

# 安定な数値シミュレーションを行うためのEinstein方程式の定式化とその検証

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## Outline:

- 数値相対論に適したEinstein方程式の定式化が，さまざまに提案されてきたが，それらを統一的に理解する方法を提唱．
- 「時間発展と共に系が拘束面に漸近的に収束してゆく」発展システムが，既知の発展方程式に拘束条件を用いてLagrange乗数補正することに得られることを示す．
- アイデアの中核となるのは，拘束条件式の発展を事前に計算し，Fourierモードに直して，固有値解析を行うこと．
- これまでに広く使われているADMや，Nakamura et alの方程式が，更に良い安定性を持つことを，数値的に実証．

## Refs:

Ashtekar variables PRL **82** (1999) 263, PRD **60** (1999) 101502, IJMPD **9** (2000) 13,  
CQG **17** (2000) 4799, CQG **18** (2001) 441

ADM variables PRD **63** (2001) 120419, CQG **19** (2002) 1027

BSSN variables gr-qc/0204002 (PRD in print)

general gr-qc/0209106

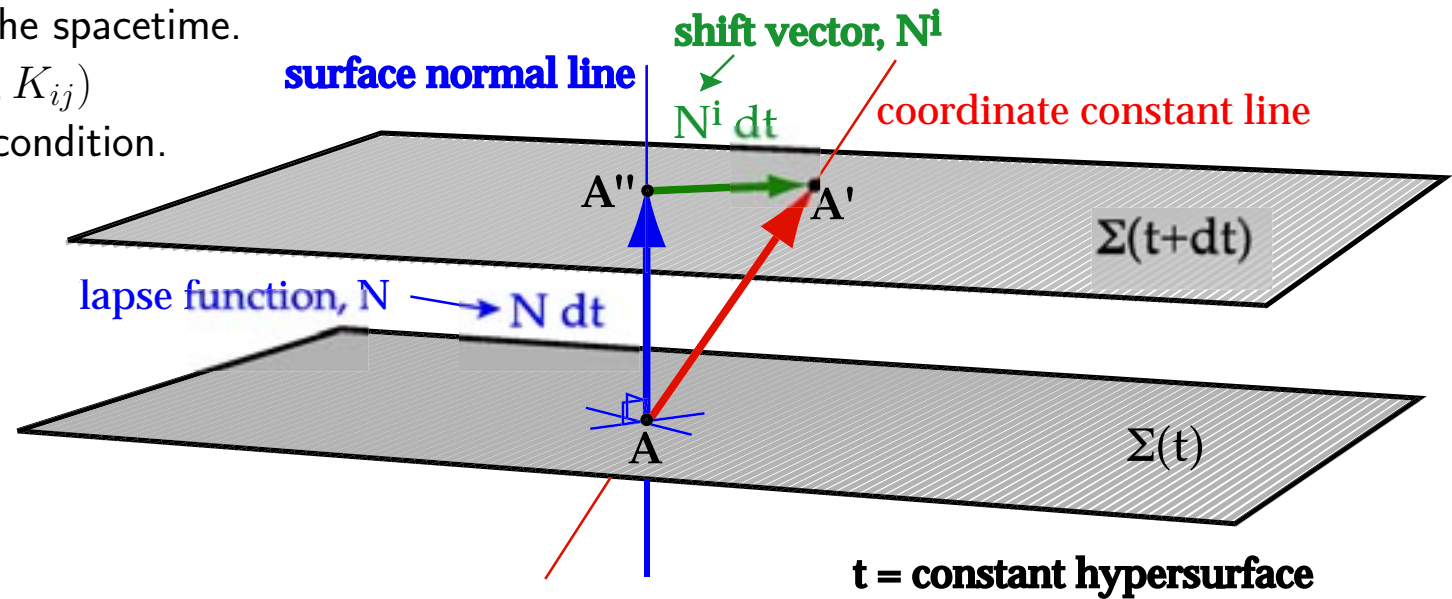
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strategy 0 The standard approach :: Arnowitt-Deser-Misner (ADM) formulation (1962)

3+1 decomposition of the spacetime.

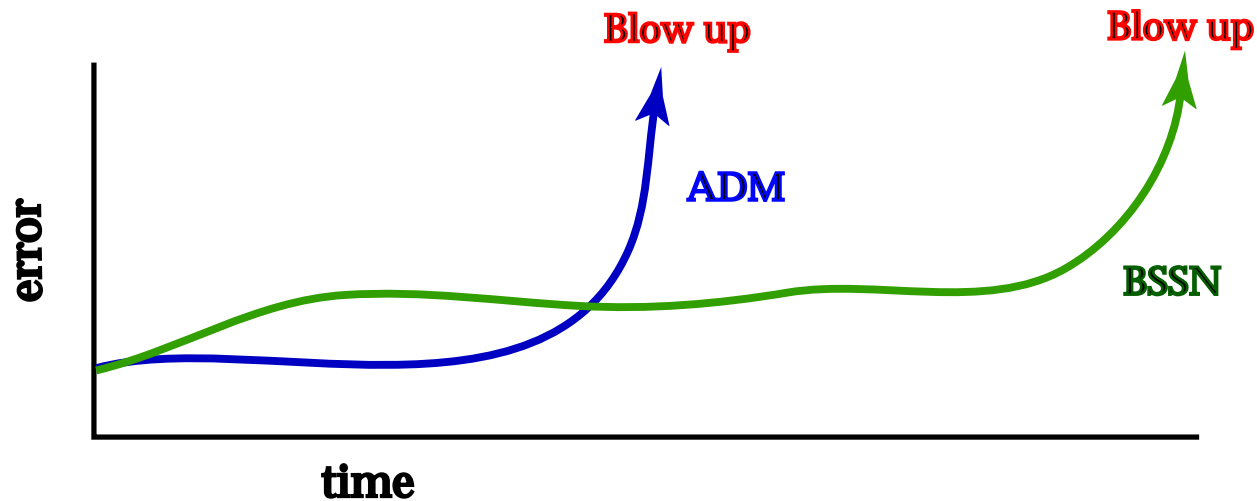
Evolve 12 variables  $(\gamma_{ij}, K_{ij})$   
with a choice of gauge condition.



|                | Maxwell eqs.   | ADM Einstein eq.   |
|----------------|--|--|
| constraints    | $\text{div } \mathbf{E} = 4\pi\rho$<br>$\text{div } \mathbf{B} = 0$  | ${}^{(3)}R + (\text{tr}K)^2 - K_{ij}K^{ij} = 2\kappa\rho_H + 2\Lambda$<br>$D_j K^j_i - D_i \text{tr}K = \kappa J_i$  |
| evolution eqs. | $\frac{1}{c}\partial_t \mathbf{E} = \text{rot } \mathbf{B} - \frac{4\pi}{c}\mathbf{j}$<br>$\frac{1}{c}\partial_t \mathbf{B} = -\text{rot } \mathbf{E}$ | $\partial_t \gamma_{ij} = -2NK_{ij} + D_j N_i + D_i N_j,$<br>$\partial_t K_{ij} = N({}^{(3)}R_{ij} + \text{tr}K K_{ij}) - 2NK_{il}K^l_j - D_i D_j N$<br>$+ (D_j N^m)K_{mi} + (D_i N^m)K_{mj} + N^m D_m K_{ij} - N\gamma_{ij}\Lambda$<br>$- \kappa\alpha\{S_{ij} + \frac{1}{2}\gamma_{ij}(\rho_H - \text{tr}S)\}$ |

Best formulation of the Einstein eqs. for long-term stable & accurate simulation?

Many (too many) trials and errors, not yet a definit recipe.



Mathematically equivalent formulations, but differ in its stability!

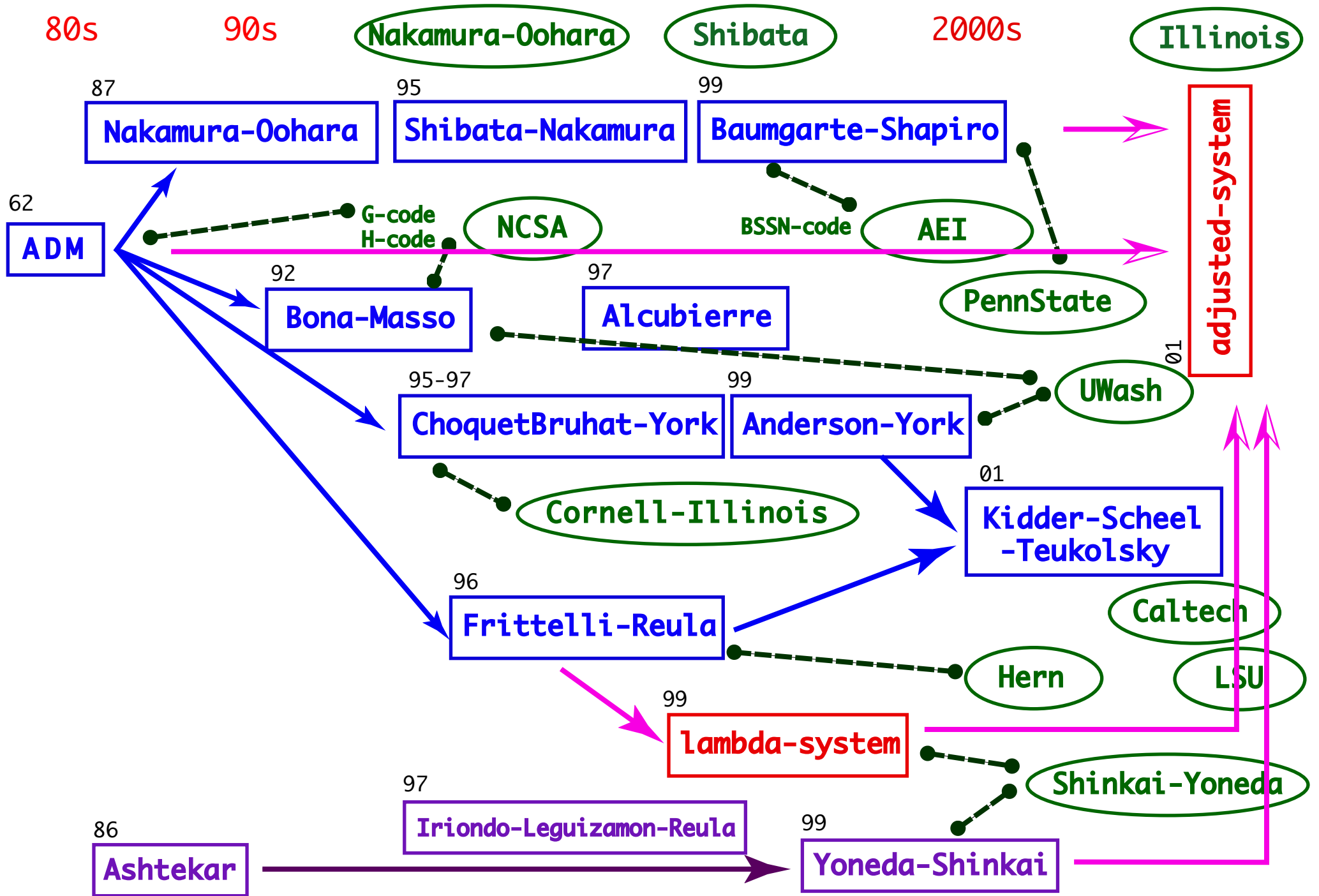
strategy 0: Arnowitt-Deser-Misner formulation

strategy 1: Shibata-Nakamura's (Baumgarte-Shapiro's) modifications to the standard ADM

strategy 2: Apply a formulation which reveals a hyperbolicity explicitly

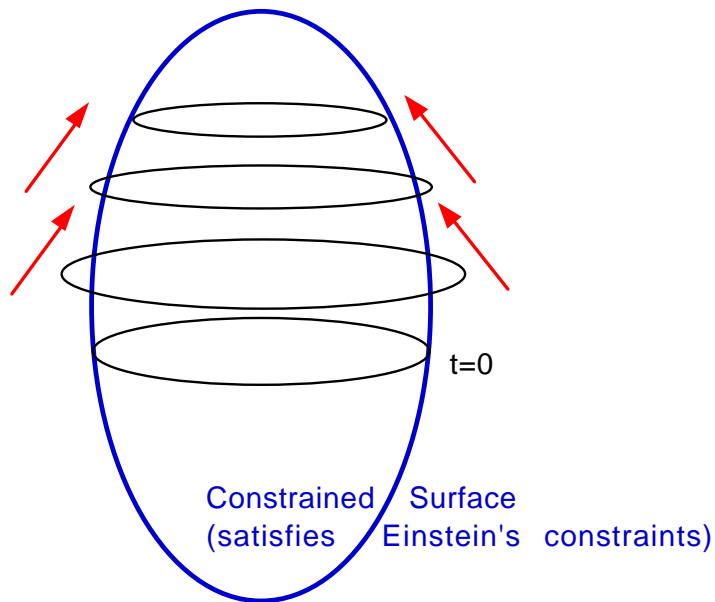
strategy 3: Formulate a system which is "asymptotically constrained" against a violation of constraints

By adding constraints in RHS, we can kill error-growing modes  
⇒ How can we understand the features systematically?



strategy 3 Formulate a system which is “asymptotically constrained” against a violation of constraints

**“Asymptotically Constrained System” – Constraint Surface as an Attractor**



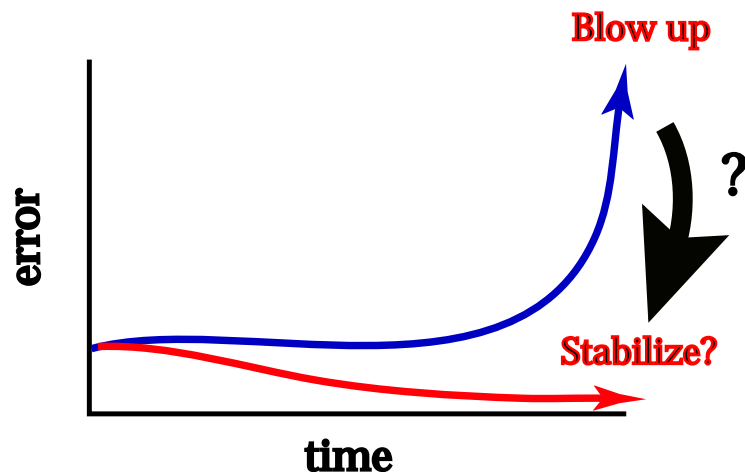
method 1:  $\lambda$ -system (Brodbeck et al, 2000)

- Add artificial force to reduce the violation of constraints
- To be guaranteed if we apply the idea to a symmetric hyperbolic system.

method 2: Adjusted system (Yoneda HS, 2000, 2001)

- We can control the violation of constraints by adjusting constraints to EoM.
- Eigenvalue analysis of constraint propagation equations may predict the violation of error.
- This idea is applicable even if the system is not symmetric hyperbolic.  $\Rightarrow$

for the ADM/BSSN formulation, too!!



## Idea of “Adjusted system” and Our Conjecture

CQG18 (2001) 441, PRD 63 (2001) 120419, CQG 19 (2002) 1027

### General Procedure

1. prepare a set of evolution eqs.  $\partial_t u^a = f(u^a, \partial_b u^a, \dots)$
2. add constraints in RHS  $\partial_t u^a = f(u^a, \partial_b u^a, \dots) + \underbrace{F(C^a, \partial_b C^a, \dots)}$
3. choose appropriate  $F(C^a, \partial_b C^a, \dots)$  to make the system stable evolution

### How to specify $F(C^a, \partial_b C^a, \dots)$ ?

4. prepare constraint propagation eqs.  $\partial_t C^a = g(C^a, \partial_b C^a, \dots)$
5. and its adjusted version  $\partial_t C^a = g(C^a, \partial_b C^a, \dots) + \underbrace{G(C^a, \partial_b C^a, \dots)}$
6. Fourier transform and evaluate eigenvalues  $\partial_t \hat{C}^k = \underbrace{A(\hat{C}^a)}_{\text{matrix}} \hat{C}^k$

**Conjecture:** Evaluate eigenvalues of (Fourier-transformed) constraint propagation eqs.  
If their (1) real part is non-positive, or (2) imaginary part is non-zero, then the system is more stable.

## Example: the Maxwell equations

Yoneda HS, CQG 18 (2001) 441

Maxwell evolution equations.

$$\begin{aligned} \partial_t E_i &= c\epsilon_i^{jk} \partial_j B_k + P_i C_E + Q_i C_B, \\ \partial_t B_i &= -c\epsilon_i^{jk} \partial_j E_k + R_i C_E + S_i C_B, \\ C_E &= \partial_i E^i \approx 0, \quad C_B = \partial_i B^i \approx 0, \end{aligned} \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{sym. hyp} \quad \Leftrightarrow P_i = Q_i = R_i = S_i = 0, \\ \text{strongly hyp} \quad \Leftrightarrow (P_i - S_i)^2 + 4R_i Q_i > 0, \\ \text{weakly hyp} \quad \Leftrightarrow (P_i - S_i)^2 + 4R_i Q_i \geq 0 \end{array} \right.$$

Constraint propagation equations

$$\begin{aligned} \partial_t C_E &= (\partial_i P^i) C_E + P^i (\partial_i C_E) + (\partial_i Q^i) C_B + Q^i (\partial_i C_B), \\ \partial_t C_B &= (\partial_i R^i) C_E + R^i (\partial_i C_E) + (\partial_i S^i) C_B + S^i (\partial_i C_B), \end{aligned} \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{sym. hyp} \quad \Leftrightarrow Q_i = R_i, \\ \text{strongly hyp} \quad \Leftrightarrow (P_i - S_i)^2 + 4R_i Q_i > 0, \\ \text{weakly hyp} \quad \Leftrightarrow (P_i - S_i)^2 + 4R_i Q_i \geq 0 \end{array} \right.$$

CAFs?

$$\begin{aligned} \partial_t \begin{pmatrix} \hat{C}_E \\ \hat{C}_B \end{pmatrix} &= \begin{pmatrix} \partial_i P^i + P^i k_i & \partial_i Q^i + Q^i k_i \\ \partial_i R^i + R^i k_i & \partial_i S^i + S^i k_i \end{pmatrix} \partial_t \begin{pmatrix} \hat{C}_E \\ \hat{C}_B \end{pmatrix} \approx \begin{pmatrix} P^i k_i & Q^i k_i \\ R^i k_i & S^i k_i \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \hat{C}_E \\ \hat{C}_B \end{pmatrix} =: T \begin{pmatrix} \hat{C}_E \\ \hat{C}_B \end{pmatrix} \\ \Rightarrow \text{CAFs} &= (P^i k_i + S^i k_i \pm \sqrt{(P^i k_i + S^i k_i)^2 + 4(Q^i k_i R^j k_j - P^i k_i S^j k_j)})/2 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore CAFs become negative-real when

$$P^i k_i + S^i k_i < 0, \quad \text{and} \quad Q^i k_i R^j k_j - P^i k_i S^j k_j < 0$$

## **HS original GR code** (2002/October)

Use the Cactus-code base structure (<http://cactuscode.org>)

- parallelize, parameter control, I/O, PUGH, elliptic solvers, ...
- original module for all GR part (initial data/ADMevolution)

`Cactus/arrangements/GR/`

## **PC cluster with 4** (2002/September)

Pentium 4, 2.53GHz, 2GB each, 80 GHD each, gigabit ether

- about  $1.2 \times 10^6$  yen for total parts
- TurboLinux 7, Intel Fortran compiler, MPICH, ... all free
- possible up to  $120^3$  grid full GR simulation

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### 3 Adjusted ADM systems

We adjust the standard ADM system using constraints as:

$$\partial_t \gamma_{ij} = -2\alpha K_{ij} + \nabla_i \beta_j + \nabla_j \beta_i, \quad (1)$$

$$+ P_{ij} \mathcal{H} + Q^k_{ij} \mathcal{M}_k + p^k_{ij} (\nabla_k \mathcal{H}) + q^{kl}_{ij} (\nabla_k \mathcal{M}_l), \quad (2)$$

$$\partial_t K_{ij} = \alpha R_{ij}^{(3)} + \alpha K K_{ij} - 2\alpha K_{ik} K^k_j - \nabla_i \nabla_j \alpha + (\nabla_i \beta^k) K_{kj} + (\nabla_j \beta^k) K_{ki} + \beta^k \nabla_k K_{ij} \quad (3)$$

$$+ R_{ij} \mathcal{H} + S^k_{ij} \mathcal{M}_k + r^k_{ij} (\nabla_k \mathcal{H}) + s^{kl}_{ij} (\nabla_k \mathcal{M}_l), \quad (4)$$

with constraint equations

$$\mathcal{H} := R^{(3)} + K^2 - K_{ij} K^{ij}, \quad (5)$$

$$\mathcal{M}_i := \nabla_j K^j_i - \nabla_i K. \quad (6)$$

We can write the adjusted constraint propagation equations as

$$\partial_t \mathcal{H} = (\text{original terms}) + H_1^{mn} [(2)] + H_2^{imn} \partial_i [(2)] + H_3^{ijmn} \partial_i \partial_j [(2)] + H_4^{mn} [(4)], \quad (7)$$

$$\partial_t \mathcal{M}_i = (\text{original terms}) + M_{1i}{}^{mn} [(2)] + M_{2i}{}^{jmn} \partial_j [(2)] + M_{3i}{}^{mn} [(4)] + M_{4i}{}^{jmn} \partial_j [(4)]. \quad (8)$$

## Example 1: standard ADM vs original ADM (in Schwarzschild coordinate)

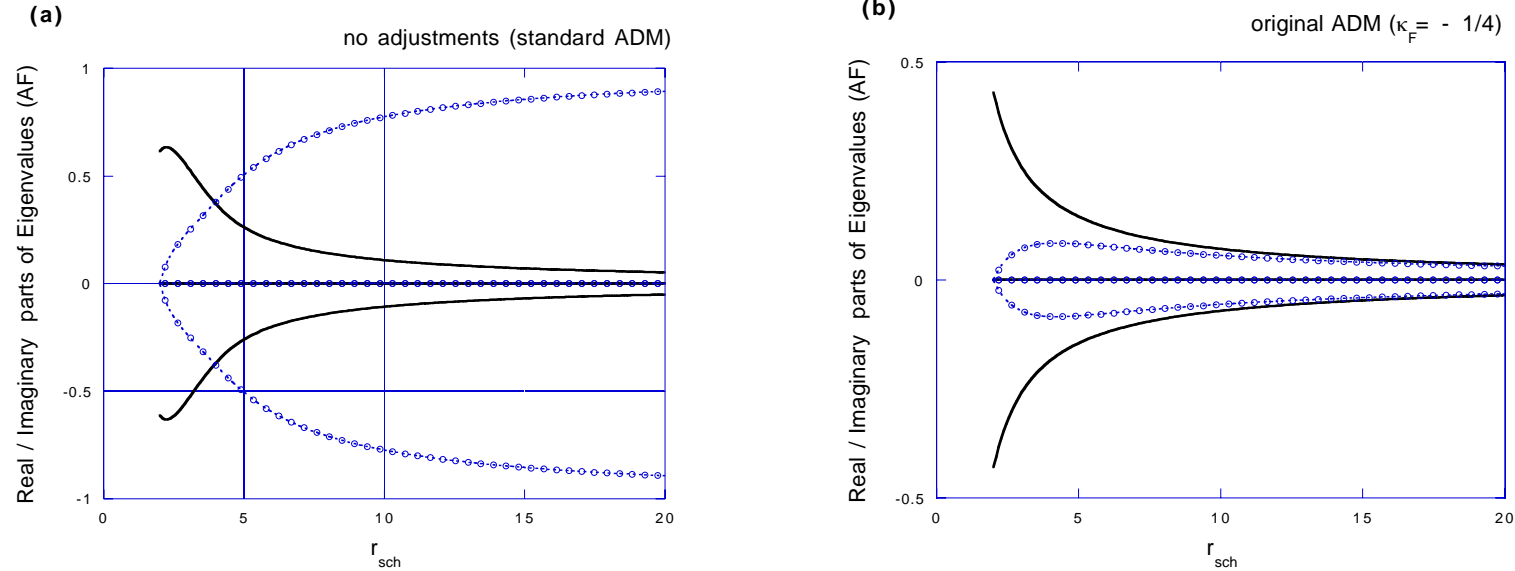


Figure 1: Amplification factors (AFs, eigenvalues of homogenized constraint propagation equations) are shown for the standard Schwarzschild coordinate, with (a) no adjustments, i.e., standard ADM, (b) original ADM ( $\kappa_F = -1/4$ ). The solid lines and the dotted lines with circles are real parts and imaginary parts, respectively. They are four lines each, but actually the two eigenvalues are zero for all cases. Plotting range is  $2 < r \leq 20$  using Schwarzschild radial coordinate. We set  $k = 1, l = 2$ , and  $m = 2$  throughout the article.

$$\begin{aligned} \partial_t \gamma_{ij} &= -2\alpha K_{ij} + \nabla_i \beta_j + \nabla_j \beta_i, \\ \partial_t K_{ij} &= \alpha R_{ij}^{(3)} + \alpha K K_{ij} - 2\alpha K_{ik} K^k_j - \nabla_i \nabla_j \alpha + (\nabla_i \beta^k) K_{kj} + (\nabla_j \beta^k) K_{ki} + \beta^k \nabla_k K_{ij} + \kappa_F \alpha \gamma_{ij} \mathcal{H}, \end{aligned}$$

## Example 2: Detweiler-type adjusted (in Schwarzschild coord.)

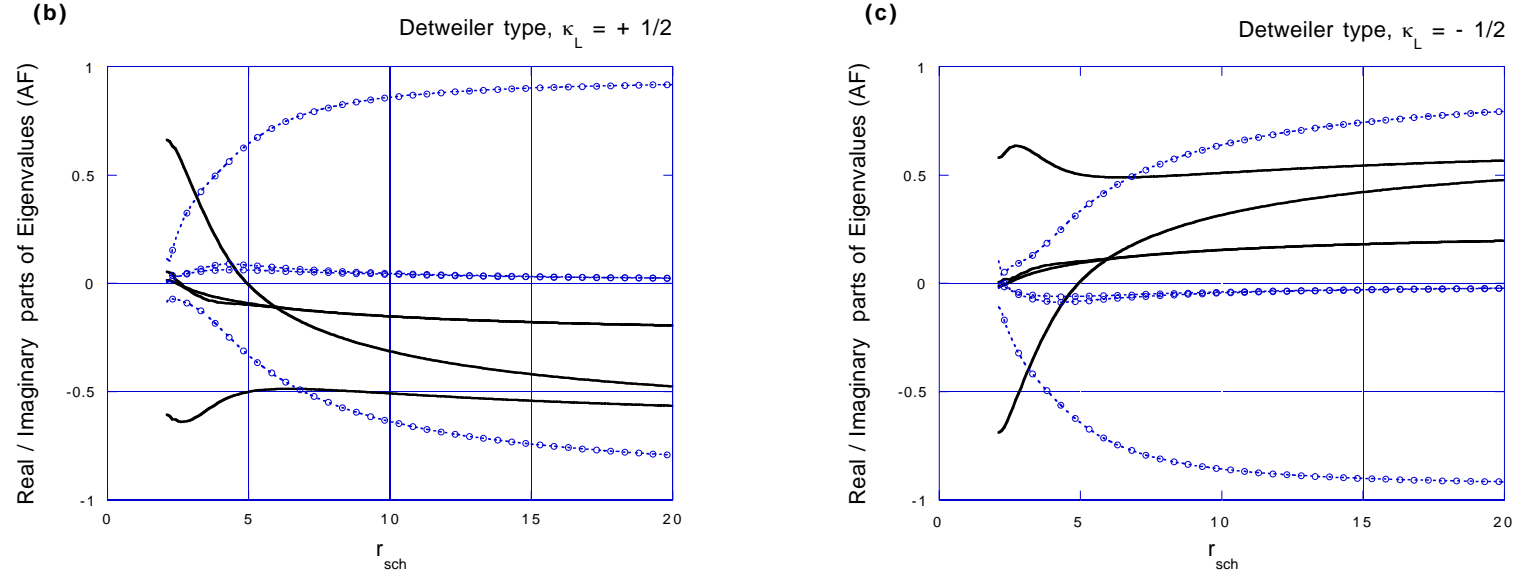


Figure 2: Amplification factors of the standard Schwarzschild coordinate, with Detweiler type adjustments. Multipliers used in the plot are (b)  $\kappa_L = +1/2$ , and (c)  $\kappa_L = -1/2$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \partial_t \gamma_{ij} &= (\text{original terms}) + P_{ij} \mathcal{H}, \\ \partial_t K_{ij} &= (\text{original terms}) + R_{ij} \mathcal{H} + S^k{}_{ij} \mathcal{M}_k + s^{kl}{}_{ij} (\nabla_k \mathcal{M}_l), \\ \text{where } P_{ij} &= -\kappa_L \alpha^3 \gamma_{ij}, \quad R_{ij} = \kappa_L \alpha^3 (K_{ij} - (1/3) K \gamma_{ij}), \\ S^k{}_{ij} &= \kappa_L \alpha^2 [3(\partial_{(i} \alpha) \delta_{j)}^k - (\partial_l \alpha) \gamma_{ij} \gamma^{kl}], \quad s^{kl}{}_{ij} = \kappa_L \alpha^3 [\delta_{(i}^k \delta_{j)}^l - (1/3) \gamma_{ij} \gamma^{kl}], \end{aligned}$$

## Comparisons of Adjusted ADM systems (Teukolsky wave)

3-dim, harmonic slice, periodic BC

HS original Cactus/GR code

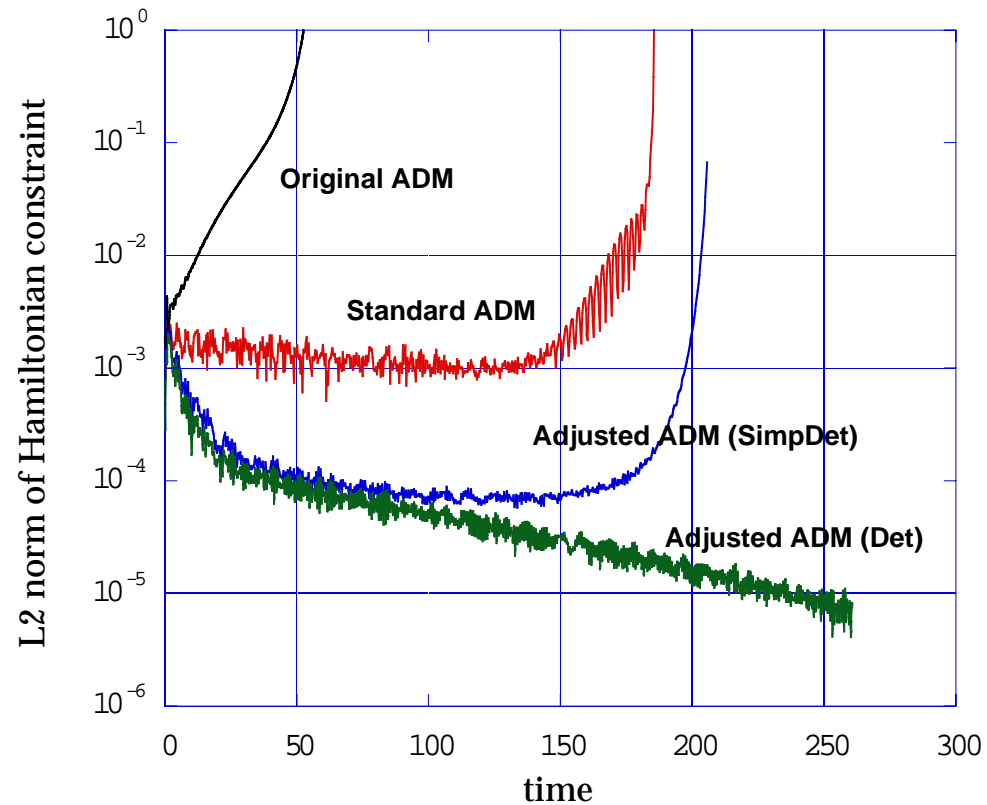


Figure 1: Violation of Hamiltonian constraints versus time: Adjusted ADM systems applied for Teukolsky wave initial data evolution with harmonic slicing, and with periodic boundary condition. Cactus/GR/evolveADMcode code was used. Grid =  $24^3$ ,  $\Delta x = 0.25$ , iterative Crank-Nicholson method.

## strategy 1 Shibata-Nakamura's (Baumgarte-Shapiro's) modifications to the standard ADM

- define new variables  $(\phi, \tilde{\gamma}_{ij}, K, \tilde{A}_{ij}, \tilde{\Gamma}^i)$ , instead of the ADM's  $(\gamma_{ij}, K_{ij})$  where

$$\tilde{\gamma}_{ij} \equiv e^{-4\phi} \gamma_{ij}, \quad \tilde{A}_{ij} \equiv e^{-4\phi} (K_{ij} - (1/3)\gamma_{ij}K), \quad \tilde{\Gamma}^i \equiv \tilde{\Gamma}_{jk}^i \tilde{\gamma}^{jk},$$

use momentum constraint in  $\Gamma^i$ -eq., and impose  $\det \tilde{\gamma}_{ij} = 1$  during the evolutions.

- The set of evolution equations become

$$\begin{aligned} (\partial_t - \mathcal{L}_\beta)\phi &= -(1/6)\alpha K, \\ (\partial_t - \mathcal{L}_\beta)\tilde{\gamma}_{ij} &= -2\alpha \tilde{A}_{ij}, \\ (\partial_t - \mathcal{L}_\beta)K &= \alpha \tilde{A}_{ij} \tilde{A}^{ij} + (1/3)\alpha K^2 - \gamma^{ij}(\nabla_i \nabla_j \alpha), \\ (\partial_t - \mathcal{L}_\beta)\tilde{A}_{ij} &= -e^{-4\phi}(\nabla_i \nabla_j \alpha)^{TF} + e^{-4\phi} \alpha R_{ij}^{(3)} - e^{-4\phi} \alpha (1/3)\gamma_{ij} R^{(3)} + \alpha(K \tilde{A}_{ij} - 2\tilde{A}_{ik} \tilde{A}^k_j) \\ \partial_t \tilde{\Gamma}^i &= -2(\partial_j \alpha) \tilde{A}^{ij} - (4/3)\alpha(\partial_j K) \tilde{\gamma}^{ij} + 12\alpha \tilde{A}^{ji}(\partial_j \phi) - 2\alpha \tilde{A}_k^j(\partial_j \tilde{\gamma}^{ik}) - 2\alpha \tilde{\Gamma}_{lj}^k \tilde{A}^j_k \tilde{\gamma}^{il} \\ &\quad - \partial_j (\beta^k \partial_k \tilde{\gamma}^{ij} - \tilde{\gamma}^{kj}(\partial_k \beta^i) - \tilde{\gamma}^{ki}(\partial_k \beta^j) + (2/3)\tilde{\gamma}^{ij}(\partial_k \beta^k)) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} R_{ij} &= \partial_k \Gamma_{ij}^k - \partial_i \Gamma_{kj}^k + \Gamma_{ij}^m \Gamma_{mk}^k - \Gamma_{kj}^m \Gamma_{mi}^k =: \tilde{R}_{ij} + R_{ij}^\phi \\ R_{ij}^\phi &= -2\tilde{D}_i \tilde{D}_j \phi - 2\tilde{g}_{ij} \tilde{D}^l \tilde{D}_l \phi + 4(\tilde{D}_i \phi)(\tilde{D}_j \phi) - 4\tilde{g}_{ij}(\tilde{D}^l \phi)(\tilde{D}_l \phi) \\ \tilde{R}_{ij} &= -(1/2)\tilde{g}^{lm} \partial_{lm} \tilde{g}_{ij} + \tilde{g}_{k(i} \partial_{j)} \tilde{\Gamma}^k + \tilde{\Gamma}^k \tilde{\Gamma}_{(ij)k} + 2\tilde{g}^{lm} \tilde{\Gamma}_{l(i} \tilde{\Gamma}_{j)km} + \tilde{g}^{lm} \tilde{\Gamma}_{im}^k \tilde{\Gamma}_{klj} \end{aligned}$$

- No explicit explanations why this formulation works better.

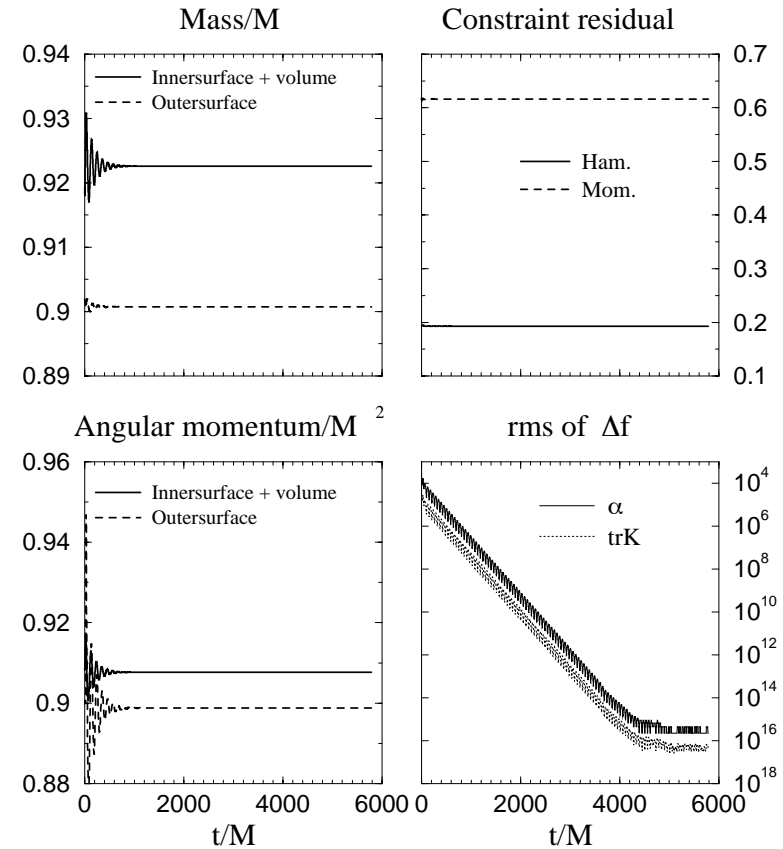
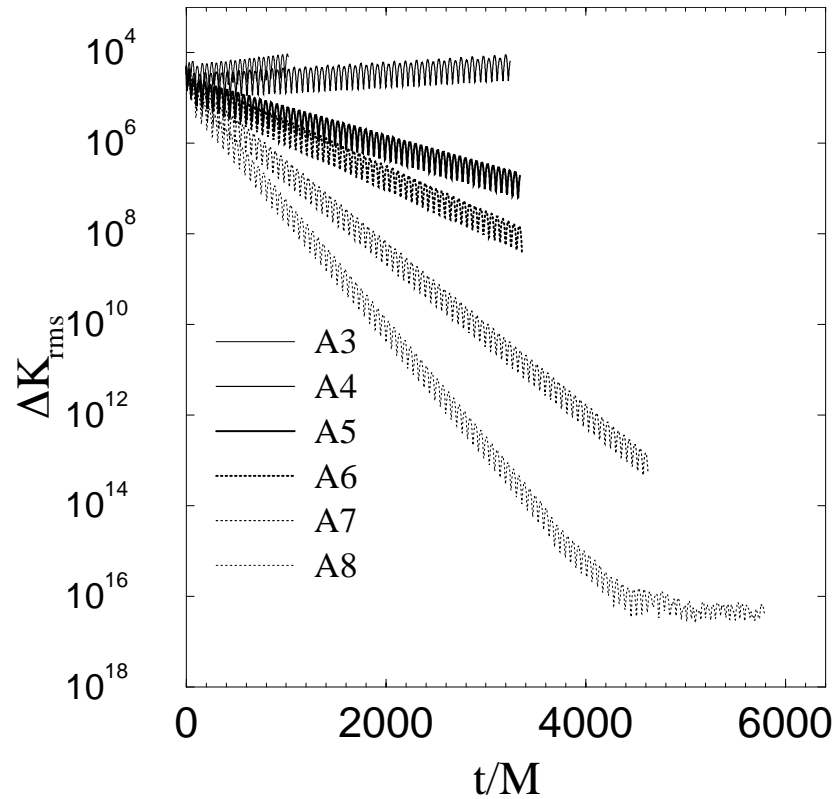
AEI group (2000): the replacement by momentum constraint is essential.

## Constraint Amplification Factors with each adjustment

| adjustment  | CAFs  | diag? | effect of the adjustment  |
|---|---|-------|---|
| $\partial_t \phi$ $\kappa_{\phi\mathcal{H}} \alpha \mathcal{H}$   | $(0, 0, \pm\sqrt{-k^2}(*3), 8\kappa_{\phi\mathcal{H}}k^2)$  | no    | $\kappa_{\phi\mathcal{H}} < 0$ makes 1 Neg.   |
| $\partial_t \phi$ $\kappa_{\phi\mathcal{G}} \alpha \tilde{D}_k \mathcal{G}^k$   | $(0, 0, \pm\sqrt{-k^2}(*2), \text{long expressions})$   | yes   | $\kappa_{\phi\mathcal{G}} < 0$ makes 2 Neg. 1 Pos.  |
| $\partial_t \tilde{\gamma}_{ij}$ $\kappa_{SD} \alpha \tilde{\gamma}_{ij} \mathcal{H}$                                 | $(0, 0, \pm\sqrt{-k^2}(*3), (3/2)\kappa_{SD}k^2)$   | yes   | $\kappa_{SD} < 0$ makes 1 Neg. <span style="color: red;">Case (B)</span>                        |
| $\partial_t \tilde{\gamma}_{ij}$ $\kappa_{\tilde{\gamma}G1} \alpha \tilde{\gamma}_{ij} \tilde{D}_k \mathcal{G}^k$     | $(0, 0, \pm\sqrt{-k^2}(*2), \text{long expressions})$   | yes   | $\kappa_{\tilde{\gamma}G1} > 0$ makes 1 Neg.  |
| $\partial_t \tilde{\gamma}_{ij}$ $\kappa_{\tilde{\gamma}G2} \alpha \tilde{\gamma}_{k(i} \tilde{D}_{j)} \mathcal{G}^k$ | $(0, 0, (1/4)k^2 \kappa_{\tilde{\gamma}G2} \pm \sqrt{k^2(-1 + k^2 \kappa_{\tilde{\gamma}G2}/16)}(*2), \text{long expressions})$ | yes   | $\kappa_{\tilde{\gamma}G2} < 0$ makes 6 Neg. 1 Pos. <span style="color: blue;">Case (E1)</span> |
| $\partial_t \tilde{\gamma}_{ij}$ $\kappa_{\tilde{\gamma}S1} \alpha \tilde{\gamma}_{ij} \mathcal{S}$                   | $(0, 0, \pm\sqrt{-k^2}(*3), 3\kappa_{\tilde{\gamma}S1})$  | no    | $\kappa_{\tilde{\gamma}S1} < 0$ makes 1 Neg.  |
| $\partial_t \tilde{\gamma}_{ij}$ $\kappa_{\tilde{\gamma}S2} \alpha \tilde{D}_i \tilde{D}_j \mathcal{S}$               | $(0, 0, \pm\sqrt{-k^2}(*3), -\kappa_{\tilde{\gamma}S2}k^2)$   | no    | $\kappa_{\tilde{\gamma}S2} > 0$ makes 1 Neg.  |
| $\partial_t K$ $\kappa_{KM} \alpha \tilde{\gamma}^{jk} (\tilde{D}_j \mathcal{M}_k)$                                   | $(0, 0, 0, \pm\sqrt{-k^2}(*2), (1/3)\kappa_{KM}k^2 \pm (1/3)\sqrt{k^2(-9 + k^2 \kappa_{KM}^2)})$                                | no    | $\kappa_{KM} < 0$ makes 2 Neg.  |
| $\partial_t \tilde{A}_{ij}$ $\kappa_{AM1} \alpha \tilde{\gamma}_{ij} (\tilde{D}^k \mathcal{M}_k)$                     | $(0, 0, \pm\sqrt{-k^2}(*3), -\kappa_{AM1}k^2)$  | yes   | $\kappa_{AM1} > 0$ makes 1 Neg.   |
| $\partial_t \tilde{A}_{ij}$ $\kappa_{AM2} \alpha (\tilde{D}_{(i} \mathcal{M}_{j)})$                                   | $(0, 0, -k^2 \kappa_{AM2}/4 \pm \sqrt{k^2(-1 + k^2 \kappa_{AM2}/16)}(*2), \text{long expressions})$                             | yes   | $\kappa_{AM2} > 0$ makes 7 Neg. <span style="color: blue;">Case (D)</span>                      |
| $\partial_t \tilde{A}_{ij}$ $\kappa_{AA1} \alpha \tilde{\gamma}_{ij} \mathcal{A}$                                     | $(0, 0, \pm\sqrt{-k^2}(*3), 3\kappa_{AA1})$   | yes   | $\kappa_{AA1} < 0$ makes 1 Neg.   |
| $\partial_t \tilde{A}_{ij}$ $\kappa_{AA2} \alpha \tilde{D}_i \tilde{D}_j \mathcal{A}$                                 | $(0, 0, \pm\sqrt{-k^2}(*3), -\kappa_{AA2}k^2)$  | yes   | $\kappa_{AA2} > 0$ makes 1 Neg.   |
| $\partial_t \tilde{\Gamma}^i$ $\kappa_{\tilde{\Gamma}\mathcal{H}} \alpha \tilde{D}^i \mathcal{H}$                     | $(0, 0, \pm\sqrt{-k^2}(*3), -\kappa_{AA2}k^2)$  | no    | $\kappa_{\tilde{\Gamma}\mathcal{H}} > 0$ makes 1 Neg.   |
| $\partial_t \tilde{\Gamma}^i$ $\kappa_{\tilde{\Gamma}G1} \alpha \mathcal{G}^i$  | $(0, 0, (1/2)\kappa_{\tilde{\Gamma}G1} \pm \sqrt{-k^2 + \kappa_{\tilde{\Gamma}G1}^2}(*2), \text{long.})$                        | yes   | $\kappa_{\tilde{\Gamma}G1} < 0$ makes 6 Neg. 1 Pos. <span style="color: blue;">Case (E2)</span> |
| $\partial_t \tilde{\Gamma}^i$ $\kappa_{\tilde{\Gamma}G2} \alpha \tilde{D}^j \tilde{D}_j \mathcal{G}^i$                | $(0, 0, -(1/2)\kappa_{\tilde{\Gamma}G2} \pm \sqrt{-k^2 + \kappa_{\tilde{\Gamma}G2}^2}(*2), \text{long.})$                       | yes   | $\kappa_{\tilde{\Gamma}G2} > 0$ makes 2 Neg. 1 Pos.   |
| $\partial_t \tilde{\Gamma}^i$ $\kappa_{\tilde{\Gamma}G3} \alpha \tilde{D}^i \tilde{D}_j \mathcal{G}^j$                | $(0, 0, -(1/2)\kappa_{\tilde{\Gamma}G3} \pm \sqrt{-k^2 + \kappa_{\tilde{\Gamma}G3}^2}(*2), \text{long.})$                       | yes   | $\kappa_{\tilde{\Gamma}G3} > 0$ makes 2 Neg. 1 Pos.   |

# An Evolution of Adjusted BSSN Formulation

by Yo-Baumgarte-Shapiro, PRD 66 (2002) 084026



Kerr-Schild BH (0.9 J/M), excision with cube, 1 + log-lapse,  $\Gamma$ -driver shift.

$$\partial_t \tilde{\Gamma}^i = (\dots) + \frac{2}{3} \tilde{\Gamma}^i \beta^i{}_{,j} - \left( \chi + \frac{2}{3} \right) \mathcal{G}^i \beta^j{}_{,j}$$

$$\chi = 2/3 \quad \text{for (A4)-(A8)}$$

$$\partial_t \tilde{\gamma}_{ij} = (\dots) - \kappa \alpha \tilde{\gamma}_{ij} \mathcal{H}$$

$$\kappa = 0.1 \sim 0.2 \quad \text{for (A5), (A6) and (A8)}$$

## Summary

### Towards a stable and accurate formulation for numerical relativity

- Several reports say numerical stabilities depend on the formulations to apply, although they are mathematically equivalent.
- status = chaotic, many trials and errors  
We tried to understand the background in an unified way.
- Our proposal = “Evaluate eigenvalues of constraint propagation eqns”  
We give satisfactory conditions for stable evolutions.  
Fourier transformation allows to discuss lower-order terms.
- Our Observation = “Stability will change by adding constraints in RHS”  
We named “Adjusted System”.  
Numerically confirmed in the Maxwell system and Ashtekar system.
- Our Observation 2= The idea works even for the ADM formulation  
We explain the effective parameter range of Detweiler’s system (1987).  
We proposed variety of adjustments. Several numerical confirmations.
- Our Observation 3= The idea works also for the BSSN formulation  
We explain why adjusting momentum constraints improves the stability.  
We proposed variety of adjustments. Several numerical confirmations.

Evaluation of CAFs may be an alternative guideline to hyperbolization of the system.