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# Binary black holes surrounding massive black hole

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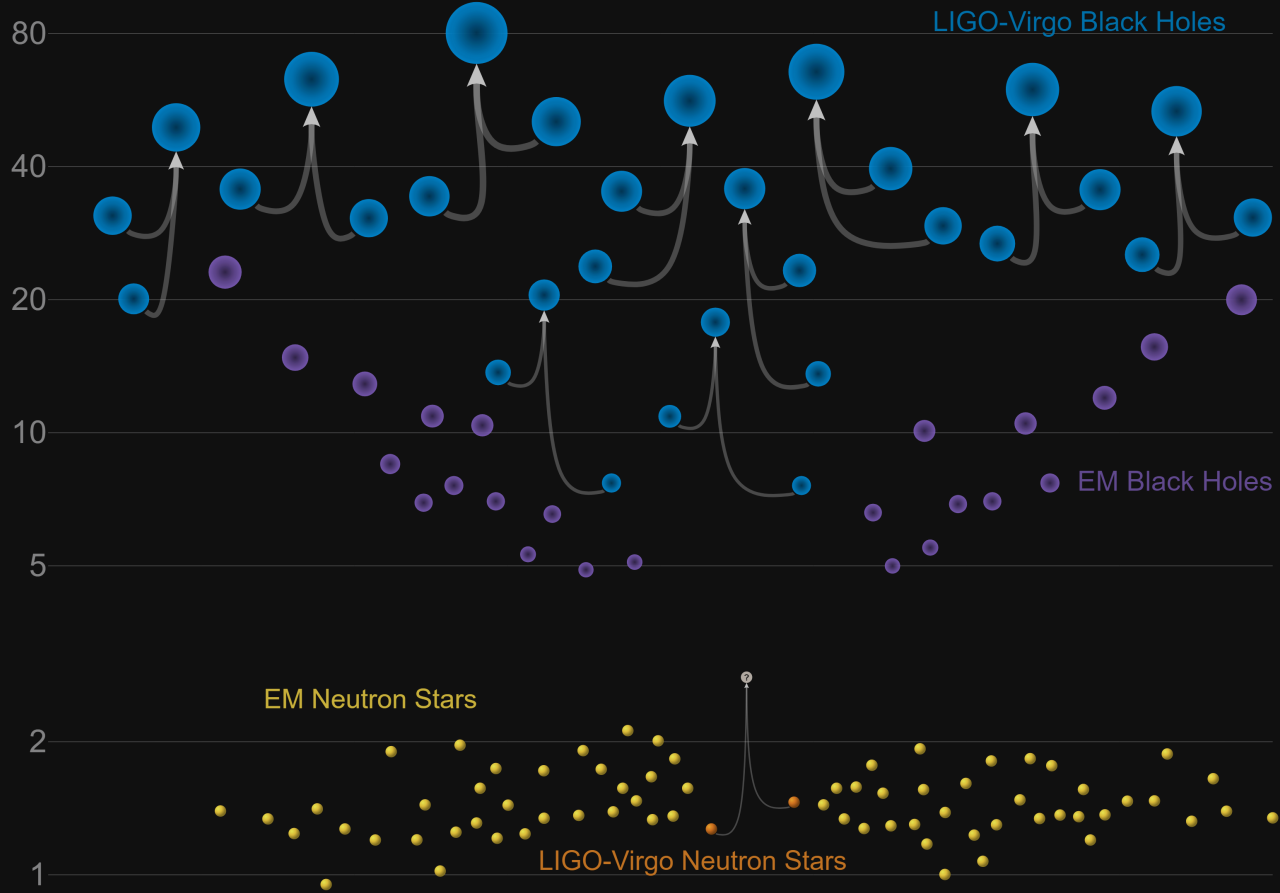
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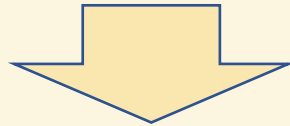
# LIGO-Virgo detections

## Masses in the Stellar Graveyard *in Solar Masses*



# Formation Channel of binary black hole

- Primordial black hole (e.g. M Sasaki, 2016)
- Common-envelope (e.g. M Dominik, K Belczynski, etc 2012)
- Dynamical formation (e.g. C. L. Rodriguez 2016, M Zevin & J Samsing 2019)



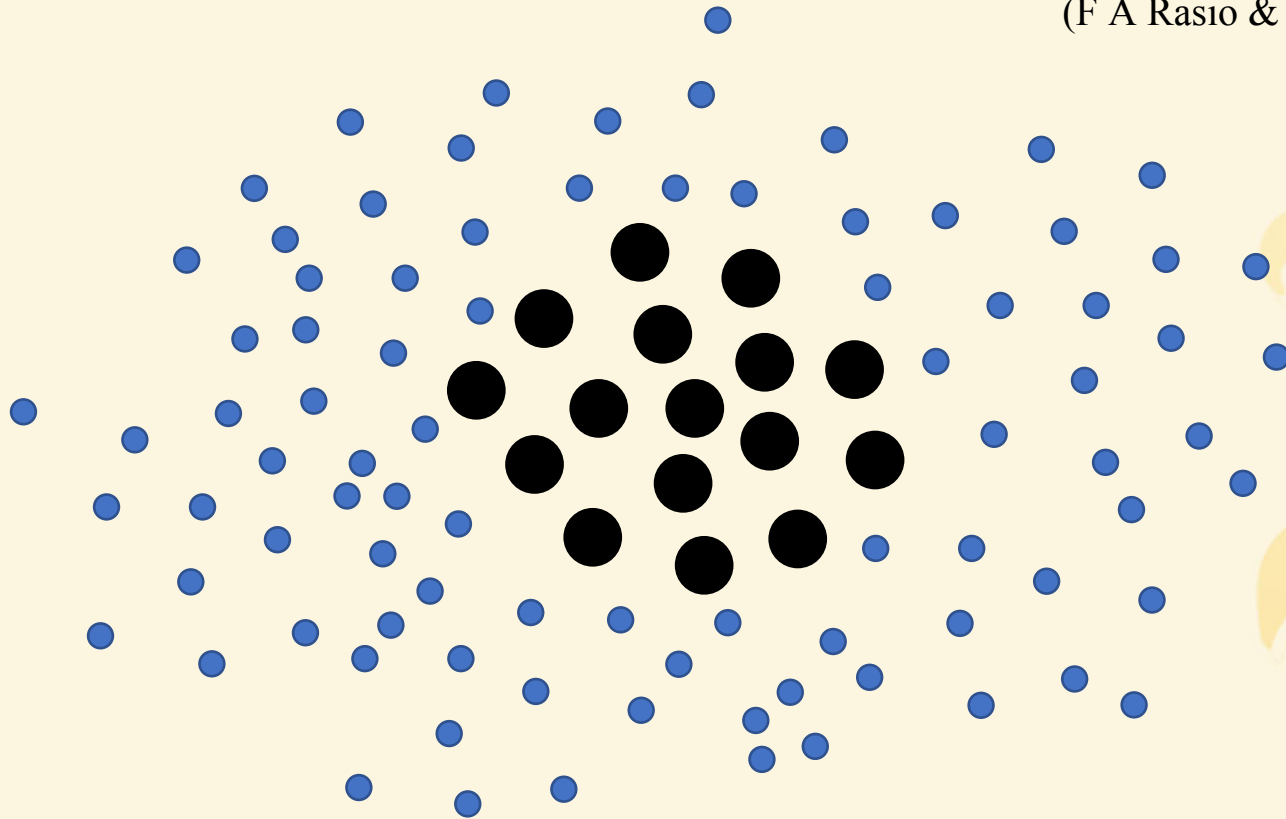
Globular clusters!



# Fate of young clusters

(F A Rasio & M Freitag 2004)

●  $< 1 M_{\odot}$   
●  $> 1 M_{\odot}$



Stellar evolution  
First

Mass segregation  
First

● = Black hole

● = Main Sequence

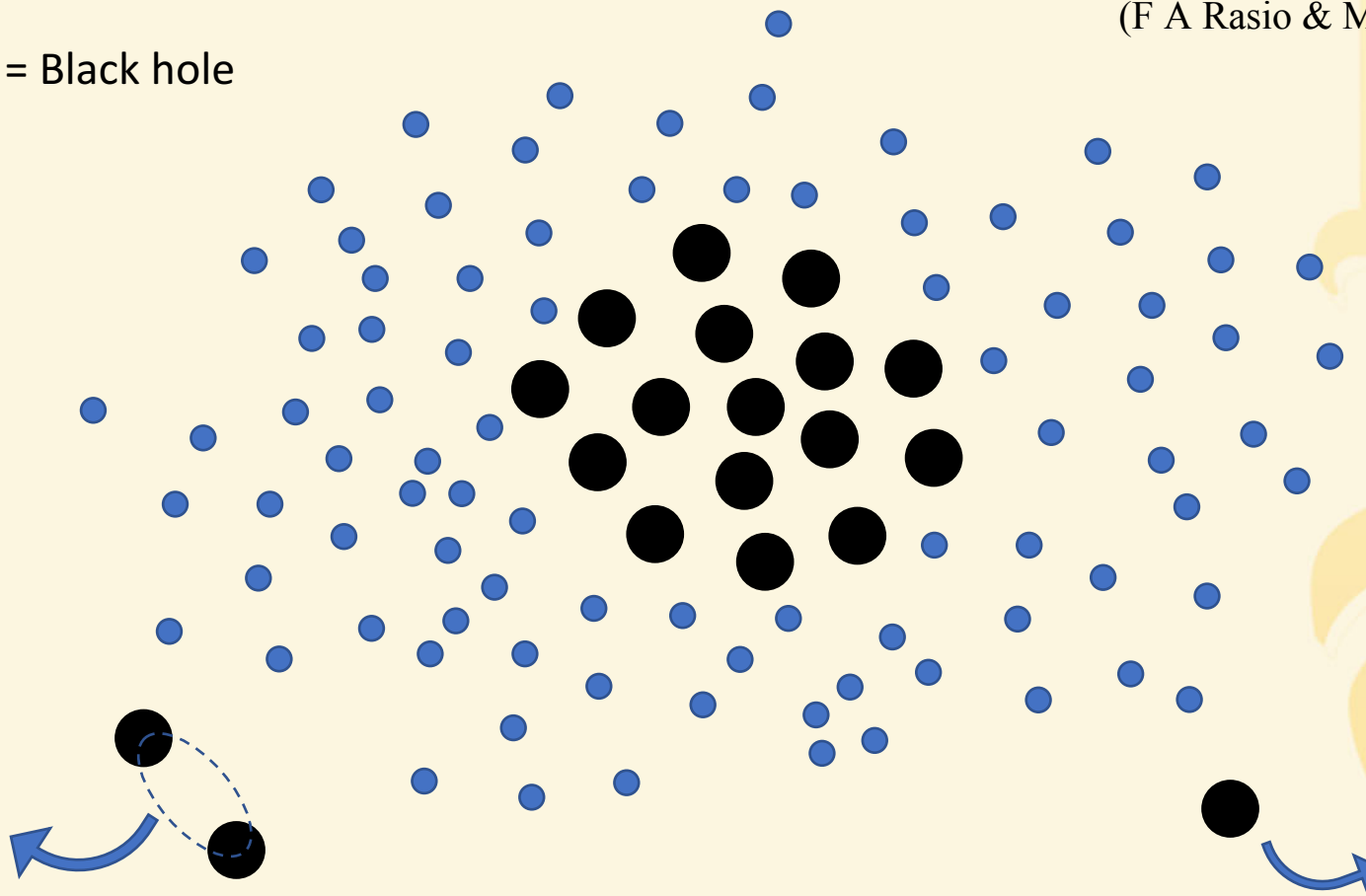


# Spitzer instability

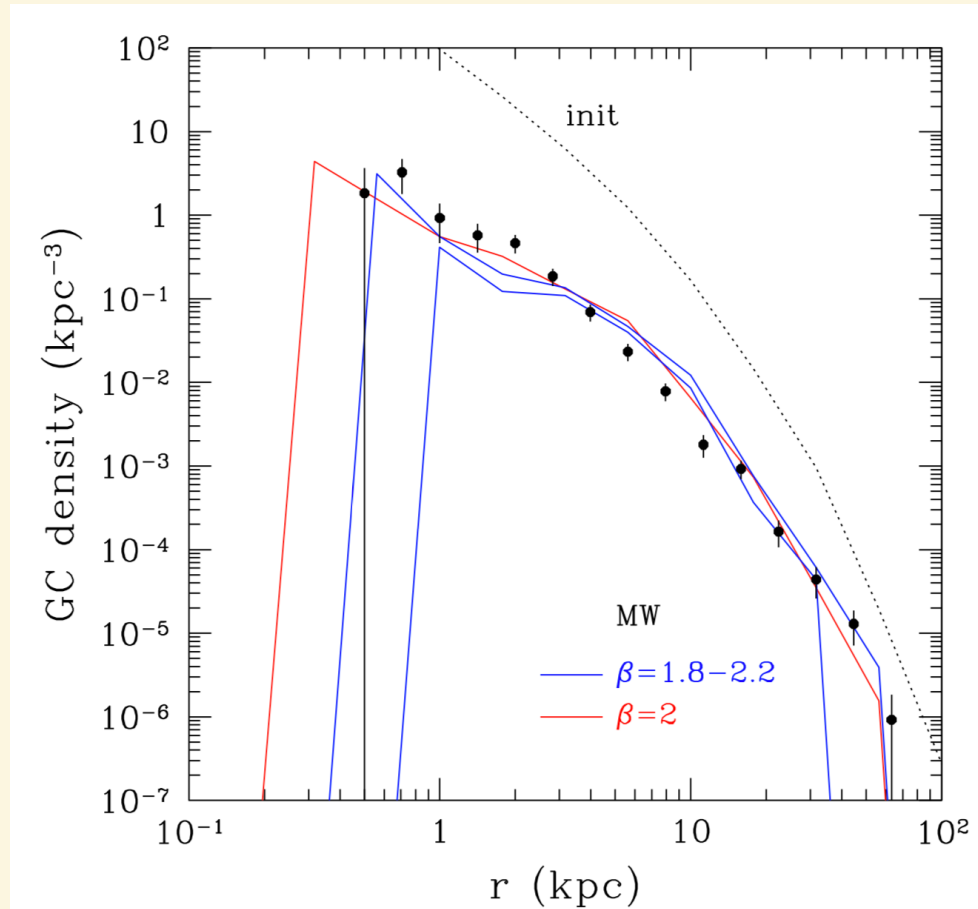
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● = Black hole

●  $< 1 M_{\odot}$   
●  $> 1 M_{\odot}$



# Disruption of clusters near galactic center

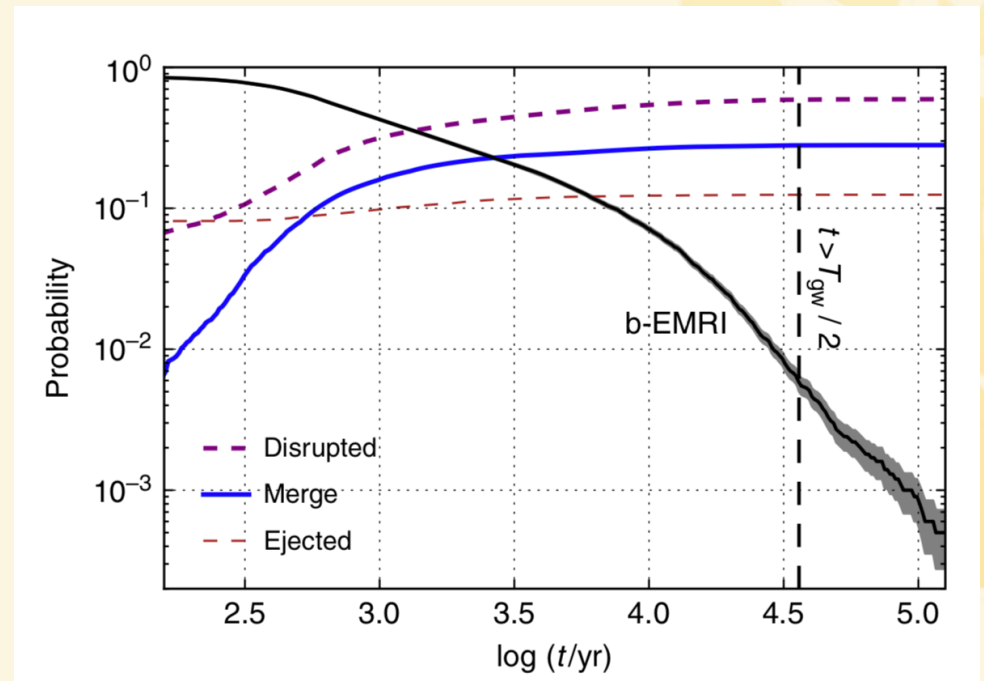
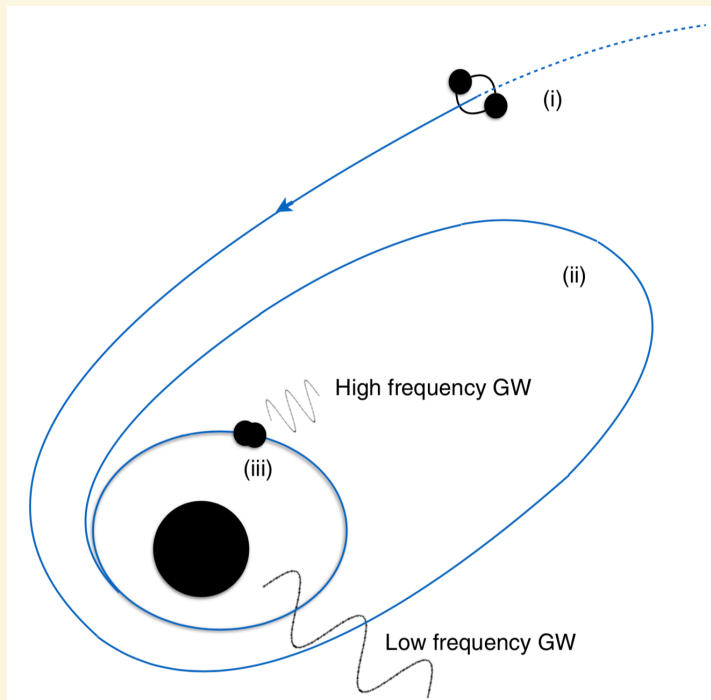


$$dN/dM \propto M^{-\beta}$$

(O Y. Gnedin, J P. Ostriker, and S Tremaine, 2014)



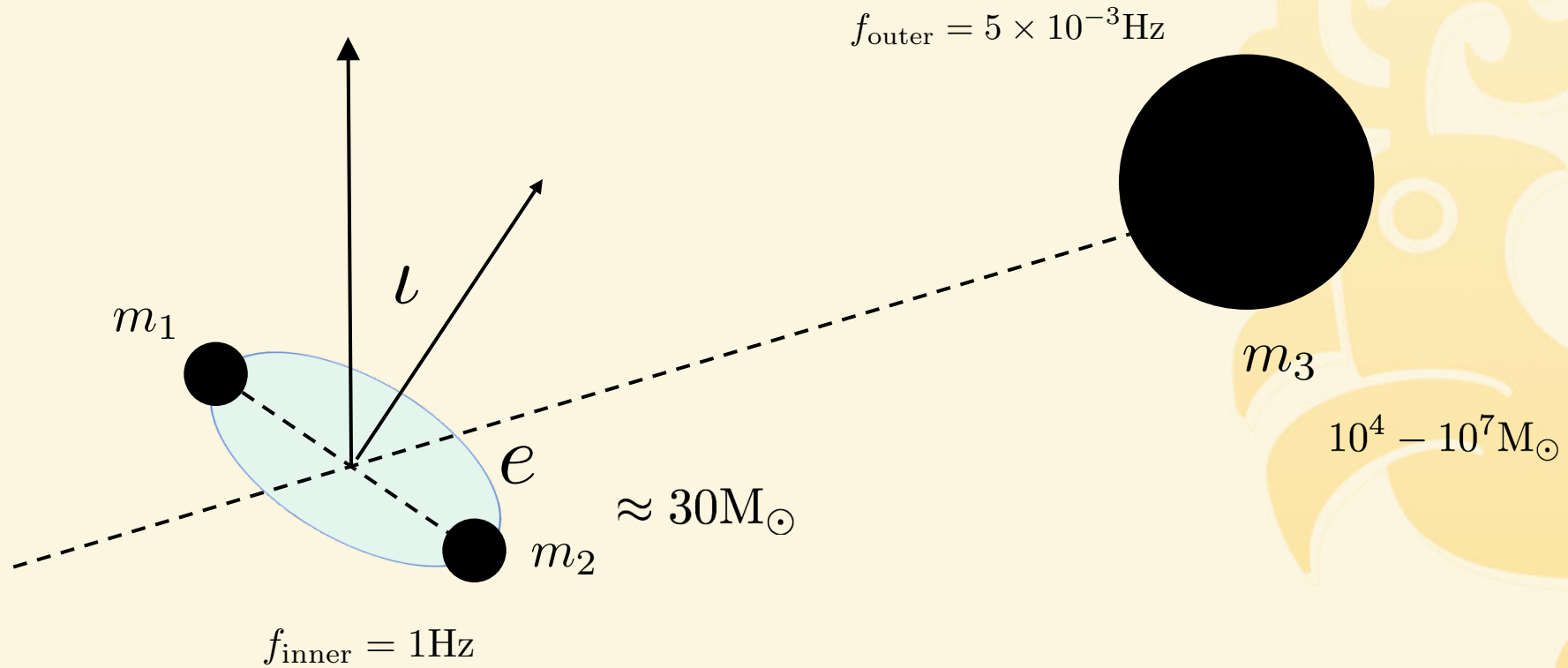
# Tidal capture of stellar mass binary



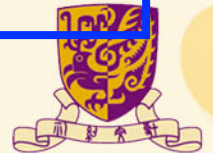
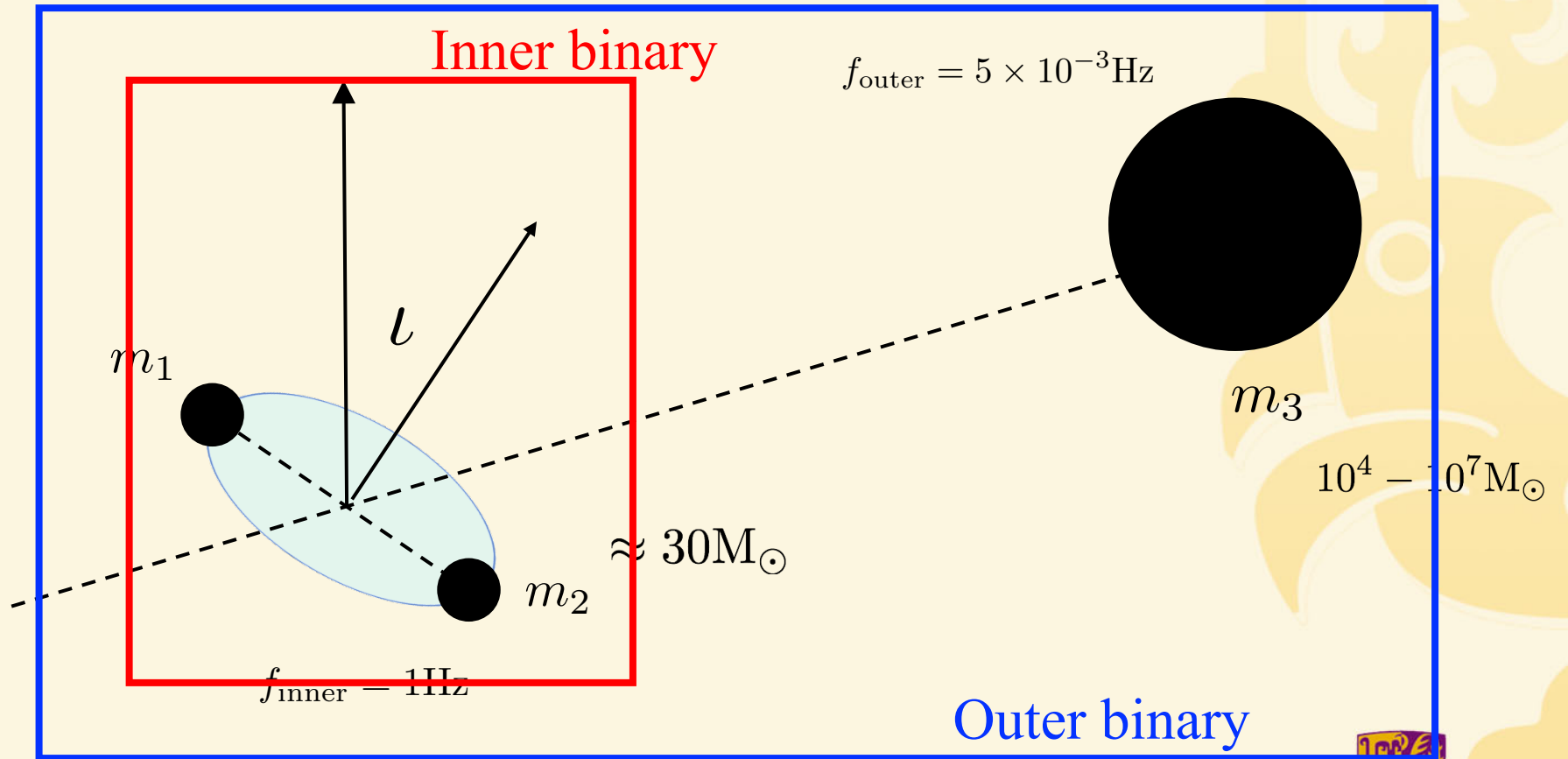
( X Chen & WB Han 2018)



# Binary-Extreme-Mass-Ratio-Inspiral (B-EMRI)



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# Equation of Motion

(P Galaviz, and B Bruggmann, 2011)

(M Bonetti, F Haardt, A Sesana & E Barausse, 2016)

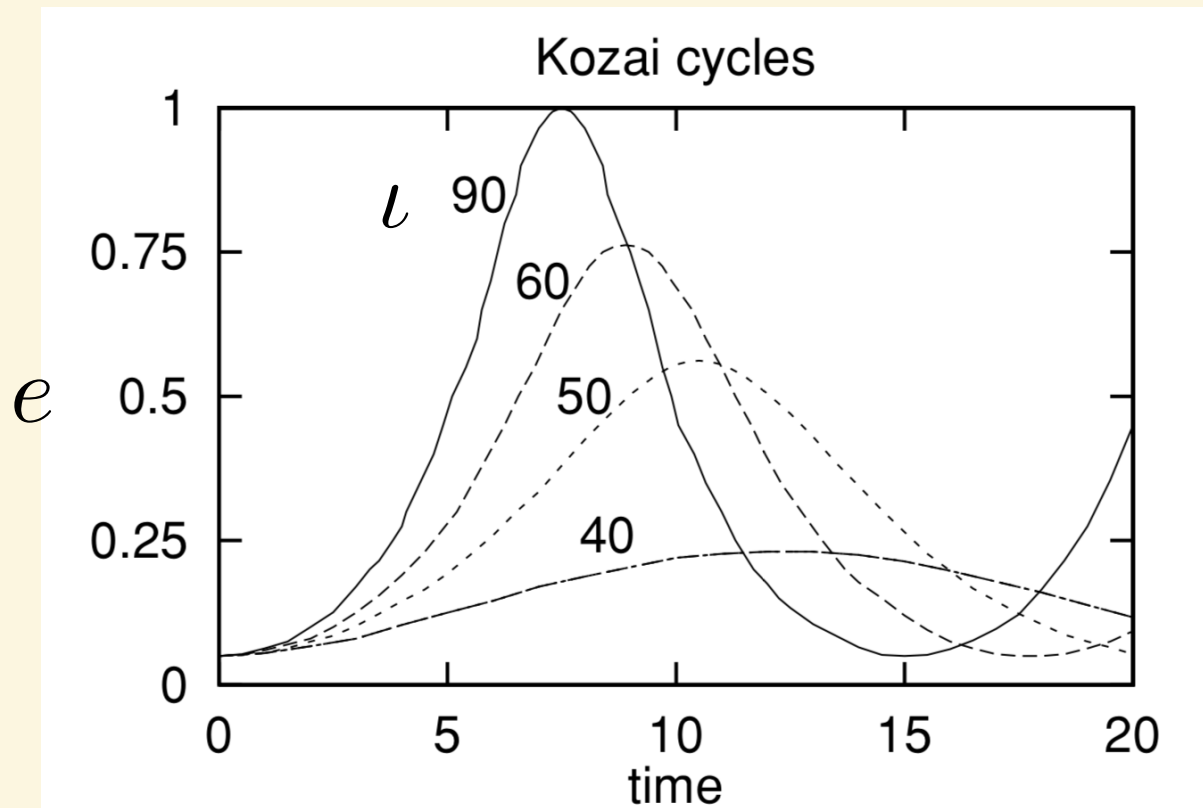
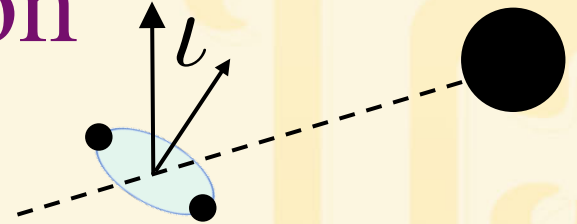
$$H_{1,N} + H_{1,PN} + H_{2,PN} + H_{2.5,PN}$$

2PN ADM Hamiltonian

Leading order dissipative



# Kozai Oscillation



(credits: M Valtonen & H Karttunen 2005)



# Parameter space

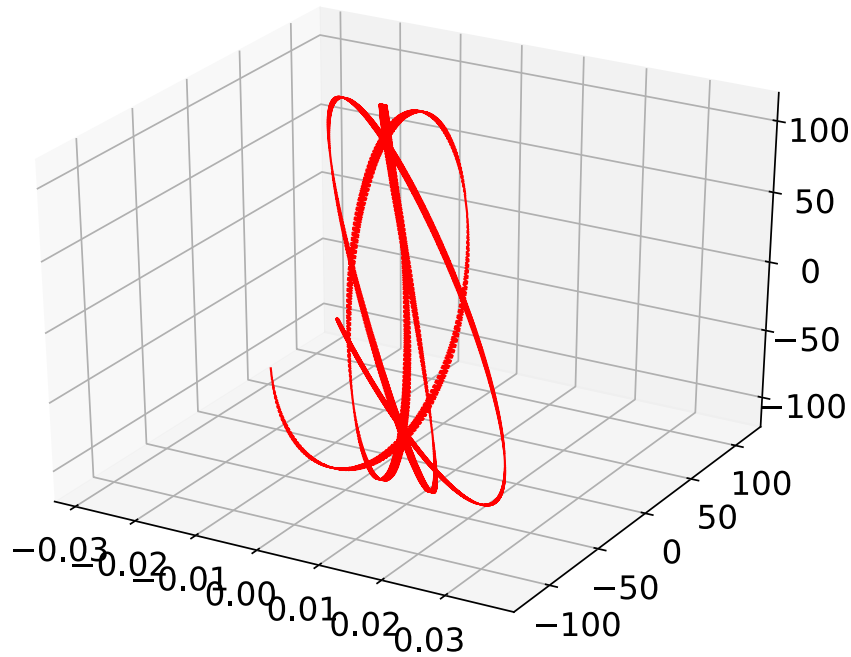
1  $T_{\text{GW,outer}} > T_{\text{Kozai}} > T_{\text{GW,inner}}$

2  $T_{\text{GW,outer}} > T_{\text{GW,inner}} > T_{\text{Kozai}}$

3  $T_{\text{GW,outer}} > T_{\text{GW,inner}} \approx T_{\text{Kozai}}$



# Case 1: GW radiation dominates



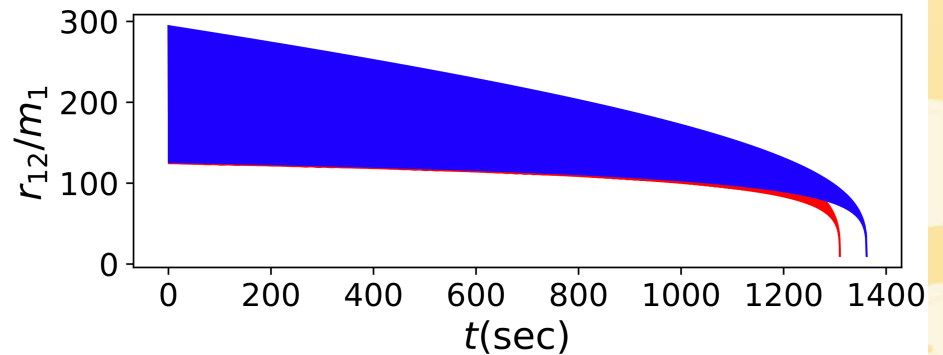
$$m_3 = 10^4 M_\odot$$

$$f_{\text{outer}} = 5 \times 10^{-3} \text{ Hz}$$

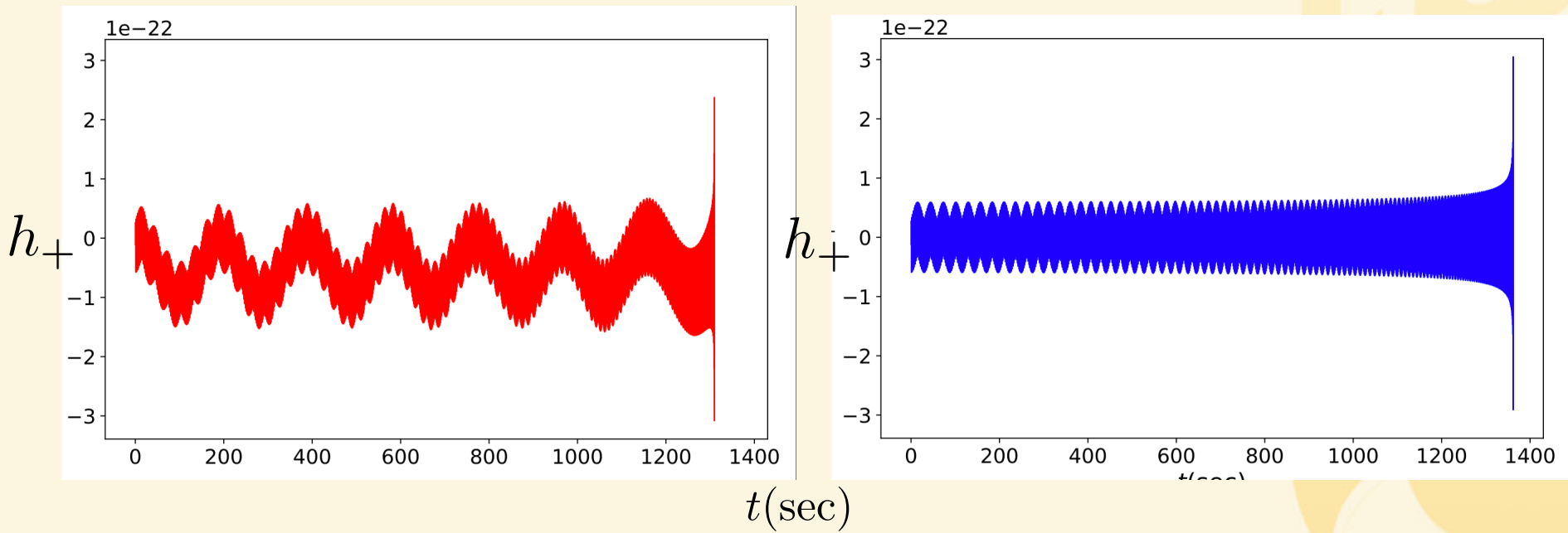
$$m_1 = m_2 = 30 M_\odot$$

$$f_{\text{inner}} = 1 \text{ Hz}$$

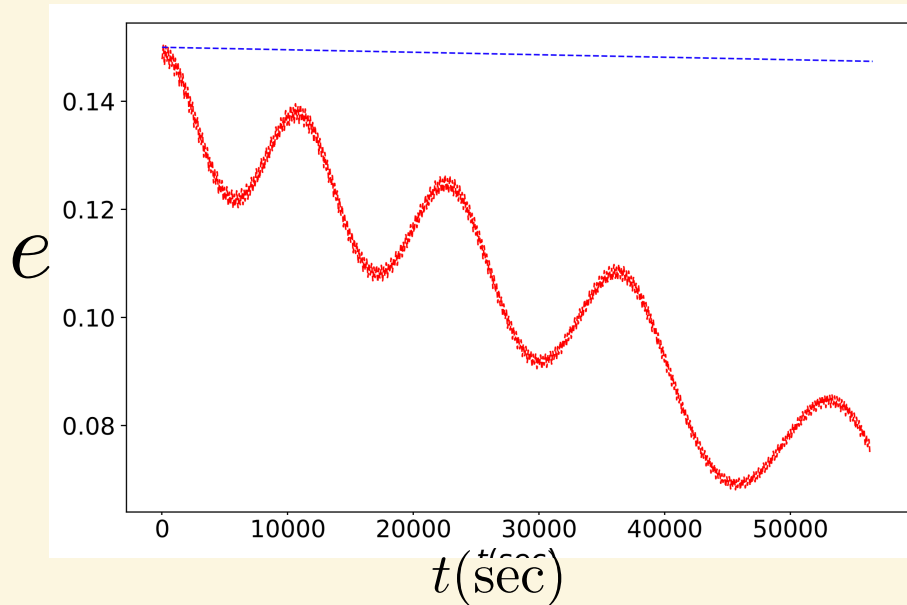
$$e_0 = 0.4$$



# Case 1: GW radiation dominates



## Case 2: restricted Kozai oscillation

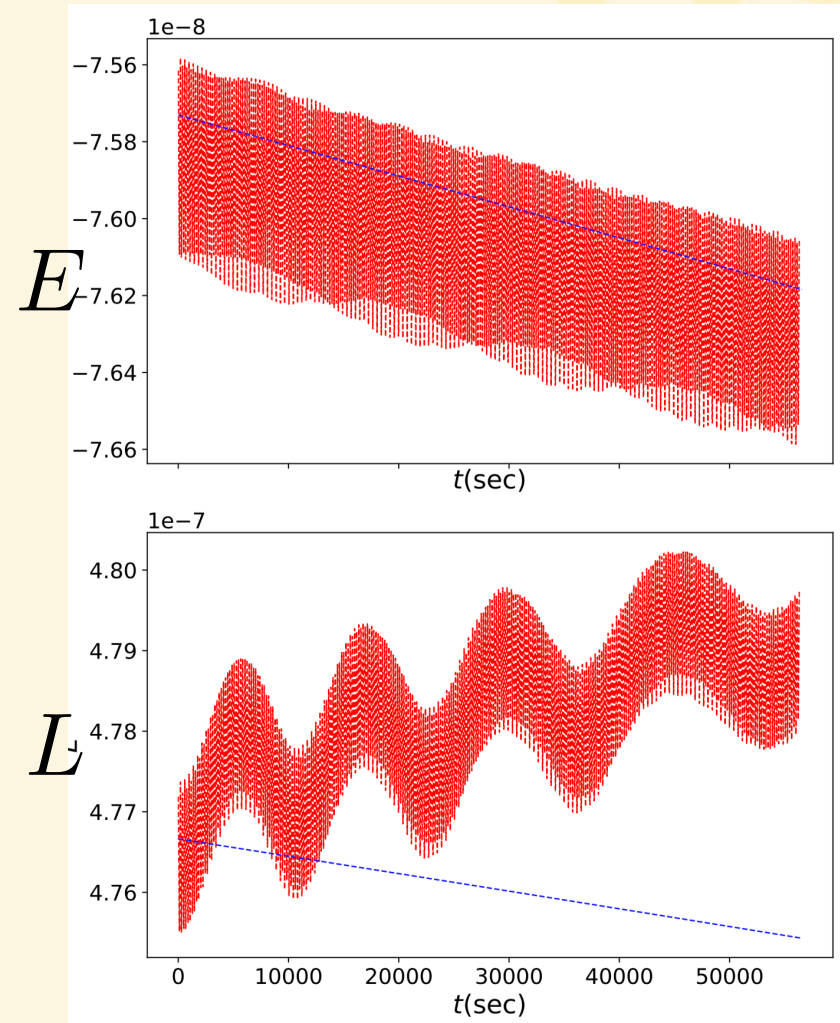


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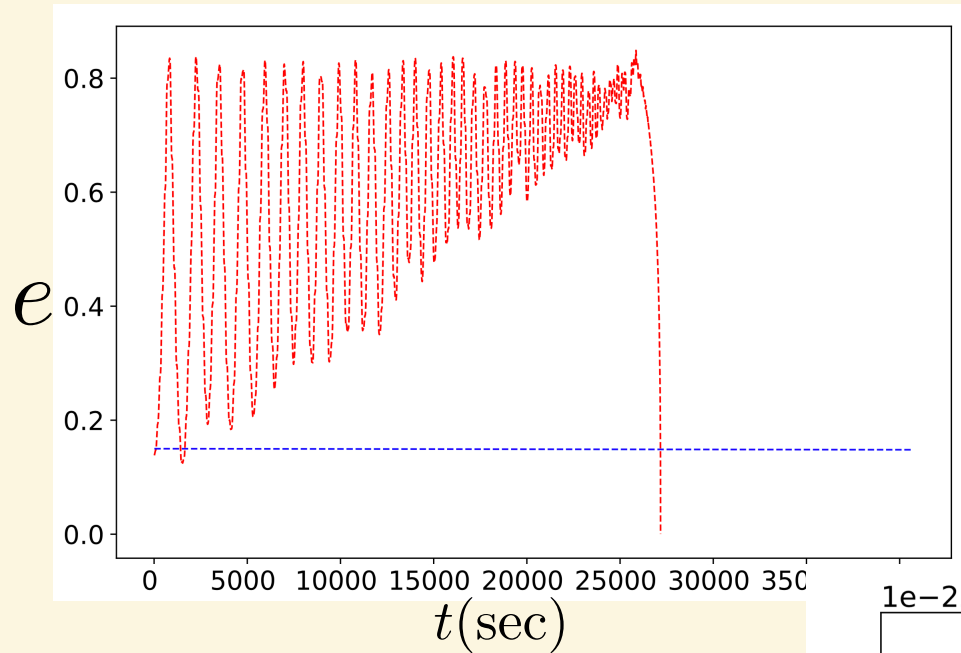
$$f_{\text{inner}} = 0.1 \text{ Hz}$$



(Agree with S Naoz 2013)



# Case 2: Third Body Induced Merger



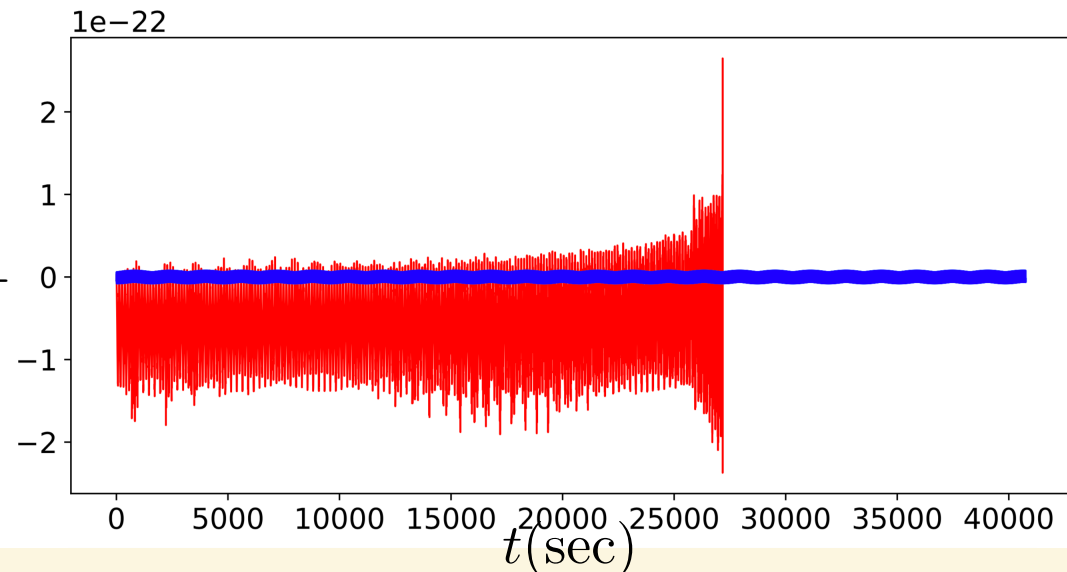
$$m_3 = 10^4 M_\odot$$

$$f_{\text{outer}} = 7.5 \times 10^{-3} \text{ Hz}$$

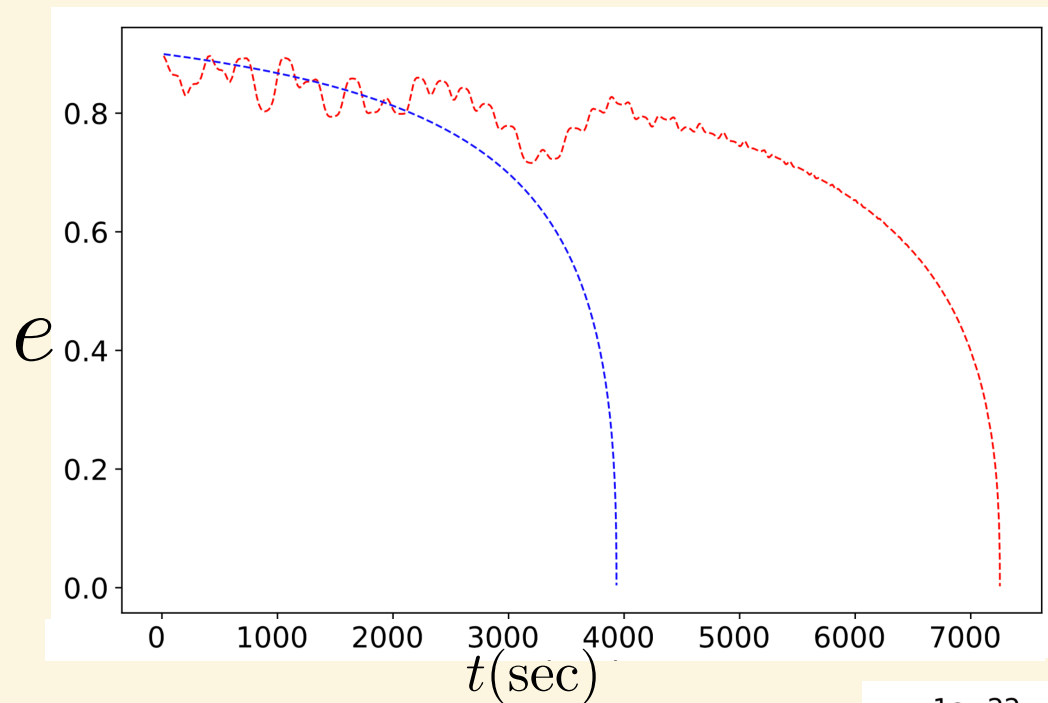
$$m_1 = m_2 = 30 M_\odot$$

$$f_{\text{inner}} = 0.1 \text{ Hz}$$

$h_+$



# Case 3: Delayed Merger

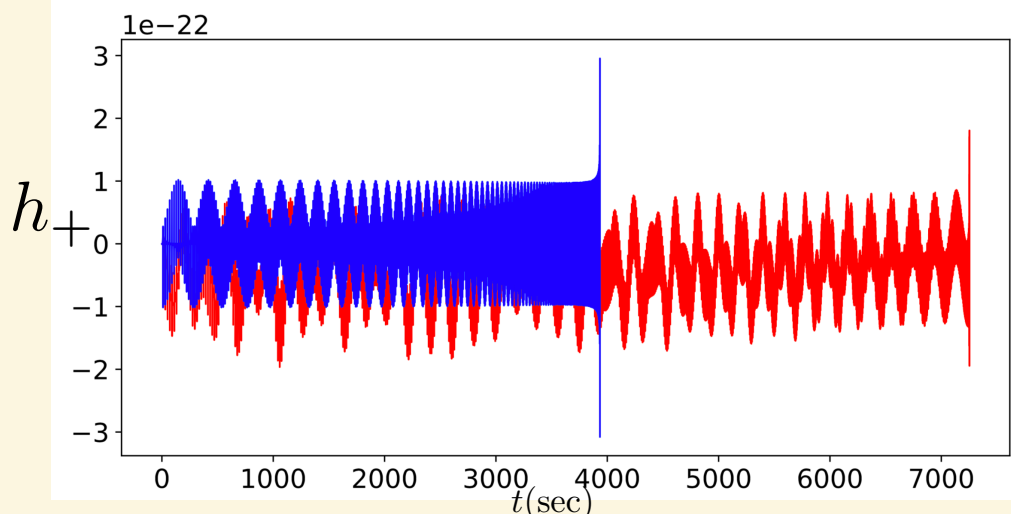


$$m_3 = 10^4 M_\odot$$

$$f_{\text{outer}} = 5 \times 10^{-3} \text{ Hz}$$

$$m_1 = m_2 = 30 M_\odot$$

$$f_{\text{inner}} = 0.1 \text{ Hz}$$



Thank you!

