Energy-Momentum Distribution of Six-Dimensional Geometric Model of Gravitational Field

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Abstract

Much work has been done in exploring the energy-momentum distribution of different four-dimensional spacetimes using different prescriptions. In this paper, we intend to explore the energy and momentum density of six-dimensional geometric model of the gravitational field. The model was constructed by postulating a six-dimensional spacetime manifold with a structure of spacetime of absolute parallelism. For this purpose, we consider the metric representing the geometric model and use five prescriptions, namely, Einstein, Landau-Lifshitz, Bergmann-Thomson, Papapetrou, and Möller in the framework of General Relativity. The energy and momentum turn out to be well defined and finite. The comparison of the results shows that Einstein and Bergmann-Thomson prescriptions yield same energy-momentum densities but different from the other three prescriptions. It is mentioning here that the energy vanishes in the case of Möller’s prescription and the momentum densities become zero in all the cases.

1. Introduction

The theory of General Relativity (GR) is recognized as the best among all theories of gravitation, available in the literature, because many important features of the universe have been verified experimentally in the framework of this theory. Although, the issue of localization of energy and momentum is most divisive and longstanding. Huge efforts have been made to resolve this problem by the big names of Physics and Mathematics. Einstein [1] is an innovator who introduced his energy-momentum complexes for the localization of energy and momentum. By the passage of time, a number of efficient scientists, including Landau-Lifshitz [2], Möller [3], Bergmann-Thomson [4], Weinberg [5], Papapetrou [6] and Tolman [7], presented their own energy-momentum complexes. These prescriptions yield feasible results only if one uses cartesian coordinates except Möller’s prescription, which is independent of coordinate choice in case of energy only. Misner and Sharp [8] proved that the energy can be localized in the spherical coordinate system. Cooperstock and Sarracino [9] proved that if the energy can be localized in a spherically symmetric coordinate system then it surely be localized in non-spherical symmetric coordinate which are static or quasistatic. Virbhadra and his coworkers [10, 11] investigated the energy-momentum distribution of different spacetimes, such as the Kerr-Newmann, Kerr-Schild classes, Einstein-Rosen, Vaidya, and Bonnor-Vaidya spacetimes. They showed that different energy-momentum prescriptions could give the same consequences, which are coincident with the results obtained by Tod [12] using the Penrose [13] formalism in the context of quasi-local mass.

Various scientist [14, 15] described the energy of the gravitational field by presenting the Hamiltonian approach in the structure of Schwinger’s condition [16]. Using this formalism, energy can be determined by an integral of a scalar density in the form of total divergence which appears as the Hamiltonian constraints of this theory. Initially, the problem of localization of energy-momentum emerged in electromagnetism and then it became a serious issue in GR due to the non-tensorial quantities. The localization of energy is discussed in some other theories such as the $f(R)$ theory and Teleparallel (TP) theory of gravity.

Mikhail et al. [17] defined the superpotential in the Möller’s tetrad theory which has been used to find the energy in the teleparallel theory of gravity (TTG). Vargas [18] defined the TP version of Bergman, Einstein, and Landau-Lifshitz prescriptions and found that the total energy of the closed Friedman-Robertson-Walker universe is zero by using the last two prescriptions. This agrees with the results of GR available in...
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They formulated a locally supersymmetric and super-Weyl invariant action principle in projective superspace. Einstein

The Landau-Lifshitz energy-momentum prescription in f(R) theory of gravity. They also found the energy density for the Schwarzschild de Sitter spacetime. By using generalized Landau-Lifshitz prescriptions, Sharif and Farasat [34] calculated the energy density of plane-symmetric static metric and cosmic string spacetime. Faraoni and Nadeau [35] have discussed some important f(R) models along with their stability conditions. Jamil and his collaborators [36, 37] obtained the spatially homogeneous rotating solutions and locally rotating spacetimes in f(R) gravity and the energy contents are obtained for non-trivial solution for particular f(R) model.

Silva et al. [38] proposed a six-dimensional string-like braneworld built from a warped product between a 3-brane and the Hamilton cigar soliton space. They discussed the effects of the evolution of the transverse space on the geometric and physical quantities. The gravitational massless mode remains trapped to the brane and the width of the model depends on the evolution parameter. For the Kaluza-Klein modes, the asymptotic spectrum of mass is the same as for the thin string-like brane and the analog Schrödinger potential also changes according to the flow. Linch and Tartaglino-Mazzucchelli [39] introduced a superspace result for the asymptotic spectrum of mass is the same as for the thin string-like brane and the analog Schrödinger potential also changes according to the flow. Linch and Tartaglino-Mazzucchelli [39] introduced a superspace result for

They constructed a six-dimensional pure geometric model by postulating a six-dimensional spacetime manifold with a structure using different complexes in the context of GR. Six-dimensional teleparallel solution by using GR prescriptions. Our aim is to explore the energy-momentum distribution of this geometric model using different complexes in the context of GR.

2. Energy-Momentum Distribution of Six Dimensional Geometric Model of Gravitational Field

We consider the line element is given in Eq.(4) of [40] representing the geometric model of a gravitational field in six dimensions, given as

\[
ds^2 = \frac{-(3y_1 + a^2)^{-4/3}}{1 - a/(3y_1 + a^3)^{1/3}} dy_1^2 - \frac{3y_1 + a^2}3 dy_2^2 - \frac{3y_1 + a^2}9 (1 - y_2)^2 dy_3^2 + (1 - \frac{a}{(3y_1 + a^3)^{1/3}}) dy_4^2 + \frac{1}{2y_5 + \gamma} dy_5^2 + (2y_5 + \gamma) dy_6^2.
\]

Here, \(y_1\) stands for time component and rest are the space components. The Einstein energy-momentum prescription is defined as [1]

\[
\Theta^b = \frac{1}{16\pi} H^{bc} a_{\pi e},
\]

where \(H^{bc} a\) depends on metric tensor and its first order derivative, found by Freud [42] given as

\[
H^{bc} a = \frac{g_{ad}}{\sqrt{g}} \left[-g^{bd} g^{ce} - g^{cd} g^{be}\right] a_{\pi e}.
\]

Here, the term \(\Theta^0\) stands for energy density, \(\Theta^i (i = 1, ..., 5)\) are the components of momentum density and the current density components are denoted by \(\Theta^6\). Using Eq.(1), the non-vanishing components of \(H^{bc} a\) turn out to be

\[
\begin{align*}
H^{01} &= -H^{10} = 4 \left[ a - \left( a^3 + 3y_1 \right)^{1/3} \right], \\
H^{02} &= -H^{20} = H^{12} = -H^{21} = \frac{2y_2}{(a^3 + 3y_1)^{2/3}}, \\
H^{04} &= H^{14} = H^{24} = H^{34} = 2, \\
H^{00} &= H^{11} = H^{22} = H^{33} = -2, \\
H^{12} &= H^{13} = H^{21} = -H^{31} = -a + 2 \left( a^3 + 3y_1 \right)^{1/3}, \\
H^{14} &= H^{24} = H^{34} = -H^{15} = 3a - 4 \left( a^3 + 3y_1 \right)^{1/3}, \\
H^{24} &= -H^{42} = H^{52} = -H^{25} = \frac{2y_2}{(a^3 + 3y_1)^{2/3}}.
\end{align*}
\]

Making use of these values in Eq.(2), the energy and momentum densities of Einstein’s prescription turn out to be

\[
\begin{align*}
\Theta^{00} &= -3y_1 + a \left[ a^2 + a \left( a^3 + 3y_1 \right)^{1/3} + \left( a^3 + 3y_1 \right)^{2/3} \right], \\
\Theta^{0i} &= 0, \quad (i = 1, 2, ..., 5),
\end{align*}
\]

The Landau-Lifshitz’s prescription, in GR, is given as [2]

\[
L^{ab} = \frac{1}{16\pi} \varepsilon^{abcd} \varepsilon_{cd},
\]

\[\varepsilon^{abcd} = \end{align*}

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\varepsilon^{123} &= &1 &= &0 &= &0 \\
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where $T^{abcd}$ is a 4 rank tensor, given as
\[
T^{abcd} = (-g)^{g^{be}g^{cf} - g^{bd}g^{ce}}.
\] (5)

The term $E^{00}$ yields the energy density component of the whole system and $L^{i0} (i = 1, ..., 5)$ represents the momentum density components. In view of Eq.(1), the Eq.(5) gives the following non-vanishing components of the tensor $T^{abcd}$

\[
\begin{align*}
T^{1001} &= \beta^{1010} = -\beta^{0101} = \frac{(a^3 + 3y_1)^{4/3}}{1 - \sqrt[3]{a}}, \\
T^{2002} &= \beta^{0202} = -\beta^{2002} = -\frac{(a^3 + 3y_1)^{2/3} - (a^3 + 3y_1)^{1/3}}{1 - \sqrt[3]{a}}, \\
T^{3003} &= \beta^{0303} = -\beta^{3003} = \frac{(a^3 + 3y_1)^{1/3} - (a^3 + 3y_1)^{1/3}}{1 - \sqrt[3]{a}}, \\
T^{4004} &= \beta^{0404} = -\beta^{4004} = \frac{(a^3 + 3y_1)^{1/3} (\gamma + 2y_2)}{1 - \sqrt[3]{a}}, \\
T^{5005} &= \beta^{0505} = -\beta^{5005} = \frac{(a^3 + 3y_1)^{1/3} (\gamma + 2y_3)}{1 - \sqrt[3]{a}}.
\end{align*}
\]

When we use these values of $T^{abcd}$ in Eq.(4), the energy and momentum density components of Landau-Lifshitz's prescription are obtained as

\[
L^{i0} = \frac{2a - (a^3 + 3y_1)^{1/3}}{8a^3 \pi + 24a \pi y_1 - 8a \pi (a^3 + 3y_1)^{2/3}}.
\]

$L^{i0} = 0, \quad (i = 1, ..., 5)$.

In case of Bergmann-Thomson prescription, the energy-momentum density components are defined as [4]

\[
B^{ij} = \frac{1}{16\pi}M^{abc}d_{ij}.
\] (6)

where

\[
M^{abc} = g^{ad}V^{bc}d,
\] (7)

and

\[
V^{bc}d = \frac{\sqrt{-g}}{\sqrt{-g}} \{ -g^{bc}g^{ef} - g^{bf}g^{ce} \} d_{ef}.
\] (8)

Here, $E^{00}$ represents the energy density of the entire system and $B^{i0} (i = 1, ..., 5)$ stands for the momentum density components. Using Eq.(1) in Eq.(8), we get the following non-vanishing components of $V^{abc}d$

\[
\begin{align*}
V^{01} &= 0, \\
V^{02} &= -V^{20} = V^{12} = -V^{21} = \frac{2a}{(a^3 + 3y_1)^{2/3}}, \\
V^{04} &= V^{41} = V^{24} = V^{34} = 2, \\
V^{06} &= V^{61} = V^{42} = V^{33} = -2, \\
V^{12} &= V^{13} = -V^{21} = -V^{31} = -a + 2(a^3 + 3y_1)^{1/3}, \\
V^{14} &= V^{51} = -V^{14} = -V^{52} = 3a - 4(a^3 + 3y_1)^{1/3}, \\
V^{24} &= -V^{42} = V^{52} = -V^{24} = \frac{2a}{(a^3 + 3y_1)^{2/3}}.
\end{align*}
\]

Substituting these values in Eq.(7) and then in Eq.(6), the energy and momentum components of Bergmann-Thomson’s prescription turn out to be
After some calculations, we obtain the energy and momentum density components of Papapetrou where

\[ B^{00} = -3y_1 + a\left(\frac{a^2 + a(a^3 + 3y_1)^{1/3} + (a^3 + 3y_1)^{2/3}}{24\pi y_1 (a^3 + 3y_1)^{2/3}}\right). \]

\[ B^{i0} = 0, \quad (i = 1, \ldots, 5). \]

Now, the energy-momentum prescription of Papapetrou is given as

\[ \Omega^{ab} = \frac{1}{16\pi} N^{abcd} \gamma^{cd}, \]

where

\[ N^{abcd} = \sqrt{-g} g^{ab} \eta^{cd} - \delta^{ab} \eta^{cd} + \gamma^{ab} \eta^{cd} - \delta^{bd} \eta^{ac}. \]

Here, \( \eta^{ab} \) is the metric tensor of Minkowski spacetime. The \( \Omega^{00} \) and \( \Omega^{0i} \) represent the energy and momentum density components respectively. The non-vanishing components of \( N^{abcd} \) are evaluated as

\[ N^{1010} = N^{0110} = -\frac{1}{4 \pi (a^3 + 3y_1)^{1/3}} - \frac{a}{(a^3 + 3y_1)^{1/3}} \left( -a + (a^3 + 3y_1)^{1/3} \right) \]

\[ = -N^{0111}, \]

\[ N^{0202} = N^{0022} = -N^{2200} = \frac{1}{4 \pi (a^3 + 3y_1)^{1/3}} + \frac{1}{(a^3 + 3y_1)^{2/3}} \left( -1 + y_2^2 \right) \]

\[ = -N^{0033} = -N^{3300}, \]

\[ N^{0404} = N^{0044} = -N^{4400} = \gamma \frac{1}{4 \pi (a^3 + 3y_1)^{1/3}} + 2y_4, \]

\[ N^{5050} = -N^{0055} = -N^{5500} = \gamma \frac{1}{4 \pi (a^3 + 3y_1)^{1/3}} + \frac{1}{\gamma + 2y_4}, \]

\[ N^{1212} = \left( a^3 + 3y_1 \right) \left( -a + (a^3 + 3y_1)^{1/3} \right) + \frac{1}{\gamma + 2y_4}, \]

\[ = -N^{1122} = -N^{2211}, \]

\[ N^{3313} = \left( a^3 + 3y_1 \right) \left( a - (a^3 + 3y_1)^{1/3} \right) - \frac{1}{\gamma + 2y_4}, \]

\[ = -N^{3311} = -N^{1133}, \]

\[ N^{4141} = \gamma + \left( a^3 + 3y_1 \right) \left( (a^3 + 3y_1)^{1/3} - a \right) + 2y_4 \]

\[ = -N^{4144} = -N^{4411}, \]

\[ N^{5151} = \left( a^3 + 3y_1 \right) \left( (a^3 + 3y_1)^{1/3} - a \right) + \frac{1}{\gamma + 2y_4}, \]

\[ = -N^{5155} = -N^{5511}, \]

\[ N^{3232} = \gamma - a \frac{y_2^2 (y_2^2 - 2)}{(a^3 + 3y_1)^{2/3} (y_2^2 - 1)}, \]

\[ N^{2424} = \gamma - a \frac{y_2^2 (y_2^2 - 1)}{(a^3 + 3y_1)^{2/3} (y_2^2 - 1)}, \]

\[ = -N^{4224} = -N^{4422} = \gamma - a \frac{y_2^2 (y_2^2 - 1)}{(a^3 + 3y_1)^{2/3} (y_2^2 - 1)}, \]

\[ N^{5252} = -N^{5522} = -N^{2555} = \gamma - a \frac{y_2^2 (y_2^2 - 1)}{(a^3 + 3y_1)^{2/3} (y_2^2 - 1)}, \]

\[ = -N^{3434} = -N^{4433} = -\gamma + a \frac{y_2^2 (y_2^2 - 1)}{(a^3 + 3y_1)^{2/3} (y_2^2 - 1)}, \]

\[ N^{3535} = -N^{3355} = \gamma + a \frac{y_2^2 (y_2^2 - 1)}{(a^3 + 3y_1)^{2/3} (y_2^2 - 1)}, \]

\[ = -N^{5454} = -N^{4455} = -\gamma - 2y_4 - a \frac{y_2^2 (y_2^2 - 1)}{(a^3 + 3y_1)^{2/3} (y_2^2 - 1)}, \]

\[ N^{5545} = -N^{5445} = \gamma + 2y_4 - a \frac{y_2^2 (y_2^2 - 1)}{(a^3 + 3y_1)^{2/3} (y_2^2 - 1)}. \]

After some calculations, we obtain the energy and momentum density components of Papapetrou prescription as
\[ \Omega^{00} = \frac{1}{8\pi} \frac{1}{(a^3 + 3y_1)^{5/3}} \left[ \left( a^3 + 3y_1 \right) - a^2 - 2a \left( (a^3 + 3y_1)^{1/3} - a \right) \right] \left( (a^3 + 3y_1)^{1/3} - a \right)^2. \]

\[ \Omega^{ij} = 0, \quad i = 1, \ldots, 5. \]

The Møller [3] energy-momentum pseudo-tensor \( M^b_a \) is given as

\[ M^b_a = \frac{1}{8\pi} K^{bc} a.\epsilon, \]

where

\[ K^{bc} = \frac{\sqrt{-g(s_{ad}, e)} s^{bc} g^{cd}}{8\pi}. \]

(9)

Here, \( M^b_a \) stands for the energy density and \( M^0_i \) (\( i = 1, \ldots, 5 \)) for the momentum density components. The momentum four-vector is given by

\[ p_a = \int \int \int M^a_0 dx^1 dx^2 dx^3, \]

(10)

where \( p_0 \) gives the energy and \( p_a \) (\( a = 1, \ldots, 5 \)) give the momentum. Using Gauss’s theorem, the total energy-momentum components may be given in the form of surface integral as

\[ p_a = \frac{1}{8\pi} \int_s \int K^{bc} n_c dS, \]

where \( n_c \) is the outward unit normal vector over an infinitesimal surface element \( dS \). When we use Eq.(1) in Eq.(10) the non-vanishing components of \( K^{bc} \), come out as

\[ K_{01} = K_{02} = K_{03} = K_{04} = K_{05} = a, \]

\[ K_{12} = K_{13} = K_{23} = K_{34} = 2a - 2 \left( a^3 + 3y_1 \right)^{1/3}, \]

\[ K_{45} = K_{54} = \frac{2y_2}{(a^3 + 3y_1)^{2/3}}, \]

Making use of these values in Eq.(9), we get the energy-momentum density components of Møller’s prescription, which turn out to be zero, i.e.,

\[ M^{00} = 0, \]

\[ M^{0i} = 0, \quad i = 1, \ldots, 5. \]

3. Discussion

The most important issue in GR is an acceptable definition of energy-momentum localization. Although, the problem of localization of energy is unresolved and controversial but numerous scientists attempted to resolve it in the context of different frames of work. For this purpose, a huge number of examples have been explored in different frames of work so that these may help us, at some stage, to make a conjecture about this problem.

It is well-known that geometry and physics are very much related to each other for any physical problem. The motivation behind this work to see what comes out by exploring the energy-momentum distribution of this six-dimensional geometric model of the gravitational field. In other words, to see how is the physics associated with this model. For this purpose, we use Einstein, Landau-Lifshitz, Bergmann-Thomson, Papapetrou and Møller prescriptions. The results obtained are given in this table.

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<th>Table 1. Energy Density (ED) Components for all Prescriptions</th>
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This table shows that the energy density components turn out to be well defined and finite for Einstein, Bergmann-Thomson and Papapetrou prescriptions everywhere in its domain except at $y_1 = 0$ and $y_1 = -\frac{a}{3}$ while Papapetrou prescription becomes infinite at $y_1 = -\frac{a}{3}$ only. Further, it shows that the results for Einstein and Bergmann-Thomson prescriptions turned out to be same but different from the other prescriptions. It is mentioning here that the energy density becomes zero in case of Møller’s prescription. Further, the momentum densities of the six-dimensional geometric model of the gravitational field are zero for all prescriptions. This adds an example of the six-dimensional model towards the solution of the problem of localization of energy and momentum in GR and helpful, at some stage, for making a conjecture about this issue. The graphical representations of the energy density are given as under

![Figure 1: Einstein and Bergmann Thomson Energy density graph vs $y_1$](image1)

![Figure 2: Landau-Lifshitz Energy density graph vs $y_1$](image2)

![Figure 3: Papapetrou Energy density graph vs $y_1$](image3)

It is mentioned here that the results of energy-momentum distribution for different spacetimes are not astonishing. On the basis of these results, we can conclude that the energy-momentum complexes, which are treated as pseudo-tensors are not covariant. This is in coherence with the equivalence principle [41] which implies that the gravitational field cannot be detected at a point. The energy-momentum complexes for a huge number of spacetimes have been discussed but no consensus has been built yet to decide which one is the best.

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