

A Directive for obtaining (Algebraically) General Solutions in General Relativity

based on the canonical Killing tensor forms
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- An appropriate **formalism** to encode physical or geometric information
- Additional mathematical assumptions, such as **symmetries**

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A derivation on null basis reveals the 1-forms and the 12 complex scalar spin-coefficients

$$d\theta^\alpha = -\Gamma_{\mu\nu}^\alpha \theta^\mu \wedge \theta^\nu$$

$$\lambda = -n_{\mu;\nu} \bar{m}^\mu \bar{m}^\nu = -\Gamma_{232}$$

$$\rho = l_{\mu;\nu} m^\mu \bar{m}^\nu = \Gamma_{142}$$

$$\pi = -n_{\mu;\nu} \bar{m}^\mu l^\nu = -\Gamma_{234}$$

$$\kappa = l_{\mu;\nu} m^\mu l^\nu = \Gamma_{144}$$

$$\beta = \frac{1}{2}(l_{\mu;\nu} n^\mu m^\nu - m_{\mu;\nu} \bar{m}^\mu m^\nu) = \frac{1}{2}(\Gamma_{341} - \Gamma_{211})$$

$$\epsilon = \frac{1}{2}(l_{\mu;\nu} n^\mu l^\nu - m_{\mu;\nu} \bar{m}^\mu l^\nu) = \frac{1}{2}(\Gamma_{344} - \Gamma_{214})$$

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$$\alpha = \frac{1}{2}(l_{\mu;\nu} n^\mu \bar{m}^\nu - m_{\mu;\nu} \bar{m}^\mu \bar{m}^\nu) = \frac{1}{2}(\Gamma_{432} - \Gamma_{122})$$

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$$[\delta + \bar{\delta}, D] = (\alpha + \bar{\alpha} + \beta + \bar{\beta} - \pi - \bar{\pi})D + (\kappa + \bar{\kappa})\Delta - (\bar{\rho} + \epsilon - \bar{\epsilon})\delta - (\rho - \epsilon + \bar{\epsilon})\bar{\delta} \quad (\text{CR2}_+)$$

$$[\delta - \bar{\delta}, D] = (-\alpha + \bar{\alpha} + \beta - \bar{\beta} + \pi - \bar{\pi})D + (\kappa - \bar{\kappa})\Delta - (\bar{\rho} + \epsilon - \bar{\epsilon})\delta + (\rho - \epsilon + \bar{\epsilon})\bar{\delta} \quad (\text{CR2}_-)$$

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Weyl Scalars

$$\Psi_0 = C_{\kappa\lambda\mu\nu} n^\kappa m^\lambda n^\mu m^\nu$$

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$$\Psi_2 = C_{\kappa\lambda\mu\nu} n^\kappa m^\lambda \bar{m}^\mu l^\nu$$

$$\Psi_3 = C_{\kappa\lambda\mu\nu} l^\kappa n^\lambda l^\mu \bar{m}^\nu$$

$$\Psi_4 = C_{\kappa\lambda\mu\nu} l^\kappa \bar{m}^\lambda l^\mu \bar{m}^\nu$$

Real Ricci Scalars

$$\Phi_{00} = \frac{1}{2} R_{\mu\nu} n^\mu n^\nu$$

$$\Phi_{11} = \frac{1}{4} R_{\mu\nu} (n^\mu l^\nu + m^\mu \bar{m}^\nu)$$

$$\Phi_{22} = \frac{1}{2} R_{\mu\nu} l^\mu l^\nu$$

Complex Ricci Scalars

$$\Phi_{01} = \frac{1}{2} R_{\mu\nu} n^\mu m^\nu$$

$$\Phi_{02} = \frac{1}{2} R_{\mu\nu} n^\mu m^\nu$$

$$\Phi_{12} = \frac{1}{2} R_{\mu\nu} l^\mu m^\nu$$

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Newman-Penrose Field Equations (NPE) of the formalism in vacuum with Λ

$$\begin{aligned}
 D\rho - \bar{\delta}\kappa &= \rho^2 + \sigma\bar{\sigma} + \rho(\epsilon + \bar{\epsilon}) - \bar{\kappa}\tau - \kappa[2(\alpha + \bar{\beta}) + (\alpha - \bar{\beta}) - \pi] & (a) \\
 d\kappa - D\sigma &= -(\rho + \bar{\rho} + 3\epsilon - \bar{\epsilon})\sigma + \kappa[\tau - \bar{\pi} + 2(\bar{\alpha} + \beta) - (\bar{\alpha} - \beta)] - \Psi_0 & (b) \\
 D\tau &= \Delta\kappa + \rho(\tau + \bar{\pi}) + \sigma(\pi + \bar{\tau}) + \tau(\epsilon - \bar{\epsilon}) - 2\kappa\gamma - \kappa(\gamma + \bar{\gamma}) + \Psi_1 & (c) \\
 D\nu - \Delta\pi &= \mu(\pi + \bar{\tau}) + \lambda(\bar{\pi} + \tau) + \pi(\gamma - \bar{\gamma}) - 2\nu\epsilon - \nu(\epsilon + \bar{\epsilon}) + \Psi_3 & (i) \\
 \bar{\delta}\pi - D\lambda &= -\pi(\pi + \alpha - \bar{\beta}) - \bar{\sigma}\mu + \nu\bar{\kappa} + \lambda(3\epsilon - \bar{\epsilon}) & (g) \\
 \delta\tau - \Delta\sigma &= \mu\sigma + \bar{\lambda}\rho + \tau(\tau - \bar{\alpha} + \beta) - \sigma(3\gamma - \bar{\gamma}) - \bar{\nu}\kappa & (p) \\
 D\mu - \delta\pi &= \mu\bar{\rho} + \sigma\lambda + \pi(\bar{\pi} - \bar{\alpha} + \beta) - \mu(\epsilon + \bar{\epsilon}) - \kappa\nu + \Psi_2 + 2\Lambda & (h) \\
 \delta\nu - \Delta\mu &= \mu(\mu + \gamma + \bar{\gamma}) + \lambda\bar{\lambda} - \bar{\nu}\pi + \nu(\tau - 2(\bar{\alpha} + \beta) + (\bar{\alpha} - \beta)) & (n) \\
 \Delta\rho - \bar{\delta}\tau &= -(\bar{\mu}\rho + \sigma\lambda) - \tau(\bar{\tau} + \alpha - \bar{\beta}) + \nu\kappa + \rho(\gamma + \bar{\gamma}) - \Psi_2 - 2\Lambda & (q) \\
 \delta\rho - \bar{\delta}\sigma &= \rho(\bar{\alpha} + \beta) - \sigma(3\alpha - \bar{\beta}) + \tau(\rho - \bar{\rho}) + \kappa(\mu - \bar{\mu}) - \Psi_1 & (k) \\
 \bar{\delta}\mu - \delta\lambda &= -\mu(\alpha + \bar{\beta}) - \pi(\mu - \bar{\mu}) - \nu(\rho - \bar{\rho}) - \lambda(\bar{\alpha} - 3\beta) + \Psi_3 & (m) \\
 D\alpha - \bar{\delta}\epsilon &= \alpha(\rho + \bar{\epsilon} - 2\epsilon) + \beta\bar{\sigma} - \bar{\beta}\epsilon - \kappa\lambda - \bar{\kappa}\gamma + \pi(\epsilon + \rho) & (d) \\
 D\beta - \delta\epsilon &= \sigma(\alpha + \pi) + \beta(\bar{\rho} - \bar{\epsilon}) - \kappa(\mu + \gamma) - \epsilon(\bar{\alpha} - \bar{\pi}) + \Psi_1 & (e) \\
 \Delta\alpha - \bar{\delta}\gamma &= \nu(\epsilon + \rho) - \lambda(\tau + \beta) + \alpha(\bar{\gamma} - \bar{\mu}) + \gamma(\bar{\beta} - \bar{\tau}) - \Psi_3 & (r) \\
 -\Delta\beta + \delta\gamma &= \gamma(\tau - \bar{\alpha} - \beta) + \mu\tau - \sigma\nu - \epsilon\bar{\nu} - \beta(\gamma - \bar{\gamma} - \mu) & (o) \\
 \delta\alpha - \bar{\delta}\beta &= \mu\rho - \sigma\lambda + \alpha(\bar{\alpha} - \beta) - \beta(\alpha - \bar{\beta}) + \gamma(\rho - \bar{\rho}) + \epsilon(\mu - \bar{\mu}) - \Psi_2 + \Lambda & (l) \\
 D\gamma - \Delta\epsilon &= \alpha(\tau + \bar{\pi}) + \beta(\bar{\tau} + \pi) - \gamma(\epsilon + \bar{\epsilon}) - \epsilon(\gamma + \bar{\gamma}) + \Psi_2 - \Lambda - \kappa\nu + \tau\pi & (f) \\
 \bar{\delta}\nu - \Delta\lambda &= \lambda(\mu + \bar{\mu} + 3\gamma - \bar{\gamma}) - \nu[2(\alpha + \bar{\beta}) + (\alpha - \bar{\beta}) + \pi - \bar{\tau}] + \Psi_4 & (j)
 \end{aligned}$$

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The most known form of type I

$$\Psi_0 \Psi_4 \neq (3\Psi_2)^2$$

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Other versions of type D ⁴

$$\Psi_0 \Psi_4 = (3\Psi_2)^2$$

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where p_μ are the coordinates or equivalently the canonical momenta.

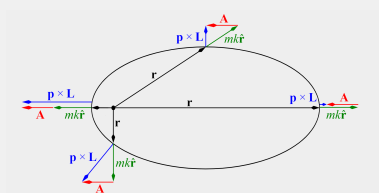
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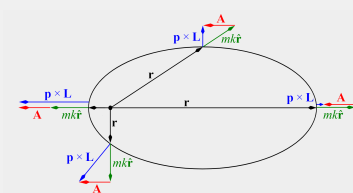
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Algebraically general solutions do not admit Killing-Yano or Penrose-Floyd tensors^{9, 10}.

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The components of $\mathcal{K}$ called Stäckel-Killing tensors and satisfy the **Killing equation**¹¹.

- Killing vector is a 1-rank Killing tensor and concerns explicit symmetries

$$K_{(\mu;\alpha)} = 0 \quad (\text{KV})$$

- Killing tensor is a 2-rank Killing tensor and concerns hidden symmetries

$$K_{(\mu\nu;\alpha)} = 0 \quad (\text{KT})$$

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Canonical Forms of Killing Tensor

In line with Churchill ¹² we obtained the Canonical forms of Killing tensor ¹³,

Canonical Forms	Eigenvalues
$K_{\mu\nu}^0 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \lambda_1 & -p & -\bar{p} \\ \lambda_1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -p & 0 & \lambda_7 & \lambda_2 \\ -\bar{p} & 0 & \lambda_2 & \lambda_7 \end{pmatrix}$	$\lambda_1, \lambda_1, \lambda_1, -(\lambda_2 \pm \lambda_7)$
$K_{\mu\nu}^1 = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_0 & \lambda_1 & 0 & 0 \\ \lambda_1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \lambda_7 & \lambda_2 \\ 0 & 0 & \lambda_2 & \lambda_7 \end{pmatrix}$	$\lambda_1, \lambda_1, -(\lambda_2 \pm \lambda_7)$
$\Rightarrow K_{\mu\nu}^2 = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_0 & \lambda_1 & 0 & 0 \\ \lambda_1 & \lambda_0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \lambda_7 & \lambda_2 \\ 0 & 0 & \lambda_2 & \lambda_7 \end{pmatrix}$	$\lambda_0 \pm \lambda_1, -(\lambda_2 \pm \lambda_7)$
$K_{\mu\nu}^3 = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_0 & \lambda_1 & 0 & 0 \\ \lambda_1 & -\lambda_0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \lambda_7 & \lambda_2 \\ 0 & 0 & \lambda_2 & \lambda_7 \end{pmatrix}$	$\lambda_0 \pm i\lambda_1, -(\lambda_2 \pm \lambda_7)$

$K_{\mu\nu}^2$ is the most general canonical Killing tensor form with four distinct eigenvalues

$$K_{\mu\nu}^2 = \lambda_0(\tilde{\theta}^1 \otimes \tilde{\theta}^1 + \tilde{\theta}^2 \otimes \tilde{\theta}^2) + \lambda_1(\tilde{\theta}^1 \otimes \tilde{\theta}^2 + \tilde{\theta}^2 \otimes \tilde{\theta}^1) + \lambda_2(\tilde{\theta}^3 \otimes \tilde{\theta}^4 + \tilde{\theta}^4 \otimes \tilde{\theta}^3) + \lambda_7(\tilde{\theta}^3 \otimes \tilde{\theta}^3 + \tilde{\theta}^4 \otimes \tilde{\theta}^4)$$

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Null tetrads transformations - Implication to the structure

The Structure consists of $g_{\mu\nu}$ and $K_{\mu\nu}^2$

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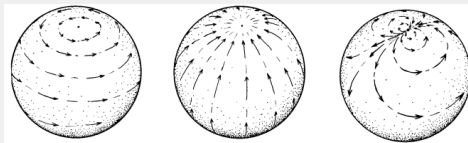
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where by equations of motion we get the canonical momenta to be

$$p_\mu = \left(E, -L, \frac{1}{\sqrt{12|\Lambda|}} \left[\frac{E^2}{\frac{C}{6\Lambda} \sin^2(x)} - \mathcal{K} - 2\bar{m} \right]^{1/2}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{12|\Lambda|}} \left[\mathcal{K} - \frac{L^2}{\frac{C}{6\Lambda} \sin^2(y)} \right]^{1/2} \right)$$

Choosing now $y = \pi/2$ (Azimuthal plane) we get the hidden symmetry

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the **general stationary axisymmetric spacetime** where ψ, ω, x depend on r, z alone

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or as a generalization of the **non-static cylindrical line element**

$$ds^2 = -e^{2\psi}(dz + \alpha d\phi)^2 - e^{2\omega}d\phi^2 - e^{2x}(dr^2 - dt^2) \quad (2)$$

which is obtained by $t \rightarrow iz$; $z \rightarrow it$; $\alpha \rightarrow i\alpha$

Petrov type I solution - A brief analysis of Weyl scalars

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$$\Psi_0 \Psi_4 = \frac{3|\Lambda| \sinh^2(2\sqrt{6}|\Lambda|r)}{8r^2} \xrightarrow{r \rightarrow +\infty} \Psi_0 \Psi_4 \rightarrow +\infty$$

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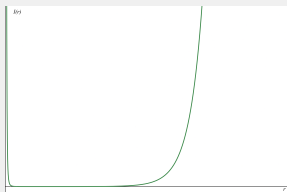
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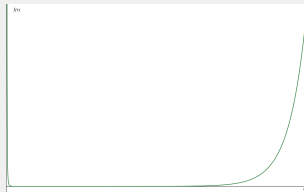
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To determine the curvature singularities we have to consider **Kretschmann scalar**

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Considering²⁴ the mass per length to be equal to $m = \frac{2|K_1|-1}{4} \approx 10^{22} \frac{m}{l}$ the signature preservation dictates that

$$r > \frac{1}{2|K_1|} \approx 10^{-24} \text{ l}$$

At last, in vacuum limit it reduces to a **non-stationary rotating cosmic string-like with curvature singularity**.

$$\lim_{\Lambda \rightarrow 0} \Psi_2 \rightarrow -\frac{5}{8r^2}$$

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Summary & Conclusions

- We start a conversation about the preferability of null tetrads transformations upon a structure $(g_{\mu\nu}, K_{\mu\nu})$.
- Employing the most general null tetrads transformation we proved²⁵ that:
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 - ▶ Applies **constraints on Killing tensors**.
 - ▶ The implication of the general null tetrad transformation results in either a boost or a spatial rotation and it produces **algebraically special solutions** only.
- Assuming the $K_{\mu\nu}^2$ with $\lambda_7 = 0$ we obtained a Petrov type D solutions which describes a general family of spacetimes with constant curvature regarding **Nariai and anti-Nariai, Robinson-Bertotti, Carter's Case [D], de-Sitter and anti-de-Sitter** in vacuum with Λ .
- On the other hand, assuming again the $K_{\mu\nu}^2$ with $\lambda_7 = 0$ we extract a **Petrov type I solution with the exact same spin coefficients** employing the antisymmetric null tetrad transformation.
- This spacetimes results in **an asymptotically flat rotating cosmic string-like spacetime with a curvature singularity at the axis**.

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Thank you for your Attention!



Additional Slides - Killing equations

$$D\lambda_0 = 2\lambda_0(\epsilon + \bar{\epsilon}), \quad (3)$$

$$\Delta\lambda_0 = -2\lambda_0(\gamma + \bar{\gamma}), \quad (4)$$

$$\delta\lambda_0 = 2[\lambda_0(\bar{\alpha} + \beta + \bar{\pi}) - \kappa(\lambda_1 + \lambda_2) - \bar{\kappa}\lambda_7], \quad (5)$$

$$\delta\lambda_0 = 2[-\lambda_0(\bar{\alpha} + \beta + \tau) + q\bar{\nu}(\lambda_1 + \lambda_2) + q\nu\lambda_7], \quad (6)$$

$$D\lambda_1 = 2\lambda_0(\gamma + \bar{\gamma}), \quad (7)$$

$$\Delta\lambda_1 = -2q\lambda_0(\epsilon + \bar{\epsilon}), \quad (8)$$

$$\delta\lambda_1 = -q\lambda_0(\kappa - q\bar{\nu}) + (\lambda_1 + \lambda_2)(\bar{\pi} - \tau) + \lambda_7(\pi - \bar{\tau}), \quad (9)$$

$$D\lambda_2 = \lambda_0(\mu + \bar{\mu}) - (\lambda_1 + \lambda_2)(\rho + \bar{\rho}) - \lambda_7(\sigma + \bar{\sigma}), \quad (10)$$

$$\Delta\lambda_2 = -q\lambda_0(\rho + \bar{\rho}) + (\lambda_1 + \lambda_2)(\mu + \bar{\mu}) + \lambda_7(\lambda + \bar{\lambda}), \quad (11)$$

$$\delta\lambda_2 = 2(\alpha - \bar{\beta})\lambda_7, \quad (12)$$

$$D\lambda_7 = 2[\lambda_0\lambda - (\lambda_1 + \lambda_2)\bar{\sigma} - \lambda_7(\rho + \epsilon - \bar{\epsilon})], \quad (13)$$

$$\Delta\lambda_7 = -2[q\lambda_0\bar{\sigma} - (\lambda_1 + \lambda_2)\lambda + \lambda_7(\gamma - \bar{\gamma} - \bar{\mu})], \quad (14)$$

$$\delta\lambda_7 = -2\lambda_7(\alpha - \bar{\beta}). \quad (15)$$

Additional Slides - Key equations

$$\Psi_2 - \Lambda = \kappa\nu - \tau\pi, \quad (\text{i})$$

$$\Psi_1 = \kappa\mu - \sigma\pi, \quad (\text{ii})$$

$$\Psi_2 - \Lambda = \mu\rho - \sigma\lambda, \quad (\text{iii})$$

$$\mu\tau - \sigma\nu = 0. \quad (\text{iv})$$

Additional slides - solutions

Table: $\rho - \bar{\rho} = 0 = \rho + \bar{\rho}$

$\rho = 0 \neq \Psi_2$ Type D	$\rho + \bar{\rho} = 0 = \Psi_2$ Type N	$\rho + \bar{\rho} = 0 = \Psi_2$ Type N
$\kappa\nu = \pi\tau$ $\Psi_0\Psi_4 = 9\Psi_2^2$ $\Psi_1 = \Psi_3 = 0$	$\nu = 0 = \pi\tau$ $\Psi_0 \neq 0$ $\Psi_1 = \Psi_2 = \Psi_3 = \Psi_4 = 0$	$\kappa = 0 = \pi\tau$ $\Psi_4 \neq 0$ $\Psi_0 = \Psi_1 = \Psi_2 = \Psi_3 = 0$
$d\lambda_2 = 0$	$d\lambda_2 = 0$	$d\lambda_2 = 0$

Table: $\rho - \bar{\rho} = 0 \neq \rho + \bar{\rho}$

Type N	Type N	Type N	Type N	Type N	Type N
$\nu = 0 = \tau$ $\Psi_0 \neq 0$	$\nu = 0 = \pi$ $\Psi_4 \neq 0$	$\kappa = 0 = \tau$ $\Psi_0 \neq 0$	$\kappa = 0 = \pi$ $\Psi_4 \neq 0$	$\nu = \pi = \tau = 0$ $\Psi_0 \neq 0$	$\kappa = \pi = \tau = 0$ $\Psi_4 \neq 0$
$d\lambda_2 \neq 0$	$d\lambda_2 \neq 0$	$d\lambda_2 \neq 0$	$d\lambda_2 \neq 0$	$d\lambda_2 \neq 0$	$d\lambda_2 \neq 0$