

Focus Week on Primordial Black Holes
@ Kavli IPMU

Searching for planetary-mass primordial black holes

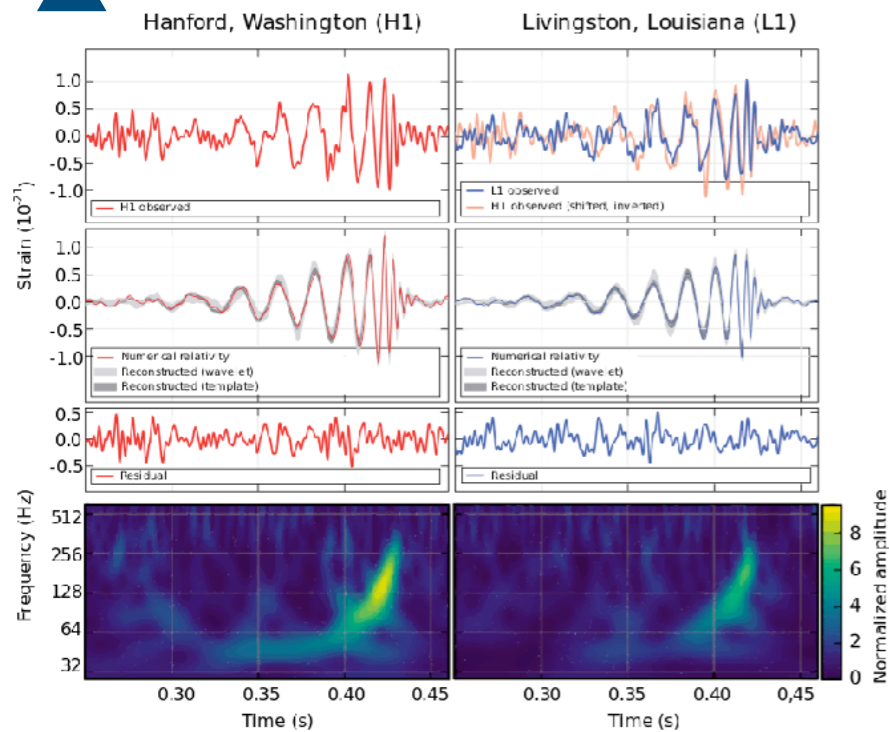
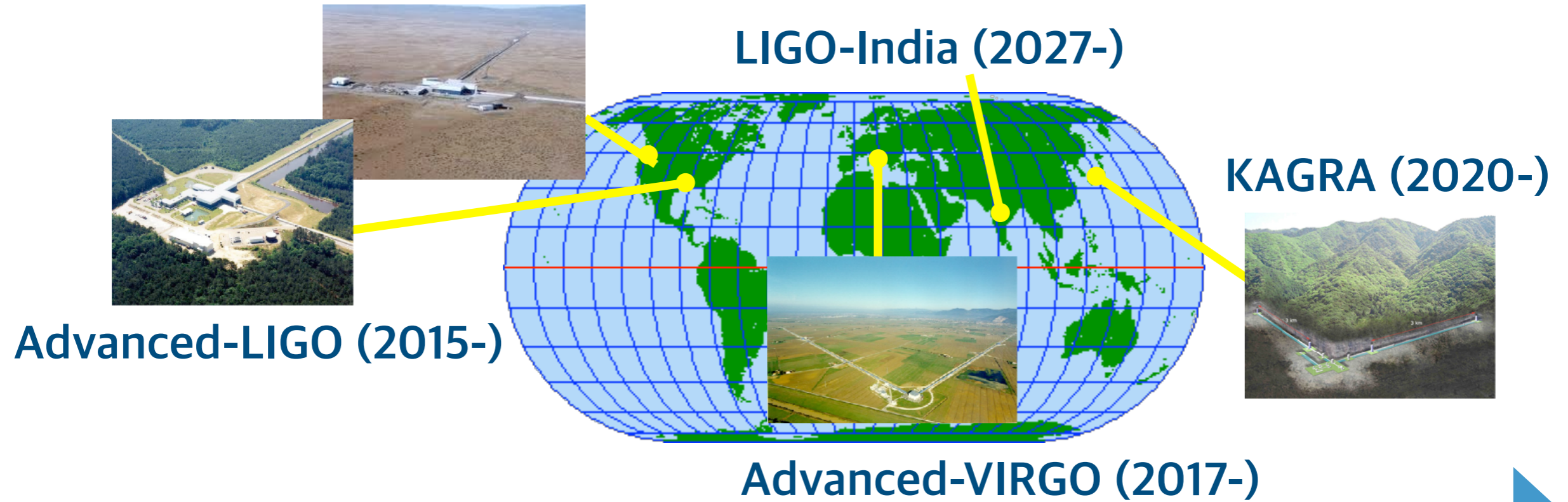
Sachiko Kuroyanagi

IFT UAM-CSIC / Nagoya University

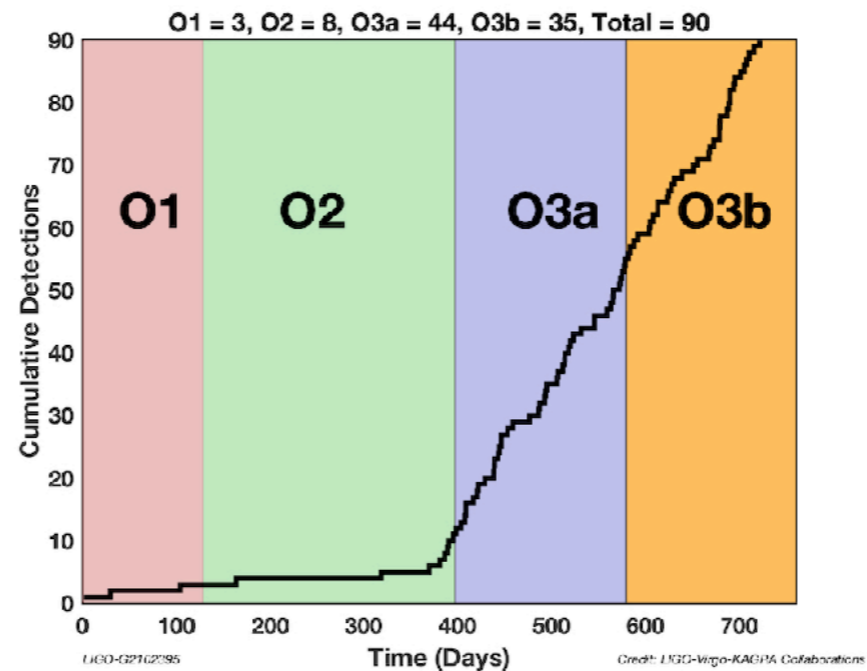
16 Nov 2023



Gravitational wave (GW) observation



The first detection: GW150914



O4 started in May 2023

Future projects

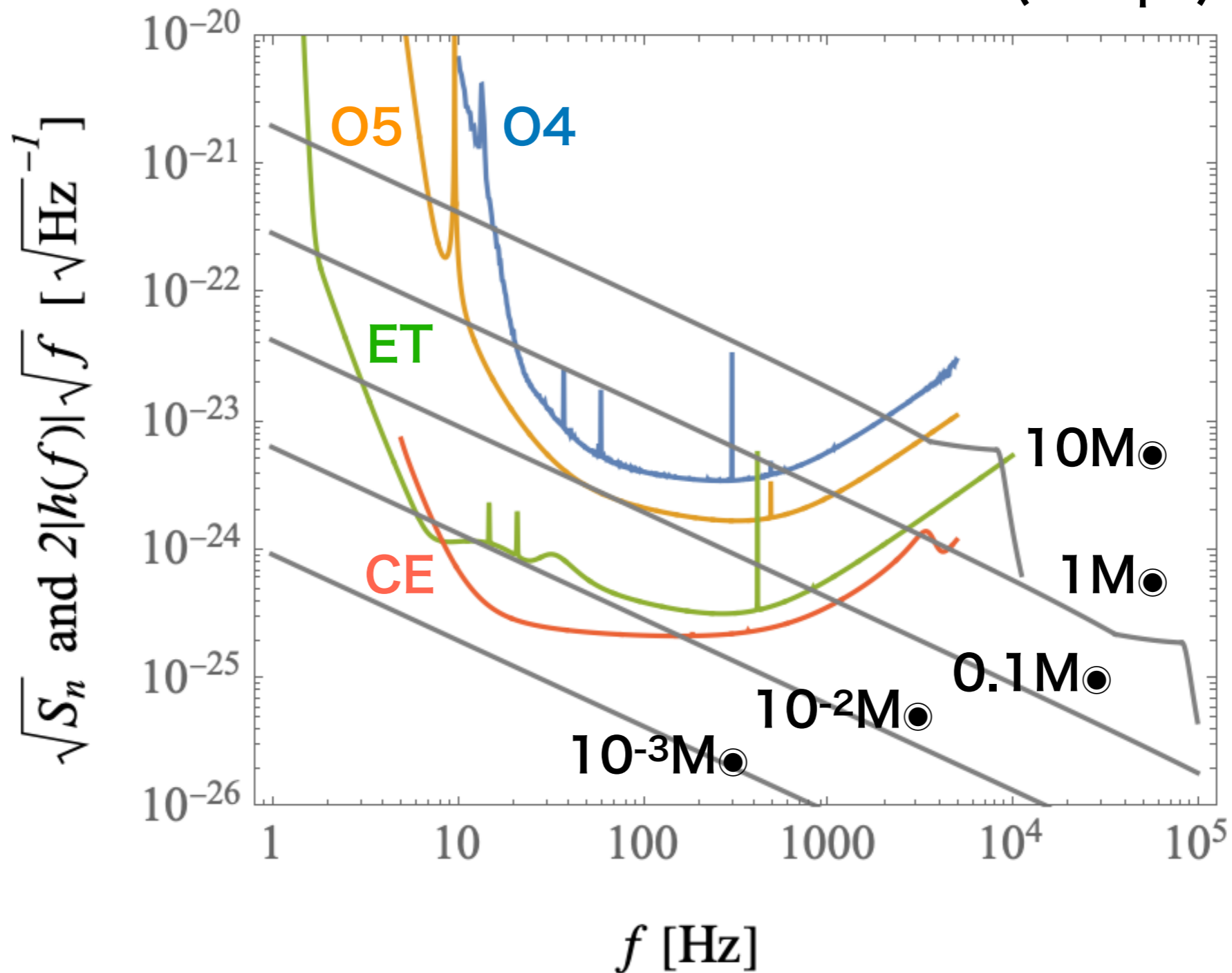
- Einstein Telescope
- Cosmic Explorer
- etc.

Two illustrations of future gravitational wave observatories: the Einstein Telescope (a large underground detector) and the Cosmic Explorer (a large surface detector).

Searching primordial black holes

Detection of BH with $< \sim 1 M_{\odot}$ can be a strong evidence of primordial origin

Source at $z=0.01$ (43Mpc)

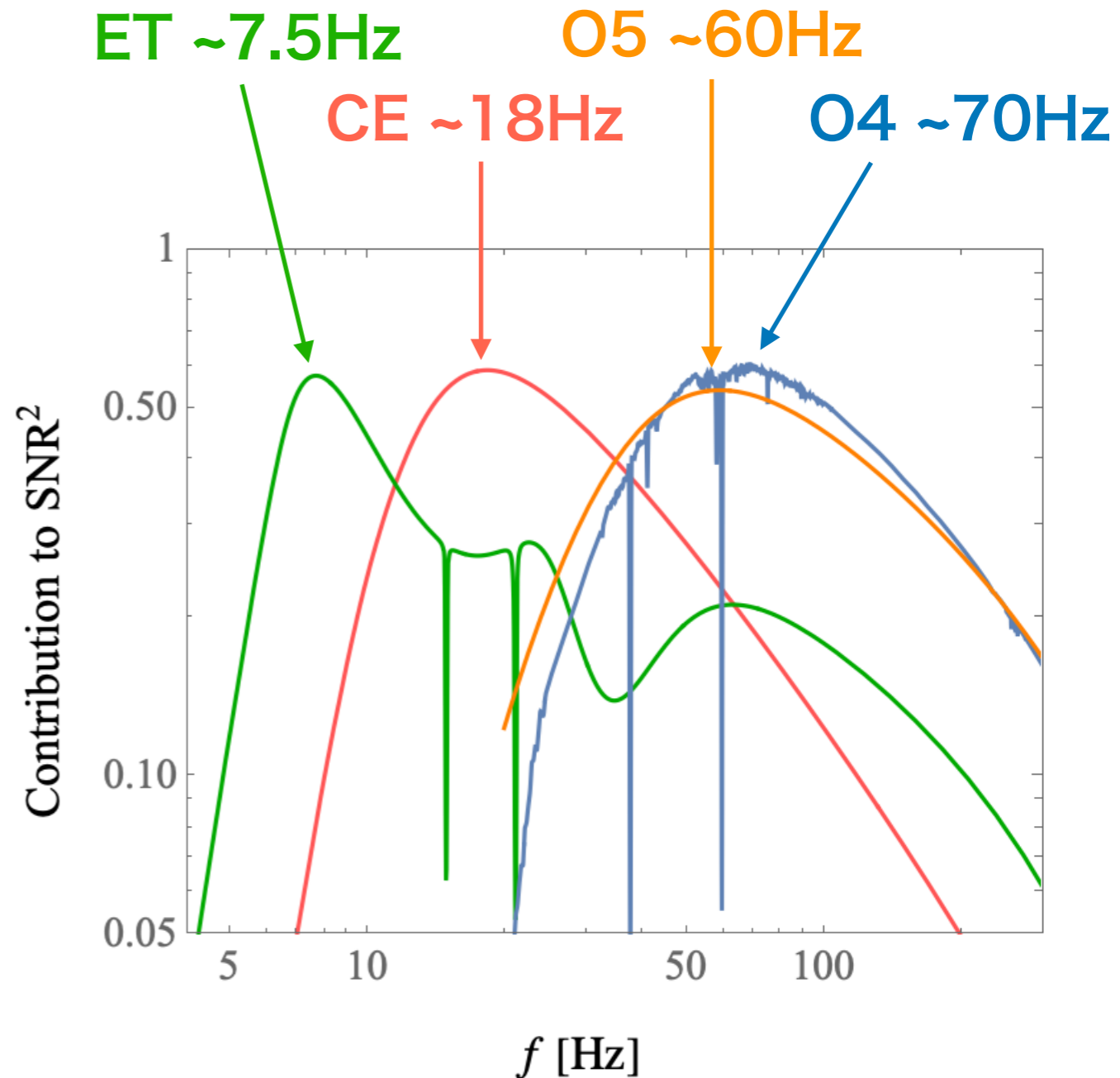
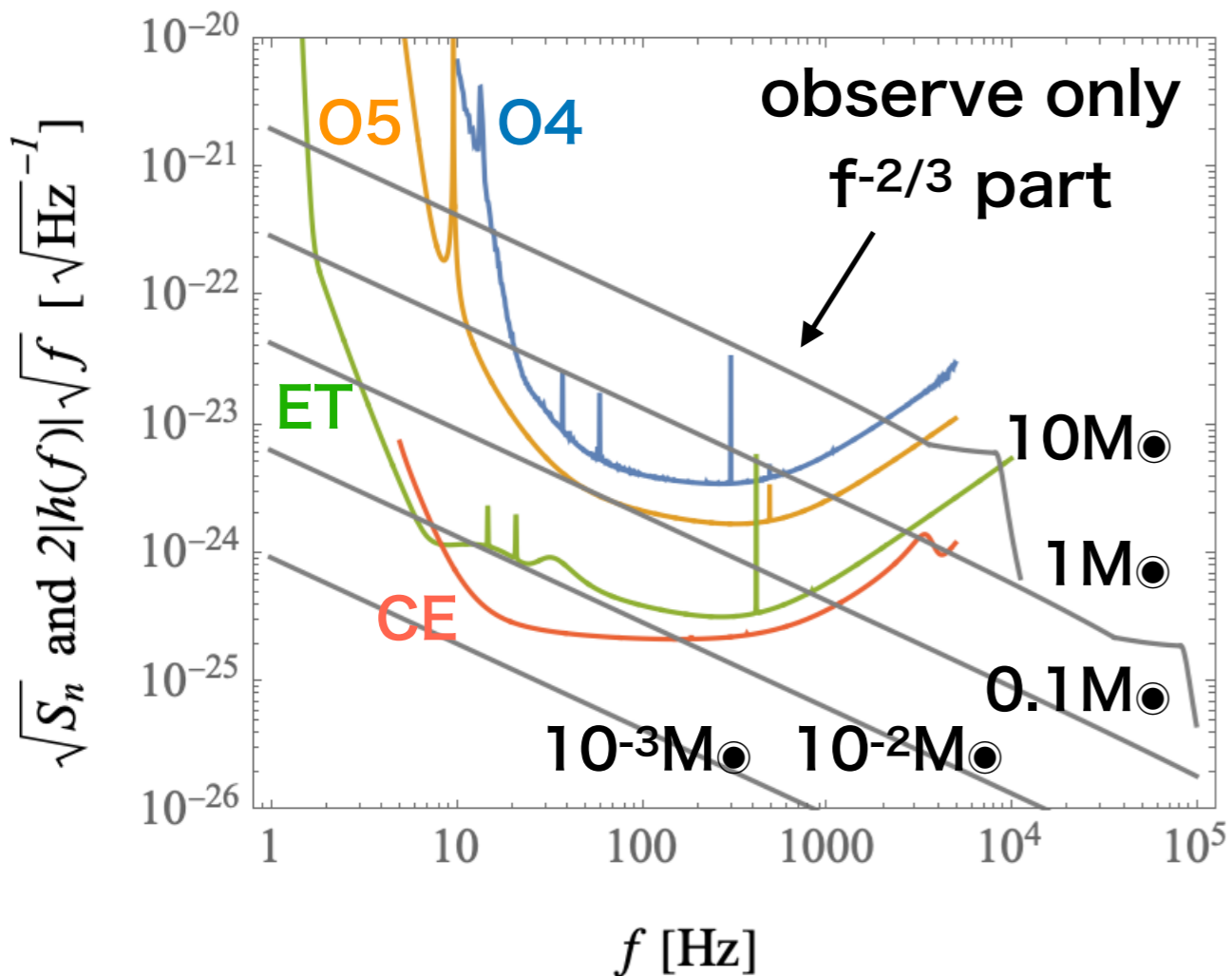


Searching primordial black holes

What frequency is important for detecting sub-solar mass event?

Signal-to-noise ratio (SNR)

$$\rho^2 = \int_0^\infty \frac{(2|\tilde{h}(f)|\sqrt{f})^2}{S_n(f)} d \ln(f)$$



Search method

Chirp time (at Newtonian order)

$$\tau_0 = \frac{5}{256} M^{-5/3} (\pi f_0)^{-8/3} \eta^{-1}$$

Total mass: $M = m_1 + m_2$

Symmetric mass ratio: $\eta = \frac{m_1 m_2}{(m_1 + m_2)^2}$

Lowest frequency: f_0

0.2 - 2 M_\odot Subsolar mass search

LVK collaboration, PRL 121, 231103 (2018); PRL 123, 161102 (2019);

PRL 129, 061104 (2022); arXiv:2212.01477

Nitz & Wang, ApJ, 915, 54 (2021)

Phukon et al., arXiv:2105.11449

Morrás et al., PDU 42, 101285 (2023)

→ **compact binary coalescence (CBC) search**

10^{-7} - 0.2 M_\odot Planetary mass search

Miller et al., PDU 32, 100836 (2021)

Miller et al., PRD 105, 062008 (2022)

→ **continuous wave (CW) search**

Subsolar mass search

Matched filtering

Data Template = expected waveform

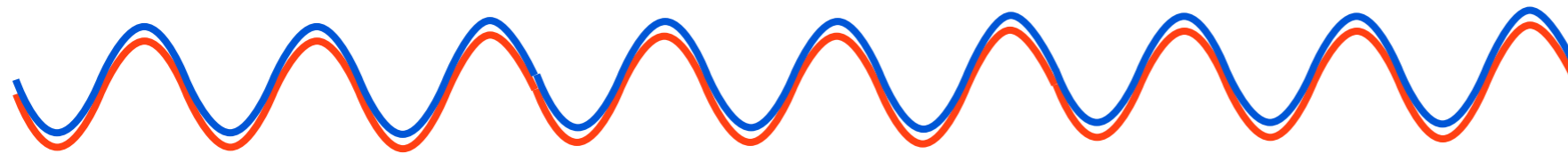
$$\rho^2 = \frac{\left[\int_{f_{\text{ini}}}^{\infty} df \frac{\tilde{h}(f)\tilde{h}_t^*(f) + \tilde{h}^*(f)\tilde{h}_t(f)}{S(f)} \right]^2}{\int_{f_{\text{ini}}}^{\infty} df \frac{|\tilde{h}_t(f)|^2}{S(f)}}$$

Normalization factor Noise

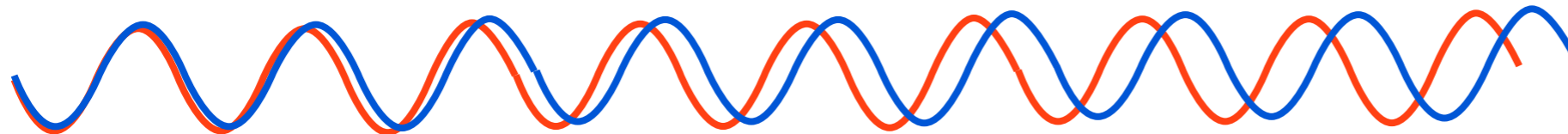
Assuming $\tilde{h}(f) = \tilde{h}_t(f)$ →

Signal-to-noise ratio (SNR)

$$\rho^2 = \int_0^{\infty} \frac{(2|\tilde{h}(f)|\sqrt{f})^2}{S_n(f)} d \ln(f)$$



→ matched: SN is maximized

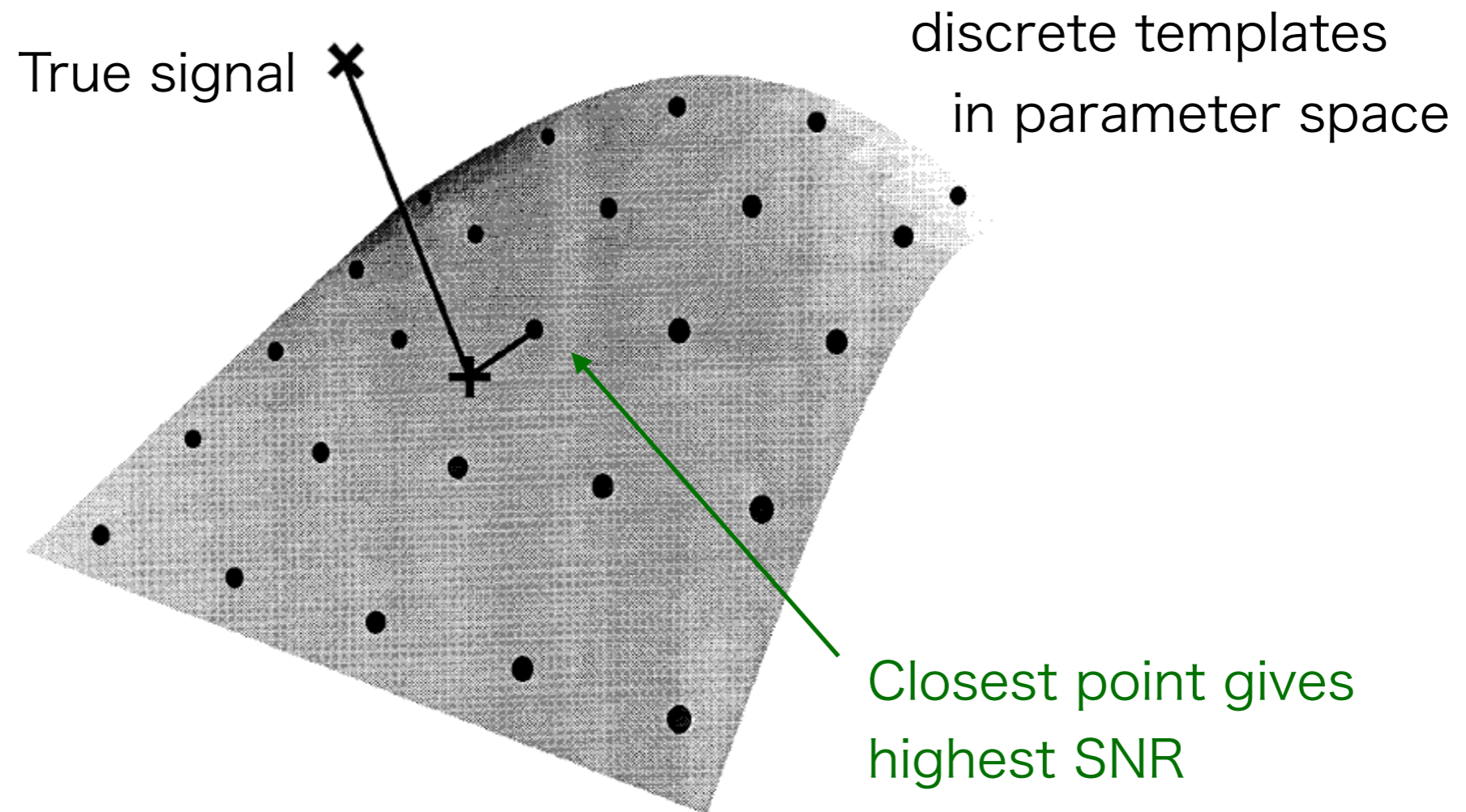


→ mismatch: SN is reduced

Template bank

How do we find the correct template?

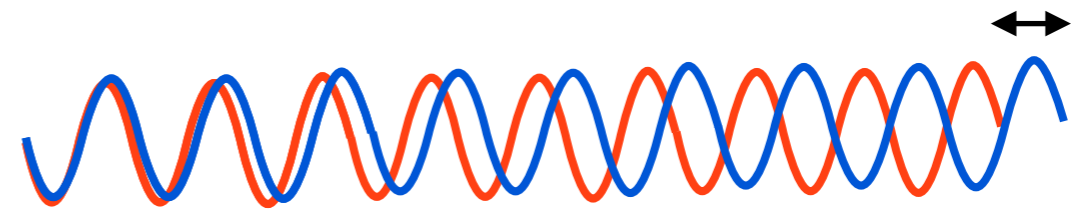
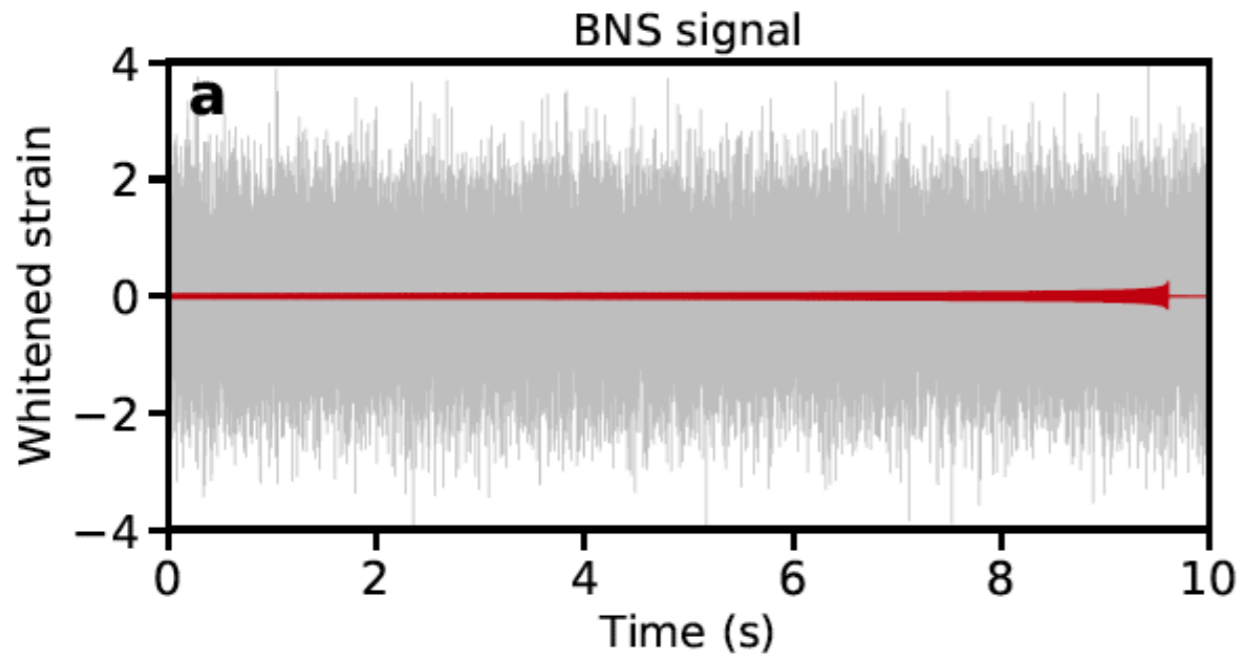
→ We simply try many and search for parameter values that maximize the SNR.



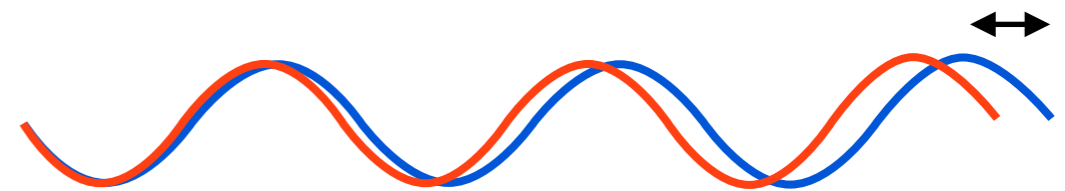
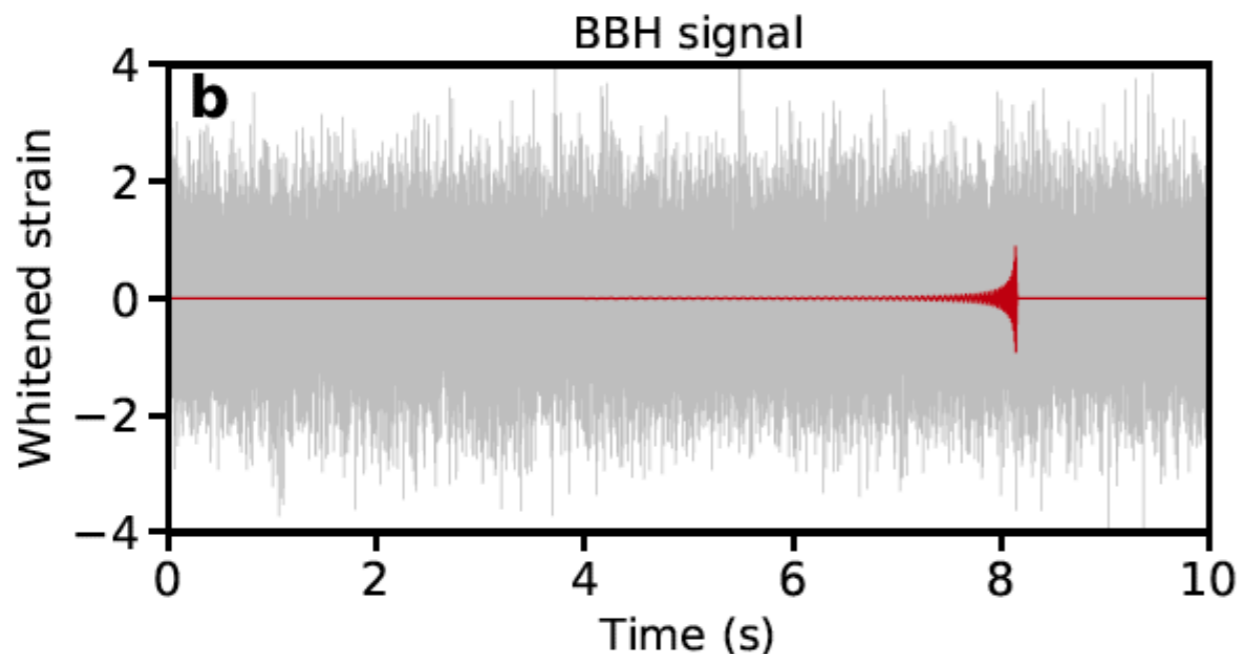
Typically, the discreteness of the template bank is selected in a way that ensures the loss of SNR is less than 3%

Challenge in subsolar mass search

Low mass event continues long time and has more oscillation cycles.



→ sensitive to small phase shift
by variation of parameters



→ insensitive to small phase shift

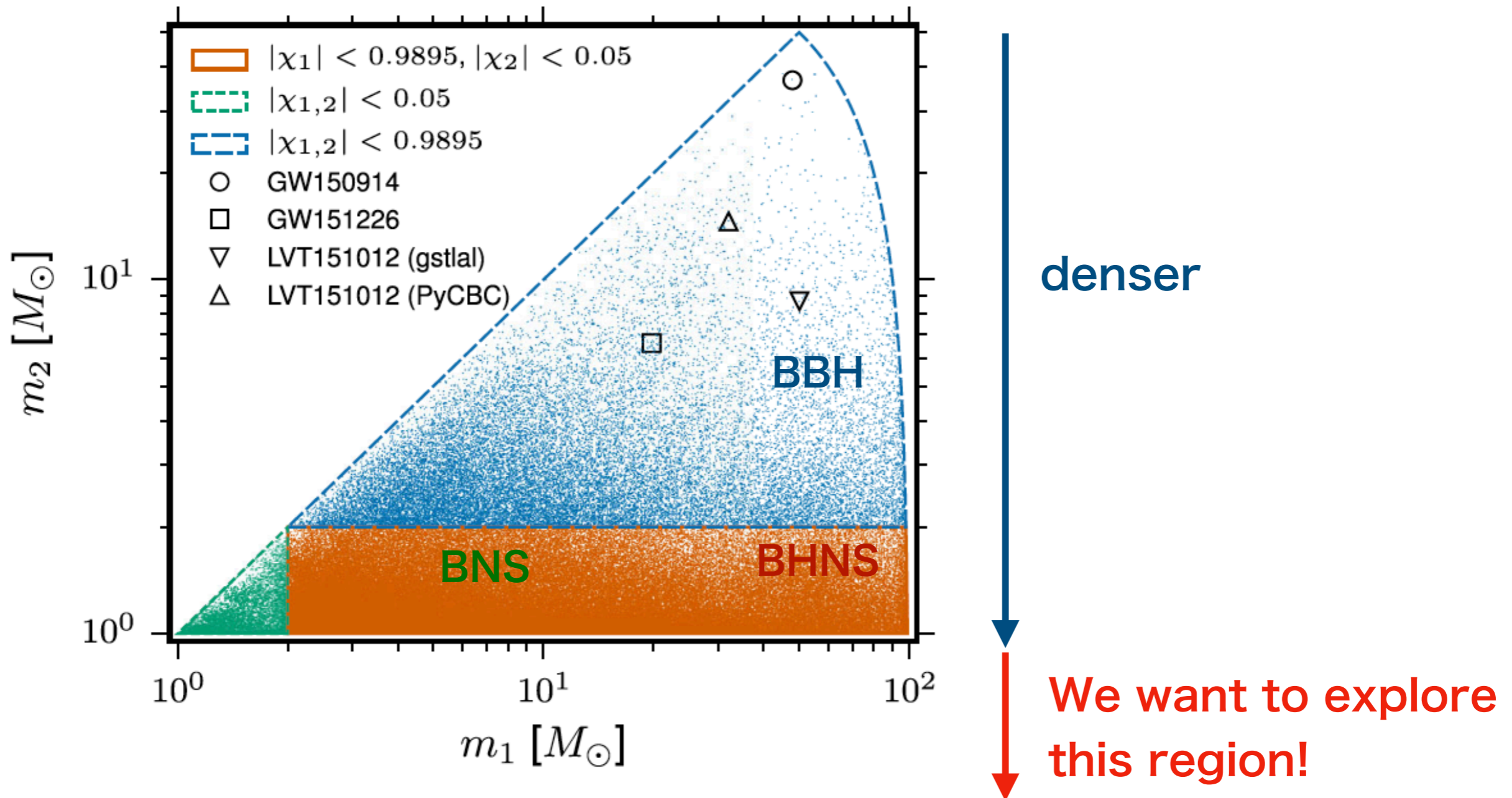
→ need to decrease the grid size
of the template bank

→ **more computation time**

Challenge in subsolar mass search

Low mass event requires fine gridding to avoid mismatch.

Template used in O1 CBC search

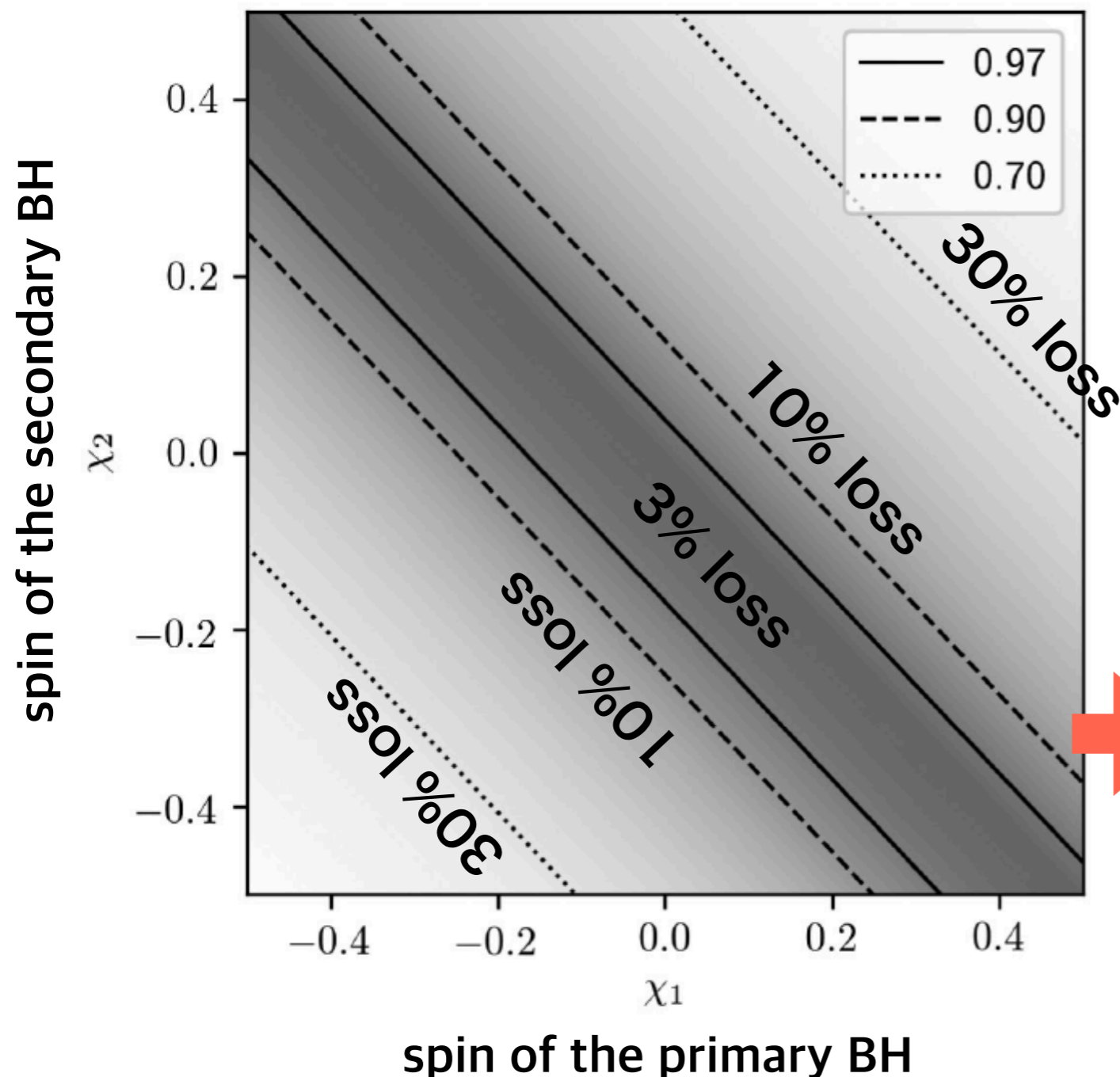


Study for spin parameter

Magee et al. PRD 98, 103024 (2018)

Non-spinning waveforms offer an easy way to reduce the computational cost by potentially 1–2 orders of magnitude.

loss in the SNR



Simulation with 10000 mock data

signal model

$0.5 M_{\odot} - 0.5 M_{\odot}$ BBH events
with spin values of $|\chi_i| < 0.5$

search

Non-spinning template
with mass range of

$$m_i \in (0.3 M_{\odot}, 0.7 M_{\odot})$$

Non-spinning template bank
can recover the signals if
effective spin is in the range of

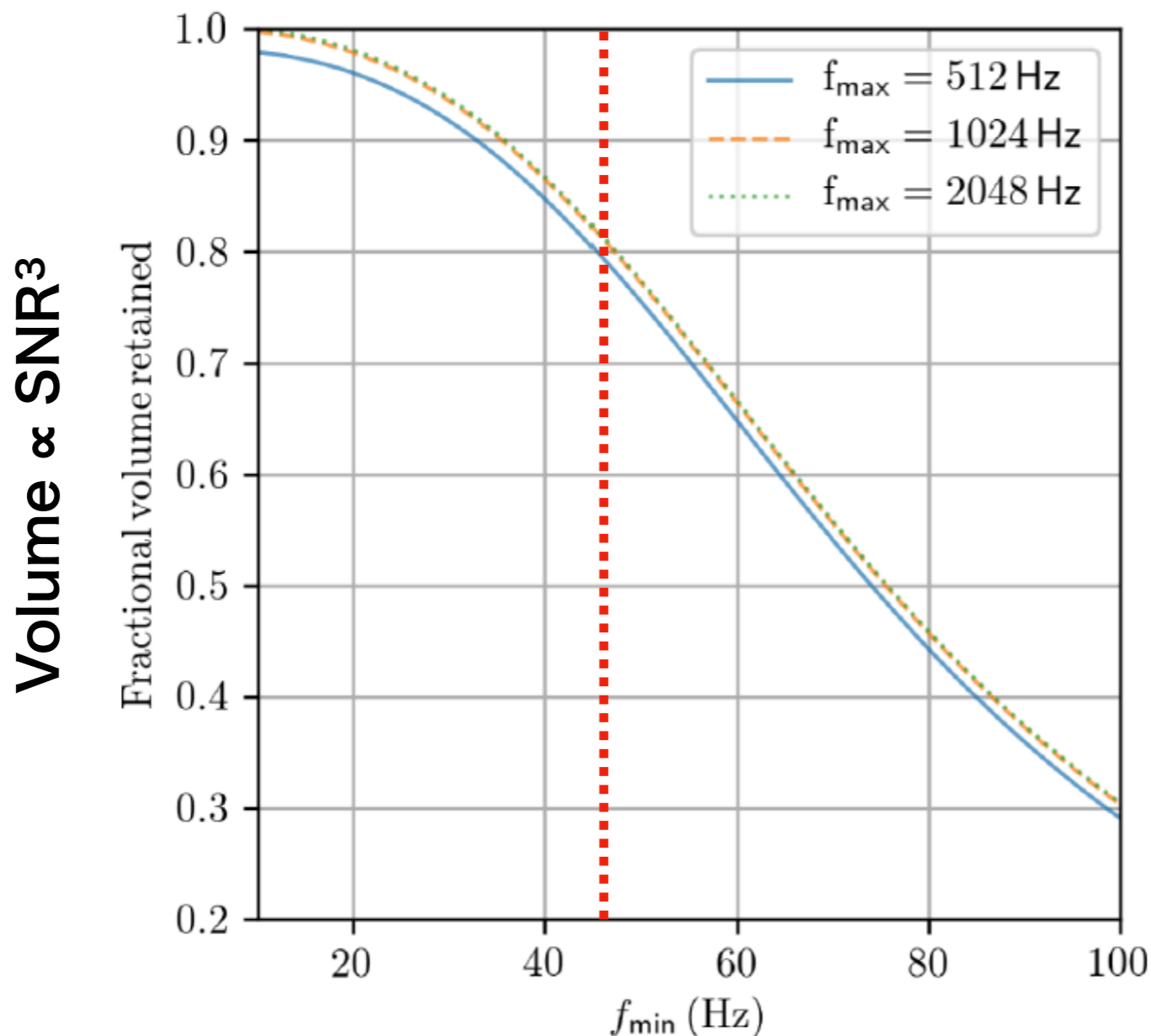
$$\chi_{\text{eff}} > -0.08 \text{ or } \chi_{\text{eff}} < 0.02$$

Remedy(?): cutting low frequency

Magee et al. PRD 98, 103024 (2018)

Number of template: $N \propto m_{\min}^{-8/3} f_{\min}^{-8/3}$

→ Increasing f_{\min} helps to reduce computation time,
but it reduces the SNR



← $f_{\min} = 45$ Hz is commonly used in LVK search, allowing 20% loss in volume

Sub-solar mass search in LVK

O3b

$$f_{\min} = 45\text{Hz}$$

LVK collaboration, arXiv:2212.01477

search range: $m_1 \in [0.2, 10] M_{\odot}$

$m_2 \in [0.2, 1.0] M_{\odot}$

$0.1 < q < 1.0$ $q \equiv m_2/m_1$

$\chi_{1,2} < 0.9$

cf. number of templates

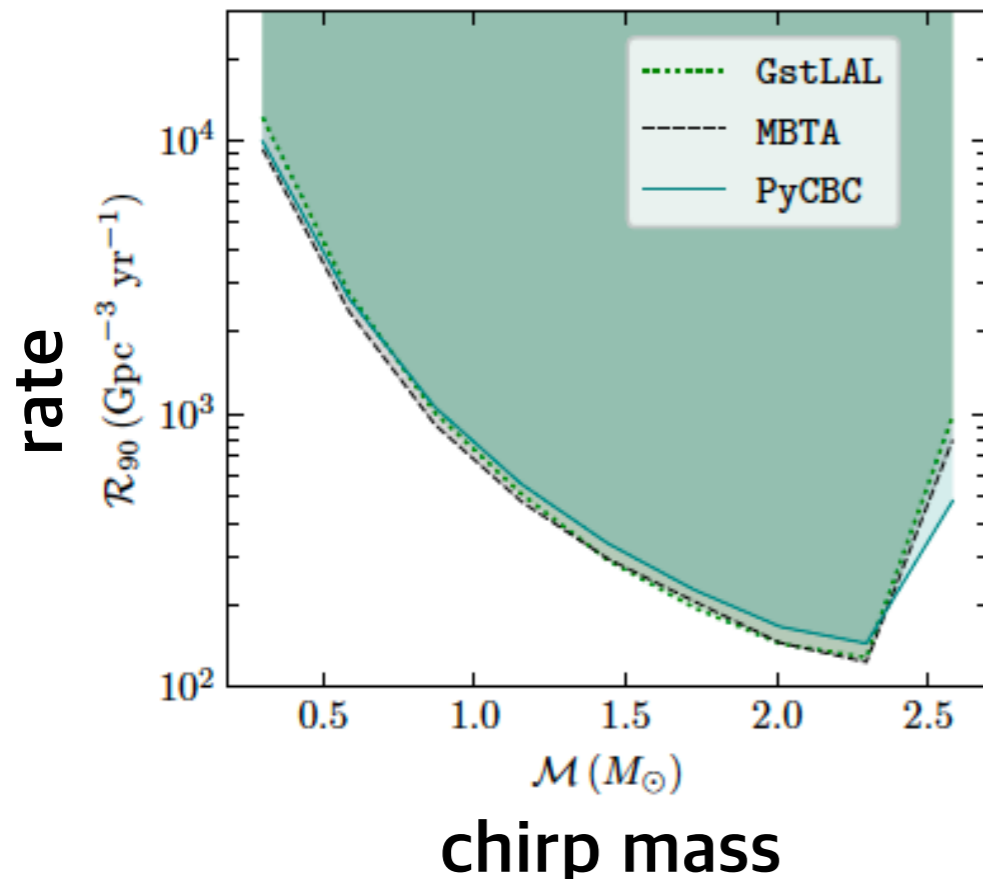
O1: 500332

O2: 992461

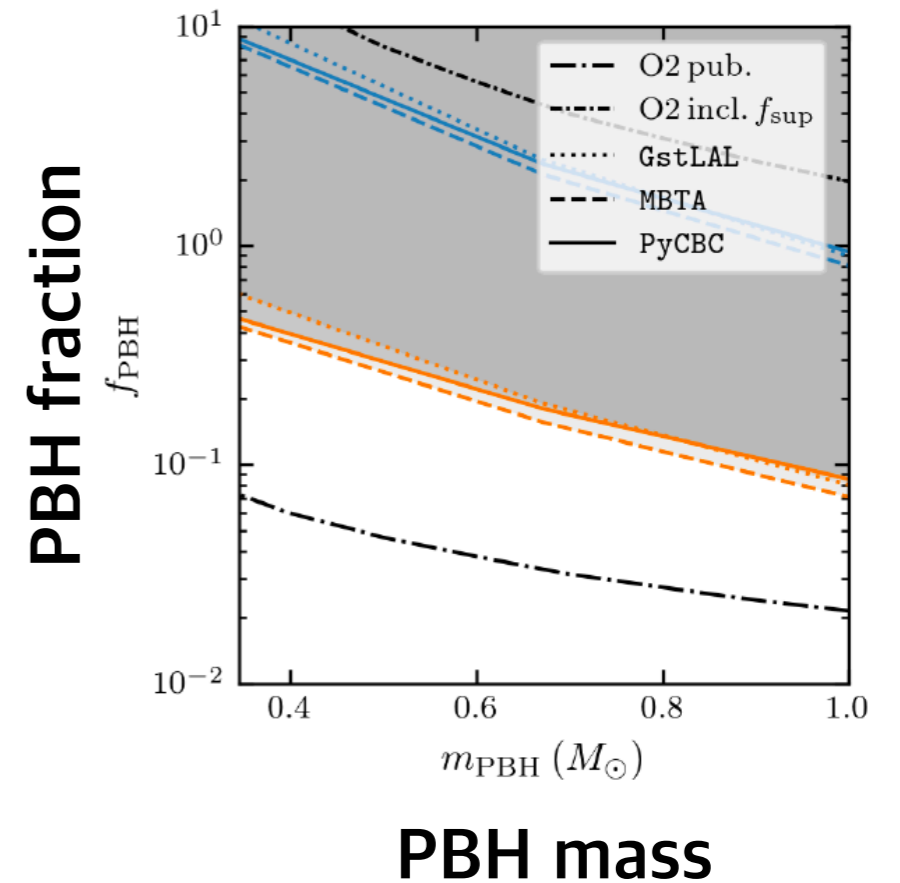
O3: ?

Triggers with FAR < 2 yr⁻¹

FAR [yr ⁻¹]	Pipeline	GPS time	$m_1 [M_{\odot}]$	$m_2 [M_{\odot}]$	χ_1	χ_2	H SNR	L SNR	V SNR	Network SNR
0.20	GstLAL	1267725971.02	0.78	0.23	0.57	0.02	6.31	6.28	-	8.90
1.37	MBTA	1259157749.53	0.40	0.24	0.10	-0.05	6.57	5.31	5.81	10.25
1.56	GstLAL	1264750045.02	1.52	0.37	0.49	0.10	6.74	6.10	-	9.10



Assumption:
early binary
formation
Sasaki et al. PRL
117, 061101 (2016)
Raidal et al.
JCAP 02, 018 (2019)



Sub-solar mass search in LVK

O2 Extended search of O2 data (allowing large mass ratio)

Triggers with FAR < 2 yr⁻¹

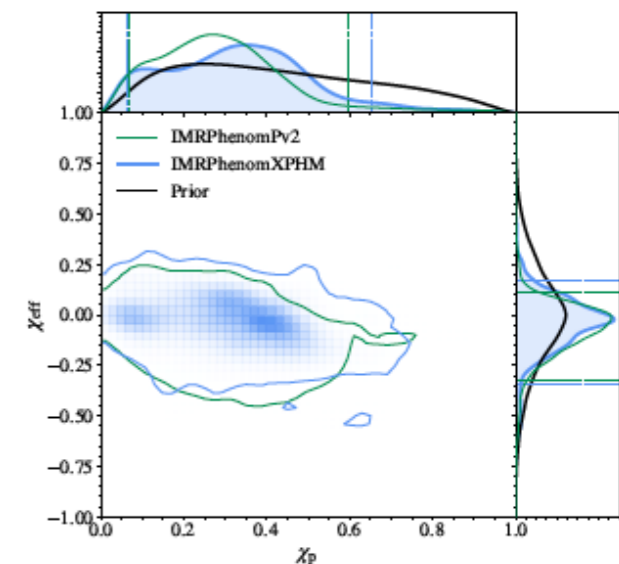
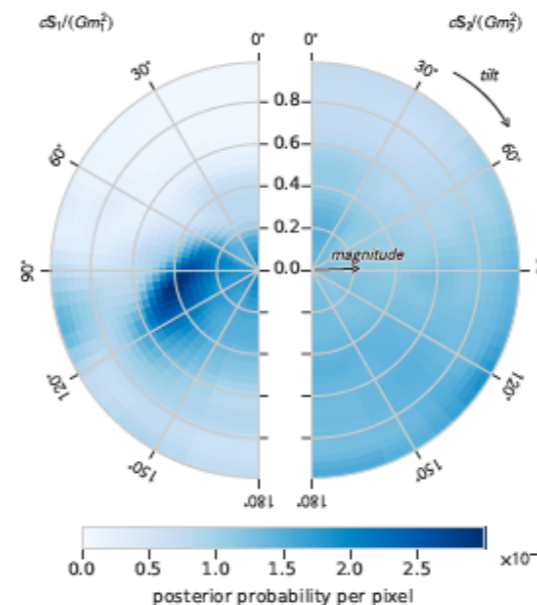
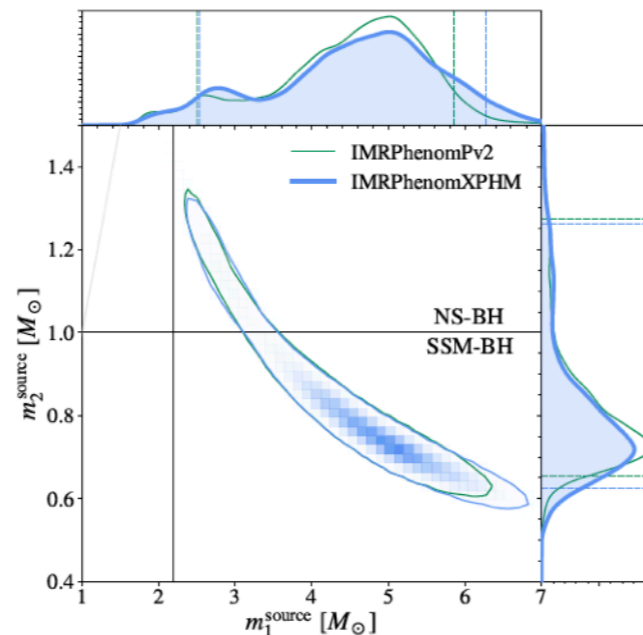
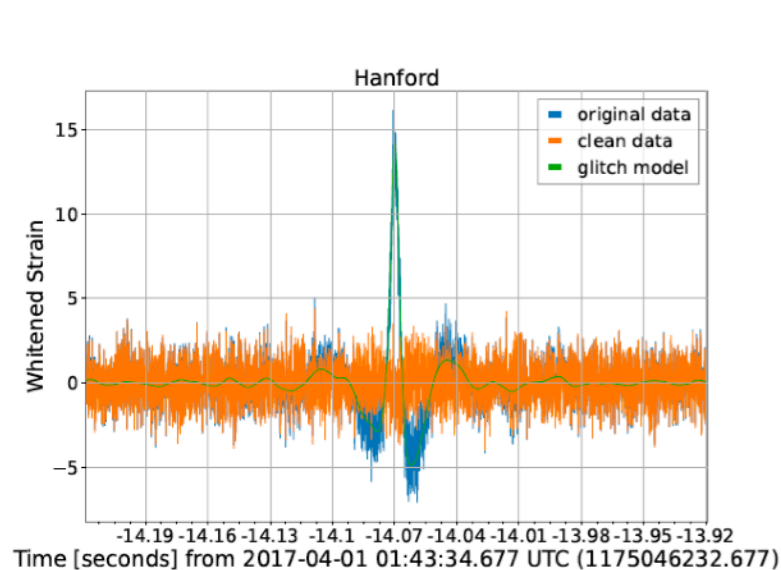
Phukon et al., arXiv: 2105.11449

FAR [yr ⁻¹]	ln \mathcal{L}	UTC time	mass 1 [M_{\odot}]	mass 2 [M_{\odot}]	spin1z	spin2z	Network SNR	H1 SNR	L1 SNR
0.1674	8.457	2017-03-15 15:51:30	3.062	0.9281	0.08254	-0.09841	8.527	8.527	-
0.2193	8.2	2017-07-10 17:52:43	2.106	0.2759	0.08703	0.0753	8.157	-	8.157
0.4134	7.585	2017-04-01 01:43:34	4.897	0.7795	-0.05488	-0.04856	8.672	6.319	5.939
1.2148	6.589	2017-03-08 07:07:18	2.257	0.6997	-0.03655	-0.04473	8.535	6.321	5.736

reanalysis by
 removing a glitch → SNR is reduced
 extending f_{\min} to 20Hz
 using more accurate waveform

Morrás et al., PDU 42, 101285 (2023)

Parameter	IMRPhenomPv2	IMRPhenomXPHM
Signal to Noise Ratio	$7.98^{+0.62}_{-1.03}$	$7.94^{+0.70}_{-1.05}$
Primary mass (M_{\odot})	$4.65^{+1.21}_{-2.15}$	$4.71^{+1.57}_{-2.18}$
Secondary mass (M_{\odot})	$0.77^{+0.50}_{-0.12}$	$0.76^{+0.50}_{-0.14}$



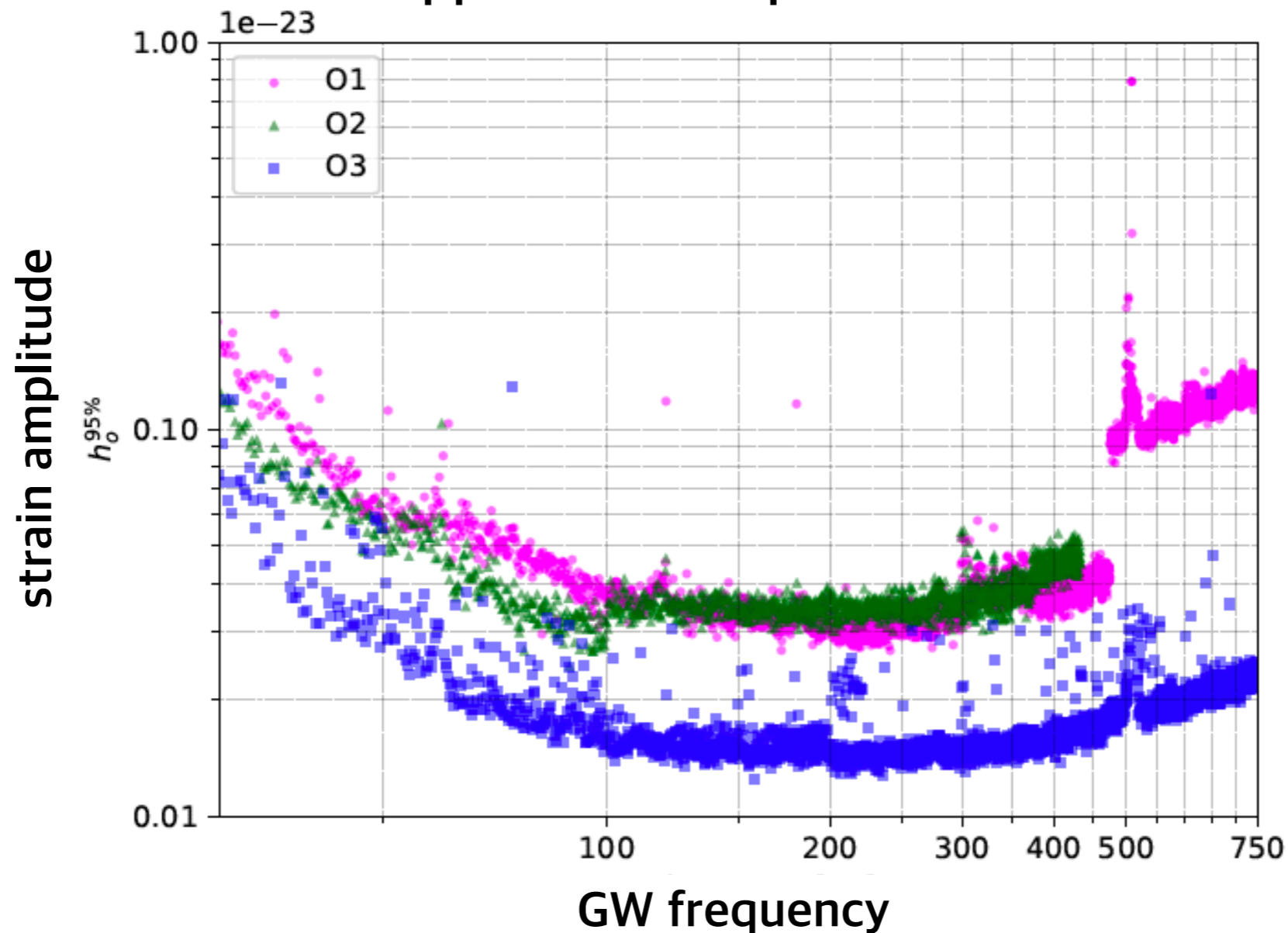
Planetary mass BH constraints

LVK collaboration, PRD 106, 102008 (2022)

Continuous wave (CW) search

Initial target: spinning neutron star with mass asymmetry

Upper limits on periodic GWs



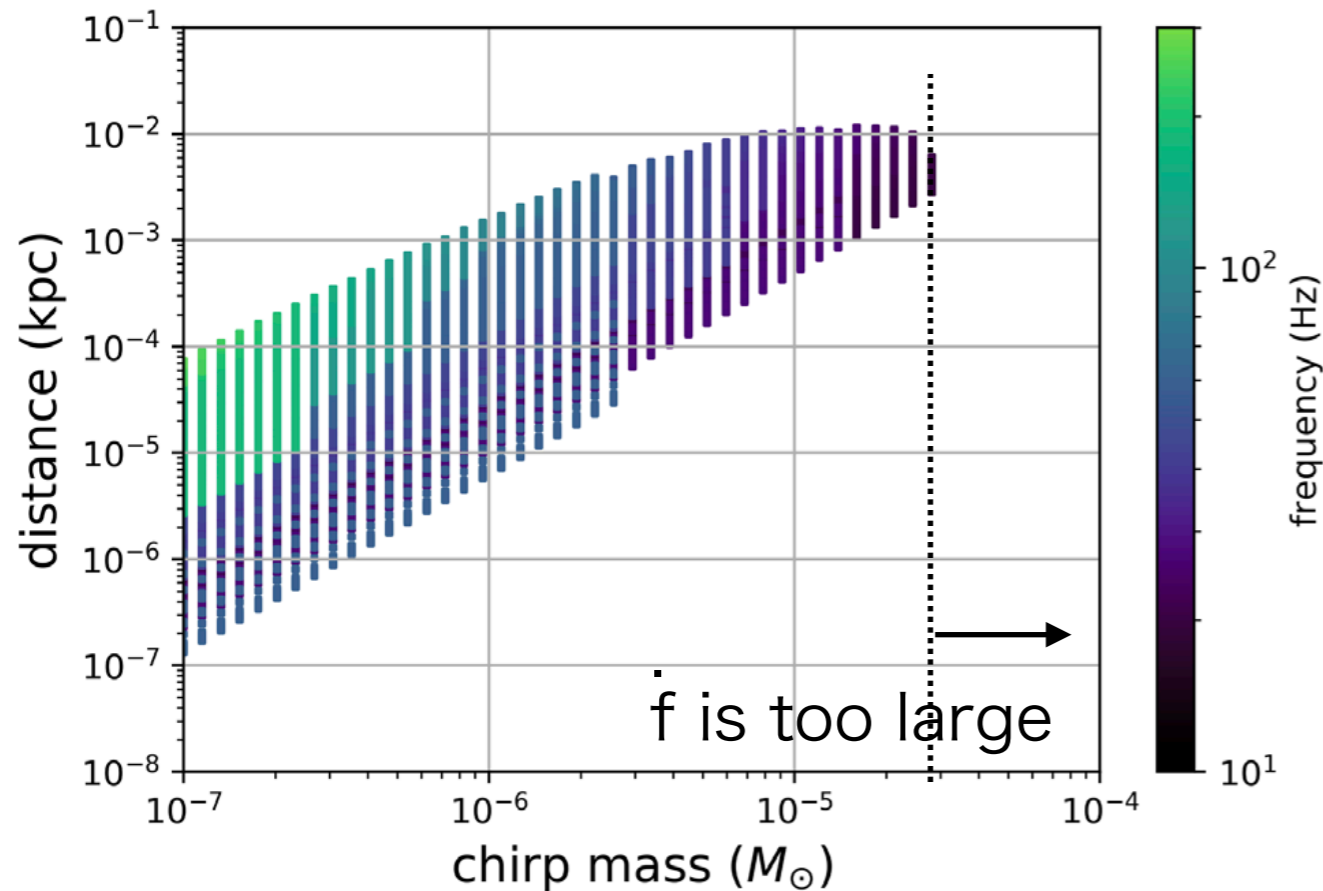
→ can be used to constrain small mass PBH binaries with small frequency change

Constraints from CW search

Miller et al., PRD 105, 062008 (2022)

Powerflux pipeline

→ searched periodic signal allowing spin-up of $\dot{f} \leq 1.00 \times 10^{-9}$ Hz/s



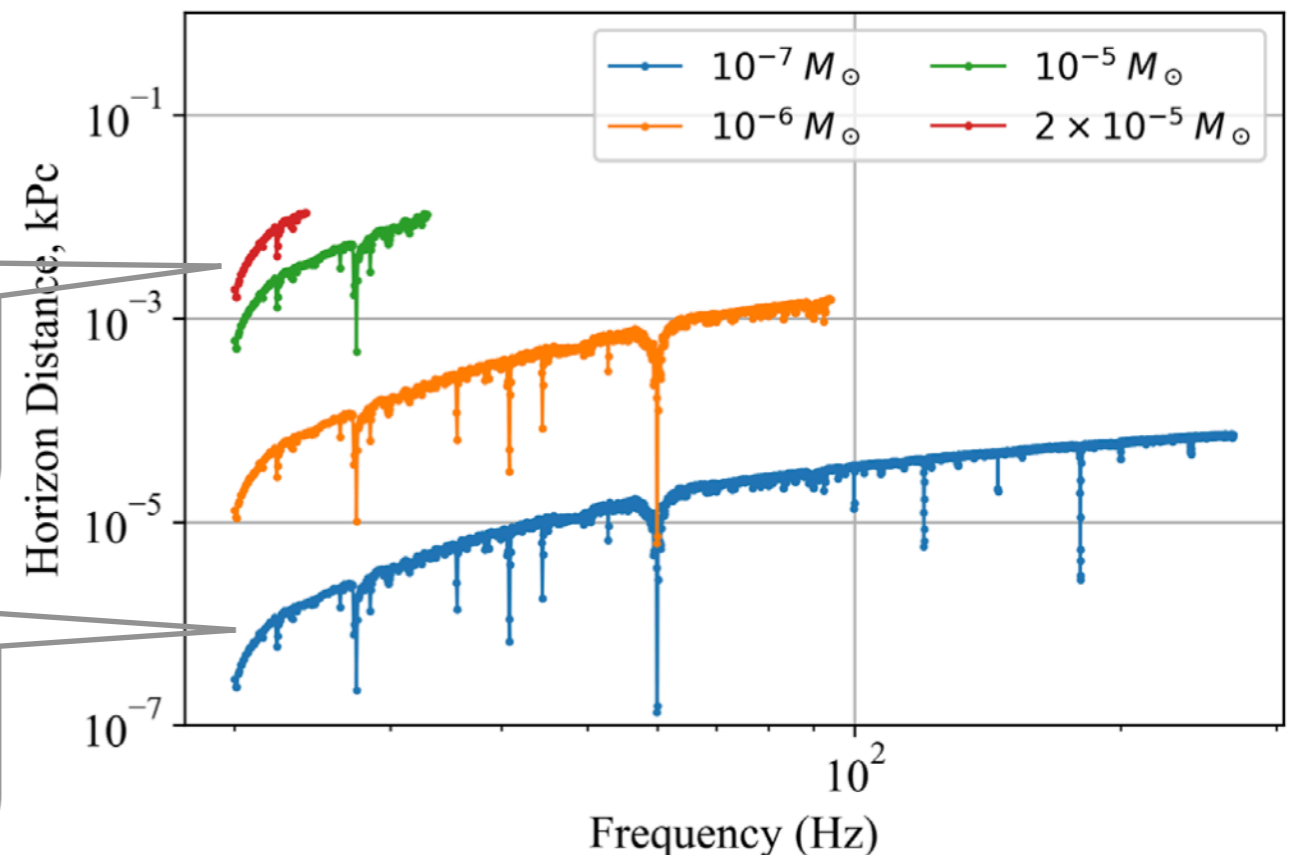
$$\dot{f}_{\text{gw}} = \frac{96}{5} \pi^{8/3} \left(\frac{GM}{c^3} \right)^{5/3} f_{\text{gw}}^{11/3}$$

$$\simeq 9.83 \times 10^{-11} \text{ Hz/s} \left(\frac{M}{10^{-6} M_{\odot}} \right)^{5/3} \left(\frac{f_{\text{gw}}}{50 \text{ Hz}} \right)^{11/3}$$

→ grows too fast for larger mass and larger frequency

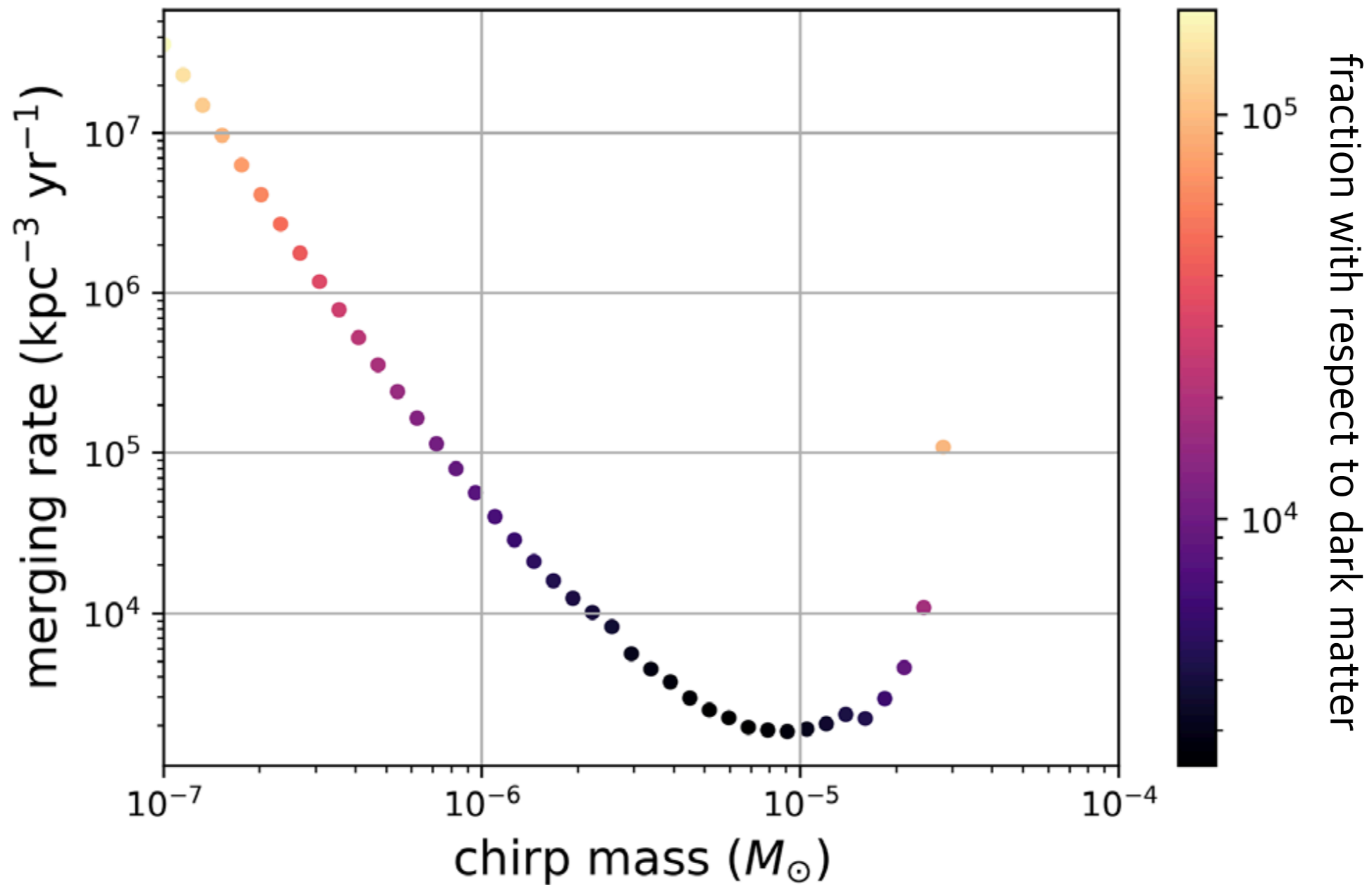
Large mass:
large strain amplitude
but \dot{f} becomes too large for high frequencies

Small mass:
can be covered in wide frequency
but strain amplitude is small



Constraints from CW search

Miller et al., PRD 105, 062008 (2022)



← strain amplitude is too small

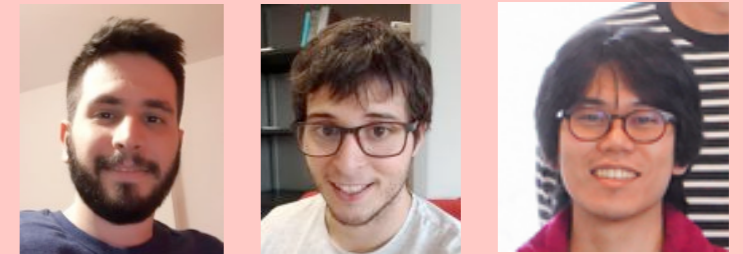
→ \dot{f} is too large

Detection principle:

Miller et al., PDU 32, 100836 (2021)

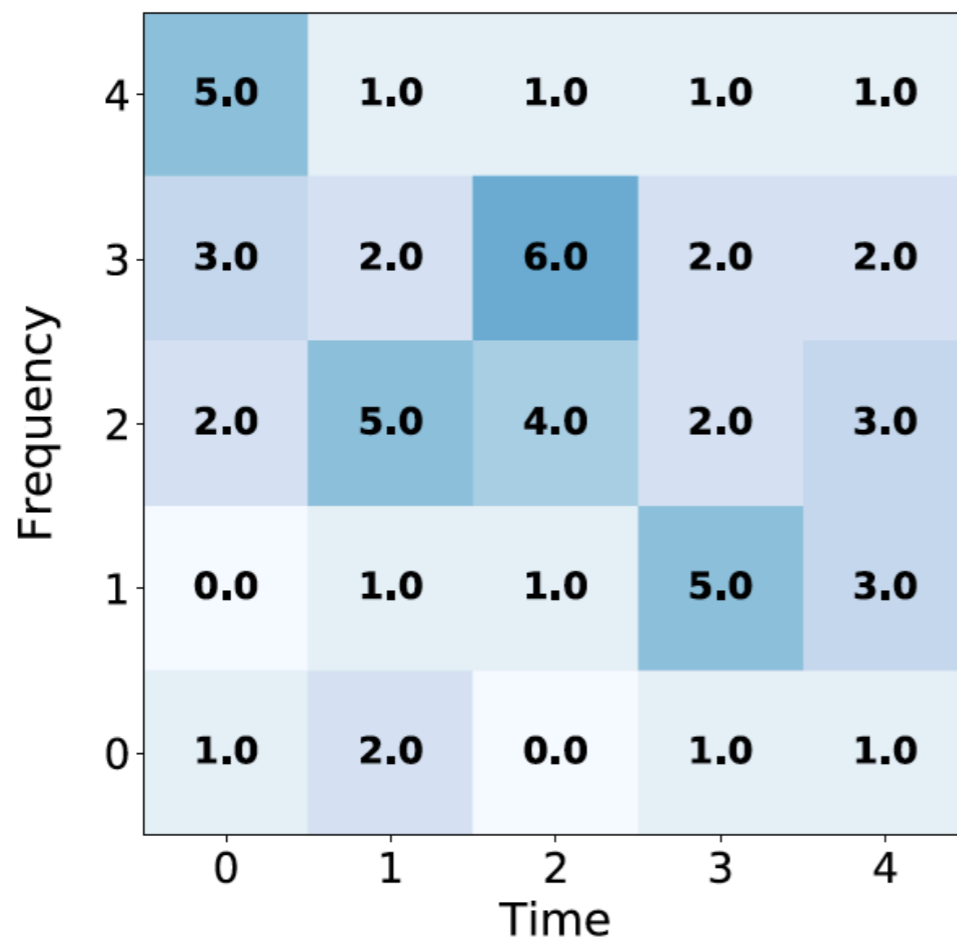
Planetary mass search

Paper in preparation with
George Aestas, Gonzalo Morras, Takahiro Yamamoto,
Juan Garcia-Bellido, Savvas Nesseris

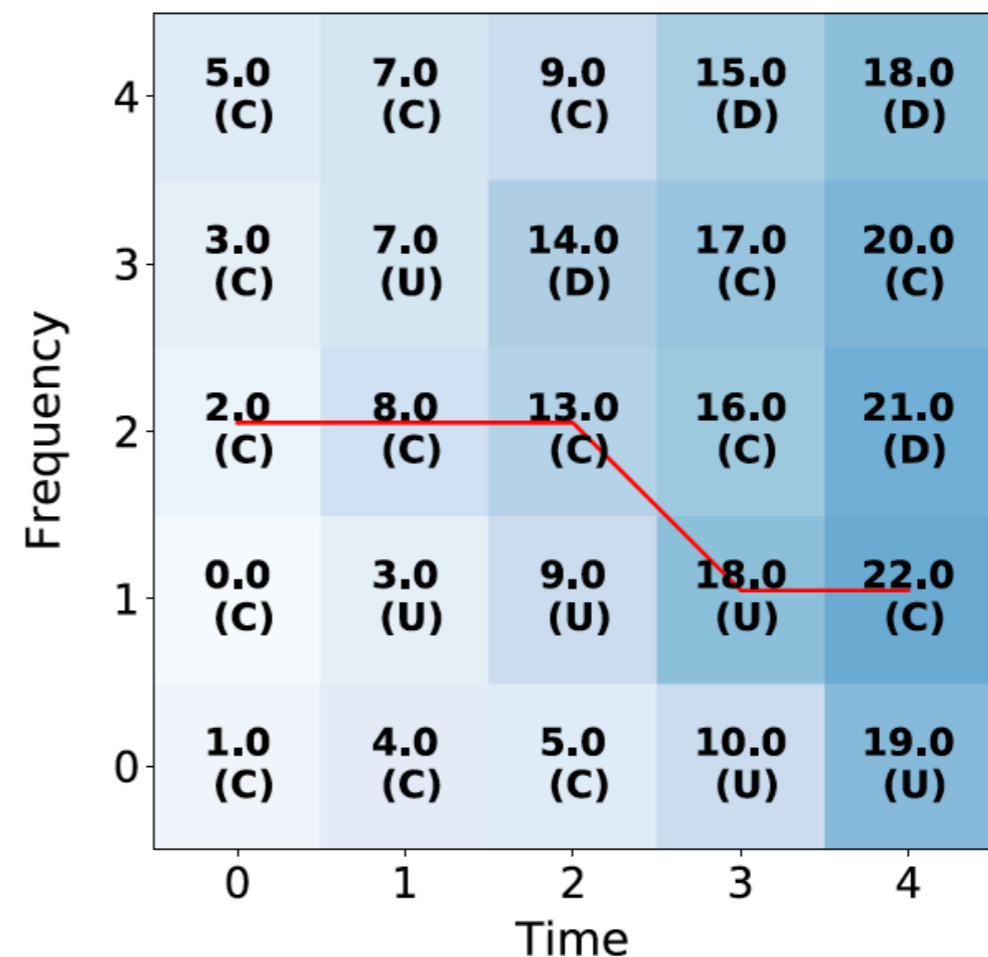


Viterbi algorithm

Step-by-step scan for most probable signal location



(a) The input data

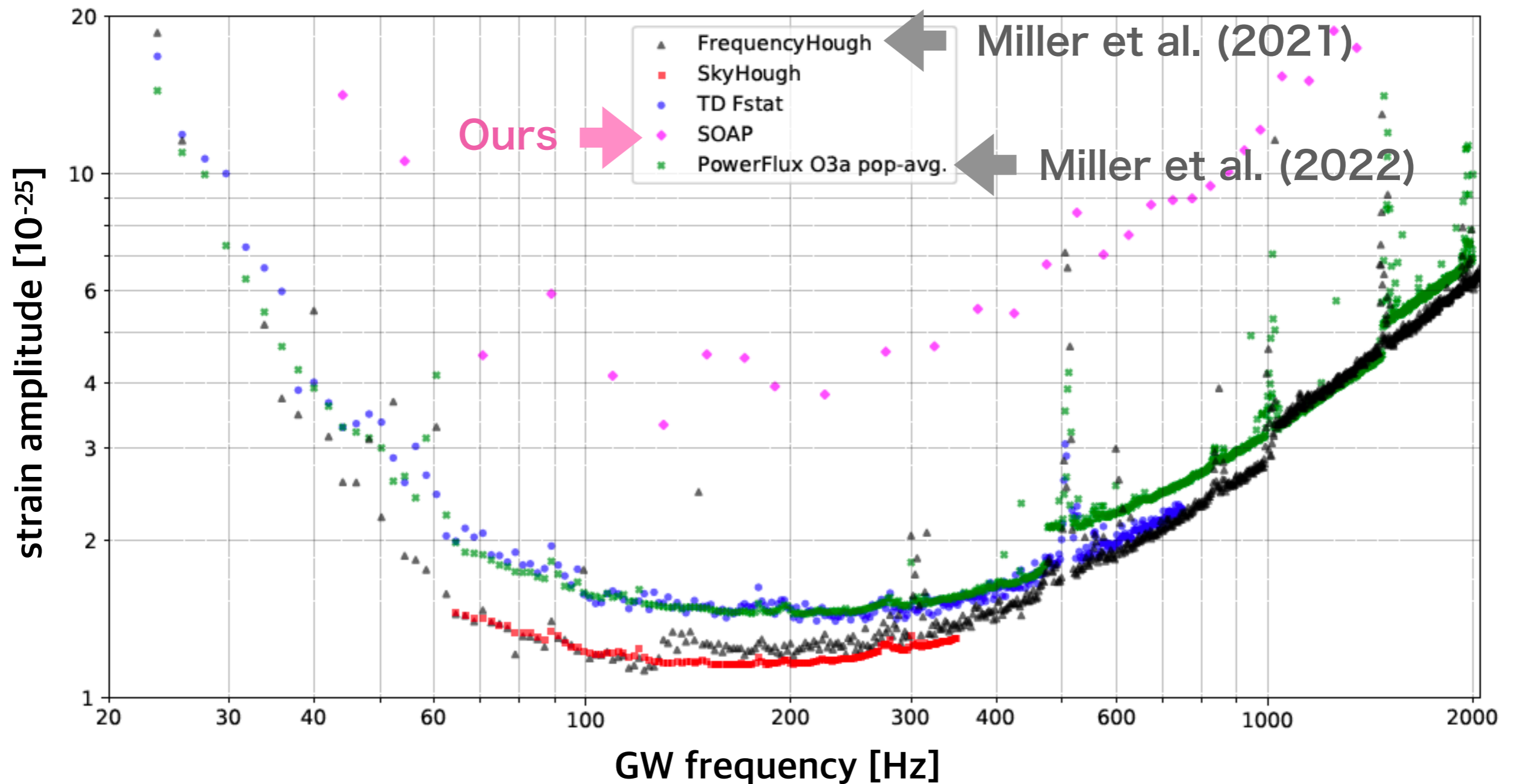


(b) The log-probabilities, jumps, and most probable path

amplitude excess in the f-t plane

Planetary mass search

Already used in CW search



Not very sensitive, but fast and agnostic

Optimal SFT length

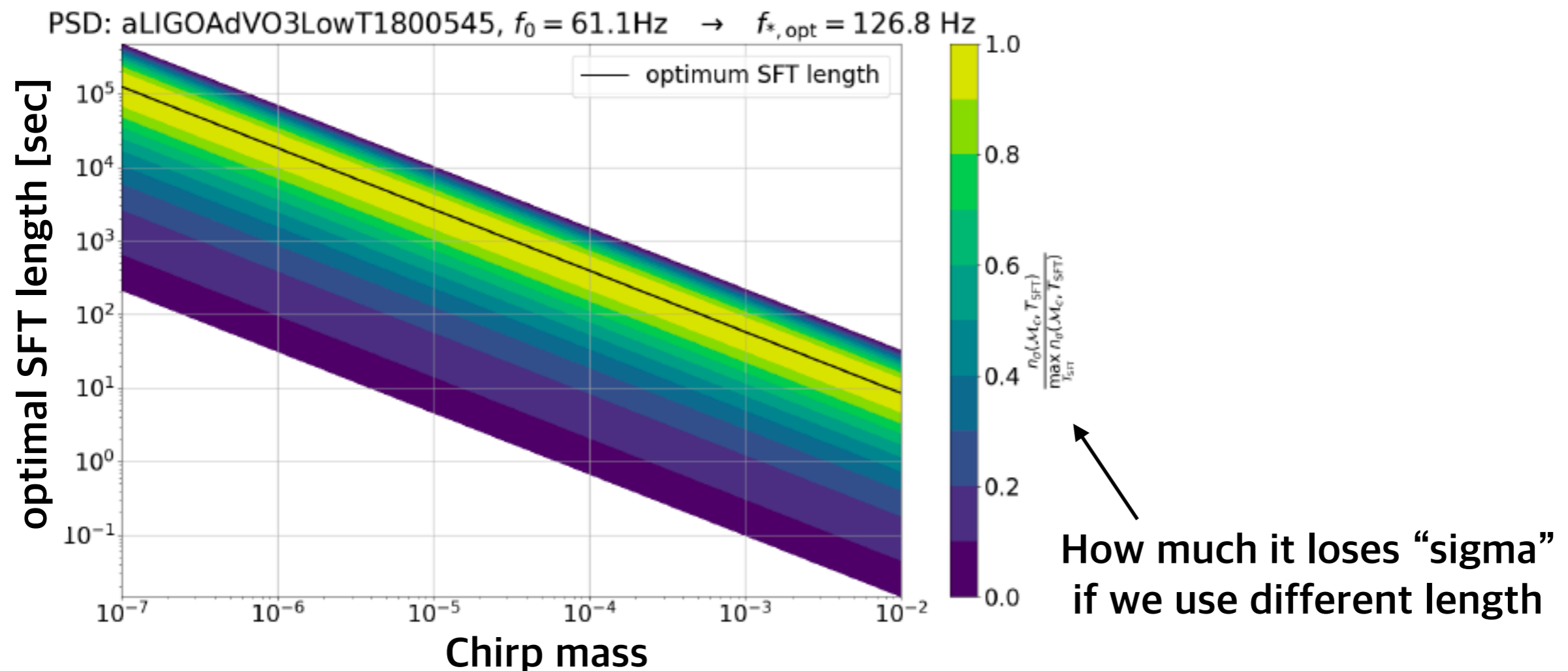
SFT (short time Fourier transformation)

\dot{f} is relatively large so the signal do not stay in one frequency bin

→ We have to divide the data into optimal length

SFT to maximize “sigma”

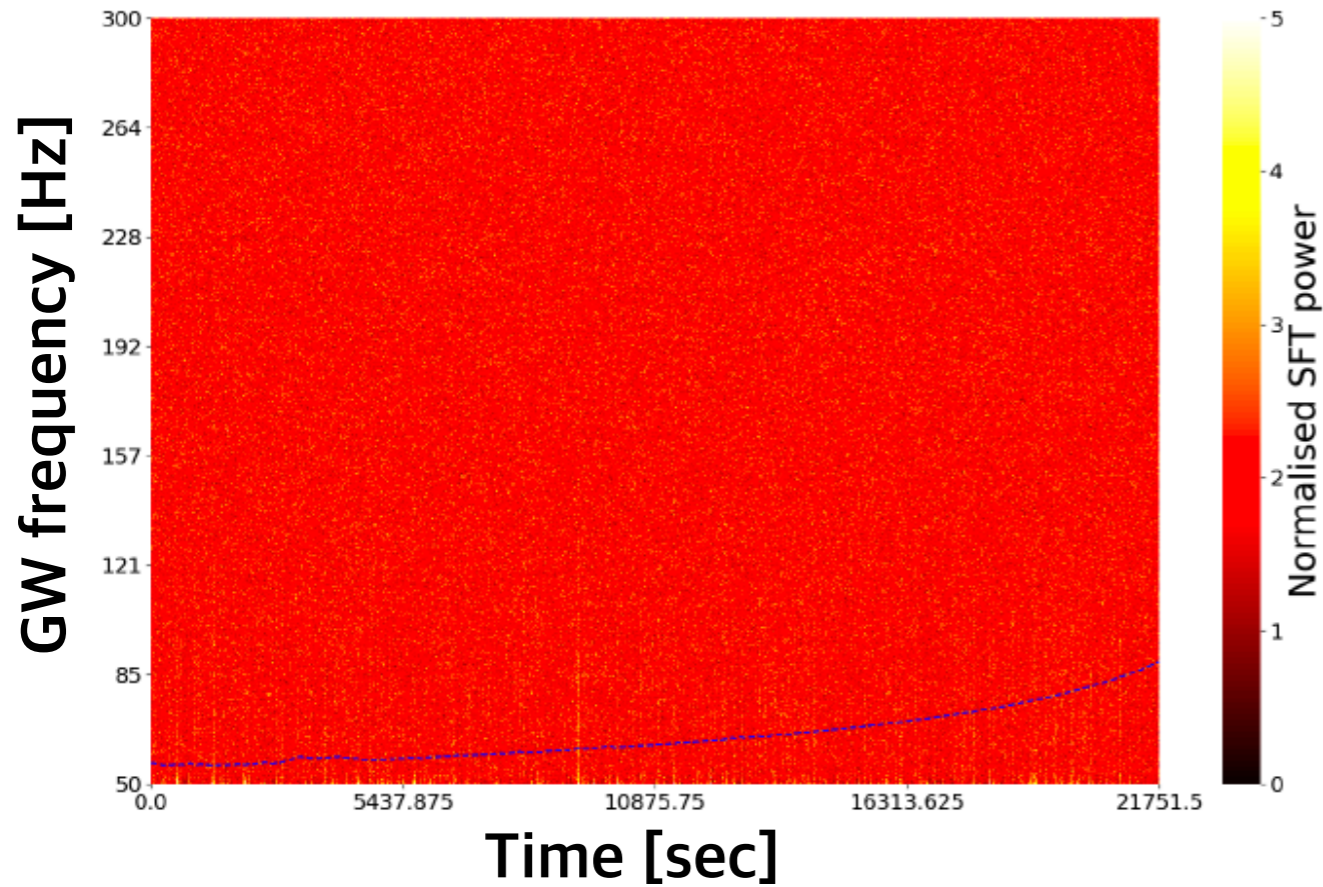
condition: signal has to stay in a single frequency bin of the SFT



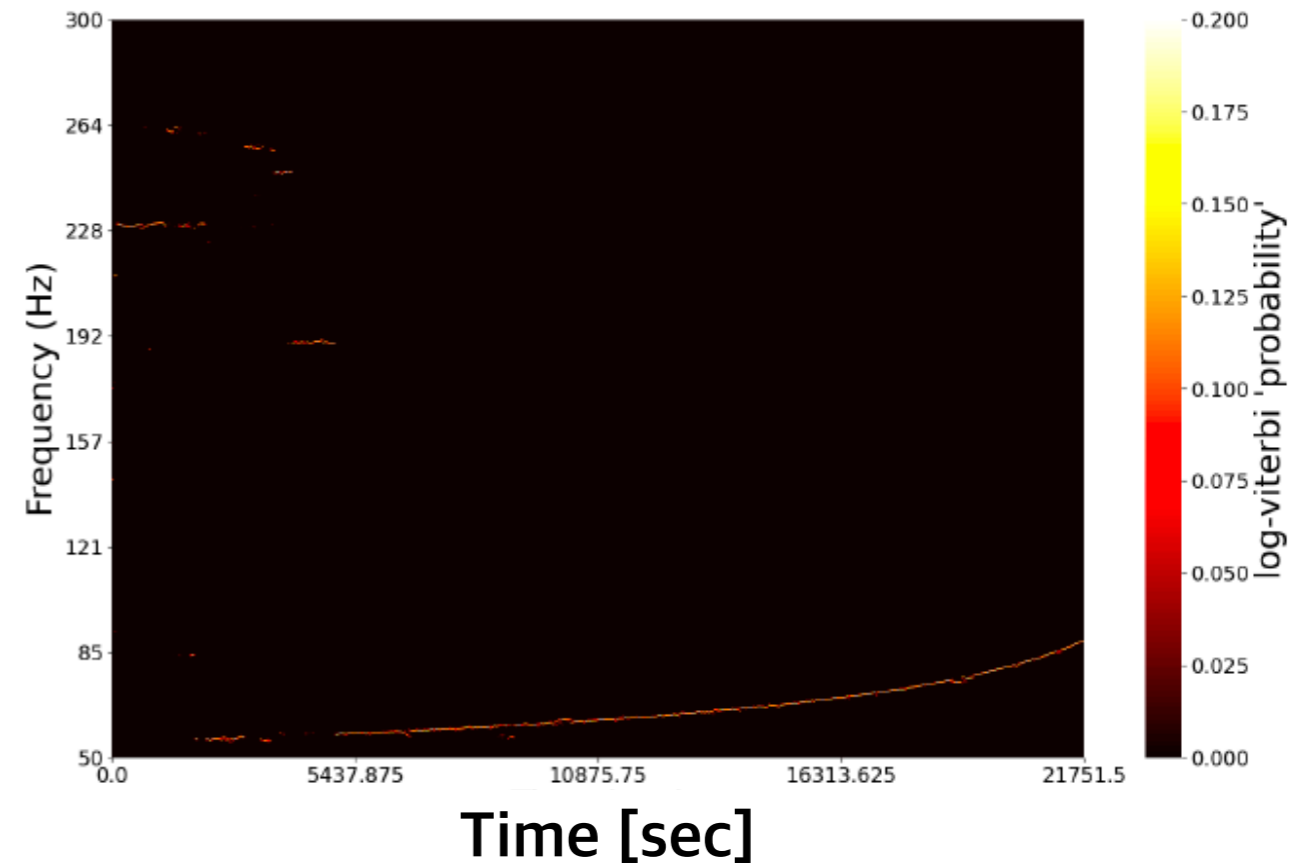
Working example

$$[\mathcal{M}_c, d_L] = [10^{-2} M_\odot, 147 \text{Kpc}]$$

Injected signal

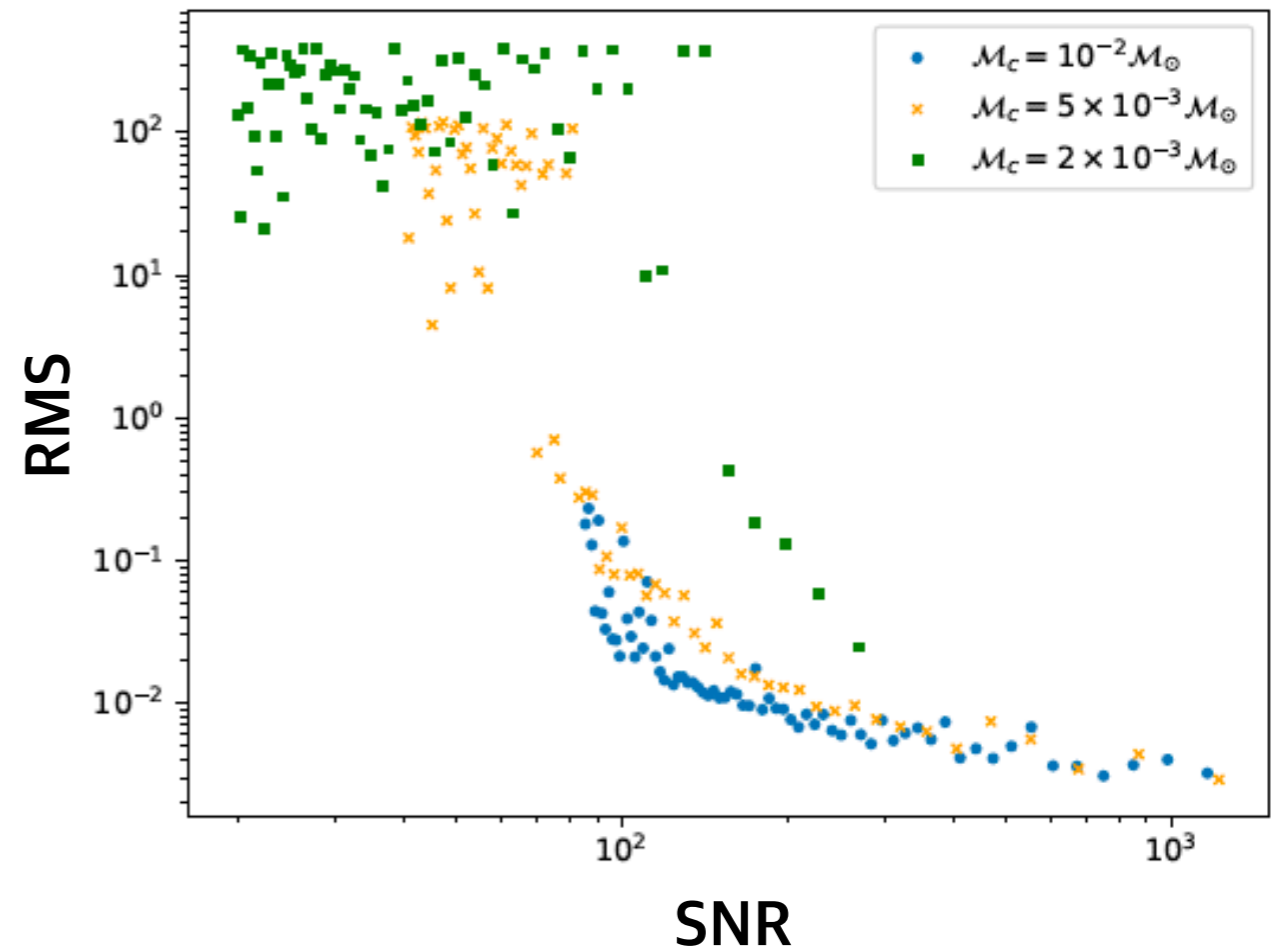
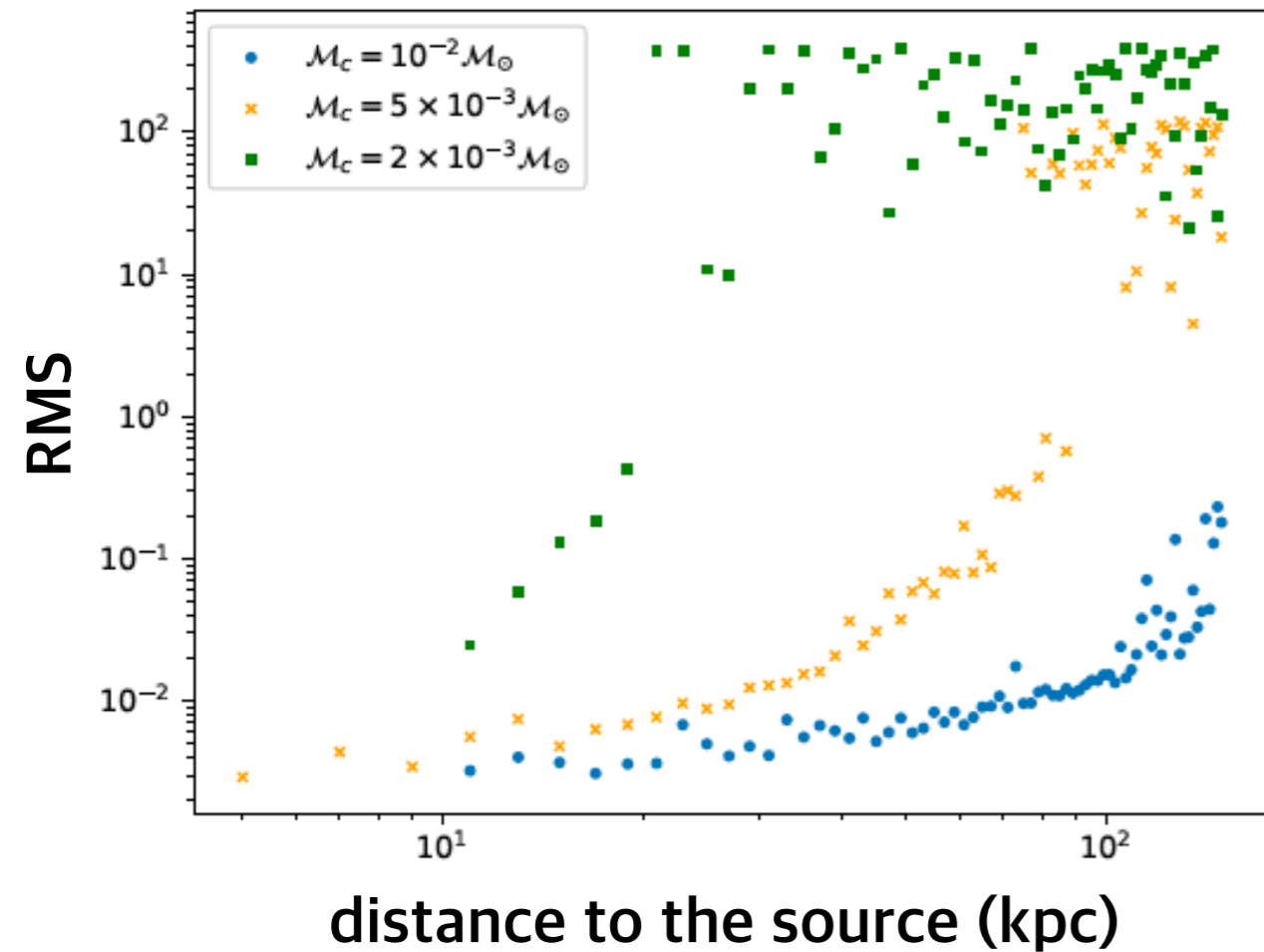


Recovery by Viterbi



Sensitivity

RMS: root mean square distance



of template search

Signal-to-noise ratio (SNR)

$$\rho^2 = \int_0^\infty \frac{(2|\tilde{h}(f)|\sqrt{f})^2}{S_n(f)} d \ln(f)$$

Summary

There are increasing attention to subsolar mass search.

Motivations (yesterday's talk by K. Kohri)

2nd order GW at NANOGrav indicates $\sim 10^{-5} - 10^{-3} M_{\odot}$
OGLE microlensing event corresponds $\sim 10^{-6} - 10^{-4} M_{\odot}$

- Single $< 1 M_{\odot}$ event will be a strong evidence for PBH.
- We are exploring application of Viterbi algorithm for planetary mass search
- The code runs very fast: ~ 8 sec with Macbook (SFT preparation not included)
- has advantage to detect unmodeled signal with non-trivial frequency evolution
- The method worked for Gaussian noise case. Next step is to test with more realistic data (with glitch and line noises)