

# Regularizing cosmological singularities by varying physical constants.



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# Type of singularities in Friedmann Cosmology

Type 0 – Big-Bang (BB):  $a \rightarrow 0, \rho \rightarrow \infty, p \rightarrow \infty$  at  $t \rightarrow 0$ .

Type I - Big-Rip (BR):  $a \rightarrow \infty, \rho \rightarrow \infty, p \rightarrow \infty$  at  $t \rightarrow t_s$ .

Type II - Sudden Future Singularity (SFS):  $a \rightarrow \text{const}, \rho \rightarrow \text{const},$   
 $p \rightarrow \infty$  at  $t \rightarrow t_s$ .

Type III - Finite Scalar Factor (FSF):  $a = a_s = \text{const}, \rho \rightarrow \infty, p \rightarrow \infty$   
at  $t \rightarrow t_s$ .

Type IV - Big-Separation (BS):  $a = a_s = \text{const}, \rho \rightarrow 0, p \rightarrow 0, \dot{p} \rightarrow \infty,$   
 $w \rightarrow \infty$  at  $t \rightarrow t_s$ .

Type V – w-singularity (w):  $\rho \rightarrow 0, p \rightarrow 0, \dot{p} \rightarrow 0, w \rightarrow \infty,$   
at  $t \rightarrow t_s$ .

TYPE II AND III WERE TESTED BY OBSERVATIONS - GOOD FIT

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# Varying Constants Theories

Friedman equation with varying fundamentals constants:

$$\rho(t) = \frac{3}{8\pi G(t)} \left( \frac{\dot{a}^2}{a^2} + \frac{Kc^2(t)}{a^2} \right)$$
$$p(t) = -\frac{c(t)}{8\pi G(t)} \left( 2\frac{\dot{a}}{a} + \frac{\dot{a}^2}{a^2} + \frac{Kc^2(t)}{a^2} \right)$$

and the energy-momentum conservation law:

$$\dot{\rho} + 3\frac{\dot{a}}{a} \left( \rho(t) + 3\frac{p(t)}{c^2(t)} \right) = -\rho(t) \frac{\dot{G}(t)}{G(t)} + \frac{3Kc(t)\dot{c}(t)}{4\pi G a^2}$$

Varying G (Brans-Dicke):

$$S = \int d^4x \sqrt{-g} \left[ \phi R - \frac{\omega}{\phi} \partial_\mu \phi \partial^\mu \phi + \Lambda + \mathcal{L}_m \right]$$

Where:  $\phi \sim \frac{1}{G}$

Varying c (VSL):

$$S = \int d^4x \left( \sqrt{-g} \left( \frac{\psi(R+2\Lambda)}{16\pi G} + L_M \right) + L_\psi \right)$$

Where:  $\psi \sim c^4$

# VARYING CONSTANTS MODELS

Our proposal of the scale factor which allows types I-V is:

$$a(t) = a_s \left( \frac{t}{t_s} \right)^m \exp \left( 1 - \frac{t}{t_s} \right)^n$$

Where  $a_s, t_s, m, n$  are constants.

Friedmann equations with zero curvature (for  $k=0$ ) now is expressed by:

$$\rho(t) = \frac{3}{8\pi G(t)} \left[ \frac{m}{t} - \frac{n}{t_s} \left( 1 - \frac{t}{t_s} \right)^{n-1} \right]^2$$

$$p(t) = -\frac{c^2(t)}{8\pi G(t)} \left[ \frac{m(3m-2)}{t^2} - 6 \frac{mn}{tt_s} \left( 1 - \frac{t}{t_s} \right)^{n-1} + 3 \frac{n^2}{t_s^2} \left( 1 - \frac{t}{t_s} \right)^{2(n-1)} + 2 \frac{n(n-1)}{t_s^2} \left( 1 - \frac{t}{t_s} \right)^{n-2} \right]$$

# REGULARIZING SINGULARITIES

## Big-Bang singularity:

To avoid the Big-Bang singularities a gravitational constant could be in this form:

$$G \propto 1/t^2$$

To avoid a future singularities we should assume that gravitational constant change in time in following form:

$$G(t) = G_0 \left(1 - \frac{t}{t_s}\right)^{-r}$$

At the expense of having  $G(t_s) \rightarrow 0$  at singularity.

# REGULARIZING SINGULARITIES

## Exotic singularities

In order to regularize an SFS singularity by varying speed of light we suggest that the time-dependence of the speed of light is given by:

$$c(t) = c_0 \left(1 - \frac{t}{t_s}\right)^{\frac{p}{2}}$$

which after substituting into pressure equation gives:

$$p(t) = -\frac{c^2(t)}{8\pi G(t)} \left[ \frac{m(3m-2)}{t^2} \left(1 - \frac{t}{t_s}\right)^p - 6\frac{mn}{tt_s} \left(1 - \frac{t}{t_s}\right)^{p+n-1} + 3\frac{n^2}{t_s^2} \left(1 - \frac{t}{t_s}\right)^{p+2n-2} + 2\frac{n(n-1)}{t_s^2} \left(1 - \frac{t}{t_s}\right)^{p+n-2} \right]$$

SFS singularity is regularized by varying speed of light provided that

$$p > n - 2$$

And  $c(t_s) \rightarrow 0$  at the singularity.