THE LIVES OF BINARY STARS WITH ELECTROMAGNETIC OBSERVATIONS AND GRAVITATIONAL WAVES



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MASSIVE STARS: COSMIC ENGINES AND FUNDAMENTAL PHYSICS



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(ALMOST) ALL MASSIVE STARS INTERACT

• Several values of the several values of th

mass loss, mass transfer, impact/progenitors of supernovae

- Solution
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- Stellar evolution, galaxy evolution, contamination for population studies
- Over signatures than single stars

Masses, radii, mass loss, compact object

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particle acceleration, shocks, relativistic outflows, gravitational waves....

Understand dynamics, emission mechanisms of

massive binaries

Individually and globally

Detailed observations of a few systems

Stellar populations: Gravitational waves Surveys

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NO COMPACT OBJECT: STELLAR ASTROPHYSICS



Formation: 30 M_{sun} O stars UV, H α ,[OIII], reprocessed

mass transfer Circumbinary material?

wind collisions X-rays, line variability, radio, dust (*Lamberts*+11,12,17)

collapse 1: supernova/gamma-ray burst Time domain multi-messenger astronomy (*Lamberts*, *Daigne*, 2018)

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1 COMPACT OBJECT: HIGH ENERGY ASTROPHYSICS

if neutron star: gamma-ray binary (*Lamberts*+13; Dubus, *Lamberts*+15)

High-mass X-ray binary

Common envelope



from radio to TeV gamma rays

X-rays, radio

faint transient

Collapse 2 (*Lamberts*, *Daigne*, 2018)



Time domain multi-messenger astronomy

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2 COMPACT OBJECTS: GRAVITATIONAL WAVE ASTRONOMY

Billion years of inspiral Low frequency gravitational waves, double pulsars (Nobel Prize '93) (*Lamberts*+2018b, 2019)



Merger Higher frequency GW (Nobel Prize '17) Possible GRB, kilonova, neutrinos, other? (Lamberts+2016)



Final remnant Game over



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CONNECTING THE DOTS

Study stellar astrophysics, high-energy astrophysics and gravitational wave astronomy

Understand dynamics, emission mechanisms of massive binaries Individually and globally

Combine high resolution hydrodynamic simulations, emission models, analytic estimates with observations

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Massive binaries: rare but mighty •

CONNECTING THE DOTS

1. Colliding stellar winds

Origin and impact of dust-producing Wolf-Rayet binaries

(Lamberts, Millour +, 2017)

2. Gamma-ray bursts X-ray flares in relativistic gamma-ray burst afterglows (Lamberts, Daigne, 2018a)

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EXTREME MASS LOSS IN WOLF RAYET STARS

Wolf Rayet: final stage massive stars, mass loss 10⁻⁵ M_{sun}/yr Dust production in some binary/triple systems



Questions: structure of the winds? How to make the dust? Global impact?

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Massive binaries: Wolf-Rayet and dust



Y² VELORUM: CLOSEST WR +O BINARY

- P=78 d
- optical/UV: detection of wind collision region. *StLouis+1993; DeMarco+2002*
- No dust detected

Mas separation: Near IR interferometry (AMBER)

- spatial information
- orbital solution
- brightness ratio
- angular sizes
- → separate spectra

possibility for 1st direct detection of close wind collision (see Weigelt+16 for η Car)

Geometrical models fail to reproduce observations: need simulations

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GAMMA VEL: THE MOVIE



- L_{box}=16 x separation
- resolution ~ R_{sun}
- radiative cooling

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MODEL OBSERVATIONS FROM SIMULATIONS



Result: Detection of wind collision region: 3-10% of continuum flux

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CIRCUMSTELLAR ENVIRONMENTS: PATHS FORWARD



Other systems with MATISSE

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Massive binaries: Wolf-Rayet and dust



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EXTREME HYDRODYNAMICS IN GAMMA-RAY BURSTS

Extragalactic gamma-ray flashes ~once/day

- up to z>9: trace early universe
- extreme physics

Prompt gamma-ray emission: 2 types

- massive stellar collapse (long)
- GW170817 confirms neutron star merger (short)



Then afterglow

Provides host galaxy + global energetics

Massive binaries: X-ray flares in GRBs



FIREBALL MODEL FOR GAMMA-RAY BURSTS

huge energy : $E_{iso} \sim 10^{50-55}$ erg, gamma rays \rightarrow relativistic flow 10¹⁴-10¹⁶ m



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A LOT OF X-RAY VARIABILITY IN AFTERGLOWS



Question: Where do the flares come from?

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HYPOTHESIS: HIGHLY STRUCTURED EJECTA



RELATIVISTIC SIMULATIONS

Relativistic RAMSES (Lamberts+13)

- Γ_{max} =100: ultra relativistic
- GRB scales: 6 orders of magnitude in space
- ->1D spherical grid + moving boundaries



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STRATIFIED EJECTA CREATE SHOCKS



Lorentz factor profile-> complex dynamics with multiple shocks

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X-RAY FLARES FROM SHOCK INTERACTIONS

shocks -> particle acceleration synchrotron fast cooling

- Find shocks
- compute energy release

Relativistic outflow

- delays to observer's frame
- account for curvature of emitting shells



Relire methode

Result: Shock interactions produce X-ray flares in afterglow

- > constraints on microphysics

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GAMMA-RAY BURSTS: PATHS FORWARD

A different view of gamma-ray bursts to be expected soon

- gravitational waves: GW170817: fainter gamma rays, later afterglow central engine ? Structure ?
 - -> 2D simulations with Z. Meliani (LUTh), F. Daigne (IAP)
- SVOM: French-Chinese GRB monitor for multi messenger detections Energetics, host galaxies -> populations
- time-domain astronomy: supernova connection, kilonova, other transients (ASAS, PANSTARRS, ZTF, LSST, SKA, CTA...)

Identify populations, understand energetics and structure



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LIGO/VIRGO REVEAL MASSIVE BLACK HOLES



Question: where do black hole mergers come from?

low metallicity binaries: specific conditions for star formation

Multiple mergers in star clusters: specific conditions of star formation



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 $Z \sim APOGEE survey X (kpc)$

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NEW COMBINATION: BINARY MODEL + GALAXY MODEL

Binary population synthesis code (BSE, Hurley+2002)

- Input: Initial mass function, distribution of periods and eccentricity
- Simplified current model of binary evolution
- Explore metallicity from 1% of Solar to Solar

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 Make database of final binary black holes, white dwarfs (many other binaries are possible)

INGREDIENT: LONG DELAYS TO MERGERS



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INGREDIENT: LOW METALLICITY STAR FORMATION

"homemade" semi-analytic model (Lamberts+16)



log(Galaxy mass)

log(Galaxy mass)

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STRONG CONTRIBUTION FROM DWARF GALAXIES



Result: Complex star formation impacts prediction/interpretation of GW

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BINARIES IN THE MILKY WAY-LIKE GALAXIES

~2030 : LISA



Detection of mHz waves

Need for realistic models of the Milky Way





WHITE DWARFS, NEUTRON STARS AND BLACK HOLES

White dwarfs: 95% of stars! Type la supernovae	~6000 systems (Nelemans+01)
Low mass evolution, common envelope Tides and accretion	Lamberts+19
Neutron Stars: Higher mass evolution Common envelope, stellar wind, supernova kicks Somewhat sensitive to metallicity	~5-30 systems (Belczynski+10)
Black Holes: Highest mass evolution common envelope, stellar wind, supernova kicks High end of initial mass, very sensitive to metallicity	<10 systems (Belczynski+10) <i>Lamberts+18b</i>

Lamberts, Sesana, in prep.

And even stellar binaries (Gotberg, Lamberts, Korol, in prep.)

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Wetzel+16 FIRE collab.

SIMULATION?

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OBSERVATION?

Thin disk Thick disk

Bulge Stellar halo/satellites *Gaia DR2*

GROWING COMPACT BINARIES IN THE MILKY WAY





Star formation history Metallicity Positions/Trajectory 13 bins: Z=0.005 -1.3 Z_{sun} M₁,M₂, t_{form}, orbit





Final evolution through GW emission

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IMPACT OF COMPLEX STAR FORMATION



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A MILLION BINARY BLACK HOLES IN THE MILKY WAY



Masses compatible with LIGO/Virgo

Mean metallicity 15-30% of Sun

1/3 of black holes wereFormed outside Milky Way-> dwarf galaxies matter-> needs high resolution

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DIFFERENT TYPES OF BINARY WHITE DWARFS



Formation time: 2-13 Gyrs <3 Gyrs

All LISA binaries are recently formed DWD or would have merged

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DIFFERENT BINARY BINARY POPULATIONS



He-He: old progenitor stars: bulge, thick disk and stellar halo

He-CO: intermediate case

CO-CO: young progenitor stars: think disk Question: What will LISA detect?

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LISA DETECTIONS: A COMPLETE CATALOG OF WHITE DWARF BINARIES

~12 000 systems: measurement of period and GW strain No masses, no sky localisation unless high SNR GW Flux(r) ~ 1/r, no extinction, no spatial crowding



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MULTI MESSENGER DETECTIONS WITH LISA



Systems within 10 kpc: potentially few thousand systems



Different spatial distributions: Search strategies

Used for Lisa Mock Data Challenge

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Lamberts, Sesana, in prep: Probably ~ 10 black hole binaries that we can IDENTIFY

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STELLAR BINARIES WITH GRAVITATIONAL WAVES



2 neutron star mergers so far 20 binary black holes: statistics soon! https://gracedb.ligo.org/superevents/public/O3/

Origin of mergers? Binaries or clusters?



PREPARING LISA WITH ELECTROMAGNETIC SURVEYS





Complete catalog down to ~ few mHz Galactic structure, including halo Probably a few binary black holes

Potential for multi messenger : Gaia (+ spectro surveys), ZTF/BlackGem, LSST...

Preparing LISA:

Using current surveys to prepare : verification binaries, estimate of foreground from binary evolution

Other source types and impact on binary evolution?

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SUMMARY What a talk on massive binaries looks like in 2019 interferometry and simulations reveal wind collisions

In Wolf-Rayet binaries probing circumstellar environments, dust production

shock interactions produce X-ray flares in GRB

Understand structure of relativistic flows

Massive black hole mergers preferentially trace star formation in dwarfs and outskirts of galaxies **GW:** formation/evolution of binaries







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