

A22-305: Sensors for Quantum Coherent Dark Matter Detectors

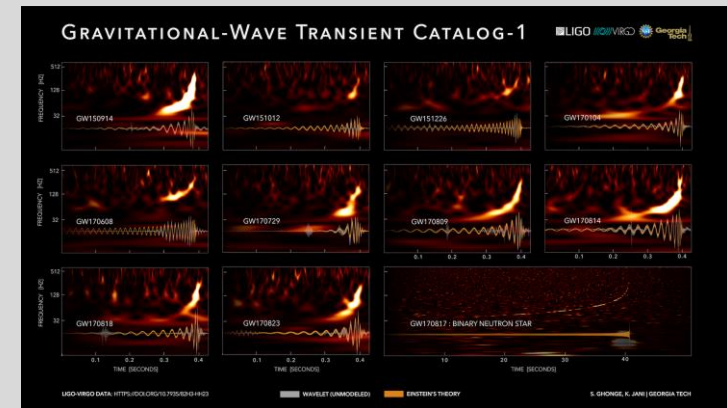
Quantum Sensing for Fundamental Physics

- Optical interferometry for gravitational wave detection:
 - Squeezed light, variational readout, backaction evasion, and other techniques can improve sensitivity.
- Microwave quantum optics for axion searches above $\sim 1\mu\text{eV}$:
 - Photon counting, squeezed microwave states speed up axion scan rate.

LIGO, cavity optomechanics



Gravitational wave detections



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The RF Quantum Upconverter:

extends quantum measurement techniques to lower frequencies

