

Hierarchical approach to matched filtering using a reduced basis

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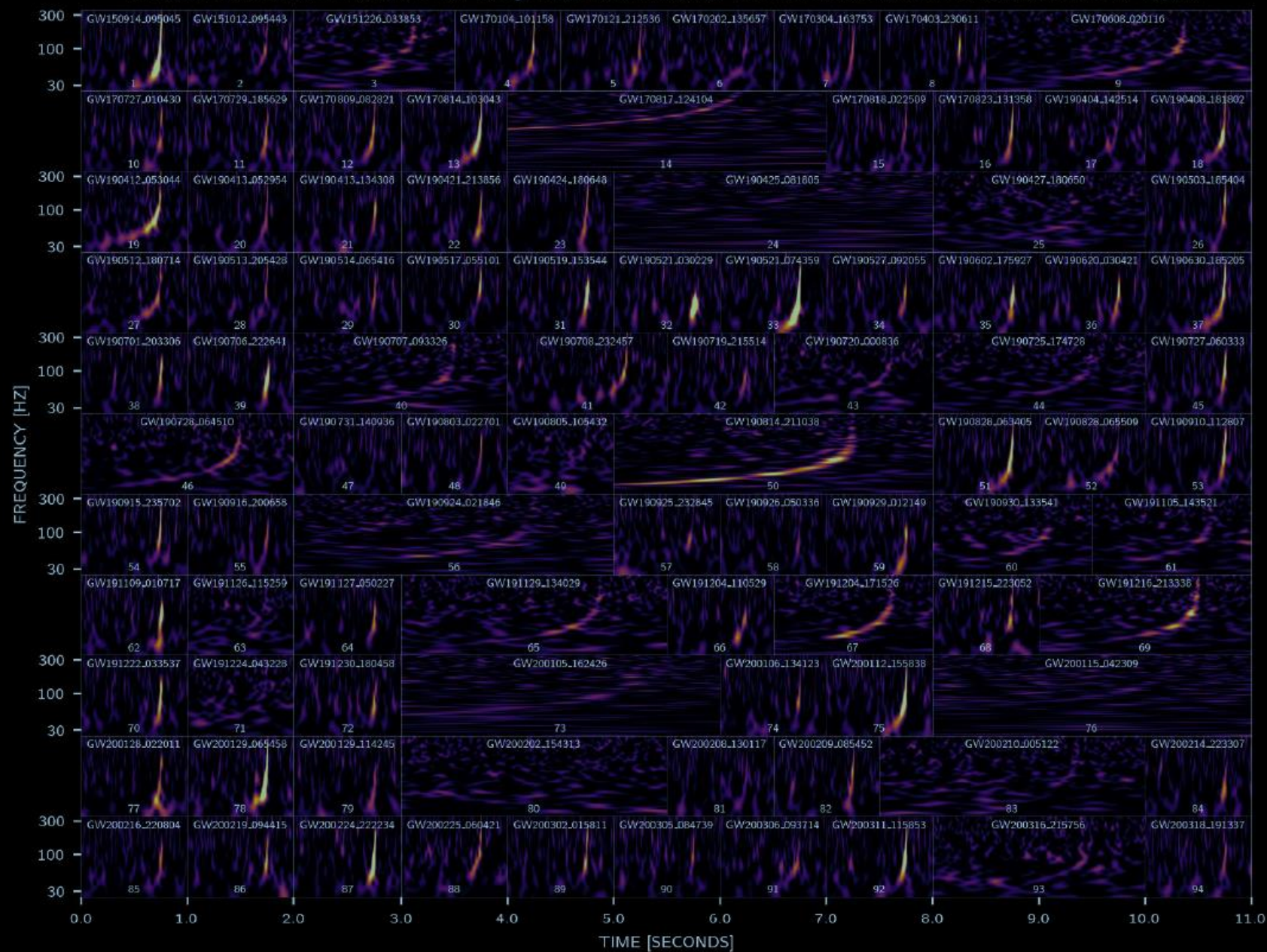
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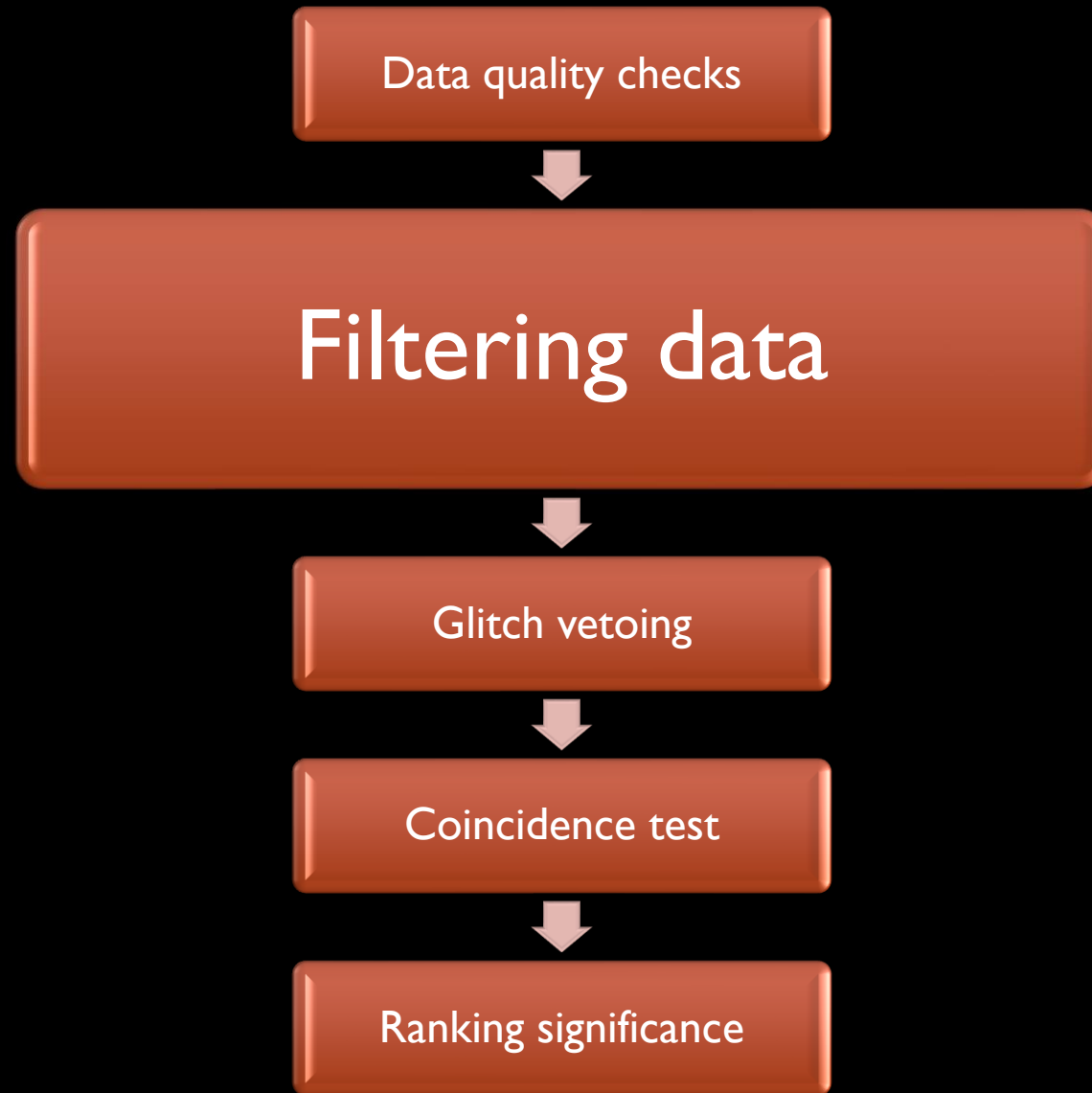
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Modeled search



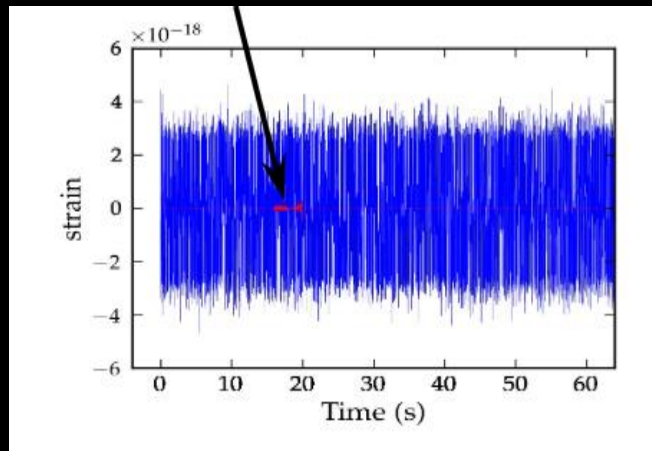
Matched filtering to extract the signal

Optimal detection statistic

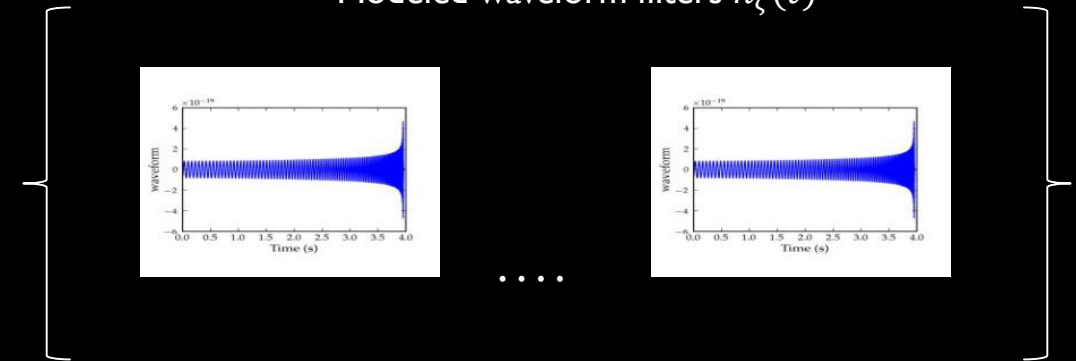


Likelihood of data containing a signal

Signal embedded in strain data $\mathbf{s}(t)$

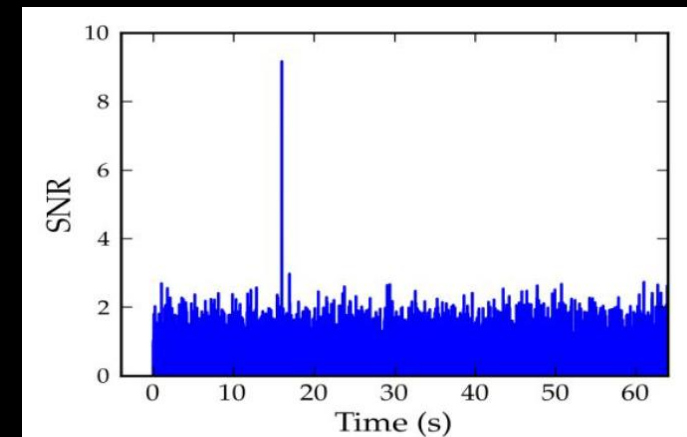


Modeled waveform filters $h_z(t)$



$$\rho(\zeta) = \frac{(\tilde{s}|\tilde{h}_\zeta)}{\sqrt{(h|h)}}$$

$$(a|b) = 4 \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\tilde{a}(f)\tilde{b}^*(f)}{S_n} df$$



Search assumptions

Approximating the search statistic

Aligned spins

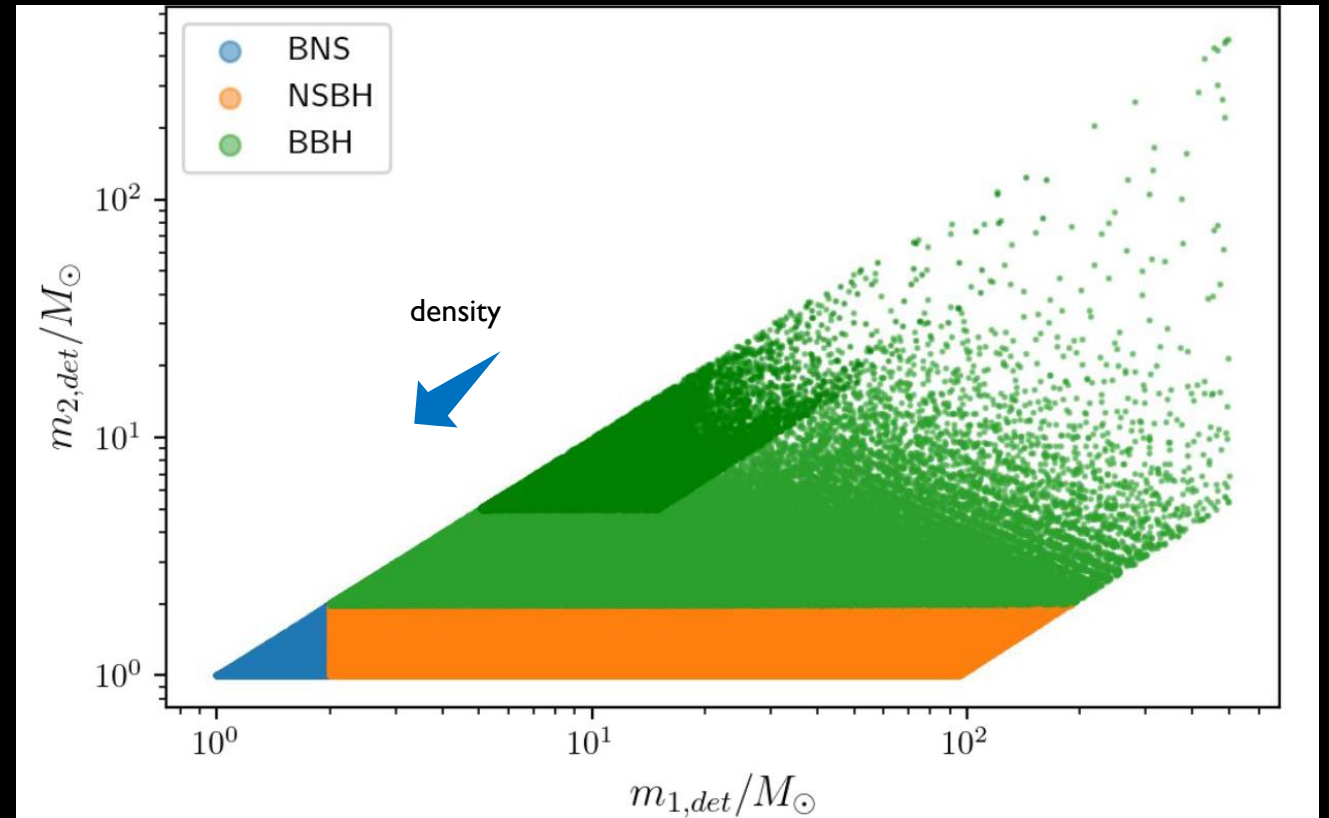
Quasi circular orbits

Dominant mode of GW emission

15 parameters

(Likelihood maximization)

- Masses m_1, m_2
- Spins $\mathcal{S}_{1z}, \mathcal{S}_{2z}$
- Extrinsic parameters A, ϕ_0 analytically
- Signal arrival time t_c FFTs

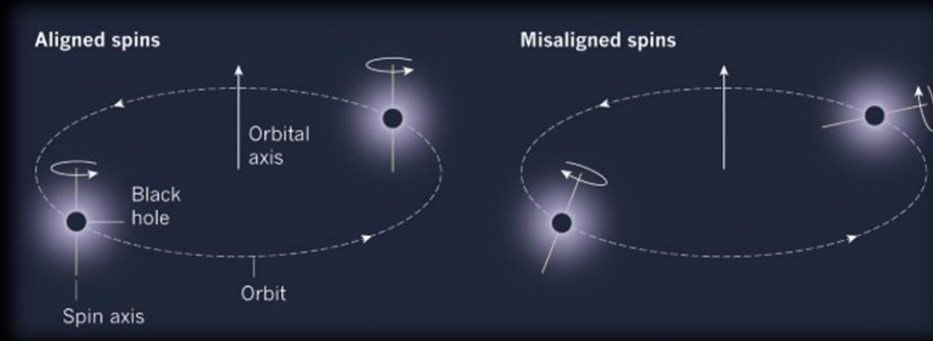


Aligned-spin template bank

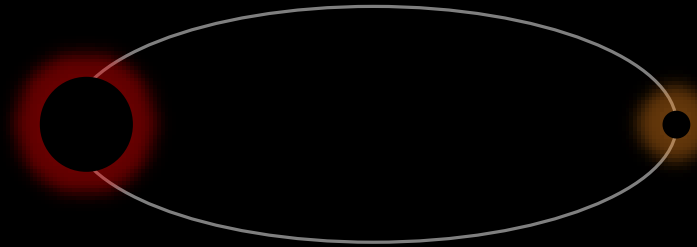
Computational costs \propto No. of templates \propto Signal duration

Current template banks are missing

Precessing systems



Eccentric binaries

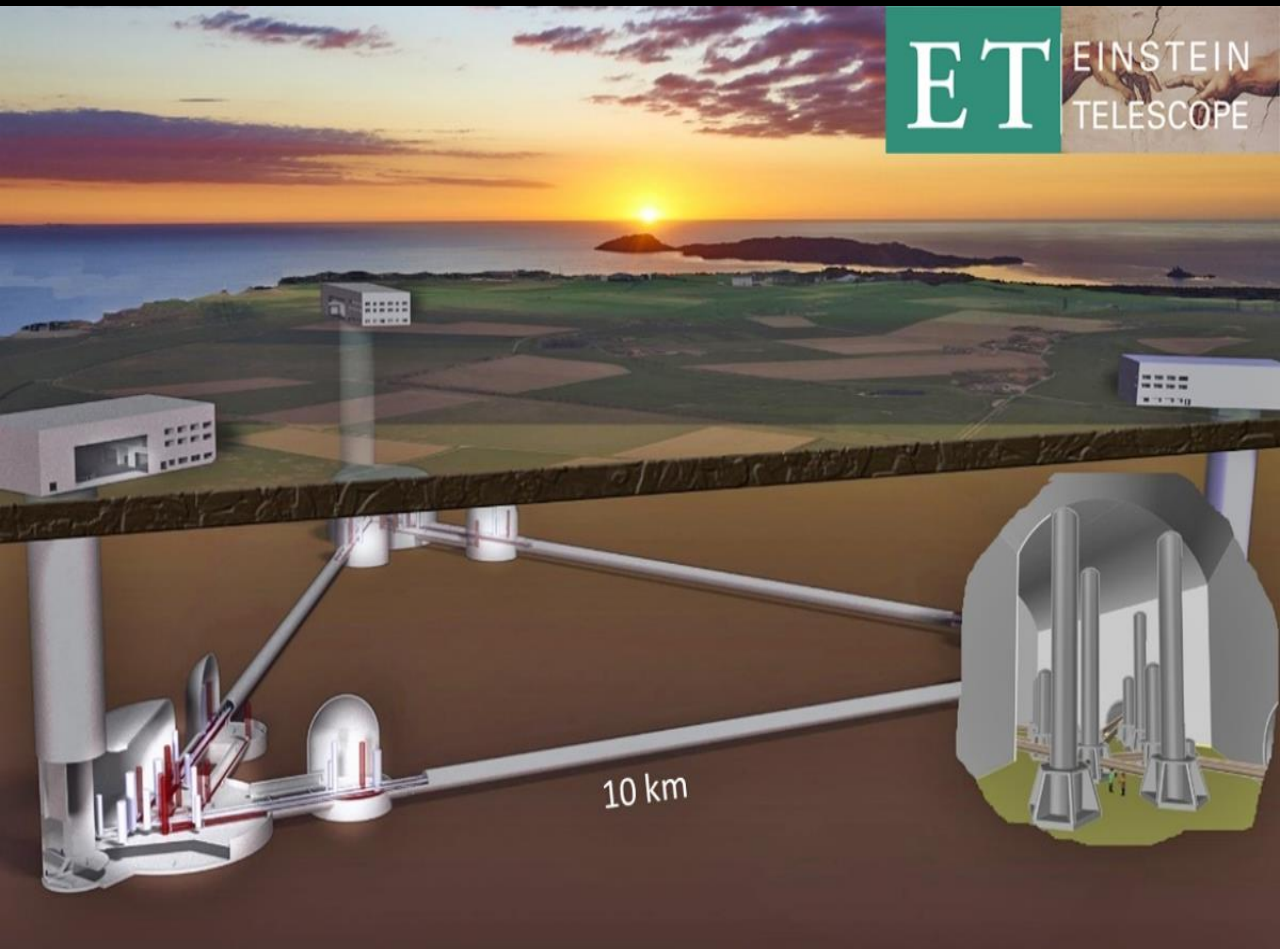


~100x bigger
template banks

Computationally limited

Huge astrophysical implications

Third generation detectors



Better sensitivity at
low frequencies



Longer templates



Larger costs

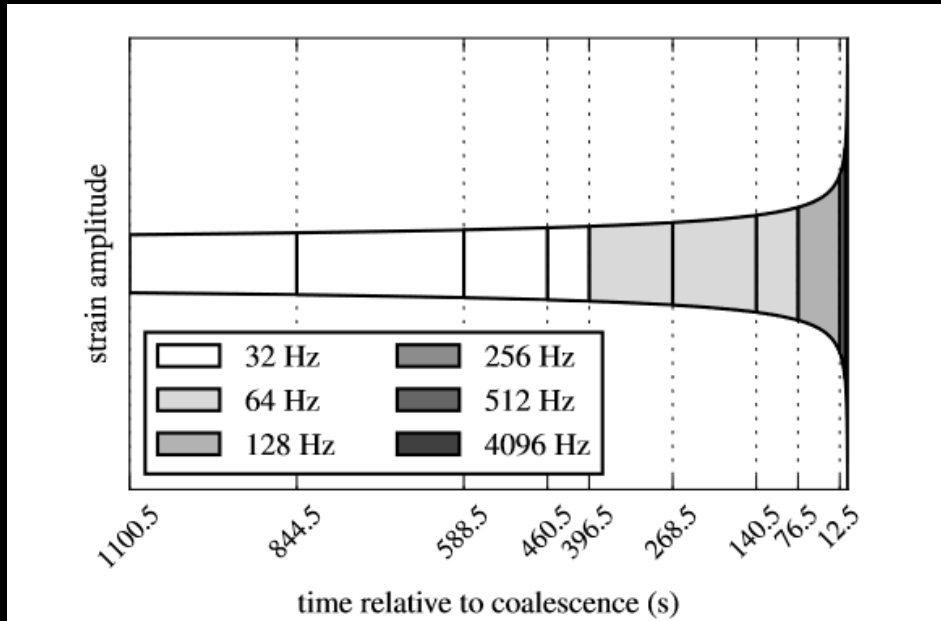
Improving the search performance

Multirate sampling with reduced basis

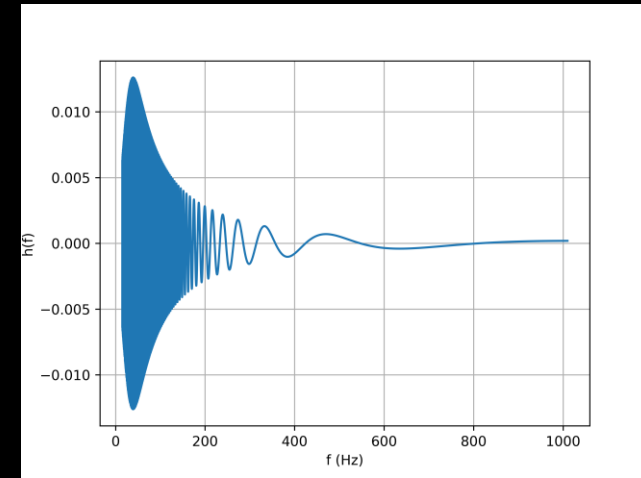
Nyquist's criterion

$$N = \frac{1}{(df dt)} \quad \text{number of samples}$$

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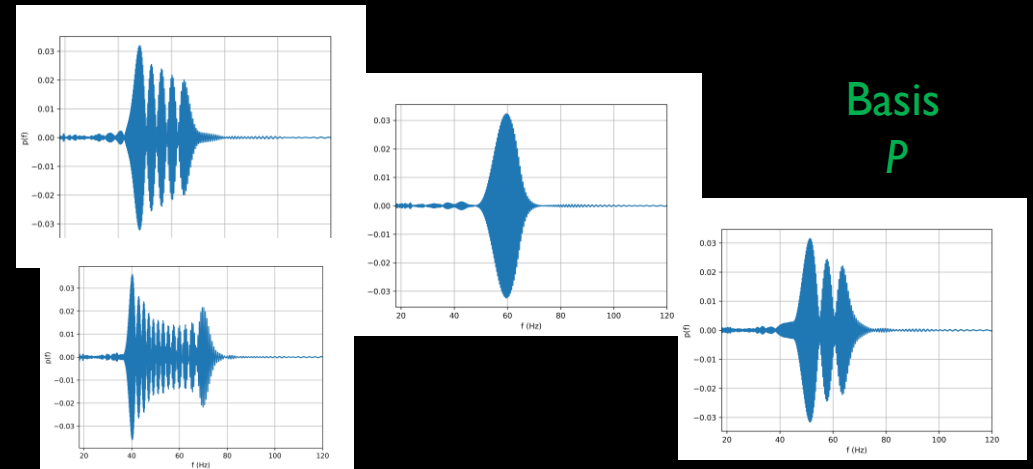
- Greatly reduces subsequent computations
- Used by GSTLaL, MBTA and SPIIR pipelines



Templates
 T

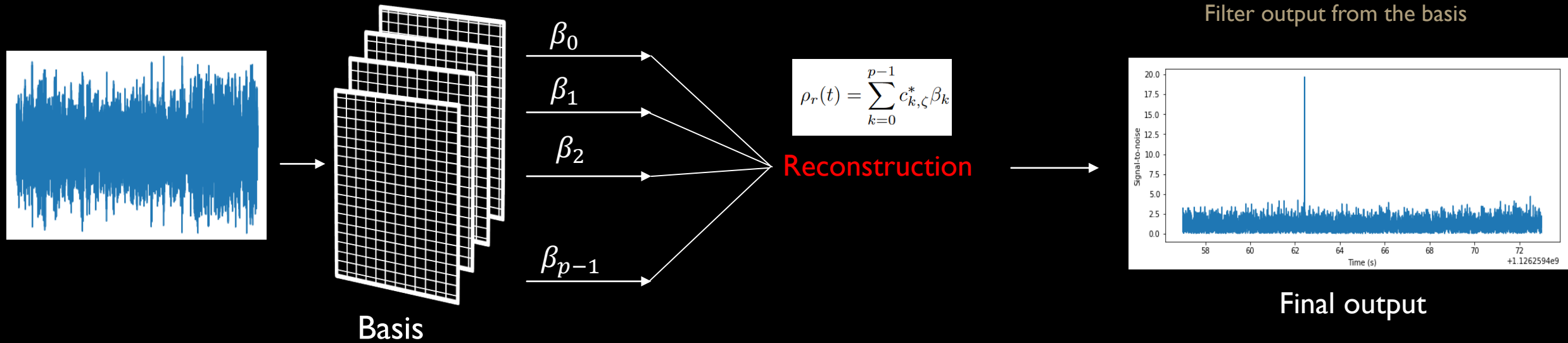
$P < T$

$$\tilde{h}_\zeta(f) = \sum_{k=0}^{p_t-1} c_{k,\zeta} \tilde{p}_k$$



Basis
 P

(Continued) Reduced basis matched filtering

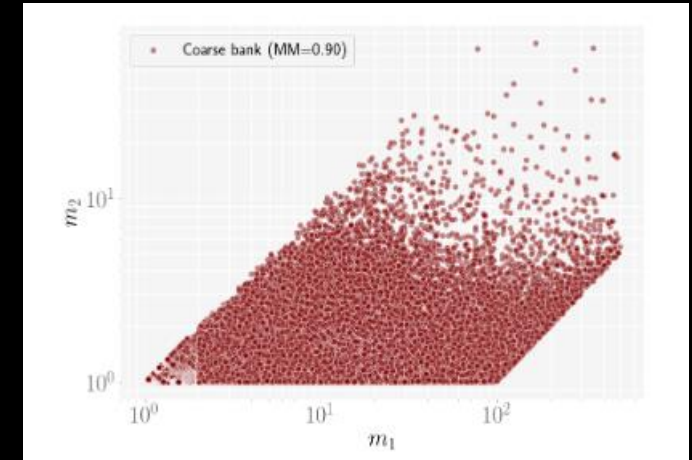


$\mathcal{O}(NT \log N) < \mathcal{O}(NpT)$ **!! Expensive !!**

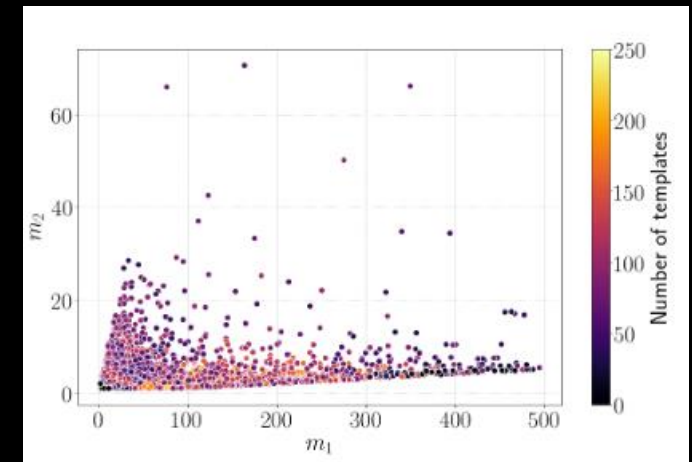
Hierarchical methods

- Two stage filtering using coarse and fine template banks
- Only foreground triggers are followed from 1st stage to 2nd
- This results in poor background estimation which can result in incorrect significance of an event
- Computational gain at the expense of sensitivity

Coarse bank



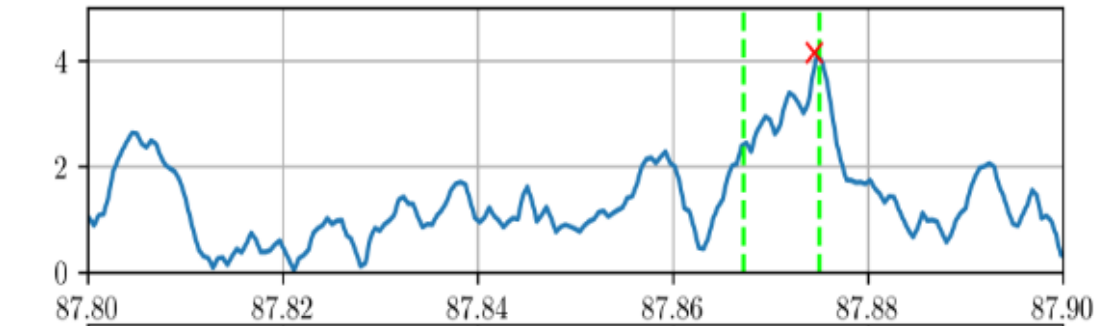
Fine bank



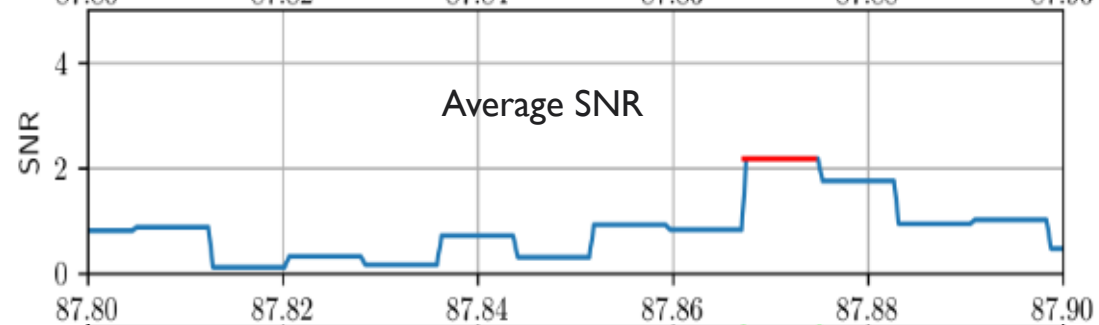
Reduced basis hierarchical method

Reconstructing SNR series (hierarchically)

Fully sampled
SNR time-series

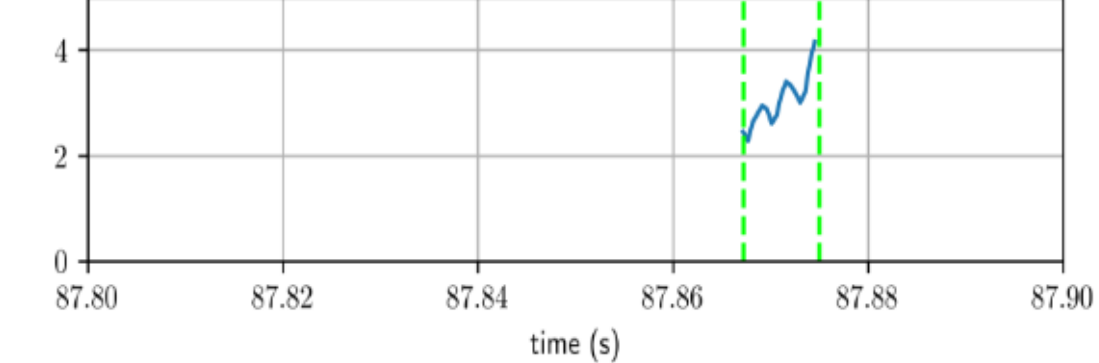


First stage



Down-sampling SNR series

Second stage



Recovered using basis

Estimating the average SNR

Averaging of SNR series in time-domain can be performed in the Fourier-domain

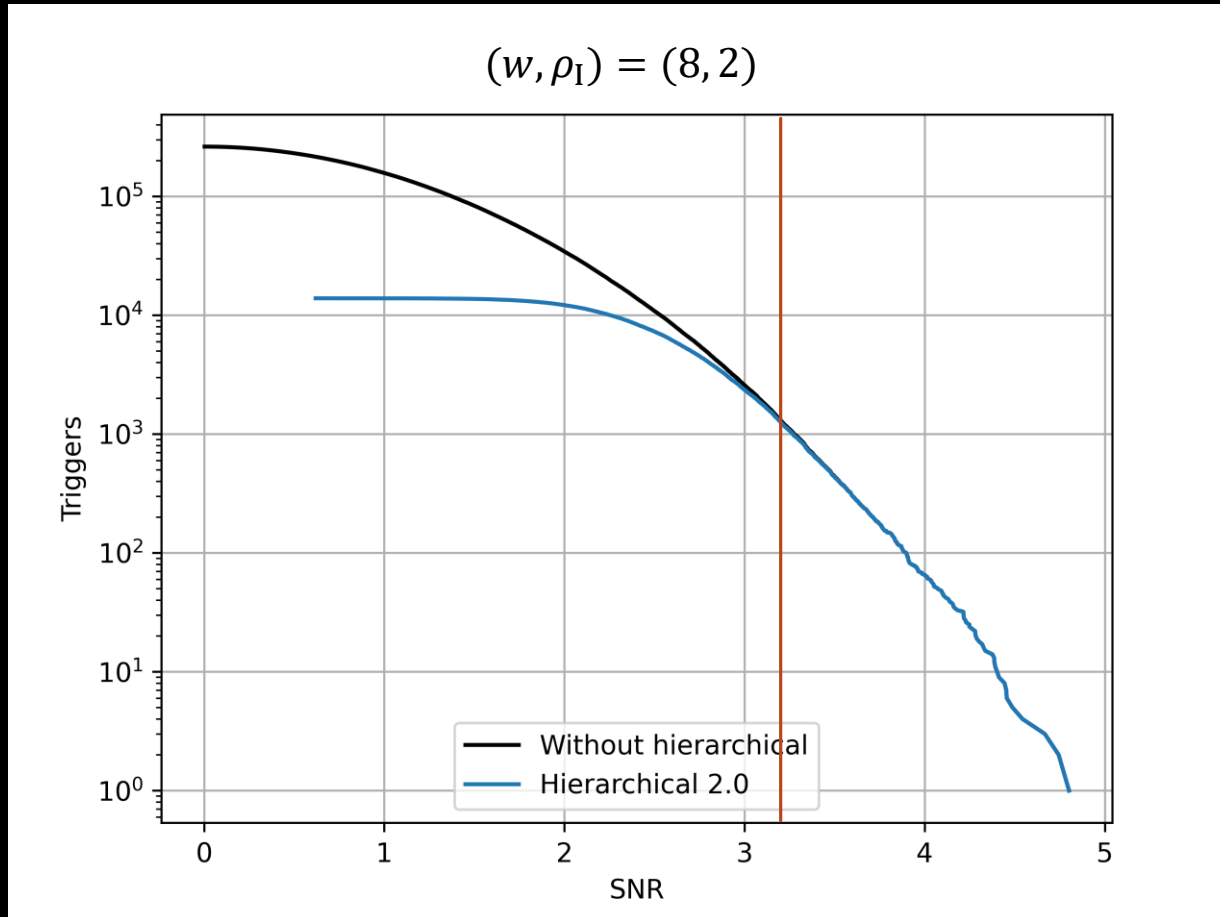
$$\langle \rho_\zeta(t) \rangle_b = \frac{1}{Nw} \sum_{r=0}^{w-1} 4\Delta f \sum_{f=0}^{N-1} \frac{\tilde{s}[f] \tilde{h}_\zeta^*[f]}{S_n[f]} e^{2\pi i f (wb+r)/N}$$

Bin containing w samples

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \rho_\zeta(t) \rangle_b &= \frac{4w\Delta f}{N} \sum_{f'=0}^{N/w-1} e^{2\pi i f' \frac{w}{N} b} \\ &\quad \times \underbrace{\frac{1}{w^2} \sum_{l=0}^{w-1} \frac{\tilde{s}[l\frac{N}{w} + f'] \tilde{h}_\zeta^*[l\frac{N}{w} + f']}{S_n[l\frac{N}{w} + f']} \sum_{r=0}^{w-1} e^{2\pi i (l\frac{N}{w} + f') \frac{r}{N}}}_{=\Omega(f')} \\ &= \frac{4w\Delta f}{N} \sum_{f'=0}^{N/w-1} e^{2\pi i f' \frac{w}{N} b} \Omega(f'). \end{aligned}$$

- Thus, we need to perform IFFT of a frequency series of reduced length N/w only
- First stage costs are reduced by a factor of $w \longrightarrow \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{N}{w} \log\left(\frac{N}{w}\right)\right)$

Triggering criteria



No. of triggers

$n_{flat}(\rho_{II})$ flat scheme

$n_{final}(\rho_{II})$ hierarchical scheme

Two free parameters

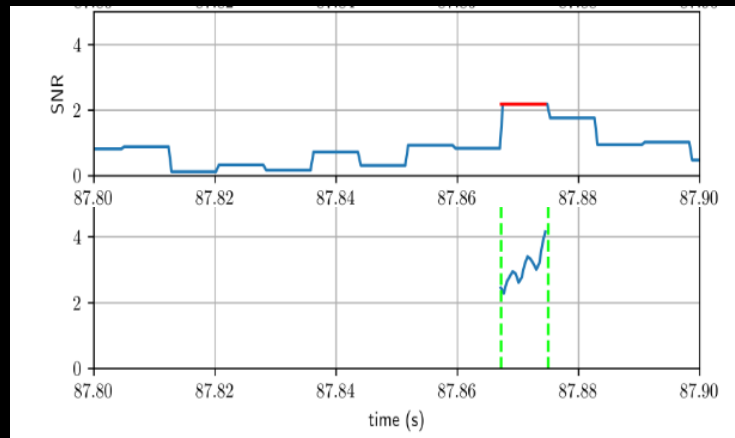
w, ρ_I

No loss in sensitivity

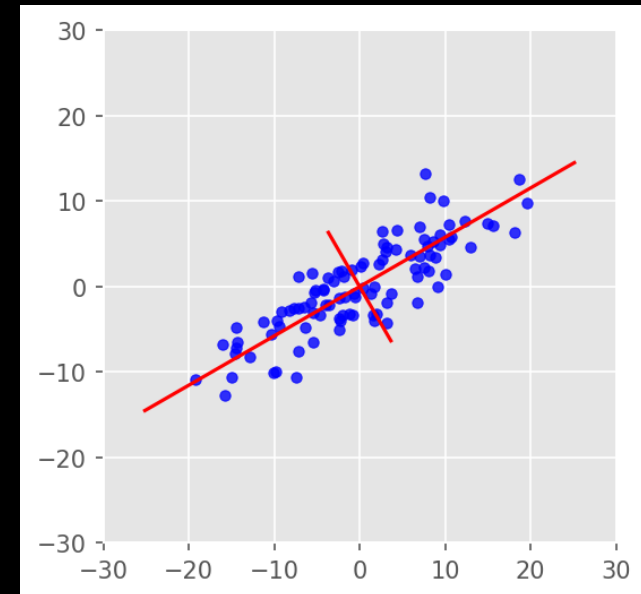
$$\rho_{target}(w, \rho_I) = \left(\min(\rho_{II}) \mid n_{final}(\rho_{II}) \geq 0.99n_{flat}(\rho_{II}) \right)$$

Second stage and cost estimation

- Follow up triggering bins
- Reconstruct sample points using the **basis**



Principal component analysis (PCA)



$$z_{flat} = NT(5 \log N + 6)$$

$$z_{total}(w, \rho_I) = NT \left(\frac{5}{w} \log \left(\frac{N}{w} \right) + 6 + \frac{2}{w} \right) + 4pwf(w, \rho_I) + Np(\log N + 6)$$

Baseline costs (FLOP)

Hierarchical costs (FLOP)

Implementation

Codebase in **C language** and operations on the GPU are performed using **CUDA** by Nvidia

- Pre-compute the basis and store them on hard-drives
- Data is divided into smaller segments of **128s** and sampled at **2048 Hz**
- Highly parallelizable operations – Matrix multiplications, FFTs
- Optimized libraries -- cuBLAS, cuFFT

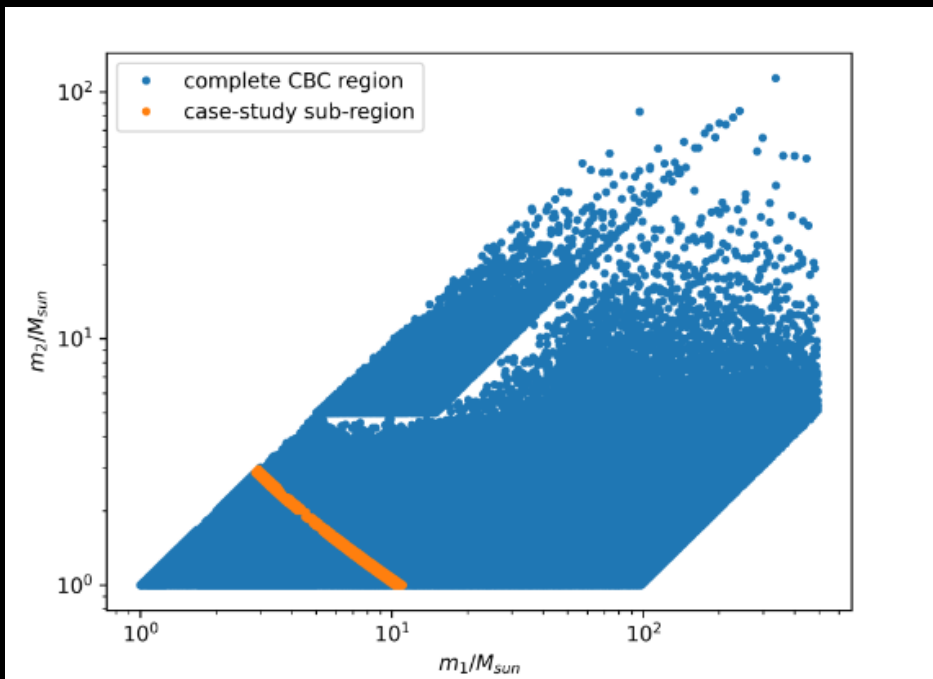


ATLAS computing center at AEI

Nvidia Tesla V100 and RTX 2070

Results

Case-study



$M \in [5.72, 12.05]$

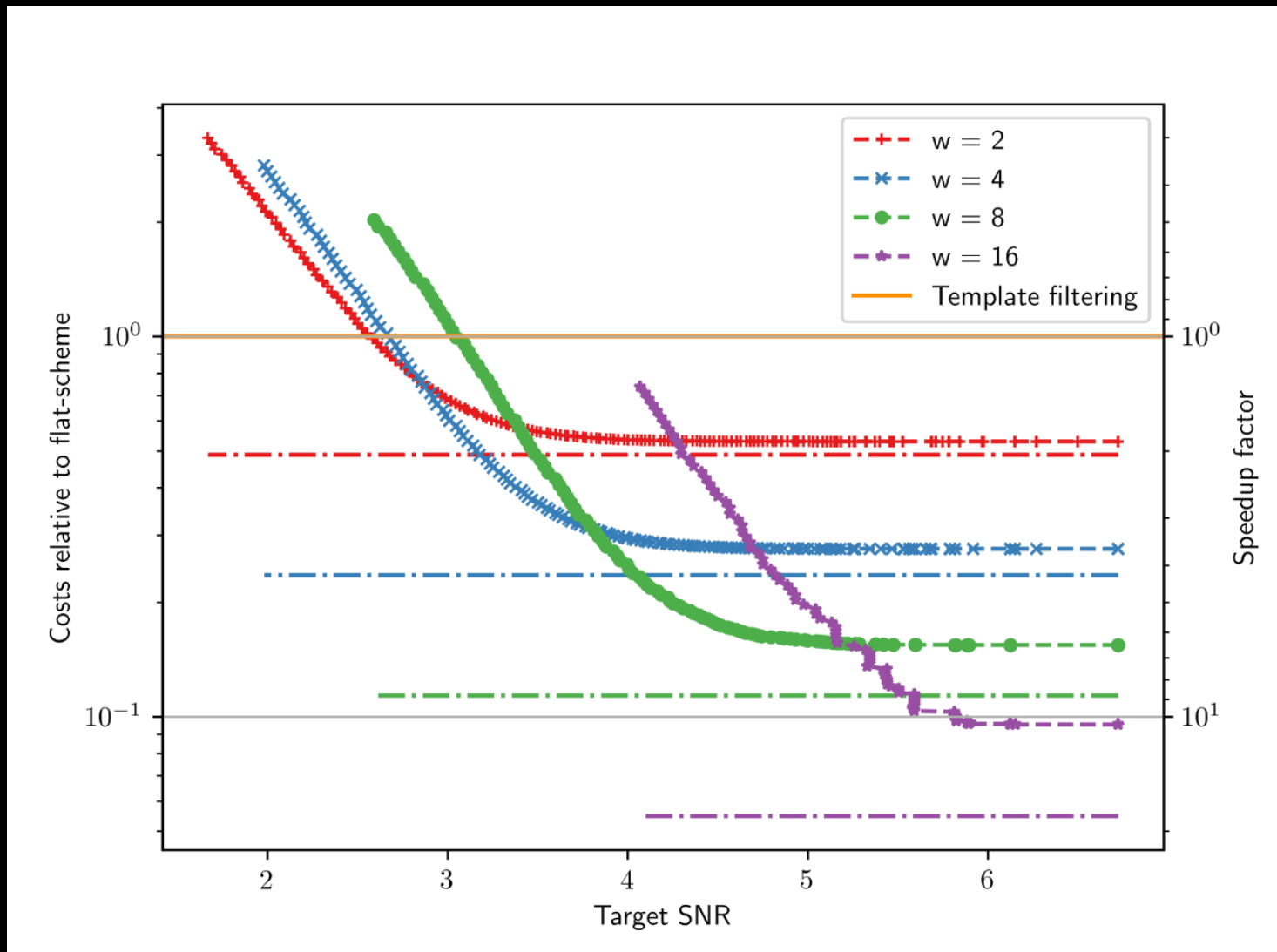
$q \in [1.0, 11.05]$

6250 templates

- Case-study performed on a sub-region
- Conservative reduction in costs $p = 254 \sim \langle p \rangle$
- We target for SNR 5 and above

- Primarily tested on simulated data containing only Gaussian noise
- Also tested on a small population of BBH signals
- Data generated using PyCBC

Total Costs



Improvement of

10x
for SNR = 6

5x
for SNR = 5

Observed performance

- Improvement using GPUs
- Evaluate performance using **throughput** of any method

$$\text{Throughput} = \left(\frac{\text{secs of data filtered}}{\text{time taken for filtering}} \right) (\text{No. of templates filtered}) = NT/t$$

Method	Throughput	Throughput/ Euro	Throughput/ W
cuFFT(in-situ)	4000×10^3	400	14×10^3
Hierarchical scheme (expected)	3300×10^4	3300	116×10^3
PyCBC live	6300	17	31
PyCBC offline	12,000	32	60

in real-time

Conclusions and future prospects

- Demonstrated our new hierarchical scheme using simulated data.
- Achieved an improvement of 10x and 5x respectively for SNR = 6 and 5 respectively (without losing sensitivity)
- Cost and energy efficient way of performing matched filtering using GPUs.

What's next

- Implement the scheme in PyCBC before O4.
- Use it to perform precessing/eccentric or sub-solar searches

Thank you for your
attention

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Backup slides

Reduced basis matched filtering

- Consider T templates \tilde{h}_ζ and a basis \tilde{p}_k

- Any template can be represented as a linear combination of the basis

$$\tilde{h}_\zeta(f) = \sum_{k=0}^{p_t-1} c_{k,\zeta} \tilde{p}_k$$

complete representation
 $p_t = T$

- Truncating the basis for an approximate representation

$$\left\langle \frac{\delta\rho}{\rho} \right\rangle = 1 - \frac{\left| \sum_{k=0}^{p-1} \sigma_k^2 \right|}{\left| \sum_{k=0}^{p_t-1} \sigma_k^2 \right|}$$

$p < T$

- Matched filter in terms of reduced basis

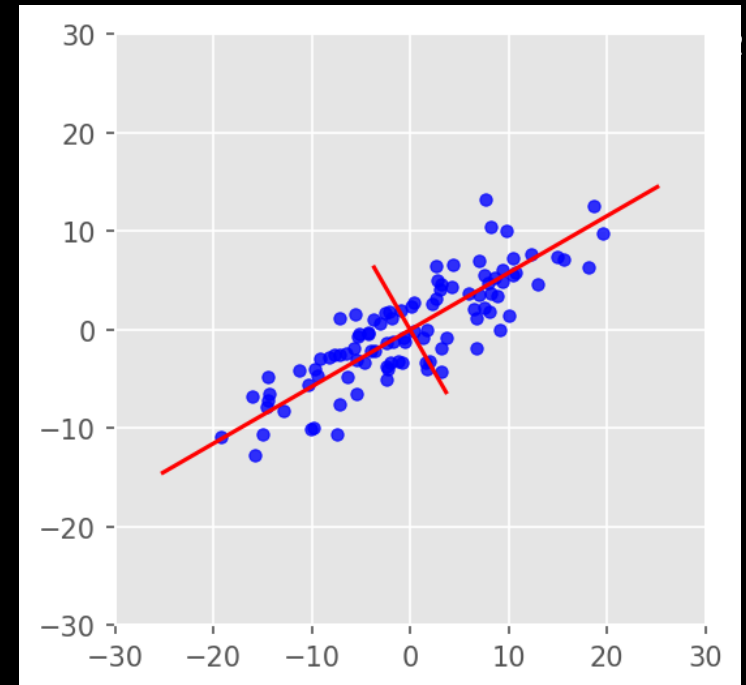
$$\rho_r(t) = \sum_{k=0}^{p-1} 4 \int_0^\infty \frac{\tilde{s}(f) c_{k,\zeta}^* \tilde{p}_k^*(f)}{S_n(f)} e^{2\pi i f t} df$$

PCA (in a nutshell)

- Obtain the basis \longrightarrow Perform **principal component analysis (PCA)**
- How to perform PCA ?

1. Consider a set of n data points denoted as vectors \mathbf{v}
2. Center the vectors and then normalize them $\hat{\mathbf{v}}_s = \mathbf{v} - \mathbf{b}$
3. Create a covariance matrix $\mathbf{C} = \hat{\mathbf{v}}_s^T \hat{\mathbf{v}}_s$
4. Perform an EVD of \mathbf{C} to get the orthonormal basis vectors \mathbf{p}
5. Decomposition coefficients $\mathbf{D} = \mathbf{p} \hat{\mathbf{v}}_s$
6. Approximated vectors $\hat{\mathbf{v}}_s^{\text{approx}} = \mathbf{D}^T \mathbf{p}$

$$\mathbf{b} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} v_i$$



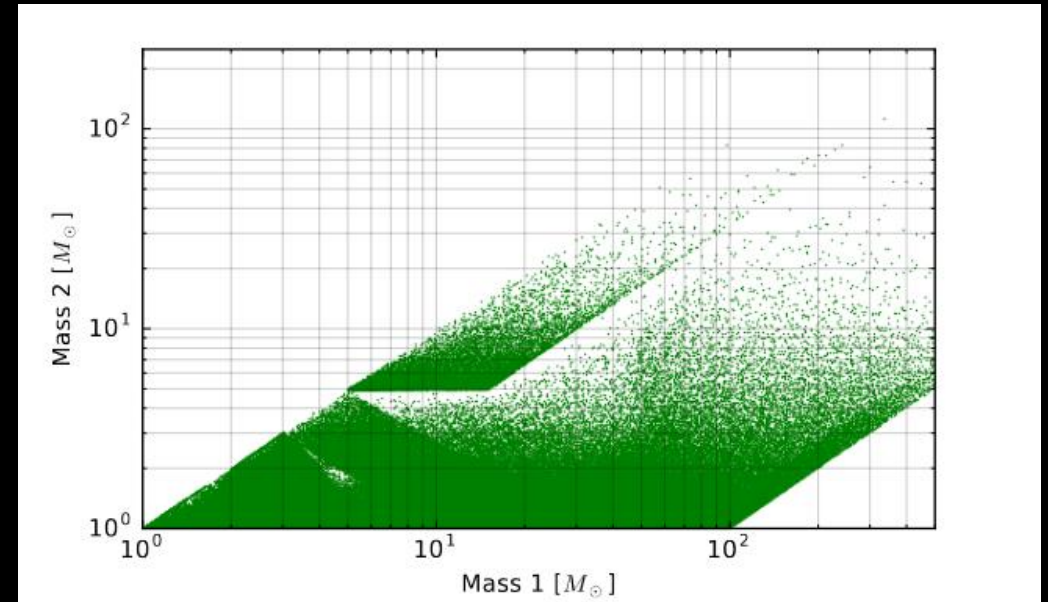
PCA on a template bank

- Sample waveforms using a **non-uniform frequency list** (saves up lot of space and computation time)
- Templates are whitened and normalized according to **aLIGO ZDHP PSD**.

$$\begin{pmatrix} \tilde{h}_0(f_0) & \tilde{h}_0(f_1) & \dots & \tilde{h}_0(f_{N_t-1}) \\ \tilde{h}_1(f_0) & \tilde{h}_1(f_1) & \dots & \tilde{h}_1(f_{N_t-1}) \\ \vdots & \vdots & \dots & \vdots \\ \tilde{h}_{T/64-1}(f_0) & \tilde{h}_{T/64-1}(f_1) & \dots & \tilde{h}_{T/64-1}(f_{N_t-1}) \end{pmatrix}$$

- Covariance matrix for each sub-bank $\mathbf{C}^m = \mathbf{T}^m \times (\mathbf{T}^m)^\top$
- Diagonalisation using **Lanczos algorithm**
- Obtain decomposition matrix \mathbf{D}^m and basis matrix \mathbf{P}^m

Aligned spin



~ 400,000 templates

MM = 0.97

sub-bank index	parameter τ_0	p
1	[0.1, 5.1]	64
⋮	⋮	⋮
34(case study)	[98.0, 103.4]	254
⋮	⋮	⋮
64	[442.5, 595.7]	200

6250 templates in each sub-bank

Hierarchical Matched filtering

$$\rho_r(t) = \sum_{k=0}^{p-1} 4 \int_0^{\infty} \frac{\tilde{s}(f) c_{k,\zeta}^* \tilde{p}_k^*(f)}{S_n(f)} e^{2\pi i f t} df$$

Primary idea – Split the reconstruction stage

- Compute forward FFT of $s(t)$ at a uniform sampling rate $1/dt$
- Linearly interpolate $\tilde{p}(f)$ at the uniform frequencies
- Filter data with every basis vector \tilde{p}_k to obtain β_k
- Average β_k in fixed bins of w samples to get β_k^{avg}
- Perform **first stage** reconstruction to obtain averaged SNR time-series
- Perform **second stage** reconstruction around the triggers from the first stage.

$$\beta_k^{avg}[t_i] = \sum_{j=0}^{w-1} \beta_k[t_i \times w + j] / w$$

Second stage filtering

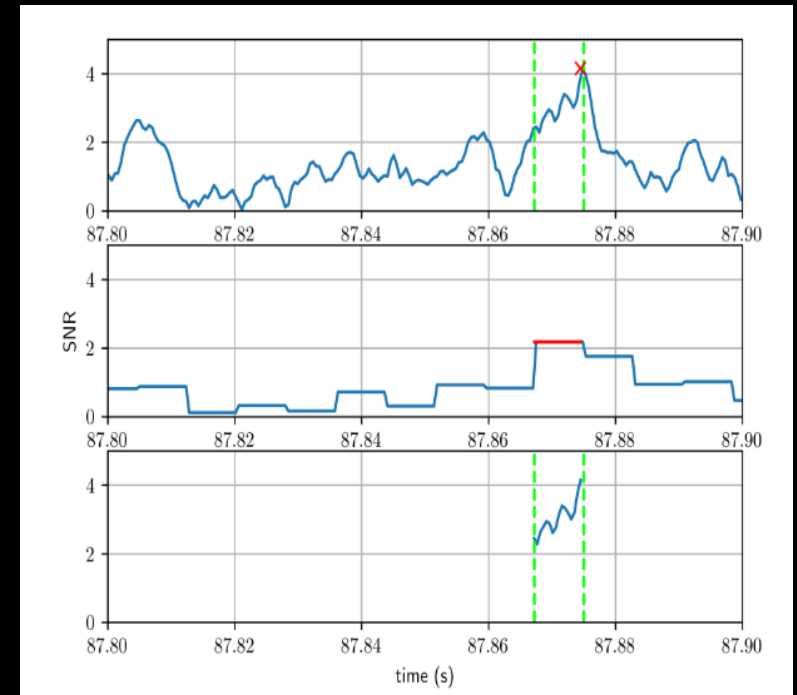
- Requires the basis vectors
- Collect the first stage triggers using a threshold to then perform a finer reconstruction of the triggering bins

$$\rho_r(t) = \sum_{k=0}^{p-1} c_{k,\zeta}^* \beta_k$$

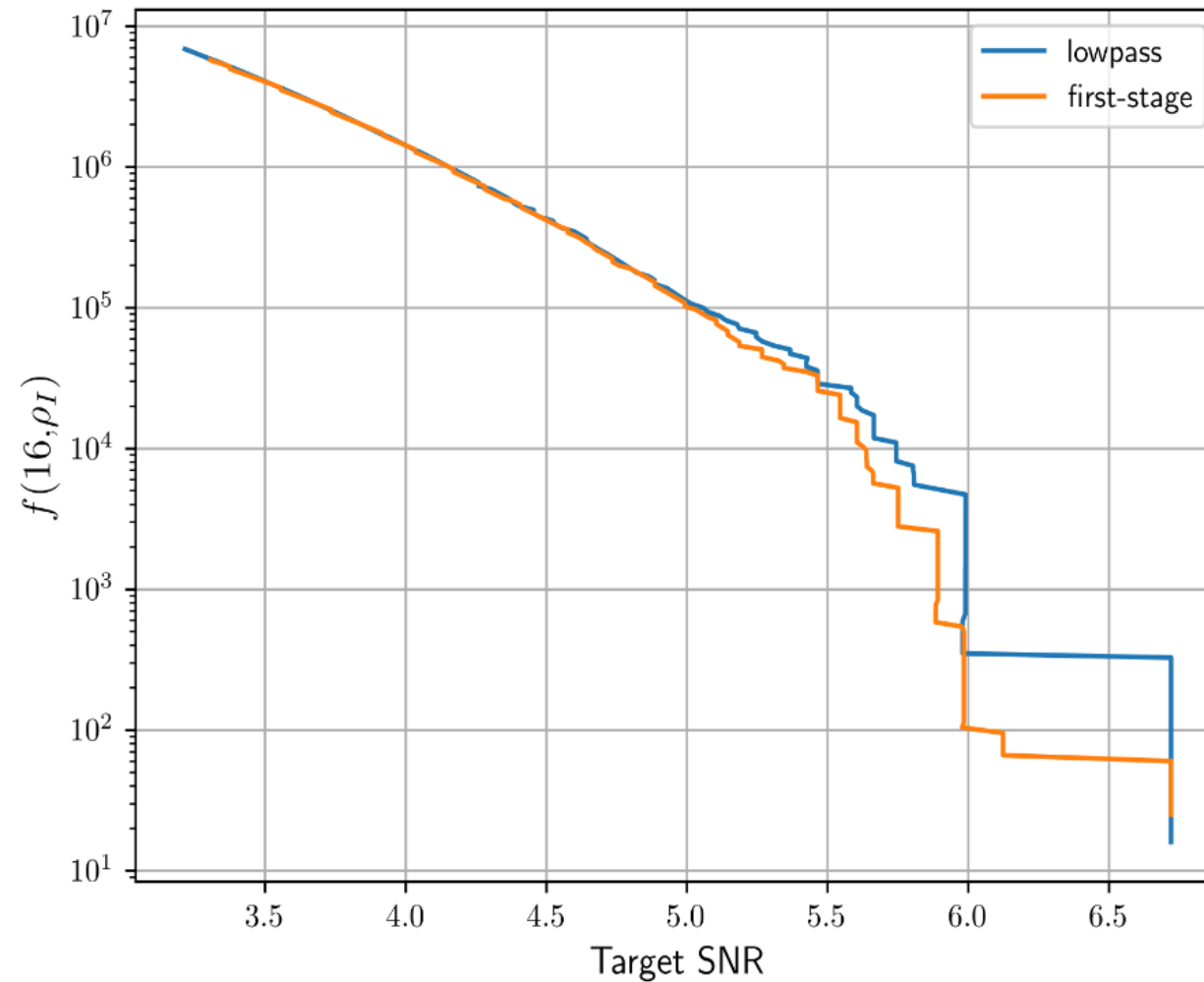
Partial reconstruction

- Triggering criteria for the first stage ?

Two parameters -- w and ρ_1



Low-pass filter as first stage



Cost Estimation

- We compute the theoretical **FLOP** for filtering a data segment with N samples
- Consider **6** operations for **multiplication** and **2** operations for **addition**
- For FFTs we consider a split-radix method

Baseline comparison – Template method

- | | | |
|--|--------|----------------|
| 1. Forward real-to-half-complex FFT of data | —————> | $3/2 N \log N$ |
| 2. Integrand for T templates | —————> | $6NT$ |
| 3. Inverse complex-to-complex FFT to obtain the SNR time-series | —————> | $5NT \log N$ |

Since $T \gg 1$

$$z_{basic} = NT(5 \log N + 6)$$

(Continued) Cost Estimation

Fast first stage

1. Forward FFT and integrand computation $3/2 N \log N + 6NT$
2. Binned averaging $\frac{2NT}{w}$
3. IFFT to get averaged SNR time-series $\frac{5NT}{w} \log(N/w)$

Second stage

Assuming number of triggers $f(w, \rho_1)$ do not vary with template

1. Compute the β 's $Np(\log N + 6)$
2. Second stage reconstruction $4pwf(w, \rho_1)$

$$z_{total} = NT \left(\frac{5}{w} \log \left(\frac{N}{w} \right) + 6 + \frac{2}{w} \right) + 4pwf(w, \rho_1) + Np(\log N + 6)$$

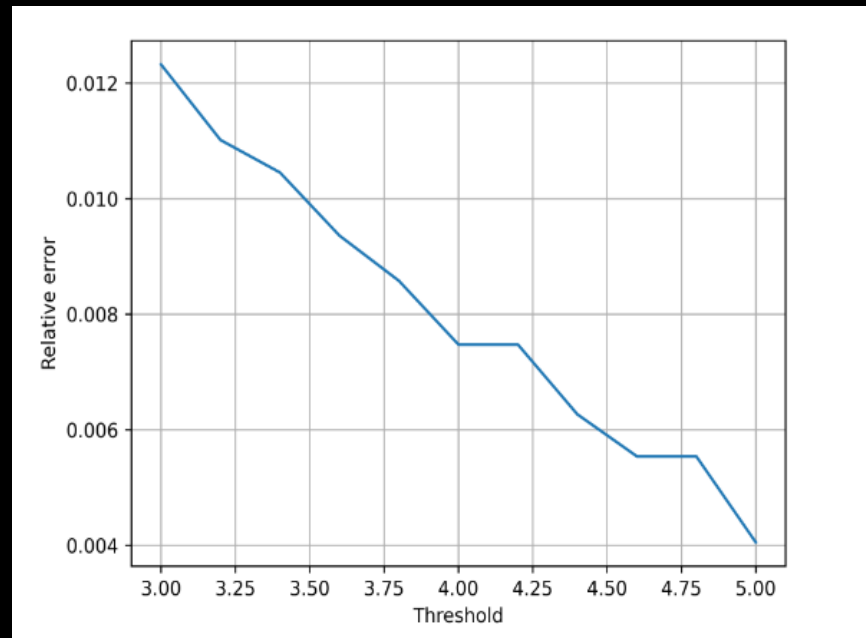
Fine-tune the parameters to minimize the total costs

Accuracy of the SNR

Two primary contributions to the loss in SNR

Truncation of the number of eigenvalues

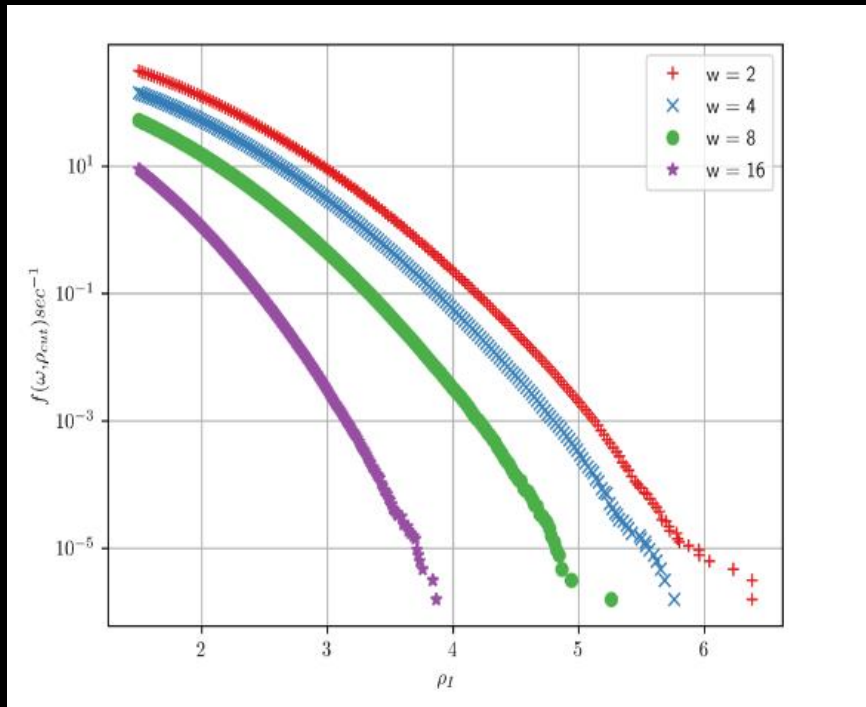
Interpolation of the basis/templates



Comparing performance

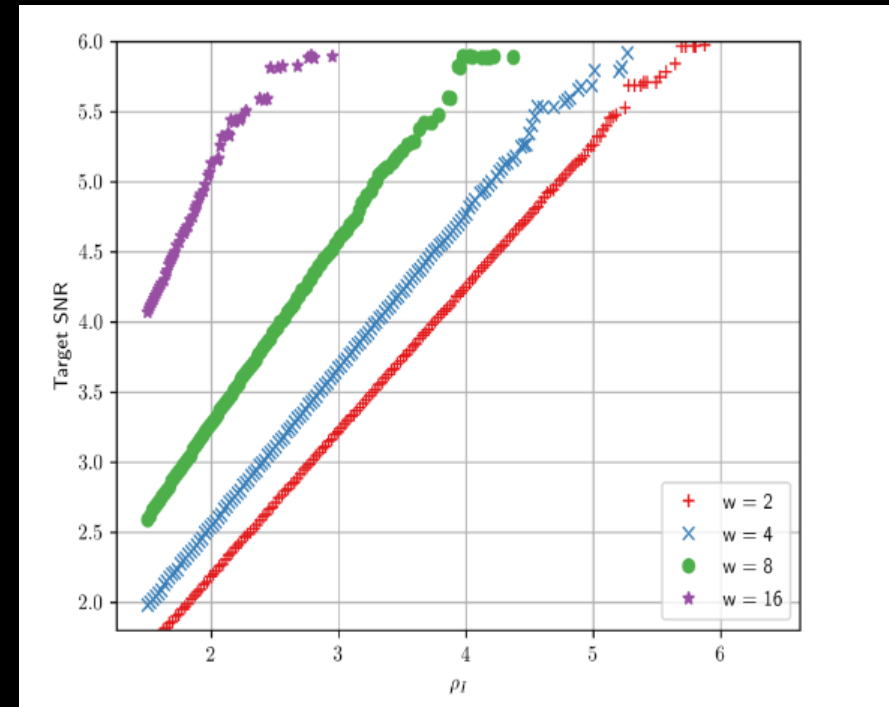
Number of required operations

- First obtain the $f(w, \rho_I)$



$$Z_{total} = NT \left(\frac{5}{w} \log \left(\frac{N}{w} \right) + 6 + \frac{2}{w} \right) + 4pwf(w, \rho_I) + Np(\log N + 6)$$

- Get the costs in terms of the target SNR



Implementation

Preparation stage PCA

- Partially implemented on CPUs
- **Matrix multiplications** – Covariance computation, Decomposition coefficients using **cuBLAS**
- Diagonalization on CPUs using Lanczos algorithm
- Results are compressed and stored on hard-drive

Matched filtering

- Completely implemented on GPUs
- Data is divided into smaller segments of **128s** and sampled at **2048 Hz**
- **FFTs** are performed using **cuFFT** in parallel batches
- First stage is implemented using basis with help of cuBLAS
- Second stage is using customized kernel

Fast First Stage Filtering using Templates

- Average the matched filter before computing the IFFT
- Consider a single bin b of size w samples and we compute the averaged SNR for that bin

$$\langle \rho_{\zeta}(t) \rangle_b = \frac{1}{Nw} \sum_{r=0}^{w-1} 4\Delta f \sum_{f=0}^{N-1} \frac{\tilde{s}[f] \tilde{h}_{\zeta}^*[f]}{S_n[f]} e^{2\pi i f (wb+r)/N}$$

$$t = wb + r$$
$$r \in [0, w - 1]$$

- Split the summation into a double sum

$$\sum_{f=0}^{N-1} \tilde{g}[f] = \sum_{f'=0}^{N/w-1} \sum_{l=0}^{w-1} \tilde{g}[l \frac{N}{w} + f']$$