

UV Finite Approach to Quantum Gravity

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Introduction

- New approach to quantum gravity
- Based on resummation of Feynman graphs
- See papers by BFLW, S. Jadach et al.: hep-ph/0503189; JCAP 0402(2004)011; MPL A19(2004)143; A17 (2002)2371; CPC 130(2000)260; and references therein

Topics of Discussion

- Preliminaries
- Review of Feynman's Formulation of Einstein's Theory
- Resummed Quantum Gravity
- Massive Elementary Particles and Black Holes: Hawking Radiation to Planck Scale Remnants
- Conclusions

Preliminaries

- Newton's Law: Most Basic – Taught To All Beginning Students
- Albert Einstein: Special Case of Classical General Relativity

$$g_{00} = 1 + 2\phi \Rightarrow \nabla^2 \phi = 4\pi G_N \rho$$

from

$$R^{\alpha\gamma} - \frac{1}{2} g^{\alpha\gamma} R = -8\pi G_N T^{\alpha\gamma}$$

Quantum Mechanics

- Heisenberg & Schrödinger, following Bohr
- Tremendous progress: Quantum Field Theory, Superstrings, Loop Quantum Gravity, etc.
- **NO SATISFACTORY QUANTUM TREATMENT OF NEWTON'S LAW IS KNOWN TO BE PHENOMENOLOGICALLY CORRECT**

Today's Talk

- New Approach: Building on work by Feynman (*Acta Phys. Pol.* 24(1963)697; *Feynman Lectures on Gravitation*, eds. Moringo and Wagner, 1971)
- BASIC IDEA: QG is a point particle field theory – Bad UV due to our NAIIVETE.
- Union of Bohr & Einstein Possible

Four Approaches to QG

Weinberg (in *Gen. Rel.*, p.790)

- Extended Theories: Susy – Superstrings; Loop QG, etc.
- Resummation \Leftarrow Today's Talk – New Version
- Composite Gravitons
- Asymptotic Safety: Fixed Pt. Theory (See Lautscher & Reuter ;Bonnanno & Reuter, hep-th/0205062, PRD62(2000)043008; I. Shapiro et al., JCAP0501(2005)012; D.Litim,PRL92(2004)201301; Percaci&Perini,PRD68(2003)044018, and refs. therein)

BASIC STRATEGY:

- INSIDE FEYNMAN LOOP INTEGRAL – LARGE CONTRIBUTION REGIMES
 1. ULTRA-VIOLET (UV)
 2. INFRARED (IR)
 3. COLLINEAR (CL)
- RESUM IR
 1. UV \Leftrightarrow RENORMALIZATION
 2. CL \Leftrightarrow BOTH ABELIAN & NON-ABELIAN -- LL
 3. IR \Leftrightarrow DOMINANT TERMS RESUMMABLE

New Approach: Resummed QG

- Resummation Cures QG BAD UV
 - Consequences & Tests:
 - (1) Quantum corrections to Newton's Law
 - (2) SM pt. particle of mass $m \neq 0 \Rightarrow r_s = 2(m/M_{Pl})^2 \Rightarrow$ Black Hole in Einstein's classical theory – is this true in QG?
 - (3) Fate of Hawking Radiation for a Massive Classical Black Hole – Planck Scale Remnants?
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Review of Feynman's Formulation of Einstein's Theory

■ Known world,

$$\mathcal{L}(\mathbf{x}) = -\frac{1}{2\kappa^2} \sqrt{-g} R + \sqrt{-g} L_{SM}^G$$

- R is the curvature scalar
- $-g = -\det g_{\mu\nu}$
- $\kappa = \sqrt{8\pi G_N} \equiv \sqrt{8\pi / M_{Pl}^2}$
- SM Lagrangian density = L_{SM}^G

One gets L_{SM}^G from usual L_{SM} as follows:

- $\partial_\mu \phi$ generally covariant for scalars
- $\partial_\mu A_\nu^J - \partial_\nu A_\mu^J$ generally covariant for vectors and these are all derivatives of vectors we have in SM.
- For fermions, use standard differentiable structure approach.

$L_{SM}^G \Rightarrow L_{SM}^G(\text{scalar})$, show relevant dynamics.

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathcal{L}(x) &= -\frac{1}{2\kappa^2} R\sqrt{-g} + \frac{1}{2} (g^{\mu\nu} \partial_\mu \varphi \partial_\nu \varphi - m_0^2 \varphi^2) \sqrt{-g} \\
&= \frac{1}{2} \left\{ h^{\mu\nu,\lambda} \bar{h}_{\mu\nu,\lambda} - 2\eta^{\mu\mu'} \eta^{\lambda\lambda'} \bar{h}_{\mu\lambda,\lambda'} \eta^{\sigma\sigma'} \bar{h}_{\mu'\sigma,\sigma'} \right\} \\
&\quad + \frac{1}{2} \left\{ \varphi_{,\mu} \varphi^{,\mu} - m_0^2 \varphi^2 \right\} - \kappa h^{\mu\nu} \left[\varphi_{,\mu} \varphi_{,\nu} + \frac{1}{2} m_0^2 \varphi^2 \eta_{\mu\nu} \right] \\
&\quad - \kappa^2 \left[\frac{1}{2} h_{\lambda\rho} \bar{h}^{\rho\lambda} (\varphi_{,\mu} \varphi^{,\mu} - m_0^2 \varphi^2) - 2\eta_{\rho\rho'} h^{\mu\rho} \bar{h}^{\rho'\nu} \varphi_{,\mu} \varphi_{,\nu} \right] + \dots
\end{aligned} \tag{2}$$

where $\varphi_{,\mu} \equiv \partial_\mu \varphi$ and we have

- $g_{\mu\nu}(x) = \eta_{\mu\nu} + 2\kappa\hbar_{\mu\nu}(x),$
 $\eta_{\mu\nu} = \text{diag}\{1, -1, -1, -1\}$

- $\bar{y}_{\mu\nu} \equiv \frac{1}{2} (y_{\mu\nu} + y_{\nu\mu} - \eta_{\mu\nu} y_\rho{}^\rho)$ for any tensor $y_{\mu\nu}$

- Feynman rules already worked-out by Feynman (*op. cit.*), where we use his gauge, $\partial^\mu \bar{h}_{\nu\mu} = 0$

⇔ Quantum Gravity is just another quantum field theory where the metric now has quantum fluctuations as well.

For example, the one-loop corrections to the graviton propagator due to matter loops is just given by the diagrams in Fig. 1.

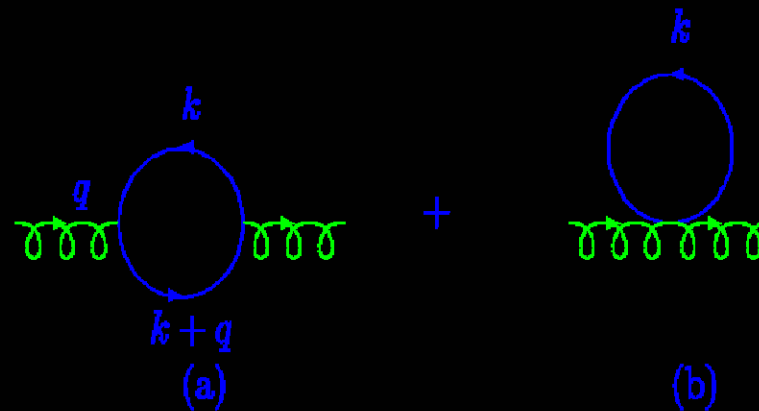


Figure 1: The scalar one-loop contribution to the graviton propagator. q is the 4-momentum of the graviton.

These graphs already illustrate the QG's BAD UV behavior.

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UV DIVERGENCE DEGREES

- (a) AND (b) HAVE SUPERFICIAL $D = +4$
- AFTER TAKING GAUGE INVARIANCE INTO ACCOUNT, WE STILL EXPECT $D_{eff} \geq 0$
- HIGHER LOOPS GIVE HIGHER VALUES OF D_{eff}
- CONCLUSION: QG IS NONRENORMALIZABLE

WE SHOW THESE ESTIMATES EXPLICITLY SHORTLY.

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PHYSICAL EFFECT

DEEP UV EUCLIDEAN REGIME OF FEYNMAN INTEGRAL

- GRAVITATIONAL FORCE IS ATTRACTIVE AND \propto TO MASS²
- DEEP UV EUCLIDEAN REGIME \Leftrightarrow LARGE NEGATIVE MASS²
- IN THIS REGIME, GRAVITY IS REPULSIVE
- PROPAGATION BETWEEN TWO DEEP EUCLIDEAN POINTS SEVERELY SUPPRESSED IN EXACT SOLUTIONS OF THE THEORY \Rightarrow
- RESUM LARGE SOFT GRAVITON EFFECTS TO GET MORE PHYSICALLY CORRECT RESULTS

Resummed Quantum Gravity

■ YFS RESUM PROPAGATORS: EW

$$\Sigma_F(p) = e^{\alpha B_\gamma''} [\Sigma'_F(p) - S_F^{-1}(p)] + S_F^{-1}(p) \quad (3)$$

$$iS'_F(p) = \frac{ie^{-\alpha B_\gamma''}}{S_F^{-1}(p) - \Sigma'_F(p)} \quad (4)$$

$$\Sigma'_F(p) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \Sigma'_{Fn}(p) \quad (5)$$

QG, WE NEED ANALOG OF

$$\alpha B_\gamma'' = \frac{\int d^4 \ell S''(k, k, \ell)}{(2\pi)^4 (\ell^2 - \lambda^2 + i\varepsilon)} \quad (6)$$

WHERE $\lambda \equiv$ IR CUT-OFF AND

$$S''(k, k', \ell) = \frac{-i8\alpha}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{kk'}{(\ell^2 - 2\ell k + \Delta + i\epsilon)(\ell^2 - 2\ell k' + \Delta' + i\epsilon)} \Big|_{k=k'} \quad (7)$$

$$\Delta = k^2 - m^2, \Delta' = k'^2 - m^2.$$

TO THIS END, NOTE ALSO

$$\alpha B''_{\gamma} = \int \frac{d^4\ell}{(2\pi)^4} \frac{-i\eta^{\mu\nu}}{(\ell^2 - \lambda^2 + i\epsilon)} \frac{-ie(2ik_{\mu})}{(\ell^2 - 2\ell k + \Delta + i\epsilon)} \frac{-ie(2ik'_{\nu})}{(\ell^2 - 2\ell k' + \Delta' + i\epsilon)} \Big|_{k=k'} \quad (8)$$

WE FOLLOW WEINBERG/THE FEYNMAN RULES

AND IDENTIFY THE CONSERVED GRAVITON CHARGES AS

$e \rightarrow \kappa k_{\rho}$ FOR SOFT EMISSION FROM k

\Rightarrow WE GET THE ANALOGUE, $-B''_g(k)$, OF $\alpha B''_{\gamma}$ BY

- REPLACING THE γ PROPAGATOR IN (8) BY THE GRAVITON

PROPAGATOR,

$$\frac{i\frac{1}{2}(\eta^{\mu\nu}\eta^{\bar{\mu}\bar{\nu}} + \eta^{\mu\bar{\nu}}\eta^{\bar{\mu}\nu} - \eta^{\mu\bar{\mu}}\eta^{\nu\bar{\nu}})}{\ell^2 - \lambda^2 + i\epsilon}$$

- BY REPLACING THE QED CHARGES BY THE CORRESPONDING GRAVITY CHARGES $\kappa k_{\bar{\mu}}, \kappa k'_{\bar{\nu}}$

⇒

$$B_g''(k) = -2i\kappa^2 k^4 \frac{\int d^4\ell}{16\pi^4} \frac{1}{\ell^2 - \lambda^2 + i\epsilon} \frac{1}{(\ell^2 + 2\ell k + \Delta + i\epsilon)^2} \quad (9)$$

AND

$$i\Delta_F'(k)|_{Resummed} = \frac{i\epsilon^{B_g''(k)}}{(k^2 - m^2 - \Sigma_g' + i\epsilon)} \quad (10)$$

THIS IS THE BASIC RESULT.

NOTE THE FOLLOWING:

- Σ_g' STARTS IN $\mathcal{O}(\kappa^2)$, SO WE MAY DROP IT IN CALCULATING ONE-LOOP EFFECTS.

- EXPLICIT EVALUATION GIVES,

$$B_g''(k) = \frac{\kappa^2 |k^2|}{8\pi^2} \ln \left(\frac{m^2}{m^2 + |k^2|} \right), \quad (11)$$

⇒ THE RESUMMED PROPAGATOR FALLS FASTER THAN **ANY POWER OF $|k^2|$** !

- IF m VANISHES, USING THE USUAL $-\mu^2$ NORMALIZATION POINT WE GET $B_g''(k) = \frac{\kappa^2 |k^2|}{8\pi^2} \ln \left(\frac{\mu^2}{|k^2|} \right)$ WHICH AGAIN VANISHES FASTER THAN **ANY POWER OF $|k^2|$** !

**THIS MEANS THAT ONE-LOOP CORRECTIONS ARE FINITE!
INDEED, ALL QUANTUM GRAVITY LOOPS ARE UV FINITE!**

All Orders Proof in MPLA17, 2371 (2002)

Newton's Law

- Consider the one-loop corrections to Newton's law from Fig. 1 – they directly show the effects of resummation. Our resummed propagators $\Rightarrow (k \rightarrow (ik^0, \vec{k}))$

$$\Sigma_{\bar{\mu}\bar{\nu};\mu\nu}^{1a} = \kappa^2 \frac{\int d^4k}{2(2\pi)^4} \frac{(k'_{\bar{\mu}} k_{\bar{\nu}} + k'_{\bar{\nu}} k_{\bar{\mu}}) e^{\frac{\kappa^2 |k^2|}{8\pi^2} \ln\left(\frac{m^2}{m^2 + |k^2|}\right)}}{k^2 - m^2 + i\epsilon}$$

$$\frac{(k'_{\mu} k_{\nu} + k'_{\nu} k_{\mu}) e^{\frac{\kappa^2 |k^2|}{8\pi^2} \ln\left(\frac{m^2}{m^2 + |k^2|}\right)}}{k^2 - m^2 + i\epsilon}$$

\Leftrightarrow CONVERGENT; SO IS FIG.1b.

In transv.-traceless space, graviton propagator denominator is

$$q^2 + \frac{1}{2} q^4 \Sigma^{T(2)} + i\epsilon$$

with the result

$$-\frac{1}{2}\Sigma^{T(2)} \cong \frac{c_2}{360\pi M_{Pl}^2} \text{ for}$$

$$c_2 = \int_0^\infty dx x^3 (1+x)^{-4-\lambda_c x} \cong 72.1,$$

$$\lambda_c = \frac{2m^2}{\pi M_{Pl}^2}.$$

\Rightarrow

$$\Phi_{Newton}(r) = -\frac{G_N M_1 M_2}{r} (1 - e^{-ar}),$$

$$a = \frac{1}{\sqrt{-\frac{1}{2}\Sigma^{T(2)}}} \cong 3.96 M_{Pl}, \text{ when}$$

$$m \cong 120 \text{ GeV}.$$

Sum over SM particles $\Rightarrow a_{eff} = 0.210 M_{Pl}$

Many consequences, hep-ph/0602025 and refs. therein

CONTACT WITH ASYMPTOTIC SAFETY APPROACH

- OUR RESULTS IMPLY

$$G_N(k) = G_N / \left(1 + \frac{k^2}{a_{eff}^2}\right)$$

⇒ FIXED POINT BEHAVIOR FOR

$$k^2 \rightarrow \infty,$$

IN AGREEMENT WITH THE PHENOMENOLOGICAL ASYMPTOTIC SAFETY APPROACH OF BONNANNO & REUTER IN PRD62(2000) 043008.

- OUR RESULT THAT AN ELEMENTARY PARTICLE HAS NO HORIZON ALSO AGREES WITH BONNANNO'S & REUTER'S RESULT THAT A BLACKHOLE WITH A MASS LESS THAN

$$M_{cr} \sim M_{Pl}$$

HAS NO HORIZON. BASIC PHYSICS: $G_N(k)$ VANISHES FOR $k^2 \rightarrow \infty$.

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- **A FURTHER AGREEMENT: FINAL STATE OF HAWKING RADIATION FROM AN**
ORIGINALLY VERY MASSIVE BLACKHOLE
BECAUSE OUR VALUE OF THE COEFFICIENT,

$$\frac{1}{a_{eff}^2},$$

- **OF k^2 IN THE DENOMINATOR OF $G_N(k)$**
AGREES WITH THAT FOUND BY BONNANNO & REUTER,
IF WE USE THEIR PRESCRIPTION FOR THE
RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN k AND r
IN THE REGIME WHERE THE LAPSE FUNCTION VANISHES,
WE GET THE SAME HAWKING RADIATION PHENOMENOLOGY
UNTIL THE BLACK HOLE EVAPORATES UNTIL IT REACHES A MASS

$$M_{ev} \sim M_{Pl}$$

- **AT WHICH THE BEKENSTEIN-HAWKING TEMPERATURE VANISHES**
LEAVING A PLANCK SCALE REMNANT.
- **FATE OF REMNANT? IN hep-ph/0503189 \Rightarrow OUR QUANTUM LOOP CORRECTIONS**
COMBINED WITH THE $G_N(r)$ OF B-R ACTUALLY THE HORIZON IS
AT THE PLANCK SCALE REMNANTIS OBIATED SO THAT THERE ARE THEN NO PLANCK
SCALE REMNANTS AT ALL! – CONSISTENT WITH RECENT RESULTS OF

TO WIT, IN THE METRIC CLASS

$$ds^2 = f(r)dt^2 - f(r)^{-1}dr^2 - r^2 d\Omega^2 \quad (26)$$

THE LAPSE FUNCTION IS, FROM B-R,

$$\begin{aligned} f(r) &= 1 - \frac{2G_N(r)M}{r} \\ &= \frac{B(x)}{B(x) + 2x^2} \Big|_{x=\frac{r}{G_N M}}, \end{aligned} \quad (27)$$

WHERE

$$B(x) = x^3 - 2x^2 + \Omega x + \gamma\Omega \quad (28)$$

FOR

$$\Omega = \frac{\tilde{\omega}}{G_N M^2} = \frac{\tilde{\omega} M_{Pl}^2}{M^2}. \quad (29)$$

AFTER H-RADIATING TO $M_{cr} \sim M_{Pl}$, QUANTUM LOOPS CHANGE THE $-2x^2$ IN $B(x)$ TO $-2\xi x^2$ WITH $\xi = \xi(x) = 1 - e^{-\alpha G_N M_{cr} x} < 1$, REMOVING THE DOUBLE ZERO AT x_{cr} . MONOTONICITY \Rightarrow HORIZON OBIATED.

NOTE: M. BOJOWALD *et al.*, gr-qc/0503041, – LOOP QG CONCURS.

- Continuous Transition:

$$1-2G(r)M/r=1-2G_N(1-e^{-ar})M/r$$

Outermost solution: $\Omega=.2$, $\gamma=0$,

$$\Rightarrow r_>=27.1/M_{Pl} , x_+=1.15, x_- < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x_+ \rightarrow 0 \text{ for } M \rightarrow 2.4 M_{Pl} = M'_{cr}$$

with $T_{BH} > 0$, as above.

- Remnant M'_{cr} :

Decays: 2-body, ..., n-body

\Rightarrow Planck Scale Cosmic Rays, etc.

Conclusions

- RESUMMATION RENDERS QGR UV FINITE
- SUB-PLANCK SCALE PHYSICS ACCESSIBLE TO QFT (TUT)
- MINIMAL UNION OF BOHR & EINSTEIN
- BLACK HOLES WITH $M < M_{cr} \sim M_{Pl}$ HAVE NO HORIZON
- FINAL STATE OF HAWKING RADIATION \Rightarrow PLANCK SCALE REMNANT \Rightarrow PLANCK SCALE COSMIC RAYS, ...