

# Cooperstock is wrong: The Dark Matter is necessary

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## Abstract

”In a series of papers Fred Cooperstock and his collaborators showed that the application of general relativity is sufficient to explain the velocity profile of galaxies. I argue with it.”

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Let me explain to you, what are the curvature coordinates  $(t, r, z, \phi)$ . They are not comoving coordinates. It is those coordinates, in which the Earth and the galaxy have fixed coordinate values. A stationary observer (those coordinates are kept fixed), does not experience the centrifugal acceleration.

See arXiv:astro-ph/0507619. Take the curvature coordinates, when make the coordinate transformation  $\Phi = \phi + \omega(r, z) t$ , the new coordinates will be co-moving with matter. They will contain following undiagonal terms in metric:  $g_{\Phi r}, g_{\Phi z}, g_{tz}, g_{tr}, g_{zr}$ , which are time dependent. There is also  $g_{\Phi t}$  Let us try to make from it the Cooperstock's Eq.(1), hereby so, that comoving feature stays. Also shall stay the axial symmetry. Therefore  $f = \Phi + q(r, z)$ . Latter does not change the above undiagonal elements, thus one shall transform the time:  $T = t k(r, z)$ . We have 2 unknown functions  $q$  and  $k$ . Can they eliminate all  $g_{\Phi r}, g_{\Phi z}, g_{tz}, g_{tr}$ ? One could investigate it, but it is hardly believable.

But to really get the Eq.(1) the term  $g_{\Phi t} \approx -N$  could get modified in process. So let us write the modification

$$N = n + X,$$

where  $n$  comes from centrifugal acceleration of co-movement, the  $X$  is from necessary coordinate transformations. The Cooperstock has some thing, which he believed is the star velocity in not comoving coordinates:

$$V = N/r.$$

Thus, the real, observable star velocity is

$$U = n/r = V - \frac{X}{r}.$$

If the Cooperstock were right, we have following velocity of the star in not-comoving system:

$$N/r.$$

Therefore to stay on same orbit in opposite movement one shall have velocity in comoving system

$$Y = 2N/r.$$

But I have calculated (see Appendix) in assumption, that  $z = 0$  state is stable enough:

$$Y = N_r.$$

Thus, the difference between results is the anomalous  $X$ !

$$X/r = 2N/r - N_r .$$

Thus, the

$$u = N_r - \frac{N}{r} .$$

One can come to the same conclusion, but different way. The star has velocity  $V = N/r$  in not-comoving coordinates. The star emits test-particle in opposite direction, it found to have  $v = N_r$  of velocity. Thus, using the simple rule of velocities, one have, that velocity of test-particle in not-comoving coordinates is  $W = v - V$ . To find anomaly, which we have called "frame dragging", we compare the velocities of clockwise movement and counterclockwise movement:  $X/r = V - W = 2N/r - N_r$ . Thus, we have found the same formula.

Let us check. In the  $V = const$  state holds roughly  $N = br$ , thus  $u = 0$ . That is much less than  $V$ , thus, there is no flat platoe in Cooperstock's theory. In the  $V \sim r$  regime holds roughly  $N = kr^2$ , thus  $u = kr$ . This corresponds to the linear law near the core of a galaxy.

## I. APPENDIX

Take circular orbits of a massive test particles. We have metric (15) in file cooper.pdf. Is taken  $w = 0$ . Because metric is  $\phi, t$ -independent, then from the use of Killing's vectors we have

$$u_t = E = const , \quad u_\phi = L_z = const .$$

Hopefully, these constants you can get from following equations

$$u_\nu u^\nu = 1 ,$$

$$\frac{dz}{ds} = 0 , \quad \frac{d^p z}{ds^p} = 0 ,$$

and

$$\frac{dr}{ds} = 0 , \quad \frac{d^p r}{ds^p} = 0 .$$

For all  $p = 1, 2, \dots$ . The higher derivatives are required because the motion shall be stable.

After that you can find the angular velocity as

$$\Omega = \frac{u^\phi}{u^t} .$$

Then extract by Cooperstock's "local transformation" the  $\omega$  and compare the two angular velocities:  $|\omega| + 0$  and  $|\omega + \Omega|$ . The difference is the Frame Dragging.

Arvutasin ja sain teada, et minu faili viga1.pdf suurus  $\Omega = -(N_r)/r$ , ja  $\omega = N/r^2$ . Seega Kaasatõmbe võib tõesti olla väga väike:  $\omega - |\Omega + \omega| = 2\omega + \Omega = 2N/r^2 - (N_r)/r$ . See on kahe  $G^{1/2}$  suuruse vahe, seega see võib olla  $G^2$  suurus. Vaata:  $G^2 = G^{1/2} - G^{1/2}$ . Tulemus  $\Omega = -(N_r)/r$  on saadud eeldusel, et ekvatoriaalne orbiit on stabiilne, s.t. mitte kunagi  $z$  ei muutu ja on alati null. Kuid 2012 aasta artiklis on jutt, et on ebasümmeetria  $z = 0$  tasandi suhtes, eks? Seega osake muudab oma  $z = 0$  seisundi. Kui see poleks nii, siis kehtiks võrrand  $2N/r^2 - (N_r)/r = 0$  antud täpsusel. Seega  $N(r) = k r^2$ , kus  $k$  on konstant. Kiirus on  $V = N/r = k r$ . Järelikult tehtud tulemus kehtib seal, kus on galaktika kese: seal ongi lineaarne sõltuvus  $V(r)$ , vt. Joonis 1. Kuigi meil on ka võrrand  $N_{rr} + N_{zz} = N_r/r$ . Selle lahendus kujul  $N = k r^2 \exp(-z)$  kehtib väikese  $r$  juures.