

Present and Future GW detectors

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Terrestrial Detectors

Advanced detectors 2015-2025

Data exchange:
aGWD network!



LIGO

aLIGO Hanford, 4 km

GEO, Hannover, 600 m



~2018



KAGRA

~2022



2016

AdV, Cascina, 3 km



aLIGO Livingston, 4 km

2015



Limits of the current infrastructures

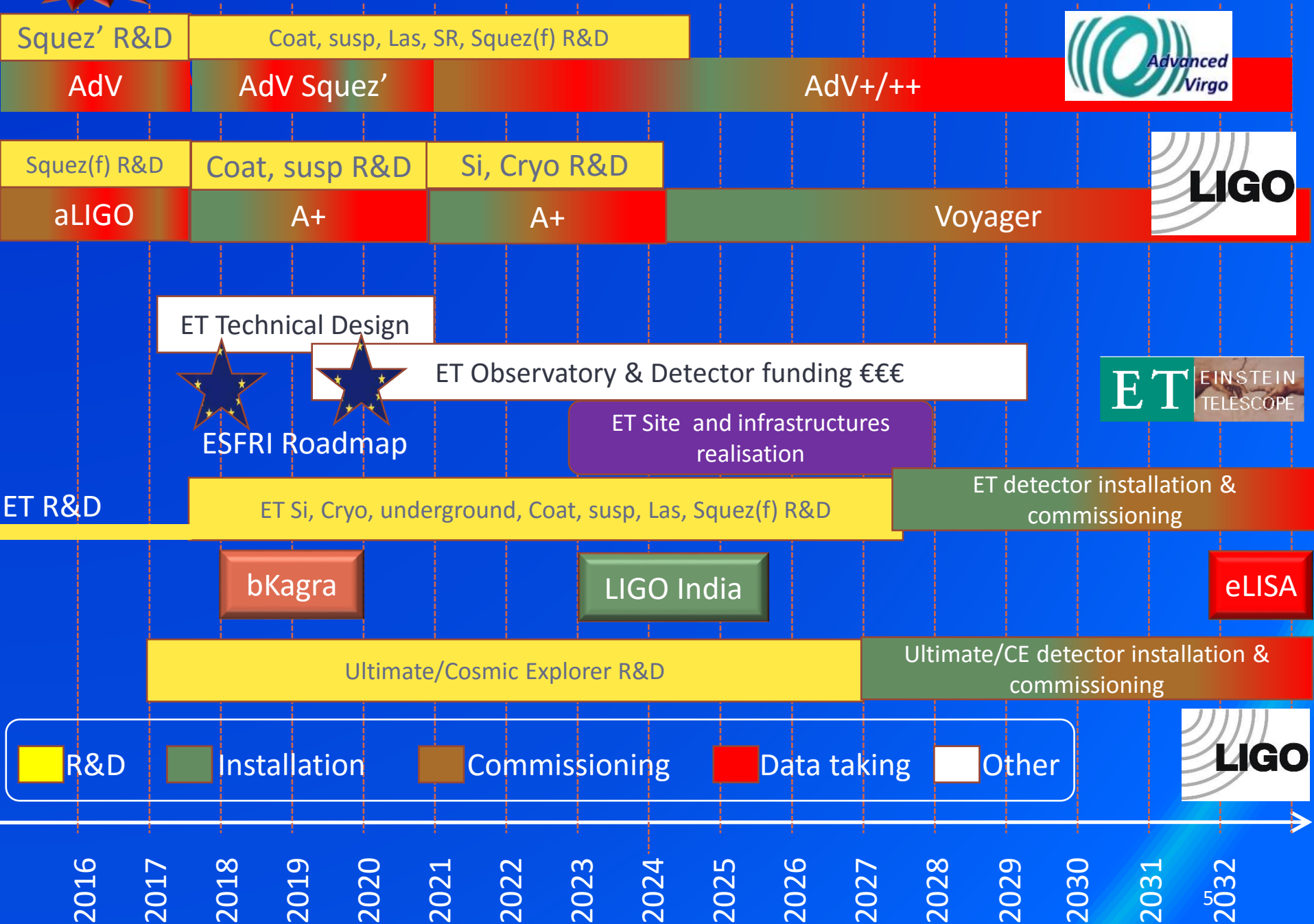
- LIGO infrastructure has been completed at the end of 90s, Virgo infrastructure in 2003
- The sensitivity of the Advanced detectors will be limited by the detector technologies, but the limits of the infrastructures aren't too far:
 - Obsolescence
 - Length
 - Limitation to the implementation of heavy modifications to the current detectors (filter cavities, different topologies – like sagnac, different geometries)
 - Environmental noises:
 - Seismic noise
 - Cultural noises
 - Newtonian Noise
 - Wind

Evolution Plan

- A coordinated evolution plan of the advanced detectors is under definition
 - 1st phase: improvement of the detectors in the current infrastructures
 - 2nd phase: realization of 3rd generation observatories in new infrastructures

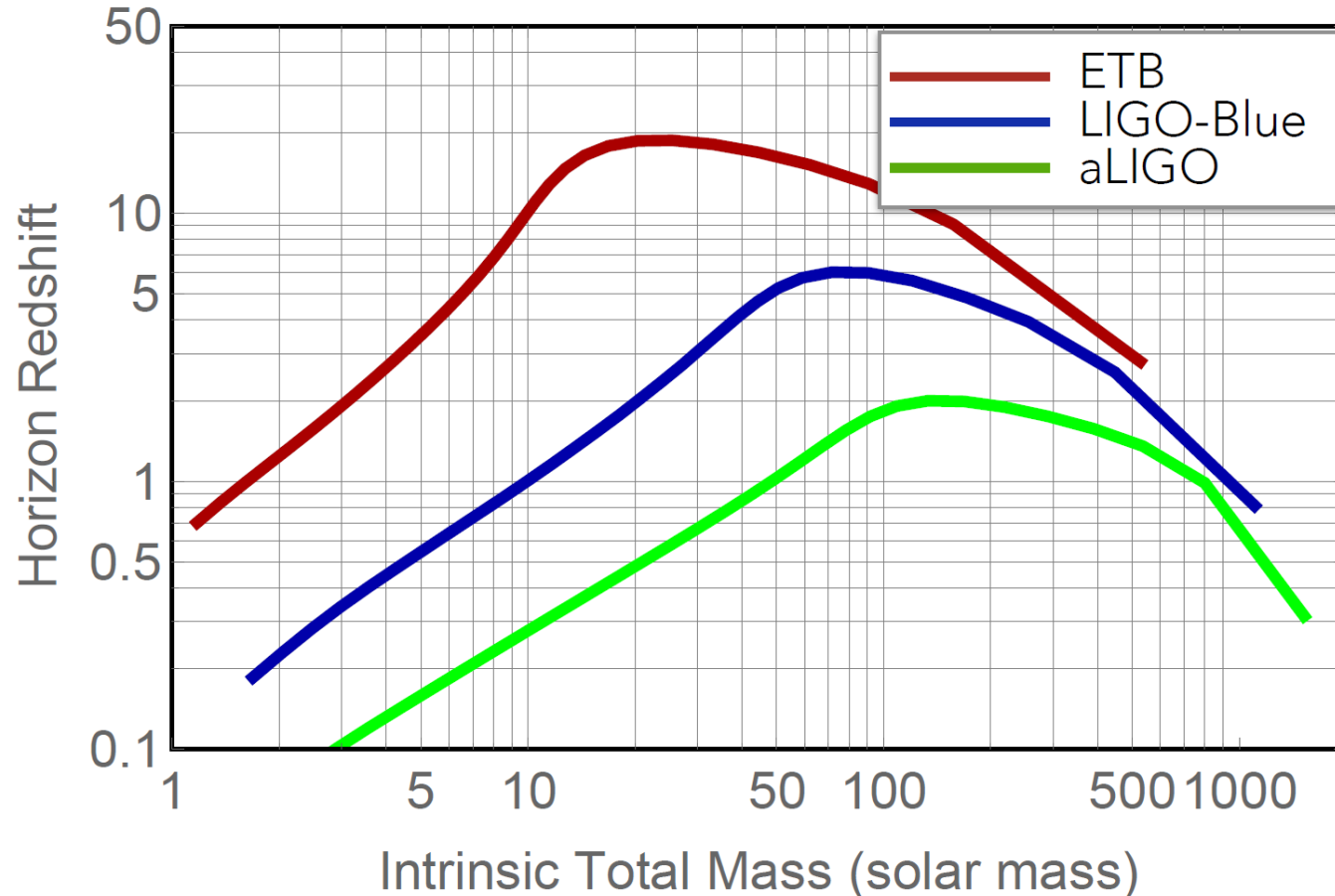


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Performances evolution (in terms of optimal horizon)

HORIZON REDSHIFT
VS. INTRINSIC MASS



Initial comments

- Fulvio Ricci:
 - Evolution of Virgo
- Michele Punturo
 - Einstein Telescope
- Valeria Ferrari
 - Fundamental physics potential of 3G observatories and eLISA
- Marica Branchesi
 - Multimessenger in the future: how/why to complement GW observations

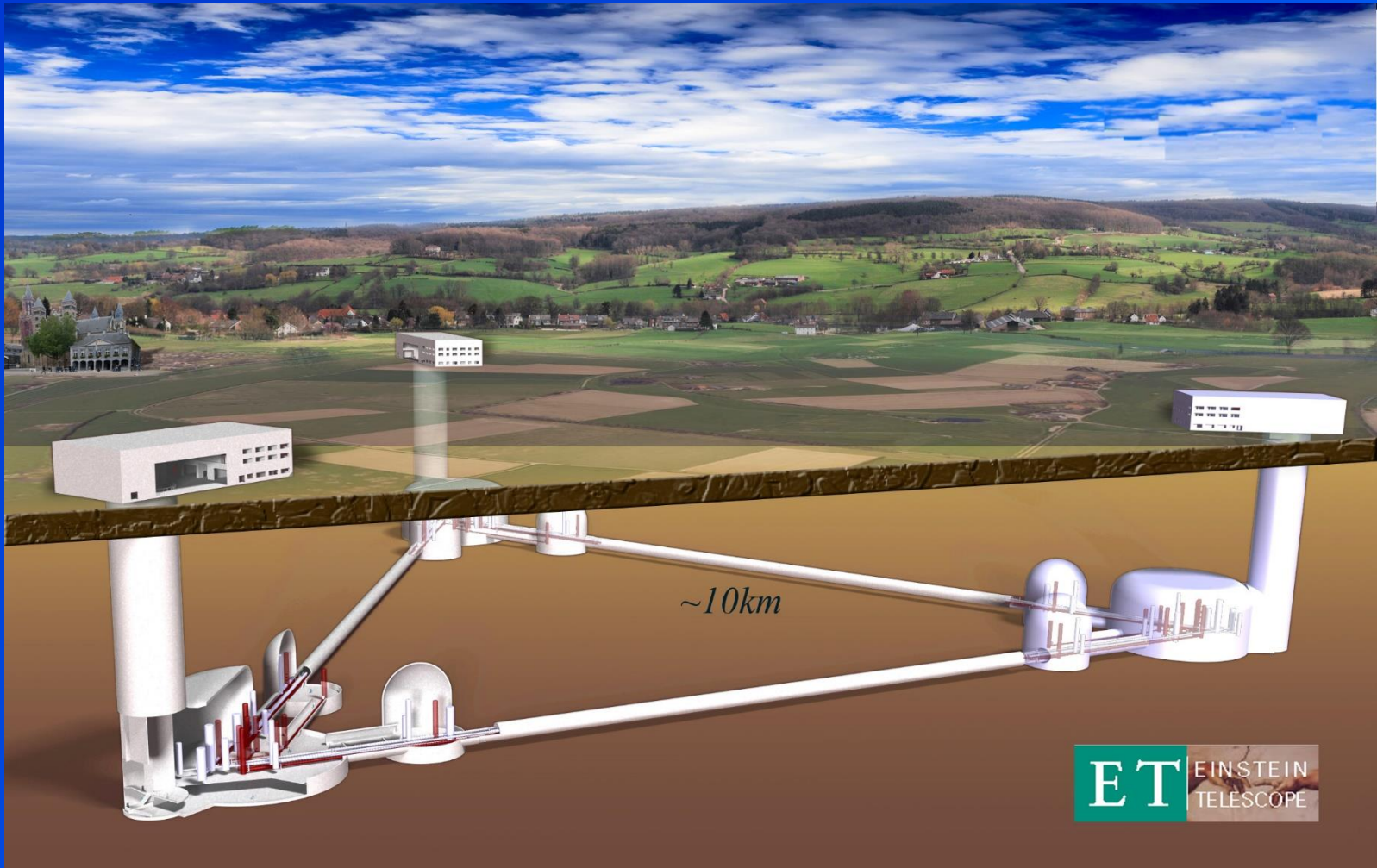
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Evolution of Virgo

3rd Generation

- 3rd Generation GW Observatory:
 - Einstein Telescope
- Key concepts:
 - It is a research infrastructure capable to host more than one detector and, thanks to the low environmental noise, their evolutions for decades
 - Observatory:
 - Wide frequency spectrum: few Hz-10kHz
 - Factor 10 improved sensitivity wrt 2G
 - Capable to reconstruct both the polarizations
 - Some (poor) localization capability
 - High SNR for BNS and BBH signals
- Conceptual design Study delivered in 2011
 - Expected to be in operation in ~2030
- Currently are interested groups from IT, FR, NL, DE, UK, PL, HU, RU
- 3G idea now spreading also in USA: we are collaborating to define a common scenario

Einstein Telescope



eLISA

- Space based $\geq 10^6$ km detector
- 3 satellites in triangular configuration in Heliocentric orbit
- Low frequency sensitivity
 - 10^{-4} - 10^{-2} / 10^{-1} Hz
- Target
 - Supermassive BH: 10^5 - 10^7 Ms
- LisaPF now flying and testing the technologies

Science Targets of 3G/eLISA

- Fundamental physics targets
 - Valeria Ferrari
- Multi-messenger aspects:
 - Marica Branchesi