Data Processing in LISA

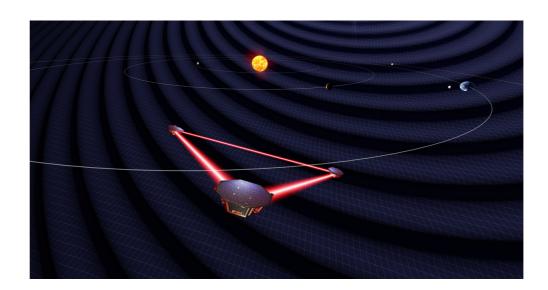
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LDC in LISA

- 2030s, mHz astronomy
- Since 1990s, adopted in early 2024
- LISA Consortium (>1000 people)
- LISA Science Team (18 people)
- Astrophysics working group (few 100 people)
- Data processing team (LDC, 150 people)

Disclaimer: I am part of the Astro WG, not LDC

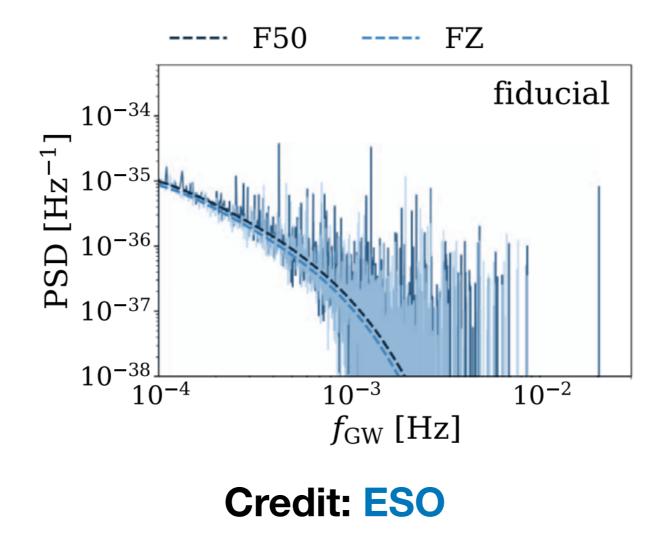






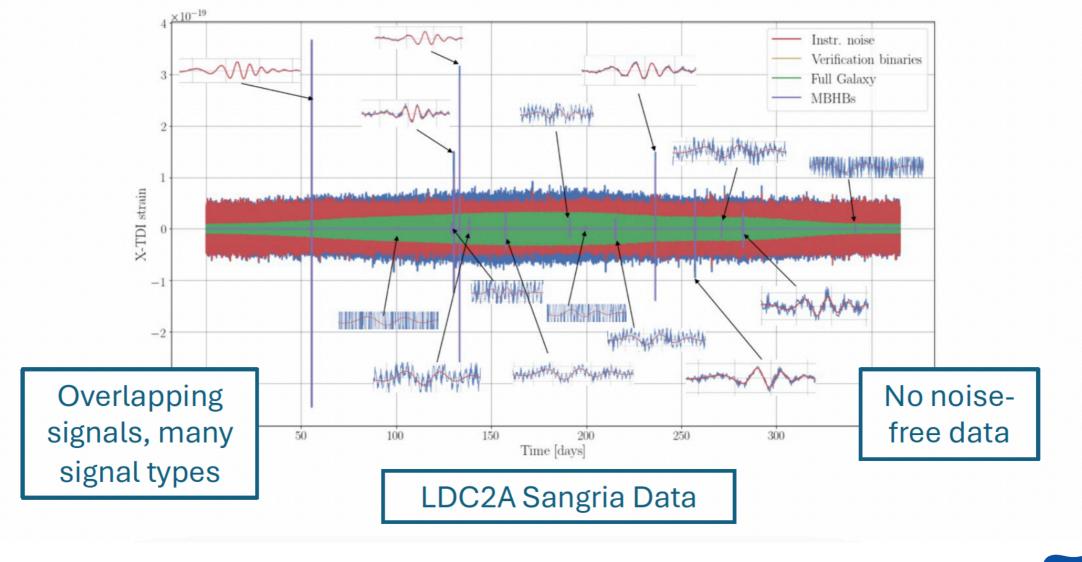
Data in LISA

- Noise dominated by DWD binaries
- 13-24 of 26 verification binaries
- Global fit, iterative solution (years)
- Main sources: DWDs, MBHs, EMRIs





LISA Data Analysis Challenges



Credit: M.Katz



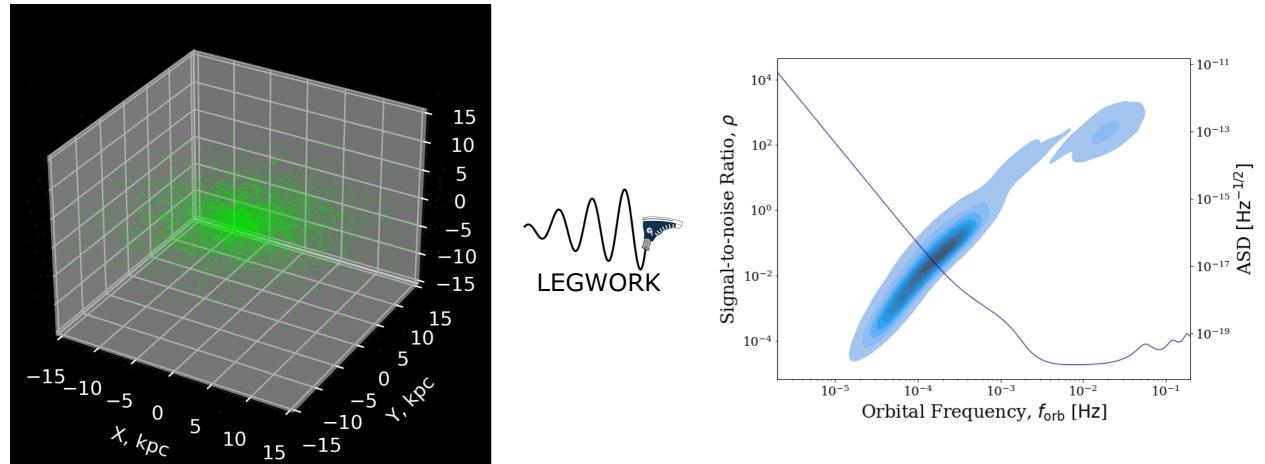
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Global Fit Implementations

- GLASS Littenberg&Cornish 23
 - On GitHub (Idasoft, lisacattools)
 - RJMCMC, information build-up over time
- ETH Strub+24
 - MLE, 10x faster, week-by-week build-up, publicly available
- Erebor Katz+24
 - RJMCMC, GPUs, in LISA Analys Tools Library
- Gee-Moo-LISA Deng+(in prep)
 - PTMCMC on short data segments, MBHs



Light(er)weight Tools



Credit: Bobrick, Hendriks, Strokov

LEGWORK

Wagg, Breivik, 21 On GitHub

Eryn Karnesis+23, On Github

To learn more: Valeriya Korol, Michael Katz

