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**AN APPLICATION OF THE  
SPECIAL REISSNER–NORDSTRÖM SPACE-TIME TO  
DESCRIPTION OF THE UNIVERSE IN THE  
NEIGHBOURHOOD OF THE PLANCK ERA**

*Abstract.* The description of the special Reissner–Nordström space-time in the Planck era is presented and its comparison with the Robertson–Walker space-time is given.

**1. Introduction.** The aim of this paper is to present the conjectural description of Universe by means of a special 4-dimensional Reissner–Nordström (briefly R-N) space-time and to compare it with the description given by the 4-dimensional Robertson–Walker (R-W) space-time. Let us recall that according to one of the cosmological conjectures the history of Universe began with Big Bang [6]. We will start our description at time  $t_1 = 10^{-44}$  sec, i.e. at the end of the Planck era, and conclude it at time  $t_2 = 10^{-34}$  sec [6].

DEFINITION 1. The *generalized 4-dimensional R-N space-time* is defined by the metric tensor

$$(1) \quad \text{diag}(-E^{a+1}, E^{a-1}, r^2, r^2 \sin^2 \theta),$$

where

$$E = 1 - \frac{r_0}{r} + \frac{K r_0^2}{r^2}, \quad a \in [0, 1],$$

$$K \in \left( \frac{1}{4}, \frac{9}{32} \right), \quad r_0 = \text{const} > 0,$$

$$(x^1, x^2, x^3, x^4) = (t, r, \theta, \varphi).$$

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For  $a = 1$  the metric tensor (1) has the form

$$(2) \quad \text{diag}(-E^2, 1, r^2, r^2 \sin^2 \theta).$$

DEFINITION 2. The *special R-N space-time* is one with metric tensor (2) and parameter  $K = (1 + \varepsilon)/4$ , where  $\varepsilon > 0$  is close to zero.

Diagram (9) of [4] shows the graph of scalar curvatures  $T = T(r)$  in the model of 4-dimensional generalized R-N space-time in dependance on the radius  $r$  of the Universe. We will determine the radii  $r'$  and  $r''$  for the scalar curvatures  $T_1, T_2$  corresponding to  $t_1$  and  $t_2$ . In [4] the scalar curvature  $T_\varepsilon$  of the special R-N space-time ( $a = 1$ ) was determined in the form

$$(3) \quad T_\varepsilon = \frac{4(1 + \varepsilon)r_0^2}{r^2 \left[ 4 \left( r - \frac{r_0}{2} \right)^2 + \varepsilon r_0^2 \right]}$$

or equivalently

$$(4) \quad r^2 - \frac{r_0}{2} r - \frac{r_0}{\sqrt{T_\varepsilon}} = 0.$$

The solutions of (4) are

$$(5) \quad \hat{r}_1 = \frac{r_0}{4} - \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{r_0^2}{4} + \frac{4r_0}{\sqrt{T_\varepsilon}}}, \quad \hat{r}_2 = \frac{r_0}{4} + \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{r_0^2}{4} + \frac{4r_0}{\sqrt{T_\varepsilon}}}.$$

It follows from (3) that

$$\lim_{r \rightarrow 0^+} T = +\infty, \quad \lim_{\substack{r \rightarrow r_0/2 \\ \varepsilon \rightarrow 0^+}} T = +\infty,$$

so we can assume, for  $\varepsilon$  close to zero, that  $4r_0/\sqrt{T_\varepsilon} = 0$ .

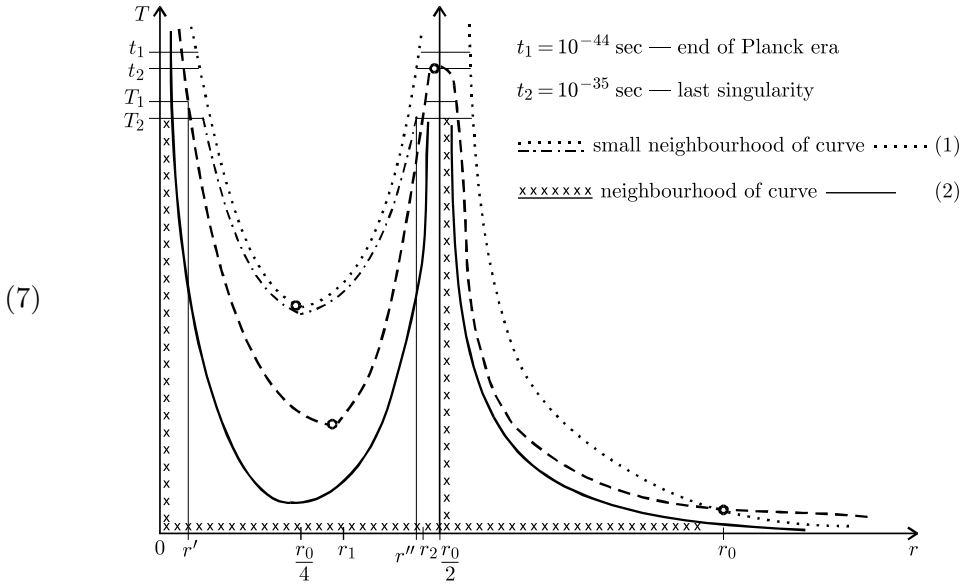
The radius  $r$  is close to zero so the approximation  $\sqrt{x} \approx \frac{1}{2}x$  allows one to obtain the following values:

$$(6) \quad r' = \frac{r_0}{4} - \frac{r_0^2}{16}, \quad r'' = \frac{r_0}{4} + \frac{r_0^2}{16}.$$

The above data are illustrated in diagram (7) below.

We can summarize this in the following theorem.

THEOREM 1. *In the special 4-dimensional R-N space-time with metric tensor (2) there exist two Big Bangs for  $r = 0$  and  $r = r_0/2$  given in diagram (7).*

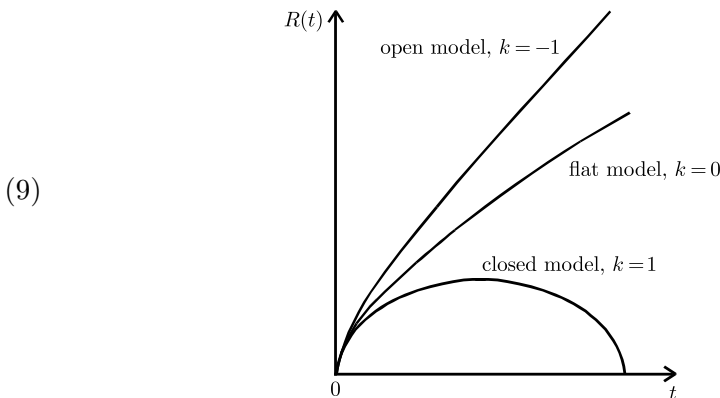


DEFINITION 3. The 4-dimensional Robertson–Walker (R-W) space-time is defined by the following metric tensor ([2, p. 190]):

(8) 
$$\text{diag}\left(-1, \frac{R^2}{1 - kr^2}, R^2 r^2, R^2 r^2 \sin^2 \theta\right),$$

where  $R = R(t)$  denotes the dimension free scale factor and  $k \in [-1, 1]$  is a parameter related with space curvature.

There are three Friedmann models of this space-time [2] described as follows:



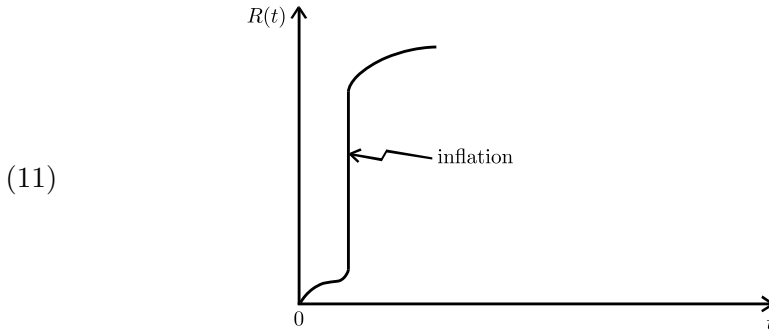
We are interested in the flat Friedmann model ( $k = 0$ ). In this model the

scale factor  $R(t)$  has the form [2]

$$(10) \quad R(t) = \left(\frac{3A}{2}\right)^{2/3} t^{2/3}, \quad A > 0, \quad A = 8\pi G \rho_0 R_0^3/3$$

and inflation occurs.

The inflation model can be described by the diagram [1]



In the inflation model, immediately after Big Bang there occurs a rapid and impetuous growth of the Universe. The inflation process ends at time  $t_2 = 10^{-34}$  sec [6].

**THEOREM 2.** *In the flat model of the R-W space-time with metric tensor (8) there occurs a Big Bang for  $r = 0$  and inflation for  $r = r_0/2$ .*

**COROLLARY 1.** *In the flat model of the R-W space-time inflation occurs exactly at the moment when the second Big Bang occurs in the special R-N space-time.*

**COROLLARY 2.** *The graph of the scalar curvature of the special R-N space-time is the curve (1) in diagram (7).*

Observe that in the generalized R-N space-time the graph of the scalar curvature tends for  $a \rightarrow 0^+$  to the limit curvature  $T = 0$  for  $r \neq r_0/2$  and to  $T = +\infty$  for  $r = r_0/2$  (see (2) in diagram (7)).

In [3, p. 223, (2.14)] we have presented a formula for the Weyl curvature. Now we can give the following complement.

**COROLLARY 3.** *The neighbourhood of a Big Bang or the neighbourhood of a Black Hole has for  $0 < a < 1$  the structure of a generalized R-N space-time (see (2) in diagram (7)).*

**REMARK.** It follows from the above corollaries that in the model of the Universe described by the flat R-W space-time, inflation occurs at time  $t_2$  while in the model described by the special R-N space-time the second Big Bang occurs.

It is a problem of experimental cosmology to investigate which of these conjectures is valid [5].

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