

HW 10 - ASTR540

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Q1

Distance for obtaining flux f_0

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In[36]:= sd = Last@Solve[f0 == L / (4 π d^2), d]
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Out[36]= {d ->  $\frac{\sqrt{L}}{2 \sqrt{f_0} \sqrt{\pi}}$ }
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Volume of sphere with radius d :

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In[38]:= Volume@Ball[{0, 0, 0}, d] /. sd
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Out[38]=  $\frac{L^{3/2}}{6 f_0^{3/2} \sqrt{\pi}}$ 
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Given that $N(f > f_0)$ is proportional to the above.

Q3

a)

Solving for $M(r)$ in terms of velocity dispersion:

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In[220]:= sM = Solve[vc^2 == GM[r] / r, M[r]] [[1, 1]]
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Out[220]= M[r] ->  $\frac{r v_c^2}{G}$ 
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Equating kinetic energy to potential energy to find escape velocity:

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In[233]:= eqv = 1/2 ve^2 == Integrate[GM[r] / r^2 /. sM, {r, r0, R}, Assumptions -> {G > 0, R > r0 > 0}] +  
Integrate[(GM[r] /. sM /. r -> R) / r^2, {r, R, ∞}, Assumptions -> {G > 0, R > r0 > 0}]
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Out[233]=  $\frac{v_e^2}{2} == v_c^2 + v_c^2 \text{Log}\left[\frac{R}{r_0}\right]$ 
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This is the required relation.

b)

Lower limit of R :

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In[196]:= sR = R -> UnitConvert[NSolve[Vesc^2 == 2 Vc^2 (1 + Log[R / r]) /.  
{Vc -> 240 km/s , r -> 8 kpc , Vesc -> 440 km/s }, R][[1, 1, 2]], "Kiloparsecs"]
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Out[196]= R -> 15.7998 kpc
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Lower limit of galaxy mass:

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In[204]:= UnitConvert[Solve[Vesc^2 == 2 G M / R /. sR /. Vesc -> 440 km/s , M][[1, 1, 2]], "SolarMass"]
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Out[204]= 3.55611 × 1011 M⊙
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Q4

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In[247]:= sn = n -> M / (m π r^2 2 h)
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Out[247]= n ->  $\frac{M}{2 h m \pi r^2}$ 
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In[248]:= sσ = σ -> π (θ d)^2 /. θ^2 -> 4 G m / c^2 d / (1 d)
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Out[248]= σ ->  $\frac{4 d^2 G m \pi}{c^2 1}$ 
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Since $l = 2 d = r$

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In[251]:= Num = n σ 1 /. sn /. sσ /. 1 -> 2 d /. d -> r / 2
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Out[251]=  $\frac{G M}{2 c^2 h}$ 
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Q5

a)

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In[186]:= sθ = θ -> Sqrt[4 G M / c^2 d / (d 2 d)]
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Out[186]= θ ->  $\sqrt{2} \sqrt{\frac{G M}{c^2 d}}$ 
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In[188]:= sd = Last@Solve[vc^2 == G M / (d θ) /. sθ, d]
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Out[188]= {d ->  $\frac{c^2 G M}{2 v c^4}$ }
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In[205]:= sθ2 = sθ /. sd // PowerExpand
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Out[205]= θ ->  $\frac{2 v c^2}{c^2}$ 
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Numerical value of θ

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In[212]:= sθ3 = sθ2 /. {vc -> 300 km/s , c -> c} // N
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Out[212]= θ -> 2.00277 × 10-6
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Value of R

In[211]:= $R = d \theta / . s \theta 3 / . d \rightarrow 0.5 \text{ Gpc}$

Out[211]= $1.00139 \times 10^{-6} \text{ Gpc}$

b)

In[215]:= $n \sigma 1 / . \{1 \rightarrow 1 \text{ Gpc}, \sigma \rightarrow \pi R^2, R \rightarrow 1 \text{ kpc}, n \rightarrow 0.01 / \text{Mpc}^3\}$

Out[215]= 0.000031503