New Physics Search Results from LIGO's Third Observing Run

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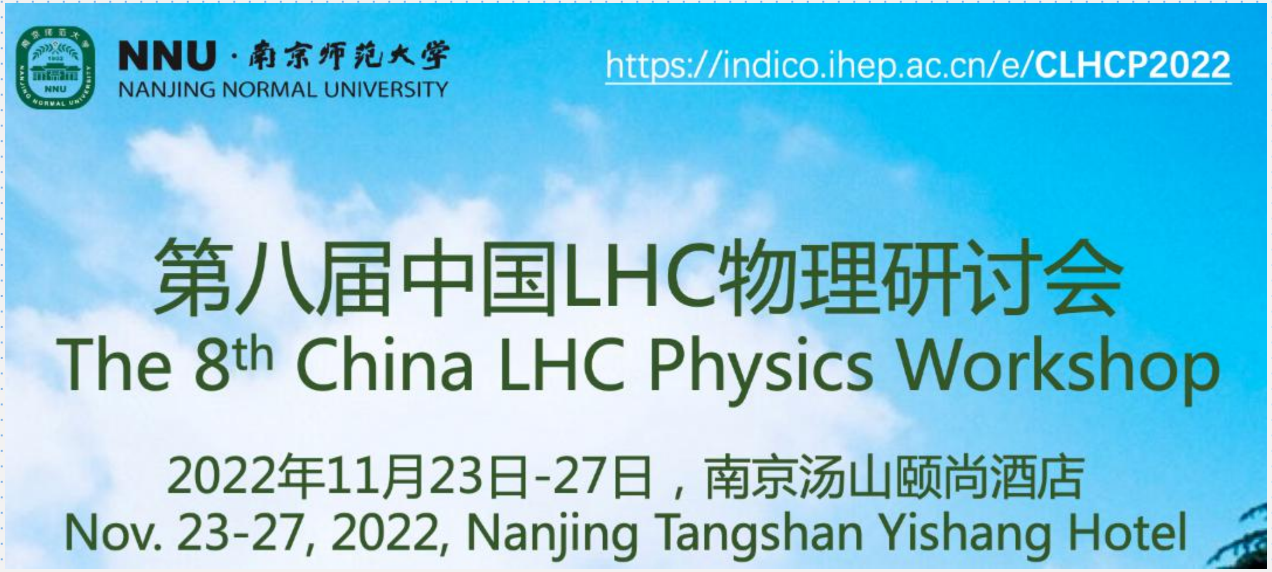
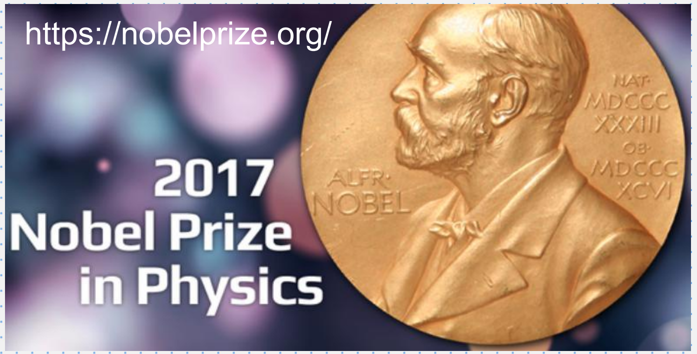
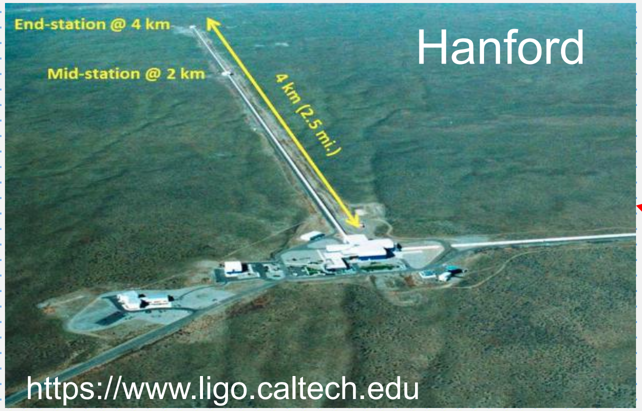


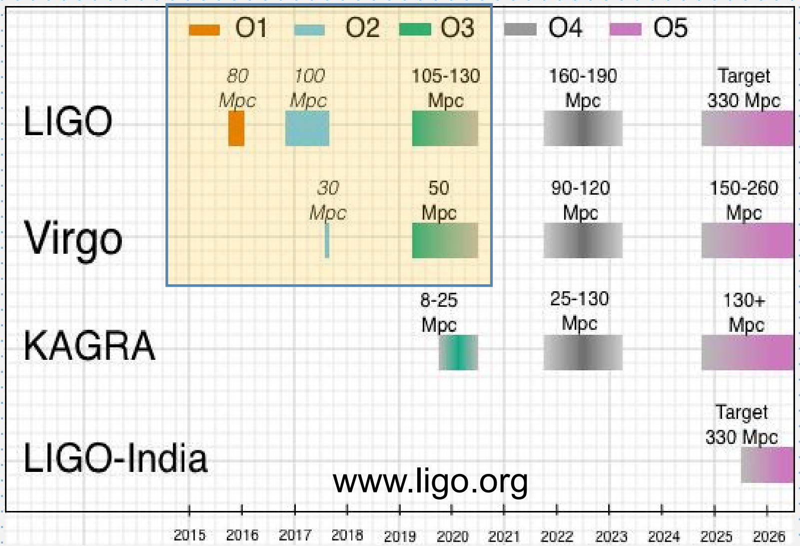
LIGO Interferometers

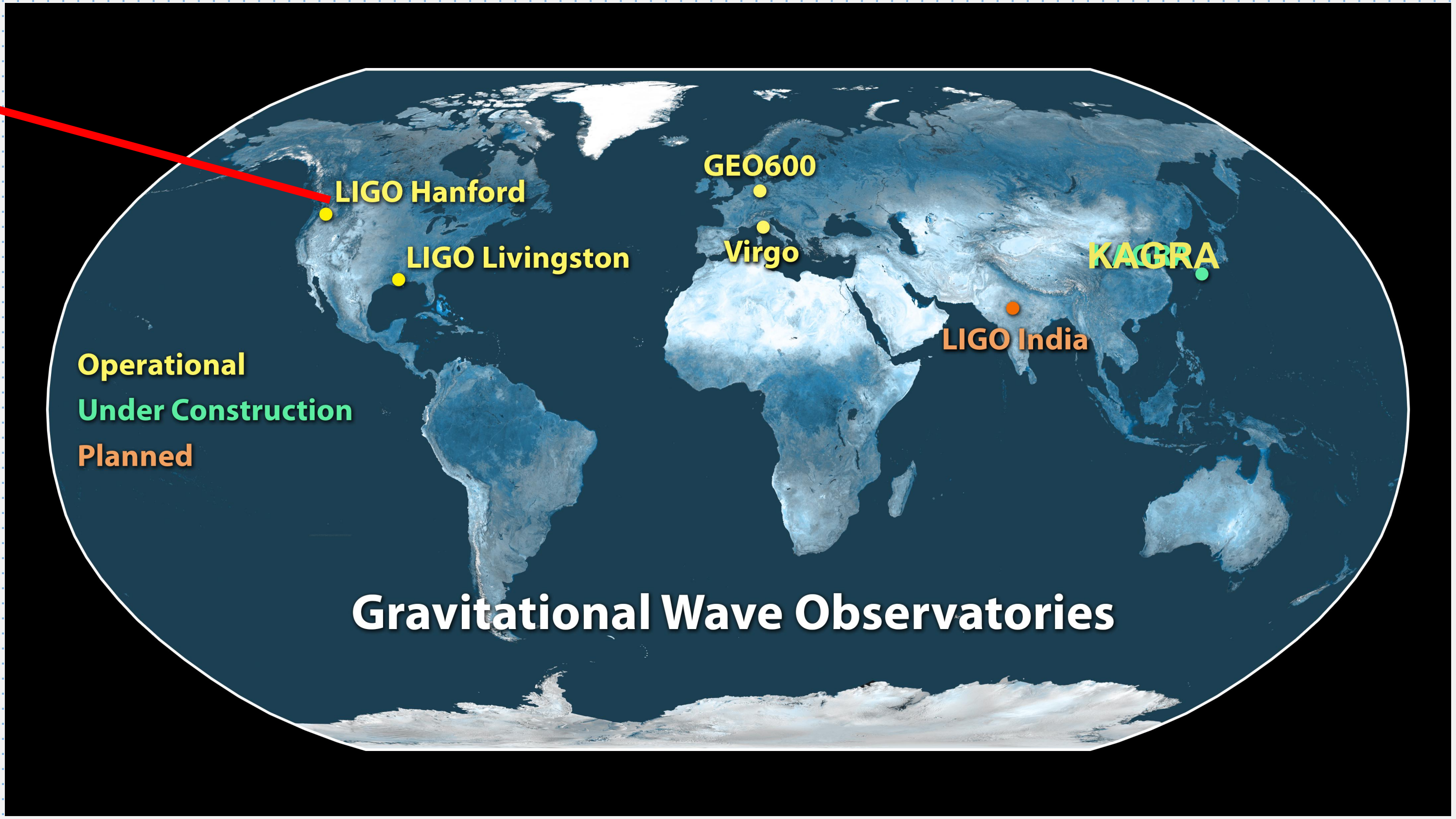


First direct detection of gravitational waves.

A new tool for astronomy, and fundamental physics







Related Publications

Cosmological First Order Phase Transitions:

PRL126 (2021) 15, 151301

Romero, Martinovic, Callister, HG, Martínez, Sakellariadou, Yang, Zhao

Cosmic Strings:

PRL 126,241102, LVK Collaboration Paper

Editor's Suggestion, featured in Phys.org

Dark Photon Dark Matter:

O1: (Nature) Commun.Phys. 2 (2019) 155, HG, Riles, Yang, Zhao

O3: PRD 105 (2022) 063030, LVK Collaboration Paper

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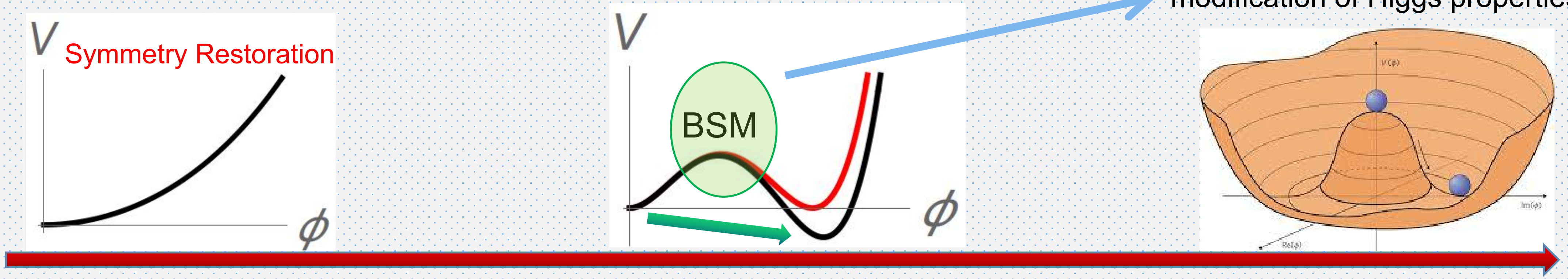
Cosmological First Order Phase Transitions

Canonical example: electroweak phase transition

modification of Higgs properties



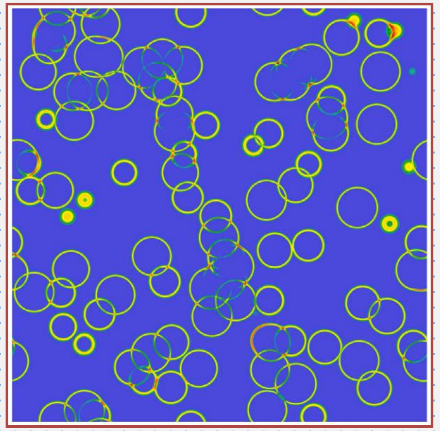
Temperature drops

See Michael's talk

Colliders CPV GW

Correlation
Complementarity

BSM

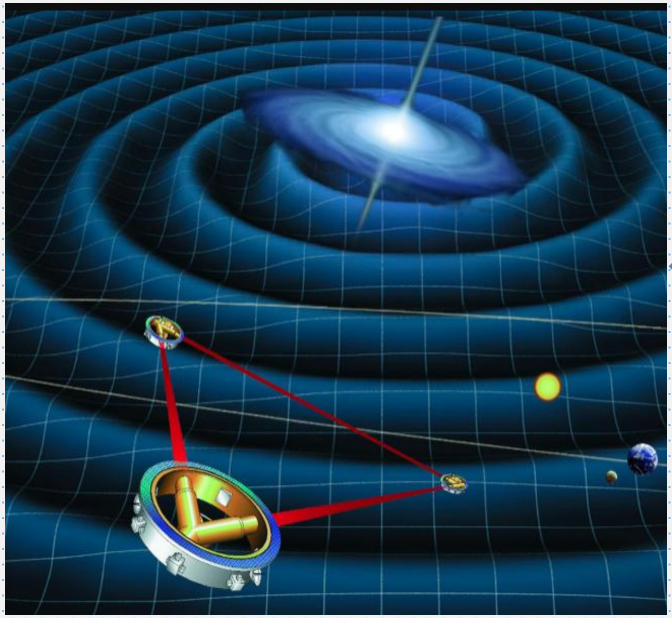


Hindmarsh, et al, 2015

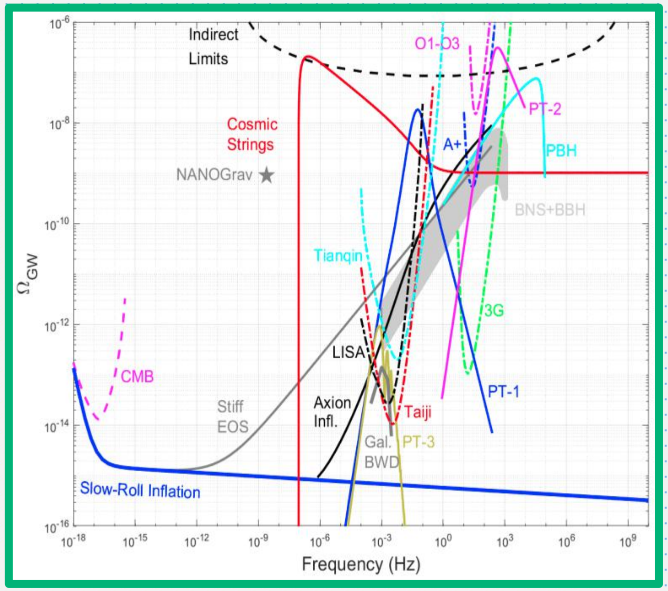
Scale of a generic PT can be arbitrary

Flow of Studies

theoretical calculation of gravitational wave spectrum and detector simulation



LIGO, LISA, Taiji, Tianqin...



Gravitational Wave Spectrum

α

β

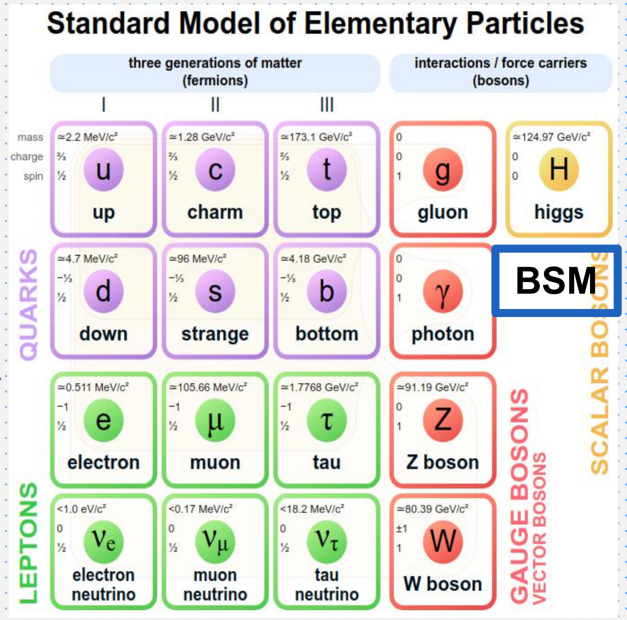
v_w

T_*

g_s

...

Phase Transition Parameters



Particle Physics Model

data analysis, constraints or discovery(parameter estimation)

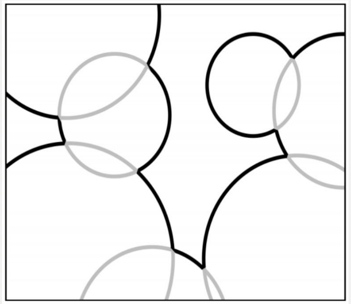
this talk

The GW Spectra

Energy density Spectrum

$$\Omega_{GW}(f) = \frac{d\rho_{GW}}{\rho_c d\log f}$$

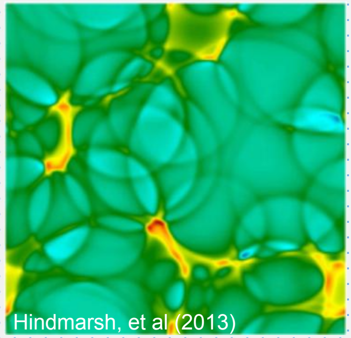
bubble collision



$$\Omega_{coll}(f)h^2 = 1.67\times 10^{-5}\Delta\left(\frac{H_{pt}}{\beta}\right)^2\left(\frac{\kappa_\phi\alpha}{1+\alpha}\right)^2 \times\left(\frac{100}{g_*}\right)^{1/3} S_{env}(f),$$

See Ligong's talk for details

sound waves



$$\Omega_{sw}(f)h^2 = 2.65\times 10^{-6}\left(\frac{H_{pt}}{\beta}\right)\left(\frac{\kappa_{sw}\alpha}{1+\alpha}\right)^2\left(\frac{100}{g_*}\right)^{1/3} \times v_w\left(\frac{f}{f_{sw}}\right)^3\left(\frac{7}{4+3(f/f_{sw})^2}\right)^{7/2}\Upsilon(\tau_{sw}),$$

$$\Upsilon = 1-(1+2\tau_{sw}H_{pt})^{-1/2} \quad \text{(RD)}$$

HG, Sinha, Vagie, White, JCAP 01 (2021) 001

All can be described by a broken power law model

$$\Omega_{BPL}(f) = \Omega_*\left(\frac{f}{f_*}\right)^{n_1}\left[1+\left(\frac{f}{f_*}\right)^{\Delta}\right]^{(n_2-n_1)/\Delta}$$

Foreground

$$\Omega_{CBC} = \Omega_{ref}(f/f_{ref})^{2/3}$$

$$f_{ref} = 25\ \text{Hz}$$

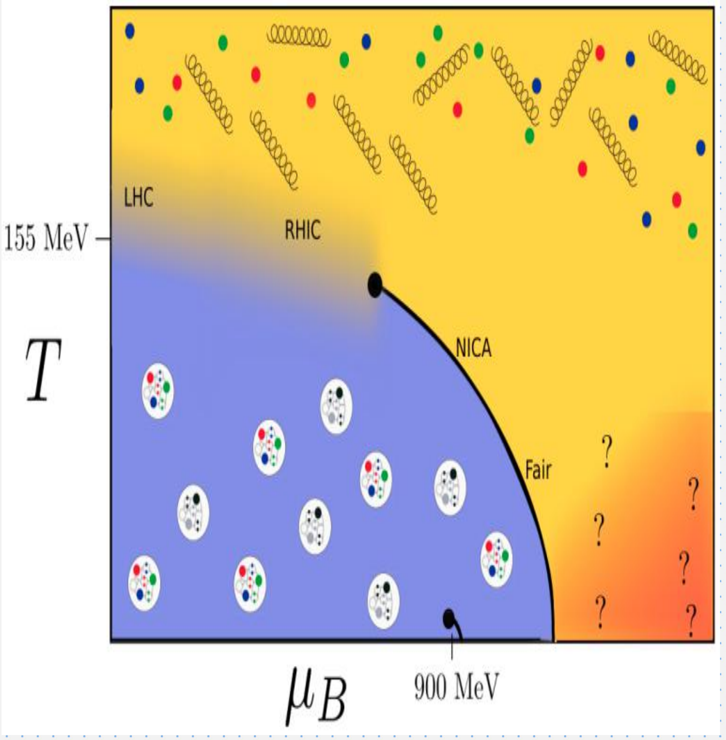
Generic Features

- LIGO (~100Hz) : (~PeV - EeV)
- LISA, Taiji, Tianqin: ~mHz : (~100GeV)
- PTA: nHz (~100MeV)

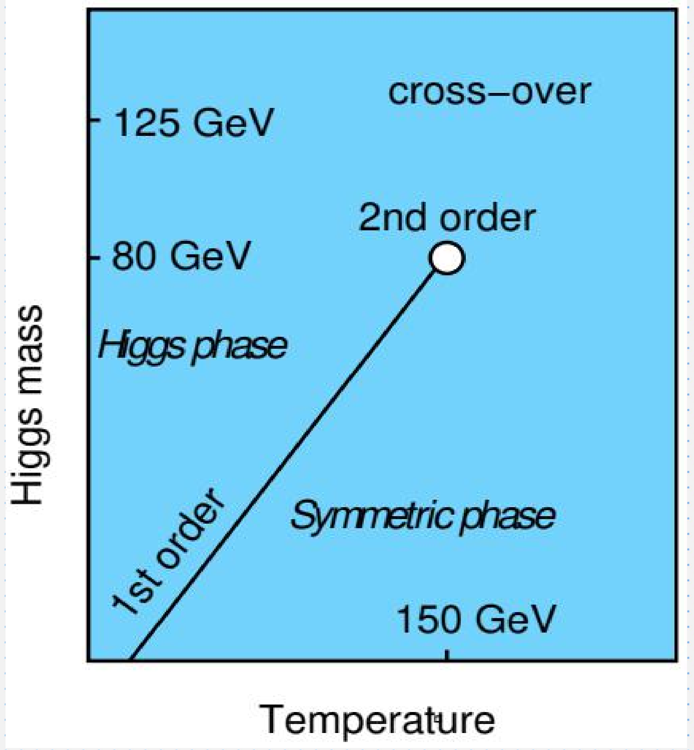
EWPT

QCD PT

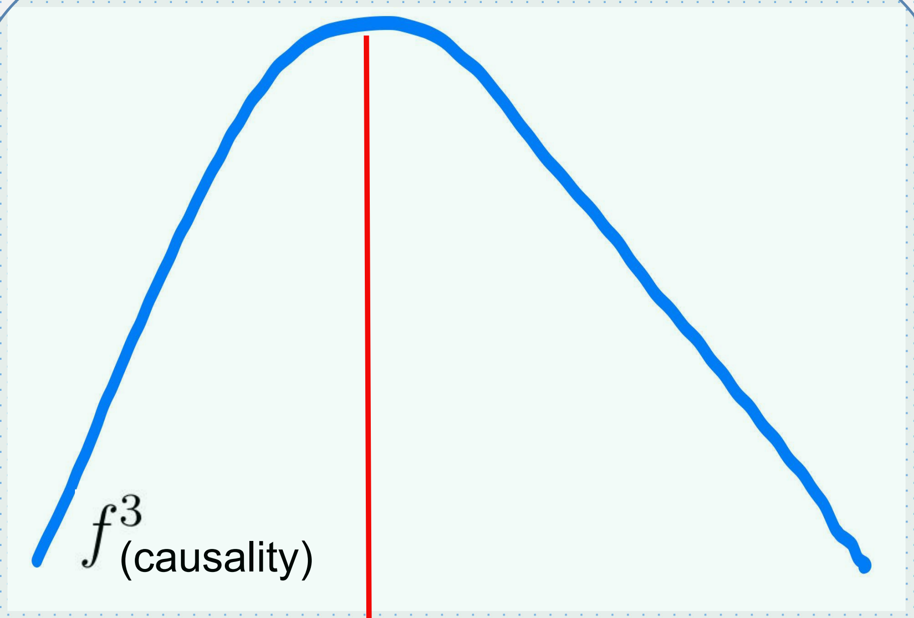
See Yifeng's talk



Guenther, arxiv: 2010.15503



Hindmarsh et al SciPost Phys.Lect.Notes 24 (2021)



$$f_{\rm peak} \sim 10^{-3}{\rm Hz} \left(\frac{g_s(T_*)}{100}\right)^{1/6} \left(\frac{T}{100{\rm GeV}}\right)$$

typical length scale

tells PT temperature
(symmetry breaking scale)

Results

O1+O2+O3@LIGO (H1, L1), Virgo

- No Evidence for Broken Power Law Signal
- No Evidence for Bubble Collision Domination Signal
- No Evidence for Sound Waves Domination Signal

Broken Power Law

95% CL UL (CBC+BPL)

$$\Omega_{\rm ref} = 6.1 \times 10^{-9}$$

$$\Omega_* = 5.6 \times 10^{-7}$$

$$\Omega_{\rm BPL}(25\ \mathrm{Hz}) = 4.4 \times 10^{-9}$$

Bubble Collision

95% CL UL with fixed Tpt and beta/Hpt

Phenomenological model (bubble collisions)

$\Omega^{95\%}_{\rm coll}(25\ \mathrm{Hz})$

$\beta/H_{\rm pt} \backslash T_{\rm pt}$	10^7 GeV	10^8 GeV	10^9 GeV	10^{10} GeV
0.1	9.2×10^{-9}	8.8×10^{-9}	1.0×10^{-8}	7.2×10^{-9}
1	1.0×10^{-8}	8.4×10^{-9}	5.0×10^{-9}	...
10	4.0×10^{-9}	6.3×10^{-9}	...	...

no sensitivity

Sound Waves

95% CL UL with fixed Tpt and beta/Hpt

$$\Omega_{\rm sw}(25\ \mathrm{Hz}) \quad 5.9 \times 10^{-9}$$

$$\beta/H_{\rm pt} < 1 \text{ and } T_{\rm pt} > 10^8\ \mathrm{GeV}$$

First result from gravitational wave data!

Cosmic Strings

Topology of cosmic domains and strings

J.Phys.A 9 (1976) 1387-1398

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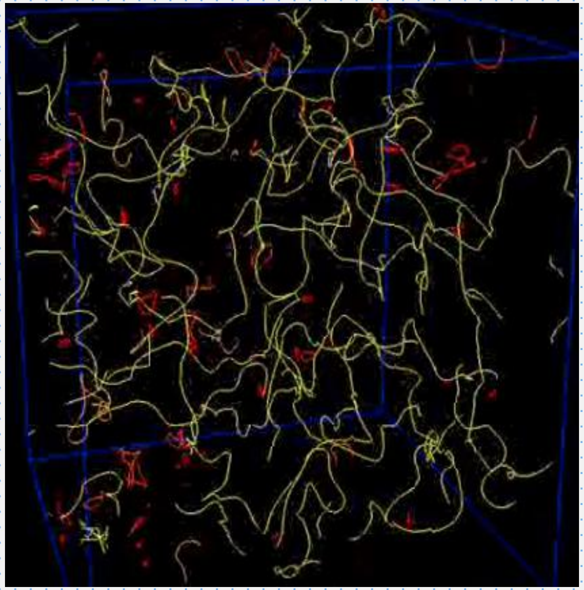
- Form irrespective of phase transition's order
- Can be detected with gravitational waves

GW measurement tells
scale (η) of symmetry breaking ($G \rightarrow H$)

$$G\mu \sim \left(\frac{\eta}{10^{19}\mathrm{GeV}}\right)^2$$

μ: line mass density

Cosmological Simulation



The Cosmological Kibble Mechanism in the Laboratory: String Formation in Liquid Crystals

Science, 263 (1994)

Mark J. Bowick,* L. Chandar, E. A. Schiff, Ajit M. Srivastava

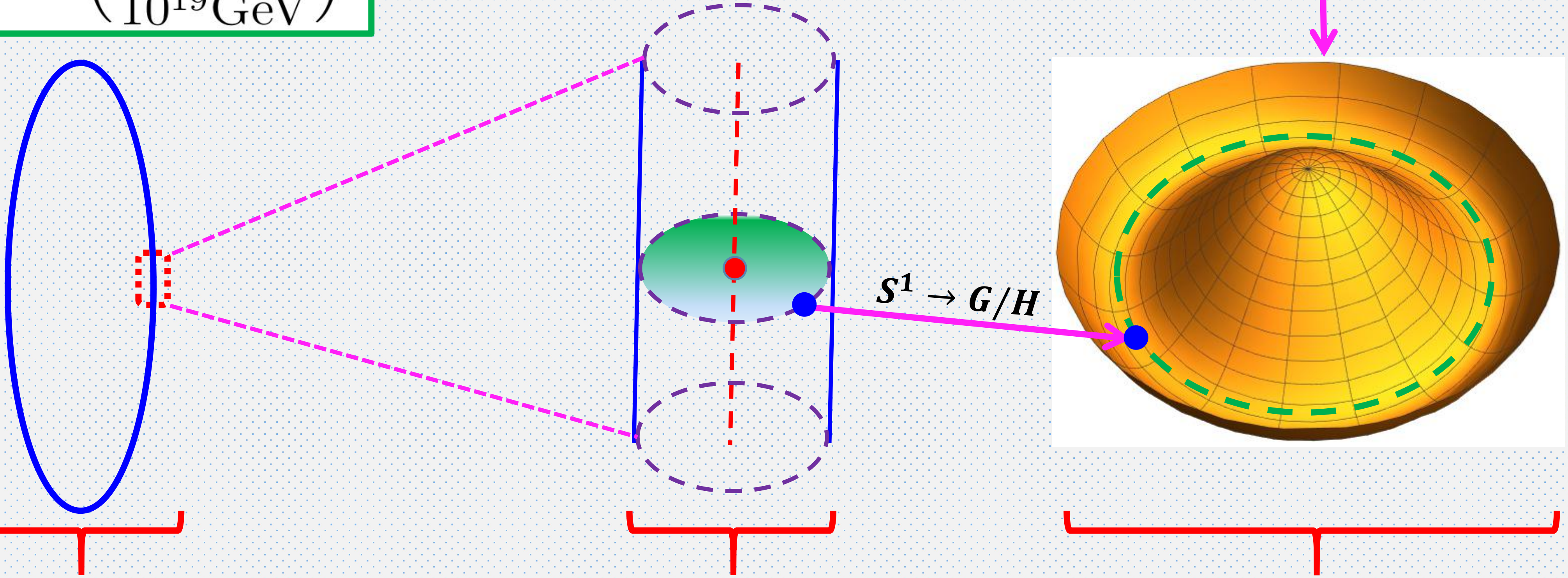
From Particle Physics Model to String

- Not sensitive to microscopic details
- GW measurement tells symmetry breaking scale

$$G\mu \sim \left(\frac{\eta}{10^{19}\mathrm{GeV}}\right)^2$$

Example: the Abelian Higgs Model

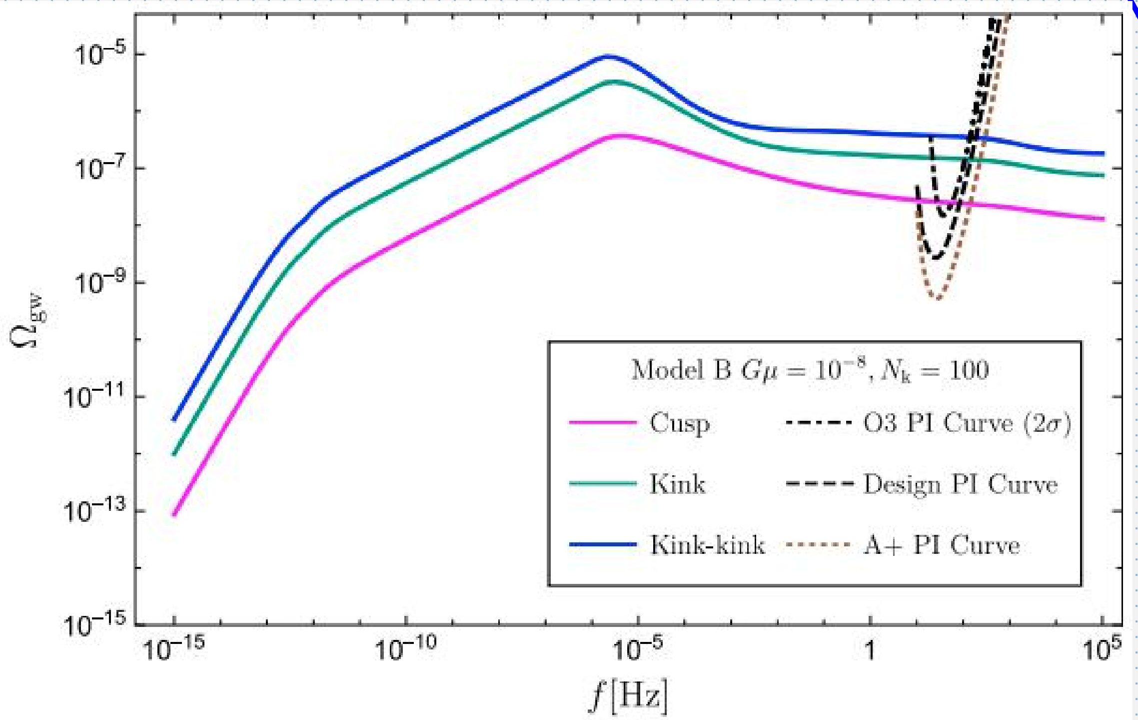
$$\mathcal{L} = |(\partial_\mu - igA_\mu)\Phi|^2 - \frac{1}{4}\lambda(|\Phi|^2 - \eta^2)^2 - \frac{1}{4}F_{\mu\nu}F^{\mu\nu}$$



Gravitational Waves

$$\Omega_{\rm GW}(f) = \frac{4\pi^2}{3H_0^2} f^3 \sum_i \int {\rm d}z \int {\rm d}\ell \; h_i^2 \times \frac{{\rm d}^2 R_i}{{\rm d}z{\rm d}\ell}$$

cusp, kink, kink-kink collision



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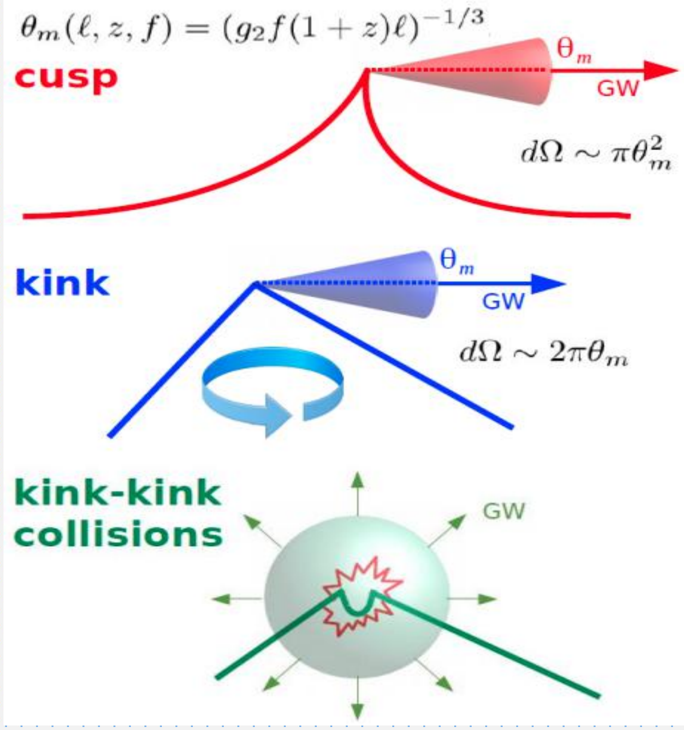

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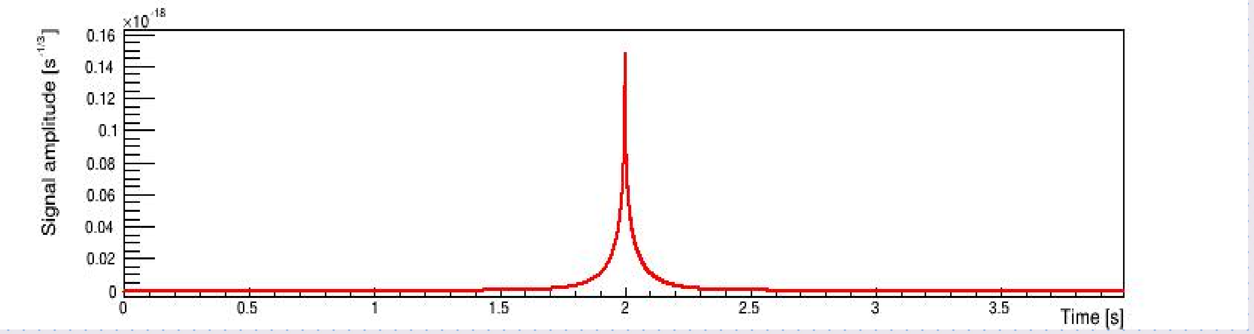
example waveform in time domain (cusp)



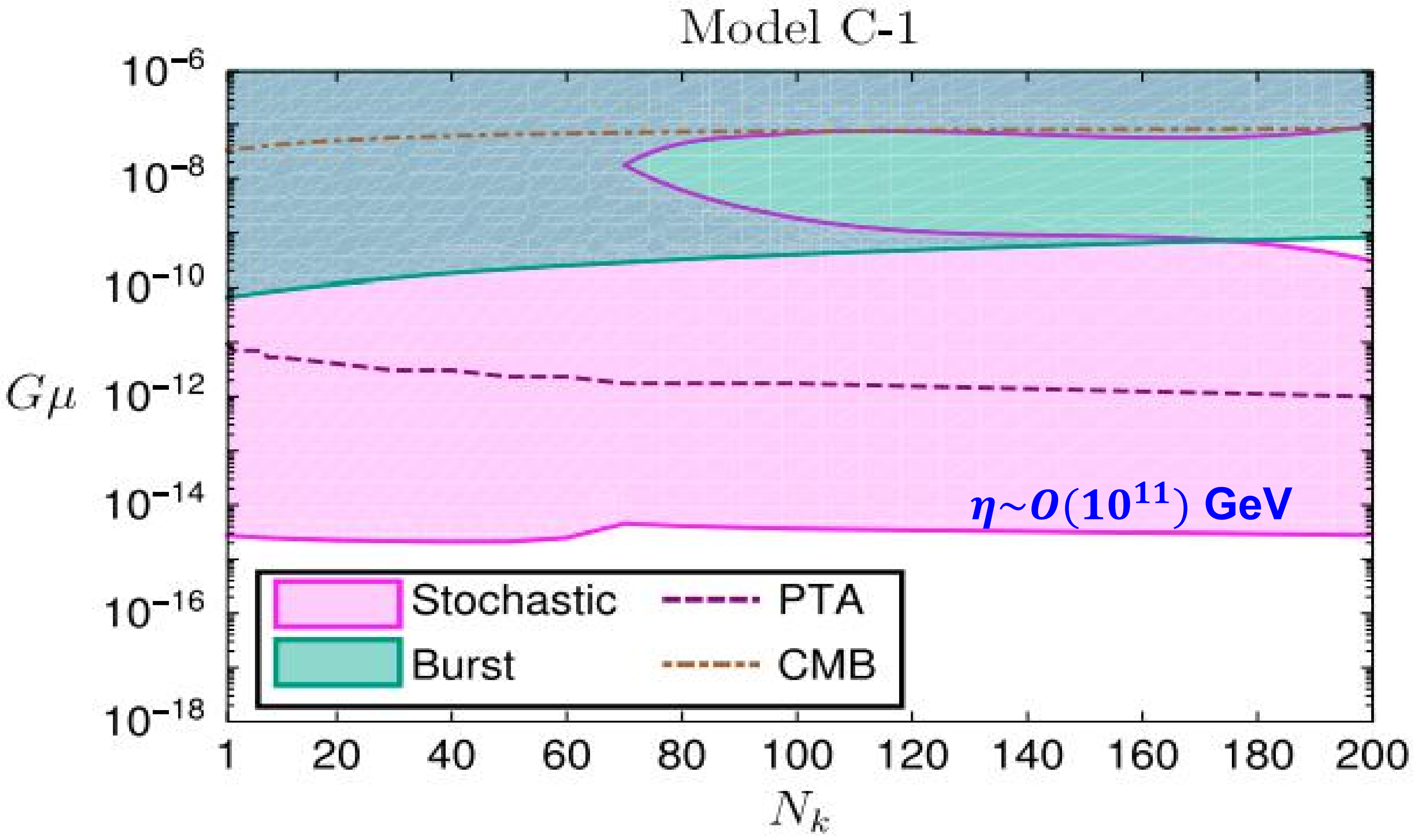
https://www.ligo.org/science/Publication-S5S6CosmicStrings

Results

Symmetry breakings at scales higher than $\sim\mathcal{O}(10^{11})$ GeV
with Cosmic String production are excluded

Caveat (loop distribution model)

$$G\mu \sim \left(\frac{\eta}{10^{19}\mathrm{GeV}}\right)^2$$



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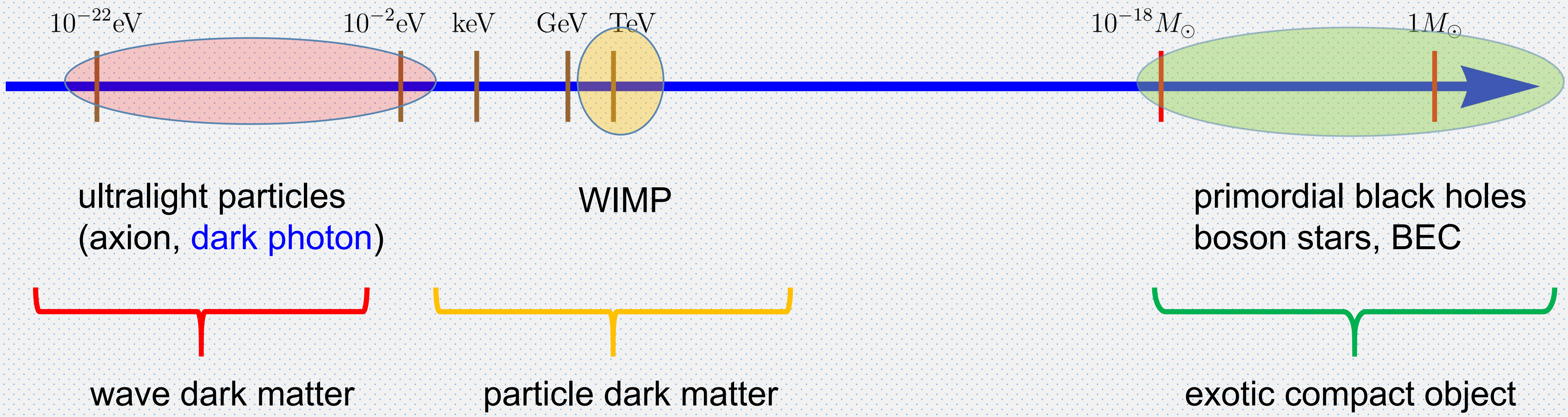
Dark Matter Candidates

See also Liantao, Qibin and Shu's talks



All can be searched for using gravitational wave detectors.

Dark Photon

- Gauge boson of U(1)

$U(1)_B\ (p+n)$ $\qquad$ $U(1)_{B-L}(n)$

$$F_{\mu\nu} = \partial_\mu A_\nu - \partial_\nu A_\mu$$

dark electric field

$$E_i \sim m_A A_i$$

(affects LIGO's mirrors)

signal in LIGO's data

$$B^i \sim m_A v_j A_k \epsilon^{ijk}$$

(negligible)

$$\mathbf{A}_{\text{total}}(t,\mathbf{x}) = \sum_{i=1}^{N} \mathbf{A}_{i,0} \sin(\omega_i t - \mathbf{k}_i \cdot \mathbf{x} + \phi_i)$$

$$\rho_{\text{DM}} \approx 0.4\text{GeV}/\text{cm}^3$$

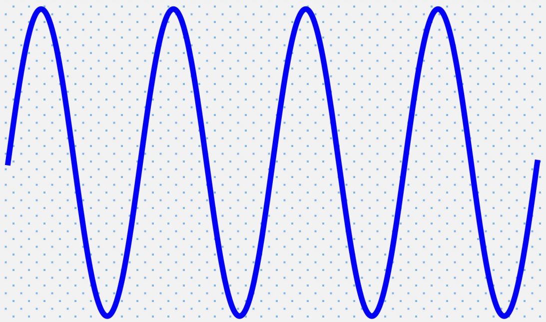
- velocity: Maxwell distribution
- polarization: Isotropic(Galaxy frame)

$$\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}v_0}\right)^3 \exp\left(-\frac{\boldsymbol{v}'^2}{v_0^2}\right)$$

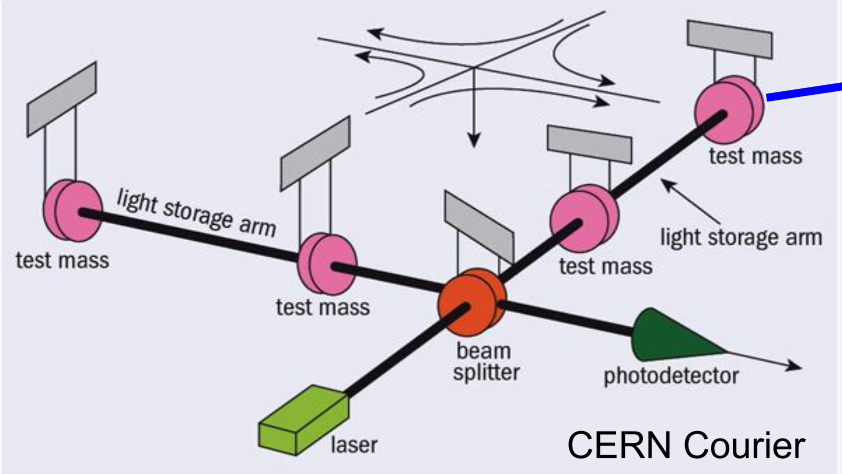
$$v_0 \sim \mathcal{O}(10^{-3})$$

Signal Properties

a dark photon wave



$\vec{A}_{n,0} \sin(\omega_n t - \mathbf{k}_n \cdot \mathbf{x} + \phi_n)$



silicon mirror

$U(1)_B: \quad 1/\mathrm{GeV}$

$U(1)_{B-L}: 1/2\mathrm{GeV}$

$$\mathbf{a}_i(t, \mathbf{x}_i) \simeq \epsilon e \frac{q_{\mathrm{D},i}}{M_i} \partial_t \mathbf{A}(t, \mathbf{x}_i)$$

acceleration

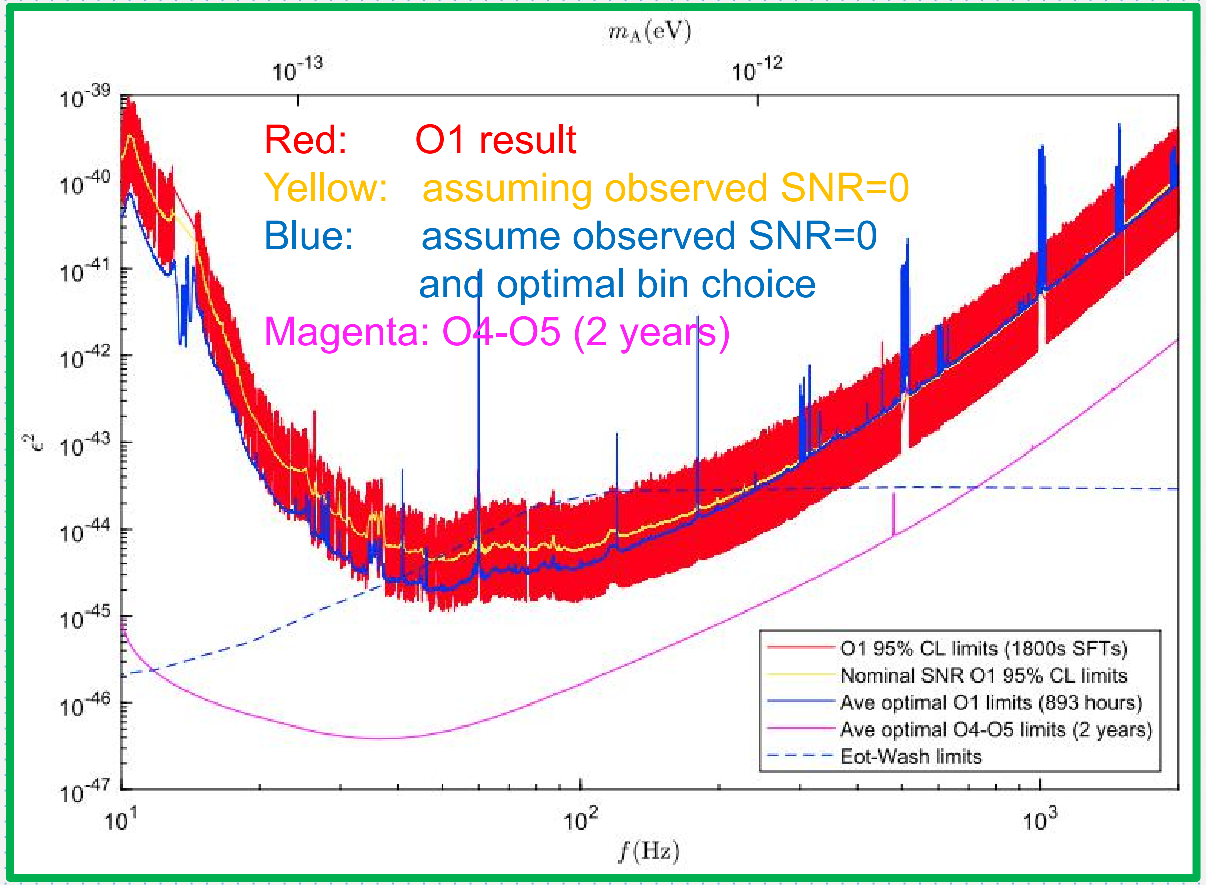
typical LIGO frequency

$$\omega_n = m_A(1 + \frac{1}{2}v_n^2) = 2\pi \times (100\mathrm{Hz}) \approx 4 \times 10^{-13}\mathrm{ev}$$

typical dark photon mass LIGO is sensitive to

$v_0 \sim \mathcal{O}(10^{-3})$ → $\Delta f / f = 10^{-6}$ → Signal: a narrow peak in frequency domain

O1 Result



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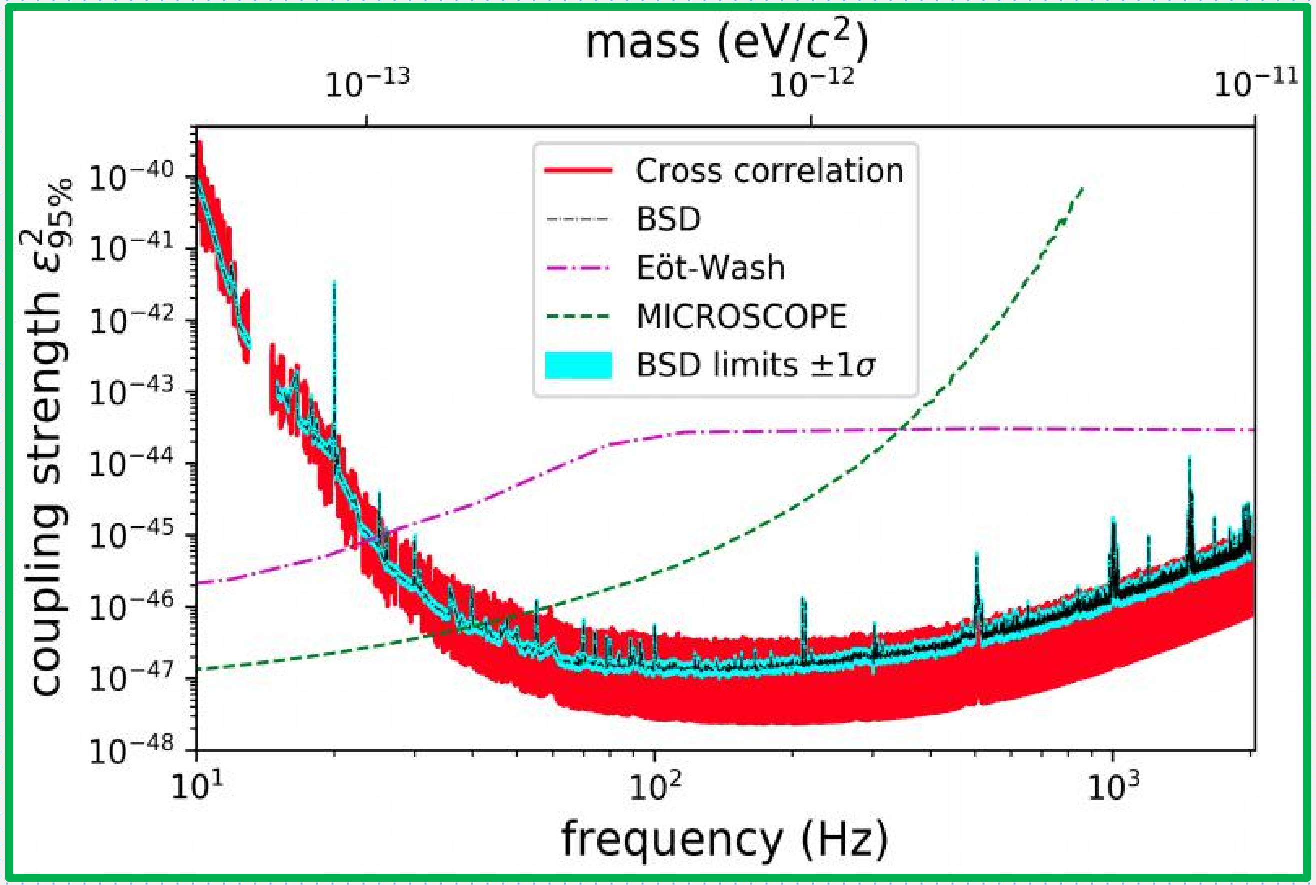
O3 Result



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New in O3 search:

1. Another search performed by the continuous wave group with a different method
2. An improvement factor included from finite light travel time (PRD.103.L051702, Morisaki, et al)

Summary

- First search for cosmological first order phase transitions with LIGO's data
- New constraint on cosmic strings (symmetry breaking scales) with latest LIGO data
- New constraint on dark photon with latest LIGO data

Thanks!