

Title: Panel Discussion - Black hole puzzles (Di Filippo, Gregory, Holdom, Myers, Stelle)

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# PUZZLES IN THE QUANTUM GRAVITY LANDSCAPE

**Viewpoints from different approaches**

**PANEL: BLACK HOLE PUZZLES**

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## **PANEL: BLACK HOLE PUZZLES**

- \* singularity resolution**
- \* information loss paradox**
- \* observational signatures from quantum black holes**
- \* quantum instabilities at the horizon**
- \* the physics of the end of evaporation**
- \* how quantum effects modify classical black hole physics in general**
- \* compact object replacing black holes**
- \* quantum aspects of primordial black hole formation**
- \* the interplay between black hole physics and cosmology...**



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**FINISHED PUZZLES**

or: what new insight can we trust?



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# **OPEN PUZZLES**

**or: what does not make sense yet?**

## can a UV completion to gravity produce a black hole replacement?

- ▶ are there states much larger than the small distance cutoff of a EFT that cannot be described by the EFT?
- ▶ QCD example — quark matter stars cannot be described by the low energy EFT (the chiral Lagrangian)
- ▶ quadratic gravity (a QFT) might be a UV completion of gravity
- ▶ quadratic gravity has arbitrarily large, horizonless, classical solutions not present in Einstein gravity

## 2-2-hole and its entropy

- ▶ gravitationally bound ball of relativistic gas
- ▶ compactness essentially the same as a black hole
- ▶ integrate the entropy density of the gas to get the total entropy  $S_{22}$

$$T_{\infty} S_{22} = T_{\text{BH}} S_{\text{BH}} = \frac{M}{2}$$

$$\frac{S_{22}}{S_{\text{BH}}} = 0.7548 N^{\frac{1}{4}} \left( \frac{m_G}{m_{\text{pl}}} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \gtrsim 1$$

- ▶  $N$  is number of particle species, and  $S_{22} \propto N^{\frac{1}{4}}$  avoids the “species problem” of the black hole