GW detectors optimized for the kHz range

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Motivation ...



Try to design a detector design devoted to the kHz range. Hopefully

- compact
- ➤ sensitive
- ➤ cheap...

... Back to the beginning

Usual detection strategies...



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 $F = \frac{h}{2} \sigma^2 \rho z$ $\delta L = \frac{h}{2} L \frac{\varpi}{-(\varpi_0^2 - \varpi^2 + i\Phi \varpi_0^2)}$

Usual detection strategies...



... Back to interferometers ...



Seems better to get the longest possible l_{opt}. However...

... the useful measurement time is just ~ T/2 (T is the g.w. period: T = $(2\pi/\omega)$)



Figure 2: Sensitivity for GEO – LIGO - Virgo – Explorer - Nautilus – Auriga, with estimated levels of some possible sources. The Pulsars points show SNR with respect to background noise of Virgo after one year of integration, for maximum amplitude of the emitted GW.



No more dependence on L if we can keep an high N (we just have to keep 'light on flight' for a time T/2)

Ex.: $\omega/2\pi \approx 3 \text{ kHz} \implies I_{opt} \approx 50 \text{ km}$





L = 3 km

OR... reduce L, increase N.

Present limit from mirror losses (~ 1 ppm): $N \sim 10^{6}$



In favour of long interferometers: less sensitive to 'local' noise (effect \propto 1/L) such as

- Thermal noise (\rightarrow go to cryogenic)
- Radiation pressure (\rightarrow go to larger masses)

However, present (and future) interferometers are not limited by such effects in the > kHz range.

 \rightarrow room for shortening

Moreover...

For close mirrors, again some (new) useful effects from elastic forces



For $\omega_{\rm S} << \omega << \omega_{\rm M}$ we have 'free', 'rigid' masses

 $\Rightarrow \delta d \cong h/2 D$ (>> h/2 d) \Rightarrow 'Gain' D/d (~ 100)

First (??? at least recently) proposed system of this kind:

the DUAL SPHERE (2001)



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- \succ If L is too large, ω_{M} is low
 - \Rightarrow limit to L
 - better high sound velocity
- ▶ Limit to L → limit to the mass M → effect of back-action (radiation pressure) cannot be lowered indefinitely

Back-action reduction



 $\delta d = 0$ for $\omega = \omega_{\rm M}/\sqrt{2}$

Back-action reduction





$$S_{hh} = \frac{1}{|D/2 - 2T|^2} \left[S_{xx} + S_T + \left| \frac{2}{M\omega^2} - \chi \right|^2 S_{FF} \right]$$

$$\bar{T} = T/L$$
 $v_s = \sqrt{Y/\rho}$ $\Omega = v_s/L$ $\bar{\chi} = M\Omega^2 \chi$ $x = \omega/\Omega$

$$S_{hh} = \frac{1}{|0.5 - 2\bar{T}|^2} \left[\frac{S_{xx} + S_T}{L^2} + \left(\frac{L}{Mv_s^2}\right)^2 \left| \frac{2}{x^2} - \bar{\chi} \right|^2 S_{FF} \right]$$

If S_{xx} dominates, the best material has the largest v_s (allowing the largest L)

$$S_{xx}S_{FF} = N^2\hbar^2$$
 SQL: $N = 1$

$$\frac{S_{xx}}{L^2} = \eta^2 \left(\frac{L}{Mv_s^2}\right)^2 S_{FF}$$



$$S_{hh} = \underbrace{S_T}_{L^2|0.5 - 2\overline{T}|^2} + NS_{opt} \frac{\eta + \frac{1}{\eta} \left| \frac{2}{x^2} - \overline{\chi} \right|^2}{|0.5 - 2\overline{T}|^2}$$
Thermal noise $f(x) \approx 1$

$$S_{opt} = \hbar \frac{\rho^{3/2}}{Y^{5/2}} (2\pi\nu_0)^3 \underbrace{\left(\frac{1}{x_0^3} \frac{L^3}{V}\right)}_{V_1} - \text{Test mass volume}$$

$$\omega_M \Omega$$
Form factor

>
$$S_{opt}$$
 scales as v_0^3
> The best material has the lower $\rho^{1.5}/Y^{2.5}$

	Mo	Si	SiC
Density p	10.3	2.3	3.2
Young (GPa)	330	150	450
$\rho^{1.5}/Y^{2.5}$	1.7 E-23	1.3 E-23	1.3 E-24
Sound velocity (m/s)	5600	8000	11900
Diameter (m) for $v_{\rm M} = 4 \text{ kHz}$	0.6	1.0	1.5
$\sqrt{S_{opt}}$ (cylinder 3 m)	1.9 E-23	2.0 E-23	7.6 E-24

Thermal noise

$$S_{thermal} = \frac{4kT}{\omega} Im\chi \,.$$
$$S_T = \frac{8kT}{M\Omega^3} \begin{pmatrix} \phi_S x_S^2 & \phi & x_0^2 \\ x^5 & \mu & x(x_0^2 - x^2) \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\frac{8kT}{\hbar\omega_M}\phi \ll N$$

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For
$$v_0 = 5$$
 kHz:

$$\frac{N}{T\phi} \gg 3 \times 10^7$$

Possible implementation















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Q/T=2x10⁸ K⁻¹

Example of Thermal and BA noise reduction using selective readout



Single mass DUAL Detector

<u>The DUAL concept</u> which works between two modes of two different bodies <u>can work also between two</u> <u>modes of the SAME body</u>

An hollow cylinder can work as a DUAL (mode) detector the internal diameter is the length to be measured for the detection



the deformation of the inner surface has "opposite sign" for the first and the second quadrupolar mode

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The π phase difference concept still holds



requency

Double channel readout



Antenna pattern: like 2 IFO at 45°



Complete transfer function



Molibdenum $R_{ext} = 0.5m$ $R_{int} = 0.15m$ L = 3m

CONCLUSIONS: we are just beginning

Problems:

- SQL readout
- availability of large masses (depends on materials)
 cosmic rays (underground?)
- links between test masses
- cryogenic possibilities vs dissipated power

Strong R&D necessary (2-3 yrs ?)
Help and ideas welcome