

# Black Hole Binaries with Advanced Detectors

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# Current status of estimation: enormous uncertainty

	$\dot{N}$ (yr	$\dot{N}$ (yr	$\dot{N}_{\text{high}}$ (yr	$\dot{N}_{\text{max}}$ (yr
NS-NS	0.4	40	400	1000
NS-BH	0.2	10	300	
BH-BH	0.4	20	1000	
IMRI into IMBH			10	300
IMBH-IMBH			0.1	1

Abadie et al. 2010 (“Rate” paper by LIGO Scientific Collaboration)

# How compact binaries are produced?

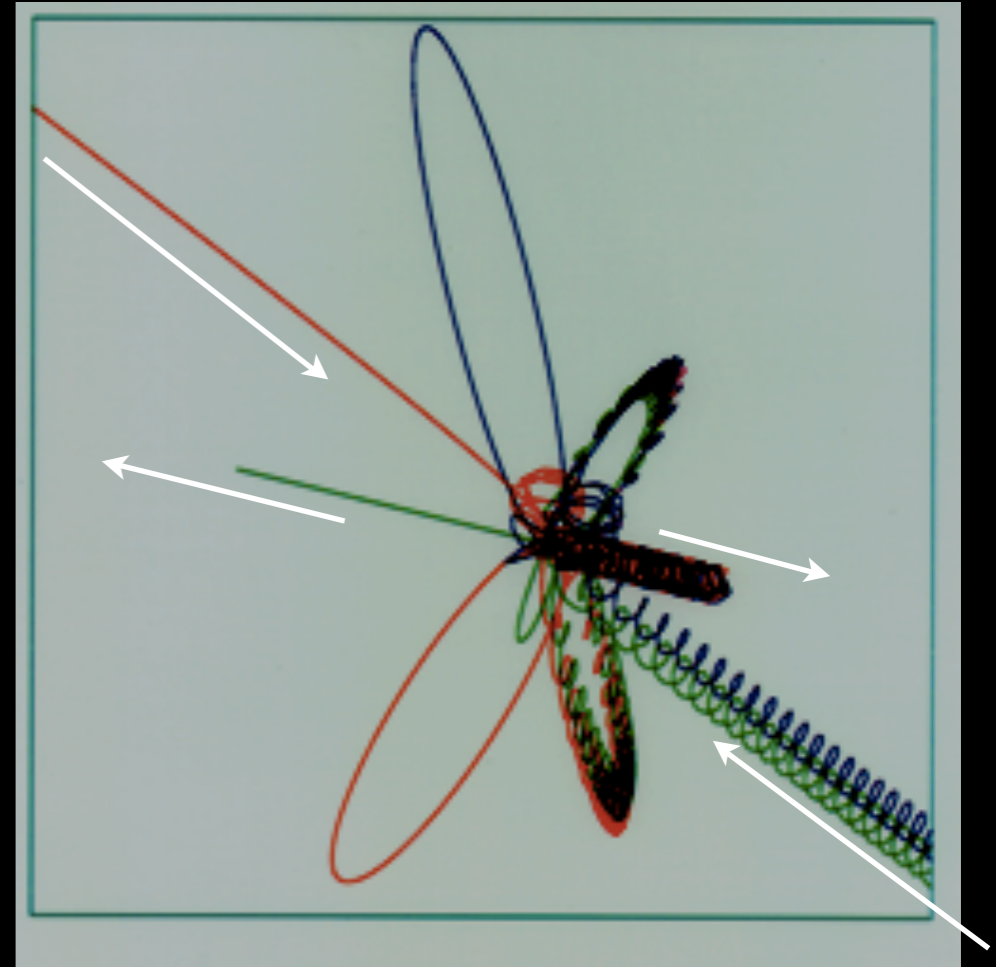
- Evolution of primordial binaries
  - Each component has to be massive
  - Should be proportional to the number of stars
- Dynamical Formation: More sensitive to density than the total amount of stars
  - 3-body processes
    - Globular Clusters: Banerjee et al., 2010; Bae et al. 2014, MNRAS in press; Kim et al., 2014, in preparation
  - Capture by gravitational radiation (2-body processes)
    - Nuclear Clusters: O'Leary et al. 2009; Hong & Lee 2014, in prep.

# Binary interaction with others

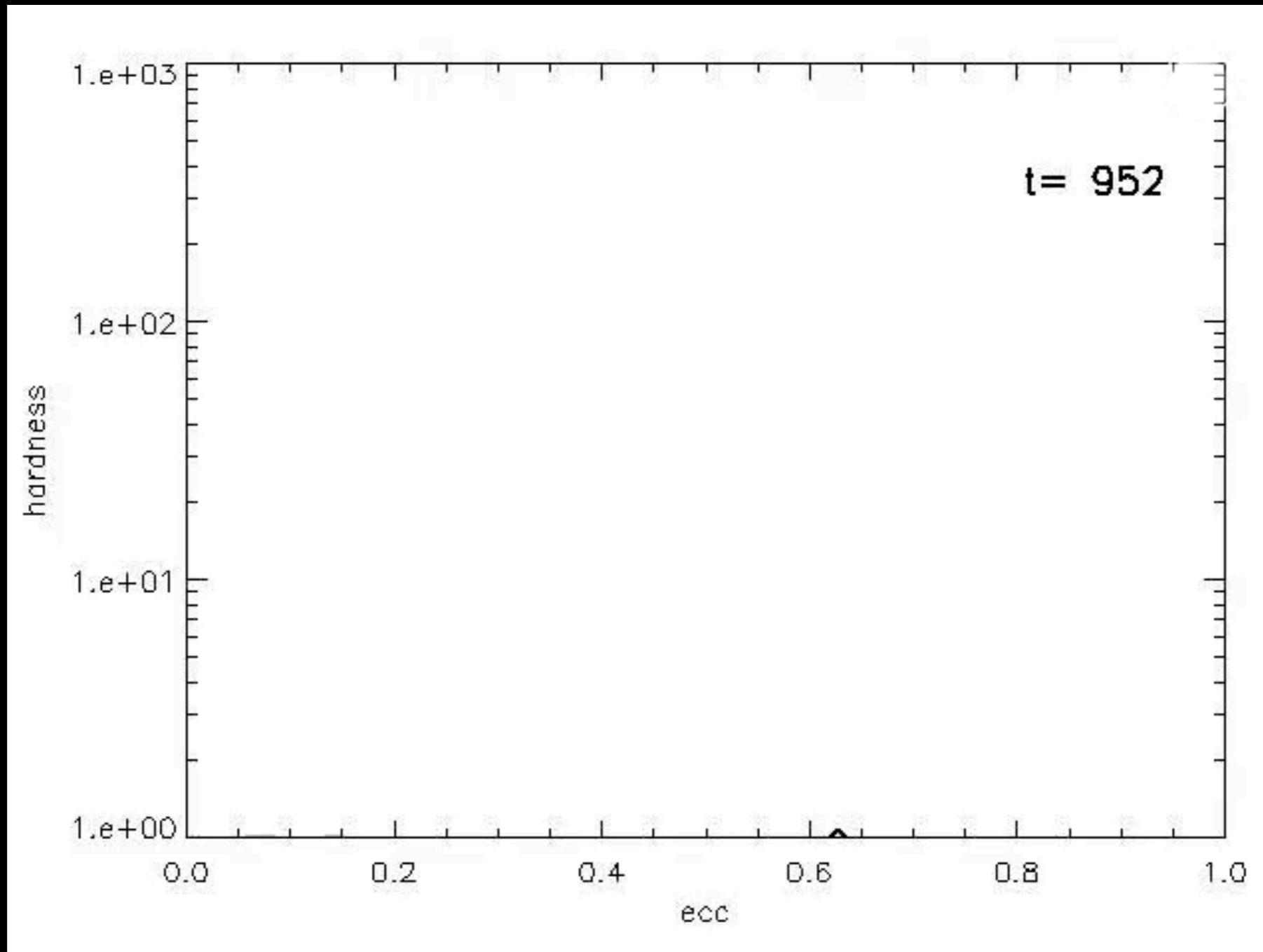
- Binaries become tighter as a result of interaction
  - Endothermic, and provides recoil energy
- Ejection occurs when recoil energy is greater than escape energy:

$$a \lesssim a_{crit} = \frac{Gm}{15v_{esc}^2}$$

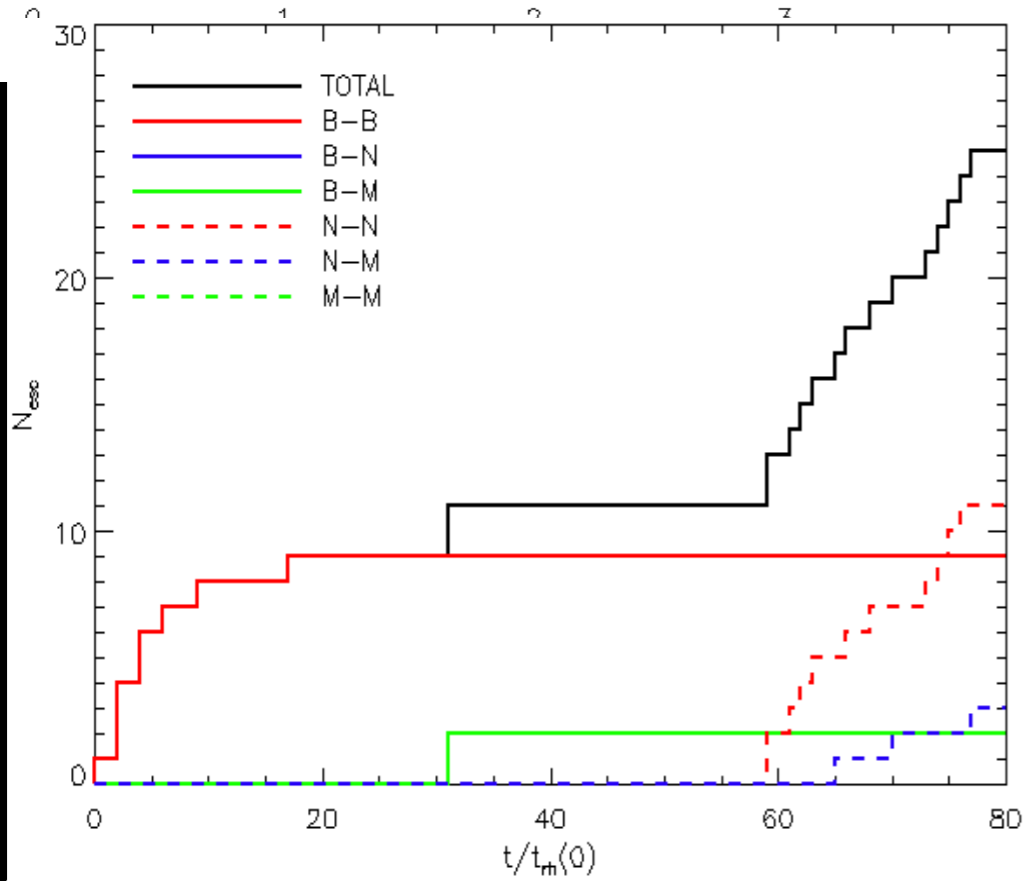
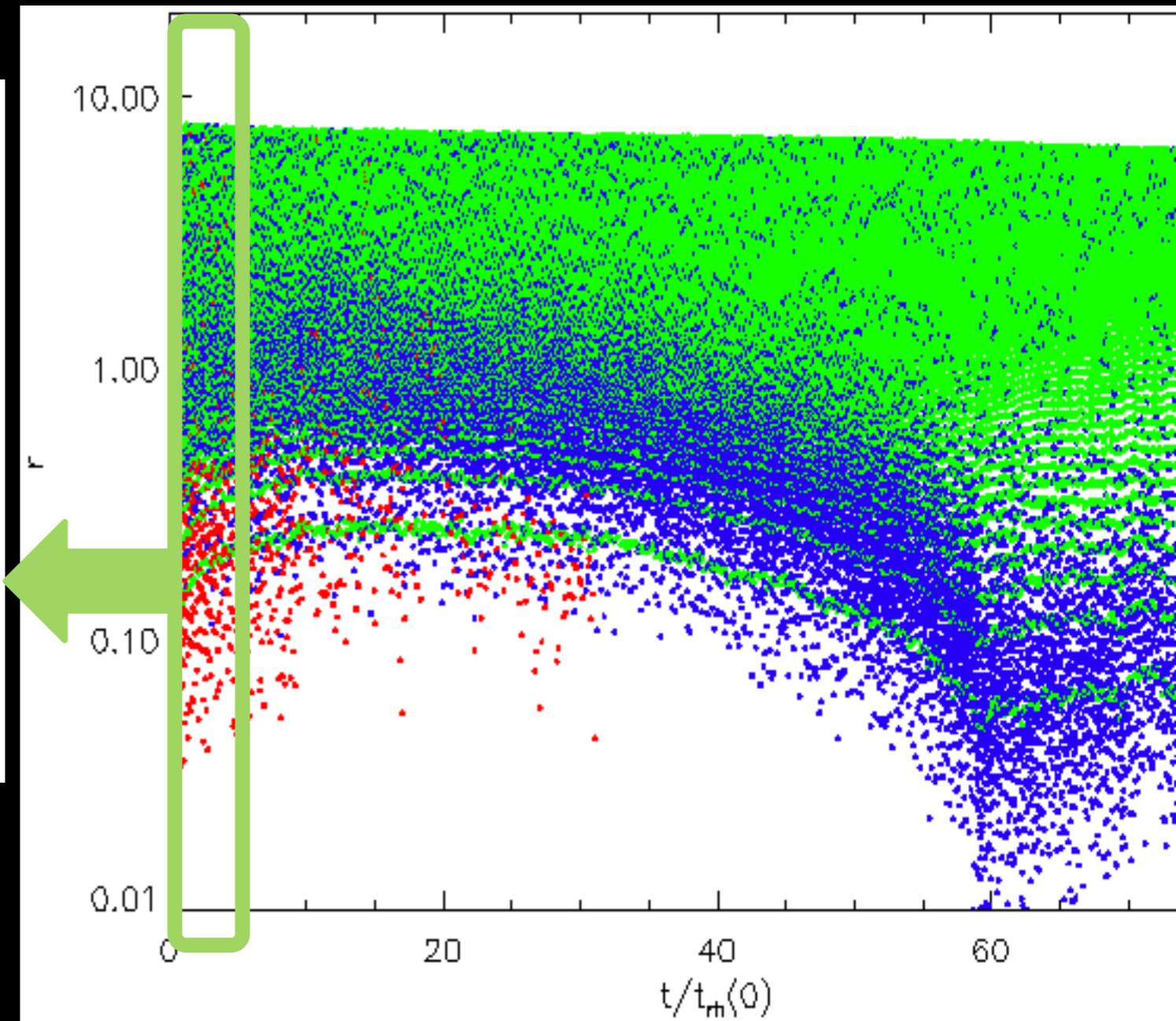
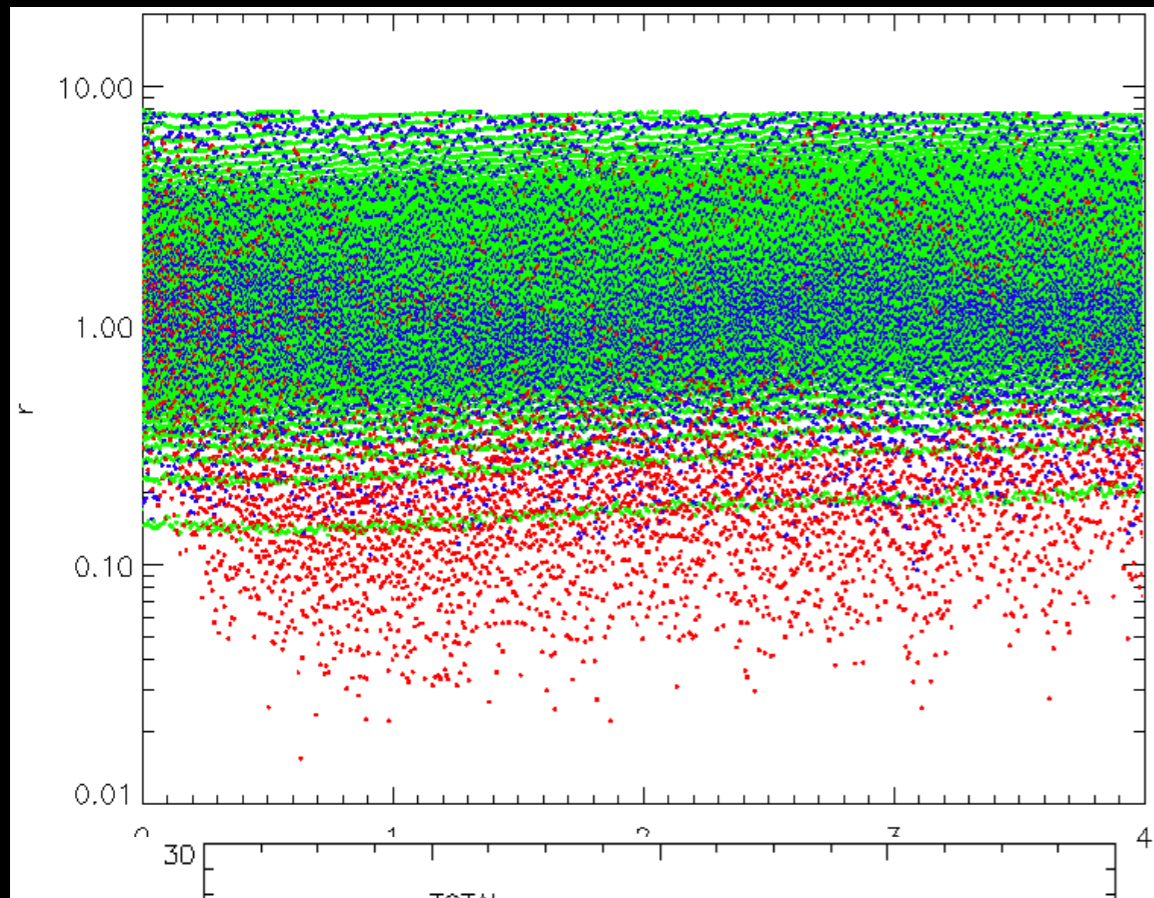
- The distribution of eccentricity:  
 $f(e)de = 2e de.$



# Evolution of binary parameters: example



# $N=20,000$ , $NS=140$ $BH=60$



Red: BH  
 Blue: NS  
 Green: Normal

# Summary of Simulations

- Almost all black holes evaporate in short time, and neutron stars escape from GCs later.
- 30% of these objects are in the form of compact binaries (BH-BH or NS-NS) . The number of ejected binaries is 15% of the total.
- BH-NS binaries are very rare
- The presence of primordial binaries does not change the results, since they are easily destroyed (but it depends on the binary parameters)

# Estimation of merger rate

- We assume the following number fractions
  - 0.5 % NS (but 10% of this remains)
  - 0.01 % in BH
- 15% of these objects escape in the form of compact binaries
- We used 142 clusters in the catalogue by Harris (2010) with mass and velocity dispersion <http://physwww.mcmaster.ca/~harris/Databases.html>
  - We computed the number of binaries whose merging time is shorter than Hubble time for each cluster and add them up
- Results (uncertainties from retention rate [ $\sim 4$ ], and surviving GC population [ $\sim 2$ ], etc.)
  - **NS-NS: 0.05 - 0.5 /Myr NS-NS  $\Rightarrow$  0.01- 0.1 /yr (cf. field pop.  $\sim 40$  /yr)**
  - **BH-BH 0.03 – 0.25 Myr  $\Rightarrow$  8 - 60 /yr (cf. field pop.  $\sim 20$  /yr)**



# Other properties

- We do not expect any merger inside the cluster
- Relative velocity to the host cluster
  - $1.8 v_{\text{esc}}$  for NS-NS binaries
  - $1.4 v_{\text{esc}}$  for BH-BH binaries
  - Offset from the home cluster could be more than 10 kpc when they merge.
    - Many SGRB seem to be present in the outer parts of galaxies
- Ellipticals have higher SN, and could be better places for these populations

# Nuclear Star Clusters (NCs)

Hubble image of the Sagittarius star cloud

- The densest stellar system
  - $n \sim 10^5 M_{\odot} \text{pc}^{-3}$  (Schodel et al. 2009)
- SMBH at the center
  - e.g., Sgr A\* in the Milky Way
    - $M(\text{SgrA}^*) \sim 3-4 \times 10^6 M_{\odot}$
- Produces the central cusp

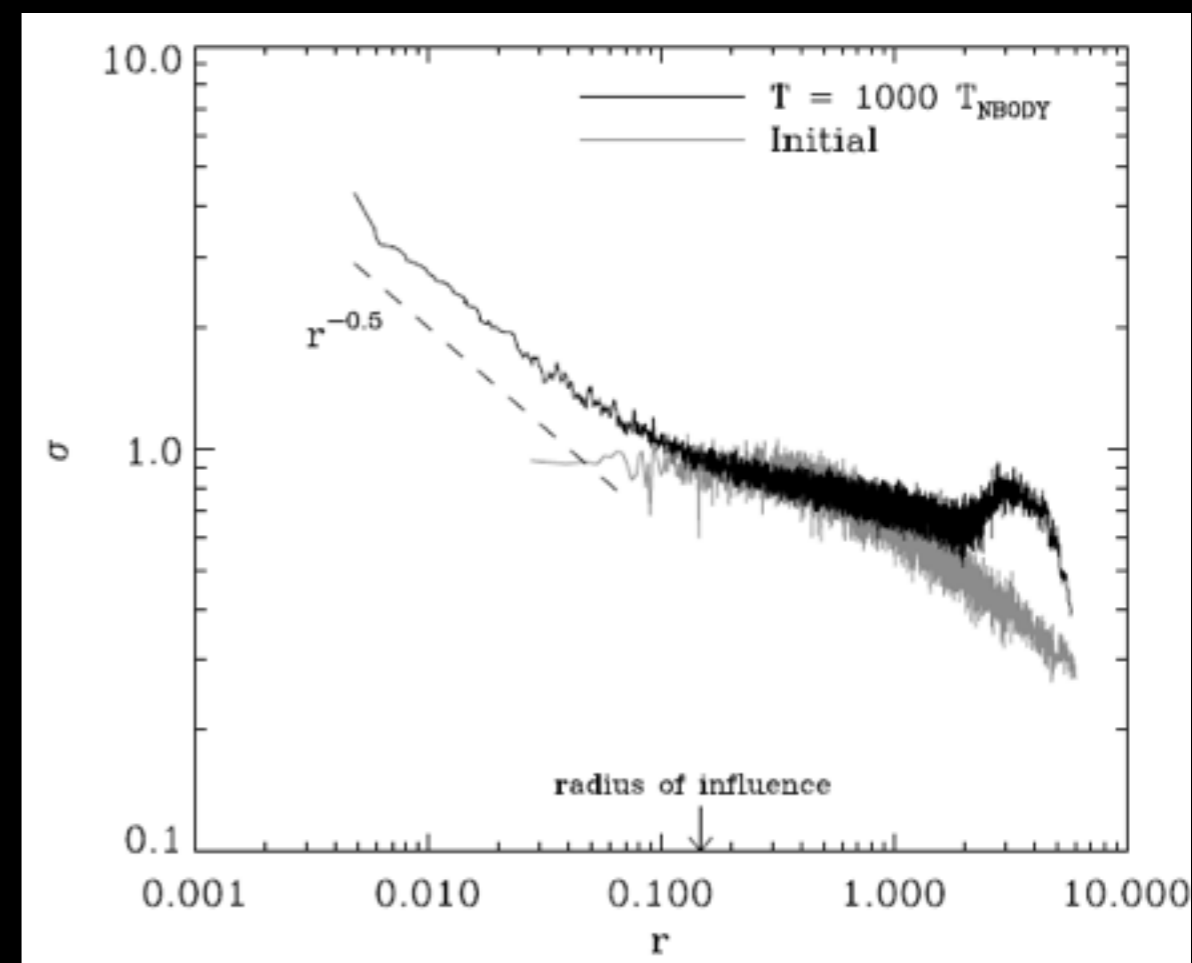
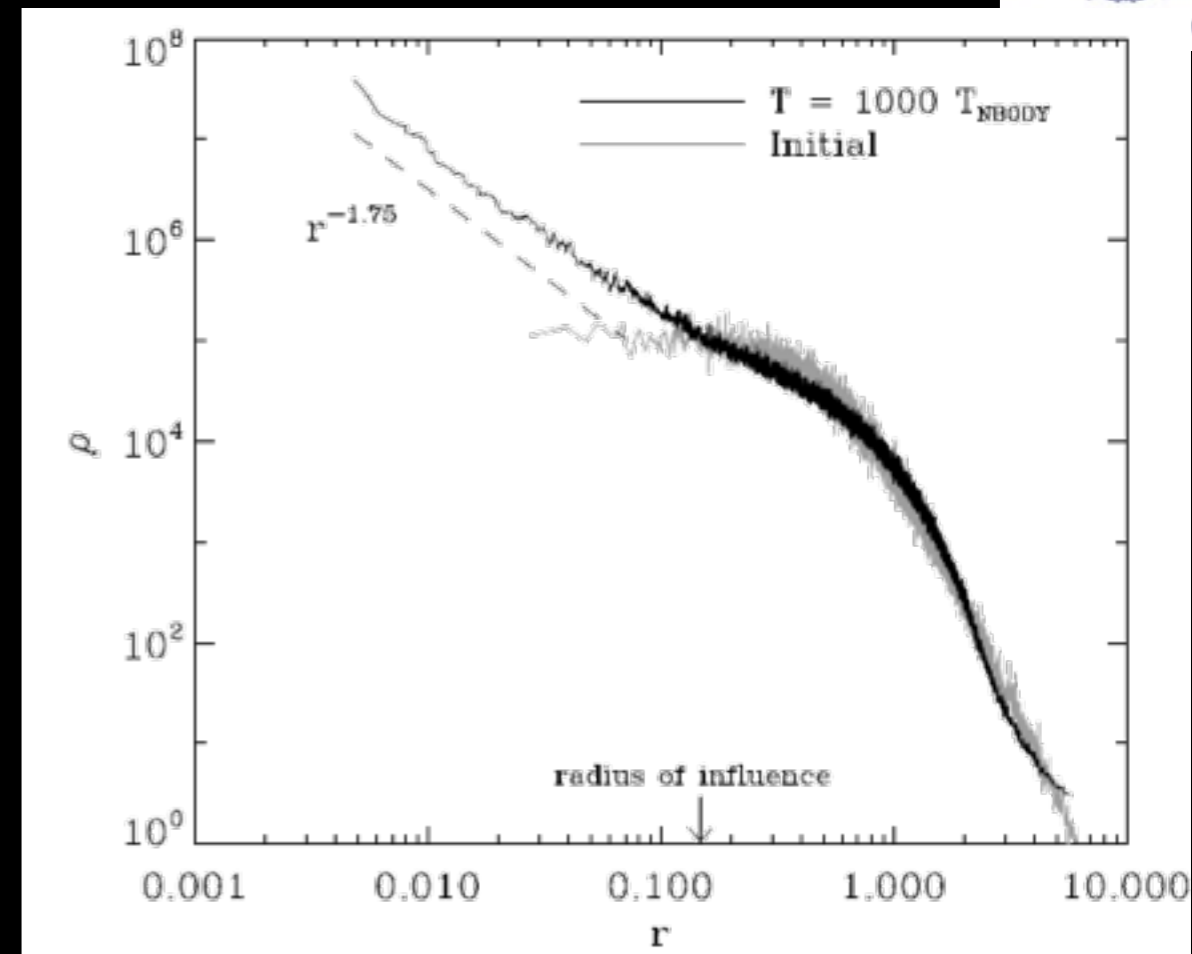


# GW Sources in Nuclear Clusters

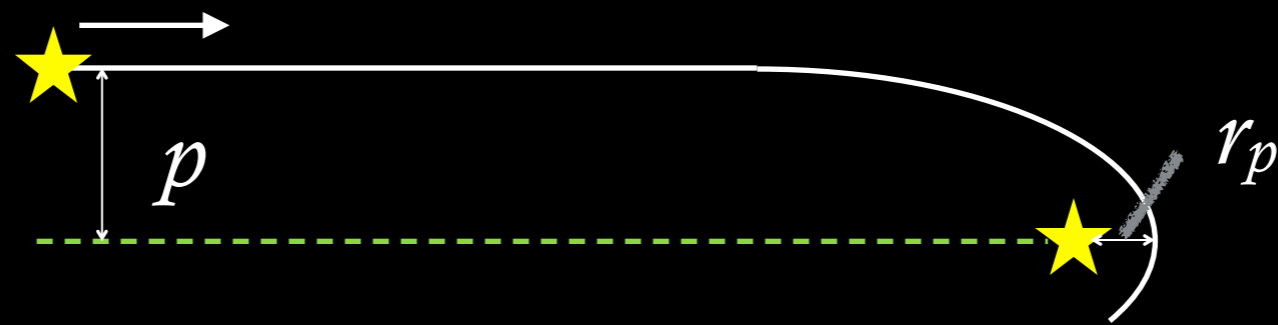
- Extreme mass ratio inspirals (EMRI)
  - Lightman & Shapiro (1977); Hopman & Alexander (2003, 2005, 2006); Merritt et al. (2011)
  - Compact stars spiraling in the massive black hole
  - low frequency
- Stellar mass black holes binaries (BH-BH,  $\sim 10M_{\odot}$ )
  - Can be formed by gravitational radiation capture (Hansen 1972; Quinlan & Shapiro 1987, 1989)
  - Cusp around supermassive black hole provides favorable environment for the capture
  - 1~10% SBHs in galactic nuclei (Hopman & Alexander 2006b) due to mass segregation
    - Initially 0.1% of BHs (Alexander 2005)

# N-body Realizations

- Stellar cusp (Bahcall & Wolf 1976)
  - $Q(r < r_{\text{inf}}) \sim r^{-1.75}$
- Keplerian velocity dispersion near MBH
  - $\sigma(r < r_{\text{inf}}) \sim r^{-0.5}$
- Nearly isothermal velocity dispersion at  $r > r_{\text{inf}}$
- Velocity dispersion bump at  $r \sim 40 r_{\text{inf}}$  due to the external potential well



# Distribution of $a$ and $e$



- Parabolic approximation and equal mass (Quinlan & Shapiro 1987, 1989)

$$\Delta E = -\frac{85\pi G^{7/2} m^{9/2}}{12c^5 r_p^{7/2}} \quad r_{p,max} = \left(\frac{85\pi}{6}\right)^{2/7} \frac{Gm}{c^{10/7} v_\infty^{4/7}} \approx \frac{3Gm}{c^{10/7} v_\infty^{4/7}}$$

- $r_p / r_{p,max}$  : uniform distribution
- $v_\infty$  : 1D Gaussian distribution

Before capture

After capture

$$a = \frac{Gm}{v_\infty^2}$$

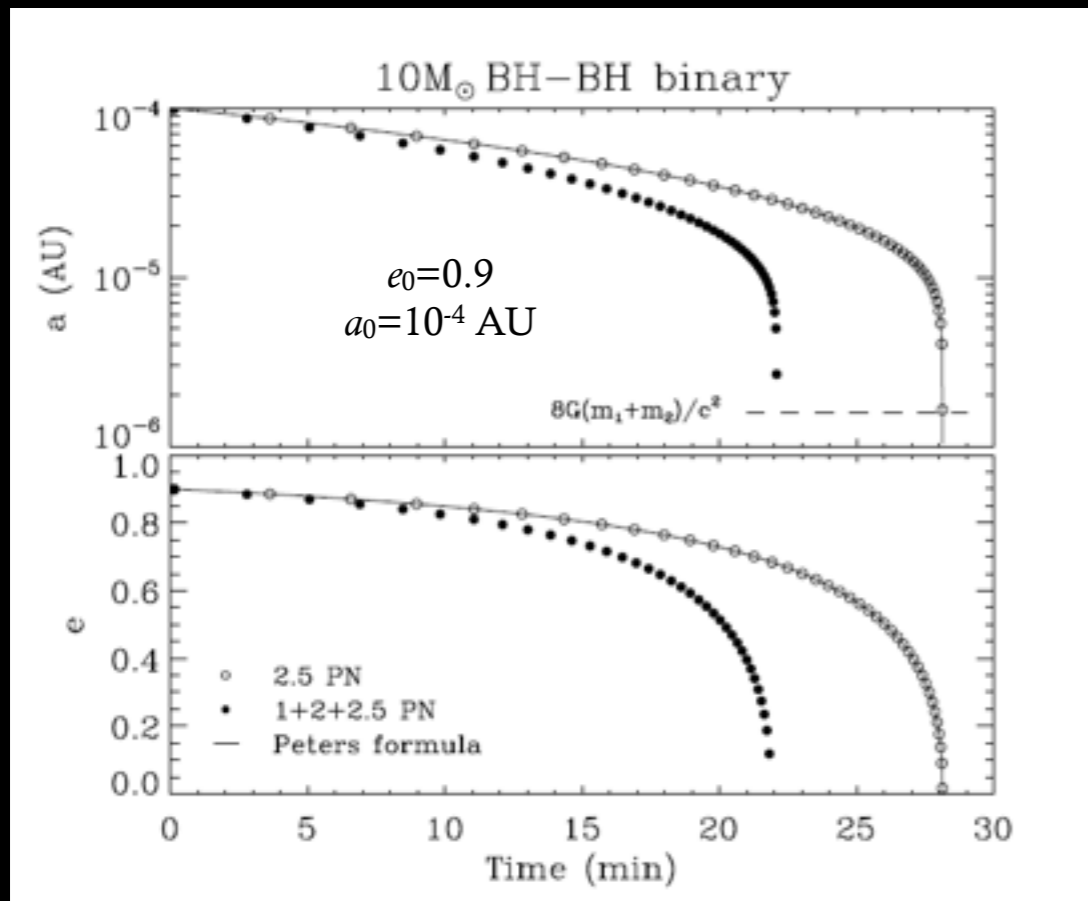
$$e \approx 3 \left(\frac{v_\infty}{c}\right)^{10/7} \left(\frac{r_p}{r_{p,max}}\right) + 1$$



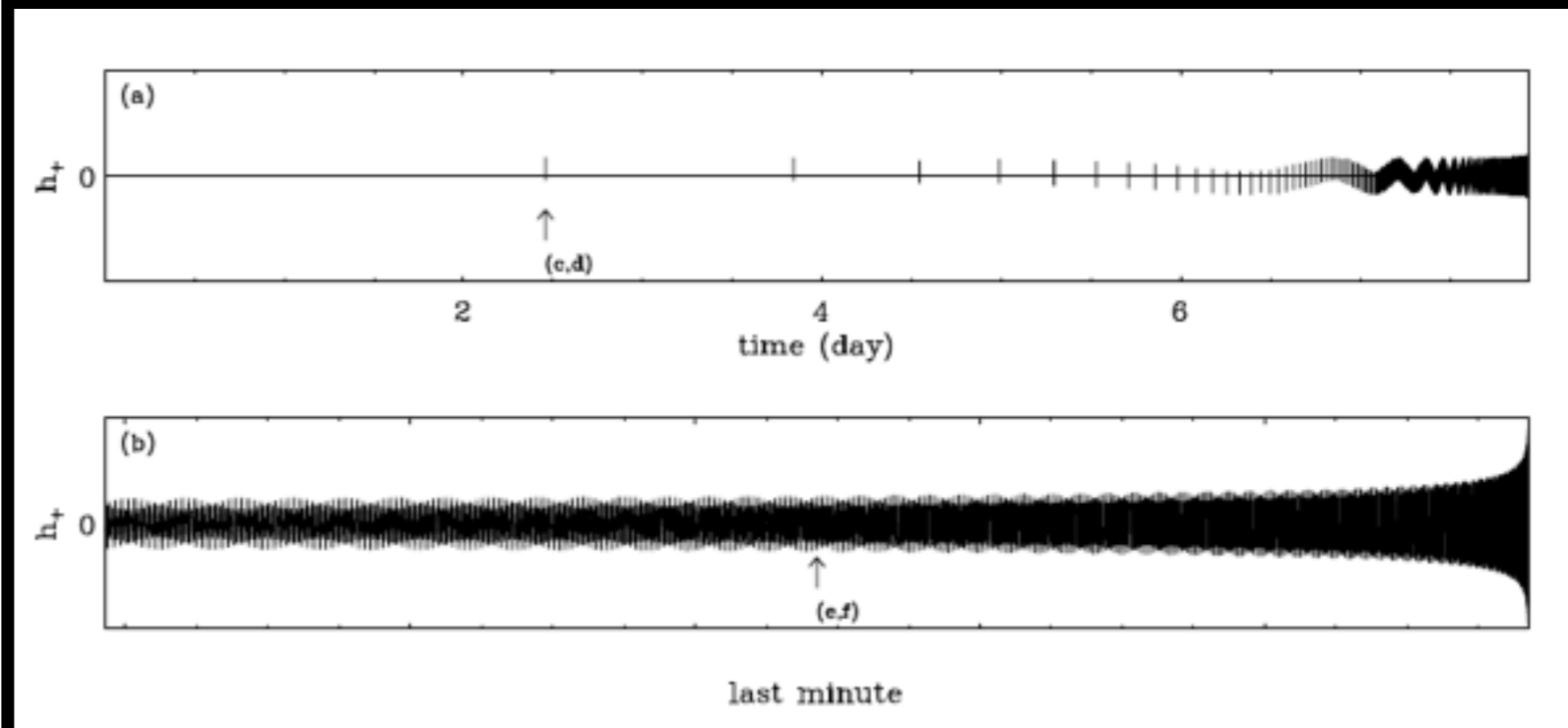
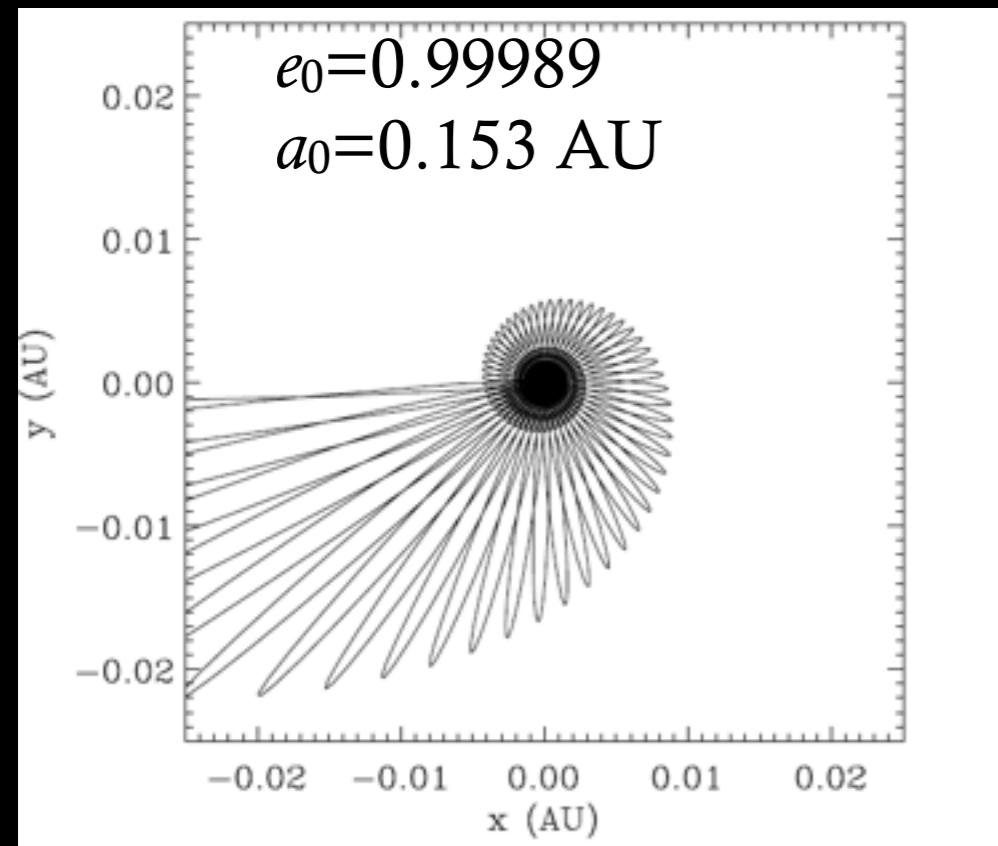
$$a' = \frac{Gm}{v_\infty^2} \left( \left(\frac{r_{p,max}}{r_p}\right)^{7/2} - 1 \right)^{-1}$$

$$e' \approx 1 - 3 \left(\frac{v_\infty}{c}\right)^{10/7} \frac{r_p}{r_{p,max}} \left( \left(\frac{r_{p,max}}{r_p}\right)^{7/2} - 1 \right)$$

# Orbital evolution and waveforms



- Precession should be taken into account for the calculation of the merging time.
- Binaries remain eccentric until they enter LIGO/Virgo band.
  - Waveforms are different from circular binaries



# Expected Detection Rates for Adv. LIGO

Models	$M_{\text{MBH}}/M_{\text{cl}}$	$\Gamma_{\text{mer,MW}}$ ( $\text{Myr}^{-1}$ )	$\mathcal{M}_{\text{BH}}^a$	$D_{\text{h}}$ (Mpc)	$\mathcal{R}_{\text{det,l}}^b$ ( $\text{yr}^{-1}$ )	$\mathcal{R}_{\text{det,re}}^c$ ( $\text{yr}^{-1}$ )	$\mathcal{R}_{\text{det,h}}^d$ ( $\text{yr}^{-1}$ )
1-4	0.2	$3.33 \times 10^{-4}$	0.44	$986^e$	0.06	0.44	2.99
				$\sim 1100^f$	0.09	0.64	4.32
5-7	0.1	$1.39 \times 10^{-4}$	0.44	$\sim 1900^g$	0.27	2.00	13.5
				$986^e$	0.02	0.19	1.25
5-7	0.1	$1.39 \times 10^{-4}$	0.44	$\sim 1100^f$	0.04	0.27	1.80
				$\sim 1900^g$	0.11	0.83	5.62

*e*: Abadie et al. 2010, SNR=8  
*f*: Baker et al. 2007, SNR=10  
*g*: Reiswig et al. 2009, SNR=8

- **BH-BH Detection rates: 0.02-10 yr<sup>-1</sup>**
  - 1-100 yr<sup>-1</sup> (Fokker-Planck simulations for Galactic nuclei; O'Leary et al. 2009)
    - c.f. 1-2 yr<sup>-1</sup> (field population synthesis; Belczynski et al. 2007, higher values in more recent works), 15-40 yr<sup>-1</sup> (dynamical formation and hardening in GC)

# Summary

- **Globular Clusters**

- Both NS-NS and BH-BH binaries can be formed by three-body processes
- They will become mergers well outside of the cluster (and halo)
- NS-NS contribution may be smaller than disk populations, but BH-BH could be similar (or larger)

- **Nuclear Clusters**

- BH-BH binaries are likely to be formed by capture process
- They become mergers in very short time (days to a 1000s years)
- They will remain eccentric until they enter LIGO/VIRGO bands
- Rate is uncertain, but likely to be much smaller than disk/globular cluster contribution ( $< 1$  per year)