

# Surprises with Rotating Black Holes

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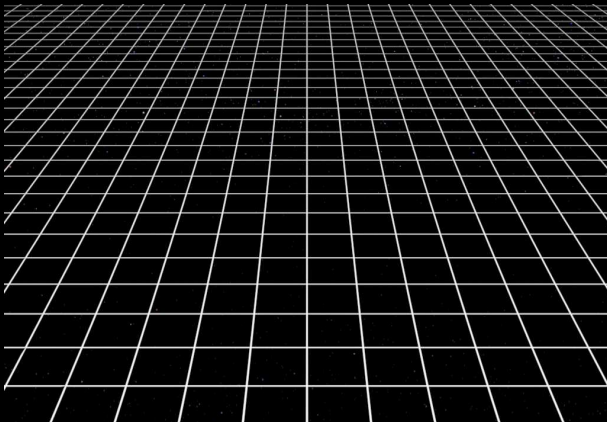
# Flat Space–Time

- metric of Euclidean space

$$ds^2 = dx^2 + dy^2 + dz^2$$

- metric of Minkowski space-time

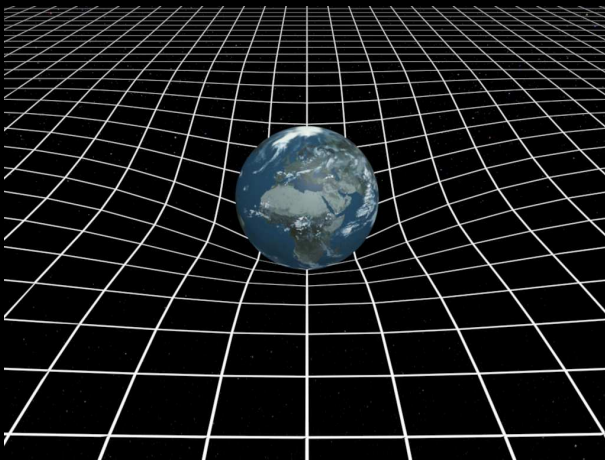
$$ds^2 = -dt^2 + dx^2 + dy^2 + dz^2$$



# Curved Space–Time

- metric of curved space-time

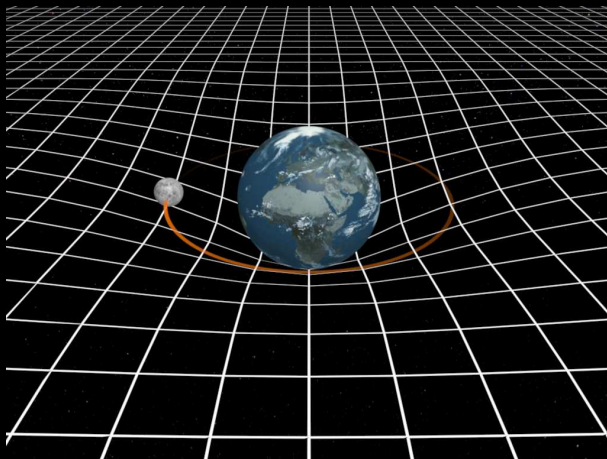
$$ds^2 = g_{\mu\nu} dx^\mu dx^\nu$$



# Motion in Curved Space–Time

- motion in curved space–time

$$0 = \frac{d^2 x^\mu}{ds^2} + \left\{ \begin{matrix} \mu \\ \rho\sigma \end{matrix} \right\} \frac{dx^\rho}{ds} \frac{dx^\sigma}{ds}$$

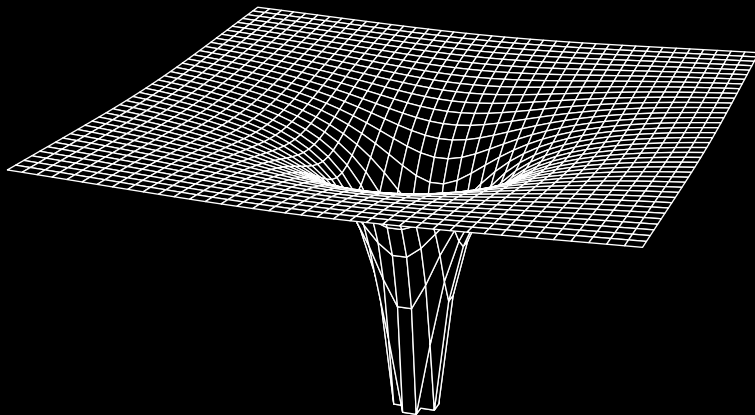




# Strongly Curved Space–Time

- metric of curved space–time

$$ds^2 = g_{\mu\nu} dx^\mu dx^\nu$$



# Einstein Equations

- metric

$$ds^2 = g_{\mu\nu} dx^\mu dx^\nu$$

- Einstein equations

matter tells space how to curve

$$G_{\mu\nu} = \frac{8\pi G}{c^4} T_{\mu\nu}$$

$G_{\mu\nu}$ : Einstein tensor

$T_{\mu\nu}$ : energy-momentum tensor

- equations of motion for matter/radiation

metric  $g_{\mu\nu}$  tells matter how to move

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# Schwarzschild Metric

## Schwarzschild 1916

- space-time outside a star:  $T_{\mu\nu} = 0$

$$ds^2 = -N(r) c^2 dt^2 + \frac{1}{N(r)} dr^2 + r^2 d\theta^2 + r^2 \sin^2 \theta d\phi^2$$

$$N(r) = 1 - \frac{2GM}{c^2 r}$$

static spherically symmetric metric

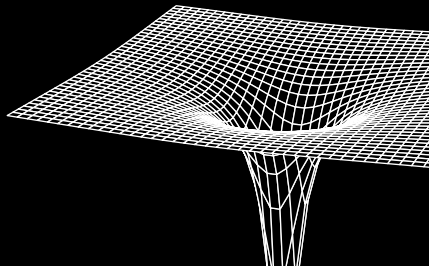
remark: Minkowski space-time has

$$N(r) = 1$$

- space-time inside a star:  $T_{\mu\nu} \neq 0$



Karl Schwarzschild 1873 — 1916



# Schwarzschild Singularity

- Schwarzschild space-time

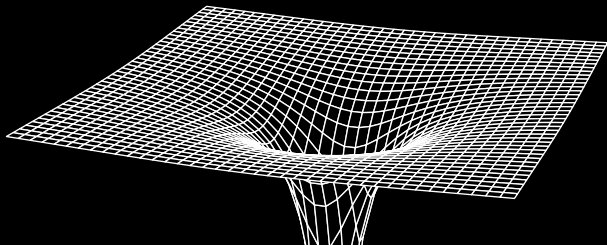
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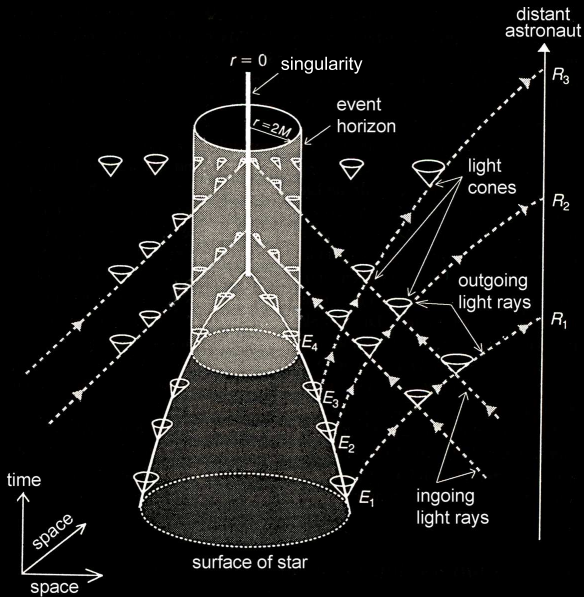
- black holes:  $M$
- Schwarzschild radius  $r_H$

$$N(r_H) = 0 : r_H = \frac{2GM}{c^2}$$

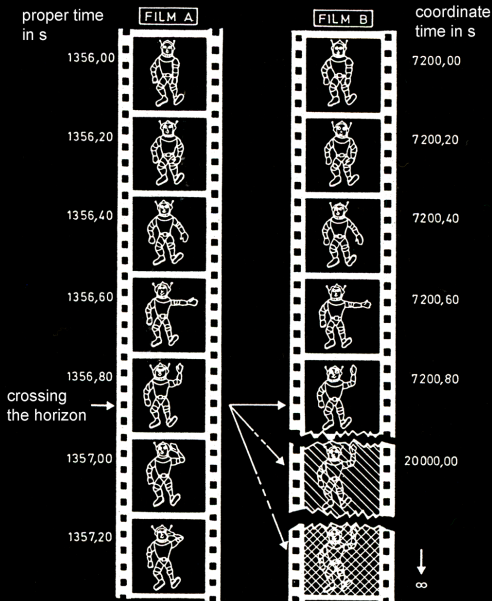
- event horizon
- coordinate singularity
- true singularity  $r = 0$



# Formation of a Black Hole

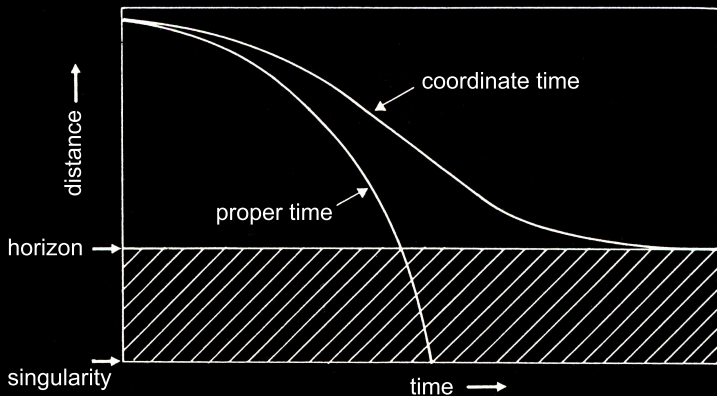


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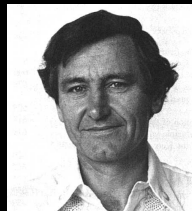
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# Rotating Black Holes

rotating generalization of the Schwarzschild black holes: Kerr (1965)



Roy Kerr \*1934

Kerr metric in Boyer–Lindquist coordinates

$$ds^2 = -\frac{\Delta}{\rho^2} (dt - a \sin^2 \theta d\phi)^2 + \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{\rho^2} (adt - \rho_0^2 d\phi)^2 + \frac{\rho^2}{\Delta} dr^2 + \rho^2 d\theta^2$$

$$\rho^2 = r^2 + a^2 \cos^2 \theta, \quad \rho_0^2 = r^2 + a^2, \quad \Delta = r^2 - 2Mr + a^2$$

$a$  is the specific angular momentum:  $a = \frac{J}{M}$

$a = 0$ : Schwarzschild

# Kerr Black Holes in the Equatorial Plane

metric in Boyer–Lindquist coordinates:

equatorial plane:  $\theta = \pi/2$

through center of black hole, perpendicular to the spin axis

$$\begin{aligned}
 ds^2 = & - \left( 1 - \frac{2M}{r} \right) dt^2 - \frac{4Ma}{r} dt d\phi \\
 & + \frac{dr^2}{1 - \frac{2M}{r} + \frac{a^2}{r^2}} + \left( 1 + \frac{a^2}{r^2} + \frac{2Ma^2}{r^3} \right) r^2 d\phi^2
 \end{aligned}$$

comparison with Schwarzschild ( $a \neq 0$ )

- $dt^2$       Term: **static limit**
- $dt d\phi$     Term: **frame dragging** and **Lense–Thirring**
- $dr^2$       Term: **event horizon**

# Event Horizon of Kerr Black Holes

First new feature  
coordinate singularity:

$$1 - \frac{2M}{r} + \frac{a^2}{r^2} = 0$$

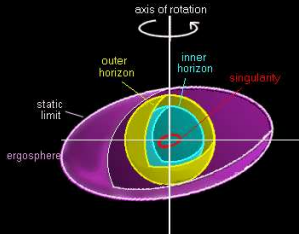
radial coordinate of the horizon  $r_H$

$$r_H = M \pm \sqrt{M^2 - a^2}$$

- $a < M$ 
  - +: event horizon of the black hole
  - -: inner horizon

maximal angular momentum  $a = M$  :  
extremal black hole

- $a > M$ : naked singularity (Cosmic Censorship)



black hole with horizons



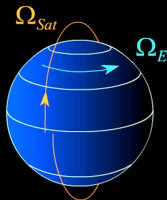
Sir  
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# Gravitomagnetism

## Second new feature

- The product  $dt d\phi$  implies that the coordinates  $t$  and  $\phi$  are intimately linked.
- The Kerr metric predicts **Lense–Thirring effect** and **frame dragging**.

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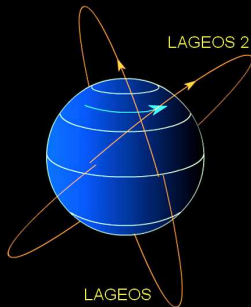
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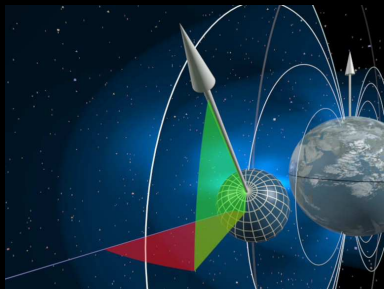
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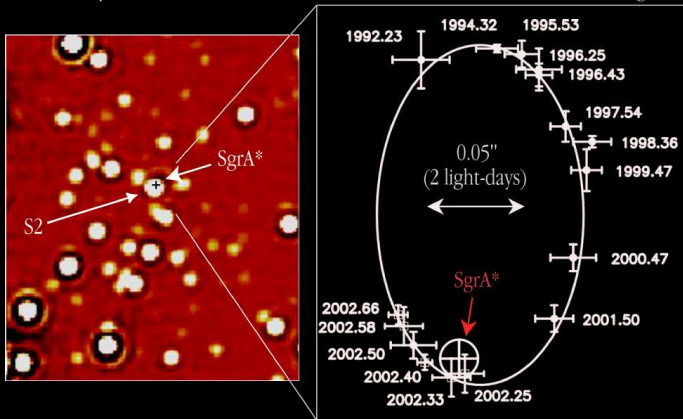
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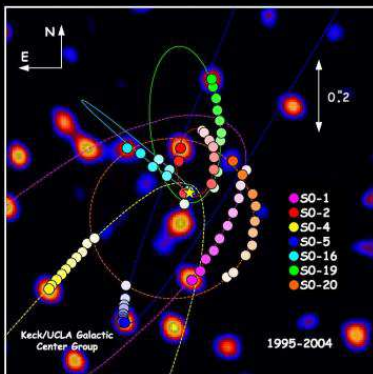
- Schwarzschild: gyroscopes always point in the same direction
- Kerr: gyroscopes start to precess, i.e., the direction with respect to distant stars changes



# Black Hole at the Center of the Milky Way



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**Black Hole:** mass  $3.7 \cdot 10^6 M_{\odot}$  (Yusuf-Zasdeh *et al. Astrophys. J.* **644**, 198 (2006))

angular velocity  $\sim 1/17$  min

R. Genzel (1995 – 2006)

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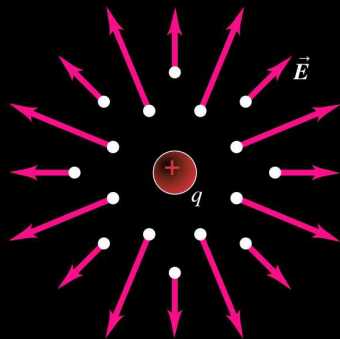
electric field  $\vec{E}$ , magnetic field  $\vec{B}$   
 electromagnetic potential  $A^\mu$ :  $(\Phi, \vec{A})$

$$\vec{E} = -\nabla\Phi - \partial_t\vec{A}, \quad \vec{B} = \nabla \times \vec{A}$$

$$F_{\mu\nu} = \partial_\mu A_\nu - \partial_\nu A_\mu$$

the field strength tensor  $F_{\mu\nu}$  is gauge invariant, while  $A_\mu \rightarrow A_\mu + \partial_\mu\chi$

- the electromagnetic field can carry **energy**
- the electromagnetic field can carry momentum
- the electromagnetic field can carry **angular momentum**



Coulomb field

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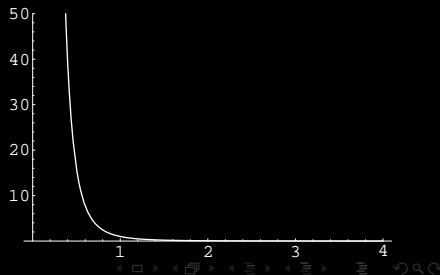
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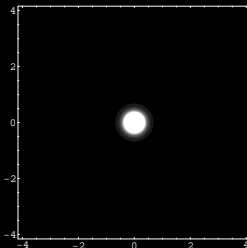
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# Reissner–Nordström Black Holes

1916: H. Reissner, 1918: G. Nordström  
 charged static spherically symmetric black holes:

$$N(r) = 1 - \frac{2M}{r} + \frac{Q^2}{r^2}$$

- electrically charged black hole:  $M$ ,  $Q$ 
  - horizons:  $r_{\pm} = M \pm \sqrt{M^2 - Q^2}$
  - event horizon:  $r_H = M + \sqrt{M^2 - Q^2}$
- magnetically charged black hole:  $M$ ,  $P$

energy density outside the horizon due to the  
 Coulomb field of the charge  $Q$

$$M = M_H + M_{\text{outside}} = M_H + 2\Phi_H Q$$



Hans J. Reissner  
 1874 – 1967



Gunnar Nordström  
 1881 – 1923



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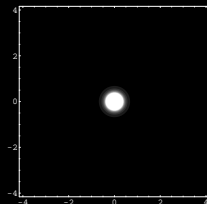
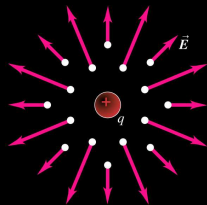
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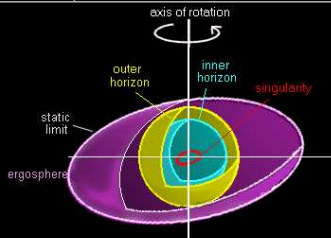
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# Kerr–Newman Black Holes

charged rotating black holes: adding charge to the Kerr solution

global charges:	$M, J = aM, Q, P$	
dipole moments:	$\mu_{\text{mag}} = g_{\text{mag}} \frac{Q}{2M} J, \quad \mu_{\text{el}} = g_{\text{el}} \frac{P}{2M} J$	$(g_{\text{Dirac}} = 2)$
horizons:	$r_{\pm} = M \pm \sqrt{M^2 - a^2 - Q^2 - P^2}$	$(\Delta = 0)$
static limit:	$r_0 = M + \sqrt{M^2 - a^2 \cos^2 \theta - Q^2 - P^2}$	$(g_{tt} = 0)$
horizon velocity:	$\Omega = \frac{a}{r_+^2 + a^2}$	



# Rotation and Deformation

- Kerr–Newman black holes co-rotate

$$\Omega > 0 \quad \Leftrightarrow \quad J > 0$$

they do not counter-rotate:

$$\Omega > 0 \quad , \quad J < 0$$

- a static horizon implies vanishing angular momentum

$$\Omega = 0 \quad \Leftrightarrow \quad J = 0$$

there are no black holes with

$$\Omega = 0 \quad , \quad J \neq 0 \quad \text{or} \quad \Omega \neq 0 \quad , \quad J = 0$$

- rotation implies an oblate deformation of the horizon

# Summary: Einstein–Maxwell Black Holes

	static	rotating
spherically symmetric	Schwarzschild ( $M$ ) Reissner-Nordström ( $M, Q, P$ )	–
axially symmetric	–	Kerr ( $M, J$ ) Kerr–Newman ( $M, Q, P, J$ )

- Uniqueness theorem

black holes are uniquely determined by their mass  $M$ , angular momentum  $J$ , charges  $Q$  and  $P$

- Israel's theorem

static black holes are spherically symmetric

- Staticity theorem

stationary black holes with non-rotating horizon are static



Werner Israel

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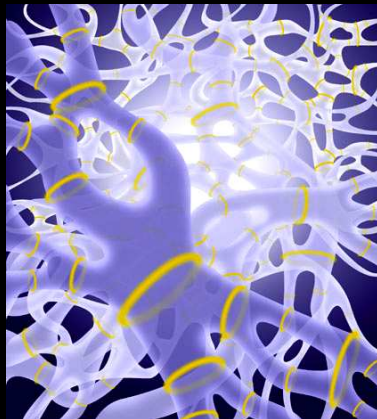
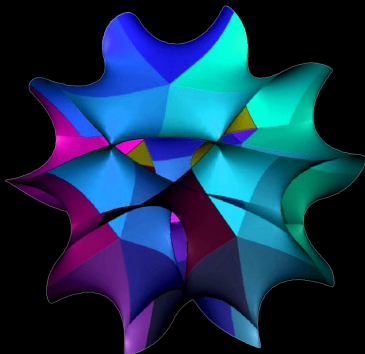
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# Motivation: String Theory

String theory:

- higher dimensions
- additional fields



influence on black hole physics ?

# Einstein-Maxwell-Dilaton Theory

## Einstein-Maxwell-dilaton action

$$S = \int \left\{ \underbrace{\frac{R}{4}}_{\text{gravity}} - \underbrace{\frac{1}{2} \partial_\mu \Phi \partial^\mu \Phi}_{\text{dilaton}} - \underbrace{\frac{1}{4} e^{2\gamma \Phi} (\mathcal{F}_{\mu\nu} \mathcal{F}^{\mu\nu})}_{\text{Maxwell}} \right\} \sqrt{-g} d^4 x$$

dimensionless dilaton coupling constant  $\gamma$

$\gamma = 0$ : Einstein-Maxwell theory

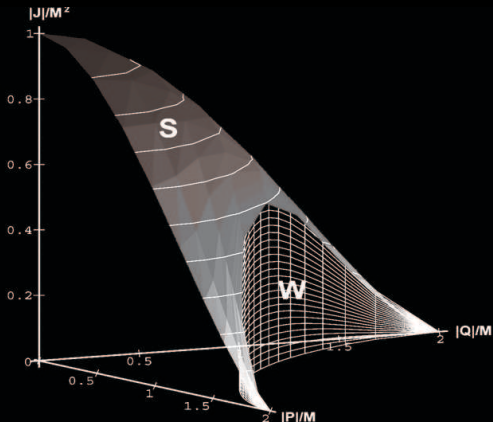
$\gamma = 1$ : string theory

$\gamma = \sqrt{3}$ : Kaluza-Klein theory

$\gamma > \sqrt{3}$

# Kaluza-Klein Black Holes

Surfaces of extremal solutions in Kaluza-Klein theory: **Rasheed 1995**



vertical wall **W**:  
stationary  $\Omega = 0$  solutions

$$\left(\frac{P}{M}\right)^{\cot\alpha} + \left(\frac{Q}{M}\right)^{\cot\alpha} = 2^{\cot\alpha}$$

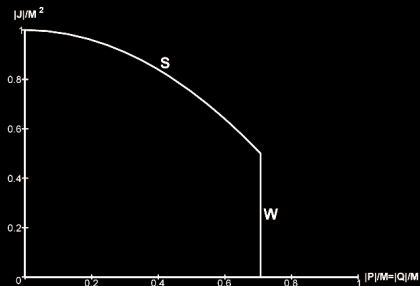
$$J \leq PQ$$

$J$  increases,  $M = \text{const}$

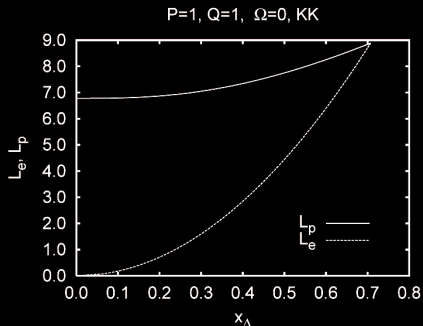


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extremal  $|P| = |Q|$  solutions



vertical wall  $W$ :  
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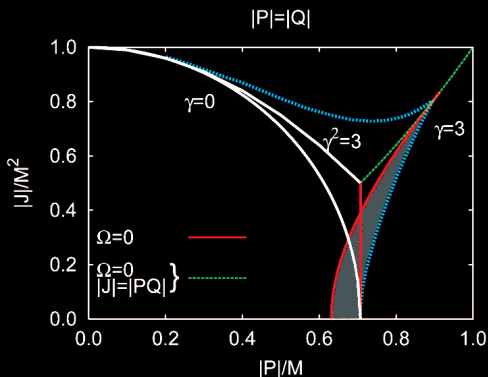
horizon circumferences:

$L_e$  and  $L_p$

prolate deformation

# Rotating EMD Black Holes

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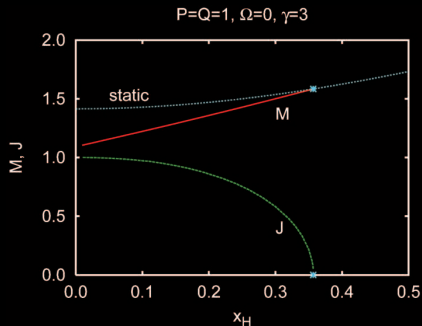
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stationary:  $\Omega = 0$

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stationary:  $\Omega = 0,$   
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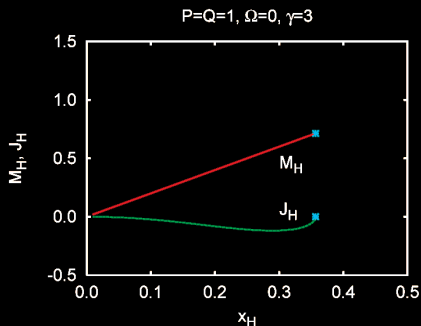
what is in the shaded region?

# Non-Rotating Stationary EMD Black Holes

non-extremal stationary  $\Omega = 0$  black holes



mass and angular momentum

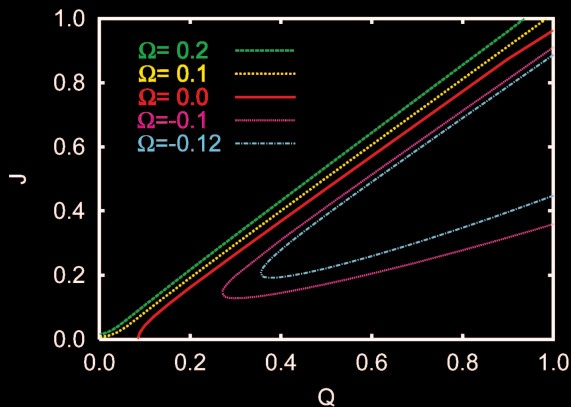


horizon mass and angular momentum

- as  $J$  increases,  $M$  decreases
- a negative fraction of  $J$  resides behind the horizon:  $J_H < 0$
- effect of the rotation: **prolate deformation of the horizon**

# Counter-Rotating EMD Black Holes

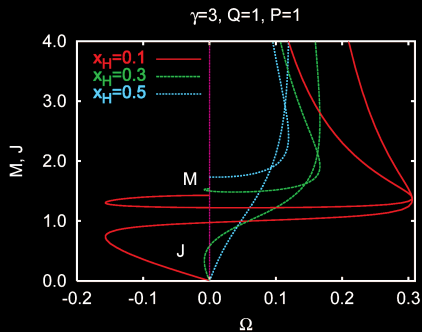
$\gamma=3, x_H=0.1, P=1$



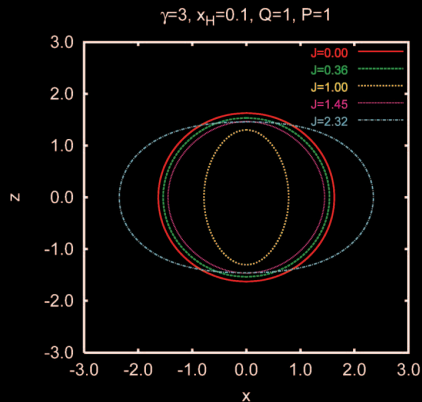
angular momentum versus charge

- co-rotation  
 $J > 0: \Omega > 0$
- non-rotating horizon  
 $J > 0: \Omega = 0$
- counter-rotation  
 $J > 0: \Omega < 0$

# Shape of Counter-Rotating EMD Black Holes



angular momentum  $J$  versus  $\Omega$



embedding of the horizon shape

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# $D = 5$ Einstein-Maxwell-Chern-Simons Theory

In odd dimensions  $D = 2n + 1$  the Einstein-Maxwell action may be supplemented by a ' $AF^n$ ' Chern-Simons term.

## $D = 5$ Einstein-Maxwell-Chern-Simons action

$$S = \int \frac{1}{16\pi G_5} \left\{ \sqrt{-g} (R - \mathcal{F}_{\mu\nu} \mathcal{F}^{\mu\nu}) - \underbrace{\frac{2\lambda}{3\sqrt{3}} \varepsilon^{mnpqr} A_m F_{np} F_{qr}}_{\text{Chern-Simons}} \right\} d^5x$$

## Chern-Simons coupling constant $\lambda$

$\lambda = 0$ : Einstein-Maxwell theory

$\lambda = 1$ : bosonic section of minimal  $D = 5$  supergravity

$\lambda > 1$

# $\lambda = 0$ : $D = 5$ Einstein-Maxwell Black Holes

- rotating vacuum black holes

Myers, Perry 1986

two angular momenta  $J_1, J_2$   
rotation in two orthogonal  
planes

- rotating EM black holes

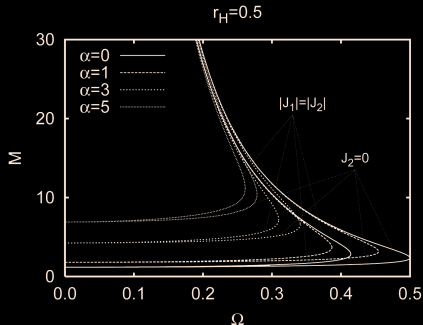
surprise: no analytic solutions

Kunz, Navarro-Lérida,  
Petersen 2005

$g \neq 3$

$J_1 \neq 0, J_2 = 0$  black holes

$J_1 = J_2$  black holes





# $\lambda = 1$ : Supersymmetric Black Holes

extremal  $\lambda = 1$  EMCS black holes:

Breckenridge, Myers, Peet, Vafa 1996

- mass saturates the bound:

$$M \geq \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} |Q|$$

- finite angular momenta:

$$|J| = |J_1| = |J_2|$$

- angular momenta satisfy the bound:

$$|J| \leq \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} |Q| \right)^{3/2}$$

- horizon angular velocities vanish:

$$\Omega_i = 0, |J| \neq 0$$

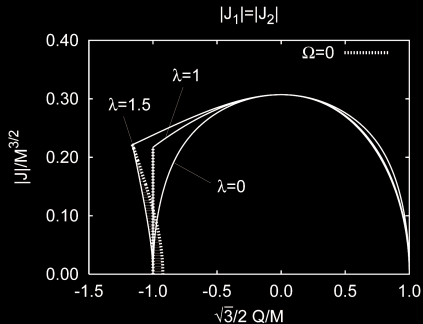
- angular momentum is stored in the Maxwell field

- negative fraction of the angular momentum is stored behind the horizon

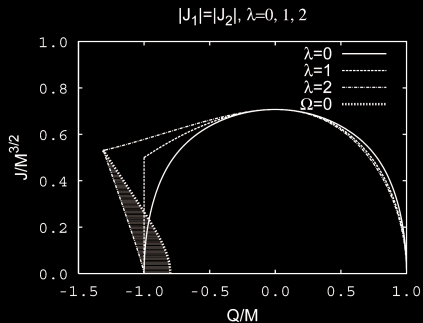
- the effect of rotation is to deform the horizon into a squashed 3-sphere

# $\lambda > 1$ : Rotating $D = 5$ Black Holes

Kunz, Navarro-Lérida 2006



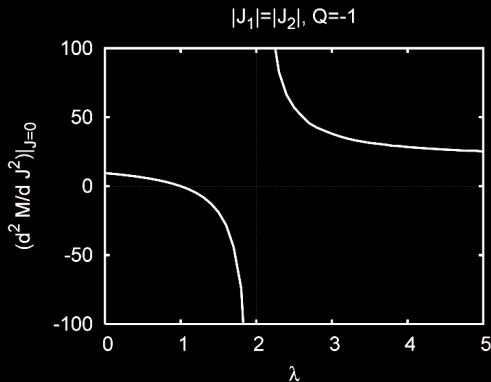
- black holes with  $\Omega = 0, J \neq 0$
- black holes with  $\Omega < 0, J > 0$



non-extremal  
counter-rotating

# Instability of $5D$ EMCS Black Holes

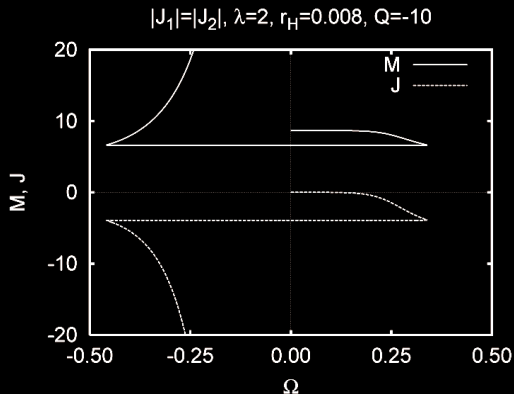
$$\left. \frac{d^2 M}{dJ^2} \right|_{J=0} \quad \text{for extremal black holes}$$



- **instability beyond  $\lambda = 1$**   
supersymmetry marks the borderline between stability and instability
- **$\lambda = 2$  is special**

# Non-Uniqueness of $5D$ EMCS Black Holes?

$\lambda = 2$  EMCS black holes



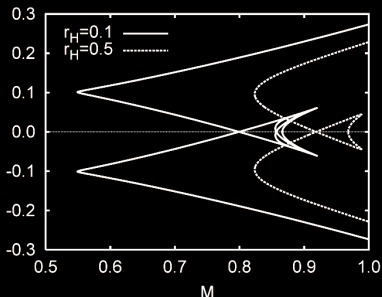
angular momentum and mass versus  $\Omega$

- $\lambda = 2$ : set of extremal rotating  $J = 0$  solutions appears to be present
- $\lambda = 2$ : infinite set of extremal black holes with the same charges

# Non-Uniqueness of 5D EMCS Black Holes

$\lambda > 2$  EMCS black holes

$|J_1|=|J_2|, \lambda=3, Q=-1$

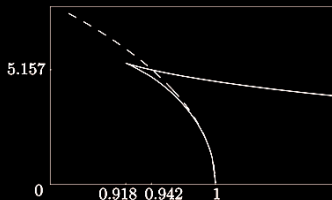


angular momentum versus mass

- black holes are not uniquely determined by  $M, J_i, Q$

- non-uniqueness of 5D black holes with horizon topology of a sphere  $S^3$
- non-uniqueness of 5D black holes and black rings ( $S^1 \times S^2$ )

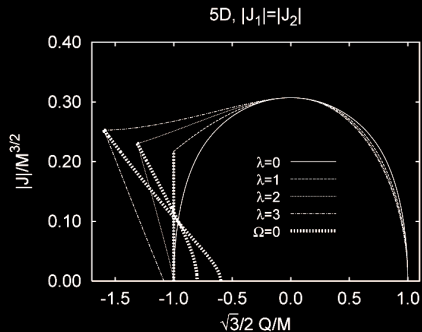
Empanan, Reall 2002



$$\frac{A}{(GM)^{3/2}} \quad \text{versus} \quad \sqrt{\frac{27\pi}{32G}} \frac{J}{M^{3/2}}$$

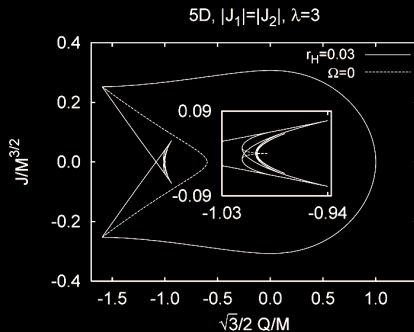
# Domain of Existence of 5D EMCS Black Holes

## $\lambda > 2$ EMCS black holes



domain of existence

- static extremal black hole is no longer on boundary

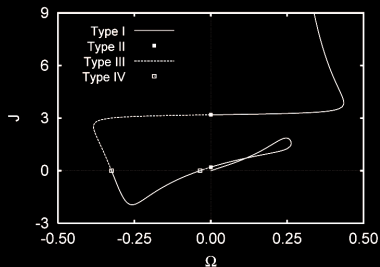


(almost) extremal black holes

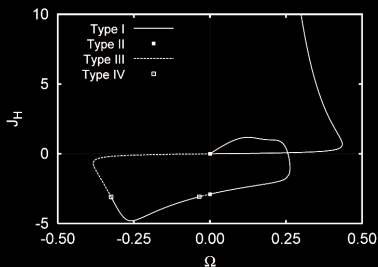
- $J = 0, \Omega \neq 0$  (type 3) continuous set of black holes

# Negative Horizon Mass of 5D EMCS Black Holes

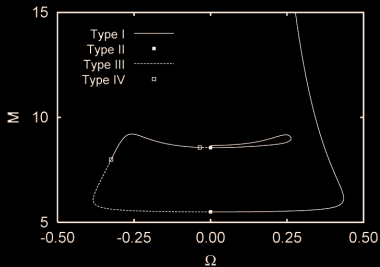
$$|J_1|=|J_2|, \lambda=3, r_H=0.20, Q=-10$$



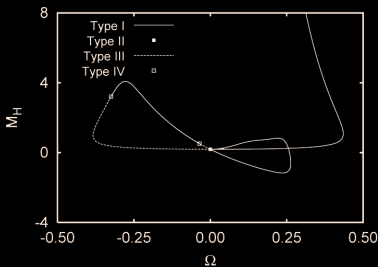
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# Odd- $D$ Einstein-Maxwell-Chern-Simons Theory

## odd- $D$ Einstein-Maxwell-Chern-Simons Lagrangian

$$L = \frac{1}{16\pi G_D} \left\{ R - \mathcal{F}_{\mu\nu} \mathcal{F}^{\mu\nu} + \underbrace{\frac{8\tilde{\lambda}}{D+1} \epsilon^{\mu_1\mu_2\cdots\mu_{D-2}\mu_{D-1}\mu_D} F_{\mu_1\mu_2} \cdots F_{\mu_{D-2}\mu_{D-1}} A_{\mu_D}}_{\text{Chern-Simons}} \right\}$$

### Chern-Simons coupling constant $\tilde{\lambda}$

$\tilde{\lambda} = 0$ : Einstein-Maxwell theory

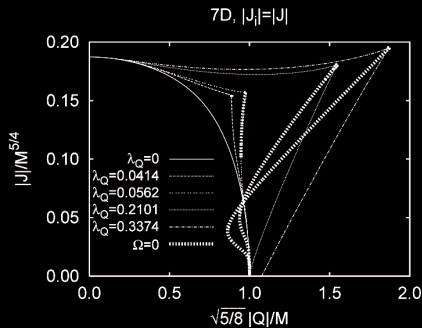
$\tilde{\lambda} \neq 0$ :  $\tilde{\lambda}$  dimensionful except for  $D = 5$

scaling transformation:  $D = 2N + 1$

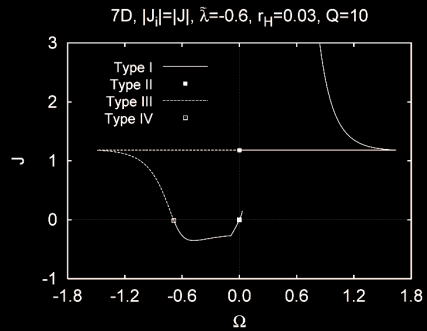
$$r_H \rightarrow \gamma r_H, \quad \Omega \rightarrow \Omega/\gamma, \quad \tilde{\lambda} \rightarrow \gamma^{N-2} \tilde{\lambda}, \quad Q \rightarrow \gamma^{D-3} Q, \dots$$

# Rotating $D = 7$ EMCS Black Holes

Kunz, Navarro-Lérida 2006

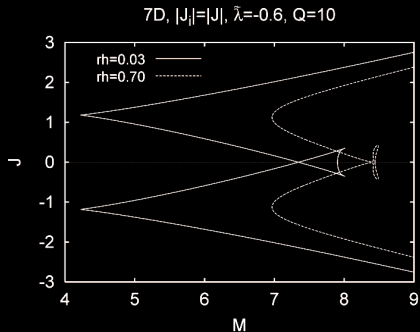


domain of existence

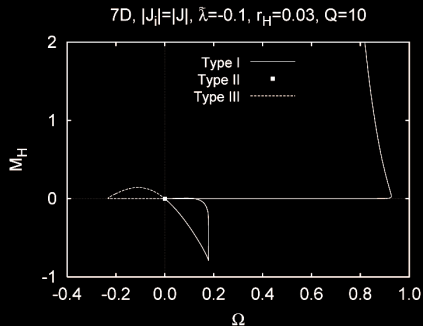


types of black holes

# $\lambda > 1$ : Rotating $D = 7$ Black Holes



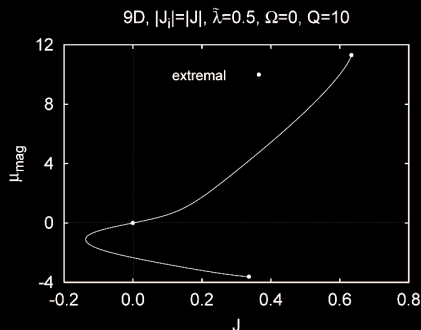
non-uniqueness



negative horizon mass

$\lambda > 1$ : Rotating  $D = 9$  EMCS Black Holes

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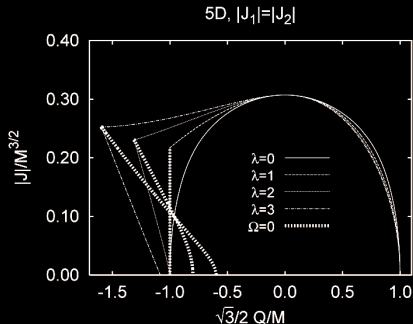
magnetic moment versus angular momentum

- non-static black holes with  $J = 0$ ,  $\Omega = 0$

# Conclusions: Surprises with Rotating Black Holes

## Einstein-Maxwell-Dilaton Black Holes

- $\Omega = 0, J > 0$  black holes  
stationary with static horizon
- $\Omega < 0, J > 0$  black holes  
counter-rotating black holes
- prolate horizon



## $D = 5$ EM-Chern-Simons Black Holes

in addition:  $\lambda \geq 2$

- $\Omega \neq 0, J = 0$  black holes  
rotating horizon, but vanishing  $J$
- non-uniqueness of black holes  
with horizon topology  $S^3$
- negative horizon mass

## $D = 9$ EM-Chern-Simons Black Holes

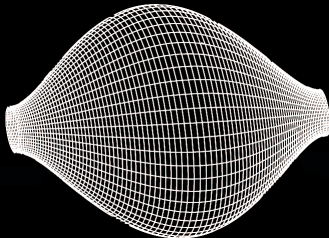
in addition:

- $\Omega = 0, J = 0$  black holes  
stationary and non-static
- **further surprises?**

# Outlook: Further Surprises?

## higher dimensions:

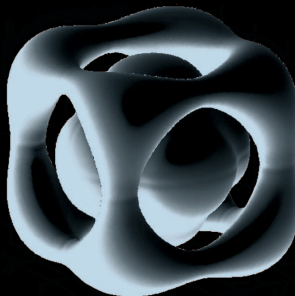
- black holes  
different horizon topology?
- black strings



rotating non-uniform black strings

## 4 dimensions:

- platonic black holes?



- further surprises?