ET technologies

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Some thoughts on ET costs



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ET sensitivity in context Virgo 10⁻²²] L**IĢ**O GEO-HE Strain [1/sqrt(Hz)] 10^{-23 (} Advanced Virgo Kagra LIG Advanced 10⁻²⁴) LIGO ed Einstein GW Telescope 10^{-25 ا} 1000 10 100 10000 Frequency [Hz]

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At what frequencies do we need to improve?



I. Harry & T. Hinderer arXiv:1801.09972



Source Parameter Estimation with ET

➡ How would GW150914 look in ET?



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Inspiral times

➡ What is the gain from pushing from 10Hz down to 2Hz?









Where do we go from here?

You are here!







Neutron star modes







ET sensitivity in context







Overview

Reminder: Sensitivity targets

ET Top Level Design + Overview of ET Technologies

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Noise Sources limiting the 2G

Quantum Noise limits most of the frequency range.

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- **Coating Brownian** limits in the range from 50 to 100Hz.
- Below ~15Hz we are limited by • 'walls' made of Suspension Thermal, Gravity Gradient and Seismic noise.
- And then there are the, often not mentioned, 'technical' noise sources which trouble the commissioners so much.







Xylophone Concept

As our detectors become more and more complex and at the same time aim increase even further the observation bandwidth the xylophone concept becomes more and more attractive.

The xylophone concept was originally suggested for advanced LIGO:

R.DeSalvo, CQG 21 (2004) S1145-S1154 G.Conforto and R.DeSalvo, Nuc. Instruments 518 (2004) 228 - 232 D.Shoemaker, presentation at Aspen meeting (2001), http://www.ligo.caltech.edu/docs/G/G010026-00.pdf

- Allows to overcome 'contradicting' requirements in the technical detector design:
 - To reduce shot noise you have to increase the light power, which in turn will reduce the sensitivity at low frequencies due to higher radiation pressure noise.
 - Need cryogenic mirrors for low frequency sensitivity. However, due to residual absorption it is hard to combine cryogenic mirrors with high power interferometers.
- For ET we choose the conservative approach (designing an infrastructure) and went for a 2band xylophone: low-power, cryogenic low-frequency detector and a high-power, roomtemperature high-frequency detector.



The High-Frequency Detector

Quantum noise: 3MW, tuned Signal-Recyling, 10dB Squeezing, 200kg mirrors.

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- **Suspension Thermal** and Seismic: Superattenuator
- **Gravity gradient:** No **Subtraction**
- Thermal noise: 290K, 12cm beam radius, fused Silica, LG33 (reduction factor of 1.6 compared to TEM00).



Coating Brownian reduction factors (compared to 2G): 3.3 (arm length), 2 (beam size) and 1.6 (LG33) = 10.5



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The Low-Frequency Detector

Quantum noise: 18kW,

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detuned Signal-Recycling, 10 dB frequency dependent squeezing, 211kg mirrors, 1550nm.

- Seismic: 17m Superattenuator
- **Gravity gradient:**

Underground, Black forest location

- Thermal noise: 10K, Silicon, 9cm beam radius, TEM00.
- Suspension Thermal: 3mm Silicon fibres. Penultimate mass at 2K.



As mirror TN is no longer limiting, one can relax the assumptions on the material parameters and the beam size...





Newtonian Noise

- Seismic causes density changes in the ground and shaking of the mirror environment (walls, buildings, vacuum system).
- These fluctuations cause a change in the gravitational force acting on the mirror.
- Cannot shield the mirror from gravity. S









ET will 'go underground'







Gravity Gradient Noise

ET-B and ET-C assume a medium quiet site + factor 50 GGN subtraction.

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- ET-D considers very quiet underground site (about 5e-10/f2*m/sqrt(Hz)) at Black Forest.
- Please note:
 - ET measurement campaign showed several sites on the same level or even better than the BFO site.
 - Biggest uncertainty in beta

$$N_{\rm GG}(f)^2 = \frac{4 \cdot \beta^2 \cdot G^2 \cdot \rho_r^2}{L^2 \cdot f^4} \cdot X_{\rm seis}^2,$$











ET Sensitivity evolution



- Data from ET-LF and ET-HF can be coherently or incoherently be added, depending on the requirements of the analysis.
- Sensitivity data available for download at: http://www.et-gw.eu/etsensitivities
- For more details please see S.Hild et al: 'A Xylophone Configuration for a third Generation Gravitational Wave Detector', CQG 2010, 27, 015003 and S.Hild et al: 'Sensitivity Studies for Third-Generation Gravitational Wave Observatories', CQG 2011, 28 094013.





The ET Footprint

- As ET is a new infra-structure, we can start from scratch.
- What to see the full sky.
- Want to resolve both polarisations.
- S Want to have redundancy.
- 1 Triangle vs 4 Ls:
 - Both have 30km integrated tunnel length
 - Both resolve both polarisations and offer redundancy.
 - Both give equivalent sensitivity.
 - Triangle reduces the number of end stations.
- ET will be a triangle.



Freise, A.; Chelkowski, S.; Hild, S.; Pozzo, W. D.; Perreca, A. & Vecchio, A. *CQG*, **2009**, *26*, 085012 (14pp)



Triangle first proposed:1985, MPQ-101. W.Winkler, K.Maischberger, A.Rüdiger, R.Schilling, L.Schnupp, D.Shoemaker,: Plans for a Large Gravitational Wave Antenna in Germany





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Add third Xylophone detector for redundancy and nullstreams.











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Are there ways to reduce costs?

Cryogenics

1%

Vacuum

21%

2%

Site





- These are the obvious points to look for savings (if we have to?).
- For example: can we think of less tall (<17m) towers to achieve 2Hz sensitivity target?





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Quantum of Low-Frequency detector

- Employs detuned signal recycling => needs two filter cavities.
- Required parameters for filter cavities challenging: Detuning of 25.4Hz and 6.6Hz and half bandwidths of 5.7Hz and 1.5Hz.
- To achieve such low bandwidths very long and/or very high finesse cavities are required.
- Total losses at resonance frequency are the product of roundtrip losses and filter cavity finesse.
- For ET we decided to be conservative: Assumed 37.5ppm loss per mirror and filter cavity lengths of 10km. Still at 7Hz the 10dB of squeezing are degraded to less than 3dB.







Filter cavities for squeezing

Can we reduce the length of the filter cavities or even get rid of some completely? (would reduce tunnel requirements as well as vacuum costs)

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Discussion: Xylophone vs Single detector

ET Design study, ca 2010

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- Emphasis was set on designing • long lasting infrastructure (did not go for optimistic elegance but worst case complexity).
- Resulted in very costly design •



Work carried out by all participants of ET workshop in Glasgow





Discussion: Single detector for all frequency?



short filter cavity, no GG noise subtraction, etc

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Example a of a more ambitious single detector sensitivity



Thank you very much for your attention