Cosmology with ESPRESSO & CODEX Paolo Molaro INAF-OAT

CONTRIBUTION OF H.R. SPECTROSCOPY TO COSMOLOGY

- Abundances of primordial elements He, D/H, Li/H
- Measure of the T of the CMB in the past
- Chemical characterization of sources throughout the universe (Universal chemical evolution)





OUTLINE



- The most metal poor star
- Fundamental constants (an observer's point of view)
- ESPRESSO @ VLT & CODEX @ E-ELT
- Measurement of the expansion drift



SDSS SURVEY

 From SDSS pre-selection. From (g-z) => 125000 stars. From spectra R~2000 => ~2899 candidates with [Fe/H]<-2.0; 750 with Fe/H<-3.5



X-shooter IFU spectrum of SDSS J102915+172927



SDSS J102915+172927

- Teff=5811 K From (g-z)=0.53 mag, & fitting of H α
- $\log g = 4.0 \pm 0.2$ (from Balmer Jump (u-g), CaII-CaI
- $d=1.27\pm0.15$ Kpc from photometry







ABUNDANCES

Elemer	nt A(X),	[X/H],	[X/Fe],	[X/H],	Number of
	3D	3D	3D	1D	lines
C N Siı Caı Caı Tiı Feı	 ≤4.2 ≤3.1 2.95 3.25 1.53 1.48 0.14 2.53 	≤ -4.3 ≤ -4.8 -4.59 ± 0.10 -4.27 ± 0.10 -4.80 ± 0.10 -4.85 ± 0.11 -4.76 ± 0.11 -4.99 ± 0.12	$\leq +0.7$ $\leq +0.2$ +0.40 +0.72 +0.19 +0.14 +0.23 +0.00	≤ -3.8 ≤ -4.1 -4.68 ± 0.08 -4.27 ± 0.10 -4.72 ± 0.10 -4.71 ± 0.11 -4.75 ± 0.11 -4.73 ± 0.13	G band NH band 4 1 1 3 6 44
Ni	1.35	-4.88 ± 0.11	+0.11	-4.55 ± 0.14	10
Srı	≤−2.28	≤ -5.2	≤-0.21	≤ -5.1	1

[Fe/H]~ -5.0 !

 $[X/H] = \log(X/H) - \log(X/H)$



The most metal poor object

C, N ~ Fe

CARBON

CH: G-band at 430 nm



NITROGEN



- NH band at 336 nm, [N/H]<-4.8 (3D)
- Oxygen??

"THE STAR THAT SHOULD NOT EXIST"

- PopIII formed in DM minihalos of mass ~ 10⁶ Msun at z~20-30. Primordial gas cooling is from H2.
- Transition to small masses: CII and OI are the most important coolants (Hollenbach & Mc Kee 1989).
 - IP CI is 11.26 eV ionized before HI by UV photons of SN
- Radiative Cooling rate > free-fall compressional heating
 - ➡ [C/H]c ~ -3.5 ± 0.1
 - ➡ [O/H]c ~ -3.05 ± 0.2
- Observations:
 - HE 0107-5240 [Fe/H]-5.3 but [C/H]=-1
 - HE 1327-2326 [Fe/H]=-6, [C/H]=-2.2



WHERE IS LITHIUM?



• A(Li)<1.1

• must" be destroyed in the stellar formation (??)

FUNDAMENTAL CONSTANTS & QSOS ABSORPTION LINES







BARCODE with atomic structure at time t(z)

WHAT IS A FC?

Fundamental constant = any parameter that cannot be calculated(free parameter)

In the Standard Model the interactions depend on 28 fundamental constants. These are: the constant of gravitiy G, the finestructure constant α , the coupling constant g_w of the weak interactions, the coupling constant g_s of the strong interactions, the mass of the W-boson, the mass of the W-boson, the masses of the three charged leptons, m_e, m_μ, m_τ , the neutrino masses $m(\nu_1), m(\nu_2), m(\nu_3)$, the masses of the six quarks $m_u, m_d, m_c, m_s, m_t, m_b$, the four parameters, describing the flavor mixing of the quarks, and the six parameters, describing the flavor mixing of the leptons, measured by the neutrino oscillations.

from H. Fritzsch 2009

Which can be measured?

1. The fine-structure constant

Electromagnetic force

$$\alpha_{\rm EM} = \frac{e^2}{\hbar c} \approx \frac{1}{137.035999679}$$



- 2. The electron-to-proton mass ratio (μ)
- $m_e = 0.5 \text{ Mev} \propto \text{the vacuum expectation value of the Higgs field}$ The weak scale (223 Mev)

$$m_p = 938 \text{ Mev} = (862_{QCD} + 74_q + 2_{QED}) \text{ Mev} \propto \Lambda_{QCD} \Rightarrow \text{ strong forces}$$

 \Rightarrow µ ratio of strong to weak forces.

➡In general a particle mass depends on all the coupling costants



WHY FC SHOULD VARY?

- We do not have a theory of constant variation (cfr Carlos' lecture)
 - if there is a coupling of a scalar field with one or more terms of the Lagrangian matter-radiation then the physical constants may vary
- Scalar fields:
 - GUTs
 - Strings: moduli fields (extra-dimensions theories)
 - f(R) theories modifications of gravity
 - Quintessence as DE

searching for variation of fundamental constants is a way to search for massless fields which couple with matter

VARIOUS METHODS



A BIT OF HISTORY

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- Savedoff (1956)
- Bahcall, Sargent, Schmidt (1967) in 3C191 < 5%

μ

- Thompson (1975) method :
 - H₂: electron-vibro-rotational transitions have different dependence from the reduced molecular mass
- Varshalovich Levshakov (1993)
 first detection of extragalactic H₂
- New method based on Ammonia

(Flambaum Kozlov 2007

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AN ANALYSIS OF THE ABSORPTION SPECTRUM OF 3C 191

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We report on an analysis of a 193 Å/mm spectrum of 3C 191, a quasi-stell_r source whose rich absorption spectrum has been described by Burbidge, Lynds, and Burbidge (1966) and by Stockton and Lynds (1966) (hereinafter these papers will be referred to as "BLB" and "SL," respectively). This relatively high dispersion for such a faint object ($m_* = 18.4$) was sought in order to investigate the relative intensity of different fine-structure lines in absorption (Bachcall 1967). The principal results of our analysis are: (1) most of the absorption lines are resolved and have widths of the order of 3 Å in the rest frame of the source; (2) either the electron density is of the order of 10^3 cm^{-3} or the distance between the continuum source and the absorbing region is of the order of 10^{241} pc; (3) the value of the fine structure constant at z = 2 equals the laboratory value to within measuring errors (about 5 per cent); (4) the carbon-to-silicon abundance ratio by number is 2.5 to 1 with an uncertainty that is probably less than a factor of 3; (5) there is no significant evidence for absorption lines from metastable states of C m and S m.

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The Determination of the Electron to Proton Inertial Mass Ratio via Molecular Transitions

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It is demonstrated that the wavelengths of moinertial mass. Observation of molecular transin distant objects. If confirmed, the recent of determination of m_e/m_p for these objects.



to proton this ratio d allow a

transitions depend on different combinations of dimensionless constants.

	Transition			Scaling
Rydbe	erg constant	$\mathrm{Ry} = \frac{\alpha^2 m_\mathrm{e} c^2}{2}$	Gross Structure	Ry
Λ+	۸ + ۵	mic	Fine Structure	$\alpha^2 Ry$
	Alu	mic	Hyperfine Structure	$\alpha^2 (g_p \mu) Ry$
			Electronic Structure	Ry
	Mala	oular	Vibrational Structure	$\mu^{1/2}$ Ry
IVIOI	IVIOIE	culai	Rotational Structure	μ Ry
	Relativistic Corrections		$lpha^2$	

Atomic calculations are required to compute ω (α)

$$\omega = \omega_0 + q_1 Z^2 \left[\left(\frac{\alpha}{\alpha_0} \right)^2 - 1 \right] + q_2 Z^4 \left[\left(\frac{\alpha}{\alpha_0} \right)^4 - 1 \right]$$

Sensitivity coefficients q are found by varying α in computer codes (Dzuba et al 1999)

N_{ve}	Relativistic Hartree-Fock +	Accuracy
1	All-orders sum of dominating diagrams	0.1-1%
2-6	Configuration Interaction + Many-Body Perturbation Theory	1-10%
2-15	Configuration Interaction	10-20%



The Many-Multiplet method

High-**Z** (>1.8)

Low-Z (0.5 – 1.8)



$$\begin{aligned} & \int \alpha = \frac{(v_2 - v_1)}{2 c (Q_1 - Q_2)} = \frac{\Delta v}{2 c \Delta Q} \\ & \int \phi = \frac{1}{2 c (Q_1 - Q_2)} \int \phi = \frac{1}{2 c \Delta Q} \\ & \int \phi = \frac{1}{2 c (Q_1 - Q_2)} \int \phi = \frac{1}{2 c \Delta Q} \\ & \int \phi = \frac{1}{2 c (Q_1 - Q_2)} \int \phi = \frac{1}{2 c \Delta Q} \\ & \int \phi = \frac{1}{2 c (Q_1 - Q_2)} \int \phi = \frac{1}{2 c \Delta Q} \\ & \int \phi = \frac{1}{2 c (Q_1 - Q_2)} \int \phi = \frac{1}{2 c \Delta Q} \\ & \int \phi = \frac{1}{2 c (Q_1 - Q_2)} \int \phi = \frac{1}{2$$

Simulation with $\Delta \alpha / \alpha = 10^{-4}$; or 1.8 km/s



VPFIT alpha as an additional variable

Murphy Webb Flambaum (2004)



 $\Delta \alpha / \alpha = (-5.7 \pm 1.1)$ ppm (parts per million)

ISOTOPES

• Assumed solar ratios. For Mg is critical (OK for SiII and FeII)

• ^{25,26}Mg are contributed by Intermediate Mass Stars (4-8 M_{sun}). Little information on isotopic behaviour.



However, unlikely explain the signal of Webb et al

INDIVIDUAL L. O. S.

- Only FeII lines. Independent from non-solar isotopic composition of Mg
- HE 0515-4414 V=14.9, z_{abs} =1.1, Only FeII (Molaro et al 2008)

 $\Delta \alpha / \alpha = (-0.07 \pm 1.8) \text{ ppm}$

• QSO 1101-264 V=16, z_{abs}=1.84, Only FeII Levshakov et al 2007

 $\Delta \alpha / \alpha = (5.4 \pm 2.5) \text{ ppm}$

• HE 0001-2340, z_{abs}=1.58 SiII+FeII (Agafonova et al 2011)

 $\Delta \alpha / \alpha = (-1.5 \pm 2.6) \text{ ppm}$







VLT survey

Webb, King Murphy et al 2010 arXiv:1008.3907 King, Webb, Murphy, Flambaum Carswell Bainbridge Koch 2011 submitted



153 absorbers ~200 nights VLT

 $\Delta \alpha / \alpha = (2.08 \pm 1.24) \text{ ppm}$



VLT



 $\Delta \alpha / \alpha = (-5.7 \pm 1.1) \text{ ppm}$

$$\Delta \alpha / \alpha = (2.08 \pm 1.24) \text{ ppm}$$

End of the story?





- Directions of dipole of VLT and Keck samples separately agree
- Directions of dipole for z < 1.6 and z > 1.6 cuts of the combined VLT+Keck data agree
- In the equatorial region of the dipole consistency between Keck and VLT (6 QSOs in common)

COMPARISON WITH INDIVIDUAL LOS

Δα/α	measured	predicted
HE 0515	-0.07 ±1.8	-1.9 ±1.5
QSO 1101-264	+5.4 ±2.5	+3.8 ±2.0

- a 4 σ result need to be studied.
- spatial dipole: no existing theories predict a dipole in α .

implications for the fine-tuning: constants can take different values!

• no more temporal variation!

M_P/M_E

• Werner and Lyman transitions

$$\Delta \mu/\mu \equiv (\mu_z - \mu_0)/\mu_0$$

$$\nu \simeq E_I \left(c_{\rm \scriptscriptstyle elec} + c_{\rm \scriptscriptstyle vib} / \sqrt{\mu} + c_{\rm \scriptscriptstyle rot} / \mu \right)$$

$$\lambda_{\rm obs} = \lambda_{\rm rest} (1 + z_{\rm abs}) (1 + K_{\rm i} \Delta \mu / \mu)$$

$$K_i = -\frac{\mu_n}{\lambda_i} \frac{\mathrm{d}\lambda_i}{\mathrm{d}\mu_n}$$



- Werner and Lyman transitions wavelength accuracy ~ 4×10^{-8} (Ubachs et al 2007)
- K coefficients 0.00-0.05 (accuracy 1-2%)



DIFFICULT TO MEASURE



- H_2 in DLA: few systems,
- lines in the UV ~ 950-1050 A $\Rightarrow z_{abs} > 2.5$.
- UVES-VLT first analysis of μ (88 lines detected, 15 used) Levshakov, Dessauges-Zavadsky, D'Odorico, Molaro (2002): Δμ/μ=(2.1± 3.6)x10⁻⁵



- PKS 0528 z=2.8 Varshalovich Levshakov (1993) Cowie Songaila 1995, Potekhin 1998, King et al 2011
- Q 0347-383 Levshakov et al 2002, Thompson et al (2009) King et al (2010) Wendt& Molaro (2011)
- Q 0405-443 Ivanchick et al 2005, Reinhold et al 2006

• Q 2123-0050 Malec et al 2010 but at z=2, very bright QSO
VARIATION?

QSO 0347-383 & QSO 0405-443



Ivanchik et al 2005 Reinhold et al 2006 Ubach et al 2007

combined value:

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Thompson et al 2009 (yes, the same Thompson 1975!)



 $\Delta\mu/\mu$ = (-28 ± 16) ppm

QSO 0405-443 $\Delta \mu / \mu = (0.55 \pm 10) \text{ ppm}$

QSO 0347 again

- 8 new spectra (~ x2) Wendt & Molaro (2010)
- Higher S/N => smaller positioning error



 $\Delta \mu / \mu = (15 \pm 9 \text{ stat} \pm 6 \text{ sys}) \text{ ppm}$



analysis performed on individual spectra Result: more dispersion => systematic errors dominate



....AND AGAIN

- 11 new spectra
- higher resolution (R~70000)
- no CCD binning
- attached calibration Th-Ar
- correction for global shifts

Wendt et al 2011 in prep



 $\Delta \mu / \mu = (4.3 \pm 7.2) \text{ ppm}$









- Due to the tunneling the two levels are split into inversion doublets at 23 GHz
- Flambaum & Kozlov (2007) $\Delta \omega / \omega = -4.46 \Delta \mu / \mu$

B 0218+357







gravitational lens, z=0.68

NH₃ versus CO, HCN, HCO⁺

 $\Delta\mu/\mu$ =(0.74±0.47stat±0.76sys) ppm

Flambaum & Kozlov (2007) Murphy et al 2008

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PKS 1830-211



- radio source (z=2.5), lensing face-on spiral galaxy at
- $z_{abs} = 0.89 => 3$ main components + Einstein ring
- Effelsberg 100-m: 10 NH_3 inv. lines 5 rot. transition of HC_3N



 $\Delta \mu / \mu = (0.08 \pm 0.47)$ ppm Henkel et al 2009



z=3.0 QSO 0347-383 Reinhold 2006, King 2008); z=2.8 PKS 0528-25 King et al (2008) (see also king et al 2011; z=2.5 QSO 0405-443 (Reinhold et al 2006) ; z=2.059 Malec et al 2010 QSO 2123-0050 van Verderburg e al 2011; z=0.68 Murphy et al 2008 B0218+357; z=0.89 Henkel et al 2009 PKS 1830-201

Are calibration errors an issue?

Keck-HIRES

Iodine- ThAr comparison



UVES-VLT









intraorder: +/- 100 m/s

Whitmore et al 2010

ASTEROIDS

UVES observations of solar spectrum to look for shifts of line positions compared to "absolute" solar line positions:



no evidence for a saw-tooth but distorsions at the level of 80 m/ s with a length of 10-15 A

PROJECT

Started 2005

• Endorsed by June 2010 ESO Council

- Presently in post-Phase A
- Commissioning by 2015

The Echelle SPectrograph for Rocky Exoplanets and Stable Spectroscopic Observations

espresso

PRO (F)



ESO Roadmap



1 m/s 0.10 m/s 0.01 m/s

reduction of systematics + photon collection

espresso

CONSORTIUM

- Geneva Observatory, Bern University (Switzerland)
- CAUP, Porto and Universidade de Lisboa (Portugal)
- IAC (Spain)
- Milan and Trieste Observatories (INAF, Italy)

- ESO

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- Fiber-fed, cross-dispersed Echelle spectrograph with pupil slicing
- High stability spectrograph (vacuum, thermal, mechanical)
- FOV = 1.0 arcsec
- R = 70'000 (4 UT), 140'000 (1 UT) or 225'000 (1UT, high-resolution)
- Sampling = 3.5 pixels/RE @ R=140'000

Improving the spectrograph feeding



Surprise: the detector is alive



- Movements in the CCD: ~0.01 pixel/K (1 cm/s mK)
- CCD expands around the attachments of the mosaic to the support
- Development of super stable cryostat (FP7)

THE WAVELENGTH CALIBRATION BOTTLE-NECK



Laser Comb



- Optical or NIR laser producing a train of femptoseconds pulses (controlled by an atomic clock)
- Produces a spectrum of evenly spaces delta-functions whose positions are known very precisely
- Prototype tested at HARPS Jan 2009



• UVES? and HIRES?

II TEST: MARCH 2010

The comb after broadening





Range: 470 - 580 nm
23 orders with 11000 lines
with the Th we use ~ 1000 lines!!

~450 lines/ord 6 times more flux than ThAr photon noise: 4 cm/s !

Laser comb will change High Resolution spectroscopy



- Start construction in 2012, first light 7 years later (1 billion Euro)
- June 2011 rescaled to 39.3m
- The size of a football stadiun

On 26 April 2010, the ESO Council selected Cerro Armazones

The Telescope

- Nasmyth telescope with a segmented primary mirror of 39.3 m diameter
- Nearly 5000 tons of structure
- Two instrument platforms of the size of tennis courts
- Six laser guide stars





- 5 mirror design to include adaptive optics in the telescope
- Classical 3-mirror anastigmat + 2 flat fold mirrors [M4,M5]
- Outstanding image quality

The Mirrors

• Primary mirror: 39.3 m Ø, (984 segments of 1.4m, 1200 m²





- Secondary: 4.2m Ø, (156 axial supports)
- Tertiary: 4m Ø, controls f-ratio ?

- M4: 2.6m Ø flat, adaptive with 6000-8000 actuators
- M5: 3x2.4m, flat, tip-tilt

COsmic Dynamical EXperiment

- E-ELT can host up to 10 instruments
- FOV 10 arcminutes
- from 300nm to 24 microns
- 9 stations for fixed instruments (2 gravity invariant)



- Eight instrument concepts & two post-focal adaptive optics modules
- 2 first inst. CODEX unlikely first light instrument

Codex Requirements

	Espresso (1UT)	CODEX
Telescope	VLT (8m)	E-ELT (42m)
Scope	Rocky Planets	Earth-Like
Sky Aperture	1 arcsec	0.80 arcsec
R	150000	150000
λ Coverage	350-730 nm	380-680 nm
λ Precision	5 m/sec	1 m/sec
RV Stability	< 10 cm/sec (1/5000 pixel)	< 2 cm/sec

similar technical solutions

CODEX CONSORTIUM



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Optical Design

HIGH RESOLUTION AT LARGE TELESCOPES VERY CHALLENGING

Dimensions vacuum vessel: 3x2.4x4.2 (m) [height x width x length]

Anamorphism (12X) plus Pupil Slicer (8X) \rightarrow 1 echelle (1.6 x 0.2m) Dychroic \rightarrow 4 Spectra (2 Red + 2 Blue) Slanted VPHG compress each of the spectra to 45x706 microns on 2 blue and 2 red cameras Object + sky (or simultaneous calibration) recorded simultaneously





Concept study for the COsmic Dynamics EXperiment



"It should be possible to choose between various models of the expanding universe if the deceleration of a given galaxy could be measured. Precise predictions of the expected change in $z=d\lambda/\lambda_0$ for reasonable observing times (say 100 years) is exceedingly small. Nevertheless, the predictions are interesting, since they form part of the available theory for the evolution of the universe"

Allan Sandage 1962 ApJ 136,319





 $\Rightarrow \Delta v = c \Delta z/(1+z) \sim 2-10 \text{ cm/s}$

 $\Delta t = 10$ years:

z=0.4, k=+1 dz/dt = -0.73 cm/sec/y k= -1 -0.3 k=0-0.59 Steady state +0.92



 Each line of sight to a background QSO shows ~10² Ly lines.

•intergalactic nature imply shallow potential wells.

•The Ly forest traces the Hubble flow!

•Line widths are 15-50 km/s.Metal line widths are of order 1 km/s (but reside in deeper potential wells)

1.50.5 -0.54500 5000 5500 6000 $\lambda/Å$ 1.5 0.5 -0.5 E 5000 5050 5100 5200 5150 λ/Å 1.5 1 0.5 0 -0.5 -5090 5095 5100 5105 5110 λ/Å



•Simulations yield peculiar accelerations ~x10 below the cosmic signal.




 $\Delta t = 10^6$ years!



for 10^7 years...!!

Is detectable?

• Only photon noise:

 $\sigma_{v} = 1.4^{*}(2350/(S/N))(30/N_{QSO})^{0.5} (5/(1+Z))^{1.8} \text{ cm/sec}$

 σ_v total uncertainty in difference between 2 epochs. Liske et al 2008

Are there the targets?



After that few bright QSOs discovered....



Different colors for different implementation of the experiment

shadow for Ho=70+/- 8 km/s/Mpc

$$O = \left(\frac{D}{42\,\mathrm{m}}\right)^2 \,\frac{\epsilon}{0.25}\,\frac{t_{\mathrm{int}}}{2000\,\mathrm{h}}$$

precision & accuracy for 400 nights of the E-ELT over 20 years (conservative)



