Active Galactic Nucleus Jets in the Event Horizon Telescope Era

## BH HIGH-POWER ACCRETION & OUTF

jet

Gas

Black hole (Bb

#### **Accretion disk**

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### Role of Radiation and Magnetic Fields



### **Three Accretion Modes**

Shakura & Sunyaev 73; Ichimaru 77; Abramowicz+ 88; Narayan & Yi 94;



Accretion disks are divided into three modes by depending on the accretion rate (disk luminosity)

### **Three Accretion Modes**





<sup>(</sup>c)Kawashima



Modified version of Kawashima-san's slikde

## Radiation-MHD Simulations



#### **Magnet Fields;**

(1)Angular momentum is transported by the Magneto rotational instability (MRI), leading to the mass accretion onto BHs.
(2)Jets are accelerated by the Lorentz force.

#### **Radiation Fields;**

(1)Disk loses the energy by emitting photons (**cooling**).

(2)**Jets** are launched via the Radiation force.

#### **General Relativity;**

(1)BH gravity is described by General Relativity.(2)Effect of rotating BHs cannot be treated by Newtonian Mechanics

## Basic Equations of GR Radiation-MHD

mass cons. 
$$\partial_t \left( \sqrt{-g}\rho u^t \right) + \partial_i \left( \sqrt{-g}\rho u^i \right) = 0$$
  
Gauss's law  $\partial_i \left( \sqrt{-g}B^i \right) = 0$   
Induction eq.  $\partial_t \left( \sqrt{-g}B^i \right) = -\partial_j \left[ \sqrt{-g} \left( b^j u^i - b^i u^j \right) \right]$   
energy momentum  
cons. for MHD  $\partial_t \left( \sqrt{-g}T^t_{\nu} \right) + \partial_i \left( \sqrt{-g}T^i_{\nu} \right) = \sqrt{-g}T^{\kappa}_{\lambda}\Gamma^{\lambda}_{\nu\kappa}$   $\sqrt{-g}G_{\nu}$   
energy momentum  
cons. for radiation  $\partial_t \left( \sqrt{-g}R^t_{\nu} \right) + \partial_i \left( \sqrt{-g}R^i_{\nu} \right) = \sqrt{-g}R^{\kappa}_{\lambda}\Gamma^{\lambda}_{\nu\kappa} - \sqrt{-g}G_{\nu}$   
Mathematical methods are as the second se

We use Kerr-shild metric

MHD





### Super-Edd. disk & radiatively-driven jets

Mass density



Strong radiation pressure supports the thick disk and generates the jets.

Photons mainly escape through the region around the rotation axis, so that the radiation pressure cannot prevent the accreting motion.

## Radiatively Driven Jet





# Apparent Luminosity



The radiative flux is mildly collimated since the disk is optically and geometrically thick.

Thus observed luminosity is very sensitive to the observer's viewing angle.

The apparent luminosity becomes highly super-Eddington for the face-on observers (22L<sub>Edd</sub> for  $\leq 20^{\circ}$  in the case of Mdot~100L<sub>Edd</sub>/c<sup>2</sup>, L<sub>disk</sub>~3L<sub>Edd</sub>).

Large luminosity of ULXs (>10<sup>39-40</sup>erg/s) can be explained for the face-on case.

X-ray spectra

X-ray spectra, calculated by the post-processing radiation transfer, nicely fit the observations (ULXs).

hard X-ray is observed since high-energy photons escape through the funnel

> hard X-ray is reduced by
>  Compton downscattering



## Effect of BH spin

Disk luminosity and jet power might depend on the BH spin. We perform simulations of the super-Eddington flows around BHs with a=0.9, 0, -0.9.

\*a: spin parameter







### Effect of BH spin



### Disk rotation



Utsumi et al. in prep.



### Lorentz factor

#### Preliminary Utsumi et al. in prep.

Jet velocity (Lorentz factor) is larger for rotating BH than for non-rotating BH.

z/rg

0





## BH spin & Jets

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	L <sub>rad</sub> VS L <sub>kin</sub>	Rad. Conversion Efficiency L <sub>rad</sub> /(Mdot c <sup>2</sup> )	<b>Jet Conversion</b> <b>Efficiency</b> L <sub>kin</sub> /(Mdot c <sup>2</sup> )
a=0.9	L <sub>rad</sub> < L <sub>kin</sub>	6%	(11%)
a=0	L <sub>rad</sub> > L <sub>kin</sub>	2%	I.4%
a=-0.9	L <sub>rad</sub> < L <sub>kin</sub>	3%	5%
BH spin drives powerful jet ?			

See Utsumi-kun's POSTER for details.



### BH spin & Jets Utsumi et al. in prep.



### Wind Outflows from Super-Edd. Disks



Time-dependent, Clumpy outflow with wide angle

### **RT** instability



### Clumpy outflows (3D)



#### Sheet like structure

Outflow velocity ~ 0.1-0.2cSize (azimuthal direction) ~ 100RsRotation velocity ~ 30% of V<sub>kep</sub>

![](_page_23_Picture_2.jpeg)

#### **Absorption lines**

Outflow velocity of ~0.1-0.2c agrees with the observations of blueshifted absorption lines. Pinto+16,

![](_page_23_Figure_5.jpeg)

#### <u>Sheet like structure</u>

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#### Time variation

Timescale of the luminosity variation ( $100Rs/0.3V_{kep}$ ) is

$$\sim 2.5 \left(\frac{M_{\rm BH}}{10 M_{\odot}}\right) \left(\frac{\ell_{\rm cl}^{\theta}}{10^2 r_{\rm S}}\right) \left(\frac{r}{10^3 r_{\rm S}}\right) {
m s}$$

Our result is consistent with the observations of ULXs (Middleton+11) and V404 Cyg (Motta+17) in the case of M<sub>BH</sub>~10-100Msun.

![](_page_24_Picture_6.jpeg)

## Clumpy outflows

Some ULXs exhibit the time variations of X-ray luminosity, implying the launching of clumpy outflows. Launching of clumpy winds is also reported by observations of NLSIs or V404 Cyg.

![](_page_25_Figure_3.jpeg)

Middleton+11

#### Jin+17 see also Motta+17

## Simulations of near-Edd. disk

![](_page_26_Figure_1.jpeg)

## Simulations of line-winds

![](_page_27_Figure_1.jpeg)

# Spectra (line)

![](_page_28_Figure_1.jpeg)

# Spectra (Continuum)

![](_page_29_Figure_1.jpeg)

## Summary

### super-Eddington Flows

- Radiatively-driven jets are launched from the super-Eddington disks.
- Jet power (and disk luminosity) is enhanced by the BH spin. Probably this is due to the BZ effect.
- Disk winds from the super-Edd. disks fragment into many gas clouds via the RT instability.

### near-Eddington Flows

- Line-winds ejected from the disks would be origin of UFOs.
- Simulations of Jets from the near-Eddington disk are left as future works.

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