

RECONSTRUCTING SPHERICALLY SYMMETRIC METRICS IN GENERAL RELATIVITY

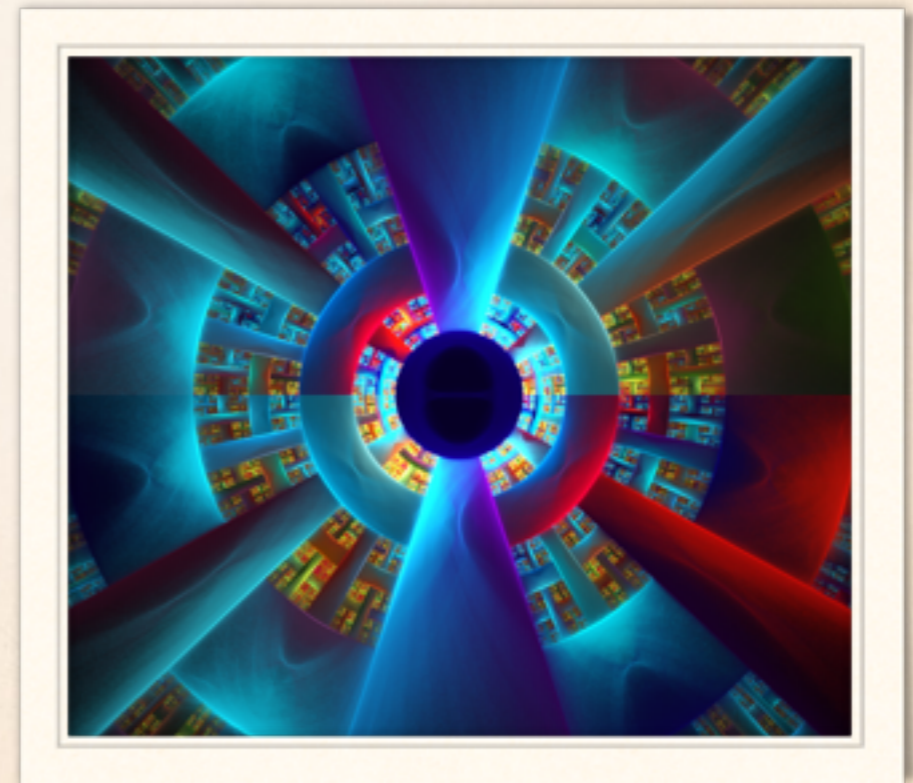


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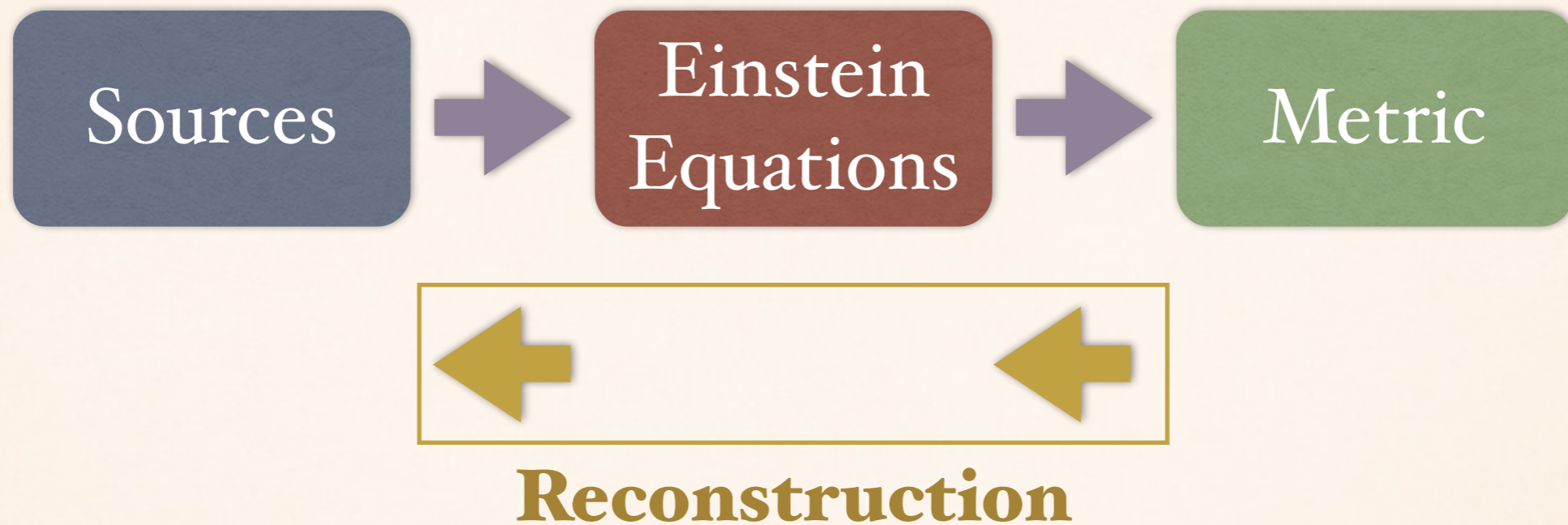
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RECONSTRUCTION



- ❖ The reconstruction technique is common in cosmology
- ❖ It was aimed to the determination of free functions in a cosmological model that produce a certain expansion law of the universe.
- ❖ Very successful for inflationary models and also modifications of GR

RECONSTRUCTION

Can we apply this technique to the spherically symmetric case?

...yes but...

SS Reconstruction

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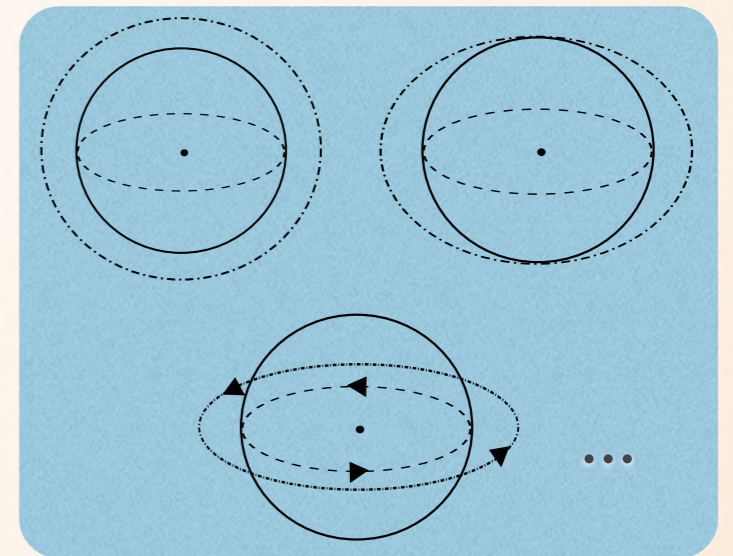
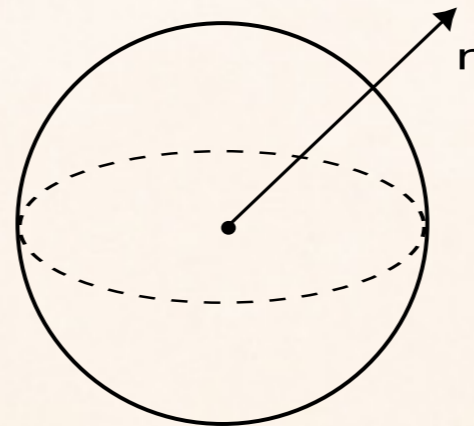
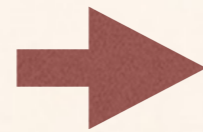
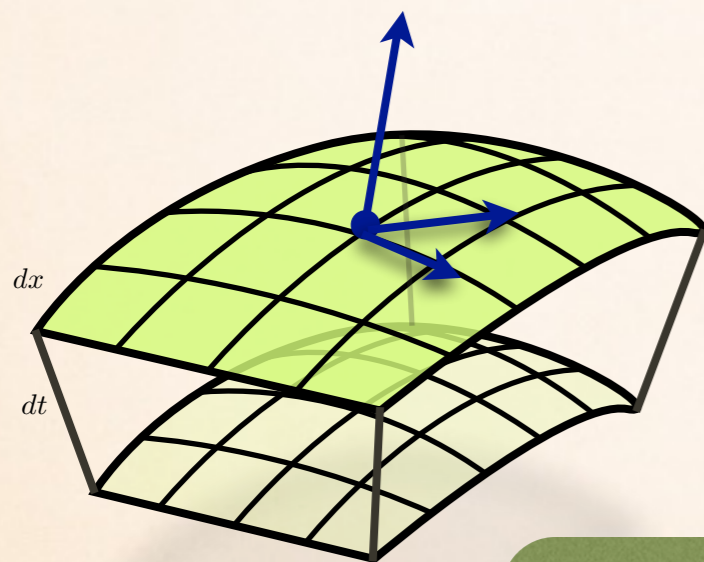
Poor control on
the physics

Coordinate
dependence

Complexity of
equations

1+1+2 COVARIANT APPROACH

Given a congruence of geodesics...



e.g. in the case of spherical symmetry

Thermodynamics

1+1+2 COVARIANT APPROACH

In a general LRS-II spacetime the non zero variables are

$$\mathcal{A}, \Theta, \phi, \xi, \Sigma, \Omega, \mathcal{E}, \mathcal{H}, \mu, p, \Pi, Q$$

Reducing to the case of static and spherically symmetric metrics we have


$$\mathcal{A}, \phi, \mathcal{E}, K$$

Geometry


$$\mu, p, \Pi$$

Thermodynamics

All these quantities have a precise relation with the metric coefficients in a given coordinate system.

1+1+2 COVARIANT APPROACH

The equations for **static spherically symmetric metrics** can be written as

$$\begin{aligned}\phi \phi_{,\rho} &= -\frac{1}{2}\phi^2 - \frac{2}{3}\mu - \frac{1}{2}\Pi - \mathcal{E} , \\ \mathcal{E}_{,\rho} - \frac{1}{3}\mu_{,\rho} + \Pi_{,\rho} &= -\frac{3}{2}\left(\mathcal{E} + \frac{1}{2}\Pi\right) , \\ \phi (p_{,\rho} + \Pi_{,\rho}) &= -\left(\frac{3}{2}\phi + \mathcal{A}\right)\Pi - (\mu + p)\mathcal{A} , \\ \phi \mathcal{A}_{,\rho} &= -(\mathcal{A} + \phi)\mathcal{A} + \frac{1}{2}(\mu + 3p) , \\ K_{,\rho} &= -K, \\ K &= \frac{1}{3}\mu - \mathcal{E} - \frac{1}{2}\Pi + \frac{1}{4}\phi^2, \\ 0 &= \mathcal{A}\phi - \frac{1}{3}(\mu + 3p) + \mathcal{E} - \frac{1}{2}\Pi.\end{aligned}$$

THE NEW VARIABLES

Defining

$$X = \frac{\phi_{,\rho}}{\phi}, \quad Y = \frac{\mathcal{A}}{\phi}, \quad \mathcal{K} = \frac{K}{\phi^2}, \quad E = \frac{\mathcal{E}}{\phi^2}$$

$$M = \frac{\mu}{\phi^2}, \quad P = \frac{p}{\phi^2}, \quad \mathbb{P} = \frac{\Pi}{\phi^2}$$

We obtain

$$Y_{,\rho} = M + 3P - 2Y(X + Y + 1),$$

$$\mathcal{K}_{,\rho} = -\mathcal{K}(1 + 2X),$$

$$P_{,\rho} + \mathbb{P}_{,\rho} = -2Y(M + \mathbb{P}) - 2P(2X + Y) - \mathbb{P}(4X + 3),$$

$$0 = 2M + 2P + 2\mathbb{P} + 2X - 2Y + 1,$$

$$0 = 1 - 4\mathcal{K} - 4P + 4Y - 4\mathbb{P},$$

$$0 = 2M + 6P + 3\mathbb{P} - 6Y - 6E,$$

GR IN VACUUM

In **vacuum GR** the above system can be solved exactly to give

$$Y = -\frac{C_0}{4C_0 - e^{\rho/2}}, \quad X = -\frac{C_0}{4C_0 - e^{\rho/2}} - \frac{1}{2}, \quad \mathcal{K} = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{C_0}{4C_0 - e^{\rho/2}}$$

which corresponds to

$$\phi = C_2 e^{-3\rho/4} \sqrt{e^{\rho/2} - 4C_1}, \quad \mathcal{A} = \frac{C_2 C_1 e^{-\frac{3\rho}{4}}}{\sqrt{e^{\rho/2} - 4C_1}}, \quad K = \frac{K_0}{4} e^{-\rho}.$$

and in terms of the metric components

$$A = C_2 \left(1 - \frac{4e^{C_1}}{r} \right), \quad B = \frac{C_3}{1 - \frac{4e^{C_1}}{r}}, \quad C = \frac{4}{K_0} r^2.$$

GR PLUS MATTER

In the **non vacuum case** the general system can be written as

$$M = \mathcal{K} - X - \frac{3}{4},$$

$$\mathbb{P} = \frac{1}{3} [-X(2Y + 1) - 2(\mathcal{K} + Y_{,\rho}) - 2Y^2 + Y],$$

$$P = \frac{1}{12} [-4\mathcal{K} + X(8Y + 4) + 8Y_{,\rho} + 8Y(Y + 1) + 3],$$

$$P_{,\rho} + \mathbb{P}_{,\rho} = \mathcal{K}(1 + 2X) + Y_{,\rho},$$

$$\mathcal{K}_{,\rho} = -\mathcal{K}(1 + 2X).$$

with the constraint

$$1 - 4\mathcal{K} - 4P + 4Y - 4\mathbb{P} = 0$$

WEC SOLUTION

We can use the new variables to construct solutions able to satisfy the weak energy condition. In the 1+1+2 formalism the WEC is

$$\mu \geq 0, \quad \mu + p + \Pi \geq 0, \quad \mu + p - \frac{1}{2}\Pi \geq 0$$

which means

$$M \geq 0 \quad M + P + \mathbb{P} \geq 0 \quad M + P - \frac{1}{2}\mathbb{P} \geq 0$$

using the general equations one obtains

$$Y \geq \frac{1}{2}(2X + 1) \quad \mathcal{K} \geq \frac{1}{4}(4X + 3)$$
$$Y_{,\rho} \geq \frac{1}{2}(-2\mathcal{K} - 2XY + X - 2Y^2 - Y + 1)$$
$$\mathcal{K}_{,\rho} = -\mathcal{K}(1 + 2X).$$

WEC SOLUTION

Choosing

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{K} &= \frac{1}{4}(4X + 3 + \alpha) & Y &= \frac{1}{2}(2X + 1 + \beta), & \alpha &= 3\beta, \\ Y_{,\rho} &= \frac{1}{2}(-2\mathcal{K} - 2XY + X - 2Y^2 - Y + 1) + \gamma & \gamma &= \frac{1}{4}(\beta + 3) \end{aligned}$$

substituting in the general equations one has

$$X = \frac{e^{\frac{3\beta\rho}{2} + \frac{\rho}{2}} - 3(\beta + 1)}{2\left(2 - e^{\frac{3\beta\rho}{2} + \frac{\rho}{2}}\right)}, \quad Y = \frac{\beta e^{\frac{3\beta\rho}{2} + \frac{\rho}{2}} + \beta + 1}{2\left(e^{\frac{3\beta\rho}{2} + \frac{\rho}{2}} - 2\right)}, \quad \mathcal{K} = \frac{K_0 \exp\left(\frac{\rho(3\beta+1)}{2}\right)}{4 \log\left(2 - e^{\frac{1}{2}(3\beta+1)\rho}\right)}$$

which means

$$\phi = \pm 2e^{-\frac{3}{4}(\beta+1)\rho} \sqrt{2 - e^{\frac{1}{2}(3\beta+1)\rho}}, \quad \mathcal{A} = \frac{\beta e^{\frac{3}{4}(\beta+1)\rho} + (\beta + 1)e^{-\frac{3}{4}(\beta+1)\rho}}{\sqrt{2 - e^{\frac{1}{2}(3\beta+1)\rho}}}.$$

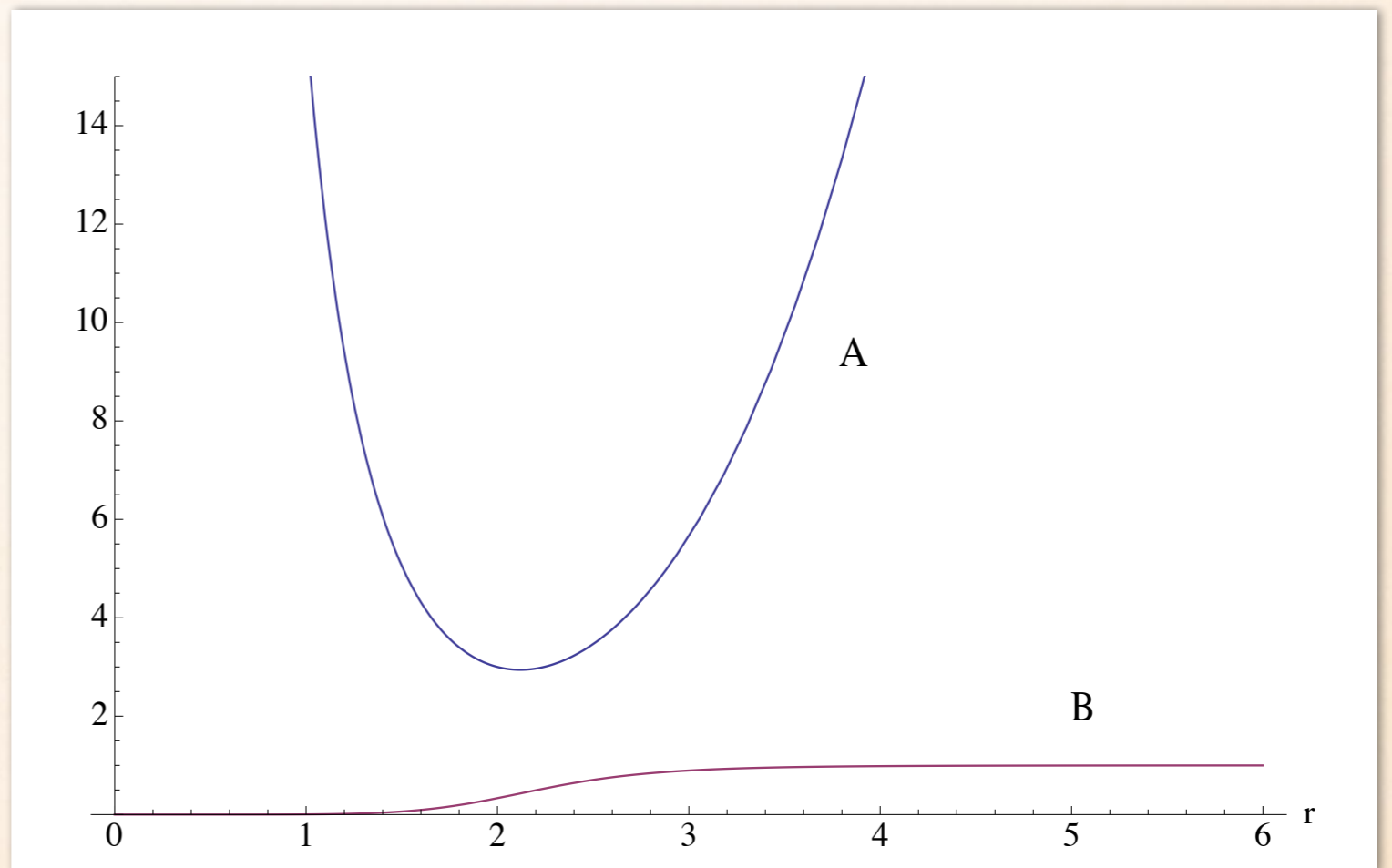
WEC SOLUTION

$$ds^2 = -A dt^2 + B dr^2 + C (d\theta^2 + \sin^2\theta d\phi^2),$$

$$A = \frac{A_0}{r^{\beta+1}} (2 + r^{3\beta+1}),$$

$$B = \frac{4K_0}{\mathcal{K}_0} (2 + r^{3\beta+1})^{-1},$$

$$C = \frac{4r^2}{K_0},$$

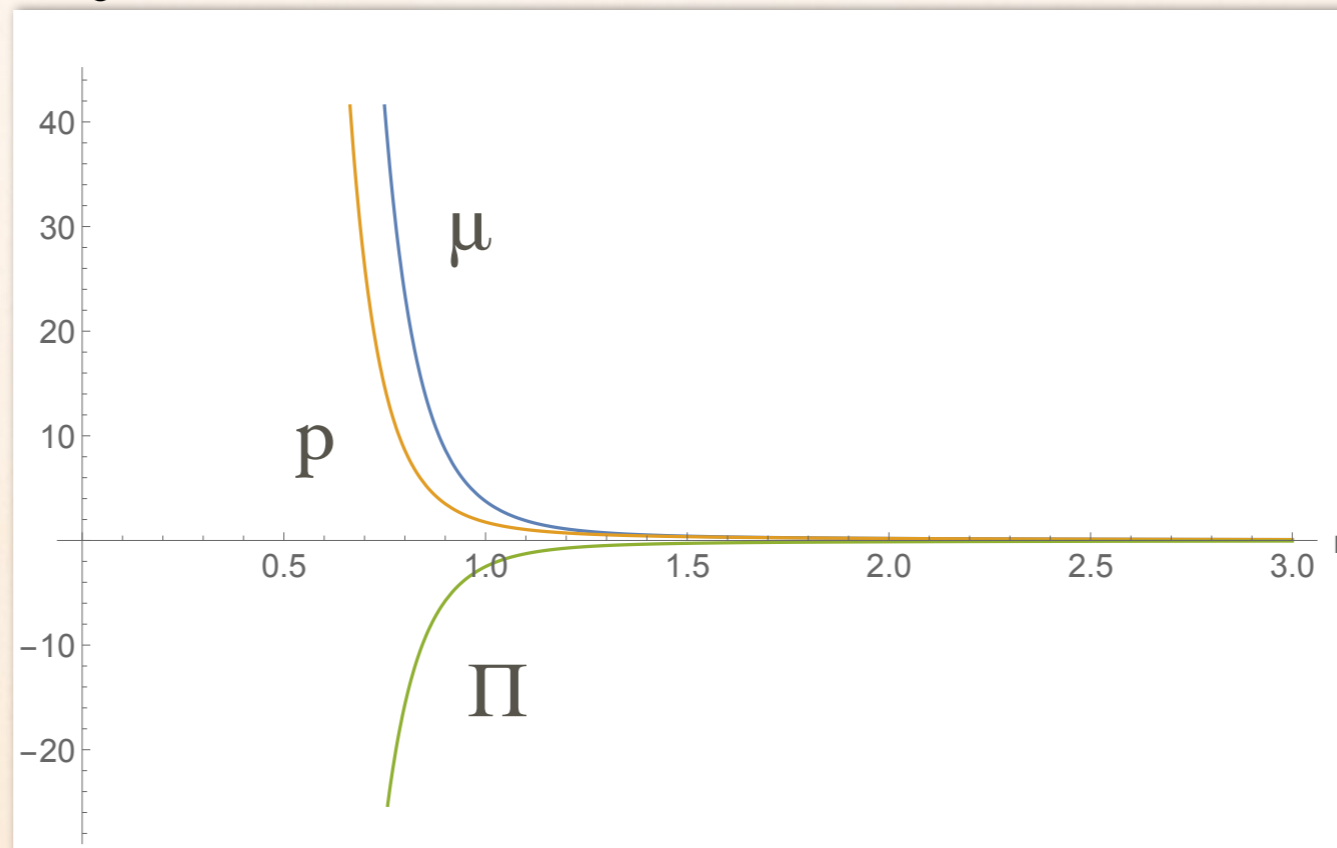


WEC SOLUTION

$$\mu = \frac{K_0}{4\mathcal{K}_0 r^3} [6\beta r^{-3\beta} - (1 - 4\mathcal{K}_0) r],$$

$$p = \frac{K_0 r^{-3\beta-3}}{12\mathcal{K}_0} \{ [2\beta(\beta + 1) - 4\mathcal{K}_0 + 1] r^{3\beta+1} + 2\beta(2\beta - 1) \},$$

$$\Pi = -\frac{K_0 r^{-3\beta-3}}{6\mathcal{K}_0} \{ [(\beta - 2)\beta + 4\mathcal{K}_0 - 1] r^{3\beta+1} + 2\beta(\beta + 1) \}.$$



ASYMPTOTIC FLATNESS

asymptotically flat
metric



$$g_{\mu\nu} \rightarrow \eta_{\mu\nu}$$
$$(R_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} = 0)$$

in one coordinate system

In terms of our variables this implies

$$\{Y, \mu, p, \Pi\} \rightarrow 0 \quad \mathcal{K} \rightarrow \frac{K_0}{\phi_0^2} = \frac{1}{4} \quad X \rightarrow -\frac{1}{2}$$
$$\rho \rightarrow \infty$$

ASYMPTOTIC FLATNESS

Setting for example

$$Y = \frac{1}{e^{\alpha^2 \rho} + Y_0} \quad X = X_0 \exp(-\beta^2 \rho) - \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\mathcal{K} = \mathcal{K}_0 \exp\left(\frac{2X_0 e^{-\beta^2 \rho}}{\beta^2}\right)$$

One has

$$\phi = \pm 2 \sqrt{\frac{K_0}{\mathcal{K}_0}} \exp\left(\frac{\rho}{2} - \frac{X_0 e^{-\beta^2 \rho}}{\beta^2}\right),$$

$$\mathcal{A} = -\sqrt{\frac{K_0}{\mathcal{K}_0}} \frac{e^{-\frac{\rho}{2} - \frac{X_0 e^{-\beta^2 \rho}}{\beta^2}}}{e^{\alpha^2 \rho} + Y_0}.$$

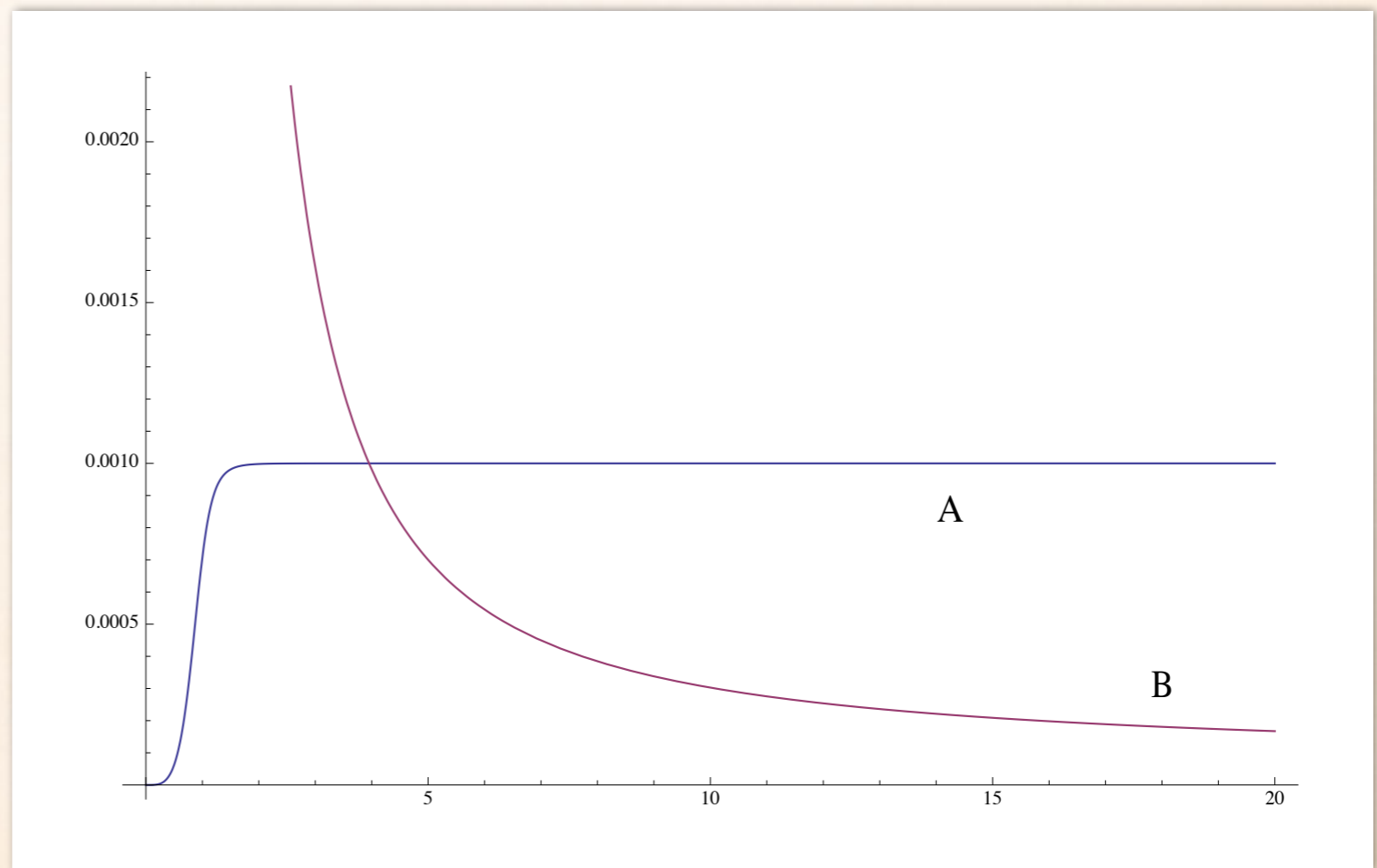
ASYMPTOTIC FLATNESS

$$ds^2 = -A dt^2 + B dr^2 + C (d\theta^2 + \sin^2 \theta d\phi^2),$$

$$A = A_0 r^{\frac{4}{Y_0}} \left(r^{2\alpha^2} + Y_0 \right)^{-\frac{2}{\alpha^2 Y_0}},$$

$$B = \frac{4K_0}{K_0} \exp\left(\frac{2X_0 r^{-2\beta^2}}{\beta^2}\right),$$

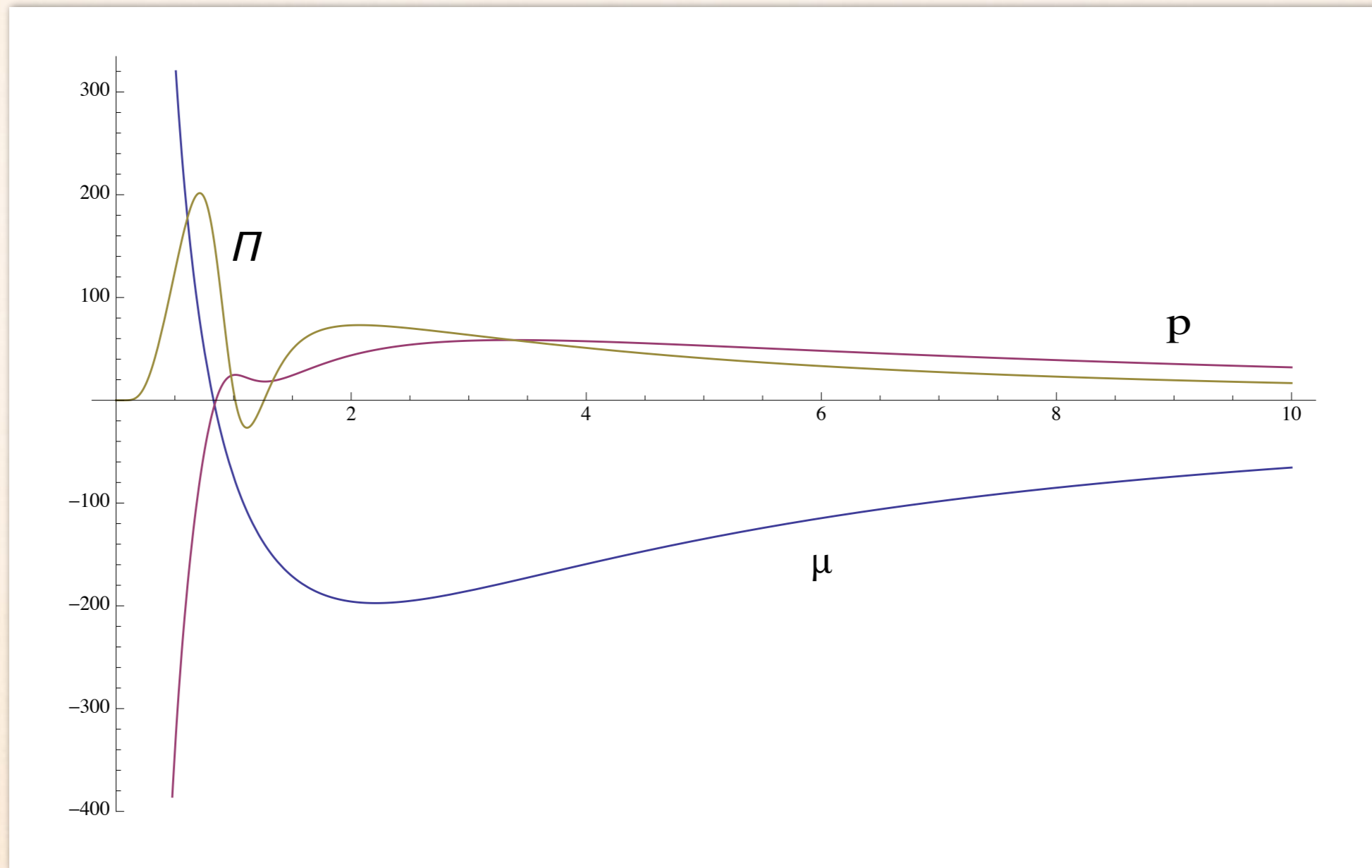
$$C = \frac{r^2}{K_0},$$



ASYMPTOTIC FLATNESS

$$\begin{aligned}\mu &= \frac{K_0}{4\mathcal{K}_0 r^2} \left[4\mathcal{K}_0 - \left(4X_0 r^{-2\beta^2} + 1 \right) \exp \left(-\frac{2X_0 r^{-2\beta^2}}{\beta^2} \right) \right], \\ p &= \frac{K_0}{3\mathcal{K}_0 r^2} \left[X_0 r^{-2\beta^2} \left(\frac{2}{r^{2\alpha^2} + Y_0} - \mathcal{K}_0 \exp \left(\frac{2X_0 r^{-2\beta^2}}{\beta^2} \right) + 1 \right) - \frac{(2\alpha^2 - 1) r^{2\alpha^2}}{(r^{2\alpha^2} + Y_0)^2} + \frac{(Y_0 + 2)}{(r^{2\alpha^2} + Y_0)^2} \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \frac{1}{4} \right] \exp \left(-\frac{2X_0 r^{-2\beta^2}}{\beta^2} \right), \\ \Pi &= \frac{K_0}{6\mathcal{K}_0 r^2} \left[4\mathcal{K}_0 \exp \left(\frac{2X_0 r^{-2\beta^2}}{\beta^2} \right) + 2X_0 r^{-2\beta^2} \left(1 + \frac{2}{r^{2\alpha^2} + Y_0} \right) + \frac{4(\alpha^2 Y_0 + 1)}{(r^{2\alpha^2} + Y_0)^2} - \frac{4(\alpha^2 + 1)}{r^{2\alpha^2} + Y_0} \right. \\ &\quad \left. - 1 \right] \exp \left(-\frac{2X_0 r^{-2\beta^2}}{\beta^2} \right).\end{aligned}$$

ASYMPTOTIC FLATNESS



GR PLUS SCALAR FIELD

When the matter is a scalar field the thermodynamics is defined as

$$\mu^\sigma = \frac{1}{2}\phi^2\sigma_\rho^2 + V(\sigma)$$

$$p^\sigma = -\frac{1}{6}\phi^2\sigma_\rho^2 - V(\sigma)$$

$$\Pi^\sigma = \frac{2}{3}\phi^2\sigma_\rho$$

and the general equations above specialise to

$$2\sigma_\rho^2 + 2X - 2Y + 1 = 0,$$

$$\sigma_\rho (\sigma_{\rho\rho} - \mathbb{V}_\sigma + \sigma_\rho(X + Y + 1)) = 0,$$

$$\mathbb{V} + Y(X + Y + 1) + Y_\rho = 0,$$

$$-4\mathcal{K} - 2\sigma_\rho^2 + 4\mathbb{V} + 4Y + 1 = 0$$

GR PLUS SCALAR FIELD

Again one of the above equations is redundant. We eliminate the second one and we recast the system to obtain

$$\sigma_\rho = \sqrt{\frac{-2X + 2Y - 1}{2}},$$

$$\mathbb{V} = \frac{1}{2}(2\mathcal{K} - X - Y - 1),$$

$$0 = 2Y_\rho + 2Y^2 + Y + 2\mathcal{K} + X(2Y - 1) - 1$$

$$\mathcal{K}_\rho = -\mathcal{K}(1 + 2X)$$

EXAMPLE

Let us consider now a solution that ensure that the scalar field is real:

$$X = -1 + Y$$

we obtain

$$Y = \frac{e^\rho \rho}{2e^\rho(\rho - 1) - 2} \quad \mathcal{K} = \frac{e^\rho}{2(1 - e^\rho \rho + e^\rho)}$$

Which corresponds to

$$\phi = \pm e^{-\rho} \sqrt{2K_0[1 - e^\rho(\rho - 1)]}, \quad \mathcal{A} = -\sqrt{\frac{\rho^2 K_0}{2 - 2e^\rho(\rho - 1)}}.$$

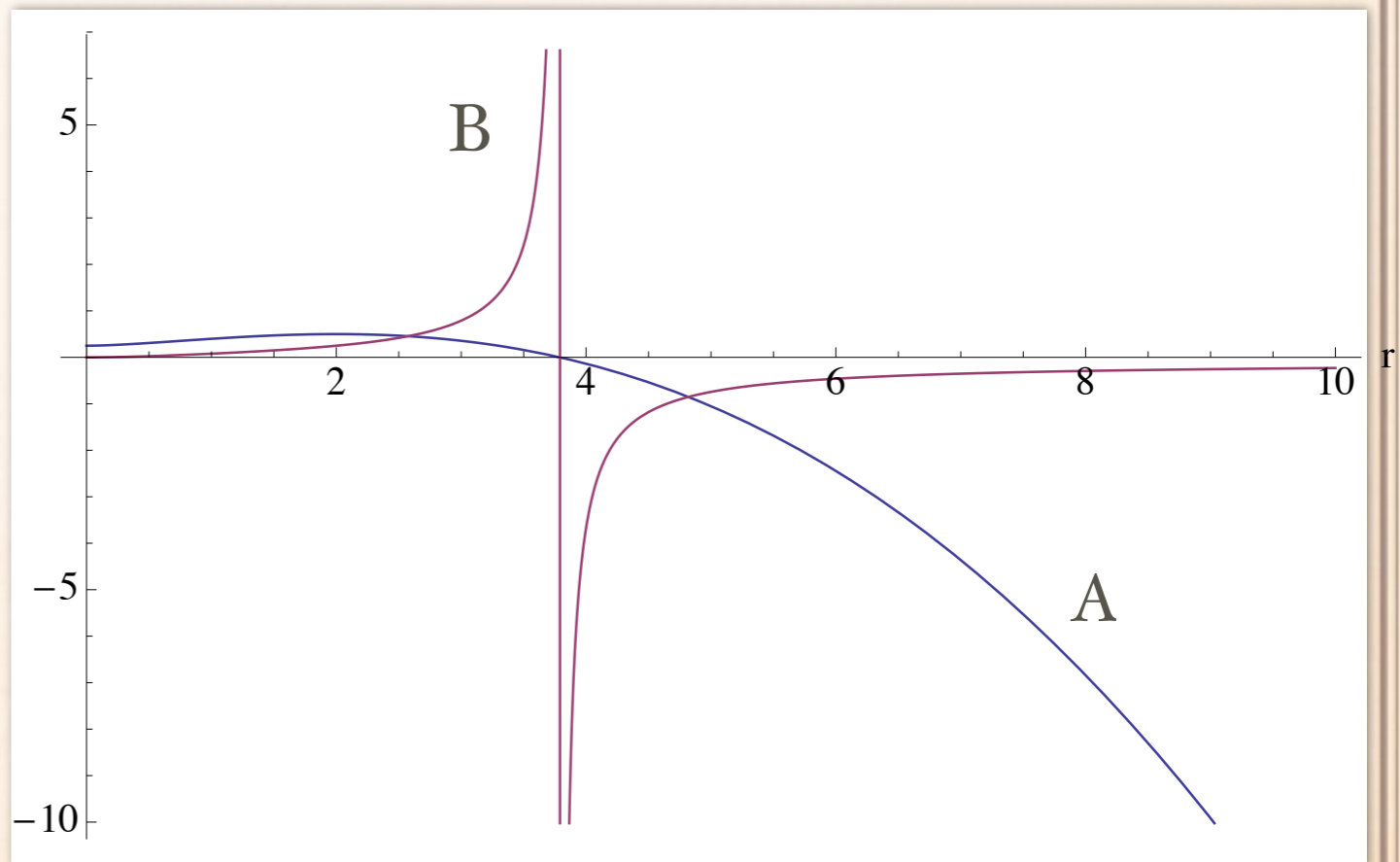
EXAMPLE

$$ds^2 = -A dt^2 + B dr^2 + C (d\theta^2 + \sin^2\theta d\phi^2),$$

$$A = \frac{A_0}{4} \left[r^2 - 2r^2 \log\left(\frac{r}{2}\right) + 4 \right],$$

$$B = \frac{r^2}{2K_0 \left[r^2 - 2r^2 \log\left(\frac{r}{2}\right) + 4 \right]},$$

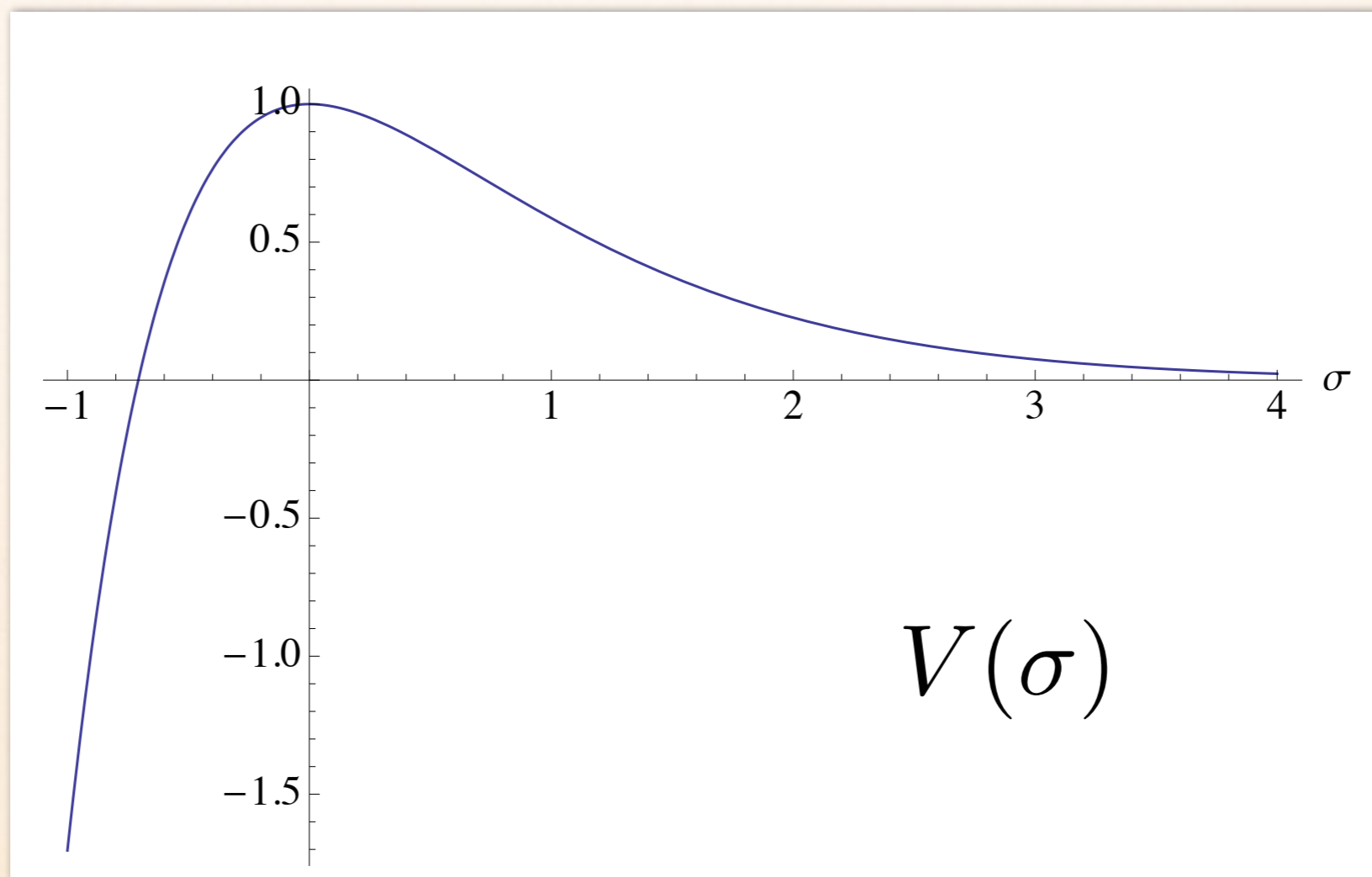
$$C = \frac{r^2}{4K_0}.$$



EXAMPLE

$$\sigma = \sqrt{2} \log \left(\frac{r}{2} \right),$$

$$V = K_0 e^{-\sqrt{2}\sigma} (\sqrt{2}\sigma + 1)$$



CONCLUSIONS

- ❖ We have presented a new method to **reconstruct** solutions of Einstein's equations using $1+1+2$ scalar variables
- ❖ The new method allows to find a number of **new exact spherically symmetric solutions in General Relativity**
- ❖ We can impose some **restrictions on the type of solution** i.e. the implementation of the WEC and Asymptotic Flatness
- ❖ The new technique is also useful to **find exact solutions in the presence scalar fields.**
- ❖ **Extensions?**