# A simple three-shape description of the matter bispectrum of large-scale structure

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# **Cosmological Probes**

- Cosmic Microwave Background (CMB)
  - Surface of last scattering
  - *≥ z* ~ 1100
- \* Large Scale Structure
  - Data from multiple redshifts
  - Low redshift





# Probes of Large Scale Structure

Galaxy surveys
SDSS, BOSS, DES, Euclid
Weak lensing surveys
DES, KiDS, LSST, Euclid, WFIRST
Lyman a forest
21 cm
Radio surveys

• ASKAP, SKA

## Correlation functions

Power spectrum

 $\langle \delta(\mathbf{k}_1)\delta(\mathbf{k}_2)\rangle = (2\pi)^3 \delta_D(\mathbf{k}_1 + \mathbf{k}_2)P(k_1)$ 



Bispectrum

 $\langle \delta(\mathbf{k}_1)\delta(\mathbf{k}_2)\delta(\mathbf{k}_3)\rangle = (2\pi)^3 \delta_D(\mathbf{k}_1 + \mathbf{k}_2 + \mathbf{k}_3)B(k_1, k_2, k_3)$ 



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# Measurements of bispectra from cosmological data

CMB, from Planck 2015 temperature data



LSS, from BOSS data (Gil-Marin et al 2014) - blue (North Galactic Cap), red (South Galactic Cap)



## Shape and amplitude correlators

Scalar Product between 2 bispectra

$B_i B_j \rangle \equiv$	V	$\int k_1 k_2 k_3 B_i(k_1, k_2, k_3) B_j(k_1, k_2, k_3)$
	$\pi$ )	$P(k_1)P(k_2)P(k_3)$

Cumulative scalar product  $k_1, k_2, k_3 \le k_{\text{max}}$ 

Sliced scalar product  $k_1+k_2+k_3 \in [K-\Delta K, K+\Delta K]$ 

## Shape correlator

$$S(B_i, B_j) = \frac{\langle B_i, B_j \rangle}{\sqrt{\langle B_i, B_i \rangle \langle B_j, B_j \rangle}}$$

analogous to a cosine

### **Amplitude correlator**

$$A(B_i, B_j) = \sqrt{\frac{\langle B_i, B_i \rangle}{\langle B_j, B_j \rangle}}$$

analogous to a ratio

# Shape decomposition of the bispectrum



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## Signal-to-noise weighted bispectra



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## Where to look for the three shapes



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## Theoretical models of LSS

#### **Perturbation theories**

\*Deviations from linear scales
\*Expected to work in the mildly nonlinear regime, as long as perturbations are small
\*Not valid into the nonlinear regime
\*Various approaches considered to improve accuracy and/or range of validity
\*Mainly 1-loop results

- ☆ Effective Field Theory of LSS (EFT).
- % Renormalised PT (MPTbreeze

formalism).

#### Halo models

 \*Phenomenological models describing matter clustering on all scales
 \*Based on the spherical collapse model

Standard halo modelImproved halo model

# Eulerian Standard PT

- Fluid approximation of matter in the universe
- Based on loop expansion
  - External lines represent external wavevectors k<sub>1</sub>, k<sub>2</sub>, k<sub>3</sub>
  - Internal lines represent P<sub>lin</sub> with arguments the relevant wavevector
  - Sum of wavevectors is 0 at each vertex
  - ➤ Internal lines are integrated over
  - > Vertices represent kernels
  - The number of internal lines from each vertex • gives the order of the kernel F<sub>n</sub><sup>(s)</sup>



## Other perturbation theories

### Effective Field Theory [Baldauf et al 2015, Angulo et al 2015]

Solves the problem of the excess of power in SPT in the mildly nonlinear regime
 Considers the effect of short wavelength modes on the long ones
 This is achieved by adding counterterms

> Counterterms from the bispectrum have coefficients fitted from the power spectrum

### Renormalised PT [Bernardeau et al 2008]

>Infinite expansion of SPT is resummed to obtain a convergent expansion >Further simplification: MPTbreeze [Crocce et al 2012]

- -Formalism is significantly simplified
- -Bispectrum can be expressed in terms of some of the SPT terms and is exponentially supressed
- -Possible to compute at 2 loops

### Resummed Lagrangian PT [Matsubara et al 2008, Rampf et al 2012]

>Uses Lagrangian coordinates for initial displacements
 > Bispectrum can be expressed in terms of the SPT bispectrum, but is exponentially supressed

# Shapes of PT models

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Sliced shape correlator between PT models and the 3 shapes considered

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## Halo models

- \* Profile Navarro-Frenk-White (NFW): u(k|m,z) spatial mass distribution of halos.
- \* Mass function Tinker mass function: n(m,z) number density of halos.
- \* Clustering of dark matter halo centres deterministic bias.

- o Physically, on very large scales should have only 3-halo term contributions; however, 1and 2-halo terms don't decay to 0 in this regime → excess on large scales.
- In transition regime between 1- and 3-halo terms, there is a **deficit** of power at z > 0.
- First problem solved in halo-PT model (Valageas et al 2011) – make sure that positions corresponding to triplet  $(k_1, k_2, k_3)$ contribute to only one term of halo model and 3-halo contribution substituted with PT.

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## Shapes of the halo model

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## Fit to the halo model

## Use ansatz & previous slide

 $\overline{B_{1h}(k_1, k_2, k_3)} = \overline{f_{1h}(K)} S^{\text{constant}}(k_1, k_2, k_3)$  $B_{2h}(k_1, k_2, k_3) = f_{2h}(K) S^{\text{squeezed}}(k_1, k_2, k_3)$  $B_{3h}(k_1, k_2, k_3) = f_{3h}(K) S^{\text{treeNL}}(k_1, k_2, k_3)$ 

Halo model (equilateral configuration)

$$f_{1h}(K) = \frac{A}{(1+bK^2)^2}$$
$$f_{2h}(K) = \frac{C}{(1+DK^{-1})^3}$$

 $f_{3h}(K) = 1$  (if using  $S^{\text{tree}}$ )

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# Numerical simulations

- Use modal method (Fergusson et al 2009, Schmittfull et al 2013), that compresses information given by the data
- Only around 50 modes are required to accurately recover full bispectrum
- \* Simulations
  - 3 simulations covering in total  $z \le 7.8$  h/Mpc
  - 3 realisations each
  - Starting redshift: 49
  - 512<sup>3</sup> points in simulation box

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Large scales: flattened shape

- Intermediate scales: squeezed shape
- \* Small scales: constant shape

Shapes correspond to the shapes of the 3 components of the halo model

Significant squeezed component at all redshifts

Flat shape dominating even after the tree-level has decayed

## Three-shape model

Use decomposition ansatz (beginning of talk)

$$B(k_1, k_2, k_3) = \sum_{i=1}^{3} f_i(K) S_i(k_1, k_2, k_3)$$

## Choosing functions $f_i$ :

Constant shape (f<sub>1</sub>)
 In the strongly nonlinear regime the one-halo term provides a good fit, hence use the fit to the 1-halo term

# Squeezed shape (f<sub>2</sub>) Keep functional form of the 2-halo term fitting function, but refit the two coefficients

• Tree-level shape  $(f_3)$ 

Significant flat shape after tree-level has decayed, hence use non-linear tree-level with cut-off

 $f_{3h}(K) = \exp\left(-K/E\right)$ 

## Best-fit model

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## Perturbation theories 3D bispectra

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- Comparison is wrt three-shape model
- Dark grey: fitting errors
- Light grey: fitting errors + simulation error bars
- There is excess of power on large scales at z = 0 (too much power from 1, 2-halo terms) in the 3-shape model
- Exponential suppression of the MPTbreeze and RLPT, otherwise accurate
- Well-known excess of power of SPT on mildly nonlinear scales
   Problem solved in EFT with
- suitable counterterm
  NL tree level does not decay to 0 (exponential suppression is required in the 3-shape model)
  Shape correlator is not a good way to compare models
  Amplitude is significantly better

## 3D comparison between models and simulations for perturbation theories

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# MPTbreeze 2-loop results

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 2-loop bispectrum computation
 Significant improvement over 1-loop (Δk~0.1 h/Mpc)
 1-loop EFT still getting further
 2-loop shape is still flat (as tree-level)

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#### Slice comparison

Slices show what models work in each configuration

- EFT is the most accurate on mildly nonlinear scales for all redshifts and configurations, even though it is the most accurate at z = 0
- SPT is relatively close to EFT, but there is always in excess of power
- As in the 3D correlators, RLPT and MPTbreeze predict very similar results
- NL tree-level shows a relative accuracy with respect to linear tree level

## Halo models 3D bispectra

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# 3D comparison between models and simulations for halo models

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Again comparison is wrt three-shape model The small dark grey areas show that the 3-shape model is a good fit to the data Significant excess on large scales in the halo model, especially at z = 0AHalo-PT model OK at z = 0At z > 0, there is a significant deficit in the halo model on intermediate scales, but prediction is accurate again at high k; this issue is only partially solve in the halo-PT model The 2-halo boost model

sine 2-halo boost model gives very similar prediction to the 3-shape model, except the excess as  $k \rightarrow 0$ 

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#### Slices comparison

- Slices show that the threeshape model provides a good fit for all configurations for all the three redshifts considered in the nonlinear regime.
- Significant deficit in the halo and halo-PT models at z > 0, which is increasing as the redshift is increased.
- At z = 2, the 2-halo boost provides a good fit in the equilateral configuration, but an excess of power in the squeezed limit and a deficit in the flattened limit; same behaviour at z = 1, but less evident.

## Primordial non-Gaussianity

### **Basic theory**

Matter density contrast related to primordial potential via  $\delta(\mathbf{k}, z) = M(k, z)\Phi(\mathbf{k})$ Linear power spectrum  $P_{lin}(k, z) = M(k, z)^2 P_{\Phi}(k)$ 

Non-Gaussian bispectrum  $B_0 = B_{\text{tree}}^{NG} = M(k_1, z)M(k_2, z)M(k_3, z)B_{\Phi}(k_1, k_2, k_3)$ 

Consider 2 shapes for primordial bispectrum

 $B_{\Phi}^{\text{local}}(k_1, k_2, k_3) = 2f_{\text{NL}}^{\text{local}} \left[ P_{\Phi}(k_1) P_{\Phi}(k_2) + 2 \text{ perms} \right]$ 

$$B_{\Phi}^{\text{eq}}(k_1, k_2, k_3) = 6f_{\text{NL}}^{\text{eq}} \{-[P_{\Phi}(k_1)P_{\Phi}(k_2) + 2 \text{ perms}] - 2[P_{\Phi}(k_1)P_{\Phi}(k_2)P_{\Phi}(k_3)]^{2/3} + [P_{\Phi}^{1/3}(k_1)P_{\Phi}^{2/3}(k_2)P_{\Phi}(k_3) + 5 \text{ perms}] \}$$

**Simulations**: Schmittfull et al 2013,  $f_{\rm NL}^{\rm local} = 10$  and  $f_{\rm NL}^{\rm eq} = 100$ .

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## PNG shapes (local-type NG)

Correlators between  $\Delta B_{NG} \equiv B(f_{NL} = 10) - B(f_{NL} = 0)$  and the 3 shapes

Constant shape ✓ (same as before)
 Squeezed shape ✓ (same as before)
 Tree-level shape ⇒ Non-Gaussian tree-level shape

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## Equilateral PNG

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**Equilateral** NG, *f<sub>NL</sub>*=100

 Simple extension to 3-shape model
 Agreement at 20-25% level

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# Comparison to SPT and halo model

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# Extension - Galaxy Bispectrum

(arXiv:1707.XXXXX, with D. Karagiannis, M. Liguori, A. Racannelli, L. Verde)

## Modelling of galaxy bispectrum

✓Bias expansion (up to second order):

$$\delta_h^{E,(G)}(\mathbf{x},\tau) = b_1^E(\tau)\delta(\mathbf{x},\tau) + \epsilon^E(\mathbf{x},\tau) + \frac{b_2^E(\tau)}{2}\delta^2(\mathbf{x},\tau) + b_{s^2}^E(\tau)s^2(\mathbf{x},\tau) + \epsilon_{\delta}^E(\mathbf{x},\tau)\delta(\mathbf{x},\tau)$$

 $\mathbf{\overline{G}} \text{Galaxy bispectrum expansion} B_{ggg}^{(G)}(k_1, k_2, k_3, z) = b_1^3 B_G(k_1, k_2, k_3, z) + B_{\epsilon} + 2b_1 B_{\epsilon\epsilon\delta} \\ + 2b_1^2 \left(\frac{b_2}{2} + b_{s^2} S_2(\mathbf{k}_1, \mathbf{k}_2)\right) P_m^L(k_1, z) P_m^L(k_2, z) + 2 \text{ perm} \\ + b_1^2 \int_{\mathbf{q}} \left(\frac{b_2}{2} + b_{s^2} S_2(\mathbf{q}, \mathbf{k}_3 - \mathbf{q})\right) T_{\delta}(\mathbf{k}_1, \mathbf{k}_2, \mathbf{q}, \mathbf{k}_3 - \mathbf{q}) + 2 \text{ perm}$ 

Theoretical uncertainties for DM bispectrum (Baldauf et al 2016) use fitting formula for one-loop MPTbreeze method

## Forecasts for radio surveys

## Fisher matrix $f_{NL}$ constraints for ASKAP/EMU and SKA

	ASKAP/ EMU	SKA	Planck
Local	0.092	0.083	5.0
Equilateral	4.53	6.57	43
Orthogonal	1.14	1.6	21

# Future directions

- Direct application the bispectrum of weak gravitational lensing.
- Full study of the shapes of primordial non-Gaussianity for local, equilateral and orthogonal.
- Better calibration of the model by running more accurate and higherresolution numerical simulations.
- Testing of parameter dependencies and creating HALOFIT-like methodology for the bispectrum.
- Three-shape model for galaxy bispectrum

# Conclusions

- Study on the different theoretical models to see on which scales each of them is accurate.
- PT: EFT extends the furthest on intermediate scales; however it has free parameters that require fitting to numerical data.
- Halos: identification of deficiencies in the halo model bispectrum at early times, due to inaccuracies in the two-halo term; the assumption that all matter is in the form of virialised halos is increasingly invalid at high redshift.
- Shape analysis of the perturbative models and also of the components of the halo model.
- Building of a simple three-shape model, partly inspired by the 1-, 2- and 3halo terms of the halo model bispectrum, that gives a remarkable fit to the *N*-body bispectrum, at both early and late times into nonlinear scales.
- First step towards building a phenomenological model describing primordial non-Gaussianity.

## Thank you for your attention!

## Cám ơn vì sự quan tâm của bạn!

## Grey areas

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 $\begin{aligned} & \text{Dark grey area: area between 1 and} \\ & \text{closed dashed green curve} \\ & \sigma_{\text{dark}} = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } 1 \in [\mu - \sigma, \mu + \sigma] \\ \mu - \sigma - 1 & \text{if } \mu - \sigma > 1 \\ 1 - \mu - \sigma & \text{if } \mu + \sigma < 1 \end{cases} \end{aligned}$ 

Light grey area: add error bar from realisations to difference between mean and 1  $\sigma_{\rm light} = |\mu - 1| + \sigma$ 

## Total correlator

$$\mathcal{T}(B_i, B_j) \equiv 1 - \sqrt{\frac{\langle B_j - B_i, B_j - B_i \rangle}{\langle B_j, B_j \rangle}} = 1 - \sqrt{1 - 2\mathcal{S}(B_i, B_j)\mathcal{A}(B_i, B_j) + \mathcal{A}^2(B_i, B_j)}$$

- Total correlator quantifies differences in any triangle configuration unlike shape or amplitude (it decreases whenever  $B_i \neq B_j$ )
- Represents a better measure of the goodness of fit
- Can be related to the traditional  $\chi^2$
- Used for fitting the 3-shape model with the simulations