

Effects of Nonstandard Cosmologies on PBH and induced GW

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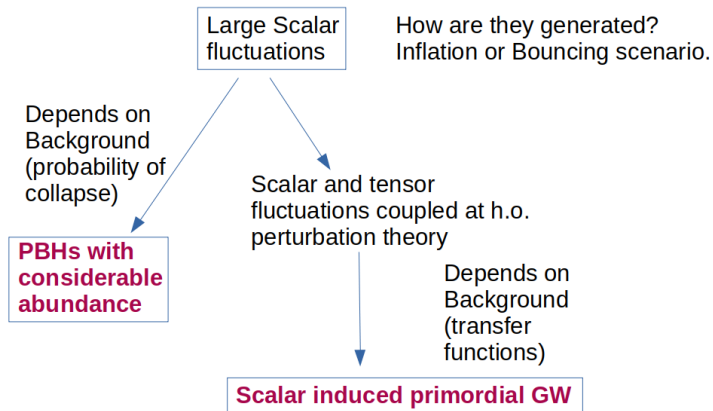
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Why study them together?



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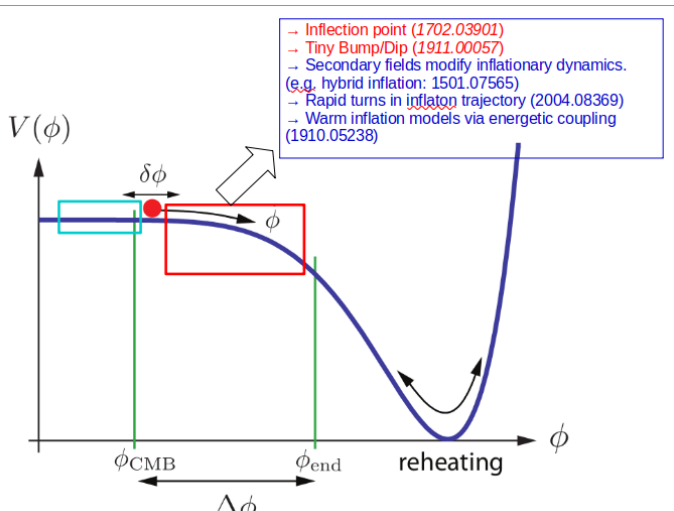
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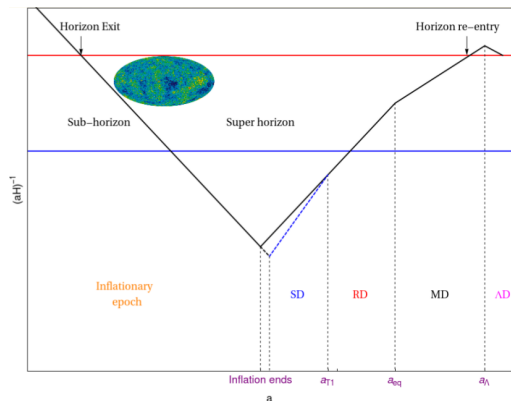
- δ_c depends on background EoS w .
- For $0 < w \leq 1$, the fraction of the energy density collapsing into a PBH is: $\beta\gamma$.
- β : mass fraction \rightarrow probability of collapse. β depends on δ_c and $P(\delta)$. ● $P(\delta)$ depends on $P_\zeta(k) \leftarrow$ links PBH to inflation.

Inflation models and PBH

- Requirement: Large $P_\zeta(k) \propto 1/\epsilon$. In RD, about 10% abundance of PBH requires $P_\zeta(k) \sim 10^{-2}$.
- ϵ has to be very small \rightarrow ultra-slow roll regime.



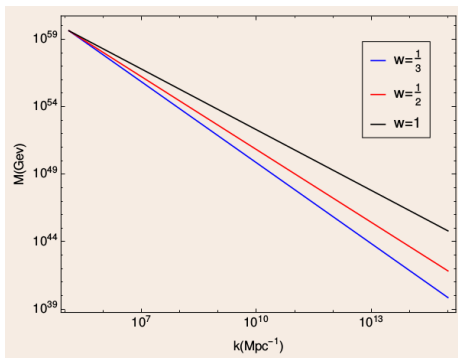
Alternate cosmological evolution and PBH mass



$$M(k) \propto k^{-2} \implies M(k) \propto k^{-2 \pm \dots}$$

- $w = 1$: kination epoch motivated in quintessential inflation models.
- Moduli vacuum misalignment in String theory inspired models of inflation \rightarrow post-inflationary moduli domination $w = 0$ + moduli reheating.

PBH in a stiff-domination



$$M(k) = \left(\frac{\gamma}{2G}\right) \left(2 \times \frac{\pi^2 g_*^{\text{eq}}}{30}\right)^{\frac{1}{3w+1}} \left(\frac{8\pi G}{3}\right)^{\frac{1}{3w+1}} \left(\frac{g_s(T_{\text{eq}})}{g_s(T_1)}\right)^{\frac{3w-1}{3(3w+1)}} \\ \times (a_{\text{eq}} T_{\text{eq}})^{\frac{3(1+w)}{3w+1}} T_1^{-\frac{3w-1}{3w+1}} k^{-\frac{3(1+w)}{3w+1}}$$

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- Fraction of the Horizon mass going into PBH: $\gamma = 0.2$
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$$k \rightarrow P_{\zeta}(k)$$
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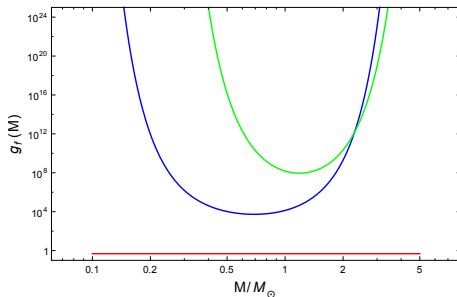
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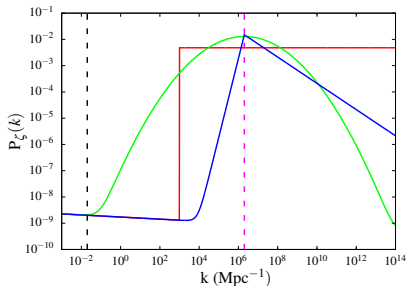
- Gain over PBH formation at radiation domination:

$$g_f \equiv \frac{f_{\text{PBH}}(M)}{f_{\text{PBH}}^{\text{rad}}(M)} \simeq \frac{\beta(M)}{\beta^{\text{rad}}(M)} \left(\frac{T}{T_1} \right)^{3w-1} > 1.$$



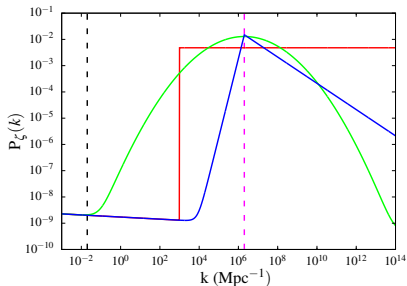
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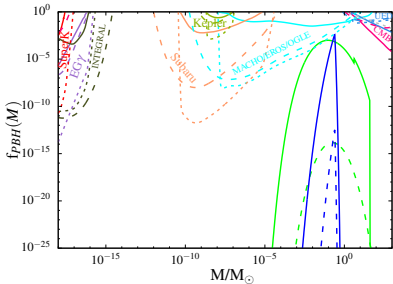
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- Analysis done for $k_p \sim 10^6 \text{ Mpc}^{-1}$ (\sim solar mass PBH) and $k_p \sim 10^{12} \text{ Mpc}^{-1}$ (LISA)

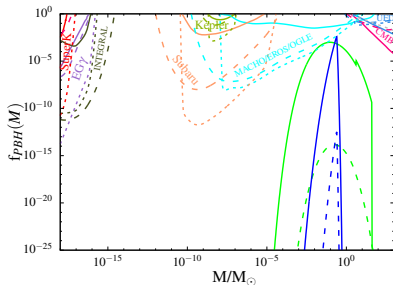
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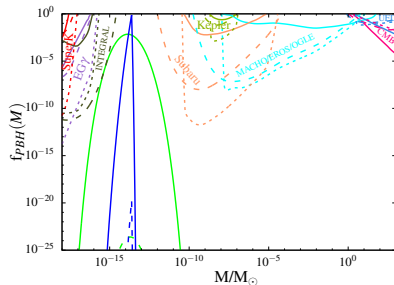


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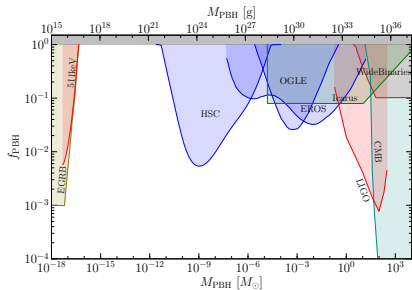
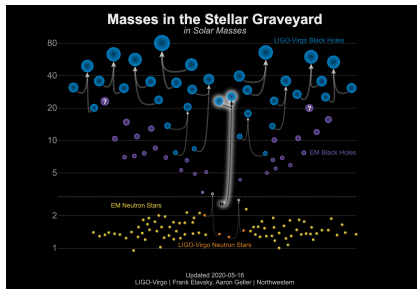
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k_p		Scale-inv P_p	Broken Power Law P_p	Gaussian P_p
$2 \times 10^6 \text{ Mpc}^{-1}$	$w = 1/3$	0.021	0.0275	0.025
$2 \times 10^6 \text{ Mpc}^{-1}$	$w = 1$	0.0048	0.0113	0.0105
$6 \times 10^{12} \text{ Mpc}^{-1}$	$w = 1/3$	0.013	0.016	0.0163
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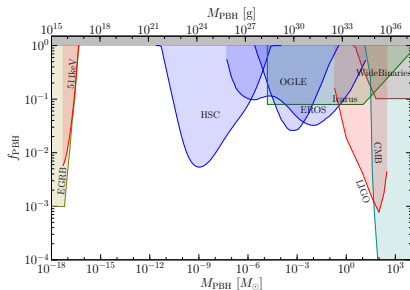
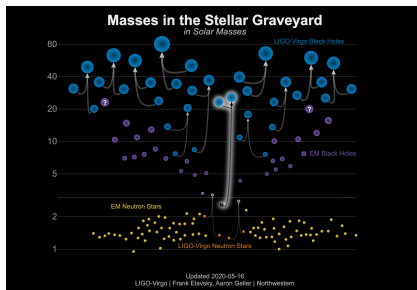
for comparison, check [1812.11011](#); for exact experimental bounds, check [1705.05567](#), [1912.01014](#)

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- Parameters entering from moduli domination: m_{ϕ} and $\phi_0 = M_P/100$.

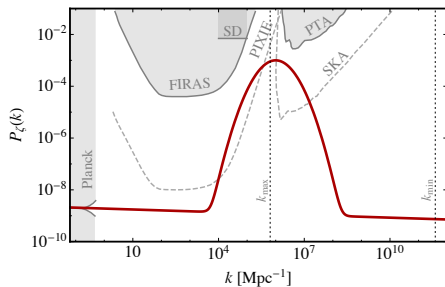
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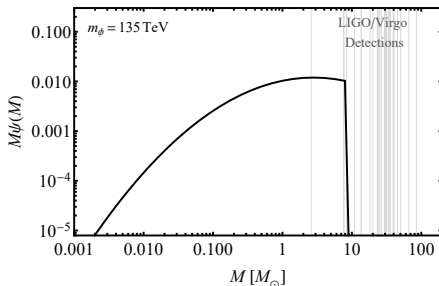
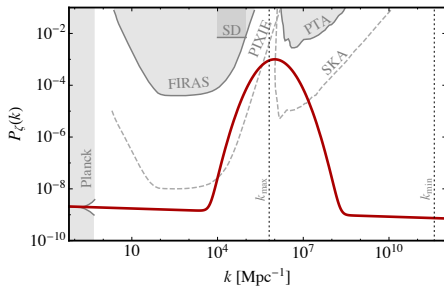
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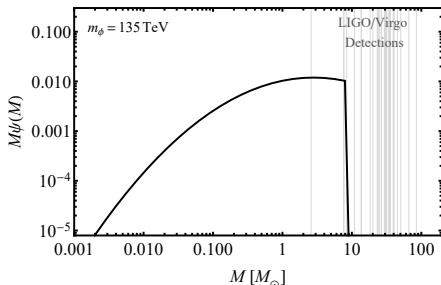
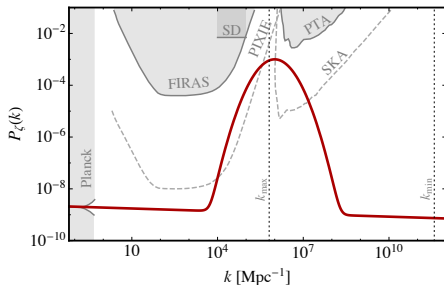
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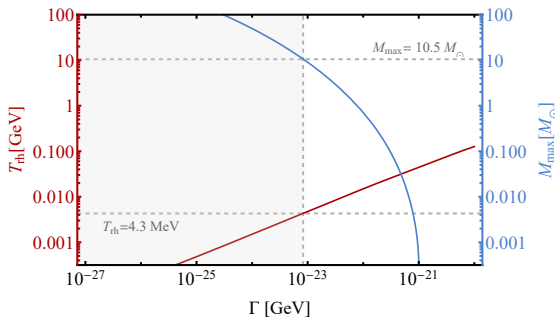
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- $A_p = 10^{-3}$, $\sigma_p = 1$, and $k_p = 10^6 \text{ Mpc}^{-1}$.
- The Planck experiment restricts any deviation from scale-invariant spectrum at large scales.
- FIRAS data excludes the upper gray-shaded region between $k = 10^2 - 10^4 \text{ Mpc}^{-1}$.
- Future experiment PIXIE (dashed gray) could potentially rule out such feature in the primordial power spectrum at small scale.
- Parameters from the primordial sector: A_p and σ_p .

Maximum PBH mass



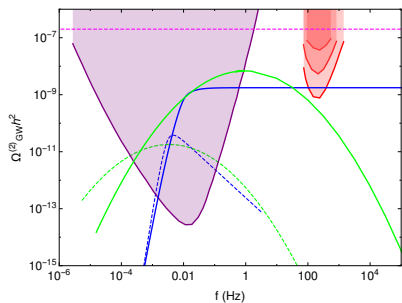
- $\Gamma \gtrsim 8 \times 10^{-24}$ GeV, $m_{\phi} \sim 135$ TeV.
- This value of M_{max} falls in the parameters space of BH mass that is being probed by the LIGO/Virgo.
- PBHs form only about 4.3% of the DM population, and about 95% of these black holes are above $0.1 M_{\odot}$.

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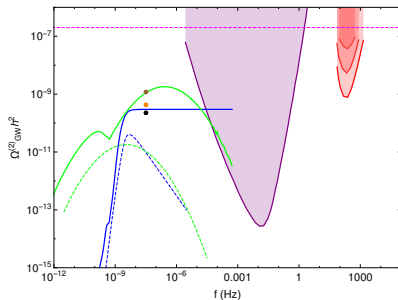
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Present and future PTA probes are important. TtoB: EPTA, NanoGrav, PPTA.

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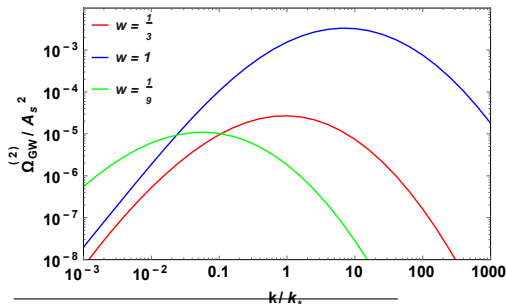
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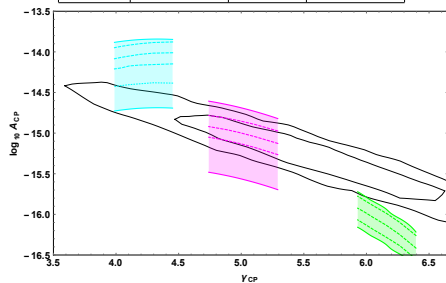


$$y = \frac{\Omega_{\text{GW,NANOGrav}}}{A_s} = \sqrt{\frac{\Omega_{\text{GW,peak}}}{\Omega_{\text{GW,NANOGrav}}}}$$

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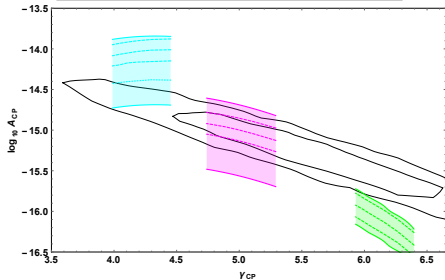
Result: NANOGrav analysis

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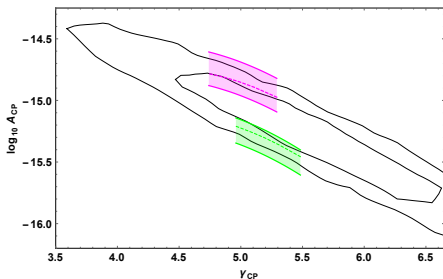


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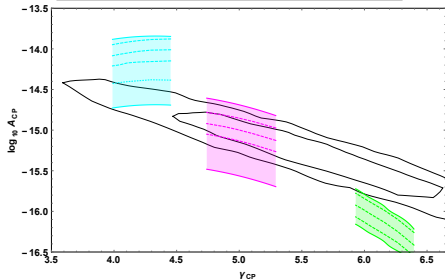


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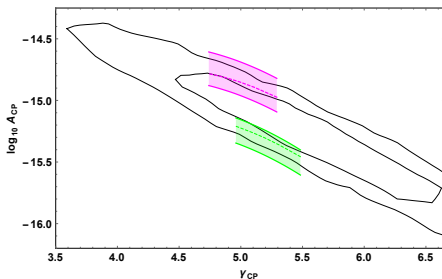


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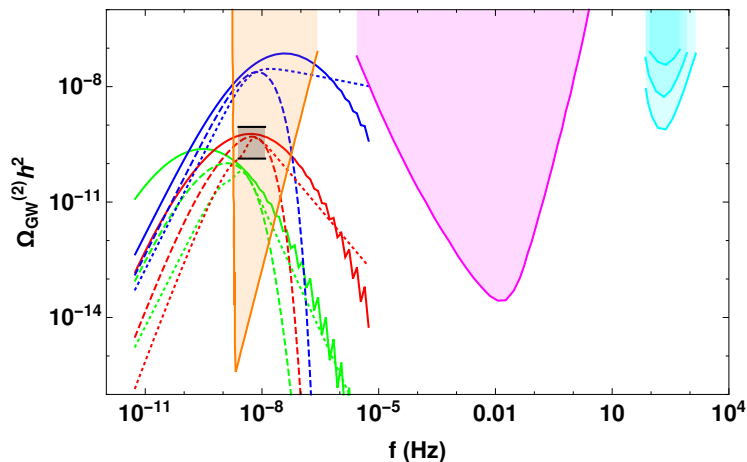


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Range of M/M_\odot at $k_{*,\min}$	0.2-2	1-10	$10^{-4} - 5 \times 10^{-3}$
Range of M/M_\odot at $k_{*,\max}$	0.01 - 0.33	0.08-2	$3 \times 10^{-6} - 3 \times 10^{-4}$

GW spectrum for Different power spectra



$$A_s = 0.007.$$