

Friedman Equations from The Einstein Field Equations

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1 FRLW Metric

Working in units where $c = 1$, the homogeneous and isotropic FRLW metric in conformal coordinates is given by,

$$d\tau^2 = dt^2 - \frac{a^2(t) dr^2}{1 - kr^2} - a^2(t)r^2 d\theta^2 - a^2(t)r^2 \sin^2 \theta d\phi^2. \quad (1)$$

Or, it can also be written in the standard metric tensor form as:

$$g_{\mu\nu} = \begin{pmatrix} a^2(t) & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -\frac{a^2(t)}{1 - kr^2} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -a^2(t)r^2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -a^2(t)r^2 \sin^2 \theta \end{pmatrix}. \quad (2)$$

Evaluating the Einstein field equation for this metric gives the Friedman equations. This begins by calculating the nonzero Christoffel symbols:

$$\Gamma^\rho_{\mu\nu} = \frac{1}{2} g^{\rho\sigma} (\partial_\mu g_{\nu\sigma} + \partial_\nu g_{\mu\sigma} - \partial_\sigma g_{\mu\nu}). \quad (3)$$

For $\rho = \sigma = 0$ and $\mu = \nu = 1$,

$$\begin{aligned} \Gamma^0_{11} &= \frac{1}{2} g^{00} (\partial_1 g_{10} + \partial_1 g_{10} - \partial_0 g_{11}), \\ &= -\frac{1}{2} g^{00} \partial_0 g_{11}, \\ &= -\frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{\partial_t a^2}{1 - kr^2} \right], \\ \boxed{\Gamma^0_{11} = \frac{a\dot{a}}{1 - kr^2}}. \end{aligned} \quad (4)$$

For $\rho = \sigma = 0$ and $\mu = \nu = 2$,

$$\begin{aligned}
\Gamma^0_{22} &= \frac{1}{2}g^{00}(\partial_2 g_{20} + \partial_2 g_{20} - \partial_0 g_{22}), \\
&= -\frac{1}{2}g^{00}\partial_0 g_{22}, \\
&= -\frac{1}{2}[\partial_t a^2 r^2], \\
\boxed{\Gamma^0_{22} = a\dot{a}r^2}. \tag{5}
\end{aligned}$$

For $\rho = \sigma = 0$ and $\mu = \nu = 3$,

$$\begin{aligned}
\Gamma^0_{33} &= \frac{1}{2}g^{00}(\partial_3 g_{30} + \partial_3 g_{30} - \partial_0 g_{33}), \\
&= -\frac{1}{2}g^{00}\partial_0 g_{33}, \\
&= -\frac{1}{2}[\partial_t a^2 r^2 \sin^2 \theta], \\
\boxed{\Gamma^0_{33} = a\dot{a}r^2 \sin^2 \theta}. \tag{6}
\end{aligned}$$

For $\rho = \sigma = 1$ and $\mu = 1, \nu = 0$ or $\mu = 0, \nu = 1$,

$$\begin{aligned}
\Gamma^1_{01} = \Gamma^1_{10} &= \frac{1}{2}g^{11}(\partial_1 g_{01} + \partial_0 g_{11} - \partial_1 g_{10}), \\
&= \frac{1}{2}g^{11}\partial_0 g_{11}, \\
&= \frac{1}{2}\left(-\frac{1 - kr^2}{a^2}\right)\partial_t \frac{a^2}{1 - kr^2}, \\
\boxed{\Gamma^1_{01} = \Gamma^1_{10} = \frac{\dot{a}}{a}}. \tag{7}
\end{aligned}$$

For $\rho = \sigma = 2$ and $\mu = 2, \nu = 0$ or $\mu = 0, \nu = 2$,

$$\begin{aligned}
\Gamma^2_{02} = \Gamma^2_{20} &= \frac{1}{2}g^{22}(\partial_2 g_{02} + \partial_0 g_{22} - \partial_2 g_{20}), \\
&= \frac{1}{2}g^{22}\partial_0 g_{22}, \\
&= \frac{1}{2}\left(-\frac{1}{a^2 r^2}\right)\partial_t(-a^2 r^2), \\
\boxed{\Gamma^2_{02} = \Gamma^2_{20} = \frac{\dot{a}}{a}}. \tag{8}
\end{aligned}$$

For $\rho = \sigma = 3$ and $\mu = 3, \nu = 0$ or $\mu = 0, \nu = 3$,

$$\begin{aligned}
\Gamma^3_{03} &= \Gamma^3_{30} = \frac{1}{2}g^{33}(\partial_3 g_{03} + \partial_0 g_{33} - \partial_3 g_{30}), \\
&= \frac{1}{2}g^{33}\partial_0 g_{33}, \\
&= \frac{1}{2}\left(-\frac{1}{a^2 r^2 \sin^2 \theta}\right)\partial_t(-a^2 r^2 \sin^2 \theta), \\
\boxed{\Gamma^3_{03} = \Gamma^3_{30} = \frac{\dot{a}}{a}} \quad (9)
\end{aligned}$$

For $\rho = \sigma = 1$ and $\mu = \nu = 1$,

$$\begin{aligned}
\Gamma^1_{11} &= \frac{1}{2}g^{11}(\partial_1 g_{11} + \partial_1 g_{11} - \partial_1 g_{11}), \\
&= \frac{1}{2}g^{11}\partial_1 g_{11}, \\
&= \frac{1}{2}\left(-\frac{1 - kr^2}{a^2}\right)\partial_r\left(-\frac{a^2}{1 - kr^2}\right), \\
\boxed{\Gamma^1_{11} = \frac{kr}{1 - kr^2}} \quad (10)
\end{aligned}$$

For $\rho = \sigma = 1$ and $\mu = \nu = 2$,

$$\begin{aligned}
\Gamma^1_{22} &= \frac{1}{2}g^{11}(\partial_2 g_{21} + \partial_2 g_{21} - \partial_1 g_{22}), \\
&= -\frac{1}{2}g^{11}\partial_1 g_{22}, \\
&= \frac{1}{2}\left(-\frac{1 - kr^2}{a^2}\right)\partial_r(-a^2 r^2), \\
\boxed{\Gamma^1_{22} = -r(1 - kr^2)}. \quad (11)
\end{aligned}$$

For $\rho = \sigma = 1$ and $\mu = \nu = 3$,

$$\begin{aligned}
\Gamma^1_{33} &= \frac{1}{2}g^{11}(\partial_3 g_{31} + \partial_3 g_{21} - \partial_1 g_{33}), \\
&= -\frac{1}{2}g^{11}\partial_1 g_{33}, \\
&= \frac{1}{2}\left(-\frac{1 - kr^2}{a^2}\right)\partial_r(-a^2 r^2 \sin^2 \theta), \\
\boxed{\Gamma^1_{33} = -r(1 - kr^2) \sin^2 \theta}. \quad (12)
\end{aligned}$$

For $\rho = \sigma = 2$ and $\mu = \nu = 3$,

$$\begin{aligned}
\Gamma^2_{33} &= \frac{1}{2}g^{22}(\partial_3 g_{32} + \partial_3 g_{32} - \partial_2 g_{33}), \\
&= -\frac{1}{2}g^{22}\partial_2 g_{33}, \\
&= -\frac{1}{2}\left(-\frac{1}{a^2 r^2}\right)\partial_\theta(-a^2 r^2 \sin^2 \theta), \\
\boxed{\Gamma^2_{33} = -\sin \theta \cos \theta.} \tag{13}
\end{aligned}$$

For $\rho = \sigma = 2$ and $\mu = 1, \nu = 2$ or $\mu = 2, \nu = 1$,

$$\begin{aligned}
\Gamma^2_{12} = \Gamma^2_{21} &= \frac{1}{2}g^{22}(\partial_2 g_{12} + \partial_1 g_{22} - \partial_2 g_{21}), \\
&= \frac{1}{2}g^{22}\partial_1 g_{22}, \\
&= \frac{1}{2}\left(-\frac{1}{a^2 r^2}\right)\partial_r(-a^2 r^2), \\
\boxed{\Gamma^2_{12} = \Gamma^2_{21} = \frac{1}{r}.} \tag{14}
\end{aligned}$$

For $\rho = \sigma = 3$ and $\mu = 1, \nu = 3$ or $\mu = 3, \nu = 1$,

$$\begin{aligned}
\Gamma^3_{13} = \Gamma^3_{31} &= \frac{1}{2}g^{33}(\partial_3 g_{13} + \partial_1 g_{33} - \partial_3 g_{31}), \\
&= \frac{1}{2}g^{33}\partial_1 g_{33}, \\
&= \frac{1}{2}\left(-\frac{1}{a^2 r^2 \sin^2 \theta}\right)\partial_r(-a^2 r^2 \sin^2 \theta), \\
\boxed{\Gamma^3_{13} = \Gamma^3_{31} = \frac{1}{r}.} \tag{15}
\end{aligned}$$

For $\rho = \sigma = 3$ and $\mu = 2, \nu = 3$ or $\mu = 3, \nu = 2$,

$$\begin{aligned}
\Gamma^3_{23} = \Gamma^3_{32} &= \frac{1}{2}g^{33}(\partial_3 g_{32} + \partial_2 g_{33} - \partial_3 g_{32}), \\
&= \frac{1}{2}g^{33}\partial_2 g_{33}, \\
&= \frac{1}{2}\left(-\frac{1}{a^2 r^2 \sin^2 \theta}\right)\partial_\theta(-a^2 r^2 \sin^2 \theta), \\
\boxed{\Gamma^3_{23} = \Gamma^3_{32} = \cot \theta.} \tag{16}
\end{aligned}$$

Ricci tensor can be defined as:

$$R_{\mu\nu} = \partial_\rho \Gamma^\rho_{\mu\nu} - \partial_\nu \Gamma^\rho_{\mu\rho} + \Gamma^\sigma_{\mu\nu} \Gamma^\rho_{\sigma\rho} - \Gamma^\sigma_{\mu\rho} \Gamma^\rho_{\sigma\nu}. \tag{17}$$

For $\mu = \nu = 0$, Eq (17) becomes

$$R_{00} = \partial_\rho \Gamma_{00}^\rho - \partial_0 \Gamma_{0\rho}^\rho + \Gamma_{00}^\sigma \Gamma_{\sigma\rho}^\rho - \Gamma_{0\rho}^\sigma \Gamma_{\sigma 0}^\rho. \quad (18)$$

Now, we will be expand the sum over ρ for 0, 1, 2, 3. (Each line of every equation will correspond to each value of ρ .)

$$\begin{aligned} R_{00} &= + \partial_0 \Gamma_{00}^0 - \partial_0 \Gamma_{00}^1 + \Gamma_{00}^\sigma \Gamma_{\sigma 0}^0 - \Gamma_{00}^\sigma \Gamma_{\sigma 0}^0 \\ &\quad + \partial_1 \Gamma_{00}^1 - \partial_0 \Gamma_{01}^1 + \Gamma_{00}^\sigma \Gamma_{\sigma 1}^1 - \Gamma_{01}^\sigma \Gamma_{\sigma 0}^1 \\ &\quad + \partial_2 \Gamma_{00}^2 - \partial_0 \Gamma_{02}^2 + \Gamma_{00}^\sigma \Gamma_{\sigma 2}^2 - \Gamma_{02}^\sigma \Gamma_{\sigma 0}^2 \\ &\quad + \partial_3 \Gamma_{00}^3 - \partial_0 \Gamma_{03}^3 + \Gamma_{00}^\sigma \Gamma_{\sigma 3}^3 - \Gamma_{03}^\sigma \Gamma_{\sigma 0}^3, \\ R_{00} &= + \Gamma_{00}^\sigma \Gamma_{\sigma 0}^0 - \Gamma_{00}^\sigma \Gamma_{\sigma 0}^0 \\ &\quad - \partial_0 \Gamma_{01}^1 + \Gamma_{00}^\sigma \Gamma_{\sigma 1}^1 - \Gamma_{01}^\sigma \Gamma_{\sigma 0}^1 \\ &\quad - \partial_0 \Gamma_{02}^2 + \Gamma_{00}^\sigma \Gamma_{\sigma 2}^2 - \Gamma_{02}^\sigma \Gamma_{\sigma 0}^2 \\ &\quad - \partial_0 \Gamma_{03}^3 + \Gamma_{00}^\sigma \Gamma_{\sigma 3}^3 - \Gamma_{03}^\sigma \Gamma_{\sigma 0}^3, \\ R_{00} &= - \partial_0 \Gamma_{01}^1 - \partial_0 \Gamma_{02}^2 - \partial_0 \Gamma_{03}^3 \\ &\quad + \Gamma_{00}^\sigma \Gamma_{\sigma 0}^0 - \Gamma_{00}^\sigma \Gamma_{\sigma 0}^0 \\ &\quad + \Gamma_{00}^\sigma \Gamma_{\sigma 1}^1 - \Gamma_{01}^\sigma \Gamma_{\sigma 0}^1 \\ &\quad + \Gamma_{00}^\sigma \Gamma_{\sigma 2}^2 - \Gamma_{02}^\sigma \Gamma_{\sigma 0}^2 \\ &\quad + \Gamma_{00}^\sigma \Gamma_{\sigma 3}^3 - \Gamma_{03}^\sigma \Gamma_{\sigma 0}^3. \end{aligned} \quad (19)$$

Now, we will be expand the sum over σ for 0, 1, 2, 3, but first rewrite the equation. (Each line of every equation will correspond to each value of σ .)

$$\begin{aligned} R_{00} &= - \partial_0 \Gamma_{01}^1 - \partial_0 \Gamma_{02}^2 - \partial_0 \Gamma_{03}^3 \\ &\quad + \Gamma_{00}^\sigma \Gamma_{\sigma 0}^0 - \Gamma_{00}^\sigma \Gamma_{\sigma 0}^0 + \Gamma_{00}^\sigma \Gamma_{\sigma 1}^1 - \Gamma_{01}^\sigma \Gamma_{\sigma 0}^1 + \Gamma_{00}^\sigma \Gamma_{\sigma 2}^2 - \Gamma_{02}^\sigma \Gamma_{\sigma 0}^2 + \Gamma_{00}^\sigma \Gamma_{\sigma 3}^3 - \Gamma_{03}^\sigma \Gamma_{\sigma 0}^3, \\ R_{00} &= - \partial_0 \Gamma_{01}^1 - \partial_0 \Gamma_{02}^2 - \partial_0 \Gamma_{03}^3 \\ &\quad + \Gamma_{00}^0 \Gamma_{00}^0 - \Gamma_{00}^0 \Gamma_{00}^0 + \Gamma_{00}^0 \Gamma_{01}^1 - \Gamma_{01}^0 \Gamma_{00}^1 + \Gamma_{00}^0 \Gamma_{02}^2 - \Gamma_{02}^0 \Gamma_{00}^2 + \Gamma_{00}^0 \Gamma_{03}^3 - \Gamma_{03}^0 \Gamma_{00}^3 \\ &\quad + \Gamma_{00}^1 \Gamma_{10}^0 - \Gamma_{00}^1 \Gamma_{10}^0 + \Gamma_{00}^1 \Gamma_{11}^1 - \Gamma_{01}^1 \Gamma_{10}^1 + \Gamma_{00}^1 \Gamma_{12}^2 - \Gamma_{02}^1 \Gamma_{10}^2 + \Gamma_{00}^1 \Gamma_{13}^3 - \Gamma_{03}^1 \Gamma_{10}^3 \\ &\quad + \Gamma_{00}^2 \Gamma_{20}^0 - \Gamma_{00}^2 \Gamma_{20}^0 + \Gamma_{00}^2 \Gamma_{21}^1 - \Gamma_{01}^2 \Gamma_{20}^1 + \Gamma_{00}^2 \Gamma_{22}^2 - \Gamma_{02}^2 \Gamma_{20}^2 + \Gamma_{00}^2 \Gamma_{23}^3 - \Gamma_{03}^2 \Gamma_{20}^3 \\ &\quad + \Gamma_{00}^3 \Gamma_{30}^0 - \Gamma_{00}^3 \Gamma_{30}^0 + \Gamma_{00}^3 \Gamma_{31}^1 - \Gamma_{01}^3 \Gamma_{30}^1 + \Gamma_{00}^3 \Gamma_{32}^2 - \Gamma_{02}^3 \Gamma_{30}^2 + \Gamma_{00}^3 \Gamma_{33}^3 - \Gamma_{03}^3 \Gamma_{30}^3, \\ R_{00} &= - \partial_0 \Gamma_{01}^1 - \partial_0 \Gamma_{02}^2 - \partial_0 \Gamma_{03}^3 \\ &\quad + 0 \\ &\quad - \Gamma_{01}^1 \Gamma_{10}^1 \\ &\quad - \Gamma_{02}^2 \Gamma_{20}^2 \\ &\quad - \Gamma_{03}^3 \Gamma_{30}^3, \end{aligned}$$

By inserting values, we get

$$\begin{aligned}
R_{00} &= -\partial_t \left(\frac{\dot{a}}{a} \right) - \partial_t \left(\frac{\dot{a}}{a} \right) - \partial_t \left(\frac{\dot{a}}{a} \right) - \left(\frac{\dot{a}}{a} \right) \left(\frac{\dot{a}}{a} \right) - \left(\frac{\dot{a}}{a} \right) \left(\frac{\dot{a}}{a} \right) - \left(\frac{\dot{a}}{a} \right) \left(\frac{\dot{a}}{a} \right), \\
R_{00} &= -3\partial_t \left(\frac{\dot{a}}{a} \right) - 3 \left(\frac{\dot{a}}{a} \right)^2, \\
R_{00} &= -3 \frac{\ddot{a}a - \dot{a}^2}{a^2} - 3 \left(\frac{\dot{a}}{a} \right)^2, \\
R_{00} &= -3 \frac{\ddot{a}}{a} + 3 \left(\frac{\dot{a}}{a} \right)^2 - 3 \left(\frac{\dot{a}}{a} \right)^2, \\
\boxed{R_{00} = -3 \frac{\ddot{a}}{a}}. &
\end{aligned} \tag{20}$$

For $\mu = \nu = 1$, Eq (17) becomes

$$R_{11} = \partial_\rho \Gamma^\rho_{11} - \partial_1 \Gamma^\rho_{1\rho} + \Gamma^\sigma_{11} \Gamma^\rho_{\sigma\rho} - \Gamma^\sigma_{1\rho} \Gamma^\rho_{\sigma 1}. \tag{21}$$

Now, we will be expand the sum over ρ for 0, 1, 2, 3. (Each line of every equation will correspond to each value of ρ .)

$$\begin{aligned}
R_{11} &= +\partial_0 \Gamma^0_{11} - \partial_1 \Gamma^0_{10} + \Gamma^\sigma_{11} \Gamma^0_{\sigma 0} - \Gamma^\sigma_{10} \Gamma^0_{\sigma 1} \\
&\quad + \partial_1 \Gamma^1_{11} - \partial_1 \Gamma^1_{11} + \Gamma^\sigma_{11} \Gamma^1_{\sigma 1} - \Gamma^\sigma_{11} \Gamma^1_{\sigma 1} \\
&\quad + \partial_2 \Gamma^2_{11} - \partial_1 \Gamma^2_{12} + \Gamma^\sigma_{11} \Gamma^2_{\sigma 2} - \Gamma^\sigma_{12} \Gamma^2_{\sigma 1} \\
&\quad + \partial_3 \Gamma^3_{11} - \partial_1 \Gamma^3_{13} + \Gamma^\sigma_{11} \Gamma^3_{\sigma 3} - \Gamma^\sigma_{13} \Gamma^3_{\sigma 1}, \\
R_{11} &= +\partial_0 \Gamma^0_{11} - \Gamma^\sigma_{10} \Gamma^0_{\sigma 1} \\
&\quad + 0 \\
&\quad - \partial_1 \Gamma^2_{12} + \Gamma^\sigma_{11} \Gamma^2_{\sigma 2} - \Gamma^\sigma_{12} \Gamma^2_{\sigma 1} \\
&\quad - \partial_1 \Gamma^3_{13} + \Gamma^\sigma_{11} \Gamma^3_{\sigma 3} - \Gamma^\sigma_{13} \Gamma^3_{\sigma 1}.
\end{aligned} \tag{22}$$

Now, we will be expand the sum over σ for 0, 1, 2, 3, but first rewrite the equation. (Each line of

every equation will correspond to each value of σ .)

$$\begin{aligned}
R_{11} &= + \partial_0 \Gamma^0_{11} - \partial_1 \Gamma^2_{12} - \partial_1 \Gamma^3_{13} \\
&\quad - \Gamma^{\sigma}_{10} \Gamma^0_{\sigma 1} + \Gamma^{\sigma}_{11} \Gamma^2_{\sigma 2} - \Gamma^{\sigma}_{12} \Gamma^2_{\sigma 1} + \Gamma^{\sigma}_{11} \Gamma^3_{\sigma 3} - \Gamma^{\sigma}_{13} \Gamma^3_{\sigma 1}, \\
R_{11} &= + \partial_0 \Gamma^0_{11} - \partial_1 \Gamma^2_{12} - \partial_1 \Gamma^3_{13} \\
&\quad - \Gamma^0_{10} \Gamma^0_{01} + \Gamma^0_{11} \Gamma^2_{02} - \Gamma^0_{12} \Gamma^2_{01} + \Gamma^0_{11} \Gamma^3_{03} - \Gamma^0_{13} \Gamma^3_{01} \\
&\quad - \Gamma^1_{10} \Gamma^0_{11} + \Gamma^1_{11} \Gamma^2_{12} - \Gamma^1_{12} \Gamma^2_{11} + \Gamma^1_{11} \Gamma^3_{13} - \Gamma^1_{13} \Gamma^3_{11} \\
&\quad - \Gamma^2_{10} \Gamma^0_{21} + \Gamma^2_{11} \Gamma^2_{22} - \Gamma^2_{12} \Gamma^2_{21} + \Gamma^2_{11} \Gamma^3_{23} - \Gamma^2_{13} \Gamma^3_{21} \\
&\quad - \Gamma^3_{10} \Gamma^0_{31} + \Gamma^3_{11} \Gamma^2_{32} - \Gamma^3_{12} \Gamma^2_{31} + \Gamma^3_{11} \Gamma^3_{33} - \Gamma^3_{13} \Gamma^3_{31}, \\
R_{11} &= + \partial_0 \Gamma^0_{11} - \partial_1 \Gamma^2_{12} - \partial_1 \Gamma^3_{13} \\
&\quad + \Gamma^0_{11} \Gamma^2_{02} + \Gamma^0_{11} \Gamma^3_{03} \\
&\quad - \Gamma^1_{10} \Gamma^0_{11} + \Gamma^1_{11} \Gamma^2_{12} + \Gamma^1_{11} \Gamma^3_{13} \\
&\quad - \Gamma^2_{12} \Gamma^2_{21} \\
&\quad - \Gamma^3_{13} \Gamma^3_{31}.
\end{aligned} \tag{23}$$

By inserting values, we get

$$\begin{aligned}
R_{11} &= + \partial_0 \Gamma^0_{11} - \partial_1 \Gamma^2_{12} - \partial_1 \Gamma^3_{13} + \Gamma^0_{11} \Gamma^2_{02} + \Gamma^0_{11} \Gamma^3_{03} \\
&\quad - \Gamma^1_{10} \Gamma^0_{11} + \Gamma^1_{11} \Gamma^2_{12} + \Gamma^1_{11} \Gamma^3_{13} - \Gamma^2_{12} \Gamma^2_{21} - \Gamma^3_{13} \Gamma^3_{31}, \\
R_{11} &= + \partial_t \left(\frac{a\dot{a}}{1 - kr^2} \right) - \partial_r \left(\frac{1}{r} \right) - \partial_r \left(\frac{1}{r} \right) + \left(\frac{a\ddot{a}}{1 - kr^2} \right) \left(\frac{\dot{a}}{a} \right) + \left(\frac{a\dot{a}}{1 - kr^2} \right) \left(\frac{\dot{a}}{a} \right) \\
&\quad - \left(\frac{a\dot{a}}{1 - kr^2} \right) \left(\frac{\dot{a}}{a} \right) + \left(\frac{kr}{1 - kr^2} \right) \left(\frac{1}{r} \right) + \left(\frac{kr}{1 - kr^2} \right) \left(\frac{1}{r} \right) - \left(\frac{1}{r} \right) \left(\frac{1}{r} \right) - \left(\frac{1}{r} \right) \left(\frac{1}{r} \right), \\
R_{11} &= + \partial_t \left(\frac{a\dot{a}}{1 - kr^2} \right) - 2\partial_r \left(\frac{1}{r} \right) + \frac{\dot{a}^2}{1 - kr^2} + \frac{2k}{1 - kr^2} - 2 \left(\frac{1}{r} \right)^2, \\
R_{11} &= + \frac{a\ddot{a}}{1 - kr^2} + \frac{2\dot{a}^2}{1 - kr^2} + \frac{2k}{1 - kr^2}, \\
R_{11} &= + \frac{a\ddot{a} + 2\dot{a}^2 + 2k}{1 - kr^2}.
\end{aligned} \tag{24}$$

For $\mu = \nu = 2$, Eq (17) becomes

$$R_{22} = \partial_\rho \Gamma^\rho_{22} - \partial_2 \Gamma^\rho_{2\rho} + \Gamma^\sigma_{22} \Gamma^\rho_{\sigma\rho} - \Gamma^\sigma_{2\rho} \Gamma^\rho_{\sigma 2}. \tag{25}$$

Now, we will be expand the sum over ρ for 0, 1, 2, 3. (Each line of every equation will correspond

to each value of ρ .)

$$\begin{aligned}
R_{22} &= + \partial_0 \Gamma^0_{22} - \partial_2 \Gamma^0_{20} + \Gamma^\sigma_{22} \Gamma^0_{\sigma 0} - \Gamma^\sigma_{20} \Gamma^0_{\sigma 2} \\
&\quad + \partial_1 \Gamma^1_{22} - \partial_2 \Gamma^1_{21} + \Gamma^\sigma_{22} \Gamma^1_{\sigma 1} - \Gamma^\sigma_{21} \Gamma^1_{\sigma 2} \\
&\quad + \partial_2 \Gamma^2_{22} - \partial_2 \Gamma^2_{22} + \Gamma^\sigma_{22} \Gamma^2_{\sigma 2} - \Gamma^\sigma_{22} \Gamma^2_{\sigma 2} \\
&\quad + \partial_3 \Gamma^3_{22} - \partial_2 \Gamma^3_{23} + \Gamma^\sigma_{22} \Gamma^3_{\sigma 3} - \Gamma^\sigma_{23} \Gamma^3_{\sigma 2}, \\
R_{22} &= + \partial_0 \Gamma^0_{22} - \Gamma^\sigma_{20} \Gamma^0_{\sigma 2} \\
&\quad + \partial_1 \Gamma^1_{22} + \Gamma^\sigma_{22} \Gamma^1_{\sigma 1} - \Gamma^\sigma_{21} \Gamma^1_{\sigma 2} \\
&\quad + 0 \\
&\quad - \partial_2 \Gamma^3_{23} + \Gamma^\sigma_{22} \Gamma^3_{\sigma 3} - \Gamma^\sigma_{23} \Gamma^3_{\sigma 2},
\end{aligned}$$

Now, we will be expand the sum over σ for 0, 1, 2, 3, but first rewrite the equation. (Each line of every equation will correspond to each value of σ .)

$$\begin{aligned}
R_{22} &= + \partial_0 \Gamma^0_{22} + \partial_1 \Gamma^1_{22} - \partial_2 \Gamma^3_{23} \\
&\quad - \Gamma^\sigma_{20} \Gamma^0_{\sigma 2} + \Gamma^\sigma_{22} \Gamma^1_{\sigma 1} - \Gamma^\sigma_{21} \Gamma^1_{\sigma 2} + \Gamma^\sigma_{22} \Gamma^3_{\sigma 3} - \Gamma^\sigma_{23} \Gamma^3_{\sigma 2}, \\
R_{22} &= + \partial_0 \Gamma^0_{22} + \partial_1 \Gamma^1_{22} - \partial_2 \Gamma^3_{23} \\
&\quad - \Gamma^0_{20} \Gamma^0_{02} + \Gamma^0_{22} \Gamma^1_{01} - \Gamma^0_{21} \Gamma^1_{02} + \Gamma^0_{22} \Gamma^3_{03} - \Gamma^0_{23} \Gamma^3_{02} \\
&\quad - \Gamma^1_{20} \Gamma^0_{12} + \Gamma^1_{22} \Gamma^1_{11} - \Gamma^1_{21} \Gamma^1_{12} + \Gamma^1_{22} \Gamma^3_{13} - \Gamma^1_{23} \Gamma^3_{12} \\
&\quad - \Gamma^2_{20} \Gamma^0_{22} + \Gamma^2_{22} \Gamma^1_{21} - \Gamma^2_{21} \Gamma^1_{22} + \Gamma^2_{22} \Gamma^3_{23} - \Gamma^2_{23} \Gamma^3_{22} \\
&\quad - \Gamma^3_{20} \Gamma^0_{32} + \Gamma^3_{22} \Gamma^1_{31} - \Gamma^3_{21} \Gamma^1_{32} + \Gamma^3_{22} \Gamma^3_{33} - \Gamma^3_{23} \Gamma^3_{32}, \\
R_{22} &= + \partial_0 \Gamma^0_{22} + \partial_1 \Gamma^1_{22} - \partial_2 \Gamma^3_{23} \\
&\quad + \Gamma^0_{22} \Gamma^1_{01} + \Gamma^0_{22} \Gamma^3_{03} \\
&\quad + \Gamma^1_{22} \Gamma^1_{11} + \Gamma^1_{22} \Gamma^3_{13} \\
&\quad - \Gamma^2_{20} \Gamma^0_{22} - \Gamma^2_{21} \Gamma^1_{22} \\
&\quad - \Gamma^3_{23} \Gamma^3_{32}. \tag{26}
\end{aligned}$$

By inserting values, we get

$$\begin{aligned}
R_{22} &= + \partial_0 \Gamma^0_{22} + \partial_1 \Gamma^1_{22} - \partial_2 \Gamma^3_{23} \\
&\quad + \Gamma^0_{22} \Gamma^1_{01} + \Gamma^0_{22} \Gamma^3_{03} + \Gamma^1_{22} \Gamma^1_{11} + \Gamma^1_{22} \Gamma^3_{13} - \Gamma^2_{20} \Gamma^0_{22} - \Gamma^2_{21} \Gamma^1_{22} - \Gamma^3_{23} \Gamma^3_{32}, \\
R_{22} &= + \partial_t(a\dot{a}r^2) + \partial_r[-r(1 - kr^2)] - \partial_\theta(\cot\theta) \\
&\quad + (a\dot{a}r^2)\frac{\dot{a}}{a} + (a\dot{a}r^2)\frac{\dot{a}}{a} - r(1 - kr^2)\frac{kr}{1 - kr^2} - r(1 - kr^2)\frac{1}{r} - \frac{\dot{a}}{a}(a\dot{a}r^2) + r(1 - kr^2)\frac{1}{r} - \cot^2\theta, \\
R_{22} &= + \partial_t(a\dot{a}r^2) + \partial_r[-r(1 - kr^2)] - \partial_\theta(\cot\theta) + \dot{a}^2 r^2 - kr^2 - \cot^2\theta, \\
R_{22} &= + r^2(a\ddot{a} + \dot{a}^2) + 3kr^2 - 1 + \csc^2\theta + \dot{a}^2 r^2 - kr^2 - \cot^2\theta, \\
R_{22} &= +(a\ddot{a} + 2\dot{a}^2 + 2k)r^2. \tag{27}
\end{aligned}$$

For $\mu = \nu = 3$, Eq (17) becomes

$$R_{33} = \partial_\rho \Gamma^\rho_{33} - \partial_3 \Gamma^\rho_{3\rho} + \Gamma^\sigma_{33} \Gamma^\rho_{\sigma\rho} - \Gamma^\sigma_{3\rho} \Gamma^\rho_{\sigma 3}. \tag{28}$$

Now, we will be expand the sum over ρ for 0, 1, 2, 3. (Each line of every equation will correspond to each value of ρ .)

$$\begin{aligned}
R_{33} = & + \partial_0 \Gamma^0_{33} - \partial_3 \Gamma^0_{30} + \Gamma^\sigma_{33} \Gamma^0_{\sigma 0} - \Gamma^\sigma_{30} \Gamma^0_{\sigma 3} \\
& + \partial_1 \Gamma^1_{33} - \partial_3 \Gamma^1_{31} + \Gamma^\sigma_{33} \Gamma^1_{\sigma 1} - \Gamma^\sigma_{31} \Gamma^1_{\sigma 3} \\
& + \partial_2 \Gamma^2_{33} - \partial_3 \Gamma^2_{32} + \Gamma^\sigma_{33} \Gamma^2_{\sigma 2} - \Gamma^\sigma_{32} \Gamma^2_{\sigma 3} \\
& + \partial_3 \Gamma^3_{33} - \partial_3 \Gamma^3_{33} + \Gamma^\sigma_{33} \Gamma^3_{\sigma 3} - \Gamma^\sigma_{33} \Gamma^3_{\sigma 3}, \\
R_{33} = & + \partial_0 \Gamma^0_{33} - \Gamma^\sigma_{30} \Gamma^0_{\sigma 3} \\
& + \partial_1 \Gamma^1_{33} + \Gamma^\sigma_{33} \Gamma^1_{\sigma 1} - \Gamma^\sigma_{31} \Gamma^1_{\sigma 3} \\
& + \partial_2 \Gamma^2_{33} + \Gamma^\sigma_{33} \Gamma^2_{\sigma 2} - \Gamma^\sigma_{32} \Gamma^2_{\sigma 3} \\
& + \Gamma^\sigma_{33} \Gamma^3_{\sigma 3} - \Gamma^\sigma_{33} \Gamma^3_{\sigma 3}.
\end{aligned}$$

Now, we will be expand the sum over σ for 0, 1, 2, 3, but first rewrite the equation. (Each line of every equation will correspond to each value of σ .)

$$\begin{aligned}
R_{33} = & + \partial_0 \Gamma^0_{33} + \partial_1 \Gamma^1_{33} + \partial_2 \Gamma^2_{33} \\
& - \Gamma^\sigma_{30} \Gamma^0_{\sigma 3} + \Gamma^\sigma_{33} \Gamma^1_{\sigma 1} - \Gamma^\sigma_{31} \Gamma^1_{\sigma 3} + \Gamma^\sigma_{33} \Gamma^2_{\sigma 2} - \Gamma^\sigma_{32} \Gamma^2_{\sigma 3} + \Gamma^\sigma_{33} \Gamma^3_{\sigma 3} - \Gamma^\sigma_{33} \Gamma^3_{\sigma 3}, \\
R_{33} = & + \partial_0 \Gamma^0_{33} + \partial_1 \Gamma^1_{33} + \partial_2 \Gamma^2_{33} \\
& - \Gamma^0_{30} \Gamma^0_{03} + \Gamma^0_{33} \Gamma^1_{01} - \Gamma^0_{31} \Gamma^1_{03} + \Gamma^0_{33} \Gamma^2_{02} - \Gamma^0_{32} \Gamma^2_{03} + \Gamma^0_{33} \Gamma^3_{03} - \Gamma^0_{33} \Gamma^3_{03} \\
& - \Gamma^1_{30} \Gamma^0_{13} + \Gamma^1_{33} \Gamma^1_{11} - \Gamma^1_{31} \Gamma^1_{13} + \Gamma^1_{33} \Gamma^2_{12} - \Gamma^1_{32} \Gamma^2_{13} + \Gamma^1_{33} \Gamma^3_{13} - \Gamma^1_{33} \Gamma^3_{13} \\
& - \Gamma^2_{30} \Gamma^0_{23} + \Gamma^2_{33} \Gamma^1_{21} - \Gamma^2_{31} \Gamma^1_{23} + \Gamma^2_{33} \Gamma^2_{22} - \Gamma^2_{32} \Gamma^2_{23} + \Gamma^2_{33} \Gamma^3_{23} - \Gamma^2_{33} \Gamma^3_{23} \\
& - \Gamma^3_{30} \Gamma^0_{33} + \Gamma^3_{33} \Gamma^1_{31} - \Gamma^3_{31} \Gamma^1_{33} + \Gamma^3_{33} \Gamma^2_{32} - \Gamma^3_{32} \Gamma^2_{33} + \Gamma^3_{33} \Gamma^3_{33} - \Gamma^3_{33} \Gamma^3_{33}, \\
R_{33} = & + \partial_0 \Gamma^0_{33} + \partial_1 \Gamma^1_{33} + \partial_2 \Gamma^2_{33} \\
& + \Gamma^0_{33} \Gamma^1_{01} + \Gamma^0_{33} \Gamma^2_{02} \\
& + \Gamma^1_{33} \Gamma^1_{11} + \Gamma^1_{33} \Gamma^2_{12} \\
& + 0 \\
& - \Gamma^3_{30} \Gamma^0_{33} - \Gamma^3_{31} \Gamma^1_{33} - \Gamma^3_{32} \Gamma^2_{33},
\end{aligned}$$

By inserting values, we get

$$\begin{aligned}
R_{33} &= + \partial_0 \Gamma^0_{33} + \partial_1 \Gamma^1_{33} + \partial_2 \Gamma^2_{33} + \Gamma^0_{33} \Gamma^1_{01} + \Gamma^0_{33} \Gamma^2_{02} \\
&\quad + \Gamma^1_{33} \Gamma^1_{11} + \Gamma^1_{33} \Gamma^2_{12} \\
&\quad - \Gamma^3_{30} \Gamma^0_{33} - \Gamma^3_{31} \Gamma^1_{33} - \Gamma^3_{32} \Gamma^2_{33}, \\
R_{33} &= + \partial_t (a \dot{a} r^2 \sin^2 \theta) + \partial_r [-r(1 - kr^2) \sin^2 \theta] - \partial_\theta (\sin \theta \cos \theta) + (a \dot{a} r^2 \sin^2 \theta) \frac{\dot{a}}{a} + (a \dot{a} r^2 \sin^2 \theta) \frac{\dot{a}}{a} \\
&\quad - r(1 - kr^2) \sin^2 \theta \frac{kr}{1 - kr^2} + [-r(1 - kr^2) \sin^2 \theta] \frac{1}{r} \\
&\quad - \frac{\dot{a}}{a} (a \dot{a} r^2 \sin^2 \theta) + \frac{1}{r} [-r(1 - kr^2) \sin^2 \theta] + \cot \theta \sin \theta \cos \theta, \\
R_{33} &= + r^2 \sin^2 \theta \partial_t (a \ddot{a}) - \sin^2 \theta [\partial_r (r) - \partial_r (kr^3)] - \partial_\theta (\sin \theta \cos \theta) + \dot{a}^2 r^2 \sin^2 \theta - kr^2 \sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta, \\
R_{33} &= + r^2 \sin^2 \theta (a \ddot{a} + \dot{a}^2) - \sin^2 \theta (1 - 3kr^2) + \sin^2 \theta - \cos^2 \theta + \dot{a}^2 r^2 \sin^2 \theta - kr^2 \sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta, \\
R_{33} &= + r^2 \sin^2 \theta (a \ddot{a} + \dot{a}^2) + 2kr^2 \sin^2 \theta + \dot{a}^2 r^2 \sin^2 \theta, \\
R_{33} &= +(a \ddot{a} + 2\dot{a}^2 + 2k)r^2 \sin^2 \theta. \tag{29}
\end{aligned}$$

Finally, we can write Ricci tensor in matrix form as

$$R_{\mu\nu} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 \frac{\ddot{a}}{a} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{a \ddot{a} + 2\dot{a}^2 + 2k}{1 - kr^2} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & (a \ddot{a} + 2\dot{a}^2 + 2k)r^2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & (a \ddot{a} + 2\dot{a}^2 + 2k)r^2 \sin^2 \theta \end{pmatrix}. \tag{30}$$

Ricci scalar can be defined as:

$$\begin{aligned}
R &= R_{\mu\nu} g^{\mu\nu}, \tag{31} \\
&= R_{00} g^{00} + R_{11} g^{11} + R_{22} g^{22} + R_{33} g^{33}, \\
&= -3 \frac{\ddot{a}}{a} + \left(\frac{a \ddot{a} + 2\dot{a}^2 + 2k}{1 - kr^2} \right) \left(\frac{1 - kr^2}{-a^2} \right) \\
&\quad - (a \ddot{a} + 2\dot{a}^2 + 2k)r^2 \left(\frac{1}{-a^2 r^2} \right) + (a \ddot{a} + 2\dot{a}^2 + 2k)r^2 \sin^2 \theta \left(\frac{1}{-a^2 r^2 \sin^2 \theta} \right), \\
&= -3 \frac{\ddot{a}}{a} - 3 \frac{a \ddot{a} + 2\dot{a}^2 + 2k}{a^2},
\end{aligned}$$

$$R = -6 \left(\frac{\ddot{a}}{a} + \frac{\dot{a}^2}{a^2} + \frac{k}{a^2} \right). \tag{32}$$

In order to model the large scale behaviour of the universe, so that Einstein equations are satisfied, we model the energy and matter in the universe by a perfect fluid. A perfect fluid has no heat conduction or viscosity and is characterized by its mass density ρ and pressure p . The particles in the fluid are galaxy clusters. In comoving coordinates, $t = 1$ and $\dot{x}_i = 0$, the four-

velocity $u^\mu = (1, 0, 0, 0)$, the stress-energy tensor becomes:

$$T_{\mu\nu} = (\rho + p) \frac{dx^\mu}{ds} \frac{dx^\nu}{ds} - pg_{\mu\nu}, \quad (33)$$

$$T_{\mu\nu} = \begin{pmatrix} \rho & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -p & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -p & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -p \end{pmatrix}. \quad (34)$$

Further

$$T_{00} = \rho, \quad (35)$$

$$\begin{aligned} T_{11} &= (\rho + p) \frac{dx^1}{ds} \frac{dx^1}{ds} - pg_{11}, \\ &= -p \left(-\frac{a^2}{1 - kr^2} \right), \\ T_{11} &= \frac{pa^2}{1 - kr^2}, \end{aligned} \quad (36)$$

and its trace is

$$T = \rho - 3p. \quad (37)$$

The 00-component of the Einstein tensor is:

$$\begin{aligned} G_{00} &= R_{00} - \frac{1}{2} R g_{00}, \\ &= -3 \frac{\ddot{a}}{a} - \frac{1}{2} (-6) \left(\frac{\ddot{a}}{a} + \frac{\dot{a}^2}{a^2} + \frac{k}{a^2} \right), \\ &= -3 \frac{\ddot{a}}{a} + 3 \frac{\ddot{a}}{a} + 3 \left(\frac{\dot{a}^2}{a^2} + \frac{k}{a^2} \right), \end{aligned} \quad (38)$$

$G_{00} = 3 \frac{\dot{a}^2 + k}{a^2}.$

(39)

Now the 00-component of the Einstein field equation gives:

$$\begin{aligned} G_{\mu\nu} &= 8\pi GT_{\mu\nu} + \Lambda g_{\mu\nu}, \\ G_{00} &= 8\pi GT_{00} + \Lambda g_{00}, \end{aligned} \quad (40)$$

$$\begin{aligned} 3 \frac{\dot{a}^2 + k}{a^2} &= 8\pi G\rho + \Lambda, \\ \frac{\dot{a}^2 + k}{a^2} &= \frac{8\pi G\rho + \Lambda}{3}. \end{aligned} \quad (41)$$

Or by inserting c , it becomes

$$\frac{\dot{a}^2 + kc^2}{a^2} = \frac{8\pi G\rho + \Lambda c^2}{3} \quad (42)$$

And the 11-component of the trace inverted Einstein field equation gives:

$$\begin{aligned} R_{\mu\nu} - \frac{1}{2}Rg_{\mu\nu} &= 8\pi GT_{\mu\nu} + \Lambda g_{\mu\nu}, \\ R_{11} - \frac{1}{2}Rg_{11} &= 8\pi GT_{11} + \Lambda g_{11}, \end{aligned} \quad (43)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{a\ddot{a} + 2\dot{a}^2 + 2k}{1 - kr^2} - \frac{1}{2} \left[-6 \left(\frac{\ddot{a}}{a} + \frac{\dot{a}^2}{a^2} + \frac{k}{a^2} \right) \right] \frac{a^2}{1 - kr^2} &= 8\pi Gp \frac{a^2}{1 - kr^2} + \Lambda \frac{a^2}{1 - kr^2}, \\ (a\ddot{a} + 2\dot{a}^2 + 2k) + 3a^2 \left(\frac{\ddot{a}}{a} + \frac{\dot{a}^2}{a^2} + \frac{k}{a^2} \right) &= 8\pi Gpa^2 + \Lambda a^2, \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{\ddot{a}}{a} = -\frac{4\pi G}{3}(\rho + 3p) + \frac{\Lambda}{3}, \quad (44)$$

Or by inserting c , it becomes

$$\frac{\ddot{a}}{a} = -\frac{4\pi G}{3} \left(\rho + \frac{3p}{c^2} \right) + \frac{\Lambda c^2}{3}. \quad (45)$$

We supplement these Friedman equations by the equation of conservation of energy using the stress-energy-momentum tensor:

$$T^{\mu\nu}_{;\mu} = 0. \quad (46)$$

Considering the conservation of energy equation using the energy-momentum tensor, we get

$$\begin{aligned} T^{\mu 0}_{;\mu} &= 0, \\ \partial_\mu T^\mu_0 + \Gamma^\mu_{\mu\nu} T^\nu_0 - \Gamma^\nu_{\mu 0} T^\mu_\nu &= 0. \end{aligned} \quad (47)$$

As the energy-momentum tensor is diagonal, so it reduces to

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= +\partial_0 T^0_0 + \partial_1 T^1_0 + \partial_2 T^2_0 + \partial_3 T^3_0 \\ &\quad + \Gamma^0_{00} T^0_0 + \Gamma^1_{10} T^0_0 + \Gamma^2_{20} T^0_0 + \Gamma^3_{30} T^0_0 \\ &\quad - \Gamma^0_{00} T^0_0 - \Gamma^1_{10} T^1_1 - \Gamma^2_{20} T^2_2 - \Gamma^3_{30} T^3_3, \\ 0 &= +\partial_t \rho + 0 + 0 + 0 \\ &\quad + 0 + \frac{\dot{a}}{a} \rho + \frac{\dot{a}}{a} \rho + \frac{\dot{a}}{a} \rho \\ &\quad - 0 - \frac{\dot{a}}{a} p - \frac{\dot{a}}{a} p - \frac{\dot{a}}{a} p, \\ \boxed{\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} = -3 \frac{\dot{a}}{a} (\rho + p).} \end{aligned} \quad (48)$$

To proceed further, we have to choose an equation of state, a relationship between ρ and p . The perfect fluid relevant to cosmology obeys the simple equation of state

$$p = \omega \rho, \quad (49)$$

where ω is a constant independent of time. In view of this result, we re-write the energy conservation equation as

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{\rho} &= -3\frac{\dot{a}}{a}(\rho + \omega\rho), \\ \frac{\dot{\rho}}{\rho} &= -3\frac{\dot{a}}{a}(1 + \omega),\end{aligned}$$

which on integration yields

$$\rho \propto a^{-3(1+\omega)}. \quad (50)$$