

# **Improved dynamics and gravitational waveforms from relativistic core collapse simulations**

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## Introduction

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### Gravitational Waves from Core Collapse Supernovae:

- Müller, 1982 : 2D Newtonian finite-differences simulations  
→ low efficiencies of core collapse generating GW.
- Finn & Evans, 1990 : Confirmed Müller's results and improved quadrupole formula.
- Bonazzola & Marck, 1993 : 3D simulations using pseudospectral methods → still low efficiencies.
- Zwerger & Müller, 1997
- Dimmelmeier, Font & Müller, 2001 : First relativistic attempt.  
2D axisymmetric simulations with CFC metric (Isenberg, Wilson & Mathews)
- Shibata & Sekiguchi (in preparation) : Full General Relativistic simulations in 2D using cartoon method

In all cases initial models were **rotating polytropes**.

## CFC → CFC+

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- CFC
  - 5 Elliptic equations → stability.
  - Exact Full GR in spherical symmetry .
  - Without spherical symmetry has the same precision as first Post-Newtonian order (Kley & Schäfer, 1999).
  - Satisfy ADM constraint equations in core collapse scenarios (Dimmelmeier, Font & Müller, 2001).
- CFC+  
**Extension of CFC by Second Post-Newtonian Terms (G.Faye):**
  - Appear non-diagonal terms in Spatial part of metric .
  - We still don't have radiation reaction (appears at 2.5 PN order).

## Motivation

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- CFC approximation vs Full General Relativity.
  - Elliptic equations is a way to get **stable equations**.  
(Full General Relativistic equations are unstable and complicated).
  - In Core Collapse SNe and pulsating NS, CFC seems to be enough.
- **Assessment of CFC** approximation in core collapse supernovae.
- Study **other scenarios** such as collapse to BH or extreme rotating configurations of NS.
  - Failed supernova (collapsar model of GRB).
  - Late stage of coalescing neutron stars.
  - Self gravitating tori around black hole (runaway instability, magneto-rotational instability).

## **Formulation - {3+1}**

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### **{3+1} metric**

$$ds^2 = g_{\mu\nu} dx^\mu dx^\nu = -\alpha^2 dt^2 + \gamma_{ij}(dx^i + \beta^i dt)(dx^j + \beta^j dt)$$

### **Extrinsic curvature**

$$K_{ij} = -\frac{1}{2}\mathcal{L}_{n^\mu}\gamma_{ij}$$

### **Evolution equations**

$$\begin{aligned}\partial_t \gamma_{ij} &= -2\alpha K_{ij} + \nabla_i \beta_j + \nabla_j \beta_i \\ \partial_t K_{ij} &= -\nabla_i \nabla_j \alpha + \alpha(R_{ij} + KK_{ij} - 2K_{ik}K_j^k) + \beta^k \nabla_k K_{ij} \\ &\quad + K_{ik} \nabla_j \beta^k + K_{jk} \nabla_i \beta^k - 8\pi \alpha \left( S_{ij} - \frac{\gamma_{ij}}{2}(S - \rho_H) \right)\end{aligned}$$

### **Constraint equations**

$$\begin{aligned}R + K^2 - K_{ij}K^{ij} - 16\pi\rho_H &= 0 \\ \nabla_i(K^{ij} - \gamma^{ij}K) - 8\pi S^j &= 0\end{aligned}$$

## Formulation - CFC

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**Conformal flat metric:**

$$\gamma_{ij}^{CFC} = \phi^4 \hat{\gamma}_{ij} \quad \rightarrow \quad \gamma_{ij}^{CFC} = 0 \quad \text{if} \quad i \neq j$$

**Maximal slicing condition:**

$$K_i^i = 0$$

**Equations for  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta^i$ , and  $\phi$ :**

$$\begin{aligned}\hat{\Delta}\phi &= -2\pi\phi^5 \left( \rho h W^2 - P + \frac{K_{ij} K^{ij}}{16\pi} \right) \\ \hat{\Delta}(\alpha\phi) &= 2\pi\alpha\phi^5 \left( \rho h(3W^2 - 2) + 5P + \frac{7K_{ij} K^{ij}}{16\pi} \right) \\ \hat{\Delta}\beta^i &= 16\pi\alpha\phi^5 S^i + 2K^{ij} \hat{\nabla}_j \left( \frac{\alpha}{\phi^6} \right) - \frac{1}{3} \hat{\nabla}^i \hat{\nabla}_k \beta^k\end{aligned}$$

$\hat{\Delta}$  : Laplacian with respect to the flat metric  $\hat{\gamma}_{ij}$

## Formulation - CFC+

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**CFC+ metric:**

$$\gamma_{ij}^{CFC+} = \gamma_{ij}^{CFC} + h_{ij}^{TT} \quad \rightarrow \quad Tr h^{TT} = 0$$

The Second Post-Newtonian deviation from isotropy is the solution of

$$\Delta h_{ij}^{TT} = \frac{1}{c^4} \delta^{TT}{}_{ij}^{kl} (-16\pi\rho v_k v_l - 4\partial_k U \partial_l U) + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{1}{c^6}\right)$$

**Modified equations for  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta^i$ , and  $\phi$ :**

$$\begin{aligned}\hat{\Delta}\phi &= -2\pi\phi^5 \left( \rho h W^2 - P + \frac{K_{ij} K^{ij}}{16\pi} \right) \\ \hat{\Delta}(\alpha\phi) &= 2\pi\alpha\phi^5 \left( \rho h (3W^2 - 2) + 5P + \frac{7K_{ij} K^{ij}}{16\pi} \right) - \frac{1}{c^2} h_{ij}^{TT} \partial_{ij} U \\ \hat{\Delta}\beta^i &= 16\pi\alpha\phi^5 S^i + 2K^{ij} \hat{\nabla}_j \left( \frac{\alpha}{\phi^6} \right) - \frac{1}{3} \hat{\nabla}^i \hat{\nabla}_k \beta^k\end{aligned}$$

## Formulation - CFC+

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We can solve  $h_{ij}^{TT}$  equations introducing some intermediate potentials

$$\left. \begin{array}{lcl} (\Delta\mathcal{S})_i & = & (-4\pi\rho v_i v_j - \partial_i U \partial_j U) x^j \\ (\Delta\mathcal{S})_{ij} & = & -4\pi\rho v_i v_j - \partial_i U \partial_j U \\ \Delta\mathcal{S} & = & -4\pi\rho v_i v_j x^i x^j \\ (\Delta\mathcal{T})_i & = & (-4\pi\rho v_j v^j - \partial_j U \partial^j U) x_i \\ (\Delta\mathcal{R})_i & = & \partial_i (\partial_k U \partial_l U) x^k x^l. \end{array} \right\} \text{16 elliptic equations}$$

such that,

$$\begin{aligned} h_{ij}^{TT} = & \frac{1}{2}\mathcal{S}_{ij} - \frac{7}{4}\delta_{ij}\mathcal{S}_k^k - 3x^k \partial_{(i}\mathcal{S}_{j)k} + 3\partial_{(i}\mathcal{S}_{j)} + \frac{1}{4}x^j \partial_i \mathcal{S}_k^k \\ & - \frac{1}{4}\partial_i \mathcal{T}_j - \frac{1}{2}x^k \partial_{ij}\mathcal{S}_k + \frac{1}{4}x^k x^l \partial_{ij}\mathcal{S}_{kl} + \frac{1}{4}\partial_{ij}\mathcal{S} - \frac{1}{4}\partial_i \mathcal{R}_j \end{aligned}$$

## Formulation - Hydrodynamics

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**Conserved quantities:**

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} D = -J^\mu n_\mu = \rho W \\ S^i = -\perp_\nu^i T^{\mu\nu} n_\mu = \rho h W^2 v^i \\ \tau = T^{\mu\nu} n_\mu n_\nu - J^\mu n_\mu = \rho h W^2 - P - D \end{array} \right\} F^0 = (D, S_j, \tau)$$

**General Relativistic Hydrodynamic Equations written as flux-conservative hyperbolic system of conservation laws:**

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{-g}} \left[ \frac{\partial \sqrt{\gamma} F^0}{\partial x^0} + \frac{\partial \sqrt{-g} F^i}{\partial x^i} \right] = Q$$

$F^0$  : **state vector**

$F^i$  : **flux vector**

$Q$  : **source vector**

**Sources:**

$$Q = \left( 0, T^{\mu\nu} \left( \frac{\partial g_{\mu j}}{\partial x^\mu} - \Gamma_{\mu\nu}^\lambda g_{\lambda j} \right), \alpha \left( T^{\mu 0} \frac{\partial \ln \alpha}{\partial x^\mu} - T^{\mu\nu} \Gamma_{\mu\nu}^0 \right) \right)$$

## Numerical Methods - Grid setup

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- **2D Axisymmetric code** with  $v_\phi \neq 0$  + **Equatorial symmetry**  
(Dimmelmeier et al, 2001)
- Spherical polar coordinates  $(r, \theta)$
- Equidistant  $\Delta\theta$
- logarithmic  $\Delta r_i$  (for Core Collapse) or equidistant  $\Delta r_i$  (for NS)
- Regions
  - Star
  - Atmosphere
  - Extended outer domain for CFC+ metric calculations

## Numerical Methods - Hydrodynamics

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We use High Resolution Shock Capturing (HRSC) Methods.

- Reconstruction of hydro quantities ( $\rho, v_i, \epsilon$ ) at cell interfaces → **PPM (third order reconstruction)**
- Solve approximate Riemann problem at each cell, calculate fluxes through interfaces → **Marquina flux formula**
  - Eigenvectors in CFC : diagonal  $\gamma_{ij}$  (Banyuls et al. 1997).
  - Eigenvectors in CFC+ : general metric (Font et al. 2000).
- Time evolution of conserved quantities ( $D, S_i, \tau$ ) → **third order Runge-Kutta method**
- Recovery of Hydro quantities ( $\rho, v_i, \epsilon$ )

## Numerical Methods - Metric Solver

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- Intermediate potentials:  $\mathcal{S}_i, \mathcal{S}_{ij}, \mathcal{S}, \mathcal{T}_i, \mathcal{R}_i$ 
  - Linear solver (LU decomposition using standard LAPACK routines)
  - Spectral methods using LORENE (Work in progress... )
- CFC quantities:  $\phi, \alpha, \beta^i$ 
  - Newton-Raphson with sparse linear solver
  - Integral formulation with Green's functions
  - Spectral methods LORENE

# Numerical Methods - Metric Solver

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## Boundary conditions

Multipole development in compact supported integrals:

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{S}^i &= \frac{1}{r} \int d^3x \rho (v^i v_k x^k + x^i (U + x^k \partial_k U)) + \frac{M^2}{2r} n^i + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{1}{r^2}\right) \\ \mathcal{S}^{ij} &= \frac{1}{r} \int d^3x \rho (v^i v^j + \frac{\delta^{ij}}{2} + x^j \partial_i U) + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{1}{r^2}\right) \\ \mathcal{S} &= \frac{1}{r} \int d^3x \rho v_k v_l x^k x^l + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{1}{r^2}\right) \\ \mathcal{T}^i &= \frac{1}{r} \int d^3x \rho (v_k v^k x^i + x^i U) + \frac{M^2}{2r} n^i + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{1}{r^2}\right) \\ \mathcal{R}^i &= \frac{M^2 n^i}{r} + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{1}{r^2}\right)\end{aligned}$$

# Numerical Methods - Gravitational Wave Extraction

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## Quadrupole Formula

$$h_{\theta\theta}^{TT} = \frac{1}{8} \sqrt{\frac{15}{\pi}} \sin \theta^2 \frac{A_{20}^{E2}}{r}$$
$$A_{20}^{E2} = \frac{d^2 M_{20}^{E2}}{dt^2} = \frac{d^2}{dt^2} \left( \frac{32\pi^{3/2}}{\sqrt{15}} \int \rho \left( \frac{3}{2} \cos \theta^2 - \frac{1}{2} \right) r^4 \sin \theta dr d\theta \right)$$

## Stress formula (Blanchet, Damour & Schäfer 1990)

$$A_{20}^{E2} = \frac{32\pi^{3/2}}{\sqrt{15}} \int \rho \left( v_r v_r (3 \cos \theta^2 - 1) + v_\theta v_\theta (2 - 3 \cos \theta^2) - v_\phi v_\phi \right.$$
$$\left. - 6v_r v_\theta \sin \theta \cos \theta - r \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial r} (2 \cos \theta^2 - 1) + 3 \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial \theta} \sin \theta \cos \theta \right) r^2 \sin \theta dr d\theta$$

## Results - Rotating Neutron Star

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We have generated **initial models** for rotating NS in equilibrium using Hachisu's self-consistent field method (Komatsu, Eriguchi & Hachisu, 1998).

Free parameters:

- $\rho_c$  : central density
- $r_p/r_e$  : ratio of equatorial to polar radius.
- $A$  : rotational law

$$\Omega = \frac{\Omega_C}{1 + d^2/A^2}$$

$A \gg R \rightarrow$  rigid rotation

$A < R \rightarrow$  differential rotation

For the spherical models we use TOV solution.

## Results - Rotating Neutron Star

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RNS models used:

- **Non Rotating (Spherical) Neutron Stars**

$$\rho_c = 7.91 \times 10^{14} g \text{ cm}^{-3}$$

**Polytropic equation of state :**  $P = K\rho^\gamma$

**$K = 100$  ( $G = c = M_\odot = 1$ ) and  $\gamma = 2$**

**$M = 1.4M_\odot$  and  $R = 14.15 \text{ km}$**

- **Rotating Neutron Stars**

$$\rho_c = 7.91 \times 10^{14} g \text{ cm}^{-3}$$

**rigid rotation :**  $A \rightarrow \infty$

$$r_p/r_e = 0.7$$

**Polytropic equation of state :**  $P = K\rho^\gamma$

**$K = 100$  ( $G = c = M_\odot = 1$ ) and  $\gamma = 2$**

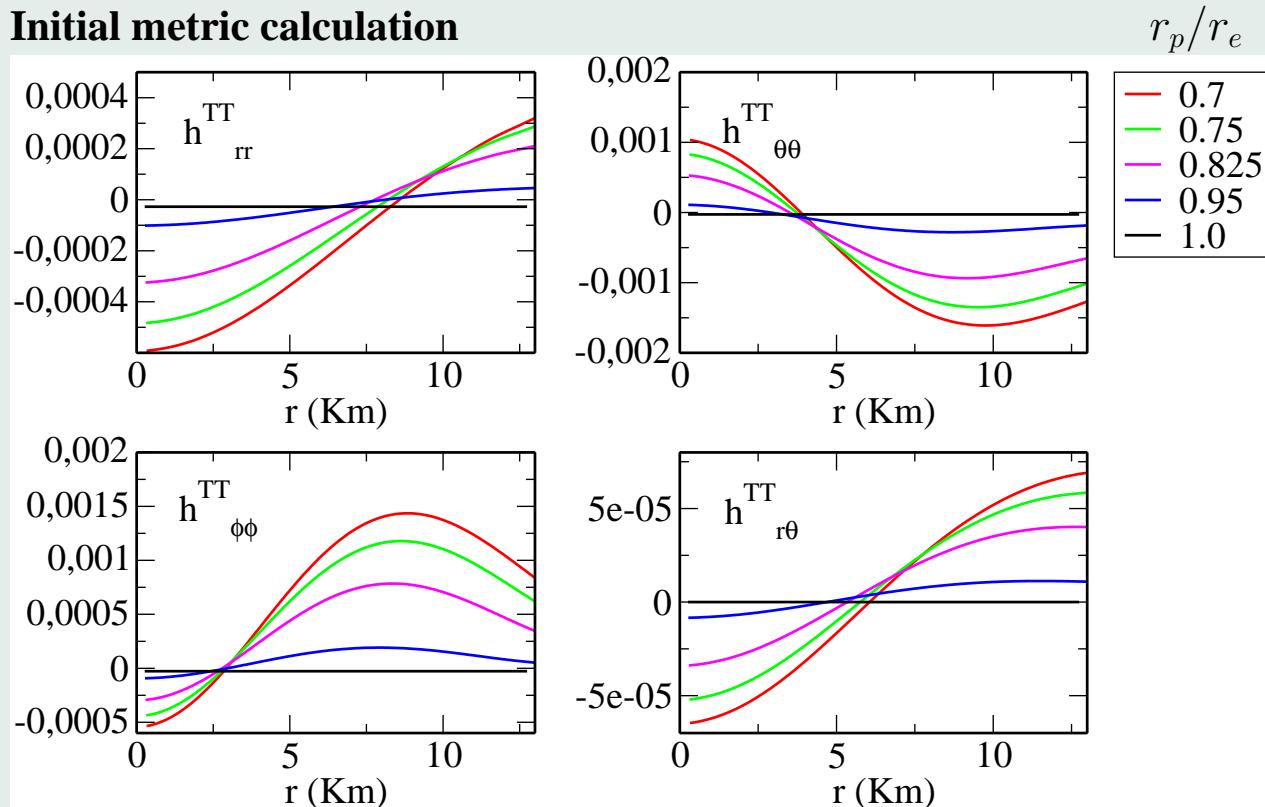
**$M = 1.63M_\odot$**

**$r_e = 19.6 \text{ km}$**

**$\Omega = 4997 s^{-1} \rightarrow 93\% \text{ mass-shedding limit.}$**

## Results - Rotating Neutron Star

### Initial metric calculation

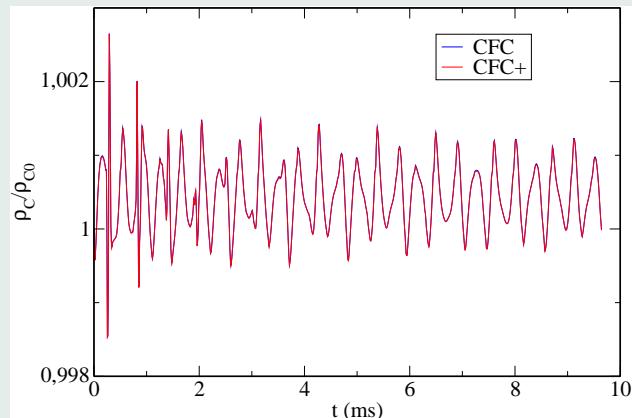


$$n_r = 150, n_\theta = 20$$

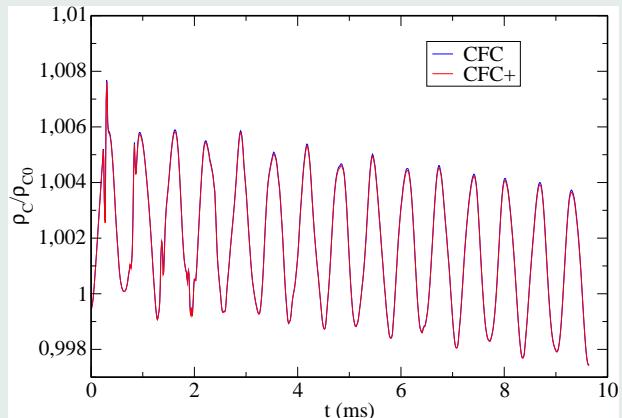
## Results - Radial Modes of spherical NS

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Fixed Space-Time



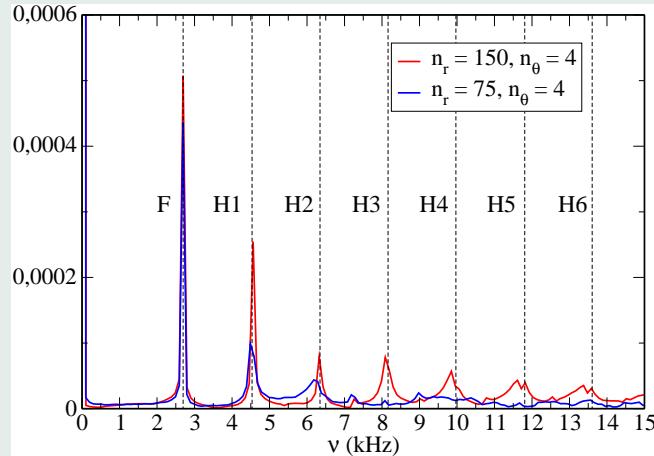
Coupled evolution



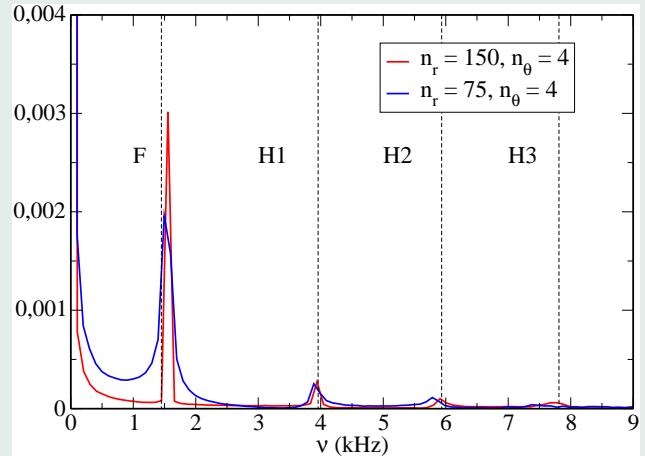
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# Results - Radial Modes of spherical NS

## Fixed Space-Time



## Coupled evolution



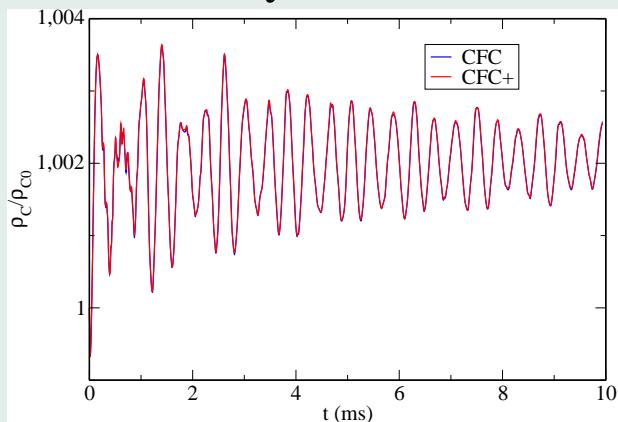
	<b>CFC+</b>	<b>GR Code *</b>	<b>Rel.Diff.</b>
<b>Mode</b>	<b>(kHz)</b>	<b>(kHz)</b>	<b>(%)</b>
F	<b>2.74</b>	<b>2.696</b>	<b>1.6</b>
H1	<b>4.58</b>	<b>4.534</b>	<b>1.0</b>
H2	<b>6.35</b>	<b>6.346</b>	<b>0.06</b>
H3	<b>8.12</b>	<b>8.161</b>	<b>0.5</b>
H4	<b>9.84</b>	<b>9.971</b>	<b>1.3</b>
H5	<b>11.88</b>	<b>11.806</b>	<b>0.6</b>
H6	<b>13.47</b>	<b>13.605</b>	<b>1.0</b>

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<b>Mode</b>	<b>(kHz)</b>	<b>(kHz)</b>	<b>(%)</b>
F	<b>1.57</b>	<b>1.450</b>	<b>8</b>
H1	<b>3.94</b>	<b>3.958</b>	<b>0.5</b>
H2	<b>5.91</b>	<b>5.935</b>	<b>0.4</b>
H3	<b>7.74</b>	<b>7.812</b>	<b>0.9</b>

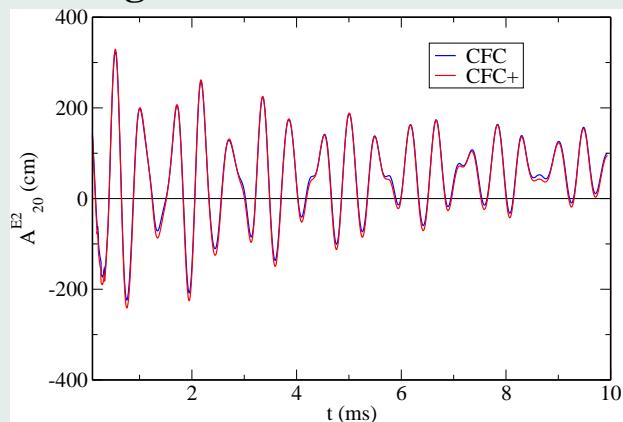
# Results - Quasi-Radial Modes of RNS - Fixed Space-Time

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Central density

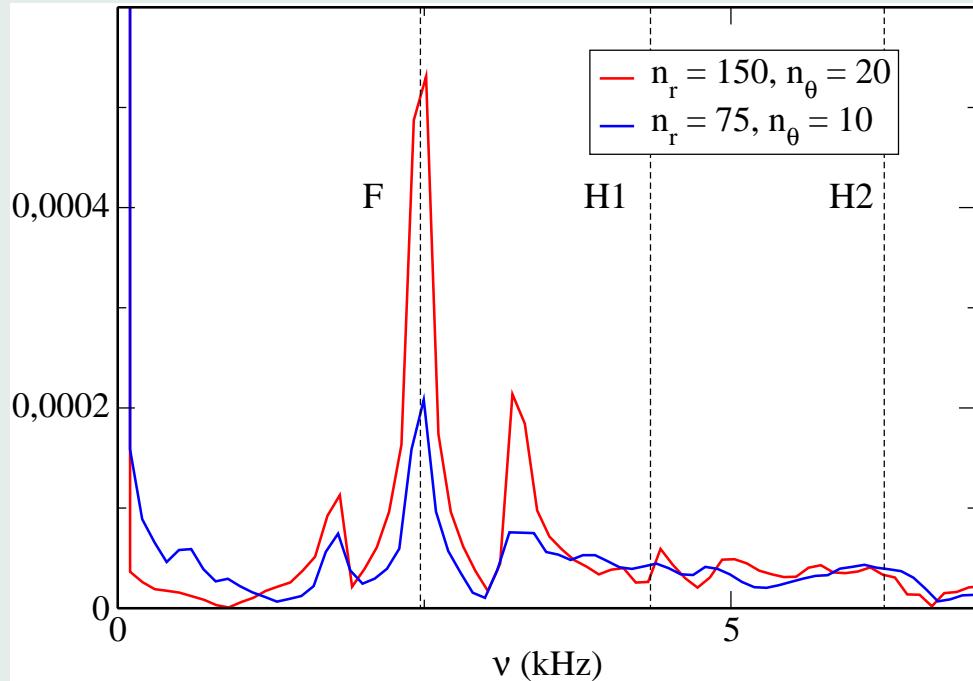


GW signal



$$n_r = 150, n_\theta = 20$$

## Results - Quasi-Radial Modes of RNS - Fixed Space-Time

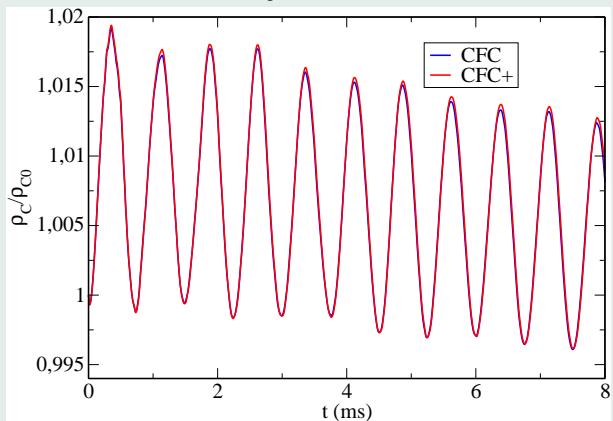


Mode	CFC+ (kHz)	GR Code * (kHz)	Rel.Dif. (%)
F	2.51	2.468	1.7
H1	4.44	4.344	2

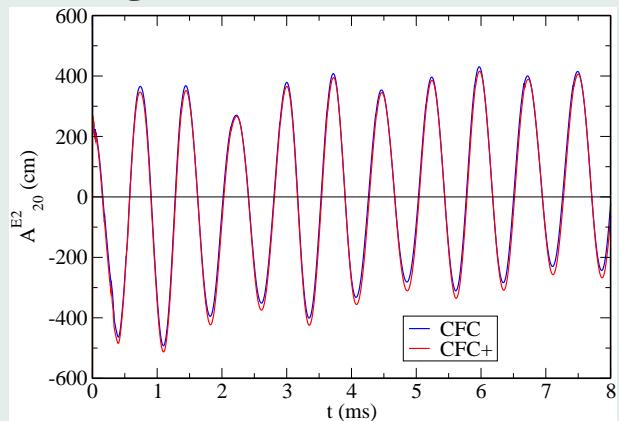
## Results - Quasi-Radial Modes of RNS - Coupled evolution

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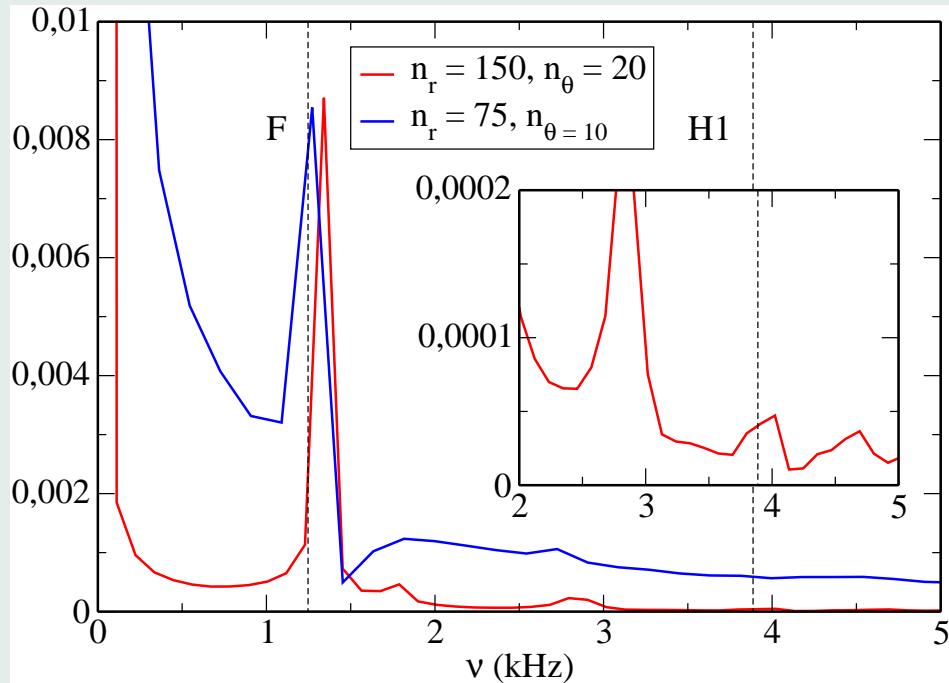


GW signal



$$n_r = 150, n_\theta = 20$$

## Results - Quasi-Radial Modes of RNS - Coupled evolution



Mode	CFC+ (kHz)	GR Code * (kHz)	Rel.Dif. (%)
F	1.35	1.247	8
H1	4.03	3.887	4

## Results - Core Collapse Supernova

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Iron Core → Rotating 4/3 polytope

$$\rho_c = 10^{10} \text{ g cm}^{-3}$$

**A1B3G5**

$$A = 50 \times 10^8 \text{ cm}$$

**(rigid rotation)**

$$r_p/r_e = 0.665$$

$$\beta \equiv \frac{\|T\|}{\|W\|} = 0.894\%$$

**A4B5G5**

$$A = 0.1 \times 10^8 \text{ cm}$$

**(differential rotation)**

$$r_p/r_e = 0.63$$

$$\beta \equiv \frac{\|T\|}{\|W\|} = 4\%$$

Polytropic equation of state :  $P = K\rho^\gamma$  with  $\gamma = 4/3$

Collapse begins reducing  $\gamma$ :  $4/3 \rightarrow 1.28$

During collapse we use hybrid equation of state:

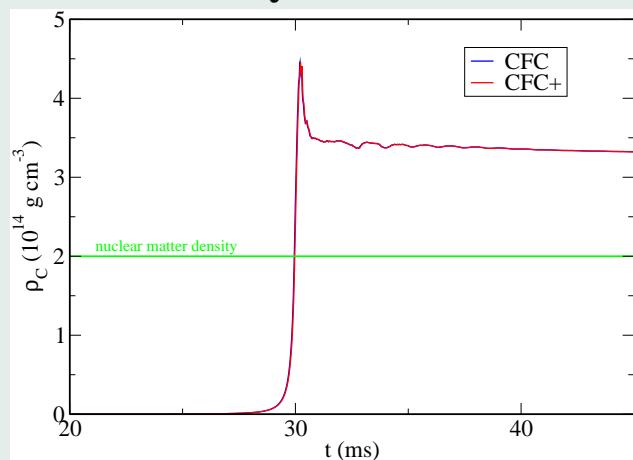
$$\begin{aligned} P &= P_{th} + P_p \\ P_{th} &= (\gamma_{th} - 1)\rho\epsilon_{th} \quad P_p = K\rho^\gamma \end{aligned}$$

with  $\gamma_{th} = 1.5$  and  $\gamma \{ \begin{array}{ll} 1.28 & \text{if } \rho < \rho_{nuc} \\ 2.5 & \text{if } \rho \geq \rho_{nuc} \end{array}$

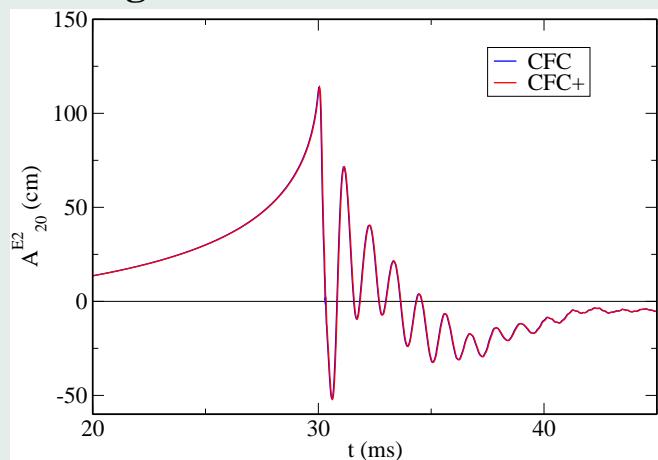
# Results - Core Collapse Supernova

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**Central density**



**GW signal**



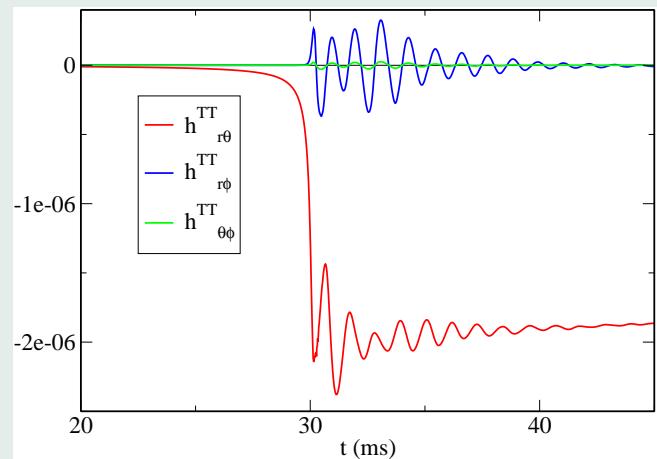
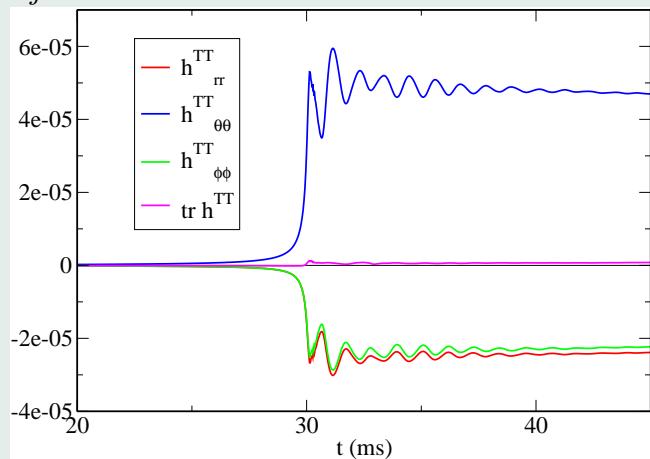
**A1B3G5 model**

$n_r = 300, n_\theta = 30$

# Results - Core Collapse Supernova

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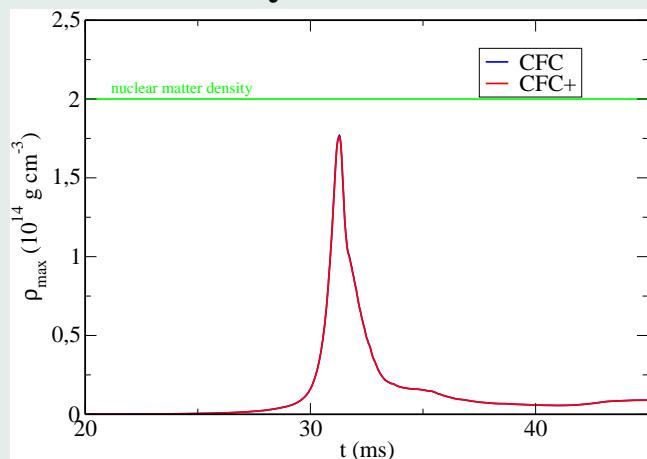
$h_{ij}^{TT}$  correction at center



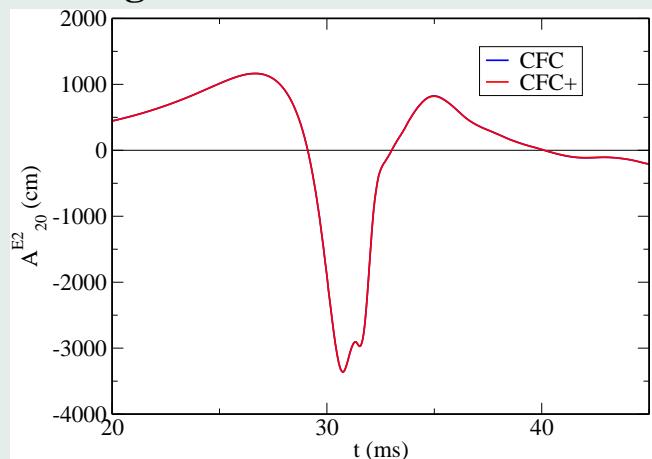
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**Central density**



**GW signal**



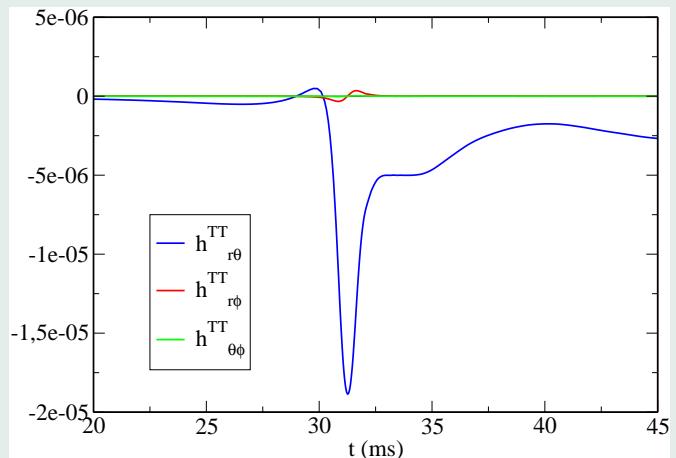
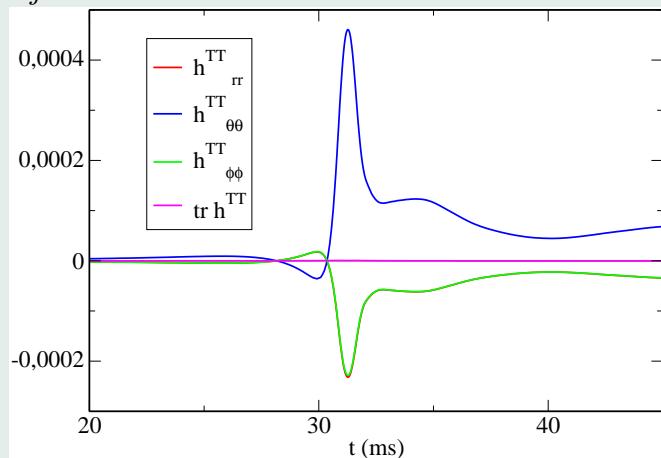
**A4B5G5 model**

$n_r = 300, n_\theta = 30$

# Results - Core Collapse Supernova

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$h_{ij}^{TT}$  correction at center



# Conclusions

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- CFC and CFC+ are **stable methods** for calculating the metric in axisymmetry (without the stability problems of actual Full General Relativistic codes).
- CFC and CFC+ codes have **lower computational cost** than actual Full Relativistic ones.
- In the pulsating NS and Core Collapse SNe scenario **CFC seems to be enough** to describe the dynamics of the system:
  - Second Post-Newtonian deviations from isotropy are very small.
  - good agreement with Full General Relativistic codes.
- We need to study scenarios where **CFC+ approximation is better than CFC**:
  - Collapse to Black Hole.
  - Coalescing Neutron Stars (initial models).
  - Self gravitating tori around black hole.

## In the future..

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- Improve metric calculation using LORENE (Work in progress in collaboration with J. Novak).
- Explore the **full parameter-space** in the Core Collapse SNe scenario.
- **Improve Physics**
  - More **realistic equation of state**  
(Work in progress in collaboration with J. Pons).
  - Simplified **neutrino transport**.
  - **Magnetic fields**.