

# Toroidal Spiral Strings around Five-dimensional Black Holes

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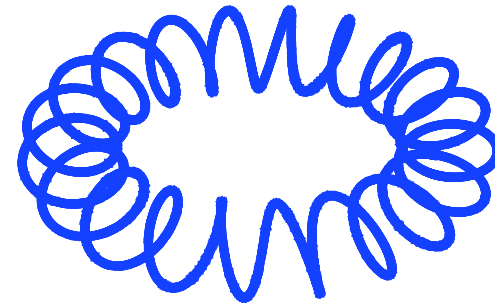
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# Abstract

We examine the dynamics of the Nambu–Goto test strings in a closed shape of toroidal spiral in a 5D spacetime. We discuss

stationary configuration,  
separability in E.O.M.,  
dynamical solution,

of the *Toroidal Spiral String*.



# I . INTRODUCTION

## important tasks

Identification of the spacetime dim.

( could be done by obs. of phenomena concerning to BHs)

## what to do

- revealing { properties of higher-dim. BH  
differences between 4D and higher dim.

## powerful tools

test objects { - test particles [stars, galaxies, electrons...]  
- test strings [cosmic string, ...]

Here, as a **probe** of BH spacetime, we concentrate on

*test string*

# I – I . Test Objects

a typical HD BH exact sol.

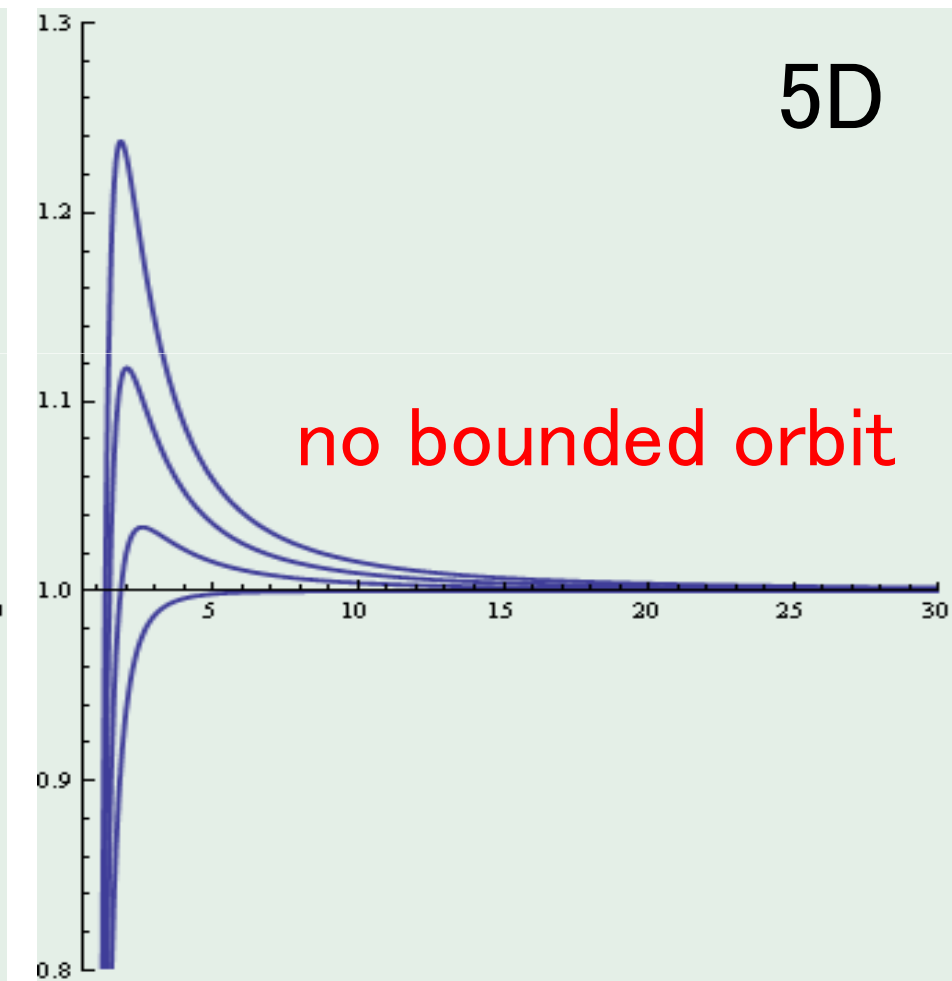
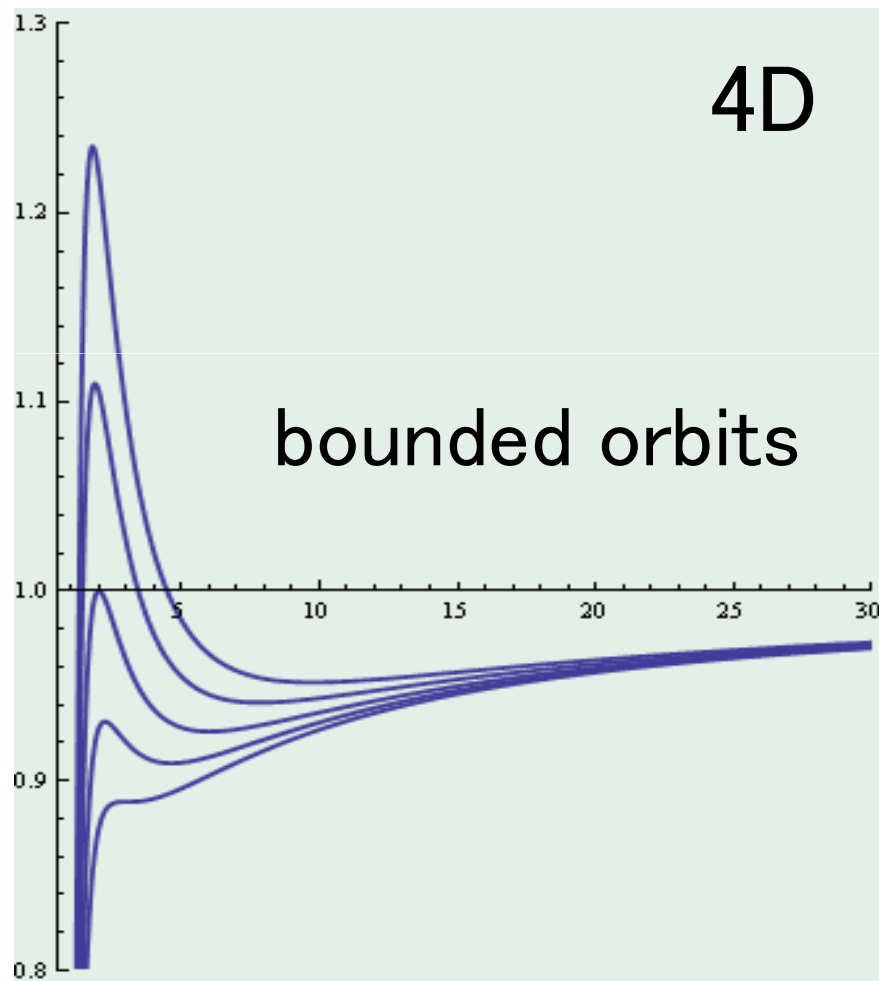
Kerr black hole

– free test particle

	bounded orbits	separability	
4D Kerr BH	○	○	B.Carter (1968)
5D Kerr BH	×	○	V.P.Frolov and D.Stojkovic (2003)

# I – II . Radial Motion of a Test Particle

effective potential (in Sch. BH)



# I – III. Test Objects

– free test particle

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The separability is related to [KV fields](#) and [KT fields](#).

Today's topics is *dynamical string*

– test *stationary string*

separable in E.O.M. in 5D Kerr BH [V.P.Frolov and K.A.Stevens (2004)]

## II. COHOMOGENEITY-ONE STRING

*cohomogeneity-one string* : a KV field  $\xi$  is tangent to  $\Sigma$

Nambu-Goto action

$$S_{NG} = -\mu \int_{\Sigma} d\tau d\sigma \sqrt{-\gamma} \quad \Sigma : \text{worldsheet}$$

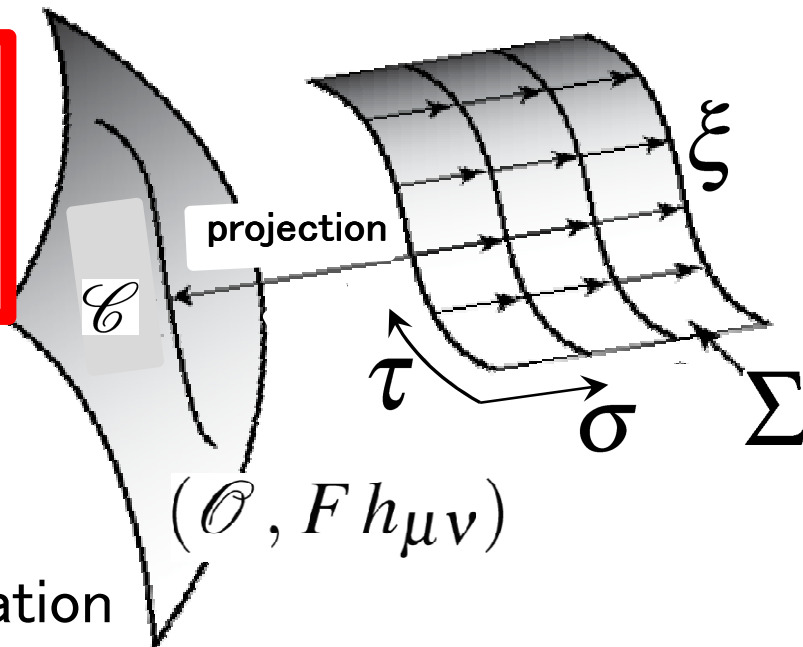
↓ reduction ( $\xi = \partial_{\sigma}$  dir.)

action for a free particle

$$S_{NG} = -\mu \Delta\sigma \int_{\mathcal{C}} \sqrt{-F h_{\mu\nu} \frac{dx^{\mu}}{d\tau} \frac{dx^{\nu}}{d\tau}} d\tau$$

$F$  : norm of  $\xi$

- $\xi$  {
- timelike ... stationary
  - spacelike ... sym. of configuration



# III. Toroidal Spiral String in 5D Flat Background



$$\begin{aligned}
 ds^2 &= -dt^2 + \boxed{dx^2 + dy^2} + \boxed{dz^2 + dw^2} \\
 &= -dt^2 + \boxed{d\rho^2 + \rho^2 d\Phi^2} + \boxed{d\zeta^2 + \zeta^2 d\Psi^2}
 \end{aligned}$$

independent planes

Suppose  $\Sigma$  is tangent to the KV field

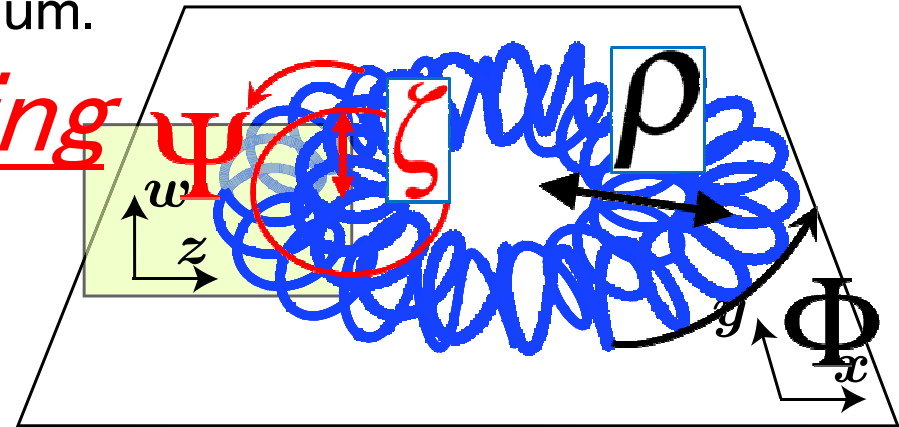
$$\xi = \partial_\Phi + \alpha \partial_\Psi$$

$\alpha$  : const. ratio of winding num.

## Toroidal Spiral String

note

- ang. momentum
- closed string ( $\alpha \in \mathbf{Q}$ )
- exist commutable closed KVs in higher-dim. spacetime

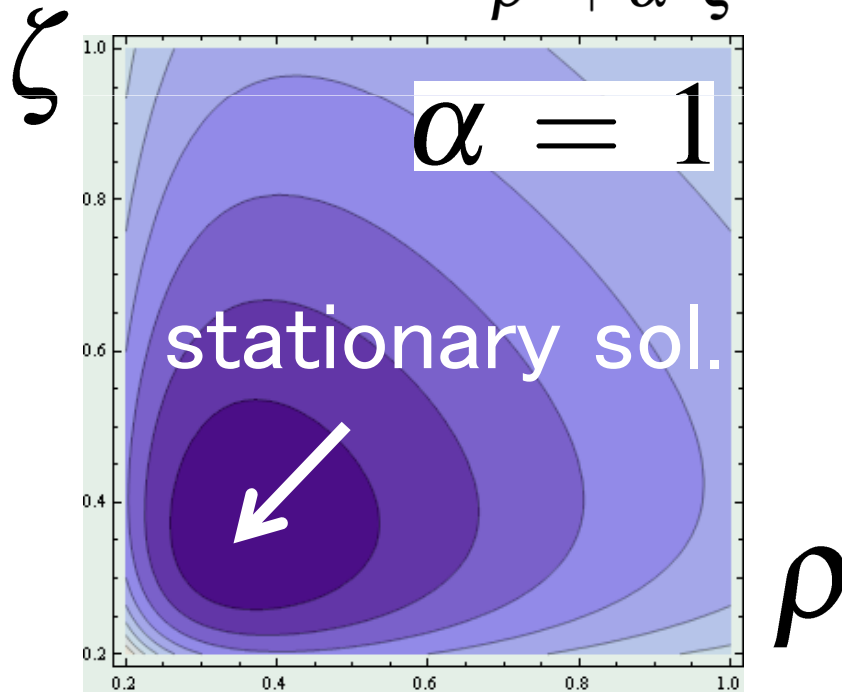


### III – II . Stationary Configuration

effective potential

$$H = \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{p_\rho^2 + p_\zeta^2}{\rho^2 + \alpha^2 \zeta^2} + V_{\text{eff}}(\rho, \zeta) \right] \quad \text{Hamiltonian for TSS}$$

$$V_{\text{eff}}(\rho, \zeta) = -\frac{E^2}{\rho^2 + \alpha^2 \zeta^2} + \frac{L^2}{\rho^2 \zeta^2} + 1$$



realized by a balance of **tension** and **centrifugal force**

### III–III. Dynamical solution

The E.O.M. is **separable** for general TSS in the flat background.

#### Dynamical Solution

$$\begin{aligned}\rho^2 &= \frac{\rho_{\max}^2 - \rho_{\min}^2}{2} \cos(2\tau + \delta_\rho) + \frac{\rho_{\max}^2 + \rho_{\min}^2}{2}, \\ \zeta^2 &= \frac{\zeta_{\max}^2 - \zeta_{\min}^2}{2} \cos(2\alpha\tau + \delta_\zeta) + \frac{\zeta_{\max}^2 + \zeta_{\min}^2}{2}, \\ t &= E\tau\end{aligned}$$

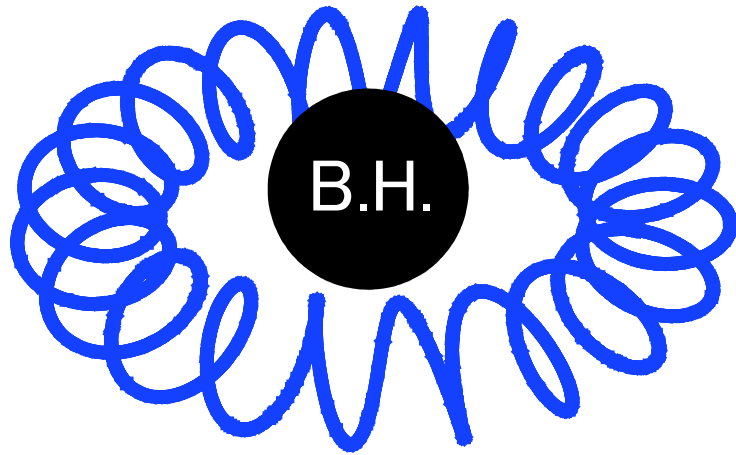


#### note

- periodic motion ( $\alpha \in \mathbf{Q}$ )
- no cusp
- J.J.Blanco–Pillado, R.Emparan and A.Iglesias (2008)

# IV. Toroidal Spiral String around a 5D Black Hole

## IV- I . TSS around the 5D Kerr-AdS BH



note

balance

- tension,
- centrifugal force,
- gravitational force

### 5D Kerr-AdS BH metric

$$ds^2 = -\frac{\Delta_\theta \Xi_r dt^2}{\Xi_a \Xi_b} + \frac{2M}{\Sigma} \left( \frac{\Delta_\theta dt}{\Xi_a \Xi_b} - v \right)^2 + \frac{\Sigma dr^2}{\Delta_r} + \frac{\Sigma d\theta^2}{\Delta_\theta} + \frac{r^2 + a^2}{\Xi_a} \sin^2 \theta d\Phi^2 + \frac{r^2 + b^2}{\Xi_b} \cos^2 \theta d\Psi^2$$

$$\Xi_a = 1 - a^2 \lambda^2, \quad \Xi_b = 1 - b^2 \lambda^2, \quad \Xi_r = 1 + \lambda^2 r^2,$$

$$\Delta_r = \frac{(r^2 + a^2)(r^2 + b^2)(1 + \lambda^2 r^2)}{r^2} - 2M, \quad \Delta_\theta = 1 - a^2 \lambda^2 \cos^2 \theta - b^2 \lambda^2 \sin^2 \theta,$$

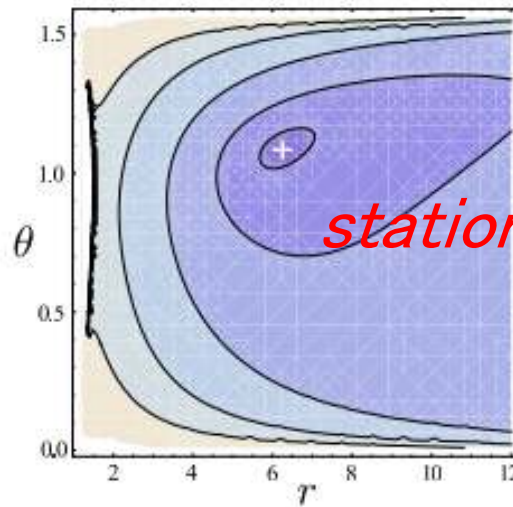
$$v = a \sin^2 \theta \frac{d\Phi}{\Xi_a} + b \cos^2 \theta \frac{d\Psi}{\Xi_b}, \quad \Sigma = r^2 + a^2 \cos^2 \theta + b^2 \sin^2 \theta,$$

## IV– II . Effective Potential

$$H = \frac{1}{2} \left[ F^{-1} \left( h^{rr} p_r^2 + h^{\theta\theta} p_\theta^2 \right) + V_{\text{eff}}(r, \theta) \right] \quad \text{Hamiltonian for TSS}$$

$$V_{\text{eff}}(r, \theta) = -\frac{1}{\Sigma} \left[ (r^2 + 2M) + \frac{4M^2}{\Delta} + (a^2 \cos^2 \theta + b^2 \sin^2 \theta) \right] \frac{E^2}{F} \\ + \frac{1}{\Sigma} \left[ \frac{(a^2 - b^2) \left[ r^2(1 - \alpha^2) + (a^2 - \alpha^2 b^2) \right] - 2M(a - \alpha b)^2}{r^2 \Delta} + \frac{1}{\cos^2 \theta} + \frac{\alpha^2}{\sin^2 \theta} \right] \frac{L^2}{F} \\ + \frac{4M(-b(r^2 + a^2) + \alpha a(r^2 + b^2))}{r^2 \Delta \Sigma} \frac{EL}{F} + 1$$

effective potential



*stationary configuration*

realized by a balance of **tension**, **centrifugal force**, and **grav. force**

## IV–III. Separability

✘ Separation of variables for a general TSS

[outline of analysis]

By the Hamilton–Jacobi eqn,

Hamilton's principal fct.

$$S = \frac{1}{2}\mu^2\tau - Et + L\psi + S_r(r) + S_\theta(\theta)$$

$$2F\Sigma \times \left[ \frac{1}{2} \frac{h^{\mu\nu}}{F} \frac{\partial S}{\partial x^\mu} \frac{\partial S}{\partial x^\nu} + \frac{\partial S}{\partial \tau} \right] = R(r) + \Theta(\theta) + \boxed{\mu^2 F \Sigma} = 0$$

The separability depends on this term.

where

$$\mu^2 F \Sigma = \mu^2 (r^2 + a^2 \cos^2 \theta + b^2 \sin^2 \theta) \left[ \frac{(r^2 + b^2) \alpha^2 \cos^2 \theta}{\Xi_b} + \frac{(r^2 + a^2) \sin^2 \theta}{\Xi_a} \right] + 2M\mu^2 \left( \frac{\alpha b \cos^2 \theta}{\Xi_b} + \frac{a \sin^2 \theta}{\Xi_a} \right)^2$$

## IV–IV. Separability

For TSS with  $\alpha^2 = 1$ , complete separation of variables in the H–J eqn. occurs in two cases:

(A) Kerr background  $a \neq b, \lambda = 0$

(B) Kerr–AdS background with two equal angular momenta

$$a = b, \lambda \neq 0$$



## IV–V. Hopf loop string

$r$  constant surface on a timeslice  $\cdots S^3$  (Hopf bundle)

metric on the Hopf bundle embedded in 5D Kerr–AdS BH

$S^2$  base space

twisted  $S^1$  fiber

$$ds_{S^3}^2 = \frac{1}{4} \left[ g_{\theta\theta} d\theta_E^2 + \frac{4}{F} (g_{\Phi\Phi} g_{\Psi\Psi} - g_{\Phi\Psi}^2) d\phi_E^2 \right] + \frac{F}{4} \left[ d\psi_E + \frac{1}{F} (g_{\Psi\Psi} - g_{\Phi\Phi}) d\phi_E \right]^2$$

where  $\theta_E, \phi_E, \psi_E$  : Euler angles

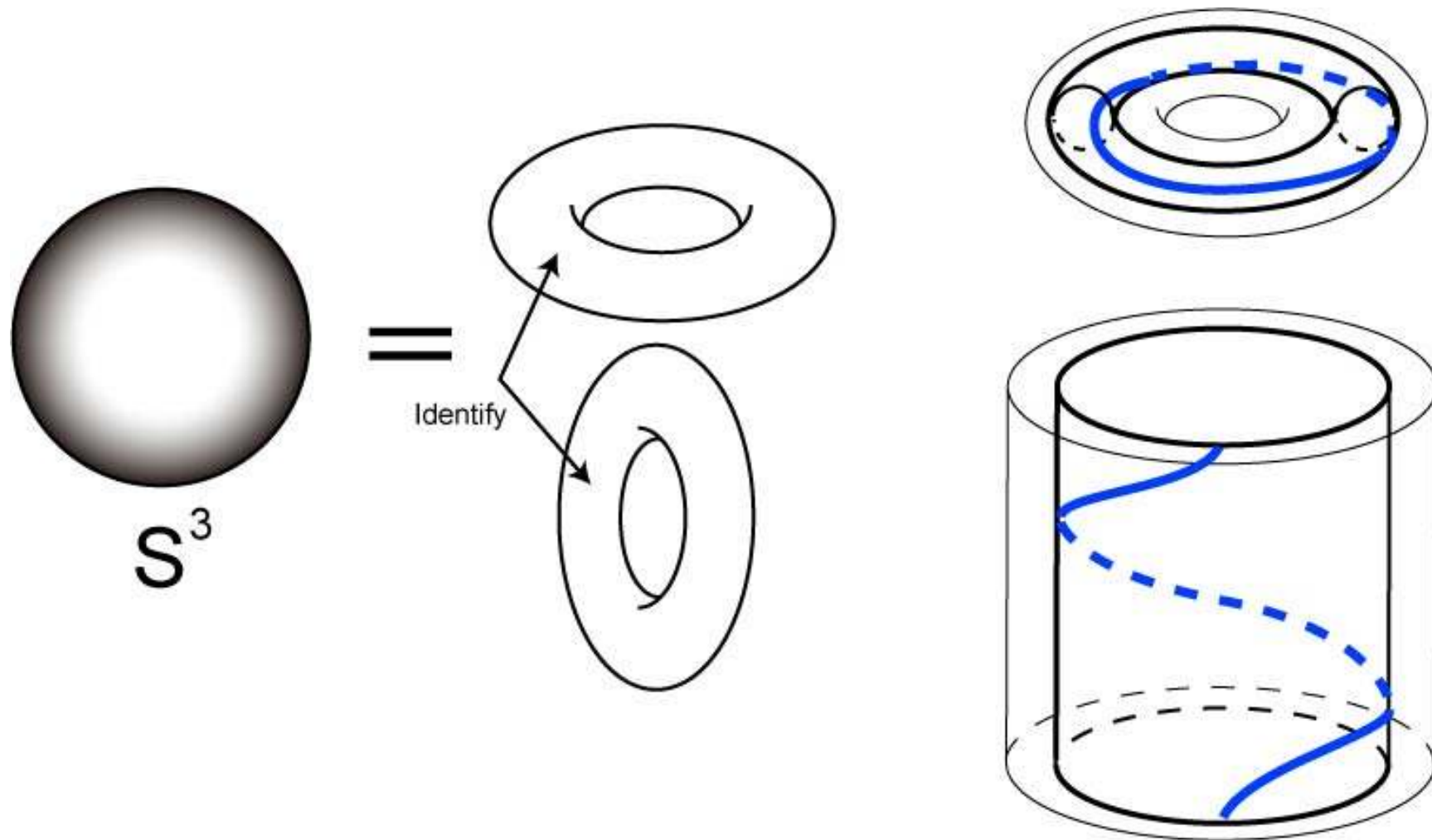
coord. along the fiber

$$\xi = \partial_\Phi + \partial_\Psi = 2\partial_{\psi_E}$$

TSS with  $\alpha^2 = 1$  lies along a fiber of Hopf fibration

*Hopf loop*

# IV–VI. Hopf loop



## IV–VII. Dynamics

For a *Hopf loop*, complete separation of variables in the H–J eqn. occurs in two cases:

(A) Kerr background  $a \neq b, \lambda = 0$

(B) Kerr–AdS background with two equal angular momenta

$$a = b, \lambda \neq 0$$

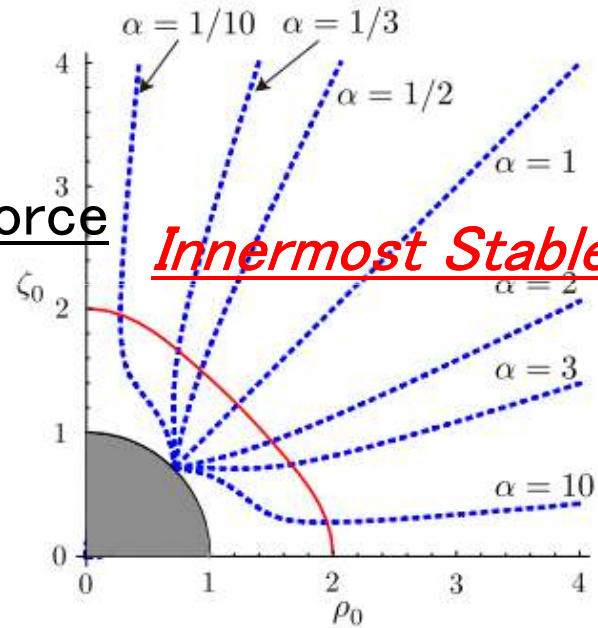
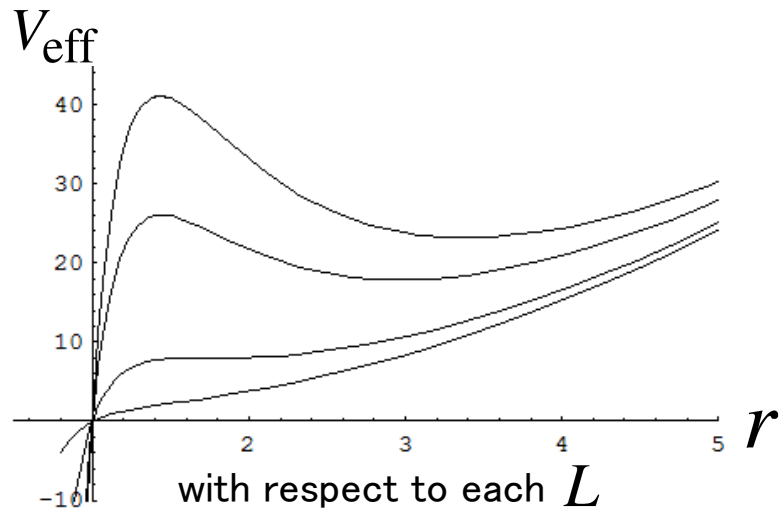
# IV–VIII. Innermost Stable Orbit

radial motion of Hopf loop in the 5D Sch. BH

$$\dot{r}^2 + V_{\text{eff}} = E^2,$$

$$V_{\text{eff}} = -2M\mu^2 \left[ \frac{8ML^2}{r^4} \right] + \left[ \frac{4L^2}{r^2} \right] + \left[ \mu^2 r^2 \right]$$

grav. force
centrifugal force
tension



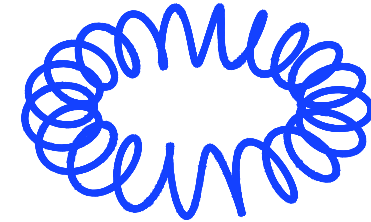
$$r_g = 2M = 1, \quad \Lambda/6 = -\lambda^2 = 0, \quad a = 0$$

the competition of three forces

## IV. SUMMARY

### - Toroidal Spiral String

- sym. of configuration (C-1 string)
- closed ( $\alpha \in \mathbf{Q}$ )
- angular momentum
- commutable closed KVs



### - TSS in 5D spacetime

- stationary configuration
  - by a balance of centrifugal force, tension, and grav. force
- separability

for general TSS in  $M^5$

for Hopf loop (TSS with  $\alpha^2 = 1$ ) in

(A) Kerr  $(a \neq b, \lambda = 0)$

(B) Kerr-AdS  $(a = b, \lambda \neq 0)$

- dynamics

existence of bounded orbits, innermost stable orbits

# IV. DISCUSSION and FUTURE WORK

– no cusp (while closed strings in 4D must have cusp)

gravitational wave {  
– burst (4D)  
– periodic (HD)

## difference between 4D and HD

– existence of bounded orbits

useful as a probe of HD spacetime

test particle in 4D BH ..... Hopf loop in 5D BH

– TSS in more higher-dimensional spacetime

– TSS around black ring

straightforward

– stability of TSS