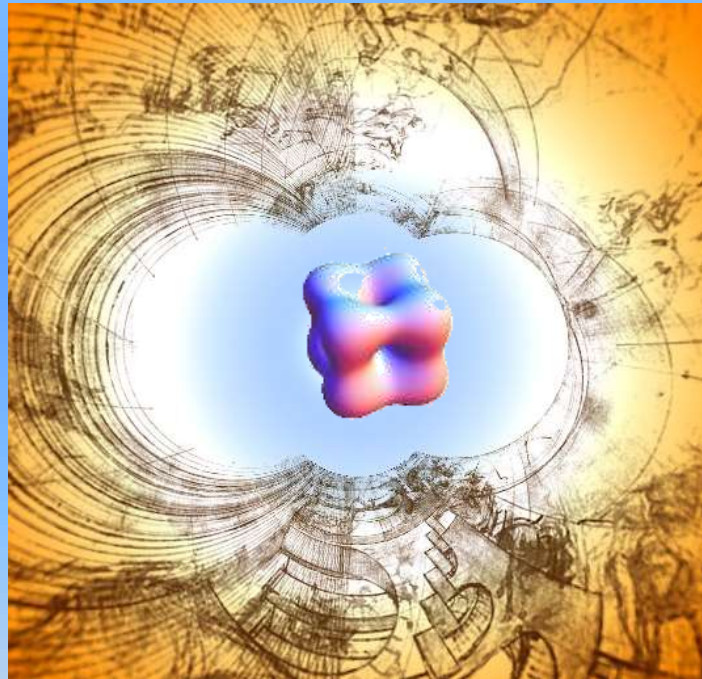


# *Curing conical singularities with scalar hair*



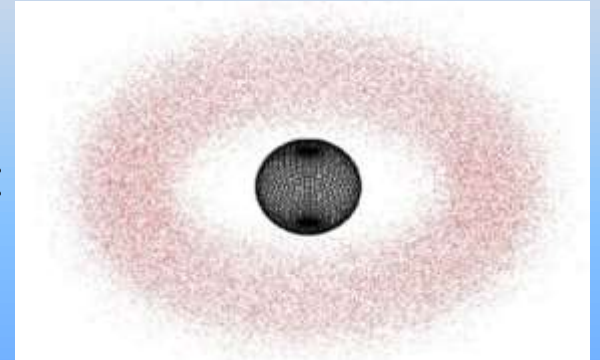
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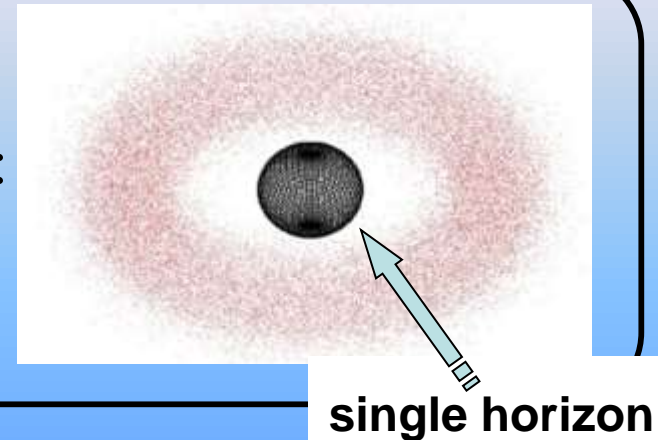
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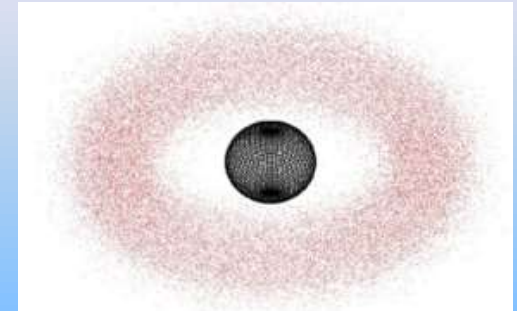
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## **Q2: what about higher dimensions?**

- D=5: the static Emparan-Reall vacuum Black Ring
- it possesses conical singularities  
*static, regular Black Rings with scalar hair*

***a warning:***

- *this is rather a mathematical problem*  
*(we do not claim any contact with observations)*
- *toy model to test the validity of some results in vacuum GR*

*also*

- *all configurations are static*
- *no results on stability*

*however...*

- ***first work in this direction***
- ***we propose a general framework***  
*(can be used for other models)*

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vacuum: the **Israel-Khan** solution (1964):  
*N-colinial Schwarzschild BHs*

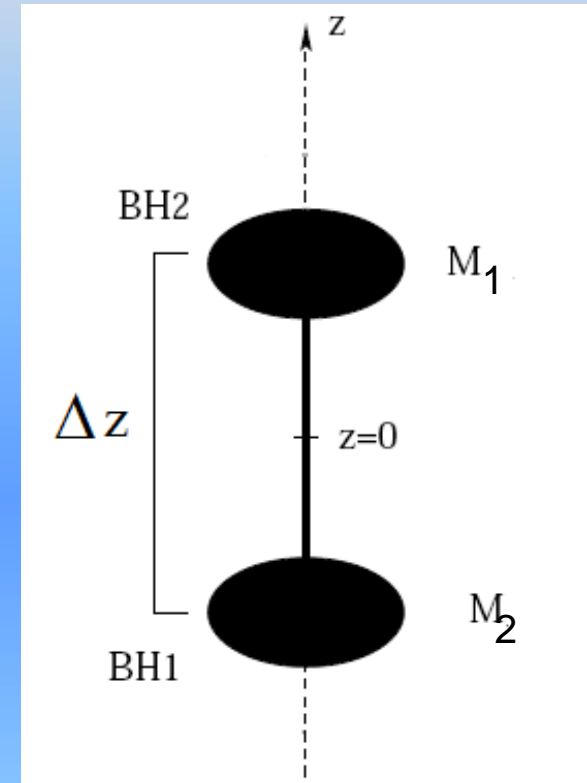
N=2: the **Bach-Weyl** system (1922)

between the BHs (**strut**)  $\delta < 0$

*it provides the extra-force  
to prevent the collapse*

from the horizons to infinity (**string**)  $\delta > 0$

the conical  
singularity



'effective stress energy tensor' associated with the singularity.

**extra-source**  $T_i^j = -\delta_i^j \frac{1}{8\pi} (2\pi - \alpha) \delta_\Sigma$   $(i, j) \neq (\rho, \varphi)$

the presence of conical singularities: **undesirable feature**

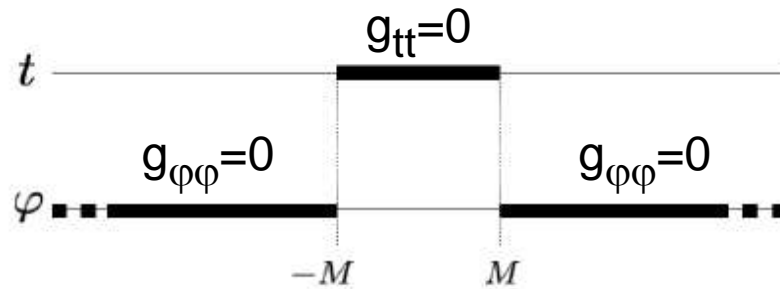
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Schwarzschild black hole



$$R_{\mu\nu} = 0$$

e.g.

$$f_0(\rho, z) = \frac{r_+ + r_- - 2M}{r_+ + r_- + 2M}$$

...

$$r_{\pm} = \sqrt{\rho^2 + (z \pm M)^2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \rho &= \sqrt{r^2 - 2Mr} \sin \theta \\ z &= (r - M) \cos \theta \end{aligned}$$



$$ds^2 = \frac{dr^2}{1 - \frac{2M}{r}} + r^2(d\theta^2 + \sin^2 \theta d\phi^2) - \left(1 - \frac{2M}{r}\right) dt^2$$

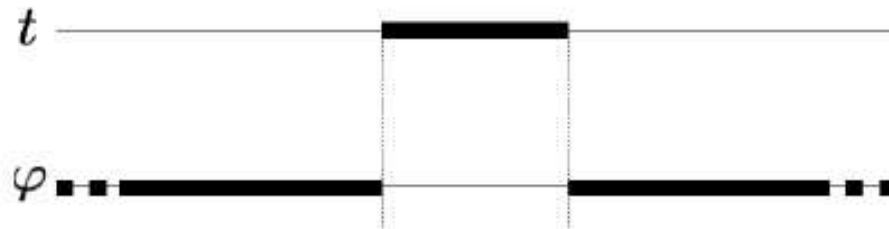
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*Schwarzschild black hole with scalar hair*



just a test  
of the method

$$\mathcal{S} = \frac{1}{4\pi} \int d^4x \sqrt{-g} \left[ \frac{R}{4G} - \partial_\alpha \Phi \partial^\alpha \Phi - U(\Phi) \right]$$

- single, non-vacuum Black Holes can be expressed in these coordinates
- we recover Schwarzschild Black Hole with scalar hair
- technically much more complicated

(solve a boundary value problem (set of PDEs))

$$\Phi dU/d\Phi < 0$$



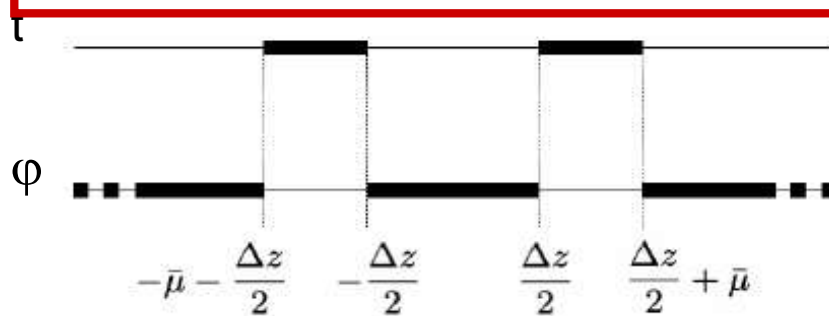
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*Bach-Weyl solution with scalar hair*



**two identical BHs**

**we propose a general framework**

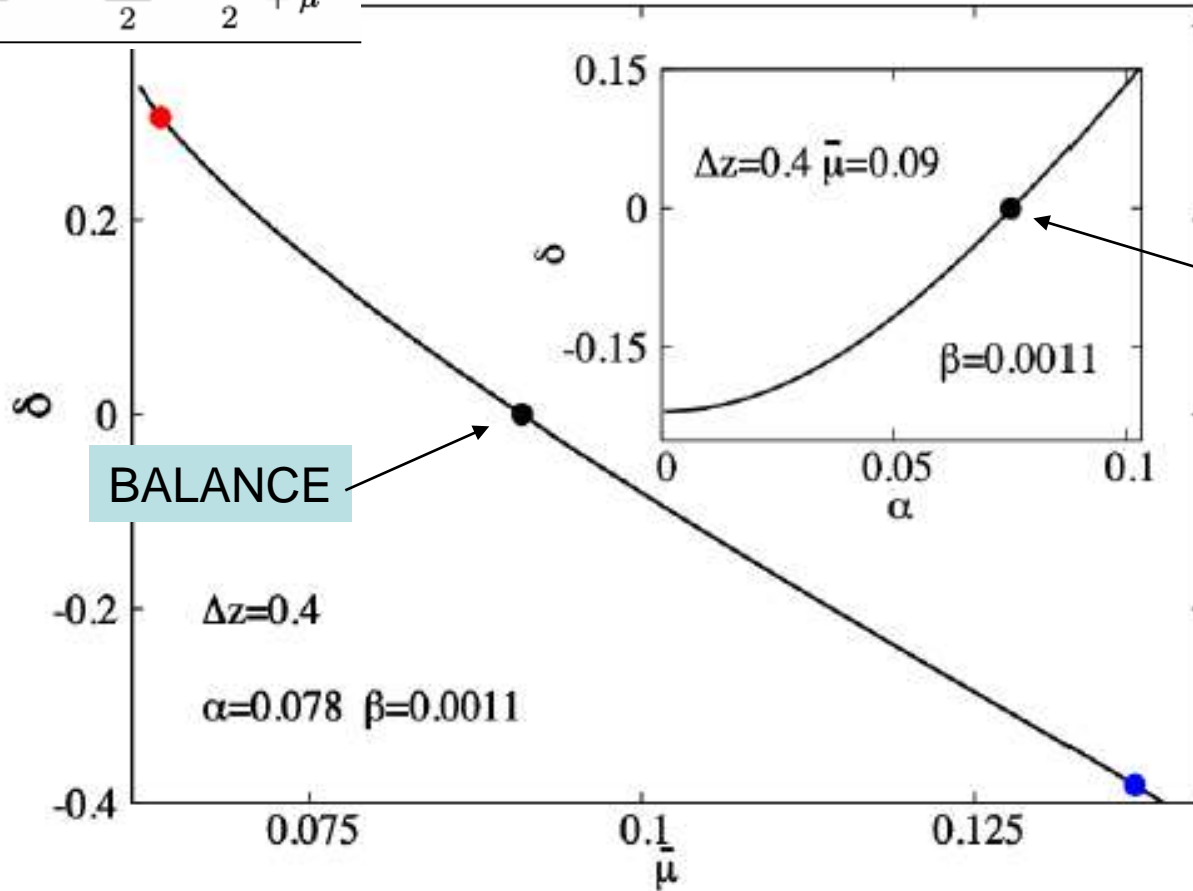
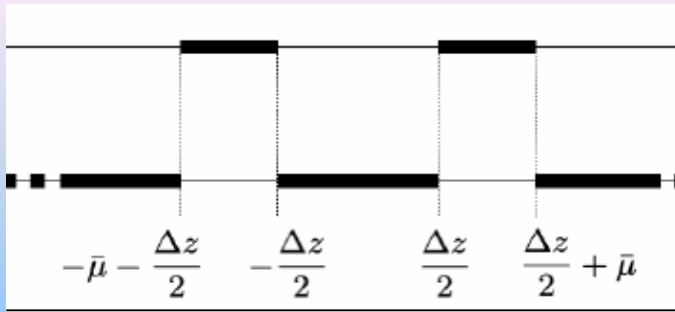
- preserve the rod structure of the vacuum Bach-Weyl solution

- work with 'deformed' functions  $F_i$

$$f_i = f_i^{(0)} e^{2F_i}$$

- solve a boundary value problem (set of four PDEs)

$$U = \mu^2 \Phi^2 - \lambda \Phi^4 + \nu \Phi^6$$



$$\alpha^2 = \frac{G\mu^2}{\lambda}$$

$$\beta^2 = \frac{\nu\mu^2}{\lambda}$$

the conical excess/deficit  $\delta$  s shown as a function of the horizon size (input parameter) and the strength of gravity  $\alpha$  (inset)..

*the next problem we address:*

## Q2: what about higher dimensions?

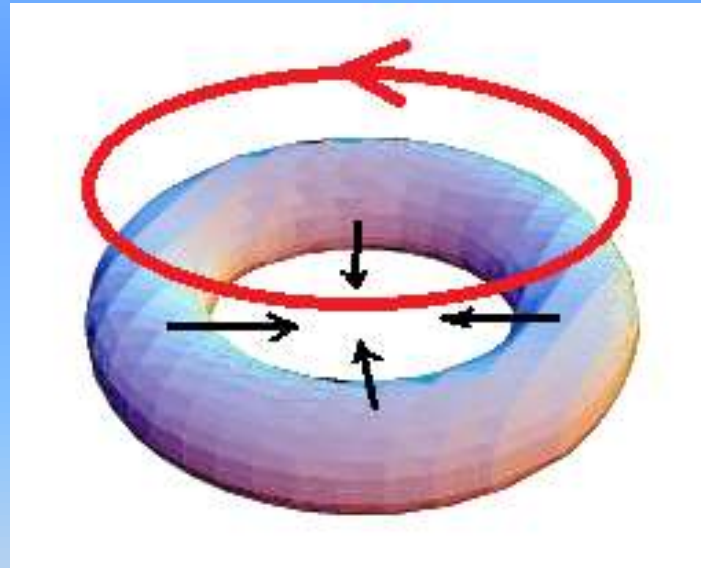
D=5: the static Emparan-Reall vacuum Black Ring: **conical singularities**

*how to balance a Black Ring?*

simplest solution: add rotation!

$$R_{\mu\nu} = 0$$

Emparan-Reall  
exact solution (2002)



*static, balanced Black Rings in Einstein-gauged scalar field model*

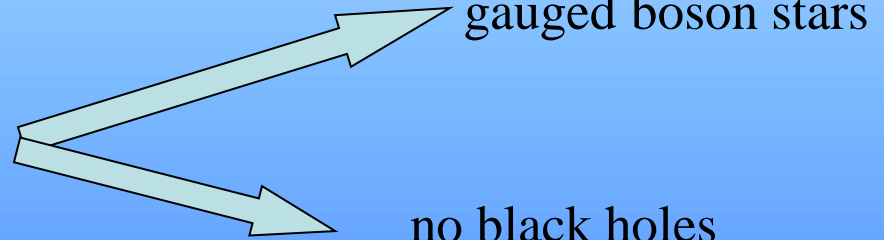
# the Einstein-Maxwell-scalar model

*a different mechanism*

$$S = \int d^D x \sqrt{-g} \left[ \frac{R}{16\pi G} - \frac{1}{4} F_{\alpha\beta} F^{\alpha\beta} - D_\alpha \Psi^* D^\alpha \Psi - U(|\Psi|) \right]$$

$$\Psi dU/d|\Psi| > 0$$

spherically symmetric sector:



(Mayo-Bekenstein theorem)

*however, loophole!*



static, spherically symmetric black holes

***D=4 result 2020***

$$\Psi \sim e^{-i\omega t}$$

*'resonance' condition*

$$\omega = q\Phi_H$$

$$U(\psi) = \mu^2\psi^2 - \lambda\psi^4 + \nu\psi^6$$

- **nonlinearities are crucial**
- **one solves the full EMs problem** (*electric charge*)
- **the solutions are not connected with EM black holes**

**D=4**

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**Schwarzschild Black Holes with charged scalar hair**

electric charge **Q**

**D=5**

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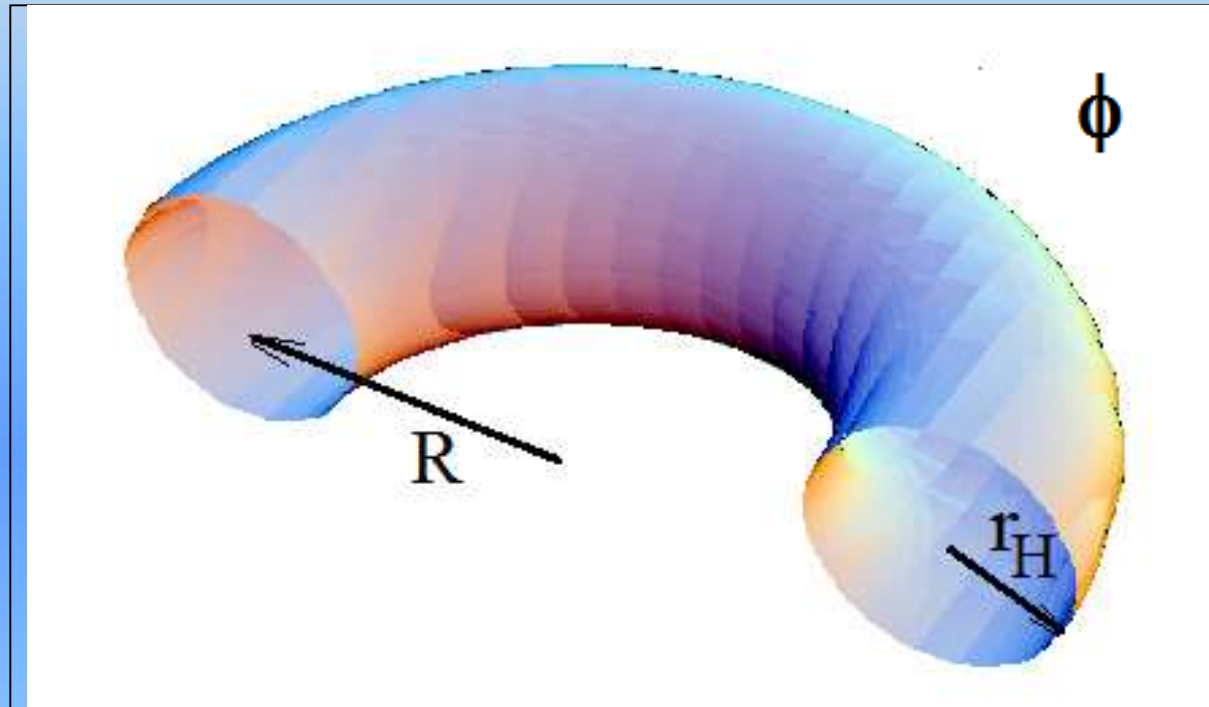
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**Schwarzschild-Tangherlini Black Holes, Black Strings and Black Rings with charged scalar hair**

# static Black Rings with charged scalar hair

*in numerics:* three input parameters:

$$R, r_H, \Phi$$



+q, scalar potential

*generic solutions:  
conical sing.*

*very  
important...*

$$T_H, A_H, M, Q$$

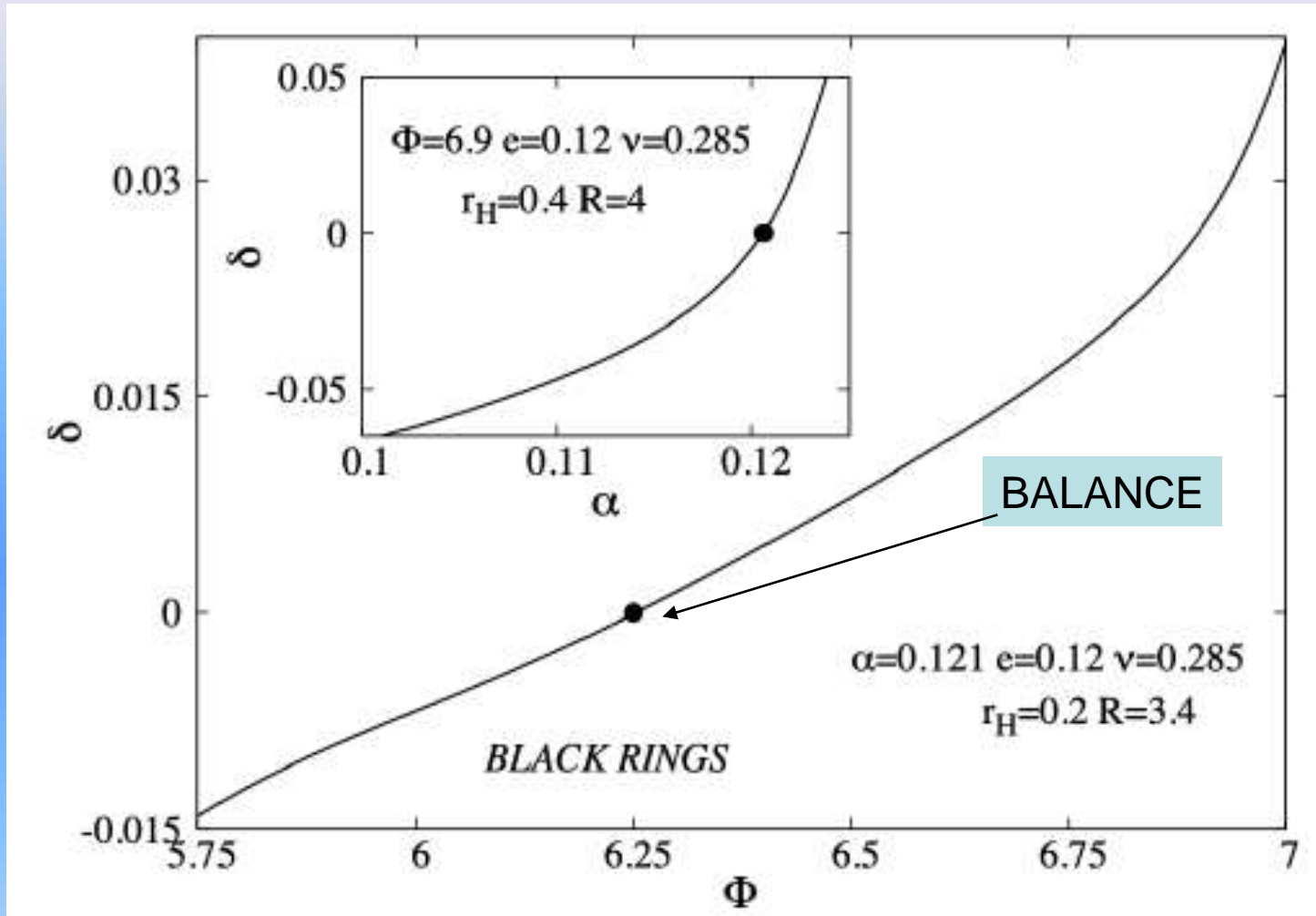
-computed from numerical output

in practice:

- fix the model
- vary  $R > r_H$  or  $\Phi$
- regular solutions exist for critical values of  $\Phi$  only

$$\alpha^2 = \frac{4\pi G\mu^2}{\lambda}$$

$$\beta^2 = \frac{\nu\mu^2}{\lambda}$$



the conical excess/deficit of a static BR is shown as a function of the electrostatic potential  $\Phi$  and of the input parameter  $\alpha$  which measures the strength of gravity (the inset).

to summarize::

- *the (vacuum) two-Black Hole system/the static Black Ring posses conical singularities*
- *however, the scalar hair can provide the extra-force to balance the system*

more than an exercise?

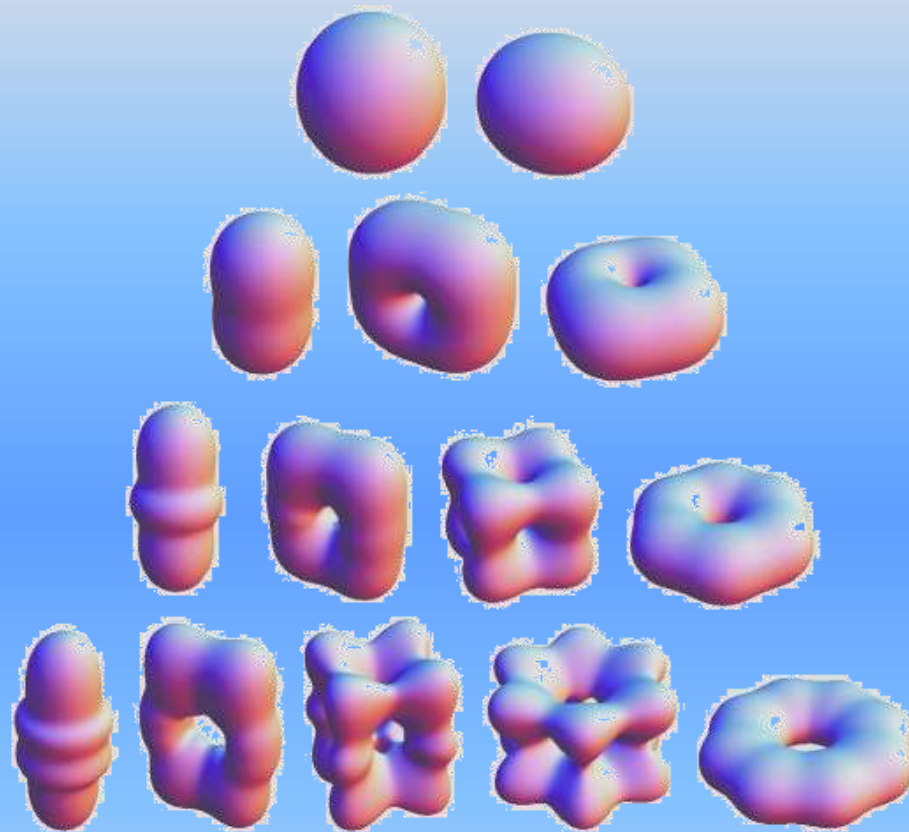
many open problems:

- including rotation
- stability?
- a more physical framework (**same methods**)  
(scalar field – *just the simplest case*)

main message:

*one cannot safely extrapolate the properties of the (electro-)vacuum Black Holes to any model*





*Muito obrigado pela vossa atenção!*