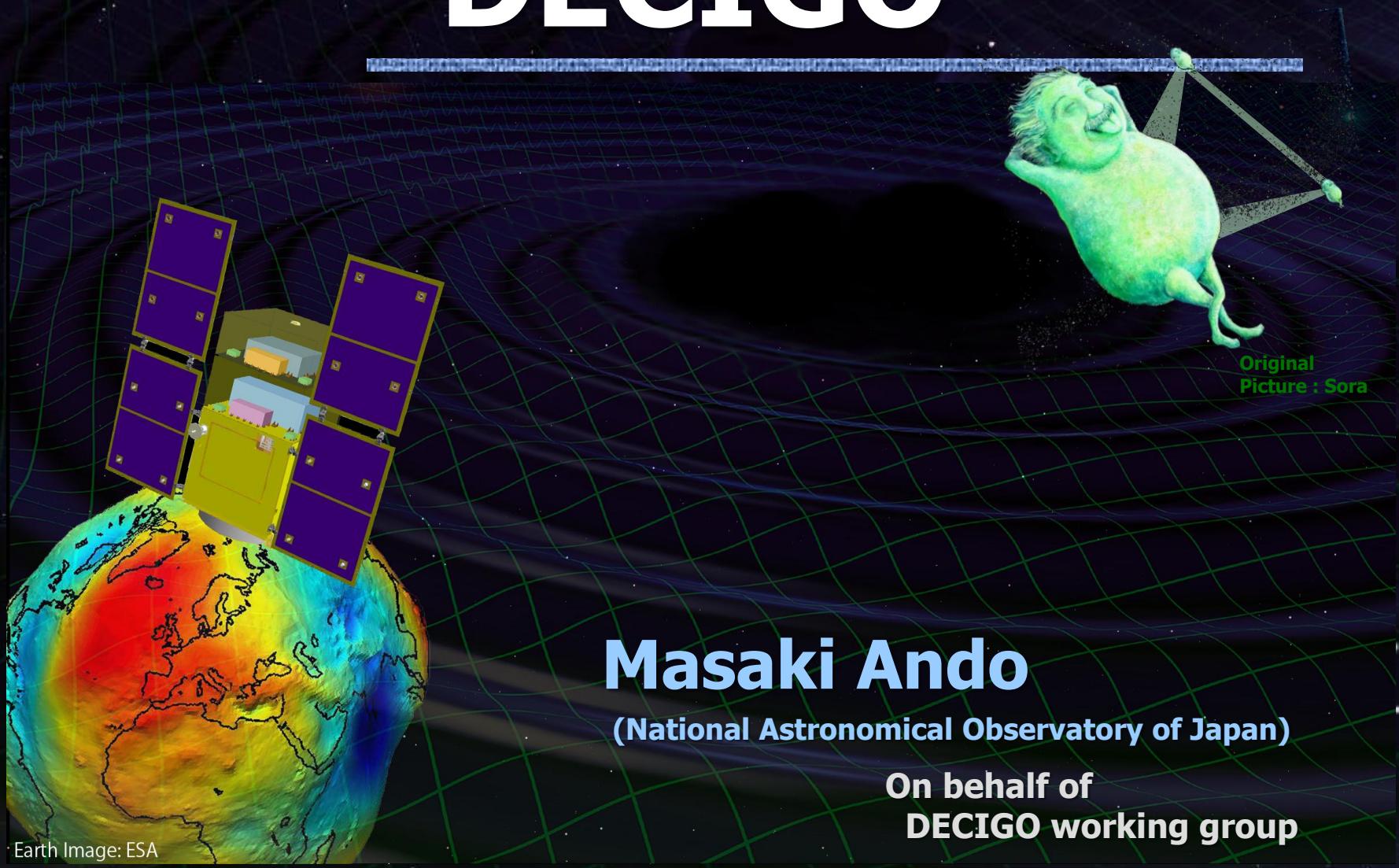


# DECIGO



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Picture : Sora

**Masaki Ando**  
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**On behalf of  
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# Collaboration and support



- **Supports from LISA**

- Technical advices from LISA/LPF experiences

- Support Letter for DECIGO/DPF, Joint workshop (2008.11)

- **Collab. with Stanford univ. group**

- Drag-free control of DECIGO/DPF

- UV LED Charge Management System for DPF

- **Collab. with JAXA Trajectory and Navigation group**

- **Advanced technology center (ATC) of NAOJ**

- **Geophysics group (Kyoto, ERI, UEC, NAOJ)**

- **Collab. with NASA/GSFC**

- Fiber Laser, Earth's gravity observation

- Formation flight of DECIGO, DPF drag-free control

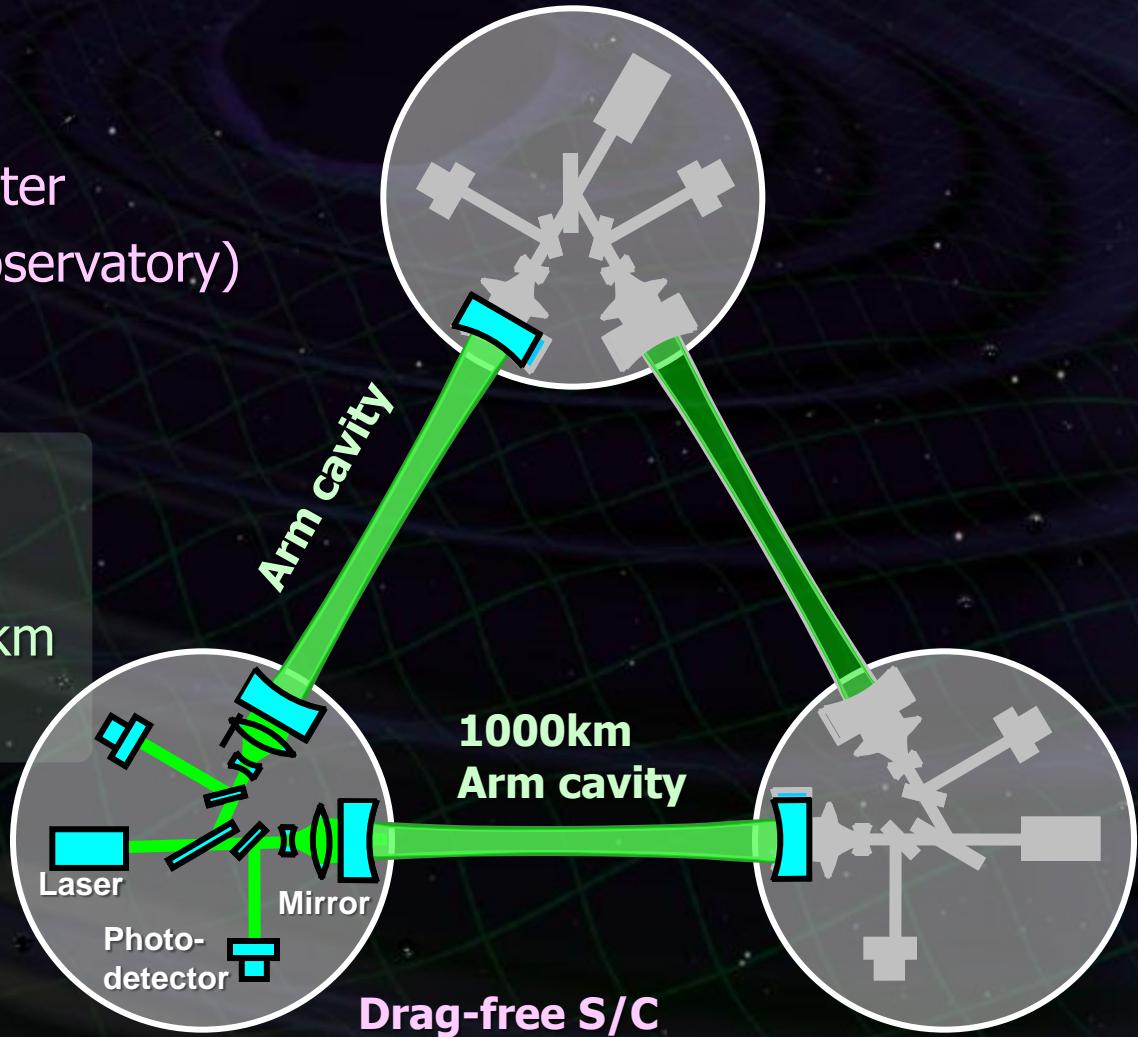
- **JAXA's fund for small satellite development**

- **Research Center for the Early Universe (RESCEU), Univ. of Tokyo**

## DECIGO

(Deci-hertz interferometer  
Gravitational wave Observatory)

3 S/C formation flight  
3 FP interferometers  
Baseline length: 1000 km  
Drag-free control

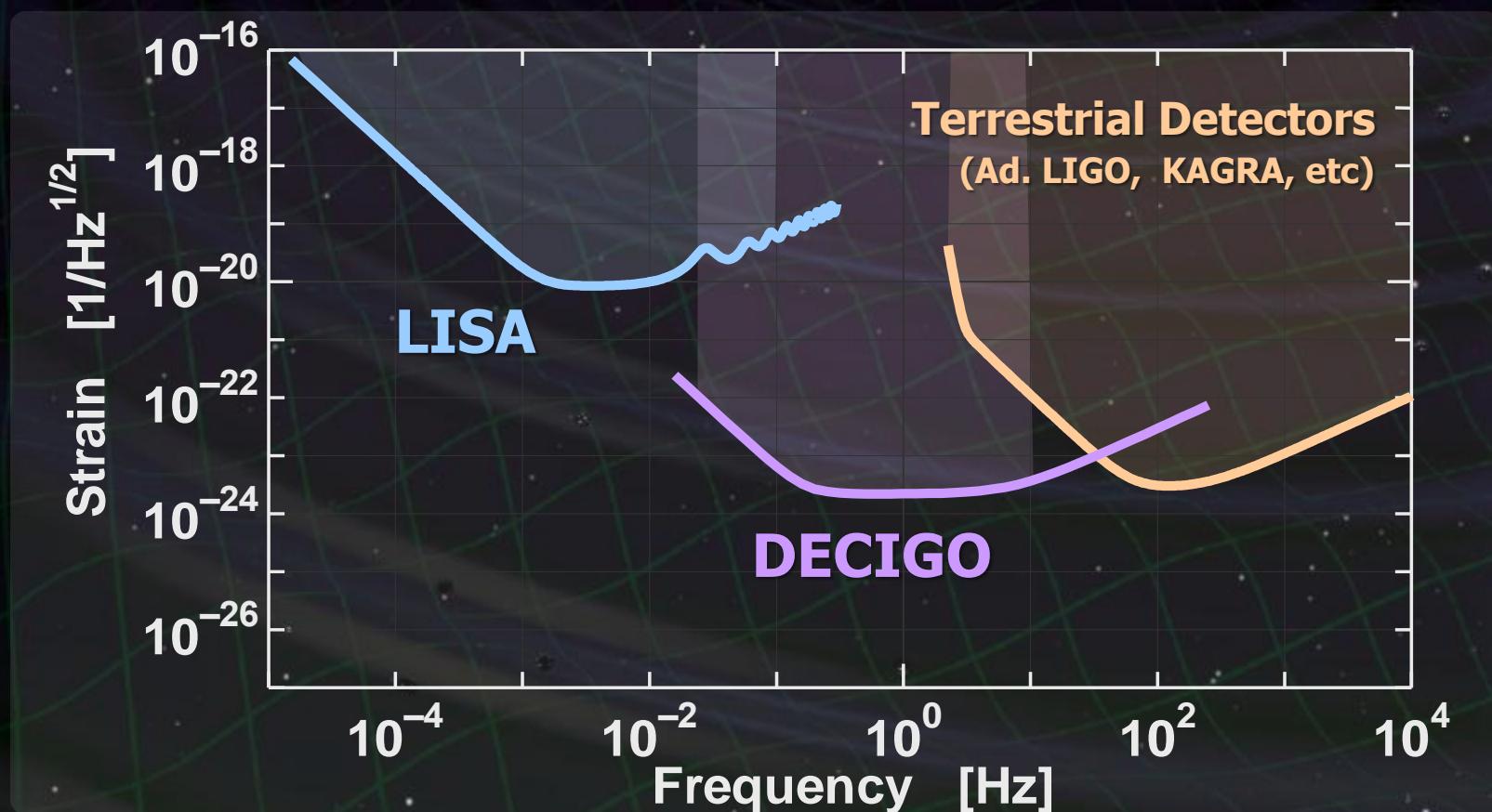


**DECIGO** (Deци-hertz Interferometer Gravitational wave Observatory)

Space GW antenna (~2027)  
Obs. band around 0.1 Hz



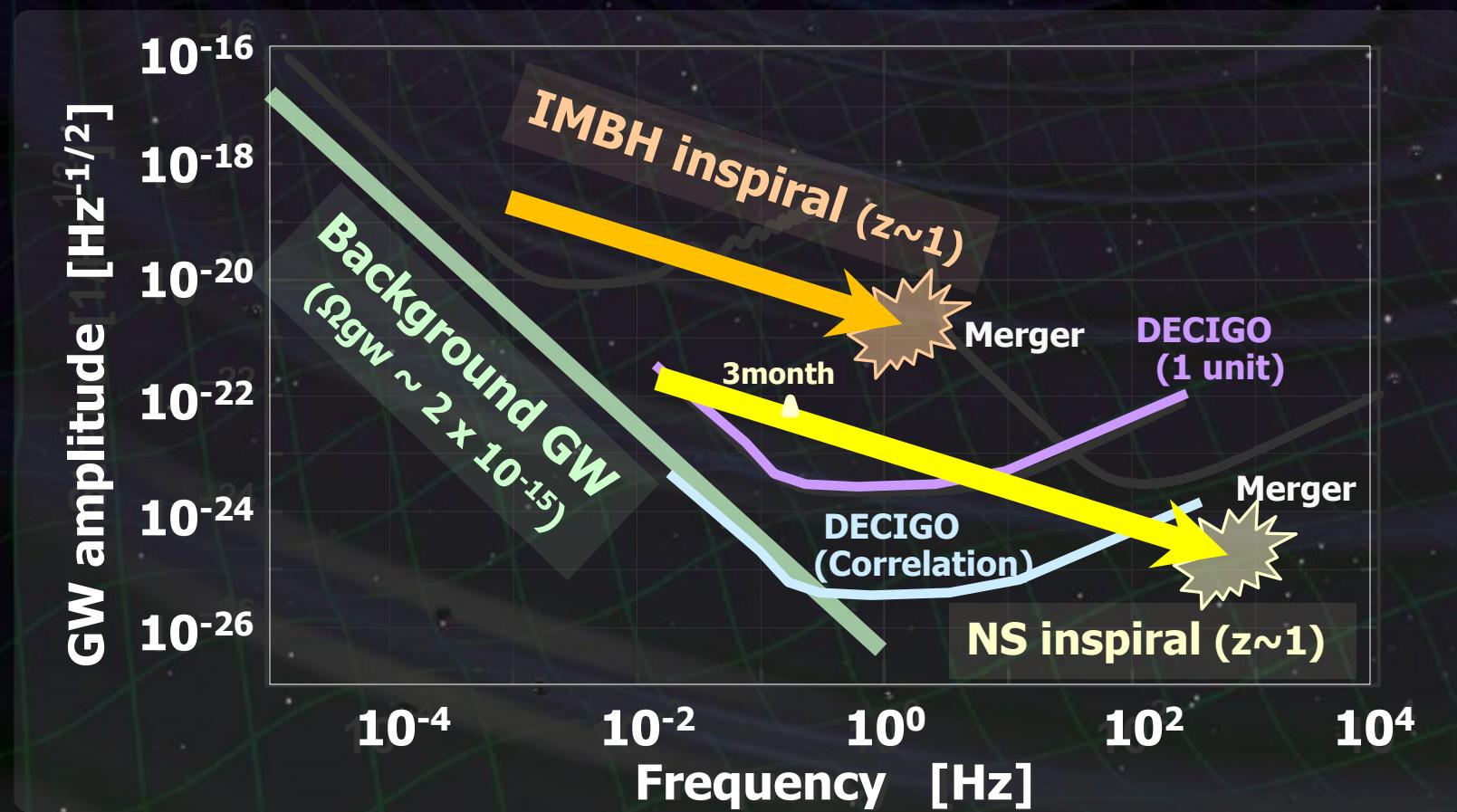
'Bridge' the obs.gap between  
LISA and Terrestrial detectors



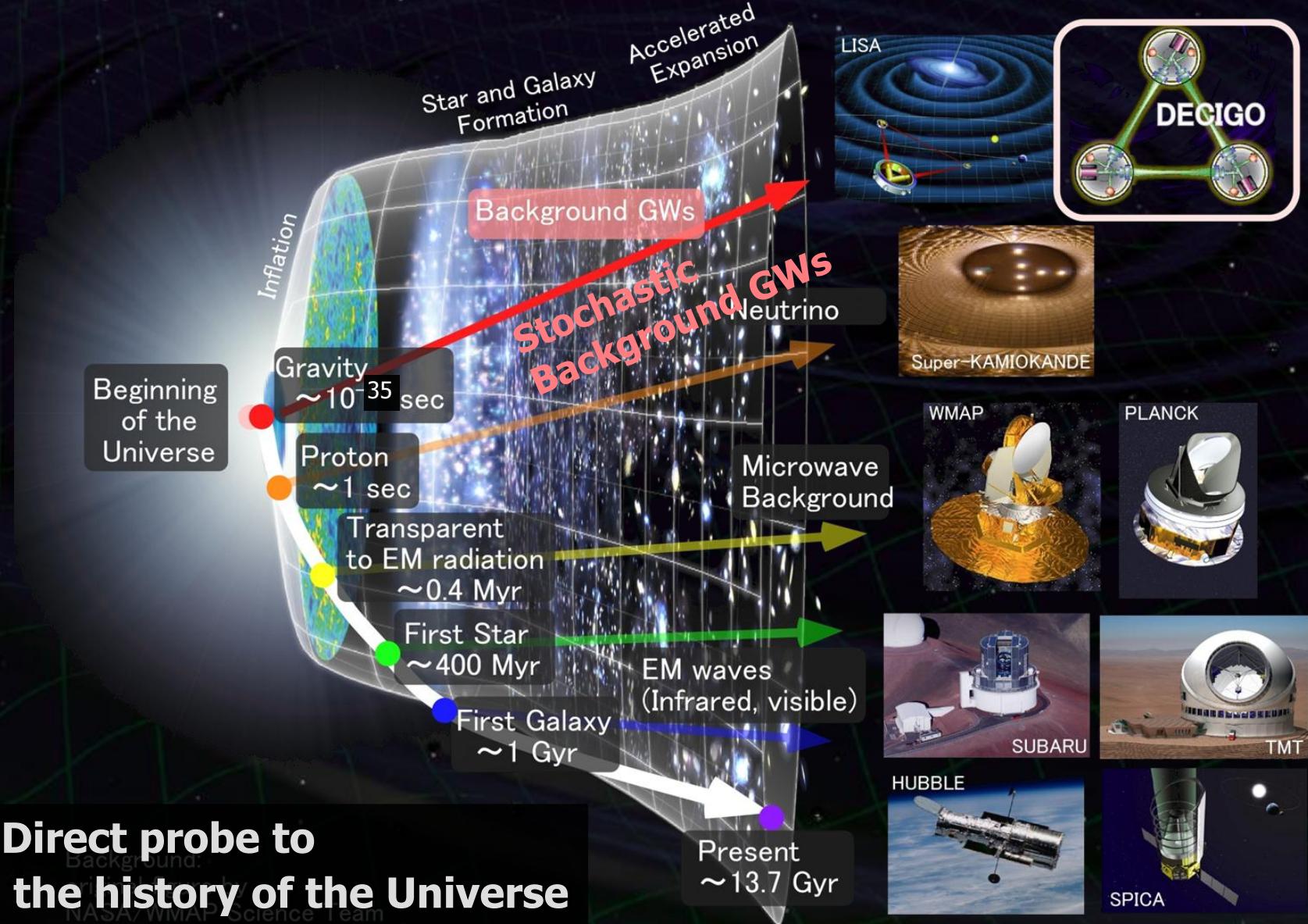
# Targets and Science

IMBH binary inspiral  
NS binary inspiral  
Stochastic background

Galaxy formation (Massive BH)  
Cosmology (Inflation, Dark energy)  
Fundamental physics



# Characterization of inflation



# KAGRA and DECIGO



**KAGRA (~2016)**

**Terrestrial Detector**

→ **High frequency events**

**Target: GW detection**

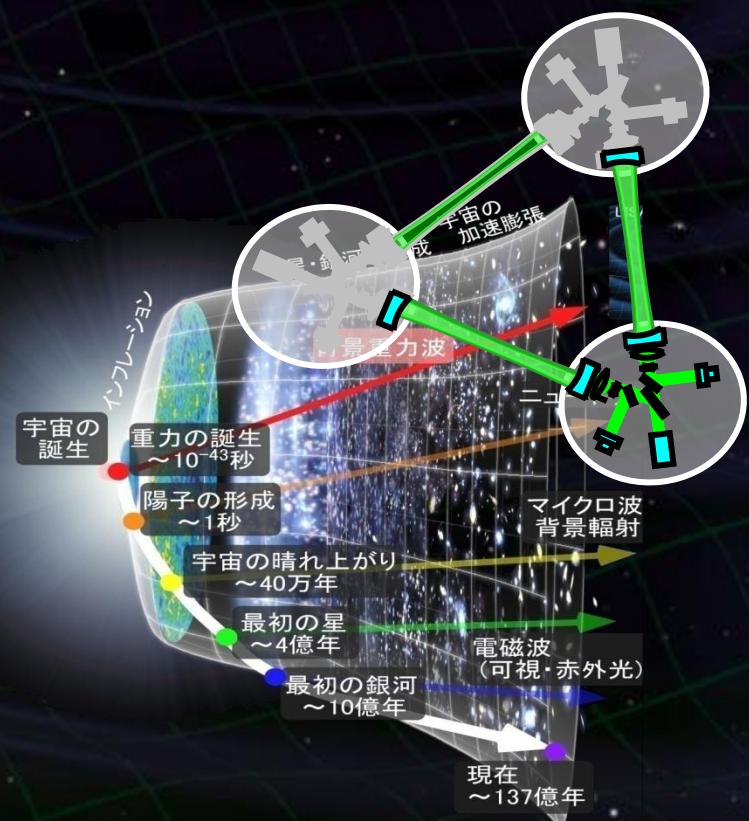


**DECIGO (~2027)**

**Space observatory**

→ **Low frequency sources**

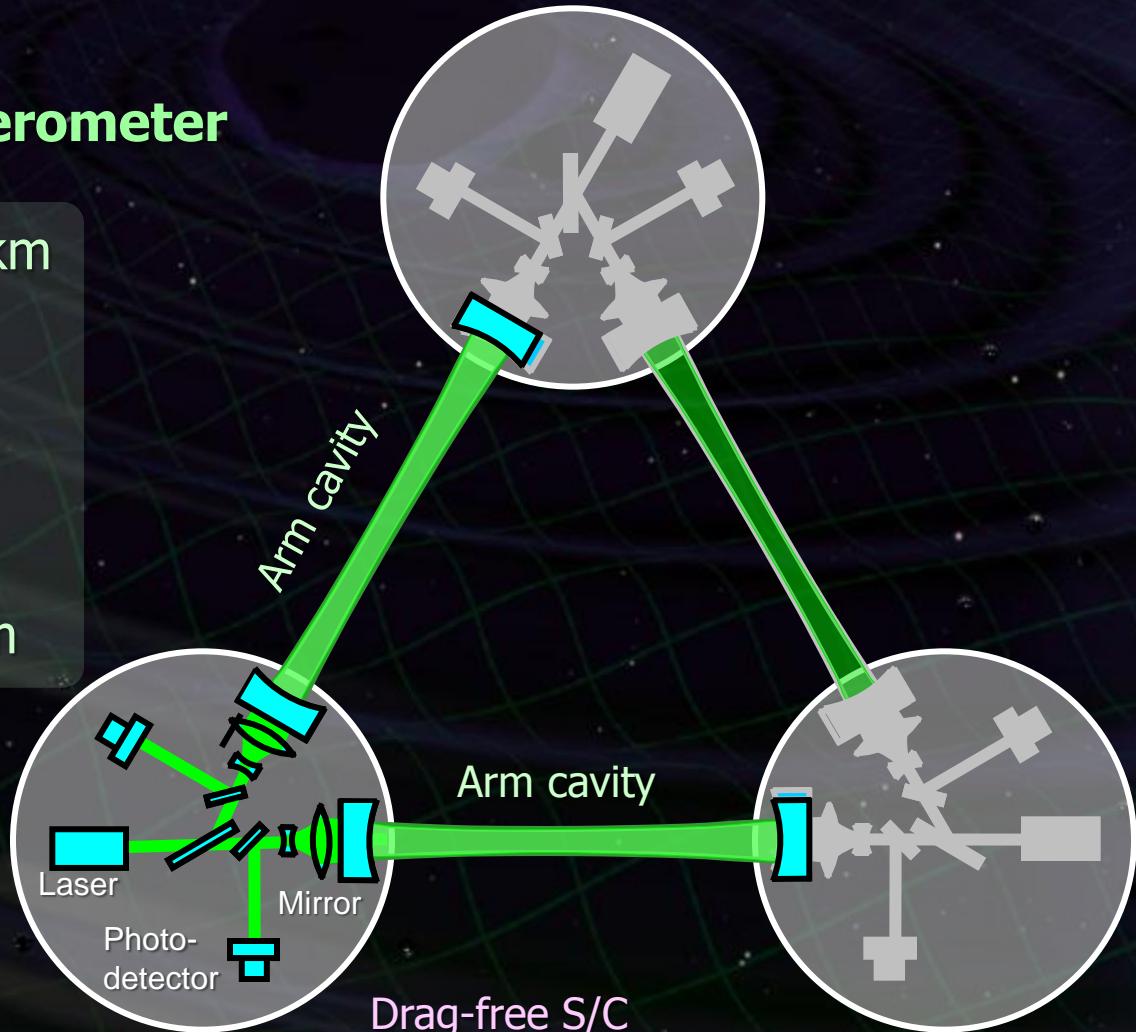
**Target: GW astronomy**



## Interferometer Unit: Differential FP interferometer

Arm length:	1000 km
Finesse:	10
Mirror diameter:	1 m
Mirror mass:	100 kg
Laser power:	10 W
Laser wavelength:	532 nm

S/C: drag free  
3 interferometers

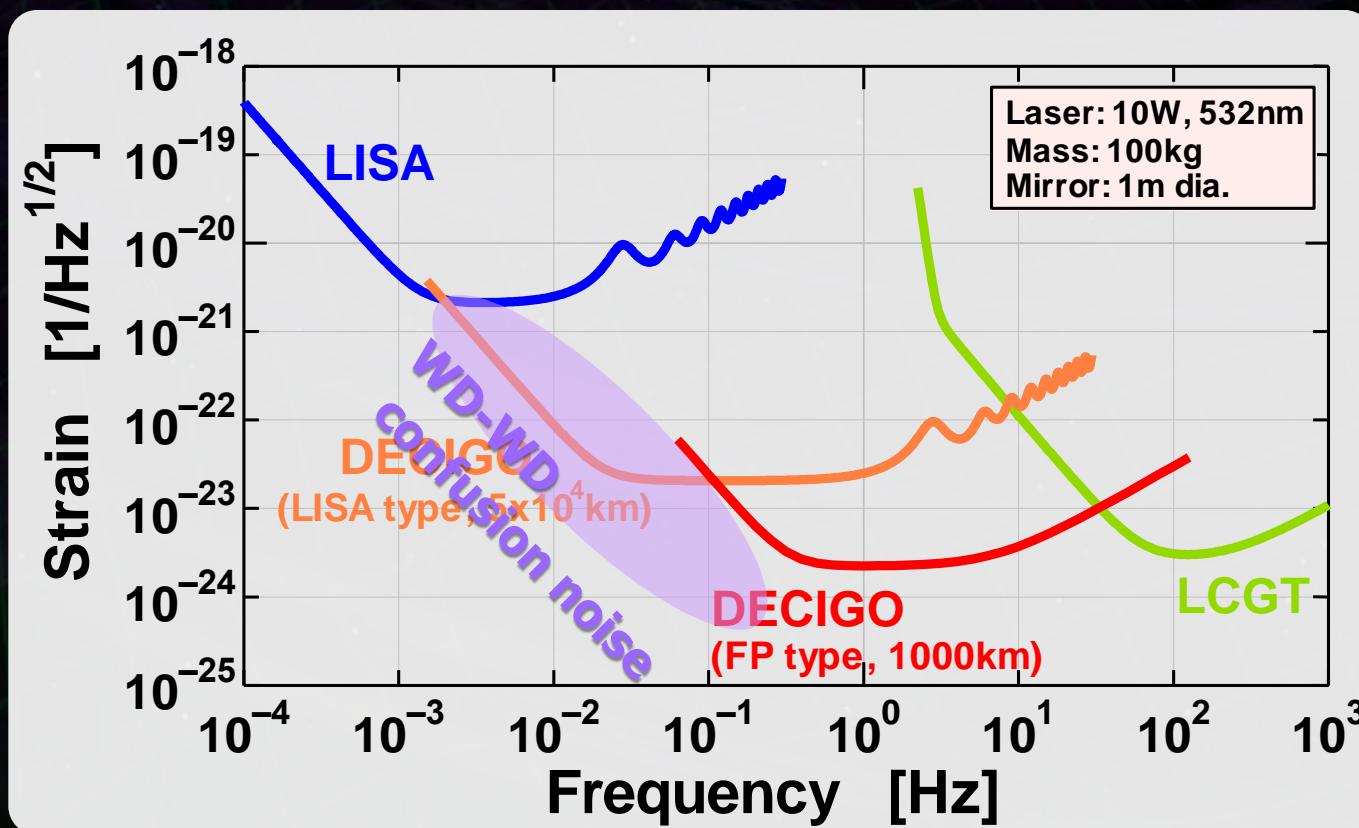


## Transponder type vs Direct-reflection type

Compare : Sensitivity curves and Expected Sciences



Decisive factor: Binary confusion noise



# Arm length

## Cavity arm length : Limited by diffraction loss

Effective reflectivity ( $\text{TEM}_{00} \rightarrow \text{TEM}_{00}$ )

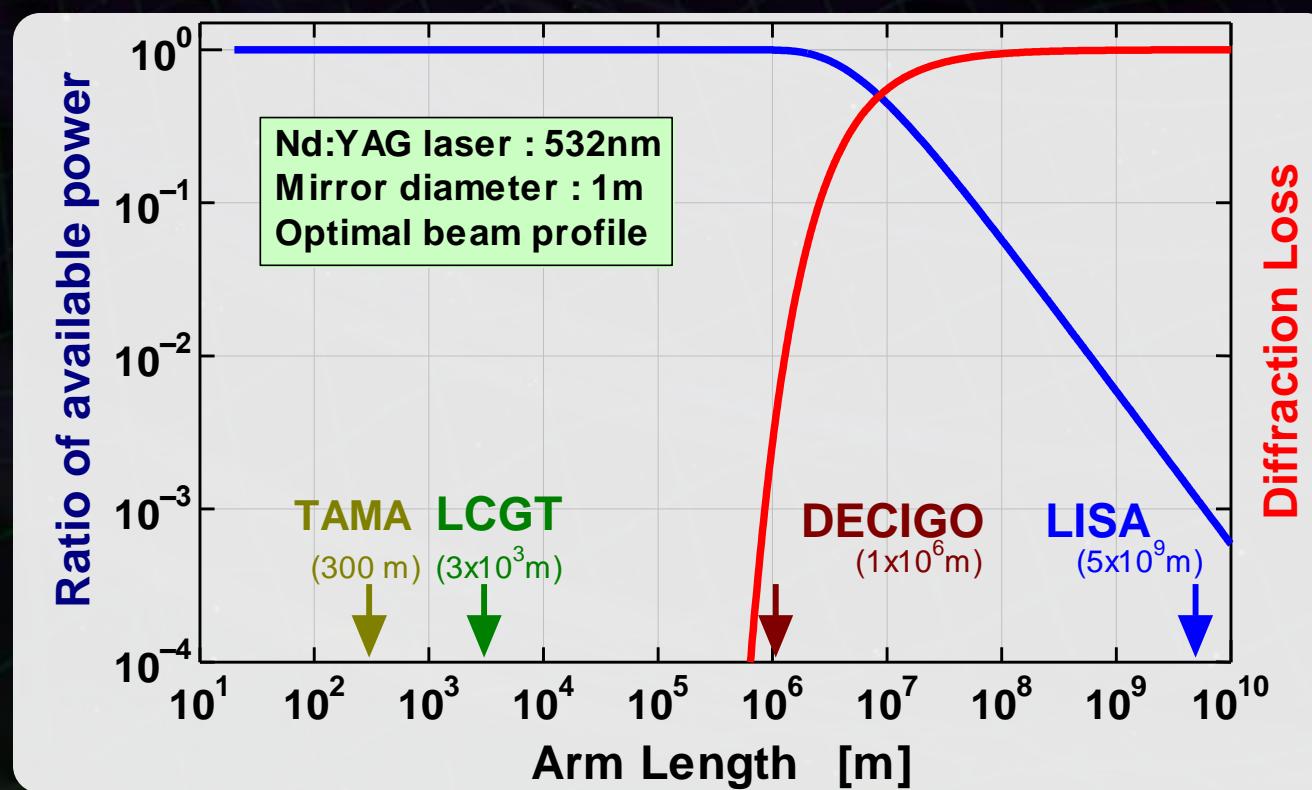
Laser wavelength : 532nm

Mirror diameter: 1m

Optimal beam size



1000 km  
is almost max.



# Cavity and S/C control

## Cavity length change

PDH error signal → Mirror position (and Laser frequency)

## Relative motion between mirror and S/C

Local sensor → S/C thruster

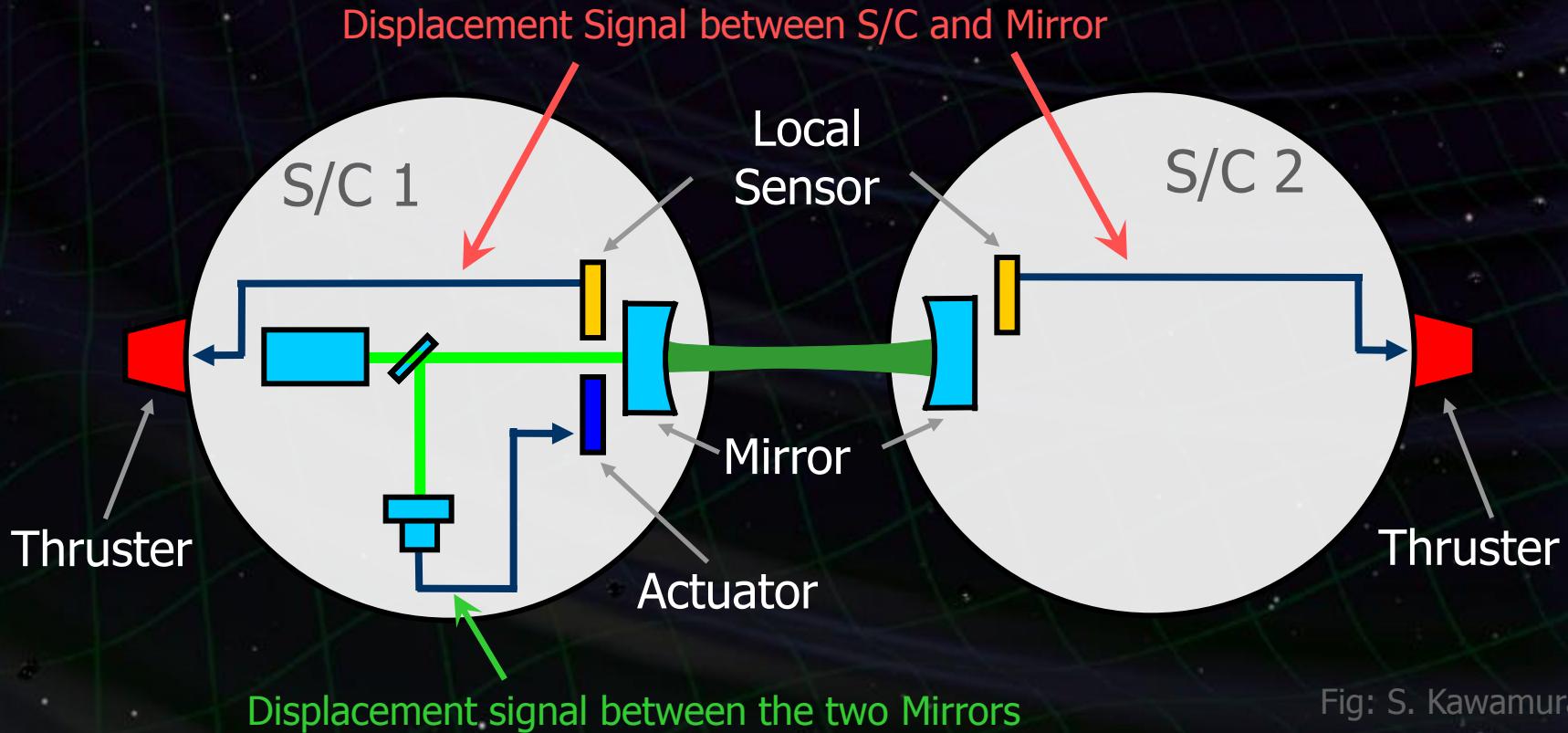


Fig: S. Kawamura

# Requirements



## Sensor Noise

Shot noise  $3 \times 10^{-18} \text{ m/Hz}^{1/2}$  (0.1 Hz)

⇒ **x 10 of KAGRA in phase noise**

Other noises should be well below the shot noise

Laser freq. noise:  $1 \text{ Hz/Hz}^{1/2}$  (1Hz)

Stab. Gain  $10^5$ , CMRR  $10^5$

## Acceleration Noise

Force noise  $4 \times 10^{-17} \text{ N/Hz}^{1/2}$  (0.1 Hz)

⇒ **x 1/50 of LISA**

External force sources

Fluctuation of magnetic field, electric field,  
gravitational field, temperature, pressure, etc.

# Orbit and Constellation

## Candidate of orbit:

Record-disk orbit around the Sun

Relative acc.  $4 \times 10^{-12} \text{ m/s}^2$

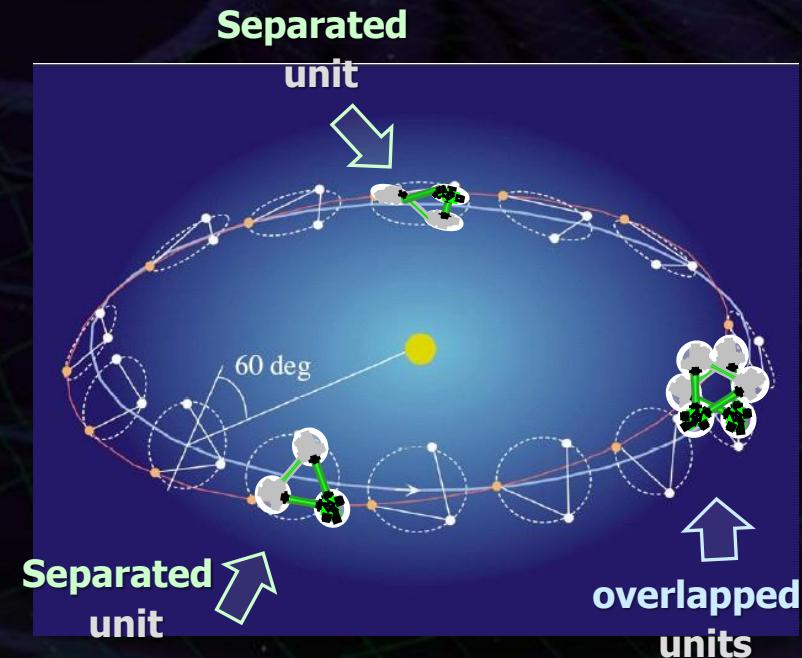
(Mirror force  $\sim 10^{-9} \text{ N}$ )

## Constellation

4 interferometer units

2 overlapped units  $\rightarrow$  Cross correlation

2 separated units  $\rightarrow$  Angular resolution



# Foreground Cleaning



**DECIGO obs. band: free from WD binary foreground  
→ Open for cosmological observation**

DECIGO will watch  
 $\sim 10^5$  NS binaries

➡ Foreground for GWB

In principle, possible  
to remove them.

Require accurate waveform  
 $\rightarrow \Delta m/m < \sim 10^{-7} \%$

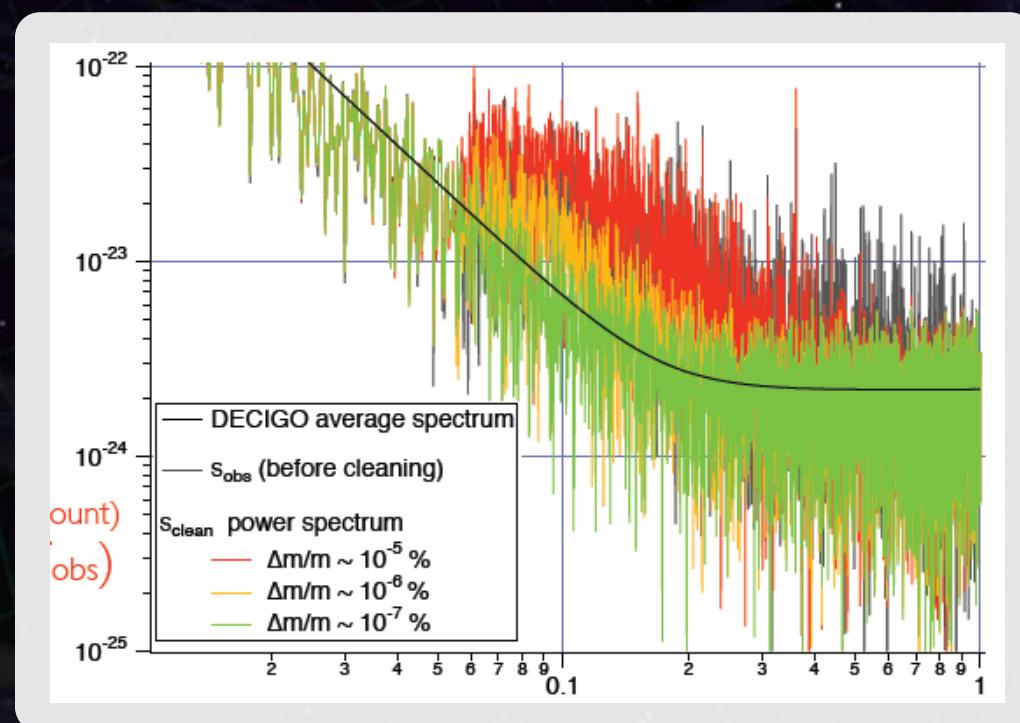


Fig: N. Kanda

## Considering “Conceptual design”

By T.Akutsu

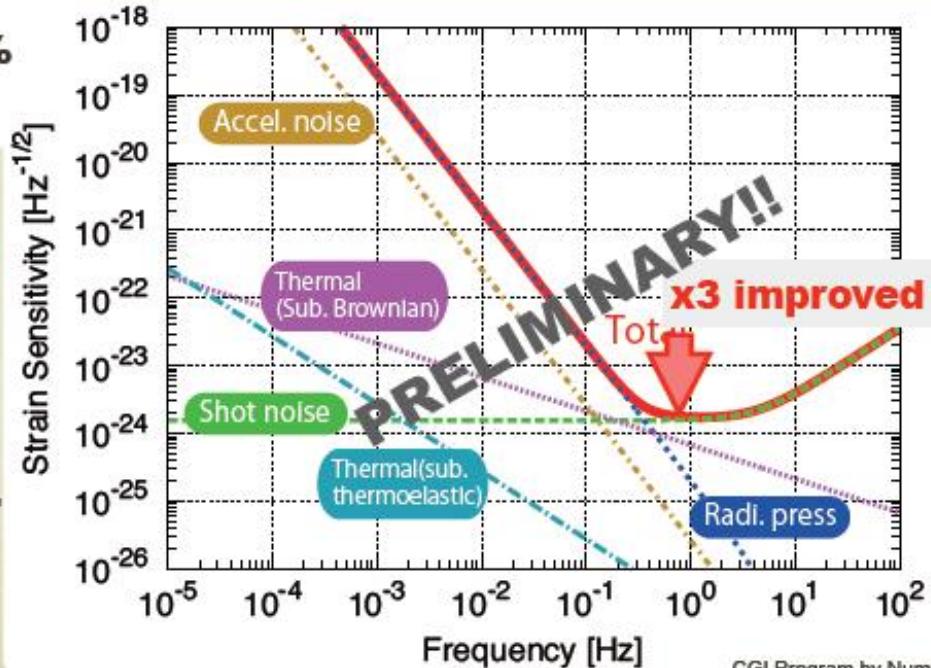
- Arm length: 1,500 km
- Laser power: 30 W
- Laser wavelength: 532 nm
- Mirror diameter: 1.5 m
- Mirror mass: 100 kg
- Mirror reflectivity: 77.3%
- Cavity g-param: 0.1

This is the first step to considering the **conceptual design**.

**Next:**

- Confirm the calculations.
- Find the realistic way to realize this!

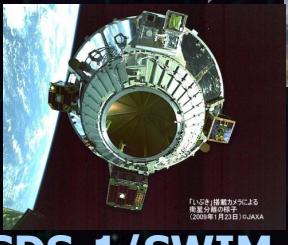
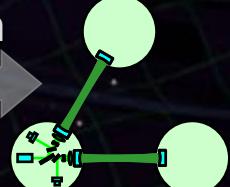
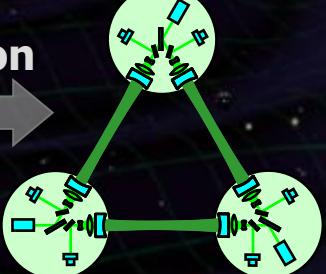
Preliminary  
← Parameters tuned



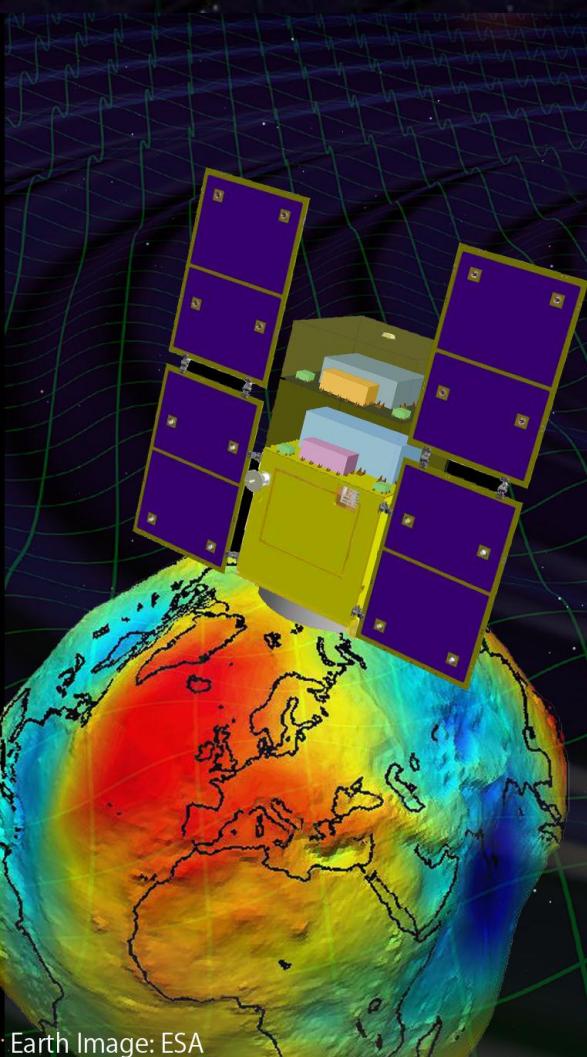
# Roadmap



Figure: S.Kawamura

	2010	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
Mission	R&D Fabrication										R&D Fabrication									
Objective	Space test of key tech. GW observation										Detect GW with min. spec FP between S/C									
Design	Single small satellite Short FP interferometer										3 S/C 1 interferometer unit									
	 SDS-1/SWIM										 Pre-DECIGO									
	 DECIGO Pathfinder (DPF)										 DECIGO									

# Targets of DPF



Earth Image: ESA

## Scientific observations

### Gravitational Waves from BH mergers

→ BH formation mechanism

### Gravity of the Earth

→ Geophysics, Earth environment

## Science technology

### Space demonstration for DECIGO

→ Most tech. with single satellite  
(IFO, Laser, Drag-free)

### Precision measurement in orbit

→ IFO measurement  
under stable zero-gravity

# DPF satellite



## DPF Payload

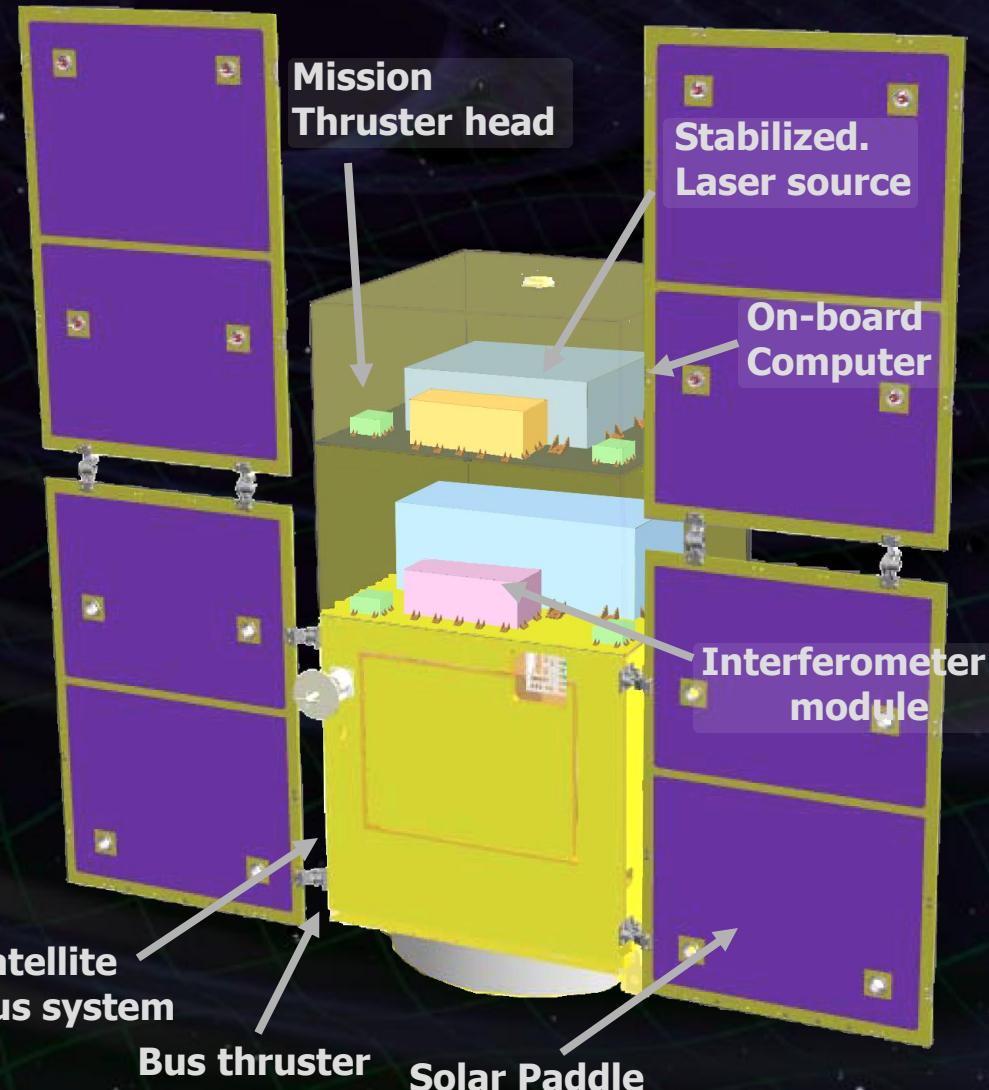
Size : 950mm cube  
Weight : 150kg  
Power : 130W  
Data Rate: 800kbps  
Mission thruster x12

Power Supply  
SpW Comm.

## Satellite Bus

('Standard bus' system)

Size :  
950x950x1100mm  
Weight : 200kg  
SAP : 960W  
Battery: 50AH  
Downlink : 2Mbps  
DR: 1GByte  
3N Thrusters x 4



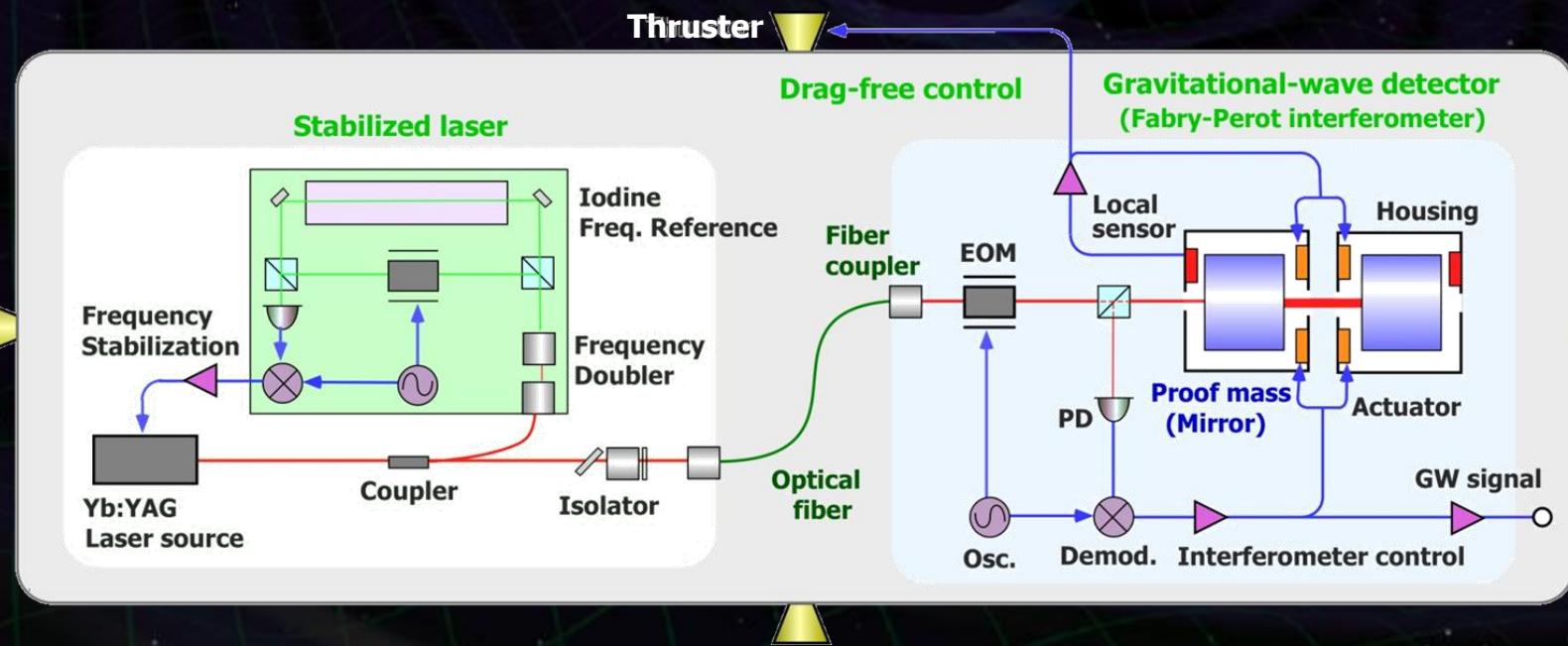
# DPF mission payload



Mission weight : ~150kg  
Mission space : ~95 x 95 x 90 cm

## Drag-free control

Local sensor signal  
→ Feedback to thrusters



## Laser source

Yb:YAG laser (1030nm)  
Power : 25mW  
Freq. stab. by Iodine abs. line

## Fabry-Perot interferometer

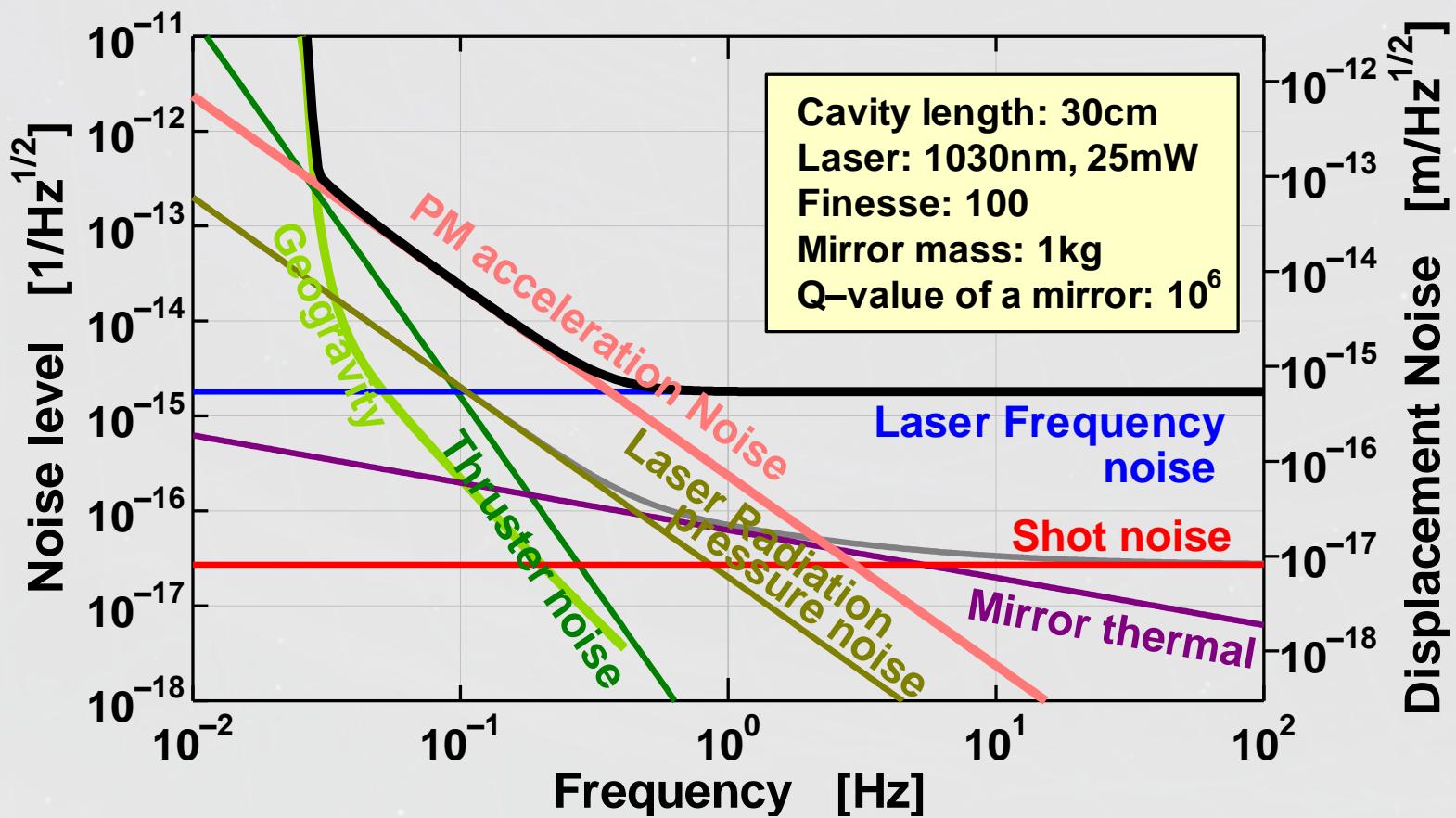
Finesse : 100  
Length : 30cm  
Test mass : ~a few kg  
Signal extraction by PDH

# DPF Sensitivity

Laser source : 1030nm, 25mW  
IFO length : 30cm  
Finesse : 100, Mirror mass : 1kg  
Q-factor :  $10^5$ , Substrate: TBD  
Temperature : 293K

Satellite mass : 350kg, Area:  $2\text{m}^2$   
Altitude: 500km  
Thruster noise:  $0.1\mu\text{N}/\text{Hz}^{1/2}$

(Preliminary parameters)



## Astronomical observation

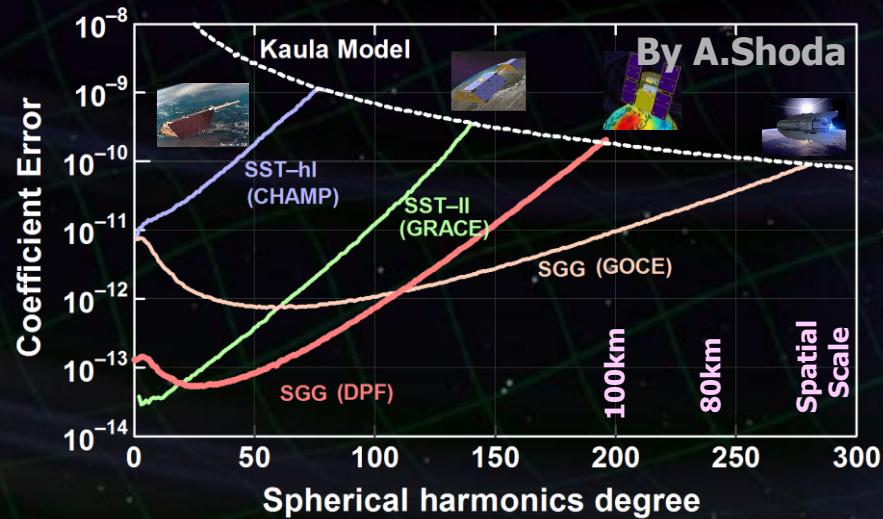
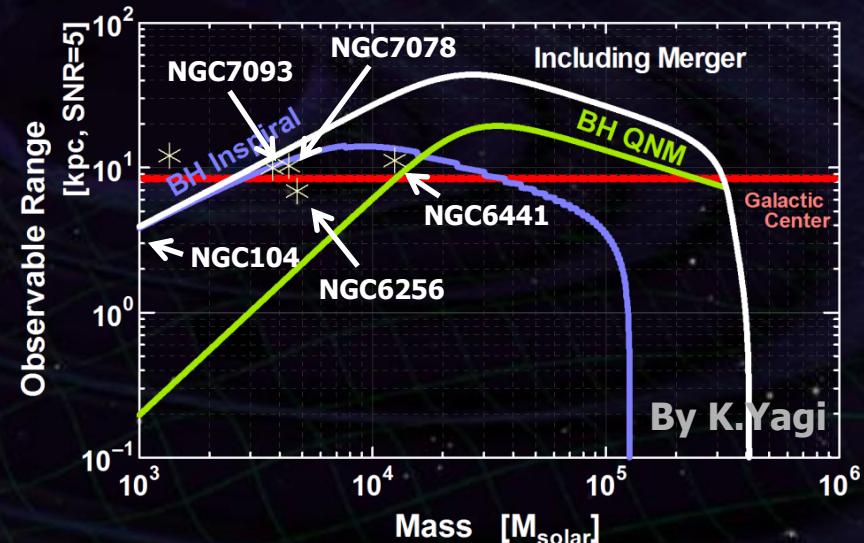
GW from merger of IMBHs  
 → Formation mechanism  
 of supermassive BHs

**~30 GCs within DPF range**

## Observation of the earth

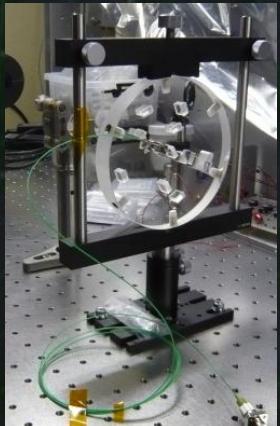
Gravitational potential  
 → Shape of the earth  
 Environment monitor

**Comparable sensitivity  
 with other missions**



## BBMs (Bread-board model) for Core Components

### Interferometer and Test-mass Module



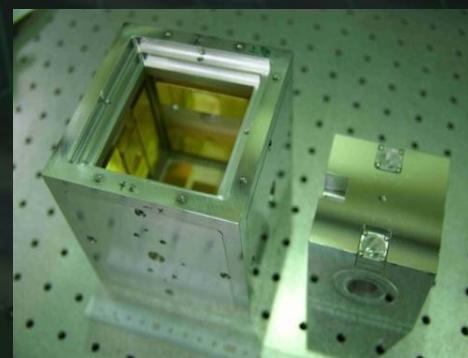
Monolithic input optics



Interferometer control Experiment

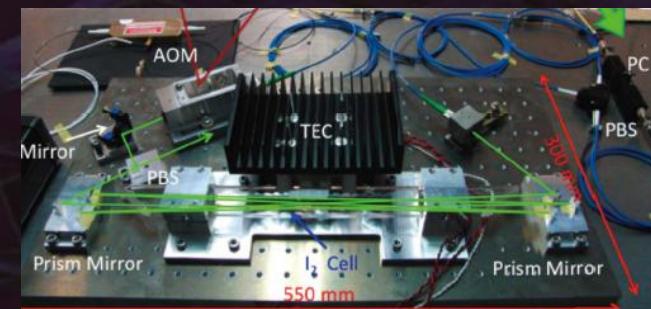


Two-dim Control Experiment



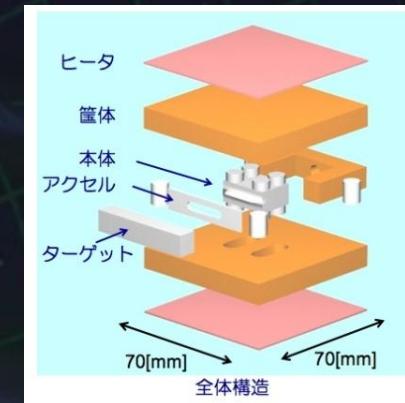
Test Mass Module

### Laser stabilization module



Freq. stabilization with I<sub>2</sub> absorption line

### Low-noise thruster module



Small low-noise thruster

# Rotating TOBA : SWIM $\mu$ v



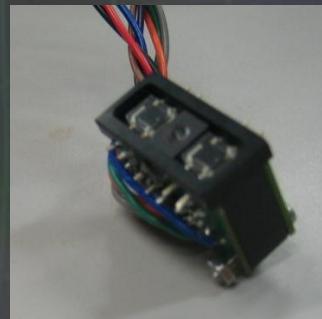
## Small Module SWIM $\mu$ v on SDS-1

Launched Jan. 2009, Terminated Sept. 2010  
→ Space test : Control, Signal processing

**TAM: Torsion Antenna Module with free-falling test mass**  
(Size : 80mm cube, Weight : ~500g)

### Test mass

~47g Aluminum, Surface polished  
Small magnets for position control



### Photo sensor

Reflective-type optical  
displacement sensor  
Separation to mass ~1mm  
Sensitivity ~  $10^{-9}$  m/Hz $^{1/2}$   
6 PSs to monitor mass motion

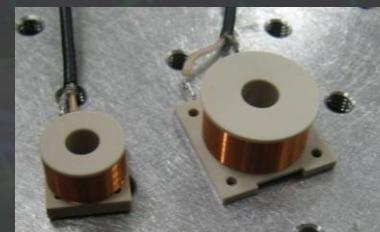
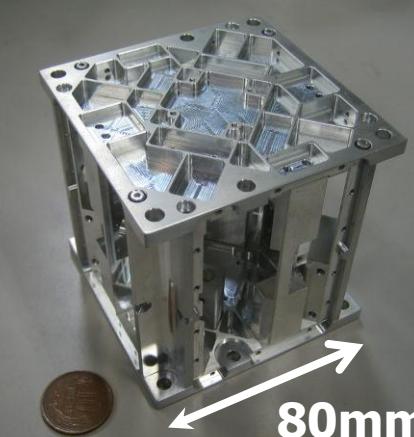


Photo:  
JAXA



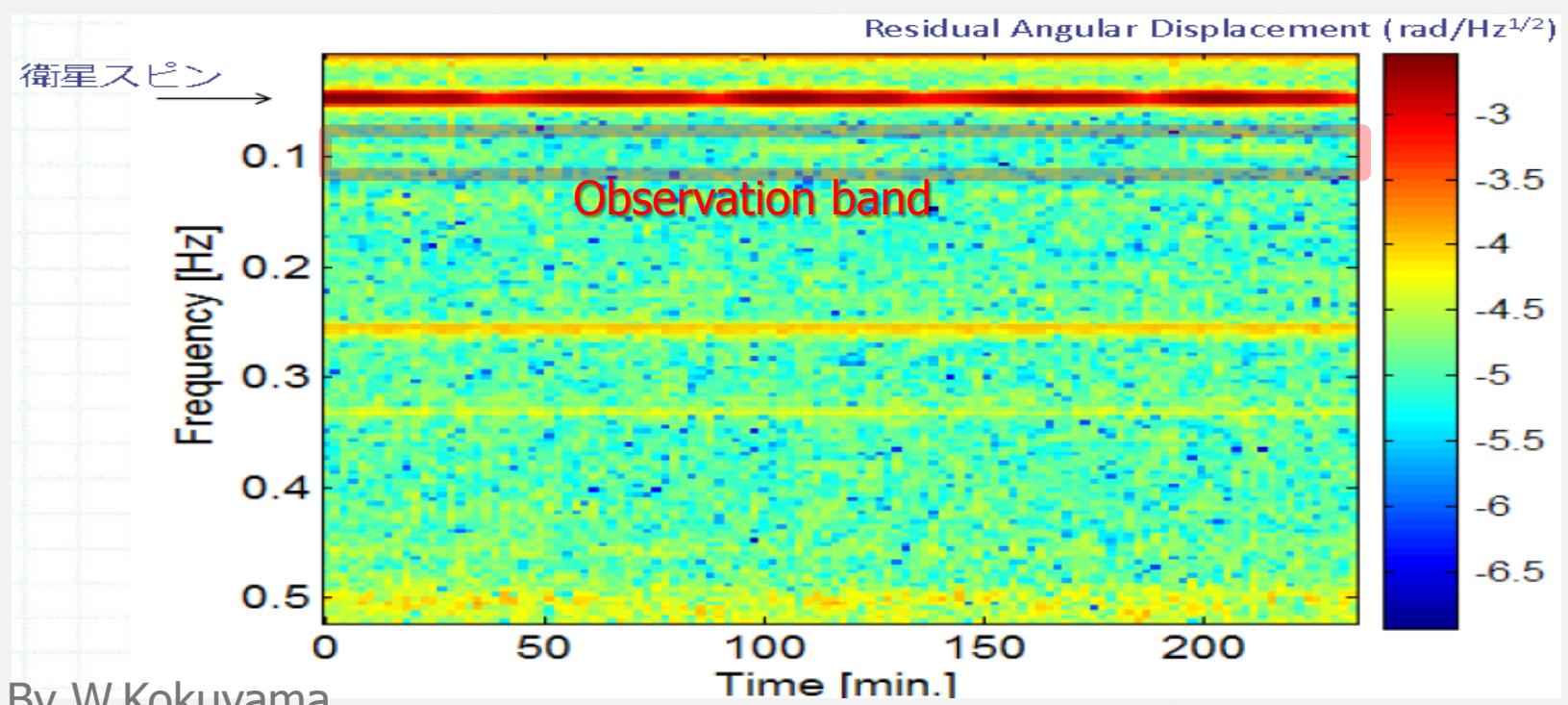
# Observation by SWIM

DECTGO

Continuous data taking

Jun 17, 2010 ~120 min.

July 15, 2010 ~240 min.



By W.Kokuyama

## DPF : One of the candidate of JAXA's small satellite series



At least 3 satellite in 5 years with  
Standard Bus + M-V follow-on rocket

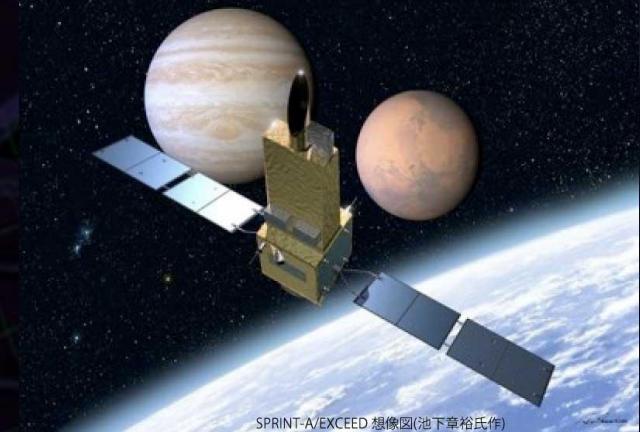
1<sup>st</sup> mission (2013): SPRINT-A/EXCEED

2<sup>nd</sup> mission (~2015) : SPRINT-B/ERG

DPF survived until final two

3<sup>rd</sup> mission (~2016/17) : TBD

Call for proposal : FY2012



SPRINT-A / EXCEED  
UV telescope mission



Next-generation  
Solid rocket booster (M-V FO)  
Fig. by JAXA

**DPF is one of the strongest  
candidates of the 3<sup>rd</sup> mission**

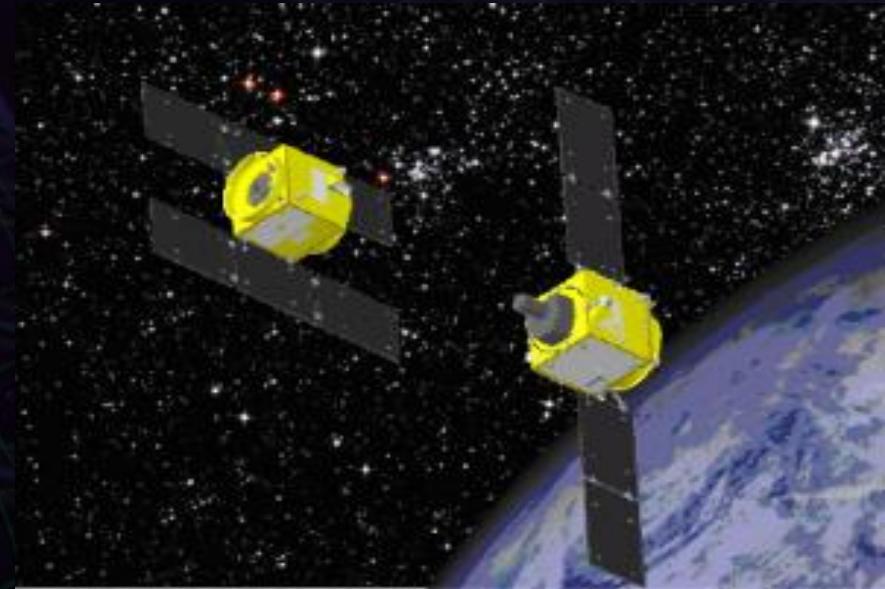
## FRONT :

(Formation flight, Relative Orbit and Navigation Technology demonstration mission)

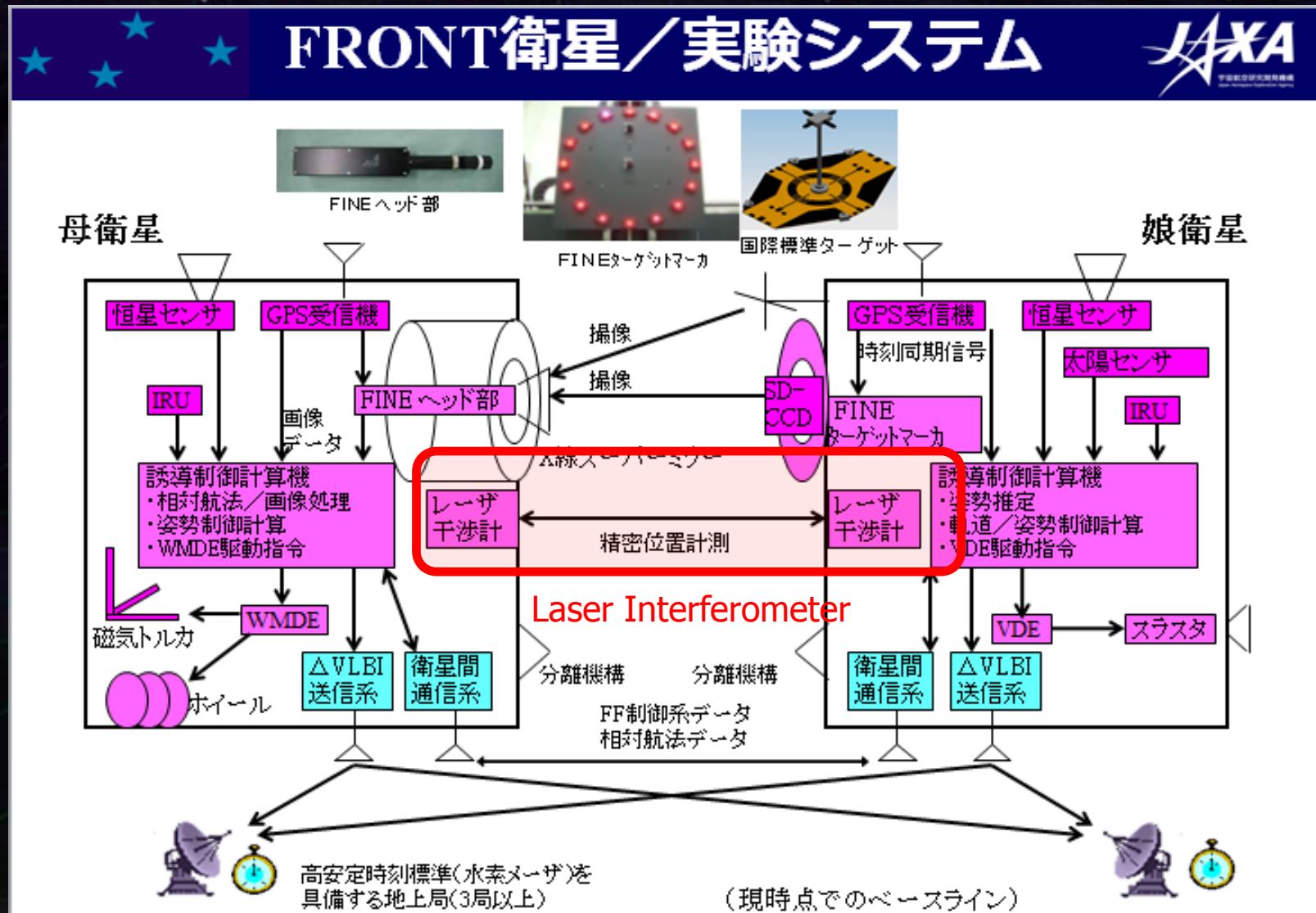
- Mission target
  - High-precision formation flight
  - Relative orbit determination
  - Relative navigation system



- Collaboration with science missions :
  - X-ray telescope,
  - InSAR (Synthetic Aperture Radar)
  - Gravitational-wave telescope



Under mission study  
in JAXA (Tsukuba)



By Kawano (56th Space Science and Technology conference, Nov.20, 2012 Beppu, Oita)

# Summary

## DECIGO : Fruitful Sciences

Very beginning of the Universe

Dark energy, Dark matter

Galaxy formation

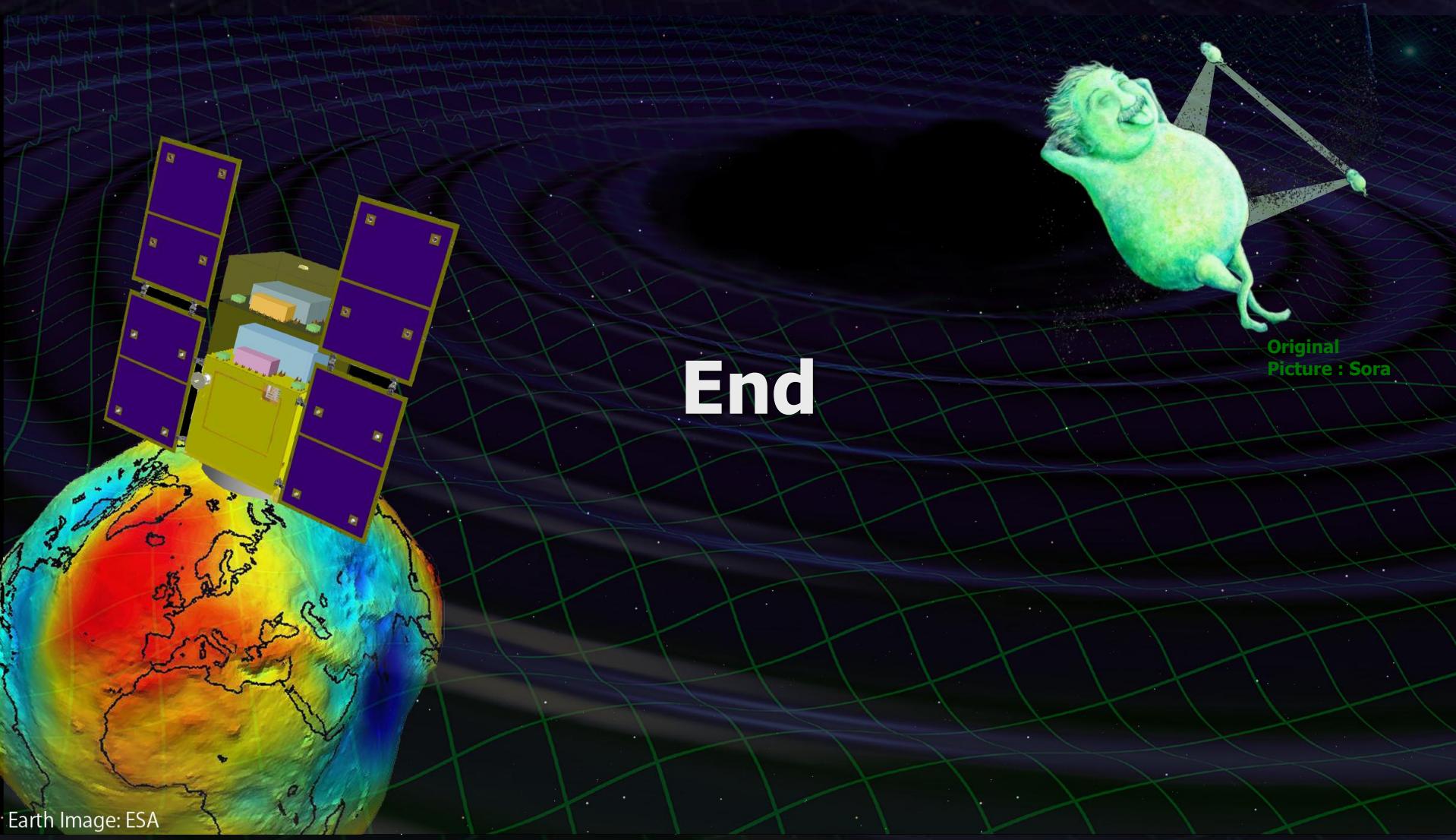
Fundamental Physics

## DECIGO Pathfinder

Important milestone for DECIGO

Observation of GWs and Earth's gravity

Strong candidate of JAXA's satellite series



End

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