

Eisenhart-Duval lift and plane gravitational waves

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Plane gravitational waves

In Brinkmann coordinates $\{X^i, U, V\}$, a **pp-wave spacetime** is

$$ds^2 = \delta_{ij}dX^i dX^j + 2dUdV - 2\Phi(U, X^i)dU^2, \quad i = 1, 2 \quad (1)$$

with a covariantly constant null Killing vector $\xi = \partial_V$.

- Models for gravitational radiation with the speed of light.
- **Symmetry algebra** of non-conformally flat pp-waves can be at most **7 dimensional**¹.
- Isometries/conformal symmetries \implies **conserved quantities**.

¹H. Stephani et al., CUP, 2003

Plane gravitational waves

A particular class of pp-waves (1) is **plane gravitational waves**

$$ds^2 = d\mathbf{X}^2 + 2dUdV + K_{ij}(U)X^i X^j dU^2, \quad (2)$$

where 2×2 matrix $K_{ij}(U)$ determines the profile.

- If $\text{Tr}(K) = 0$, then (2) is an **exact plane gravitational wave**.
- Plane gravitational waves (2) are endowed with a 5-parameter isometry group² identified as the $2 + 1$ dimensional **Carroll group** with broken rotations³.

²H. Bondi, F.A.E. Pirani and I. Robinson, 1958

³J-M. Souriau, 1973

Associated Killing vector is (pulled back from BJR coordinates)

$$\begin{aligned} Y_C &= h \frac{\partial}{\partial V} + c^i \left(L_{ji} \frac{\partial}{\partial X^j} - L'_{ji} X^j \frac{\partial}{\partial V} \right) \\ &+ b_i \left(L_{jk} S^{ki} \frac{\partial}{\partial X^j} - (L_{jk} S^{ki})' X^j \frac{\partial}{\partial V} \right) \\ &\equiv h Y^v + c^i Y_i^c + b^i Y_i^b, \end{aligned} \quad (3)$$

where $L(U)$ is a 2×2 matrix which satisfies a **Sturm -Liouville (S-L) equation**,

$$L''_{ij} = K_{ik} L_{kj}, \quad L^T L' = (L^T)' L, \quad (4)$$

with $\{\}' = \frac{d}{dU} \{\}$. The 2×2 matrix

$$S^{ij}(U) = \int^U a^{ij}(\tilde{U}) d\tilde{U} \quad (5)$$

is the *Souriau matrix* with $a^{ij} = (L^T L)^{-1}_{ij}$.

Motion of a test particle in (2) is found with **geodesic Lagrangian**

$$L_B = \frac{1}{2} g_{\mu\nu} \dot{X}^\mu \dot{X}^\nu = \frac{1}{2} \dot{X}^i \dot{X}^i + \dot{U} \dot{V} + \frac{1}{2} K_{ij} X^i X^j \dot{U}^2, \quad (6)$$

where $\dot{X}^\mu = \frac{dX^\mu}{d\lambda}$ and λ is an affine parameter.

Equations of motion for X^i and U are decoupled from that of V

$$\ddot{X}^i = K_{ij} X^j \dot{U}^2, \quad (7)$$

$$\ddot{U} = 0. \quad (8)$$

So that we can choose U as affine parameter and express (7) as

$$(X^i)'' = K_{ij}(U) X^j, \quad (9)$$

where $\{\}' = \frac{d}{dU} \{\}$.

- (9) describes coupled and "time" dependent oscillators (V -independent)
- It is another S-L equation.

Conserved quantities

Related Hamiltonian is

$$H_B = \frac{1}{2}g^{\mu\nu}P_\mu P_\nu = \frac{P_i P_i}{2} + P_U P_V - \frac{1}{2}K_{ij}(U)X^i X^j P_V^2, \quad (10)$$

where **canonical momenta** P_μ are

$$P_i = \dot{X}^i, \quad P_U = \dot{V} + K_{ij}X^i X^j \dot{U}, \quad P_V = \dot{U}. \quad (11)$$

Carroll symmetry (3) yields 5 conserved charges along the geodesic motion,

$$\begin{aligned} Q_C &= hP_V + c^i (P_j L_{ji} - P_V X^j L'_{ji}) + b_i (P_j L_{jk} S^{ki} - P_V X^j (L_{jk} S^{ki})') \\ &\equiv hQ^V + c^i Q_i^c + b^i Q_i^b, \end{aligned} \quad (12)$$

with

$$\{Q_C, H_B\} = 0. \quad (13)$$

Non-vanishing Poisson bracket are

$$\{Q_i^c, Q_j^b\} = \delta_{ij}Q^V = \delta_{ij}P_V. \quad (14)$$

Circularly polarized periodic GW

Circularly polarized periodic gravitational wave (CPP GW):

$$ds^2 = d\mathbf{X}^2 + 2dUdV + K_{ij}(U)X^iX^j dU^2$$

$$K_{ij}(U)X^iX^j = \frac{A_0}{2} \left(\cos(\omega U) ((X^1)^2 - (X^2)^2) + 2 \sin(\omega U) X^1 X^2 \right) dU^2,$$

with $A_0 > 0$ amplitude and ω frequency.

- It is a vacuum solution i.e., $R_{\mu\nu} = 0$.
- It is **maximally symmetric** i.e., it has a 7-d conformal algebra.
- In addition to Carroll (3), it has a screw isometry

$$Y_s = \partial_U + \frac{\omega}{2} \epsilon_{ij} X^i \partial_j. \quad (16)$$

- Together with the homothetic vector field

$$Y_h = 2V\partial_V + X^i\partial_i, \quad \mathcal{L}_{Y_h} g_{\mu\nu} = 2g_{\mu\nu}, \quad (17)$$

it enjoys a 7-parameter conformal algebra

$$[Y_i^c, Y_j^b] = -\delta_{ij} Y^v, \quad [Y_h, Y_C] = -Y_C - hY^v. \quad (18)$$

Rotating coordinates

To solve geodesic equations (9), we switch to rotating coordinates

$$Y^i = (R^{-1})_{ij} X^j$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} Y^1 \\ Y^2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos(\omega U/2) & \sin(\omega U/2) \\ -\sin(\omega U/2) & \cos(\omega U/2) \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} X^1 \\ X^2 \end{pmatrix}, \quad (19)$$

Then (15) becomes

$$ds^2 = d\mathbf{Y}^2 + 2dUdV + \omega\epsilon_{ij} Y^i dY^j dU + (\Omega_+^2 (Y^1)^2 + \Omega_-^2 (Y^2)^2) dU^2, \quad (20)$$

with

$$\Omega_{\pm}^2 = \frac{\omega^2}{4} \pm \frac{A_0}{2}. \quad (21)$$

Now, Carroll symmetries (3) become

$$\begin{aligned} Y_C &= h \frac{\partial}{\partial V} + c^i \left(L_{ji} R^{jk} \frac{\partial}{\partial Y^k} - L'_{ji} R^{jk} Y^k \frac{\partial}{\partial V} \right) \\ &+ b_i \left(L_{jk} S^{ki} R^{jm} \frac{\partial}{\partial Y^m} - (L_{jk} S^{ki})' R^{jm} Y^m \frac{\partial}{\partial V} \right), \quad (22) \end{aligned}$$

Beginning with an **affinely parametrized Lagrangian**

$L_{4d}^{rot} = \frac{1}{2}g_{\mu\nu}\dot{Y}^\mu\dot{Y}^\nu$, we obtain its Hamiltonian as

$$H_{4d}^{rot} = \frac{(P_i + \frac{\omega}{2}\epsilon_{ij}Y^jP_V)^2}{2} + P_UP_V - \frac{1}{2}(\Omega_+^2(Y^1)^2 + \Omega_-^2(Y^2)^2)P_V^2, \quad (23)$$

with canonical momenta P_μ

$$\begin{aligned} P_i &= \dot{Y}^i - \frac{\omega}{2}\epsilon^{ij}Y^j\dot{U}, & P_V &= \dot{U} \\ P_U &= \dot{V} + \frac{\omega}{2}\epsilon^{ij}Y^i\dot{Y}^j + (\Omega_+^2(Y^1)^2 + \Omega_-^2(Y^2)^2)\dot{U} \end{aligned} \quad (24)$$

P_V is a constant. It is one of the conserved Carroll charges Q_C

$$\dot{Q}_C = \{Q_C, H_{4d}^{rot}\} = 0, \quad (25)$$

obtained from Y_C via $\partial_\mu \rightarrow P_\mu$.

Y_s becomes

$$Y_s = \partial_U, \quad (26)$$

implying the U -independence of (20). Thus, P_U is also conserved.

Non-relativistic dynamics

Considering null geodesics, we project to the underlying NR space

$$H_{4d}^{\text{rot}} = \frac{g_{\text{rot}}^{\mu\nu} P_\mu P_\nu}{2} \equiv 0, \quad (27)$$

and obtain a **lower dimensional and NR** Hamiltonian

$$H_{NR}^{\text{rot}} = \frac{(P_i + \frac{M\omega}{2}\epsilon_{ij} Y^j)^2}{2M} - \frac{M}{2}(\Omega_+^2 (Y^1)^2 + \Omega_-^2 (Y^2)^2) = -P_U. \quad (28)$$

U becomes **Newtonian time** and $P_V = M$ becomes the **NR mass**.

In our specific problem Hamilton equations are found to be

$$(Y^i)' = \frac{P_i + \frac{M\omega}{2}\epsilon_{ij}Y^j}{M}, \quad (29a)$$

$$(P_i)' = \frac{\omega}{2}\epsilon_{ij}(P_j + \frac{M\omega}{2}\epsilon_{jk}Y^k) + M(\Omega_+^2 Y^1\delta_{i,1} + \Omega_-^2 Y^2\delta_{i,2}). \quad (29b)$$

- From (29a) we obtain two coupled, second order Euler - Lagrange equations

$$(Y^1)'' - \omega(Y^2)' - \Omega_+^2 Y^1 = 0 \quad (30a)$$

$$(Y^2)'' + \omega(Y^1)' - \Omega_-^2 Y^2 = 0, \quad (30b)$$

with *time- U independent* coefficients.

- The dynamics generated by H_{NR}^{rot} (28) is a combination of oscillators plus a Coriolis force.
- H_{NR}^{rot} is conserved as implied by the screw symmetry (26).

Motivation

- A 4-dimensional pp-wave metric (1) can be viewed as the **Bargmann space**⁴ for a NR system in 2 dimensions.
- Conversely, the NR motion can be **Eisenhart-Duval lifted** to (1) as **null geodesics**.
- **Symmetries** of Schroedinger-Newton equation⁵, NR spinors coupled to Chern-Simons gauge fields⁶, and cosmology⁷
- **Periodic waves** \leftrightarrow **Ion traps**⁸.
- Underlying NR system for 4-d CPP GW?
- Role of Carroll symmetry?

⁴L. P. Eisenhart 1928,

C. Duval, G. Burdet, H. P. Kunzle and M. Perrin, 1985

⁵C. Duval and S. Lazzarini, 2015

⁶C. Duval, P. Horvathy and L. Palla, 1995

⁷M. Cariglia, A. Galajinsky, G. W. Gibbons and P. A. Horvathy, 2018

⁸PM Zhang et. al. 2018

Before solving them, let us make an important observation.

Equations (30) can be cast into the form of a *4th order differential equation* for either of the components :

$$(Y^i)'''' + (\Omega_+^2 + \Omega_-^2)(Y^i)'' + \Omega_+^2 \Omega_-^2 Y^i = 0, \quad (31)$$

which is the 1 dimensional **Pais-Uhlenbeck oscillator**⁹.

Thus we conclude that, in rotating coordinates, *the underlying NR system of a CPP GW is actually 1- dimensional PU oscillator (31).*

Lets analyze this result by relating H_{NR}^{rot} to the PU Hamiltonian.

⁹A. Pais and G. E. Uhlenbeck, 1950

Chiral decomposition

Equations (30) can be solved by *chiral decomposition*. The related symplectic structure is

$$\sigma = d\Pi_1 \wedge dY^1 + d\Pi_2 \wedge dY^2 + \omega M dY^1 \wedge dY^2, \quad (32)$$

$$H_{NR}^{rot} = \frac{\Pi^2}{2M} - \frac{1}{2}M(\Omega_+^2(Y^1)^2 + \Omega_-^2(Y^2)^2), \quad (33)$$

where the $\Pi_i = P_i + \frac{M\omega}{2}\epsilon_{ij}Y^j$ are the kinematical momenta. Chiral decomposition is based on finding “good coordinates”. One set of such coordinates is $(X_+^{1,2}, X_-^{1,2})$ such that

$$\Pi_1 = \frac{M\omega}{2} \left(X_+^2 + \frac{4\Omega_-^2}{\omega^2} X_-^2 \right), \quad \Pi_2 = -\frac{M\omega}{2} \left(\frac{4\Omega_+^2}{\omega^2} X_+^1 + X_-^1 \right), \quad (34a)$$

$$Y^1 = X_+^1 + X_-^1, \quad Y^2 = X_+^2 + X_-^2. \quad (34b)$$

Then both the symplectic form σ (32) and the Hamiltonian H_{NR}^{rot} (33) are decomposed into separate \pm sectors,

$$\sigma = -\frac{M(\Omega_+^2 - \Omega_-^2)}{\sqrt{2(\Omega_+^2 + \Omega_-^2)}} (dX_+^1 \wedge dX_+^2 - dX_-^1 \wedge dX_-^2), \quad (35)$$

$$\begin{aligned} H_{NR}^{rot} &= \frac{M(\Omega_+^2 - \Omega_-^2)}{2} \left(\frac{\Omega_+^2}{\Omega_+^2 + \Omega_-^2} (X_+^1)^2 + \frac{1}{2} (X_+^2)^2 \right) \\ &- \frac{M(\Omega_+^2 - \Omega_-^2)}{2} \left(\frac{1}{2} (X_-^1)^2 - \frac{\Omega_-^2}{\Omega_+^2 + \Omega_-^2} (X_-^1)^2 \right). \end{aligned} \quad (36)$$

We can easily find the equations of motion as

$$(X_{\pm}^{1,2})'' + \Omega_{\pm}^2 X_{\pm}^{1,2} = 0, \quad (37)$$

which are *simple harmonic motions with Ω_{\pm}* .

The solutions for $Y^{1,2}$ are found as,

$$Y^1(U) = A_1 \cos(\Omega_+ U) + B_1 \sin(\Omega_+ U) + C_1 \cos(\Omega_- U) + D_1 \sin(\Omega_- U), \quad (38a)$$

$$Y^2(U) = -\Omega_+ \left(\frac{2}{\Omega_+^2 + \Omega_-^2} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} (A_1 \sin(\Omega_+ U) - B_1 \cos(\Omega_+ U)) \\ - \frac{1}{\Omega_-} \left(\frac{\Omega_+^2 + \Omega_-^2}{2} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} (C_1 \sin(\Omega_- U) - D_1 \cos(\Omega_- U)), \quad (38b)$$

- A_1, B_1, C_1, D_1 are constants to be determined.
- $Y^{1,2}$ (38) also solve the 4th order PU equation (31).
- The geodesics of the original Brinkmann metric (15) can be found via (19).
- We emphasize that σ (35) and H_{NR}^{rot} (36) never vanish since $\Omega_+ > \Omega_-$.

Pais-Uhlenbeck oscillator

The following redefinition

$$x^1 = \sqrt{\frac{M(\Omega_+^2 - \Omega_-^2)}{\Omega_+^2 + \Omega_-^2}} X_+^1, \quad p_1 = \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}M(\Omega_+^2 - \Omega_-^2)} X_+^2, \quad (39a)$$

$$x^2 = \sqrt{\frac{M(\Omega_+^2 - \Omega_-^2)}{\Omega_+^2 + \Omega_-^2}} X_-^2, \quad p_2 = \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}M(\Omega_+^2 - \Omega_-^2)} X_-^1, \quad (39b)$$

allows us to pass to *canonical coordinates* $\{x^i, p_i\}$ such that

$$H_{NR}^{\text{rot}} \equiv H_{o\pm} = \frac{p_1^2 + \Omega_+^2 (x^1)^2}{2} - \frac{p_2^2 + \Omega_-^2 (x^2)^2}{2}, \quad \sigma = dp_i \wedge dx^i. \quad (40)$$

$H_{o\pm}$ consists of two uncoupled harmonic oscillators but *with a relative minus sign* between them. Hamilton equations of motion:

$$(x^1)' = p_1, \quad (p_1)' = -\Omega_+^2 x^1, \quad (x^2)' = -p_2, \quad (p_2)' = \Omega_-^2 x^2. \quad (41)$$

A final canonical transformation¹⁰

$$x^1 = \frac{p_x + \Omega_+^2 v}{\Omega_+ \sqrt{(\Omega_+^2 - \Omega_-^2)}}, \quad p_1 = \frac{\Omega_+ (p_v + \Omega_-^2 x)}{\sqrt{(\Omega_+^2 - \Omega_-^2)}}, \quad (42a)$$

$$x^2 = \frac{p_v + \Omega_+^2 x}{\sqrt{(\Omega_+^2 - \Omega_-^2)}}, \quad p_2 = \frac{p_x + \Omega_-^2 v}{\sqrt{(\Omega_+^2 - \Omega_-^2)}}, \quad (42b)$$

yields the Ostrogradsky Hamiltonian for the PU oscillator,

$$H_{o\pm} = H_{PU} = p_x v + \frac{p_v^2}{2} + \frac{(\Omega_+^2 + \Omega_-^2)v^2}{2} - \frac{\Omega_+^2 \Omega_-^2 x^2}{2}. \quad (43)$$

- Therefore, the underlying NR Hamiltonian (28) can also be mapped to the PU Hamiltonian (43).
- Put differently: if we begin with PU Hamiltonian H_{PU} (43) and use the inverse of (42), (39) and (34), we end up with H_{NR}^{rot} (28). Unrotating with inverse of (19) and ED lifting it, we obtain (15).
- Thus, *the PU oscillator is the NR system of the CPP GW.*

¹⁰A. Smilga, 2017

We note the associated Lagrangian

$$L_{PU} = \frac{1}{2} \left(x''^2 - (\Omega_+^2 + \Omega_-^2) x'^2 + \Omega_+^2 \Omega_-^2 x^2 \right), \quad (44)$$

and the equation of motion

$$\left(\frac{d^4}{du^4} + (\Omega_+^2 + \Omega_-^2) \frac{d^2}{du^2} + \Omega_+^2 \Omega_-^2 \right) x = 0, \quad (45)$$

cf. (31) with $u = U$ and $\Omega_+ > \Omega_-$. The PU oscillator phase space is 4 dimensional with coordinates $\{x, p_x, v, p_v\}$ where $v = x'$. The definition of the canonical momenta ,

$$p_v = \frac{\partial L_{PU}}{\partial x''}, \quad p_x = \frac{\partial L_{PU}}{\partial x'} - \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial L_{PU}}{\partial x''} = \frac{\partial L_{PU}}{\partial x'} - p_v', \quad (46)$$

yields the Ostrogradsky Hamiltonian (43). The Hamilton equations of motion are

$$x' \equiv \frac{\partial H_{PU}}{\partial p_x} = v, \quad v' \equiv \frac{\partial H_{PU}}{\partial p_v} = p_v, \quad (47a)$$

$$p_x' \equiv -\frac{\partial H_{PU}}{\partial x} = \Omega_+^2 \Omega_-^2 x, \quad p_v' \equiv -\frac{\partial H_{PU}}{\partial v} = -p_x - (\Omega_+^2 + \Omega_-^2) v. \quad (47b)$$

Conserved charges for PU

- CPP GW (15) has a 7-dimensional conformal algebra.
- The isometries are generated by the 5 dimensional Carroll algebra (3).
- We also have the screw isometry (16) and a homothetic vector field (17).
- All these yield conserved quantities for a null geodesic in the CPP GW background.
- We will derive conserved charges of the PU oscillator from those of a spinless test particle in a CPP GW background.
- Note that these charges will have an explicit time dependence,

$$\frac{dQ}{dU} = \frac{\partial Q}{\partial U} + \{Q, H_{NR}\} = 0. \quad (48)$$

Screw charge

- In Brinkmann coordinates (15), the screw charge is

$$Q_s = P_U + \frac{\omega}{2} \epsilon_{ij} X^i P_j, \quad (49)$$

where P_U and P_i are the canonical momenta.

- In rotating coordinates, it becomes just P_U .
- When projected, it corresponds to (minus) the *total conserved energy* of the NR system H_{NR}^{rot} .
- After chiral decomposition it becomes $Q_s = -H_{o\pm}$.
- Finally, performing a second transformation (42), it yields the conserved energy of the PU oscillator up to a minus sign,

$$Q_s = -H_{PU}. \quad (50)$$

Homothetic charge

- The homothetic vector field (17) does not change in rotating coordinates.
- When projected, it becomes

$$Q_h = Y^i P_i + 2MV, \quad V(U) = V_0 - \frac{1}{M} \int^U L_{NR} d\tilde{U}, \quad (51)$$

with L_{NR} being the associated NR Lagrangian

$$L_{NR}^{rot} = \frac{1}{2} M (\mathbf{Y}')^2 - \frac{M\omega}{2} \epsilon_{ij} (Y^i)' Y^j + \frac{M}{2} (\Omega_+^2 (Y^1)^2 + \Omega_-^2 (Y^2)^2) \quad (52)$$

and V_0 is a constant.

- For various physical systems it is related to *virial theorem* ¹¹.

In PU-phase space $\{x, v, p_x, p_v\}$ it consists of two parts which are separately conserved

$$Q_h = Q_{h1} + Q_{h2} \quad (53)$$

While $Q_{h2} = 0$ is trivial, the virial charge Q_{h1} (54)

$$Q_{h1} = p_x x + p_v v - 2 \int d\tilde{u} L_{PU}, \quad (54)$$

originates from the scaling symmetry of the PU action (44)

$$x \rightarrow \lambda x, \quad L_{PU} dt \rightarrow \lambda^2 L_{PU} dt, \quad (55)$$

where λ is a constant scale factor.

In rotating coordinates (20), the S-L problem (4) is modified as

$$O''_{ij} = \omega \epsilon_{ik} O'_{kj} + \Omega_{ik} O_{kj}, \quad (56)$$

where

$$\Omega = \begin{pmatrix} \Omega_+^2 & 0 \\ 0 & \Omega_-^2 \end{pmatrix}. \quad (57)$$

Above 2×2 $O(U)$ matrix is defined via the rotation in (19)

$$O_{ij} = (R^{-1})_{ik} L_{kj}. \quad (58)$$

On the other hand, the subsidiary condition $L^T L' = (L^T)' L$ turns out to be

$$(O^T O' - (O^T)' O)_{ij} = \omega O_{ik}^T \epsilon_{km} O_{mj}, \quad (59)$$

which, in explicit form, becomes

$$O_{11} O'_{12} - O_{12} O'_{11} + O_{21} O'_{22} - O_{22} O'_{21} = \omega \det O. \quad (60)$$

Using the O -matrix (58), the projected Carroll charges in rotating coordinates become

$$\begin{aligned}
 Q_C &= hM + c^i \left(P_k O_{ki} - MY^k (O'_{ki} - \frac{\omega}{2} \epsilon_{kj} O_{ji}) \right) \\
 &+ b_i \left(P_j O_{jk} S^{ki} - MY^j (O'_{jk} S^{ki} - \frac{\omega}{2} \epsilon_{jm} O_{mk} S^{ki} + O_{ij}^{-1}) \right) \\
 &\equiv hQ_V + c^i Q_i^c + b^i Q_i^b.
 \end{aligned} \tag{61}$$

We note that (56) has the same structure with (30). Thus, we may derive O_{ij} by using the solutions (38) with

$$O = \begin{pmatrix} Y^1 & \tilde{Y}^1 \\ Y^2 & \tilde{Y}^2 \end{pmatrix} \tag{62}$$

where \tilde{Y}^i are of the same form as Y^i but with different coefficients A_2, B_2, C_2, D_2 .

When projected, P_V becomes the NR mass, i.e., $Q_V = M$, a constant in PU phase space.

In PU coordinates $\{x, v, p_x, p_v\}$, Q_j^c and Q_j^b become

$$\begin{aligned}
 Q_j^{c,b} &= \Omega_+ \left((2\Omega_+^3 + \sqrt{2(\Omega_+^2 + \Omega_-^2)}\Omega_-^2) A_{1i} + (2\Omega_-^2 + \sqrt{2(\Omega_+^2 + \Omega_-^2)}\Omega_+) A'_{2i} \right) x \\
 &- \frac{1}{\Omega_+} \left((2\Omega_-^2 + \sqrt{2(\Omega_+^2 + \Omega_-^2)}\Omega_+) A_{2i} - (2\Omega_+ + \sqrt{2(\Omega_+^2 + \Omega_-^2)}) A'_{1i} \right) p_x \\
 &- \left((2\Omega_-^2 \Omega_+ + \sqrt{2(\Omega_+^2 + \Omega_-^2)}\Omega_-^2) A_{2i} - (2\Omega_-^2 + \sqrt{2(\Omega_+^2 + \Omega_-^2)}\Omega_+) A'_{1i} \right) v \\
 &+ \left((2\Omega_+ + \sqrt{2(\Omega_+^2 + \Omega_-^2)}) (\Omega_+ A_{1i} + A'_{2i}) \right) p_v, \tag{63}
 \end{aligned}$$

where

$$A_{ji} = O_{ji}, \quad A'_{ji} = O'_{ji} \quad \text{for } Q_j^c, \tag{64}$$

$$A_{ji} = O_{jk} S^{ki}, \quad A'_{ji} = O'_{jk} S^{ki} + O_{ij}^{-1} \quad \text{for } Q_j^b. \tag{65}$$

- (63) are conserved via the Hamilton equations (47) when (56) and (59) are satisfied.
- This generic form is complicated if the O -matrix (62) is directly substituted.
- We simplify it by using the initial condition

$$(X^i)'(0) = 0, \quad (66)$$

of the original 4 dimensional problem (30).

- This initial condition implies

$$O(0) = 1_{2 \times 2}, \quad O'(0) = \frac{\omega}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad (67)$$

and simplifies the original complicated O -matrix

$$O = \begin{pmatrix} \cos(\Omega_- u) & \frac{\omega}{2\Omega_+} \sin(\Omega_+ u) \\ -\frac{\omega}{2\Omega_-} \sin(\Omega_- u) & \cos(\Omega_+ u) \end{pmatrix}, \quad \omega = \sqrt{2(\Omega_+^2 + \Omega_-^2)}. \quad (68)$$

Projected Carroll charges become

$$Q_1^c = -\sqrt{\frac{M}{2}} \left[\cos(\Omega_- u) (\Omega_+^2 x + p_v) + \sin(\Omega_- u) \left(\frac{p_x}{\Omega_-} + \Omega_- v \right) \right], \quad (69a)$$

$$Q_2^c = -\sqrt{\frac{M}{2}} \left[\cos(\Omega_+ u) \left(\frac{p_x}{\Omega_+} + \Omega_+ v \right) - \sin(\Omega_+ u) (\Omega_-^2 x + p_v) \right], \quad (69b)$$

$$Q_1^b = -\frac{\sqrt{2M}}{(\Omega_+^2 - \Omega_-^2)} \left[\cos(\Omega_- u) (\Omega_-^2 v + p_x) - \Omega_- \sin(\Omega_- u) (p_v + \Omega_+^2 x) \right] \quad (69c)$$

$$Q_2^b = -\frac{\sqrt{2M}}{(\Omega_+^2 - \Omega_-^2)} \left[\Omega_+ \cos(\Omega_+ u) (\Omega_-^2 x + p_v) + \sin(\Omega_+ u) (\Omega_+^2 v + p_x) \right] \quad (69d)$$

We emphasize that (Q_i^c, Q_i^b) are conserved in PU phase space (47), i.e.,

$$\frac{dQ}{du} = \frac{\partial Q}{\partial u} + \{Q, H_{PU}\} = 0. \quad (70)$$

In PU phase space, the relation between Q_i^c and Q_i^b becomes similar to EM duality (rotation). For instance

$$\cos(\Omega_- u) \rightarrow -\frac{2\Omega_-}{(\Omega_+^2 - \Omega_-^2)} \sin(\Omega_- u), \quad \sin(\Omega_- u) \rightarrow \frac{2\Omega_-}{(\Omega_+^2 - \Omega_-^2)} \cos(\Omega_- u) \quad (71)$$

cf. (12).

Non-vanishing Poisson brackets of M , Q_i^c and Q_i^b (69)

$$\{Q_i^c, Q_j^b\} = M\delta_{ij}. \quad (72)$$

Lastly, Poisson brackets of the Carroll charges with the screw charge Q_s are found to be

$$\{Q_{1,2}^c, H_{PU}\} = \pm \frac{(\Omega_+^2 - \Omega_-^2)}{2} Q_{1,2}^b, \quad \{Q_{1,2}^b, H_{PU}\} = \mp \frac{2\Omega_{\mp}^2}{(\Omega_+^2 - \Omega_-^2)} Q_{1,2}^c.$$

Elements of **Newton-Hooke group** "downstairs".

Discussion

- Relation between two distant systems:
PU oscillator is the underlying non-relativistic system of 4-dimensional CPP GW.
- Conversely, when the PU oscillator is ED lifted, it becomes a CPP GW endowed with a Carroll symmetry.
- Conserved quantities:
We derive conserved charges for the PU oscillator for generic frequencies from the symmetries of the gravitational wave.
- Comparison with literature:
In line with Andrzejewski¹² for generic frequencies $\Omega_+ > \Omega_-$. Adopting $\Omega_+ = 3\Omega_-$, $Q_i^{c,b}$ yields translation, boost and two accelerations¹³, elements of N-H group.

¹²K. Andrzejewski, 2014

¹³Andrzejewski et al., 2014

- There are some similar systems: Penning trap, Lukash plane wave, em. vortex etc. In which manner, the systems can be described as a higher order theory? CPP may not be the only example.
- Perhaps, correspondence between CPP GW and PU oscillator can be built entirely “upstairs” to link it to the work¹⁴.
- Coordinate transformations from B to BJR provides a link between different NR systems.
- Any other physical systems ? :
*Electromagnetic vortex and CPP GW via double copy*¹⁵, see ¹⁶
- Most general version of Eisenhart-Duval lift and its relation to double copy etc.

¹⁴ A. Galajinsky and I. Masterov, 2016

¹⁵ A. Ilderton 2018

¹⁶ K. Andrzejewski and S. Prencel, 2018