

## **Non-wave solutions of the Maxwell-Einstein Equations.**

### **ABSTRACT**

This article is devoted to treating of non-wave, i.e. instanton solution for the Maxwell-Einstein equations. Equations for the field of instanton and metric are derived. Metric of pseudo-Euclid space which is corresponding to transition between degenerate classical vacua of problem and is connected with presence at the space infinity divergent and convergent spherical electromagnetic waves is studied. An expression of the instanton is received and it's size is found. Value of pseudo-Euclid action is calculated. It is shown that instanton violates so called "weak energetic condition" which is essential for space-time singularities proving.

**Keywords:** instanton, pseudo-Euclid space, classical vacuum, pseudo-Euclid action.

### **1. INTRODUCTION**

Gravitational instantons attract attention, starting from [1]. We recall the definition. Instantons are known as topologically nontrivial localized solution of the classical pseudo-Euclidean field equations characterized by a finite action and connecting two different vacuums of the theory [2]. Euclidean version of the theory is introduced by replacing the Minkowski metric  $g^{\mu\nu}$  ( $g^{00} = 1$ ,  $g^{ij} = -\delta_{ij}$ ,  $i, j = 1, 2, 3$ ) to the Euclidean metric  $\delta^{\mu\nu}$ . Formally, the transition from the description in Minkowski space to a description in pseudo-Euclidean space is performed by replacing the time coordinate  $x^0$  in Minkowski space to coordinate  $y^0 = ix^0$  in pseudo-Euclidean space, while introducing a pseudo-Euclidean action  $\Lambda$ , associating it with the action in Minkowski space  $S$  by expression  $\Lambda = iS$ ,  $i = (-1)^{\frac{1}{2}}$ .

Instantons of classical field equations in Minkowski space describe in the semiclassical approximation quantum tunneling process between degenerate classical states located near different classical vacuums. In the theory of Maxwell-Einstein (M-E) equations. These degenerate states are states in which there is convergent (divergent) electromagnetic wave at spatial infinity, which represent the two degenerate vacuums of the theory. As was shown in [3] classical transition between these states is impossible. Indeed, if we consider the vacuum in which there is a convergent spherical electromagnetic wave (SEMW), then taking into account the curvature of space-time due to the waves almost all the rays corresponding to small portions of the wave front will capture by curvature of metric and do not give a contribution to the outgoing wave<sup>1</sup>. Therefore, the role of the instanton of the M-E equations

<sup>1</sup> In other words, convergent wave is not focused to a point, or, in mathematical terms corresponding map is not homotopic to zero [4].

is extremely important in description of such an intuitive and "simple" phenomenon, which seems to be the process of transformation a convergent SEMW to a divergent one. Another important application of the instanton of the M-E equations is development a physical theory of electromagnetic resonators, which eliminates the unphysical singularities of fields, for example, in a spherical cavity [5]. And at last, an important application of the theory developed is cosmology, because the process of transformation of a convergent to a divergent SEMW is one of the main processes in the universe.

A brief scope of the present results is published in the Internet report [6].

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## 44 2. BASIC EQUATIONS

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46 As the initial equations we choose the Einstein's gravitational equations and the equations  
47 of the electromagnetic field in vacuum (Maxwell's equations) associated with each other [7]:

$$R_{ik} - \frac{1}{2} g_{ik} R = \frac{8\pi K}{c^4} T_{ik}; F_{,k}^{ik} + \Gamma_{kl}^l F^{ik} = 0 \quad (1)$$

50 Here  $R$  – trace of Ricci's tensor  $R^i_i$ ;  $R = R^i_i$ ;  $g_{ik}$  – metric tensor;  $T_{ik}$  and  $F^{ik}$  – tensor of energy-  
51 momentum and electromagnetic one;  $\Gamma_{kl}^i$  – Christoffel's symbols;  $c$  – light speed in vacuum,  
52  $K$  – gravitation constant; indices  $i, k, l$  take values 0, 1, 2, 3; repeated indices mean  
53 summation; comma means usual, i.e. non-covariant derivative[8]. Let us find a solution of (1)  
54 which corresponds to existence of spherical light wave at  $r \rightarrow \infty$ . For this we use an  
55 expression for interval just as in well-known Schwarzschild problem[8]:

$$ds^2 = e^\nu c^2 dt^2 - e^\lambda dr^2 - r^2 (d\theta^2 + \sin^2 \theta \cdot d\varphi^2) \quad (2)$$

57  $\nu = \nu(t, r, \theta)$ ,  $\lambda = \lambda(t, r, \theta)$ ;  $x^0 = ct$ ,  $t$  – time;  $x^1 = r$ ,  $x^2 = \theta$ ,  $x^3 = \varphi$  – spherical co-ordinates. SEMW  
58 is characterized by frequency  $\omega$  and kinetic moment vector  $\vec{J}$ . Let us choose z - axis of the  
59 co-ordinate system in direction perpendicular to  $\vec{J}$ . It simplifies a treating because the  
60 dependence of azimuth angle  $\varphi$  in (1) may be omitted.

61 Second equation in (1) may be transformed to [8]:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial}{\partial x^\beta} (\sqrt{-g} F^{\alpha\beta}) - \frac{\partial}{\partial x^0} (\sqrt{-g} F^{0\alpha}) &= 0 \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x^\beta} (\sqrt{-g} F^{0\beta}) &= 0, \alpha, \beta = 1, 2, 3; \\ \sqrt{-g} &= e^{\frac{\lambda+\nu}{2}} r^2 \sin^2 \theta \end{aligned} \quad (3)$$

63 where  $\alpha = 1, 2$  correspond for the SEMW of TM - type, and  $\alpha=3$  – for SEMW of TE-type.  
 64 Below we restrict ourselves with the case of TM - type<sup>2</sup>, for which nonzero components of  
 65 vector-potential and electromagnetic tensor are only  $A_1, A_2$  and:

$$66 \quad F_{01} = \frac{\partial A_1}{\partial x^0}, F_{12} = \frac{\partial A_2}{\partial x^1} - \frac{\partial A_1}{\partial x^2}, F_{02} = \frac{\partial A_2}{\partial x^0} \quad (4)$$

67 We use the Hamilton calibration  $A_0 = 0$ . For variables' separation we assume an additional  
 68 condition:  $\lambda = \alpha(r, t) + \beta(\theta)$ ,  $v = -\alpha(r, t) + \beta(\theta)$ . Substitution (4) into (3) gives us two equations for  
 69 the components  $A_1$  and  $A_2$ :

$$70 \quad \begin{aligned} e^{-\alpha(r,t)} \sin \theta \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left[ r^2 e^{-\beta(\theta)} \frac{\partial A_1}{\partial t} \right] + \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \left[ \sin \theta \frac{\partial A_2}{\partial t} \right] &= 0 \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \left[ \sin \theta \left( \frac{\partial A_1}{\partial \theta} - \frac{\partial A_2}{\partial r} \right) \right] - e^{\alpha(r,t)} \frac{r^2}{c^2} \sin \theta \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left[ e^{-\beta(\theta)} \frac{\partial A_1}{\partial t} \right] &= 0 \end{aligned} \quad (5)$$

71 If we take a derivative of the first equation in (5) on  $r$  and second – on  $ct$ , then we exclude  $A_2$   
 72 from the equations. Representing  $F_{01} = \Psi(r, t) \cdot \Phi(\theta)$ , we receive equations for  $\Psi(r, t)$  and  $\Phi(\theta)$ :

$$73 \quad \begin{aligned} \frac{d^2 \Phi}{d\theta^2} + \text{ctg} \theta \frac{d\Phi}{d\theta} + l(l+1) e^{-\beta(\theta)} \Phi &= 0 \\ e^{-\alpha(r,t)} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial r^2} (r^2 \Psi) - e^{\alpha(r,t)} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} (r^2 \Psi) - l(l+1) \Psi &= 0 \end{aligned} \quad (6)$$

74 It leads from (6) that for  $\beta \rightarrow 0$   $\Phi(\cos \theta) = P_l(\cos \theta)$ , where  $P_l(\cos \theta)$  – Legendre polinomial,  
 75 and  $l$  is nonnegative integer[9].

76 Energy-momentum tensor's components  $T_k^i$  may be expressed by the components of metric  
 77 tensor  $g_k^i$  with the help of Einstein's equation of gravity [8]:

$$78 \quad \frac{8\pi K}{c^4} T_k^i = R_k^i - \frac{1}{2} \delta_k^i R \quad (7)$$

79 where  $\delta_k^i$  – unit 4-tensor, and  $R$  – is a trace of tensor  $R_k^i$ . The details of calculations one can  
 80 find in [8], for example. Besides Christoffel's symbols presented in [8], we need some  
 81 additional ones; a symbol  $\tilde{\phantom{x}}$  (tilde) means a derivative by the angle  $\theta$ :

$$82 \quad \Gamma_{12}^1 = \Gamma_{21}^1 = \frac{\tilde{\lambda}}{2}, \Gamma_{02}^0 = \Gamma_{20}^0 = \frac{\tilde{v}}{2}, \Gamma_{11}^2 = \frac{\tilde{\lambda} e^\lambda}{2r^2}, \Gamma_{00}^2 = \frac{\tilde{v} e^\nu}{2r^2}$$

83 A result looks as follows:

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<sup>2</sup> A solution for the SEMW of TE – type does not need separate treating because Maxwell-Einstein equations are invariant with the transformation  $\mathbf{E} \rightarrow -\mathbf{H}$ ,  $\mathbf{H} \rightarrow \mathbf{E}$ , (so as Maxwell ones ) due to invariance of energy-momentum tensor  $T_{ik}$

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{8\pi K}{c^4} T_0^0 &= -e^{-\alpha-\beta} \left( \frac{1}{r^2} - \frac{\alpha'}{r} \right) + \frac{1}{r^2} + \frac{\tilde{\beta}}{2r^2} (2\tilde{\beta} + 1) \\
\frac{8\pi K}{c^4} T_1^1 &= -e^{-\alpha-\beta} \left( \frac{1}{r^2} - \frac{\alpha'}{r} \right) + \frac{1}{r^2} - \frac{1}{r^2} \left[ 2\tilde{\beta} + 2(\tilde{\beta})^2 + 2\tilde{\beta} \operatorname{ctg} \theta - \frac{\tilde{\beta}}{2} \right] \\
\frac{8\pi K}{c^4} T_2^2 &= \frac{1}{2} e^{-\alpha-\beta} \left[ \alpha'' - (\alpha')^2 + \frac{2\alpha'}{r} \right] + \frac{1}{2} e^{\alpha-\beta} (\ddot{\alpha} + \dot{\alpha}^2) + \\
&\frac{1}{2r^2} \left[ \tilde{\beta} + (\tilde{\beta})^2 - \tilde{\beta} \operatorname{ctg} \theta - \frac{\tilde{\beta}}{2} \right] \\
\frac{8\pi K}{c^4} T_3^3 &= \frac{1}{2} e^{-\alpha-\beta} \left[ \alpha'' - (\alpha')^2 + \frac{2\alpha'}{r} \right] + \frac{1}{2} e^{\alpha-\beta} (\ddot{\alpha} + \dot{\alpha}^2) - \frac{1}{2r^2} \left( \tilde{\beta} - \tilde{\beta} \operatorname{ctg} \theta + \frac{\tilde{\beta}}{2} \right) \\
\frac{8\pi K}{c^4} T_0^1 &= -e^{-\alpha-\beta} \frac{\dot{\alpha}}{r}; \frac{8\pi K}{c^4} T_0^2 = 0; \frac{8\pi K}{c^4} T_1^2 = -\frac{2\tilde{\beta}}{r^3}
\end{aligned} \tag{8}$$

Also express the components of energy-momentum tensor  $T_k^i$  through solution of Maxwell's equations for  $F_{01} = \Psi(r, x^0)\Phi(\theta)$ ,  $\Phi(\theta) = P_l(\cos\theta)$  - Legendre polynomial of order  $l$  [7]:

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{8\pi K}{c^4} T_0^0 &= \frac{2K}{c^4} \left\{ \frac{1}{2} e^{-2\beta} \Psi^2 + \frac{1}{[l(l+1)]^2} \left[ \frac{1}{2r^2} e^{-\alpha-\beta} \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial r} r^2 \Psi \right)^2 + \frac{r^2}{2} e^{\alpha-\beta} \left( \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial x^0} \right)^2 \right] \right\} \Phi^2 \\
\frac{8\pi K}{c^4} T_1^1 &= \frac{2K}{c^4} \left\{ \frac{1}{2} e^{-2\beta} \Psi^2 - \frac{1}{[l(l+1)]^2} \left[ \frac{1}{2r^2} e^{-\alpha-\beta} \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial r} r^2 \Psi \right)^2 + \frac{r^2}{2} e^{\alpha-\beta} \left( \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial x^0} \right)^2 \right] \right\} \Phi^2 \\
\frac{8\pi K}{c^4} T_2^2 &= \frac{2K}{c^4} \left\{ -\frac{1}{2} e^{-2\beta} \Psi^2 + \frac{1}{[l(l+1)]^2} \left[ \frac{1}{2r^2} e^{-\alpha-\beta} \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial r} r^2 \Psi \right)^2 - \frac{r^2}{2} e^{\alpha-\beta} \left( \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial x^0} \right)^2 \right] \right\} \Phi^2 \\
\frac{8\pi K}{c^4} T_3^3 &= \frac{2K}{c^4} \left\{ -\frac{1}{2} e^{-2\beta} \Psi^2 + \frac{1}{[l(l+1)]^2} \left[ -\frac{1}{2r^2} e^{-\alpha-\beta} \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial r} r^2 \Psi \right)^2 + \frac{r^2}{2} e^{\alpha-\beta} \left( \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial x^0} \right)^2 \right] \right\} \Phi^2 \\
\frac{8\pi K}{c^4} T_0^1 &= -\frac{2K}{c^4} \frac{e^{-\alpha-\beta}}{[l(l+1)]^2} \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial x^0} \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial r} r^2 \Psi \right) \Phi^2; \frac{8\pi K}{c^4} T_0^2 = \frac{2K}{c^4} \frac{e^{-\beta}}{l(l+1)} \Psi \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial x^0} \cdot \Phi^2 \\
\frac{8\pi K}{c^4} T_1^2 &= \frac{2K}{c^4} \frac{e^{-\beta}}{l(l+1)} \frac{\Psi}{r^2} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} (r^2 \Psi) \cdot \Phi^2
\end{aligned} \tag{9}$$

In accordance with [7] right sides of equations (9) is averaged over the angle  $\theta$ . In addition, for the wave solutions they are averaged over time [7]. For the non-wave-solutions the procedure of averaging over time has no meaning. Consider first the last three equations: for the  $T_0^1$ ,  $T_0^2$  and  $T_1^2$ . Note, that their right hand sides, except the equation for the  $T_0^1$  are of the order of value  $\sim r_s^2/r^2 \ll 1$ , where  $r_s^2 = K < f >^2 / 2c^4$ ,  $< f >$  - solution's order of value,  $f = r^2 \Psi$ . Therefore, at distances of the order of the wavelength of light right hand sides of

97 equations can be omitted<sup>3</sup>. This is consistent with the equations for  $T_0^2$  and  $T_1^2$  (5),  
 98 if  $\tilde{\beta} = 0$ . The equation for  $T_0^1$  in (9) we will use to find  $\alpha$ .

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### 3. TREATMENT THE EQUATIONS

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Subtracting the second equation in (9) from the first one and equating the result with the similar operation which is done with equations (8) we receive:

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{2K}{c^4} \left[ e^{-\alpha} \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial r} r^2 \Psi \right)^2 + e^{\alpha} \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial x^0} r^2 \Psi \right)^2 \right] = \\ 105 \quad & \frac{e^{\beta} [l(l+1)]^2}{\Phi^2} \left[ \tilde{\beta} + 2\tilde{\beta}^2 + \tilde{\beta} \left( \text{ctg} \theta + \frac{1}{4} \right) \right] = A \end{aligned} \quad (10)$$

106  $A$  is a constant. The solutions of (6), corresponding to the equation (10) one can treat in  
 107 pseudo-Euclidean space which metric follows from the Minkowski space's metric with  
 108 substitution time co-ordinate  $x^0$  to "time" co-ordinate  $-iy^0$  in pseudo-Euclidean space. At the  
 109 same time one can introduce pseudo-Euclidean action  $\Lambda$ , which is connected with the action  $S$   
 110 in Minkowski space as follows  $\Lambda = iS$ ,  $i = (-1)^{1/2}$ . It is known [2] that localized solutions of  
 111 Euclidean field equations with finite Euclidean action are instantons. An instantons of  
 112 classical field equations in Minkowski space describe in quasi-classical limit tunneling  
 113 between degenerate classical states, which contain convergent and divergent SEMW. This  
 114 procedure turns second hyperbolic equation in (6) to the elliptic one. If one suppose its  
 115 finiteness at  $r \rightarrow \infty$  then he receives a condition  $A = 0$  from the equation (10). This  
 116 provides second equation (6) looks as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} e^{\alpha} &= \pm \frac{\partial f}{\partial r} \left( \frac{\partial f}{\partial y^0} \right)^{-1}; \\ 117 \quad f'' + \left( \frac{f'}{f} \right)^2 \ddot{f} \mp \frac{l(l+1)}{r^2} \frac{f'}{\dot{f}} f &= 0; \\ f &= r^2 \Psi \end{aligned} \quad (11)$$

118 Here prime still means a derivative on  $x^1 = r$ , and point – on  $y^0 = cr$ .

119 Signs  $\pm$  hereafter correspond to different vacuums of the theory, located at  $r \rightarrow \pm \infty$ . Using  
 120 (11) we can rewrite the equations for instantons (8) and (9) in the form:

121 Einstein equations:

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<sup>3</sup> See details in [3].

$$\begin{aligned}
& -e^{-\alpha} \left( \frac{1}{r^2} - \frac{\alpha'}{r} \right) + \frac{1}{r^2} = \frac{K}{c^4} \frac{f^2}{r^4} \\
122 \quad & \frac{1}{2} e^{-\alpha} \left[ \alpha'' - (\alpha')^2 + \frac{2\alpha'}{r} \right] - \frac{1}{2} e^{\alpha} (\ddot{\alpha} + \dot{\alpha}^2) = -\frac{2K}{c^4} \left\{ \frac{f^2}{2r^4} + \frac{1}{[l(l+1)]^2} \frac{e^{\alpha}}{r^2} (\dot{f})^2 \right\} \quad (12)
\end{aligned}$$

123 Point here and below means derivative  $y^0$ .

124 Maxwell equations:

$$\begin{aligned}
125 \quad & f'' + e^{2\alpha} \ddot{f} - e^{\alpha} \frac{l(l+1)}{r^2} f = 0 \\
126 \quad & \quad \quad \quad (13)
\end{aligned}$$

127 Consider the equation (12). They are compatible if the condition is true:

$$\begin{aligned}
128 \quad & e^{\alpha} (\ddot{\alpha} + \dot{\alpha}^2) \mp \frac{2\dot{\alpha}}{r} = \frac{K}{c^4} \frac{1}{r^3} \frac{df^2}{dr} \\
129 \quad & \quad \quad \quad (14)
\end{aligned}$$

130 Condition (14) allows us to rewrite equations (12) in the form:

$$\begin{aligned}
& -e^{-\alpha} \left( \frac{1}{r^2} - \frac{\alpha'}{r} \right) + \frac{1}{r^2} = \frac{K}{c^4} \frac{f^2}{r^4} \\
& e^{-\alpha} \left[ \alpha'' - (\alpha')^2 + \frac{2\alpha'}{r} \right] = -\frac{2K}{c^4} \left[ \frac{f^2}{2r^4} + \frac{1}{r^3} \frac{df^2}{dr} \right] \\
131 \quad & \quad \quad \quad (15)
\end{aligned}$$

132 **Treating** these equations is very difficult even numerically. Therefore, we are interested  
133 mainly in the asymptotic behavior of their solutions at distances  $r \geq \lambda$ ,  $\lambda$  is a wavelength of  
134 light. Note that their right sides are of the order  $\sim r_s^2/r^2 \ll 1$  and they can be omitted with the  
135 adopted accuracy. Then Einstein's equations reduce to a single equation. Its solution is  
136 consistent with the metric in a space free of matter **which** is well known

$$\begin{aligned}
137 \quad & e^{\alpha} \approx 1 + \frac{const}{r} \\
138 \quad & \quad \quad \quad (16)
\end{aligned}$$

139 **Here** the value of the constant *const* is to be determined. Furthermore, this asymptotic  
140 equation (13) and (14) have autoscale solutions, depending on  $z = cr/r$ . For such solutions  
141 instead of (14) we obtain the equation

$$\begin{aligned}
142 \quad & \sigma'' \mp 2 \frac{\sigma'}{\sigma} = 0, \sigma = e^{\alpha}, \sigma' = \frac{d\sigma}{dz} \\
& \quad \quad \quad (17)
\end{aligned}$$

Equation (17) is easily integrated and leads to the expression  $Ei(\alpha) = \pm 2z$ , where  $Ei$ -integral exponent. Using the well-known **series** expansion [10]:

$$Ei(\alpha) = \ln|\alpha| + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{\alpha^k}{k \cdot k!}$$

we can get the expression for the metric for large values of  $z$ :

$$e^\alpha \approx 1 + e^{-2|z|} \quad (18)$$

Formula (18) describes the transition between the vacuum states with flat metric corresponding to the presence of at  $z \rightarrow -\infty$  convergent SEMW, and at  $z \rightarrow +\infty$  divergent one. This transition is localized to  $\tau$ , the localization region has a size  $\sim r/c$ . Einstein's equations are also satisfied because "time"  $\tau$  does not appear in them, and the equation (17) has a solution that can be represented for small  $z$  (large  $r$ ) as a series **expansion**

$$\sigma = e^\alpha = 1 + \mu z - \mu z^2 + \frac{\mu(\mu+1)}{3} z^3 + \dots \approx 1 + \frac{\mu\tau}{r}, \mu = \sigma'(0) \quad (19).$$

#### 4. PSEUDO-EUCLID ACTION

Let us calculate the action in curved space-time [7]

$$\begin{aligned} S_f &= -\frac{1}{16\pi c} \int F_{ik} F^{ik} \sqrt{-g} d\Omega; \\ d\Omega &= dx^0 dx^1 dx^2 dx^3; \\ \sqrt{-g} &= r^2 e^{\beta(\theta)} \sin \theta \end{aligned} \quad (20)$$

Turning to action in pseudo-Euclidean space  $\Lambda = iS_f$ ,  $dx^0 = -icd\tau$ , and using (11) and the normalization **condition for**  $\Phi(\theta)$  [9], we receive (if  $\beta = 0$ )

$$\Lambda = \frac{1}{4c^2} \int \left\{ \left( \frac{\partial A_r}{\partial \tau} \right)^2 \pm \frac{2r^2}{c[l(l+1)]^2} \frac{\partial^2 A_r}{\partial r \partial \tau} \frac{\partial^2 A_r}{\partial \tau^2} \right\} r^2 dr d\tau \quad (21)$$

In (21) also is taken into account that  $A_\theta$  can be expressed through  $A_r$  [7]. Let us treat extremes of  $\Lambda$ . For this we calculate the variation  $\delta\Lambda$  on  $A_r$  provided condition  $\delta A_r = 0$  on the boundaries of integration and equate it to zero. As a result, we obtain:

$$\delta\Lambda = \frac{1}{2c^2} \int \delta A_r \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \tau^2} \left\{ A_r \pm \frac{r^2}{c[l(l+1)]} \frac{\partial^2 A_r}{\partial r \partial \tau} \right\} r^2 dr d\tau = 0 \quad (22)$$

170 Because of the arbitrariness  $\delta A_r$  integrand in (22) is equal zero, which gives the equation of  
 171 the instanton:

$$\frac{\partial A_r}{\partial \tau} \pm \frac{r^2}{c[l(l+1)]^2} \frac{\partial^3 A_r}{\partial r \partial \tau^2} = 0$$

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173 (23)

174 It reduces to the equation:

$$z Y'' \mp [l(l+1)]^2 Y = 0$$

$$Y = \frac{\partial A_r}{\partial \tau}, z = \frac{c \tau}{r}$$

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176 (24)

177 The solution of this equation has the form:

$$Y(z) = \sqrt{z} Z_1(2l(l+1)\sqrt{\mp z})$$

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180  $Z_1$ - cylindrical function. Below, however, we will use another solution of equation (24), since  
 181 the solution  $Y(z)$  does not have finite action. Calculating the pseudo-action for the instanton  
 182  $A_r^I(r, \tau)$ , we receive

$$\Lambda(A_r^I) = \frac{3}{4c^2} \int \left( \frac{\partial A_r^I}{\partial \tau} \right)^2 r^2 dr d\tau > 0$$

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184 (26)

185 Action must be calculated for a classical trajectory which begin and end ( $\tau \rightarrow \pm \infty$ ) lie in the  
 186 region where the space-time is not curved, i.e. at  $r \rightarrow \infty$ , where the field of SEMW tends to  
 187 zero. Among the set of solutions of equation (23) satisfying this condition, we choose the  
 188 solution:

$$\frac{\partial A_r^I}{\partial \tau} = cE \exp \left\{ \mp \omega \tau - \frac{c}{\omega} [l(l+1)]^2 \frac{1}{r} \right\}$$

189 (27)

190 where  $E$  - is a constant with the dimension of the electrical field. Its value is related to the so-  
 191 called topological charge of the instanton

$$Q = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\partial A_r^I(r = \infty, \tau)}{\partial \tau} d\tau = 2E \frac{c}{\omega}$$

192 (28)



193 In evaluating the integral in (28) we use the expression (27)<sup>4</sup>. An important feature of the  
 194 solution (27) is that it field decreases at  $r \rightarrow 0$ , which is consistent with the tunneling nature  
 195 of the instanton.

196 In calculating the pseudo-Euclidean action for the solution (27) to avoid divergence of the  
 197 integral in (26) we cut off the integral over  $dr$  in the upper limit at the distance  $r_0$ , having a  
 198 sense of the size of the instanton, which will be defined below. With this in mind, the result of  
 199 calculations (26) looks as follows:

$$\Lambda(A_r^I) = 6 \frac{E^2 r_c^3}{\omega} [l(l+1)]^3 K(l)$$

$$K(l) = \int_{x_0}^{\infty} \frac{e^{-x}}{x^4} dx, x_0 = 2 \frac{r_c}{r_0} l(l+1)$$

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201 Recall that the action  $\Lambda(A_r^I)$  determines the probability  $w$  of transition of convergent SEMW  
 202 to divergent one:  $w \sim \exp(\Lambda(A_r^I)/\hbar)$ ,  $\hbar = h/2\pi$ ,  $h$  – is the Plank constant [2].

203 The value  $r_0$  we will find from the condition of matching metrics inside and outside  
 204 the instanton. In the outer region metric is given by [3].

$$e_{out}^{\alpha} = \left[ 1 - \frac{r_c}{r} + \left( \frac{r_s}{r} \right)^2 \right]^{-1}$$

(30)

206 Metric in the inner region is found from formula (11), where we substitute the solution (27),  
 207 given that  $f = i r^2 / c \partial A_r / \partial \tau$

$$e_{in}^{\alpha} = \frac{2r_c}{r} \frac{1}{l(l+1)} + \left( \frac{r_c}{r} \right)^2$$

(31)

209 Given that  $r_s \ll r_c$  and living in equation  $e_{in}^{\alpha} = e_{out}^{\alpha}$  most significant members we get (up to  
 210 terms  $\sim [l(l+1)]^{-1}$ )

$$r_0 = r_c \left[ 1 - \frac{2}{3l(l+1)} \right]^{-1}$$

(32)

212 Let us calculate the amount of  $R^{00} = \frac{8\pi K}{c^4} T^{00}$ , using (8) for the metric (31) where  $T^{00} = W -$   
 213 field energy density of the instanton.

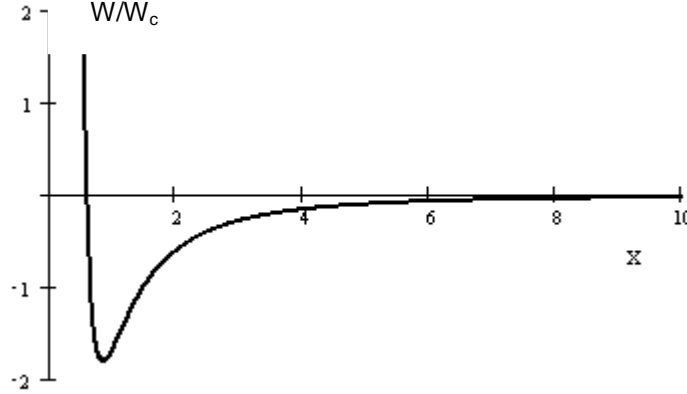
<sup>4</sup> Typically, the integral in (28) is normalized to the right side of the equation that leads to values of  $Q = 1$  (instanton) and  $Q = -1$  (anti-instanton) [11].

$$R^{00} = g^{00} R_0^0 = e^\alpha \left[ \frac{1}{r^2} + e^{-\alpha} \left( \frac{\alpha'}{r} - \frac{1}{r^2} \right) \right]; e^\alpha = e_{in}^{in} \quad (32)$$

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216 The result of calculation is shown in Fig. 1



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218 Fig. 1. Field energy density of the instanton  $W(x)$ ;  $W_c = \frac{c^4}{8\pi K r_c^2}$ ,  $x = r/r_c$ ,  $l = 3$ . Qualitative  
219 behavior of  $W(x)$  is stood the same for any  $l$ .

220 The calculation shows that near the boundary of the instanton and waves, i.e. for  $x \approx x_0$  ( $r \approx$   
221  $r_0$ ) energy density is negative. The calculation shows also that the magnitude  $R_{00} < 0$  in a  
222 sufficiently large vicinity of  $x = x_0$  for all  $l$ . The latter circumstance is essentially for the proof  
223 of the presence (or rather lack of it) of singularities, which, as is known, is based on the fact  
224  $R_{\alpha\beta} \xi^\alpha \xi^\beta > 0$ , where  $\xi$  – is any non space-like 4 – vector<sup>5</sup> [12]. Absence of singularities  
225 associated with horizons of the metric (30), can be seen both from the expression (31 and  
226 from Fig. 1. The only fatal singularity is a singularity at  $x = 0$ , where  $W(x) \sim x^{-4}$ .

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## 229 5. PROBLEM OF INSTANTONS FROM ENERGETIC POINT OF VIEW

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232 During the propagation of SEMW part of its energy converts into other energy forms, such as  
233 energy of the gravitational waves. This issue was outside the scope of the work [see 3, 5, 7].

234 In the literature there are different points of view on the question on interaction of EMW and  
235 gravitational waves. In [13] argues that the processes of transformation of the two photons in  
236 the graviton (and back) are prohibited by the conservation laws. At the same time, Wheeler  
237 did not rule out such a possibility [14]. In [15], these processes are considered without any  
238 discussion. These differences can be overcome, if we consider the photon-graviton  
239 processes in the presence of a static gravitational field created by SEMW, which removes

<sup>5</sup> For proving of  $R_{\alpha\beta} \xi^\alpha \xi^\beta < 0$  one can take, for example,  $\xi(1, 0, 0, 0)$ .

240 the restrictions imposed by the conservation laws<sup>6</sup>. Leaving this issue for further discussion,  
 241 make the following remark. Consider the first relation from (11)

$$242 \quad e^\alpha = \pm c \frac{\partial f}{\partial r} \left( \frac{\partial f}{\partial \tau} \right)^{-1}; f = r^2 \Psi, \tau = i \frac{x^0}{c} \quad (33)$$

243 for instantons, and a similar relation for waves

$$244 \quad e^\alpha = \pm \frac{\partial f}{\partial r} \left( \frac{\partial f}{\partial x^0} \right)^{-1}; f = r^2 \Psi \quad (33a)$$

245 binding metrics and fields of instanton or electromagnetic waves. For definiteness we take  
 246 in (33) and (33a) "+" sign. Using Maxwell's equations in curved space-time [8] one can write  
 247 them in the form, respectively

$$248 \quad e^{-\frac{\alpha}{2}} = 1 - i \int_r^\infty \frac{(\text{rot} \vec{H})_r}{\vec{E}_r} dr$$

$$e^{-\frac{\alpha}{2}} = 1 - \int_r^\infty \frac{(\text{rot} \vec{H})_r}{\vec{E}_r} dr \quad (34)$$

249  $\vec{E}, \vec{H}$  - electric and magnetic fields of the instanton or SEMW. The magnitude of the  
 250 integrand is proportional to the conductivity (the role of the current density plays  
 251 displacement current density), the value for which is real for wave and imaginary for  
 252 instanton. The first means that the energy irreversibly transfers from SEMW to some other  
 253 form, which is most likely connected with gravitational waves. The second indicates the  
 254 reversible transfer of energy from the electromagnetic wave to the instanton, with  
 255 subsequent return to the SEMW.

256 A question of interest is that, at what stage of the study was the neglect of gravitational  
 257 waves, and what role they play in the problem. If we argue by analogy with the problem of  
 258 the gravitational collapse of a non-spherical body, it can be assumed that the emission of  
 259 gravitational waves will accompany the propagation of a spherical electromagnetic wave with  
 260 a nonzero  $l$ , that, in the end of ends allow to speak about a spherically symmetric metric for  $l$   
 261  $\neq 0$ . Thus, used in this work, as well as in [3, 5, 7], averaging tensor  $T_i^k$  (9) on the angle  $\theta$  as  
 262 a consequence led to the fact that gravitational waves have been left out of consideration.

## 263 6. DISCUSSION

264 This article is devoted to treating the role of instantons in considering the dynamics of  
 265 spherical electromagnetic waves by means of Maxwell-Einstein equations. Due to instantons  
 266 convergent wave can be transformed into a divergent one what allow transmission of  
 267 information from the past to the future. This article discusses the two different solutions of it  
 268 – an auto-scaled one depending on  $z = cr / r$  (25) which does not have a finite Euclidean  
 269 action, and the solution (27) with the finite action  $\Lambda(A_r^l)$  (29). Feature of the first solution is  
 270 that in a world where it could be realized, the past is separated from the future with an

<sup>6</sup> Like that the diagrams with three free ends become possible in quantum electrodynamics [16]

infinite barrier, i.e. there is no flow of time in this world. The second solution is more consistent with the state of affairs in the real world - past goes to the future with some finite probability.

The result obtained above, consisting in violation by instantons of the so-called "weak energy condition"  $T_{\alpha\beta} \xi^\alpha \xi^\beta > 0$ , where  $\xi$  – is any non space-like 4 – vector is important in research of the space-time singularities [13].

Note that most of the work on gravitational instantons available on the resource [17], are devoted to the classification of instanton solutions of Maxwell-Einstein in multidimensional Riemannian manifolds and their applications to the physics of black holes.

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