

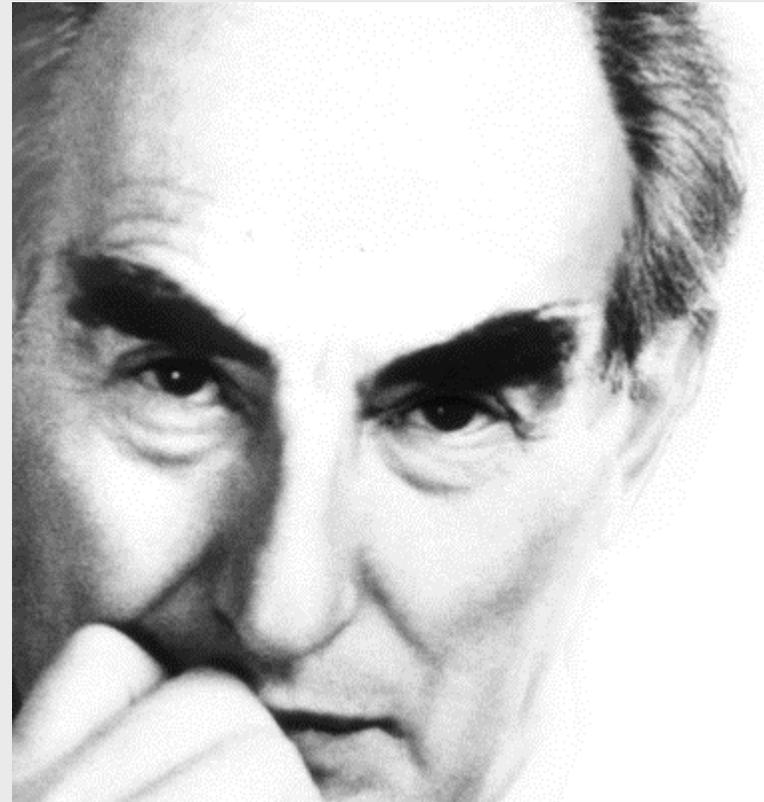
# Bremsstrahlung in transplanckian collisions

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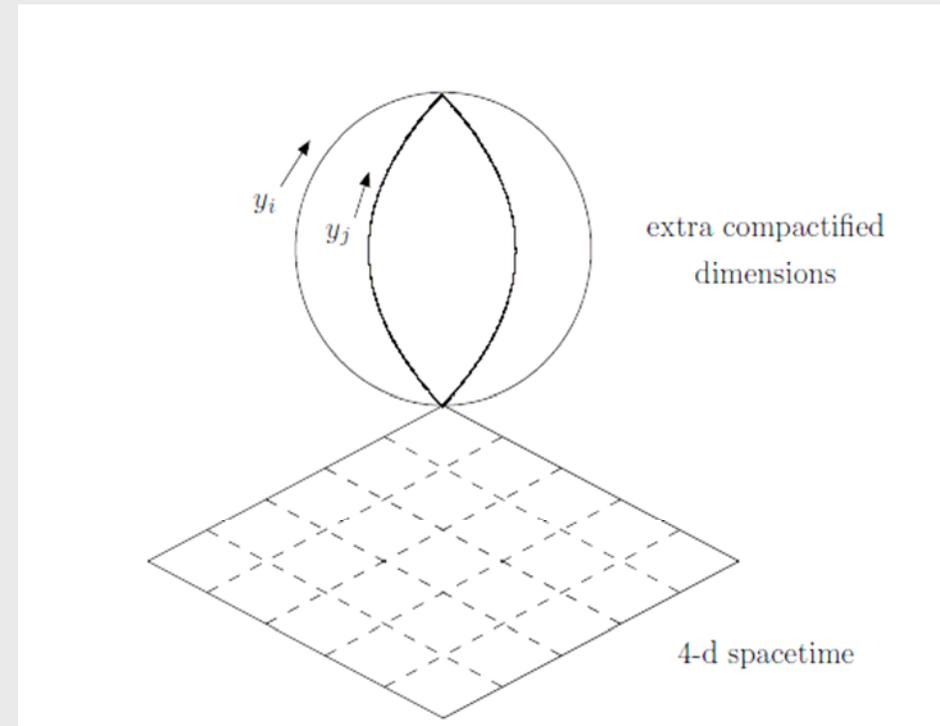


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# Gravity with extra dimensions

- Space-time as a domain wall  
(Akama, Rubakov...)
- String theory motivation:  
supersymmetry breaking via  
mesoscopic compactifications  
(Antoniadis, Bachas, Lewellen and Tomaras)
- Solution to the hierarchy problem
- Search for “new physics” at TeV  
scale



# ADD Tev-scale gravity

- Linearized D-dimensional gravity,  $g_{MN} = \eta_{MN} + \kappa_D h_{MN}$  matter on the brane

$$\frac{1}{G_D} \int R_D \sqrt{|g_D|} d^D x = \frac{V_d}{G_4} \int R_4 \sqrt{-g_4} d^4 x$$

$$D=4+d$$

implying

$$G_D = V_d G_4$$

$$M_{Pl}^2 = M_*^{d+2} V_d$$

$$V = (2\pi R)^d$$

For  $M_* = 1 \text{ TeV}$

size extra dimensions

$$l_* = (V_d)^{1/d} \cong 10^{30/d-17} \text{ cm}$$

Mode expansion

$$h_{MN} = \sum_{\vec{n}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{V_d}} h_{MN}^{(\vec{n})}(x) \exp\left(i \frac{\vec{n}\vec{y}}{R}\right)$$

$n$	$R$
1	$1.5 \times 10^{13} \text{ cm}$
2	$0.5 \text{ mm} = 1/(10^{-4} \text{ eV})$
4	$3 \times 10^{-8} \text{ mm} = 3/(20 \text{ KeV})$
6	$10^{-10} \text{ mm} = 1/(1 \text{ MeV})$

Interaction

$$(\partial_4^2 + m_{\vec{n}}^2) h_{MN}^{(n)} = 0$$

$$m_{\vec{n}}^2 = \left(\frac{\vec{n}}{R}\right)^2$$

weak in each mode

$$-\frac{\kappa_4}{2} \int \sum_{\vec{n}} h_{MN}^{(\vec{n})} T^{MN}$$

# Main effects

Astrophysically relevant:

- $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow g_{KK}$ , Photon-photon annihilation;
- $e^-e^+ \rightarrow g_{KK}$ , Electron-positron annihilation;
- $e^-\gamma \rightarrow e^- g_{KK}$ , Gravi-Compton-Primakoff scattering;
- $e^-(Ze) \rightarrow e^-(Ze) g_{KK}$ , Gravi-bremsstrahlung in a static electric field of the nuclei;
- $NN \rightarrow NN g_{KK}$ , Nucleon-nucleon bremsstrahlung.

Colliders:

$$e^+ + e^- \rightarrow \gamma + \text{missing}, \quad e^+ + e^- \rightarrow Z + \text{missing}$$

at LEP and

$$p + \bar{p} \rightarrow \gamma + \text{missing}, \quad p + \bar{p} \rightarrow \text{jet} + \text{missing}$$

at Tevatron. The combined LEP limits are  $M_* > 1.4 \text{ TeV}$  for  $n = 2$ ,  $M_* > .8 \text{ TeV}$  for  $n = 3$ ,  $M_* > .5 \text{ TeV}$  for  $n = 4$ ,  $M_* > .3 \text{ TeV}$  for  $n = 5$  and  $M_* > .2 \text{ TeV}$  for  $n = 6$ .

# LHC: Transplanckian physics

- For  $\sqrt{s} > M_*$  **CM energy exceeds the D-dimensional Planck mass**

Basic process : **creation of black holes**

P.C. Argyres, S. Dimopoulos, and J. March-Russell '98  
Banks and Fischler '99  
Aref'eva '99  
Dimopoulos and Landsberg 2001

.....

**D-dimensional version of Thorne's hoop conjecture:**  
impact parameter  $b$  comparable to Schwarzschild radius of the CM energy of colliding particles

$$r_s = k_s \left( \frac{G_D \sqrt{s}}{c^4} \right)^{\frac{1}{d+1}}$$

$$k_s = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \left( \frac{8\Gamma\left(\frac{d+3}{2}\right)}{d+2} \right)^{\frac{1}{d+1}}$$

# Shock wave as model of ultrarelativistic particle: Aichelburg-Sexl solution

Solution of the linearized gravity = exact solution (boosted Schwarzschild)

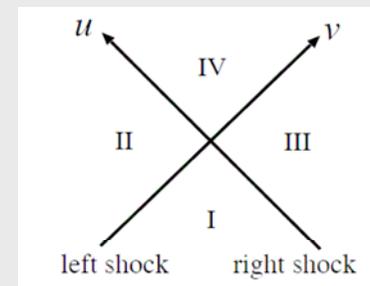
$$ds^2 = -dudv + d\rho^2 + \rho^2 d\Omega_{D-3}^2 + \kappa\Phi(\rho)\delta(u)du^2$$

$$\Phi(\rho) = \begin{cases} -2 \ln(\rho) , & D = 4 \\ \frac{2}{(D-4)\rho^{D-4}} , & D > 4 \end{cases}$$

$$\kappa \equiv 8\pi G_D \mu / \Omega_{D-3}$$

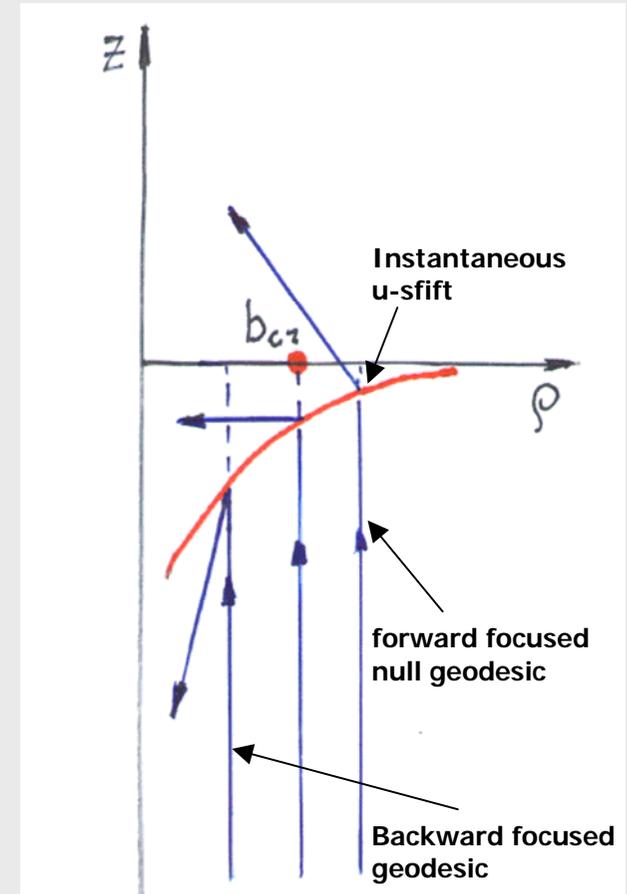
**Non-vacuum: sourced by the particle energy-momentum tensor**

**Two waves can be superposed in the space-time region before collision**



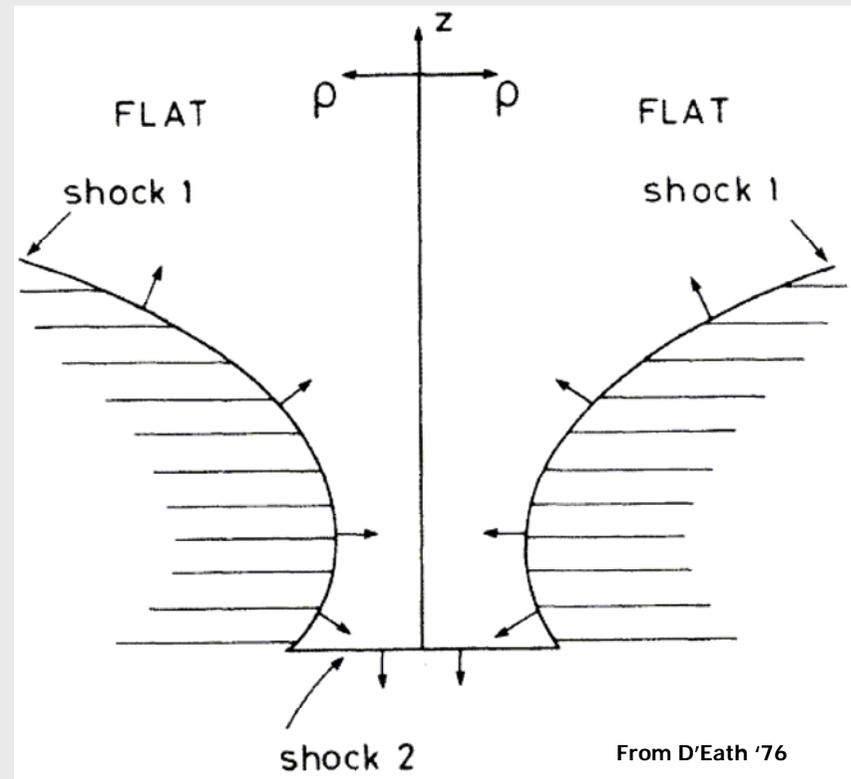
# 't Hooft picture of collision: particle scattered by shock wave

- Red line - instantaneous shift in  $u=t-z$  when crossing the wave front propagating in  $(-z)$  direction
- Geodesics impinging at impact parameters  $b > b_{cr}$  are focused in the forward direction
- Geodesics falling at  $b < b_{cr}$  are reflected
- Critical impact parameter  $b_{cr}$  marks position of the closed trapped surface in the forward collision of two shocks



# Mutual focusing of shock waves due to gravitational attraction

- Deformation of the shock moving in  $z$ -direction in the flat region III. Different null generators are focused at different angles causing deformation of the front
- Later shock 2 meets  $z$ -axis at the caustic region which moves along the axis faster than light



# Formation of apparent horizon

- **Conditions of formation of closed trapped surface**

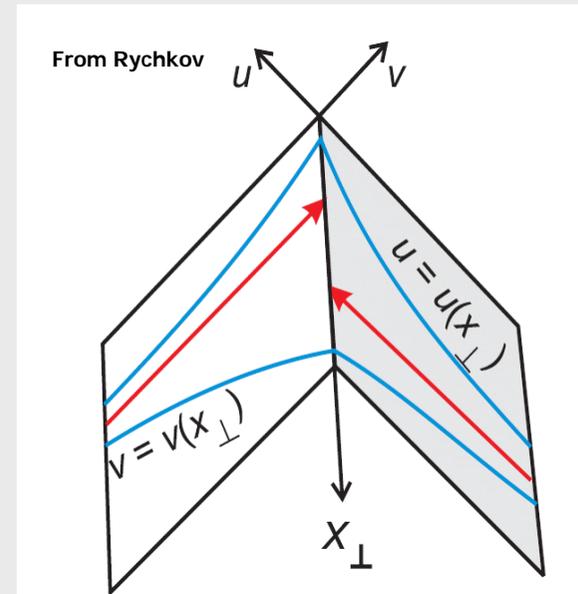
$$\partial_{\perp}^2 u = \partial_{\perp}^2 v = 0$$

with matching on the boundary

$$u|_C = v|_C = 0$$

$$\nabla u \cdot \nabla v|_C = 4$$

Penrose '74,  
Eardley and Giddings '02  
Yoshino and Nambu '03  
Nambu and Rychkov '05  
.....



Calculations show apparent horizon radius differs from  $r_s$  by the factor of the order of unity

# At transplanckian energies gravity becomes not only dominant, but classical

## ■ The qualitative argument:

$$\lambda_B = \hbar c / \sqrt{s} \qquad r_S = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \left[ \frac{8\Gamma\left(\frac{d+3}{2}\right)}{d+2} \right]^{\frac{1}{d+1}} \left( \frac{G_D \sqrt{s}}{c^4} \right)^{\frac{1}{d+1}}$$
$$l_* = (\hbar G_D / c^3)^{1/(d+2)} = \hbar / M_* c$$

**Classicality:**

$$\lambda_B \ll l_* \ll r_S$$

**Achieved if**

$$s \gg G_D^{-2/(d+2)} = M_*^2$$

$$G_D = \text{fixed}$$

(Giudice, Rattazzi, Wells  
Veneziano,...) 10

# Elastic scattering: eikonalization

- One-graviton exchange amplitude diverges when summed up over KK massive states
- Two one-loop diagrams are finite in SUGRA-s (e.g. N=8)
- Summing up ladder and cross-ladder diagrams one obtains eikonal amplitude for  $s \gg M^*$  and  $-t/s \ll 1$

$$M_{eik}(s, t) = 2is \int e^{iqb} \left(1 - e^{i\chi(s, t)}\right) d^2\mathbf{b} \quad \Phi(b) = \lambda_B \cdot \chi(s, b)$$

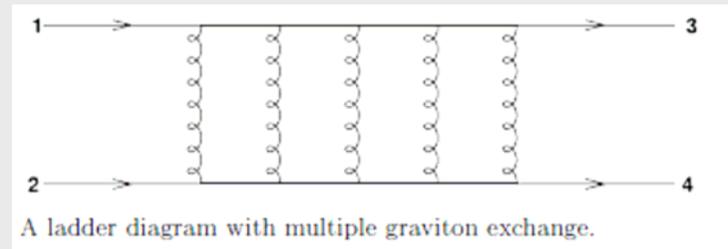
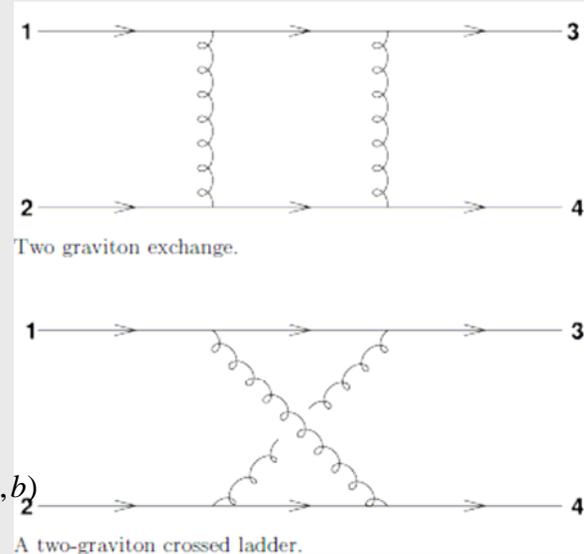
$$\chi(s, b) = \left(\frac{b_c}{b}\right)^d,$$

where

$$b_c \equiv \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \left( \frac{\kappa_D^2 \Gamma(d/2) s}{16\pi} \right)^{1/d}.$$

For  $b < r_s$  quantum description (Born), for  $r_s < b < b_c$  – eikonal,  
for  $b > b_c$  plane waves

Remarkably, the eikonal phase is equal to shock wave amplitude up to factor !



$$\Phi(b) = \lambda_B \cdot \chi(s, b)_{11}$$

# 't Hooft's method versus shock wave description

- Equivalence of shock wave metric function and eikonal phase reflects **classicalization of transplanckian region**. Eikonal summation leads to Furry's picture- type states in the classical shock wave field.
- Both the t'Hooft treatment of **test particle** (field) in a **single shock wave** generated by another particle and the analysis of **two shock metric** evolution are approximate: shock wave approximation **does not account for matter sources** of waves, test particle in a single shock wave **does not account for non-linearity** of Einstein gravity
- **Predictions seems paradoxically different**: ultrarelativistic test particle scattered with impact parameter less than radius of apparent horizon of future black hole **is reflected** by shock wave!
- Combination of both methods amounts to using Furry's shock wave states in higher order quantum calculations (**Lodone and Rychkov**), but it is technically difficult problem

# TP bremsstrahlung: methods of computing

Gravitational bremsstrahlung is the second important quasiclassical process in TP region. Various suggested methods include:

- Estimates based on Hawking entropy (Penrose, Eardley and Giddings...)

$$\epsilon_{\text{radiated}} \leq 1 - \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{D-2}{2} \frac{\Omega_{D-2}}{\Omega_{D-3}} \right)^{\frac{1}{D-2}}$$

- Classical calculations using shock waves (d'Eath '92,..., Herdeiro et al '12)
- BH perturbations: infall and scattering of test bodies (too many!)
- Classical post-linear formalism (Thorne and Kovacs '77, DG, Grats and Matiukhin '78, DG, Kofinas, PS, Tomaras, 2010,...)
- Imaginary part of eikonal in string theory (Amati, Ciafaloni, Veneziano)
- Furry's picture in shock wave, (quantum) (Lodone and Rytchkov)
- Numerical simulations (Pretorius, Berti et al,...)

# Bremsstrahlung via eikonal

In models with extra dimensions eikonal approximation is bound both sides:

$$r_s < b < b_c$$

The real eikonal phase is

found from Born amplitude:

$$\chi(s, b) = \frac{1}{2s} \int e^{-i\mathbf{q}\cdot\mathbf{b}} \mathcal{M}_{\text{Born}}(s, t) \frac{d^2q}{(2\pi)^2}$$

Classical result (DG Kofinas Spirin Tomaras '09)

corresponds to stationary phase point:

$$b_s = \left( \frac{db_c^d}{q} \right)^{1/(d+1)}$$

Imaginary part due to bremsstrahlung (ACV) is

where

$$\frac{b_r}{r_s} = \left( \frac{b_c}{r_s} \right)^{\frac{d}{3d+2}}$$

so that

$$r_s \ll b \ll b_r$$

$$\text{Im}\chi \sim \left( \frac{b_r}{b} \right)^{3d+2}$$

If interpreted as number of emitted gravitons radiation would be large for  $b \gg r_s$

Only if frequencies are bound by

$$\omega_b = 1/b$$

radiation is not catastrophic:

$$\epsilon = \frac{\Delta E}{E} \sim \left( \frac{r_s}{b} \right)^{\frac{d}{3d+3}}$$

(Giudice, Ratazzi and Wells)

But classical calculations show that bremsstrahlung spectrum at small angle scattering is dominated by  $\omega \gg \omega_b$

# Particles falling into black holes

- **D=4: Zerilli, Chranowski, Misner,**
- **Higher D: Cardoso,Lemos....**
  
- **Radiation is about 14% in radial infall D=4 increasing up to 40% in higher D**
  
- **Radiation grows with non-zero impact parameter being maximal in grazing collisions when particle make revolutions around an unstable photon orbit**
  
- **Constant radiation power of GSR implies possibility of large radiation (not fully explored yet)**

# Continuation of colliding shock wave metrics (D'Eath)

- Metric in future sector of two superposed SW computed perturbatively in the frame where the energy of one wave is much less than another.
- In  $D=4$  extensively studied by D'Eath and Payne '92 for  $b=0$ , recently generalized to higher  $D$  and  $b=0$  (Herdeiro, Sampaio, Rebelo)

First order approximation gives bremsstrahlung loss varying from 25% in  $D=4$  to 41,2% in  $D=10$ , consistent with entropy bounds. Second order gives about 2/3 of this

SW metric is continued as vacuum solution, no account for the matter source

# Post-linear formalism

- Based on expansion of the metric up to the second order and constructing metric and trajectories by iterations
- Valid for large  $b$ , applicability in  $D=4$  restricted by small angle scattering  $\theta_s \ll 1/\gamma$   
(Thorne and Kovacs '77, DG, Grats, Matiukhin '78 also agree with Peters '70)

Energy loss in the rest frame of one mass

$$\Delta E \sim \frac{G^3 M^2 m^2 \gamma^3}{b^3 c^4}$$

PLF valid for arbitrary masses, for  $\gamma \gg 1$  gives zero efficiency at the limit of applicability! But precise limit on allowed  $b$  is not quite clear: no higher order available.

Massless limit puzzling: in the CM frame

$$\Delta E \sim \frac{G^3 m^4 \gamma_{cm}^5}{b^3 c^4}$$

In the limit  $m=0$ ,  $\gamma_{cm} \gg 1$  and finite  $m\gamma_{cm}$  diverges for finite  $b$ , though goes to zero at the limit of applicability

# D-dimensional PLF setting (ADD and Minkowskian) (DG,Kofinas.Spirin.Tomaras)

$$S = -\frac{1}{\kappa_D^2} \int \sqrt{-g} R d^D x - \sum_a \frac{1}{2} \int \left( e_a g_{MN}(z_a) \dot{z}_a^M \dot{z}_a^N + \frac{m_a^2}{e_a} \right) d\tau$$

$$g_{MN} = \eta_{MN} + \kappa_D h_{MN}$$

Metric deviation (considered as Minkowski tensor) is further expanded in terms of gravitational coupling

$$h_{MN} = h_{MN}^{(1)} + h_{MN}^{(2)} + \dots$$

Particles world lines are presented similarly

$$z^M(\tau) = z^M^{(0)} + z^M^{(1)} + \dots$$

# Perturbation expansions and iterations

$$G_{MN} = -\frac{\kappa_D}{2} \partial^2 \psi_{MN}^{(1)} - \frac{\kappa_D^2}{2} S_{MN} + \text{cubic terms}$$

harmonic gauge  $\partial^N \psi_{MN}^{(k)} = 0$   $\psi_{MN}^{(k)} \equiv h_{MN}^{(k)} - \frac{1}{2} \eta_{MN} h^{(k)}$

## EOMs

$$\partial_D^2 \left( h_{MN}^{(k)} - \frac{1}{2} \eta_{MN} h^{(k)} \right) = -\kappa_D \tau_{MN}^{(k-1)}$$

$$\ddot{z}_M^{(k)}(\tau) = -\kappa_D \left( h_{MN,P}^{(k_1)} - \frac{1}{2} h_{NP,M}^{(k_1)} \right) \dot{z}^N{}^{(k_2)} \dot{z}^P{}^{(k_3)} \quad k_1 + k_2 + k_3 = k$$

## 0-th order

$$z^M{}^{(0)} = u^M \tau + b^M \quad z'^M{}^{(0)} = u'^M \tau \quad \tau_{MN}{}^{(0)} = T_{MN}{}^{(0)} = \sum_a \int e_a \dot{z}_M^a \dot{z}_N^a \delta^D(x - z_a) d\tau$$

lab frame

## 1-st order

$${}^{(1)}h_{MN} = \sum_a {}^{(1)}h_{MN}^a$$

$${}^{(1)}\ddot{z}_M(\tau) = -\kappa_D \left( {}^{(1)}h_{MN,P}^a - \frac{1}{2} {}^{(1)}h_{NP,M}^a \right) {}^{(0)}\dot{z}^N {}^{(0)}\dot{z}^P$$

$$\tau_{MN}^{(1)} = \sum_{a=1,2} {}^{(1)}T_{MN}^a + S_{MN}$$

## 2-nd order (radiation)

$$\partial_D^2 {}^{(2)}\psi_{MN} = -\kappa_D \left( T_{MN}^{(1)} + S_{MN} \right)$$

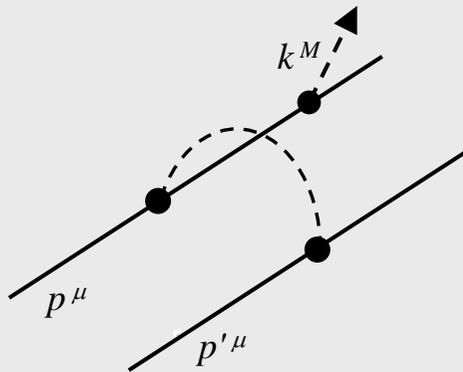
In coordinate space

$$\Delta P_M = -\frac{1}{2} \int h_{PQ,M}^{(2)} \partial^2 \psi^{PQ} d^D x$$

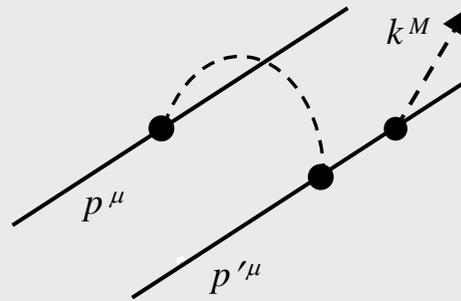
In momentum space

$$\Delta P^M = \frac{\kappa_D^2}{4(2\pi)^{D-1}} \sum_{\text{pol}} \int |T_D^{(\text{pol})}|^2 k^M \frac{d^{D-1}\mathbf{k}}{k^0}$$

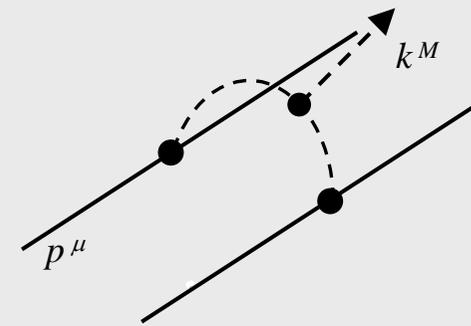
# Radiation Amplitudes



$T(k)$



$T'(k)$



$S(k)$

## Destructive Interference

$$\omega = \gamma / b \dots \gamma^2 / b \quad \vartheta < 1 / \gamma$$

$$S = S^z + S^{z'} \quad S^z \approx -T \quad S^{z'} \approx -T'$$

$\vartheta \backslash \omega$	$\omega \sim 1/b$	$\omega \sim \gamma/b$	$\omega \sim \gamma^2/b$
$\gamma^{-1}$	no destructive interference $\tau \sim T \gg S$	no destructive interference $S^{[z]} \sim T \sim S^{[z']} \sim \gamma$	destructive interference: $T \approx -S^{[z]}$ $S^{[z']} \sim \exp(-\gamma)$ , $\tau = \mathcal{O}(T/\gamma^2) \sim 1/\gamma$
1	no destructive interference $\tau \sim T \sim S$	destructive interference: $S^{[z]} \approx T \sim \exp(-\gamma)$ $\tau = S = S^{[z']} \sim \gamma^{-1}$	destructive interference $T \sim S \sim \tau \sim \exp(-\gamma)$

$$\tau(\omega) \approx \frac{\tau(\omega_0)}{(\omega/\omega_0)^2} \quad \omega_0 \cong \frac{\gamma}{b} \quad \tau(\gamma^2/b) \approx \frac{\tau(\gamma/b)}{\gamma^2}$$

Due to destructive interference at frequencies

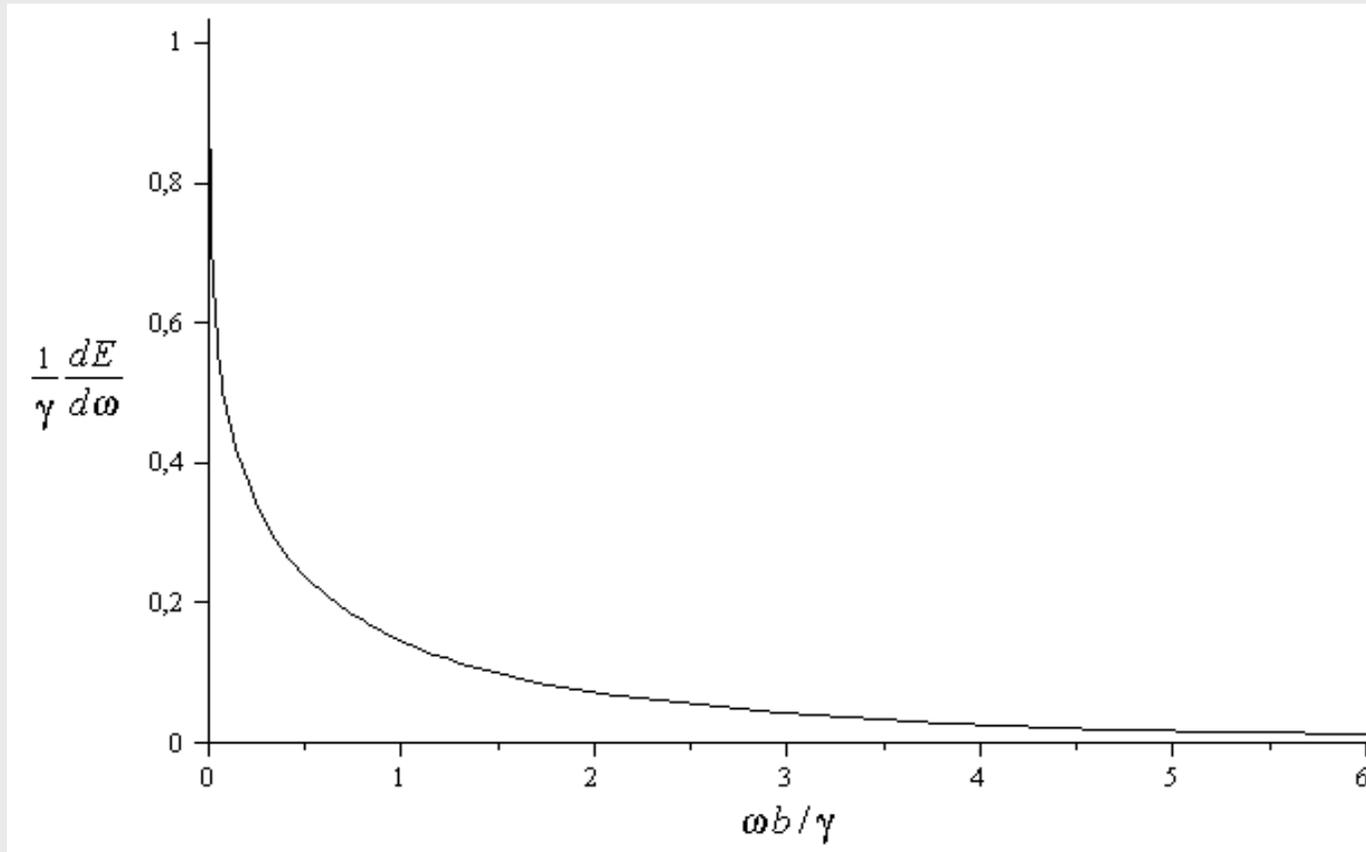
$$\omega = \gamma/b \dots \gamma^2/b$$

$$\frac{dE_{\text{rad}}}{d\omega} \cong \omega^{D-6}$$

Dominant frequency range depends on sign of D-6 !!

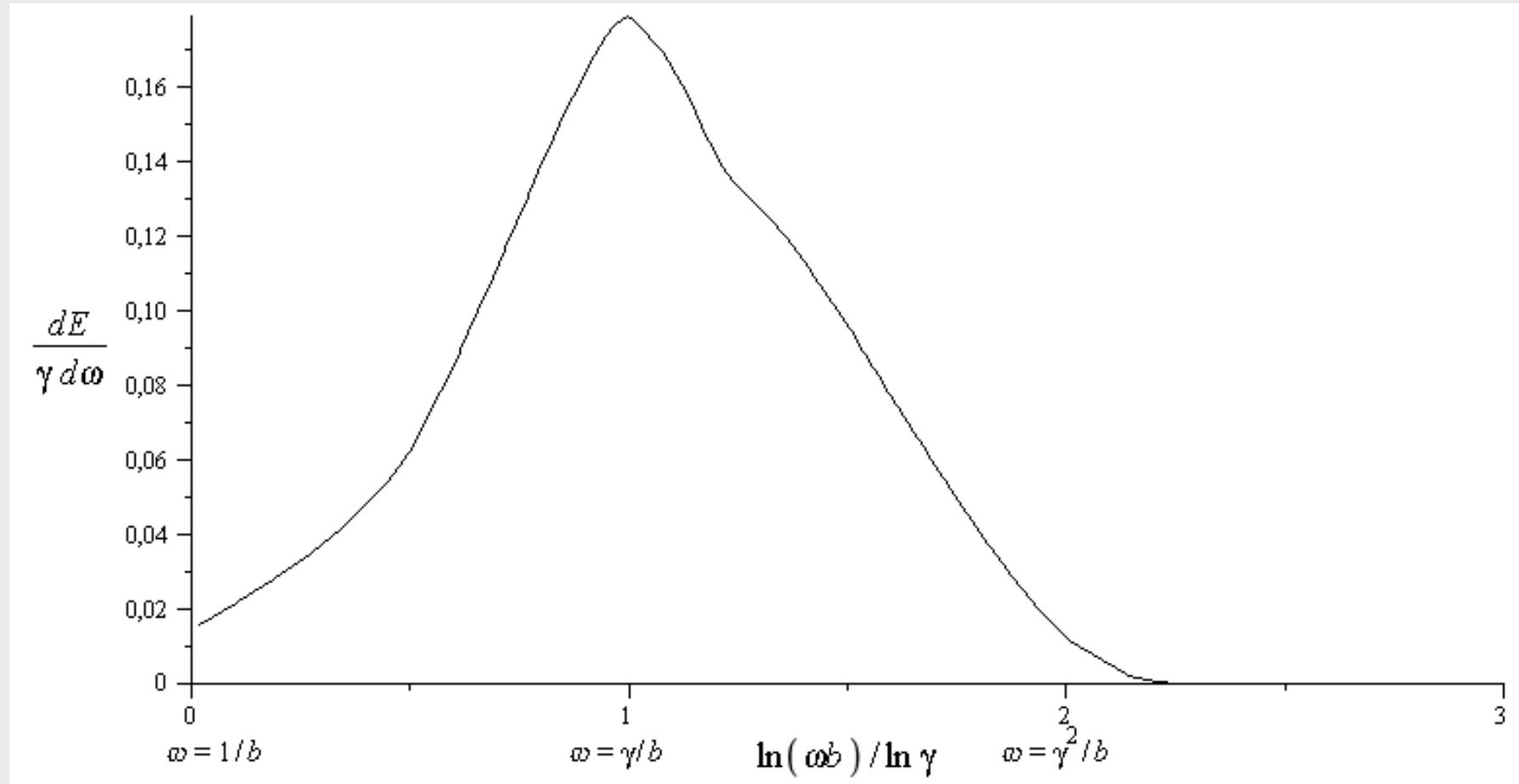
$\vartheta \backslash \omega_D$	$\omega_D \ll \gamma/b$	$\omega_D \sim \gamma/b$	$\omega_D \sim \gamma^2/b$	$\omega_D \gg \gamma^2/b$
$\gamma^{-1}$	negligible (phase space)	$E \sim \gamma^3$ , from $T$ and $S$	$E \sim \gamma^{d+2}$ , from $T + S^{[z]}$	negligible radiation
1	negligible (phase space)	$E \sim \gamma^{d+1}$ , from $S^{[z']}$	negligible radiation	negligible radiation

## Frequency distribution in 4D



Angular distribution: beaming at angle  $\theta < 1/\gamma$  (along fast-particle's motion direction) for all dimensions

# Frequency distribution in 6D in logarithmic scale



# Total PLF bremsstrahlung loss

$$E_{\text{rad}} = C_D \frac{(\kappa_D^3 m m')^2}{b^{3d+3}} \begin{cases} \gamma^3, & D = 4 \\ \gamma^3 \ln \gamma, & D = 5, \\ \gamma^{D-2}, & D > 5 \end{cases} \quad C_D \cong 10^{-4}$$

Notice non-universal dependence of Lorentz factor in  $D < 6$

For  $D > 5$  radiation efficiency is ( $d = D - 4$ ):

$$\epsilon = \frac{E_{\text{rad}}}{m\gamma} \sim (r_S/b)^{3(d+1)} \gamma^{d-1/2}$$

At minimal allowed impact parameter

$$b = r_S \gamma^{\frac{1}{2(d+1)}}$$

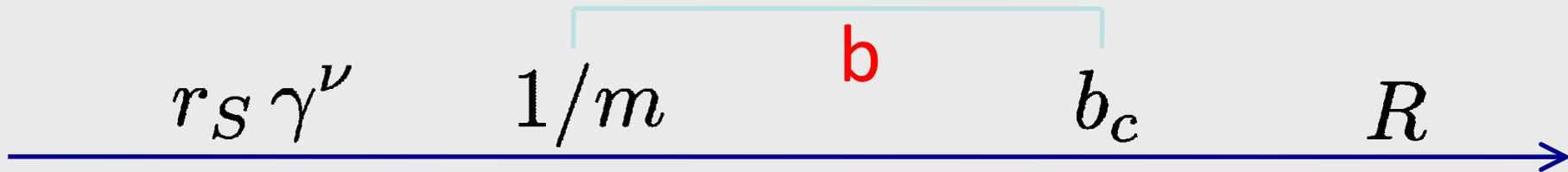
one has

$$\epsilon \sim \gamma^{d-2}$$

**becoming catastrophic in dimensions higher than  $d > 2$  !!**

## APPLICABILITY WINDOW (including quantum bounds)

$$\omega \sim \gamma/b : \omega \ll m\gamma \rightarrow b \gg 1/m$$



$$r_S \gamma^\nu \ll 1/m \ll b_c$$

**SATISFIED** in a window  
depending on  $s$ ,  $d$ ,  $m$ ,  $M_*$

**e.g.  $d=2$**   $M_* \sim 1 \text{ TeV}$ ,  $m \sim 100 \text{ GeV}$ ,  $\sqrt{s} \sim 10 \text{ TeV}$

# Outlook

- **PFL calculation predicts strong bremsstrahlung within classical applicability window for  $d > 2$ , mostly because of enhanced phase volume.**
- **Massless limit unclear, independent calculation needed.**
- **Matter source contribution in the SW calculations needed?**
- **Other techniques desirable, both classical and quantum**