



Noise propagation through TDI for the noise budget of LISA mission

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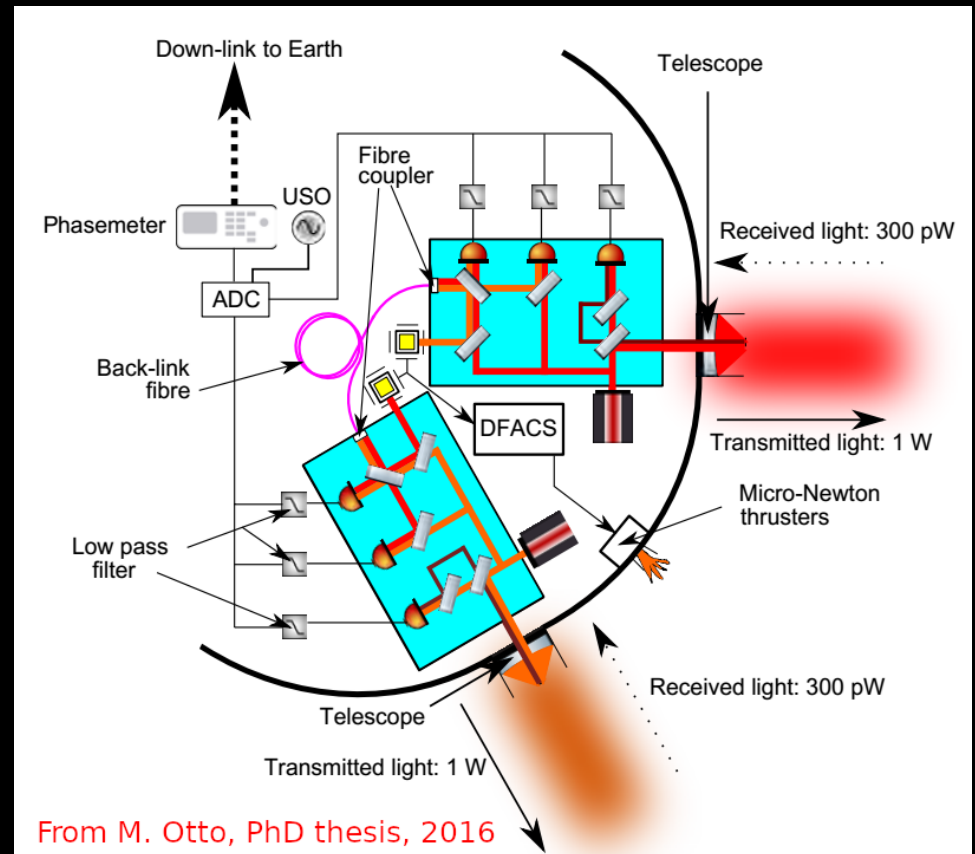
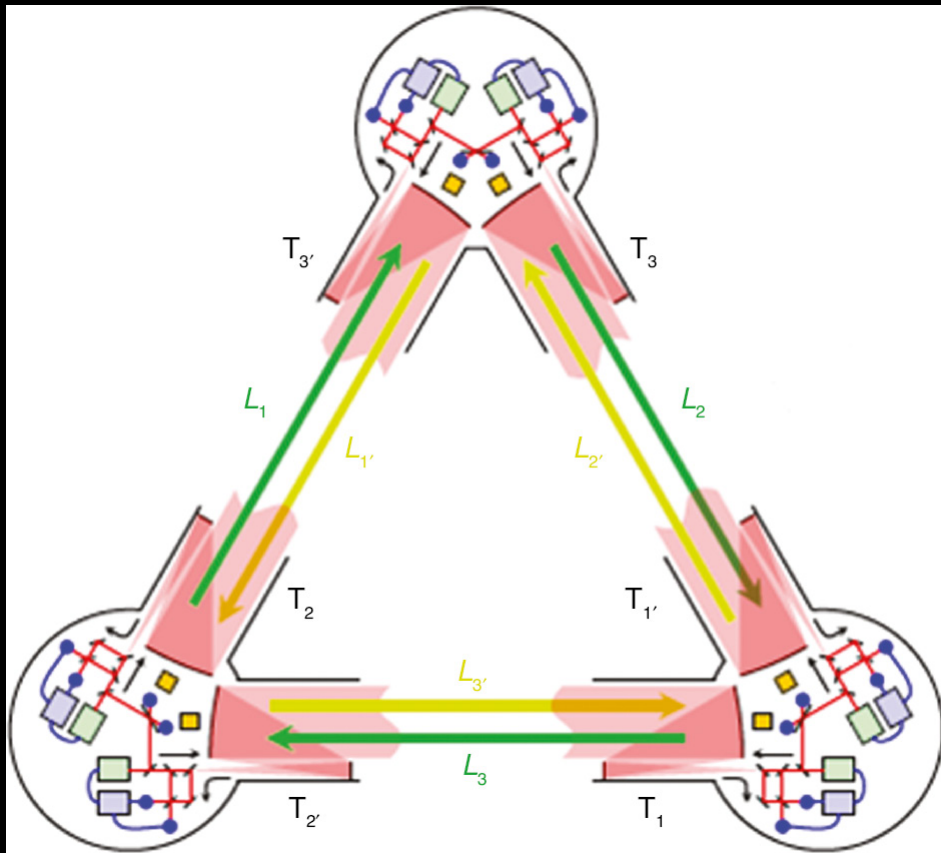
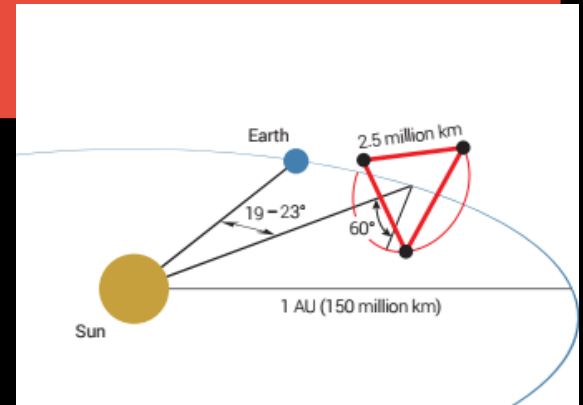
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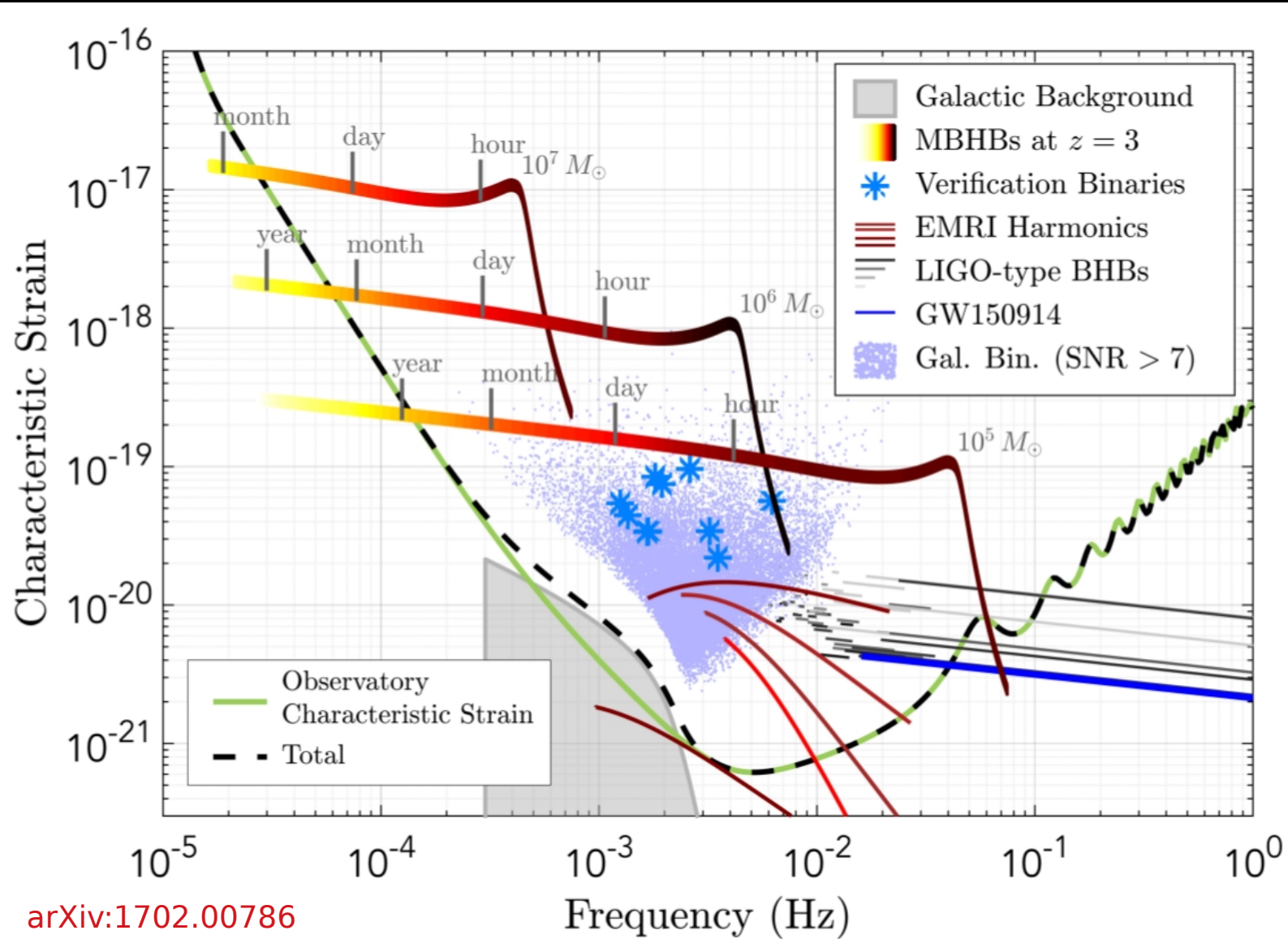
- **Overview**
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- **Conclusion**

Overview of LISA

- Laser interferometer space antenna (LISA).
 - Detecting Gravitational Waves (GWs) from space
 - Use the laser links to measure the deformation of spacetime



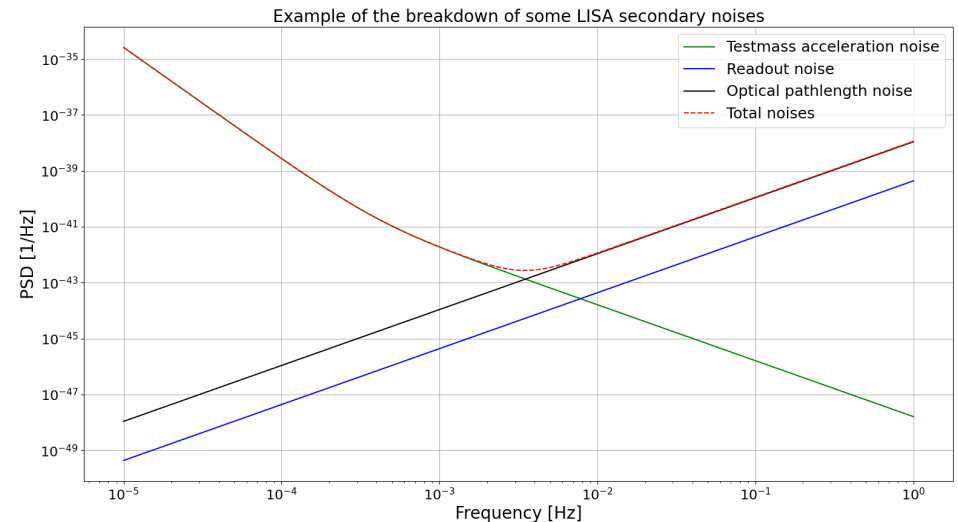
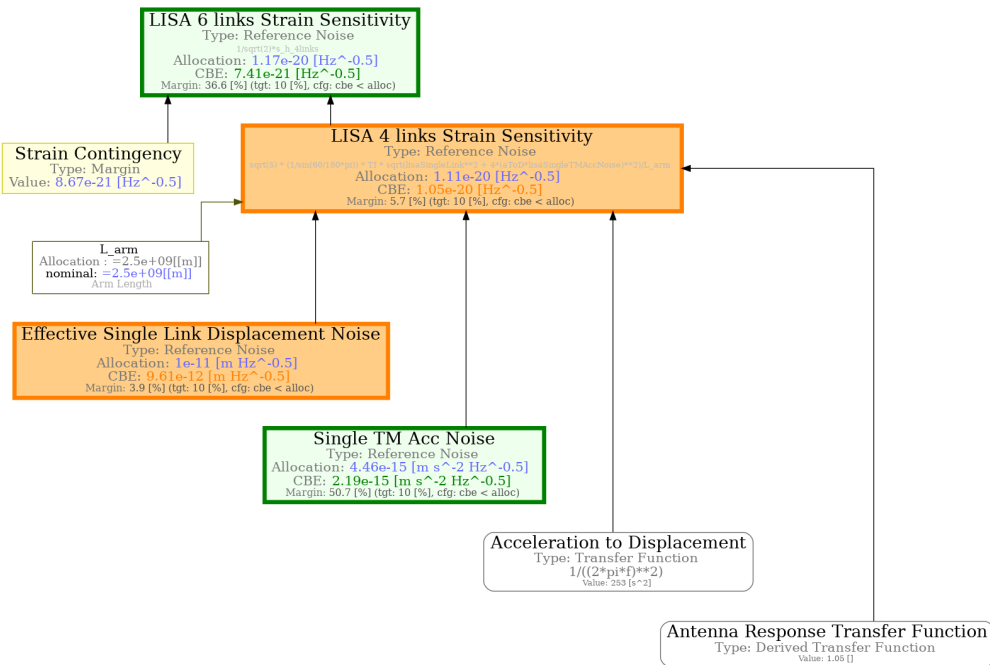
Overview of LISA



LISA Performance model

- A frequency domain model of the instrument going from strain sensitivity to sub-system noises, which are built as the noise budget
- to parameterize all the noise contributors to the top-level strain sensitivity
- to study the performance trade-offs for the instrument design.

Parameters: nominal Noises: nominal Transfer Functions: nominal
Evaluated at $f = 0.01$ Hz



Goals, objectives and working team

- To study the performance of LISA instrument:
 - model the top-level noises that blur the GW signals
 - examine their propagation through Time-Delay Interferometry (TDI) algorithm, the aiming is to have the **transfer function matrix** of the TDI channels
- Focus on the **non-suppressed noises**, e.g. testmass acceleration, backlink, readout, optical pathlength noises.
- Investigate the impact of laser locking and noise correlation (WIP) to the transfer function
- This study has been working in collaboration with LDPG-WG6 Initial Noise Reduction Pipeline (INREP), LIG, Performance WG and Simulation WG.

Beam model

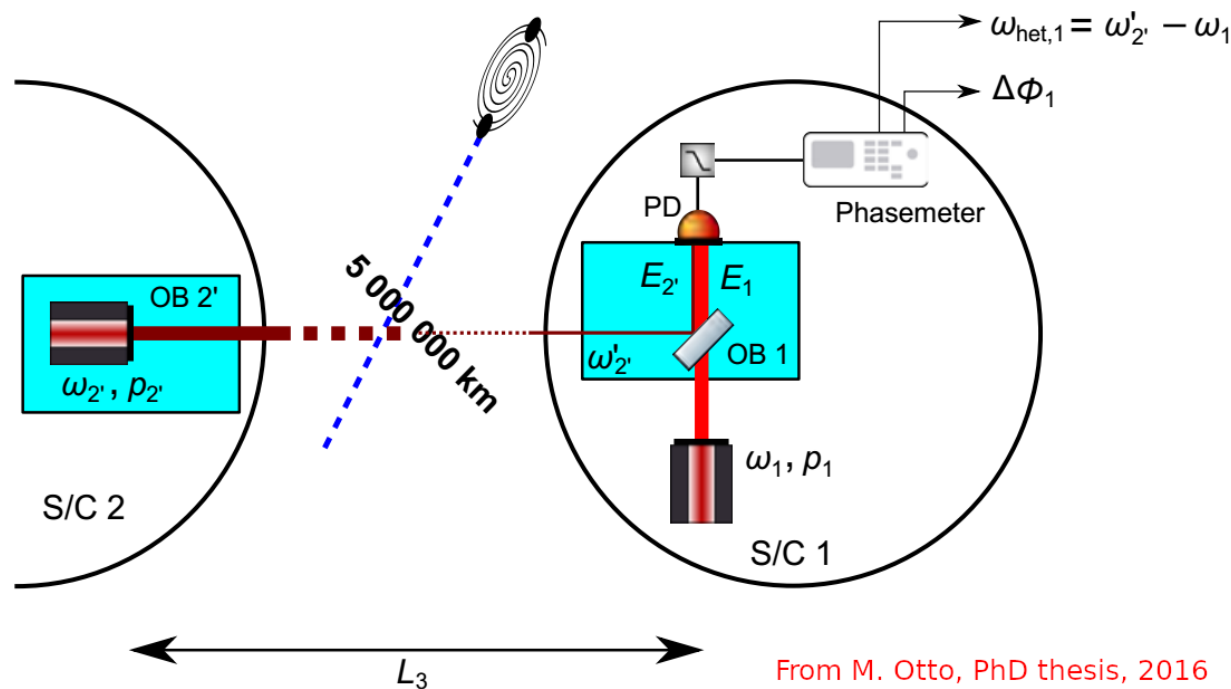
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$$\begin{aligned}
 b_{sc,2' \rightarrow 1} &= \mathbf{D}_3 \left[p_{2'} + N_{TX,2'}^{\text{op}} - k_{2'} \hat{\mathbf{n}}_3 \cdot \frac{[K \vec{\delta}_{2'} + \vec{\Delta}_{2'}]}{1 + K} + \frac{K}{1 + K} N_{2'}^{\text{sens}} \right] \\
 &\quad + ds_3 + gw_3 - k_{2'} \hat{\mathbf{n}}_{3'} \cdot \frac{[K \vec{\delta}_1 + \vec{\Delta}_1]}{1 + K} + \frac{K}{1 + K} N_1^{\text{sens}} + N_{RX,1}^{\text{op}} \\
 b_{TM,1' \rightarrow 1} &= p_{1'} + \mu_{1' \rightarrow 1} + N_{TM,1}^{\text{op}} \\
 b_{ref,1' \rightarrow 1} &= p_{1'} + \mu_{1' \rightarrow 1} + N_{ref,1}^{\text{op}} \\
 b_{sc,1 \rightarrow 1} &= p_1 + N_{loc \rightarrow sc,1}^{\text{op}} \\
 b_{TM,1 \rightarrow 1} &= p_1 + 2k_1 \hat{\mathbf{n}}_{3'} \cdot \frac{(\vec{\Delta}_1 - \vec{\delta}_1)}{1 + K} + N_{loc \rightarrow TM,1}^{\text{op}} \\
 b_{ref,1 \rightarrow 1} &= p_1 + N_{loc \rightarrow ref,1}^{\text{op}}
 \end{aligned}$$

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$$b_{sc,2' \rightarrow 1} = \mathbf{D}_3 \left[p_{2'} + N_{TX,2'}^{\text{op}} - k_{2'} \right. \\ \left. + ds_3 + gw_3 - k_{2'} \hat{\mathbf{n}}_{3'} \right]$$

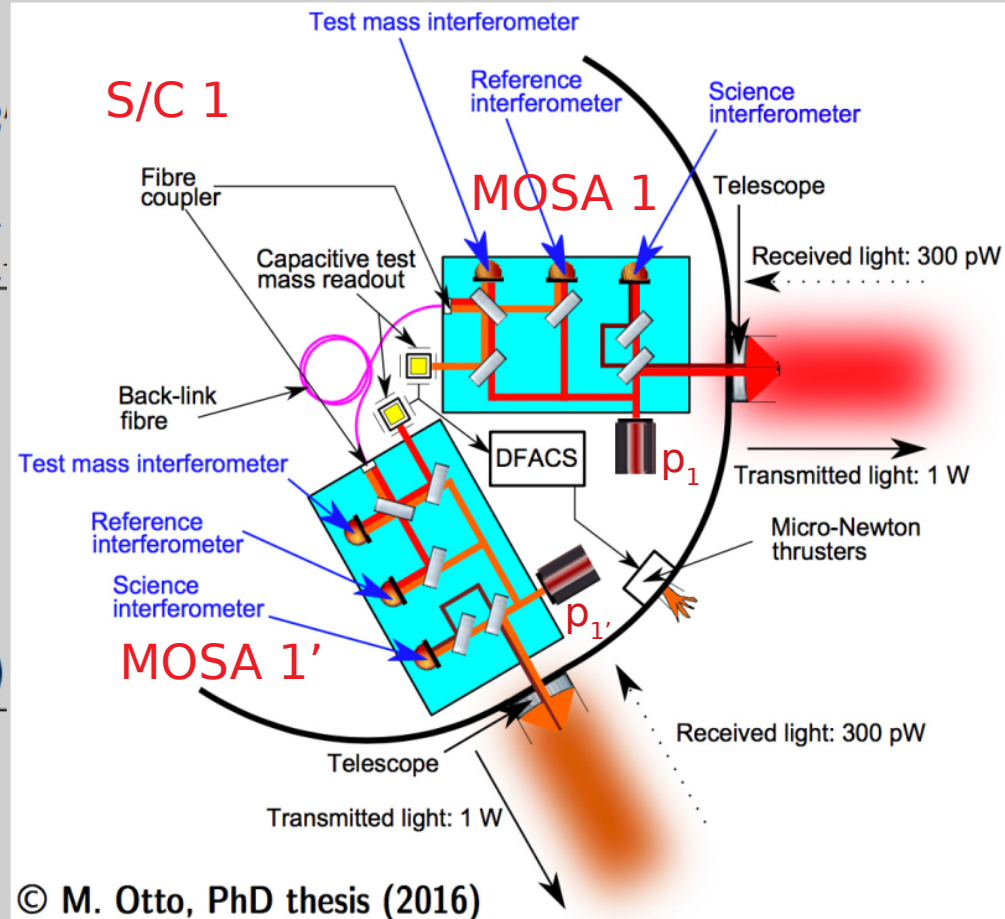
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Beam model

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$$b_{sc,2' \rightarrow 1} = \mathbf{D}_3 \left[p_{2'} + N_{TX,2'}^{\text{op}} - k_{2'} \hat{\mathbf{n}}_{3'} \cdot \mathbf{d} s_3 + g w_3 - k_{2'} \hat{\mathbf{n}}_{3'} \cdot \mathbf{g} w_3 \right]$$

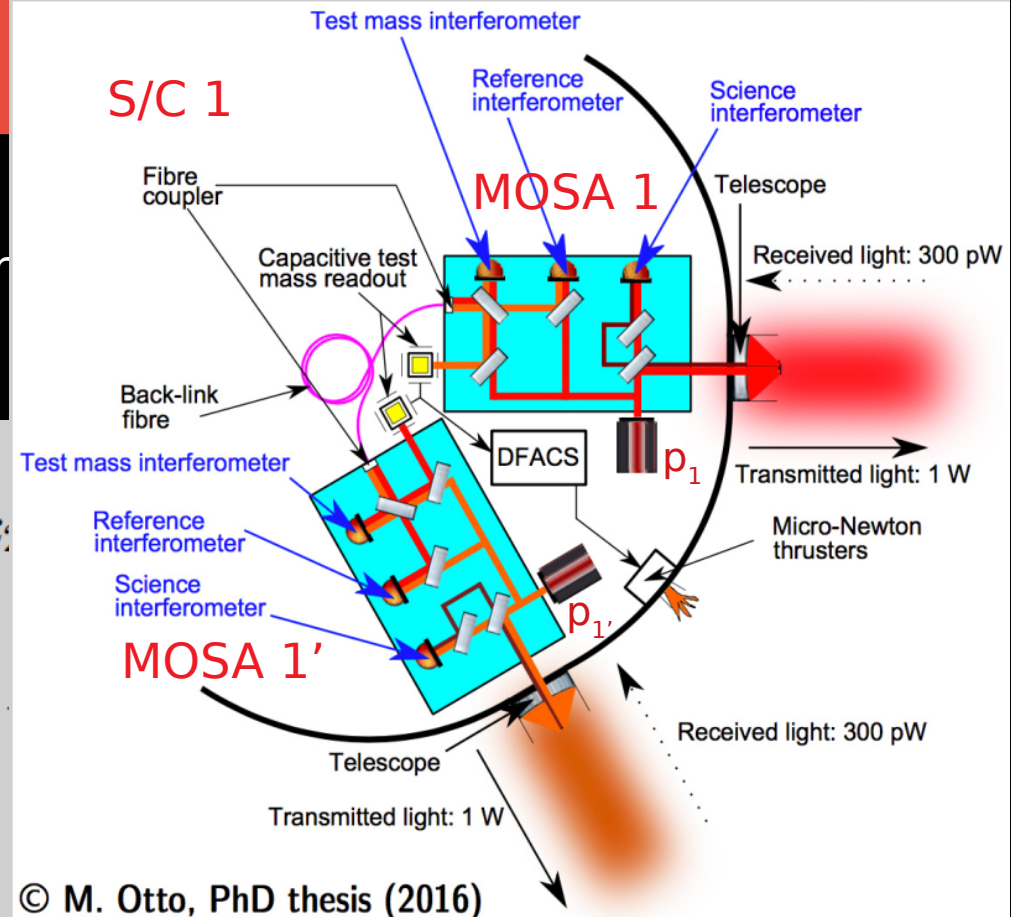
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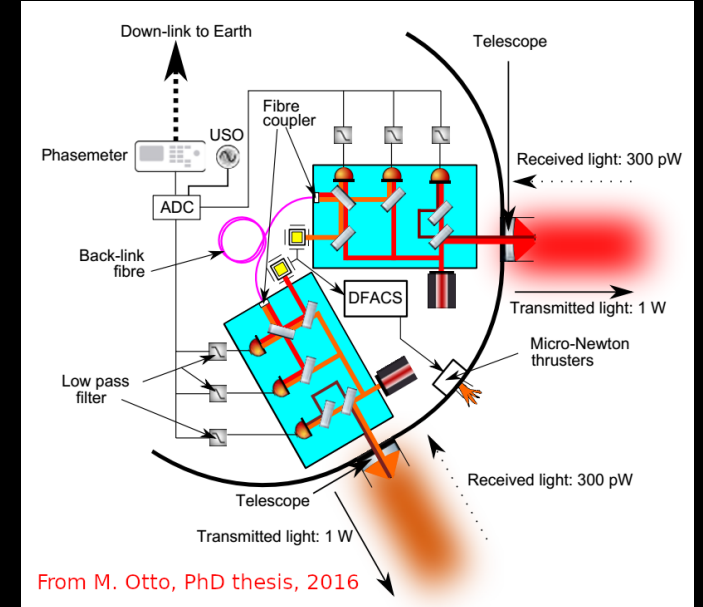
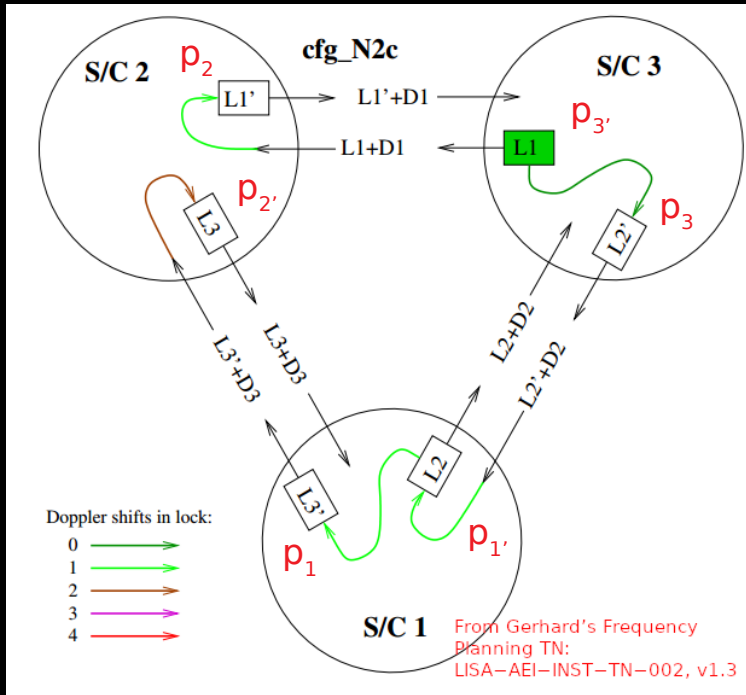


IFO measurements and laser locking

- IFO signal measurements are obtained from the interference of the beams

$$\begin{aligned} s_1^c &= \mathcal{F} \left[\theta_1^{2'} (b_{sc,2' \rightarrow 1} - b_{sc,1 \rightarrow 1}) + N_{sc,1}^{ro} \right] \\ \epsilon_1 &= \mathcal{F} \left[\theta_1^{1'} (b_{TM,1' \rightarrow 1} - b_{TM,1 \rightarrow 1}) + N_{\epsilon,1}^{ro} \right] \\ \tau_1 &= \mathcal{F} \left[\theta_1^{1'} (b_{ref,1' \rightarrow 1} - b_{ref,1 \rightarrow 1}) + N_{\tau,1}^{ro} \right] \end{aligned}$$

- For the locking scheme cfg_N2c,



$$\begin{aligned} p_2 &= \theta_2^{3'} (N_{s,2}^{ro} - os_{3' \rightarrow 2}) + b_{sc,3' \rightarrow 2} - N_{loc \rightarrow sc,2}^{op} \\ p_3 &= \theta_3^{3'} (N_{\tau,3}^{ro} - os_{3' \rightarrow 3}) + b_{ref,3' \rightarrow 3} - N_{loc \rightarrow ref,3}^{op} \\ p_{1'} &= \theta_{1'}^3 (N_{s,1'}^{ro} - os_{3 \rightarrow 1'}) + b_{sc,3 \rightarrow 1'} - N_{loc \rightarrow sc,1'}^{op} \\ p_1 &= \theta_1^{1'} (N_{\tau,1}^{ro} - os_{1' \rightarrow 1}) + b_{ref,1' \rightarrow 1} - N_{loc \rightarrow ref,1}^{op} \\ p_{2'} &= \theta_{2'}^1 (N_{s,2'}^{ro} - os_{1 \rightarrow 2'}) + b_{sc,1 \rightarrow 2'} - N_{loc \rightarrow sc,2'}^{op} \end{aligned}$$

Introduction to TDI

- The **laser frequency noise** comes from the **unequal armlengths** in the Michelson interferometry.
- This is the most dominant noise source in LISA case, about **8 orders of magnitude** to the strain sensitivity spectral density at ~ 30 mHz

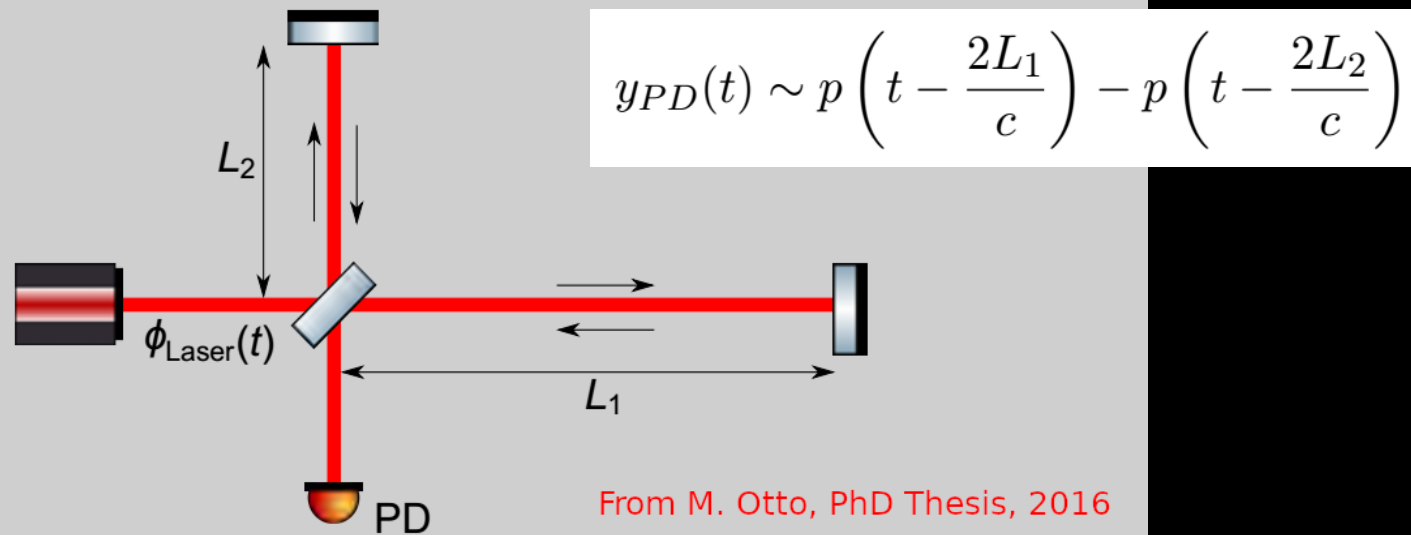


Figure 3.1: An unequal arm Michelson interferometer with armlengths L_1 and L_2 and physical roundtrip times $\frac{2L_1}{c}$ and $\frac{2L_2}{c}$. The laser comprises light with phase $\phi_{Laser}(t) = \omega t + p(t)$ propagated through the unequal arms. The PD at the output port detects the differential phase of the two light rays.

Introduction to TDI

- A **post-processing** algorithm to **suppress the dominant laser frequency noise** to be below the noise requirement, but still **preserves the gravitational wave signals**.
- In the case of LISA, GW signal is contained in the long-arm (science) signals. They represent 6 one-way link measurements, between one local and one remote laser beam.

$$\begin{aligned} s_1 &= \mathbf{D}_3 p_2 - p_1, & s_{1'} &= \mathbf{D}_{2'} p_3 - p_1, \\ s_2 &= \mathbf{D}_1 p_3 - p_2, & s_{2'} &= \mathbf{D}_{3'} p_1 - p_2, \\ s_3 &= \mathbf{D}_2 p_1 - p_3, & s_{3'} &= \mathbf{D}_{1'} p_2 - p_3. \end{aligned}$$

$$\mathcal{F}\{s_i, \mathbf{D}_i\} = \sum_k \mathcal{P}_k\{\mathbf{D}_i\} p_k = 0$$

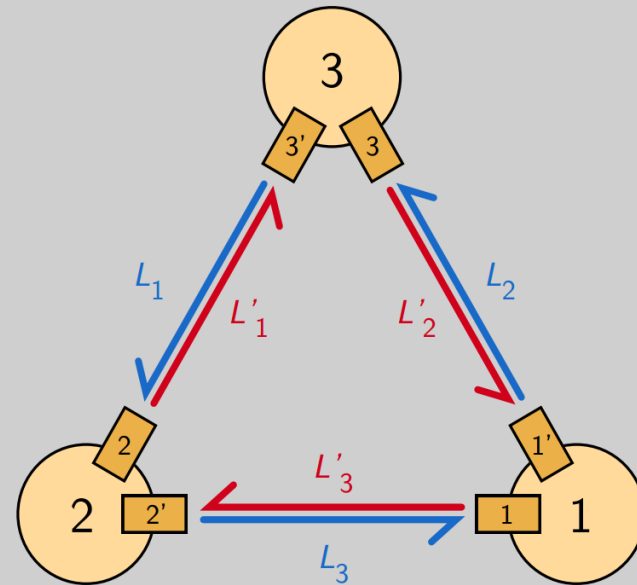
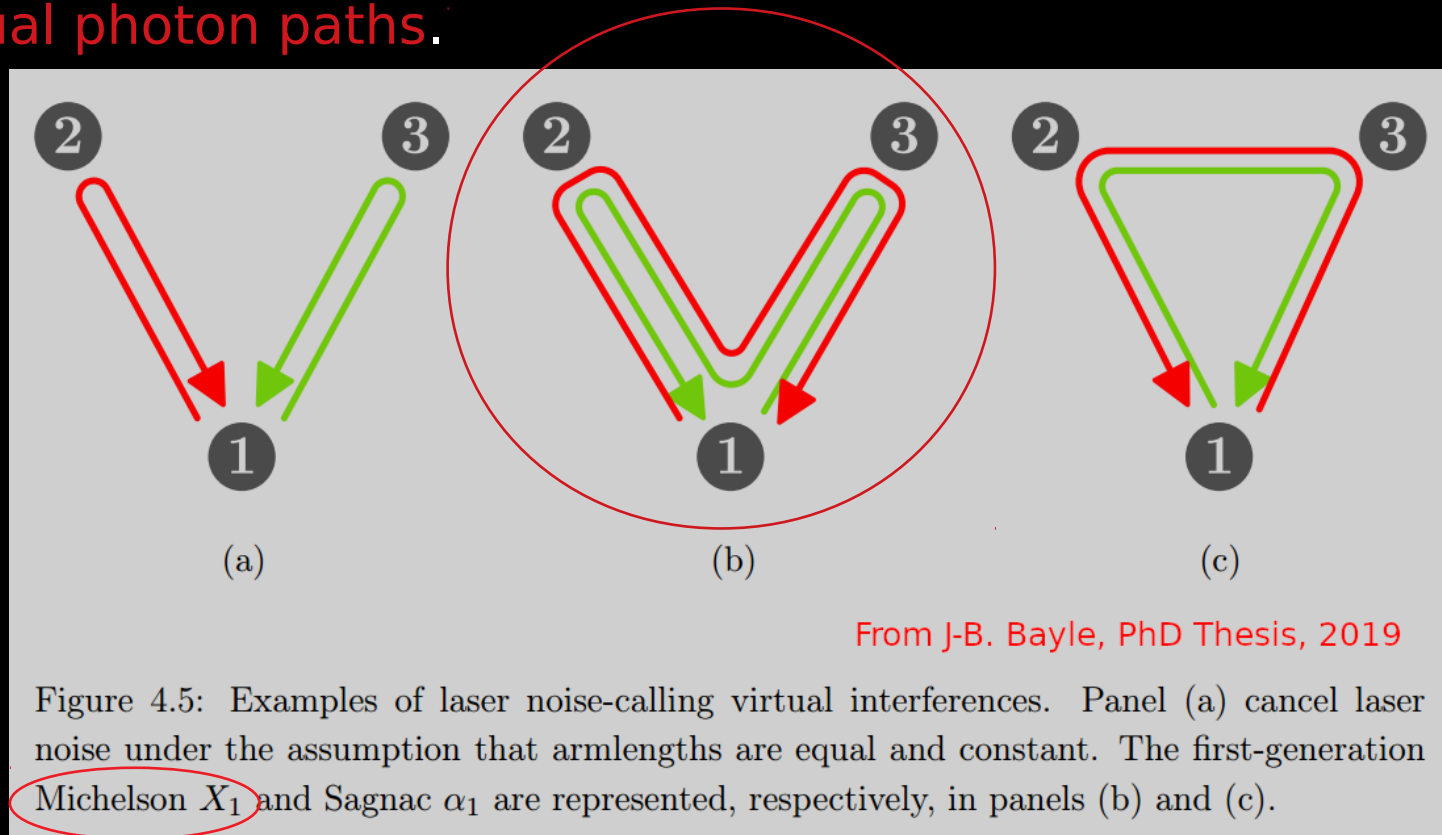


Figure 3.4: Conventions for labeling spacecraft, MOSAs, lasers, optical benches and arm-lengths. Primed indices are used for arms pointing clockwise, and for MOSAs and optical benches receiving light clockwise. From J-B. Bayle, PhD thesis, 2019

Introduction to TDI

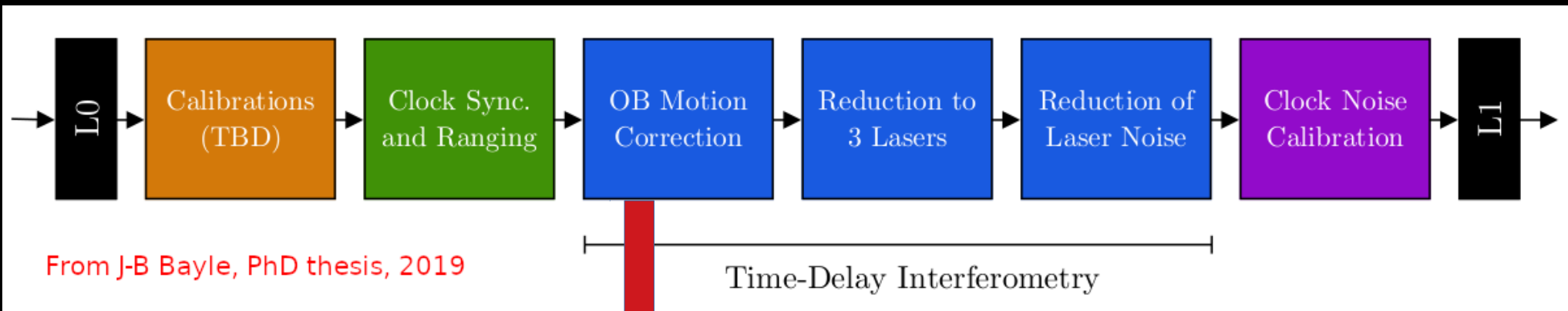
- The basic idea of Time Delay Interferometry: combine the one-way link measurements with suitable time shift (delay) to have a **pair of equal virtual photon paths**.



- Depend on the constellation configuration => generations of TDI.

TDI formulation

- Calibration chain involving TDI steps

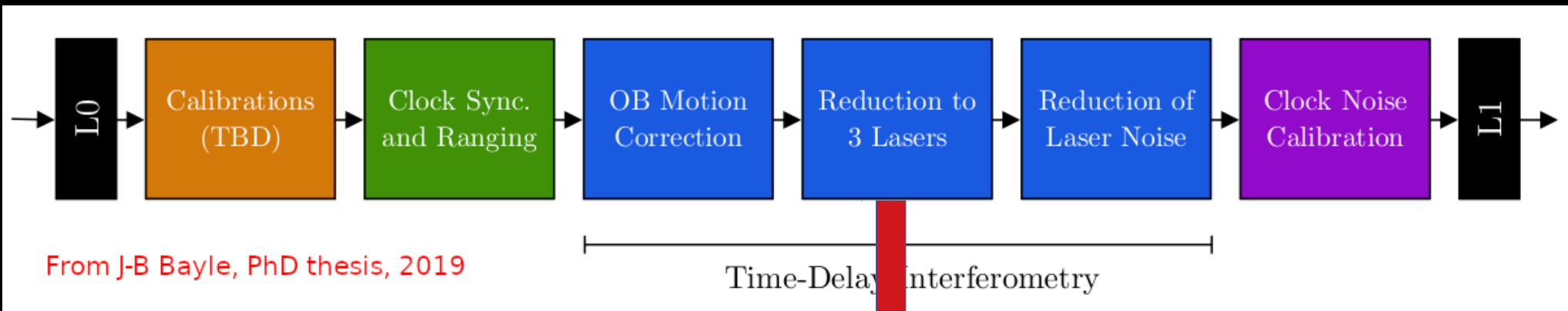


$$\xi_1 = s_1^c - \theta_1^{2'} \theta_1^{1'} \frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_{2'}} \frac{\epsilon_1(t) - \tau_1(t)}{2} - \theta_1^{2'} \theta_2^{2'} \frac{\mathcal{D}_3 [\epsilon_2(t) - \tau_2(t)]}{2}$$

$$\xi_{1'} = s_{1'}^c - \theta_1^3 \theta_{1'}^1 \frac{\lambda_{1'}}{\lambda_3} \frac{\epsilon_{1'}(t) - \tau_{1'}(t)}{2} - \theta_1^3 \theta_3^{3'} \frac{\mathcal{D}_{2'} [\epsilon_3(t) - \tau_3(t)]}{2}$$

TDI formulation

- Calibration chain involving TDI steps

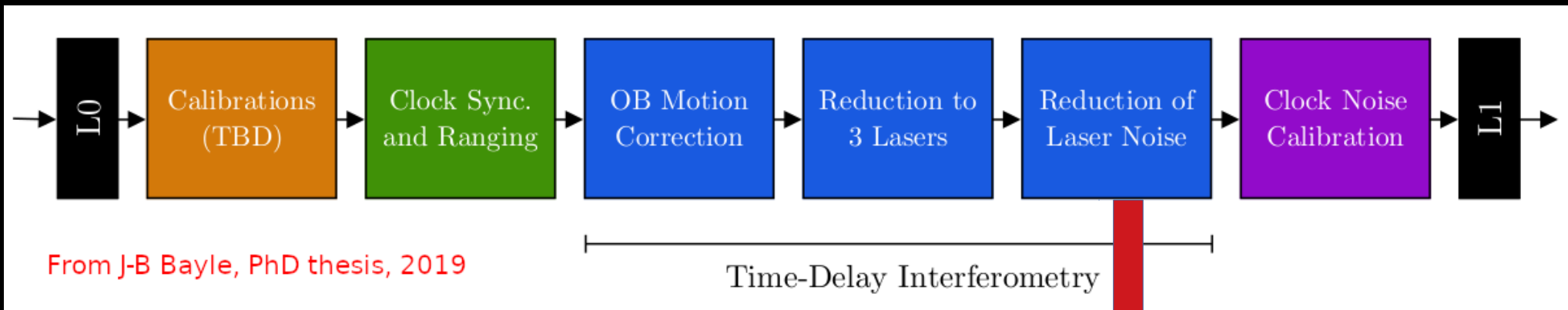


$$\eta_1(t) = \theta_1^{2'} \xi_1(t) + \frac{\theta_2^2 \mathcal{D}_3 \tau_2'(t) - \theta_2^{2'} \mathcal{D}_3 \tau_2(t)}{2}$$

$$\eta_{1'}(t) = \theta_1^3 \xi_{1'}(t) - \frac{\theta_1^1 \tau_{1'}(t) - \theta_1^{1'} \tau_1(t)}{2}$$

TDI formulation

- Calibration chain involving TDI steps



$$X_{1.5} = (1 - \mathcal{D}_{33'}) (\eta_{1'} + \mathcal{D}_{2'} \eta_3) - (1 - \mathcal{D}_{2'2}) (\eta_1 + \mathcal{D}_3 \eta_{2'}) .$$

$$X_{2.0} = (1 - \mathcal{D}_{33'2'2}) [(\eta_{1'} + \mathcal{D}_{2'} \eta_3) + \mathcal{D}_{2'2} (\eta_1 + \mathcal{D}_3 \eta_{2'})] \\ - (1 - \mathcal{D}_{22'3'3}) [(\eta_1 + \mathcal{D}_3 \eta_{2'}) + \mathcal{D}_{33'} (\eta_{1'} + \mathcal{D}_{2'} \eta_3)] .$$

- **Attention:** there are many possible TDI combination!

Assumptions and approximations

- The main assumption in first part of the study: **all the noises are uncorrelated**.
- Another assumption is due to the fact that all non-suppressed noises are **secondary noises**, so we could **neglect the varying arm-lengths** affect → approx. A1 . Consequently,

$$X_{2.0} \approx (1 - \mathcal{D}_{2'233'}) X_{1.5}$$

- Some approximations we may use to simplify the results:
 - + all **arm-lengths are equal** → approx. A2
 - + all noises of the same type have the **same input PSD** → approx. A3
 - + all **nominal laser frequencies are equal**, so are their wave-lengths → approx. A4
- All signals are in units of **fractional frequency deviation**.

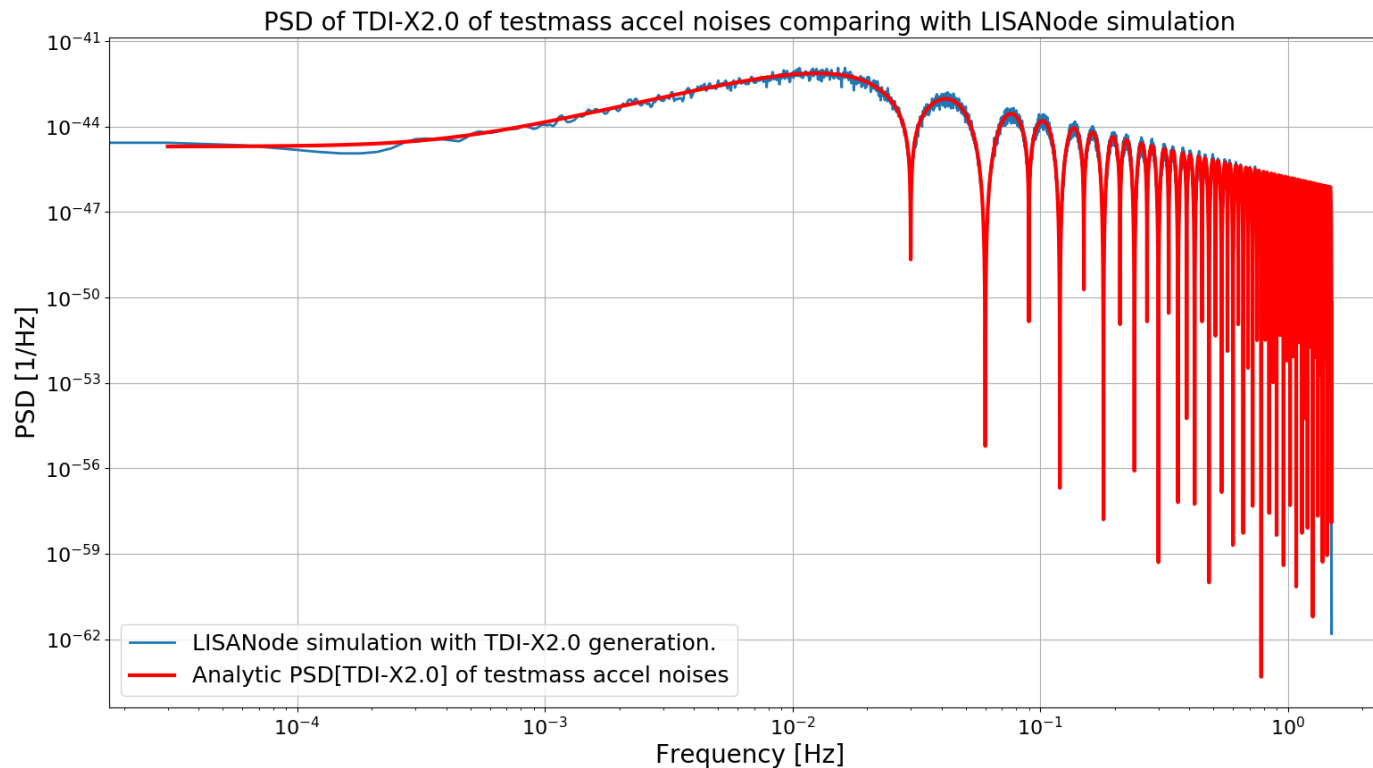
Some highlights of the result

- The demonstration of the computation procedure and the result of transfer function for non-suppressed noises are presented in the backups
- **Laser locking has no significant impact** to the propagation of non-suppressed noises if we assume that the arm-lengths are constant and the nominal laser frequencies are equal.
- With all previous approximations, **only PSD TDI-XX and CSD-XY** are needed to calculate to build the transfer function matrix
- Comparison between analytic PSD of some noises and the simulated data (using LISANode simulator): **good match**.

Result for TM acceleration noise

$$\begin{aligned} PSD \left[X_{1.5}^{TM_{accel}} \right] &= \frac{16}{c^2} \sin^2(\omega L) [3 + \cos(2\omega L)] S_\delta \\ PSD \left[X_{2.0}^{TM_{accel}} \right] &= \frac{64}{c^2} \sin^2(\omega L) \sin^2(2\omega L) [3 + \cos(2\omega L)] S_\delta \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} CSD \left[XY_{1.5}^{TM_{accel}} \right] &= -\frac{16}{c^2} \sin(\omega L) \sin(2\omega L) S_\delta \\ CSD \left[XY_{2.0}^{TM_{accel}} \right] &= -\frac{64}{c^2} \sin(\omega L) \sin^3(2\omega L) S_\delta \end{aligned}$$



Conclusion

- In summary,
 - **LISA** is prospective GWs detector to “hear” the Universe.
 - **TDI algorithm** is necessary to suppress laser noise and other noises.
 - The **computation of transfer function of non-suppressed noises through TDI** algorithm with 1.5 and 2.0 generations has been presented and could be used widely for other noises.
 - **No impact of laser locking** to the propagation of **non-suppressed noises**, in the limitations of fixing arm-lengths and equal nominal laser frequencies.
 - The analytic PSDs of some noises are **matched** with the data simulation.
 - For the next steps,
 - Consider the **noise correlation** in the study (WIP)
 - Examine the **propagation of the suppressed noises** (laser, clock, S/C jitter noises) with/without laser locking (partly done by Olaf Hartwig et al.)
 - The **DFACs control loop** should be studied and implemented more precise with the help from LISA Dynamics team (with Henri Inchaupsé and other colleagues)
- => Our results will be used by ESA and its prime companies to flow down the requirements from science to instrument subsystem.

A satellite with a large, rectangular solar panel is shown in space. The solar panel is blue with a grid of cells and has a yellow border. A red laser beam originates from the satellite and points towards a distant, glowing blue and white object in the background. The background is a deep blue space filled with stars and nebulae.

Thank you for your attention!

Backups

Strategy of the study

Analytic study

- Use beam model w/wo laser locking scheme to construct IFO measurements
- Propagate IFO signals through TDI formulation
- Compute the spectral density of the noises in TDI variables: PSD and CSD

Simulation study

- Implement non-suppressed noises in LISANode
- Run the LISANode for each noise to get TDI variables
- Compare the PSDs of TDI variables between analytic function and simulation
→ validate the analytic results

Mathematica

- for supporting and double-checking the analytic results
- structure the study to be reproducible

Transfer function matrix of non-suppressed noises through TDI

Procedure for computing transfer function

- If considering laser locking, substitute the laser noises from the locking scheme into the beam model.
- Ignore all the noises in the beams except the one that is considered
- Compute the intermediary variables
- Compute the TDI Michelson combination, write them in the product of nested delay operator applied to each noise
- Compute the PSD/CSD of each term individually
 - use approx. A1 \rightarrow commute delay operators
 - Fourier transform of nested delay operators
 - some patterns to look up
- Sum up components
- Use some assumptions/approximations to get simplified results

Propagation of tess-mass acceleration noise (1): IFO signals

- For simple demonstration, we ignore the laser locking scheme. One interested the computation with laser locking could refer to the LDPG-WG6 INREP technical note.
- Neglect all other noises except TM acceleration noise in beam formulas, and consider only the projection of TM displacement on the sensitive axis,

$$\delta_i = \vec{\delta}_i \cdot \vec{n}_{(i+2)'} \text{ and } \delta_{i'} = -\vec{\delta}_{i'} \cdot \vec{n}_{i+1}$$

- The formulation of the IFO signals measurement:

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} s_1^c = \theta_1^{2'} k_{2'} \frac{K(\mathbf{D}_3 \delta_{2'} - \delta_1)}{1 + K} \\ \tau_1 = 0 \\ \epsilon_1 = 2\theta_1^{1'} k_1 \frac{\delta_1}{1 + K} \end{array} \right. \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} s_{1'}^c = -\theta_1^3 k_3 \frac{K(\mathbf{D}_{2'} \delta_3 - \delta_{1'})}{1 + K} \\ \tau_{1'} = 0 \\ \epsilon_{1'} = -2\theta_1^{1'} k_{1'} \frac{\delta_{1'}}{1 + K} \end{array} \right.$$

- Neglect the ranging error, so the TDI delay operator is perfectly the same with the propagation delay operator $\mathbf{D}_i \approx \mathcal{D}_i$

- Work in units of fractional frequency deviation, so $k_i = \frac{1}{c}$

Propagation of tess-mass acceleration noise (2): Intermediary variables

- The next step is to compute the intermediary variables, for the S/C jitter removal and the reduction of free-running laser number.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \xi_1 &= s_1^c - \theta_1^{2'} \theta_1^{1'} \frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_{2'}} \frac{\epsilon_1(t) - \tau_1(t)}{2} - \theta_1^{2'} \theta_2^{2'} \frac{\mathcal{D}_3 \epsilon_{2'}(t) - \mathcal{D}_3 \tau_{2'}(t)}{2} \\
 &= \frac{1}{c} \theta_1^{2'} \left(\mathcal{D}_3 \delta_{2'} - \frac{K + \frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_{2'}}}{K + 1} \delta_1 \right) \\
 \xi_{1'} &= s_{1'}^c - \theta_{1'}^3 \theta_{1'}^1 \frac{\lambda_{1'}}{\lambda_3} \frac{\epsilon_{1'}(t) - \tau_{1'}(t)}{2} - \theta_{1'}^3 \theta_3^{3'} \frac{\mathcal{D}_{2'} [\epsilon_3(t) - \tau_3(t)]}{2} \\
 &= -\frac{1}{c} \theta_{1'}^3 \left(\mathcal{D}_{2'} \delta_3 - \frac{K + \frac{\lambda_{1'}}{\lambda_3}}{K + 1} \delta_{1'} \right)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \eta_1 &= \theta_1^{2'} \xi_1(t) + \frac{\theta_2^{2'} \mathcal{D}_3 \tau_{2'}(t) - \theta_2^{2'} \mathcal{D}_3 \tau_2(t)}{2} \\
 &= \frac{1}{c} \left(\mathcal{D}_3 \delta_{2'} - \frac{K + \frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_{2'}}}{K + 1} \delta_1 \right) \\
 \eta_{1'} &= \theta_{1'}^3 \xi_{1'}(t) - \frac{\theta_1^{1'} \tau_{1'}(t) - \theta_1^{1'} \tau_1(t)}{2} \\
 &= -\frac{1}{c} \left(\mathcal{D}_{2'} \delta_3 - \frac{K + \frac{\lambda_{1'}}{\lambda_3}}{K + 1} \delta_{1'} \right)
 \end{aligned}$$

Propagation of tess-mass acceleration noise (3): TDI formulation

- With the fixing arm-lengths (approx. A1), the TDI-X in both generations are

$$X_{1.5}^{TM_{accl}} = \frac{1}{c} \left[(1 - \mathcal{D}_{2'2}) \left(\frac{K + \frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_{2'}}}{K + 1} + \mathcal{D}_{33'} \right) \delta_1 + (1 - \mathcal{D}_{33'}) \left(\frac{K + \frac{\lambda_{1'}}{\lambda_3}}{K + 1} + \mathcal{D}_{2'2} \right) \delta_{1'} \right. \\ \left. - \left(1 + \frac{K + \frac{\lambda_{2'}}{\lambda_1}}{K + 1} \right) (1 - \mathcal{D}_{2'2}) \mathcal{D}_3 \delta_{2'} - \left(1 + \frac{K + \frac{\lambda_3}{\lambda_{1'}}}{K + 1} \right) (1 - \mathcal{D}_{33'}) \mathcal{D}_{2'} \delta_3 \right].$$

$$X_{2.0} \approx (1 - \mathcal{D}_{2'233'}) X_{1.5}$$

- The TDI-Y 1.5 and 2.0 are deduced from the TDI-X by indices permutation

$$Y_{1.5}^{TM_{accl}} = \frac{1}{c} \left[(1 - \mathcal{D}_{3'3}) \left(\frac{K + \frac{\lambda_2}{\lambda_{3'}}}{K + 1} + \mathcal{D}_{11'} \right) \delta_2 + (1 - \mathcal{D}_{11'}) \left(\frac{K + \frac{\lambda_{2'}}{\lambda_1}}{K + 1} + \mathcal{D}_{3'3} \right) \delta_{2'} \right. \\ \left. - \left(1 + \frac{K + \frac{\lambda_{3'}}{\lambda_2}}{K + 1} \right) (1 - \mathcal{D}_{3'3}) \mathcal{D}_1 \delta_{3'} - \left(1 + \frac{K + \frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_{2'}}}{K + 1} \right) (1 - \mathcal{D}_{11'}) \mathcal{D}_{3'} \delta_1 \right].$$

$$Y_{2.0} \approx (1 - \mathcal{D}_{3'311'}) Y_{1.5}$$

Propagation of tess-mass acceleration noise (4): Some patterns for PSD/CSD computation

- to be more generalized, we don't present the specific PSD and CSD computation of the TM accel noise here, but show some patterns that one could use for deriving PSD and CSD. The other patterns exist in the PSD and CSD could be computed as the same process as following

$$\begin{aligned}
 PSD [\pm (1 - \mathcal{D}_{ii'}) x(t)] (\omega) &= \left\langle [(1 - \widetilde{\mathcal{D}_{ii'}}) x(t)](\omega) \times [(1 - \widetilde{\mathcal{D}_{ii'}}) x(t)]^* (\omega) \right\rangle \\
 &= \left\langle \left(1 - e^{-j\omega(L_i + L_{i'})}\right) \left(1 - e^{j\omega(L_i + L_{i'})}\right) \tilde{x}(\omega) \tilde{x}^*(\omega) \right\rangle \\
 &= \left\langle \left(2 - e^{-j\omega(L_i + L_{i'})} - e^{j\omega(L_i + L_{i'})}\right) \tilde{x}(\omega) \tilde{x}^*(\omega) \right\rangle \\
 &= 2 (1 - \cos [\omega(L_i + L_{i'})]) \langle \tilde{x}(\omega) \tilde{x}^*(\omega) \rangle \\
 &= 4 \sin^2 (\omega \bar{L}_i) S_x,
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 PSD[(a \pm b\mathcal{D}_{ii'})x(t)] &= \left\langle \left(a \pm be^{-j\omega(L_i + L_{i'})}\right) \left(a \pm be^{j\omega(L_i + L_{i'})}\right) \tilde{x}(\omega) \tilde{x}^*(\omega) \right\rangle \\
 &= [a^2 + b^2 \pm 2ab \cos \omega(L_i + L_{i'})] S_x
 \end{aligned}$$

Propagation of tess-mass acceleration noise (4): Some patterns for PSD/CSD computation

$$\begin{aligned}
 PSD [\pm (1 + \mathcal{D}_{ii'}) (1 - \mathcal{D}_{kk'}) x(t)] (\omega) &= \left\langle \left(1 + e^{-j\omega(L_i + L_{i'})}\right) \left(1 + e^{j\omega(L_i + L_{i'})}\right) \right. \\
 &\quad \times \left. \left(1 - e^{-j\omega(L_k + L_{k'})}\right) \left(1 - e^{j\omega(L_k + L_{k'})}\right) \tilde{x}(\omega) \tilde{x}^*(\omega) \right\rangle \\
 &= 2 (1 + \cos [\omega(L_i + L_{i'})]) \\
 &\quad \times 2 (1 - \cos [\omega(L_k + L_{k'})]) \langle \tilde{x}(\omega) \tilde{x}^*(\omega) \rangle \\
 &= 16 \cos^2 \left(\omega \frac{L_i + L_{i'}}{2} \right) \sin^2 \left(\omega \frac{L_k + L_{k'}}{2} \right) S_x, \quad (85)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 CSD [XY] &= \left\langle [(a + \widetilde{b\mathcal{D}_{ii'}}) x(t)](\omega) \times [(1 - \mathcal{D}_{jj'}) \widetilde{\mathcal{D}_{j_1 j_2 \dots j_n}} x(t)]^*(\omega) \right\rangle \\
 &= \left\langle \left(a + b e^{-j\omega(L_i + L_{i'})}\right) \left(1 - e^{j\omega(L_j + L_{j'})}\right) e^{j\omega(L_{j_1} + L_{j_2} + \dots + L_{j_n})} \tilde{x}(\omega) \tilde{x}^*(\omega) \right\rangle \\
 &= e^{j\omega(L_{j_1} + L_{j_2} + \dots + L_{j_n} - \bar{L}_i + \bar{L}_j)} \left(a e^{j\omega \bar{L}_i} + b e^{-j\omega \bar{L}_i} \right) \left(e^{-j\omega \bar{L}_j} - e^{j\omega \bar{L}_j} \right) \langle \tilde{x}(\omega) \tilde{x}^*(\omega) \rangle \\
 &= -2j \sin(\omega \bar{L}_j) e^{j\omega(L_{j_1} + L_{j_2} + \dots + L_{j_n} - \bar{L}_i + \bar{L}_j)} \left(a e^{j\omega \bar{L}_i} + b e^{-j\omega \bar{L}_i} \right) S_x \quad (90)
 \end{aligned}$$

Propagation of tess-mass acceleration noise (5): PSD of TDI-XX

Use previous patterns, we could compute the PSD/CSD for each of noise terms. Then we sum up to get the final result

$$\begin{aligned}
 PSD \left[X_{1.5}^{TM_{accel}} \right] = & \frac{4}{c^2} \sin^2 \frac{\omega(L_2 + L_{2'})}{2} \left\{ \left(1 + \frac{K + \frac{\lambda_{2'}}{\lambda_1}}{K + 1} \right)^2 S_{\delta_{2'}} \right. \\
 & + \left[\left(\frac{K + \frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_{2'}}}{K + 1} \right)^2 + 1 + 2 \frac{K + \frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_{2'}}}{K + 1} \cos \omega(L_3 + L_{3'}) \right] S_{\delta_1} \left. \right\} \\
 & + \frac{4}{c^2} \sin^2 \frac{\omega(L_3 + L_{3'})}{2} \left\{ \left(1 + \frac{K + \frac{\lambda_3}{\lambda_{1'}}}{K + 1} \right)^2 S_{\delta_3} \right. \\
 & + \left[\left(\frac{K + \frac{\lambda_{1'}}{\lambda_3}}{K + 1} \right)^2 + 1 + 2 \frac{K + \frac{\lambda_{1'}}{\lambda_3}}{K + 1} \cos \omega(L_2 + L_{2'}) \right] S_{\delta_{1'}} \left. \right\}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$PSD[X_{2.0}] \approx 4 \sin^2 \frac{\omega(L_{2'} + L_2 + L_3 + L_{3'})}{2} PSD[X_{1.5}]$$

Propagation of tess-mass acceleration noise (6): CSD of TDI-XY

$$\begin{aligned}
 CSD \left[XY_{1.5}^{TM_{accel}} \right] = & -\frac{4}{c^2} \sin \frac{\omega(L_1 + L_{1'})}{2} \sin \frac{\omega(L_2 + L_{2'})}{2} e^{\frac{j\omega(L_1 + L_{1'} - L_2 - L_{2'} - L_3 + L_{3'})}{2}} \left(1 + 2K + \frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_{2'}} \right) \\
 & \times \left[\left(1 + 2K + \frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_{2'}} \right) \cos \frac{\omega(L_3 + L_{3'})}{2} + j \left(\frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_{2'}} - 1 \right) \sin \frac{\omega(L_3 + L_{3'})}{2} \right] S_{\delta_1} \\
 & -\frac{4}{c^2} \sin \frac{\omega(L_1 + L_{1'})}{2} \sin \frac{\omega(L_2 + L_{2'})}{2} e^{\frac{j\omega(L_1 + L_{1'} - L_2 - L_{2'} - L_3 + L_{3'})}{2}} \left(1 + 2K + \frac{\lambda_{2'}}{\lambda_1} \right) \\
 & \times \left[\left(1 + 2K + \frac{\lambda_{2'}}{\lambda_1} \right) \cos \frac{\omega(L_3 + L_{3'})}{2} + j \left(1 - \frac{\lambda_{2'}}{\lambda_1} \right) \sin \frac{\omega(L_3 + L_{3'})}{2} \right] S_{\delta_{2'}}
 \end{aligned}$$

With the approximation of fixing arm-lengths, the CSD of TDI-XY 2.0 is related to the CSD of TDI-XY 1.5 via following formula

$$\begin{aligned}
 CSD[XY_{2.0}] \approx & CSD[XY_{1.5}] \\
 & \times \left[1 - e^{-j\omega(L_2 + L_{2'} + L_3 + L_{3'})} - e^{j\omega(L_3 + L_{3'} + L_1 + L_{1'})} + e^{j\omega(L_1 + L_{1'} - L_2 - L_{2'})} \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

Propagation of tess-mass acceleration noise (7): Simplified results

Use the approximations $S_{\delta_i} = S_{\delta_{i'}} = S_\delta$ $L_i = L_{i'} = L.$ $\lambda_i = \lambda.$

$$\begin{aligned} PSD \left[X_{1.5}^{TM_{accel}} \right] &= \frac{16}{c^2} \sin^2 (\omega L) [3 + \cos(2\omega L)] S_\delta \\ PSD \left[X_{2.0}^{TM_{accel}} \right] &= \frac{64}{c^2} \sin^2 (\omega L) \sin^2 (2\omega L) [3 + \cos(2\omega L)] S_\delta \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} CSD \left[XY_{1.5}^{TM_{accel}} \right] &= -\frac{16}{c^2} \sin (\omega L) \sin (2\omega L) S_\delta \\ CSD \left[XY_{2.0}^{TM_{accel}} \right] &= -\frac{64}{c^2} \sin (\omega L) \sin^3 (2\omega L) S_\delta \end{aligned}$$

Test-mass acceleration noise: PSD

$$\begin{aligned}
 PSD \left[X_{1.5}^{TM_{accel}} \right] = & \frac{4}{c^2} \sin^2 \frac{\omega(L_2 + L_{2'})}{2} \left\{ \left(1 + \frac{K + \frac{\lambda_{2'}}{\lambda_1}}{K + 1} \right)^2 S_{\delta_{2'}} \right. \\
 & + \left[\left(\frac{K + \frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_{2'}}}{K + 1} \right)^2 + 1 + 2 \frac{K + \frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_{2'}}}{K + 1} \cos \omega(L_3 + L_{3'}) \right] S_{\delta_1} \Bigg\} \\
 & + \frac{4}{c^2} \sin^2 \frac{\omega(L_3 + L_{3'})}{2} \left\{ \left(1 + \frac{K + \frac{\lambda_3}{\lambda_{1'}}}{K + 1} \right)^2 S_{\delta_3} \right. \\
 & + \left[\left(\frac{K + \frac{\lambda_{1'}}{\lambda_3}}{K + 1} \right)^2 + 1 + 2 \frac{K + \frac{\lambda_{1'}}{\lambda_3}}{K + 1} \cos \omega(L_2 + L_{2'}) \right] S_{\delta_{1'}} \Bigg\}
 \end{aligned}$$

- The PSD of TDI-X 2.0 was computed in the same way. The result equals to the PSD of TDI-X 1.5 multiplied by a factor of

$$4 \sin^2 \frac{\omega(L_{2'} + L_2 + L_3 + L_{3'})}{2}$$

- Use the approximations A2, A3, A4

$$\begin{aligned}
 PSD \left[X_{1.5}^{TM_{accel}} \right] &= \frac{16}{c^2} \sin^2 (\omega L) [3 + \cos(2\omega L)] S_{\delta} \\
 PSD \left[X_{2.0}^{TM_{accel}} \right] &= \frac{64}{c^2} \sin^2 (\omega L) \sin^2 (2\omega L) [3 + \cos(2\omega L)] S_{\delta}
 \end{aligned}$$

Test-mass acceleration noise: CSD

$$\begin{aligned}
 CSD \left[XY_{1.5}^{TM_{accel}} \right] &= -\frac{4}{c^2} \sin \frac{\omega(L_1 + L_{1'})}{2} \sin \frac{\omega(L_2 + L_{2'})}{2} e^{\frac{j\omega(L_1 + L_{1'} - L_2 - L_{2'} - L_3 + L_{3'})}{2}} \left(1 + 2K + \frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_{2'}} \right) \\
 &\times \left[\left(1 + 2K + \frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_{2'}} \right) \cos \frac{\omega(L_3 + L_{3'})}{2} + j \left(\frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_{2'}} - 1 \right) \sin \frac{\omega(L_3 + L_{3'})}{2} \right] S_{\delta_1} \\
 &- \frac{4}{c^2} \sin \frac{\omega(L_1 + L_{1'})}{2} \sin \frac{\omega(L_2 + L_{2'})}{2} e^{\frac{j\omega(L_1 + L_{1'} - L_2 - L_{2'} - L_3 + L_{3'})}{2}} \left(1 + 2K + \frac{\lambda_{2'}}{\lambda_1} \right) \\
 &\times \left[\left(1 + 2K + \frac{\lambda_{2'}}{\lambda_1} \right) \cos \frac{\omega(L_3 + L_{3'})}{2} + j \left(1 - \frac{\lambda_{2'}}{\lambda_1} \right) \sin \frac{\omega(L_3 + L_{3'})}{2} \right] S_{\delta_{2'}}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 CSD[XY_{2.0}] &\approx CSD[XY_{1.5}] \\
 &\times \left[1 - e^{-j\omega(L_2 + L_{2'} + L_3 + L_{3'})} - e^{j\omega(L_3 + L_{3'} + L_1 + L_{1'})} + e^{j\omega(L_1 + L_{1'} - L_2 - L_{2'})} \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

- Use the approximations A2, A3, A4

$$\begin{aligned}
 CSD \left[XY_{1.5}^{TM_{accel}} \right] &= -\frac{16}{c^2} \sin(\omega L) \sin(2\omega L) S_{\delta} \\
 CSD \left[XY_{2.0}^{TM_{accel}} \right] &= -\frac{64}{c^2} \sin(\omega L) \sin^3(2\omega L) S_{\delta}
 \end{aligned}$$

Backlink noise

$$PSD \left[X_{1.5}^{fibre} \right] = 4 \sin^2 \frac{\omega(L_3 + L_{3'})}{2} \sin^2 \frac{\omega(L_2 + L_{2'})}{2} (S_{\mu_{1 \rightarrow 1'}} + S_{\mu_{1' \rightarrow 1}})$$

$$PSD \left[X_{2.0}^{fibre} \right] = 16 \sin^2 \frac{\omega(L_2 + L_{2'} + L_3 + L_{3'})}{2} \times \sin^2 \frac{\omega(L_3 + L_{3'})}{2} \sin^2 \frac{\omega(L_2 + L_{2'})}{2} (S_{\mu_{1 \rightarrow 1'}} + S_{\mu_{1' \rightarrow 1}})$$

- Use the approximations A2, A3, A4

- the CSD of TDI-XY

$$PSD \left[X_{1.5}^{fibre} \right] \approx 8 \sin^4(\omega L) S_{\mu}$$

$$PSD \left[X_{2.0}^{fibre} \right] \approx 32 \sin^4(\omega L) \sin^2(2\omega L) S_{\mu}$$

$$CSD \left[XY_{1.5}^{fibre} \right] = 0$$

$$CSD \left[XY_{2.0}^{fibre} \right] = 0$$

Readout noise: PSD

- Use the approximations A2, A3, A4

$$\begin{aligned}
 PSD[X_{1.5}^{ro}] &= 4 \sin^2(\omega L) \\
 &\times \left\{ 4S_{N_s^{ro}} + 4 \frac{1 + K^2 - 2K \cos^2(\omega L)}{(1 + K)^2} S_{N_\tau^{ro}} + \frac{(1 - K)^2}{(1 + K)^2} [3 + \cos(2\omega L)] S_{N_\epsilon^{ro}} \right\}
 \end{aligned} \tag{284}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 PSD[X_{2.0}^{ro}] &= 16 \sin^2(\omega L) \sin^2(2\omega L) \\
 &\times \left\{ 4S_{N_s^{ro}} + 4 \frac{1 + K^2 - 2K \cos^2(\omega L)}{(1 + K)^2} S_{N_\tau^{ro}} + \frac{(1 - K)^2}{(1 + K)^2} [3 + \cos(2\omega L)] S_{N_\epsilon^{ro}} \right\}
 \end{aligned} \tag{285}$$

- in the extreme cases, K goes to 0 (neglect control loop) or infinity (perfect control loop)

$$\begin{aligned}
 PSD[X_{1.5}^{ro}] &= 4 \sin^2(\omega L) [4S_{N_s^{ro}} + 4S_{N_\tau^{ro}} + [3 + \cos(2\omega L)] S_{N_\epsilon^{ro}}] \\
 PSD[X_{2.0}^{ro}] &= 16 \sin^2(\omega L) \sin^2(2\omega L) [4S_{N_s^{ro}} + 4S_{N_\tau^{ro}} + [3 + \cos(2\omega L)] S_{N_\epsilon^{ro}}]
 \end{aligned}$$

Readout noise: CSD

- Use the approximations A2, A3, A4

$$\begin{aligned}CSD [XY_{1.5}^{ro}] &= -4 \sin(\omega L) \left[S_{N_s^{ro}} + 4 \frac{(1-K)^2}{(1+K)^2} \sin(2\omega L) (S_{N_\tau^{ro}} + S_{N_\epsilon^{ro}}) \right] \\CSD [XY_{2.0}^{ro}] &= -16 \sin(\omega L) \sin^2(2\omega L) \left[S_{N_s^{ro}} + 4 \frac{(1-K)^2}{(1+K)^2} \sin(2\omega L) (S_{N_\tau^{ro}} + S_{N_\epsilon^{ro}}) \right]\end{aligned}$$

- in the extreme cases, K goes to 0 (neglect control loop) or infinity (perfect control loop)

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Optical path noises: PSD

- Use the approximations A2, A3, A4

$$\begin{aligned} PSD[X_{1.5}^{op}] &= 4 \sin^2(\omega L) \left[4 \left(S_{N_{RX}^{op}} + S_{N_{TX}^{op}} + S_{N_{loc \rightarrow sc}^{op}} \right) \right. \\ &\quad + \frac{(1-K)^2}{(1+K)^2} [3 + \cos(2\omega L)] \left(S_{N_{\epsilon}^{op}} + S_{N_{loc \rightarrow tm}^{op}} \right) \\ &\quad \left. + 4 \frac{1+K^2 - 2K \cos(2\omega L)}{(1+K)^2} \left(S_{N_{\tau}^{op}} + S_{N_{loc \rightarrow ref}^{op}} \right) \right] \\ PSD[X_{2.0}^{op}] &= 16 \sin^2(\omega L) \sin^2(2\omega L) \left[4 \left(S_{N_{RX}^{op}} + S_{N_{TX}^{op}} + S_{N_{loc \rightarrow sc}^{op}} \right) \right. \\ &\quad + \frac{(1-K)^2}{(1+K)^2} [3 + \cos(2\omega L)] \left(S_{N_{\epsilon}^{op}} + S_{N_{loc \rightarrow tm}^{op}} \right) \\ &\quad \left. + 4 \frac{1+K^2 - 2K \cos(2\omega L)}{(1+K)^2} \left(S_{N_{\tau}^{op}} + S_{N_{loc \rightarrow ref}^{op}} \right) \right] \end{aligned}$$

Optical path noises: PSD

- in the extreme cases, K goes to 0 (neglect control loop) or infinity (perfect control loop)

$$PSD[X_{1.5}^{op}] = 16 \sin^2(\omega L) \left(S_{N_{RX}^{op}} + S_{N_{TX}^{op}} + S_{N_{loc \rightarrow sc}^{op}} + S_{N_{\tau}^{op}} + S_{N_{loc \rightarrow ref}^{op}} \right) \\ + 4 \sin^2(\omega L) [3 + \cos(2\omega L)] \left(S_{N_{\epsilon}^{op}} + S_{N_{loc \rightarrow tm}^{op}} \right)$$

$$PSD[X_{2.0}^{op}] = 64 \sin^2 \omega L \sin^2(2\omega L) \left(S_{N_{RX}^{op}} + S_{N_{TX}^{op}} + S_{N_{loc \rightarrow sc}^{op}} + S_{N_{\tau}^{op}} + S_{N_{loc \rightarrow ref}^{op}} \right) \\ + 16 \sin^2(\omega L) \sin^2(2\omega L) [3 + \cos(2\omega L)] \left(S_{N_{\epsilon}^{op}} + S_{N_{loc \rightarrow tm}^{op}} \right)$$

Optical path noises: CSD

- Use the approximations A2, A3, A4

$$\begin{aligned}
 CSD[XY_{1.5}^{op}] &= -4 \sin(\omega L) \sin(2\omega L) \left(S_{N_{TX}^{op}} + S_{N_{RX}^{op}} + S_{N_{loc \rightarrow sc}^{op}} \right) \\
 &\quad - 4 \frac{(1-K)^2}{(1+K)^2} \sin(\omega L) \sin(2\omega L) \left(S_{N_{\tau}^{op}} + S_{N_{loc \rightarrow ref}^{op}} + S_{N_{\epsilon}^{op}} + S_{N_{loc \rightarrow tm}^{op}} \right) \\
 CSD[XY_{2.0}^{op}] &= -16 \sin(\omega L) \sin^3(2\omega L) \left(S_{N_{TX}^{op}} + S_{N_{RX}^{op}} + S_{N_{loc \rightarrow sc}^{op}} \right) \\
 &\quad - 16 \frac{(1-K)^2}{(1+K)^2} \sin(\omega L) \sin^3(2\omega L) \left(S_{N_{\tau}^{op}} + S_{N_{loc \rightarrow ref}^{op}} + S_{N_{\epsilon}^{op}} + S_{N_{loc \rightarrow tm}^{op}} \right)
 \end{aligned}$$

- in the extreme cases, K goes to 0 (neglect control loop) or infinity (perfect control loop)

$$\begin{aligned}
 CSD[XY_{1.5}^{op}] &= -4 \sin(\omega L) \sin(2\omega L) \left(S_{N_{RX}^{op}} + S_{N_{TX}^{op}} + S_{N_{loc \rightarrow sc}^{op}} \right. \\
 &\quad \left. + S_{N_{\epsilon}^{op}} + S_{N_{loc \rightarrow tm}^{op}} + S_{N_{\tau}^{op}} + S_{N_{loc \rightarrow ref}^{op}} \right) \\
 CSD[XY_{2.0}^{op}] &= -16 \sin(\omega L) \sin^3(2\omega L) \left(S_{N_{RX}^{op}} + S_{N_{TX}^{op}} + S_{N_{loc \rightarrow sc}^{op}} \right. \\
 &\quad \left. + S_{N_{\epsilon}^{op}} + S_{N_{loc \rightarrow tm}^{op}} + S_{N_{\tau}^{op}} + S_{N_{loc \rightarrow ref}^{op}} \right)
 \end{aligned}$$

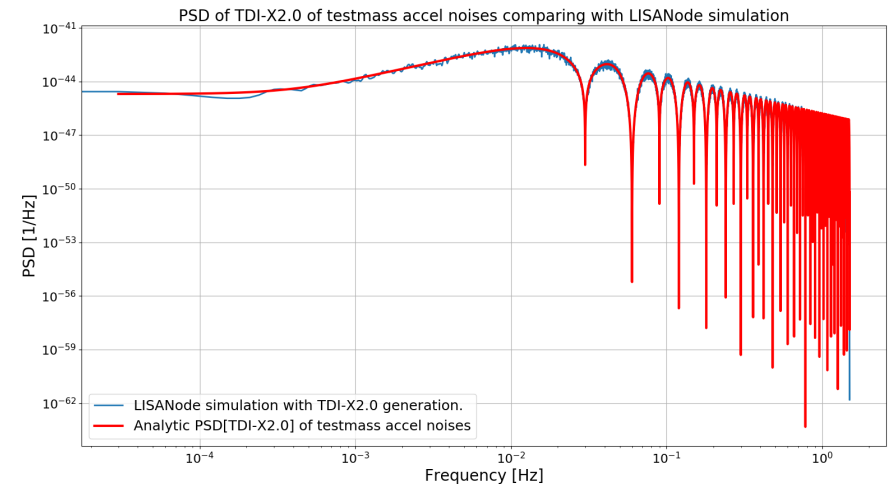
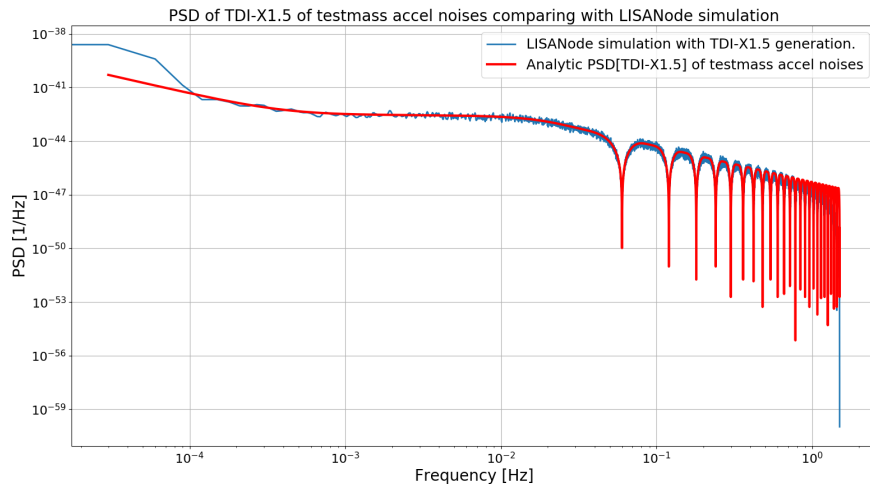
Noise implementation in LISANode

- In LISANode, noises are generated through some atomic nodes that produce white noises over simulation time.
 - We could indicate the PSD of the noise source and adjust the shape of the noise spectrum through some filter nodes.
 - The noises then are connected into the dedicated beams
- For the non-suppressed noises, we have
 - added the backlink noise node
 - modified the test-mass acceleration noise with the DFACs control loop transfer function $K(f)$
 - redistributed the optical path noises
- The laser locking implementation has been developing by Olaf Hartwig and other colleagues from AEI, Hannover.

Comparison results for some noises (1): Test-mass acceleration noise

- choose the input PSD of noise source as

$$S_{\delta}^{1/2} = 2.4 \times 10^{-15} \frac{\text{m/s}^2}{\sqrt{\text{Hz}}} \sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{0.4 \text{mHz}}{f} \right)^2}$$
$$\rightarrow S_{\delta} = \left(\frac{2.4 \times 10^{-15}}{2\pi f c} \right)^2 \frac{1}{\text{Hz}} \left[1 + \left(\frac{0.4 \text{mHz}}{f} \right)^2 \right]$$



Comparison results for some noises (2): Readout noise

- choose input PSDs of the noise sources as

$$S_{N_s^{ro}}^{1/2} = S_{N_\tau^{ro}}^{1/2} = S_{N_\epsilon^{ro}}^{1/2} = 10^{-12} \frac{\text{m}}{\sqrt{\text{Hz}}}$$
$$\rightarrow S_{N_s^{ro}} = S_{N_\tau^{ro}} = S_{N_\epsilon^{ro}} = \left(\frac{2\pi f}{c} 10^{-12} \right)^2 \frac{1}{\text{Hz}}$$

