

Wave optics in the Kerr BH

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Analog rotating black holes in a MHD inflow

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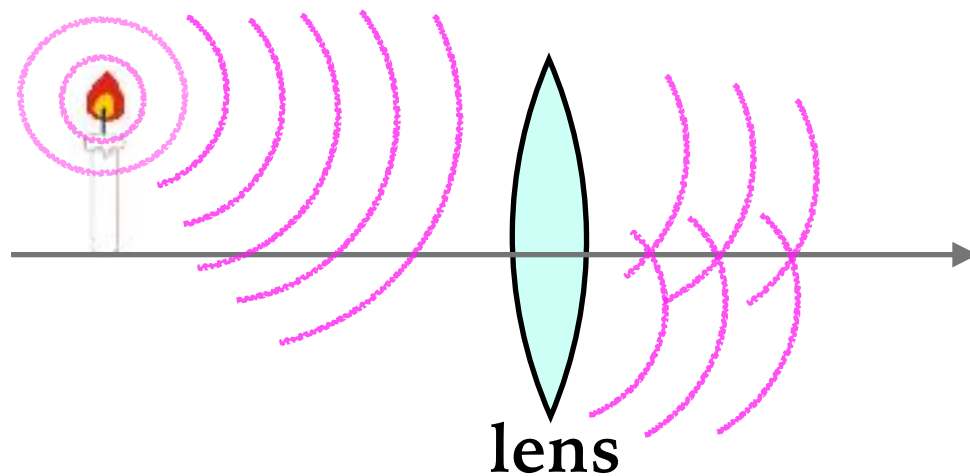
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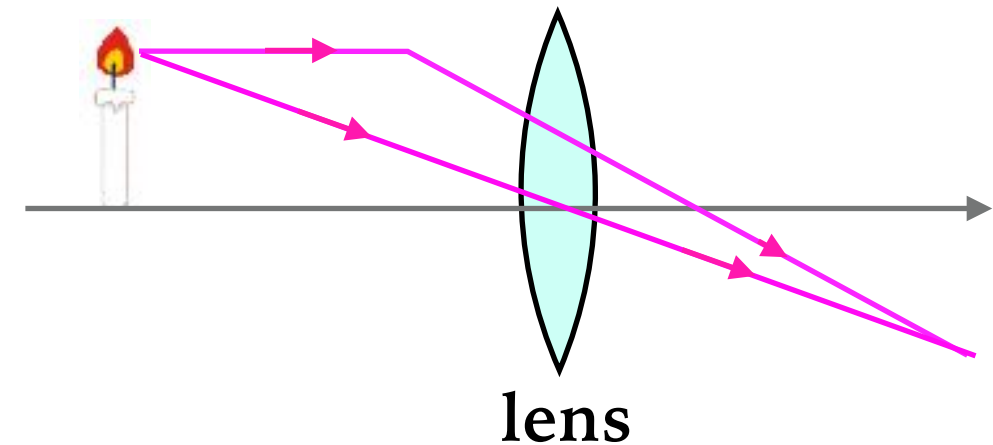
Wave optics



eikonal approx.

 short wavelength

Geometrical optics



Violation of geometrical optics approximation

Supernumerary rainbow



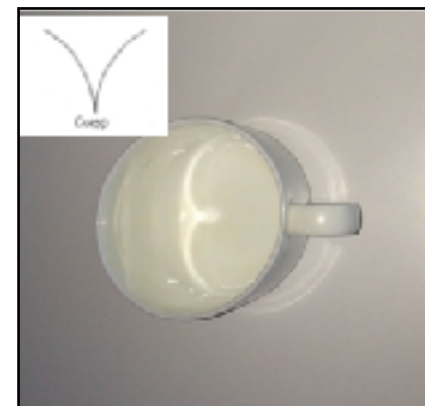
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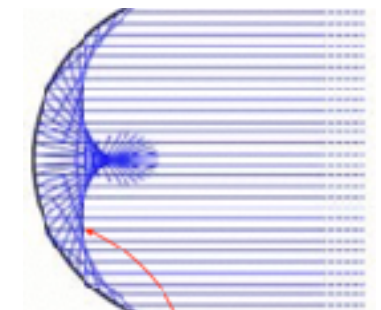


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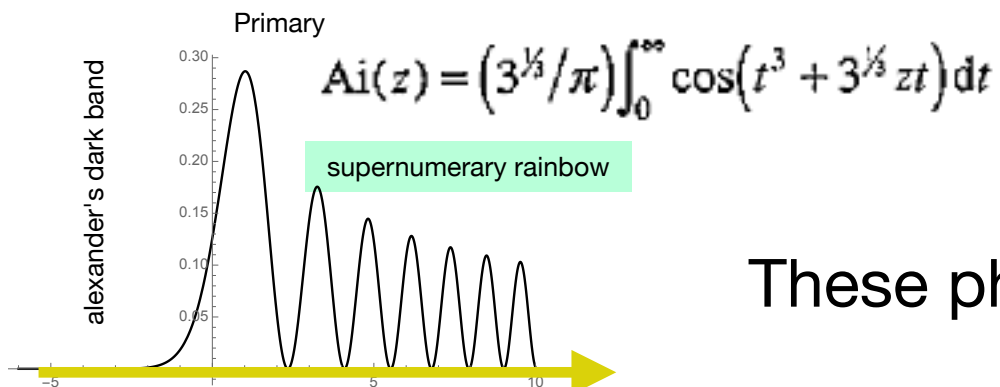
Caustics



Brightness = ∞
 in the geometrical optics



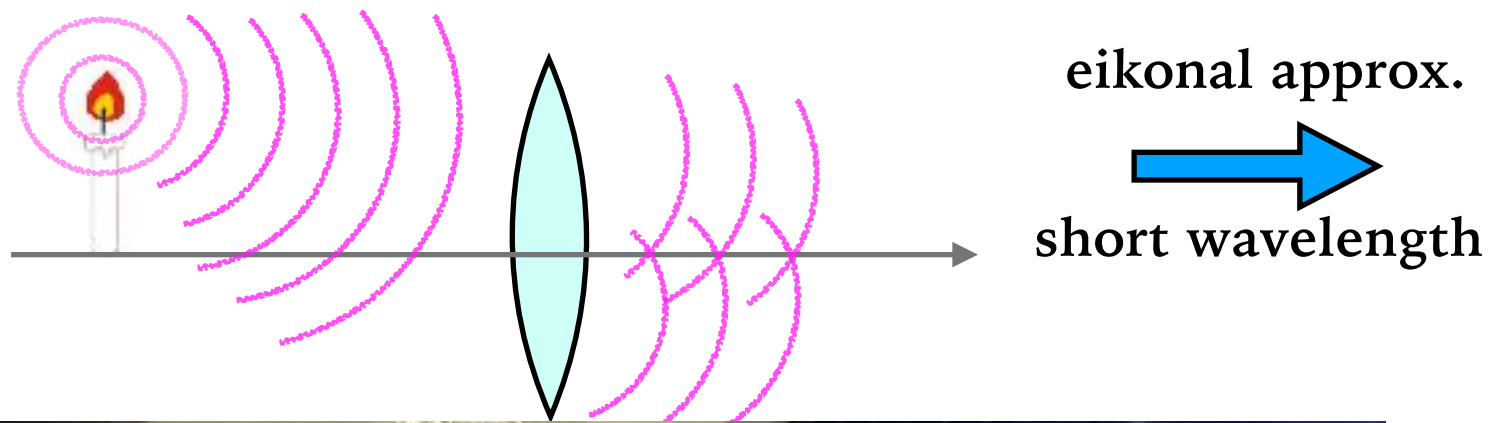
Envelope of rays



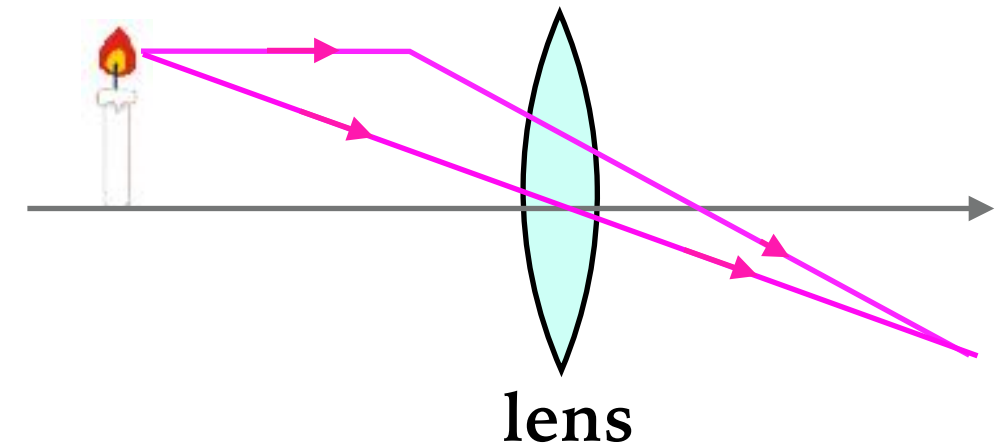
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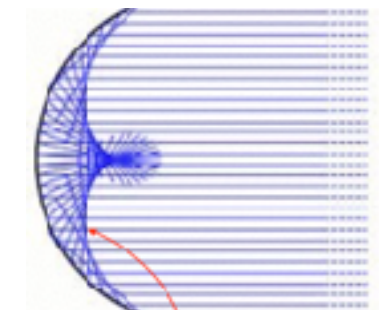


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optics approximation

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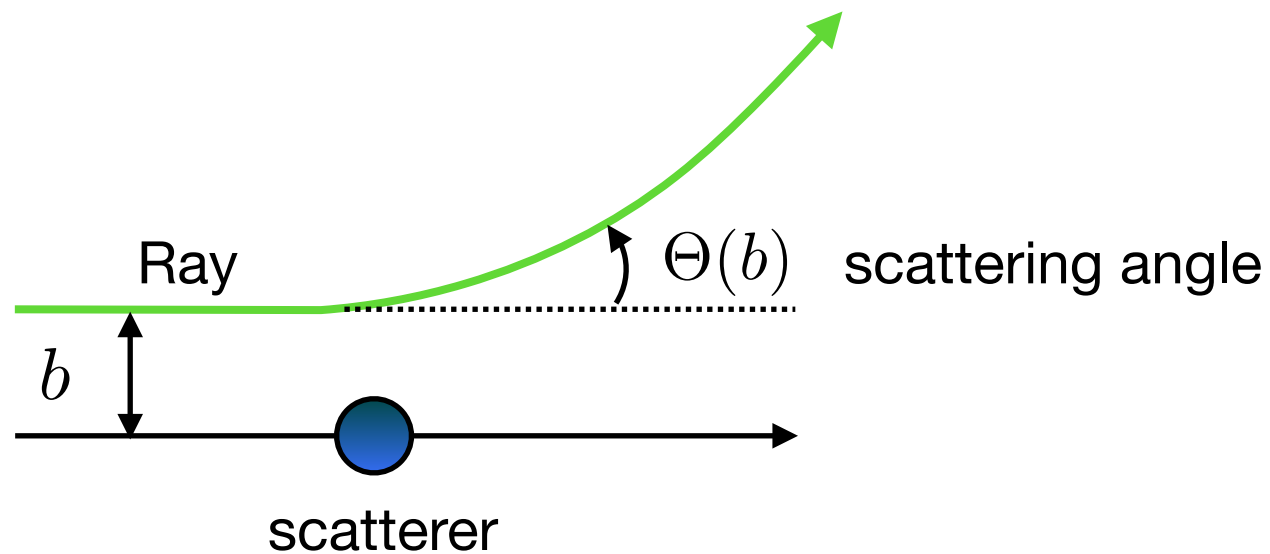


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Why wave optics ?

● Scattering in geometrical optics



Differential cross section

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} = \frac{b}{\sin \Theta} \left(\frac{d\Theta}{db} \right)^{-1}$$

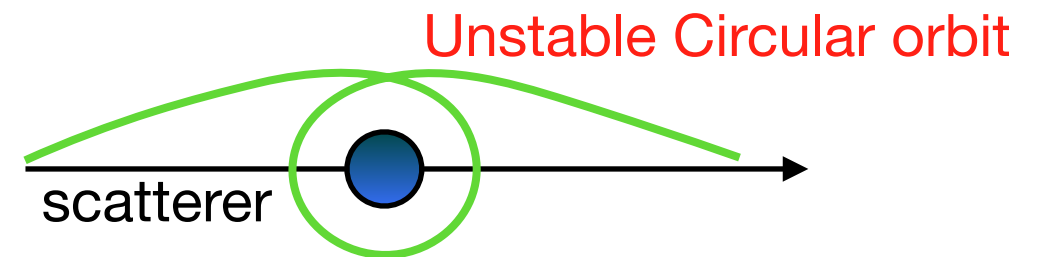
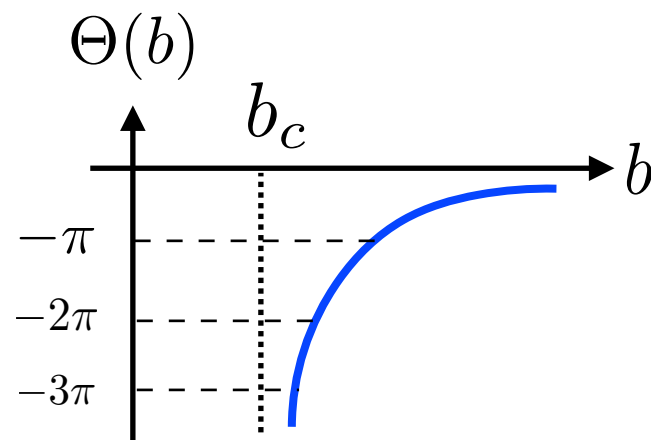
● Violation of geometrical approximation

BH case

1. Orbiting (glory)

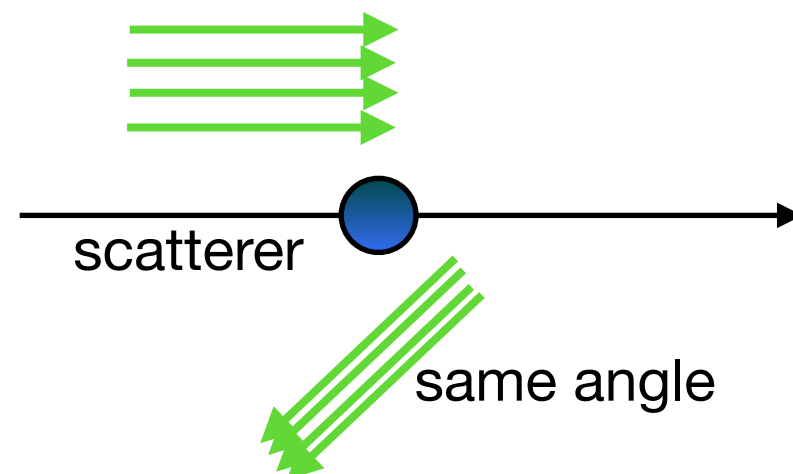
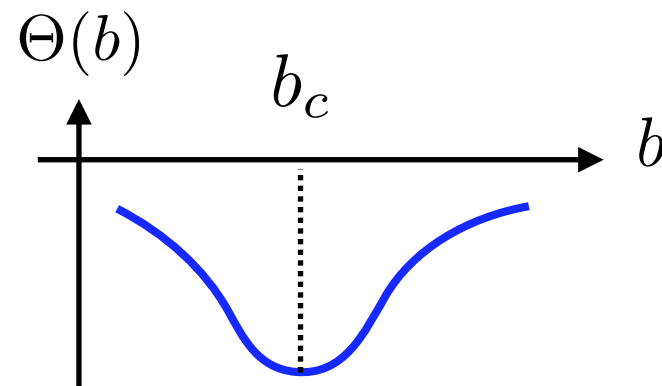
$$\sin \Theta = 0$$

$$\Theta = -\pi, -2\pi, \dots$$

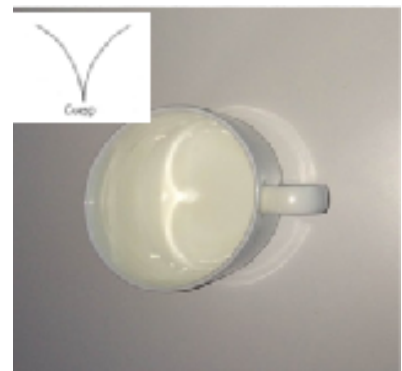


2. Rainbow scattering

$$\left. \frac{d\Theta}{db} \right|_{b=b_c} = 0$$



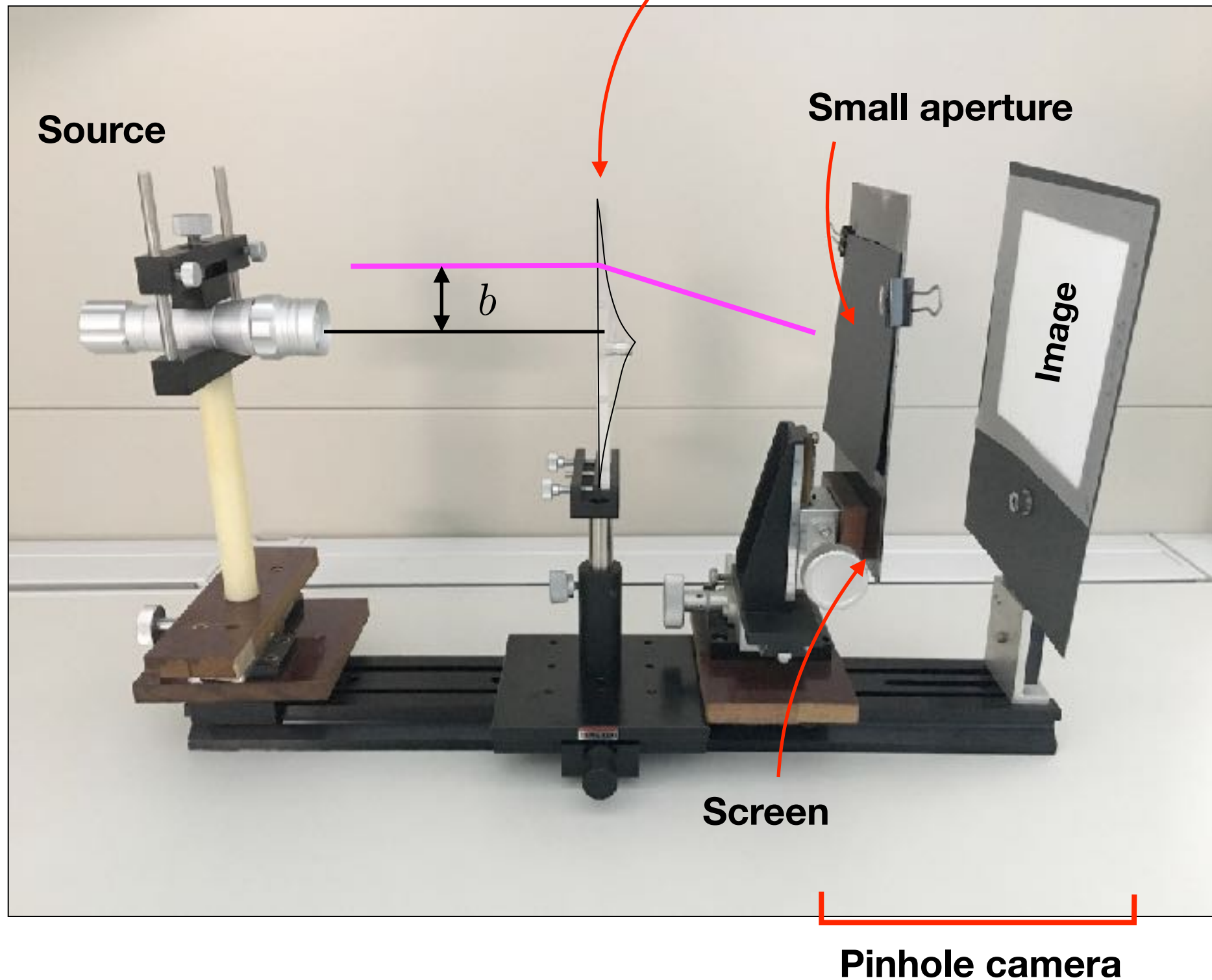
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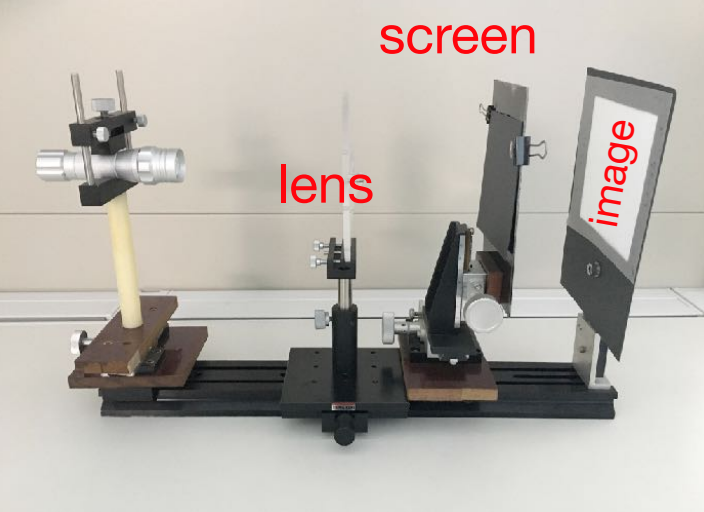


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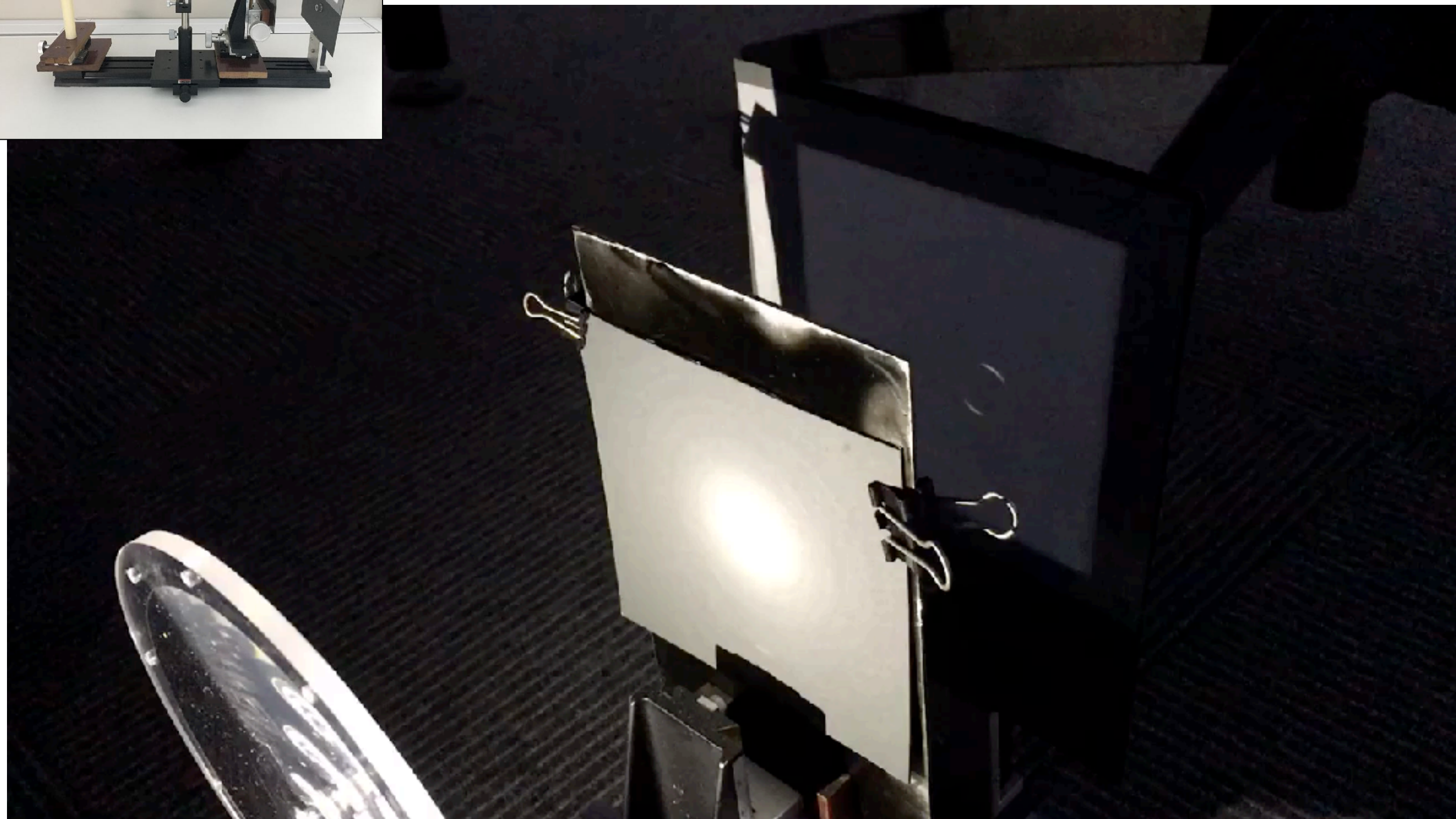
Lens Deflection angle $\propto 1/b$

b : impact parameter

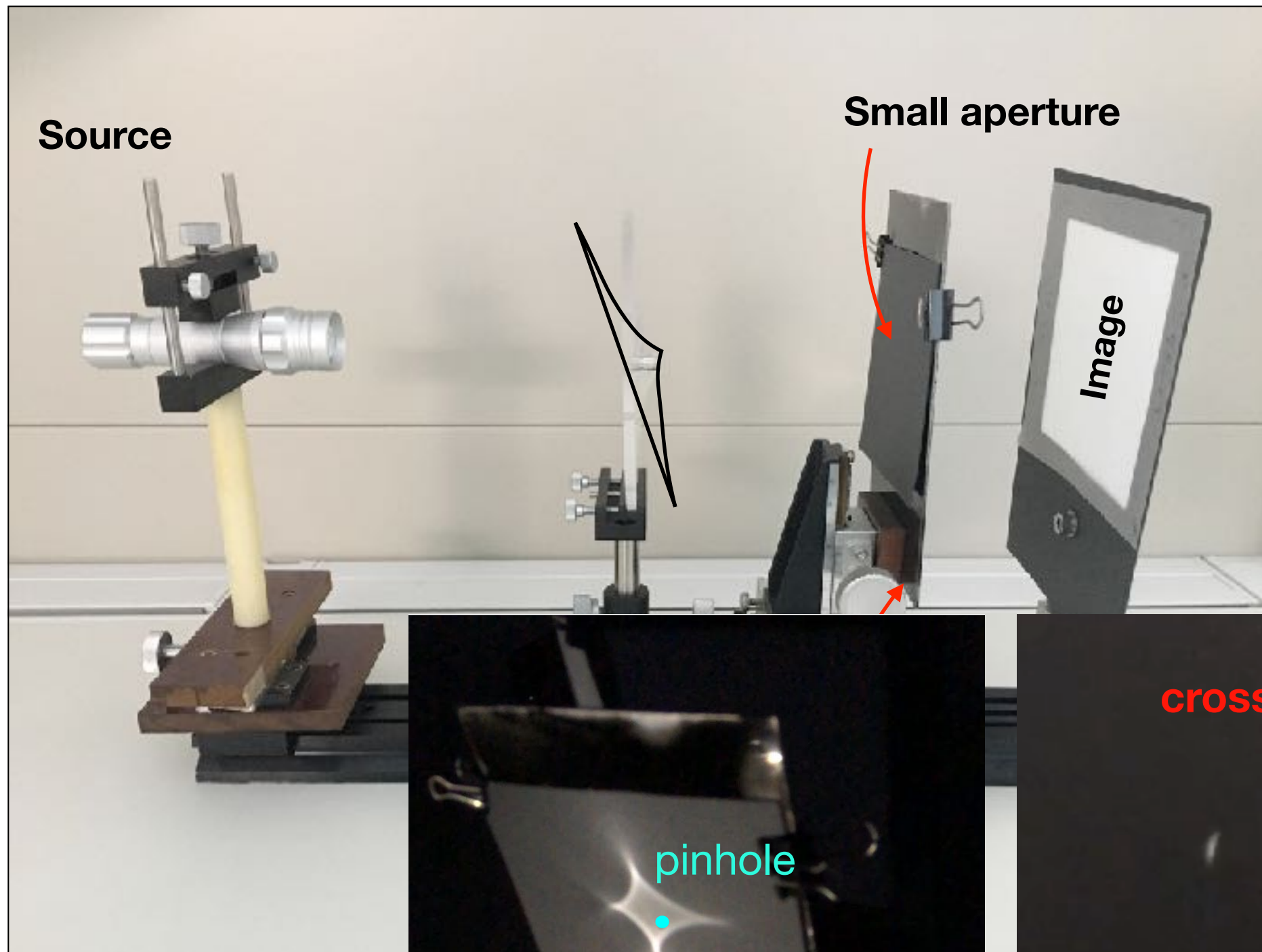




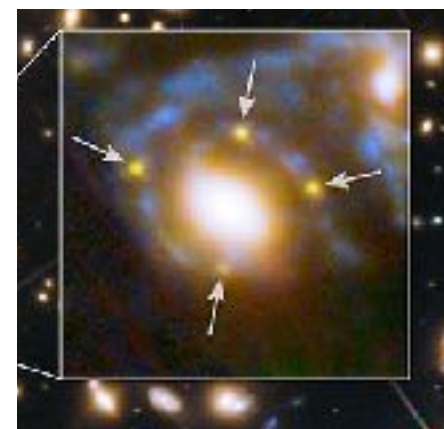
Spherical symmetric case



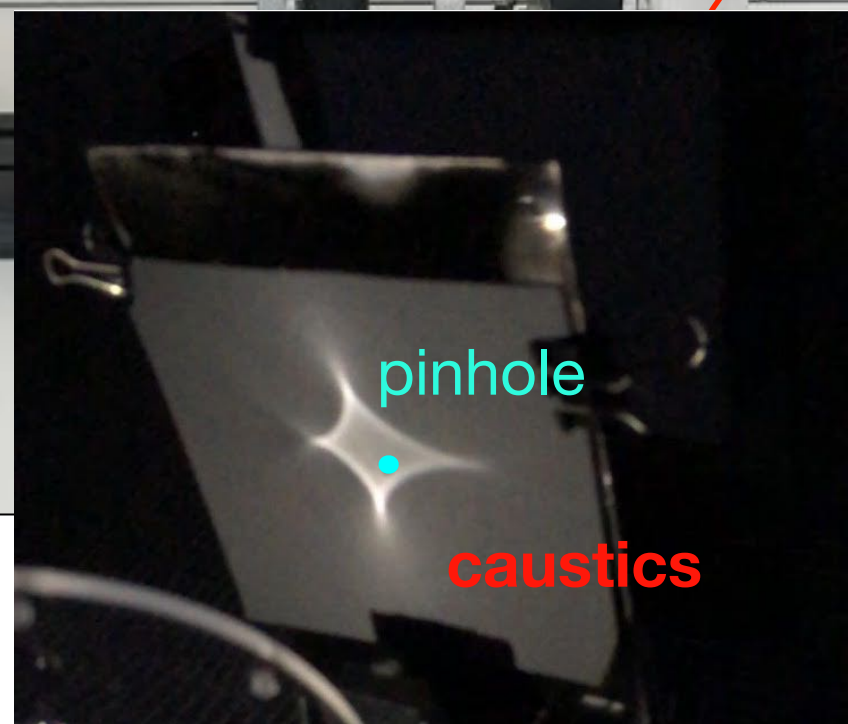
Non-spherical case



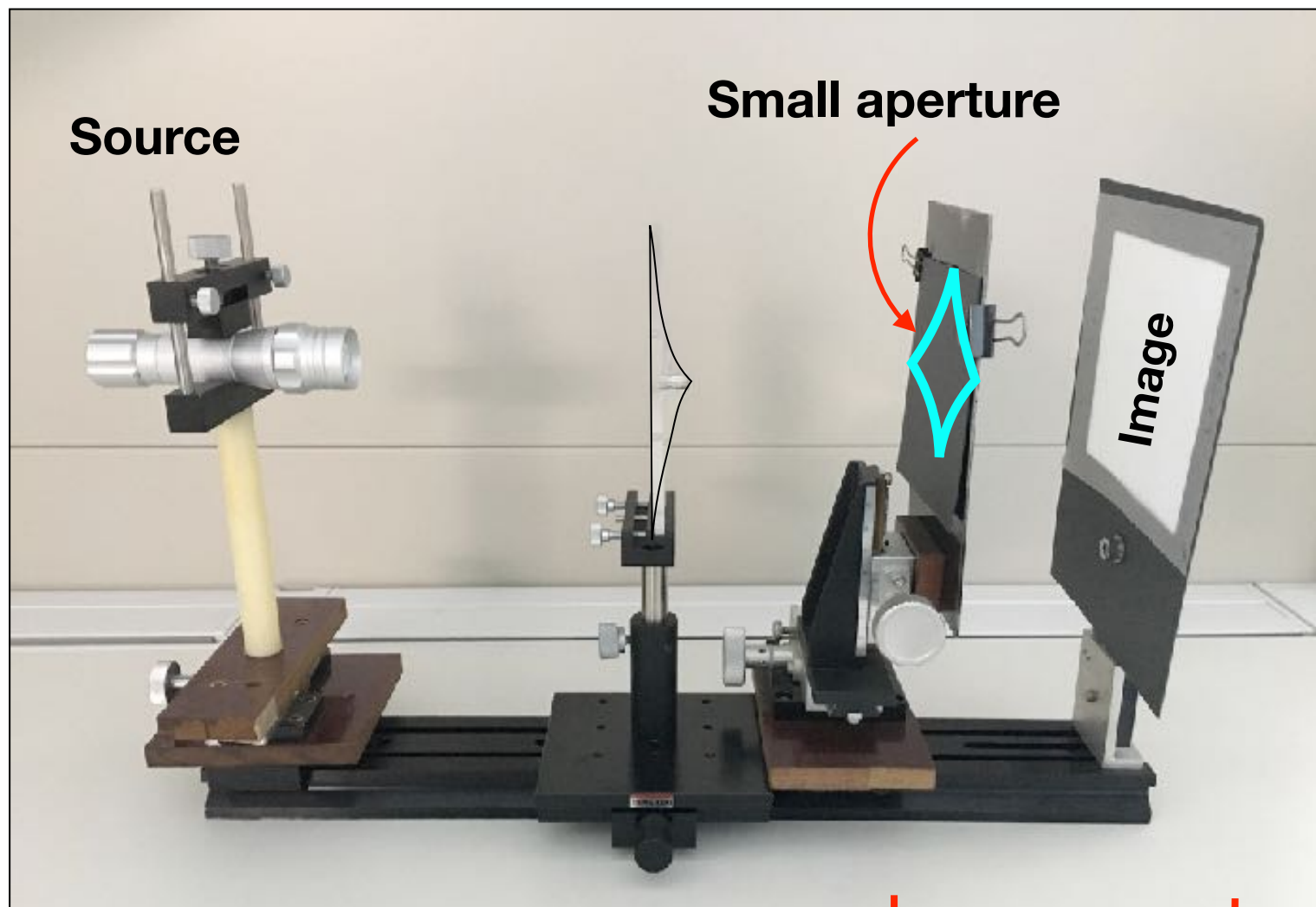
Einstein cross



by Hubble Space Telescope



Caustics & # of image



Source

Small aperture

Image

Pinhole camera

screen

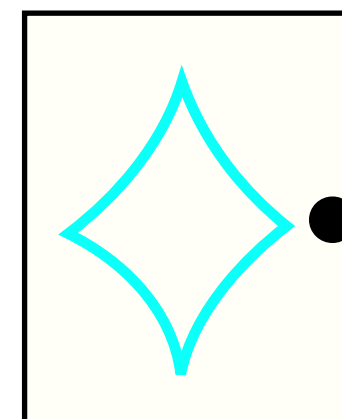
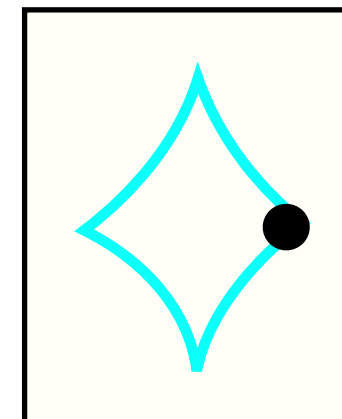
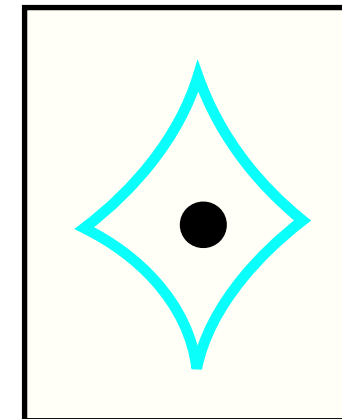
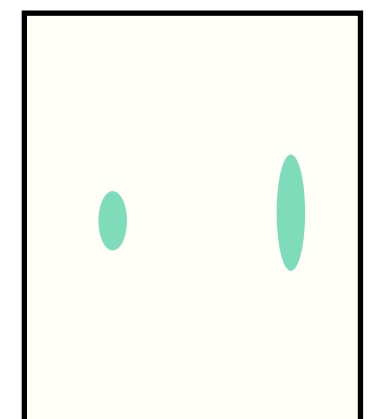
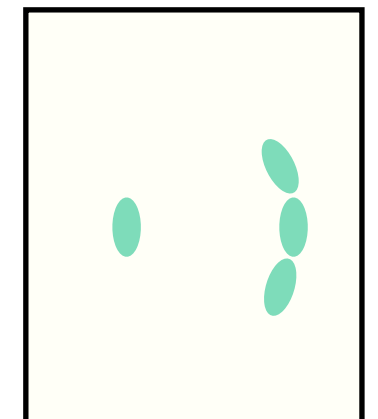
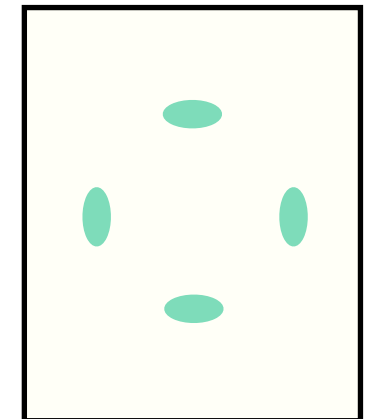
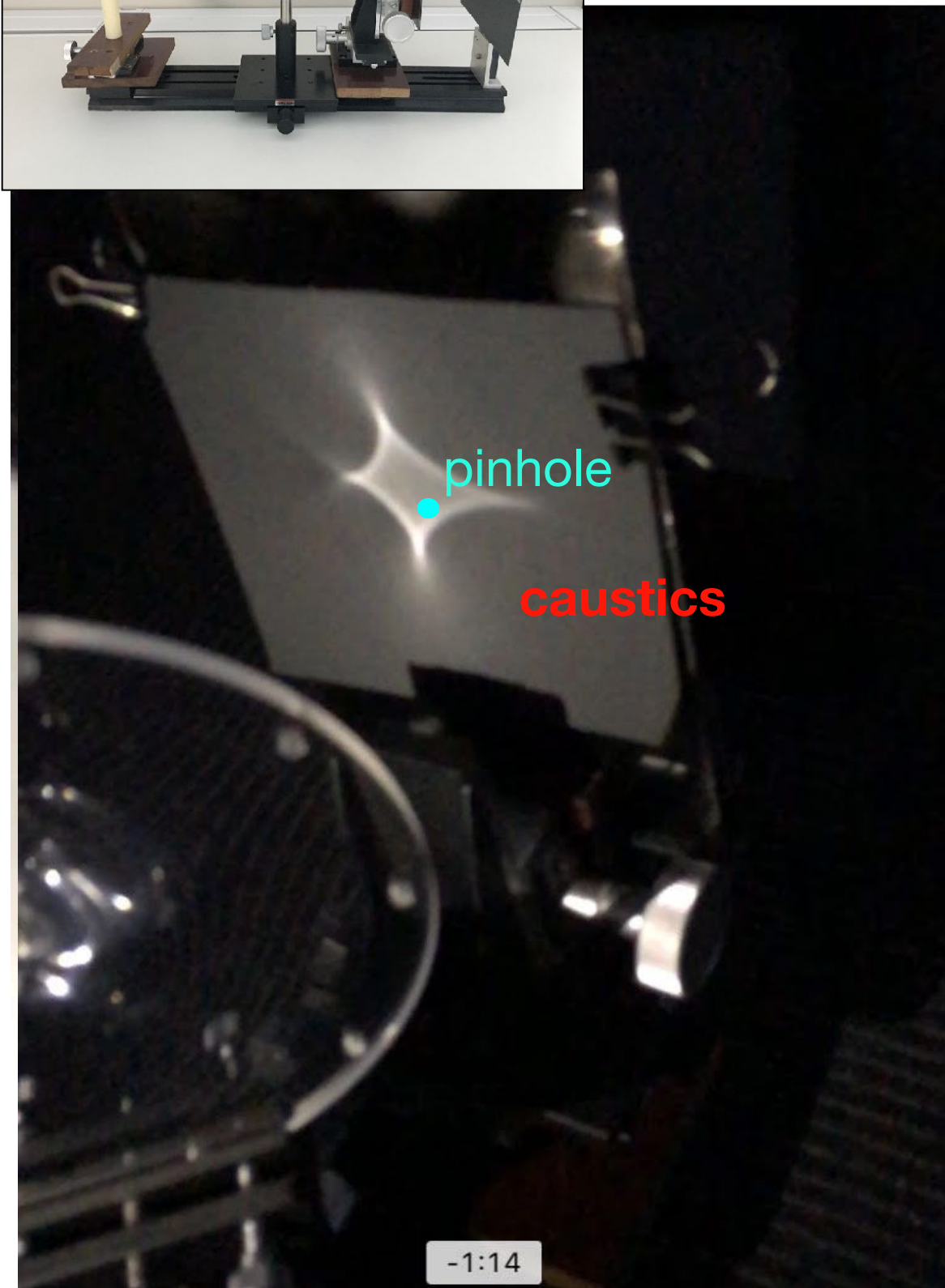
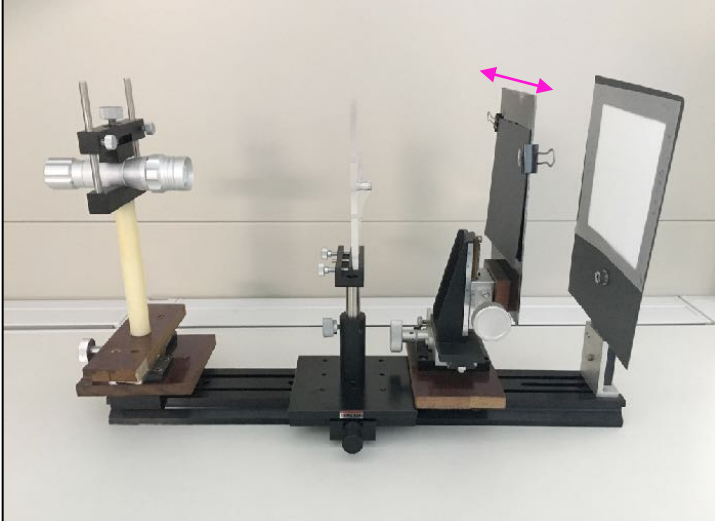


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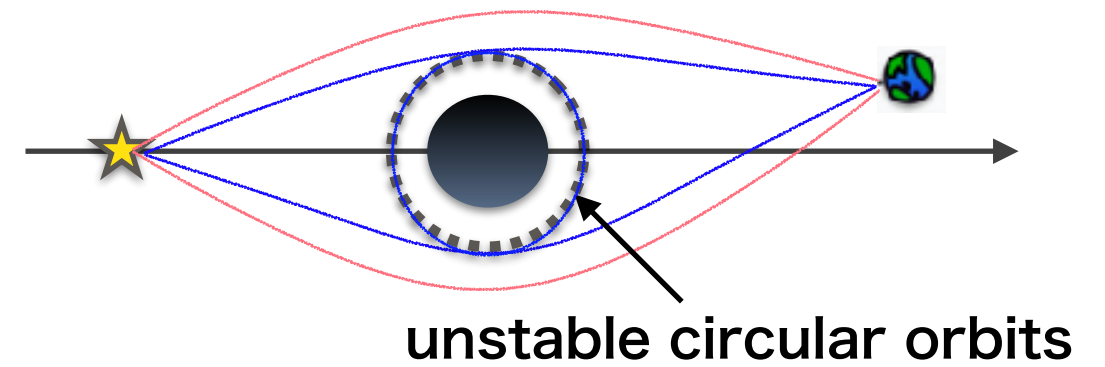


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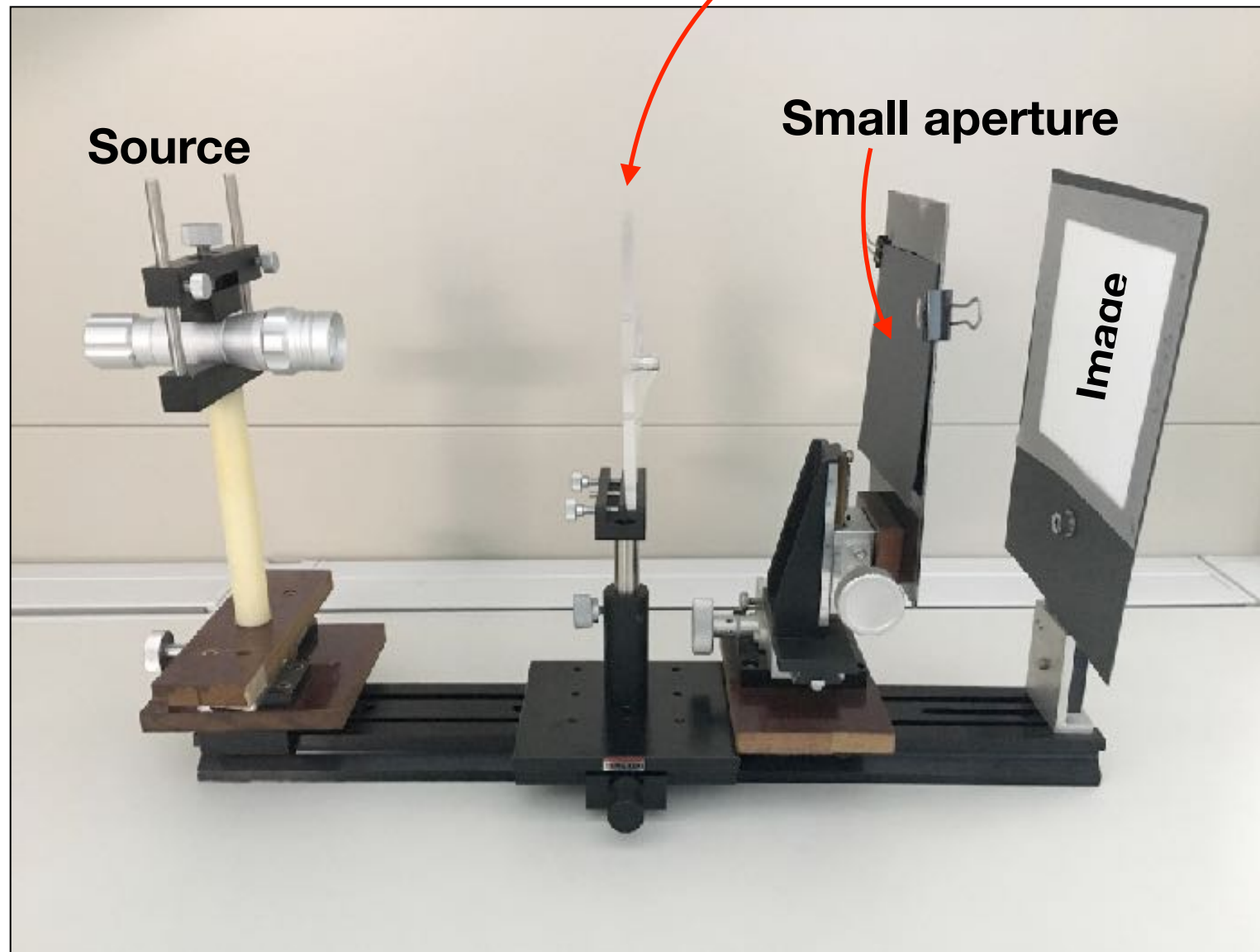


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+ unstable circular orbit**

No unstable circular orbits in this model



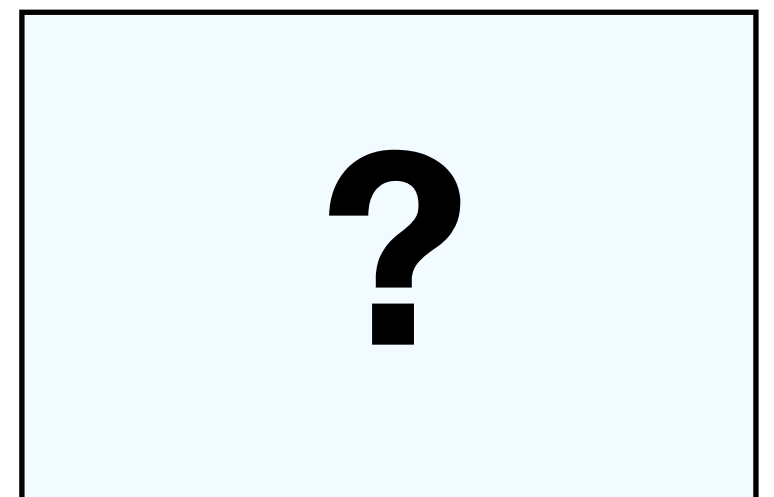
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caustics — mode

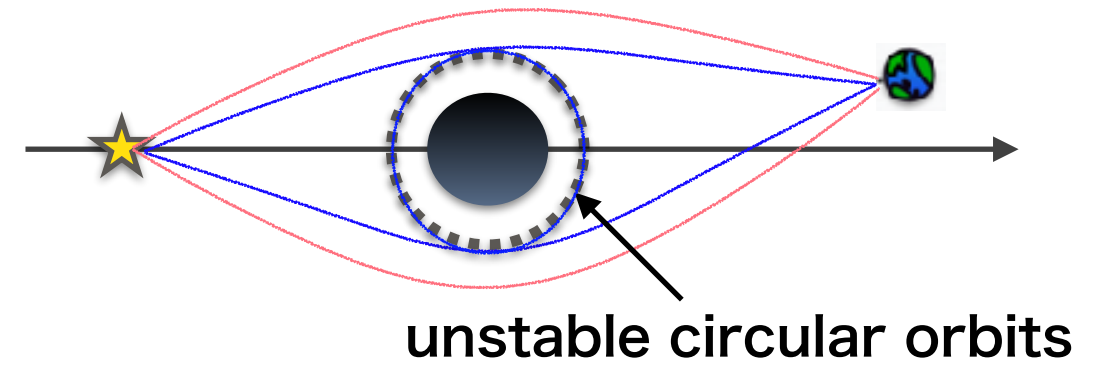


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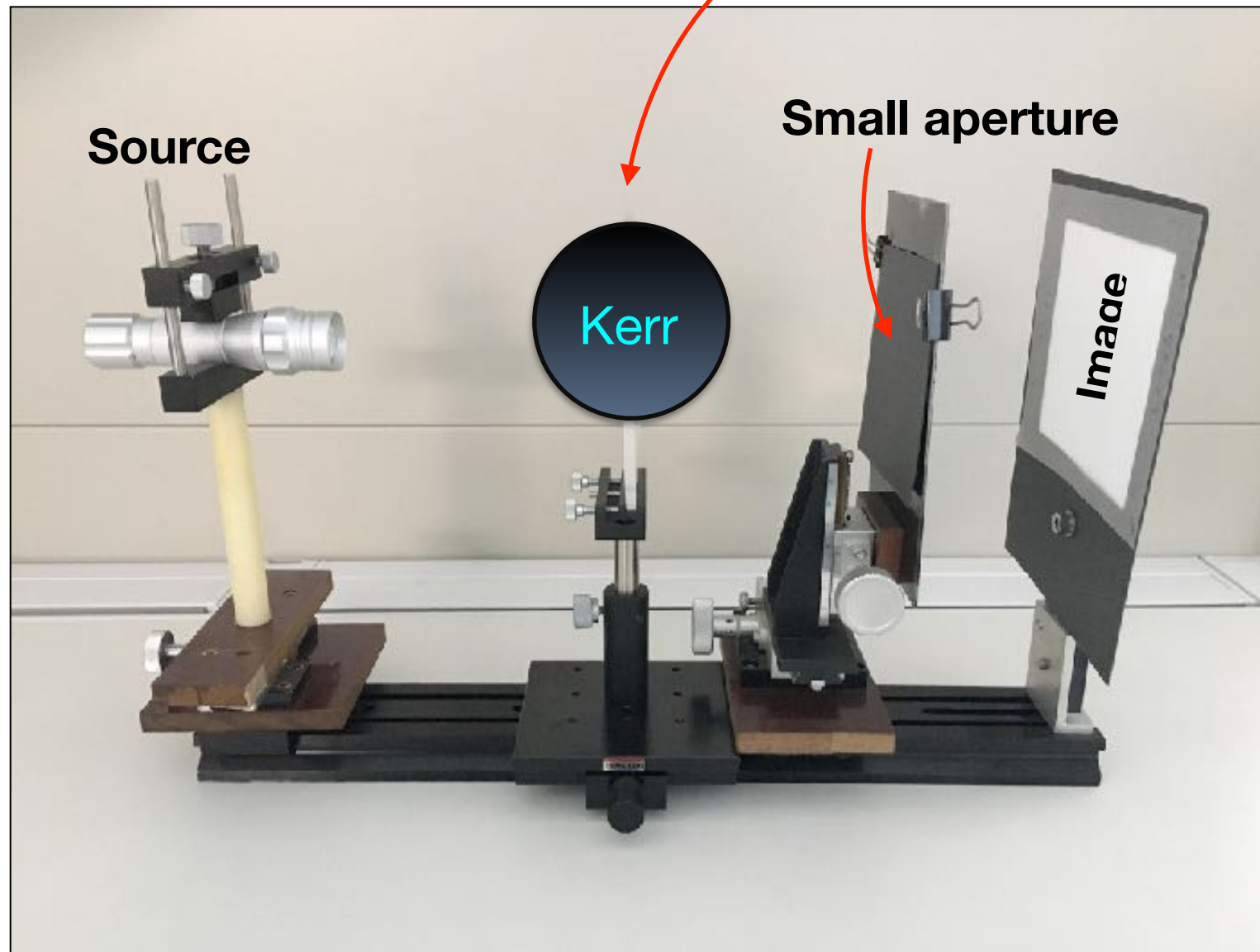


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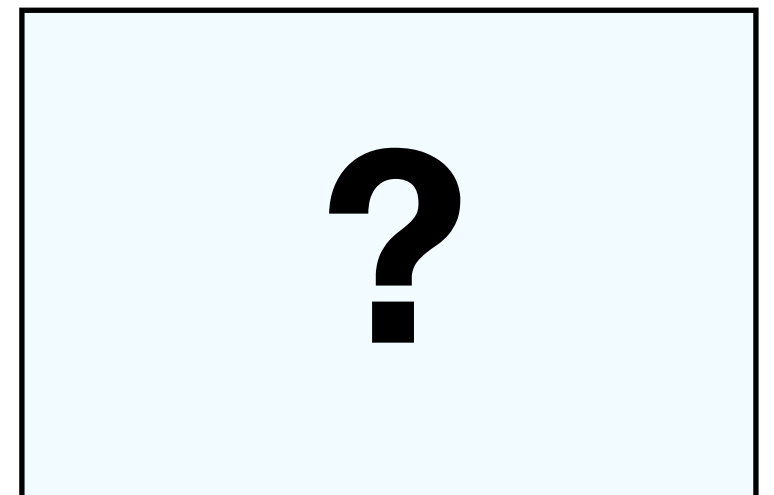
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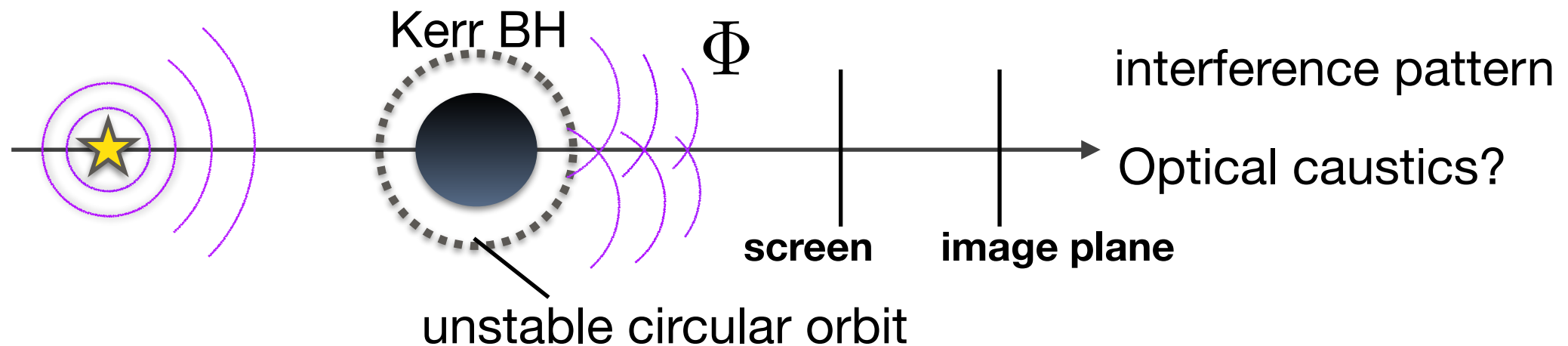


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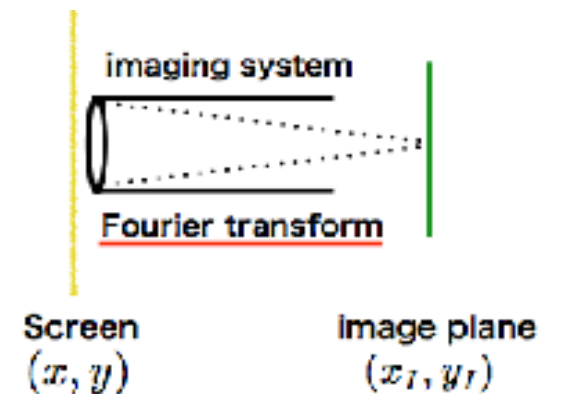
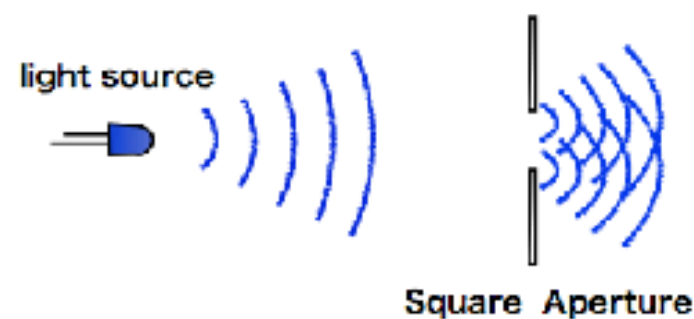
Our goal

- Wave scattering by a Kerr BH



- Imaging (Wave optics)

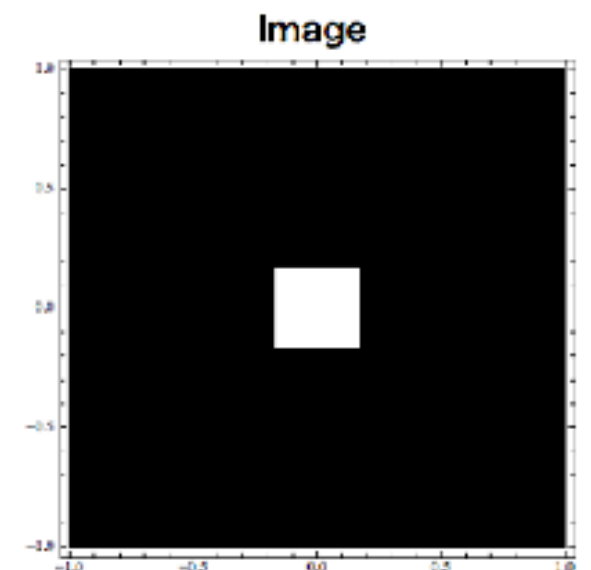
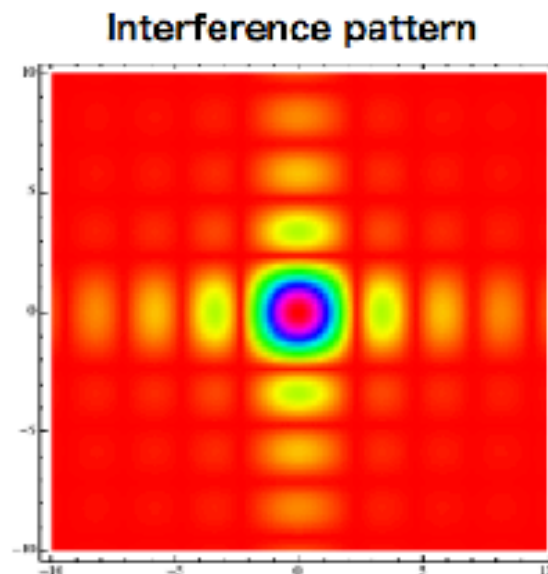
2D Fourier transform = imaging



- Unstable Circular Orbit

Black Hole Shadow (image)

Effect of the unstable circular orbit
in the scattered wave.

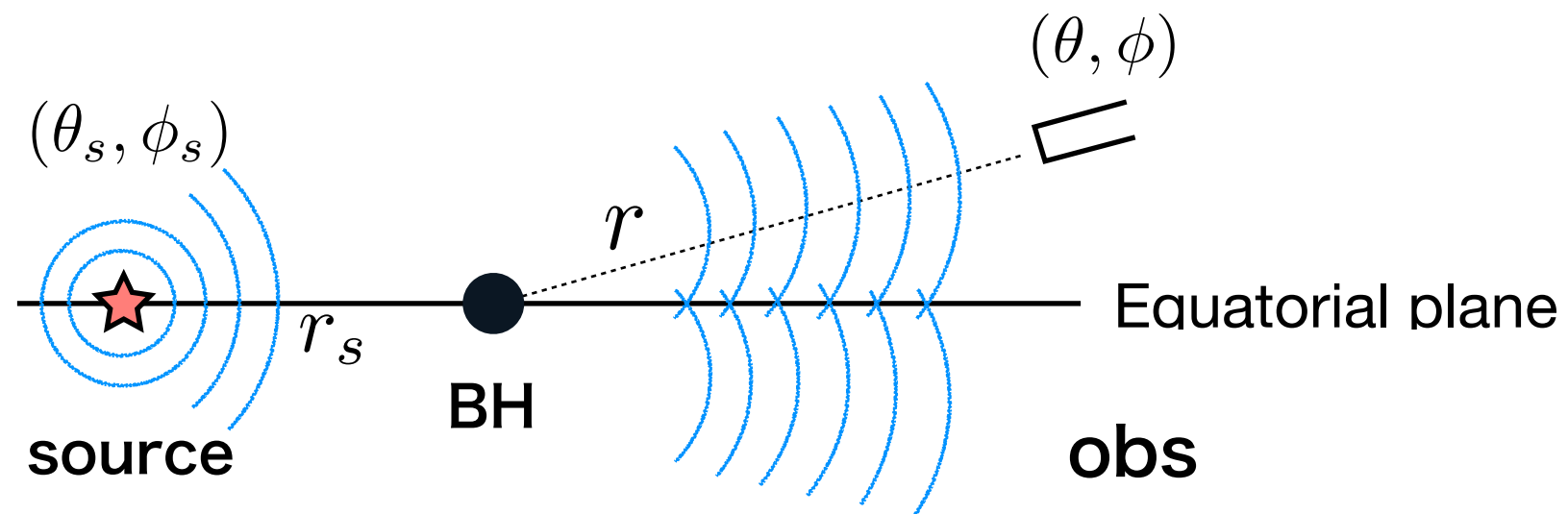


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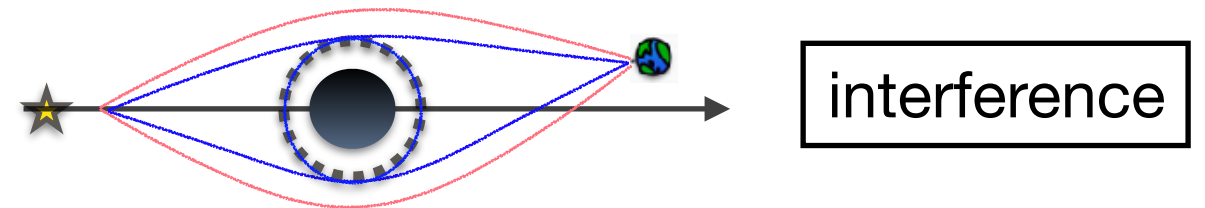


● Kerr spacetime (Boyer-Lindquist)

$$ds^2 = g_{\mu\nu} dx^\mu dx^\nu = - \left(1 - \frac{2Mr}{\Sigma} \right) dt^2 - \frac{4Mar \sin^2 \theta}{\Sigma} dt d\phi + \frac{\Sigma}{\Delta} dr^2 + \Sigma d\theta^2 + \frac{A \sin^2 \theta}{\Sigma} d\phi^2$$

$$\Delta = r^2 - 2Mr + a^2, \quad \Sigma = r^2 + a^2 \cos^2 \theta, \quad A = (r^2 + a^2)^2 - \Delta a^2 \sin^2 \theta$$

● short wavelength $M\omega \gg 1$ ($M \gg \lambda$)



● scalar wave , monochromatic

● stationary point source

$$\square \Phi(x, x_s) = S \quad S = -\frac{e^{-i\omega t}}{\sqrt{-g}} \delta^3(\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{x}_s)$$

$$\Phi(x, x_s) = G(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x}_s) e^{-i\omega t}$$

$$-\omega^2 g^{tt} G - 2\omega g^{t\phi} \partial_\phi G + \frac{1}{\sqrt{-g}} \partial_j (\sqrt{-g} g^{jk} \partial_k G) = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{-g}} \delta^3(\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{x}_s)$$

Partial wave expansion of $G(x, x_s)$

$$G(x, x_s) = \sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \sum_{m=-\ell}^{\ell} \frac{\psi_{\ell m}(r, r_s)}{\sqrt{r^2 + a^2} \sqrt{r_s^2 + a^2}} \underbrace{S_{\ell m}(\theta) S_{\ell m}^*(\theta_s) e^{im\phi} e^{-im\phi_s}}_{\text{Spheroidal harmonics}}$$

The radial part

$$\frac{d^2 \psi_{\ell m}}{dr_*^2} + Q(r; \ell, m) \psi_{\ell m} = -\underbrace{\delta(r - r_s)}_{\text{source term}}$$

$$Q(r; \ell, m) = \frac{[\omega(r^2 + a^2) - ma]^2 - \Delta(A_{\ell m} + a^2 \omega^2 - 2am\omega)}{(r^2 + a^2)^2} \quad \text{for } M\omega \gg 1$$

To obtain $\psi_{\ell m}(r, r_s)$, we use a property of the Green function:

W :Wronskian

$$\psi_{\ell m}(r, r_s) = -\frac{u_1(r_s) u_2(r)}{W} \theta(r - r_s) - \frac{u_1(r) u_2(r_s)}{W} \theta(r_s - r),$$

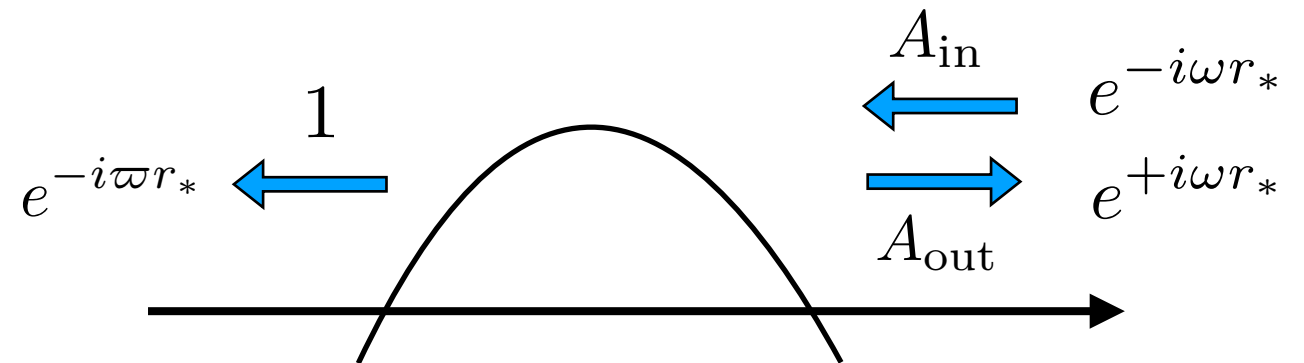
where u_1 and u_2 are independent solutions of the homogeneous eq.

$$\frac{d^2 u_{\ell m}}{dr_*^2} + Q(r; \ell, m) u_{\ell m} = 0$$

$$u_{\ell m} \sim \sin \left(\omega r_* - \frac{\pi \ell}{2} + \underbrace{\delta_{\ell m}}_{\text{phase shift}} \right) \quad r_* \rightarrow \infty$$

Radial equation and the phase shift

$$\frac{d^2 u_{\ell m}}{dr_*^2} + Q(r; \ell, m) u_{\ell m} = 0$$



● IN mode

$$u_{\text{IN}} = \begin{cases} e^{-i\omega r_*} & (r_* \rightarrow -\infty) \\ A_{\text{out}} e^{i\omega r_*} + A_{\text{in}} e^{-i\omega r_*} & (r_* \rightarrow +\infty) \end{cases}$$

purely ingoing @ horizon

● UP mode

$$u_{\text{UP}} = \begin{cases} B_{\text{out}} e^{i\omega r_*} + B_{\text{in}} e^{-i\omega r_*} & (r_* \rightarrow -\infty) \\ e^{i\omega r_*} & (r_* \rightarrow +\infty), \end{cases}$$

purely outgoing @ infinity

Green function (with $r > r_s$)

$$\psi_{\ell m}(r, r_s) = -\frac{u_{\text{IN}}(r_s) u_{\text{UP}}(r)}{W} = \frac{i}{2\omega A_{\text{in}}} u_{\text{IN}}(r_s) u_{\text{UP}}(r) \quad r, r_s \gg M$$

$$e^{2i\delta_{\ell m}} \equiv (-)^{\ell+1} \frac{A_{\text{out}}}{A_{\text{in}}} \quad \text{S matrix}$$

$$\equiv \frac{e^{i\omega r_*}}{2i\omega} ((-))^{\ell} \left\{ e^{i\left[\omega r_{s*} + 2\delta_{\ell m} - \frac{\lambda_{\ell m}}{2\omega \tilde{r}}\right]} e^{-i\omega r_{s*}} + \left(\frac{-}{-}\right) e^{-i\omega r_{s*}} \right\} e^{-i\left[\omega r_{s*} + \frac{\lambda_{\ell m}}{2\omega \tilde{r}}\right]} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{Sum over the partial waves} \\ \text{does not converge.} \end{array} \right\}$$

Fresnel diffraction

$$\lambda_{\ell m} = A_{\ell m} + a^2 \omega^2$$

$$\tilde{r} = (1/r + 1/r_s)^{-1}$$

Wave scattering by a Kerr BH

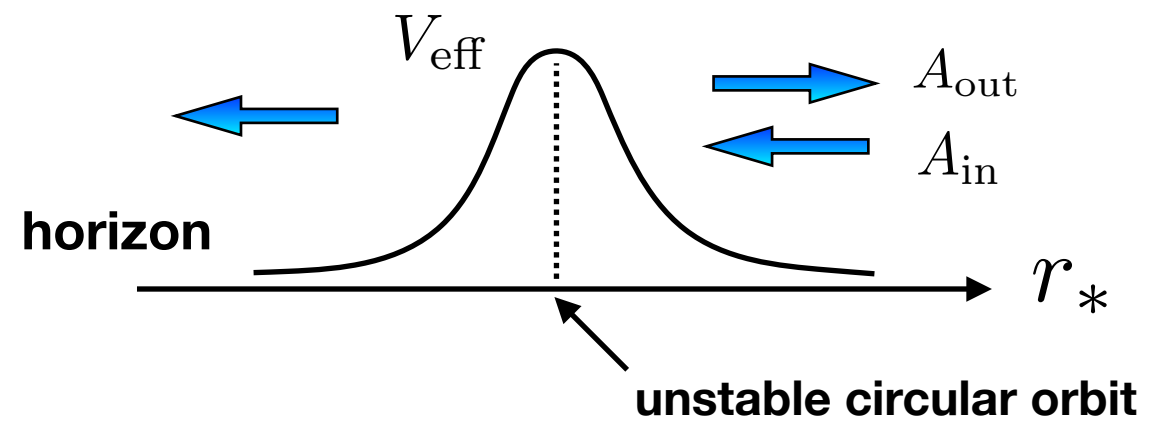
Green function

$$G(\boldsymbol{x}, \boldsymbol{x}_s) \equiv \frac{e^{i\omega(r_* + r_{s*})}}{2i\omega r r_s} \sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \sum_{m=-\ell}^{\ell} (-)^{\ell} e^{i\frac{\lambda_{\ell m}}{2\omega \tilde{r}}} \underline{e^{2i\delta_{\ell m}}} Z_{\ell m}(\theta, \phi) Z_{\ell m}^*(\theta_s, \phi_s)$$

Numerical cal.

S matrix

$$S = e^{2i\delta_{\ell m}} \equiv (-)^{\ell+1} \frac{A_{\text{out}}}{A_{\text{in}}}$$

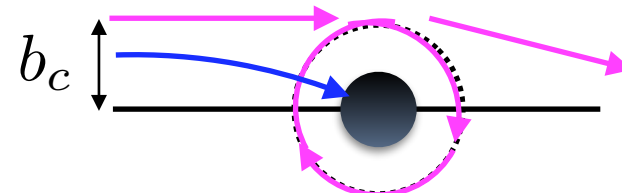


phase shift (Schwarzschild case) $\omega M = 5$

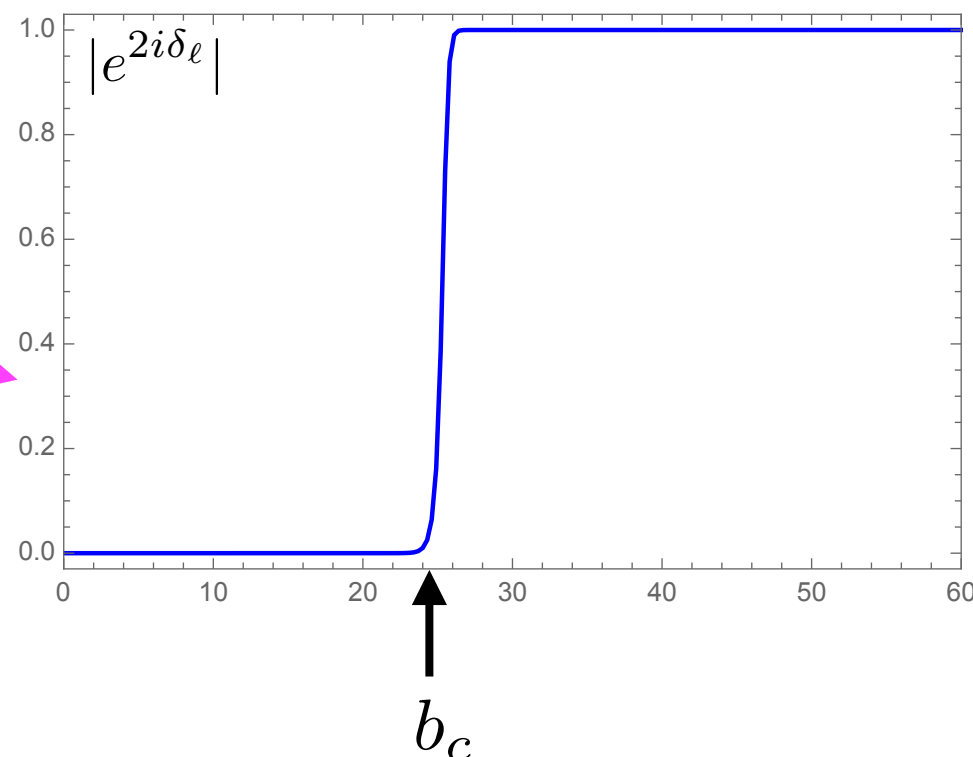
Reflection rate

impact parameter

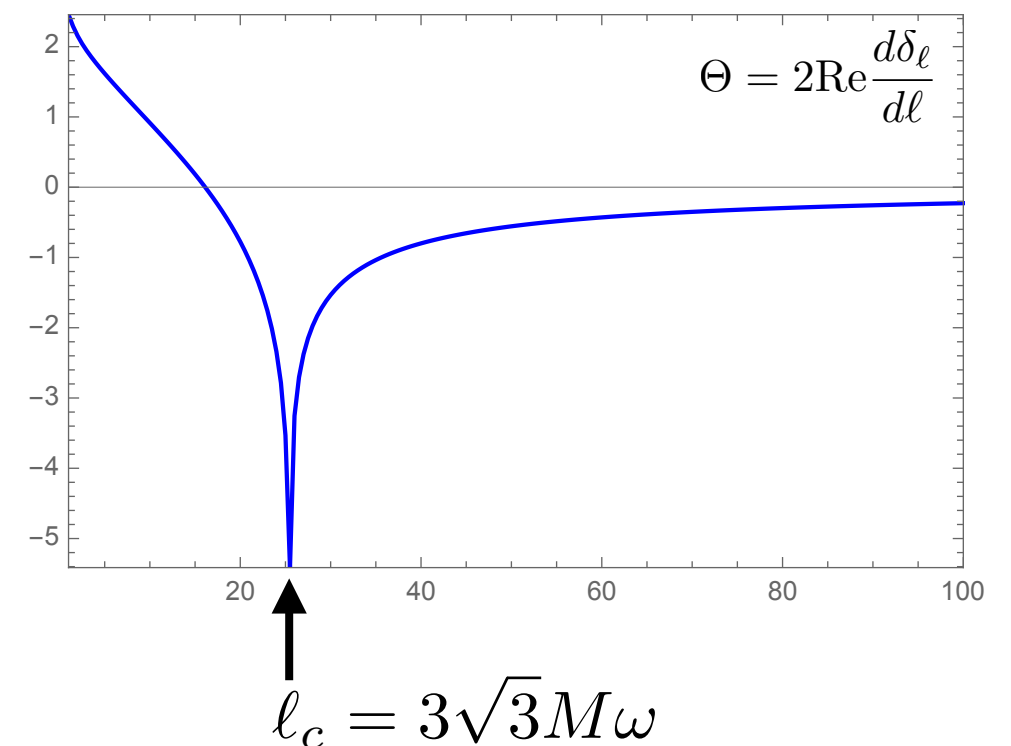
$$b = \ell / \omega M$$



Unstable Circular Orbit



Deflection angle



Phase shift

Asymptotic form

$$\frac{d^2 u_{\ell m}}{dr_*^2} + Q(r; \ell, m) u_{\ell m} = 0$$

$$u_{\ell m} = \begin{cases} e^{-i\varpi r_*} & (r_* \rightarrow -\infty) \\ A \sin[\omega r_* + \zeta] & (r_* \rightarrow +\infty), \end{cases}$$

$$\delta_{\ell m} = \pi\ell/2$$

● Prüfer method $u_{\ell m}$ in two different forms

① $u_{\ell m} = e^{\int dr_*' P(r_*')} \quad (u/u' = P(r_*))$

$\tilde{P} = f(P)$

$$\frac{dP}{dr_*} + P^2 + Q = 0$$

ingoing @ horizon

$$P = -i\varpi \quad (r_* \rightarrow -\infty)$$

② $u/u' = \omega \cot[\omega r_* + \tilde{P}(r_*)]$

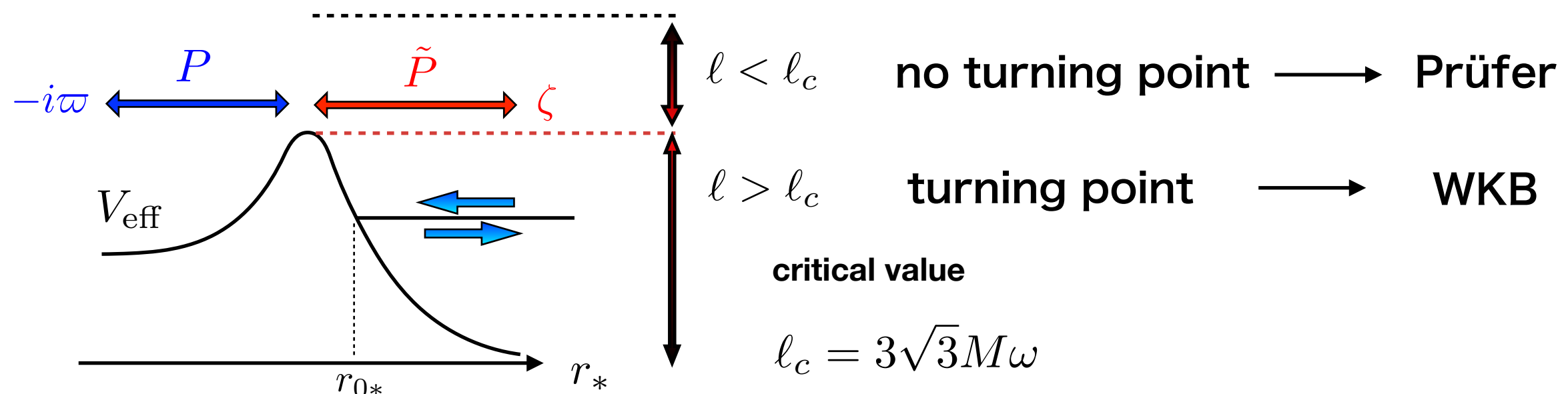
$$\frac{d\tilde{P}}{dr_*} + \left(\omega - \frac{Q}{\omega}\right) \sin^2(\omega r_* + \tilde{P}) = 0$$

$$\tilde{P} = \zeta \quad (r_* \rightarrow +\infty)$$

● WKB method

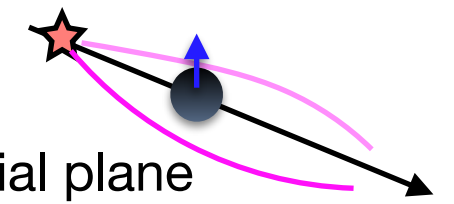
$$\delta_{\ell m}^{\text{WKB}} = \int_{r_{0*}}^{\infty} dr_* (\sqrt{Q} - \omega) + \frac{\pi\ell}{2} \left(\ell + \frac{1}{2}\right) - \omega r_{0*}$$

turning point

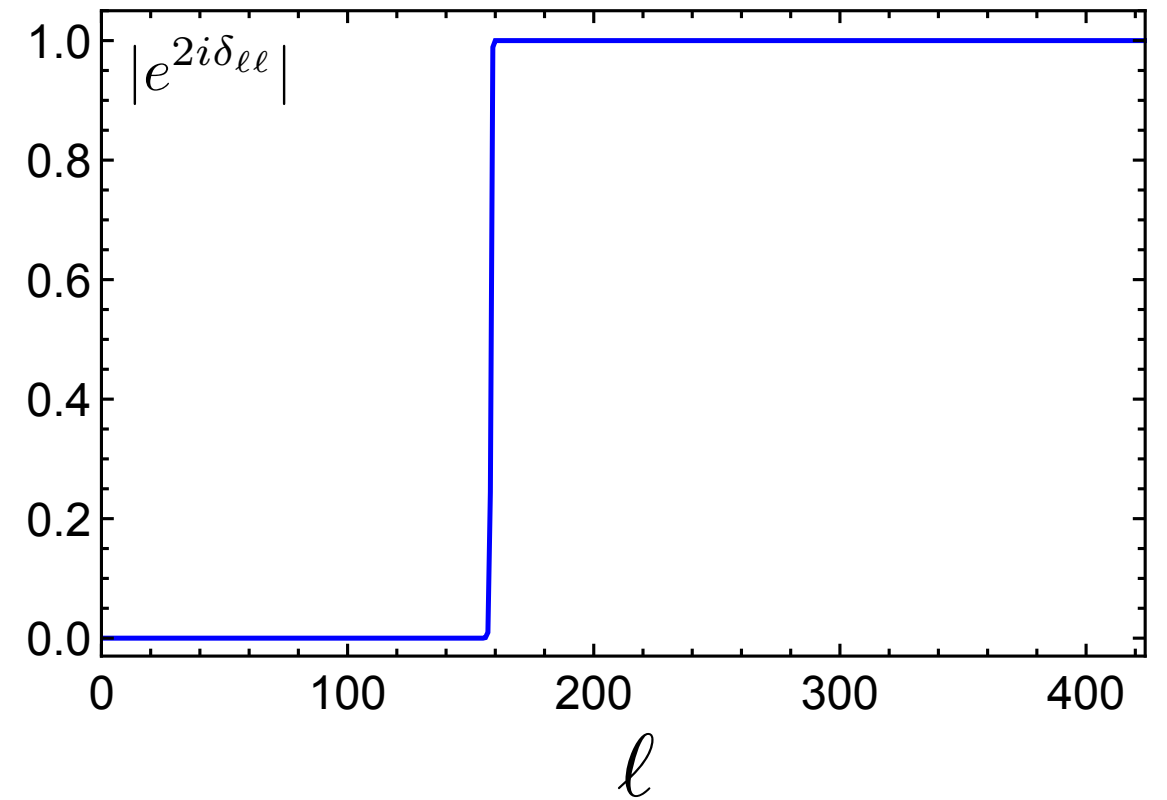
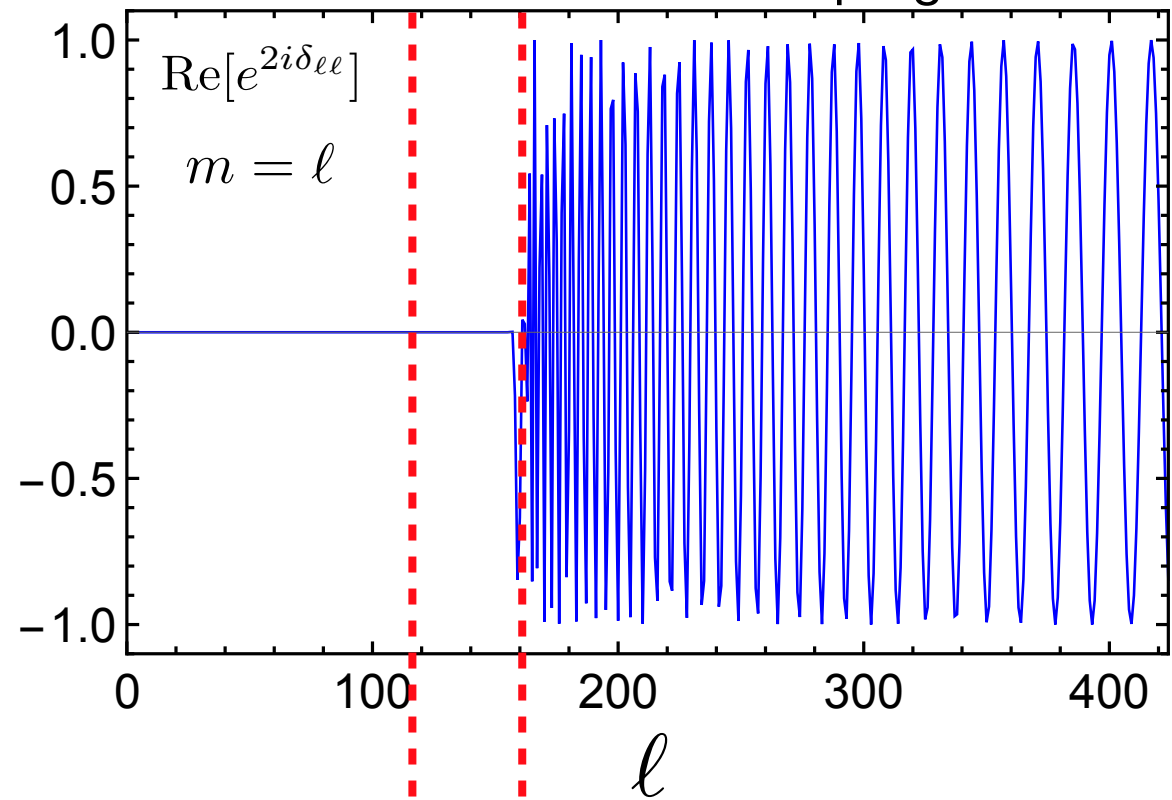


Phase shift (Kerr case) $a = 0.6M$ $\omega M = 30$

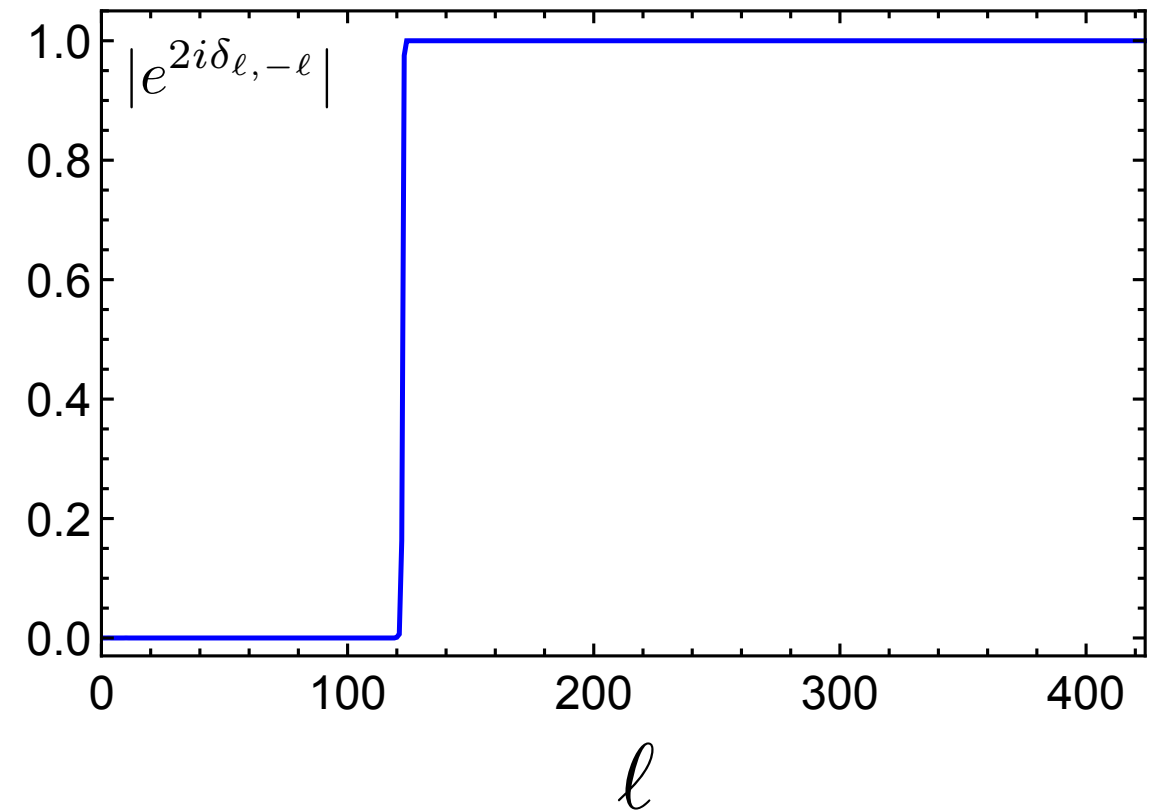
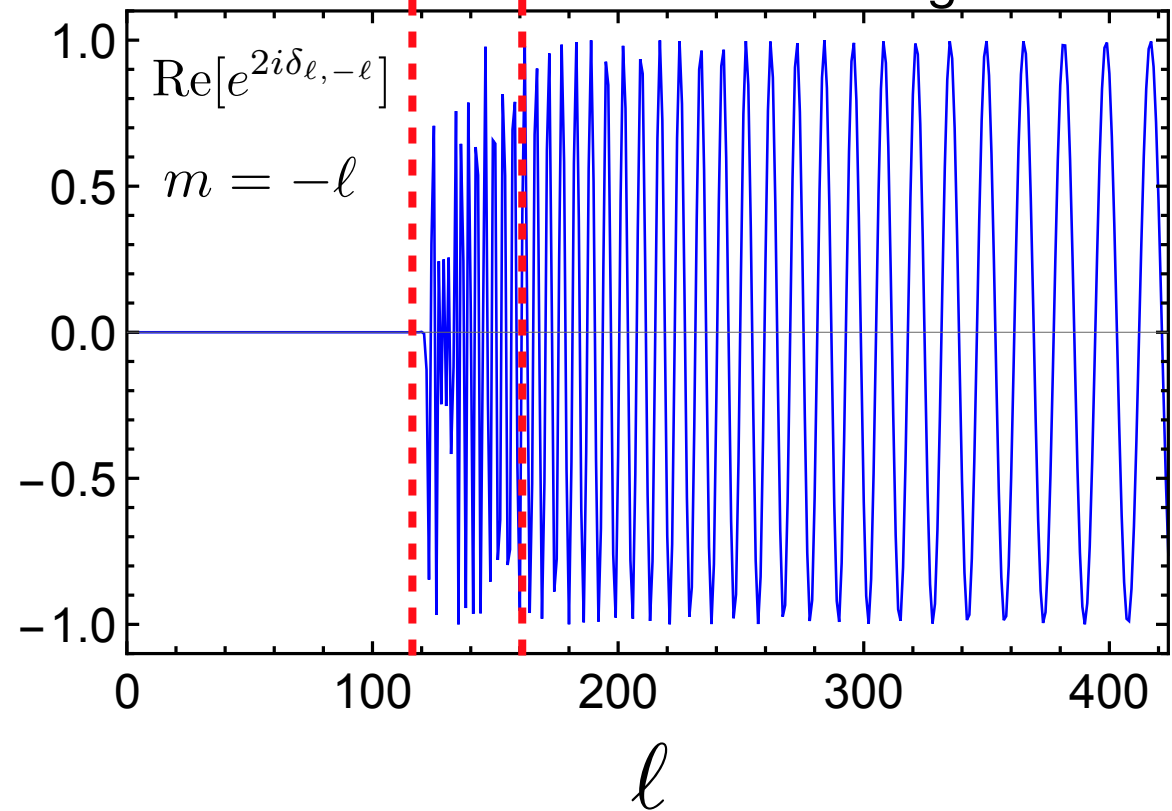
$m = \pm \ell$



prograde orbit



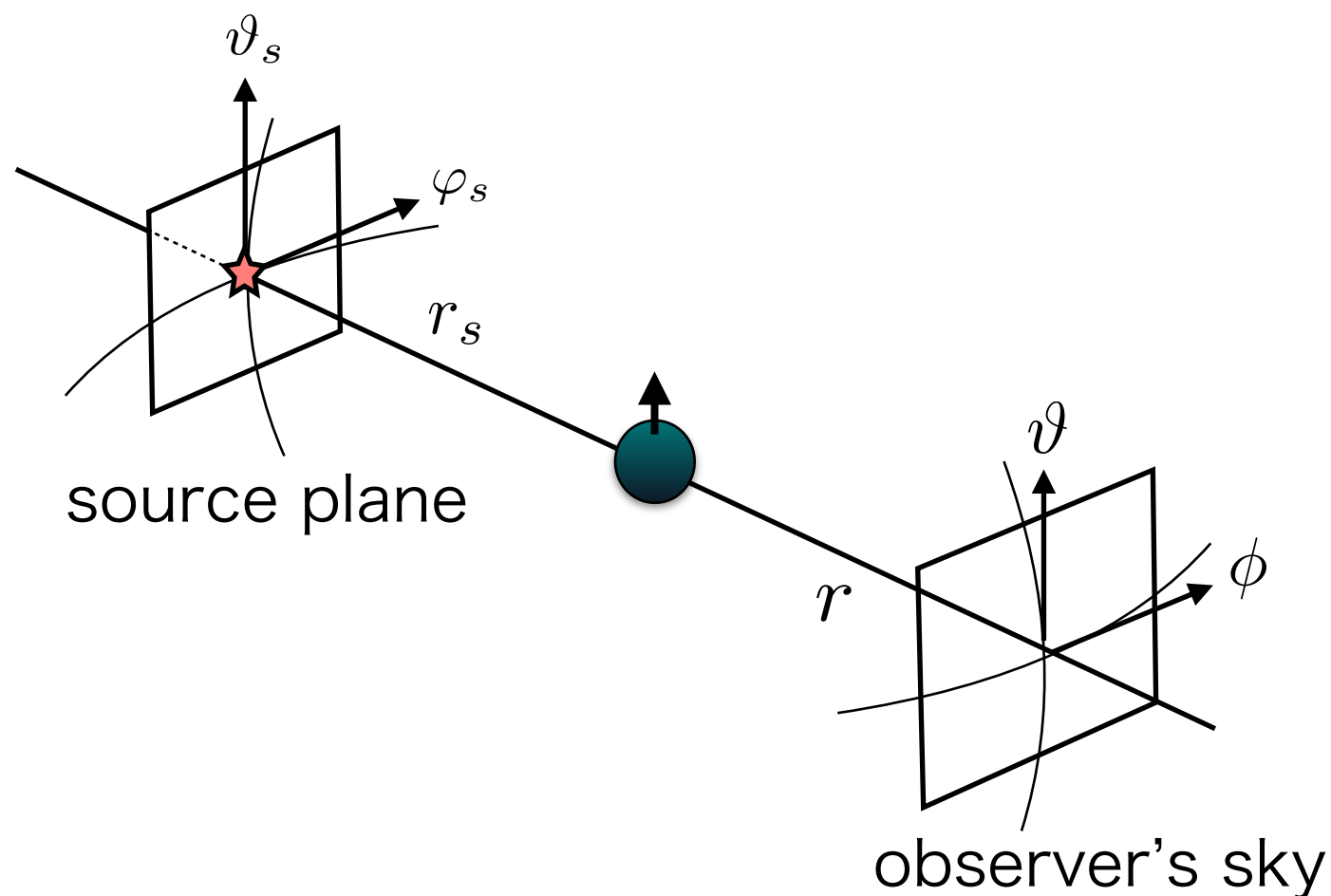
retrograde orbit



Sum over the partial waves

$$G(\boldsymbol{x}, \boldsymbol{x}_s) \equiv \frac{e^{i\omega(r_* + r_{s*})}}{2i\omega r r_s} \sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \sum_{m=-\ell}^{\ell} (-)^{\ell} e^{i\frac{\lambda_{\ell m}}{2\omega \tilde{r}}} \underline{e^{2i\delta_{\ell m}}} Z_{\ell m}(\theta, \phi) Z_{\ell m}^*(\theta_s, \phi_s)$$

For $\omega M = 30$, $\ell_{\max} = 420$



$G(\boldsymbol{x}, \boldsymbol{x}_s) \sim 160,000$ terms

equatorial plane

10,000 points on the obs. plane

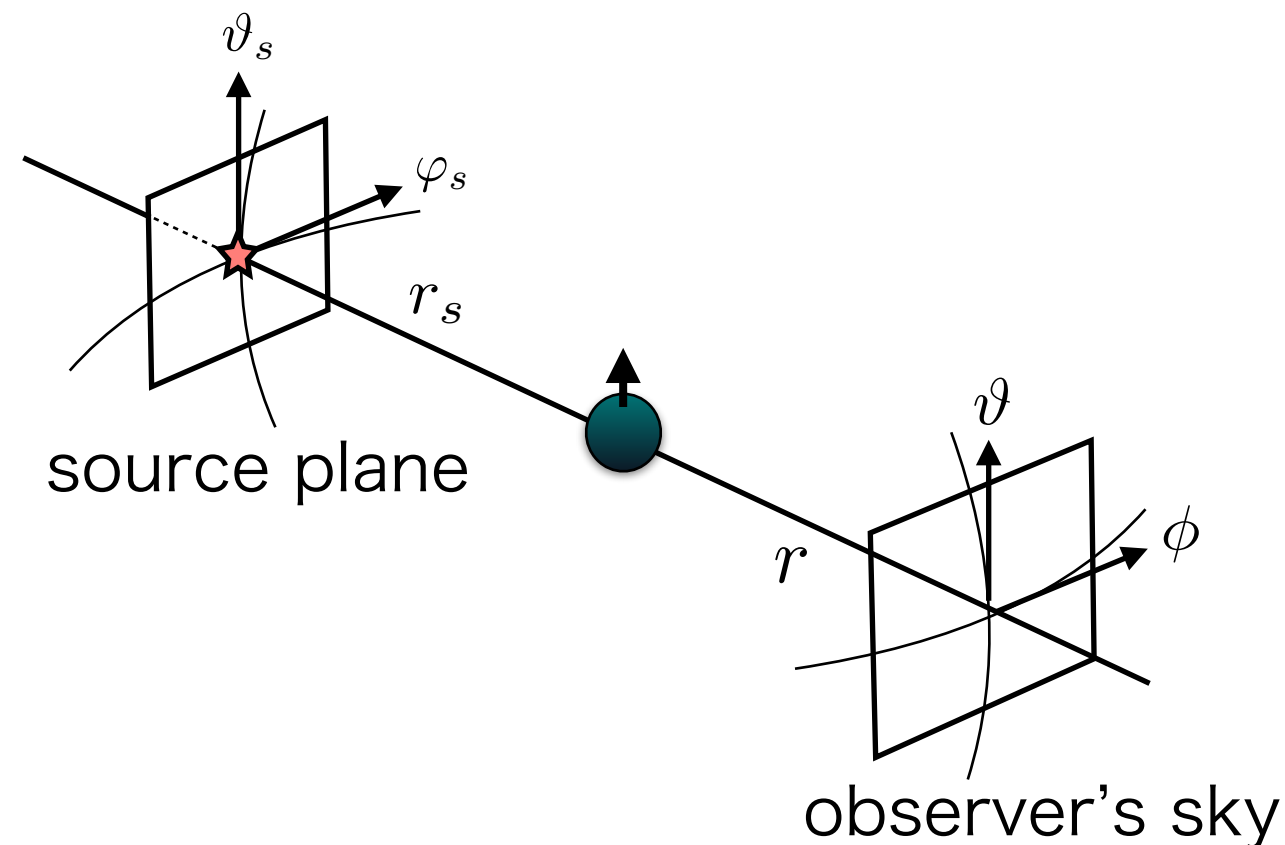
$160,000 \times 10,000 = 1,600,000,000$
terms

It takes 2~4 days with a PC (8 cores)

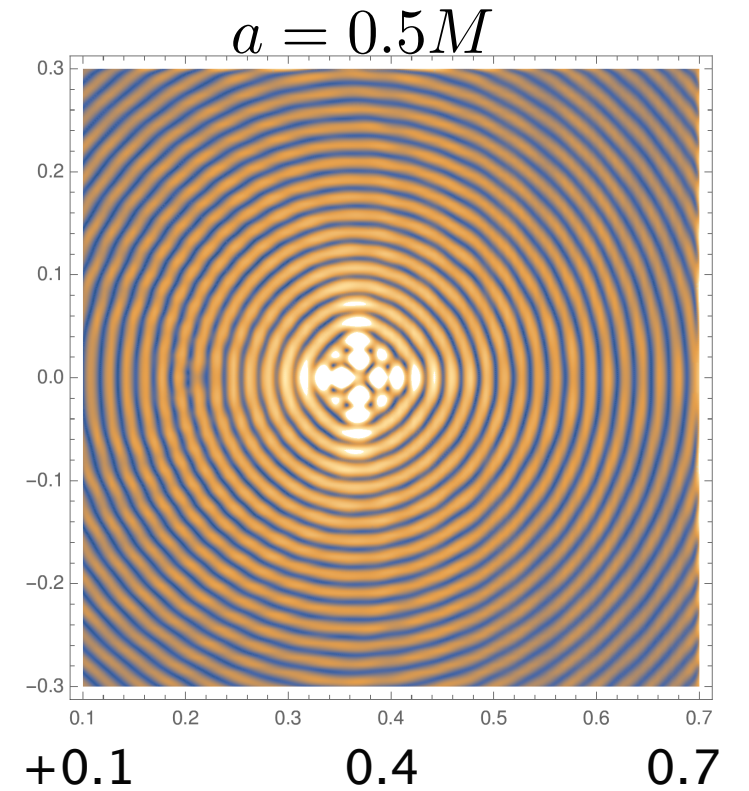
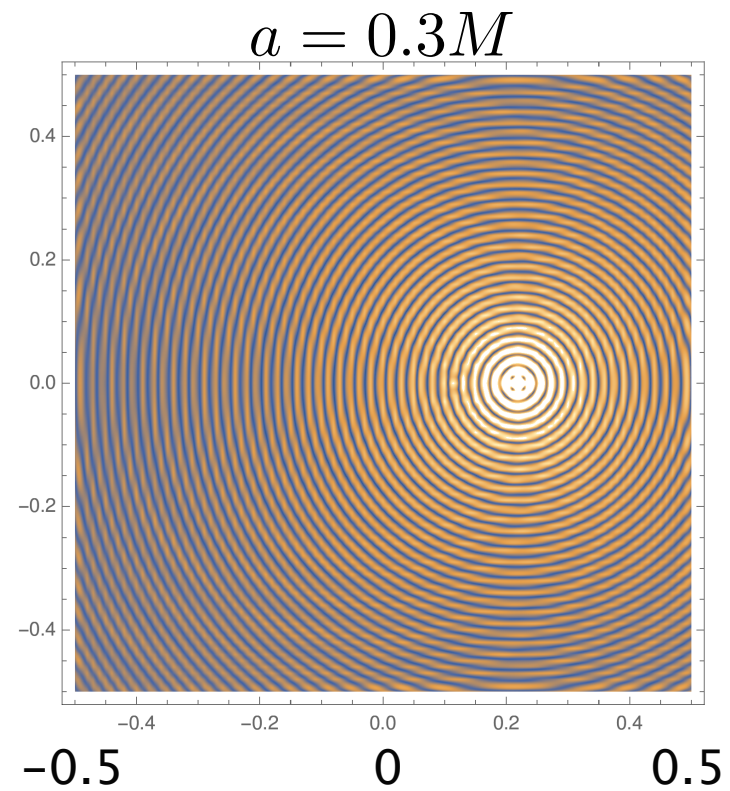
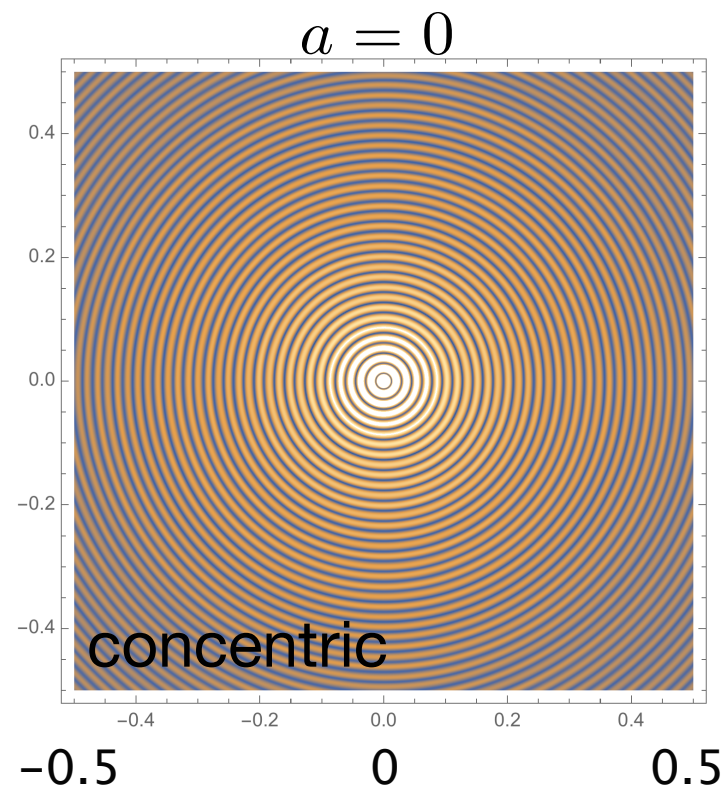
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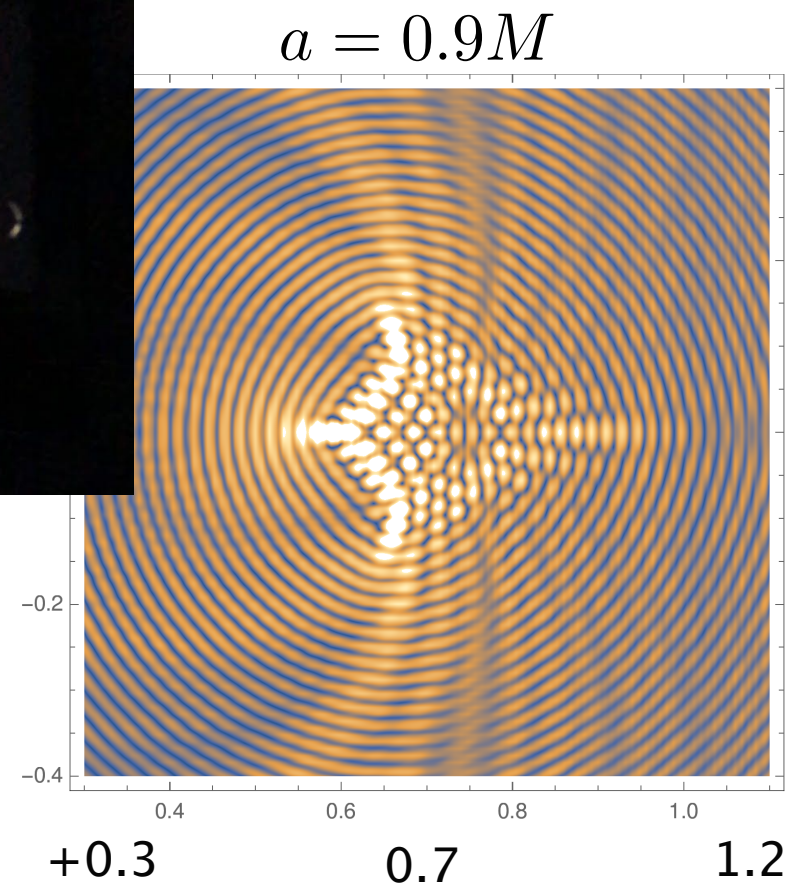
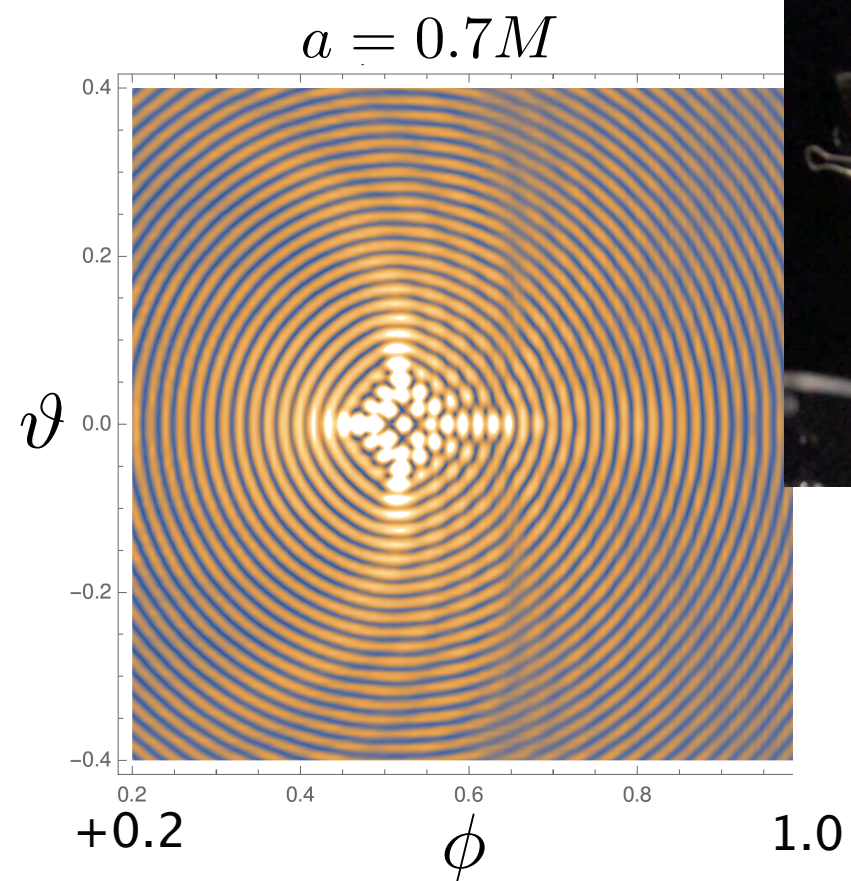
3. Interference patterns & Images



Interference patterns $\omega M = 30$

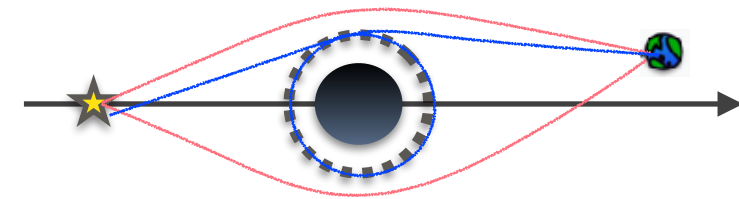


Diamond-shaped caustic

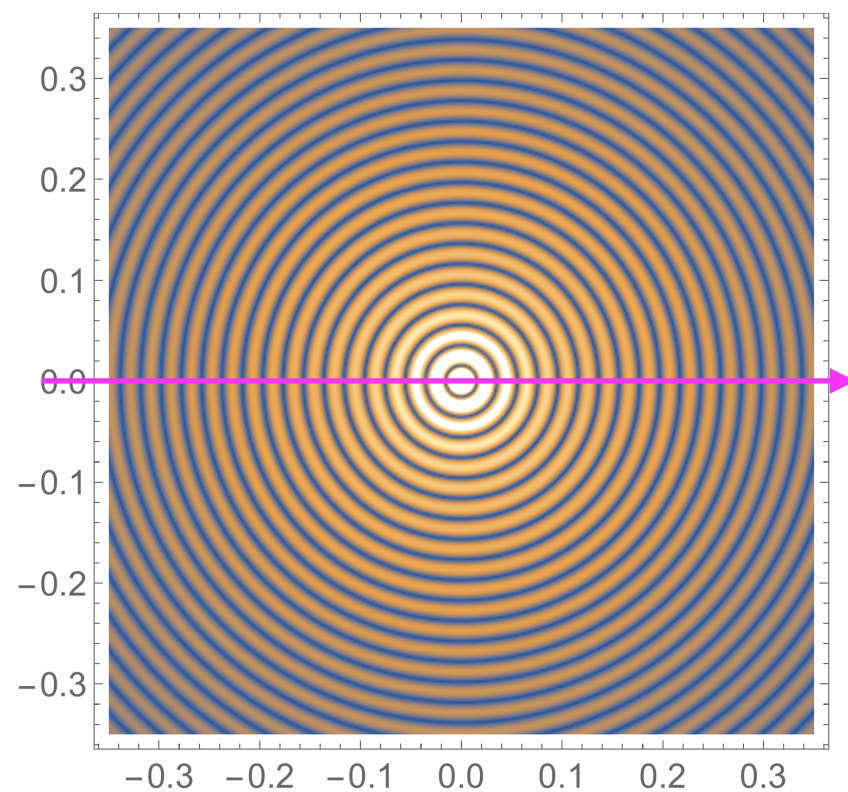


Caustics by the winding mode

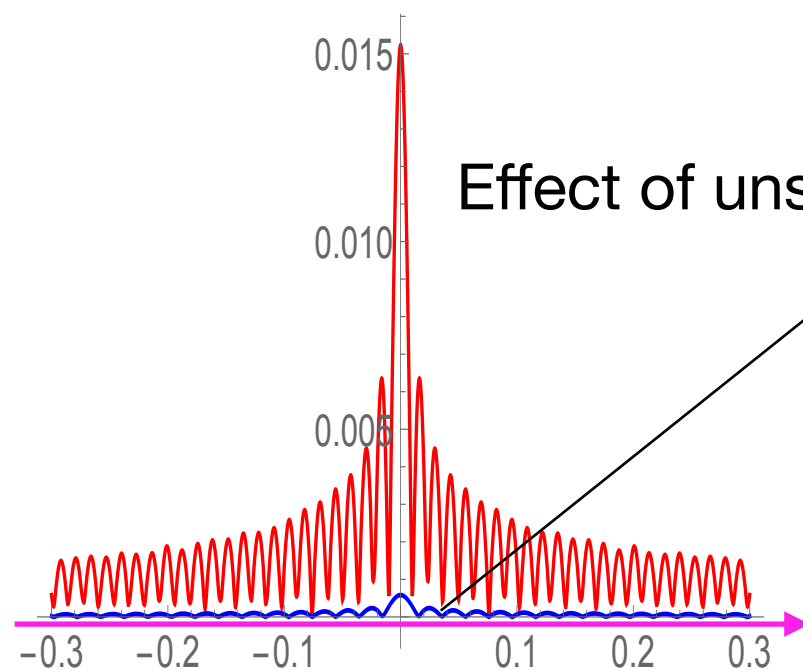
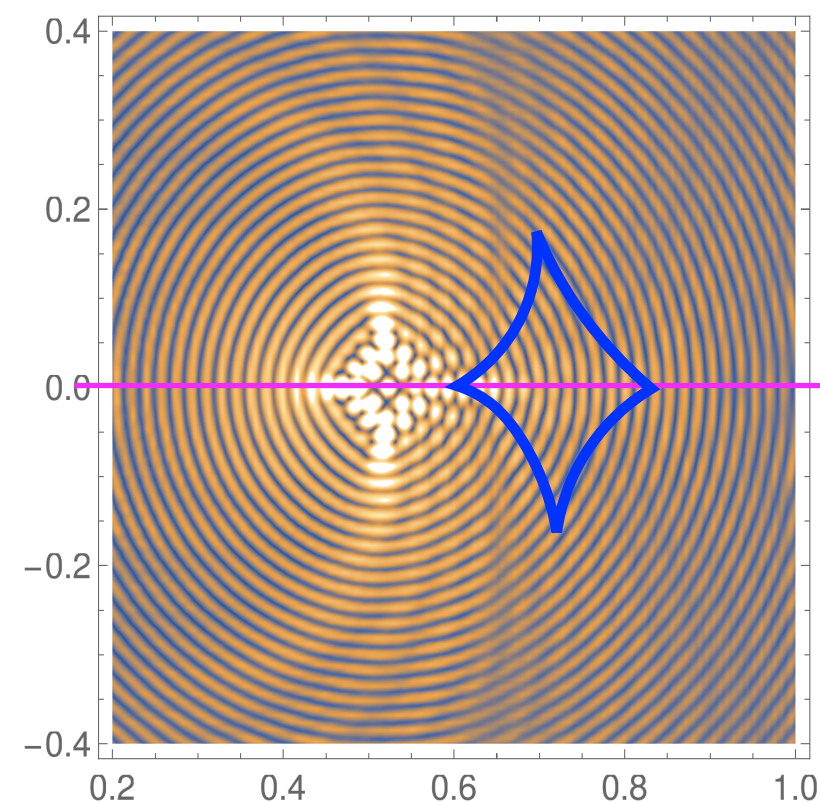
$$G = \underbrace{G^{\text{direct}}}_{l \leq l_c} + \underbrace{G^{\text{wind}}}_{l > l_c} \quad |G^{\text{wind}}| \sim 10^{-1} |G^{\text{direct}}|$$



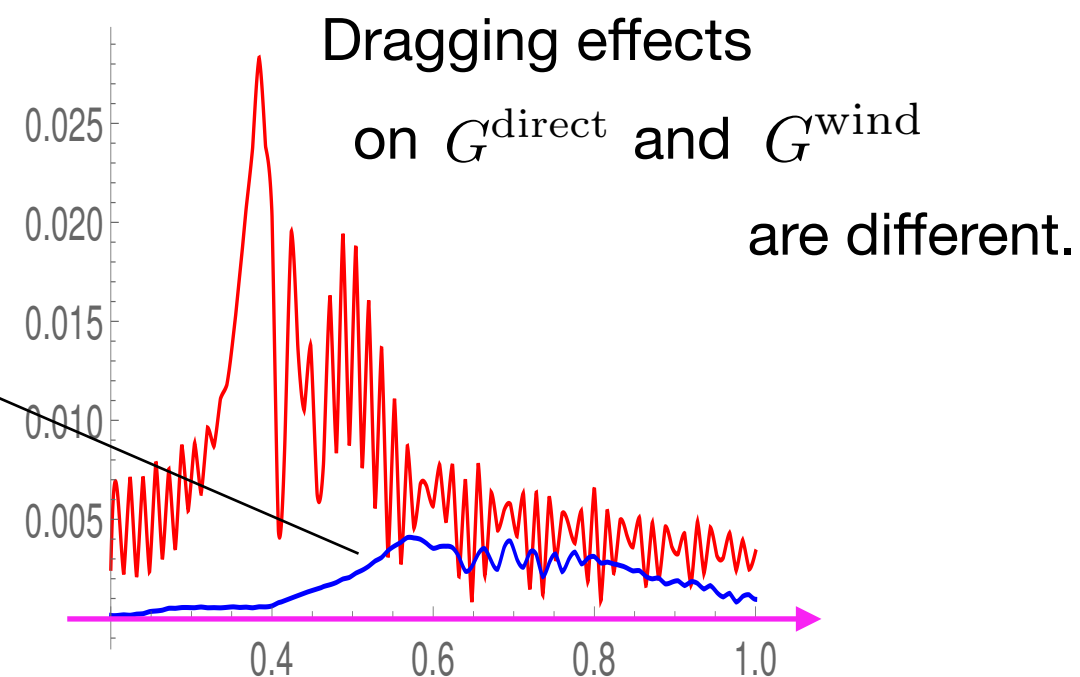
a=0



a=0.7



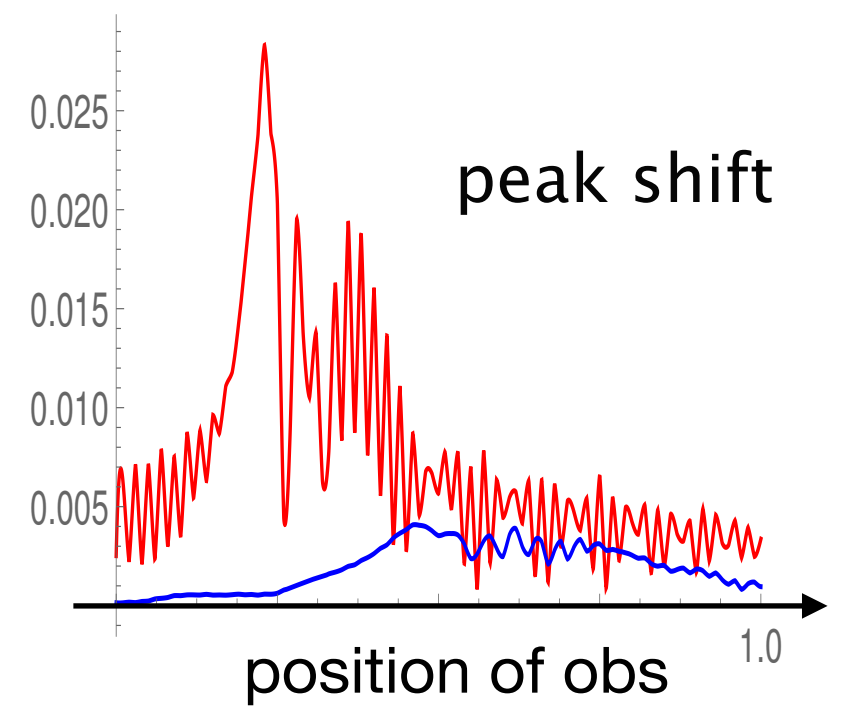
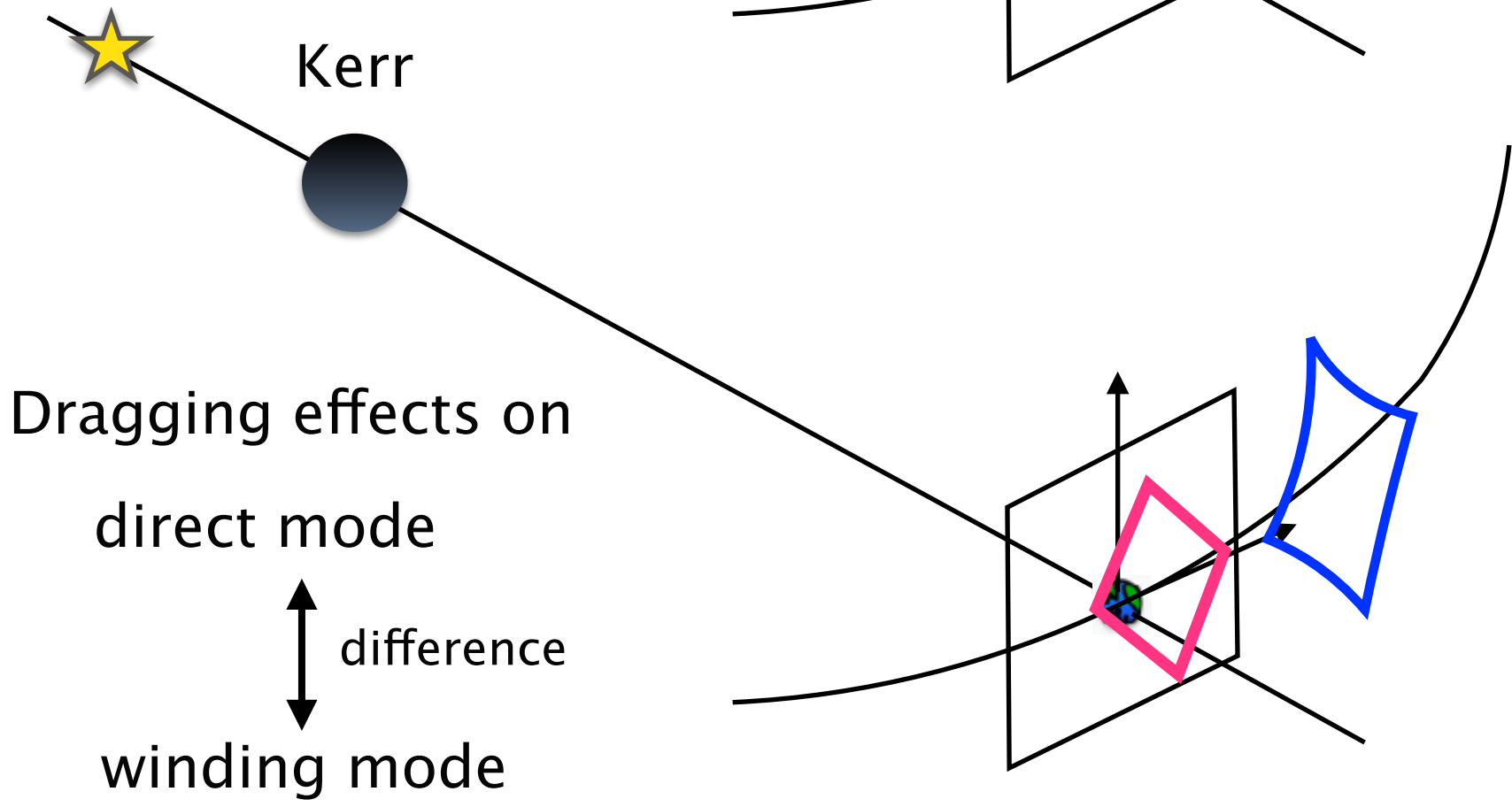
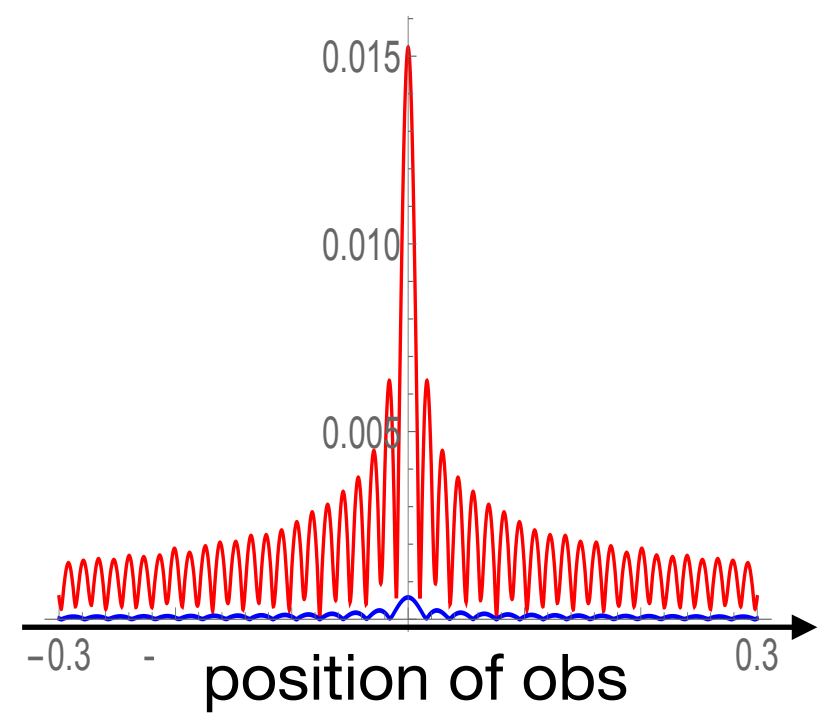
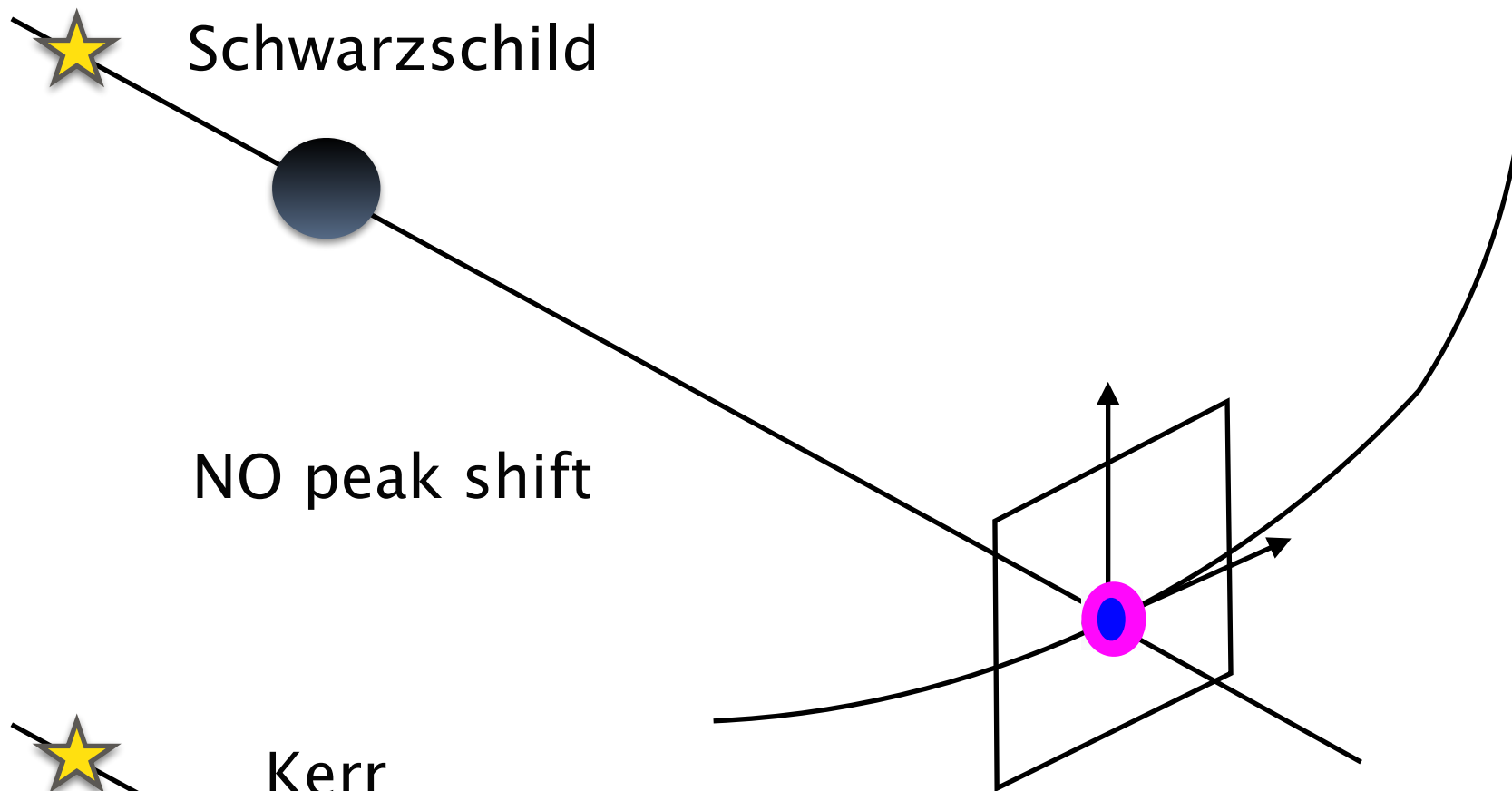
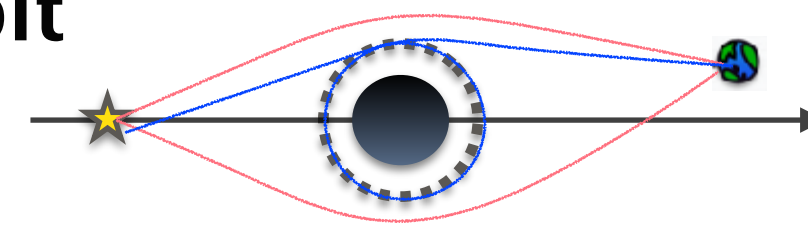
Effect of unstable circular orbit



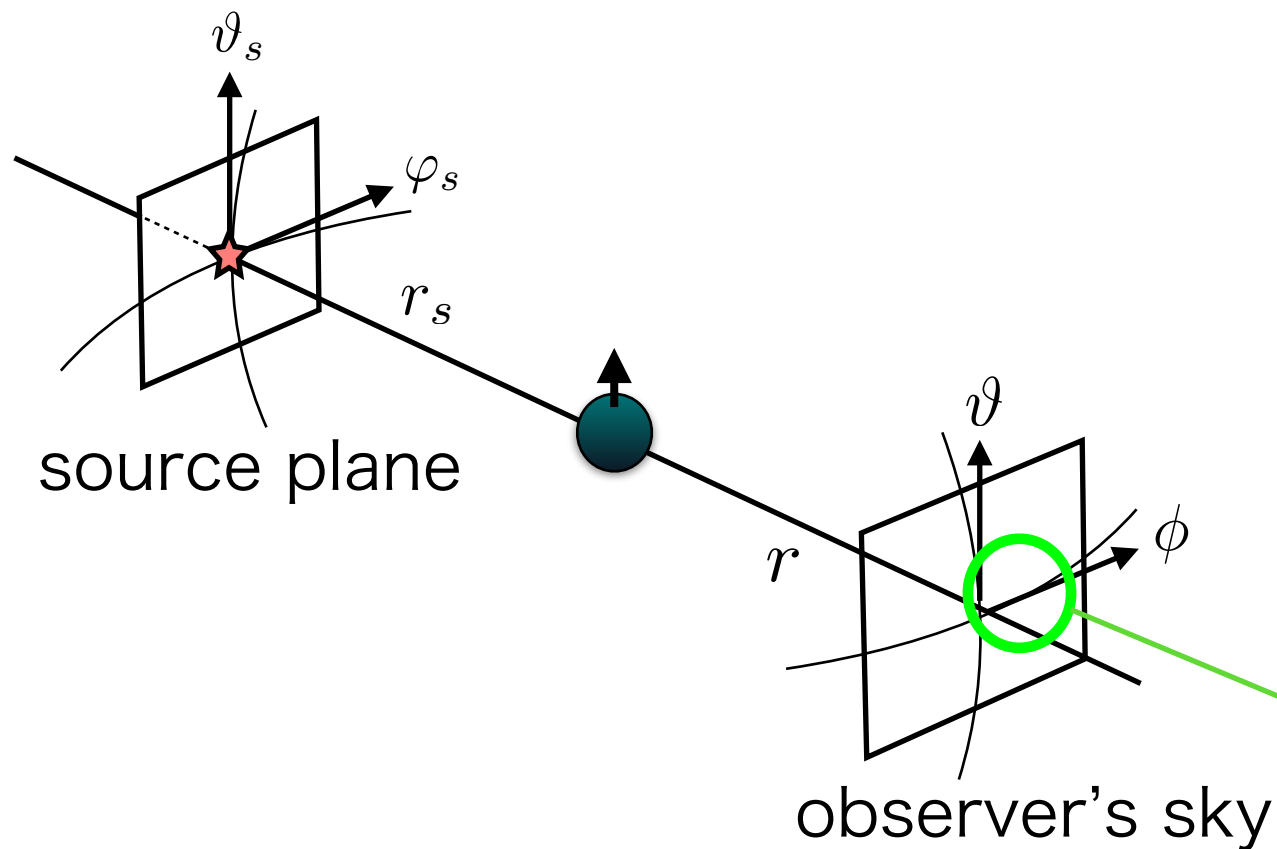
Dragging effects

on G^{direct} and G^{wind}
are different.

Detection of waves from unstable circular orbit



Imaging in wave optics

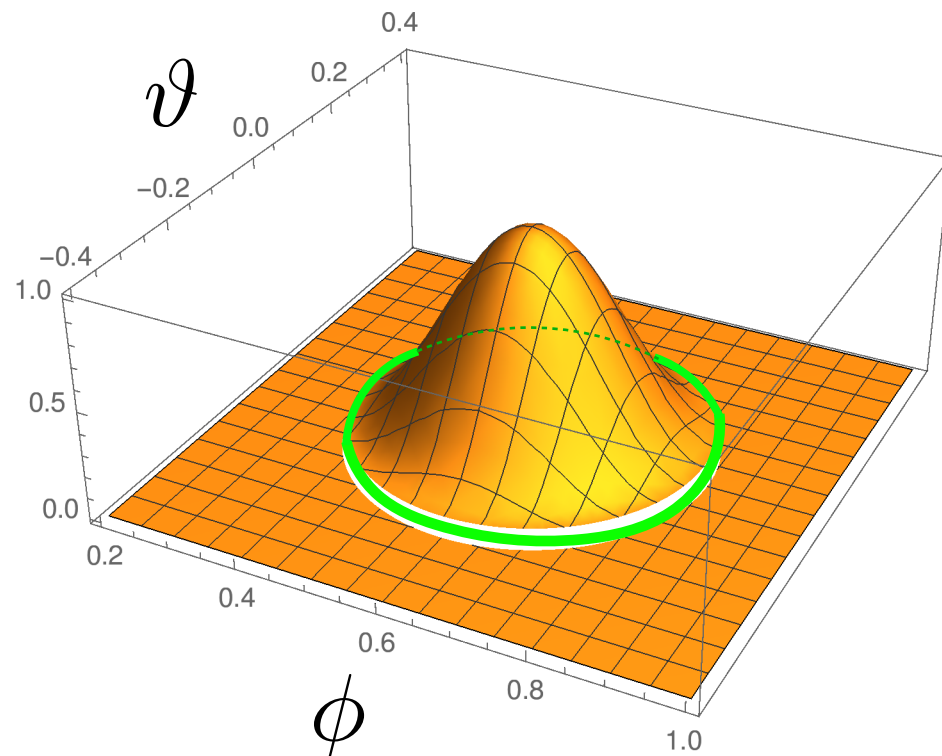


Imaging = 2D Fourier transform

$$\tilde{G} = \mathcal{F}[G(\phi, \vartheta) \times W^{\text{Ham}}(\phi, \vartheta)]$$

$|\tilde{G}|$: image

aperture an imaging system (telescope)

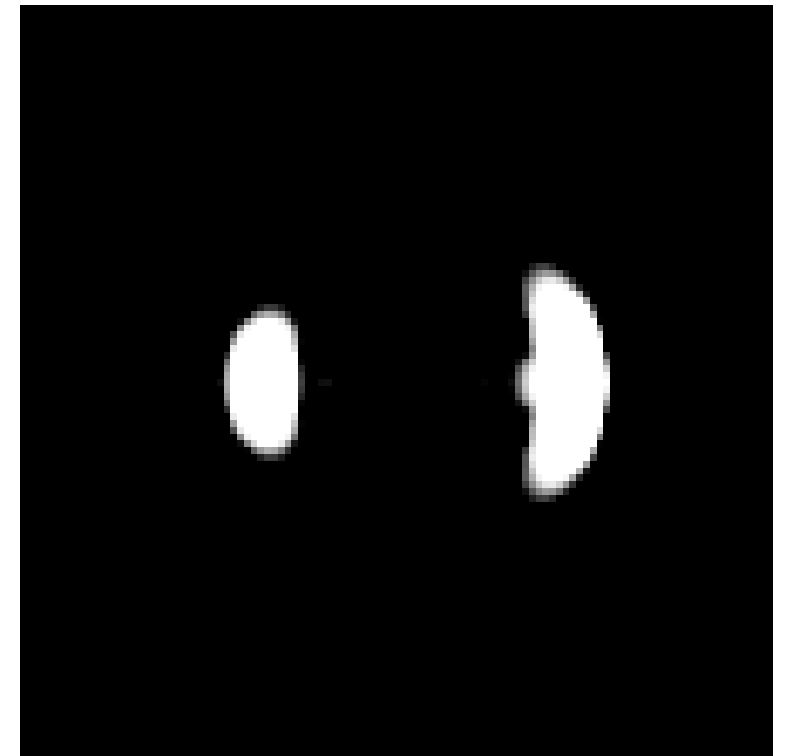
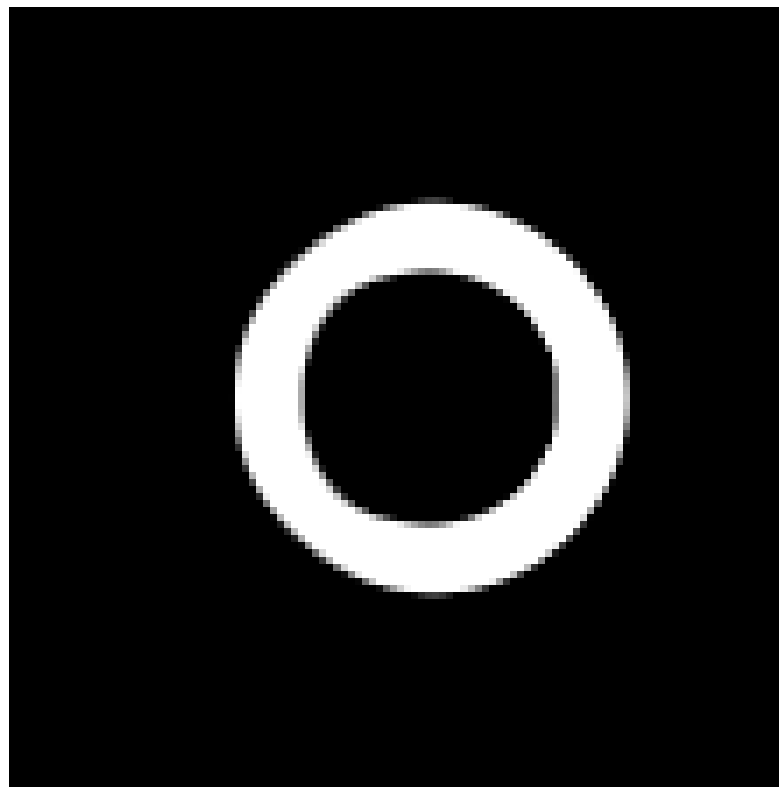
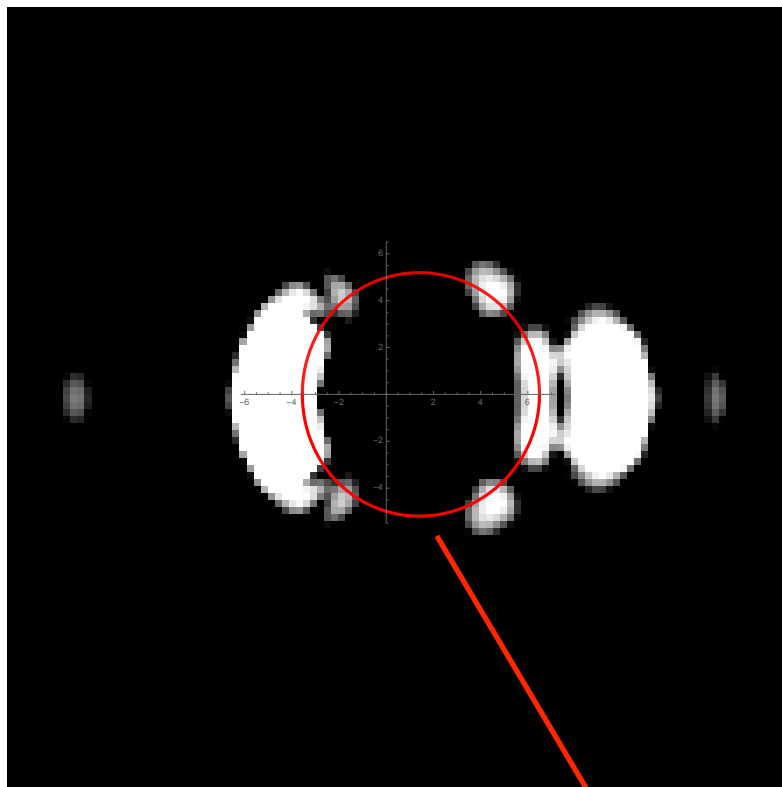
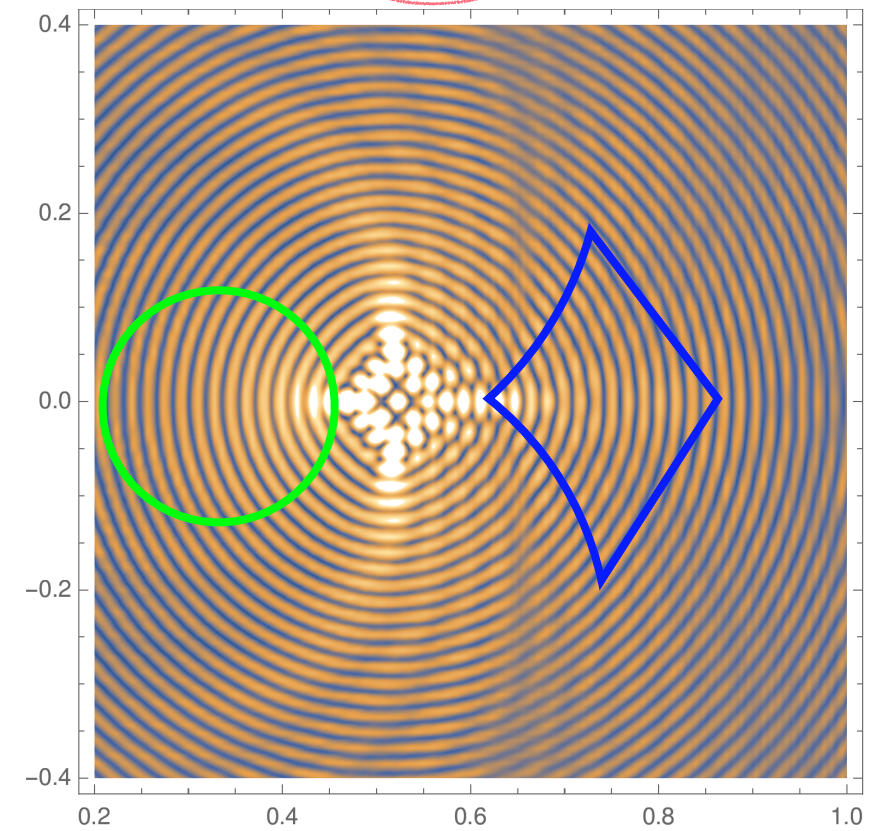
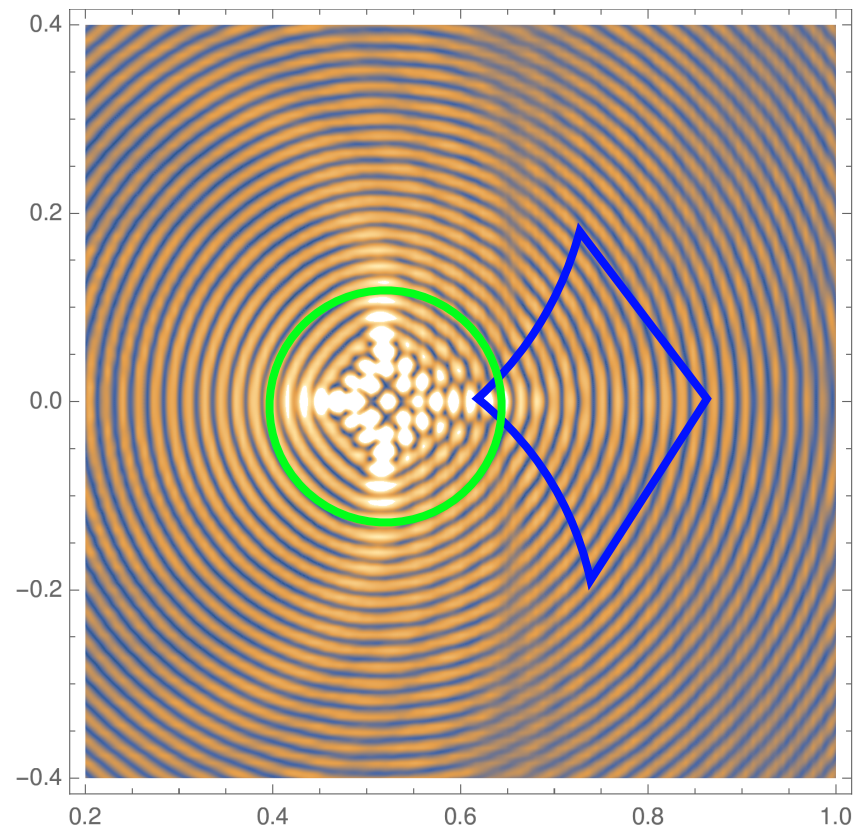
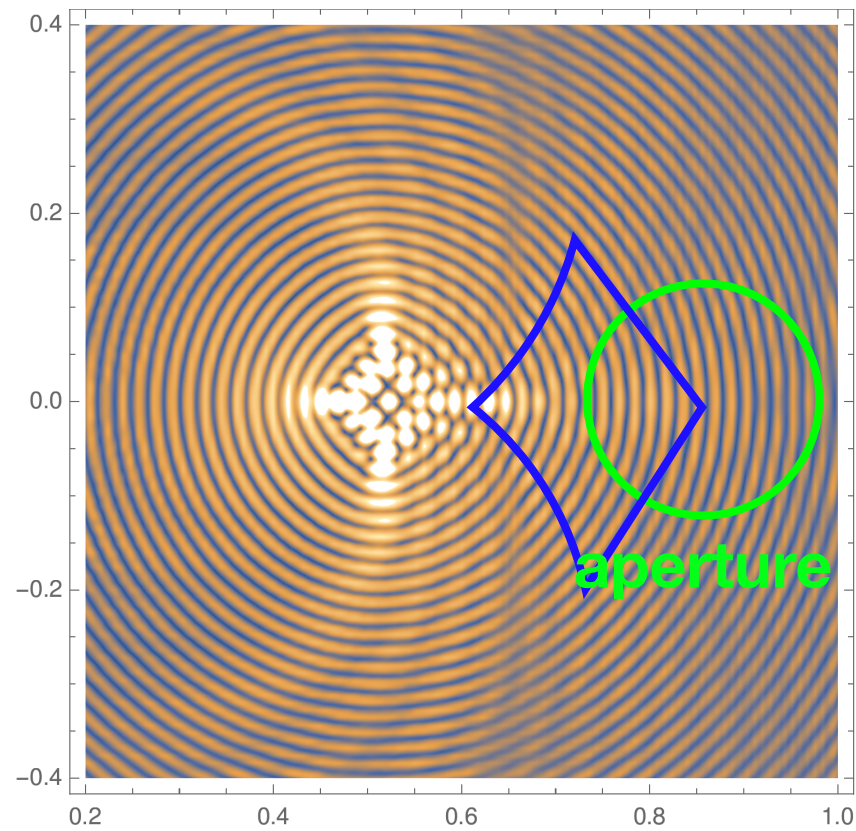
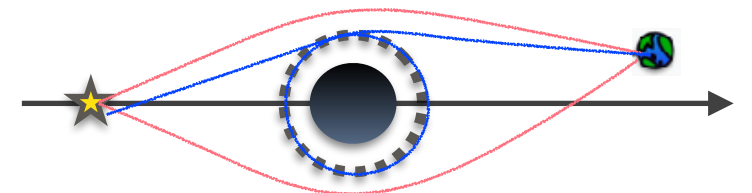


Hamming window function

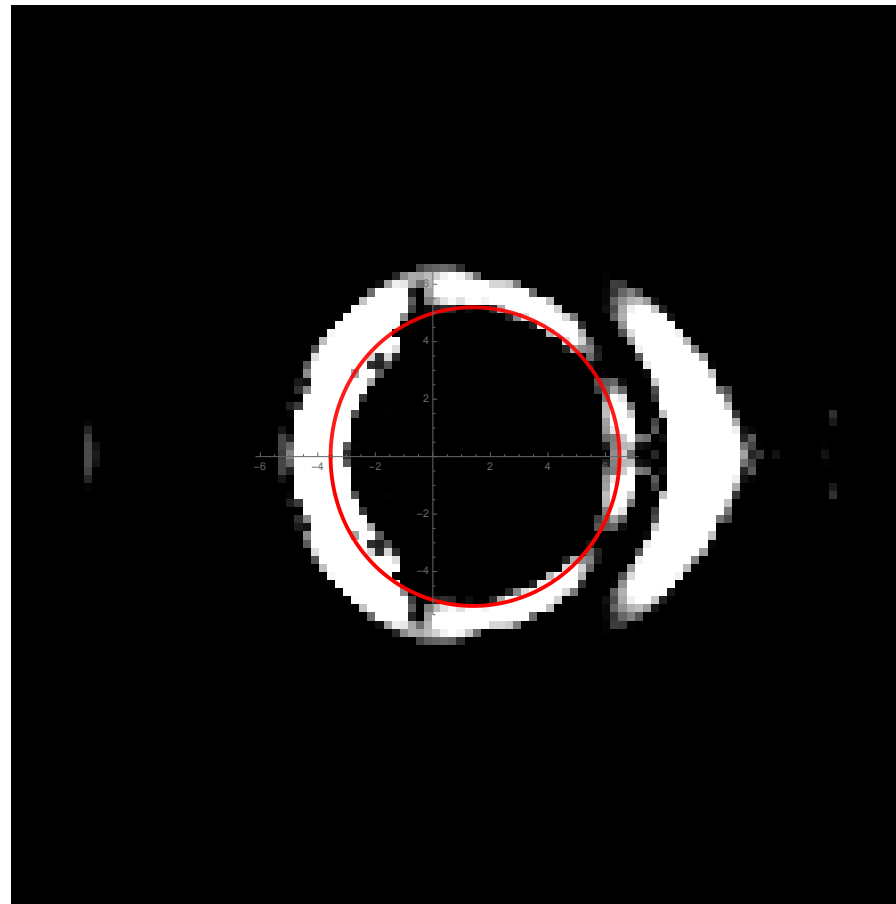
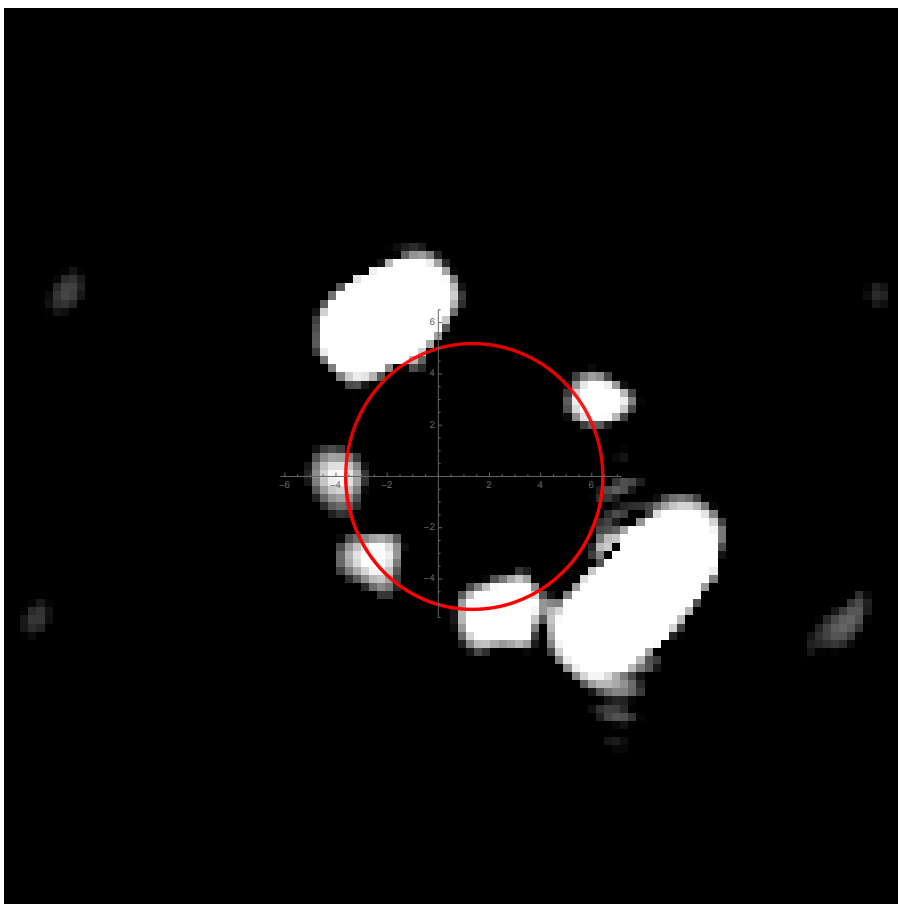
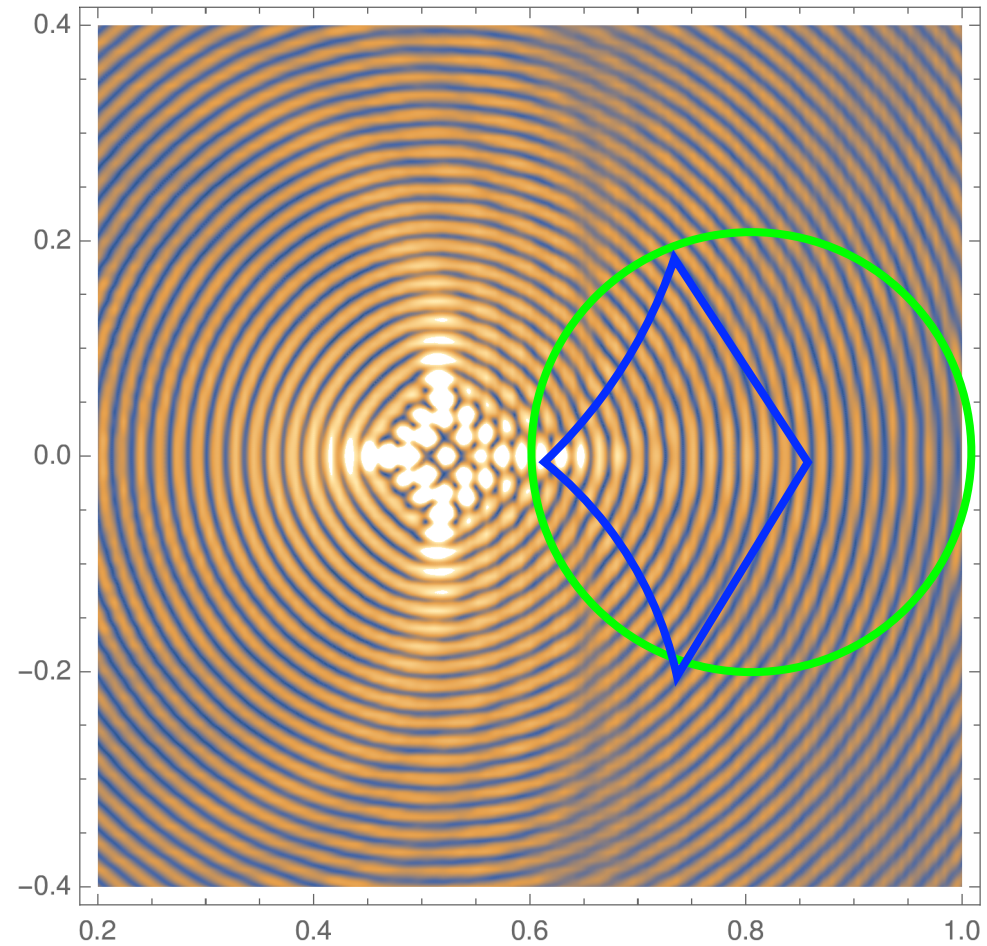
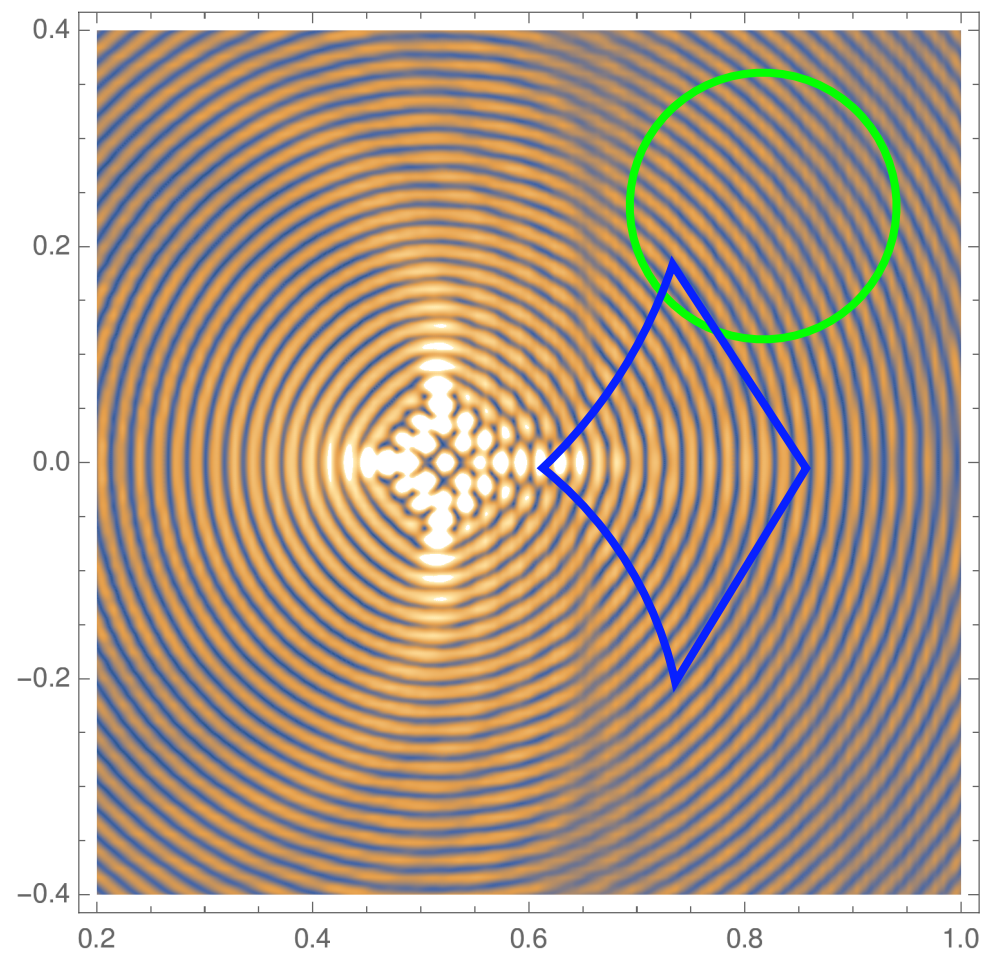
$$W^{\text{Ham}}(\phi, \vartheta) = 0.54 - 0.46 \cos(2\pi \sqrt{\phi^2 + \vartheta^2})$$

The number of image & observer's position

$$a = 0.7M \quad M\omega = 30$$

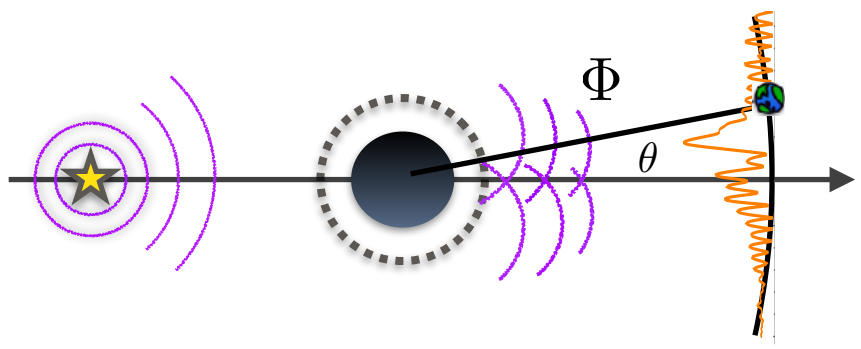


Rim of Black Hole Shadow



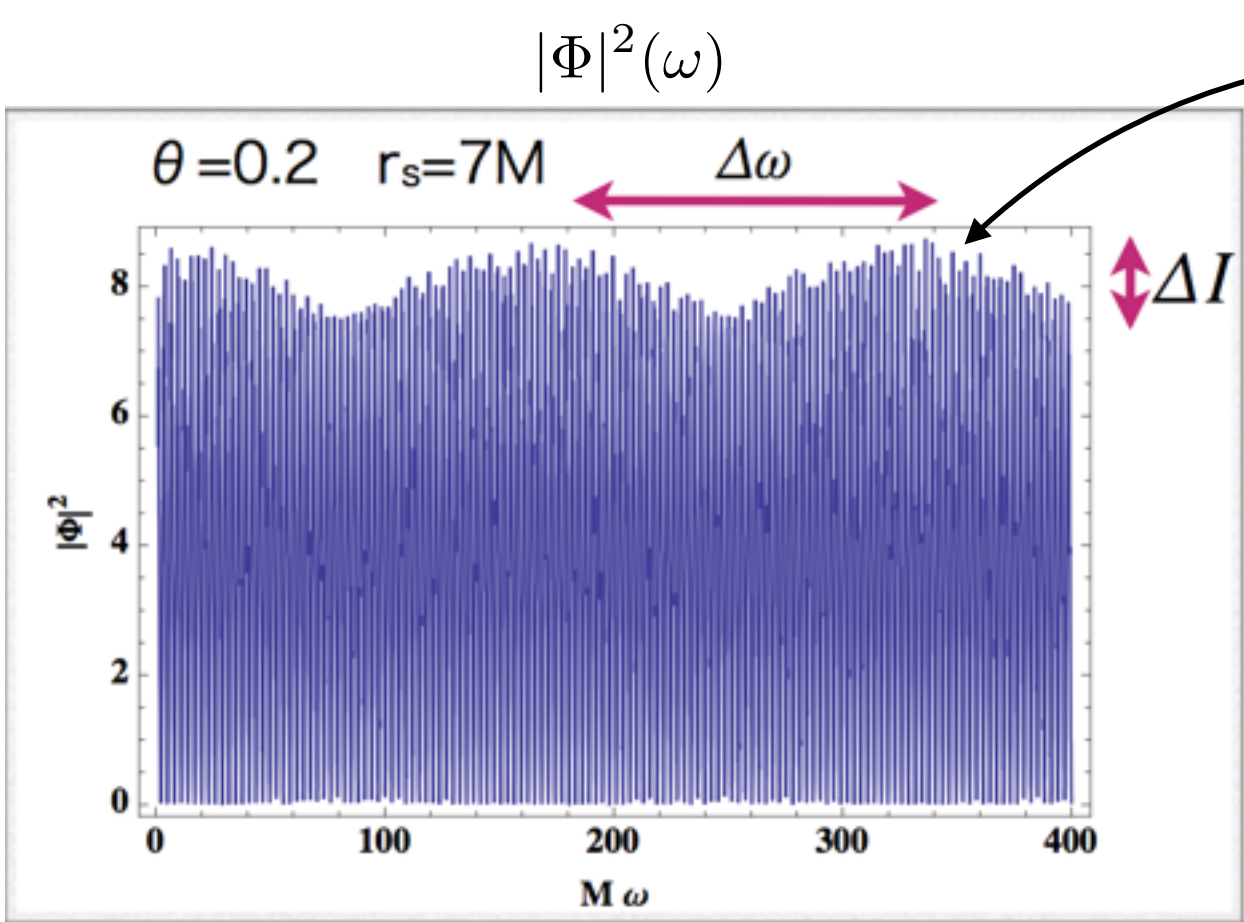
Is the interference patterns observable?

- Too short coherence time What about pulser?
- Too much large to catch We can use the motion of a source



Interference in the Power spectrum may be observable

short coherence time  interference in Fourier space



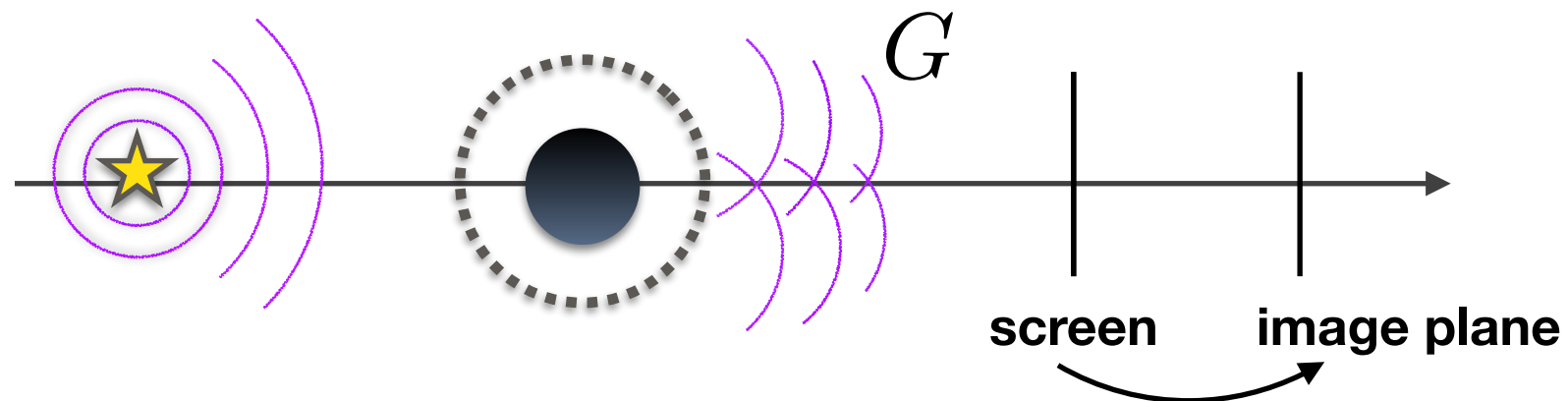
Modulation (effect of USCO)

Typical freq.		(Schwarzschild)	
	Supermassive	Intermediate	Stellar size
mass	$10^6 M_\odot$	$10^3 M_\odot$	$10 M_\odot$
$\Delta\omega$	40Hz	40kHz	40MHz

These are sensitive to the positions of source and obs

Summary

$$G(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x}_s) \equiv \frac{e^{i\omega(r_* + r_{s*})}}{2i\omega r r_s} \sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \sum_{m=-\ell}^{\ell} (-)^{\ell} e^{i\frac{\lambda_{\ell m}}{2\omega \tilde{r}}} e^{2i\delta_{\ell m}} Z_{\ell m}(\theta, \phi) Z_{\ell m}^*(\theta_s, \phi_s)$$



$$G = \underline{G^{\text{direct}}} + \underline{G^{\text{wind}}}$$

Schwarzschild

Kerr

