

EOB/NR: WHERE ARE WE GOING?

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EFFECTIVE-ONE-BODY (EOB)

approach to the general relativistic two-body problem

(Buonanno-Damour 99, 00, Damour-Jaranowski-Schäfer 00, Damour 01, Damour-Nagar 07, Damour-Iyer-Nagar 08)

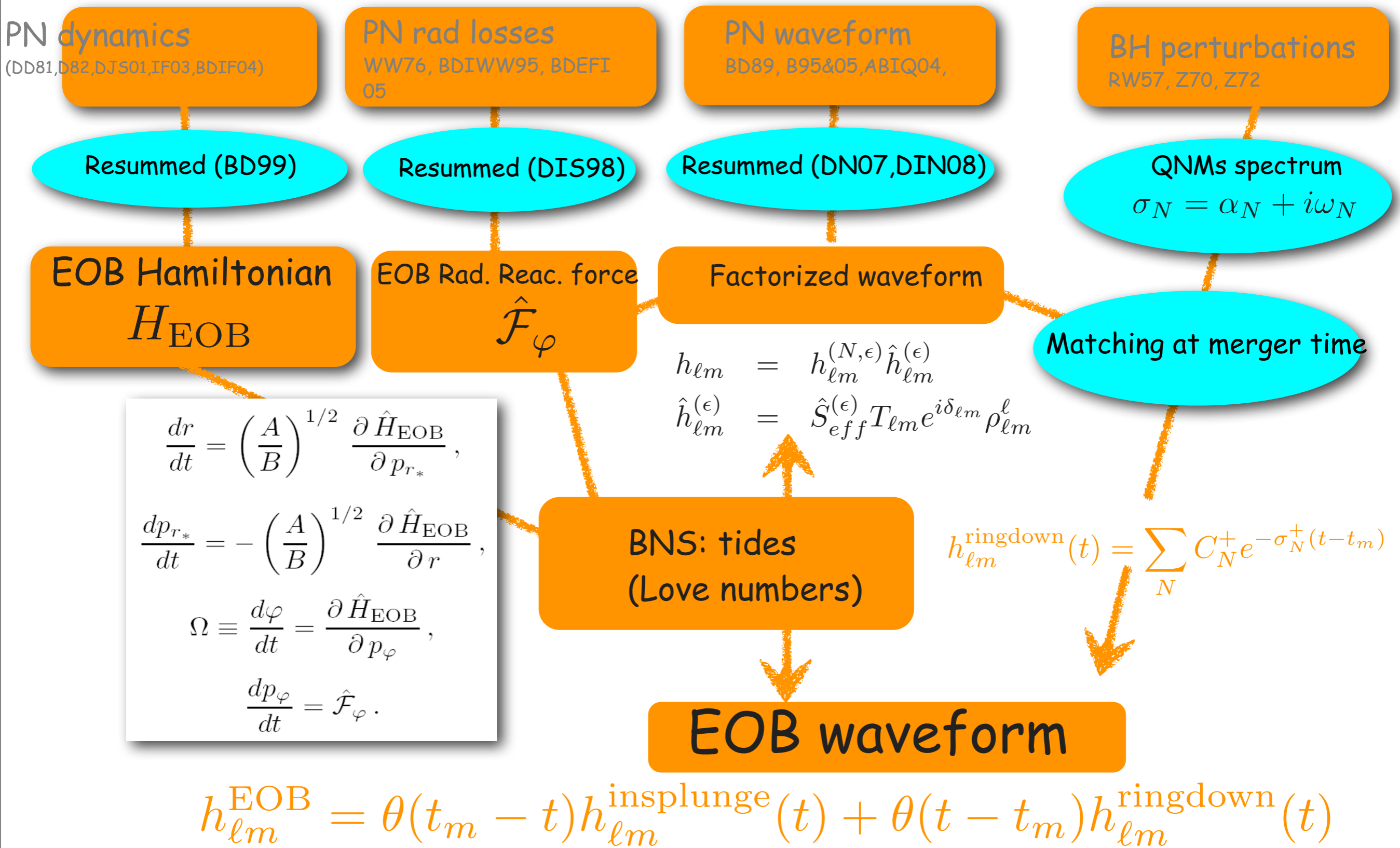
key ideas:

- (1) Replace two-body dynamics (m_1, m_2) by dynamics of a particle ($\mu \equiv m_1 m_2 / (m_1 + m_2)$) in an effective metric $g_{\mu\nu}^{\text{eff}}(u)$, with

$$u \equiv GM/c^2 R, \quad M \equiv m_1 + m_2$$

- (2) Systematically use **RESUMMATION** of PN expressions (both $g_{\mu\nu}^{\text{eff}}$ and \mathcal{F}_{RR}) based on various physical requirements
- (3) Require **continuous deformation w.r.t.** $\nu \equiv \mu/M \equiv m_1 m_2 / (m_1 + m_2)^2$ in the interval $0 \leq \nu \leq \frac{1}{4}$

STRUCTURE OF THE EOB FORMALISM



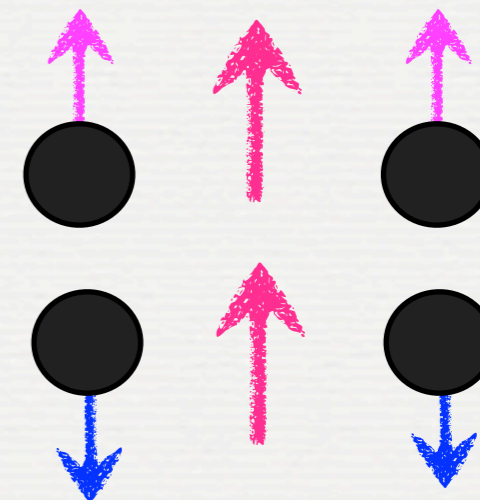
SPINNING BBHs

Spin-orbit & spin-spin couplings

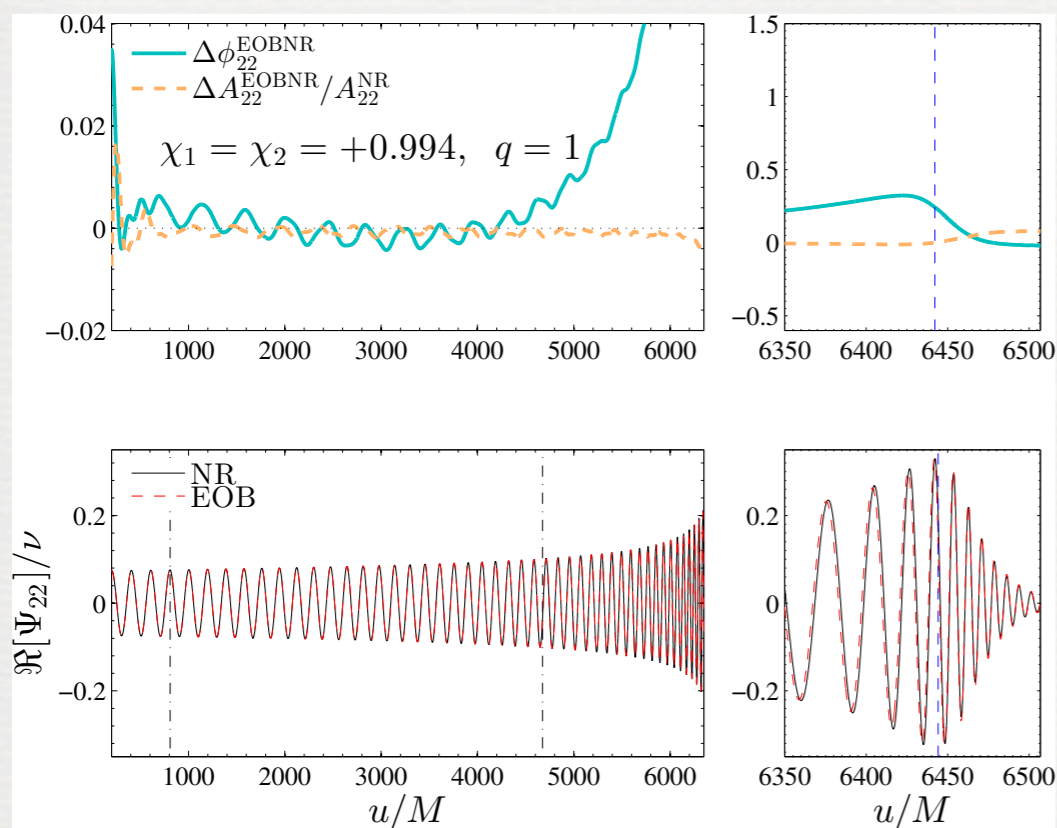
(i) Spins **aligned** with **L**: **repulsive** (slower) **L-o-n-g-e-r INSPIRAL**

(ii) Spins **anti-aligned** with **L**: **attractive** (faster) **shorter INSPIRAL**

(iii) **Misaligned spins**: precession of the orbital plane (**waveform modulation**)



$$\chi_{1,2} = \frac{c \mathbf{S}_{1,2}}{G m_{1,2}^2}$$



EOB/NR agreement: sophisticated (though rather simple) model for spin-aligned binaries

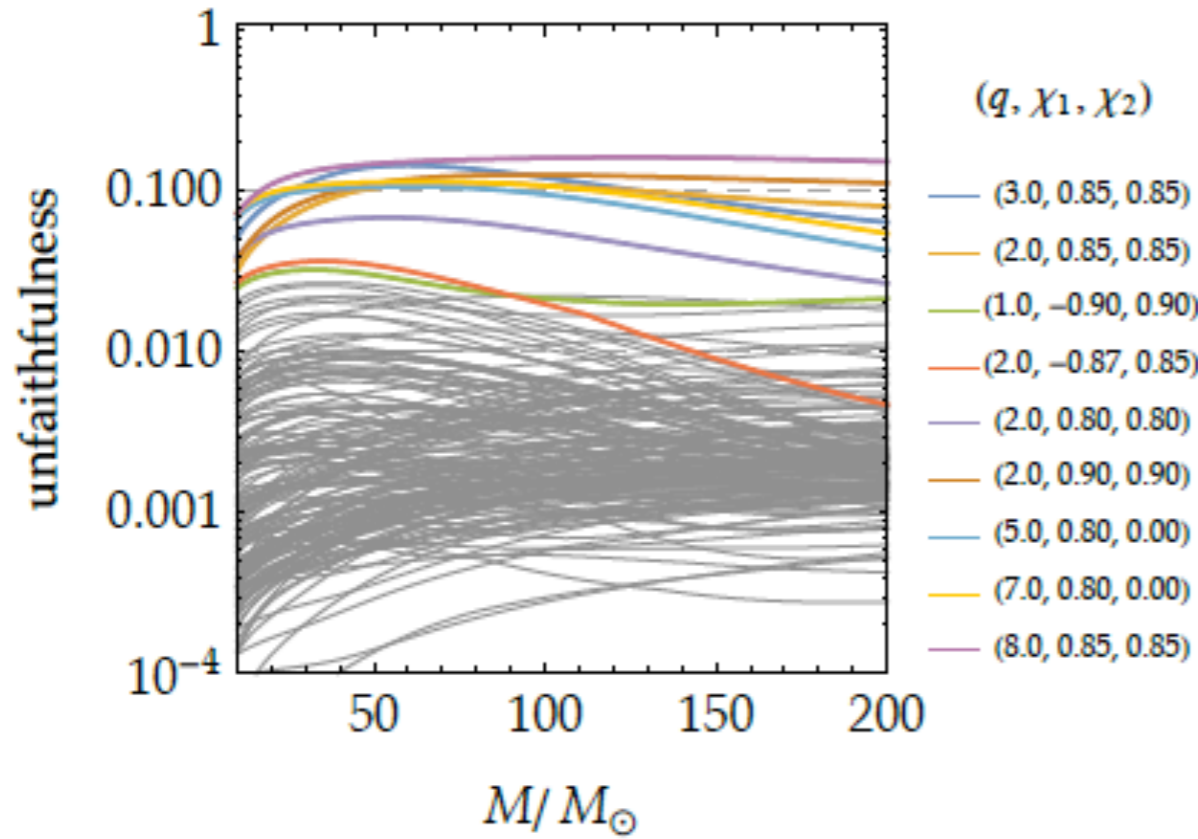
Damour&Nagar, PRD90 (2014), 024054 (Hamiltonian)

Damour&Nagar, PRD90 (2014), 044018 (Ringdown)

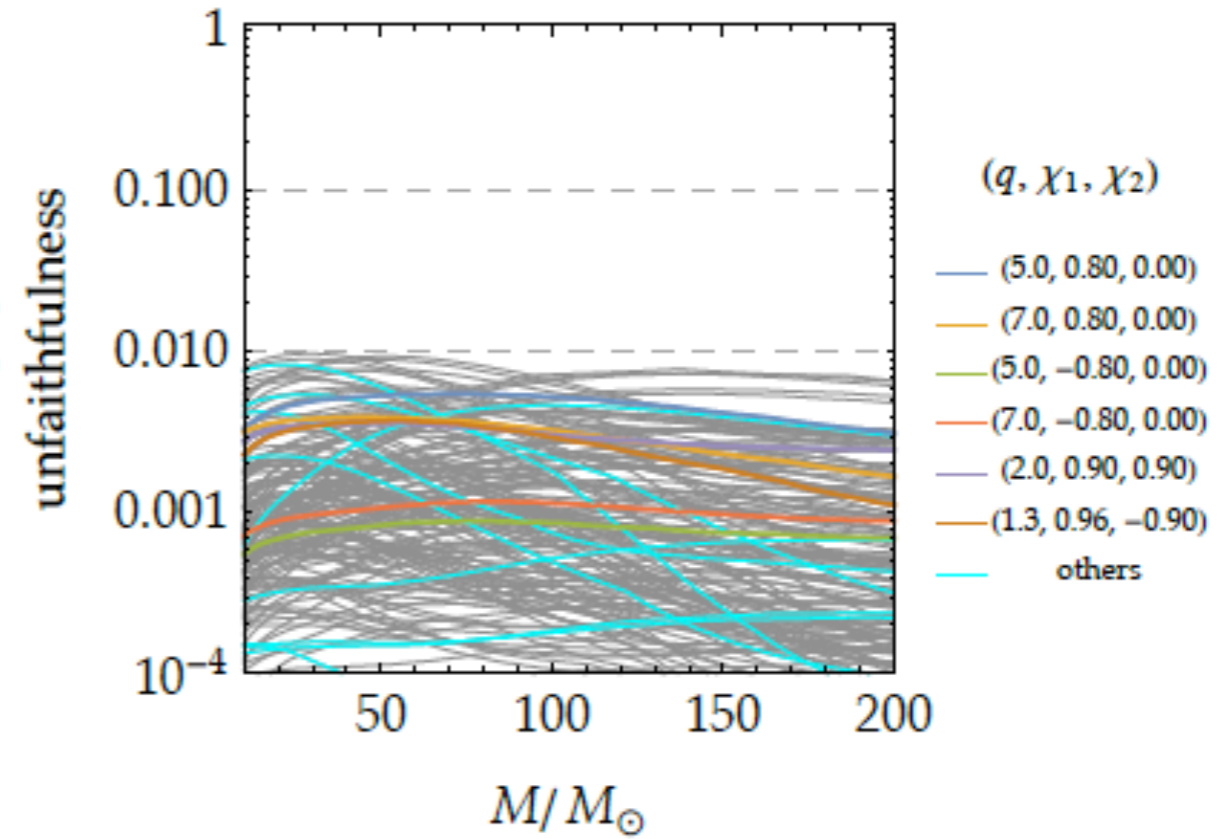
Nagar, Damour, Reisswig & Pollney, PRD 93 (2016), 044046

AEI model, SEOBNRv4, Bohe et al., arXiv:1611.03703v1 (PRD in press)

SEOBNRv2



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SO & SS EFFECTS IN EOB HAMILTONIAN

New way of combining available knowledge within some Hamiltonian

[Damour&Nagar, PRD 2014]

$$\hat{H}_{\text{eff}} = \frac{g_S^{\text{eff}}}{r^3} \mathbf{L} \cdot \mathbf{S} + \frac{g_{S^*}^{\text{eff}}}{r^3} \mathbf{L} \cdot \mathbf{S}^* + \sqrt{A(1 + \gamma^{ij} p_i p_j + Q_4(p))}$$

with the structure

$$g_S^{\text{eff}} = 2 + \nu(\text{PN corrections}) + (\text{spin})^2 \text{ corrections}$$

$$g_{S^*}^{\text{eff}} = \left(\frac{3}{2} + \text{test mass coupling} \right) + \nu(\text{PN corrections}) + (\text{spin})^2 \text{ corrections}$$

$$A = 1 - \frac{2}{r} + \nu(\text{PN corrections}) + (\text{spin})^2 \text{ corrections}$$

$$\gamma^{ij} = \gamma_{\text{Kerr}}^{ij} + \nu(\text{PN corrections}) + \dots$$

$$\mathbf{S} = \mathbf{S}_1 + \mathbf{S}_2 = M^2 (X_1^2 \chi_1 + X_2^2 \chi_2) \quad X_i = m_i/M$$

$$\mathbf{S}^* = \frac{m_2}{m_1} \mathbf{S}_1 + \frac{m_1}{m_2} \mathbf{S}_2 = M^2 \nu (\chi_1 + \chi_2) \quad -1 \leq \chi_i \leq 1$$

THE TWO TYPES OF SPIN-ORBIT COUPLINGS

$$\hat{H}_{SO}^{\text{eff}} = G_S \mathbf{L} \cdot \mathbf{S} + G_{S^*} \mathbf{L} \cdot \mathbf{S}^* \quad G_S = \frac{1}{r^3} g_S^{\text{eff}}, \quad G_{S^*} = \frac{1}{r^3} g_{S^*}^{\text{eff}}$$

In the Kerr limit, only **S-type gyro-gravitomagnetic ratio** enters:

$$g_S^{\text{eff}} = 2 \frac{r^2}{r^2 + a^2 \left[(1 - \cos^2 \theta) \left(1 + \frac{2}{r} \right) + 2 \cos^2 \theta \right] + \frac{a^4}{r^2} \cos^2 \theta} = 2 + \mathcal{O}[(\text{spin})^2]$$

PN calculations yield (in some spin gauge)[DJS08, Hartung&Steinhoff11, Nagar11, Barausse&Buonanno11]

$$g_S^{\text{eff}} = 2 + \frac{1}{c^2} \left\{ -\frac{15}{r} \nu - \frac{33}{8} (\mathbf{n} \cdot \mathbf{p})^2 \right\} \quad \text{"Effective" NNNLO SO-coupling}$$

$$+ \frac{1}{c^4} \left\{ -\frac{1}{r^2} \left(\frac{51}{4} \nu + \frac{\nu^2}{8} \right) + \frac{1}{r} \left(-\frac{21}{2} \nu + \frac{23}{8} \nu^2 \right) (\mathbf{n} \cdot \mathbf{p})^2 + \frac{5}{8} \nu (1 + 7\nu) (\mathbf{n} \cdot \mathbf{p})^4 \right\}, \quad + \frac{1}{c^6} \frac{\nu c_3}{r^3}$$

$$g_{S^*}^{\text{eff}} = \frac{3}{2} + \frac{1}{c^2} \left\{ -\frac{1}{r} \left(\frac{9}{8} + \frac{3}{4} \nu \right) - \left(\frac{9}{4} \nu + \frac{15}{8} \right) (\mathbf{n} \cdot \mathbf{p})^2 \right\}$$

$$+ \frac{1}{c^4} \left\{ -\frac{1}{r^2} \left(\frac{27}{16} + \frac{39}{4} \nu + \frac{3}{16} \nu^2 \right) + \frac{1}{r} \left(\frac{69}{16} - \frac{9}{4} \nu + \frac{57}{16} \nu^2 \right) (\mathbf{n} \cdot \mathbf{p})^2 + \left(\frac{35}{16} + \frac{5}{2} \nu + \frac{45}{16} \nu^2 \right) (\mathbf{n} \cdot \mathbf{p})^4 \right\} + \frac{1}{c^6} \frac{\nu c_3}{r^3}$$

The NR-informed effective parameter makes the spin-orbit coupling stronger or weaker with respect to the simple analytical prediction

40 NR SXS Datasets (public in the fall of 2013 and used before for SEOBNRv2)

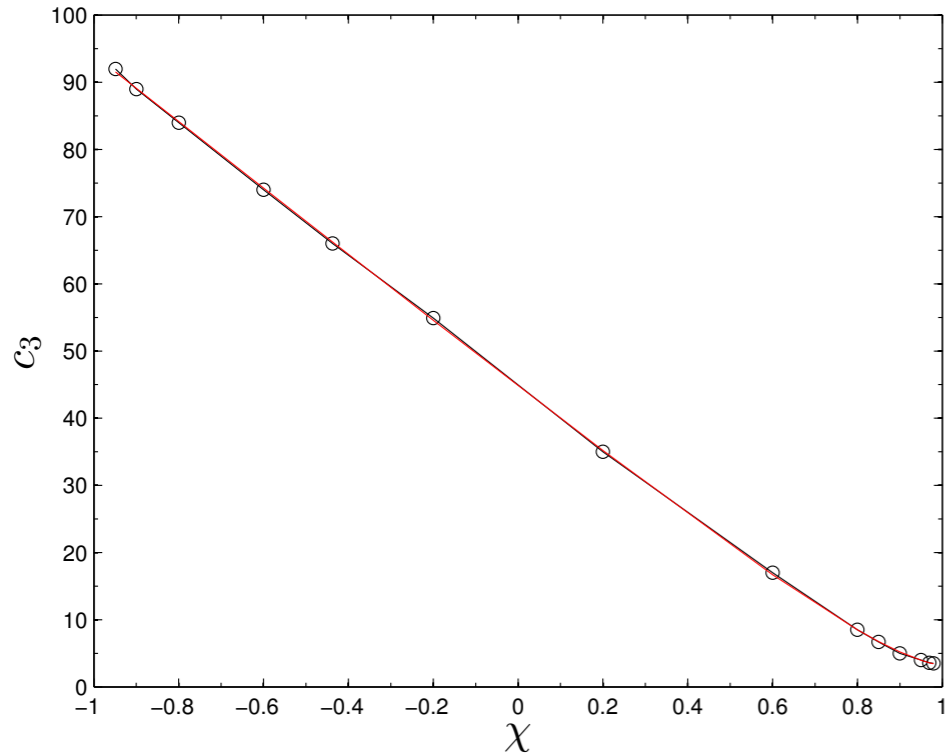
TABLE I: EOB/NR phasing comparison. The columns report: the number of the dataset; the name of the configuration in the SXS catalog; the mass ratio $q = m_1/m_2$; the symmetric mass ratio ν ; the dimensionless spins χ_1 and χ_2 ; the phase difference $\Delta\phi^{\text{EOBNR}} \equiv \phi^{\text{EOB}} - \phi^{\text{NR}}$ computed at NR merger; the NR phase uncertainty at NR merger $\delta\phi_{\text{mrg}}^{\text{NR}}$ (when available) measured taking the difference between the two highest resolution levels (see text); the maximum value of the unfaithfulness $\bar{F} \equiv 1 - F$ as per Eq. (22). The $\Delta\phi^{\text{EOBNR}}$'s in brackets for $\chi_1 = \chi_2 > +0.85$ were obtained using Eq. (21) for $\Delta t^{\text{NQC}}(\chi)$.

#	Name	N orbits	q	ν	χ_1	χ_2	$\Delta\phi_{\text{mrg}}^{\text{EOBNR}}$ [rad]	$\delta\phi_{\text{mrg}}^{\text{NR}}$ [rad]	$\max(\bar{F})$
1	SXS:BBH:none	14	1	0.25	0.0	0.0	-0.016	...	0.00087
2	SXS:BBH:0066	28	1	0.25	0.0	0.0	+0.010	...	0.00068
3	SXS:BBH:0002	32.42	1	0.25	0.0	0.0	+0.073	0.066	0.00101
4	SXS:BBH:0007	29.09	1.5	0.24	0	0	+0.05	0.018	0.00201
5	SXS:BBH:0169	15.68	2	$0.2\bar{5}$	0	0	-0.15	0.02	0.00045
6	SXS:BBH:0030	18.22	3	0.1875	0	0	-0.074	0.087	0.00035
7	SXS:BBH:0167	15.59	4	0.16	0	0	-0.059	0.52	0.00035
8	SXS:BBH:0056	28.81	5	0.13 $\bar{8}$	0	0	-0.089	0.44	0.00038
9	SXS:BBH:0166	21.56	6	0.1224	0	0	-0.198	...	0.00037
10	SXS:BBH:0063	25.83	8	0.0987	0	0	-0.453	1.01	0.00292
11	SXS:BBH:0185	24.91	9.98911	0.0827	0	0	-0.0051	0.376	0.00066
12	SXS:BBH:0004	30.19	1	0.25	-0.50	0.0	-0.017	0.068	0.00403
13	SXS:BBH:0005	30.19	1	0.25	+0.50	0.0	+0.08	0.28	0.00052
14	SXS:BBH:0156	12.42	1	0.25	-0.95	-0.95	+0.32	2.17	0.00058
15	SXS:BBH:0159	12.67	1	0.25	-0.90	-0.90	+0.06	0.38	0.00047
16	SXS:BBH:0154	13.24	1	0.25	-0.80	-0.80	+0.11	...	0.00044
17	SXS:BBH:0151	14.48	1	0.25	-0.60	-0.60	-0.049	0.14	0.00042
18	SXS:BBH:0148	15.49	1	0.25	-0.44	-0.44	+0.14	0.72	0.00043
19	SXS:BBH:0149	17.12	1	0.25	-0.20	-0.20	+0.45	0.90	0.00085
20	SXS:BBH:0150	19.82	1	0.25	+0.20	+0.20	+0.94	0.99	0.00275
21	SXS:BBH:0152	22.64	1	0.25	+0.60	+0.60	+0.01	0.36	0.00068
22	SXS:BBH:0155	24.09	1	0.25	+0.80	+0.80	-0.39	0.26	0.00110
23	SXS:BBH:0153	24.49	1	0.25	+0.85	+0.85	+0.06	...	0.00059
24	SXS:BBH:0160	24.83	1	0.25	+0.90	+0.90	+0.41 (+0.41)	0.80	0.00117
25	SXS:BBH:0157	25.15	1	0.25	+0.95	+0.95	+0.37 (+0.83)	1.18	0.00295
26	SXS:BBH:0158	25.27	1	0.25	+0.97	+0.97	+0.37 (+0.49)	1.26	0.00325
27	SXS:BBH:0172	25.35	1	0.25	+0.98	+0.98	+0.99 (+0.46)	2.02	0.00422
28	SXS:BBH:0177	25.40	1	0.25	+0.99	+0.99	+0.22 (+0.48)	0.40	0.00507
29	SXS:BBH:0178	25.43	1	0.25	+0.994	+0.994	+0.24 (+0.23)	-0.53	0.00506
30	SXS:BBH:0013	23.75	1.5	0.24	+0.5	0	+0.31	...	0.00058
31	SXS:BBH:0014	22.63	1.5	0.24	-0.5	0	-0.15	0.15	0.00046
32	SXS:BBH:0162	18.61	2	$0.2\bar{5}$	+0.6	0	-0.20	0.71	0.00027
33	SXS:BBH:0036	31.72	3	0.1875	-0.5	0	+0.08	0.065	0.00040
34	SXS:BBH:0031	21.89	3	0.1875	+0.5	0	+0.12	0.034	0.00023
35	SXS:BBH:0047	22.72	3	0.1875	+0.5	+0.5	-0.034	...	0.00030
36	SXS:BBH:0046	14.39	3	0.1875	-0.5	-0.5	+0.36	...	0.00054
37	SXS:BBH:0110	24.24	5	0.13 $\bar{8}$	+0.5	0	+0.24	...	0.00016
38	SXS:BBH:0060	23.17	5	0.13 $\bar{8}$	-0.5	0	+0.21	0.8	0.00034
39	SXS:BBH:0064	19.16	8	0.0987	-0.5	0	+0.026	0.8	0.00042
40	SXS:BBH:0065	33.97	8	0.0987	+0.5	0	+1.33	-3.0	0.00040

Several equal-mass,
equal-spin data

Just a few unequal-
mass, unequal-spin data

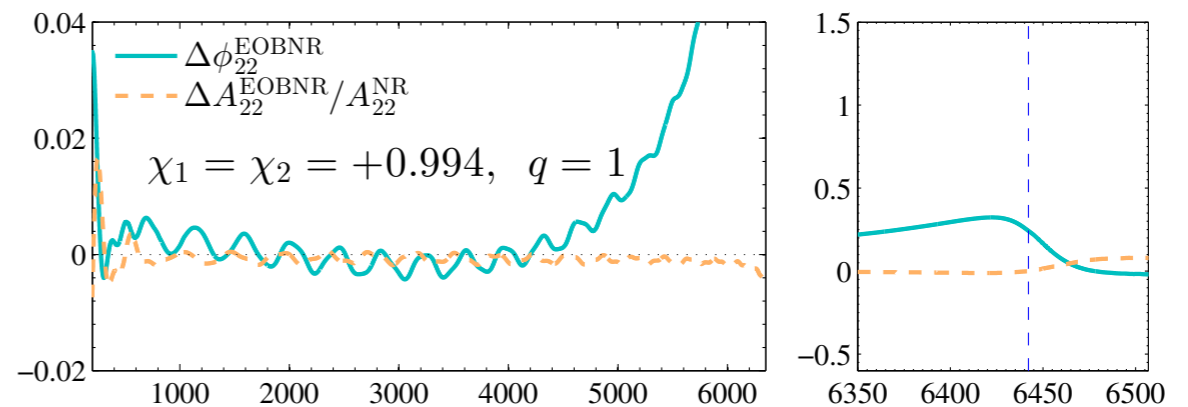
SPIN-ORBIT NR CALIBRATION



Quasi-linear function of the spins

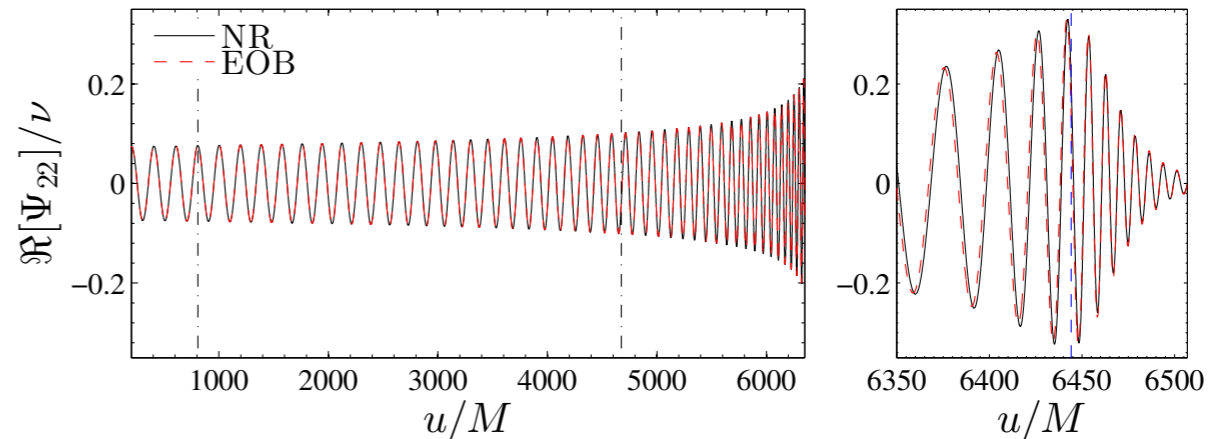
$$c_3(\tilde{a}_1, \tilde{a}_2, \nu) = p_0 \frac{1 + n_1(\tilde{a}_1 + \tilde{a}_2) + n_2(\tilde{a}_1 + \tilde{a}_2)^2}{1 + d_1(\tilde{a}_1 + \tilde{a}_2)} + (p_1\nu + p_2\nu^2 + p_2\nu^3)(\tilde{a}_1 + \tilde{a}_2)\sqrt{1 - 4\nu} + p_4(\tilde{a}_1 - \tilde{a}_2)\nu^2,$$

+ interpolating fits for NQC functioning point, ringdown coefficients etc. (Achille's heel...still ok..)



$$\tilde{a}_{1,2} = X_{1,2}\chi_{1,2}$$

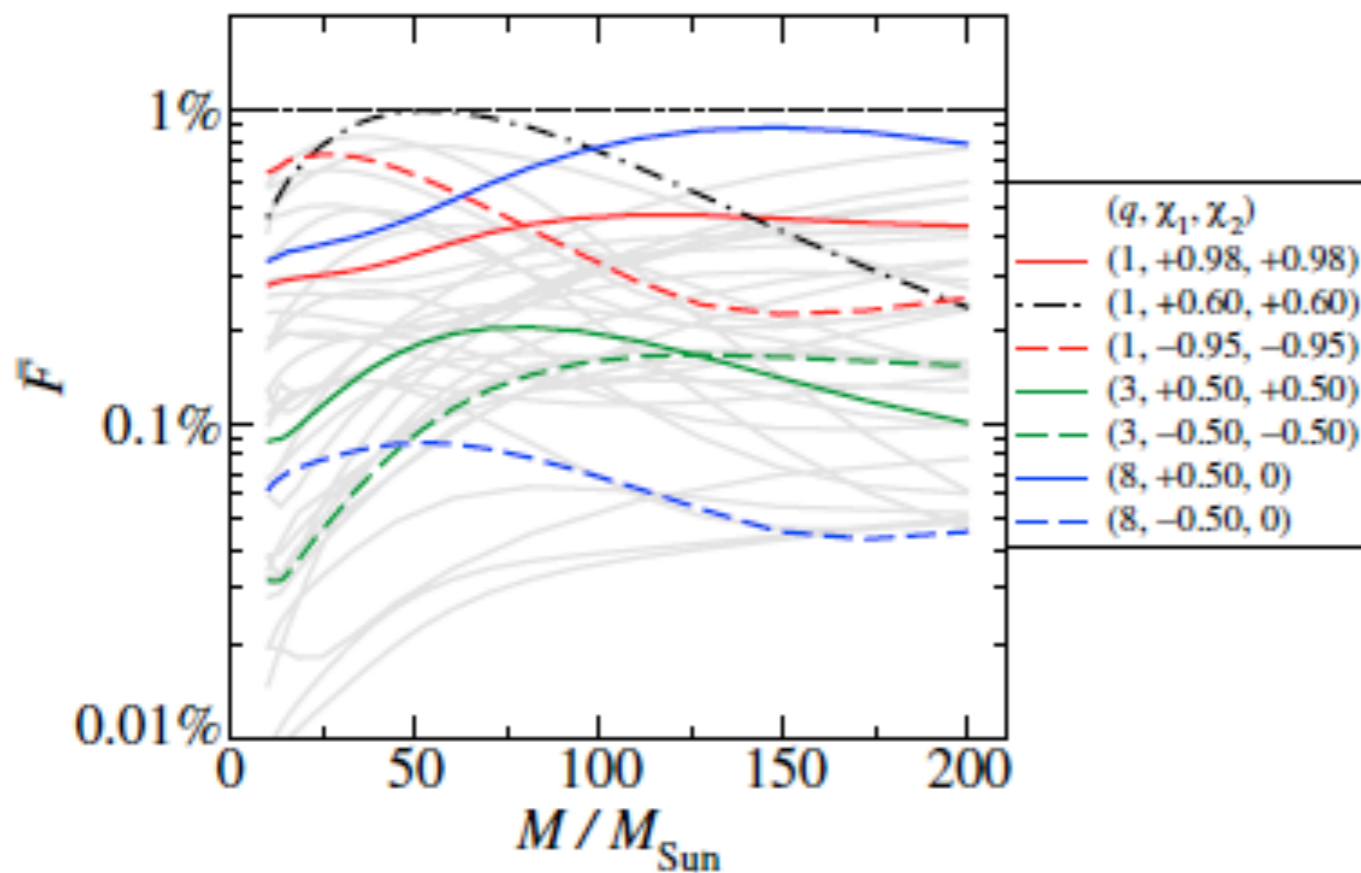
$$X_{1,2} \equiv \frac{m_{1,2}}{M}$$



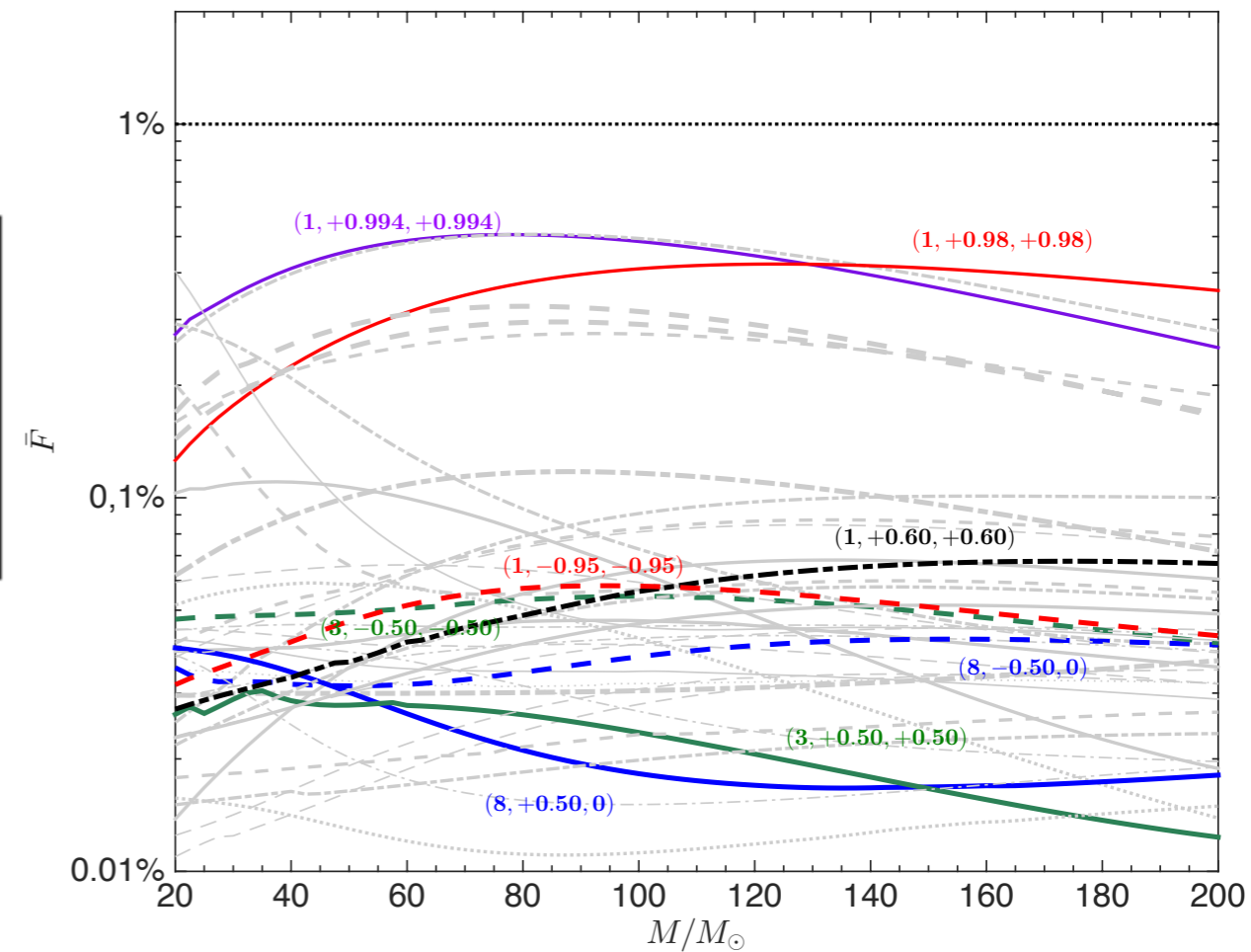
IHES EOBNR MODEL

EOB/EOBNR UNFAITHFULNESS (40 NR SXS dataset)

SEOBNRv2



IHES EOB_spin



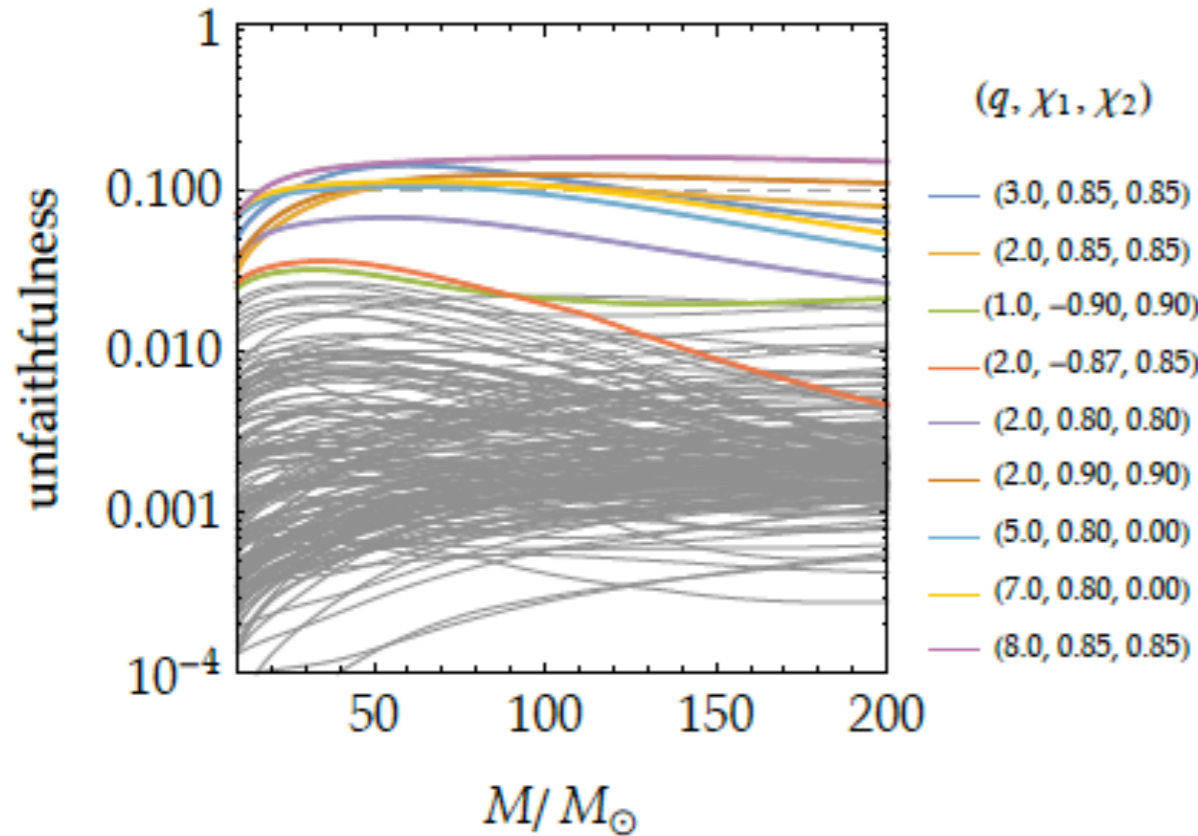
$$\bar{F} \equiv 1 - \max_{t_0, \phi_0} \frac{\langle h_{22}^{\text{EOB}}, h_{22}^{\text{NR}} \rangle}{\|h_{22}^{\text{EOB}}\| \|h_{22}^{\text{NR}}\|}$$

$$\langle h_1, h_2 \rangle \equiv 4\Re \int_{f_{\min}}^{\infty} \tilde{h}_1(f) \tilde{h}_2^*(f) / S_n(f) df$$

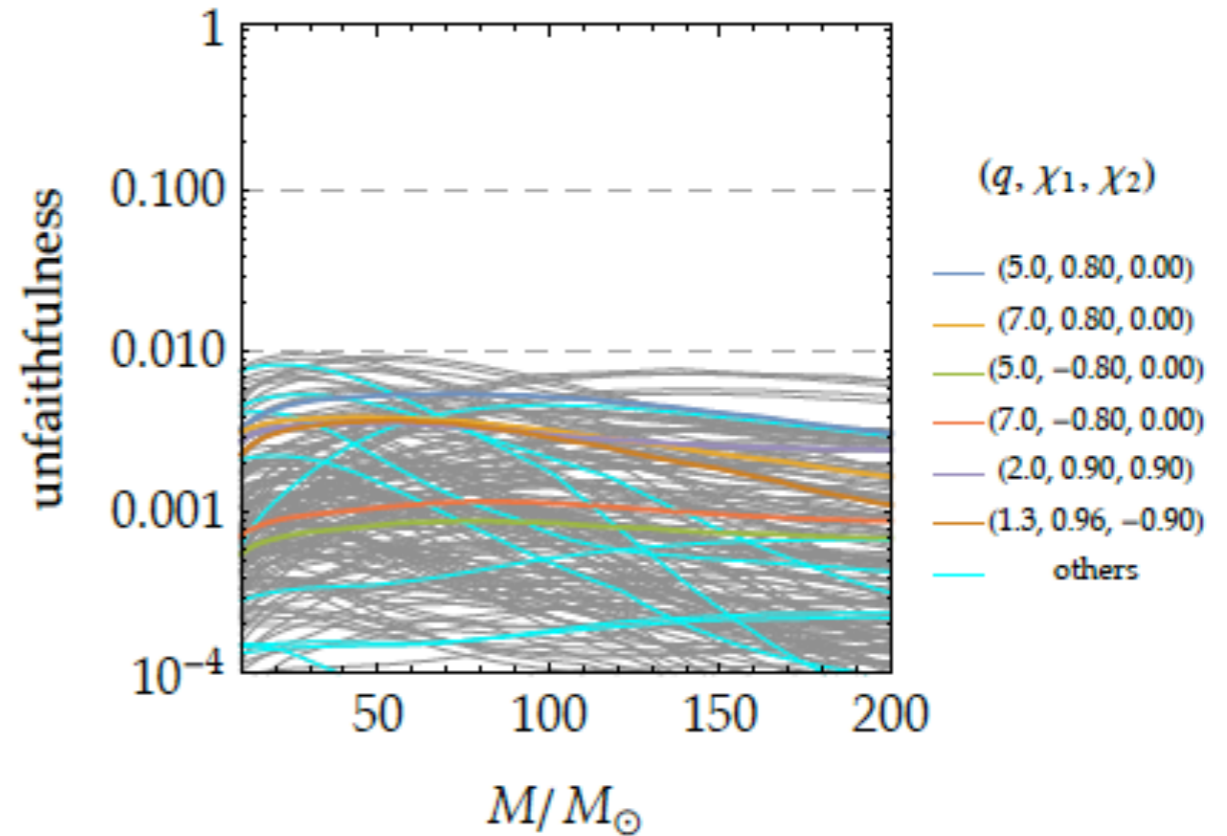
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ROBUSTNESS?

SEOBNRv2



SEOBNRv4



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AEI model: Bohe et al. arXiv: 1611.03703v1

4 parameters

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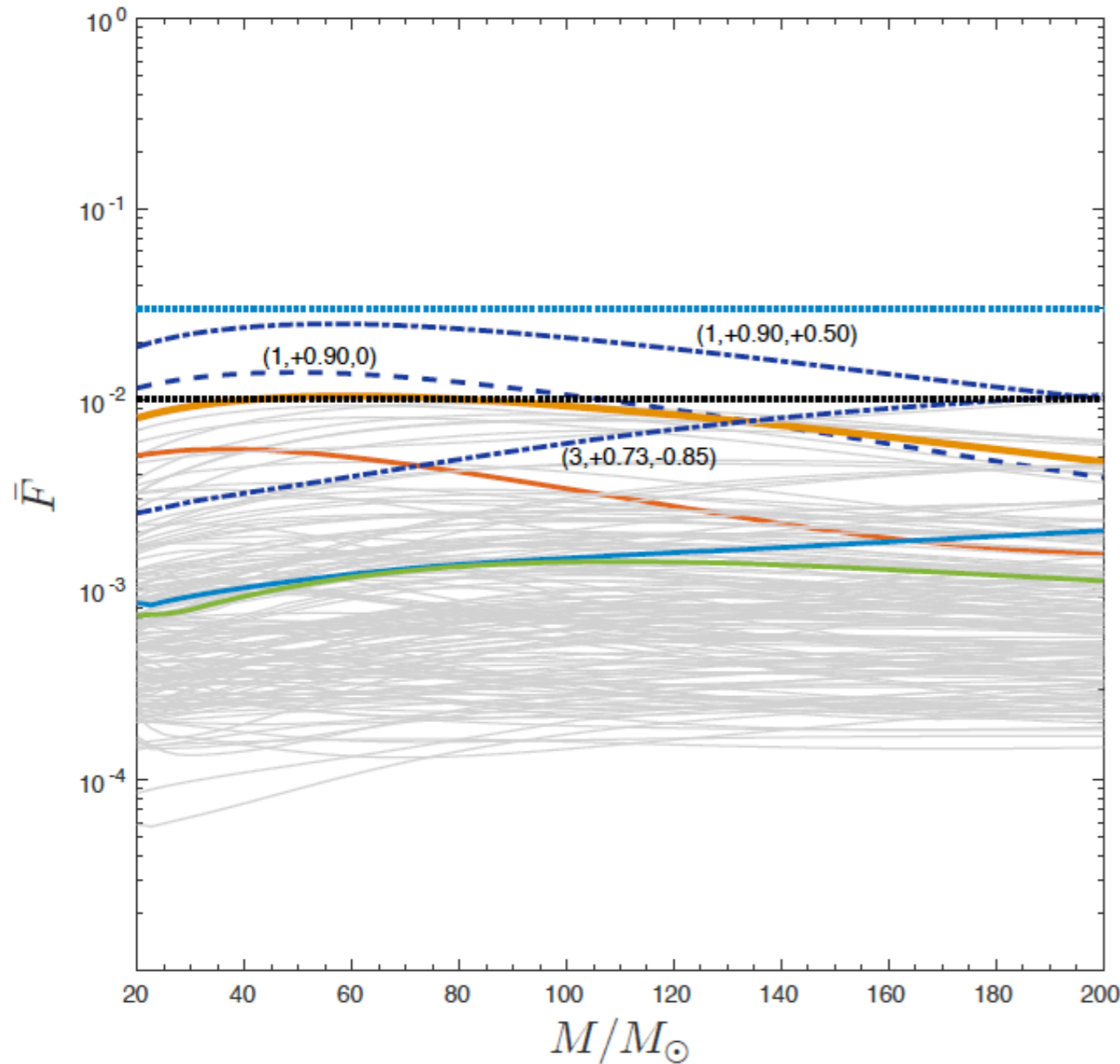
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BUT THIS IS NOT GENERAL...

October 31st: 93 NR datasets released publicly. These are those used to calibrate SEOBNRv4 (+ others non public)
 First use them to cross-check our model.

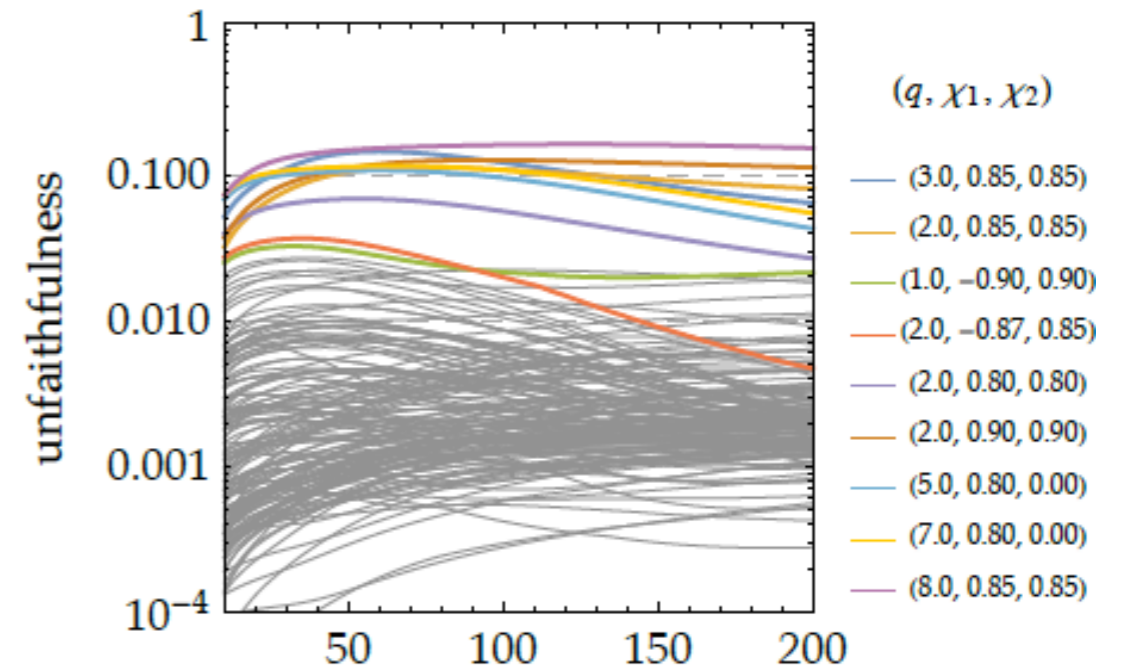
Interpolating NR fits for NQC point & ringdown. *Previous NR data plus (5,-0.90,0)*



Our EOBNR model is very robust and consistent
 ALSO outside the "information" domain over
 93 new waveforms. Three outliers above
 1% (but always below 3%).

3% Better performance than SEOBNRv2 with
 no need of further NR information

1%

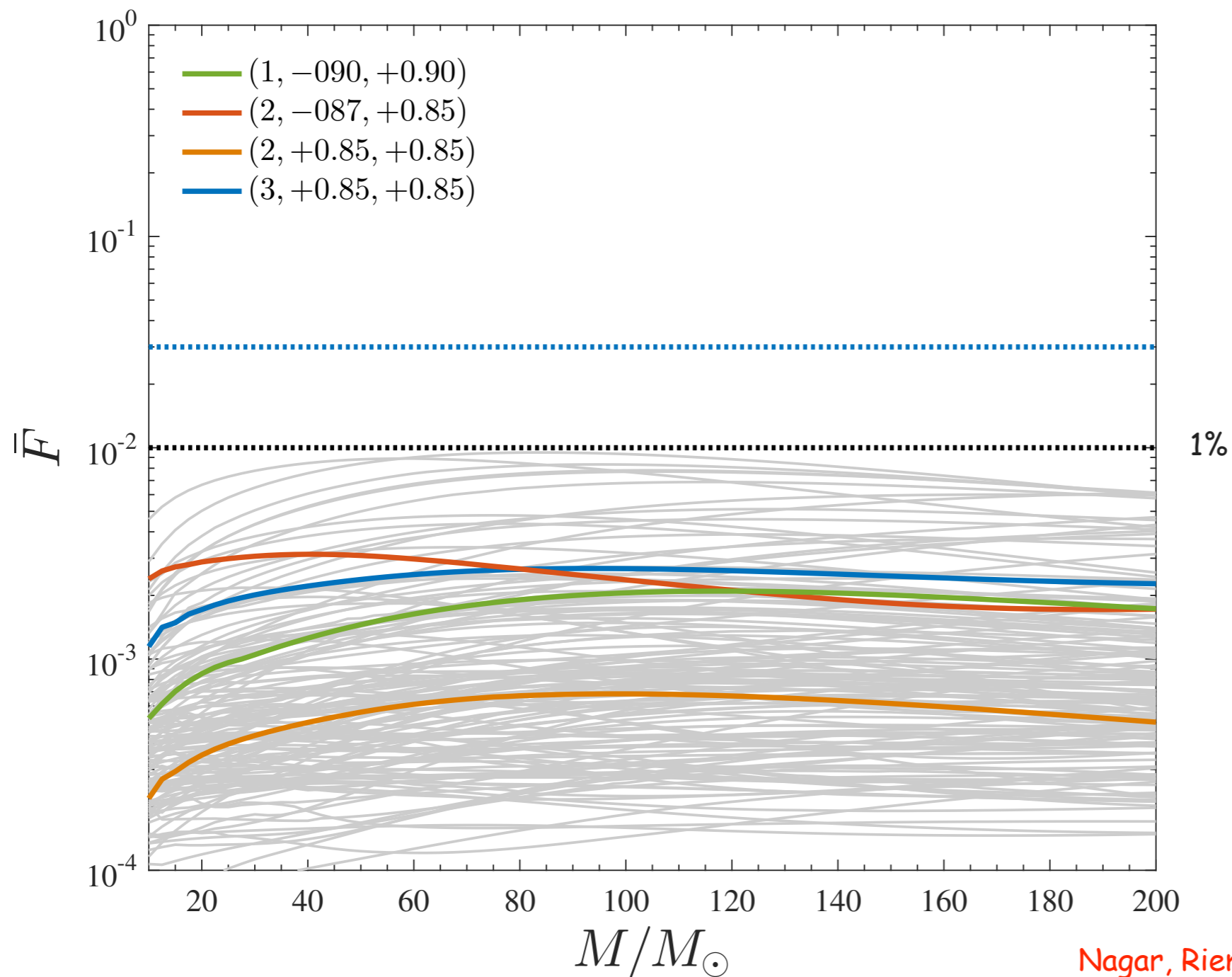


MINIMAL RECALIBRATION

Best value of the c_3 parameter for the three outliers. Check phase agreement in the time-domain to be within the NR error bar.
New fit to the best values to determine new values of the parameters of the unequal-mass sector.

Recalibration with 3 more NR datasets; 90 datasets as a cross/check.

Done by hand, no need of sophisticated mechanisms/algorithms. **IMPROVABLE: NQC & RINGDOWN FITS USING MORE NR DATA**



Nagar, Riemenschneider & Pratten, 2017, in prep.

POSTMERGER DESCRIPTION

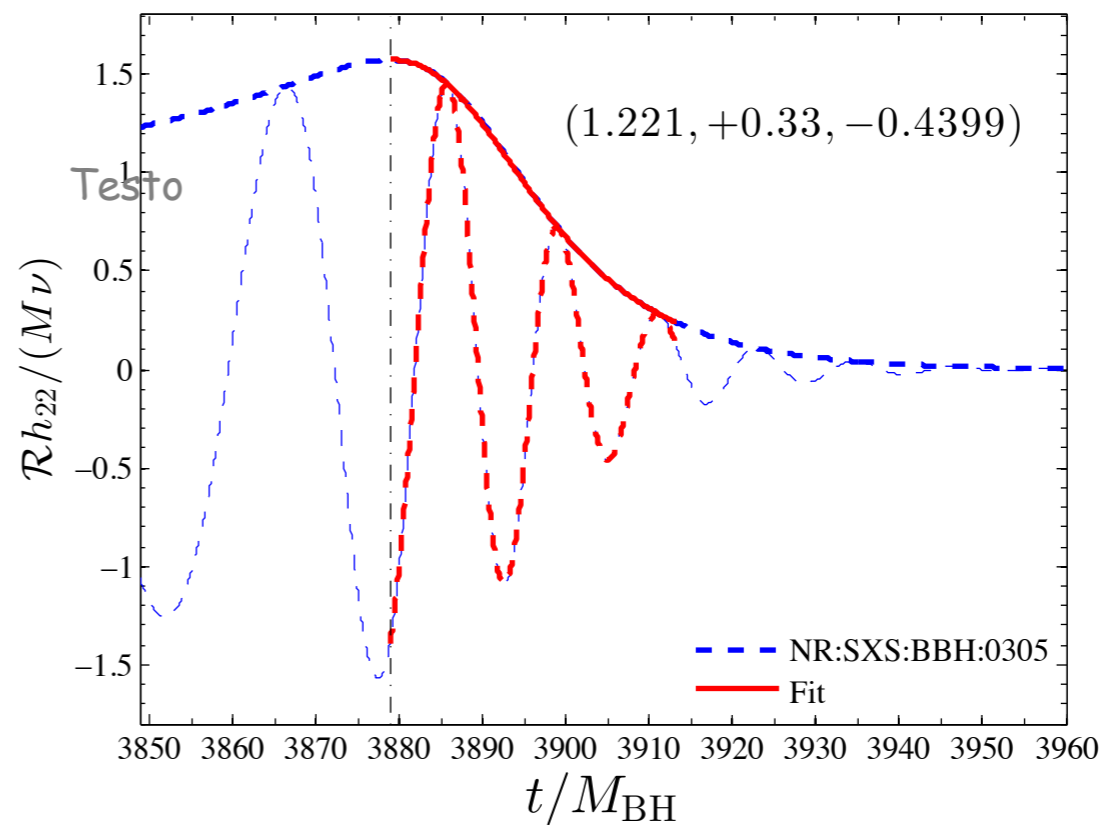
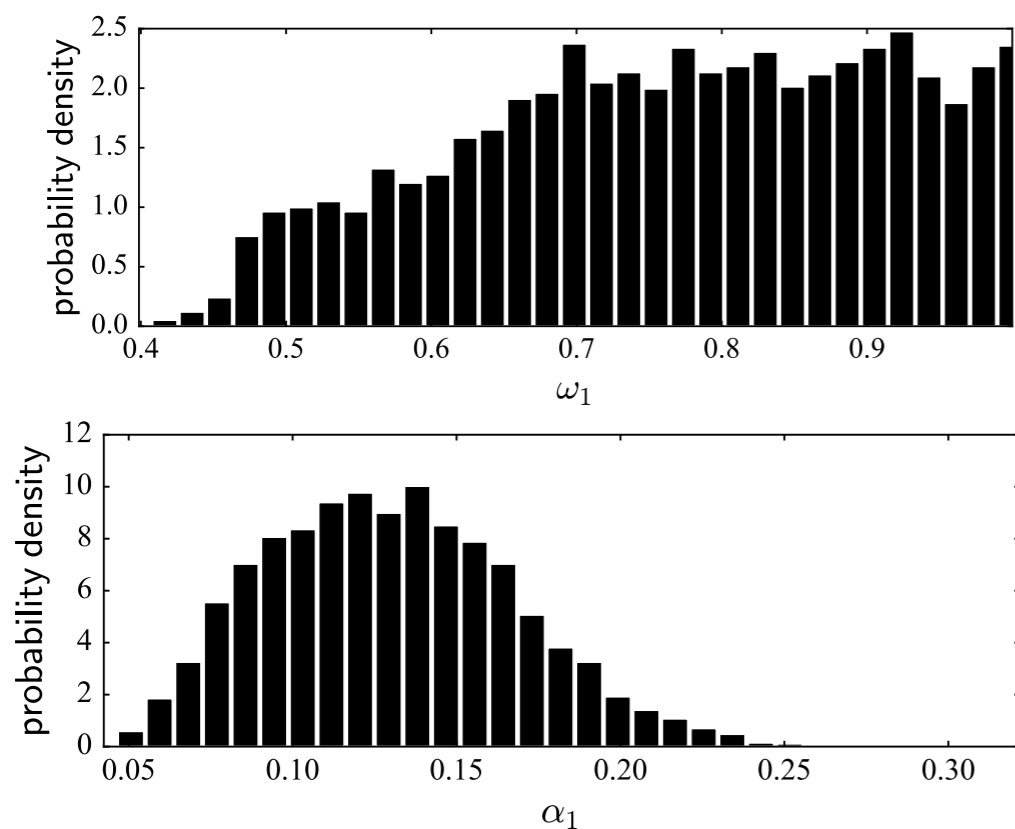
Damour&AN, PRD 2014: *motivated because the "standard" QNMs attachment is far from trivial for high-spins*

Originally conceived for EOB; useful also as a stand-alone postmerger template

Del Pozzo & AN, arXiv: 1606.03952

ANALYTIC TEMPLATE for the FULL POSTMERGER signal coming from a suitable fit of NR data.

$$\sigma_1 = \alpha_1 + i\omega_1$$



EFFECTIVE FIT

Damour&AN 2014

Factorize the fundamental

QNM, fit what remains

$$h(\tau) = e^{\sigma_1 \tau - i\phi_0} \bar{h}(\tau)$$

$$\bar{h}(\tau) \equiv A_{\bar{h}} e^{i\phi_{\bar{h}}(\tau)}.$$

$$A_{\bar{h}}(\tau) = c_1^A \tanh(c_2^A \tau + c_3^A) + c_4^A,$$

$$\phi_{\bar{h}}(\tau) = -c_1^\phi \ln \left(\frac{1 + c_3^\phi e^{-c_2^\phi \tau} + c_4^\phi e^{-2c_2^\phi \tau}}{1 + c_3^\phi + c_4^\phi} \right)$$

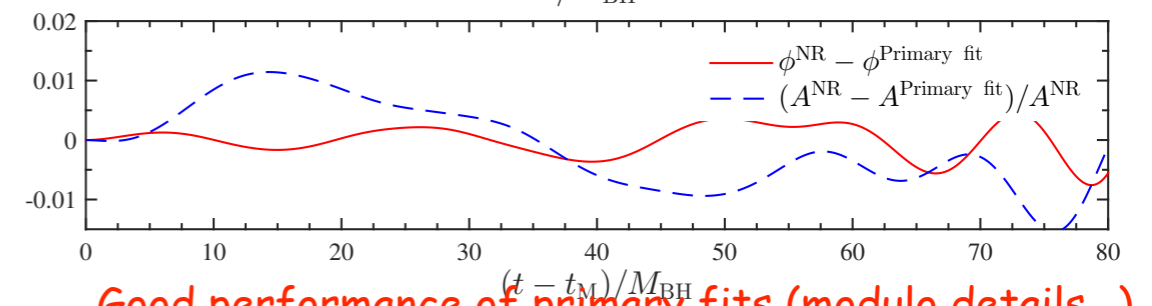
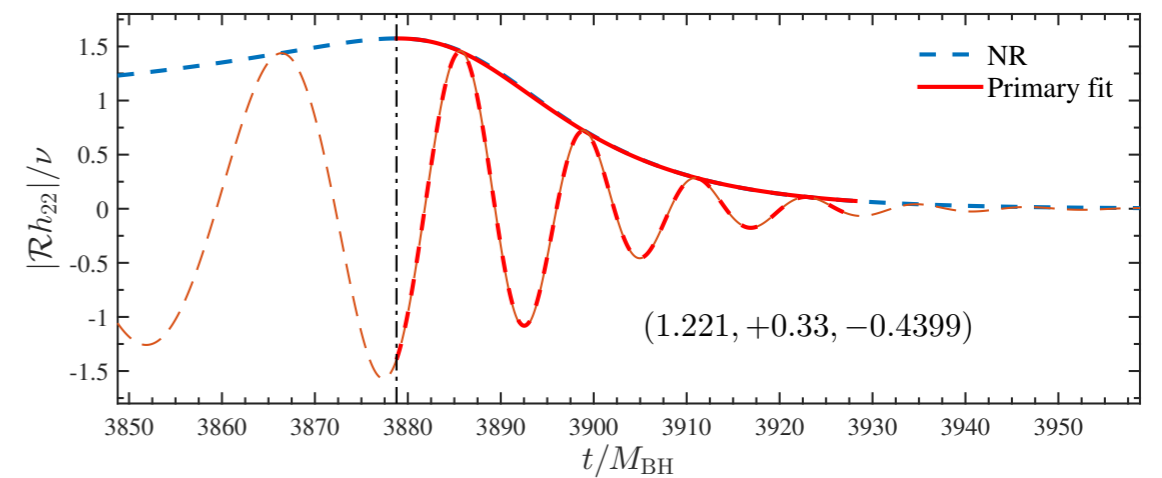
$$c_2^A = \frac{1}{2} \alpha_{21}, \quad \alpha_{21} = \alpha_2 - \alpha_1$$

$$c_4^A = \hat{A}_{22}^{\text{mrg}} - c_1^A \tanh(c_3^A),$$

$$c_1^A = \hat{A}_{22}^{\text{mrg}} \alpha_1 \frac{\cosh^2(c_3^A)}{c_2^A},$$

$$c_1^\phi = \Delta\omega \frac{1 + c_3^\phi + c_4^\phi}{c_2^\phi (c_3^\phi + 2c_4^\phi)}, \quad \Delta\omega \equiv \omega_1 - M_{\text{BH}} \omega_{22}^{\text{mrg}}$$

$$c_2^\phi = \alpha_{21},$$



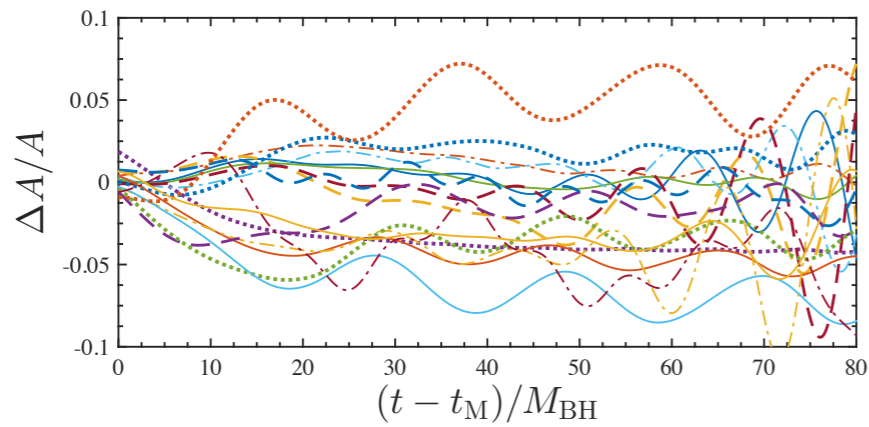
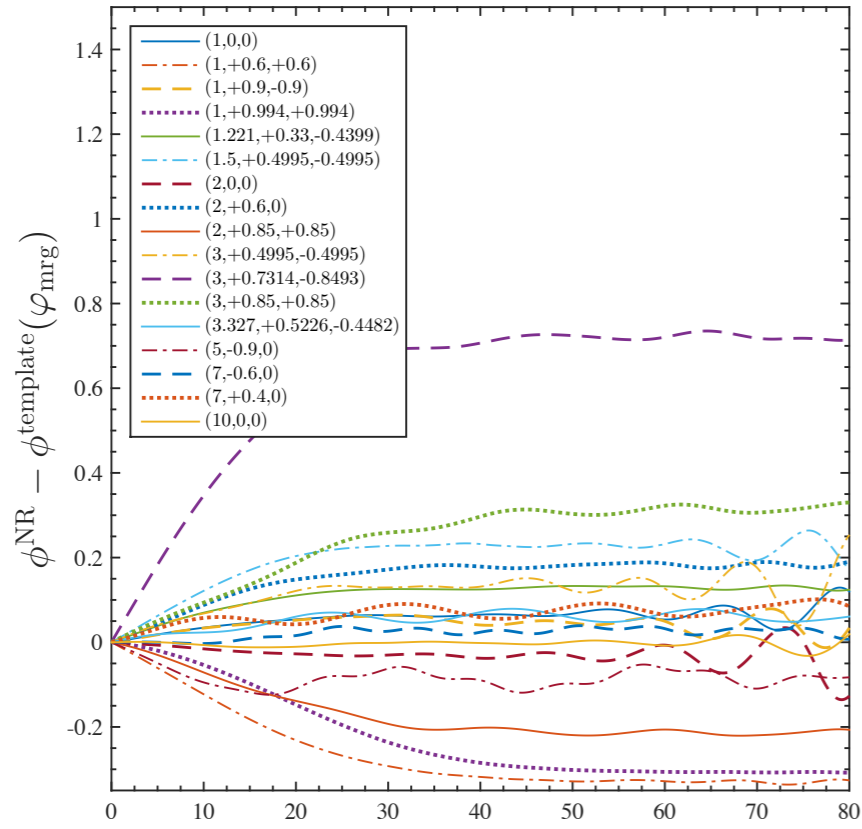
Good performance of primary fits (modulo details...)

Do this for various SXS dataset and then build up a (simple-minded) interpolating fit

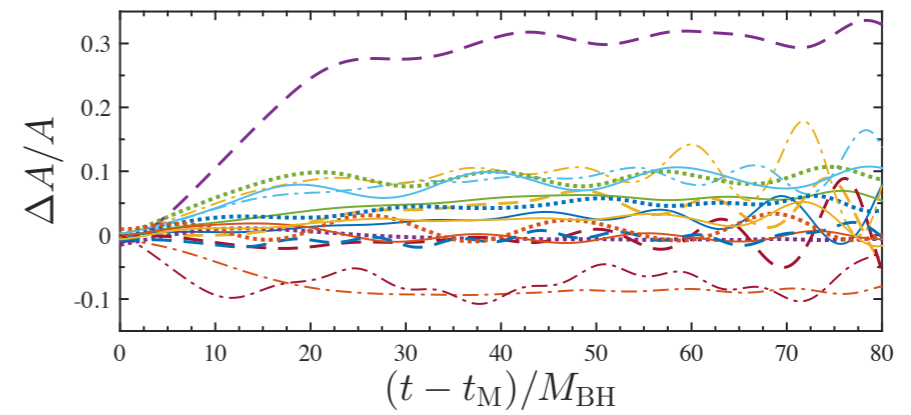
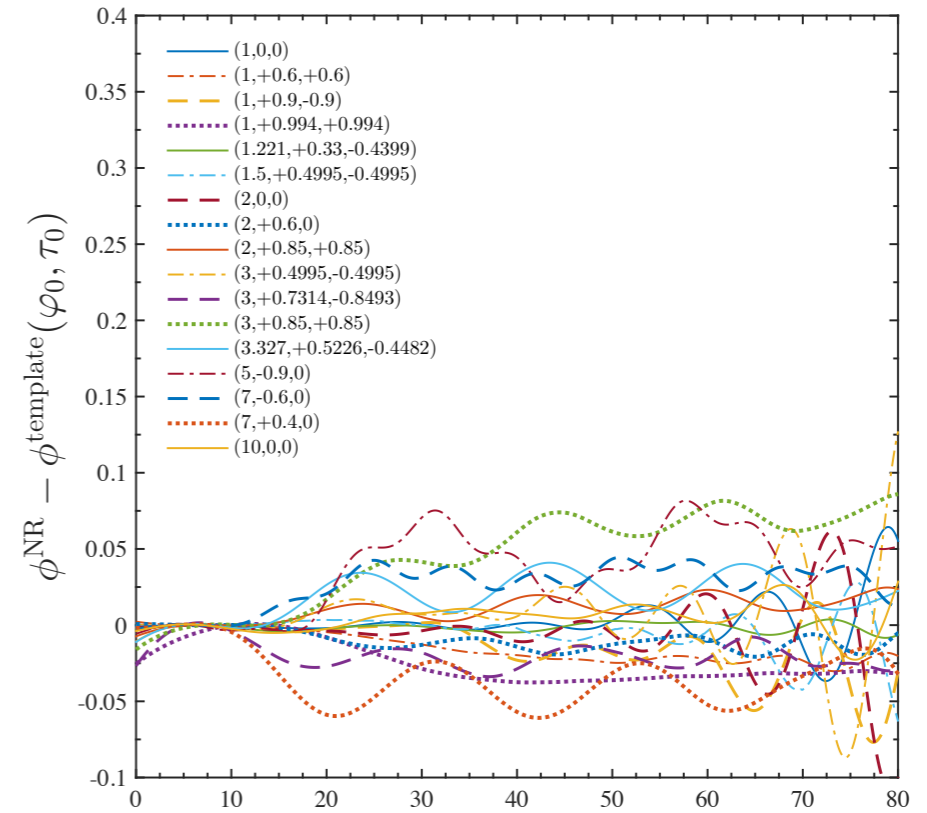
Black-list:

- (1) the structure due to $m < 0$ modes is not included (yet)
- (2) large-mass ratios/high spin: amplitude problems
- (3) problems are extreme for high-spin EMRL waves
- (4) more flexible fit-template needed
- (5) improve/check over all datasets (SXS & BAM for large mass-ratios & consistency with EMRL)

TESTS



Phase alignment@mrg



Time&phase shift alignment (as template)

WAVEFORM RECONSTRUCTION

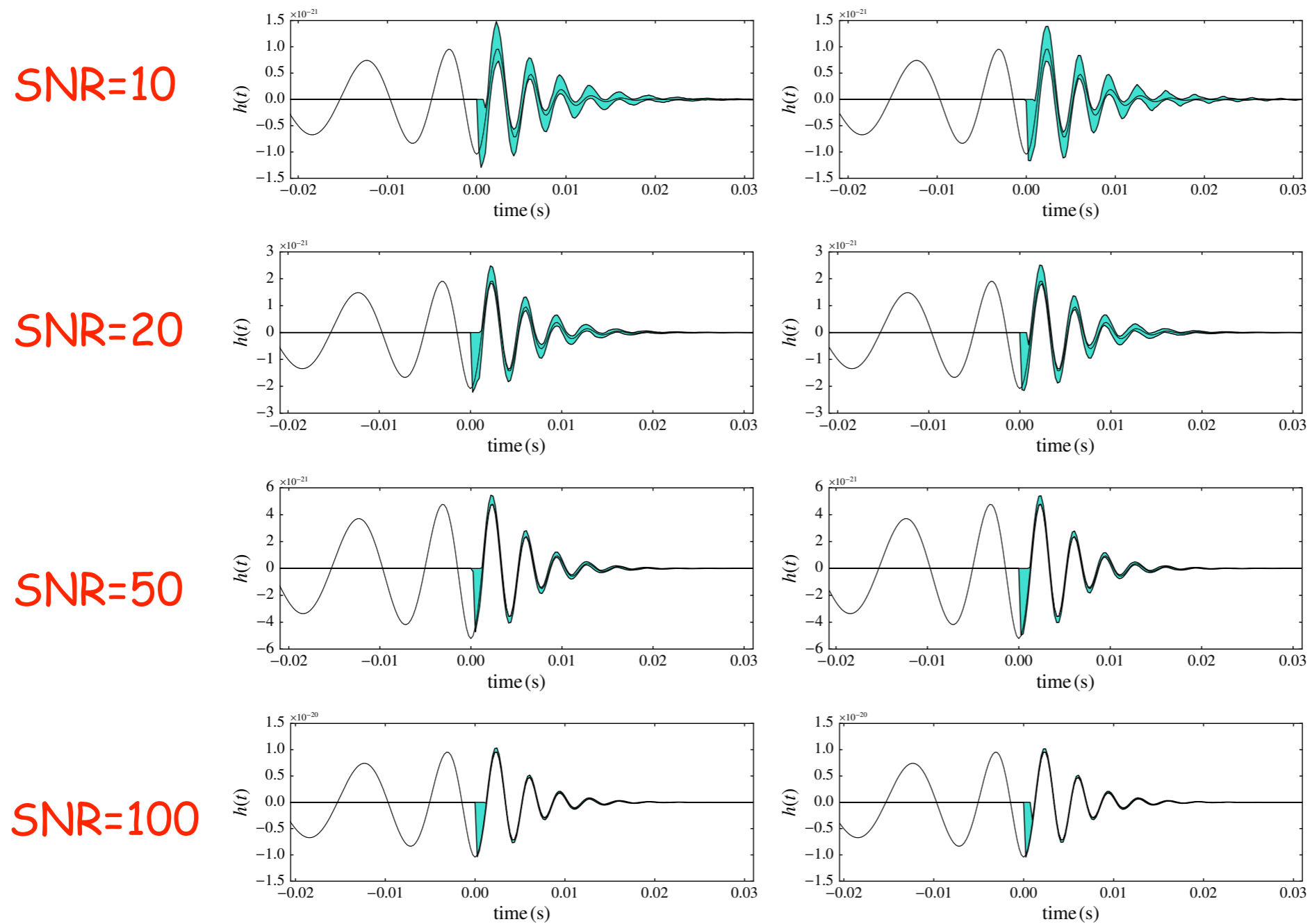
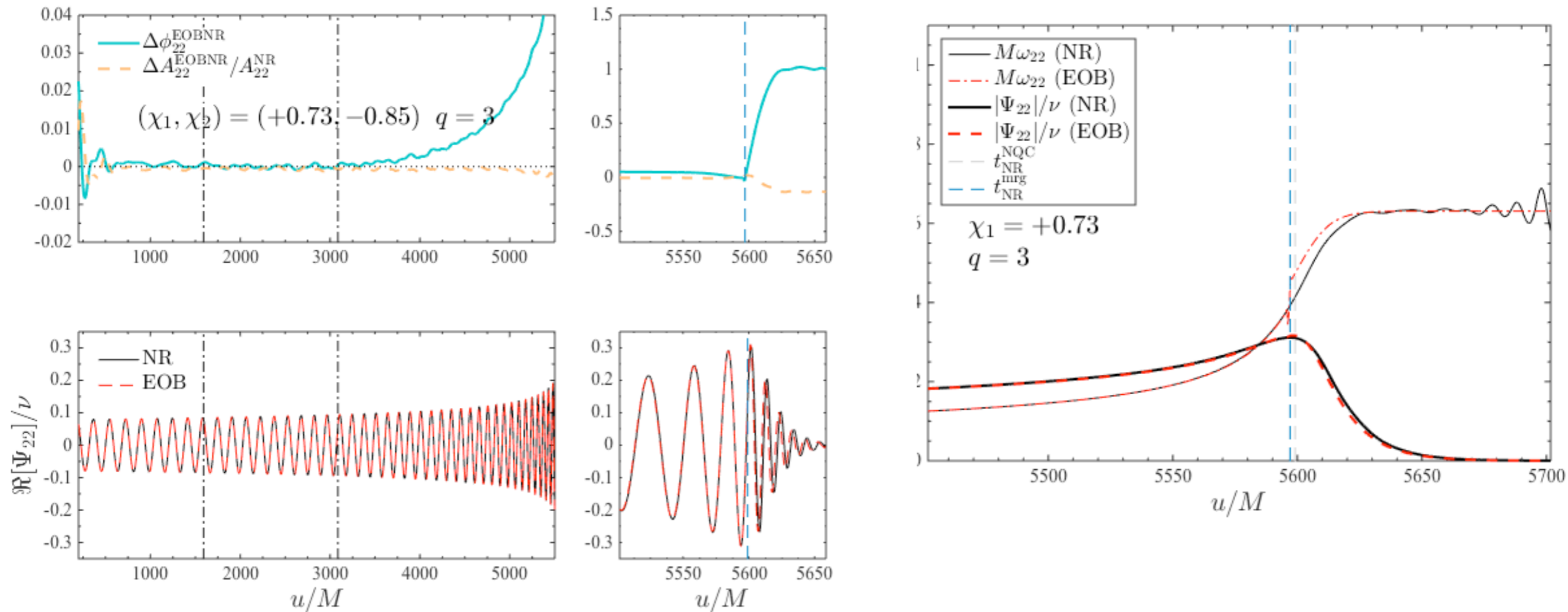


FIG. 4: From top to bottom right panels: GE case reconstructed post-merger waveform and corresponding 90% confidence region for SXS:BBH:0305 with post-merger SNR = 10, 20, 50 and 100. On the left hand side CO reconstructed post-merger waveform and corresponding 90% confidence region for SXS:BBH:0305 with post-merger SNR = 10, 20, 50 and 100. In all cases, the post-merger waveform is reconstructed very accurately, with uncertainty decreasing as the post-merger SNR increases.

WHAT TO IMPROVE?



More NR data sets to be included both in the NQC-functioning-point fit as well as in the postmerger fit (see Del Pozzo & Nagar). This is an easily solvable problem (in progress).

It is reasonable to aim at 0.1% level unfaithfulness. This is easily at reach of the model.
 More precise "calibration" and/or improved theoretical structures.