

Hunting environmental noise in Virgo

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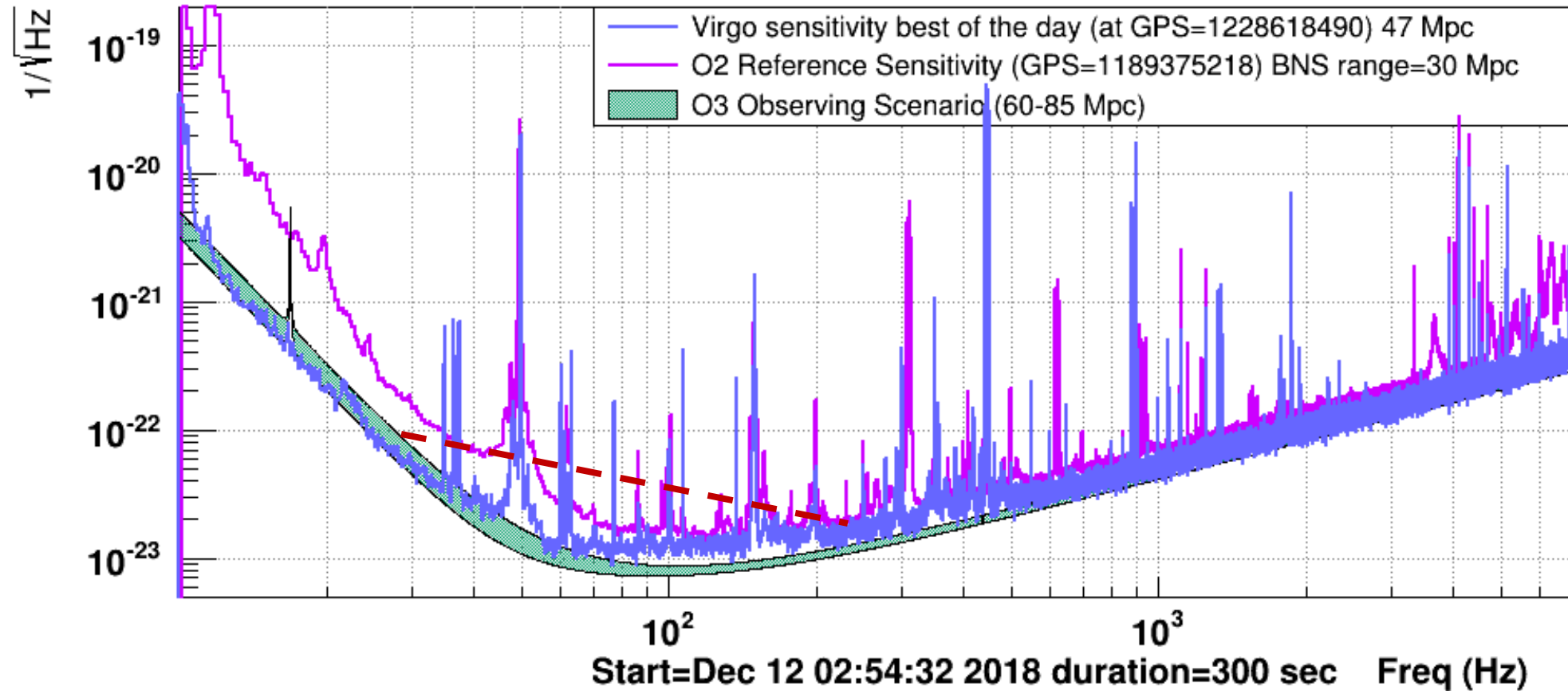
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This talk

- Introduce *Noise* of a GW detector:
 - classes, monitoring, sources (environmental)
- Show working examples, focusing on:
 - Peculiar T-F patterns
 - Investigation methods
 - Investigation tools

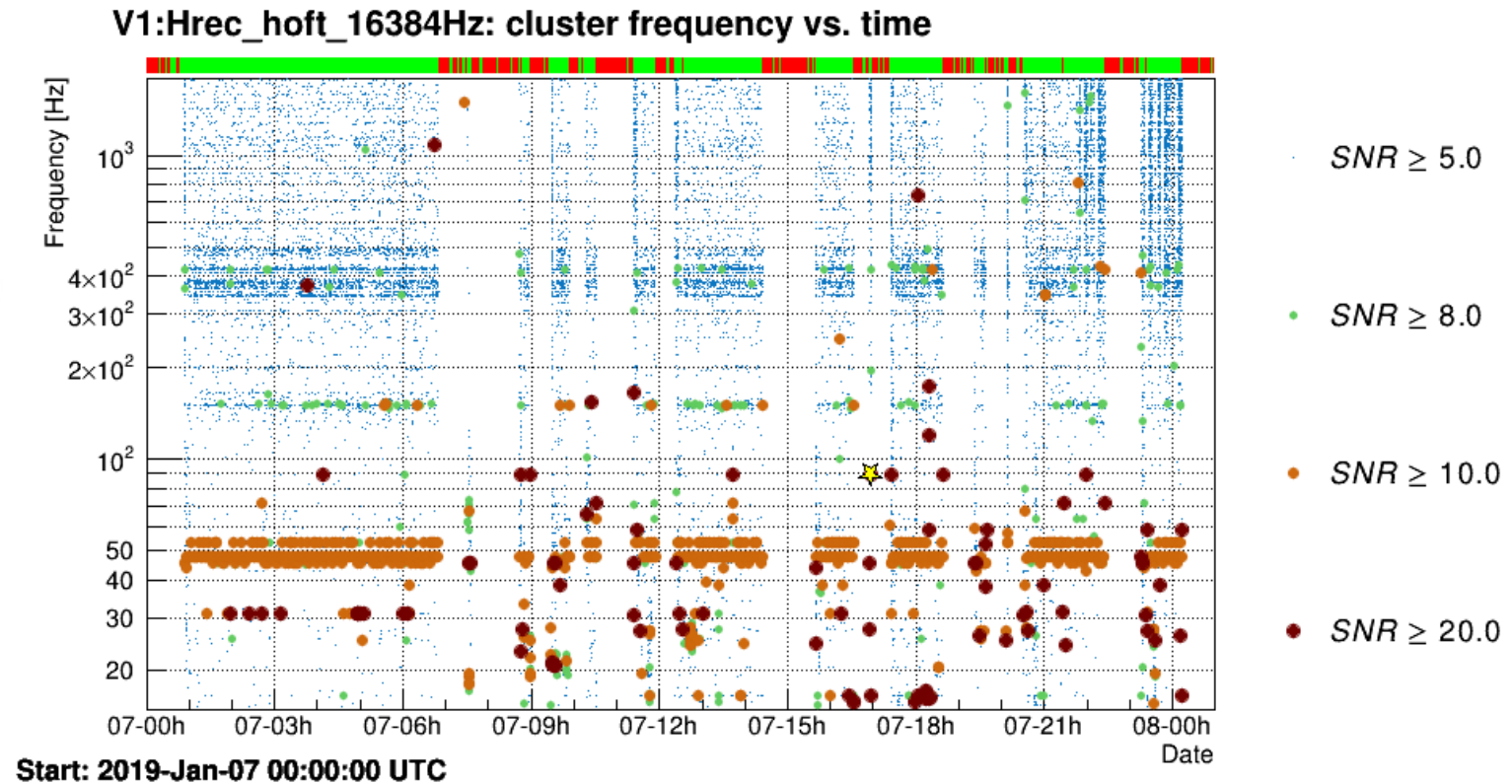
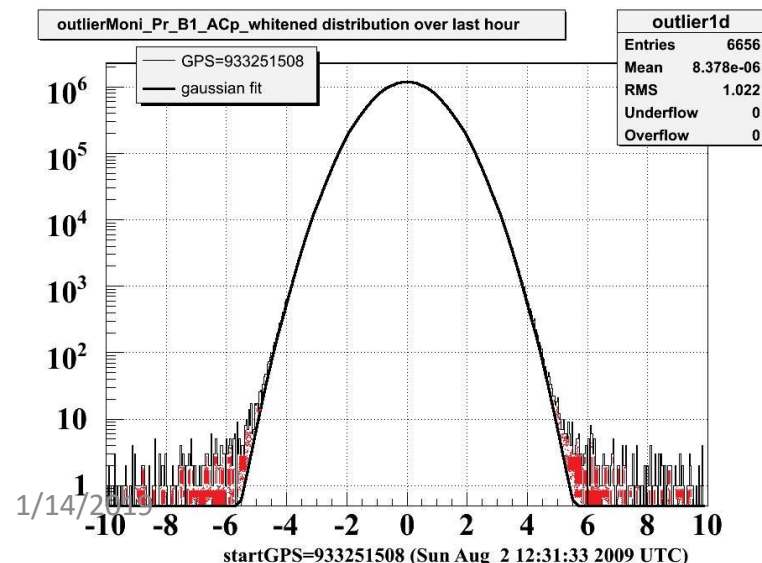
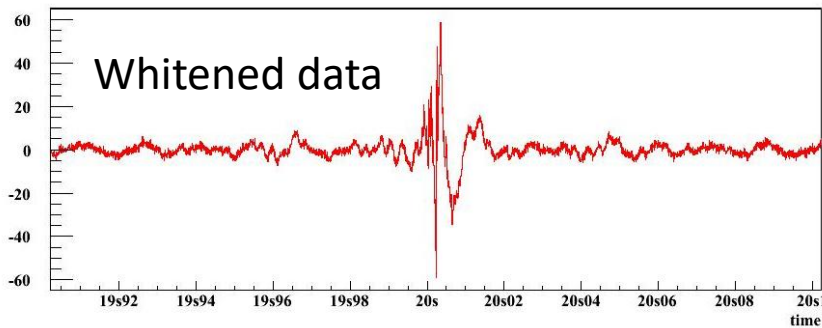
The Virgo noise curve

Sensitivity for best BNS range of the day (47 Mpc)



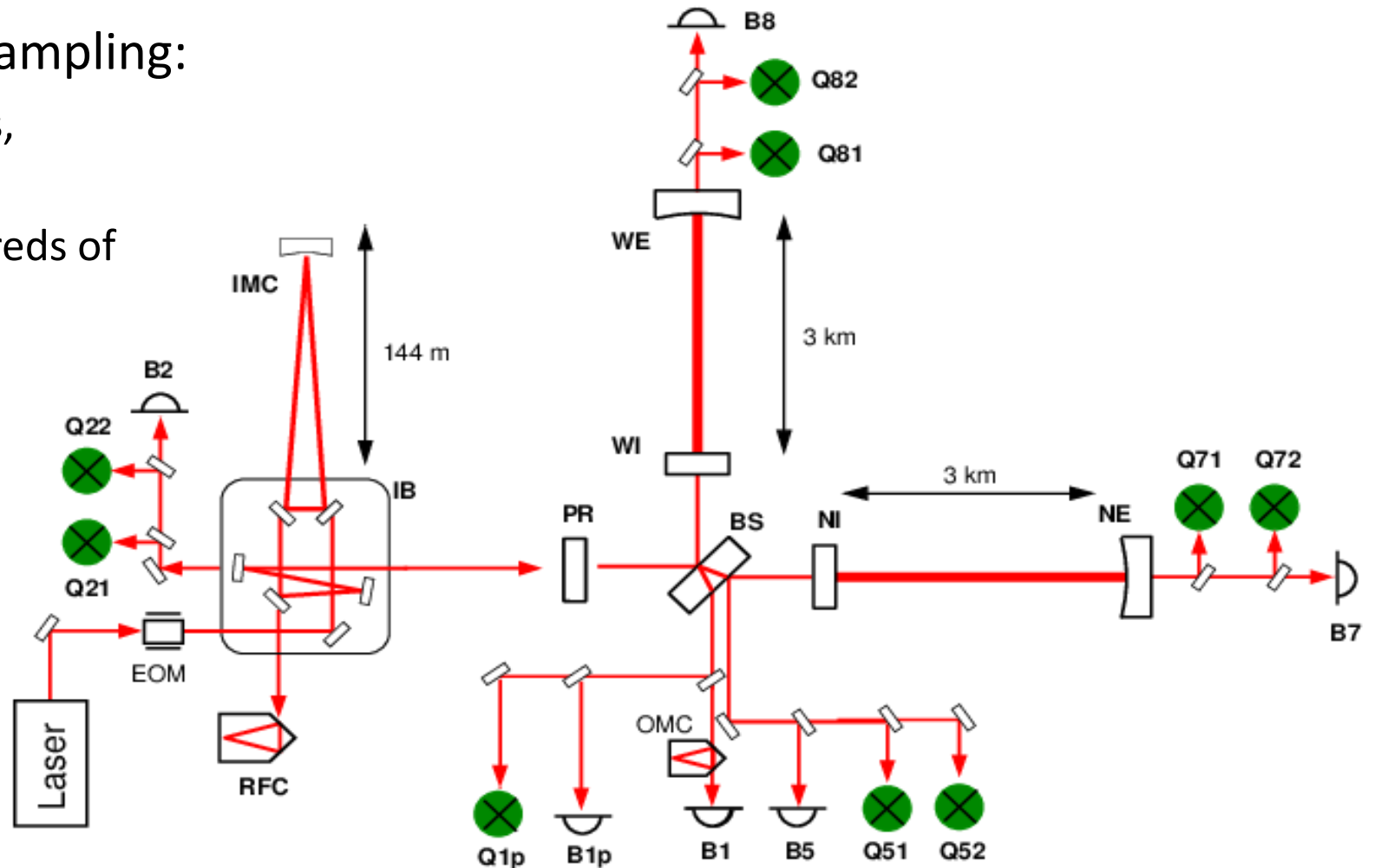
Transient noise

- Some (not all) of searched GW signals are short transients: coalescences, supernovae (few 100ms to few sec long). Quest for: stationary detector noise. Glitch-gram (transients are detected as energy clusters as specific time, frequency and S/N)



Interferometer Monitoring

- $\approx 10,000$ FAST probes, kHz sampling:
 - Beam monitors (photodiodes, quadrants, cameras)
 - Actuation & sensing of hundreds of feedback loops
 - Distributed clocks
 - Environment monitors
- Data flow is ≈ 50 MB/s



Environmental monitoring

- ≈200 fast probes (1 to 20kHz sampling)

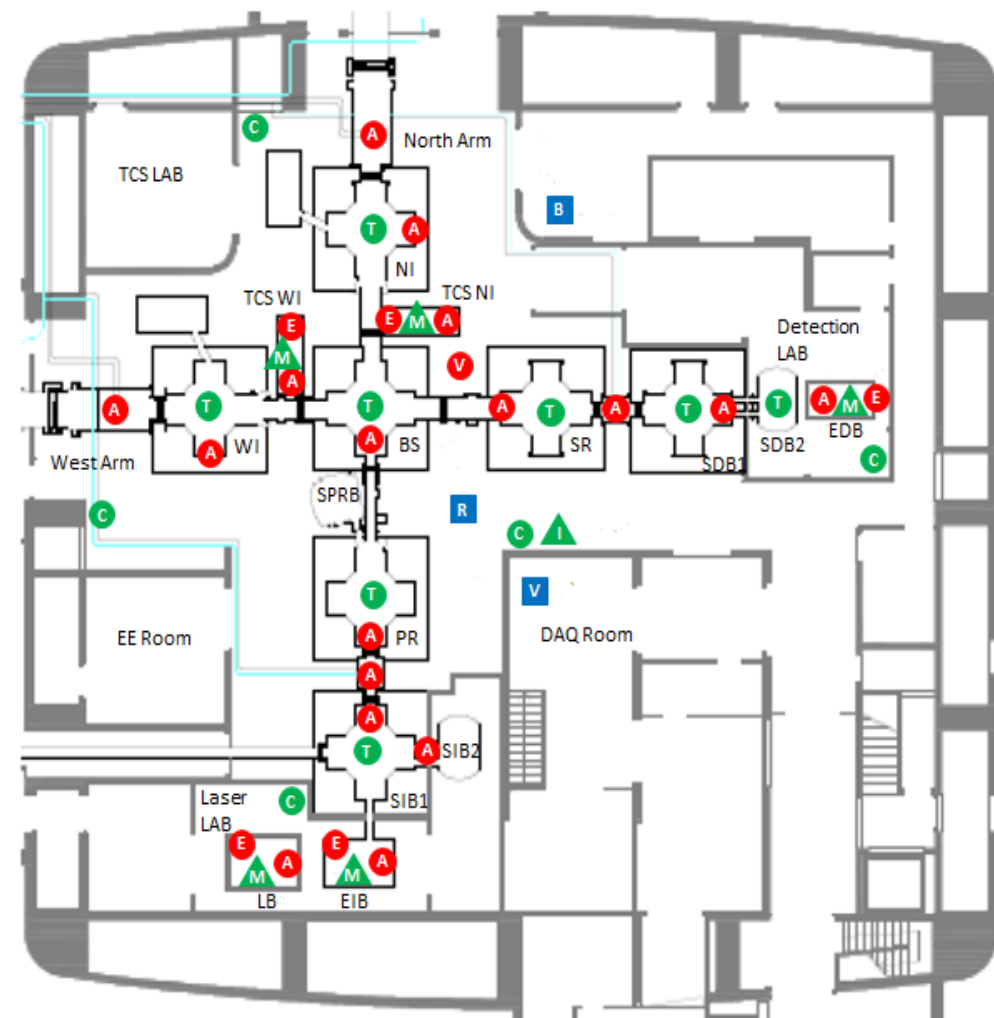
- seismometers, accelerometers
- microphones
- RF antennae
- magnetic, voltage, current

- ≈12000 slow probes (1Hz sampling):

- ENV temperatures, weather, lightings;
- infrastructure machines, HVAC, UPS, vacuum system

● Accelerometer
● Episor
● Velocimeter
● Thermometer
● Comb. (temp.+press.+hum.)
● Microphone
● Infrasound microphone
● Magnetometer
● Voltage probe
● Current probe
● Radio frequency antenna

Probes are close to ITF critical parts (prone to couple ENV noise). The idea is that they are capable to measure ENV disturbances with S/N much better than ITF



Sources of Environmental noise

Virgo is very well isolated from the environment (suspended mirrors and optical benches seismic, in-vacuum beams) but the required low noise is Extremely(!) demanding

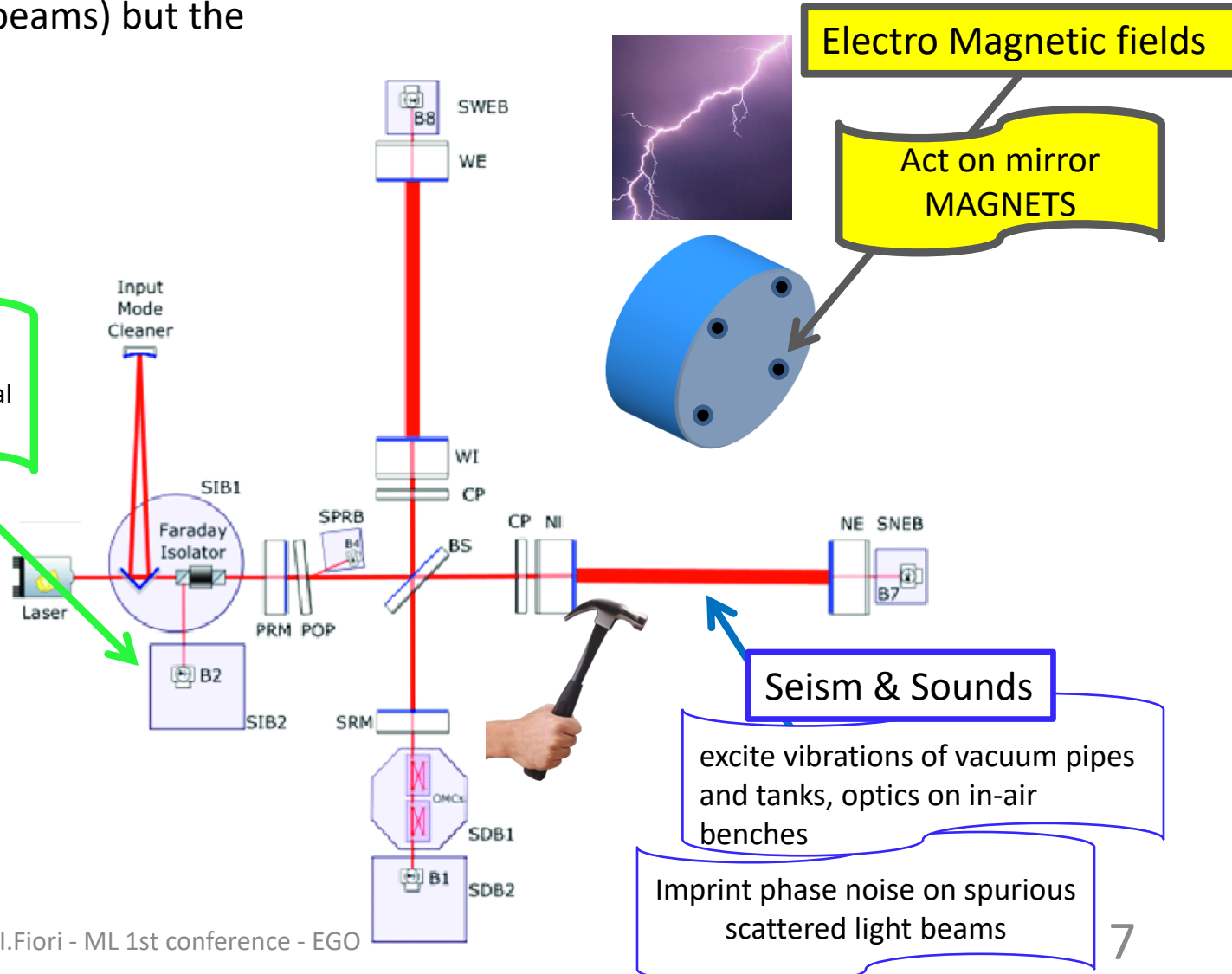
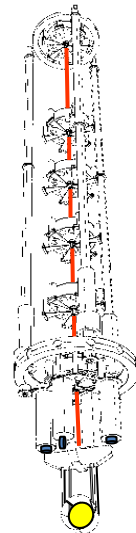


Radio waves
(6MHz, 8MHz,
56MHz)

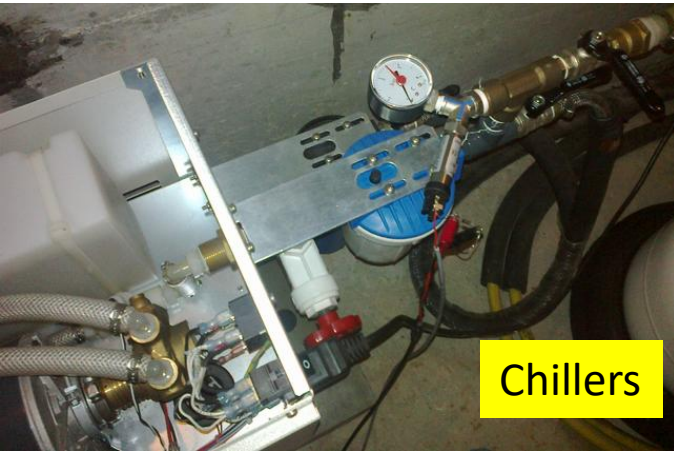
Photodiodes RF modulated
used for angular and longitudinal
controls (heterodyne)

Slow ground motion

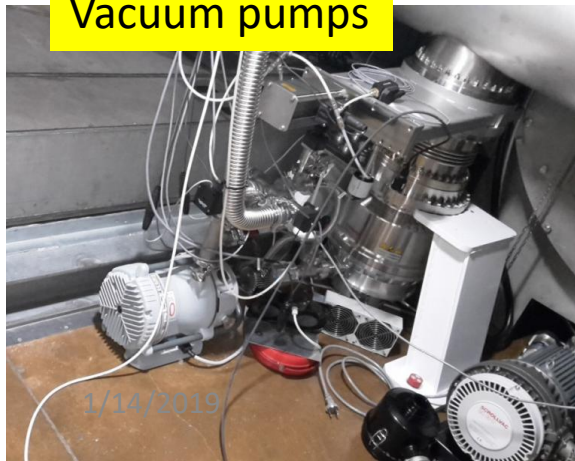
Excite mechanical modes
of mirrors and optical
benches suspensions



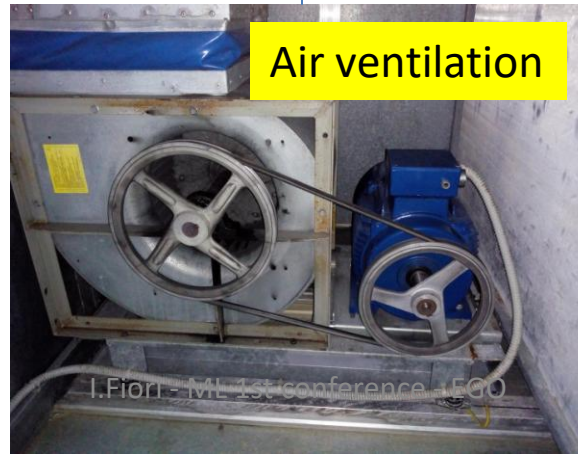
Noise sources: interferometer infrastructure



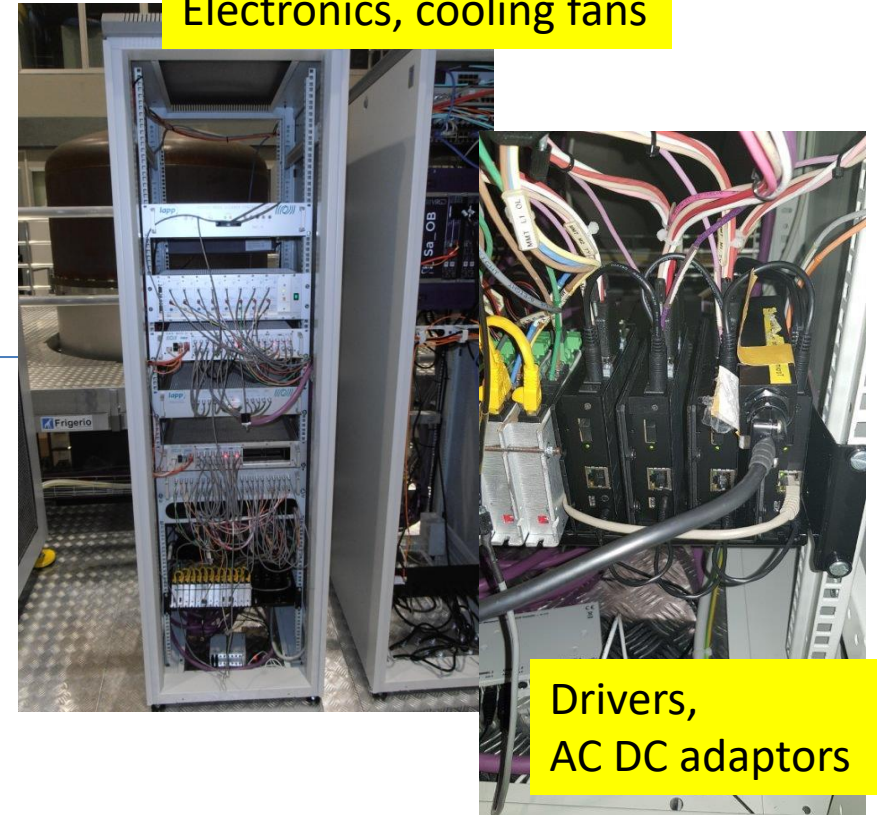
Chillers



Vacuum pumps



Air ventilation



Electronics, cooling fans

Drivers,
AC DC adaptors

External sources... distant but loud!



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The Hunter work

(Reading from The *Hunter's Handbook* ...)

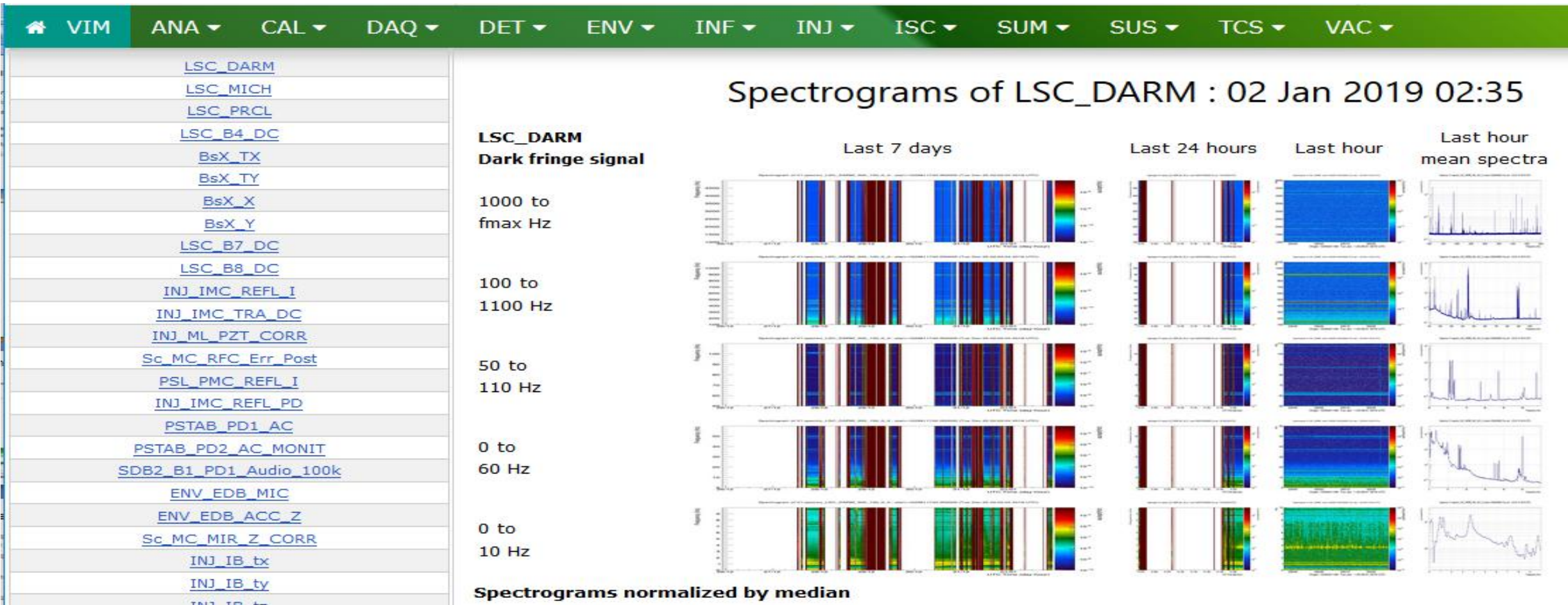
Phase 1 – identify noise source and path

- Visual inspection of signals and (mostly) of time-frequency images
- Correlation with other channels, or events (reading e-logbook activity reports)

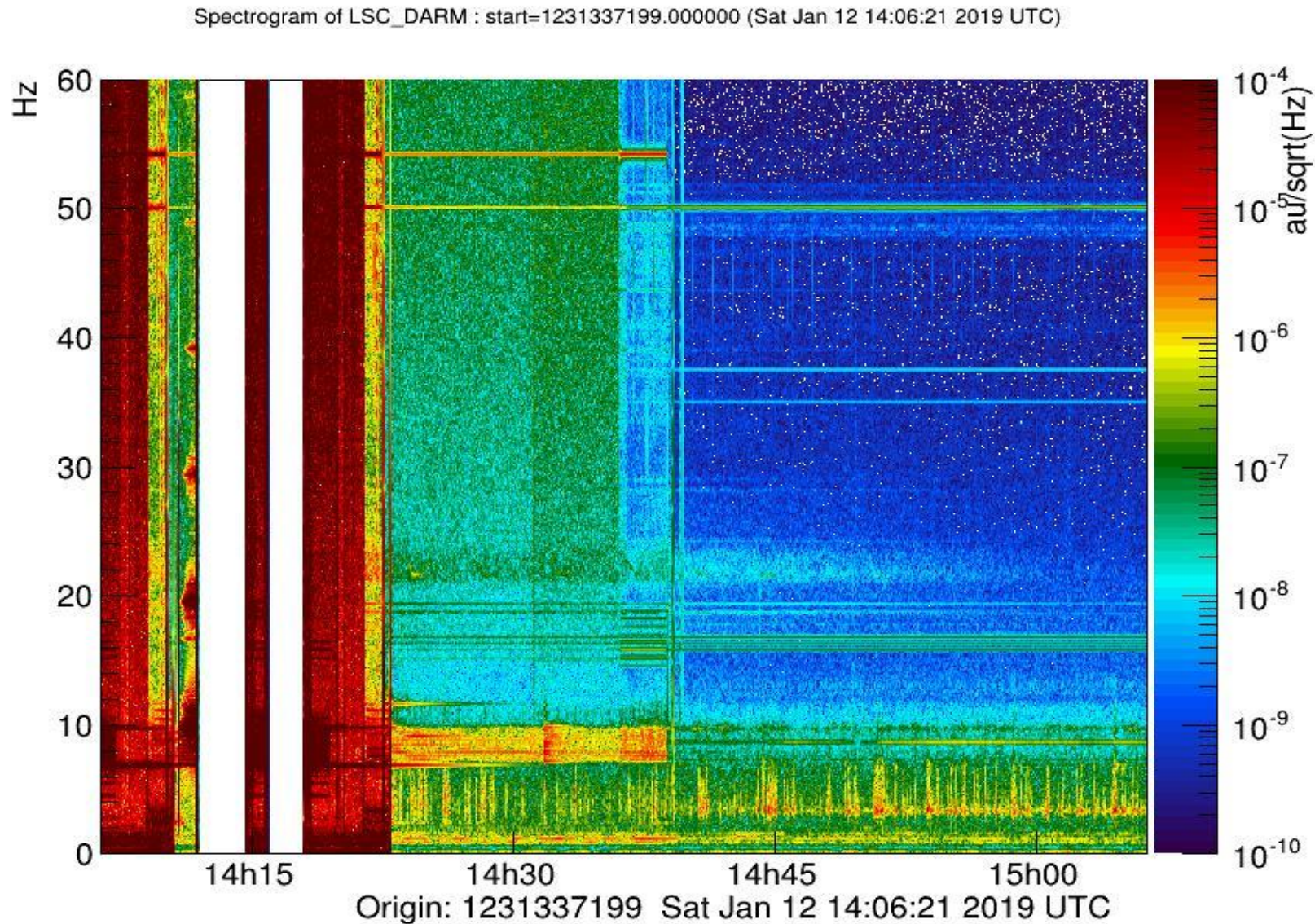
!! Tons of data (50 MB/s) → Need for automation !!

Phase 2 – devise and implement mitigation actions

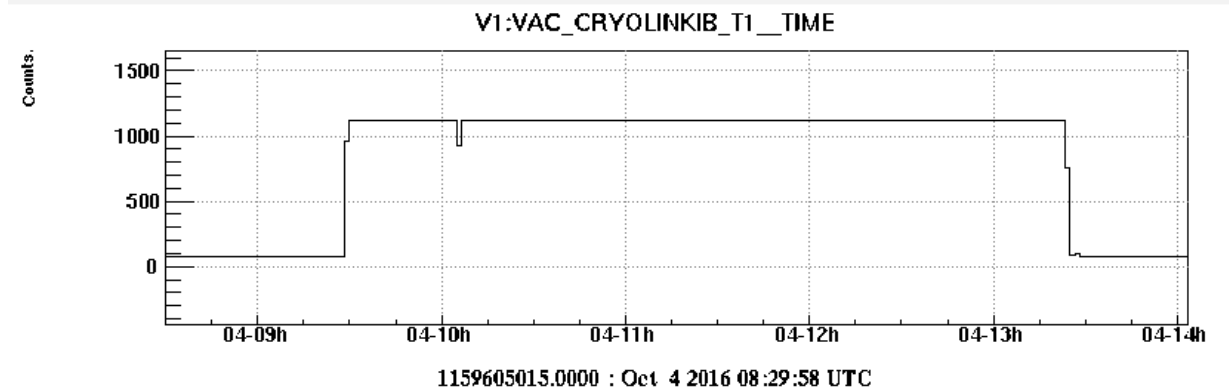
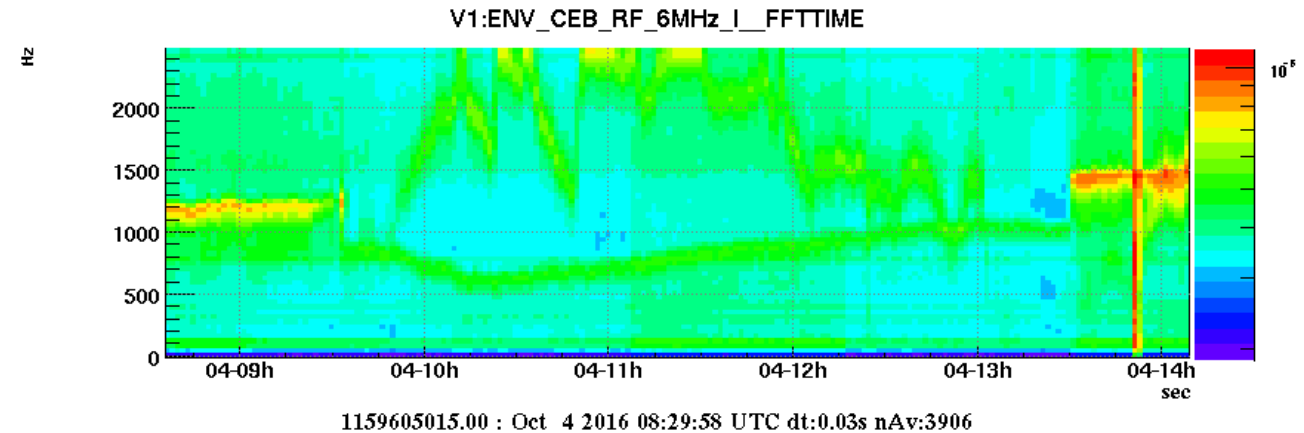
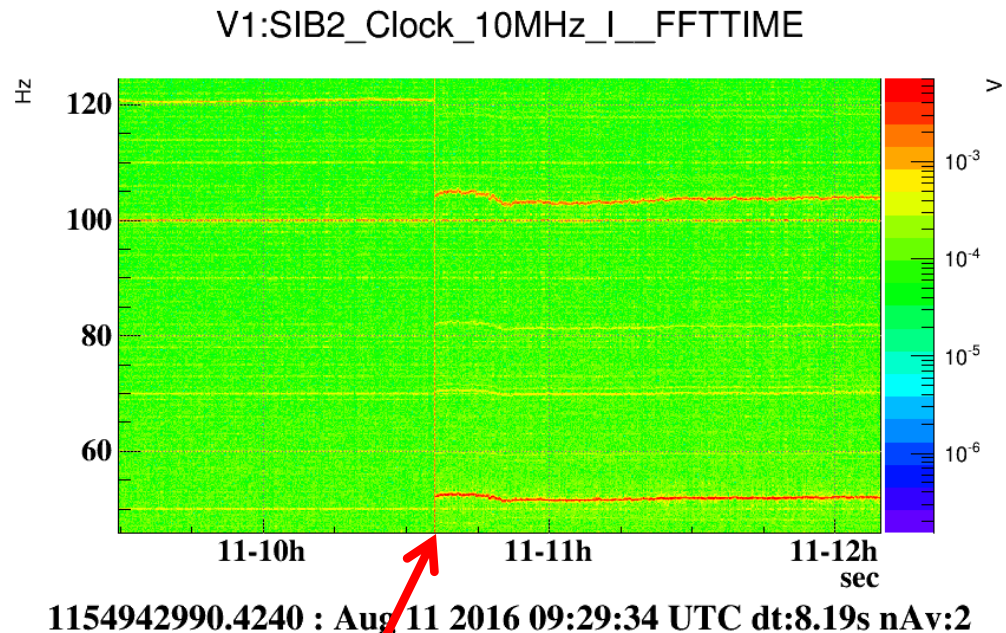
Inspection of T-F images



Inspection of Time-Frequency images



Correlate on/off lines



AdV-COM (AdV commissioning (1st part))

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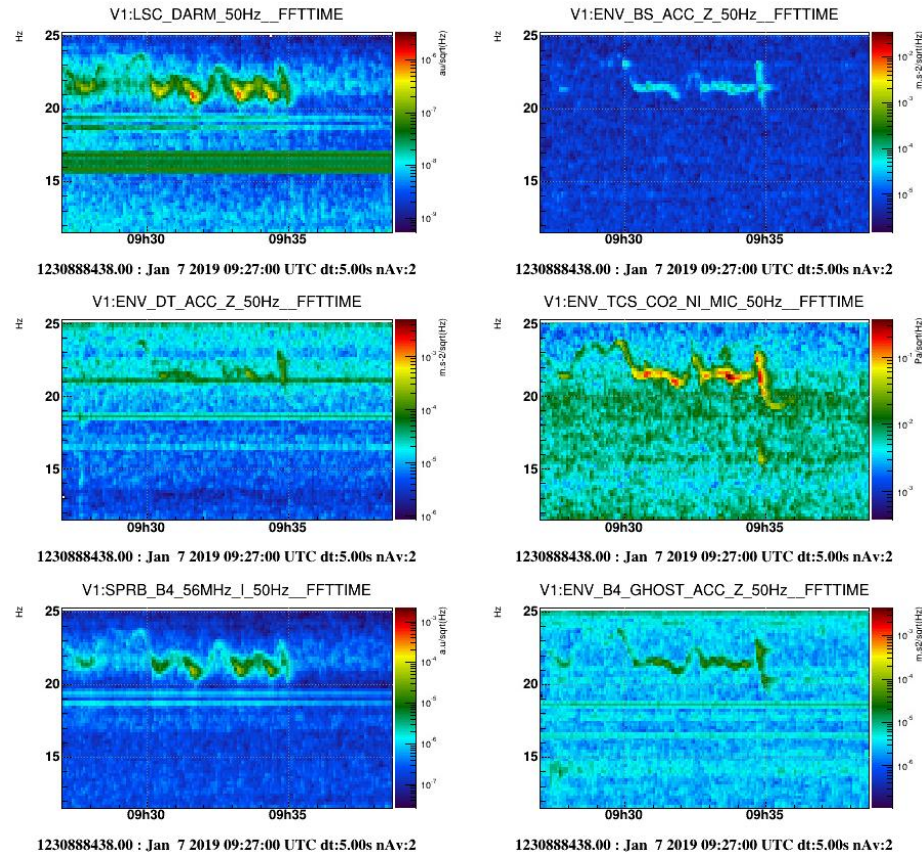
Atomic **GPS** reciever

We observed that the **GPS** status propagated by the IRIGB is at

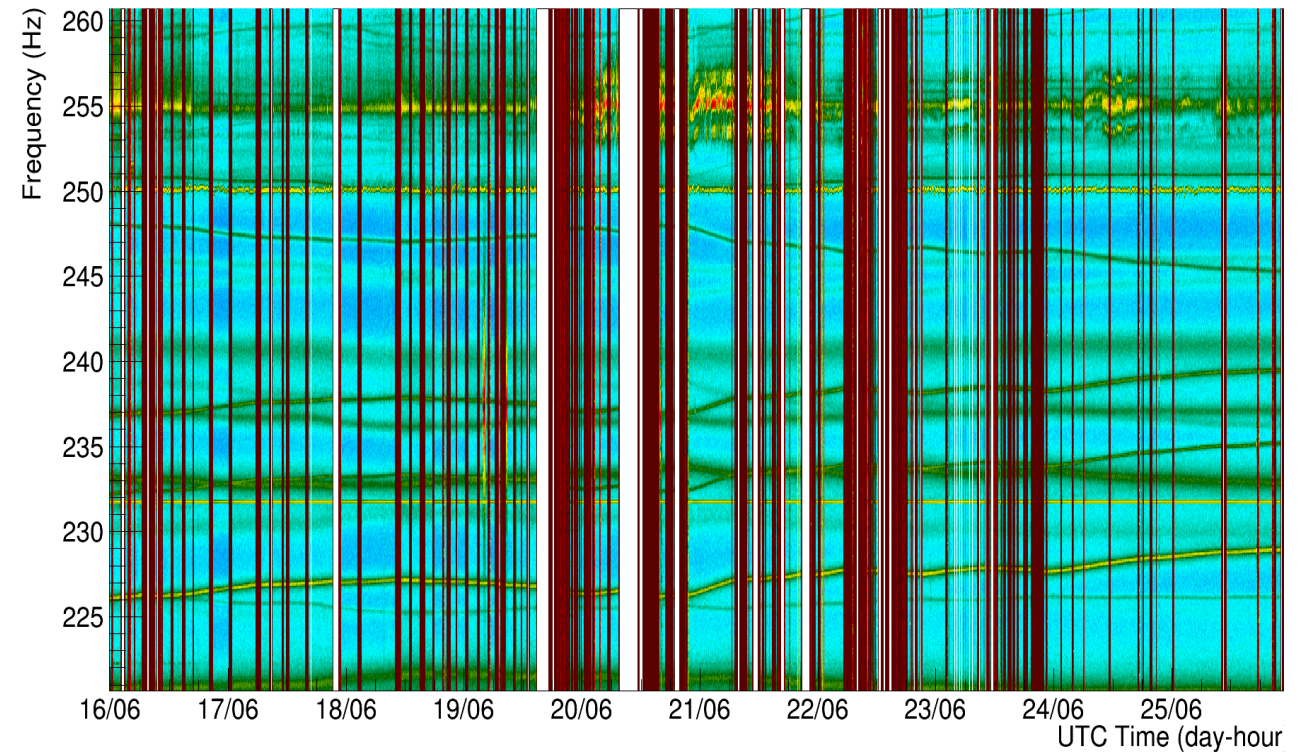
I bring from LAPP an atomic **GPS** receiver with its cable and ant
and to compare the IRIGB generated by an Atomic **GPS** receiver

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Repeated T-F patterns



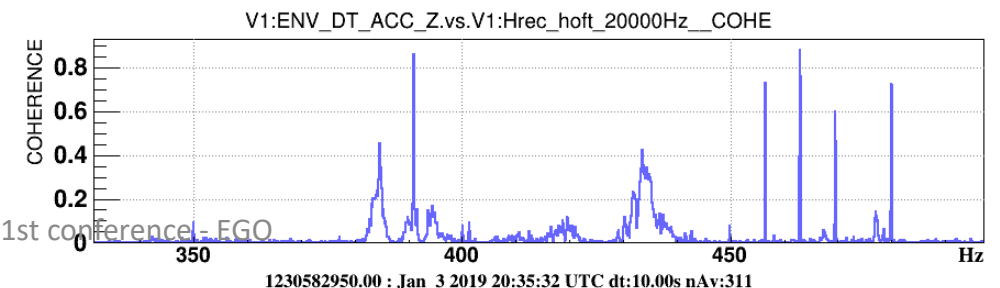
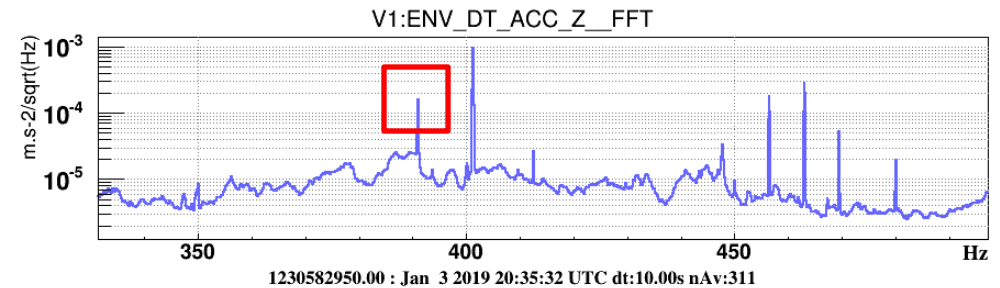
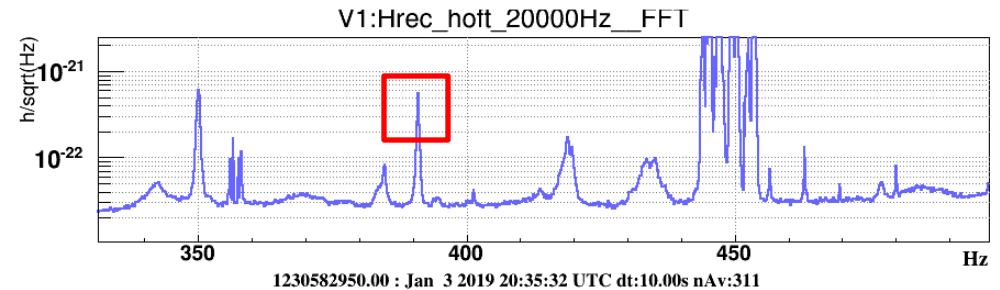
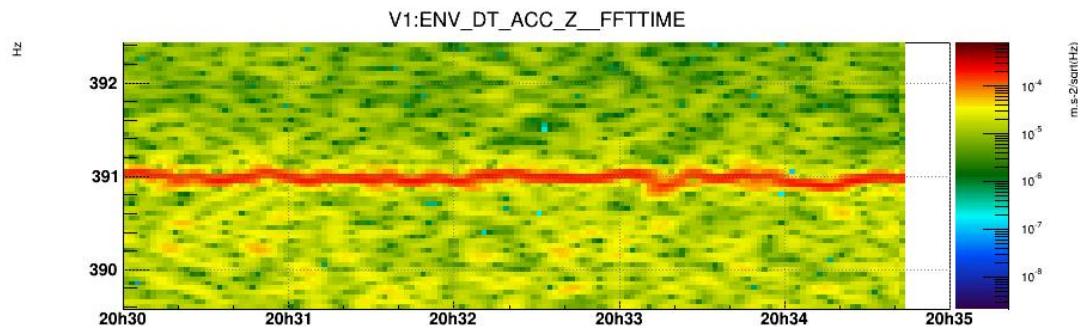
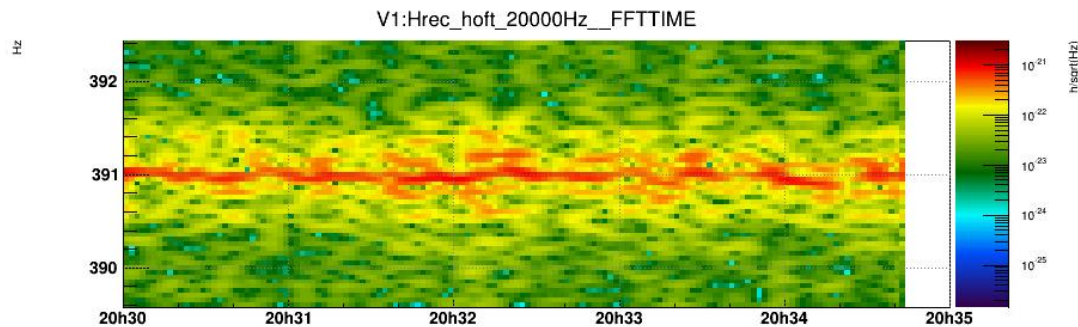
Spectrogram of V1:spectro_LSC_DARM_300_100_0_0 : start=1181606078.000000 (Thu Jun 15 23:54:20 2017 UTC)



Case of seismic source, cooling fan

- Noise linearly coupling to ITF:
expect significant coherence with the witness channels

$$C_{xy}(\omega) = \frac{|P_{xy}(\omega)|^2}{P_{xx}(\omega)P_{yy}(\omega)}$$



“Brute force” Coherence tool

- BruCo – *computes and ranks Coherence* between Hrec and all AUXILIARY channels (G.Vajente, <https://dcc.ligo.org/LIGO-G1500230>)

“brute force” approach = search noise correlation in ALL (not obvious) channels (i.e. $O(10000 \text{ channels})$!)

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LSC_DARM, top 20 coherences at all frequencies

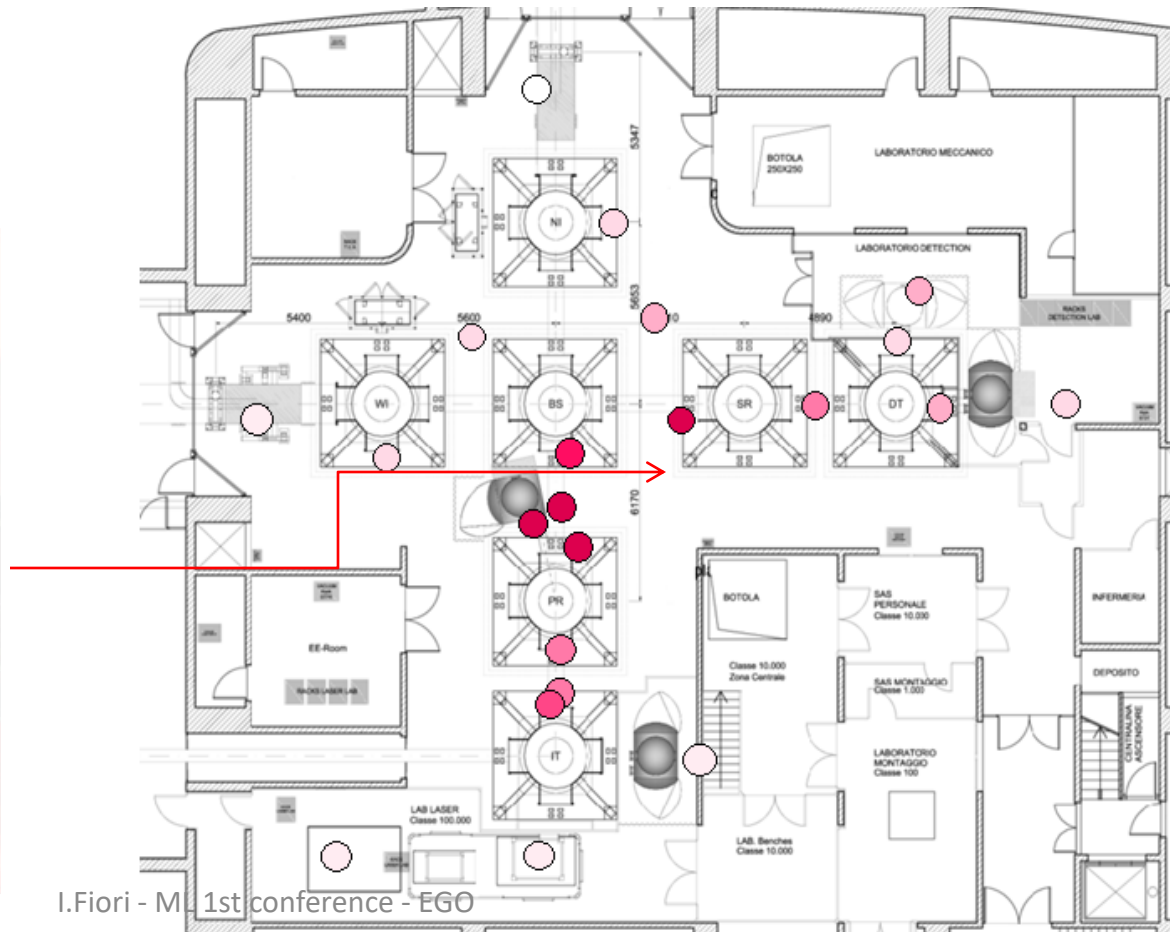
GPS 1230867916 + 600 s, UTC 3:44:58 2019/1/7 + 600 s

Frequency [Hz]	Top channels										
390.87	ENV_DT_ACC_Z (0.19)	ENV_DT_CT_ACC_Z (0.17)	ENV_SOZ_MIC (0.04)	ENV_IB_CT_ACC_X (0.04)	ENV_DT_CT_FINGER_Y (0.03)						
391.11	ENV_CEB_MIC (0.12)	ENV_DT_ACC_Z (0.11)	ENV_B4_GHOST_ACC_Z (0.10)	ENV_DT_CT_ACC_Z (0.08)	ENV_SOZ_MIC (0.07)	ENV_NI_CT_ACC_Z (0.07)	ENV_SOZ_PIPE_ACC_Y (0.07)	ENV_PR_ACC_Z (0.07)	ENV_IB_CT_ACC_X (0.06)	ENV_IB_CT_FINGER_Y (0.05)	ENV_SPRB_LINK_ACC_Z (0.05)
391.36	ENV_B4_GHOST_ACC_Z (0.60)	ENV_CEB_MIC (0.58)	ENV_DT_ACC_Z (0.58)	ENV_SPRB_LINK_ACC_Z (0.58)	ENV_PR_ACC_Z (0.58)	ENV_SOZ_PIPE_ACC_Y (0.57)	ENV_NI_CT_ACC_Z (0.57)	ENV_DT_CT_ACC_Z (0.55)	ENV_IB_CT_FINGER_Y (0.54)	ENV_NI_LINK_ACC_Z (0.54)	ENV_SOZ_ACC_Y (0.53)
391.60	ENV_B4_GHOST_ACC_Z (0.72)	ENV_PR_ACC_Z (0.71)	ENV_NI_CT_ACC_Z (0.71)	ENV_DT_ACC_Z (0.70)	ENV_SPRB_LINK_ACC_Z (0.70)	ENV_CEB_MIC (0.70)	ENV_DT_CT_ACC_Z (0.69)	ENV_SOZ_ACC_Y (0.69)	ENV_EDB_MIC (0.68)	ENV_SOZ_PIPE_ACC_Y (0.68)	ENV_IB_CT_FINGER_Y (0.68)
391.85	ENV_PR_ACC_Z (0.41)	ENV_CEB_MIC (0.40)	ENV_B4_GHOST_ACC_Z (0.39)	ENV_NI_CT_ACC_Z (0.38)	ENV_DT_CT_ACC_Z (0.37)	ENV_DT_ACC_Z (0.37)	ENV_SOZ_PIPE_ACC_Y (0.37)	ENV_SPRB_LINK_ACC_Z (0.36)	ENV_IB_CT_ACC_X (0.36)	ENV_SOZ_ACC_Y (0.35)	ENV_BS_ACC_Z (0.34)
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Locate the noise source

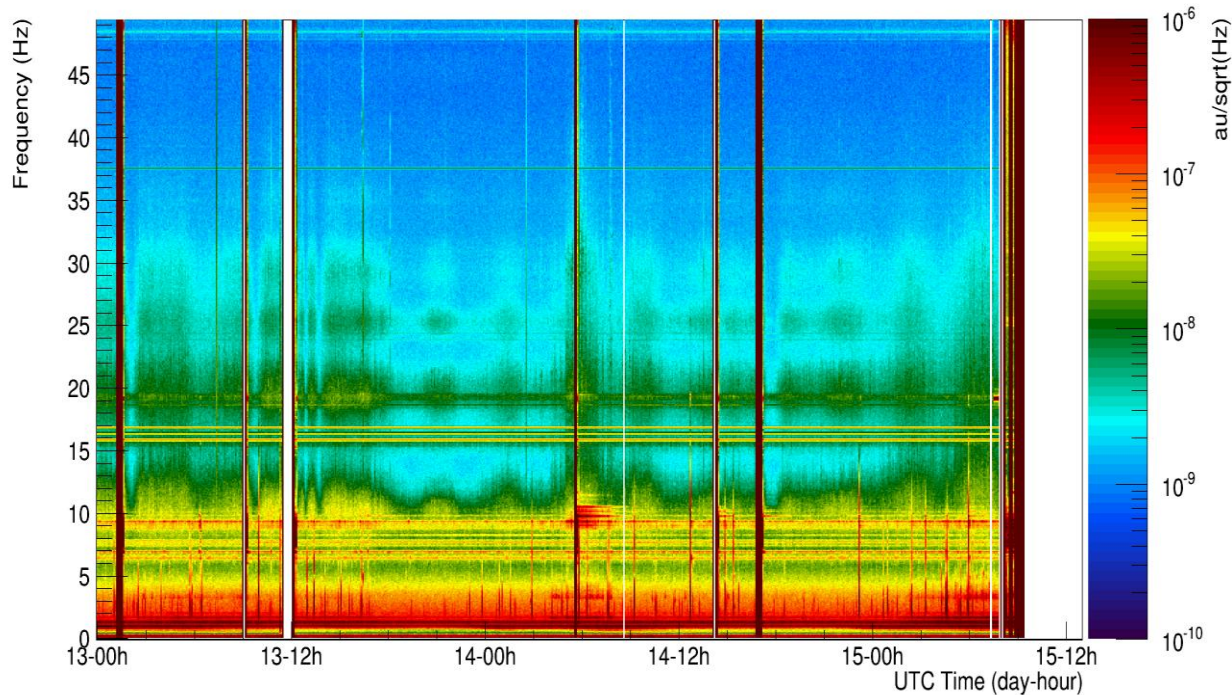
- Comparing the peak amplitude in all ENV sensors helps locating the source
- Example: 391Hz spectral line in all CEB accelerometers



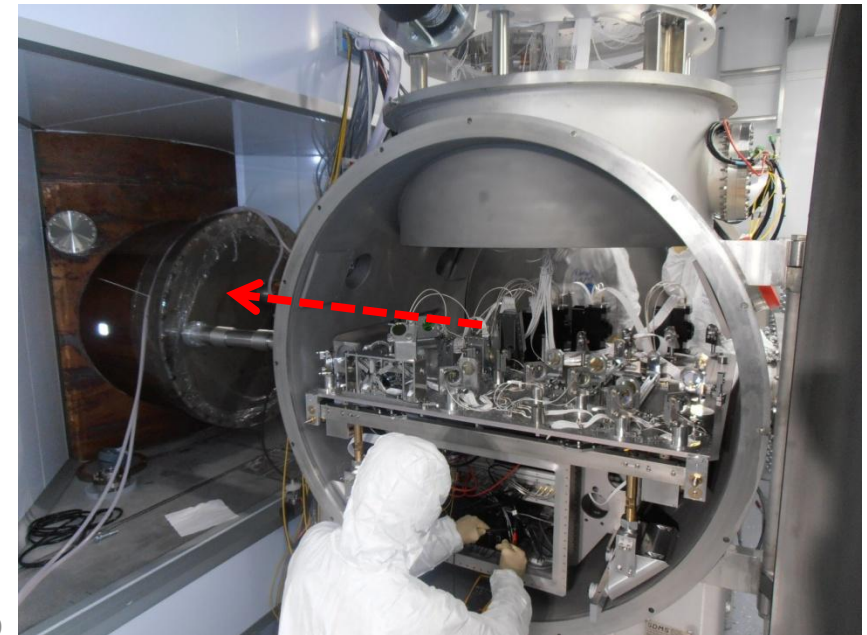
Case of amplitude modulated patterns

- During C11 the SDB2 optical bench was sitting on ground (not suspended) so slowly moving following room temperature. The optics were moving with respect to the rest of ITF and back scattering some amount of light
- The coupling is not linear, so we do not expect coherence (BruCo does not help...)

Spectrogram of V1:spectro_LSC_DARM_300_100_0_0 : start=1223423844.000000 (Fri Oct 12 23:57:06 2018 UTC)

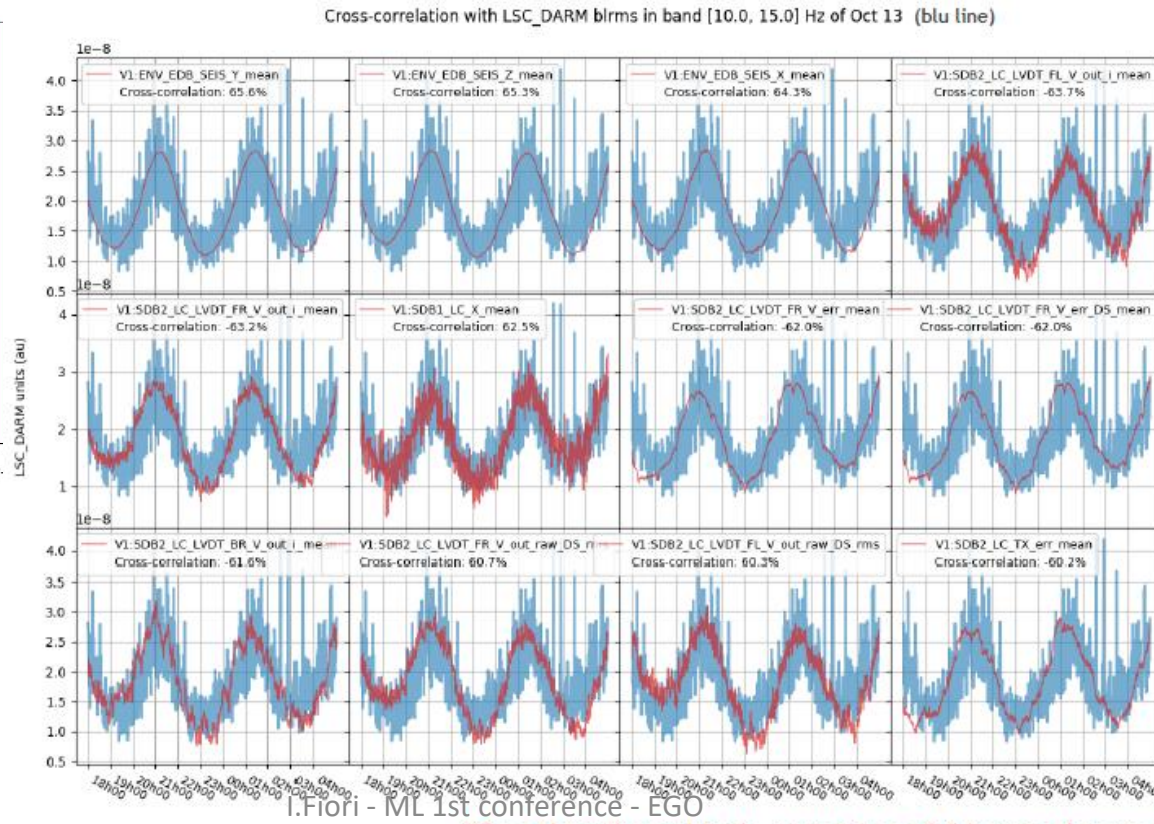
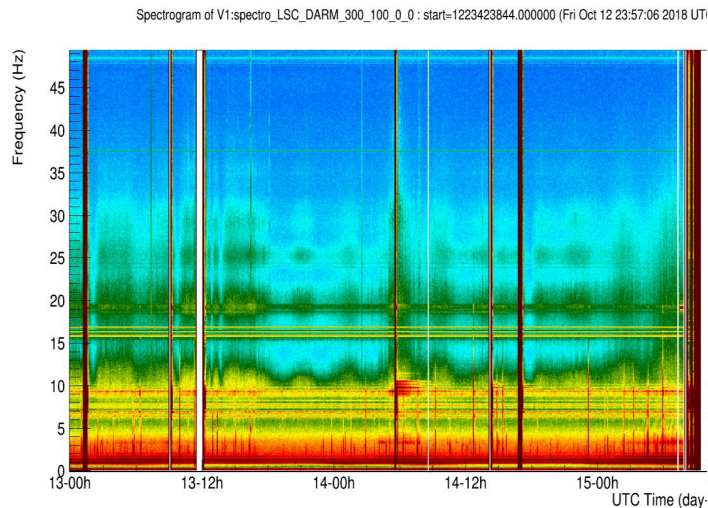


$$h(t) = G \left(\sin \left(\frac{4\pi}{\lambda} (x(t) - x_0) \right) \right)$$



“Brute force” correlation

- NonNA tool, F.Di Renzo, [VIR-0406A-18](#)
- Hrec RMS noise in the [10,30]Hz band is correlated with few thousands of SLOW auxiliary channels. Most correlated channels were slow monitors of bench motion and temperature



NonNA corre example

Total duration of the script: 0 hours, 7 minutes, and 47.3 seconds.

Parameters:

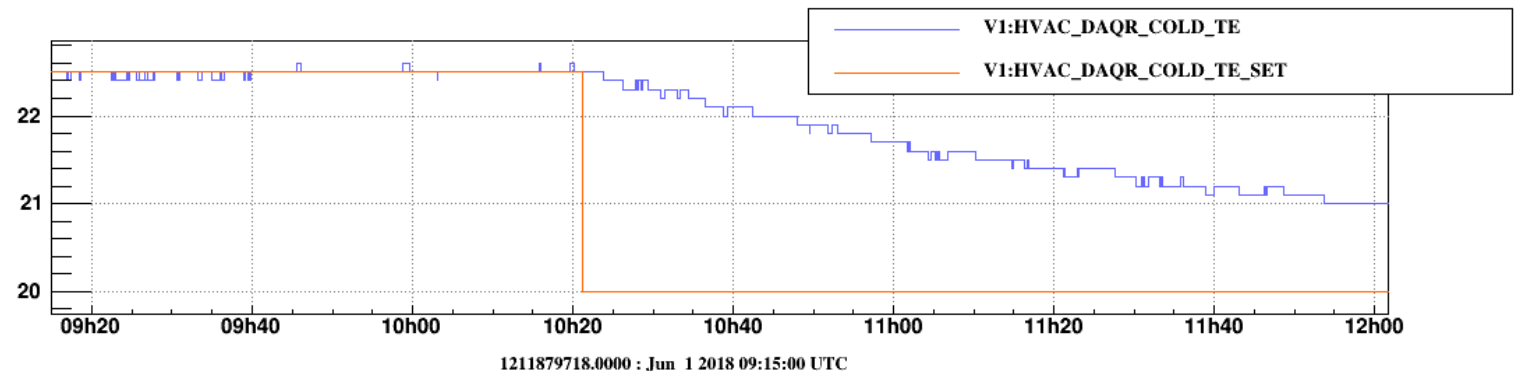
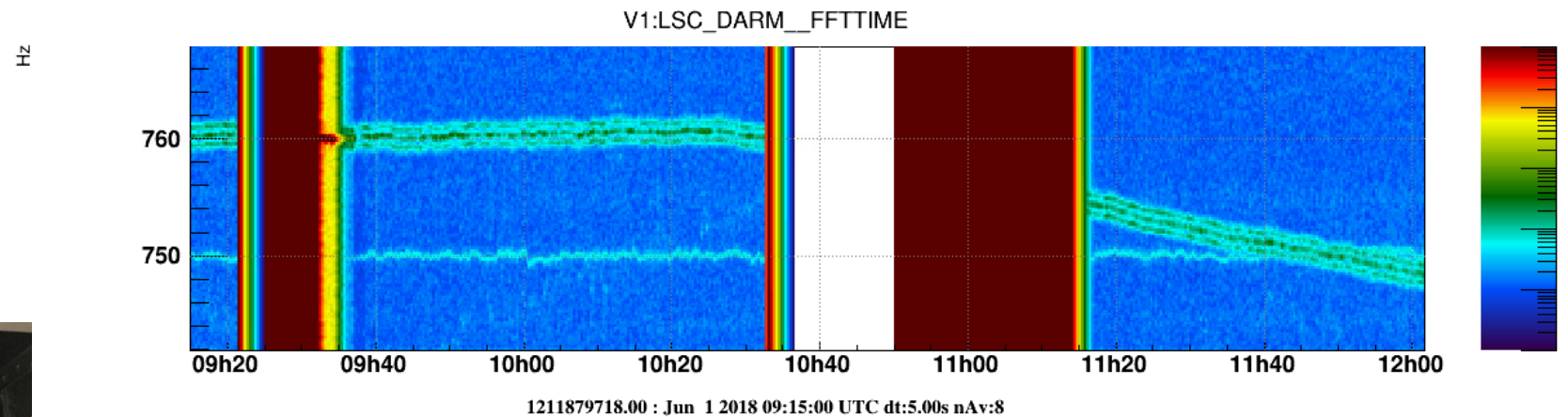
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duration: 39600.0
outfs: 0.02
frequency band(s): [10.0, 15.0]
order: 1
nameSpec_list: [ENV_*, 'SDB2_*, 'standard']

The 40 most correlated channels are:

Channel name	correlation coeff. [%]
V1:ENV_EDB_SEIS_Y_mean	65.576
V1:ENV_EDB_SEIS_Z_mean	65.272
V1:ENV_EDB_SEIS_X_mean	64.311
V1:SDB2_LC_LVDT_FL_V_out_i_mean	-63.709
V1:SDB2_LC_LVDT_FR_V_out_i_mean	-63.177
V1:SDB1_LC_X_mean	62.479
V1:SDB2_LC_LVDT_FR_V_err_mean	-61.986
V1:SDB2_LC_LVDT_FR_V_err_DS_mean	-61.981
V1:SDB2_LC_LVDT_BR_V_out_i_mean	-61.624
V1:SDB2_LC_LVDT_FR_V_out_raw_DS_rms	60.651
V1:SDB2_LC_LVDT_FL_V_out_raw_DS_rms	60.295
V1:SDB2_LC_TX_err_mean	-60.240
V1:SDB2_LC_TX_mean	60.210
V1:SDB2_LC_TX_err_DS_mean	-60.210

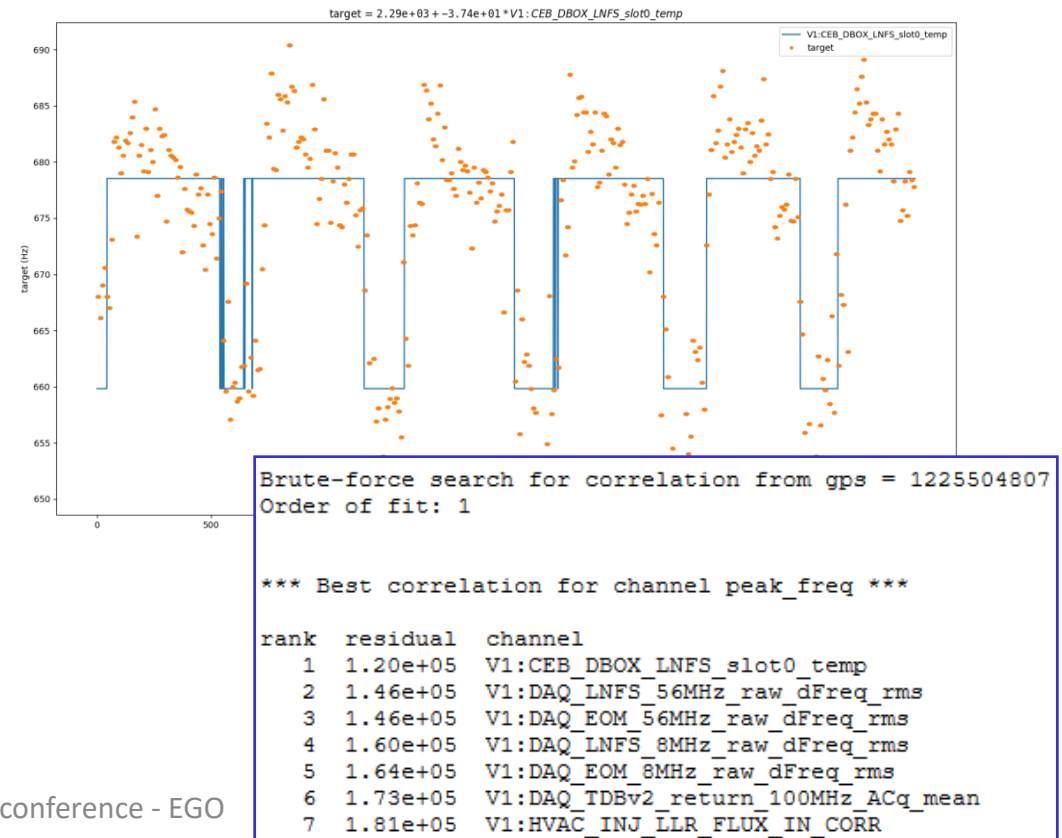
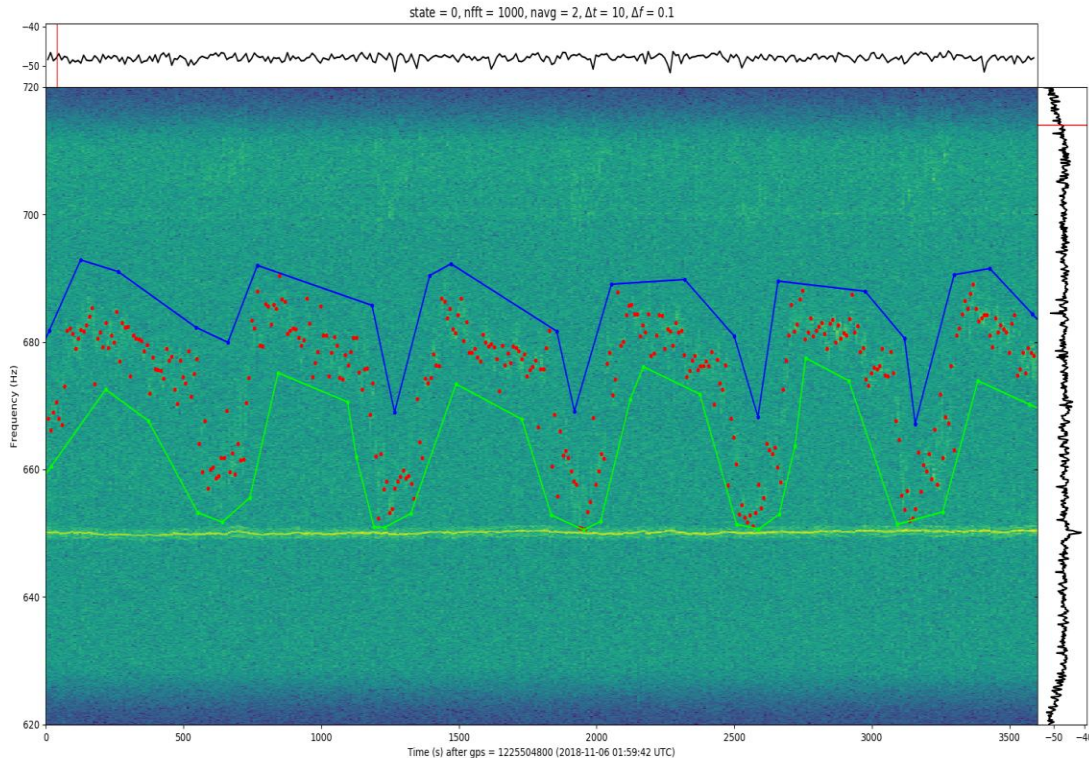
Case of moving frequency lines

- Noise disturbances (EM) produced by electronic devices are typically very sensitive to temperature. Example of Test experiment of changing on purpose Room temperature by switching off air conditioner.



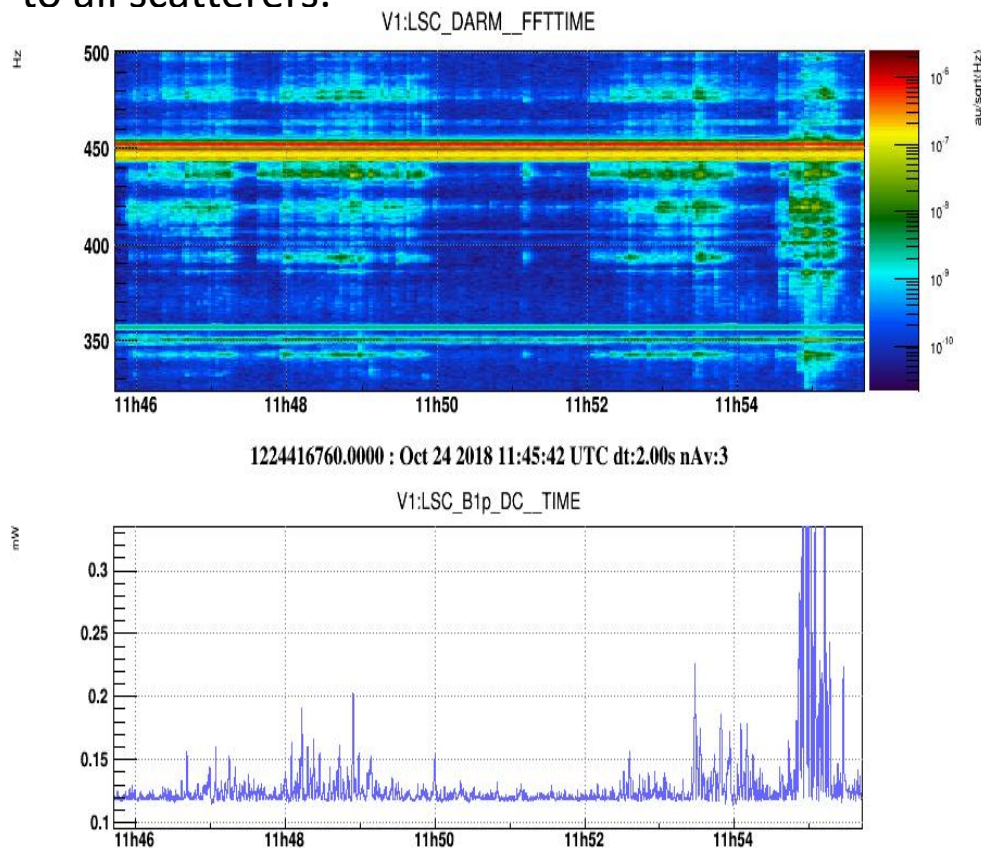
Case of moving frequency lines

- Tool [line tracker VIR-0420A-18](#) (*BUFFALO - Brute-force Utilities For Finding Annoying Lines and Others*, B.Swinkels) . Example of Hrec line moving btw 650Hz and 700Hz. Correlated to Temperature of the electronics which demodulates photodiodes signals at Laser ...MHz modulation frequencies.

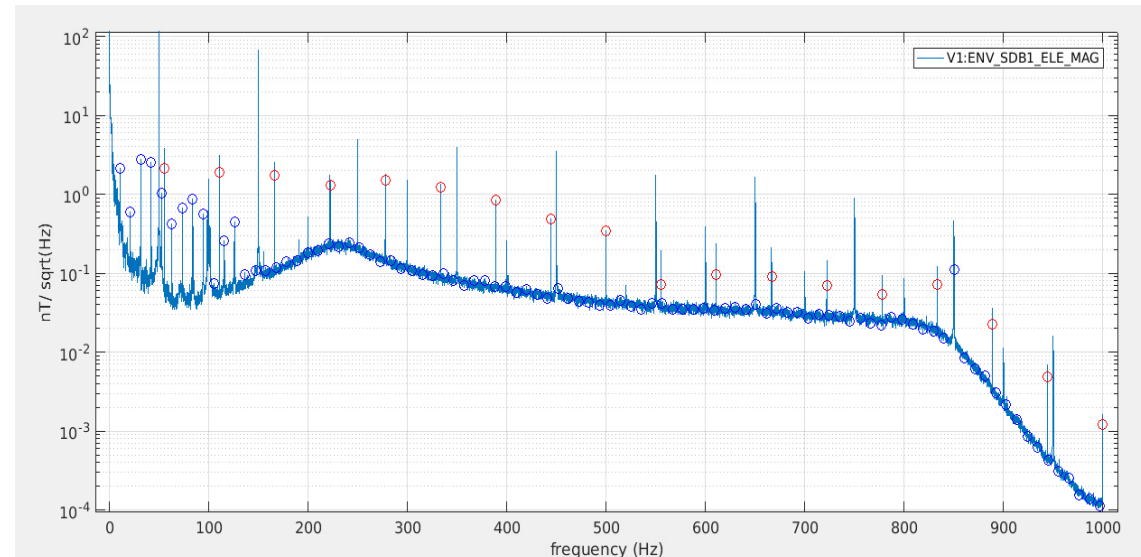
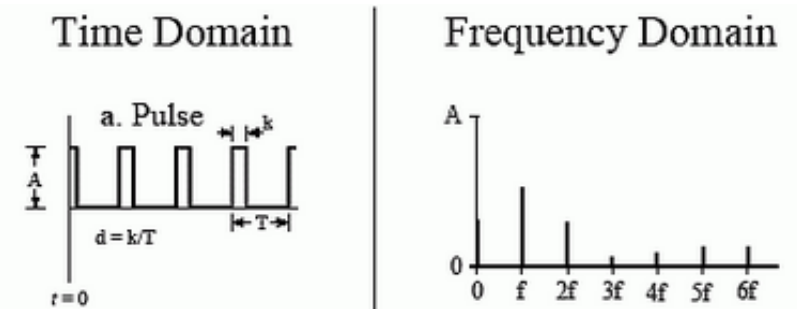


Repeated T-F patterns inside Hrec

LEFT example - Lines with similar amplitude modulation. This case: each line associates to a scatterer object (i.e. optical mounts) on SDB1 suspended bench. Bench misalignments cause a change of amount of back-scattering, common to all scatterers.



RIGHT example - Equally spaced lines (“comb”): i.e. from clocks

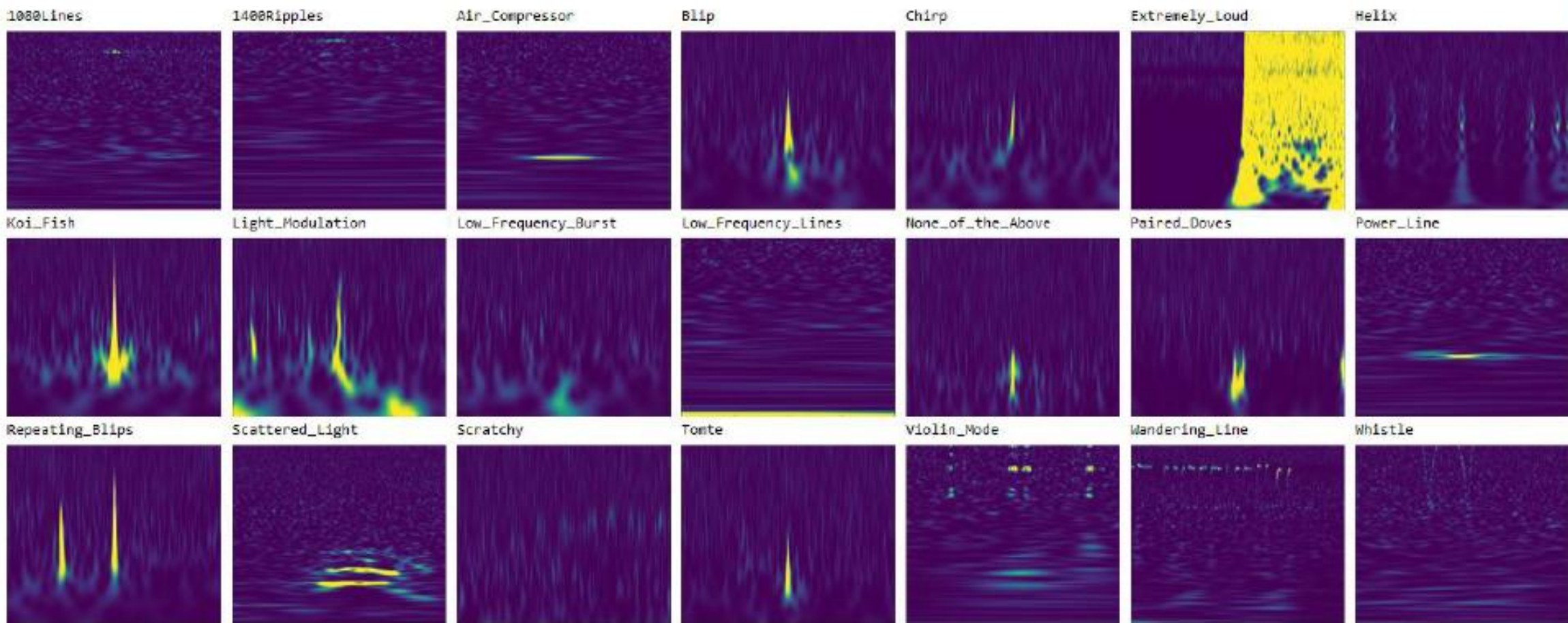


<https://www.zooniverse.org/projects/zooniverse/gravity-spy>

George, Shen, Huerta – Glitch Classification and Clustering for Ligo with Deep Transfer Learning

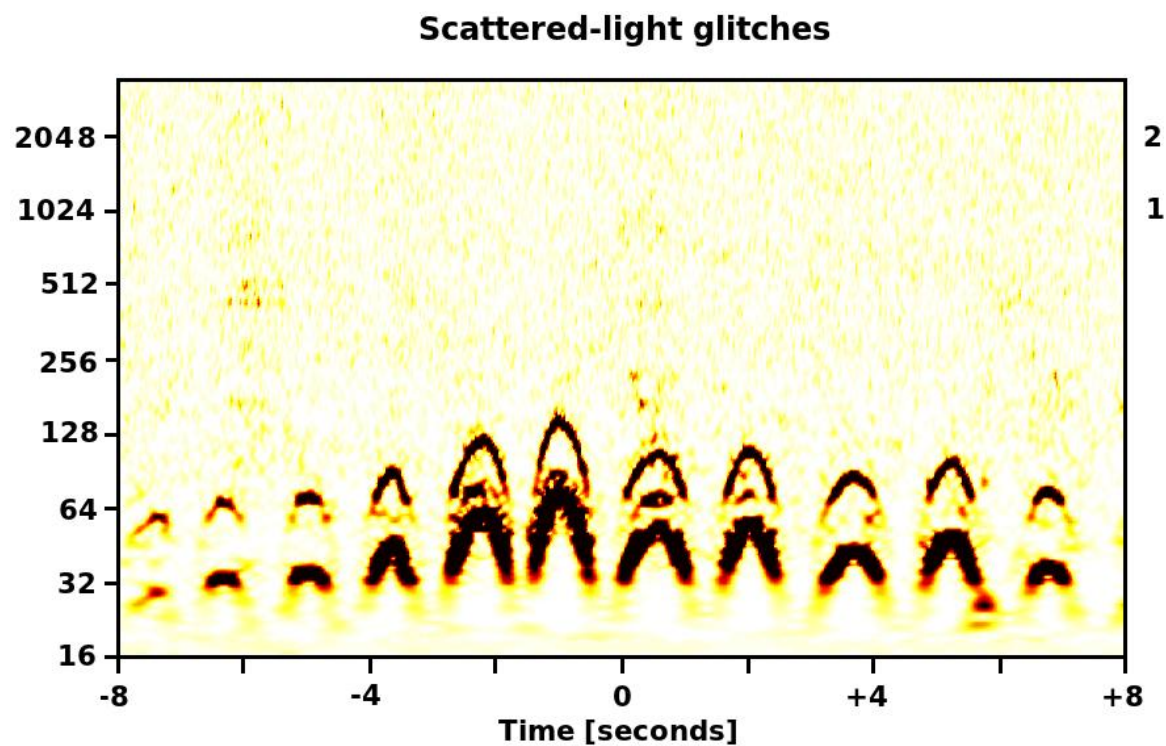
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Example of Glitch signals





Scattered light glitches

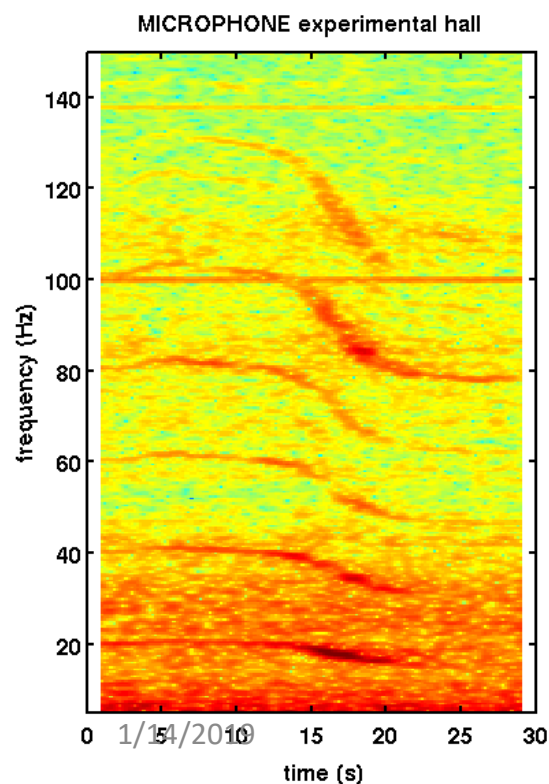


See Antonino
Chiummo's talk



Transient noise

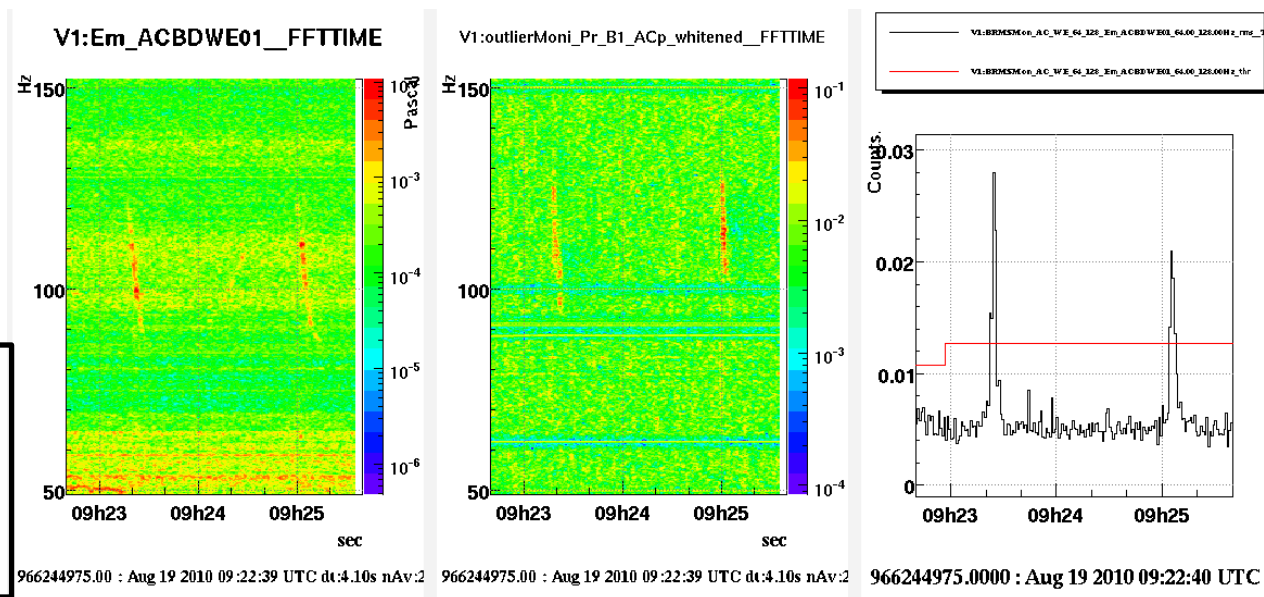
- Flying objects: cause sound and ground vibrations. Typical frequencies 15-150Hz. Amplify mechanical modes of in-air or grounded Optical benches and Vacuum tanks . Now less of a problem than for Virgo+. Current approach: use excess RMS monitor to FLAG the event and VETO in the GW pipelines.



Doppler shift

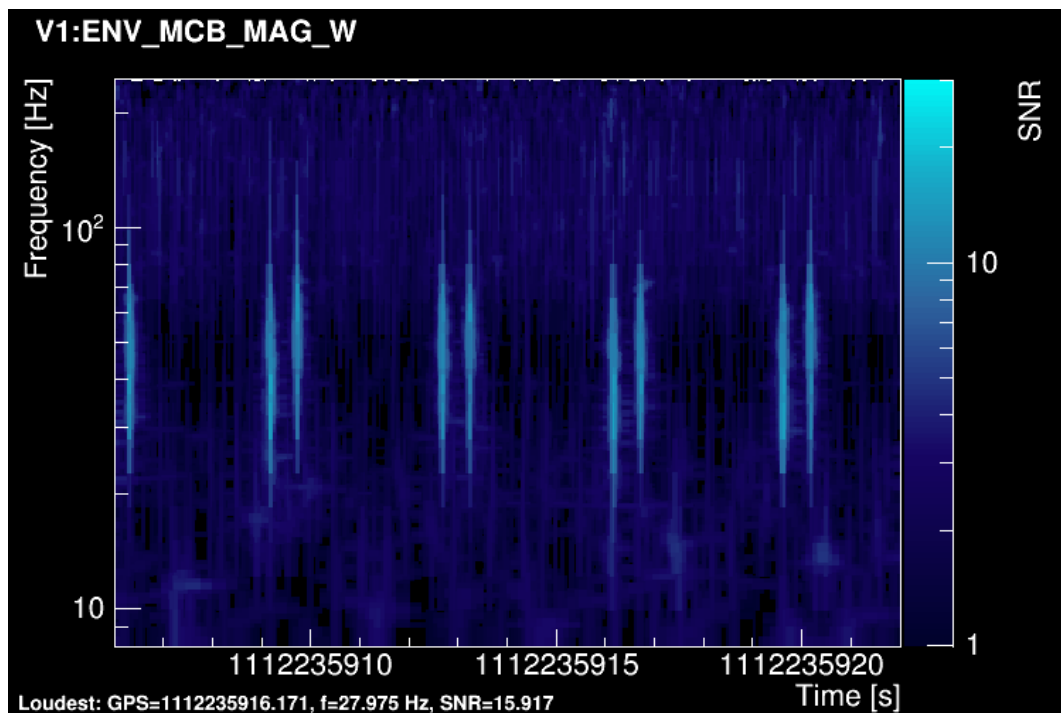
$$f'(t) = f \frac{c}{c - v \cos(\theta(t))}$$

Typical frequencies (f):
Copter rotor $\approx 20\text{Hz}$
and harmonics
C130 blades $\approx 100\text{Hz}$



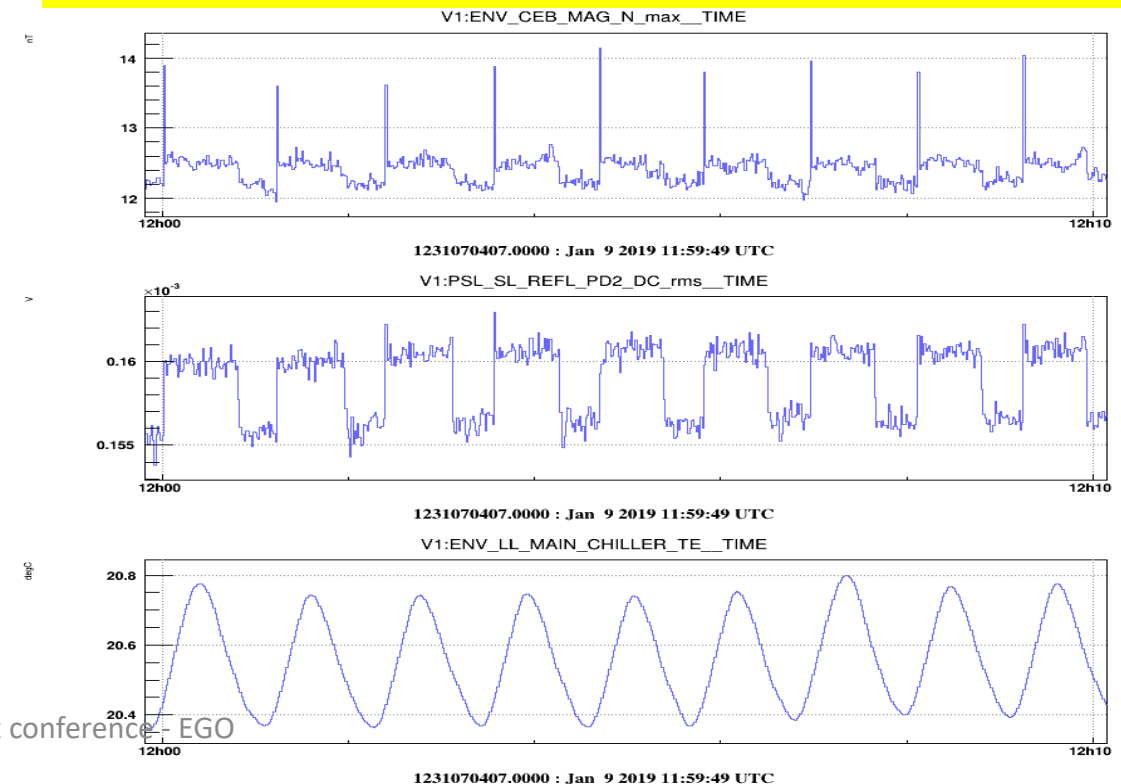
EM glitches

- Engines that do on-off cycles (water chillers, air compressors, boilers) produce large inrush current spikes, propagated in the electric power network and eventually give radiated EM fields and electric ground noise.
- Look for similar periodicity in INFrastructure monitors, power and magnetic sensors, temperatures ...



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Fresh from last week: glitches in Hrec from laser chiller

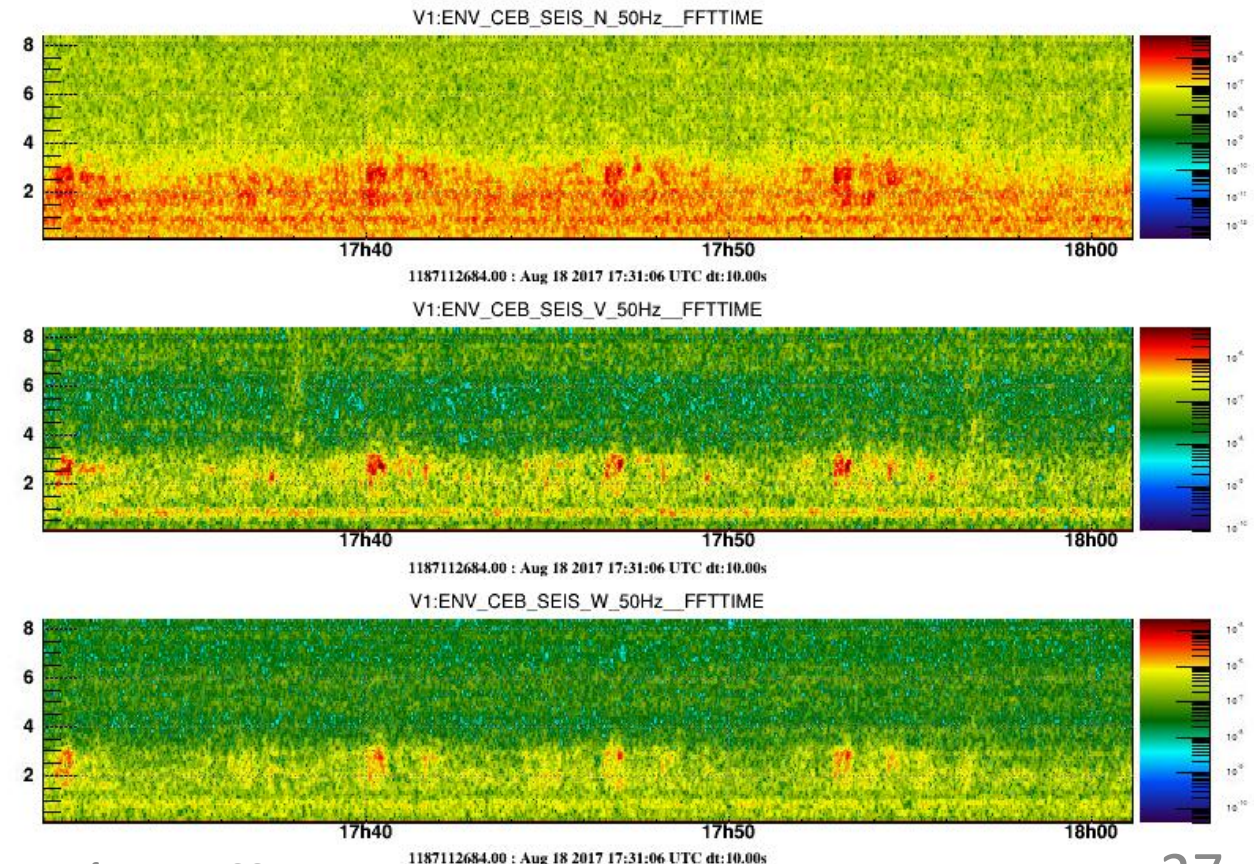
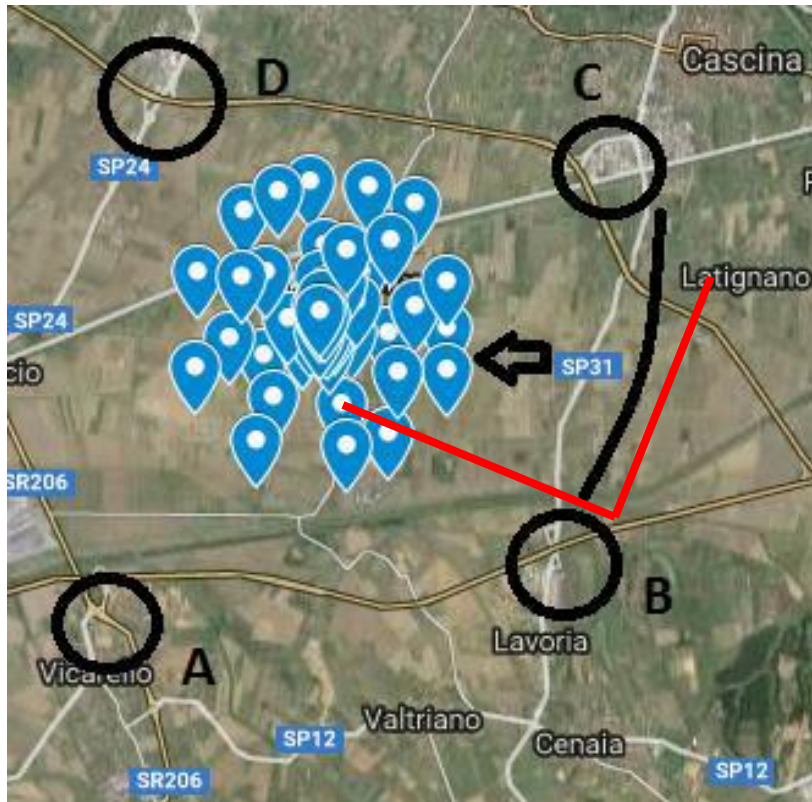


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Trucks glitches

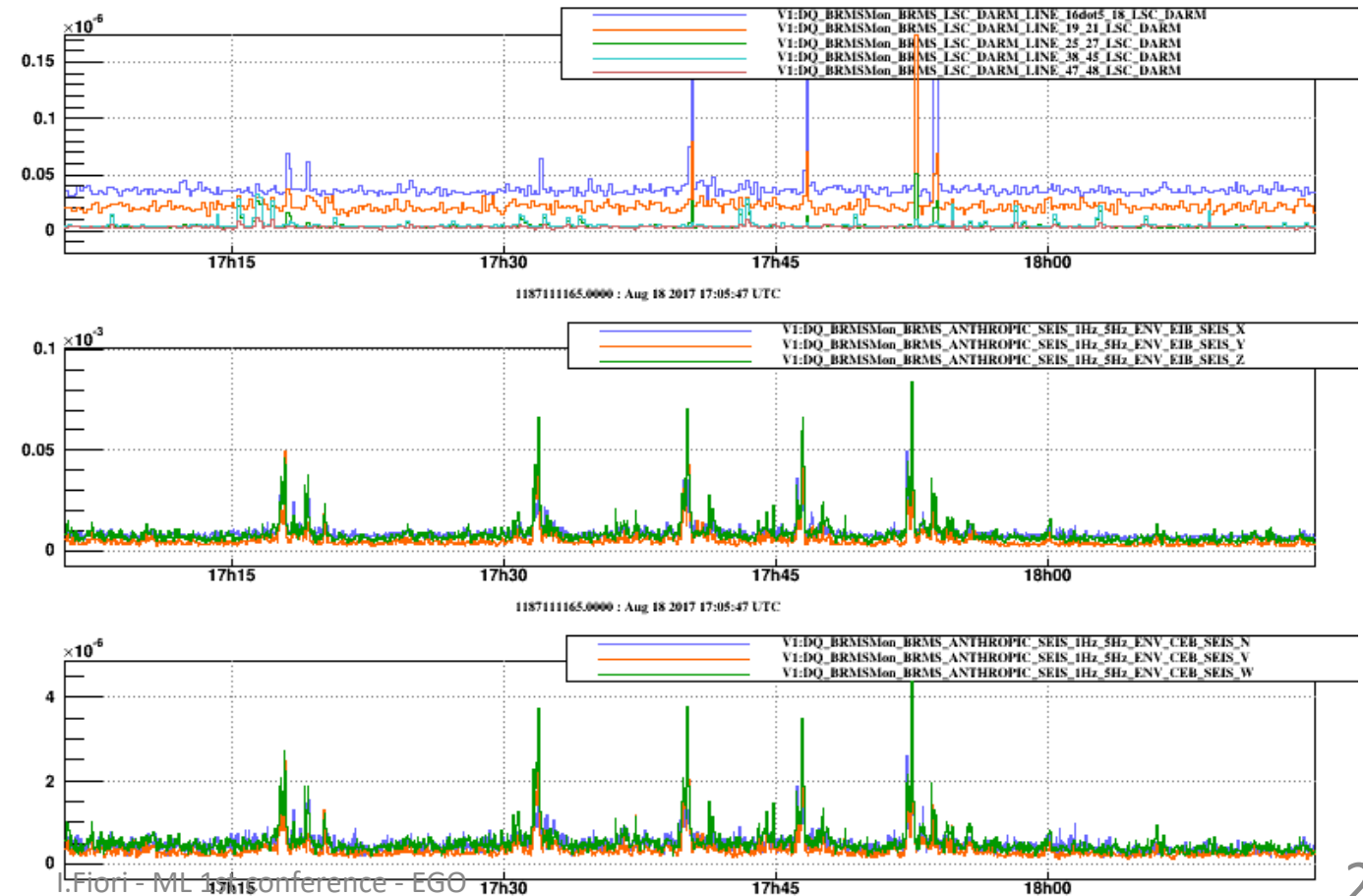
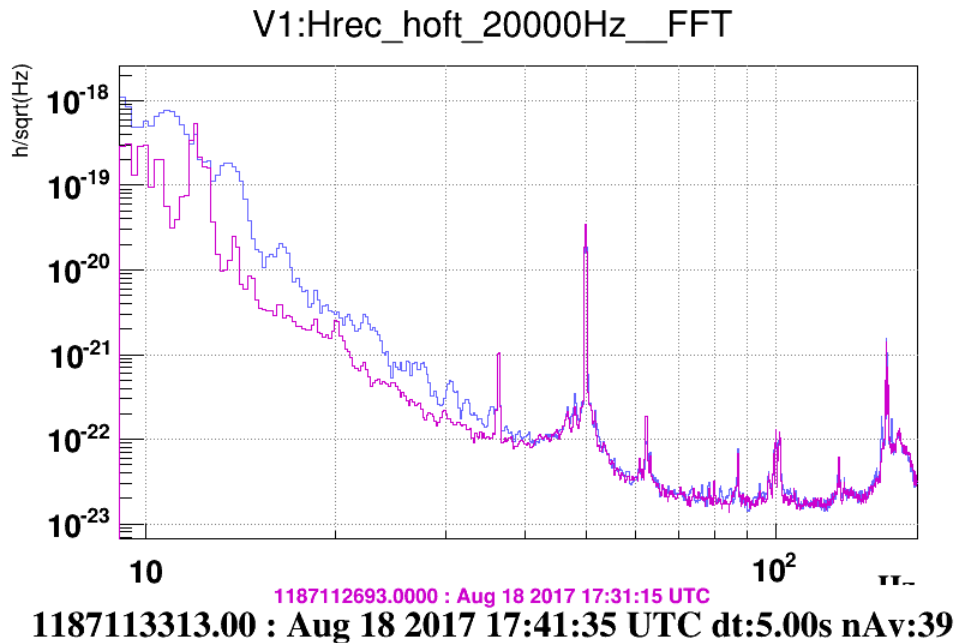
- Heavy traffic on viaduct East of Virgo produce 2-3Hz peaked pulsed wave field (see results of circular array studies, Soumen Koley <https://doi.org/10.1190/segam2017-17681951.1>)





Trucks glitches

- During O2 (August 2017) these seismic glitches were correlated with transient excess noise in Hrec the 10-30Hz frequency.



Conclusions

- Environmental sources generate continuous T-F patterns that change in amplitude or frequency, and also transient repeated patterns.
- Noise hunting in Virgo/Ligo means inspecting and digesting Huge amount of data (50MB/s) looking for patterns and Correlate those with information contained in thousand of auxiliary channels.
- Clearly too much for Humans!
- Semi-automated tools have developed, but more needs to be done.
- ML can help?!

End

