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Generalized Misner-Sharp mass and dynamical black holes in Lovelock gravity

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Motivation

- Lovelock gravity research could clarify
 - (1) Generic properties of gravity
 - (2) Why 4 is so special
- The most general quasi-linear 2nd-order theory for arbitrary n
 - Ghost-free nature
 - 0th order: Λ , 1st order: GR, 2nd order: Gauss-Bonnet



Lovelock action

Coupling constants

$$I = \frac{1}{2\kappa_n^2} \int d^n x \sqrt{-g} \sum_{p=0}^{[n/2]} \alpha_{(p)} \mathcal{L}_{(p)}$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{(p)} := \frac{1}{2^p} \sqrt{-g} \delta_{\rho_1 \dots \rho_p \sigma_1 \dots \sigma_p}^{\mu_1 \dots \mu_p \nu_1 \dots \nu_p} R_{\mu_1 \nu_1}{}^{\rho_1 \sigma_1} \dots R_{\mu_p \nu_p}{}^{\rho_p \sigma_p}$$

$$\delta_{\rho_1 \dots \rho_p \sigma_1 \dots \sigma_p}^{\mu_1 \dots \mu_p \nu_1 \dots \nu_p} := \frac{1}{p!} \delta_{[\rho_1} \dots \delta_{\rho_p} \delta_{\sigma_1}^{\mu_1} \dots \delta_{\sigma_p]}^{\nu_p}$$

Examples up to the 2nd order

- Cosmological constant $\mathcal{L}_{(0)} := 1,$
- Einstein-Hilbert $\mathcal{L}_{(1)} := R,$
- Gauss-Bonnet $\mathcal{L}_{(2)} := R^2 - 4R_{\mu\nu}R^{\mu\nu} + R_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma}R^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma},$

Up to [(n-1)/2]-Lovelock Lagrangian contributes to dynamics

=> non-trivial for n>4



Lovelock equations

$$\mathcal{G}_{\mu\nu} := \sum_{p=0}^{[n/2]} \alpha_{(p)} G_{\mu\nu}^{(p)} = \kappa_n^2 T_{\mu\nu},$$

$$G_{\nu}^{\mu(p)} := \delta_{\nu\rho_1 \dots \rho_p \sigma_1 \dots \sigma_p}^{\mu\eta_1 \dots \eta_p \zeta_1 \dots \zeta_p} R_{\eta_1 \zeta_1}^{\rho_1 \sigma_1} \dots R_{\eta_p \zeta_p}^{\rho_p \sigma_p}$$

Examples up to the 2nd order

$$G_{\mu\nu}^{(0)} = -\frac{1}{2}g_{\mu\nu},$$

$$G_{\mu\nu}^{(1)} = R_{\mu\nu} - \frac{1}{2}Rg_{\mu\nu},$$

$$G_{\mu\nu}^{(2)} = 2\left(RR_{\mu\nu} - 2R_{\mu\rho}R^{\rho}_{\nu} - 2R^{\rho\sigma}R_{\mu\rho\nu\sigma} + R_{\mu}^{\rho\sigma\gamma}R_{\nu\rho\sigma\gamma} \right) - \frac{1}{2}g_{\mu\nu}\mathcal{L}^{(2)},$$

Result summary

- In the (spherically) symmetric spacetime, Lovelock equations may be treated in the same way as in GR
- Consequence: Techniques developed in GR may be used also in Lovelock gravity



Ansatz: symmetric spacetime

- $n(>2)$ -dim symmetric spacetime $M^2 \times K^{n-2}$

- M^2 is a Lorentzian

- K^{n-2} is maximally symmetric (curvature $k=1,0,-1$)

- Metric:
$$g_{\mu\nu} dx^\mu dx^\nu = \underbrace{g_{ab}(y) dy^a dy^b}_{M^2} + r^2(y) \underbrace{\gamma_{ij}(z) dz^i dz^j}_{K^{n-2}},$$

- General matter field on this spacetime

$$T_{\mu\nu} dx^\mu dx^\nu = \underbrace{T_{ab}(y) dy^a dy^b}_{M^2} + p(y) r^2(y) \underbrace{\gamma_{ij} dz^i dz^j}_{K^{n-2}},$$



Generalized Misner-Sharp mass

D_a : covariant derivative on M^2

- Generalized Misner-Sharp mass (HM & Nozawa '09)

$$m_L := \frac{(n-2)V_{n-2}^{(k)}}{2\kappa_n^2} \sum_{p=0}^{[n/2]} \tilde{\alpha}_{(p)} r^{n-1-2p} [k - (Dr)^2]^p,$$

where $\tilde{\alpha}_{(p)} := \frac{(n-3)!\alpha_{(p)}}{(n-1-2p)!}$

- Lovelock eq simplified as

$$dm = A\psi_a dx^a + PdV.$$

Energy flux

Work term

$$A := V_{n-2}^k r^{n-2}$$

Area of K^{n-2}

$$\psi^a := T^a_b D^b r + PD^a r$$

Local Bondi flux

$$P := -\frac{1}{2}T^a_a$$

Energy

- m_L converges to **ADM mass** in the asymp. flat spacetime
- Under the dominant energy condition
 - **Monotonic** in the untrapped region
 - **Positive** on an untrapped hypersurface with a regular center



Vacuum solutions

- **m_L is constant in vacuum**
- Schwarzschild-Tangherlini-type solution (Zegers '00)

$$ds^2 = -f(r)dt^2 + \frac{dr^2}{f(r)} + r^2\gamma_{ij}dz^i dz^j.$$

$$\tilde{M} = \sum_{p=0}^{[n/2]} \tilde{\alpha}_{(p)} r^{n-1-2p} [k - f(r)]^p,$$

- **There may be multiple max. symmetric vacua ($M=0$)**
- Birkhoff theorem under
 - C^2 metric
 - $(Dr)^2$ is non-zero
 - The theory does not admit degenerate vacua



A quasi-local definition of a BH

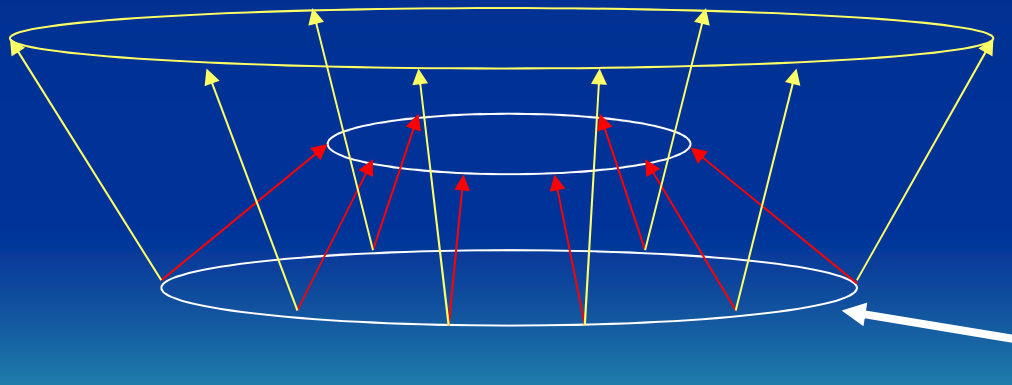
- Consider a compact spatial $(n-2)$ -surface S
- Area expansions θ_+, θ_- along two independent null rays orthogonal to S

Yellow: “outgoing” null rays orthogonal to S

Red: “ingoing” null rays orthogonal to S

$$\theta_+ := (n-2)r^{-1}r_{,v},$$
$$\theta_- := (n-2)r^{-1}r_{,u}.$$

future



Untrapped surface

$$\theta_+ > 0; \quad \theta_- < 0;$$

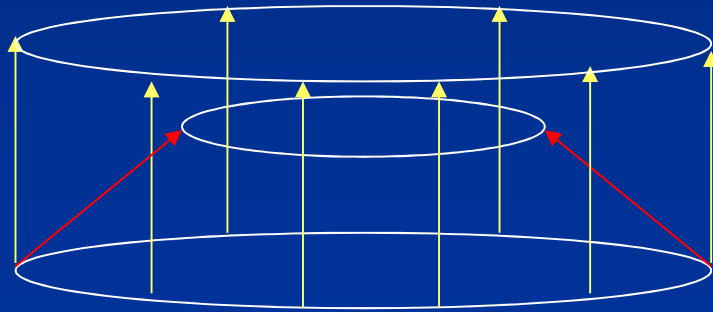
A compact spatial $(n-2)$ -surface S

FOTH as a dynamical BH horizon

- **Future outer trapping horizon** (Hayward '94)

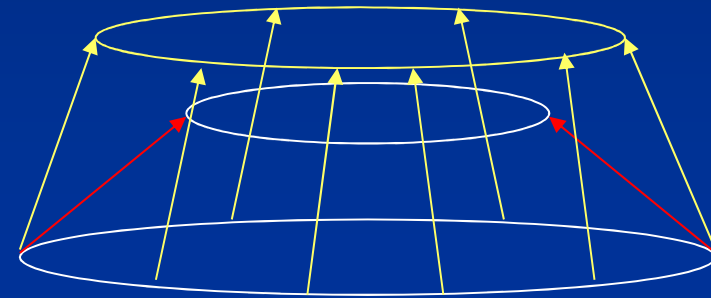
$$\underbrace{\theta_+ = 0}_{\text{marginality}} \underbrace{\theta_- < 0}_{\text{future}} \underbrace{\partial_- \theta_+ < 0}_{\text{outer}}$$

future
↑



Future marginal surface

$$\theta_+ = 0, \quad \theta_- < 0;$$



Future trapped surface

$$\theta_+ < 0; \quad \theta_- < 0;$$

Einstein-Gauss-Bonnet gravity: Two branches of solutions

- Let us focus on EGB gravity (2nd-order Lovelock)
- Definition of g-Misner-Sharp mass gives

$$\frac{2}{(n-2)^2} r^2 e^f \theta_+ \theta_- = -k - \frac{r^2}{2\tilde{\alpha}} \left(1 \boxplus \sqrt{1 + \frac{8\kappa_n^2 \tilde{\alpha} m}{(n-2)V_{n-2}^k r^{n-1}} + 4\tilde{\alpha}\tilde{\Lambda}} \right)$$

- Two branches of solutions
 - **GR branch (upper sign): GR limit exists**

$$\frac{2}{(n-2)^2} r^2 e^f \theta_+ \theta_- = -k + \frac{2\kappa_n^2 m}{(n-2)V_{n-2}^k r^{n-3}} + \tilde{\Lambda} r^2$$

- non-GR branch (lower sign): no GR limit



Pathological behavior in non-GR branch

- For a radial null vector k ,

$$\pm R_{\mu\nu} k^\mu k^\nu \sqrt{1 + \frac{8\kappa_n^2 \tilde{\alpha} m}{(n-2)V_{n-2}^k r^{n-1}} + 4\tilde{\alpha}\tilde{\Lambda}} = \kappa_n^2 T_{\mu\nu} k^\mu k^\nu$$

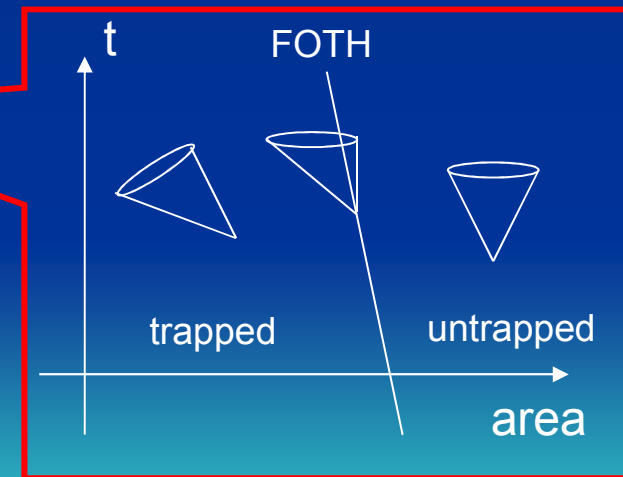
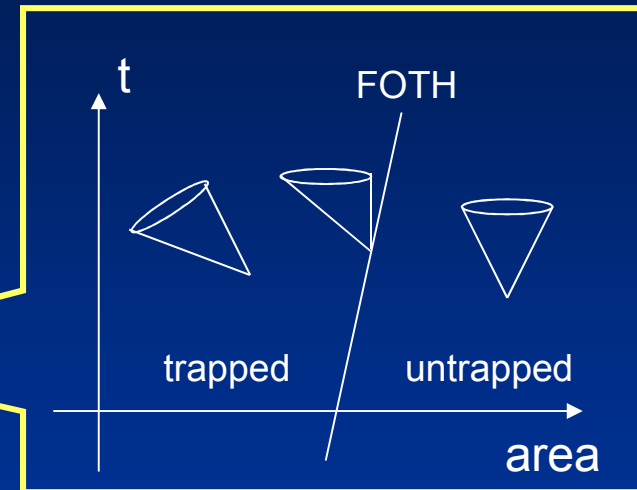
- Raychaudhuri equation

$$\frac{d\theta}{d\lambda} = -\frac{1}{n-2}\theta^2 - R_{\mu\nu} k^\mu k^\nu \xrightarrow{\text{in GR}} T_{\mu\nu} k^\mu k^\nu > 0 (\text{NEC})$$

- In GR, NEC means the null convergence condition ($R_{ab} k^a k^b > 0$)
- Two branches have opposite properties
 - **GR branch**: well-behaving under NEC ($R_{ab} k^a k^b > 0$)
 - **Non-GR branch**: ill-behaving under NEC ($R_{ab} k^a k^b < 0$)

Signature and area laws

- Under null energy condition, a future outer trapping horizon is
 - Non-timelike in GR branch
 - The area is non-decreasing
 - Non-spacelike in non-GR branch
 - The area is non-increasing



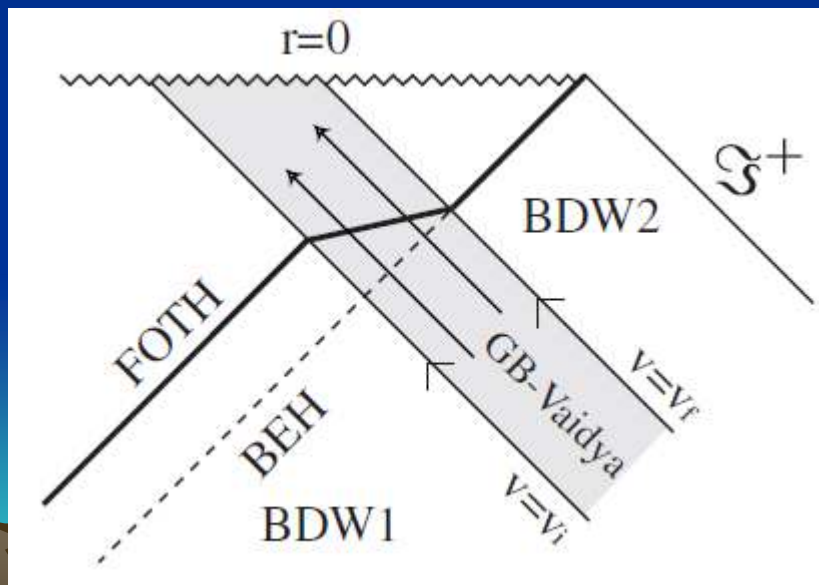
Entropy law

- The Iyer-Wald-Kodama dynamical entropy of a future outer trapping horizon is non-decreasing along its generator **in BOTH branches**
 - Under null energy condition

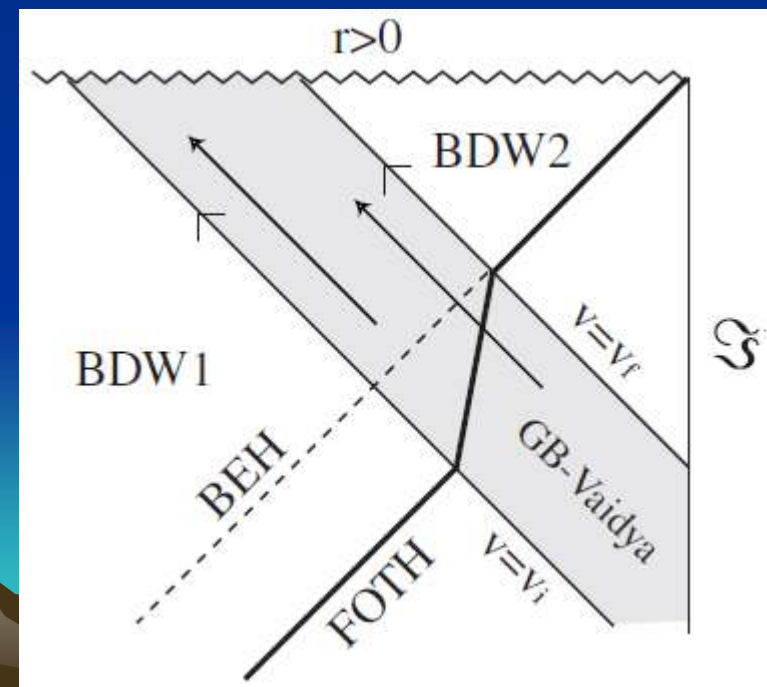
$$S_{\text{TH}} = \frac{V_{n-2}^k r_h^{n-2}}{4G_n} \left[1 + \frac{2(n-2)(n-3)\alpha k}{r_h^2} \right]$$

Deviation from Bekenstein-Hawking formula

GR branch



Non-GR branch



Summary

- Generalization of the **Misner-Sharp quasi-local mass**
 - The system can be treated in a similar manner
- Dynamical BH defined by a future outer trapping horizon
 - Einstein-Gauss-Bonnet gravity
 - **GR branch**: area & entropy increase
 - **Non-GR branch**: area decreases but entropy increases
 - Lovelock with non-negative coupling constants
 - Area & entropy increase
 - Area & entropy law with general coupling constants remain open



Application for Gravitational Collapse

- Spherical gravitational collapse of a dust fluid
 - In GR, $n=4$, Naked Singularity formation from analytic initial data (Christodoulou '84), $n>5$, BH formation (Goswami-Joshi '07)
 - In EGB, NS for $n<9$ and BH for $n>9$ (GR-branch, HM '06)
 - In full Lovelock, NS is generic (Ohashi-Shiromizu-Jhingan '11)
 - **Non-negative coupling constants assumed**
- Scalar field collapse in Lovelock is still incomplete
 - In GR with $n=4$, BH formation is generic (Christodoulou)
 - In EGB?, Lovelock?

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