

Penrose - Carter diagrams:

Where is the ∞ in asymptotic infinity?

It is possible to "bring" this ∞ into spacetime by conformal compactification. (This does not change the causal structure of spacetime).

All points that are only far away in proper distance are only finitely far away in terms of the affine parameter of a new metric.

Example: $\text{Mink}_{1,d-1}$, $d=4$

$$ds^2 = -dt^2 + dr^2 + r^2 d\Omega_2^2$$

$$\begin{cases} u = t-r \\ v = t+r \end{cases} \rightarrow ds^2 = -du dv + \frac{(u-v)^2}{4} d\Omega_2^2$$

$$\text{Set } u = \tan U, \quad v = \tan V, \quad U, V \in (-\pi/2, \pi/2)$$

$$v = \tan V$$

$$V > U.$$

$$ds^2 = (2 \cos U \cos V)^{-2} \left[-4 dU dV + \sin^2(V-U) d\Omega_2^2 \right]$$

if either/and $U, V = \frac{\pi}{2}$, we get $ds^2 = \infty$.

$$\Lambda = 2 \cos U \sin U.$$

$$d\tilde{s}^2 = \Lambda^2 ds^2 = -4 dU dV + \sin^2(V-U) d\Omega_2^2.$$

In this new conformally scaled metric, we can add points at ∞ . $V \geq U$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} U = -\frac{\pi}{2} \\ V = \frac{\pi}{2} \end{array} \right\} \rightarrow \begin{array}{l} u = -\infty \\ v = \infty \end{array} \rightarrow \begin{array}{l} r \rightarrow \infty \\ + \text{ finite} \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{Spatial } \infty \\ i_0 \end{array}$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} U = \pm \frac{\pi}{2} \\ V = \pm \frac{\pi}{2} \end{array} \right\} \rightarrow \begin{array}{l} u = \pm \infty \\ v = \pm \infty \end{array} \rightarrow \begin{array}{l} t \rightarrow \pm \infty \\ r \text{ finite} \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{Past/future} \\ \text{temporal } \infty \\ i_{\pm} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} U = -\frac{\pi}{2} \\ |V| \neq \frac{\pi}{2} \end{array} \rightarrow \begin{array}{l} u = -\infty \\ v = \text{finite} \end{array} \rightarrow \begin{array}{l} r \rightarrow \infty \\ t \rightarrow -\infty \\ r + \text{finite} \end{array} \rightarrow \begin{array}{l} \text{Past null } \infty \\ \mathcal{J}^- \end{array}$$

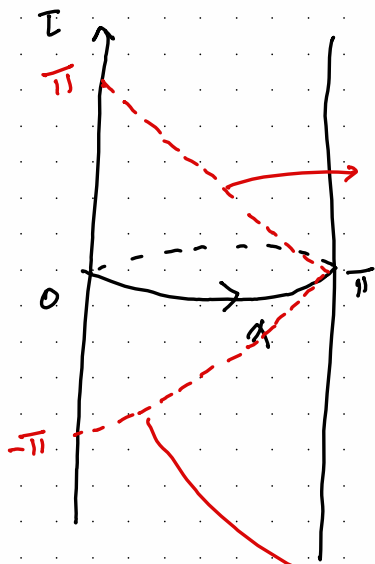
$$\begin{array}{l} |U| \neq \frac{\pi}{2} \\ \tilde{V} = \frac{\pi}{2} \end{array} \rightarrow \begin{array}{l} u \text{ finite} \\ v = \infty \end{array} \rightarrow \begin{array}{l} r \rightarrow \infty \\ t \rightarrow \infty \\ r + \text{finite} \end{array} \rightarrow \begin{array}{l} \text{Future} \\ \text{null } \infty \\ \mathcal{J}^+ \end{array}$$

$$ds^2_{\text{Mink}} \hookrightarrow d\tilde{s}^2, \text{ boundary at } \Lambda = 0$$

$$\text{Let } \tau = V + U, \quad \chi = V - U$$

$$d\tilde{s}^2 = -d\tau^2 + d\chi^2 + \sin^2 \chi d\Omega_2^2$$

$$\Lambda = \cos \tau + \cos \chi, \quad \chi \sim \chi + 2\pi$$



if each of the 2 sphere
at const χ is a point,

$$\chi + \tau = \pi, \quad v = \pi/2, \quad g^+$$

Mink:

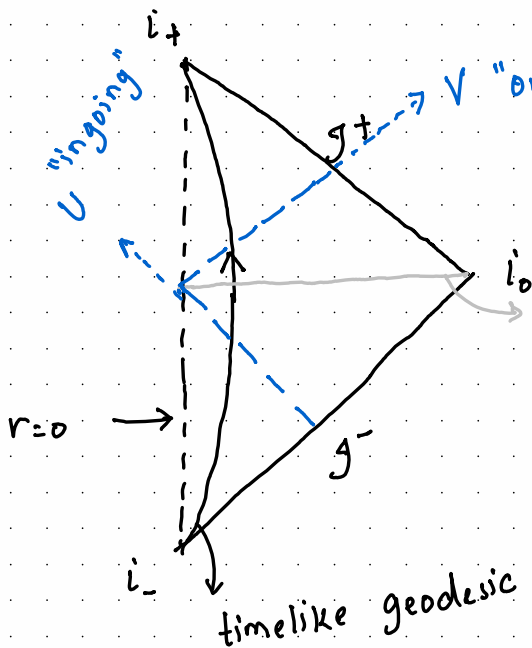
$$-\pi < \tau < \pi$$

$$0 \leq \chi \leq \pi$$

$$-\pi < \chi + \tau \leq 2\pi$$

$$\chi - \tau = \pi, \quad \tilde{v} = -\frac{\pi}{2}, \quad g^-$$

Now, squash the cylinder.



$t = \text{const}$ hypersurface

Each point (except
 i_0, i_+, i_-) are 2-
spheres.

Light rays / null vec
($g^- \rightarrow g^+$)

massive $\rightarrow i_- \rightarrow i_+$

Example: Kruskal spacetime:

$$ds^2 = -\left(1 - \frac{2M}{r}\right) du dv + r^2 d\Omega_2^2 \quad (I)$$

$$u = \tan U, \quad U \in (-\pi/2, \pi/2)$$

$$v = \tan V, \quad V \in (-\pi/2, \pi/2)$$

$$ds^2 = (2 \cos V \cos U)^{-2} \left[-4 \left(1 - \frac{2M}{r}\right) dU dV + r^2 \cos^2 U \cos^2 V d\Omega_2^2 \right]$$

$$2r^* = V - U \Rightarrow r^* = \frac{\tan V - \tan U}{2} = \frac{\sin(V - U)}{2 \cos V \cos U}$$

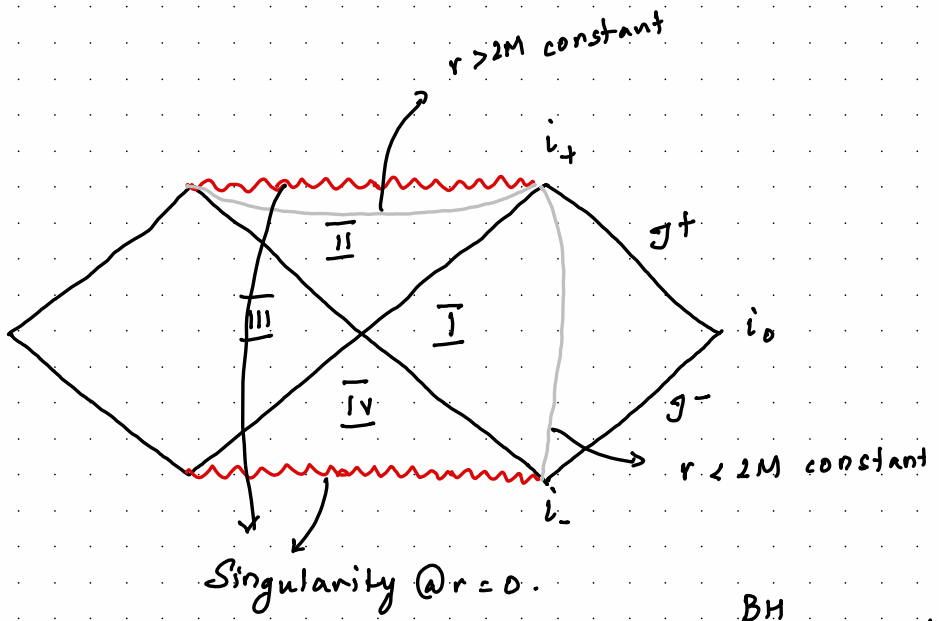
$$r^* = r + 2M \ln\left(\frac{r-2M}{2M}\right)$$

$$d\tilde{s}^2 = \Lambda^2 ds^2 = -4 \left(1 - \frac{2M}{r}\right) dU dV + \left(\frac{r}{r^*}\right)^2 \sin^2(V - U) d\Omega_2^2$$

$$\lim_{r \rightarrow \infty} d\tilde{s}^2 = -4 dU dV + \sin^2(V - U) d\Omega_2^2$$

which is ds^2_{Mink} .

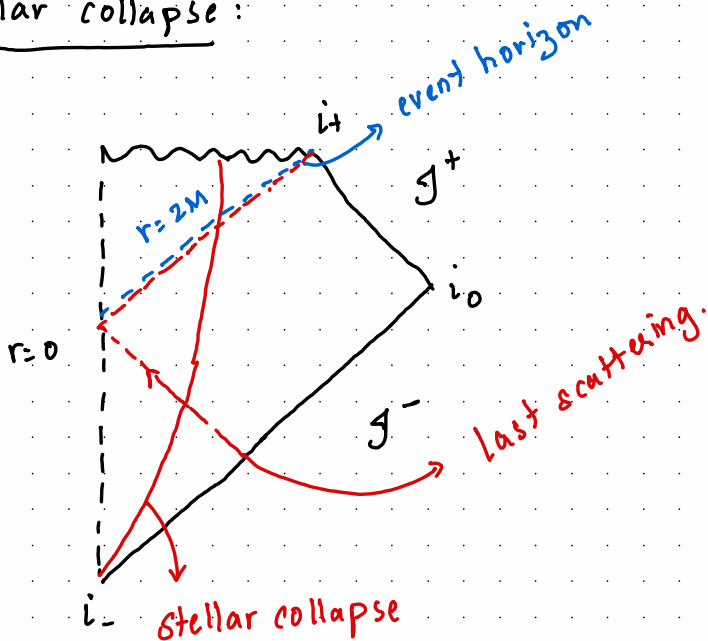
Kruskal is "asymptotically flat". So we can add \mathcal{I}^\pm .



"Penrose diagram for a Kruskal spacetime" ^{BH}

All $r = \text{const}$ hypersurfaces meet @ i_+ .

Stellar collapse:



Let M be an asymptotically flat spacetime.

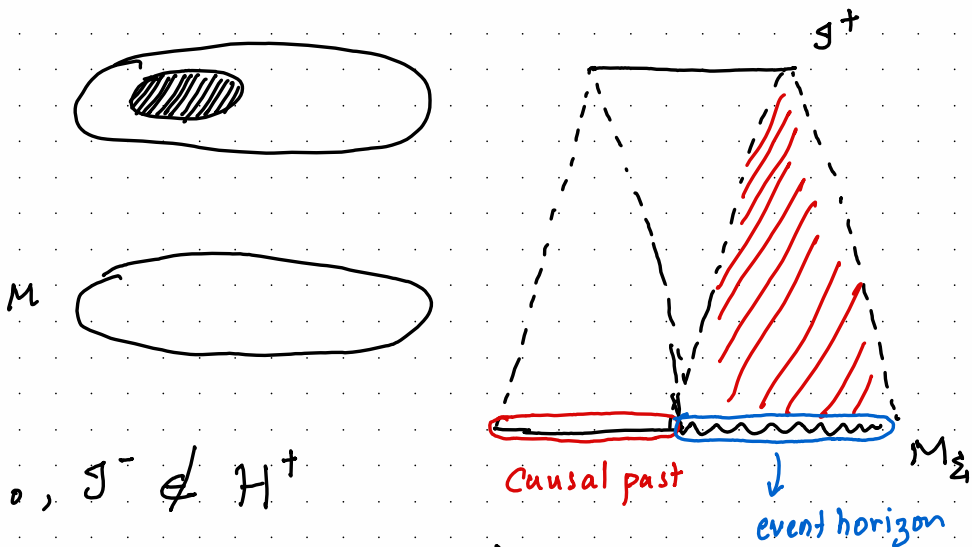
Let $U \subset M$. $J^-(U)$ is the causal past of U .

$\bar{J}^-(U)$ = closure of $J^-(U)$ including limit points
 \hookrightarrow (Union of U and its Bdy)

$$\partial \bar{J}^-(U) := j^-(U) = \bar{J}^-(U) - J^-(U)$$

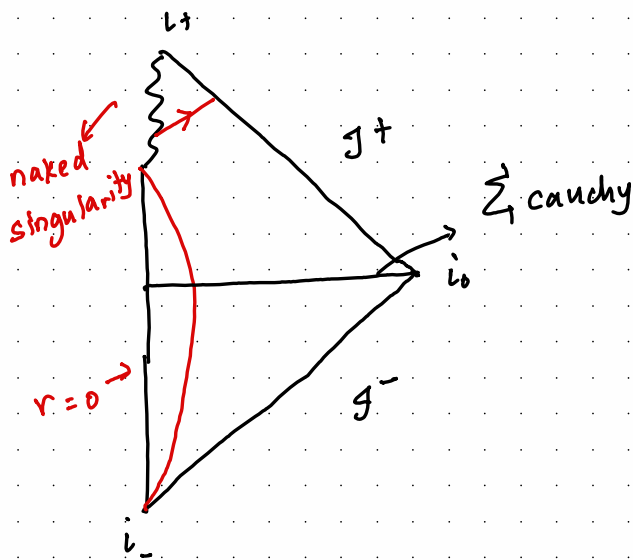
Future event horizon of M is

$\mathcal{H}^+ = j^-(\mathcal{I}^+)$ i.e. bdy of closure of causal past of \mathcal{I}^+ .



- i.e., $\mathcal{I}^- \not\subset \mathcal{H}^+$
- \mathcal{H}^+ is a hypersurface (null).
- No two points on \mathcal{H}^+ are timelike separated
- generators of \mathcal{H}^+ may have past end points
- generators of \mathcal{H}^+ have no future end points (singularity thm)

The past singularity in Kruskal is naked.



if this were possible, then $(h_{ab}, k_{ab}, \Sigma_{\text{cauchy}})$ cannot predict (g_{ab}, G_{ab}) on J^+ .

Cosmic Censorship Conjecture:

Naked singularities cannot form in asy. flat M by grav collapse if Σ_t is non-singular for some t .

→ Unsolved!

Reissner - Nordström black holes

These are black holes charged under a $U(1)_{EM}$ field.

$$S = \frac{1}{2K} \int d^4x \sqrt{-g} \left[R - F_{\mu\nu} F^{\mu\nu} \right]$$

Unusual normalization of the Maxwell term.

$$G_{\mu\nu} = 2 \left(F_{\mu\lambda} F_{\nu}{}^{\lambda} - \frac{1}{4} g_{\mu\nu} F_{\rho\sigma} F^{\rho\sigma} \right) \quad \left. \vphantom{G_{\mu\nu}} \right\} \begin{array}{l} \text{source} \\ \text{free} \end{array}$$
$$D_{\mu} F^{\mu\nu} = 0$$

$$ds^2 = - \left(1 - \frac{2M}{r} + \frac{Q^2}{r^2} \right) dt^2 + \frac{dr^2}{\left(1 - \frac{2M}{r} + \frac{Q^2}{r^2} \right)} + r^2 d\Omega_2^2$$

actually $Q \sim Q(M)$

$Q(M=0) = 0$ (in fact we will see that this is relevant)

$$A = \frac{Q}{r} dt \quad (F = dA, \text{ 1-form Maxwell potential})$$

Birkhoff thm: generalization for EM equation

$$ds^2_{RN} = - \frac{\Delta}{r^2} dt^2 + \frac{r^2}{\Delta} dr^2 + r^2 d\Omega_2^2$$

$$\Delta = r^2 - 2Mr + Q^2$$

$$\Delta = 0 \rightarrow r_{\pm} = M_{\pm} \sqrt{M^2 - Q^2}$$

$M < |Q|$, then we have naked singularities \times

HW: Consider a collapsing shell of matter, mass M , charge Q . Consider total energy/mass as a function of R . Show that the collapsing shell is possible iff $M > |Q|$.

Sort of obvious:

$$\frac{GM^2}{R} = \frac{GQ^2}{R} \rightarrow \text{Coulomb potential is holding the grav pot. in eq.}$$

To analyze $M > |Q|$, we introduce the EF coords

$$\text{For } r > r_+ : dr_* = \frac{r^2}{\Delta} dr$$

$$r_* = r + \frac{1}{2k_+} \ln \left| \frac{r - r_+}{r_+} \right| + \frac{1}{2k_+} \ln \left| \frac{r - r_-}{r_-} \right| + \text{const}$$

(check this)

$$\text{where } k_{\pm} = \frac{(r_{\pm} - r_{\mp})}{2r_{\pm}^2}$$

These are the inner and outer surface gravities
i.e. acceleration of a particle at the horizon, as
measured by an observer at ∞

$$\text{Now, } u = t - r_*, \quad v = t + r_*$$

(Ingoing EF coordinates)

$$ds^2 = - \frac{\Delta}{r^2} dv^2 + 2dvdr + r^2 d\Omega_2^2$$

This metric is smooth for $r > 0$ and can therefore
be continued to $r < r_+$.

r_+ : Outer event horizon
 r_- : inner event horizon
 } both null
 hypersurfaces

(analogously, using outgoing EF coordinates)

$$ds^2 = - \frac{\Delta}{r^2} du^2 - 2du dr + r^2 d\Omega_2^2$$

(white hole of RN solution)

For the case: $M = |Q|$, the two horizons coincide
 $r_+ = r_-$ and $K_+ = K_- = 0$. This means that the
RN solution is extremal and has no surface grav.

Also, $T = \frac{k}{2\pi}$ (Temp \propto surface gravity)

So extremal solutions have zero temperature.

Kruskal - Coordinates for RN black holes:

We want to understand the global structure of the Reissner-Nordström solution. So we introduce

Kruskal like coordinates:

$$U^{\pm} = -e^{-k_{\pm} u}, \quad V^{\pm} = \pm e^{k_{\pm} v}$$

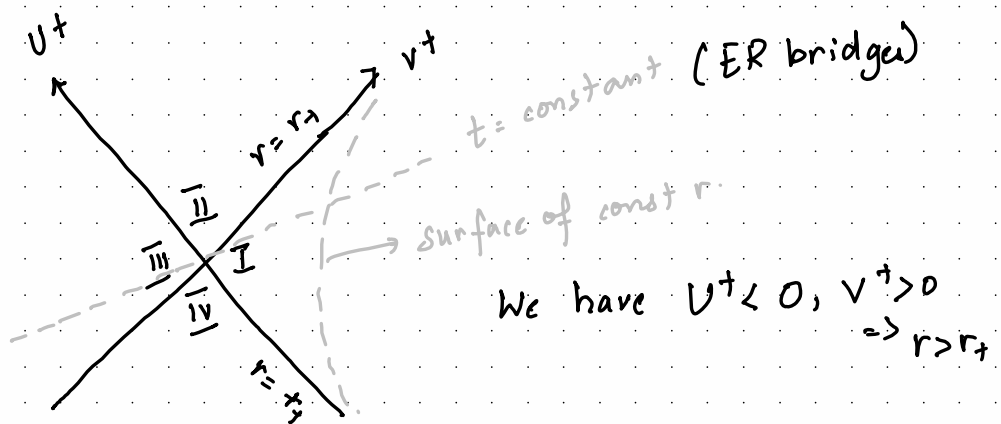
Start in $r > r_+$. (v^+, u^+, θ, ϕ)

$$ds^2 = -\frac{\Delta}{r^2} dr^2 + 2 dv dr + r^2 d\Omega_2^2$$

HN:
$$ds^2 = -\frac{r_+ r_-}{k_+^2 r^2} e^{-2k_+ r} \left(\frac{r-r_-}{r_-} \right)^{1+\frac{k_+}{|k_-|}} dv^+ dv^+ + r^2 d\Omega_2^2$$

$$r(u^+, v^+) =$$

$$-u^+ v^+ = e^{2k_+ r} \left(\frac{r-r_+}{r_+} \right) \left(\frac{r_-}{r-r_-} \right)^{\frac{k_+}{|k_-|}}$$



We have $U^+ < 0, V^+ > 0 \Rightarrow r > r_+$

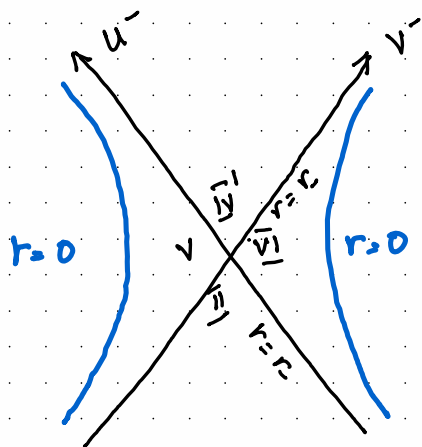
No singularities in II and IV because $r(u^+, v^+) > r_-$. If we continue to $U^+ \geq 0$ and $V^+ \leq 0$, we will see singularities.

$U^+ = V^+ = 0$; Null hypersurfaces intersect at a bifurcation 2-sphere.

To investigate the RN metric at $r \leq r_-$, define:
the retarded coordinates $v = t + r_*$ and use U^-, V^-
 $u = t - r_*$ as before:

This now gives $U^-, V^- < 0$ in II:

$$ds^2 = \frac{-r_+ r}{K_-^2 \Lambda^2} e^{2|K_-| r} \left(\frac{r_+ - r}{r_+} \right)^{1+|K_-|/K_+} dU^- dV^- + r^2 d\Omega^2$$



$$\bar{u}\bar{v} = e^{-2|K_-|r} \left(\frac{r-r_-}{r_-} \right) \neq$$

$$\neq \left(\frac{r_+}{r_+ - r} \right)^{|K_-|/K_+}$$

We have new regions \bar{V} and \bar{V}' $0 < r < r_-$ which contain curvature singularities at $r=0$ ($\bar{u}\bar{v}=-1$). $\bar{V}' \sim \bar{V}$ by isometry and can be continued to new regions $\bar{I}', \bar{II}', \bar{III}'$. \bar{I}' and \bar{III}' are new regions (asy. flat) isometric to \bar{I} and \bar{III} .

RN solutions are fascinating:

Consider a path of constant r, θ, ϕ for a region where $\Delta < 0$. Ex (II)

$$ds^2 = -\frac{\Delta}{r^2} dv^2 \quad (\text{IEFC})$$

$$= \frac{+|\Delta|}{r^2} dv^2 \rightarrow \text{space like}$$

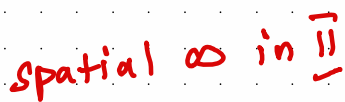
The proper length from $v=0$ to $v=-\infty$

$$\Rightarrow S = \int_{-\infty}^0 \frac{|\Delta|^{1/2}}{r} dv = \frac{|\Delta|^{1/2}}{r} \int_{-\infty}^0 dv = \infty.$$

Behind $r=r_+$ in II, \exists a spatial ∞ .

(Since $v^{\pm}=0$ can be reached in finite proper time, these hypersurfaces are apart of spacetime)

At first glance it seems that CCC is violated here.



The RN solution is actually unstable:

Let A cross the EH and enter II and hovers there.
 B stays in I . B sends a pulse of energy at regular intervals. A receives these signals in finite time. These signals get blue shifted so the T_{μ}^{μ} content in II grows. A tiny pulse perturbation in I gets amplified in II .

The effect of this instability is that the Cauchy HS at spatial ∞ collapses to a horizon.
i.e. RS \rightarrow Schwarzschild.

(BHs quickly neutralize themselves by
 \downarrow plucking out an electron)
RN non-extremal anti-electron from
the vacuum).

Let's look at extremal RN black holes:

$$ds^2 = -\left(1 - \frac{2M}{r} + \frac{Q^2}{r^2}\right) dt^2 + \left(1 - \frac{2M}{r} + \frac{Q^2}{r^2}\right)^{-1} dr^2 + r^2 d\Omega_2^2$$

$$M = 101$$

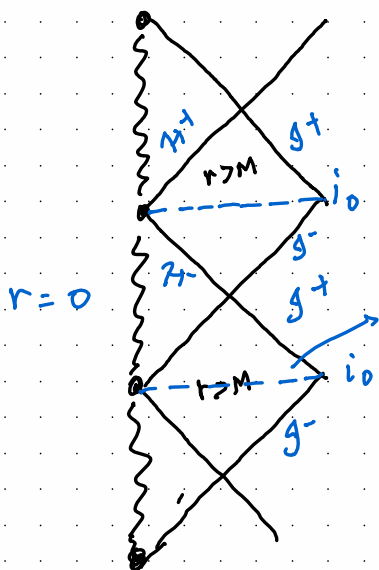
$$ds^2 = -\left(1 - \frac{M}{r}\right)^2 dt^2 + \left(1 - \frac{M}{r}\right)^{-2} dr^2 + r^2 d\Omega_2^2$$

$$dr_* = \frac{dr}{\left(1 - \frac{M}{r}\right)^2} \rightarrow r_* = r + 2M \ln \left| \frac{r-M}{M} \right|$$

$$u = t - r_*, \quad v = t + r_*$$

$$ds^2 = -\left(1 - \frac{M}{r}\right)^2 dv^2 + 2dvdr + r^2 d\Omega_2^2$$

which is smooth and extendible upto $r=0$.



constant \pm hypersurfaces
are no longer ER

but rather an ∞ throat
b/w $r=0$ and spatial ∞ .

$$ds^2 = -\left(1 - \frac{M}{r}\right)^2 dt^2 + \left(1 - \frac{M}{r}\right)^{-2} dr^2 + r^2 d\Omega_2^2$$

$$r = M(1 + \lambda) \Rightarrow \frac{M}{r} = \frac{1}{1 + \lambda}$$

$$dr = M d\lambda$$

$$ds^2 = -\left(1 - \frac{1}{1 + \lambda}\right)^2 dt^2 + \left(1 - \frac{1}{1 + \lambda}\right)^{-2} dr^2 + r^2 d\Omega_2^2$$

$$\simeq -\lambda^2 dt^2 + \frac{M^2}{\lambda^2} d\lambda^2 + \frac{M^2 d\Omega_2^2}{S_2}$$

$$\underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_{\text{AdS}_2}$$

NH of extremal RN BHs $\simeq \text{AdS}_2 \times S^2$
(Bertotti - Robinson)



A Key result in AdS/CFT applications!

Can also introduce new radial coordinates

$$\rho = r - M$$

$$ds^2_{\text{Ext-RN}} = -H^{-2} dt^2 + H^2 (d\rho^2 + \rho^2 d\Omega_2^2)$$

$$H = 1 + \frac{M}{\rho} \quad \swarrow \text{special case}$$

$$ds^2 = -H(x)^{-2} dt^2 + H(x)^2 (dx^2 + dy^2 + dz^2)$$

$$\nabla^2 H = 0 \quad : \quad H = 1 + \sum_{i=1}^N \frac{M_i}{|x - x_i|}$$

↙
3d Laplacian

N-RN BH's of mass M_i , $|Q_i| = M_i$
at x_i .

"Multi center Black holes"

RN : \rightarrow stability of spacetime

\rightarrow weak gravity conjecture...