

# Frequency domain calculations of eccentric orbit EMRIs on Schwarzschild

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# Accuracy Requirements

Example: Assume  $\epsilon = \mu/M = 10^{-6}$ ,  $\Delta\Phi/\Phi \simeq 10^{-7}$

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Metric :               $g_{\mu\nu}$     +     $1p_{\mu\nu}$       +     $2p_{\mu\nu}$       +     $\dots$

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Self – force :                       $1f_{\mu}$       +     $2f_{\mu}$       +     $\dots$

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## High-level summary

- (1) Use RWZ formalism; find  $\Psi_{\ell m}^{\text{odd}} = \Psi_{\ell m}^{\text{CPM}}(t, r)$ ,  $\Psi_{\ell m}^{\text{even}} = \Psi_{\ell m}^{\text{ZM}}(t, r)$
- (2) Obtain metric in RW gauge
- (3) Obtain gauge generators to go from RW to Lorenz gauge
- (4) Obtain metric in Lorenz gauge
- (5) (Next) use to obtain the self-force

...but how can we do with requisite accuracy

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  - Standard Green function method for  $R_{\ell mn}(r)$
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- $\Psi_{\ell m}^{\text{even}}$ ,  $\Psi_{\ell m}^{\text{odd}}$  functions of  $p_{\mu\nu}^{\ell m}$  and derivatives in RW gauge
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- $\Psi_{\ell m}^{\text{even/odd}}$  are linear combinations of  $h_{\mu\nu}^{\ell m}$  and its derivatives in Regge-Wheeler gauge

- Even-parity master function is the Zerilli-Moncrief function

$$\Psi_{\text{even}}(t, r) \equiv \frac{2r}{\ell(\ell+1)} \left[ K + \frac{1}{\Lambda} (f^2 h_{rr} - r f \partial_r K) \right],$$

- Odd-parity master function is the Cunningham-Price-Moncrief function

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# Frequency Domain Formalism

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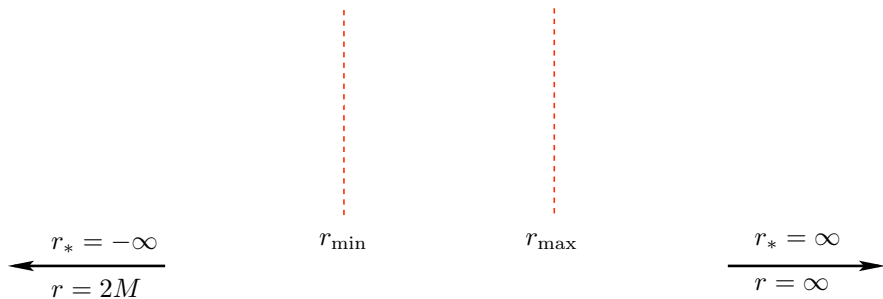
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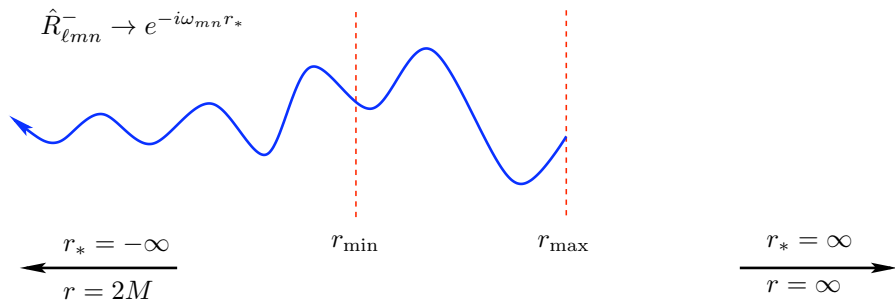
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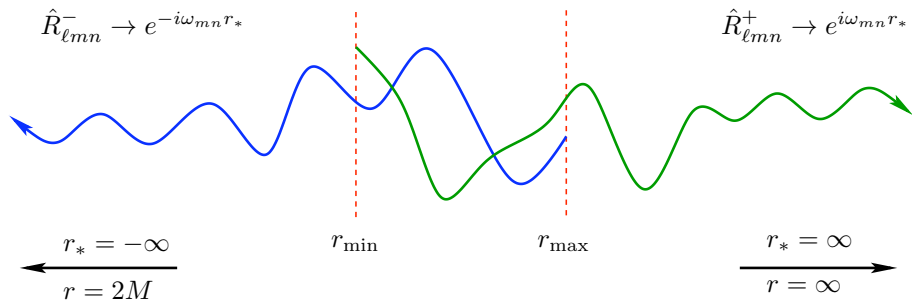




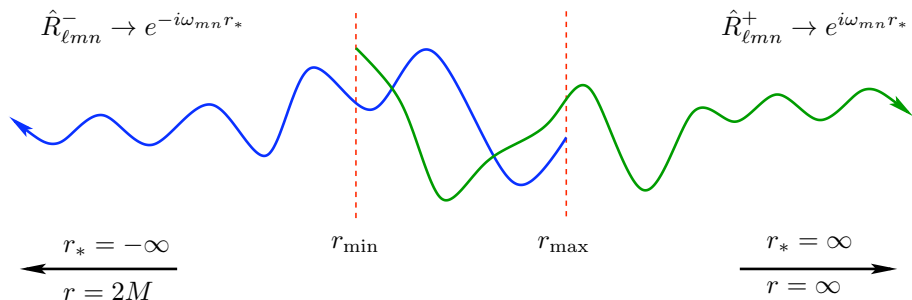
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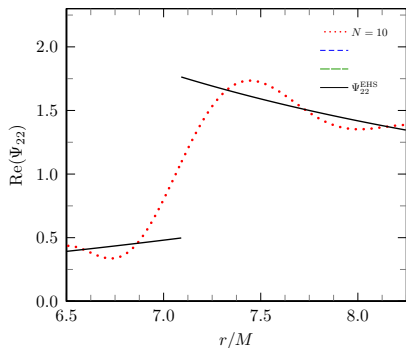
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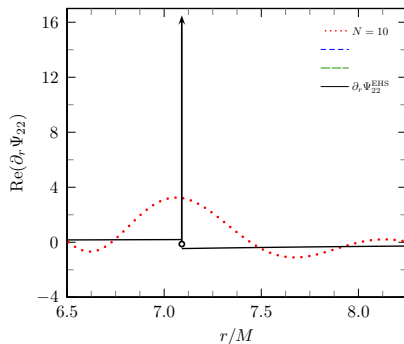
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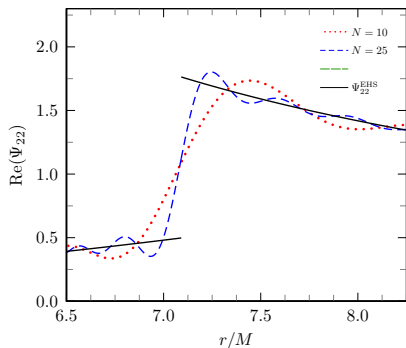
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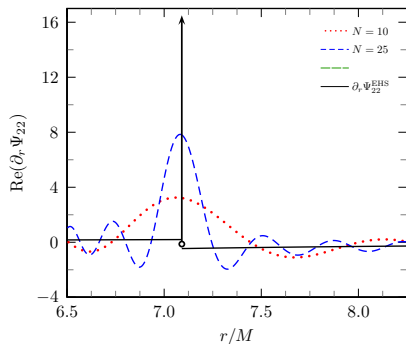


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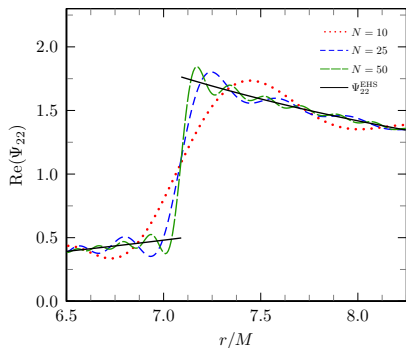
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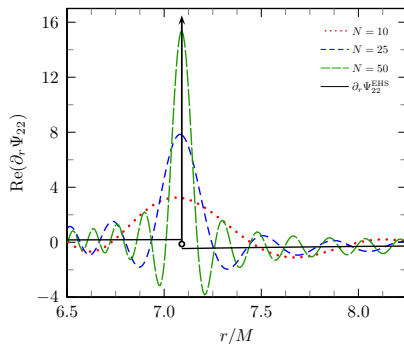
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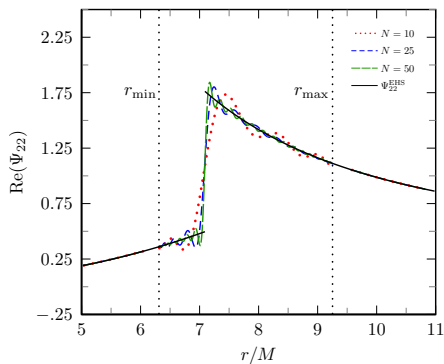
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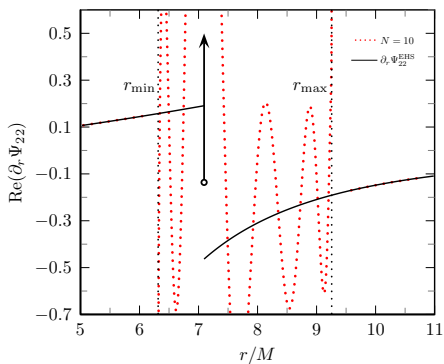
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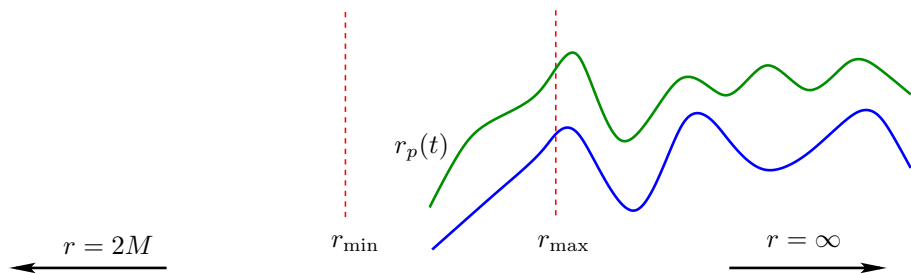
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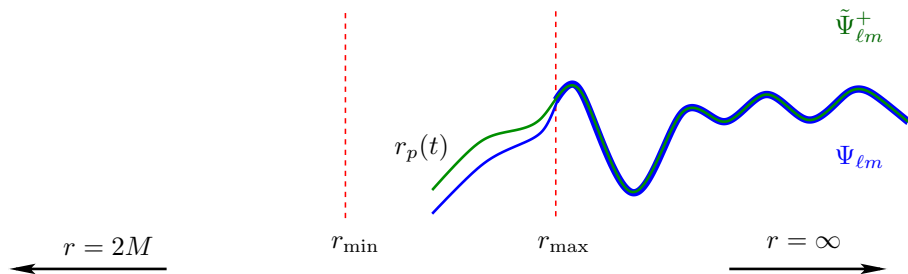


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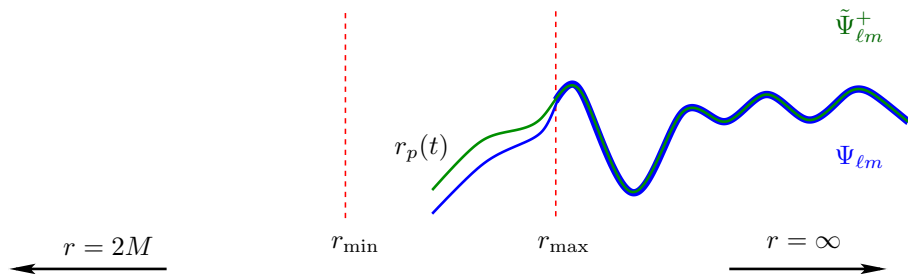
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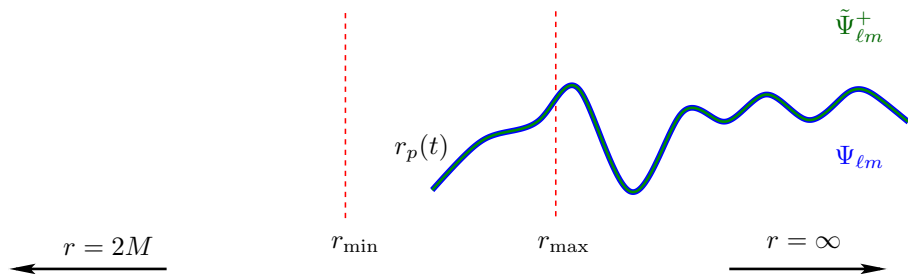
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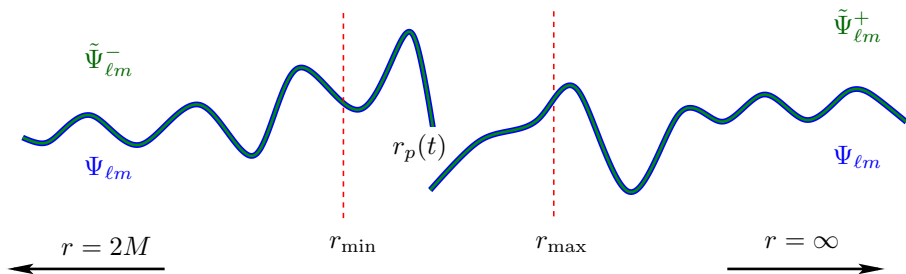
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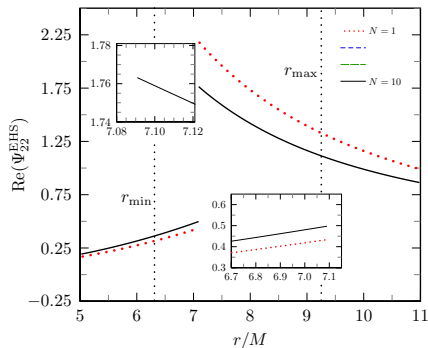
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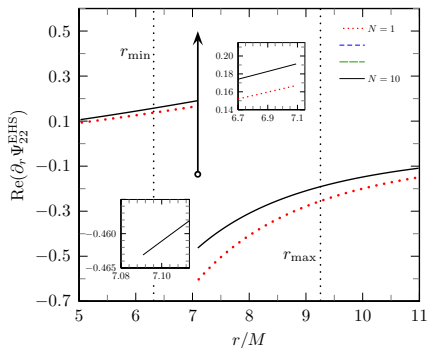
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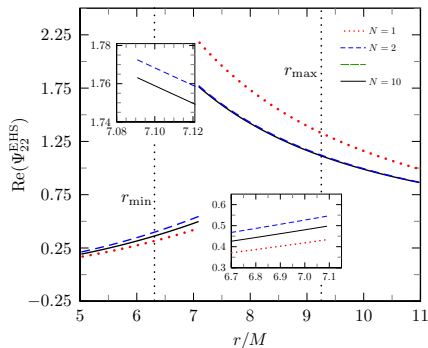
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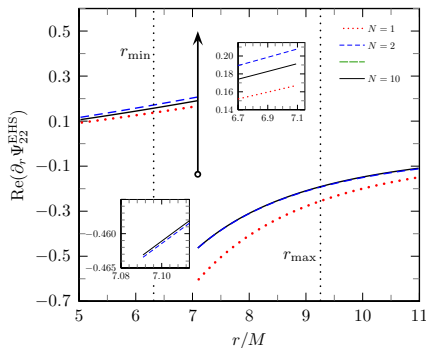
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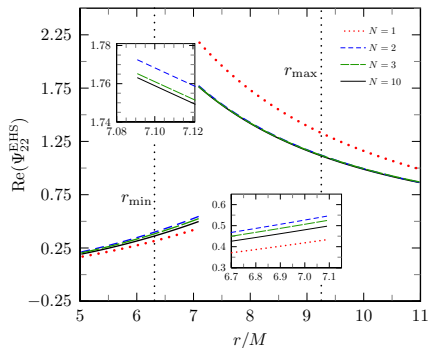
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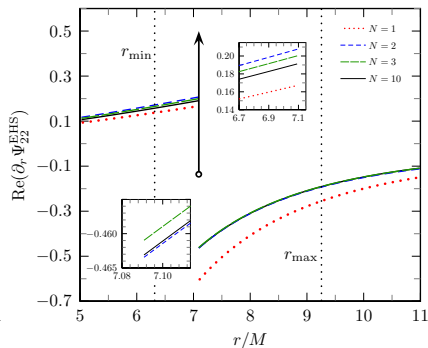
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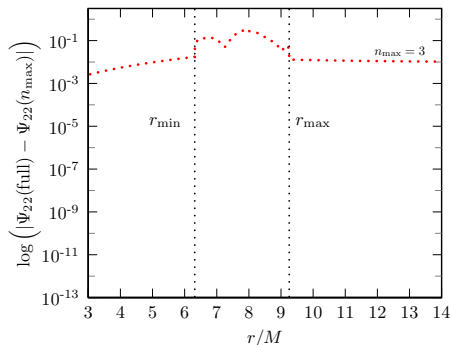
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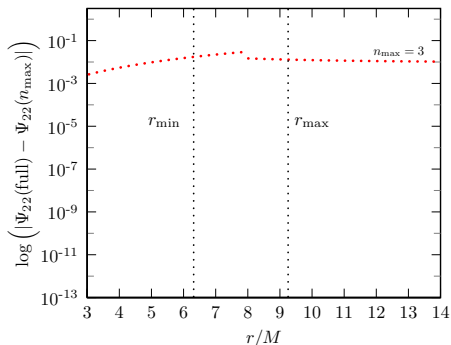


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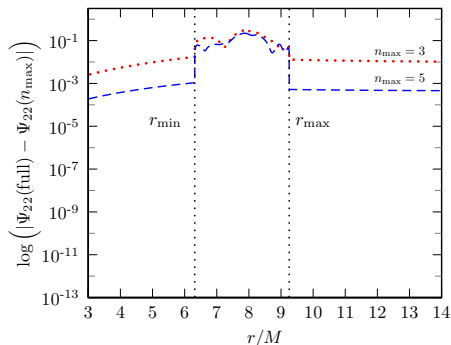
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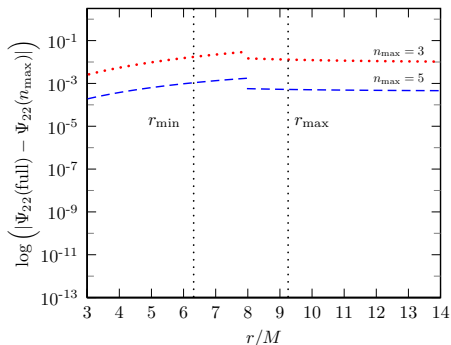
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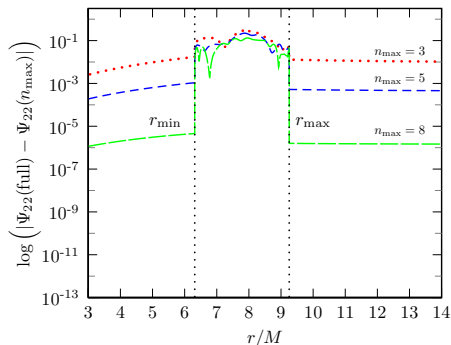
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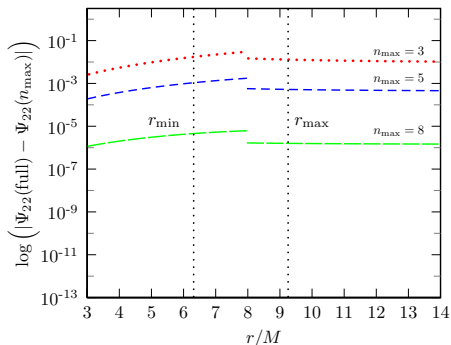
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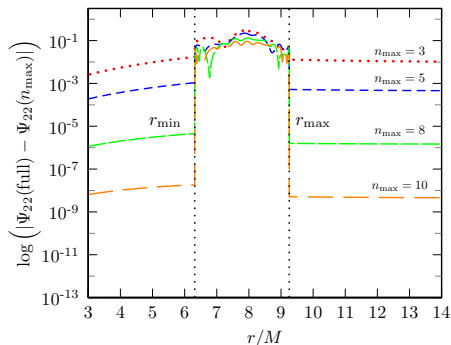
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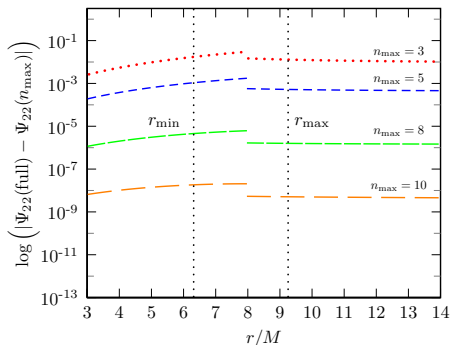
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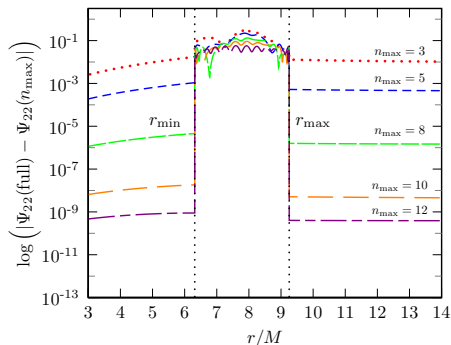
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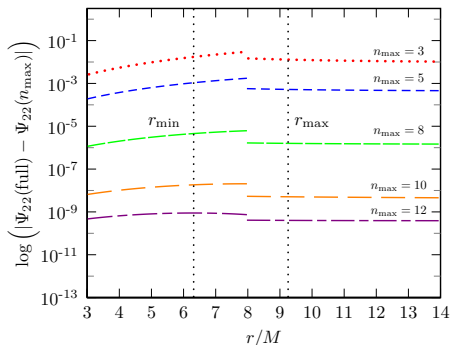
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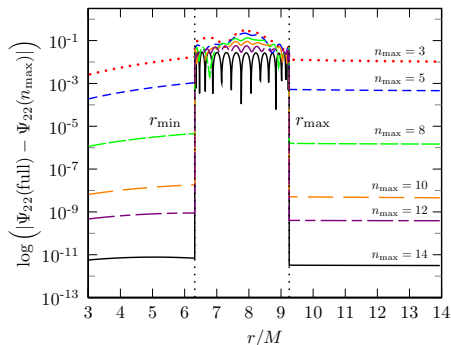
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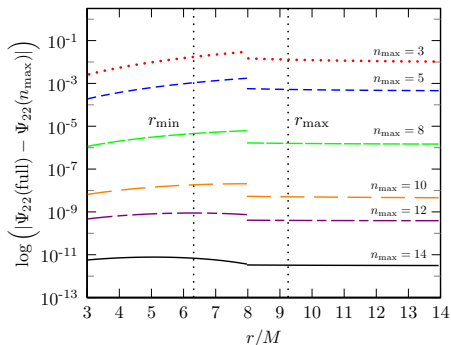
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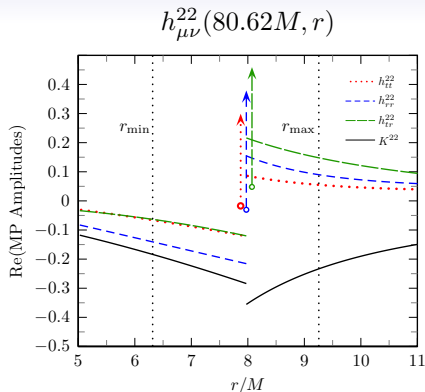
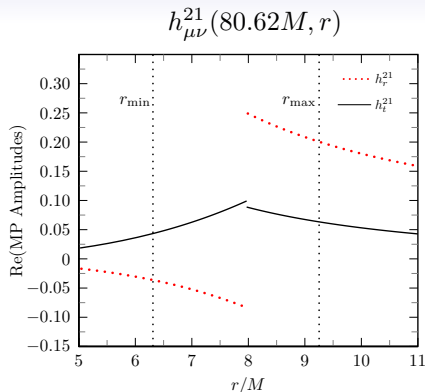
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Time dependent singular amplitudes are computable
- Metric amplitudes  $K$  (even) and  $h_r$  (odd) and  $h_t$  (odd) are  $C^{-1}$

# Transforming to Lorenz gauge

- Gauge transformation from Regge-Wheeler (RW) to Lorenz (L)

$$x_{\text{RW}}^\mu \rightarrow x_{\text{L}}^\mu = x_{\text{RW}}^\mu + \Xi^\mu, \quad |\Xi^\mu| \sim |p_{\mu\nu}| \ll 1$$

- Metric perturbation transforms as

$$p_{\mu\nu}^{\text{RW}} \rightarrow p_{\mu\nu}^{\text{L}} = p_{\mu\nu}^{\text{RW}} - \Xi_{\mu|\nu} - \Xi_{\nu|\mu}$$

Stroke | is covariant differentiation with respect to  $g_{\mu\nu}$

- Demand  $p_{\mu\nu}^{\text{L}}$  satisfy the Lorenz gauge condition,  $\bar{p}_{\mu\nu}^{\text{L}|\nu} = 0$
- Therefore

$$\Xi_{\mu|\nu}{}^\nu = \bar{p}_{\mu\nu}^{\text{RW}|\nu} = p_{\mu\nu}^{\text{RW}|\nu} - \frac{1}{2}g^{\alpha\beta}p_{\alpha\beta|\mu}^{\text{RW}}$$

# Equations for the Gauge Generator Amplitudes

- Define spherical harmonic amplitudes

$$\Xi_t = \xi_t(t, r)Y^{\ell m}$$

$$\Xi_r = \xi_r(t, r)Y^{\ell m}$$

$$\Xi_A = \xi_{(e)}(t, r)Y_A^{\ell m} + \xi_{(o)}(t, r)X_A^{\ell m}$$

- One, separate odd-parity equation

$$\left[ -\frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial r_*^2} - f(r)\frac{\ell(\ell+1)}{r^2} \right] \xi_{(o)}(t, r) = 2f\Psi_{RW} + fp(t)\delta[r - r_p(t)]$$

- Three, coupled even-parity equations

$$\square \xi_t + M_t(\xi_t, \xi_r) = F_t(\Psi_{ZM}) + \text{singular term}$$

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## Alternative: Sago, Nakano, and Sasaki

- Formalism devised by Sago, Nakano, and Sasaki (2002)
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- The even-parity splits further into scalar part and divergence-free vector part

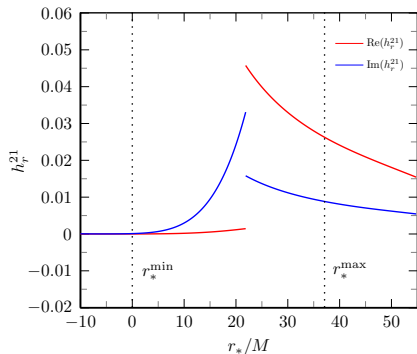
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- $r\Xi_{(s)}$  satisfies 4th order wave equation
- Antisymmetric gradient of  $\Xi_{(v)}$  projects to two scalars  $\phi_0$  and  $\phi_2$   
 $\phi_0$  and  $\phi_2$  enter into  $s = -1$  and  $s = +1$  Teukolsky equations
- A last equation sourced by  $\phi_0$  and  $\phi_2$  determines  $\xi_t$ ,  $\xi_r$ , and  $\xi_{(e)}$
  
- Direct even-parity gauge solution: 3 coupled 2nd order equations
- SNS even-parity gauge solution: 1 separate 4th order, 3 separate 2nd order equations

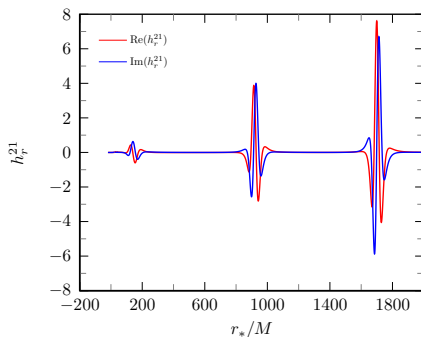


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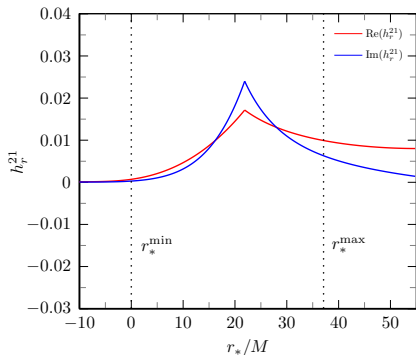
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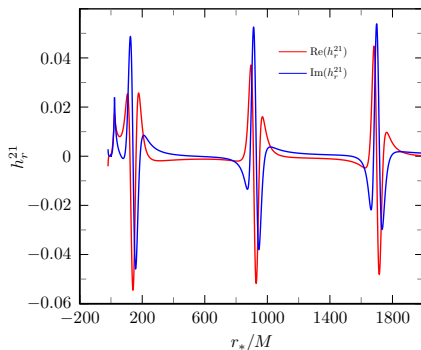
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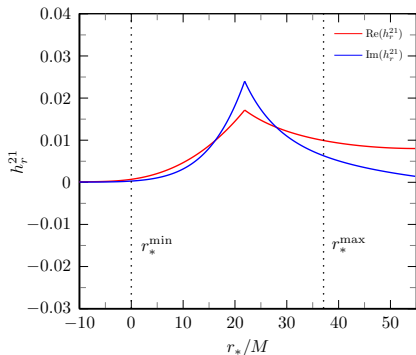
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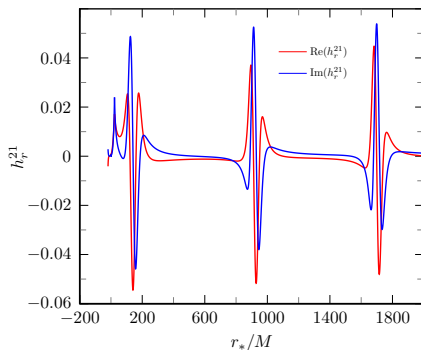
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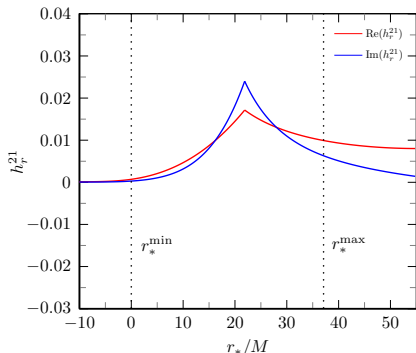
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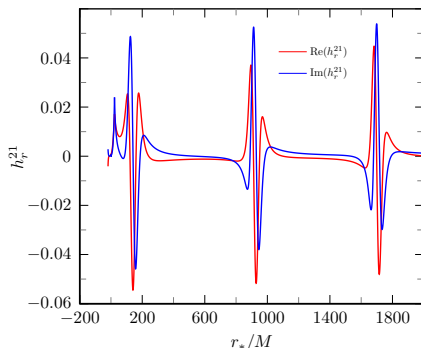
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# Conclusions

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SH & CRE (2010)

Frequency domain

RWZ formalism

Master functions:  $\Psi_{\ell m}^{\text{odd}}$ ,  $\Psi_{\ell m}^{\text{even}}$

ODEs but multiple harmonics

Exact bndy conditions, periodic

Smearred source, libration region

ODE accuracy, TD convergence

Gibbs problem (use EHS)

Reconstructed metric (RW gauge)

Gauge transform and self-force

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Barack and Sago (2010)

Time domain

Lorenz gauge

Metric perturbations:  $h_{\mu\nu}^{\ell m}$

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IV problem, transients

Moving delta source

4th-order PDE scheme

Time dep. jump conditions

Metric in Lorenz gauge

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