



Prospects for upgrading the KAGRA gravitational wave telescope

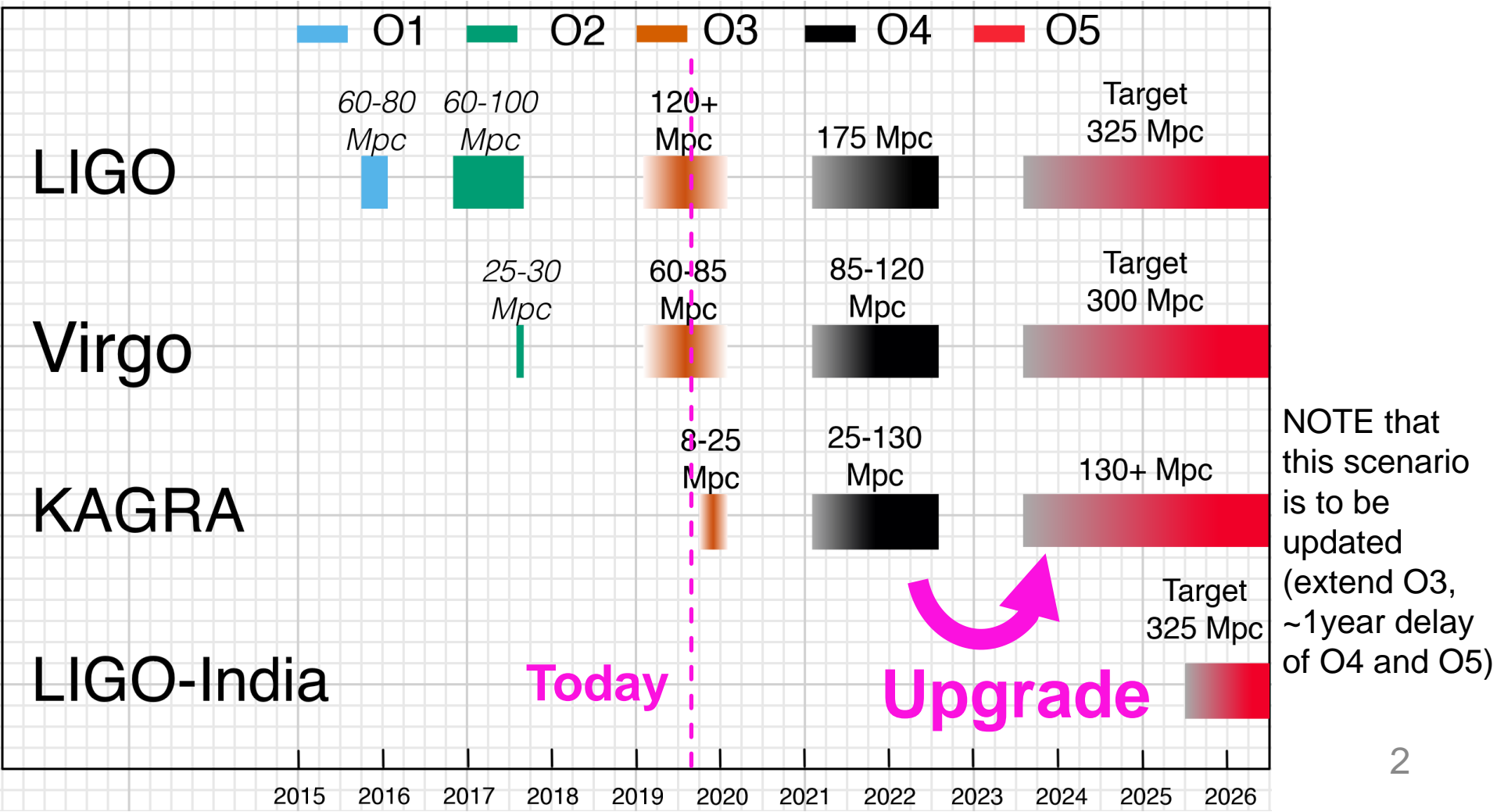
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Upgrading Current GW Detectors

- Sensitivity improvements allow **more detections** and **more precise** source parameter estimation



Upgrading KAGRA is Tricky

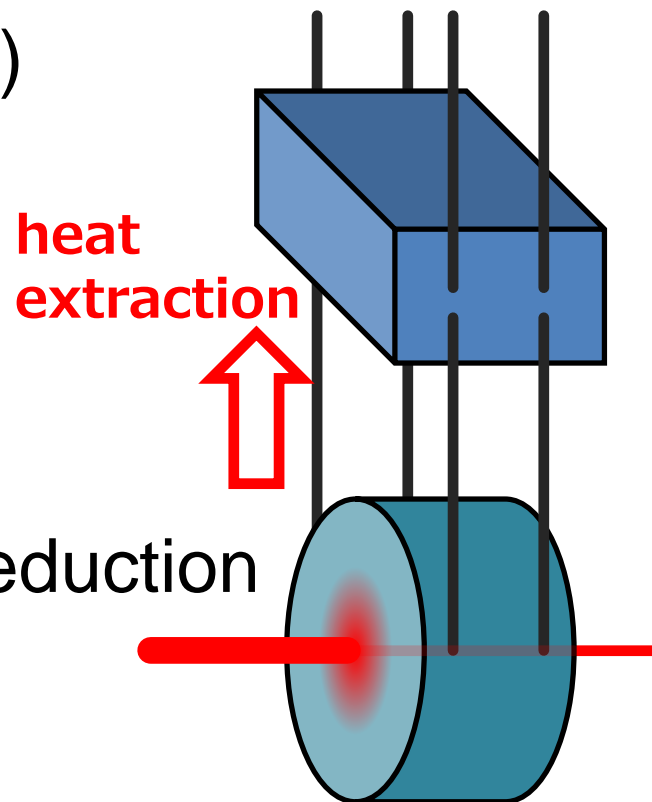
- Only **cryogenic** interferometer among 2G
- Not trivial to do both
 - high power (**400 kW** on mirror)
 - low temperature (**20 K**)

- Sapphire fibers to extract heat
thinner and longer
for suspension thermal noise reduction



Dilemma

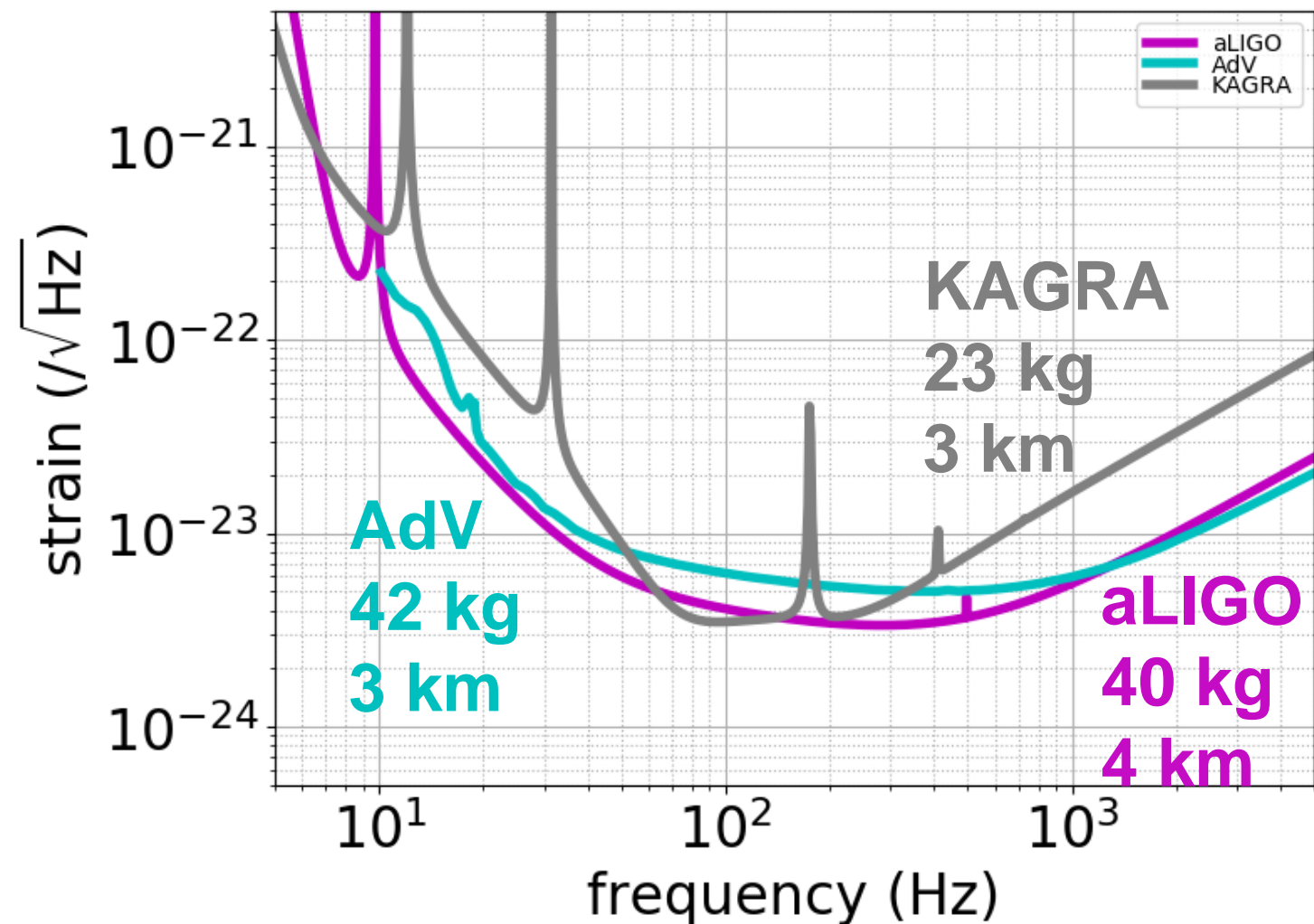
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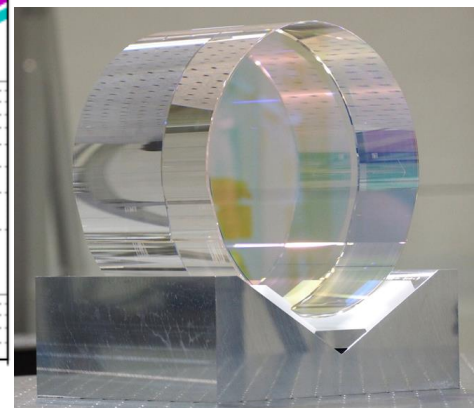
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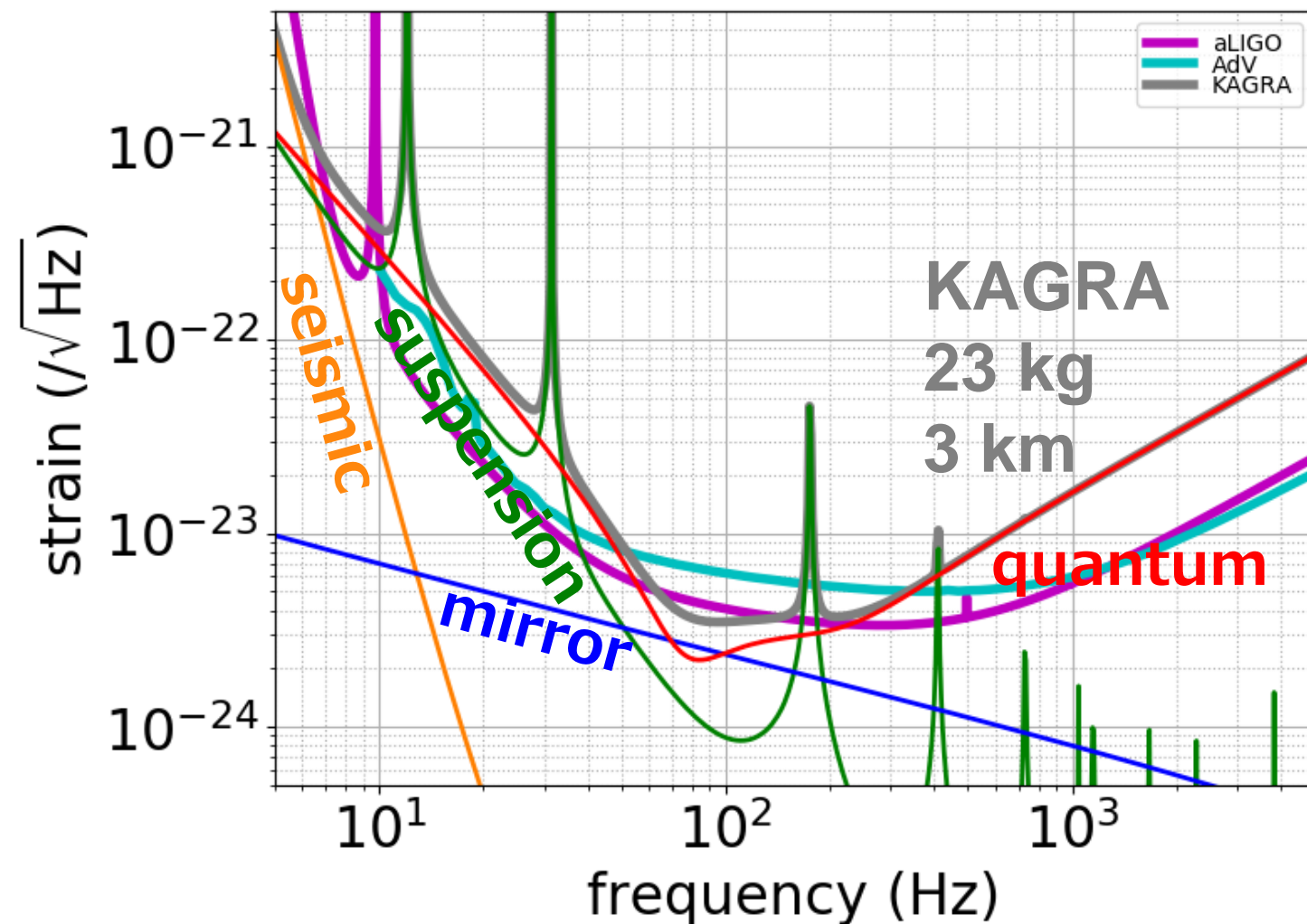


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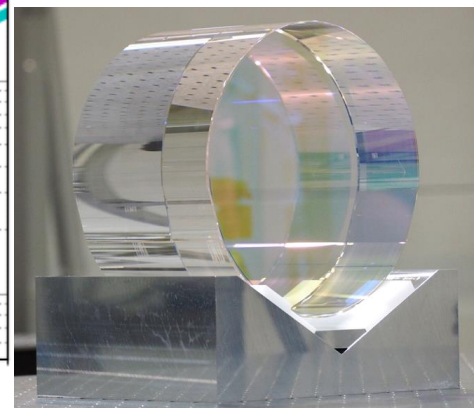


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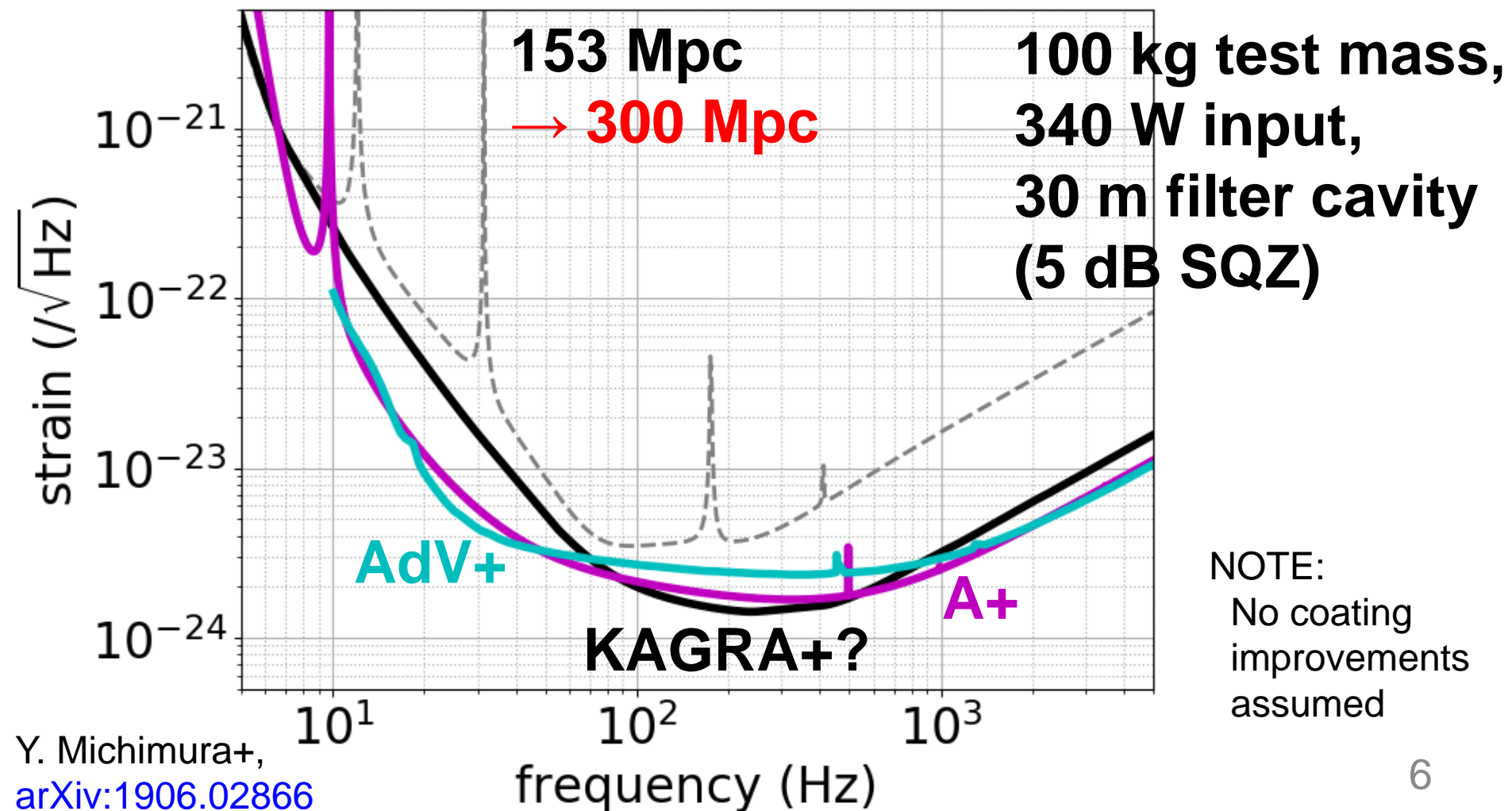


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Upgrade Plan for KAGRA?

- **Twofold broadband** sensitivity improvement possible with multiple upgrade technology



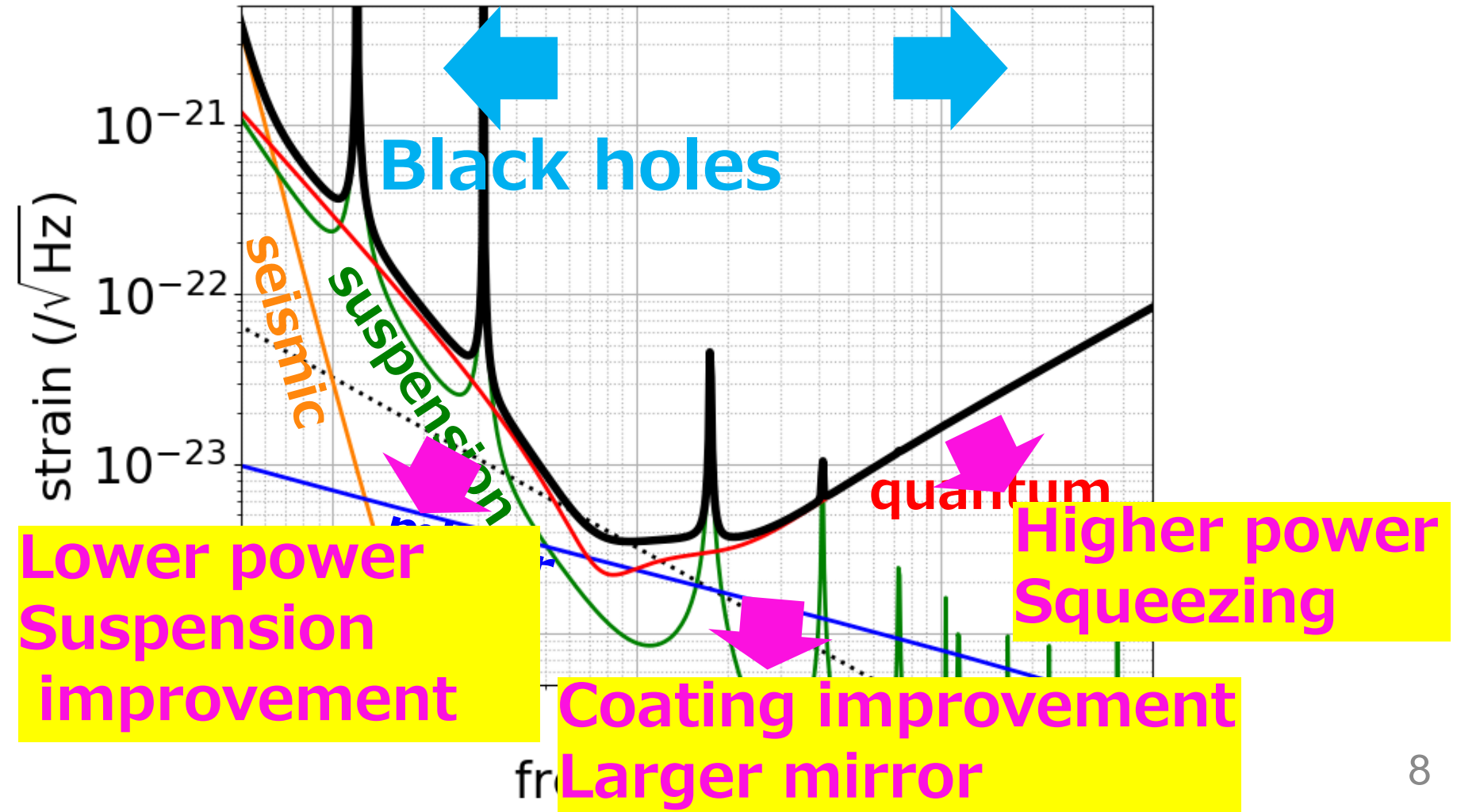
Technologies for the Upgrade

- Broadband improvement is favorable so that we don't miss any science
- Combination of multiple technologies necessary to do broadband improvement
 - Larger sapphire test mass and its suspension
 - Higher power laser
 - Frequency dependent squeezing
- Upgrade should be done in steps
- What to implement first depends on scientific scenarios and technical feasibility

Options for Near Term Upgrade

- Different technologies improve sensitivity in different bands

Neutron stars

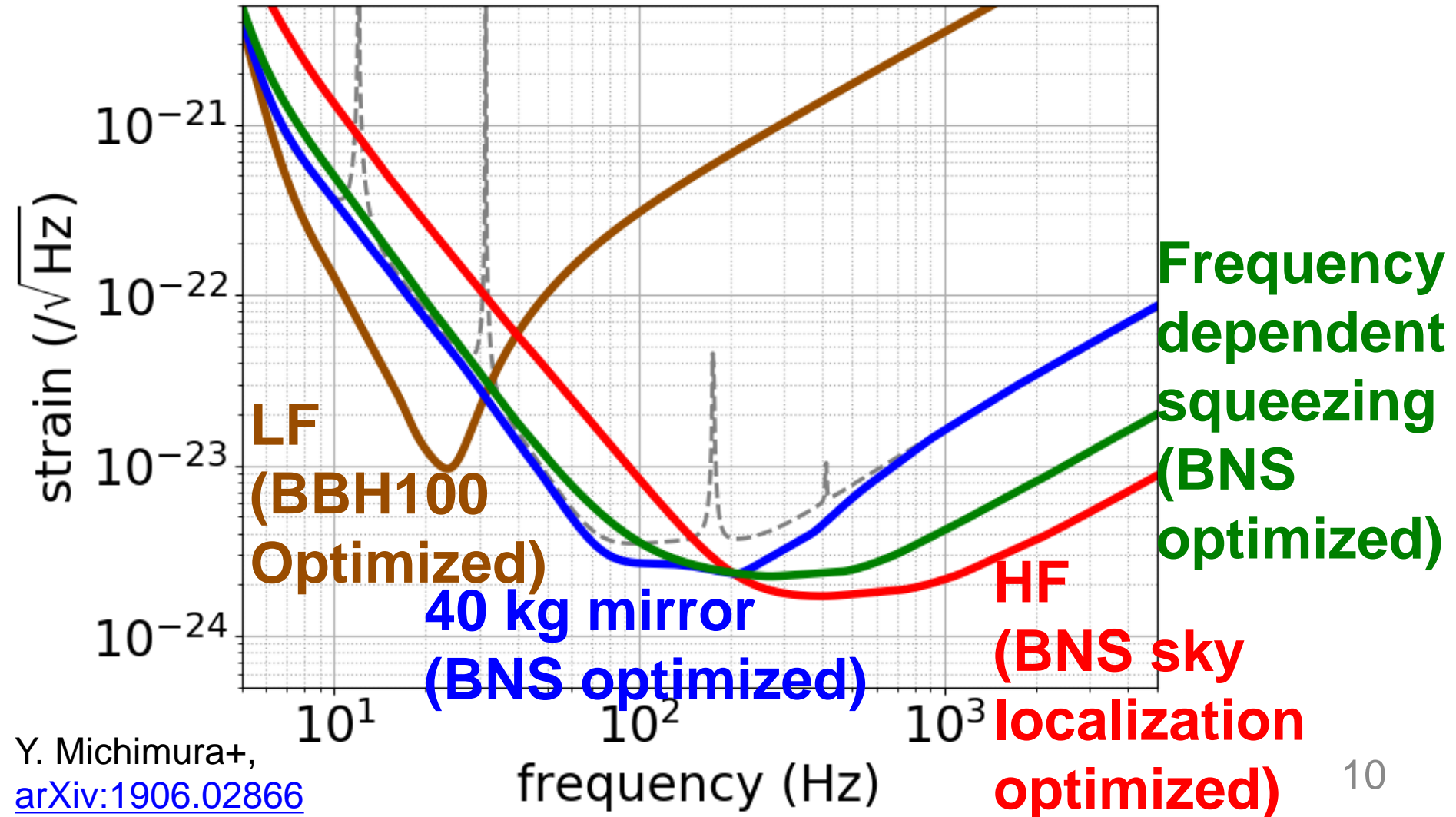


Science Targets for Each Bands

- **Low frequency**
 - IMBHs and their spectroscopy
(Stochastic GW background, cosmic string)
- **Broadband**
 - Test of gravity
 - Formation scenario of stellar-mass BBHs
 - Multi-messenger observations
 - Hubble constant
(Supernovae and X-ray binaries)
- **High frequency**
 - NS physics (EOS, post-merger, ejecta)
 - Multi-messenger observations
 - Hubble constant
 - BH spectroscopy with stellar-mass BBHs
(Isolated pulsars and magnetars)

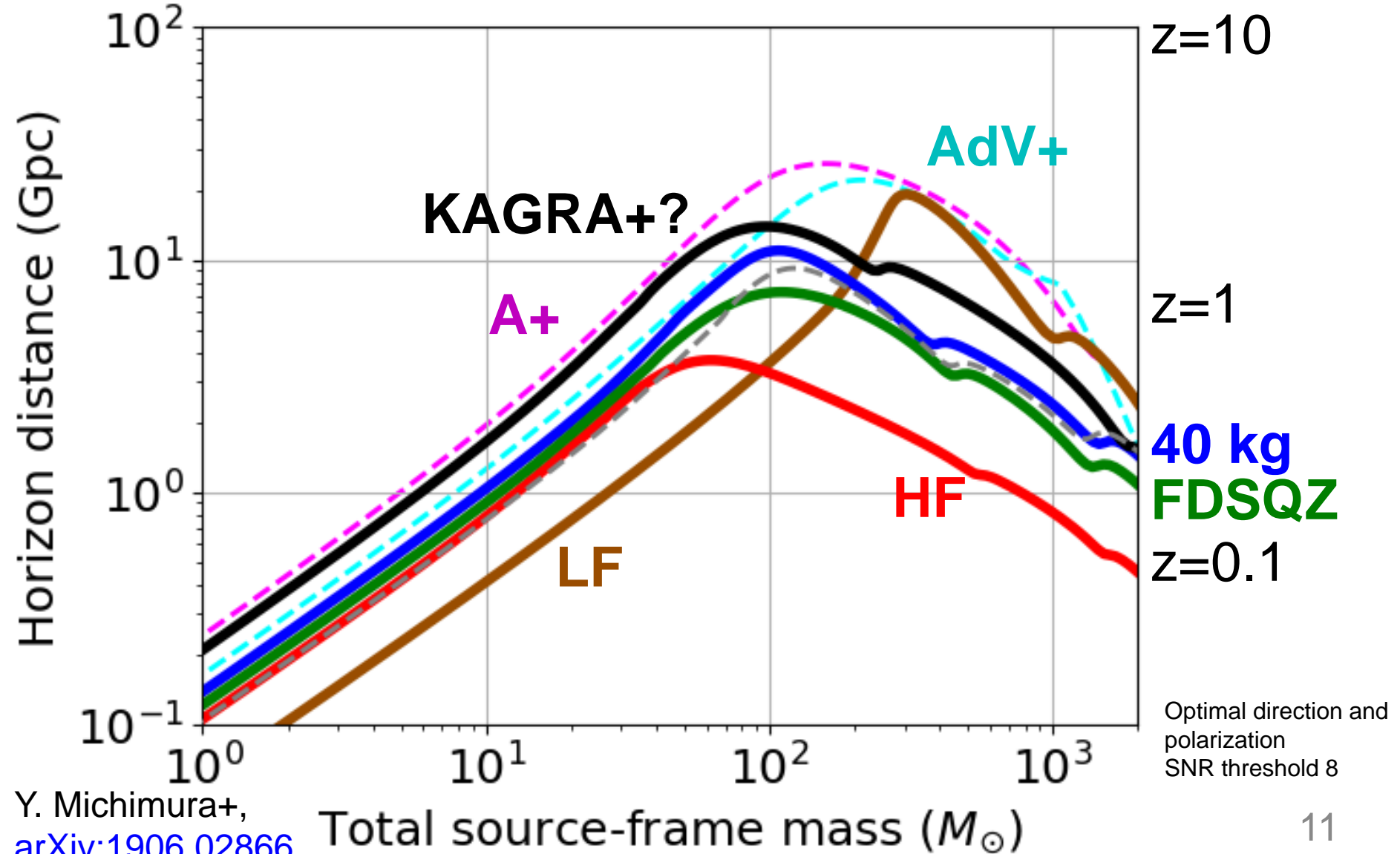
Possible Near Term Upgrade Plans

- Based on technical feasibility, facility and budget constraints (~5 years, ~\$5M)



Horizon Distance Comparison

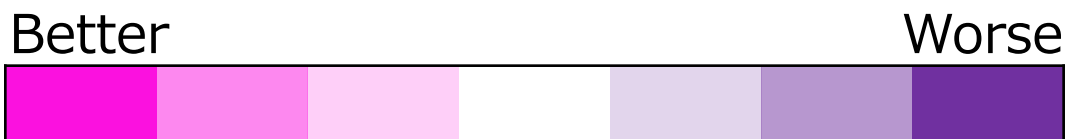
- Hard to beat A+ with horizon distance



(Selected) Science Comparison

- Sensitivity improvement in different bands give different science cases

	LF	40kg	FDSQZ	HF	Longer
IMBH event rate	+			-	
NS event rate		+	+	+	+
NS tidal deformability					
Hubble constant by BBH		+	+		+
Hubble constant by BNS	-	+	+	+	+
GW polarization test	-				+
Stellar-mass BH spectroscopy		+	+	+	+
IMBH spectroscopy	+			-	+



+100% +50% +15% -15% -50% -100%

* Compared with bKAGRA, assumed A+ and AdV+ Network

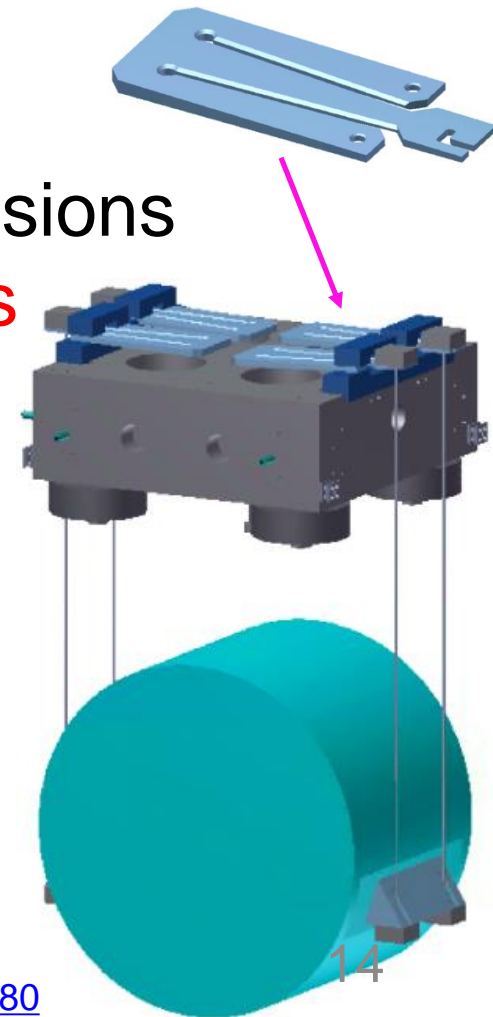
* Summarized by A. Nishizawa *et al.* [JGW-G1909934](https://arxiv.org/abs/1909.0934)

Effective Progression of Upgrades?

- **Low frequency** is uncertain since many low frequency excess noises exist
- **40 kg mirror** would be feasible but even larger mirror is required for longer term
- **Higher power laser** and **frequency dependent squeezing** are attractive in terms of feasibility
- **HF** plan has better sensitivity than A+ and AdV+ at high frequencies
- **Higher power laser** → **Squeezing** → **Frequency dependent squeezing** → **Larger mirror**
might be an effective progression

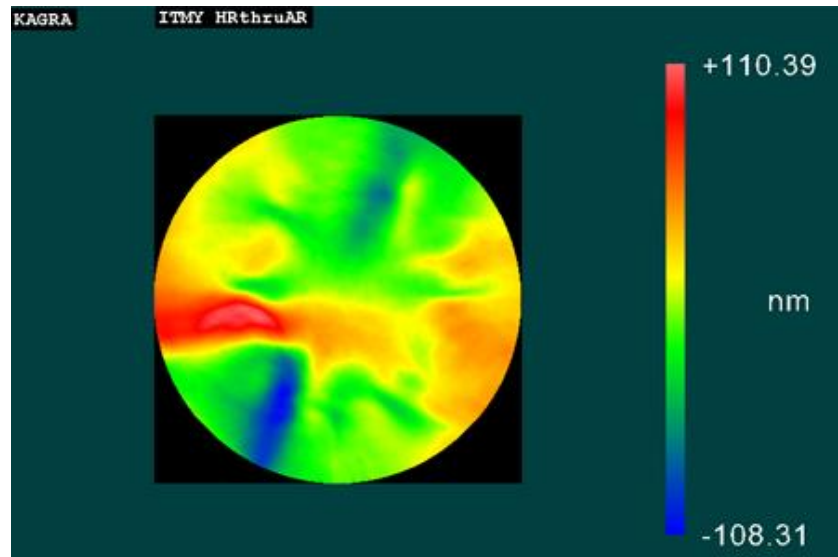
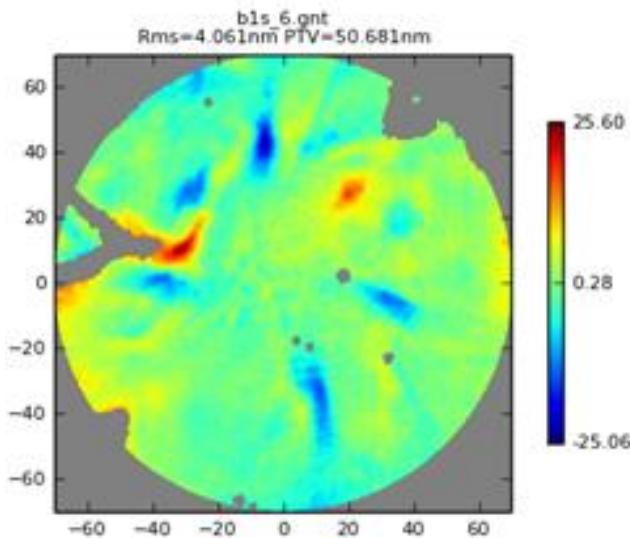
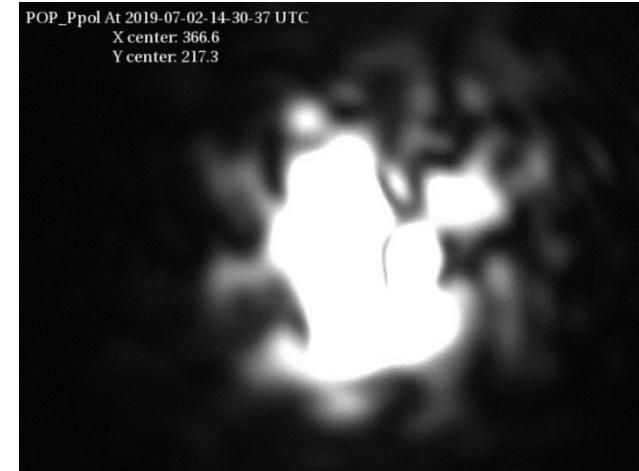
Still Many Other Challenges

- Many other challenges still remain to be overcome to achieve **design sensitivity**
 - **Detuning** of signal recycling cavity
 - **Homodyne** detection
 - **Local sensors** of cryogenic suspensions
 - Mechanical loss of **sapphire blades**
 - 3.6e-5 measured, while 7e-7 required
 - No sapphire mirror spares
 - 2 out of 12 met **absorption** requirement
 - measured ~30 ppm/cm
 - requirement for ITM was 50 ppm/cm
 - **Inhomogeneity** of sapphire ITM refractive index **NEW**
 - ITM **birefringence**



ITM Birefringence

- Found to have **~10% power loss** on ITM reflection due to polarization rotation (June 22)
- Consistent with measured **inhomogeneous birefringence**



p-pol beam
shape when
PRX locked
[klog #9393](#)

E. Hirose,
[JGW-T1808715](#)

Transmission wavefront error
measured with **circular polarization**
(4.07 nm RMS)

Transmission wavefront error
measured with **linear polarization**
(30.1 nm RMS)

Future Planning Committee

- Formulated inside KAGRA Collaboration in December 2018 to make a collaboration-wide agreement in upgrade plans
 - Sadakazu Haino (chair)
 - Chunglee Kim, Kentaro Komori, Matteo Leonardi, Yuta Michimura, Atsushi Nishizawa, Kentaro Somiya
- Coherent plans for achieving the design sensitivity and upgrades necessary
- White paper on KAGRA upgrade work in progress (to be finalized by August 2019)
 - Available technology survey
 - Science case study
 - Necessary R&Ds

[JGW-M1909590](#)

Summary

- KAGRA requires different approach for the upgrade due to its **cryogenic** operation
- **Twofold** sensitivity improvement (300 Mpc) is feasible by combining multiple technologies
- What to implement first depends on scientific scenarios and technical feasibility
- We are proposing to focus on **high frequencies** first
- HF upgrade enables better source sky localization and to probe neutron star physics

Additional Slides

2G/2G+ Parameter Comparison

	KAGRA	AdVirgo	aLIGO	A+	Voyager
Arm length [km]	3	3	4	4	4
Mirror mass [kg]	23	42	40	80	200
Mirror material	Sapphire	Silica	Silica	Silica	Silicon
Mirror temp [K]	22	295	295	295	123
Sus fiber	35cm Sap.	70cm SiO ₂	60cm SiO ₂	60cm SiO ₂	60cm Si
Fiber type	Fiber	Fiber	Fiber	Fiber	Ribbon
Input power [W]	67	125	125	125	140
Arm power [kW]	340	700	710	1150	3000
Wavelength [nm]	1064	1064	1064	1064	2000
Beam size [cm]	3.5 / 3.5	4.9 / 5.8	5.5 / 6.2	5.5 / 6.2	5.8 / 6.2
SQZ factor	0	0	0	6	8
F. C. length [m]	none	none	none	16	300

KAGRA Detailed Parameters

K. Komori *et al.*, [JGW-T1707038](#)

- **Optical parameters**
 - Mirror transmission: 0.4 % for ITM, 10 % for PRM, 15.36 % for SRM
 - Power at BS: 674 W
 - Detune phase: 3.5 deg (DRSE case)
 - Homodyne phase: 135.1 deg (DRSE case)
- **Sapphire mirror parameters**
 - TM size: 220 mm dia., 150 mm thick
 - TM mass: 22.8 kg
 - TM temperature: 22 K
 - Beam radius at ITM: 3.5 cm
 - Beam radius at ETM: 3.5 cm
 - Q of mirror substrate: $1e8$
 - Coating: tantala/silica
 - Coating loss angle: $3e-4$ for silica, $5e-4$ for tantala
 - Number of layers: 22 for ITM, 40 for ETM
 - Coating absorption: 0.5 ppm
 - Substrate absorption: 50 ppm/cm
- **Suspension parameters**
 - TM-IM fiber: 35 cm long, 1.6 mm dia.
 - IM temperature: 16 K
 - Heat extraction: 5800 W/m/K at 20 K
 - Loss angle: $5e-6/2e-7/7e-7$ for CuBe fiber/sapphire fiber/sapphire blade
- **Inspirial range calculation**
 - SNR=8, $f_{min}=10$ Hz, sky average constant 0.442478
- Seismic noise curve includes vertical coupling, vibration from heatlinks and Newtonian noise from surface and bulk

KAGRA Cryopayload

Figure by T. Ushiba and A. Hagiwara

Platform
(SUS, 65 kg)

3 CuBe blade springs

Marionette
(SUS, 22.5 kg)

MN suspended by 1 Maraging steel fiber
(35 cm long, 2-7mm dia.)

MRM suspended by 3 CuBe fibers

Intermediate Mass
(SUS, 20.1 kg,
16 K)

Heat link attached to MN

IM suspended by 4 CuBe fibers
(24 cm long, 0.6 mm dia)

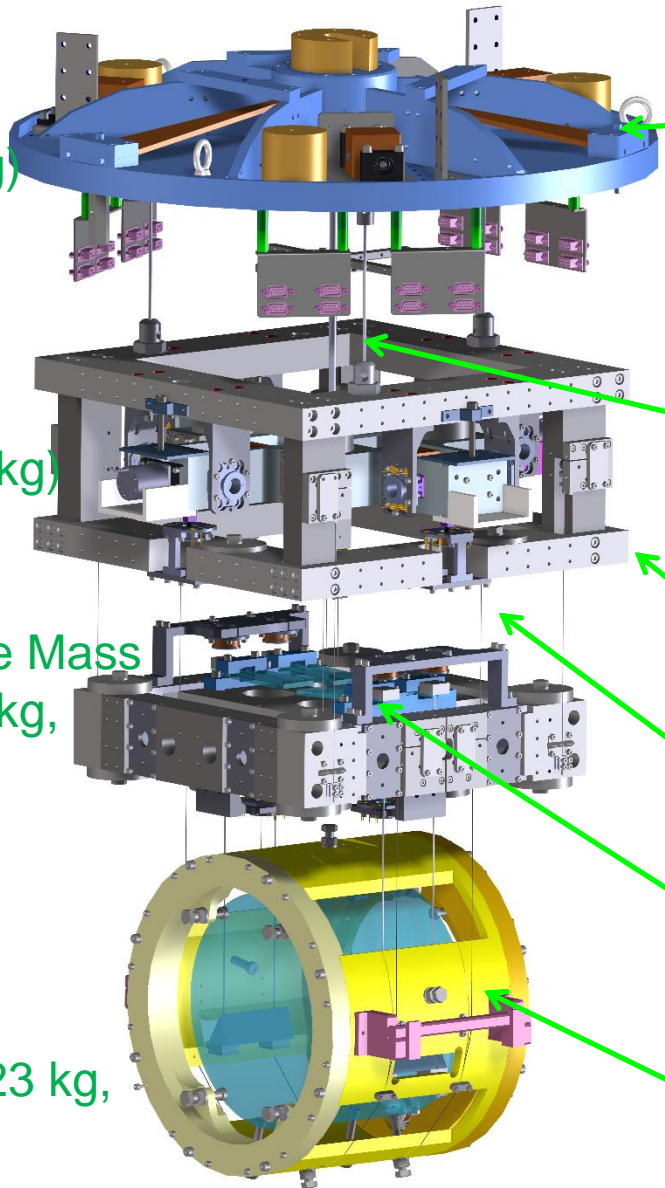
IRM suspended by 4 CuBe fibers

Test Mass
(Sapphire, 23 kg,
22 K)

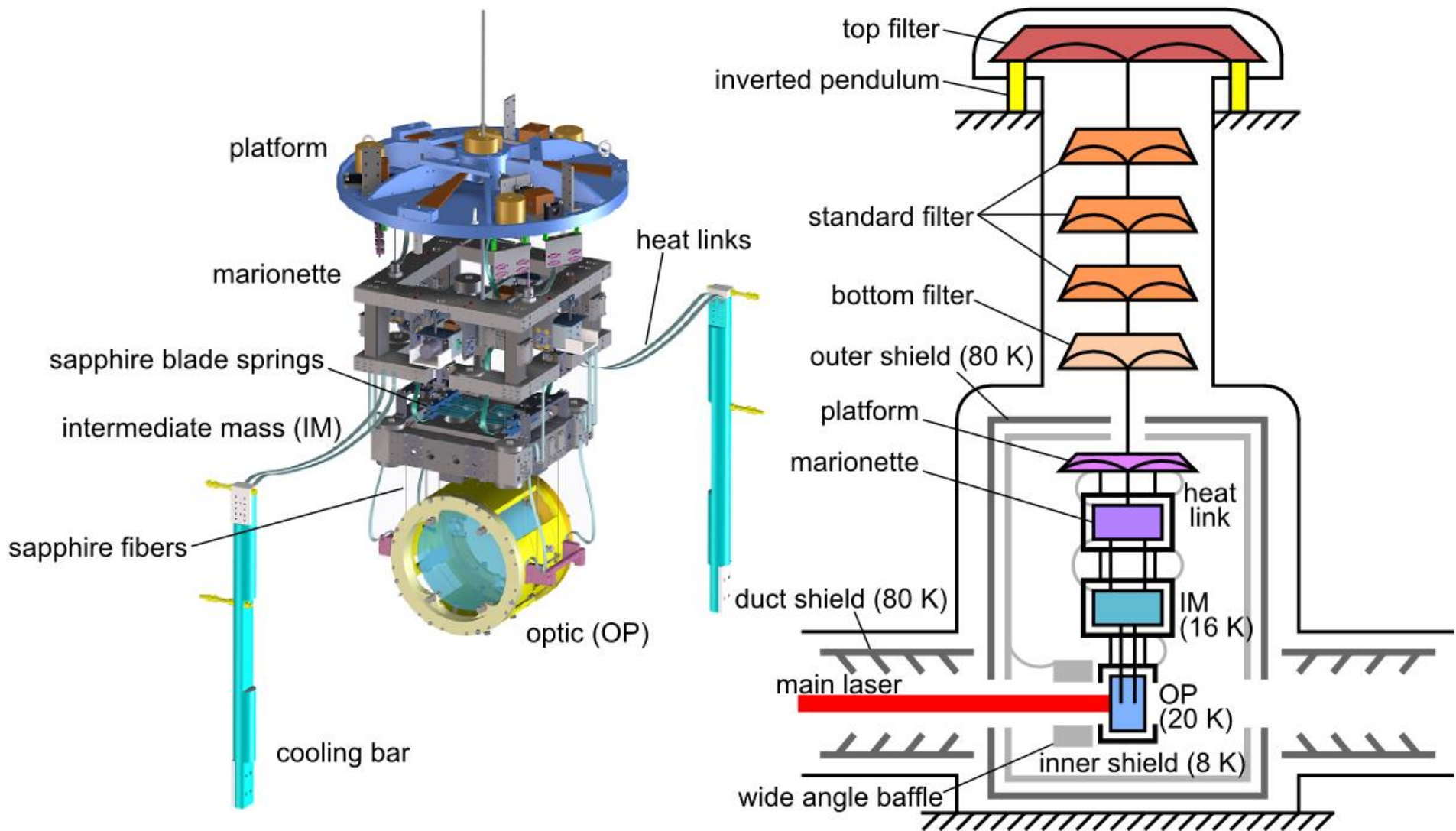
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TM suspended by 4 sapphire fibers
(35 cm long, 1.6 mm dia.)

RM suspended by 4 CuBe fibers



KAGRA Cryostat Schematic



KAGRA Suspensions

Type-A

13.5 m



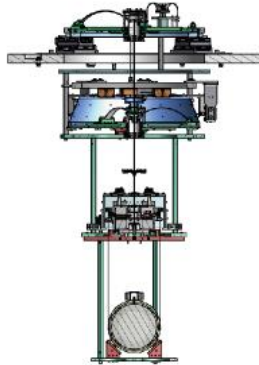
Type-B

3.1 m



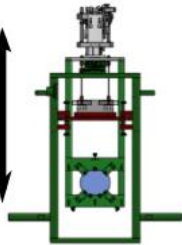
Type-Bp

1.7 m

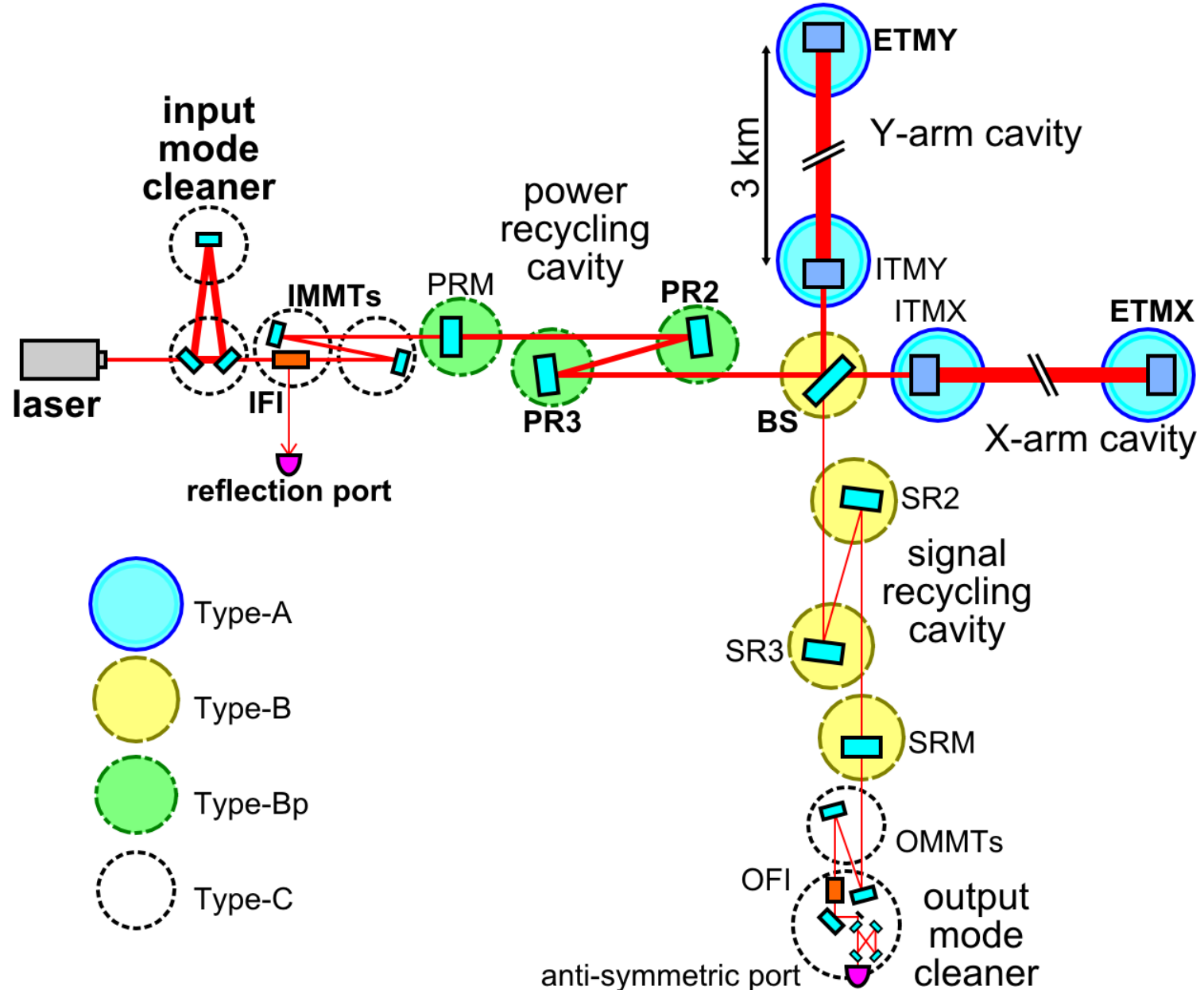


Type-C

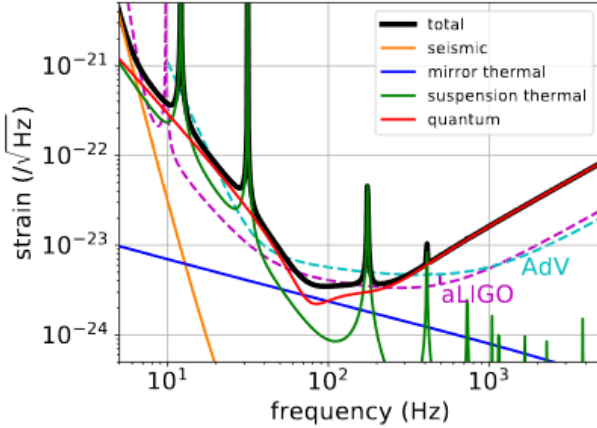
0.4 m



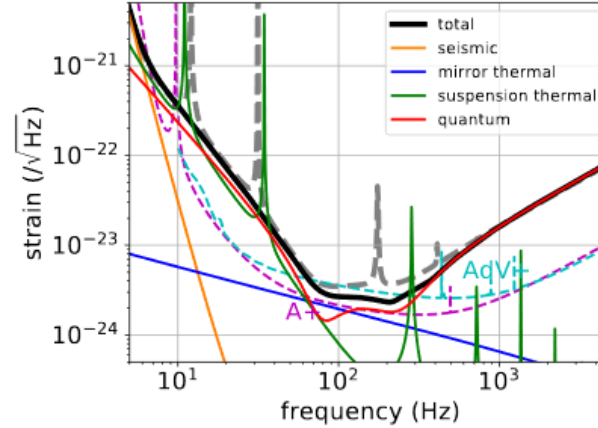
KAGRA Interferometer



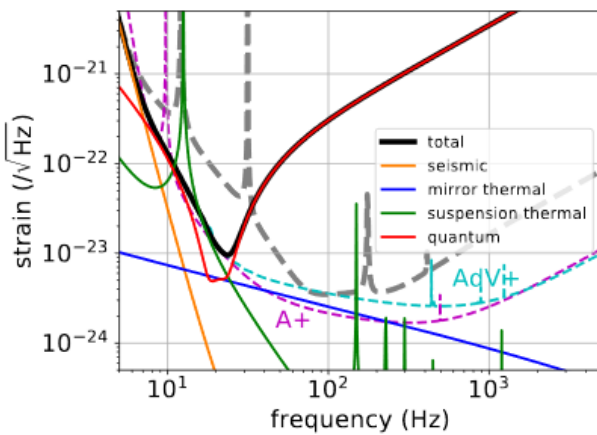
Possible KAGRA Upgrade Plans



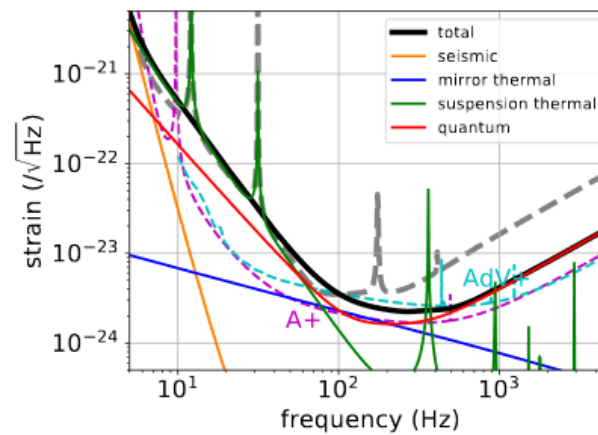
(a) bKAGRA



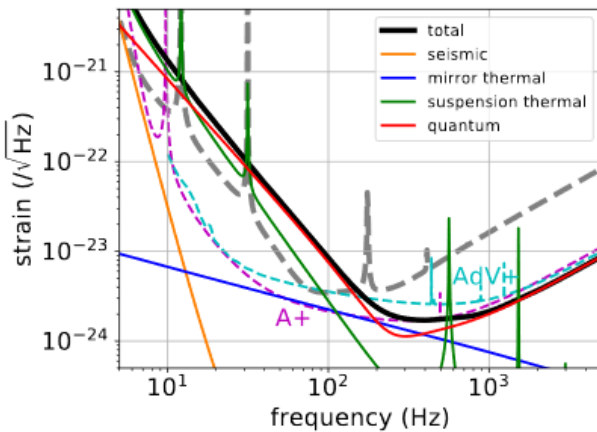
(d) 40kg



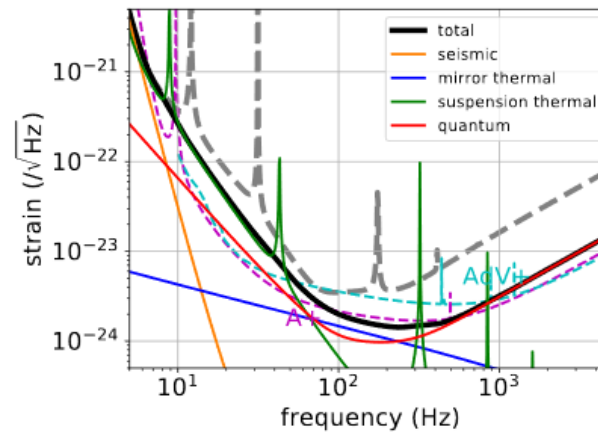
(b) LF



(e) FDSQZ



(c) HF



(f) Combined

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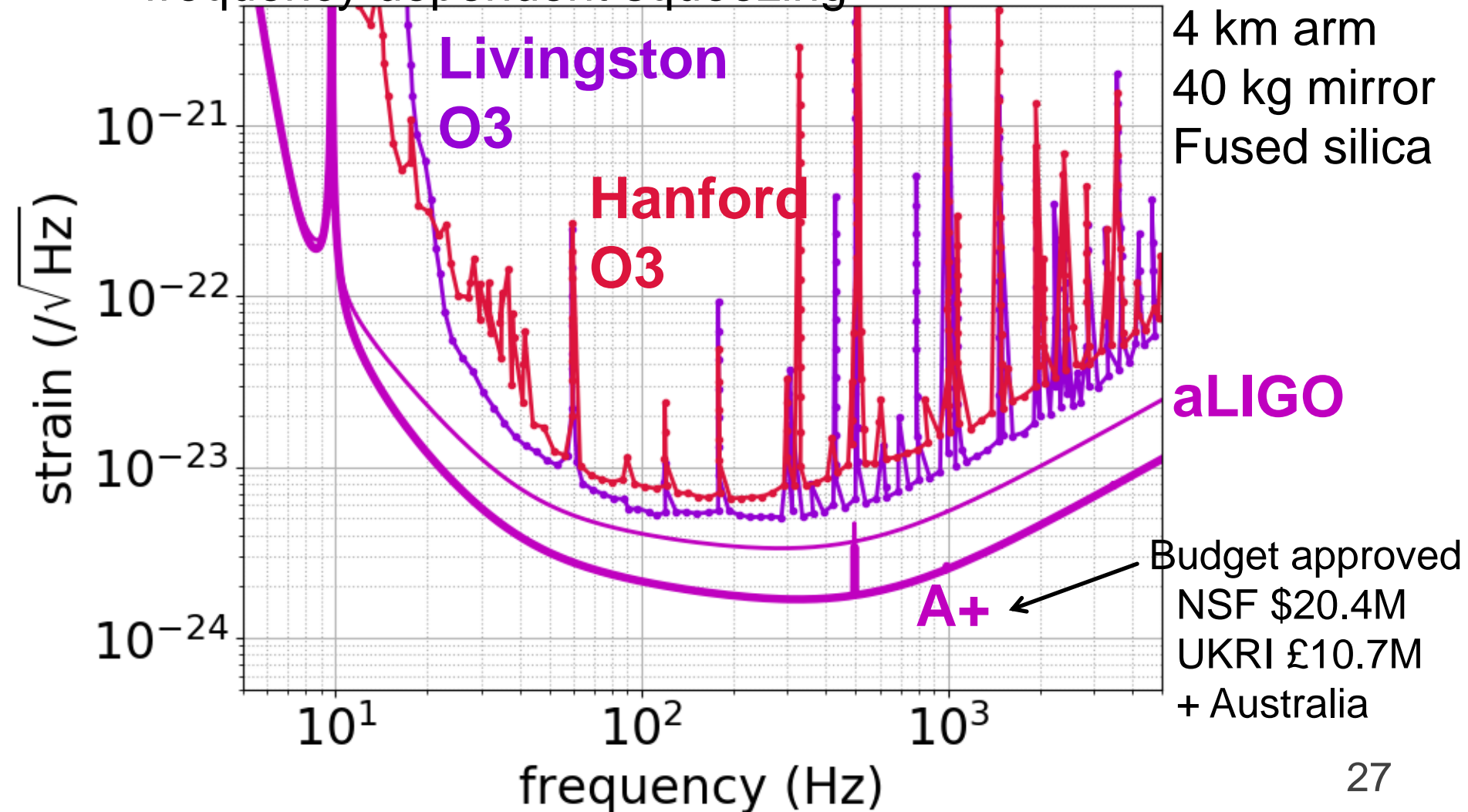
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		bKAGRA	LF	HF	40kg	FDSQZ	Combined
detuning angle (deg)	ϕ_{det}	3.5	28.5	0.1	3.5	0.2	0.3
homodyne angle (deg)	ζ	135.1	133.6	97.1	123.2	93.1	93.0
mirror temperature (K)	T_m	22	23.6	20.8	21.0	21.3	20.0
SRM reflectivity (%)	R_{SRM}	84.6	95.5	90.7	92.2	83.2	80.9
fiber length (cm)	l_f	35.0	99.8	20.1	28.6	23.0	33.1
fiber diameter (mm)	d_f	1.6	0.45	2.5	2.2	1.9	3.6
mirror mass (kg)	m	22.8	22.8	22.8	40	22.8	100
input power at BS (W)	I_0	673	4.5	3440	1500	1500	3470
maximum detected squeezing (dB)		0	0	6.1	0	5.2 (FC)	5.1 (FC)
$100M_{\odot}$ - $100M_{\odot}$ inspiral range (Mpc)		353	2099	114	412	318	702
$30M_{\odot}$ - $30M_{\odot}$ inspiral range (Mpc)		1095	1094	271	1269	855	1762
$1.4M_{\odot}$ - $1.4M_{\odot}$ inspiral range (Mpc)		153	85	156	202	179	307
median sky localization error (deg ²)		0.183	0.507	0.105	0.156	0.119	0.099

Advanced LIGO Upgrade: A+

- Reaches **325 Mpc** with coating improvement and frequency dependent squeezing



Advanced Virgo Upgrade: AdV+

- Reaches **300 Mpc** with frequency dependent squeezing, Newtonian noise cancellation, larger mirror

