

## Postprocessing:

Prepare as much as possible during run time  
Reading full snapshots in serial is slow

- > volume rendering
- > precompute voxels

## Runtime analysis/output

time series (5 steps to implement something new)  
slices  
spectra  
PDFs  
averages (xyaver, etc)  
sound file

```
pc_read_.....  
ls -l ~/pencil-code/idl/read/pc_read*
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pc_read_var.pro  
pc_read_ode.pro
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pc_read_ts.pro
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pc_read_xyaver.pro  
pc_read_yzaver.pro  
pc_read_xzaver.pro  
pc_read_yaver.pro  
pc_read_zaver.pro  
pc_read_1d_aver.pro  
pc_read_2d_aver.pro  
pc_read_phiavg.pro  
pc_read_phizaver.pro
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pc_read_param.pro
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pc_read_pdim.pro  
pc_read_psize.pro  
pc_read_pstalk.pro  
pc_read_pvar.pro  
pc_read_qdim.pro  
pc_read_qvar.pro
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pc_read_saffman.pro  
modules/powerspectra/power.pro
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pc_read_slice.pro  
pc_read_video.pro  
pc_read_videoslices.pro
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examples:

slices:

dardel:

scr/public\_html/teach/PencilCode/EarlyUnivSchool/session1\_run/const-nu-32768-ampl10-nu01

scr/public\_html/teach/PencilCode/EarlyUnivSchool/session1\_run/const-nu-32768-ampl10-nu02

/home/brandenb/data/isak/rel/3d/MGwp1024b\_vw08\_alphap5\_L20\_noexp\_nu2em3/PNG\_u2

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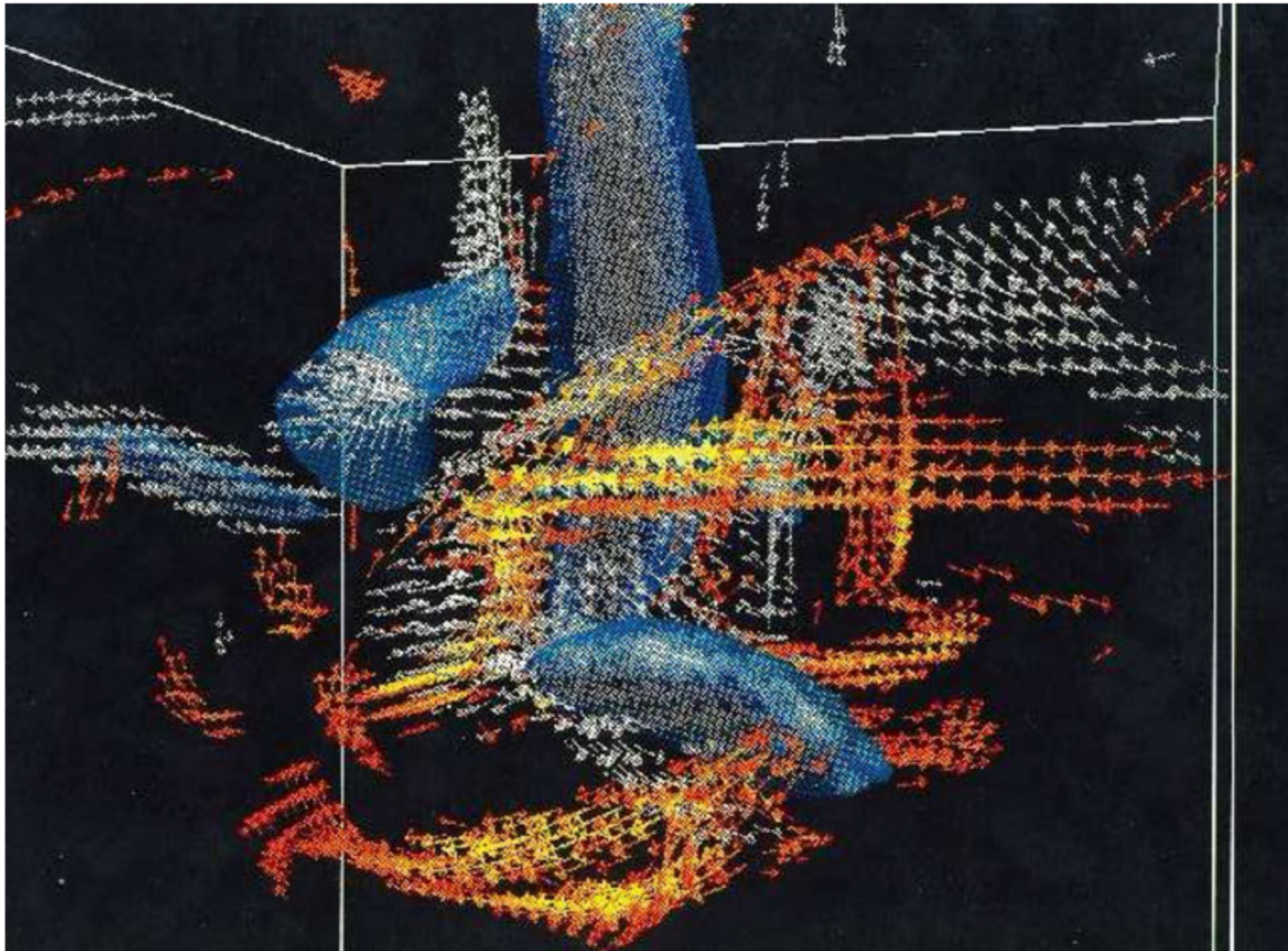
spectra:

/home/brandenb/data/sayan/GW/P1024\_k1\_kf10c\_rho\_nonuni

cat data/varname.dat

GW accuracy

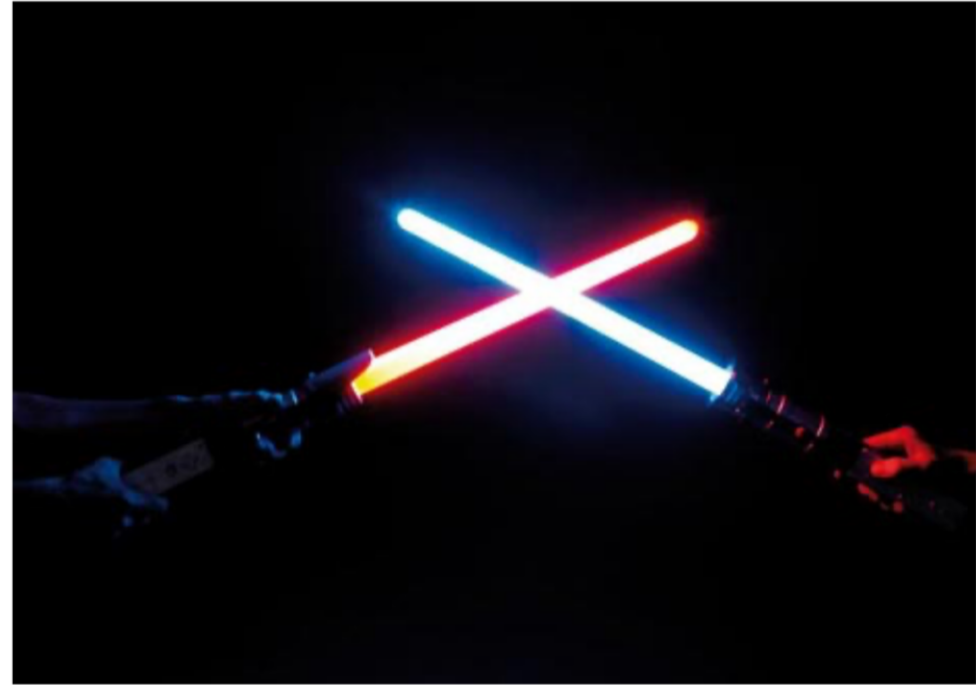




Vectors  
above  
threshold  
3 Brms



# Mutual obscuration as with lightsaber

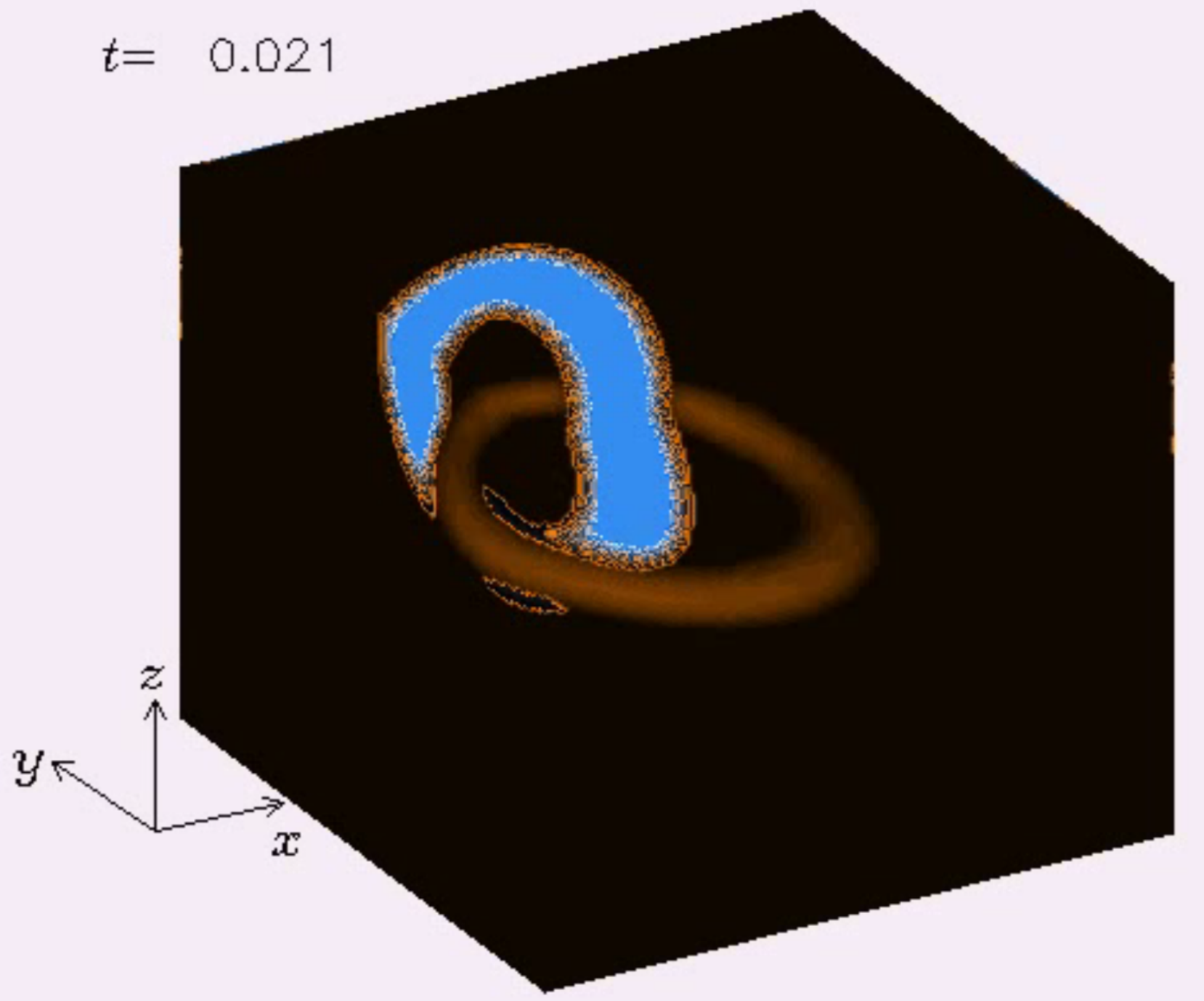


$$\hat{\mathbf{n}} \cdot \nabla I = -\rho\kappa (I - S)$$

$$\rho\kappa \propto B^2, \quad S \propto B^2$$



$t = 0.021$



Interlinked

$\vec{B}$  tube and  
 $\vec{\omega}$  tube.

$\Rightarrow$  Cross helicity

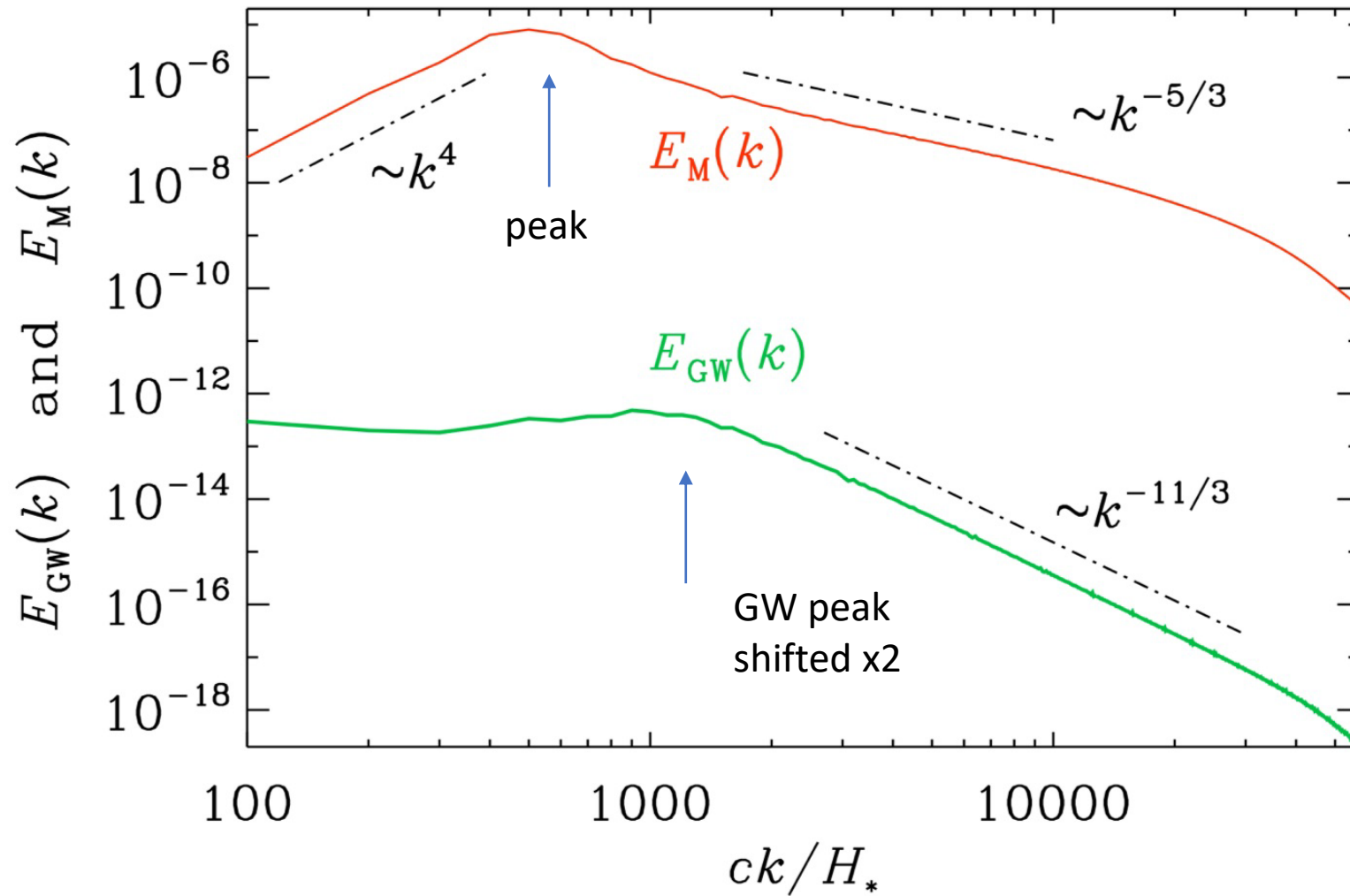
$$\int \vec{B} \cdot (\nabla \times)^T \vec{\omega} dV$$

$$= \int \vec{B} \cdot \vec{u} dV$$

$\neq 0$  (conserved)

# Gravitational Waves (GWs)

## Correspondence with (magnetohydrodynamic) turbulence



Roper Pol et al. (2020)

- Spectral energy per linear wavenumber interval
- $\Omega_{\text{GW}}(\ln k) = k E_{\text{GW}}$
- Forward cascade  $k^{-5/3}$

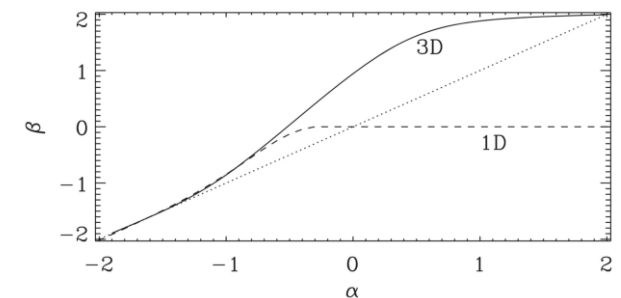
$$(\partial_t^2 + 3H\partial_t - c^2\nabla^2) h_{ij}(x, t) = \frac{16\pi G}{c^2} T_{ij}^{\text{TT}}(x, t)$$

- Relation between spectra:

$$\text{Sp}(\dot{\mathbf{h}}) \approx k^2 \text{Sp}(\mathbf{h}) \approx k^{-2} \text{Sp}(\mathbf{T}),$$

GW slope by  $k^2$  steeper

Peak at twice magnetic peak



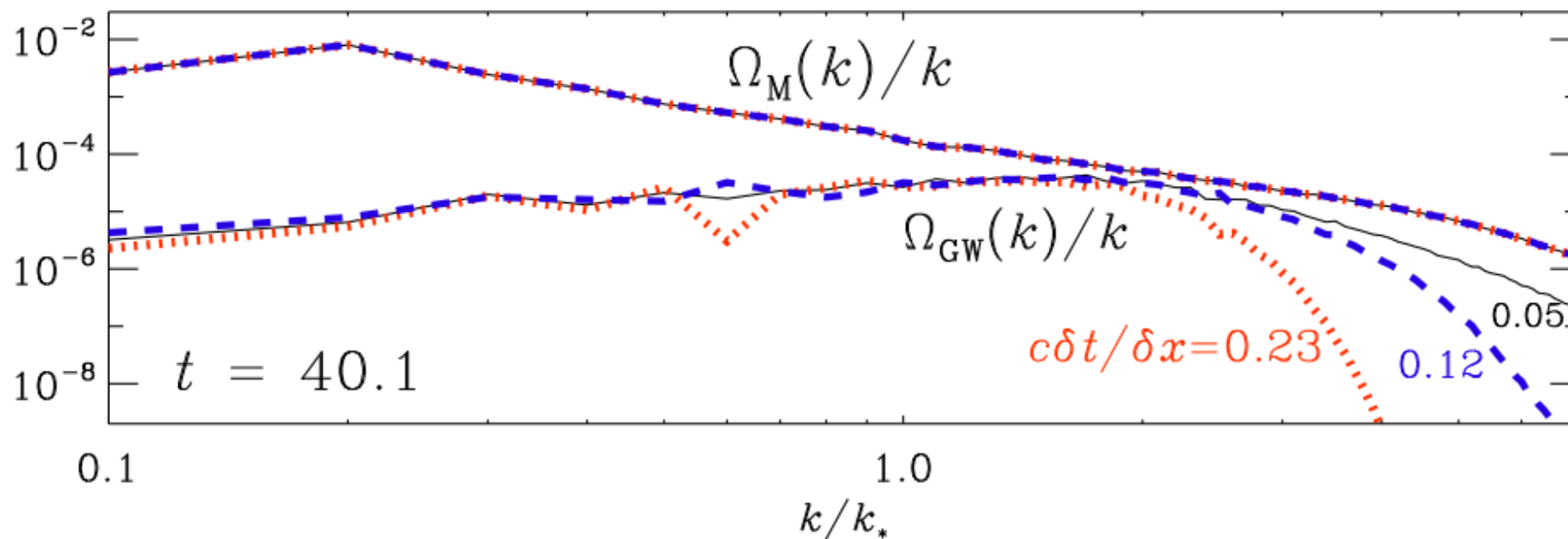


# Inaccuracy of “usual” 3<sup>rd</sup> order Runge-Kutta

$$\begin{pmatrix} h_{ij} \\ h'_{ij} \end{pmatrix}_{t+\delta t} \equiv \mathbf{q}_i, \quad \text{where} \quad \mathbf{q}_i = \mathbf{q}_{i-1} + \beta_i \mathbf{w}_i, \quad \mathbf{w}_i = \alpha_i \mathbf{w}_{i-1} + \delta t \mathbf{Q}_{i-1}, \quad (\text{approach I}).$$

with  $\alpha_1 = 0$ ,  $\alpha_2 = -5/9$ ,  $\alpha_3 = -153/128$ ,  $\beta_1 = 1/3$ ,  $\beta_2 = 15/16$ ,  $\beta_3 = 8/15$ , and

$$\mathbf{q}_{i-1} \equiv \begin{pmatrix} h_{ij} \\ h'_{ij} \end{pmatrix}_t, \quad \mathbf{Q}_{i-1} \equiv \begin{pmatrix} h'_{ij} \\ c^2 \nabla^2 h_{ij} + \mathcal{G} T_{ij} \end{pmatrix}_t.$$



# Alternative: exact solution for constant source between time steps

Consider:  $\ddot{h} + k^2 h = S$

General solution:

$(h, g)$  at  $t = 0$

$$h = +A \cos kt + B \sin kt + k^{-2} S$$

$$A = h - k^{-2} S$$

$$g = -Ak \sin kt + Bk \cos kt,$$

$$B = k^{-1} g$$

Solve as 2 first-order eqs

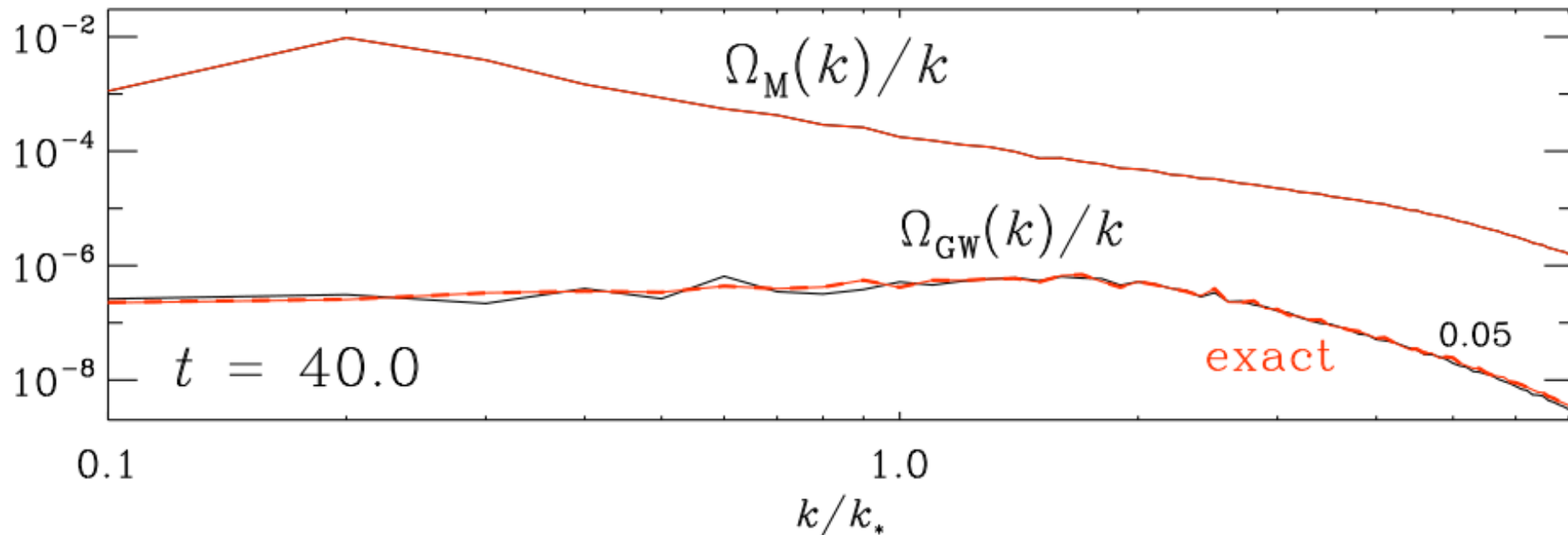
$$\dot{h} = g$$

$$\ddot{h} \equiv \dot{g} = -k^2 h + S$$

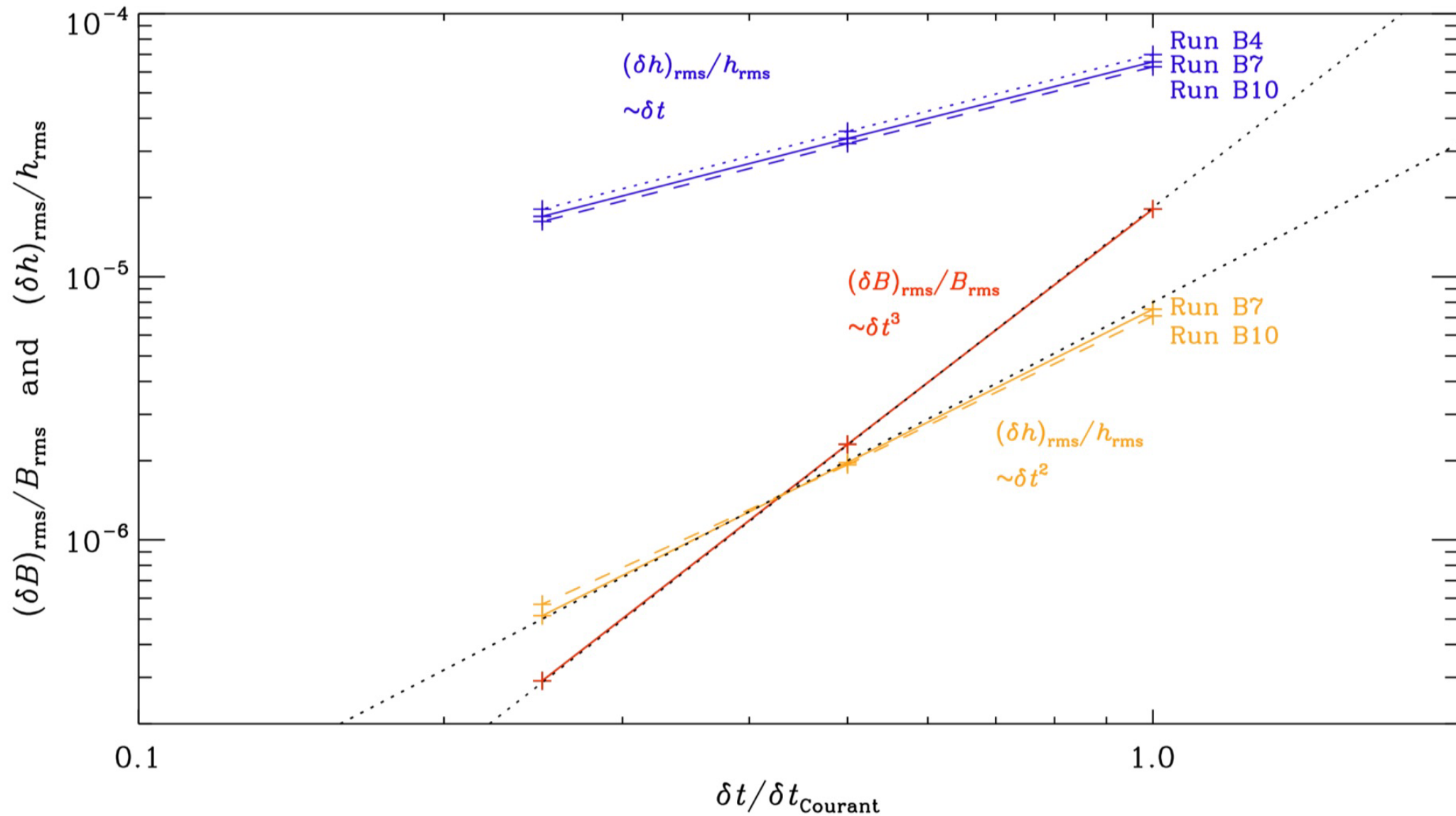
$$h(\delta t) = +(h - k^{-2} S) \cos k\delta t + k^{-1} g \sin k\delta t + k^{-2} S$$

$$g(\delta t) = -(h - k^{-2} S) k \sin k\delta t + k^{-1} g k \cos k\delta t,$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} kh - k^{-1} S \\ g \end{pmatrix}_{\text{new}} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos k\delta t & \sin k\delta t \\ -\sin k\delta t & \cos k\delta t \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} kh - k^{-1} S \\ g \end{pmatrix}_{\text{current}}$$



# Dependence of accuracy on time step: only 1<sup>st</sup> order





# Allowing linear variations between time steps

Taylor expand:

$$\begin{aligned} h &= +A \cos kt + B \sin kt + k^{-2}(S_0 + \dot{S}_0 \delta t) \\ g &= -Ak \sin kt + Bk \cos kt + k^{-2} \dot{S}_0 \end{aligned}$$

Modified update involving  $\delta S$

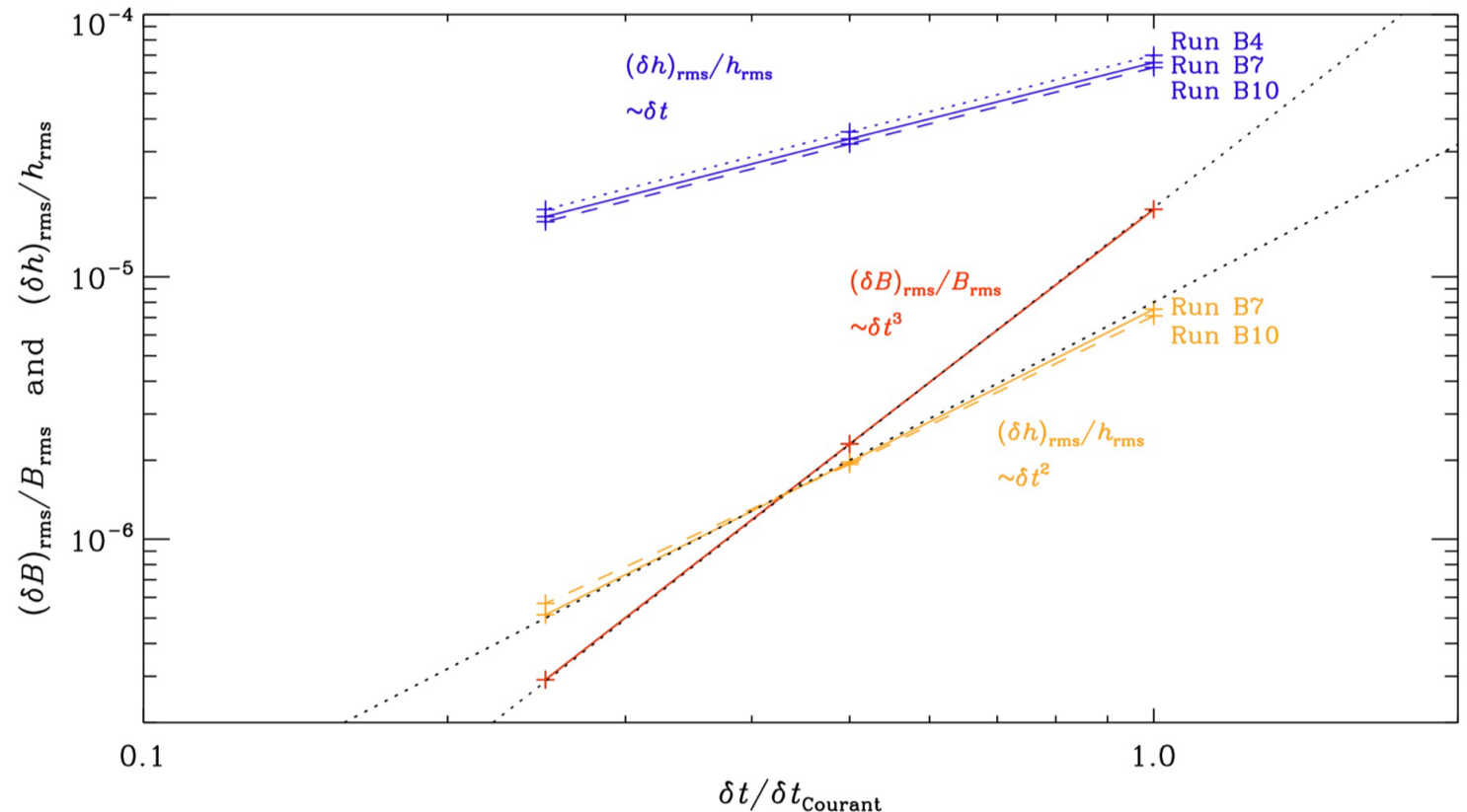
$$\begin{pmatrix} kh - k^{-1}(S_0 + \delta S) \\ g - k^{-2} \delta S / \delta t \end{pmatrix}_{\text{new}} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos k\delta t & \sin k\delta t \\ -\sin k\delta t & \cos k\delta t \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} kh - k^{-1}S \\ g - k^{-2} \delta S / \delta t \end{pmatrix}_{\text{current}}$$

Additional update to make it 2<sup>nd</sup> order:

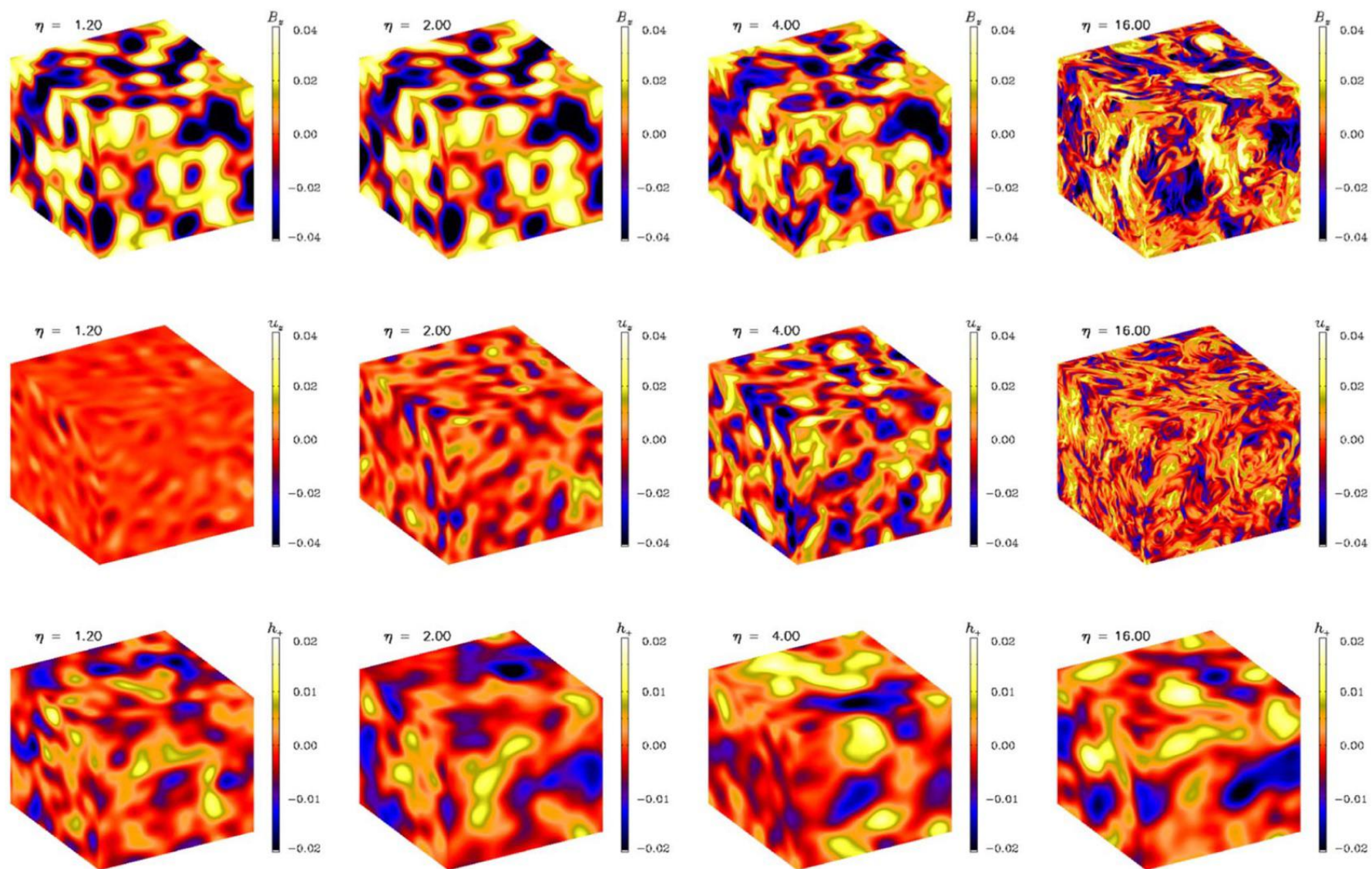
$$\begin{pmatrix} h \\ g \end{pmatrix}_{\text{2nd order}} = \dots + \frac{\delta S}{k^2} \begin{pmatrix} [1 - (\sin k\delta t)/k\delta t] \\ (1 - \cos k\delta t)/\delta t \end{pmatrix}$$

→ Error decreases quadratically with decreasing time step  $\delta t$

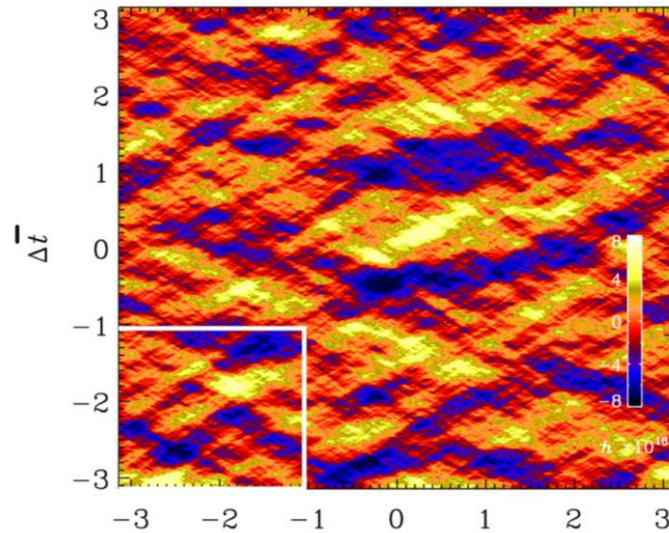
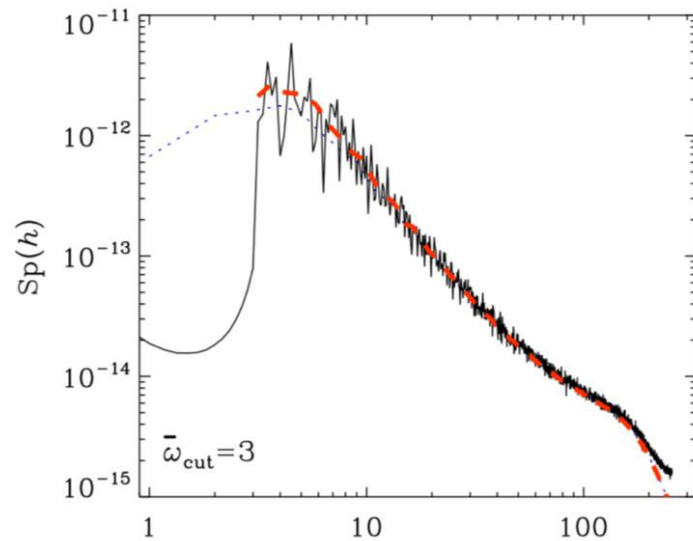
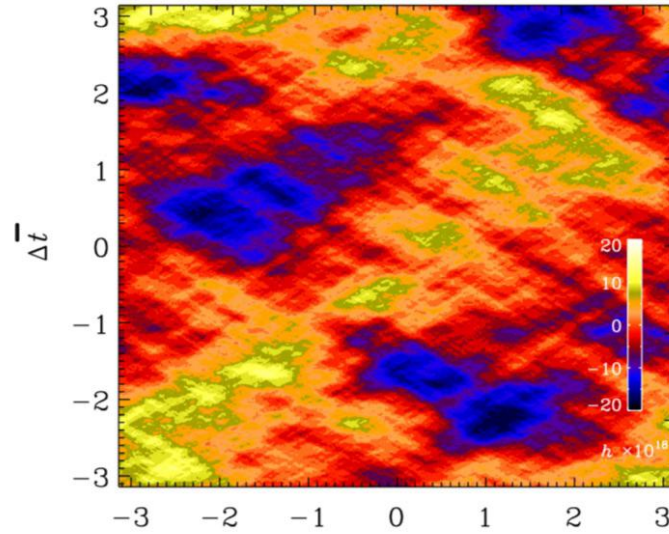
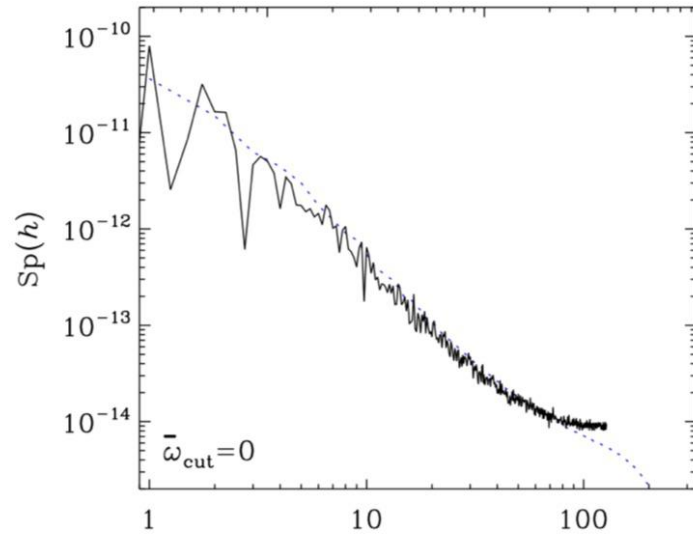
→ At no additional cost



# No small scales in GW field



# Temporal spectra and real space GW field



He, AB, Sinha (2021)

Here finite graviton mass

$$(\square - m_g^2)\bar{h}_{\mu\nu} = -16\pi GT_{\mu\nu},$$

Lower cutoff frequency

$$\omega_{\text{cut}} = m_g c^2 / \hbar$$

Cutoff dominates visual appearance

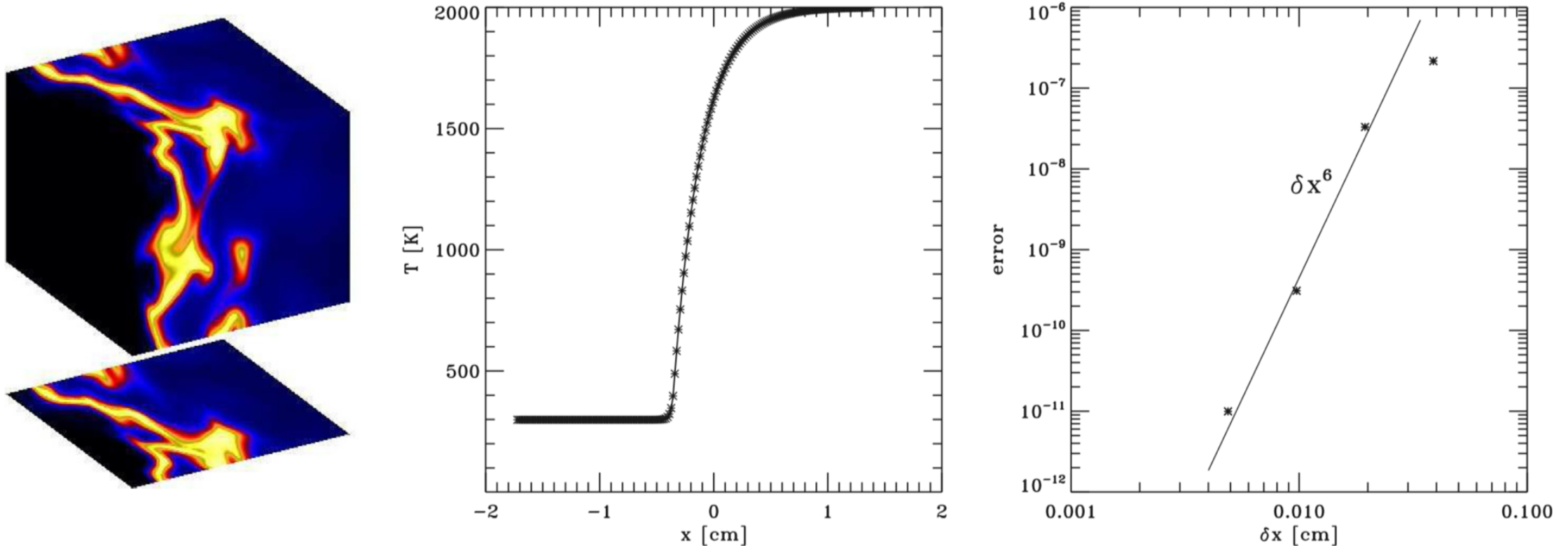
Again mostly large scales



# A high-order public domain code for direct numerical simulations of turbulent combustion

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$Y_{\text{H}_2} = 2.4\%$ ,  $Y_{\text{O}_2} = 23\%$  and  $Y_{\text{N}_2} = 74.6\%$



**Fig. 1.** One-step laminar premixed flame model. *Left panel:* temperature as a function of  $x$  obtained numerically (solid curve) and analytically (asterisks). *Right panel:* error of the calculation as a function of the mesh spacing  $\delta x$  is shown by asterisks, and the expected dependence of error (proportional to  $\delta x^6$ ) is indicated by the solid line.