First laws of compact binary mechanics

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The laws of black hole mechanics

[Hawking 1972, Bardeen, Carter & Hawking 1973]

Zeroth law of mechanics:
κ = const. (on H)
First law of mechanics:
δM = ω_H δS + ^κ/_{8π} δA A₁
Second law of mechanics:

 $\delta A \ge 0$



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• For a Schwarzschild black hole of mass *M*, this yields

$$\kappa = \frac{1}{4M} = \frac{GM}{R_{\rm S}^2}$$

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Surface gravity and redshift variable

[Pound (unpublished)]



(Credit: Zimmerman, Lewis & Pfeiffer 2016)

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Comparisons to numerical relativity

- Recoil velocity [Fitchett & Detweiler 1984, Nagar 2013]
- Head-on waveform [Anninos et al. 1995, Sperhake et al. 2011]
- Inspiral waveform [van de Meent & Pfeiffer 2020, Rifat et al. 2020]
- Periastron advance [Le Tiec et al. 2011, 2013]
- Binding energy [Le Tiec, Buonanno & Barausse 2012]
- Surface gravity [Zimmerman et al. 2016, Le Tiec & Grandclément 2018]

Structure of Einstein equation

- Polynomial nonlinearity using geometric variables [Harte 2014]
- Exact EOB energy map to O(G) [Damour 2016, Vines 2017]
- Link to double copy?

dissipative

Multipolar gravitational skeleton

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Quadrupolar particles on a circular orbit

[Ramond, Le Tiec & Noûs 2020]

• Helical Killing field k^{α} so that

 $\mathcal{L}_{\mathbf{k}}g_{\alpha\beta}=0$

Each particle worldline γ is an integral curve of k^α:

$$|k^{lpha}|_{\gamma} = z \, u^{lpha}$$

 The particle multipoles are all Lie-dragged along k^α:

$$\mathcal{L}_{k}\boldsymbol{p}^{\alpha}=\mathcal{L}_{k}\boldsymbol{S}^{\alpha\beta}=\mathcal{L}_{k}\boldsymbol{Q}^{\alpha\beta\rho\sigma}=\boldsymbol{0}$$



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- Spin-induced quadrupole $Q_{
 m spin}\sim\kappa S^2$
- Tidally-induced quadrupole $Q_{\text{tidal}} \sim \lambda \mathcal{E}$

Tidal deformability of Kerr black holes

[Le Tiec & Casals 2020, Goldberger's talk]



$$Q_{ij}^{\text{tidal}} = \lambda_{ijkl} \mathcal{E}_{kl} \quad \text{where} \quad \lambda_{ijkl} \doteq \frac{\chi}{180} \left(2M \right)^5 \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{I}_{11} & \mathbf{I}_{12} & \mathbf{I}_{13} \\ \mathbf{I}_{12} & -\mathbf{I}_{11} & \mathbf{I}_{23} \\ \mathbf{I}_{13} & \mathbf{I}_{23} & \mathbf{0} \end{pmatrix}$$

Conservative tidal Love number or dissipative tidal torquing?

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Averaged redshift for eccentric orbits

[Barack & Sago 2011]

• Generic eccentric orbit parameterized by the two requencies

$$\Omega_r = \frac{2\pi}{P}, \quad \Omega_\phi = \frac{\Phi}{P}$$

• Time average of redshift $z = \mathrm{d} \tau / \mathrm{d} t$ over one radial period

$$\langle \mathbf{z} \rangle \equiv \frac{1}{P} \int_0^P z(t) \, \mathrm{d}t = \frac{T}{P}$$



First law of mechanics for eccentric orbits

[Le Tiec 2015, Blanchet & Le Tiec 2017]

- Canonical ADM Hamiltonian H(x_a, p_a; m_a) of two point particles with constant masses m_a
- Variation δH + Hamilton's equation + orbital averaging:

$$\delta M = \Omega_{\phi} \, \delta L + \Omega_r \, \delta J_r + \sum_{a} \langle z_a \rangle \, \delta m_a$$

• Starting at 4PN order the binary dynamics gets nonlocal in time because of gravitational-wave tails:

$$\mathcal{H}_{\mathsf{tail}}^{\mathsf{4PN}}[\mathbf{x}_{a}(t),\mathbf{p}_{a}(t)] = -rac{M}{5}\hat{l}_{ij}^{(3)}(t) \operatorname{Pf}_{2r} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} rac{\mathrm{d} au}{ au} \, \hat{l}_{ij}^{(3)}(t+ au)$$

• With appropriate M, L and J_r the first law still holds

EOB dynamics beyond circular motion



• Conservative EOB dynamics determined by "potentials"

$$A(r) = 1 - 2M/r + \nu a(r) + \cdots$$
$$\bar{D}(r) = 1 + \nu \bar{d}(r) + \cdots$$
$$Q(r) = \nu q(r) p_r^4 + \cdots$$

• Functions a(r), $\bar{d}(r)$ and q(r) controlled by $\langle z \rangle_{\mathsf{GSF}}(\Omega_r, \Omega_\phi)$

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 Varying *H*(J_α) yields a particle Hamiltonian first law valid for generic bound orbits [Le Tiec 2014]

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The actions J_α and the averaged redshift (z), as functions of (Ω_r,Ω_θ,Ω_φ), include conservative self-force corrections from the gauge-invariant averaged interaction Hamiltonian (H_{int})

Applications of the first laws

- Fix 'ambiguity parameters' in 4PN two-body equations of motion [Jaranowski & Schäfer 2012, Damour et al. 2014, Bernard et al. 2016]
- Inform the 5PN two-body Hamiltonian in a 'tutti-frutti' method [Bini, Damour & Geralico 2019, 2020]
- Compute GSF contributions to energy and angular momentum [Le Tiec, Barausse & Buonanno 2012]
- Calculate Schwarzschild and Kerr ISCO frequency shifts [Le Tiec et al. 2012, Akcay et al. 2012, Isoyama et al. 2014]
- Test cosmic censorship conjecture including GSF effects [Colleoni & Barack 2015, Colleoni *et al.* 2015]
- Calibrate EOB potentials in effective Hamiltonian [Barausse et al. 2012, Akcay & van de Meent 2016, Bini et al. 2016]
- Compare particle redshift to black hole surface gravity [Zimmerman, Lewis & Pfeiffer 2016, Le Tiec & Grandclément 2018]
- Benchmark for calculations of Schwarzschild IBSO frequency shift and gravitational binding energy [Barack *et al.* 2019, Pound *et al.* 2020]

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Summary

- The classical laws of black hole mechanics can be extended to binary systems of compact objects
- First laws of mechanics come in a variety of different forms:
 - Context: exact GR, self-force theory, PN theory
 - · Objects: black holes, multipolar point particles
 - Orbits: circular, generic bound
 - Derivation: geometric, Hamiltonian
- Combined with the first law, the redshift $z(\Omega)$ provides crucial information about the binary dynamics:
 - $\circ~$ Gravitational binding energy E and angular momentum J
 - $\circ~$ ISCO frequency Ω_{ISCO} and IBSO frequency Ω_{IBSO}
 - EOB effective potentials A, \overline{D} , Q, ...
 - $\circ~$ Horizon surface gravity $\kappa~$

Prospects

- Small-mass-ratio approximation useful to build templates for IMRIs and even comparable-mass binaries
- Exploit the Hamiltonian first law for a particle in Kerr:
 - Innermost spherical orbits
 - Marginally bound orbits
- Extend Hamiltonian first law for two spinning particles:
 - Non-aligned spins and generic precessing orbits
 - Contribution from quadrupole moments
- Link to unbound orbits and scattering angle via analytic continuation?
- Derive a first law in post-Minkowskian gravity?
- Derive a first law with dissipation?