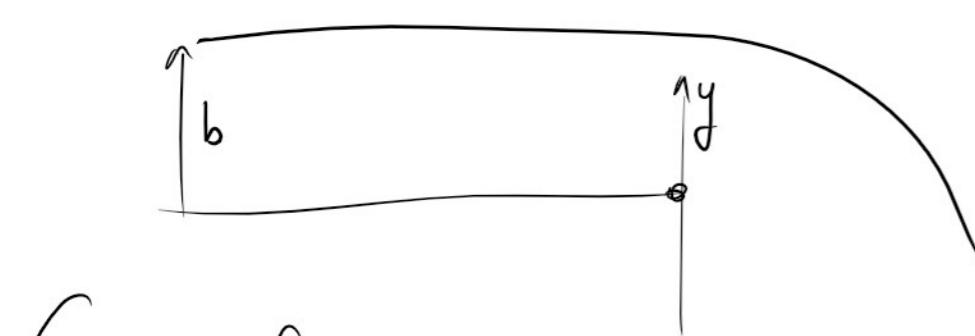


# 1h. Astro. - Collisionless Fokker

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## Relaxation time:



$$\alpha_y = \frac{Gm}{b^2} \frac{1}{\left[1 + \left(\frac{vt}{b}\right)^2\right]^{3/2}}$$

$$\Delta V = \frac{2Gm}{bv}$$

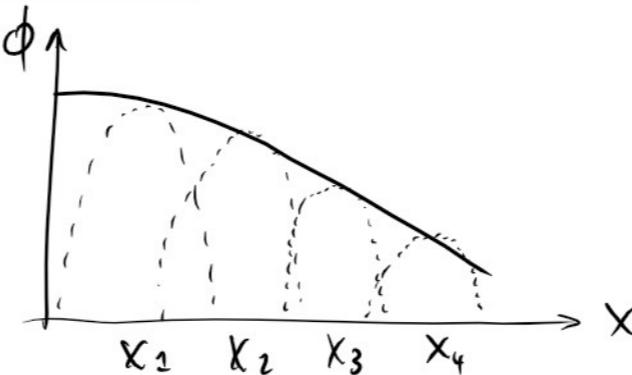
$$\left( \frac{dk}{dt} = \frac{1}{2} (\Delta V)^2 \frac{dN_{\text{field}}}{dt} \right) = \frac{2G^2 m^2}{v} n \ln\left(\frac{b_{\max}}{b_{\min}}\right)$$

$$t_{\text{orbital}} = \frac{R}{v} \quad \text{and} \quad n = \frac{N}{V}$$

$$\Rightarrow t_{\text{relax}} = t_{\text{orbital}} \cdot 0.1 \cdot \frac{N}{\log N}$$

## Potential-density pairs:

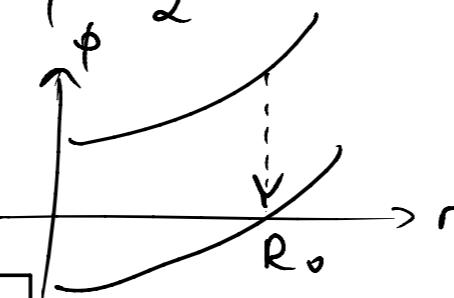
$$\Delta \phi = 4\pi G \rho$$



$$\text{gravitational energy: } W = \frac{1}{2} \int \rho \phi dV$$

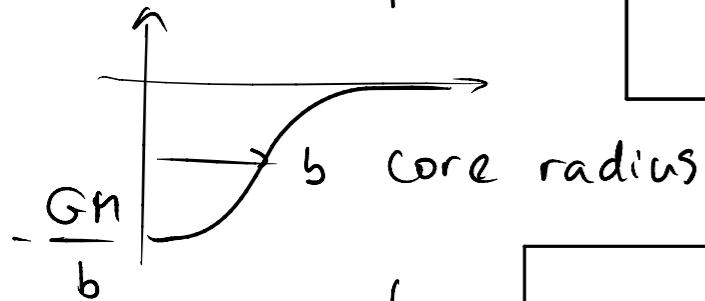
homogeneous Sphere:  $\phi = \frac{\pi}{3} G\rho \frac{r^2}{2}$

$\hookrightarrow$  redefine  $\phi = \frac{4\pi}{3} G\rho \left(\frac{R_0^2}{2} - \frac{r^2}{2}\right)$



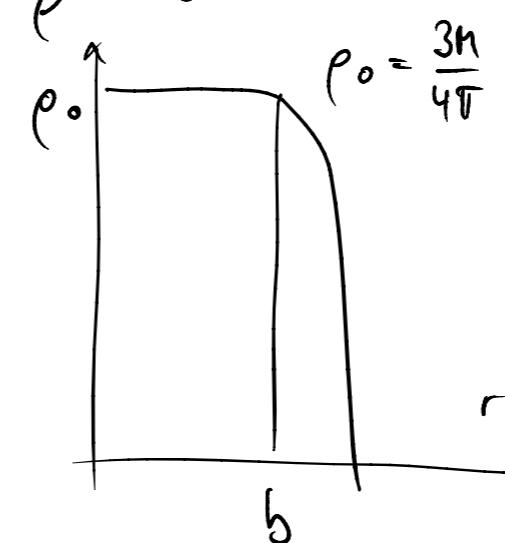
Plummer sphere:

$$\phi(r) = -\frac{GM}{\sqrt{r^2 + b^2}}$$



(avoid singularity)

$\hookrightarrow \rho(r) = \frac{1}{4\pi} 3M \frac{b^2}{(r^2 + b^2)^{5/2}}$



Density and potential linked via Poisson equation

in axis-symmetric systems:  $\rho(r, z) = \rho_r \cdot \rho_z$

$$\rho_z = \rho_0 \cdot \exp\left(-\frac{z^2}{2H}\right) \quad \text{for } r \ll H$$

$\hookrightarrow$  surface density:  $\Sigma(r) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \rho(r, z) dz \rightarrow \Sigma(r) = \rho_r \cdot H$   
 $= \text{const.}$

$\hookrightarrow$  Poisson equation in razor-thin limit:  $\tilde{\phi} \sim -2\pi G \Sigma$

↳ Poisson equation in razor-thin limit:  $\phi = -\frac{2\pi G}{k} \tilde{\Sigma}$

↳  $\tilde{\Sigma}(k) = \int_0^\infty \Sigma(r) r dr J_0(kr)$  ↗ Bessel function  
Hankel's transform

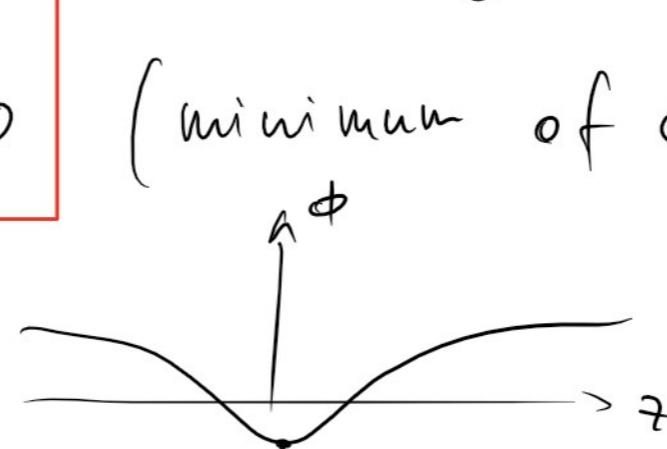
• Stellar orbits: (axis-symmetrical systems)

Euler-Lagrange  $\Rightarrow \ddot{r} = -\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial r} + \frac{L_z^2}{r^3} = -\frac{\partial \phi_{\text{eff}}}{\partial r}$   
 $\ddot{z} = -\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} = -\frac{\partial \phi_{\text{eff}}}{\partial z}$

$$\phi_{\text{eff}} = \phi(r, z) + \frac{L_z^2}{2r^2}$$

• Guiding center:  $\frac{\partial \phi_{\text{eff}}}{\partial r} = \frac{\partial \phi_{\text{eff}}}{\partial z} = 0$  (minimum of  $\phi_{\text{eff}}$ )

↳  $r_g: \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial r} = \frac{L_z^2}{r^3} \Big|_{z=0}$



↳ Taylor expansion of  $\phi_{\text{eff}}$ :  $\phi_{\text{eff}}(r, z) = \phi_{\text{eff}}(r_g, 0) + \left(\frac{\partial^2 \phi_{\text{eff}}}{\partial r^2}\right) \frac{z^2}{2} + \left(\frac{\partial^2 \phi_{\text{eff}}}{\partial z^2}\right) \frac{L_z^2}{2}$

$\boxed{x = -\kappa^2 x \quad \text{with} \quad \kappa^2 = \frac{\partial^2 \phi_{\text{eff}}}{\partial z^2}} \rightarrow$  epicyclic freq

$$\xrightarrow{\quad} \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \dot{x} = -\kappa x \quad \text{with} \quad \kappa^2 = \frac{\partial \Phi_{\text{eff}}}{\partial r^2} \\ \dot{z} = -\nu^2 z \quad \text{with} \quad \nu^2 = \frac{\partial^2 \Phi_{\text{eff}}}{\partial z^2} \end{array} \right\} \rightarrow \begin{cases} \text{epicyclic freq.} \\ \text{vertical freq.} \end{cases}$$

$$\hookrightarrow \kappa^2 = \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial r^2} \Big|_{r_0} + \frac{3}{r_0} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial r} \Big|_{r_0} \stackrel{\substack{\text{Keplarian} \\ \text{disk}}}{=} r \frac{\partial (\Omega^2)}{\partial r} + 4\Omega^2 \quad ; \quad \boxed{\Omega \leq \kappa \leq 2\Omega}$$

$$\Omega \approx \frac{\Omega_0}{r_0} \left( 1 - \frac{2x}{r_0} \right)$$

### Collisionless Boltzmann equation:

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial t} + \vec{q} \cdot \frac{\partial f}{\partial \vec{q}} + \vec{p} \cdot \frac{\partial f}{\partial \vec{p}} = 0$$

Jeans theorem:  $I$  orbital invariant ( $\frac{dI}{dt} = 0$ )

$$\hookrightarrow \vec{v} \cdot \vec{\nabla} I + \vec{a} \frac{\partial I}{\partial \vec{v}} = 0$$

stationary CBE  
with  $f(q, p) = F(I_1, I_2, \dots)$

$$\begin{cases} \vec{a} = -\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial \vec{v}} \\ \vec{v} = \vec{x} \end{cases}$$

Moments of CBE and  $f'$

$\int$

$$\int f d^3v = n(\vec{x}) ; \quad \int f \vec{v} d^3v = \vec{u}(\vec{x}, t) \cdot \vec{n} = \langle \vec{v} \rangle \cdot \vec{n}$$

velocity dispersion tensor:

$$\sigma_{ij}^2 = \langle v_i, v_j \rangle = \frac{1}{n(\vec{x})} \int v_i v_j f d^3v$$

spherical potentials:  $f(\vec{x}, \vec{v}) = f(E)$

$$\gamma = -\phi \quad \text{and}$$

relative potential

$$E = -E = \gamma - \frac{1}{2} v^2$$

binding energy

$$\hookrightarrow \text{escape velocity: } v_{esc} = \sqrt{2\gamma} ; \quad v^2 = 2(\gamma - E)$$

$$\rho_{crl} = 4\pi \int v^2 f(E) dv \quad \rightarrow \rho(\gamma) = \sqrt{2} \cdot 4\pi \int_0^\gamma f(E) \sqrt{\gamma - E} dE$$

Eddington's formulae:

$$\frac{2}{\sqrt{2} \cdot 4\pi} \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial \gamma} = \int_0^\gamma \frac{f(E)}{\sqrt{\gamma - E}} dE$$

1st Eddington formula

(Laplace transform

$$f(E) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{8\pi^2}} \frac{d}{dE} \int_0^E \frac{\frac{dp}{d\gamma}}{\sqrt{E-\gamma}} d\gamma$$

2nd Eddington formula

Singular isothermal sphere:

$$\rho(r) = \frac{\sigma^2}{2\pi G r^2} \rightarrow \gamma(r) = \sigma^2 \ln\left(\frac{\rho}{\rho_0}\right) \rightarrow \rho(\gamma) = \rho_0 e^{\frac{\gamma}{\sigma^2}}$$

$$\rightarrow f(E) = \frac{\rho(r)}{(2\pi \sigma^2)^{3/2}} e^{-\frac{v^2}{2\sigma^2}}$$

general problem:

guess  $f(E) \rightarrow$  deduce  $(\rho, \gamma)$  (Maxwellian)

$$\Delta \gamma = -4\pi G \underbrace{\int f(E) 4\pi v^2 dv}_{\rho(r); E = \gamma - \frac{1}{2}v^2}$$

Plummer's model:

$$f(E) = \begin{cases} F E^{n-3/2} & E > 0 \\ 0 & E \leq 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\hookrightarrow \rho = C_n \gamma^n \quad \text{with } C_n = (2\pi)^{3/2} \frac{(n-\frac{3}{2})!}{n!} F$$

↳ Lane-Emden equation

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$$\Delta_r(\ln p) = -\frac{4\pi G}{\sigma^2} r^2 \rho$$

power law ansatz  $\rightarrow$  isothermal sphere (singular)

cored solution  $\rightarrow$  dimensionless Lane-Emden equation

- Schwarzschild-Ausatz:

$$f(v_r, v_\theta, v_z) = S(rv_{\text{circ}}) e^{-\frac{v_r^2}{2\sigma_r^2}} e^{-\frac{(v_\theta - v_{\text{circ}})^2}{2\sigma_\theta^2}} e^{-\frac{v_z^2}{2\sigma_z^2}}$$

Maxwell-Boltzmann distribution (nearly circular orbits)

$$S(rv_{\text{circ}}) = \frac{1}{4\pi^2} \frac{\Sigma(r)}{H\sigma_r \sigma_\theta \sigma_z}$$

thus  $f \propto \exp \left[ -(\vec{v} - \vec{u})^\top \underline{\underline{\sigma}}^{-1} (\vec{v} - \vec{u}) \right]$

- Moments of CBE - Jeans equations:

$$\int (CBE) d^3v \quad \text{and} \quad \int (CBE) v_i d^3v$$

in stationary case

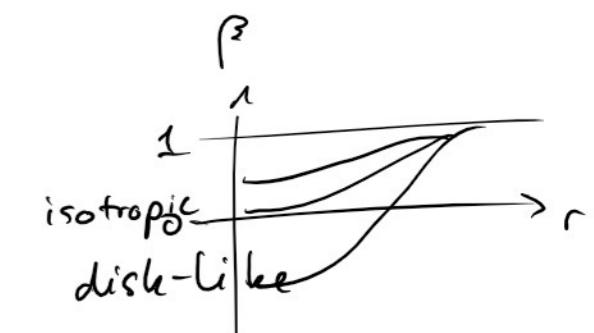
$$= \int \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial v_i}$$

$$\nabla(\rho \vec{u}) = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad \tilde{\nabla}(\rho(\vec{u} \otimes \vec{u}) + \rho \alpha^2) = -\rho \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial \vec{x}}$$

(4 equations, 9 unknowns → apply symmetries)

Spherical systems:

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial r} (\rho \tilde{v}_r^2) + \rho \left[ \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial r} + \frac{2 \tilde{v}_r^2 - \tilde{v}_{\theta}^2 - \tilde{v}_{\phi}^2}{r} \right] = 0$$



$\frac{2\beta}{r} \rho \tilde{v}_r^2$  anisotropy parameter  
and  $P_r = \rho \tilde{v}_r^2$  pressure

### Landau-damping:

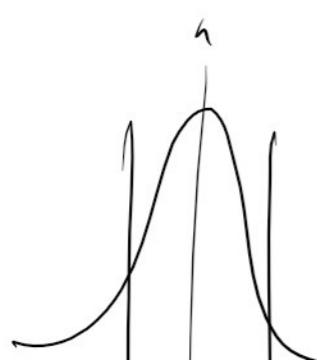
perturbation  $f = f_0 + \epsilon f_1$

↪ CBE  $\xrightarrow[\text{ausatz}]{\text{wave}} \text{Jeans instability}$

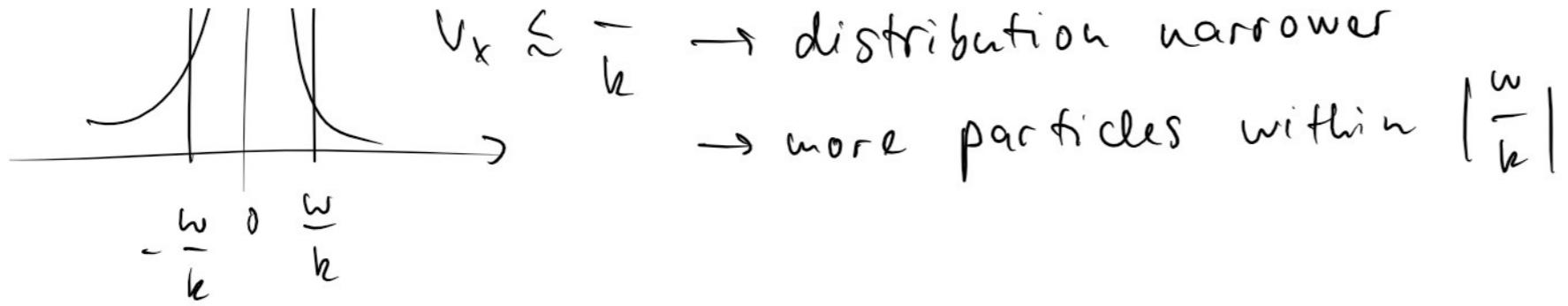
Landau damping: if  $v_x \lesssim \frac{\omega}{k}$  ⇒ wave damped  $v_x \uparrow$

if  $v_x \gtrsim \frac{\omega}{k}$  ⇒ wave grows  $v_x \downarrow$

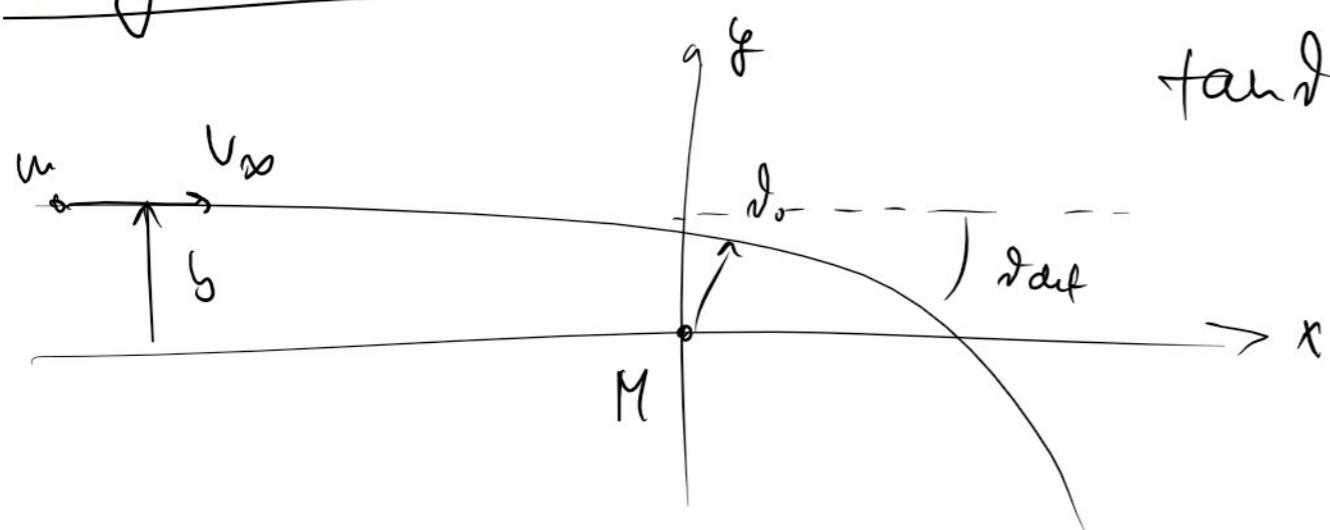
↪ surfing



$v_x \lesssim \frac{\omega}{k} \rightarrow \text{distribution narrower}$



## Dynamical friction:



$$\tan \vartheta_0 = \frac{b v_\infty^2}{GM}$$

$$\frac{dv_u}{dt} = \iint \Delta v_u \left( \frac{dN}{dt db d^3v} \right) db d^3v$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\Delta v_u = \frac{2 \mu v_\infty}{M} \frac{1}{1 + \frac{b^2}{b_{\text{re}}^2}} = v_\infty \cdot \cos(\vartheta_{\text{def}})}$$