



The shape of relativistically broadened Fe Kα line in type 1 AGN

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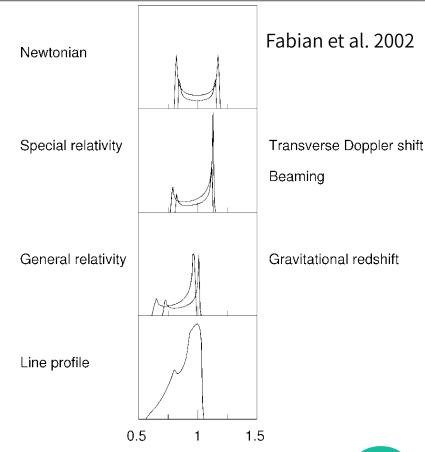
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Motivation & Methods



- According to Unified Model accretion disc is the source of energy output
- X-rays and Fe Kα line at 6.4keV are emitted in inner regions of disc
- The relativistically broadened line is detected in less then 50% of type 1 AGNs
- We simulated thousands of accretion disc and corresponding line profiles
- Comparison with XMM-Newton observations

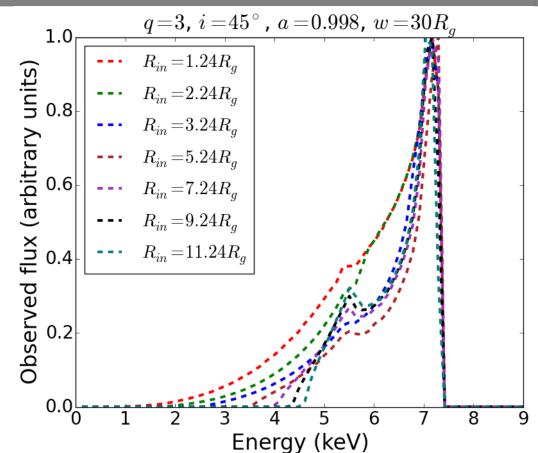




Simulated line profiles and the effect of R_{in}



- R_{in} defines the strength of GR effects → Smaller R_{in}, wider red wing
- Spin of the SMBH affects only a little, but it defines innermost stable orbit r_{ms}
- For $a=0.998 r_{ms}=1.24 R_{q}$
- For $a=0.05 r_{ms}=5.84R_{g}$

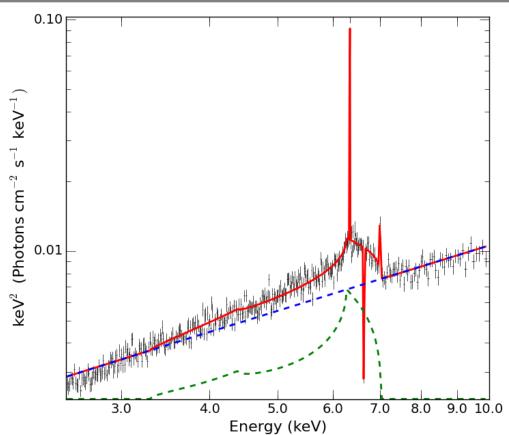




Fit to NGC 3516



- The broad Fe Kα line is typically weak in comparison with the narrow iron lines, making it difficult to analyze.
- Especially the weaker red part of the line could be lost with bad data.
- The broad line of NGC 3516 is strong but even so, it is difficult to determine how far the red wing extends.
- Low signal-to-noise ratio could hide the red part so that the broad line would be detected either as non-relativistic broad line or not detected at all.







Thank you for your attention!

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