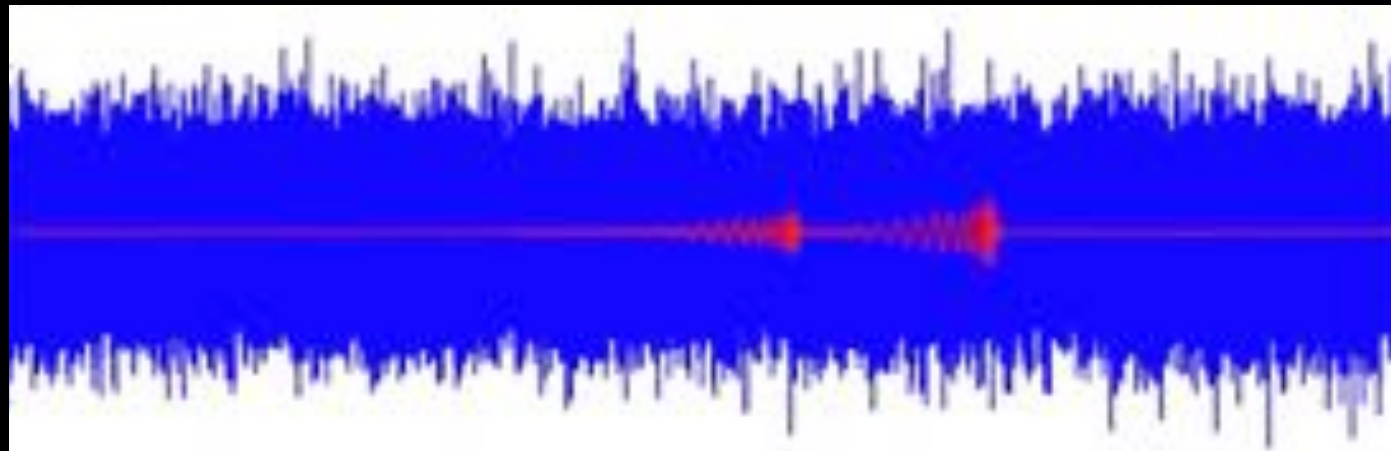


Matched filtering



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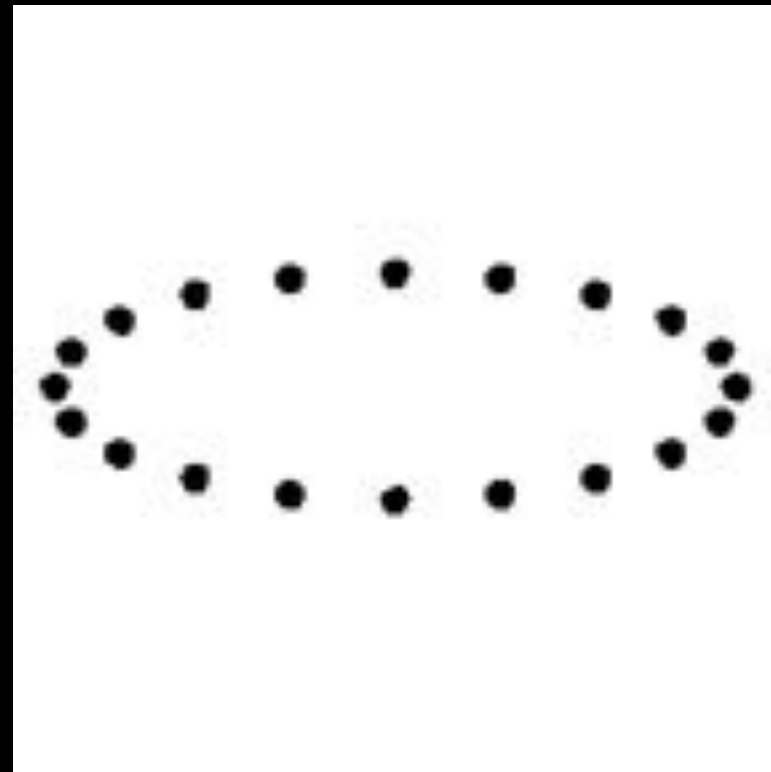
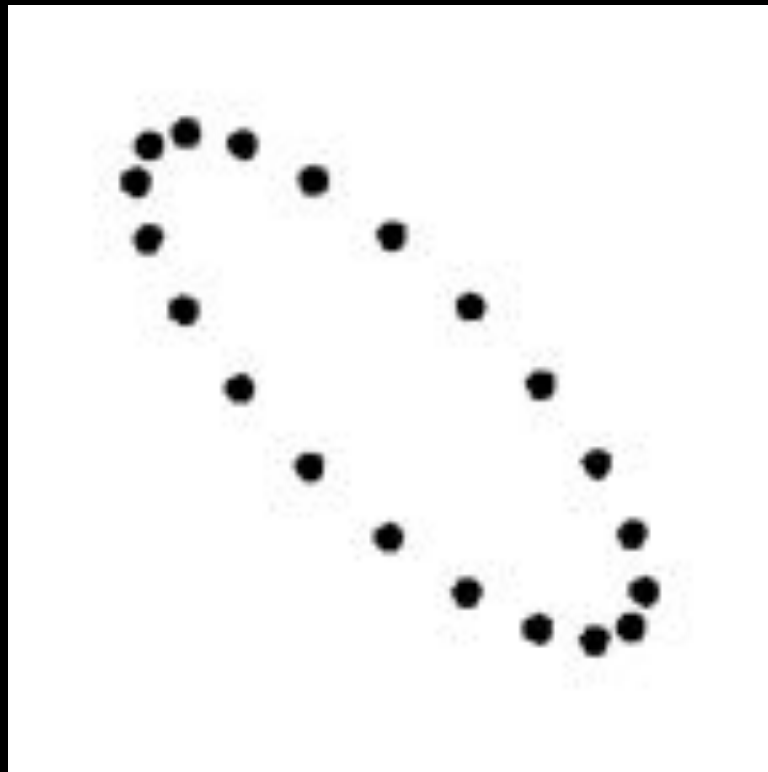
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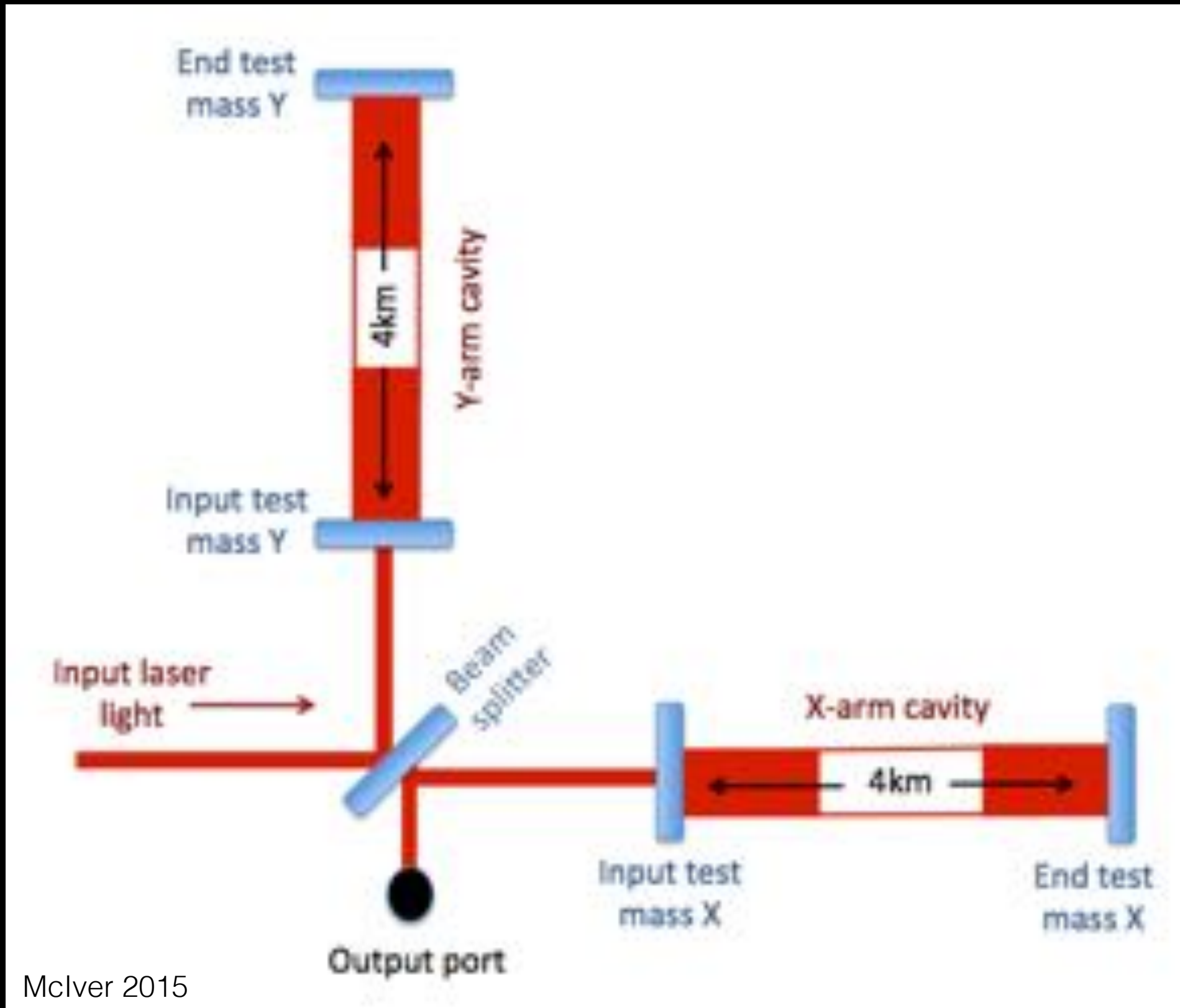
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Gravitational wave propagation

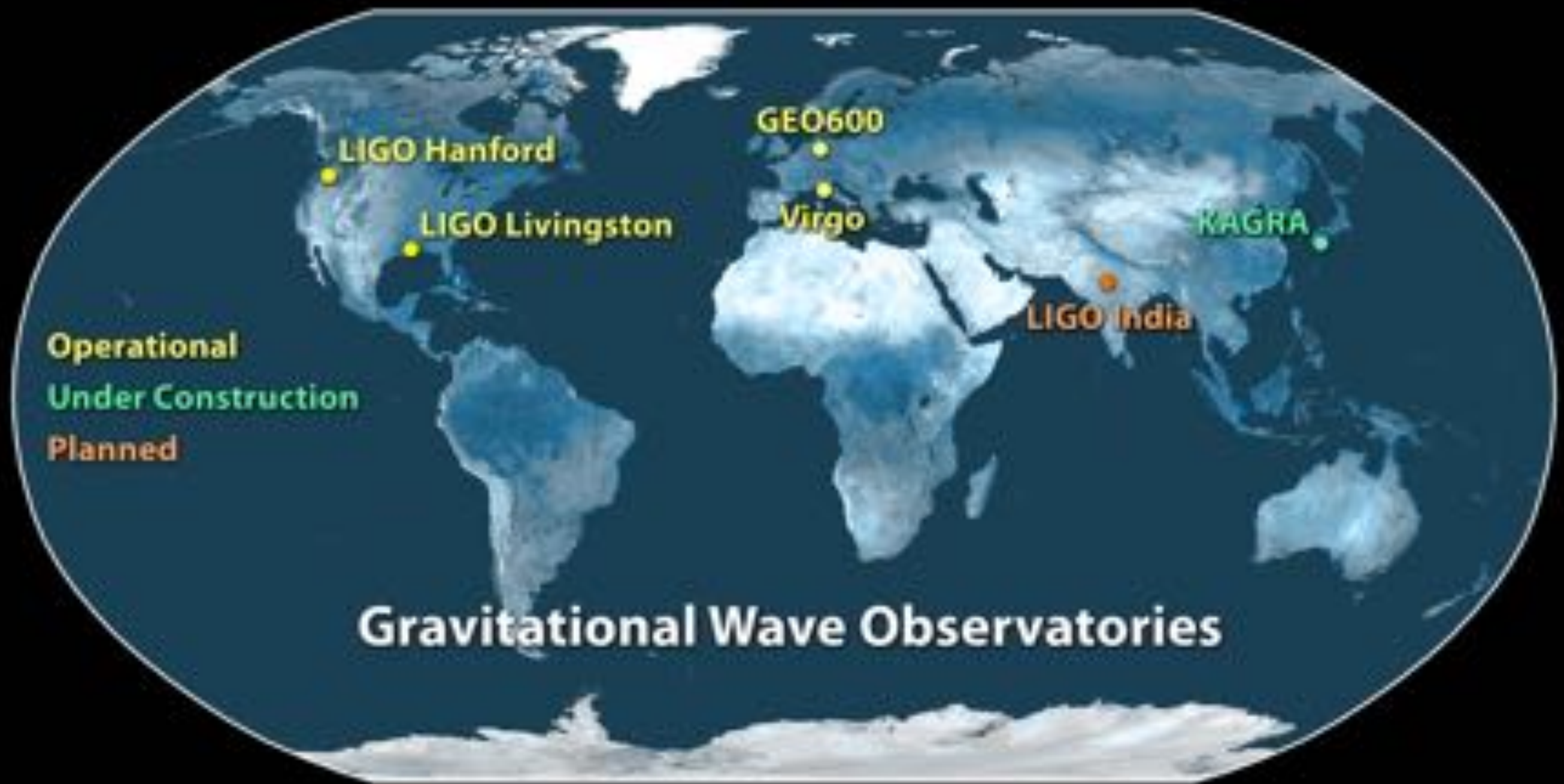
Spacetime strain $h(t)$ measured as $\frac{\Delta L}{L}$



Observing GWs with interferometry

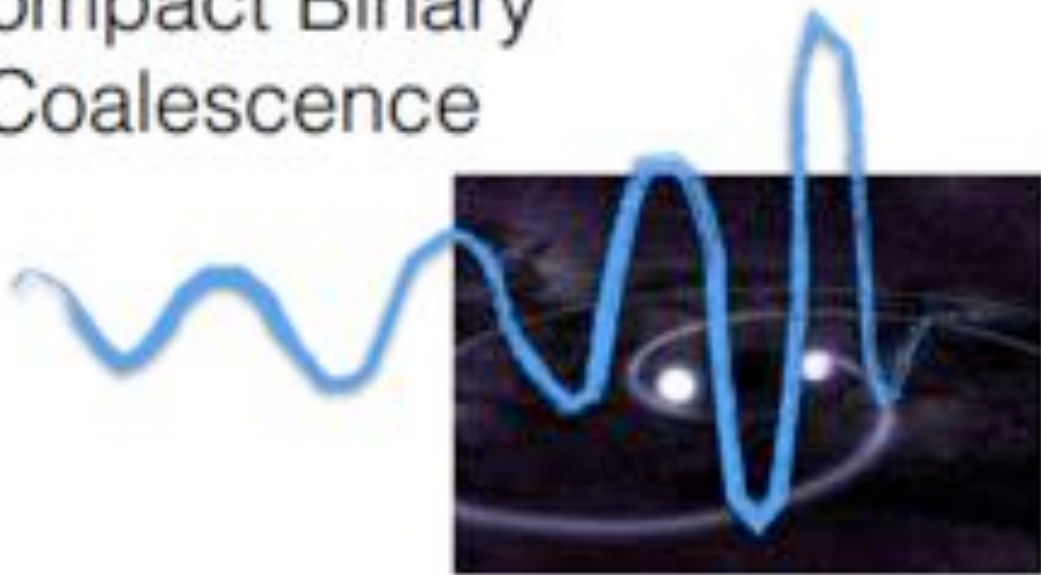


The global network of current gen interferometers

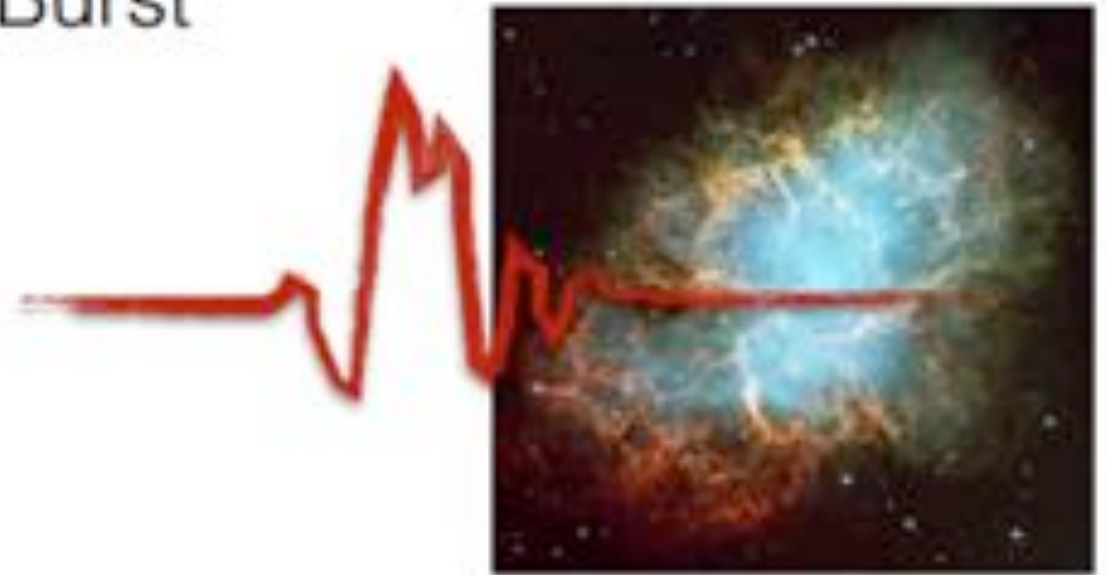


Gravitational wave searches

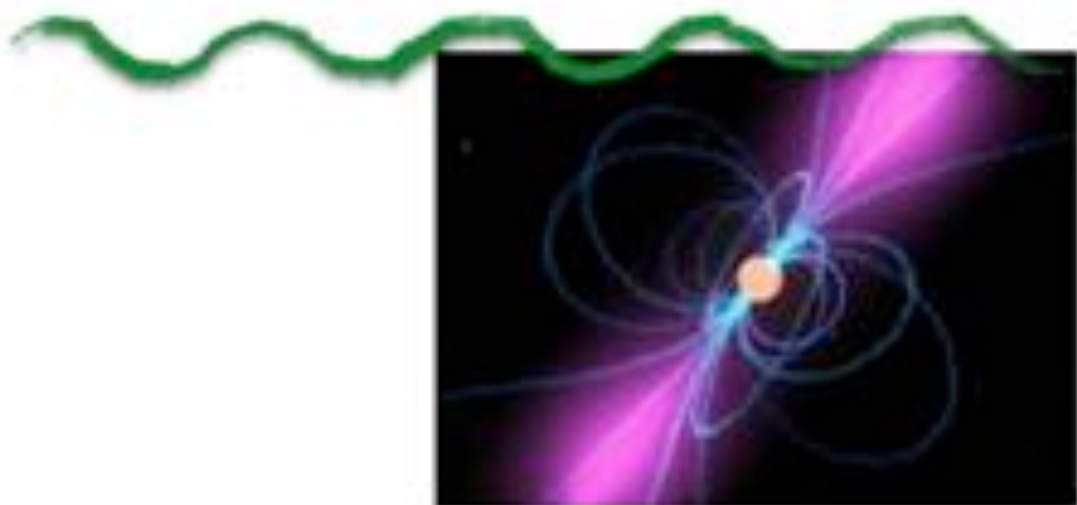
Compact Binary
Coalescence



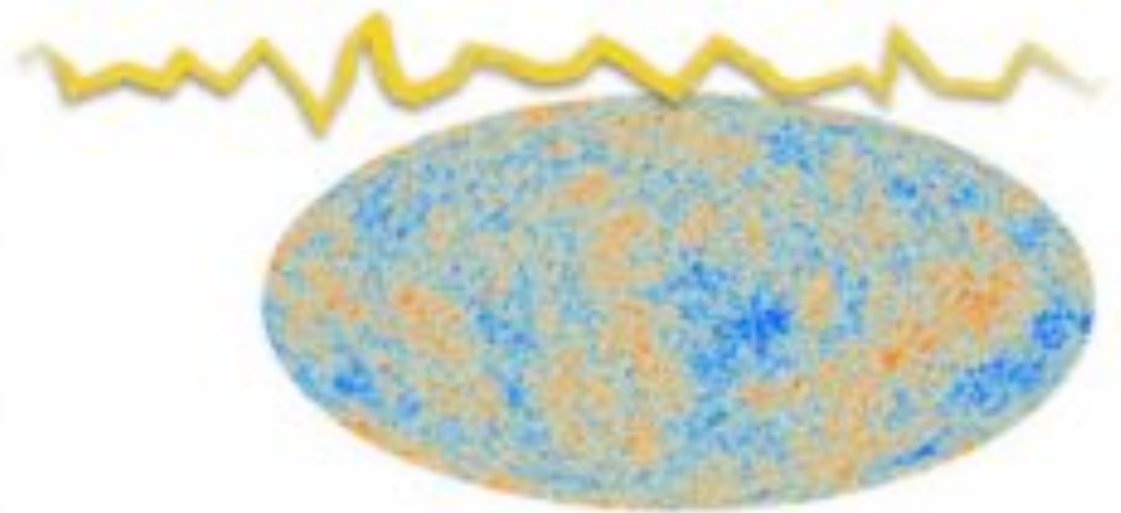
Burst



Continuous

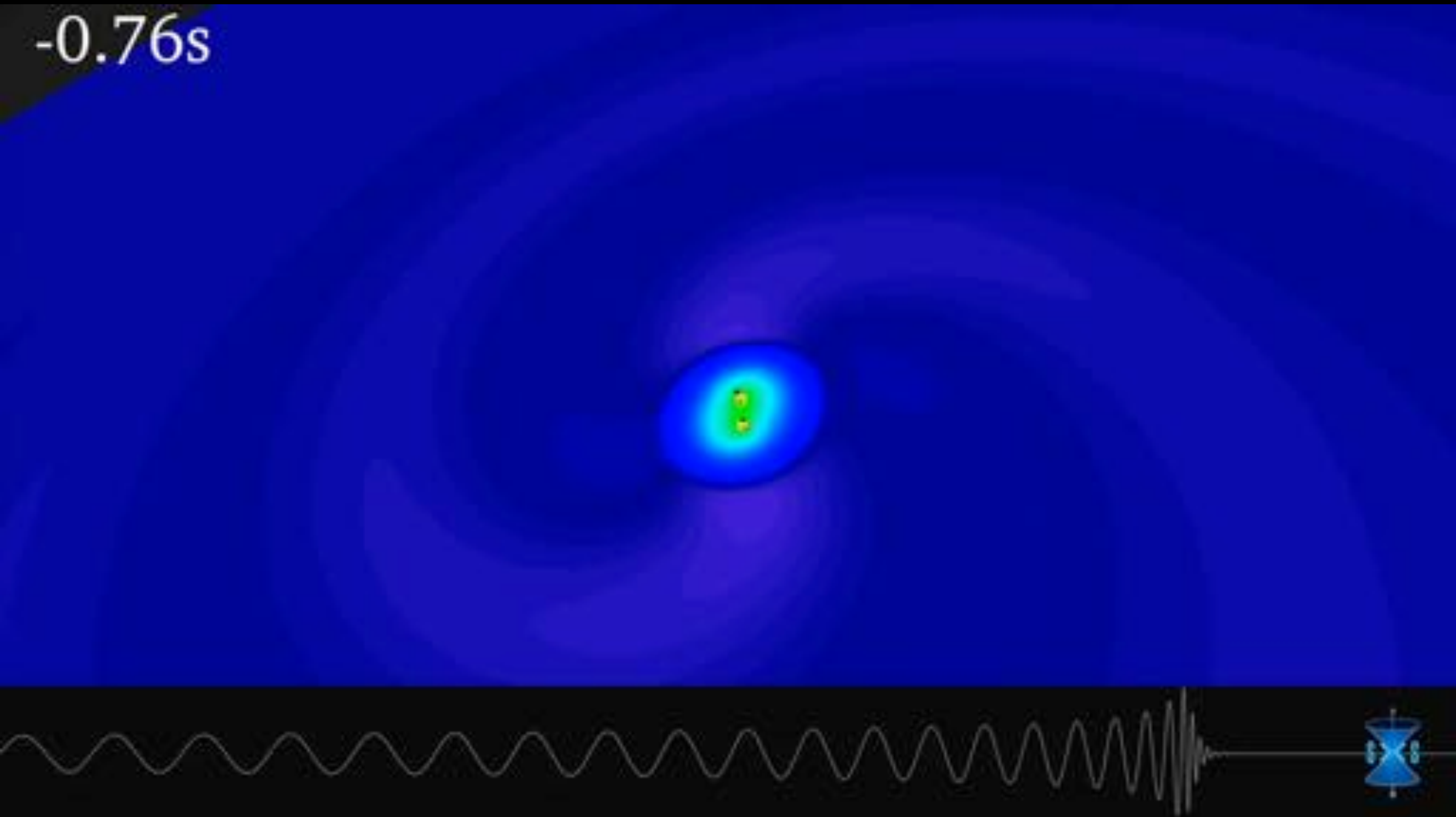


Stochastic



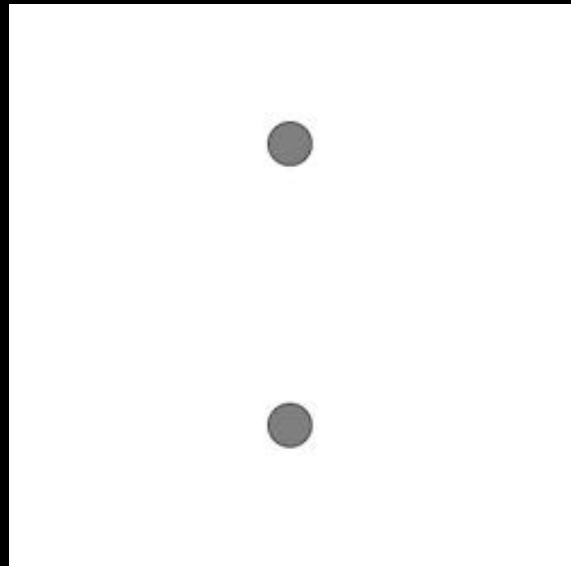
A binary black hole coalescence

-0.76s

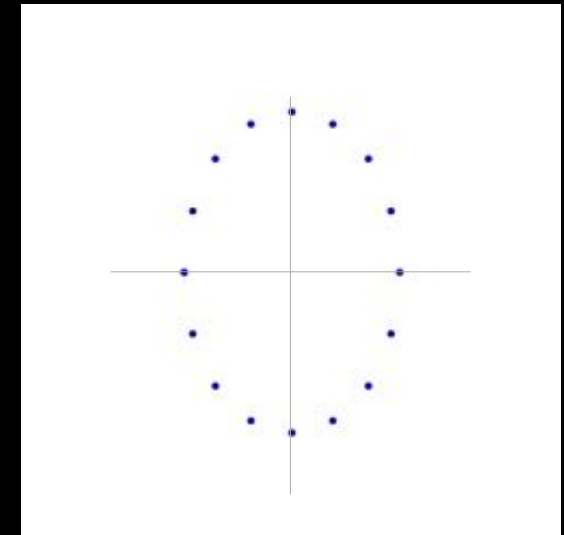


Compact binary sources

Massive objects orbit



Spacetime response
above orbital plane



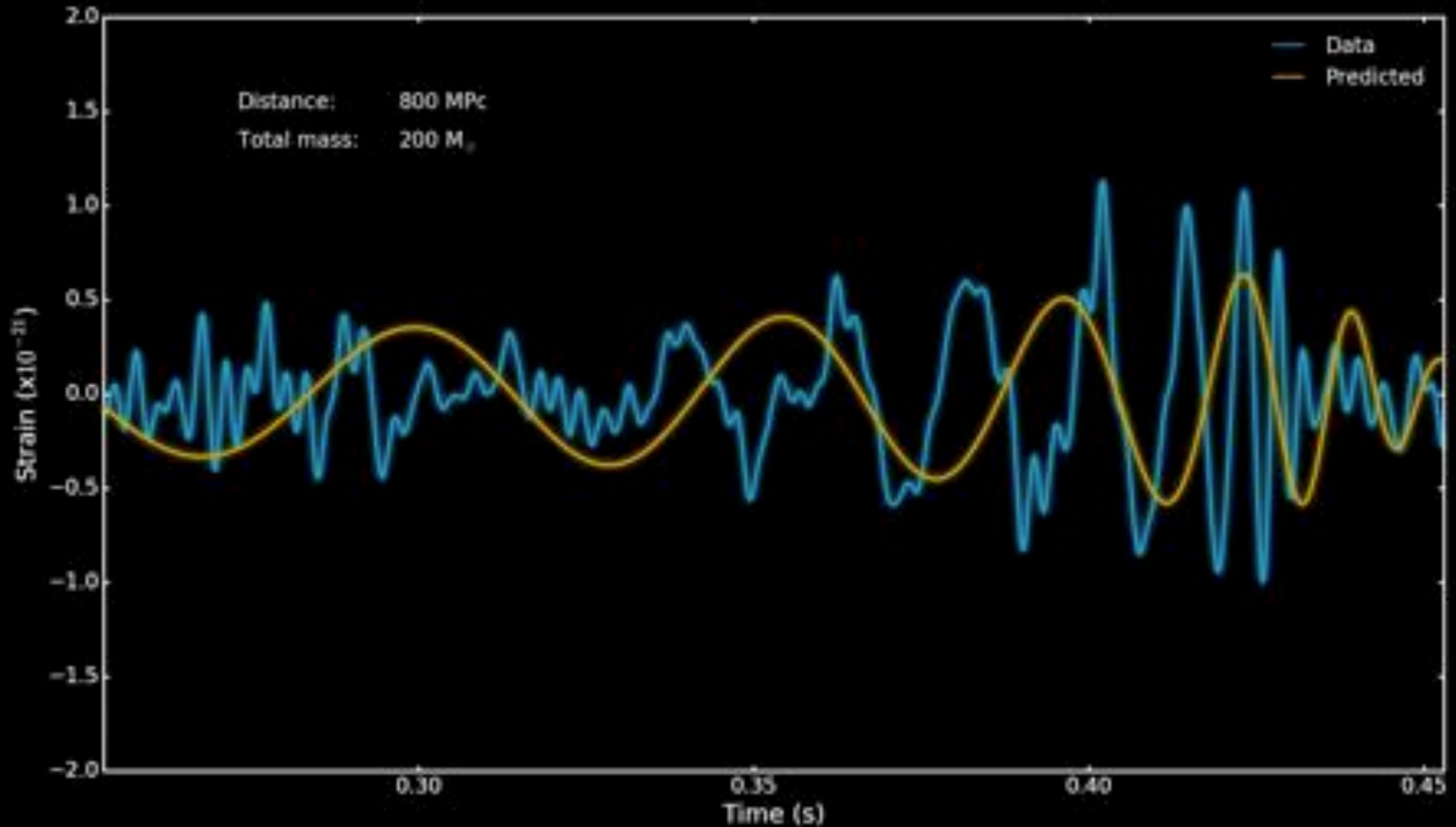
$$E_{orbit} = \frac{M_1 M_2}{M_\odot^2} \frac{3R_{S,\odot}}{2a} 10^{53} \text{ erg}$$

$$f = \left(\frac{M_1 + M_2}{M_\odot} \right)^{1/2} \left(\frac{3R_{S,\odot}}{a} \right)^{3/2} 3 \text{ kHz}$$

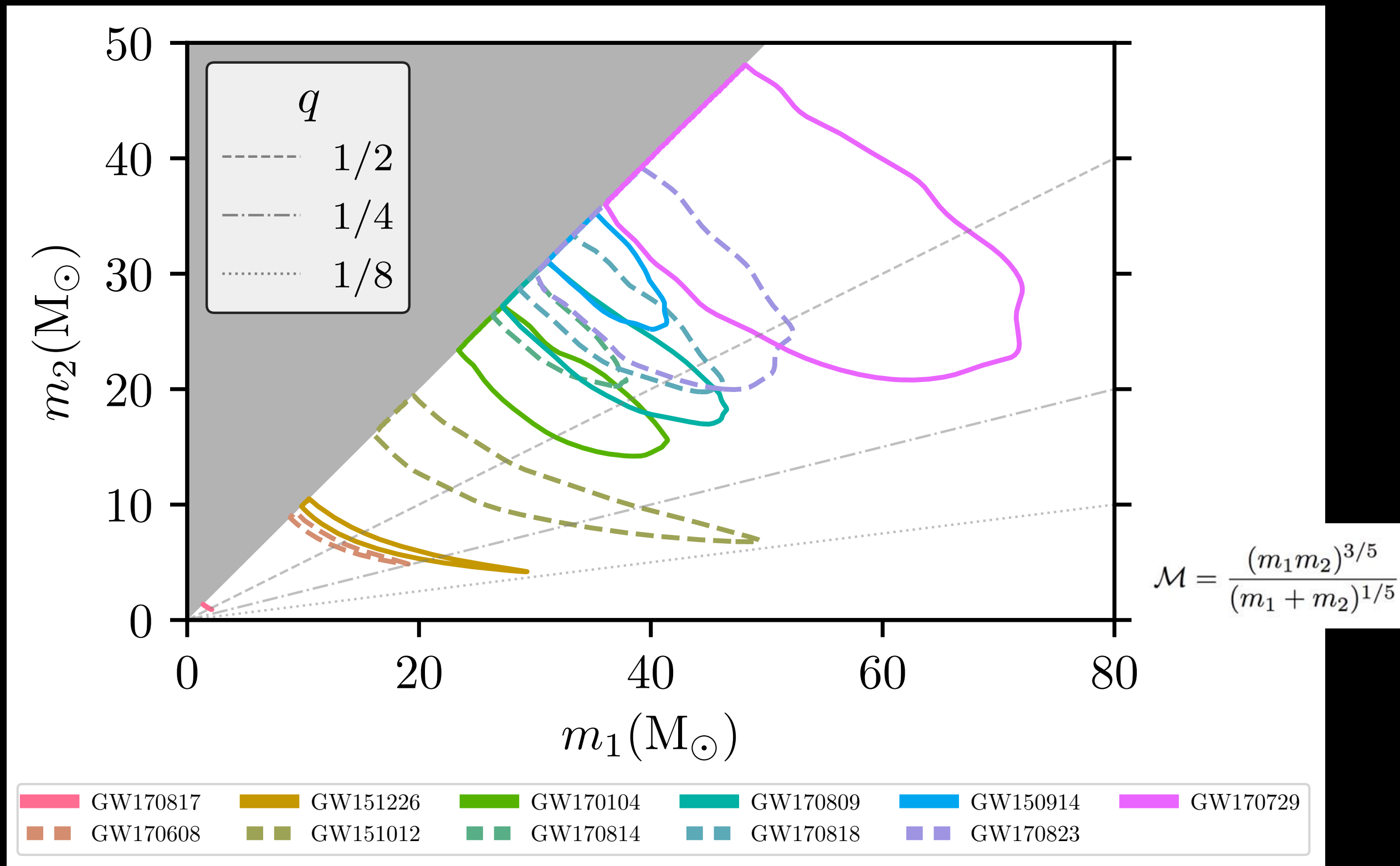
$$L_{GW} = \frac{M_1^2 M_2^2 (M_1 + M_2)}{M_\odot^5} \left(\frac{3R_{S,\odot}}{a} \right)^5 10^{56} \text{ erg/s}$$

$$h = \frac{M_1 M_2}{M_\odot^2} \frac{3R_{S,\odot}}{a} \frac{100 \text{ Mpc}}{d_L} 10^{-22}$$

Inferring mass and distance

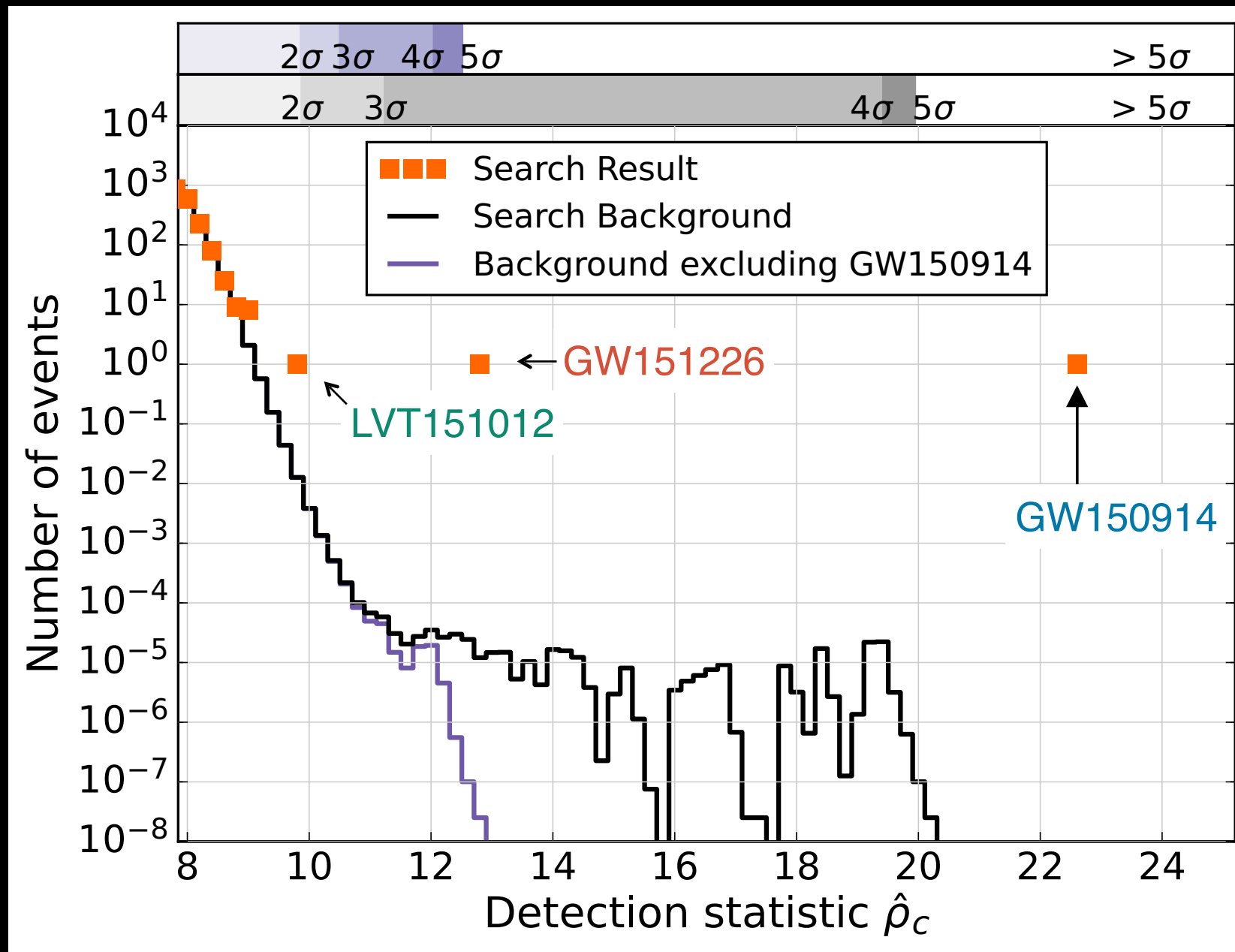


A Bayesian inference



How do we identify signals? How significant are they?

Goal: understand this plot!



Searching for signals with matched filtering

Slide adapted from S. Caudill

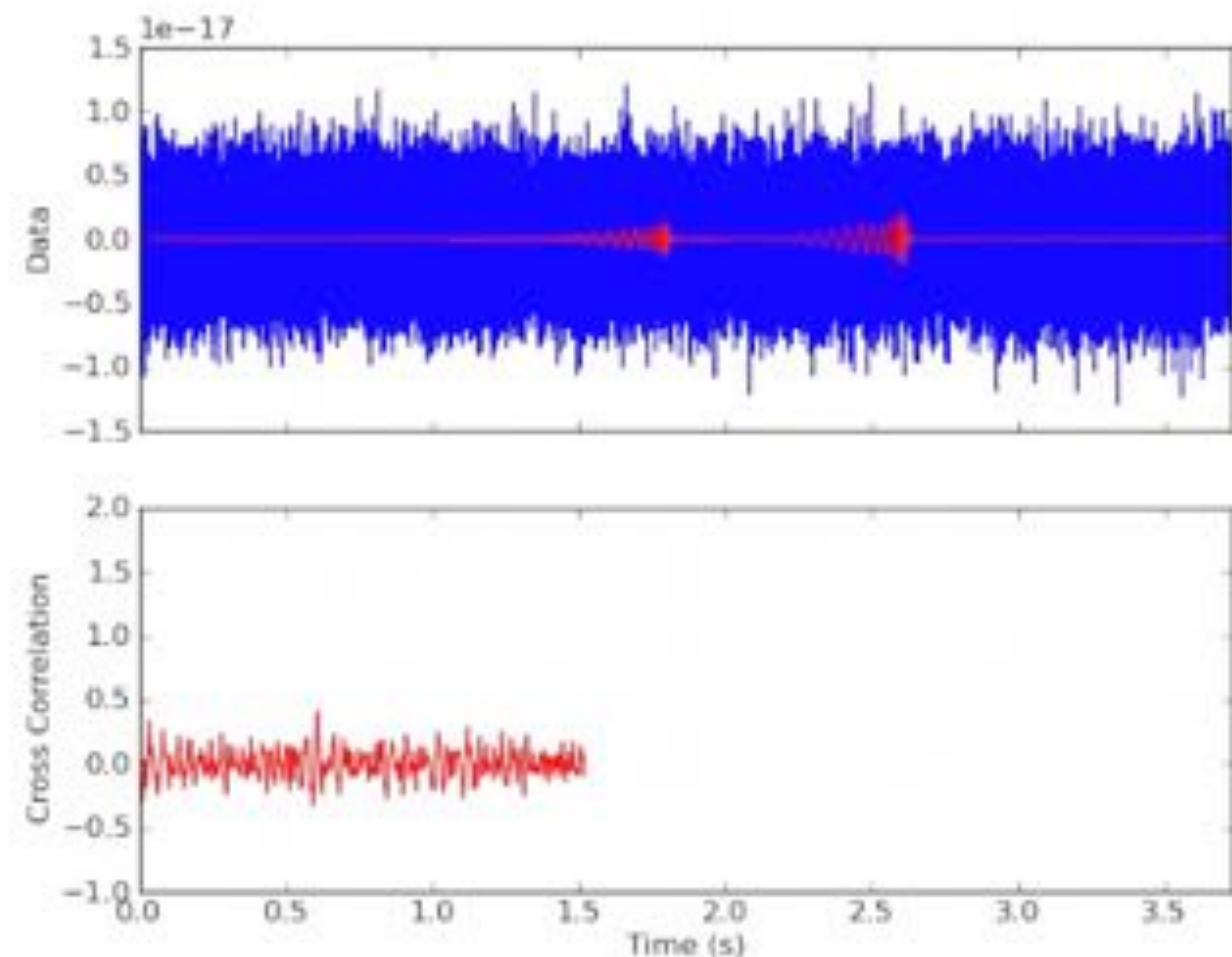
$$\rho^2(t) = \left[\langle s|h_c \rangle^2(t) + \langle s|h_s \rangle^2(t) \right]$$

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Matched filter signal-to-noise ratio



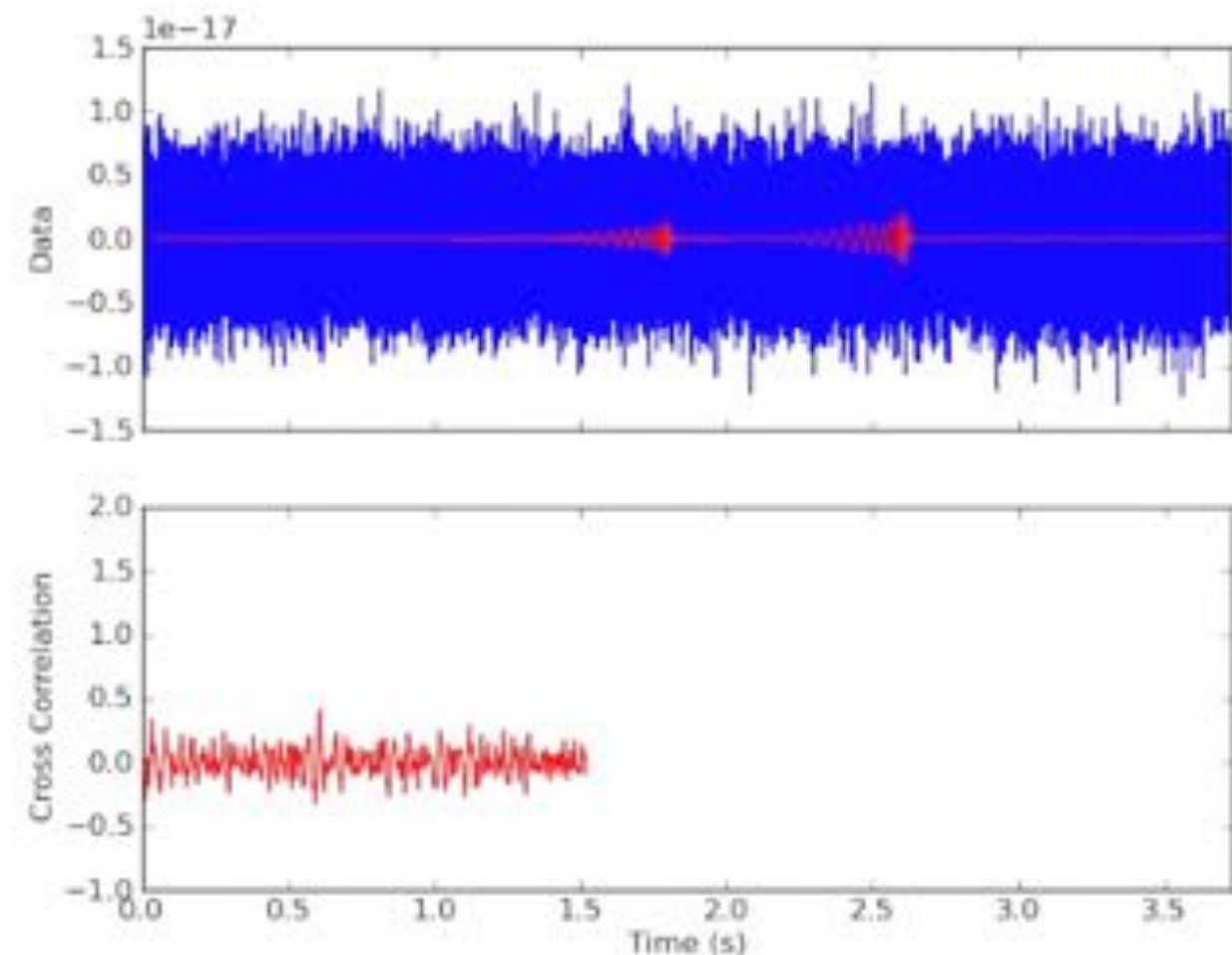
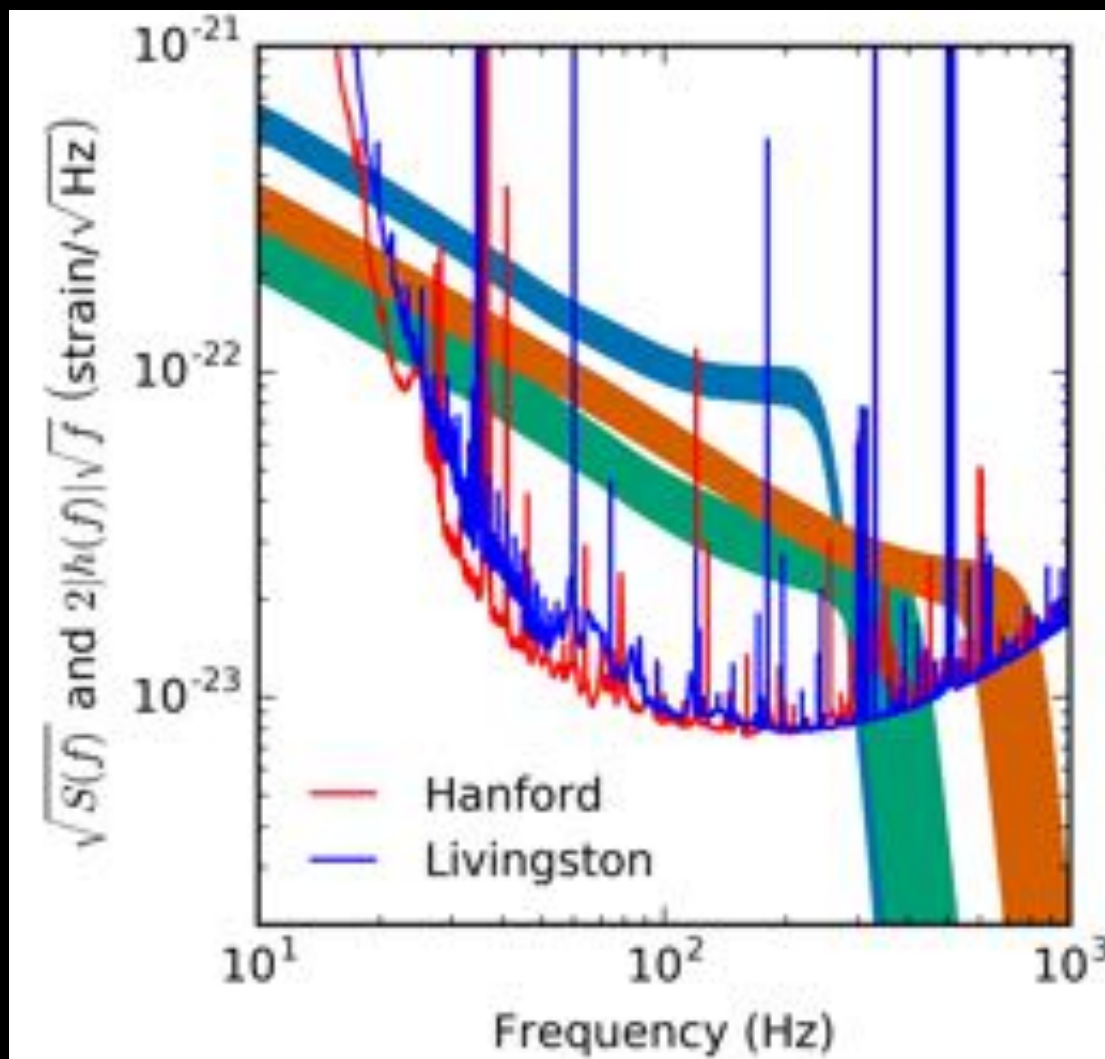
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$$\rho^2(t) = \left[\langle s|h_c \rangle^2(t) + \langle s|h_s \rangle^2(t) \right]$$

$$\langle s|h \rangle = 4\text{Re} \int_0^\infty \frac{\tilde{s}(f)\tilde{h}^*(f)}{S_n(f)} e^{2\pi i f t} df$$

Matched filter signal-to-noise ratio

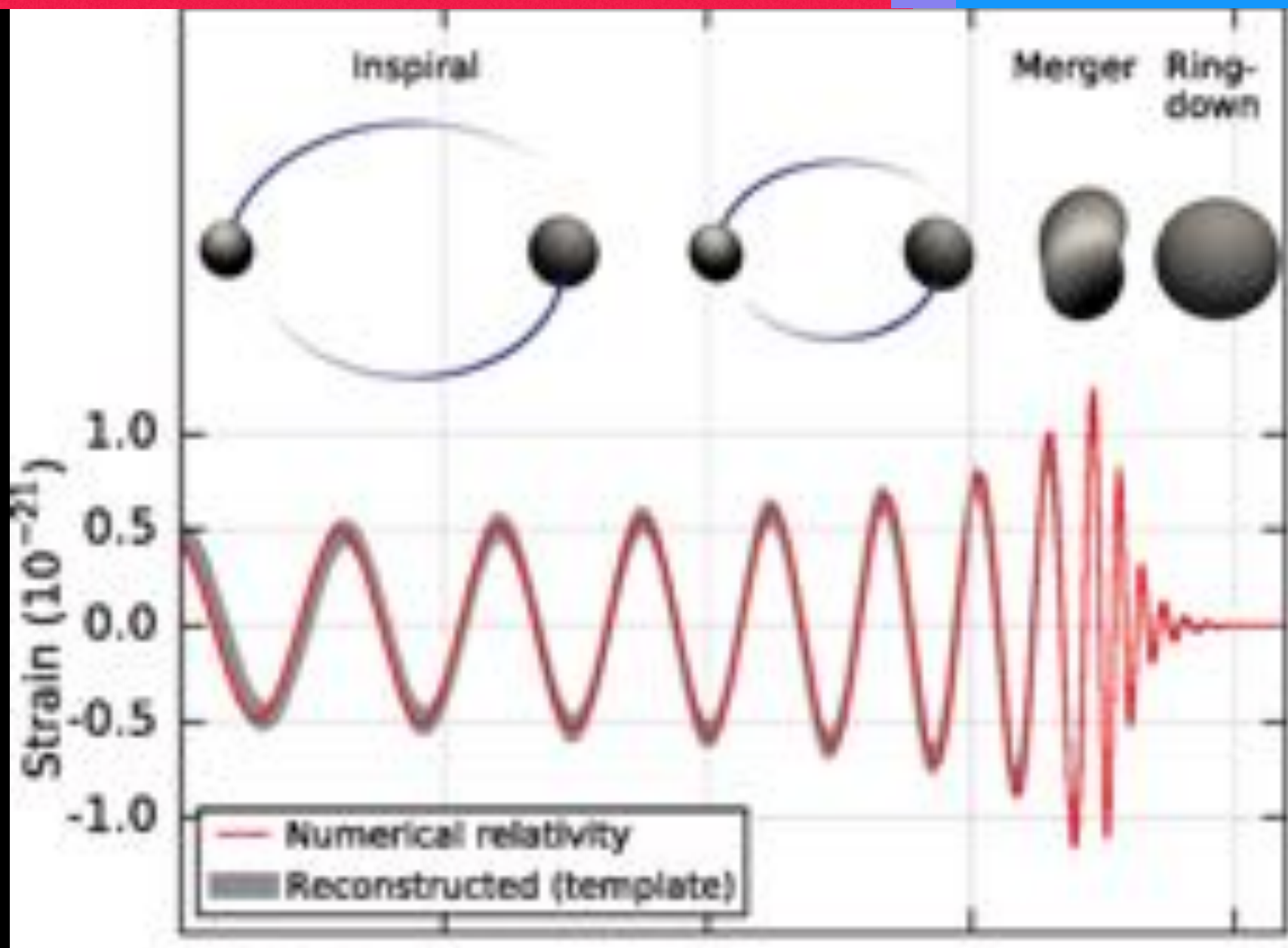


Constructing templates

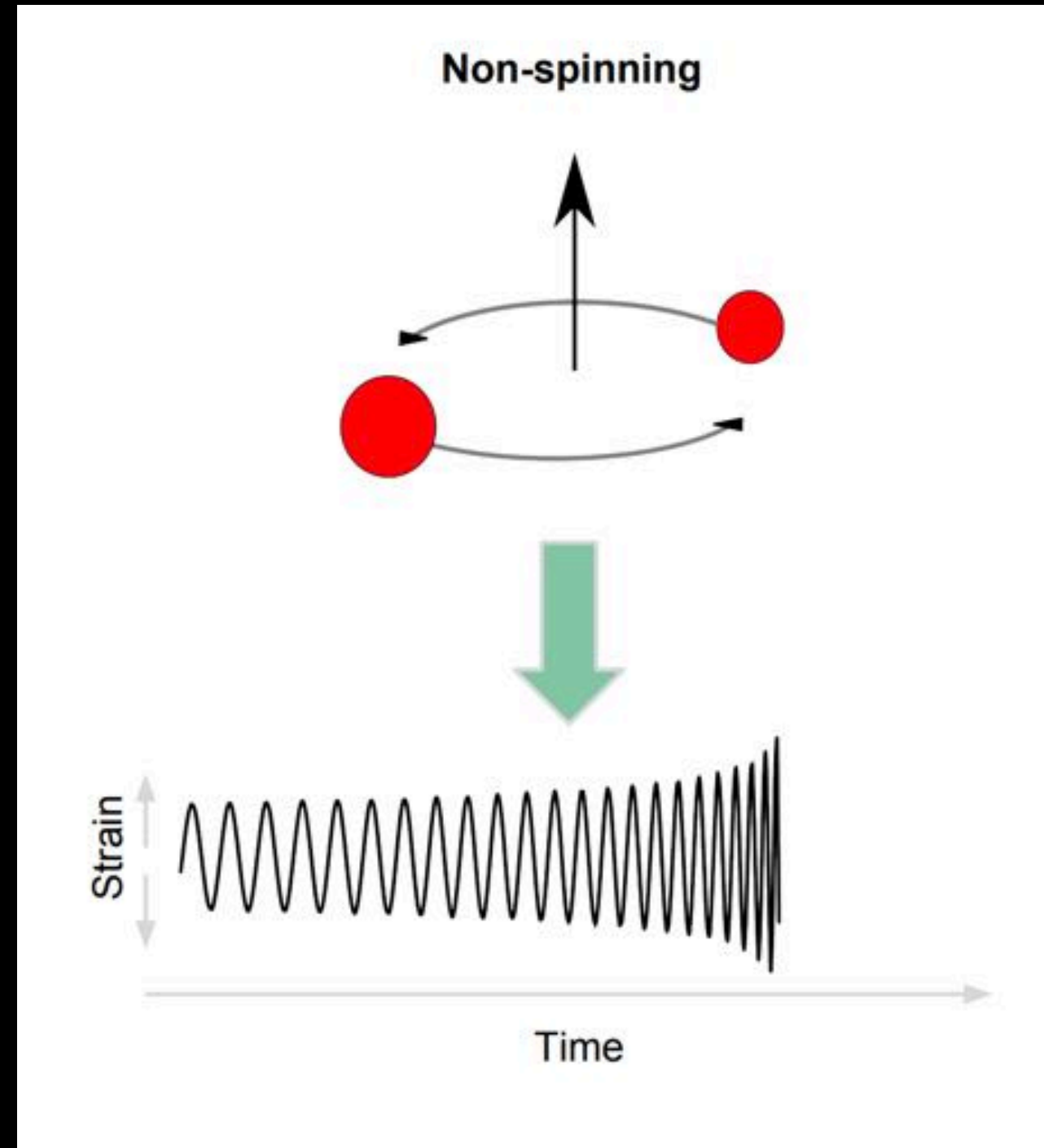
Post-Newtonian point
approximations
Valid for $v \ll c$

Numerical Relativity

Valid everywhere - very
very expensive to generate



Constructing templates: spin

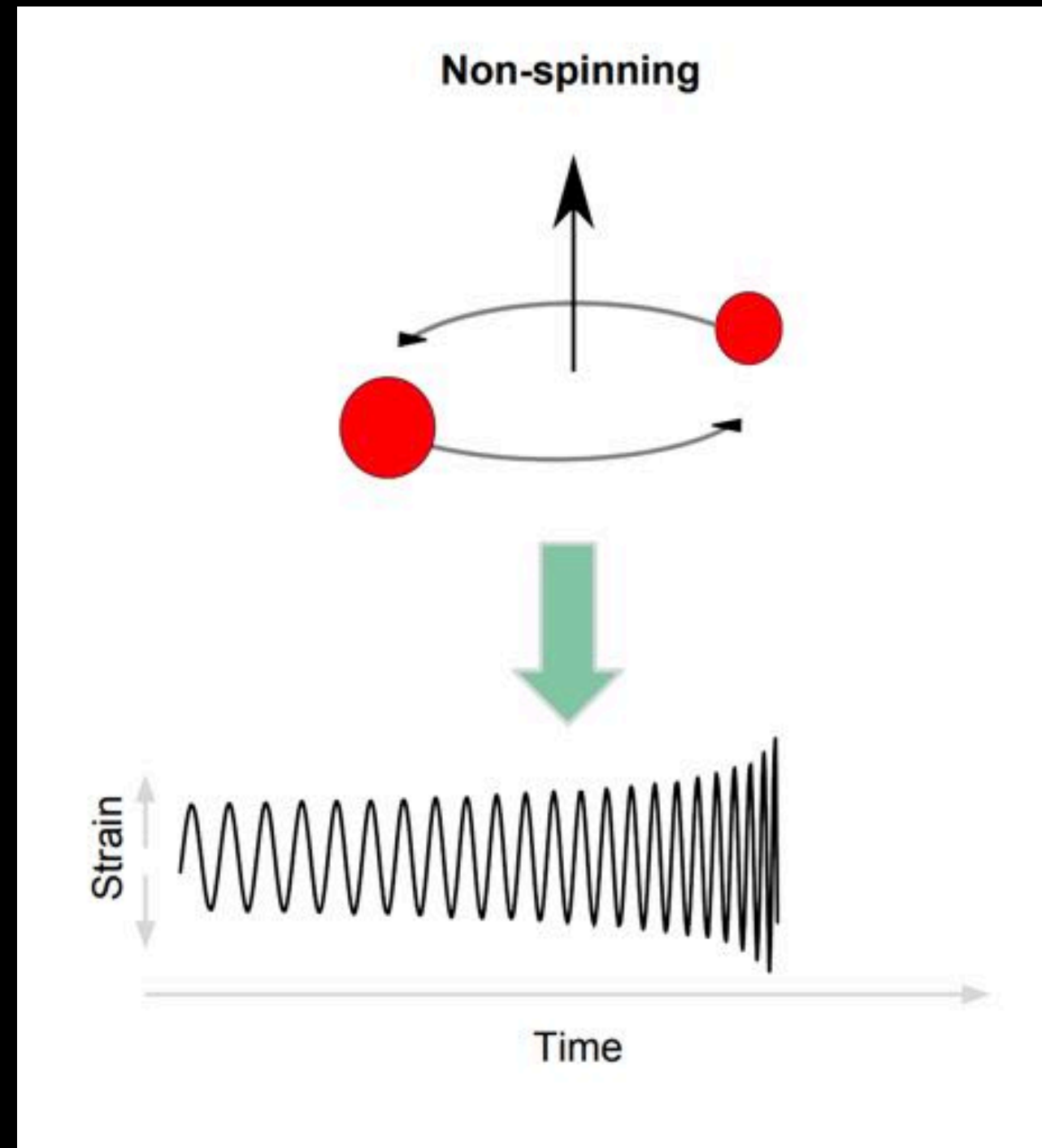


Constructing templates: spin

Breakout question

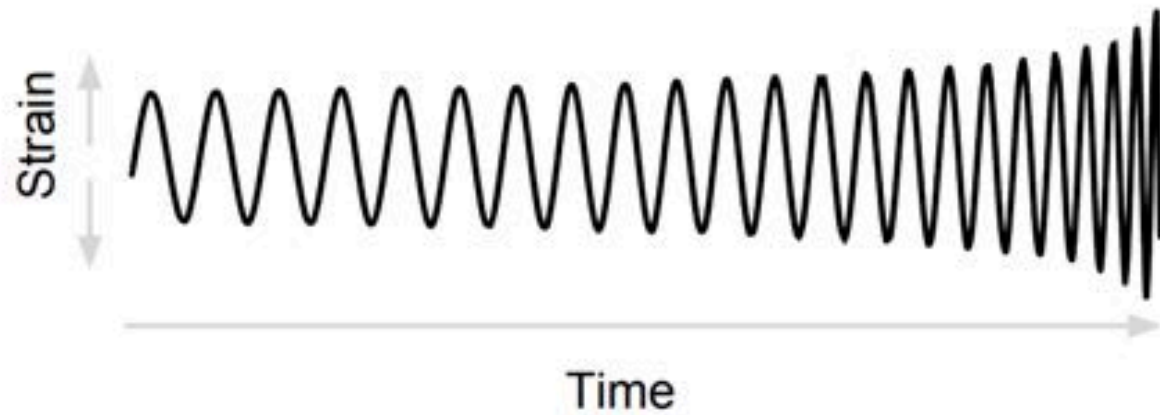
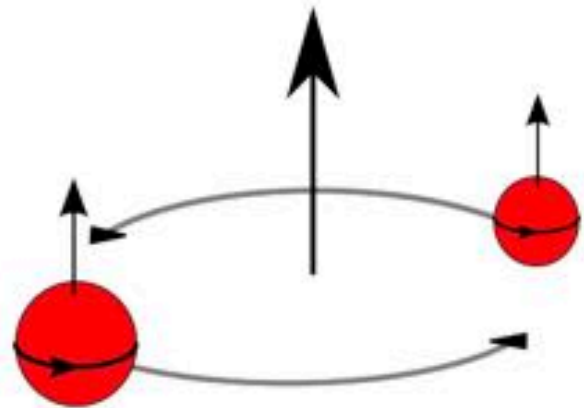
If the component objects have spin aligned with the orbital angular momentum, will that make the signal template:

1. Longer
2. Shorter
3. The same

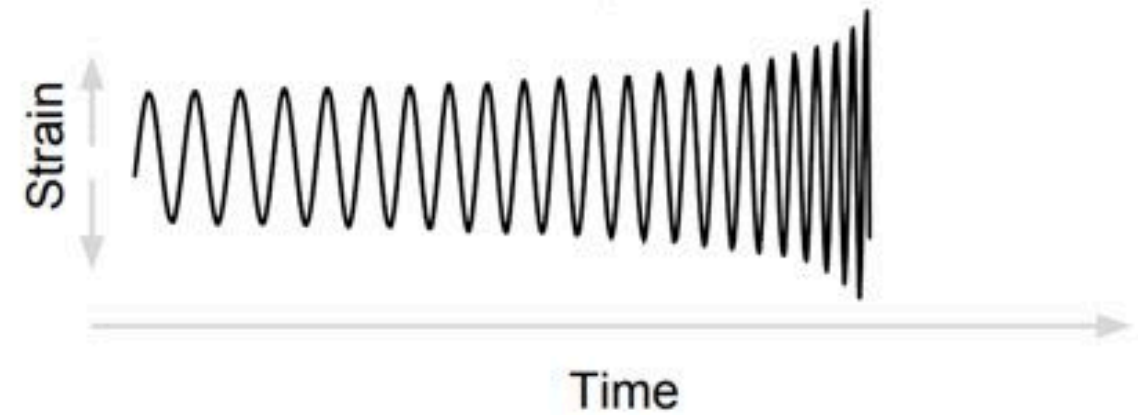
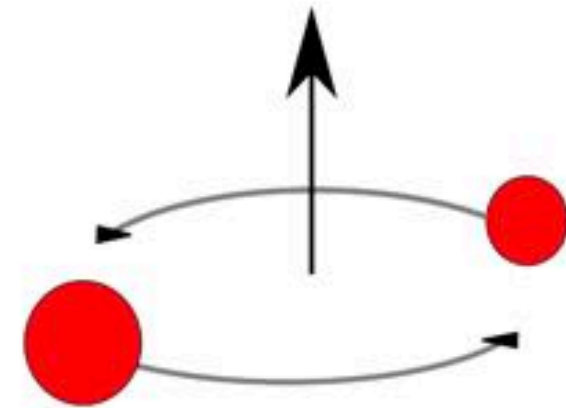


Constructing templates: spin

Aligned Spin

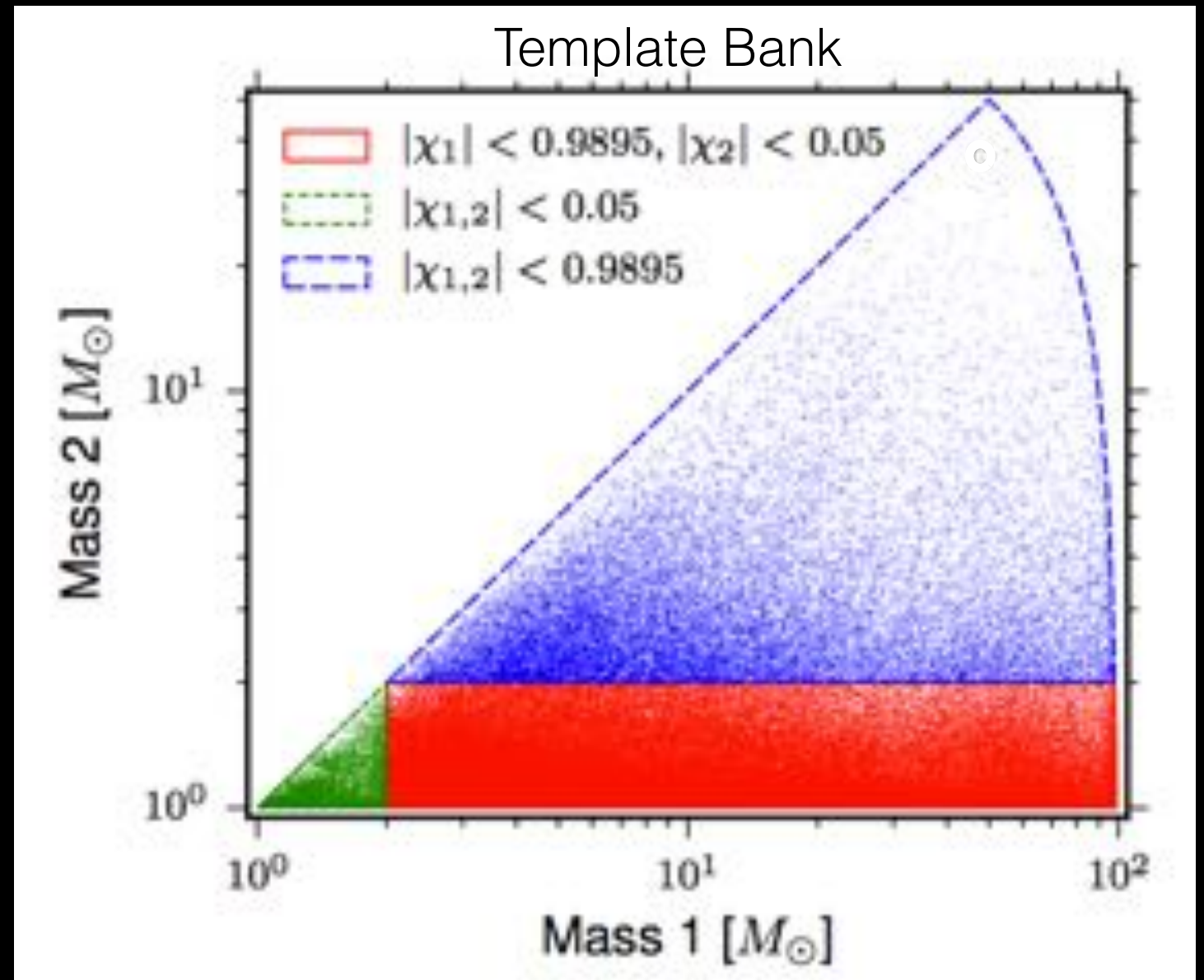
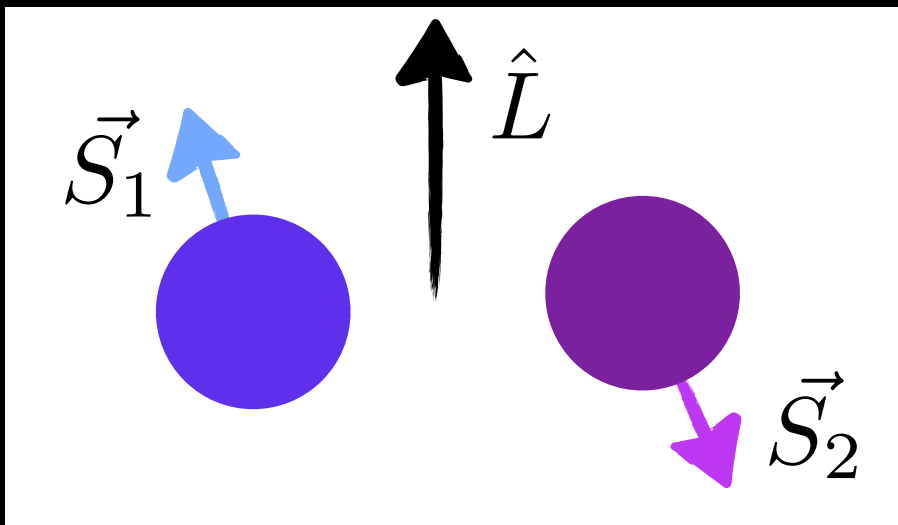


Non-spinning



Building a template bank

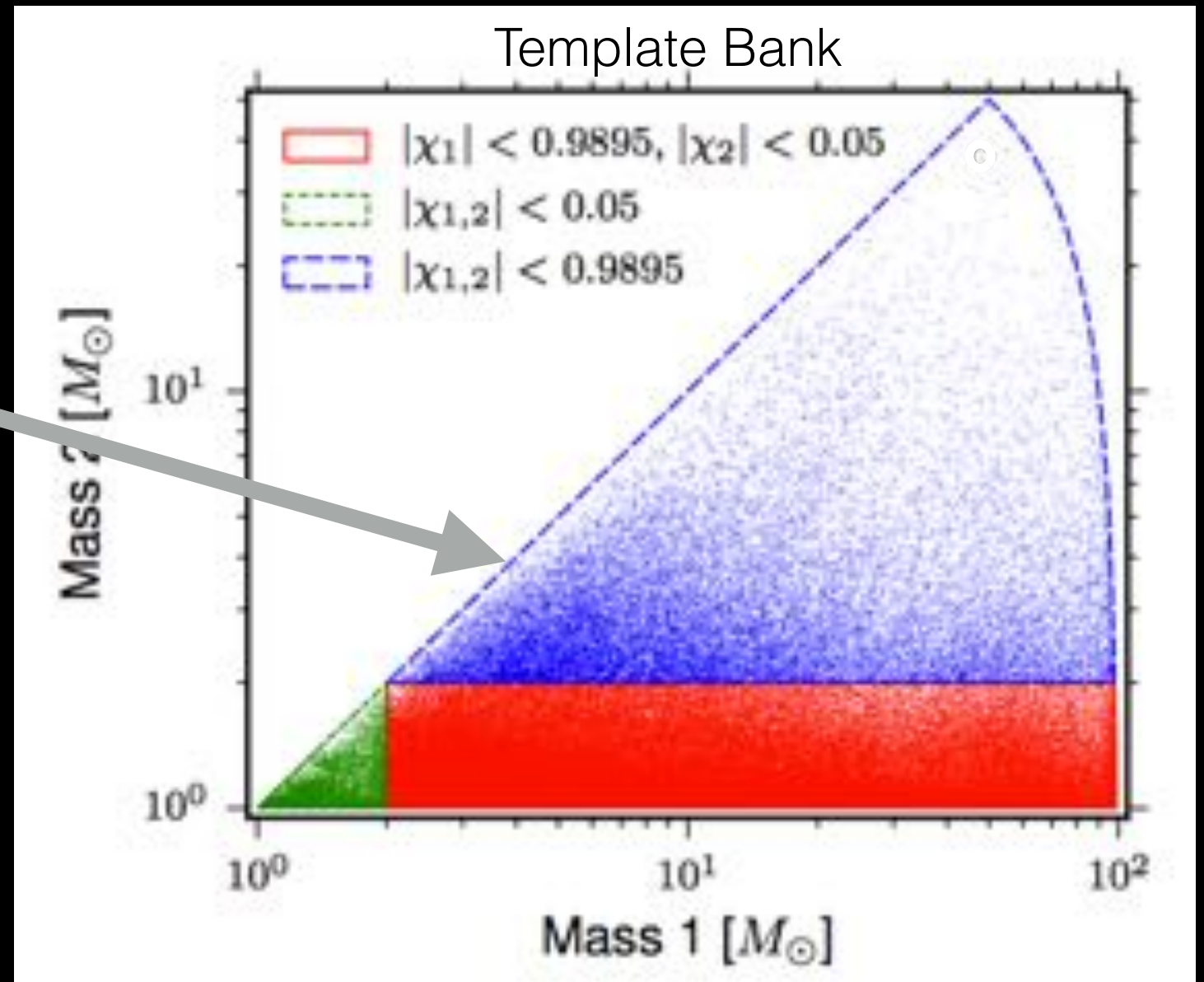
$$\chi_{1,2} \propto \vec{S}_{1,2} \cdot \hat{L}$$



Building a template bank

Breakout question

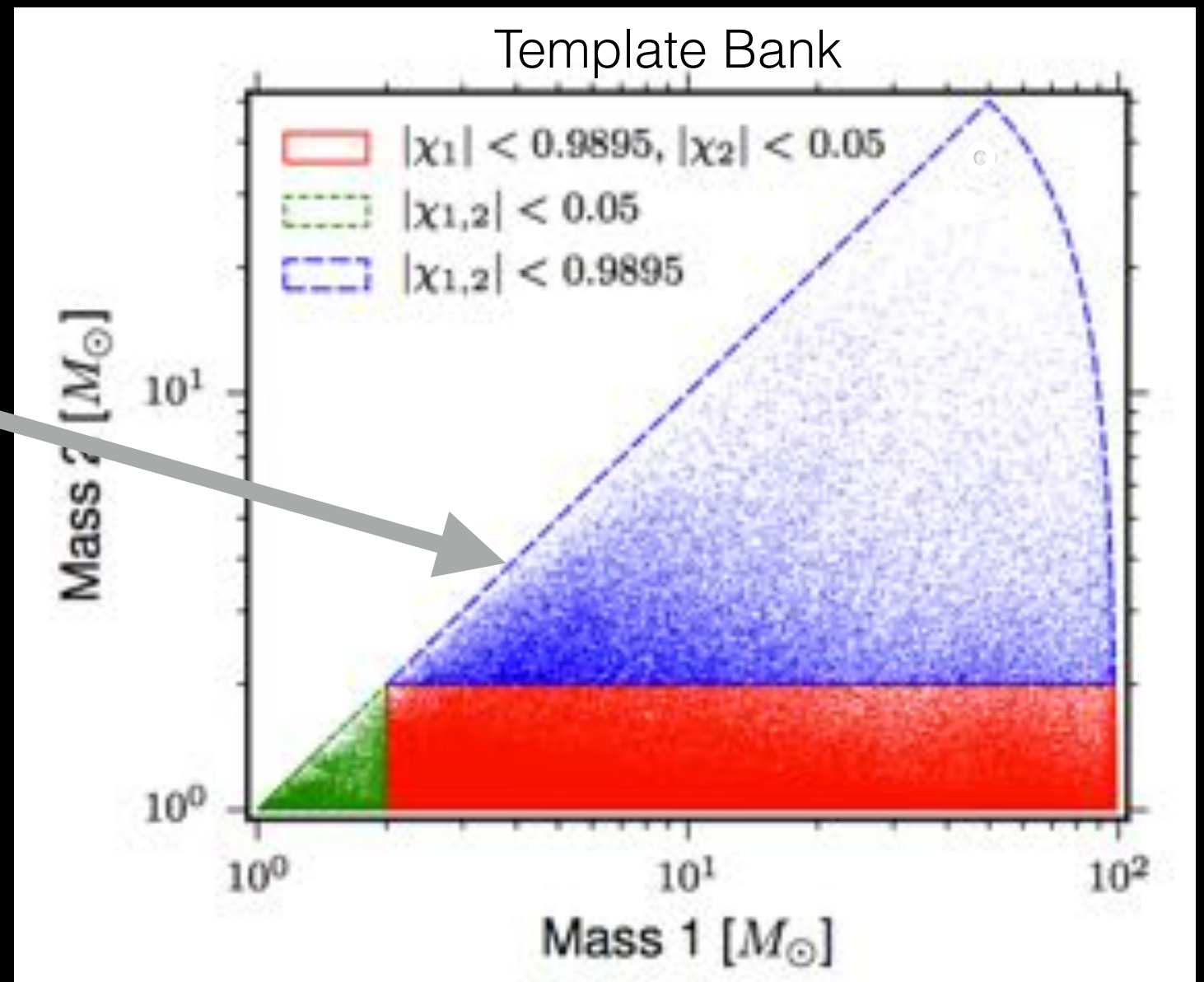
What defines the separation between each template?



Building a template bank

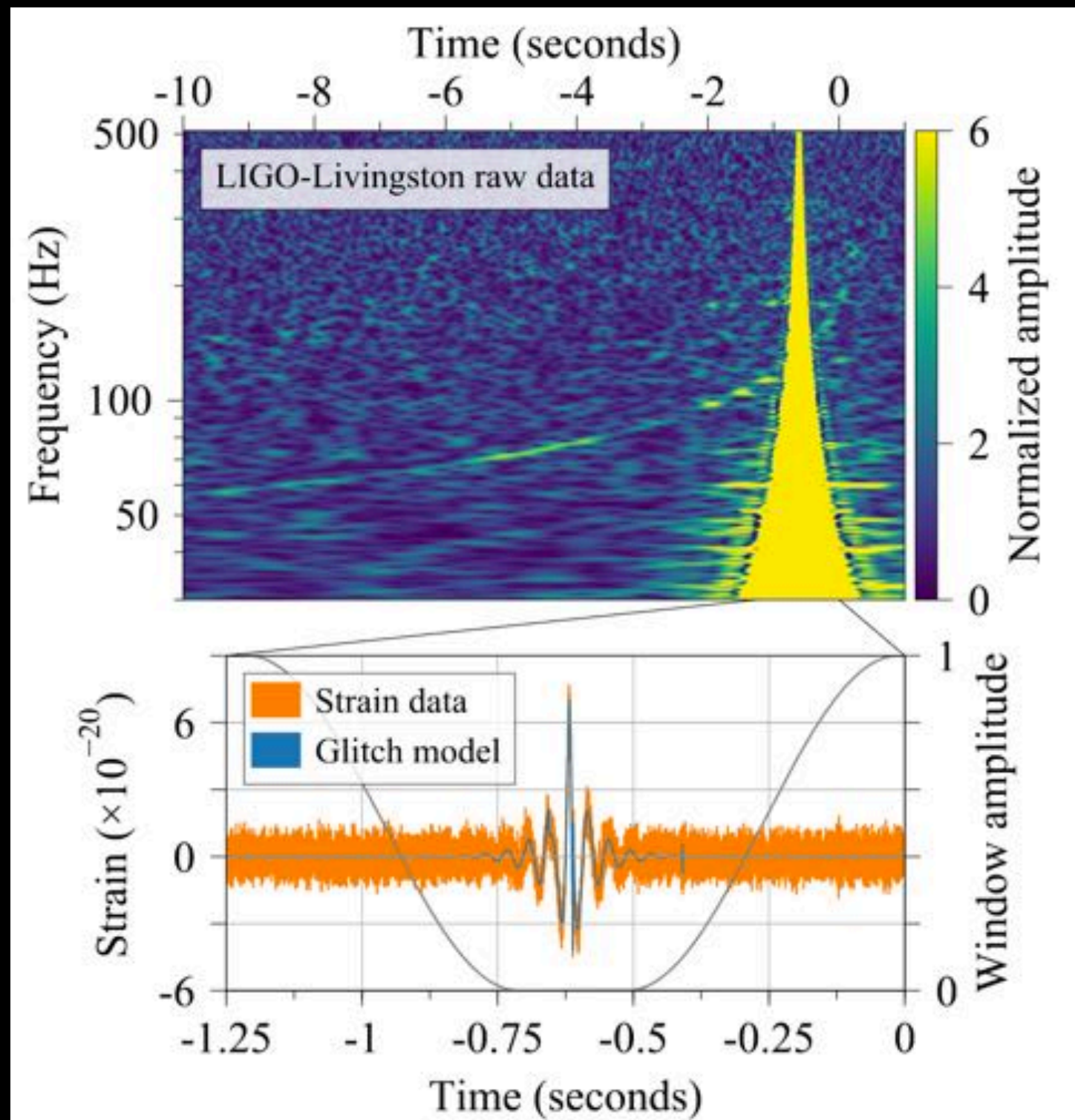
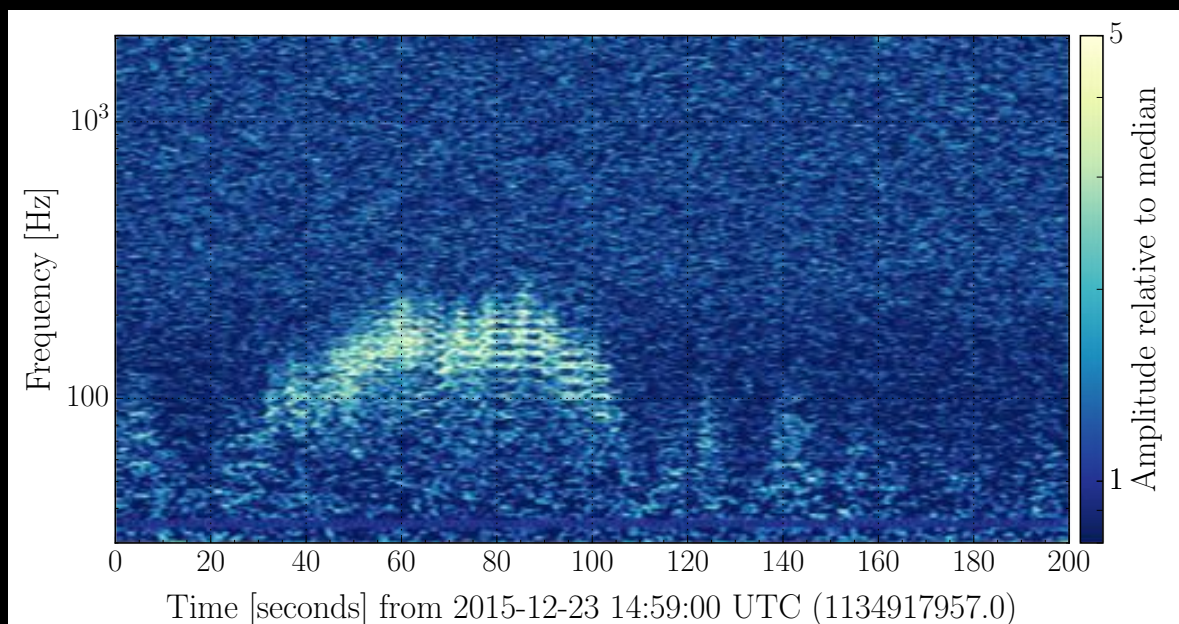
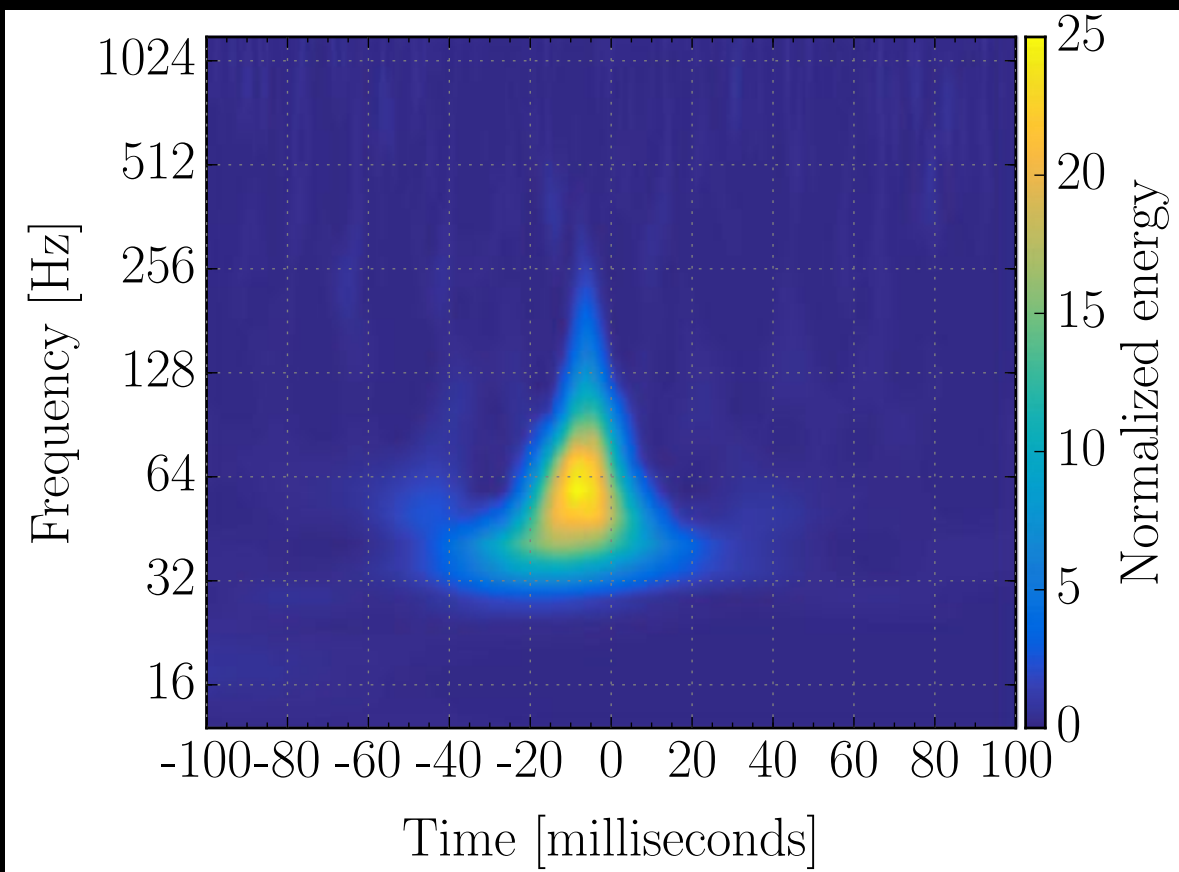
What defines the separation between each template?

Maximum allowed mismatch between one template and the next



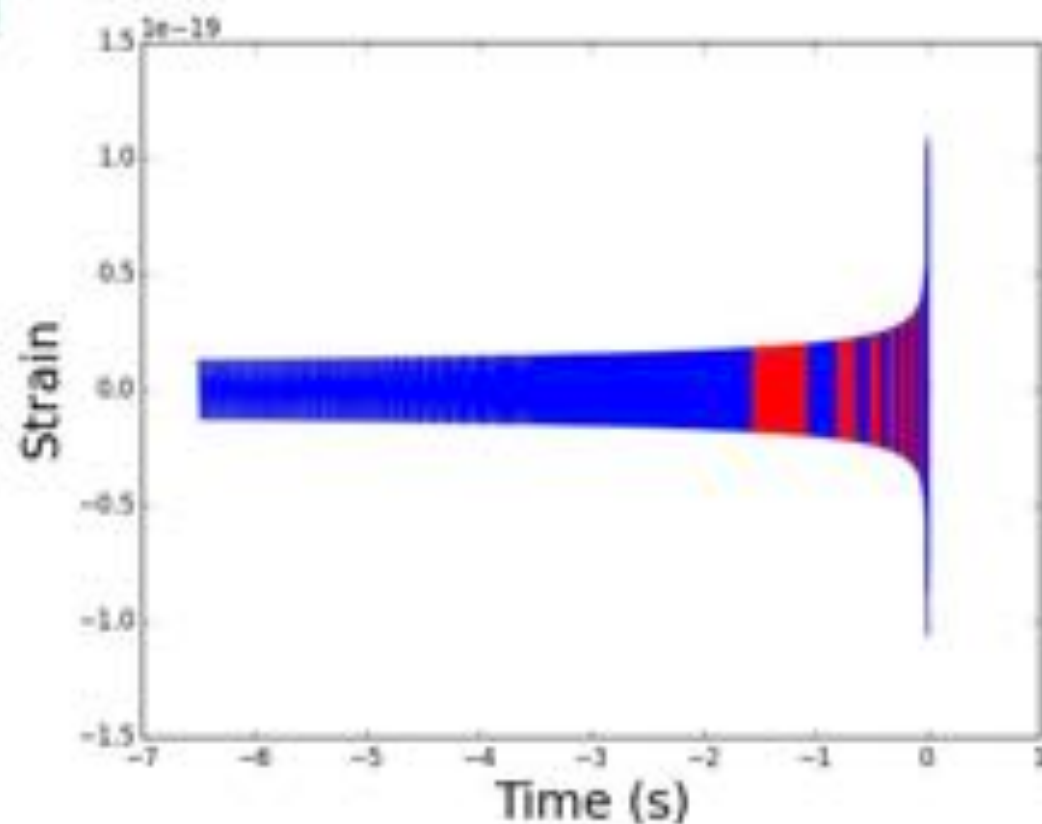
Challenge:

LIGO data is non-stationary/non-Gaussian!



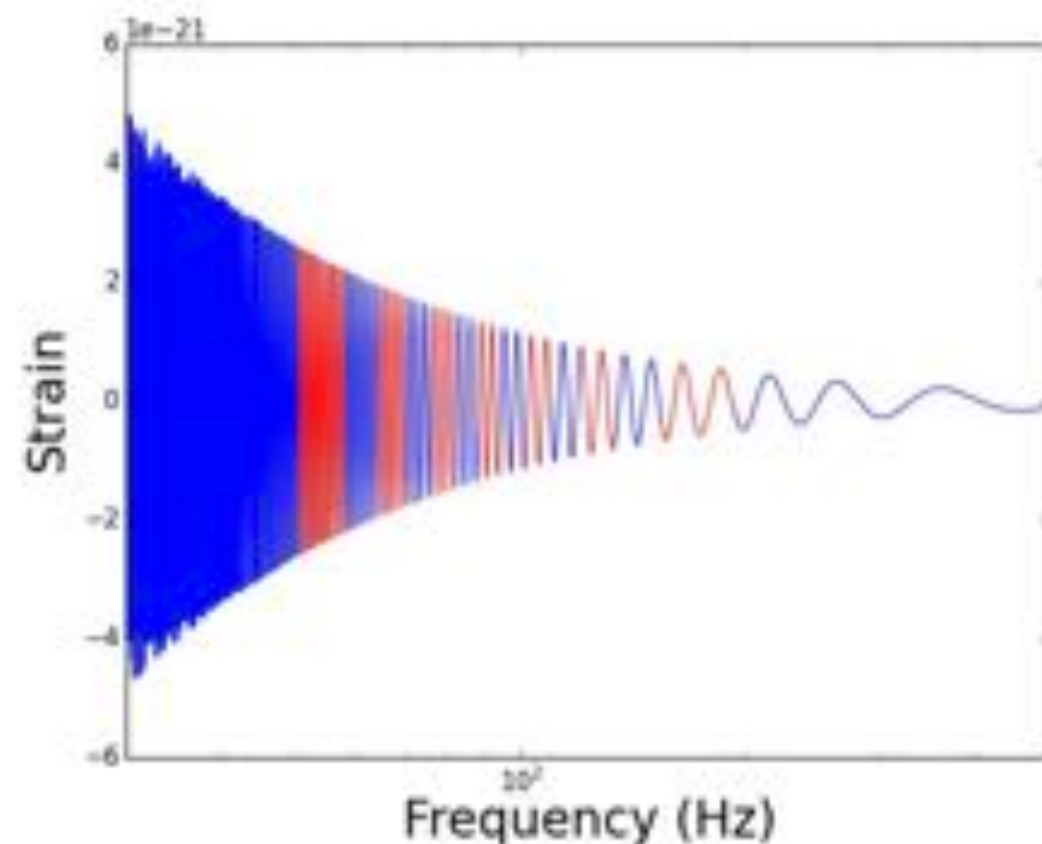
The Chi-squared test

Time domain



Divide the template into frequency bands of equal expected power

Frequency domain



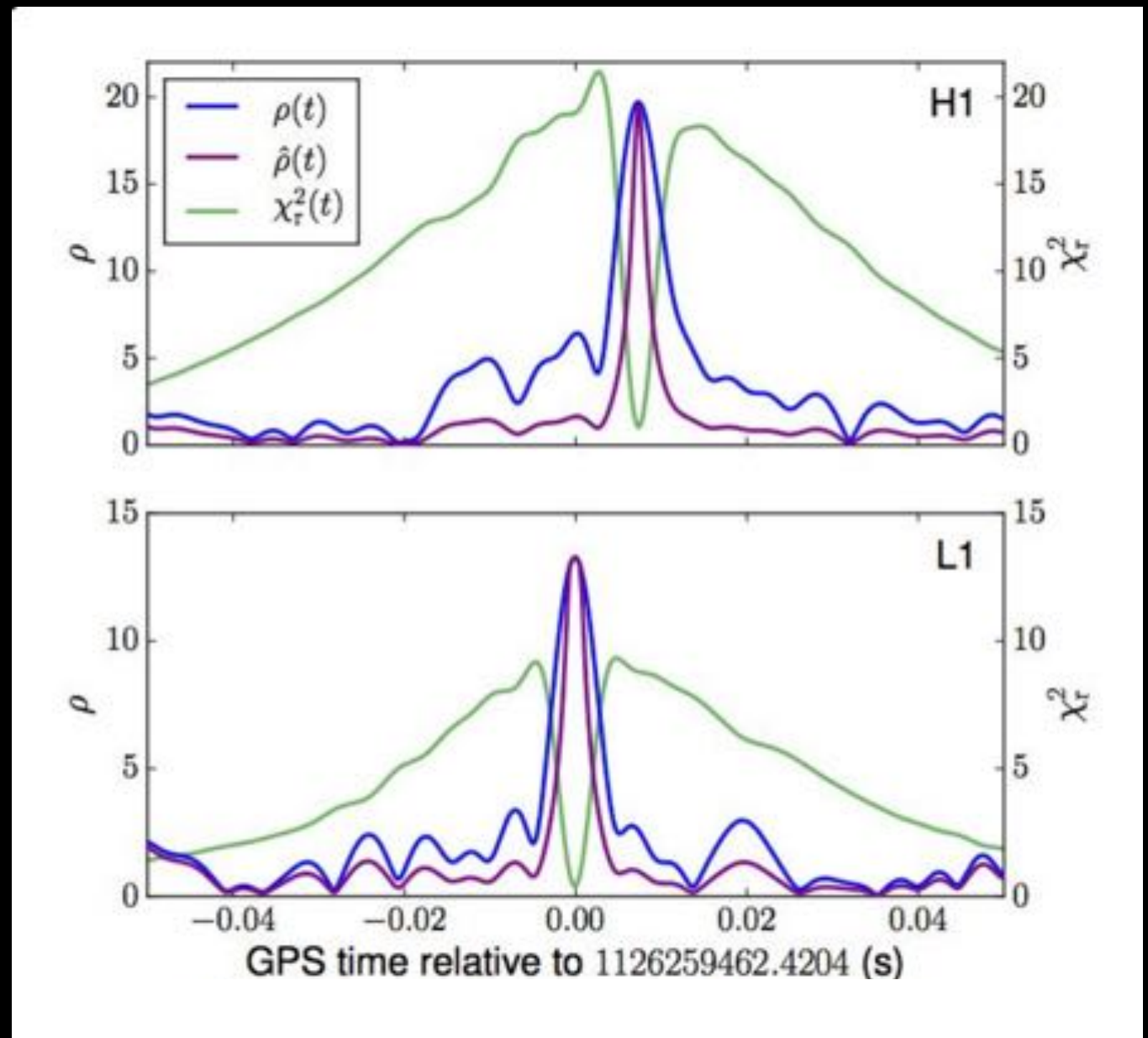
$$\chi^2 \propto \sum (\rho_l - \rho/N_{bins})^2$$

Chi-squared re-weighting

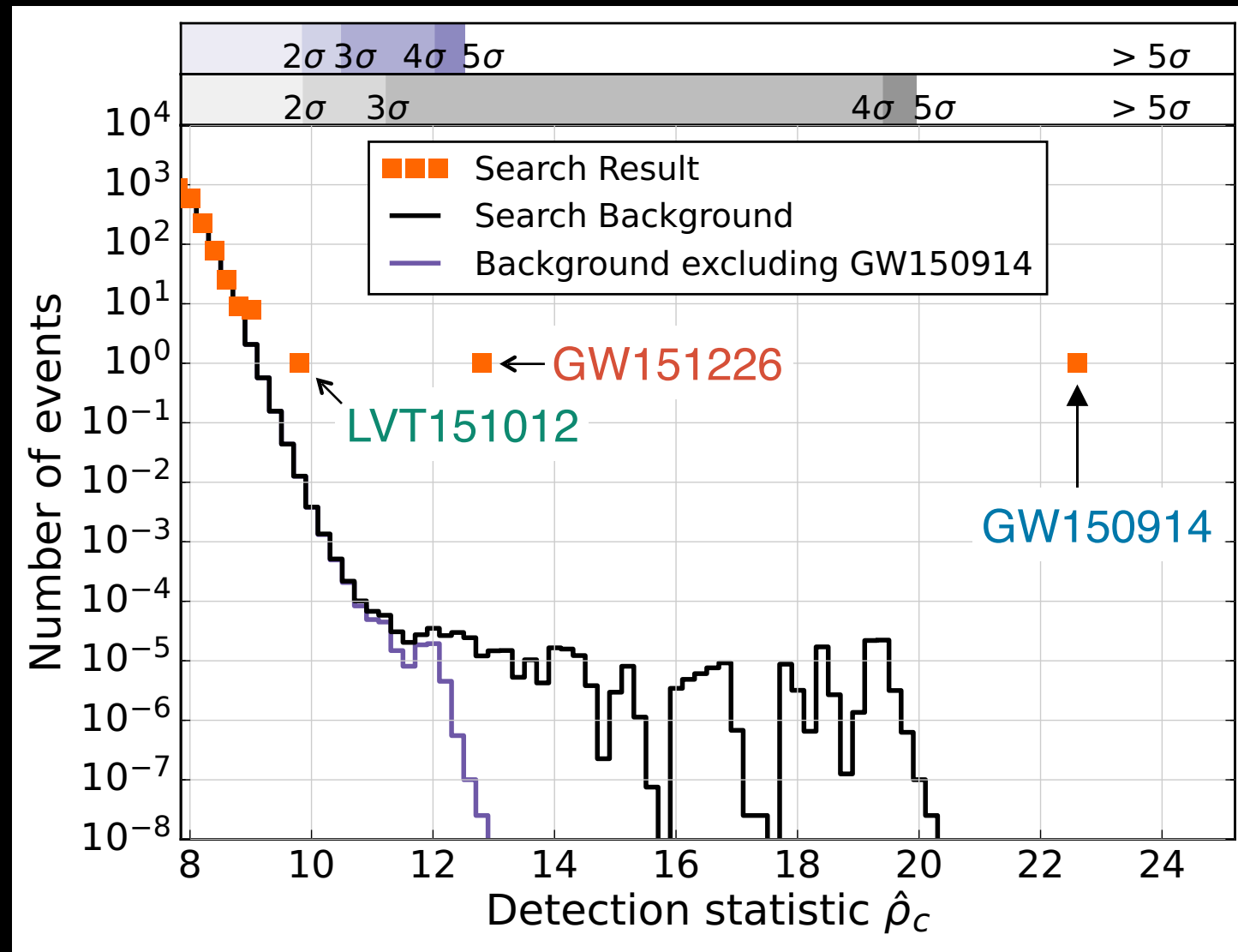
Redefine SNR to downweight the SNR of triggers with high Chi-squared

$$\hat{\rho} = \begin{cases} \rho / [(1 + (\chi_r^2)^3)/2]^{\frac{1}{6}}, & \text{if } \chi_r^2 > 1, \\ \rho, & \text{if } \chi_r^2 \leq 1. \end{cases}$$

GW150914: an example



Calculating event significance

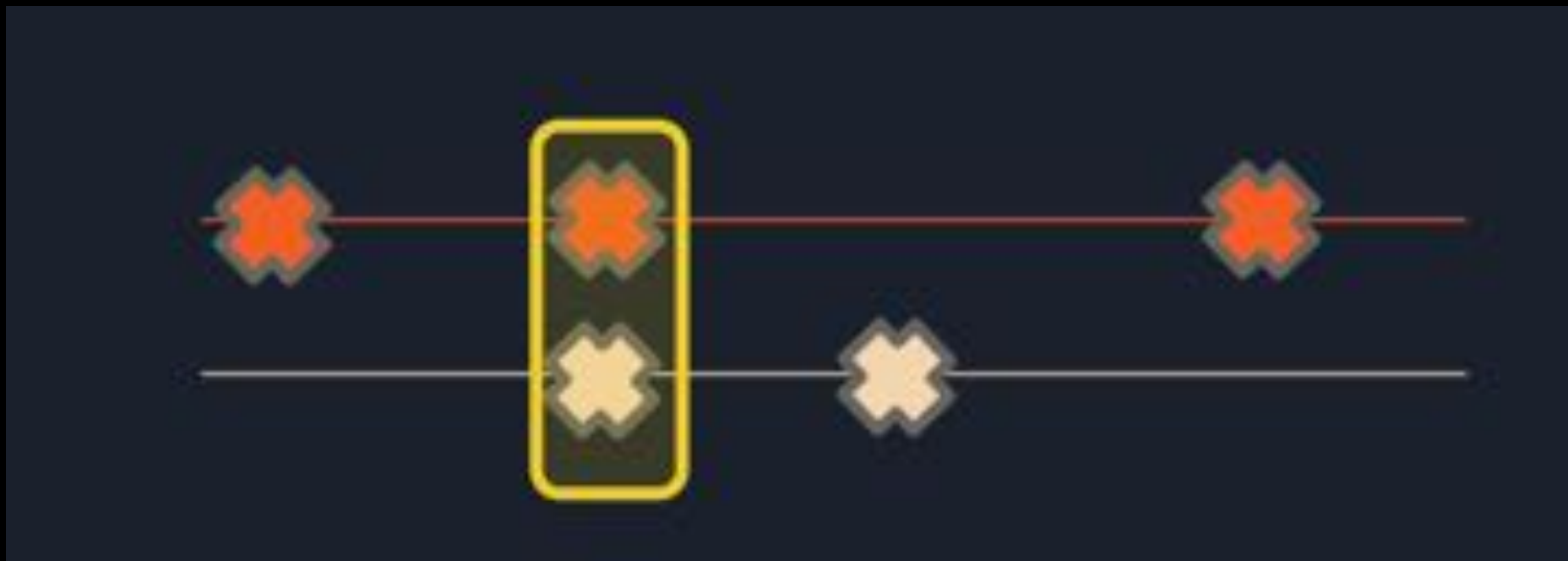


Calculating the foreground

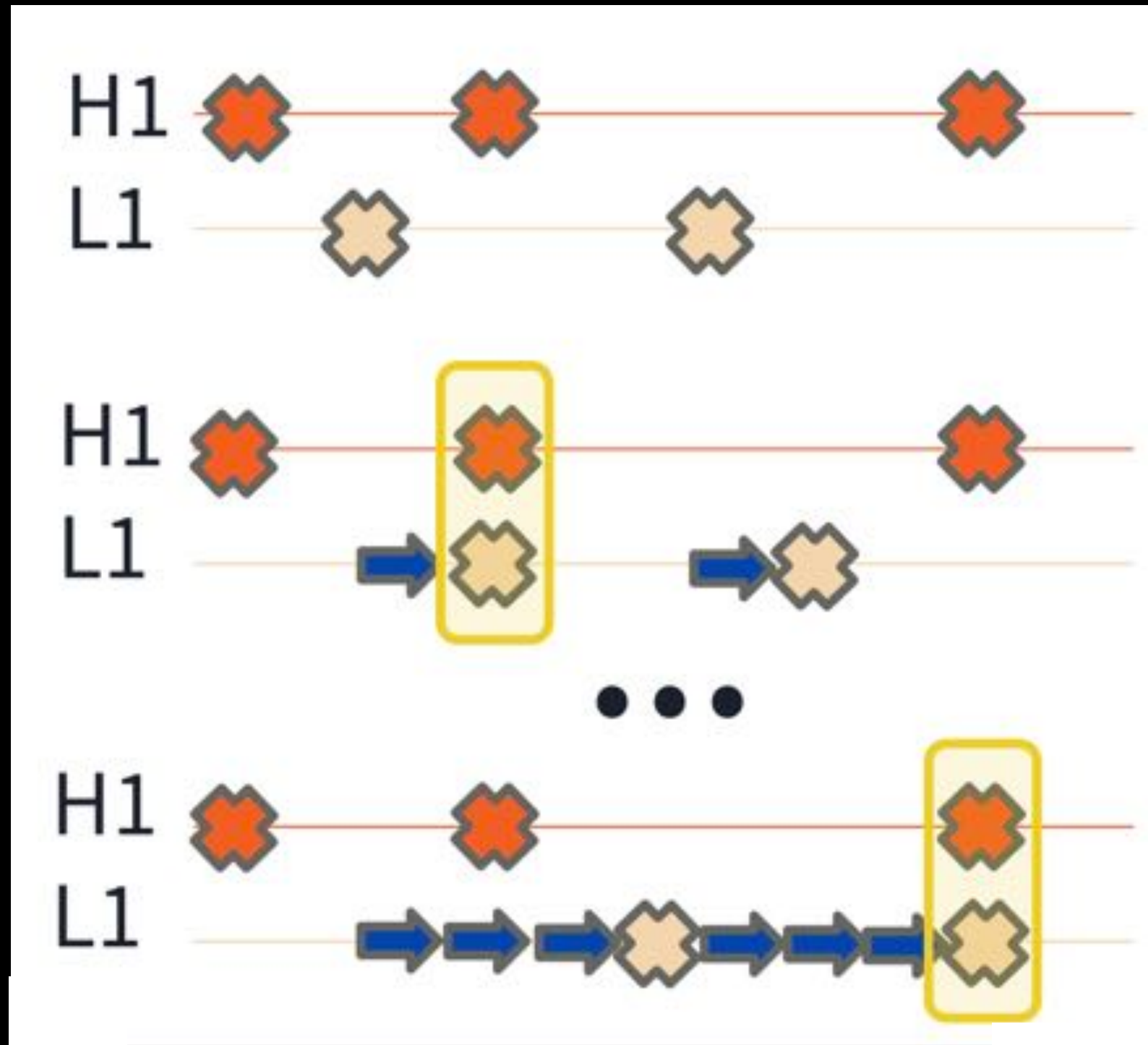
Look for trigger coincidence within
gravitational wave travel time
between triggers

Network SNR is quadrature sum of
single detector SNRs

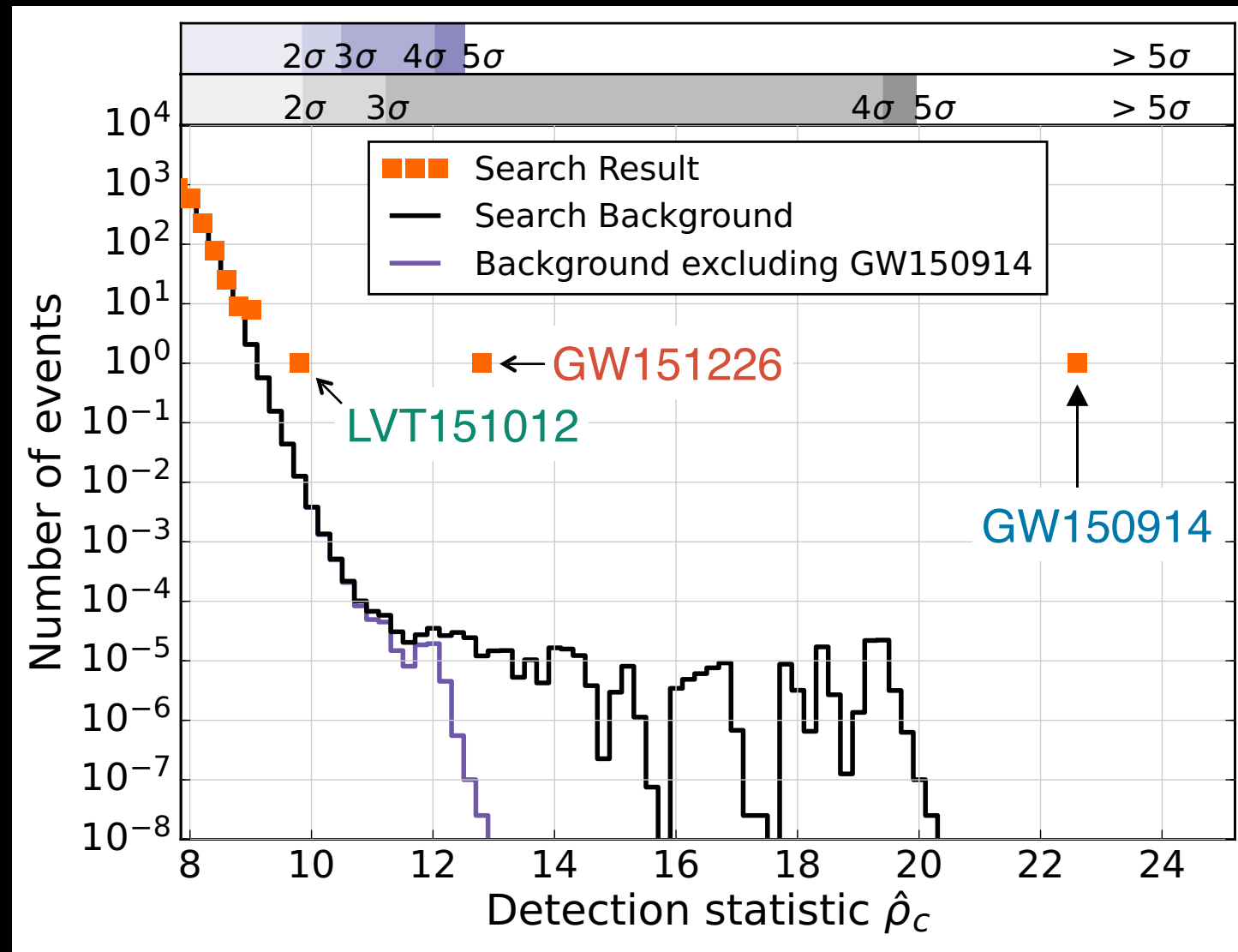
$$\rho_c = \sqrt{\rho_H^2 + \rho_L^2}$$



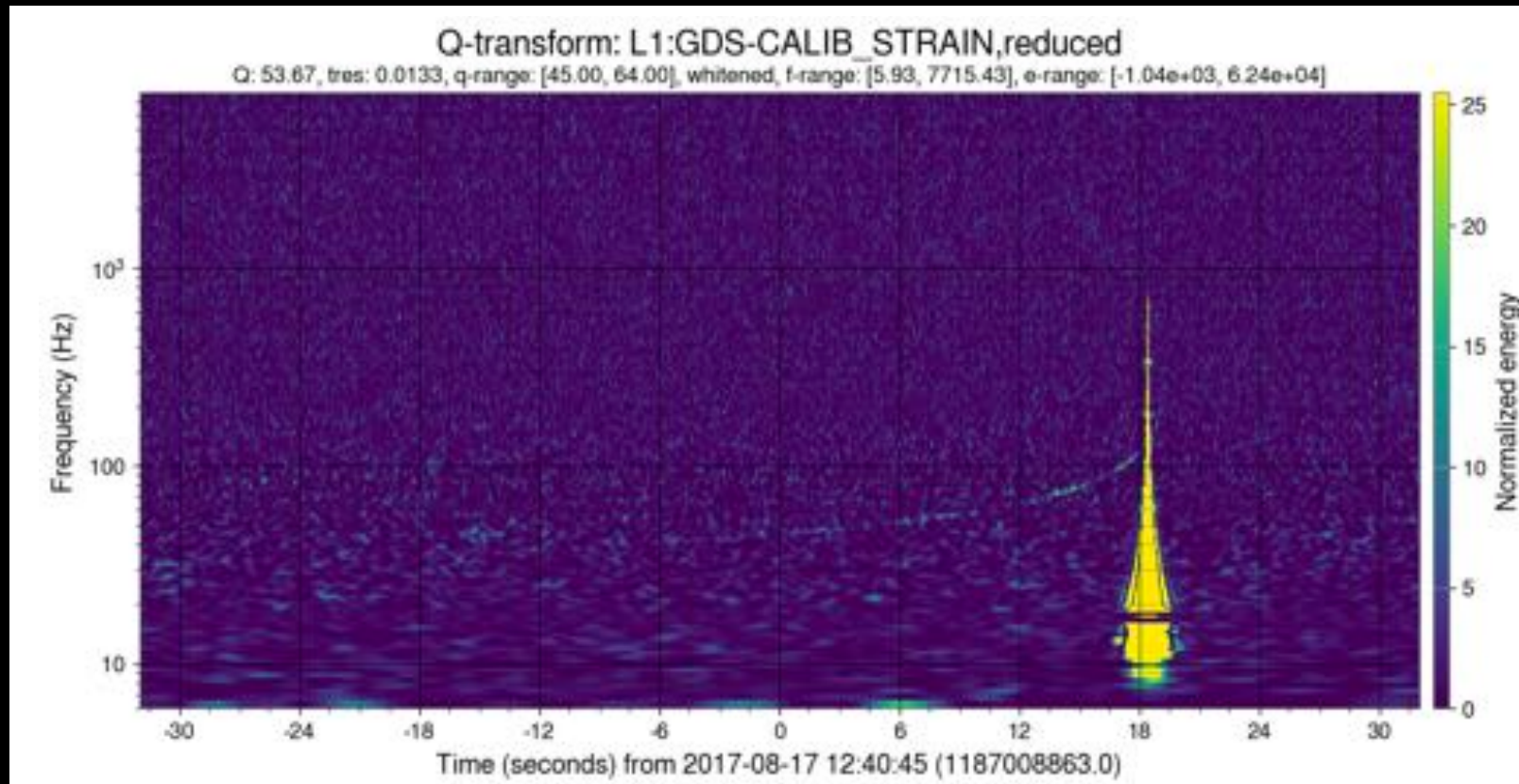
Calculating the noise background



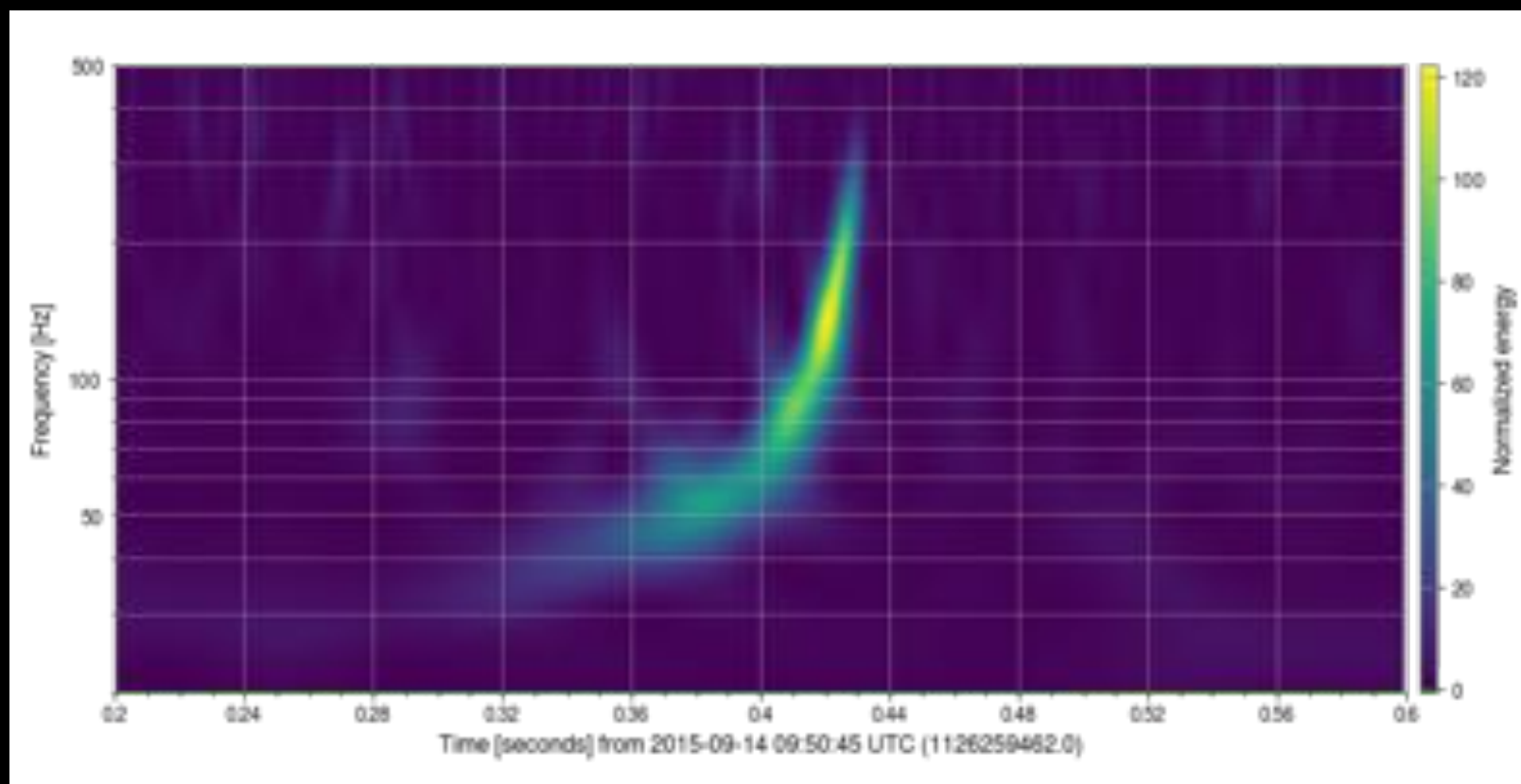
Calculating the noise background



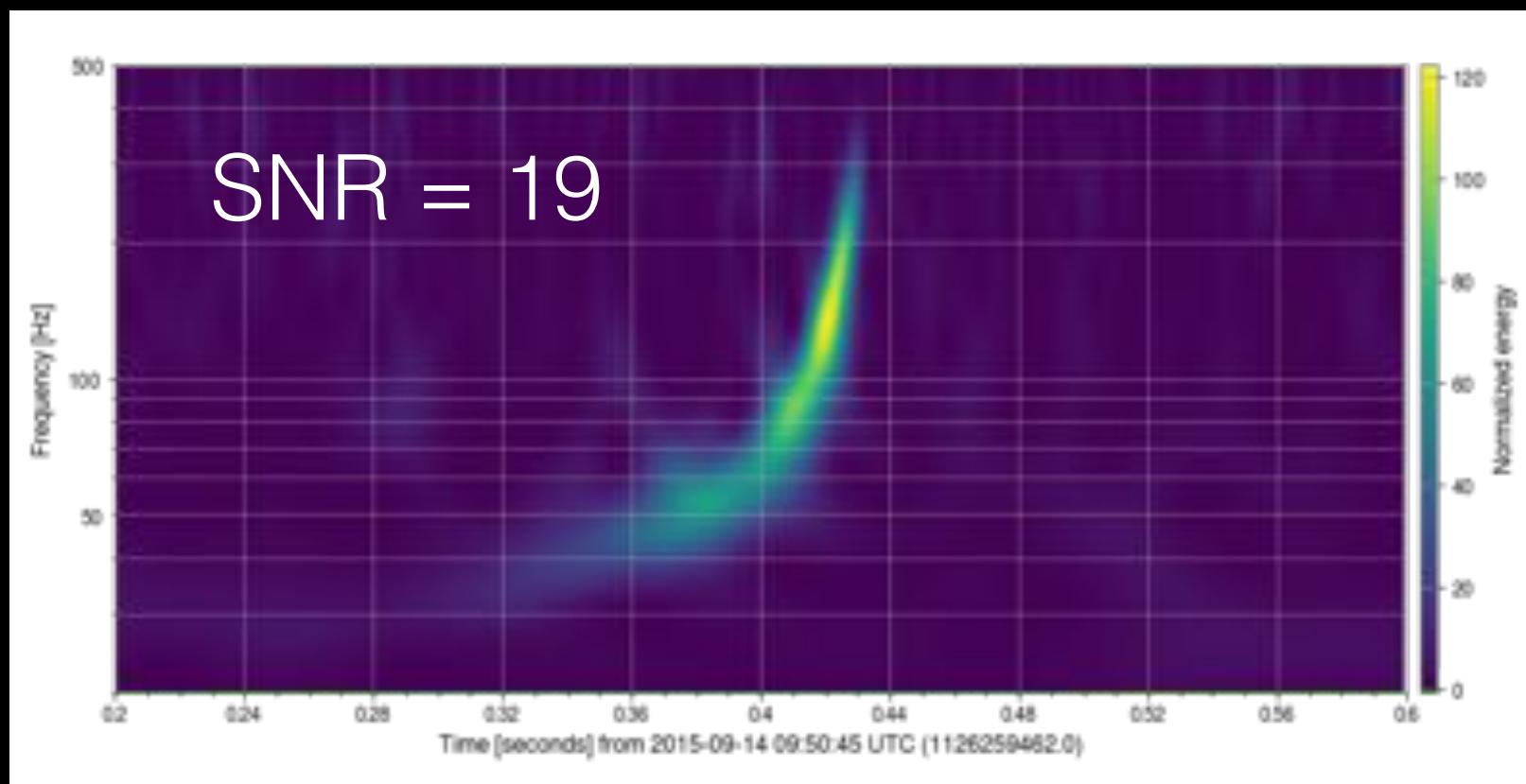
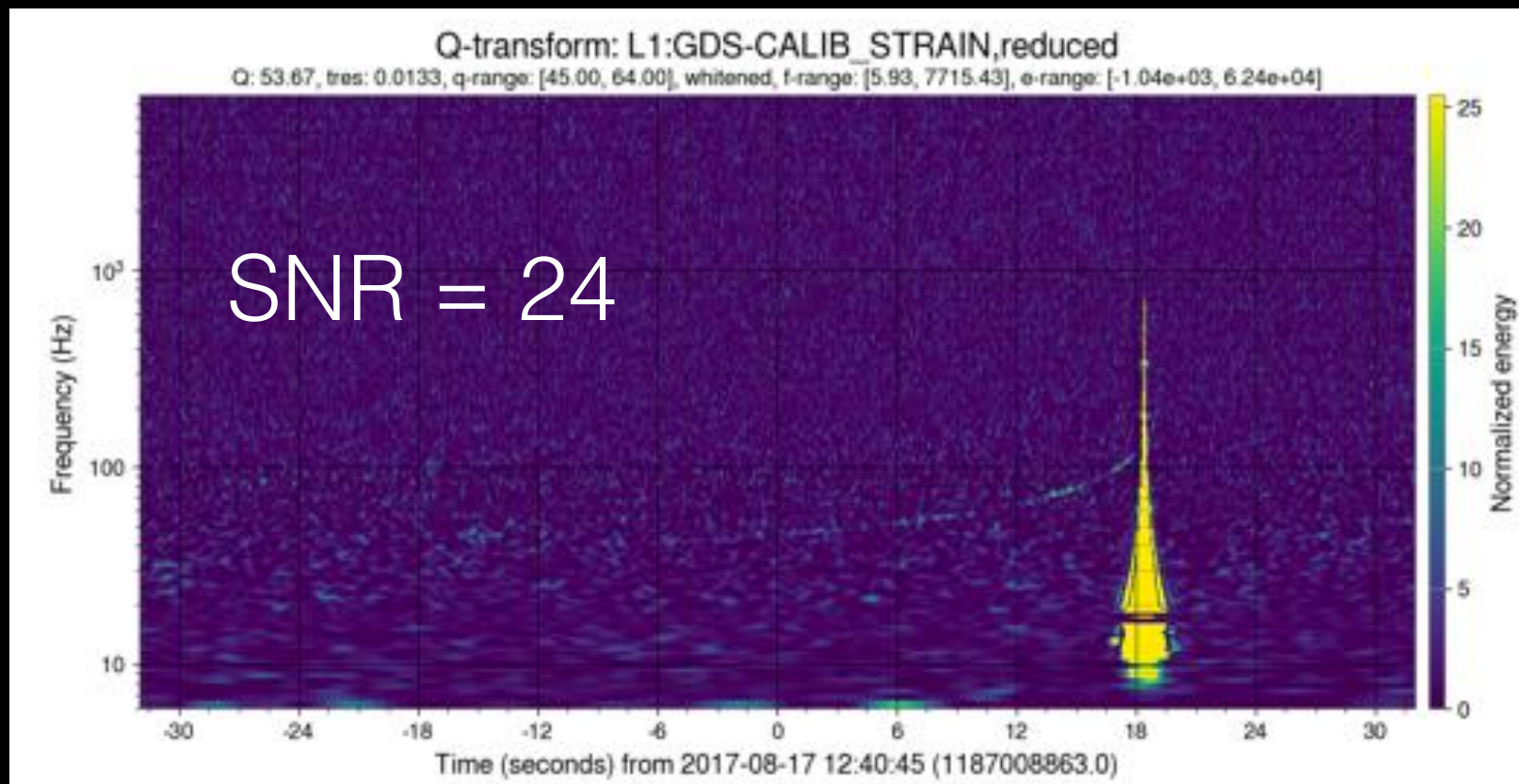
Breakout question



Which of these signals has a higher (single detector) matched filter SNR?



Breakout question

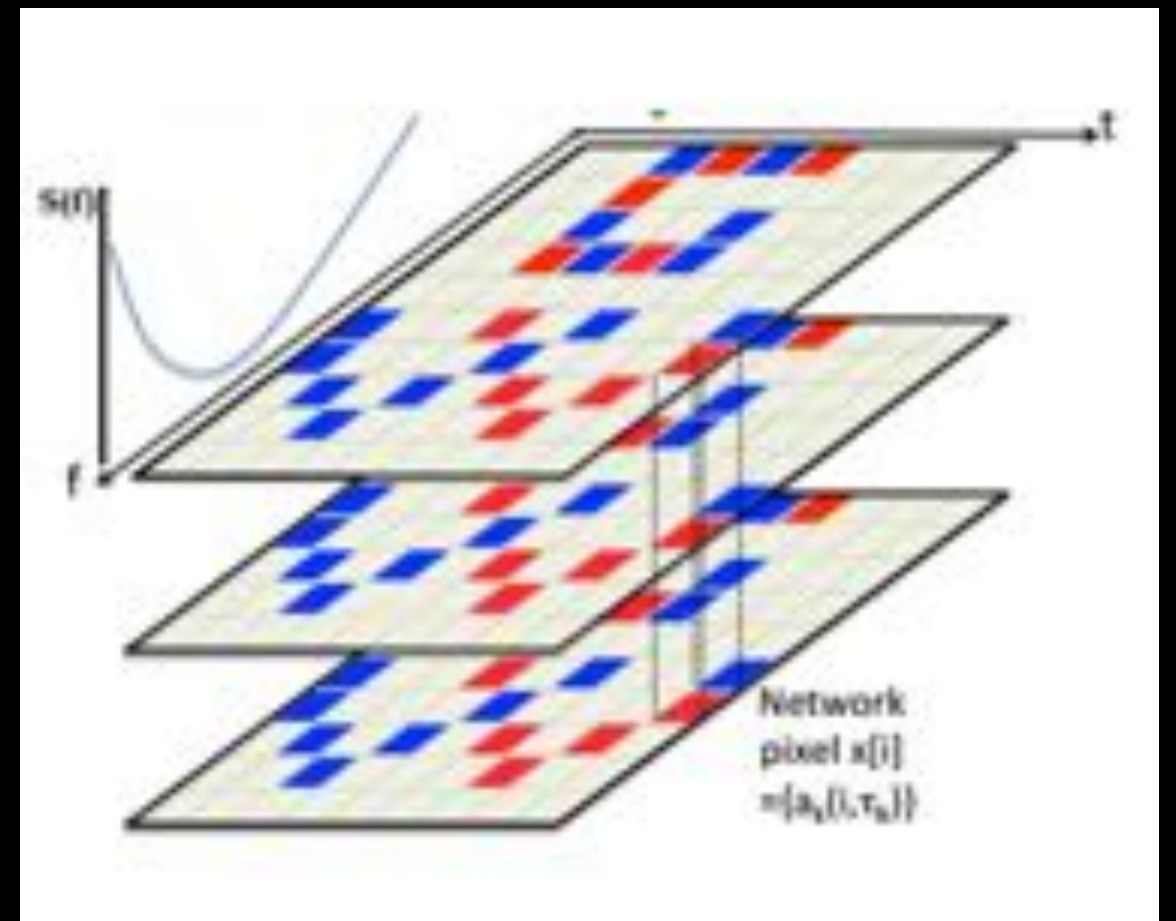


Which of these signals has a higher (single detector) matched filter SNR?

"Un-modelled" burst searches

cWB - an all-sky coherent burst search

- Projects the data onto a Meyer wavelet basis.
- Extracts significant events using a coherent likelihood statistic maximized over all potential sky positions.



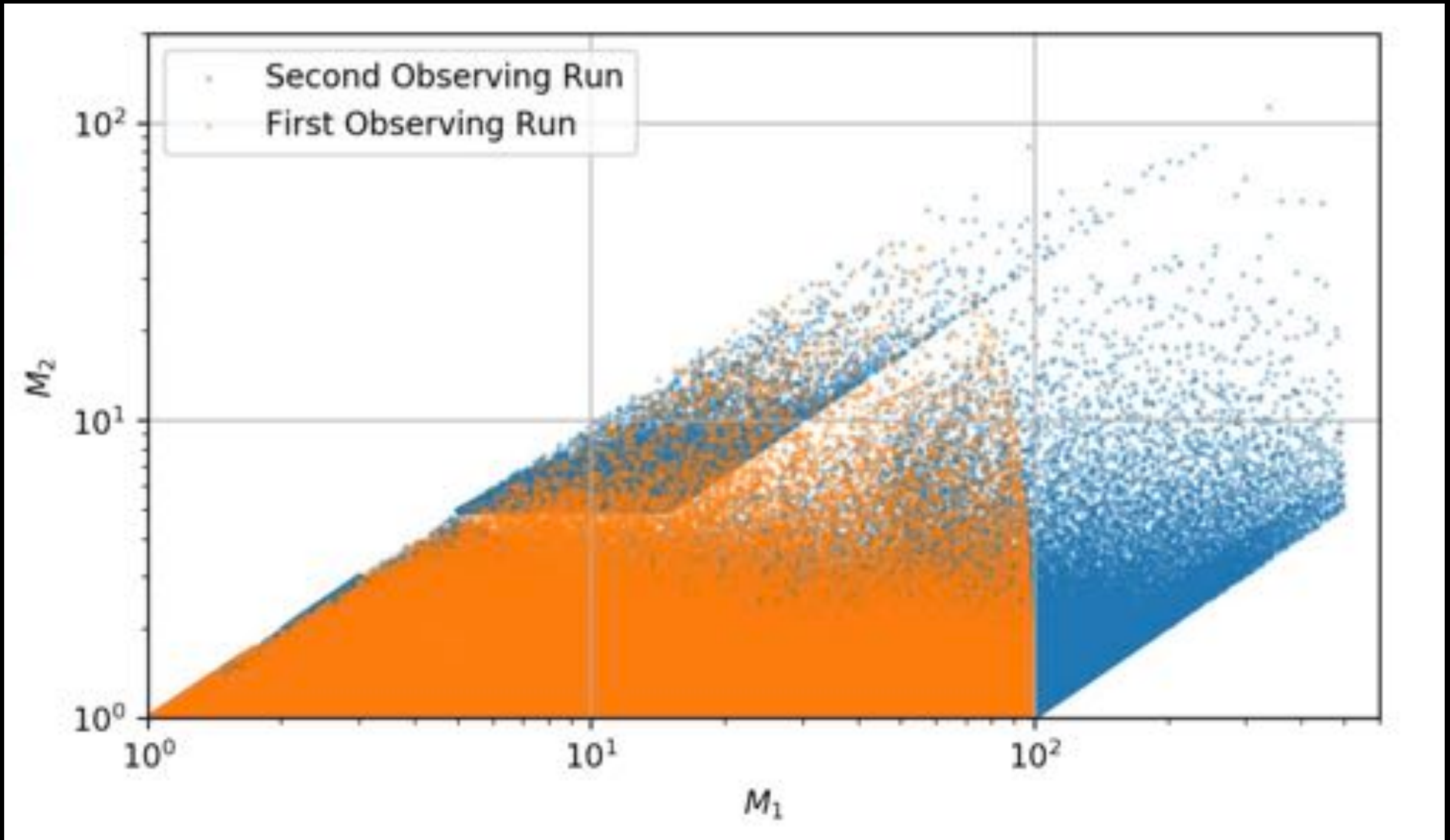
GWTC-1: confident detections

#UpToEleven

Four new binary black hole mergers!
GW151012 designated a GW event!

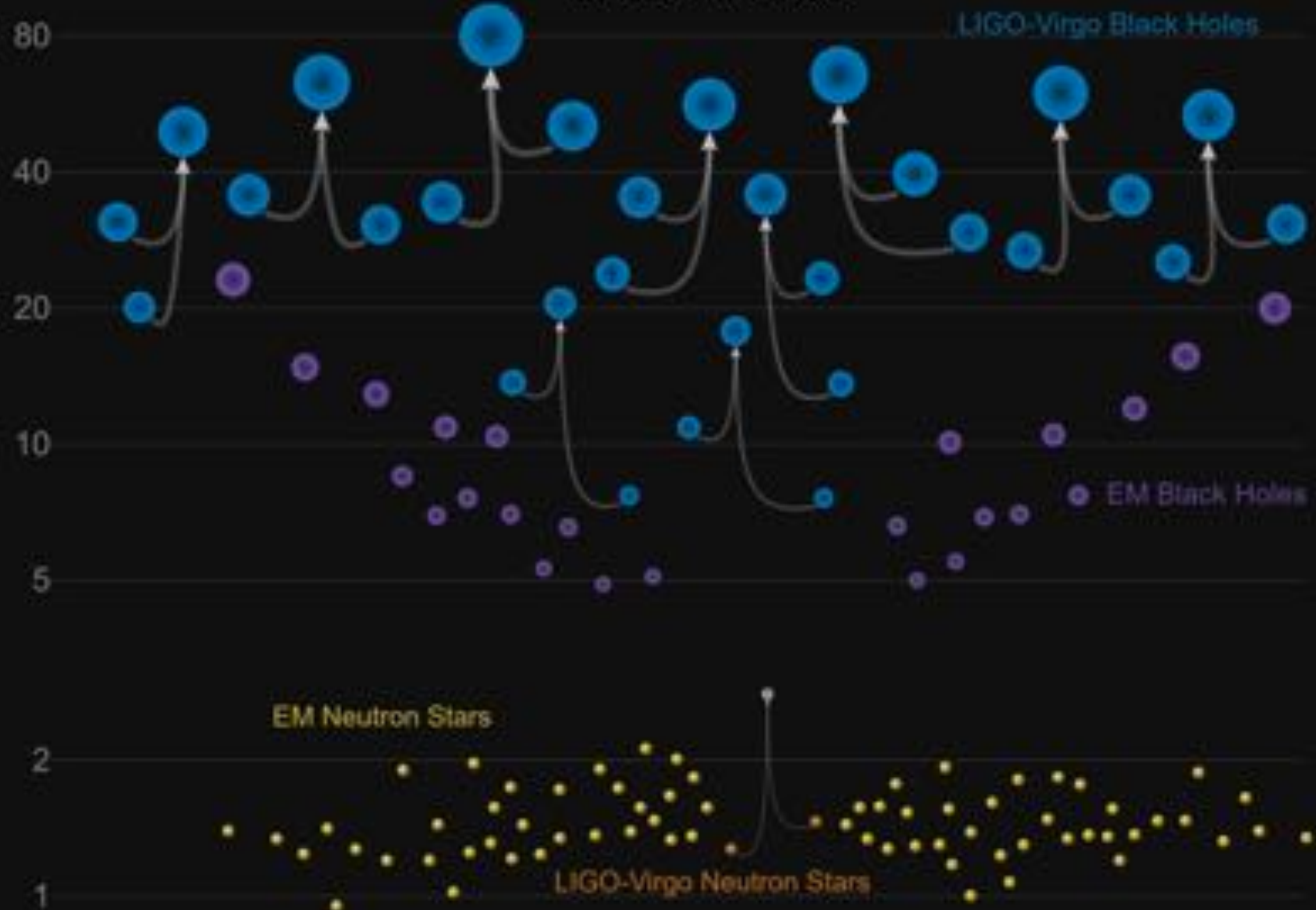
Event	UTC Time	FAR [y^{-1}]			Network SNR		
		PyCBC	GstLAL	eWB	PyCBC	GstLAL	eWB
GW150914	09:50:45.4	$< 1.53 \times 10^{-5}$	$< 1.00 \times 10^{-7}$	$< 1.63 \times 10^{-4}$	23.6	24.4	25.2
GW151012	09:54:43.4	0.17	7.92×10^{-3}	–	9.5	10.0	–
GW151226	03:38:53.6	$< 1.69 \times 10^{-5}$	$< 1.00 \times 10^{-7}$	0.02	13.1	13.1	11.9
GW170104	10:11:58.6	$< 1.37 \times 10^{-5}$	$< 1.00 \times 10^{-7}$	2.91×10^{-4}	13.0	13.0	13.0
GW170608	02:01:16.5	$< 3.09 \times 10^{-4}$	$< 1.00 \times 10^{-7}$	1.44×10^{-4}	15.4	14.9	14.1
GW170729 V	18:56:29.3	1.36	0.18	0.02	9.8	10.8	10.2
GW170809 V	08:28:21.8	1.45×10^{-4}	$< 1.00 \times 10^{-7}$	–	12.2	12.4	–
GW170814 V	10:30:43.5	$< 1.25 \times 10^{-5}$	$< 1.00 \times 10^{-7}$	$< 2.08 \times 10^{-4}$	16.3	15.9	17.2
GW170817 V(G)	12:41:04.4	$< 1.25 \times 10^{-5}$	$< 1.00 \times 10^{-7}$	–	30.9	33.0	–
GW170818 V	02:25:09.1	–	4.20×10^{-5}	–	–	11.3	–
GW170823	13:13:58.5	$< 3.29 \times 10^{-5}$	$< 1.00 \times 10^{-7}$	2.14×10^{-3}	11.1	11.5	10.8

GWTC-1: template bank additions



Masses in the Stellar Graveyard

in Solar Masses



GW candidates in O3 thus far

16 alerts issued since April 1st.

14 un-retracted events in 8.5 weeks!

UID ↕	Labels	FAR
S190602aq	PE_READY ADVOK SKYMAP_READY	1.90052750535e-09
S190521r	PE_READY ADVOK SKYMAP_READY	3.16754584224e-10
S190521g	PE_READY ADVOK SKYMAP_READY	3.80105501069e-09
S190519bj	PE_READY ADVOK SKYMAP_READY	5.70158251604e-09
S190517h	PE_READY ADVOK SKYMAP_READY	2.37290998502e-09
S190513bm	ADVOK SKYMAP_READY EMBRIGHT_F	3.73400311637e-13
S190512at	PE_READY ADVOK SKYMAP_READY	1.90052750535e-09
S190510g	ADVOK SKYMAP_READY EMBRIGHT_F	8.8335691573e-09
S190503bf	ADVOK SKYMAP_READY EMBRIGHT_F	1.63611159504e-09
S190426c	PE_READY ADVOK SKYMAP_READY	1.94694181763e-08
S190425z	ADVOK SKYMAP_READY EMBRIGHT_F	4.53764787126e-13
S190421ar	PE_READY ADVOK SKYMAP_READY	1.48874654585e-08
S190412m	PE_READY ADVOK SKYMAP_READY	1.68289586112e-27
S190408an	PE_READY ADVOK SKYMAP_READY	2.81096164616e-18

- 11 likely BBHs
- 2 BNSs (one likely, one 58% terrestrial)
- 1 potential NSBH candidate
- (BNS (49%), MassGap (24%), NSBH (13%), Terrestrial (14%))

Challenge: S190518bb case study

Automatic Preliminary Notice sent ~6 minutes after the event:

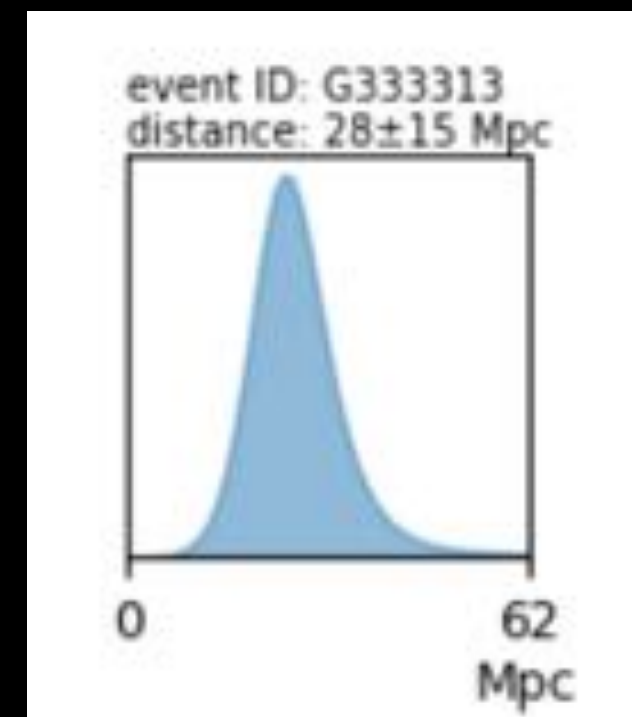
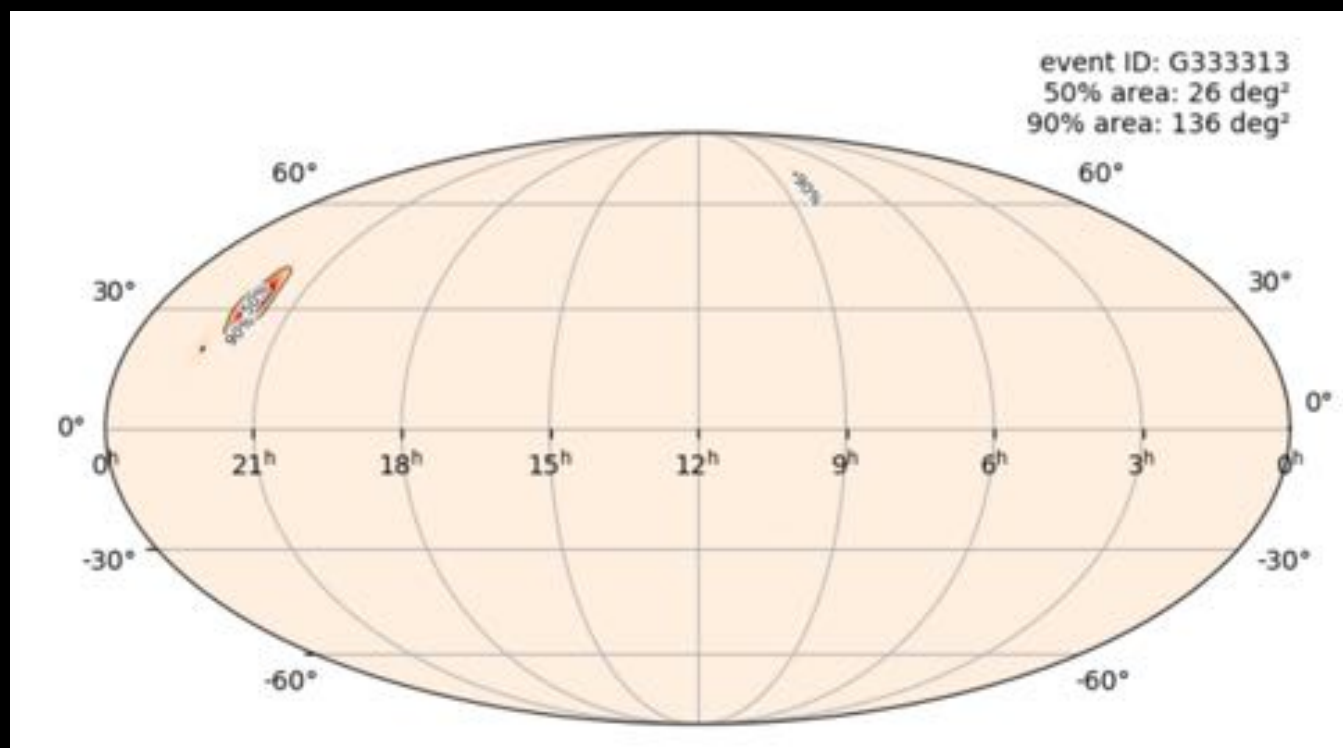
FAR: $1.004e-08$ [Hz] (one per ~3 years)

PROB_NS: 1.00 [range is 0.0-1.0]

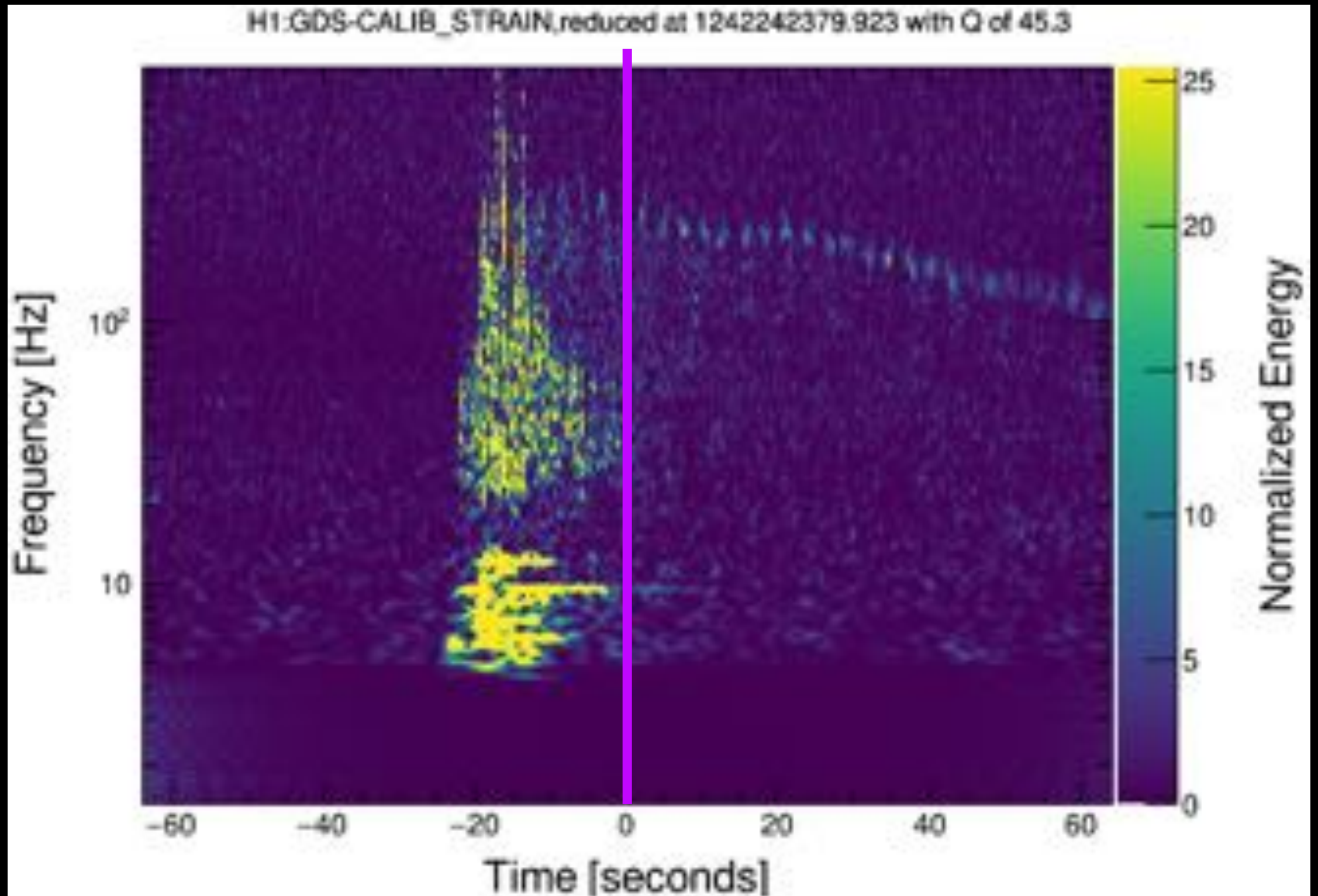
PROB_REMNANT: 1.00 [range is 0.0-1.0]

PROB_BNS: 0.75 [range is 0.0-1.0]

PROB_TERRES: 0.24 [range is 0.0-1.0]



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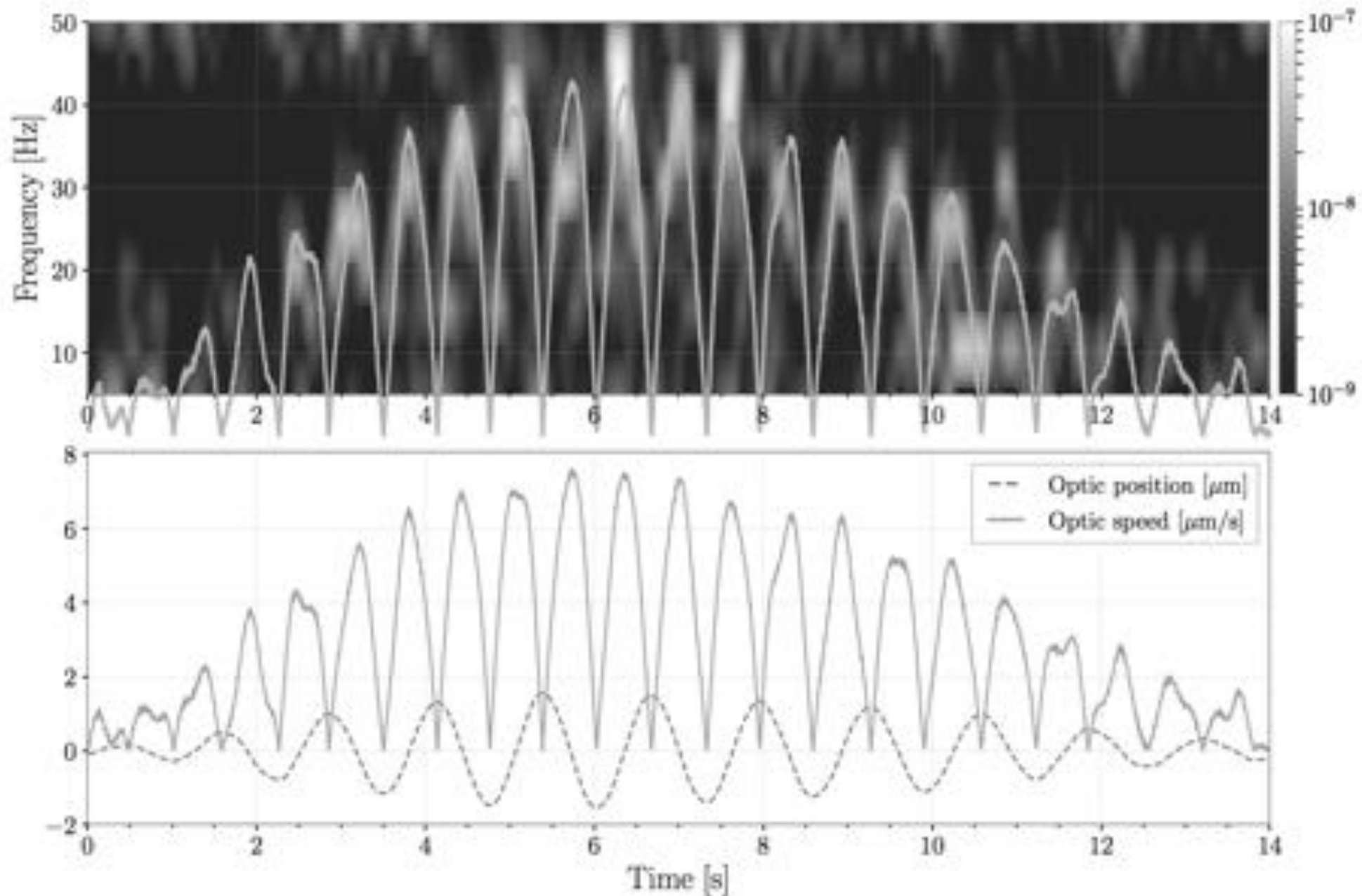


Light scattering

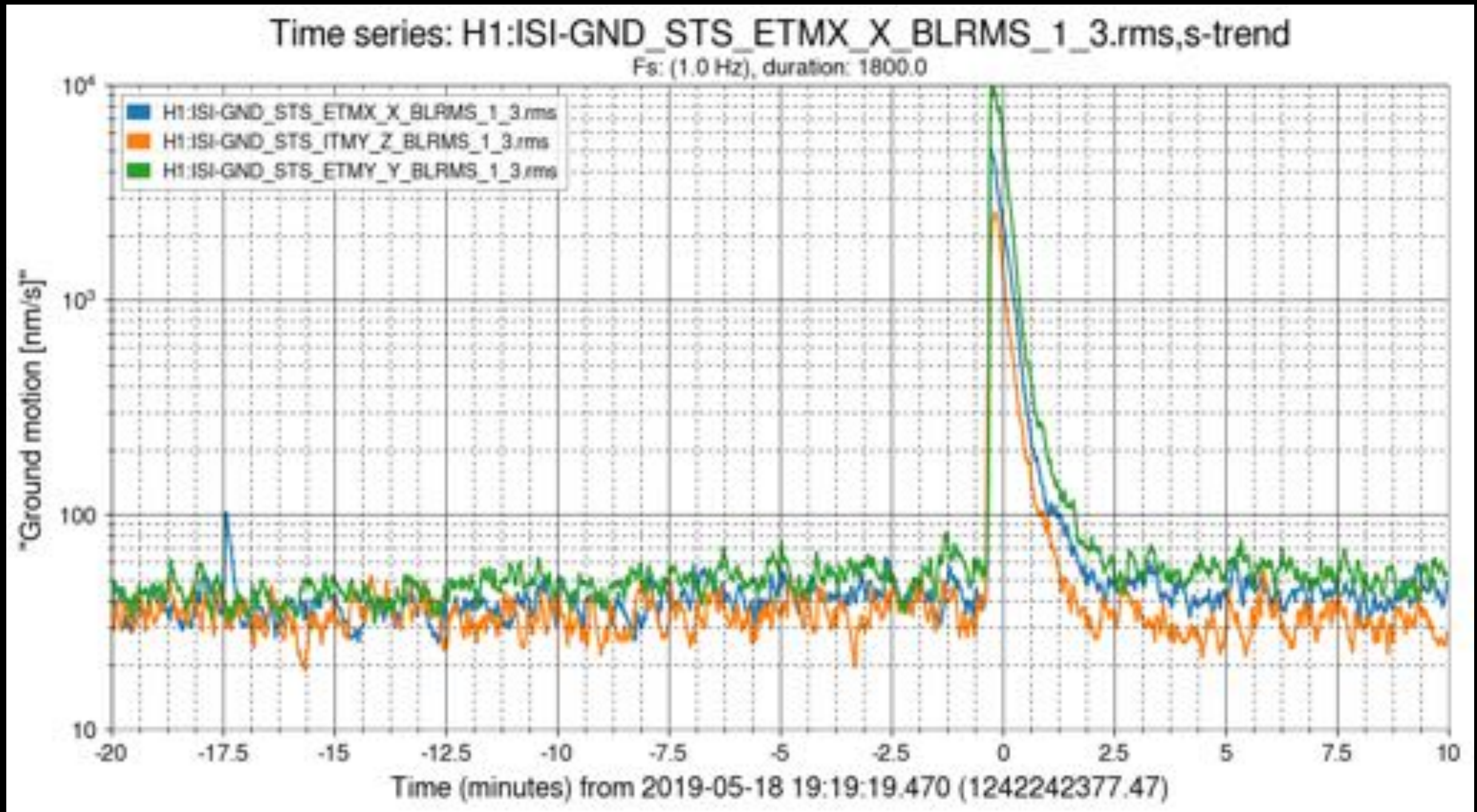
Diagnostic methods for gravitational-wave detectors

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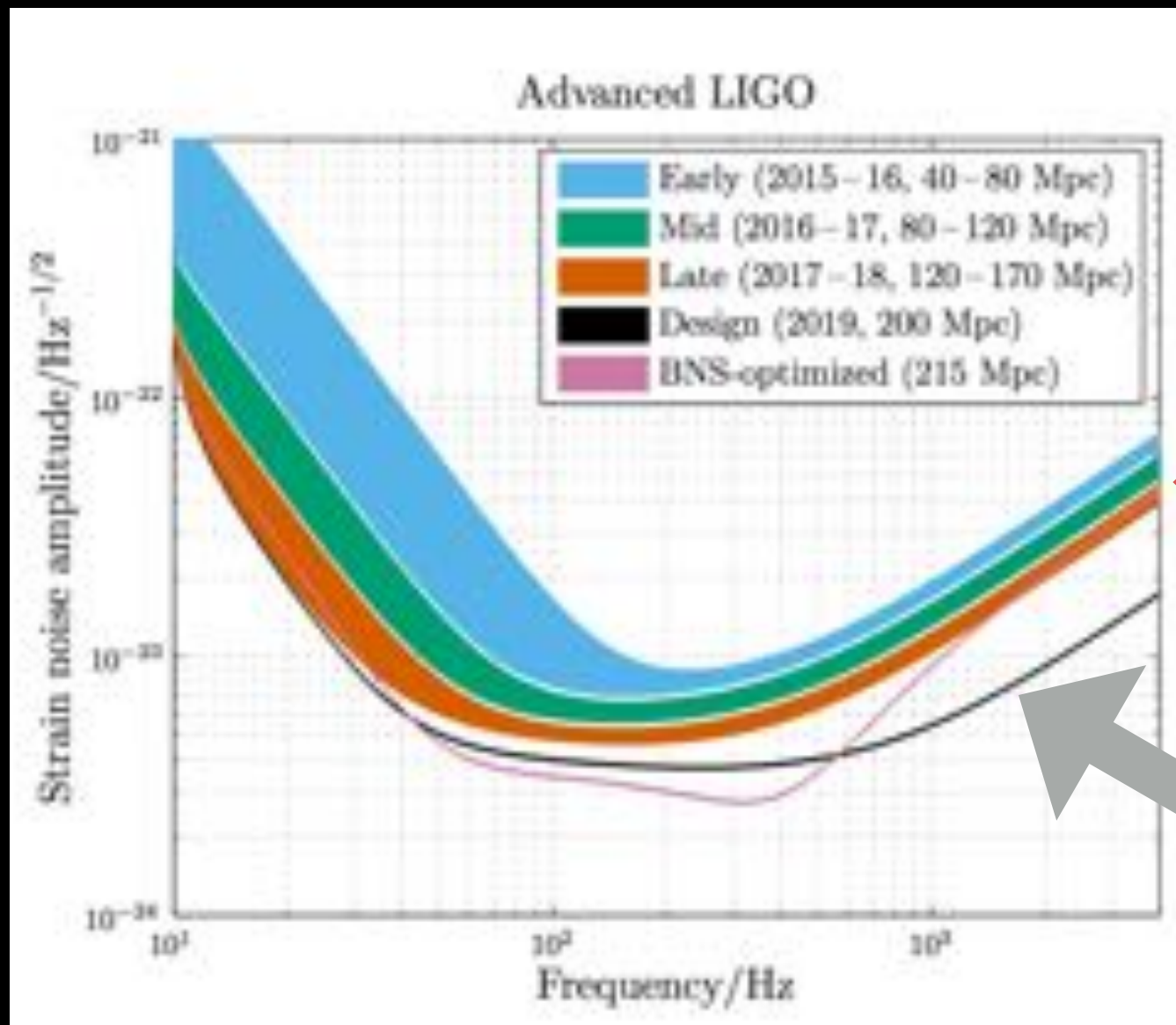
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Roadmap to LIGO design sensitivity

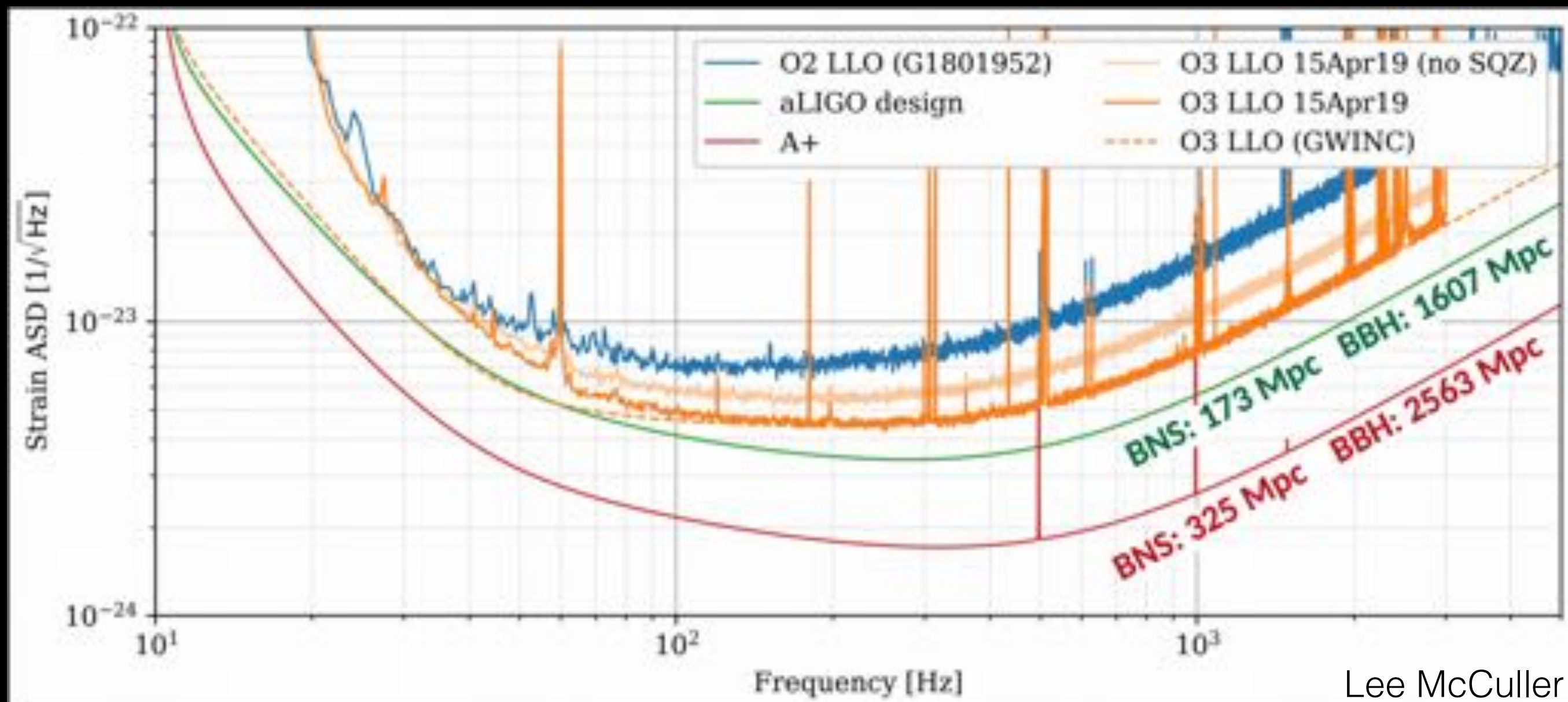


Expectation for the
third LIGO
observing run (O3)
1 signal/week!

Up to **1 signal/day** at
design sensitivity!

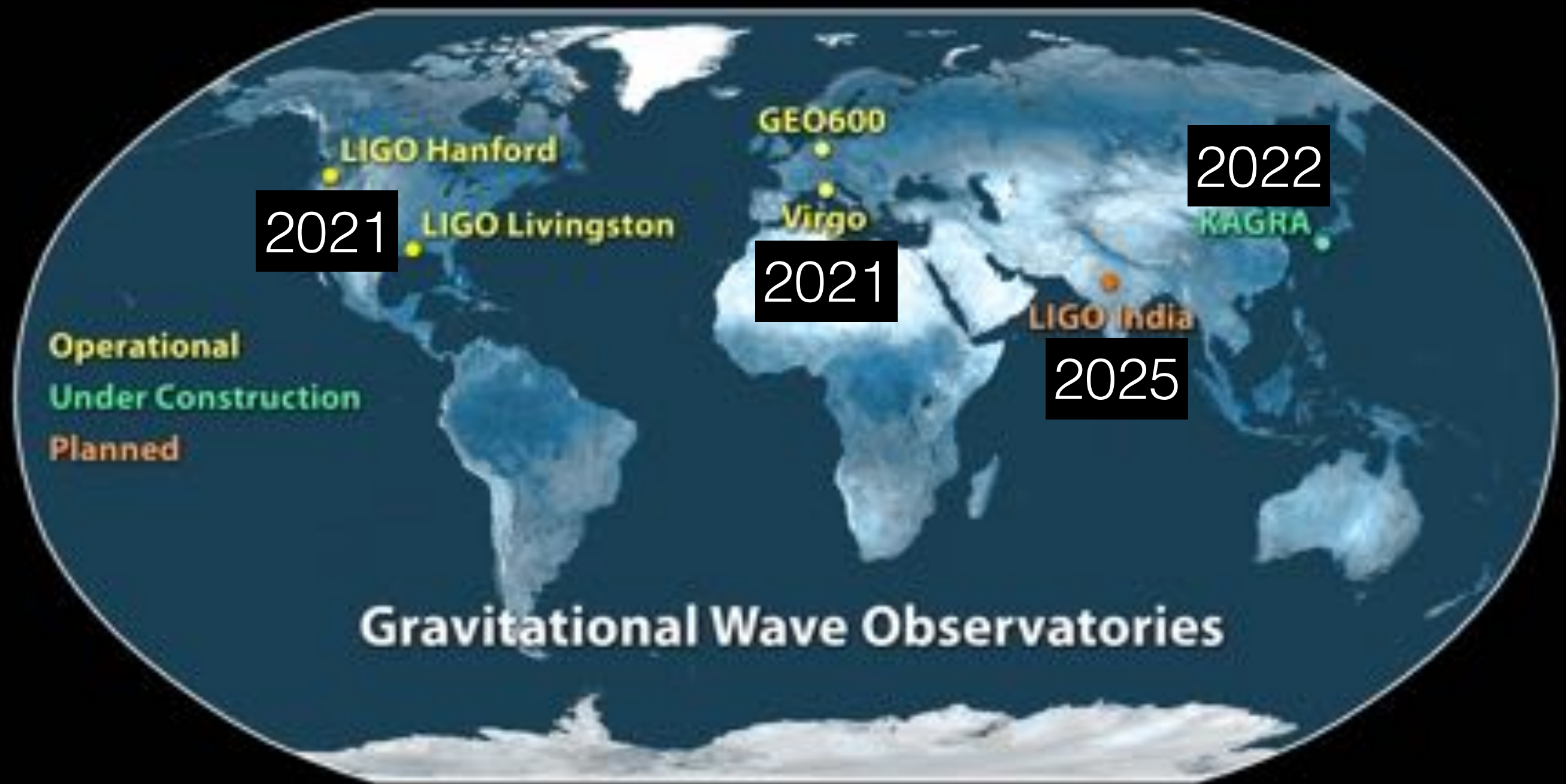
A+ by the mid 2020s

- Frequency-dependent light squeezing
- 300m filter cavity
- Improved coatings
- Bigger beam splitter, improved suspensions

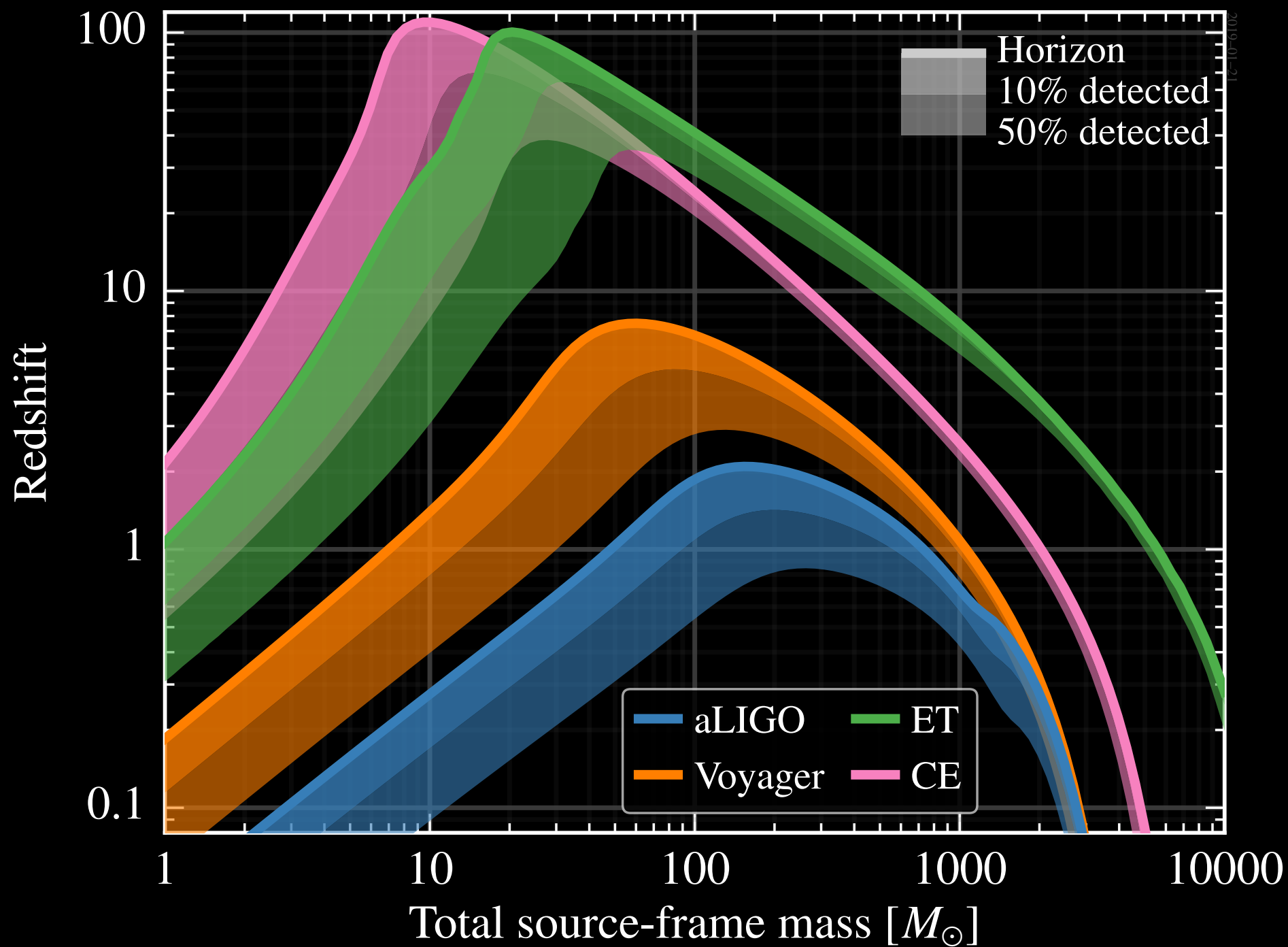


Lee McCuller

The global network of current gen interferometers



Next generation detectors



Cosmic reach of next generation detectors

