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Buveurs tres illustres...



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Bouncing universes

Limitations and puzzles of the standard model

🌐 Singularity $\exists t_{(\pm\infty)}; a(t) \rightarrow 0$

🌐 Horizon

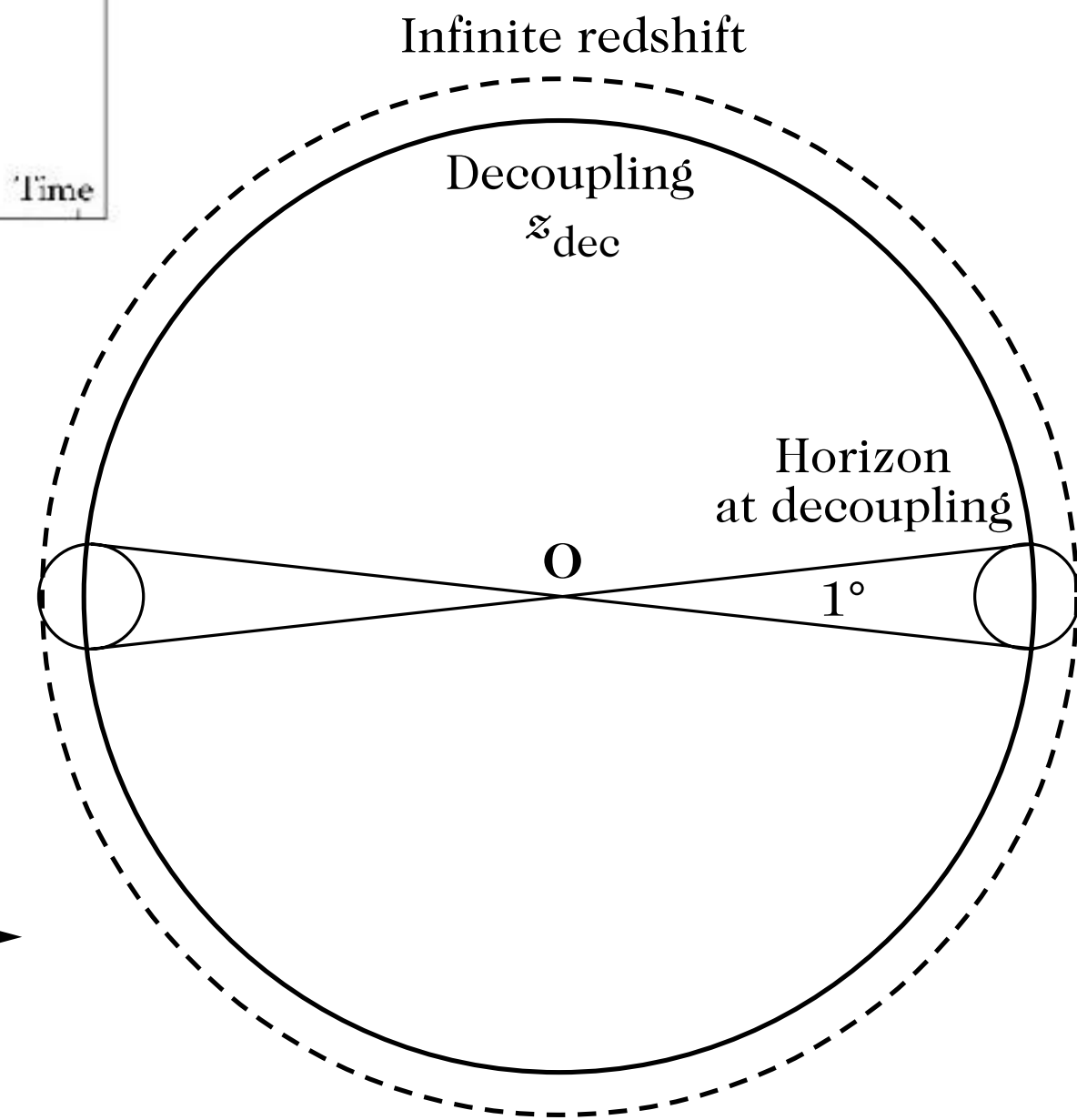
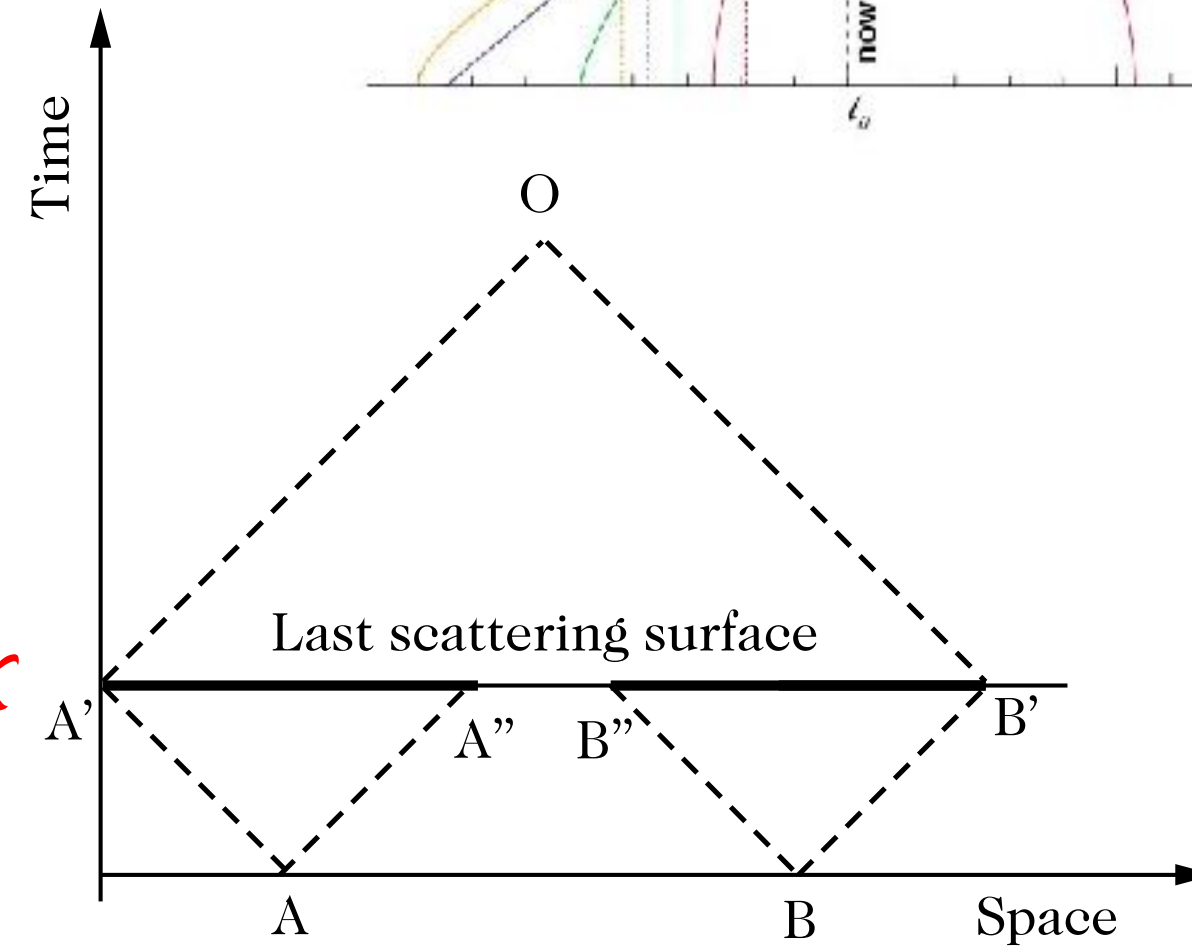
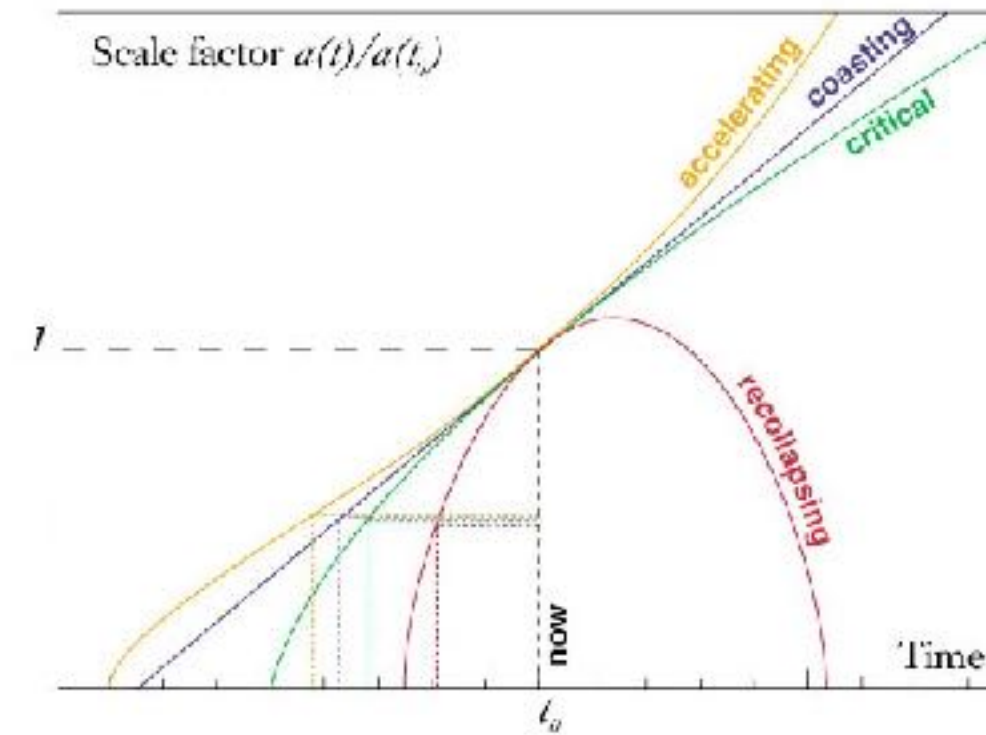
$$\frac{d\Omega_{\mathcal{K}}}{d \ln a} = (3w + 1)(1 - \Omega_{\mathcal{K}})\Omega_{\mathcal{K}}$$

🌐 Flatness Unstable fixed point!!

$$|\Omega(z_{\text{eq}}) - 1| < 3 \times 10^{-5}$$

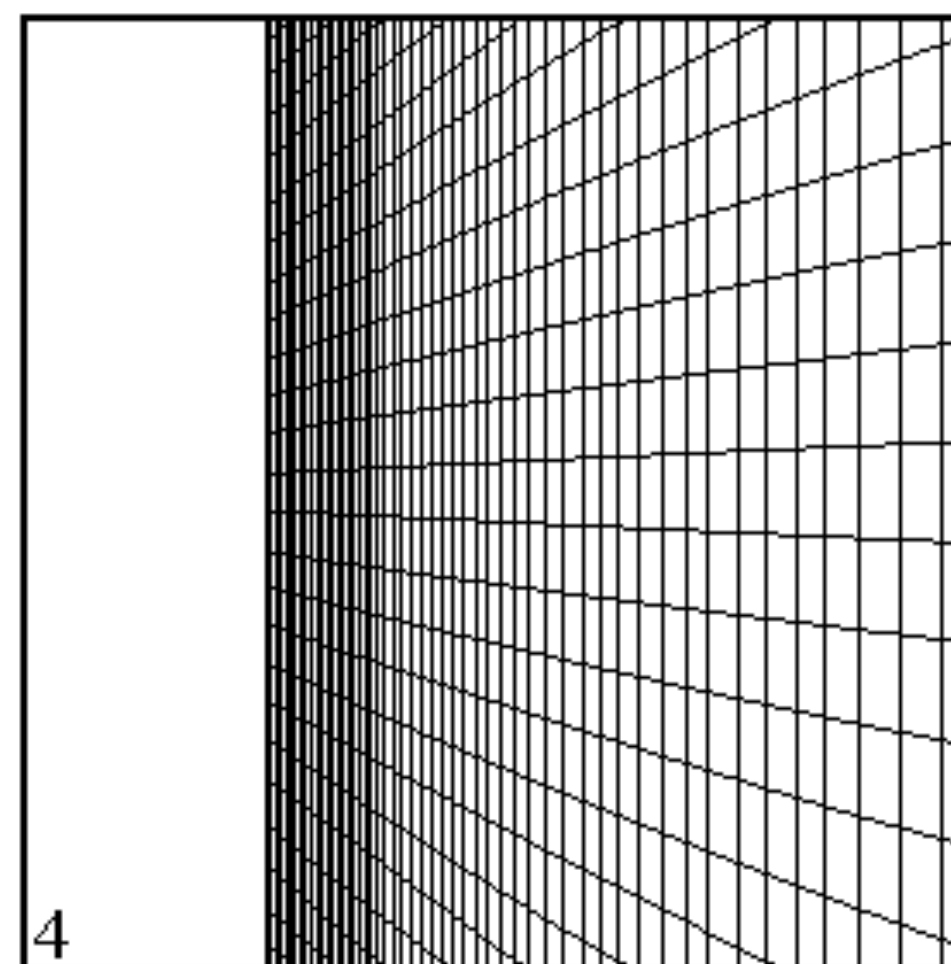
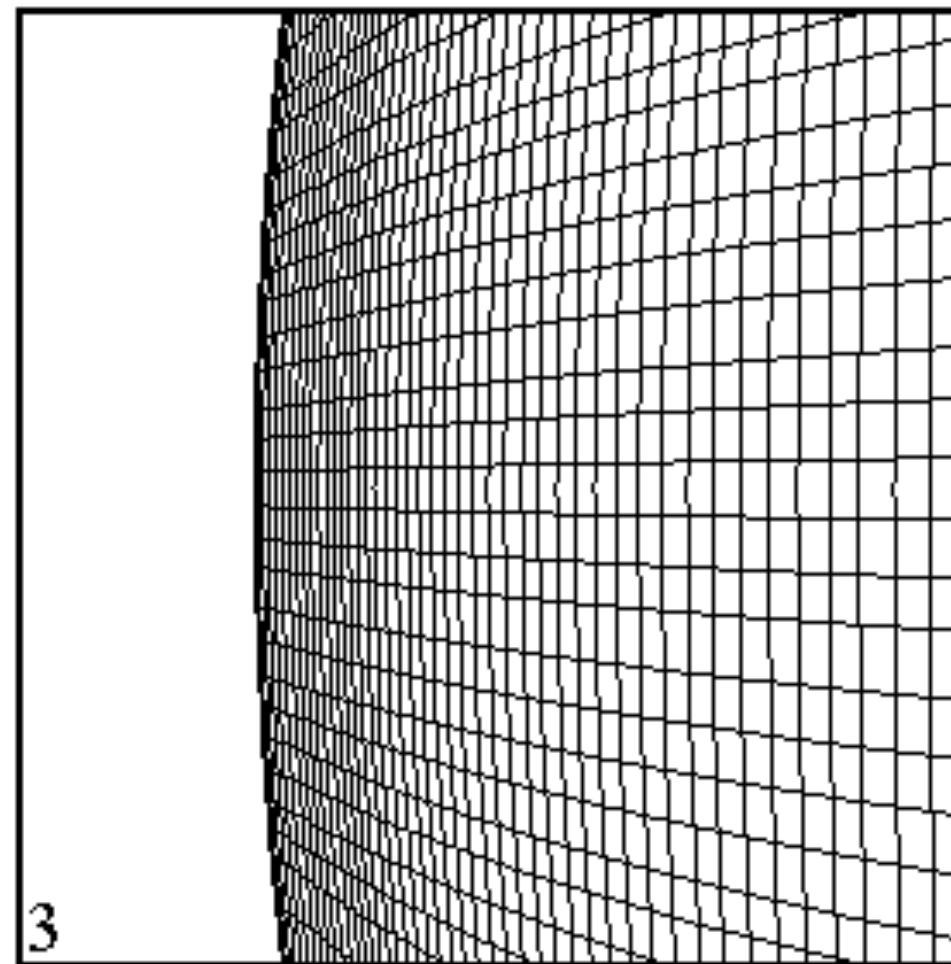
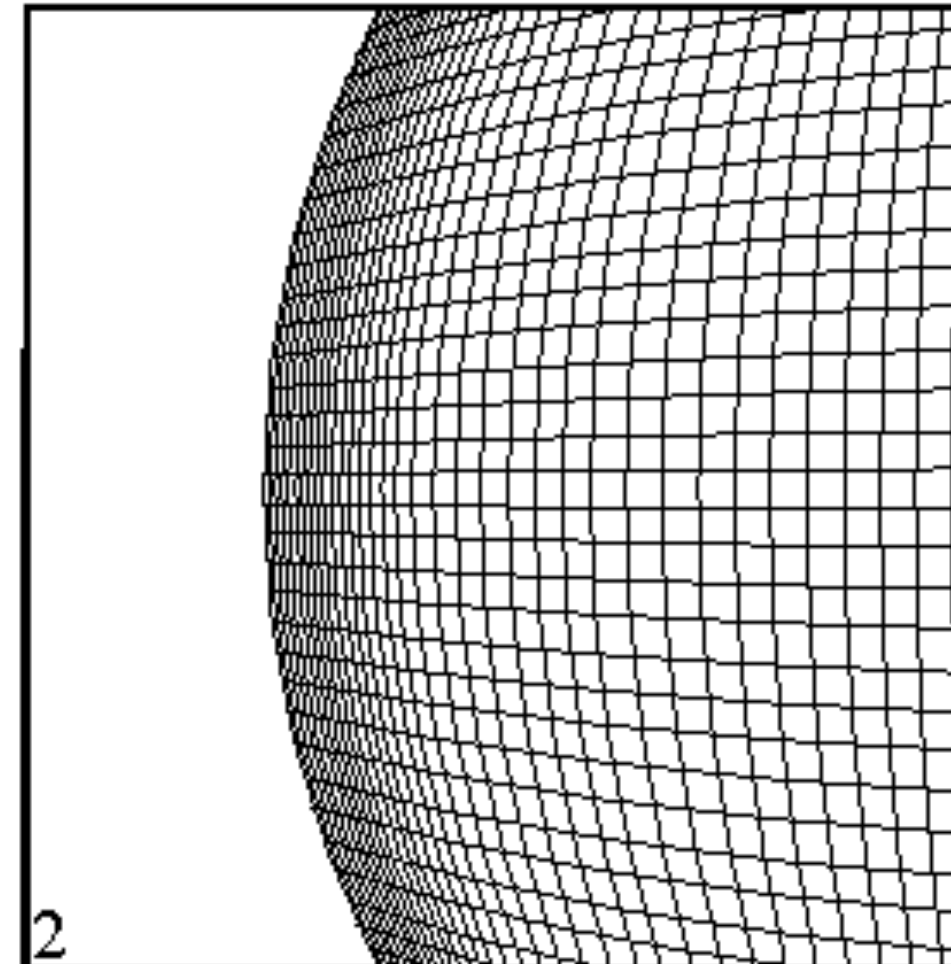
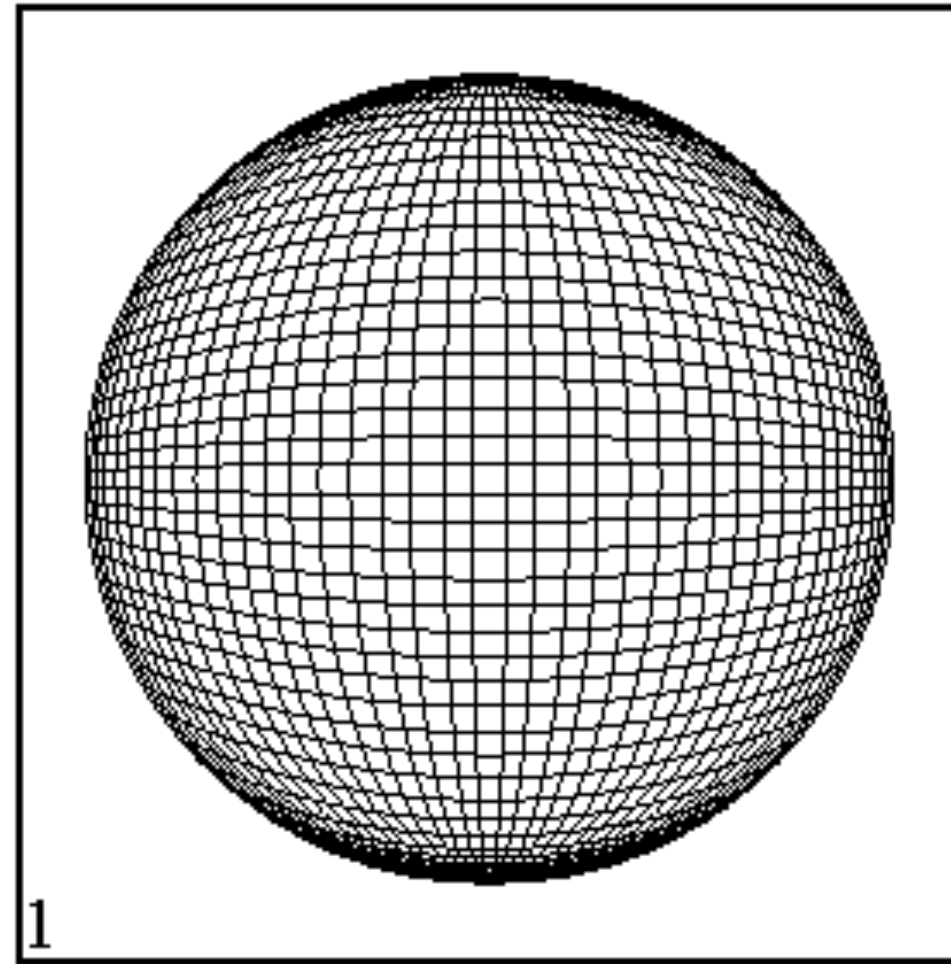
🌐 Monopoles $|\Omega(z_{\text{Planck}}) - 1| < 10^{-60}$

🌐 **Validity of classical GR?**

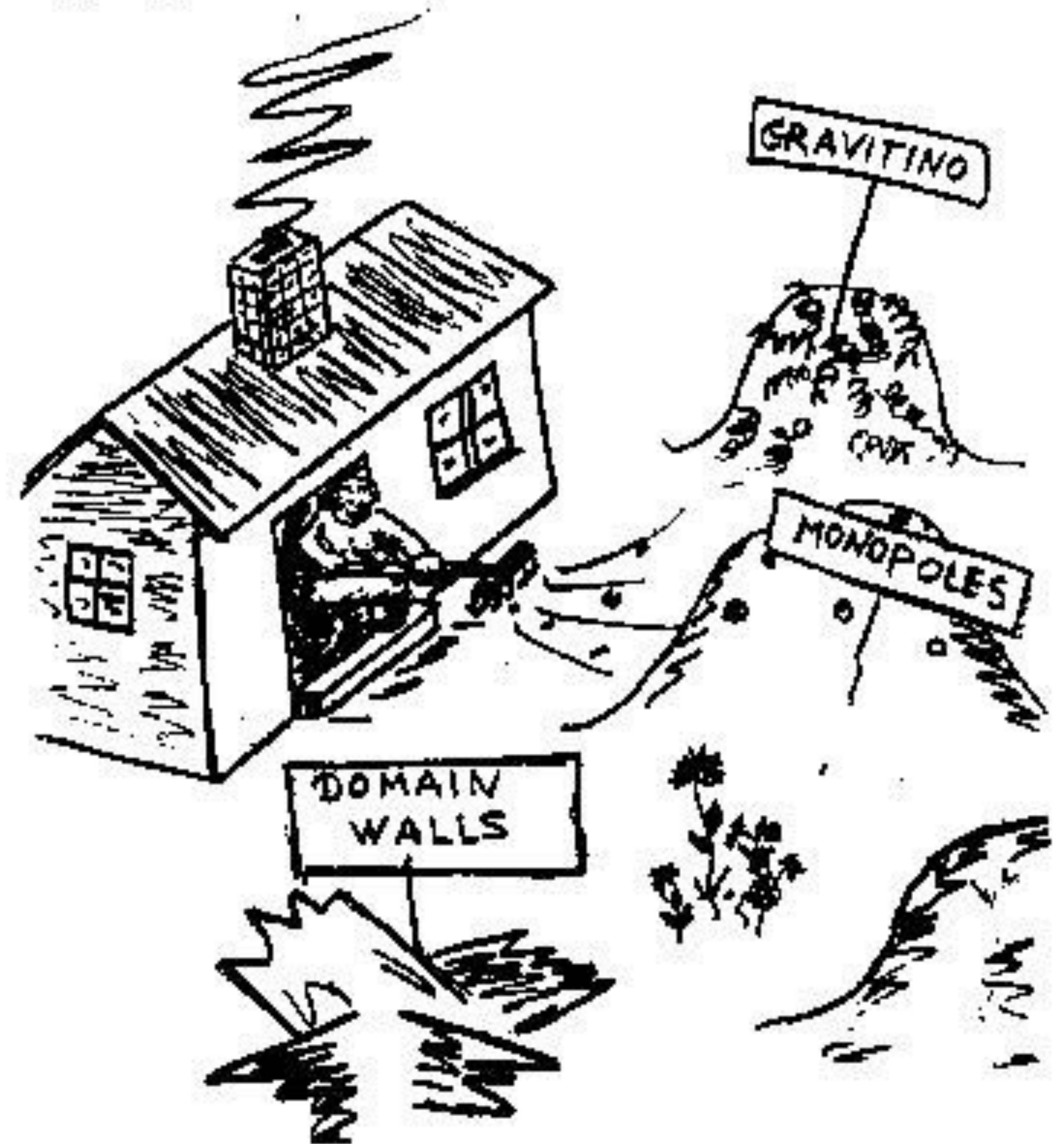


Standard paradigm: inflation!

Phase of accelerated expansion



THE MAIN IDEA OF THE
INFLATIONARY UNIVERSE SCENARIO



Standard Model Failures and inflationary solutions

Singularity

Not solved... actually not addressed!

Horizon

$d_H \equiv a(t) \int_{t_i}^t \frac{d\tau}{a(\tau)}$ can be made as big as one wishes

Flatness

$$\frac{d}{dt} |\Omega - 1| = -2 \frac{\ddot{a}}{\dot{a}^3} \quad \ddot{a} > 0 \quad \& \quad \dot{a} > 0$$

accelerated expansion (**inflation**)

Homogeneity & Isotropy

Initial Universe = very small patch

Accelerated expansion drives the shear to zero...

\implies vacuum state!

+ attractor

Perturbations

Bonus of the theory: superb predictions!!!

- Inflation:**
- 😊 solves cosmological puzzles
 - 😊 uses GR + scalar fields [(semi-)classical]
 - 😊 can be implemented in high energy theories???
 - 😊 makes falsifiable predictions ...
 - 😊 ... consistent with all known observations

Alternative model???

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● Trans-Planckian

$$\exists t; \ell(t) = \ell_0 \frac{a(t)}{a_0} \leq \ell_{\text{Pl}}$$

● Hierarchy (amplitude)?

$$\frac{V(\varphi)}{\Delta\varphi^4} \leq 10^{-12}$$

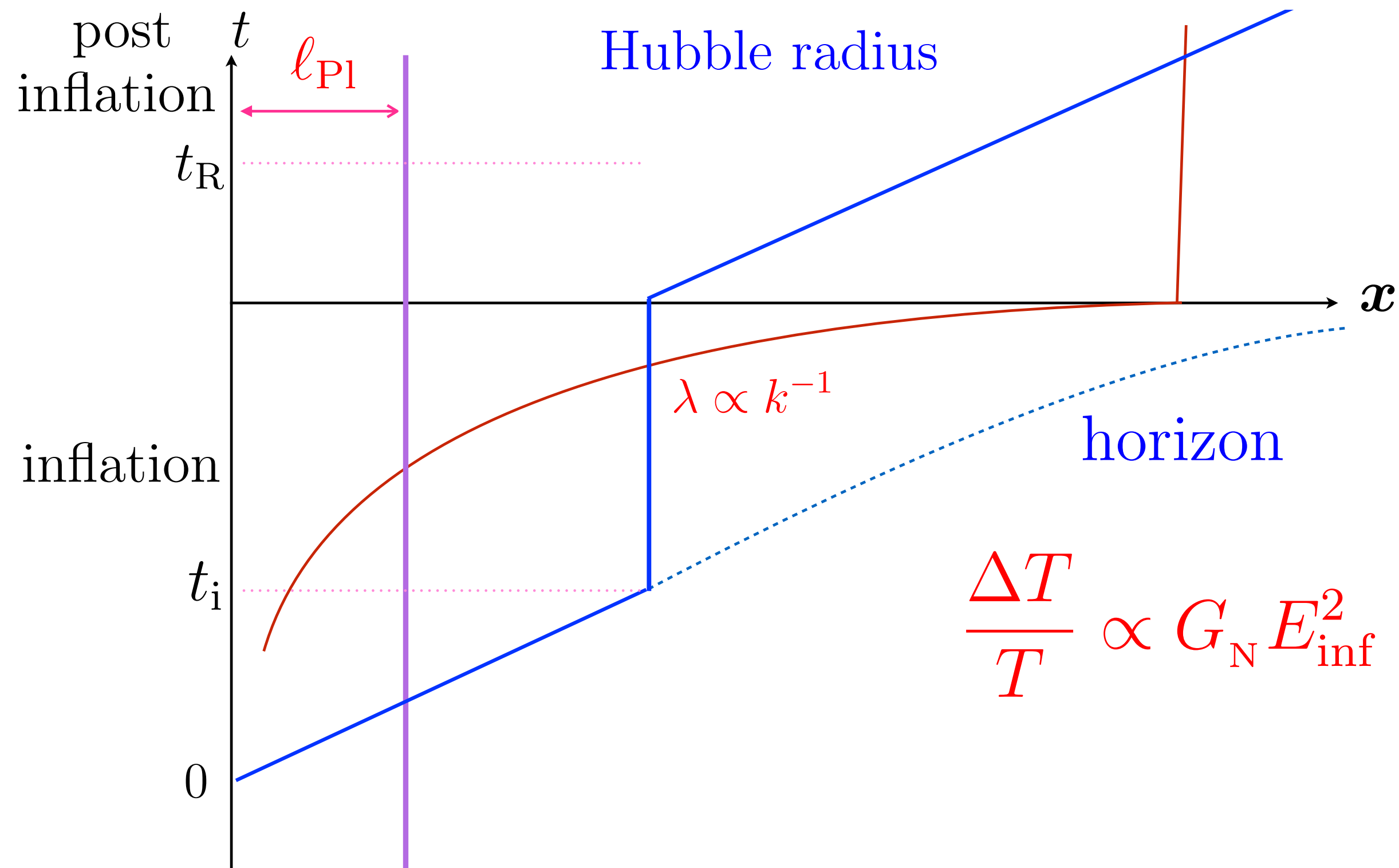
● Classical GR?

$$\frac{\Delta T}{T} \propto G_{\text{N}} E_{\text{inf}}^2 \sim \left(\frac{E_{\text{inf}}}{M_{\text{Pl}}} \right)^2 \rightarrow E_{\text{inf}} \simeq 10^{-3} M_{\text{Pl}}$$

● η problem & Lyth bound

● Initial condition & entropy

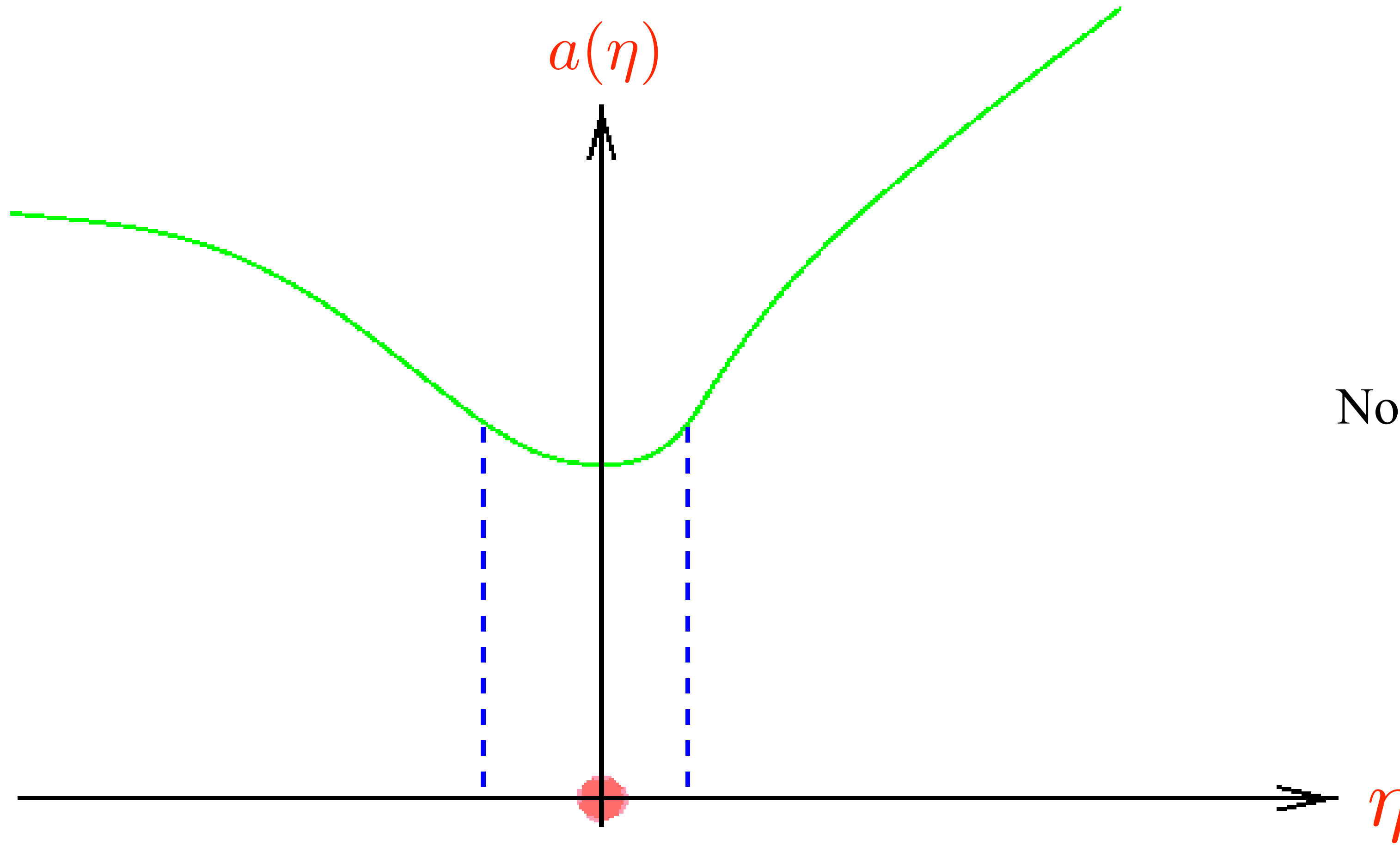
● Eternal inflation & measure (anthropic)



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- singularity, initial conditions & homogeneity
 - string based ideas (PBB, other brane models, string gas, ...)
 - Quantum gravity / cosmology
 - provide challengers / new ingredients!
- bouncing cosmology



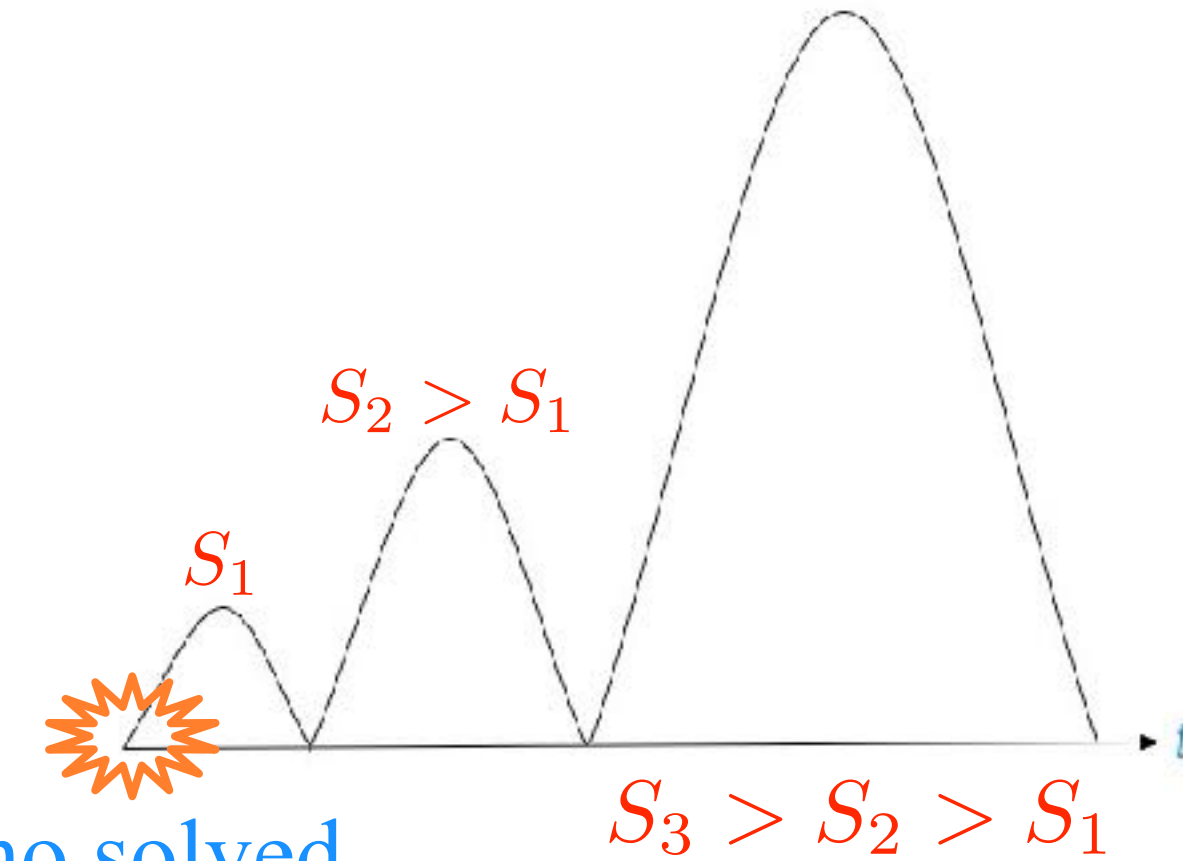
Non singular bounce

A brief history of bouncing cosmology

→ R. C. Tolman, “*On the Theoretical Requirements for a Periodic Behaviour of the Universe*”, PRD 38, 1758 (1931)

→ G. Lemaître, “*L’Univers en expansion*”, Ann. Soc. Sci. Bruxelles (1933)

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Singularity pb no solved

→ A. A. Starobinsky, “*On one non-singular isotropic cosmological model*”, Sov. Astron. Lett. 4, 82 (1978)

→ V. N. Melnikov, S.V. Orlov, Phys. Lett. A 70, 263 (1979).

→ M. Novello & J. M. Salim, Phys. Rev. D20, 377 (1979).

→ R. Durrer & J. Laukerman, “*The oscillating Universe: an alternative to inflation*”, Class. Quantum Grav. 13, 1069 (1996)

→ Many new ideas, models...

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→ D. Battefeld & PP, “*A Critical Review of Classical Bouncing Cosmologies*”, Phys. Rep. 571, 1 (2015)

→ R. Brandenberger & PP, “*Bouncing cosmologies: Progress and problems*”, Found. Phys. (2017)

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accelerated expansion (**inflation**) or decelerated contraction (**bounce**)

Homogeneity

Large & flat Universe + low initial density + diffusion

$$\frac{t_{\text{dissipation}}}{t_{\text{Hubble}}} \propto \frac{\lambda}{R_H^{1/3}} \left(1 + \frac{\lambda}{AR_H^2} \right) \implies \text{enough time to dissipate any wavelength}$$

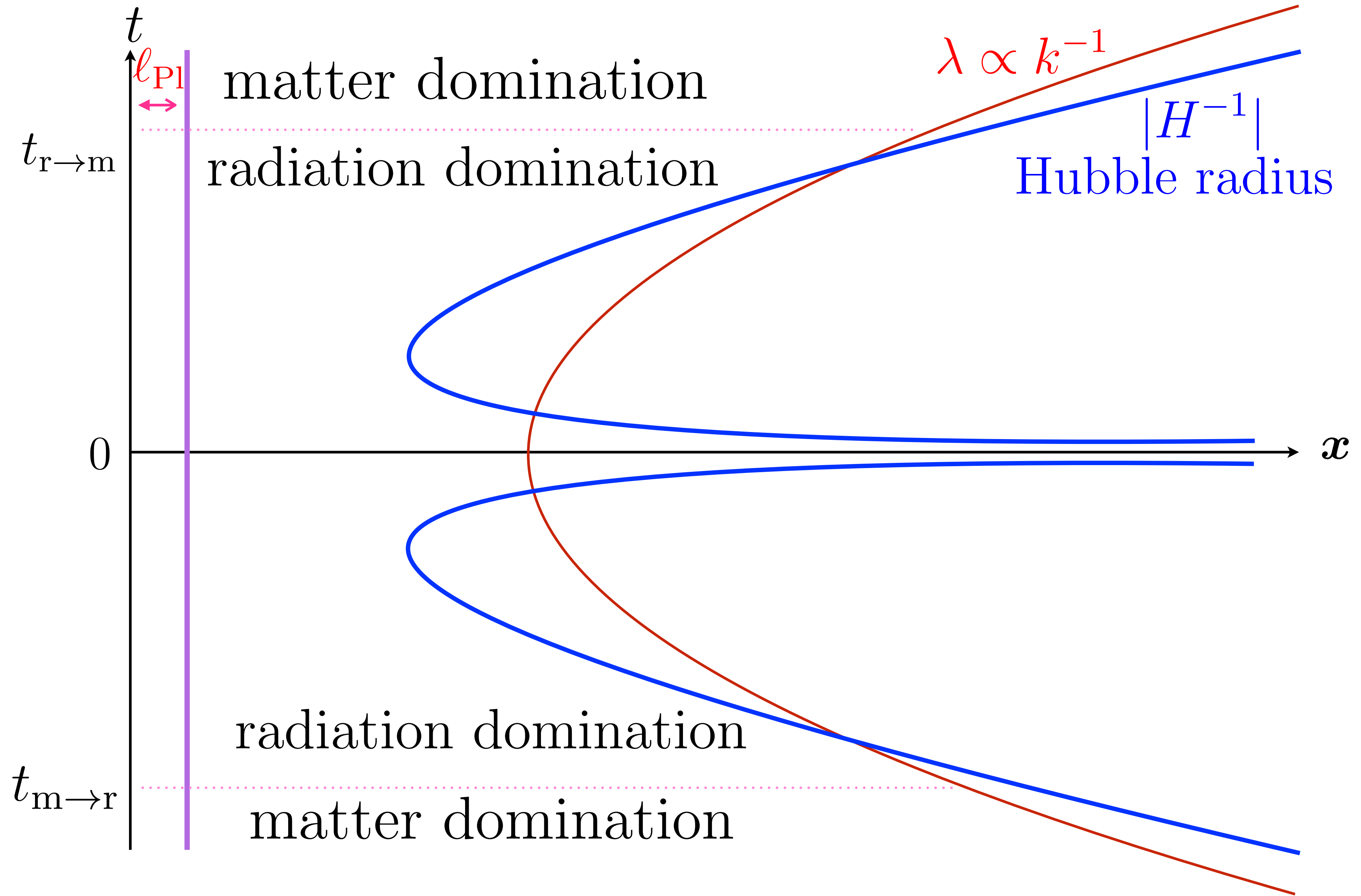
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$$d_{\text{H}}^{\text{cont}} = \frac{3(1+w)}{1+3w} t_{\text{end}} \left[1 - \left(\frac{t_{\text{ini}}}{t_{\text{end}}} \right)^{(1+3w)/[3(1+w)]} \right]$$

$$t_{\text{ini}} \rightarrow -\infty$$

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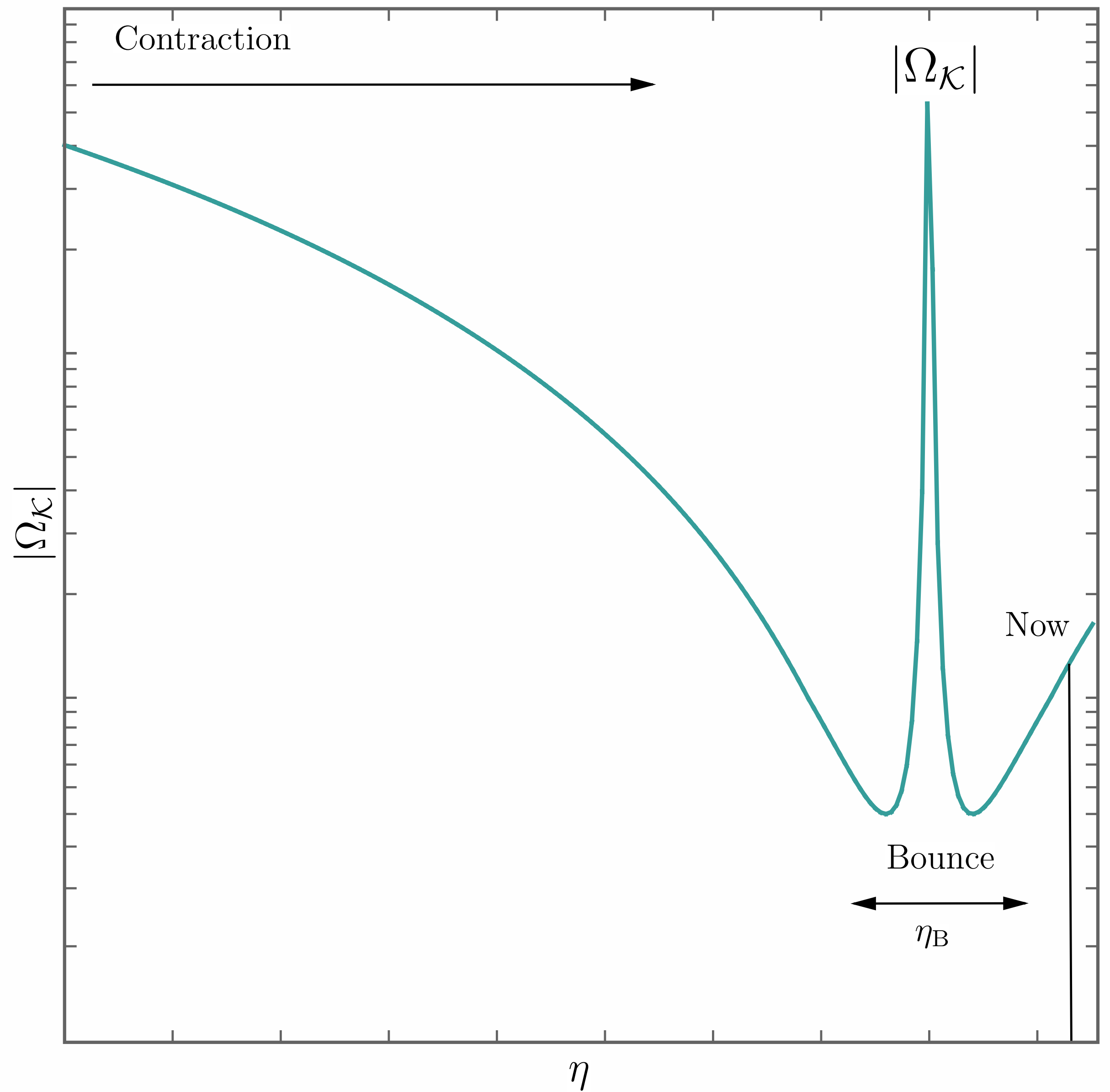
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$$H^2 = \frac{1}{3} \left[-\frac{3\mathcal{K}}{a^2} + \frac{\rho_{m0}}{a^3} + \frac{\rho_{r0}}{a^4} + \frac{\rho_{\theta 0}}{a^6} + \dots + \frac{\rho_{\phi 0}}{a^{3(1+w_\phi)}} \right]$$

Critical density

$$\rho_c \equiv \frac{3H^2}{8\pi G_N} \implies \Omega \equiv \frac{\rho}{\rho_c}$$

Density parameter



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Implementing a bounce

Quantized scalar field effect model:

Parker & Fulling '73: massive scalar field, if $\langle a^\dagger a \rangle \gg 1$, then solution ($\kappa > 0$)

$$a(t) = \left(\frac{|B_2|^2 - |B_1|^2}{4m^2 |B_2|^2} + \frac{8\pi G m^2 |B_2|^2 t^2}{3} \right)^{1/2};$$

Coherence of the quantum state crucial

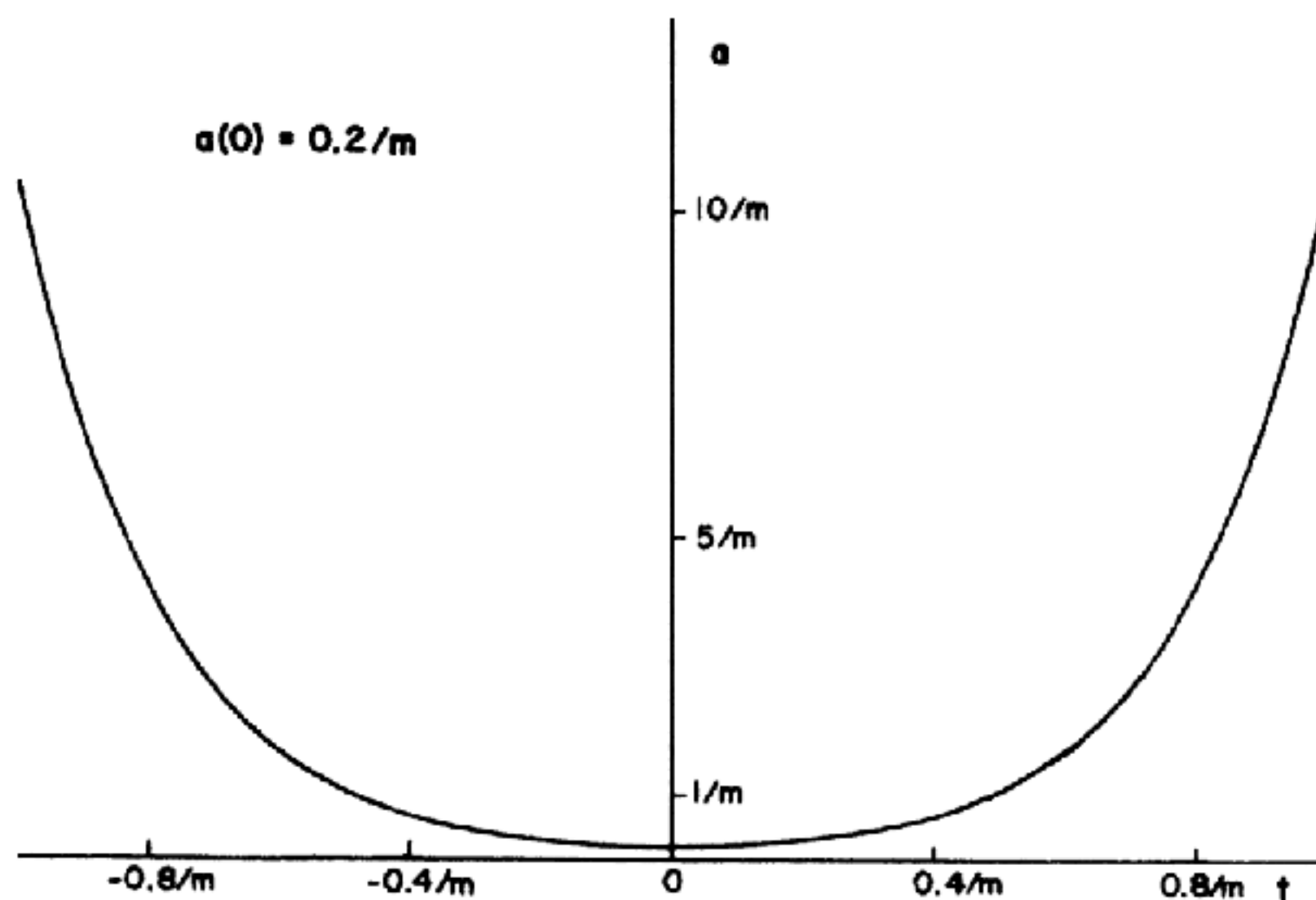


FIG. 1. Solution with $a(0) = 0.2m^{-1}$: time-symmetric expansion from the minimum radius.

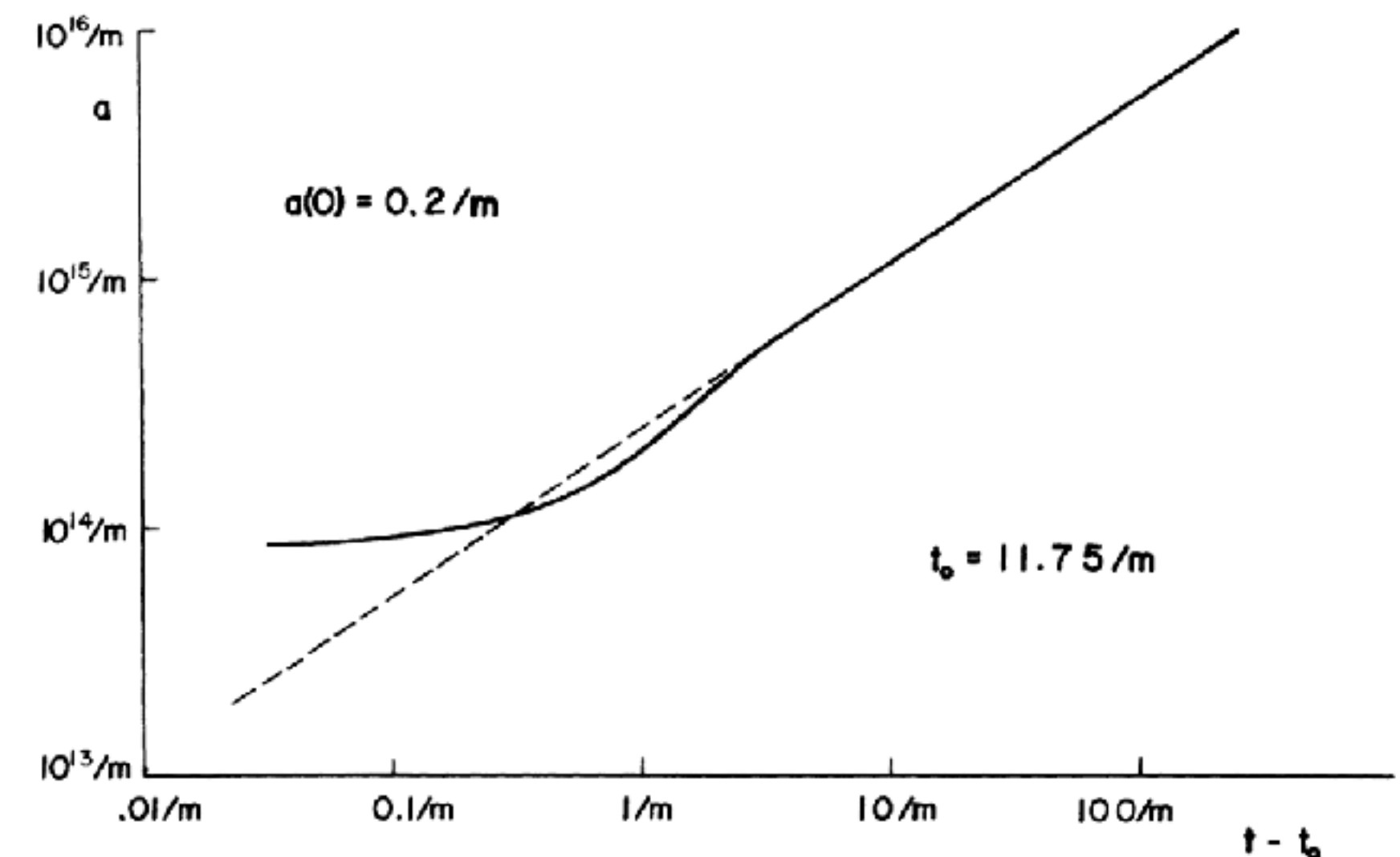


FIG. 2. Solution with $a(0) = 0.2m^{-1}$ (solid curve): approach to a Friedmann solution (dashed curve). The horizontal and vertical scales are logarithmic, and the time origin has been shifted to the initial singularity of the Friedmann curve, so that the latter becomes a straight line of slope $\frac{2}{3}$. (The deviation of the Friedmann solution from the $a \propto t^{2/3}$ law due to the three-space curvature of the closed universe is negligible in the range of t plotted.)

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Model listing:

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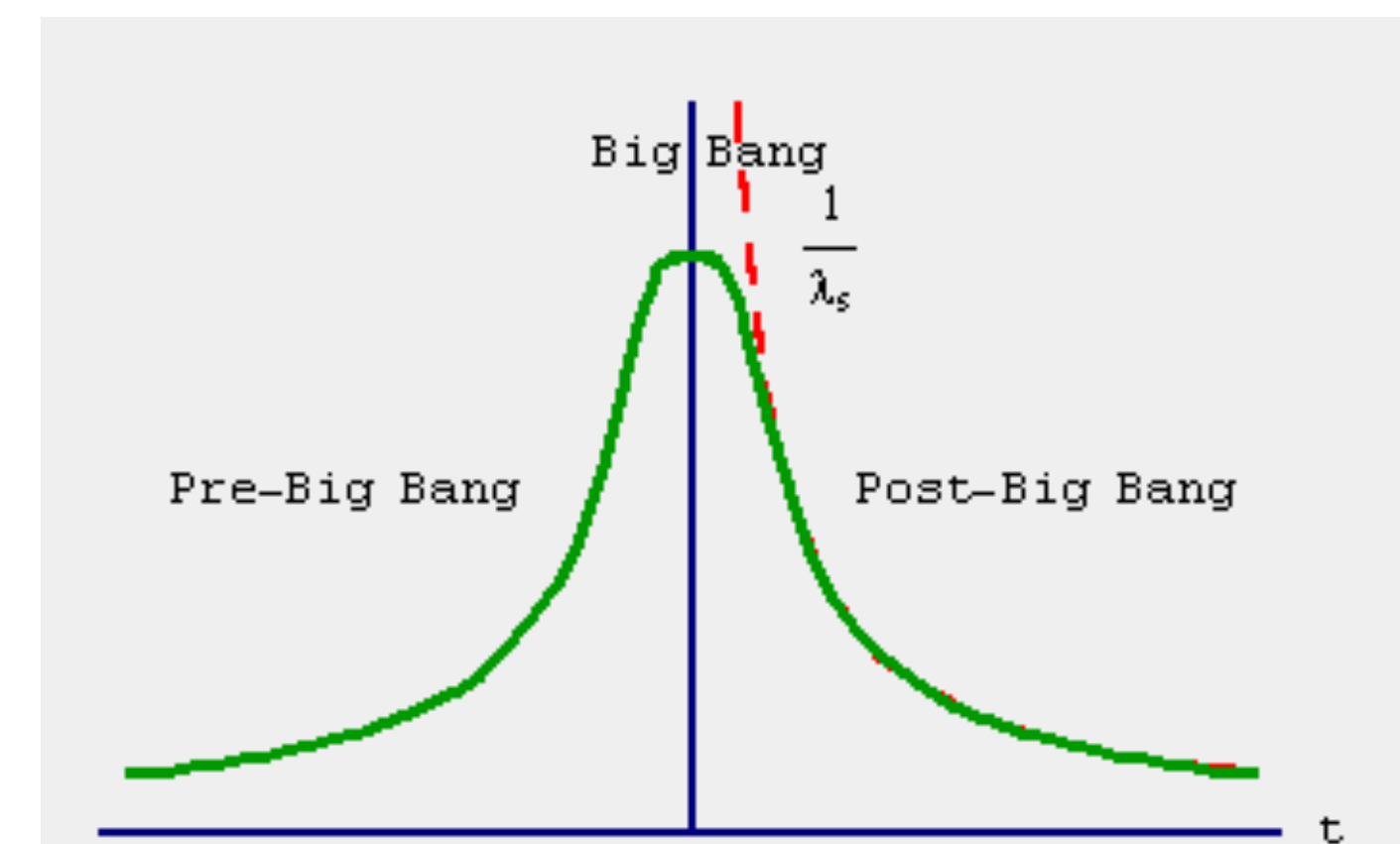
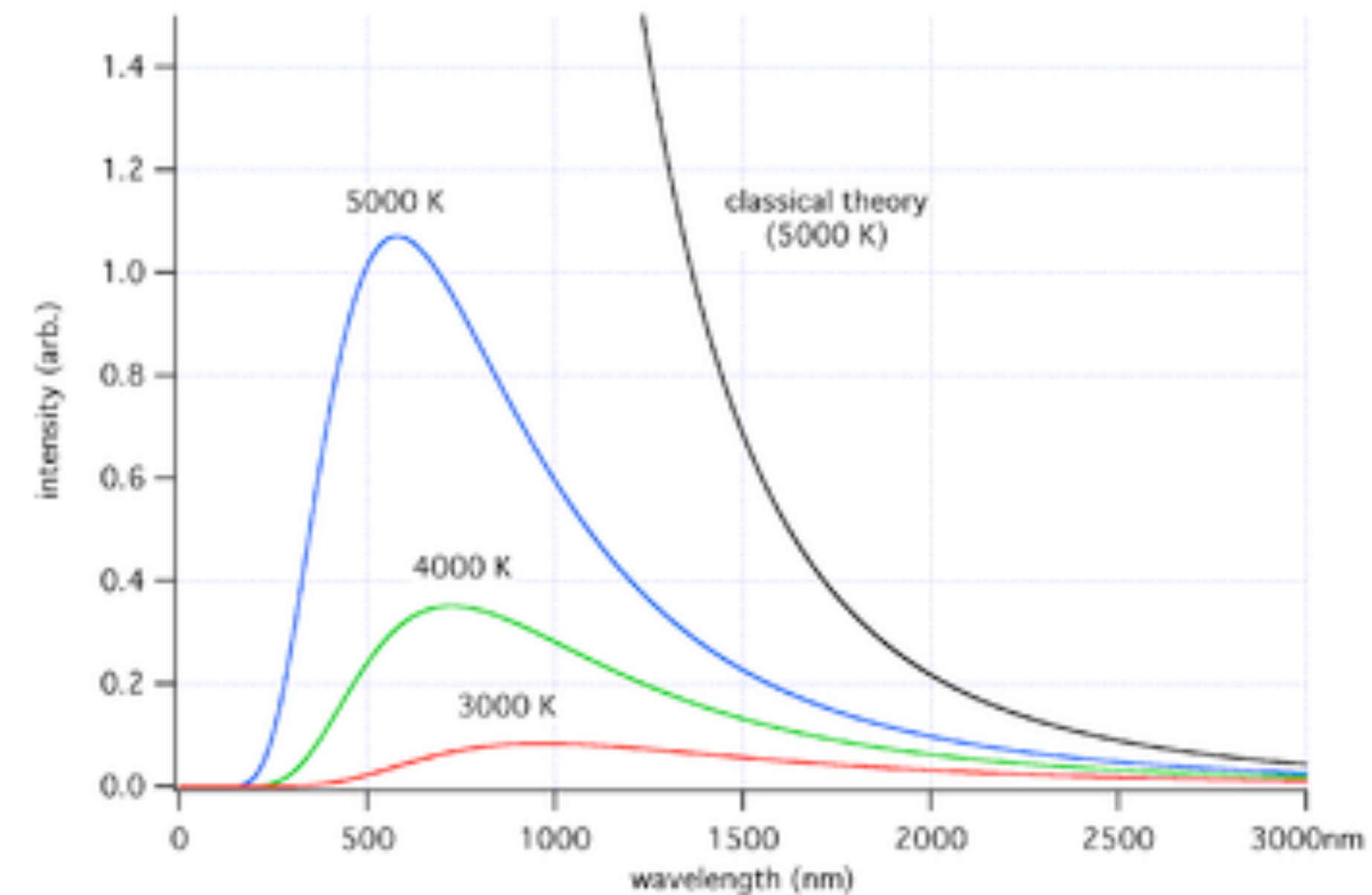
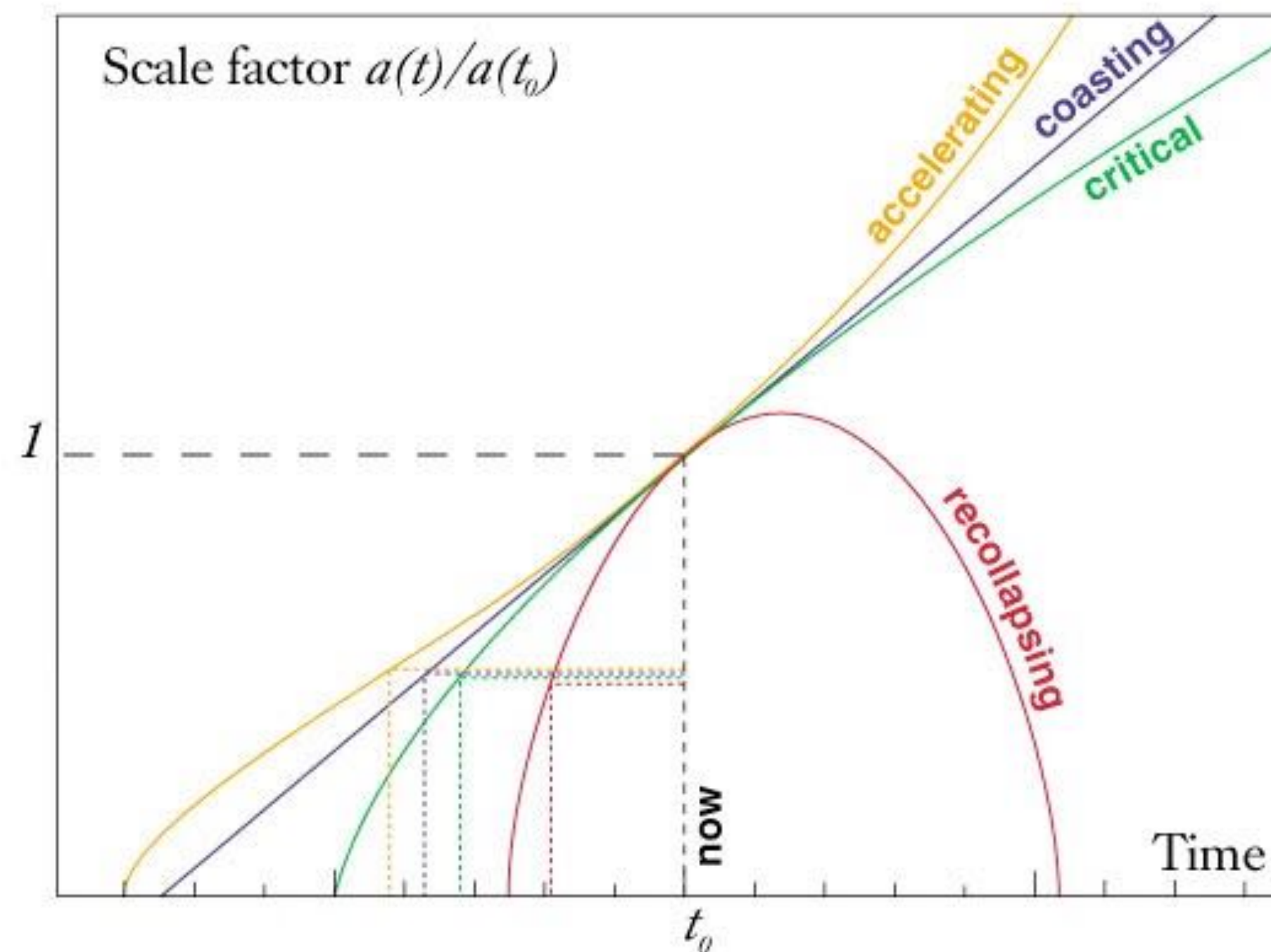
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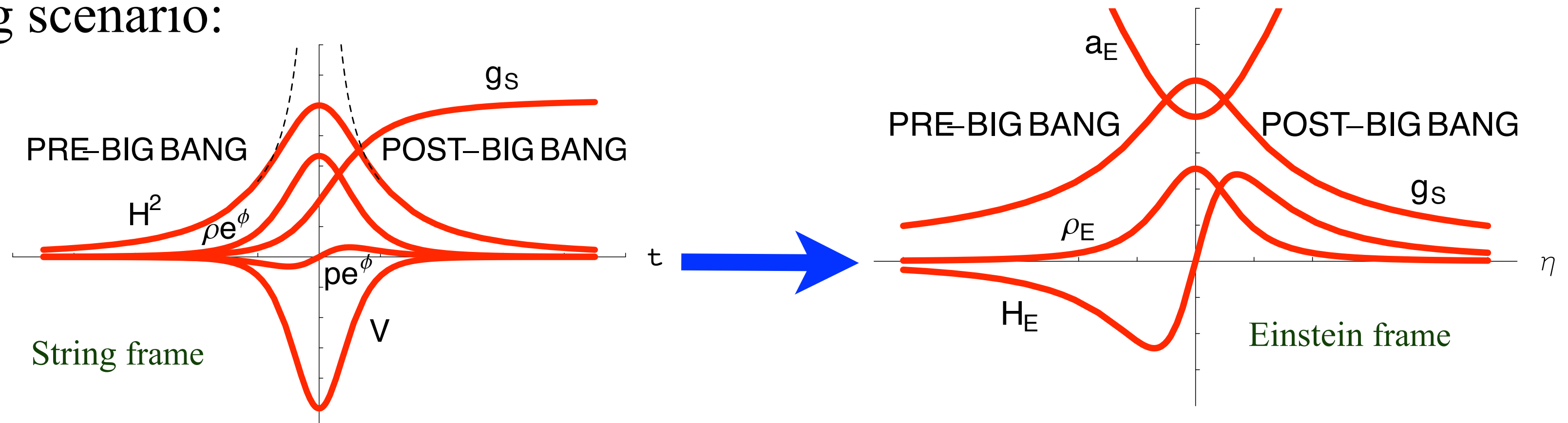
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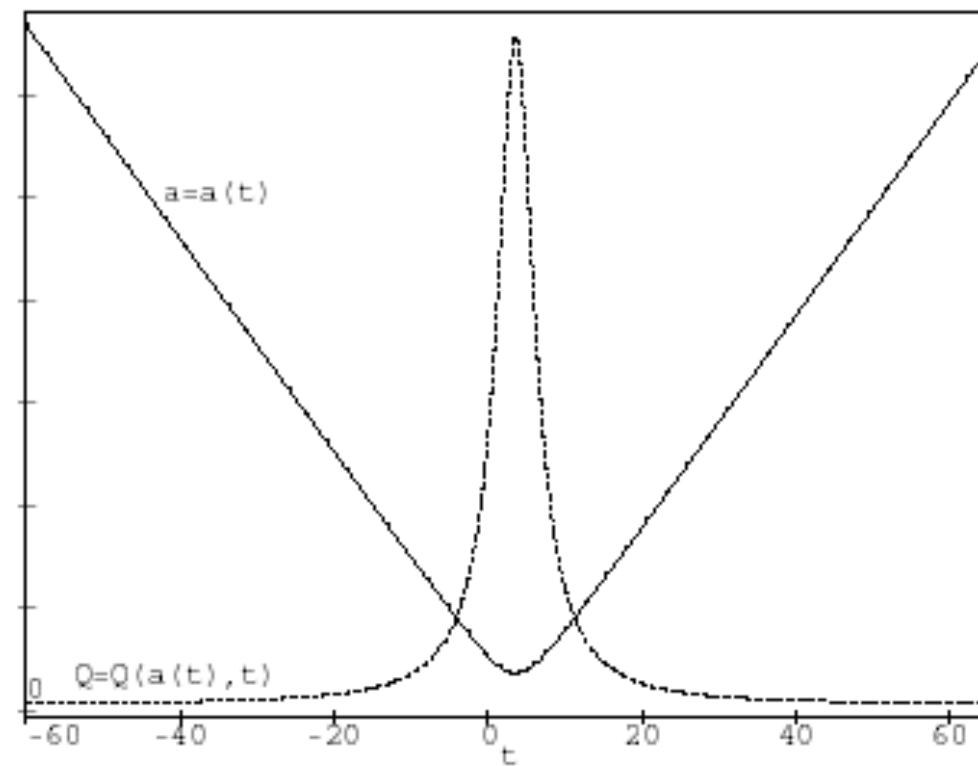
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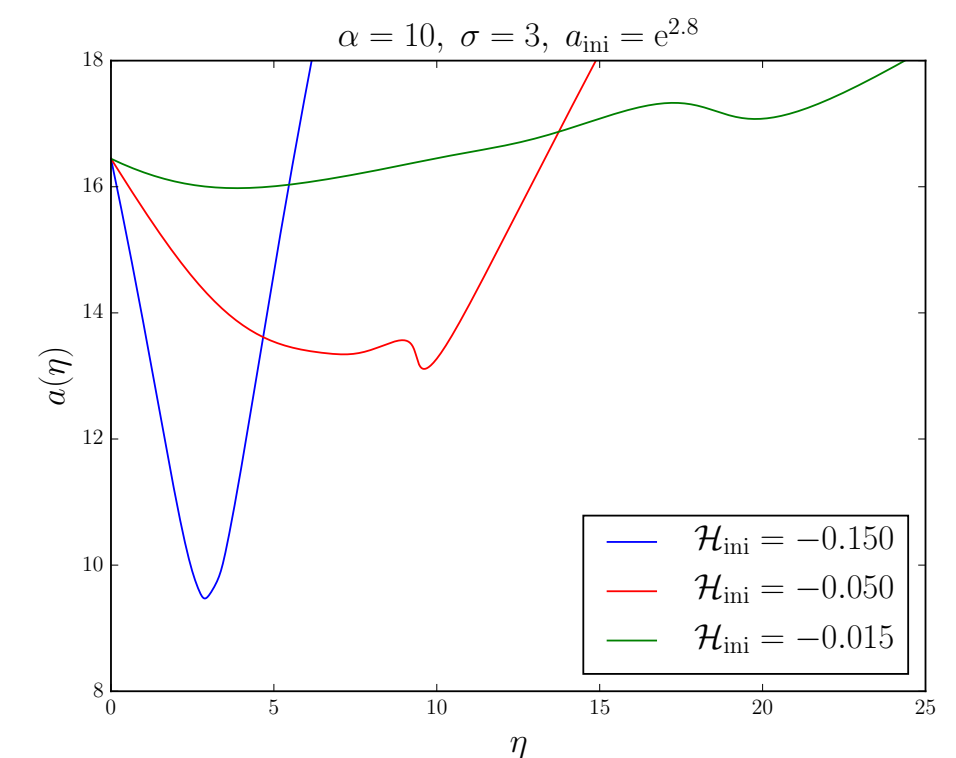
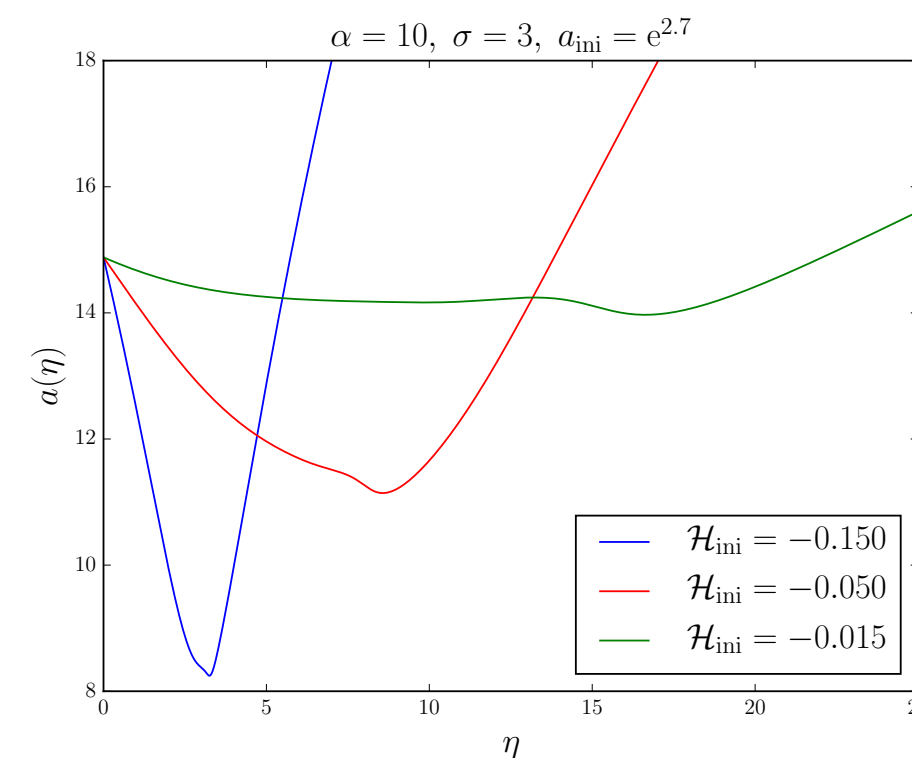
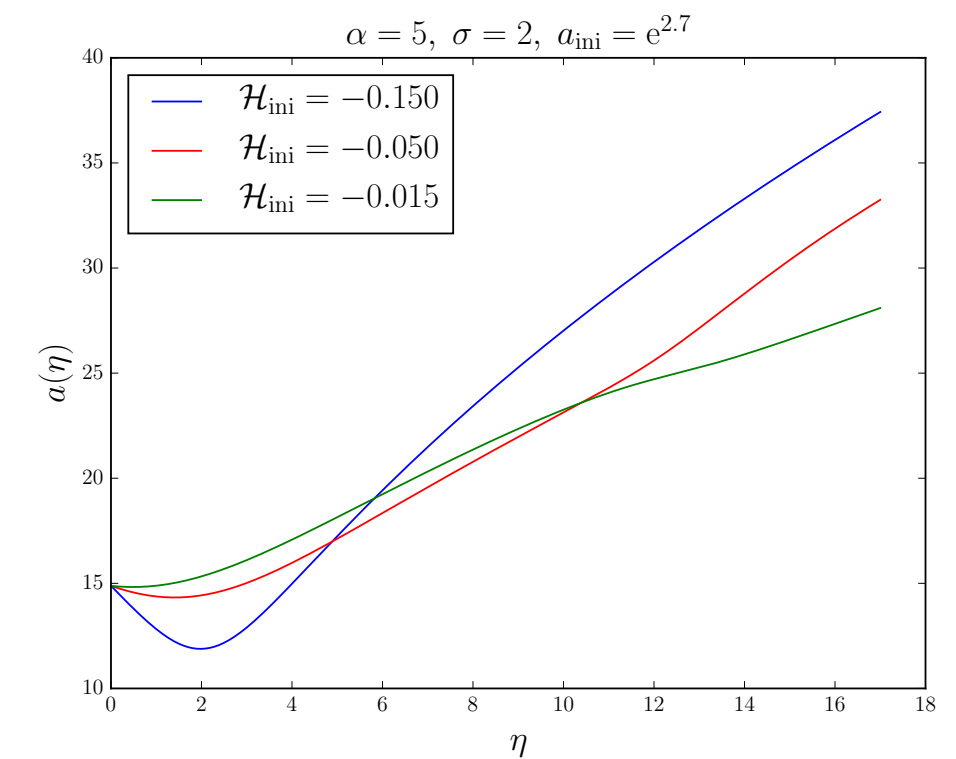
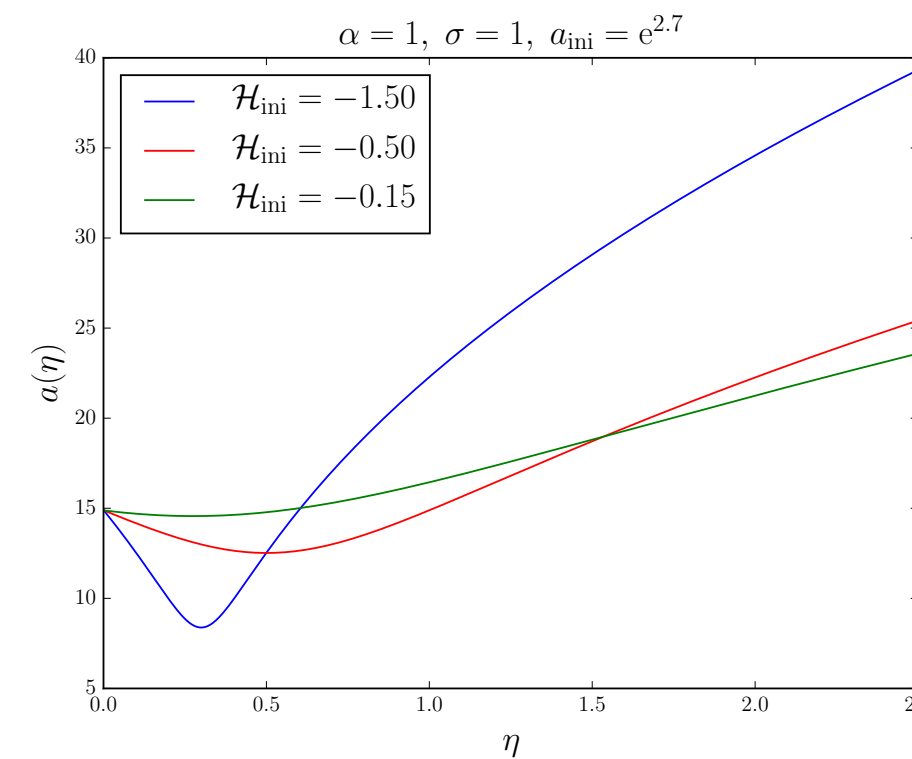


quantum cosmology:



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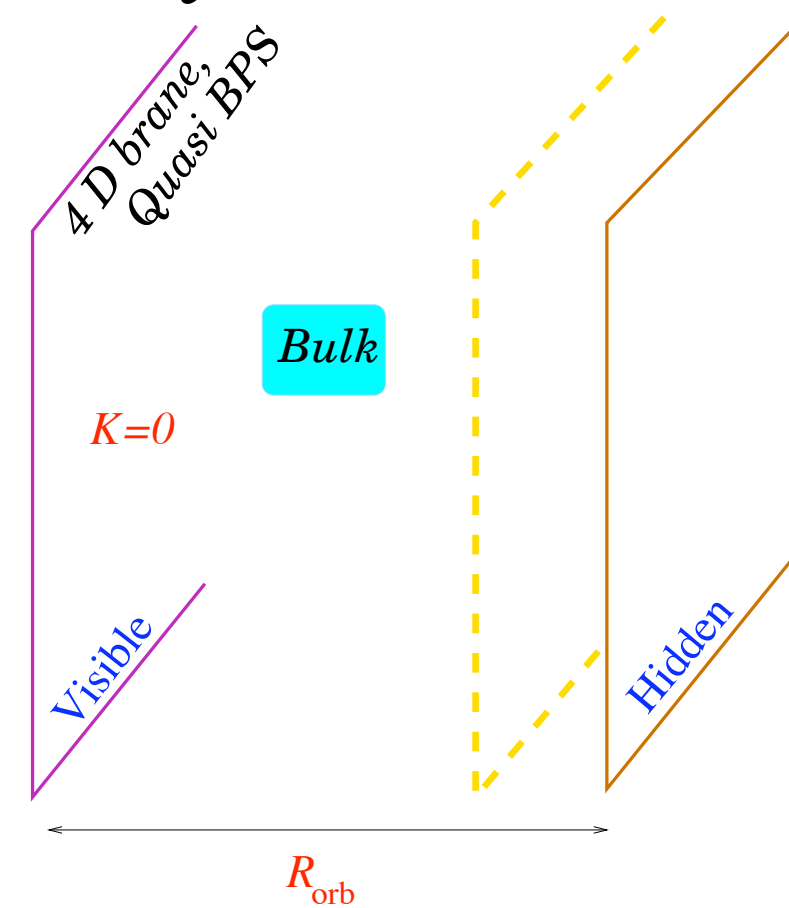
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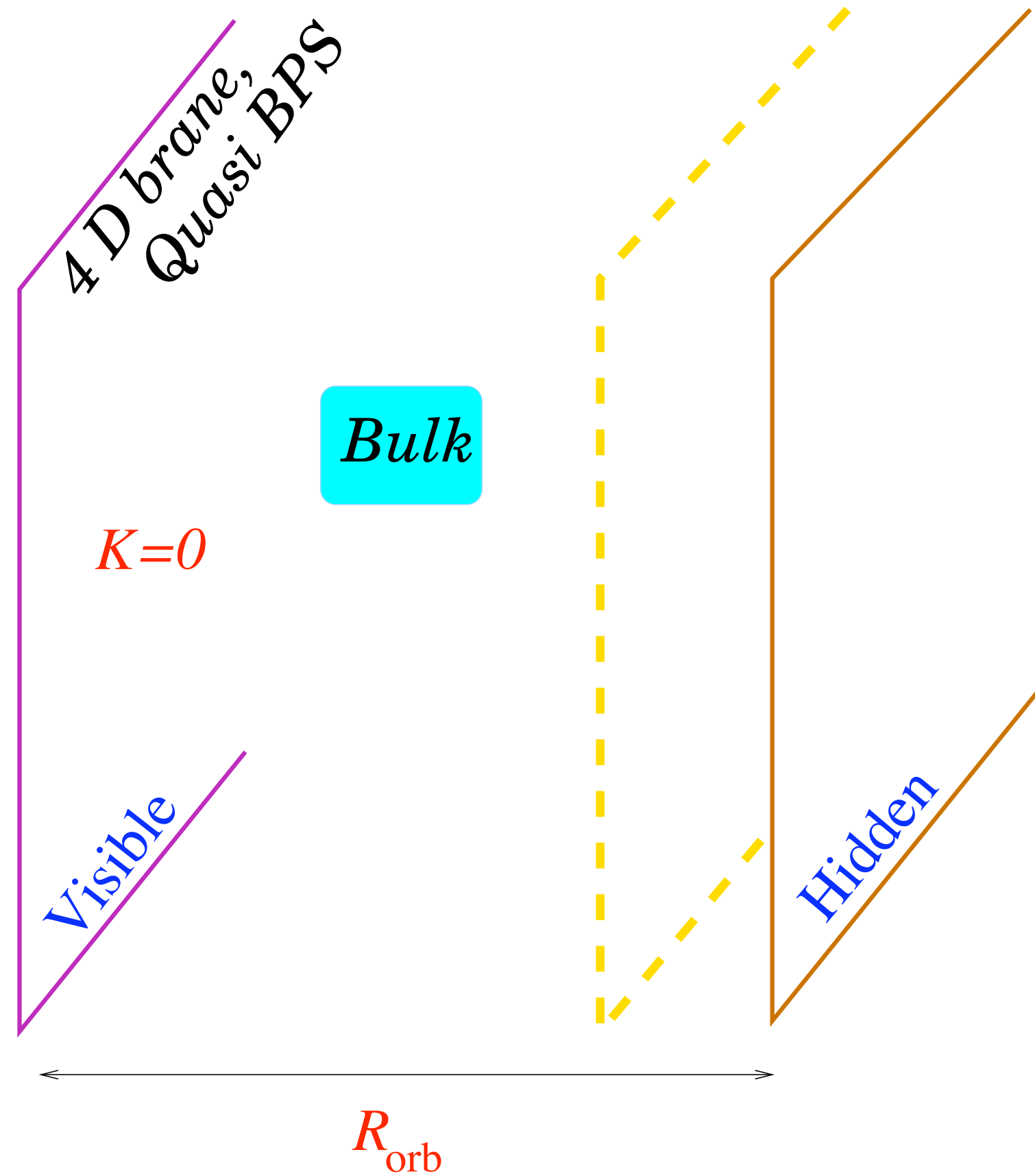
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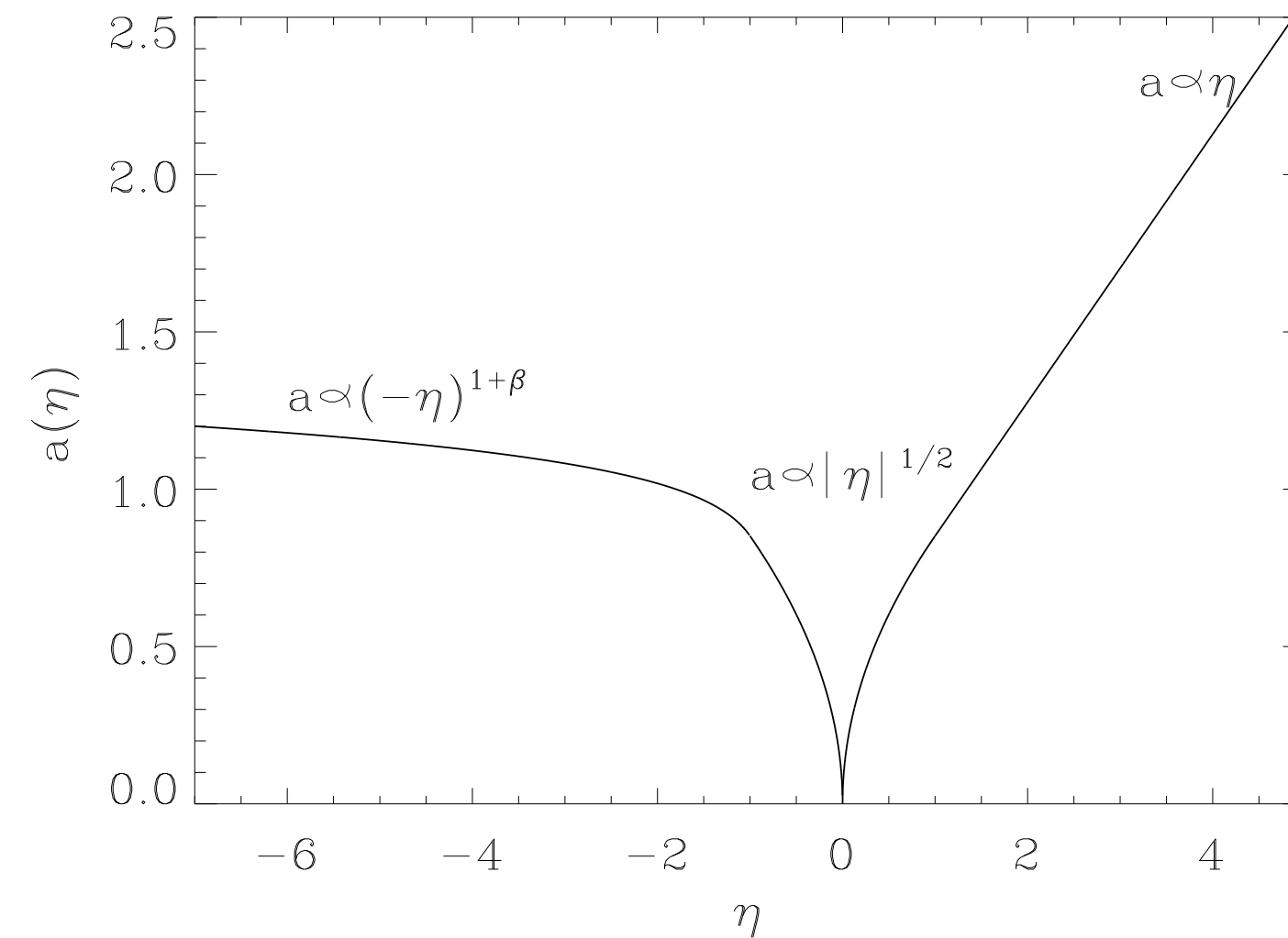
Ekpyrotic scenario:



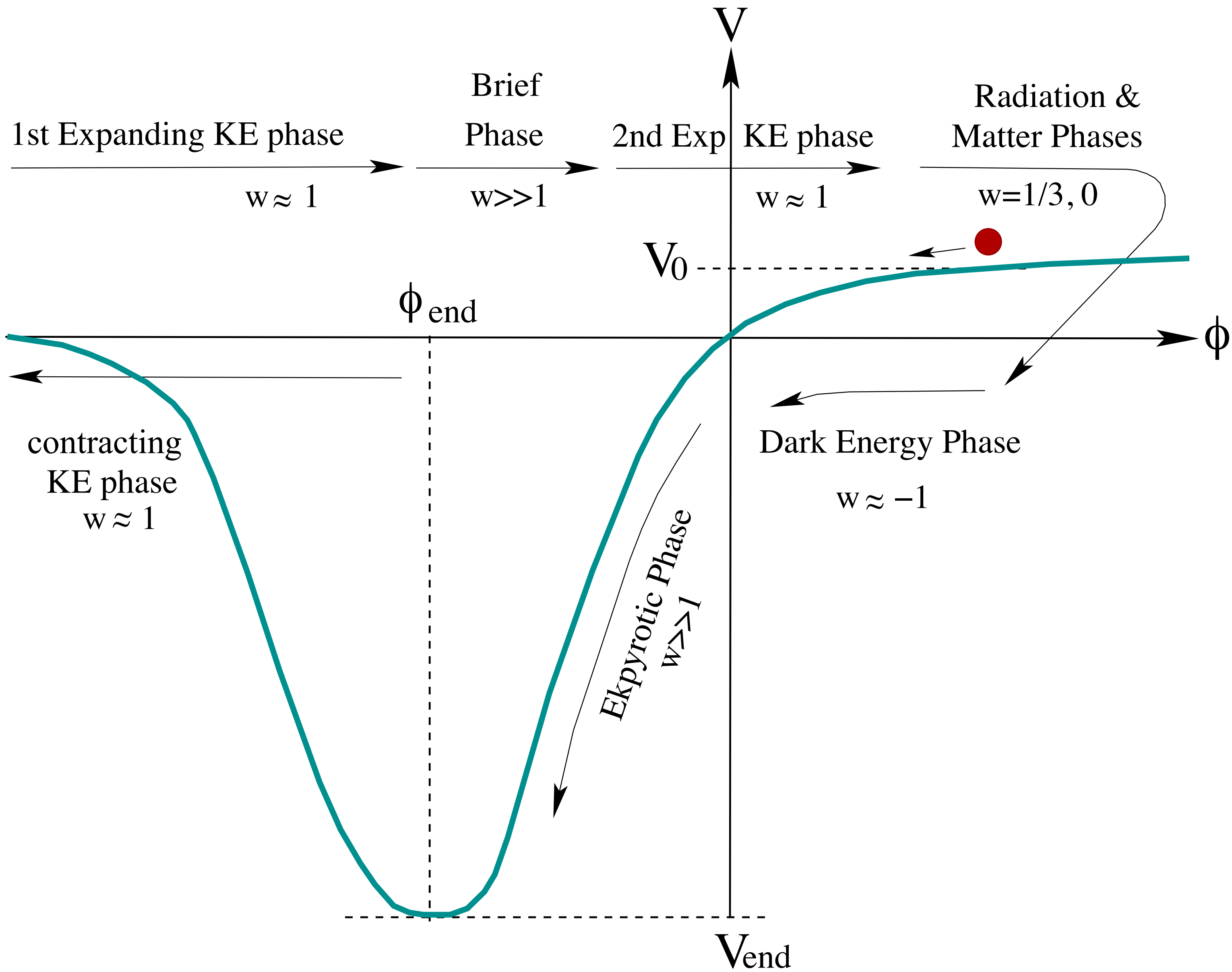
$$\mathcal{S}_5 \propto \int_{\mathcal{M}_5} d^5x \sqrt{-g_5} \left[R_{(5)} - \frac{1}{2} (\partial\varphi)^2 - \frac{3}{2} \frac{e^{2\varphi} \mathcal{F}^2}{5!} \right],$$

$$\mathcal{S}_4 = \int_{\mathcal{M}_4} d^4x \sqrt{-g_4} \left[\frac{R_{(4)}}{2\kappa} - \frac{1}{2} (\partial\phi)^2 - V(\phi) \right],$$

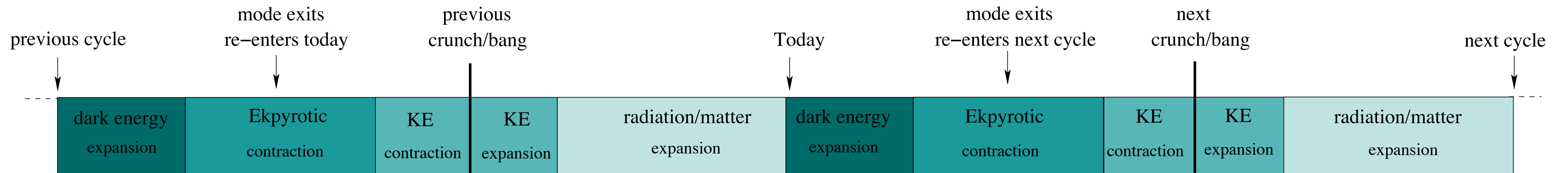
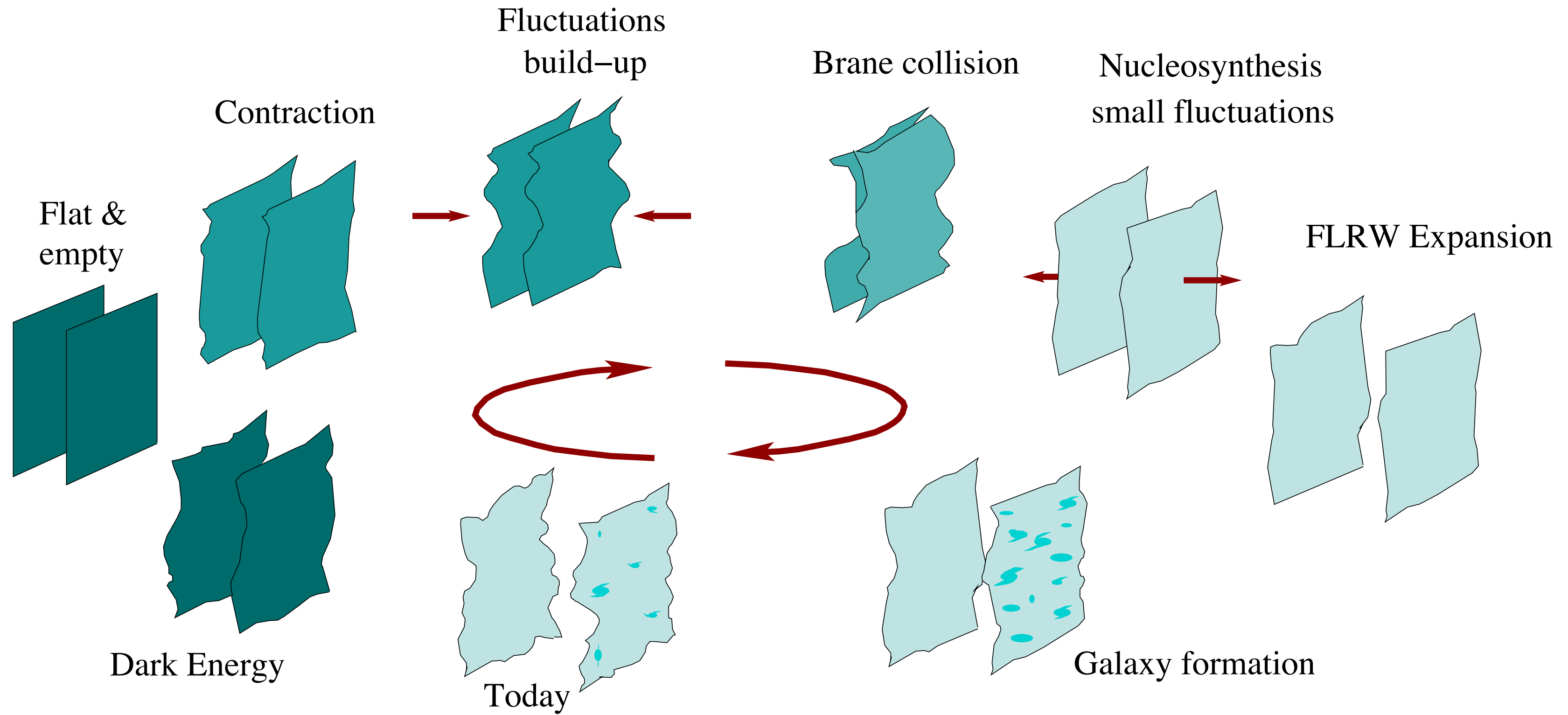
$$V(\varphi) = -V_i \exp \left[-\frac{4\sqrt{\pi\gamma}}{m_{Pl}} (\varphi - \varphi_i) \right],$$



BOUNCE



Cyclic extension



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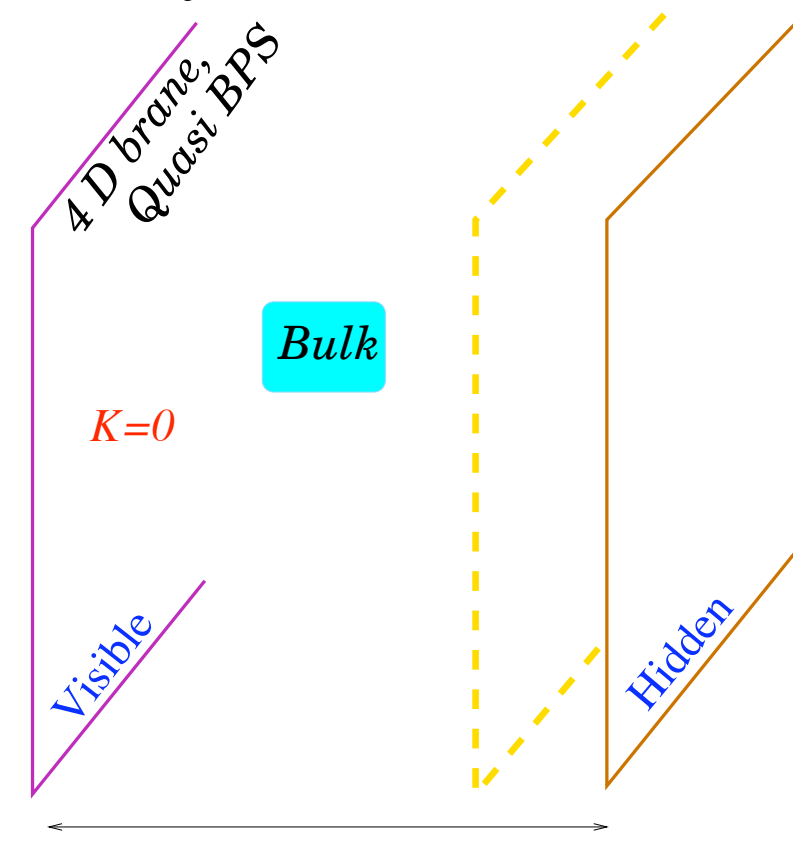
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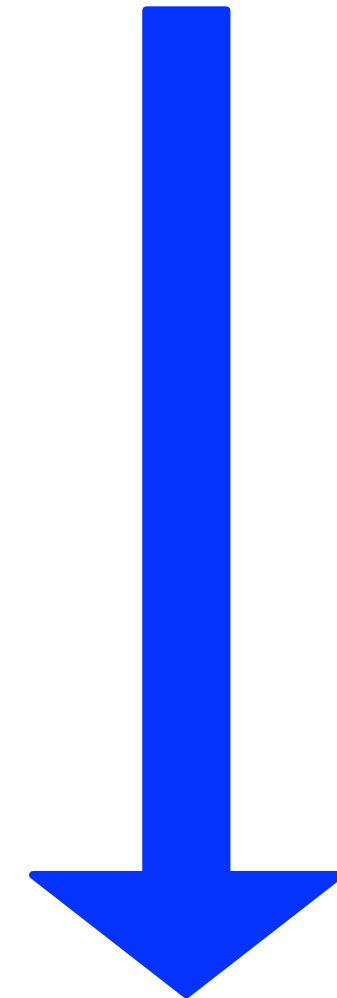
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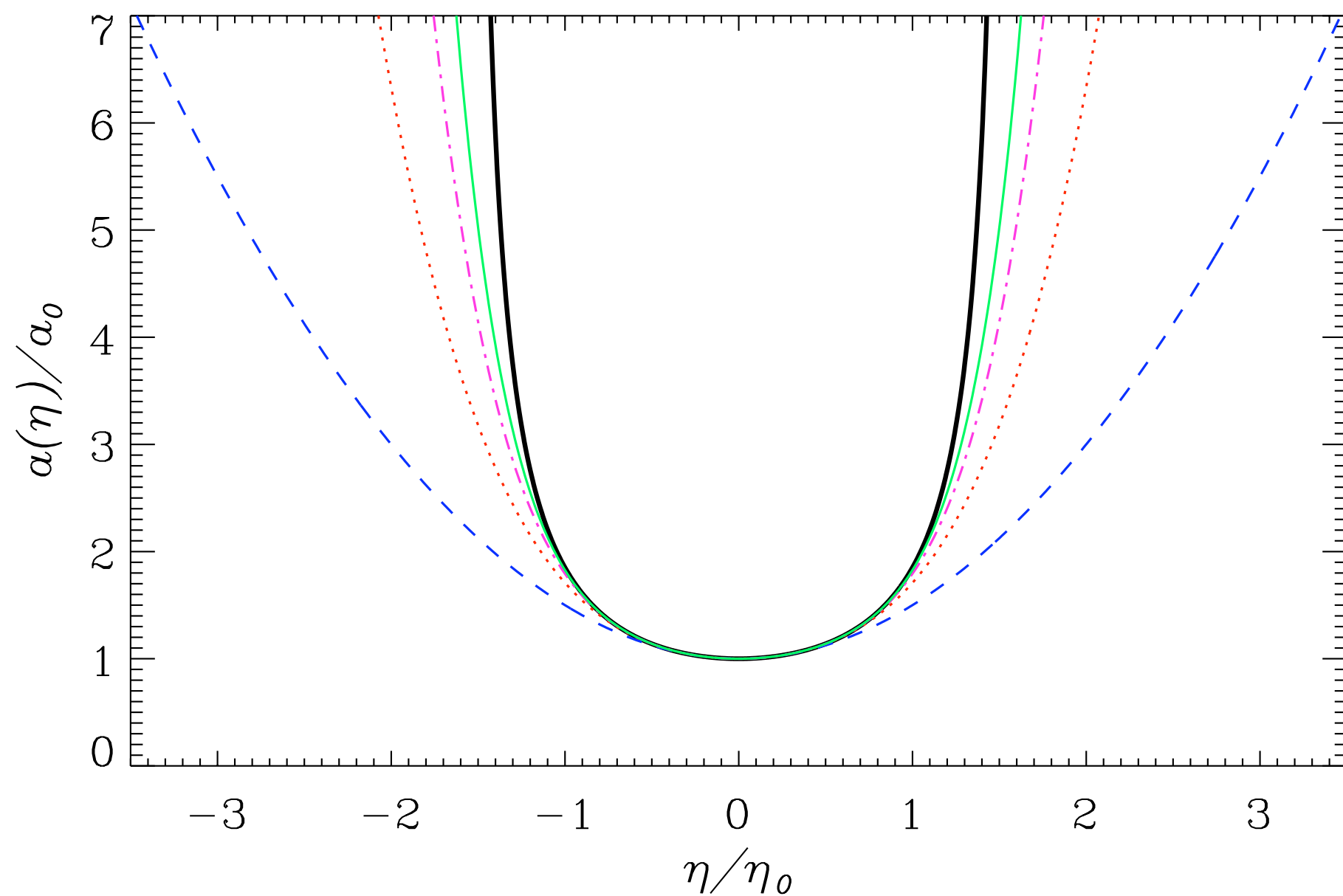
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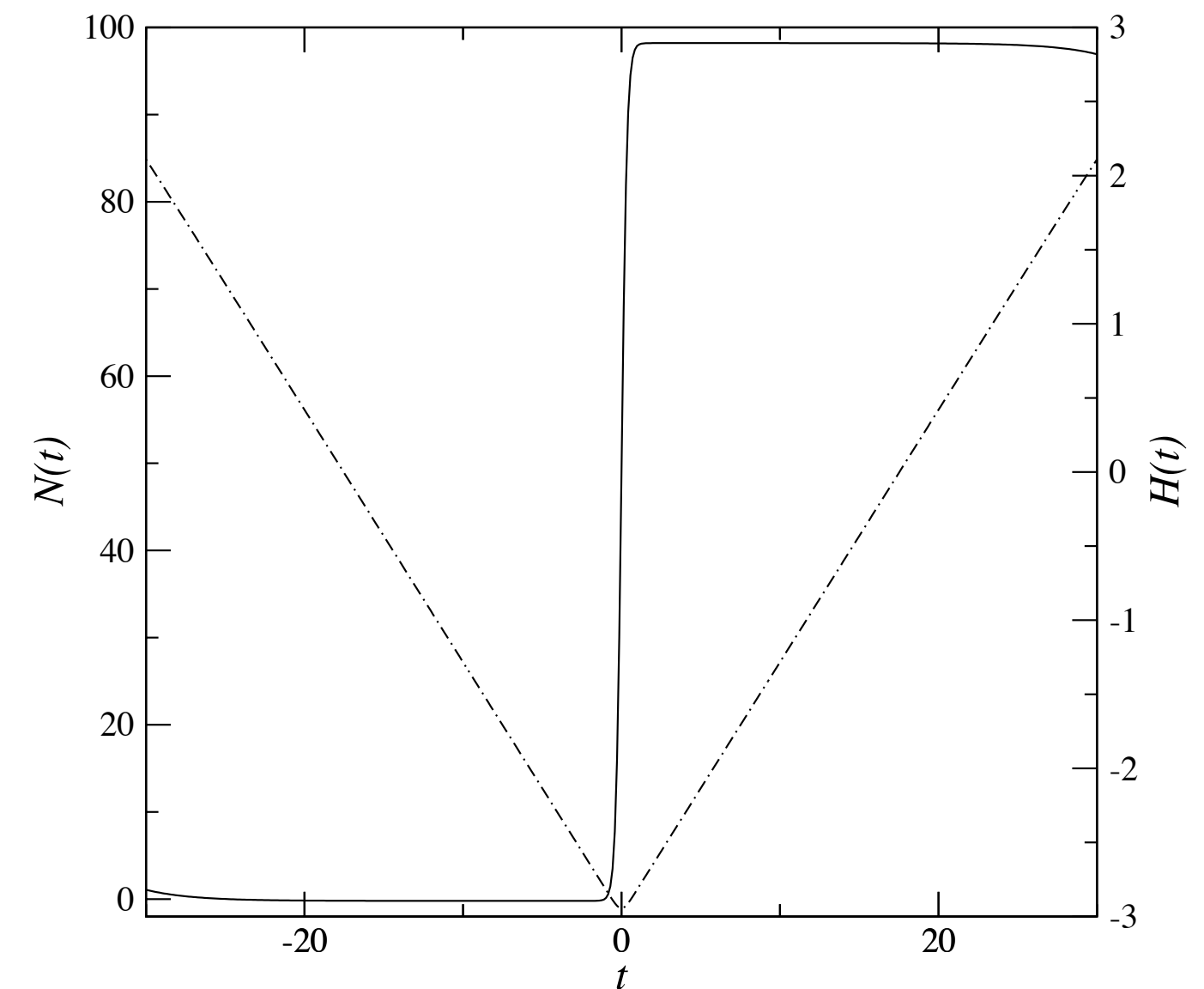
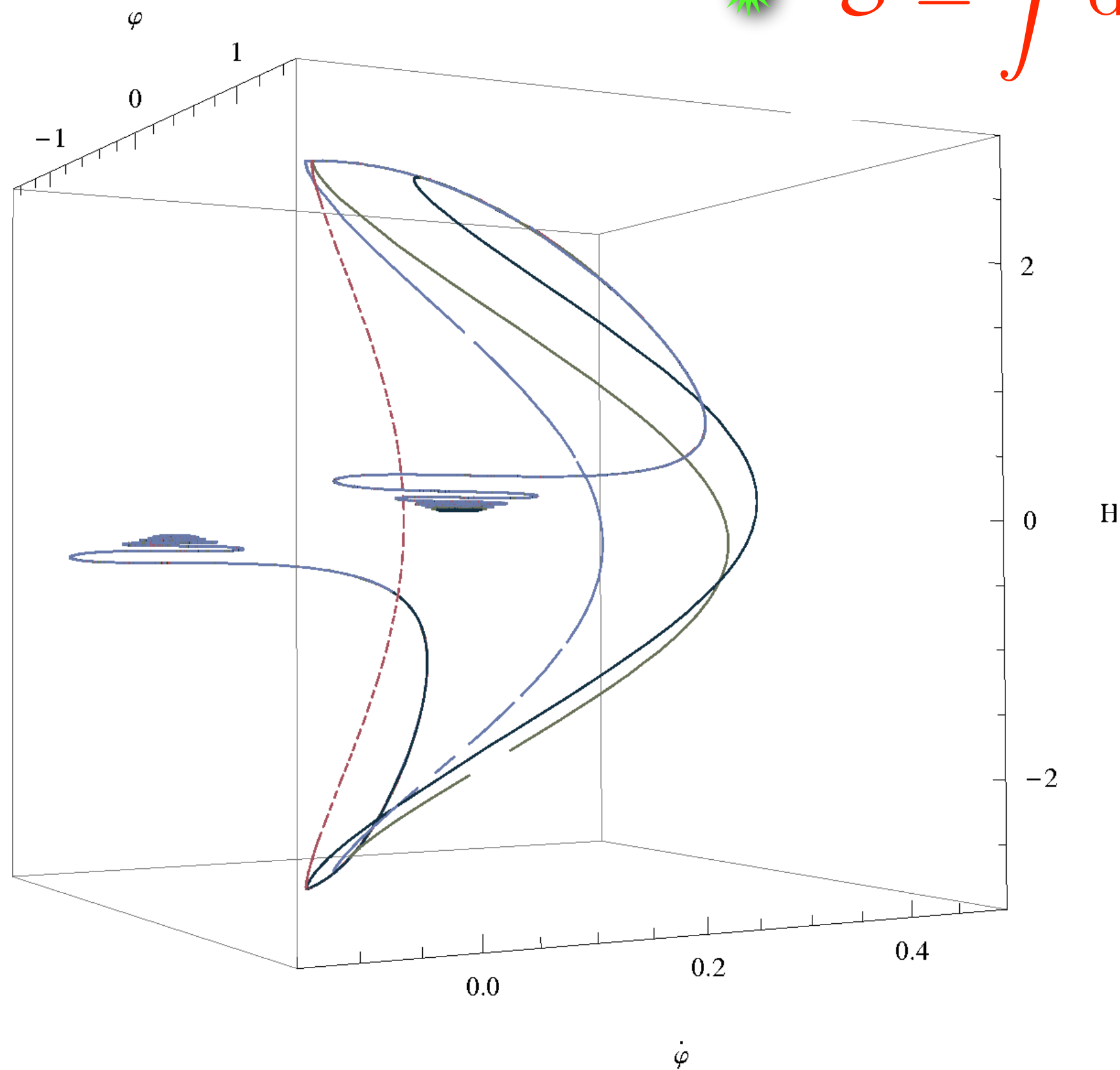
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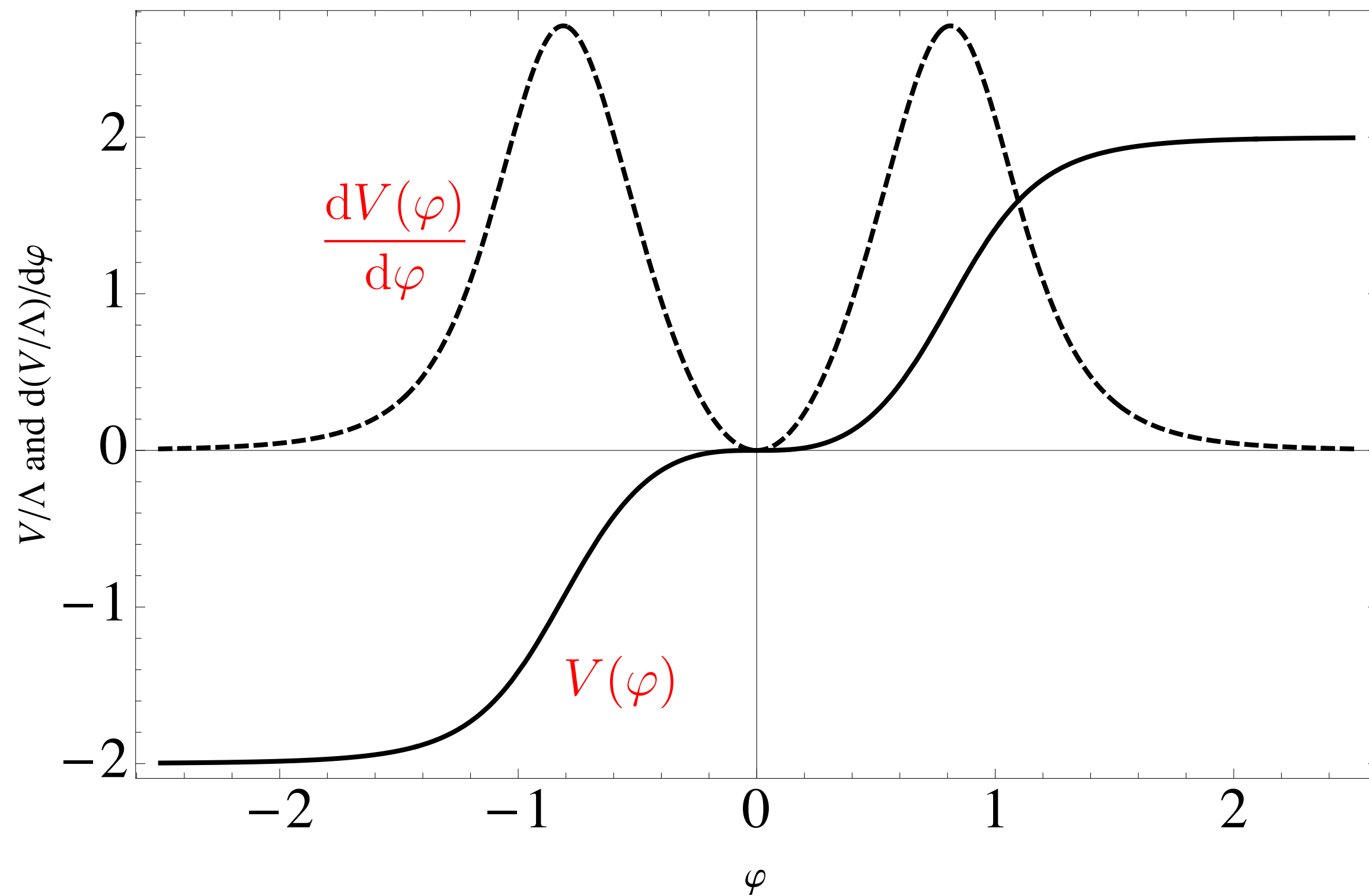
Add new terms?

K-bounce, Ghost condensates, Galileons...?

→ Modify GR to non singular theories (curvature invariants)

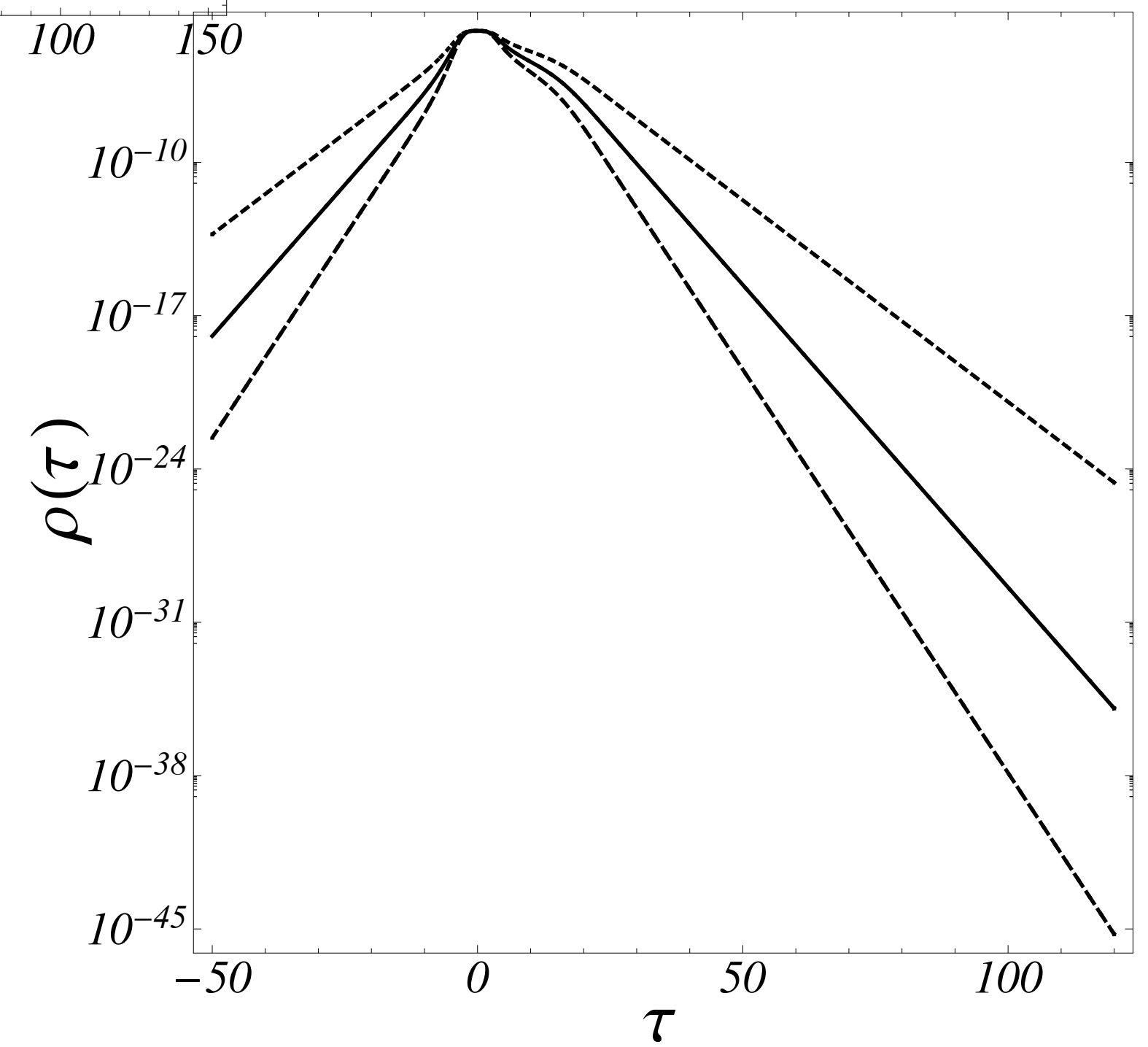
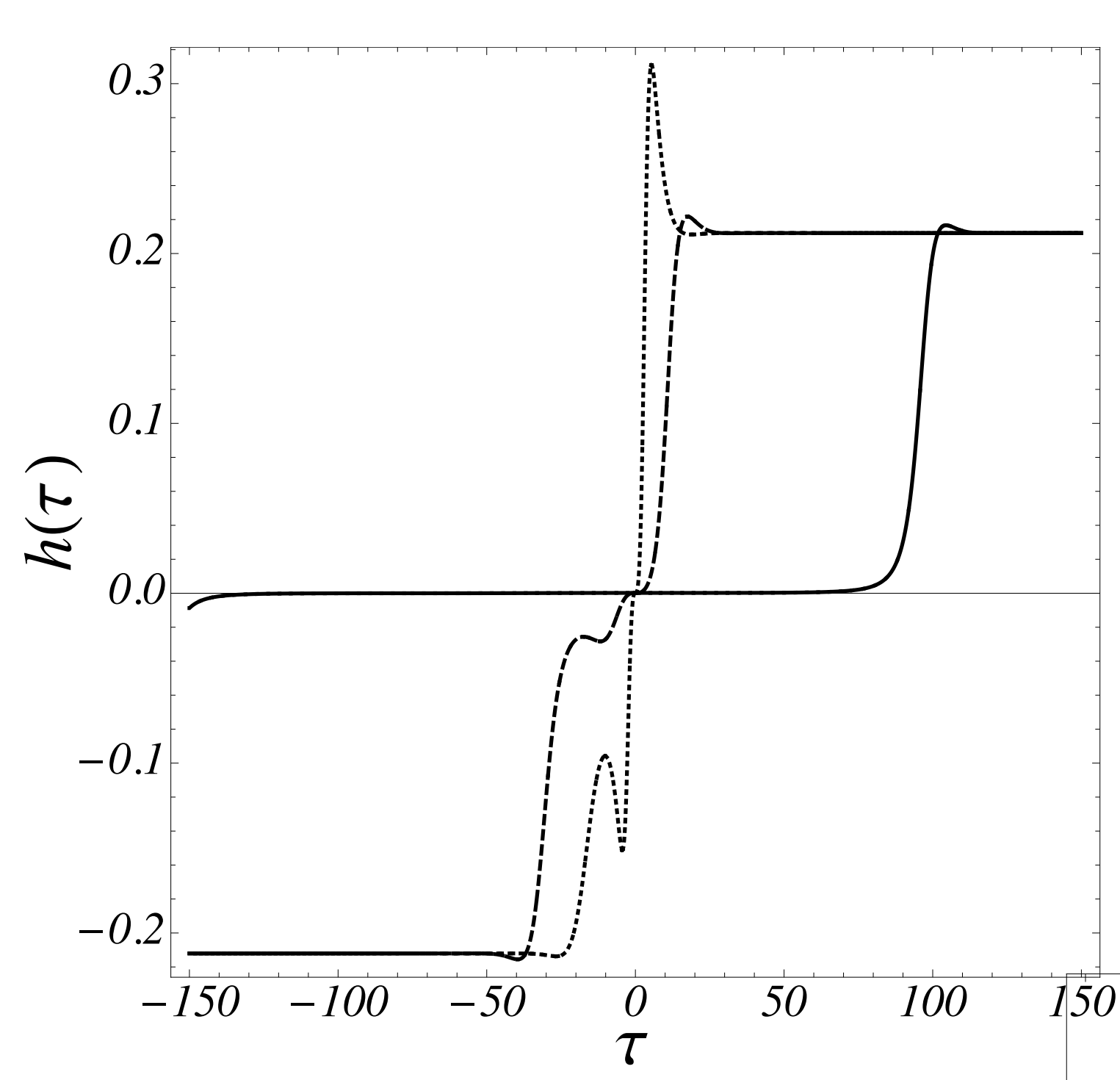
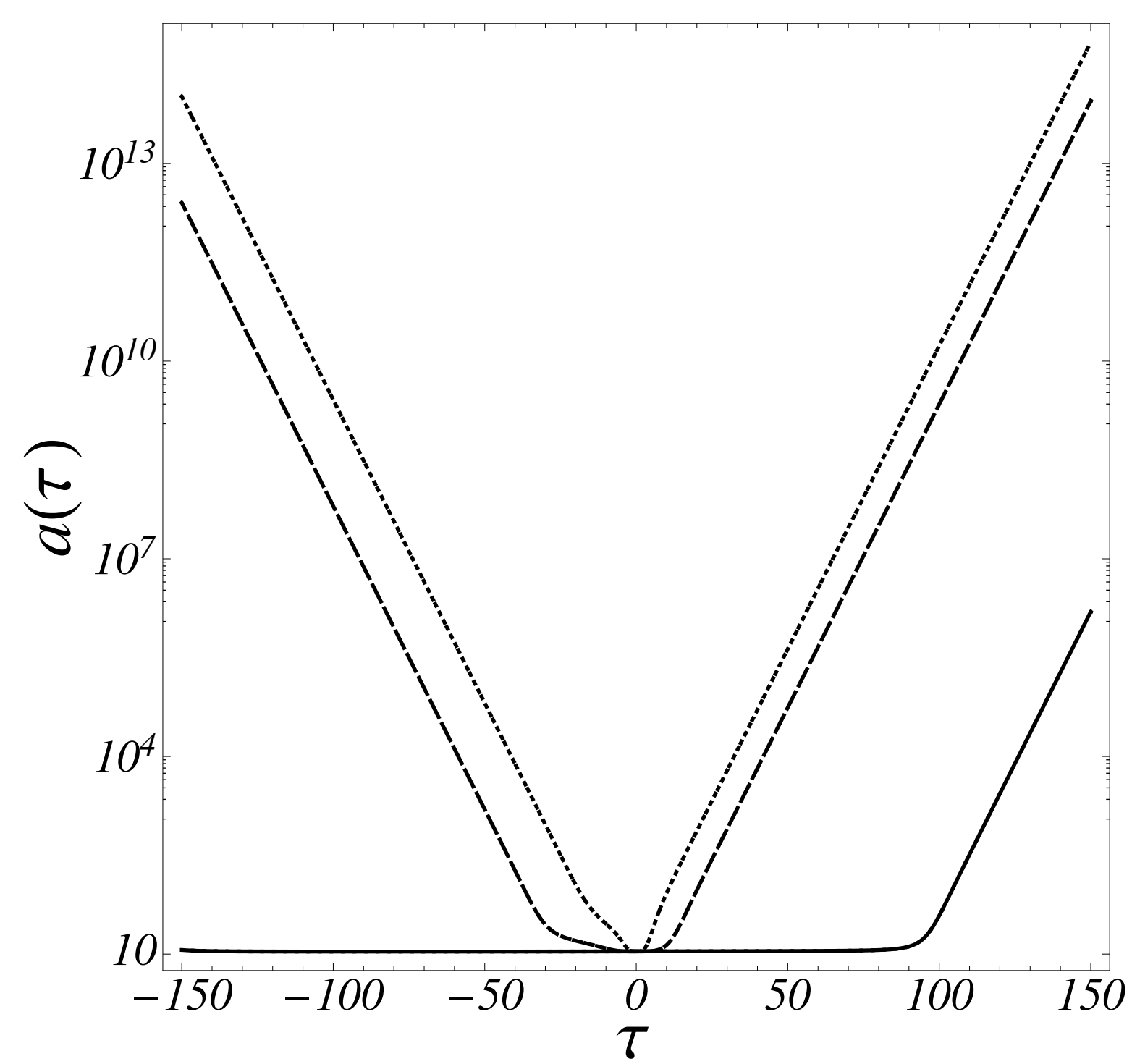
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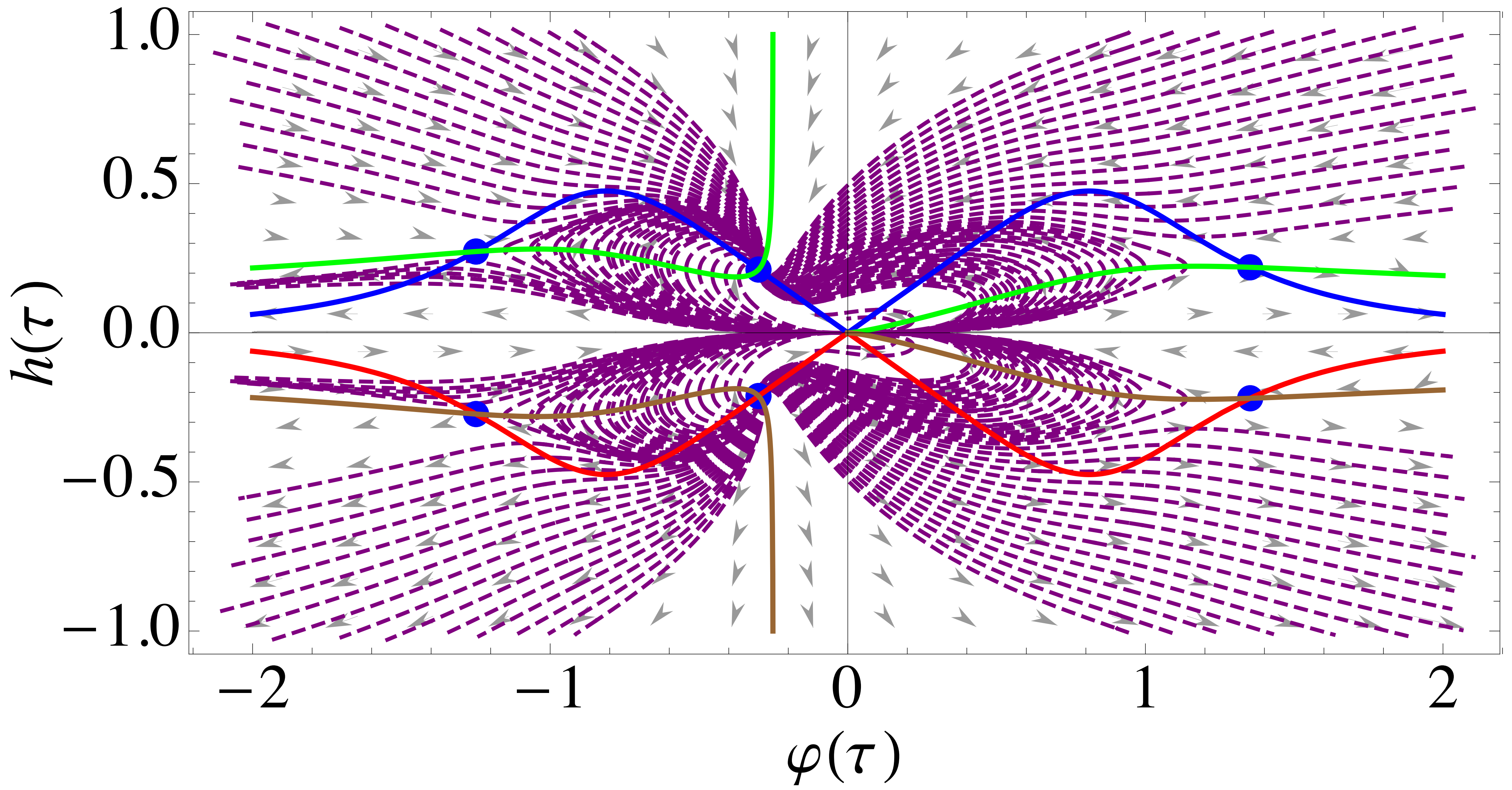
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$$I = R - \sqrt{3 (4R_{\mu\nu}R^{\mu\nu} - R^2)}$$

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☀ *K*-bounce: $\mathcal{L} = p(X, \varphi)$

$$X \equiv \frac{1}{2} g^{\mu\nu} \partial_\mu \varphi \partial_\nu \varphi$$

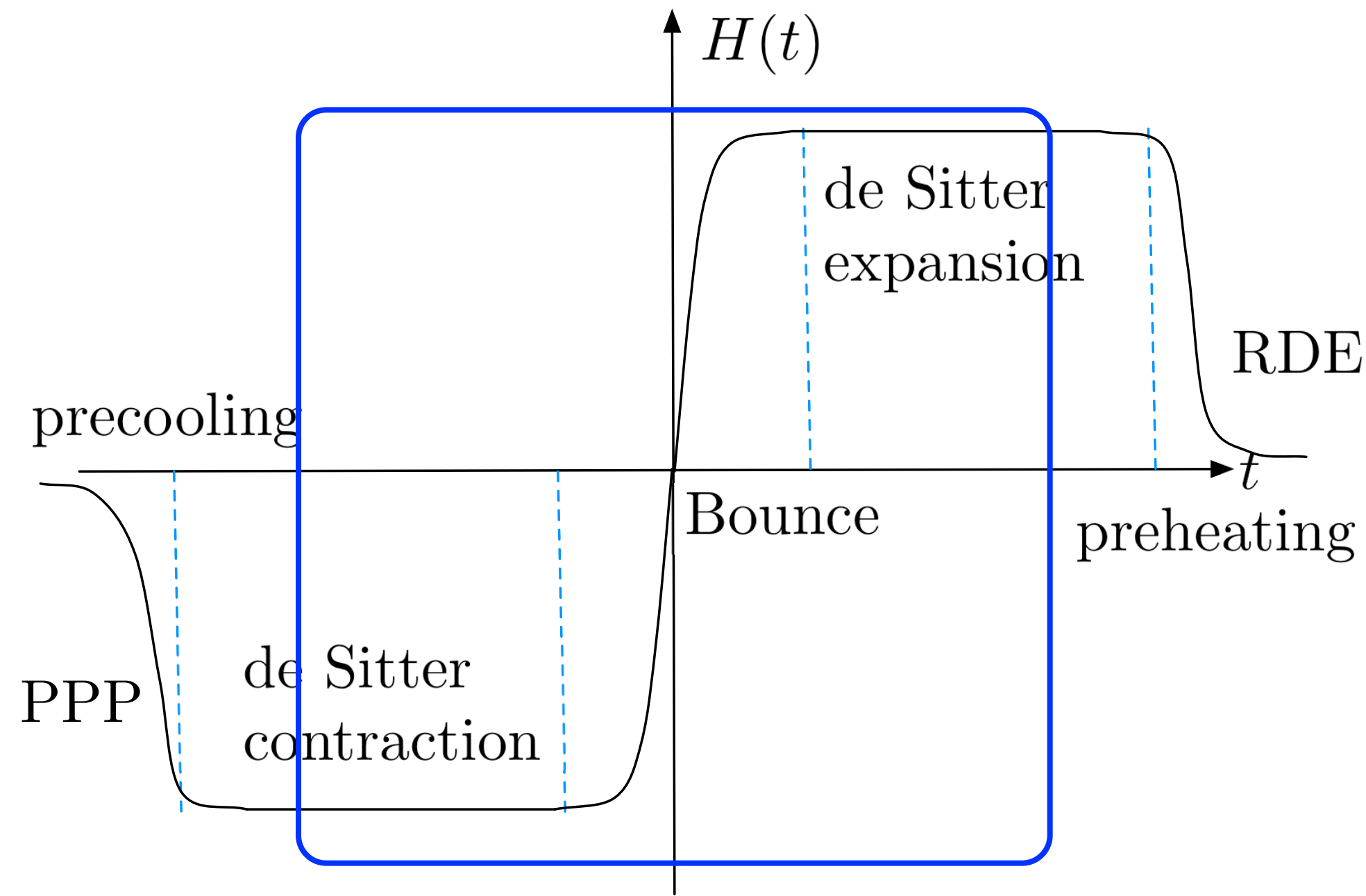
$$\Rightarrow T^{\mu\nu} = (\rho + p) u^\mu u^\nu - p g^{\mu\nu}$$

$$\rho \equiv 2X \frac{\partial p}{\partial X} - p$$

vanishing spatial curvature possible in 4 dimensions G.R.?

$$u_\mu \equiv \frac{\partial_\mu \varphi}{\sqrt{2X}}$$

$$\rho(t_{\text{bounce}}) = 0 \implies p(t_{\text{bounce}}) < 0$$



Implementing a bounce = problem with GR!

$$\dot{H} = \frac{\mathcal{K}}{a^2} - \frac{1}{2}(\rho + P)$$

Violation of Null Energy Condition (NEC)

$$\rho + P \leq 0$$

Positive spatial curvature + scalar field

Modify GR?

Add new terms?

K-bounce, Ghost condensates, Galileons...?



Various instabilities may arise!
(e.g. radiation for matter bounce or curvature perturbations)

The problem with contraction: BKL/shear instability

$$ds^2 = dt^2 - a^2(t) \sum_i e^{2\theta_i(t)} \sigma^i \sigma^i$$

Ricci flat:
 $\sigma^i = dx^i$

$$\sum_i \theta_i = 0$$

Average scale factor

$$\frac{\dot{a}}{a} \text{ Mean Hubble parameter}$$

$$H_i \equiv \frac{1}{ae^{\theta_i}} \frac{d}{dt} (ae^{\theta_i}) = H + \dot{\theta}_i$$

Friedman equations

$$H^2 = \frac{\rho_T}{3M_{Pl}^2} + \frac{1}{6} \sum_i \dot{\theta}_i^2$$

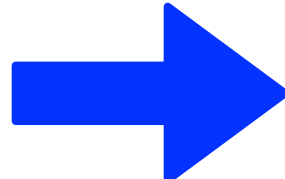
$$\dot{H} = -\frac{\rho_T + p_T}{2M_{Pl}^2} - \frac{1}{2} \sum_i \dot{\theta}_i^2$$

} $\ddot{\theta}_i + 3H\dot{\theta}_i = 0$

$$\rho_{\text{shear}} \propto a^{-6}$$

slow contraction solution:

$$w_{\text{ekp}} \gg 1 \implies \rho_{\text{ekp}} \propto a^{-3(1+w_{\text{ekp}})} \gg a^{-6} \text{ when } a \rightarrow 0$$

Problem: regular bounce  \exists phase with $w_{\text{bounce}} < -1$

So finally...

$$\rho_{\text{Shear}} \equiv \frac{M_{\text{Pl}}^2}{2} \sum_i \dot{\theta}_i^2 \propto a^{-6} \gg \rho_{\text{Fluid}}$$



Singularity!

A nonsingular bounce model: ghost condensate & Galileon

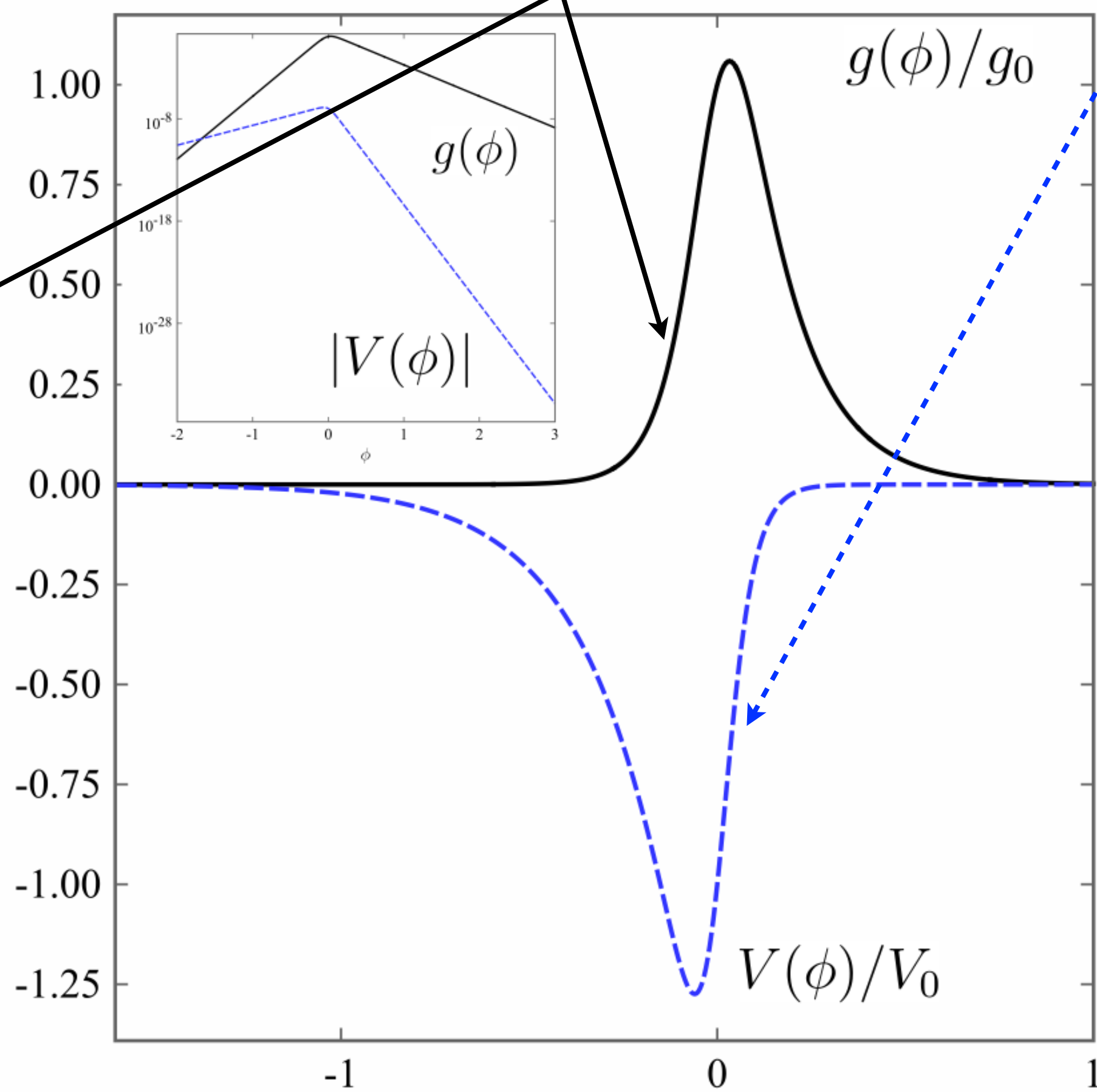
$$\mathcal{L}[\phi(x)] = K(\phi, X) + G(\phi, X)\square\phi \quad \text{with kinetic term } X \equiv \frac{1}{2}\partial_\mu\phi\partial^\mu\phi \quad + \text{Fluid}$$

Specific choices:

$$K(\phi, X) = M_{\text{Pl}}^2 [1 - g(\phi)] X + \beta X^2 - V(\phi)$$

$$G(X) = \gamma X$$

$$g(\phi) = \frac{2g_0}{e^{-\sqrt{\frac{2}{p}}\phi} + e^{b_g\sqrt{\frac{2}{p}}\phi}}$$



$$V(\phi) = -\frac{2V_0}{e^{-\sqrt{\frac{2}{q}}\phi} + e^{b_V\sqrt{\frac{2}{q}}\phi}}$$

+Bianchi

$$V_0 = 10^{-7}, g_0 = 1.1, \beta = 5, \gamma = 10^{-3}$$

$$b_V = 5, b_g = 0.5, p = 0.01, q = 0.1$$

Stress-energy tensor

$$T_{\mu\nu}^{\phi} = (-K + 2XG_{,\phi} + G_{,X}\nabla_{\sigma}X\nabla^{\sigma}\phi)g_{\mu\nu} + (K_{,X} + G_{,X}\square\phi - 2G_{,\phi})\nabla_{\mu}\phi\nabla_{\nu}\phi - G_{,X}(\nabla_{\mu}X\nabla_{\nu}\phi + \nabla_{\nu}X\nabla_{\mu}\phi)$$

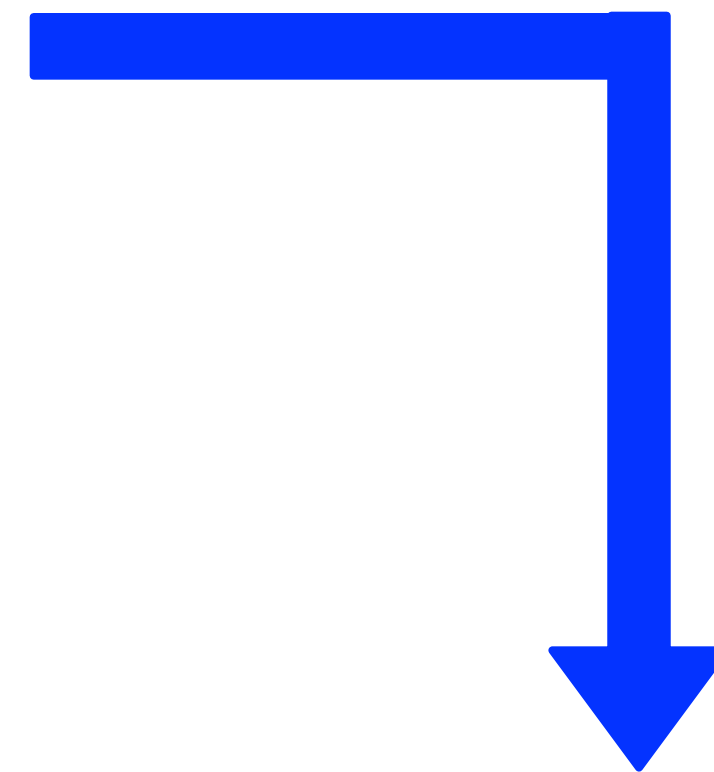


Energy density & Pressure

$$\rho_{\phi} = \frac{1}{2}M_{\text{Pl}}^2(1-g)\dot{\phi}^2 + \frac{3}{4}\beta\dot{\phi}^4 + 3\gamma H\dot{\phi}^3 + V(\phi)$$

$$p_{\phi} = \frac{1}{2}M_{\text{Pl}}^2(1-g)\dot{\phi}^2 + \frac{1}{4}\beta\dot{\phi}^4 - \gamma\dot{\phi}^2\ddot{\phi} - V(\phi)$$

+ Fluid $p = w\rho$



Einstein equation + $\nabla_{\mu}T_{\text{Fluid}}^{\mu\nu} = 0$

+ modified Klein-Gordon $\mathcal{P}\ddot{\phi} + \mathcal{D}\dot{\phi} + V_{,\phi} = 0$

with...

$$\mathcal{P} = (1 - g)M_{\text{Pl}}^2 + 6\gamma H\dot{\phi} + 3\beta\dot{\phi}^2 + \frac{3\gamma^2}{2M_{\text{Pl}}^2}\dot{\phi}^4$$

$$\mathcal{D} = 3(1 - g)M_{\text{Pl}}^2 H + \left(9\gamma H^2 - \frac{1}{2}M_{\text{Pl}}^2 g_{,\phi}\right)\dot{\phi} + 3\beta H\dot{\phi}^2$$

$$- \frac{3}{2}(1 - g)\gamma\dot{\phi}^3 - \frac{9\gamma^2 H\dot{\phi}^4}{2M_{\text{Pl}}^2} - \frac{3\beta\gamma\dot{\phi}^5}{2M_{\text{Pl}}^2}$$

$$- \frac{3}{2}G_{,X} \sum_i \dot{\theta}_i^2 \dot{\phi} - \frac{3G_{,X}}{2M_{\text{Pl}}^2} (\rho_{\text{m}} + p_{\text{m}})\dot{\phi}$$

5 phases:

A.  Matter contraction

B.  Ekpyrotic contraction

C.  The bounce itself

D.  Fast-roll expansion

E.  Radiation + Matter + ...

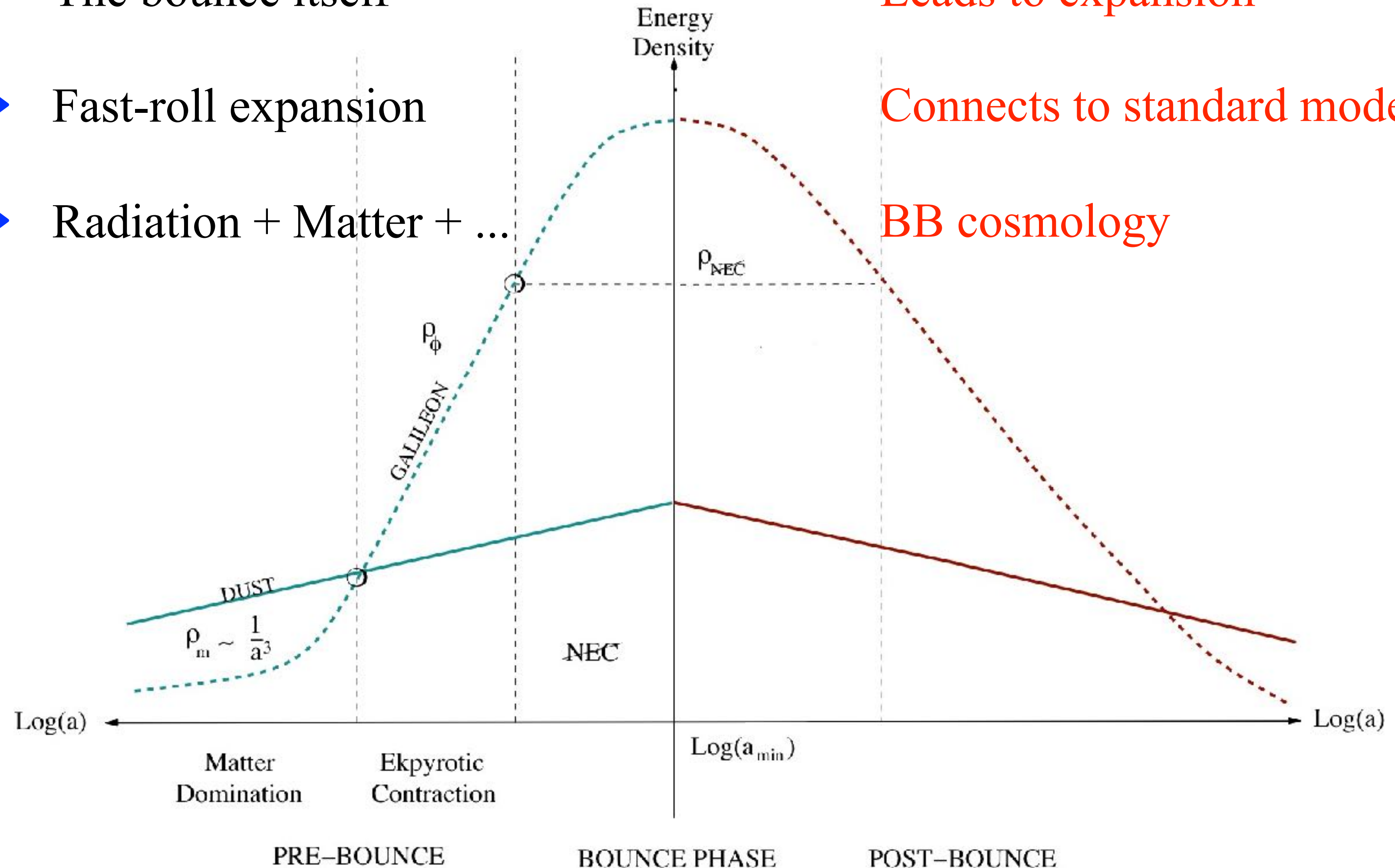
Produces scale invariant perturbations

Removes anisotropies

Leads to expansion

Connects to standard model!!

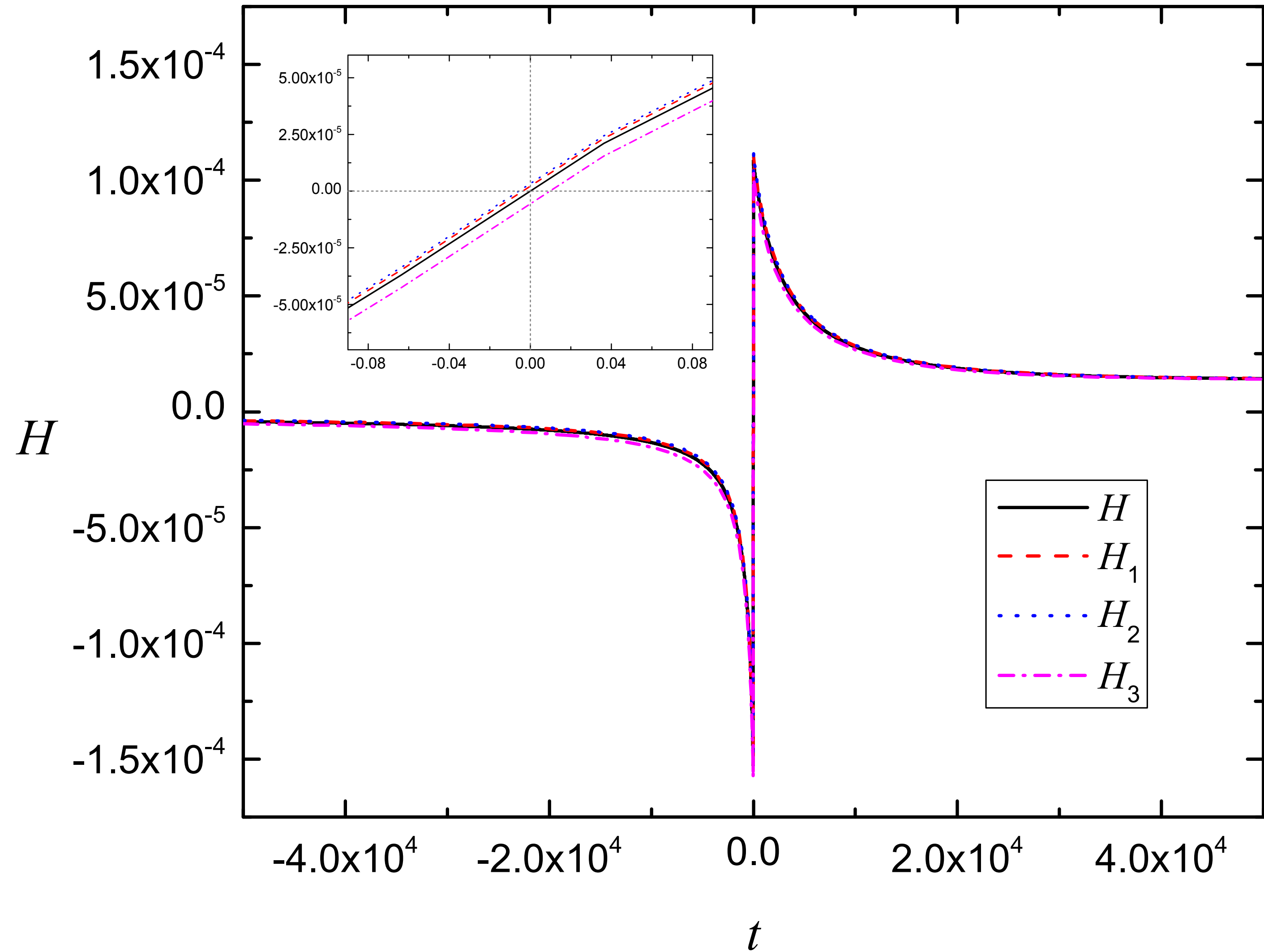
BB cosmology



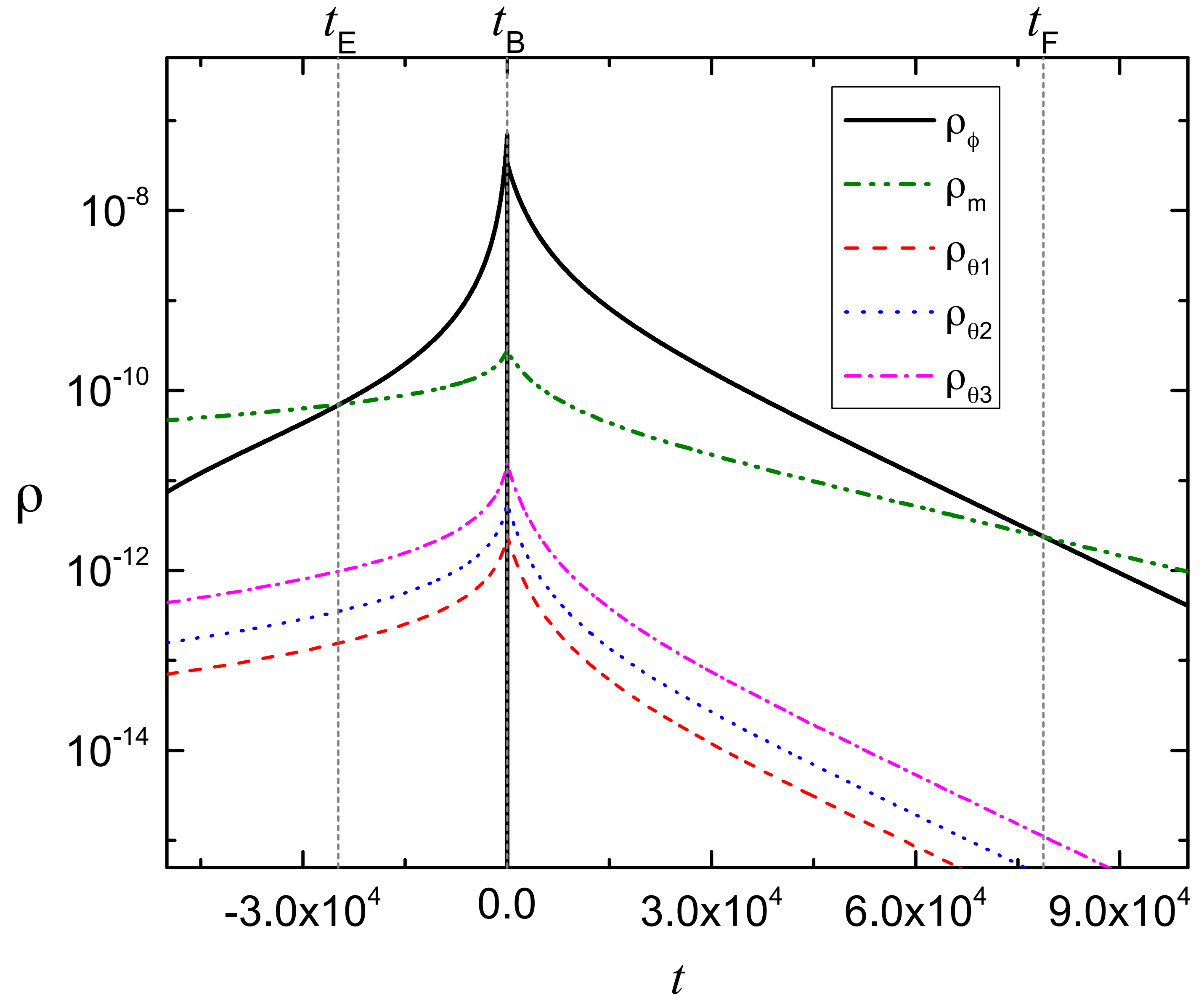
explicit example...

$$\begin{aligned}V_0 &= 10^{-7}, \quad g_0 = 1.1, \quad \beta = 5, \quad \gamma = 10^{-3} \\b_V &= 5, \quad b_g = 0.5, \quad p = 0.01, \quad q = 0.1 \\ \rho_{m,B} &= 2.8 \times 10^{-10}, \quad M_{\theta,1} = 2.2 \times 10^{-6} \\ M_{\theta,2} &= 3.4 \times 10^{-6}, \quad M_{\theta,3} = -5.6 \times 10^{-6} \\ \phi_{\text{ini}} &= -2, \quad \dot{\phi}_{\text{ini}} = 7.8 \times 10^{-6}.\end{aligned}$$

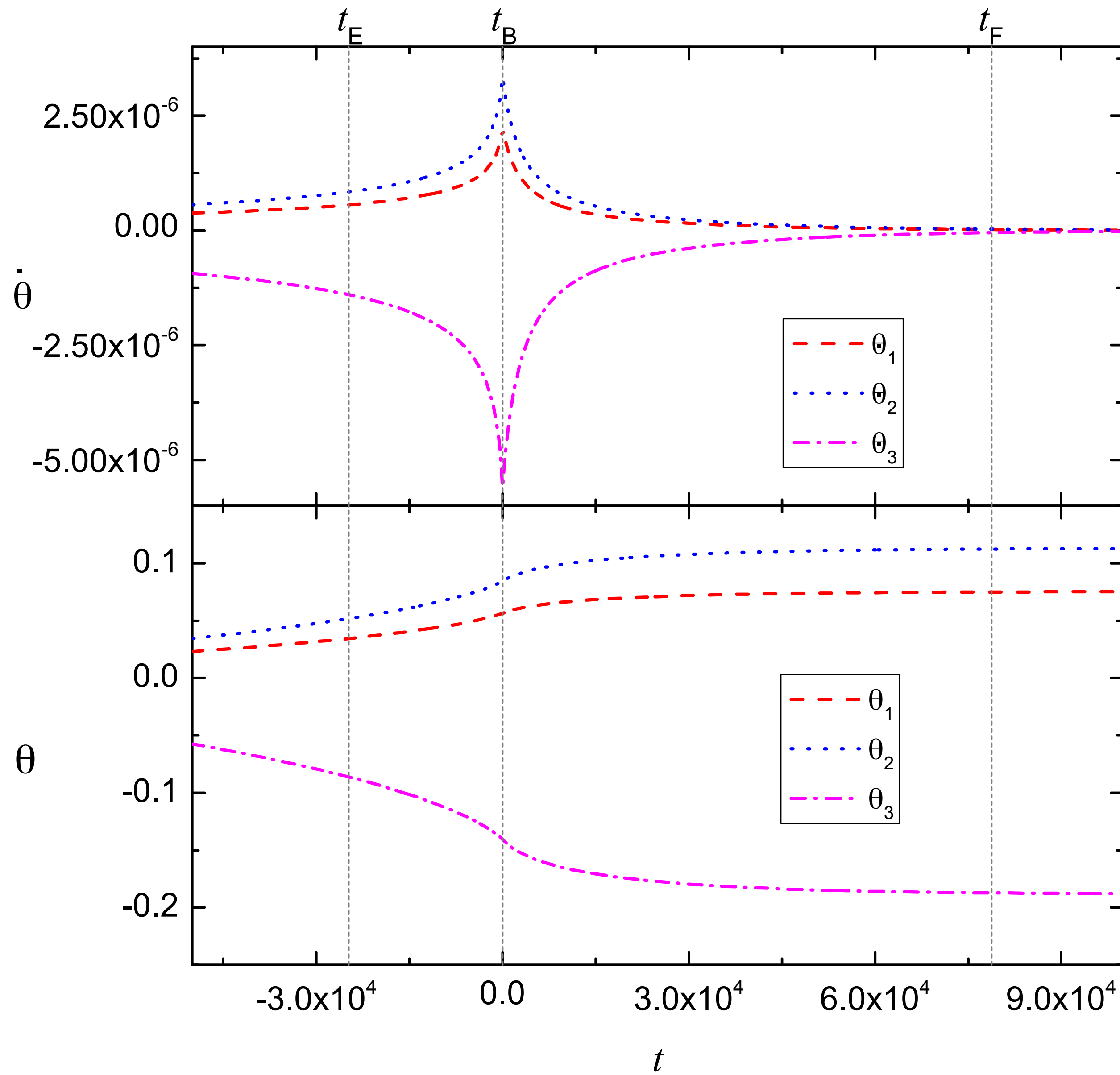
Hubble parameters



Energy densities



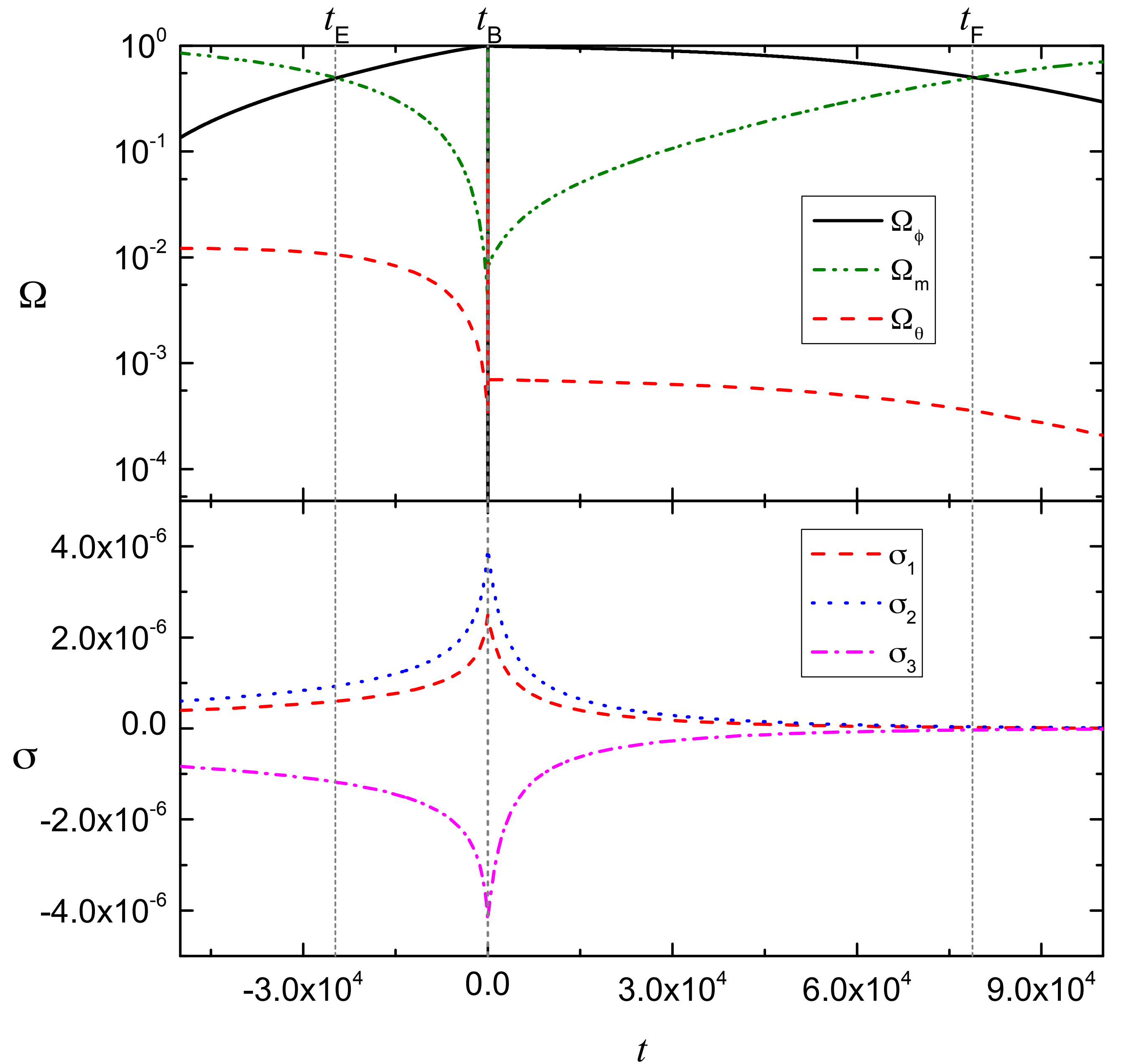
Anisotropies



Density parameters
and shears

$$\Omega_I \equiv \frac{\rho_I}{\sum_I \rho_I}$$

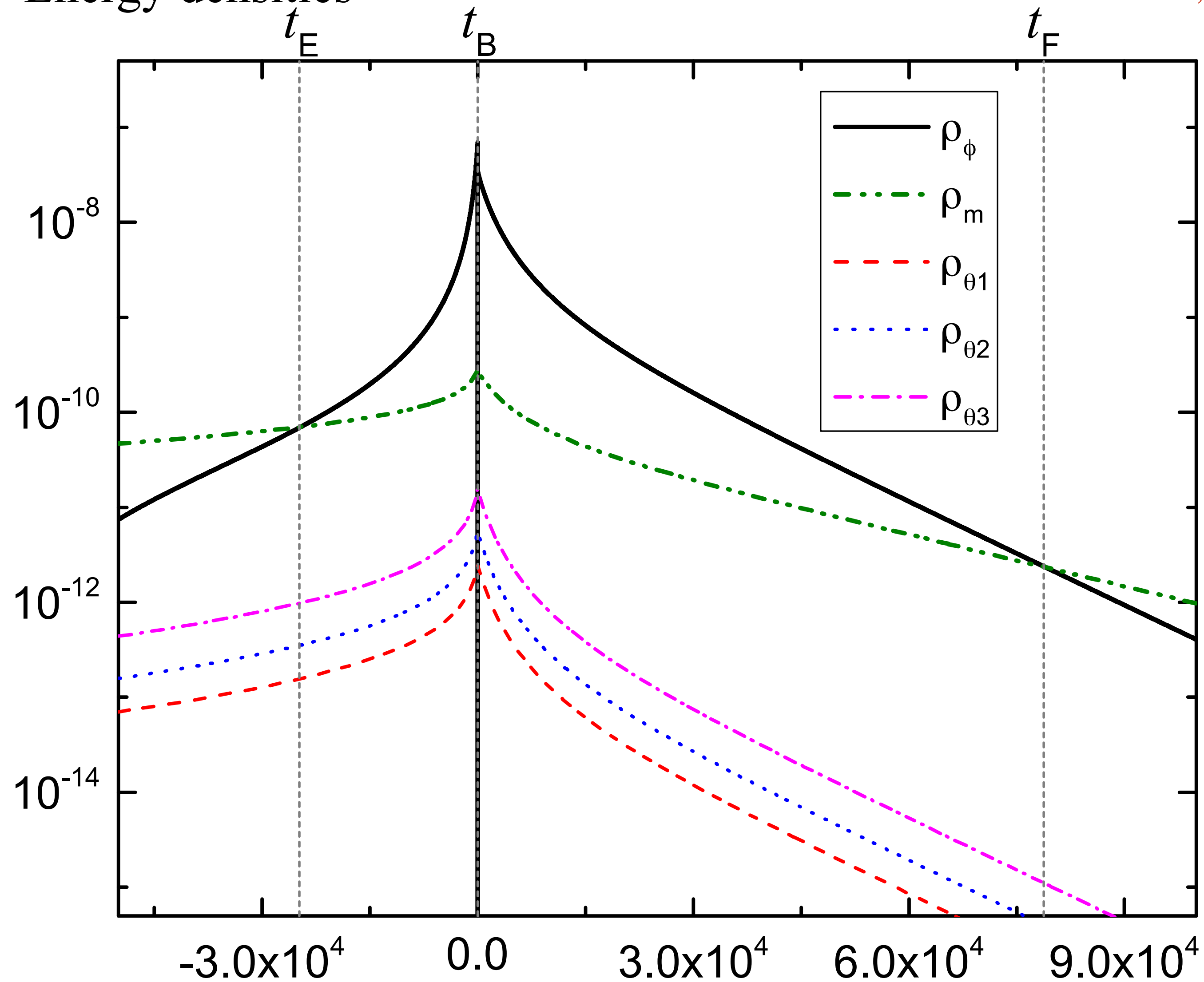
$$\sigma_i \equiv \dot{\theta}_i e^{2\theta_i}$$



Energy densities

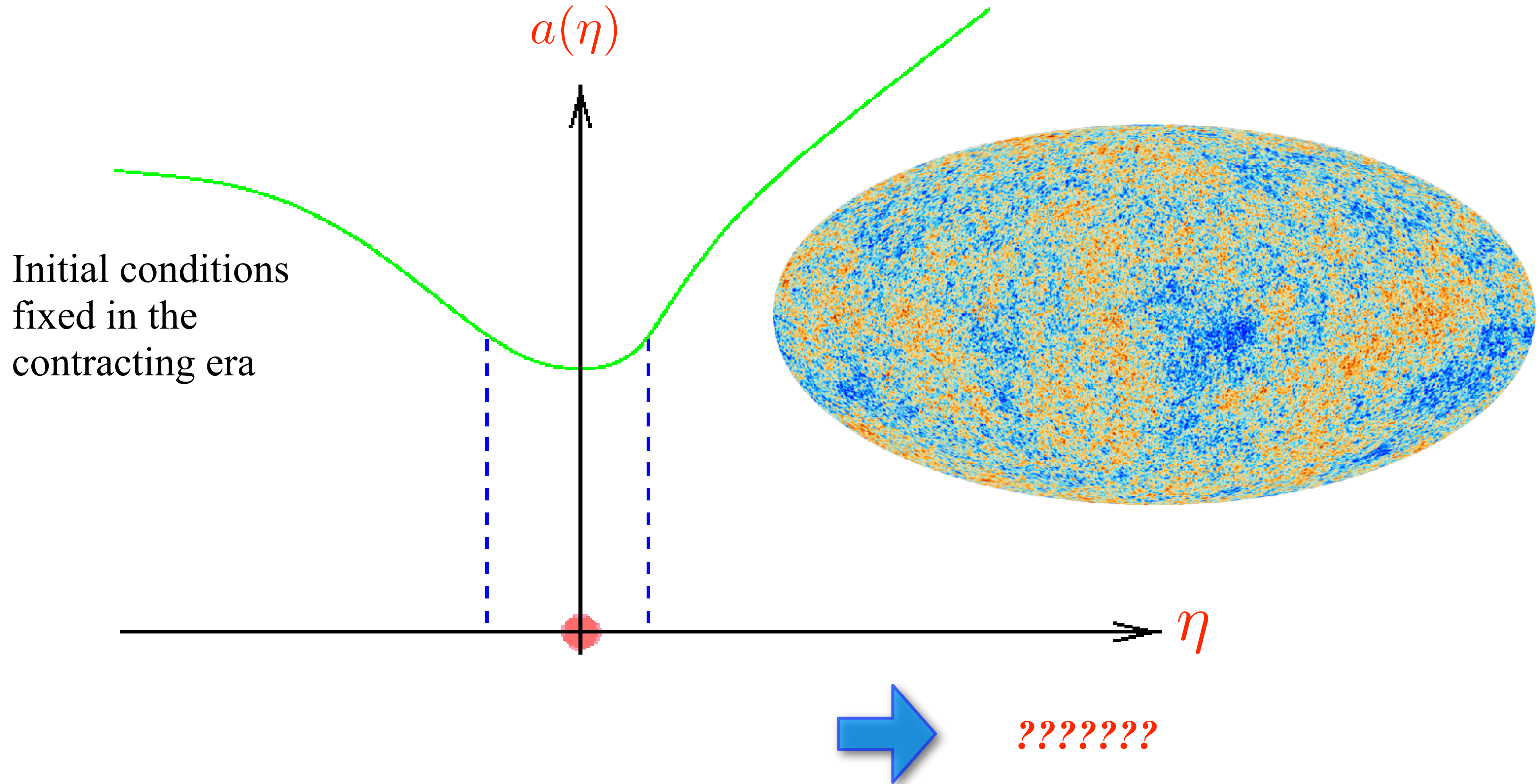
Y. Cai, R. Brandenberger & PP, CQG 30, 075019 (2013)

$$\phi_{\text{ini}} = -2, \dot{\phi}_{\text{ini}} = 7.8 \times 10^{-6}$$



t  Anisotropies can remain small all throughout

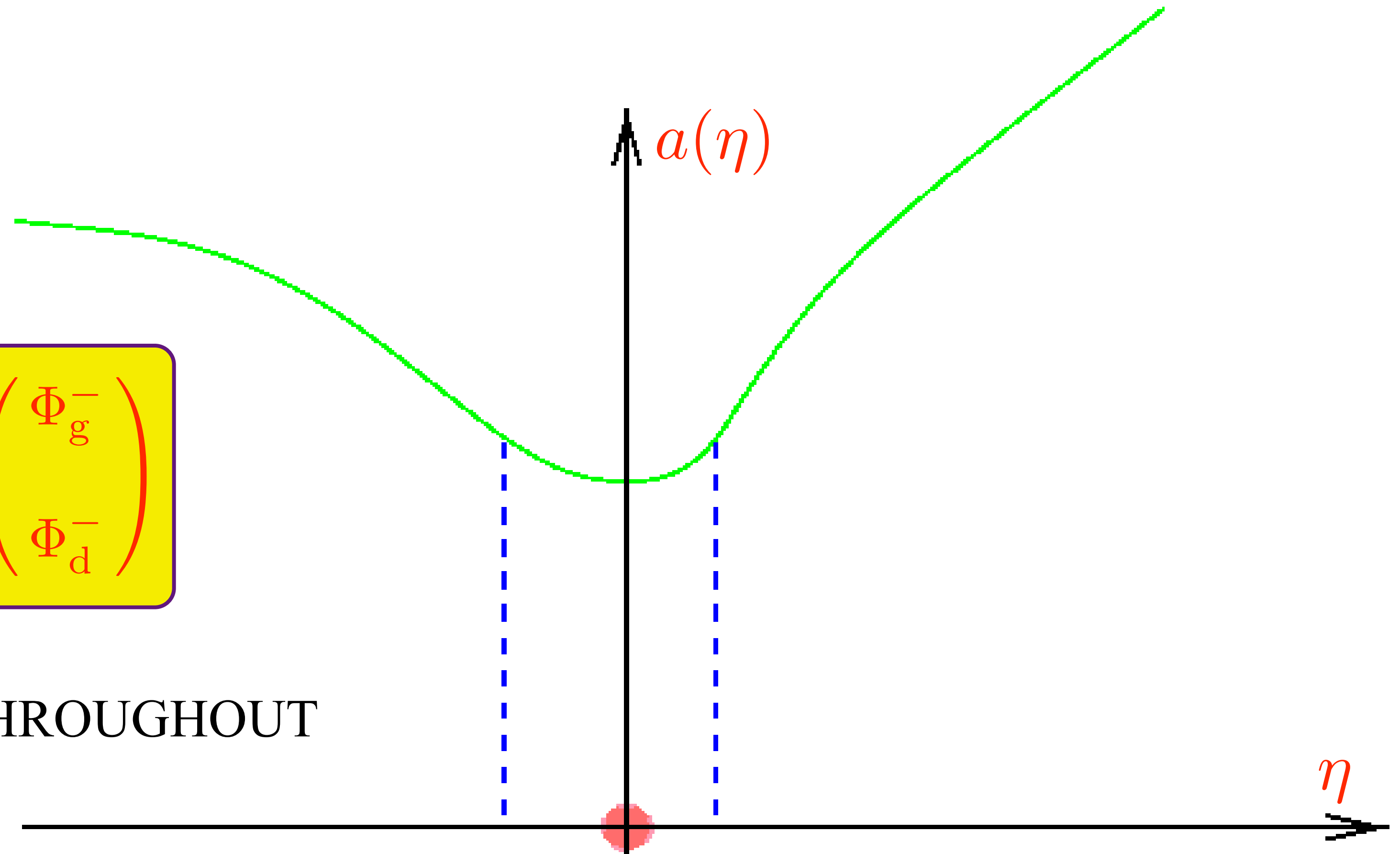
Perturbations: $ds^2 = a^2(\eta) \{ (1 + 2\Phi) d\eta^2 - [(1 - 2\Phi) \gamma_{ij} + h_{ij}] dx^i dx^j \}$



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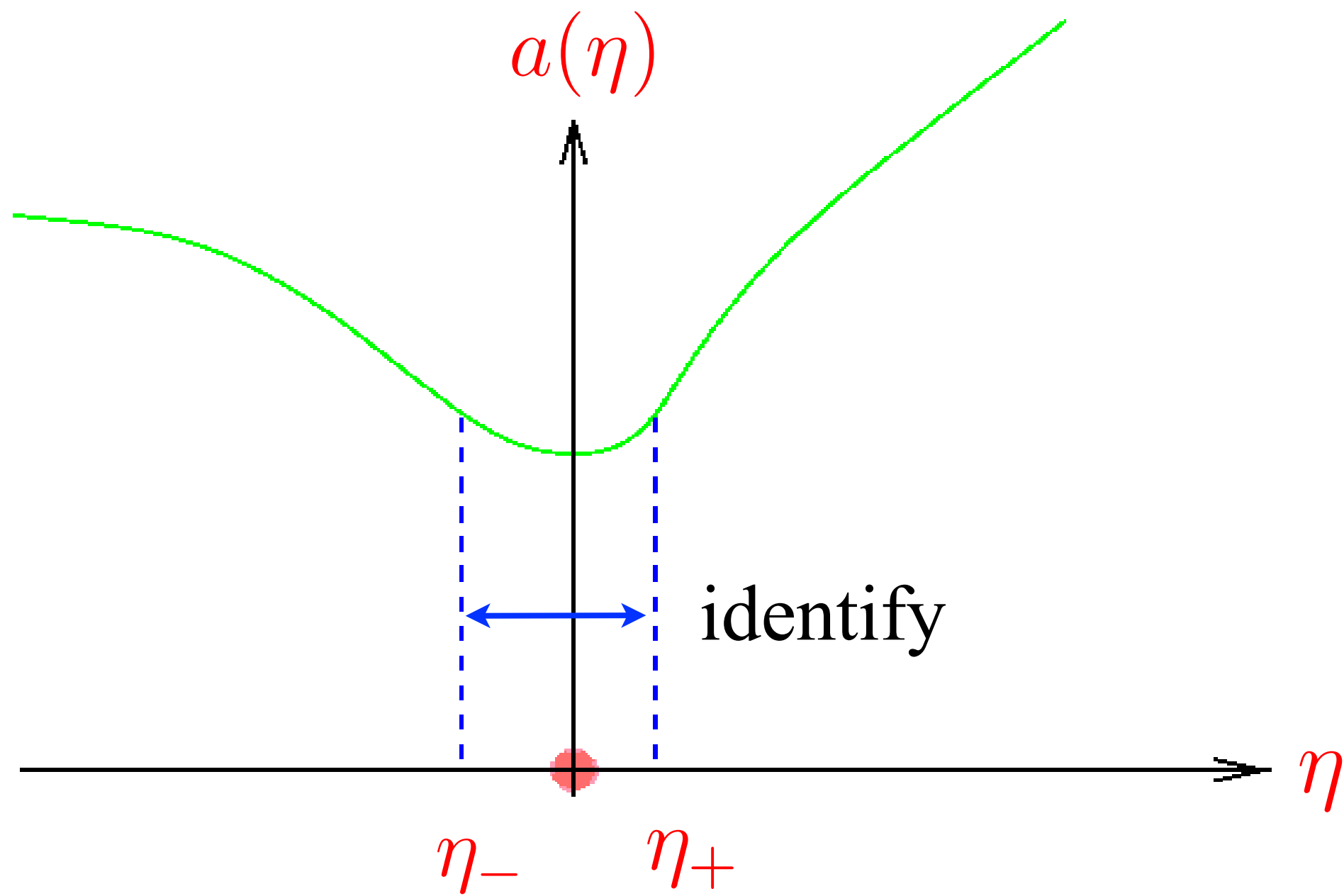
$$\begin{pmatrix} \Phi_g^+ \\ \Phi_d^+ \end{pmatrix} = \mathbf{T}_{ij}(k) \begin{pmatrix} \Phi_g^- \\ \Phi_d^- \end{pmatrix}$$

ASSUME LINEARITY THROUGHOUT



“central feature of bouncing cosmology = the bounce”...

A generic model-independent treatment of the bounce phase?



Geometric matching conditions?

Continuity of metric $[a]_{\pm} = 0$ OK

Continuity of extrinsic curvature $[H]_{\pm} = 0$???

Perturbations? $[\zeta]_{\pm} = 0$???

Perturbations: $ds^2 = a^2(\eta) \{ (1 + 2\Phi) d\eta^2 - [(1 - 2\Phi) \gamma_{ij} + h_{ij}] dx^i dx^j \}$

$$\longleftrightarrow \Phi = \frac{3\mathcal{H}u}{2a^2\theta}$$

$$\theta \equiv \frac{1}{a} \sqrt{\frac{\rho_\varphi}{\rho_\varphi + p_\varphi} \left(1 - \frac{3\mathcal{K}}{\rho_\varphi a^2} \right)}$$

$$u'' + \left[k^2 - \frac{\theta''}{\theta} - 3\mathcal{K}(1 - c_s^2) \right] u = 0$$

$$V_u(\eta) \equiv \frac{\theta''}{\theta} + 3\mathcal{K}(1 - c_s^2) = \frac{P_{24}(\eta)}{Q_{24}(\eta)},$$

Non trivial transfer matrix

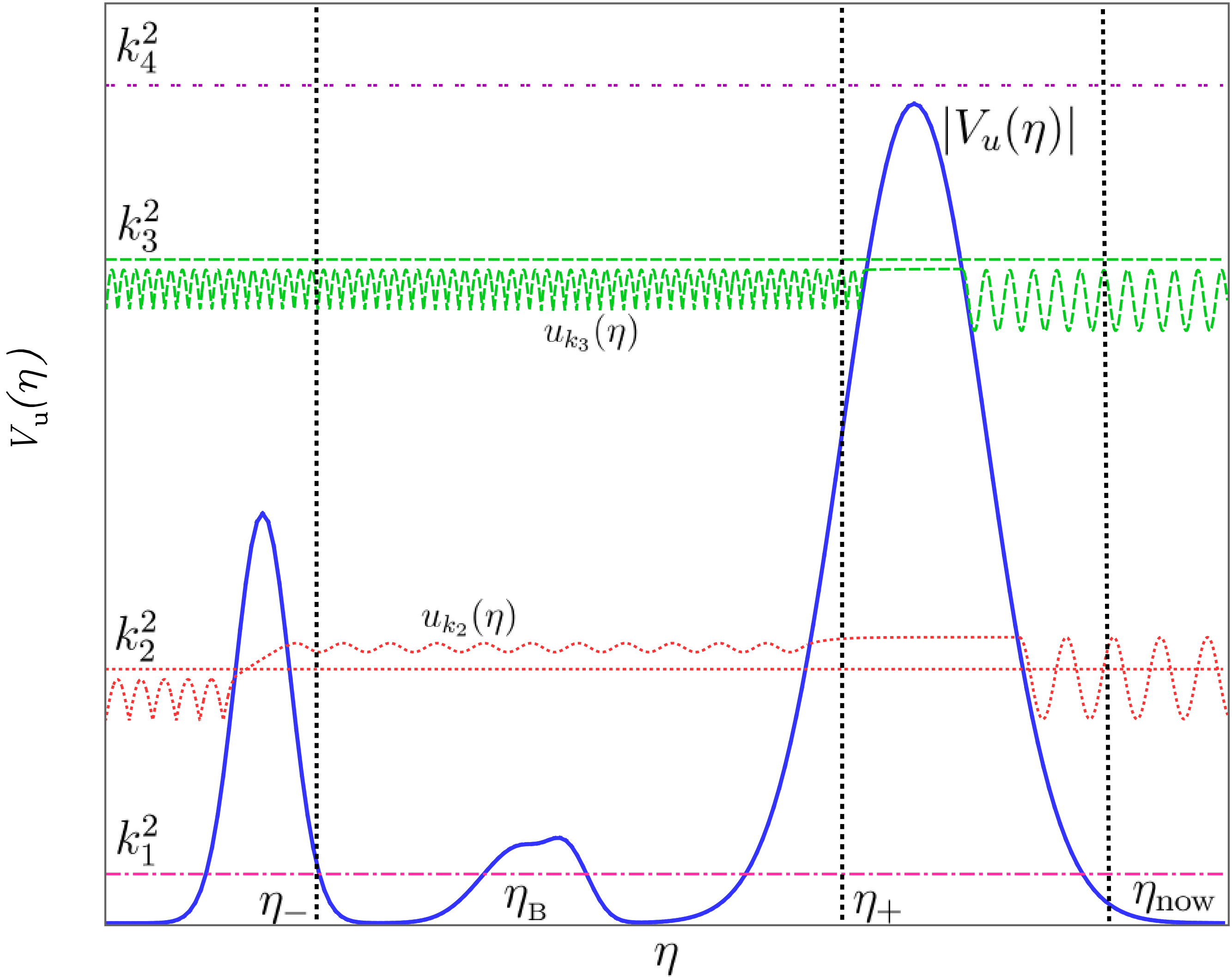
$$\mathbf{T}_{ij}(k) = \begin{bmatrix} A(k) & B(k) \\ C(k) & D(k) \end{bmatrix}$$

“Causality” argument...

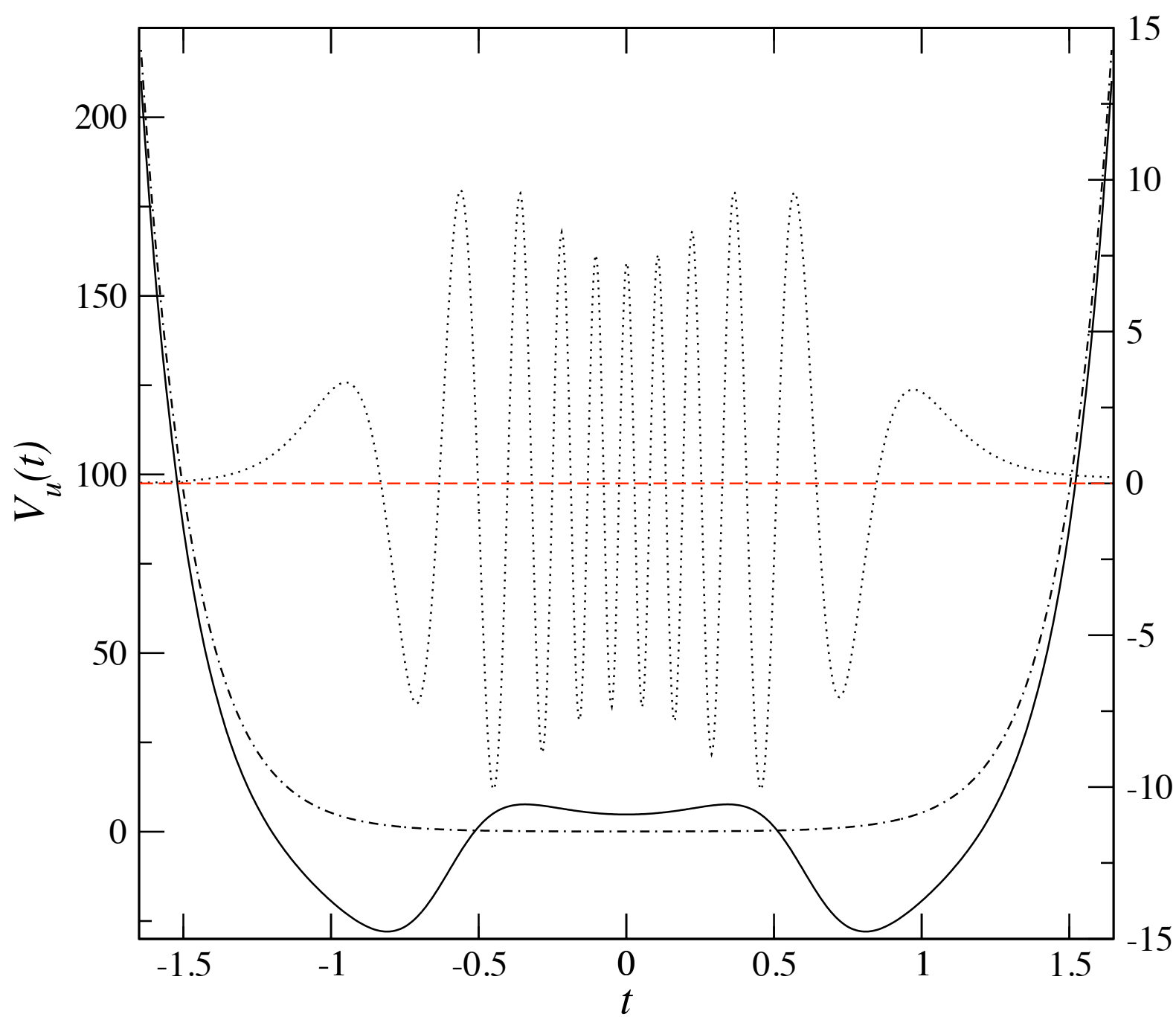
J. Martin & PP, *Phys. Rev. Lett.* **92**, 061301 (2004)

Resulting spectrum: very much model dependent...


J. Martin & PP, *PRD*68, 103517 (2003)



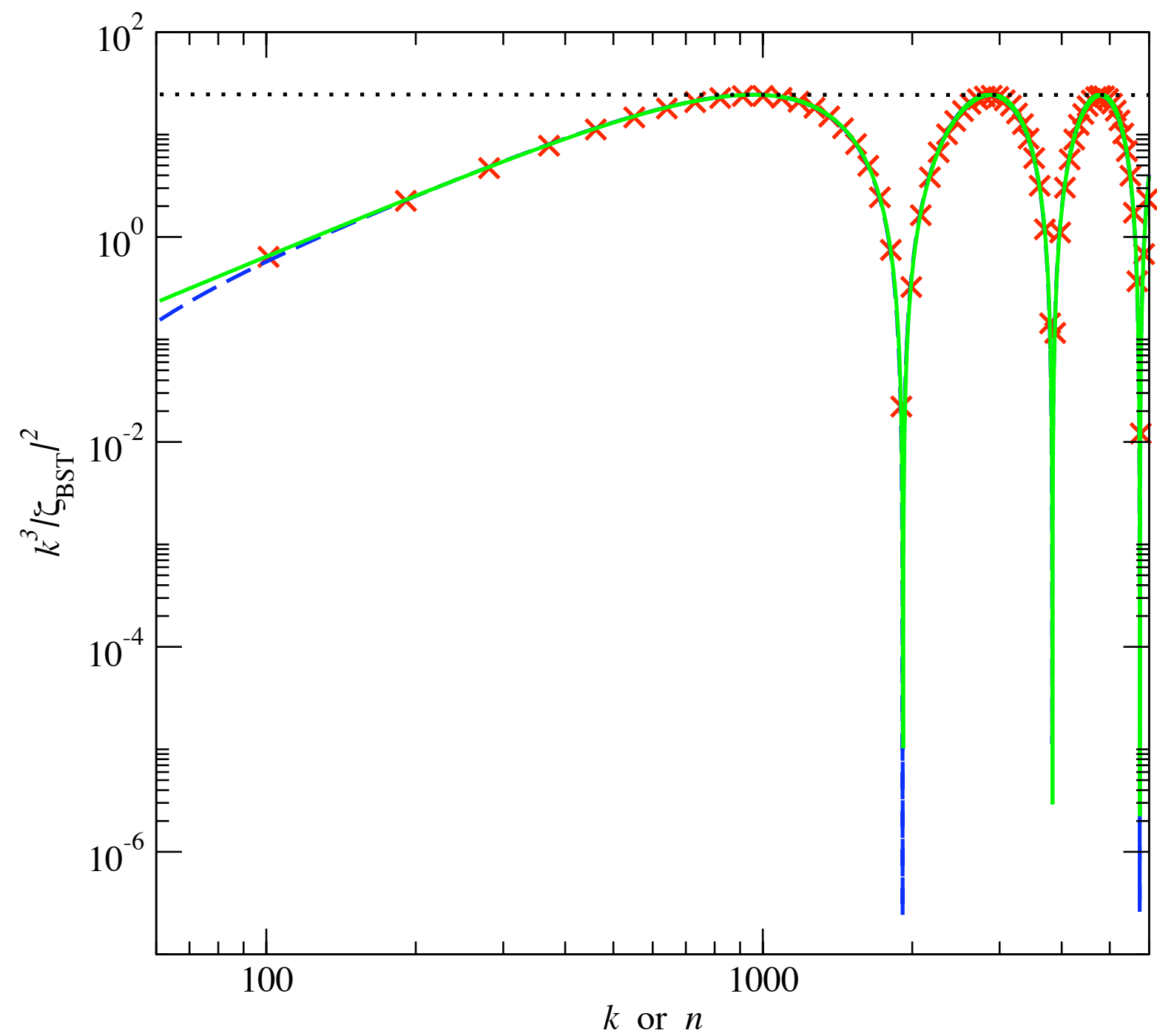
$$\mathcal{P}_\zeta = \mathcal{A} k^{n_s - 1} \cos^2 \left(\omega \frac{k_{\text{ph}}}{k_\star} + \psi \right)$$



Different parameters

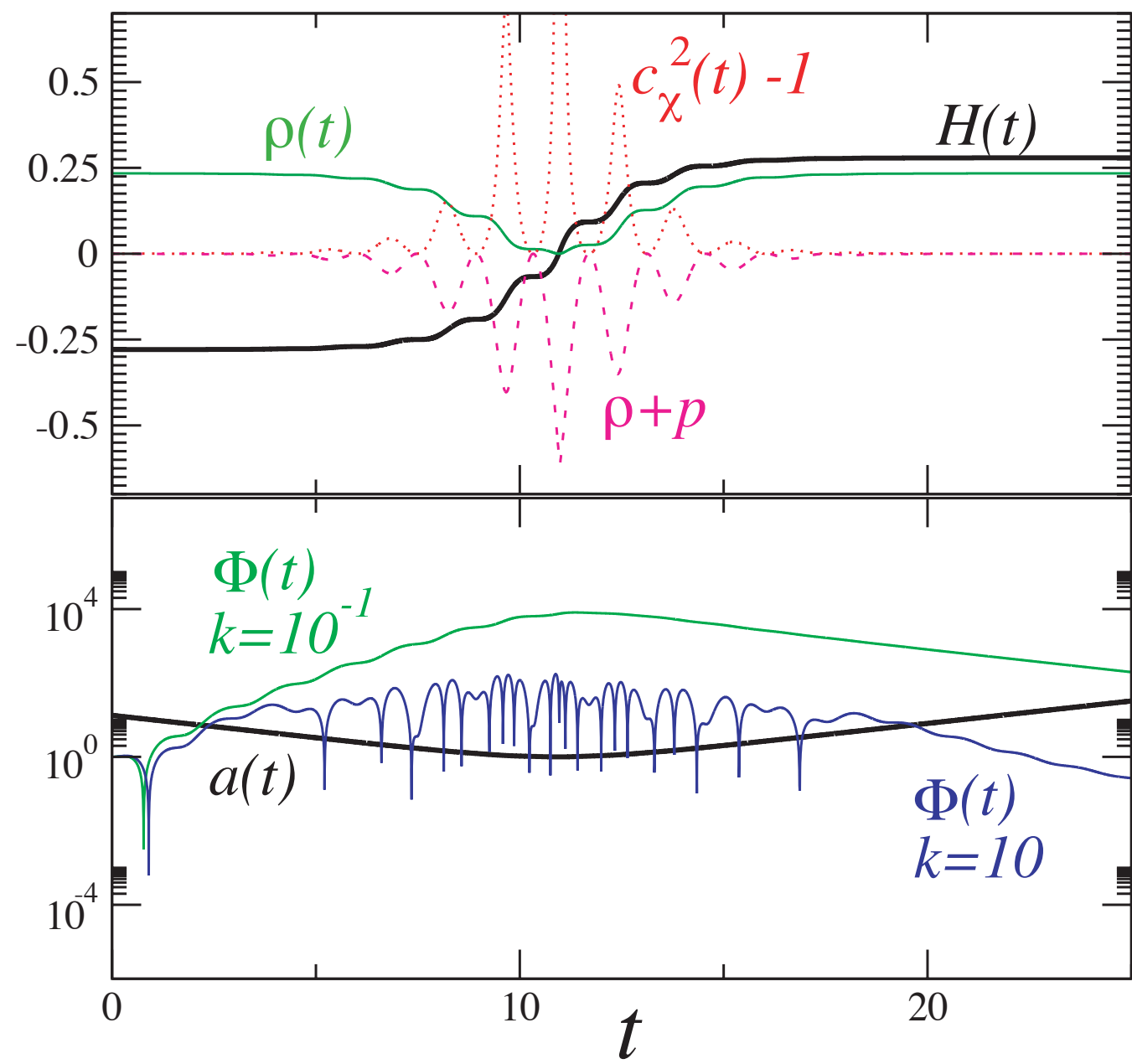
primordial spectrum


$\zeta_{\text{BST}}(t)$

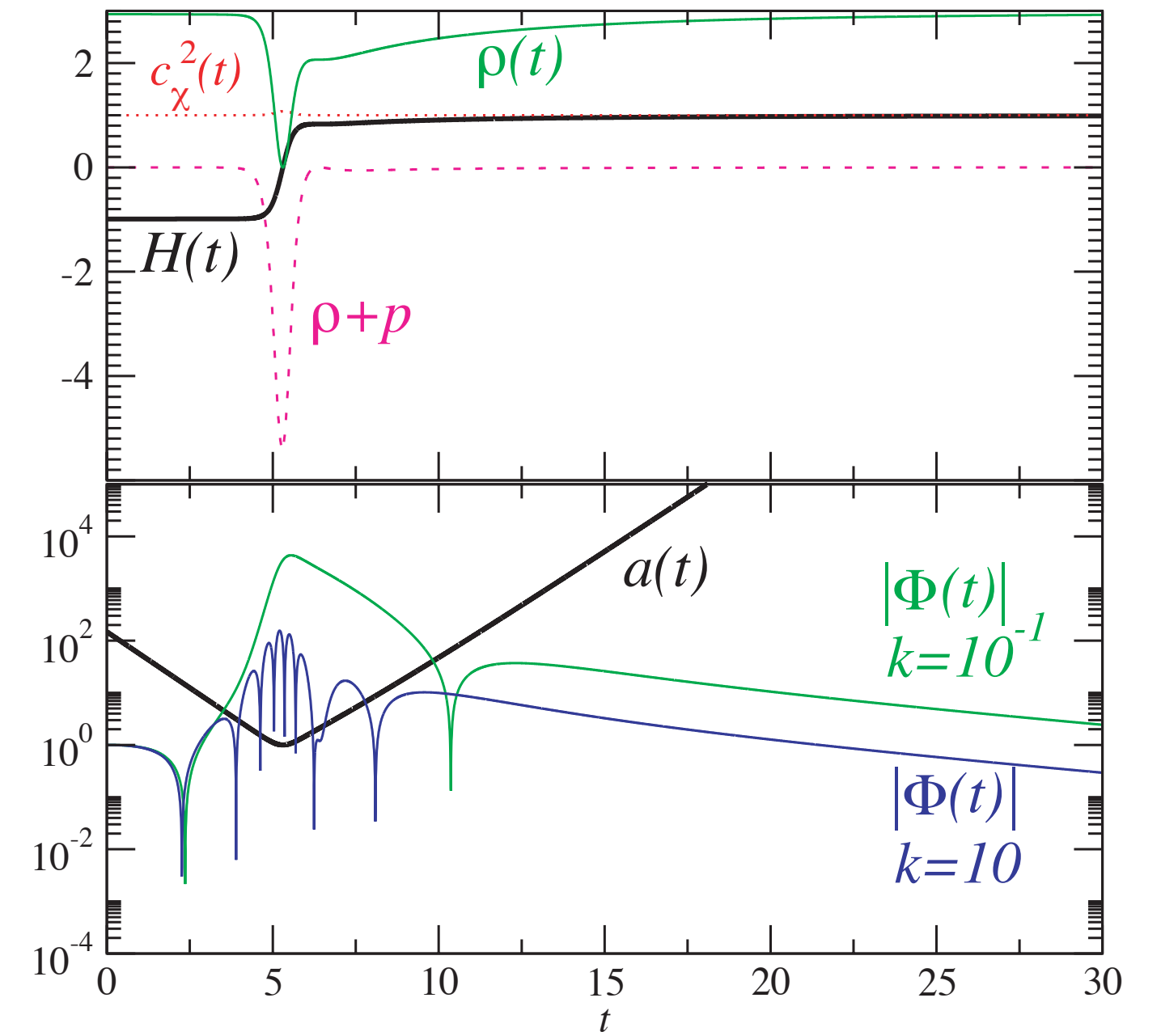
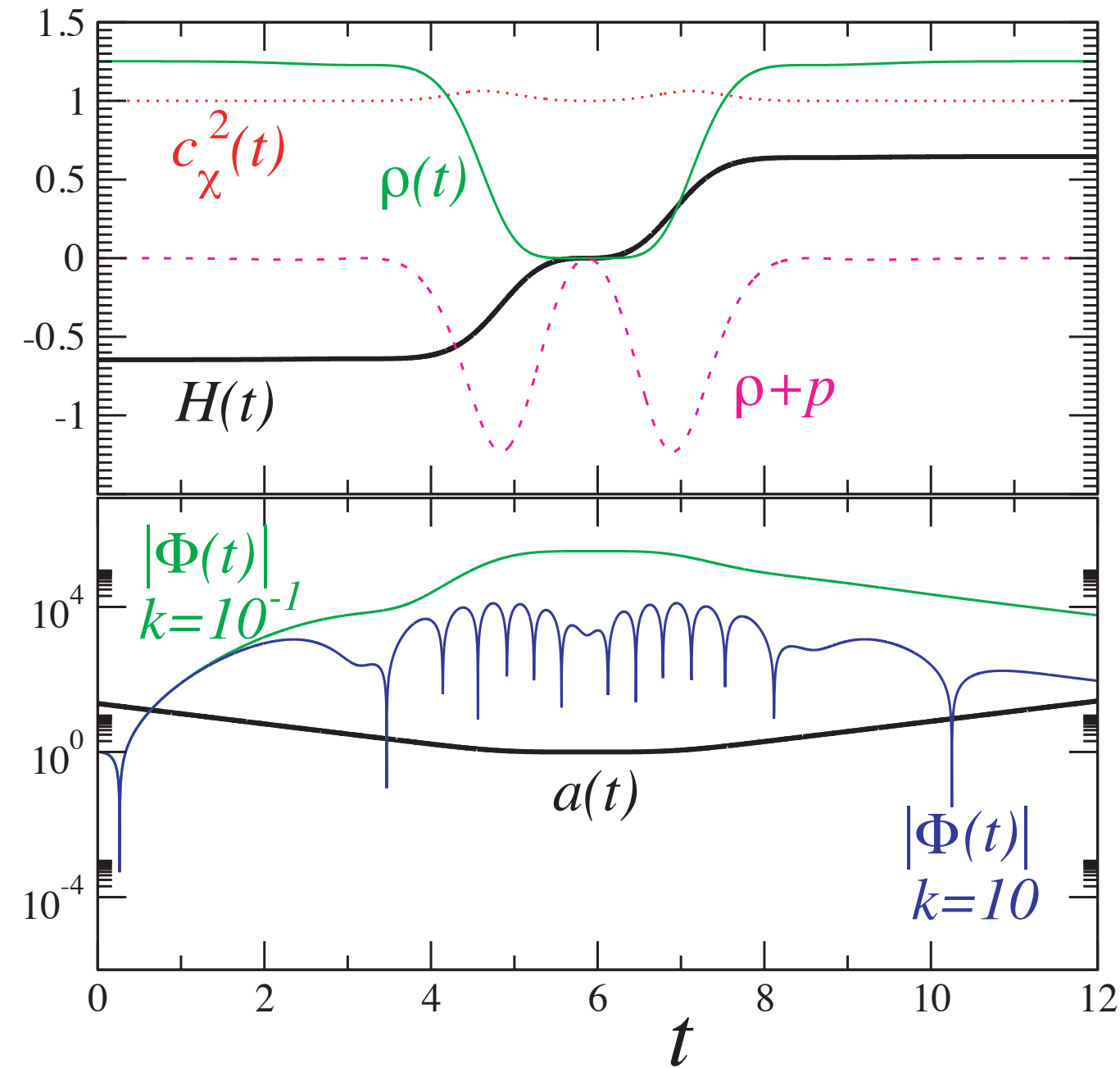


Perturbations in the K -bounce

$$p = p_0 + p_X(X - X_0) + p_\varphi\varphi + p_{X\varphi}\varphi(X - X_0) + \frac{1}{2}p_{XX}(X - X_0)^2 + \frac{1}{2}p_{\varphi\varphi}\varphi^2 + \dots$$



Slow



Fast

Oscillations + ζ conserved

R. Abramo & P. P., *JCAP* **09**, 001 (2007)

Another issue...

spectral index $n_s < 1$

Non gaussianities: *phenomenological description* $S = - \int d^4x \sqrt{-g} [R + (\partial\phi)^2 + V(\phi)]$

$$a(\eta) = a_0 \left[1 + \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{\eta}{\eta_c} \right)^2 + \lambda_3 \left(\frac{\eta}{\eta_c} \right)^3 + \frac{5}{24} (1 + \lambda_4) \left(\frac{\eta}{\eta_c} \right)^4 \right] + \text{scalar field}$$

$$\begin{cases} \frac{\phi'^2}{a^2} = \frac{2}{a^2} (\mathcal{H}^2 - \mathcal{H}' + \mathcal{K}) \\ -\frac{6}{a^2} \mathcal{H}' = -2V(\phi) \left[1 - \frac{\phi'^2}{a^2 V(\phi)} \right] \end{cases} \quad \phi'' + 2\mathcal{H}\phi' + a^2 V_{,\phi} = 0$$

$$\epsilon_V = \frac{V_0'}{V_0} \quad \text{“slow-roll”}$$

$$\eta_V = \frac{V_0''}{V_0}$$

$$\Upsilon \equiv \phi_0'^2/2 \longrightarrow \eta_c^2 = \frac{1}{1 - \Upsilon}$$

complete set of parameters

perturbed metric $ds^2 = g_{\mu\nu} dx^\mu dx^\nu = a^2 (-e^{2\Phi} d\eta^2 + e^{-2\Psi} \gamma_{ij} dx^i dx^j)$

perturbations up to 2nd order $X(\mathbf{x}, \eta) = X_{(1)}(\mathbf{x}, \eta) + \frac{1}{2}X_{(2)}(\mathbf{x}, \eta) + \dots$

$$\mathcal{D}\Psi_{(i)} = \mathcal{S}[\Psi_{(i-1)}]$$

first order $\Psi''_{(1)} + F(\eta)\Psi'_{(1)} - \bar{\nabla}^2\Psi_{(1)} + W(\eta)\Psi_{(1)} = 0$

$$2\left(\mathcal{H} - \frac{\bar{\phi}''}{\bar{\phi}'}\right)$$

$$2\left(\mathcal{H}' - \mathcal{H}\frac{\bar{\phi}''}{\bar{\phi}'} - 2\mathcal{K}\right)$$

positive spatial curvature: decomposition on the 3-sphere

$$\Psi_{(1)}(\mathbf{x}, \eta) = \sum_{lmn} \Psi_{lmn}(\eta) Q_{lmn}(\chi, \theta, \varphi)$$

$Q_{lmn}(\chi, \theta, \varphi) = R_{ln}(\chi)Y_{lm}(\theta, \varphi)$ *hyperspherical harmonics*

$$R_{nl}(\chi) = \sqrt{\frac{(n+1)(n+l+1)!}{(n-l)!}} \sqrt{\frac{\mathcal{K}}{f\mathcal{K}(\chi)}} P_{n+\frac{1}{2}}^{-l-\frac{1}{2}}[\cos(\sqrt{\mathcal{K}}\chi)]$$

Legendre

effect of the bounce itself: initial conditions = classical gaussian fields

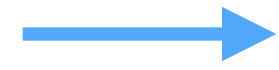
$$\begin{bmatrix} \Psi_{(1)}(\mathbf{k}, \eta_-) \\ \Psi'_{(1)}(\mathbf{k}, \eta_-) \end{bmatrix} \equiv \begin{bmatrix} \hat{x}_1(\mathbf{k}) \\ \hat{x}_2(\mathbf{k}) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\langle \hat{x}_i(\mathbf{k}) \hat{x}_j(\mathbf{k}') \rangle \equiv \delta_{\mathbf{k}, \mathbf{k}'} P_{ij}(k)$$

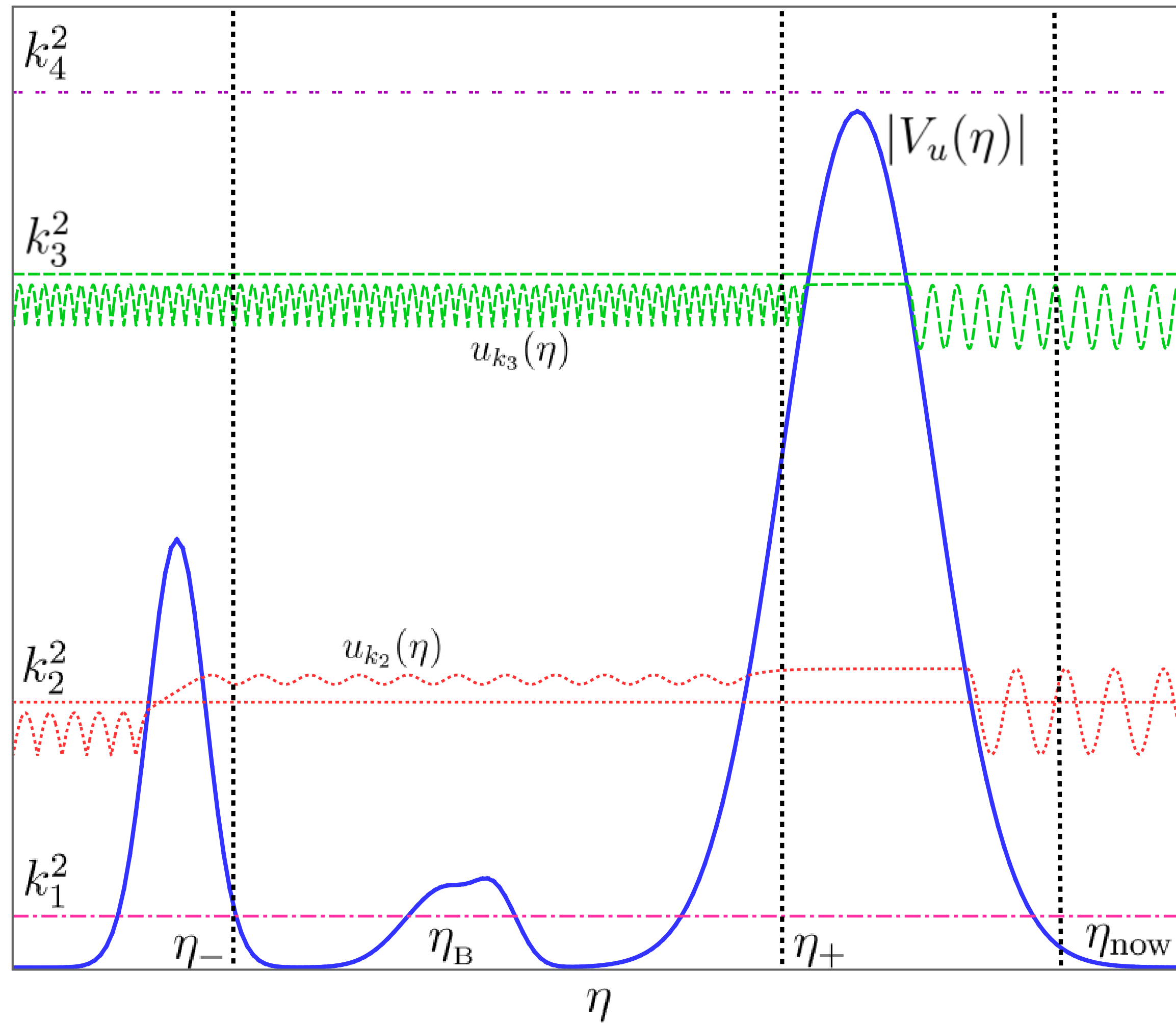
$$\delta_{nn'} \delta_{\ell\ell'} \delta_{mm'}$$

spectra

$$u \propto a\Psi_{(1)}/\phi'$$



$$u''_k + [k^2 - V_u(\eta)] u_k = 0$$



2nd order $\Psi''_{(2)} + 2 \left(\mathcal{H} - \frac{\bar{\phi}''}{\bar{\phi}'} \right) \Psi'_{(2)} - \bar{\nabla}^2 \Psi_{(2)} + 2 \left(\mathcal{H}' - 2\mathcal{K} - \mathcal{H} \frac{\bar{\phi}''}{\bar{\phi}'} \right) \Psi_{(2)} = \mathcal{S}_{(2)}$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{S}_{(2)} = & 4 \left(2\mathcal{H}^2 - \mathcal{H}' + 2\mathcal{H} \frac{\bar{\phi}''}{\bar{\phi}'} + 6\mathcal{K} \right) \Psi_{(1)}^2 + 8\Psi_{(1)}'^2 + 8 \left(2\mathcal{H} + \frac{\bar{\phi}''}{\bar{\phi}'} \right) \Psi_{(1)} \Psi_{(1)}' + 8\Psi_{(1)} \bar{\nabla}^2 \Psi_{(1)} - \frac{4}{3} (\bar{\nabla}_i \Psi_{(1)})^2 \\ & - \left[2(2\mathcal{H}^2 - \mathcal{H}') - \frac{\bar{\phi}'''}{\bar{\phi}'} \right] \phi_{(1)}^2 - \frac{2}{3} (\bar{\nabla}_i \phi_{(1)})^2 - 2 \left(\frac{\bar{\phi}''}{\bar{\phi}'} + 2\mathcal{H} \right) \bar{\nabla}^{-2} \bar{\nabla}^i \left(2\Psi_{(1)}' \bar{\nabla}_i \Psi_{(1)} + \phi_{(1)}' \bar{\nabla}_i \phi_{(1)} \right) \\ & + \left[2 \left(\mathcal{H}' - \mathcal{H} \frac{\bar{\phi}''}{\bar{\phi}'} \right) + \frac{1}{3} \bar{\nabla}^2 \right] [2F(\Psi_{(1)}) + F(\phi_{(1)})] + \mathcal{H} [2F(\Psi_{(1)}) + F(\phi_{(1)})]' \end{aligned}$$

$$F(X) = (\bar{\nabla}^2 \bar{\nabla}^2 + 3\mathcal{K} \bar{\nabla}^2)^{-1} \left[\bar{\nabla}_i \bar{\nabla}^j \left(3\bar{\nabla}^i X \bar{\nabla}_j X - \delta_j^i (\bar{\nabla}_k X)^2 \right) \right]$$

general solution $\mathcal{S}_{(2)}(\mathbf{k}, \eta) = \sum_{\mathbf{p}_1, \mathbf{p}_2} \mathcal{G}_{\mathbf{k}, \mathbf{p}_1, \mathbf{p}_2} \tilde{\Sigma}_{ij}(k, p_1, p_2; \eta) \hat{a}_i(\mathbf{p}_1) \hat{a}_j(\mathbf{p}_2)$

$$\Psi_{(2)}(\mathbf{k}, \eta) = \Psi_{(2)}^{(0)}(\mathbf{k}, \eta) + \sum_{\mathbf{p}_1, \mathbf{p}_2} \mathcal{G}_{\mathbf{k}, \mathbf{p}_1, \mathbf{p}_2} \Pi_{ij}(k, p_1, p_2; \eta) \hat{x}_i(\mathbf{p}_1) \hat{x}_j(\mathbf{p}_2)$$

$$\Pi_{ij}(k, p_1, p_2; \eta) \equiv \int_{\eta_-}^{\eta} d\eta' G(k, \eta, \eta') \Sigma_{ij}(k, p_1, p_2; \eta')$$

Green

Bispectrum $\langle \Psi(\mathbf{k}_1, \eta) \Psi(\mathbf{k}_2, \eta) \Psi(\mathbf{k}_3, \eta) \rangle \equiv \frac{1}{2} \mathcal{G}_{\mathbf{k}_1 \mathbf{k}_2 \mathbf{k}_3} \mathcal{B}_\Psi(k_1, k_2, k_3; \eta)$
 $\delta(\mathbf{k}_1 + \mathbf{k}_2 + \mathbf{k}_3)$

$$\mathcal{B}_\Psi(k_1, k_2, k_3) = \frac{6}{5} f_{\text{NL}} [P_{\Psi\Psi}(k_1)P_{\Psi\Psi}(k_2) + P_{\Psi\Psi}(k_2)P_{\Psi\Psi}(k_3) + P_{\Psi\Psi}(k_3)P_{\Psi\Psi}(k_1)]$$

$$f_{\text{NL}} = -\frac{5(k_1 + k_2 + k_3)}{3\Upsilon K_3(k_1, k_2, k_3)} \left(\left[\prod_{\sigma(i,j,\ell)} (k_i + k_j - k_\ell) \right] \left\{ \sum_{\sigma(i,j,\ell)} \frac{K_1(k_i)K_1(k_j)}{k_\ell^2} - 4 \left[\frac{K_1(k_i)K_2(k_j)}{k_j^2 k_\ell^2} + \frac{K_1(k_j)K_2(k_i)}{k_i^2 k_\ell^2} \right] \right\} \right. \\ \left. - \sum_{\sigma(i,j,\ell)} \left[\frac{7}{3} + \frac{2}{3} \left(\frac{k_i^2 + k_j^2}{k_\ell^2} \right) - 3 \left(\frac{k_i^2 - k_j^2}{k_\ell^2} \right)^2 \right] K_1(k_i)K_1(k_j) \right) + \dots,$$

$$81 \sum_{\sigma(i,j)} P_{\Psi\Psi}(k_i)P_{\Psi\Psi}(k_j) + 108 \sum_{\sigma(i,j)} P_{\Psi\Psi}(k_i)P_{\Psi\Psi'}(k_j) + 36 \sum_{\sigma(i,j)} P_{\Psi\Psi}(k_i)P_{\Psi'\Psi'}(k_j) + \\ 144 \sum_{\sigma(i,j)} P_{\Psi\Psi'}(k_i)P_{\Psi\Psi'}(k_j) + 48 \sum_{\sigma(i,j)} P_{\Psi\Psi'}(k_i)P_{\Psi'\Psi'}(k_j) + 16 \sum_{\sigma(i,j)} P_{\Psi'\Psi'}(k_i)P_{\Psi'\Psi'}(k_j)$$

$$6P_{\Psi\Psi}(k) + 7P_{\Psi\Psi'}(k) + 2P_{\Psi'\Psi'}(k)$$

$$7P_{\Psi\Psi}(k) + 11P_{\Psi\Psi'}(k) + 4P_{\Psi'\Psi'}(k)$$

equilateral $k_1 = k_2 = k_3 = k$

$$f_{\text{NL}}^{\text{equi}} = -\frac{15k^2}{\Upsilon} \frac{K_1^2(k)}{K_3(k, k, k)}$$

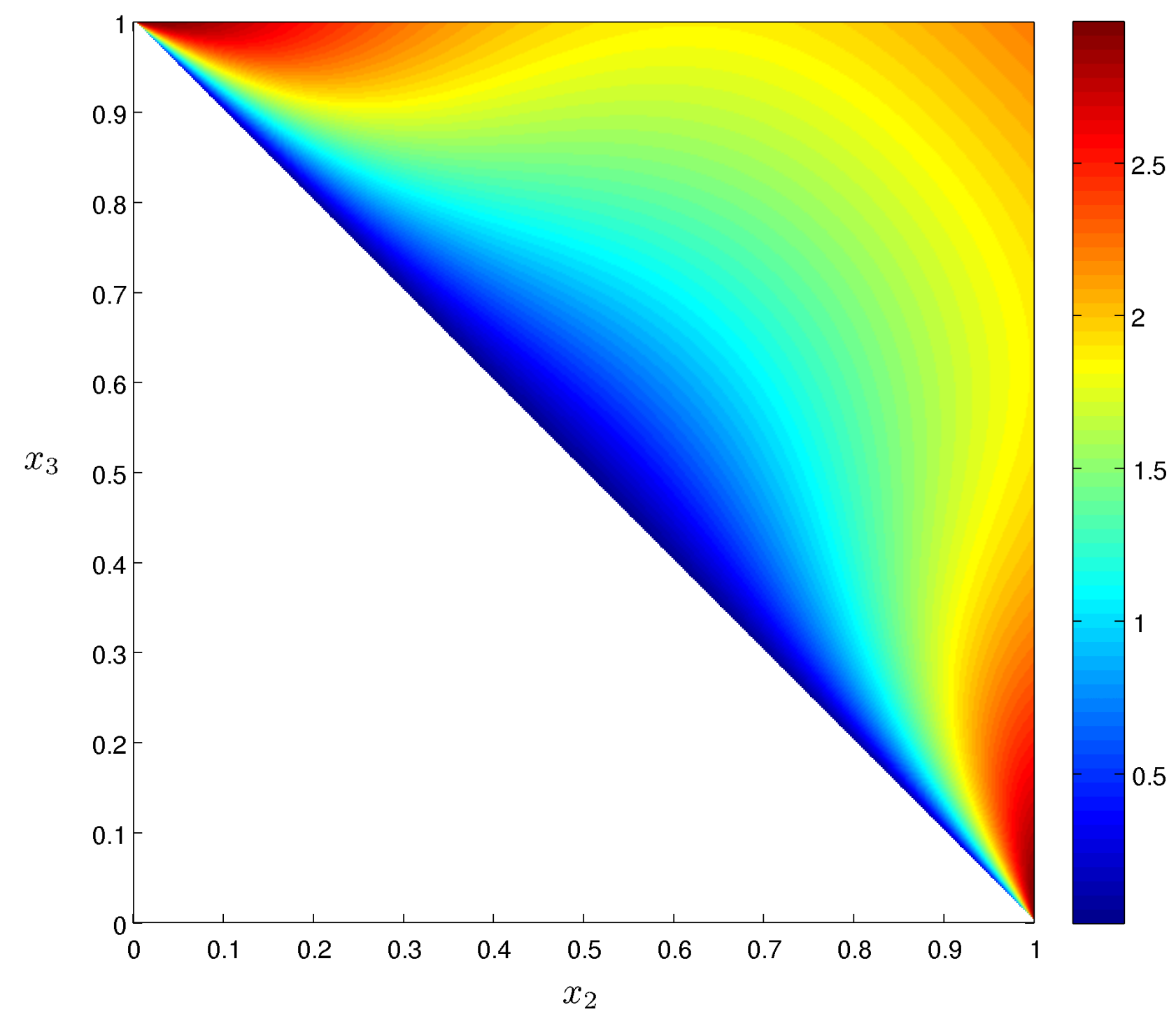
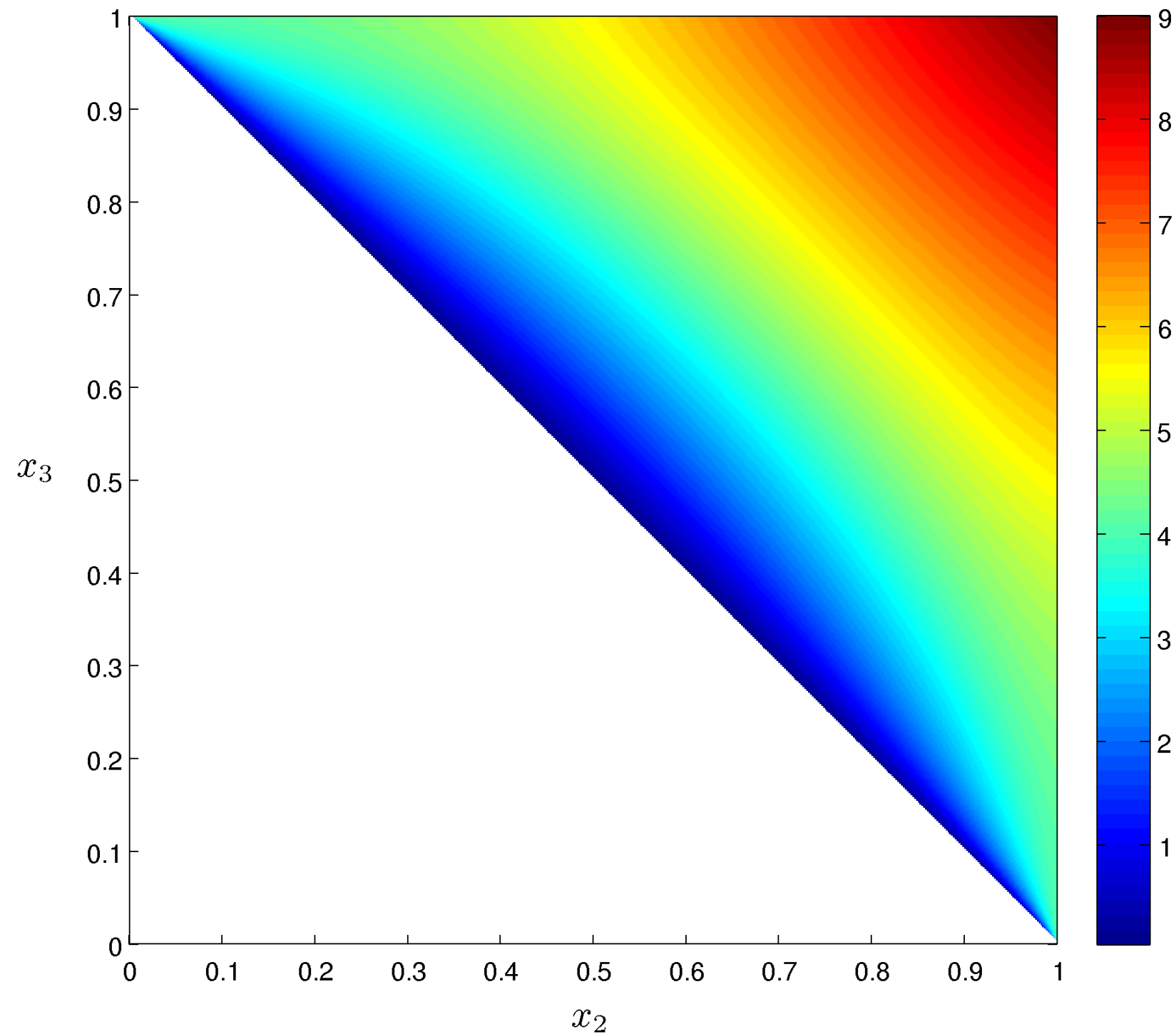
squeezed $k_i = k_j = k$ & $k_\ell = p \ll k$

$$f_{\text{NL}}^{\text{sq}} = -\frac{20k^2}{3\Upsilon} \frac{K_1^2(k) + K_1(k)K_1(p)}{K_3(k, k, p)}$$

folded $k_2 = k_3 = \frac{1}{2}k_1$

$$f_{\text{NL}}^{\text{fold}} = \frac{40}{9\Upsilon} \frac{K_1(k) [K_1(k) - 16K_1(2k)]}{K_3(k, k, 2k)}$$

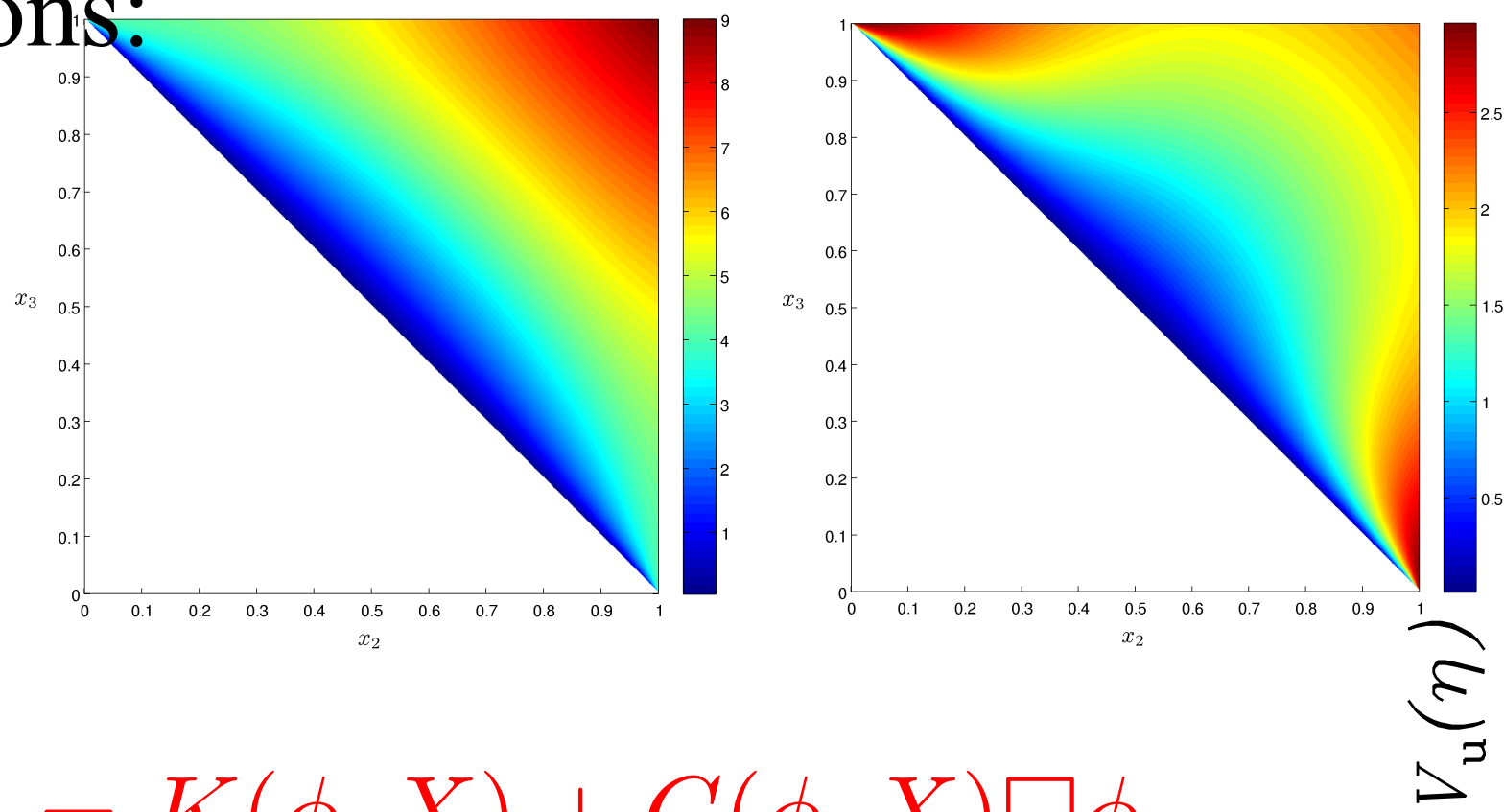
$$f_{\text{NL}} \propto (k_1^2/\Upsilon) \times \mathcal{S}(x_2, x_3)$$



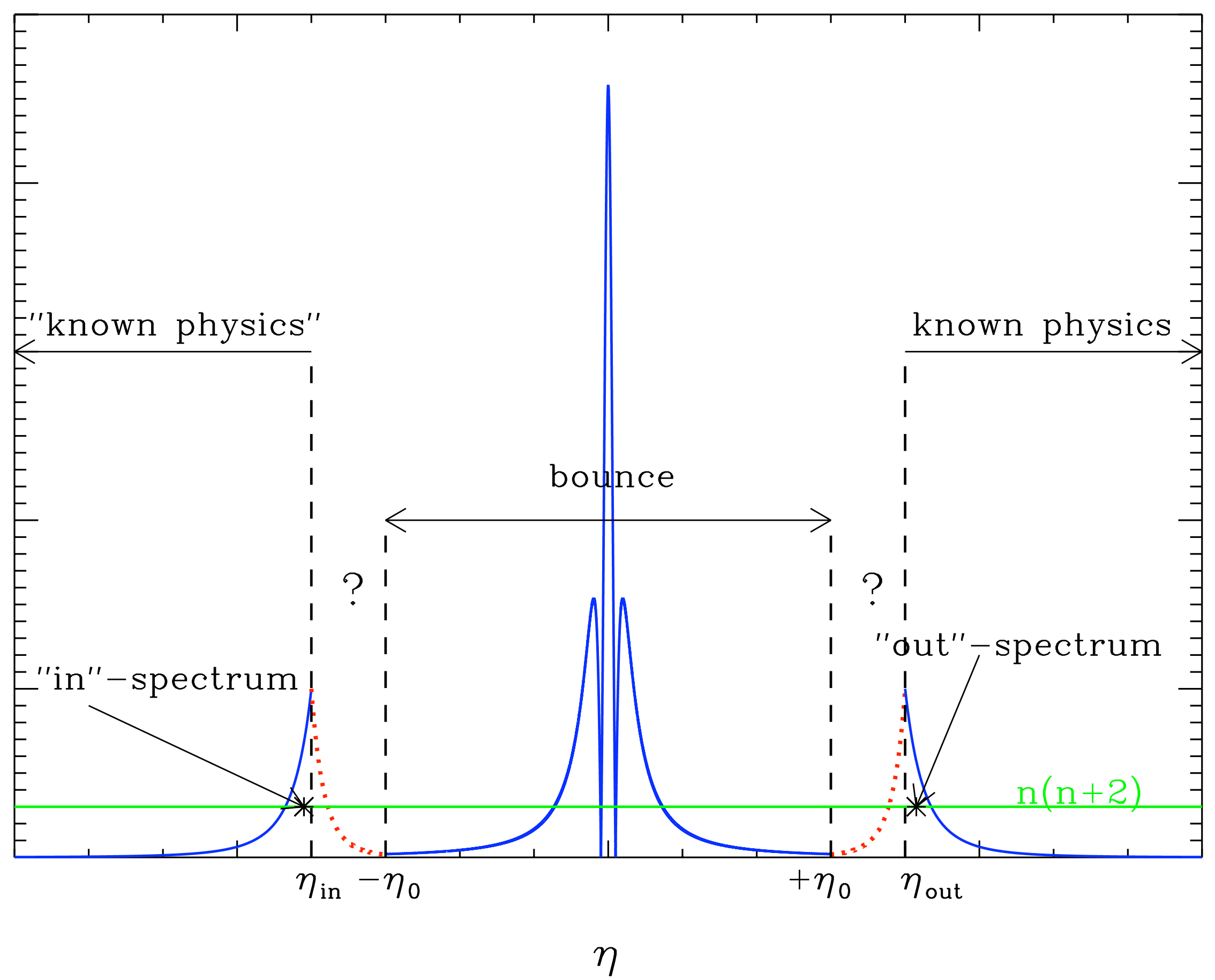
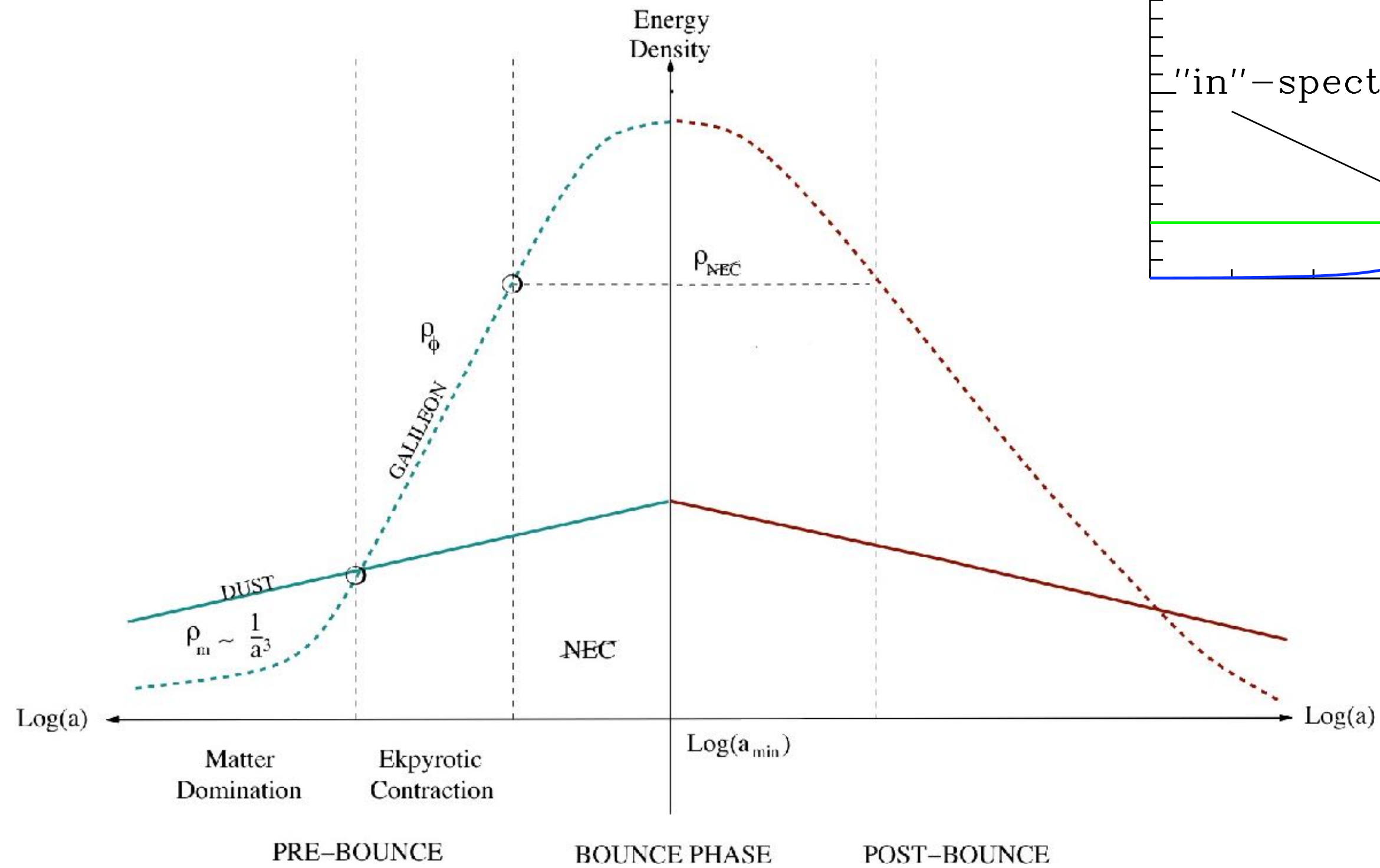
$10^{-2} h^{-1} \text{ Mpc} \leq k_{\text{phys}}^{-1} \leq 10^3 h^{-1} \text{ Mpc}$ \longrightarrow $10^2 \lesssim k \lesssim 10^8$ with $\Omega_{\mathcal{K}} \leq 10^{-2}$

Conclusions:

not easy



$$\mathcal{L}[\phi(x)] = K(\phi, X) + G(\phi, X)\square\phi$$



not predictive?

QUANTUM BOUNCE?