

DETECTION OF ULTRA-HIGH FREQUENCY GW FROM COMPACT BINARY COALESCENCES WITH RESONANT CAVITIES

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Astrophysical (local) Sources

Primordial Black Holes of masses 10^{-10} to $10^{-3} M_{\odot}$

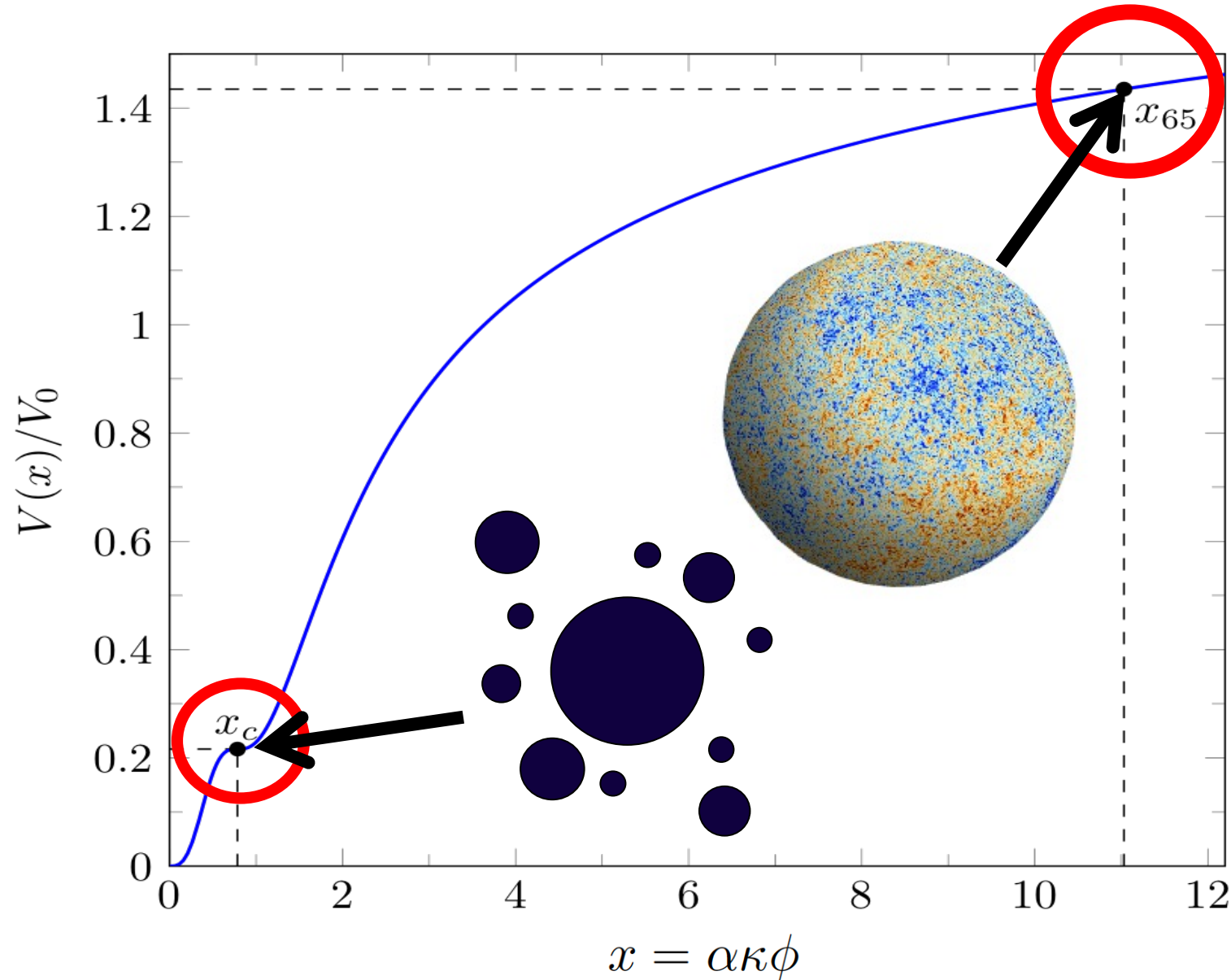
(in dense clusters in our galactic halo)

solar neighborhood - typical distance between BH

$$\rho_{\odot, \text{DM}} \approx 0.008 M_{\odot} / \text{pc}^3 \Rightarrow d_{\text{PBH}} \approx \frac{0.1 \text{ pc}}{\delta_{\text{loc}}^{1/3} f_{\text{PBH}}^{1/3}} \left(\frac{M}{10^{-5} M_{\odot}} \right)^{1/3}$$

- Black Hole Binaries
- Close Hyperbolic Encounters

Primordial Black Holes



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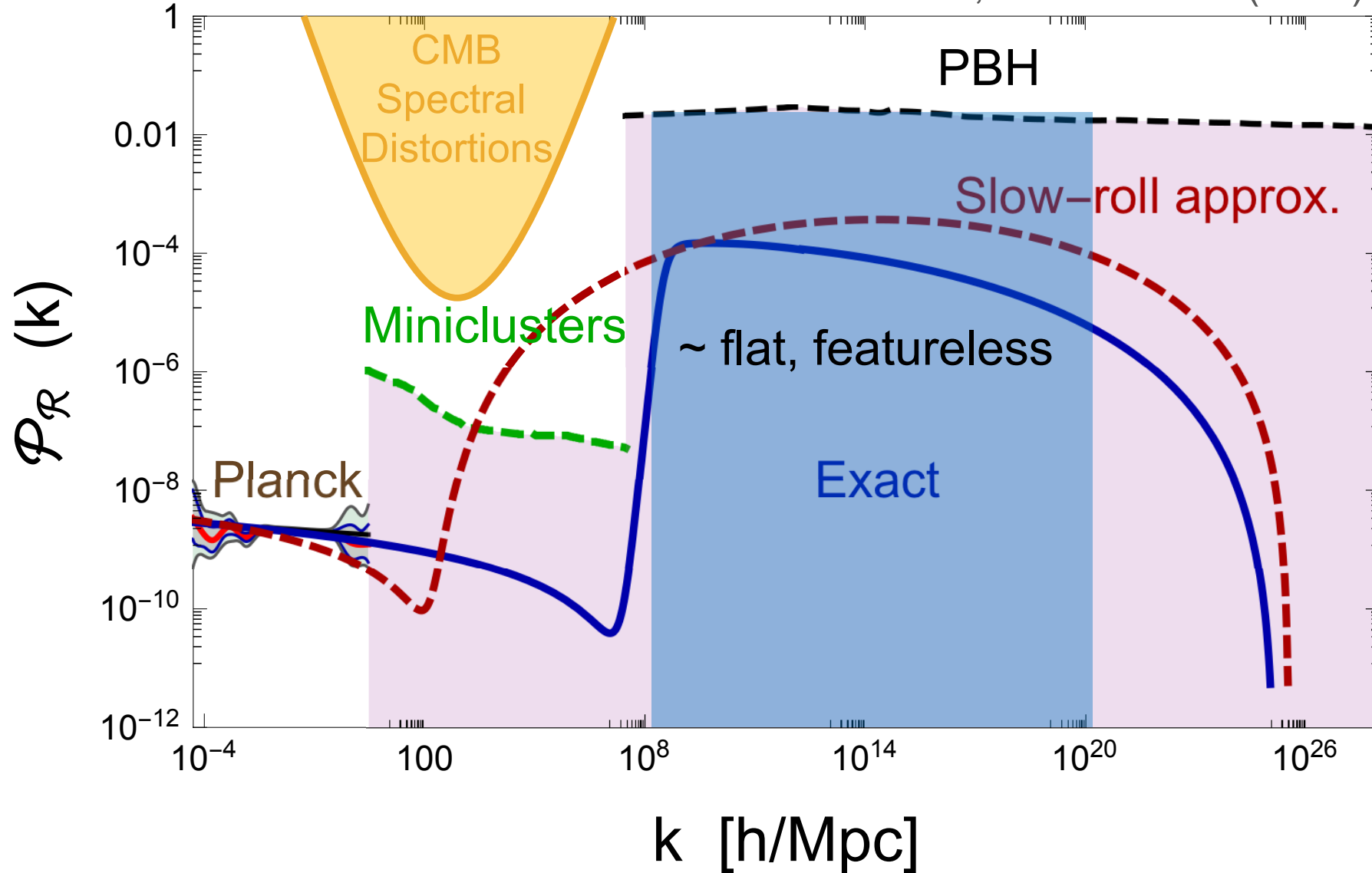
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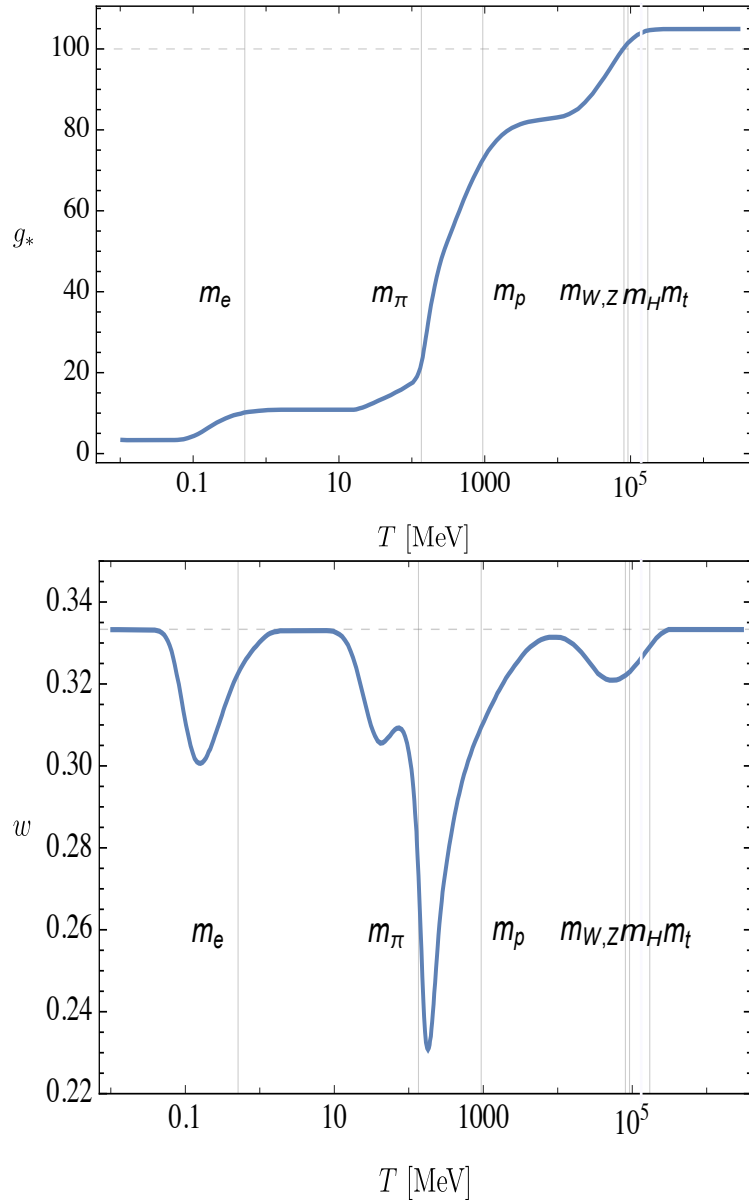
Primordial Power Spectrum

JGB, Ruiz Morales (2017)

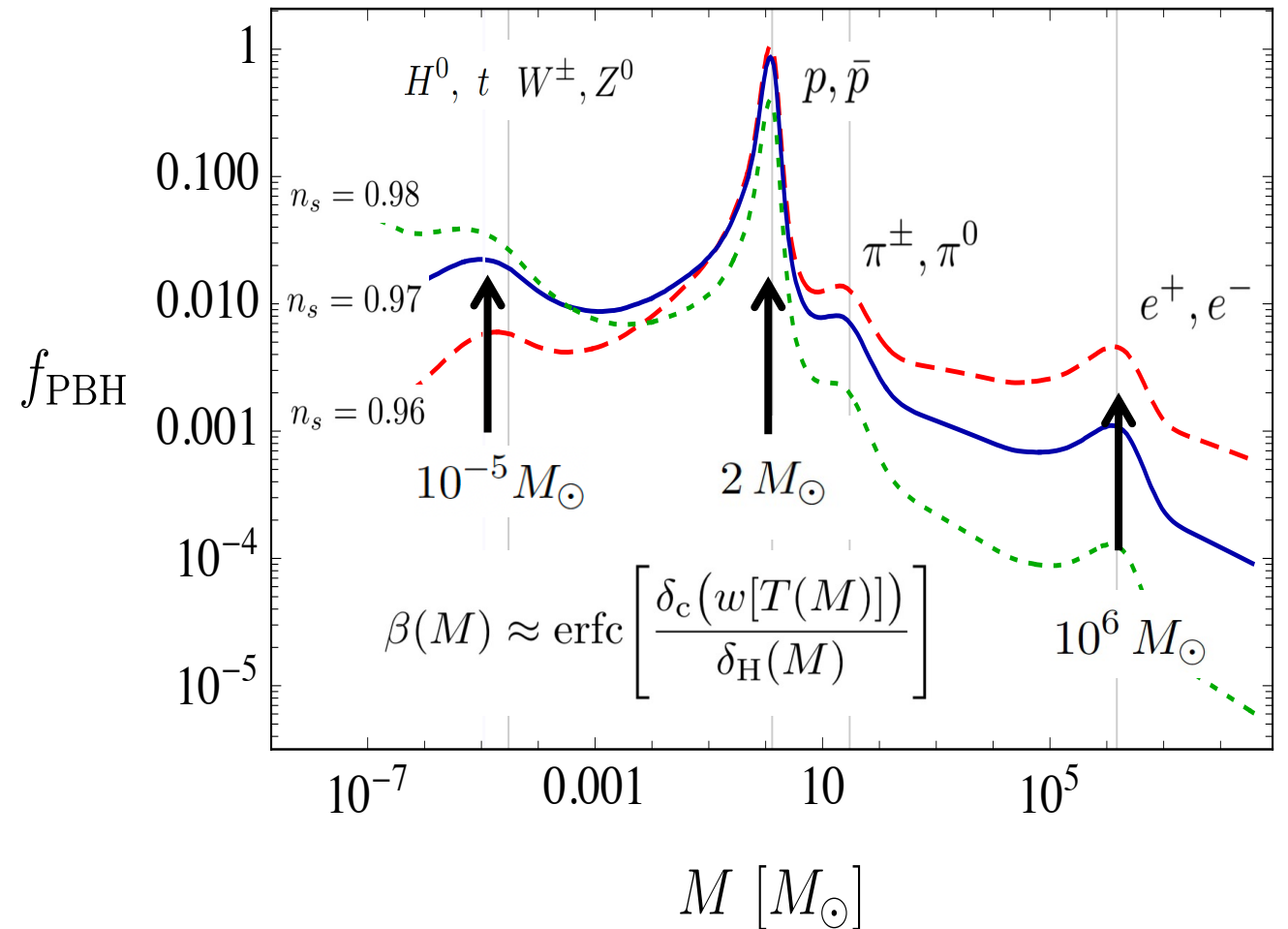


Thermal history of the universe

Carr, Clesse, JGB, Kühnel (2019)

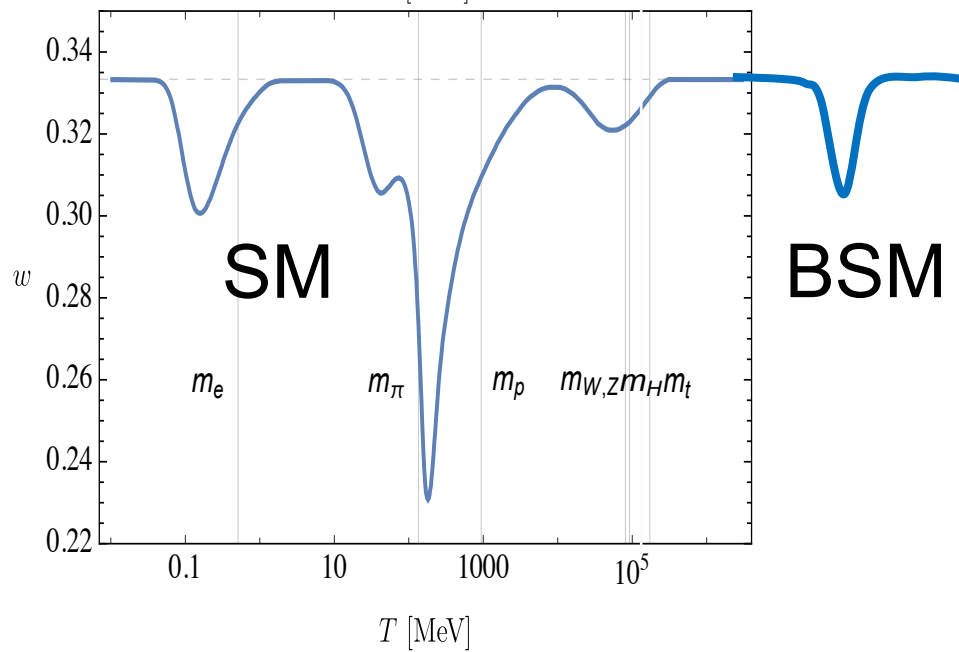
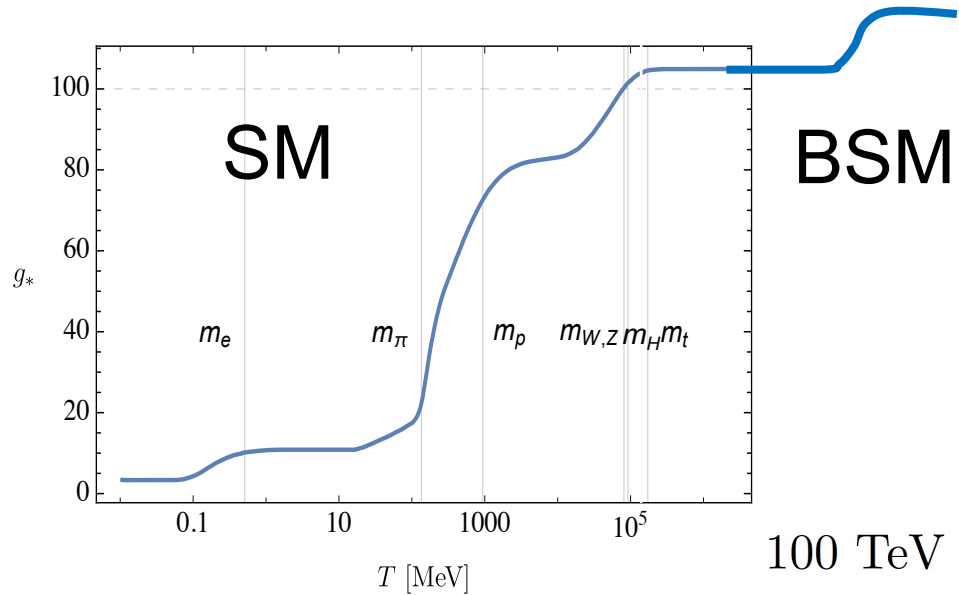


PBH mass spectrum

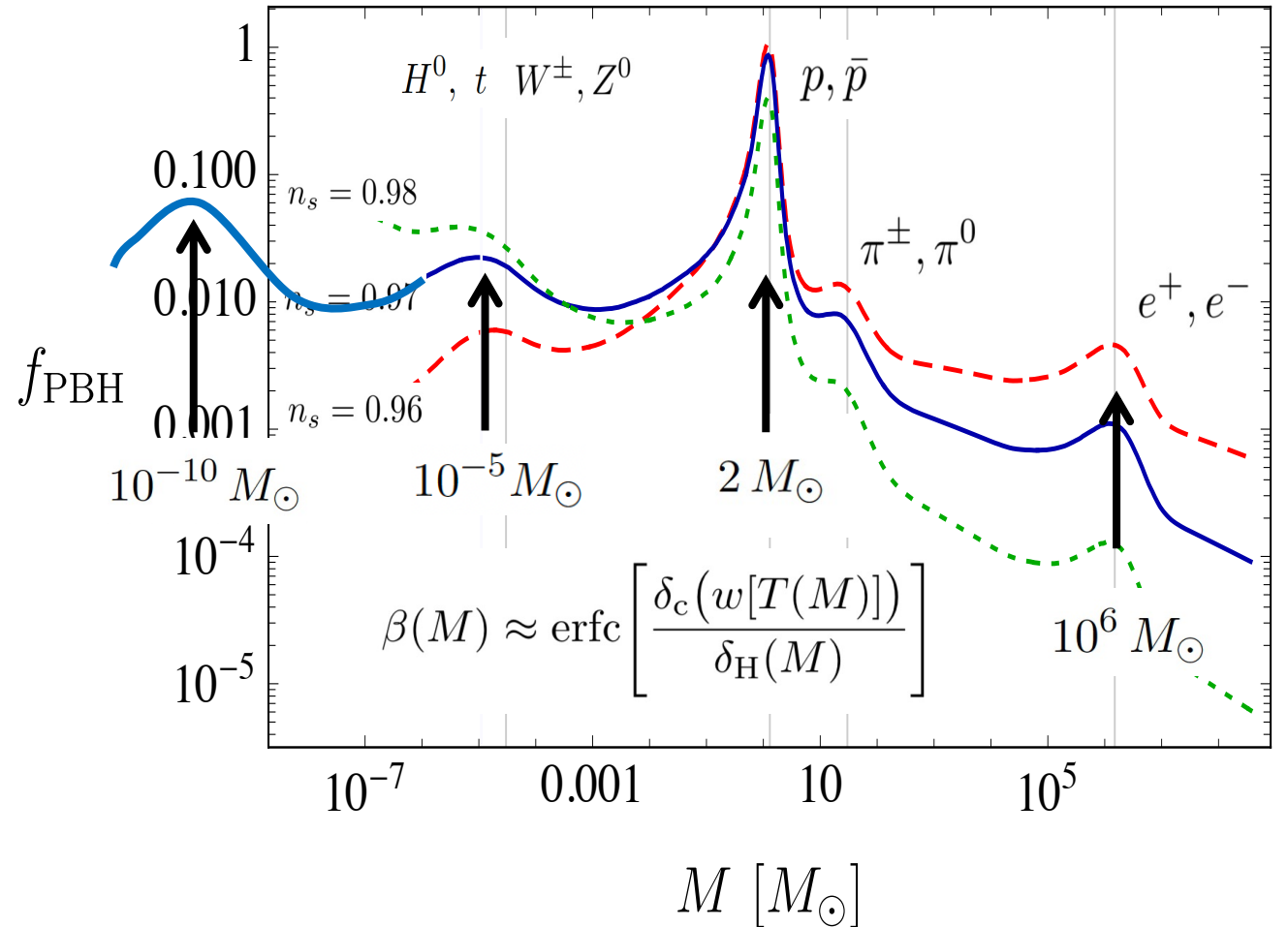


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PBH mass spectrum



Black Hole Binaries

- Maximum strain at f_{ISCO} for equal mass binaries

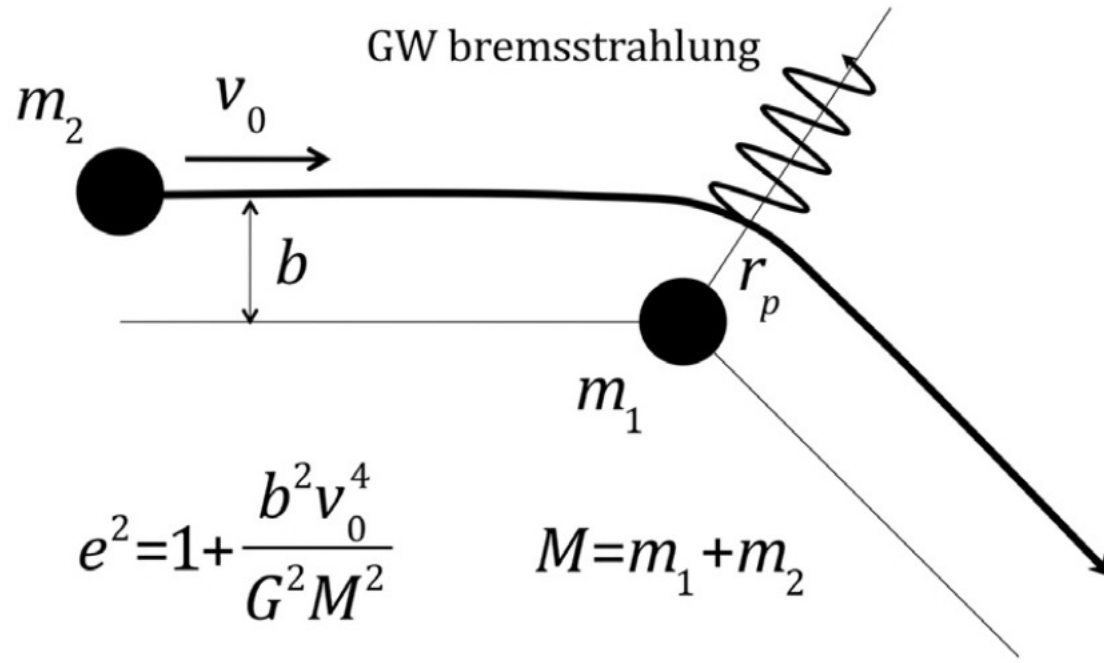
$$h_{c,\text{max}} = 1.6 \times 10^{-23} \left(\frac{1\text{Mpc}}{d_L} \right) \left(\frac{M}{10^{-3}M_{\odot}} \right) \quad @ \quad 2.2\text{MHz} \left(\frac{10^{-3}M_{\odot}}{M} \right)$$

- Maximum GW flux received on Earth at f_{ISCO}

$$P_{\text{max}} = \frac{32}{5} \frac{c^5}{G} \left(\frac{GM_c}{c^2} \frac{\pi f}{c} \right)^{10/3} = 2 \times 10^{48} \text{ W} \quad \forall M$$

$$F_{\text{max}} = \frac{P_{\text{max}}}{4\pi d_L^2} = 1.64 \times 10^{10} \text{ W/cm}^2 \left(\frac{1\text{Mpc}}{d_L} \right)^2$$

Close Hyperbolic Encounters



$$e^2 = 1 + \frac{b^2 v_0^4}{G^2 M^2}$$

$$e^2 = 1 + \left(\frac{b}{10^{-8} \text{AU}} \right)^2 \left(\frac{\beta}{0.01} \right)^4 \left(\frac{10^{-6} M_\odot}{M} \right)^2$$

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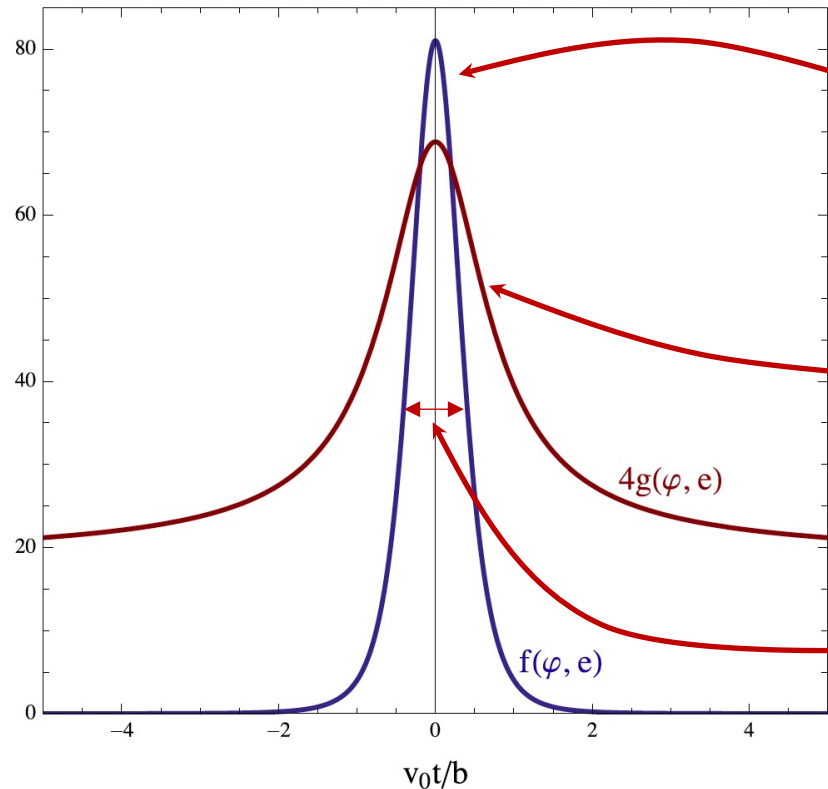
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Close Hyperbolic Encounters



$$P = \frac{32G\mu^2 v_0^6}{45c^5 b^2} f(\varphi, e) \quad \text{Power emitted}$$

$$h_c = \frac{2G\mu v_0^2}{Rc^4} g(\varphi, e) \quad \text{Strain Amplitude}$$

$$t_{1/2} \simeq 1\text{ms} \left(\frac{b}{10^{-8}\text{AU}} \right) \left(\frac{0.01}{\beta} \right) (e-1) \sqrt{\frac{3 \ln 2}{e + 35(1+e)e}}$$

$$\frac{v_0 t}{b} \simeq \frac{e-1}{e+1} (\varphi - \varphi_0)$$

Time duration of Burst

Close Hyperbolic Encounters

- Maximum strain at maximum frequency

$$h_{c,\max} = \frac{2.43 \times 10^{-23}}{d_L(\text{Mpc})} \left(\frac{M}{10^{-3} M_\odot} \right) \beta^2 \frac{2}{e-1} \sqrt{18(e+1) + 5e^2}$$

$$f_{\max} = \frac{1\text{GHz}}{\pi} \left(\frac{10^{-8}\text{AU}}{b} \right)^3 \left(\frac{0.01}{\beta} \right)^3 \left(\frac{M}{10^{-3} M_\odot} \right)^2 (e+1)^2$$

- Maximum GW flux received on Earth

$$F_{\max} = \frac{P_{\max}}{4\pi d_L^2} = 1.2 \times 10^{14} \text{ W/cm}^2 \beta^{10} \frac{(e+1)}{(e-1)^5} \left(\frac{1\text{Mpc}}{d_L} \right)^2$$

GW electrodynamics

Einstein-Maxwell action:

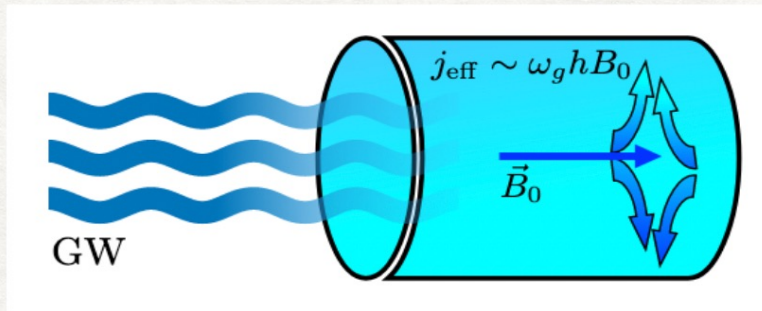
$$S_{EM} = \int d^4x \sqrt{-g} \left(-\frac{1}{4} g^{\mu\alpha} g^{\nu\beta} F_{\mu\nu} F_{\alpha\beta} \right)$$

$$g_{\mu\nu} = \eta_{\mu\nu} + h_{\mu\nu}, \quad |h_{\mu\nu}| \ll 1$$

$$S_{EM} = -\frac{1}{4} \int d^4x \sqrt{-g} F_{\mu\nu} F^{\mu\nu} + \frac{1}{2} \int d^4x \partial_\nu \left[\frac{h}{2} F^{\mu\nu} + h_\alpha^\nu F^{\alpha\mu} - h_\alpha^\mu F^{\alpha\nu} \right] A_\mu + \mathcal{O}(h^2)$$

Effective current:
$$j_{\text{eff}}^\mu = \partial_\nu \left(\frac{h}{2} F^{\mu\nu} + h_\alpha^\nu F^{\alpha\mu} - h_\alpha^\mu F^{\alpha\nu} \right)$$

Result from Berlin, Blas et. al. , arXiv:2112.11465



The direction of the current depends on the GW properties \neq Axionic current!

The search for hfGWs with resonant cavities

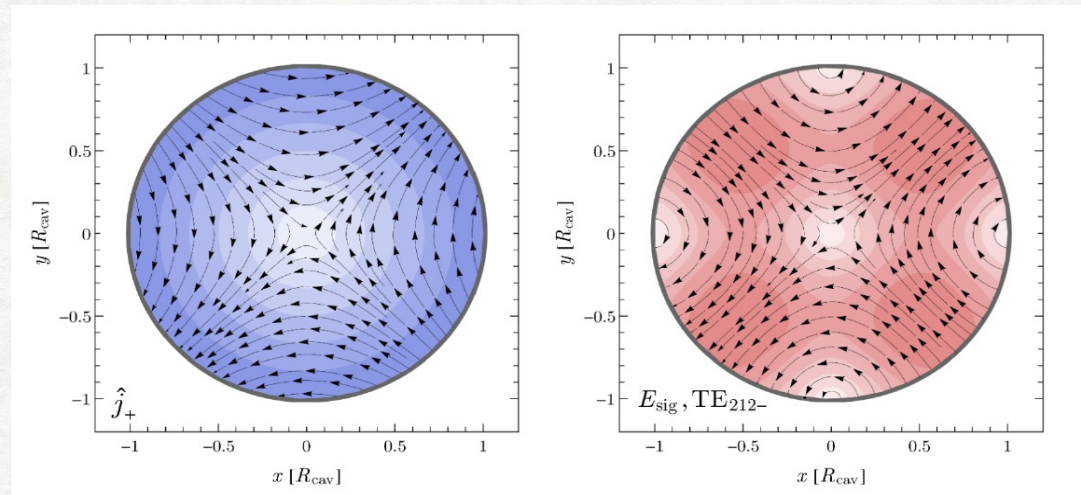
- GW signal extracted from the cavity

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$$P_{\text{sign,GW}} = \frac{1}{2} \omega_{\text{GW}}^3 Q V_{\text{cav}}^{5/3} (\eta_n h B)^2$$

Coupling coefficient between the effective current and the cavity modes

$$\eta_n \equiv \frac{|\int_{V_{\text{cav}}} d^3 \vec{x} \vec{E}_n^* \cdot \hat{j}_{+, \times}|}{V_{\text{cav}}^{1/2} \left(\int_{V_{\text{cav}}} d^3 \vec{x} |\vec{E}_n|^2 \right)^{1/2}}$$



- Signal to Noise ratio estimated by the radiometer equation:

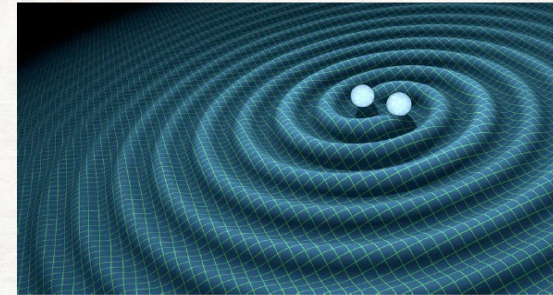
$$\text{SNR} \simeq \frac{P_{\text{sig}}}{k_B T_{\text{sys}}} \sqrt{\frac{t_{\text{eff}}}{\Delta \nu}}$$

The search for hfGWs with resonant cavities

- Focus on binary systems of (light) black holes

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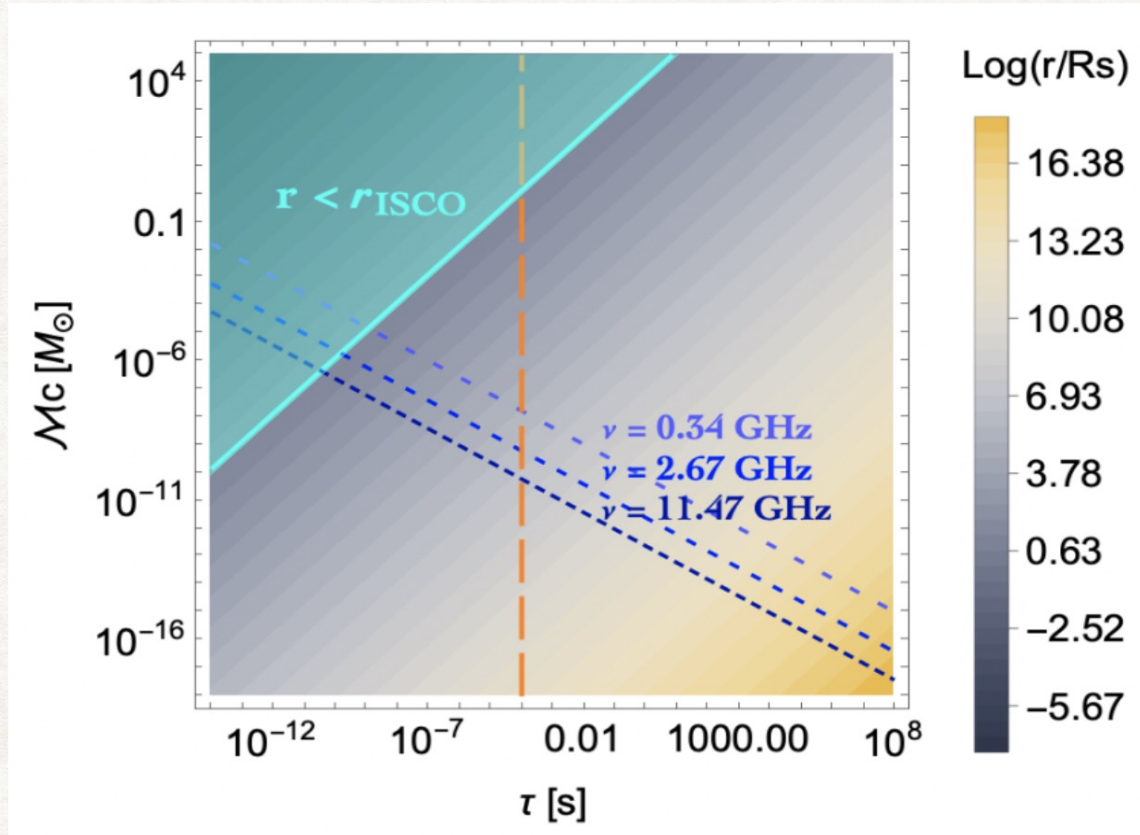
Working at fixed frequency (\sim GHz)
does not fix the masses!



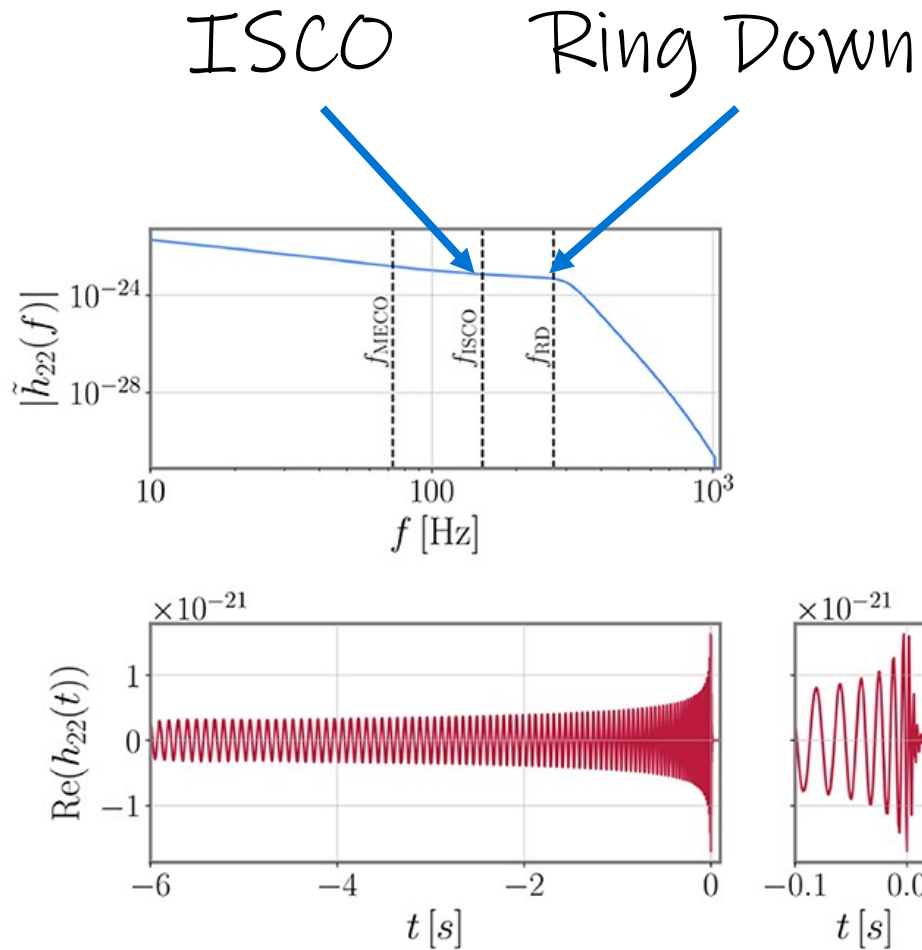
ν : resonant frequency
of the detector

τ : time to merger

$$\nu = \frac{1}{\pi} \left(\frac{5}{256} \frac{1}{\tau} \right)^{\frac{3}{5}} \left(\frac{G\mathcal{M}_c}{c^3} \right)^{-\frac{5}{8}}$$



Frequency vs time (for chirps)



$$\dot{f} = \frac{96}{5} \pi^{8/3} \left(\frac{GM_c}{c^3} \right)^{5/3} f^{11/3}$$

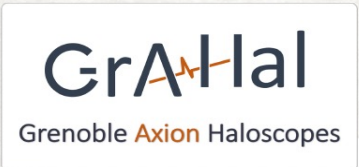
$$\tau = t_{\text{coal}} - t = 1 \text{ s} \left(\frac{f}{134 \text{ Hz}} \right)^{-8/3} \left(\frac{M}{1.4 M_{\odot}} \right)^{-5/3}$$

$$= 8.24 \text{ ns} \left(\frac{f}{1 \text{ GHz}} \right)^{-8/3} \left(\frac{M}{10^{-6} M_{\odot}} \right)^{-5/3}$$

$$\tau \left(f_{\text{ISCO}} = \frac{4.4 \text{ kHz}}{M/M_{\odot}} \right) = 1 \text{ ms} \frac{M}{M_{\odot}} = 1 \text{ ns} \frac{M}{10^{-6} M_{\odot}}$$

The search for hfGWs with resonant cavities

$$\text{SNR} \simeq \frac{P_{\text{sig}}}{k_B T_{\text{sys}}} \sqrt{\frac{t_{\text{eff}}}{\Delta\nu}} + P_{\text{sign,GW}} = \frac{1}{2} \omega_{\text{GW}}^3 Q V_{\text{cav}}^{5/3} (\eta_n h B)^2$$



SNR > 1 ⇒ Sensitivity estimates:

$$\begin{aligned}
 h &> 4.7 \times 10^{-22} \times \left(\frac{0.34 \text{ GHz}}{\nu}\right)^{5/4} \left(\frac{0.1}{\eta}\right) \left(\frac{9 \text{ T}}{B_0}\right) \left(\frac{5.01 \times 10^{-1} \text{ m}^3}{V_{\text{cav}}}\right)^{5/6} \left(\frac{10^5}{Q}\right)^{3/4} \left(\frac{T_{\text{sys}}}{0.3 \text{ K}}\right)^{1/2} \left(\frac{1 \text{ s}}{t_{\text{eff}}}\right)^{1/4} \\
 \Leftrightarrow h &> 1.5 \times 10^{-21} \times \left(\frac{2.67 \text{ GHz}}{\nu}\right)^{5/4} \left(\frac{0.1}{\eta}\right) \left(\frac{27 \text{ T}}{B_0}\right) \left(\frac{1.83 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}^3}{V_{\text{cav}}}\right)^{5/6} \left(\frac{10^5}{Q}\right)^{3/4} \left(\frac{T_{\text{sys}}}{0.4 \text{ K}}\right)^{1/2} \left(\frac{1 \text{ s}}{t_{\text{eff}}}\right)^{1/4} \\
 \Leftrightarrow h &> 4.8 \times 10^{-21} \times \left(\frac{11.47 \text{ GHz}}{\nu}\right)^{5/4} \left(\frac{0.1}{\eta}\right) \left(\frac{43 \text{ T}}{B_0}\right) \left(\frac{4.93 \times 10^{-5} \text{ m}^3}{V_{\text{cav}}}\right)^{5/6} \left(\frac{10^5}{Q}\right)^{3/4} \left(\frac{T_{\text{sys}}}{1.0 \text{ K}}\right)^{1/2} \left(\frac{1 \text{ s}}{t_{\text{eff}}}\right)^{1/4}
 \end{aligned}$$

Extremely encouraging

But ...

What about this value?

Hypothesis made:

The signal must remain coherent and located in the experimental frequency bandwidth during at least 1s

Is it really possible?

The search for hfGWs with resonant cavities

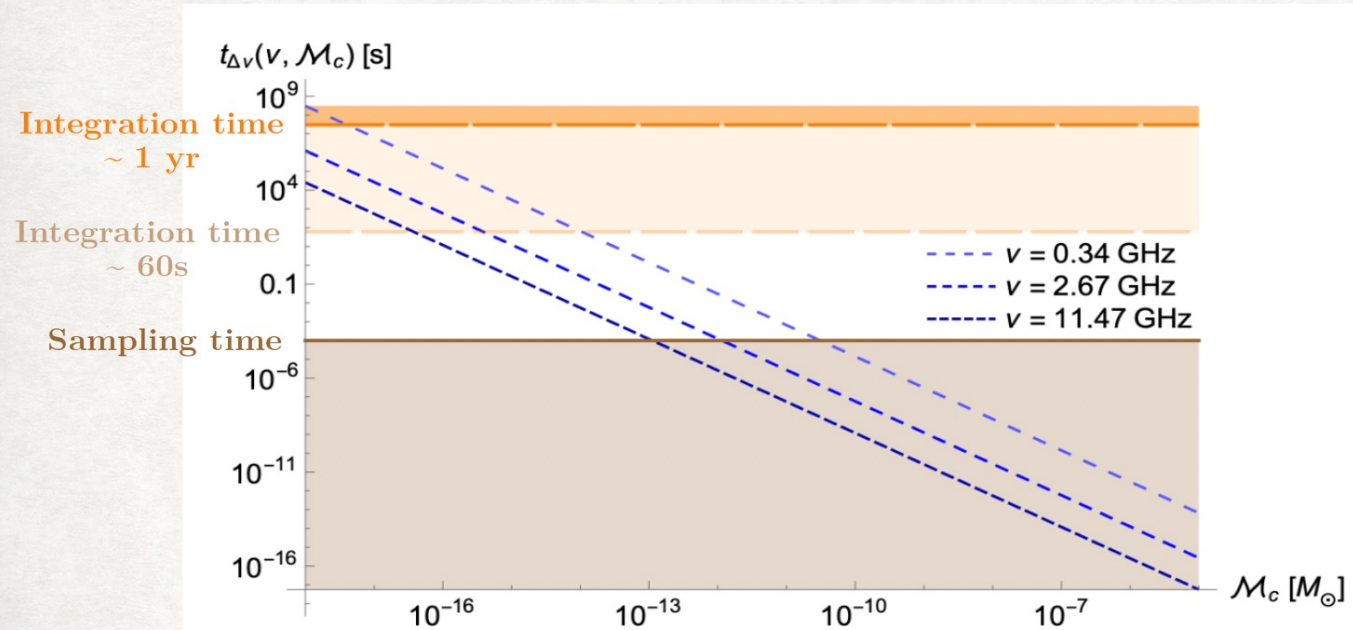
- The frequency of GWs coming from binary systems drifts with time

$$\dot{f}(\nu) = \frac{96}{5} \pi^{\frac{8}{3}} \left(\frac{G\mathcal{M}_c}{c^3} \right)^{\frac{5}{3}} \nu^{\frac{11}{3}}$$

- Time during which the signal drifts in the frequency sensitivity bandwidth:

$$t_{\Delta\nu} \sim \frac{\Delta\nu}{\dot{f}(\nu)} = \frac{\nu}{Q\dot{f}(\nu)}$$

$$t_{\Delta\nu} \sim \frac{5}{96} \pi^{-\frac{8}{3}} \nu^{-\frac{8}{3}} Q^{-1} \left(\frac{G\mathcal{M}_c}{c^3} \right)^{-\frac{5}{3}}$$



Fast decrease of the signal duration with the mass

The heavier the BHs, the closer they are to their merging

The search for hfGWs with resonant cavities

$$\text{SNR} \simeq \frac{P_{\text{sig}}}{k_B T_{\text{sys}}} \sqrt{\frac{t_{\text{eff}}}{\Delta\nu}} > 1$$

3 different regimes:

1) Effective time given by the signal frequency drift through the frequency bandwidth of the cavity

$$t_{\text{eff}} = t_{\Delta\nu}$$

$$h > 2.0 \times 10^{-21} \times \left(\frac{2.67 \text{ GHz}}{\nu}\right)^{\frac{7}{12}} \left(\frac{0.1}{\eta}\right) \left(\frac{27 \text{ T}}{B_0}\right) \left(\frac{1.83 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}^3}{V_{\text{cav}}}\right)^{\frac{5}{6}} \left(\frac{10^5}{Q}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \left(\frac{T_{\text{sys}}}{0.4 \text{ K}}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \left(\frac{\mathcal{M}c}{10^{-14} M_{\odot}}\right)^{\frac{5}{12}}$$

2) Effective time limited by the duration of the experiment *Very small chirp masses*

The signal would spend “more time than available” within the cavity bandwidth

$$t_{\Delta\nu} > t_{\text{max}} \Rightarrow t_{\text{eff}} = t_{\text{max}}$$

$$h > 5.3 \times 10^{-22} \times \left(\frac{2.67 \text{ GHz}}{\nu}\right)^{\frac{5}{4}} \left(\frac{0.1}{\eta}\right) \left(\frac{27 \text{ T}}{B_0}\right) \left(\frac{1.83 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}^3}{V_{\text{cav}}}\right)^{\frac{5}{6}} \left(\frac{10^5}{Q}\right)^{\frac{3}{4}} \left(\frac{T_{\text{sys}}}{0.4 \text{ K}}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \left(\frac{60 \text{ s}}{t_{\text{max}}}\right)^{\frac{1}{4}}$$

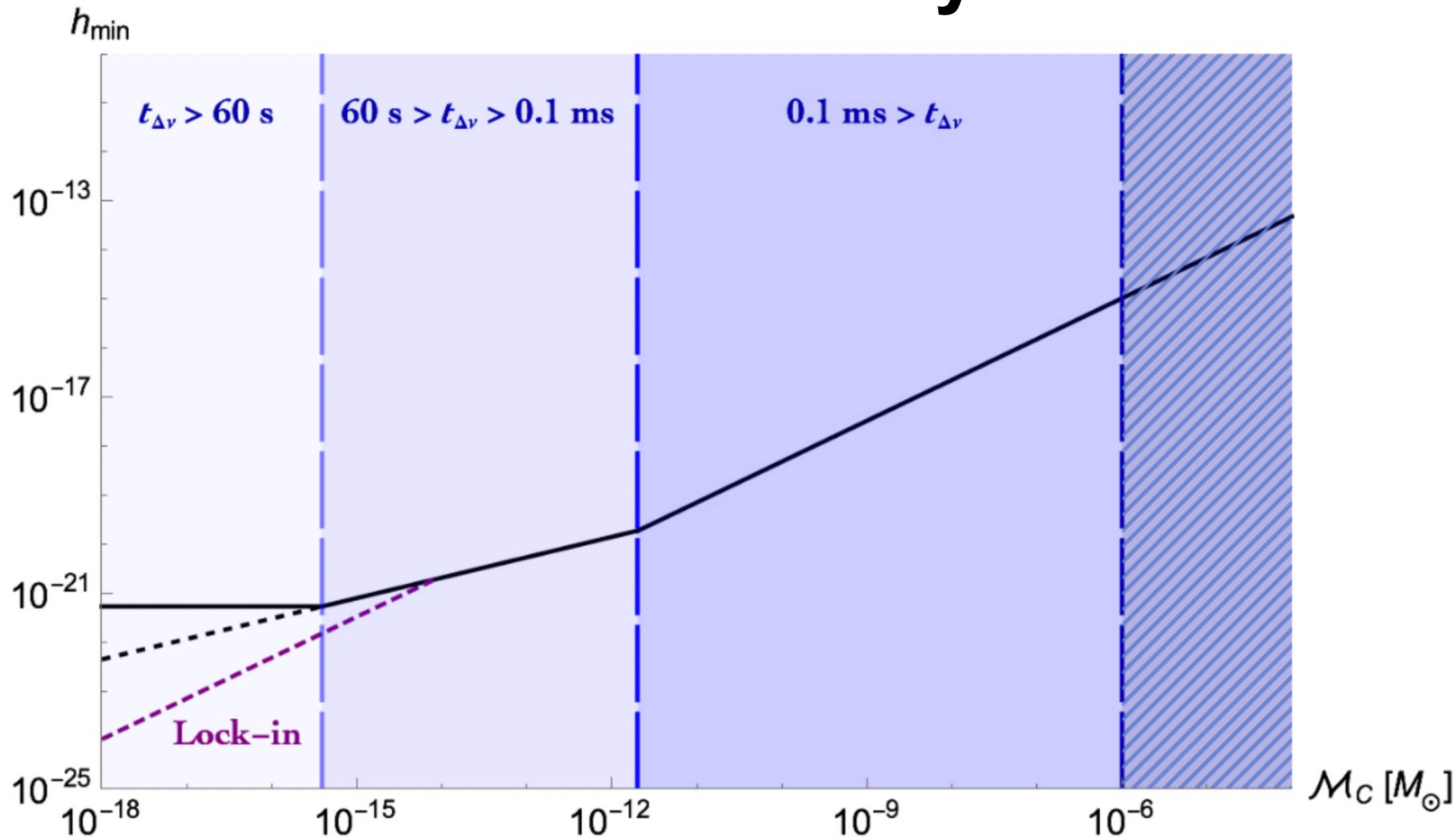
3) Effective time limited by the sampling rate *Highest chirp masses accessible*

The time spent by the signal within the experimental bandwidth is smaller than the inverse sampling frequency

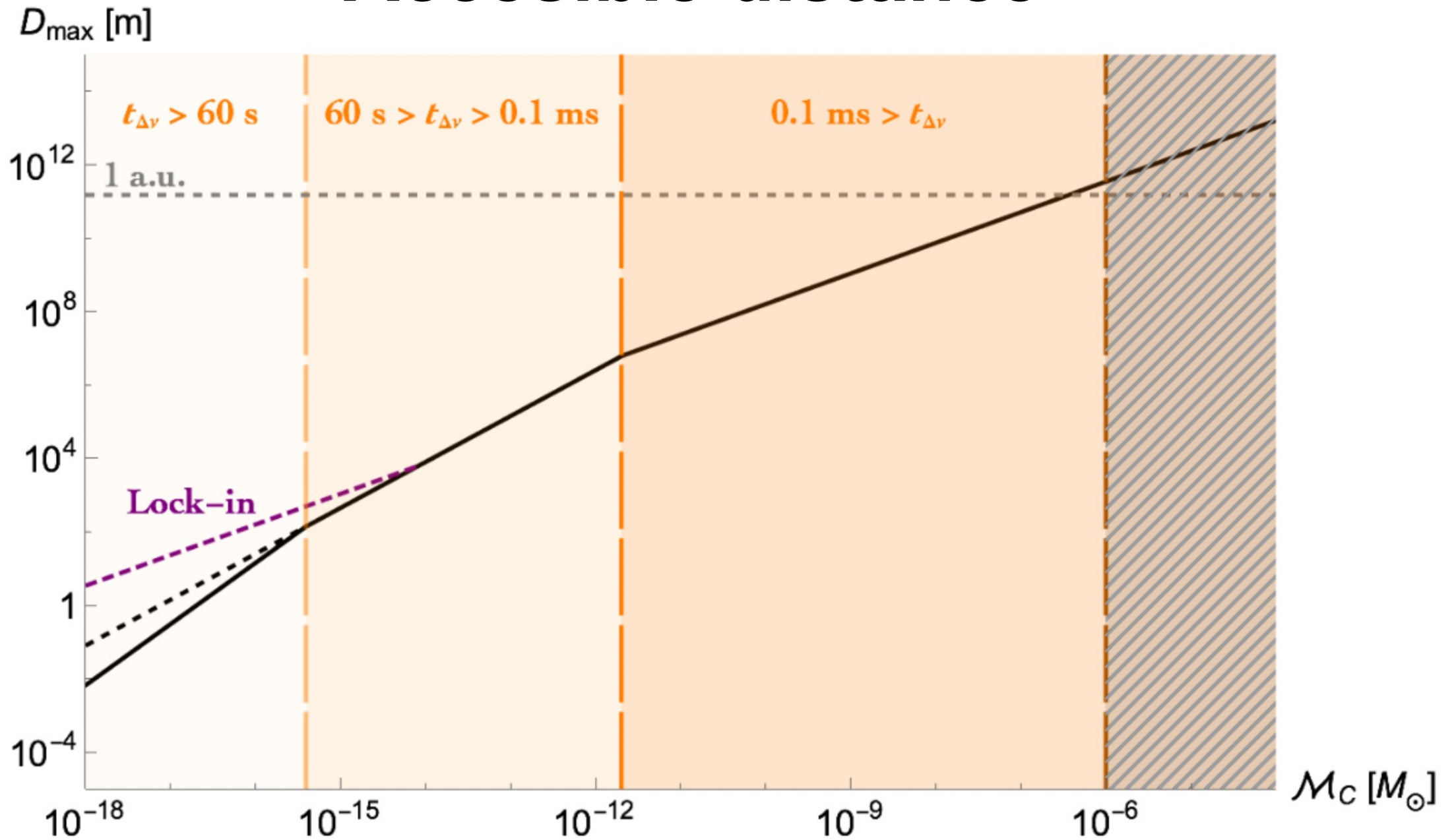
$$t_{\text{eff}} = t_{\Delta\nu}^2 / t_{\text{min}}$$

$$h > 3.3 \times 10^{-18} \times \left(\frac{2.67 \text{ GHz}}{\nu}\right)^{\frac{1}{6}} \left(\frac{0.1}{\eta}\right) \left(\frac{27 \text{ T}}{B_0}\right) \left(\frac{1.83 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}^3}{V_{\text{cav}}}\right)^{\frac{5}{6}} \left(\frac{T_{\text{sys}}}{0.4 \text{ K}}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \left(\frac{\mathcal{M}c}{10^{-9} M_{\odot}}\right)^{\frac{5}{6}}$$

Strain sensitivity



Accessible distance



Summary

- PBH sources of GW in MHz-GHz range
- Typically weak and short bursts of GW
- Resonant EM cavities (e.g. GrAHal) may work
- Caveat: sampling, drift & integration time make detection of PBH mergers unlikely
- Ways out? i) heterodyne modulation: linear in h
ii) broad band detector