

# Some Computations in Cosmology

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In this notebook we present some useful routines for certain computations in Cosmology.

Let us define the Hubble's constant  $H_0$ .

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[1]: Hzero = 1/(9.78*10^9) #years.
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We are interested in computing the age of the Universe for given values of  $\Omega_\Lambda$ ,  $\Omega_M$ ,  $\Omega_R$  and  $h$ , where we will take into account

$$1 = \Omega_\Lambda + \Omega_R + \Omega_M + \Omega_k,$$

being  $\Omega_k$  the curvature density parameter, that for a flat spacetime is equal to 0. Therefore, the age of the Universe is given by

$$t_U = \frac{1}{hH_0} \int_0^1 dx \frac{1}{x \sqrt{\Omega_\Lambda + \Omega_M x^{-3} + \Omega_R x^{-4} + (1 - \Omega_\Lambda - \Omega_R - \Omega_M) x^{-2}}}.$$

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[2]: def AgeUniverse(OmegaLambda, OmegaM, OmegaR, h):  
    Omegak = 1-OmegaLambda-OmegaM-OmegaR  
    return numerical_integral(1/(x*sqrt(OmegaLambda+OmegaM/x^3+OmegaR/x^4+Omegak/  
    ->x^2)), 0, 1) [0] / (h*Hzero)
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If we want to compute the age of the Universe for a given redshift  $z$ ,

$$t_U(z) = \frac{1}{hH_0} \int_0^{1/(1+z)} dx \frac{1}{x \sqrt{\Omega_\Lambda + \Omega_M x^{-3} + \Omega_R x^{-4} + (1 - \Omega_\Lambda - \Omega_R - \Omega_M) x^{-2}}}.$$

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[3]: def AgeUniverseRedshift(OmegaLambda, OmegaM, OmegaR, h, z):  
    Omegak = 1-OmegaLambda-OmegaM-OmegaR  
    return numerical_integral(1/(x*sqrt(OmegaLambda+OmegaM/x^3+OmegaR/x^4+Omegak/  
    ->x^2)), 0, 1/(1+z)) [0] / (h*Hzero)
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[4]: AgeUniverseRedshift(0.75, 0.25, 0, 0.68, 1500)
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[4]: 329759.843165775
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Plot of the difference between apparent and absolute magnitudes, i.e.,  $m - M$ , for a given redshift in a zero curvature universe.

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[5]: def RedshiftKZero(OmegaLambda, OmegaM, OmegaR, h, z):  
      return numerical_integral(1/(x^2*sqrt(OmegaLambda+OmegaM/x^3+OmegaR/x^4)), 1/  
      →(1+z), 1) [0] * (1+z) * 3 * 10^8 / h  
      def mM(OmegaLambda, OmegaM, OmegaR, h, z):  
          return 5 * log(RedshiftKZero(OmegaLambda, OmegaM, OmegaR, h, z)) / log(10.)
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[6]: plot(lambda x: mM(0.76, 0.24, 0, 0.64, x), (x, 0.004, 1), axes_labels=[r'$z$',  
      →r'$m-M$'], frame=True).show(figsize=5)
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