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Recent Progress on Testing General Relativity at Cosmological Scales and Implications for Cosmic Acceleration¹ MUSTAPHA ISHAK, The University of Texas at Dallas, JASON DOSSETT, Queensland University, Australia, JACOB MOLDENHAUER, The University of Dallas — Cosmic acceleration can be caused by a cosmological constant/dark energy component in the universe or a modification to general relativity that takes effect at cosmological scales. An important question is to be able to distinguish between these two possibilities. I will report about some of our work on this topic including the framework developed and the results obtained using some recent available data sets. I will also report on our recent work to explore the robustness and decisiveness of this type of tests.

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