

Rotation profile of neutron star merger remnants

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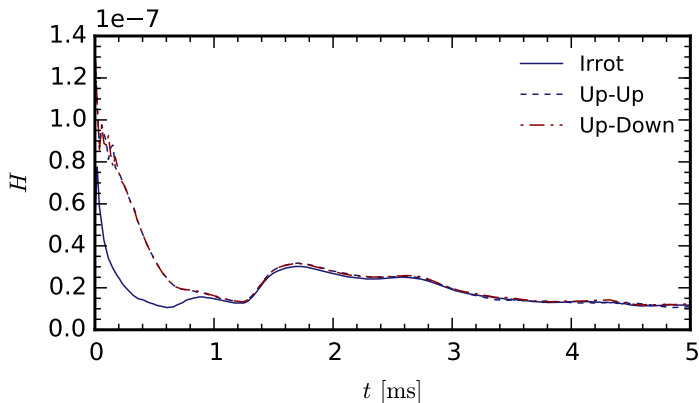
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Initial data

- ▶ Irrotational, equal mass
- ▶ Baryonic mass $2 \times 1.513 M_{\odot}$
- ▶ Grav. mass of single star $1.4 M_{\odot}$
- ▶ EOS: G. Shen, Horowitz, Teige
- ▶ Maximum TOV baryonic mass $3.33 M_{\odot}$
⇒ Remnant is stable !
- ▶ Corner case, probably not realistic
- ▶ No magnetic field
- ▶ Initial proper separation $57.6 \text{ km} \Rightarrow 4 \text{ Orbits}$

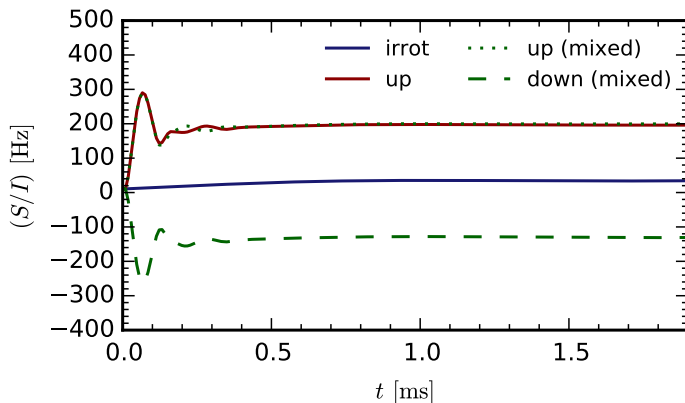
Initial data with spin

- ▶ Add rotational velocity field manually
- ▶ Violates constraints and hydrostatic equilibrium
- ▶ Using CCZ4 evolution scheme
- ▶ Additional constraint violation gone after 1 ms



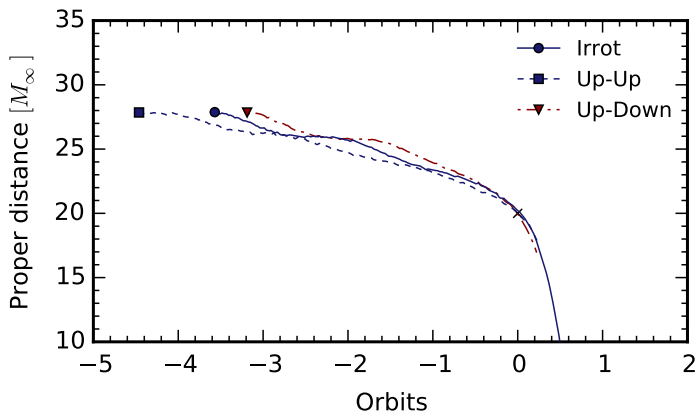
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- ▶ Use Isolated Horizon formalism to measure NS spins
- ▶ Spinup/down ≈ 160 Hz
- ▶ Spacetime around star adapts to matter spin within 0.5 ms



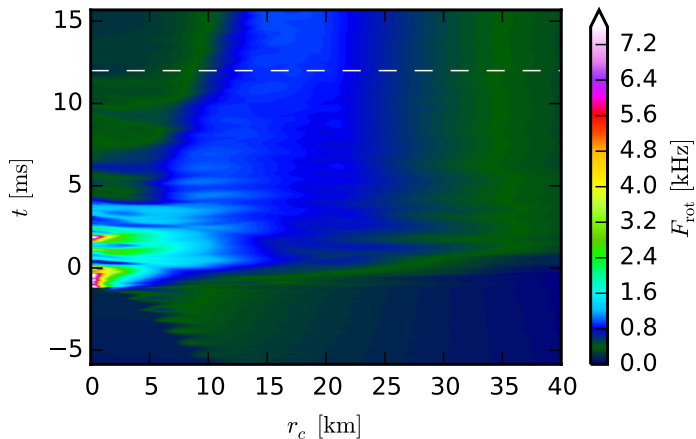
Inspiral

- ▶ Observe longer inspiral for aligned spin
- ▶ Aligned-Antialigned configuration shows fewer orbits
- ▶ Main error source: eccentricity



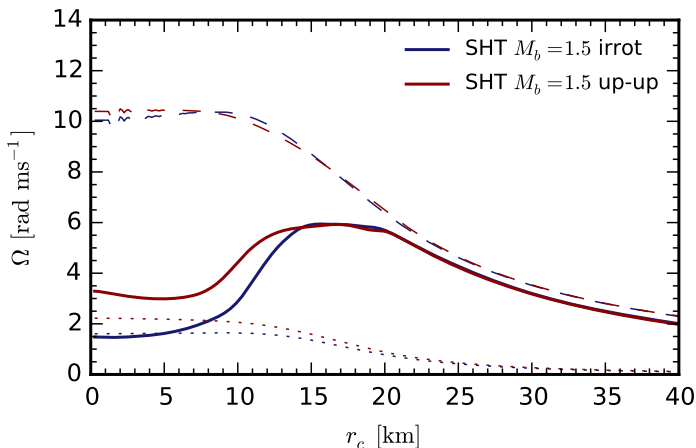
Rotation profile

- ▶ Initial rapid rotation in the core quickly redistributed



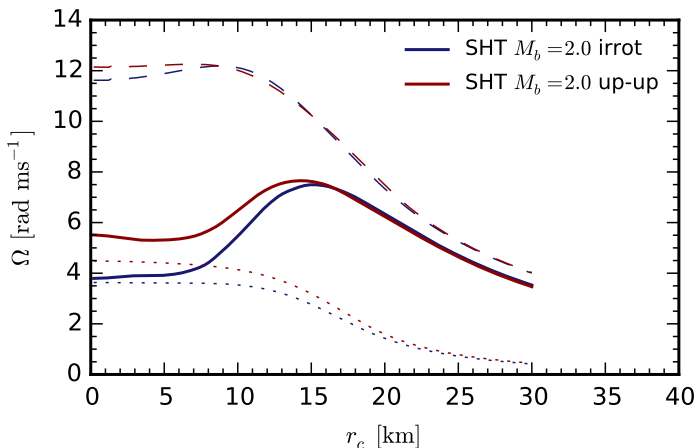
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- ▶ Remnant rotation profile has slowly rotating core
- ▶ Aligned initial spin slightly increases central rotation



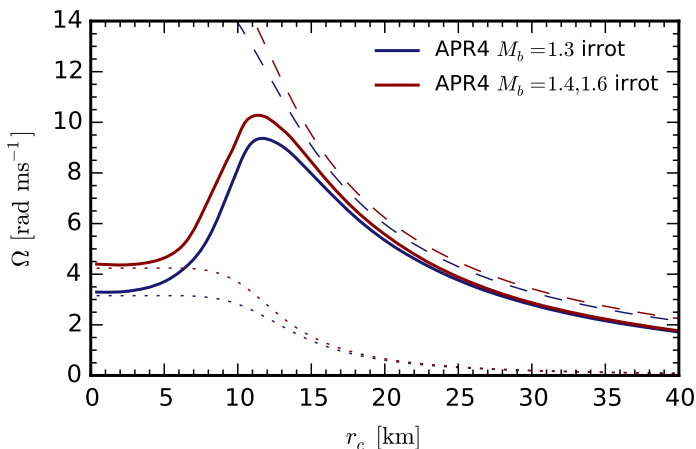
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- ▶ Heavier models show faster rotation
- ▶ Collapse prevented by centrifugal support of **outer** layers



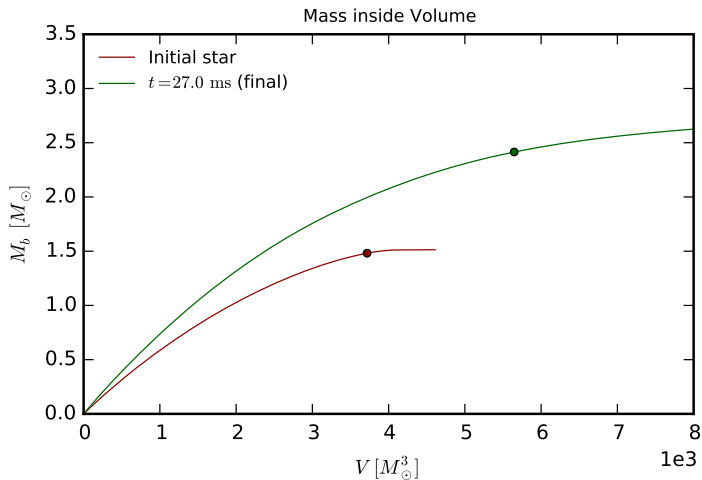
Rotation profile

- ▶ Found same for different EOS: SHT, LS220, APR4
- ▶ Also for HMNS, SMNS, NS, **unequal mass**



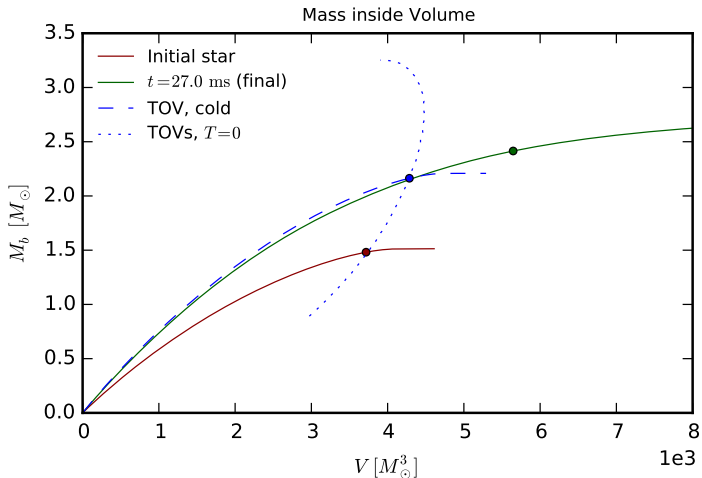
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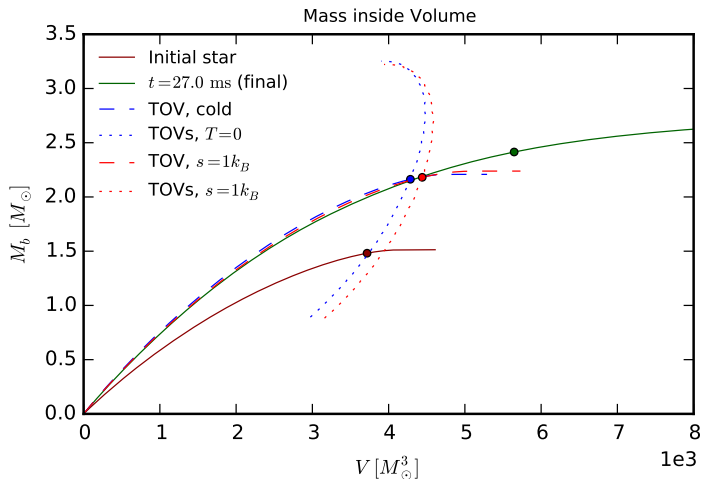
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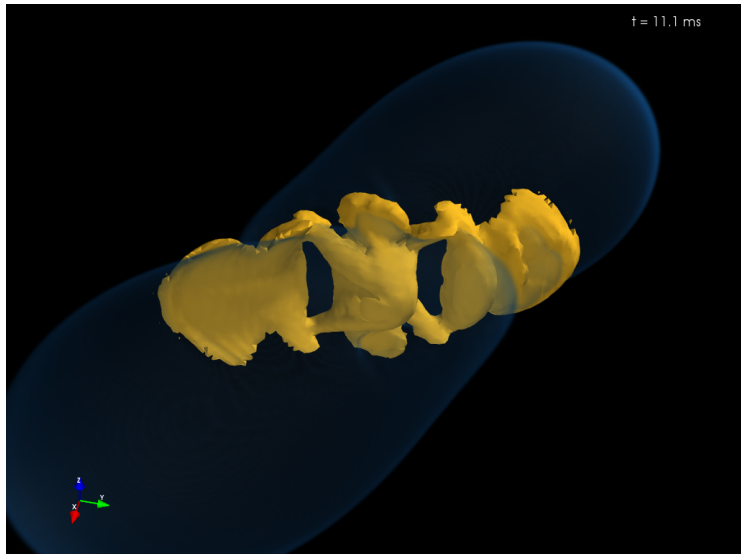


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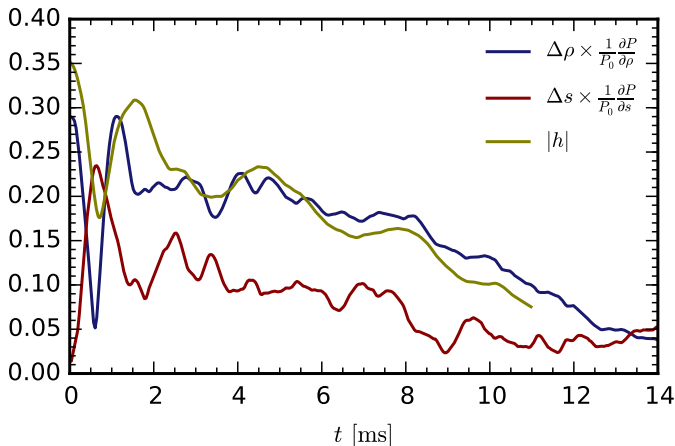


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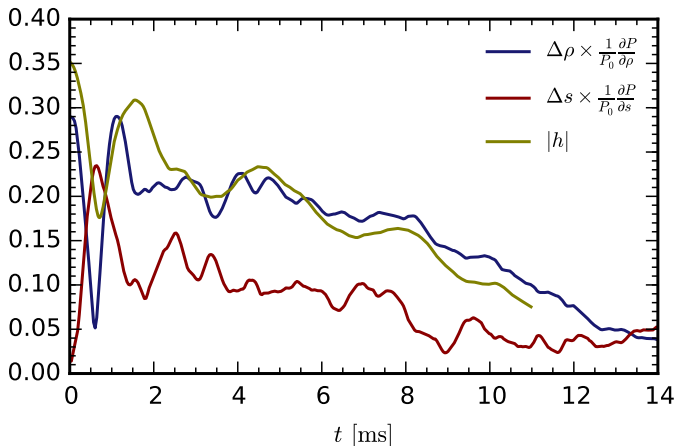
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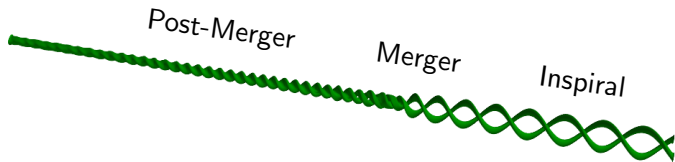
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- ▶ Hot spots seemingly caused by local compression of fluid flow
- ▶ Backreaction on perturbation likely



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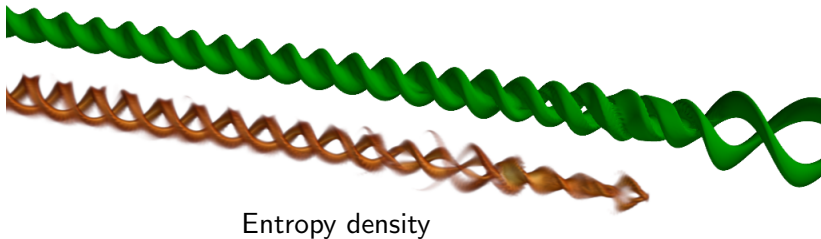
- ▶ Visualize evolution in equatorial plane as $xy-t$ -diagram



Isodensity surfaces containing 0.25 of total mass

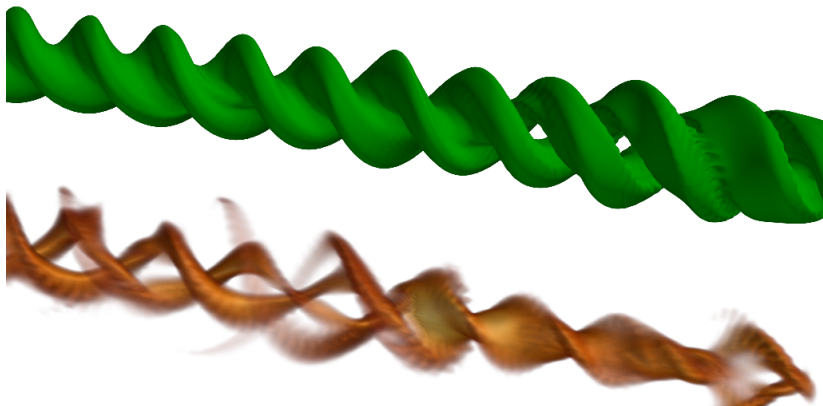
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- ▶ Hot spots and density perturbation phase coupled



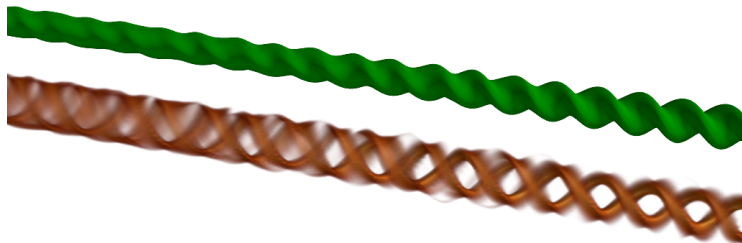
Deformation and hotspots

- ▶ Short double core phase after merger
- ▶ Separated by hot region



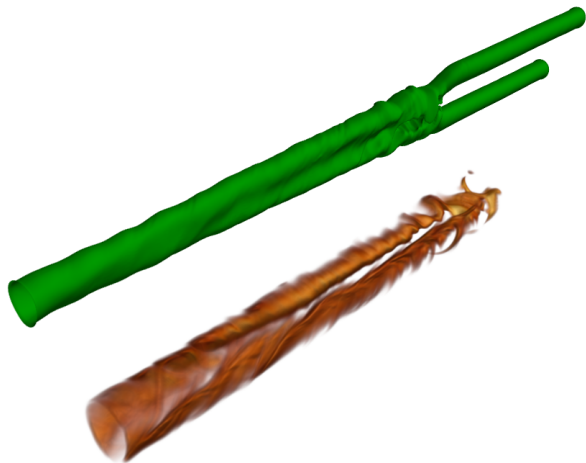
Deformation and hotspots

- ▶ In the end, entropy becomes more axisymmetric



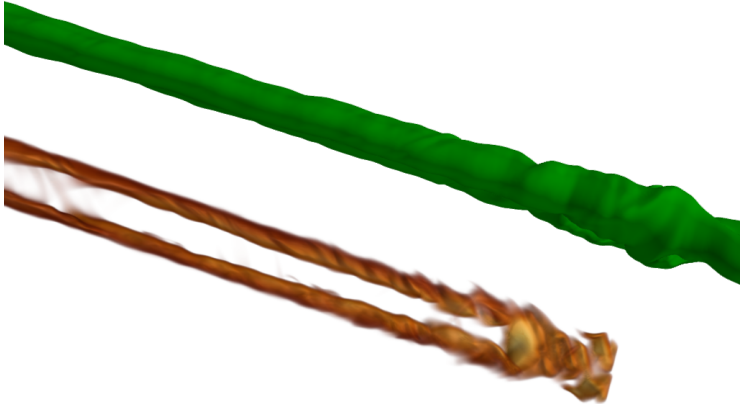
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- ▶ Untwist xyt -diagram, aligned to GW phase



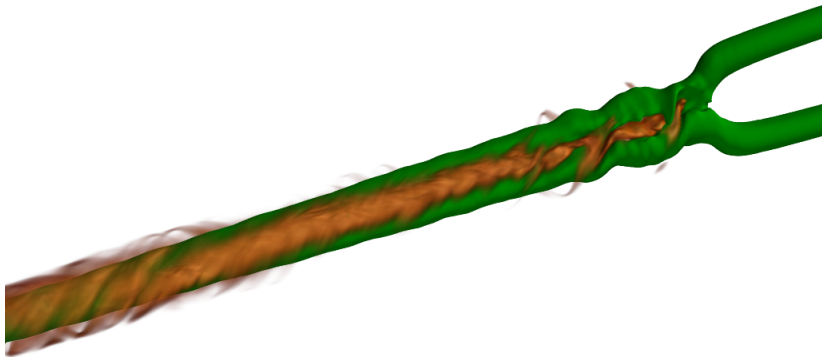
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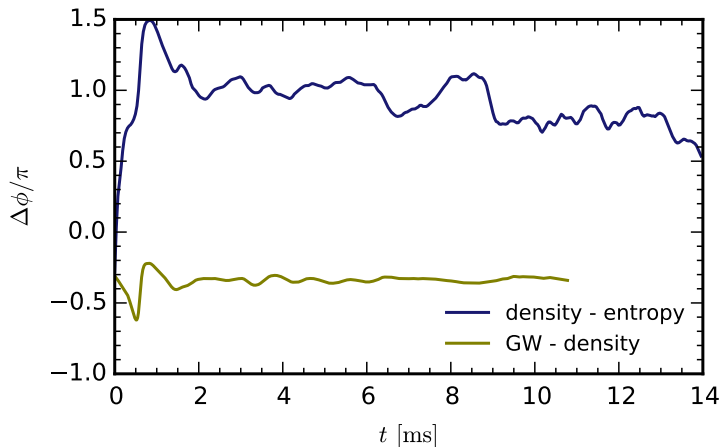
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- ▶ Until they dissolve.



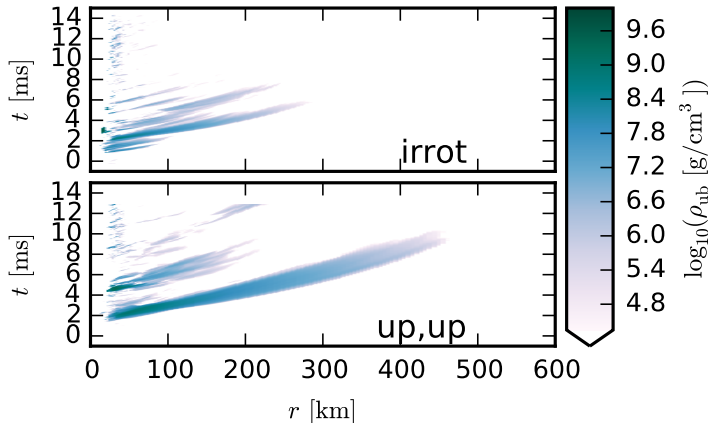
Deformation and hotspots

- ▶ Phase between density and entropy perturbation initially locked



Matter ejection

- ▶ Aligned spin: $M_u = 10^{-3}M_\odot$, irrotational: $M_u = 2 \times 10^{-4}M_\odot$
- ▶ For the lightweight model, adding spin increases ejected mass



Thanks!

GW signal

