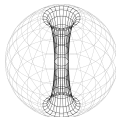


# Slowly rotating compact stars

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# Introduction

- **SLOWLY ROTATING**

$$\Omega^2 \ll GM/R^3$$

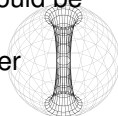
for typical values  $M = 1.4M_{\odot}$ ,  $R = 10$  km the relation gives

$$(f/2200\text{Hz})^2 \ll 1$$

Fastest pulsar (ATNF Pulsar Catalogue)  $f = 716$  Hz

- **COMPACT STARS**

- Neutron stars - mixture of  $n$ ,  $p$ ,  $e^-$  with  $\mu$  (with possible hyperon  $\Lambda$ ,  $\Sigma^{\pm,0}$ ,  $\Delta^{\pm,0}$ , or meson  $\pi$ ,  $\kappa$  condensates)
- Strange stars - mixture of equal number of  $u$ ,  $d$ ,  $s$  quarks, could be bare or with crust
- Hybrid stars - neutron stars with core made of strange matter

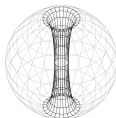


# Equation of state of nuclear matter

- Different equations of state of nuclear matter are represented by different  $E = E(n_b, x_p)$  relations which follows directly the theory and the method that is used
  - $E$ ... binding energy per baryon
  - $n_b$ ... baryon number density
  - $x_p = n_p/n_b$ ... proton fraction
- The relation  $E = E(n_b, x_p)$  is very well approximated by

$$E(n_b, x_p) = E_{\text{SNM}}(n_b) + \delta^2 S(n_b),$$

where  $\delta = 1 - 2x_p = (n_n - n_p)/n_b$  is the asymmetry and the  $S(n_b) = E_{\text{PNM}}(n_b) - E_{\text{SNM}}(n_b)$  is the symmetry energy.



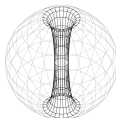
# Equation of state of nuclear matter

- Matter inside neutron stars is in the  $\beta$ -equilibrium i.e. in equilibrium with respect to reactions  $n \leftrightarrow p + e^- \leftrightarrow p + \mu$
- The condition of  $\beta$ -equilibrium follows the quadratic dependency of energy on asymmetry parameter and reads

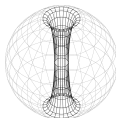
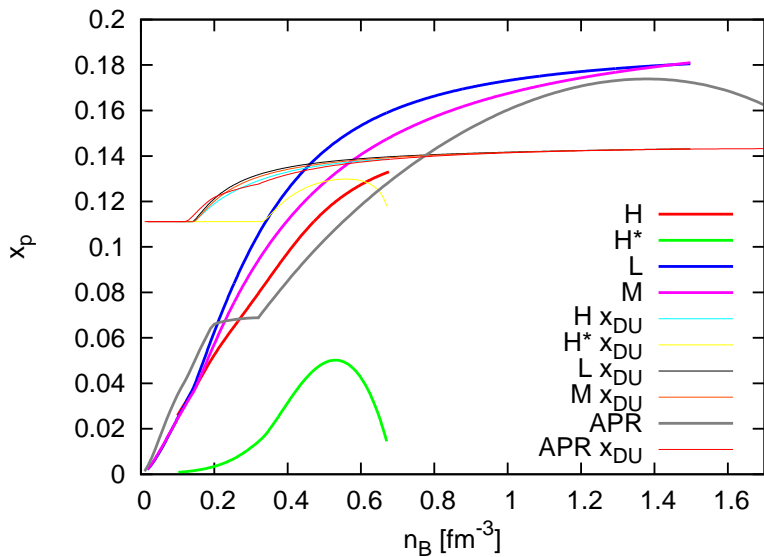
$$\mu_e = \mu_\mu = \mu_n - \mu_p = 4 \frac{S(n_b)}{n_b} (1 - 2x_p).$$

- $\beta$ -equilibrium condition is solved together with condition of charge neutrality ( $n_p = n_e + n_\mu$ ) to obtain the proton fraction of neutron star matter for different baryon number densities  $n_b$ .
- The pressure is then calculated from the relation

$$P = n_b^2 \frac{\partial}{\partial n_b} E(n_b, x_p)$$



# Proton fraction of nuclear matter at $\beta$ -equilibrium

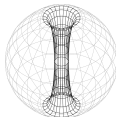


# Equation of state of strange matter

- Strange stars consist of equal number of  $u$ ,  $d$  and  $s$  quarks.
- The simplest model is the MIT Bag Model given by the Bag constant  $B$  and strong interaction coupling constant  $\alpha_C$
- We use MIT Bag Model with  $B = 10^{14} \text{g.cm}^{-3}$  and  $\alpha_C = 0.15$

$$P = \frac{1}{3} (\rho - 4B)$$

$$n_B = \left[ \frac{4(1 - 2\alpha_C/\pi)^{1/3}}{9\pi^{2/3}\hbar} (\rho - B) \right]^{3/4}$$



# Model of Static Non - Rotating NS

Spherical spacetime is assumed

$$ds^2 = -e^{2\nu_0} dt^2 + e^{2\lambda_0} dr^2 + r^2(d\theta^2 + \sin^2 \theta d\phi^2)$$

where

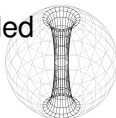
$$e^{2\lambda_0} = \frac{r}{r - 2m(r)}, \quad m(r) = 4\pi \int_0^r \rho r^2 dr.$$

The equation of hydrostatic equilibrium is given by TOV equation

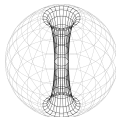
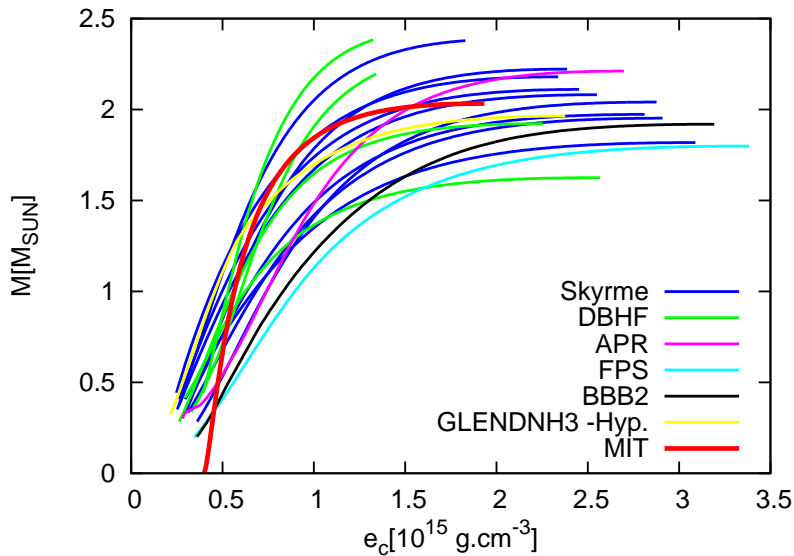
$$\frac{d\rho_0}{dr} = -(\rho_0 + p_0) \frac{m(r) + 4\pi r^3 p_0}{r(r - 2m(r))}$$

One integrate the TOV eq. for given  $\rho_c$ .

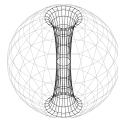
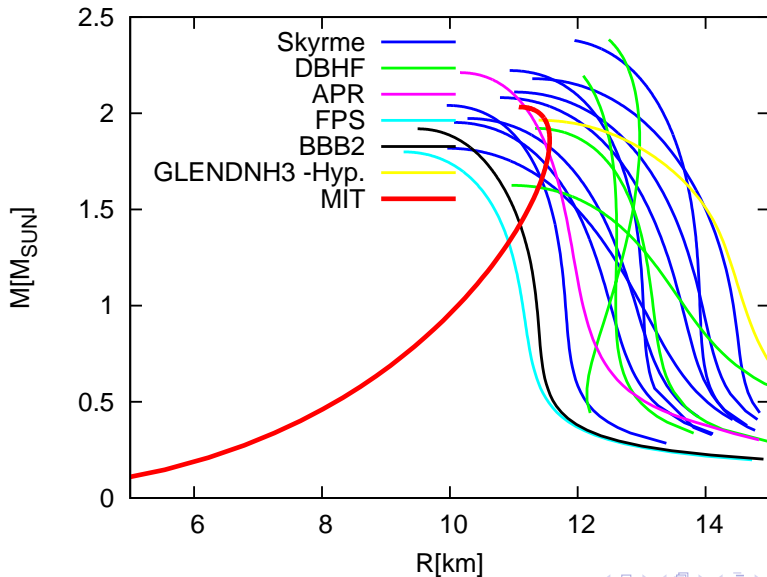
The relation between energy density and pressure  $P(\rho)$  is needed (EOS).



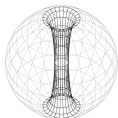
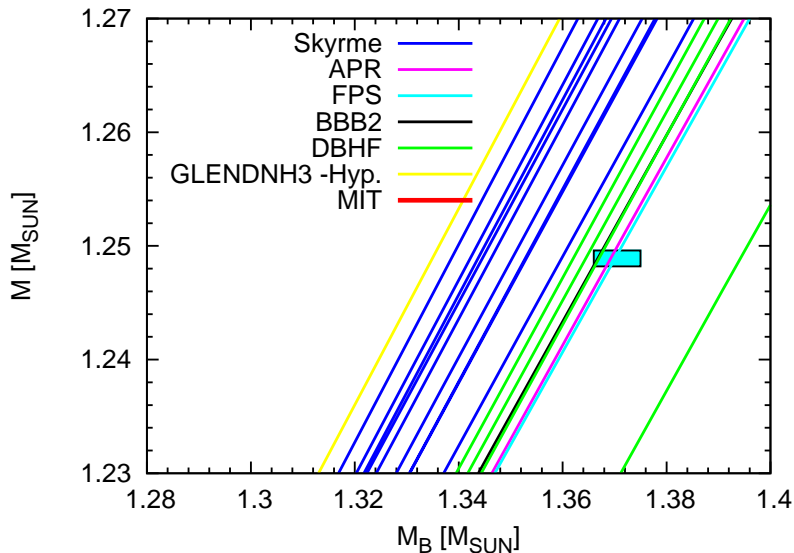
## Compact stars mass



# Mass - Radius relation

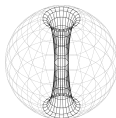


# Mass - Baryonic mass relation



# Hartle Thorne Approximation

- For given central parameters  $(\rho_c, P_c)$  one calculate the static nonrotating configuration.  $M_0$
- For arbitrarily chosen value of  $\tilde{\omega}_c$  one calculate the angular velocity of fluid relative to velocity of local inertial frame  $\tilde{\omega}(r) = \Omega - \omega(r)$   $J$
- Then one calculates the spherical deformations of the star to obtain total mass  $M$
- The last thing one should do is to calculate the quadrupole deformations, which gives you the shape of the star.  $Q$

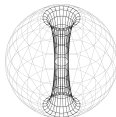


# Hartle Thorne perturbation

## Hartle Thorne metric

$$\begin{aligned}
 ds^2 = & -e^{2\nu_0} [1 + 2h_0(r) + 2h_2(r)P_2(\cos \theta)] dt^2 \\
 & + e^{2\lambda_0} \left\{ 1 + \frac{e^{2\lambda_0}}{r} [2m_0(r) + 2m_2(r)P_2(\cos \theta)] \right\} dr^2 \\
 & + r^2 [1 + 2k_2(r)P_2(\cos \theta)] \left\{ d\theta^2 + [d\phi - \omega(r)dt]^2 \sin^2 \theta \right\}
 \end{aligned}$$

- $\omega(r)$  is order of  $\Omega$  and describes the so-called dragging of the inertial frame
- $h_0(r)$ ,  $h_2(r)$ ,  $m_0(r)$ ,  $m_2(r)$ ,  $k_2(r)$ , that are quantities of order  $\Omega^2$  and functions of radial coordinate  $r$  only
- All perturbation functions are calculated with appropriate boundary conditions at the center and at the surface of configuration.



# Calculation of $J$

- One starts with integration of differential equation for  $\tilde{\omega}(r) = \Omega - \omega(r)$ :

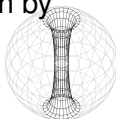
$$\frac{1}{r^3} \frac{d}{dr} \left( r^4 j(r) \frac{d\tilde{\omega}}{dr} \right) + 4 \frac{dj}{dr} \tilde{\omega} = 0$$

where  $j = e^{-(\lambda_0 + \nu_0)}$  with boundary conditions  $r = 0 : \tilde{\omega} = \tilde{\omega}_c, d\tilde{\omega}/dr = 0$ . Because we usually want to put the rotational frequency  $\Omega$  as an input parameter we have to rescale the  $\tilde{\omega}$  with respect to simple relation

$$\tilde{\omega}_{\text{new}}(r) = \tilde{\omega}_{\text{old}}(r) \frac{\Omega_{\text{WE WANT}}}{\Omega_{\text{WE GET}}}$$

- The angular momentum  $J$  and moment of inertia  $I$  are given by equations

$$J = \frac{1}{6} R^4 \left( \frac{d\tilde{\omega}}{dr} \right)_{r=R}, \quad I = \frac{J}{\Omega}$$



# Calculation of $M$

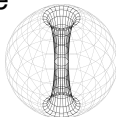
- To calculate the total mass of rotating neutron star one should solve set of two coupled differential equation one for  $m_0$  and one for  $p_0$

$$m_0(r) : \quad \frac{dm_0}{dr} = 4\pi r^2(\rho + p) \frac{d\rho}{dp} \delta p_0 + \frac{1}{12} r^4 j^2 \left( \frac{d\tilde{\omega}}{dr} \right)^2 - \frac{1}{3} r^3 \tilde{\omega}^2 \frac{dj^2}{dr}$$

$$p_0(r) : \quad \frac{dp_0}{dr} = -\frac{m_0(1 + 8\pi r^2 p)}{(r - 2m)^2} - \frac{4\pi(\rho + p)r^2}{r - 2m} p_0 \\ + \frac{1}{12} \frac{r^4 j^2}{r - 2m} \left( \frac{d\tilde{\omega}}{dr} \right)^2 + \frac{1}{3} \frac{d}{dr} \left( \frac{r^3 j^2 \tilde{\omega}^2}{r - 2m} \right)$$

- The boundary condition are that  $m_0$  and  $h_0$  must vanish at the center of the star. And at the surface they have to reach the external field
- The mass of rotational object is then given by

$$M(R) = M_0(R) + m_0(R) + \mathcal{J}^2/R^3$$



# Calculation of $Q$

- To calculate the quadrupole of rotating neutron star one should solve set of two coupled differential equation one for  $v_2 = h_2 + k_2$  and one for  $h_0$

$$\frac{dv_2}{dr} = -2 \frac{dv_0}{dr} h_2 + \left( \frac{1}{r} + \frac{dv_0}{dr} \right) \left[ \frac{1}{6} r^4 j^2 \left( \frac{d\tilde{\omega}}{dr} \right)^2 - \frac{1}{3} r^3 \tilde{\omega}^2 \frac{dj^2}{dr} \right]$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dh_2}{dr} = & - \frac{2v_2}{r(r-2m(r))dv_0/dr} + \left\{ -2 \frac{dv_0}{dr} + \frac{r}{2(r-2m(r))dv_0/dr} \left[ 8\pi(\rho + p) - \frac{4m(r)}{r} \right] \right\} h_2 \\ & + \frac{1}{6} \left[ r \frac{dv_0}{dr} - \frac{1}{2(r-2m(r))dv_0/dr} \right] r^3 j^2 \left( \frac{d\tilde{\omega}}{dr} \right)^2 - \frac{1}{3} \left[ r \frac{dv_0}{dr} + \frac{1}{2(r-2m(r))dv_0/dr} \right] r^2 \tilde{\omega}^2 \frac{dj^2}{dr} \end{aligned}$$

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The quadrupole moment of rotational object is then given by

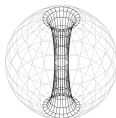
$$Q = 8/5KM^3 + J^2/M$$



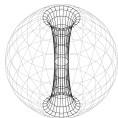
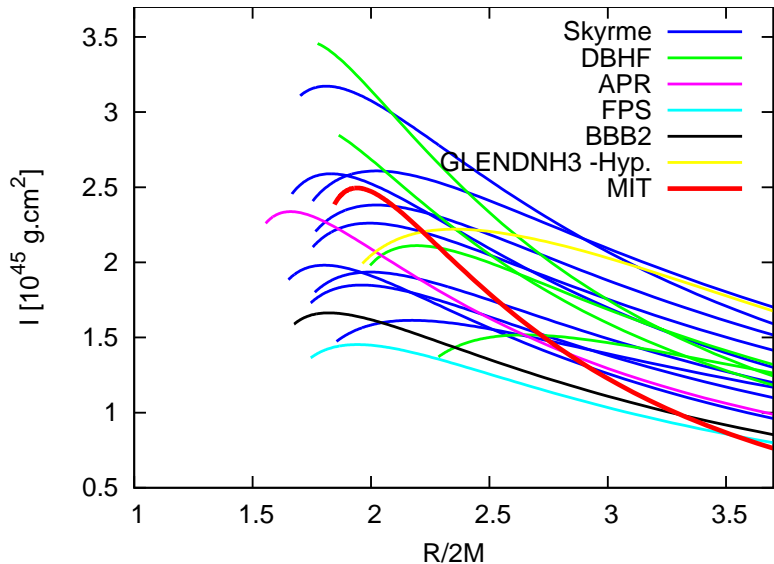
# Important quantities

The useful quantities to calculate are then

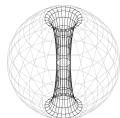
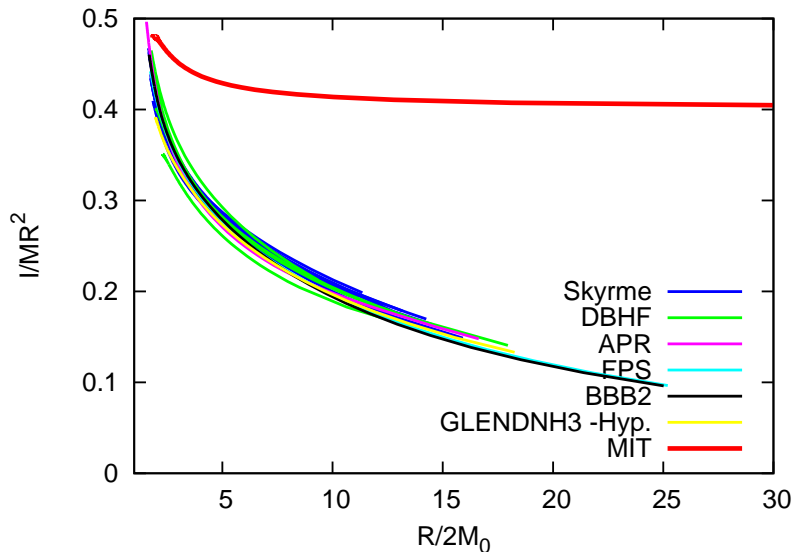
- Mass of the rotating compact star  $M = M(\Omega^2)$
- Angular momentum of the rotating compact star  $J = J(\Omega)$
- Moment of inertia of the rotating compact star  $I = J/\Omega$
- Quadrupole moment of rotating compact star  $Q = Q(\Omega^2)$
- "Kerr parameter"  $QM/J^2$



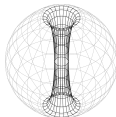
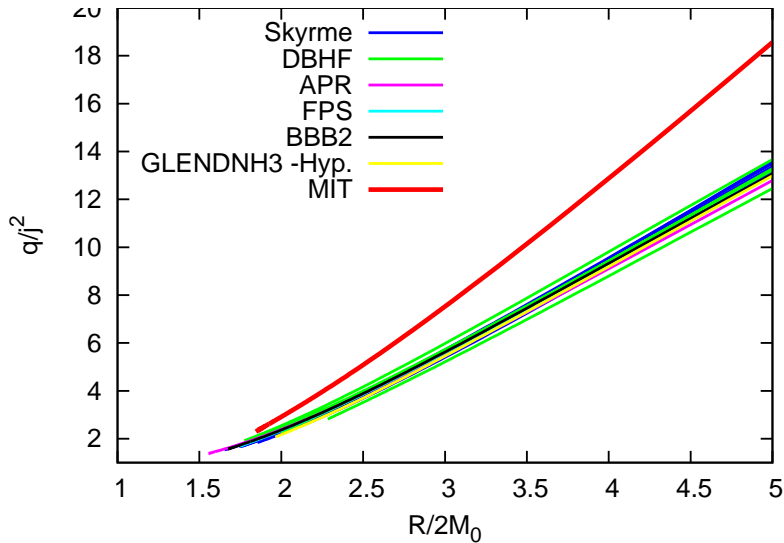
# Moment of inertia



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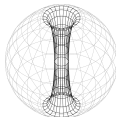


## Kerr parameter

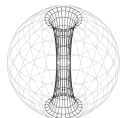
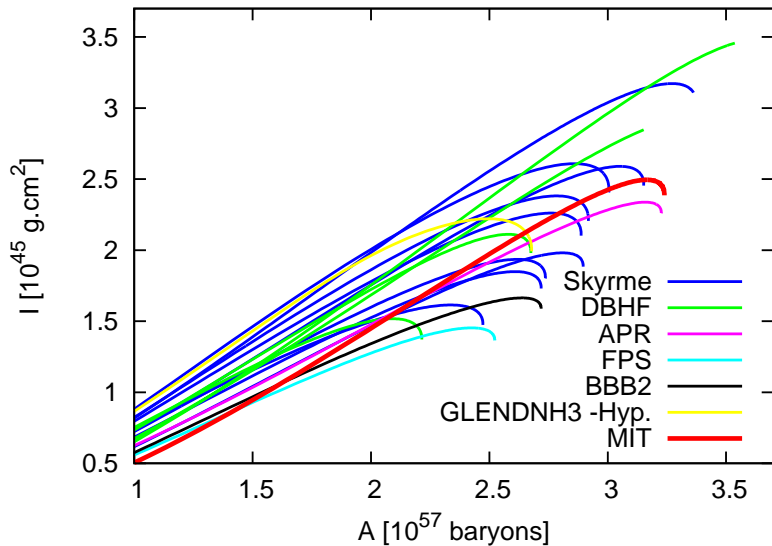


# Conclusions

- We have tested number EOS to describe the properties of slowly rotating compact stars (NS and SS)
- We used the Hartle - Thorne approach, that describes the "slow rotation" approximation, that could be however used to describe the known objects.
- We have shown the differency between neutron and strange stars
- Future plan
  - Investigate rotational sequences of constant baryon number.
  - Compare slow rotating approximation with some public available codes for general rotation (Lorene, RNS)



# Discussion - IA plot



# Gabo's talk- $g_{\mu\nu}^{HT} / g_{\mu\nu}^{Kerr}$

