

$\delta W_{\mu\nu}$ 3+1 in RW

Within the metric

$$-ds^2 = -d\tau^2 + \frac{dr^2}{1 - kr^2} + r^2 d\theta^2 + r^2 \sin^2 \theta d\phi^2 \quad (1)$$

any Christoffel symbol with a time index will vanish. Therefore, in looking at the Riemann tensor

$$R^\lambda{}_{\mu\nu\kappa} = \partial_\kappa \Gamma^\lambda_{\mu\nu} - \partial_\nu \Gamma^\lambda_{\mu\kappa} + \Gamma^\eta_{\mu\nu} \Gamma^\lambda_{\kappa\eta} - \Gamma^\eta_{\mu\kappa} \Gamma^\lambda_{\nu\eta} \quad (2)$$

we note that any time component of the Riemann tensor will vanish, i.e. only spatial indices are nonzero. If we construct the four velocity projector

$$U^{\mu\nu} = u^\mu u^\nu, \quad \text{where } u^\mu = \frac{dx^\mu}{d\tau} = (1, 0, 0, 0), \quad (3)$$

and the 3-space projector

$$P_{\mu\nu} = g_{\mu\nu} + U_{\mu\nu}, \quad (4)$$

it follows that

$$\begin{aligned} R_{\lambda\mu\nu\kappa} &= (P_\lambda{}^\alpha - U_\lambda{}^\alpha)(P_\mu{}^\beta - U_\mu{}^\beta)(P_\nu{}^\sigma - U_\nu{}^\sigma)(P_\kappa{}^\rho - U_\kappa{}^\rho)R_{\alpha\beta\sigma\rho} \\ &= P_\lambda{}^\alpha P_\mu{}^\beta P_\nu{}^\sigma P_\kappa{}^\rho R_{\alpha\beta\sigma\rho}. \end{aligned} \quad (5)$$

Hence, the Riemann tensor effectively represents the curvature only of the underlying 3-space. Given metric (1), the 3-space is maximally symmetric and so the curvature relations are

$$R_{\lambda\mu\nu\kappa} = k(P_{\mu\nu}P_{\lambda\kappa} - P_{\lambda\nu}P_{\mu\kappa}) \quad (6)$$

$$R_{\mu\nu} = -2kP_{\mu\nu} \quad (7)$$

$$R^\mu{}_\mu = -6k \quad (8)$$

In evaluating $\delta W_{\mu\nu}$ in the metric of (1), we recall

$$\delta W_{\mu\nu}(h_{\mu\nu}) = \delta W_{\mu\nu}(K_{\mu\nu}) + \delta W_{\mu\nu}\left(\frac{h}{4}g_{\mu\nu}^{(0)}\right) \quad (9)$$

where

$$\delta W_{\mu\nu}\left(\frac{h}{4}g_{\mu\nu}^{(0)}\right) = -\frac{h}{4}W_{\mu\nu}^{(0)}. \quad (10)$$

Since (1) can be expressed in a the conformal to flat form (upon taking $a(\tau) = 1$) for arbitrary k , we know the background piece $W_{\mu\nu}^{(0)}$ must vanish. This has also been confirmed by taking $W_{\mu\nu}$ and directly inserting curvature relations (6-8). As such, the fluctuation equations will only depend on $K_{\mu\nu}$.

To calculate $\delta W_{\mu\nu}$ in (1), first take $\delta W_{\mu\nu}$ in gauge ready form

$$\begin{aligned}
\delta W_{\mu\nu} = & -\frac{1}{6}K_{\mu\nu}R^2 + \frac{1}{3}g_{\mu\nu}K^{\alpha\beta}RR_{\alpha\beta} + \frac{1}{2}K_{\mu\nu}R_{\alpha\beta}R^{\alpha\beta} + \frac{1}{3}K_{\nu}^{\alpha}RR_{\mu\alpha} - \frac{1}{2}K_{\nu}^{\alpha}R_{\alpha\beta}R_{\mu}^{\beta} \\
& -\frac{2}{3}K^{\alpha\beta}R_{\alpha\beta}R_{\mu\nu} + \frac{1}{3}K_{\mu}^{\alpha}RR_{\nu\alpha} + K^{\alpha\beta}R_{\mu\alpha}R_{\nu\beta} - \frac{1}{2}K_{\mu}^{\alpha}R_{\alpha\beta}R_{\nu}^{\beta} - g_{\mu\nu}K^{\alpha\beta}R^{\gamma\zeta}R_{\alpha\gamma\beta\zeta} \\
& -\frac{2}{3}K^{\alpha\beta}RR_{\mu\alpha\nu\beta} + 2K^{\alpha\beta}R_{\alpha\gamma\beta\zeta}R_{\mu}^{\gamma}{}_{\nu}{}^{\zeta} + \frac{1}{2}R_{\nu}^{\alpha}\nabla_{\alpha}\nabla_{\beta}K_{\mu}^{\beta} + \frac{1}{2}R_{\mu}^{\alpha}\nabla_{\alpha}\nabla_{\beta}K_{\nu}^{\beta} \\
& -\frac{1}{6}\nabla_{\alpha}K_{\mu\nu}\nabla^{\alpha}R + \frac{1}{3}g_{\mu\nu}\nabla_{\alpha}K^{\gamma\zeta}\nabla^{\alpha}R_{\gamma\zeta} - 2\nabla_{\alpha}K^{\gamma\zeta}\nabla^{\alpha}R_{\mu\gamma\nu\zeta} + \frac{1}{6}g_{\mu\nu}\nabla^{\alpha}R\nabla_{\beta}K_{\alpha}^{\beta} \\
& -\nabla_{\alpha}K^{\alpha\beta}\nabla_{\beta}R_{\mu\nu} + \frac{1}{3}g_{\mu\nu}R\nabla_{\beta}\nabla_{\alpha}K^{\alpha\beta} - \frac{2}{3}R_{\mu\nu}\nabla_{\beta}\nabla_{\alpha}K^{\alpha\beta} - R^{\alpha\beta}\nabla_{\beta}\nabla_{\alpha}K_{\mu\nu} \\
& -K^{\alpha\beta}\nabla_{\beta}\nabla_{\alpha}R_{\mu\nu} + \frac{2}{3}g_{\mu\nu}R^{\gamma\zeta}\nabla_{\beta}\nabla^{\beta}K_{\gamma\zeta} - 2R_{\mu\gamma\nu\zeta}\nabla_{\beta}\nabla^{\beta}K^{\gamma\zeta} + \frac{1}{3}R\nabla_{\beta}\nabla^{\beta}K_{\mu\nu} \\
& + \frac{1}{6}g_{\mu\nu}K^{\gamma\zeta}\nabla_{\beta}\nabla^{\beta}R_{\gamma\zeta} + \frac{1}{2}K_{\nu}^{\gamma}\nabla_{\beta}\nabla^{\beta}R_{\mu\gamma} + \frac{1}{2}K_{\mu}^{\gamma}\nabla_{\beta}\nabla^{\beta}R_{\nu\gamma} - K^{\gamma\zeta}\nabla_{\beta}\nabla^{\beta}R_{\mu\gamma\nu\zeta} \\
& + \frac{1}{6}g_{\mu\nu}\nabla_{\beta}\nabla^{\beta}\nabla_{\zeta}\nabla_{\gamma}K^{\gamma\zeta} - \frac{1}{2}\nabla_{\beta}\nabla^{\beta}\nabla_{\mu}\nabla_{\gamma}K_{\nu}^{\gamma} - \frac{1}{2}\nabla_{\beta}\nabla^{\beta}\nabla_{\nu}\nabla_{\gamma}K_{\mu}^{\gamma} \\
& -g_{\mu\nu}R^{\alpha\beta}\nabla_{\beta}\nabla_{\gamma}K_{\alpha}^{\gamma} + R^{\alpha\beta}\nabla_{\beta}\nabla_{\mu}K_{\nu\alpha} + R^{\alpha\beta}\nabla_{\beta}\nabla_{\nu}K_{\mu\alpha} + \nabla_{\alpha}R_{\nu\beta}\nabla^{\beta}K_{\mu}^{\alpha} \\
& + \nabla_{\alpha}R_{\mu\beta}\nabla^{\beta}K_{\nu}^{\alpha} + \frac{1}{6}g_{\mu\nu}K_{\alpha\beta}\nabla^{\beta}\nabla^{\alpha}R - \frac{1}{6}K_{\mu\nu}\nabla^{\beta}\nabla_{\beta}R + R_{\mu\beta\nu\gamma}\nabla^{\gamma}\nabla_{\alpha}K^{\alpha\beta} \\
& + R_{\mu\gamma\nu\beta}\nabla^{\gamma}\nabla_{\alpha}K^{\alpha\beta} + \frac{1}{2}\nabla_{\zeta}\nabla^{\zeta}\nabla_{\beta}\nabla^{\beta}K_{\mu\nu} - \nabla_{\beta}R_{\nu\alpha}\nabla_{\mu}K^{\alpha\beta} + \frac{1}{6}\nabla^{\alpha}R\nabla_{\mu}K_{\nu\alpha} \\
& -\frac{1}{3}R\nabla_{\mu}\nabla_{\alpha}K_{\nu}^{\alpha} - \frac{1}{2}R_{\nu}^{\alpha}\nabla_{\mu}\nabla_{\beta}K_{\alpha}^{\beta} - \frac{1}{6}R^{\alpha\beta}\nabla_{\mu}\nabla_{\nu}K_{\alpha\beta} + \frac{1}{3}K^{\alpha\beta}\nabla_{\mu}\nabla_{\nu}R_{\alpha\beta} \\
& + \frac{1}{3}\nabla_{\mu}\nabla_{\nu}\nabla_{\beta}\nabla_{\alpha}K^{\alpha\beta} - \nabla_{\beta}R_{\mu\alpha}\nabla_{\nu}K^{\alpha\beta} + \frac{1}{3}\nabla_{\mu}R_{\alpha\beta}\nabla_{\nu}K^{\alpha\beta} + \frac{1}{6}\nabla^{\alpha}R\nabla_{\nu}K_{\mu\alpha} \\
& + \frac{1}{3}\nabla_{\mu}K^{\alpha\beta}\nabla_{\nu}R_{\alpha\beta} - \frac{1}{3}R\nabla_{\nu}\nabla_{\alpha}K_{\mu}^{\alpha} - \frac{1}{2}R_{\mu}^{\alpha}\nabla_{\nu}\nabla_{\beta}K_{\alpha}^{\beta} - \frac{1}{2}R^{\alpha\beta}\nabla_{\nu}\nabla_{\mu}K_{\alpha\beta},
\end{aligned} \tag{11}$$

then impose transverse gauge

$$\nabla_{\mu}K^{\mu\nu} = 0, \tag{12}$$

such that $\delta W_{\mu\nu}$ is now

$$\begin{aligned}
\delta W_{\mu\nu} = & -\frac{1}{6}K_{\mu\nu}R^2 + \frac{1}{3}g_{\mu\nu}K^{\alpha\beta}RR_{\alpha\beta} + \frac{1}{2}K_{\mu\nu}R_{\alpha\beta}R^{\alpha\beta} + \frac{1}{3}K_{\nu}^{\alpha}RR_{\mu\alpha} - \frac{1}{2}K_{\nu}^{\alpha}R_{\alpha\beta}R_{\mu}^{\beta} \\
& -\frac{2}{3}K^{\alpha\beta}R_{\alpha\beta}R_{\mu\nu} + \frac{1}{3}K_{\mu}^{\alpha}RR_{\nu\alpha} + K^{\alpha\beta}R_{\mu\alpha}R_{\nu\beta} - \frac{1}{2}K_{\mu}^{\alpha}R_{\alpha\beta}R_{\nu}^{\beta} - g_{\mu\nu}K^{\alpha\beta}R^{\gamma\zeta}R_{\alpha\gamma\beta\zeta} \\
& -\frac{2}{3}K^{\alpha\beta}RR_{\mu\alpha\nu\beta} + 2K^{\alpha\beta}R_{\alpha\gamma\beta\zeta}R_{\mu}^{\gamma}{}_{\nu}{}^{\zeta} + \frac{1}{3}R\nabla_{\alpha}\nabla^{\alpha}K_{\mu\nu} - \frac{1}{6}K_{\mu\nu}\nabla_{\alpha}\nabla^{\alpha}R \\
& -\frac{1}{6}\nabla_{\alpha}K_{\mu\nu}\nabla^{\alpha}R - R^{\alpha\beta}\nabla_{\beta}\nabla_{\alpha}K_{\mu\nu} - K^{\alpha\beta}\nabla_{\beta}\nabla_{\alpha}R_{\mu\nu} + \frac{1}{2}K_{\nu}^{\alpha}\nabla_{\beta}\nabla^{\beta}R_{\mu\alpha} \\
& + \frac{1}{2}K_{\mu}^{\alpha}\nabla_{\beta}\nabla^{\beta}R_{\nu\alpha} + \frac{1}{2}\nabla_{\beta}\nabla^{\beta}\nabla_{\alpha}\nabla^{\alpha}K_{\mu\nu} + R^{\alpha\beta}\nabla_{\beta}\nabla_{\mu}K_{\nu\alpha} + R^{\alpha\beta}\nabla_{\beta}\nabla_{\nu}K_{\mu\alpha} \\
& + \nabla_{\alpha}R_{\nu\beta}\nabla^{\beta}K_{\mu}^{\alpha} + \nabla_{\alpha}R_{\mu\beta}\nabla^{\beta}K_{\nu}^{\alpha} + \frac{1}{6}g_{\mu\nu}K_{\alpha\beta}\nabla^{\beta}\nabla^{\alpha}R + \frac{2}{3}g_{\mu\nu}R^{\alpha\beta}\nabla_{\gamma}\nabla^{\gamma}K_{\alpha\beta} \\
& -2R_{\mu\alpha\nu\beta}\nabla_{\gamma}\nabla^{\gamma}K^{\alpha\beta} + \frac{1}{6}g_{\mu\nu}K^{\alpha\beta}\nabla_{\gamma}\nabla^{\gamma}R_{\alpha\beta} - K^{\alpha\beta}\nabla_{\gamma}\nabla^{\gamma}R_{\mu\alpha\nu\beta} \\
& + \frac{1}{3}g_{\mu\nu}\nabla_{\gamma}R_{\alpha\beta}\nabla^{\gamma}K^{\alpha\beta} - 2\nabla_{\gamma}R_{\mu\alpha\nu\beta}\nabla^{\gamma}K^{\alpha\beta} - \nabla_{\beta}R_{\nu\alpha}\nabla_{\mu}K^{\alpha\beta} + \frac{1}{6}\nabla^{\alpha}R\nabla_{\mu}K_{\nu\alpha} \\
& -\frac{1}{6}R^{\alpha\beta}\nabla_{\mu}\nabla_{\nu}K_{\alpha\beta} + \frac{1}{3}K^{\alpha\beta}\nabla_{\mu}\nabla_{\nu}R_{\alpha\beta} - \nabla_{\beta}R_{\mu\alpha}\nabla_{\nu}K^{\alpha\beta} + \frac{1}{3}\nabla_{\mu}R_{\alpha\beta}\nabla_{\nu}K^{\alpha\beta} \\
& + \frac{1}{6}\nabla^{\alpha}R\nabla_{\nu}K_{\mu\alpha} + \frac{1}{3}\nabla_{\mu}K^{\alpha\beta}\nabla_{\nu}R_{\alpha\beta} - \frac{1}{2}R^{\alpha\beta}\nabla_{\nu}\nabla_{\mu}K_{\alpha\beta}.
\end{aligned} \tag{13}$$

Now substitute curvature relations (6-8) and impose

$$\nabla_{\mu}K^{\mu\nu} = 0, \quad \nabla_{\mu}U_{\alpha\beta} = 0, \quad U^{\alpha}{}_{\alpha} = -1, \quad U^{\alpha\beta}U_{\alpha\lambda} = -U^{\beta}{}_{\lambda}, \quad K^{\alpha}{}_{\alpha} = 0. \tag{14}$$

This yields

$$\begin{aligned}
\delta W_{\mu\nu} = & 2k^2K_{\mu\nu} - \frac{2}{3}k^2g_{\mu\nu}K_{\alpha\beta}U^{\alpha\beta} + 4k^2K_{\nu\alpha}U_{\mu}^{\alpha} + \frac{4}{3}k^2K_{\alpha\beta}U^{\alpha\beta}U_{\mu\nu} - 2k^2K_{\alpha\beta}U^{\beta\alpha}U_{\mu\nu} \\
& + 4k^2K_{\mu\alpha}U_{\nu}^{\alpha} - 4k^2K_{\alpha\beta}U_{\mu}^{\beta}U_{\nu}^{\alpha} + 10k^2K_{\alpha\beta}U_{\mu}^{\alpha}U_{\nu}^{\beta} + \frac{2}{3}kg^{\alpha\beta}g_{\mu\nu}U^{\gamma\zeta}\nabla_{\beta}\nabla_{\alpha}K_{\gamma\zeta} \\
& + 2kg^{\alpha\beta}U^{\gamma\zeta}U_{\mu\nu}\nabla_{\beta}\nabla_{\alpha}K_{\gamma\zeta} - 2kg^{\alpha\beta}U_{\mu}^{\gamma}U_{\nu}^{\zeta}\nabla_{\beta}\nabla_{\alpha}K_{\gamma\zeta} - 2kg^{\alpha\beta}U_{\nu}^{\gamma}\nabla_{\beta}\nabla_{\alpha}K_{\mu\gamma} \\
& - 2kg^{\alpha\beta}\nabla_{\beta}\nabla_{\alpha}K_{\mu\nu} + 2kU^{\alpha\beta}\nabla_{\beta}\nabla_{\alpha}K_{\mu\nu} - 2kg^{\alpha\beta}U_{\mu}^{\gamma}\nabla_{\beta}\nabla_{\alpha}K_{\nu\gamma} - 2kU^{\alpha\beta}\nabla_{\beta}\nabla_{\mu}K_{\nu\alpha} \\
& - 2kU^{\alpha\beta}\nabla_{\beta}\nabla_{\nu}K_{\mu\alpha} + \frac{1}{2}g^{\alpha\zeta}g^{\gamma\beta}\nabla_{\zeta}\nabla_{\alpha}\nabla_{\beta}\nabla_{\gamma}K_{\mu\nu} + \frac{1}{3}kU^{\alpha\beta}\nabla_{\mu}\nabla_{\nu}K_{\alpha\beta} \\
& + kU^{\alpha\beta}\nabla_{\nu}\nabla_{\mu}K_{\alpha\beta}.
\end{aligned} \tag{15}$$

Now perform 3+1 split, where Latin indices are spatial and

$$K'_{\mu\nu} = \frac{\partial K_{\mu\nu}}{\partial \tau}, \quad \nabla^a \nabla_a = g^{ab} \nabla_a \nabla_b, \quad U^{\alpha\beta} = u^\alpha u^\beta, \quad u^\alpha = (1, 0, 0, 0), \quad u_\alpha = (-1, 0, 0, 0) \quad (16)$$

The result is

$$\delta W_{00} = \frac{1}{2} K_{00}'''' - 2k K_{00}'' - \nabla_a \nabla^a K_{00}'' + \frac{4}{3} k \nabla_a \nabla^a K_{00} + \frac{1}{2} \nabla_b \nabla^b \nabla_a \nabla^a K_{00} \quad (17)$$

$$\delta W_{0i} = \frac{1}{2} K_{0i}'''' - 2k^2 K_{0i} - \nabla_a \nabla^a K_{0i}'' + \frac{1}{2} \nabla_b \nabla^b \nabla_a \nabla^a K_{0i} - \frac{2}{3} k \nabla_i K_{00}' \quad (18)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \delta W_{ij} = & \frac{1}{2} K_{ij}'''' + 4k K_{ij}'' - \frac{2}{3} k K_{00}'' g_{ij} + 2k^2 K_{ij} - \frac{2}{3} k^2 g_{ij} K_{00} - \nabla_a \nabla^a K_{ij}'' - 2k \nabla_a \nabla^a K_{ij} \\ & + \frac{2}{3} k g_{ij} \nabla_a \nabla^a K_{00} + \frac{1}{2} \nabla_b \nabla^b \nabla_a \nabla^a K_{ij} - 2k \nabla_i K_{0j}' + \frac{4}{3} k \nabla_i \nabla_j K_{00} - 2k \nabla_j K_{0i}'. \end{aligned} \quad (19)$$

In the limit $k \rightarrow 0$, this reduces to

$$\delta W_{\mu\nu} = \frac{1}{2} \nabla_\alpha \nabla^\alpha \nabla_\beta \nabla^\beta K_{\mu\nu}. \quad (20)$$

As a step towards the comoving coordinates, we evaluate (17-19) in the metric

$$-ds^2 = -\frac{dt^2}{a^2(t)} + \frac{dr^2}{1-kr^2} + r^2 d\theta^2 + r^2 \sin^2 \theta d\phi^2 \quad (21)$$

To do this we must transform the coordinates as

$$d\tau = \frac{dt}{a(t)}. \quad (22)$$

Under this coordinate change, $K_{\mu\nu}$ transforms as

$$K_{\mu\nu} = \frac{\partial \bar{x}^\alpha}{\partial x^\mu} \frac{\partial \bar{x}^\beta}{\partial x^\nu} \bar{K}_{\alpha\beta} \quad (23)$$

where \bar{x}^μ denotes the new coordinate system in (t, r, θ, ϕ) of (21). Only the time components are affected:

$$K_{00} = \frac{\partial \bar{x}^\alpha}{\partial x^0} \frac{\partial \bar{x}^\beta}{\partial x^0} \bar{K}_{\alpha\beta} = \delta_0^\alpha \delta_0^\beta \left(\frac{dt}{d\tau} \right)^2 \bar{K}_{\alpha\beta} = a^2(t) \bar{K}_{00} \quad (24)$$

$$K_{0i} = \frac{\partial \bar{x}^\alpha}{\partial x^0} \frac{\partial \bar{x}^\beta}{\partial x^i} \bar{K}_{\alpha\beta} = \delta_0^\alpha \delta_i^\beta \frac{dt}{d\tau} \bar{K}_{\alpha\beta} = a(t) \bar{K}_{0i} \quad (25)$$

$$K_{ij} = \frac{\partial \bar{x}^\alpha}{\partial x^i} \frac{\partial \bar{x}^\beta}{\partial x^j} \bar{K}_{\alpha\beta} = \delta_i^\alpha \delta_j^\beta \bar{K}_{\alpha\beta} = \bar{K}_{ij}. \quad (26)$$

In addition, only one Christoffel term changes, the one with all time components

$$\bar{\Gamma}_{00}^0 = -\frac{\dot{a}}{a}. \quad (27)$$

This is useful because any covariant derivative with respect to a spatial index then retains its form in the new coordinate system. Time derivatives onto $K_{\mu\nu}$ must be transformed as

$$\begin{aligned} K'_{\mu\nu} &= a \dot{K}_{\mu\nu} \\ K''_{\mu\nu} &= a^2 \ddot{K}_{\mu\nu} + a \dot{a} \dot{K}_{\mu\nu} \\ K'''_{\mu\nu} &= a^3 \dddot{K}_{\mu\nu} + 3a^2 \dot{a} \ddot{K}_{\mu\nu} + a \dot{a}^2 \dot{K}_{\mu\nu} + a^2 \ddot{a} \dot{K}_{\mu\nu} \\ K''''_{\mu\nu} &= a^4 \ddddot{K}_{\mu\nu} + 6a^3 \dot{a} \dddot{K}_{\mu\nu} + 7a^2 \dot{a}^2 \ddot{K}_{\mu\nu} + 4a^3 \ddot{a} \dot{K}_{\mu\nu} + a \dot{a}^3 \dot{K}_{\mu\nu} + 4a^2 \dot{a} \ddot{a} \dot{K}_{\mu\nu} + a^3 \ddot{a} \dot{K}_{\mu\nu}. \end{aligned} \quad (28)$$

Making substitutions (24-28), $\delta W_{\mu\nu}$ can be expressed in the metric of (21) as

$$\begin{aligned}\delta W_{00} = & \frac{1}{2}a^6\ddot{\ddot{K}}_{00} + 7a^5\dot{a}\ddot{K}_{00} - 2ka^4\ddot{K}_{00} + \frac{55}{2}a^4\dot{a}^2\ddot{K}_{00} + 8a^5\ddot{a}\ddot{K}_{00} - 10ka^3\dot{a}\ddot{K}_{00} + \frac{65}{2}a^3\dot{a}^3\ddot{K}_{00} \\ & + 40a^4\ddot{a}\dot{K}_{00} + \frac{9}{2}a^5\ddot{\ddot{K}}_{00} - 8ka^2\dot{a}^2\ddot{K}_{00} + 8a^2\dot{a}^4\ddot{K}_{00} - 4ka^3\ddot{a}\ddot{K}_{00} + 33a^3\dot{a}^2\ddot{a}\ddot{K}_{00} \\ & + 7a^4\ddot{a}^2\ddot{K}_{00} + 11a^4\dot{a}\ddot{\ddot{K}}_{00} + a^5\ddot{\ddot{\ddot{K}}}_{00} - a^4\nabla_a\nabla^a\ddot{K}_{00} - 5a^3\dot{a}\nabla_a\nabla^a\dot{K}_{00} \\ & + \frac{4}{3}ka^2\nabla_a\nabla^aK_{00} - 4a^2\dot{a}^2\nabla_a\nabla^aK_{00} - 2a^3\ddot{a}\nabla_a\nabla^aK_{00} + \frac{1}{2}a^2\nabla_b\nabla^b\nabla_a\nabla^aK_{00}.\end{aligned}\quad (29)$$

$$\begin{aligned}\delta W_{0i} = & \frac{1}{2}a^5\ddot{\ddot{K}}_{i0} + 5a^4\dot{a}\ddot{K}_{i0} + \frac{25}{2}a^3\dot{a}^2\ddot{K}_{i0} + 5a^4\ddot{a}\ddot{K}_{i0} + \frac{15}{2}a^2\dot{a}^3\ddot{K}_{i0} + 15a^3\ddot{a}\dot{K}_{i0} + \frac{5}{2}a^4\ddot{\ddot{K}}_{i0} \\ & - 2k^2aK_{i0} + \frac{1}{2}a\dot{a}^4K_{i0} + \frac{11}{2}a^2\dot{a}^2\ddot{a}K_{i0} + 2a^3\ddot{a}^2K_{i0} + \frac{7}{2}a^3\dot{a}\ddot{\ddot{K}}_{i0} + \frac{1}{2}a^4\ddot{\ddot{\ddot{K}}}_{i0} \\ & - a^3\nabla_a\nabla^a\ddot{K}_{i0} - 3a^2\dot{a}\nabla_a\nabla^a\dot{K}_{i0} - a\dot{a}^2\nabla_a\nabla^aK_{i0} - a^2\ddot{a}\nabla_a\nabla^aK_{i0} + \frac{1}{2}a\nabla_b\nabla^b\nabla_a\nabla^aK_{i0} \\ & - \frac{2}{3}ka^3\nabla_i\dot{K}_{00} - \frac{4}{3}ka^2\dot{a}\nabla_iK_{00}.\end{aligned}\quad (30)$$

$$\begin{aligned}\delta W_{ij} = & \frac{1}{2}a^4\ddot{\ddot{K}}_{ij} + 3a^3\dot{a}\ddot{K}_{ij} + 4ka^2\ddot{K}_{ij} + \frac{7}{2}a^2\dot{a}^2\ddot{K}_{ij} + 2a^3\ddot{a}\ddot{K}_{ij} + 4ka\dot{a}\dot{K}_{ij} + \frac{1}{2}a\dot{a}^3\dot{K}_{ij} \\ & + 2a^2\ddot{a}\dot{K}_{ij} + \frac{1}{2}a^3\ddot{\ddot{K}}_{ij} - \frac{2}{3}ka^4\ddot{K}_{00}g_{ij} - \frac{10}{3}ka^3\dot{a}\ddot{K}_{00}g_{ij} + 2k^2K_{ij} - \frac{2}{3}k^2a^2g_{ij}K_{00} \\ & - \frac{8}{3}ka^2\dot{a}^2g_{ij}K_{00} - \frac{4}{3}ka^3\dot{a}g_{ij}K_{00} - a^2\nabla_a\nabla^a\ddot{K}_{ij} - a\dot{a}\nabla_a\nabla^a\dot{K}_{ij} - 2k\nabla_a\nabla^aK_{ij} \\ & + \frac{2}{3}ka^2g_{ij}\nabla_a\nabla^aK_{00} + \frac{1}{2}\nabla_b\nabla^b\nabla_a\nabla^aK_{ij} - 2ka^2\nabla_i\dot{K}_{j0} - 2ka\dot{a}\nabla_iK_{j0} + \frac{4}{3}ka^2\nabla_i\nabla_jK_{00} \\ & - 2ka^2\nabla_j\dot{K}_{i0} - 2ka\dot{a}\nabla_jK_{i0}.\end{aligned}\quad (31)$$

Lastly, within the conformal metric $\bar{g}_{\mu\nu}^{(0)} = \Omega^2 g_{\mu\nu}^{(0)}$ we recall that the Bach tensor transforms as

$$\bar{\delta W}_{\mu\nu}(\bar{K}_{\mu\nu}) = \Omega^{-2}\delta W_{\mu\nu}(K_{\mu\nu}).\quad (32)$$

As such, we may express $\delta W_{\mu\nu}$ in the RW metric (in conformal time or comoving coordinates) by multiplying by the appropriate conformal factor.

Summary

Within the RW conformal time metric

$$-ds^2 = a^2(\tau) \left[-d\tau^2 + \frac{dr^2}{1 - kr^2} + r^2 d\theta^2 + r^2 \sin^2 \theta d\phi^2 \right],\quad (33)$$

$\delta W_{\mu\nu}$ is evaluated as

$$\delta W_{00} = a^{-2}(\tau) \left[\frac{1}{2}K_{00}'''' - 2kK_{00}'' - \nabla_a\nabla^a K_{00}'' + \frac{4}{3}k\nabla_a\nabla^a K_{00} + \frac{1}{2}\nabla_b\nabla^b\nabla_a\nabla^a K_{00} \right]\quad (34)$$

$$\delta W_{0i} = a^{-2}(\tau) \left[\frac{1}{2}K_{0i}'''' - 2k^2K_{0i} - \nabla_a\nabla^a K_{0i}'' + \frac{1}{2}\nabla_b\nabla^b\nabla_a\nabla^a K_{0i} - \frac{2}{3}k\nabla_i K_{00}' \right]\quad (35)$$

$$\begin{aligned}\delta W_{ij} = & a^{-2}(\tau) \left[\frac{1}{2}K_{ij}'''' + 4kK_{ij}'' - \frac{2}{3}kK_{00}''g_{ij} + 2k^2K_{ij} - \frac{2}{3}k^2g_{ij}K_{00} - \nabla_a\nabla^a K_{ij}'' - 2k\nabla_a\nabla^a K_{ij} \right. \\ & \left. + \frac{2}{3}kg_{ij}\nabla_a\nabla^a K_{00} + \frac{1}{2}\nabla_b\nabla^b\nabla_a\nabla^a K_{ij} - 2k\nabla_i K_{0j}' + \frac{4}{3}k\nabla_i\nabla_j K_{00} - 2k\nabla_j K_{0i}' \right].\end{aligned}\quad (36)$$

In the RW comoving metric

$$-ds^2 = -dt^2 + a^2(t) \left[\frac{dr^2}{1 - kr^2} + r^2 d\theta^2 + r^2 \sin^2 \theta d\phi^2 \right],\quad (37)$$

$\delta W_{\mu\nu}$ is evaluated as

$$\begin{aligned}
\delta W_{00} = & \frac{1}{2}a^4\overset{\cdot\cdot\cdot\cdot}{K}_{00} + 7a^3\dot{a}\ddot{K}_{00} - 2ka^2\ddot{K}_{00} + \frac{55}{2}a^2\dot{a}^2\ddot{K}_{00} + 8a^3\ddot{a}\ddot{K}_{00} - 10ka\dot{a}\dot{K}_{00} + \frac{65}{2}a\dot{a}^3\dot{K}_{00} \\
& + 40a^2\dot{a}\ddot{K}_{00} + \frac{9}{2}a^3\ddot{\cdot}\ddot{K}_{00} - 8k\dot{a}^2K_{00} + 8\dot{a}^4K_{00} - 4ka\ddot{a}K_{00} + 33a\dot{a}^2\ddot{K}_{00} + 7a^2\ddot{a}^2K_{00} \\
& + 11a^2\dot{a}\ddot{K}_{00} + a^3\ddot{\cdot}\ddot{K}_{00} - a^2\nabla_a\nabla^a\ddot{K}_{00} - 5a\dot{a}\nabla_a\nabla^a\dot{K}_{00} + \frac{4}{3}k\nabla_a\nabla^aK_{00} \\
& - 4\dot{a}^2\nabla_a\nabla^aK_{00} - 2a\ddot{a}\nabla_a\nabla^aK_{00} + \frac{1}{2}\nabla_b\nabla^b\nabla_a\nabla^aK_{00}.
\end{aligned} \tag{38}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\delta W_{0i} = & \frac{1}{2}a^3\overset{\cdot\cdot\cdot\cdot}{K}_{i0} + 5a^2\dot{a}\ddot{K}_{i0} + \frac{25}{2}a\dot{a}^2\ddot{K}_{i0} + 5a^2\ddot{a}\ddot{K}_{i0} + \frac{15}{2}\dot{a}^3\dot{K}_{i0} + 15a\dot{a}\ddot{a}\dot{K}_{i0} + \frac{5}{2}a^2\ddot{\cdot}\ddot{K}_{i0} \\
& - 2k^2a^{-1}K_{i0} + \frac{1}{2}a^{-1}\dot{a}^4K_{i0} + \frac{11}{2}\dot{a}^2\ddot{a}K_{i0} + 2a\ddot{a}^2K_{i0} + \frac{7}{2}a\dot{a}\ddot{\cdot}\ddot{K}_{i0} + \frac{1}{2}a^2\ddot{\cdot}\ddot{K}_{i0} \\
& - a\nabla_a\nabla^a\ddot{K}_{i0} - 3\dot{a}\nabla_a\nabla^a\dot{K}_{i0} - a^{-1}\dot{a}^2\nabla_a\nabla^aK_{i0} - \ddot{a}\nabla_a\nabla^aK_{i0} + \frac{1}{2}a^{-1}\nabla_b\nabla^b\nabla_a\nabla^aK_{i0} \\
& - \frac{2}{3}ka\nabla_i\dot{K}_{00} - \frac{4}{3}k\dot{a}\nabla_iK_{00}.
\end{aligned} \tag{39}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\delta W_{ij} = & \frac{1}{2}a^2\overset{\cdot\cdot\cdot\cdot}{K}_{ij} + 3a\dot{a}\ddot{K}_{ij} + 4k\ddot{K}_{ij} + \frac{7}{2}\dot{a}^2\ddot{K}_{ij} + 2a\ddot{a}\ddot{K}_{ij} + 4ka^{-1}\dot{a}\dot{K}_{ij} + \frac{1}{2}a^{-1}\dot{a}^3\dot{K}_{ij} + 2\dot{a}\ddot{a}\dot{K}_{ij} \\
& + \frac{1}{2}a\ddot{\cdot}\ddot{K}_{ij} - \frac{2}{3}ka^2\ddot{K}_{00}g_{ij} - \frac{10}{3}ka\dot{a}\dot{K}_{00}g_{ij} + 2k^2a^{-2}K_{ij} - \frac{2}{3}k^2g_{ij}K_{00} - \frac{8}{3}k\dot{a}^2g_{ij}K_{00} \\
& - \frac{4}{3}ka\ddot{g}_{ij}K_{00} - \nabla_a\nabla^a\ddot{K}_{ij} - a^{-1}\dot{a}\nabla_a\nabla^a\dot{K}_{ij} - 2ka^{-2}\nabla_a\nabla^aK_{ij} + \frac{2}{3}kg_{ij}\nabla_a\nabla^aK_{00} \\
& + \frac{1}{2}a^{-2}\nabla_b\nabla^b\nabla_a\nabla^aK_{ij} - 2k\nabla_i\dot{K}_{j0} - 2ka^{-1}\dot{a}\nabla_iK_{j0} + \frac{4}{3}k\nabla_i\nabla_jK_{00} - 2k\nabla_j\dot{K}_{i0} \\
& - 2ka^{-1}\dot{a}\nabla_jK_{i0}.
\end{aligned} \tag{40}$$