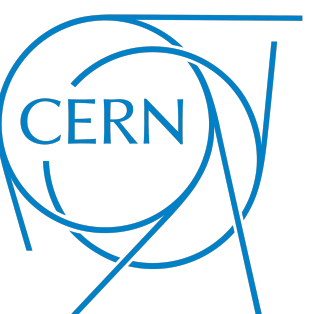


How fast does the WAGGO ?

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Program

Friday 07/02

- Introduction & motivation for wall velocity **JvdV**
- Equilibrium thermodynamics, example computation, nucleation, matrix elements **PS**
- Example of `DRalgo` and `WallGoMatrix` model files **PS**

Saturday 08/02

- `WallGo` source code **JvdV**
- Worked out example for `WallGo` **JvdV & PS**:
Matrix elements
Example base file
Collision model
Model file
- Hands-on session: start of implementation of `WallGo` model

Monday 10/02

- Discussion of configuration parameters and convergence **JvdV**
- Hands-on session: implementation of `WallGo` model & Q&A

The src folder

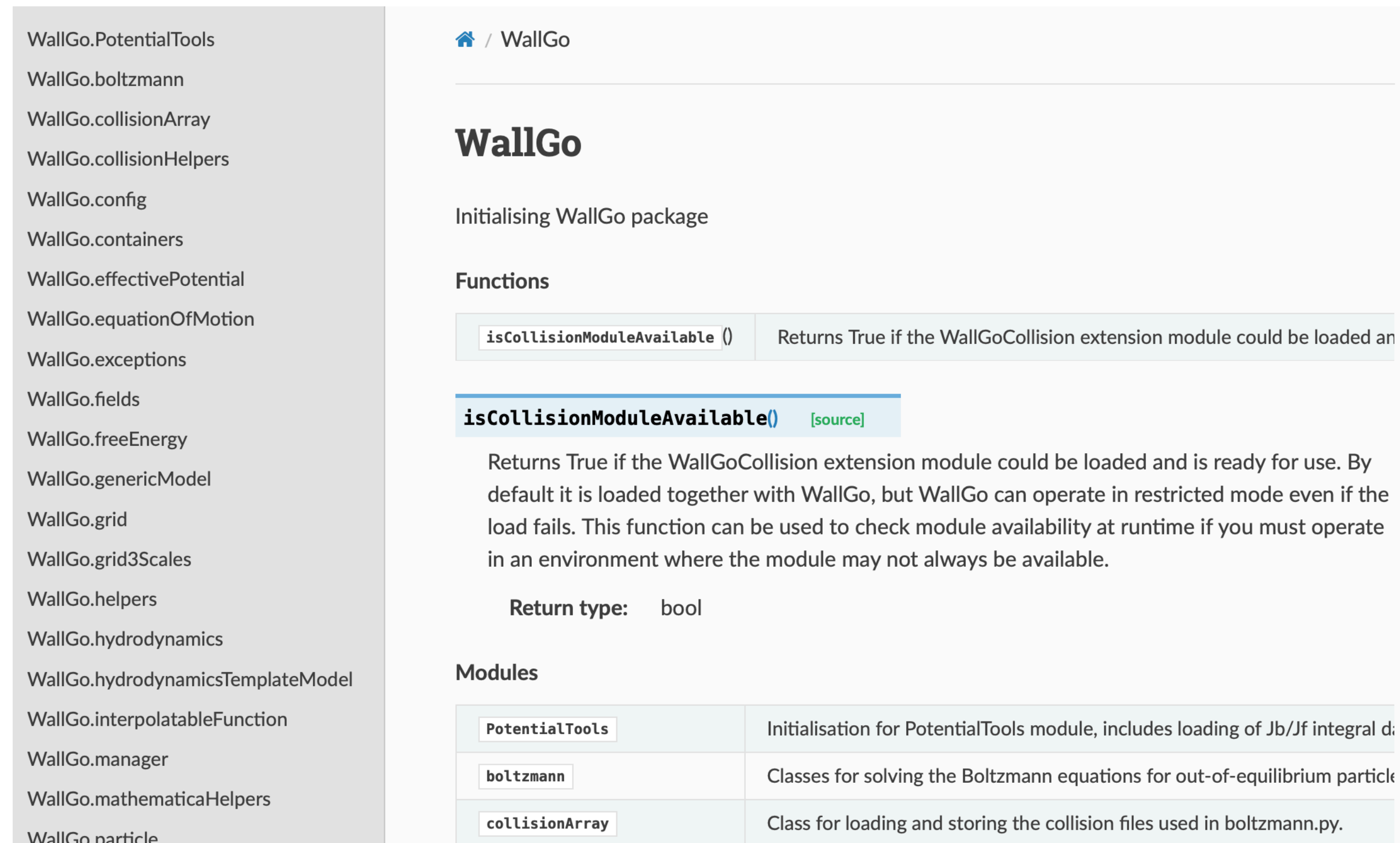
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PotentialTools          equationOfMotion.py    hydrodynamicsTemplateModel.py
__init__.py             exceptions.py          interpolatableFunction.py
__pycache__            fields.py              manager.py
boltzmann.py           freeEnergy.py         mathematicaHelpers.py
collisionArray.py       genericModel.py       particle.py
collisionHelpers.py    grid.py               polynomial.py
config.py              grid3Scales.py        results.py
containers.py          helpers.py             thermodynamics.py
effectivePotential.py  hydrodynamics.py     utils.py
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Computing a wall velocity in `WallGo` does not require modification of the source code, but knowledge of the source code can be helpful for choosing the appropriate configuration settings

`WallGo` is typically run from a model file; we will discuss these later

API reference

<https://wallgo.readthedocs.io/en/latest/autosummary/WallGo.html>



The screenshot shows the WallGo API reference page. On the left is a sidebar with a list of modules: WallGo.PotentialTools, WallGo.boltzmann, WallGo.collisionArray, WallGo.collisionHelpers, WallGo.config, WallGo.containers, WallGo.effectivePotential, WallGo.equationOfMotion, WallGo.exceptions, WallGo.fields, WallGo.freeEnergy, WallGo.genericModel, WallGo.grid, WallGo.grid3Scales, WallGo.helpers, WallGo.hydrodynamics, WallGo.hydrodynamicsTemplateModel, WallGo.interpolatableFunction, WallGo.manager, WallGo.mathematicaHelpers, and WallGo.particle. The main content area is titled 'WallGo' and includes a section for 'Initialising WallGo package' and a 'Functions' section. The function `isCollisionModuleAvailable()` is highlighted, with a description: 'Returns True if the WallGoCollision extension module could be loaded and is ready for use. By default it is loaded together with WallGo, but WallGo can operate in restricted mode even if the load fails. This function can be used to check module availability at runtime if you must operate in an environment where the module may not always be available.' The return type is listed as `bool`. Below this is a 'Modules' section with a table listing `PotentialTools`, `boltzmann`, and `collisionArray` with their respective descriptions.

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WallGo

Initialising WallGo package

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Return type: `bool`

Modules

<code>PotentialTools</code>	Initialisation for PotentialTools module, includes loading of Jb/Jf integral d
<code>boltzmann</code>	Classes for solving the Boltzmann equations for out-of-equilibrium partic
<code>collisionArray</code>	Class for loading and storing the collision files used in boltzmann.py.

manager.py

- Loads the configuration file (default in src/WallGo folder), to be discussed on Monday
- Performs all initializations in the correct order (e.g. interpolates the `freeEnergy`, loads the collisions)
- Verifies the input, e.g.:
 - Does the potential have two different phases
 - Is the number of grid points chosen correctly (it has to be an odd number)
- Has the function `manager.solveWall(wallSolverSettings)` which returns the wall velocity

Recall: scalar field equation of motion and EM-conservation

$$\partial^2 \phi_i + \frac{\partial V_{\text{eff}}(\vec{\phi}, T)}{\partial \phi_i} + \sum_a \frac{\partial m_a^2}{\partial \phi_i} \int_{\vec{p}} \frac{1}{2E} \delta f^a(p^\mu, \xi) = 0$$

$$T^{30} = w \gamma_{\text{pl}}^2 v_{\text{pl}} + T_{\text{out}}^{30} = c_1$$
$$T^{33} = \frac{1}{2} (\partial_z \phi_i)^2 - V_{\text{eff}}(\vec{\phi}, T) + w \gamma_{\text{pl}}^2 v_{\text{pl}}^2 + T_{\text{out}}^{33} = c_2$$

effectivePotential.py

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effectivePotential.py and freeEnergy.py

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- `freeEnergy.py`
 - Holds the value of the potential at its minima
 - Typically is an `interpolatableFunction` (interpolation is called by the manager); this is done to reduce the computation time significantly

Limited temperature range

- Often one of the phases ceases to exist above/below a certain T
- `freeEnergy` keeps track of these minimum and maximum temperatures
- The plasma can not exceed these temperatures; this sometimes puts a limit on the wall velocity

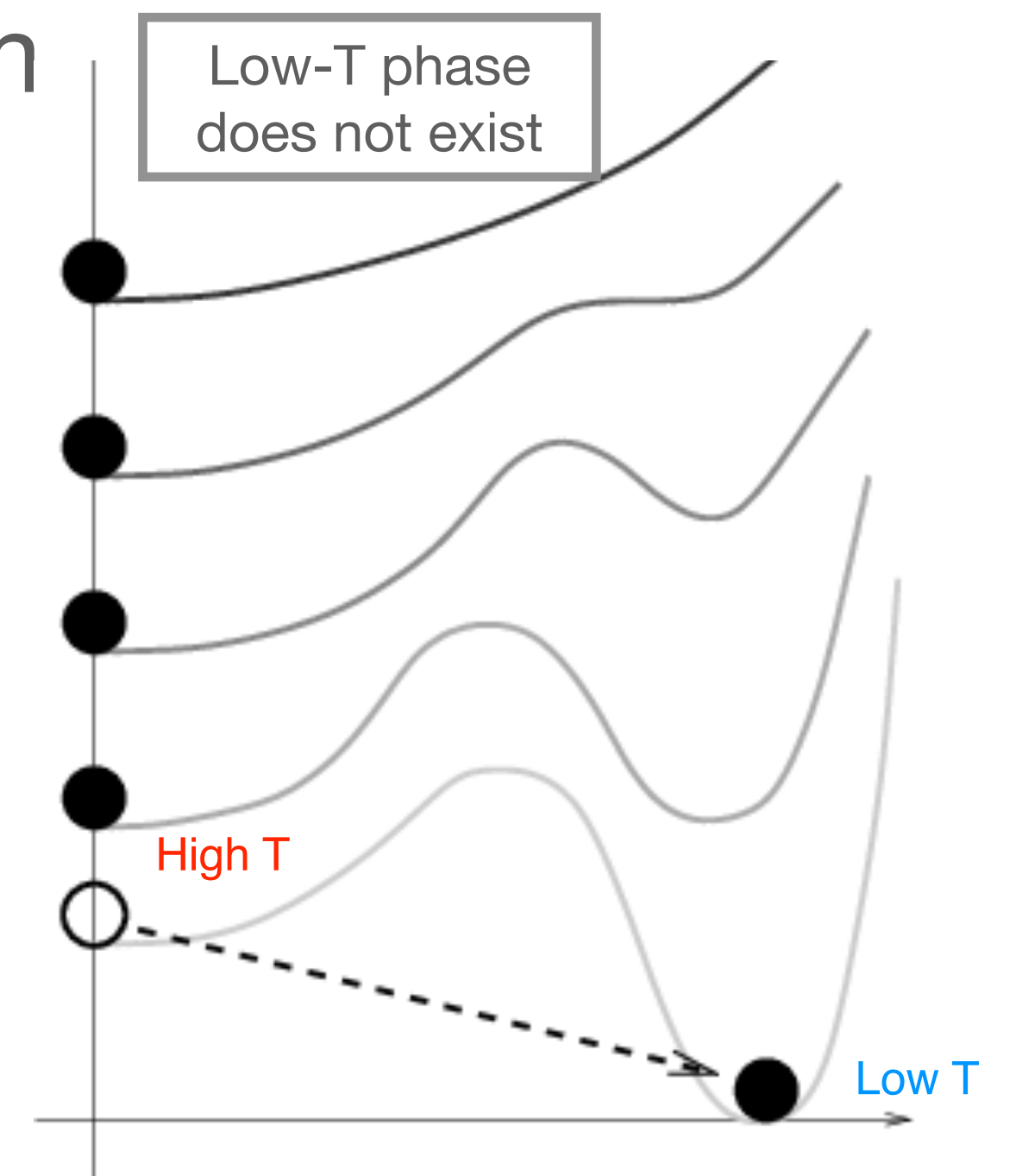


Figure: Rubakov, 2015

thermodynamics.py

- Holds the pressure, enthalpy, energy density and speeds of sound necessary for the hydrodynamics computations, derived from the `freeEnergy`
- Extrapolates the equation of state if the temperature is outside of the allowed range; by mapping onto the “template model”
- This is mere for numerical convenience in `hydrodynamics`; we enforce that the final wall velocity does not depend on this extrapolation

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$$\mu = 1 + \frac{1}{c_{s,\text{sym}}^2}$$

$$p_b = \frac{1}{3}a_- T^\nu$$
$$\nu = 1 + \frac{1}{c_{s,\text{brok}}^2}$$

[Leitao, Megevand, 2015](#)

equationOfMotion.py

- Solves the scalar field equation of motion, by using a Tanh-Ansatz, and minimizing its action
- Solves energy-momentum conservation to determine the fluid velocity and temperature profiles
- Calls `hydrodynamics.findHydroBoundaries(wallVelocity)` to determine the boundary conditions for the EM-conservation equations
- Calls `self.boltzmannSolver.getDeltas()` to find the out-of-equilibrium contribution for the list of out-of-equilibrium particles
- Goes through several iterations to converge to the right solution for each v_w
- Separate functions for deflagrations/hybrids and detonations
- Defl/hybr: varies the wall velocity between v_{\min} (typically 0), v_{\max} (Jouguet velocity or given by limited temperature range) to find $P(v_w) = 0$
- Det: looks for $P(v_w) = 0$ starting from Jouguet velocity

hydrodynamics.py

- Finds the boundary conditions for the energy-momentum conservation equations
- Finds the Jouguet velocity (transition between hybrids and detonations)
- Finds the maximum velocity allowed by the limited temperature range

hydrodynamicsTemplateModel.py

- Solves hydrodynamics in the template model
- Results are often very close to the results in the full model-dependent hydrodynamics
- Results from `hydrodynamicsTemplateModel.py` are only used to find reasonable initial values in initialization and in `hydrodynamics`

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Recall: Boltzmann equation

Rescaled coordinates

Restricted Chebyshev polynomials

$$\delta f^a(\chi, \rho_z, \rho_{\parallel}) = \sum_{i=2}^M \sum_{j=2}^N \sum_{k=1}^{N-1} \delta f_{ijk}^a \bar{T}_i(\chi) \bar{T}_j(\rho_z) \tilde{T}_k(\rho_{\parallel})$$

Algebraic equation

$$\sum_{i,j,k} \left\{ \partial_{\xi} \chi \left[\mathcal{P}_w \partial_{\chi} - \frac{\gamma_w}{2} \partial_{\chi} (m^2) (\partial_{\rho_z} \rho_z) \partial_{\rho_z} \right] \bar{T}_i(\chi) \bar{T}_j(\rho_z) \tilde{T}_k(\rho_{\parallel}) \delta f_{ijk}^a + \bar{T}_i(\chi) \mathcal{C}_{ab}^{\text{lin}} \left[\bar{T}_j(\rho_z) \tilde{T}_k(\rho_{\parallel}) \right] \delta f_{ijk}^b \right\} = \mathcal{S}_a(\chi, \rho_z, \rho_{\parallel})$$

Introduce a grid to convert it to a matrix equation

$$\left(\mathcal{L}[\alpha, \beta, \gamma; i, j, k] \delta_{ab} + \bar{T}_i(\chi^{(\alpha)}) \mathcal{C}_{ab}[\beta, \gamma; j, k] \right) \delta f_{ijk}^b = \mathcal{S}_a[\alpha, \beta, \gamma]$$

Grid indices

`boltzmann.py`

- Solves the Boltzmann equations for all the out-of-equilibrium particles
- Uses pre-computed collision output — loaded in `manager`:
`boltzmannSolver.loadCollisions(self.collisionDirectory)`
- Returns the out-of-equilibrium contributions in a `BoltzmannResults` object

grid3Scales.py

- It is not numerically efficient to solve the equation of motion on a linear scale; we thus rescale the ξ -coordinate to get many points close to the center of the wall
- We use different rescalings in the tails, and in the bubble wall region

Additional classes

- **Helper functions contained in:** `collisionHelpers.py`, `helpers.py`
`mathematicaHelpers.py`, `utils.py`
- **WallGo-specific objects/data classes:** `fields.py`, `containers.py`,
`exceptions.py`, `polynomial.py` `results.py`

Folder: src/WallGo/PotentialTools

- Contains functions for the one-loop effective potential without high-temperature expansion
- Tables for the $J_{B/F}$ functions
- Options for how to deal with negative arguments (principal value, absolute value of the argument, absolute value of analytically continued integral)

Questions?