

TABLE 1
PROPERTIES OF GALACTIC BLACK HOLE X-RAY BINARIES^a

No	Name	$M_{\text{comp}} [M_{\odot}]^b$	Spec. type	$M_{\text{BH}} [M_{\odot}]$	P_{orb}	citations ^g
1	XTE J1118+480	0.22 ± 0.07	K7/M1V	$6.9 \div 8.2$	4.08	[1,17,17,38]
2	XTE J1550-564	0.3 ± 0.07	K2/4IV	10.5 ± 1.0	37	[2,2,28,2]
3	GS 2000+25	$0.16 \div 0.47$	K3/6V	~ 6.55	8.26	[3,18,3,40]
4	GRO J0422+32	~ 0.45	M0/4V	~ 10.4	5.09	[4,19,4,4]
5	GRS 1009-45	~ 0.5	G5/K0V	~ 8.5	6.86 ± 0.12	[5,20,5,41]
6	GRS 1716-249	~ 1.6	K-M	$\gtrsim 4.9$	14.7	[37,37,37,37]
7	GX339-4	$0.3 \div 1.1$	K1V	> 7	42	[6,21,6,21]
8	H1705-25	$0.15 \div 1.0$	K3/M0V	$4.9 \div 7.9$	12.55	[7,22,29,29]
9	A0620-00	0.68 ± 0.18	K2/7V	6.6 ± 0.25	7.75	[8,23,30,42]
10	XTEJ1650-50(0)	0.7	K4V	~ 5.1	7.63	[d,24,31,24]
11	XTEJ1859+226	0.7	K5V	7.7 ± 1.3	6.58 ± 0.05	[d,25,32,25]
12	GS2023+338	$0.5 \div 1.0$	K0/3IV	12 ± 2	156	[9,26,33,43]
13	GRS 1124-68	$0.3 \div 2.5$	K5V	6.95 ± 0.6	10.392	[10,10,34,44]
14	GRS1915+105	0.8 ± 0.5	K1/5III	12.9 ± 2.4	811.2 ± 2.4	[11,27,35,35]
15	GS 1354-64	1.03	G5IV	7.6 ± 0.7	61.07	[d,12,12,12]
16	GROJ1655-40	1.75 ± 0.25	F3/G0IV	5.31 ± 0.07	62.909 ± 0.003	[e,13,36,45]
17	4U1543-47	$2.3 \div 2.6$	A2V	$2.7 \div 7.5$	26.8	[14,14,14,46]
18	XTEJ1819-254	$5.49 \div 8.14$	B9III	$8.73 \div 11.70$	67.62	[15,15,38,15]
19	CygX-1 ^b	19.2 ± 1.9	OI	14.8 ± 0.1	134.4	[16,16,16,16]
20	LMC X-1 ^c	31.79 ± 3.48	O7/O8	10.91 ± 1.55	93.84	[47,47,47,47]
21	LMC X-3 ^{cf}	3.72 ± 0.24	B5III	7.00 ± 0.32	40.8	[48,48,48,48]
22	IC 10 X-1 ^c	> 17	WNE	> 23.1	34.93 ± 0.04	[49,49,49,49]
23	NGC 300 X-1 ^c	26^{+7}_{-5}	WN5	20 ± 4	32.3 ± 0.2	[50,50,50,50]
24	M33 X-7 ^c	70.0 ± 6.9	O7/O8 III	15.65 ± 1.45	82.87	[51,51,51,52]

^a Most of the data taken from Wiktorowicz et al. (2013)

^b Cyg X-1 is the only persistent Galactic source, other systems are transients

^c 5 extragalactic sources. All persistent

^d Derived from the spectral type

^e Derived from $M_{\text{BH}} = 5.31 \pm 0.07$ (Motta et al. 2014) and $q = 0.329 \pm 0.047$ (González Hernández et al. 2008)

^f It was suggested by Orosz et al. (2014) that LMC X-3 may be a transient system that is perpetually in the outburst phase (i.e., never drops to the quiescent state with $L_X < 10^{33} \text{ erg s}^{-1}$)

^g Citations are organized as follows: [M_{comp}, Spectral type, M_{BH}, P_{orb}]. References: [1]González Hernández et al. (2012); [2]Orosz et al. (2011b); [3]Ioannou et al. (2004); [4]Reynolds et al. (2007); [5]Macias et al. (2011); [6]Muñoz-Darias et al. (2008); [7]Martin et al. (1995); [8]Gelino et al. (2001b); [9]Casares & Charles (1994); [10]Shahbaz et al. (1997); [11]Harlaftis & Greiner (2004); [12]Casares et al. (2009); [13]Beer & Podsiadlowski (2002); [14]Orosz et al. (1998); [15]Orosz et al. (2001); [16]Orosz et al. (2011a); [17]Khargharia et al. (2013); [18]Harlaftis et al. (1996); [19]Gelino & Harrison (2003); [20]della Valle et al. (1997); [21]Hynes et al. (2003); [22]Filippenko et al. (1997); [23]Froning et al. (2011); [24]Orosz et al. (2004); [25]Corral-Santana et al. (2011); [26]Khargharia et al. (2010); [27]Greiner et al. (2001); [28]Li et al. (2013); [29]Harlaftis et al. (1997); [30]Cantrell et al. (2010); [31]Slaný & Stuchlík (2008); [32]Shaposhnikov et al. (2009); [33]Shahbaz et al. (1994); [34]Gelino et al. (2001a); [35]Hurley et al. (2013); [36]Motta et al. (2014); [37]Masetti et al. (1996); [38]Martin et al. (2008); [39]Torres et al. (2004); [40]Chevalier & Ilovaisky (1990); [41]Shahbaz et al. (1996); [42]Johannsen et al. (2009); [43]Casares et al. (1992); [44]Orosz et al. (1996); [45]González Hernández et al. (2008); [46]Orosz et al. (2002); [47] Orosz et al. (2009); [48] Orosz et al. (2014); [49] Silverman & Filippenko (2008); [50] Crowther et al. (2010); [51] Orosz et al. (2007); [52] Pietsch et al. (2006);

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