

Beyond δN -formalism

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◆ Introduction



● Non-Gaussianity from inflation

WMAP 7-year	$-10 < f_{NL}^{local} < 74$
PLANK 2009-	$ f_{NL} \gtrsim 5$

Slow-roll ? Single field ? Canonical kinetic ?

➤ Standard single slow-roll scalar

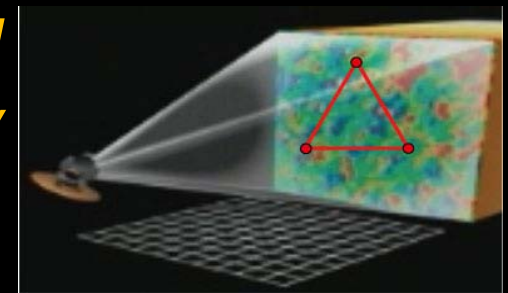
$$f_{NL} = O(10^{-2})$$

➤ Many models predicting Large Non-Gaussianity

(Multi-fields, DBI inflation & Curvaton)

$$f_{NL} \gg O(1)$$

□ *Non-Gaussianity will be one of powerful tool to discriminate many possible inflationary models with the future precision observations*



● Nonlinear perturbations on superhorizon scales

- **Spatial gradient approach** : $\epsilon = 1/(HL)$ Salopek & Bond (90)
- Spatial derivatives are small compared to time derivative
- **Expand** Einstein eqs in terms of small parameter ϵ , and can **solve** them for nonlinear perturbations iteratively

◆ δN formalism (Separated universe)

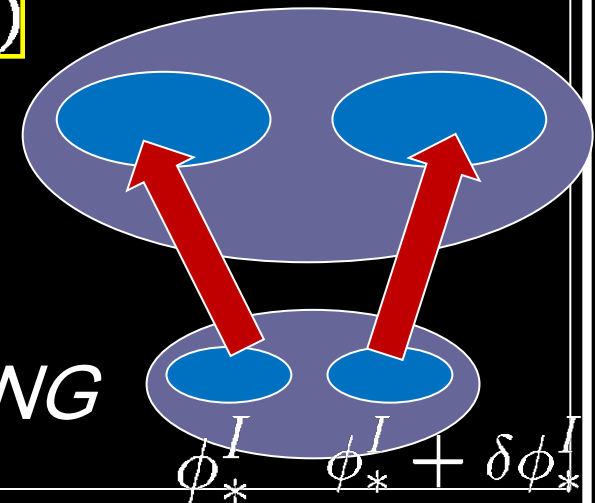
(Starobinsky 85, Sasaki & Stewart 96
Sasaki & Tanaka 98)

$$\zeta(t, \mathbf{x}) = \delta N \equiv N(t, \mathbf{x}) - N_0(t) \quad O(\epsilon^0)$$

$$\delta N = N_I^* \delta \phi_*^I + \frac{1}{2} N_{IJ}^* \delta \phi_*^I \delta \phi_*^J + \dots$$

Curvature perturbation = Fluctuations of the local e-folding number

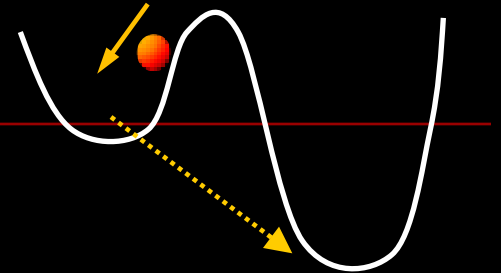
◇ **Powerful tool for the estimation of NG**



◆ *Temporary violating of slow-roll condition*

➤ e.g. Double inflation, False vacuum inflation

— (Multi-field inflation always shows)



For Single inflaton-field (this talk)

◆ *δN formalism*

$$O(\epsilon^0)$$

$$\zeta(t, \mathbf{x}) = \text{const}$$

➤ Ignore the **decaying mode** of curvature perturbation

◆ *Beyond δN formalism*

$$O(\epsilon^2)$$

$$\zeta(t, \mathbf{x}) = \text{const}$$

➤ **Decaying modes** cannot be neglected in this case

➤ **Enhancement** of curvature perturbation in the **linear theory**

[Seto et al (01), Leach et al (01)]

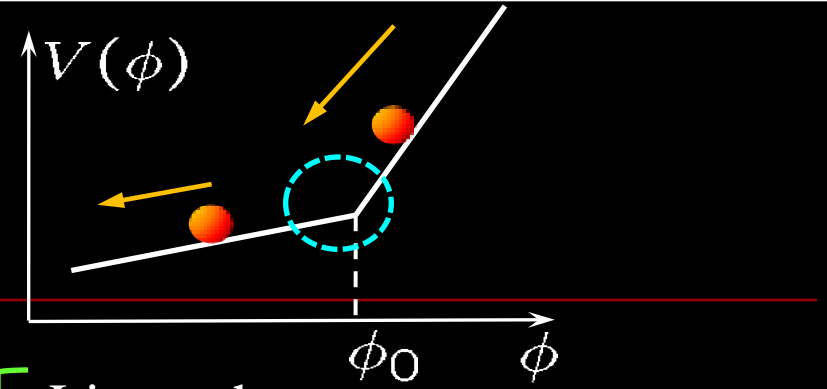
◆ Example

● Starobinsky's model (92):

➤ There is a stage at which slow-roll conditions are violated

● Leach, Sasaki, Wands & Liddle (01)

- Linear theory
- The $O(\epsilon^2)$ in the expansion

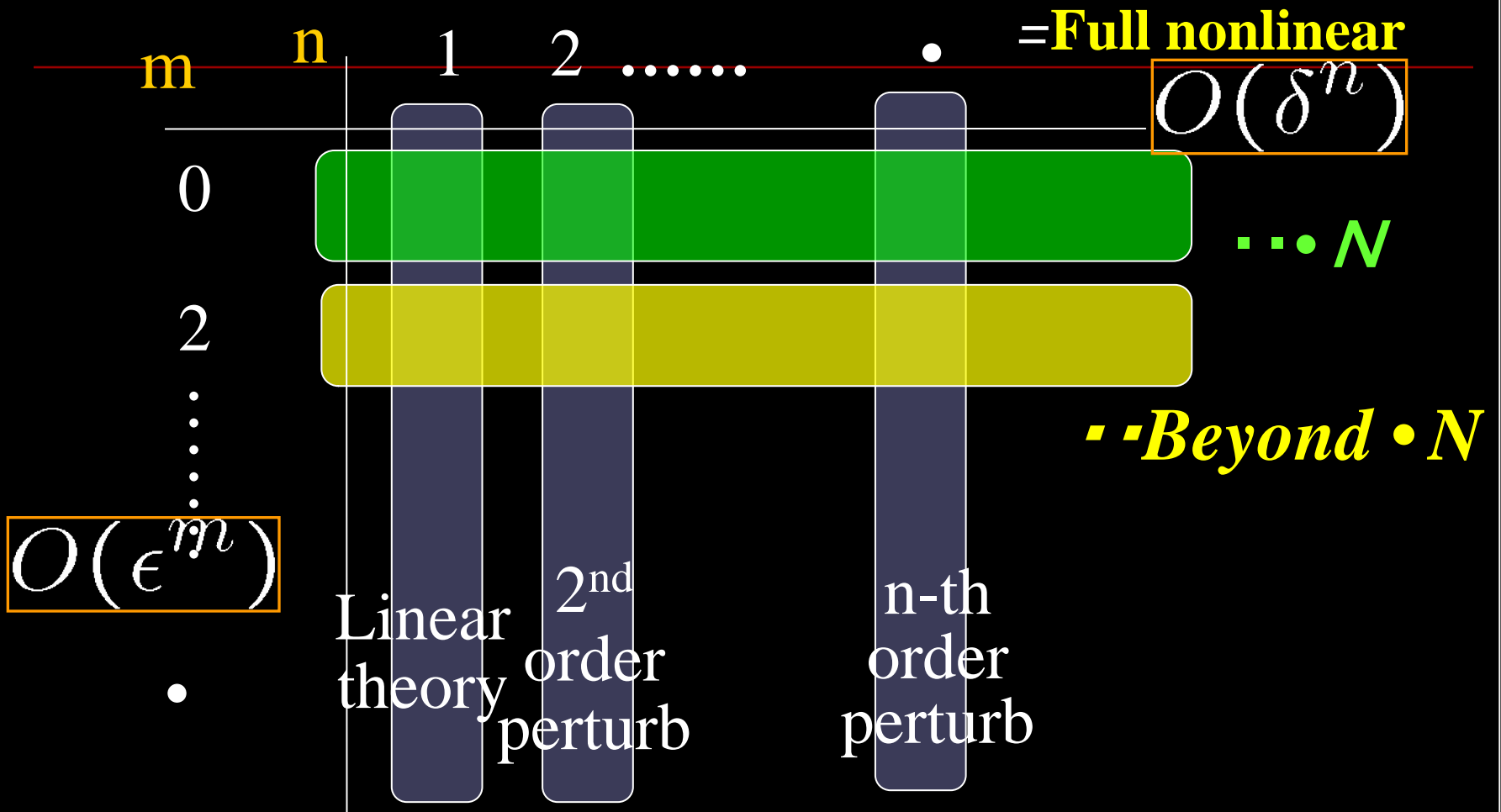


Initial: $u - v \ll u$ → Final: u
 Growing mode decaying mode

→ $\mathcal{R}(0) = \alpha^{\text{Lin}} \mathcal{R}(\eta_*)$
 at $\eta = 0$ (Final) at η_* (initial) $\alpha^{\text{Lin}} \simeq 1 + \overset{O(\epsilon^2)}{\text{Decaying mode}} D(\eta_*) - \overset{O(\epsilon^2)}{\text{Growing mode}} F(\eta_*)$

◆ Enhancement of curvature perturbation near $\phi = \phi_0$

● Nonlinear perturbations on superhorizon scales up to **Next-leading order** in the expansion



◆ *Beyond • N-formalism
for single scalar-field*

YT, S.Mukohyama, M.Sasaki
& Y.Tanaka JCAP(2010)

Simple result !

● Nonlinear theory in $O(\epsilon^2)$

$$\mathcal{R}_c^{NL''} + 2\frac{z'}{z}\mathcal{R}_c^{NL'} + \frac{c_s^2}{4}K^{(2)}[\mathcal{R}_c^{NL}] = O(\epsilon^4)$$

● Linear theory

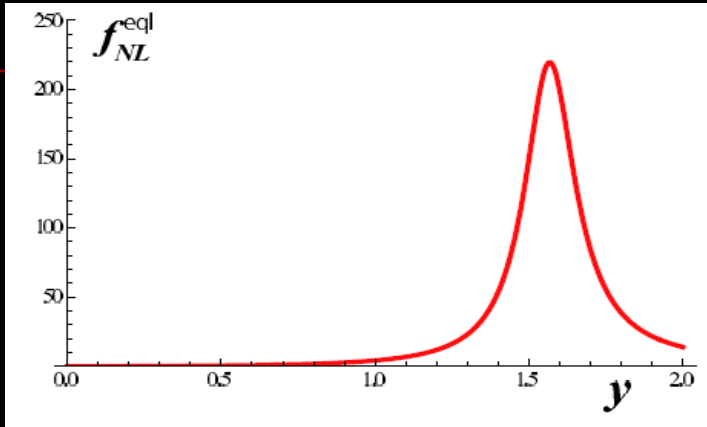


Ricci scalar of
spatial metric

$$\mathcal{R}_c^{Lin''} + 2\frac{z'}{z}\mathcal{R}_c^{Lin'} + k^2 c_s^2 \mathcal{R}_c^{Lin} = 0$$

◆ Application of *Beyond • N-formalism*

● To Bispectrum for Starobinsky model



$$f_{NL}^{eql} \simeq 2T \quad : \text{Ratio of the slope of the potential}$$

$$y = \sqrt{T}k/k_0 \simeq 1.5$$

$$\text{Even for } T = 10$$

$$f_{NL} \sim 20 \text{ at } k \simeq 0.5k_0$$

● Temporary violation of slow-rolling leads to **particular behavior** (e.g. sharp spikes) of the power & bispectrum



Localized feature models

□ These features may be one of **powerful tool to discriminate many inflationary models** with the future precision observations

◆ Localized feature models (breaking scale-invariant)

Observation (CMB spectrum)

- Ichiki et.al.(09,10) $l \sim 120$
- Cline et.al.(03) $l \sim 20 - 40$

Model building

- Inflaton rescattered by **particle production** (Barnaby, 09,10)
- Brane-inflation: **Collision of branes** (e.g. Monodromy)
- **Varying sound velocity** (with Nakashima 10, with Saito 10, in progress)

Observation (CMB bispectrum)

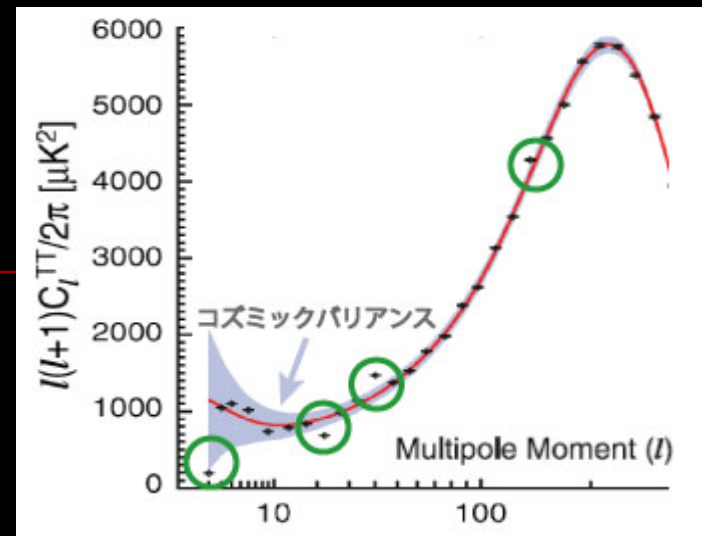
NG shapes: Local, equilateral, . . . *Should **not assume** the form of shapes*

- Estimator for any shapes
(Shellard et.al. 09,10)



Apply to NG of feature models?

(With **Yokoyama-san**, in progress)



◆ Beyond • N-formalism

System : $I = \int d^4x \sqrt{-g} \left[\frac{R}{16\pi G_N} + P(X, \phi) \right], \quad X = -g^{\mu\nu} \partial_\mu \phi \partial_\nu \phi$

- Single scalar field with general potential & kinetic term including **K-inflation** & **DBI** etc

● ADM decomposition & Gradient expansion

Small parameter: $\epsilon = 1/(HL)$ $\partial_i \psi = \psi \times O(\epsilon)$

◆ Background is the flat FLRW universe

Basic assumption:

$$\beta^i = O(\epsilon), \quad v^i = O(\epsilon), \quad \partial_t \tilde{\gamma}_{ij} = O(\epsilon) \quad \Rightarrow \quad \partial_t \tilde{\gamma}_{ij} = O(\epsilon^2)$$

- Absence of any decaying at leading order
- Can be justified in most inflationary model with $N \gg 60$

Solve the Einstein equation after ADM decomposition

● General solution

valid up to $O(\epsilon^2)$

YT& Mukohyama, JCAP 01(2009)

● Curvature perturbation

Spatial metric

$$\gamma_{ij} = a^2 \psi^4 \tilde{\gamma}_{ij}; \quad \det(\tilde{\gamma}_{ij}) = 1$$

In the gauge as

Uniform Hubble slicing

$$K = -3H(t), \quad H(t) \equiv \frac{\partial_t a}{a}$$

Trace of
Extrinsic
curvature

+ Time-orthogonal $\beta^i = O(\epsilon^3)$ Shift

$$\psi \simeq (\text{const}) + (\text{time-dep}) + O(\epsilon^4),$$

Constant (δN)

$$O(\epsilon^2)$$

$$\delta P = c_s^2 \delta \rho + \rho \Gamma \delta \phi,$$

- Variation of Pressure (speed of sound etc)
- Scalar decaying mode

◆ Nonlinear curvature perturbation

YT, Mukohyama, Sasaki & Tanaka, JCAP06 (2010)

Complete gauge fixing

$$\tilde{\gamma}_{ij} \rightarrow \delta_{ij} (t \rightarrow \infty)$$

Focus on only **Scalar-type** mode

Define nonlinear curvature perturbation

$$\psi^4 = e^{2\zeta}$$

Perturbation of the e-folding ($\bullet N$)

Uniform Hubble & time-orthogonal gauge

Gauge transformation

Comoving & time-orthogonal gauge

● What is a suitable **definition** of NL curvature perturbation ?

$$\mathcal{R}^{NL} \equiv \zeta + \frac{E}{3}$$

Need this term in the formula in $O(\epsilon^2)$

$\gamma_{ij} = a^2 \psi^4 \tilde{\gamma}_{ij}$

$E \equiv \frac{3}{4} \Delta^{-1} [\partial_i \partial_j \psi^6 (\ln \tilde{\gamma})_{ij}]$

Cf) $\mathcal{R}^{NL} = \zeta + \frac{H_L^{Lin}}{3} \delta N$

◆ Second-order differential equation

YT, Mukohyama,
Sasaki & Tanaka (10)

$$\mathcal{R}_c^{\text{NL}}(\eta) = \ell^{(0)} + \ell^{(2)} + \frac{1}{4} [F(\eta) - F_*] K^{(2)} + [D(\eta) - D_*] C^{(2)}$$

Constant (δN)

η_* (initial)

Some integrals

Scalar decaying mode

Decaying mode $D'' + 2\frac{z'}{z}D' = 0$
 $O(\epsilon^2)$

Growing mode $F'' + 2\frac{z'}{z}F' + c_s^2 = 0$
 $O(\epsilon^2)$

satisfies

$$\mathcal{R}_c^{\text{NL}''} + 2\frac{z'}{z}\mathcal{R}_c^{\text{NL}'} + \frac{c_s^2}{4}K^{(2)}[\mathcal{R}_c^{\text{NL}}] = O(\epsilon^4)$$

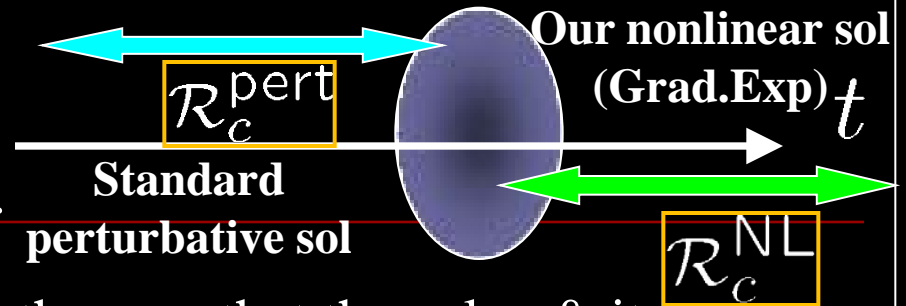
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● Natural extension of well-known linear version

$$\mathcal{R}_c^{\text{Lin}''} + 2\frac{z'}{z}\mathcal{R}_c^{\text{Lin}'} - c_s^2 \Delta[\mathcal{R}_c^{\text{Lin}}] = 0$$

◆ Matching conditions

In order to determine the initial cond.



General formulation: Valid in the case that the value & its
deri. of the *N-th order perturb. Sol are given*

◆ Matched Nonlinear sol to **linear sol**

Approximate Linear sol around horizon crossing @ $\eta = \eta_*$

● Final result

$$\mathcal{R}_c^{\text{NL}}(0) = u^{(0)} - (1 - \alpha^{\text{Lin}})u^{(0)} - F_k \left[\Delta u^{(0)} + \frac{K^{(2)}[u^{(0)}]}{4} \right] + O(\epsilon^4).$$

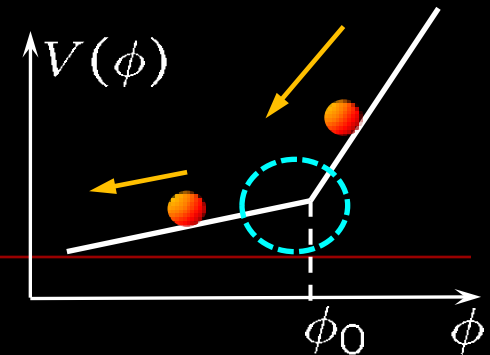
• N

Enhancement in
Linear theory

Nonlinear effect

◆ Application to Starobinsky model

$$V(\phi) = \begin{cases} V_0 + A_+(\phi - \phi_0) & \text{for } \phi > \phi_0 \\ V_0 + A_-(\phi - \phi_0) & \text{for } \phi < \phi_0 \end{cases}$$



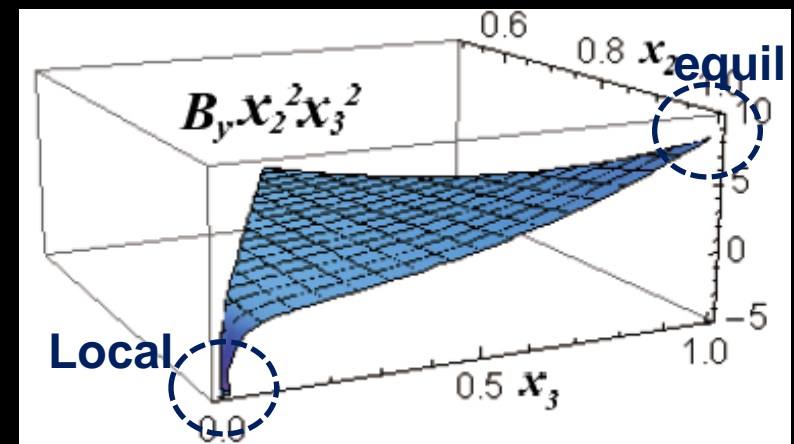
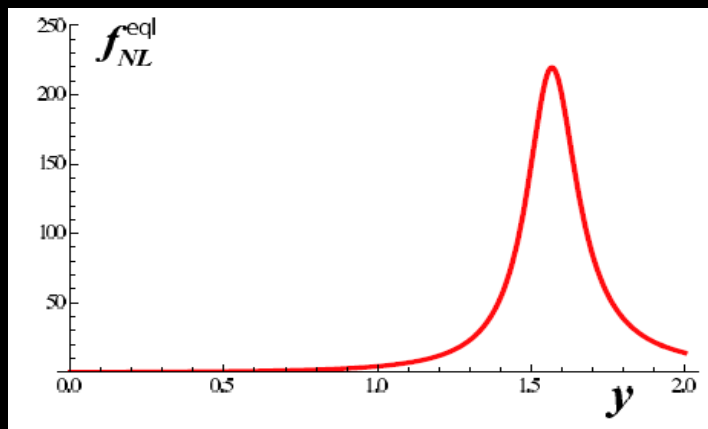
➤ There is a stage at which slow-roll conditions are violated

● In Fourier space, calculate Bispectrum

$$T = \left(\frac{A_+}{A_-} - 1 \right) = 10^2$$

◆ Equilateral $k = k_1 = k_2 = k_3$

◆ Shape of bispectrum



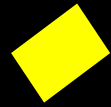
$$f_{NL}^{eq} \simeq 2T \quad y = \sqrt{T}k/k_0 \simeq 1.5$$

$$y = 10$$



Summary

- We develop a theory of non-linear cosmological perturbations on superhorizon scales for a scalar field with a general potential & kinetic terms
- We employ the **ADM formalism** and the spatial **gradient expansion** approach to obtain general solutions valid up through second-order $O(\epsilon^2)$
- This Formulation can be applied to **k-inflation** and **DBI inflation** to investigate superhorizon evolution of non-Gaussianity **beyond • N-formalism**
- Show the **simple 2nd order diff eq** for **nonlinear variable**:
$$\mathcal{R}^{\text{NL}} \equiv \zeta + \frac{E}{3}$$
- We formulate a general method to match the n-th order perturbative sol
- Can applied to Non-Gaussianity *in temporary violating of slow-rolling*
- **Calculate the bispectrum** for the Starobinsky model



Future work

- Can applied to Non-Gaussianity on superhorizon scales matched to Non-Gaussianity generated by **DBI inflation on subhorizon** scales
- Extension to the models of **multi-scalar field** (with Naruko, in progress)
(naturally gives **temporary violating of slow-roll cond**)
- Extension to nonlinear **Gravitational waves**
- To **Trispectrum** of the feature models
- Nonlinear 2nd order differential eq can be applied to the case of **reentering the horizon ?**