

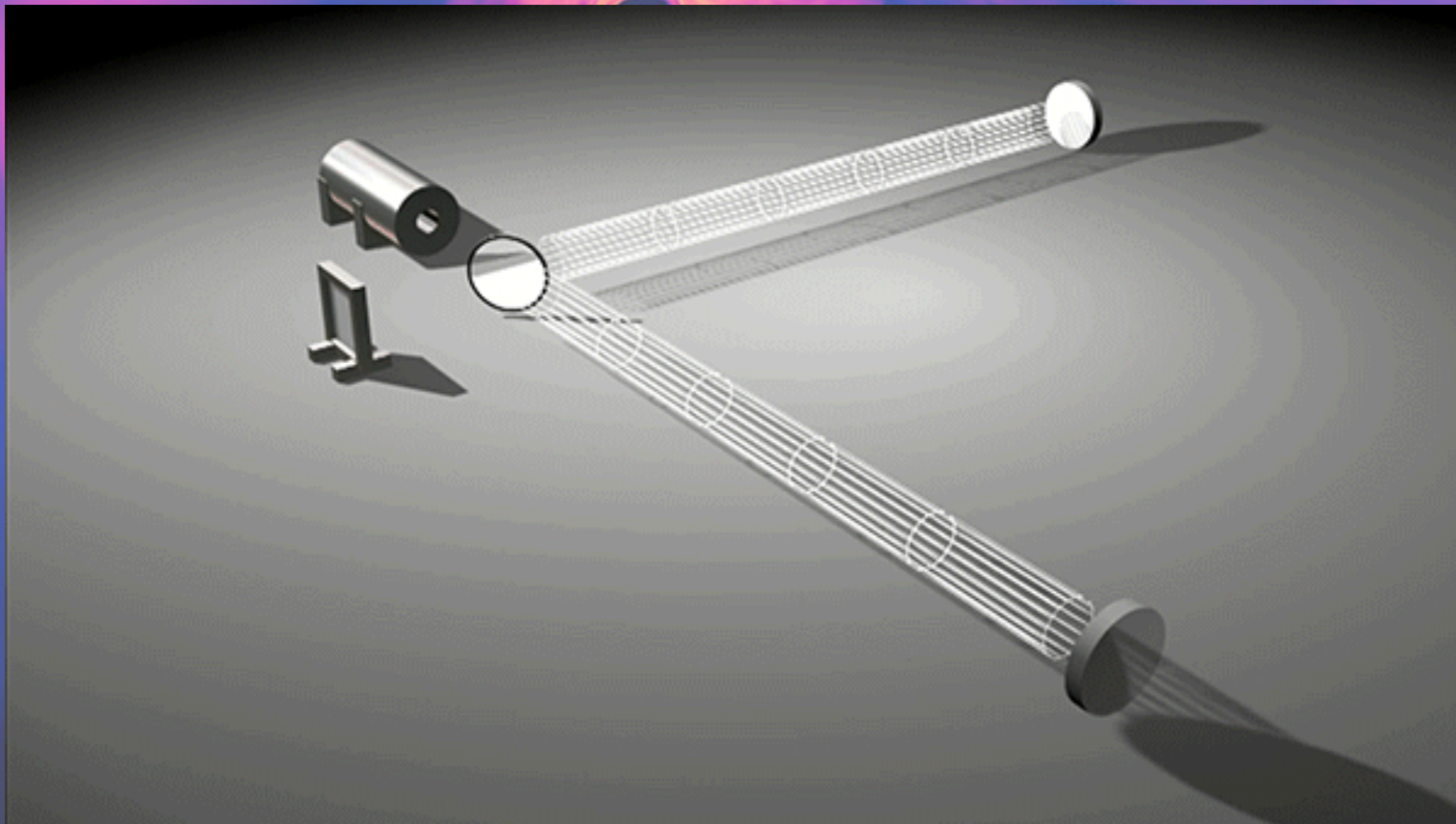
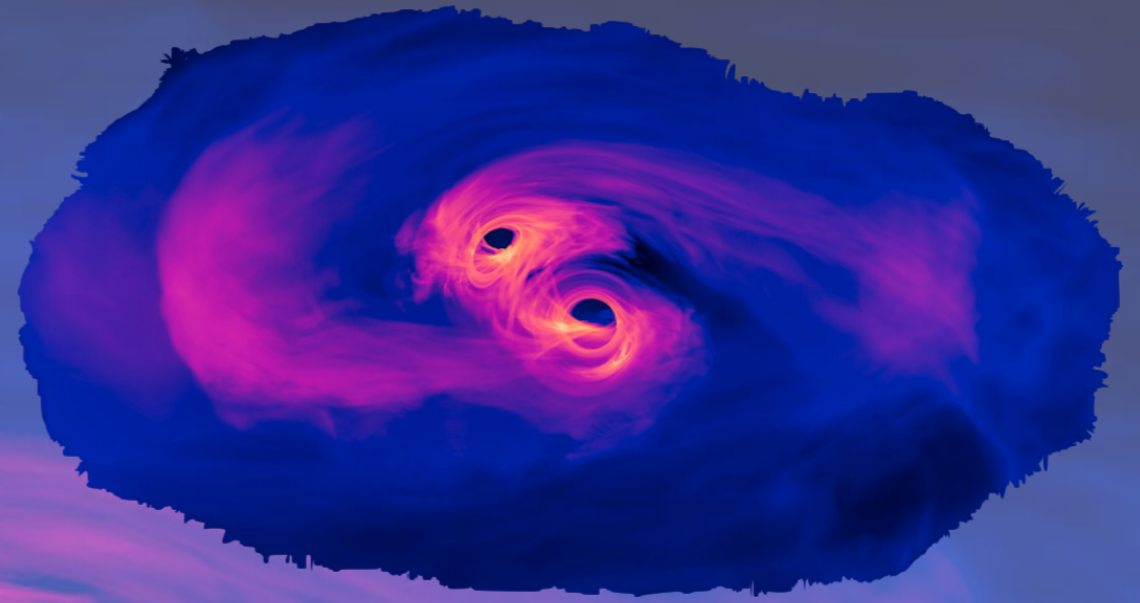
# NSF HDR A3D3: DETECTING ANOMALOUS GRAVITATIONAL WAVE SIGNALS



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# GRAVITATIONAL WAVES AND THEIR DETECTION

ACCELERATING MASSES PRODUCE  
DEFORMATIONS IN SPACE TIME THAT  
WE CAN DETECT VIA INTERFEROMETRY







# THE LIGO-VIRGO-KAGRA COLLABORATION

A **SIGNAL** WILL APPEAR IN AT LEAST TWO **INTERFEROMETERS**, WITH THE TIME DELAY BECAUSE OF THE DISTANCE BETWEEN THE DETECTORS



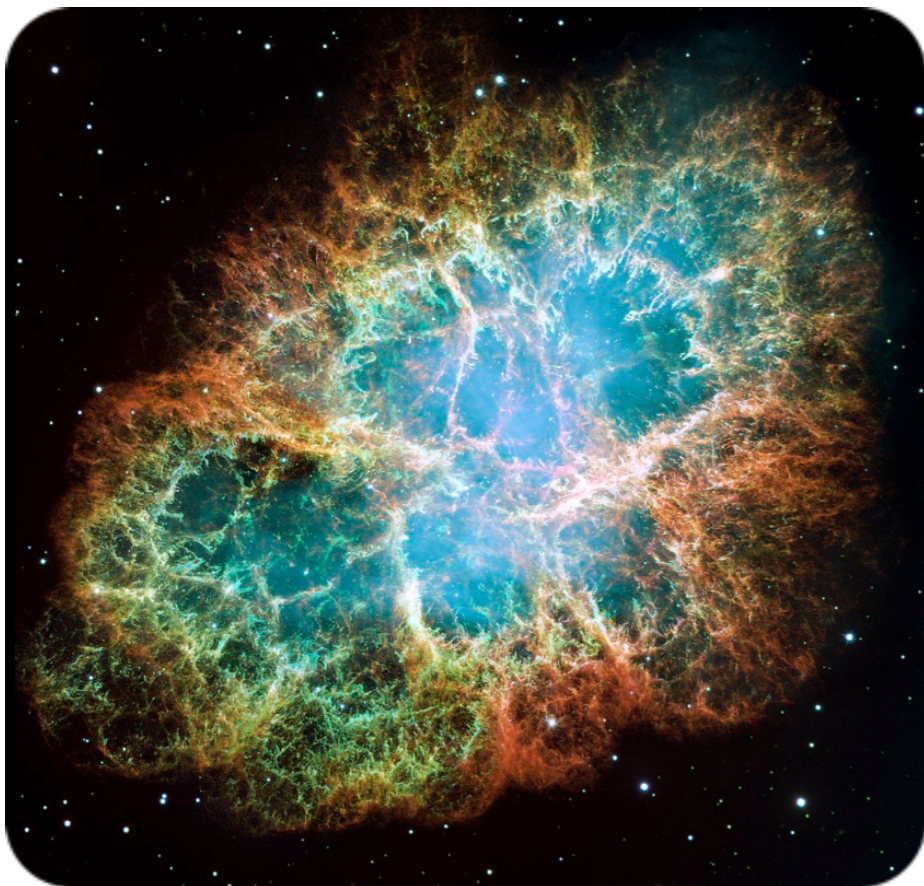




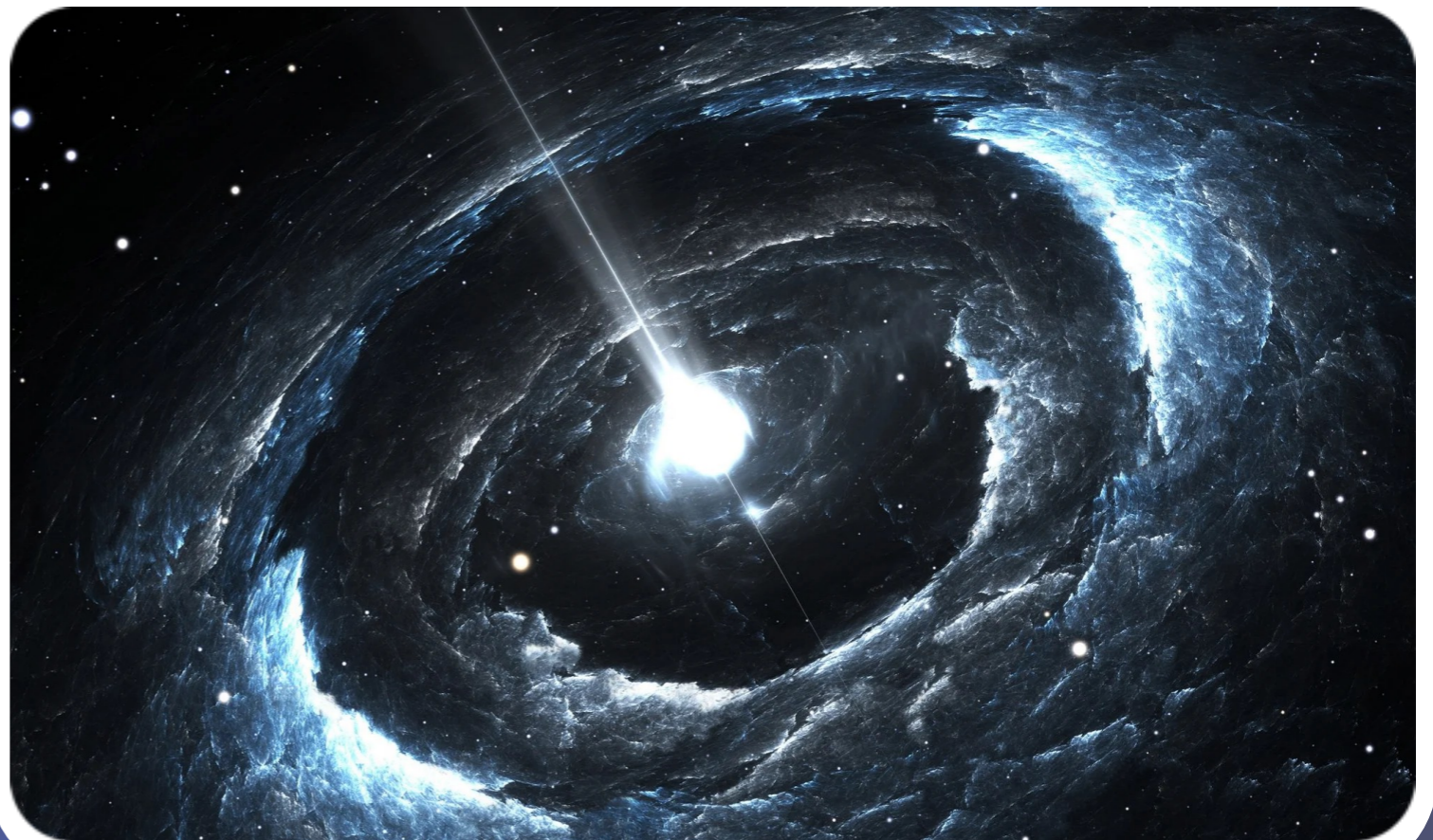
# GWAK ANOMALOUS GRAVITATIONAL WAVE SOURCES

**KNOWN "UNKNOWNs"** POSSIBLE SIGNAL SOURCES THAT ARE POORLY MODELLED AND THEREFORE CANNOT BE EASILY DETECTED USING THE MATCH FILTERING PIPELINE

**CORE-COLLAPSE  
SUPERNOVA (CCSN)**



**NEUTRON STAR GLITCHES**





**UNKNOWN “UNKNOWN” NEW, UNEXPECTED GW SOURCES**

**WE REFER TO THEM AS ANOMALOUS AND AIM TO DEVELOP A SEMI-SUPERVISED APPROACH WHICH WOULD LET US TO DISCOVER ANOMALOUS SIGNALS WITHOUT EXPLICIT MODELLING**







# GRAVITATIONAL-WAVE DATA PREPROCESSING

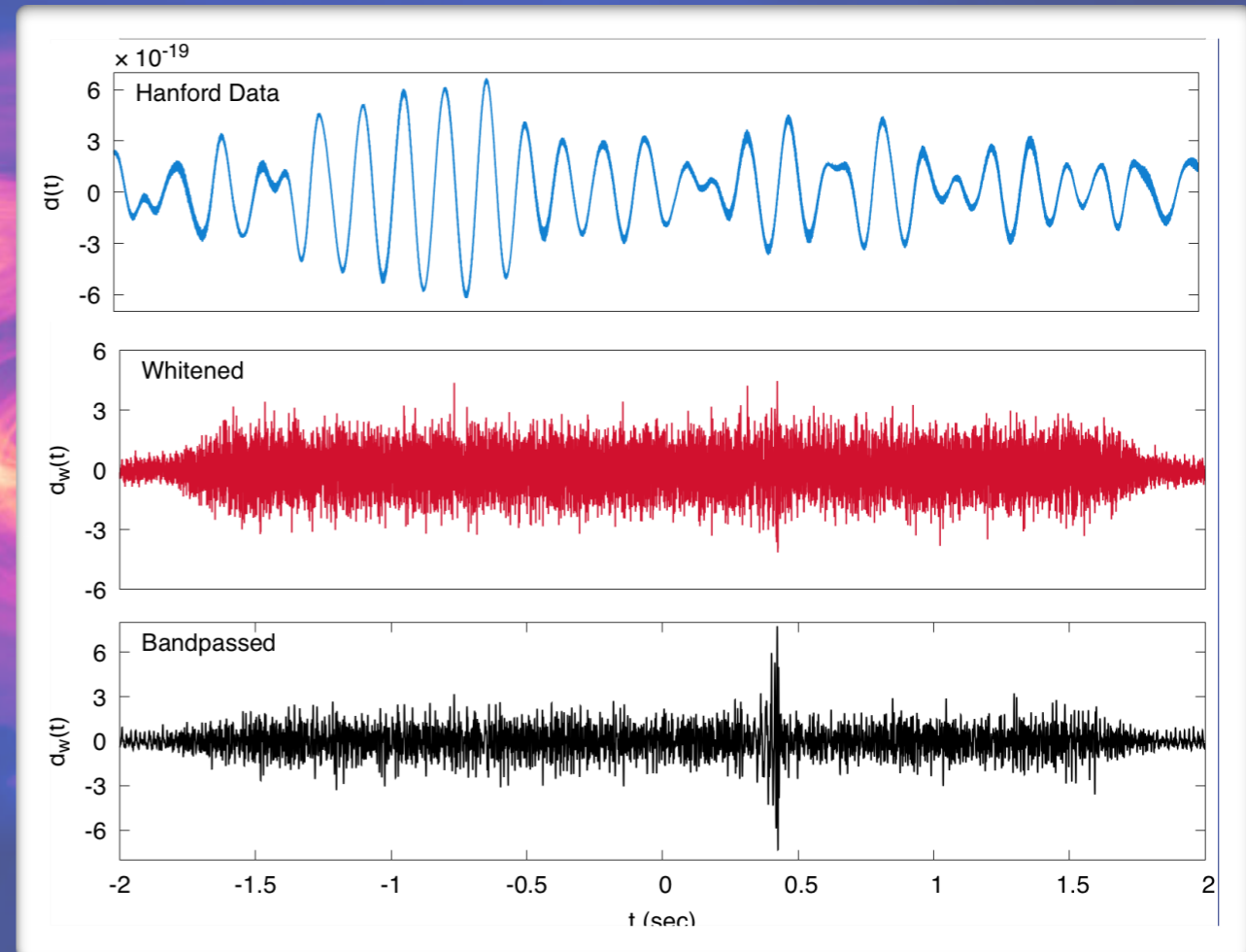
## CONTINUOUS TIME SERIES 4096 Hz

### WHITENING

IS TRANSFORMING THE DATA SO THAT IT HAS A FLAT (UNIFORM) POWER SPECTRAL DENSITY, MAKING DIFFERENT FREQUENCY COMPONENTS COMPARABLY SCALED FOR MORE EFFECTIVE SIGNAL DETECTION

### BANDPASSING $30 \text{ Hz} < x < 1500 \text{ Hz}$

IS A FILTERING TECHNIQUE THAT ISOLATES THE FREQUENCY RANGE WHERE GRAVITATIONAL WAVE SIGNALS ARE EXPECTED, REMOVING BOTH LOW-FREQUENCY NOISE AND HIGH-FREQUENCY COMPONENTS OUTSIDE THE SIGNAL BAND

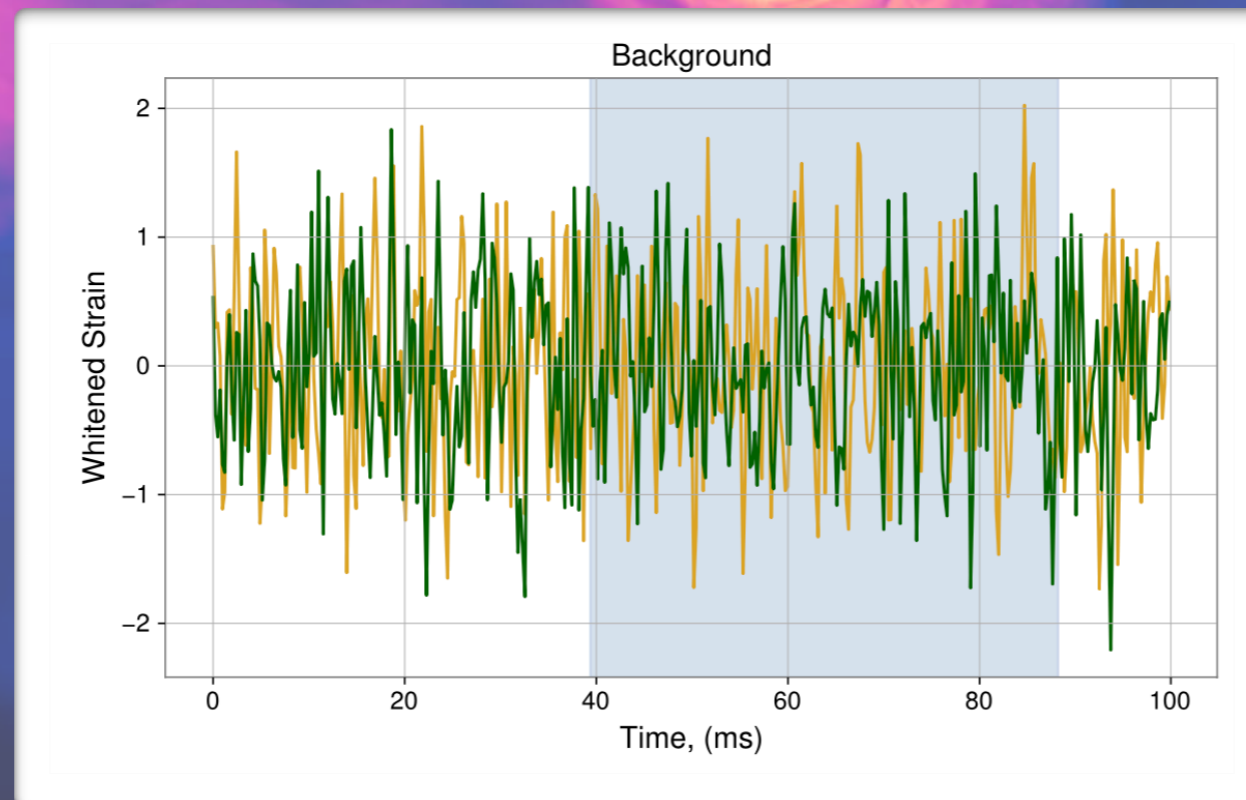




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THE DATA IS DIVIDED INTO SEGMENTS OF 50 MILLISECONDS EACH, WHICH CONTAINS 200 DATA POINTS (50 MILLISECONDS \* 4096 SAMPLES/SECOND = 200 SAMPLES)

THE DIMENSION OF THE INPUT DATA IS (N, 200, 2), WHERE N REPRESENTS THE NUMBER OF DATA SEGMENTS. THE LAST DIMENSION OF 2 CORRESPONDS TO THE DATA STREAMS FROM THE TWO LIGO INTERFEROMETERS IN HANFORD, WASHINGTON, AND LIVINGSTON, LOUISIANA



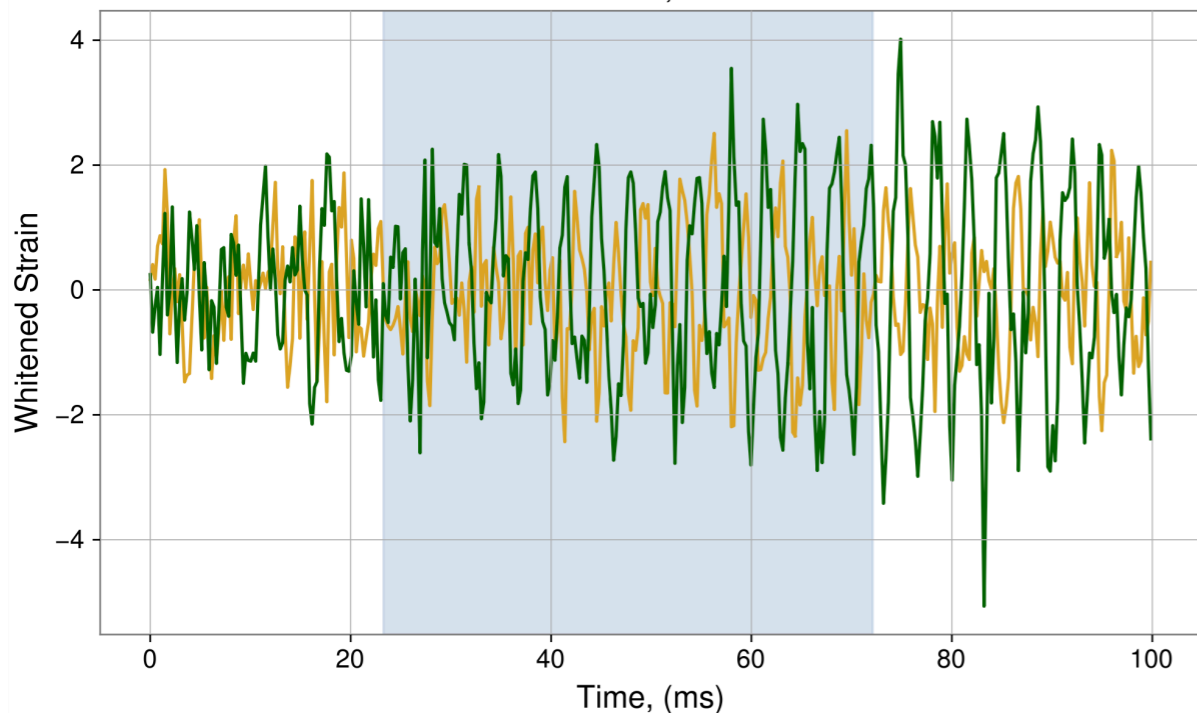


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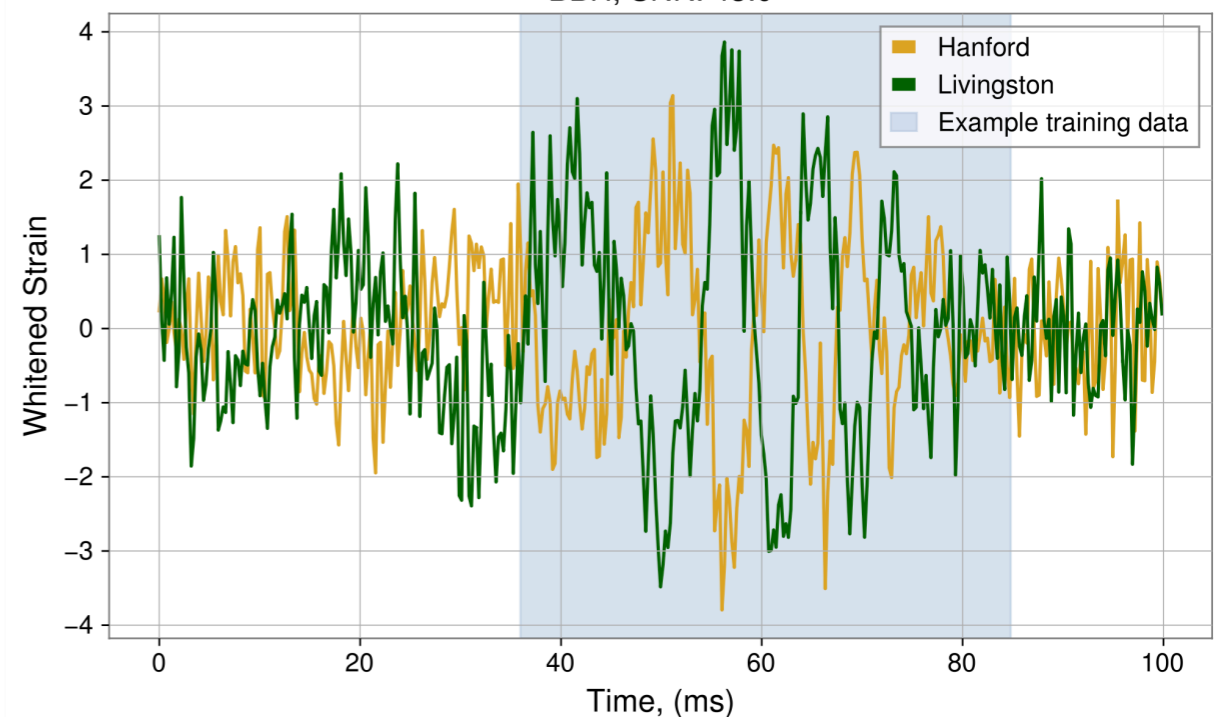
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SG 64-512Hz, SNR: 33.0



BBH, SNR: 43.0



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import tensorflow as tf
import os

class Model:
    def __init__(self):
        # You could include a constructor to initialize your model here, but all calls will be made to the load method
        self.clf = None

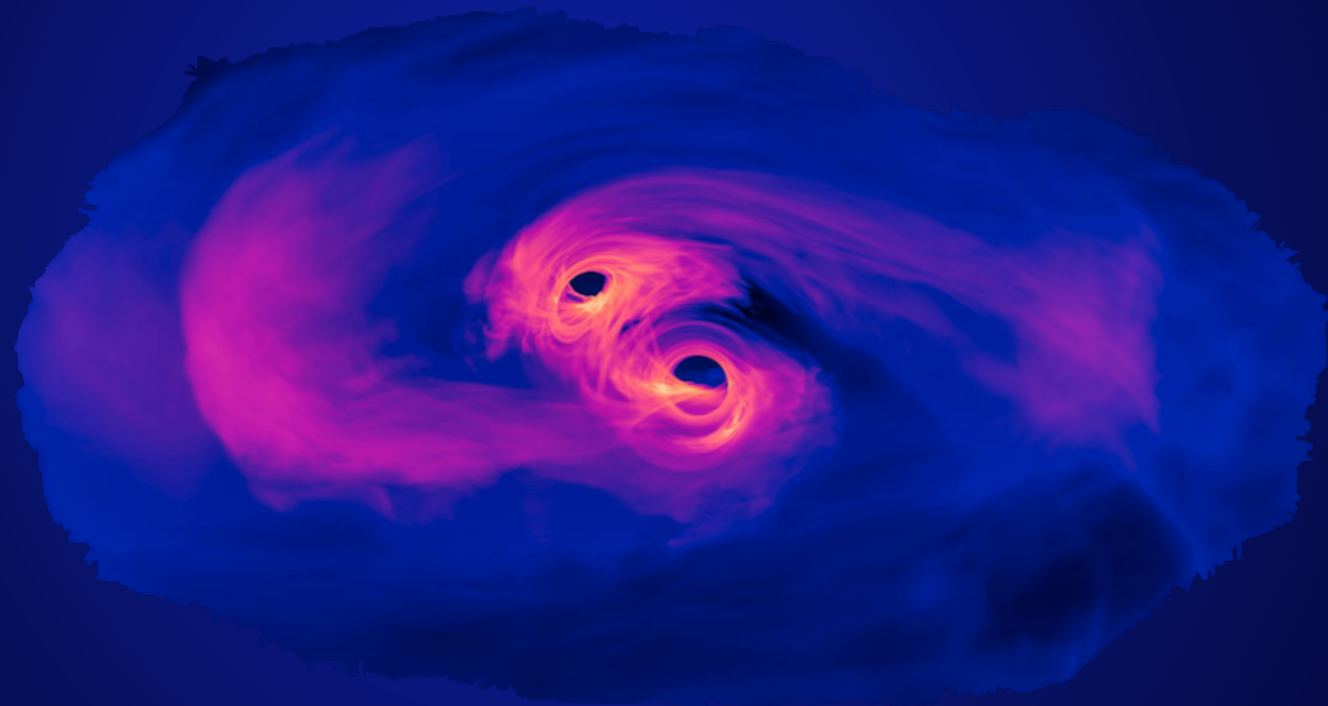
    def predict(self, X):
        # This method should accept an input of any size (of the given input format) and return predictions appropriately
        b = self.clf.predict(X)

        return [i[0] for i in b]

    def load(self):
        # This method should load your pre-trained model from wherever you have it saved
        with open(os.path.join(os.path.dirname(__file__), 'config.json'), 'r') as file:
            for line in file:
                self.clf = tf.keras.models.model_from_json(line)
        self.clf.load_weights(os.path.join(os.path.dirname(__file__), 'model.weights.h5'))
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- **THE NOTEBOOK WITH EXAMPLE** [HTTPS://COLAB.RESEARCH.GOOGLE.COM/DRIVE/1HATKYT5Xq6qAUdXY6xFrFNGzB66QPsV8?usp=sharing](https://colab.research.google.com/drive/1HATKYT5Xq6qAUdXY6xFrFNGzB66QPsV8?usp=sharing)
- **THE PAPER WITH MORE DETAILS AND OUR ALGORITHM** [MLST 10.1088/2632-2153/AD3A31](https://arxiv.org/abs/10.1088/2632-2153/ad3a31)
- **CHALLENGE PAGE WITH DETAILS ABOUT THE DATASET** [HTTPS://WWW.CODABENCH.ORG/COMPETITIONS/2626/](https://www.codabench.org/competitions/2626/)
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**BACKUP**