Constant roll and primordial black holes

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 $M_{\rm min} \approx 10^{-21} M_{\odot}$: Smallest PBH mass that does not evaporate by matter-radiation equality barring merging and accretion \Rightarrow Lower bound on SR violation

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HM, Hu, 1706.06784

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Summary:

Passaglia, Hu, HM, 1812.08243

- **PBH** production
- \leftarrow Sharp enhancement of $\Delta_{\zeta}^2(k)$
- \Leftrightarrow Quick decay of ϵ_H within ~ 50 efolds

$$\Leftrightarrow -\frac{\Delta \ln \epsilon_H}{\Delta N} > O(1)$$
$$\Leftrightarrow \epsilon_H \propto a^{-p} \text{ with } p = O(1)$$

Simple realization:

Constant roll inflation with p = const.

Martin, HM, Suyama, 1211.0083 HM, Starobinsky, Yokoyama, 1411.5021

Constant-roll inflation

Canonical single filed inflation

 $\approx 0 \qquad \qquad \text{Slow-roll} \\ \ddot{\phi}/(H\dot{\phi}) = -3 \qquad \qquad \text{Ultra slow-roll} \\ = \beta \text{ (constant)} \qquad \qquad \text{Constant-roll}$



Ultra slow-roll inflation ($\beta = -3$)



$$\begin{array}{rcl} \mathsf{KG eq:} & \ddot{\phi} = -3H\dot{\phi} & \Rightarrow & \dot{\phi} \propto a^{-3} \\ & \Rightarrow & \epsilon_H \propto a^{-6} \end{array}$$

Ultra slow-roll inflation ($\beta = -3$)

Superhorizon solution of MS eq

 $\zeta_k = A_k + B_k \int \frac{dt}{a^3 \epsilon_H}$ Constant mode Slow-roll $\epsilon_H \simeq \text{const.} \ll 1$ **Decaying mode** Ultra slow-roll $\epsilon_H \propto a^{-6}$ Growing mode While $\epsilon_H \ll 1$, $d \ln \epsilon_H / dN = -6$ violates slow roll. SR USR ()-3**>** β SH ζ_k Growing Frozen

Constant-roll inflation (general β)

Superhorizon solution

Constant roll $\epsilon_H \propto a^{2\beta}$

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 $2\beta \gtrless - 3$ Decaying mode Growing mode



Constant-roll inflation (general β)

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Constant-roll condition $\ddot{\phi} = \beta H \dot{\phi}$

+ Hamilton-Jacobi formalism $H = H(\phi)$.

$$-2\dot{H} = \dot{\phi}^2 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \dot{\phi} = -2\frac{dH}{d\phi} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \frac{d^2H}{d\phi^2} = -\frac{\beta}{2}H$$

Analytic solution:

 $H(\phi) = \text{linear combination of } e^{\pm \sqrt{-\beta/2} \phi}$ $\Rightarrow V(\phi) = 3H^2 - \frac{\dot{\phi}^2}{2} = 3H^2 - 2\left(\frac{dH}{d\phi}\right)^2$ $= \text{linear combination of } e^{\pm \sqrt{-2\beta} \phi}$ Analytic solutions for $\phi(t), H(t), a(t)$

can also be derived.

Constant-roll inflation (general β)

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Potentials

a) $V \propto e^{\sqrt{-2\beta}\phi}$ with $\beta < 0$: Power-law inflation $\swarrow r = 8(1 - n_s)$ b) $V \propto \cosh(\sqrt{-2\beta}\phi) + \text{const.}$ with $\beta < 0$ c) $V \propto \cos(\sqrt{2\beta}\phi) + \text{const.}$ with $\beta > 0$



cosh potential ($\beta < 0$)

$$\frac{V(\phi)}{M^2 M_{Pl}^2} = 3 \left[1 - \frac{3+\beta}{6} \left\{ 1 - \cosh\left(\sqrt{-2\beta} \frac{\phi}{M_{Pl}}\right) \right\} \right]$$

Assume inflation ends before $\phi = 0$. Analytic solution

$$\begin{split} \frac{\phi(t)}{M_{Pl}} &= \sqrt{\frac{2}{-\beta}} \ln \left[\coth\left(\frac{-\beta}{2}Mt\right) \right] \to 0 \quad (t \to \infty) \\ \frac{H(t)}{M} &= \coth(-\beta Mt) \qquad \to 1 \\ a(t) &\propto \sinh^{-1/\beta}(-\beta Mt) \qquad \to e^{Mt} \quad \epsilon_1 \equiv -\dot{H}/H^2 \\ \epsilon_{n+1} \equiv \dot{\epsilon_n}/H\epsilon_n \end{split}$$
Slow-roll parameters

$$\begin{aligned} 2\epsilon_1 &= \epsilon_{2n+1} = -\beta/\cosh^2(-\beta Mt) \to 0 \\ \epsilon_{2n} &= 2\beta \tanh^2(-\beta Mt) & \to 2\beta \end{aligned}$$

cos potential ($\beta > 0$)

$$\frac{V(\phi)}{M^2 M_{Pl}^2} = 3 \left[1 - \frac{3+\beta}{6} \left\{ 1 - \cos\left(\sqrt{2\beta} \frac{\phi}{M_{Pl}}\right) \right\} \right]$$

Assume inflation ends before $\phi = \phi_c$. Analytic solution

$$\frac{\phi(t)}{M_{Pl}} = 2\sqrt{\frac{2}{\beta}}\arctan(e^{\beta Mt}) \rightarrow 0 \quad (t \rightarrow -\infty)$$

$$\frac{H(t)}{M} = -\tanh(\beta Mt) \rightarrow 1 \qquad \epsilon_1 \equiv -\dot{H}/H^2$$

$$a(t) \propto \cosh^{-1/\beta}(\beta Mt) \rightarrow e^{Mt} \qquad \epsilon_{n+1} \equiv \dot{\epsilon}_n/H\epsilon_n$$
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Assume a transition to reheating at $\phi < \phi_c$.



Non-attractor behavior

Lin, Morse, Kinney, 1904.06289





Curvature perturbation

HM, Starobinsky, Yokoyama, 1411.5021 Mukhanov-Sasaki equation

$$v_k^{\prime\prime} + \left(k^2 - \frac{z^{\prime\prime}}{z}\right)v_k = 0$$

where $v_k = \sqrt{2}z\zeta_k$ with $z = a\sqrt{\epsilon_1}$. $\epsilon_1 \equiv -\dot{H}/H^2$ Without approximation, $\epsilon_{n+1} \equiv \dot{\epsilon}_n/H\epsilon_n$

$$\frac{z''}{z} = a^2 H^2 \left(2 - \epsilon_1 + \frac{3}{2} \epsilon_2 + \frac{1}{4} \epsilon_2^2 - \frac{1}{2} \epsilon_1 \epsilon_2 + \frac{1}{2} \epsilon_2 \epsilon_3 \right)$$

For both cosh potential and cos potential,

$$\frac{z''}{z} \to \frac{(\beta + 2)(\beta + 1)}{\tau^2} = \frac{\nu^2 - 1/4}{\tau^2}$$

where $\nu \equiv |\beta + 3/2|$ and hence

$$n_s - 1 \Big|_{k\eta=1} = 3 - |2\beta + 3|$$

 $\ddot{\phi}/(H\dot{\phi}) = \beta$ (constant)



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PBH from constant-roll inflation

HM, Mukohyama, Oliosi, 1910.13235



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PBH from constant-roll inflation



Primordial black hole mass *M*_{PBH} [g]

Summary



PBH DM from Higgs?

Passaglia, Hu, HM, 1912.02682

