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openGR: An Infrastructure for Numerical Relativity PAUL WALTER, St. Edward's University, ANDREA NEROZZI, CENTRA - University of Lisbon, MATT ANDERSON, Indiana University - Bloomington, RICHARD MATZNER, JON ALLEN, GREG MCIVOR, MATT SELOVER, University of Texas at Austin, ULI SPERHAKE, University of Cambridge — We present the current state of the code *openGR*, which is a modular, open framework developed to carry out simulations of binary black hole mergers. While designed with the two-body problem in mind, *openGR* will evolve most general vacuum spacetimes. The code is based on the adaptive mesh refinement library SAMRAI. We describe the main features of the code and give the results of simulations of head-on binary black hole mergers. We will discuss the scaling properties of *openGR* and its overall status. The code will be made publicly available.

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