

Higher order gravity theories

and their black hole solutions.

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General Relativity

Consider $S_{GR} = \frac{1}{16\pi G_4} \int d^4x \sqrt{-g} \mathcal{L}$ where

$$\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}(M, g, \nabla)$$

$$\text{Field equations } G_{\mu\nu} + \Lambda g_{\mu\nu} = 8\pi G_4 T_{\mu\nu}$$

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MPL	UV	Energy	IR
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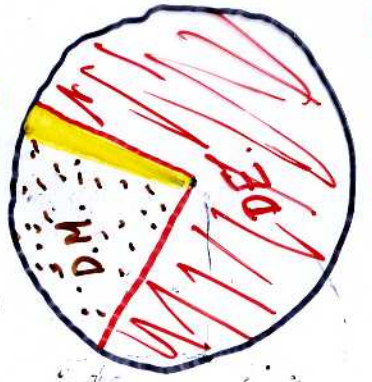
String theory
 Xtra dimensions
 Quantum loop Gravity

! Accel. Cosmology!

Question: Is GR modified (also) at the IR?

Question: How do we modify gravity?

- i) # degrees of freedom
- ii) enlarge phase space.
- iii) modify f.e.g.



Only 4% Known matter

Precision cosmology gives matter content of the Universe

Introduction

Given $\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}(M, g_{\mu\nu}, \nabla)$ and Einstein's postulates

Field equations are unique in $D=4$

$$\int_M d^4x \sqrt{-g} (-2\Lambda + R) \xrightarrow{\delta g_{\mu\nu}} G_{\mu\nu} + \Lambda g_{\mu\nu} = T_{\mu\nu} \quad (8\pi G = 1)$$

Therefore $G_{\mu\nu} + \Lambda g_{\mu\nu}$

is the unique metric dependant tensor which is

(Cartan n30)

- symmetric
- divergence free ie, $\nabla^\mu T_{\mu\nu} = 0$.
- depends up to - and is linear - to second derivatives in $g_{\mu\nu}$

wave type operator for the massless spin 2 graviton

$$\square_{\text{grav}} \rightarrow \delta^2 g_{\mu\nu} \quad G_{\mu\nu} \rightarrow \delta G_{\mu\nu}$$

therefore for arbitrary D

The uniquely defined and most general classical theory satisfying Einstein's postulates is Lovelock theory

$$S = \sum_{K=0}^{\lfloor \frac{D-1}{2} \rfloor} \alpha_K \int d^D x \sqrt{-g} \mathcal{L}_K$$

$$\mathcal{L}_0 = -2\Lambda \text{ c.c.}$$

$$\mathcal{L}_1 = R \text{ Einstein-Hilbert}$$

$$\mathcal{L}_2 = \hat{G} \text{ Gauss-Barnet}$$

...

$$\mathcal{L}_K \sim R^K$$

- 2nd order field equations
- no ghost around vacuum (Zwiebach)
- Bianchi identities
- well defined junction conditions.

§2 Lorentz theory basics

$\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}(M, g, \nabla)$ M is a D dimensional manifold

$g = g_{ab} dx^a dx^b, \nabla$ Levi-Civita connexion

$\forall p \in M \quad e_A \in T_p M \quad g(e_A, e_B) = \eta_{AB}$ orthonormal basis.

$\theta^A \in \Omega^1(TM)$ $\theta^A(e_B) = \delta_B^A$ or $g = \eta_{AB} \theta^A \otimes \theta^B$

$\theta^A = \theta^A_\mu dx^\mu \quad g_{\mu\nu} = \theta^A_\mu \theta^B_\nu$

Consider now 1 forms ω^A_θ

Connection 1-form $d\theta^A = -\omega^A_\theta \wedge \theta^\theta, \quad \omega^A_\theta = -\omega^{\theta A}$

Curvature $\mathcal{R}^A_\theta = d\omega^A_\theta + \omega^A_\theta \wedge \omega^\theta$

2-form $\mathcal{R}^A_\theta = \frac{1}{2} R^A_{\theta CD} \theta^C \wedge \theta^D$

\uparrow Riemann curvature

$\omega \in \Omega^{(k)}(TM)$, where $0 \leq k \leq D$ $\omega = \omega_{A_1 \dots A_k} \theta^{A_1} \wedge \dots \wedge \theta^{A_k}$

Use θ^A and the 'wedge' product to construct higher order diff. forms

to construct D -forms out of \mathbb{R}^k need Hodge dual:

Hodge dual of $\theta^{A_1} \wedge \dots \wedge \theta^{A_k} \in \Omega^k(TM)$

$$\theta^{A_1, \dots, A_k} = \frac{1}{(D-k)!} \varepsilon_{A_1 \dots A_k A_{k+1} \dots A_D} \theta^{A_{k+1}} \wedge \dots \wedge \theta^{A_D}$$

θ^{A_1, \dots, A_k} is a $D-k$ form

θ^* is the volume element.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Identity } \theta^0 \wedge \theta^{A_1, \dots, A_k} &= \delta_{A_k}^B \theta^{A_1, \dots, A_{k-1}} - \delta_{A_{k-1}}^B \theta^{A_1, \dots, A_{k-2}} \wedge \theta^{A_k} + \dots \\ &\dots + (-1)^{k-1} \delta_{A_1}^B \theta^{A_2, \dots, A_k} \end{aligned}$$

Lorentz theory is defined by the Lagrangian density:

$$\mathcal{L} = \sum_{k=0}^{\lfloor \frac{D-1}{2} \rfloor} \alpha_k \mathcal{L}^{(k)}, \quad \text{where}$$

$$\mathcal{L}^{(k)} = \mathcal{R}^{A_1 B_1} \wedge \dots \wedge \mathcal{R}^{A_k B_k} \wedge \theta_{A_1 B_1, \dots, A_k B_k}^* - 0 \text{ form}$$

$$\mathcal{L}^{(0)} = \theta^* \quad \mathcal{L}^{(1)} = \mathcal{R}^{A_1 B_1} \wedge \theta_{A_1 B_1}^*$$

$$\mathcal{L}^{(2)} = \mathcal{R}^{A_1 B_1} \wedge \mathcal{R}^{A_2 B_2} \wedge \theta_{A_1 B_1, A_2 B_2}^*$$

$L_{(0)} = \Theta^*$ volume element. \rightarrow cosmological constant

Hence $L_{(1)} = R^{A_1 B_1} \wedge \Theta^*_{A_1 B_1} = R \Theta^* \rightarrow$ Einstein-Hilbert

$L_{(2)} = R^{A_1 B_1} \wedge R^{A_2 B_2} \wedge \Theta^*_{A_1 B_1 A_2 B_2} =$

$= (R_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} R^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} - 4 R_{\mu\nu} R^{\mu\nu} + R^2) \Theta^*$ Gauss-Bonnet

For $D=2n$ the $K=n$ term is $L_{(n)} = R_{A_1 B_1} \wedge \dots \wedge R_{A_n B_n} \Theta^*_{A_1 B_1 \dots A_n B_n}$

and $\frac{1}{(4\pi)^n n!} \int_{\mathcal{M}} L_n = \chi(\mathcal{M})$

\downarrow geometry \uparrow topology

for a manifold without boundary.

Eg. In $D=4$ $L_{(2)} = \hat{G}$ yields no dynamics to the field equations.

the reason lies in geometry of M .

Theorema Egregium of Gauss 1828

Scalar Curvature of a surface depends only on 1st Fund form

Suppose $\dim M = 2$ where $\partial M = \emptyset$ (M orientable)

$$\int_{M_2} R \sim \chi(M_2) \quad \text{Euler number of } M_2$$

\hat{G} theorem: Integral of a geometric term is a topological invariant

$$\chi = 2 - 2h$$



Remember g_0 expansion

For $\dim M = 4$ ($\partial M = \emptyset$)

$$\int_{M_4} \hat{G} = \chi(M_4) \quad (\text{Generalised}) \quad \text{Euler number for } M_4$$

For every $\dim M = 2k$ (even dimensional manifold) ($\partial M = \emptyset$)

$$\int_{M_{2k}} L_{2k}$$

Chern

the reason lies in geometry of M .

Theorem of Gauss 1828

Scalar Curvature of a surface depends only on 1st Fund form

Suppose $\dim M = 2$ with boundary

$$\int_{\partial M_2} K + \int_{M_2} R \sim \chi(M_2) \quad \text{Euler number of } M_2$$

\hat{C} theorem: Integral of a geometric term is a topological invariant



For $\dim M = 4$

$$\int_{\partial M_4} K(R+K^2) + \int_{M_4} \hat{G} = \chi(M_4) \quad (\text{Generalised}) \quad \text{Euler number for } M_4$$

For every $\dim M = 2k$ (even dimensional manifold)

$$\text{Chern } \int_{\partial M_{2k}} \omega + \int_{M_{2k}} L(\omega) \sim \chi(M_{2k})$$

Boundary term for EGB

Myers 1987.

Lorelock theory is special because its Lagrangian densities are dim. continuation of Chern-Euler forms

The Chern forms give well-defined junction conditions for manifolds with boundary.

therefore given $\int_M \sum_{k=0}^{\lfloor \frac{D-1}{2} \rfloor} \alpha_k L^{(k)}$ where $L^{(k)} \sim \mathcal{R}^k$

variation with respect to θ^A gives Lorelock's equations

$$\left[\frac{D-1}{2} \right] \sum_{k=0} \alpha_k \varepsilon_{(k)A} = -2 T_{AB} \theta^{*B}$$

with $\varepsilon_{(k)A} = \mathcal{R}^{A_1 B_1} \wedge \dots \wedge \mathcal{R}^{A_k B_k} \wedge \theta_{A_1 B_1}^* \dots \wedge \theta_{A_k B_k}^*$

Example: $-\frac{1}{2} \mathcal{R}^{A_1 B_1} \wedge \theta_{CA_1 B_1}^* = G^A_C \theta^{*A}$

Introduction

Einstein-Gauss-Bonnet

Given $\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}(M, g_{\mu\nu}, \nabla)$ and Einstein's postulatesField equations are unique in $D=5$ or 6

$$\int d^D x \sqrt{-g} (-2\Lambda + R + \alpha \hat{G})$$

$$\text{where } \hat{G} = R^2 - 4R_{\mu\nu}^2 + R_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma}^2$$

Gauss Bonnet term

Field eqns: $L_{\mu\nu} =$

$$= G_{\mu\nu} + \Lambda g_{\mu\nu} - \alpha \left[\frac{g^{\mu\nu}}{2} \hat{G} - 2R R_{\mu\nu} + 4R_{\mu\lambda} R^{\lambda\nu} + 4R_{\mu\lambda\rho\sigma} R^{\lambda\rho\sigma\nu} - 2R_{\mu\lambda\rho\sigma} R_{\nu}^{\lambda\rho\sigma} \right] = 0$$

is the unique metric dependant tensor which is

• symmetric

• divergence free ie, $\nabla^\mu T_{\mu\nu} = 0$.• depends up to- and is linear- to second derivatives
in $g_{\mu\nu}$

wave type operator for the massless spin 2 graviton

• α has dimensions [length]² ... like string tension α'

D(4) correction for the heterotic string effective action around the vacuum.

$$S_{\mu\nu} = \pm \sqrt{1 + \frac{4\kappa^2 \Lambda}{3}} \delta G_{\mu\nu}$$

Gross & Sloan 87, Motaev & Tseytlin

Zwiebach 85

(Lanczos 1938)

§ 3 A Staticity theorem.

(Y) Consider spacetime with a D-2 maximally symmetric subspace. We seek the general solution to the Lorentz field equations (in cosmological constant and EM vector background)

Max. symmetric space $\frac{dx^2}{1-kx^2} + \chi^2 d\Omega_{D-2}^2$, $k=0,1,-1$.
in D-2 dimensions.

where $d\Omega_{D-2}^2 = d\theta^2 + \sin^2\theta d\Omega_{D-3}^2$

...

$d\Omega_1^2 = dq^2$

Note that a "Wick rotation" can give us a maximally symmetric spacetime ads , Mink or dS spacetime.

Example: For $k=1$ $\theta \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2} - it$ gives de Sitter spacetime
 $d\theta^2 + \sin^2\theta d\Omega^2 \rightarrow -dt^2 + \cosh^2 t d\Omega^2$

Spacetime metric $ds^2 = e^{2\sigma} (-dt^2 + dz^2) \theta^{-\frac{D-3}{D-2} + \frac{2}{D-2}} \left(\frac{dx^2}{1-kx^2} + \chi^2 d\Omega_{D-3}^2 \right)$

 **Class 1**

Theorem Under hypothesis (Y) the general solution admits an extra local timelike Killing vector $(\partial/\partial t)$

(Witten, CC @ Duff, R. Zegers)

Sketch of proof in $D=5$ and $Q=0$ (no charge)

The action reads: $S = \frac{1}{16\pi G_5} \int dx^5 \sqrt{g} (R - 2\Lambda + \hat{Q} \hat{G})$

$$ds^2 = e^{2\nu(u,v)} B^{-2/3}(u,v) (-4du dv) + B^{2/3}(u,v) \left(\frac{dx^2}{1-xy^2} + \chi^2 d\theta^2 \right)$$

Field Equations give:

$$\mathcal{I}(B_{uu} - 2\nu_u B_u) = 0$$

$$\mathcal{I}(B_{vv} - 2\nu_v B_v) = 0$$

$$\text{where } \mathcal{I} = 9 B^{4/3} e^{2\nu} + 36 \kappa \kappa B^{2/3} e^{2\nu} + 4\kappa B_u B_v$$

Two cases: Either $\mathcal{I}_5 = 0$ class 1 solutions.

$$\text{We get } ds^2 = - \frac{A(R)^2}{\kappa + \frac{R^2}{4\kappa}} dt^2 + \frac{dR^2}{\kappa + \frac{R^2}{4\kappa}} + R^2 \left(\frac{dx^2}{1-xy^2} + \chi^2 d\theta^2 \right)$$

with $A(R)$ undetermined and

$8\kappa \kappa^2 = 1$ Fine tuning condition. between α and the cosm. const.

otherwise $B = B(u+v) \quad e^{2\nu} = B' u' v'$

$$\begin{cases} u \rightarrow U(u) \\ v \rightarrow V(v) \end{cases} \quad \text{gauge symmetries}$$

Apart from $8\pi K^2 = 1$ (pathological case) we have a unique solution

$$ds^2 = -V(r)dt^2 + \frac{dr^2}{V(r)} + r^2 \left(\frac{dx^2}{1-x^2} + x^2 d\Omega_{D-3}^2 \right) \quad (\text{Myers and$$

Simon)

$$\text{and } F = \frac{q^2}{4\pi r^{2(D-2)}} dt \wedge dr$$

$$\text{and } V(r) = \kappa - r^2 f(r) \quad \text{with } P(f) = \sum_{l=0}^k \hat{c}_l f^l = \frac{\mu}{r^{D-1}} - \frac{Q^2}{r^{2D-4}}$$

ie, $f(r)$ is a root of a k -th order polynomial

$$k = \left\lfloor \frac{D-1}{2} \right\rfloor.$$

μ is an integration parameter associated to mass.

Q charge

and $P(f) = 0$ gives the flat, positive and negative vacua of the theory.

$$\text{eg: } D=4 \quad P(f) = \hat{c}_0 + \hat{c}_1 f = \frac{\mu}{r^3} - \frac{Q^2}{r^4}$$

$$\text{Hence } V(r) = \kappa - r^2 (\dots)$$

Stick to $D=5$ or $D=6$ where we have

Cosmological constant + Einstein + Gauss-Bonnet

$$\mathcal{L}_0 \sim \Lambda$$

$$\mathcal{L}_1 \sim R$$

$$\mathcal{L}_2 \sim R^2 - 4R_{ab}^2 + R_{abcd}^2$$

Summary of 1st lecture.

(Classical) modifications of GR conceivable both at the UV and the IR

In $D=4$ $G_{\mu\nu} + 2\Lambda g_{\mu\nu} = 8\pi G T_{\mu\nu}$ are the unique metric field equations with $\nabla^\mu T_{\mu\nu} = 0$ and which are 2nd order PDE's.

In D dimensions the most general metric theory is Lovelock's theory.

$$S = \int d^D x \sum_{k=0}^{\lfloor \frac{D-1}{2} \rfloor} L_k(x)$$

- $L_0 \sim \Lambda \theta^4$ CC
- $L_1 \sim R \theta^4$ EH
- $L_2 \sim G \theta^4$ G-B

for $D=2n$ $\int L_n(x) d^D x \sim \mathcal{R}(M)$

$$L_n(x) = \mathcal{R}^{t_1, b_1} \wedge \dots \wedge \mathcal{R}^{t_n, b_n} \epsilon_{A_1 \dots A_n} \epsilon_{B_1 \dots B_n} \rightarrow L_n(x) = \mathcal{R}_{A_1 \dots A_n} \wedge \mathcal{R}_{B_1 \dots B_n} \theta_{A_1 \dots A_n} \theta_{B_1 \dots B_n}$$

$\underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_{2n\text{-form}}$
 $\underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_{2d\text{-form}}$

Assuming (D-2) maximally sym. subspaces, solutions to Lovelock's eq^s have an extra local timelike Killing vector

$$ds^2 = A^2(t, r) (-4 dt du) + B^2(t, r) \left(\frac{dx^2}{1-x^2} + x^2 d\Omega_{D-2}^2 \right)$$

- $u \rightarrow U(u)$
- $v \rightarrow V(v)$

Brief del reminder

Static Einstein black holes.

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$$ds^2 = -h(r) dt^2 + \frac{dr^2}{h(r)} + r^2 \left(\frac{dx^2}{1-x^2} + x^2 d\Omega_{D-3}^2 \right)$$

$$h(r) = \kappa - \frac{2\Lambda}{(D-1)(D-2)} r^2 - \frac{\mu}{r^{D-3}} + \frac{Q^2}{r^{2(D-3)}}$$

• For $\mu = Q^2 = 0$ we pick up vacua parametrised by Λ expressed in different coords parametrised by κ

For $\Lambda < 0$, $\kappa = 1$ global patch of AdS

$\Lambda > 0$, $\kappa = 1$ static patch of dS.

• For $\kappa = 0$ and $\Lambda < 0$ we have a planar black hole
The horizon is toroidal or of more complicated topology.

• $\kappa = 1$ $\Lambda > 0$, $Q^2 = 0$, de-Sitter black hole
Event horizon and a dSitter horizon

Boulware & Deser
 Misner & Wheeler
 Myers & Simon
 Cai

Einstein Gauss-Bonnet static
black holes.

$$I = \frac{1}{16\pi G} \int d^D x \sqrt{-g} (R - 2\Lambda + \hat{\alpha} \hat{G}) - \frac{1}{4} \int d^D x \sqrt{-g} \varphi^2$$

$$ds^2 = -V(r) dt^2 + \frac{dr^2}{V(r)} + r^2 \left(\frac{d\chi^2}{1-\chi^2} + \chi^2 d\Omega_{D-3}^2 \right)$$

$$\varphi = \frac{\varphi^2}{4\pi r^{2(D-2)}} dt \wedge dr$$

$$V(r) = \kappa + \frac{r^2}{2\kappa} \left[1 + \epsilon \sqrt{1 + 4\kappa \left(-\kappa^2 + \frac{\mu}{r^{D-1}} - \frac{Q^2}{r^{2(D-2)}} \right)} \right]$$

$\alpha = (D-3)(D-4)\hat{\alpha}$ Gauss-Bonnet coupling $[\alpha] \sim L^2$

$2\Lambda = -(D-1)(D-2)\kappa^2$ cosmological constant (< 0)

$$\mu = \frac{16\pi GM}{(D-2)\Sigma_K}$$

mass M.

$$Q^2 = \frac{q^2}{2\pi(D-2)(D-3)}$$

charge

$$\epsilon = \pm 1$$

double branch!

• Vacua of the theory: Set $\mu = 0 = \kappa^2 = 0$ $\kappa = 1$.

Need $1 - 4\kappa Q^2 \geq 0$.

For $\epsilon = -1$ flat vacuum (Einstein branch)

$\epsilon = 1$ cosm. const vacuum $\sim \frac{1}{\alpha}$ (Gauss-Bonnet branch)
Both stable (Deser & Teukolski)

Asymptotics:

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Indeed for large r we get asymptotically Einstein solutions

$$\text{for } \varepsilon = -1, V(r) \sim 1 + Kr^2 - \frac{\mu}{r^{D-3}} - \frac{Q^2}{r^{2(D-3)}} \quad \text{RN.}$$

For $\varepsilon = 1$ there is no Einstein limit (although the solutions have dS or ads asymptotics)

Zanelli

* Special case $4\alpha k^2 = 1$ single vacuum. (Chern-Simons)

Naked or curvature singularities. Two possible singularities

$$\left. \begin{aligned} & (r_0 = 0) \text{ or } (r_1 \text{ such that} \\ & \left(1 + 4\alpha(-k^2 + \frac{\mu}{r^{D-1}} - \frac{Q^2}{r^{2(D-2)}}) = 0 \right) \end{aligned} \right\}$$

Horizons

We have a black hole solution iff there exists r_H such that $V(r_H) = 0$ and $r_H > (r_1, r_0)$

Indeed $r = r_H$ is a coord. singularity since (as usual)

$$dv_{\pm} = dt \pm \frac{dr}{V(r)}$$

Kruskal extension

(v_{\pm}, r) & (v_{\pm}, τ) regular chart across future and past

horizon.

read \rightarrow Myers & Simon.

Proposition: $r = r_H$ is an event horizon iff $r_H > r_1, r_0$

and satisfies the following conditions:

$$\varepsilon(2\alpha\kappa + r_H^2) \leq 0 \quad (1)$$

and

$$(2) \quad r = r_H \text{ is root of } P(x) = K^2 x^{20-4} + \mu x^{20-6} - \mu x^{0-3} + Q^2 + \alpha K^2 x^{20-8}$$

Therefore $\varepsilon = 1 \Rightarrow r_H^2 \leq -2\alpha\kappa$. bounded from above

Examples $\kappa = 0$ or $\kappa = 1$

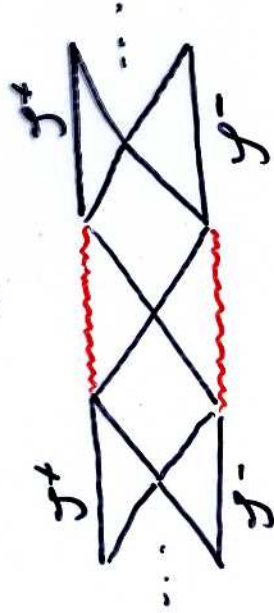
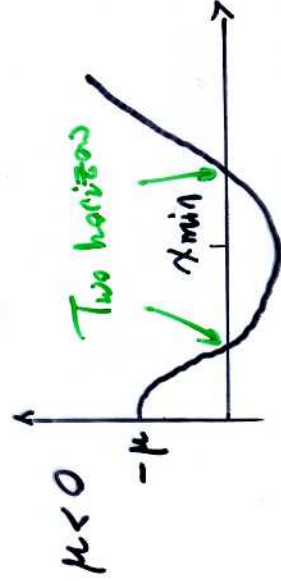
$\varepsilon = 1$ $\mathbb{P}_{\alpha=0}(x)$ is the relevant ARN polynomial.

Example: For $\kappa = 0$ $r = r_H$ are the same as in the Einstein case!!

The position of the horizon only picks up correction from the horizon curvature!

Example: Take $\varepsilon = 1$ and $\kappa = 0$, $\kappa = 1 \quad (1) \Rightarrow r_H^2 \leq -2\alpha$ hence $\alpha = -\beta < 0$.

Need $1 - 4\beta \frac{\mu}{r_0^2} + 4\beta \frac{Q^2}{r_0^2} > 0$



Myers & Simon

Clunan, Ross & Smith.

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Thermodynamics and geometry.

$$Q=0$$

$$\text{Mass: } M = \frac{(D-2)\Sigma_H}{16\pi G} \left(\kappa + r_H^2 \kappa^2 + \frac{\alpha}{r_H^2} \right) r_H^{D-3}$$

For temperature we Wick rotate $t \rightarrow i\tau$ and ask for the resulting Euclidean manifold to be smooth i.e. τ is an angular coordinate with no conical singularity. $r=r_H$

$$\text{Define } R \underset{r \rightarrow r_H}{=} \frac{2\sqrt{V}}{V'}$$

$$ds^2 \underset{r \rightarrow r_H}{\sim} \left(\frac{V'_H R}{2} \right)^2 d\tau^2 + \left(\frac{V'_H}{V'} \right)^2 dR^2 + \dots$$

compare with $dR^2 + R^2 d\theta^2$ flat space $r=r_H$

$$\text{Identify } \frac{V'_H}{2} \tau \sim \frac{V'_H}{2} \tau + 2\pi \Rightarrow \text{Period } \theta = \frac{4\pi}{V'_H}$$

and the temperature is its inverse $T = \frac{V'_H}{4\pi}$

$$T = \frac{\kappa^2(D-1)r_H^4 + (D-3)\kappa r_H^2 + (D-5)\alpha\kappa^2}{4\pi r_H (r_H^2 + 2\alpha\kappa)}$$

Gibbons & Perry.

$$\text{For entropy: } dM = T dS \Rightarrow S = \int_{r_{\text{min}}}^{r_H} T^{-1} dM = \int_{r_{\text{min}}}^{r_H} T^{-1} \frac{\partial M}{\partial r_H} dr_H$$

$$S = \frac{r_H^{D-2} \Sigma \kappa}{4G} \left(1 + \frac{2\alpha\kappa(D-2)}{(D-4)r_H^2} \right)$$

Entropy

Iyer & Wald

brea + \tilde{G} correction

of the horizon surface.

$$\rightarrow S = \frac{1}{4G} \int d^D x \sqrt{\tilde{h}_{\mu\nu}} (1 + 2\alpha \tilde{R}^{\text{ind}}), \tilde{R} \text{ Ricci scalar of the horizon!! Extended Euler density of the horizon!}$$

2 applications of the staticity theorem.

Consider a 3-brane with the energy-momentum tensor of a perfect fluid in $D=5$

$$\gamma_{\mu\nu} = \text{diag}(-\rho(t), p(t), p(t), p(t)) \quad \frac{S(z)}{\sqrt{g_{zz}}}$$

at $z=0$.

Hom. & Isot. Space.

$$ds^2 = (-dt^2 + dx^2) A_{(t,i)} + B_{(t,i)} \left(\frac{dx^i}{1-x^2} + x^i d\Omega_{D-2}^2 \right)$$

time extra dimension

$$\checkmark$$

$$-4 du dv$$

Corresponding metric symmetric.

2 dim conformal symmetries $u \rightarrow U(u)$ or the bulk.
 $v \rightarrow V(v)$

In the presence of the brane $U=V$

In the presence of a brane one of the two bulk gauge symmetries survives and the remaining physical degree of freedom is the brane trajectory $r = R(t)$ now evolving in a static background (EGB black hole)

$$\left(\frac{P}{16\alpha} \right)^2 = \left(H^2 + \frac{V(R)}{R^2} \right)^3 - \epsilon C \left(H^2 + \frac{V}{R^2} \right)^2 + \frac{1}{4} C^2 \left(H^2 + \frac{V}{R^2} \right)$$

$$\text{with } C = \frac{3}{4\alpha} \left(1 - 8\alpha k^2 + \frac{8\alpha\mu}{R^4} \right)$$

Codimension 2 brane worlds

Consider a double Wick rotation $D=6$

$$ds^2 = -\gamma(r) dt^2 + \frac{dr^2}{\gamma(r)} + r^2 \left(\frac{dx^2}{r^2} + y^2 d\Omega_{D-2}^2 \right) \quad \text{max sym space}$$

$$ds^2 = \gamma(r) d\theta^2 + \frac{dr^2}{\gamma(r)} + r^2 h_{\mu\nu} dx^\mu dx^\nu \quad \text{max sym s.t.}$$

where $h_{\mu\nu}$ is flat de-Sitter or anti-de-Sitter space-time in 4 dimensions! (see Gregory & Padilla)

Codimension 2 brane worlds are characterised by conical singularities like cosmic strings in 4 dimensions.

The stability theorem provides ALL the possible codimension 2 brane world solutions. $\mathcal{D}\mathcal{D}$ of axial symmetry comes for free!

Proposition. The possible positions of the brane are the zeros of the potential in other words $\mathcal{V} = \mathcal{V}_H$

The junction equations will be given by

$$2\pi(1-b) [\delta_{\nu}^{\mu} + 4\alpha G_{\nu}^{\mu}(\text{ind})] = S_{\nu}^{\mu}$$

$$\text{and } T_{\mu\nu}^{\text{brane}} = S_{\mu\nu} \delta^{(2)}(y) = S_{\mu\nu} \frac{\delta^{(4)}(x)}{2\pi r}.$$

*** In the presence of two horizons space will be dynamically compactified and we expect a localized graviton zero-mode i.e. effective 4 dimensional gravity on the brane.

Therefore candidate backgrounds are de-Sitter Schw. or RN since they have two horizons for their static patch.

Assume then $r_- < r < r_+$ with $V(r_{\pm}) = 0$.

$r = r_{\pm}$ defines the two brane positions

$$\begin{aligned}
 V &\sim_{r \sim r_{\pm}} V(r_{\pm}) + \frac{1}{2} (r - r_{\pm}) V'(r_{\pm}) \\
 ds^2 &\sim_{r \sim r_{\pm}} \frac{1}{2} (r - r_{\pm}) V'(r_{\pm}) d\theta^2 + \frac{dr^2}{\frac{1}{2} (r - r_{\pm}) V'(r_{\pm})} + \dots \\
 &\hookrightarrow p_{\pm} = \sqrt{\frac{2(r - r_{\pm})}{V'_{\pm}}} \\
 &= \left(\frac{1}{4} V'_{\pm}{}^2 \right)^{1/2} p_{\pm}^2 d\theta^2 + dp_{\pm}^2 + \dots
 \end{aligned}$$

flat space with deficit angle β_{\pm}

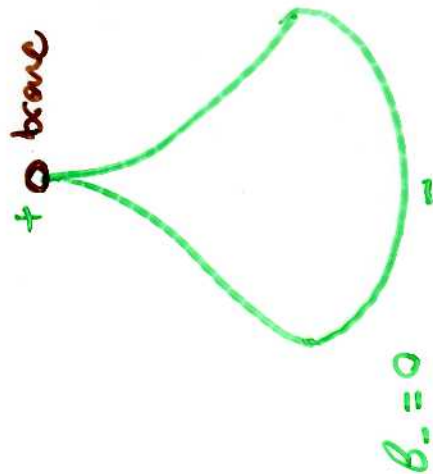
$$\frac{1}{2} V'_{\pm} \theta \stackrel{\text{ident}}{\sim} \frac{1}{2} V'_{\pm} \theta + (2\pi - \beta_{\pm})$$

$$\hookrightarrow \theta \sim \theta + \frac{2\pi - \beta_{\pm}}{\frac{1}{2} V'_{\pm}}$$

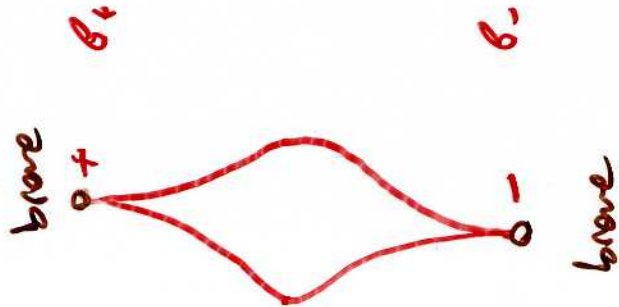
The period is the same at $g_{\frac{1}{2}}$. In other words

$$\frac{2\pi - \delta_+}{\frac{1}{2} V_+} = \frac{2\pi - \delta_-}{\frac{1}{2} V_-}$$

This allows us to get rid of one conical deficit and keep 1 brane.



or



For Einstein case
 check out et al.
 Papadopoulos et al.
 Sarbo et al.
 Kobayashi et al.

§5

The extended Kaluza-Klein reduction

Here we stick to $D=5$ and reduce to $d=4$.For KK reduction we need that the $D=5$ metric has a Killing vector in the S^1 dimension.

$$\text{Start with } S = \frac{1}{16\pi G} \int d^5x \sqrt{-g^{(5)}} (R^{(5)} - 2\Lambda + \alpha \hat{G}^{(5)})$$

$$\text{metric } ds^2 = (g_{ab}^{(5)}) dx^a dx^b =$$

$$= (g_{\mu\nu} + e^{-4\varphi} A_\mu A_\nu) dx^\mu dx^\nu + e^{-2\varphi} 2A_\mu dx^\mu dy + e^{-4\varphi} dy^2$$

Now integrate out the y -direction with periodic boundary conditions.

We obtain:

usual KK

$$S_{\text{eff}} = \int d^4x \sqrt{-g} e^{-2\varphi} \left\{ R - (\nabla\varphi)^2 - 2\Lambda e^{2\varphi} - \frac{1}{4} F^2 + \alpha \hat{G} + \frac{3\alpha}{16} e^{-8\varphi} [(F_{\mu\nu} F^{\mu\nu})^2 - 2 F_{\nu\lambda}^2 F_{\lambda\mu}^2 F_{\mu\nu}^2] \right\}$$

$$- \frac{1}{2} \int d^4x \sqrt{-g} e^{-6\varphi} (F_{\mu\nu} F^{\nu\lambda} R^{\lambda\mu} - 4 F_{\mu\lambda} F^{\nu\lambda} R^\mu_\nu - F_{\nu\mu} F^{\mu\nu} R)$$

Interaction term!

The reduced KK theory is the unique gauge field scalar tensor theory which is higher order (in power) and (only) yields second order field equations

Starting from a geometric 5 dimensional theory we have picked up the general (and hard to find) 4 dim theory with matter.

Freeze the dilaton: $\Phi = \text{const.}$

$$S_{\text{eff}} = \int d^4x \sqrt{g} \left(R - 2\Lambda + \frac{3\kappa}{16} (F_{\mu\nu} F^{\mu\nu})^2 - 2\gamma F F F F \right) - \frac{1}{4} F^2 - \frac{1}{2} \int d^4x \sqrt{g} \left(F F R^{\mu\nu}{}_{\kappa\lambda} - 4\gamma F F R^{\mu\nu}{}_{\kappa\lambda} - F F R \right)$$

Freeze geometry: $g_{\mu\nu} = \eta_{\mu\nu}$

$$S_{\text{eff}} = \int d^4x \sqrt{g} \left(-\frac{1}{4} F^2 + \frac{3\kappa}{16} [(F_{\mu\nu} F^{\mu\nu})^2] - 2 F F F F \right)$$

generalised Maxwell theory.

Set $\alpha = \frac{3\gamma}{16e^2}$ (Kerner)

Field equations:

$$\partial_\lambda [F^{\lambda\rho} - \frac{3\gamma}{2e^2} F_{\mu\nu} F^{\mu\nu} F^{\lambda\rho}] + \frac{3\gamma}{e^2} \partial_\lambda [F_{\mu\nu} F^{\lambda\mu} F^{\rho\nu}] = 0$$

and $\partial_\mu F_{\lambda\rho} = 0$ as usual.

Also introducing \vec{E} & \vec{B} .

$$\text{div } \vec{E} = -\frac{3\gamma}{e^2} \vec{B} \cdot \vec{\text{grad}}(\vec{E} \cdot \vec{B})$$

$$\vec{\text{rot}} \vec{B} = \frac{\partial \vec{E}}{\partial t} + \frac{3\gamma}{e^2} [\vec{B} \frac{\partial(\vec{E} \cdot \vec{B})}{\partial t} - \vec{E} \wedge \vec{\text{grad}}(\vec{E} \cdot \vec{B})]$$

$$\text{div } \vec{B} = 0$$

$$\vec{\text{rot}} \vec{E} = -\frac{\partial \vec{B}}{\partial t}$$

If $\vec{E} \cdot \vec{B} = 0$ i.e. $\vec{E} \perp \vec{B}$ higher order terms drop out

Hence EM wave solutions remain the same!

charge density $j_{\text{ind}} = -\frac{3\gamma}{e^2} \vec{B} \cdot \vec{\text{grad}}(\vec{E} \cdot \vec{B})$

Induced current $j_{\text{ind}} = \frac{3\gamma}{e^2} [\vec{B} \frac{\partial(\vec{E} \cdot \vec{B})}{\partial t} - \vec{E} \wedge \vec{\text{grad}}(\vec{E} \cdot \vec{B})]$

from EM fields themselves! with $\frac{\partial j_{\text{ind}}}{\partial t} + \text{div}(j_{\text{ind}}) = 0$

Freeze gauge field $F=0$.

$$S_{\text{eff}} = \int d^4x \sqrt{-g} e^{-2\varphi} \{ R - (\nabla\varphi)^2 - 2\lambda e^{2\varphi} + \alpha \hat{G} \}$$

by a conformal rescaling we can go to the Einstein frame.

$$S_{\text{eff}} = \int d^4x \sqrt{g} (R - \lambda \nabla\varphi^2) - 2\lambda e^{2\varphi} + \alpha e^{5\varphi} \hat{G}$$

So if there is a scalar field in the action \hat{G} term is no longer non-dynamical and will affect the field equations.

For example in d.E. models it appears as the leading order interaction between gravity and the quint. field φ . This can give solar system constraints for the d.e. model.

Numerical solutions for b.h. by Kanti et al.

A bunch of Open problems.

Stationary black holes.

Kerr - Myers Perry.

The Black string. (Kobayashi / Tanabe)

Perturbation theory

KK solutions

Cod 2 Brane world cosmology etc

Conclusions.

Lovelock theory is well motivated but hard to handle beyond a given symmetry.

Should we use rather differential forms?

A technical breakthrough is needed in order to find solutions of axial symmetry.

Intriguing junction conditions and relation to horizon entropy formula!

Perturbation theory & Stability

