Non-equilibrium QFT in cosmology: a case of resonant leptogenesis

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Even if the system is almost thermalized, (and quasi-particle picture is valid,)

Classical Boltzmann eq. + equilibrium QFT

$$d_t f(t, \mathbf{p}) = \mathcal{C}(t, \mathbf{p})$$

can be invalid because of

degenerate time scales.

An example: Resonant leptogenesis

Single framework of non-equilibrium QFT

1. Thermal history of the universe

2. Leptogenesis

3. Resonant leptogenesis

4. Kadanoff-Baym equation (non-equilibrium QFT)

5. Summary

2. Leptogenesis Fukugita, Yanagida (86)



• Tiny SM neutrino mass (Seesaw mechanism)

2. Leptogenesis

 $\begin{array}{ll} \mbox{Calculating $\mathbf{CP$-violating parameter}$} & \varepsilon \equiv \frac{\Gamma_{N \to \ell \phi} - \Gamma_{N \to \overline{\ell} \phi^*}}{\Gamma_{N \to \ell \phi} + \Gamma_{N \to \overline{\ell} \phi^*}} \\ \mbox{in "equilibrium QFT"} \end{array}$



2. Leptogenesis



RH neutrino flavor oscillation

 $N_i \to N_{i \neq i}$

dominates in **resonant case**

(Classical) Boltzmann equation + equilibrium QFT



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Boltzmann equation of lepton number (momentum-integrated)

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Boltzmann equation of lepton number (momentum-integrated)



enhances the CP-violating parameter ${\mathcal E}$

3. Resonant leptogenesis

Pilaftsis (97)



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$$(i\partial_x - M)G_R(x, y) - \int d^4z \ \Pi_R(x, z)G_R(z, y) = -\delta^4(x - y)$$
$$(i\partial_x - M)G \leq (x, y) - \int d^4z \ \Pi_R(x, z)G \leq (z, y) = \int d^4z \ \Pi \leq (x, z)G_A(z, y)$$



SD eq. on CTP (in-in formalism)
$$G^{-1} = G_0^{-1} - \prod_{1 \text{Pl}} \mathbb{1}$$
 2PI formalism
 $t_i \longrightarrow t_f \longrightarrow t_f$ time
Kadanoff-Baym eq. : Self-consistent equation of Full propagator
Spectrum of the system
 $(i\partial_x - M)G_R(x,y) - \int d^4z \prod_R(x,z)G_R(z,y) = -\delta^4(x-y)$
 $(i\partial_x - M)G \leq (x,y) - \int d^4z \prod_R(x,z)G \leq (z,y) = \int d^4z \prod \leq (x,z)G_A(z,y)$
State of the system
 $distribution func. f$
 $G_>(x,y) \equiv \langle \psi(x)\overline{\psi}(y) \rangle$
Wightman function
 $\hat{a}\hat{a}^{\dagger} = 1 - \hat{N}$



Kadanoff-Baym eq. : Self-consistent equation of **Full propagator**

$$\underbrace{(i\partial _x - M)G_R(x, y) - \int d^4 z \ \Pi_R(x, z)G_R(z, y) = -\delta^4(x - y)}_{(i\partial _x - M)G \leq (x, y) - \int d^4 z \ \Pi_R(x, z)G \leq (z, y) = \int d^4 z \ \Pi \leq (x, z)G_A(z, y)}$$

integrate
$$G \leq (x,y) = -\int d^4 u d^4 v G_R(x,u) \Pi \leq (u,v) G_A(v,y)$$





Summary

• Degeneracy of time scales makes

the conventional approach invalid.

Classical Boltzmann eq. + equilibrium QFT

• In the case of resonant leptogenesis ($M_1\simeq M_2$),

$1/\Gamma_N \sim$	$1/\Delta M$.
Lifetime	Flavor oscillation

- CP-violating parameter is obtained in the **single** framework (non-equilibrium QFT).
- Kadanoff-Baym eq. (Density matrix formalism)

Thank you

Quantum extension of Boltzmann eq. (Markovian)

Non-Markovian eq.

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Leptogenesis

 Sakharov Conditions (symmetric initial condition) 	Standard Model	+ Right-handed Neutrino
Baryon number violation	Sphaleron process $B+L$	$\Delta L \longrightarrow \Delta B$ Sphaleron
C and CP violation	Weak interaction CKM matrix too small	Yukawa coupling $h_{lpha i}$
Out of equilibrium dynamics	Strongly 1 st order EW phase transition too small	Large Majorana mass

$$\mathcal{L}_{int} = -h_{\alpha i} \overline{\ell}_{\alpha} \widetilde{\phi} N_i - h_{i\alpha}^{\dagger} \overline{N}_i \ell_{\alpha} \widetilde{\phi}^{\dagger}$$

Leptogenesis

• Simplest model (decay of the lightest RH neutrino N_1) $M_1 \ll M_{2,3}$

