Radiation-Reaction Force on a Small Charged Body to Second Order

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- Extreme mass ratio inspirals give a prominent and long-lived GW signal ((e)LISA band)
- Small object probes the field of its companion





Current State of Formal Derivations - Linear fields

		Scalar/E&M		
		1st Order	2nd Order	
Flat, Forced	Limiting Process	Gralla, Harte, Wald - 2009	* Our computation *	
	Regularized point force	Abraham, Lorentz, Dirac - 1930s Quin 2000; etc	Х	
Curved, vacuum	Effective Field Thy	\leftarrow Galley ¹ 2010	$\leftarrow Galley^1 \ \texttt{2010} \rightarrow$	
	Regularized point force	Several, eg. Barack, Ori 2000	Rosenthal ¹ 2005 Burko 2002	
Fully general	Limiting Process	$\leftarrow Harte^2 \ 2008 \rightarrow$		

 2 Not a perturbative calculation

¹Nonlinear scalar

	Gravity		
	1st Order	2nd Order	
Nonvacuum	Zimmerman, Poisson 2014 Linz, Freedman, Wiseman 2014	X	
Limiting Process	Gralla, Wald 2008	Gralla 2012	
Matched Asymptotics	Mino , Sasaki,Tanaka 1997 Quinn,Wald 1997	Adam Pound 2012	
Gauge specific techniques		Rosenthal 2006	

- New Result : second-order electromagnetic self-force for general body
- Extension of Gralla, Harte, and Wald's first order E&M computation
- Rigorous derivation from limiting process (no regularization of singularities)
- Useful for physical understanding
- Method similar to matched asymptotic expansions (D'Eath 1996, Detweiler 2001, Poisson 2004)

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Axiom

There exists a one-parameter family of fields consisting of the Maxwell tensor $F_{\mu\nu}(\lambda, x^{\mu})$, the charge current density $j^{\mu}(\lambda, x^{\mu})$, and the stress energy tensor $T^{M}_{\mu\nu}(\lambda, x^{\mu})$, which satisfy the Maxwell equations, charge current conservation and stress-energy conservation equations.

$$\nabla^{\nu} F_{\mu\nu}(\lambda, x^{\mu}) = 4\pi j_{\nu}(\lambda, x^{\mu})$$
$$\nabla_{\mu} j^{\mu}(\lambda, x^{\mu}) = 0$$
$$\nabla_{\mu} T^{\mu\nu}(\lambda, x^{\mu}) = 0$$

These fields have support on the open interval $0 < \lambda < \lambda_0$, for some λ_0 . In particular, the fields need not have a solution at $\lambda = 0$.

Axiom

All of the fields $F_{\mu\nu}$, j^{μ} , and $T^{M}_{\mu\nu}$ are smooth in λ away from $\lambda = 0$.

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There exists functions $z^i(\lambda, t)$, $\tilde{j}^{\mu}(\lambda, t, X^i)$, and $\tilde{T}_M^{\mu\nu}(\lambda, t, X^i)$ such that for some global Lorentz frame coordinates (t, x^i) :

$$j^{\mu}(\lambda, t, x^{i}) = \lambda^{-2} \tilde{j}^{\mu} \left(\lambda, t, \frac{x^{i} - z^{i}(\lambda, t)}{\lambda}\right)$$
(1)

$$T_M^{\mu\nu}(\lambda, t, x^i) = \lambda^{-2} \tilde{T}_M^{\mu\nu}\left(\lambda, t, \frac{x^i - z^i(\lambda, t)}{\lambda}\right)$$
(2)

and \tilde{j}^{μ} and $\tilde{T}_{M}^{\mu\nu}$ are jointly smooth in their arguments and have compact spatial support.

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- Self-energy becomes problematic at higher orders
 - Spacelike integral has dependence on past worldline
 - Radiation must be handled carefully
- We use integrals over null cones [Harte]
 - Depends exclusively on a small region of the worldline
 - Dependence on choice of hypersurface due to non-conserved stress energy

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(Worldline Dependent) Bare Multipoles

For this presentation, I'll use 'bare' Multipoles to indicate

$$q = \int_{\Sigma} d\Sigma_{\bar{\eta}} j^{\bar{\eta}} \qquad P^{\mu}(\tau) = \int_{\Sigma} d\Sigma_{\bar{\eta}} T^{\mu\bar{\eta}}$$
$$J^{\mu}(\tau) = \int_{\Sigma} d\Sigma_{\bar{\eta}} u^{\bar{\eta}} j^{\mu} \qquad S^{\mu\nu}(\tau) = \int_{\Sigma} d\Sigma_{\bar{\eta}} T^{\bar{\eta}[\mu} \sigma(z(\tau), x)^{\nu]}$$
$$Q^{\mu\nu}(\tau) = \int_{\Sigma} d\Sigma_{\bar{\eta}} u^{\bar{\eta}} j^{\mu} \sigma(z(\tau), x)^{\nu} \qquad \hat{m} = \sqrt{\tilde{P}_{\mu} \tilde{P}^{\mu}}$$

$$Q^{\mu\nu\lambda}(\tau) = \int_{\Sigma} d\Sigma_{\bar{\eta}} u^{\bar{\eta}} j^{\mu} \sigma(z(\tau), x)^{\nu} \sigma(z(\tau), x)^{\lambda}$$

- Free indices are taken to indicate an implied parallel propagator to z(τ), u^β is the parallel transported velocity
- \blacktriangleright In general, these depend on a choice of hypersurface Σ and worldline our results use a null surface

A Representative Worldline

- A concept of a central worldline is required define bulk motion and multipoles
- Fixed by a spin-supplementary condition ('center of mass')
 - We take

$$\tilde{S}^{\alpha\beta}_{(\Sigma)}\tilde{P}_{(\Sigma)\beta}=0$$

- Defines (by a nontrivial equation) a central worldline $z(\tau)$
- Spin supplementary is very similar to a gauge choice
 - Changes form of equations of motion, but not the physical result



Figure: Many different worldlines; different EOMs, same physics

Our Perturbation Theory Notation

- \blacktriangleright Source fields are a one-parameter family $T^{\mu\nu}(\lambda,x^{\mu}),$ and $j^{\mu}(\lambda,x^{\mu})$
- Derivation expands worldline (via acceleration) and body multipoles perturbatively, e.g. :

$$a^{\mu} = a^{(0)\mu} + \lambda a^{(1)\mu} + \frac{\lambda^2}{2} a^{(2)\mu}$$
$$\tilde{Q}^{\mu\nu} = \tilde{Q}^{(0)\mu\nu} + \lambda \tilde{Q}^{(1)\mu\nu} + \frac{\lambda^2}{2} \tilde{Q}^{(2)\mu\nu}$$
(3)

- ► Maxwell field equations, conservation of stress energy, conservation of charge current expanded order by order to derive D_TP^{(n)µ} and a^{(n)µ}
- ▶ We require also a projector for many portions, defined as $\mathbb{P}^{\eta}_{\kappa} \equiv (g^{\eta}_{\kappa} + u^{\eta}u_{\kappa})$

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A Reminder of the First Order Form

► The form of the acceleration given in [GHW] is $\begin{aligned} (a^{\sigma}\hat{m})^{(1)} &= D_{\tau}(a^{(0)}{}_{\mu}\tilde{S}^{\sigma\mu}) + F^{(\text{ext})\sigma\mu}u_{\mu}\tilde{q}^{(1)} + \mathbb{P}^{\sigma}{}_{\rho}\left(\frac{2}{3}\left(\tilde{q}^{(0)}\right)^{2}\left(D_{\tau}a^{(0)\rho}\right) \right. \\ &\left. + \frac{1}{2}F^{(\text{ext})}{}_{\mu\nu}{}^{;\rho}\tilde{Q}^{(0)\nu\mu} - 2D_{\tau}(u_{\nu}F^{(\text{ext})[\nu|}{}_{\mu}\tilde{Q}^{(0)\mu|\rho]})\right) \end{aligned}$

Can be re-written as null cone integrated, renormalized momentum:

 $\tilde{P}^{(1)\eta} \mathbb{P}_{\eta}{}^{\kappa} = \tilde{S}^{\mu\kappa} a^{(0)}{}_{\mu} - \frac{2}{3} a^{(0)\kappa} \tilde{q}^{(0)2} + 2 \mathbb{P}^{\kappa}{}_{\eta} F^{(\text{ext})[\eta]}{}_{\nu} \tilde{Q}^{(0)[\mu]\nu} u_{\mu}$

- ► And momentum derivative $D_{\tau}(\tilde{P}^{(1)\eta})\mathbb{P}_{\eta}{}^{\kappa} = F^{(\text{ext})\kappa\mu}u_{\mu}\tilde{q}^{(1)} + \mathbb{P}^{\kappa}{}_{\eta}F^{(\text{ext})\eta}{}_{\mu;\nu}\tilde{Q}^{(0)\mu\nu}$
- Projected equation of motion for a generalized killing momentum from [Harte]

- Timelike component of Momentum Equation of motion $D_{\tau}(\tilde{P}^{(1)\mu})u_{\mu} = \frac{2}{3}(\tilde{q}^{(0)})^{2}a^{(0)}{}_{\mu}a^{(0)\mu} + u_{\lambda}F^{(\text{ext})\lambda}{}_{\mu;\nu}\tilde{Q}^{(0)\mu\nu}$ This implies a rest mass $\hat{m} \equiv \sqrt{\tilde{P}_{\mu}\tilde{P}^{\mu}}$ evolution: $D_{\tau}\hat{m}^{(1)} = \frac{1}{2}D_{\tau}F^{(\text{ext})}{}_{\rho\nu}\tilde{Q}^{(0)\rho\nu} + 2\tilde{Q}^{(0)\nu}{}_{\rho}F^{(\text{ext})}{}_{\nu\mu}a^{(0)[\mu}u^{\rho]}$
- ► With spin evolution also consistent with [GHW] $D_{\tau} \tilde{S}^{\eta \nu} \mathbb{P}_{\eta}{}^{\kappa} \mathbb{P}_{\nu}{}^{\lambda} = 2F^{(\text{ext})[\nu|\mu} \mathbb{P}_{\nu}{}^{\lambda} \tilde{Q}^{(1)}{}_{\mu}{}^{|\eta]} \mathbb{P}_{\eta}{}^{\kappa}$

Second Order Laws of Motion - Momentum Value

$$\begin{split} \frac{1}{2} \tilde{P}^{(2)\eta} \mathbb{P}_{\eta}{}^{\kappa} &= \mathbb{P}^{\kappa}_{\eta} \Bigg[\left(\tilde{S}^{(0)\mu\eta} a^{(0)}_{\mu} \right)^{(1)} - \left(\frac{2}{3} a^{(0)\eta} \tilde{q}^{(0)2} \right)^{(1)} + 2F^{(\text{ext})[\eta]}{}_{\mu} \tilde{Q}^{(1)[\nu]}{}_{\mu} u_{\nu} \\ &+ \frac{\hat{m}^{(1)} \tilde{S}^{\eta\nu} a^{(0)}_{\nu}}{\hat{m}^{(0)}} - \frac{\tilde{S}^{\eta\mu} D_{\tau} \tilde{P}^{(1)}_{\mu}}{\hat{m}^{(0)}} + 2 \frac{F^{(\text{ext})[\eta]}{\mu} \tilde{P}^{(1)\nu} \mathbb{P}_{\nu\rho} \tilde{Q}^{(0)\mu|\rho]}}{\hat{m}^{(0)}} \\ &+ \frac{2}{3} \tilde{q}^{(0)} \tilde{Q}^{(0)\mu\eta}_{\nu}{}_{\nu;\lambda} u_{\mu} u^{\nu} u^{\lambda} - \frac{5}{3} \tilde{q}^{(0)} a^{(0)}_{\mu} \tilde{Q}^{(0)\eta\mu}_{\nu;\nu} u^{\nu} + \frac{1}{3} \tilde{q}^{(0)} a^{(0)}_{\mu} a^{(0)\eta} \tilde{Q}^{(0)\mu\nu}_{\nu} u_{\nu} \\ &+ \frac{1}{3} D_{\tau} a^{(0)}_{\mu} \tilde{q}^{(0)} \tilde{Q}^{(0)\eta\mu}_{\mu} - F^{(\text{ext})\eta\nu} u_{\nu} a^{(0)}_{\sigma} \tilde{Q}^{(0)\mu\sigma}_{\mu} - F^{(\text{ext})\eta\nu} a^{(0)}_{\nu} \tilde{Q}^{(0)\mu\sigma}_{\mu} u_{\sigma} \\ &- \frac{1}{3} D_{\tau} \left(F^{(\text{ext})\eta}_{\mu} \tilde{Q}^{(0)\mu\lambda}_{\mu} u_{\lambda} u_{\rho} - D_{\tau} \left(F^{(\text{ext})\eta\mu} u_{\mu} \tilde{Q}^{(0)\lambda\sigma\rho} \right) u_{\lambda} u_{\sigma} u_{\rho} \\ &- \frac{1}{3} F^{(\text{ext})}_{\mu} \tilde{Q}^{(0)\mu\lambda}_{\mu} u_{\lambda} u_{\sigma} u^{\rho} - F^{(\text{ext})}_{\nu} \tilde{q}^{(0)\nu\mu\rho}_{\mu} \right) \mathbb{P}_{\nu\rho} \\ &+ F^{(\text{ext})\eta\sigma}_{;\rho} \mathbb{P}_{\mu\nu} \tilde{Q}^{(0)\mu\lambda}_{\nu} u_{\lambda} u_{\sigma} u^{\rho} - F^{(\text{ext})}_{\nu} u_{\sigma} \tilde{Q}^{(0)\nu\mu\mu} \\ &- \frac{16}{5} F^{(\text{ext})\eta}_{\mu} a^{(0)}_{\nu} \tilde{Q}^{(0)\nu\lambda} u_{\lambda} + \frac{1}{3} F^{(\text{ext})}_{\mu}^{\nu} u_{\nu} a^{(0)\eta} \tilde{Q}^{(0)\mu\lambda\sigma} u_{\lambda} u_{\sigma} \\ &- 4F^{(\text{ext})\eta\mu} a^{(0)}_{\mu} \tilde{Q}^{(0)\nu\lambda} u_{\lambda} u_{\lambda} u_{\sigma} - \frac{2}{3} F^{(\text{ext})\eta\nu} a^{(0)}_{\mu} \tilde{Q}^{(0)\mu\mu\nu} u_{\sigma} \\ &- F^{(\text{ext})\nu}_{\mu} a^{(0)}_{\nu} \tilde{Q}^{(0)\mu\eta\lambda} u_{\lambda} + \frac{1}{5} F^{(\text{ext})}_{\mu}^{\sigma} a^{(0)}_{\nu} \tilde{Q}^{(0)\mu\eta\nu} u_{\sigma} \Bigg] \end{split}$$

This gives the relation between the various body parameters and the total momentum of the object - increasingly complicated at high order

Second Order Laws of Motion - Force

$$\begin{split} \frac{1}{2} D_{\tau} \tilde{P}^{(2)\eta} \mathbb{P}_{\eta}{}^{\kappa} &= \mathbb{P}^{\kappa}_{\eta} \Biggl[\frac{1}{2} \tilde{q}^{(2)} F^{(\text{ext})\eta\mu} u_{\mu} + F^{(\text{ext})\eta}{}_{\mu;\nu} \tilde{Q}^{(1)\mu\nu} \\ &+ \frac{4}{3} \tilde{q}^{(0)} D_{\tau} \left(a^{(0)\eta} a^{(0)}{}_{\nu} \right) \tilde{Q}^{(0)\mu\nu} u_{\mu} + \frac{8}{3} \tilde{q}^{(0)} D_{\tau} a^{(0)}{}_{\mu} a^{(0)[\eta]} \tilde{Q}^{(0)\nu|\mu]} u_{\nu} \\ &+ \frac{2}{3} \tilde{q}^{(0)} D_{\tau}^{2} a^{(0)}{}_{\mu} \mathbb{P}^{\mu}{}_{\nu} \tilde{Q}^{(0)\eta\nu} + \frac{1}{6} F^{(\text{ext})\eta}{}_{\mu;\nu;\lambda} u^{\nu} u^{\lambda} \tilde{Q}^{(0)\mu\rho\sigma} u_{\rho} u_{\sigma} \\ &+ \frac{1}{6} a^{(0)}{}_{\nu} u_{\mu} F^{(\text{ext})\nu\mu;\eta} \tilde{Q}^{(0)\lambda\rho\sigma} u_{\lambda} u_{\rho} u_{\sigma} - \frac{2}{3} \tilde{q}^{(0)} a^{(0)}{}_{\nu} a^{(0)\mu} a^{(0)}{}_{\mu} \tilde{Q}^{(0)\mu\nu} \\ &- \frac{1}{5} a^{(0)}{}_{\mu} F^{(\text{ext})\eta\nu}{}_{;\rho} u^{\rho} \mathbb{P}_{\nu\lambda} \tilde{Q}^{(0)\sigma\mu\lambda} u_{\sigma} + \frac{1}{2} F^{(\text{ext})\eta}{}_{\mu;\nu;\rho} \mathbb{P}^{\rho}{}_{\sigma} \mathbb{P}^{\nu}{}_{\lambda} \tilde{Q}^{(0)\mu\lambda\sigma} \\ &+ \frac{4}{5} a^{(0)}{}_{\nu} F^{(\text{ext})\eta}{}_{\mu;\lambda} \mathbb{P}^{\lambda}{}_{\sigma} \tilde{Q}^{(0)\mu\nu\sigma} + a^{(0)\nu} F^{(\text{ext})\eta\sigma}{}_{;\nu} \mathbb{P}_{\lambda\sigma} \tilde{Q}^{(0)\mu\lambda}{}_{\mu} \\ &+ \frac{a^{(0)\eta}}{\hat{m}^{(0)}} \Biggl(\tilde{S}^{(0)\nu}{}_{\mu} \tilde{S}^{(0)\lambda\mu} a^{(0)}{}_{\nu} a^{(0)}{}_{\lambda} + 4 F^{(\text{ext})[\nu]}{}_{\lambda} \tilde{S}^{(0)\mu}{}_{\nu} a^{(0)}{}_{\mu} \tilde{Q}^{(0)]\sigma]\lambda} u_{\sigma} \\ &+ \frac{8}{3} F^{(\text{ext})}{}_{\nu} [{}^{\mu} a^{(0)}{}_{\mu} \tilde{Q}^{\lambda]\nu} u_{\lambda} + 4 F^{(\text{ext})[\mu]\nu} F^{(\text{ext})}{}_{|\lambda|\nu} \tilde{Q}^{|\sigma]}{}_{\mu} \tilde{Q}_{|\rho]}{}^{\lambda} u_{\sigma} u^{\rho} \Biggr) \Biggr] \end{split}$$

- Momentum derivative nontrivially related to acceleration full dependence on external field derived from reduction of order
- 'Internal structure' dependence
- Mixing between multipole and self force

Second Order Laws of Motion - Timelike Component

$$\begin{split} \frac{1}{2} D_{\tau} \tilde{P}^{(2)\mu} u_{\mu} &= \tilde{P}^{(1)\mu} a^{(1)}{}_{\mu} + \left(\frac{2}{3} (\tilde{q}^{(0)})^2 a^{(0)}{}_{\mu} a^{(0)\mu} \right)^{(1)} + u_{\lambda} F^{(\text{ext})\lambda}{}_{\mu;\nu} \tilde{Q}^{(1)\mu\nu} \\ &+ \frac{4}{3} \tilde{q}^{(0)} D_{\tau} a^{(0)}{}_{\mu} \mathbb{P}^{\mu}{}_{\nu} a^{(0)}{}_{\lambda} \tilde{Q}^{(0)\nu\lambda} + \frac{1}{6} a^{(0)}{}_{\mu} F^{(\text{ext})\mu\nu}{}_{;\lambda} u_{\nu} u^{\lambda} \tilde{Q}^{(0)\sigma\rho\alpha} u_{\sigma} u_{\rho} u_{\alpha} \\ &- \frac{1}{5} a^{(0)}{}_{\mu} F^{(\text{ext})\nu\lambda}{}_{;\sigma} u_{\lambda} u^{\sigma} \tilde{Q}^{(0)\rho\mu}{}_{\nu} u_{\rho} - \frac{1}{6} F^{(\text{ext})}{}_{\mu}{}^{\nu}{}_{;\lambda;\sigma} u_{\nu} u^{\lambda} u^{\sigma} \tilde{Q}^{(0)\mu\rho\alpha} u_{\rho} u_{\alpha} \\ &- \frac{1}{2} F^{(\text{ext})}{}_{\mu}{}^{\nu}{}_{;\lambda;\rho} u_{\nu} \mathbb{P}^{\lambda}{}_{\sigma} \mathbb{P}^{\rho}{}_{\alpha} \tilde{Q}^{(0)\mu\sigma\alpha} - a^{(0)\mu} F^{(\text{ext})}{}_{\nu}{}^{\lambda}{}_{;\mu} u_{\lambda} \tilde{Q}^{(0)\nu\sigma\rho} u_{\sigma} u_{\rho} \\ &- \frac{4}{5} a^{(0)}{}_{\mu} F^{(\text{ext})}{}_{\nu}{}^{\sigma}{}_{;\lambda} u_{\sigma} \tilde{Q}^{(0)\nu\mu\lambda} - a^{(0)\mu} F^{(\text{ext})}{}_{\nu}{}^{\lambda}{}_{;\mu} u_{\lambda} \tilde{Q}^{(0)\sigma\rho\nu} \mathbb{P}_{\sigma\rho} \\ &+ \frac{4}{3} \tilde{q}^{(0)} \left(D^{2}_{\tau} a^{(0)}{}_{\mu} + a^{(0)}{}_{\nu} a^{(0)\nu} a^{(0)}{}_{\mu} \right) \mathbb{P}^{\mu}{}_{\sigma} \tilde{Q}^{(0)\sigma\lambda} u_{\lambda} \\ &- \frac{1}{\hat{m}} D_{\tau} \left(\tilde{S}^{\nu}{}_{\mu} \tilde{S}^{\lambda\mu} a^{(0)}{}_{\nu} a^{(0)}{}_{\lambda} - 4 F^{(\text{ext})[\nu]}{}_{\lambda} \tilde{S}^{\mu}{}_{\nu} a^{(0)}{}_{\mu} \tilde{Q}^{(0)]\sigma]}{}_{\mu} \tilde{Q}_{[\rho]}{}^{\lambda} u_{\sigma} u^{\rho} \right) \end{split}$$

- Non-vanishing for pure monopole, though rest mass conserved for monopole
- ► Again, internal structure and mixing of multipole and self force

Second Order Rest Mass and Spin evolution

$$\begin{split} D_{\tau}\tilde{S}^{(1)\eta\sigma}\mathbb{P}_{\eta}{}^{\kappa}\mathbb{P}_{\sigma}{}^{\rho} &= \mathbb{P}^{\kappa}{}_{\eta}\mathbb{P}^{\rho}{}_{\sigma} \left[\frac{2}{3}\tilde{q}^{(0)}D_{\tau}a^{(0)[\sigma]}\tilde{Q}^{(0)\mu|\eta]}u_{\mu} + \frac{1}{3}\tilde{q}^{(0)}a^{(0)}{}_{\mu}a^{(0)[\sigma]}\tilde{Q}^{(0)\mu|\eta} + F^{(\text{ext})[\eta]}{}_{\mu}\tilde{Q}^{(1)\mu|\sigma]} + \frac{1}{3}F^{(\text{ext})[\eta}{}_{\mu};^{\sigma]}\tilde{Q}^{(0)\mu\nu\lambda}u_{\nu}u_{\lambda} + F^{(\text{ext})[\eta]}{}_{\mu;\nu}\mathbb{P}^{\nu}{}_{\lambda}\tilde{Q}^{(0)\mu|\sigma]\lambda} + \frac{2}{3}F^{(\text{ext})[\eta}{}_{\mu}a^{(0)\sigma]}\tilde{Q}^{(0)\mu\nu\lambda}u_{\nu}u_{\lambda} + F^{(\text{ext})}{}_{\mu}{}^{\nu}u_{\nu}a^{(0)[\sigma]}\tilde{Q}^{(0)\mu|\eta]\lambda}u_{\lambda} + \frac{4}{5}F^{(\text{ext})[\eta]}{}_{\mu}a^{(0)}{}_{\nu}\tilde{Q}^{(0)\mu|\sigma]\nu} \right] \end{split}$$

- ► acceleration-dependence : self torque arises at second order $\hat{m}^{(2)} = -\tilde{P}^{(2)\mu}u_{\mu} - \frac{1}{\hat{m}} \left(\frac{2}{9} (\tilde{q}^{(0)})^4 a^{(0)}{}_{\mu} a^{(0)\mu} + \tilde{S}^{\nu}{}_{\mu} \tilde{S}^{\lambda\mu} a^{(0)}{}_{\nu} a^{(0)}{}_{\lambda} \right. \\ \left. + 4F^{(\text{ext})[\nu]}{}_{\lambda} \tilde{S}^{\mu}{}_{\nu} a^{(0)}{}_{\mu} \tilde{Q}^{(0)|\sigma]\lambda} u_{\sigma} + \frac{8}{3} F^{(\text{ext})}{}_{\nu}{}^{[\mu} a^{(0)}{}_{\mu} \tilde{Q}^{\lambda]\nu} u_{\lambda} \right. \\ \left. + 4F^{(\text{ext})[\mu|\nu} F^{(\text{ext})}{}_{[\lambda|\nu} \tilde{Q}^{|\sigma]}{}_{\mu} \tilde{Q}_{|\rho]}{}^{\lambda} u_{\sigma} u^{\rho} \right)$
- With these terms taken into account, monopole rest mass is conserved.

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Worldline-Following Basis

- We define a 4-vector P^µ at each worldline point, then choose a tetrad basis using worldline velocity to compute above components
- Related to a momentum in a stationary basis by a time-dependent boost

$$P_{\xi}^{\hat{a}} = \int d\Sigma_{\alpha} T^{\alpha\beta} \xi^{\hat{a}}{}_{\beta}$$
$$\tilde{P}^{\hat{a}} = \Lambda(t)^{\hat{a}}{}_{\hat{b}} P_{\xi}^{\hat{b}}$$



The Self Field and the Body Parameters

- We anticipated that the dependence of the self force may be complicated and involve degrees of freedom not usually associated with multipoles ('internal structure')
- However, we also anticipated that these values, like the static case, will be encoded in the external field degrees of freedom
- This anticipation has proved a useful check on our results and catch errors
- From this, we can work out which combinations of bare multipoles give the true field dependence, and express the self force in terms of the field degrees of freedom
- ► This defines the multipole renormalizations Q̃'s in our equations of motion

External field on Co-accelerating Null Cones

Field extracted from source function via Green Functions:

$$A^{\mu}(x,\tau) = \int d^4x' \delta(\sigma(x,x')) g^{\mu}{}_{\nu}(x,x') j^{\nu}(x')$$

- Re-write delta as δ(τ)/σ_{,τ}
 [Similar to Quinn 2000]
- Expand τ values near $\tau = \tau_{-}$
- Expand σ , $\sigma_{,\alpha}$, $g_{\alpha\beta}$ near x = x'
- ► $\sigma(x, x') = 0$ fixes the null cone surface $\tau'(x', x)$



Charge Renormalization from External Field

- No guarantee that the bare multipoles directly correspond to external field multipoles
- We start with the bare multipoles Field expansion shows that they're alright to leading order

$$A^{(0)\mu}{}_{l=1}(\tau) = \frac{\hat{n}^{\nu}}{r^2} \int d^3x' r' \hat{n}'{}_{\nu} j^{(0)\mu}(\tau, x') = \frac{\hat{n}^{\nu}}{r^2} Q^{(0)\mu}{}_{\nu}$$

 At subleading order, the field moments become more complicated

$$A^{(1)\mu}{}_{l=1}(\tau)u_{\mu} = \frac{\hat{n}^{\nu}}{r^{2}} \left(-Q^{(0)\alpha}{}_{\nu} + Q^{(0)\mu}{}_{\nu}{}^{\lambda}{}_{,\sigma}u_{\mu}u_{\lambda}u^{\sigma} + \frac{2}{5}a^{(0)}{}_{\nu}Q^{(0)\mu\lambda\sigma}u_{\mu}u_{\lambda}u_{\sigma} - \frac{4}{5}a^{(0)}{}_{\mu}Q^{\sigma}{}_{\nu}{}^{\mu}u_{\sigma} - a^{(0)}{}_{\mu}Q^{(0)\mu}{}_{\nu}{}^{\sigma}u_{\sigma}\right)$$

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 - $\epsilon \to 0$ at fixed "far zone" coordinates, body shrinks
 - $\epsilon \to 0$ at fixed "near zone" coordinates, background stretches, body remains constant



- Analytic derivation method very similar to that of Gralla, Harte and Wald:
 - Expand acceleration dependent stress-energy conservation and higher multipole equations order-by-order

$$\int d\Sigma_{\mu} \nabla_{\mu} T^{\hat{n}\mu} = \int d\Sigma_{\mu} u^{\mu} F^{(\text{ext})\hat{n}\nu} j_{\nu}$$
$$\int d\Sigma_{\mu} \hat{n}^{\hat{i}_{1}...\hat{i}_{n}} r^{m} \nabla_{\mu} T^{\hat{n}\mu} = \int d\Sigma_{\mu} u^{\mu} F^{(\text{ext})\hat{n}\nu} \hat{n}^{\hat{i}_{1}...\hat{i}_{n}} r^{m} j_{\nu}$$

- Impose spin supplementary condition
- Impose $T^{\mu\nu} = T^{\mu\nu}_{\text{self-self}}$ for boundary integrals
- invert to find acceleration

Process of Deriving the Laws of Motion

- Automated analytic derivation performed using xAct mathematica package
- Consists of around 900 mathematica cells, with several custom functions for dealing with the frame manipulations we need for working in retarded basis tetrads
- Cascaded order-by-order equation substitution is largely automated
- Without cached results, the code takes approximately 10-12 hours to run from start to end on a personal system
 - No paralellization used
 - Likely many optimizations can be made to pare that down
- Caching at several steps brings execution time down under an hour on subsequent runs.

Conclusions

- Rigorous limiting process-based techniques can be used to examine higher-order self forces
- For general (non-symmetric) bodies, the electromagnetic dipole effects are comperable to the first order self force, the quadrupole effects are comparable to the second-order self force
- These methods derive subtle effects that would be overlooked by naively adding point particle self force and multipole coupling terms
- Equations of motion require careful choice of extended body parameter definitions

