How To Find Newborn Black Holes

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Stellar-Mass Black Holes



Which progenitors produce BHs not NSs?



What is observational signature?

Stellar type (RSG, BSG, or WR) Rotation profile (disk or not) Magnetic field (jet or not)







Very low energy supernovae from neutrino mass loss

Even if the SN shock is stalled, a weak shock can be driven by neutrino mass loss of the PNS.



Searching for vanishing supergiants

- Monitoring ~10⁶ RSGs in ~25 Gal. within ~10 Mpc with ~0.5 yr cadence for ~5 yrs using the Large Binocular Telescope
- Examine sources with $\Delta(\nu L_{\nu}) \ge 10^4 L_{\odot}$
- 3 core collapse supernovae
- I candidate of vanishing RSG
- Continuous obs. will give meaningful constraints on failed SN rate.









Fall back disk may be ubiquitous

Woosley & Heger 12, Perna+14



Outer layers of up to ~ a few $\,M_\odot\,$ can "naturally" have sufficient $\,J\,$

Then, what will happen?

$$\begin{split} \dot{M}_{\rm d} &\approx M_{\rm d}/t_{\rm acc}, \text{ or} \\ \dot{M}_{\rm d} &\sim 3 \times 10^{-5} \ {\rm M}_{\odot} \ {\rm s}^{-1} \\ &\qquad \times \left(\frac{M_{\rm d}}{1 \ M_{\odot}}\right) \left(\frac{R_{*}}{10^{12} \ {\rm cm}}\right)^{-3/2} \left(\frac{M_{\rm BH}}{10 \ M_{\odot}}\right)^{1/2}, \end{split}$$

where $t_{\rm acc} \approx \pi (R_*{}^3/8GM_{\rm BH})^{1/2}$, or

$$t_{\rm acc} \sim 3 \times 10^4 \text{ s} \left(\frac{R_*}{10^{12} \text{ cm}}\right)^{3/2} \left(\frac{M_{\rm BH}}{10 M_{\odot}}\right)^{-1/2}$$

Outflows!

$$\bar{v}_{\text{out}} \approx (2GM_{\text{BH}}/r_0)^{1/2}$$
, or
 $\bar{v}_{\text{out}} \sim 1 \times 10^{10} \text{ cm s}^{-1} \left(\frac{f_r}{10}\right)^{-1/2}$

$$T_0 \approx (\dot{M}_{\rm out} v_{\rm out} / 8\pi a r_0^2)^{1/4}$$
, or

$$T_0 \sim 8 \times 10^8 \text{ K} \left(\frac{f_r}{10}\right)^{-5/8} \left(\frac{f_{\dot{M}}}{0.1}\right)^{1/4} \\ \times \left(\frac{M_d}{1 M_{\odot}}\right)^{1/4} \left(\frac{R_*}{10^{12} \text{ cm}}\right)^{-3/8} \left(\frac{M_{\text{BH}}}{10 M_{\odot}}\right)^{-3/8}$$

$$\dot{M}_{\rm Edd} = 4\pi G M_{\rm BH} / c \kappa$$

 $\sim 10^{-15} M_{\odot} \, {\rm s}^{-1} \, (\kappa/0.2 \, {\rm cm}^2 \, {\rm g}^{-1})^{-1} (M_{\rm BH} / 10 M_{\odot})$

Super-Eddington accretion!



Fast Luminous Blue Transients



Pan-STARRS1 Medium Deep Survey (PS1-MDS) for Rapidly Evolving and Luminous Transients Drout+14



- ✓ $t_{1/2}$ < 12 day --- rapidly evolving than any SN type ✓ L_{peak} ~ 10⁴²⁻⁴³ erg s⁻¹ --- luminous as bright SNe
- \checkmark T_{peak} ~ a few 10⁴ K --- blue
- ✓ No line blanketing --- not powered by the radioactive decay
- ✓ Host Gal. = star forming Gal. --- related to massive stars
- ✓ Event rate ~ 4-7 % of core-collapse SN --- not rare

Summary and Discussion

How to find newborn black holes

- Vanishing supergiants
- Luminous red novae
- Fast blue transients
 - \checkmark a day to 10 day depending on progenitor structure

$$\checkmark L_{bol} \sim 10^{41-43} \, erg \, s^{-1}$$

✓Blue continua with T ~ 10^4 K

✓The PSI-MDS transients are from WRs and BSGs?

✓ may not be rare (~5% of CCSNe).

• Multi-Messenger Approach

√Radio

✓ Gravitational wave

Back up

Now is the good timing























Scale drawings of 16 black-hole binaries in the Milky Way (courtesy of J. Orosz). The Sun–Mercury distance (0.4 AU) is shown at the top. The estimated binary inclination is indicated by the tilt of the accretion disk. The color of the companion star roughly indicates its surface temperature.

Optical Transients



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Blue Continua No Line Blanketing





Host Gal. = SF Gal.





4%-7% of CCSN@z =0.2

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