

Modified EMRI Waveforms

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The framework

✳️ Theory agnostic approach: shift-symmetric theories with a new massless scalar field

- generalised scalar-tensor theories
- scalar Gauss-Bonnet
- dynamical Chern Simons
- $f(R)$ theories ...

$$S[\mathbf{g}, \varphi, \Psi] = S_0[\mathbf{g}, \varphi] + \alpha S_c[\mathbf{g}, \varphi] + S_m[\mathbf{g}, \varphi, \Psi]$$

$\int d^4x \frac{\sqrt{-g}}{16\pi} \left(R - \frac{1}{2} \partial_\mu \varphi \partial^\mu \varphi \right)$
Non minimal coupling
matter fields Ψ

✳️ Single expansion parameter: mass ratio q

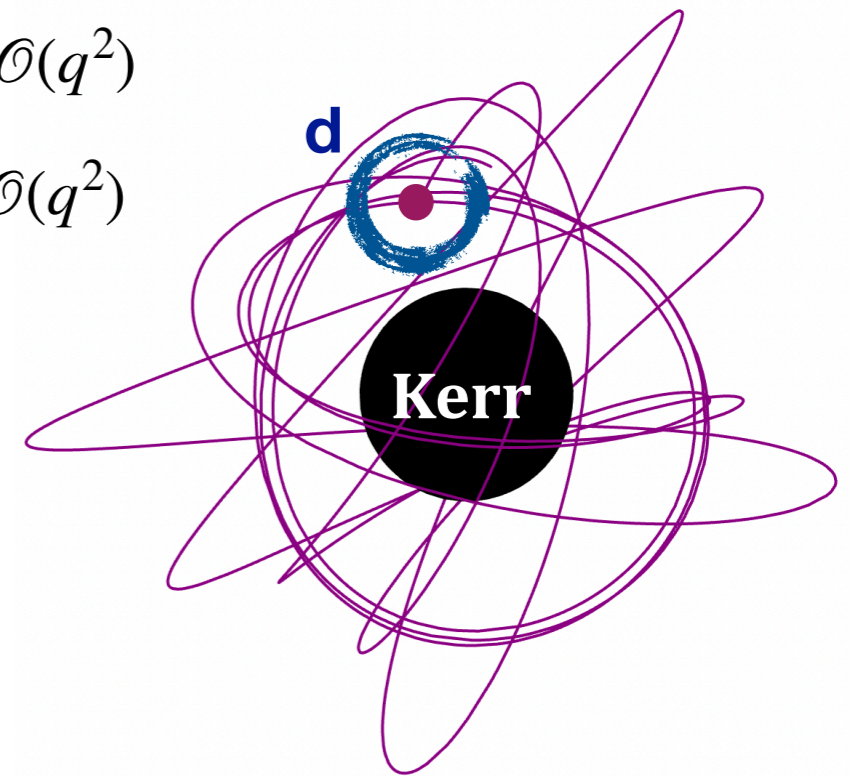
$$\begin{cases} g_{\mu\nu} = g_{\mu\nu}^{(0)} + q h_{\mu\nu}^{(1)} + \mathcal{O}(q^2) \\ \varphi = \varphi^{(0)} + q \varphi^{(1)} + \mathcal{O}(q^2) \end{cases}$$

- First order:

$$G_{\mu\nu}^{(1)} = 8\pi m_p \int \frac{\delta^{(4)}(x - y_p(\lambda))}{\sqrt{-g}} \frac{dy_\mu^p}{d\lambda} \frac{dy_\nu^p}{d\lambda} d\lambda$$

$$\square \varphi^{(1)} = -4\pi d m_p \int \frac{\delta^{(4)}(x - y_p(\lambda))}{\sqrt{-g}} d\lambda$$

Solved with the Teukolsky approach: $\psi^{(s)}(t, r, \theta, \phi) = \int d\omega \sum_{\ell m} R_{\ell m}^{(s)}(r, \omega) S_{\ell m}^{(s)}(\theta, \omega) e^{im\phi} e^{-i\omega t}$



- Second order: $a = a_{(1)grav} + a_{(1)scal} + a_{(2)grav} + a_{(2)scal}$

The research project: mindset & literature

* EMRIs + scalar fields: *A. Maselli+*, *Phys.Rev.Lett.* 125 (2020) 14, 141101

→ Post-adiabatic terms

▶ Formalism: *A. Spiers+*, *Phys.Rev.D* 109 (2024) 6, 064022

▶ Implementation: In progress...

→ Orbits

▶ Equatorial eccentric around Kerr: *S.B+*, *Phys.Rev.D* 106 (2022) 4, 044029

▶ Circular inclined around Kerr : *M. Della Rocca+*, *Phys.Rev.D* 109 (2024) 10, 104079

▶ Generic (eccentric&inclined): In progress... *S. Gliorio+*

→ Parameter estimation

▶ Fisher Information Matrix: *A. Maselli+*, *Nature Astron.* 6 (2022) 4, 464-470

▶ Markov Chain Monte Carlo: *L. Speri+*, *ArXiv*2406.07607

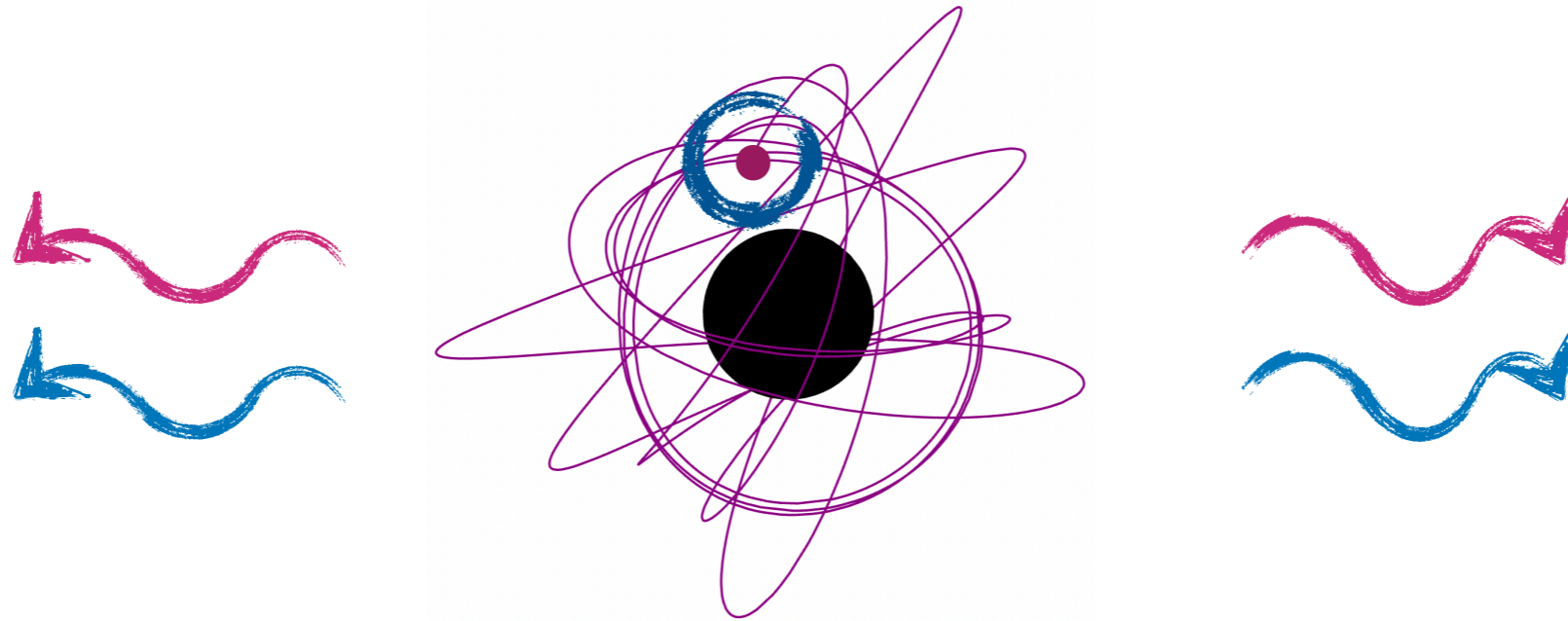
→ Non shift-symmetric fields

▶ Massive scalar fields: *S.B+*, *Phys.Rev.Lett.* 131 (2023) 5, 051401

OPA



Modeling Steps



- * Energy emission through *gravitational* and *scalar* waves

$$\dot{E}_W = \sum_{i=+,-} [\dot{E}_{\text{grav}}^{(i)} + \dot{E}_{\text{scal}}^{(i)}] = \dot{E}_{\text{grav}} + \dot{E}_{\text{scal}} \rightarrow \dot{E}_{\text{scal}} \propto d^2$$

EXTRA emission simply added to the gravitational one!

- * Adiabatic orbital evolution through a sequence of geodesics
- * Imprint on the gravitational waves: dephasing, faithfulness
- * Parameter estimation: FIM, MCMC

GW template: Analytical Kludge

○ Quadrupolar approximation $h_{ij}^{TT} = \frac{2}{D} \left(P_{i\ell} P_{jm} - \frac{1}{2} P_{ij} P_{\ell m} \right) \ddot{I}_{\ell m}$ [L. Barack and C. Cutler, Phys. Rev. D 69 (2004) 082005]

$$I_{ij} = \int d^3x T^{tt}(t, x^i) x^i x^j = m_p x^i x^j$$

○ Strain measured by the detector $h(t) = \sum_n h_n(t)$ $h_n(t) = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} [F_+(t) A_n^+(t) + F_\times(t) A_n^\times(t)]$

LISA pattern functions

$$F_+ = \frac{1 + \cos^2 \theta}{2} \cos 2\phi \cos 2\psi - \cos \theta \sin 2\phi \sin 2\psi$$

$$F_\times = \frac{1 + \cos^2 \theta}{2} \cos 2\phi \sin 2\psi + \cos \theta \sin 2\phi \cos 2\psi$$

Amplitudes

$$A_n^+ = - [1 + (\hat{L} \cdot \hat{N})^2] [a_n \cos(2\gamma) - b_n \sin(2\gamma)] + [1 - (\hat{L} \cdot \hat{N})^2] c_n$$

$$A_n^\times = 2(\hat{L} \cdot \hat{N}) [b_n \cos(2\gamma) + a_n \sin(2\gamma)]$$

$$a_n = -n \mathcal{A} [J_{n-2}(ne) - 2eJ_{n-1}(ne) + (2/n)J_n(ne) + 2eJ_{n+1}(ne) - J_{n+2}(ne)] \cos[n\Phi(t)]$$

$$b_n = -n \mathcal{A} (1 - e^2)^{1/2} [J_{n-2}(ne) - 2J_n(ne) + J_{n+2}(ne)] \sin[n\Phi(t)]$$

$$c_n = 2 \mathcal{A} J_n(ne) \cos[n\Phi(t)]$$

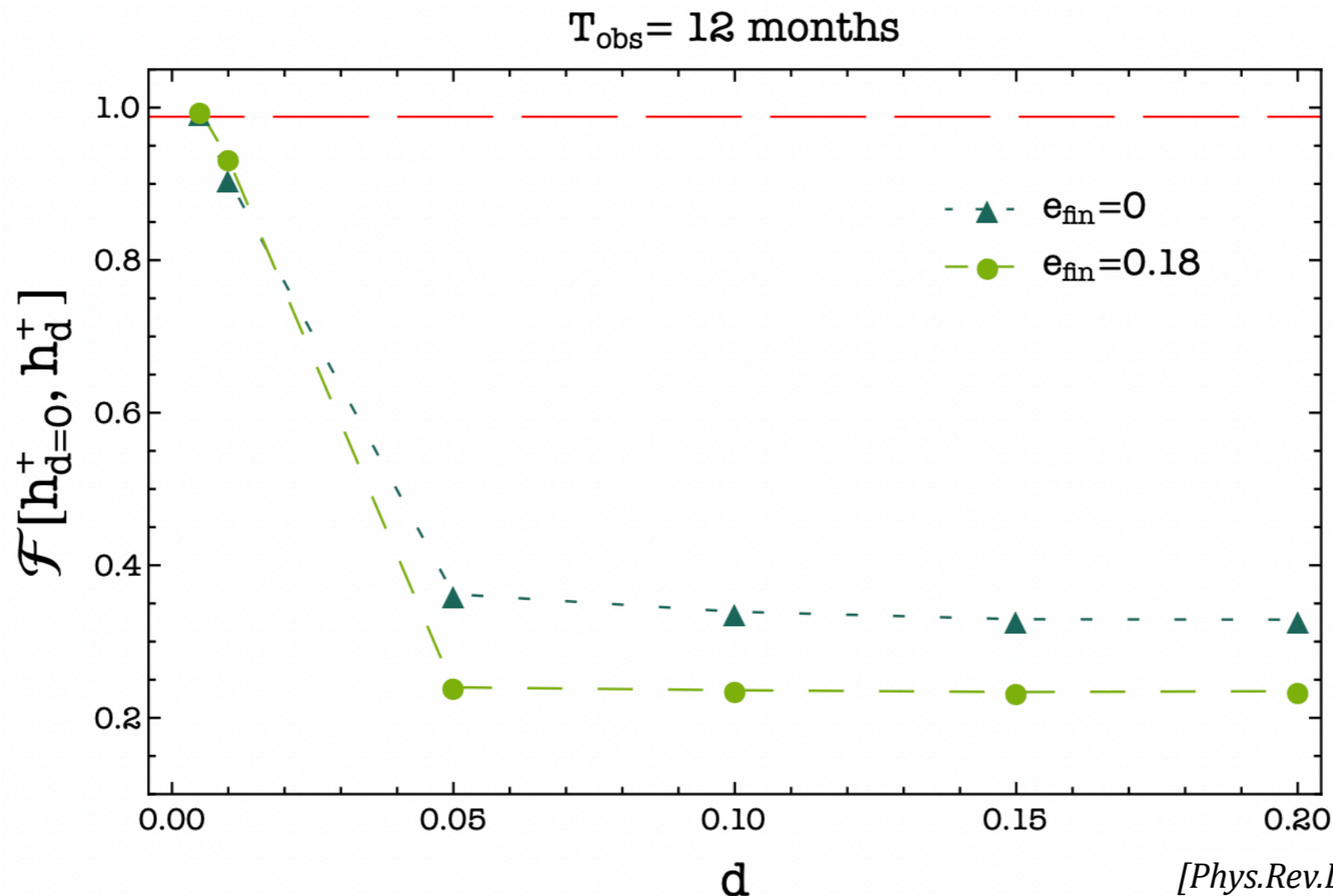
$$(2\pi\nu M)^{2/3} m_p / D$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 2\pi\nu = d\Phi/dt \\ \Phi = \Psi_\phi \\ \cos \gamma = \cos \Psi_R \end{array} \right.$$

Faithfulness: Equatorial ECCENTRIC EMRIs

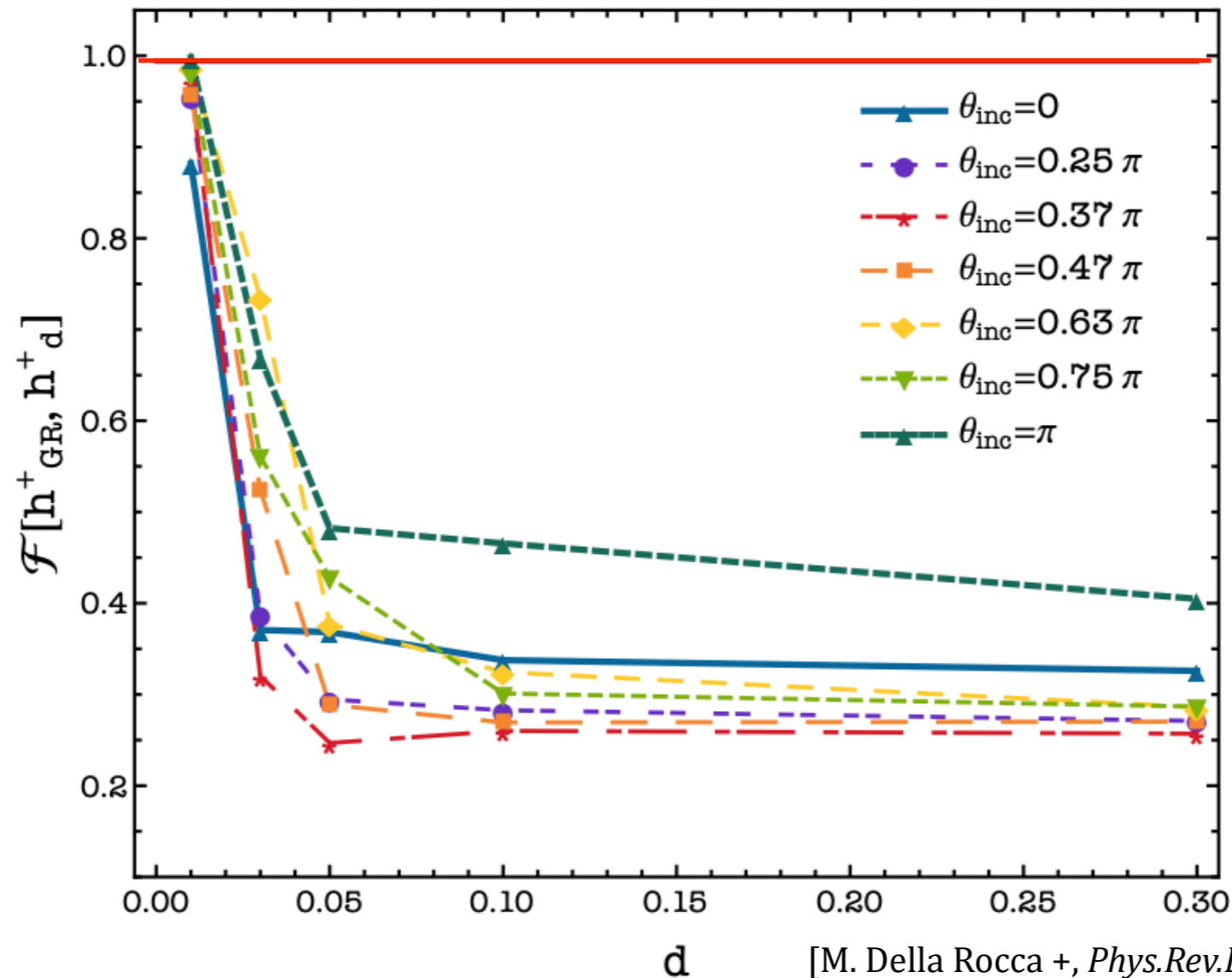
Estimate of how much two signals differ: $\mathcal{F}[h_1, h_2] = \max_{\{t_c, \phi_c\}} \frac{\langle h_1 | h_2 \rangle}{\sqrt{\langle h_1 | h_1 \rangle \langle h_2 | h_2 \rangle}}$

Inner product $\langle h_1 | h_2 \rangle = 4\Re \int_{f_{min}}^{f_{max}} \frac{\tilde{h}_1(f) \tilde{h}_2^*(f)}{S_n(f)} df$



- Red line: threshold under which the signals are significantly different - $\mathcal{F} \lesssim 0.994$ for $SNR = 30$
- After 1year \mathcal{F} is always smaller than the threshold for scalar charges as small as $d = 0.01$
- For the eccentric inspirals the distinguishability increases

Faithfulness: INCLINED Circular EMRIs



- Red line: threshold under which the signals are significantly different - $\mathcal{F} \lesssim 0.994$ for $SNR = 30$
- After 1 year \mathcal{F} is always smaller than the threshold for scalar charges as small as $d \simeq 0.05$
- The mismatch increases with the increasing of the orbital inclination, for prograde orbits

Bayesian Analysis

- Bayes' theorem

$$p(\boldsymbol{\theta} | d) = \frac{p(d | \boldsymbol{\theta})p(\boldsymbol{\theta})}{p(d)}$$

Likelihood

Priors

Posterior

- Stochastic sampling technique: Markov Chain Monte Carlo (MCMC)

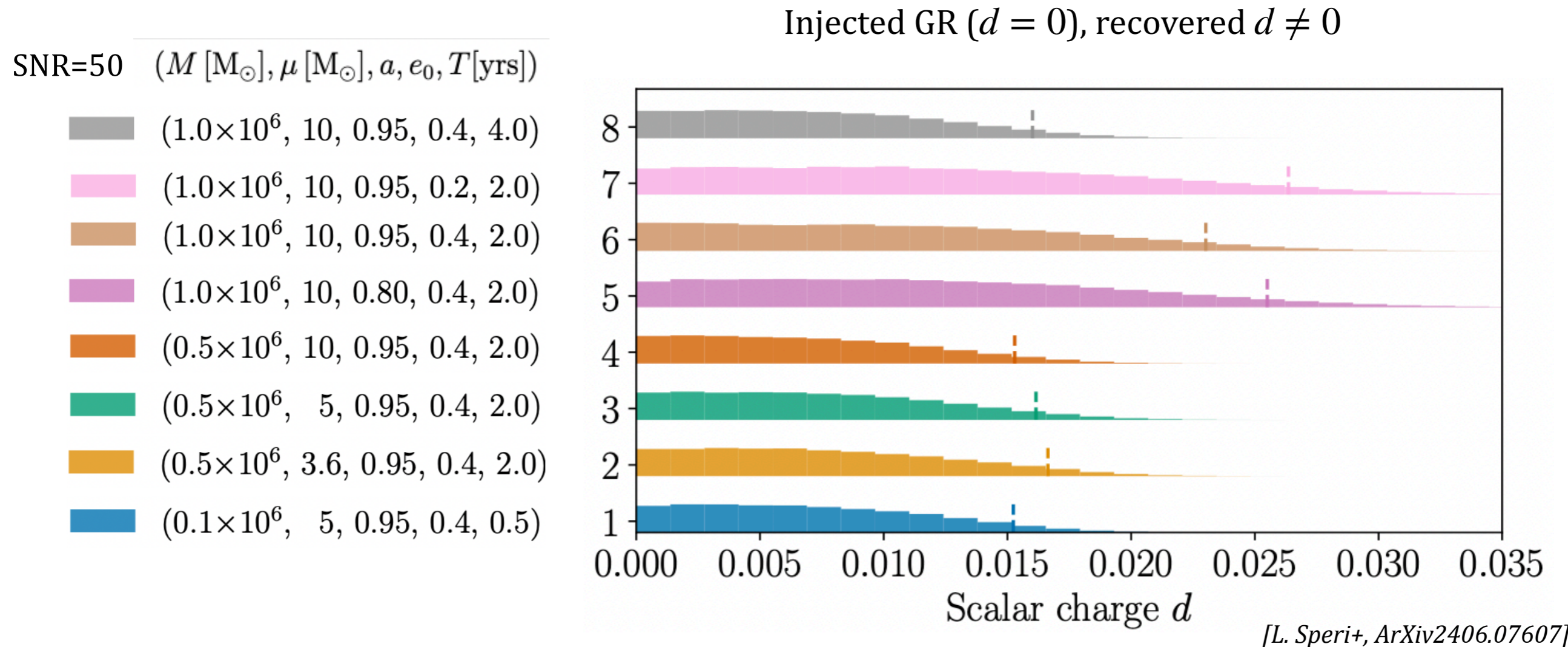
- 13 waveform parameters: $\vec{\theta} = \left(\ln M, \ln m_p, \frac{a}{M}, \ln D, \theta_S, \phi_S, \theta_L, \phi_L, p_0, e_0, \Phi_{\phi_0}, \phi_{r0}, d \right)$

LISA pipeline **F**ast **E**MRI **W**aveforms

OPA	Circular	Eccentric	Generic
Schwarzschild	Fully Relativistic (also 1PA!)	Fully Relativistic	AAK
Kerr	AAK	AAK	AAK

Bayesian Analysis: Results

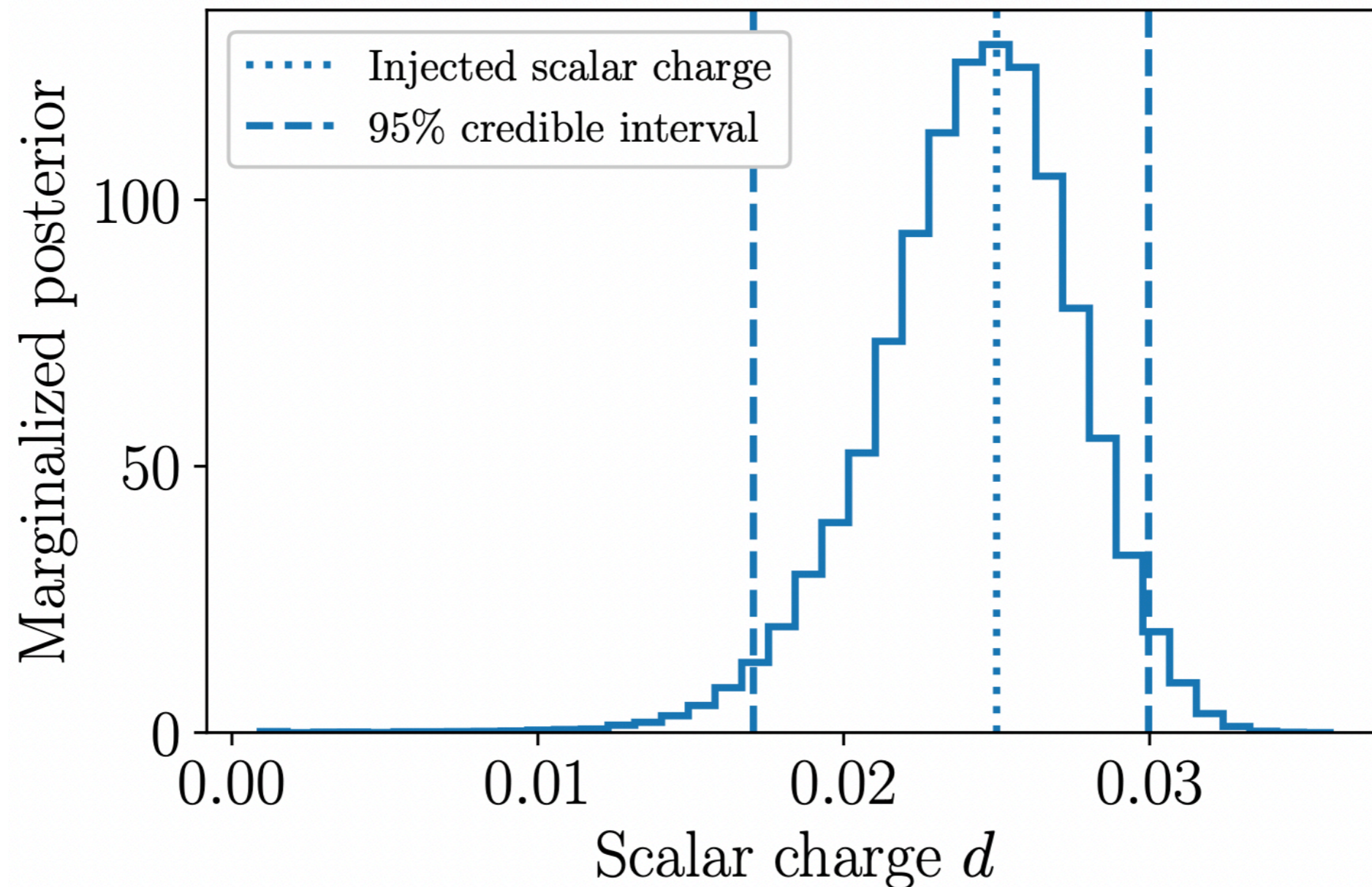
FastEMRIWaveforms: fully relativistic equatorial **eccentric** inspiral, **AAK** waveforms



Reference System 6 vs

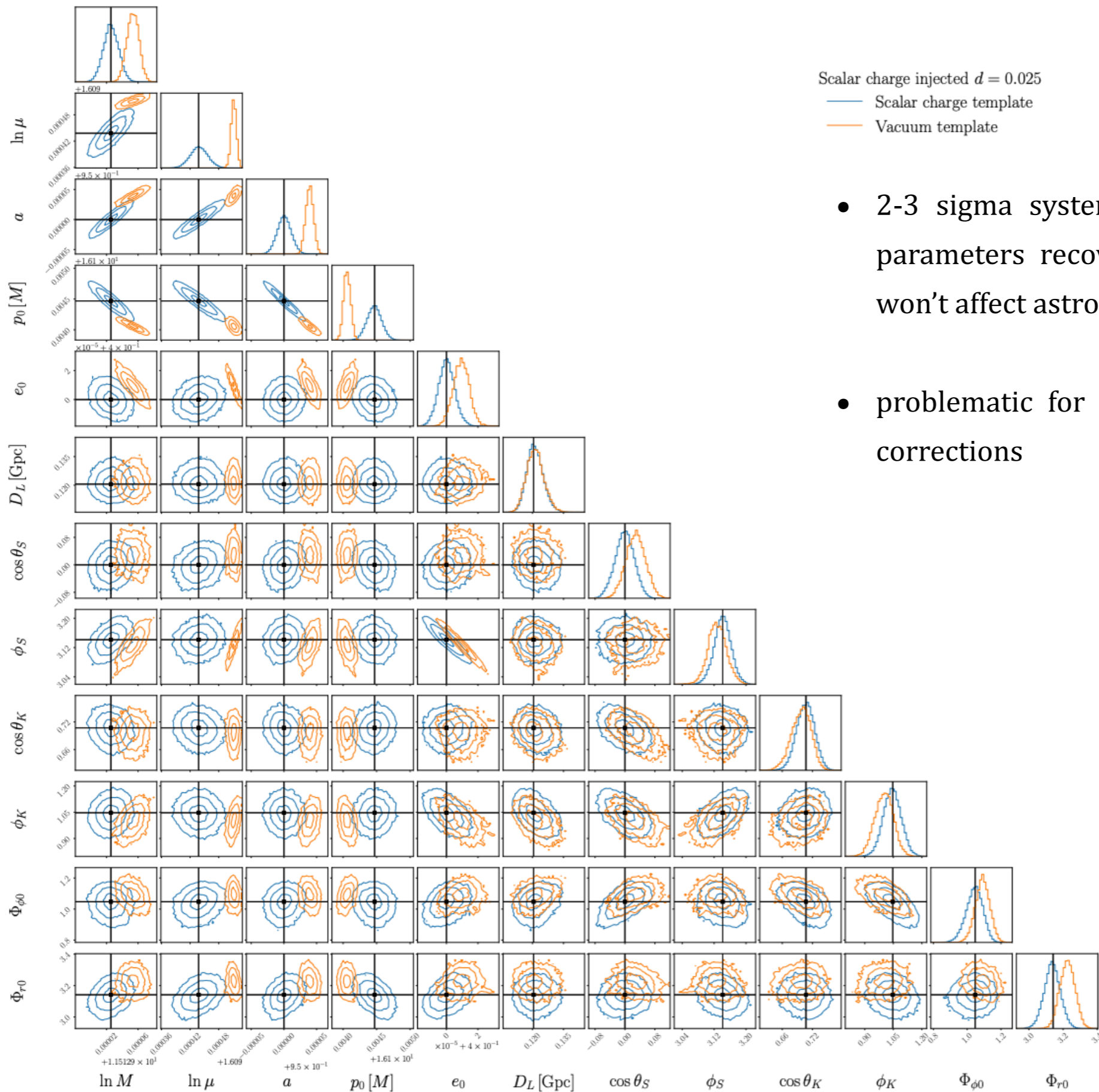
- System 7 (larger e_0) and System 5 (larger spin): slightly tighter bounds;
- System 4: comparable mass systems provide better bounds than more extreme mass ratios;
- System 3: fixed mass ratio but smaller secondary;
- System 8: comparing T;
- System 1: larger p_0 , better bound on d ;

Bayesian Analysis: Single measurement



- Injected scalar charge: $d = 0.025$
- $M = 10^5 M_{\odot}$, $\mu = 5 M_{\odot}$
- $T = 2$ yrs
- $SNR = 50$
- 95 % credible interval : $0.0244^{+0.006}_{-0.007}$

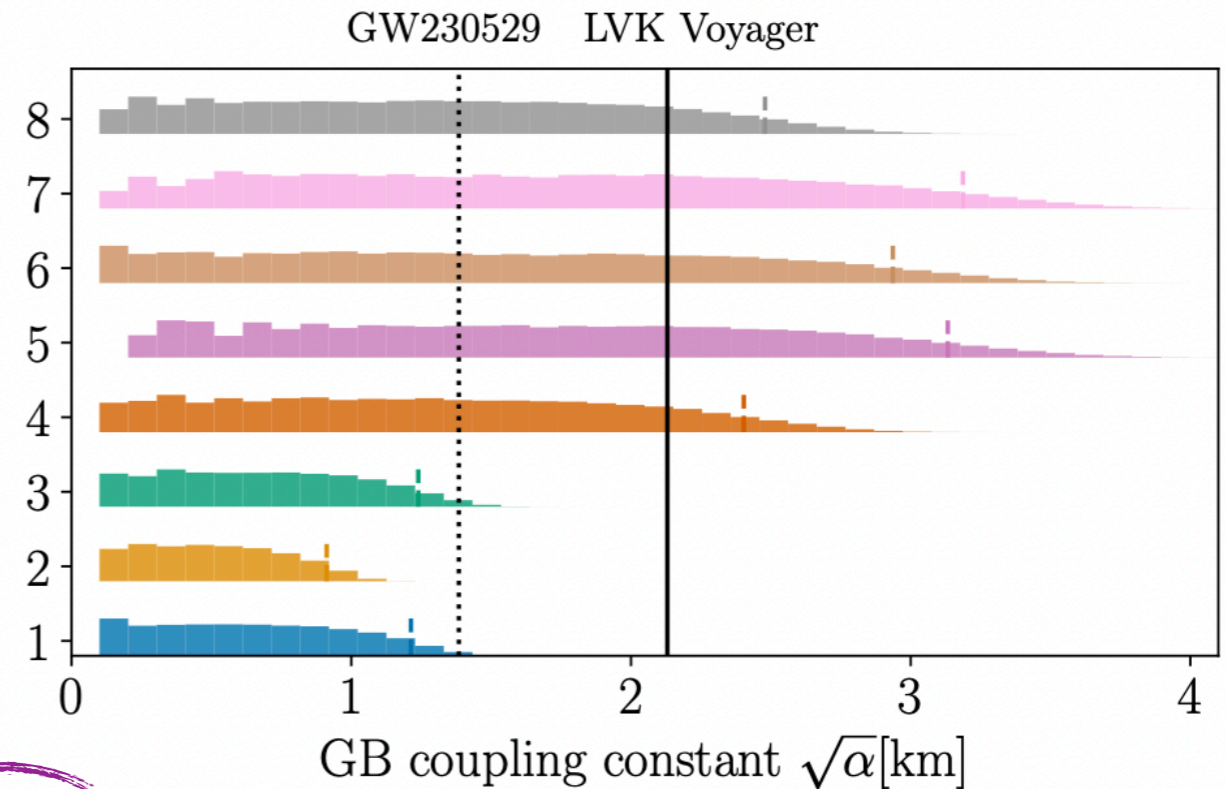
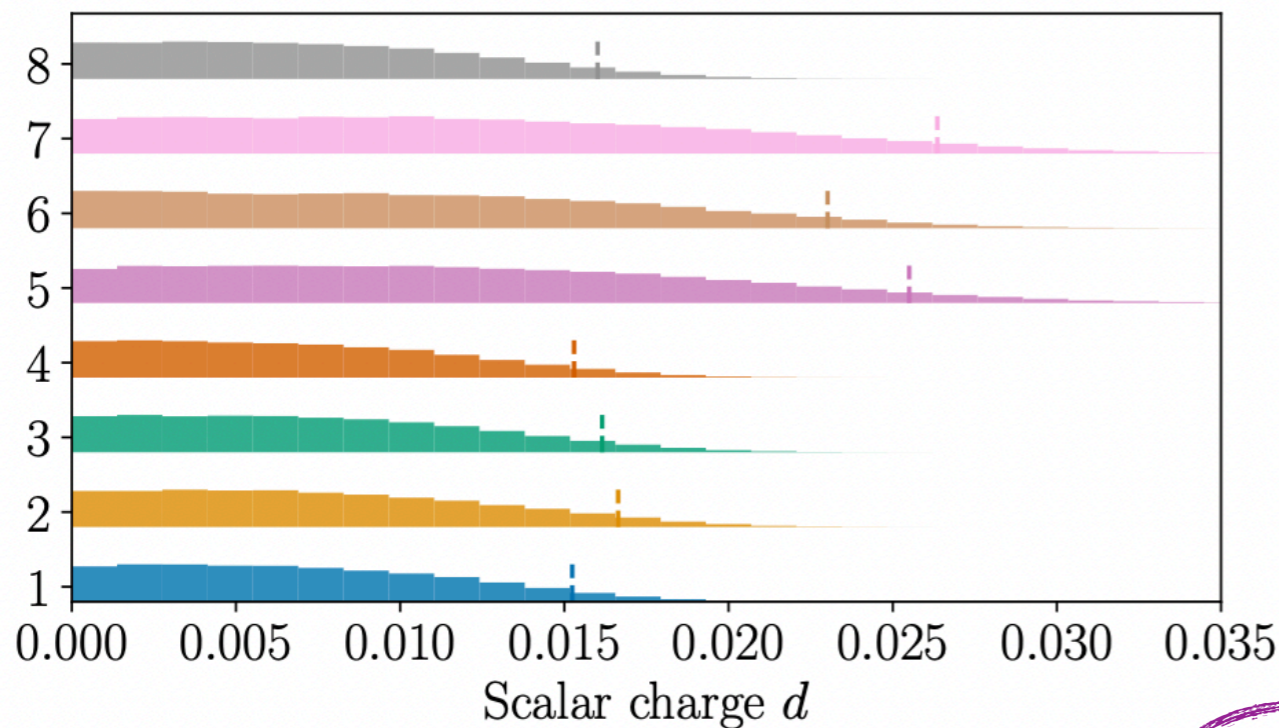
Bayesian Analysis: Biases



- 2-3 sigma systematic biases in the intrinsic parameters recovered with the GR template: won't affect astrophysical conclusion
- problematic for small deviations: beyond GR corrections

Bayesian Analysis: From d to α

$(M [M_\odot], \mu [M_\odot], a, e_0, T[\text{yrs}])$			
■	$(0.1 \times 10^6, 5, 0.95, 0.4, 0.5)$	■	$(1.0 \times 10^6, 10, 0.80, 0.4, 2.0)$
■	$(0.5 \times 10^6, 3.6, 0.95, 0.4, 2.0)$	■	$(1.0 \times 10^6, 10, 0.95, 0.4, 2.0)$
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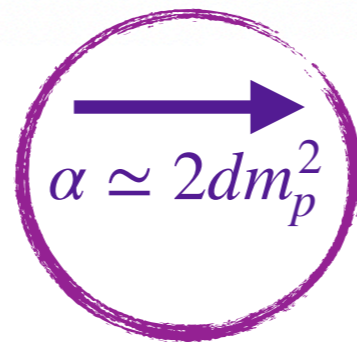


$$\alpha S_c = \frac{\alpha}{4} \int d^4x \frac{\sqrt{-g}}{16\pi} f(\varphi) \mathcal{G}$$

$$\mathcal{G} = R^2 - 4R_{\mu\nu}R^{\mu\nu} + R_{\mu\nu\alpha\beta}R^{\mu\nu\alpha\beta}$$

$$f(\varphi) = \varphi$$

$$\alpha \simeq 2dm_p^2$$



- System 2: secondary of the same mass of the BH in GW230529 [2406.03568]
- Elise Sanger talk tomorrow!

EMRIs with massive scalars

Non shift-symmetric theories : the massive case

$$S = \int d^4x \frac{\sqrt{-g}}{16\pi} \left(R - \frac{1}{2} \partial_\mu \varphi \partial^\mu \varphi - \frac{1}{2} \mu_s^2 \varphi^2 \right) + \alpha S_c [\mathbf{g}, \varphi] + S_m [\mathbf{g}, \varphi, \Psi]$$

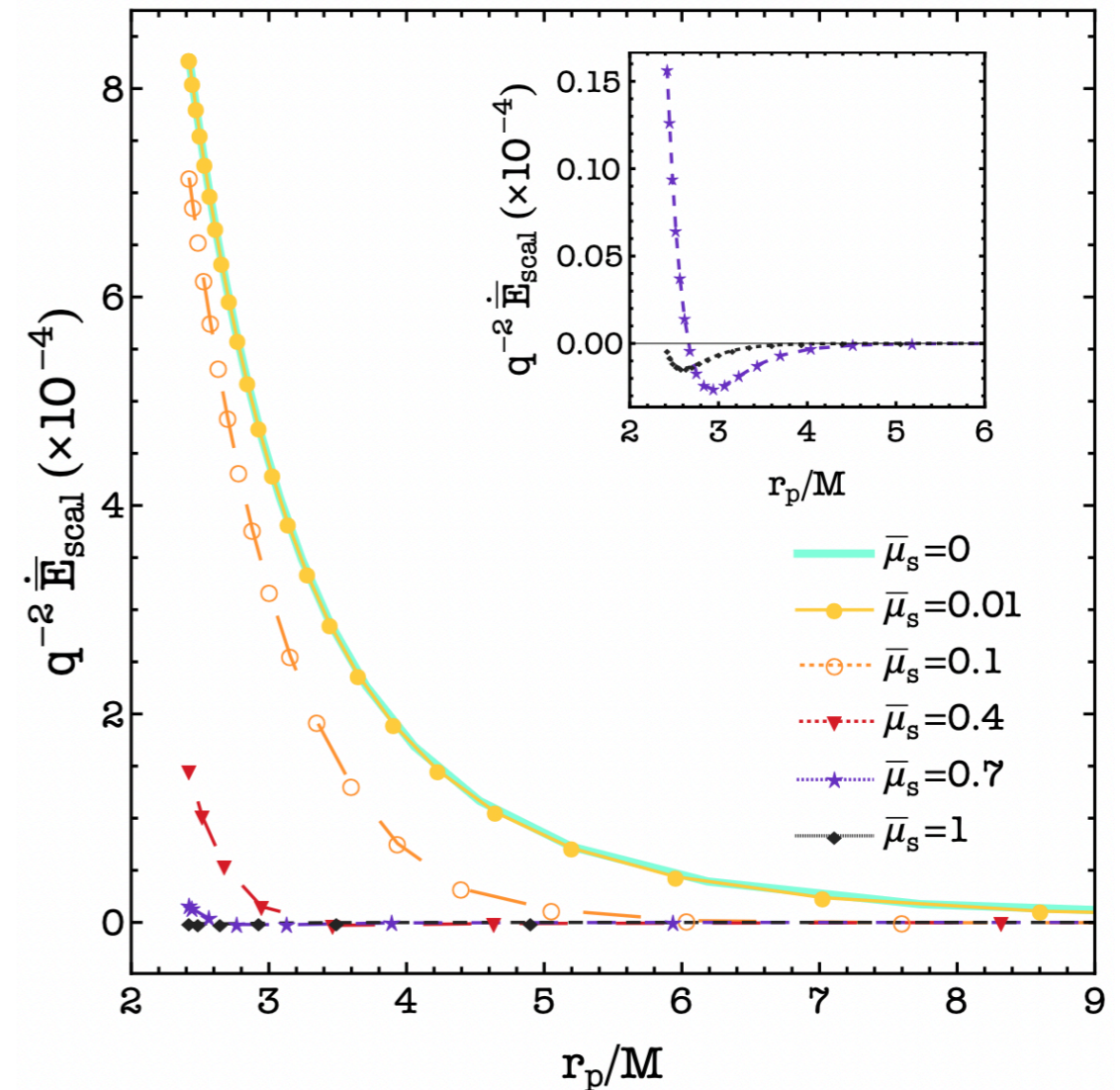
$$(\square - \mu_s^2) \varphi = -4\pi d m_p \int \frac{\delta^{(4)}(x - y_p(\lambda))}{\sqrt{-g}} d\lambda$$

- $\left(\frac{\mu_s M}{0.75} \right) \cdot \left(\frac{10^6 M_\odot}{M} \right) 10^{-16} \text{ eV}$

- $\bar{\mu}_s = \mu_s M$

Scalar energy emission:

- The scalar flux at infinity *vanishes* for $\omega < \mu_s$
 - For each (ℓ, m) exist r_s such that $\dot{E}_{scal}^\infty(r > r_s) = 0$
- The flux at the horizon is active during all the inspiral
 - Resonances for certain ω
 - Floating orbits $\dot{E}_{grav} = \dot{E}_{scal}$

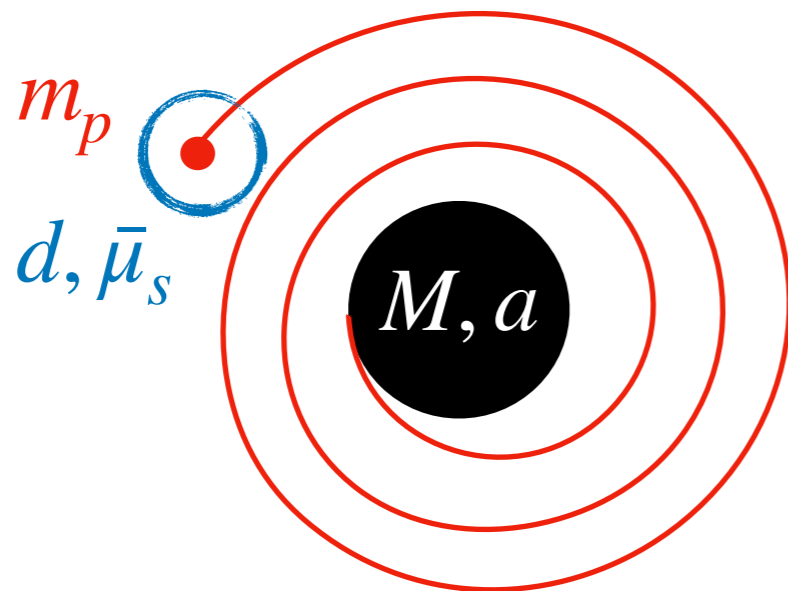


EMRIs with massive scalars: Fisher analysis

- Inject parameters to generate the waveform: $\vec{\theta} = \left(\ln M, \ln m_p, \frac{a}{M}, \ln D, \theta_S, \phi_S, \theta_L, \phi_L, r_0, \Phi_0, \textcircled{d, \bar{\mu}_s} \right)$
- Posterior probability in the limit of large SNR: $\log p(\vec{\theta}|o) \propto \log p_0(\theta) - \frac{1}{2} \Delta_i \Gamma_{ij} \Delta_j$
- Fisher Information Matrix (FIM) analysis

$$\Gamma_{ij} = \left\langle \frac{\partial h}{\partial \theta_i} \middle| \frac{\partial h}{\partial \theta_j} \right\rangle_{\theta=\hat{\theta}} \longrightarrow \Sigma = \Gamma^{-1} \longrightarrow \sigma_i = \Sigma_{ii}^{1/2}, \quad c_{\theta_i \theta_j} = \Sigma_{ij}^{1/2} / (\sigma_{\theta_i} \sigma_{\theta_j})$$

- We considered just the dipole for the scalar emission ($\ell = 1$)
- 1 year of observation before the plunge



— Primary :

- $M/M_{\odot} = 10^6$
- $a/M = 0.9$

— Secondary :

- $m_p/M_{\odot} = 1.4, 4.6, 10, 15$
- $d = 0.1$
- $\bar{\mu}_s = 0.018, 0.036 \simeq 2.4, 4.8 \times 10^{-18} eV$

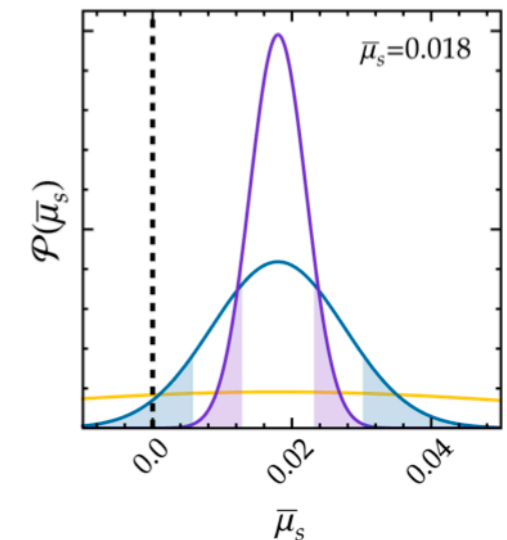
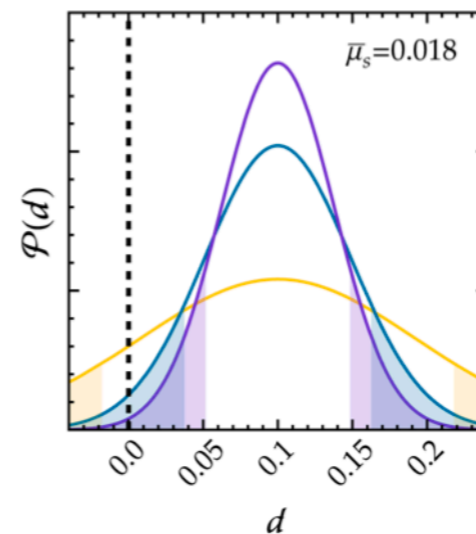
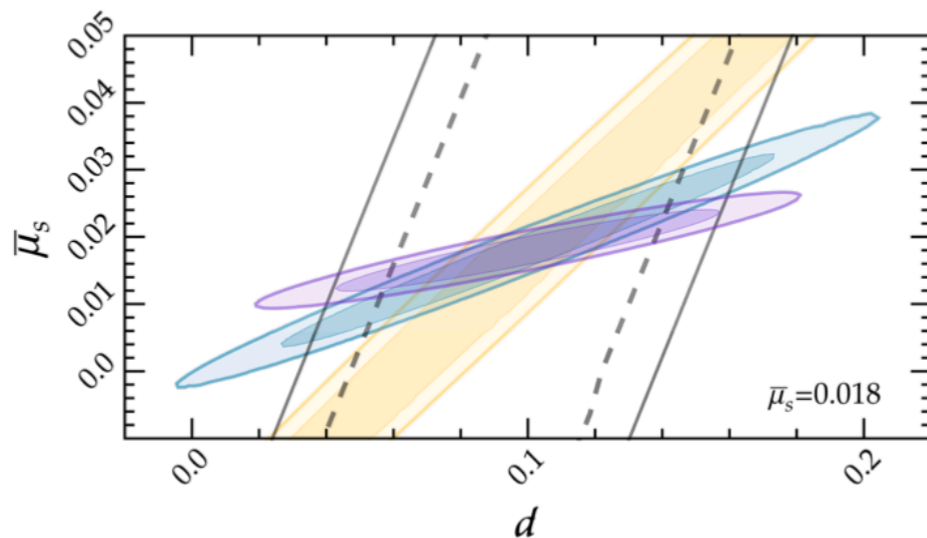
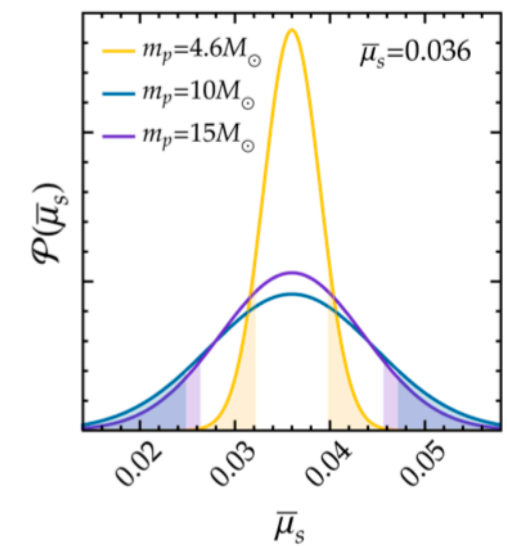
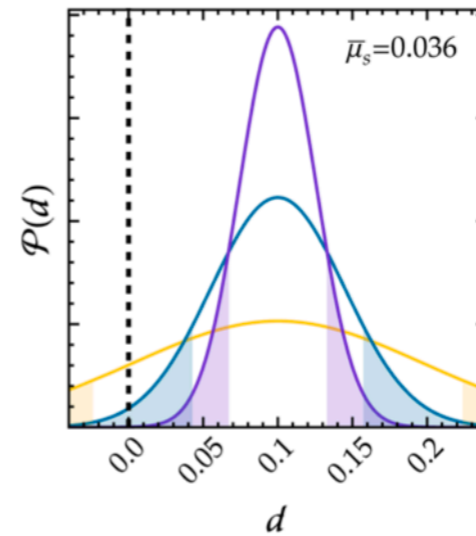
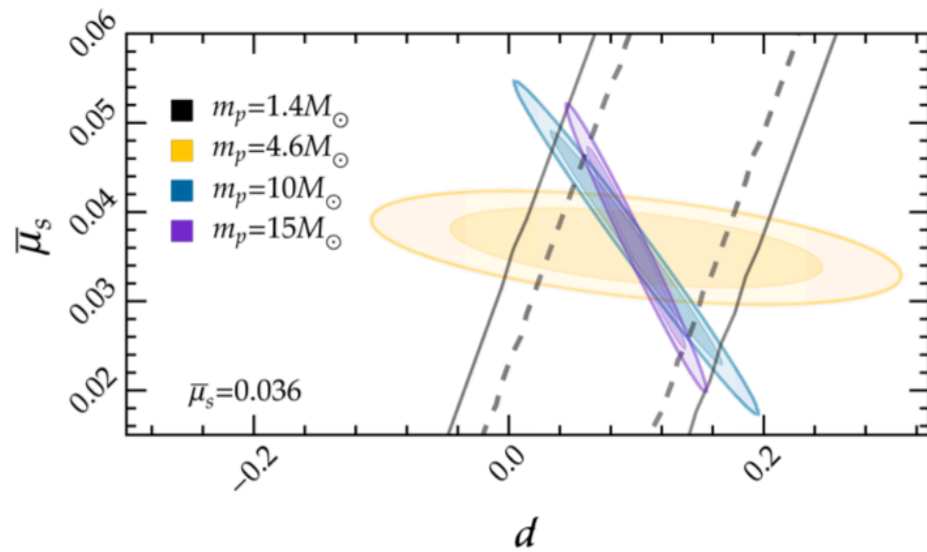
— $(\theta_S, \phi_S, \theta_L, \phi_L) = (\pi/2, \pi/2, \pi/4, \pi/4)$

- The scalar flux at infinity is significant throughout the entire inspiral

EMRIs with massive scalars: Fisher analysis

$m_p [M_\odot]$	$\bar{\mu}_s$	σ_d/d	$\sigma_{\bar{\mu}_s}/\bar{\mu}_s$	$c_{d\bar{\mu}_s}$
1.4	0.018	345%	2364%	0.997
	0.036	363%	391%	0.992
4.6	0.018	92%	243%	0.995
	0.036	97%	8%	-0.485
10	0.018	49%	53%	0.984
	0.036	45%	24%	-0.990
15	0.018	38%	22%	0.938
	0.036	26%	21%	-0.986

SIMULTANEOUS detection of **BOTH** the scalar charge and mass with single event observations!



Credible intervals at 68 % and 90 % for the joint \mathcal{P} of $d, \bar{\mu}_s$

White area between shaded regions: 90 % of \mathcal{P}

Conclusions

- EMRIs are ideal sources to test GR and search for new fundamental fields
- **Theory-agnostic** approach to model EMRIs in beyond-GR and beyond-SM theories with extra scalar fields
- The **extra scalar energy loss** affects the binary coalescence and leaves an imprint in the emitted GW
- **Bayesian analysis** to forecast upper bounds on the scalar charge
- For **non shift-symmetric** fields: fisher analysis shows how LISA could **simultaneously** measure both the **scalar charge** and **mass** with enough accuracy to detect new ultra-light scalar fields

TO DO:

- ➔ **Explore the parameter space**
- ➔ **Post-adiabatic corrections**
- ➔ **Generic orbits**
- ➔ **Environmental effects ..**

Work in progress !

→ Post-Adiabatic terms

with A. Spiers, O. Burke, A. Maselli, T. Sotiriou, N. Warburton

$M=10^6 M_\odot - m_p=10M_\odot - T=1\text{yr} - (R_0=9.5M)$

$\phi_{\text{GR}}^{\text{OPA}}$	0.	3.51085	-2.81377	0.697107
$\phi_{d=0.02}^{\text{OPA}}$	-3.51085	0.	-6.32463	-2.81375
$\phi_{\text{GR}}^{\text{1PA}}$	2.81377	6.32463	0.	3.51088
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→ MEW: Modified EMRI Waveform

With S. Gliorio, M. Della Rocca+



Thank you for the attention!

BACKUP SLIDES

Theoretical Framework

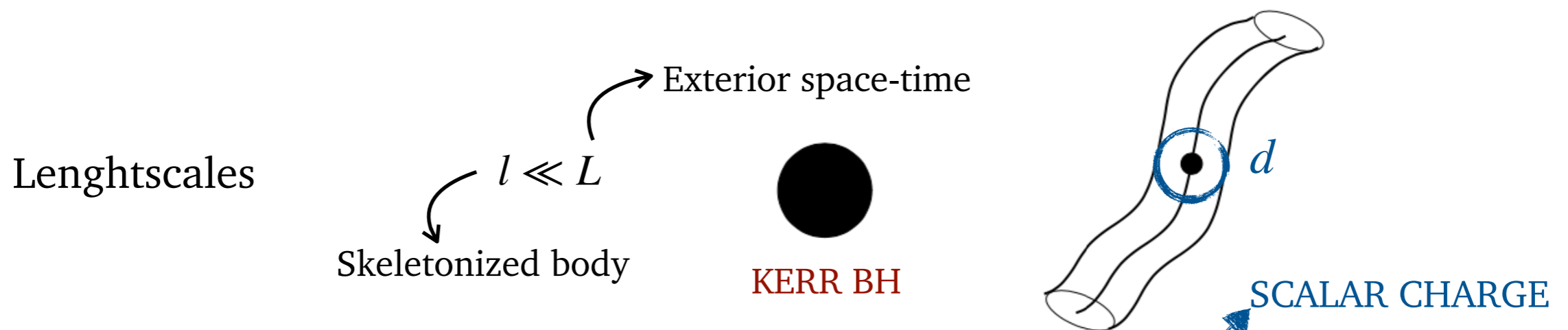
[Eardley, ApJ (1975)]

For the **secondary**: Extended body treated as a point particle

[Damour EF, PRD (1992)]

$$S_m [\mathbf{g}, \varphi, \Psi] \longrightarrow S_p = - \int m(\varphi) ds = \int m(\varphi) \sqrt{g_{\mu\nu} \frac{dy_p^\mu}{d\lambda} \frac{dy_p^\nu}{d\lambda}} d\lambda$$

$m(\varphi)$: scalar function depending on the field at the location of the particle



- In a reference frame centered on the particle

$$\varphi = \varphi_0 + \frac{m_p d}{\tilde{r}} + O\left(\frac{m_p^2}{\tilde{r}^2}\right)$$

- To evade no-hair theorems:
- Regularity conditions at Horizon

$$d = \frac{\alpha_{\text{GB}}}{4\pi M} \int_{\mathcal{H}} n^a \mathcal{G}_a d\Omega \quad \zeta \equiv \frac{\alpha}{(\text{mass})^n}$$

Field Equations

$$S[\mathbf{g}, \varphi, \Psi] = S_0[\mathbf{g}, \varphi] + \alpha S_c[\mathbf{g}, \varphi] + S_m[\mathbf{g}, \varphi, \Psi]$$

$$\zeta \ll 1$$

$$\frac{\delta S}{\delta g^{\mu\nu}}$$

$$G_{\mu\nu} = \frac{1}{2} \cancel{\partial_\mu \varphi_1 \partial_\nu \varphi_1} - \frac{1}{4} g_{\mu\nu} (\partial \varphi_1)^2 - \frac{16\pi\alpha}{\sqrt{-g}} \cancel{\frac{\delta S_c}{\delta g^{\mu\nu}}} \sim \zeta G_{\mu\nu} + 8\pi \int m(\varphi) \frac{\delta^{(4)}(x - y_p(\lambda))}{\sqrt{-g}} \frac{dy_p^\alpha}{d\lambda} \frac{dy_p^\beta}{d\lambda} d\lambda$$

$$\frac{\delta S}{\delta \varphi}$$

$$\square \varphi_1 = -\frac{16\pi\alpha}{\sqrt{-g}} \cancel{\frac{\delta S}{\delta \varphi}} \sim \zeta \square \varphi_1 + 16\pi \int m'(\varphi) \frac{\delta^{(4)}(x - y_p(\lambda))}{\sqrt{-g}} d\lambda$$

○ m, m' to be evaluated at φ_0

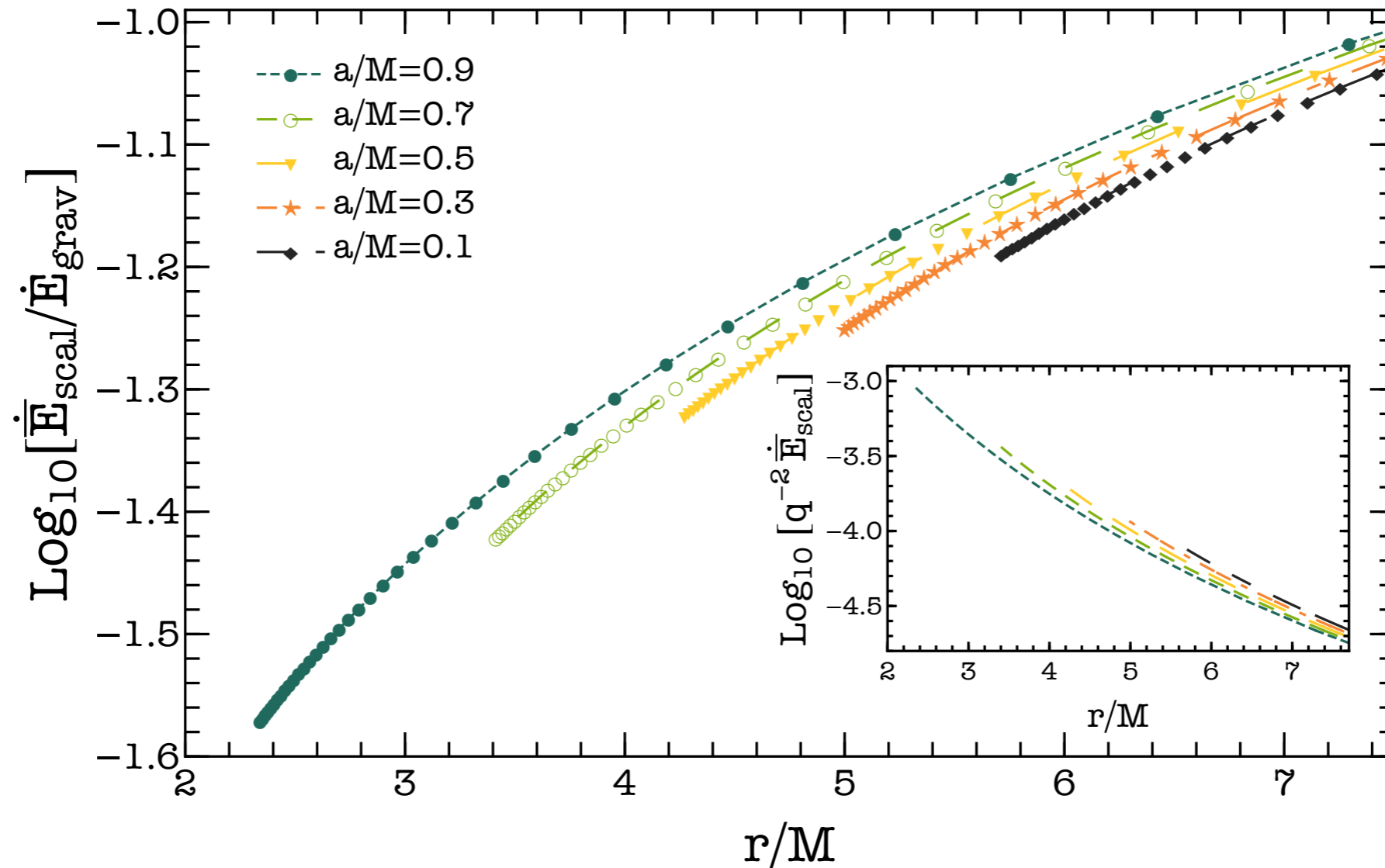
○ In a reference frame centered on the particle : $\varphi = \varphi_0 + \frac{m_p d}{\tilde{r}} + O\left(\frac{m_p^2}{\tilde{r}^2}\right)$

○ Matching with the scalar field eq. outside the world tube

○ (tt)-stress energy tensor in the weak field limit: matter density

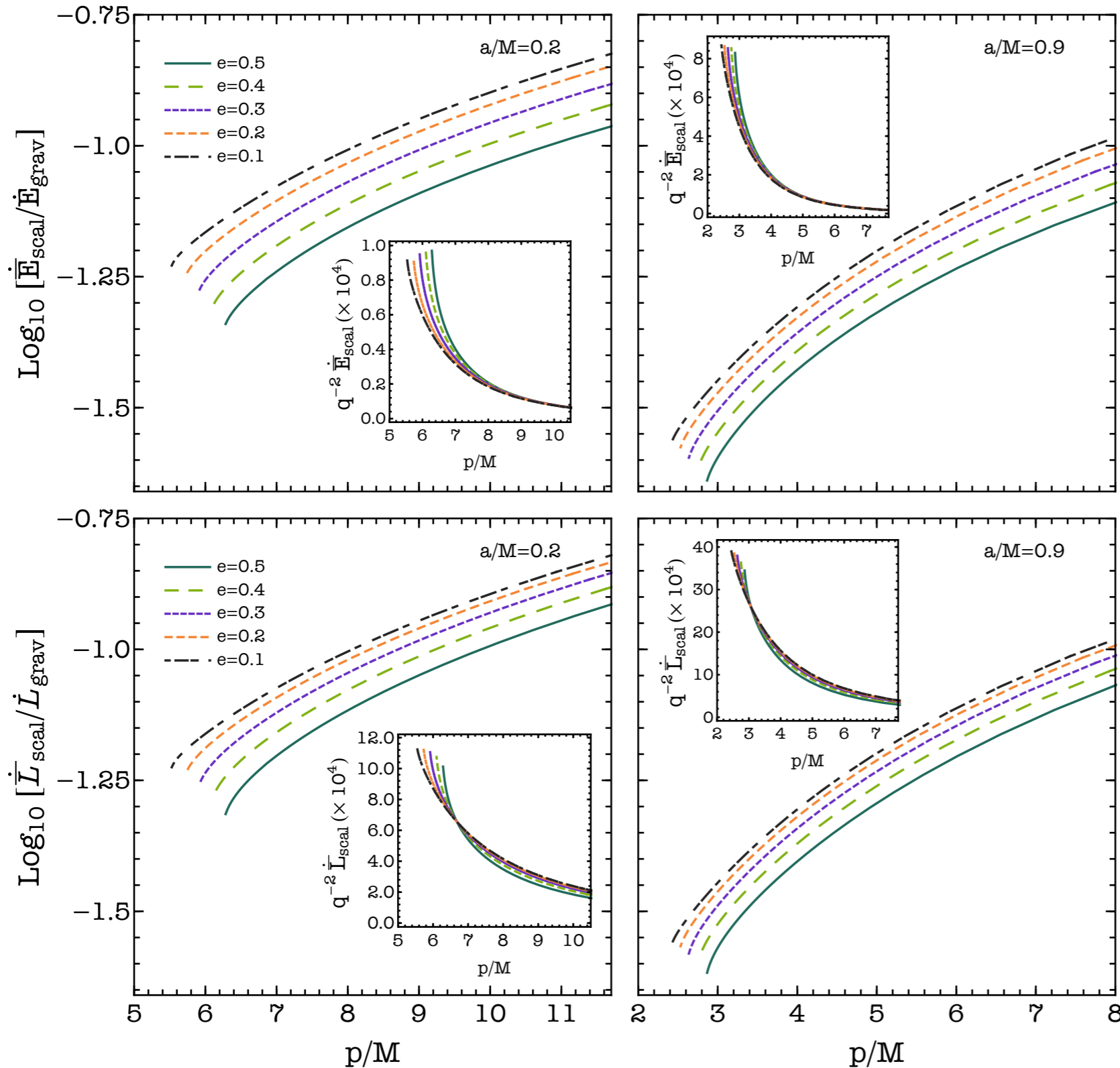
$$\begin{aligned} m'(\varphi_0) &= -\frac{d}{4} m_p \\ m(\varphi_0) &= m_p \end{aligned}$$

Energy flux: circular orbits



- Extra energy loss in the rotating case for orbits closer to the MBH
- Increasing of the Rel. Diff. for spinning MBHs w.r.t. the non rotating ones, for a fixed R

Energy flux: eccentric orbits



$$r(\chi) = \frac{p}{1 + e \cos \chi}$$

For a fixed e :

The Rel. Diff. decreases for smaller p , due to faster growth of \dot{E}_{grav} and \dot{L}_{grav} w.r.t. to the scalar sector

For a fixed p :

The scalar energy flux increases with the eccentricity

The Rel. Diff. decreases with the increasing of eccentricity

Circular EMRIs: GW signal

[Barack, Cutler Phys.Rev.D 69 (2004)]

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Ecliptic-based system:

(θ_S, ϕ_S) : source location

(θ_L, ϕ_L) : \hat{L} of the secondary

$$\cos \theta(t) = \frac{1}{2} \cos \theta_S - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \sin \theta_S \cos[\phi_t - \phi_S],$$

$$\phi(t) = \alpha_0 + \phi_t + \tan^{-1} \left[\frac{\sqrt{3} \cos \theta_S + \sin \theta_S \cos[\phi_t - \phi_S]}{2 \sin \theta_S \sin[\phi_t - \phi_S]} \right]$$

Amplitudes

$$h_+ = \mathcal{A} \cos[2\Phi(t) + 2\Phi_0] (1 + \cos^2 \iota)$$

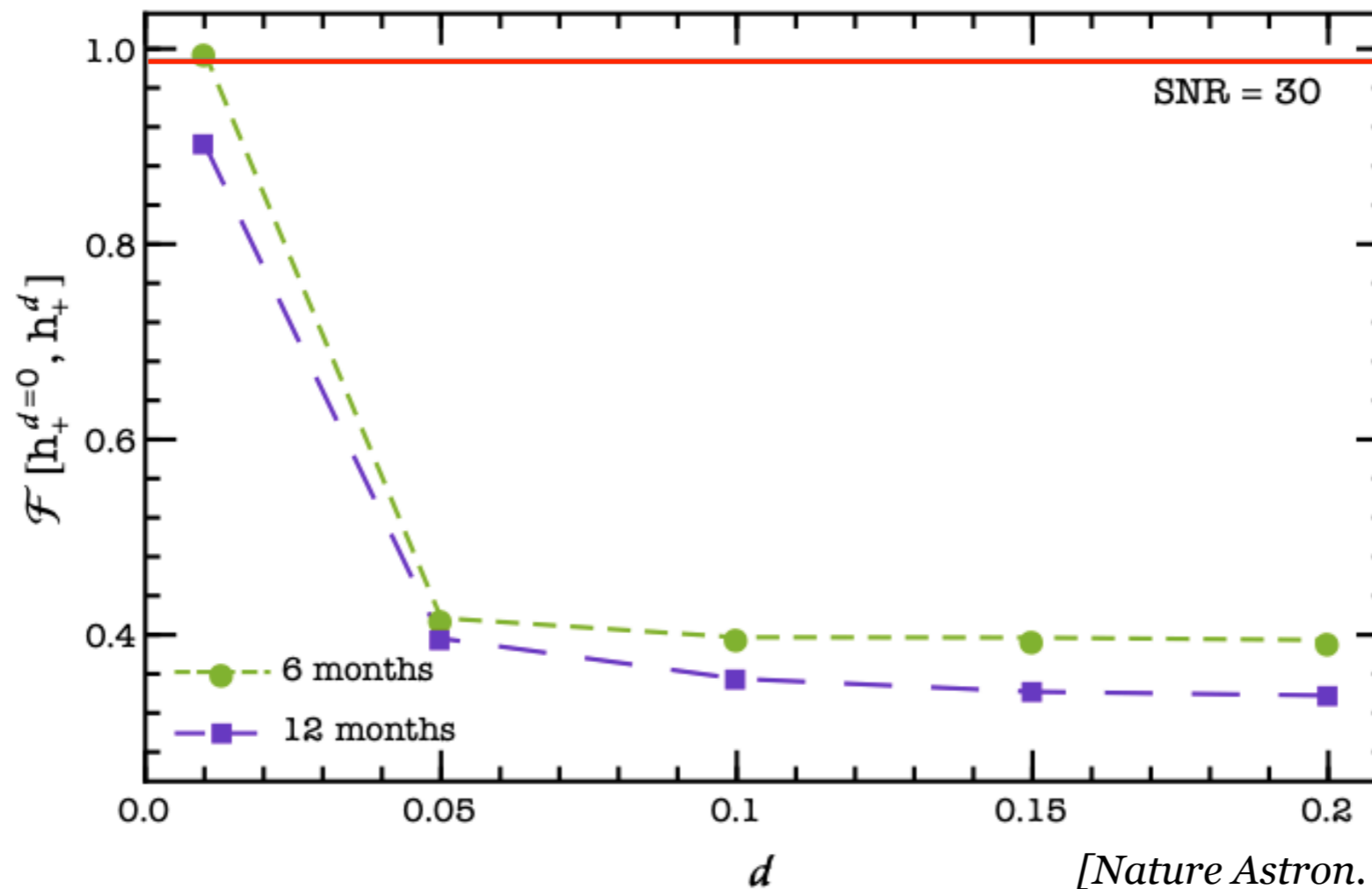
$$h_\times = -2\mathcal{A} \sin[2\Phi(t) + 2\Phi_0] \cos \iota$$

$$\mathcal{A} = \frac{2m_p}{D} [M\omega(t)]^{2/3}$$

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Inner product $\langle h_1 | h_2 \rangle = 4\Re \int_{f_{min}}^{f_{max}} \frac{\tilde{h}_1(f) \tilde{h}_2^*(f)}{S_n(f)} df$



detectable effect !

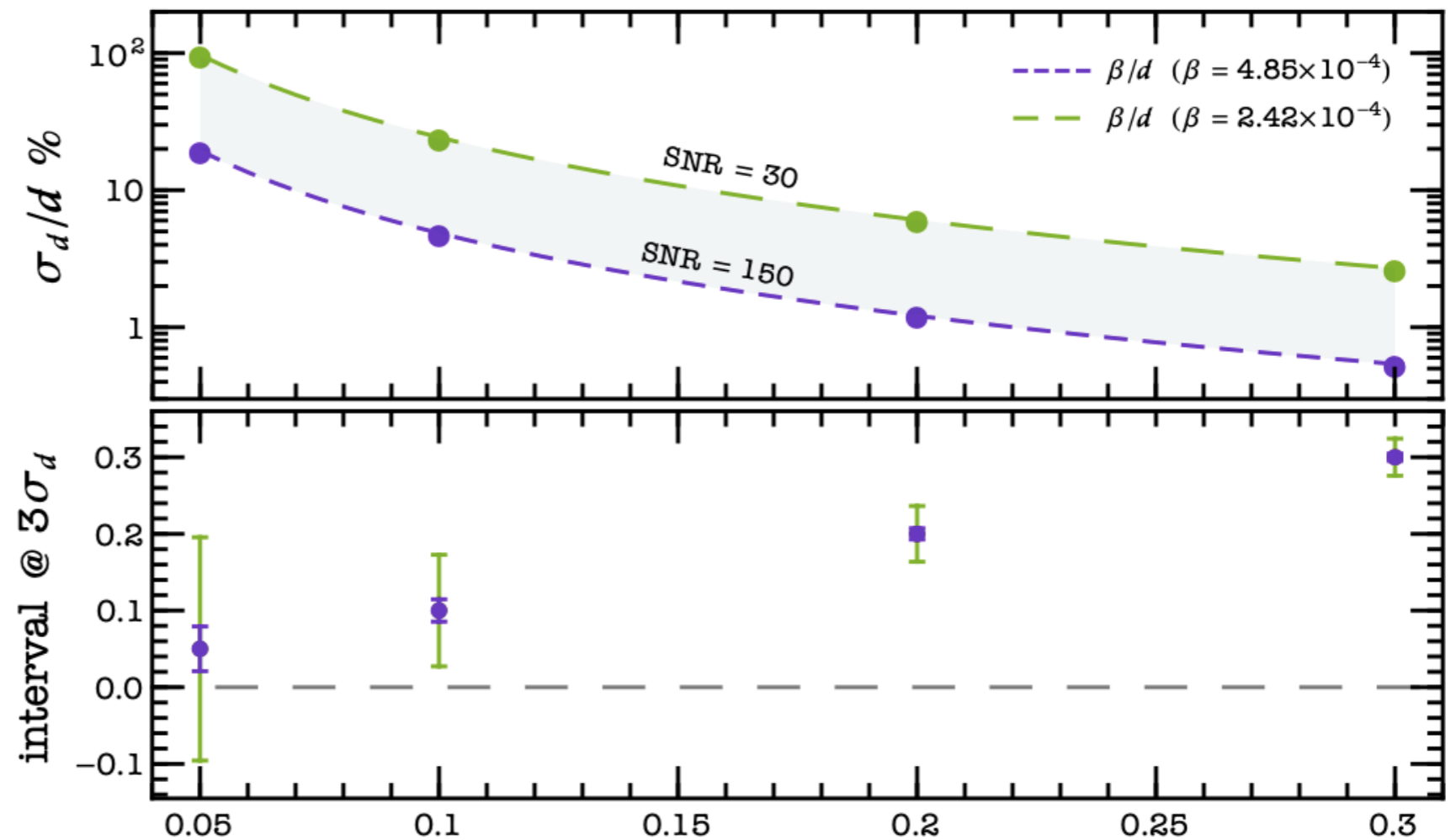
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Circular EMRIs: Fisher Information Matrix

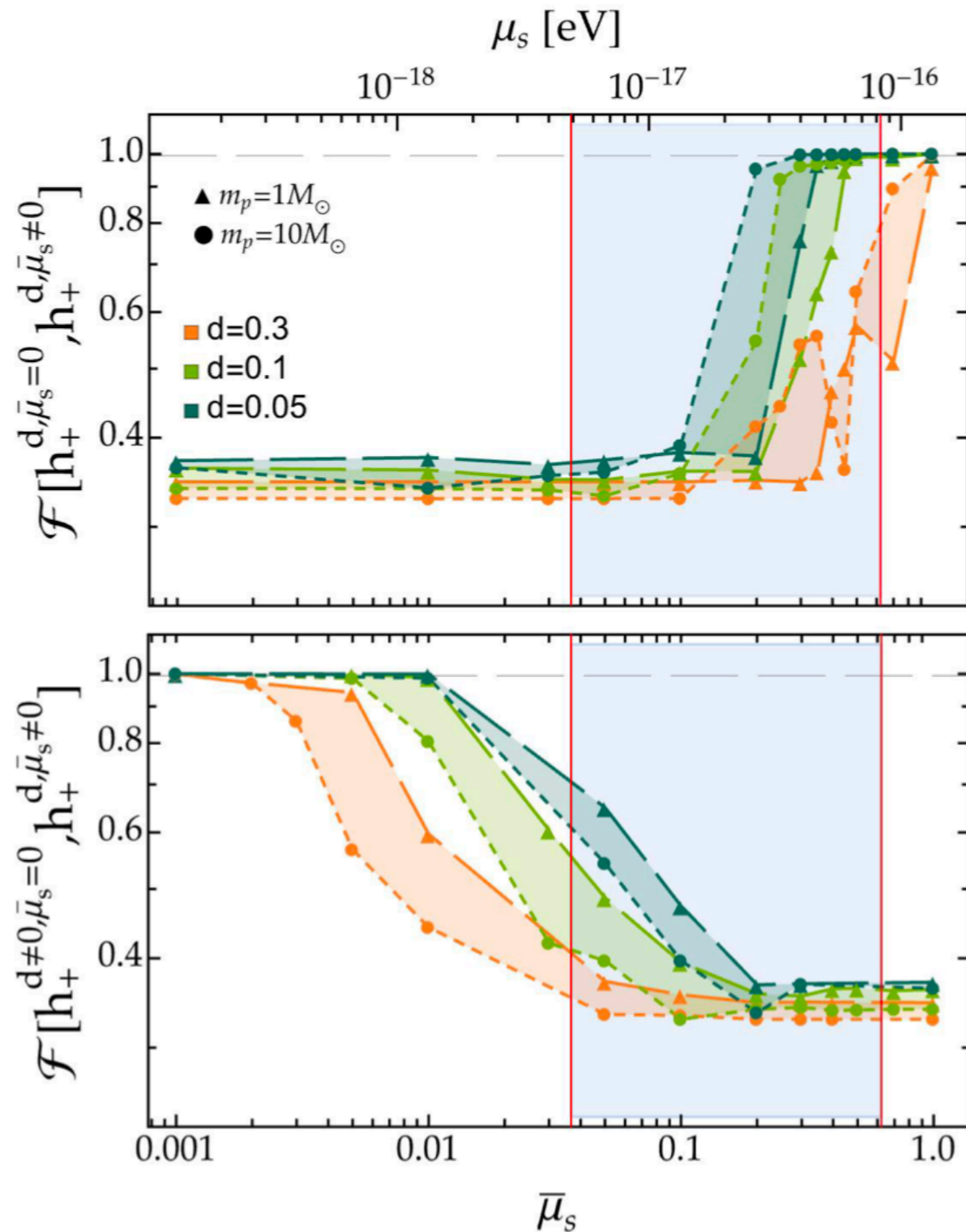
- Inject parameters to generate the waveform $\vec{\theta} = \left(\ln M, \ln m_p, a/M, \ln D, \theta_S, \phi_S, \theta_L, \phi_L, r_0, \Phi_0, d \right)$
- Fisher Information Matrix analysis
- Results for $M = 10^6 M_\odot$, $a/M = 0.9$, $m_p = 10 M_\odot$ (CIRCULAR INSPIRAL)

LISA potentially able to measure scalar charges with % error !

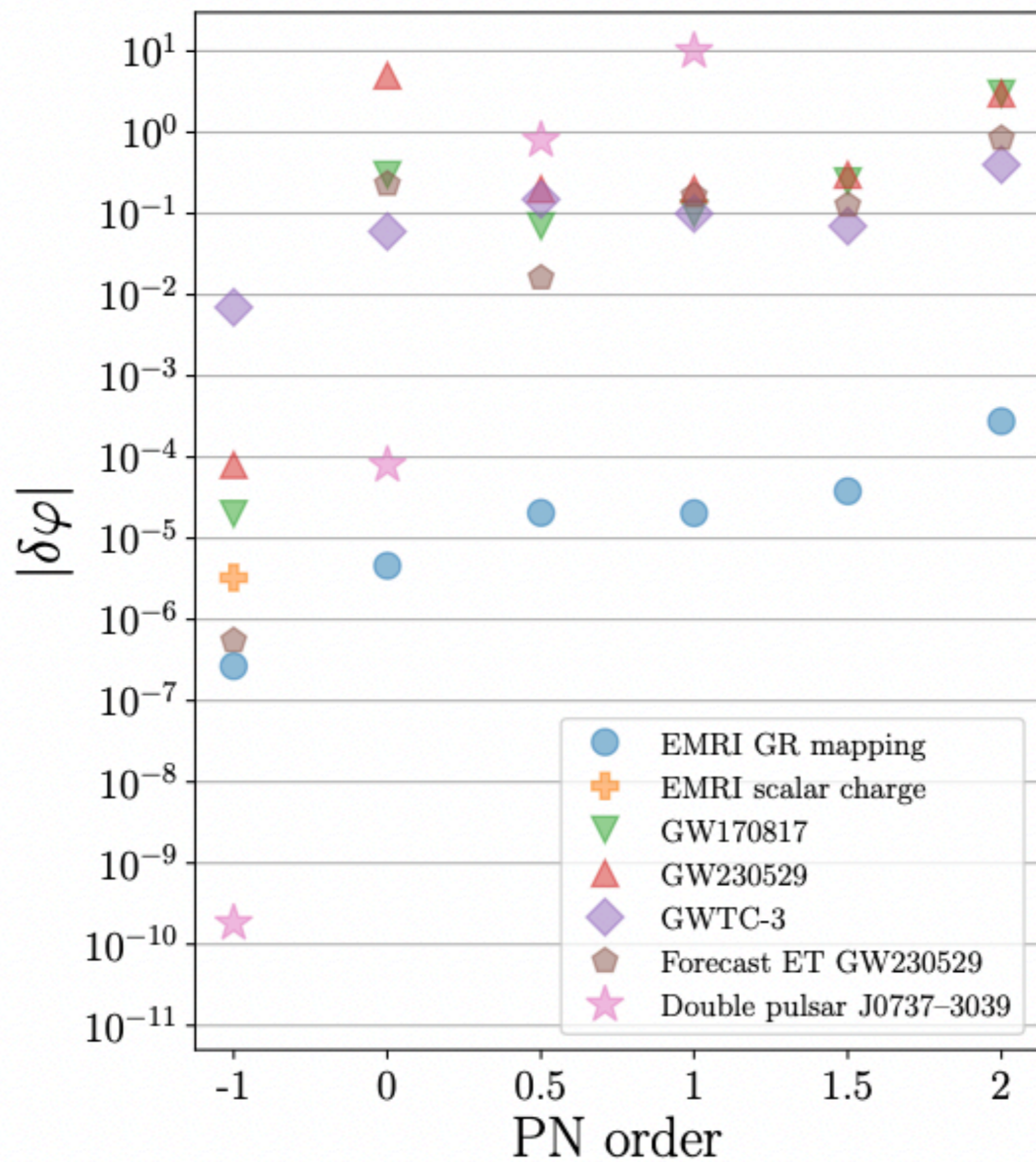


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EMRIs with massive scalars: Faithfulness



- Upper panel: GR vs massive case
- Lower panel: massless vs massive case
- Detectability threshold $\mathcal{F} \lesssim 0.994$ for $SNR = 30$
- Shaded band: superradiance instability
 - $a/M = 0.9$ [Brito+, Lect.Notes Phys. 971 (2020) pp.1–293]
 - $M = 10^6 M_\odot$
- Large $\bar{\mu}_s$: suppression of the energy flux at infinity
- Small $\bar{\mu}_s$: massive case undistinguishable from the massless case



Orbital Evolution

The emitted GW flux drives the adiabatic orbital evolution

- Balance law $\dot{E} = -\dot{E}_{GW}$ $\dot{L} = -\dot{L}_{GW}$

- From the rate of change of the integrals (E, L) , we obtain the time derivatives of (p, e)

$$\dot{p} = (L_{,e}\dot{E} - E_{,e}\dot{L})/H$$

$$H = E_{,p}L_{,e} - E_{,e}L_{,p}$$

$$\dot{e} = (E_{,p}\dot{L} - L_{,p}\dot{E})/H$$

- And of the phases $\psi_{\phi,r}$ related to the frequencies

$$\Omega_{\phi,r}(e, p) = \frac{d}{dt}\Psi_{\phi,r}$$

- The extra emission accelerates the binary coalescence and affects the GW phase, causing a **dephasing** w.r.t the case $d = 0$

- Compute the dephasing

$$\Delta\Psi_i = 2 \int_0^{T_{obs}} \Delta\Omega_i dt \quad i = \phi, r$$

$$\Delta\Omega_i = \Omega_i^d - \Omega_i^{d=0}$$

GW Signal

- Quadrupolar approximation $h_{ij}^{TT} = \frac{2}{D} \left(P_{i\ell} P_{jm} - \frac{1}{2} P_{ij} P_{\ell m} \right) \ddot{I}_{\ell m}$ [L. Barack and C. Cutler, Phys. Rev. D 69 (2004) 082005]

$$I_{ij} = \int d^3x T^{tt}(t, x^i) x^i x^j = m_p x^i x^j$$

- Strain measured by the detector $h(t) = \sum_n h_n(t)$ $h_n(t) = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} [F^+(t) A_n^+(t) + F^\times(t) A_n^\times(t)]$

LISA pattern functions

$$F_+ = \frac{1 + \cos^2 \theta}{2} \cos 2\phi \cos 2\psi - \cos \theta \sin 2\phi \sin 2\psi$$

$$F_\times = \frac{1 + \cos^2 \theta}{2} \cos 2\phi \sin 2\psi + \cos \theta \sin 2\phi \cos 2\psi$$

Amplitudes

$$A_n^+ = - [1 + (\hat{L} \cdot \hat{N})^2] [a_n \cos(2\gamma) - b_n \sin(2\gamma)] + [1 - (\hat{L} \cdot \hat{N})^2] c_n$$

$$A_n^\times = 2(\hat{L} \cdot \hat{N}) [b_n \cos(2\gamma) + a_n \sin(2\gamma)]$$

$$a_n = -n \mathcal{A} [J_{n-2}(ne) - 2eJ_{n-1}(ne) + (2/n)J_n(ne) + 2eJ_{n+1}(ne) - J_{n+2}(ne)] \cos[n\Phi(t)]$$

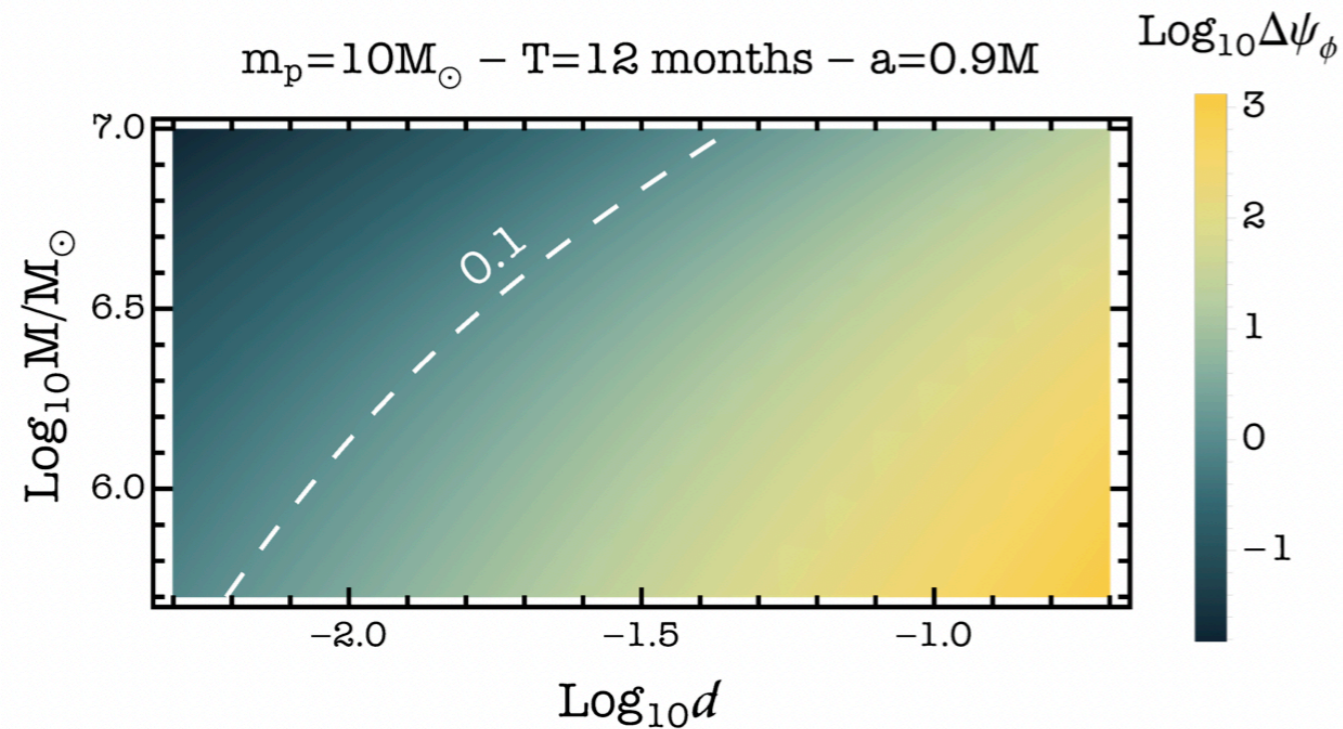
$$b_n = -n \mathcal{A} (1 - e^2)^{1/2} [J_{n-2}(ne) - 2J_n(ne) + J_{n+2}(ne)] \sin[n\Phi(t)]$$

$$c_n = 2 \mathcal{A} J_n(ne) \cos[n\Phi(t)]$$

$$(2\pi\nu M)^{2/3} m_p / D$$

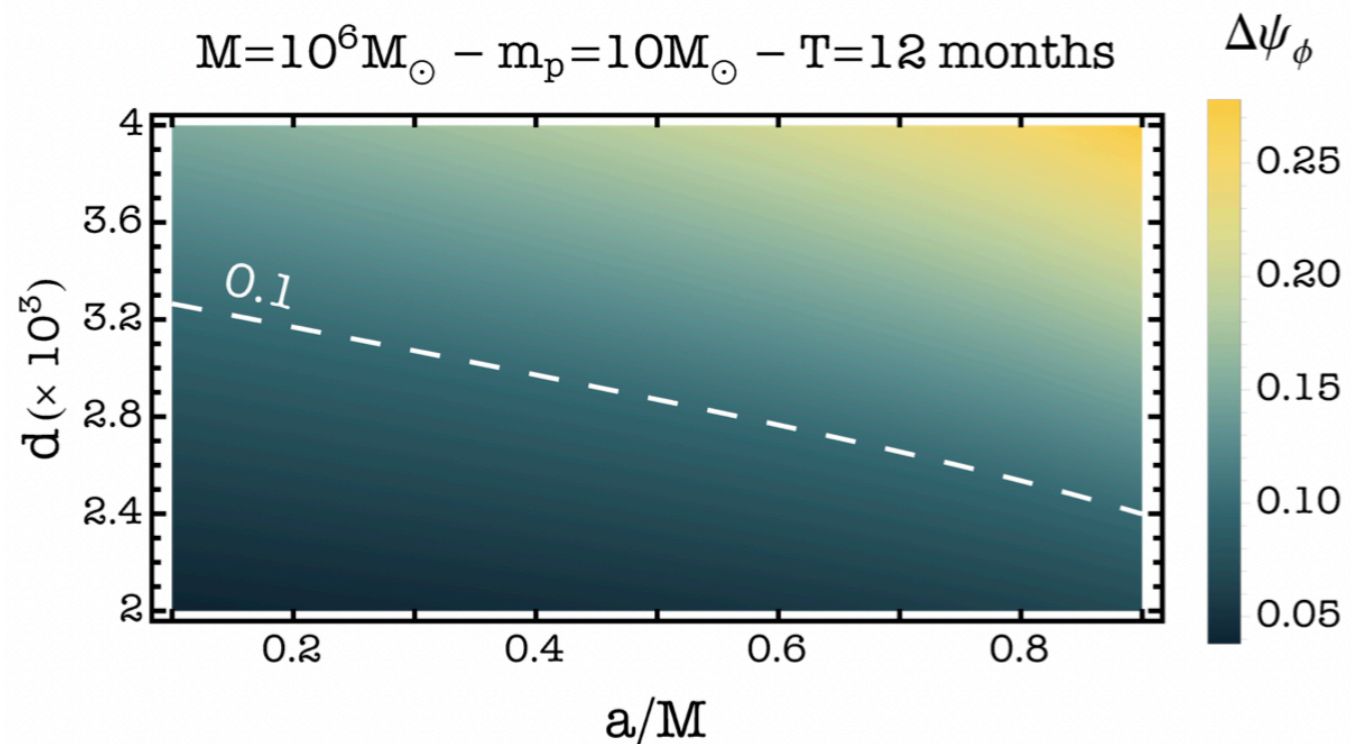
$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 2\pi\nu = d\Phi/dt \\ \Phi = \Psi_\phi \\ \cos \gamma = \cos \Psi_R \end{array} \right.$$

Dephasing: circular orbits



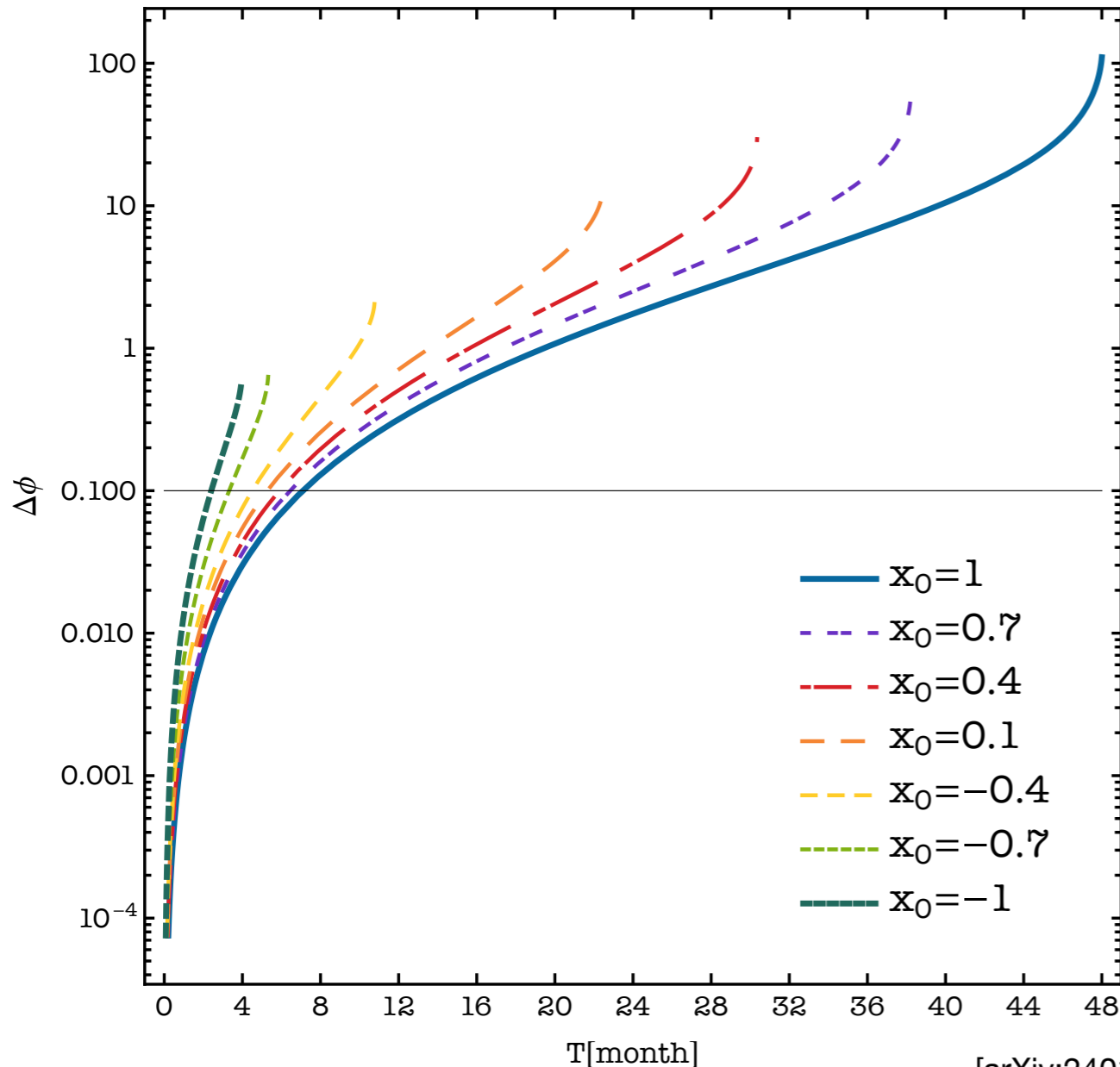
- White dashed line: threshold of phase resolution by LISA of $\Delta\psi_\phi = 0.1$ for $SNR = 30$

- $\Delta\psi_\phi$ significant: for $M \lesssim 10^6 M_\odot$ it can be larger than 10^3 radians



- $\Delta\psi_\phi$ increases with the spin of the primary

Dephasing: **inclined** circular orbits



[arXiv:2401.09542]

○ $M = 10^6 M_\odot$
 $m_p = 10 M_\odot$
 $a = 0.95M$

○ $r_0 = 10M$
 $d = 0.01$

$$\theta_{min} \leq \theta \leq \pi - \theta_{min}$$

$$\theta_{inc} + (\text{sgn } L_z) \theta_{min} = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$x = \cos \theta_{inc}$$

- Increasing x_0 , the time it takes for the secondary to reach the plunge grows, leading to larger accumulated dephasings
- For a given time of observation, $\Delta\Psi_\phi$ is larger for inspirals with higher x_0
- After 3-4 months all the inspirals lead to a dephasing larger than the threshold !

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For hairy BHs, if the little body is a BH, we find a relation $d(\alpha)$

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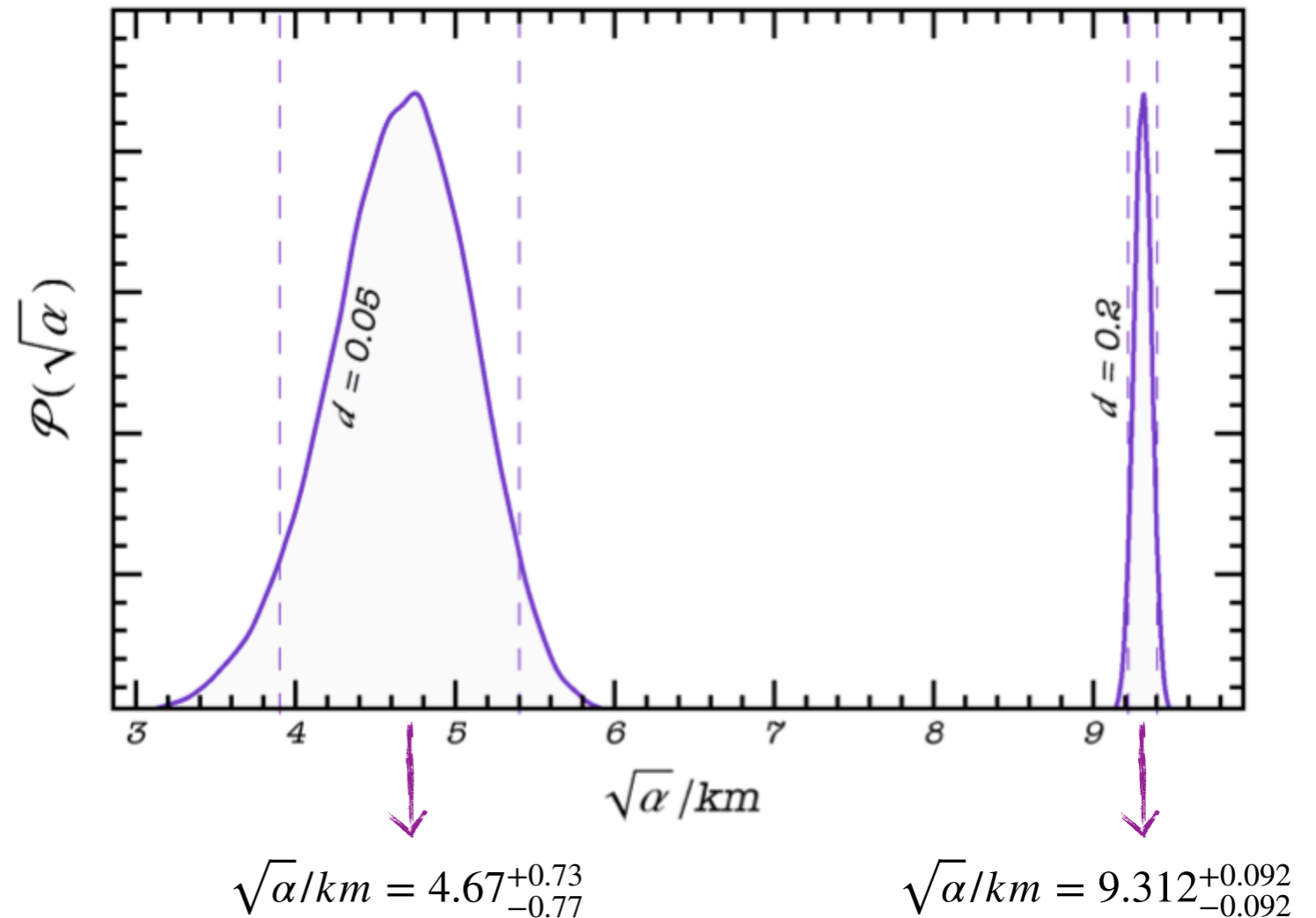
Shift-symmetric Gauss Bonnet gravity:

$$\alpha S_c = \frac{\alpha}{4} \int d^4x \frac{\sqrt{-g}}{16\pi} f(\varphi) \mathcal{G}$$

$$\mathcal{G} = R^2 - 4R_{\mu\nu}R^{\mu\nu} + R_{\mu\nu\alpha\beta}R^{\mu\nu\alpha\beta}$$

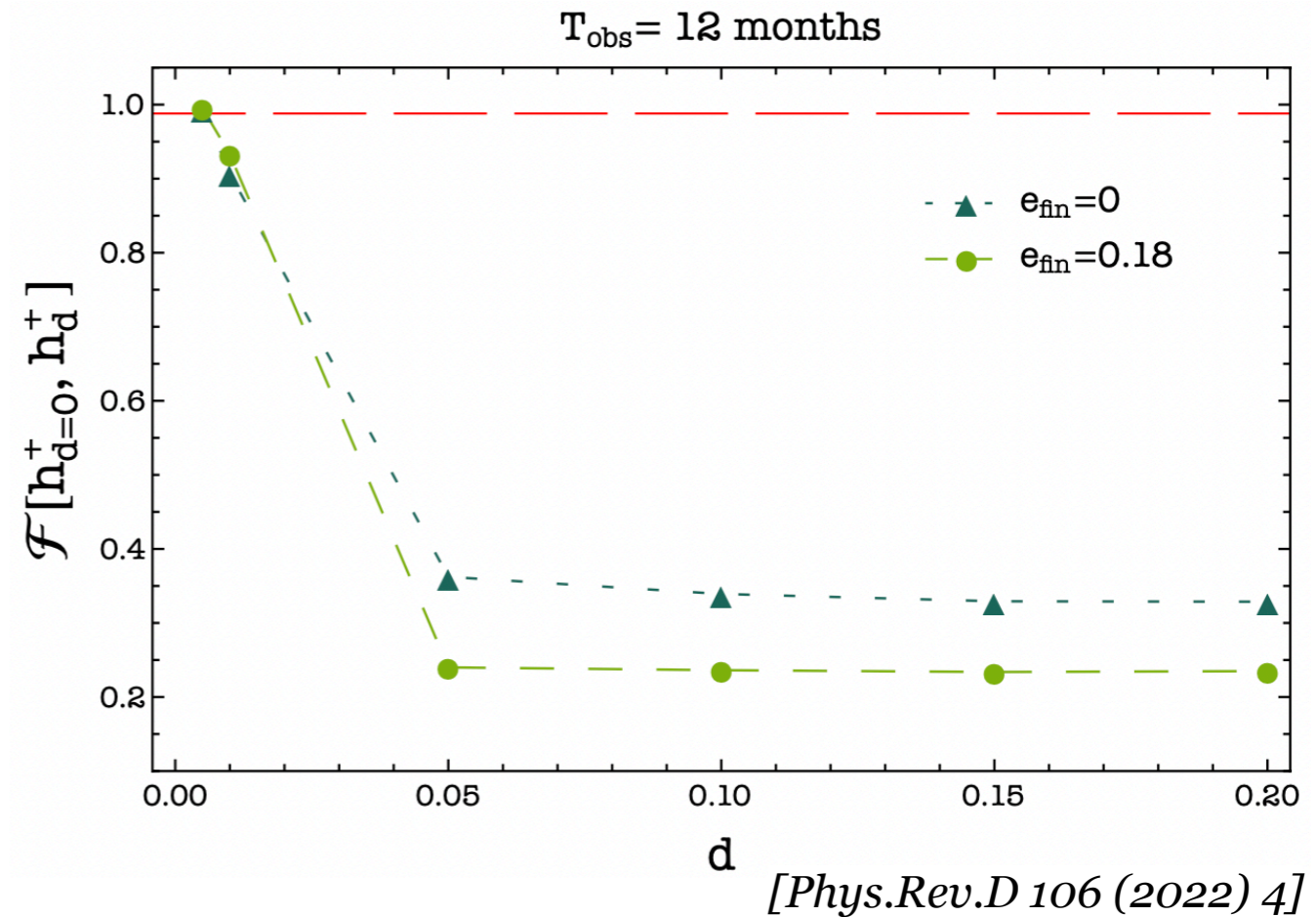
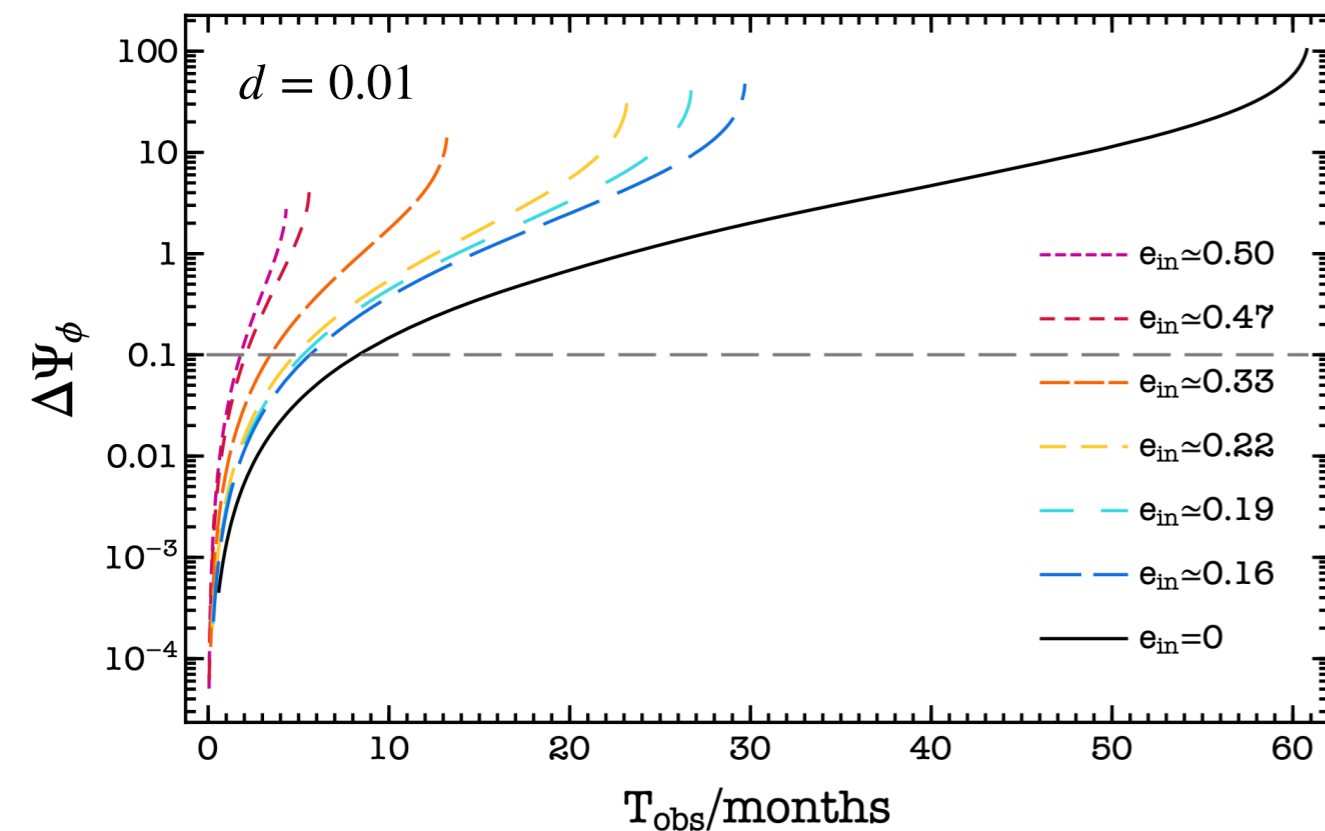
$$f(\varphi) = \varphi$$

$$\alpha \simeq 2dm_p^2 - \frac{73}{240}d^3m_p^2$$



- Probability density function of $\sqrt{\alpha}$ from the joint probability distribution of m_p and d (SNR=150)
- Vertical lines: 90 % confidence interval

Eccentric equatorial EMRIs



○ $r(\chi) = \frac{p}{1 + e \cos \chi}$

○ after 3-4 months all the inspirals lead to a dephasing larger than the threshold !

○ for a given time of observation, $\Delta\Psi_\phi$ is larger for inspirals with higher e_{in}

○ Red line: threshold under which the signals are significantly different - $\mathcal{F} \lesssim 0.994$ for $SNR = 30$

○ After 1 year \mathcal{F} is always smaller than the threshold for scalar charges as small as $d = 0.01$

○ For the eccentric inspirals the distinguishability increases

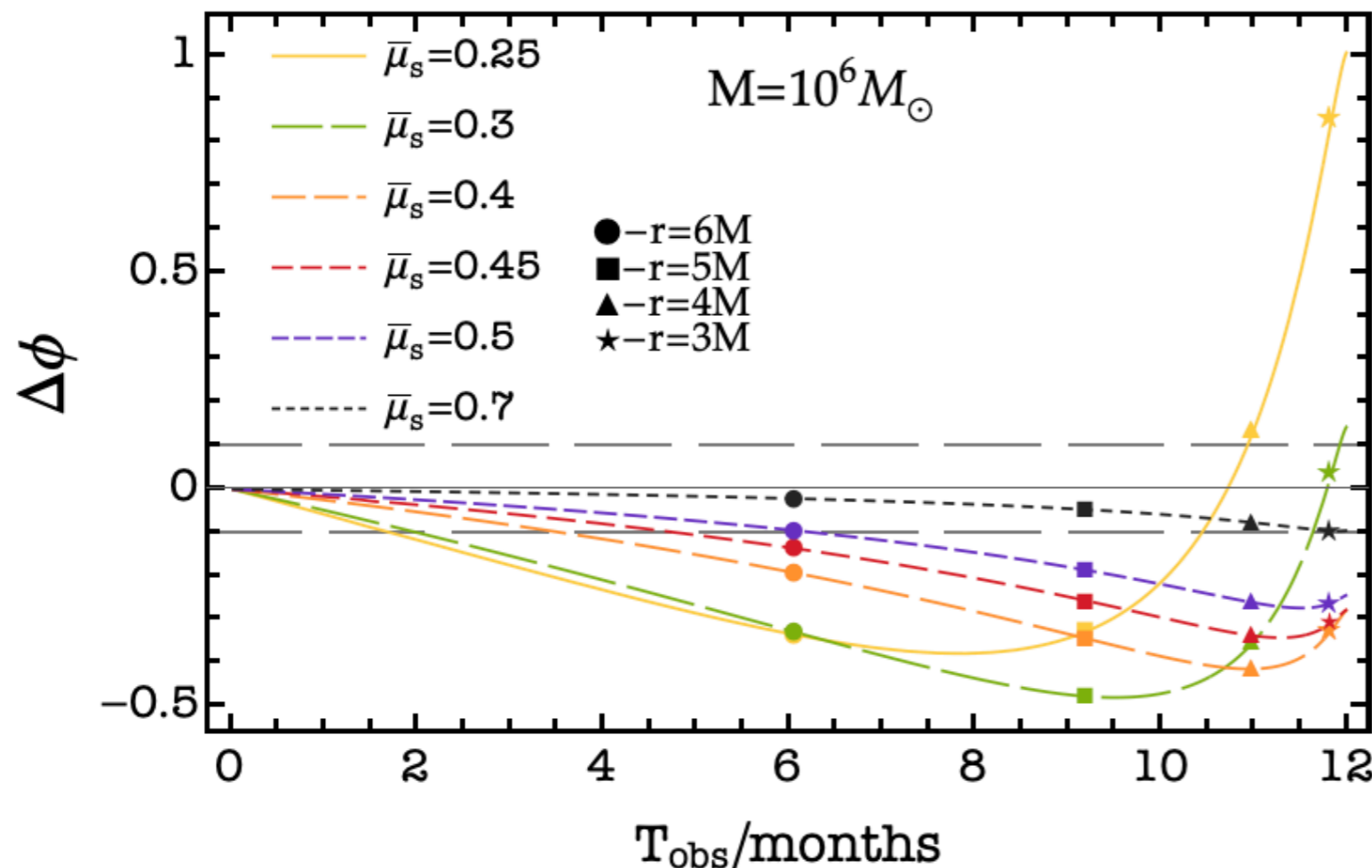
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○ Balance law $\dot{E} = -\dot{E}_{GW}$

○ Time evolution of the coordinates $(r(t), \Phi(t))$: $\dot{r} = -\dot{E} \frac{dr}{dE_{orb}}$, $\dot{\Phi} = \Omega_p = \frac{M^{1/2}}{r^{3/2} + \chi M^{3/2}}$

○ Dephasing $\Delta\phi = 2 \int_0^{T_{obs}} [\Omega_{d, \bar{\mu}_s=0} - \Omega_{d, \bar{\mu}_s \neq 0}] dt$



- $\chi = 0.9$
- $m_p = 10M_\odot$
- $d = 0.1$

○ Horizontal lines: threshold of phase resolution by LISA of $\Delta\psi_\phi = \pm 0.1$ for $SNR = 30$

