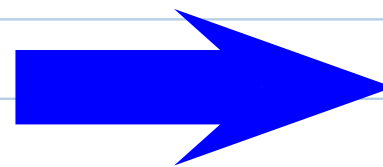
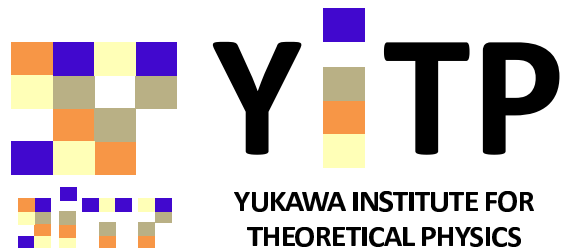


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Numerical Relativity in higher dimensional spacetimes

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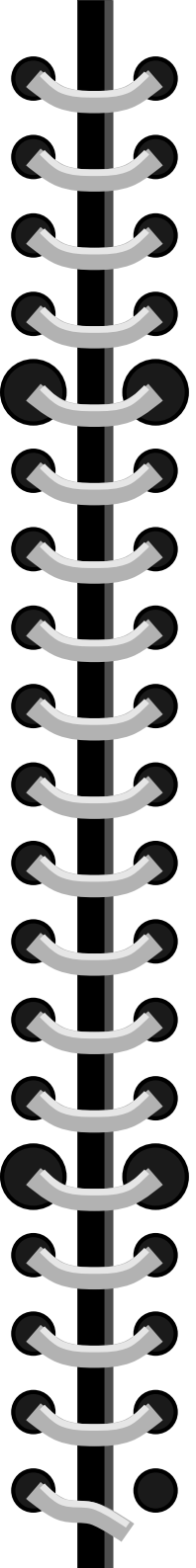


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Outline of the talk

- Introduction
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 - Decomposition of the Einstein equation
 - BSSN formalism
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- Black hole collision
- Black hole in AdS spacetimes
- Summary



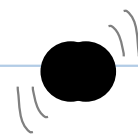
Introduction

Verification for higher dimensional gravity

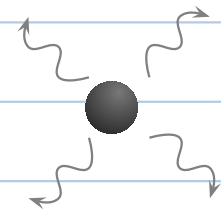
- In principle, BH can be formed when the energy is confined to the sufficient small region.(Cf. “Hoop-Conjecture” Thorne(1972))
- Planck scale is 10^{19} [GeV] if $D = 4$.
- Higher dimensional theory, Arkani-Hamed+(98),Randall+(99)
- Current experiments show the inverse square law of the gravity is valid up to $0.1 \sim 0.01\text{mm}$.
- Planck scale could be larger than 10 [TeV].
- Possibility of the BH formation for particle collisions
Dimopoulos and Landsberg(2001), Giddings and Thomas(2002)



High-energy collision



BH formation?

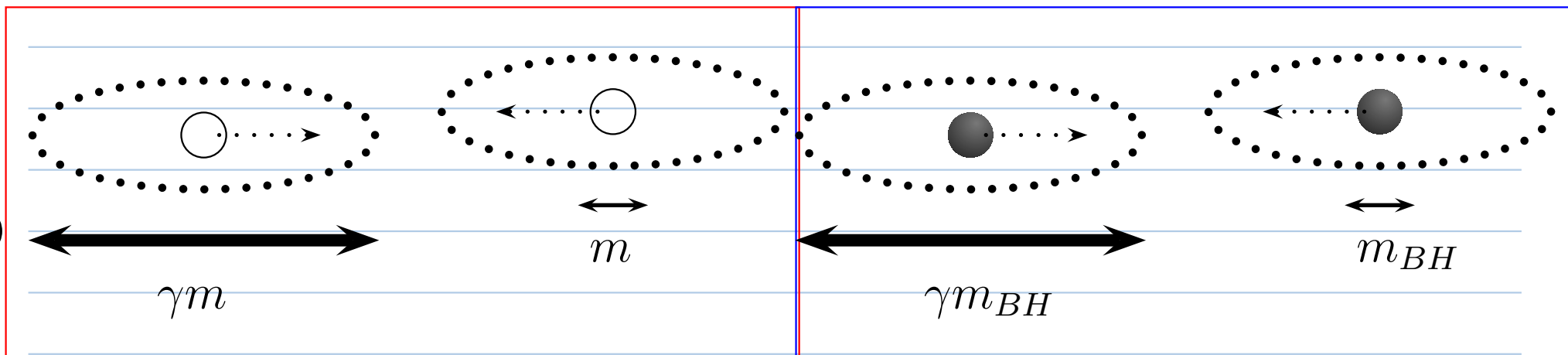


evapolation

High-velocity Collisions in Higher Dimensions

It is believed that Gravity is dominant below the Planck scale.
→ We could treat it as classical gravity.

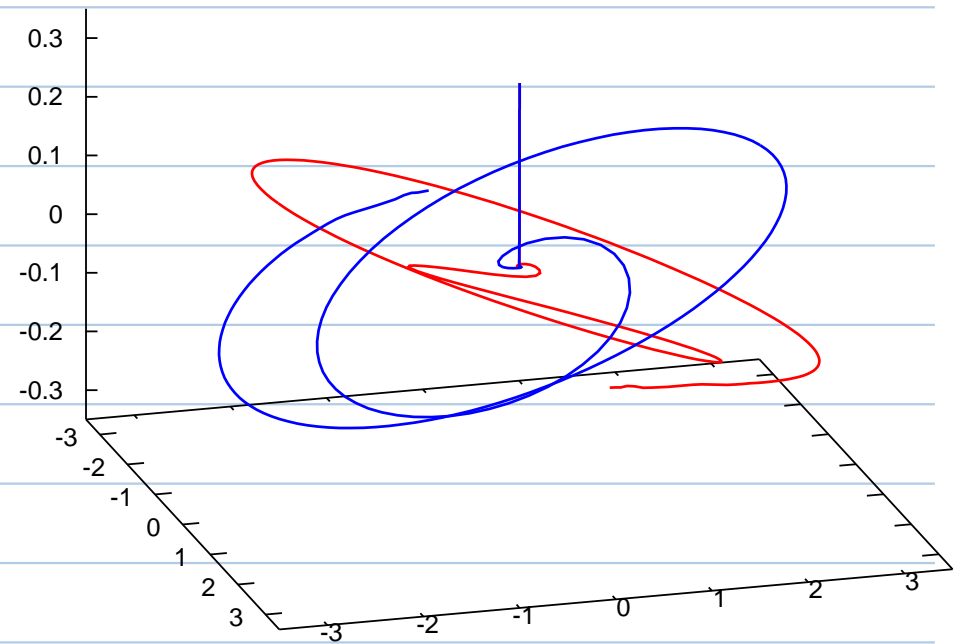
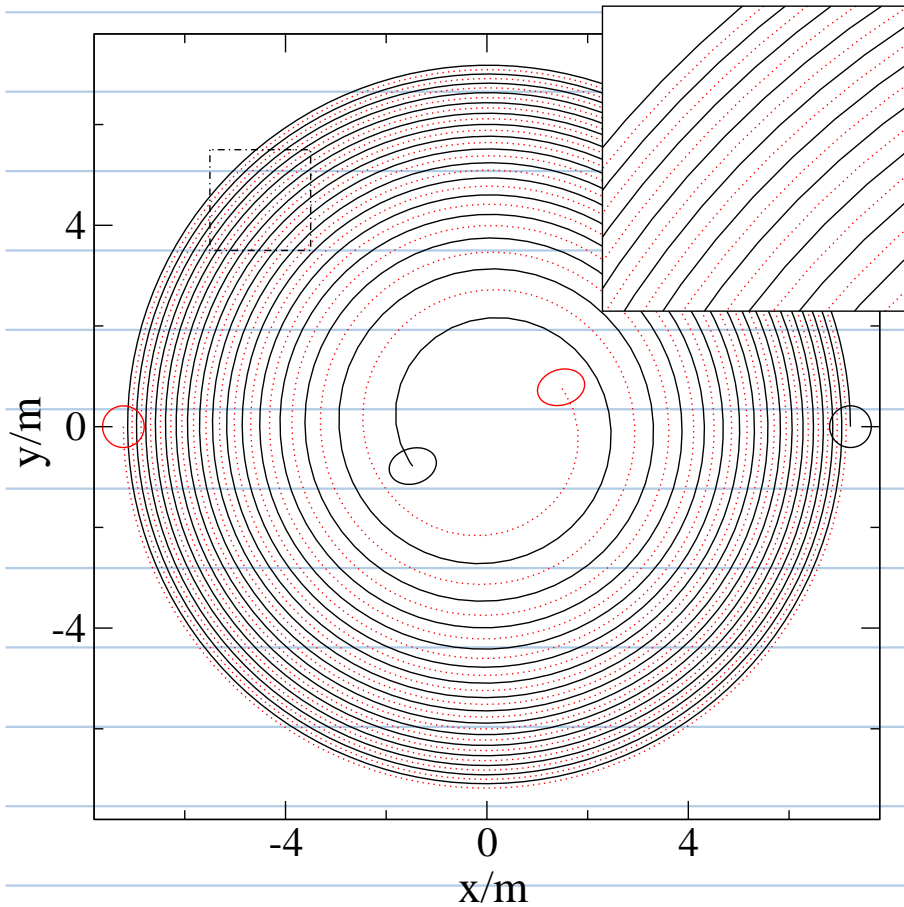
- Test particle collisions
- Shock wave collisions Penrose(1974), Eardley and Giddings(2002)
- High-velocity BH collisions Shibata+(2008), Sperhake+(2009)



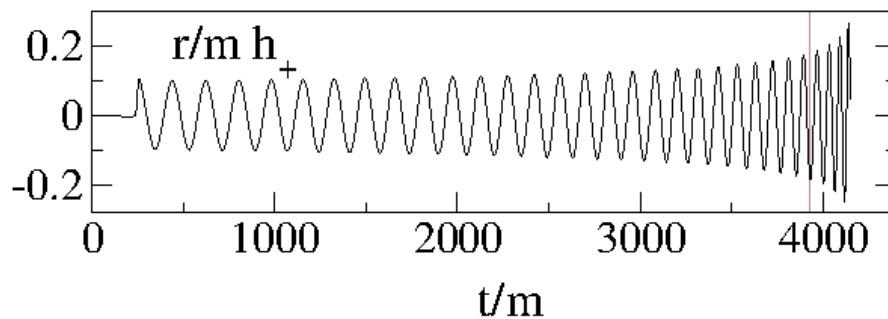
Impact parameter(BH formation)
M and J(feature of BH)
Dissipation(feature of GWs)

NR in Higher Dimensions

4D Numerical Relativity(Binary BHs)



Campanelli, Lousto, Zlochower, Merritt (2007)

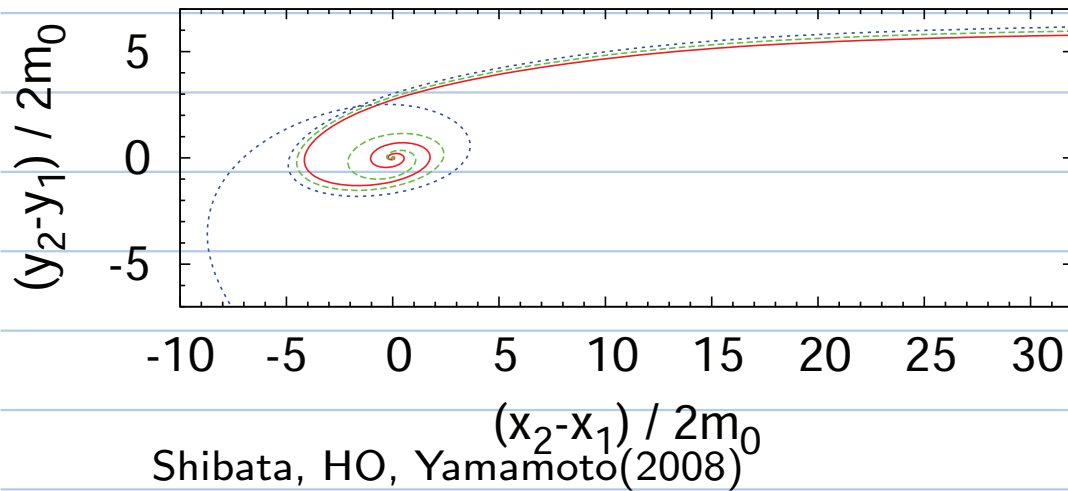


- The evolution of Binary BHs is calculated quite accurately.
- It's also popular to study about the Gravitational Recoil (Kick).

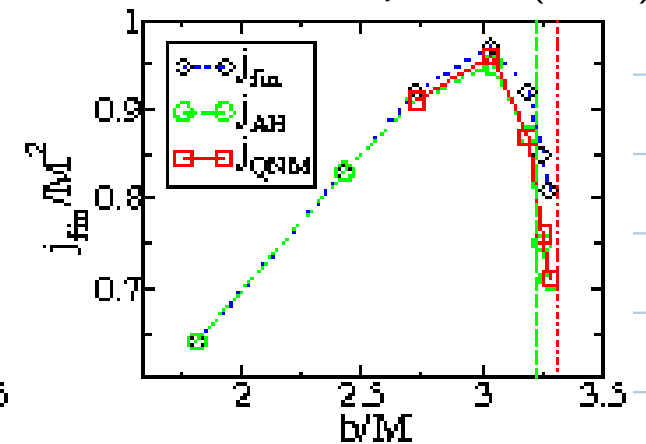
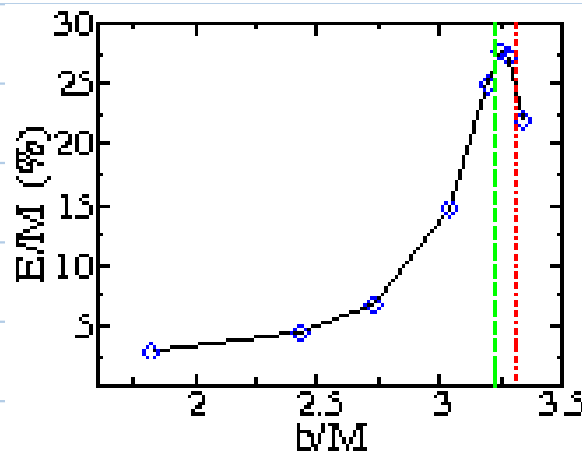
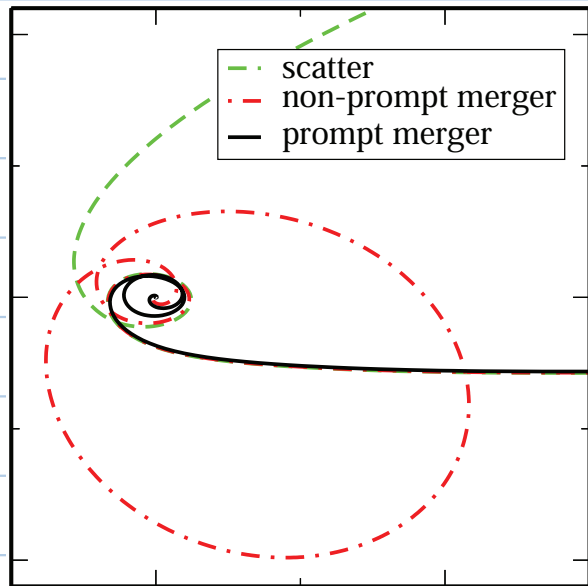
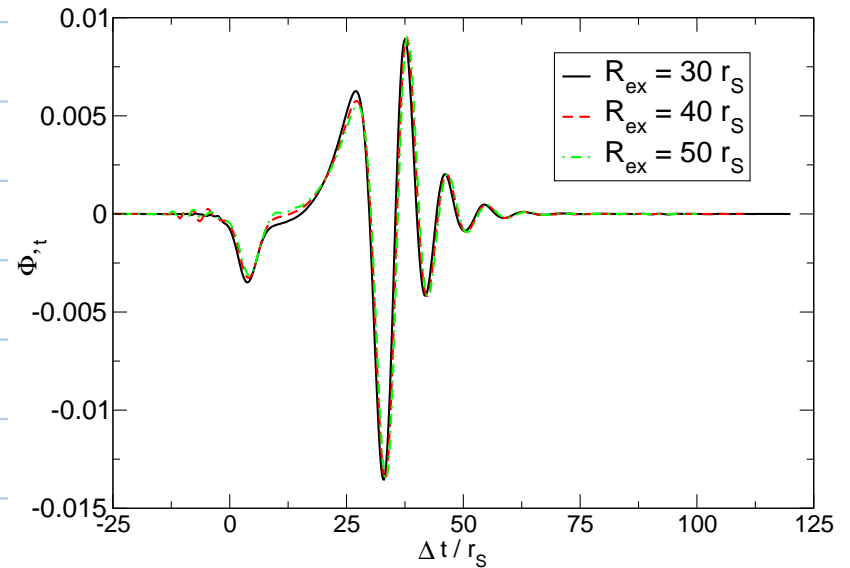
Boyle, Brown, Kidder, Mroue, Pfeiffer, Scheel, Cook, Teukolsky (2007)

High-velocity BH Collisions in Numerical Relativity

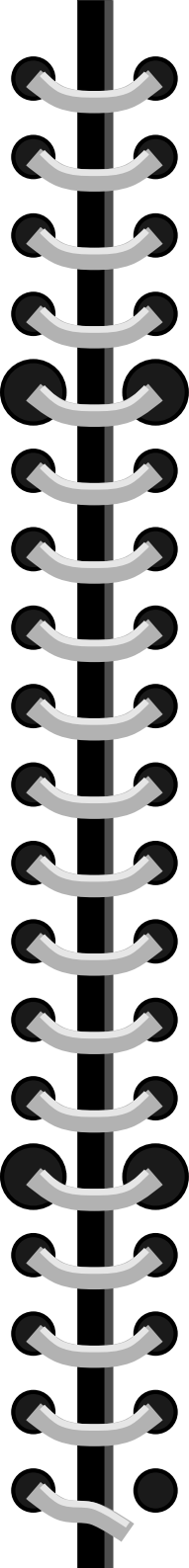
Orbits of a BH in 4D collision



Waveform of 5D Headon collision



Spin of the formed BH in 4D collision



Numerical Relativity

D-dimensional NR(D-1+1 decomposition)

To solve the Einstein equation

$$\mathcal{R}_{ab} - \frac{1}{2}g_{ab}\mathcal{R} = \kappa T_{ab}(= 0).$$

Spatial metric

$$\gamma_{ab} \equiv g_{ab} + n_a n_b$$

n^a : Normal vector to the space ($n^a = (1/\alpha, \beta^i/\alpha)$)

Extrinsic curvature

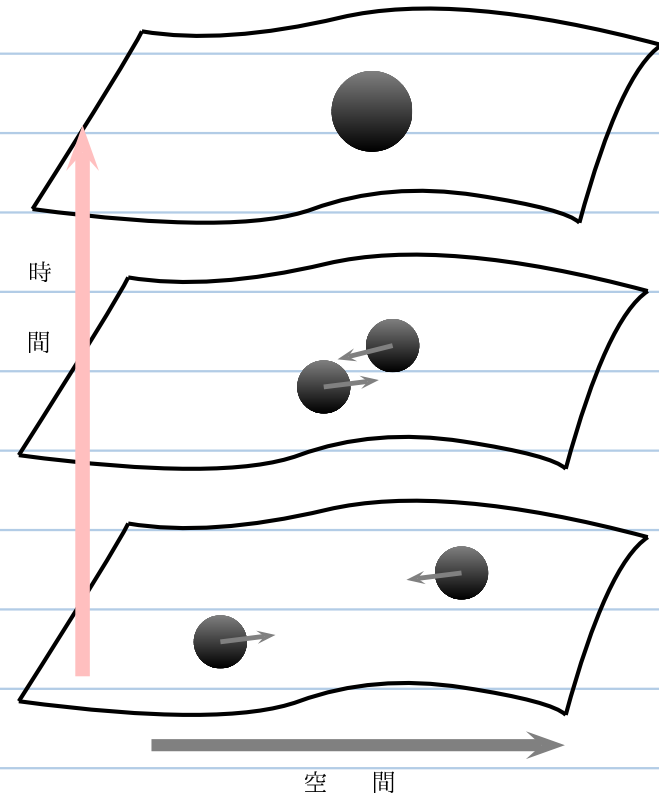
$$K_{ab} \equiv -\frac{1}{2\alpha} (\partial_t \gamma_{ab} - D_b \beta_a - D_a \beta_b)$$

Decomposition of the Einstein equation

→ **Same as 4D**

Evolution equation

$$\begin{aligned} \partial_t K_{ab} = & -D_b D_a \alpha + \alpha (R_{ab} - 2K_{ac} K_b^c + K_{ab} K) \\ & + \beta^c D_c K_{ab} + K_{cb} D_a \beta^c + K_{ca} D_b \beta^c \end{aligned}$$



Constraints

Hamiltonian constraint
 $R + K^2 - K_{ab} K^{ab} = 0$

Momentum constraints
 $D_b K_a^b - D_a K = 0$

D-dimensional NR(BSSN formalism)

BSSN formalism in D-dim. Yoshino and Shibata (2009)

We cannot evolve γ_{ij} and K_{ij} numerically because of the existence of violating modes.

$$\begin{aligned}\gamma_{ij} &= \chi^{-1} \tilde{\gamma}_{ij}, \quad \det \tilde{\gamma}_{ij} = 1, \\ K_{ij} &= \chi^{-1} \tilde{A}_{ij} + \frac{1}{D-2} \chi^{-1} \gamma_{ij} K, \\ \tilde{\Gamma}^i &= -\tilde{\gamma}^{ij}_{,j}.\end{aligned}$$

$$(\partial_t - \beta^i \partial_i) \chi = \frac{2}{D-1} \chi (\alpha K - \partial_i \beta^i),$$

$$(\partial_t - \beta^l \partial_l) \tilde{\gamma}_{ij} = -2\alpha \tilde{A}_{ij} + \tilde{\gamma}_{il} \partial_j \beta^l + \tilde{\gamma}_{jl} \partial_i \beta^l - \frac{2}{D-1} \tilde{\gamma}_{ij} \partial_l \beta^l,$$

$$(\partial_t - \beta^i \partial_i) K = \alpha \left[\tilde{A}_{ij} \tilde{A}^{ij} + \frac{1}{D-1} K^2 \right] - D^i D_i \alpha,$$

$$\begin{aligned}(\partial_t - \beta^l \partial_l) \tilde{A}_{ij} &= \chi \left[\alpha \left(\tilde{R}_{ij} - \frac{1}{D-1} \gamma_{ij} \tilde{R} \right) - \left(D_i D_j \alpha - \frac{1}{D-1} \gamma_{ij} D^l D_l \alpha \right) \right] \\ &\quad + \alpha \left(K \tilde{A}_{ij} - 2 \tilde{A}_{il} \tilde{A}_j^l \right) + \tilde{A}_{lj} \partial_i \beta^l + \tilde{A}_{il} \partial_j \beta^l - \frac{D-2}{D-1} \tilde{A}_{ij} \partial_l \beta^l,\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}(\partial_t - \beta^j \partial_j) \tilde{\Gamma}^i &= \tilde{\gamma}^{jk} \partial_j \partial_k \beta^i + \frac{D-3}{D-1} \tilde{\gamma}^{ij} \partial_j \partial_k \beta^k - \tilde{\Gamma}^j \partial_j \beta^i + \frac{2}{D-1} \tilde{\Gamma}^i \partial_j \beta^j \\ &\quad - 2 \tilde{A}^{ij} \partial_j \alpha + 2\alpha \left(\tilde{\Gamma}^i_{jk} \tilde{A}^{jk} - \frac{D-1}{2} \frac{\partial_j \chi}{\chi} \tilde{A}^{ij} - \frac{D-2}{D-1} \tilde{\gamma}^{ij} \partial_j K \right).\end{aligned}$$

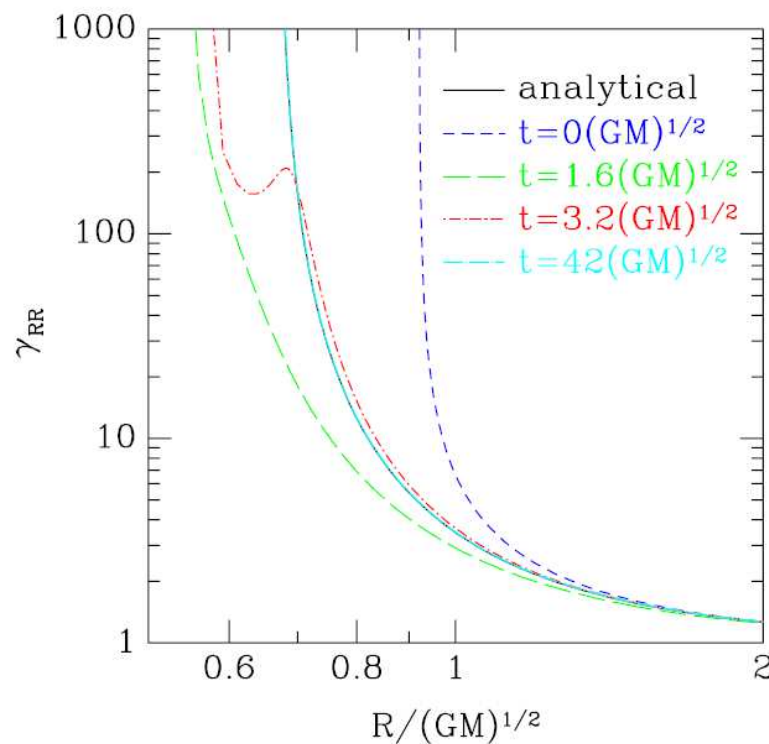
Gauge conditions

Puncture Gauge Conditions Alcubierre+(2003)

$$(\partial_t - \beta^i \partial_i) \alpha = -\eta_\alpha \alpha K,$$

$$(\partial_t - \beta^j \partial_j) \beta^i = -\eta_\beta B^i,$$

$$(\partial_t - \beta^j \partial_j) B^i = (\partial_t - \beta^j \partial_j) \tilde{\Gamma}^i - \eta_B B^i.$$



η_α, η_β and η_B are arbitrary parameters.
(We choose the parameter carefully by problems to solve.)

- we can treat the evolution near the singularity well.
- The result of the evolution of the Schwarzschild-Tangherlini BH:
In the puncture gauge, there is a special slice as the attractor.

Hannam+(2009), Nakao+(2009)

Dennison, Wendell, Baumgarte(2010)

SACRA code

Yamamoto, Shibata, Taniguchi(2008)

- How to solve the Einstein eq.
- Economical:

- Space : 4th order
finite differences
- Time : 4th order
Runge-Kutta integration

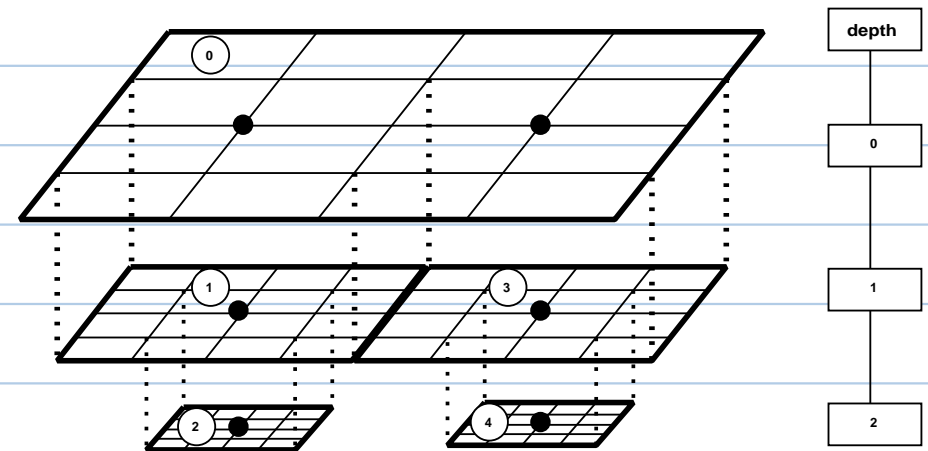
- We can run on a computer,
- CPU :3.4 GHz, 6 cores,
 - MEM :32 GB,
 - EURO:1,300 euros.

- BH-BH, NS-NS and BH-NS :

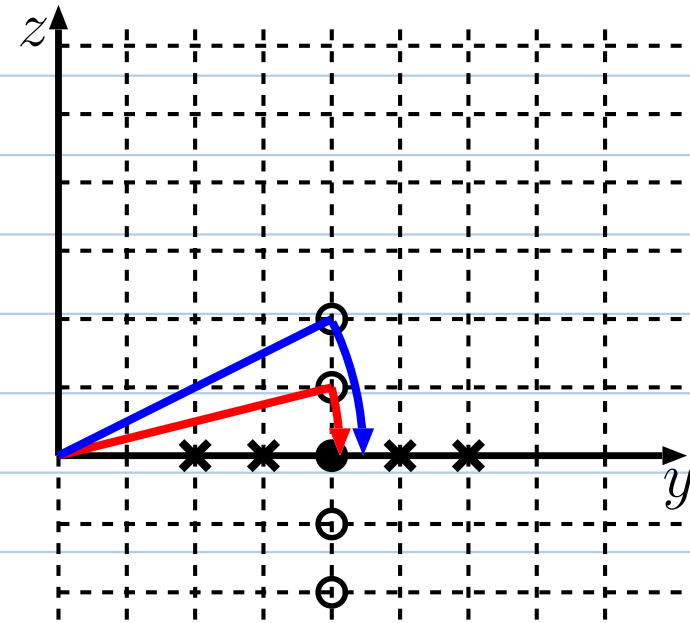
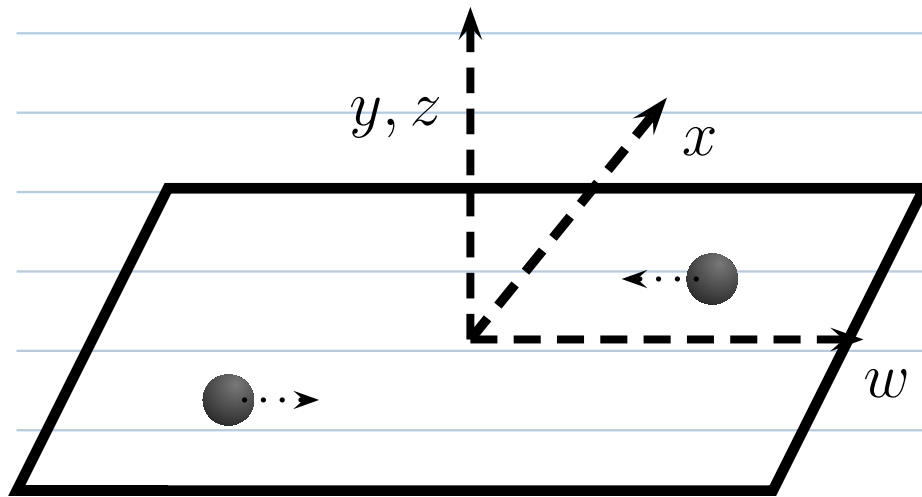
To resolve following scales,

- Size of the star,
- Interval between stars,
- Wavelength of GWs,

we need Adaptive Mesh Re-
finement(AMR).



5D Numerical Relativity (Cartoon method)



Cartoon Method

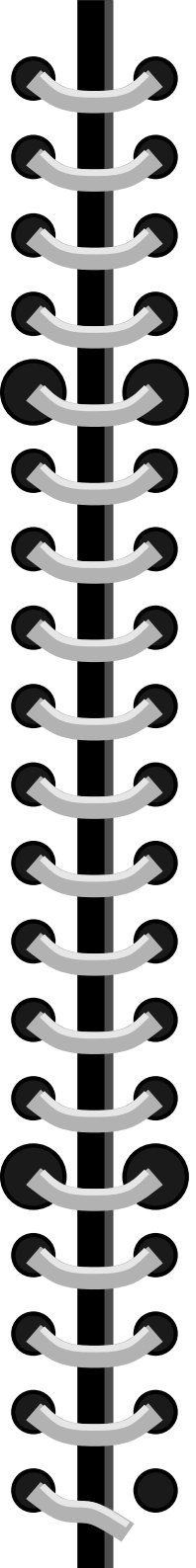
Alcubierre+(1999)

- Originally this is used to solve the **axisymmetric problems**.
- Numerical errors tend to grow near the axis ($r \sim 0$) on polar coordinates. (Because $\frac{1}{r}$ diverges apparently at $r = 0$.)
- There isn't such a problem on **Cartesian coordinates**.

$$\begin{cases} y = a \cos b \\ z = a \sin b \end{cases}$$

We can **get any values by the interpolation** if we have the data on $z = 0$.

We can take Cartesian coordinates and save the costs by Cartoon method.



Black Hole Collision

Initial condition(a Boost BH)

Schwarzschild-Tangherlini Black Hole in isotropic coordinates

$$ds^2 = -\alpha_0^2 dt_0^2 + \psi_0^{\frac{4}{D-3}} \left(dw_0^2 + dx_0^2 + \sum_{i=1}^{D-3} dy_{0i}^2 \right)$$

$$\alpha_0 = \left(1 - \frac{\mu}{4r_0^{D-3}} \right) \psi_0^{-1}, \quad \psi_0 = 1 + \frac{\mu}{4r_0^{D-3}}, \quad r_0^2 = w_0^2 + x_0^2 + \sum_{i=1}^{D-3} y_{0i}^2$$

a Boost BH solution

$$ds^2 = -\gamma^2 \left(\alpha_0^2 - v^2 \psi_0^{\frac{4}{D-3}} \right) dt^2 - 2\gamma^2 v \left(\psi_0^{\frac{4}{D-3}} - \alpha_0^2 \right) dt dw + \psi_0^{\frac{4}{D-3}} \left[B_0^2 dw^2 + dx^2 + \sum_{i=1}^{D-3} dy_i^2 \right]$$

extrinsic curvature

$$B_0^2 = \gamma^2 \left(1 - \alpha_0^2 v^2 \psi_0^{\frac{-4}{D-3}} \right), \quad \gamma \equiv \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-v^2}}$$

$$K_{xx} = K_{y_i y_i} = \frac{2}{D-3} \frac{\gamma v \alpha_0 \psi_0' w}{\psi_0 B_0 r_0},$$

$$K_{ww} = \frac{\gamma^3 v B_0 w}{r_0} \left[2\alpha_0' - B_0^{-2} \left(\frac{2}{D-3} \alpha_0 \psi_0^{-1} \psi_0' - \alpha_0^2 \psi_0^{\frac{-4}{D-3}} \alpha_0' v^2 \right) \right],$$

$$K_{wx} = \frac{\gamma v B_0 x}{r_0} \left[\alpha_0' - B_0^{-2} \left(\frac{2}{D-3} \alpha_0 \psi_0^{-1} \psi_0' - \alpha_0^2 \psi_0^{\frac{-4}{D-3}} \alpha_0' v^2 \right) \right],$$

$$K_{wy_i} = \frac{\gamma v B_0 y_i}{r_0} \left[\alpha_0' - B_0^{-2} \left(\frac{2}{D-3} \alpha_0 \psi_0^{-1} \psi_0' - \alpha_0^2 \psi_0^{\frac{-4}{D-3}} \alpha_0' v^2 \right) \right].$$

Then, we consider **the initial data for BHs with initial velocity** by using Boost BHs.

Initial condition(Superposition of Boost BHs)

Initial condition for two Boost BHs

$$dl^2 = \psi^{\frac{4}{D-3}} \left(B^2 dw^2 + dx^2 + \sum_{i=1}^{D-3} dy_i^2 \right)$$

conformal factor

$$\psi = \psi_{main} + \delta\psi,$$

$$\psi_{main} \equiv 1 + \frac{\mu_1}{4r_1^{D-2}} + \frac{\mu_2}{4r_2^{D-2}}$$

$$r_A = \sqrt{\gamma^2(w - w_A)^2 + (x - x_A)^2 + \sum_{i=1}^{D-3} y_i^2}$$

(A = 1, 2)

$$B^2 = \gamma^2 \left[1 - v^2 \psi_{main}^{\frac{-4}{D-3}} \left(1 - \frac{\mu_1}{4r_1^{D-3}} - \frac{\mu_2}{4r_2^{D-3}} \right) \right]$$

We should get $\delta\psi$ by solving the Hamiltonian constraint.

extrinsic curvature

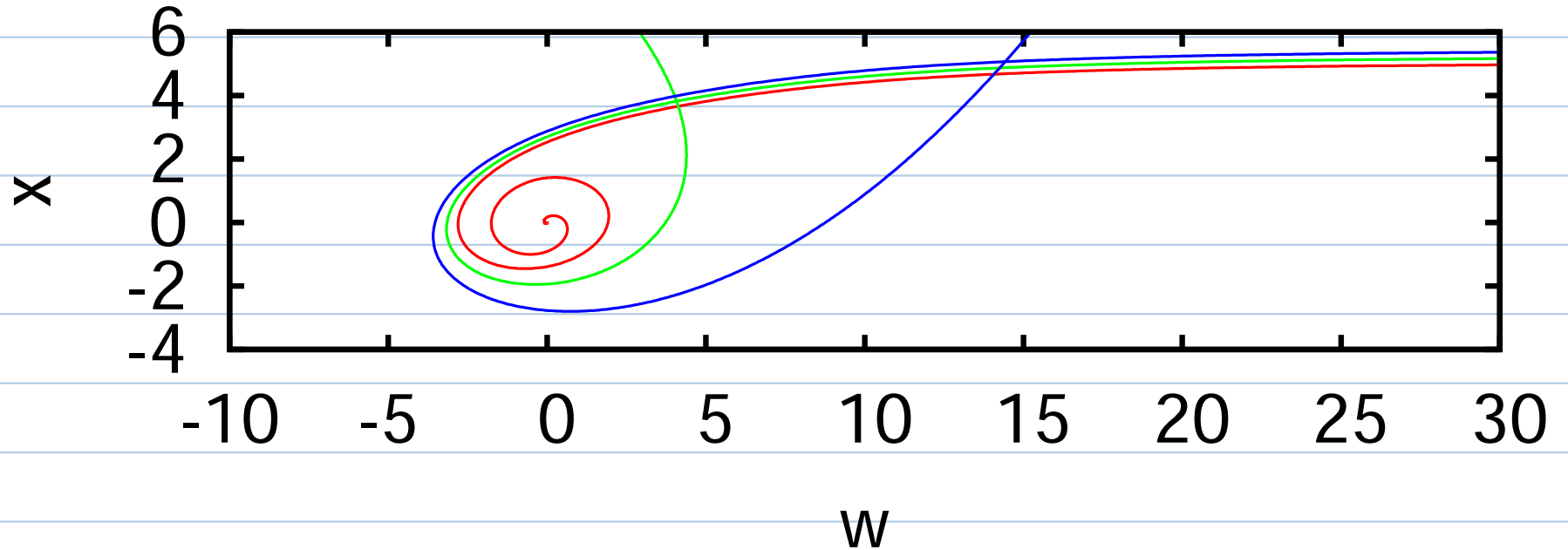
$$K_{ij} = K_{ij}^{(1)} + K_{ij}^{(2)} + \delta K_{ij}$$

We should also get δK_{ij} by solving the Momentum constraints.

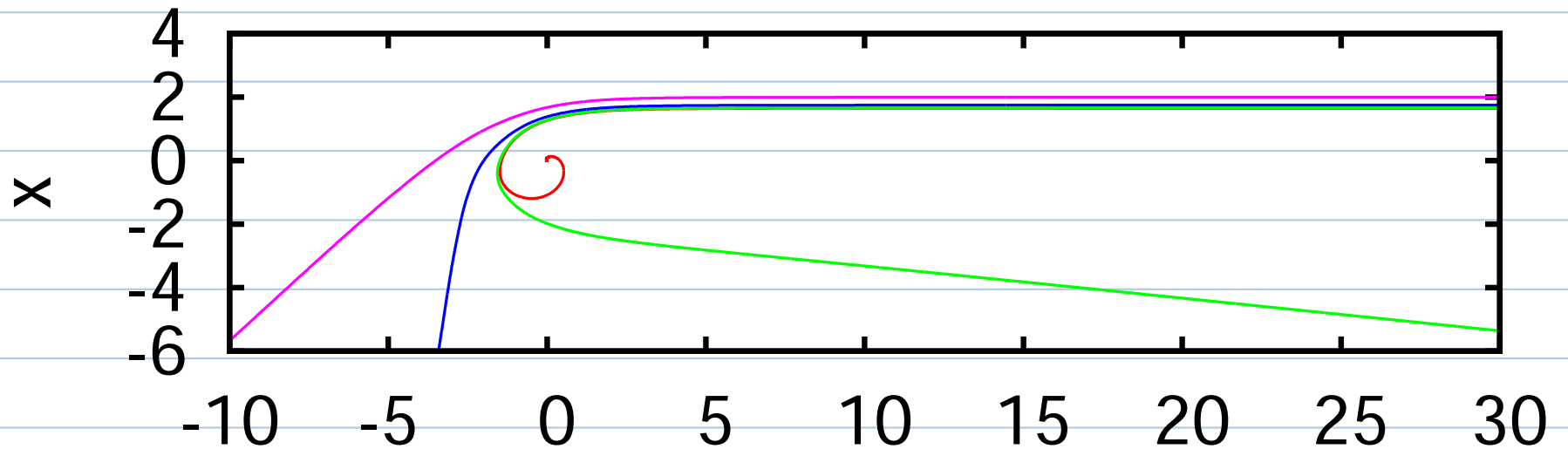
- $\delta\psi$ and δK_{ij} are the small corrections when the BHs are sufficiently apart from each other.

Orbits of BH Collisions in 4D and 5D

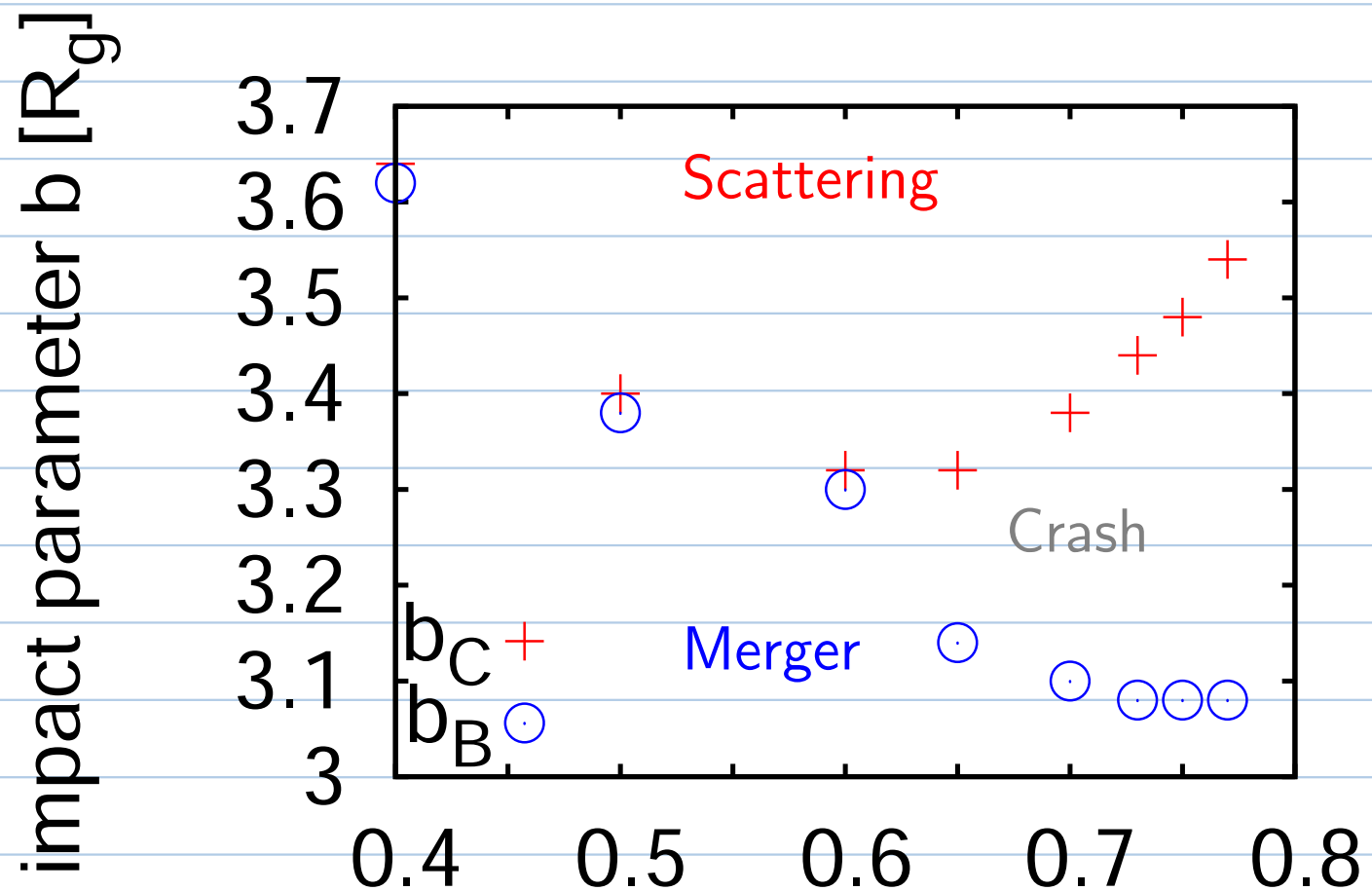
4D $v = 0.6$, Zoom-whirl behavior, impact parameter ($x = 5.0, 5.2, 5.4$)



5D $v = 0.6$, No Zoom-whirl, impact parameter ($x = 1.65, 1.66, 1.75, 2.0$)



Scattering of BHs

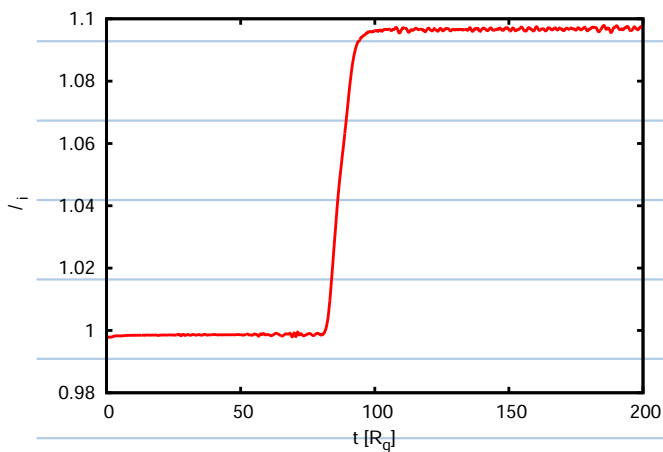


Vertical axis denotes **impact parameter**. V
Horizontal axis denotes **initial velocity of BHs**.

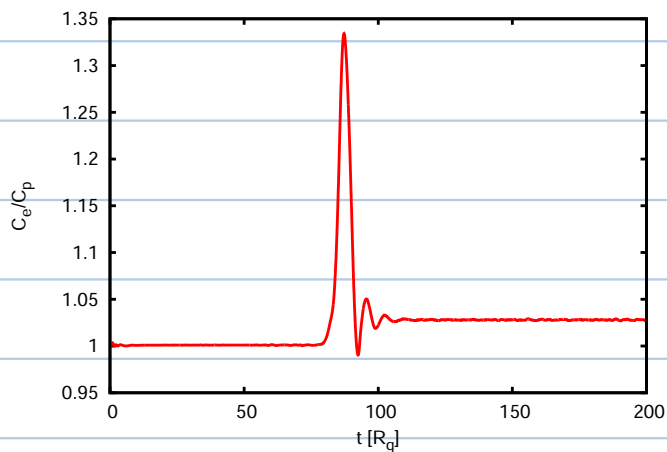
b_C : Lower limit of b which we can see the **scattering**.

b_B : Upper limit of b which we can see the **merging**.

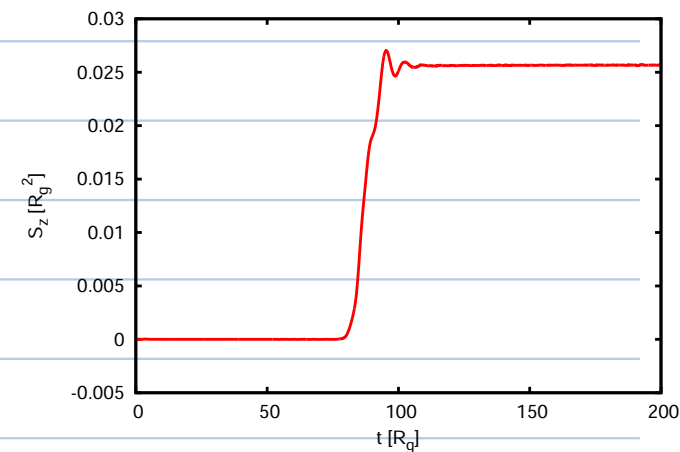
Exchange of M and J by Scattering



Mass



Deformation of a BH



Spin of a BH

- Mass and Angular momentum grow after scattering.
- “Tidal Heating effect” could explain this.
(Cf. The membrane paradigm(1986), Poisson(2009,2010))

Kretschmann Invariant Scalar

Let's see the BH scattering
in terms of
the Gauge invariant quantity.

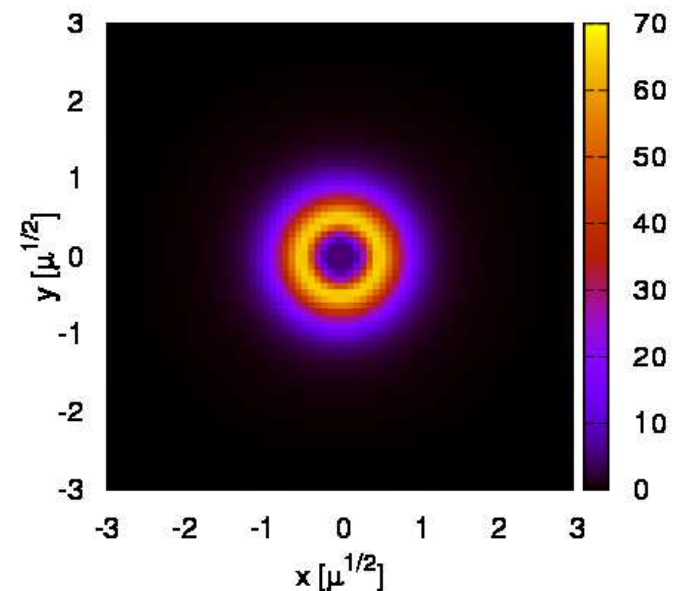
$$\mathcal{K}^2 = R_{abcd}R^{abcd}$$

(Kretschmann invariant scalar)

Normalized by the value
on the Horizon of SBH

$$\mathcal{K}^2 = (D - 2)^2 (D - 1) (D - 3) E_P^4$$

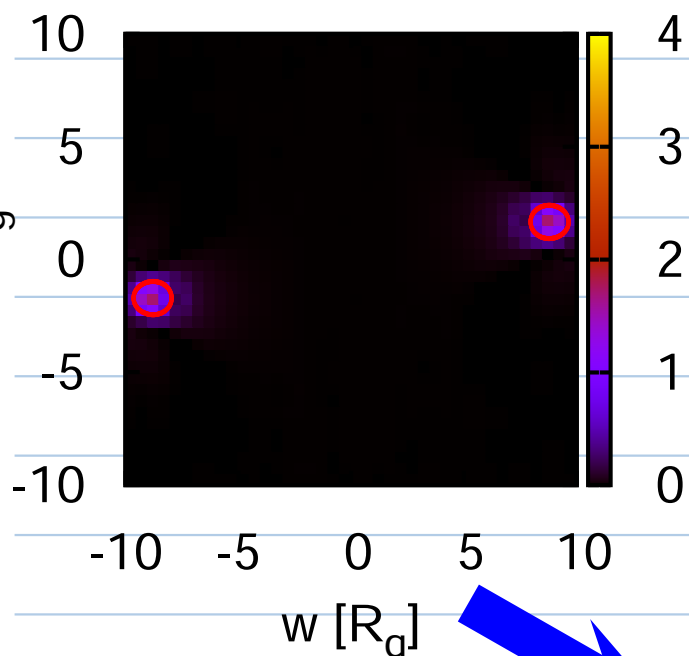
E_P : Planck Energy



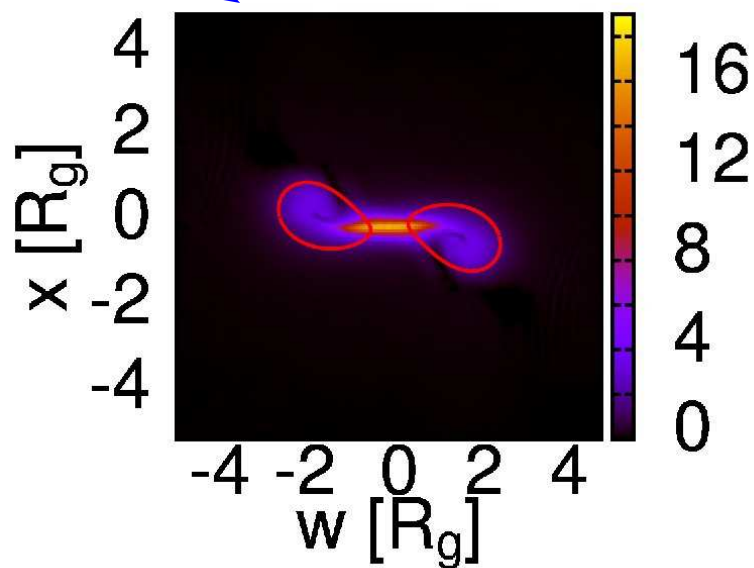
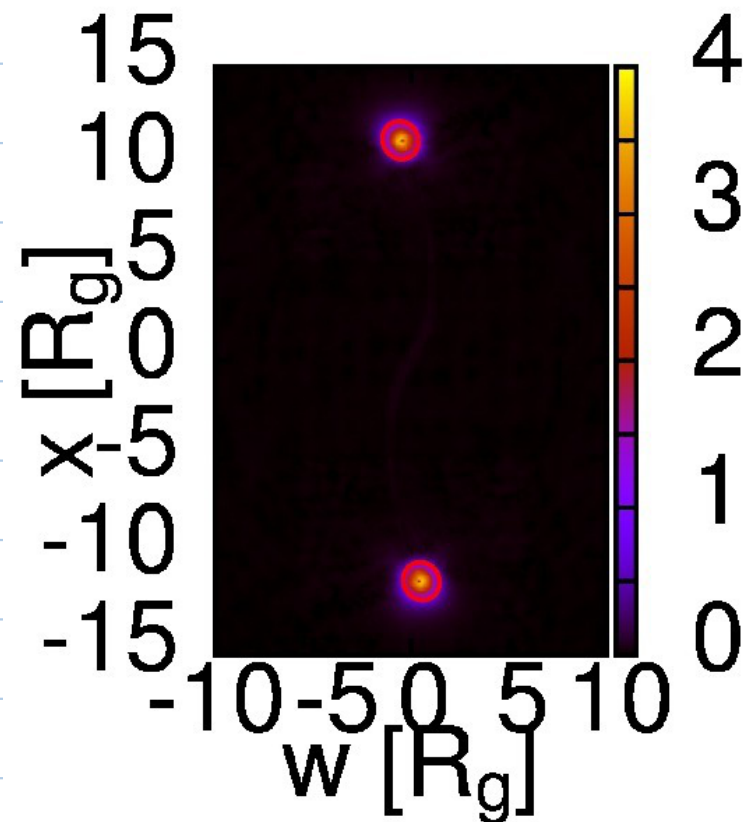
Schwarzschild black hole
in 5D isotropic coordinates

$$\mathcal{K}^2 = 72E_P^4$$

Kretschmann Scalar during scattering



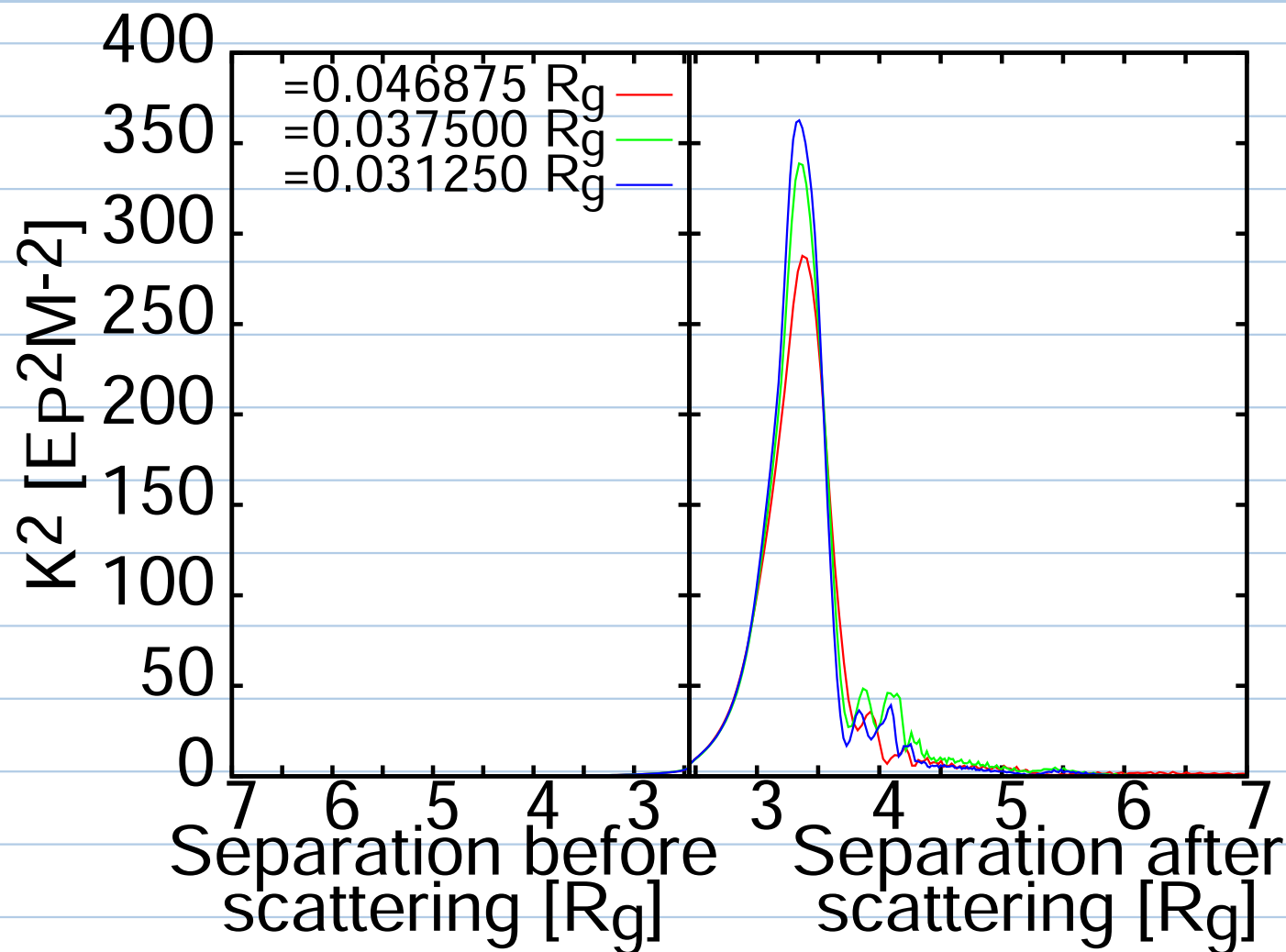
- Kretschmann invariant \mathcal{K} on $y = z = 0$ plane.
- Red circles denote the shape of AH.



HO,
Nakao,
Shibata(2011)

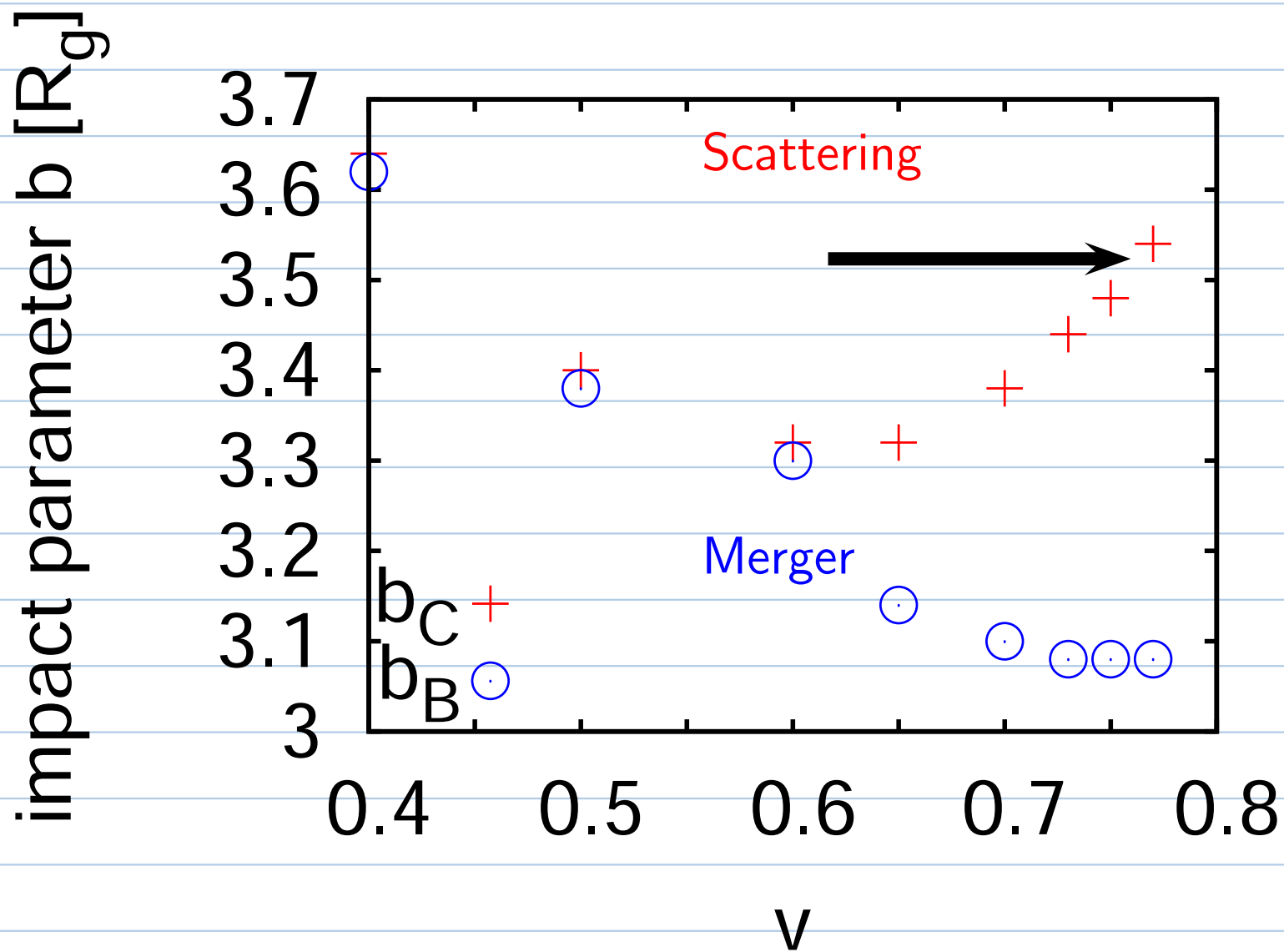
- Two BHs always exist through the scattering.
- Kretschmann becomes large **outside the Horizon.**

Kretschmann vs Separation between BHs



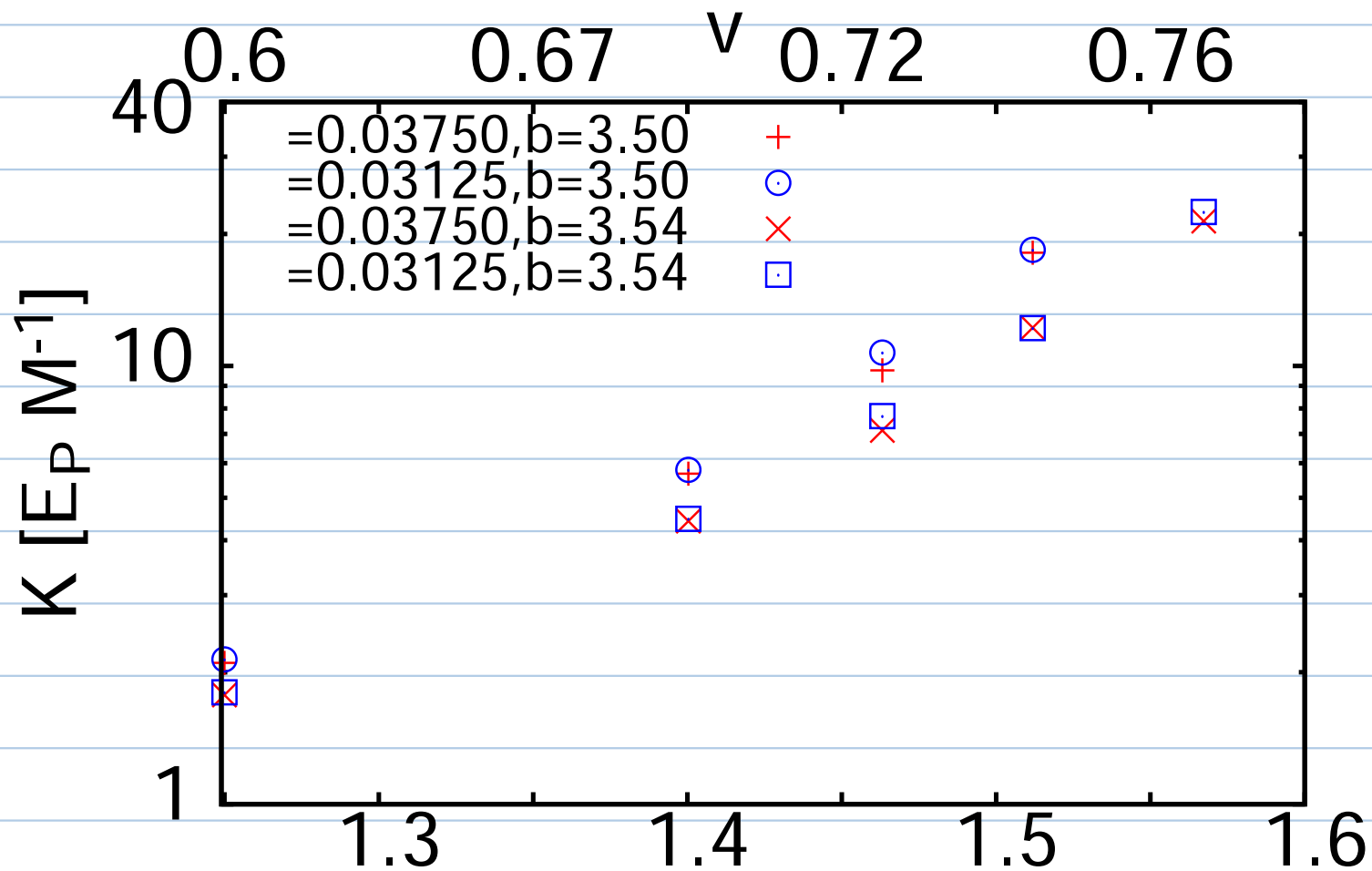
- Horizontal axis denotes **separation between two BHs**.
(Time goes from left to right.)
- Vertical axis denotes **Kretschmann scalar** at the center of mass.

Kretschmann vs Initial velocity of BH



Kretschmann invariant at the same impact parameter

Maximum of Kretschmann Scalar

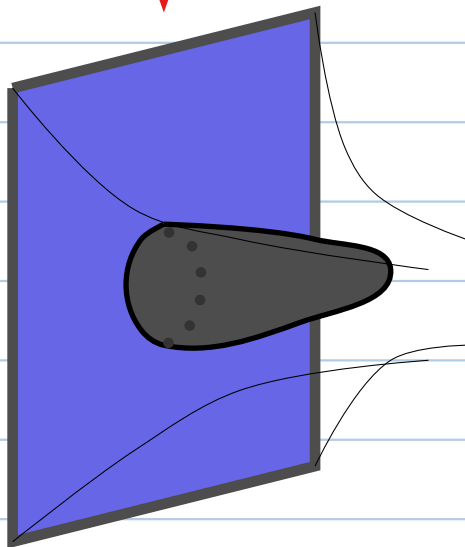
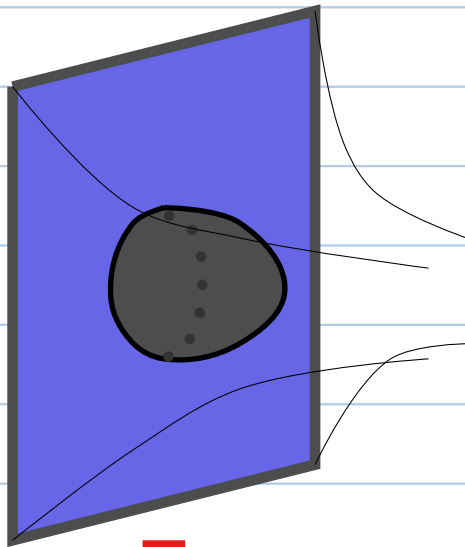


- Horizontal axis denotes the **initial velocity of BHs**.
- Vertical axis denotes the **Maximum of \mathcal{K}** at the center of mass(log scale).



Black Hole in AdS spacetimes

BH in the spacetimes with a brane



Future Prediction?

Looking back at the history briefly,

L. Randall and R. Sundrum (1999)

Warped spacetimes

T. Tanaka(2002), R. Emparan *et al.*(2002)

BHs larger than bulk scale are not static.

H. Kudoh, T. Tanaka and T. Nakamura(2003)

Method to make the solution with a BH. (Small BH could be static.)

H. Kudoh(2004), H. Yoshino(2006)

It is difficult to make a large BH.

N. Tanahashi and T. Tanaka(2008)

A larger BH seems unstable.

P. Figueras and T. Wiseman(2011)

Method to make a large BH.

We want to see

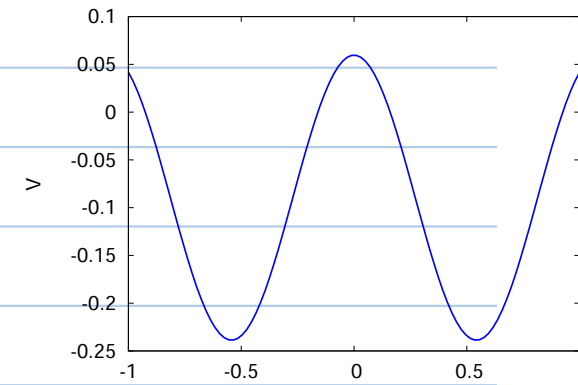
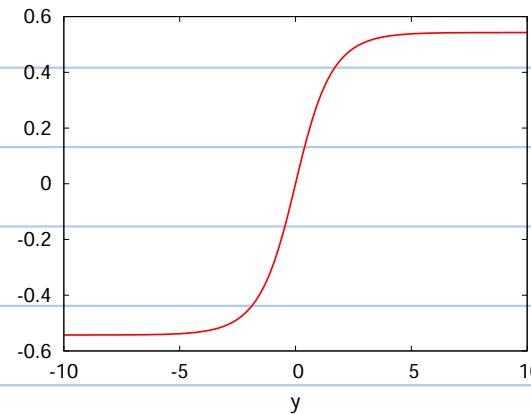
Dynamical Evolution.

Exact Solution of Thick Brane

T. Takahashi, HO, M. Shibata(2012-13?)

(My) Requirement

- I want to start from SACRA code.
- I like easy boundary conditions.



We can make the static thick brane with a scalar field.(Cf. Giovannini(2002))

$$S = \int d^5x \sqrt{-g} \left[\frac{R}{2\kappa} - \frac{1}{2} \nabla_a \phi \nabla^a \phi - V(\phi) \right] \quad (1)$$

$$\phi(y) = \sqrt{\frac{3}{\kappa}} \arctan [\sinh(by)], \quad z = 2b \sinh(by) \quad (2)$$

$$V(\phi) = \frac{3b^2}{2\kappa} \left[1 - 5 \sin^2 \left(\sqrt{\frac{\kappa}{3}} \phi \right) \right] \quad (3)$$

Metric of the Brane Solution

(Cf. RS II model)

$$ds^2 = \frac{1}{1 + b^2 z^2} [dz^2 + \eta_{\mu\nu} dx^\mu dx^\nu] \quad (4) \quad ds^2 = \frac{\ell^2}{z^2 + \ell^2} [dz^2 + \eta_{\mu\nu} dx^\mu dx^\nu]$$

$b = \ell^{-1}$ is the thickness of the brane.

5D NR(4+1 decomposition)

To solve Einstein equation

$$\mathcal{R}_{ab} - \frac{1}{2}g_{ab}\mathcal{R} = \kappa T_{ab}$$

Spatial metric $\gamma_{ab} \equiv g_{ab} + n_a n_b$

n^a : Normal vector ($n^a = (1/\alpha, \beta^i/\alpha)$)

Extrinsic curvature

$$K_{ab} \equiv -\frac{1}{2\alpha} (\partial_t \gamma_{ab} - D_b \beta_a - D_a \beta_b)$$

Decomposition of the Einstein equation

→ **Same form as usual**

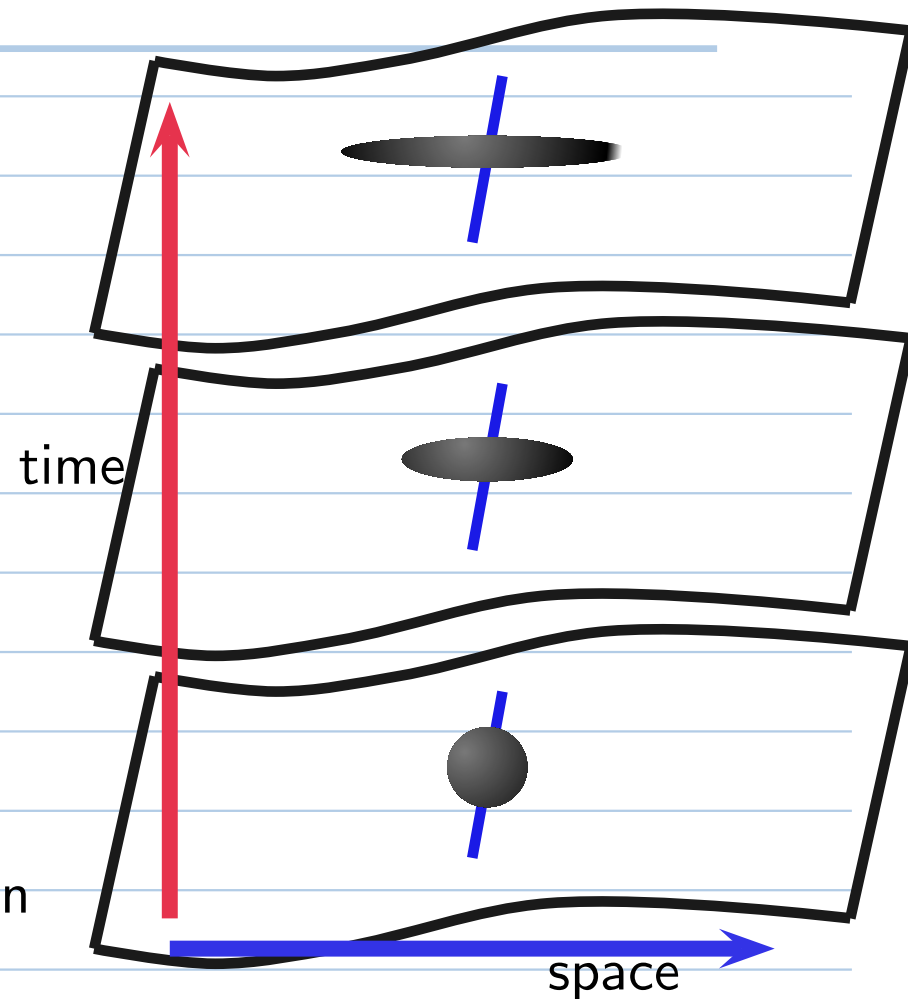
Evolution equation

$$\begin{aligned} \partial_t K_{ab} &= \beta^c D_c K_{ab} + K_{cb} D_a \beta^c + K_{ca} D_b \beta^c \\ &+ \alpha \left(R_{ab} - 2K_{ac} K_b^c + K_{ab} K - \kappa \left[S_{ab} + \frac{\rho - S}{3} \gamma_{ab} \right] \right) \\ &- D_b D_a \alpha \end{aligned}$$

Constraints

Hamiltonian constraint
 $R + K^2 - K_{ab} K^{ab} = 2\kappa\rho$

Momentum constraints
 $D_b K_a^b - D_a K = \kappa j_a$



BSSN formalism in AdS spacetimes

$$ds^2 = \frac{1}{a^2(z)} \left[-\alpha^2 dt^2 + \gamma_{ij} (dx^i + \beta^i dt) (dx^j + \beta^j dt) \right] \quad (5)$$

- We define the BSSN variables without $a(z)$ part.
- We get usual evolution equation with BSSN variables + $a(z)$ terms.

$$(\partial_t - \beta^i \partial_i) \chi = \frac{1}{2} \chi (\alpha K - \partial_i \beta^i) + \frac{2a'}{a} \beta^z \chi,$$

$$(\partial_t - \beta^l \partial_l) \tilde{\gamma}_{ij} = -2\alpha \tilde{A}_{ij} + \tilde{\gamma}_{il} \partial_j \beta^l + \tilde{\gamma}_{jl} \partial_i \beta^l - \frac{1}{2} \tilde{\gamma}_{ij} \partial_l \beta^l,$$

$$(\partial_t - \beta^i \partial_i) K = \alpha \left[\tilde{A}_{ij} \tilde{A}^{ij} + \frac{1}{4} K^2 + \frac{\kappa}{3} (2\rho + S) \right] - \left[a \tilde{D}^i \tilde{D}_i \left(\frac{\alpha}{a} \right) \right]^{TF} + \frac{a'}{a} \beta^z K,$$

$$(\partial_t - \beta^l \partial_l) \tilde{A}_{ij} = \dots,$$

$$(\partial_t - \beta^j \partial_j) \tilde{\Gamma}^i = \cdot \text{Evolution equations for the scalar field}$$

$$(\partial_t - \beta^l \partial_l) \phi = -\alpha \Pi,$$

$$(\partial_t - \beta^l \partial_l) \Pi = \alpha K \Pi + \frac{\alpha}{a^2} \frac{\partial V}{\partial \phi} - \chi \alpha \left[\tilde{D}^i \tilde{D}_i \phi + \left(\frac{\partial_i \alpha}{\alpha} - \frac{\partial \chi}{\chi} - \frac{3a'}{a} \delta_i^z \right) \tilde{D}^i \phi \right].$$

Coordinates and Boundary Conditions

Coordinates

- We want higher resolution near the brane.
- Perhaps outer region could be coarse. (not sure)

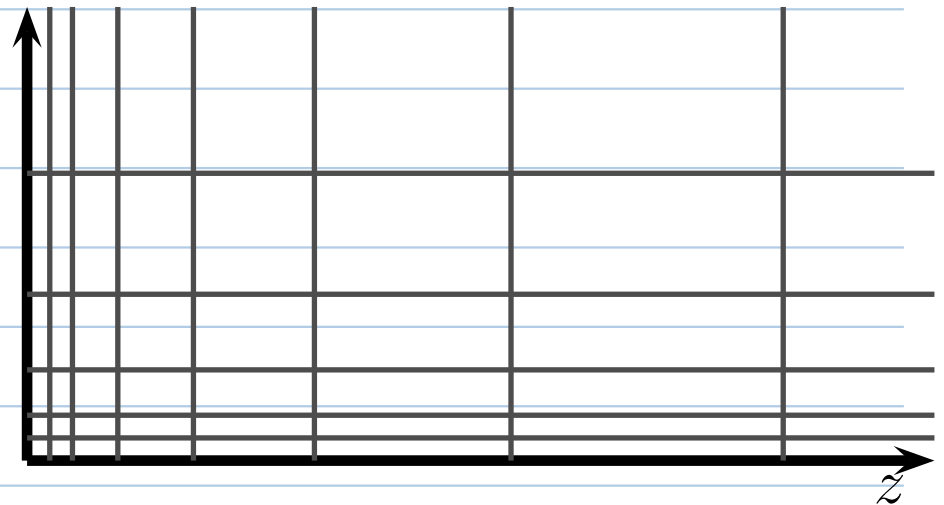
- We use y coordinate.
(The interval of z is larger at far.)

$$z = 2b \sinh(by)$$

- But we defined BSSN variables on z (γ_{zz} conformal flat).
- We should pay attention to the derivatives of z .

$$\partial_z \alpha = \frac{1}{a(y)} \partial_y \alpha$$

x_1, x_2, x_3



Boundary Conditions

- Z_2 symmetry at the brane
We can give the variables at $-y$ from that at y .
 $\alpha(-y) = \alpha(y), \phi(-y) = -\phi(y)$
- If outer boundaries are enough far, we can impose the Neumann condition or Outgoing condition. (It could be correct unless we evolve for a long time.)

Hamiltonian Constraint

- We want an initial condition with Apparent Horizon(AH).
- Previous study T. Shiromizu and M. Shibata(2000)
- They construct the solution with AH by introducing a scalar field as gravitational source.

metric ansatz

$$dl^2 = \frac{1}{a^2(z)} \left[dz^2 + (1 + w(r, z))^4 (dr^2 + r^2 d\theta^2 + r^2 \sin^2 \theta d\phi^2) \right]$$

Hamiltonian Constraint

$$\partial_r^2 w + \frac{2}{r} \partial_r w + \frac{3}{2} \left[\left(\partial_z^2 w - \frac{3bz^2}{1+b^2z^2} \partial_z w \right) (1+w)^4 + 3(\partial_z w)^2 (1+w)^3 \right] = -\pi (1+w)^5 (\partial_z \psi)^2 - \pi (1+w) (\partial_r \psi)^2$$

We can solve the nonlinear elliptic equation(in principle if solutions exist)!

Initial Condition

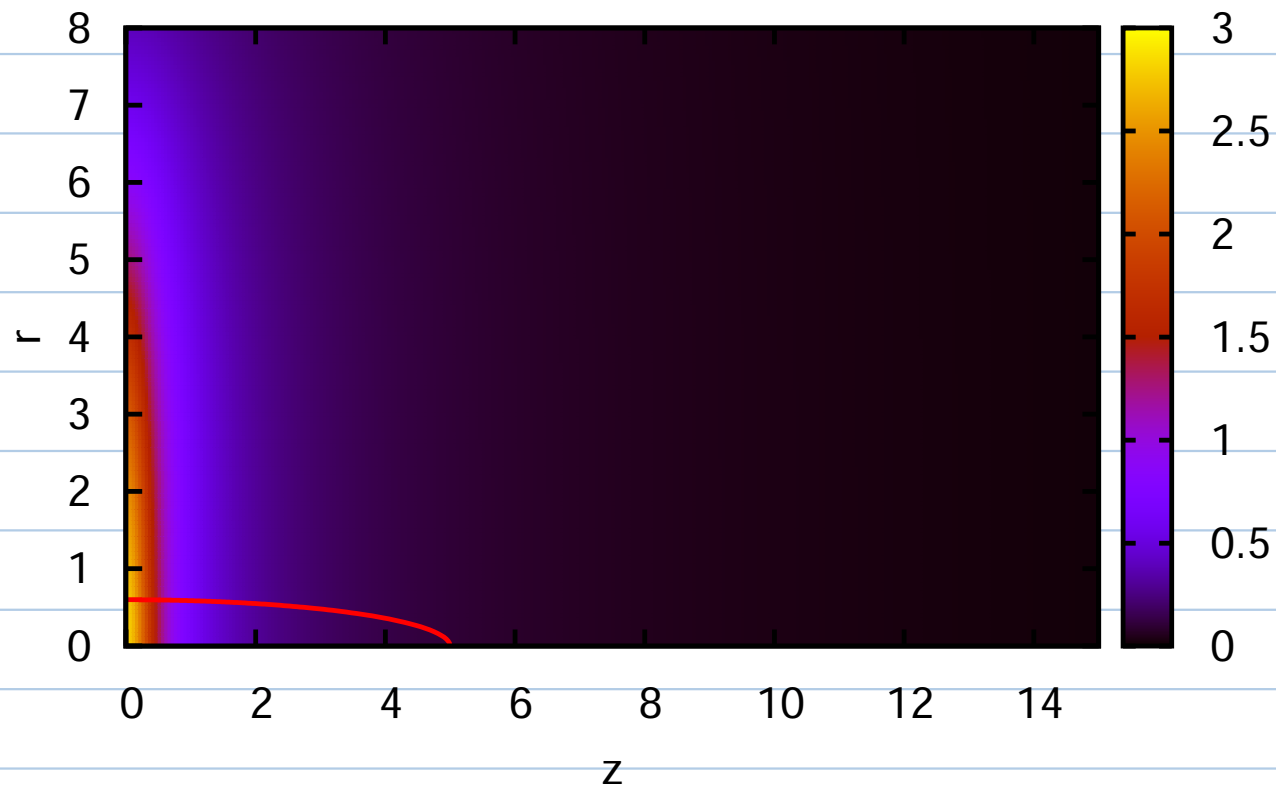
How to give the scalar field:

$$\psi(r, z) = \frac{f(r, z)}{(1 + w)^s}$$

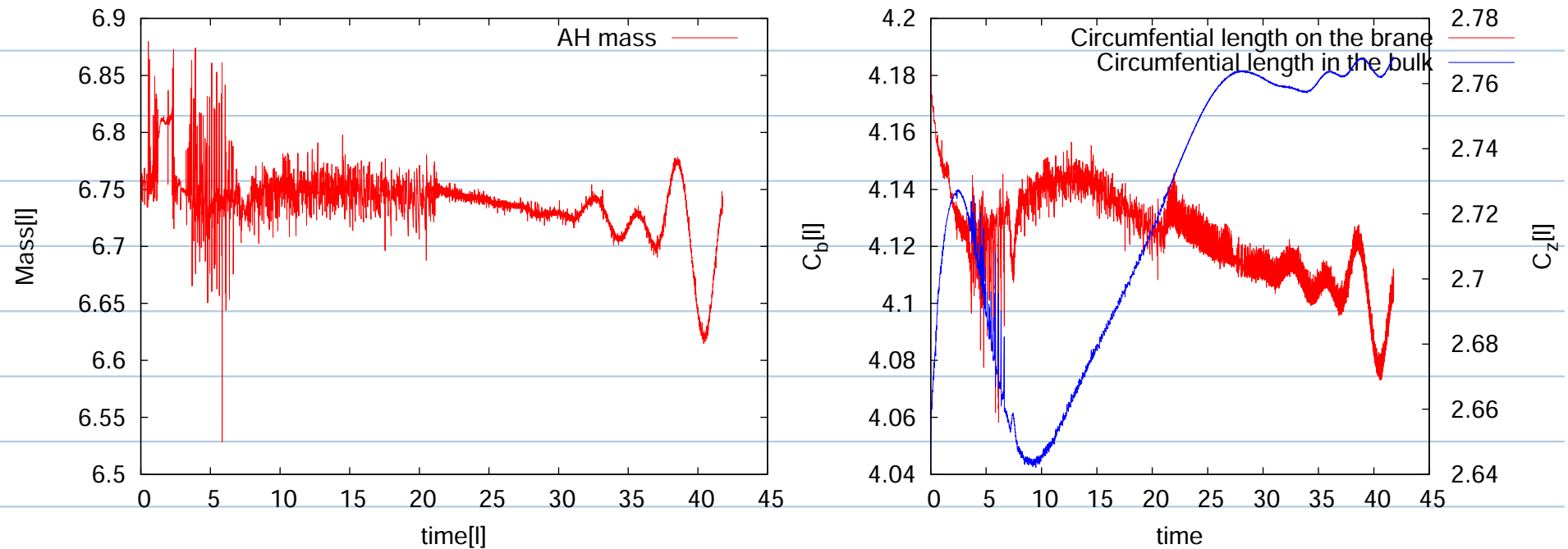
$$f(r, z) = \epsilon z \exp \left\{ -\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{r^2}{a^2} + \frac{z^2}{b^2} \right) \right\}$$

We can choose s, a, b and ϵ .
for example,

$$a = b = 0.3, s = 2, \epsilon = 2.25$$



Preliminary Result



- This is an evolution test for previous initial condition (Low res.).
- The values related to the AH are in about 4% error.
- It seems good before $t \sim 20$.
- The proper length of the equator is not so changed, but the position of AH on those coordinates is growing.



Summary

- We are in the stage to apply Numerical relativity to various spacetimes.
- We can see the dynamical evolution of the BH(s) in higher dimensions.
- Scattering of BHs in higher dimensions might be used to investigate the limit of classical gravity.
- The code of the AdS numerical relativity should show some interesting results(I hope).

Thank you very much for listening!