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Beyond 2nd Generation GW detectors

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Introduction / Context

• What does 'Beyond the second generation' mean?

 Let's assume: This means upgrades of second generation detectors plus the third generation.

• When does 'Beyond the second generation' actually start?

- **Honestly no idea.** This will depend on plenty of factors (many of them might not be of scientific nature), such as: What do the 2G detectors find? What is the funding situation? How well are we prepared for these upgrades? ...

- However, independent of when it will happen, we have already quite a good idea in which direction we will be heading.
- Please consider the choice of topics and content of this presentation as my personal/subjective view.
- Some slides have an orange colour scheme: The questions on these slides are in my view 'hot topics', which are essential to get a good feeling for.



Overview

• Let's do some time travel ...

• Let's find out how we can make the second generation detectors even better ...

• Let's have a look at the Einstein Telescope ...







Today: After decades of hard work the 1st generation is completed.

2nd generation is funded and construction well underway.

Let's jump into the future



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What is this talk about ?

 Upgrades of the advanced detectors are currently under investigation.

see for example R. Adhikari's talk at GWADW 2010

 In Europe the ET design study for a 3rd
 generation GW detector has just been completed.

http://www.et-gw.eu/ etdsdocument

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 Look at the limiting noise sources in the orange band.

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What techniques do we need to apply and develop to dig into the orange band?





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Noise Sources limiting the Advanced Detectors

• In order to understand how we can potentially improve 2G detectors, we need to see what they are limited by:



- Quantum Noise limits most of the frequency range.
- Coating Brownian limits (or is close) in the range from 50 to 100Hz.
- Below 50Hz we are limited by 'walls' made of Suspension Thermal, Gravity Gradient and Seismic noise.



What is quantum noise?

- Quantum noise is composed of **photon shot noise** at high frequencies and photon radiation pressure noise at low frequencies.
- The photons in a laser beam are not equally distributed, but follow a • Poisson statistic.



photon radiation pressure noise

photon shot noise



GEO-HF upgrades

- GEO-HF design sensitivity: 20kW (30W laser), 6dB squeezing, 10% Signal Recycling mirror.
- Potential upgrade 1: Increase cavity power to 200kW, which requires 200 to 300W input.
 - Radiation pressure increased but still hidden below other noise sources
- Potential upgrade 2: new mirrors with better coatings
 - (Due to beam sizes coating noise dominated by MCe+MCn)
- Potential upgrade 3: Any chance to increase the squeezing level?

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How small can we really make the squeezing losses?

- Squeezing degenerates quickly through losses!
- GEO-HF design: 10dB squeezing after source + 20% of squeezing loss (from injection and within the interferometer) result in 6dB total noise reduction.
- Even if we were to start from 18dB after the squeezing source, with 20% loss we would only increase the overall squeezing win to 7dB.



 How much effective squeezing we can achieve in any 2nd or 3rd Generation detector, will probably not be limited by the squeezing source itself, but by the level of losses in the squeezing injection system and the main interferometer.



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- Solution: Use dispersion in reflection of a filter cavity to create a frequency dependent rotation of the squeezing ellipse.









Use of alternative beam shapes in Advanced Virgo?

- Several alternative beam shapes (flat top, conical etc) have been suggested.
- All improve coating Brownian noise by distributing the power more homogeneously over the mirror surface (for the same clipping loss) and therefore better averaging over the local thermal fluctuations.
- Higher LG modes allow to work with standard mirrors (spherical ROC).
- Higher order LG modes included as upgrade option in the Advanced Virgo conceptual design.VIR-042A-07



Granata, M.; Buy, C.; Ward, R. & Barsuglia, M. Higher-Order Laguerre-Gauss Mode Generation and Interferometry for Gravitational Wave Detectors, PRL 2010, 105, 231102





Potential Sensitivity Improvement of Advanced Virgo with LG₃₃ beams

- Switch beam geometry from TEM₀₀ to LG₃₃
- Requires mirror replacement (different ROC)
- Reduces coating Brownian by a factor 2.2.

Vinet: personal communication

• Reduces substrate Brownian by a factor 2.7

Mours, B.; Tournefier, E. & Vinet, J. Thermal noise reduction in interferometric GW antennas: using high order TEM modes, CQG, 2006, 23, 5777

Increases thermo-elastic by a factor 1.7
Vinet: personal communication





BNS Inspiral range increases from 148 Mpc to 195 Mpc => increase of event rate by a factor 2.3

Chelkowski, S.; Hild, S. & Freise, A.: Prospects of higher-order Laguerre-Gauss modes in future gravitational wave detectors, *PRD*, **2009**, *79*, 122002

Will non-TEM₀₀ beams ever become good enough?

 Simulations done by various groups (LMA, Caltech/ANU, Bham) indicate that with currently available mirror surfaces LG33 might become too much distorted for application in future gravitational wave detectors.



R. Adhikari's at GWADW 2010



M. Galimberti at GWADW 2010

- Need to confirm simulations with experiments (see talk by B. Sorazu in Monday session).
- Need to define minimum requirements for mirror surface quality (see talk by C. Bond in Monday session)
- Can we improve surface quality to the required value?
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LCGT

- LCGT will be the only second generation detector which:
 - Is located underground
 strong reduction of
 seismic and gravity
 gradients.
 - Will make use of cryogenic test masses.
- For details on LCGT please see K.Somiya's talk in the Tuesday session.





Other techniques for 2G upgrades

- Gravity gradient noise:
 - Gravity gradient subtraction methods have been suggested.
 - For more details please see J. van der Brand's talk in this session.
- Suspension thermal noise
 - Several improvements suggested (different materials, design modifications, perhaps even different temperature).
 - For more details please see G. Hammond's talk in this session.
- Seismic noise
 - Better sensors, especially for tilt.
- Quantum noise
 - Loads of other quantum noise reduction techniques have been suggested.

Please see talk by T. Corbitt in this session for more details.
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How far can we push 2G upgrades?

• Let's take advanced LIGO as an example:



Studies indicate that there are lots of possibility for potential upgrades.



Where are the 2G facility limits?

- To determine the actual facility limits we have to understand on which parameters the different noise sources depend.
- Quantum noise: Laser power, Signal recycling configuration, quantum noise reduction technique ...
- Coating noise: materials, beam shape, beam size, mirror temperature ...
- Suspension thermal noise: materials, dimensions, temperature ...
- Gravity gradient: seismic environment.
- Seismic noise: Isolation system, seismic environment.
- Residual gas noise: Vacuum system.



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Where are the 2G facility limits?

• One (crude) way to set the facility limit is just to take gravity gradient and residual gas noise. ...very optimistic for coating :)



 Need to find a more accurate definition of what the facility limits are and where they lie. --- Separate analysis for each project.



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ET Design Study (history)

- The Einstein Telescope project aims to the realization of a third generation GW observatory.
- The Einstein Telescope project just finished its conceptual design study phase, supported by the European Community FP7 with about 3M€ from May 2008 to July 2011.
- The target of this design phase was to understand the feasibility of a new generation of GW observatory that will permit to gain one order of magnitude in sensitivity.
- The main deliverable, at the end of these 3 years, will be a conceptual design of such a infrastructure.
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MPG	Germany
CNRS	France
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ET Design study now complete!



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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.
- 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.

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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



ET will 'go underground'

• Measurements show that underground locations have much lower seismic compared to Surface locations.





about
$$1 \cdot 10^{-7} \,\mathrm{m}/f^2$$
 for $f > 1 \,\mathrm{Hz}$





Figure 7. Low seismic noise environment at the Kamioka site. Displacement noises at Kamioka, TAMA site, Tokyo, Black Forest Geophysical Observatory (Germany) and a low noise model (a hybrid spectrum of quiet sites in the world) are described.

Underground (Kamioka)

about $5 \cdot 10^{-9} \,\mathrm{m}/f^2$ for $f > 1 \,\mathrm{Hz}$

ET will 'go underground'



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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 2-band xylophone: low-power, cryogenic low-frequency detector and a high-power, room-temperature high-frequency detector.



The ET core interferometers



The High-Frequency Detector

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



How large can we actually make beams

• Coating noise decreases inversely to beam size increase.

$$S_x(f) = \frac{4k_{\rm B}T}{\pi^2 f Y} \frac{d}{r_0^2} \left(\frac{Y'}{Y} \phi_{\parallel} + \frac{Y}{Y'} \phi_{\perp} \right)$$

beam radius on mirror

- Have to answer the question: How big can we actually make the beams on the test masses, without obtaining unstable cavities or strong dark fringe degeneration?
- Question also interesting for 2G upgrades.
- See C. Graefs talk on this topic regarding the experimental program at the AEI-10m.



Please note: a beam radius of 12cm requires mirrors of 60 to 70cm diameter



The Low-Frequency Detector

- Quantum noise: 18kW, detuned Signal-Recycling, 10dB 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...



Seismic noise



Gravity Gradient Noise

- 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 Black Forest Observatory site (see talk by Jo van der Brand in this session).
 - Biggest uncertainty in beta.





Suspension Thermal Noise

- Silicon fibers of 3mm diameter and 2m length.
- Test mass temperature = 10K
- Penulitmate mass temperature = 2K

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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.





How short can we make filter cavities?

- If we go for shorter filter cavities we can reduce the beam size and therefore maybe also the scatter loss. Which in turn would allow to increase the finesse of the filter cavity ...
- So we need to understand how the losses of a cavity scale with the length of the cavity for realistic curvatures and state of the art surface quality.
- A second point that needs to be addressed is how accurately we can hit the required bandwidth? Does the required bandwidth change over time (dirt accumulation on mirrors)? Do we need to use etalons rather than fixed mirrors in our filter cavities?



The frequency dependent squeezing can be degraded not only by losses in the filter cavities (red line), but also by deviations from the design bandwidth of the filter cavities (other colours).



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Combining 2 IFOs



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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.



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- Add third Xylophone detector for redundancy and null-streams.







Artist's View of ET







ET Timeline





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Extra Slides



ET Budget



