



# Topological modes in relativistic hydrodynamics

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## Relativistic hydrodynamics

• Hydrodynamics: small perturbations close to thermal equilibrium, long wave length and long time limit;

Dynamics determined by conservation equations

$$\partial_{\mu}T^{\mu\nu} = 0$$

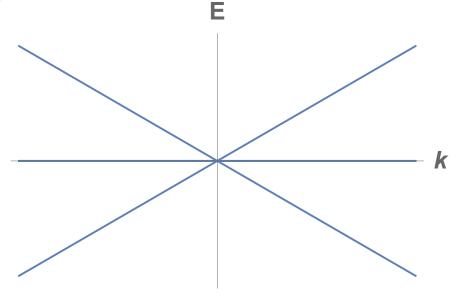
Constitutive equations:

$$T^{\mu\nu} = \epsilon u^{\mu}u^{\nu} + p\Delta^{\mu\nu} - \eta \Delta^{\mu\alpha}\Delta^{\nu\beta} \left( \partial_{\alpha}u_{\beta} + \partial_{\beta}u_{\alpha} - \frac{2}{d}\eta_{\alpha\beta}\partial_{\mu}u^{\mu} \right) - \zeta\Delta^{\mu\nu}\partial_{\lambda}u^{\lambda}$$

## Hydrodynamic modes

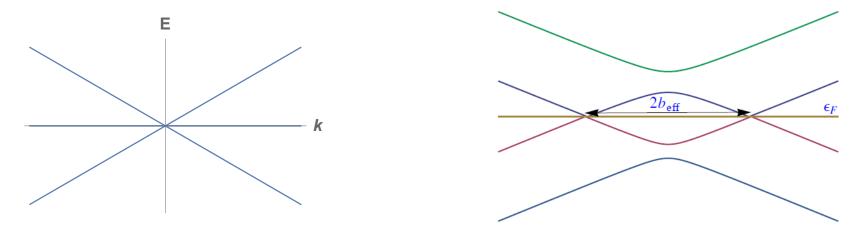
- Poles at w=o due to conservation of energy momentum
- Propagating modes:  $\omega = \pm |\mathbf{k}| v_s i \gamma_s \mathbf{k}^2/2$
- Diffusive modes:  $\omega = -iD\mathbf{k}^2$

- Crossing point in the real part of the eigenvalues at E=k=0
- To first order in k: ——



## Looking for topological modes in hydrodynamics: motivation

• Quantum gapless topological states: Weyl semimetal; topological nodes



- Classical topological states: sounds/optics
- Possible experimental observational effects?
- Implications to other topological systems

#### Outline

- Effective Hamiltonian
- Engineering the Hamiltonian: making it gapped, separating the nodes
- Non-conservations: gravitons; non-inertial reference frames, symmetry;
- Transports, second order effects;
- Topological invariants: orthogonal adjacent states;
- Holography
- More general systems with two sectors of energy momentum;
- Summary and open questions

## I: Looking for topological modes in hydrodynamics: effective Hamiltonian

Hydrodynamic modes, dynamics determined by the conservation equation

$$\partial_{\mu}\delta T^{\mu\nu} = 0 \qquad \qquad \partial_{t}\,\delta\epsilon + ik_{x}\pi_{x} = 0 ,$$

$$\partial_{t}\pi^{\parallel} + ik_{x}v_{s}^{2}\,\delta\epsilon + \gamma_{s}\mathbf{k}^{2}\pi_{x} = 0$$

$$\partial_{t}\pi_{i}^{\perp} + \gamma_{\eta}\mathbf{k}^{2}\pi_{i}^{\perp} = 0 .$$

Define 
$$\Psi = \left(\delta\epsilon, \delta\pi^x, \delta\pi^y, \delta\pi^z\right)^T \\ i\partial_t \Psi = H\Psi \\ \text{H is similar to a Hermitian matrix by } \delta\epsilon \to \frac{1}{v_s} \delta\epsilon \end{aligned} H = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & k_x & k_y & k_z \\ k_x v_s^2 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ k_y v_s^2 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ k_z v_s^2 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \text{ leading order in k}$$

## I: Looking for topological modes in hydrodynamics: effective Hamiltonian

• Resemblance to the equation of motion for fermions: Dirac Hamiltonian

$$i\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial t} = -i\vec{\alpha}\cdot\vec{\nabla}\psi + m\beta\psi \equiv \hat{H}\psi$$

• An effective Hamiltonian in hydrodynamics, whose eigenvalues give the spectrum

$$\omega = \pm v_s \sqrt{k_x^2 + k_y^2 + k_z^2}$$

$$\omega = 0$$

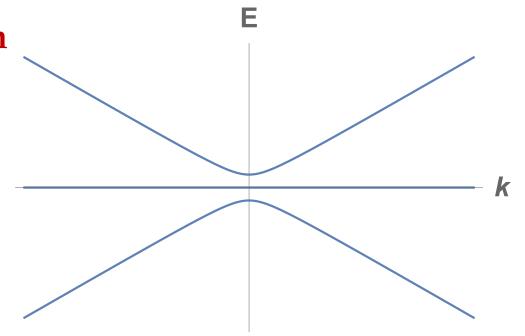
$$\frac{\text{leading order in k}}{}$$

# II: Engineering the effective Hamiltonian: gapping the hydrodynamic modes

- Gapless topological modes: stable under perturbations that usually gap the system
- First step: gap the hydrodynamic modes
- Non-conservation of energy momentum

$$H = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & k_x + im & k_y & k_z \\ v_s^2(k_x - im) & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ v_s^2k_y & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ v_s^2k_z & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

- Order:  $O(m) \sim O(k)$
- y, z direction m terms would have the same effect



# II: Engineering the effective Hamiltonian: gapping the hydrodynamic modes

- Note: different from the usual momentum dissipation considered in holography
- What we have here:  $\partial_{\mu}\delta T^{\mu t}=m\delta T^{tx}$
- Gap:  $\partial_{\mu}\delta T^{\mu x} = -mv_s^2\delta T^{tt}$

- What they have there:  $\partial_{\mu} \delta T^{\mu t} = 0$ ,
- Momentum dissipation  $\partial_{\mu}\delta T^{\mu i}=\Gamma\delta T^{ti}\,,$

## II: Engineering the effective Hamiltonian: gapping the hydrodynamic modes

- Compare the effective Hamiltonians
- Momentum dissipation

VS

gap

$$H = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & k_x & k_y & k_z \\ v_s^2 k_x & -i\Gamma & 0 & 0 \\ v_s^2 k_y & 0 & -i\Gamma & 0 \\ v_s^2 k_z & 0 & 0 & -i\Gamma \end{pmatrix} \quad H = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & k_x + im & k_y & k_z \\ v_s^2 (k_x - im) & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ v_s^2 k_y & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ v_s^2 k_z & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\omega = \left(-i\Gamma, -i\Gamma, \frac{1}{2}\left(-i\Gamma - \sqrt{4v_s^2k^2 - \Gamma^2}\right), \frac{1}{2}\left(-i\Gamma + \sqrt{4v_s^2k^2 - \Gamma^2}\right)\right)$$

## II: Engineering the effective Hamiltonian: separating the hydrodynamic modes

More non-conservation terms

$$H = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & k_x + im & k_y & k_z \\ v_s^2(k_x - im) & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ v_s^2k_y & 0 & 0 & ib \\ v_s^2k_z & 0 & -ib & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

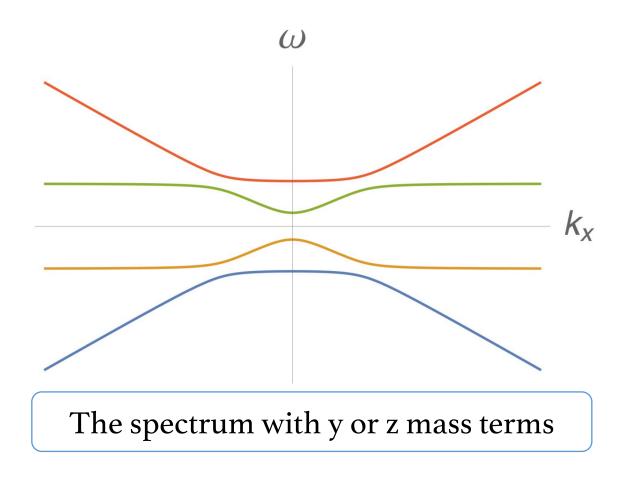
• H is similar to a Hermitian matrix by  $\delta\epsilon \to \frac{1}{v_s}\delta\epsilon$ 

$$\partial_{\mu}\delta T^{\mu t} = m\delta T^{tx}\;,\;\;\partial_{\mu}\delta T^{\mu x} = -mv_s^2\delta T^{tt}$$
 
$$\partial_{\mu}\delta T^{\mu y} = bv_s\delta T^{tz}\;,\;\;\partial_{\mu}\delta T^{\mu z} = -bv_s\delta T^{ty}$$
 
$$\mathbf{E}$$

$$\omega = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sqrt{b^2 + k^2 + m^2 \pm \sqrt{(k_x^2 + m^2 - b^2)^2 + (k_y^2 + k_z^2)^2 + 2(k_y^2 + k_z^2)(k_x^2 + m^2 + b^2)}}$$

## II: Engineering the effective Hamiltonian: separating the hydrodynamic modes

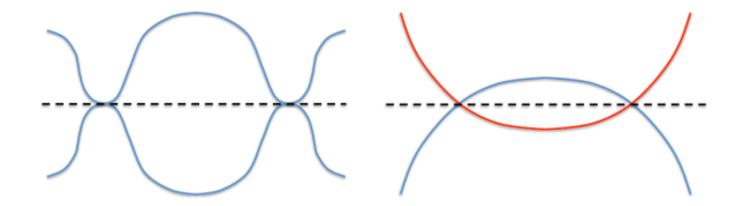
• Note that the y or z direction mass terms could still gap the system



Topologically nontrivial protected by certain symmetries: not gapped by the x direction m terms.

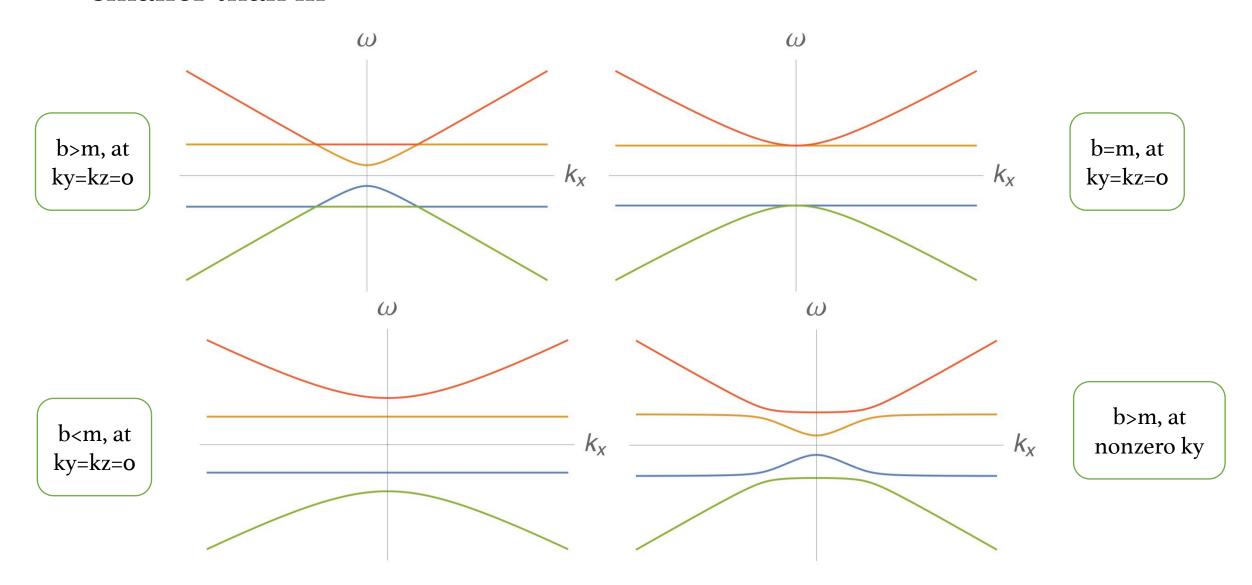
## Meaning of topologically gapless states

Accidental vs topological



• Symmetry protection

• (Topological) phase transition: tuning b from larger than m to smaller than m



### III Origin for non-conservation of energy momentum

- From a symmetric tensor external field:  $f_{\mu\nu}O^{\mu\nu}$
- Non-conservation equation:  $\partial^{\mu}T_{\mu\nu} = O^{\alpha\beta}(\partial_{\nu}f_{\alpha\beta} 2\partial_{\alpha}f_{\nu\beta})$
- Choose the operator to be  $T^{\mu\nu}$ ; carefully choosing the nonzero components of the external field could give us the non-conservation equation that is needed.
- The symmetric tensor field could be some external effective matter field, but its coupling has to be carefully tuned in real systems.

### III Origin for non-conservation of energy momentum

• The most interesting and natural possibility for the symmetric tensor field: the gravitational field

$$g_{\mu\nu} = \eta_{\mu\nu} + h_{\mu\nu} \qquad \mathcal{O}(h_{\mu\nu}) \sim \mathcal{O}(k)$$

- Energy momentum is conserved covariantly  $\nabla_{\mu}T^{\mu\nu}=0$
- Expanding the covariant conservation equation to first order of  $\,h_{\mu 
  u}$

$$\partial_{\mu}\delta T^{\mu\nu} = -\frac{1}{2}\partial_{\alpha}h\delta T^{\alpha\nu} - \frac{1}{2}\eta^{\nu\beta}(2\partial_{\mu}h_{\alpha\beta} - \partial_{\beta}h_{\mu\alpha})\delta T^{\mu\alpha}$$

### III Origin for non-conservation of energy momentum

• With the following nonzero components of  $\,h_{\mu 
u}$ 

$$h_{tt} = h_{xx} = mx$$
,  $h_{tx} = h_{xt} = \frac{1}{2}mt(v_s^2 + 1)$ ,

$$h_{ty} = h_{yt} = -\frac{1}{2}bv_s z$$
,  $h_{tz} = h_{zt} = \frac{1}{2}bv_s y$ .

infinite many possibilities for  $h_{\mu\nu}$  , here we pick a simple choice

• The covariant conservation equation gives the non-conservation terms needed

$$\partial_{\mu}\delta T^{\mu t} = m\delta T^{tx}, \quad \partial_{\mu}\delta T^{\mu x} = -mv_s^2\delta T^{tt}$$

$$\partial_{\mu}\delta T^{\mu y} = bv_s \delta T^{tz}, \quad \partial_{\mu}\delta T^{\mu z} = -bv_s \delta T^{ty}$$

- How do we get this gravitational field  $h_{\mu\nu}$  ?
- Surprisingly all Riemann tensors vanish for this metric!
- $h_{\mu\nu}$  could emerge from a coordinate transformation from the flat spacetime

$$\tilde{x}_{\mu} = x_{\mu} + \xi_{\mu}$$

$$\xi_{\mu} = \left(\frac{mxt}{2}, \frac{mx^2}{4} + \frac{mt^2}{4}v_s^2, -\frac{b}{4}v_szt, \frac{b}{4}v_syt\right)$$

- In a specific non-inertial frame, we could observe hydrodynamic modes that are topologically protected even when they are topologically trivial in the original inertial frame.
- Another effect for accelerating frames in addition to the Unruh effect.

#### The non-inertial frame

• A rest observer in the new reference frame

$$d\tilde{x}^{i} = 0 \text{ for } i = 1, 2, 3$$

• Solving this equation, we have the movement of the rest observer in the original flat spacetime (at leading order in k)

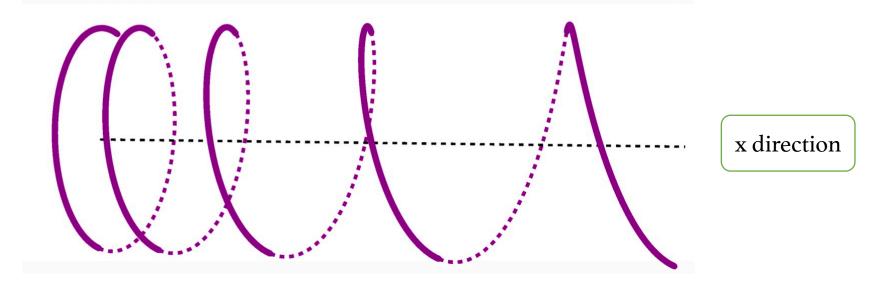
$$d\tilde{t} = dt, dx = -\frac{mv_s^2tdt}{2}, dy = \frac{bv_szdt}{4} dz = -\frac{bv_sydt}{4}$$

 Integrating these equations with appropriate boundary conditions, we have

$$y = R_0 \cos \frac{bv_s}{4} t$$
 and  $z = -R_0 \sin \frac{bv_s}{4} t$ 

#### The non-inertial frame

- The rest observer in the new reference frame:
- Rotating with a constant angular velocity  $\omega_x = \frac{bv_s}{4}$  in the y-z plane
- Accelerating with a constant acceleration  $a = -\frac{mv_s^2}{2}$  in the x direction



• A remark: with the coordinate transformation to the new frame, the constitutive equation has to be transformed, too, which could contribute to extra terms in the equation.

[Accelerating observer with the fluid]

Accelerating observer, with the fluid rest in the inertial frame

• By considering these effects carefully by transformation the four velocity of the fluid to the non-inertial frame, extra terms all vanish and the spectrum does not change!

• It is also possible to have the fluid also accelerating: the spectrum does not change up to a rescaling of parameters m, b and vs.

## Symmetry of the system

• To keep the exact form of these non-conservation terms, we need the isometry of the new spacetime metric.

• Isometry: coordinate transformation from the Poincare symmetry of the original flat spacetime

$$K_{\mu} = \sum_{i=0}^{3} a_i \chi_i + \sum_{i=1}^{6} c_i \theta_i$$

$$\chi_{0} = \left(1 - \frac{mx}{2}, -\frac{mt}{2}, 0, 0\right), \quad \chi_{1} = \left(\frac{mtv_{s}^{2}}{2}, 1 + \frac{mx}{2}, 0, 0\right) 
\chi_{2} = \left(-\frac{bzv_{s}}{4}, 0, 1, -\frac{btv_{s}}{4}\right), \quad \chi_{3} = \left(\frac{byv_{s}}{4}, 0, \frac{btv_{s}}{4}, 1\right), 
\theta_{1} = \left(-\frac{m(x^{2} + v_{s}^{2}t^{2})}{4} + x, -t - \frac{mtx}{2}, 0, 0\right), 
\theta_{2} = \left(\left(1 - \frac{mx}{2}\right)y, -\frac{mty}{2}, \left(-1 + \frac{mx}{2}\right)t, \frac{bt^{2}v_{s}}{4}\right), 
\theta_{3} = \left(\left(1 - \frac{mx}{2}\right)z, -\frac{mtz}{2}, -\frac{bt^{2}v_{s}}{4}, \left(-1 + \frac{mx}{2}\right)t\right), 
\theta_{4} = \left(\frac{mtyv_{s}^{2}}{2} + \frac{bxzv_{s}}{4}, -\frac{btzv_{s}}{4} + y\left(1 + \frac{mx}{2}\right), -\frac{m(x^{2} + v_{s}^{2}t^{2})}{4} - x, \frac{btxv_{s}}{4}\right) 
\theta_{5} = \left(\frac{mtzv_{s}^{2}}{2} - \frac{bxyv_{s}}{4}, \frac{btyv_{s}}{4} + z\left(1 + \frac{mx}{2}\right), -\frac{btxv_{s}}{4}, -\frac{m(x^{2} + v_{s}^{2}t^{2})}{4} - x\right) 
\theta_{6} = \left(-\frac{bv_{s}(y^{2} + z^{2})}{4}, 0, z, -y\right).$$

## The protecting symmetry

- It could be the whole symmetry of the isometry
- However, we only need the symmetry that forbids the m terms in the y and z directions. There could be extra b terms that change the value of b, which do not open the gap.
- The two Killing vectors for this symmetry are

$$\epsilon^{\mu} = a_y \chi_y + a_z \chi_z$$

$$\chi_y = \left(-\frac{bzv_s}{4}, 0, 1, -\frac{btv_s}{4}\right)$$

$$\chi_z = \left(\frac{byv_s}{4}, 0, \frac{byv_s}{4}, 1\right)$$

This symmetry looks complicated, however, it is just the y and z translational symmetry in the inertial frame.

Combined translational and boost symmetry in the y(z) and z(y) directions

## Summary of the physical picture

- The non-conservation terms look ad-hoc; the protecting symmetry looks weird.
- Let us analyze the physical picture carefully.
- Hydrodynamic modes observed in the accelerating frame where the normal fluid is at rest in the inertial frame, i.e. the receiver accelerates while the fluid is at rest.
- In the accelerating frame, the non-conservation terms come out naturally due to the gravitational field, and the protecting symmetry comes out naturally as two generators of the isometry.
- We will have the covariant conservation of  $T^{\mu\nu}$  in the accelerating frame as long as we have the conservation of  $T^{\mu\nu}$  in the flat spacetime: the symmetry required is the y and z momentum conservation in the flat spacetime.
- All that is needed is the accelerating receiver who has to accelerate exactly in the way required and it is a natural accelerating frame of a helix.

## Possible experimental realization

 Possible application: doubling of amplitudes at a finite k and w; stable under perturbations;

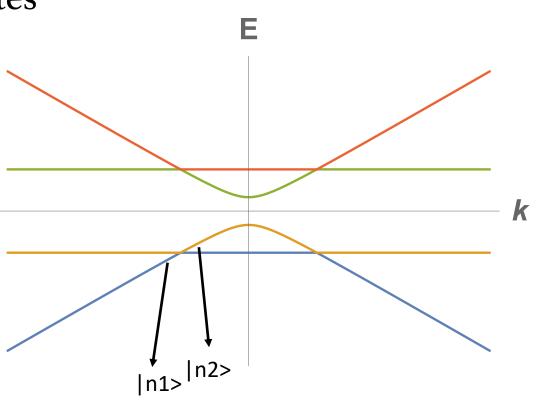
• Laboratory tests: accelerating the detector/observer for sound modes in a helix with small acceleration and angular velocity.

• Direct detection of sound modes; indirect test of transport behavior;

• Implications to other topological materials, e.g. electronic systems.

## IV topological invariants

- For symmetry protected topological states
- Topological invariants calculated at high symmetric points of the system ky=kz=o;
- |ni> and |n2> normal to each other: <ni|n2>=0 undetermined Berry phase The singularity cannot become a trivial point by continuous change, unless after a topological phase transition



### V. Transports, second order effects

- Transports: thermal conductivity
- m,b both have effects in thermal conductivity;

$$\kappa_{xx}(\omega, k_x) = -\frac{i\omega(\epsilon + P)}{T\left((k_x^2 + m^2)v_s^2 + i\frac{\eta}{\epsilon + P}\omega k_x^2 - \omega^2\right)},$$

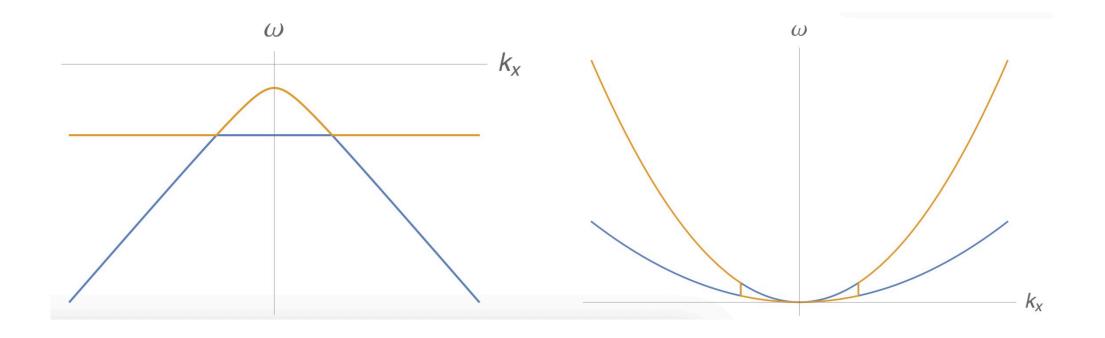
$$\kappa_{yy}(\omega, k_x) = \kappa_{zz}(\omega, k_x) = -\frac{k_x^2\eta + i\omega(\epsilon + P)}{T\left(b^2v_s^2 + (i\omega + \frac{\eta}{\epsilon + P}k_x^2)^2\right)}$$

$$\kappa_{yz}(\omega, k_x) = -\kappa_{zy}(\omega, k_x) = \frac{(\epsilon + P)bv_s}{T\left(b^2v_s^2 + (i\omega + \frac{\eta}{\epsilon + P}k_x^2)^2\right)}$$

• yz components become nonzero due to b terms; xx, yy, zz components do not diverge anymore due to b or m.

### V. Imaginary parts: second order in k effects

• A jump in the imaginary part: indicating topological change?



- Strongly coupled hydrodynamic systems.
- Hydrodynamic modes-> gravitons
- Non-conservation of energy momentum: massive gravity?
- Another prescription for holographic realization of this system: holographic non-inertial reference frames, coordinate transformation from the original AdS/CFT correspondence
- First step to prove that it is indeed the holographic system needed: reproduce the Ward identities due to the energy momentum non-conservation terms

Ward identities for the conserved energy momentum tensor

$$k_{\mu}(G^{\mu\nu\lambda\rho} - \eta^{\nu\lambda}\langle T^{\mu\rho}\rangle - \eta^{\nu\rho}\langle T^{\mu\lambda}\rangle - \eta^{\lambda\rho}\langle T^{\mu\nu}\rangle + \eta^{\mu\nu}\langle T^{\lambda\rho}\rangle) = 0$$

With energy momentum non-conservation terms, the Ward identities become

$$k_{\mu}G^{\mu\nu,\lambda\rho}(k) + i\left[\Gamma^{(1)\mu}{}_{\mu\alpha}G^{\alpha\nu,\lambda\rho}(k) + \Gamma^{(1)\nu}{}_{\mu\alpha}G^{\mu\alpha,\lambda\rho}(k)\right] + \text{contact terms} = 0$$

- A new prescription to calculate holographic Ward identities without calculating all the components of the Green functions
- For perturbations of the metric  $\delta g_{\mu\nu}(\vec{k})$ , we denote the ten components tt, tx, ty, tz, xx, xy, xz, yy, yz, zz as  $\phi_i, i \in \{1..., 10\}$  Fourier transformed to the momentum space in the t, x, y, z directions
- The action could be written as

$$S \supset \int \frac{dr d^4k}{(2\pi)^4} \left( W_1^{ij} \phi_i''(-\vec{k}) \phi_j(\vec{k}) + W_2^{ij} \phi_i'(-\vec{k}) \phi_j'(\vec{k}) + W_3^{ij} \phi_i'(-\vec{k}) \phi_j(\vec{k}) + W_4^{ij} \phi_i(-\vec{k}) \phi_j(\vec{k}) \right)$$

- Deriving equations of motion for this system and substituting the solutions into the action, we could the on-shell action.
- The on-shell action that is relevant to the Green functions:

$$S_{\text{on-shell}} \supset \int \frac{d^4k}{(2\pi)^4} W_2^{ij} \phi_i'(-\vec{k}) \phi_j(\vec{k}) \Big|_{r_h}^{r_b} + \cdots$$

- · · · are terms related to the contact terms
- Note that components with r could be viewed as constraint equations, which could be solved and substituted into the on-shell action.

- Holographic Ward identities--- diffeomorphism
- The action has to be composed of gauge invariant combinations
- All possible gauge invariant combinations:

$$\begin{split} \delta g_{\mu\nu} &= \nabla_{\mu} \epsilon_{\nu} + \nabla_{\nu} \epsilon_{\mu} \\ Z_{1} &= \frac{\delta g_{xx}}{2k_{x}^{2}} + \frac{\delta g_{tx}}{\omega k_{x}} + \frac{\delta g_{tt}}{2\omega^{2}}, \quad Z_{2} &= \frac{\delta g_{yy}}{2k_{y}^{2}} + \frac{\delta g_{ty}}{\omega k_{y}} + \frac{\delta g_{tt}}{2\omega^{2}}, \\ Z_{3} &= \frac{\delta g_{zz}}{2k_{z}^{2}} + \frac{\delta g_{tz}}{\omega k_{z}} + \frac{\delta g_{tt}}{2\omega^{2}}, \quad Z_{4} &= \frac{\delta g_{xx}}{2k_{x}^{2}} - \frac{\delta g_{xy}}{k_{x}k_{y}} + \frac{\delta g_{yy}}{2k_{y}^{2}}, \\ Z_{5} &= \frac{\delta g_{xx}}{2k_{x}^{2}} - \frac{\delta g_{xz}}{k_{x}k_{z}} + \frac{\delta g_{zz}}{2k_{z}^{2}}, \quad Z_{6} &= \frac{\delta g_{yy}}{2k_{y}^{2}} - \frac{\delta g_{yz}}{k_{y}k_{x}} + \frac{\delta g_{zz}}{2k_{z}^{2}} \end{split}$$

The on-shell action should be

$$S \supset \int \frac{d^4k}{(2\pi)^4} G_{ij}(r) Z_i'(-\vec{k}) Z_j(\vec{k}) \Big|_{r_h}^{r_b}$$

- All 55 components of Green functions should be expressed using the 21 independent Gij functions.
- Eliminating all Gij's, we obtain 34 identities for holographic Green functions.
- 40 Ward identities need to be reproduced, 6 of which are independent that could be derived from other 34 identities
- They match to each other.

## The holographic non-inertial frame

• The metric for the coordinate transformed AdS spacetime:

$$g_{\mu\nu}^{\text{bulk}} = g_{\mu\nu}^{AdS} + h_{\mu\nu}^{\text{bulk}}$$

$$h_{\mu\nu}^{\text{bulk}} = \nabla_{\mu} \xi_{\nu} + \nabla_{\nu} \xi_{\mu}$$

• With the new metric, the form of the on-shell action would be different from the AdS one, nevertheless, it can still be written as sums of gauge invariant terms.

### VI. Holographic realization and Ward identities

#### New gauge invariant combinations

$$\begin{split} Z_{1} &= \frac{\delta g_{xx}}{2k_{x}^{2}} + \frac{\delta g_{tx}}{\omega k_{x}} + \frac{\delta g_{tt}}{2\omega^{2}} - \frac{im\delta g_{tt}}{4k_{x}\omega^{2}} + \frac{im\delta g_{tx}}{2k_{x}^{2}\omega} - \frac{imv_{s}^{2}\delta g_{xx}}{4k_{x}\omega^{2}} \\ Z_{2} &= \frac{\delta g_{yy}}{2k_{y}^{2}} + \frac{\delta g_{ty}}{\omega k_{y}} + \frac{\delta g_{tt}}{2\omega^{2}} - \frac{imv_{s}^{2}\delta g_{xx}}{4k_{x}\omega^{2}} - \frac{ibv_{s}\delta g_{zz}}{4k_{y}k_{z}\omega} \,, \\ Z_{3} &= \frac{\delta g_{zz}}{2k_{z}^{2}} + \frac{\delta g_{tz}}{\omega k_{z}} + \frac{\delta g_{tt}}{2\omega^{2}} - \frac{imv_{s}^{2}\delta g_{xx}}{4k_{x}\omega^{2}} + \frac{ibv_{s}\delta g_{yy}}{4k_{y}k_{z}\omega} \,, \\ Z_{4} &= \frac{\delta g_{xx}}{2k_{x}^{2}} - \frac{\delta g_{xy}}{k_{x}k_{y}} + \frac{\delta g_{yy}}{2k_{y}^{2}} - \frac{im\delta g_{xx}}{4k_{x}^{3}} \,, \\ Z_{5} &= \frac{\delta g_{xx}}{2k_{x}^{2}} - \frac{\delta g_{xz}}{k_{x}k_{z}} + \frac{\delta g_{zz}}{2k_{z}^{2}} \,, \\ Z_{6} &= \frac{\delta g_{yy}}{2k_{y}^{2}} - \frac{\delta g_{yz}}{k_{y}k_{x}} + \frac{\delta g_{zz}}{2k_{z}^{2}} - \frac{im\delta g_{xx}}{4k_{x}^{3}} \,. \end{split}$$

Using the same method as the asymptotic AdS case, we could match the Ward identities from both sides

## VI. Holographic realization and Ward identities

• This method for calculating holographic Ward identities could also be generalized to massive gravities.

- More to do:
- More details: hydrodynamics modes, Green functions;
- Other holographic realizations, massive gravity? External fields?

- With two separately conserved hydrodynamic systems.
- Introducing weak interchange of energy and momentum between the two systems
- Start from the simplest case: two I+Id systems each with an energy momentum tensor

$$\partial_{\mu}\delta T_L^{\mu t} = m_1 \delta T_L^{tx} + b_1 \delta T_R^{tt},$$

$$\partial_{\mu}\delta T_L^{\mu x} = -m_1 v_{sL}^2 \delta T_L^{tt} + b_1 \delta T_R^{tx},$$

$$\partial_{\mu}\delta T_R^{\mu t} = m_2 \delta T_R^{tx} - b_2 \delta T_L^{tt},$$

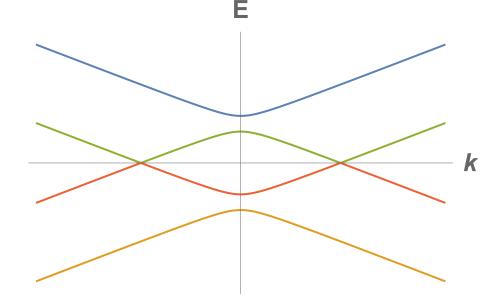
$$\partial_{\mu}\delta T_R^{\mu x} = -m_2 v_{sR}^2 \delta T_R^{tt} - b_2 \delta T_L^{tx},$$

• A better version with two interacting energy momentum tensors in 2d+2d

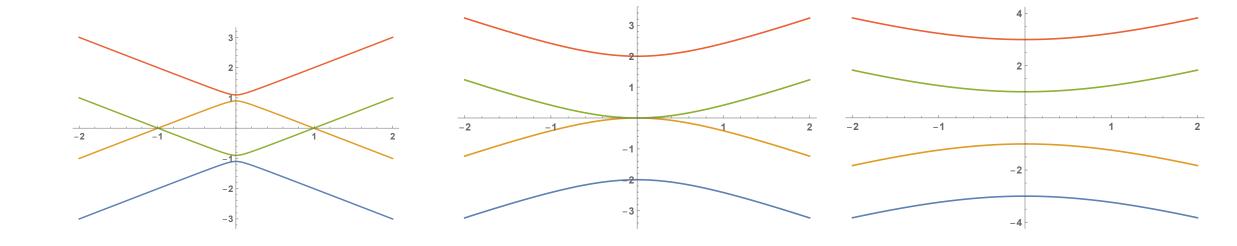
$$H = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & k_x + im & ib & 0\\ (k_x - im)v_s^2 & 0 & 0 & ib\\ -ib & 0 & 0 & k_x + im\\ 0 & -ib & (k_x - im)v_s^2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\omega = \pm b \pm \sqrt{m^2 + k_x^2} v_s$$

• It does not need to be protected by any symmetry



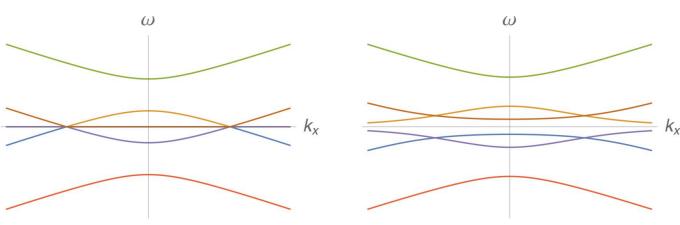
• (Topological) phase transition:



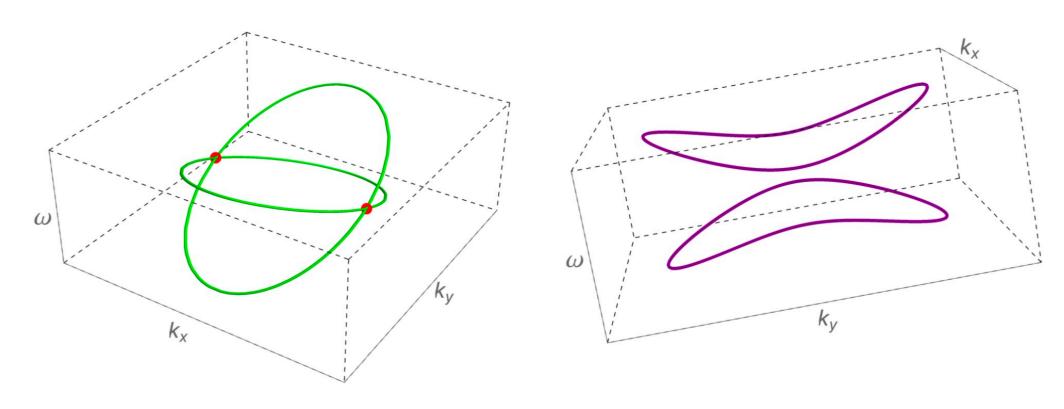
#### 3d+3d: case I

Effective Hamiltonian 
$$H_{3D+3D,I} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & k_x + im & k_y & ib & 0 & 0 \\ k_x - im & 0 & 0 & 0 & ib & 0 \\ k_y & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -ib & 0 & 0 & 0 & k_x + im & k_y \\ 0 & -ib & 0 & k_x - im & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & k_y & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$





Crossing nodes



No m in the y direction

With m in the y direction

Two red points: symmetry protected; two circles, no need for symmetry protection

### 3d+3d case II

• Effective H

$$H_{3D+3D,II} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & k_x + im & k_y + im & ib & 0 & 0 \\ k_x - im & 0 & 0 & 0 & ib & 0 \\ k_y - im & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & ib \\ -ib & 0 & 0 & 0 & k_x + im & k_y + im \\ 0 & -ib & 0 & k_x - im & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -ib & k_y - im & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

• Spectrum

Crossing nodes are three circles, no need for symmetry protection

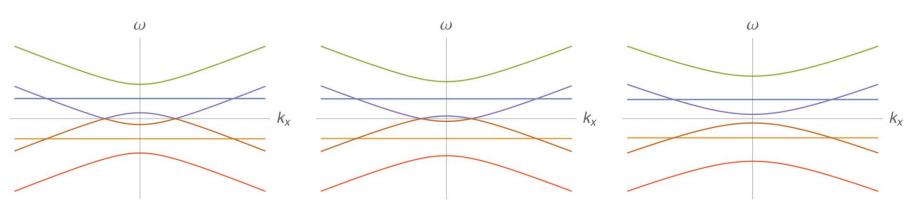


Figure 10: The spectrum of the modified hydrodynamics with (3.17)  $H_{3D+3D,II}$  at m < b and increasing from  $k_y = 0$  to larger values from left to right.

#### 4d+4d cases

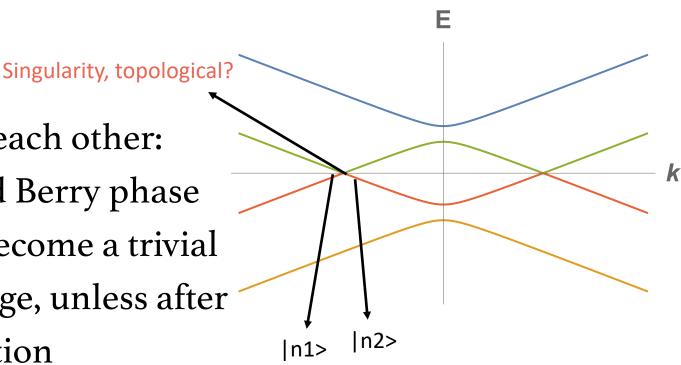
• More complicated, qualitatively similar;

- With maximal b terms, no need for symmetry protection, while the crossing nodes are two dimensional spheres: co-dimension one surfaces;
- With fewer b terms, symmetry protected by the symmetry forbidding the m term in the direction with no b term: effectively codimension one in the calculation of topological invariants

#### Topological invariants

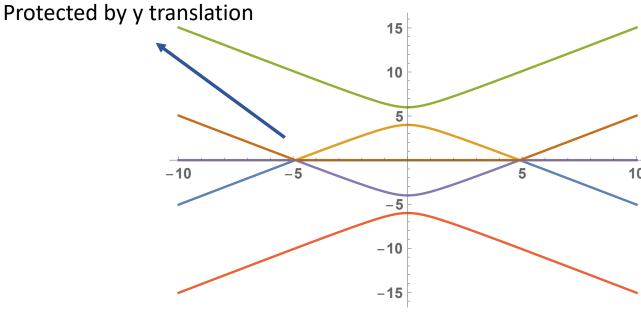
- For the 2d+2d case
- Only parameter: kx

• |n1> and |n2> normal to each other: <n1|n2>=0 undetermined Berry phase
The singularity cannot become a trivial
point by continuous change, unless after
a topological phase transition

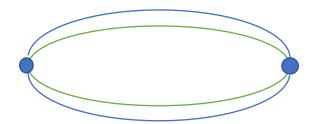


### Topological invariants

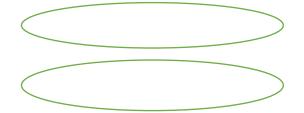
- For the 3d+3d/4d+4d case: much more complicated
- symmetry protected by yz translation symmetries: calculated at high symmetric points: ky=kz=o
- The same as previous cases



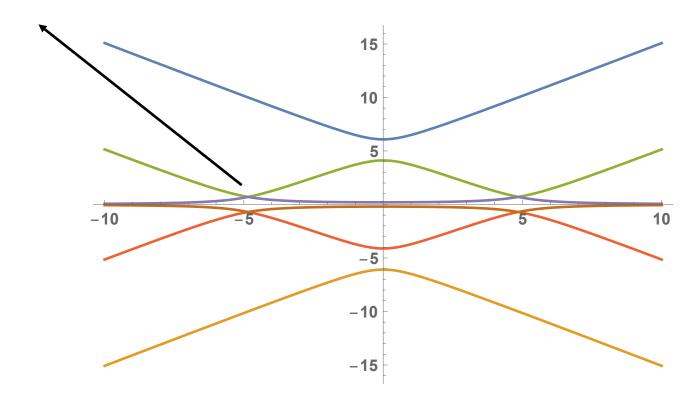
- Two cases:
- With y translation



• Without y translation



Not symmetry protected ones



### Transport properties

• 2d+2d case: four components of thermal conductivity; m=0 finite;

$$\kappa_{LL}(\omega, k_x) = \kappa_{RR}(\omega, k_x) = -\frac{i\omega(\epsilon + P) \left(b^2 + (k_x^2 + m^2)v_s^2 - \omega^2\right)}{T \left(b^4 + \left((k_x^2 + m^2)v_s^2 - \omega^2\right)^2 - 2b^2 \left((k_x^2 + m^2)v_s^2 + \omega^2\right)\right)}$$

$$\kappa_{LR}(\omega, k_x) = -\kappa_{RL}(\omega, k_x) = \frac{(\epsilon + P) \left(b^2 - (k_x^2 + m^2)v_s^2 - \omega^2\right)}{T \left(b^4 + \left((k_x^2 + m^2)v_s^2 - \omega^2\right)^2 - 2b^2 \left((k_x^2 + m^2)v_s^2 + \omega^2\right)\right)}$$

No second order effects

#### Summary

- Gapless topological modes in relativistic hydrodynamics
- Several possible realizations: 4d, 2d+2d, 3d+3d/4d+4d...
- Symmetry protected topological modes; phase transitions; topological invariants;
- Transport; second order effects; Holography
- The take-home message: normal modes become (symmetry protected) topologically nontrivial gapless modes in a certain non-inertial reference frame: the frame of the accelerating observer moving in a helix; could be tested in laboratories;
- A new effect for accelerating observes, in addition to the Unruh effect;

### Open questions

- Next steps:
- Extra U(1) current;
- Holographic calculation of hydrodynamic modes
- Non-Hermitian, PT symmetry related?
- Fermionic topological systems, non-inertial frame? Preliminary results

### Open questions:

- Gapped topological modes?
- Gapless modes with other kinds of topology?
- With U(I)\*U(I) symmetry, more transports
- Possible experimental realizations?
- Non-relativistic systems?
- Holographic realizations from massive gravity?
- Two sector systems: possible non-inertial frames?
- Holographic realization for two sector systems?
- Relation with nontrivial topological modes in gravitational waves?

# Thank you!