

Rotating Black Holes in Chern-Simons Modified Gravity

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Chern-Simons (CS) modified gravity

This theory is inspired by

- Superstring theory (e.g. Smith et al. (2008))
- Loop quantum gravity (Mercuri & Taveras (2009))
- Effective field theory for inflation (S. Weinberg (2008))

Action:
$$I = \int d^4x \sqrt{-g} \left[-\frac{1}{16\pi} R + \frac{l}{64\pi} \mathcal{G}(x) {}^* R^\alpha{}_\beta{}^{\mu\nu} R^\beta{}_{\alpha\mu\nu} + \dots \right]$$

Parity symmetry is broken!

The Schwarzschild metric satisfies the field equations.

 This theory passes the classical tests of GR.

However the Kerr metric does not satisfy the field equations. $\left(\varepsilon^{\mu\nu\alpha\beta} R^\tau{}_{\sigma\alpha\beta} R^\sigma{}_{\tau\mu\nu} \neq 0 \right)$

Summary

- Non-dynamical model:

The BH has a spinning cosmic string on the rotational axis. The solution gives the flat rotation curve at a large distance from the BH.

- Dynamical model:

The solution reduces to the GR solution as the coupling constant vanishes. In this solution, the frame-dragging effect is suppressed by the effect of the scalar field.

See in detail

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