

# *Voids and the Cosmological Constant*

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\*  $\Lambda$  effect in the cosmological expansion of voids.

*Henri-Hugues Fliche, Roland Triay - JCAP 1011:022 (2010)*

\* Dynamics of Void and its Shape in Redshift Space.

*Kei-ichi Maeda, Nobuyuki Sakai, Roland Triay - arXiv:1103.2007*

# Voids as Gravitational Structures

- **Voids are non linear structures** — e.g., Traveling Wavelets approach to the Gravitational Instability theory. – One dimensional Wavelets . – N. Benhamidouche, B. Torresani, R. Triay. -MNRAS 302,807(1999)
- « vacuum gravitational repulsion » ?  
e.g., Schwarzschild solution of Einstein Eq. with a Cosmological Constant

$$\vec{g} = \left( -G \frac{m}{r^3} + \frac{\Lambda}{3} \right) \vec{r}$$

No effect in the Solar neighborhood  
Small effect in the outerpart of the Galaxy  
Intervenies at the edge of LSC  
Homogeneity scale

$$r_o = \sqrt[3]{3mG/\Lambda}$$

$$\begin{aligned} r_o &\sim 10^2 h^{-2/3} \text{ yr} \\ r_o &\sim 5 \cdot 10^5 h^{-2/3} \text{ yr} \\ r_o &\sim 4 \cdot 10^8 h^{-2/3} \text{ yr} \\ &(\sim 100 \text{ Mpc}) \end{aligned}$$

- Modeling a **“single void” embedded in a Friedmann Lemaître Universe** as the first step to a more global investigation (foam like structure)
  - Newton - Friedmann model (FT)
  - GR “FL<sub>in</sub> - FL<sub>out</sub>” Model (MST)



# Friedmann - Newton Model



*Covariant Global solution to Euler- Poisson Eqs. System*

Reference Coordinates

$$(t, \quad \vec{x} = \frac{\vec{r}}{a}), \quad a > 0$$

$$H = \frac{\dot{a}}{a} = \sqrt{\frac{\Lambda}{3} - \frac{K_o}{a^2} + \frac{8\pi G \rho_o}{3 a^3}}$$

$$K_o = \frac{8\pi G}{3} \rho_o + \frac{\Lambda}{3} - H_o^2 \leq \sqrt[3]{(4\pi G \rho_o)^2 \Lambda}, \quad a_o = 1$$

$$\vec{v}_c = \alpha \vec{x}, \quad \vec{g}_c = \beta \vec{x}$$

$$\frac{d\alpha}{dt} + 4\alpha^2 + 2H\alpha - \frac{2\pi G \rho_c}{3 a^3} = 0$$

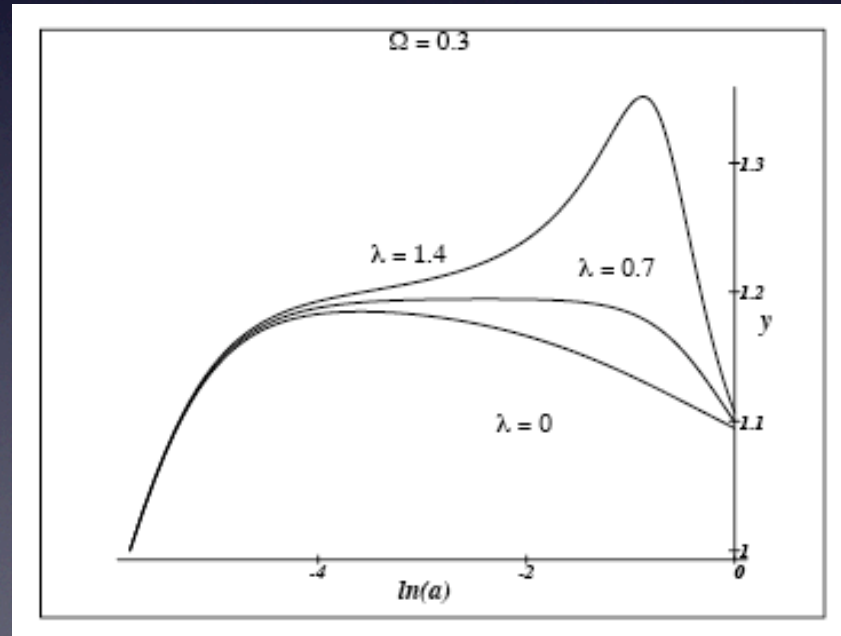
$$\beta = \frac{4\pi G}{a^3} \left( \frac{\rho_c}{3} - \frac{(\rho S)_c}{2x} \right)$$

# Magnification & Expansion Rate

$$\vec{v}_c = \alpha \vec{x}, \quad \vec{g}_c = \beta \vec{x}$$

$$X = \frac{x}{x_i}, \quad Y = \frac{\alpha}{H_0}$$

$y$  : Corrective factor to Hubble expansion



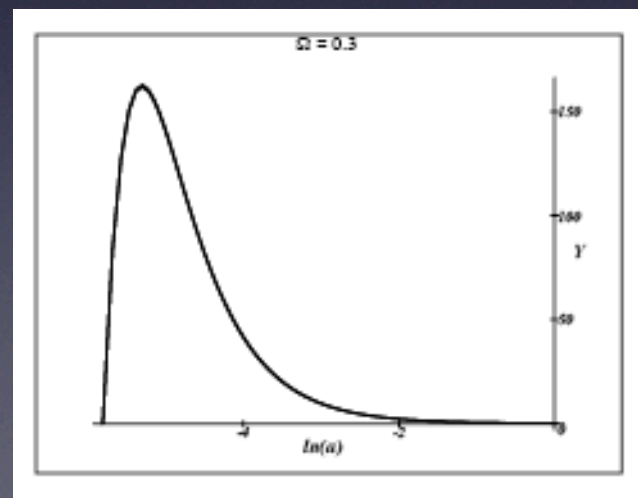
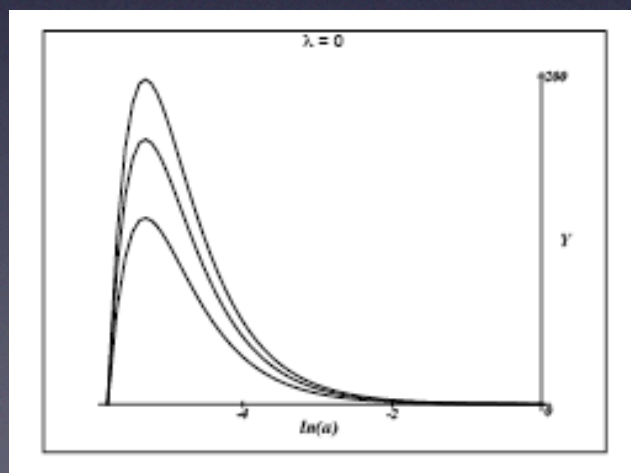
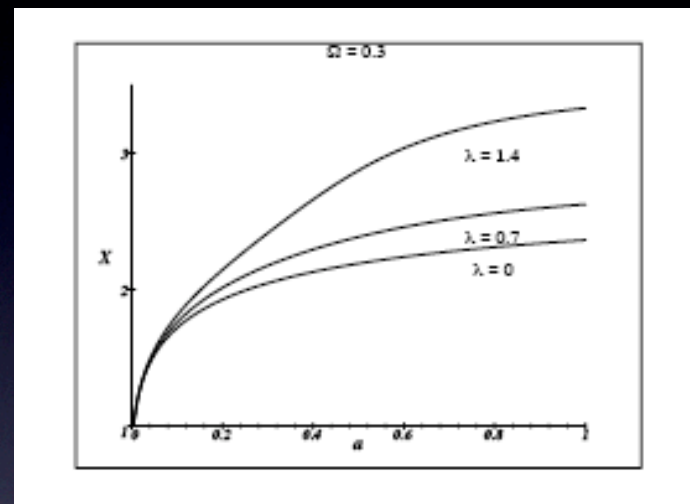
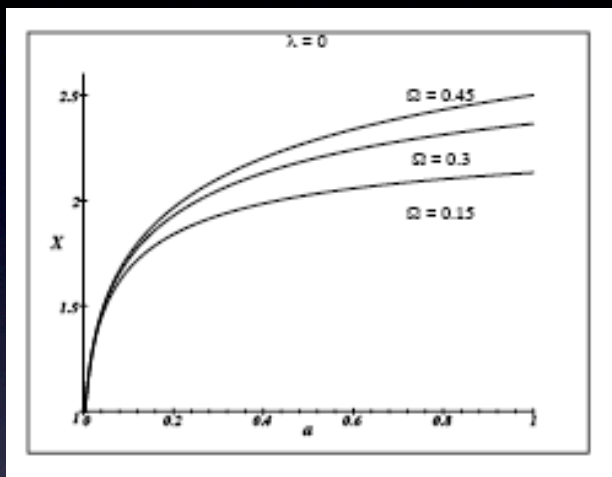
$$\vec{v} = yH\vec{r}, \quad y = 1 + \frac{Y}{h}, \quad h = \frac{H}{H_0}$$

$$\lambda_0 = \frac{\Lambda}{3H_0^2}, \quad \Omega_0 = \frac{8\pi G\rho_0}{3H_0^2}, \quad k_0 = \frac{K_0}{H_0^2}$$

**Observational Signature of  $K_0$**

$$H_m = H_\infty \sqrt{1 - \frac{K_0^3}{\Lambda (4\pi G\rho_0)^2}}, \quad H_\infty = \lim_{a \rightarrow \infty} H = \sqrt{\frac{\Lambda}{3}}$$

# Dependence on Cosmological Parameters



# GR Model

$$ds_{\pm}^2 = -dt_{\pm}^2 + a_{\pm}^2 [d\chi_{\pm}^2 + f_{\pm}^2(\chi_{\pm})d\Omega^2], \quad f_{\pm}(\chi_{\pm}) = \begin{cases} \sin \chi_{\pm} & (k_{\pm} = 1) \\ \chi_{\pm} & (k_{\pm} = 0) \\ \sinh \chi_{\pm} & (k_{\pm} = -1) \end{cases}$$

$$ds_{\Sigma}^2 = -d\tau^2 + R^2(\tau)d\Omega^2$$

$$H_{\pm}^2 + \frac{k_{\pm}}{a_{\pm}^2} = \frac{8\pi G}{3}\rho_{\pm}, \quad \text{with} \quad H_{\pm} = \frac{\dot{a}_{\pm}}{a_{\pm}}, \quad \text{and} \quad \rho_{\pm} = \rho_{\text{vac}} + \rho_{\pm}^{(m)}$$

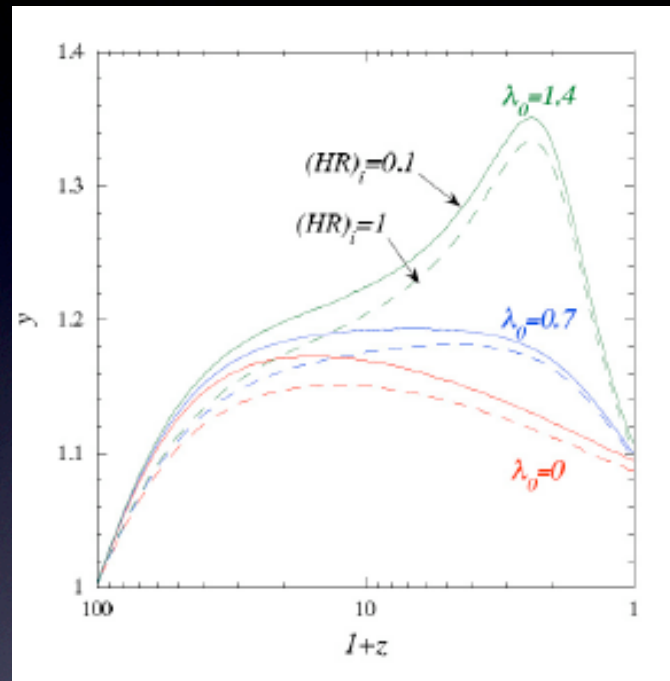
$$\rho_{\text{vac}} = \Lambda/(8\pi G)$$

$$R = a_+ f_+ \left( \chi_+^{(\Sigma)} \right) = a_- f_- \left( \chi_-^{(\Sigma)} \right)$$

$$d\tau^2 = dt_+^2 - a_+^2(t_+) \left( d\chi_+^{(\Sigma)} \right)^2 = dt_-^2 - a_-^2(t_-) \left( d\chi_-^{(\Sigma)} \right)^2$$

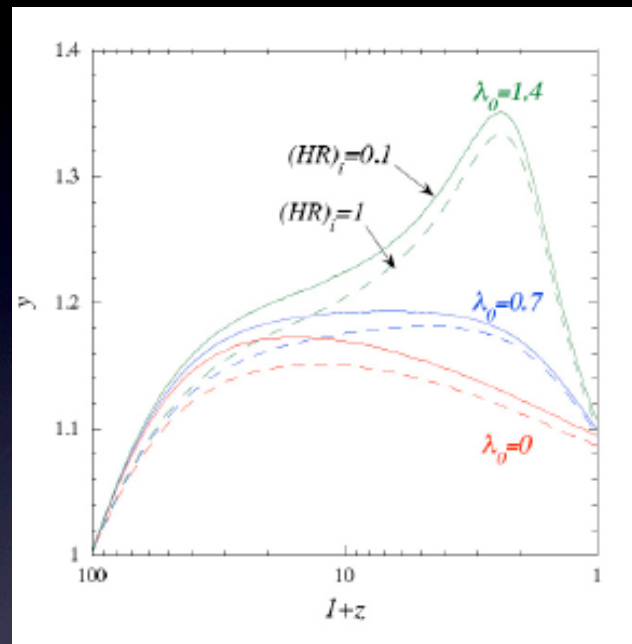


# GR Model



1. The voids always grow faster than Hubble expansion (*i.e.*,  $y > 1$ ) along their evolution. The peculiar velocity starts with a huge burst and decreases asymptotically toward Hubble velocity; the present value is higher than the Hubble flow by about 10%.
2. The smaller the radius gets, the higher the peculiar velocity is. Namely, the void with the largest initial size  $R_i = H_i^{-1}$  grows slightly slower, which provides us with the minimal peculiar velocity.

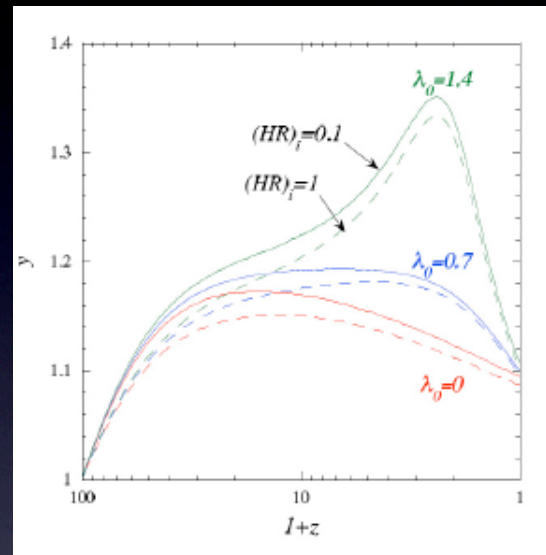
# GR Model



3. While the dependence on  $\lambda_0$  is not significant in the beginning, its effect eventually appears in the evolution, and the correction factor  $y$  increases with  $\lambda_0$ . With  $\lambda_0 = 0.7$ , the peculiar velocity reaches the value higher than the Hubble expansion at  $z \sim 10$  by about 20%.
4. The redshift  $z^*$  when  $y$  reaches its maximum  $y_{\max} = y(z^*)$  decreases with  $\lambda_0$ . It corresponds to  $z^* \sim 40$  for  $\lambda_0 = 0$  and to  $z^* \sim 1.7$  for  $\lambda_0 = 1.4$ . For the intermediate value  $\lambda_0 = 0.7$ , for which the corresponding curve shows a plateau,  $\Lambda$  gives the maximal contribution to  $v$  at  $z^* \sim 1.7$ , which corresponds to 30% of that of the matter density (when it is compared to the case of  $\lambda_0 = 0$ ).

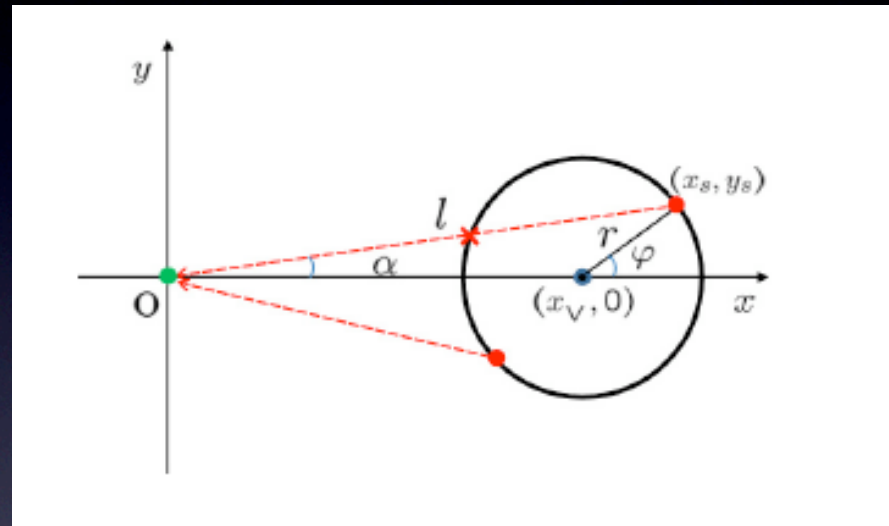


# GR Model



5. Let us pay attention to the presence of a bump on the curve, which becomes visible for  $\lambda_0 > 0.7$  (*i.e.* when  $k > 0$ ). It is caused by the fact that the universe experiences a loitering period of cosmological expansion, while the void then continues its own expansion.
6. The present values  $y_0$  related to  $\Omega_0 = 0.3$  but to different values for  $\lambda_0 \in \{0, 0.7, 1.4\}$  are very close to each other, while the variation of  $y$  with time (or with  $z$ ) depends undeniably on  $\lambda_0$ . In other words, the  $\Lambda$  effect, which accounts for a deviation between these curves, is not substantial nowadays.
7. It is remarkable that the present GR approach for the sub-horizon void confirms the previous result found in the Newtonian dynamics [13]. Even for a relativistic spherical void with a horizon size radius  $R_i = H_i^{-1}$ , the relativistic effect turns out to be weak.

# Void in the redshift-space



The Sachs-Wolfe effect

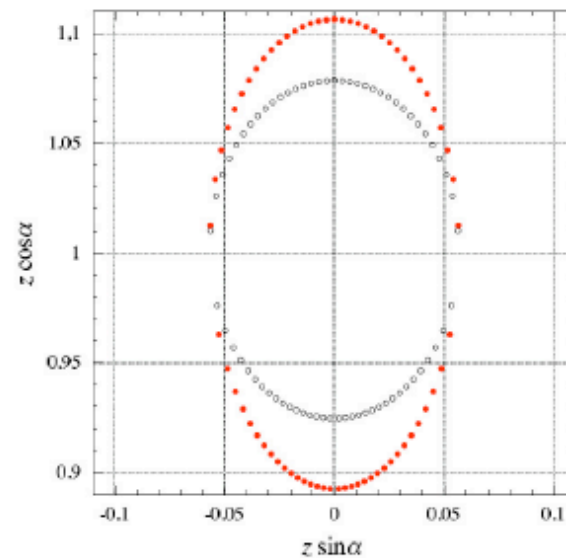
$$\Delta z_s|_{\text{ISW}} \sim (HR)^3$$

and the gravitational lens effect

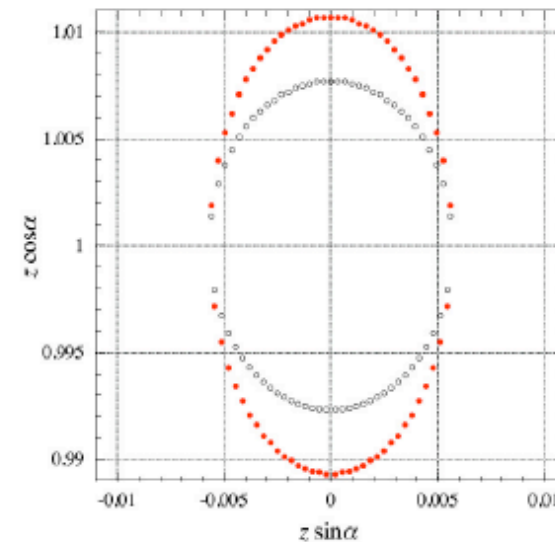
$$\Delta z_s|_{\text{GL}} \approx \frac{R(\Delta\alpha)^2}{ax_V} \approx 0.06 \frac{r}{x_V} (HR)^2 \sin(\varphi - \alpha), \quad \text{for } \Omega_0 = 0.3$$

are weak compared to the “doppler effect”.

# Image of a Void in the redshift-space



(a)  $R_0 = 0.1H_0^{-1}$ ,  $z_V = 1$

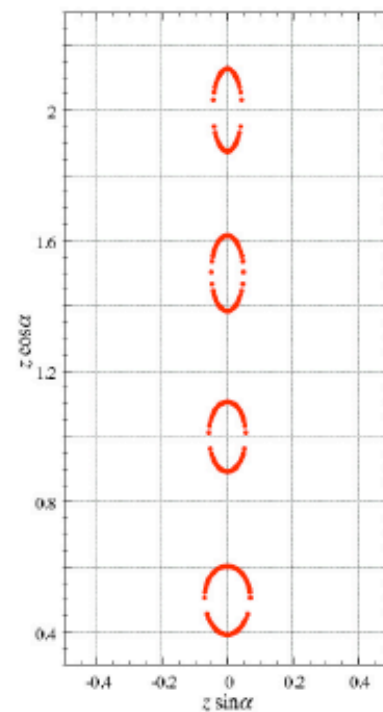


(b)  $R_0 = 0.01H_0^{-1}$ ,  $z_V = 1$

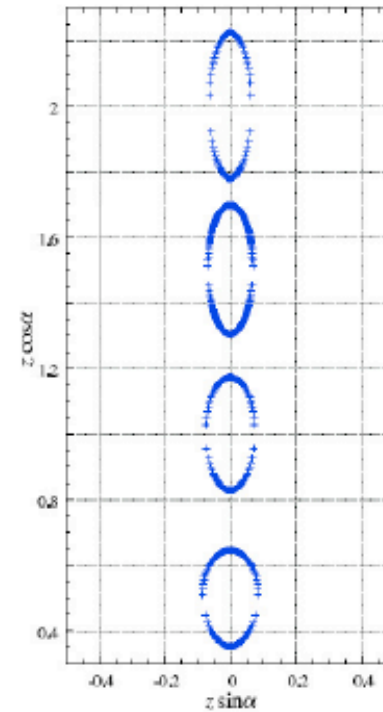
Figure 3. Empty spherical voids in the redshift space. — The images (red dots) of their boundary layers (*i.e.*, the void shell  $S$ ) are depicted for the case of  $\Omega_0 = 0.3$  and  $\lambda_0 = 0.7$ . The present values of their radii are (a)  $R_0 = 0.1H_0^{-1}$  and (b)  $R_0 = 0.01H_0^{-1}$ . The observed radii at  $z_V = 1$  are : (a)  $R_V = 0.0437H_0^{-1}$  and (b)  $R_V = 0.00437H_0^{-1}$ . The images of the standard static spheres (small black dots) are also displayed.



# Dependence on Cosmological Parameters



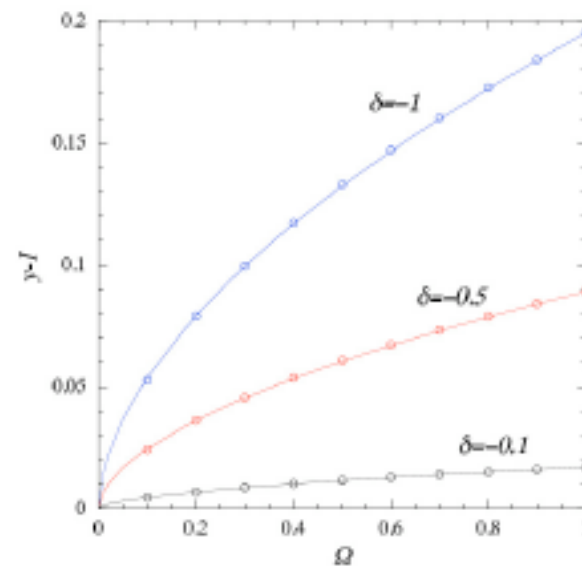
(a)  $\Omega_0 = 0.3$



(b)  $\Omega_0 = 1$

Figure 5. The images in the redshift space of an empty spherical void with present radius  $R_0 = 0.1H_0^{-1}$  at redshift  $z_V \in \{0.5, 1, 1.5, 2\}$  for (a)  $\Omega_0 = 0.3$  and (b)  $\Omega_0 = 1$ .

# Non Empty Voids



Velocity  $y$  versus  $\Omega$  and  $\delta^-$ .

Figure 7. The velocity  $y$  of a non-empty void. — We assume  $\Omega + \lambda = 1$  and  $\delta^- \in \{0.1, -0.5, -0.1\}$ . The circles and the continuous lines correspond respectively to our numerical results and to the fitting formula given in Eq. (3.2).