



Gravitational Waves Induced by non-Gaussian Scalar Perturbations

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Stochastic GW from Binaries

- Origin: incoherent superposition of the GWs emitted by BH(NS) binaries
- Frequencies: LIGO

 $\Omega_{\rm GW} = \frac{f}{\rho_c} \int_0^{z_{\rm max}} dz \frac{R(z)}{(1+z)H(z)} \left(\frac{dE_{\rm gw}}{df}(f_r)\right)_{f_r = (1+z)f}.$

• Amplitude: 10-9





Stochastic GW from 10PT

$$f_{\text{peak}} \simeq 10^{-6} \text{Hz} \left(\frac{\beta}{H_*}\right) \left(\frac{T_*}{100 \text{GeV}}\right) \left(\frac{g_*}{100}\right)^{1/6}$$

$$\Omega_{\text{peak}} h^2 \simeq 10^{-6} \left(\frac{\beta}{H_*}\right)^{-2} \left(\frac{g_*}{100}\right)^{-1/3}$$

 Key feature: k³ increasing, k⁻² or k⁻¹ decreasing.

 For β/H*~100, frequency is 10-³Hz, in LISA band. It is possible to detect its peak and ultraviolet tail.



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Primordial Black Holes









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The resolution is lacking to say anything precise about higher l.









The Press-Schechter Mass Function



• When $\sigma_M << \delta_c$, β can be approximated by exponential:

$$\beta \approx \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} \frac{\sigma_M}{\delta_c} \exp\left(-\frac{\delta_c^2}{2\sigma_M^2}\right)$$

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PBH adundances.

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[Young & Byrnes, 1307.4995]





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• The metric is

$$ds^{2} = a(\eta)^{2} \left[-(1 - 2\Phi) d\eta^{2} + \left(1 + 2\Phi + \frac{1}{2}h_{ij}\right) dx^{i} dx^{j} \right]$$

• From the nonlinear equation of motion for the tensor perturbation

$$h_{\mathbf{k}}'' + 2\mathcal{H}h_{\mathbf{k}}' + k^{2}h_{\mathbf{k}} = \mathcal{S}(\mathbf{k}, \eta)$$

where the source term is

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{S}(\mathbf{k},\eta) &= 36 \int \frac{d^3l}{(2\pi)^{3/2}} \frac{l^2}{\sqrt{2}} \sin^2 \theta \begin{pmatrix} \cos 2\varphi \\ \sin 2\varphi \end{pmatrix} \Phi_{\mathbf{l}} \Phi_{\mathbf{k}-\mathbf{l}} \\ &\times \left[j_0(ux) j_0(vx) - 2 \frac{j_1(ux) j_0(vx)}{ux} - 2 \frac{j_0(ux) j_1(vx)}{vx} + 3 \frac{j_1(ux) j_1(vx)}{uvx^2} \right] \end{aligned}$$

• The solution to the eom of h_k is

$$h_{\mathbf{k}} = \frac{(2\pi)^{3/2}}{k\eta} \left(\mathcal{S}'_{\mathbf{k}}(k)e^{ik\eta} - \mathcal{S}'_{\mathbf{k}}(-k)e^{-ik\eta} \right).$$

• Then we know that $\Omega_{GW} \sim h \gg S \gg \Phi \Phi \Phi \gg P_{\Phi^2}$:

$$\Omega_{\rm GW} = \frac{k^3}{2} \left(\frac{H_{\rm eq}}{H_0} \right)^2 \left(\frac{a_{\rm eq}}{a_0} \right)^4 \Re \iint d\eta d\tau \ \eta \tau e^{-ik\eta + ip\tau} \left\langle \mathscr{S}_{\mathbf{k}}(\eta) \mathscr{S}_{\mathbf{p}}^*(\tau) \right\rangle'.$$

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• Why Gaussian?

• Therefore we want to consider the local-type non-Gaussian scalar induced GWs.

$$\mathscr{R}(\mathbf{x}) = \mathscr{R}_g(\mathbf{x}) + F_{\rm NL} \left[\mathscr{R}_g^2(\mathbf{x}) - \langle \mathscr{R}_g^2(\mathbf{x}) \rangle \right].$$

$$\langle \Phi_{\mathbf{k}} \Phi_{\mathbf{p}} \rangle = (2\pi)^3 \delta^{(3)}(\mathbf{k} + \mathbf{p}) \frac{4}{9} \left(P_{\mathcal{R}}(k) + 2F_{\mathrm{NL}}^2 \int d^3 l \ P_{\mathcal{R}}(|\mathbf{k} - \mathbf{l}|) P_{\mathcal{R}}(l) \right).$$

 And we have to specify the power spectrum of the primordial curvature perturbation. As we mentioned, we suppose there is a narrow peak at around k*.

$$P_{\mathcal{R}}(k) = \frac{\mathscr{A}_{\mathcal{R}}}{(2\pi)^{3/2} 2\sigma k_*^2} \exp\left(-\frac{(k-k_*)^2}{2\sigma^2}\right).$$

The convolution of the two power spectra is

$$\mathscr{F} \equiv \frac{\mathscr{A}_{\mathscr{R}}^2}{8\pi kk_*^2} \left\{ \left[\frac{1}{2} \operatorname{erf}\left(\frac{k}{2\sigma}\right) + \frac{\sigma k}{k_*^2} \frac{e^{-\frac{k^2}{4\sigma^2}}}{4\sqrt{\pi}} \right] \operatorname{erfc}\left(-\frac{k_*}{\sigma} + \frac{k}{2\sigma}\right) + \frac{\sigma}{4\sqrt{\pi}k_*} \left(2 + \frac{k}{k_*}\right) e^{\frac{k_*(k-k_*)}{\sigma^2} - \frac{k^2}{4\sigma^2}} \operatorname{erf}\left(\frac{k^2}{2\sigma^2}\right) \right\} \right\}$$

• Then one half of the integral is

$$P_{\mathcal{R}} + 2F_{\mathrm{NL}}^2 \int d^3 l P_{\mathcal{R}}(|\mathbf{k} - \mathbf{l}|) P_{\mathcal{R}}(l) = \frac{\mathscr{A}_{\mathcal{R}}}{(2\pi)^{3/2} 2\sigma k_*^2} \left(e^{-\frac{(k-k_*)^2}{2\sigma^2}} + \sqrt{2\pi} F_{\mathrm{NL}}^2 \mathscr{A}_{\mathcal{R}} \frac{\sigma}{k} \mathcal{F}(k, k_*, \sigma) \right).$$

• And the GW spectrum is

$$\begin{split} \Omega_{\rm GW} &= 6\mathscr{A}_{\mathscr{R}}^2 \frac{k^2}{2\pi\sigma^2} \left(\frac{k}{k_*}\right)^4 \int_0^\infty dv \int_{|1-v|}^{1+v} du \, uv \, \mathcal{T}(u,v) \\ &\times \left[e^{-\frac{(vk-k_*)^2}{2\sigma^2}} + \sqrt{2\pi} F_{\rm NL}^2 \mathscr{A}_{\mathscr{R}} \frac{\sigma}{vk} \mathcal{F}(vk,k_*,\sigma) \right] \left[e^{-\frac{(uk-k_*)^2}{2\sigma^2}} + \sqrt{2\pi} F_{\rm NL}^2 \mathscr{A}_{\mathscr{R}} \frac{\sigma}{uk} \mathcal{F}(uk,k_*,\sigma) \right]. \end{split}$$

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Saito & Yokoyama,
0812.4339
$$\left[e^{-\frac{(vk-k_{*})^{2}}{2\sigma^{2}}} + 2\mathcal{A}_{\mathcal{R}}F_{\rm NL}^{2}\frac{\sigma}{vk}\sqrt{\frac{\pi}{2}}\operatorname{erf}\left(\frac{vk}{2\sigma}\right)\right]$$

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$$\mathcal{T}(u,v) = \frac{1}{4}\left(\frac{4v^{2} - (1+v^{2}-u^{2})^{2}}{4uv}\right)^{2}\left(\frac{u^{2}+v^{2}-3}{2uv}\right)^{2}$$

$$\times \left\{\left(-2 + \frac{u^{2}+v^{2}-3}{2uv}\ln\left|\frac{3-(u+v)^{2}}{3-(u-v)^{2}}\right|\right)^{2} + \pi^{2}\left(\frac{u^{2}+v^{2}-3}{2uv}\right)^{2}\Theta\left(u+v-\sqrt{3}\right)\right\}.$$



- Up: $F_{NL} > 0$, and we fix the PBH abundance to be 1.
- Down: $F_{NL} < 0\,$, and we fix the peak amplitude to be $\,\mathscr{A}_{\mathscr{R}} = 10^{-2}\,$
- Gray curve: LISA



• Coincidence, but fortunate for our universe.

























Summary

- GWs induced by non-Gaussian scalar perturbations: k^3 slope, multiple peaks, and a cutoff.
- If PBHs can serve as all the DM, induced GWs must be detectable by LISA, no matter how small $\mathscr{A}_{\mathscr{R}}$ or f_{NL} is.
- Conversely if LISA can not detect the induced GWs, we can put an independent constraint on the PBH abundances on mass range 10¹⁹g to 10²²g where no current experiment can explore.

Thank you!