

# Black holes, wormholes and particle-like solutions in EsGB theories

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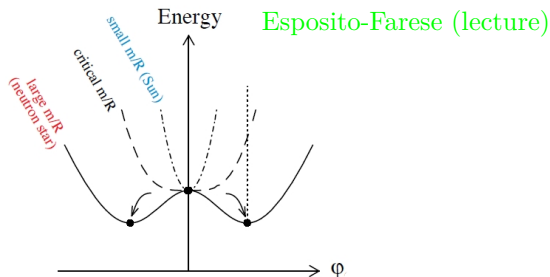
## Nonperturbative Strong-Field Effects in Tensor-Scalar Theories of Gravitation

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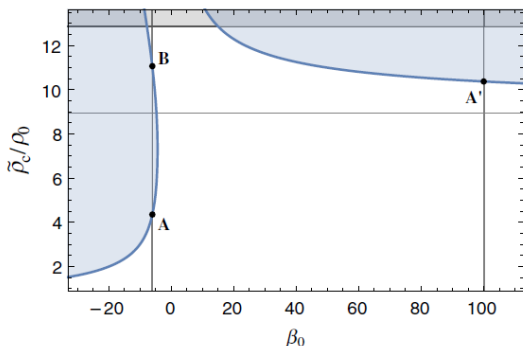
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“spontaneous scalarization”

# Matter-induced spontaneous scalarization (STTs)

Mendes et al. 1604.04175



1. spontaneous scalarization:  $\beta_0 < 0, T < 0 \implies \beta_0 T > 0$

2. spontaneous scalarization:  $\beta_0 > 0, T > 0 \implies \beta_0 T > 0$

# Einstein-scalar-Gauss-Bonnet Theories

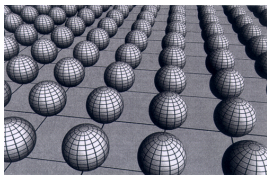
EsGB action

$$S = \frac{1}{16\pi} \int d^4x \sqrt{-g} \left[ R - \frac{1}{2}(\partial_\mu \varphi)^2 + f(\varphi) R_{\text{GB}}^2 \right]$$

Gauss-Bonnet term: quadratic in the curvature

$$R_{\text{GB}}^2 = R_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} R^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} - 4R_{\mu\nu} R^{\mu\nu} + R^2$$

coupling function  $f(\varphi)$



In 4 spacetime dimensions the coupling to the scalar is needed.

The resulting set of equations of motion are of second order (Horndeski).



# Einstein-scalar-Gauss-Bonnet Theories



Gregory Horndeski, 'Horndeski Scalar Theory, Past, Present and Future'

generalized Einstein equations

$$\begin{aligned} G_{\mu\nu} &= -\frac{1}{4}g_{\mu\nu}\partial_\rho\varphi\partial^\rho\varphi + \frac{1}{2}\partial_\mu\varphi\partial_\nu\varphi \\ &\quad - \frac{1}{2}(g_{\rho\mu}g_{\lambda\nu} + g_{\lambda\mu}g_{\rho\nu})\eta^{\kappa\lambda\alpha\beta}\tilde{R}_{\alpha\beta}{}^{\rho\gamma}\nabla_\gamma\partial_\kappa f(\varphi) \end{aligned}$$

scalar equation

$$\nabla_\mu\nabla^\mu\varphi + \frac{df}{d\varphi}R_{\text{GB}}^2 = 0$$

crucial: choice of coupling function  $f(\varphi)$

- GR black hole solutions do not remain solutions  
 $\implies$  only hairy black holes result
- GR black hole solutions do remain solutions  
 $\implies$  in addition spontaneously scalarized black holes emerge

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# EdGB black holes

Kanti et al. hep-th/9511071, Torii et al. gr-qc/9606034

coupling function

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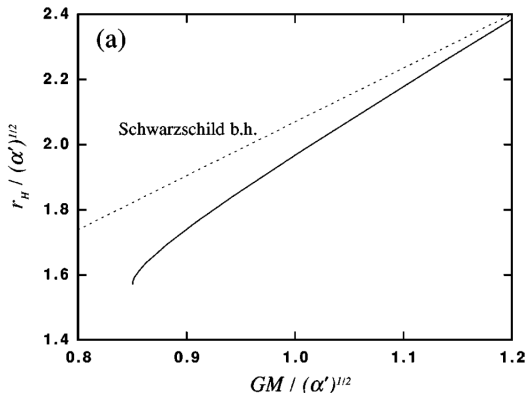
static black holes

critical black holes:

horizon expansion

$$\sqrt{1 - 6 \frac{\alpha'^2}{r_h^4} e^{2\phi_h}}$$

lower bound  
on the horizon size  
for fixed  $\alpha'$



lower bound on the mass

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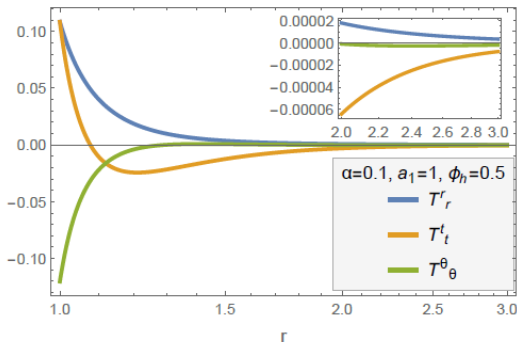
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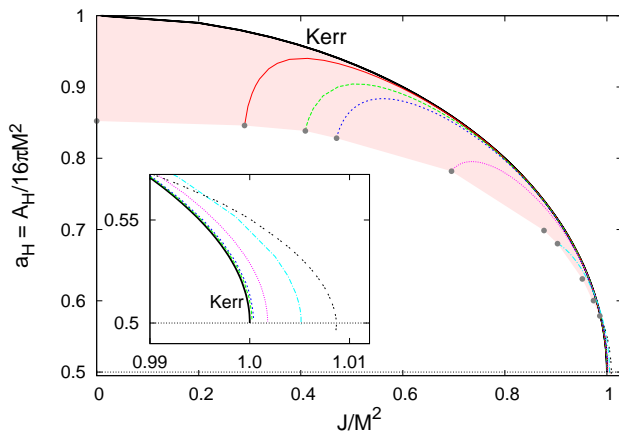


negative effective energy density

## EdGB black holes

Kleihaus et al. 1101.2868

horizon area versus angular momentum



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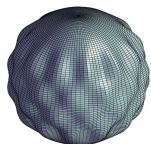
perturbation theory: damped oscillations

metric

$$g_{\mu\nu} = g_{\mu\nu}^{(0)}(r) + \epsilon h_{\mu\nu}(t, r, \theta, \varphi)$$

scalar

$$\phi = \phi_0(r) + \epsilon \delta\phi(t, r, \theta, \varphi)$$



polar modes: even-parity perturbations

axial modes: odd-parity perturbations (pure space-time modes)

master equation: Schrödinger-like equation

eigenvalue  $\omega$

$$\omega = \omega_R + i\omega_I$$

frequency:  $\omega_R$

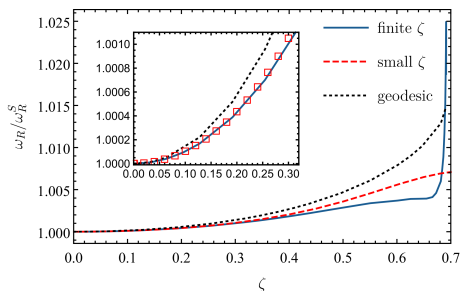
decay time:  $\tau = 1/\omega_I$

# EdGB black holes

Blazquez-Salcedo et al. 1609.01286

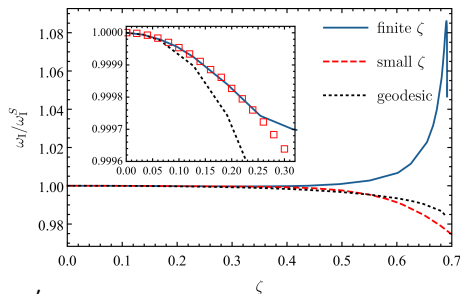
quasi-normal mode (axial  $l = 2$ ) versus coupling constant

normalized to the Schwarzschild values



real part

$$\zeta = \frac{\alpha'}{M^2}$$



imaginary part

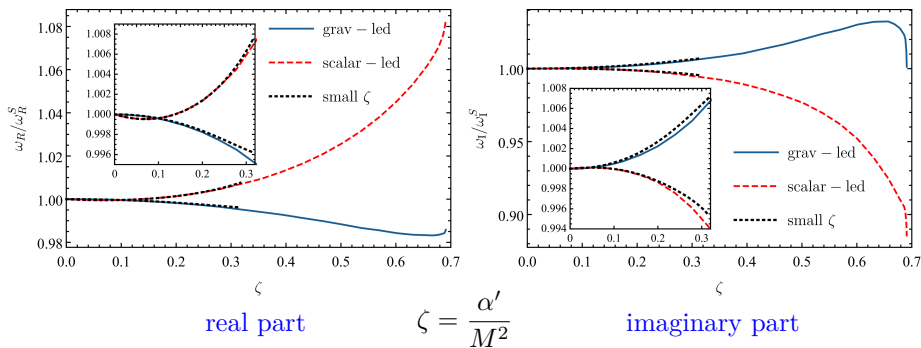


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# Static curvature induced scalarized black holes

Doneva et al. 1711.01187, Silva et al. 1711.02080, Antoniou et al. 1711.03390

curvature induced scalarized black holes

Einstein equations

$$G_{\mu\nu} = T_{\mu\nu}$$

scalar equation

$$\nabla_{\mu} \nabla^{\mu} \varphi + \frac{df}{d\varphi} R_{\text{GB}}^2 = 0$$

GR solutions remain solutions:  $\varphi = 0, \frac{df(\varphi)}{d\varphi} = 0$

tachyonic instability

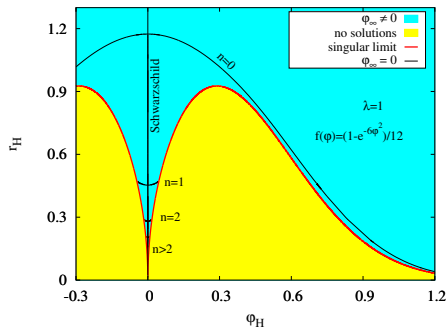
effective mass

$$m_{\text{eff}}^2 = -\eta R_{\text{GB}}^2 < 0, \quad \text{if } \eta > 0$$

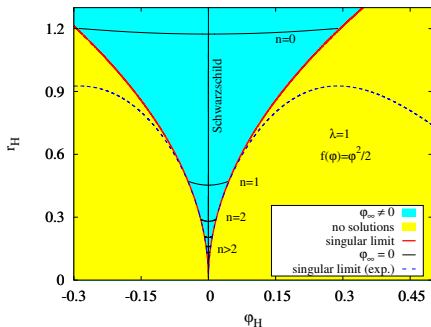
# Static curvature induced scalarized black holes

Blazquez-Salcedo et al. 1805.05755

domain of existence of spontaneously scalarized static black holes



$$f(\varphi) = \frac{\lambda^2}{12} \left(1 - e^{-6\varphi^2}\right)$$

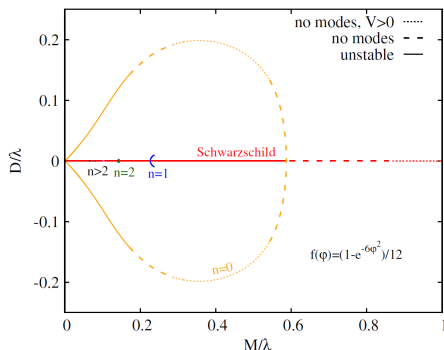


$$f(\varphi) = \frac{\lambda^2}{2} \varphi^2$$

spontaneously scalarized black holes,  $\varphi_\infty \neq 0$ , radicand negative

# Static curvature induced scalarized black holes

Blazquez-Salcedo et al. 1805.05755



solutions

Schwarzschild red

scalarized  $n = 0$  orange

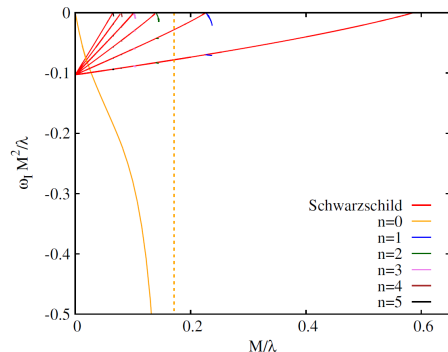
scalarized  $n > 0$  ...

unstable radial modes

Schwarzschild red

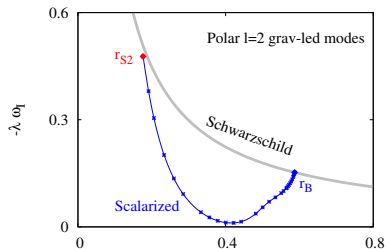
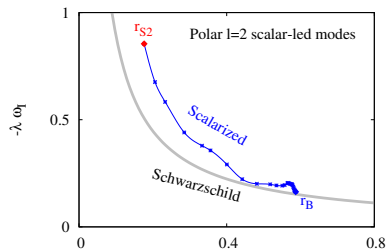
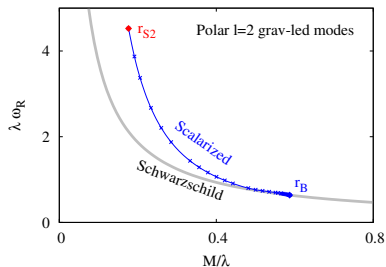
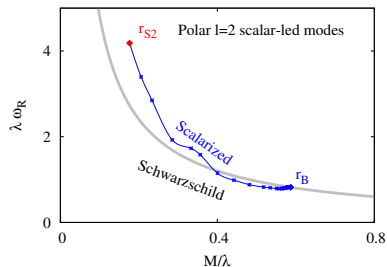
scalarized  $n = 0$  orange

scalarized  $n > 0$  ...



# Static curvature induced scalarized black holes

Blazquez-Salcedo et al. 2006.06006



# Rotating curvature induced scalarized black holes

Cunha et al. 1904.09997, Collodel et al. 1912.05382, Dima et al. 2006.03095

scalar equation

$$\nabla_{\mu} \nabla^{\mu} \varphi + \frac{df}{d\varphi} R_{\text{GB}}^2 = 0$$

Gauss-Bonnet: Kerr

$$R_{\text{GB}}^2 = \frac{48M^2}{(r^2 + \chi^2)^6} (r^6 - 15r^4\chi^2 + 15r^2\chi^4 - \chi^6) , \quad \chi = a \cos \theta$$

effective mass

$$m_{\text{eff}}^2(r) = -\eta R_{\text{GB}}^2 < 0$$

- $\eta > 0$

$\implies$  spin suppresses scalarization

- $\eta < 0$

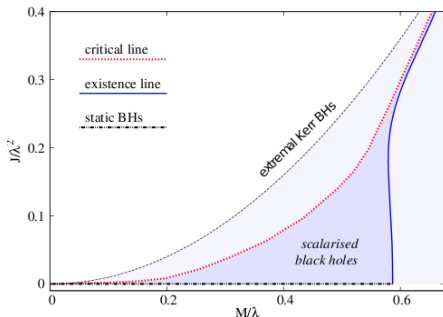
$\implies$  spin induces scalarization

# Rotating curvature induced scalarized black holes

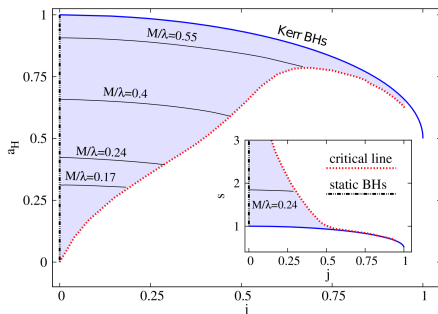
Cunha et al. arXiv:1904.09997

coupling function

$$f(\varphi) = \frac{\lambda^2}{12} \left( 1 - e^{-6\varphi^2} \right), \quad V(\varphi) = 0$$



angular momentum vs mass

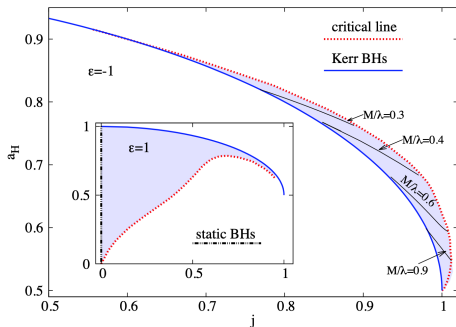


area/entropy vs angular momentum

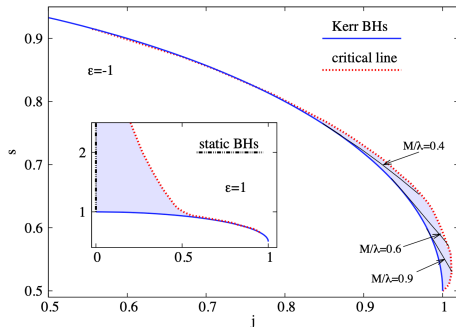
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area vs angular momentum



entropy vs angular momentum

even scalar field

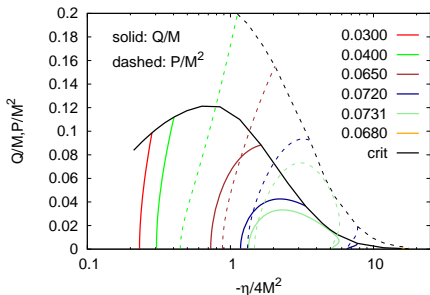


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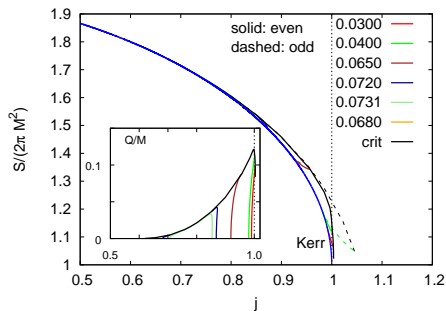
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coupling function

$$f(\varphi) = \frac{\eta}{8}\varphi^2, \quad \eta < 0, \quad V(\varphi) = 0$$



charge/dipole moment vs coupling



entropy vs angular momentum

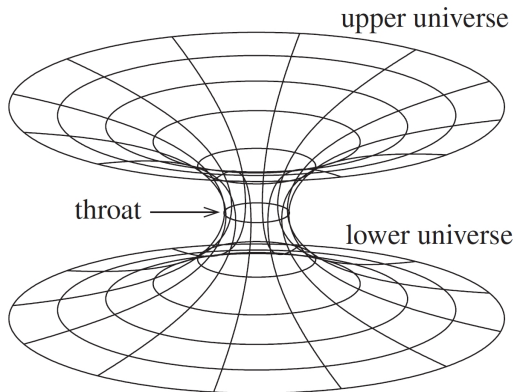
even ( $Q$ ) and odd ( $P$ ) scalar field

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# Wormholes



embedding diagram

- 2 asymptotically flat regions
- sphere of minimal surface/radius
- no horizon
- no singularity

violation of the energy conditions

# Static Dilatonic EGB Wormholes

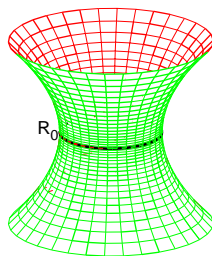
Kanti et al. 1108.3003, 1111.4049, Antoniou et al. 1904.13091

static spherically symmetric wormholes

$$ds^2 = -e^{F_0} dt^2 + e^{F_1} [d\eta^2 + h (d\theta^2 + \sin^2 \theta d\varphi^2)]$$

$$h = \eta^2 + \eta_0^2$$

$$-\infty < \eta < \infty$$



embedding of the throat of the wormhole

# Static Dilatonic EGB Wormholes

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line element

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$$h = \eta^2 + \eta_0^2$$

global charges

mass  $M$ , dilaton charge  $D$

$$F_0 \rightarrow -\frac{2M}{\eta}, \quad \phi \rightarrow -\frac{D}{\eta}.$$

properties of the throat

circumferential radius  $R$ :  $R^2 = e^{F_1} h$

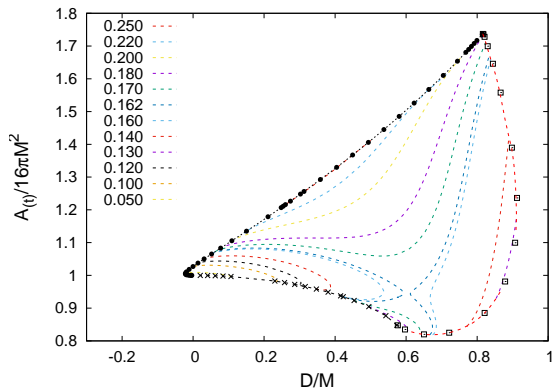
throat radius  $R_0$ :  $R_0^2 = \text{Min}(R^2)$

throat area:  $A_{\text{Th}} = \int_{\Sigma} d^2x \sqrt{g_2}$

$g_2$  determinant of the metric on the throat

# Static Dilatonic EGB Wormholes

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domain of existence

- dashed lines  
 $\bar{\alpha} = \frac{\alpha}{\eta_0} = \text{const}$
- lower boundary:  
black hole
- right boundary:  
singularity
- left boundary:  
 $R' = 0, R'' = 0$

throat area vs dilaton charge

# Static Dilatonic EGB Wormholes

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Smarr like mass relation

$$M = 2S_{\text{th}} \frac{\kappa}{2\pi} - \frac{D}{2\gamma} + \frac{D_{\text{th}}}{2\gamma}$$

with

$$S_{\text{th}} = \frac{1}{4} \int \sqrt{g_2} \left( 1 + 2\alpha e^{-\gamma\phi} \tilde{R} \right) d^2x$$

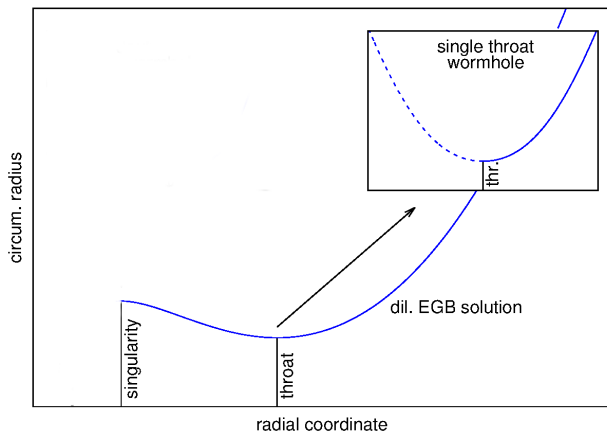
throat surface gravity  $\kappa$

throat dilaton charge

$$D_{\text{th}} = \frac{1}{4\pi} \int \sqrt{g_2} e^{F_0/2} n_0^\mu \partial_\mu \phi \left( 1 + 2\alpha\gamma^2 e^{-\gamma\phi} \tilde{R} \right) d^2x$$

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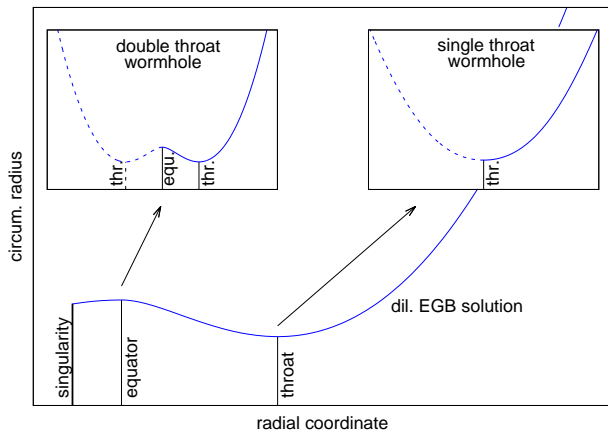


junction conditions: thin shell of ordinary matter needed



# Double Throat Dilatonic EGB Wormholes

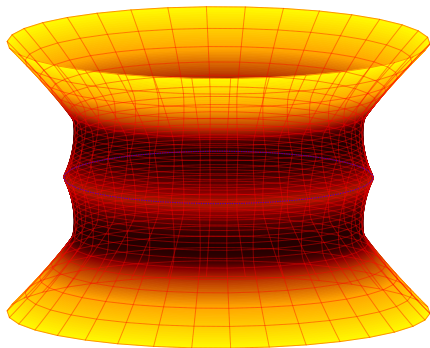
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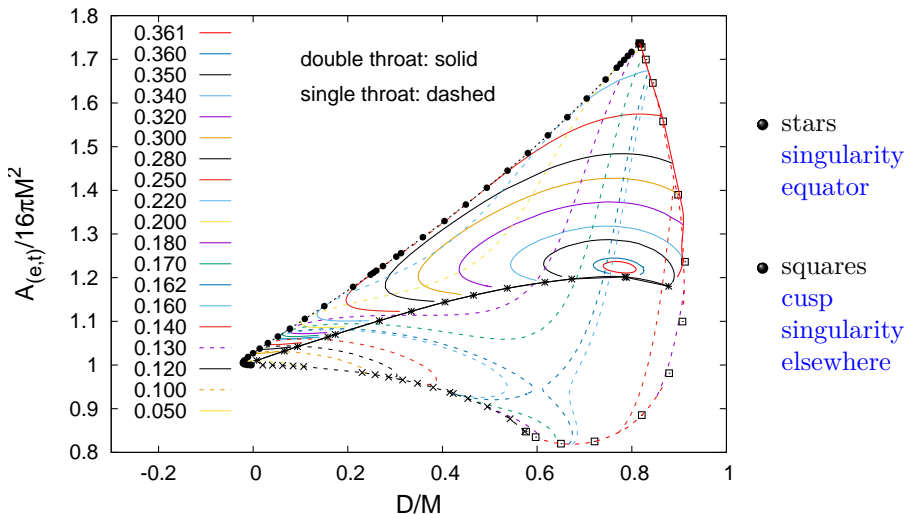
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embedding of double throat wormhole

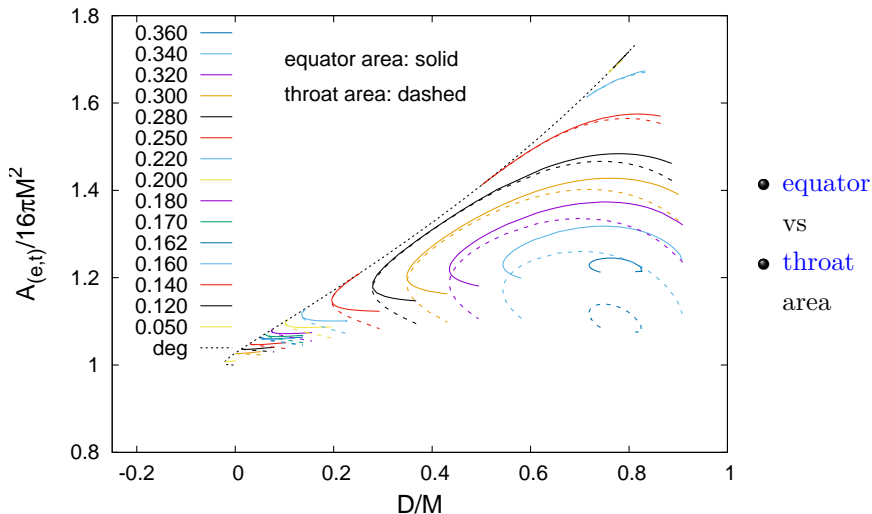
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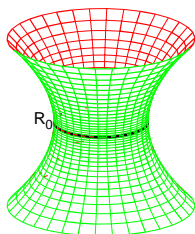
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rotating wormholes

$$ds^2 = -e^{F_0} dt^2 + e^{F_1} \left( e^{F_2} (d\eta^2 + h d\theta^2) + h \sin^2 \theta (d\varphi - \Omega dt)^2 \right)$$

$$h = \eta^2 + \eta_0^2$$

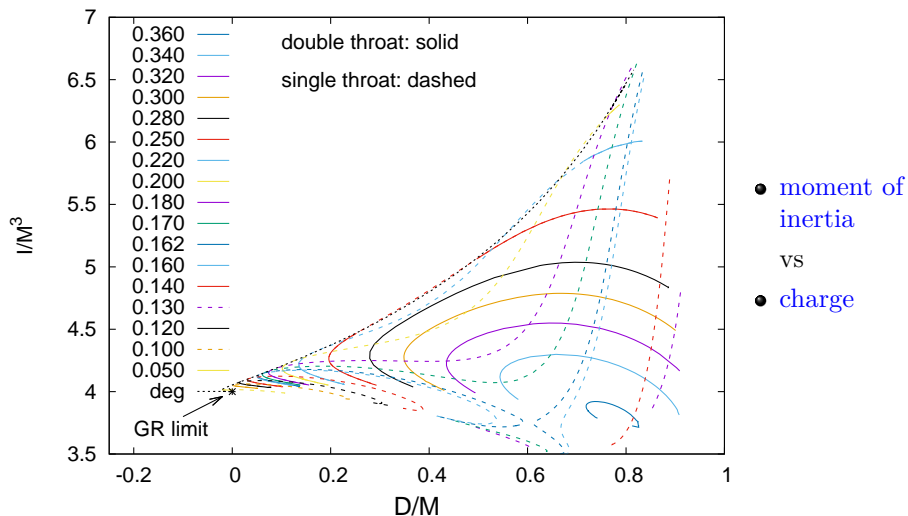
$$-\infty < \eta < \infty$$



lowest order perturbation theory

# Slowly Rotating Dilatonic EGB Wormholes

Antoniou et al. in preparation



# Geodesics of Dilatonic EGB Wormholes

Kanti et al. 1108.3003, 1111.4049

- geodesics from Lagrangian

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{1}{2} e^{-2\beta\phi} g_{\mu\nu} \dot{x}^\mu \dot{x}^\nu$$

$\beta = \text{const.}$  ( $= 1/2$  for heterotic string theory)

- conjugate momenta  $p_\mu = \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \dot{x}^\mu}$

$$p_t = -e^{-2\beta\phi} e^{F_0} \dot{t}, \quad p_\varphi = e^{-2\beta\phi} e^{F_1} (\eta_0^2 + \eta^2) \dot{\varphi}$$

$$p_\eta = e^{-2\beta\phi} e^{F_1} \dot{\eta}$$

- first integrals

$$p_t = \text{const.} = -E, \quad p_\varphi = \text{const.} = L$$

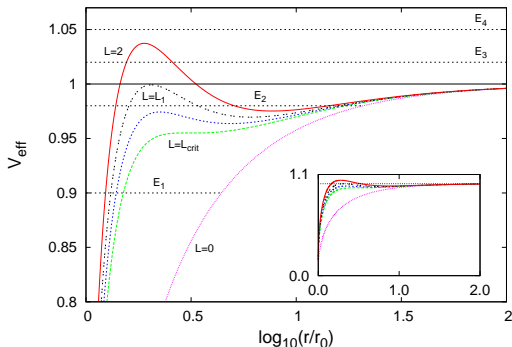
- time-like geodesics

$$2\mathcal{L} = -e^{2\beta\phi} e^{-F_0} E^2 + e^{-2\beta\phi} e^{F_1} \dot{\eta}^2 + e^{2\beta\phi} e^{-F_1} \frac{L^2}{\eta_0^2 + \eta^2} = -1$$

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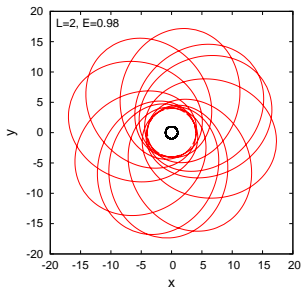
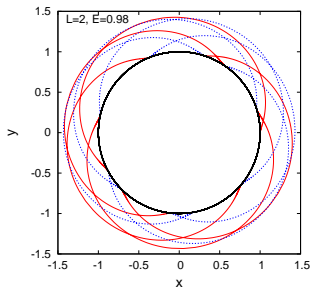
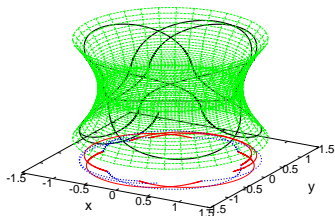
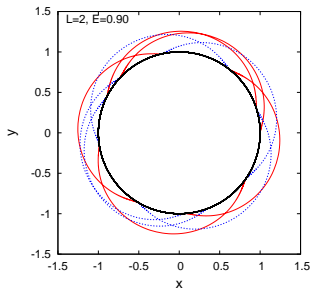
- **radial equation:**  $\dot{\eta}^2 = e^{4\beta\phi} e^{-F_0 - F_1} [E^2 - V_{\text{eff}}^2(\eta, L)]$
- **effective potential:**  $V_{\text{eff}}^2(\eta, L) = e^{F_0} \left( e^{-2\beta\phi} + e^{-F_1} \frac{L^2}{\eta_0^2 + \eta^2} \right)$



- $E^2 \geq V_{\text{eff}}^2(\eta, L)$
- turning points  $\eta_i$ :  
 $E^2 - V_{\text{eff}}^2(\eta_i, L) = 0$
- no horizon
- **bound orbits:**  
motion around the throat  
motion across the throat



# Geodesics of Dilatonic EGB Wormholes



# Traversable Dlatonic EGB Wormholes?

Kanti et al. 1108.3003, 1111.4049

acceleration of a traveler at the throat?

- string theory

$$\alpha \sim \ell_P^2 \implies r_0 \sim 10 \ell_P$$

acceleration  $(10^{51} - 10^{52}) g_\oplus$

$g_\oplus$ : acceleration of gravity at the surface of the earth

- acceleration on the order of  $g_\oplus$ :  
throat radius  $(10 - 100)$   
light-years

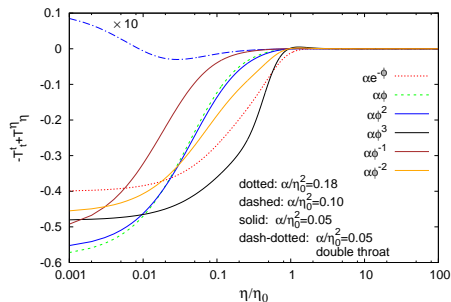


Cuyubamba et al. 1804.11170

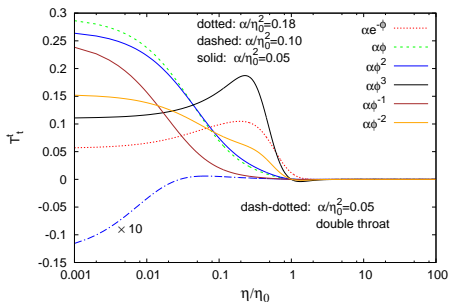
# Scalar EGB Wormholes with Other Coupling Functions

Antoniou et al. 1904.13091

no spontaneous scalarization: no GR wormholes



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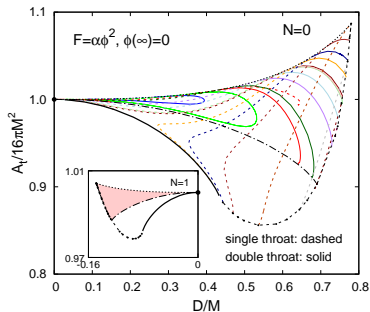
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violation of the energy conditions

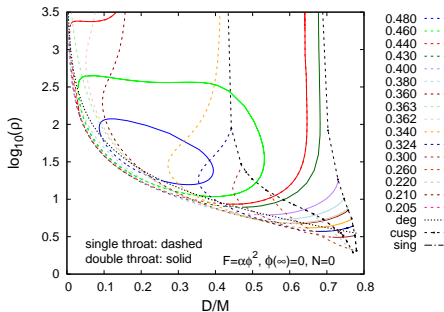
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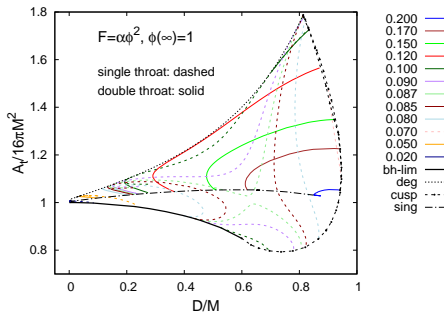
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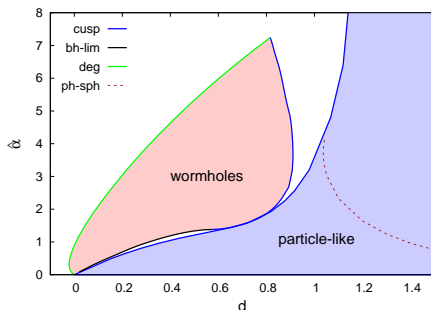
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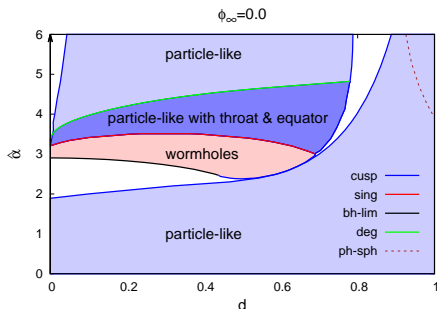
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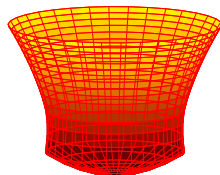
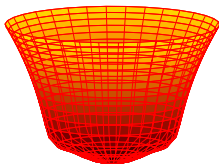
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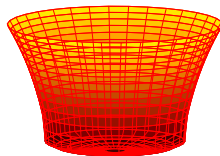
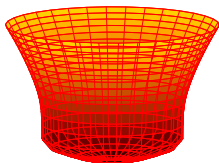


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embeddings

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metric

$$ds^2 = -e^{f_0} dt^2 + e^{f_1} [dr^2 + r^2 (d\theta^2 + \sin^2 \theta d\varphi^2)]$$

coupling  $F(\phi) = \alpha\phi^n$ ,  $n \geq 2$

expansion at origin

$$f_0 = f_{0c} + \frac{e^{f_{1c}}}{64\alpha} r^2 + \frac{e^{f_{1c}} \phi_c}{96\alpha c_0} r^3 + \mathcal{O}(r^4)$$

$$f_1 = f_{1c} + \frac{e^{f_{1c}}}{64\alpha} r^2 + \frac{\nu_3}{6} r^3 + \mathcal{O}(r^4)$$

$$\phi = -\frac{c_0}{r} + \phi_c - \frac{e^{f_{1c}} c_0}{256\alpha} r + \frac{32\alpha c_0 \nu_3 - e^{f_{1c}} \phi_c}{768\alpha} r^2 + \mathcal{O}(r^3)$$

$f_{0c}$ ,  $f_{1c}$ ,  $\nu_3$ ,  $\phi_c$ , and  $c_0$  are constants

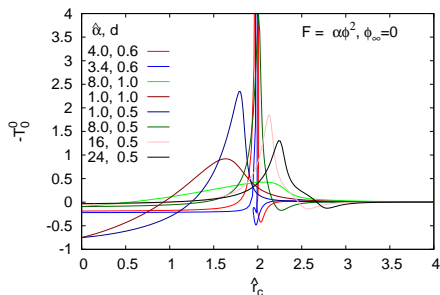
stress-energy tensor ( $n = 2$ )

$$T_t^t(0) = \frac{3}{32\alpha}, \quad T_r^r(0) = T_\theta^\theta(0) = T_\varphi^\varphi(0) = \frac{2}{32\alpha}$$

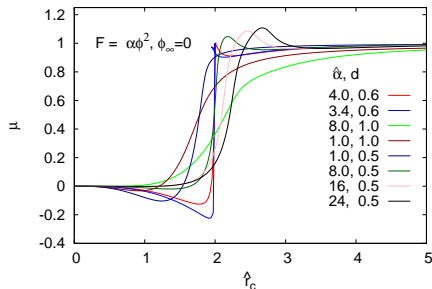
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## ECOs and UCOs



energy density  $\rho = -T_0^0$



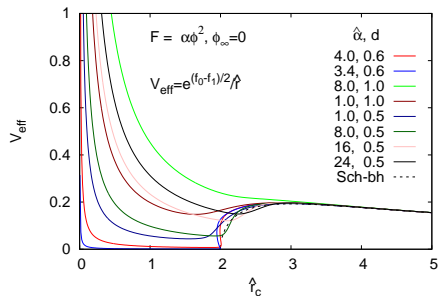
mass function  $\mu(\hat{r}_c)$

vs circumferential radius  $\hat{r}_c = r_c/M$

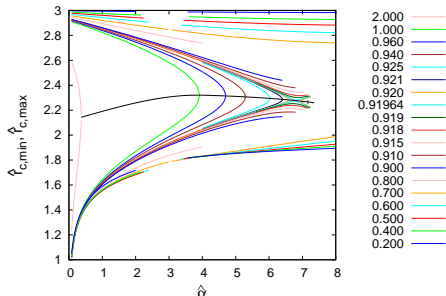
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UCOs: pairs of light-rings



photon effective potential  $V_{\text{eff}}$



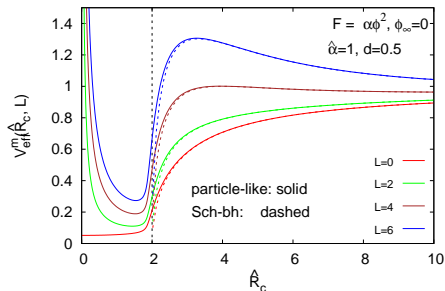
local extrema  $\hat{r}_{c,\text{max}}$  and  $\hat{r}_{c,\text{min}}$

vs circumferential radius  $\hat{r}_c = r_c/M$

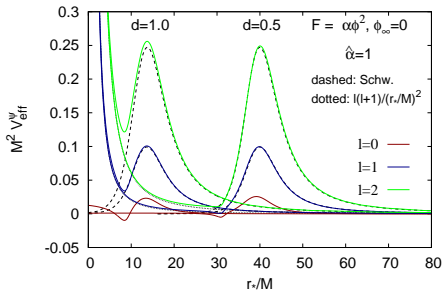
Cardoso et al. 1406.5510 , Cunha et al. 1708.04211

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effective potential  $V_{\text{eff}}^m$ 

(massive particles)

vs circumferential radius  $\hat{R}_c = R_c/M$ effective potential  $V_{\text{eff}}^\psi$ 

(test scalar particle)

vs tortoise coordinate  $r^*/M$ 

Cardoso et al. 1608.08637 echoes of ECOs

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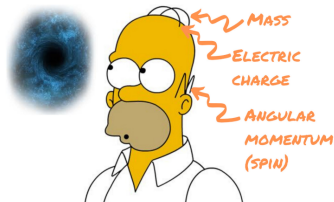


# Conclusions

## Beyond General Relativity: Scalar EGB Theories

### black holes

- dilatonic
- spontaneously scalarized
  - curvature induced
  - spin induced



### wormholes

- static
  - single throat
  - double throat
- slowly rotating
- geodesics

### particle-like solutions

- regular metric, regular  $T_{\mu\nu}$
- UCOs with pairs of light-rings
- echoes of ECOs

# THANKS

