

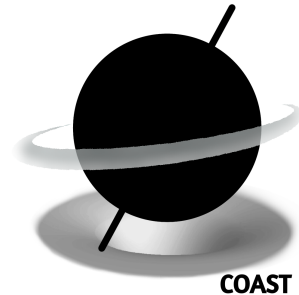
# Shock Waves in (1+1 Dimensional) Curved Space-time (GR Shock Waves)

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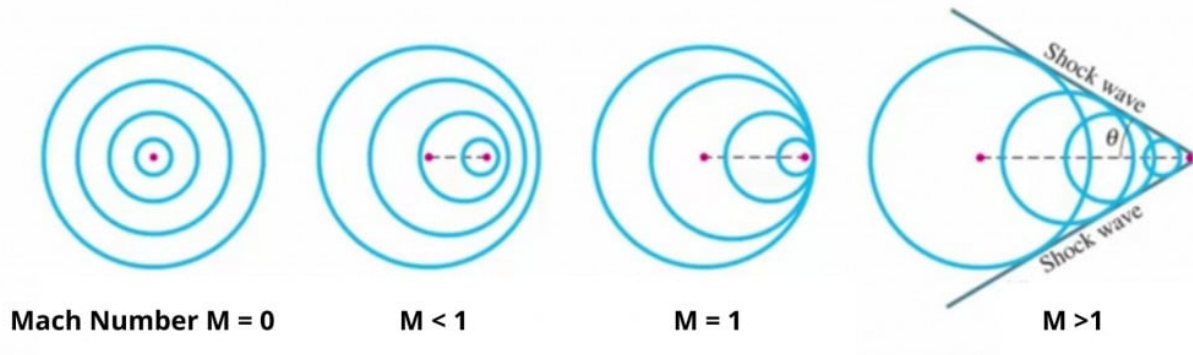


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- Shock wave  $\Rightarrow$  Supersonic disturbances in the medium.
- In daily life we can encounter it when airplanes break through the sound barrier.
- Shock waves can also be formed in many known astrophysical events like supernova collapse, when the stellar wind encountering medium, etc.



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- Across a shock front, there is always an abrupt change in the thermodynamic quantities.

# Hydrodynamic Equations in Non-Relativity (Newtonian)

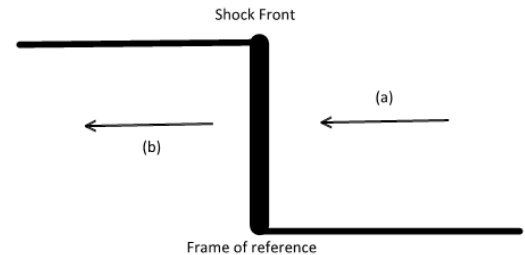
- Three basic conservation equations: Mass, Momentum, and Energy.
- General form of continuity or conservation equation:  

$$\partial_0(\text{density of the quantity}) + \partial_1(\text{flux of the quantity}) = 0$$

$$\partial_0 \rho + \partial_1(\rho v) = 0$$

$$\partial_0(\rho v) + \partial_1(p + \rho v^2) = 0$$

$$\partial_0(\rho e + \frac{1}{2}\rho v^2) + \partial_1(v(\rho e + \frac{1}{2}\rho v^2 + p)) = 0$$



- From the shock frame of reference these equations become jump conditions also known as Rankine-Hugoniot equations.
- Using these jump conditions along with an equation of state we can study the NR shocks and their application.



- Conservation of particle Number or mass flux gives

$$\rho_a v_a = \rho_b v_b$$

- Conservation of Momentum flux gives

$$\rho_a v_a^2 + p_a = \rho_b v_b^2 + p_b$$

- Conservation of Energy flux gives

$$w_a + \frac{1}{2}v_a^2 = w_b + \frac{1}{2}v_b^2$$

- Using these three equations we can derive a velocity-free equation known as the combustion adiabat equation.

$$w_b - w_a = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{\rho_b} + \frac{1}{\rho_a} \right) (p_b - p_a)$$

- ***Velocity of upstream and downstream matter***

- $v_a = \sqrt{\frac{(p_b - p_a)\rho_b}{(\rho_b - \rho_a)\rho_a}}$

- $v_b = \sqrt{\frac{(p_b - p_a)\rho_a}{(\rho_b - \rho_a)\rho_b}}$



# Hydrodynamic Equations in General Relativity (Einstein's)

- In astrophysical scenarios, shock waves propagate at speed comparable to the speed of light.
- Generally curved space-time conservation equations take form like

$$\nabla_{\mu}(nu^{\mu}) = 0 \quad (1)$$

$$\nabla_{\nu}T^{\mu\nu} = 0 \quad (2)$$

- 1st equation is particle number conservation.
- 2nd equation contains energy and momentum conservation.
- Using energy-momentum tensor and four-velocity, we find the hydrodynamic equations.

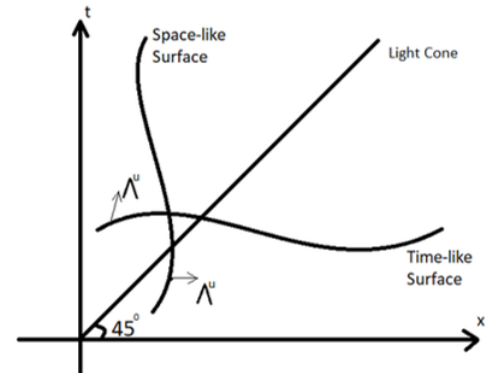
## *Special Relativistic*

- In special relativistic case,  $\nabla_\mu \rightarrow \partial_\mu$
- $ds^2 = -dt^2 + dr^2 + r^2(d\theta^2 + \sin^2 \theta d\Phi^2)$
- $u^\mu = (\gamma, \gamma v, 0, 0)$   
where,  $\gamma = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-v^2}}$
- $T^{\mu\nu} = wu^\mu u^\nu + pg^{\mu\nu}$   
where,  $w = \epsilon + p$
- Using eqn 1 and 2, we can write dynamic equations as,

$$\partial_0(nu^0) + \partial_1(nu^1) = 0$$

$$\partial_0 T^{10} + \partial_1 T^{11} = 0$$

$$\partial_0 T^{00} + \partial_1 T^{01} = 0$$



$$\Lambda^\mu \Lambda_\mu = \begin{cases} -1, & \text{For SL } \Sigma \\ +1, & \text{For TL } \Sigma \end{cases}$$

$\Sigma \equiv$  Hypersurface

- In relativity, space and time are on the same footing so in this case we get two kinds of shock waves (depending upon the frame of reference).

## *Space – Like*

- Conservation of particle Number flux gives

$$n_a v_a \gamma_a = n_b v_b \gamma_b$$

- Conservation of Momentum flux gives

$$w_a \gamma_a^2 v_a^2 + p_a = w_b \gamma_b^2 v_b^2 + p_b$$

- Conservation of Energy flux gives

$$w_a \gamma_a^2 v_a = w_b \gamma_b^2 v_b$$

- *Velocity of upstream and downstream matter*

- $$v_a = \sqrt{\frac{(p_b - p_a)(\epsilon_b + p_a)}{(\epsilon_b - \epsilon_a)(\epsilon_a + p_b)}}$$

- $$v_b = \sqrt{\frac{(p_b - p_a)(\epsilon_a + p_b)}{(\epsilon_b - \epsilon_a)(\epsilon_b + p_a)}}$$

## *Time – Like*

- Conservation of particle Number density gives

$$n_a \gamma_a = n_b \gamma_b$$

- Conservation of Momentum density gives

$$w_a \gamma_a^2 v_a = w_b \gamma_b^2 v_b$$

- Conservation of Energy density gives

$$w_a \gamma_a^2 - p_a = w_b \gamma_b^2 - p_b$$

- $$v_a = \sqrt{\frac{(\epsilon_b - \epsilon_a)(\epsilon_a + p_b)}{(p_b - p_a)(\epsilon_b + p_a)}}$$

- $$v_b = \sqrt{\frac{(\epsilon_b - \epsilon_a)(\epsilon_b + p_a)}{(p_b - p_a)(\epsilon_a + p_b)}}$$





- $ds^2 = -e^{2\phi(r)} dt^2 + e^{2\Lambda(r)} dr^2 + r^2 \sin^2 \theta d\varphi^2$
- $T^{\mu\nu} = wu^\mu u^\nu + pg^{\mu\nu}$
- $u^\mu = \gamma_g(1, v, 0, 0)$  where,  $\gamma_g = \frac{1}{[e^{2\phi} - e^{2\Lambda} v^2]^{1/2}}$  and  $v = \frac{dr}{dt}$ .
- From eqn 1 and 2,

$$\frac{\partial_0(nu^0)}{(nu^1)} + \partial_1 \left( \log(nu^1 e^{\phi(r)+\Lambda(r)}) \right) = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial_0 T^{10}}{T^{11}} + \partial_1 \left( \log(T^{11} e^{2\Lambda(r)}) \right) = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial_0 T^{00}}{T^{01}} + \partial_1 \left( \log(T^{01} e^{3\phi(r)+\Lambda(r)}) \right) = 0$$

- Similarly, we can write Rankine-Hugoniot Equations in the GR case under similar considerations.

## *Space – Like*

- Conservation of particle Number flux gives  

$$n_a \gamma_{ga} v_a e^{(\phi_a + \Lambda_a)} = n_b \gamma_{gb} v_b e^{(\phi_b + \Lambda_b)}$$
- Conservation of Momentum flux gives  

$$w_a \gamma_{ga}^2 v_a^2 e^{2\Lambda_a} + p_a = w_b \gamma_{gb}^2 v_b^2 e^{2\Lambda_b} + p_b$$
- Conservation of Energy flux gives  

$$w_a \gamma_{ga}^2 v_a e^{(3\phi_a + \Lambda_a)} = w_b \gamma_{gb}^2 v_b e^{(3\phi_b + \Lambda_b)}$$

- *Velocity of upstream and downstream matter*

Defining,

$$A_1 = e^{\phi_a}, A_2 = e^{\phi_b},$$

$$B_1 = e^{\Lambda_a}, B_2 = e^{\Lambda_b}$$

$$w_a = (p_a + \epsilon_a), w_b = (p_b + \epsilon_b)$$

$$a_{11} = A_1^4 w_a^2 - A_2^4 (p_a (p_b + 2\epsilon_a - \epsilon_b) + 2p_b \epsilon_b - p_b \epsilon_a + \epsilon_a \epsilon_b)$$

## *Time – Like*

- Conservation of particle Number density gives  

$$n_a \gamma_{ga} = n_b \gamma_{gb}$$
- Conservation of Momentum density gives  

$$w_a \gamma_{ga}^2 v_{ra} = w_b \gamma_{gb}^2 v_{rb}$$
- Conservation of Energy density gives  

$$w_a \gamma_{ga}^2 - \frac{p_a}{e^{2\phi_a}} = w_b \gamma_{gb}^2 - \frac{p_b}{e^{2\phi_b}}$$

$$b_{11} = \sqrt{w_b^2 A_2^8 - w_a^2 A_1^8 - 2A_1^4 a_{11}}$$

$$c_{11} = 2 \frac{B_1^2}{A_1^2} A_2^4 (p_b + \epsilon_a)(\epsilon_a - \epsilon_b)$$

$$a_{21} = A_1^2 A_2^2 [B_2^2 w_a^2 - B_1^2 (\epsilon_b - p_b)(\epsilon_a - p_a)] - 2B_1 (A_2^4 p_a \epsilon_a + A_1^4 p_b \epsilon_b)$$

$$b_{21} = w_a A_1 A_2 \sqrt{A_1^2 A_2^2 (B_1^4 w_b^2 - B_2^4 w_a^2) + 2B_2^2 a_{21}}$$

$$c_{21} = B_1^4 (A_2^2 p_a + A_1^2 \epsilon_b)(A_2^2 p_a - A_1^2 p_b)$$

## *Space – Like*

$$\bullet v_a = \sqrt{\frac{a_{11} + w_a b_{11}}{c_{11}}}$$

$$\bullet v_b = \frac{v_a B_1 (A_1^4 w_a + A_2^4 w_b - b_{11})}{2A_1^3 A_2 B_2 [p_a + \epsilon_b]}$$

## *Time – Like*

$$\bullet v_a = \sqrt{\frac{A_1 (a_{21} - b_{21})}{2c_{21}}}$$

$$\bullet v_b = \frac{v_a A_2 (B_2 w_a + B_1 w_b + \frac{b_{21}}{w_a A_1 A_2})}{2B_2 [A_1 p_b + A_2 \epsilon_a]}$$

## *Special Relativistic*

- $\left( \frac{w_a^2}{n_a^2} - \frac{w_b^2}{n_b^2} \right) + (p_b - p_a) \left( \frac{w_a}{n_a^2} + \frac{w_b}{n_b^2} \right) = 0$ , Same for both SL and TL Shock.

## *General Relativistic*

- *Space – Like TA*

$$(p_b - p_a) \left[ \frac{w_b^2 e^{2(\Lambda_b + \phi_b)}}{n_b^4} - \frac{w_a^2 e^{2(\Lambda_a + \phi_a)}}{n_a^4} \right] - \left( \frac{w_b e^{\Lambda_b}}{n_b^2 e^{\phi_b}} - \frac{w_a e^{\Lambda_a}}{n_a^2 e^{\phi_a}} \right) \left[ \frac{w_b^2 e^{(3\phi_b + \Lambda_b)}}{n_b^4} - \frac{w_a^2 e^{(3\phi_a + \Lambda_a)}}{n_a^4} \right] = 0$$

- *Time – Like TA*

$$\left[ \frac{p_b}{e^{2\phi_b}} - \frac{p_a}{e^{2\phi_a}} \right] \left[ \frac{w_a^2 e^{2\phi_a}}{n_a^4 e^{2\Lambda_a}} - \frac{w_b^2 e^{2\phi_b}}{n_b^4 e^{2\Lambda_b}} \right] - \left( \frac{w_b}{n_b^2} - \frac{w_a}{n_a^2} \right) \left[ \frac{w_a^2}{n_a^2 e^{2\Lambda_a}} - \frac{w_b^2}{n_b^2 e^{2\Lambda_b}} \right] = 0$$

- On putting  $\Lambda = \phi = 0 \Rightarrow \Lambda_a = \phi_a = \Lambda_b = \phi_b = 0$ , the general relativistic line element reduces to relativistic line element and we recover all the results of special relativistic shocks.

# Application-1: The Schwarzschild Metric



- $ds^2 = g_{\mu\nu} dx^\mu dx^\nu = - \left(1 - \frac{2M}{r}\right) dt^2 + \left(1 - \frac{2M}{r}\right)^{-1} dr^2 + r^2 (d\theta^2 + \sin^2(\theta) d\varphi^2)$

- $T^{\mu\nu} = wu^\mu u^\nu + pg^{\mu\nu}$

- $e^{2\phi} = \left(1 - \frac{2M}{r}\right)$

- $e^{2\Lambda} = \left(1 - \frac{2M}{r}\right)^{-1}$

- $u^\mu = \gamma_g(1, v, 0, 0)$  where,  $\gamma_g = \frac{\left(1 - \frac{2M}{r}\right)}{\left(1 - \frac{2M}{r}\right)^{-v^2}}$  and  $v = \frac{dr}{dt}$ .

- Here, r and M will be the same for both upstream and downstream of the shock since the thickness of the shock wave is considered to be negligible.

## *Space – Like*

- Conservation of particle Number flux gives

$$n_a v_a \gamma_{ga} = n_b v_b \gamma_{gb}$$

- Conservation of Momentum flux gives

$$p_a + \frac{w_a \gamma_{ga}^2 v_a^2}{\left(1 - \frac{2M}{r}\right)} = p_b + \frac{w_b \gamma_{gb}^2 v_b^2}{\left(1 - \frac{2M}{r}\right)}$$

- Conservation of Energy flux gives

$$w_a \gamma_{ga}^2 v_a = w_b \gamma_{gb}^2 v_b$$

- $$v_a^2 = \frac{\left(1 - \frac{2M}{r}\right)^2 (p_b - p_a)(p_a + \epsilon_b)}{(\epsilon_b - \epsilon_a)(p_b + \epsilon_a)}$$

- $$v_b^2 = \frac{\left(1 - \frac{2M}{r}\right)^2 (p_b - p_a)(p_b + \epsilon_a)}{(\epsilon_b - \epsilon_a)(p_a + \epsilon_b)}$$

- **Combustion/Taub Adiatat for both SL and TL Shock:**

$$\left( \frac{w_a^2}{n_a^2} - \frac{w_b^2}{n_b^2} \right) + (p_b - p_a) \left( \frac{w_a}{n_a^2} + \frac{w_b}{n_b^2} \right) = 0.$$

## *Time – Like*

- Conservation of particle Number density gives

$$n_a \gamma_{ga} = n_b \gamma_{gb}$$

- Conservation of Momentum density gives

$$w_a \gamma_{ga}^2 v_a = w_b \gamma_{gb}^2 v_b$$

- Conservation of Energy density gives

$$w_a \gamma_{ga}^2 - \frac{p_a}{\left(1 - \frac{2M}{r}\right)} = w_b \gamma_{gb}^2 - \frac{p_b}{\left(1 - \frac{2M}{r}\right)}$$

- $$v_a^2 = \frac{\left(1 - \frac{2M}{r}\right)^2 (\epsilon_b - \epsilon_a)(p_b + \epsilon_a)}{(p_b - p_a)(p_a + \epsilon_b)}$$

- $$v_b^2 = \frac{\left(1 - \frac{2M}{r}\right)^2 (\epsilon_b - \epsilon_a)(p_a + \epsilon_b)}{(p_b - p_a)(p_b + \epsilon_a)}$$



- If a shock wave produce and propagate from the center to the surface.
- A combustion process can happen inside an NS due to shock propagation.
- We will use upstream matter as hadronic and downstream as quark.

## Shock-induced combustion inside a NS

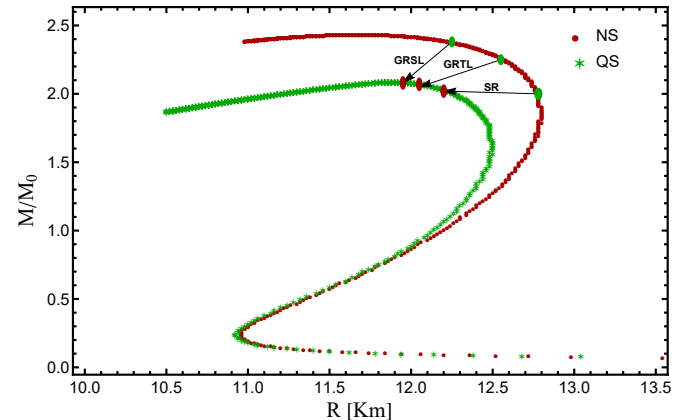
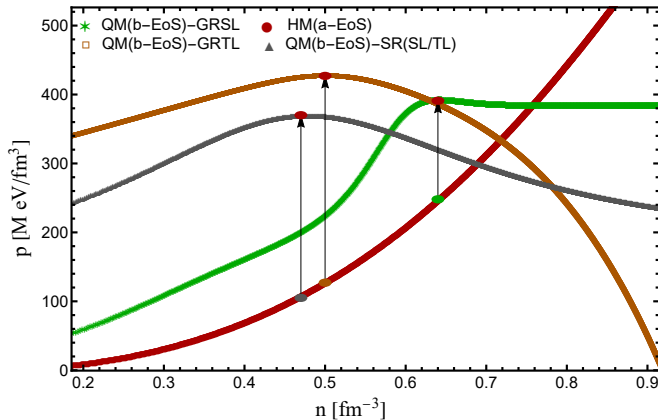
- In the relativistic case, things were easy, we need only equation of states to solve the TA/CA.
- But in the general relativistic case, we also need a variation of the metric potentials along with the equation of states.
- So, for the variation of metric potentials we will use **TOV Equations** to model a spherically symmetric, non-rotating, static neutron star.

$$\begin{aligned} \bullet \frac{dp(r)}{dr} &= - \frac{[p(r) + \epsilon(r)][M(r) + 4\pi r^3 p(r)]}{r[r - 2M(r)]} & \bullet \frac{dM(r)}{dr} &= 4\pi \epsilon(r) r^2 \\ \bullet \frac{d\Lambda}{dr} &= \frac{1}{2r} [(8\pi \epsilon r^2 - 1)e^{2\Lambda} + 1] & \bullet \frac{d\phi}{dr} &= \frac{1}{2r} [(8\pi p r^2 + 1)e^{2\Lambda} - 1] \end{aligned}$$

# Shock-induced combustion inside a NS



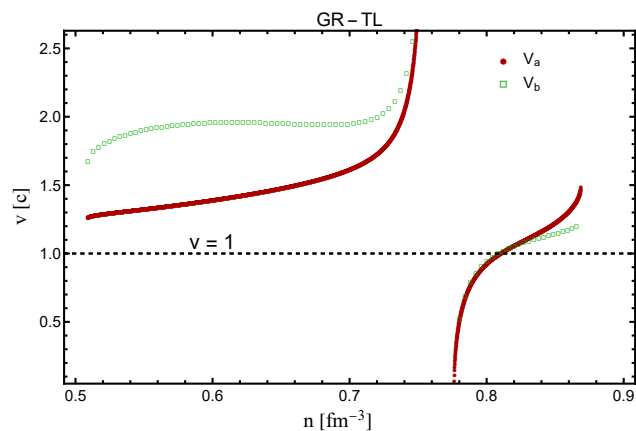
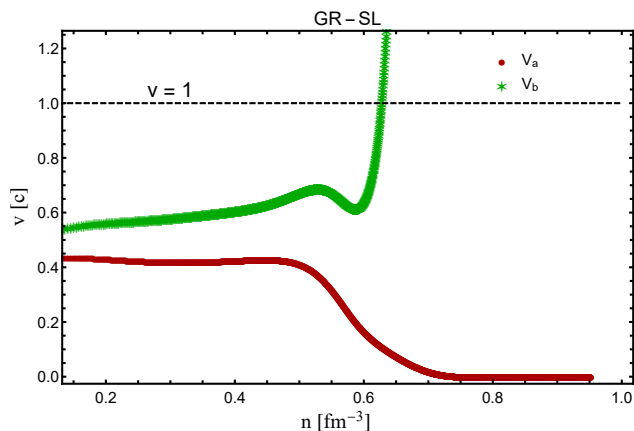
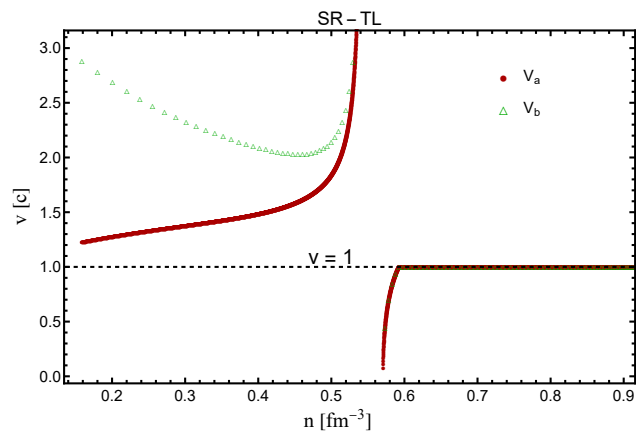
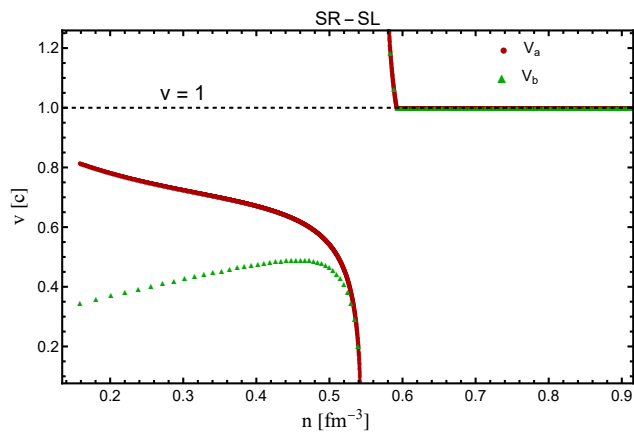
- Actual maximum mass of NS and QS corresponding to their EoSs are  $2.42 M_{\odot}$  and  $2.10 M_{\odot}$  respectively.



- Using relativistic TA/CA equation, the mass of phase transitioned QS comes out to be  $1.95 M_{\odot}$ .
- While, using GR space-like and time-like TA/CA, it comes out to be  $2.02 M_{\odot}$  and  $2.03 M_{\odot}$  respectively, which agrees with the M-R curve of QS.
- Using velocity values we can also guess the type of combustion process.
- $v_a > v_b \Rightarrow$  Deflagration &  $v_a < v_b \Rightarrow$  Detonation



# Velocities of Upstream and downstream matter





- In the velocity curve, there are some points where the velocity of upstream or downstream or both upstream and downstream matter become luminous.
- Considering a fixed upstream pressure and energy density value we can find the possible downstream pressure and energy density values at which velocity become luminous.

## Condition For $v=1$

- *In Relativistic Case*

$$v_a^2 = 1 = v_b^2 \Rightarrow p_b = \epsilon_b + p_a - \epsilon_a$$

- *In General Relativistic Case*

*Space – Like*

- $v_a^2 \approx 1 \Rightarrow p_b = \frac{h_1 + h_2 + h_3 + h_4}{A_2^4(A_1^2 + B_1^2)(A_1^2(p_a + \epsilon_b) + B_1^2(\epsilon_b - \epsilon_a))}$

# Condition For $v=1$

- $v_b^2 \approx 1 \Rightarrow p_b = \frac{k((A_1^4 B_1 B_2 w_a + A_2^4 B_1 B_2 \epsilon_b) - (p_a + \epsilon_b) A_1^3 B_2^2 A_2 - A_1 B_1^2 A_2^3 \epsilon_a)}{A_2^3 B_1 (A_1 B_1 - k A_2 B_2)}$

where,

$$h_1 = A_1^6 B_1^2 w_a^2, k = 1.00001$$

$$h_2 = A_2^4 B_1^4 \epsilon_a (\epsilon_a - \epsilon_b)$$

$$h_3 = A_1^4 A_2^4 p_a (p_a + \epsilon_b)$$

$$h_4 = A_1^2 A_2^4 B_1^2 (p_a (\epsilon_b - 2\epsilon_a) - \epsilon_a \epsilon_b)$$

## *Time – Like*

- $v_a^2 \approx 1 \Rightarrow p_b = \frac{A_2 (A_2 G1 + A_1 G3)}{A_1 (A_1^3 \epsilon_b + A_1^2 G4 + A_1 B_1 G5 + A_2 B_1^2 p_a)}$

- $v_b^2 \approx 1 \Rightarrow p_b = \frac{h A_2 [A_1 (B_1 \epsilon_b + B_2 p_a - B_2 \epsilon_a) - A_2 B_1 p_a]}{A_1 (A_1 B_2 - A_2 B_1)}$

where,

$$G1 = (A_1^2 \epsilon_a^2 + 2A_1 B_1 p_a \epsilon_a + B_1^2 p_a^2)$$

$$G2 = (-B_1 p_a \epsilon_b + B_1 \epsilon_a \epsilon_b - B_2 p_a^2 - 2B_2 p_a \epsilon_a - B_2 \epsilon_a^2)$$

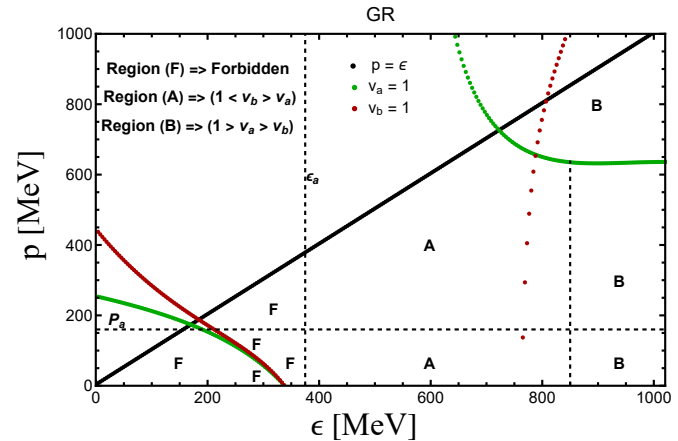
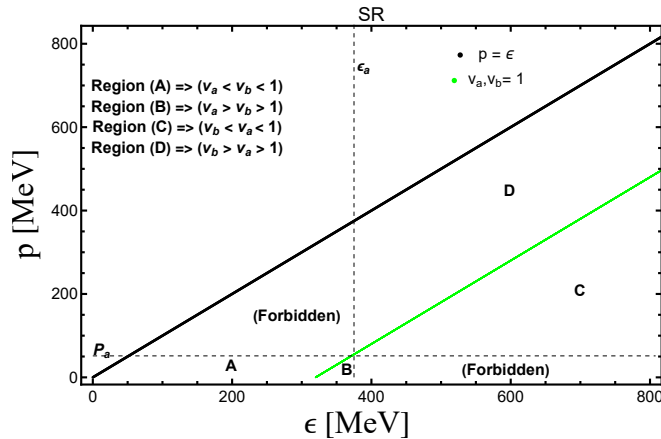
$$G3 = -A_1^2 \epsilon_a \epsilon_b + A_1 G2 + B_1^2 p_a \epsilon_b$$

# Condition For $v=1$

$$G4 = -(A_2\epsilon_a - 2B_1\epsilon_b)$$

$$G5 = (-A_2p_a + A_2\epsilon_a + B_1\epsilon_b)$$

$h = \text{Constant.}$



- Plots will change with the change of initial conditions ( $p_a$  &  $\epsilon_a$ ).



- For Special Relativistic SL/TL Shocks:

$$s_b - s_a = \frac{1}{12\mu_a T_a} \frac{\partial^2(\mu V)}{\partial p^2} (p_b - p_a)^3 + O[(p_b - p_a)^4] + \dots$$

- For General Relativistic SL Shocks:

$$s_b - s_a = \frac{1}{12\mu_a T_a} \frac{\partial^2(\mu V)}{\partial p^2} (p_b - p_a)^3 + O[(p_b - p_a)^4] + \dots$$

- For General Relativistic TL Shocks:

$$s_b - s_a = \frac{A \left( 2\mu_a V_a + (p_2 - p_1) \frac{\partial(\mu V)}{\partial p} \right) + B \frac{\partial^2(\mu V)}{\partial p^2}}{6 \left( 2f_b^2 g_a^2 T_a \mu_a + C \frac{\partial(\mu V)}{\partial s} \right) + D \frac{\partial^2(\mu V)}{\partial p \partial s}} + \dots$$

where,

$$g_a = \frac{1}{e^{\Lambda_a}}, g_b = \frac{1}{e^{\Lambda_b}}, f_a = \frac{e^{\phi_a}}{e^{\Lambda_a}}, f_b = \frac{e^{\phi_b}}{e^{\Lambda_b}}.$$

$$A = 6p_b(f_b g_a - f_a g_b)(f_b g_a + f_a g_b)$$

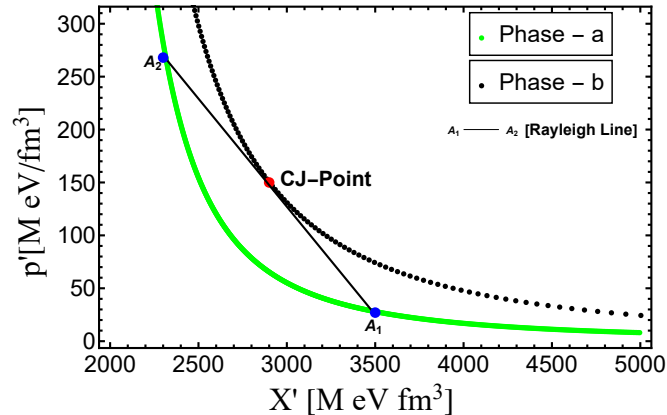
$$B = (p_b - p_a)^2 (f_b^2 g_a^2 (2p_b + p_a) - 3f_a^2 g_b^2 p_b)$$

$$C = (f_b^2 g_a^2 (2p_b - p_a) - f_a^2 g_b^2 p_b)$$

$$D = p_b(p_b - p_a)(f_b g_a - f_a g_b)(f_b g_a + f_a g_b)$$

# Other Important Results - 3: The CJ Point

The Chapman–Jouguet point is a point at which chord (Rayleigh Line)  $\equiv$  tangent to the combustion adiabat.



- For Special Relativistic SL

Shock:

$$u_b^2 = u_{sb}^2$$

- For Special Relativistic TL

Shock:

$$u_b^2 = 1 - u_{sb}^2$$

- For General Relativistic SL Shock:

$$u_b^2 = \frac{u_{sb}^2 e^{\phi_b}}{[e^{3\Lambda_b} (1 - u_{sb}^2 (e^{2\phi_b} - e^{2\Lambda_b}))]}$$

- For General Relativistic TL Shock:

$$u_b^2 = \frac{u_{sb}^2 e^{2\phi_b} - 1}{[e^{2\phi_b} (u_{sb}^2 (e^{2\phi_b} - e^{2\Lambda_b}) - 1)]}$$



- We have derived the Rankine-Hugoniot Equations in a general relativistic background.
- Velocities of upstream and downstream matter are also shown.
- We have got different Taub adiabat/Combustion adiabat equations in the GR case.
- We have studied an application of shock wave in an isolated Neutron star using GR and SR shock formulations.
- We have also discussed several other important results.

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