

KEK Cosmo 2025 workshop

**Quantum Nature of Primordial Gravitational
Waves in Hořava-Lifshitz Gravity**

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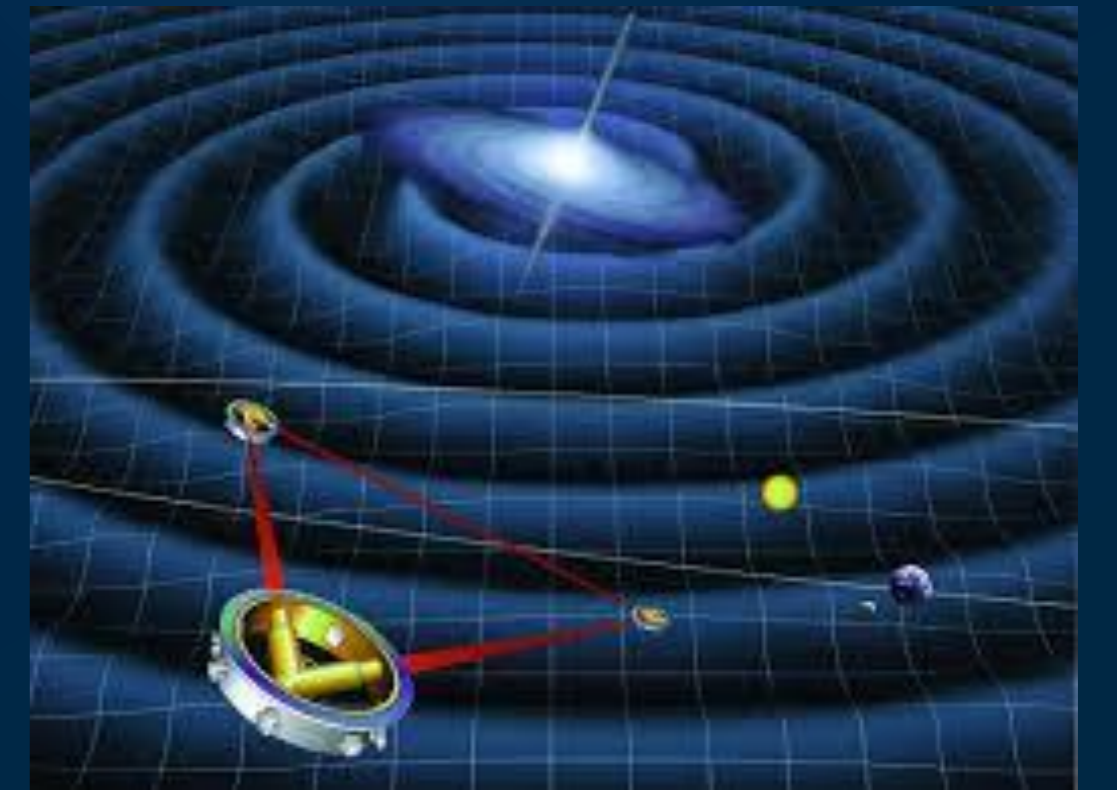
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Basic Idea

Detection of primordial gravitational waves
using HBT interferometry



Hořava–Lifshitz Gravity
Gravity theories satisfying renormalizability/unitarity.



Outline of Our Work

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Hořava–Lifshitz Gravity

Gravity theories satisfying renormalizability/unitarity

1. A candidate of quantum gravity theories
2. Cosmological prediction: Generating scale-invariant scalar/tensor perturbations without inflation (cosmic de-Sitter expansion)

$$P(k) = k^3 |h_k|^2 = \text{const.}$$

$$a \propto t^n, \quad n > 1/3$$

[S. Mukohyama, JCAP 06 (2009) 001]

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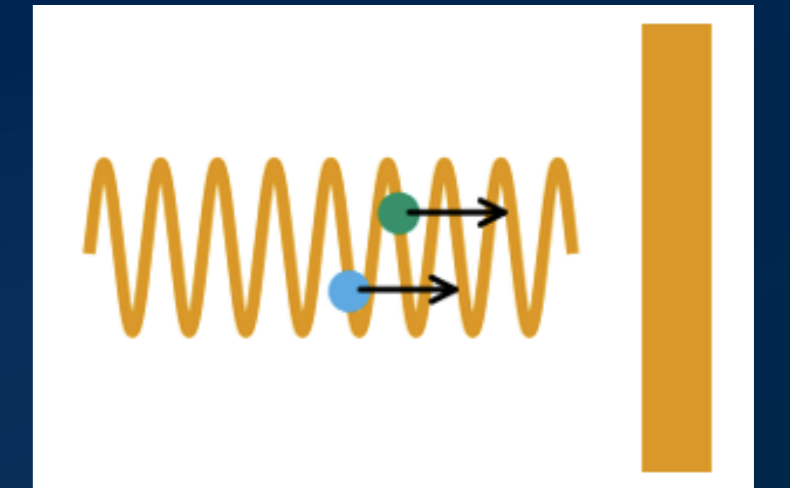
Inflation Theory

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Hanbury Brown-Twiss (HBT)

Quantum detection of primordial gravitational waves

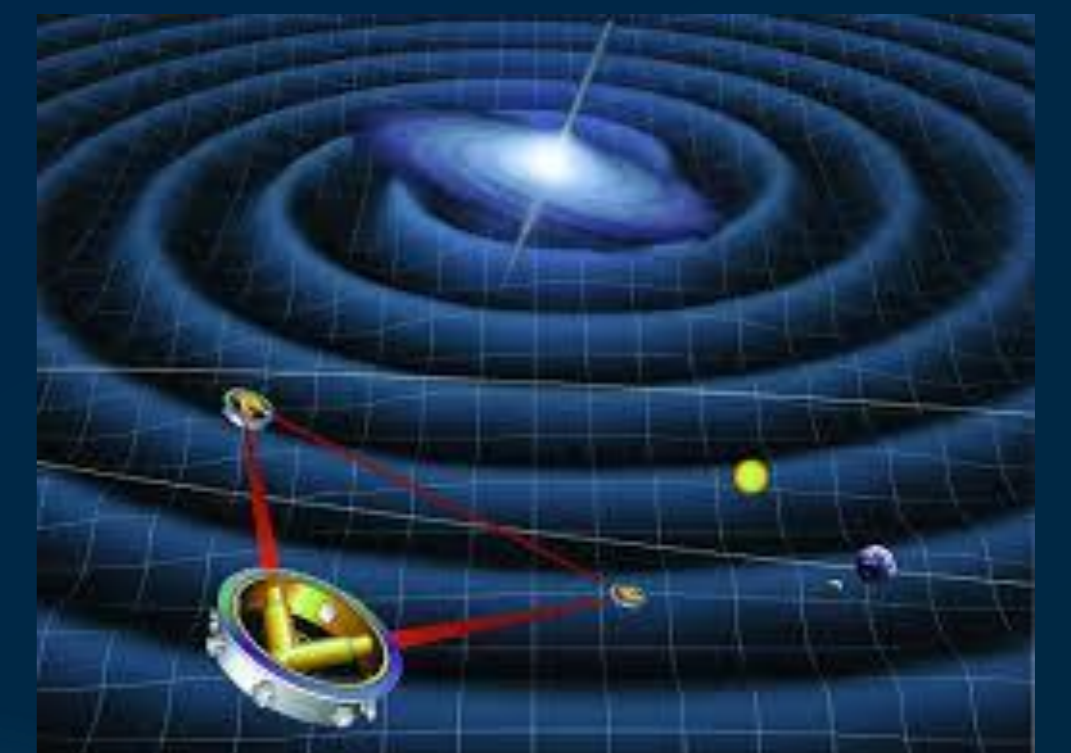


Second-order coherence function

[S. Kanno and J. Soda, Phys. Rev. D 99 (2019) 084010]

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It represents the correlation strength, and the value ($\tau=0$) distinguishes between the statistical properties of light (classical, coherent, and single photon)



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Einstein Gravity

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$$f > 10 \text{ [kHz]}$$

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Detectable by the space-based gravitational wave telescope LISA

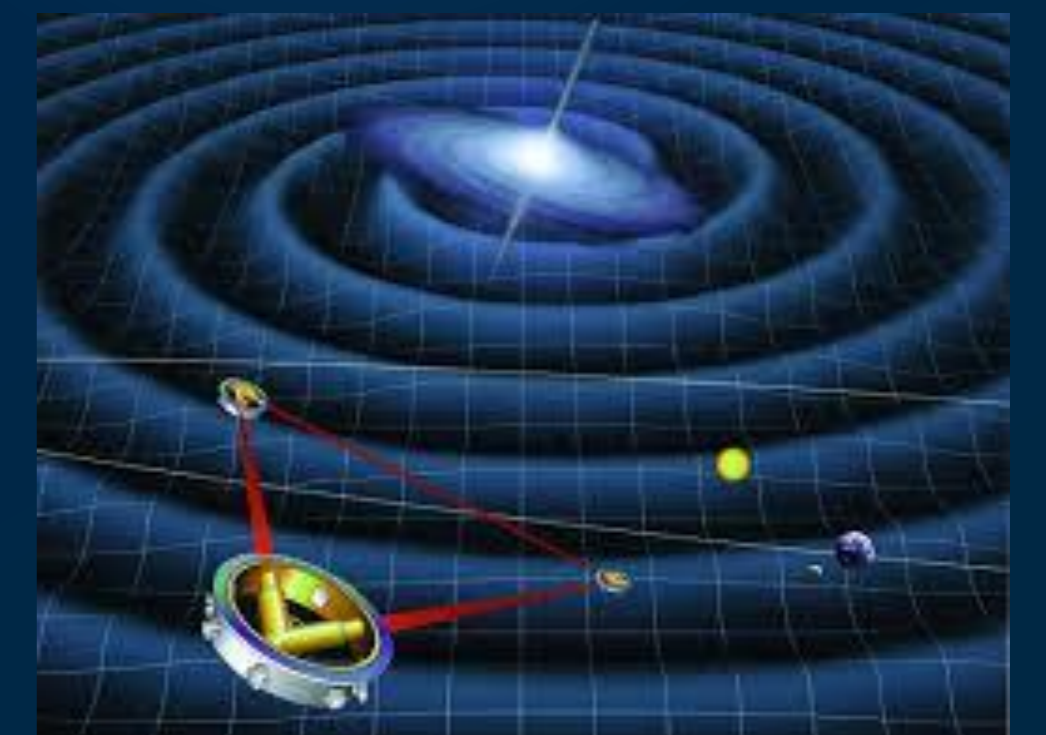
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Talk Plans

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We discuss quantum nature of PGWs in the Horava-Lifshitz gravity framework. While inflationary models suggest that the non-classicality of PGWs is detectable by HBT interferometers, we demonstrate that the detectable frequency range exhibited by PGWs in HL gravity significantly exceeds that predicted by standard inflationary models.

1. Review of Horowitz-Lifshitz Gravity and Primordial Gravitational Waves
2. Review of HBT interferometers
3. Detection of the Quantum Nature of PGWs in Horowitz-Lifshitz Gravity



Horava-Lifshitz Gravity

Horava-Lifshitz Gravity

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One candidate for quantum gravity theory: higher-order differential gravity theory satisfying renormalizability and unitarity (proposed by P. Horava in 2009).



Anisotropic scaling between space and time

[P. Horava, JHEP 03 (2009) 020, Phys. Rev. D 79 (2009) 084008]

$$\begin{cases} t \rightarrow b^z t \\ \vec{x} \rightarrow b\vec{x} \end{cases} \implies \text{Lorentz-invariance is broken at UV (for } z \neq 1)$$

Power counting renormalizability at UV ($z=3$)

Higher derivative operators in spatial direction

$$\frac{1}{2} \int dt d^3x \left[\dot{h}^2 - h (-\Delta)^z h \right] \implies h \rightarrow b^{\frac{z-3}{2}} h, \quad (z = 3)$$

$$c_1 \nabla_i R_{jk} \nabla^i R^{jk} + c_2 \nabla_i R \nabla^i R + c_3 R_i^j R_j^k R_k^i + c_4 R R_i^j R_j^i + c_5 R^3 + (c_6 R_i^j R_j^i + c_7 R^2)$$

Projectable Hořava-Lifshitz Gravity

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Higher-order spatial differential terms provide renormalizability

ADM formalism

$$ds^2 = -N^2 dt^2 + g_{ij} (dx^i + N^i dt)(dx^j + N^j dt)$$

$$K_{ij} = \frac{1}{2N} (\partial_t g_{ij} - g_{jk} \nabla_i N^k - g_{ik} \nabla_j N^k)$$

$$N = N(t), \quad N^i = N^i(t, \mathbf{x}), \quad g_{ij} = g_{ij}(t, \mathbf{x})$$

Tensor perturbations (gravitational waves) on FLRW background

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$$ds^2 = -dt^2 + a^2(t)(\gamma_{ij} + h_{ij})dx^i dx^j$$

$$S_{\text{HL}}^{(2)} = \frac{\mathcal{M}^2}{8} \int dt d^3x a^3 \left[\dot{h}^{ij} \dot{h}_{ij} + h^{ij} \Delta h_{ij} + \left(\frac{1}{\nu^2 \mathcal{M}^2} \right)^2 h^{ij} \Delta^3 h_{ij} \right]$$

Fourier Expansion

$$h_{ij}(\eta, x^i) = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\mathcal{M}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{V}} \sum_{\mathbf{k}} \sum_s h_{\mathbf{k}}^s(\eta) e^{i\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{x}} p_{ij}^s(\mathbf{k})$$

Second-order perturbative action of tensor fields

$$S_{\text{HL}}^{(2)} = \frac{1}{2} \int d\eta \sum_{\mathbf{k}} \sum_s a^2 \left[h_{\mathbf{k}}^{\prime s} h_{-\mathbf{k}}^{\prime s} - k^2 h_{\mathbf{k}}^s h_{-\mathbf{k}}^s - \left(\frac{1}{\nu^2 \mathcal{M}^2} \right)^2 \frac{k^6}{a^4} h_{\mathbf{k}}^s h_{-\mathbf{k}}^s \right]$$

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Field Redefinition

$$\tilde{h}_{\mathbf{k}}^s(\eta) = a(\eta) h_{\mathbf{k}}^s(\eta)$$

EOM of PGWs

$$\tilde{h}_{\mathbf{k}}^{\prime\prime s} + \left(\left(\frac{1}{\nu^2 \mathcal{M}^2} \right)^2 \frac{k^6}{a^4} + k^2 - \frac{a''}{a} \right) \tilde{h}_{\mathbf{k}}^s = 0$$

UV Solution and Scale Invariance

At the UV limit, the k^6 term is dominant $\frac{k}{a} \gg \nu \mathcal{M}$

$$\tilde{h}_{\mathbf{k}}^{\prime\prime s} + \left(\frac{k^6}{a^4 \nu^4 \mathcal{M}^4} - \frac{a''}{a} \right) \tilde{h}_{\mathbf{k}}^s = 0$$

UV-mode function



$$\tilde{h}_{\mathbf{k}}^s(\eta) = \frac{\nu \mathcal{M}}{\sqrt{2k^3}} a(\eta) \exp \left(-i \frac{k^3}{\nu^2 \mathcal{M}^2} \int^\eta \frac{d\eta'}{a^2(\eta')} \right)$$

Power spectrum is scale-invariant

$$P(k) = k^3 |h_{\mathbf{k}}^s|^2 \propto \nu^2 \mathcal{M}^2$$

[S. Mukohyama, JCAP 06 (2009) 001]

Squeezed Vacuum

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Tensor field operator

$$\tilde{h}_{\mathbf{k}}^s(\eta) = a_{\mathbf{k}}^s u_{\mathbf{k}}(\eta) + a_{-\mathbf{k}}^{s\dagger} u_{\mathbf{k}}^*(\eta) = b_{\mathbf{k}}^s v_{\mathbf{k}}(\eta) + b_{-\mathbf{k}}^{s\dagger} v_{\mathbf{k}}^*(\eta)$$

Initial vacuum

$$a_{\mathbf{k}}^s |0\rangle_a = 0$$

Late vacuum

$$b_{\mathbf{k}}^s |0\rangle_b = 0$$

Bogoliubov transformation

$$b_{\mathbf{k}} = \alpha_{\mathbf{k}} a_{\mathbf{k}} + \beta_{\mathbf{k}}^* a_{-\mathbf{k}}^\dagger$$

Squeezing parameter

$$\alpha_{\mathbf{k}} \equiv \cosh r_{\mathbf{k}}$$

$$\beta_{\mathbf{k}} \equiv e^{i\varphi} \sinh r_{\mathbf{k}}$$

Initial vacuum is expressed by a two-mode squeezed state of the mode of \mathbf{k} and $-\mathbf{k}$

$$|0\rangle_a = \prod_{\mathbf{k}} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} e^{in\varphi} \frac{\tanh^n r_{\mathbf{k}}}{\cosh r_{\mathbf{k}}} |n_{\mathbf{k}}\rangle_b \otimes |n_{-\mathbf{k}}\rangle_b$$

Squeezed Coherent Vacuum

Coherent state

$$|\xi_k\rangle_a = e^{-\frac{1}{2}|\xi_k|^2} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{\xi_k^n}{\sqrt{n!}} |n_k\rangle_a = \hat{D}^a(\xi_k)|0\rangle_a$$

Displacement operator

$$\hat{D}^a(\xi_k) = \exp \left[\xi_k a_k^\dagger - \xi_k^* a_k \right]$$

Time-evolution of operators

$$U = \exp \left[-i \int d\eta H_{\text{int}} \right]$$

If the interaction Hamiltonian is linear form
with each modes

$$H_{\text{int}} = i \left[\xi_k a_k^\dagger - \xi_k^* a_k \right] \longrightarrow U = \hat{D}^a(\xi_k)$$

(Squeezed)
coherent state

$$|\xi_k\rangle_a = \exp \left[-i \int d\eta H_{\text{int}} \right] |0\rangle_a = \prod_k \prod_s \hat{D}^a(\xi_k) |0\rangle_a$$

Matter Interaction

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Scalar field action

$$S_\phi = \frac{1}{2} \int dt d^3x N \sqrt{g} \left[\dot{\phi}^2 + \phi \Delta \phi + \left(\frac{1}{\nu_\phi^2 \mathcal{M}^2} \right)^2 \phi \Delta^3 \phi \right]$$

Fourier expansion

$$\phi(\eta, x^i) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{V}} \sum_{\mathbf{p}} \phi_{\mathbf{p}}(\eta) e^{i\mathbf{p} \cdot \mathbf{x}}$$

Interaction Hamiltonian

$$i \int d\eta H_{\text{int}} = - \sum_{\mathbf{k}} \sum_s \left[\xi_{\mathbf{k}}^s a_{\mathbf{k}}^{s\dagger} - \xi_{\mathbf{k}}^{s*} a_{\mathbf{k}}^s \right] \longrightarrow |\xi_{\mathbf{k}}\rangle_a = \exp \left[-i \int d\eta H_{\text{int}} \right] |0\rangle_a$$
$$= \prod_{\mathbf{k}} \prod_s \exp \left[\xi_{\mathbf{k}}^s a_{\mathbf{k}}^{s\dagger} - \xi_{\mathbf{k}}^{s*} a_{\mathbf{k}}^s \right] |0\rangle_a$$

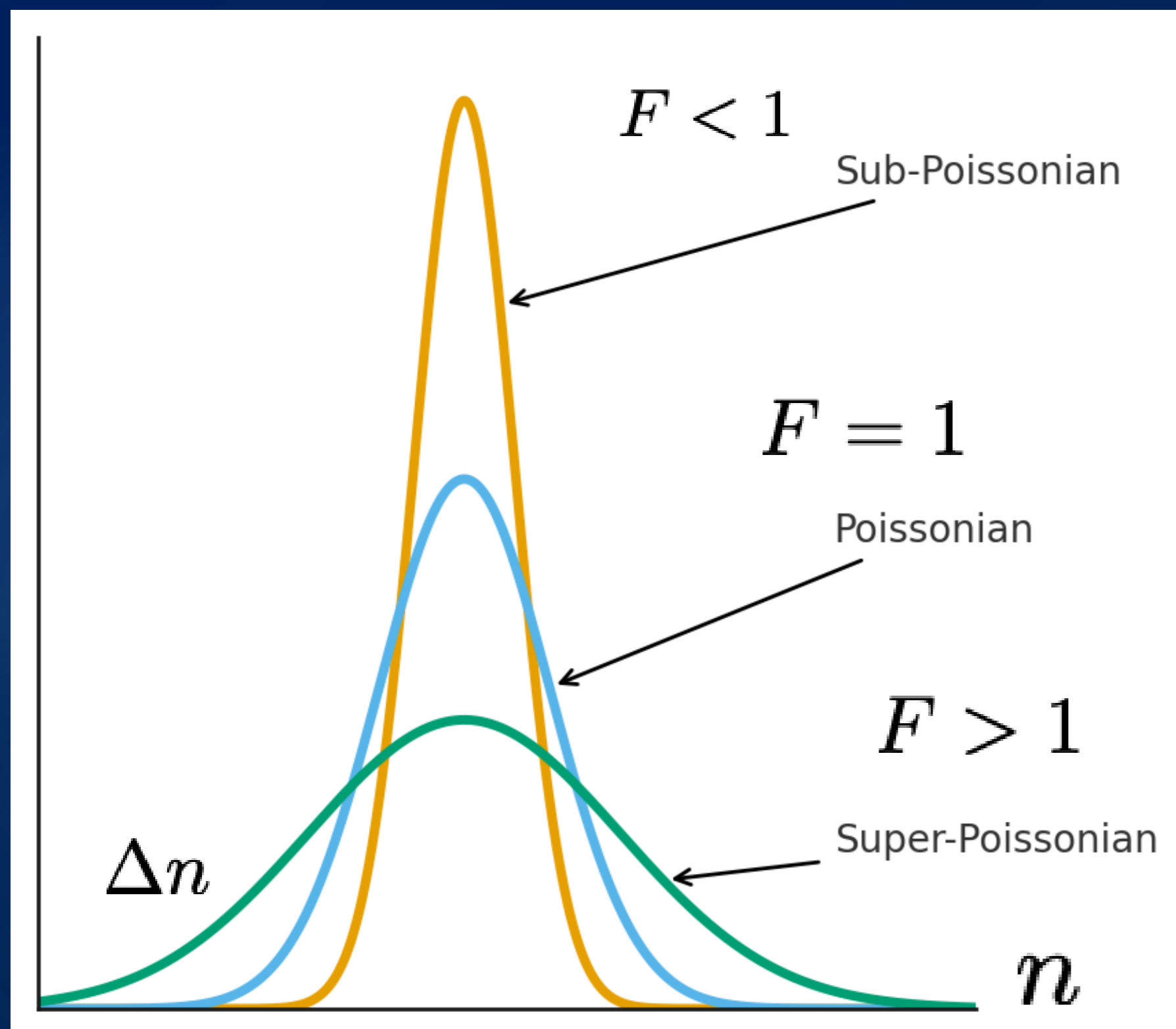
$$\xi_{\mathbf{k}}^s = -\frac{i}{\mathcal{M}} \sqrt{\frac{2}{V}} \int d\eta \sum_{\mathbf{p}} \left\{ \frac{a}{2} (p^{ij,s}(-\mathbf{k}) p_i p_j) u_{\mathbf{k}}^*(\eta) \phi_{\mathbf{p}} \phi_{\mathbf{k}-\mathbf{p}} \right.$$
$$\left. + \frac{3}{2a^3 \nu_\phi^4 \mathcal{M}^4} (p^{ij,s}(-\mathbf{k}) p_i p_j) (\gamma^{ij} p_i p_j)^2 u_{\mathbf{k}}^*(\eta) \phi_{\mathbf{p}} \phi_{\mathbf{k}-\mathbf{p}} \right\}$$

Squeezed coherent state

HBT Interferometry and Graviton Statistics

Fano Factor and Graviton Statistics

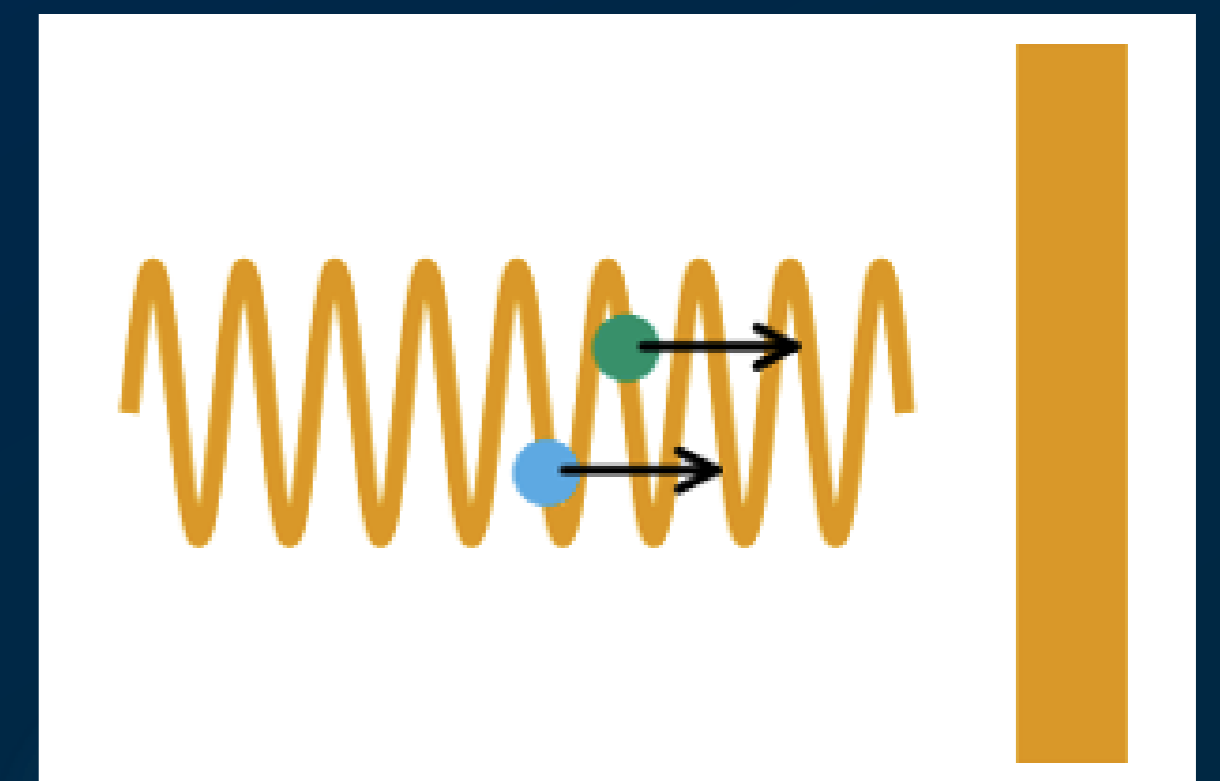
Probability of particle number



Classical fields cannot exhibit sub-Poissonian statistics; $F \geq 1$. Coherent state has exactly Poissonian statistics with $F=1$. Squeezed coherent state can be sub-Poissonian ($F < 1$)

Fano Factor

$$F = \frac{(\Delta n)^2}{\langle n \rangle}$$



Fano Factor and Graviton Statistics

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Fano Factor for Squeezed coherent state

$$F = \frac{|\xi_k|^2 e^{-4r_k} + 2 \sinh^2 r_k + 2 \sinh^4 r_k}{|\xi_k|^2 e^{-2r_k} + \sinh^2 r_k}$$
$$F = \frac{(\Delta n)^2}{\langle n \rangle}$$

Non-classicality condition ($F < 1$)

Large squeezed limit

$$|\xi_k|^2 (e^{-2r_k} - e^{-4r_k}) > \sinh^2 r_k + 2 \sinh^4 r_k$$
$$r_k \gg 1$$
$$\sinh^6 r_k < \frac{1}{8} |\xi_k|^2$$

Hanbury Brown-Twiss (HBT) Interferometry

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Zero-delay coherence function

[S. Kanno and J. Soda, Phys. Rev. D 99 (2019) 084010]

$$g^{(2)}(\tau \rightarrow 0) = 1 + \frac{(\Delta n)^2 - \langle n \rangle}{\langle n \rangle^2} = 1 + \frac{F - 1}{\langle n \rangle} \quad F < 1 \implies g^{(2)}(0) < 1$$

Primordial Gravitational Waves

Radiation-Dominated Universe

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Scale factor

$$a(\eta) = C_r \eta$$

Mode functions

$$u_k(\eta) = \frac{\nu \mathcal{M}}{\sqrt{2k^3}} C_r \eta \exp\left(i \frac{k^3}{\nu^2 \mathcal{M}^2 C_r^2 \eta}\right) \quad \frac{k}{a} > \nu \mathcal{M}$$

$$v_k(\eta) \equiv \frac{1}{\sqrt{2k}} e^{-ik\eta} \quad \frac{k}{a} < \nu \mathcal{M}$$

EOM

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Matching condition

$$\eta = \eta_1 \quad \nu \mathcal{M} = \frac{k}{C_r \eta_1}$$

Bogoliubov coefficients

Squeezing parameter

$$\alpha_k = \frac{e^{2ik\eta_1} (2k\eta_1 + i)}{2k\eta_1}, \quad \beta_k = -\frac{i}{2k\eta_1} \quad \sinh r_k = \left| \frac{1}{2\eta_1 k} \right|$$

Radiation-Dominated Universe

Particle number

$$N_f = |\beta_k|^2 = \frac{1}{4} \left(\frac{f_1}{f} \right)^4$$

Amplitude of PGWs

$$h_0^2 \Omega_{\text{gw}}(f) \simeq 10^{-13} \left(\frac{\nu \mathcal{M}}{10^{-4} M_{\text{pl}}} \right)^2$$

$$f_1 \simeq 10^9 \sqrt{\frac{\nu \mathcal{M}}{10^{-4} M_{\text{pl}}}} \quad [\text{Hz}]$$

Non-classicality condition

$$f > \left(\frac{1}{8} \right)^{\frac{1}{12}} |\xi_k|^{-\frac{1}{6}} f_1 = \left(\frac{1}{8} \right)^{\frac{1}{12}} 10^9 |\xi_k|^{-\frac{1}{6}} \sqrt{\frac{\nu \mathcal{M}}{10^{-4} M_{\text{pl}}}} \quad [\text{Hz}]$$

Radiation-Dominated Universe

Matter Interaction

$$|\xi_k| \simeq \frac{k^{\frac{3}{2}} \sqrt{V}}{96\pi^3} \frac{\nu_\phi^2}{\nu} (k\eta_1) + \frac{3k^{\frac{3}{2}} \sqrt{V}}{32\pi^3} \frac{\nu^3}{\nu_\phi^2} (k\eta_1) \left(\frac{\eta_1}{\eta_0} \right) \quad \mathcal{M} \sim M_{\text{pl}} \quad V = H_0^{-3} \quad \nu \sim \nu_\phi \sim 10^{-4}$$

Non-classicality condition

$$f > 10 \text{ [kHz]}$$

$$f > 8.5 \times 10^4 \left(\frac{\nu}{\nu_\phi^2} \right)^{\frac{2}{19}} \left(\frac{\nu \mathcal{M}}{10^{-4} M_{\text{pl}}} \right)^{\frac{8}{19}} \text{ [Hz]}$$

$$f > 7.2 \times 10^4 \left(\frac{\nu_\phi^2}{\nu^3} \right)^{\frac{2}{19}} \left(\frac{\eta_0}{\eta_1} \right)^{\frac{2}{19}} \left(\frac{\nu \mathcal{M}}{10^{-4} M_{\text{pl}}} \right)^{\frac{8}{19}} \text{ [Hz]}$$

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Frequency range: LISA/DECIGO (10^{-4} – 1 Hz), ground interferometer (10 Hz–1 kHz)

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Matter-Dominated Universe

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Matching condition

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Squeezing parameter

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Matter-Dominated Universe

Squeezing parameter

$$\sinh r_k \simeq \frac{3}{2k^2\eta_2^2} = \frac{3}{2} \left(\frac{f_2}{f} \right)^3$$

$$f_2 \simeq \left(\frac{\nu \mathcal{M}}{10^{-4} M_{\text{pl}}} \right)^{\frac{1}{3}} \text{ [Hz]}$$

Sub-Poissonian

$$F = \frac{(\Delta n)^2}{\langle n \rangle} < 1$$

$$\sinh^6 r_k < \frac{1}{8} |\xi_k|^2 \quad r_k \gg 1$$

Non-classicality condition

$$f > \left(\frac{9}{2} \right)^{\frac{1}{6}} |\xi_k|^{-\frac{1}{9}} f_2 = \left(\frac{9}{2} \right)^{\frac{1}{6}} |\xi_k|^{-\frac{1}{9}} \left(\frac{\nu \mathcal{M}}{10^{-4} M_{\text{pl}}} \right)^{\frac{1}{3}} \text{ [Hz]}$$

Matter-Dominated Universe

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$$V = H_0^{-3} \quad \nu \sim \nu_\phi \sim 10^{-4}$$

$$\mathcal{M} \sim M_{\text{pl}}$$

Non-classicality condition

$$f > 10^{-3} \text{ [Hz]}$$

$$f > 1.2 \times 10^{-2} \left(\frac{\nu}{\nu_\phi^2}\right)^{\frac{1}{12}} \left(\frac{\nu \mathcal{M}}{10^{-4} M_{\text{pl}}}\right)^{\frac{7}{24}} \text{ [Hz]}$$

$$f > 1.0 \times 10^{-2} \left(\frac{\nu_\phi^2}{\nu^3}\right)^{\frac{1}{12}} \left(\frac{\eta_0}{\eta_2}\right)^{\frac{1}{4}} \left(\frac{\nu \mathcal{M}}{10^{-4} M_{\text{pl}}}\right)^{\frac{7}{24}} \text{ [Hz]}$$

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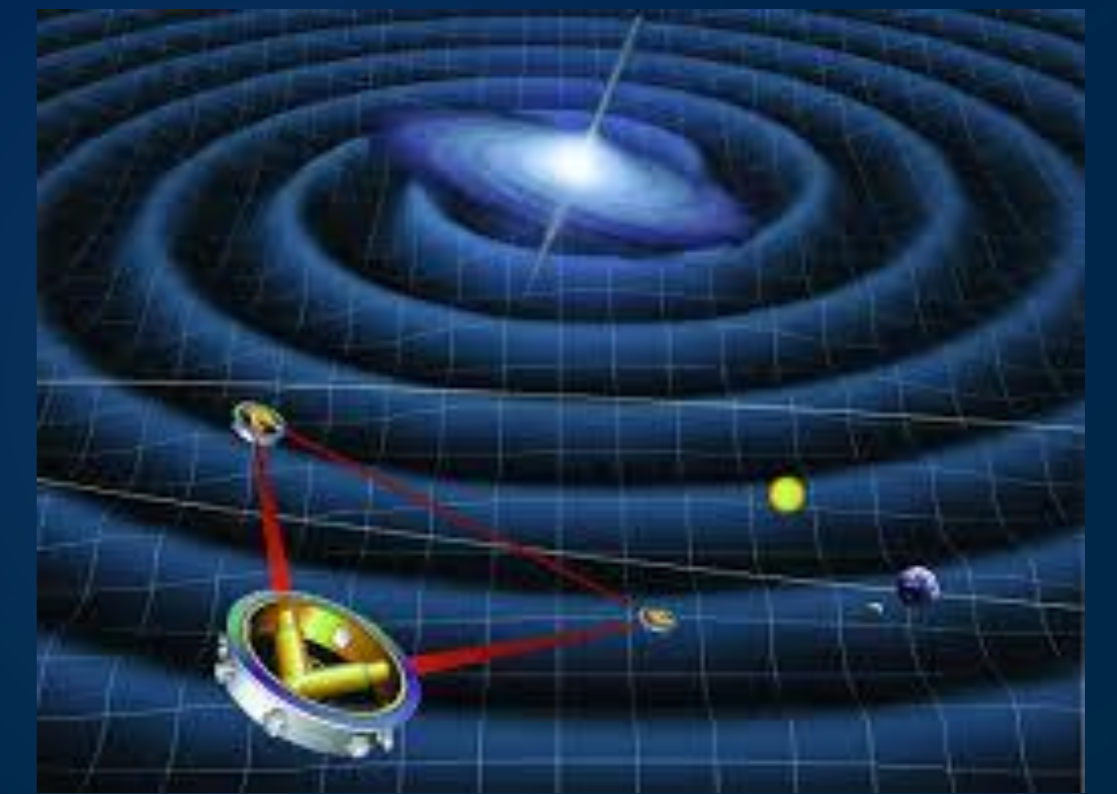
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Detection of quantum nature of PGWs

Horava-Lifshitz Gravity

$$S_{\text{HL}} = \frac{\mathcal{M}^2}{2} \int dt d^3x N \sqrt{g} \left(K^{ij} K_{ij} - \lambda K^2 + c_g^2 R^{(3)} - 2\Lambda + \mathcal{O}_{z>1} \right)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\mathcal{O}_{z>1}}{2} = & c_1 \nabla_i R_{jk}^{(3)} \nabla^i R^{(3)jk} + c_2 \nabla_i R^{(3)} \nabla^i R^{(3)} + c_3 R_i^{(3)j} R_j^{(3)k} R_k^{(3)i} \\ & + c_4 R^{(3)} R_i^{(3)j} R_j^{(3)i} + c_5 R^{(3)3} + c_6 R_i^{(3)j} R_j^{(3)i} + c_7 R^{(3)2} \end{aligned}$$



Frequency range: LISA/DECIGO
(10^{-4} –1 Hz), ground
interferometer (10 Hz–1 kHz)

Detection Limit for the Quantum

Nature of PGWs

$$f > 10^{-3} \text{ [Hz]}$$

Detectable by the space-based
gravitational wave telescope LISA

Summary

1. Horava-Lifshitz gravity is one of the leading candidates for a quantum gravity theory that satisfies renormalizability and unitarity.
2. Horava-Lifshitz gravity generates scale-invariant fluctuations in a standard expanding universe without cosmic inflation.
3. The quantum nature of PGWs generated in the early universe can be verified using HBT interferometers.

Radiation-dominated universe $\rightarrow f > 10$ kHz, same prediction as inflation theory. Matter-dominated universe $\rightarrow f > 10^{-3}$ Hz, detectable in the future by the gravitational-wave observatory LISA.

