涨

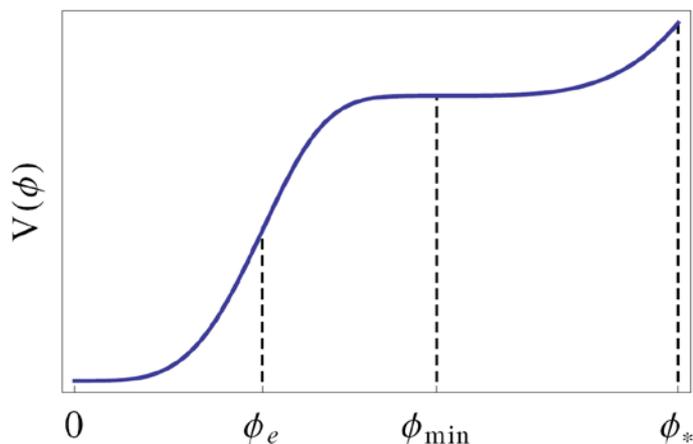
- ✓ 1915年，爱因斯坦发表引力场方程（1917年提出了静态宇宙模型）
- ✓ 1922、1927年，费里德曼、莱美卓分别提出宇宙膨胀假说
- ✓ 1929年，哈勃通过天文观测，发现了宇宙膨胀（哈勃定律）
- ✓ 1946年，伽莫夫提出大爆炸理论
- ✓ 1965年，彭齐亚斯和威尔逊发现CMB（1978年诺贝尔奖）
- ✓ 1979-1982年，斯塔若宾斯基、古斯、林德等先后提出暴涨理论，解决大爆炸理论存在的难题

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标准模型：慢滚暴涨

$$S = \int d^4x \sqrt{|g|} \left(\frac{1}{2}R + \frac{1}{2}\dot{\phi}^2 - V(\phi) \right)$$



标量场的性质不清，来源明确。

真空能否暴涨？

真空作用量

$$S = \frac{1}{16\pi G} \int R \sqrt{-g} d^4x.$$

没有标量场或者宇宙常数项
推动，经典无加速膨胀解。

宇宙从真空来？

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Is the Universe a Vacuum Fluctuation?

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“In any big bang model, one must deal with the problem of ‘creation’”.

这个问题一直没有准确答案。

一个问题，两种表述

□ 宇宙能否从真空“产生”？

□ 真空能否暴涨？



答案是肯定的！

德布罗意-玻姆量子轨道理论

de Broglie-Bohm quantum trajectory theory

- de Broglie and Bohm suggested a hidden variable theory for quantum mechanics, or called Bohmian mechanics, or quantum trajectory theory.
- It is mathematically equivalent with the traditional quantum mechanics of Copenhagen.
- They have different physical explanation for the world.

P. R. Holland, *The quantum theory of motion*,
(Cambridge university press, 1993).

德布罗意-玻姆量子轨道理论

A wave function ψ can be expressed as

$$\psi(x, t) = R(x, t)e^{iS(x, t)/\hbar},$$

where R and S are real functions. Inserting $\psi(x, t)$ into the time-dependent Schrödinger equation, we obtain two equations by separating the time-dependent Schrödinger equation into real and imaginary parts. The real part gives

$$\frac{\partial S}{\partial t} + \frac{(\nabla S)^2}{2m} + V + \underline{Q} = 0$$

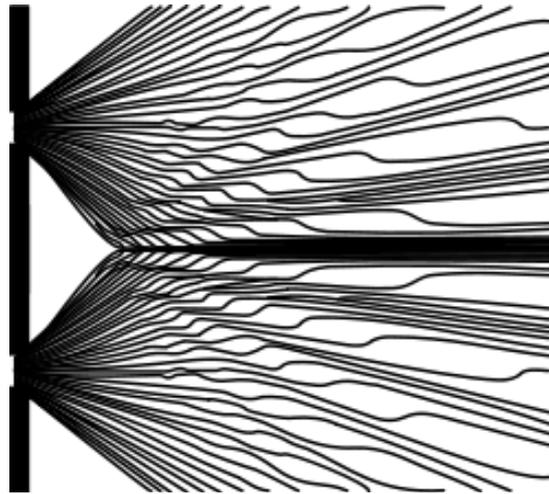
and the imaginary part has the form

$$\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} + \nabla(\rho v) = 0$$

where $Q(x, t) = -\frac{\hbar^2}{2m} \frac{\nabla^2 R}{R}$, $\rho(x, t) = R^2(x, t)$ and $v = \nabla S(x, t)/m$.

双缝实验

初始位置
为隐变量

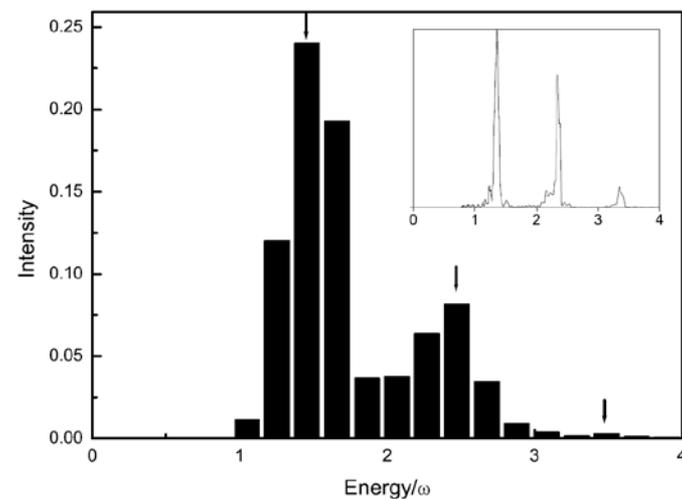
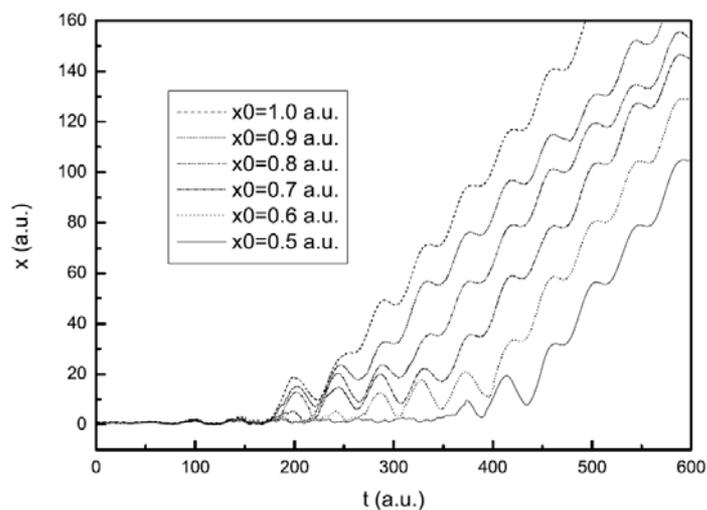


$$\frac{\partial S}{\partial t} + \frac{(\nabla S)^2}{2m} + V + Q = 0$$

非局域隐
变量理论

P. R. Holland, *The quantum theory of motion*,
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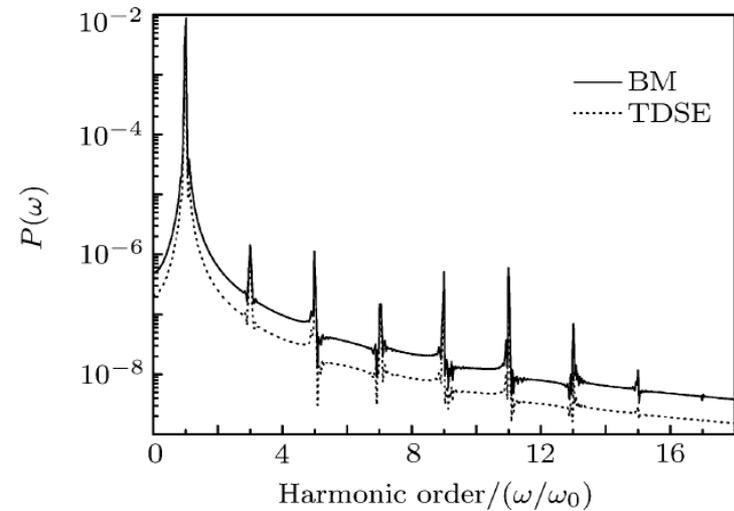
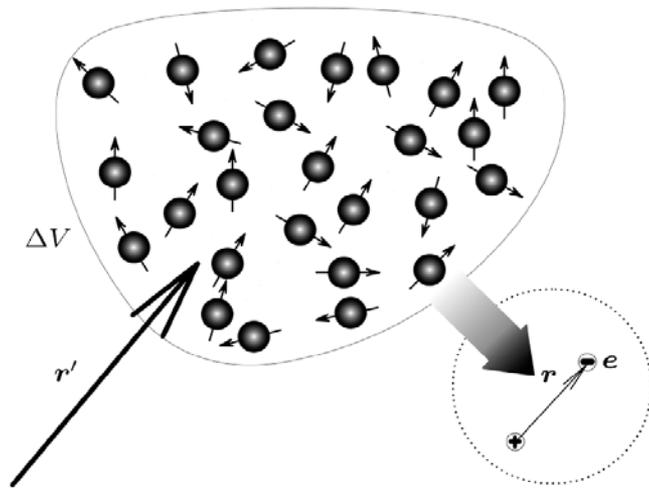
原子阈上电离谱



$$\frac{\partial S}{\partial t} + \frac{(\nabla S)^2}{2m} + V + Q = 0$$

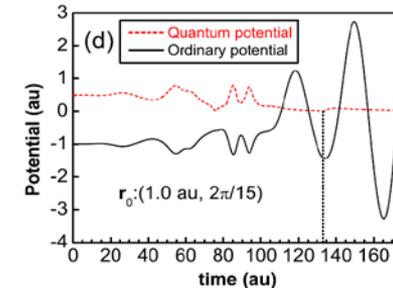
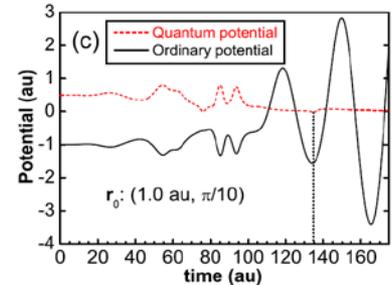
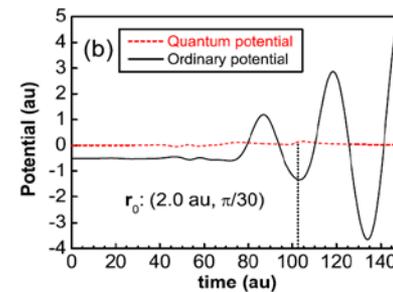
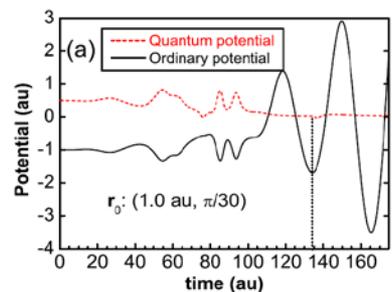
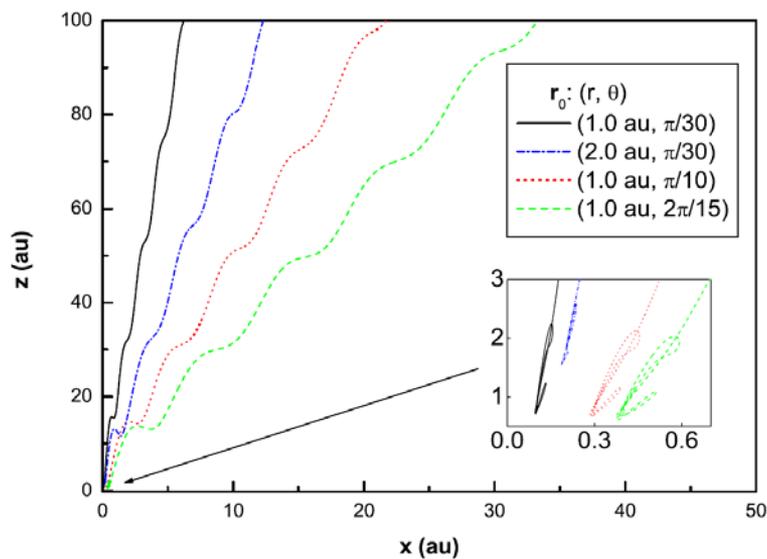
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高次谐波谱



$$\frac{\partial S}{\partial t} + \frac{(\nabla S)^2}{2m} + V + Q = 0$$

量子经典过渡



$$\frac{\partial S}{\partial t} + \frac{(\nabla S)^2}{2m} + V + Q = 0$$

X.Y. Lai, Q.Y. Cai and M.S. Zhan *New Journal of Physics* **11** (2009) 113035

真空暴涨

惠勒-德威特方程 (WDWE)

1967年DeWitt提出了一种对广义相对论正则量子化的方法。

$$\left[\frac{1}{2} \gamma^{-1/2} G_{ijkl} \pi^{ij} \pi^{kl} - \gamma^{1/2(3)} (R - 2\Lambda) \right] \Psi = 0$$

$$\hat{\mathcal{H}}\Psi = 0$$

宇宙波函数满足WDWE。

B. S. DeWitt, Phys. Rev. 160,1113 (1967)



真空哈密顿量

小超空间(minisuperspace)模型：均匀、各向同性的球对称度规：

$$ds^2 = \sigma^2 [N^2(t)dt^2 - a^2(t)d\Omega_3^2]$$

爱因斯坦-希尔伯特作用量：

$$S = \frac{c^3}{16\pi G} \int \mathcal{R} \sqrt{-g} d^4x,$$

拉格朗日量及 $a(t)$ 的共轭动量为：

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{Nc^4}{2G} \left(ka - \frac{a\dot{a}^2}{N^2c^2} \right) \quad p_a = \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{a}} = -\frac{c^2 a \dot{a}}{NG}$$

哈密顿量：

$$\mathcal{H} = -\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{Gp_a^2}{c^2 a} + \frac{c^4 ka}{G} \right)$$

真空的WDWE

由 $\mathcal{H}\Psi = 0$ 以及 $p_a^2 = -\hbar^2 a^{-p} \frac{\partial}{\partial a} (a^p \frac{\partial}{\partial a})$,

$$\left(\frac{\hbar^2}{m_p} \frac{1}{a^p} \frac{\partial}{\partial a} a^p \frac{\partial}{\partial a} - \frac{E_p}{l_p^2} k a^2 \right) \psi(a) = 0.$$

- 方程中 a 为宇宙尺度因子（唯一参数）。
- $k=1$ ，封闭宇宙； $k=0$ ，平坦宇宙； $k=-1$ ，开放宇宙。
- 常数 p ：算符次序因子(operator ordering factor)。

方程不含时，怎么办？

量子哈密顿-雅克比方程

波函数是复数，因此总可以写成

$$\psi(a) = R(a) \exp(iS(a)/\hbar)$$

其中R和S是实函数。

带入到方程

$$\left(\frac{\hbar^2}{m_p} \frac{1}{a^p} \frac{\partial}{\partial a} a^p \frac{\partial}{\partial a} - \frac{E_p}{l_p^2} k a^2 \right) \psi(a) = 0$$

可以得到

$$\frac{\hbar}{m_p} \left(S'' + 2 \frac{R' S'}{R} + \frac{p}{a} S' \right) = 0,$$

$$\boxed{\frac{(S')^2}{m_p} + V + Q = 0}$$

其中 $V(a)$ 是经典势 ka^2 ， $Q(a)$ 是量子势：

$$Q(a) = -\frac{\hbar^2}{m_p} \left(\frac{R''}{R} + \frac{p}{a} \frac{R'}{R} \right).$$

作用量量子化

由

$$\psi(a) = U + iW = R(a) \exp(iS(a)/\hbar)$$

可以得到

$$R^2 = U^2 + W^2,$$

以及

$$S = \hbar \tan^{-1}(W/U).$$

作用量量子化

$$S = \frac{c^3}{16\pi G} \int R \sqrt{-g} d^4x$$

利用诱导关系

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{a}} = \frac{-c^2}{G} a \dot{a} = \frac{\partial S}{\partial a},$$

可得

$$\dot{a} = -\frac{G}{c^2 a} \frac{\partial S}{\partial a}.$$

封闭宇宙 (k=1)

$$\left(\frac{1}{a^p} \frac{\partial}{\partial a} a^p \frac{\partial}{\partial a} - ka^2 \right) \psi(a) = 0.$$

$$\psi(a) = a^{(1-p)/2} \left[ic_1 I_\nu \left(\frac{a^2}{2} \right) - c_2 K_\nu \left(\frac{a^2}{2} \right) \right], \quad \nu = |1-p|/4$$

$$S = \tan^{-1} \left[-\frac{c_1 I_\nu \left(\frac{a^2}{2} \right)}{c_2 K_\nu \left(\frac{a^2}{2} \right)} \right]$$

$$\dot{a} = -\frac{1}{a} \frac{\partial S}{\partial a}.$$

For small arguments $0 < x \ll \sqrt{\nu+1}$,

$$I_\nu(x) \sim \frac{1}{\Gamma(\nu+1)} \left(\frac{x}{2} \right)^\nu \quad K_\nu(x) \sim \frac{\Gamma(\nu)}{2} \left(\frac{2}{x} \right)^\nu, \quad \nu \neq 0.$$

$$S(a \ll 1) \approx -\frac{2c_1}{c_2 \Gamma(\nu) \Gamma(\nu+1)} \left(\frac{a^2}{4} \right)^{2\nu}, \quad \nu \neq 0.$$

$$a(t) = \begin{cases} \left[\frac{(3-4\nu)\lambda(\nu)}{3} (t+t_0) \right]^{\frac{1}{3-4\nu}} & \nu \neq 0, \frac{3}{4} \\ \underline{e^{\lambda(3/4)(t+t_0)}}, & \nu = \frac{3}{4}, \end{cases}$$

where $\lambda(\nu) = 6c_1 / (4^{2\nu} c_2 \Gamma(\nu) \Gamma(\nu+1))$.

暴胀的驱动力

量子势和经典势的表示形式 ($p=-2$, or 4)

$$Q(a \rightarrow 0) = -a^2 - \lambda(3/4)^2 a^4$$

$$V(a) = a^2$$

$$\dot{a} = -\frac{1}{a} \frac{\partial S}{\partial a}.$$

$$(S')^2 + V + Q = 0.$$

量子势+经典势

$$V+Q = -\lambda(3/4)^2 a^4$$

暴胀的动力

通常定义

$$H \equiv \dot{a}/a \text{ and } \Lambda = 3H^2$$

可以得到一个等效“宇宙常数”：

$$\Lambda \approx 3\lambda(3/4)^2.$$

开放宇宙 (k=-1)

$$\left(\frac{1}{a^p} \frac{\partial}{\partial a} a^p \frac{\partial}{\partial a} - ka^2\right) \psi(a) = 0.$$

$$\psi(a) = a^{(1-p)/2} \left[ic_1 J_\nu \left(\frac{a^2}{2} \right) + c_2 Y_\nu \left(\frac{a^2}{2} \right) \right]$$

$$a(t) = \begin{cases} \left[\frac{(3-4\nu)\bar{\lambda}(\nu)}{3} (t + t_0) \right]^{\frac{1}{3-4\nu}}, & \nu \neq 0, \frac{3}{4} \\ \underline{e^{\bar{\lambda}(3/4)(t+t_0)}}, & \nu = \frac{3}{4}, \end{cases}$$

$$Q(a \rightarrow 0) = a^2 - \bar{\lambda}(3/4)^2 a^4$$
$$v(a) = -a^2$$

平直宇宙 ($k=0$)

$$\left(\frac{1}{a^p} \frac{\partial}{\partial a} a^p \frac{\partial}{\partial a} - ka^2\right) \psi(a) = 0.$$

$$\psi(a) = ic_1 \frac{a^{1-p}}{1-p} - c_2$$

$$a(t) = \begin{cases} \left[\frac{c_1}{c_2} (3 - |1 - p|)(t + t_0) \right]^{\frac{1}{3 - |1 - p|}}, & |1 - p| \neq 0, 3, \\ \underline{e^{c_1(t+t_0)/c_2}}, & |1 - p| = 3. \end{cases}$$

$$Q(a \rightarrow 0) = -(c_1/c_2)^2 a^4$$

$$V(a) = 0$$

暴涨退出机制

封闭宇宙

$$S(a \gg 1) = -\tan^{-1}(c_1 e^{a^2}/c_2),$$

$$\dot{a} = 2c_1 e^{-\bar{a}^2}/c_2 \rightarrow 0.$$

开放宇宙

$$S(a \gg 1) \sim -\tan^{-1}[c_1 \tan(a^2/2 + \pi/4 - \nu\pi/2)/c_2]$$

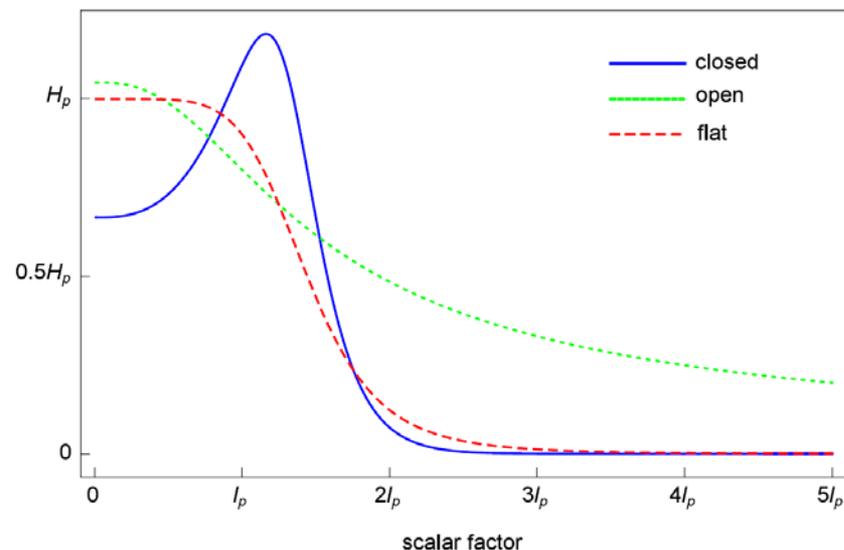
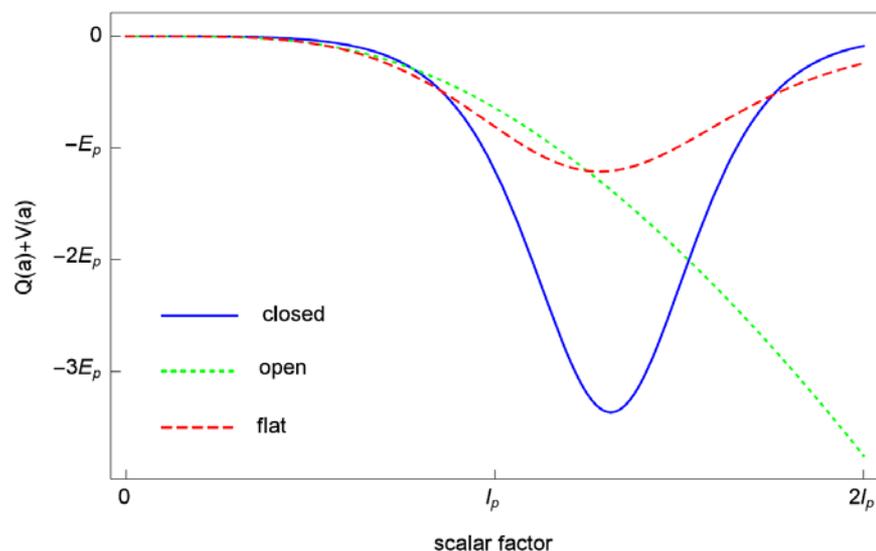
$$\dot{a}^2 = 1$$

平直宇宙

$$\dot{a} = c_1 a^{-|1-p|-2}/c_2$$

$$\dot{a}^2 \rightarrow 0$$

量子效应推动宇宙迅速长大

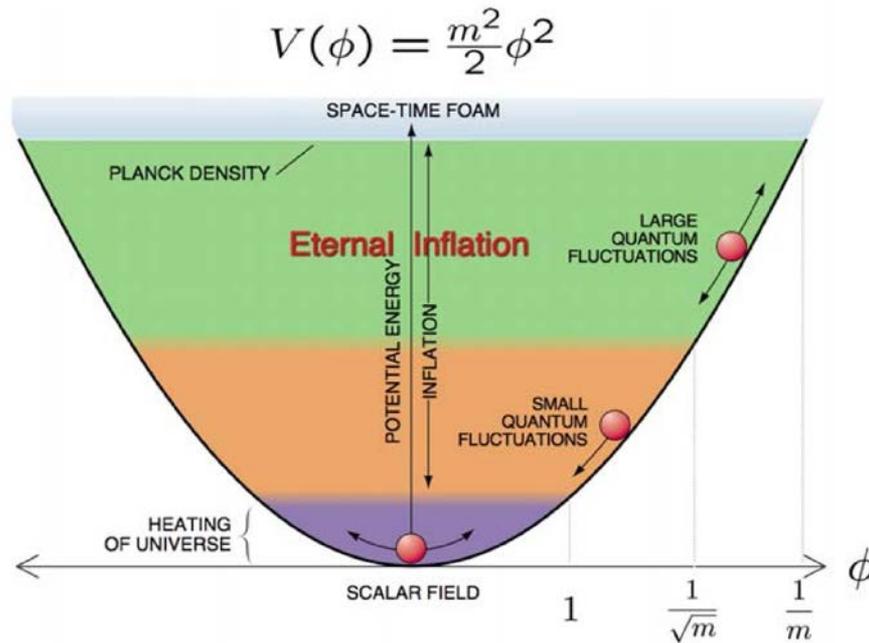


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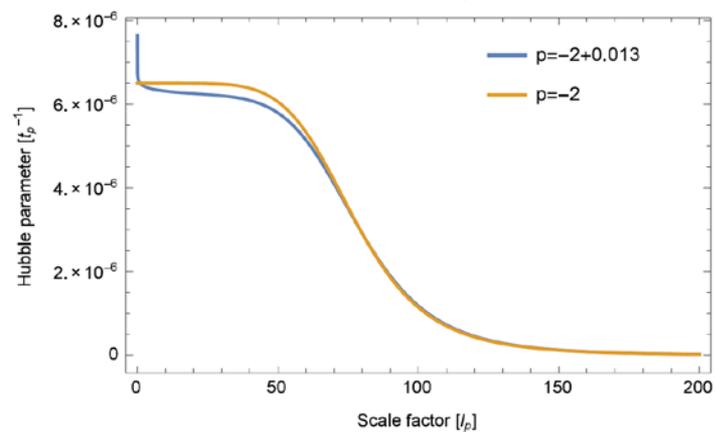
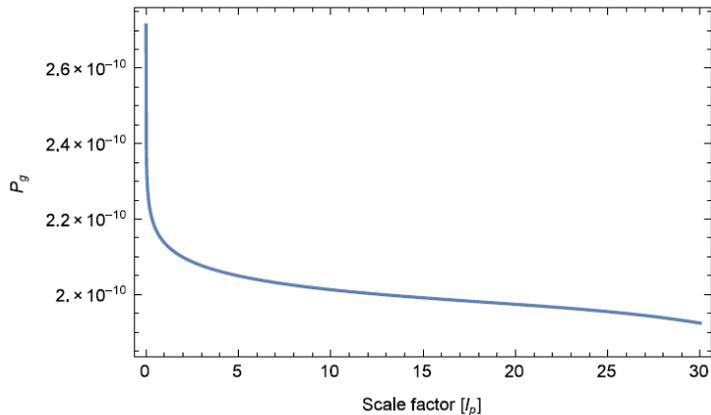
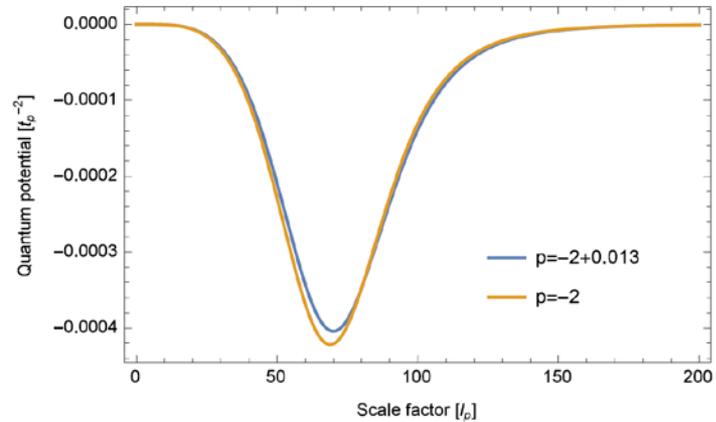
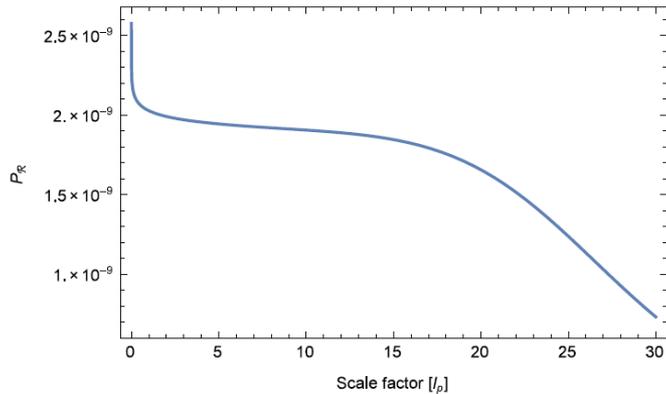
量子化导致真空暴涨!

物质产生



A. Linde, Lect. Notes Phys. 738,1–54 (2008)

是否符合天文观测？



初步计算 $2.5 \times 10^{-27} \text{kg/m}^3$

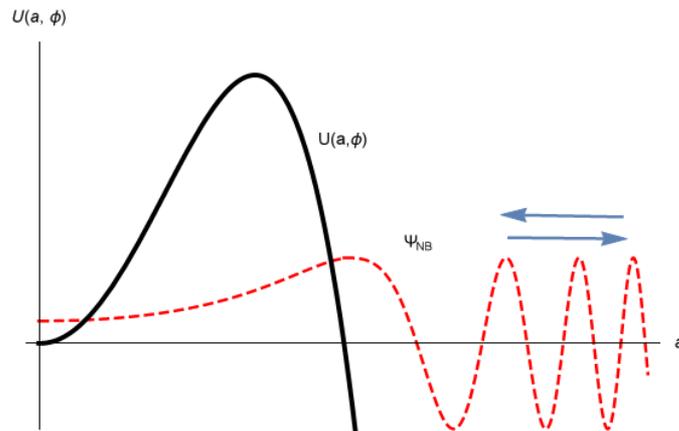
Planck $1.8 \times 10^{-27} \text{kg/m}^3$

宇宙波函数的物理解释

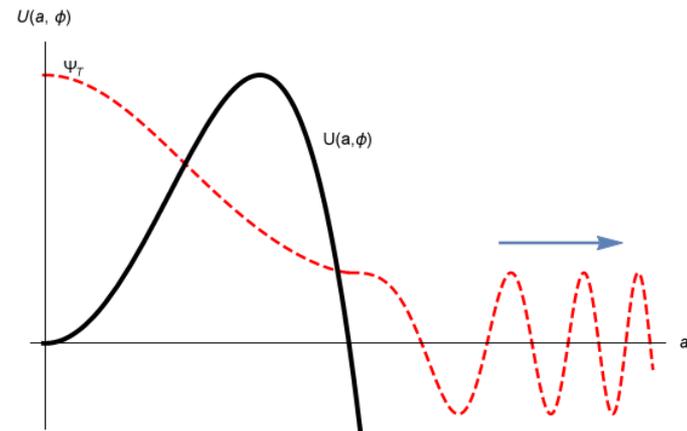
宇宙波函数

宇宙的状态由宇宙的波函数来描述，满足WDWE:

$$\left(\frac{1}{a^p} \frac{\partial}{\partial a} a^p \frac{\partial}{\partial a} - \frac{1}{a^2} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \phi^2} - ka^2 + a^4 V(\phi) \right) \psi(a) = 0$$



Hartle-Hawking: no boundary wave function



Vilenkin: tunneling wave function

A.Vilenkin, PLB 117,25 (1982).

J. B. Hartle and S. W. Hawking, PRD 28,2960 (1983).

A.D.Linde, PRD 58,083514(1998).

宇宙波函数的概率解释

- Hawking, Vilenkin等人曾给出过波函数的解释：

$$\mathcal{P}(\mathcal{A}) \propto \int_{\mathcal{A}} |\psi|^2 d\mathcal{A}$$

根据这种解释，宇宙被产生的概率为：

$$P \sim e^{-2S} = \exp\left(\frac{3M_p^4}{8V(\phi)}\right).$$

S. W. Hawking, Nucl.Phys.B 239,257 (1984)

A. Vilenkin, PRD 39, 1116 (1989).

宇宙波函数-概率解释的困难

- 首先，对于宇宙来说，如何定义观测者和被观测对象？
- 其次，对于我们来说，宇宙的演化只发生一次，如何讨论宇宙处于某个状态的概率？

宇宙波函数的动力学解释

宇宙波函数写为： $\psi(a) = R(a) \exp(iS(a)/\hbar)$,

宇宙处于状态a的概率密度为： $\rho(a) \equiv |\psi(a)|^2 = R(a)^2$

从WDWE出发可以得到系统的守恒流：

$$j^a = \frac{i}{2} a^p (\psi^* \partial_a \psi - \psi \partial_a \psi^*) = -a^p R^2 S'$$

$$\partial_a j^a = 0 \quad \longrightarrow \quad a^p R^2 S' = c_0$$

根据诱导关系： $\frac{\partial S}{\partial a} = \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{a}} = -a\dot{a}$

可以得到

$$\rho(a) = -\frac{c_0}{a^{p+2} H(a)}.$$

算符次序因子p的约束

宇宙波函数的概率密度应有限

暴涨时期: $\rho(a \rightarrow 0) = \frac{-c_0}{a^{p+2} H_{In}} \rightarrow p + 2 \leq 0$

暗能量时期: $\rho(a \rightarrow \infty) = \frac{-c_0}{a^{p+2} H_{DE}} \rightarrow p + 2 \geq 0$

算符次序因子p的约束

$$p = -2$$

宇宙波函数的动力学解释

由 $p = -2$ ，得宇宙波函数概率密度为：

$$\rho(a) = -\frac{c_0}{H(a)}.$$

只与哈勃参数有关：反比于宇宙膨胀的速率。

$\int_{a_1}^{a_2} \psi^*(a)\psi(a)da$ is proportional to the time spent when the universe evolves from the state a_1 to a_2 .

量子经典对应

应用动力学解释可以得到宇宙很大时的演化规律：

$$a(t) \propto \begin{cases} (t + t_0)^{2/n}, & n \neq 0, \\ e^{t+t_0}, & n = 0. \end{cases}$$

根据爱因斯坦场方程得到的宇宙的演化规律：

dominator	density	evolution
radiation	$n = 4$	$a(t) \propto (t + t_0)^{1/2}$
matter	$n = 3$	$a(t) \propto (t + t_0)^{2/3}$
dark energy	$n = 0$	$a(t) \propto e^t$

宇宙波函数的动力学解释**满足量子经典对应**。

总结与讨论

The problem of “creation”

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Spontaneous creation of the universe from nothing

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量子势推动宇宙迅速长大，物质产生，暴涨自然退出。

到底是“谁”推动宇宙暴涨？

是“假设存在的标量场”？

还是“量子势”？

去年Kavli奖：



1978、2011年
宇宙学先后获
得诺贝尔物理
学奖

诺贝尔奖的风向标？

宇宙波函数的物理解释

1. 宇宙波函数物理解释-动力学解释

2. 满足量子经典对应

3. 宇宙是非局域的吗?

(发生了什么? 退相干? 何时发生?)

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