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Abbreviations

BAO: Baryon Acoustic Oscillations

CDM: Cold Dark Matter

CMB: Cosmic Microwave Background

DE : Dark Energy

DEC: Dominant Energy Condition

DM: Dark Matter

DP: Deceleration Parameter

EC: Energy Condition

EFE: Einstein Field Equations

EHA: Einstein Hilbert Action

EMT : Energy-Momentum Tensor

EOS: Equation of State

FRW: Friedmann Robertson-Walker

GR: General Relativity

HDE: Holographic Dark Energy

HEL: Hybrid Expansion Law

HP: Hubble Parameter

LRS: locally Rotationally Symmetric

LSS: Large Scale Structures

NEC: Null Energy Condition

RG: Riemannian Geometry.

SC: Supernova Cosmology Project

SEC: Strong Energy Condition

SNeIa: Type Ia Supernova

WEC: Weak Energy Condition

WMAP: Wilkinson Microwave Anisotropy Probe

Symbols

Some important standard symbols used in this thesis are given below:

S: Einstein Hilbert action θ : Scalar expansion

 \mathscr{G} : Gauss Bonnet invariant \widetilde{R} : Function of Ricci scalar

t: Cosmic time ξ : Co-efficient of Bulk viscosity

 \mathscr{T} : Torsion scalar a(t): Scale factor

T: Trace of energy momentum tensor A_m or Δ : Anistropy parameter

 ∇_i : Covariant derivative c: Speed of Light

 T_{ij} : Strees energy momentum tensor ds^2 : Space time line element

 \overline{p} : Total pressure G: Newton's Gravitational constant

V: Spatial volume g_{ij} : Metric potential

 ρ : Energy density H: Hubble's parameter

q: Deceleration parameter h: Heat conduction

 σ^2 : Shear scalar L_m : Matter Lagrangian

R: Ricci scalar p: Pressure

 β : Displacement vector field R_{ij} : Ricci tensor

☐ : Four dimensional covariant Laplacian

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