

Open Gravitational Wave Data

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- I joined the LIGO Scientific Collaboration in 1999
- First LIGO paper:

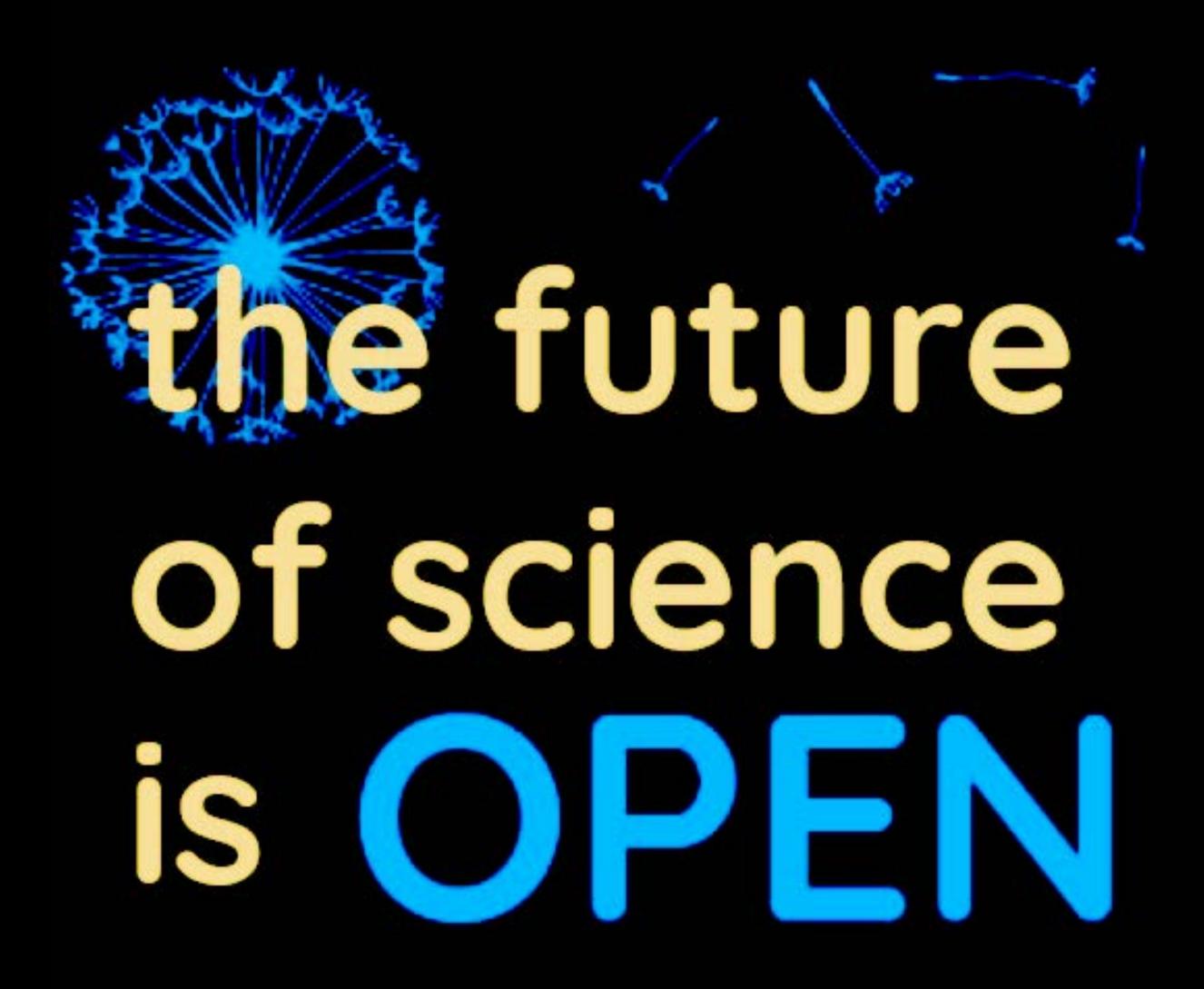
Abbott,..., DAB,..., Zweizig, "Analysis of LIGO data for gravitational waves from binary neutron stars" Phys. Rev. **D69** 122001 (2004)

- Author 38 out of **368** co-authors
- Cited by **145** since 2004

Last LIGO paper:

Abbott,..., DAB,..., Zweizig, "GW170817: Observation of Gravitational Waves from a Binary Neutron Star Inspiral" Phys. Rev. Lett. **119**, 161101 (2017)

- Author 137 out of 1125 co-authors
- Cited by 2057 since October 2107
- Left the LIGO Scientific Collaboration in January 2018



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- LIGO Data Management Plan: https://dcc.ligo.org/M1000066/public
- "Release of events and important non-detections will occur with publication of one or more papers discussing these observational results in the scientific peer-reviewed literature."
- All O1 and O2 events available now

 Calibrated strain data for all published detections are available from https://gw-openscience.org



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Catalog GWTC-1-confident

Confident detections from GWTC-1, the Gravitational-Wave Transient Catalog of Compact Binary Mergers Observed by LIGO and Virgo during the First and Second Observing Runs.

Catalog Description

For strain data:

- Click an event name
- · Or see the JSON file list.

JSON Parameter Table

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SORT: EVENT (A-Z)

Event	Primary mass (M_sun)	Secondary mass (M_sun)	Effective inspiral spin	chirp mass (M_sun)	Final spin	Final mass (M_sun)	Luminosity distance (Mpc)	GPS time (s)
GW150914	+4.8 35.6 _{-3.0}	+3.0 30.6 _{-4.4}	+0.12 - 0.01 _{-0.13}	+1.6 28.6 _{-1.5}	0.69 +0.05 -0.04	+3.3 63.1 _{-3.0}	+150 430 ₋₁₇₀	1126259462.4

• "The transition to Open Data, with the regular release of data during observation runs and prompt public alerts of transient events [will begin in April 2019]"

O3 alerts can be viewed at https://gracedb.ligo.org

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Superevent Info

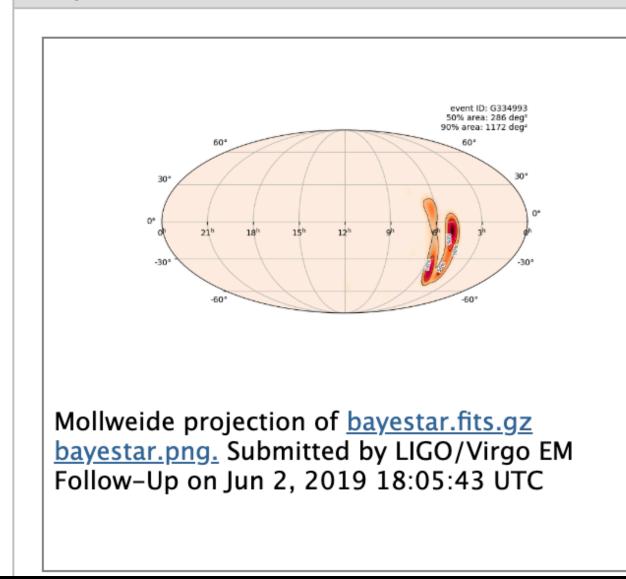
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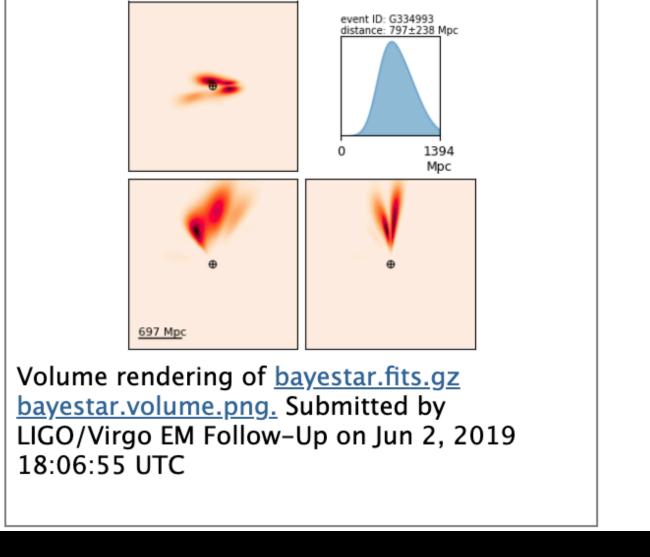
Preferred Event Info

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Superevent Log Messages

▼ Sky Localization





- "Releases will occur every 6 months, in blocks of 6 months of data, with a latency of 18 months from the end of acquisition of each observing block (Expect to shorten the 18 month period)"
- O1 and O2 data available now
- O3A April 2019 + 6 months + 18 months = April 2021

Large Data Sets for High Performance Computing

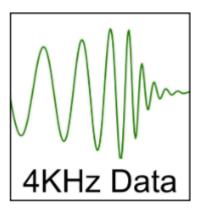
For users of computing clusters, CernVM-FS is the preferred method to access large data sets:

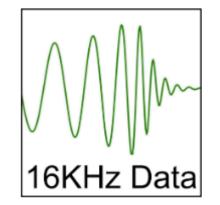


O2 Data Release

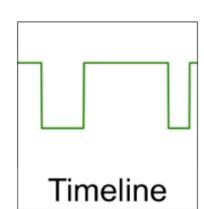
O2 Time Range: November 30, 2016 through August 25, 2017

Detectors: H1, L1 and V1





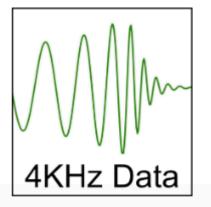


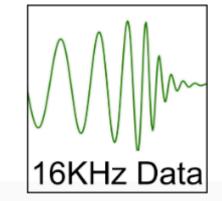


O1 Data Release

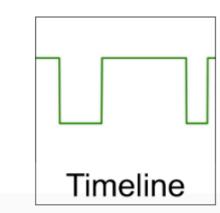
O1 Time Range: September 12, 2015 through January 19, 2016

Detectors: H1 and L1









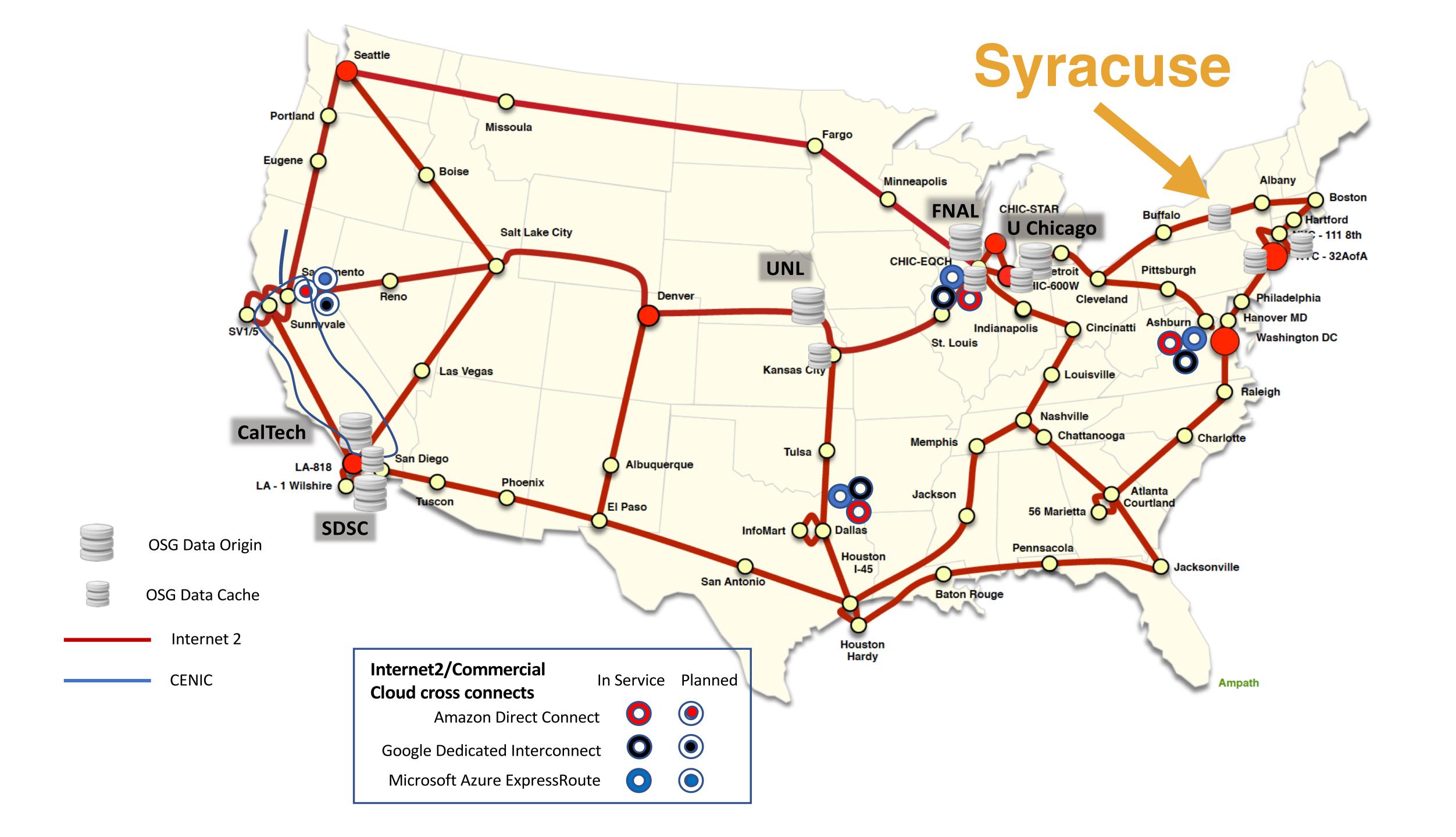
- Fundamentally LIGO gravitational-wave data is CD-quality audio
 - 16 kHz sample rate, 16 bit, 2 x channels
 - + Virgo makes three channels
- ~ 1 hour of strain data can be downloaded for each event
- signal(t) = detector noise(t) + gravitational-wave strain(t)
- Small enough to download via http to your laptop

- LIGO-Virgo only releases the calibrated, cleaned strain data
- It does not release the raw data or the sub-set of the raw data needed to make the calibrated, cleaned data
- Internally, LIGO does not use GWOSC data
- Proprietary data is sanitized to make GWOSC releases

- Full O1 strain data set O(10 Tb)
- Best way to access the data is CERN Virtual File System (CVMFS)
- https://cernvm.cern.ch/portal/filesystem/quickstart
- Uses FUSE and http to make remote data look like a local filesystem
- Geolocation for optimal server, local caching of files for fast access, can use local http proxies.

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devfs	507	507	0	100%	878	0	100%	/dev
map -hosts	0	0	0	100%	0	0	100%	/net
map auto_home	0	0	0	100%	0	0	100%	/home
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/pnfs/fnal.gov/usr/minerva	502.826TB
/user/ligo	200.539TB
/user/bbockelm	184.699TB
/pnfs/fnal.gov/usr/dune	131.776TB
/pnfs/fnal.gov/usr/nova	34.639TB
/user/cwalter	18.966TB
/user/jeanjack	17.566TB

CVMFS is available on the Open Science Grid and XSEDE clusters

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(b) Compute/GPU node local SSD storage: /scratch/$USER/$SLURM_JOBID
        (Meta-data intensive jobs, high IOPs)
    (c) Lustre projects filesystem: /oasis/projects/nsf
    (d) /home/$USER : Only for source files, libraries, binaries.
        *Do not* use for I/O intensive jobs.
[3] Comet User Guide: http://www.sdsc.edu/support/user_guides/comet.html
[[dabrown@comet-ln3 ~]$ ls /cvmfs/gwosc.osgstorage.org/gwdata/02/strain.16k/frame]
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Funding for GWOSC is ~ 1 FTE at LIGO Caltech

Projects with GWOSC data

Some examples of projects using GWOSC data are shown on this page.

Listing a project here does not imply endorsement by LIGO Laboratory, the LIGO Scientific Collaboration or the Virgo Collaboration.

If you have completed a project with GWOSC data, please let us know!

Scientific Publications

Below are the fifty most recent publications citing GWOSC, as listed by INSPIRE HEP.

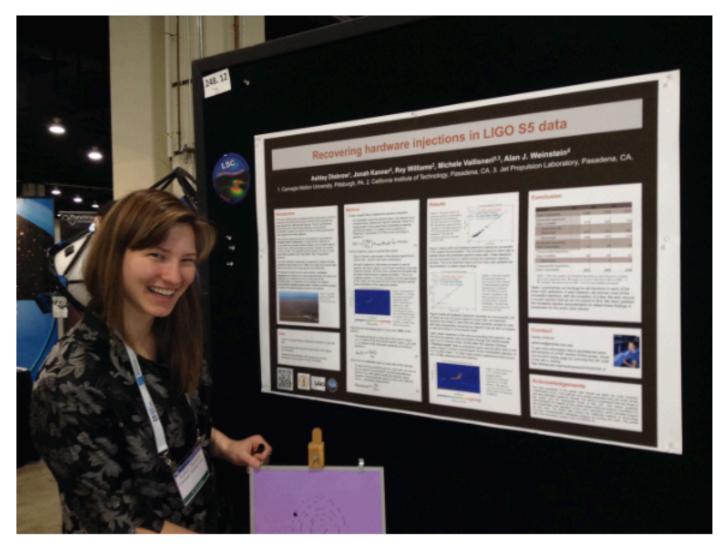
For a complete list, please query INSPIRE HEP.

1) Custom Execution Environments with Containers in Pegasus-enabled Scientific Workflows

Karan Vahi, Mats Rynge, George Papadimitriou, et al. arxiv:1905.08204 | INSPIRE

2) Searching for Dark Photon Dark Matter in LIGO 01 Data

Huai-Ke Guo, Keith Riles, Feng-Wei Yang, et al. arxiv:1905.04316 | INSPIRE



Student Ashley Disbrow presents her work at the 2014 American Astronomical Society meeting in Washington, DC.



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Software for Gravitational Wave Data

Many of these packages can be installed through LSCSoft Conda. See installation suggestions on the software setup page.

GWpy

GWpy is a python package for gravitational-wave astrophysics.

GWpy Home Page

PyCBC

PyCBC is a software package used to explore astrophysical sources of gravitational waves. It is a python package that provides functionality to analyze gravitational-wave data, detect the signatures of compact binary mergers, and estimate the parameters of a potential source.

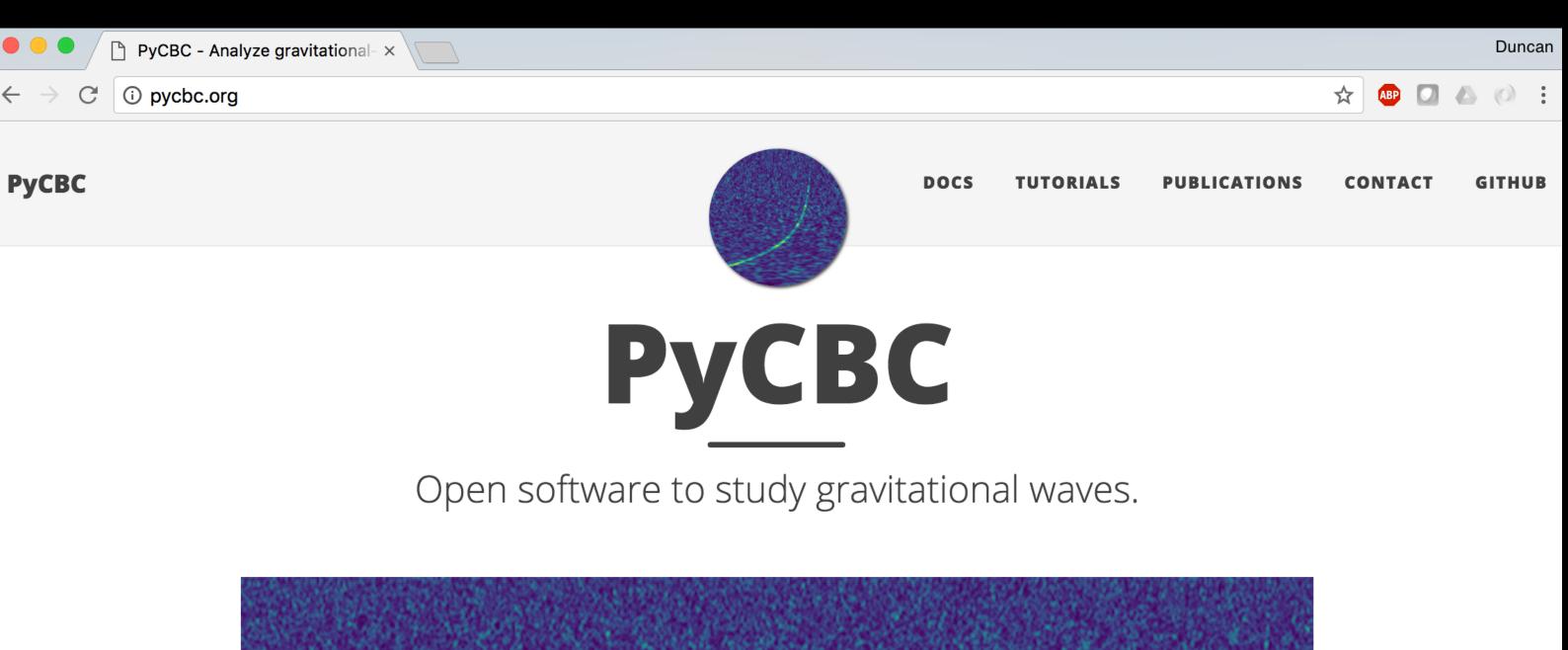
- Home Page
- Online Notebooks
- Docker container

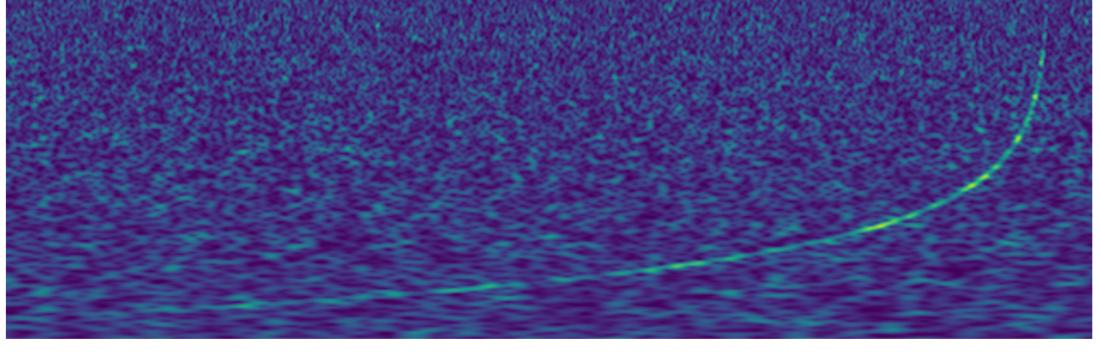
https://pycbc.org

Core science funding through: NSF Gravity program grants to Pls; Max Planck Society; UK/EU investigators

Infrastructure through NSF ACI grants

Developed by application scientists to solve science problems (c.f. Jim's talk)





PyCBC is a software package used to explore astrophysical sources of gravitational waves. It contains algorithms that can detect coalescing compact binaries and measure the astrophysical parameters of detected sources. PyCBC was used in the first direct detection of gravitational waves by LIGO and is used in the ongoing analysis of LIGO and Virgo data. PyCBC was featured in Physics World as a good example of a large collaboration publishing its research products, including its software.

Getting Started

You can start using the PyCBC library now in an interactive notebook!



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Collin Capano



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Miriam Cabero



Daniel Finstad



Tito Dal Canton



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PyCBC Tutorials

Learn how to use the PyCBC core library to study gravitational-wave data!

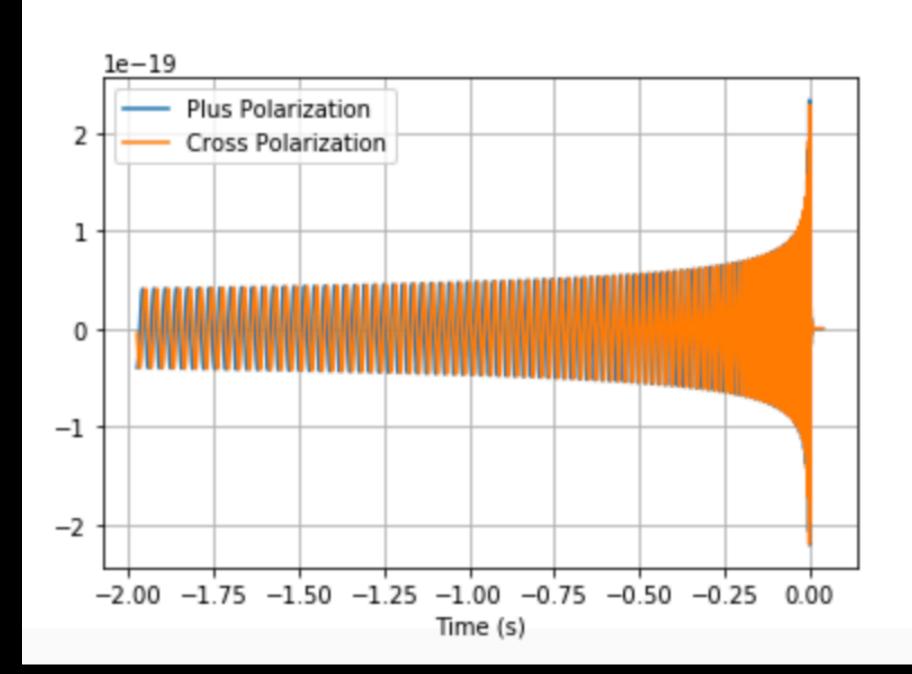
PyCBC: Python Software to Study Gravitational Waves

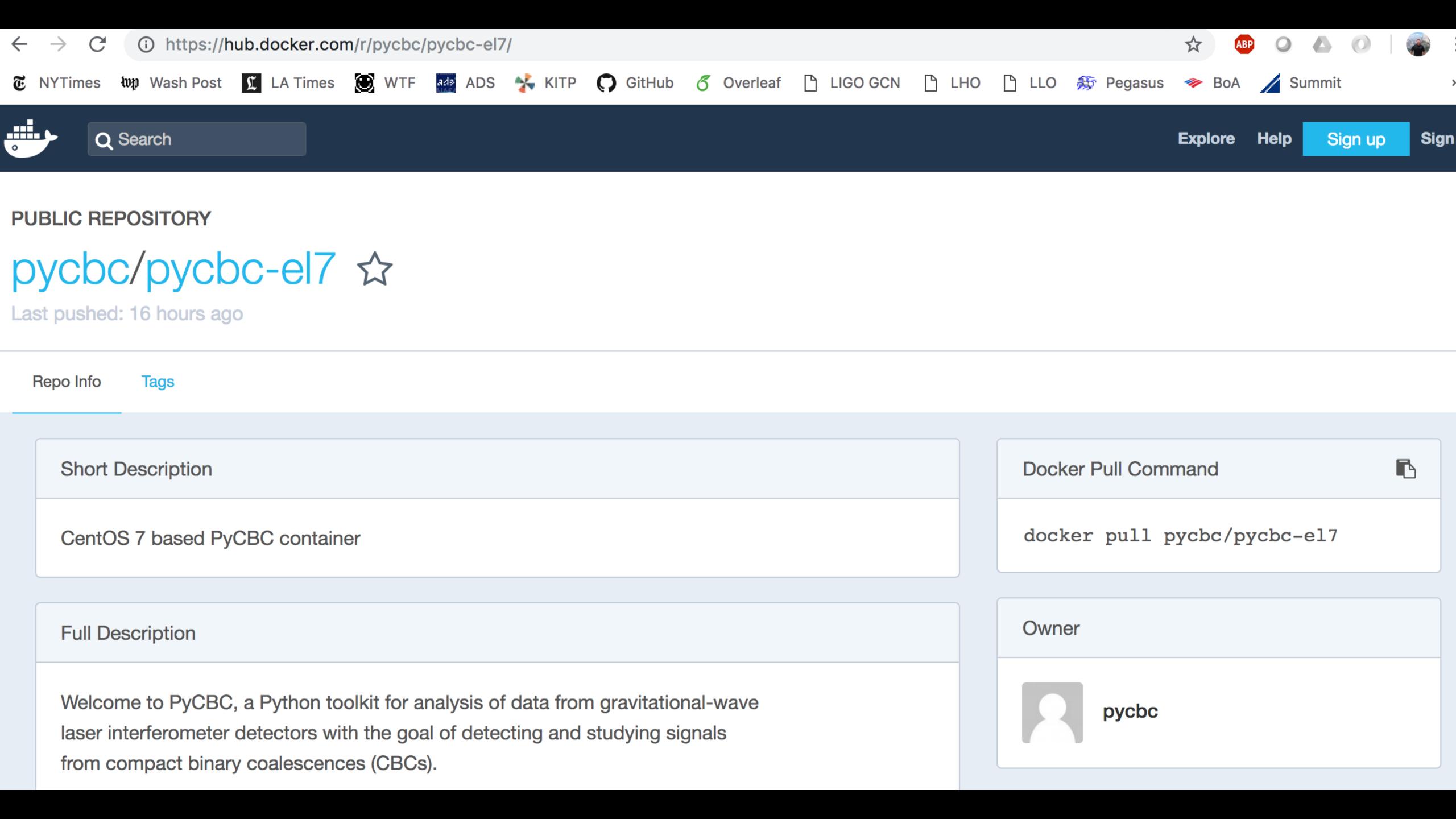
PyCBC is software developed by a collaboration of LIGO, Virgo, and independent scientists. It is open source and freely available. We use PyCBC in the detection of gravitational waves from binary mergers such as GW150914. These examples explore how to analyze gravitational wave data, how we find potential signals, and learn about them.

Browse the Tutorials

These notebooks are available to view, download, or run in interactive sessions. The repository of tutorials along with some additional code examples is available on github.

```
pylab.xlabel('Time (s)')
pylab.legend()
pylab.grid()
pylab.show()
# Zoom in near the merger time#
pylab.plot(hp.sample_times, hp, label='Plus Polarization')
pylab.plot(hp.sample_times, hc, label='Cross Polarization')
pylab.xlabel('Time (s)')
pylab.xlim(-.01, .01)
pylab.legend()
pylab.grid()
pylab.show()
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1-OGC: The First Open Gravitational-wave Catalog of Binary Mergers from Analysis of Public Advanced LIGO Data

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Instructions for generating the 1-OGC catalog on the Open Science Grid

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This directory contains the scripts and configuration files necessary to reproduce the 1-OGC catalog using public data and code using the Open Science Grid.

These instructions are designed for users familiar with PyCBC, Pegasus WMS, HTCondor, and OSGConnect and who would like to reproduce our results. We assume that the reader has familiarity with running PyCBC in Singularity containers and is able to troubleshoot HTCondor errors that can happen when running large workflows.

The contents of this directory are:

- 1. A script for generating, planning, and running the workflow on the Open Science Grid
- 2. A script for generating, planning, and running the workflow on Syracuse University's Orange Grid

Accessing the Catalog: 1-OGC.hdf

There are two datasets within the file, /complete and /bbh. The complete set is the full dataset from our analysis. The bbh set includes BBH candidates from a select portion of the analysis. See the 1-OGC paper for additional information.

```
import h5py
catalog = h5py.File('./1-0GC.hdf', 'r')
# Get a numpy structured array of the candidate event properties.
all_candidates = catalog['complete']
bbh_candidates = catalog['bbh']
# Accessing a column by name
ranking_values = all_candidates['stat']
# Selecting parts of the catalog
region = all_candidates['mass1'] + all_candidates['mass2'] < 4
lowmass_candidates = all_candidates[region]
```

File format

Both datasets are structured arrays which have the following named columns. Some of these columns give information specific to either the LIGO Hanford or Livingston detectors. Where this is the case, the name of the column is prefixed with either a H1 or L1.

$$p(\vec{\theta}|\vec{d}(t), H) = \frac{p(\vec{\theta}|H) \ p(\vec{d}(t)|\vec{\theta}, H)}{p(\vec{d}(t)|H)}$$

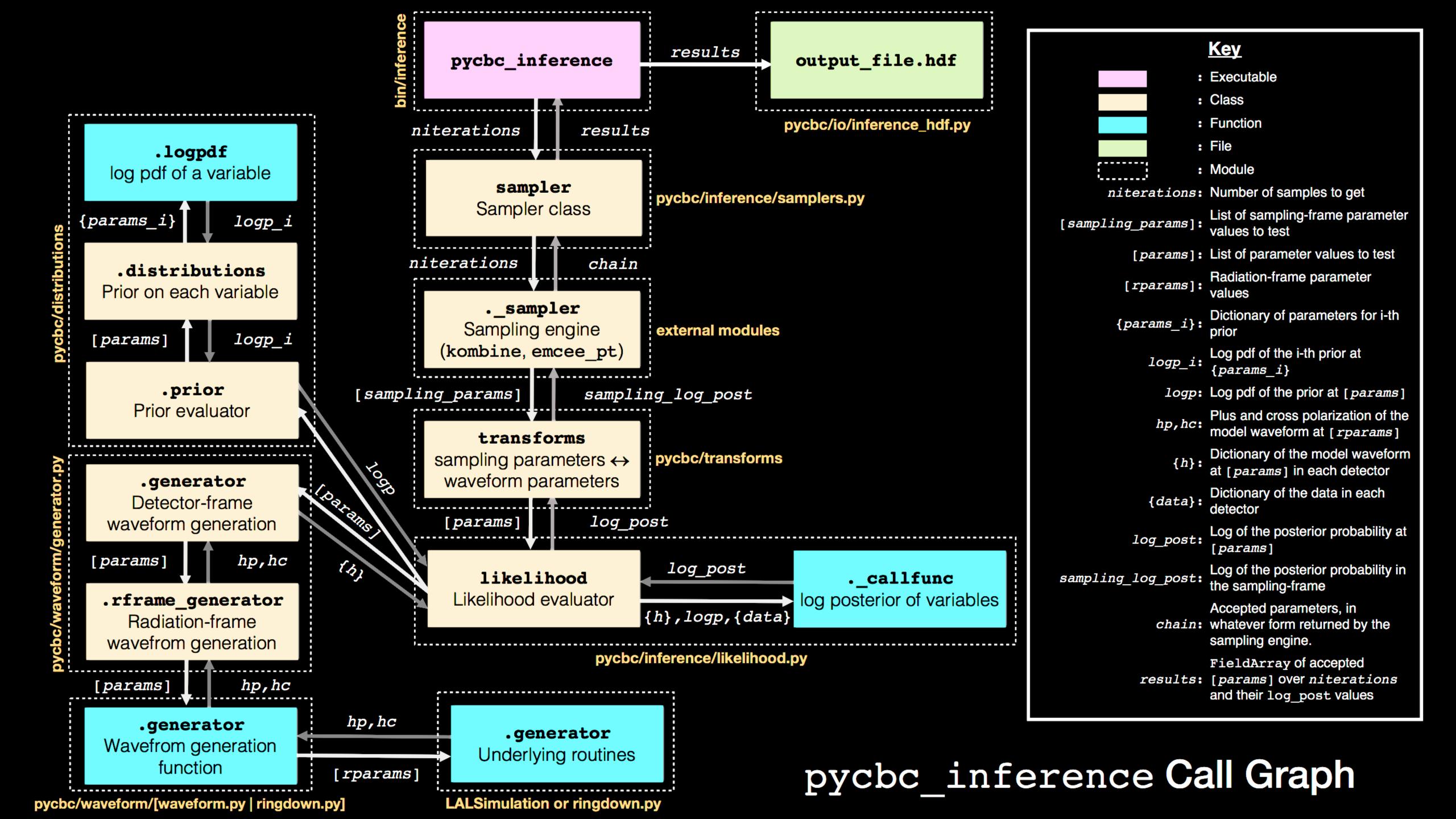
Need the data, $\vec{d}(t)$ from GWOSC

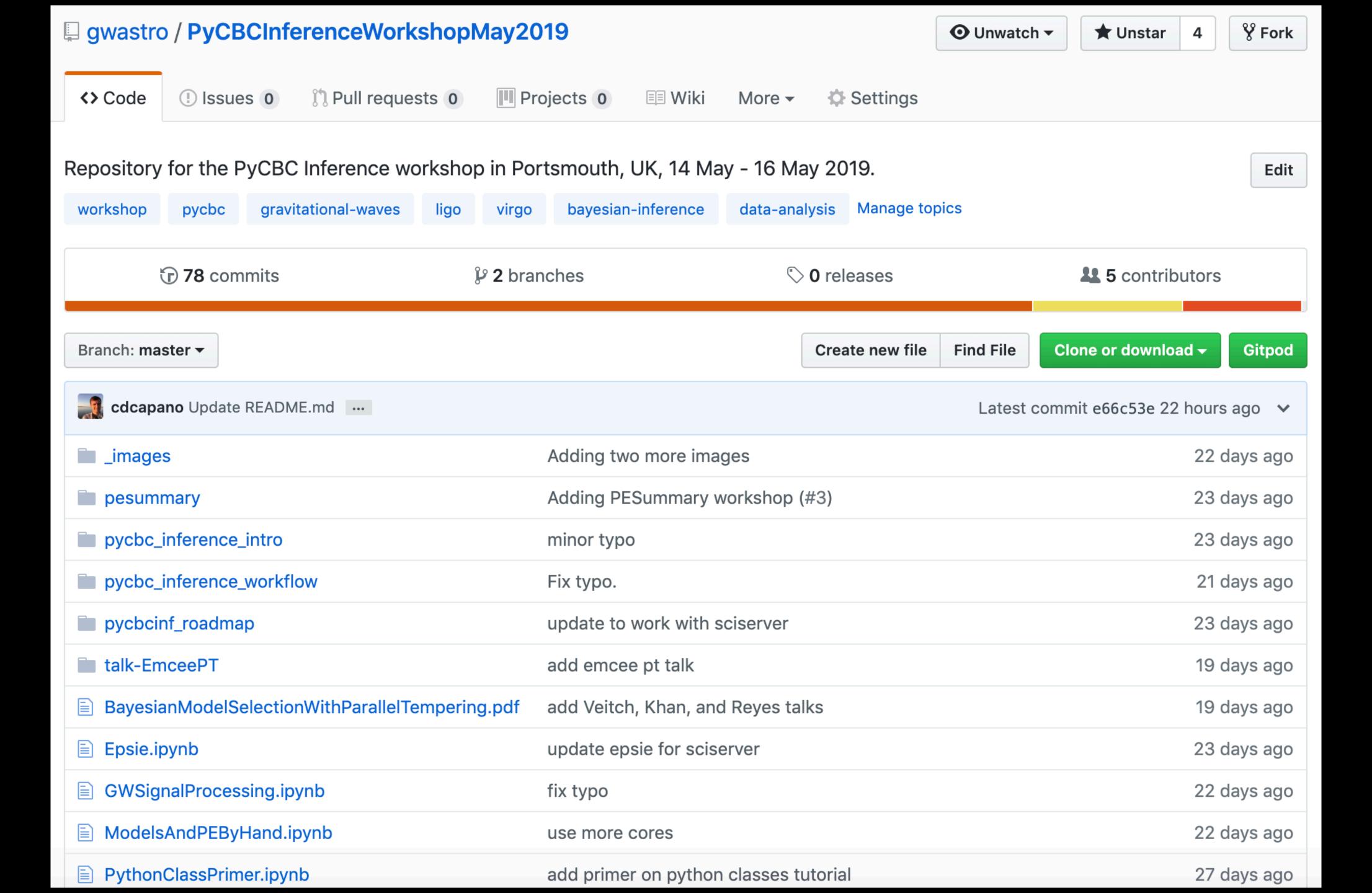
Need a model, $H\equiv h(t;\alpha,\delta,m_1,m_2,\vec{s}_1,\vec{s}_2,\lambda_1,\lambda_2,\ldots)$ from PyCBC \checkmark

Need a likelihood, $p(\vec{d}(t)|\vec{\theta},H)$ from PyCBC \checkmark

Need priors, marginalization, and visualization, from PyCBC V







PyCBCInferenceWorkshopMay2019

Repository for the PyCBC Inference workshop in Portsmouth, UK, 14 May - 16 May 2019.

This repository contains all of the tutorials and talks that were presented at the workshop; it provides a good introduction to PyCBC Inference, and Bayesian inference in general. We recommend following the Program. The links listed there link to the tutorials/lectures in this repository.

How to run the tutorials

Using SciServer

To run the tutorials, we recommend using SciServer:

- 1. If you don't already have one, create a SciServer account (it's free). Then go to apps.sciserver.org/compute.
- 2. Click "Create container". Give it a name; in the "Compute Image" drop-down menu click "Python + R". Then click "Create."
- 3. Click on the container you just created; this will open a new tab in your browser that is a Jupyter notebook interface.
- 4. Clone this repository into your SciServer container: Click "New" -> "Terminal". This will open another tab that with a bash terminal in it. Change directory into "workspace" by typing cd workspace. Now type:

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git clone https://github.com/gwastro/PyCBCInferenceWorkshopMay2019.git
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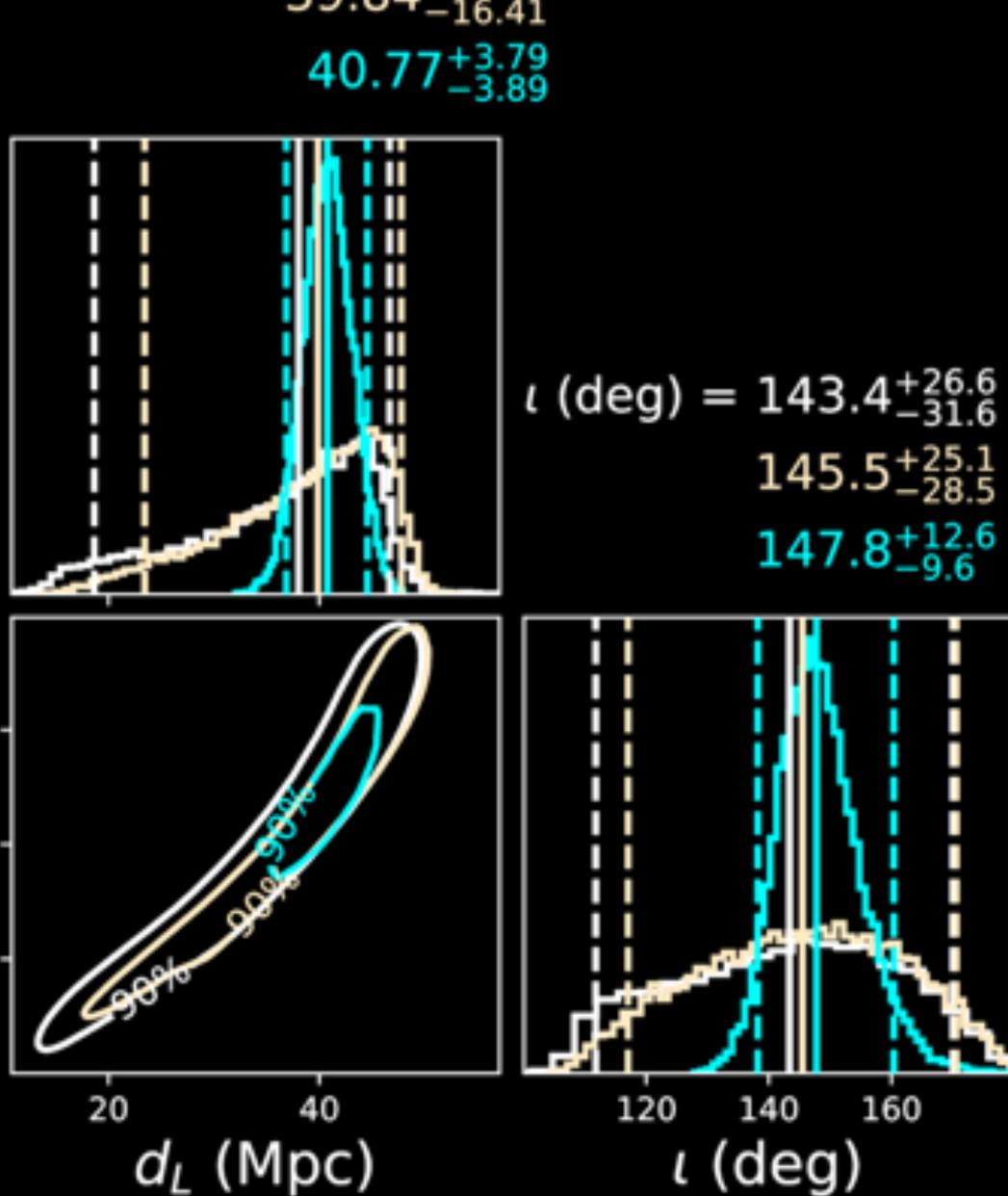
This will download a copy of this repository to your directory on SciServer.



Photo: Ian Harry

$$d_L \text{ (Mpc)} = 38.01^{+8.64}_{-19.35}$$

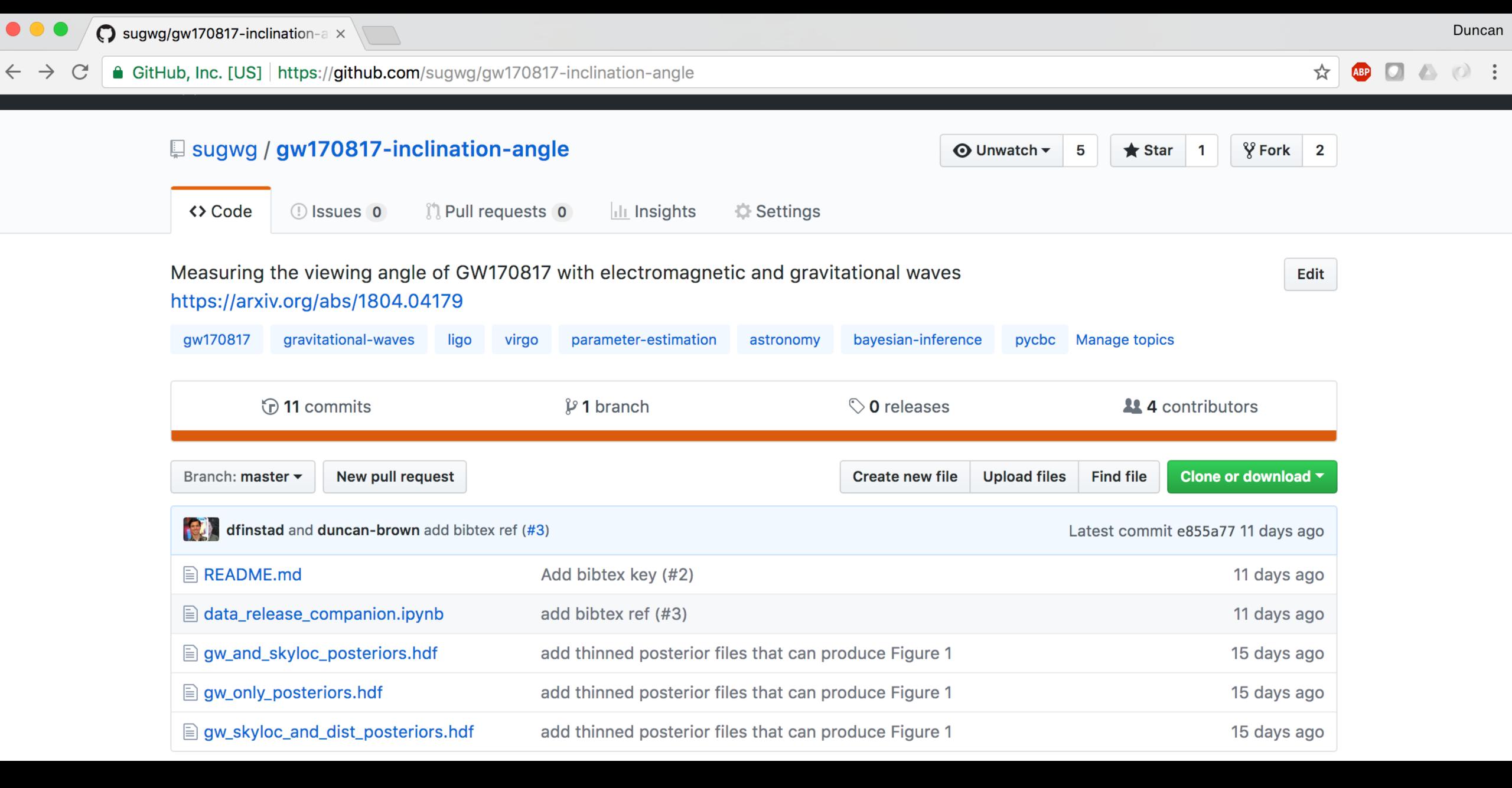
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Viewing angle is $32^{+10}_{-13} \pm 1.7 \deg$

Lower limit of $\geq 13\deg$ robust to choice of prior

Finstad, De, DAB, Berger, Biwer ApJ 860 L2 (2018)



Using the posterior probability data

The posterior data is stored as flattened arrays in the samples group of the hdf files in this repository. The parameter names for each of the arrays that exist in a file can be accessed through a variable args attribute of the file:

```
In [2]: fp = h5py.File("gw_only_posteriors.hdf", "r")
    print fp.attrs['variable_args']
    fp.close()

['tc' 'ra' 'dec' 'mass1' 'mass2' 'coa_phase' 'inclination' 'polarization'
    'distance' 'spin1z' 'spin2z']
```

Each of these parameter names can then be used to access that parameter's data in the samples group of the file. For example, the inclination angle posterior samples (in radians) from our run using the GW signal as well as EM sky location and Gaussian distance prior can be accessed this way:

```
In [3]: fp = h5py.File("gw_skyloc_and_dist_posteriors.hdf", "r")
  inc_samples = fp['samples/inclination'][:]
  fp.close()
  print inc_samples

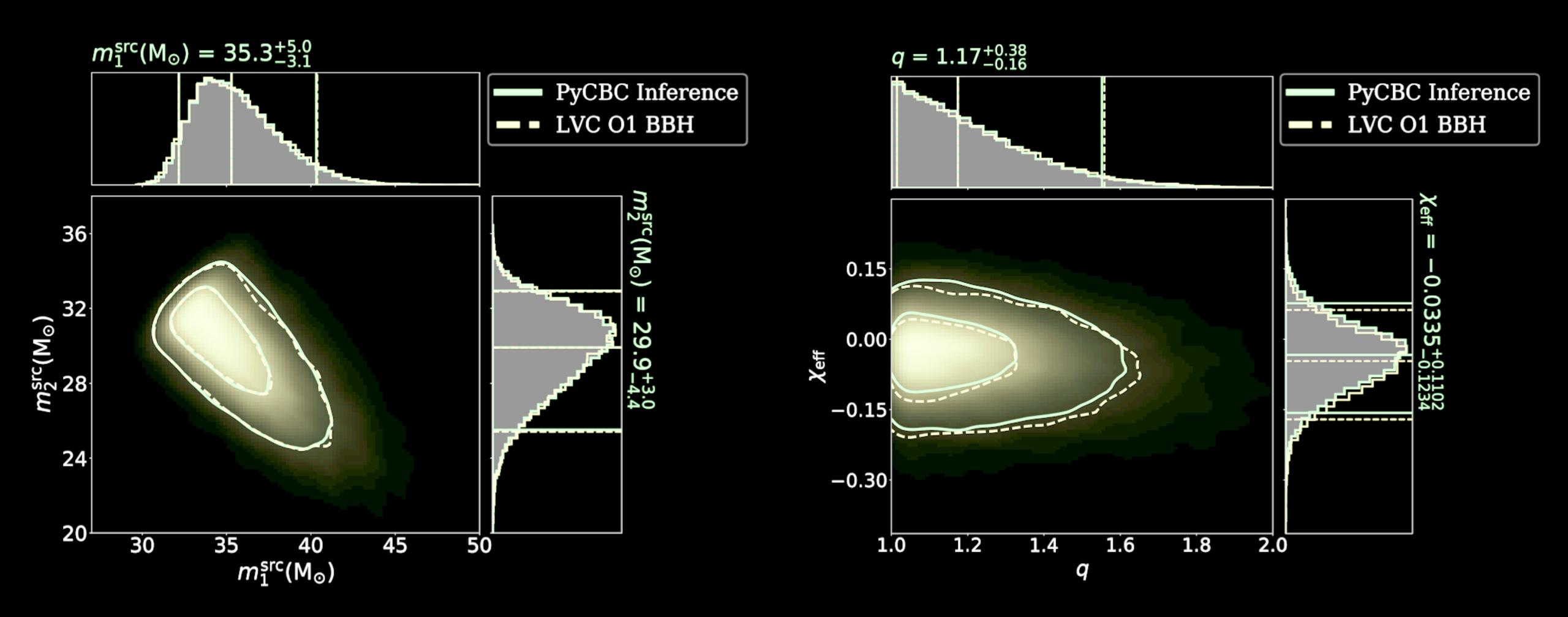
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```

By default, the PyCBC software used to create these files stores the mass parameters only as mass1 and mass2, but other mass parameters like chirp mass and mass ratio can be derived from these. For example, using the PyCBC toolkit:

```
In [4]: from pycbc import conversions

fp = h5py.File("gw_and_skyloc_posteriors.hdf", "r")
  mass1 = fp['samples/mass1'][:]
  mass2 = fp['samples/mass2'][:]
  fp.close()
```

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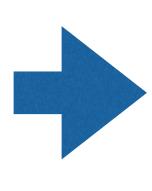


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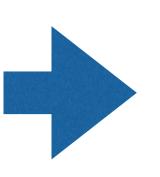
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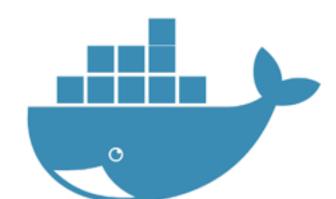
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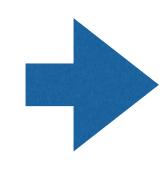












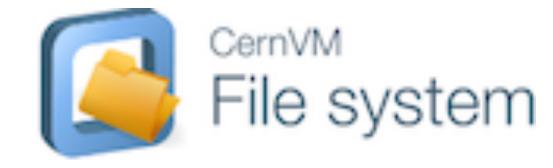




















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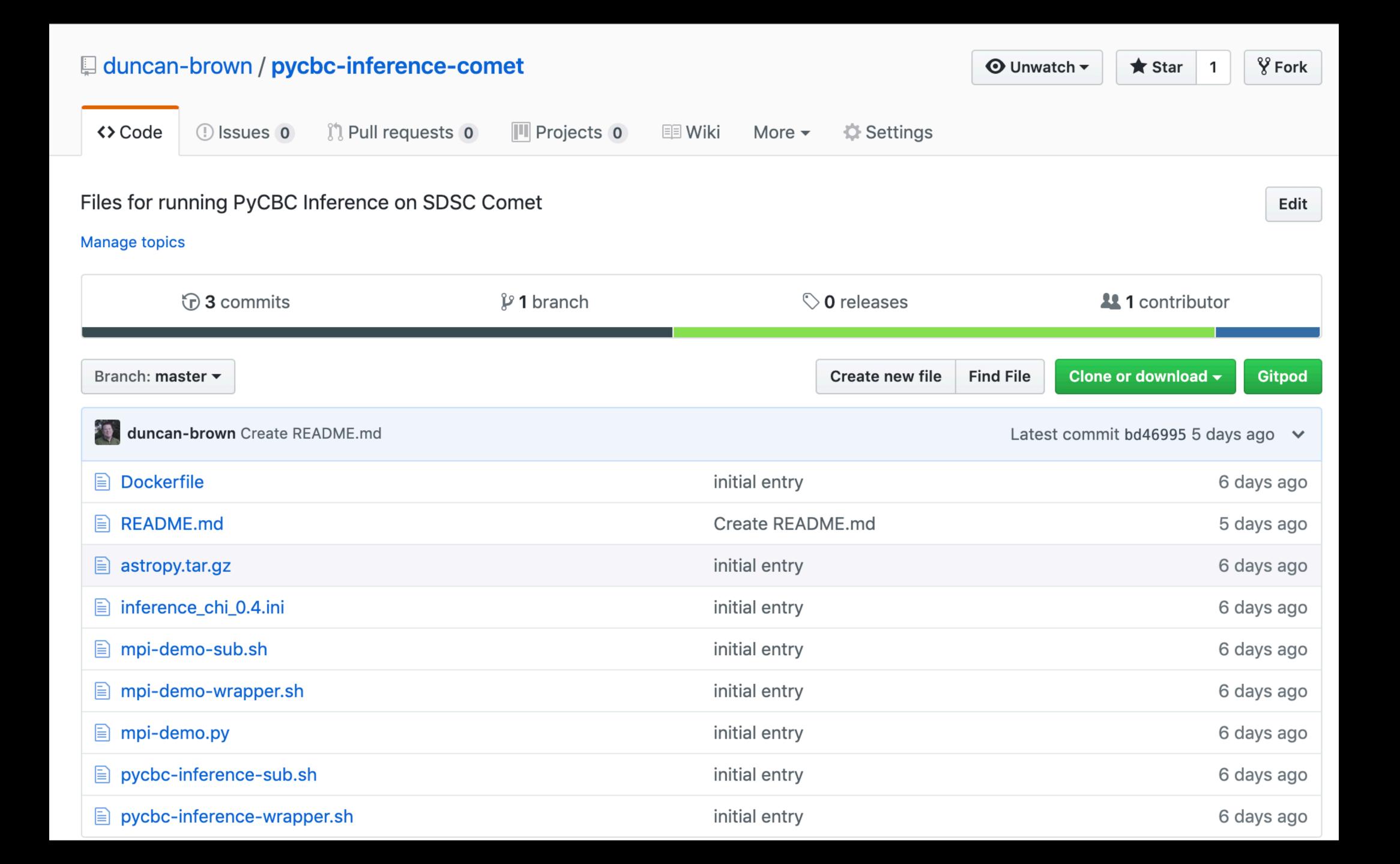
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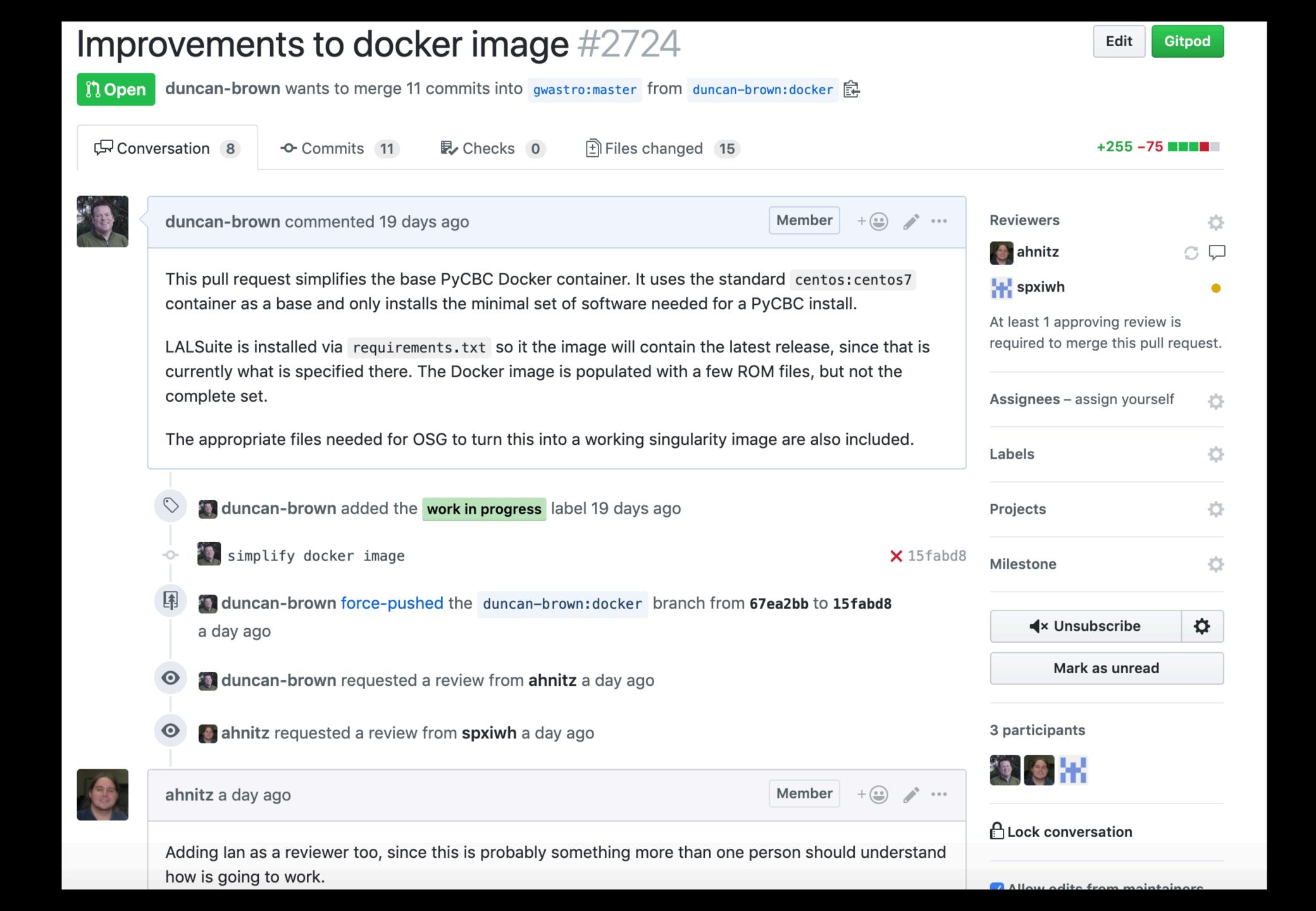
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70 people have committed code to PyCBC

90% male, 10% female

How is communication with the user base conducted, and at what frequency?

https://gw-astro.slack.com

#pycbc-code







Hi all, I'm a student of Jocelyn Read's at California State University, Fullerton. I've recently been working on setting up a new environment on our research group's new computing cluster, including installing PyCBC (done via pip install). I tried running a script that works on our old cluster, and ran into an error from the scheme.py file: "Failed to find implementation of (<function _getvalue at 0x7f5ad317b500>) for cpu scheme." Does anyone know if this might be due to a package that wasn't correctly installed? (the _getvalue function comes from decorator.py)

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Q Search



@Derek White Can you open up a ipython terminal in the same environment and try the following (or run in a script if you prefer). Also, just to verify, you aren't running pycbc from the src folder are you?

```
import pycbc.types.array_cpu
```

Does this import result in any error message or does it just work?

Derek White 12:32 PM

importing it doesn't generate any errors. I'm running my script from an anaconda environment that has pycbc installed

Alexander Harvey Nitz 12:33 PM

Hmm, strange. All that message is saying is that it failed to do the following.

from pycbc.types.array_cpu import _getvalue

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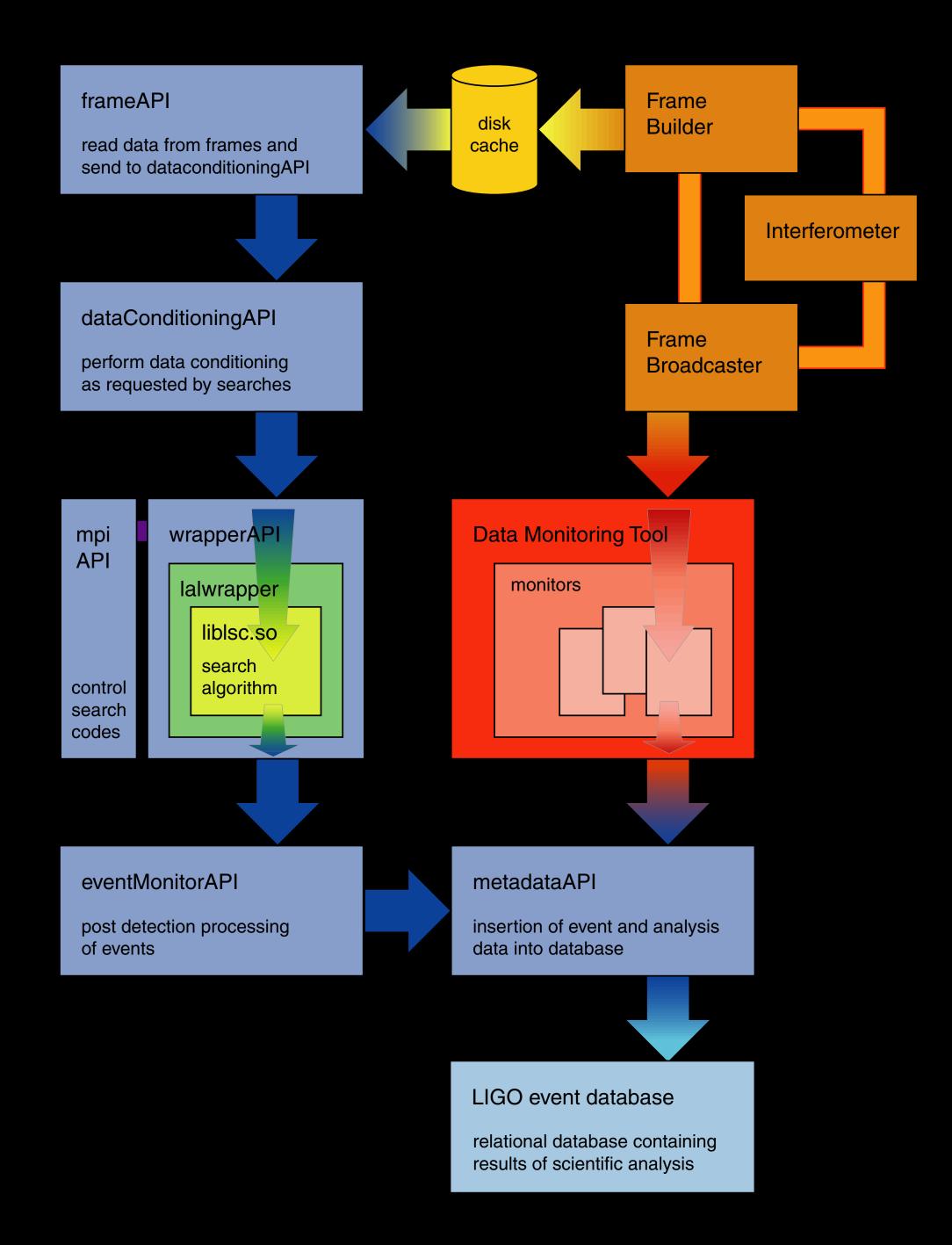


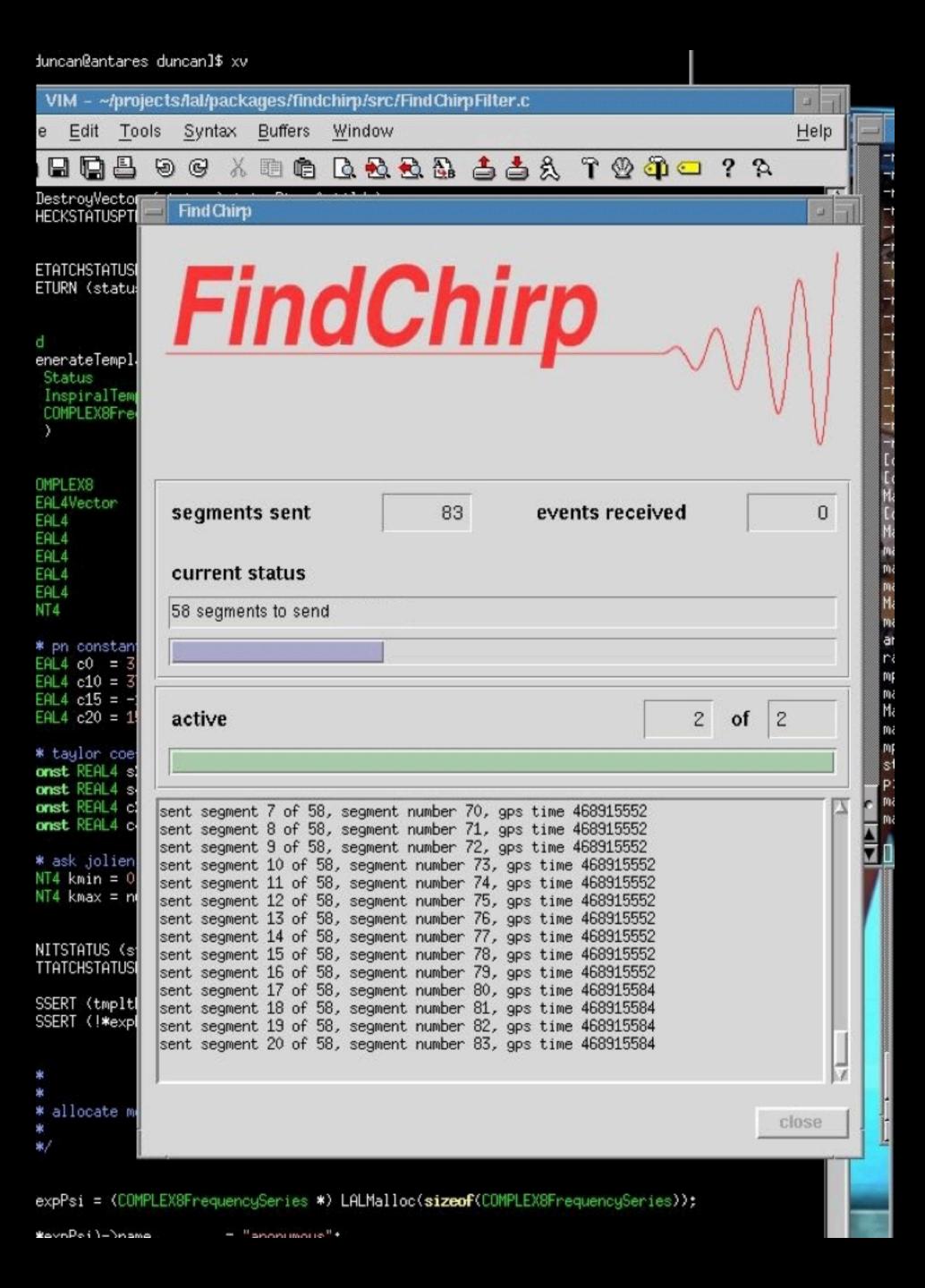


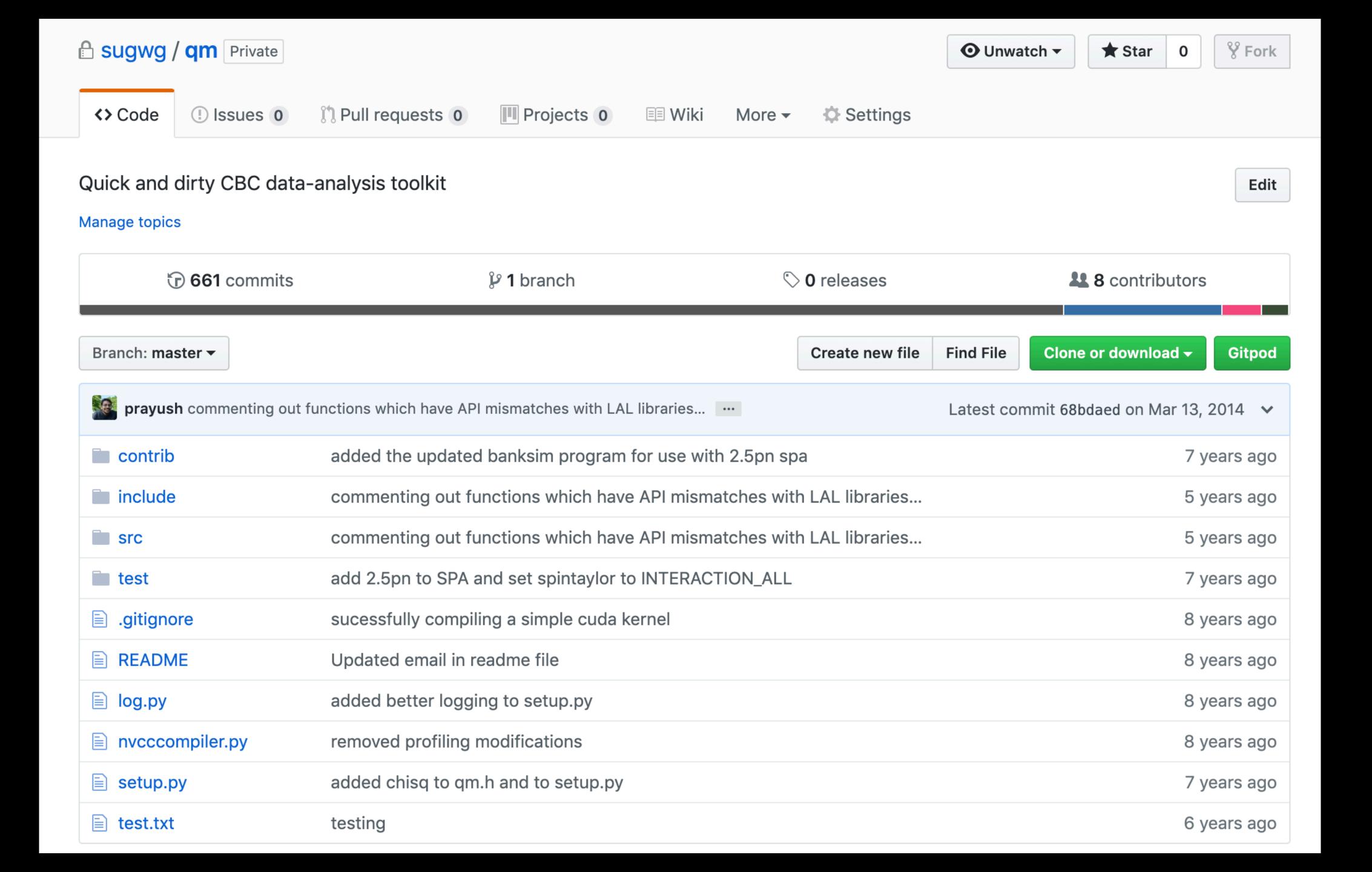


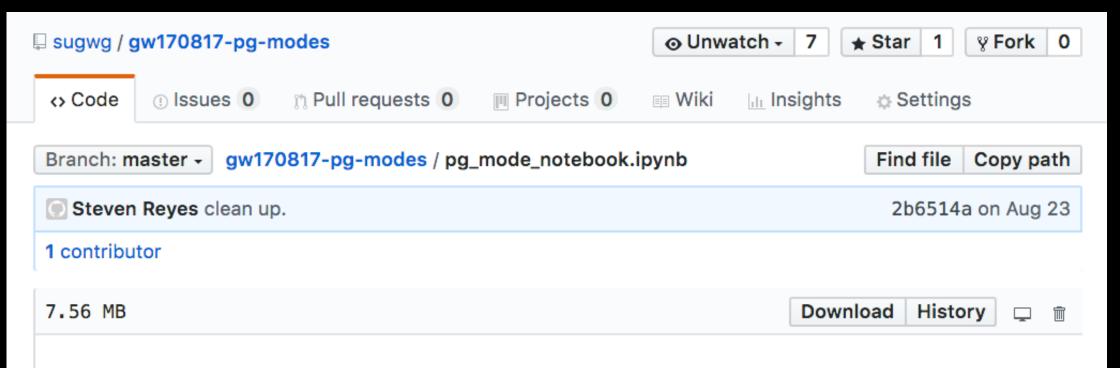
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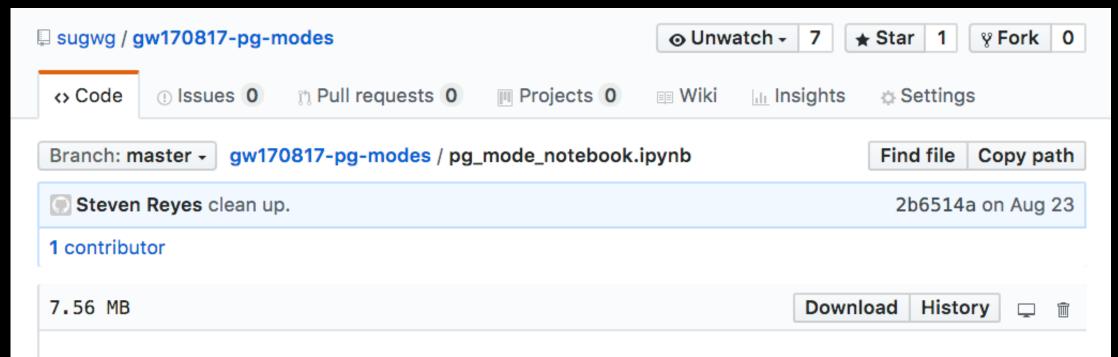
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Two recent studies have attempted to constrain the proposed p-g tidal instability with gravitational-wave data from GW170817. The studies use Bayesian methods to compare a model that includes p-g tidal effects with one that does not. Using the same data, they arrive at very different conclusions. Reyes & Brown find that the observations of GW170817 strongly disfavor the existence of p-g mode coupling. However, the LIGO and Virgo Collaborations find that neither model is strongly favored. We investigate the origin of this discrepancy by analyzing Reyes & Brown's publicly available posterior samples. Contrary to their claims, we find that their samples do not disfavor p-g mode coupling.

I. INTRODUCTION

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The gravitational wave (GW) observation of a coalescing binary neutron star (NS) system (GW170817 [1]) provides new insights into NS physics, including constraints on the high-density equation of state [2, 3] and tidal deformability [2, 4, 5]. Recently, two papers have attempted to constrain the p-g tidal instability with GW170817 ([6, 7]; hereafter RB and LVC, respectively). The instability involves a non-resonant coupling of the linear tidal bulge to high-frequency, pressure-supported modes (p-modes) and low-frequency, gravity-supported modes (g-modes) within the NS [8–11]. Once unstable, the excited modes continuously drain energy from the orbit and accelerate the rate of GW-driven inspiral. The precise impact on the phasing of the GW signal is, however, unknown due to theoretical uncertainties in how the instability grows and saturates, although studies suggest that its impact might be observable with the current LIGO [12] and Virgo [13] interferometers [10, 14].

RB and LVC attempt to constrain p-g effects in GW170817 using the phenomenological model developed by [14]. Both studies employ a modification of the TaylorF2 frequency-domain waveform (see, e.g., [15]) that includes an additional phase correction induced by p-g effects. Using Bayesian methods, they compare models with p-g effects (\mathcal{H}_{pg}) to models without p-g effects (\mathcal{H}_{pg}) and compute Bayes Factors $B_{pg}^{pg} \equiv p(\mathbf{D}|\mathcal{H}_{pg})/p(\mathbf{D}|\mathcal{H}_{pg})$, where D refers to the data from GW170817.

While RB and LVC analyze the same data and use the same phenomenological p-g waveform, there are differences in their models and priors, which we describe in Section II. Most notably, RB constructs an \mathcal{H}_{pg} model that only includes "detectable p-g effects" whereas LVC uses a wider \mathcal{H}_{pg} model. RB finds that their models yield $B_{!pg}^{pg} < 10^{-4}$ and LVC finds that their models yield $B_{!pg}^{pg} \approx 1$. Thus, RB concludes that the observations strongly disfavor their \mathcal{H}_{pg} model and LVC concludes that the observations do not favor either of their models.

A priori, the disparate $B^{pg}_{!pg}$ could be due to differences in the studies' models and priors. However, we show in Section III that this cannot be the explanation. We use the posterior samples from RB¹ to compute $B^{pg}_{!pg}$ using LVC's method for calculating Bayes Factors [7]. We find that LVC's method applied to RB's posterior samples, and thus their models and priors, yield $B^{pg}_{!pg} \approx 1$ and not $B^{pg}_{!pg} < 10^{-4}$. This indicates that there is an error in how RB calculates $B^{pg}_{!pg}$. Our estimate implies that their \mathcal{H}_{pg} model is not disfavored by the data.

II. COMPARISON OF MODELS AND PRIORS

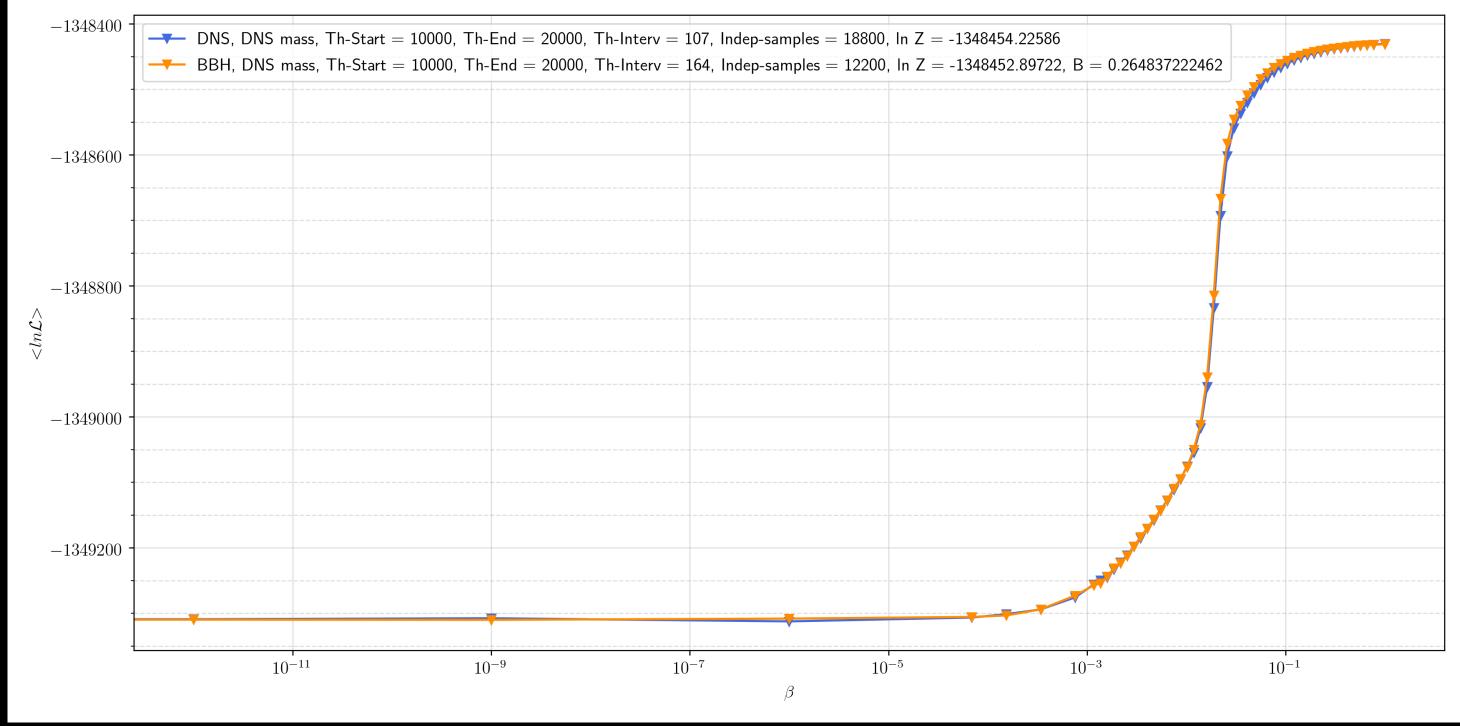
The phenomenological model presented in [14] introduces three p-g parameters per NS (indexed by $i \in \{1,2\}$): an overall amplitude (A_i) related to how many modes become unstable, how quickly they grow, and the energy at which they saturate; a turn-on/saturation frequency (f_i) that is related to when the modes first become unstable; and a spectral index (n_i) that describes how the rate of energy dissipation evolves with the orbital frequency (see [14], RB, and LVC).

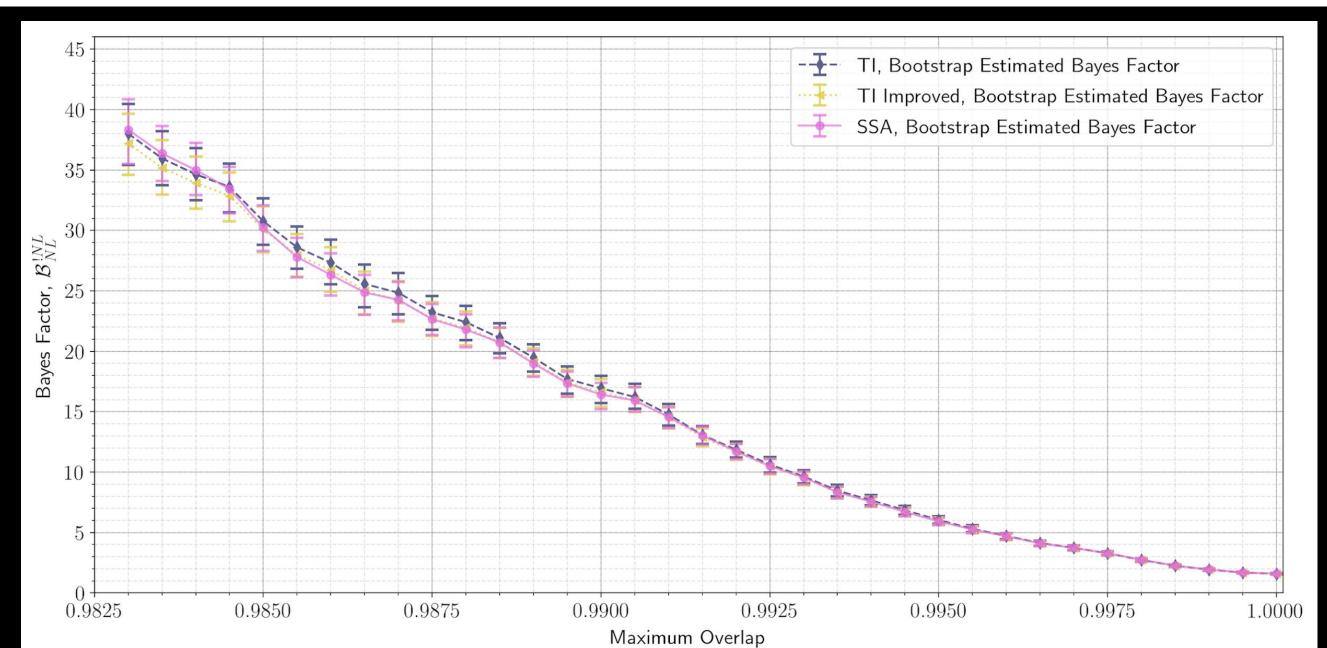
The frequency-domain phase shift $\Delta\Psi(f)$ induced by p-g effects is given by Equation (3) in RB and Equation (1) in LVC. To account for a possible dependence on the component masses (m_i) , [14] introduces a Taylor expansion of the p-g parameters around $m_i = 1.4 M_{\odot}$. LVC keeps the zeroth- and first-order coefficients of the expansion (their Equation (2)). RB keeps only the zeroth order coefficients. However, this should not introduce large discrepancies since LVC and [14] find that the first order terms are not measurable.

In their Equation (3), RB neglects a dependence on the component masses that exists independent of the Taylor expansion. Specifically, in the expression for $\Delta \Psi(f)$,

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¹ RB have kindly made their posterior samples available at https://github.com/sugwg/gw170817-pg-modes.





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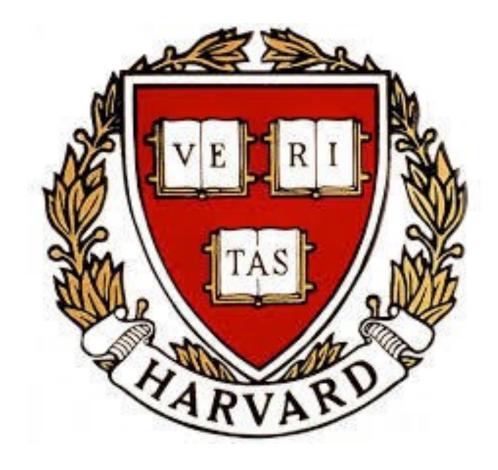
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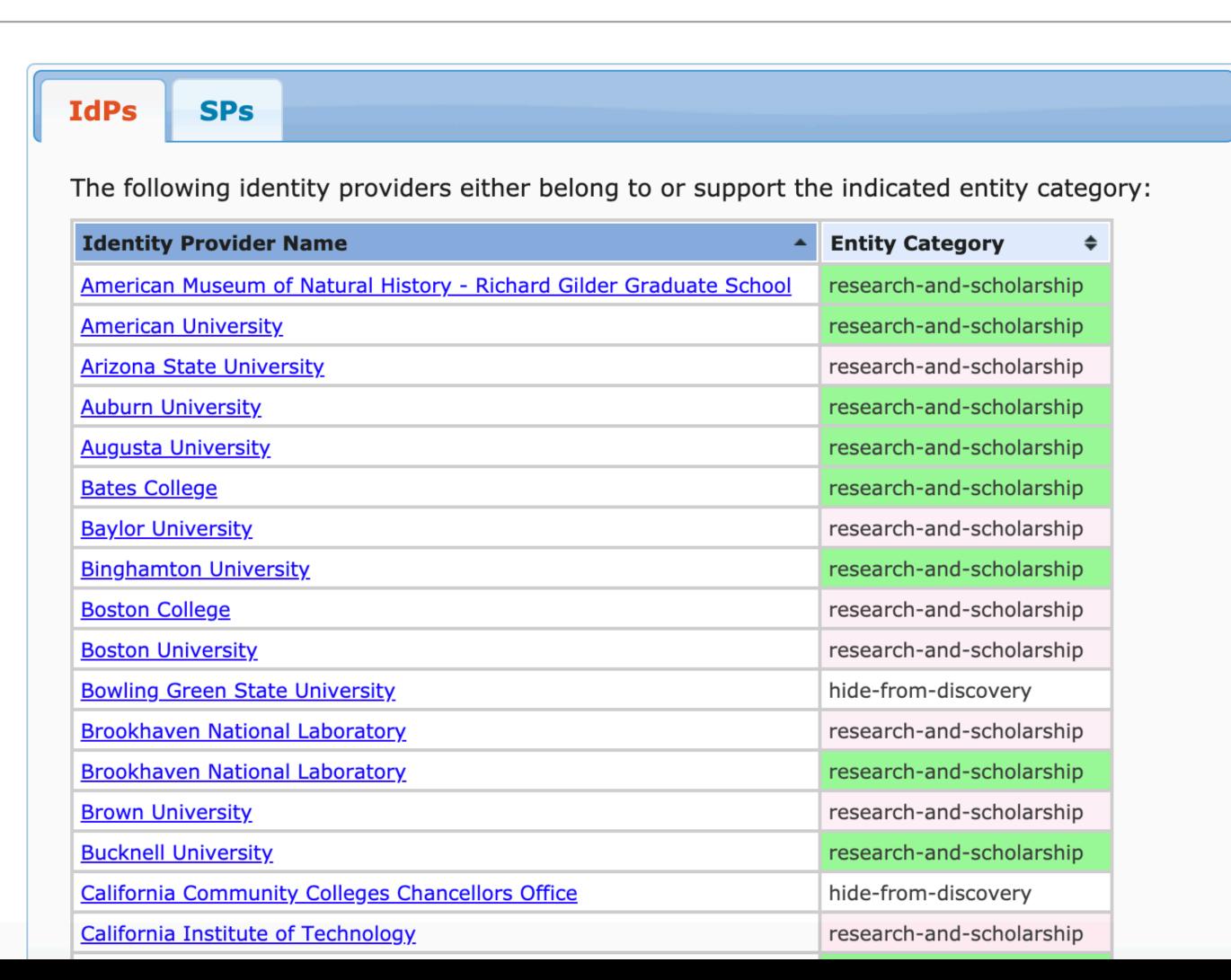
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Apache

Created by Rod Widdowson, last modified by Scott Cantor on Oct 16, 2018



Apache 2.4 Support

You should review this page and the htaccess page thoroughly because Apache 2.4 is much more complicated than earlier versions. In particular, if you're trying to combine Shibboleth with other authentication schemes (like Basic), you may need to enable the ShibCompatValidUser option, documented below.

Half of Shibboleth runs within the web server. For Apache, this half is implemented in a module called *mod_shib_13.so*, *mod_shib_20.so*, *mod_shib_22.so*, or *mod_shib_24.so* depending on the Apache version. Like all Apache modules, the initial configuration is controlled with Apache's configuration file(s), but one of the primary options there (normally implicit/defaulted) is to point the module at the overall SP configuration file (*shibboleth2.xml*) where a lot of the options not specific to Apache are controlled.

At runtime, the module has the ability to process both a variety of Apache commands and rules specified in the SP configuration and make sense of both. This allows for a choice of approaches based on the need for native integration with Apache or for portability between web servers. Native integration using Apache commands is the better choice and is more secure.

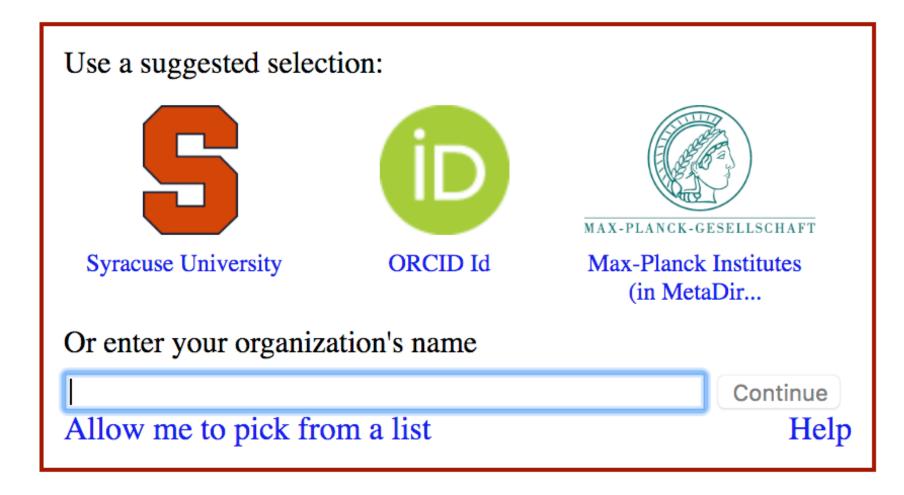
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Please select an identity provider to login

Choose an identity provider from the options in the box below

The first time that you log in, you should pick from the list or enter an or organization name. Your previous choice(s) will different provider from this list.



Which provider should I choose?

- LSC/Virgo collaboration members should select one of the LIGO providers and log in with their LIGO.ORG creden is available at my.ligo.org.
- Syracuse University Gravitational Wave Group members who are not part of the LSC can log in with their NetID. Y myslice.syr.edu
- Other scientists can log in with an ORCID Id, which can be obtained from orcid.id.

Using a .htaccess file to control access

You can override the default access settings to any sub-directory in your ~/secure_html directory by creating a file in that directory called .htaccess and adding authorization directives in there.

Setting up Shibboleth

The first two lines of this file should be the directives that turn on Shibboleth authentication and authorization:

```
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ShibRequestSetting requireSession true
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Then you can add lines to give access to specific people. These are implemented as a logical OR so you can specifiy multiple people on multiple lines.

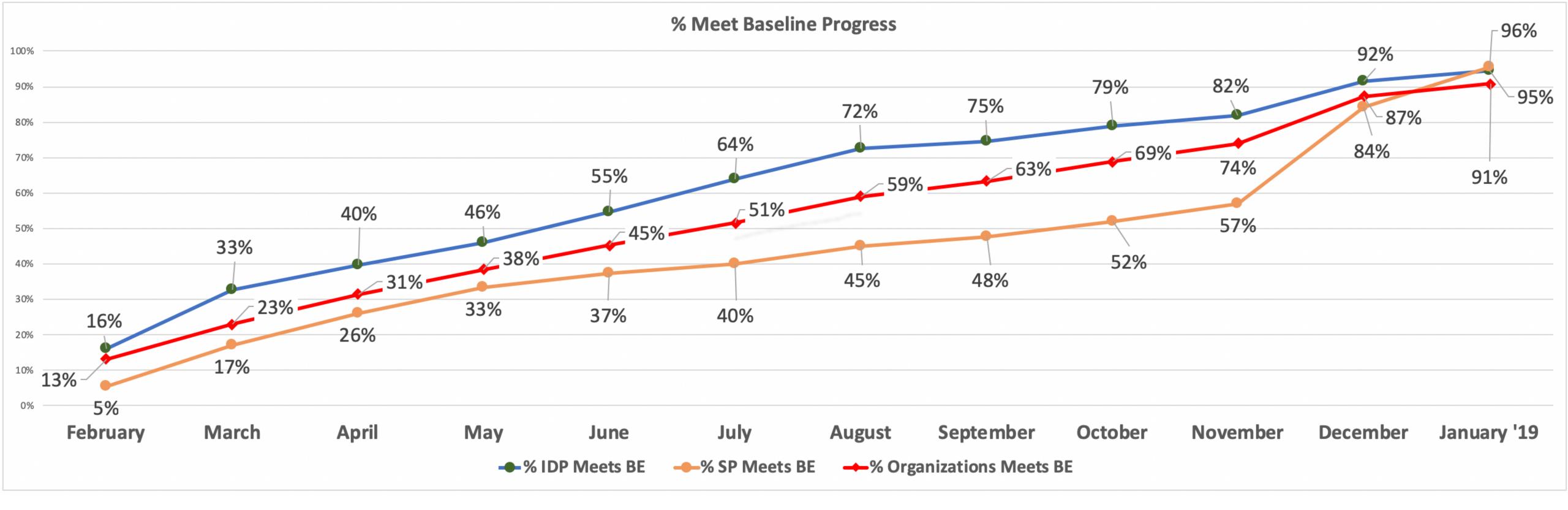
Syracuse users

For Syracuse users, you can authorize people using their eduPersonPrincipalName, which is their <u>Syracuse NetID</u>. For example, the following lines authorize people in our group:

```
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LIGO/Virgo users

LIGO users can be authorized using their LIGO.ORG username as the eduPersonPrincipalName, for example:



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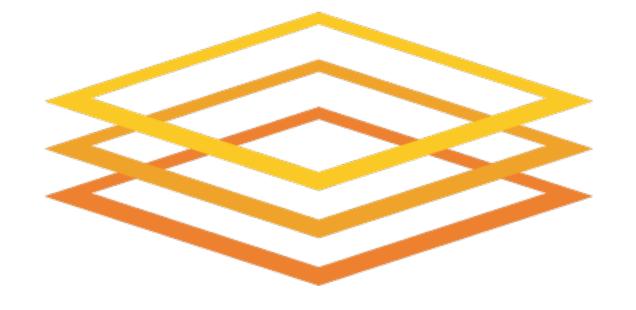
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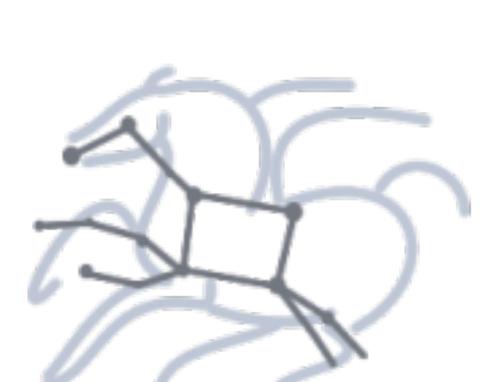
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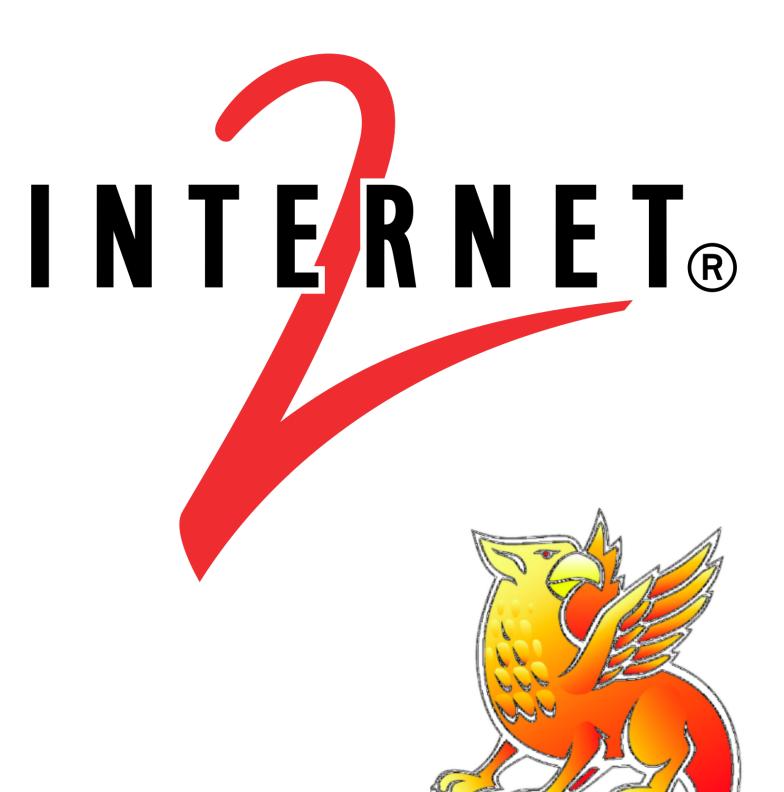


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