



The Einstein Telescope Project



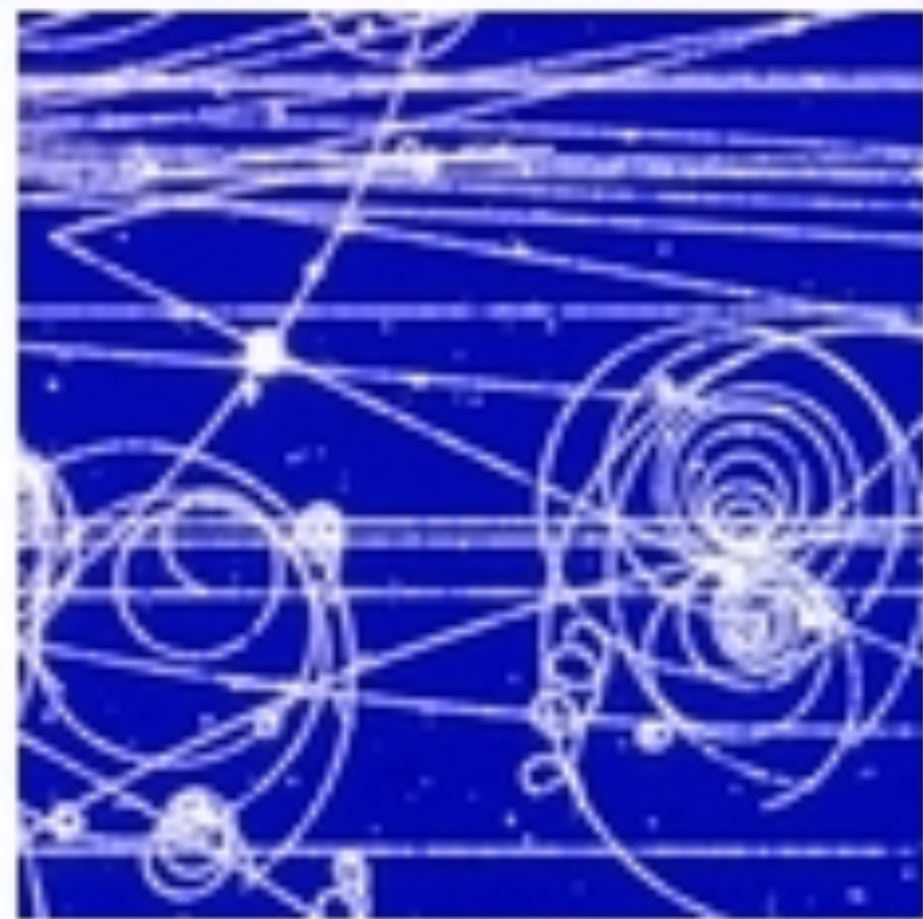
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Outline

Einstein Telescope

- Prospects for LVK by 2030
- ET Design & Discussions on Geometries
- ET Physics Prospects
- TimeLines, Locations and Cost
- Organisation and Political Support
- Preparatory Phase & work with CERN
- ET-Spain
- Final notes



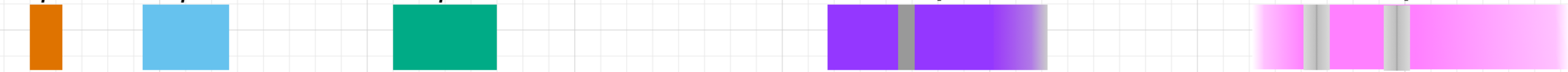
LVK Master Schedule

Updated
2024-06-14

█ O1
 █ O2
 █ O3
 █ O4
 █ O5

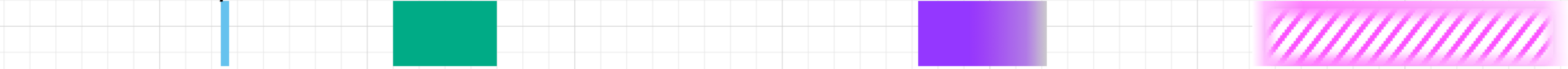
80 Mpc *100 Mpc* *100-140 Mpc* *150-160+ Mpc* *240-325 Mpc*

LIGO



Virgo

30 Mpc *40-50 Mpc* *40-80 Mpc* See text



KAGRA

0.7 Mpc *1-3 Mpc* *≈ 10 Mpc* *25-128 Mpc*

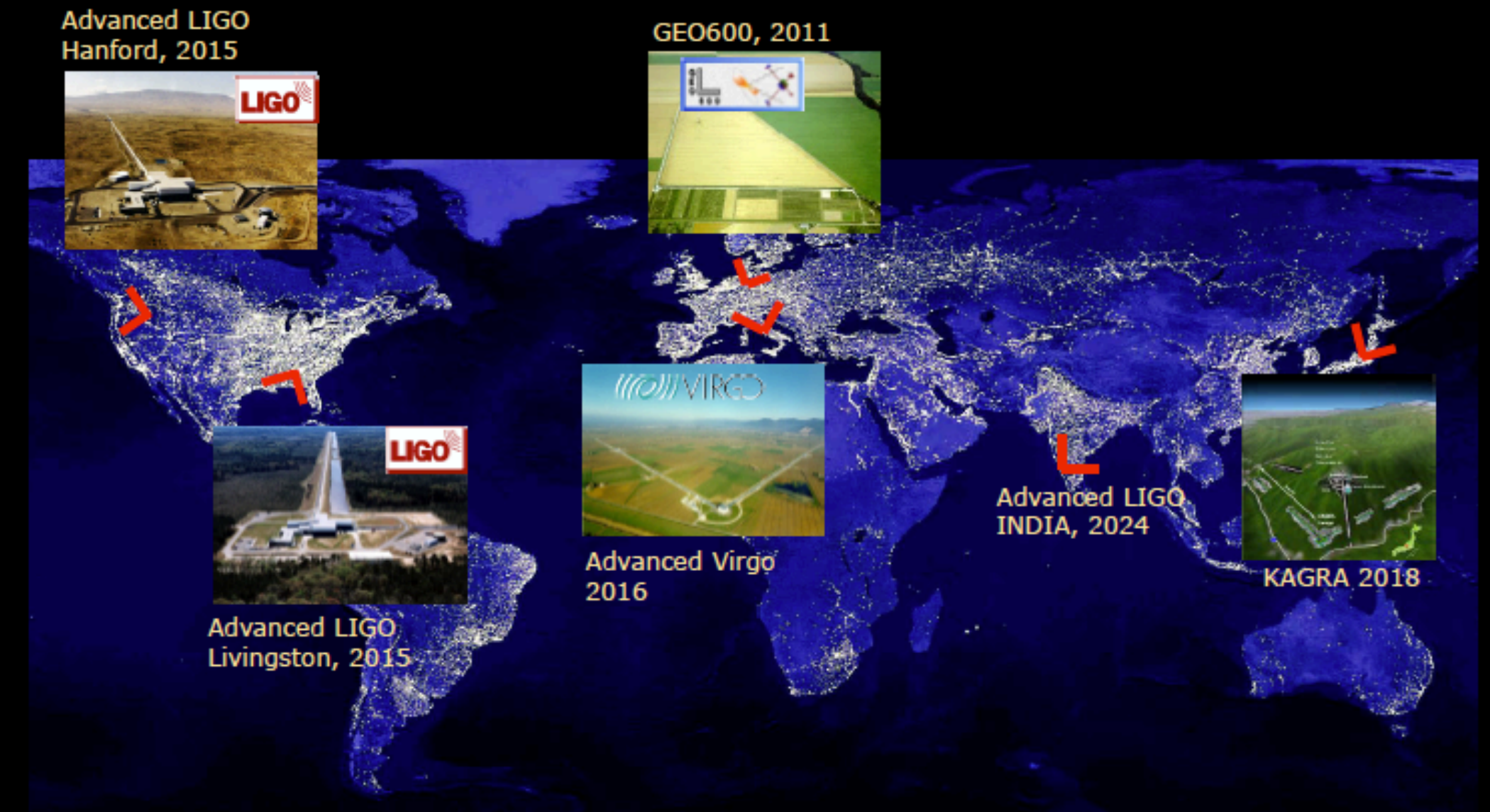
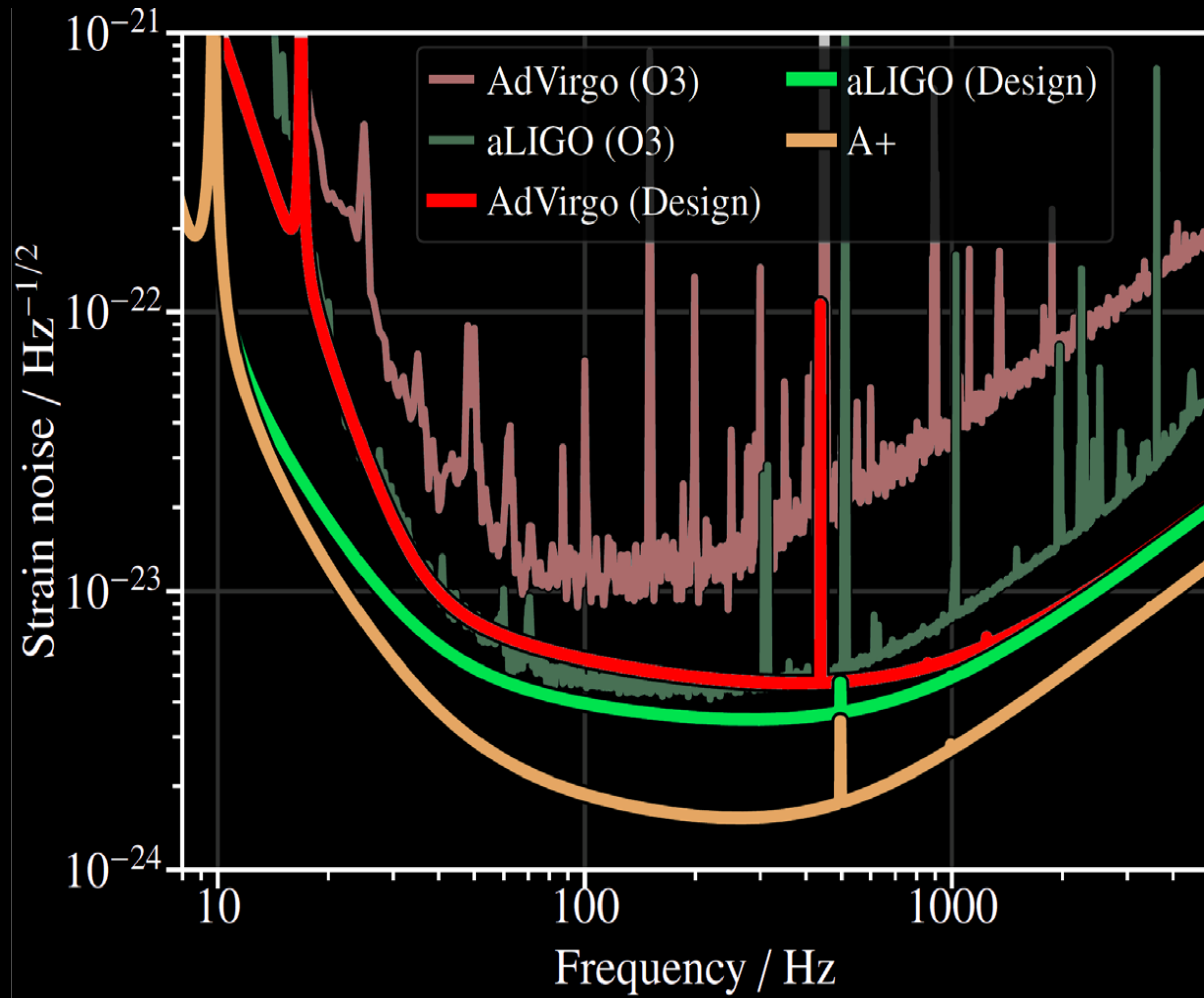


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2015 2016 2017 2018 2019 2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026 2027 2028 2029 2030

At present LVK program extends all the way to 2030

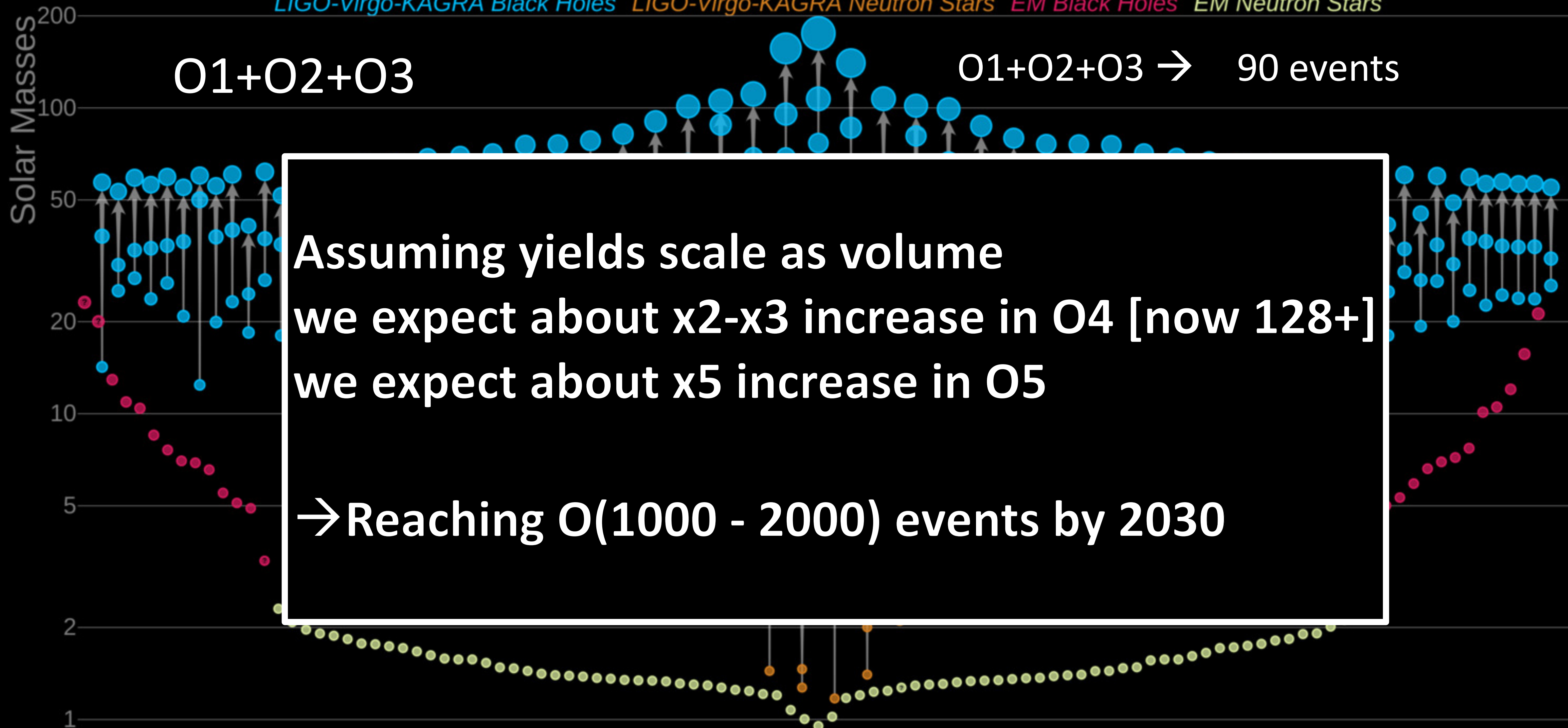
LVK sensitivity



In the next 6 years the current Interferometers will reach their design sensitivity...

Masses in the Stellar Graveyard

LIGO-Virgo-KAGRA Black Holes LIGO-Virgo-KAGRA Neutron Stars EM Black Holes EM Neutron Stars

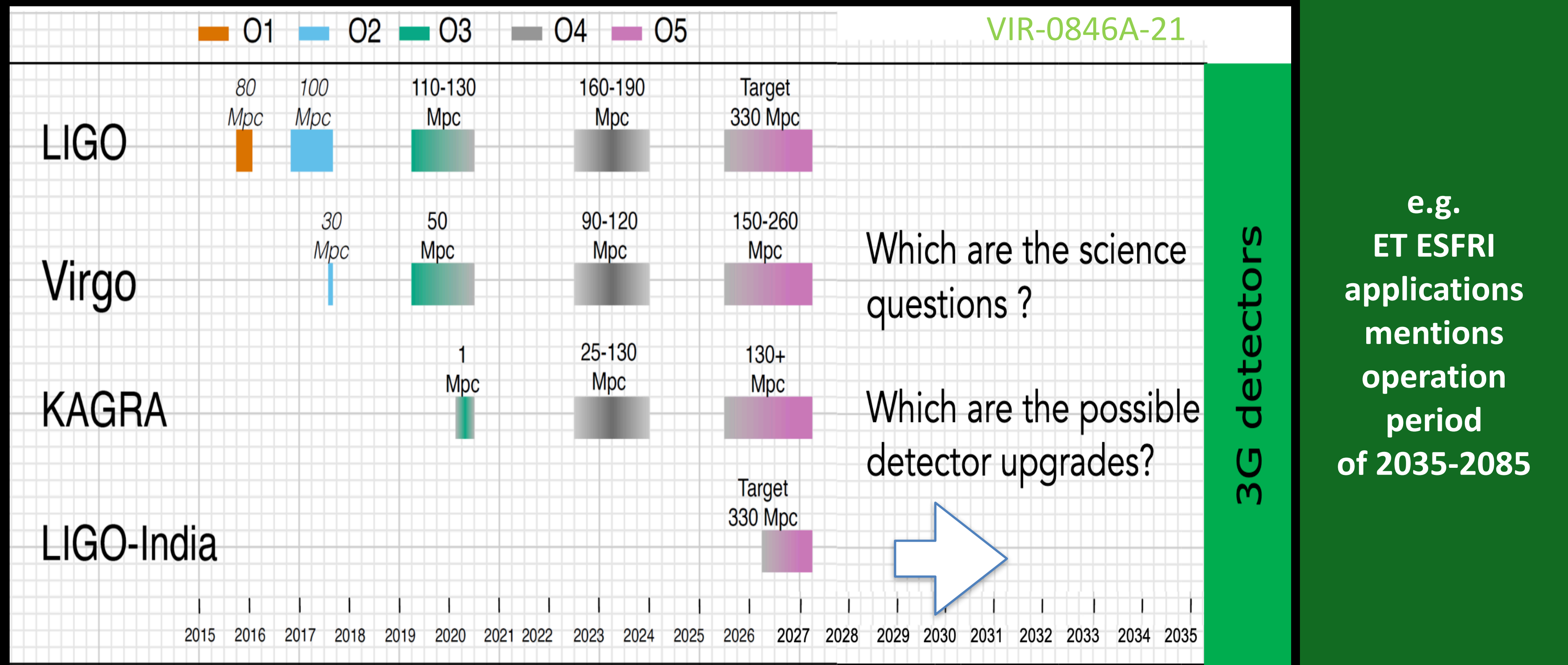


01+02+03

01+02+03 → 90 events

Assuming yields scale as volume
we expect about x2-x3 increase in O4 [now 128+]
we expect about x5 increase in O5
→ Reaching O(1000 - 2000) events by 2030

What does the future hold?



Footnote on O4:

It is not yet possible to give a definitive start date for O4, as there are some continued supply chain delays and the impact of COVID continues. We can say at this time that the O4 observing run will not begin before August 2022. We expect to be able to give a better estimate for the start of O4 by 15 September 2021 and will issue an update then.

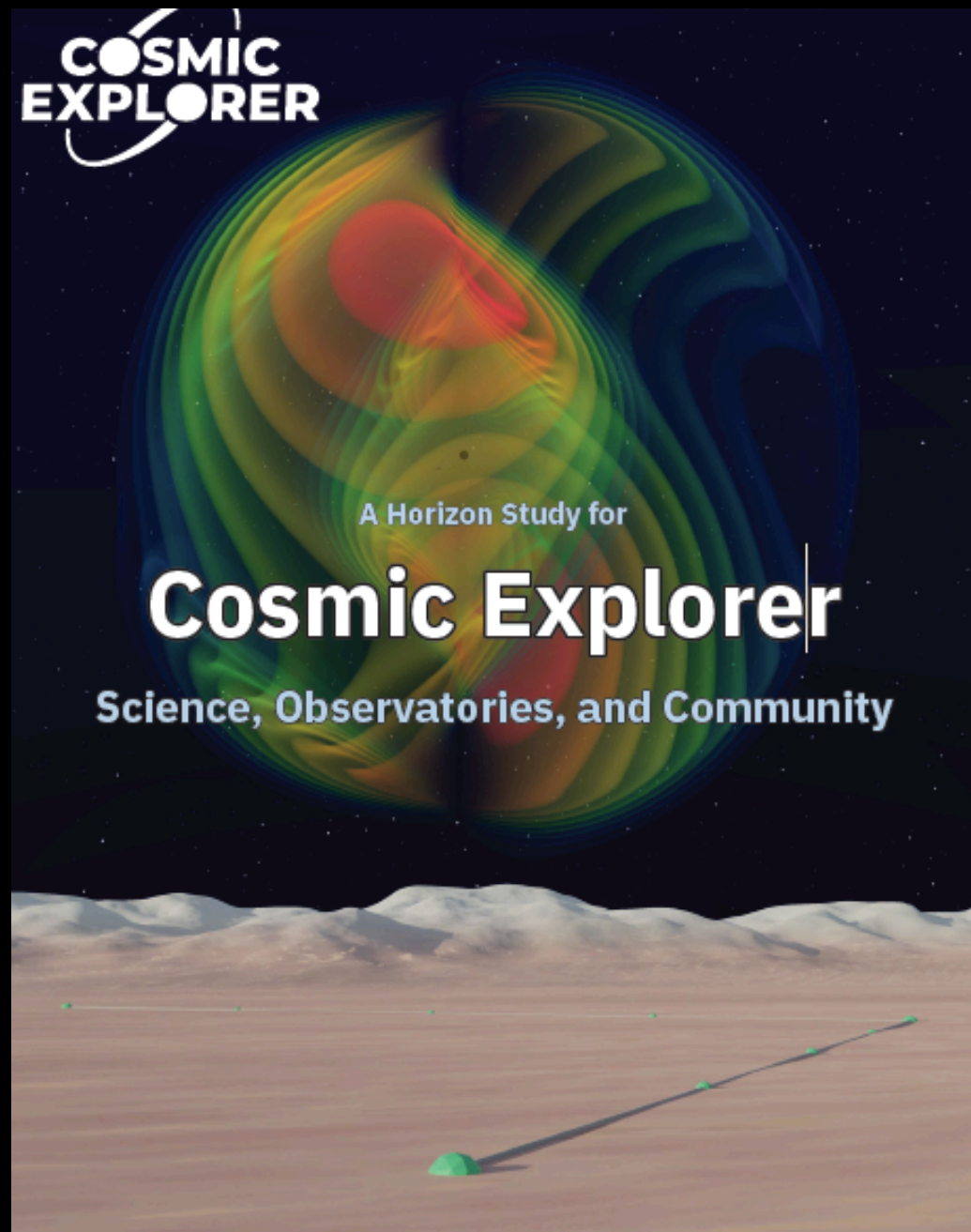
A+, AdVirgo+, KAGRA, LIGO India = Well underway

Post O5 (after mid 2028) planning just started

New facilities ET, CE, NEMO ...

Old slide : now post-O5 is beyond 2029

Cosmic Explorer (USA)



NSF National Science Foundation
WHERE DISCOVERIES BEGIN

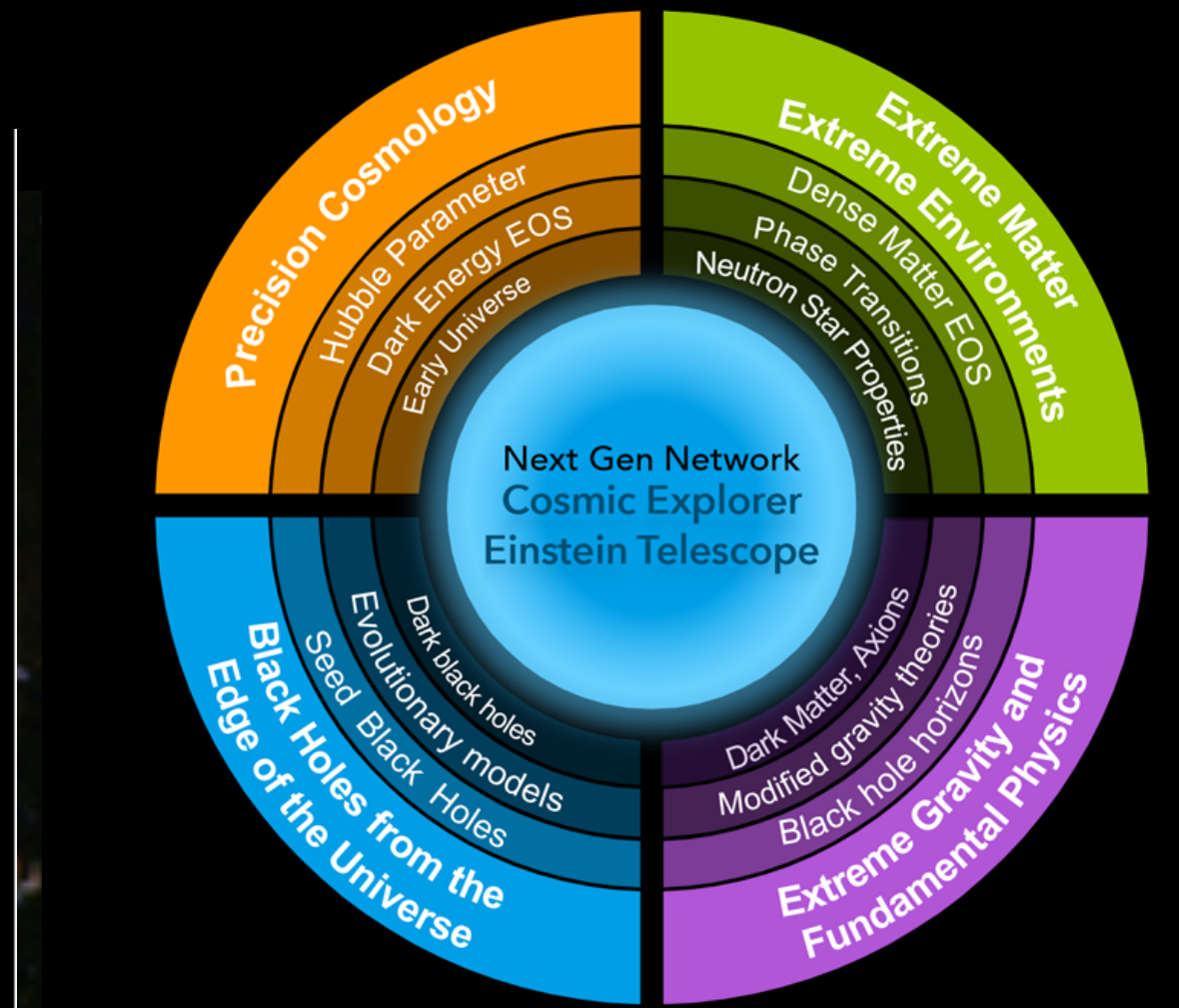
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NSF guidance for full life-cycle oversight of Major Facilities and Mid-Scale Projects

NSF Large Facilities Office
Office of Budget, Finance and Award Management

NSF 21-107
December 2021

Credit: Scientific contact by Ed Seidel (eseidel@aci.mpg.de); simulations by Max Planck Institute for Gravitational Physics (Albert-Einstein-AEI); visualization by Werner Benger, Zuse Institute, Berlin (ZIB) and AEI. The computations were performed on NCSA's It.

The cover of the NSF Research Infrastructure Guide features the NSF logo and title at the top. Below is a large, colorful visualization of a gravitational wave event, showing a central black hole surrounded by concentric, multi-colored rings. The text "NSF Large Facilities Office" and "Office of Budget, Finance and Award Management" is centered below the visualization. At the bottom, the document number "NSF 21-107" and date "December 2021" are listed. A small credit line is at the very bottom.

The Einstein Telescope

First CDR in 2010 - 2011

(Baseline and Physics Case)

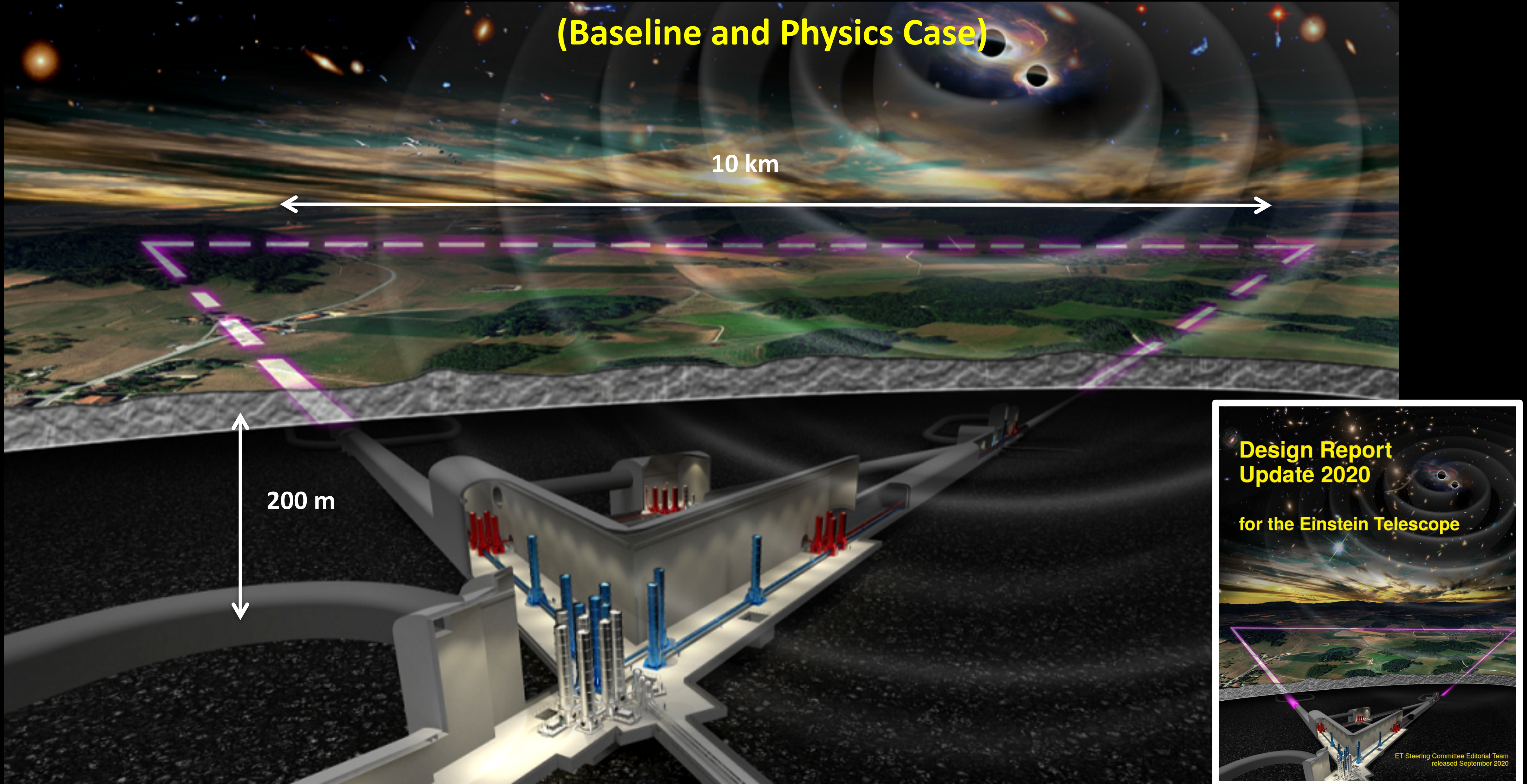
10 km

200 m

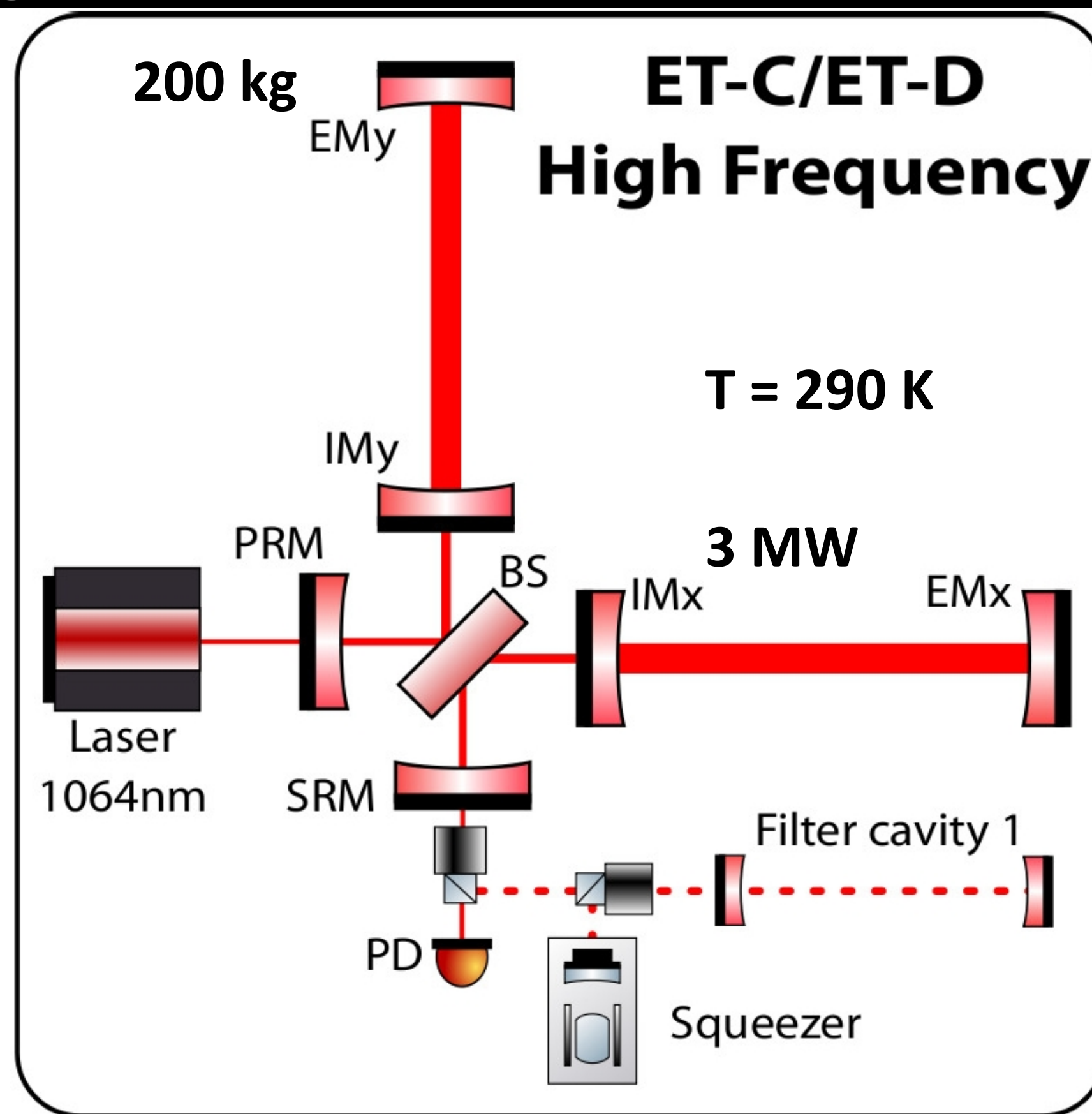
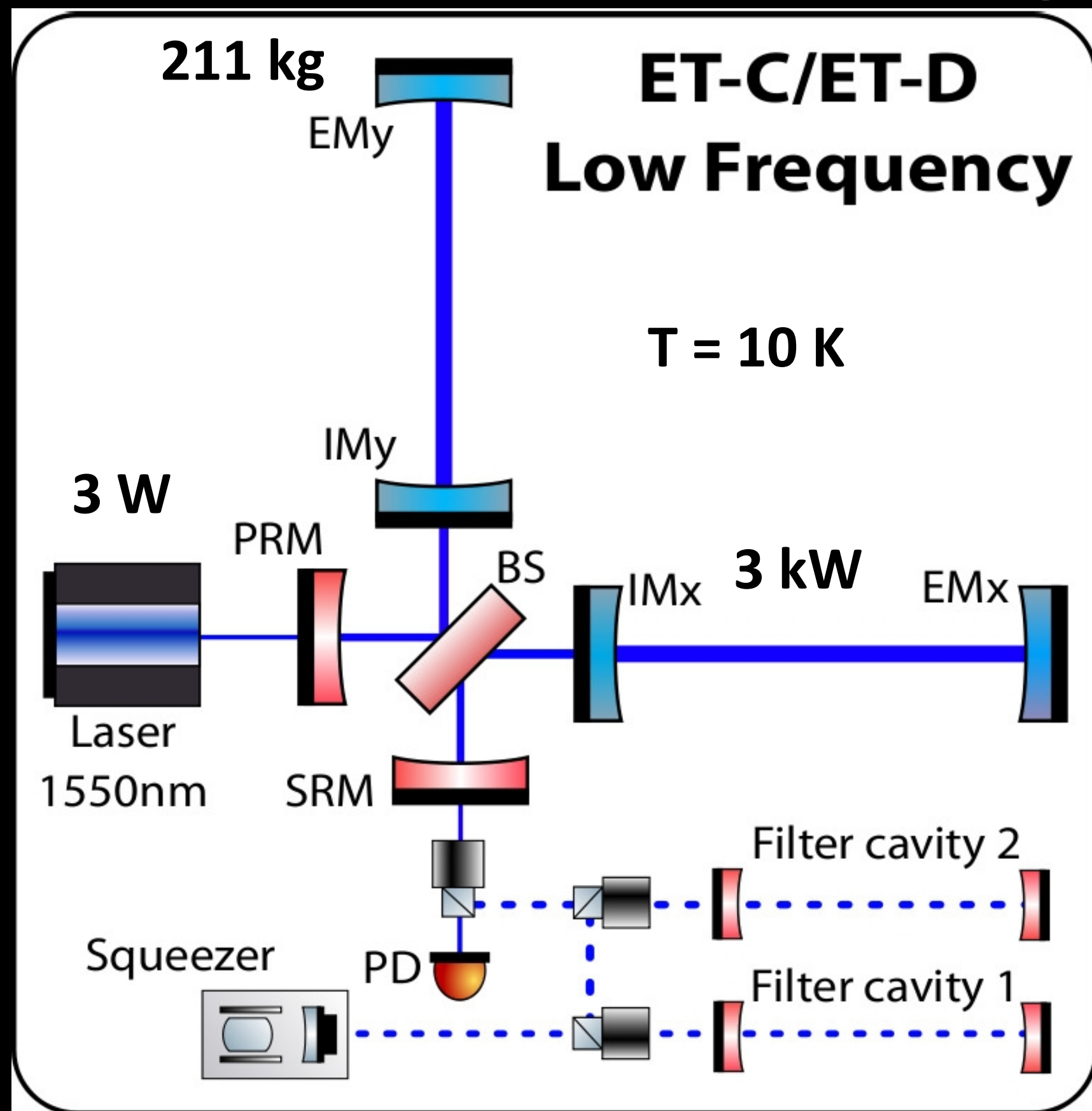
Design Report
Update 2020

for the Einstein Telescope

ET Steering Committee Editorial Team
released September 2020



2nd Gen → ET



Optical element, Fused Silica, room temperature

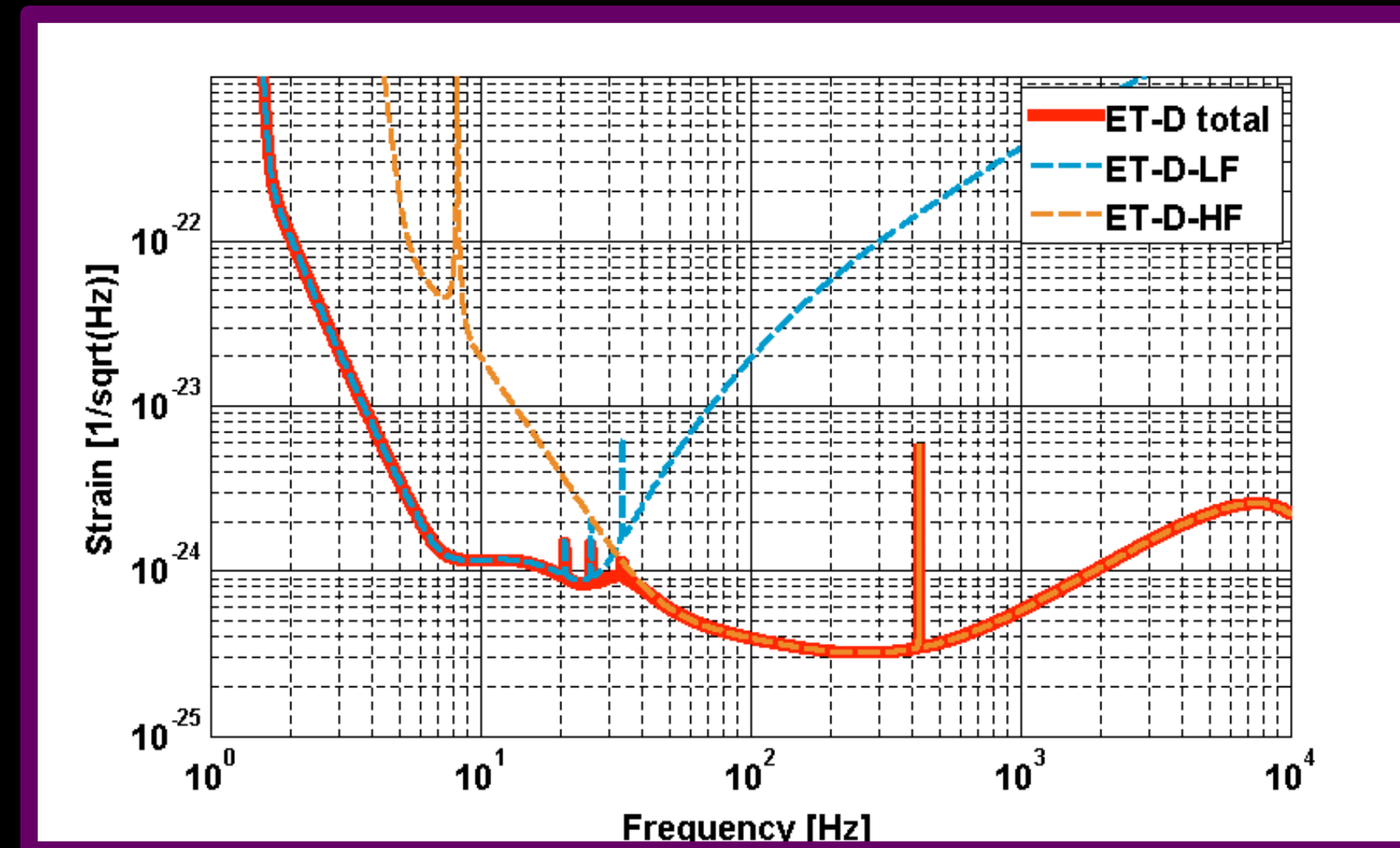
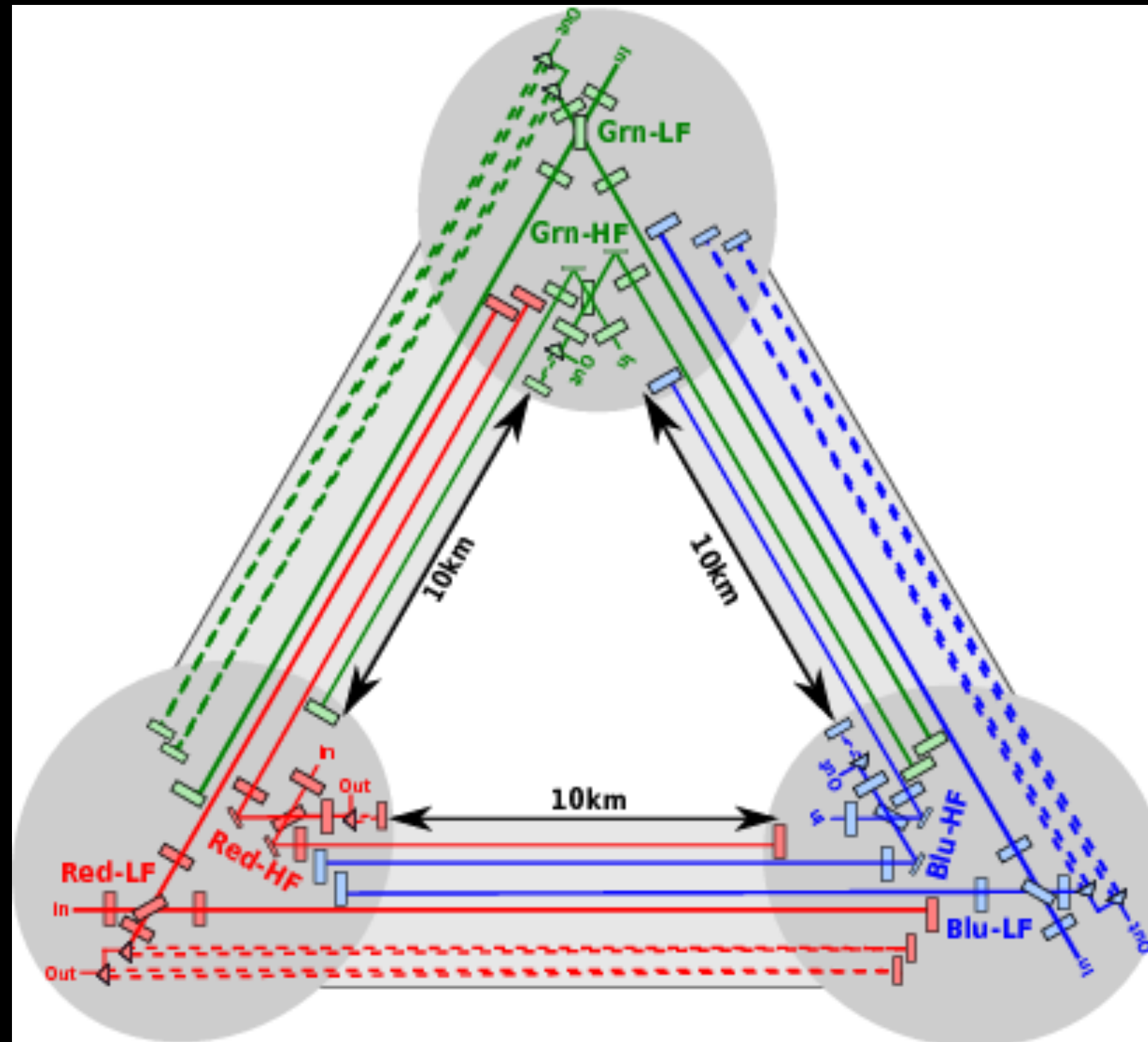
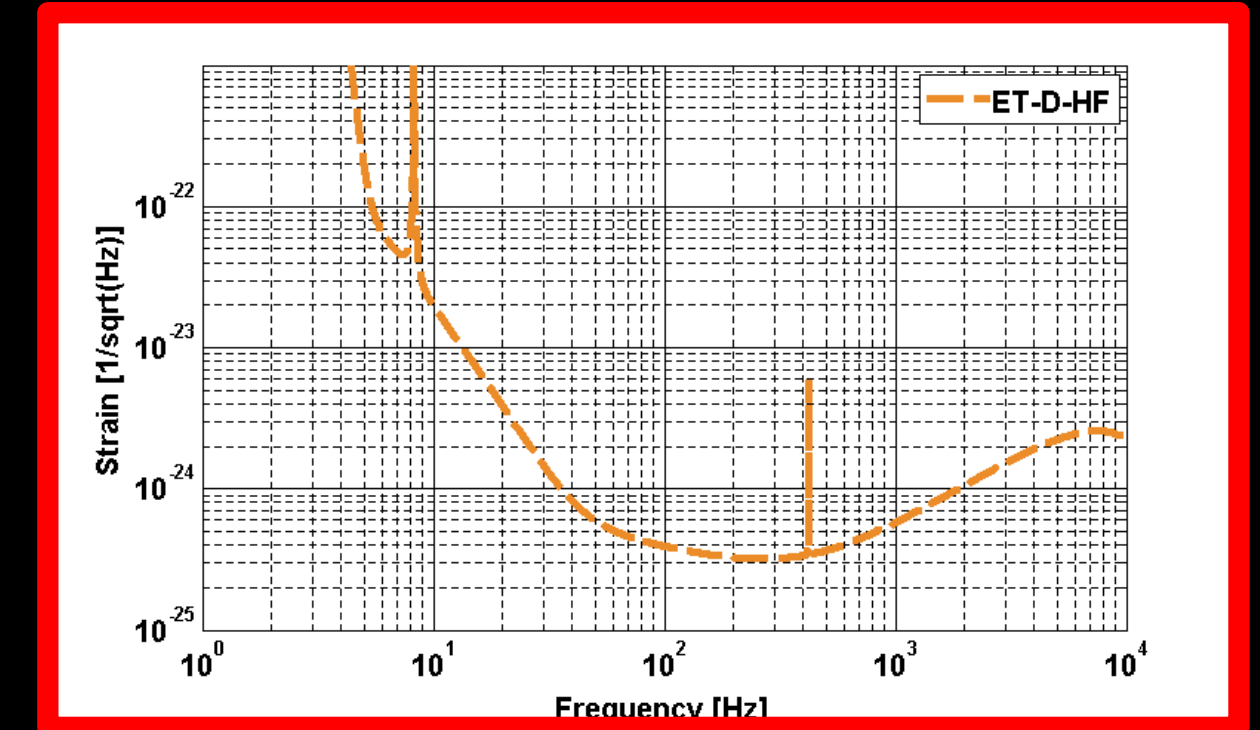
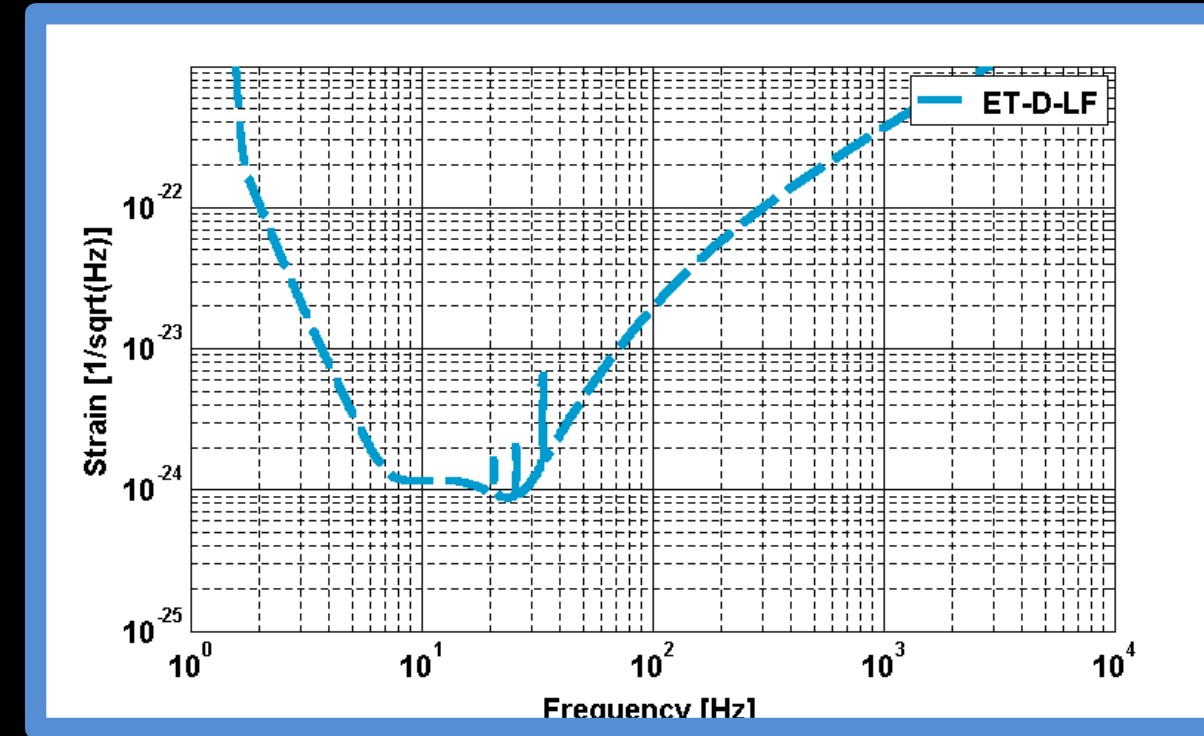
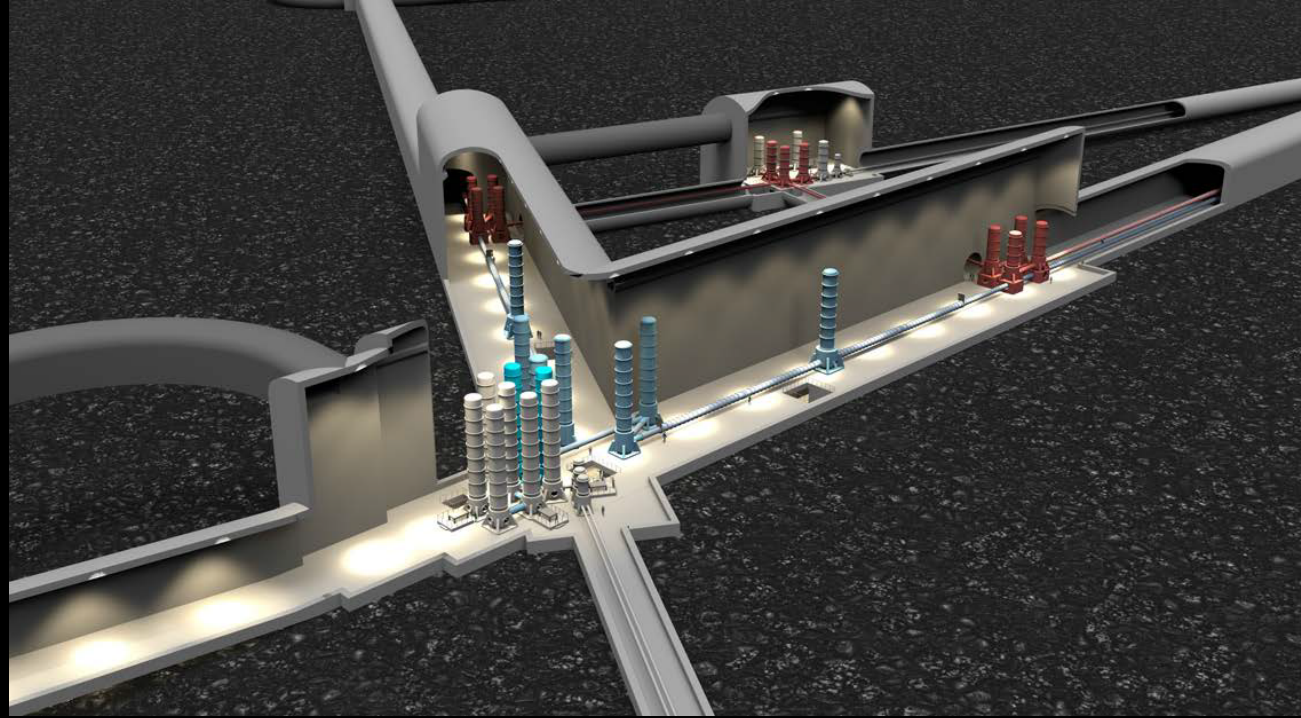
Optical element, Silicon, cryogenic

— Laser beam 1550nm
 — Laser beam 1064nm
 - - - squeezed light beam

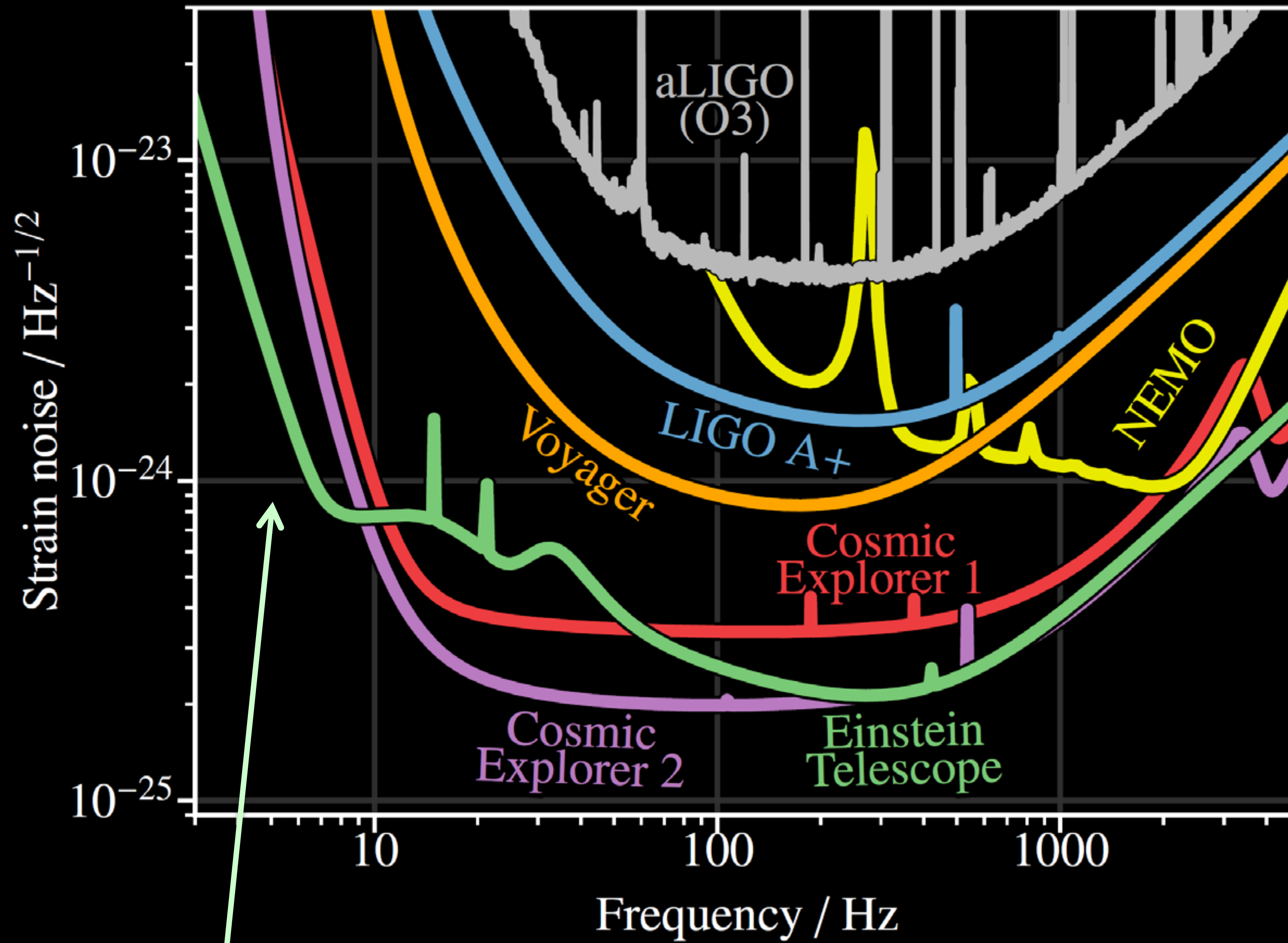
Underground
 Cryogenic
 Silicon mirrors
 1550 nm (Si transparent)
 New optical coatings
 New suspensions / seismic controls

More powerful lasers
 Larger fused silica mirrors
 1064 nm (silica transparent)
 New optical coatings
 New thermal compensation systems

Einstein Telescope (6 in 1) Xylophone

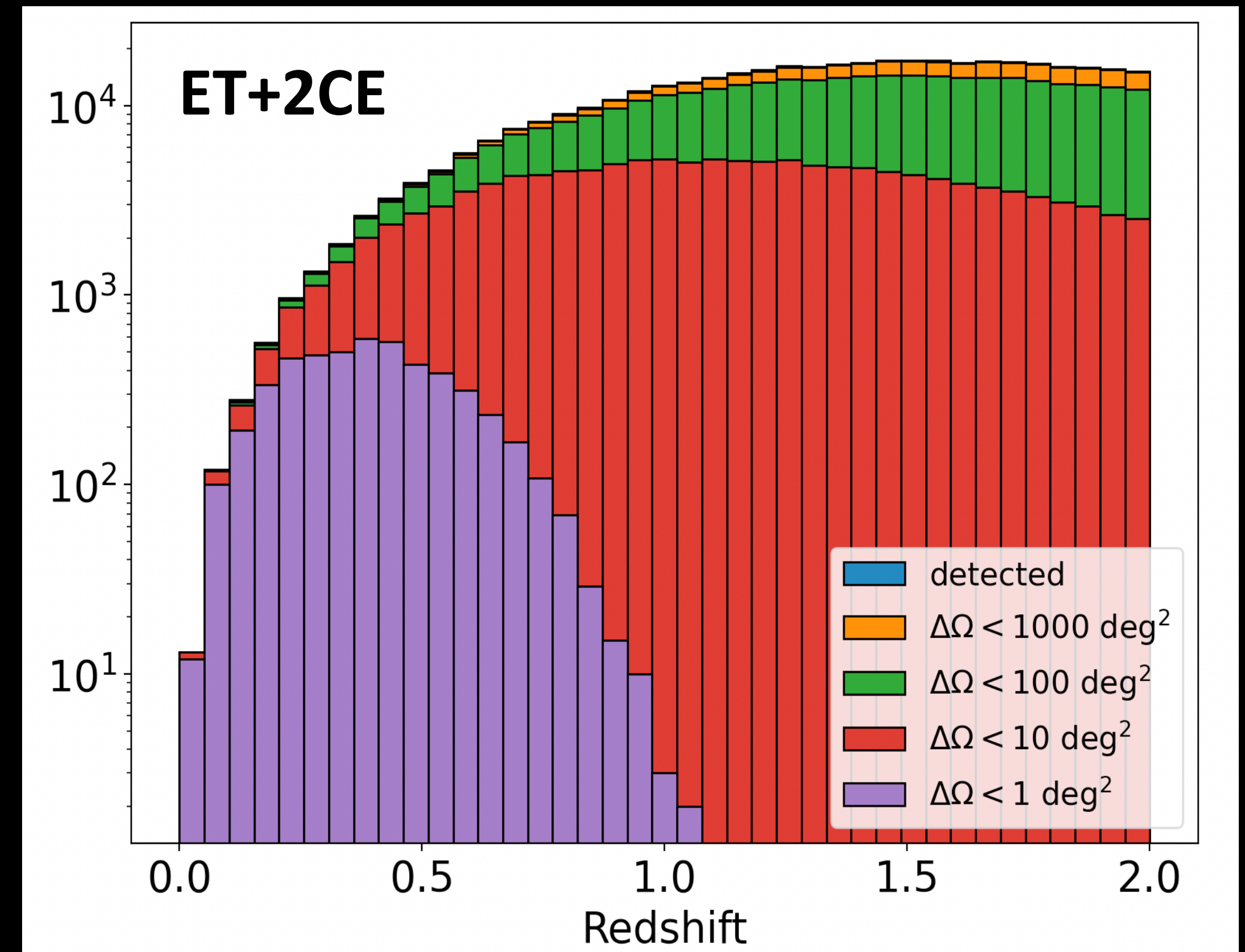
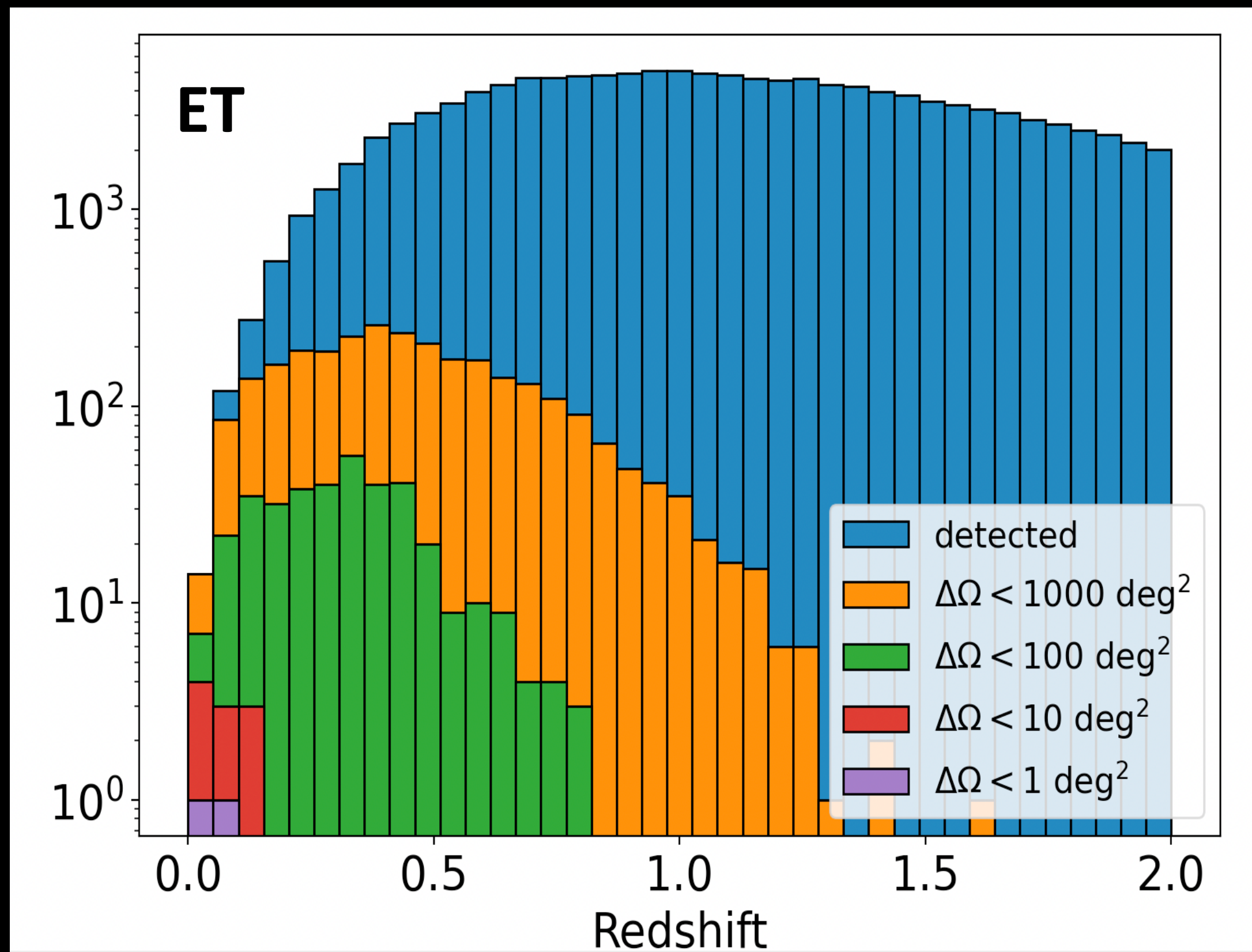


Each interferometer decoupled into 2 devices independent for the best sensitivity to low and high frequency



About one order of magnitude improvement w.r.t current detectors
 and an extended sensitivity to low frequencies (...many orders of magnitude) \rightarrow requires R&D

Sky localization



**ET only configuration would allow for O(100) events / year
with a sky-localizations (90% CL) < 100 deg²**

**ET + 2 CE configuration would allow for O(1000) events / year
with a sky-localizations (90% CL) < 1 deg²**

ET Science

[arXiv:1912.02622](https://arxiv.org/abs/1912.02622)

**ET Science Blue Book will be ready
by September 2024 (this month)**

Astrophysics

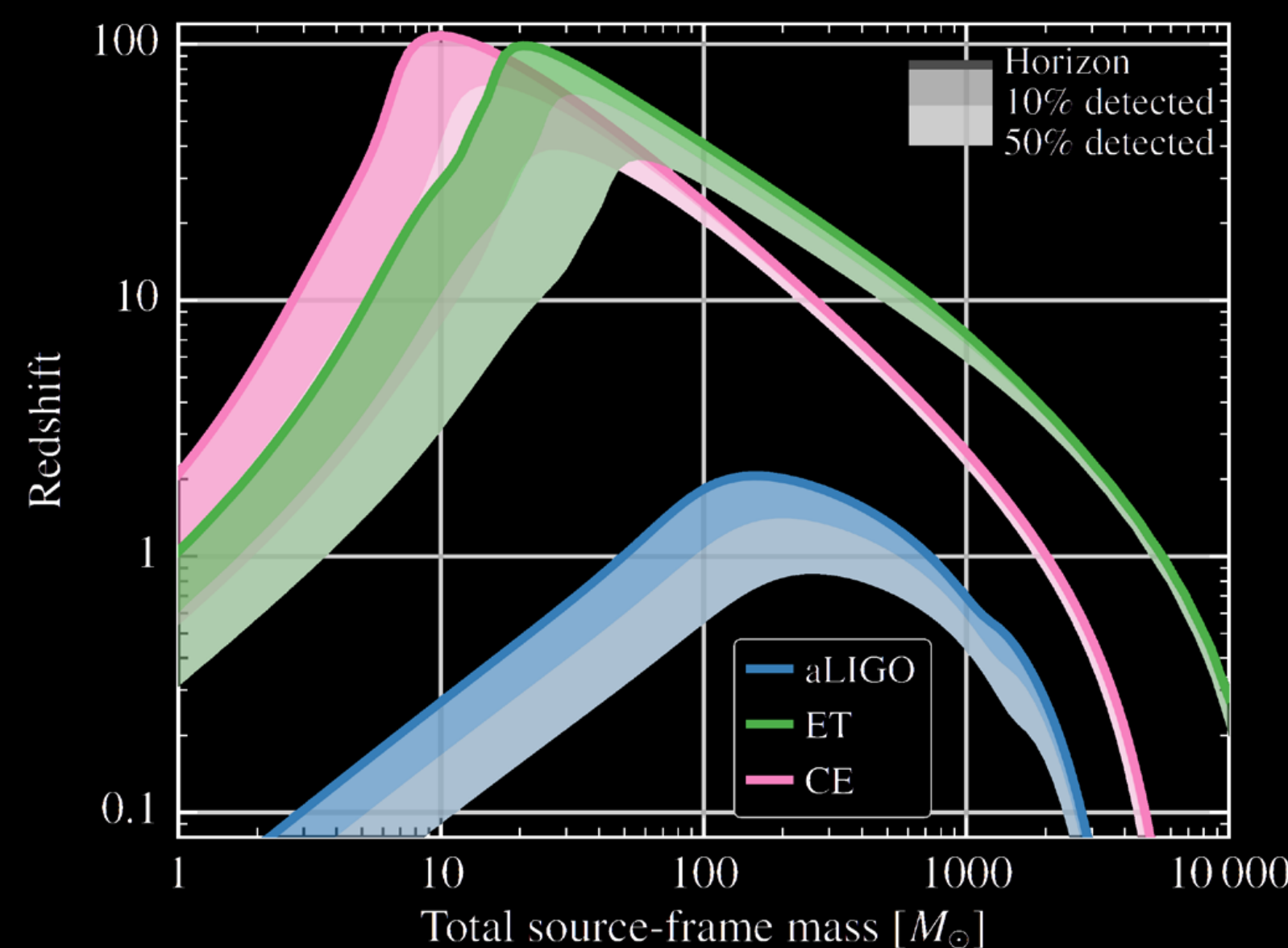
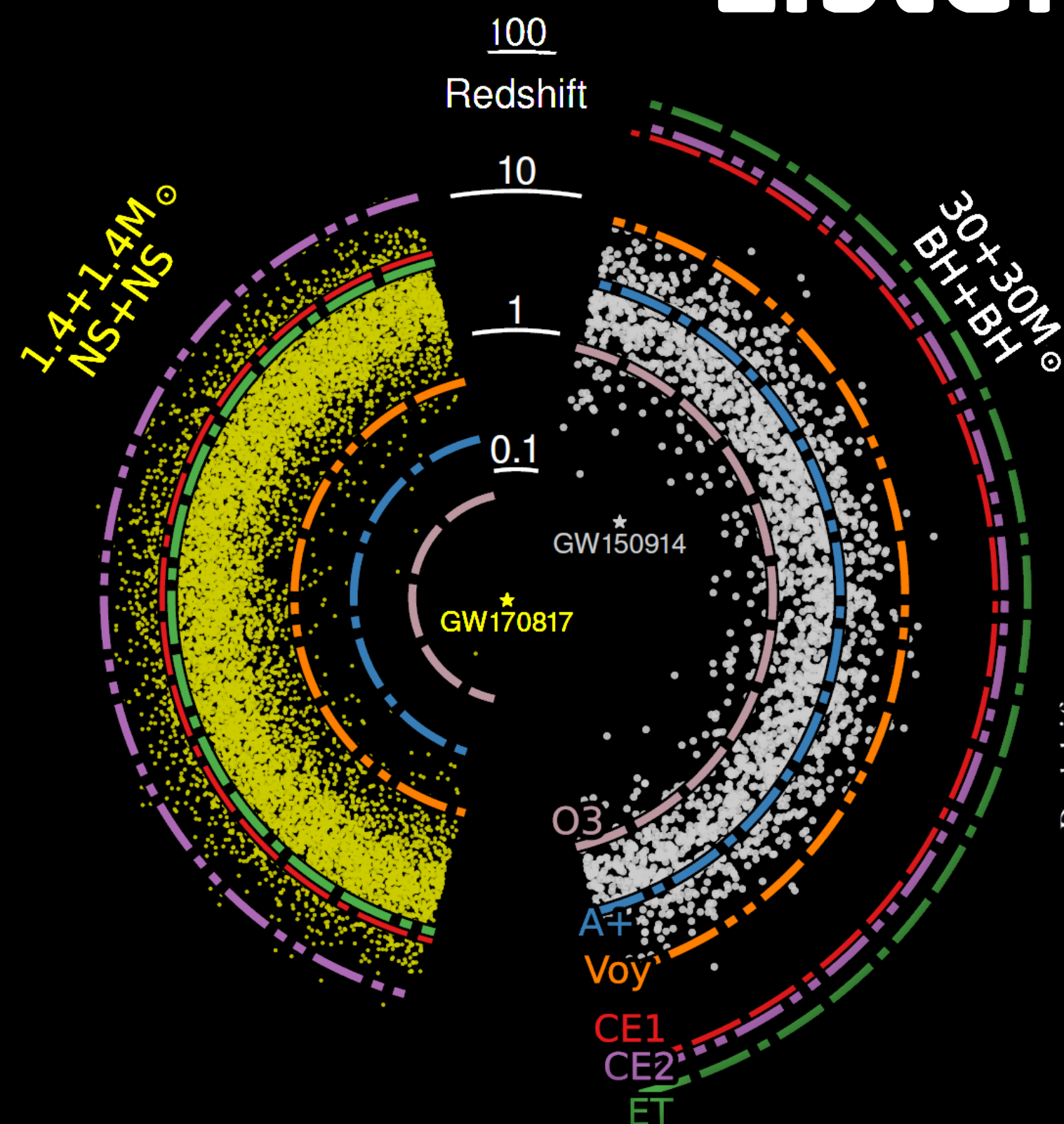
- **Black hole properties**
 - origin (stellar vs. primordial)
 - evolution, demography
- **Neutron star properties**
 - demography, equation of state
- **Multi-messenger astronomy**
 - joint GW/EM observations (GRB, kilonova,...)
 - multiband GW detection (LISA)
- **Detection of new astrophysical sources**
 - core collapse supernovae
 - isolated neutron stars
 - stochastic background of astrophysical origin

Fundamental Physics, Cosmology, HEP

- **Testing the nature of gravity**
 - perturbative regime: inspiral phase of BBH, post-Newtonian expansion
 - strong field regime: physics near BH horizon
- exotic compact objects
- **QCD**
 - interior structure of neutron stars probe ultra-high temperatures and densities
 - exotic states of matter
- **Dark Matter / New Particles**
 - primordial BHs
 - axions, dark matter accreting on compact objects
- **Modified Cosmology**
 - Dark Energy equation of state
 - modified GW propagation @ cosmological scales
- **Stochastic backgrounds of cosmological origin and HEP**
 - inflation, first-order phase transitions
 - cosmic strings, domain walls..

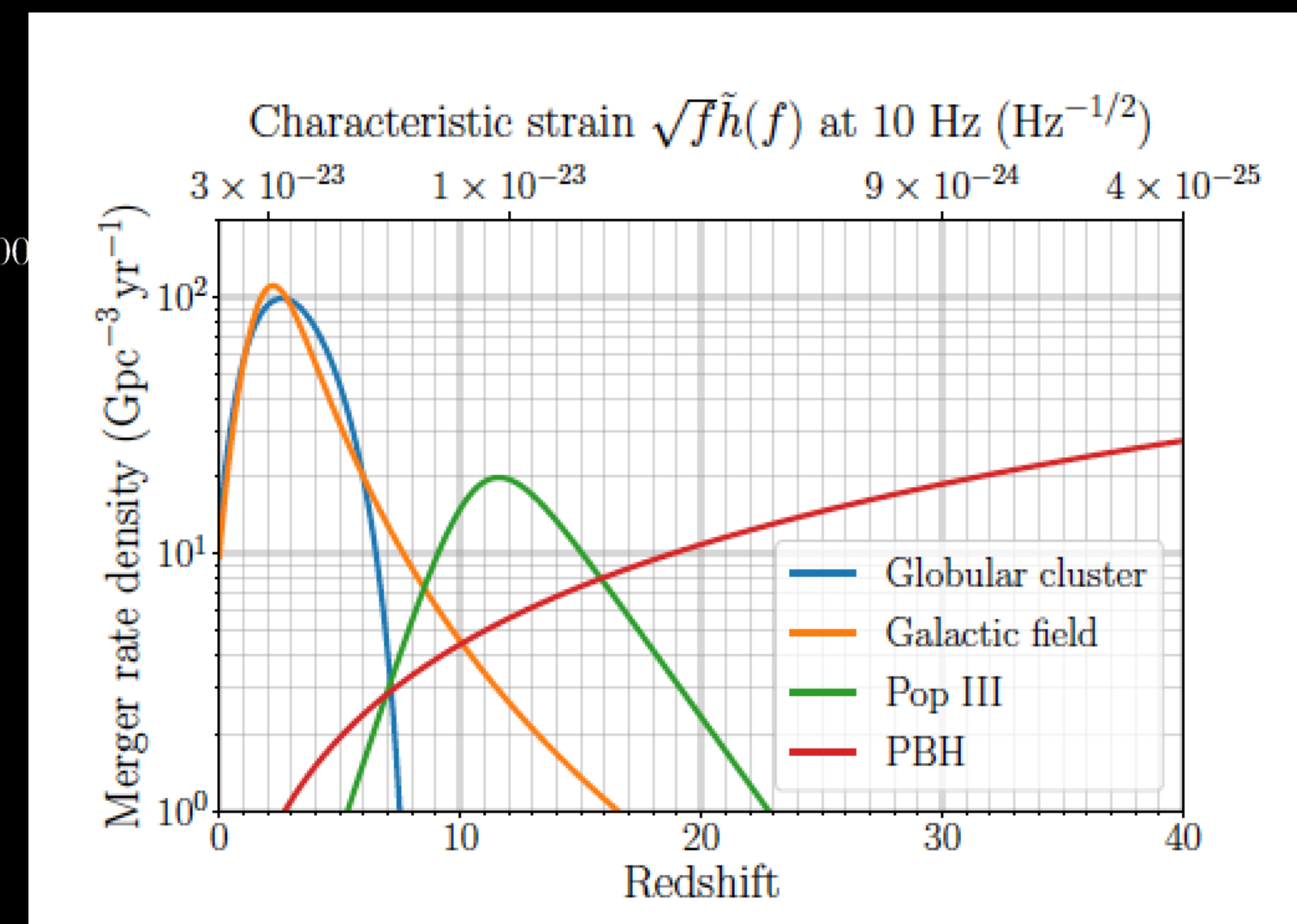
Listening the whole Universe

- 10^6 BH-BH / year up to $z \sim 20$ (230 Gpc) and $10^3 M_{\text{sun}}$
- 10^5 NS-NS / year up to $z \sim 2$
- $O(10^2 - 10^3)$ GW events with EM counterparts

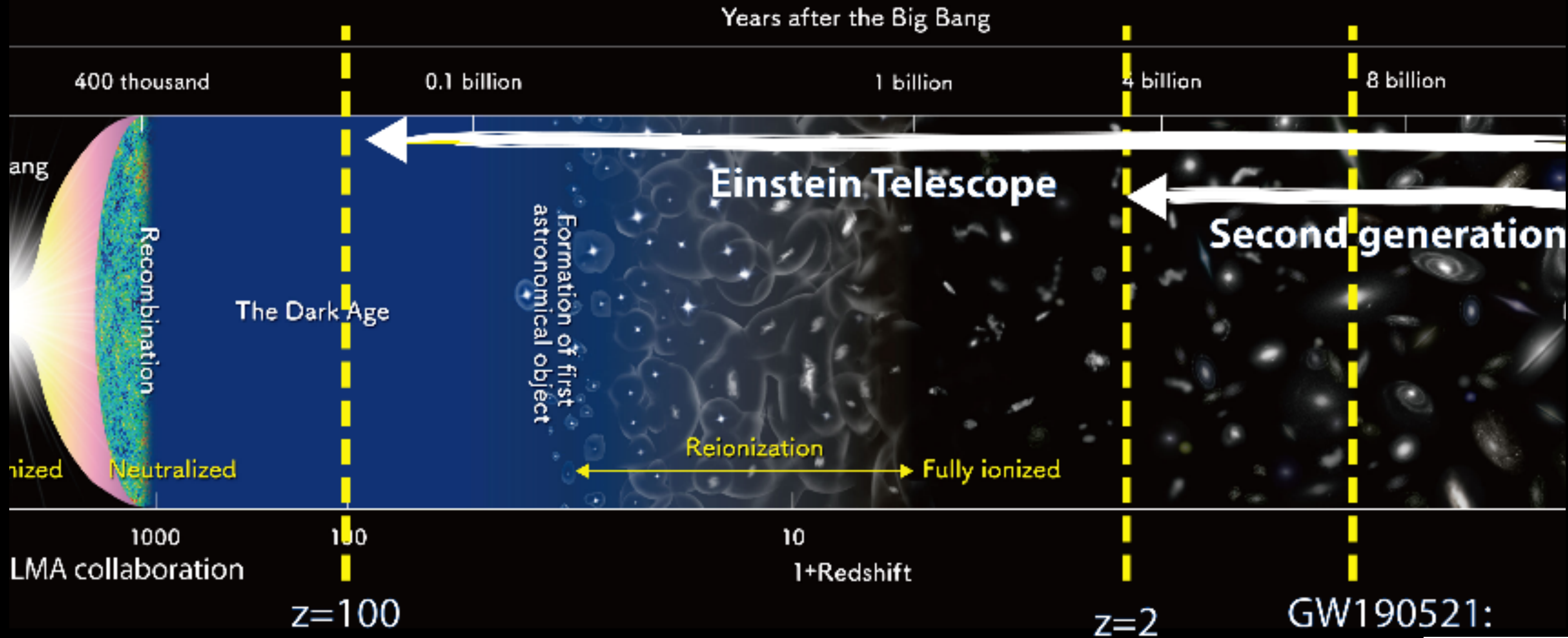


Astrophysics

- BH demography and evolution
- Primordials? Stellar?
- Are BHs part of the dark matter?
- Supernovae, Pulsars, Stochastic signals
- Properties of neutron stars
- Multi Messenger: Optical, Neutrinos, Gamma Rays



Detection horizon for black-hole binaries

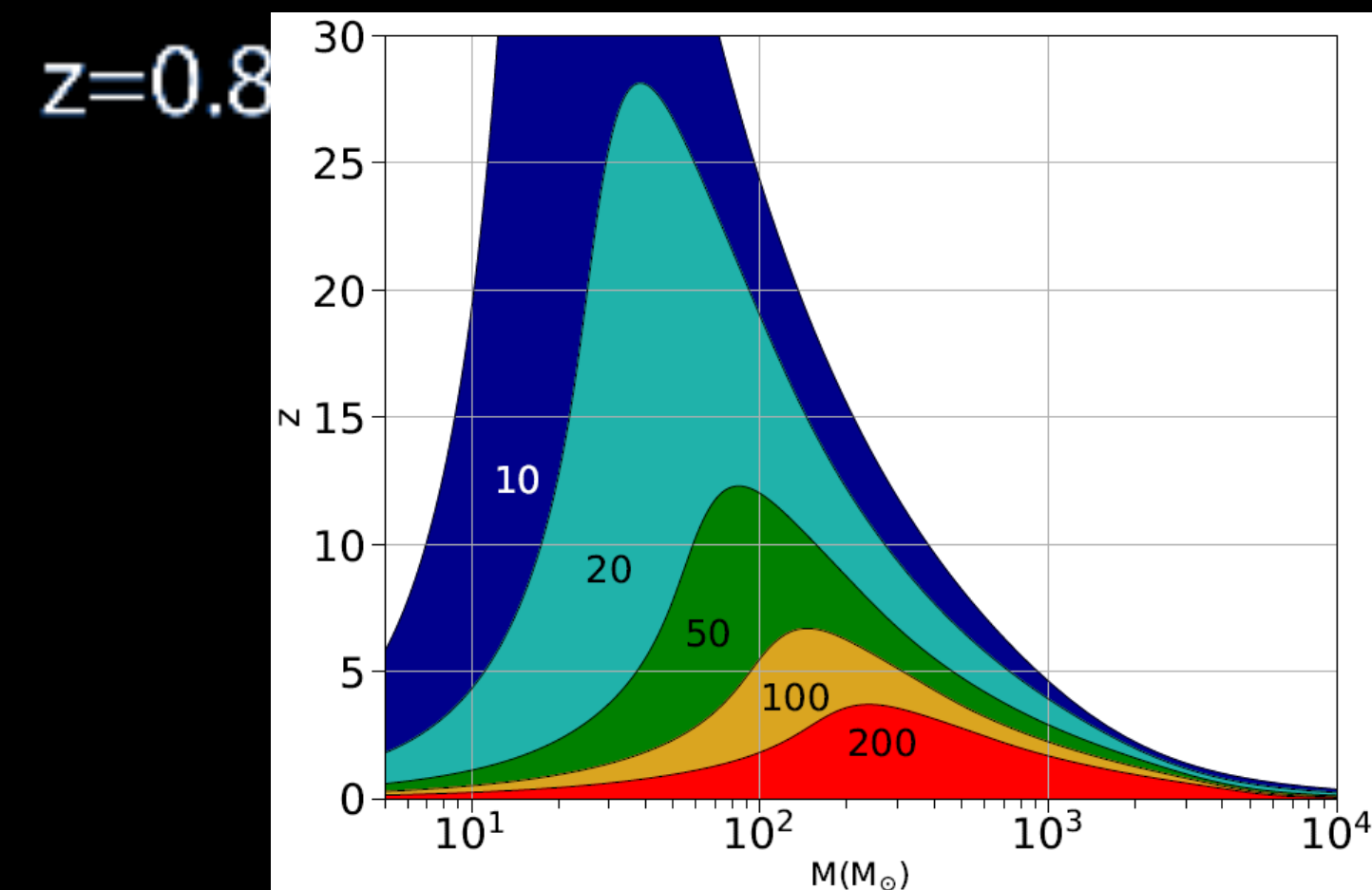
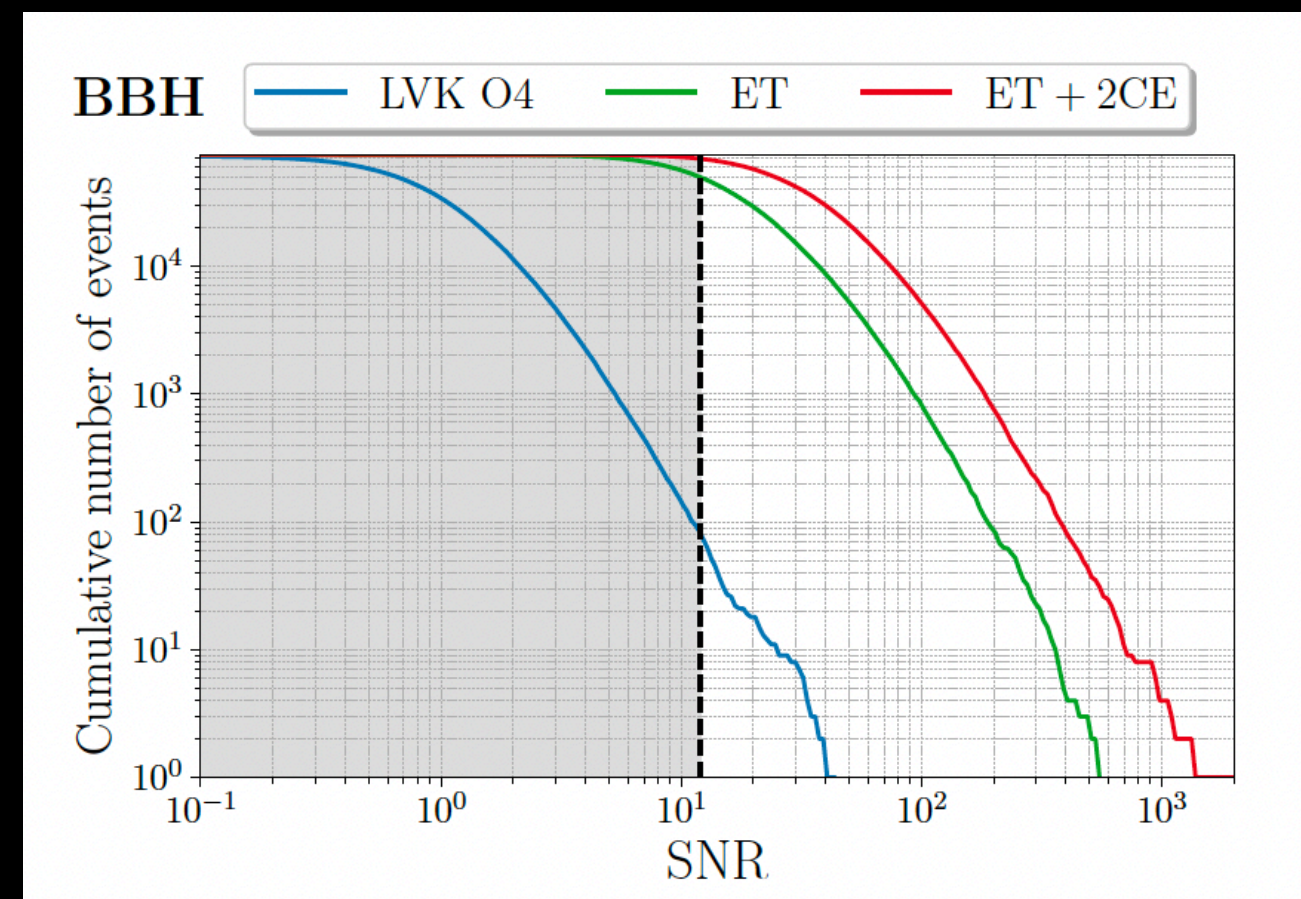


Huge rate of detections (about 1 per minute)
 Extended redshift coverage up to the Dark Age

- Test for primordial BH origin
- Cosmology & Cosmography

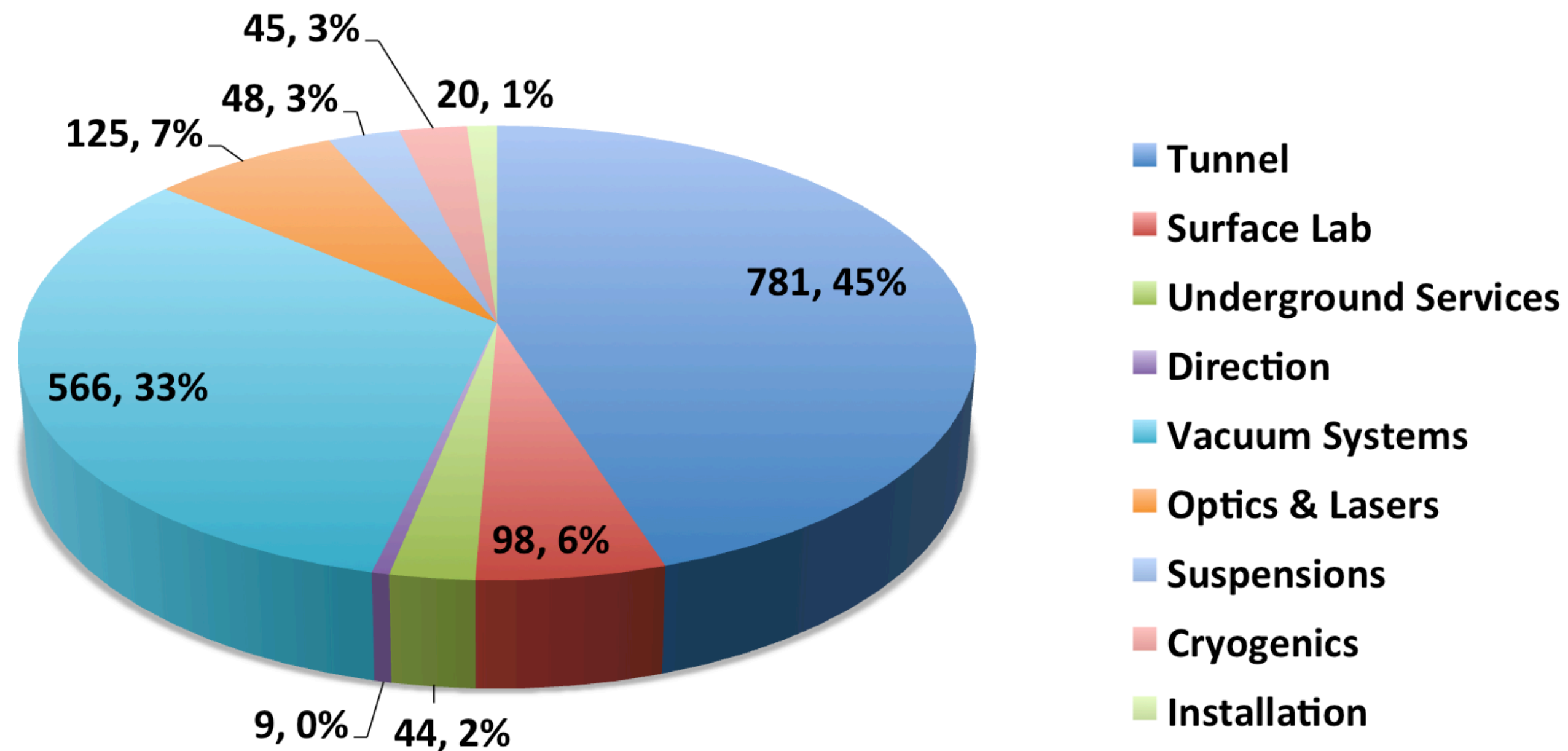
Many events with very large Signal-to-Noise ratios

- Precision tests of GR predictions and detailed BH studies



Estimated cost (EU accounting)

ET Estimated Costs (M€)



Preparatory phase (170M€)

1. Site qualification (funded)

2. Site preparation (50 – 60 M€)

Covered by host country

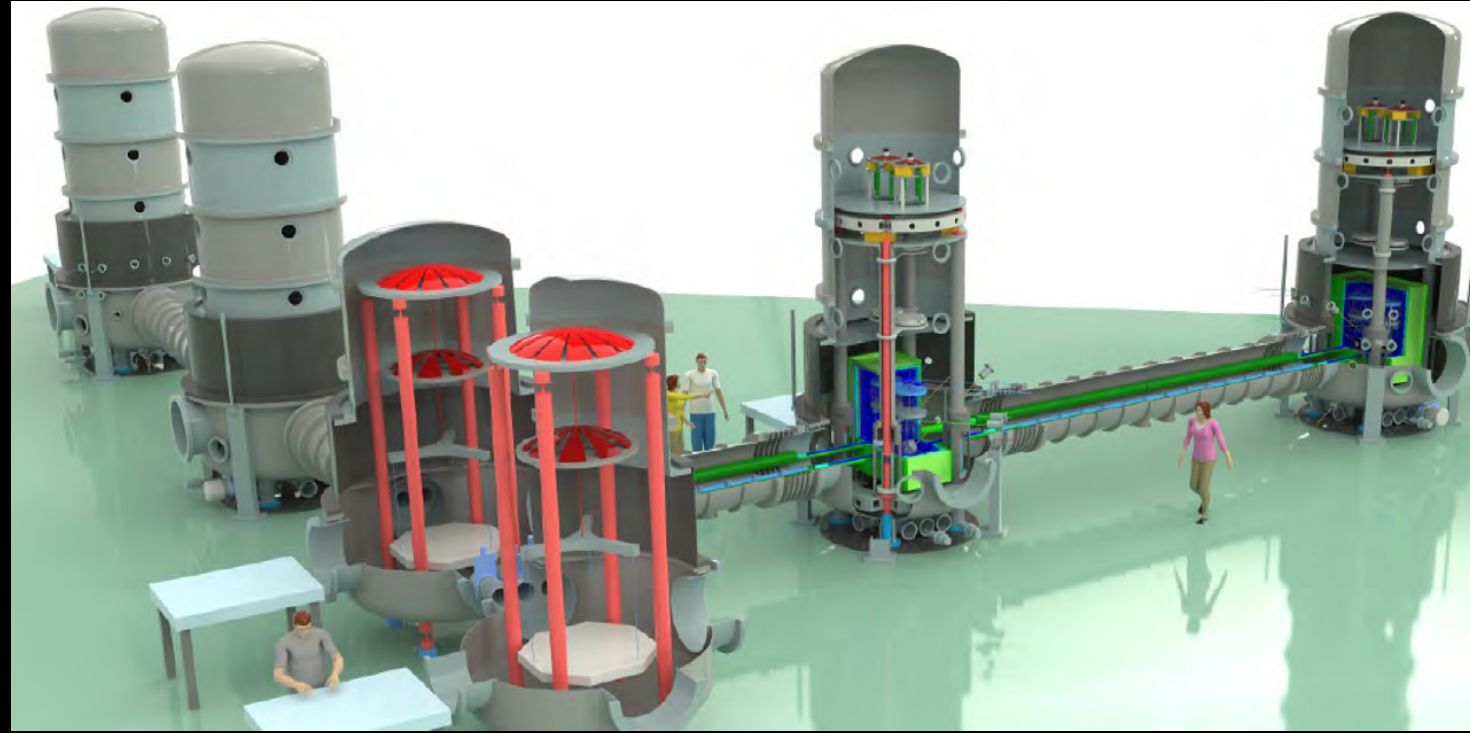
3. R&D on technology (95 M€) (funded)

Construction : 1900 M€ (in 10 years)

M&O : 37M€ /year

Host country is expected to contribute with > 50% of the total cost

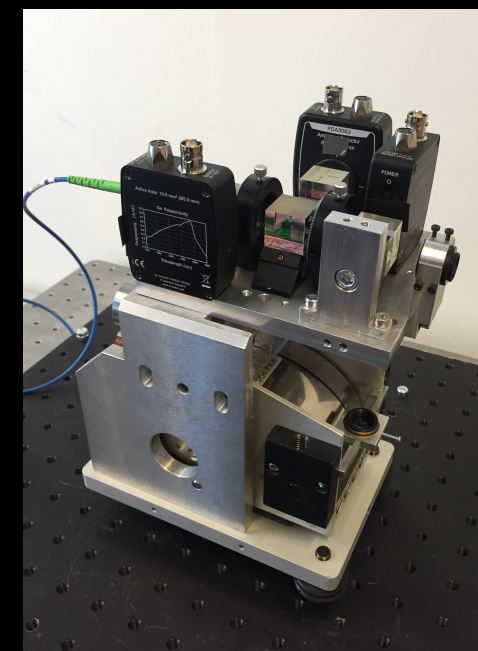
Ongoing R&D for ET (examples)



@ Maastricht small-scale prototype in order to study the operations in cryogenics with silicon optics at 1550 nm and with mirrors up to 100 kg (relevant for ET-LF)

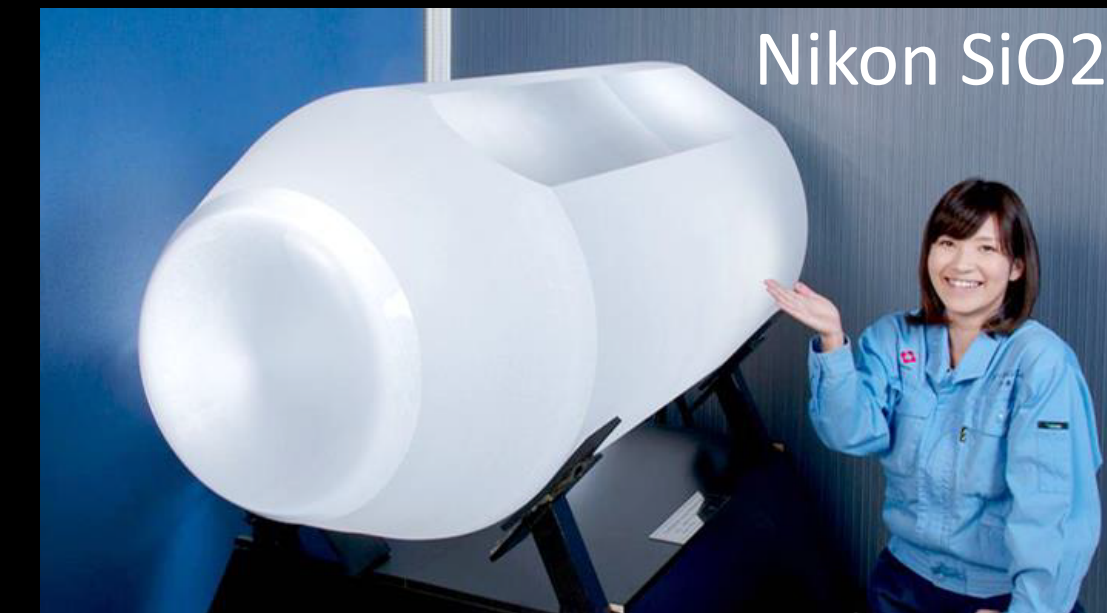


R&D for the production of mirrors up to 200kg based on silica or silicon of high purity and homogeneity.

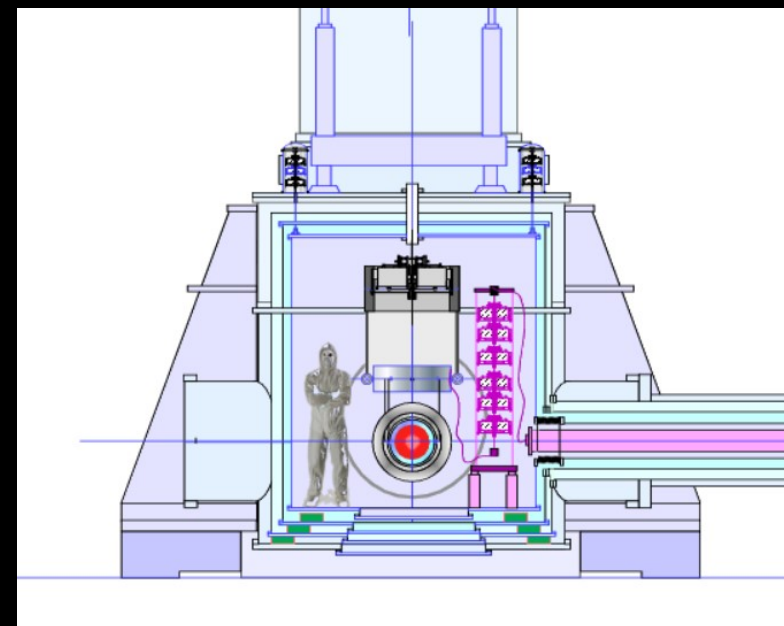


R&D in active mitigation of seismic / Newtonian noise

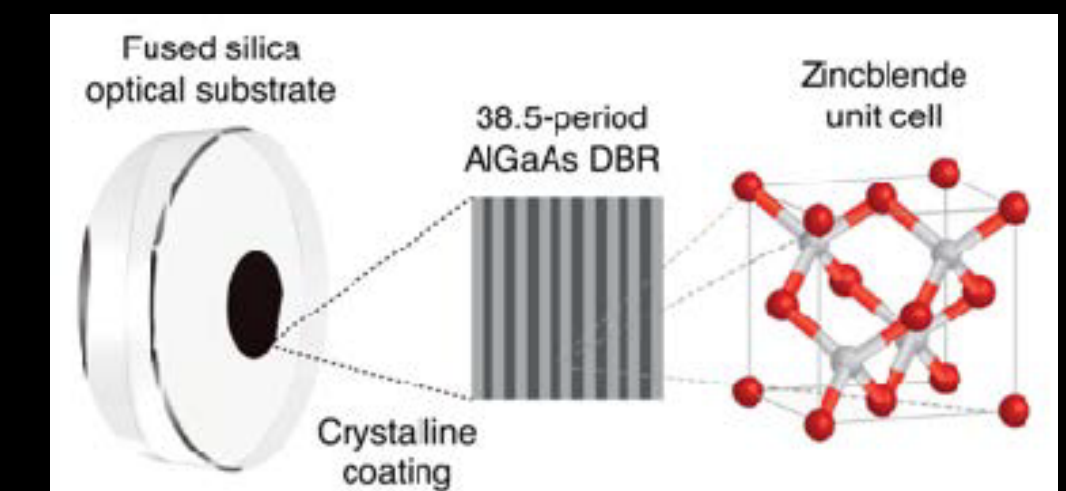
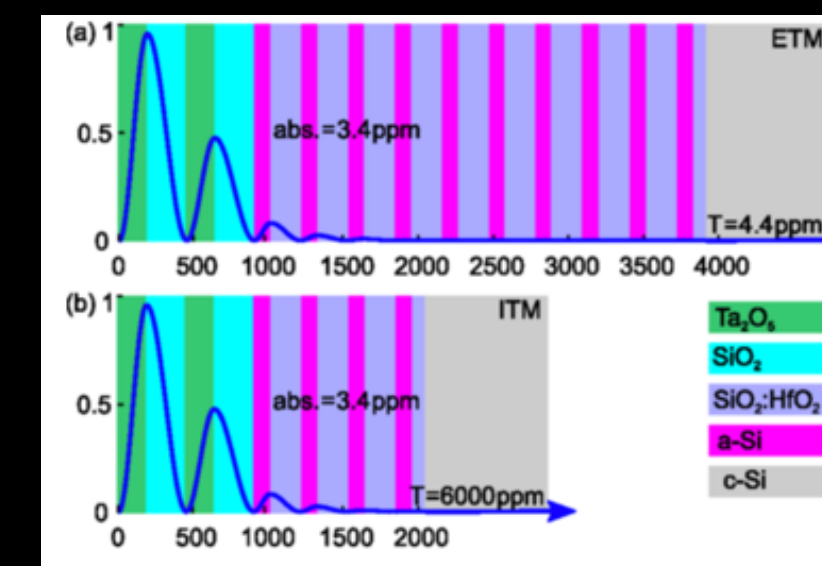
R&D on IR photo sensors



R&D in optical coatings reflective with low absorption and reduced thermal noise.



@ Rome and other R&D places in cryogenic suspension



AlGaAs crystalline coatings

Major R&D Facilities in ET (incomplete)

ET

EINSTEIN TELESCOPE

From the XIII ET symposium, an incomplete selection of the presented large facilities

Etaphinder in Maastricht

2 FPMI interferometers:
1) 1550nm @ 18K
2) 2090nm @ 123K

Main target: provide a testbed for ET technology concepts and qualify them in low environment.

Omnisense at Nikhef

- Interferometric sensing (HoQI), compact and proven
- Fused-silica suspension
- Closed-loop control
- Careful shielding for thermal fluctuations, acoustics, and E-M
- Mechanical simplicity, no cables or magnets.

VAIIGrav and Compact Laser Interferometry

Main goals:
- test DFMI-based compact displacement sensors on suspensions to reduce control noise
- test inertial sensors with highly sensitive interferometric displacement sensors
- study new suspension control and seismic isolation schemes

DFMI metrology

Optical head (COBRI)

Readout system and electronics

System-level testing

The AEI 10 m Prototype Facility

Main goal: Sub- μ L interferometry
Studies of vibration isolation / control

Fused-silica welding

Planned layout

See Monday talk by David Wu

On solid ground

The German Centre for Astrophysics (DZA)

DZA concept: the challenges of astrophysics today

E-TEST : Einstein Telescope EMR Site and Technology

Vibration isolation

Radiative cooling

E-TEST objectives

- Large mirror (100 Kg)
- Cryogenic temperature (10-20 K)
- Isolated at low frequency (0.1-10 Hz)
- Compact suspension (4.5 meters)

Test facility for experimental investigations of the He-II based ET-LF payload cooling concept

Suspension and cooling concept studied for ET-LF

He-II: Stationary-state operation

See Monday talk by Xhesika Korovesi

CoME I - Coating Materials for Einstein Telescope

Goals:

- Capability to deposit virtually all the (amorphous) materials of interest for the GW community with the needed level of control.
- Ability to explore different process ranges (energies, growth kinetics etc.)
- Study of the physical processes occurring during deposition

Coating deposition (samples)

- Ion beam
- Magnetron

Characterization facilities

LMA - Laboratoire des Matériaux Avancés

Also investing into substrate growth and polishing

New large optics coater facility

Aim: produce ET cryo-compatible substrates in sapphire

Existing LMA building

Extension

CAUS: Centro per Applicazioni sulle Onde gravitazionali e la Sismologia

New facility at the University of Perugia

Development of specific technology for the third-generation GW detectors, and

GEMINI at LNGS

Goals

- Test the limits of active seismic isolation in an underground environment
- Inter-platform motion control
- Underground environmental monitoring
- Test new approaches to controls optimization
- Test new inertial sensors

Vibration target

SAR-GRAV Laboratory

SAR-GRAV hosts ET activities as well as Geophysics and Fundamental Physics activities

Cavern that should host the Archimedes experiment

It is planned to test at least partially a preliminary version of the double-suspended inverted pendulum in a quiet underground environment.

See Monday talk by Enrico Calloni

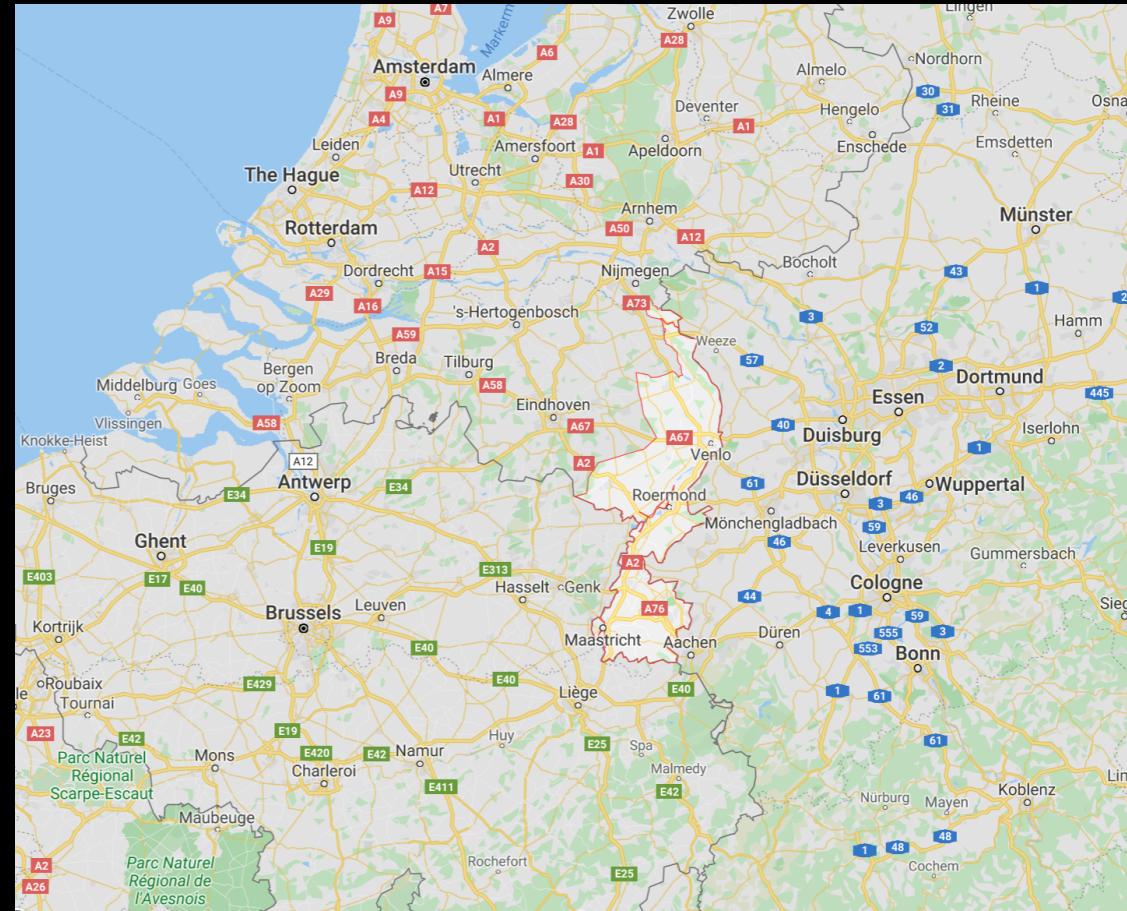
Amaldi Research Center at Roma La Sapienza

Facility dedicated to cryogenics development for ET.

Build prototype payload

See Monday talk by Ettore Majorana

O(50 M€) investment
Lab in construction



30 M€ investment
ETparthfinder

Locations ?

Intensive studies

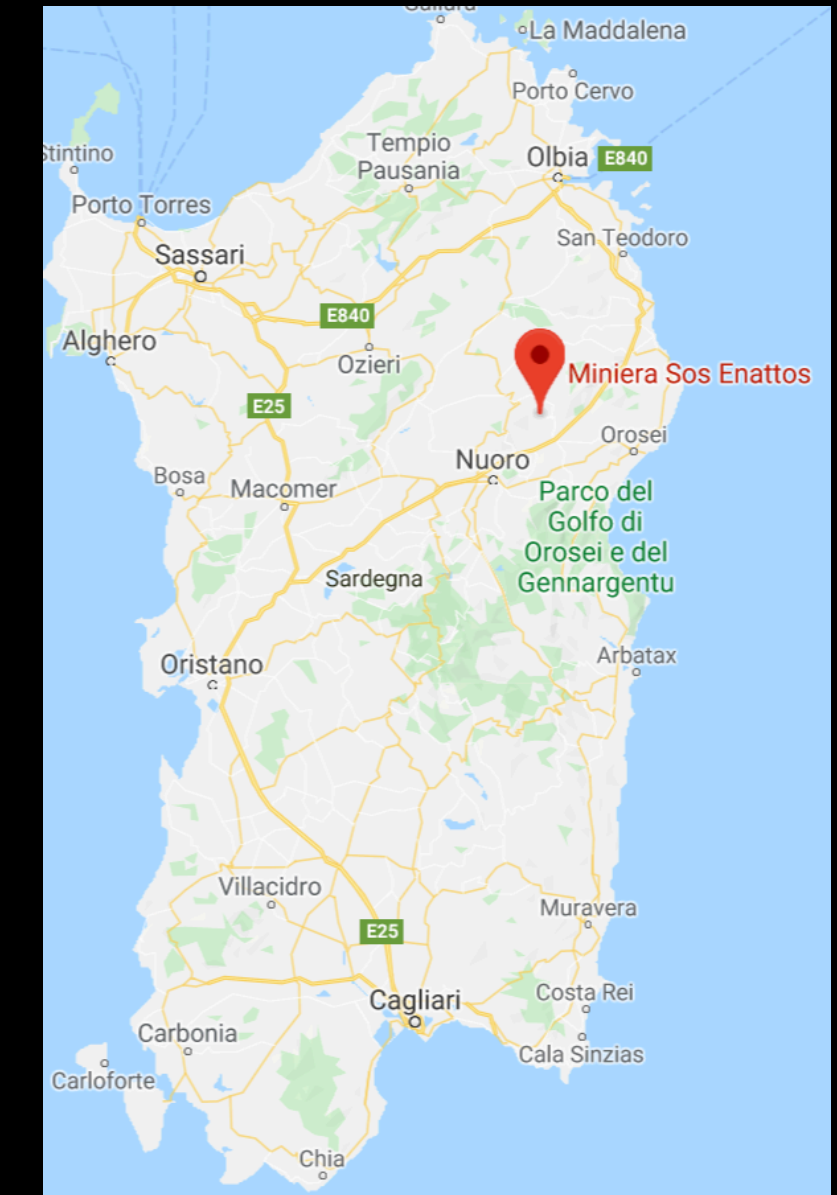
@ Limburg,

@ Sardinia

@ Saxony

For characterize seismic,
environmental noise, etc ...

O(50 M€) investment
Lab in construction



@ Limburg area (border NL-B-D)

→ Promoted by Nikhef

@ Sardinia

→ Promoted by INFN

@ Germany is very present in ET and ETpathfinders
They foresee a large investment in the following years

→ Exploring Saxony as a possibility

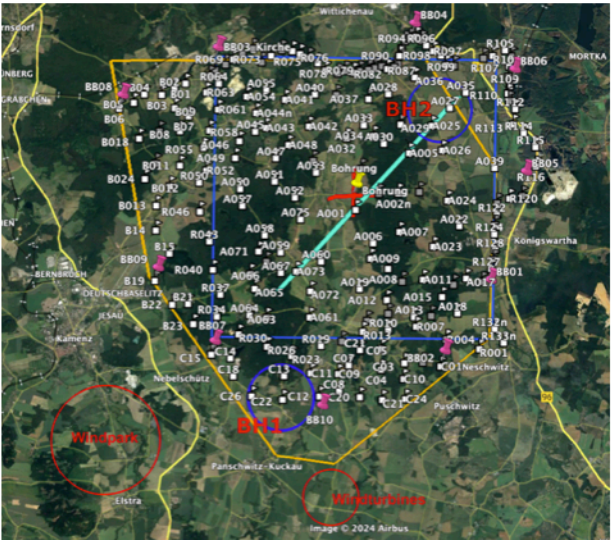
→ Ongoing geological characterization of the site

→ Recent positive political signs (TBC) for ET@DE



What is currently happening in Lusettia
Extensive investigations for the DZA's Low Seismic Lab

- **Passive seismological experiment for the determination of the 3D shear wave model**
- Deploy 100 seismic stations to measure the temporal variation of seismic noise and operated for at least 1 year.
- **Conduct high-resolution 2D reflection seismic surveys of geological structures**
- Acquire 2 km long reflection seismic profiles and intersecting near the drilling location DZA-01 for calibration. Perform detailed studies at future drilling locations.
- **Analysis of the physical parameters of the drill cores**
- focusing on the Lusettian granodiorite and tectonic structures.
- **Update the geological/hydrological map of the granite stock**
- Develop a geological/tectonic model using data from the archive from the Lusettian Geological Survey.
- **Measurement of seismic noise at three additional boreholes**
- to qualify the spatial and temporal noise level in Lusettia.
- **Integrated Lusettian subsurface model and characterization of seismic noise**



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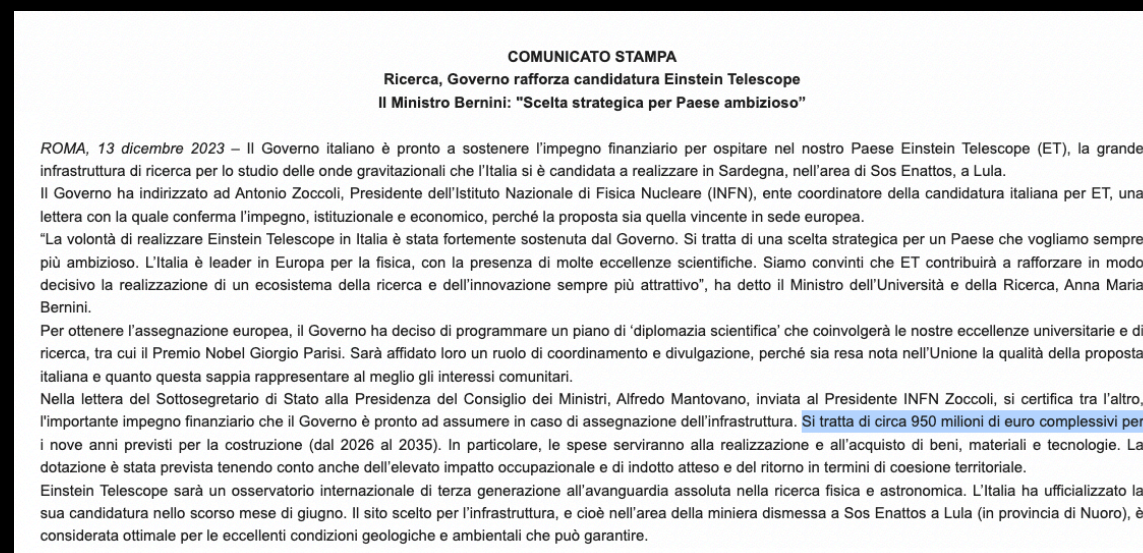
Rising Construction Funds

In the Netherlands a formal request of 900M€ for ET@ Maastricht **has been approved** by the Science Minister to the NL Government

Italy approved a 50M€ project for enabling technologies and additional 950M€ for supporting ET@ Italy **has been secured**

Germany asking for local support O(10M€) to carry out a comprehensive study and maybe push for a candidature

Time to discuss the level of financial involvement by other EU countries in ET for the following decade —> Spain ?



Einstein Telescope in Euregio Meuse-Rhine (EMR)

Nationaal Groeifonds (the Netherlands)

Emphasis on potential socio-economic Impact

Submitted by OCW Ministry (EZK Ministry support)

Supported by ~70 Dutch Institutions

APPROVED

In October 2022 the Netherlands submitted large funding proposal within context of the 'National Groeifonds'. Decision in April 2022.

Includes 42 M€ for geology, R&D & organization as well as possible Dutch share towards ET realization

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ETIC – Einstein Telescope Infrastructure Consortium

Next Generation EU Investment focused on ET enabling technology and Sardinian site candidature support

Leaded by INFN, Partners: 11 Universities INAF and Italian Space Agency

Budget 50M€ approved

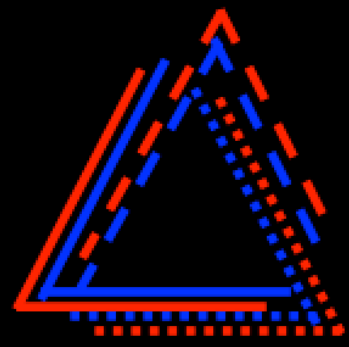
Start of the project: 1st December 2022

Discussion ongoing with the Italian Government on an Italian share toward ET realization

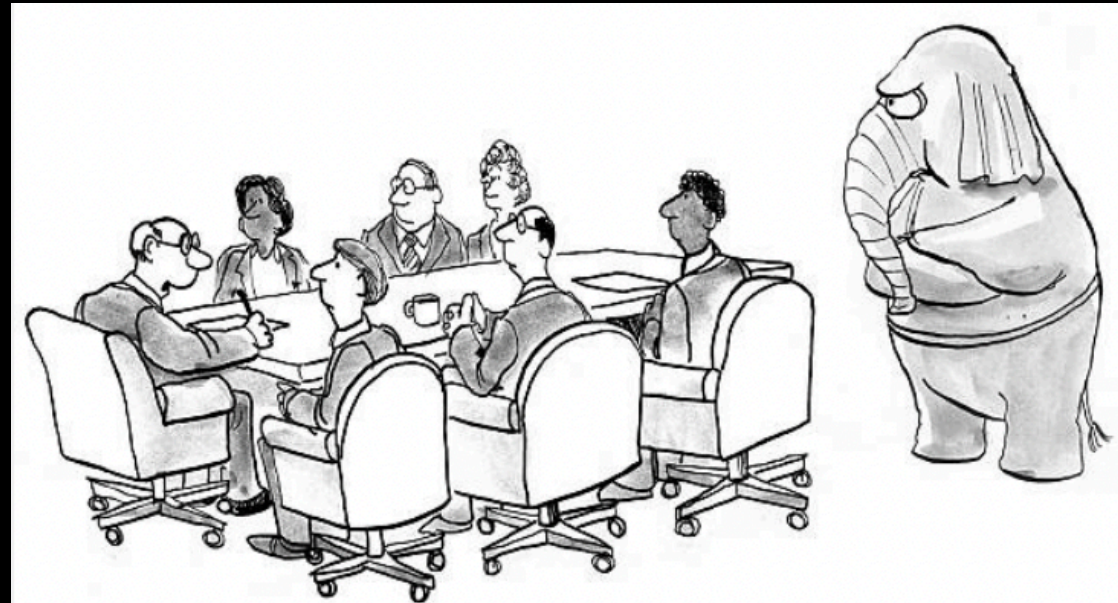
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- INFN-BO Bologna University
- INFN-PD Padova University
- INFN-PG Perugia University
- INFN-LNGS GSSI
- INFN-TO
- INFN-PI Pisa University
- INAF-Adoni
- INFN – RM1 La Sapienza University
- INFN – RM2 Tor Vergata University
- INFN – NA Federico II University
- INFN – LNS
- Vanvitelli University
- ASI-Matera
- INFN – CA Cagliari University

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Ongoing layout discussion



- Two scenarios
- D of 10 km
 - D of 15 km

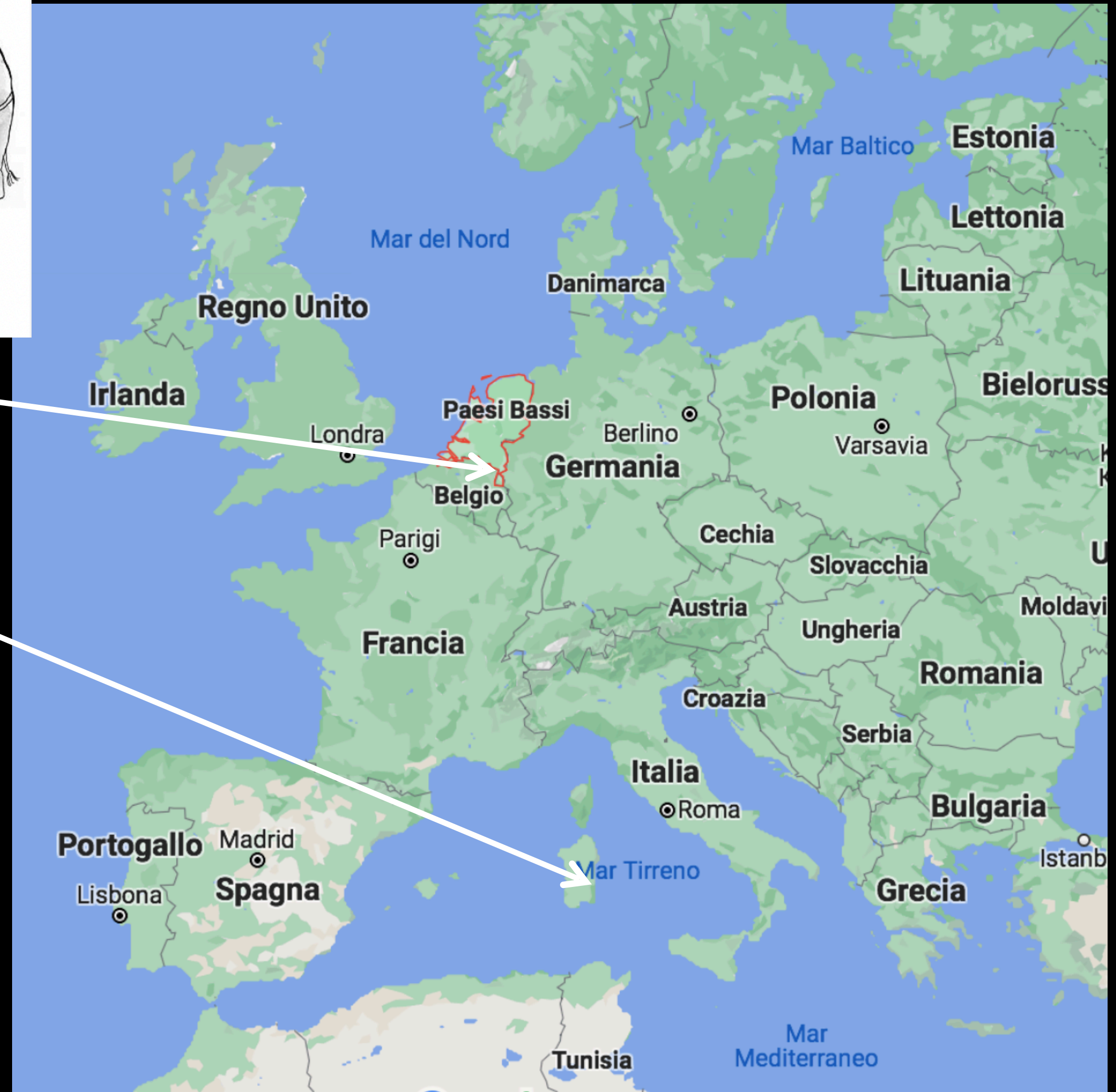


"I suppose I'll be the one to mention the elephant in the room."



- Two scenarios
- 2L of 15 km
 - 2L of 20 km

2L misaligned of 45°



- Full sensitivity: HF+LF
- Only HF
- Always underground

Scientific community made a study of physics potential comparing ET-baseline (triangle) vs 2L configurations

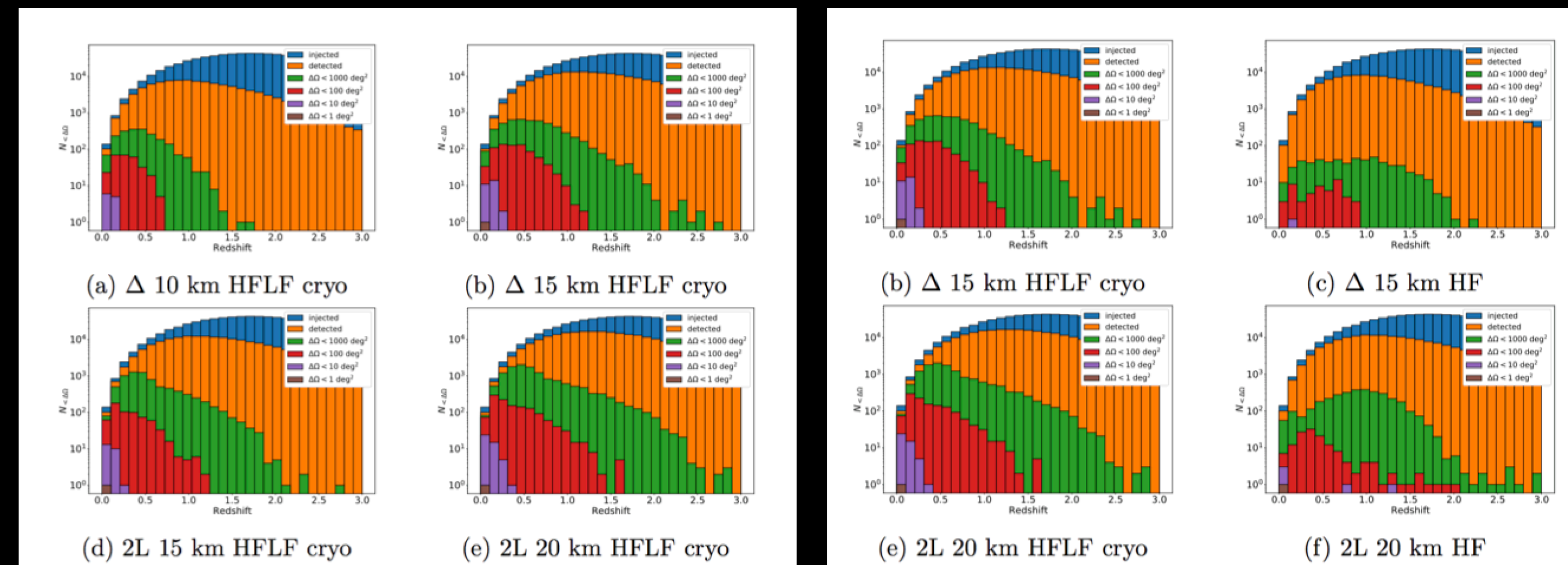
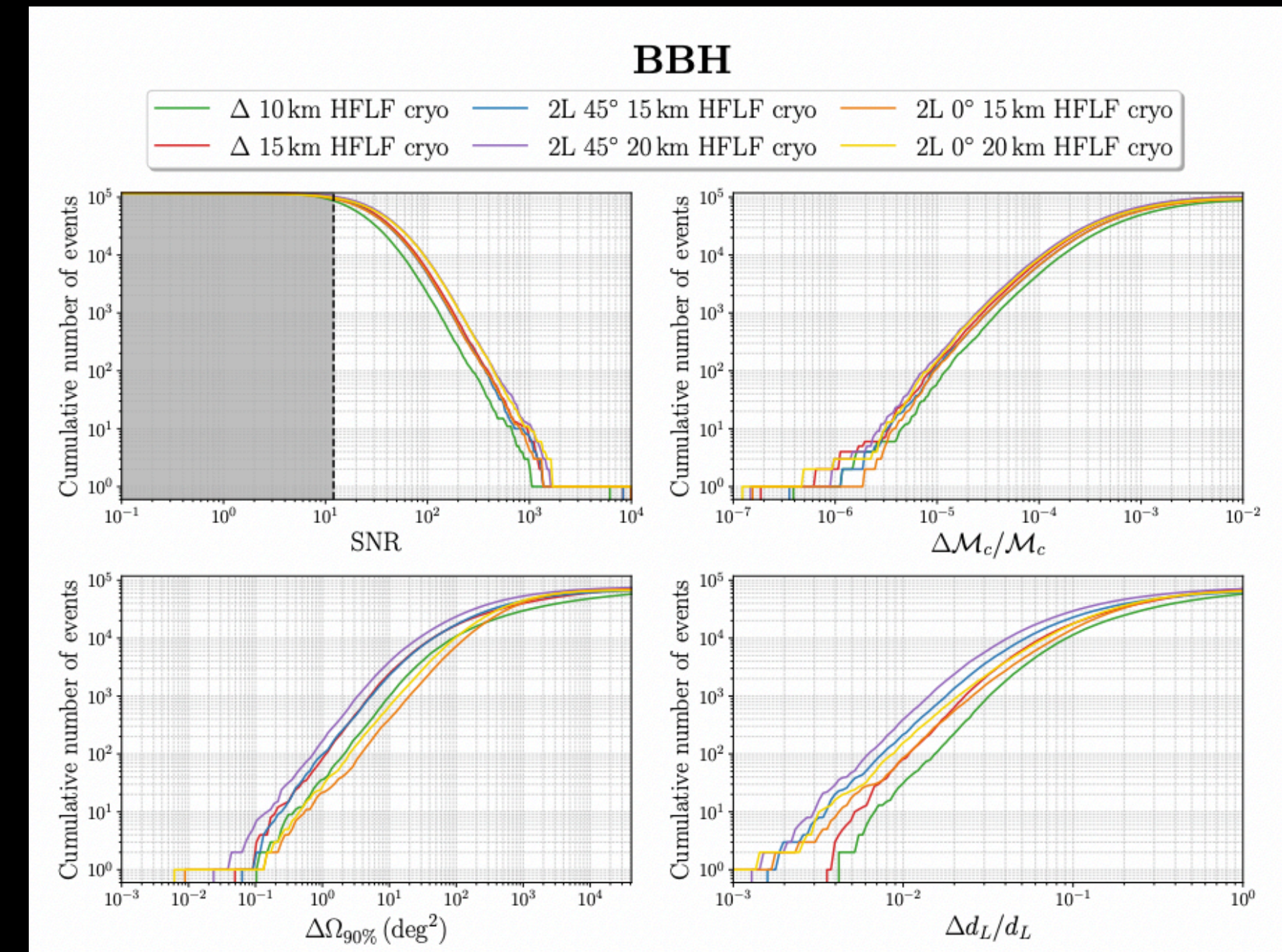
→ ETO received the mandate to present full cost of risk analysis

→ Will compare underground 10 km ET triangle vs underground 2L 15km

Comparative studies

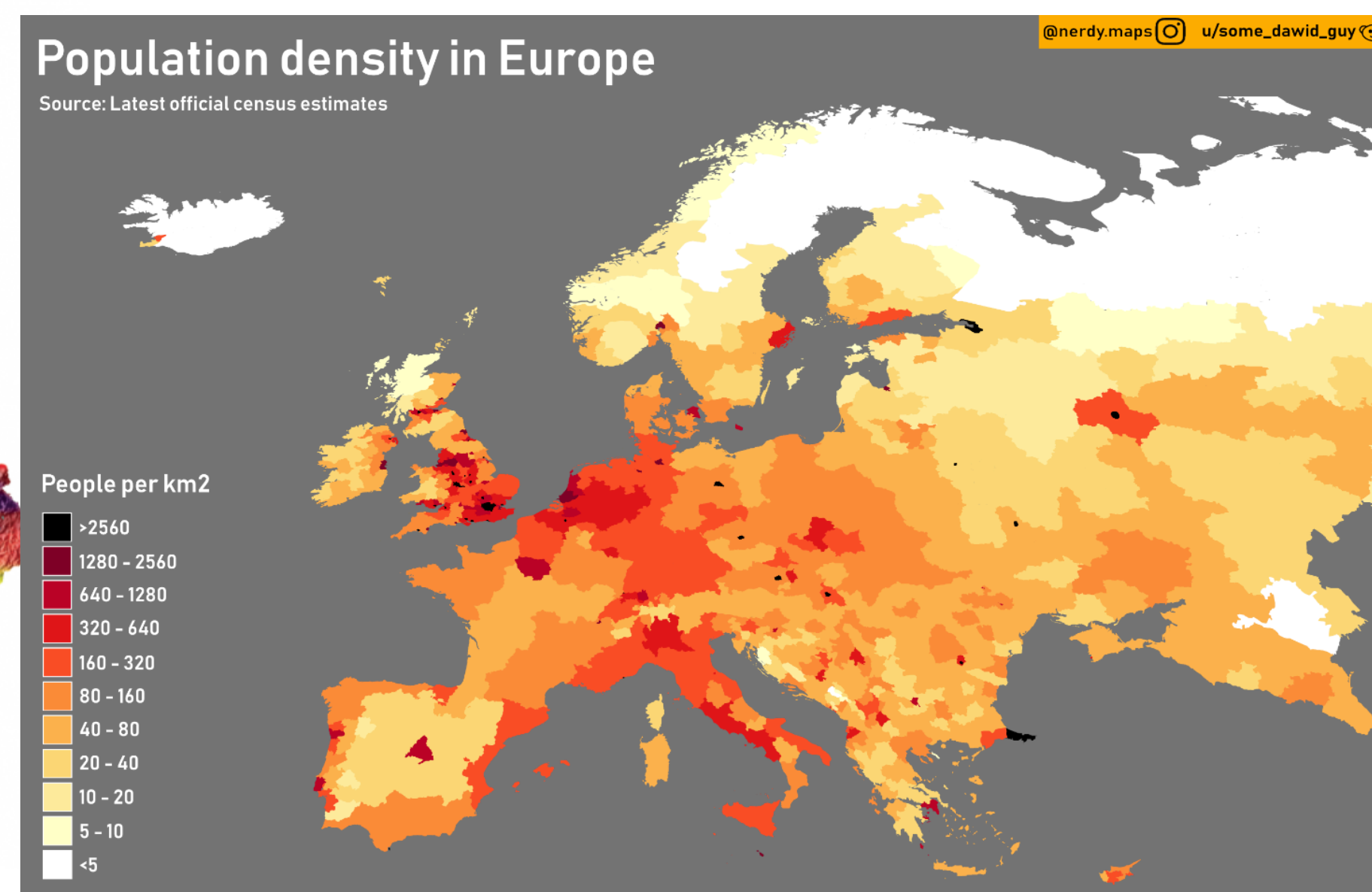
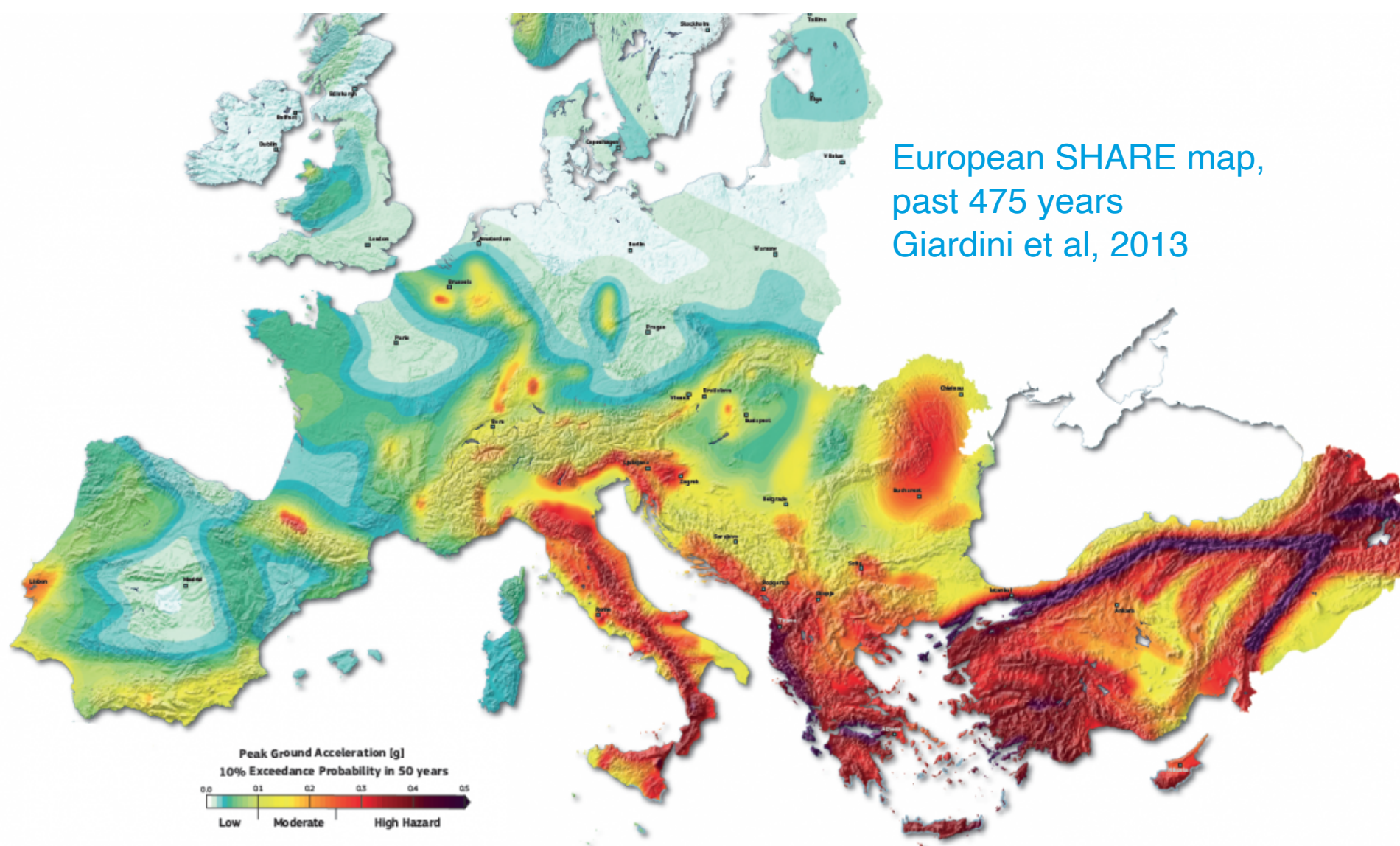
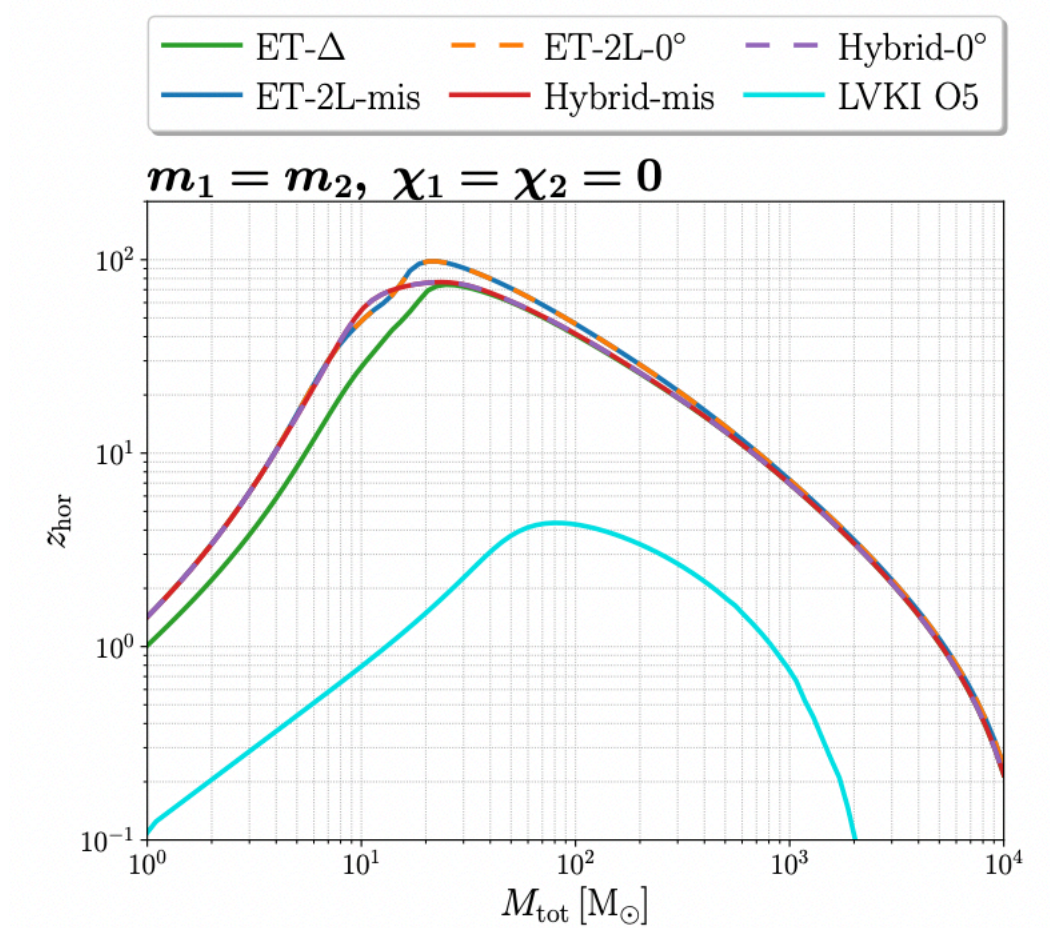
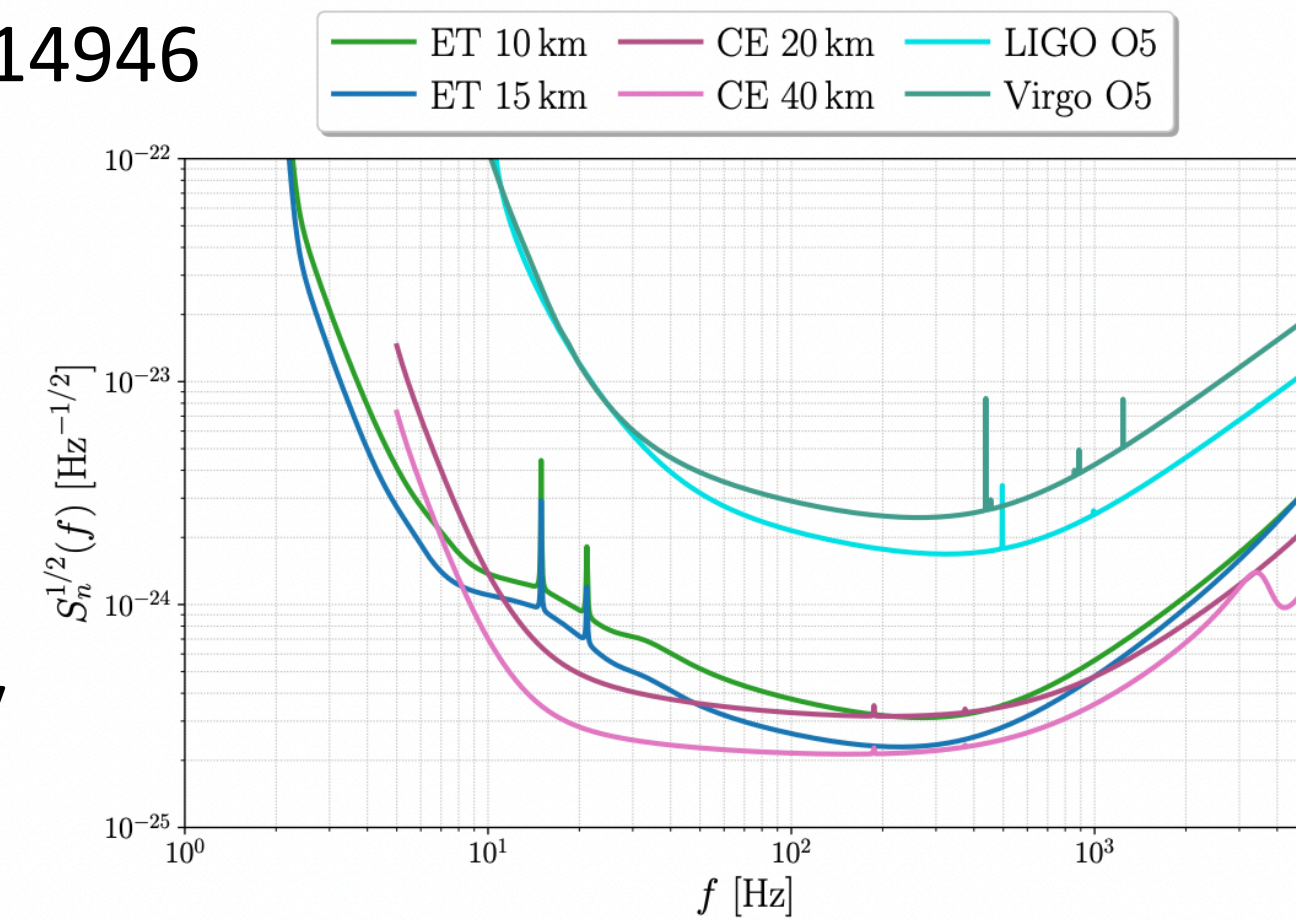
(only physics potential)

- The conclusions are the expected ones
 - Longer arms perform better
 - Only 1L is not an option (dependent on overall network)
 - Either one site Triangle or 2 sites L
- NO LF translates into reduction of well localised events (more severe for triangular configuration)
 - 2L HF 15 km comparable to HFLF $\Delta 10$ km
- Only LF makes BNS pre-merger alerts possible \rightarrow impact on multi messenger
- Concerns about possible correlations in the Δ compromising stochastic searchers



On surface + Underground ? <https://arxiv.org/pdf/2408.14946>

- CE with longer arms 40km + 20 km is better in the bulk of the sensitivity (10 - 200 Hz) and much cheaper by going on surface
- ET brings the new technology developments to reach low frequencies by going underground + cryogenics (following the path of KAGRA...)
- If ever EU decides to complement ET and build an affordable very long (O 20km) L-shaped one... you need to find a flat stable and empty place.
- **Simulations for 2L hybrid (surface + underground) rather competitive**



A surface solution would make Spain a unique place in Europe

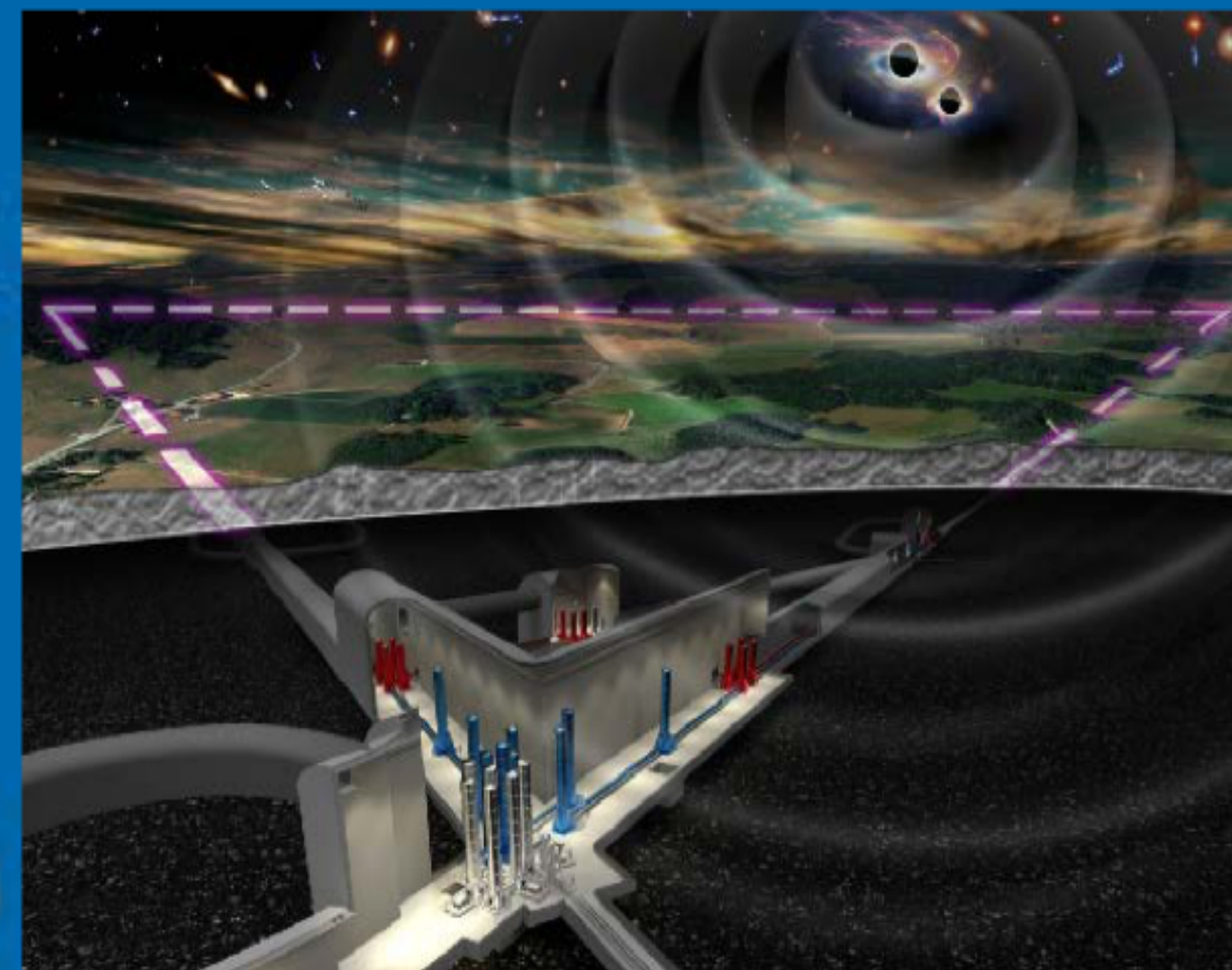
A feasibility study would need O(10M€) and two years of very serious work —

—> geological studies

—> costs, legal frameworks..



<https://www.et-gw.eu/>



Project submitted by:

- **Italy** (Lead Country)
- Netherlands
- Belgium
- Spain
- Poland

30/06/2021:
**ET is on the
ESFRI roadmap!**

ET Consortium

- ET CA signed by 41 institutions
- INFN and Nikhef are the coordinators of the consortium
- Funding expected in the next months by the governments in the frontline
- EU funding for the Preparatory Phase in 2022



Einstein Telescope as ESFRI



Funding & tender opportunities
Single Electronic Data Interchange Area (SEDIA)

SEARCH FUNDING & TENDERS | HOW TO PARTICIPATE | PROJECTS & RESULTS | WORK AS AN EXPERT

Preparatory phase of new ESFRI research infrastructure projects

TOPIC ID: HORIZON-INFRA-2021-DEV-02-01

Grant

Goals for ET Preparatory Phase

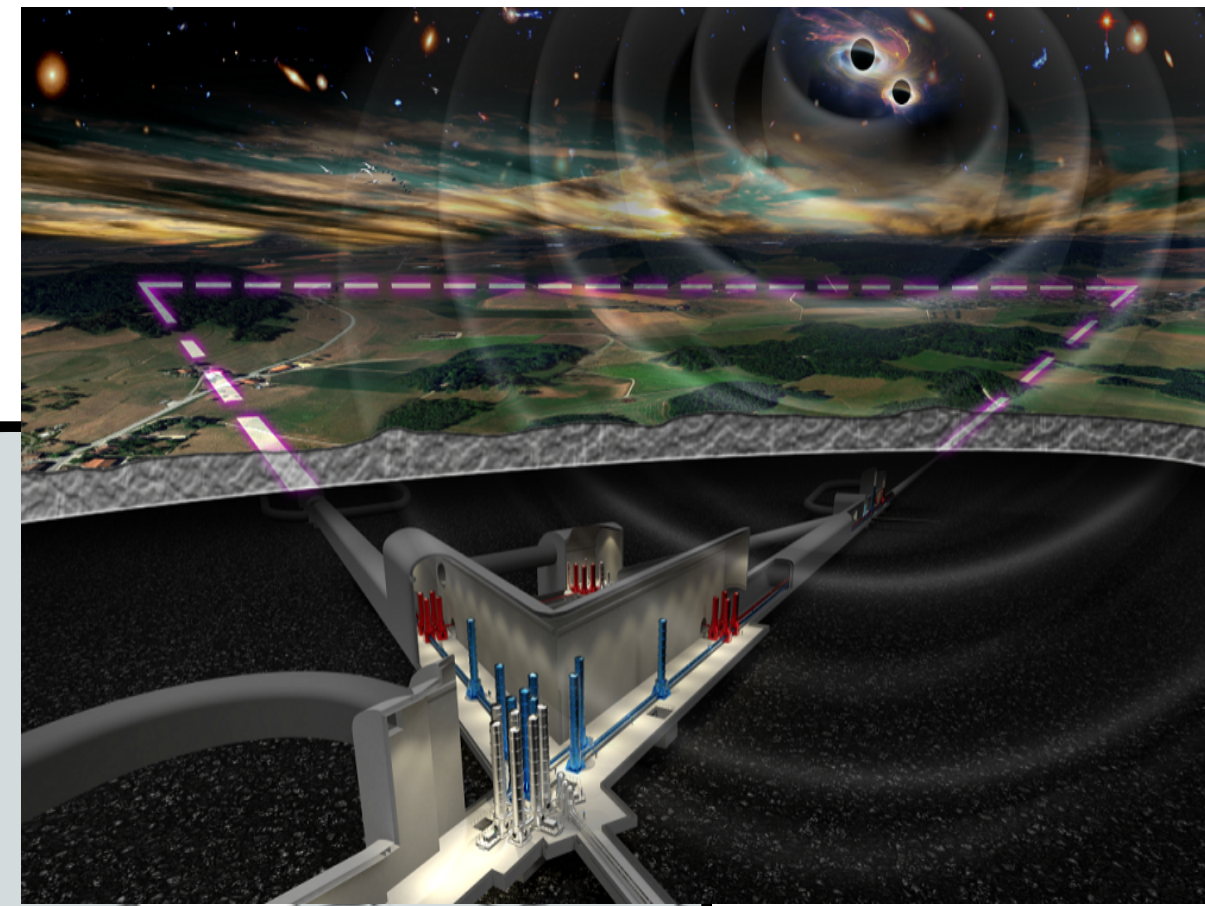
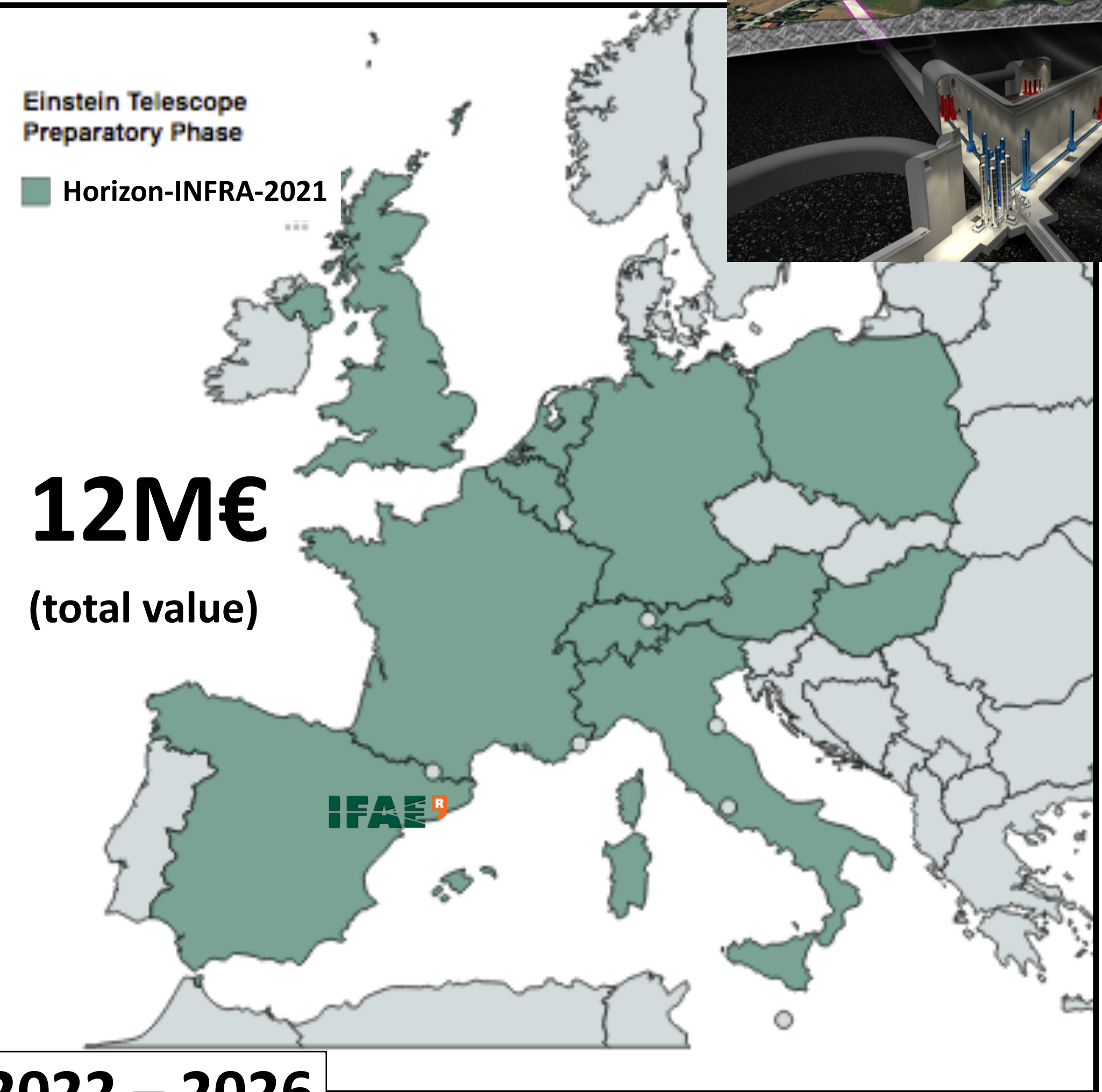
- Governance
- Financial architecture/plan/framework
- ET legal entity
- Final ET design and cost evaluation
- Site or sites selection
- Construction funding
- User services
- Computing model
- Sustainability

3.45M€

Deadline model
single-stage

Planned opening date
30 September 2021

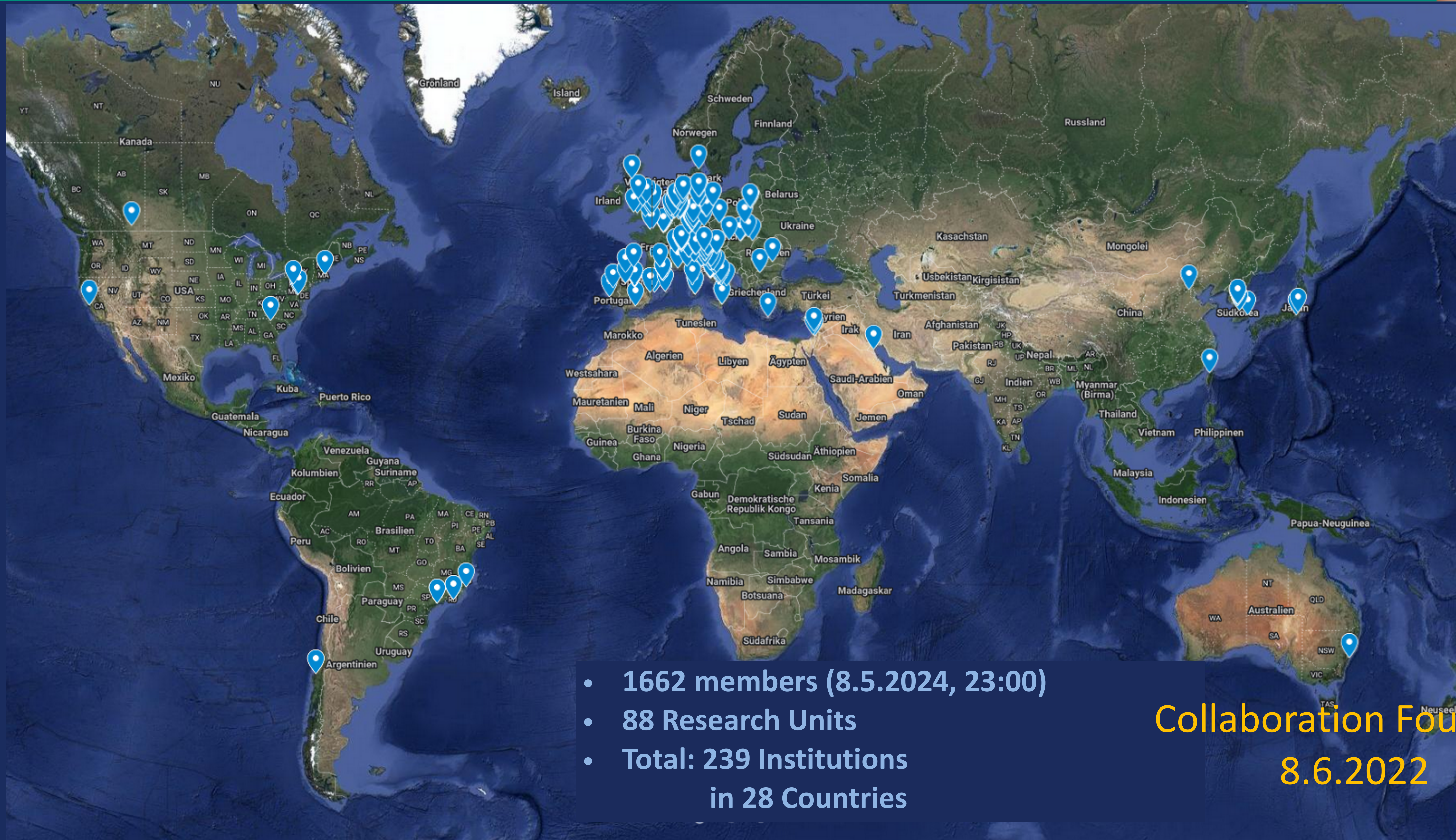
Deadline
20 January



Einstein Telescope Preparatory Phase (ET-PP) in 2022 – 2026
HORIZON-INFRA-DEV EU Project coordinated by IFAE

→ <https://etpp.iafe.es> → Two years more to go

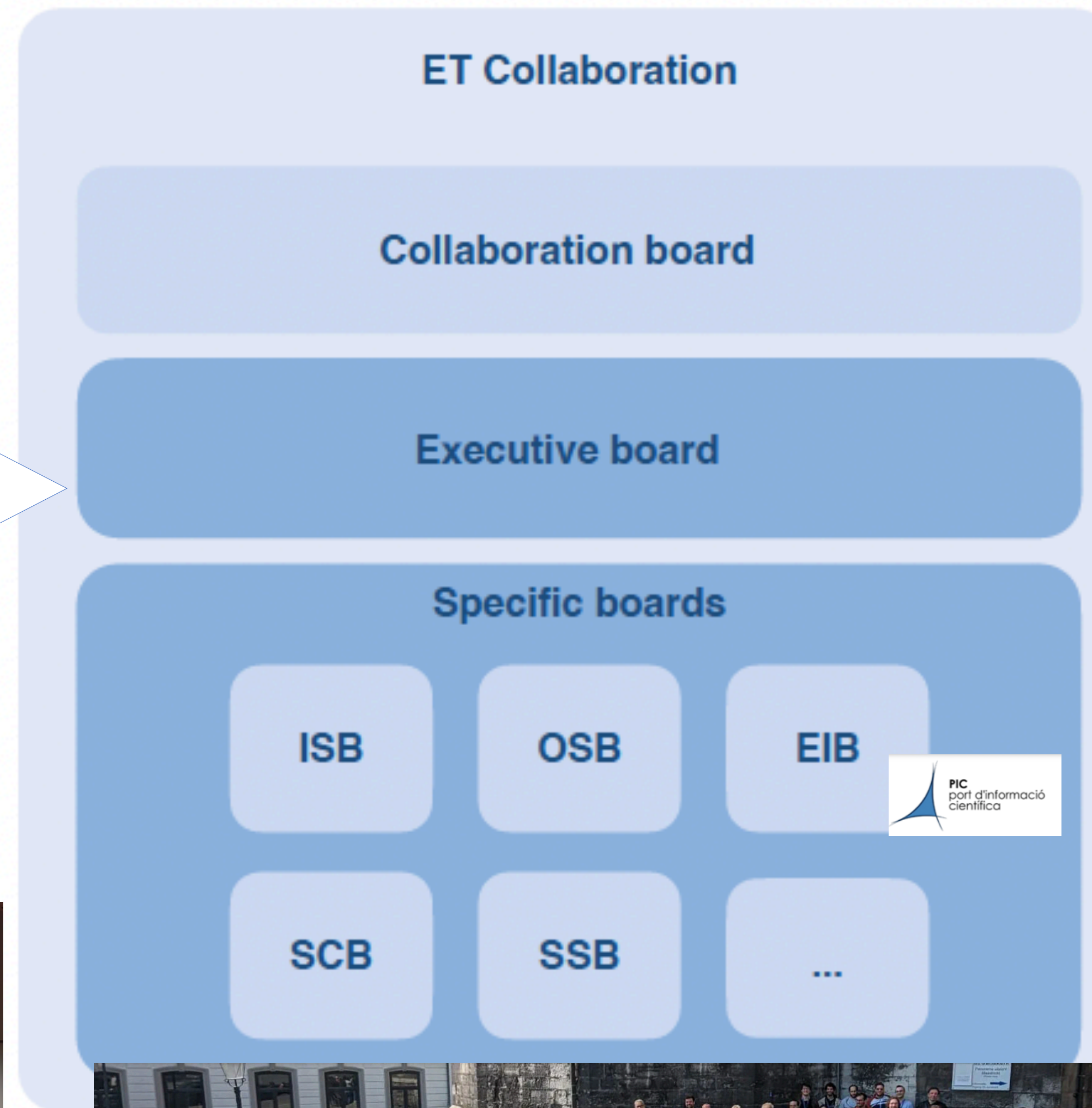
ET Member's Affiliation Map



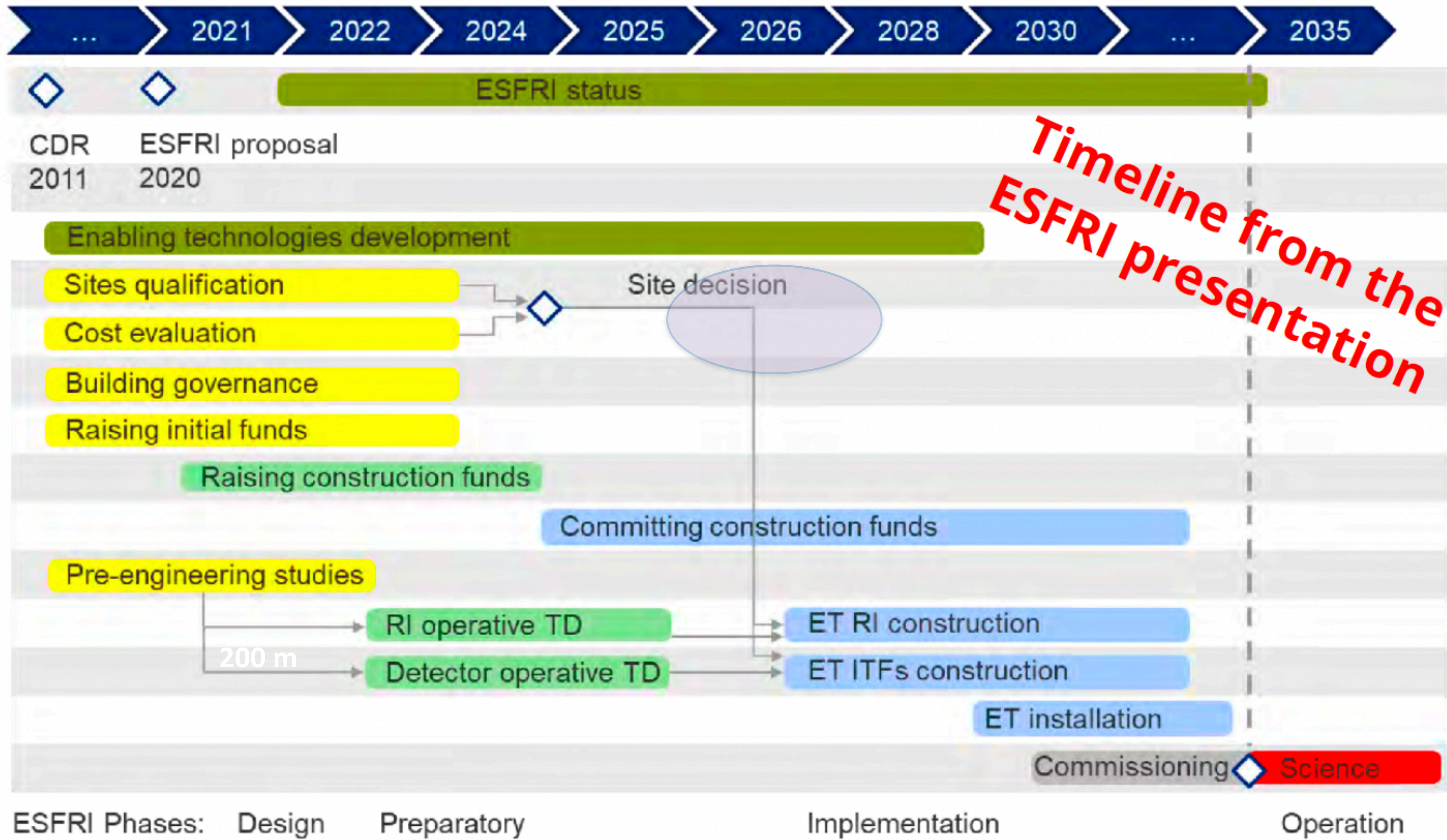
- 1662 members (8.5.2024, 23:00)
- 88 Research Units
- Total: 239 Institutions in 28 Countries

Collaboration Founding
8.6.2022

ET experiment and ET Organization



ET-PP is naturally framed inside ETO chart
ET research infrastructure, services, and vacuum system under ETO supervision
ET Scientific Collaboration dedicated to experiment design & scientific exploitation



Timeline from the ESFRI presentation

ET project is now in the preparatory phase

—> We know already ESFRI roadmap schedule was too optimistic based on simplified assumptions

—> We are in the process to define a new schedule and roadmap —> to be ready by early 2025

EMR-TETI civil engineering - Timelines

Example 1: Civil engineering (with CERN)

Timeline		2023				2024				2025				2026			
Activities	Dur (mo)	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
EMR																	
Technical studies subsurface	?	█				█				█							
1st Assessment subsurface	?					█				█							
Draft Bidbook	?									█							
Location Scenarios	?									█							
Structure Design	?									█							
Cost Estimate	?									█							
Tender Plan Construction Phase	?									█							
Logistics Plan Construction Phase	?									█							
Spatial Plan Corner Points	?									█							
Risk Register	?									█							
Implementation plan & tender dossier	?									█							
TETI																	
Performing Surveys & Drillings	12					█				█							
Positioning of Underground Structures (Triangle and 2L)	12					█				█							
Underground Service Plants	12					█				█							
Surface Buildings	7					█				█							
Construction of Underground Structures	16					█				█							
Cost and Time Estimation	2					█				█							
Permissions and opinions for construction	16					█				█							

EMR site

- Underground investigations (surveys, drilling and testing) Q2 2025
- Positioning and construction design Q3 2025
- Implementation plan & tender dossier (Bidbook. ?) Q3 2026

Sardinia site

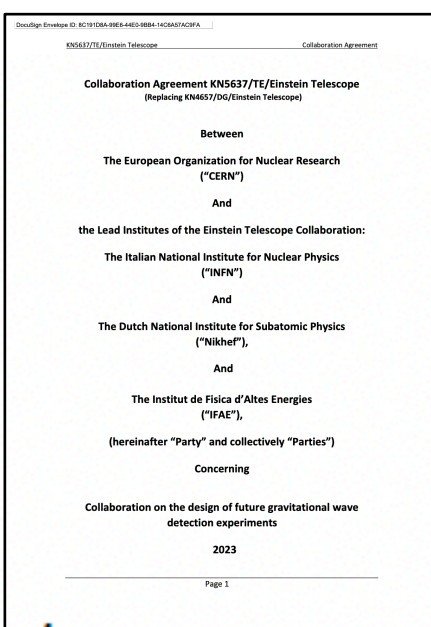
- Underground investigations (drilling and testing) Q1 2025
- Positioning and construction design Q2 2025

Preliminary dates that will still change!





Working with CERN

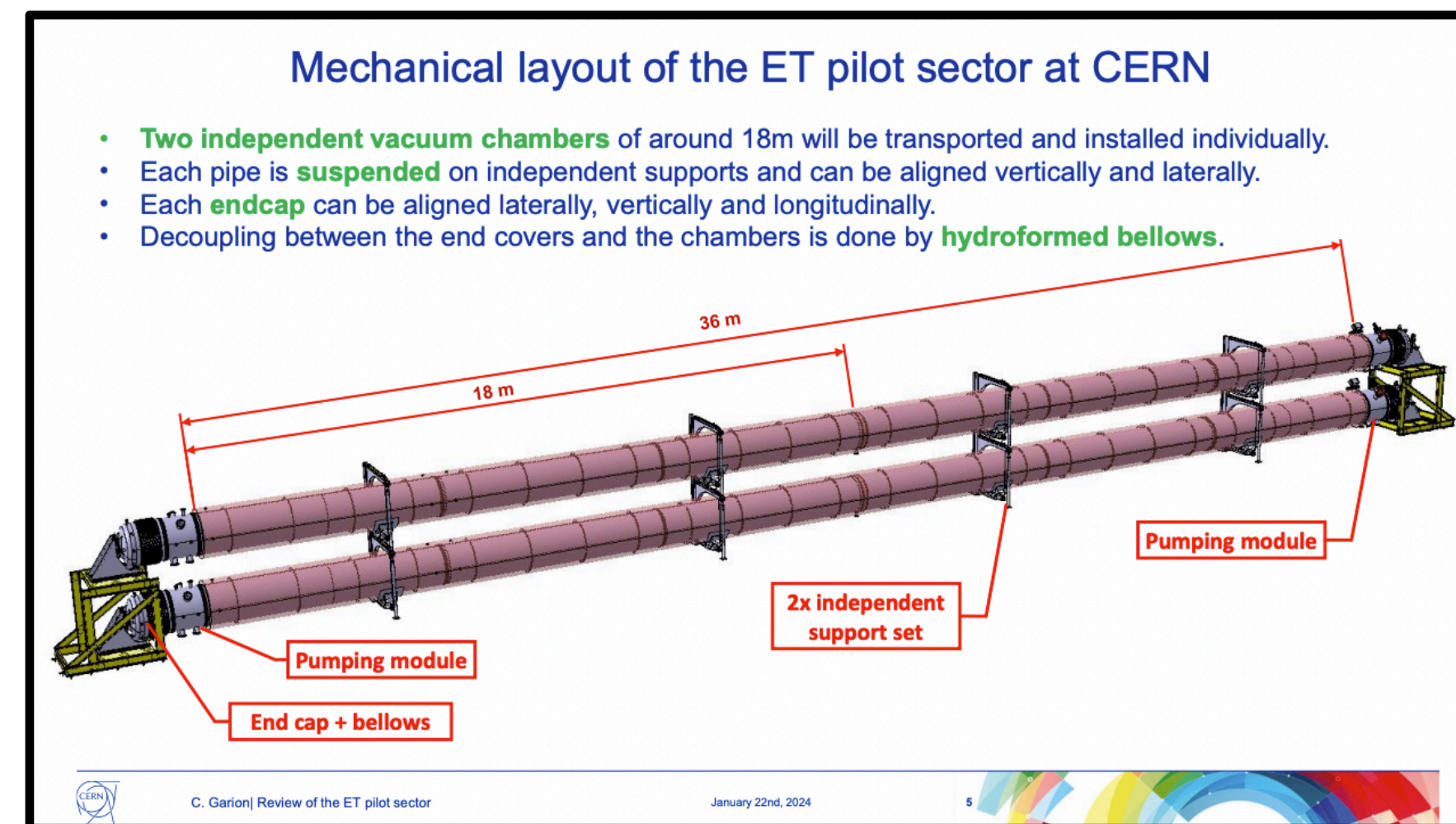
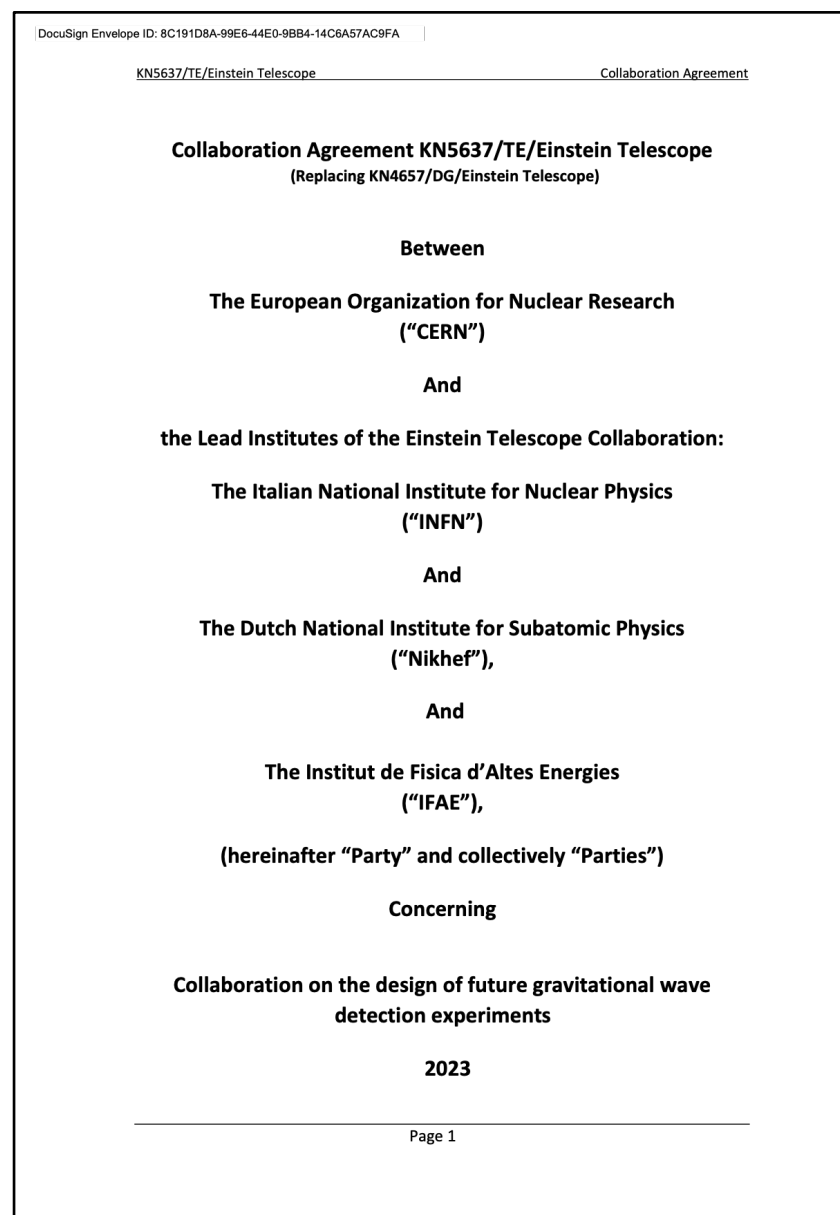


The Einstein Telescope is a 'recognised experiment' at CERN. We can access support provided it is cost neutral to CERN.

- **Vacuum pipe:** governed by an MOU between CERN, INFN, Nikhef and IFAE, CERN has started a dedicated activity to deliver the technical design report for the vacuum pipe in 2025. Currently a prototyp station is being built at CERN, supported by a large and efficient team.
- **Civil engineering:** an extension to the MOU has been agreed: CERN will provide consultancy and technical support towards the creation of the TDR for the civil engineering and technical infrastructure for 2026.
- **Document management:** project management requires specific tools, we are investigating the use of the CERN tool EDMS. CERN is providing support for a pilot study which has now started.
- **Engineering support:** technical designs at CERN are usually done by a large interdisciplinary team, including for example the safety group. We have organised several discussions with the relevant teams and are now formulating a plan for dedicated support for the design of the technical infrastructure.

MoU signed with CERN

We are strategically placed in areas with huge industrial returns close contacts with Ministry and CDTI [being part of ET-PP]



Global planning 2025

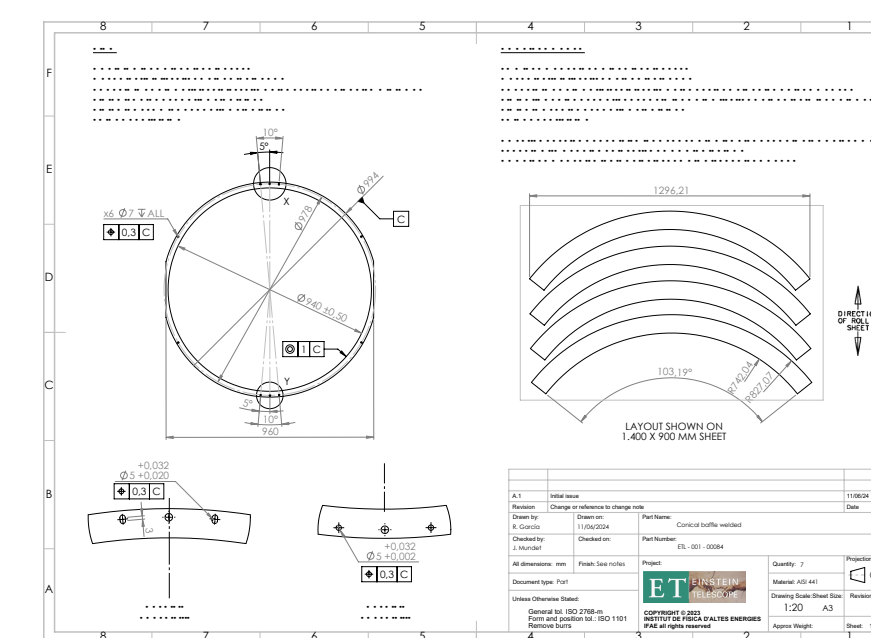
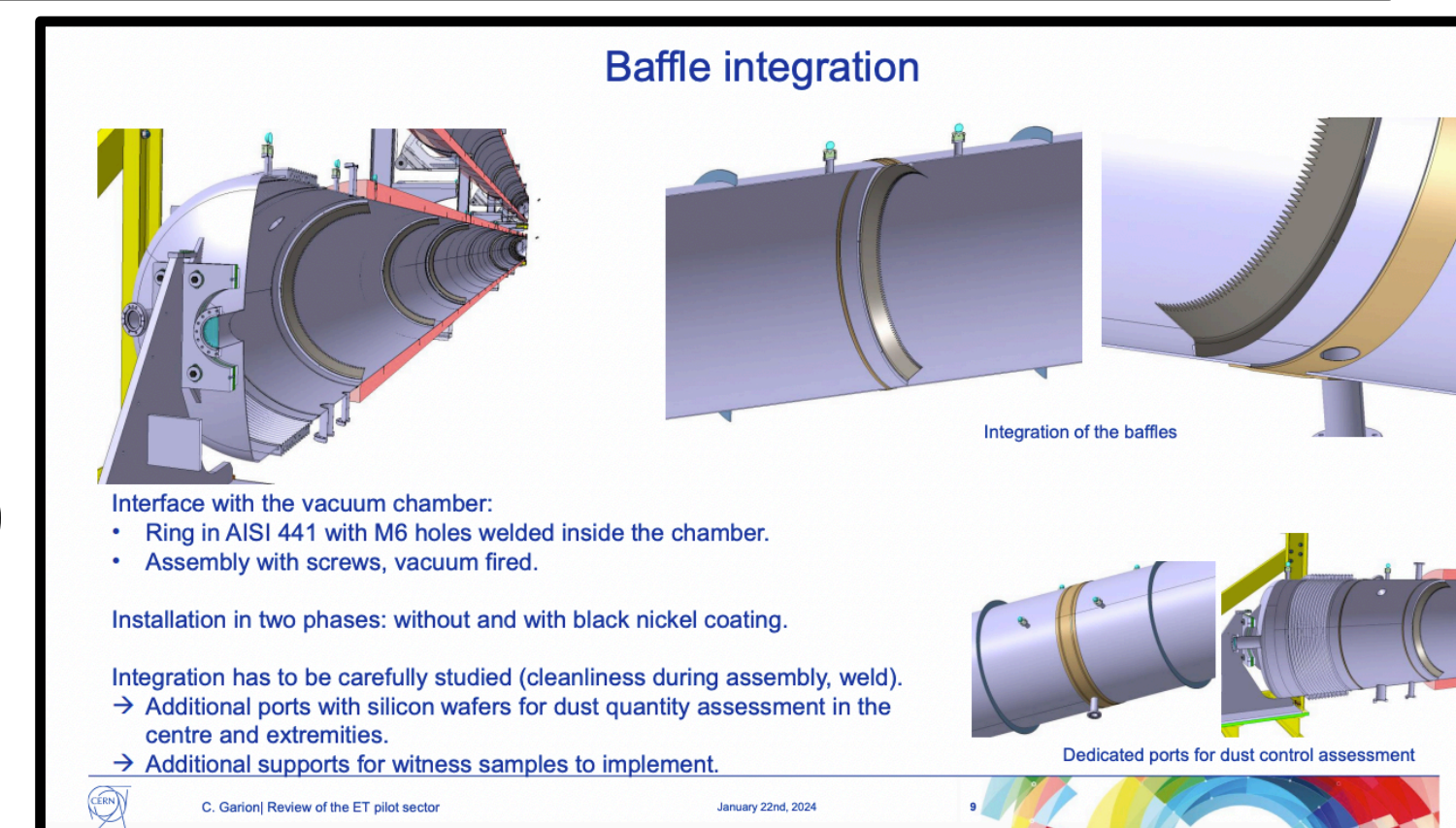
	First year				Second year				Third year			
	Q 1	Q 2	Q 3	Q 4	Q 1	Q 2	Q 3	Q 4	Q 1	Q 2	Q 3	Q 4
Functional specifications	█	█										
Roles and agreement with Institutes	█	█										
Optimisation of baseline, including cost analysis	█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█				
Definition of alternative solutions	█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█				
Cost & performance of alternative solutions	█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█				
Optimisation of interfaces with services/infrastructures	█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█
Decision about vacuum design for pilot sector at CERN.								█				
Prototyping of the selected solutions.									█	█	█	█
Technical design report (ET vacuum system).											█	█

18/05/2022 | Paolo Chiggiano | Nikhef-INFN-CERN kick-off meeting | 29

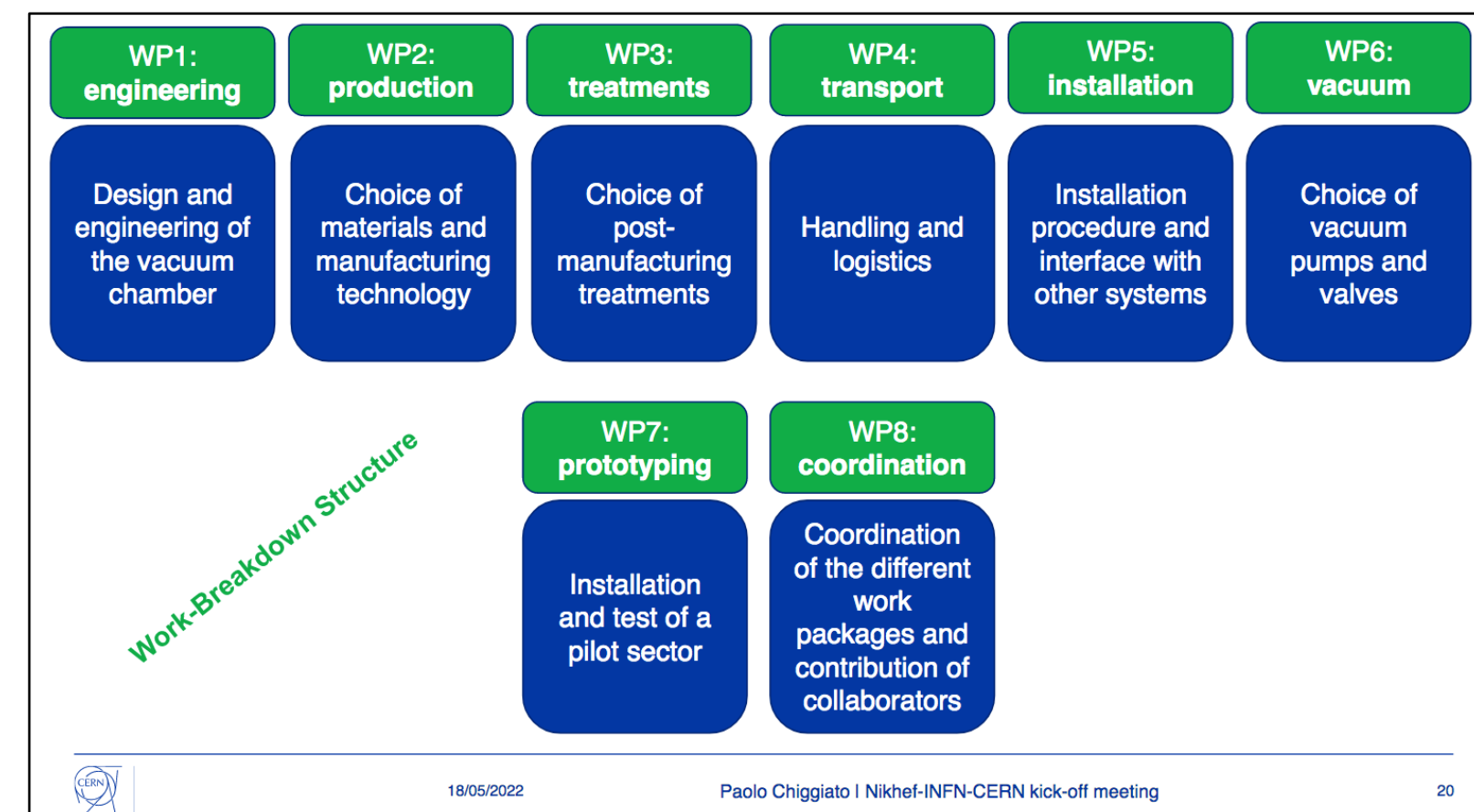
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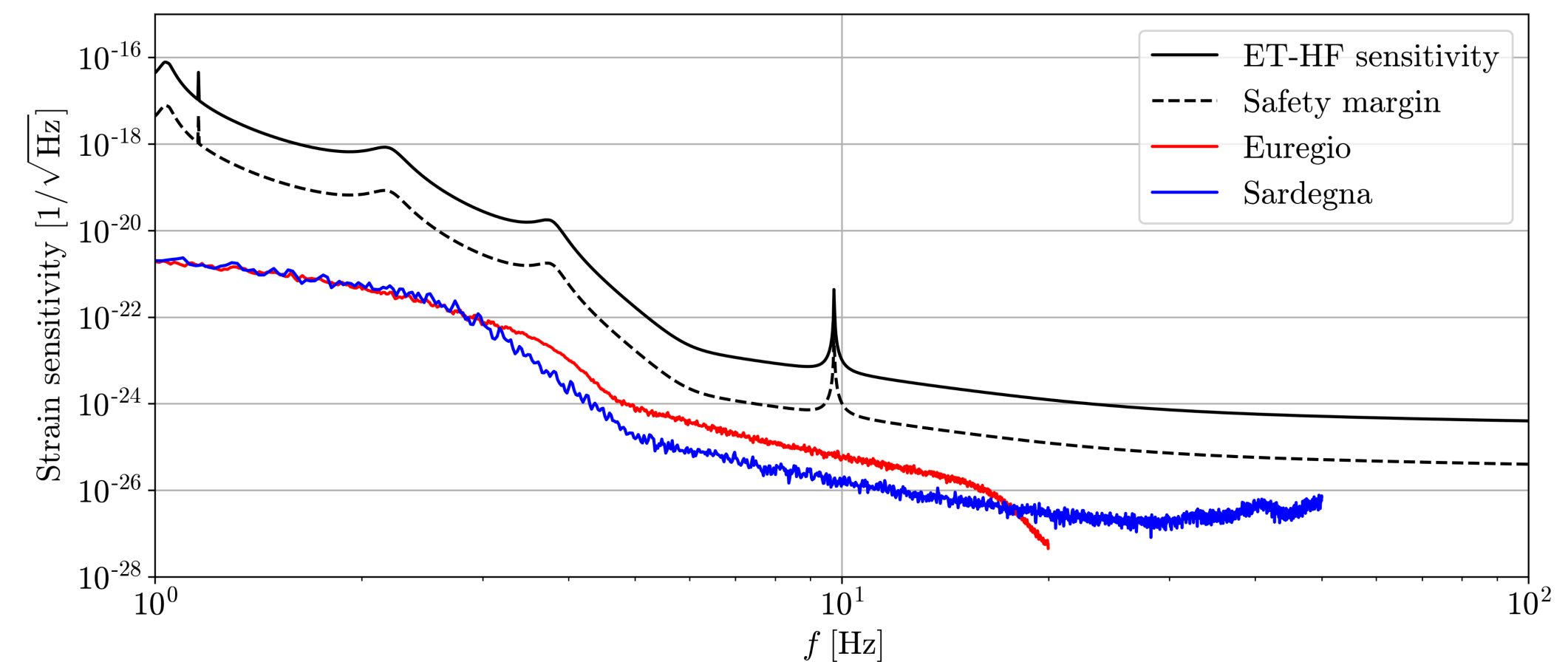
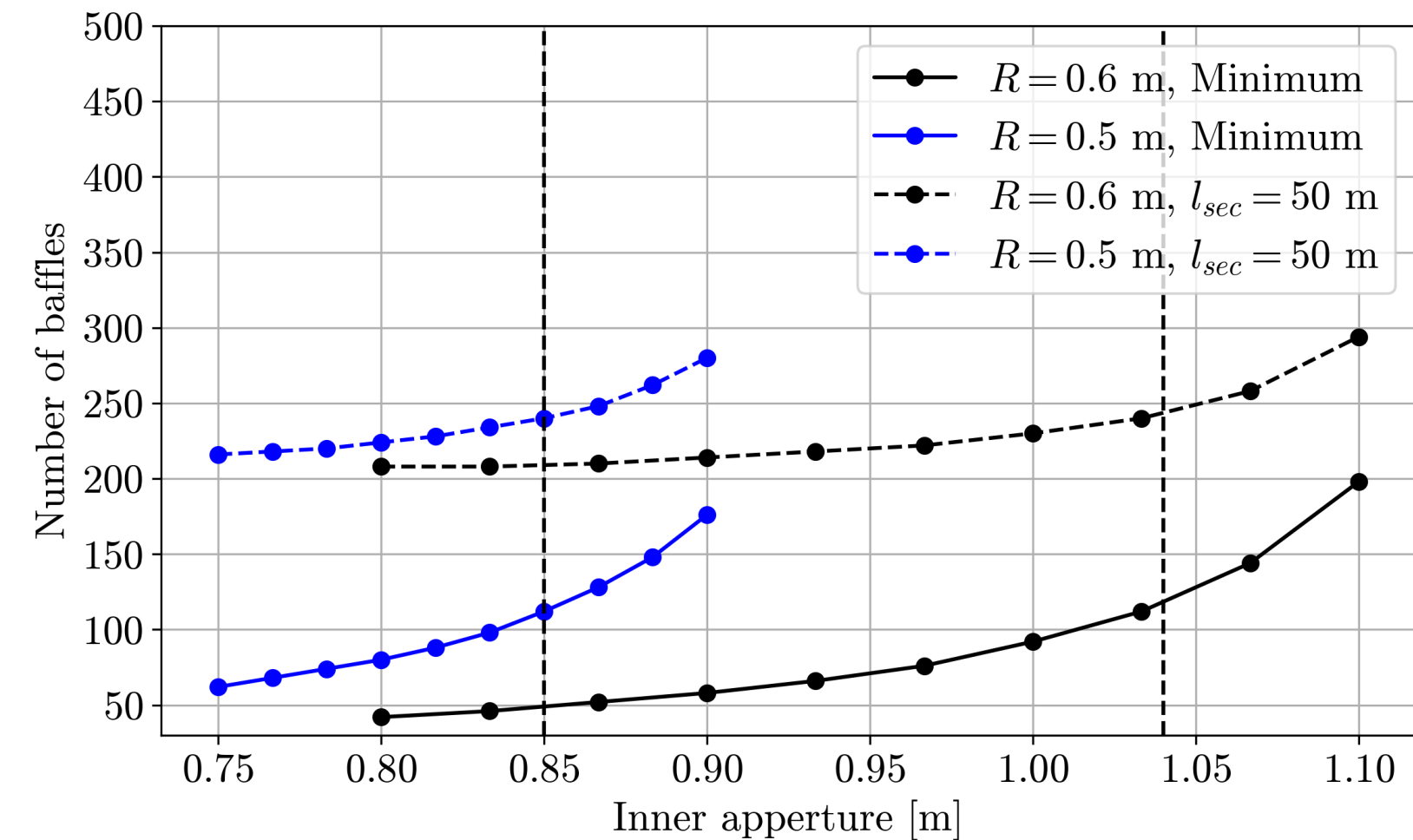
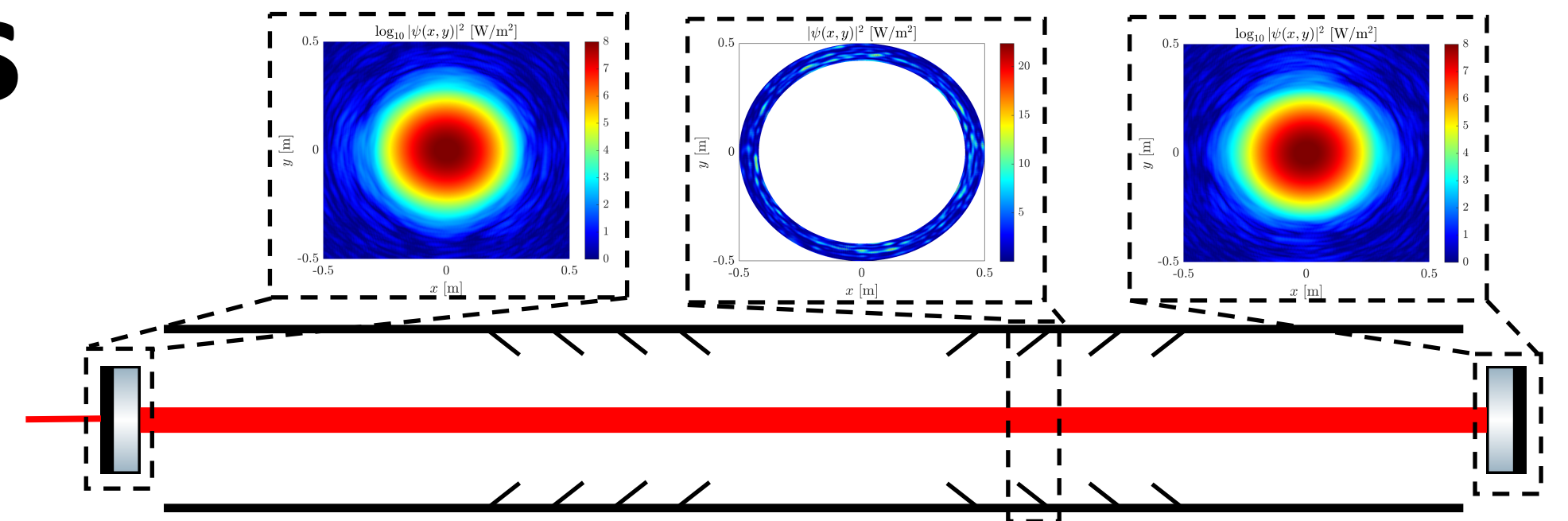
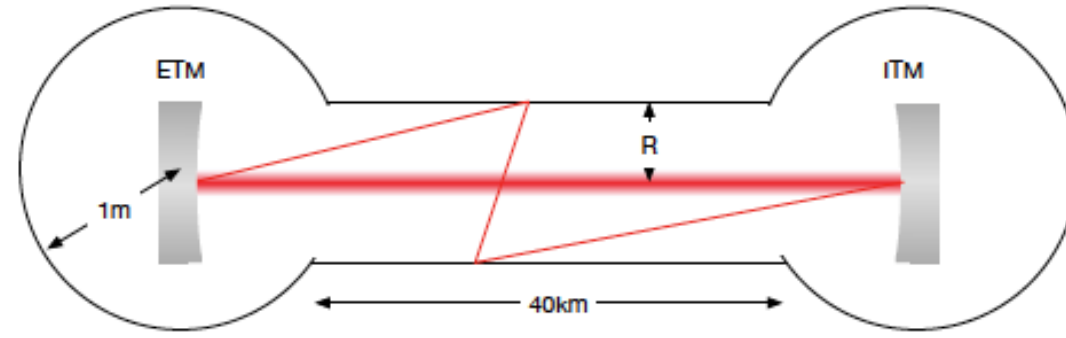
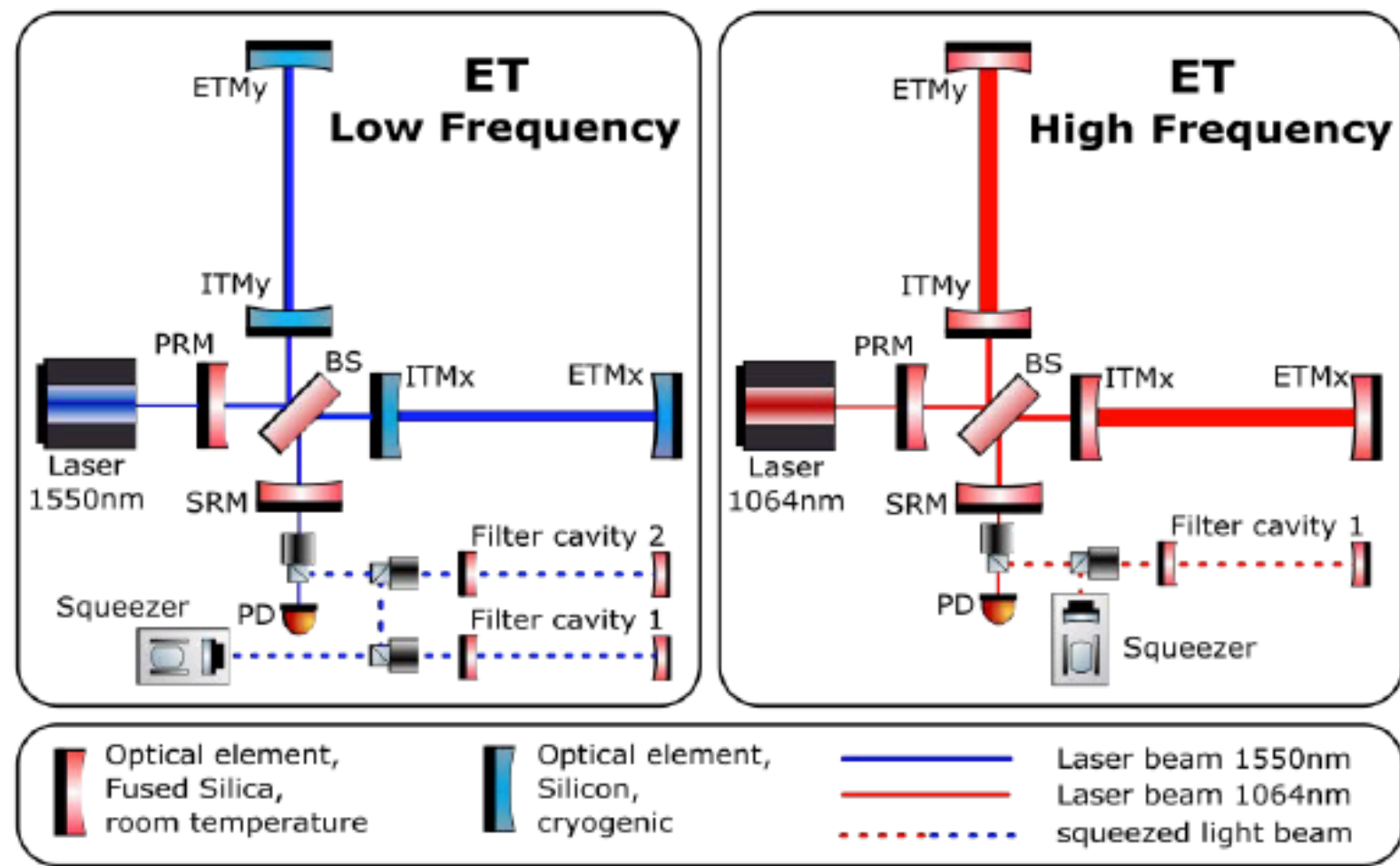
design of ET vacuum pipe (1/3 ET core cost)

- Prototypes 40 m long + UHV tests
- TDR by 2025 as main deliverable
- [exploring extending action to 2027]
- IFAE running stray light simulations
- IFAE in-kind contribution - O(14) baffles (w/wo special optical coatings)
- Synergy with LIGO and Cosmic Explorer



Launching baffle production now





IFO	λ	mode	mirror \varnothing	R_C	w_0	z_0	w	g -factor
ET-HF	1064 nm	TEM ₀₀	62 cm	5070 m	1.42 cm	5000 m	12.0 cm	0.95
ET-LF	1550 nm	TEM ₀₀	45 cm	5580 m	2.9 cm	5000 m	9.0 cm	0.63

Detailed simulations of the light propagation in the optical cavities

- Crucial input to determine tune diameter [huge impact on cost]
- Determines the mitigation strategy for reducing stray light noise
- Determines the baffle requirements (dimensions and optical specs)
- Determines the distribution of baffles in the 10km arm

- Possible thanks to close relation with Caltech - LIGO since 2020
- Running common ET/Cosmic Explorer meetings on Stray Light Control

IFAE recognised now as the reference inside ET for these aspects

ETO Engineering & CERN



Civil Engineering activity for ET in Phase 1 – MOU CERN



	Workpackages	Date
WP1	Cost Estimation Classification	Q3 2024
WP2	Shared tool for modelling	Q2 2025
WP3	Design of the underground civil infrastructure (ED)	Q4 2024
WP4	Coordination of local team activity	Q4 2026
WP5	Preliminary CE TDR	Q6 2026

MOU established with CERN 2024-2026

- support ETO on the preliminary TDR for the civil engineering infrastructure.
- review the activity plans and the documents from the local teams (TETI and EMR)

ETO Civil Engineering meeting with Local Teams (EMR and TETI)

Meeting date: 29-30 April 2024

Meeting location: CERN

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**ADDENDUM NO. 1
KR5754/SCE
TO
FRAMEWORK COLLABORATION AGREEMENT
KN 5637/TE**

BETWEEN: THE EUROPEAN ORGANIZATION FOR NUCLEAR RESEARCH (“CERN”), an Intergovernmental Organization having its seat at Geneva, Switzerland,

AND: THE NATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR NUCLEAR PHYSICS (“INFN”), established in Rome, Italy,

AND: THE DUTCH NATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR SUBATOMIC PHYSICS (“Nikhef”), established in Amsterdam, The Netherlands,

AND: THE INSTITUT DE FISICA D’ALTES ENERGIES (“IFAE”), established in Barcelona, Spain,

Hereinafter each individually referred to as a “Party” and collectively as the “Parties”,

SCE-SAM-Future Studies Section

Future Accelerator Studies [FS]
SL: John Osborne
DL: Mar...
International Linear Collider, CLIC, Muon Collider, LHeC
External Reviews e.g. ESS, XFEL, DUNE etc.

Future Circular Collider (FCC) Underground Studies and Site Investigations

Physics Beyond Colliders (PBC) Einstein Telescope

Tunnel Asset Management (TAM) Tunnel R&D Photogrammetry/Fibre Optic Studies

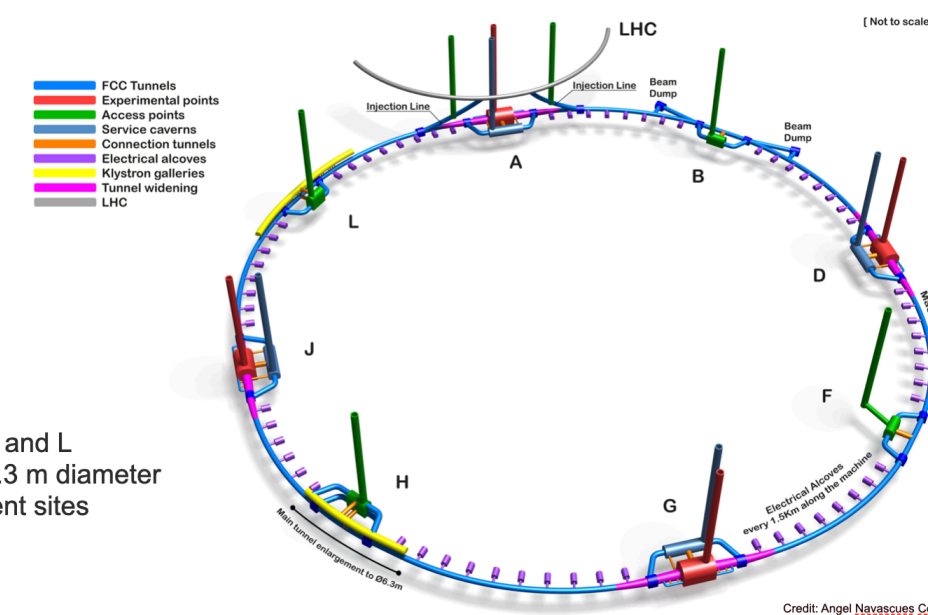
Roddy Cunningham, Guilhem Gabriel, Liam Broxley, Tamara Bud, Vanessa Di Murro, Aohui Guyang

Case Study - Future Circular Collider (FCC) Study

Design frozen for costing exercise every ~2 years

FCC Underground

- 90.6 km
- 8 Surface Sites
- 4 Experimental Areas
- 4 Technical Areas
- 14 shafts
- Klystron Galleries at Point H and L
- Point H tunnel widening to 6.3 m diameter
- Tunnel widening at experiment sites
- Beam dump at point B



ET will count with the supervision of the same CERN team behind the recent FCC studies —> will guarantee the quality

Italy-Spain Global Agreement (2nd July 2024)

- **Scientific cooperation agreement between Italy and Spain**
 - Spain politically supports Italian ET candidature in Sardinia
 - Spain will explore entering as full member in EGO's Council (Virgo)
 - (Limited) Funding being included in the PGE 2005 draft for ET - CERN activities
 - Italy contributes to IFMIF-DONES in Granada
- **Seed for possible bilateral programs...**



ET R&D (INFN-IFAE discussions)

<https://agenda.infn.it/event/36477/>

INFN-IFAE Collaboration

Thursday Jun 22, 2023, 9:00 AM → 6:00 PM Europe/Rome

Seminar Room (EGO)

Description Zoom coordinates for remote connection

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89124547121?pwd=TktnMXNoQXArYXBrYUZackYydHpkQT09>

Meeting ID: 891 2454 7121

Passcode: 657229

Participants

A Aniello Grado E Elisabetta Cesarini F Francesco Fidecaro G Giacomo Ciani L Livia Conti S Stefano Bagnasco +1

9:00 AM → 1:20 PM Common Activities: Italian R&D Activites and Infrastructures

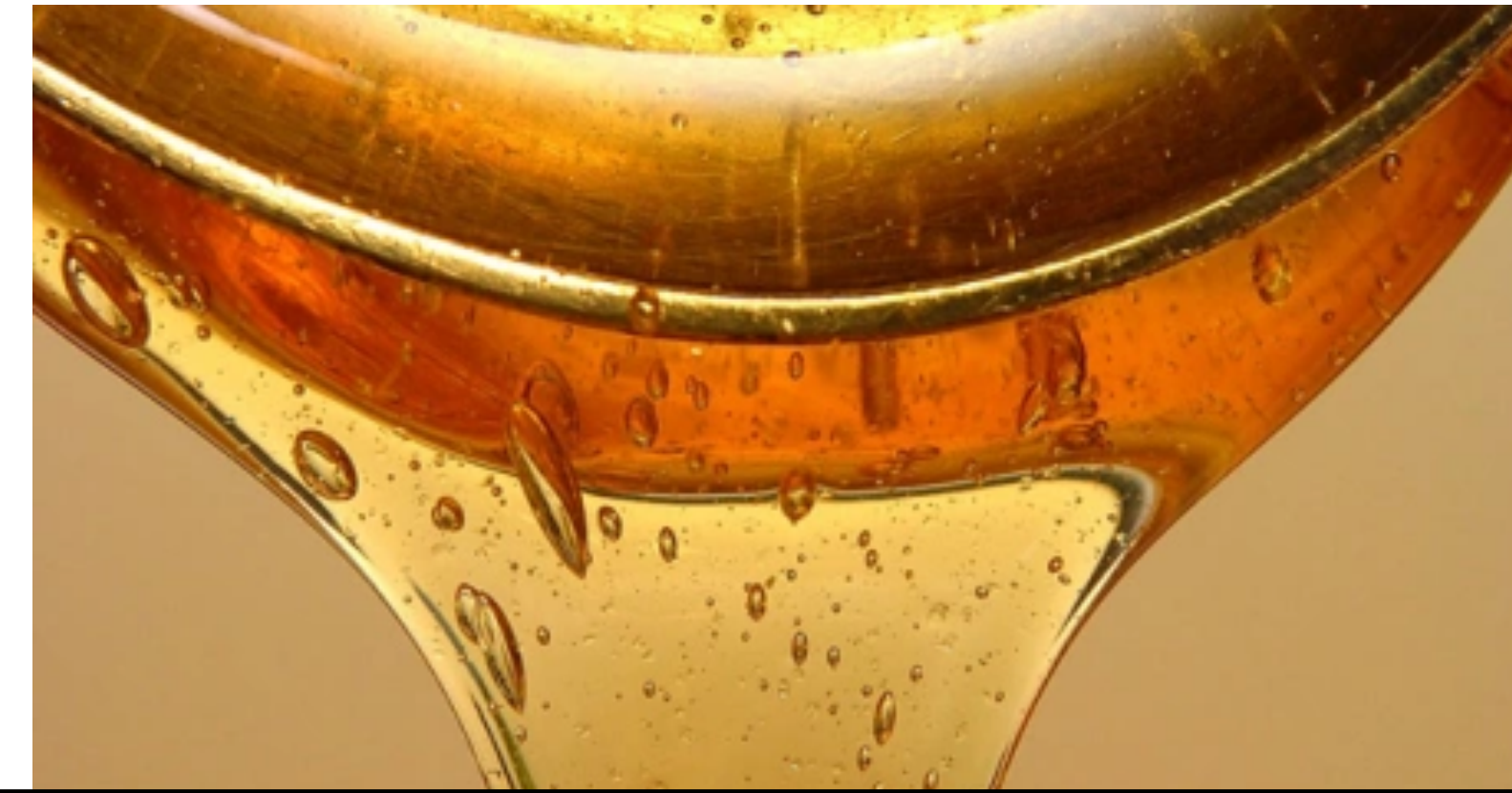
- 9:00 AM **Welcome** ⌚ 10m
Speakers: Prof. Massimo Carpinelli (LNS), Prof. Massimo Carpinelli (EGO)
- 9:10 AM **Introduction** ⌚ 10m
Intro.pptx
- 9:20 AM **3G Vacuum Systems and Cryogenics** ¶ ⌚ 20m
Speakers: Aniello Grado (Istituto Nazionale di Fisica Nucleare), Aniello Grado (INAF-Osservatorio Astronomico di Capodimonte)
ET_Vacuum_Grado....
- 9:40 AM **ET Infrastructure Consortium** ⌚ 20m
Speaker: Michele Punturo (Istituto Nazionale di Fisica Nucleare)
ETIC-Italia-Spagna....

**Ongoing discussions with INFN to figure out possible synergies for R&D
—> Unique opportunity to enlarge the lines of competence in the Spanish Institutions**

Possible areas of R&D

- Stray light control
 - Active monitoring of stray light
 - ET pre-alignment system
 - Simulations
 - Baffle strategy at core of the ET arms
 - Characterisation of materials and optical coatings for baffles
- Mirror suspensions + payloads
 - *Wireless readout technology*
 - *Customised electronics+DAQ*
- Active Noise Mitigation
 - *Customised electronics+DAQ*
 - *Computing resources for modelling*
- Computing resources for data management

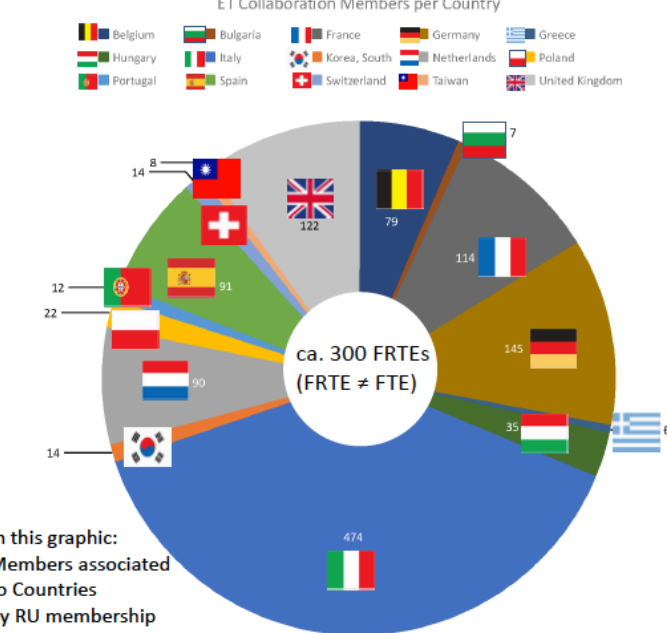
- ET optical layout
- Wavefront Sensing and Control
 - Phase cameras
 - Hartmann Wavefront Sensors
 - Optical Simulations
 - Quadrant photodiodes
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- Actuators on Optics
 - Ring Heaters
 - Deformable Mirros
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- Quantum Noise Reduction
 - QNR simulations
 - Integrated squeezed vacuum source
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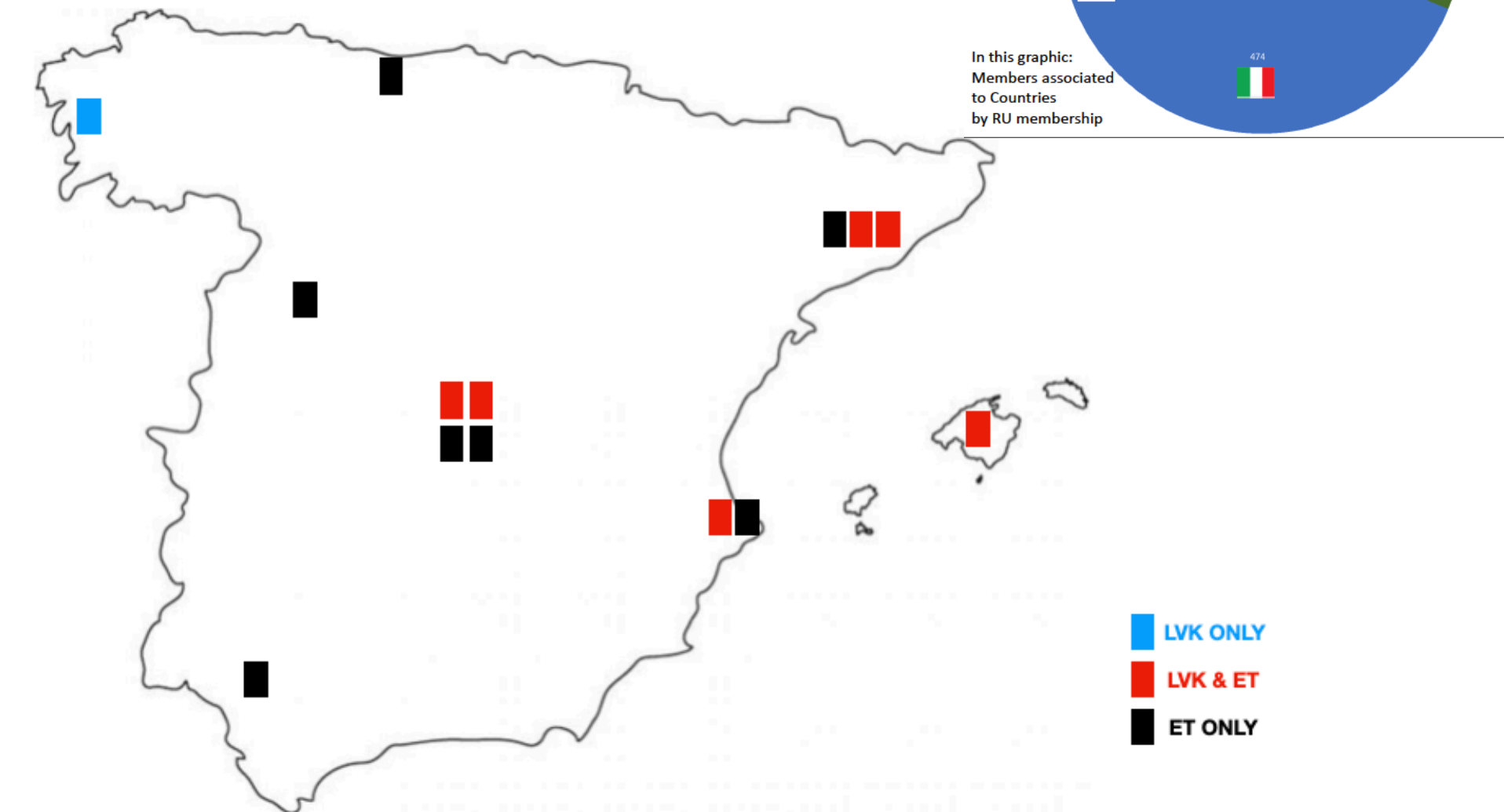
Sweet but always difficult and slow processes

It is time for the Spanish Institutions to move

Map of Spanish involvement in LVK/ET



Group	LVK	ET	Hardware	Computing	Note
CIEMAT	Virgo	Y	Y	YY	Still qualifying in Virgo
ICE	LISA	Y	YY-LISA	N	Not allocated FTEs for HD
IFAE	Virgo	Y	YY	YY	
IFIC		Y			TH
UIB	LIGO	Y		Y	TH/Analysis
USC	LIGO	N			TH/Analysis
USAL		Y			TH
IFT	Virgo	Y			TH/Analysis
UCM		Y			TH
UCAN		Y			TH
ICCUB	Virgo	Y		Y	TH/Analysis
UV	Virgo	Y			TH/Analysis
IEM		Y			TH/Analysis
IAA		Y			TH/Analysis

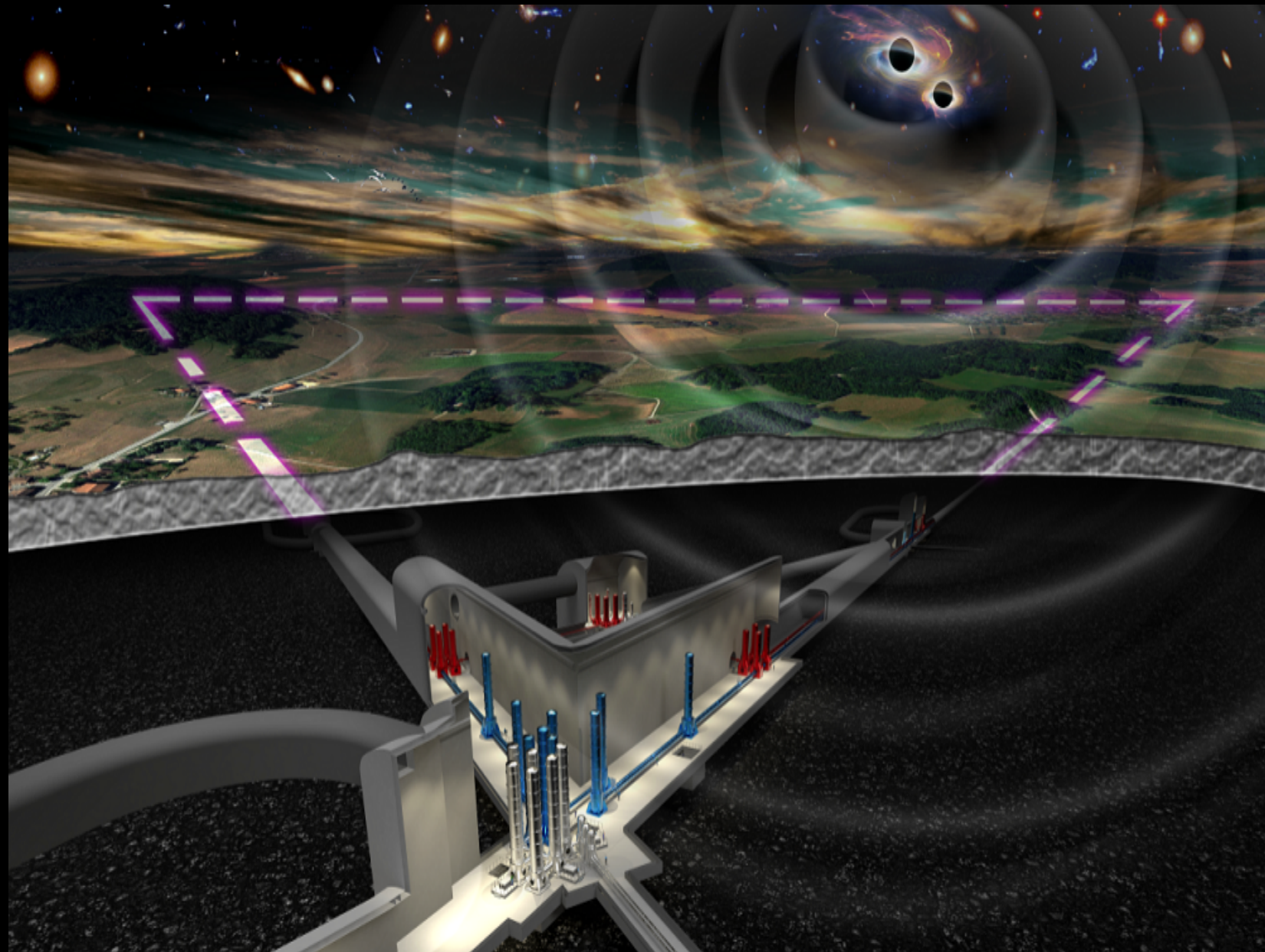
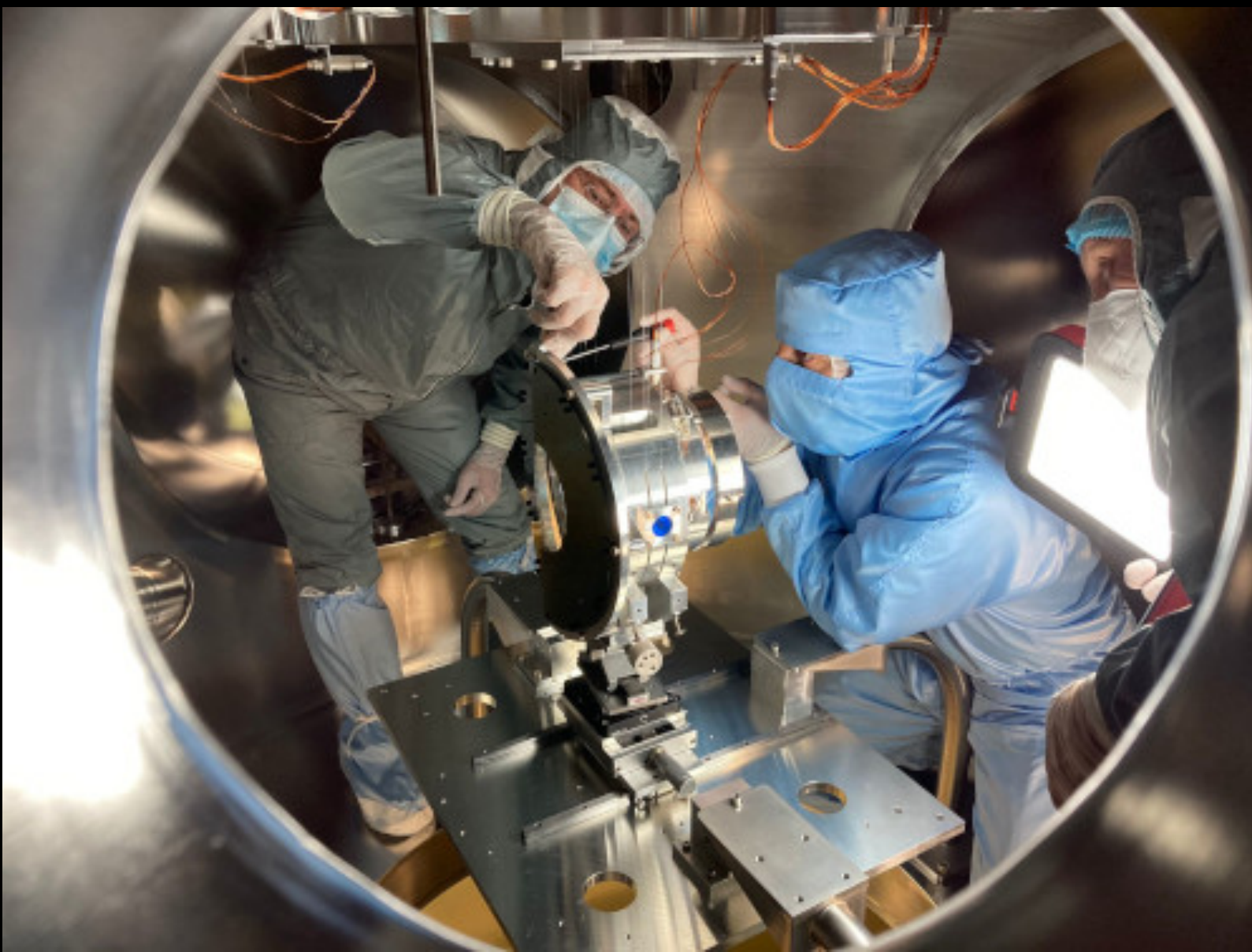


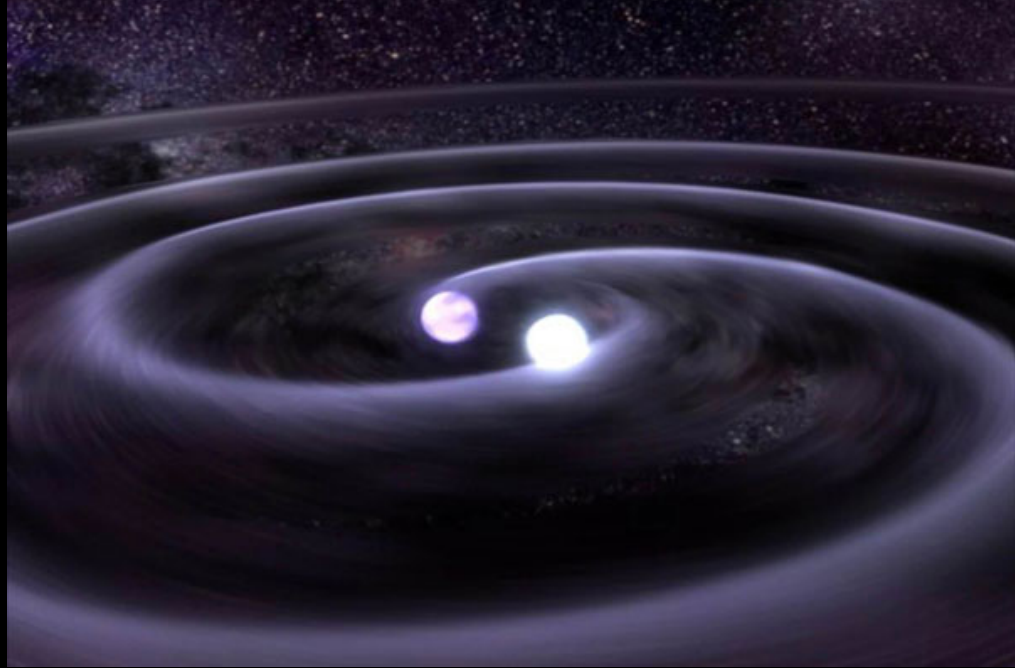
- There are many groups interested in ET, some of them from HEP, some of them detector builders
- A majority has no hardware capacities
- Most of them are Theory and GW analysis oriented
- As today there is no consolidated large enough experimental community in GW is Spain.
- We are actively exploring synergies with other research centers in Spain to improve the situation

It is the time for HEP groups interested to build their hardware capacities participating in ET R&D programs

Final notes

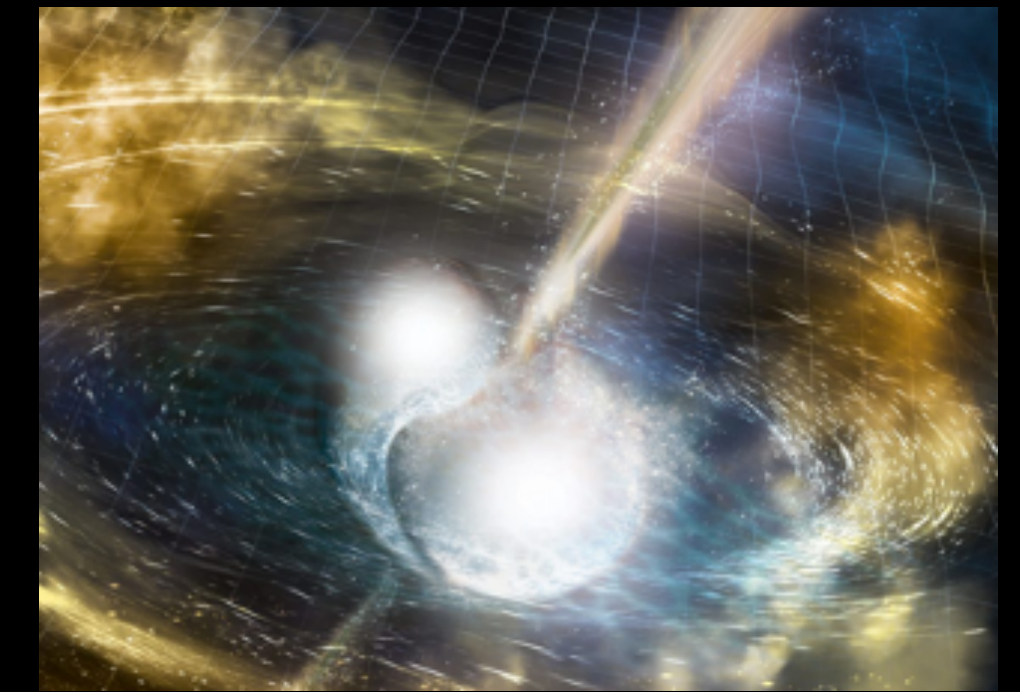
- ET is the leading EU 3G project today and is regarded as a flagship
- Strong proposals for hosting the ET infrastructure in place including already secured money for construction (**but floor is always moving**)
- In the following years the ET project will progress towards a site selection(s), final design and governance, costs and risk studies, aiming for starting construction before the end of the decade [?]
- ET-PP EU Preparatory Phase Project is a tool to build coherence in the process (never easy...) and to glue “competing teams”
- The re-discussion of ET geometry saga might slow down the progress as it is putting ET in a “non-projected quantum state of geometry and location(s)”
- Spanish Ministry decided to have a strategic alliance with Italy
 - Relevant for ET → might translate into funding for ET-Spain
- ET-Spain needs to grow and get experimental community more involved.
 - There is a window of opportunity for us in case ET goes also on surface..





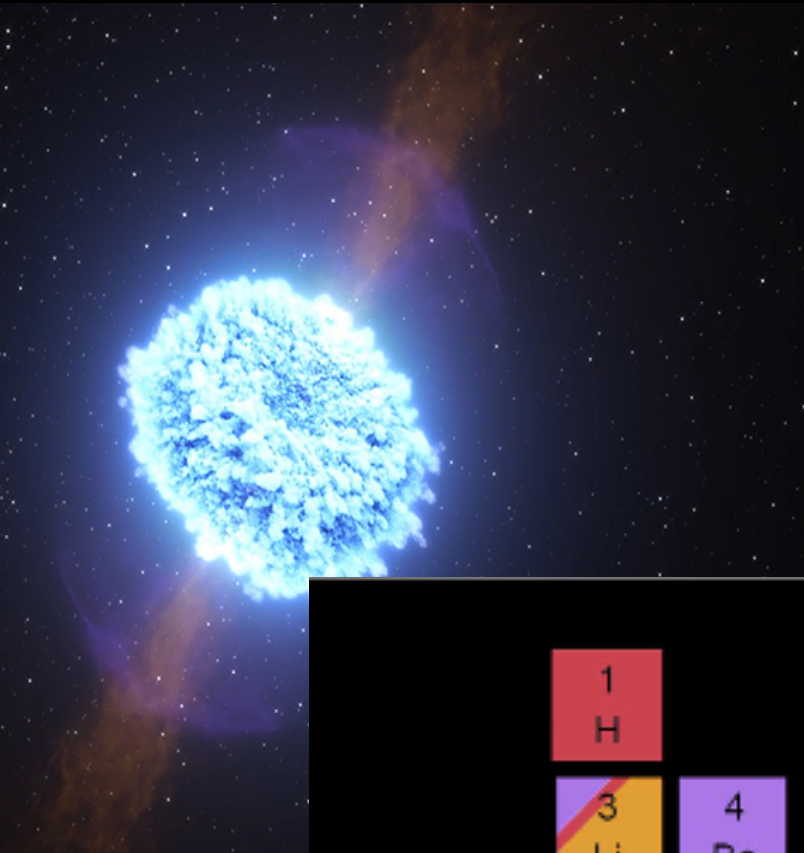
Kilonova

Open the door for studying EoS of neutron stars
 → data already disfavor some models



Shows the production mechanism of heavy elements

Initiates an era of multi-messenger approach



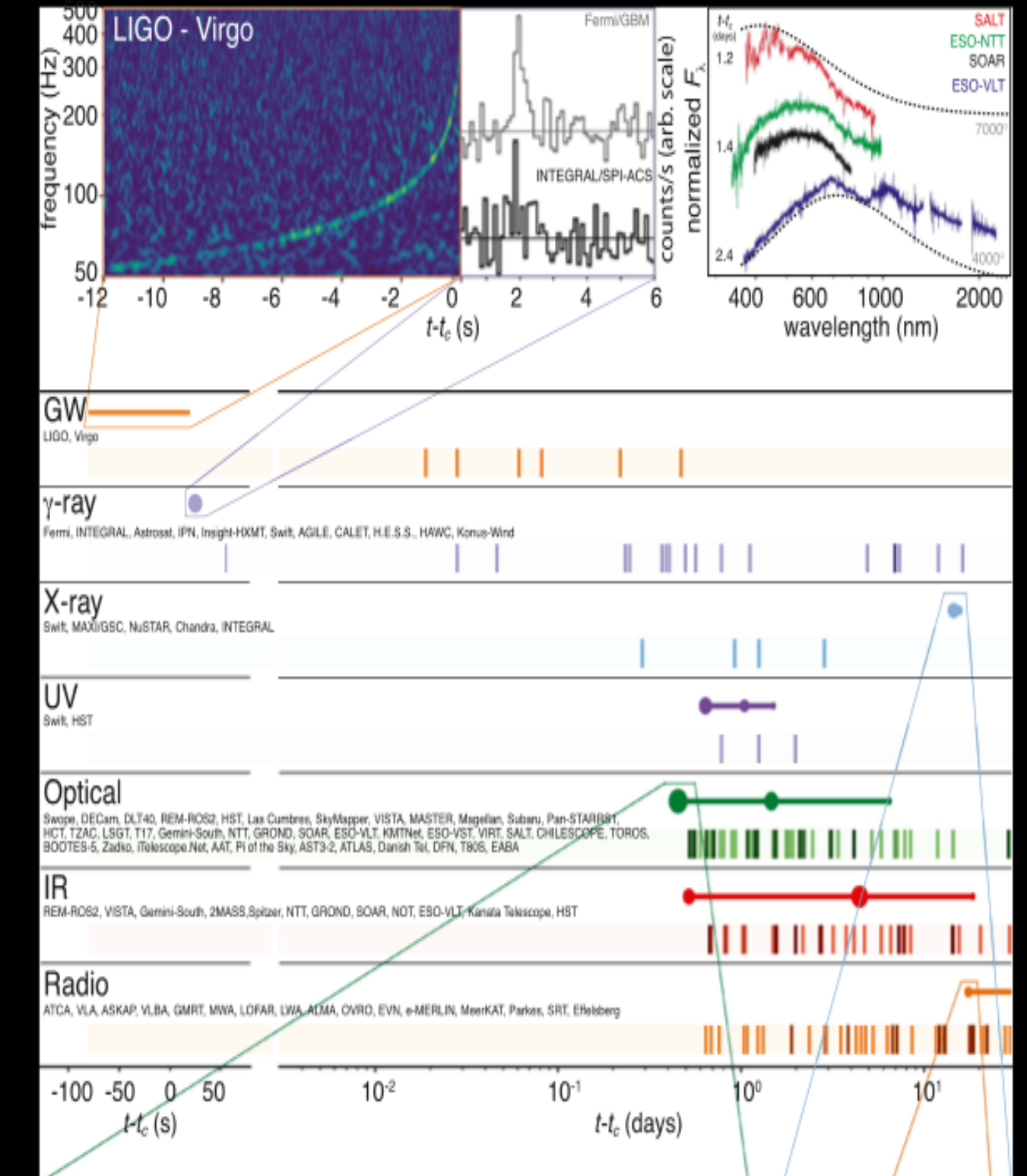
Element Origins

1 H																	2 He				
3 Li	4 Be															5 B	6 C	7 N	8 O	9 F	10 Ne
11 Na	12 Mg															13 Al	14 Si	15 P	16 S	17 Cl	18 Ar
19 K	20 Ca	21 Sc	22 Ti	23 V	24 Cr	25 Mn	26 Fe	27 Co	28 Ni	29 Cu	30 Zn	31 Ga	32 Ge	33 As	34 Se	35 Br	36 Kr				
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Merging Neutron Stars
Dying Low Mass Stars

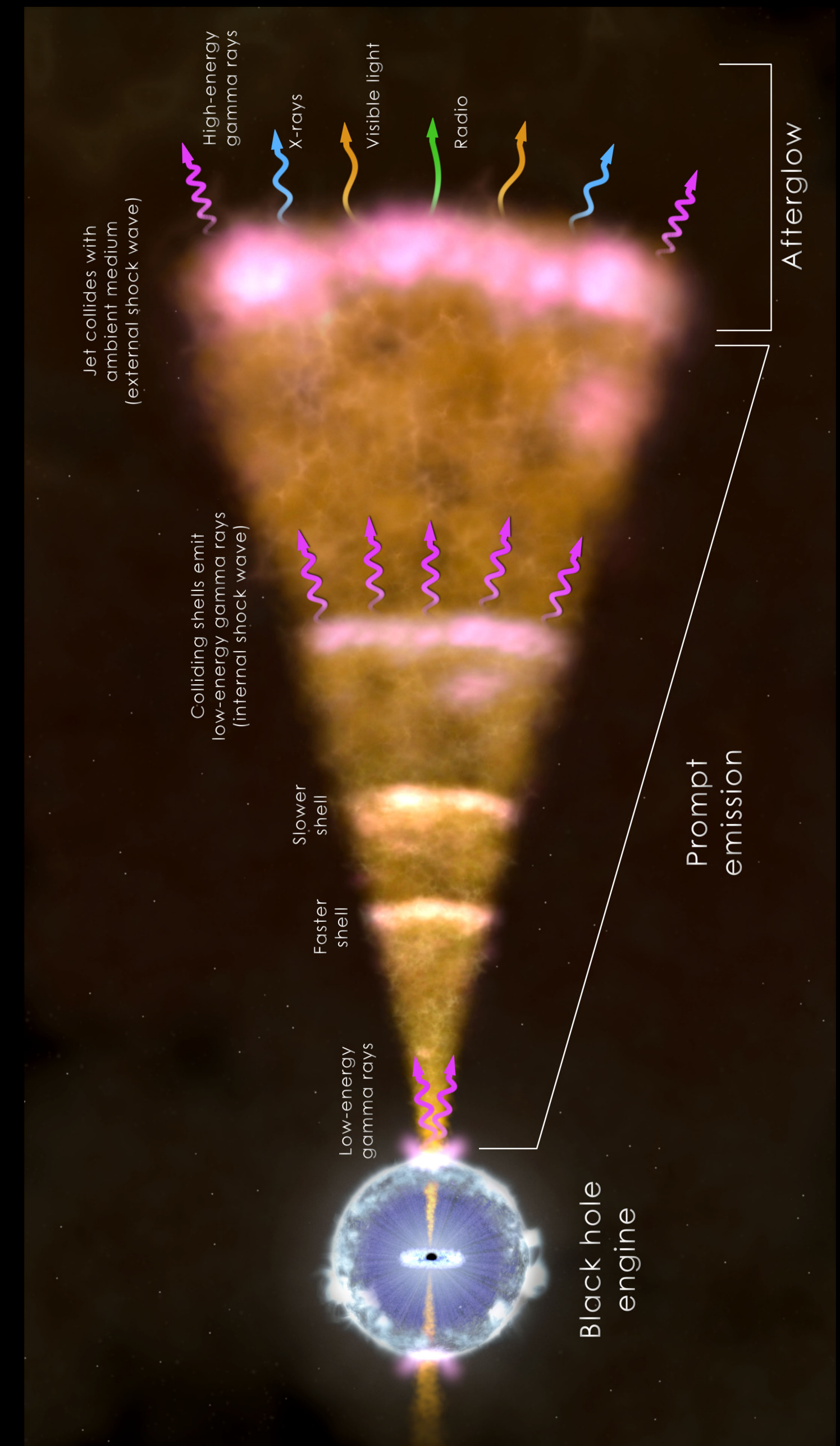
Exploding Massive Stars
Exploding White Dwarfs

Big Bang
Cosmic Ray Fission



Based on graphic created by Jennifer Johnson

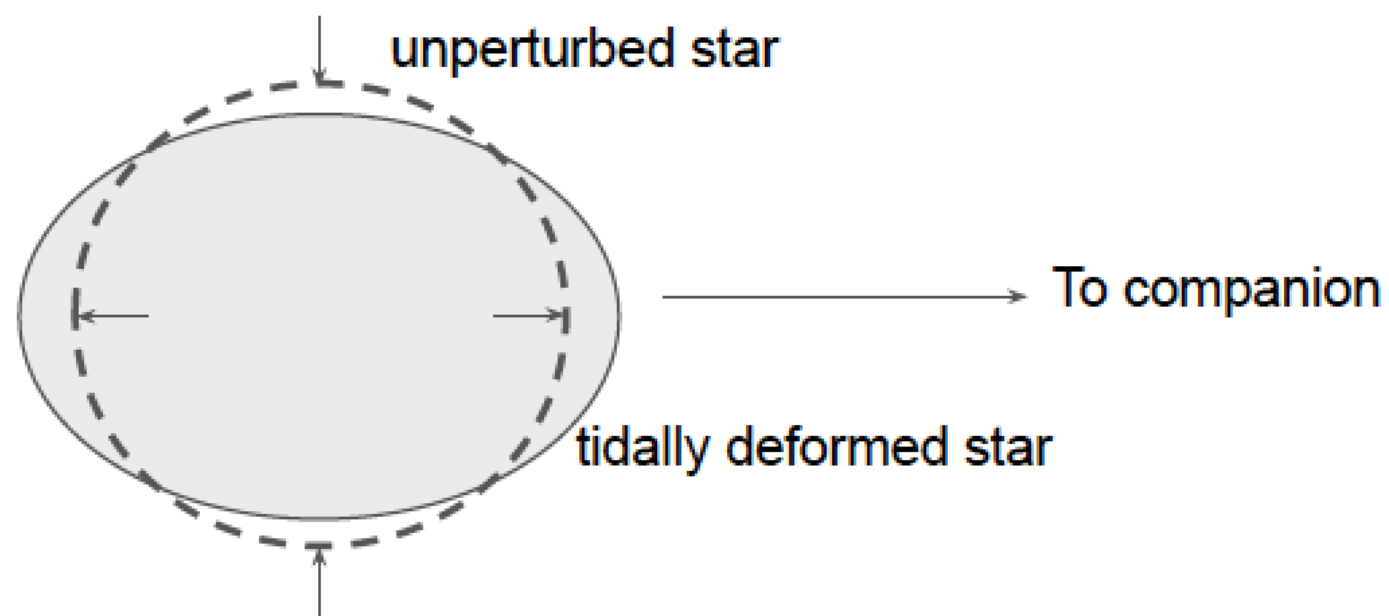
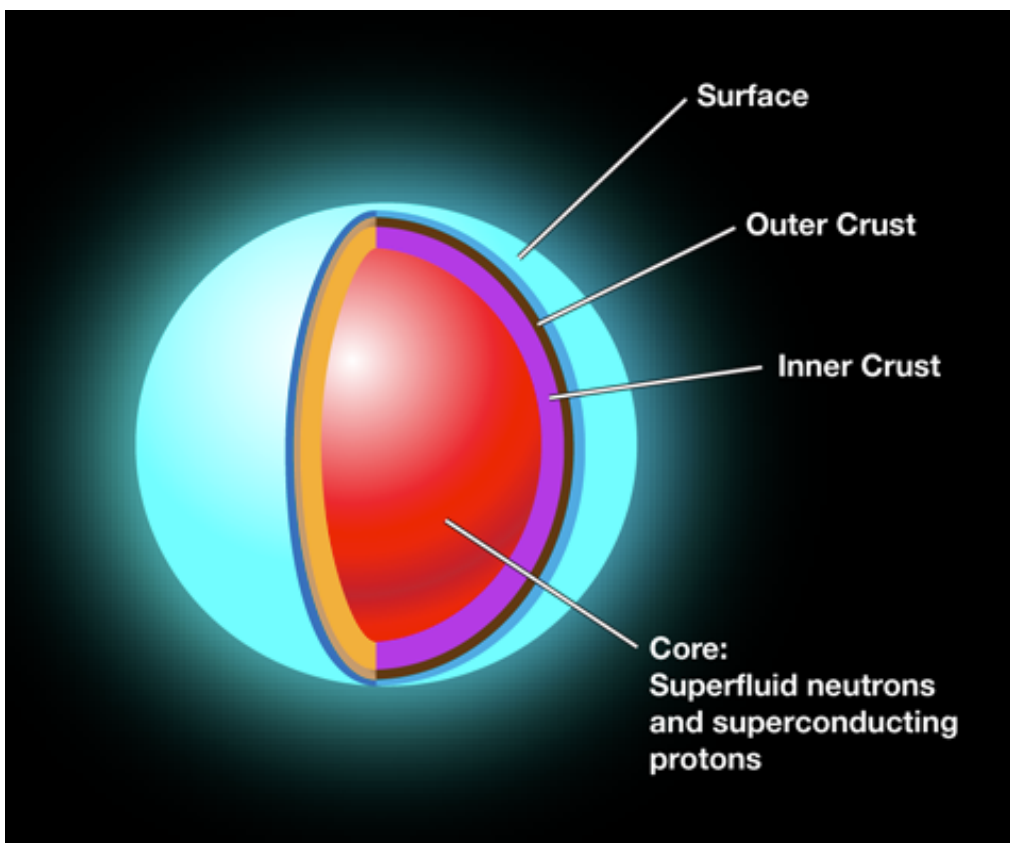
Multi-messenger



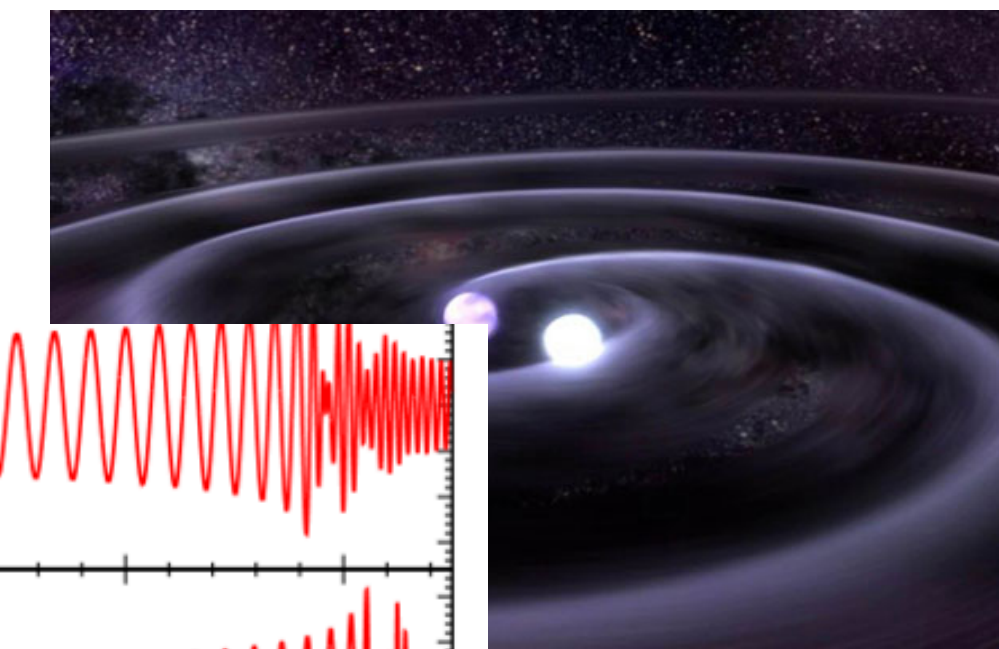
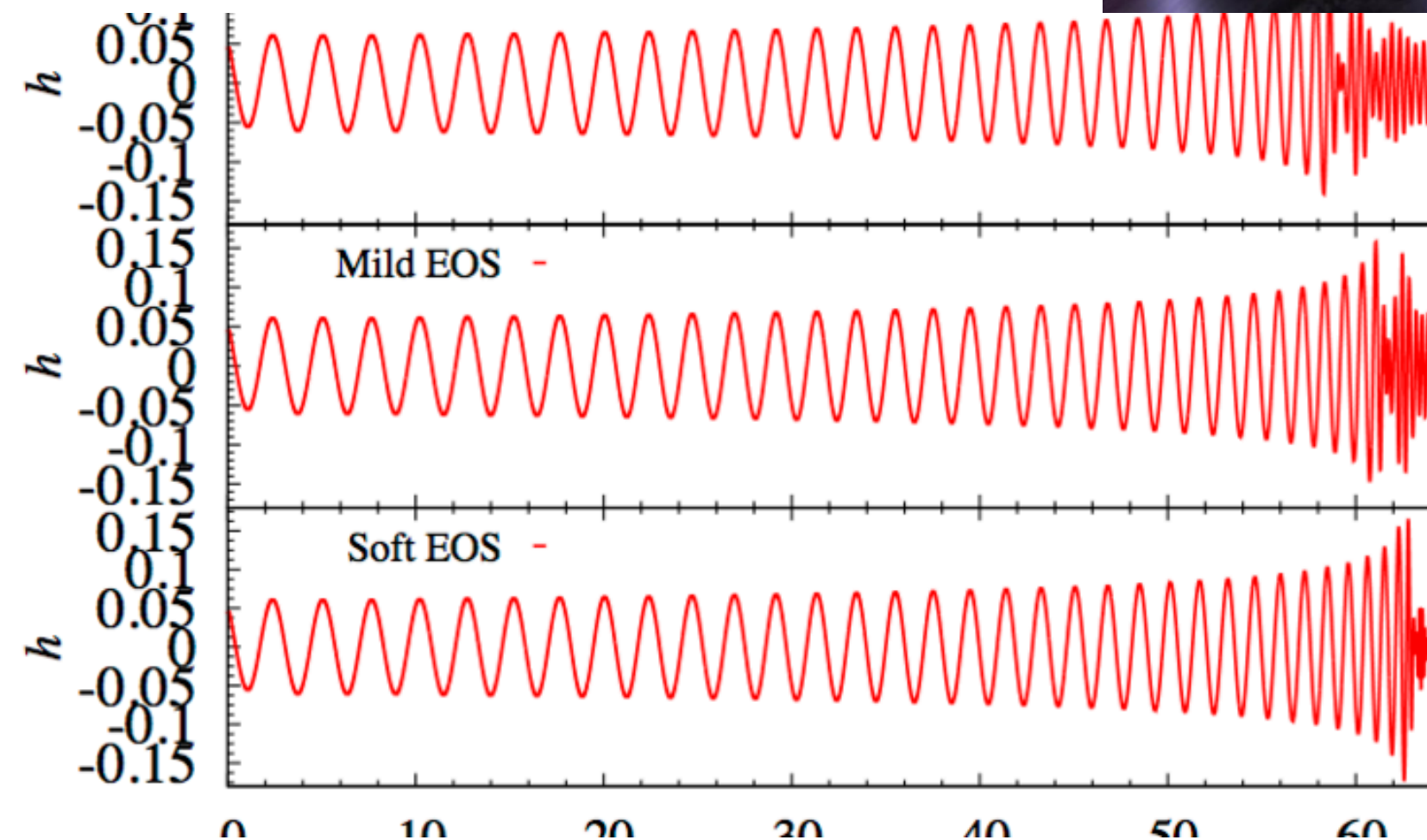
ET will operate in synergy with a number of large infrastructures

To understand early emission O(few seconds after mergers) GRBs
Prompt on-axis EM detections are necessary → early warnings

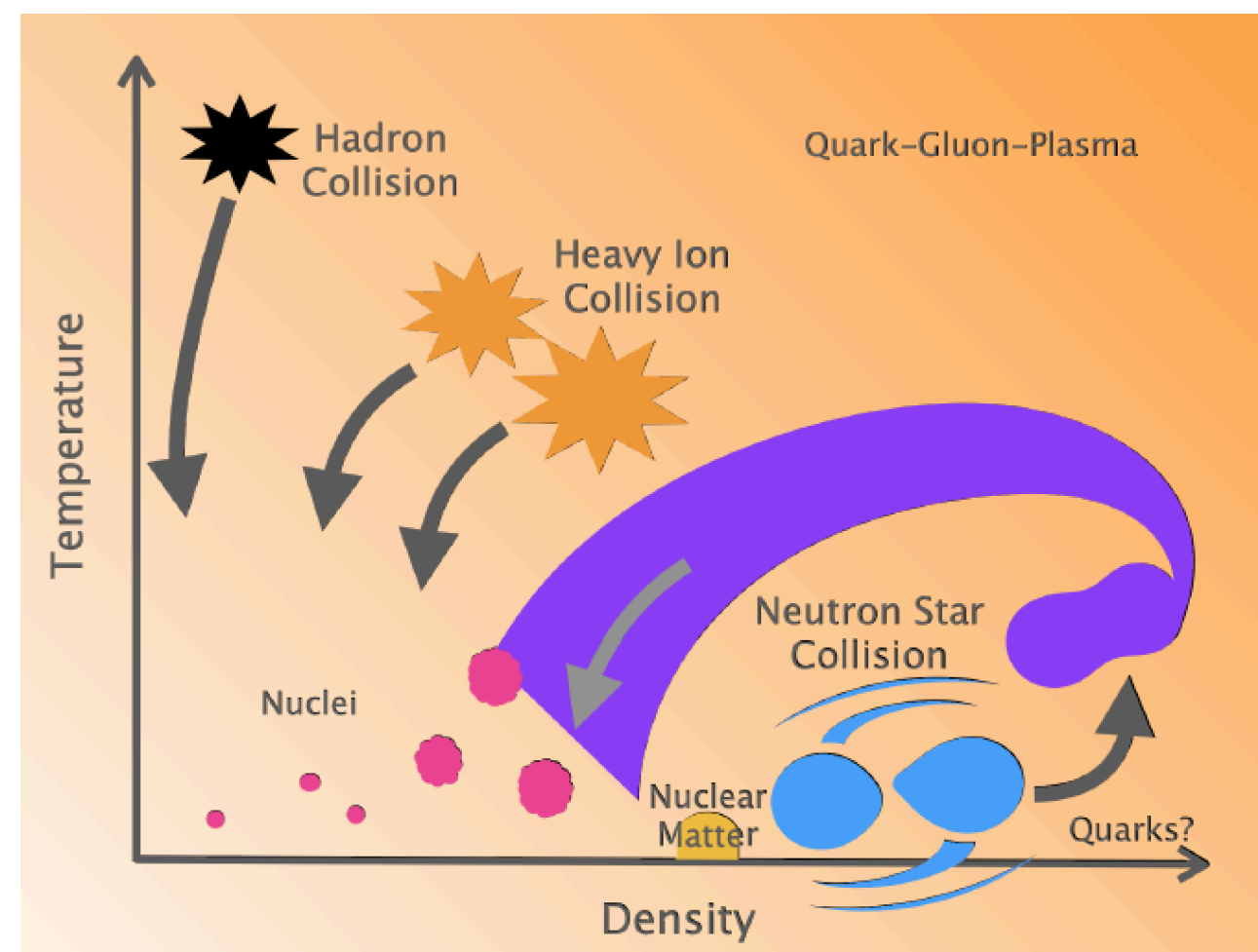
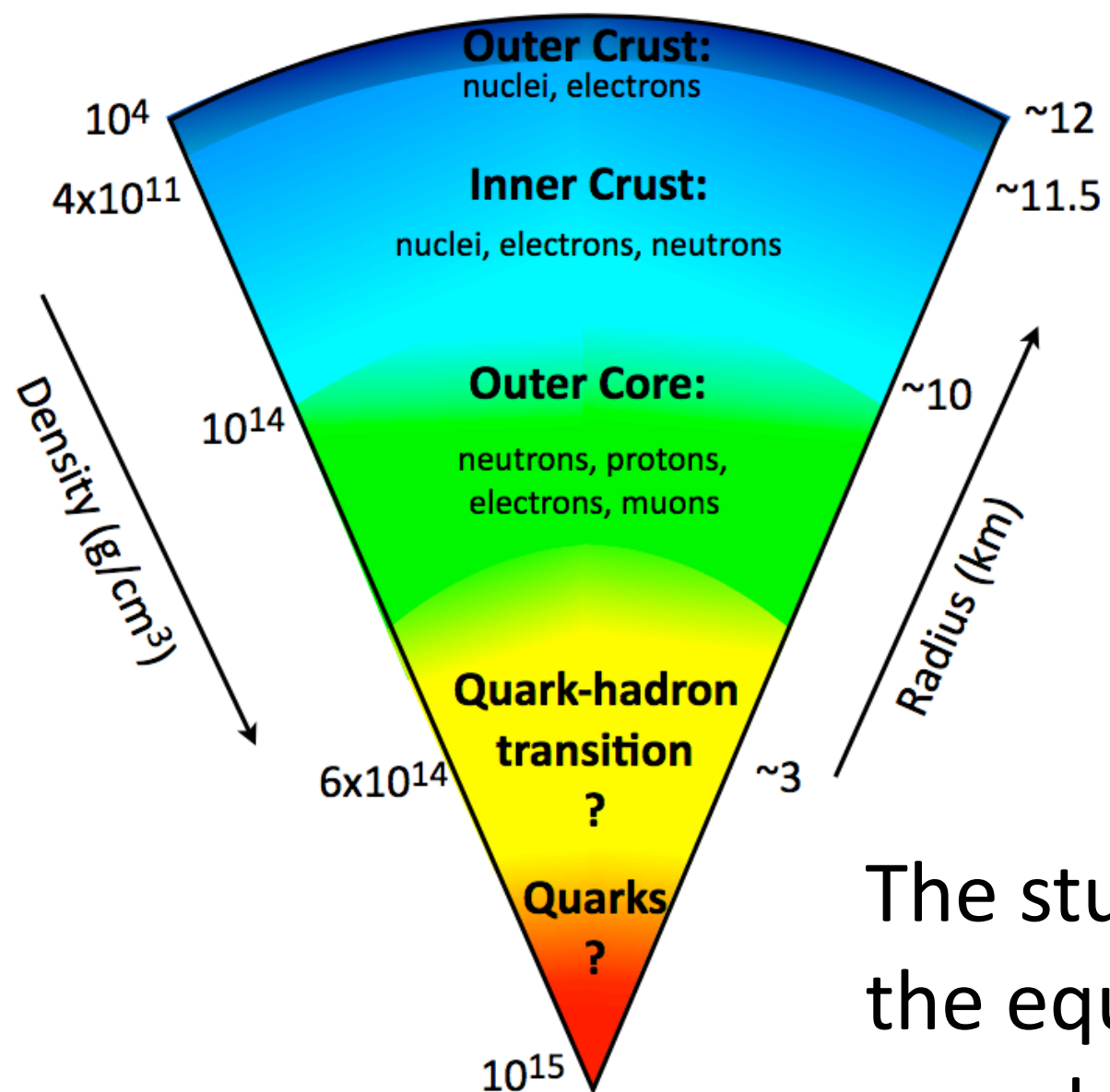
Neutron stars



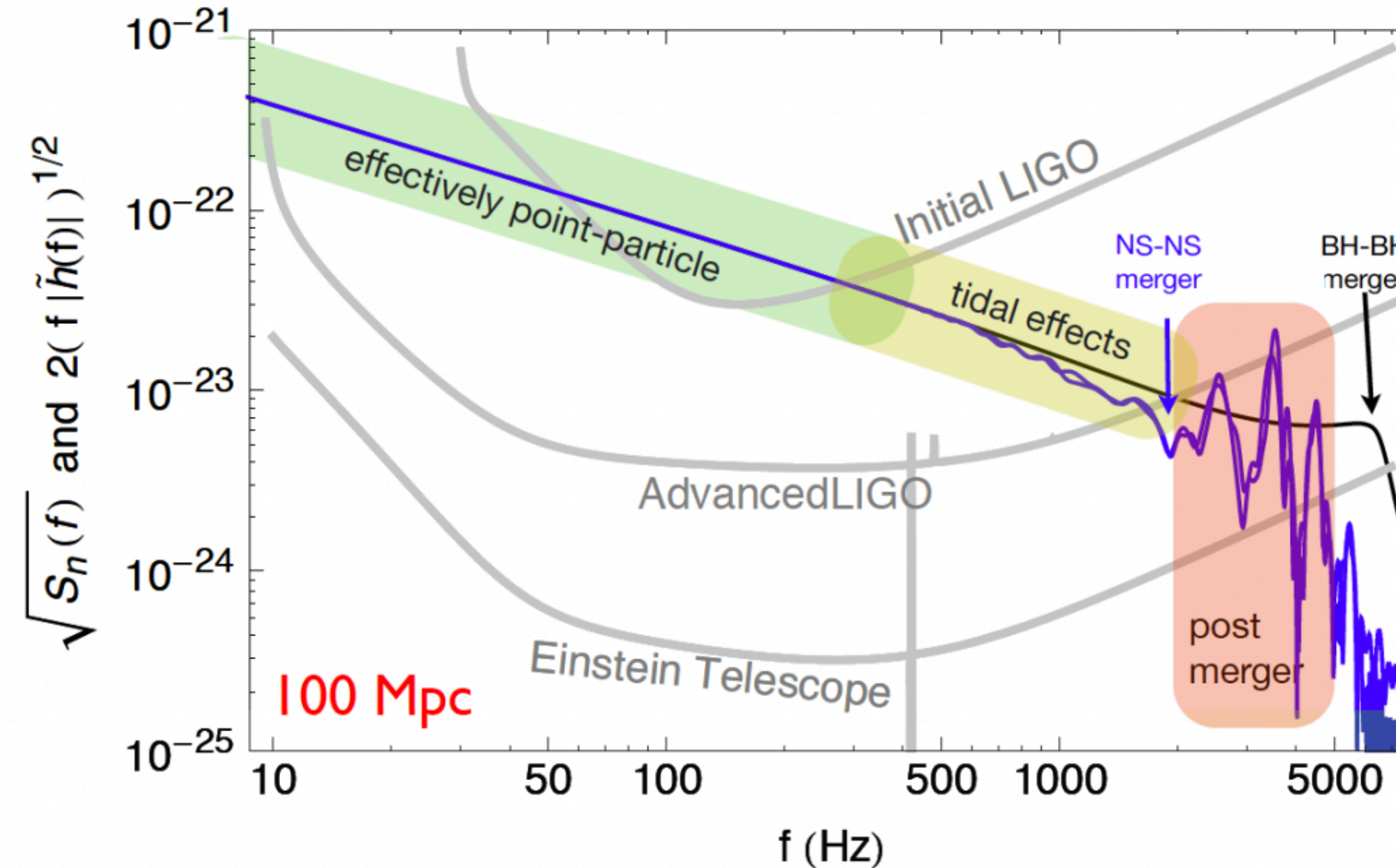
perturbed star changes quadrupole moment of the system
 → tends to radiate more energy as GWs
 → orbit evolves faster



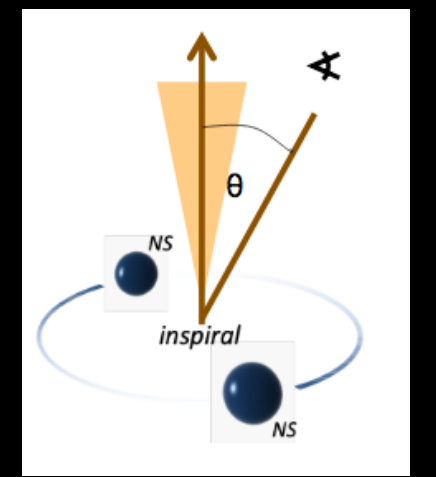
1-2 solar masses is an object with a diameter of 20KM (1/70000 the size of the sun)



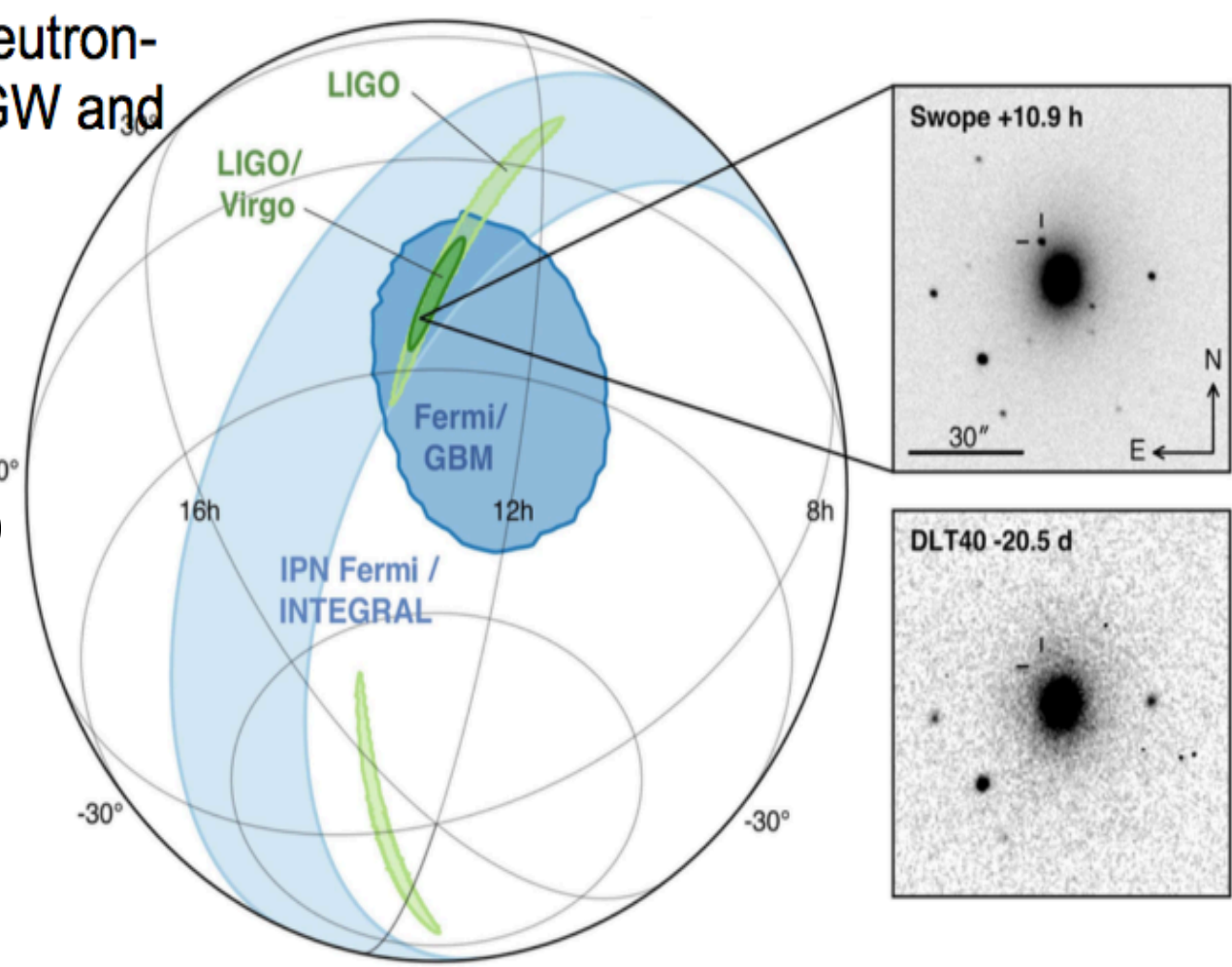
The study of neutron star mergers allows to study the equation of state of the star involving QCD in very dense and high regimes temperatures.



Hubble Constant



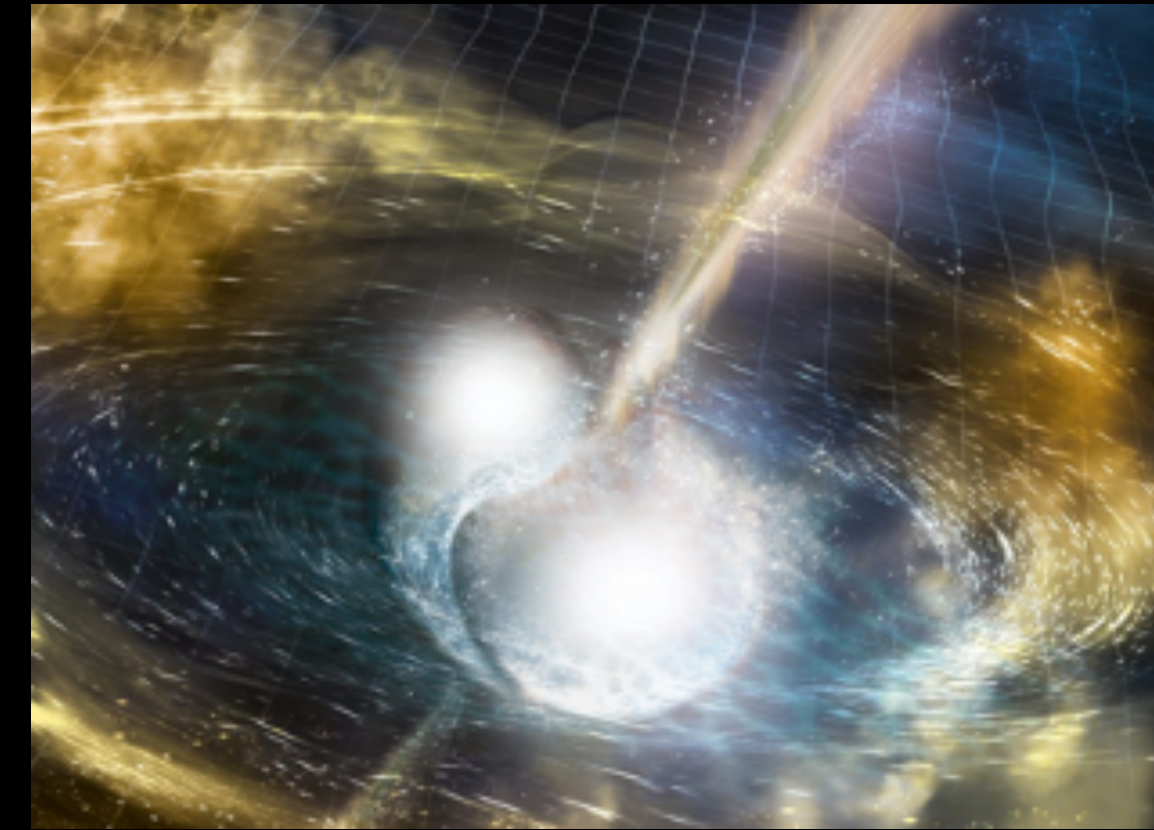
GW170817 - first binary Neutron-Star merger detected via GW and electro magnetic emission



VIRGO



DARK ENERGY SURVEY / 70 observatories - Astrophys.J. 848 (2017) no.2, L12



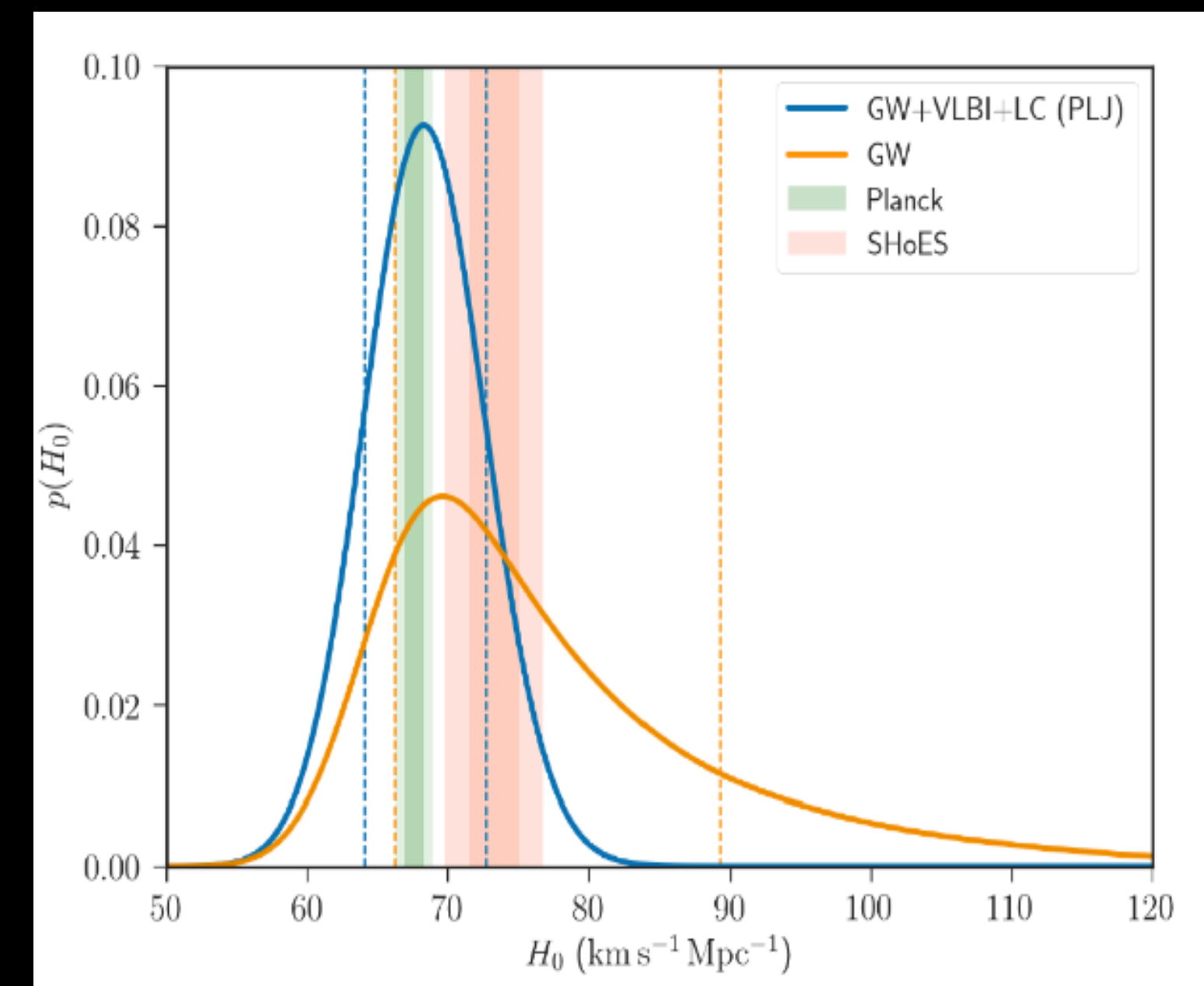
Few events of BNS will allow for few % precision in the determination of H_0

Observation with GWs and EM optics

$$v_H = H_0 d \quad (\text{GW} + \text{EM})$$

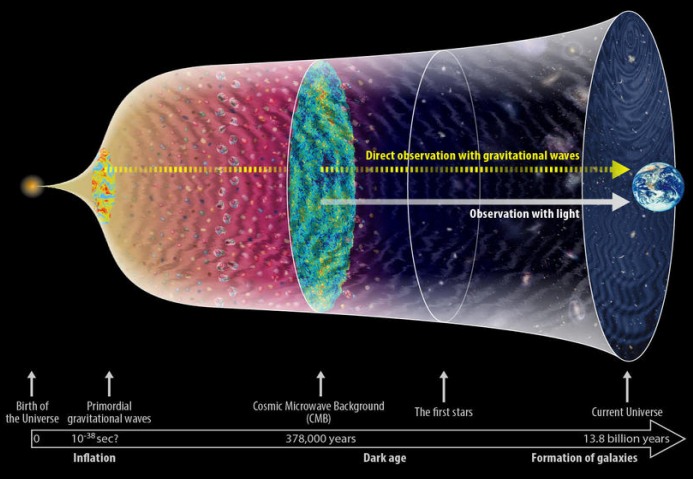
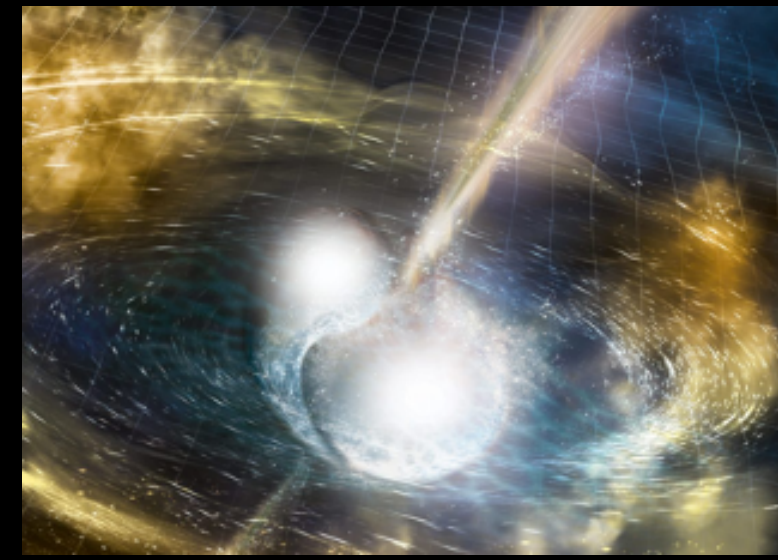
Direct measurement of Hubble parameter H_0

$$H_0 = 69 \pm 5 \text{ km s}^{-1} \text{ Mpc}^{-1}$$



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in models beyond GR



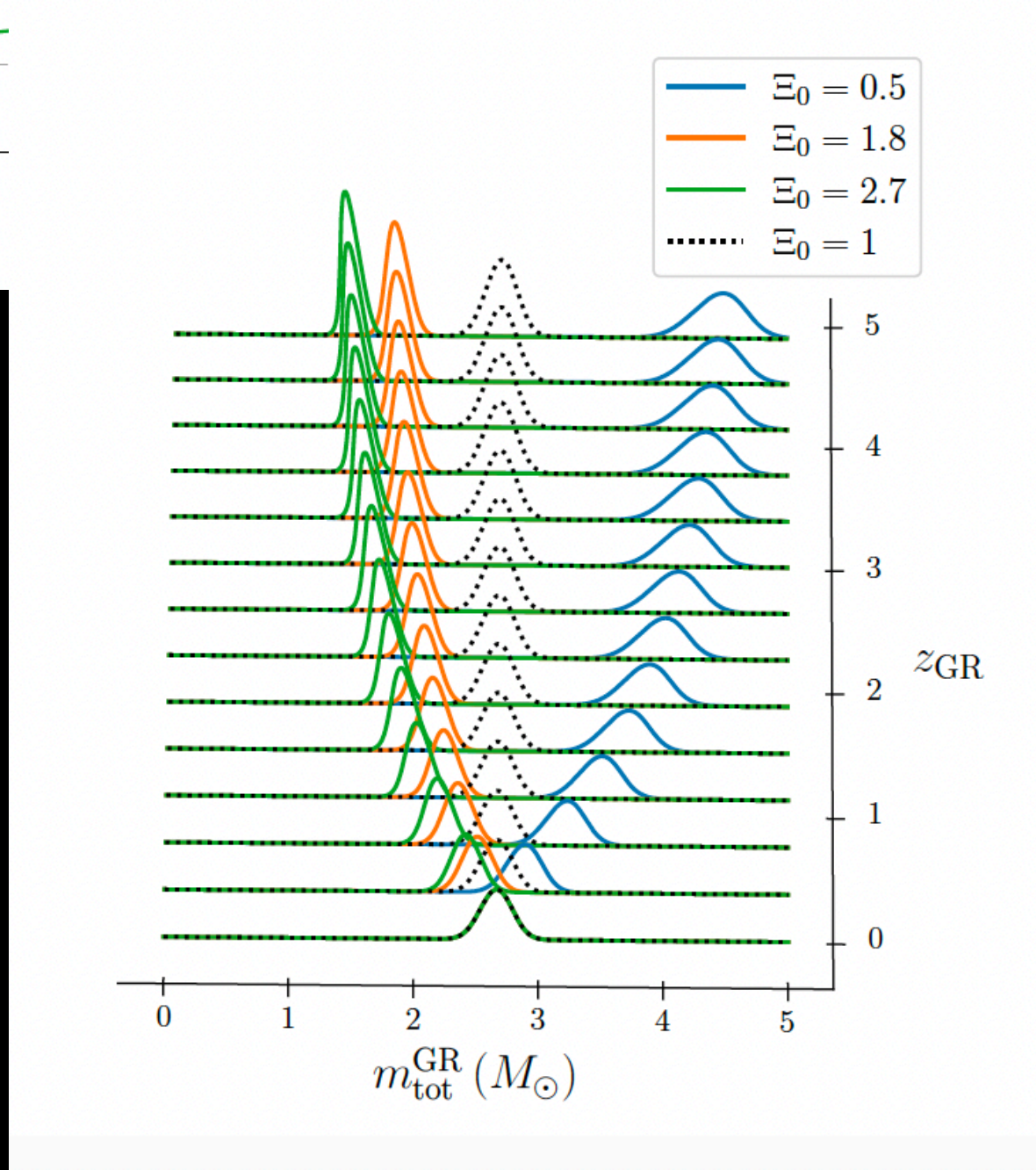
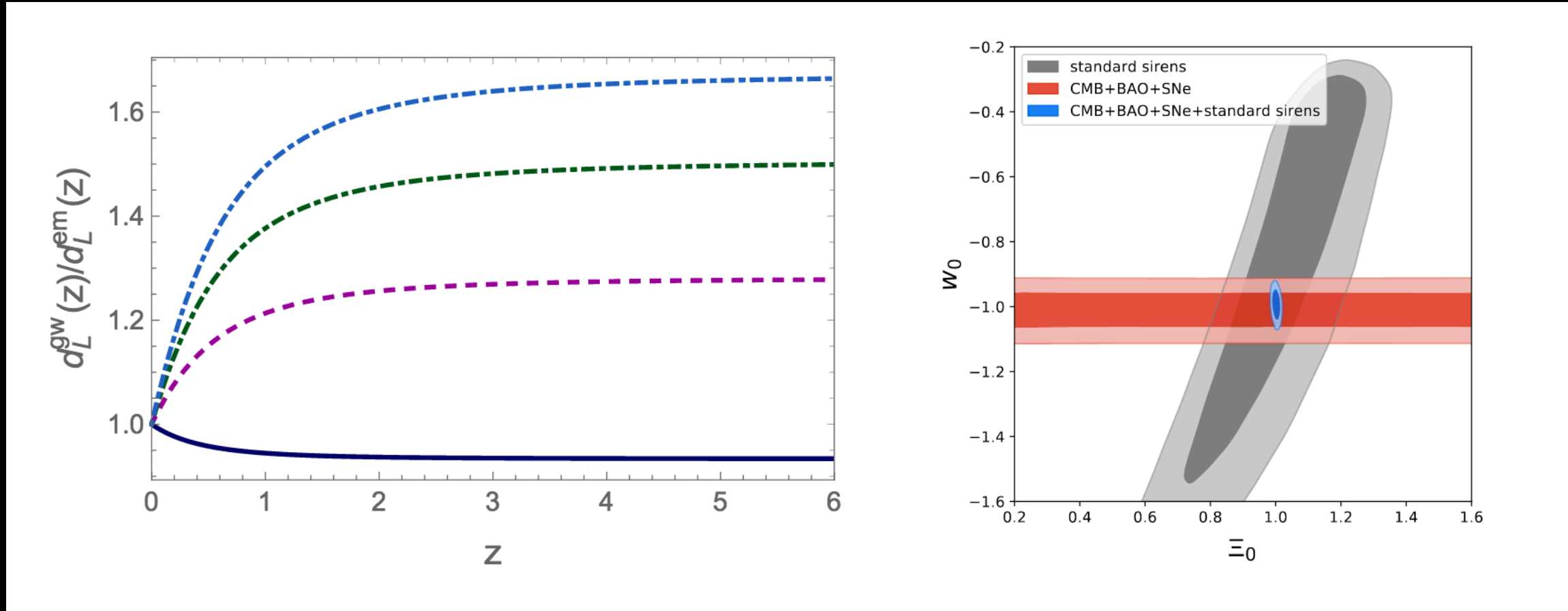
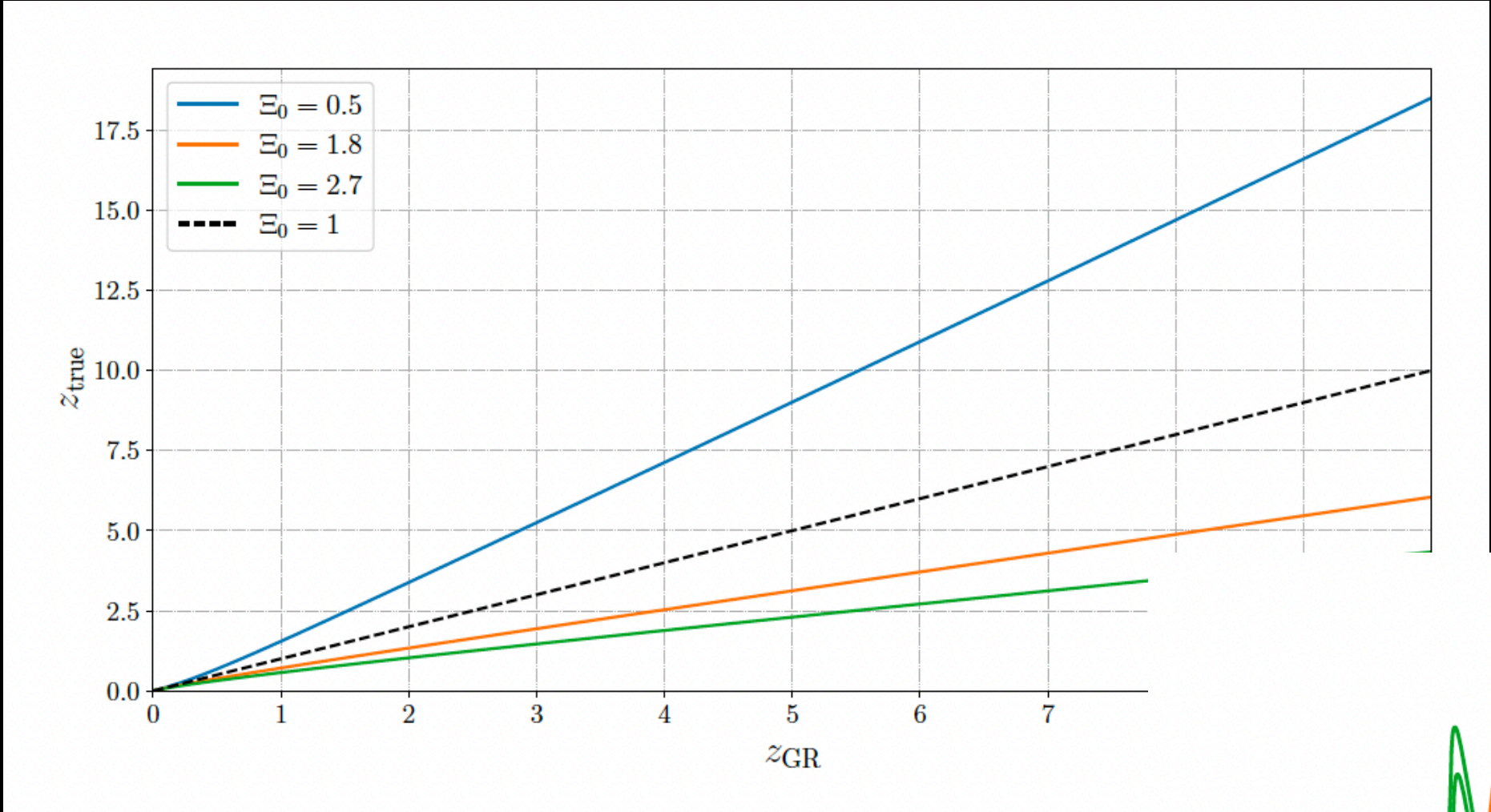
$$m_{\text{det}} = (1 + z)m$$

$$d_L(z) = \frac{1 + z}{H_0} \int_0^z \frac{dz'}{\sqrt{\Omega_M(1 + z')^3 + \frac{\rho_{\text{DE}}(z')}{\rho_0}}},$$

$$\frac{d_L^{\text{gw}}(z)}{d_L^{\text{em}}(z)} = \Xi_0 + \frac{1 - \Xi_0}{(1 + z)^n}$$

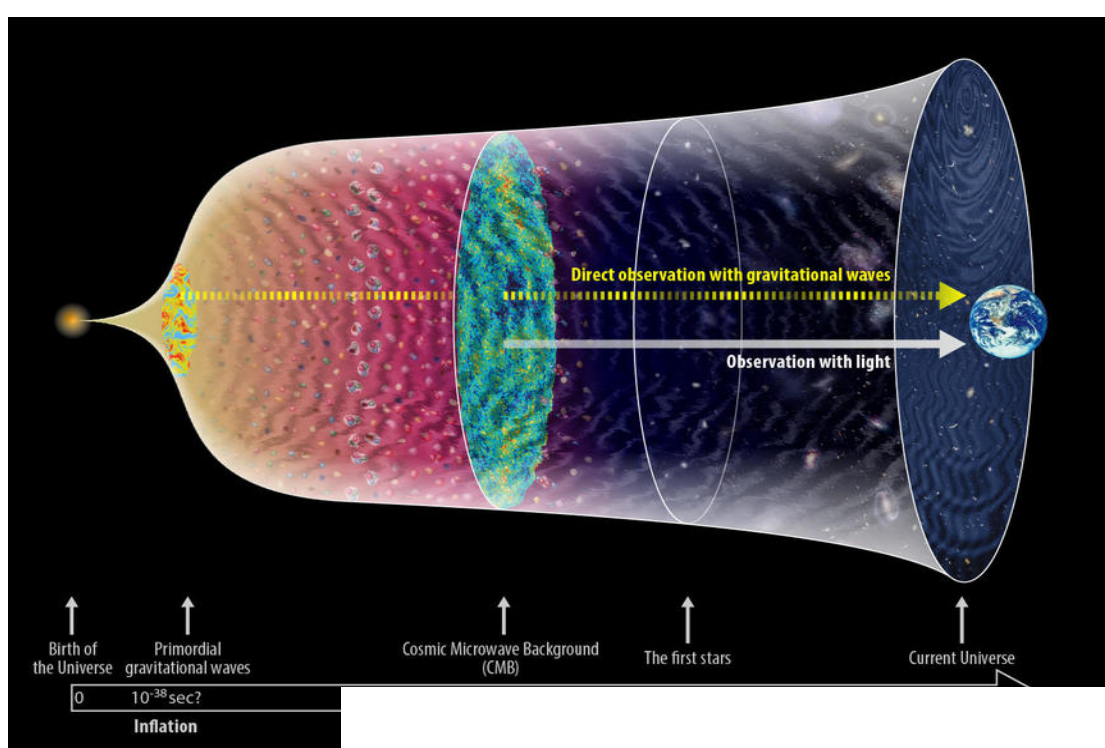
Finke, Foffa, Iacovelli, Maggiore, Mancarella 2021

Relationship between light distance and redshift contains information on high redshift cosmology



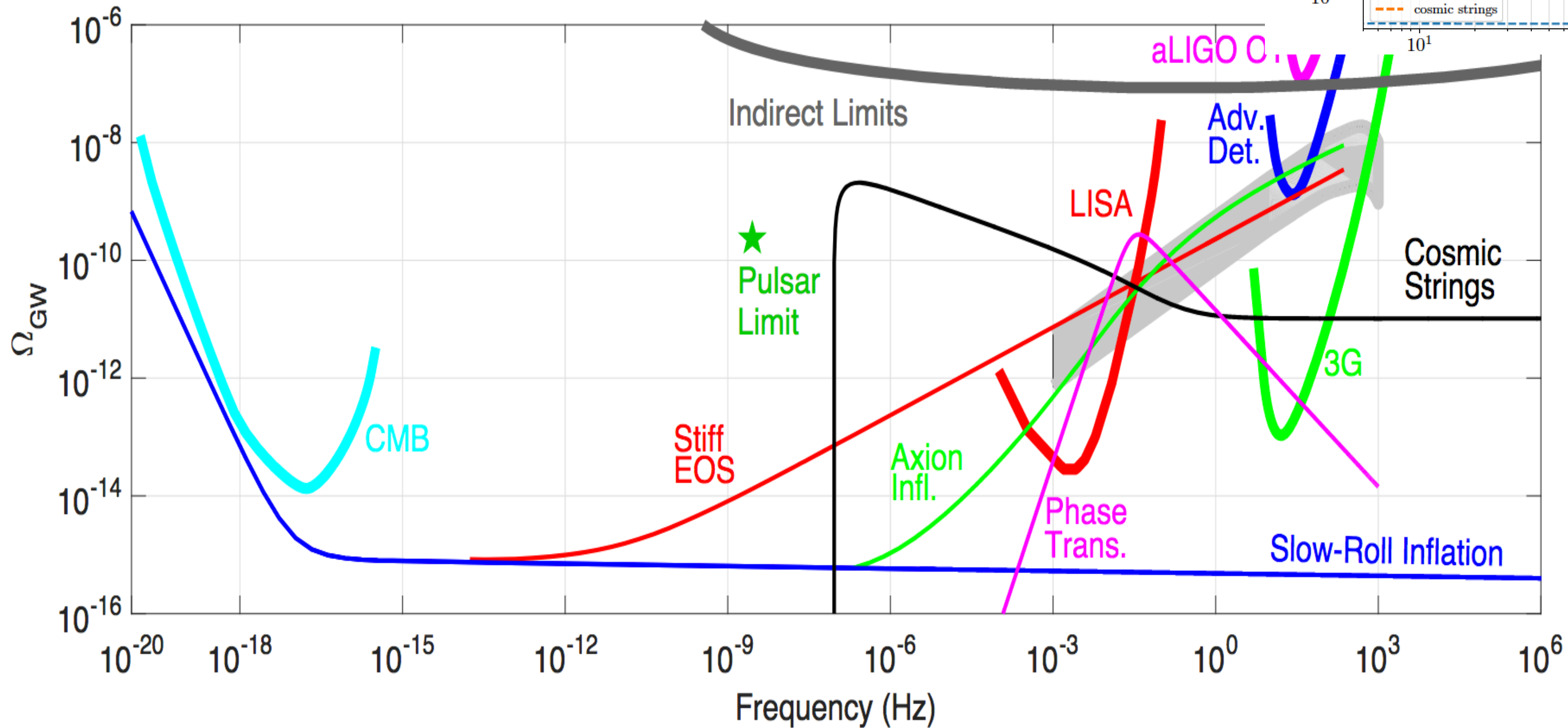
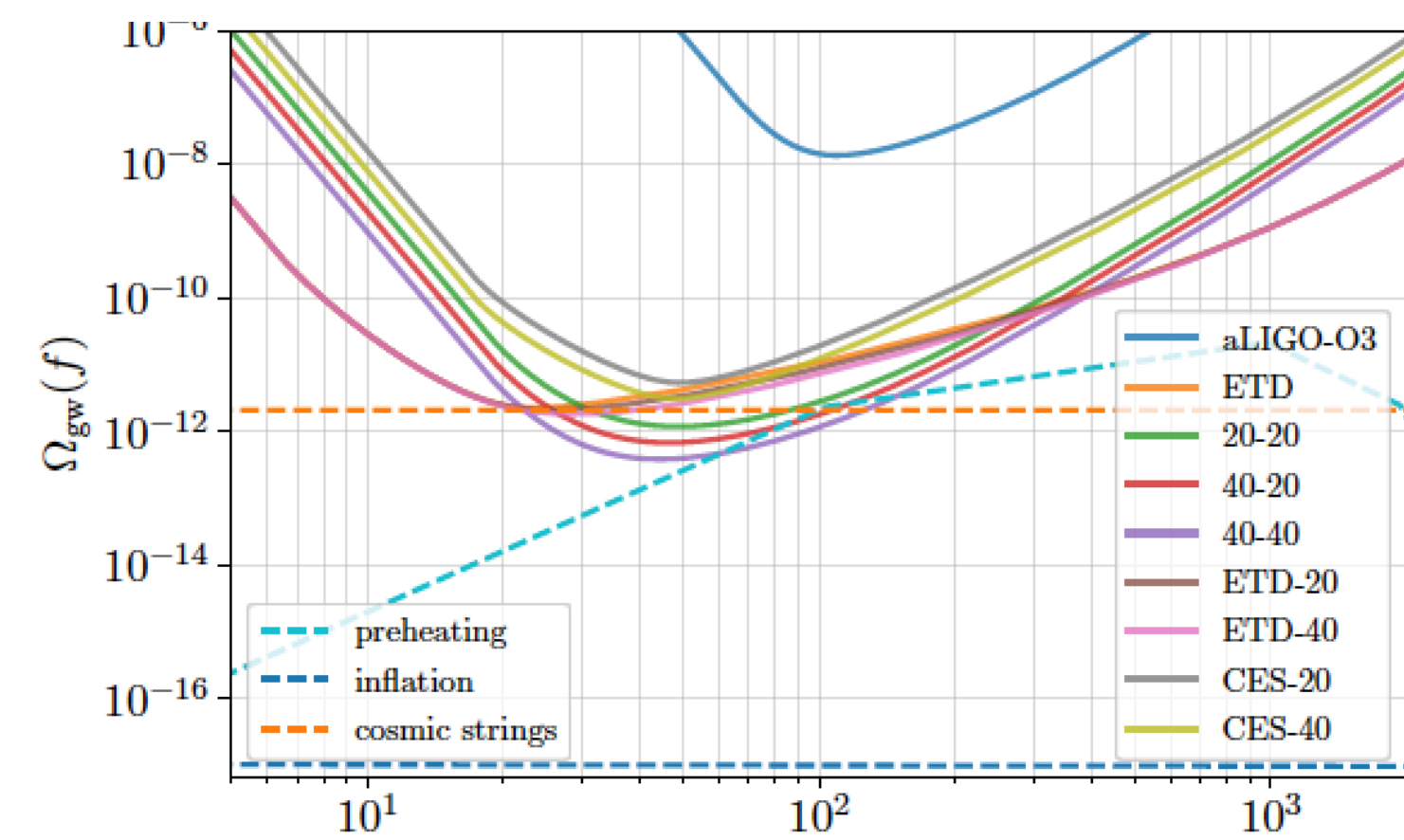
After a few years and collecting a few hundred BNS events ET can do a rigorous test using the BNS narrow mass distribution vs z

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Stochastic signals are a single gate to:

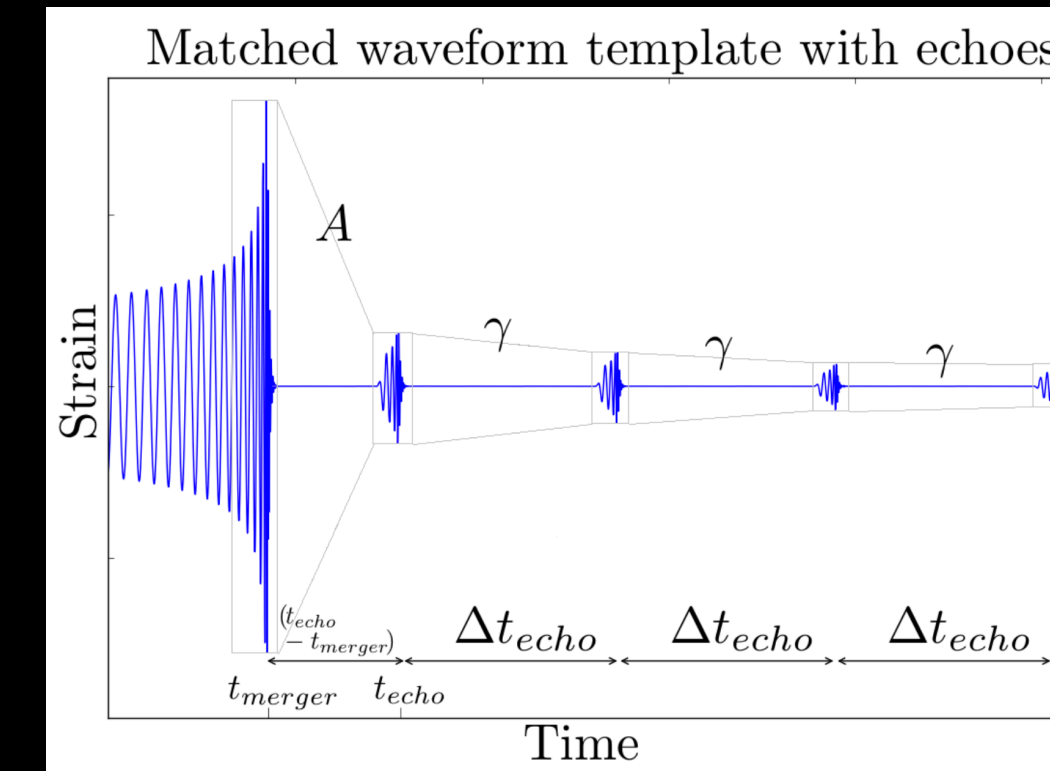
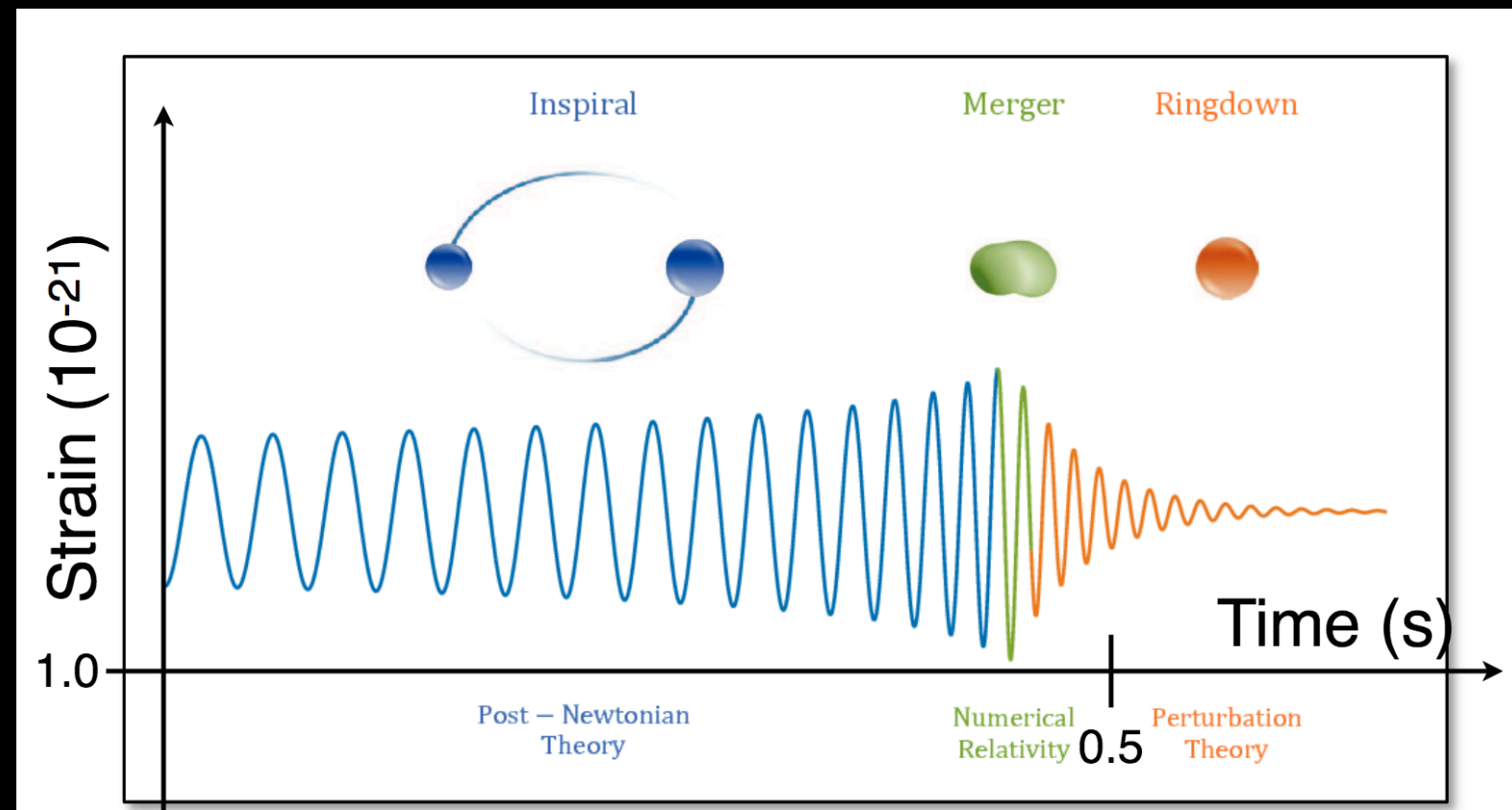
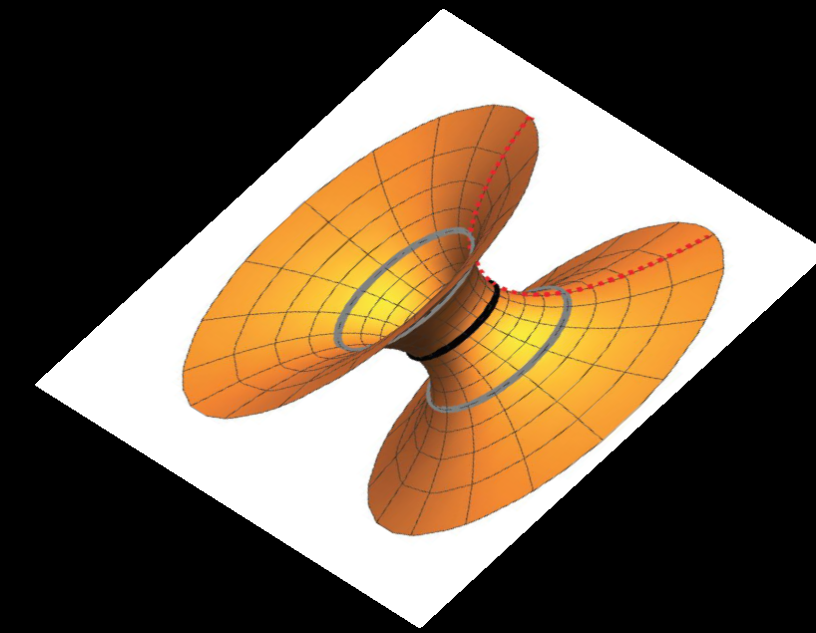
- Inflation in the early universe
- Cosmological phase transitions
- Presence of topological defects, cosmic strings



ET and CE provide a window at high frequency → high temperatures

General Relativity Tests (I)

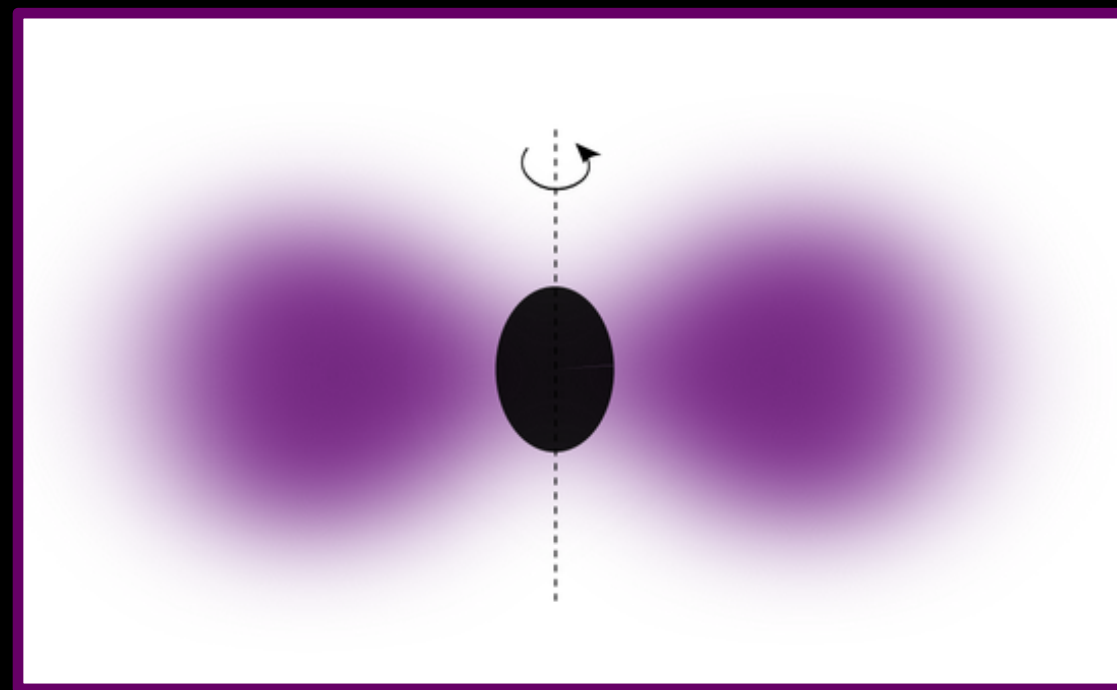
M. Maggiore et al., JCAP, 1912.02622



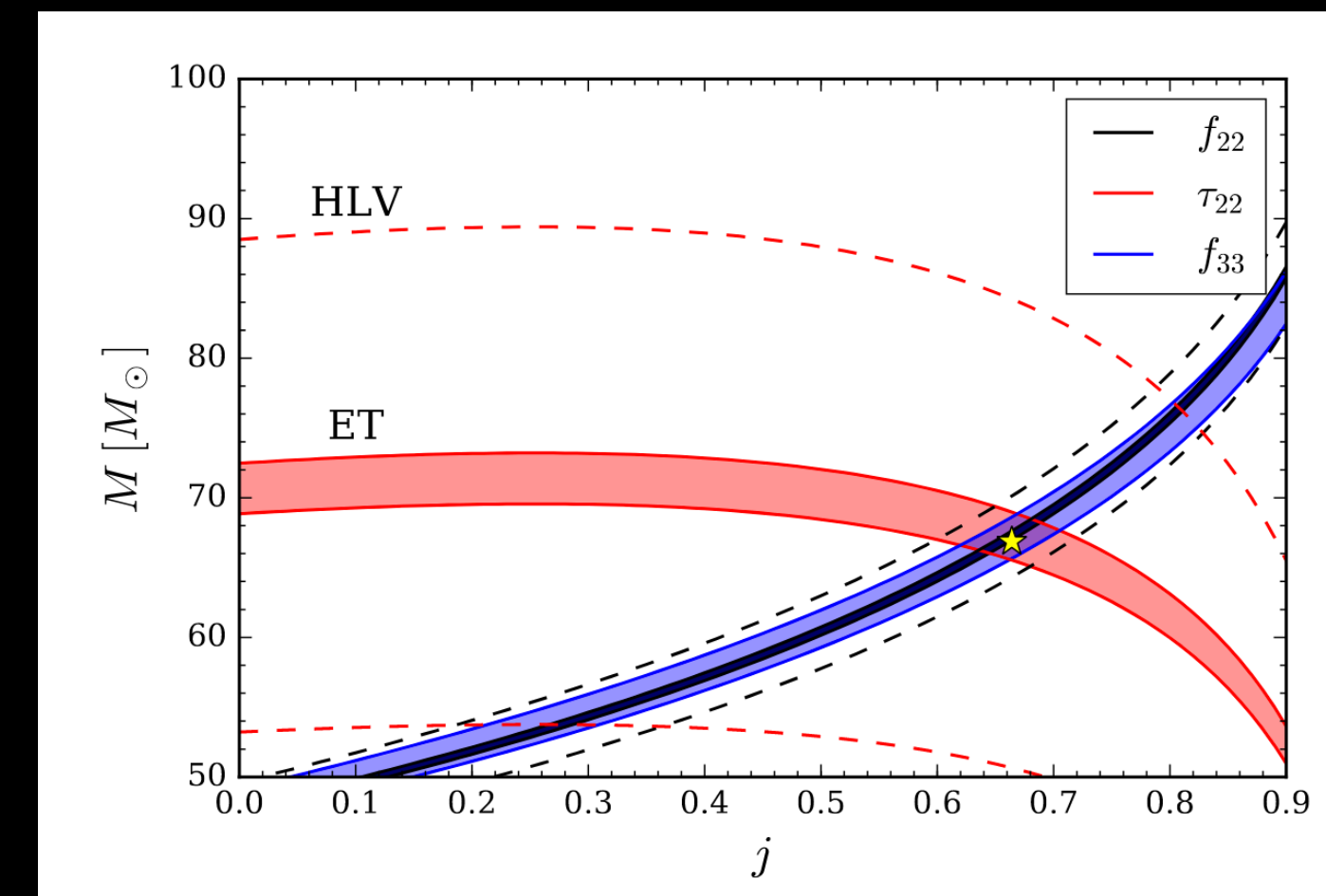
Study of the “ringdown” phase allows for

- GR test near the BH horizon
- "no-hair" theorem test
- Search for exotic objects
- Access to quantum theoretical effects on the event horizon.

Accurate test of GR predictions in the inspiral phase

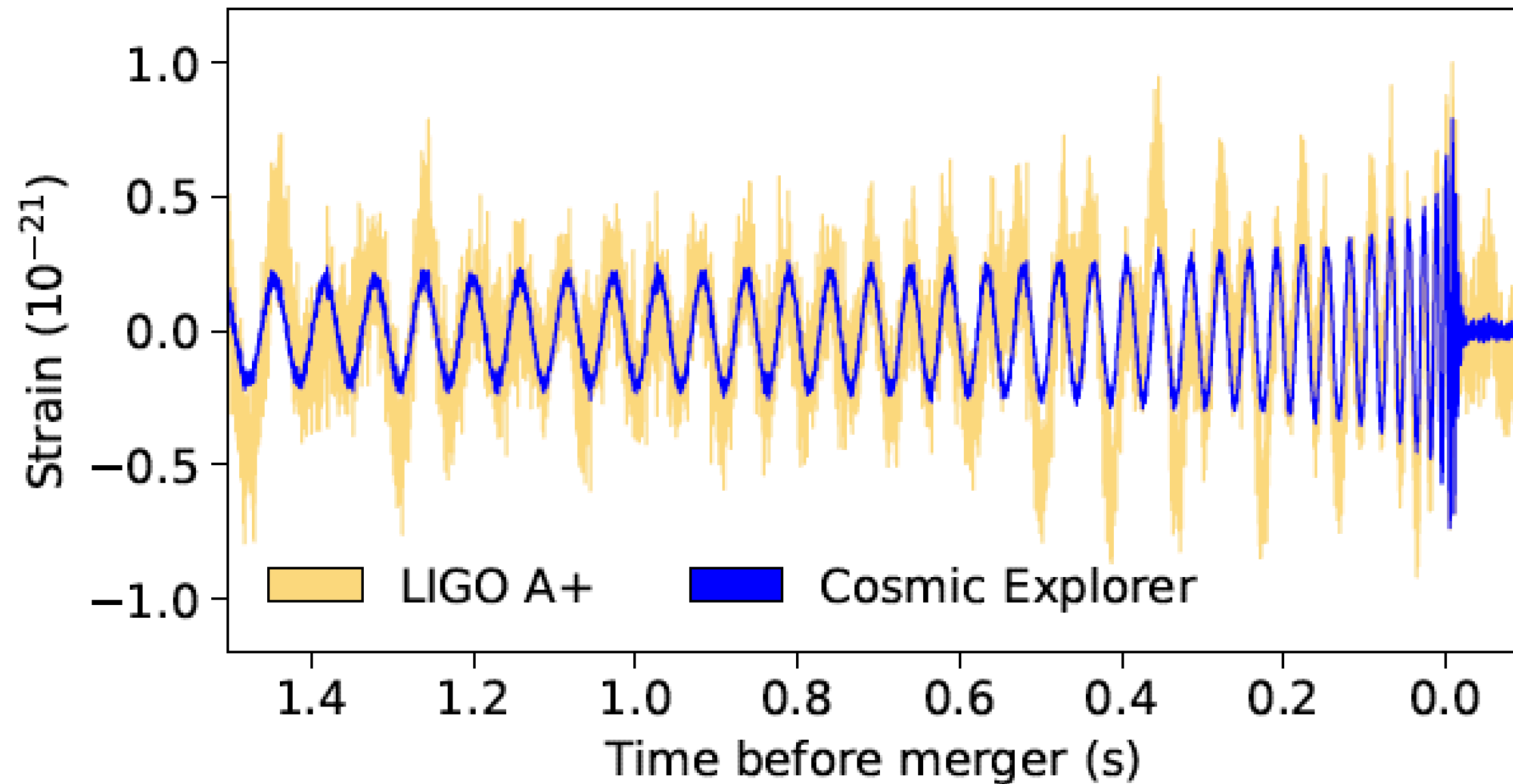


Presence of axion clouds (dark matter)?
Monochromatic gravitational wave signals



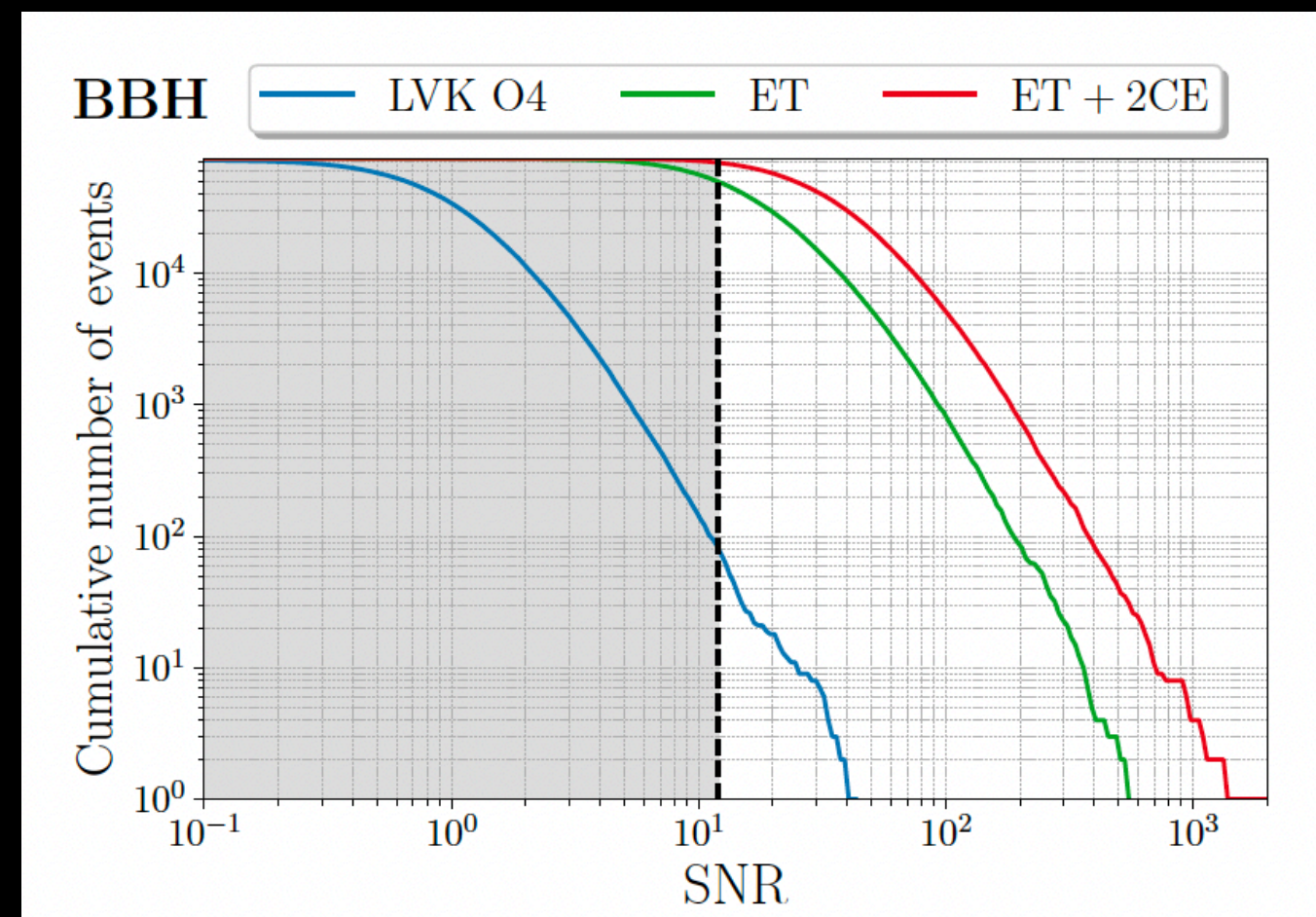
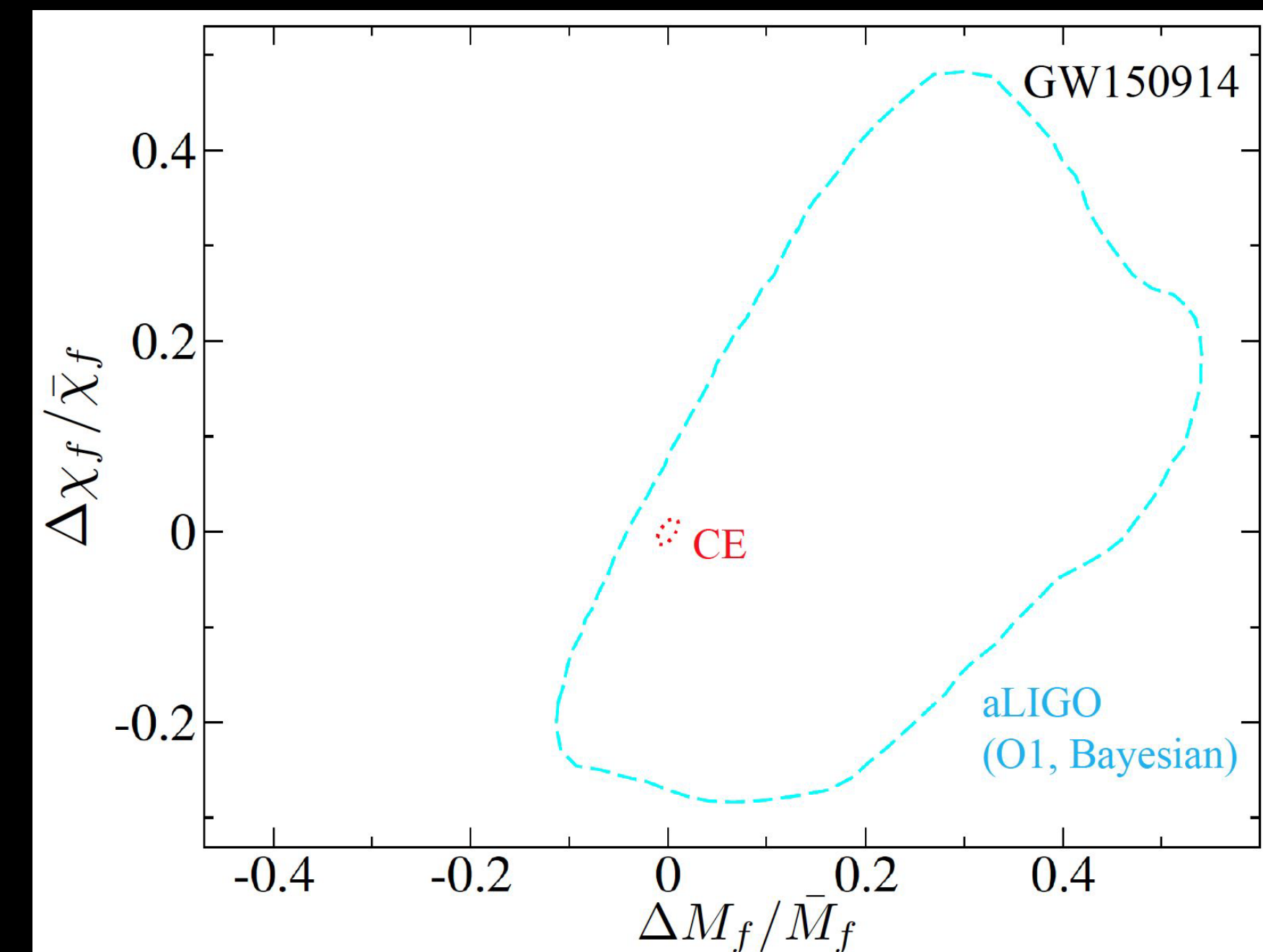
General Relativity Tests

Simulated GW150914-like observations

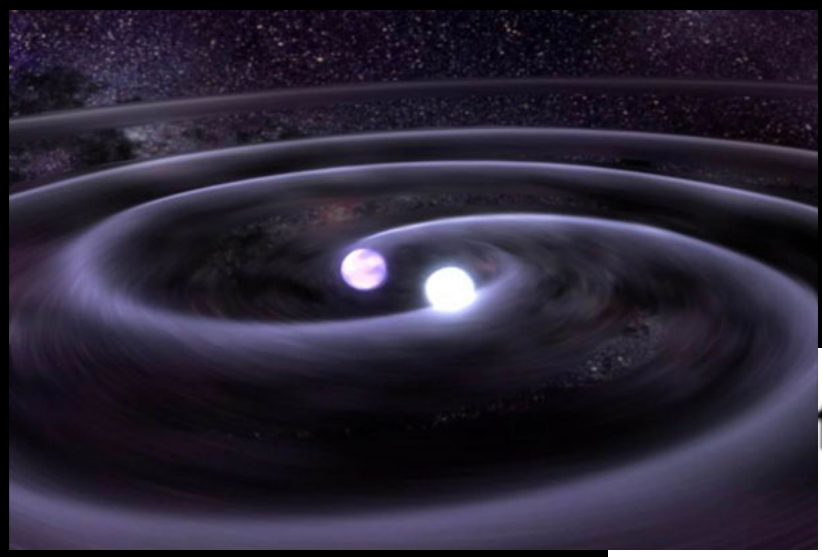


$$\frac{\Delta M_f}{\bar{M}_f} = 2 \frac{M_f^{\text{insp}} - M_f^{\text{postinsp}}}{M_f^{\text{insp}} + M_f^{\text{postinsp}}},$$

$$\frac{\Delta \chi_f}{\bar{\chi}_f} = 2 \frac{\chi_f^{\text{insp}} - \chi_f^{\text{postinsp}}}{\chi_f^{\text{insp}} + \chi_f^{\text{postinsp}}},$$



The huge boost in sensitivity and SNR allows for precise tests of GR improving by 2 orders of magnitude compared to 2G results.



Complementarity

