

Update-24.11.18

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The first issue was that in the plot χ_{H2} vs $\log(n_H)$, when I changed $n_{H,mean}$ the plot was also changing. But this wasn't expected because $n_{H,mean}$ didn't influence the calculations of χ_{H2} in any way. I found out that I was plotting χ_{H2} vs $\log(x)$ the whole time, where $x = \log(\frac{n_H}{n_{H,mean}})$, that was why the plots were affected. I addressed this issue by replacing $\log(\frac{n_H}{n_{H,mean}})$ by $\log(n_H)$. The new plot is attached here.

The second issue was the plot between $\log(\lambda_{Jeans})$ & $\log(n_H)$, where the values were orders greater than the theoretical values. I addressed this issue too by first replacing $\log(\frac{n_H}{n_{H,mean}})$ by $\log(n_H)$, and then plotted in $\log()$ (i.e., base-10) instead of $\ln()$ (i.e., natural-log). This improved the plot, and now it is matching the analytical values.

$$T_{mean} = 10 \text{ K} \quad (1)$$

$$K_b = 1.3806 \cdot 10^{-16} \text{ ergs K}^{-1} \quad (2)$$

$$m_p = 1.6726 \cdot 10^{-24} \text{ g} \quad (3)$$

$$G = 6.674 \cdot 10^{-8} \text{ dyne cm}^2 \text{g}^{-2} \quad (4)$$

So the sound speed now becomes:

$$c_s = \sqrt{\frac{K_b \cdot T_{mean}}{m_p}} \quad (5)$$

$$= 28730.5 \text{ cm s}^{-1} \quad (6)$$

Now, n_H is changing, so it has a range:

$$(n_H)_{min} = 9.9 \cdot 10^{-3} \quad (7)$$

$$(n_H)_{max} = 9.9 \cdot 10^6 \text{ (in [H]/cc)} \quad (8)$$

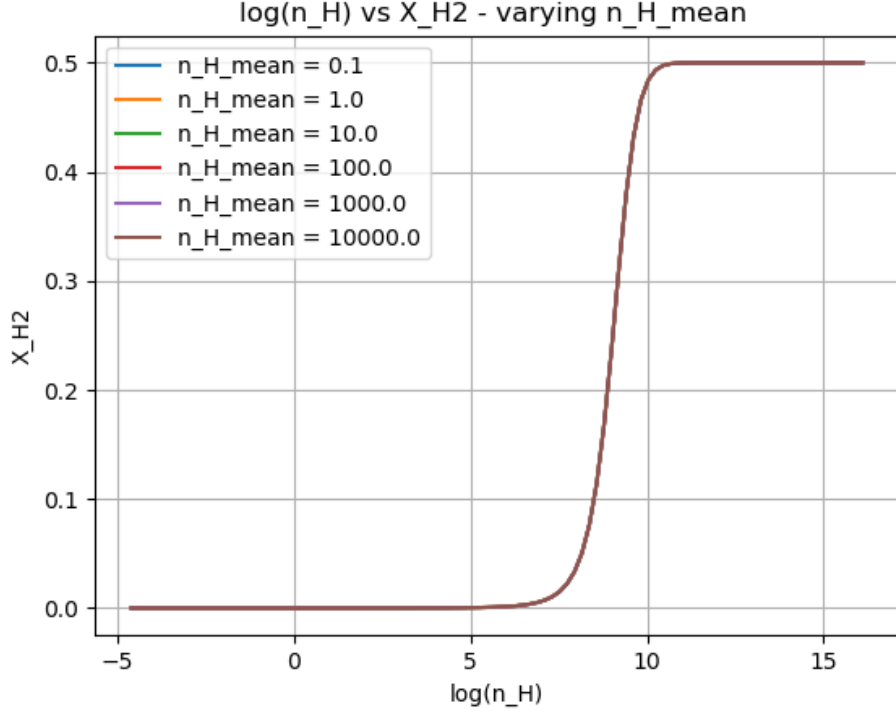


Figure 1: $\log (n_H)$ vs χ_{H2}

So now λ_{Jeans} will also vary in a range:

$$(\lambda_{Jeans})_{min} = \frac{c_s}{(\sqrt{4\pi G (n_H)_{max} m_p})} \quad (9)$$

$$= 7.712 \cdot 10^{15} \text{ cm} \quad (10)$$

$$(\lambda_{Jeans})_{max} = \frac{c_s}{(\sqrt{4\pi G (n_H)_{min} m_p})} \quad (11)$$

$$= 2.44 \cdot 10^{20} \text{ cm} \quad (12)$$

Now I plotted the graph between $\log (\lambda_{Jeans})$ & $\log (n_H)$.

$$\log ((n_H)_{min}) = -2.004 \quad (13)$$

$$\log ((n_H)_{max}) = 6.996 \quad (14)$$

$$\log ((\lambda_{Jeans})_{min}) = 15.89 \quad (15)$$

$$\log ((\lambda_{Jeans})_{max}) = 20.39 \quad (16)$$

As now can be seen, the plot and the analytical values are in complete sync.

The third point was the problem with the integration. I am still on that issue, and will again update you in that regard.

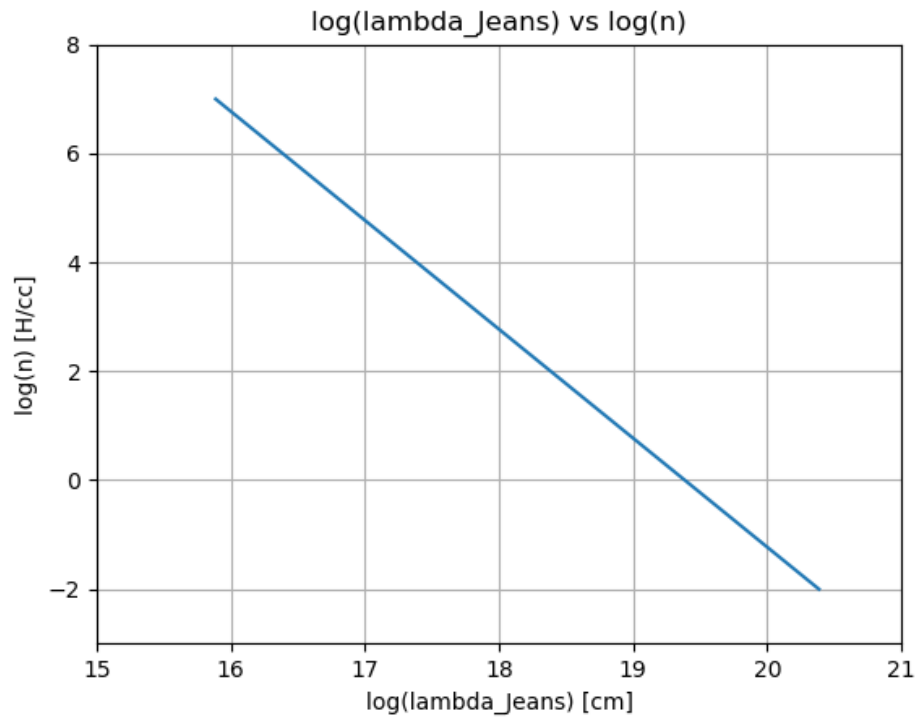


Figure 2: $\log (\lambda_{\text{Jeans}})$ vs $\log (n_H)$