# Quantum Anomalies and

# Hawking radiation

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#### 1. Introduction

### §1.1 Black holes

A brief introduction: Concept and Properties

## §1.2 Hawking radiation

- (a) Radiant Mechanism: quantum tunnelling; vacuum fluctuation
- (b) Derivation Method: so many approaches, such as, gravitational collapse, path integral, Euclidean action integral, Euclidean periodic extension, temperature Green function, renormalization EMT, second quantization, density matrix, Bogoliubov transformation, trace (con-formal) anomaly, conformal flat, <u>DRS</u>, etc.

Two recent attracted ones due to F. Wilczek: tunnelling picture and anomaly cancellation
A few words about Frank Wilczek





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Hawking radiation from charged black holes via gauge and gravitational anomalies

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## 2. Anomaly

#### §2.1 Definitions:

Classically conserved law is violated in quantum mechanism version.

QFT: quantum field theory

Anomaly must be cancelled by introducing a new mechanism—new physics—related to symmetry: **CFT** ?!

#### $\S 2.2$ **Examples**:

Gauge anomaly:  $\nabla_{\mu}J^{\mu} \neq 0$ 

Gravitational anomaly:  $\nabla_{\mu}T^{\mu\nu} \neq 0$ 

Conformal (trace) anomaly:  $T^{\mu}_{\mu} \neq 0$ 

Chiral anomaly:  $\nabla_{\mu}J_{5}^{\mu}\neq 0$ 

Axial-vector anomaly, triangle anomaly, etc...

# 3. Anomaly cancellation

#### §3.1 Introduction

Dimensional reduction—2-dimensional effective theory—omitting <u>classically irrelevant modes</u>—effective theory becomes chiral in the near-horizon region (Brick-Wall model)—anomalies (appearance and cancellation)—d=2 thermal radiant flux—Hawking radiation reproduction

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## §3.2 Dimensional reduction

A most general, static and spherically symmetric black hole:

$$ds^{2} = -f(r)dt^{2} + h(r)^{-1}dr^{2} + P(r)^{2}d\Omega^{2}$$
$$A = A_{t}dt = -\frac{q}{r}dt$$

Assume:  $f(r_{+}) = 0$ ,  $h(r_{+}) = 0$ 

Surface gravity:  $\kappa = \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{f_{,r} h_{,r}} \Big|_{r_{+}}$ 

Dimensional reduction—massless scalar field (or massive complex scalar field with a mass term and a minimal electro-magnetic coupling interaction, Dirac, Maxwell fields)—partial wave decomposition:  $\phi = \sum_{lm} \phi_{lm}(t,r) Y_{lm}(\theta,\varphi)$ 

$$S[\phi] = -\frac{1}{2} \int d^4x \sqrt{-g_{(4)}} g^{\mu\nu} \partial_{\mu} \phi \partial_{\nu} \phi = \frac{1}{2} \int d^4x \sqrt{-g_{(4)}} \phi \Box \phi$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \int dt dr d\theta d\varphi \ P^2 \sin \theta \sqrt{-g} \phi \left\{ -\frac{1}{f} \partial_t^2 + h \partial_r^2 + \left[ \frac{(fh)_{,r}}{2f} + \frac{2h}{P} P_{,r} \right] \partial_r + \frac{1}{P^2} \Delta_{\Omega} \right\} \phi$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{lm} \int dt dr \ P^2 \sqrt{-g} \phi_{lm} \left\{ -\frac{1}{f} \partial_t^2 + h \partial_r^2 + \left[ \frac{(fh)_{,r}}{2f} + \frac{2h}{P} P_{,r} \right] \partial_r - \frac{l(l+1)}{P^2} \right\} \phi_{lm}$$

$$\simeq \frac{1}{2} \sum_{lm} \int dt dr \ P^2 \sqrt{-g} \phi_{lm} \left[ -\frac{1}{f} \partial_t^2 + h \partial_r^2 + \frac{(fh)_{,r}}{2f} \partial_r \right] \phi_{lm}$$

where  $\sqrt{-g} = \sqrt{f/h}$ , [Tortoise:  $r_* = \int dr/\sqrt{fh}$ ].

Physics near the horizon can be described by an infinite collection of massless fields in the (1+1)-dimensional effective theory, each partial wave propagating in a space-time with a metric given by the "r-t" section of the full space-time metric and the dilaton field  $P(r)^2$ .

<u>Metric ansätz</u>: the (1+1)-dimensional effective metric and the gauge potential:

$$ds^{2} = -f(r)dt^{2} + h(r)^{-1}dr^{2}$$

$$A_{t} = \frac{q}{r}$$

with the dilaton field  $P(r)^2$ .

A scalar field in the original (3+1)-dimensional background can be effectively described by an infinite collection of massless fields in the (1+1)-dimensional background space-time with the effective metric and the gauge potential, together with the dilaton field  $\Psi = P(r)^2$ .

When reducing to d=2, a factor  $\Psi = P(r)^2$  in the Lagrangian can be interpreted as a dilaton background coupled to the charged fields. The contribution to the anomaly from the dilaton field can be **neglected** due to a static background.

The non-vanishing Christoffel symbols and the Ricci scalar:

$$\Gamma_{tr}^{t} = \Gamma_{rt}^{t} = \frac{f_{,r}}{2f}, \quad \Gamma_{tt}^{r} = \frac{hf_{,r}}{2}, \quad \Gamma_{rr}^{r} = -\frac{h_{,r}}{2h}$$

$$R = -\frac{hf_{,rr}}{f} - \frac{f_{,r}h_{,r}}{2f} + \frac{hf_{,r}^{2}}{2f^{2}}$$

#### §3.3 Gauge anomaly

Hawking effect—near-horizon region—horizon: one-way membrane—modes interior to the horizon can not affect physics outside the horizon, classically  $\longrightarrow$  only consider the physics outside the horizon, and define the effective theory in the outer region:  $[r_+, +\infty] \equiv [r_+, r_+ + \varepsilon] \cup [r_+ + \varepsilon, +\infty]$ 

$[r_+, +\infty]$	effective theory	anomaly	laws
$[r_+, r_+ + \varepsilon]$	chiral	Yes	×
$[r_+ + \varepsilon, +\infty]$	non-chiral	No	conserved

In the <u>near-horizon</u> region—there are **only** outgoing modes—if neglecting quantum effects of (classically irrelevant) ingoing modes—effective theory becomes **chiral**—gauge and gravitational **anomalies**—invariance of the underlying theory under gauge and diffeomorphism <u>symmetries</u>—these anomalies must be **cancelled** by quantum effects of the classically irrelevant modes—anomaly cancellation at the horizon—Hawking flux of charge and energy momentum—Hawking temperature.

#### Conditions:

- (1) anomaly cancellation;
- (2) regularity requirement.

#### Consistent anomaly:

$$\nabla_{\mu}J^{\mu} = \frac{-e^2}{4\pi\sqrt{-g}}\epsilon^{\mu\nu}\partial_{\mu}A_{\nu}$$

Covariant anomaly:

$$\nabla_{\mu}\widetilde{J}^{\mu} = \frac{-e^2}{4\pi\sqrt{-g}}\epsilon^{\mu\nu}F_{\mu\nu}$$

minus (-): outgoing (right-handed) fields;  $\varepsilon^{tr}=1$ ;  $J^{\mu}$ : non-covariant; Coefficient:  $\tilde{J}^{\mu}\simeq 2J^{\mu}$ ; Covariant versus Consistent:

$$\widetilde{J}^{\mu} = J^{\mu} + \frac{e^2}{4\pi\sqrt{-g}}A_{\lambda}\epsilon^{\lambda\mu}$$

Non-vanishing r-component:

$$\widetilde{J}^r = J^r + \frac{e^2}{4\pi\sqrt{-g}}A_t(r)H(r)$$

Region  $[r_+ + \varepsilon, +\infty]$ :  $J^{\mu}_{(O)}$  is conserved; Region  $[r_+, r_+ + \varepsilon]$ :  $J^{\mu}_{(H)}$  satisfies the anomaly equation:

$$\nabla_{\mu} J^{\mu}_{(O)} = 0$$

$$\nabla_{\mu} J^{\mu}_{(H)} = \frac{-e^2}{4\pi\sqrt{-g}} \epsilon^{\mu\nu} \partial_{\mu} A_{\nu}$$

namely

$$\partial_{\mu} \left[ \sqrt{-g} J^{\mu}_{(O)} \right] = 0,$$

$$\partial_{\mu} \left[ \sqrt{-g} J^{\mu}_{(H)} \right] = \frac{-e^2}{4\pi} \epsilon^{\mu\nu} \partial_{\mu} A_{\nu}$$

$$\partial_r \left[ \sqrt{-g} J_{(O)}^r \right] = 0$$

$$\partial_r \left[ \sqrt{-g} J_{(H)}^r \right] = \frac{e^2}{4\pi} \partial_r A_t$$

Solutions:

$$\sqrt{-g}J_{(O)}^{r} = c_{O}$$

$$\sqrt{-g}J_{(H)}^{r} = c_{H} + \frac{e^{2}}{4\pi} \Big[ A_{t}(r) - A_{t}(r_{+}) \Big]$$

$$= c_{O} + \frac{e^{2}}{4\pi} A_{t}(r)$$

 $c_O$ ,  $c_H$ : integration constants.

Total current outside the horizon:

$$J^{\mu} = J^{\mu}_{(O)} \Theta(r) + J^{\mu}_{(H)} H(r)$$
 
$$\Theta(r) = \Theta(r - r_{+} - \varepsilon)$$
: scalar step 
$$H(r) = 1 - \Theta(r)$$
: scalar top hat

Variation of the effective action under gauge transformations: ( $\lambda$ : gauge parameter)

$$-\delta_{\lambda}W = \int dt dr \sqrt{-g} \lambda \nabla_{\mu} J^{\mu}$$

$$= \int dt dr \lambda \left\{ \partial_{r} \left( \frac{e^{2}}{4\pi} A_{t} H \right) + \left[ \frac{e^{2}}{4\pi} A_{t} + \sqrt{-g} \left( J_{(O)}^{r} - J_{(H)}^{r} \right) \right] \delta(r - r_{+} - \epsilon) \right\}$$

The first term should be cancelled by quantum effects of the classically irrelevant ingoing modes.  $[\partial_{\mu} \Theta(r) = \delta^{r}_{\mu} \delta(r)]$ 

Gauge invariance of the total effective action  $\delta_{\lambda}W = 0$ :

$$\sqrt{-g} \left[ J_{(O)}^r - J_{(H)}^r \right] (r_+) + \frac{e^2}{4\pi} A_t(r_+) = 0$$

$$\implies c_O = c_H - \frac{e^2}{4\pi} A_t(r_+)$$

 $c_H$ : the value of the consistent current at the horizon.

To determine the current flow—to fix the value of the current at the horizon—condition: gauge covariant—impose: the coefficient of the covariant current at the horizon should vanish:  $\tilde{J}^r_{(H)} = 0 \longmapsto \mathbf{Regularity\ requirement}$ 

$$\widetilde{J}_{(H)}^r = J_{(H)}^r + e^2 A_t(r) / (4\pi \sqrt{-g})$$

$$c_H = -\frac{e^2}{4\pi} A_t(r_+)$$
  
 $c_O = -\frac{e^2}{2\pi} A_t(r_+) = -\frac{e^2 q}{2\pi r_+}$ 

This agrees with the current flow associated with the Hawking thermal (blackbody) radiation including a chemical potential.

### §3.3 Gravitational anomaly

#### Consistent anomaly:

$$\nabla_{\mu}T^{\mu}_{\ \nu} = \frac{1}{96\pi\sqrt{-g}}\epsilon^{\beta\delta}\partial_{\delta}\partial_{\alpha}\Gamma^{\alpha}_{\nu\beta} \equiv \mathcal{A}_{\nu} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{-g}}\partial_{\mu}N^{\mu}_{\ \nu}$$

Covariant anomaly:

$$\nabla_{\mu} \widetilde{T}^{\mu}_{\ \nu} = \frac{-1}{96\pi\sqrt{-g}} \epsilon_{\mu\nu} \partial^{\mu} R \equiv \widetilde{\mathcal{A}}_{\nu} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{-g}} \partial_{\mu} \widetilde{N}^{\mu}_{\ \nu}$$

(1) First ignore the electro-magnetic interaction and only concentrate on the pure gravitational anomaly.

Region  $[r_+ + \varepsilon, +\infty]$ :  $T^{\mu}_{(O)\nu}$  is covariantly conserved; Region  $[r_+, r_+ + \varepsilon]$ :  $T^{\mu}_{(H)\nu}$  obeys the anomalous equation:

$$\nabla_{\mu} T^{\mu}_{(O)\nu} = 0$$

$$\nabla_{\mu} T^{\mu}_{(H)\nu} \equiv \mathcal{A}_{\nu} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{-g}} \partial_{\mu} N^{\mu}_{\nu}$$

Region 
$$[r_{+} + \varepsilon, +\infty]$$
:  $N^{\mu}_{\ \nu} = \mathcal{A}_{\nu} = 0$ ; Region  $[r_{+}, r_{+} + \varepsilon]$ :  $N^{r}_{\ r} = N^{t}_{\ t} = 0$  
$$N^{r}_{\ t} = \frac{1}{96\pi} \partial_{r} \Gamma^{r}_{tt} = \frac{1}{192\pi} (f_{,r}h_{,r} + hf_{,rr})$$
 
$$N^{t}_{\ r} = \frac{-1}{96\pi} \partial_{r} \Gamma^{r}_{rr} = \frac{-1}{192\pi h^{2}} (h_{,r}^{2} - hh_{,rr})$$

Consistent and covariant anomalies are purely time-like  $(A_r = \tilde{A}_r = 0)$ 

$$\sqrt{-g}\mathcal{A}_{t} = \partial_{r}N^{r}_{t} = \partial_{r}\left[\sqrt{-g}T^{r}_{t}\right] = \frac{1}{96\pi}\partial_{r}^{2}\Gamma^{r}_{tt}$$

$$= \frac{1}{192\pi}\partial_{r}\left(hf_{,rr} + f_{,r}h_{,r}\right)$$

$$\sqrt{-g}\widetilde{\mathcal{A}}_{t} = \partial_{r}\widetilde{N}^{r}_{t} = \partial_{r}\left[\sqrt{-g}\widetilde{T}^{r}_{t}\right] = \frac{-1}{96\pi}f\partial_{r}R$$

$$= \frac{1}{96\pi}\partial_{r}\left(hf_{,rr} + \frac{f_{,r}h_{,r}}{2} - \frac{hf_{,r}^{2}}{f}\right)$$

 $\Longrightarrow$ 

$$N_t^r = (hf_{,rr} + h_{,r}f_{,r})/(192\pi)$$
  
 $\widetilde{N}_t^r = \left[hf_{,rr} + f_{,r}h_{,r}/2 - hf_{,r}^2/f\right]/(96\pi)$ 

#### **Covariant** versus **Consistent**:

$$\sqrt{-g}\tilde{T}^{r}_{t} = \sqrt{-g}T^{r}_{t} + \frac{h}{192\pi f} (ff_{,rr} - 2f_{,r}^{2})$$

(2) Now include the electro-magnetic interaction.

If there were **no** gravitational anomaly, the Ward identity is

$$\nabla_{\mu}T^{\mu}{}_{\nu} = F_{\mu\nu}J^{\mu} + A_{\nu}\nabla_{\mu}J^{\mu}$$

Adding the gravitational anomaly, the Ward identity becomes

$$\nabla_{\mu} T^{\mu}{}_{\nu} = F_{\mu\nu} J^{\mu} + A_{\nu} \nabla_{\mu} J^{\mu} + A_{\nu} = F_{\mu\nu} \widetilde{J}^{\mu} + A_{\nu}$$

Region  $[r_+ + \varepsilon, +\infty]$ :  $J^{\mu}_{(O)}$ ,  $T^{\mu}_{(O)\nu}$  are conserved; Region  $[r_+, r_+ + \varepsilon]$ :  $J^{\mu}_{(H)}$ ,  $T^{\mu}_{(H)\nu}$  obey the (modified) anomaly equations:

$$\nabla_{\mu} T^{\mu}_{(O)\nu} = F_{\mu\nu} J^{\mu}_{(O)}$$

$$\nabla_{\mu} T^{\mu}_{(H)\nu} = F_{\mu\nu} J^{\mu}_{(H)} + A_{\nu} \nabla_{\mu} J^{\mu}_{(H)} + A_{\nu}$$

$$= F_{\mu\nu} \widetilde{J}^{\mu}_{(H)} + A_{\nu}$$

Solve  $T_{(O)t}^r$ :

$$\partial_r \left[ \sqrt{-g} T_{(O)t}^r \right] = \sqrt{-g} F_{rt} J_{(O)}^r = c_O \partial_r A_t$$

$$F_{rt} = \partial_r A_t, \ T_t^r = -fh T_r^t, \ \sqrt{-g} J_{(O)}^r = c_O$$

$$\sqrt{-g} T_{(O)t}^r = a_O + c_O A_t(r)$$

$$= a_O - \frac{e^2}{2\pi} A_t(r_+) A_t(r)$$

 $a_{O}$ : an integration constant.

Solve  $T_{(H)t}^r$ :

$$\begin{split} \partial_r \left[ \sqrt{-g} T^r_{(H)t} \right] &= \sqrt{-g} \Big[ F_{rt} J^r_{(H)} + A_t \nabla_\mu J^\mu_{(H)} \Big] + \partial_r N^r_t \\ &= \sqrt{-g} F_{rt} \widetilde{J}^r_{(H)} + \partial_r N^r_t \\ \text{namely: } \left[ \sqrt{-g} \widetilde{J}^r_{(H)} = c_O + e^2 A_t(r)/(2\pi) \right] \\ \partial_r \Big[ \sqrt{-g} T^r_{(H)t} \Big] &= \partial_r N^r_t + \sqrt{-g} J^r_{(H)} \partial_r A_t \\ &\quad + A_t \partial_r \Big[ \sqrt{-g} J^r_{(H)} \Big] \\ &= \sqrt{-g} \widetilde{J}^r_{(H)} \partial_r A_t + \partial_r N^r_t \end{split}$$

$$\sqrt{-g}T_{(H)t}^{r} = a_H + \int_{r_{+}}^{r} dr \partial_r \left( c_O A_t + \frac{e^2}{4\pi} A_t^2 + N_t^r \right)$$

**Total energy momentum tensor** outside the horizon:

$$T^{\mu}_{\ \nu} = T^{\mu}_{(O)\nu} \Theta(r) + T^{\mu}_{(H)\nu} H(r)$$

Under the infinitesimal general coordinate transformation, the effective action varies as

$$-\delta_{\xi}W = \int dt dr \sqrt{-g} \, \xi^{\nu} \nabla_{\mu} T^{\mu}_{\nu} 
= \int dt dr \, \xi^{t} \Big\{ c_{O} \partial_{r} A_{t} + \partial_{r} \Big[ \Big( \frac{e^{2}}{4\pi} A_{t}^{2} + N^{r}_{t} \Big) H \Big] 
+ \Big[ \sqrt{-g} (T^{r}_{(O)t} - T^{r}_{(H)t}) + N^{r}_{t} + \frac{e^{2}}{4\pi} A_{t}^{2} \Big] \delta(r - r_{+} - \epsilon) \Big\} 
+ \int dt dr \xi^{r} \sqrt{-g} (T^{r}_{(O)r} - T^{r}_{(H)r}) \delta(r - r_{+} - \epsilon)$$

The **1st term**: the classical effect of the background electric field for constant current flow; The **2nd term** should be cancelled by the quantum effect of the classically irrelevant ingoing modes.

To restore the diffeomorphism invariance, the variation of the effective action should vanish  $\delta_{\xi}W=0 \Longrightarrow$  constrains:

$$\sqrt{-g} \left[ T_{(O)t}^r - T_{(H)t}^r \right] (r_+) + N_t^r (r_+) + \frac{e^2}{4\pi} A_t^2 (r_+) = 0$$

$$\Longrightarrow$$

$$a_O = a_H + \frac{e^2}{4\pi} A_t^2(r_+) - N_t^r(r_+)$$
$$= \frac{e^2}{4\pi} A_t^2(r_+) + N_t^r(r_+)$$

To determine  $a_O$ —to fix the value of the energy momentum tensor at the horizon—impose: a vanishing condition for the *covariant* energy

momentum tensor at the horizon:  $\tilde{T}^r_{(H)t} = 0$   $\longrightarrow$  Additional regularity condition

$$a_H = 2N_t^r(r_+) = \frac{f_{,r}h_{,r}}{96\pi}\Big|_{r=r_+} = \frac{\kappa^2}{24\pi}$$

The total flux of the energy momentum tensor:

$$a_O = \frac{e^2 q^2}{4\pi r_+^2} + N_t^r(r_+) = \frac{e^2 q^2}{4\pi r_+^2} + \frac{\kappa^2}{48\pi}$$

#### §3.3 Blackbody radiation

Uncharged case:  $\sqrt{-g}T^r_{(O)t}=N^r_t(r_+) \iff$  the energy momentum flux of Hawking radiation.

A (1+1)-dimensional black body radiation at temperature T has a flux of the form:  $N_t^r(r_+) = (\pi/12)T^2$ , accurately giving the Hawking temperature  $T = \kappa/(2\pi)$ .

Charged case: the blackbody radiation at a temperature  $T=\kappa/(2\pi)$  with a chemical potential  $\omega_0=eA_t(r_+)=eq/r_+$ —Planck distribution:

$$I^{(\pm)}(\omega) = rac{1}{e^{2\pi(\omega\pm\omega_0)/\kappa}-1}$$
 bosons  $J^{(\pm)}(\omega) = rac{1}{e^{2\pi(\omega\pm\omega_0)/\kappa}+1}$  fermions

 $I^{(-)}$ ,  $J^{(-)}$ : particles with charge -e.

To keep things simple—only consider the fermion case. The fluxes of charged current and energy momentum:

$$\sqrt{-g}J^{r} = \int_{0}^{\infty} e^{\frac{d\omega}{2\pi}} \left[ J^{(-)}(\omega) - J^{(+)}(\omega) \right]$$

$$= -\frac{e^{2}q}{2\pi r_{+}}$$

$$\sqrt{-g}T^{r}_{t} = \int_{0}^{\infty} \omega \frac{d\omega}{2\pi} \left[ J^{(-)}(\omega) + J^{(+)}(\omega) \right]$$

$$= \frac{e^{2}q^{2}}{4\pi r_{+}^{2}} + \frac{\kappa^{2}}{48\pi}$$

The results derived from the anomaly cancellation conditions coincide with these results, showing that the required thermal flux is capable of cancelling the anomaly.

# 4. Concluding remarks

**Conclusion**: The compensating energy momentum flux and charged current flux required to cancel gravitational and gauge anomalies at the horizon are precisely equivalent to thermal fluxes associated with a (1+1)-dimensional blackbody radiation emanating from the horizon at the Hawking temperature.

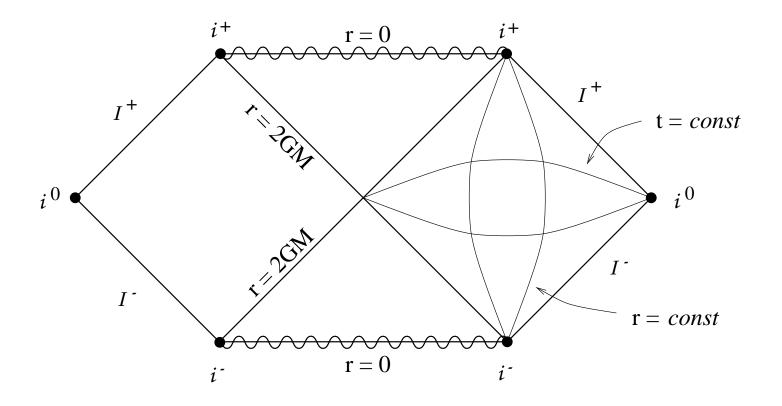
#### Comments

(1) Hawking radiation can be understood as a compensating flux to cancel anomaly at the horizon;

- (2) Hawking radiation is a universal quantum phenomenon only related to the horizon;
- (3) Anomaly cancellation method is universal, but can **not** determine the Bekenstein-Hawking entropy;
- (4) Anomaly cancellation method is closely related to the properties of the horizon: the cancellation of anomaly takes place at the horizon; the regularity condition requires the covariant physical quantities to vanish at the horizon  $\iff$  Unruh vacuum

Three **different** definitions of <u>vacuum</u>: Boulware, Hartle-Hawking, and Unruh—Penrose diagram

(5) Symmetry: the near-horizon conformal symmetry (CFT: horizon = boundary) — holog-raphy ?!



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# Thank!