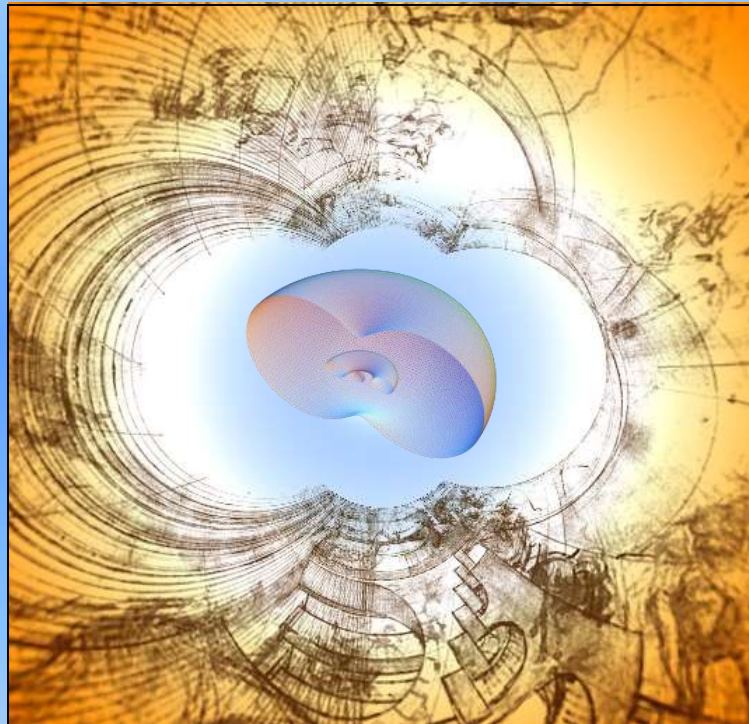


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Asymptotically flat scalar hairy black holes and solitons



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based on work done (mainly) with

C. Herdeiro

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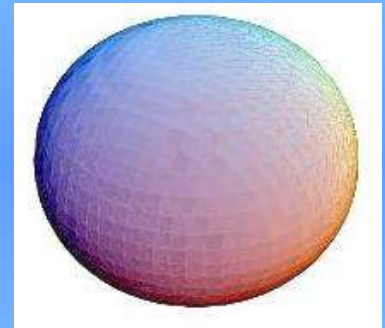
(i) the solitons in EKG theory

BOSON STARS

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simplest solutions:

- static, spherically symmetric Boson Stars
(+ *their rotating generalizations*)
- “*macroscopic quantum states*”
- *a subject of constant interest*



Kaup; Bonazolla-Ruffini.

single object

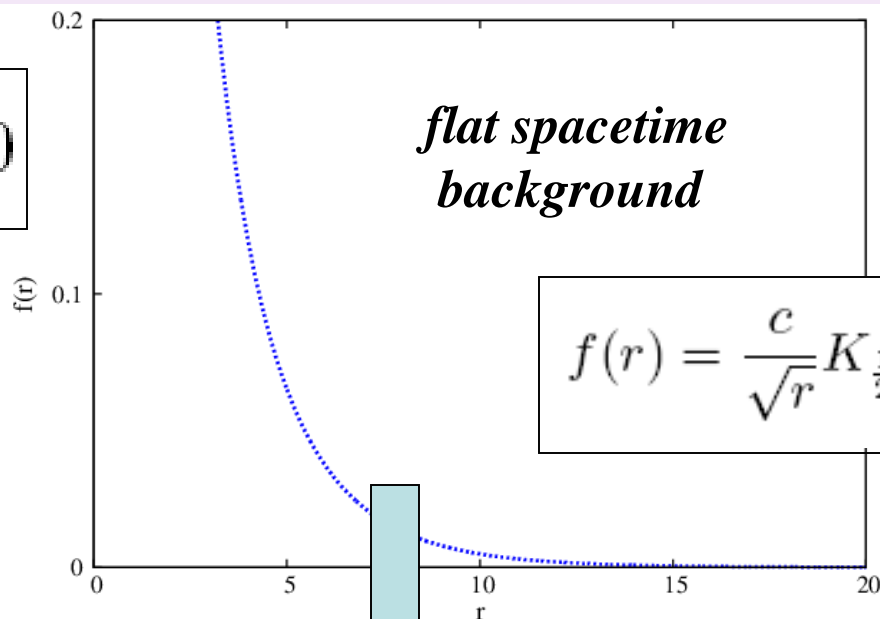
heuristic construction:

gravitational desingularization mechanism

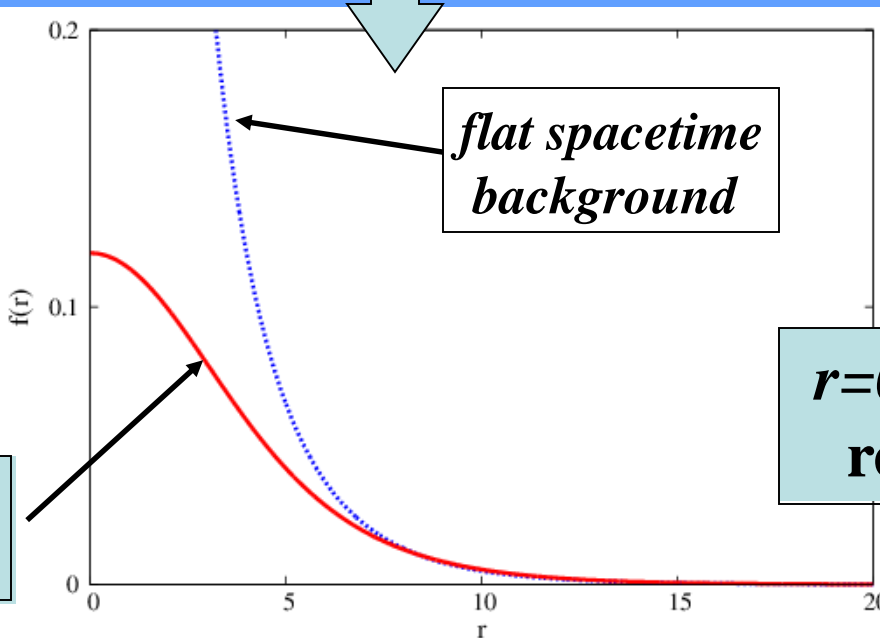
$$(\nabla^2 - \mu^2)\Phi = 0$$

spherical symmetry

$$\Phi = f(r) e^{-i\omega t}$$



$$f(r) = \frac{c}{\sqrt{r}} K_{\frac{1}{2}}(r\sqrt{\mu^2 - \omega^2})$$



same mechanism works for the general solution (no isometries)

$$(\nabla^2 - \mu^2)\Phi = 0$$

general ansatz:

$$\Phi = \underbrace{f(r, \theta, \varphi)}_{\text{real amplitude}} e^{-i\omega t}$$

real amplitude

*flat spacetime,
single mode :*

$$f = R_\ell(r) Y_{\ell m}(\theta, \varphi)$$

real spherical harmonics

$$R_\ell(r) = \frac{c}{\sqrt{r}} K_{\frac{1}{2} + \ell}(r \sqrt{\mu^2 - \omega^2})$$

*including
gravity:*

$$f = \sum_{\ell, m} R_\ell(r) Y_{\ell m}(\theta, \varphi)$$

asymptotically (only)

no $r=0$ singularity

gravitational desingularization

numerics:

- solving numerically the full Einstein—Klein-Gordon equations

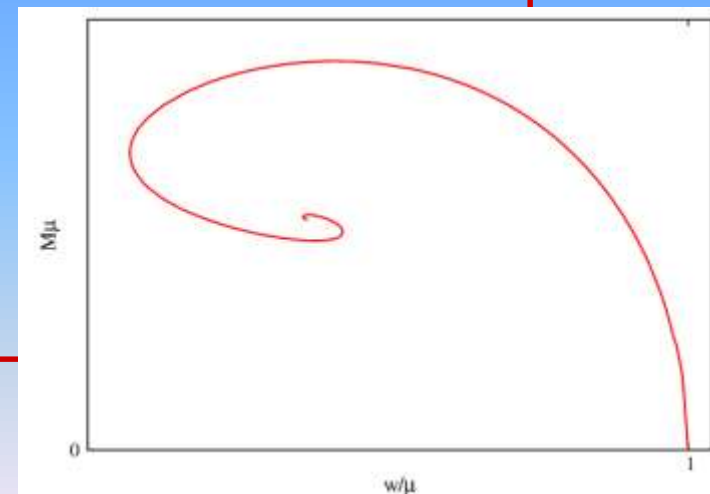
(non-perturbative approach, de Turck method)

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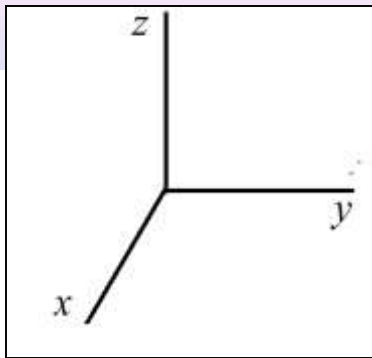
main results:

- *new families of static Boson Stars*
- *general case: no isometries, one Killing vector*
- *the solutions are regular everywhere*
- *basic properties: as with spherical BSs*
- *multicenter, composite solutions*

$\partial/\partial t$



surfaces of constant energy density



spherically symmetric
Boson Stars

$$Y_{lm}(\theta, \varphi)$$

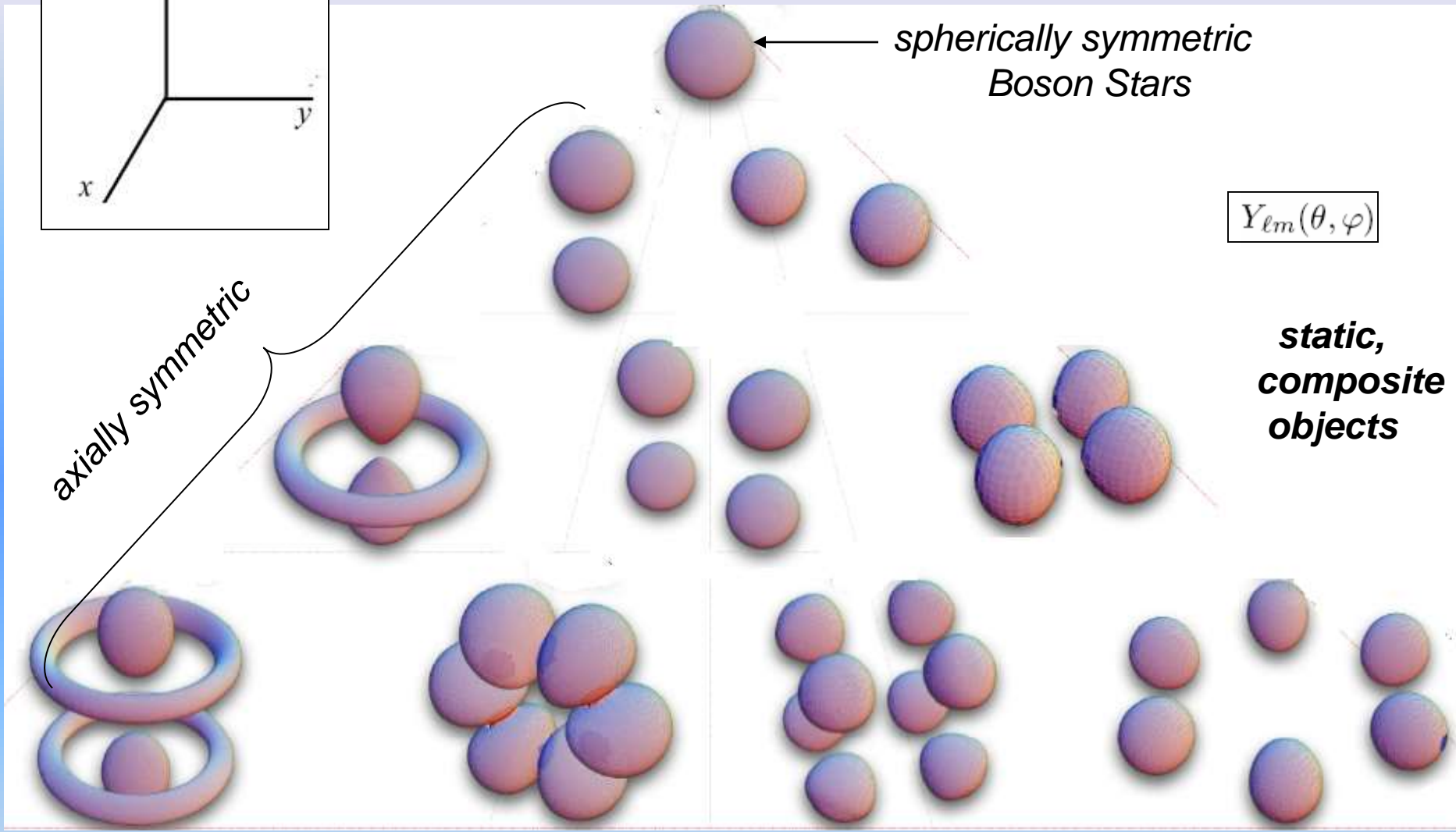
axially symmetric

static,
composite
objects

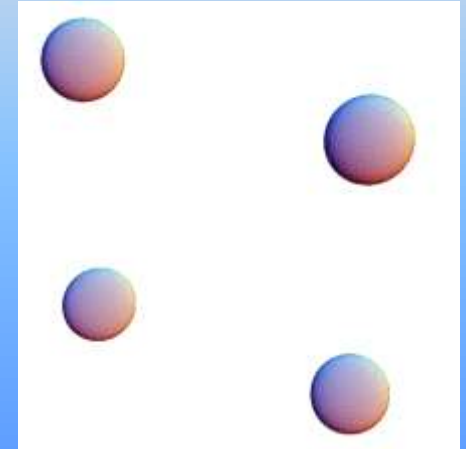
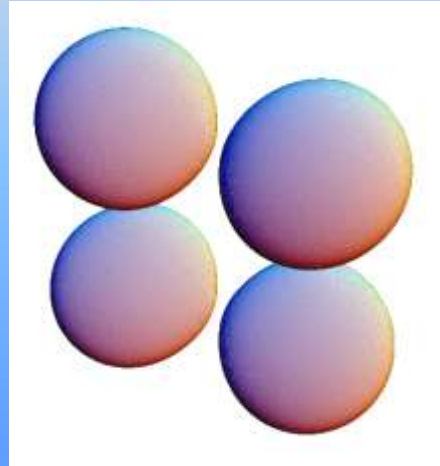
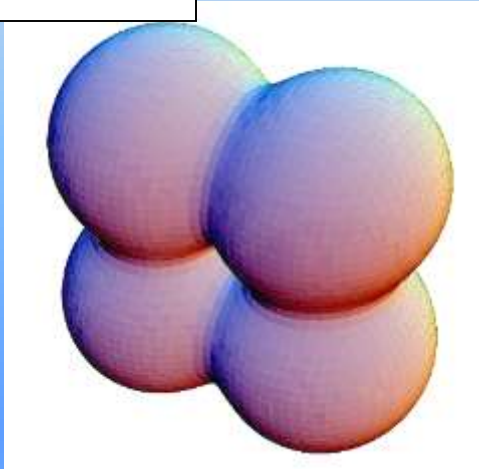
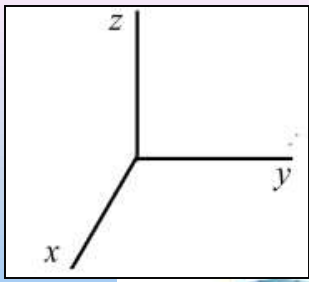
analogy with the atomic orbitals

(arXiv: 2008.10608)

(with CH, J. Kunz and Y. Shnir)



static, composite configurations



surfaces of constant energy density – same solution without isometries

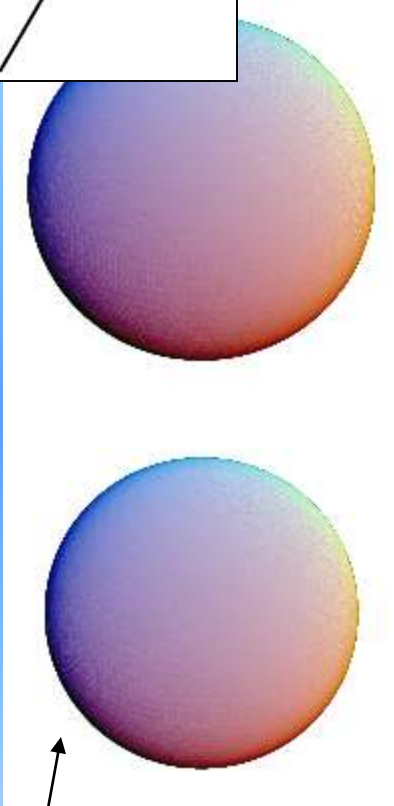
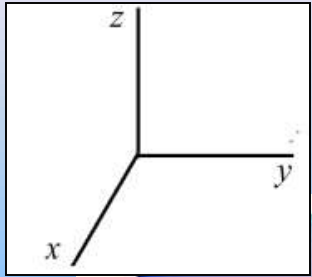
Non-trivial numerical problem:

one solves a set of 8 elliptic PDEs with dependence of (r, θ, ϕ)

$$ds^2 = g_{ij} dx^i dx^j + g_{tt} dt^2$$

(r, θ, ϕ)

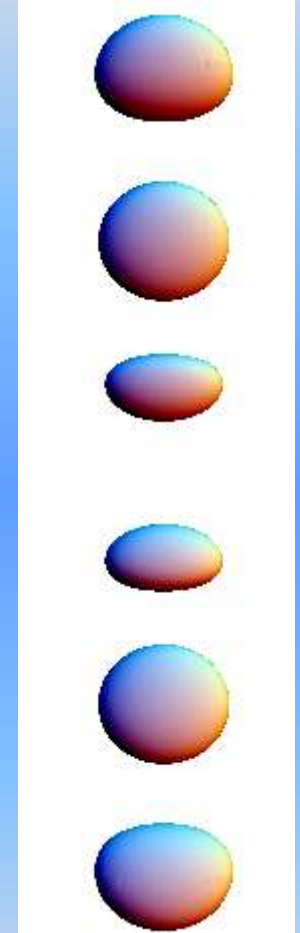
Special solutions: Boson Star Chains (static)



dipole Boson Stars



triplet Boson Stars



...

to summarize (i):

self gravitating, massive, complex scalar field

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STATIC SECTOR:

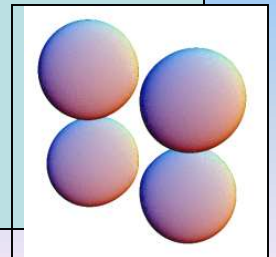
*the main case
considered so far..*

• *spherically symmetric Boson Stars*

+

new:

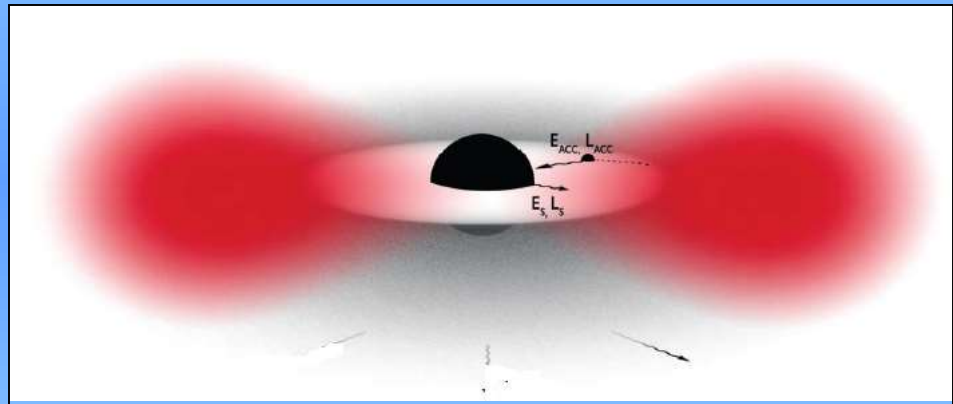
- *Boson Stars with no isometries* (single Killing vector)
- *multicenter, composite configurations*
- *(also) Boson star chains*– axially symmetry



the scalar no-hair theorems have a loophole

(ii) (single) Black Holes in EKG theory

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vacuum Kerr is a solution

*regular, stationary, asymptotically flat black holes
with scalar hair*

simplest example of hairy black holes

numerics

existence proof:

Chodosh&Shlapentokh-Rothman

spin-one

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however:

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synchronization condition
: (circumvent no-hair theorems)

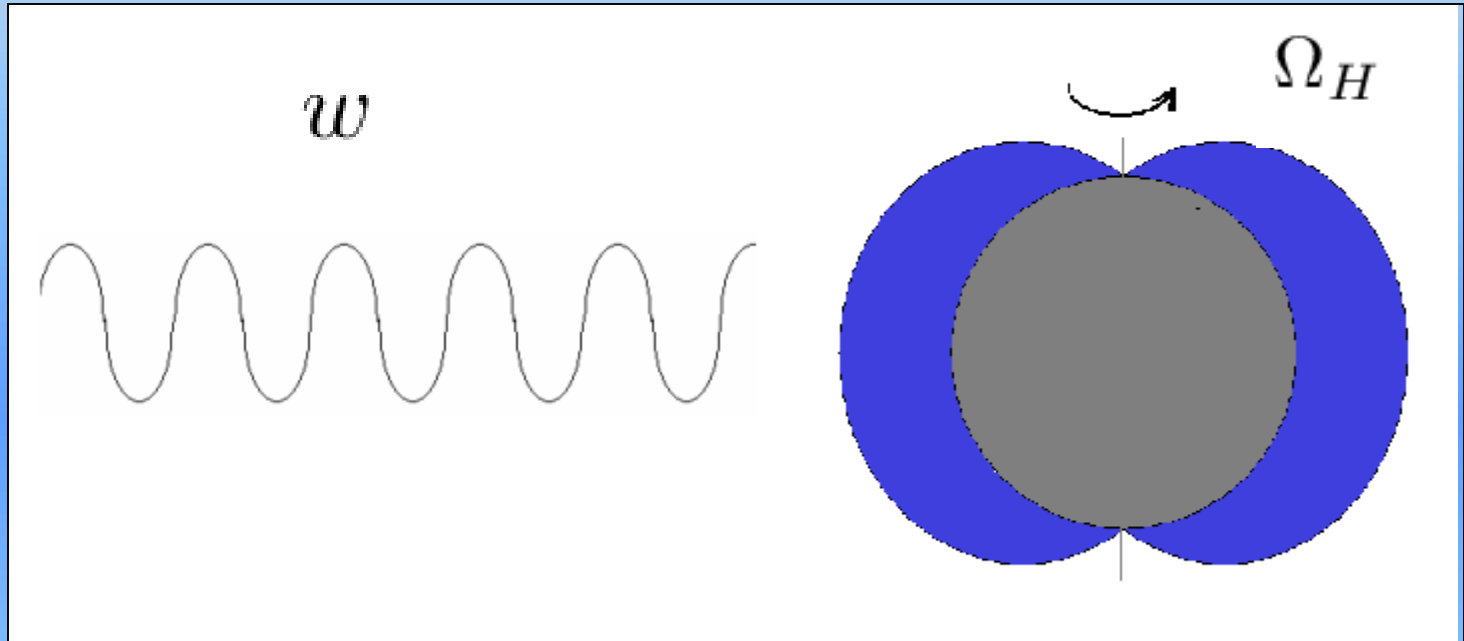
• **no static limit**

$$w = m\Omega_H$$

with $\Phi \sim e^{i(m\varphi - wt)}$

spinning black holes only!

$$\Phi \sim e^{i(m\varphi - \omega t)}$$



synchronization condition:

$$\omega = m\Omega_H$$

(zero flux)

general properties:

different pattern from Kerr

• **no static limit**

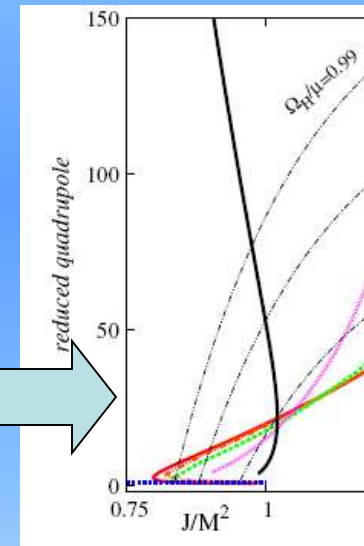
• **can violate Kerr bound**

$$J/M^2 > 1$$

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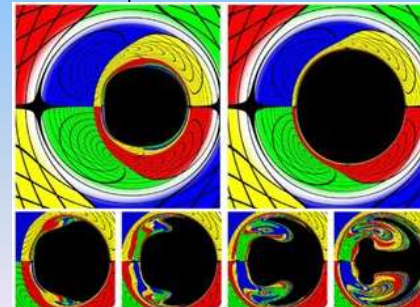
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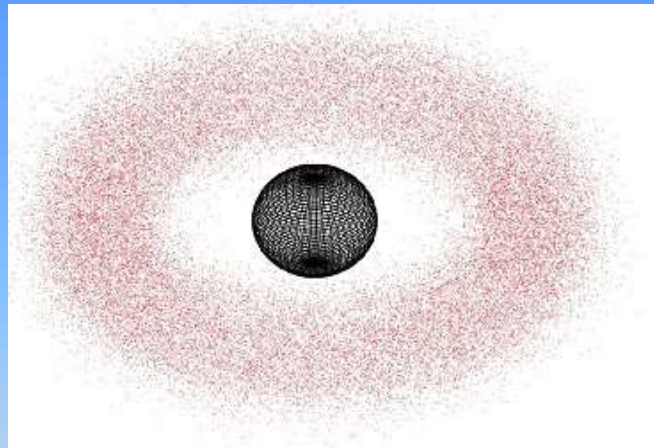
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- **different shadows**



why is so different?

two (complementary) viewpoints:

- **Boson stars**: one can add a BH for spinning configurations
- **Kerr black holes**: branching towards a new family of solutions due to superradiant instability



hairy black hole: bound state *soliton*+ *Kerr horizon*

conjecture: (Herdeiro&Radu):

“a (hairless) BH which is afflicted by the superradiant instability of a given field must allow a hairy generalization with that field”

another example: **Einstein-(abelian) Proca theory:**

$$\mathcal{S} = \int d^4x \sqrt{-g} \left(\frac{R}{16\pi G} - \frac{1}{4} \mathcal{F}_{\alpha\beta} \bar{\mathcal{F}}^{\alpha\beta} - \frac{1}{2} \mu^2 \mathcal{A}_\alpha \bar{\mathcal{A}}^\alpha \right)$$

$$G_{\alpha\beta} = 8\pi G T_{\alpha\beta}, \quad \nabla_\alpha \mathcal{F}^{\alpha\beta} = \mu^2 \mathcal{A}^\beta,$$

Einstein-Proca hairy black holes: very similar properties

Herdeiro, Radu and Runarsson - *Class.Quant.Grav.* 33 (2016) 154001

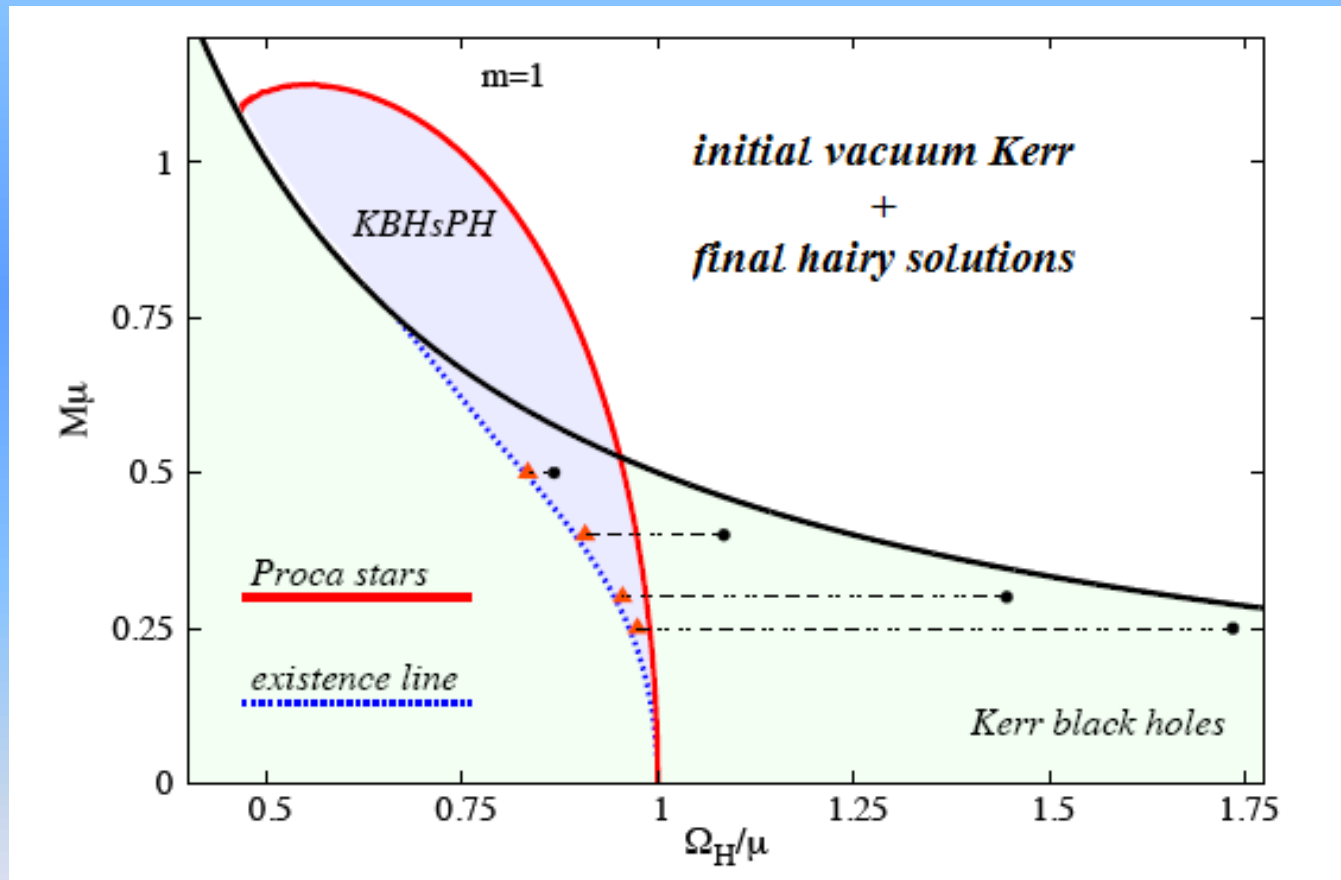
these Black Holes form dynamically!



Superradiant Instability and Backreaction of Massive Vector Fields around Kerr Black Holes

William E. East¹ and Frans Pretorius²

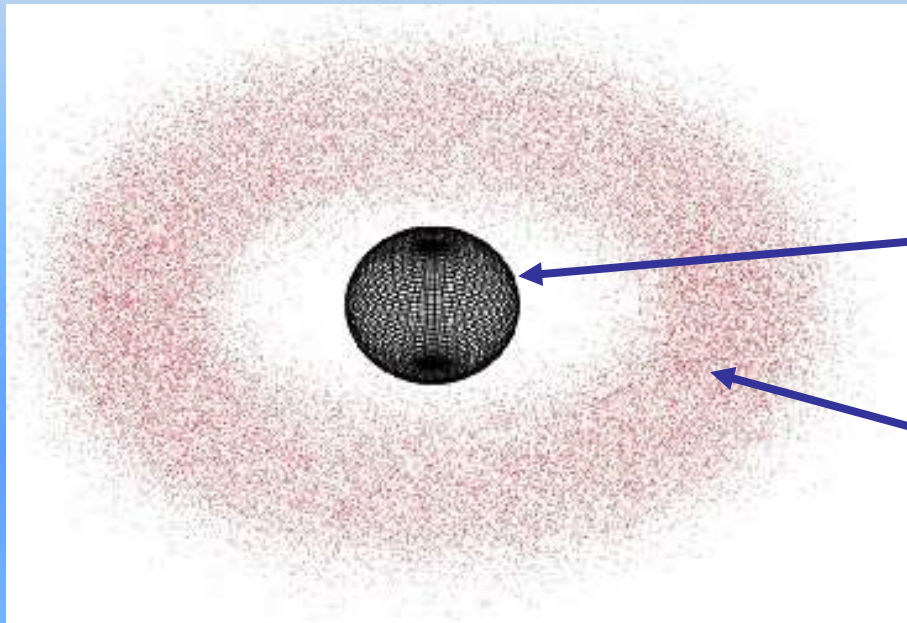
first dynamical counter-example to the no-hair conjecture



the endpoints of evolution matches the known hairy black holes

an analytic model (arXiv:1706.06597)

hairy black hole: bound state *soliton*+ *Kerr horizon*



Kerr horizon

+

hairy cloud

horizon quantities

(A_H, T_H, Ω_H)

$(M, J) \longrightarrow (M_H, J_H)$

universality relations

which fit well the
numerical results

hairiness parameters

$$M_{(\psi)} = M - M_H$$

$$J_{(\psi)} = J - J_H$$

$$p \equiv \frac{M_{(\psi)}}{M} \quad q \equiv \frac{J_{(\psi)}}{J}$$

standard normalization:

$$j \equiv \frac{J}{M^2}, \quad a_H \equiv \frac{A_H}{16\pi M^2}, \quad w_H \equiv \Omega_H M, \quad t_H \equiv 8\pi M T_H$$

$$(M, J) \longrightarrow (M_H, J_H)$$

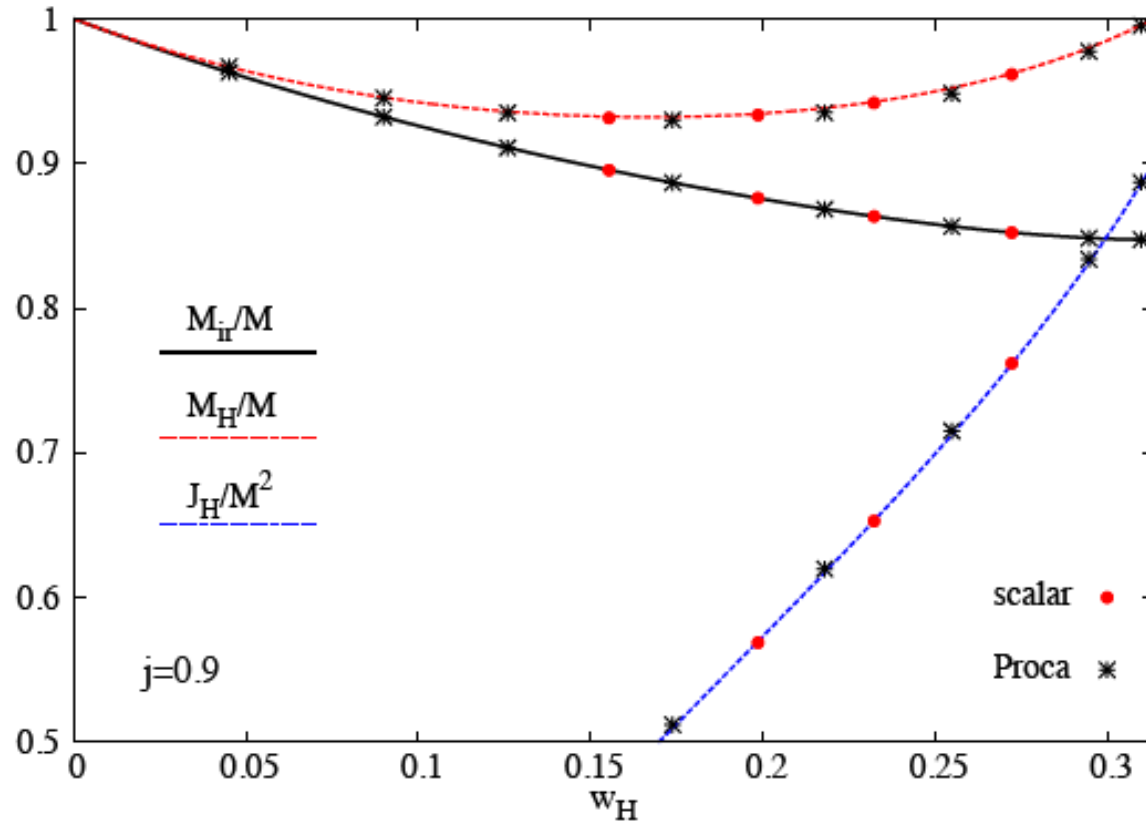
+ 1st law

$$q = p \frac{1 + 4(1-p)^2 w_H^2}{p + 4(1-p)^2 w_H^2} \quad j = \frac{p + 4(1-p)^2 w_H^2}{w_H (1 + 4(1-p)^2 w_H^2)}$$

$$a_H = \frac{(1-p)^2}{1 + 4(1-p)^2 w_H^2} \quad t_H = \frac{1 - 4(1-p)^2 w_H^2}{1-p}$$

arXiv:1706.06597

universality!



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online data + MATHEMATICA files

<http://gravitation.web.ua.pt/index.php?q=node/716>

simple application:

$$a_H^3 - 2(1-p)a_H^2 + \left[\frac{j^2}{4} + (1-p)^2 \right] a_H = \frac{j^2(1-p)^2}{4}$$

the solution for small- p

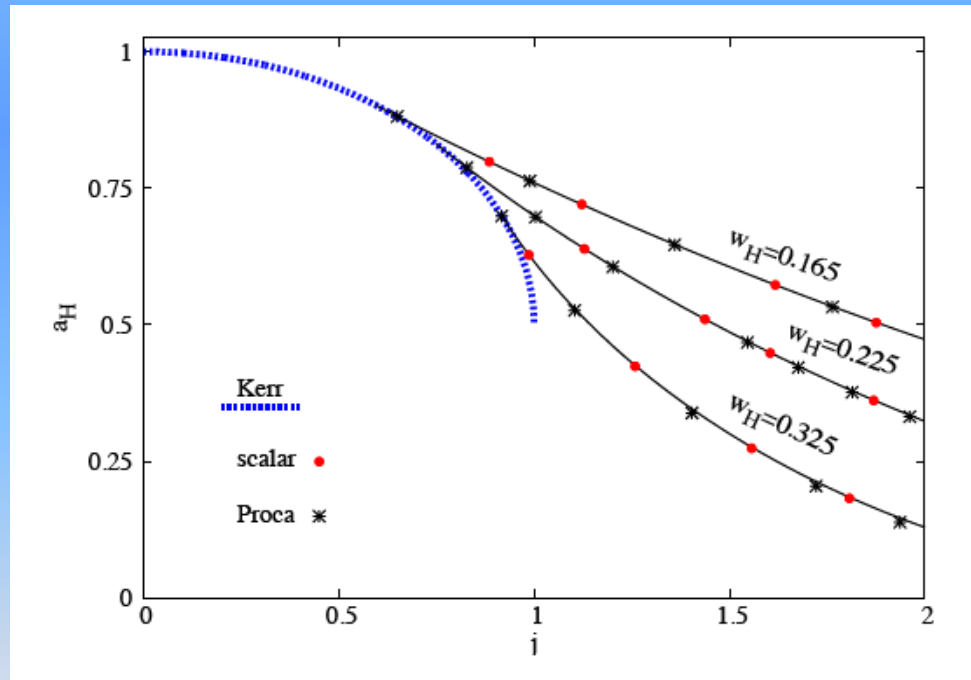
$$A_H(M, J) = A_H^{(Kerr)}(M, J) + \left[\frac{(1 + \sqrt{1-j^2} - \frac{1}{2}j^2)(1 + \sqrt{1-j^2})}{j^2 \sqrt{1-j^2}} \right] M_{(\psi)}^2$$

strictly positive

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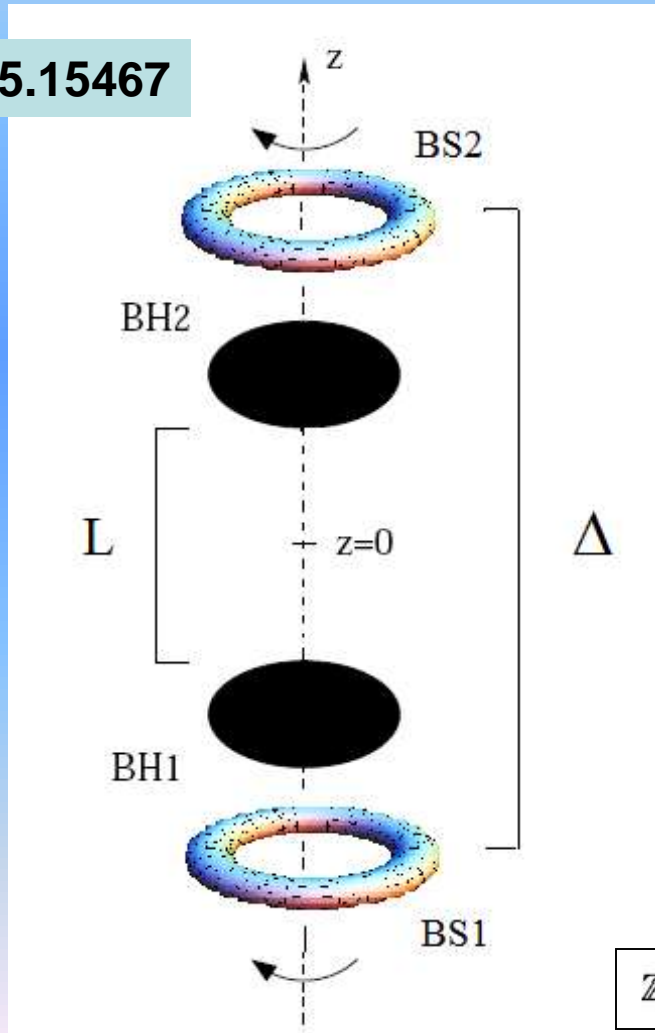


the hairy solutions and **entropically favoured** over Kerr black holes

(iii) the double Black Hole system in EKG theory

$$S = \int d^4x \sqrt{-g} \left[\frac{1}{16\pi G} R - \Phi^*_{,a} \Phi^{,a} - \mu^2 \Phi^* \Phi \right] \quad \text{not possible in (electro-)vacuum}$$

arXiv: 2305.15467



- no singularities
(also conical)
- crucial ingredient:
the dipolar BSs limit
- likely holds for other systems with two solitons

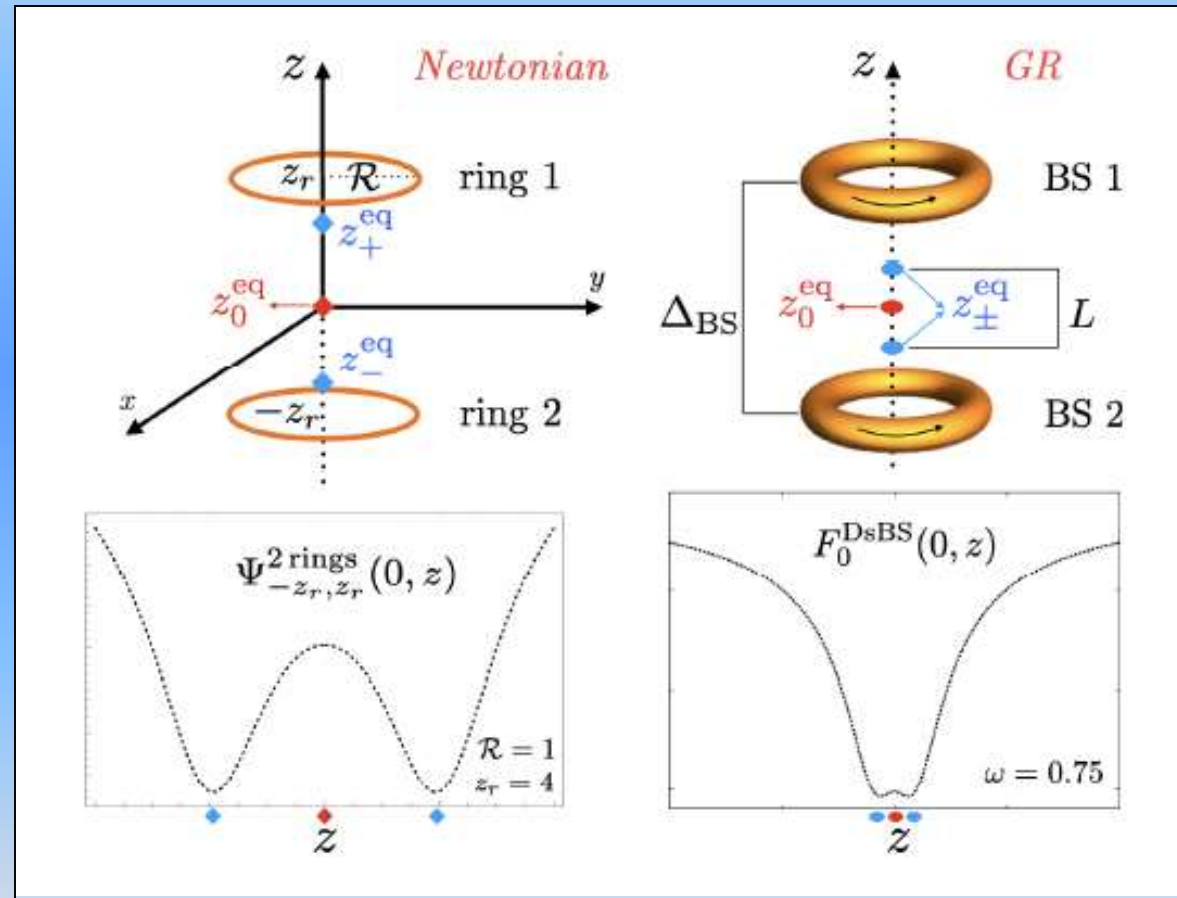
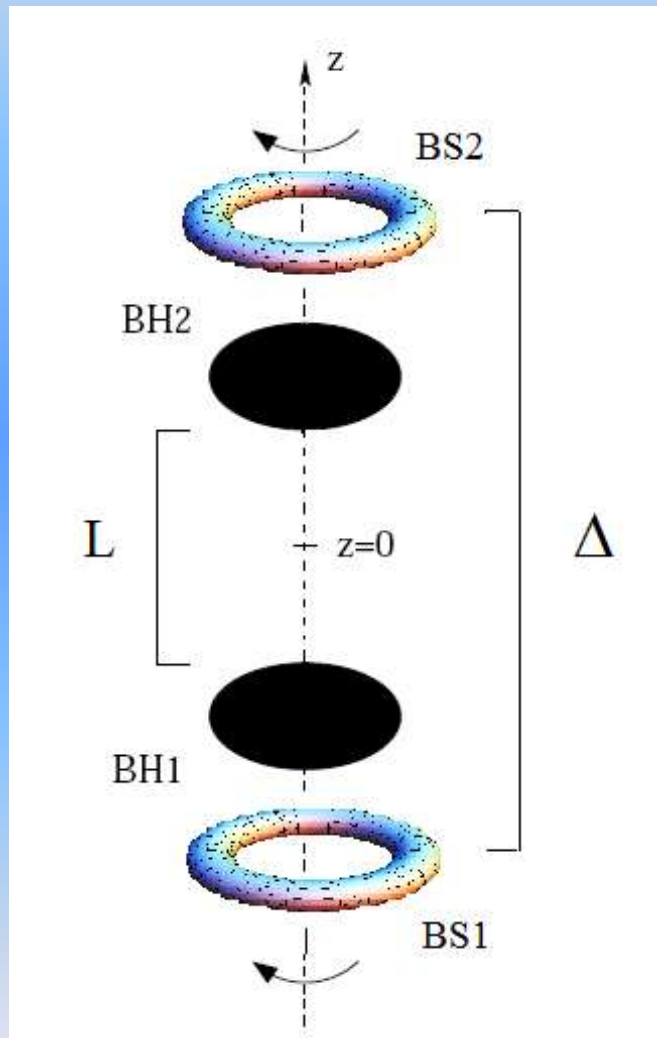
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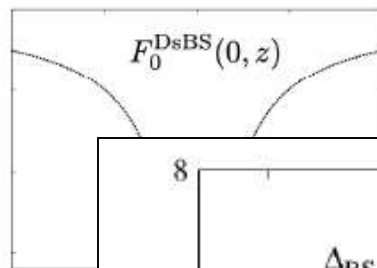
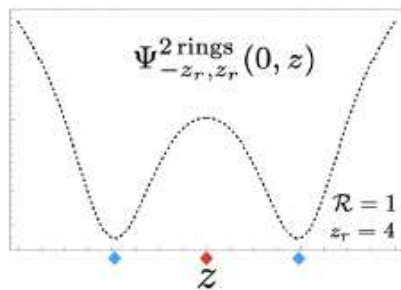
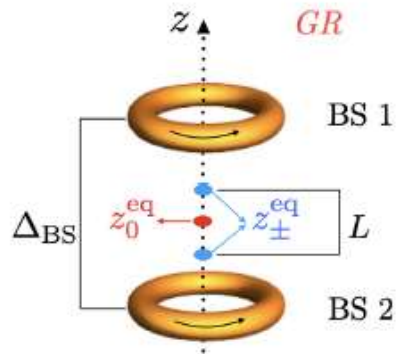
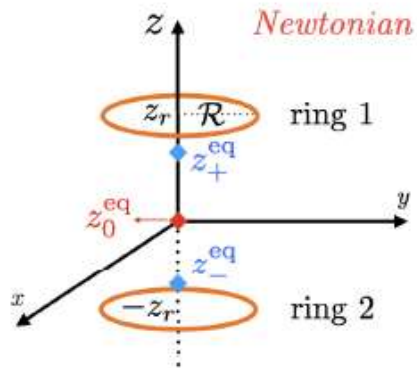
\mathbb{Z}_2 -symmetric solutions

crucial ingredient:
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- the existence of (timelike) equilibrium points at finite distance on the z-axis

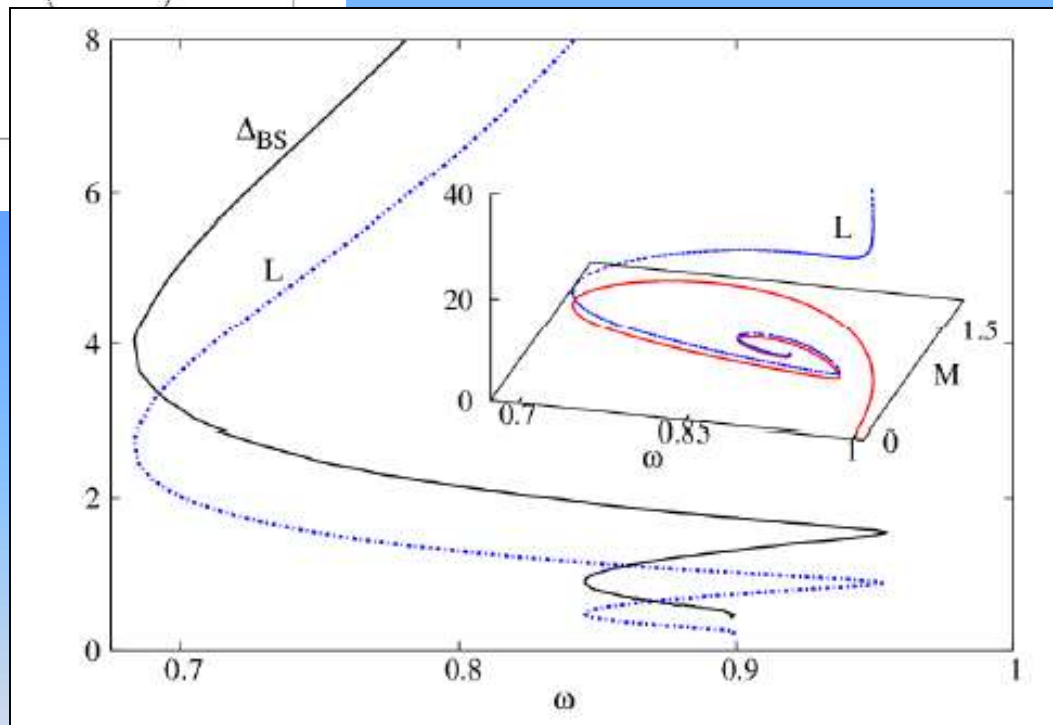


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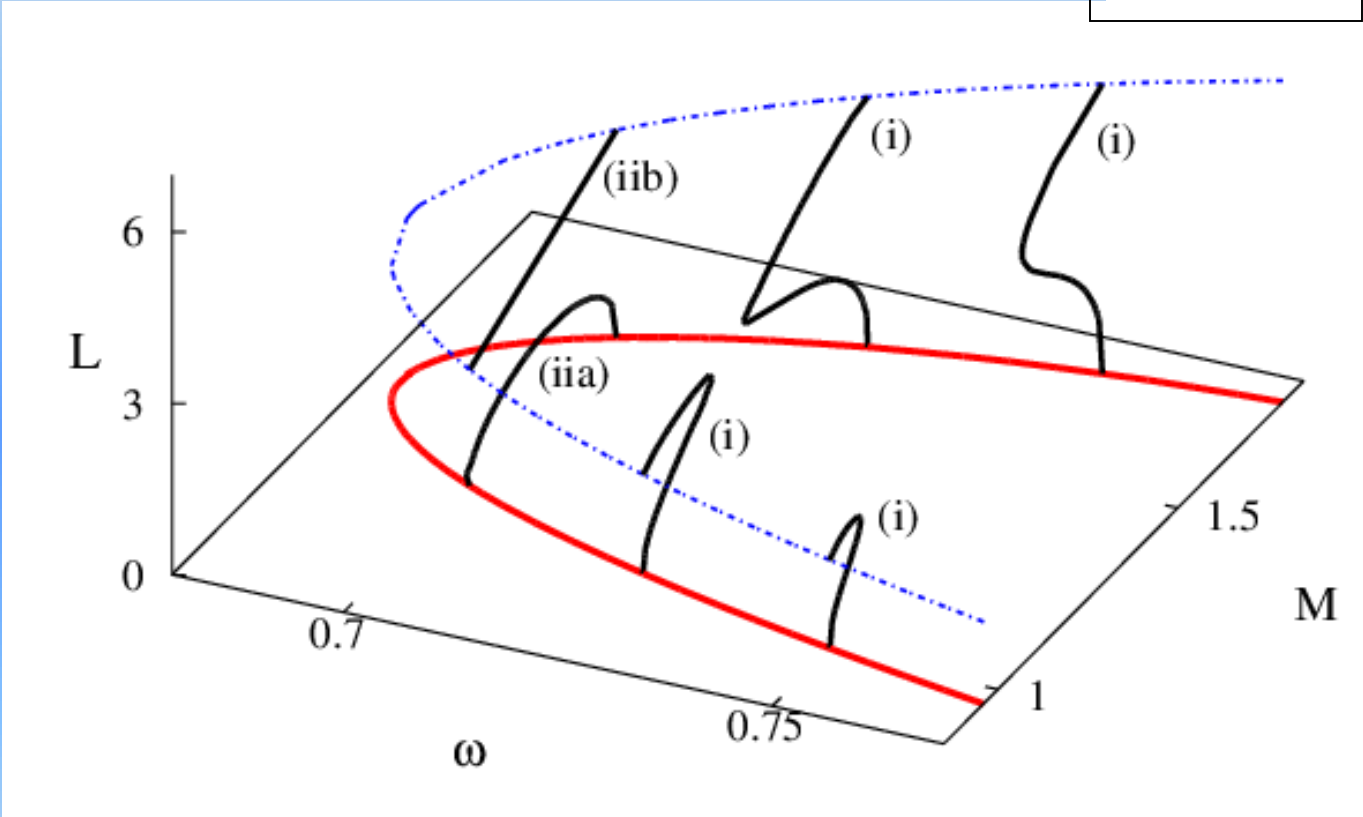
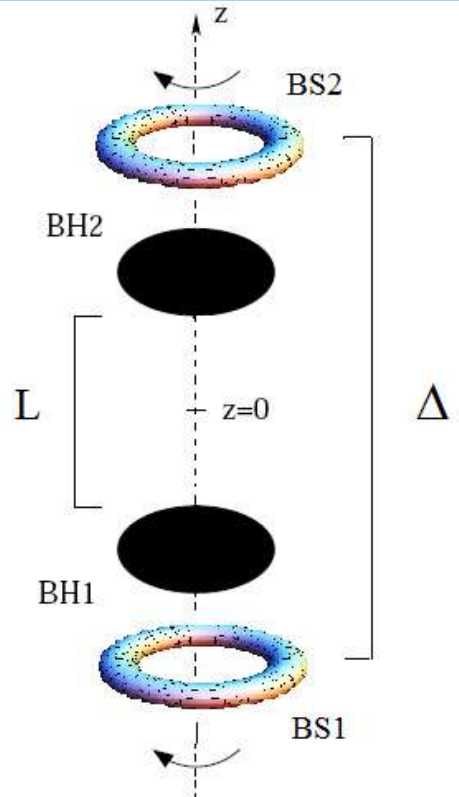
(timelike)
equilibrium points



dipolar Boson Stars

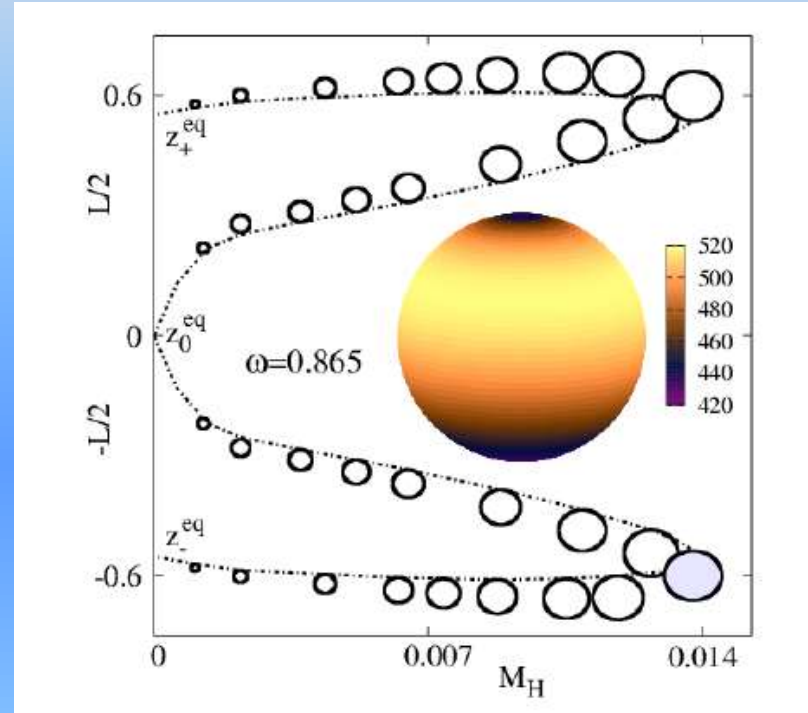
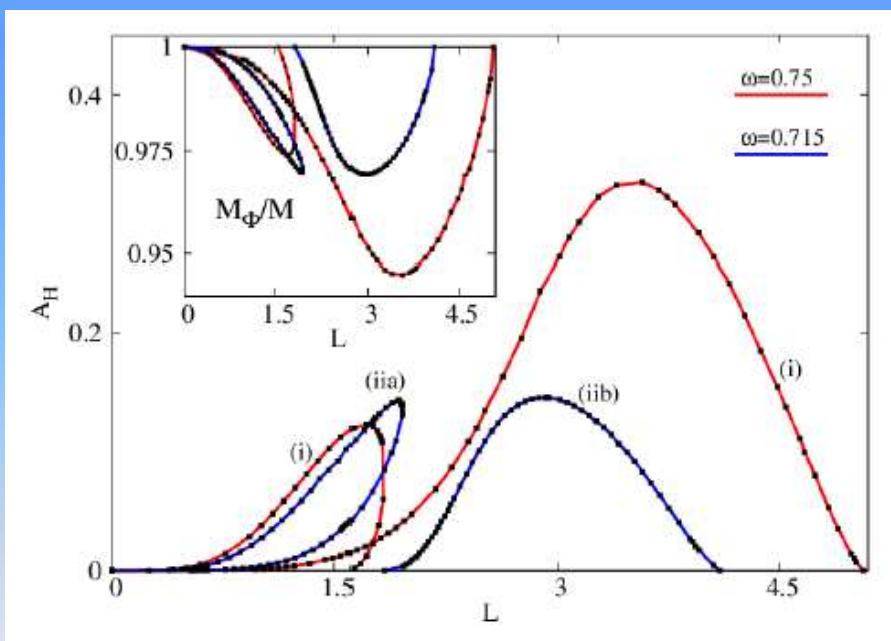
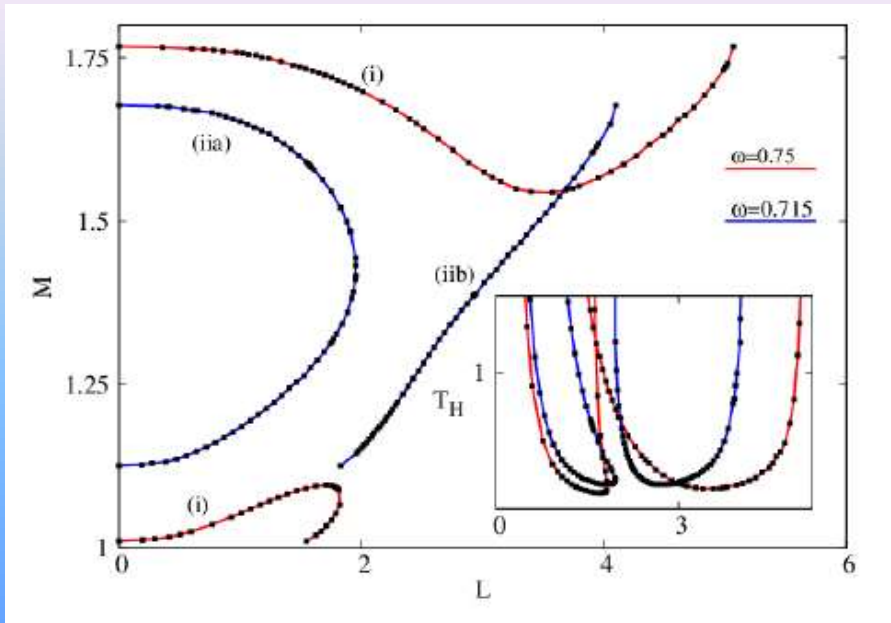
the emerging picture (*families of solutions at constant frequency*)

$$w = m\Omega_H$$



families of Black Holes

- form a sequence ‘inside’ the same dipolar Boson Stars (*i*)
- interpolate between two different dipolar Boson Stars (*iia*, *iib*)



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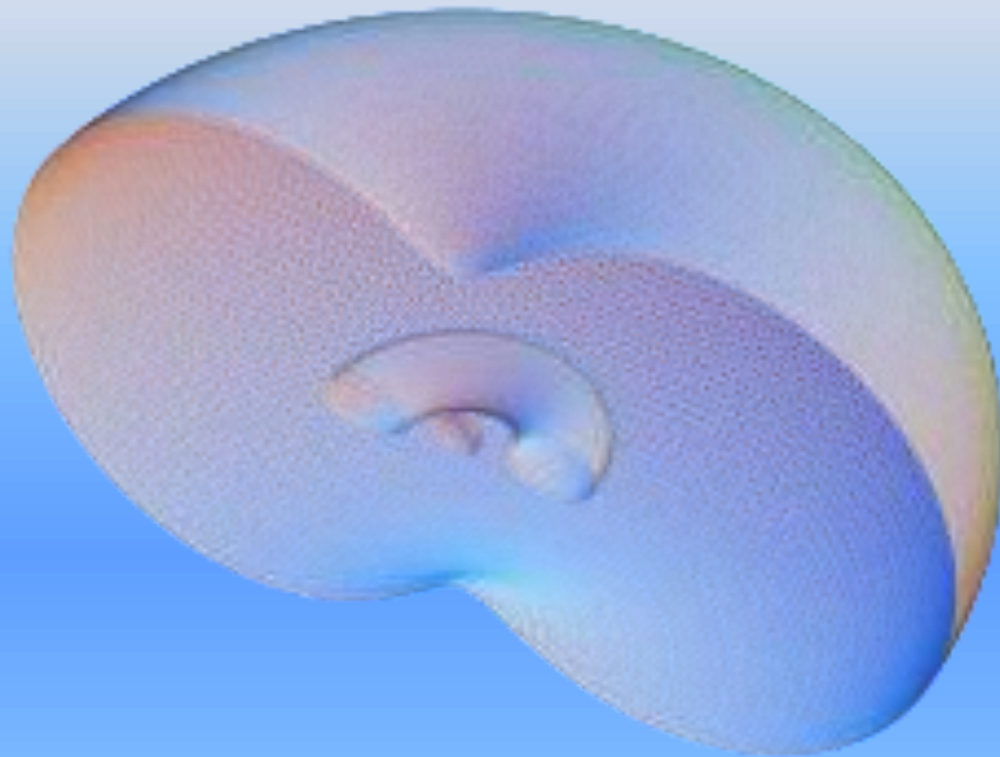
Einstein-Klein-Gordon system possesses *solitons*
and hairy *black holes* (including balanced binaries)

....still a lot of work to be done

reconsider everything what is known for (electro-)vacuum GR

- most important: *stability?*

Q: *are there any scalar fields in Nature apart from Higgs?*



many thanks for your attention!