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Ray tracing, Parallax, Position and Redshift drift in Numerical Relativity

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# Advantage of our approach

# Observables depending on:



We separate the **effects of motion** from the **effects of geometry** 

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 $\nabla_l \nabla_l \xi^{\mu} - R^{\mu}_{\ \alpha\beta\nu} l^{\alpha} l^{\beta} \xi^{\nu} = 0 \quad , \quad \begin{cases} \xi^{\nu}(\lambda_0) = \delta x^{\nu}_{\mathcal{O}} \\ \nabla_l \xi^{\nu}(\lambda_0) = \Delta l^{\nu}_{\mathcal{O}} \end{cases}$ 

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Clear separation between curvature and E-O motion contributions in the observable expressions.

$$\left(\begin{array}{c}\delta x_{\mathcal{E}}\\\Delta l_{\mathcal{E}}\end{array}\right) = \mathcal{W}\left(\begin{array}{c}\delta x_{\mathcal{O}}\\\Delta l_{\mathcal{O}}\end{array}\right)$$



 $\begin{array}{ccc} W_{XX} & W_{XL} \\ \\ W_{LX} & W_{LL} \end{array}$ 

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- Distorsion / Magnification
- Angular Distance



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ParallaxPosition Drift

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#### Redshift Drifts Visual Prospective

# Numerical Relativity and Light propagation



#### H. Macpherson et. al., arXiv:1807.01711





# Cosmic web from Numerical Relativity

To Do

Light Propagation in Numerical Relativity



Necessary ingredient:

Spacetime geometry









Last ingredient:

 Observer and source motion



Distances Parallax Position drift Redshift drift **Cosmological Observables** 



# The actual computation



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# 3+1 Foliation of Spacetime

 $\beta^i dt$  $t^{\mu} = \alpha n^{\mu} + \beta^{\mu}$ Et+dy  $\alpha dt n^{\mu}$ Σ,  $\gamma_{\mu\nu} = g_{\mu\nu} + n_{\mu}n_{\nu}$ 

 $(\mathcal{M}, g_{\mu\nu})$ 





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$$\frac{d\lambda}{dt} = \frac{\alpha}{E}$$

$$\frac{dE}{dt} = E(\alpha K_{jk}V^{j}V^{k} - V^{j}\partial_{j}\alpha)$$

$$\begin{cases} \frac{dX^{i}}{dt} = \alpha V^{i} - \beta^{i} \\ \frac{dV^{i}}{dt} = \alpha V^{j} [V^{i}(\partial_{i} \log \alpha - K_{jk}V^{k}) + 2K^{i}_{j} - {}^{(3)}\Gamma^{i}_{jk}V^{k}] - \gamma^{ij}\partial_{j}\alpha - V^{j}\partial_{j}\beta^{i} \end{cases}$$

# The salt: Parallel transported SNF

$$\nabla_{p} e^{(4)} e^{\mu} = 0$$

$$^{(4)} e^{\mu} = C n^{\mu} + e^{\mu}$$

$$\alpha^{-1}\frac{dC}{dt} + e^i\partial_i\log\alpha - K_{ij}V^ie^j = 0$$

$$\alpha^{-1}\left(\frac{de^{i}}{dt} + e^{j}\partial_{j}\beta^{i}\right) + {}^{(3)}\Gamma^{i}{}_{jk}V^{j}e^{k} - K^{i}{}_{j}e^{j} + C\gamma^{ij}\partial_{j}\log\alpha - CK^{i}{}_{j}V^{j} = 0$$

$$\mathbf{f}_{(a)} = (u^{\mu}, f_{1}^{\mu}, f_{2}^{\mu}, p^{\mu}) \qquad \mathbf{e}^{(a)} = (u_{\mu}, e_{\mu}^{1}, e_{\mu}^{2}, p_{\mu})$$
$$u^{\mu}u_{\mu} = -1 \ ; \ f_{(A)}^{\mu}e_{\mu}^{(B)} = \delta_{(B)}^{(A)} \ ; \ p^{\mu}p_{\mu} = 0 \ ; \ p^{\mu}u_{\mu} = Q > 0$$

# GDE in parallel transported frame

$$GDE 
\nabla_{p} \nabla_{p} \xi^{\mu} - {}^{(a)} R^{\mu}_{\ \alpha\beta\nu} p^{\alpha} p^{\beta} \xi^{\nu} = 0 
\frac{e^{(a)}}{e^{(a)}} = (u_{\mu}, e^{1}_{\mu}, e^{2}_{\mu}, p_{\mu}) 
\frac{d^{2} \xi^{(a)}}{dt^{2}} - {}^{(a)} R^{(a)}_{\ \alpha\beta\beta\beta} p^{\alpha} p^{\beta} \xi^{(b)} + f(t) \frac{d\xi^{(a)}}{dt} = 0 
\xi^{(a)} = \xi^{\mu} e^{(a)}_{\mu}$$

# The raw pasta: the curvature

$$\mathcal{G}^{\mu}_{\ \alpha\beta\nu} = \gamma^{\mu}_{\rho} \gamma^{\phi}_{\alpha} \gamma^{\theta}_{\beta} \gamma^{\chi}_{\nu} {}^{(4)}R^{\rho}_{\ \phi\theta\chi} = R^{\mu}_{\ \alpha\beta\nu} + K^{\mu}_{\ \beta}K_{\alpha\nu} - K^{\mu}_{\ \alpha}K_{\beta\nu}$$
$$\mathcal{C}^{\mu}_{\ \alpha\nu} = \gamma^{\mu}_{\ \rho} n^{\phi} \gamma^{\theta}_{\ \alpha} \gamma^{\chi}_{\ \nu} {}^{(4)}R^{\rho}_{\ \phi\theta\chi} = D_{\nu}K^{\mu}_{\ \alpha} - D_{\alpha}K^{\mu}_{\ \nu}$$
$$\mathcal{R}^{\mu}_{\ \nu} = \gamma^{\mu}_{\ \rho} n^{\phi}\gamma^{\theta}_{\ \nu}n^{\chi} {}^{(4)}R^{\rho}_{\ \phi\theta\chi} = \frac{1}{\alpha}\mathcal{L}_{\alpha\mathbf{n}}K^{\mu}_{\ \nu} + \frac{1}{\alpha}\gamma^{\mu\sigma}D_{\sigma}D_{\nu}\alpha + K^{\mu}_{\ \sigma}K^{\sigma}_{\ \nu}$$

$$^{(4)}R^{\mu}_{\ \alpha\beta\nu} = \gamma^{\mu}_{\ \rho}\gamma^{\delta}_{\ \alpha}\gamma^{\eta}_{\ \beta}\gamma^{\sigma}_{\ \nu} {}^{(4)}R^{\rho}_{\ \delta\eta\sigma} - 2\gamma^{\mu}_{\ \rho}\gamma^{\delta}_{\ \alpha}\gamma^{\eta}_{\ [\beta}n_{\ \nu]}n^{\sigma} {}^{(4)}R^{\rho}_{\ \delta\eta\sigma}$$
$$-2\gamma_{\beta\rho}\gamma^{\delta}_{\ \nu}\gamma^{\eta[\mu}n_{\ \alpha]}n^{\sigma} {}^{(4)}R^{\rho}_{\ \delta\eta\sigma} + 2\gamma^{\mu}_{\ \rho}\gamma^{\eta}_{\ [\beta}n_{\nu]}n_{\alpha}n^{\delta}n^{\sigma} {}^{(4)}R^{\rho}_{\ \delta\eta\sigma}$$
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# APPLICATIONS: Schwarzschild metric as toy model

Initial conditions:

- (i)  $x_{in} = 40 r_S$
- (ii)  $y_{in} = 10 r_S$
- (iii) $z_{in} = 0$
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From the BGO we get  $\mathscr{D}_{ang}$  and  $\mathscr{D}_{par}$ From the BGO + redshift we get  $\mathscr{D}_{lum}$ 



APPLICATIONS: isolating non linearities in light propagation in inhomogeneous cosmology

Our toy-model: plane-parallel dynamics in the PN approximation

Perturbations depend on x and time only
 Leading order in the 1/c<sup>2n</sup> expansion of Einstein equations

 $ds^{2} = a^{2}(\eta) \left\{ -d\eta^{2} + \left[ \gamma_{11}^{\text{Nwt}}(\eta, x) + \gamma_{11}^{\text{PN}}(\eta, x) \right] dx^{2} + \left[ 1 + \gamma_{22}^{\text{PN}}(\eta, x) \right] (dy^{2} + dz^{2}) \right\}$ 

Villa, E., Matarrese, S., & Maino, D. (2011). *JCAP*, 2011(08), 024.

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Comparison of cosmological observables in three cases:

- (I) **Newtonian** dynamics + **exact** relativistic light propagation
- (II) **PN** dynamics + **exact** relativistic light propagation
- (III) Standard PT at first order for both

# APPLICATIONS: isolating non linearities in light propagation in inhomogeneous cosmology



Grasso, M., Villa, E., & Korzyński, M., in preparation

# Summary

#### Take-home message:

 BGOs as unified framework for all the observables and all scales

#### Work in progress:

investigating non-linearities
 the full numerical tool for  $\mathcal{W}$  within the EINSTEIN TOOLKIT





#### APPENDIX: Recipe for computing observables using BGO's



#### APPENDIX: Relation between BGO and standard geometric optics

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$$(W_{\rm XL})^{(a)}_{\ (b)} = \begin{pmatrix} {\rm X} & {\rm X} & {\rm X} & {\rm X} \\ {\rm X} & {\rm D}^{A} & {\rm X} \\ {\rm X} & {\rm X} & {\rm X} & {\rm X} \end{pmatrix} \qquad (W_{\rm XX})^{(a)}_{\ (b)} = \begin{pmatrix} {\rm X} & {\rm X} & {\rm X} & {\rm X} \\ {\rm X} & (\delta + m)^{A} & {\rm X} \\ {\rm X} & {\rm X} & {\rm X} & {\rm X} \end{pmatrix}$$

#### APPENDIX: Relation between BGO and different notions of distances

$$\mathcal{D}_{\text{ang}} = (p_{\mathcal{O}\,\mu} \, u_{\mathcal{O}}^{\mu}) \left| \det D_{(B)}^{(A)} \right|^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

 $\mathscr{D}_{\text{lum}} = (1+z)^2 \mathscr{D}_{\text{ang}}$ 

$$\mathscr{D}_{\text{par}} = (p_{\mathcal{O}\,\mu} \, u_{\mathcal{O}}^{\mu}) \left| \det D_{(B)}^{(A)} \right|^{\frac{1}{2}} \left| \det \left( \delta_{(B)}^{(A)} + m_{(B)}^{(A)} \right) \right|^{-\frac{1}{2}}$$

# APPENDIX: Plane-parallel metric

$$ds^{2} = a^{2}(\eta) \left\{ -c^{2}d\eta^{2} + \gamma_{11}(\eta, x)dx^{2} + \gamma_{22}(\eta, x)dy^{2} + \gamma_{33}(\eta, x)dz^{2} \right\}$$

• 
$$\gamma_{11} = \left(1 - \frac{2}{3} \frac{D\partial_1^2 \phi_0}{\mathcal{H}_0^2 \Omega_{m0}}\right)^2 + \frac{1}{c^2} \left[-\frac{10}{3} \phi_0 + (4a_{nl} - 5) \frac{10}{9} \frac{D(\partial_1 \phi_0)^2}{\mathcal{H}_0^2 \Omega_{m0}} + (a_{nl} - 1) \frac{40}{9} \frac{D\phi_0 \partial_1^2 \phi_0}{\mathcal{H}_0^2 \Omega_{m0}} - (32a_{nl} - 49) \frac{5}{54} \frac{D^2(\partial_1 \phi_0)^2 \partial_1^2 \phi_0}{(\mathcal{H}_0^2 \Omega_{m0})^2} + \left(1 - \frac{2}{3}a_{nl}\right) \frac{40}{9} \frac{D^2 \phi_0 (\partial_1^2 \phi_0)^2}{(\mathcal{H}_0^2 \Omega_{m0})^2} - \frac{5}{9} \frac{D^3(\partial_1 \phi_0)^2 (\partial_1^2 \phi_0)^2}{(\mathcal{H}_0^2 \Omega_{m0})^3}\right]$$

• 
$$\gamma_{22} = \gamma_{33} = 1 + \frac{1}{c^2} \left[ \frac{10}{9} \left( \frac{D(\partial_1 \phi_0)^2}{\mathcal{H}_0^2 \Omega_{m0}} - 3\phi_0 \right) \right].$$