The scale(s) of quantum gravity and integrable black holes

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Abstract and outline

It is common to assume that quantum gravity belongs at the Planck scale, but a possibly much larger size for the ground state emerges in the (non-perturbative) quantisation of the Oppenheimer-Snyder model of dust collapse that naturally recovers Bekenstein's area law. The effective geometry for such quantum black holes can then be obtained from coherent states which describe integrable singularities without inner horizons. The extension to quantum (differentially) rotating black holes with similar properties is also described.

Quantum (gravity) views at self-gravitating objects:

- 1. Macroscopic quantum width in (non-perturbative) gravitational collapse
- 2. Quantum (non-perturbative) coherent state for black hole geometry without Cauchy horizons

3. Quantum (integrable*) black holes

Preamble - Units and scales

Units (of measure) are chosen for practical reasons + physics is a practical (observational) science = units reflect *our* understanding of *nature*

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4.3.4 Planck units—completely natural units

Define $c \equiv \hbar \equiv G \equiv 1$, so that $m_P \equiv \ell_P \equiv T_P \equiv 1$. This system of units serves to keep both classical relativists and particle physicists happy. This system also serves to keep both classical relativists and particle physicists confused since it is essentially impossible to use dimensional analysis to check results for consistency while using this system. This system works in the first place because for suitable exponents (α, β, γ) and (a, b, c) almost all interesting physical quantities X are dimensionless multiples of

$$[X] \equiv m_P^{\alpha} \,\ell_P^{\beta} \,T_P^{\gamma} \equiv \hbar^a \,c^b \,G^c. \tag{4.20}$$

[Please, no niggling comments about thermodynamics (Boltzmann's constant), chemistry (moles), luminous intensity (candelas), etc.]

4.3 Units

4.3.1 Seminatural units

Most of this book will be written using "seminatural units". I shall define $c \equiv 1$, so that $m_P = \sqrt{\hbar/G}$; $\ell_P \equiv T_P \equiv \sqrt{\hbar G}$. Equivalently $G \equiv \hbar/m_P^2 \equiv \ell_P^2/\hbar \equiv \ell_P/m_P$. For pedagogical purposes this seems to me to be the best compromise between constantly keeping track of explicit factors of the fundamental constants and quickly getting totally confused about the dimensionality of various physical quantities.

Other conventions in common use are as follows:

4.3.2 Geometrodynamic units

Define $c \equiv G \equiv 1$, so that $m_P \equiv \ell_P \equiv T_P \equiv \sqrt{\hbar}$. These units are commonly used by classical relativists but are guaranteed to drive particle physicists rapidly up the wall.

4.3.3 Quantum units

Define $c \equiv \hbar \equiv 1$, so that $m_P \equiv 1/\sqrt{G}$, while $\ell_P \equiv T_P \equiv \sqrt{G}$. These units are commonly used by particle physicists but are guaranteed to drive classical relativists rapidly up the wall.

Strong (quantum) gravity = high compactness $X \equiv GM/R \longrightarrow [G] = L/M$

Preamble - QG and Planck scale

Planck scale:

$$m = m_{\rm p} \equiv \sqrt{\frac{c \hbar}{G_{\rm N}}} \sim 10^{-8} \, \text{kg}$$

$$\lambda_{\rm C} = \ell_{\rm p} \equiv \sqrt{\frac{\hbar G_{\rm N}}{c^3}} \sim 10^{-35} \, \text{m}$$

$$\frac{\hbar}{m c} \equiv \lambda_{\rm C} \sim R_{\rm H} \equiv \frac{2 G_{\rm N} m}{c^2}$$

Is Quantum Gravity at the Planck scale $\left(\ell_p \sim m_p\right)$ or compactness $\frac{O_N m}{R} = \frac{m \circ p}{m_p R} \sim 1?^*$

* Analogy: what is the scale of QED/SM? Electron Compton length << atom << BEC size << neutron star

Preamble - QG and gravitational collapse

• BH form from collapse - the classical view:



Black hole (singularity hidden by horizon)

- $|\text{matter}\rangle$ ~ very large number of SM particles ($M_{\odot} \sim 10^{57}$ neutrons)
- |gravity > ~ very large number of gravitons* ($N_{\rm G} \sim M_{\odot}^2/m_{\rm p}^2 \sim 10^{76}$)

Reduce and simplify**:

Lemaître-Tolman-Bondi-Oppenheimer-Snyder model

* J.D. Bekenstein, PRD 7 (1973) 2333

** Rovelli, Thiemann,... Relational approach: "Quantise only what you measure"... But this is just what physics is about

spacetime Collapsing ball of dust [1] singularity $ds^{2} = -\left(1 - \frac{2G_{N}M}{r}\right)dt^{2} + \left(1 - \frac{2G_{N}M}{r}\right)^{-1}dr^{2} + r^{2}d\Omega^{2}$ event horizon apparent horizon $\left(\frac{dR}{d\tau}\right)^2 + 1 - \frac{2G_{\rm N}M}{R} \simeq \frac{E^2}{\mu^2}$ ight ray → boundary of the star collapsing Effective one-body Hamiltonian [2,3]: matter initial surface $H \equiv \frac{P^2}{2\mu} - \frac{G_{\rm N} \,\mu \,M}{R} = \frac{\mu}{2} \left(\frac{E^2}{\mu^2} - 1 \right) \equiv \mathscr{C}$ $\frac{\mathscr{E}_n}{\mu} \simeq -\frac{G_N^2 \,\mu^3 M}{2 \,\hbar^2 \,n^2} \sim -\frac{\mu^3 M}{m_p^4 \,n^2}$ $\hat{H}\Psi_n = \mathscr{C}_n\Psi_n$ $\bar{R}_n \equiv \langle \Psi_n | \hat{R} | \Psi_n \rangle \simeq n^2 \, \ell_p \left(\frac{m_p^3}{\mu^2 M} \right)$ $\bar{R}_1 \sim \ell_p \frac{m_p^3}{\mu^2 M} \sim 0$ Newtonian physics: $n \geq 1$ $n \ge N_M \sim \frac{\mu M}{m_p^2} \longrightarrow \bar{R}_{N_M} \sim G_N M$ GR: $\frac{E_n^2}{\mu^2} = 1 + \frac{\mathscr{C}_n}{\mu} \ge 0$

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- 1 Quantum dust core
- Collapsing ball of dust [2]

$$ds^{2} = -\left(1 - \frac{2G_{N}M}{r}\right)dt^{2} + \left(1 - \frac{2G_{N}M}{r}\right)^{-1}dr^{2} + r^{2}d\Omega^{2}$$

$$\left(\frac{dR_{i}}{d\tau}\right)^{2} + 1 - \frac{2G_{N}M_{i}}{R_{i}} \simeq \frac{E_{i}^{2}}{\mu^{2}}$$
• Dust particle Hamiltonians:
$$H_{i} \equiv \frac{P_{i}^{2}}{2\mu} - \frac{G_{N}\mu M_{i}}{R_{i}} = \frac{\mu}{2}\left(\frac{E_{i}^{2}}{\mu^{2}} - 1\right) \equiv \mathscr{E}_{i}$$
• Schrödinger equation:
$$\hat{H}_{i} \Psi_{n_{i}} = \mathscr{E}_{n_{i}}\Psi_{n_{i}}$$

• Spectrum of bound states ($n_i \ge 1$):

$$\frac{\mathscr{E}_{n_i}}{\mu} \simeq -\frac{G_N^2 \mu^3 M_i}{2 \hbar^2 n_i^2} = -\frac{1}{2 n_i^2} \left(\frac{\mu M_i}{m_p^2}\right)^2 = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{E_i^2}{\mu^2} - 1\right)$$
$$\bar{R}_{n_i} \equiv \langle \Psi_{n_i} | \hat{R}_i | \Psi_{n_i} \rangle \simeq n_i^2 \mathscr{C}_p \left(\frac{m_p^3}{\mu^2 M_i}\right)$$
Newtonian spectrum

"GR" [2]

[2] R.C., Quantum dust cores of black holes, PLB 843 (2023) 138055 [arXiv:2304.06816]

• Allowed spectrum * [1,2]:

$$0 \le \frac{E_i^2}{\mu^2} \simeq 1 - \frac{1}{n_i^2} \left(\frac{\mu M_i}{m_p^2}\right)^2 \quad \longrightarrow \quad n_i \ge N_i = \frac{\mu M_i}{m_p^2} \quad \longrightarrow \quad \bar{R}_{N_i} \simeq \frac{3}{2} G_N M_i$$

• Layer thickness [1]:

$$\frac{\overline{\Delta R}_{n_i}}{\bar{R}_{n_i}} = \frac{\sqrt{n_i^2 + 2}}{3 n_i} \simeq \frac{1}{3} \longrightarrow \bar{R}_{N_{i+1}} \simeq \bar{R}_{N_i} + \overline{\Delta R}_{N_i} \simeq \frac{4}{3} \bar{R}_{N_i} \longrightarrow M_{i+1} \simeq \frac{4}{3} M_i$$

$$N_{\rm G} = \frac{M}{\mu} N_N \simeq \frac{M^2}{m_{\rm p}^2}$$

$$R_{\rm s} \simeq \frac{3}{2} G_{\rm N} M = \frac{3}{4} R_{\rm H}$$

• Energy "spectra":

$$\delta H = |\mathscr{C}_{n+1} - \mathscr{C}_n| \sim m_p \frac{m_p}{M} \quad \text{(Hawking temperature)}$$
$$\delta E = |E_{n+1} - E_n| \sim m_p \qquad n \geq N_M$$
$$(\text{Dvali's) saturons}$$

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$$N_{\rm G} = \frac{M}{\mu} N_N \simeq \frac{M^2}{m_{\rm p}^2}$$

 $0 \le \frac{E_i^2}{\mu^2} \simeq 1$



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Semiclassical "bounce" (~ BH-to-WH transition)

I non-linearity

* GUP in action ~ (Dvali's) classicalisation

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 $\rho(r) \sim r^{-2}$

• Effective mass and energy density $[1]^*: (m(r) \sim r)$

• Integrable singularity:



* Minkowski spacetime in disguise ($t \leftrightarrow r$) ~ asymptotic safety?

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• BH form from collapse - the quantum view:



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- $|\text{gravity}\rangle \sim \text{very large number of gravitons}^* (N_{\rm G} \sim M_{\odot}^2 \sim 10^{76})$

• $|gravity\rangle$ always entangled with $|matter\rangle \iff$ "quantum hair" [1,2]



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• SdS geometry [1]:

$$ds^{2} = -f(r) dt^{2} + \frac{dr^{2}}{f(r)} + r^{2} d\Omega^{2}$$

$$f = 1 + 2 V_{SdS} = 1 - \frac{2 G_{N} M}{r} - \frac{\Lambda r^{2}}{3}$$

$$V_{SdS} = V_{M} + V_{\Lambda} = -\frac{G_{N} M}{r} - \frac{\Lambda r^{2}}{6}$$

• Horizons (
$$f = 0 \leftrightarrow 2V = -1$$
):

Cosmological horizon



2 - Coherent state for classical geometry

• "Effective" massless scalar field in Minkowski (~ true QG vacuum $\hat{a}_k | 0 \rangle = 0$ *):

$$\begin{cases} -\frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} + \frac{1}{r^2} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left(r^2 \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \right) + \frac{1}{r^2 \sin^2 \theta} \left[\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \left(\sin^2 \theta \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \right) + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \varphi^2} \right] + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y_1^2} + \dots + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y_n^2} \end{cases} \Phi = 0$$

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$$\left[-\frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} + \frac{1}{r^2}\frac{\partial}{\partial r}\left(r^2\frac{\partial}{\partial r}\right)\right]\Phi(t,r) = 0$$

$$u_{k}(t,r) = e^{-ikt} j_{0}(kr)$$

$$4\pi \int_{0}^{\infty} r^{2} dr j_{0}(kr) j_{0}(pr) = \frac{2\pi^{2}}{k^{2}} \delta(k-p)$$

• Normal mode expansion of operators:

$$\hat{\Phi}(t,r) = \int_{0}^{\infty} \frac{k^{2} dk}{2\pi^{2}} \sqrt{\frac{\hbar}{2k}} \left[\hat{a}_{k} u_{k}(t,r) + \hat{a}_{k}^{\dagger} u_{k}^{*}(t,r) \right] \qquad \left[\hat{\Phi}(t,r), \hat{\Pi}(t,s) \right] = \frac{i\hbar}{4\pi r^{2}} \,\delta(r-s)$$

$$\hat{\Pi}(t,r) = i \int_{0}^{\infty} \frac{k^{2} dk}{2\pi^{2}} \sqrt{\frac{\hbar k}{2}} \left[\hat{a}_{k} u_{k}(t,r) - \hat{a}_{k}^{\dagger} u_{k}^{*}(t,r) \right] \qquad \left[\hat{a}_{k}, \hat{a}_{p}^{\dagger} \right] = \frac{2\pi^{2}}{k^{2}} \,\delta(k-p)$$

Coherent state:

$$\hat{a}_k |g\rangle = g(k) e^{i\gamma_k(t)} |g\rangle$$

$$\langle g \,|\, \hat{\Phi}(t,r) \,|\, g \rangle = \int_0^\infty \frac{k^2 \,dk}{2 \,\pi^2} \,\sqrt{\frac{2 \,\ell_{\rm p} \,m_{\rm p}}{k}} \,g(k) \,\cos[\gamma_k(t) - k \,t] \,j_0(k \,r)$$

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2 - Coherent state for classical geometry

• "Classical" coherent state:

$$\int \frac{\ell_{\rm p}}{m_{\rm p}} \langle g \,|\, \hat{\Phi}(t,r) \,|\, g \rangle = V(r) = \int_0^\infty \frac{k^2 \,dk}{2 \,\pi^2} \,\tilde{V}(k) \,j_0(k\,r)$$

Single mode occupation number:

$$g(k) = \sqrt{\frac{k}{2}} \frac{\tilde{V}(k)}{\ell_{p}}$$

$$\gamma_{k} = k t$$
 virtual non-propagating modes *

• Total occupation number (must be finite!) ~ distance from vacuum:

$$|g\rangle = e^{-N_{\rm G}/2} \exp\left\{\int_0^\infty \frac{k^2 dk}{2\pi^2} g(k) \hat{a}_k^{\dagger}\right\} |0\rangle$$

$$N_{\rm G} = \int_0^\infty \frac{k^2 dk}{2 \pi^2} g^2(k) < \infty$$

$$\langle k \rangle = \int_0^\infty \frac{k^2 \, dk}{2 \, \pi^2} \, k \, g^2(k) < \infty$$

* Potentials in QFT are generated by virtual / non propagating modes (same for spherical symmetry)

2 - Coherent state for classical geometry

• Localised source:
$$V_M = -\frac{G_N M}{r}$$

$$\tilde{V}_M = -4\pi G_{\rm N} \frac{M}{k^2}$$

• Mass scaling [1]:

$$N_{M} = 4 \frac{M^{2}}{m_{p}^{2}} \int_{0}^{\infty} \frac{dk}{k} \longrightarrow 4 \frac{M^{2}}{m_{p}^{2}} \int_{k_{IR}}^{k_{UV}} \frac{dk}{k} = 4 \frac{M^{2}}{m_{p}^{2}} \ln\left(\frac{k_{UV}}{k_{IR}}\right)$$

• Compton length scaling:

$$\langle k \rangle = 4 \frac{M^2}{m_p^2} \int_0^\infty dk \longrightarrow 4 \frac{M^2}{m_p^2} \int_{k_{\rm IR}}^{k_{\rm UV}} dk = 4 \frac{M^2}{m_p^2} \left(k_{\rm UV} - k_{\rm IR} \right)$$

• Quantum core (BH = ground state):

$$k_{\rm UV}^{-1} \simeq R_{\rm s} \simeq G_{\rm N} M$$

* Cut-offs = existence condition for quantum state: $g(k < k_{IR}) = g(k > k_{UV}) \simeq 0!$

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$$k_{\rm UV}^{-1} \simeq R_{\rm s} \simeq G_{\rm N} M$$

$$k_{\rm IR}^{-1} \simeq L$$

$$V_{\rm QM} \equiv \sqrt{\frac{\ell_{\rm p}}{m_{\rm p}}} \langle g | \hat{\Phi}(t, r) | g \rangle \simeq V_{\rm M}(r)$$

(Observable?) quantum hair

$$V_{\rm QM} = V_{\rm M}(r) \left\{ 1 - \left[1 - \frac{2}{\pi} \operatorname{Si}\left(\frac{r}{R_{\rm s}}\right) \right] \right\}$$

$$\operatorname{Si}(x) = \int_0^x j_0(z) \, dz$$

• Excited (coherent) states \iff deformations (Love numbers...)

3 - Quantum integrable black holes

• Corpuscular scaling laws:

$$N_M \sim \frac{M^2}{m_p^2} \ln\left(\frac{R_\infty}{R_s}\right)$$

 $\lambda_M \simeq \frac{N_M}{\langle k \rangle} \sim R_{\rm H} \sim G_{\rm N} M$

cutoffs \rightarrow proper $g(k) \sim$ time-dependent "quantum hair"



• "Quantum corrected" metric [1]:

$$ds^{2} \simeq -\left(1 + 2V_{QM}\right)dt^{2} + \frac{dr^{2}}{1 + 2V_{QM}} + r^{2}d\Omega^{2}$$

Integrable singularity without inner horizon

$$R^2 \sim R_{\mu\nu\alpha\beta} R^{\mu\nu\alpha\beta} \sim r^{-4}$$



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3 - Quantum integrable black holes



$$\rho_{\text{eff}} \sim |\Psi^2(r)| \sim r^{-2} \qquad m(r) \sim \int_0^r \rho(x) x^2 \, dx < \infty$$
$$p^r \sim -\rho = \rho = r^{-2}$$

 $m(r) \sim r$

$$p_{\text{eff}}^{t} \sim p_{\text{eff}}^{t} \sim r^{0}$$

$$\Delta = r_{\pm}^2 - 2 r_{\pm} m(r_{\pm}) = 0$$
$$\Delta(r \sim 0) < 0$$

Regular (classical) black holes:

$$\rho \sim r^0 \implies m \sim r^3$$

$$\Delta = r_{\pm}^2 - 2 r_{\pm} m(r_{\pm}) = 0$$
$$\Delta(r \sim 0) \sim r^2 \ge 0$$





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• Rotating integrable singularity without inner horizon [3]

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 $p_{\rm eff}^t \sim r^0$

$$\Delta = a^2 - 2r_{\pm}m(r_{\pm}) + r_{\pm}^2 = 0$$
$$\Delta(0) = a^2 > 0$$



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$$a(r) \sim r^{\alpha} \qquad \alpha \ge 1$$

 $p_{\rm eff}^t \sim r^0$

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$$\Delta(r \sim 0) \sim -(2 m_1 - 1) r \le 0$$



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4 - Coherent state for slowly rotating geometry

• Slowly rotating metric [1]: $ds^2 \simeq -(1+2V_M+2W_a) dt^2 + \frac{dr^2}{1+2V_M+2W_a} - \frac{4G_NMa}{r} \sin^2\theta dt d\phi + r^2 d\Omega^2$ $W_a = \frac{a^2}{2r^2}$ $\hbar \ll J = J^z = |a| M \ll G_N M^2$

- Angular momentum modes: $n_k | k \rangle \implies n_{k\ell m} | k, \ell, m \rangle$ $J_{\ell m} = \hbar \sqrt{\ell (\ell + 1) n_{k\ell m}}$ $J_{\ell m}^z = \hbar m n_{k\ell m}$
- Entropy of Schwarzschild geometry from $\ell = m = 0$:

$$\mathcal{N}_{M} \sim \sum_{n=0}^{N_{M}} \binom{N_{M}}{n} = \sum_{n=0}^{N_{M}} \frac{N_{M}!}{(N_{M} - n)! n!} = 2^{N_{M}}$$
$$S_{M} \propto \ln(\mathcal{N}_{M}) \sim \left(\frac{M}{m_{p}}\right)^{2}$$
$$W_{qa} \sim \frac{G_{N} M}{r} \left(\frac{\ell_{p}}{r}\right)^{2} \qquad \sim 1\text{-loop corrections [2]}$$

- Entropy of Schwarzschild geometry from $\|m\| \ll \ell \lesssim \ell_{\rm c}$

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