
Sky-position reconstruction abilities for different ET geometries and layouts

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Overview

- Investigate the ability of different ET geometries to reconstruct the sky position
 - Assume LV detectors exist with (enhanced) advanced configuration
 - Using ET's in different locations, lengths, L-shape, triangle, ...
 - Using a 'signal'
 - Output: area on the sky

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Technical Implementation

- Using self-made code: pyET.py
 - Can choose noise curve (LIGO-I, advanced, ETB,ETC)
 - Can define any detector with any arm directions, lengths and location
 - Can create a 'network' of detectors
 - Calculates the SNR of a signal (VIR-027A-09):

$$\rho = 1.56 \times 10^{-19} \left(\frac{\mathcal{M}}{M_{\odot}} \right)^{5/6} \left(\frac{Mpc}{r} \right) f_{geo} \sqrt{\int_{f_{low}}^{f_{ISCO}} \frac{f^{-7/3}}{S_h(f)} df}$$

- Calculates the time-of-arrival for any network, location, etc
- Uses a finite grid of sky points

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$$\rho = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left(\frac{Mpc}{r} \right) f_{geo} \sqrt{\int_{f_{low}}^{f_{ISCO}} \frac{f^{-7/3}}{S_h(f)} df}$$

- Can calculate time-of-arrival for any network, location, etc
- Use a grid of sky points

Code still needs to be cross checked!
All results preliminary

Detector Network

- Assume LIGO+Virgo online
 - with enhanced advanced configuration
 - $f_{\text{low}} = 30 \text{ Hz}$
- Probably advanced detectors running in Japan (J1) (and Australia)
- Different ET geometries: ($f_{\text{low}} = 3 \text{ Hz}$, ET-B noise curve)
 - Δ at Geo-site ($L=10 \text{ km}$)
 - L at Geo site and L in Black Forest ($L=7.5 \text{ km}$)
 - L at Geo site and L in Hungary ($L=7.5 \text{ km}$)

Detector Network

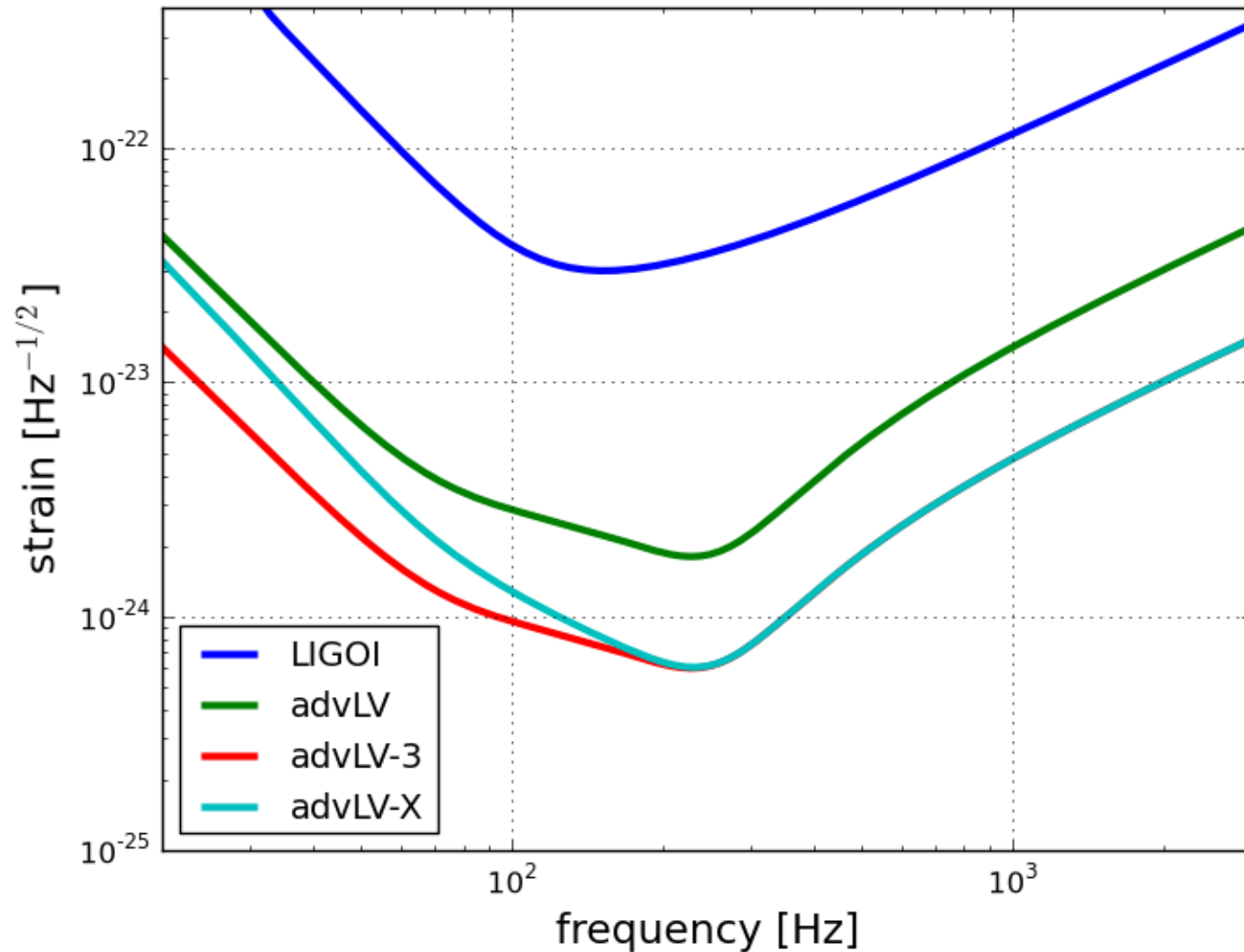
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Signal parameters

- **Masses:** 1.4, 10.0, 50.0 M_{\odot}
 - **Sky location:** random location on the sky
 - **Source parameters:** random orientation and inclination
 - **Distance:** 100 Mpc
- this gives a list of “*observed quantities*”

Observed quantities

- Select a detector network with a noise PSD
- Select a signal with parameters (as described before)

→ “Observed quantities”: (*masses assumed to be known*)

- ◆ SNR inclusively the error $\Delta\rho = 1 + 1\% \times \rho$
 - Intrinsic error
 - Calibration error
- ◆ Time-delays of the signal between the detectors
- ◆ Error on the time delay:

- ◆ Given the SNR and its error: calculate maximum SNR mismatch

$$q = \frac{\rho - \Delta\rho}{\rho + \Delta\rho}$$

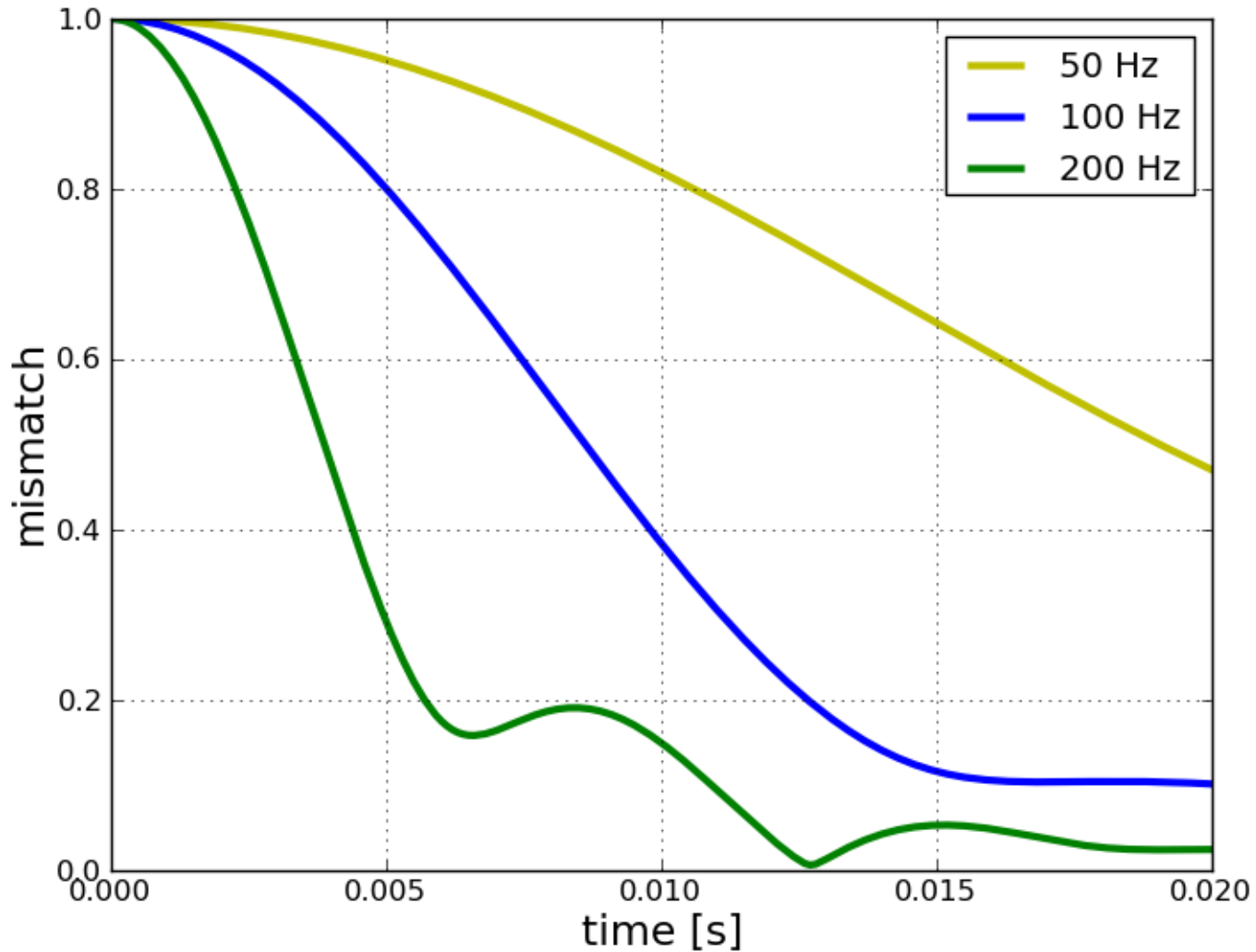
- ◆ Calculate mismatch by introducing a time-shift:

$$\rho_c(t) = \int_{f_{low}}^{f_{ISCO}} df \cos(2\pi ft) \frac{f^{-7/3}}{S_n(|f|)} \quad \rho = \sqrt{(\rho_c^2 + \rho_s^2)}$$

- ◆ Find the time t at which $\rho_c(t) \equiv q$

Observed quantities

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- "Ok"
- ◆
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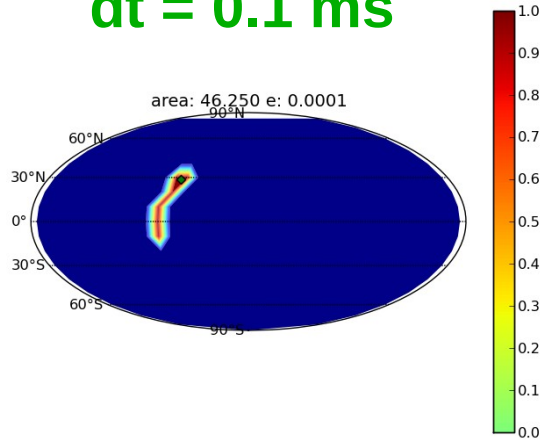
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Sky Location procedure

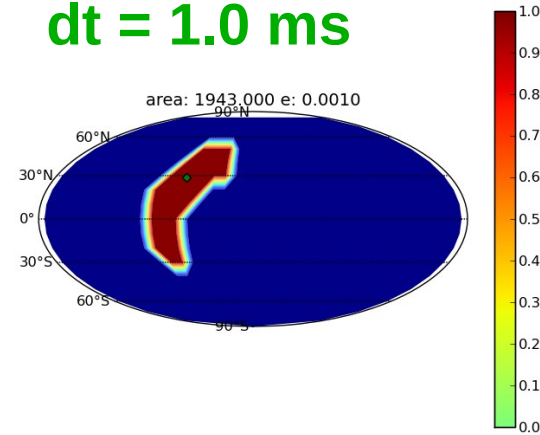
- Divide the sky in equal-sized areas (SkyPoints)
- For a given signal/network/noise:
 - Reject any SkyPoint inconsistent with the **timing of the arrival time of the signal** (allowing 2 sigma error)
 - Keep only the remaining points which contain the true location with 90%, **as deduced from the SNR values.**

Effect on the timing error

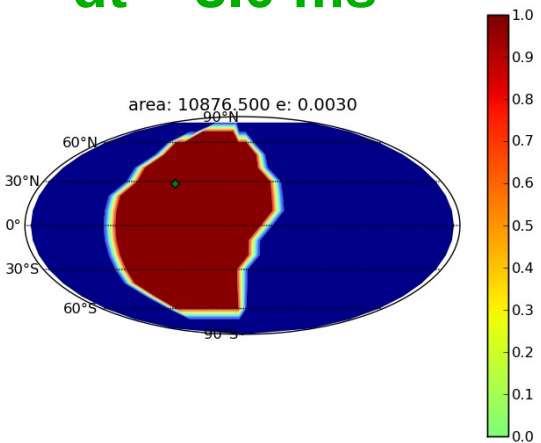
dt = 0.1 ms



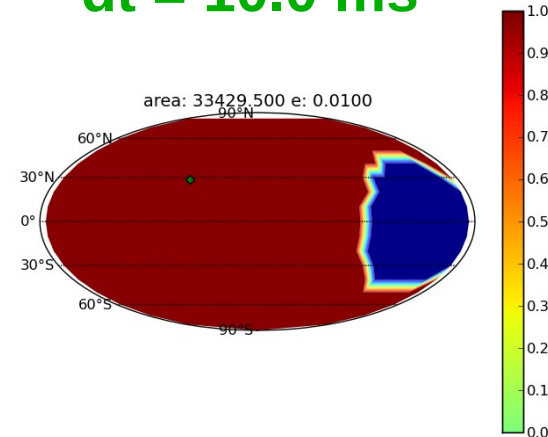
dt = 1.0 ms



dt = 3.0 ms



dt = 10.0 ms



Using the amplitude

- Assumption: **Masses known** (i.e. template-bank)
- Unknown: Distance, sky location, source orientation
- Take the SNRs of two detectors: $t = \frac{\rho_1^2 - \rho_2^2}{\rho_1^2 + \rho_2^2}$
→ **Quantity independent of distance**
- SNR depends on antenna factors: $\rho^2 = \frac{\sigma^2}{D_{\text{eff}}^2} = \frac{\sigma^2}{r^2} (F_+^2 H_+^2 + F_\times^2 H_\times^2)$
- Choose fixed sky location (SkyGrid), do some maths:

$$\psi = \frac{1}{4} (-\arcsin(vu) - \phi)$$

polarization

depends on inclination

depends on t

Find the range of iota for which a solution exists

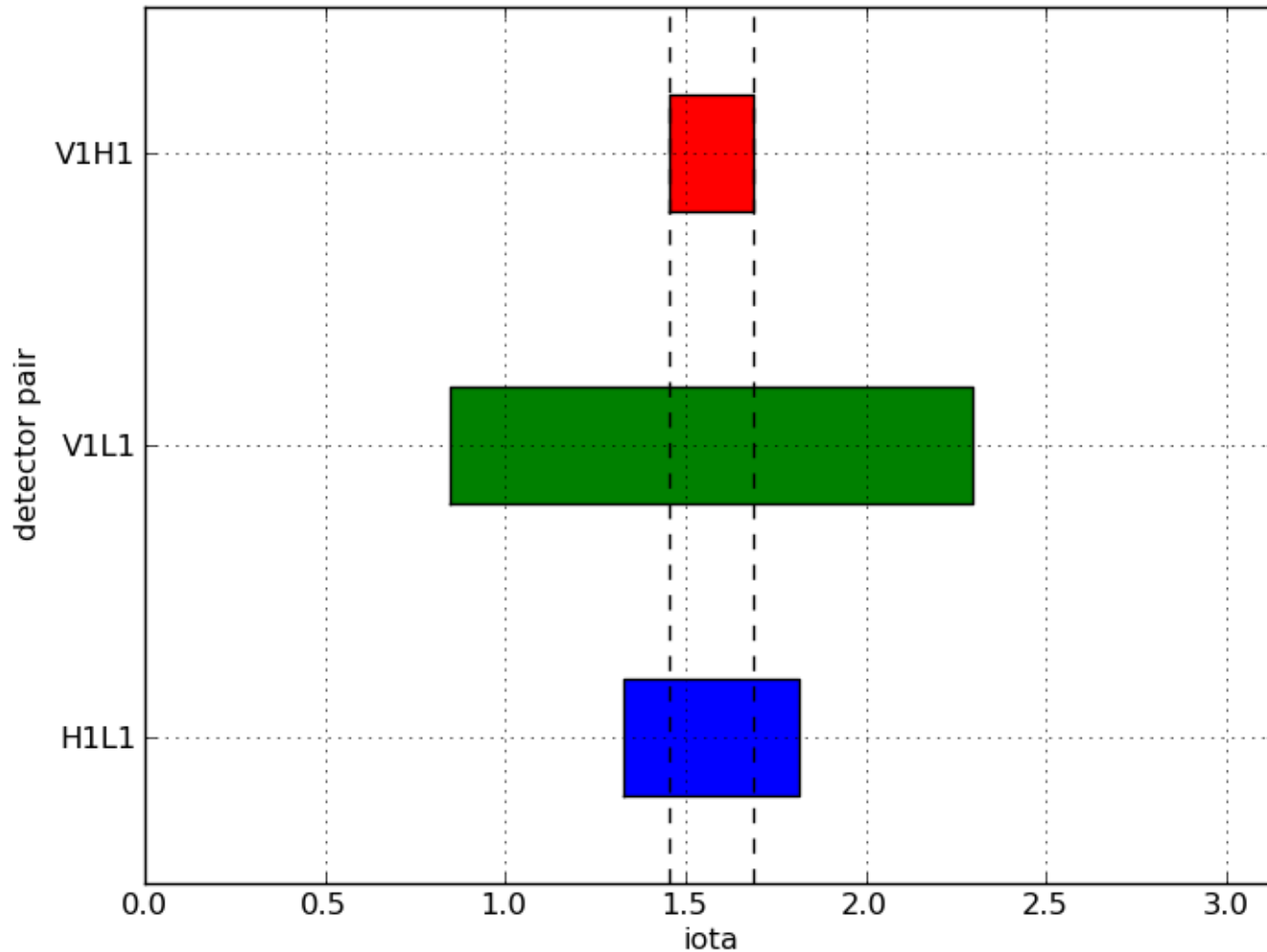
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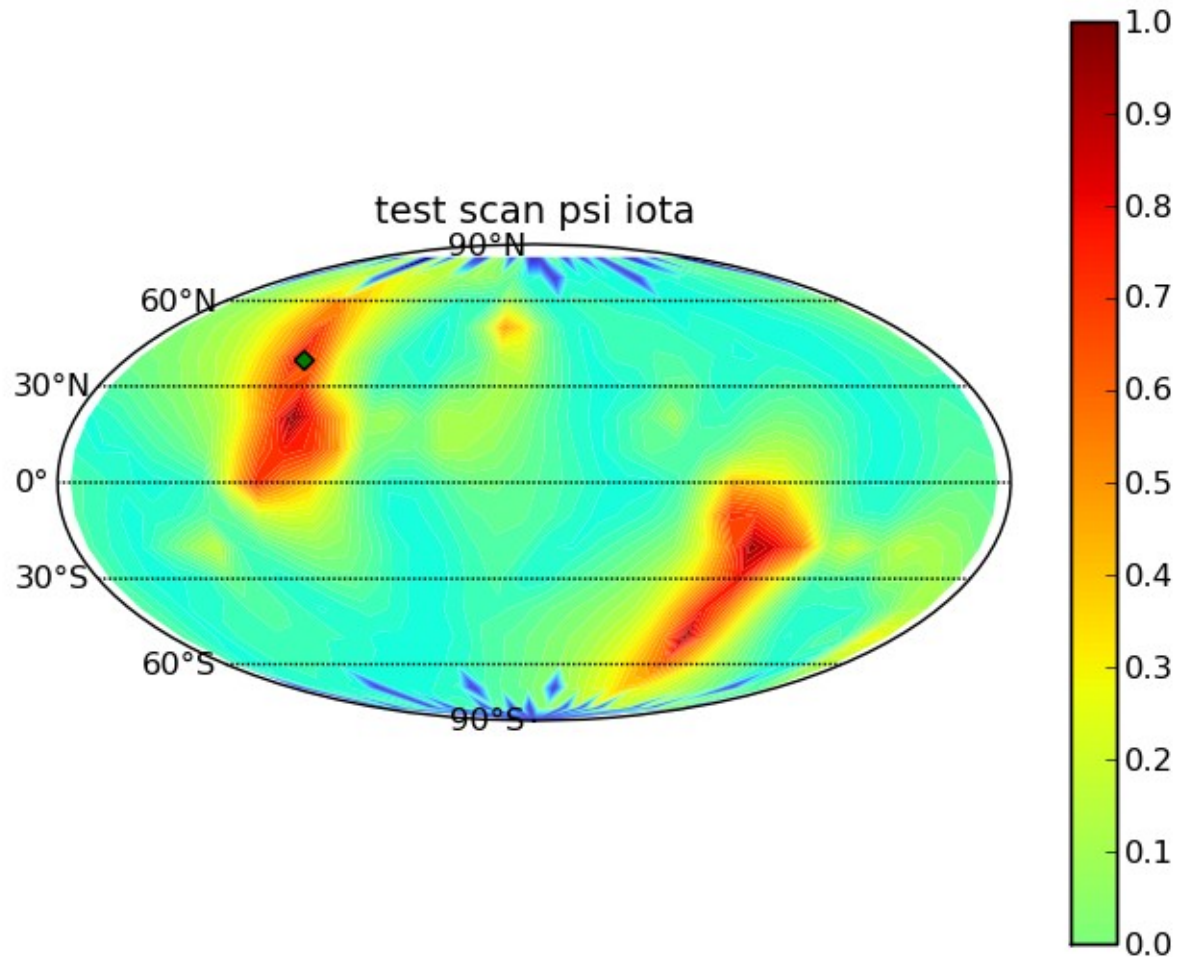
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Example:

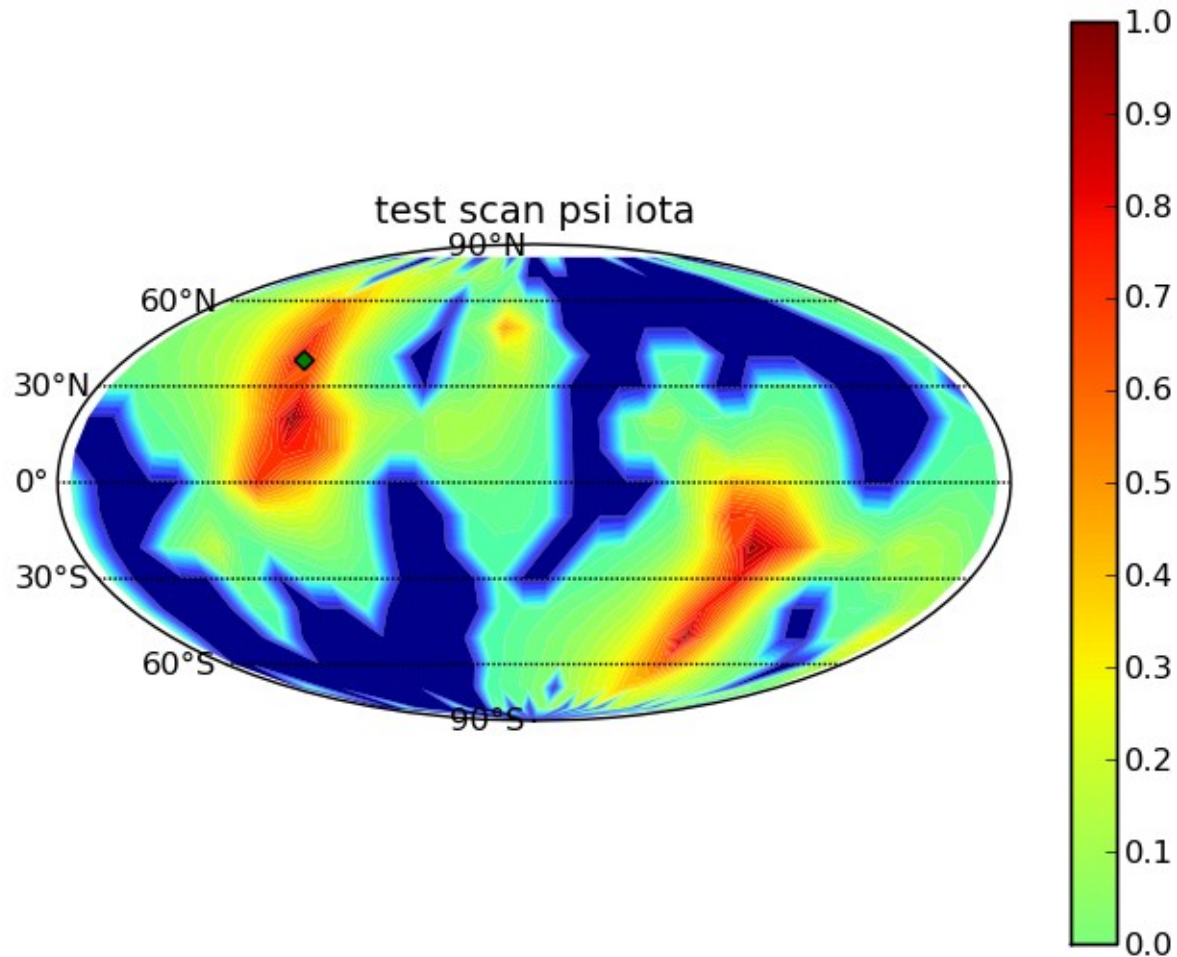
$ra=3.85$ $de=0.35$



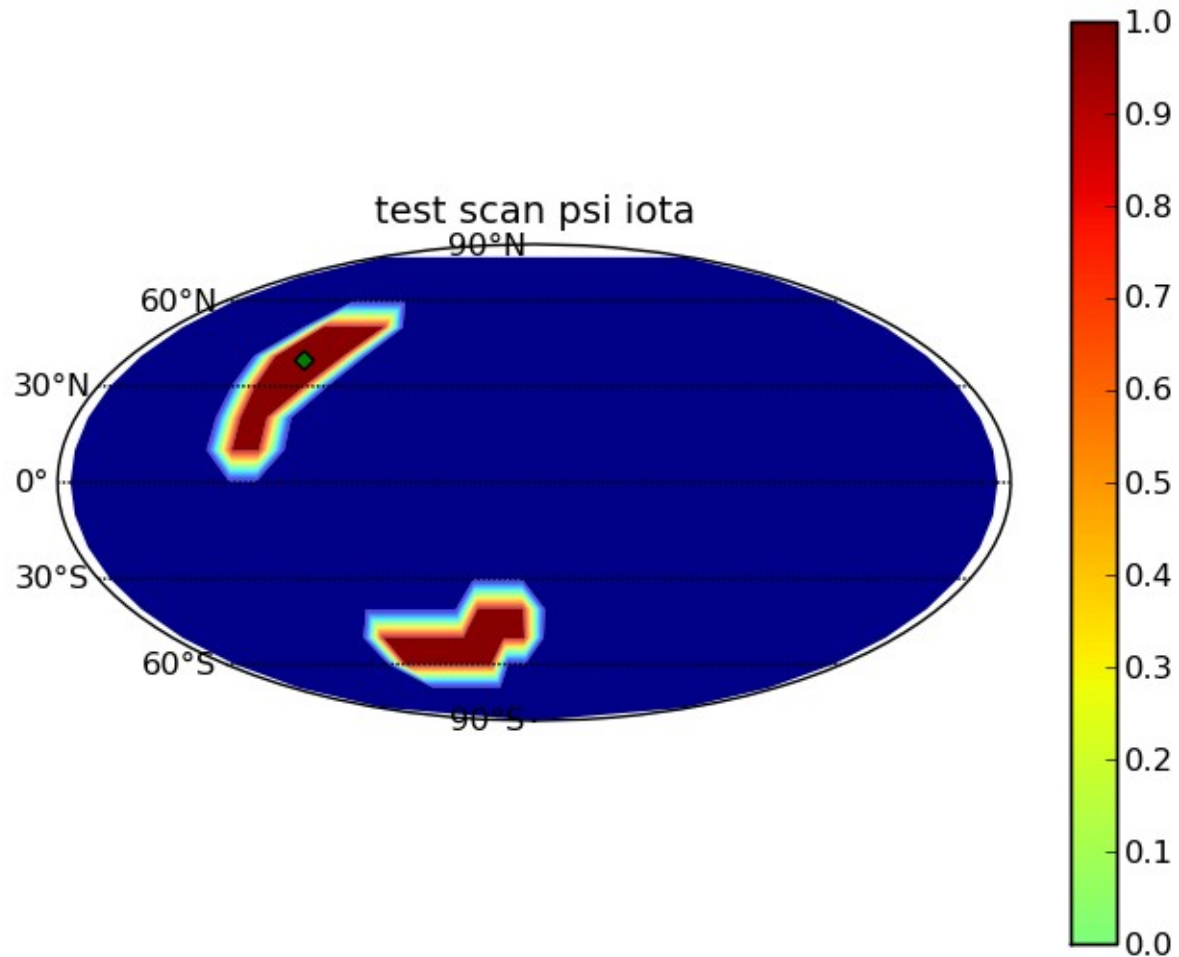
Example: Iota segment whole sky



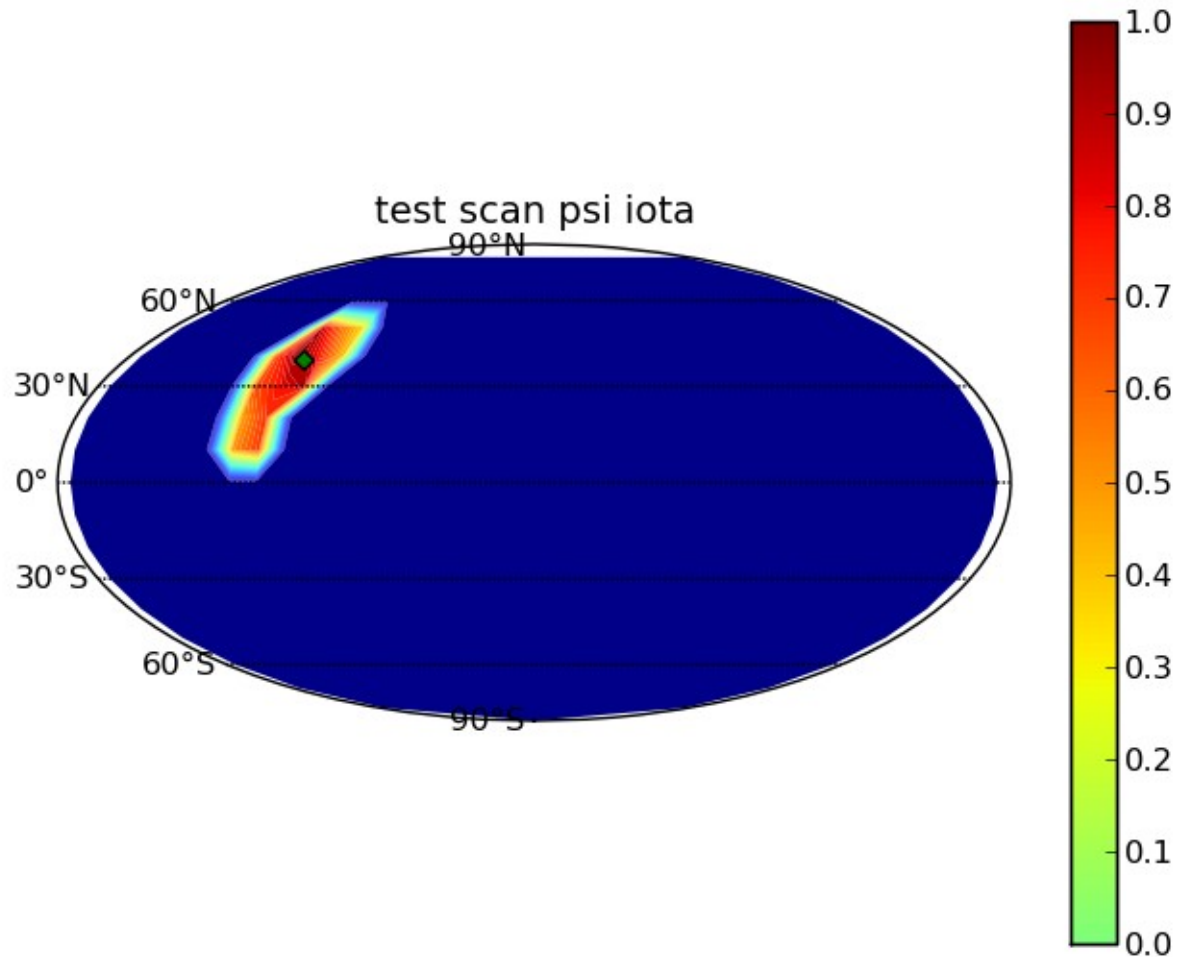
Example: iota segment $> 90\%$



Example: Only Timing



Example: Timing+amplitude



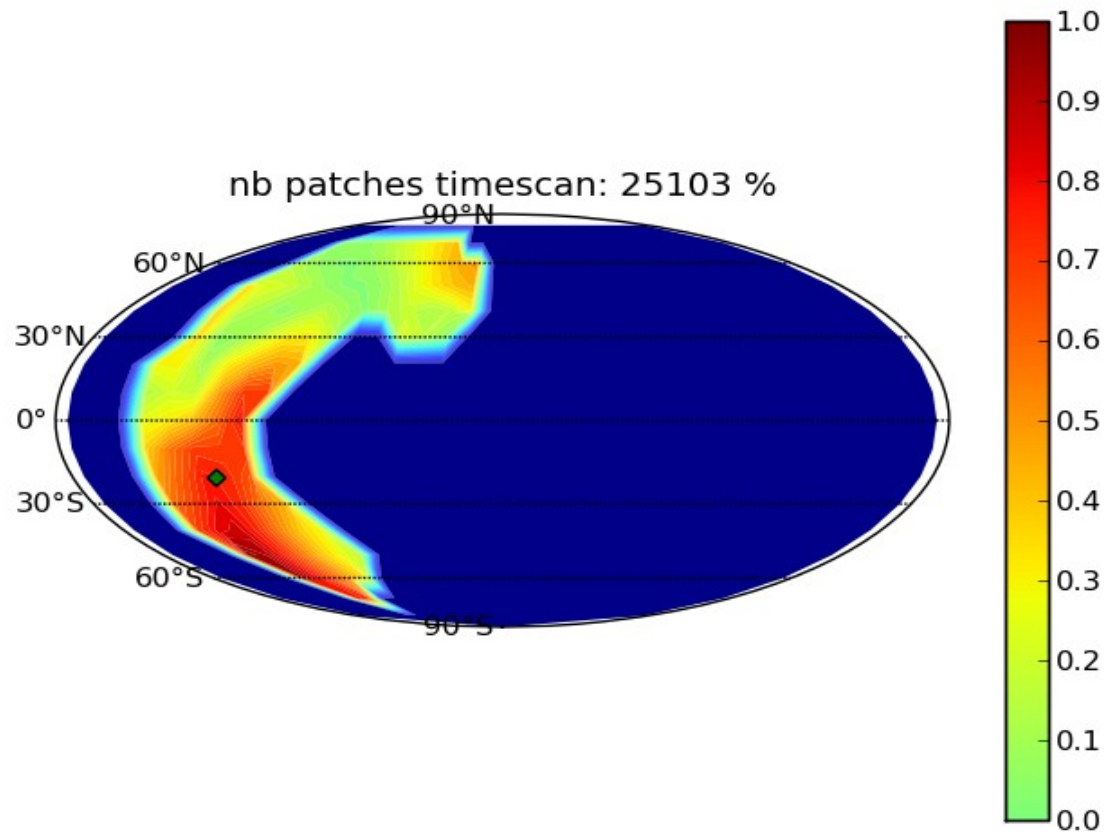
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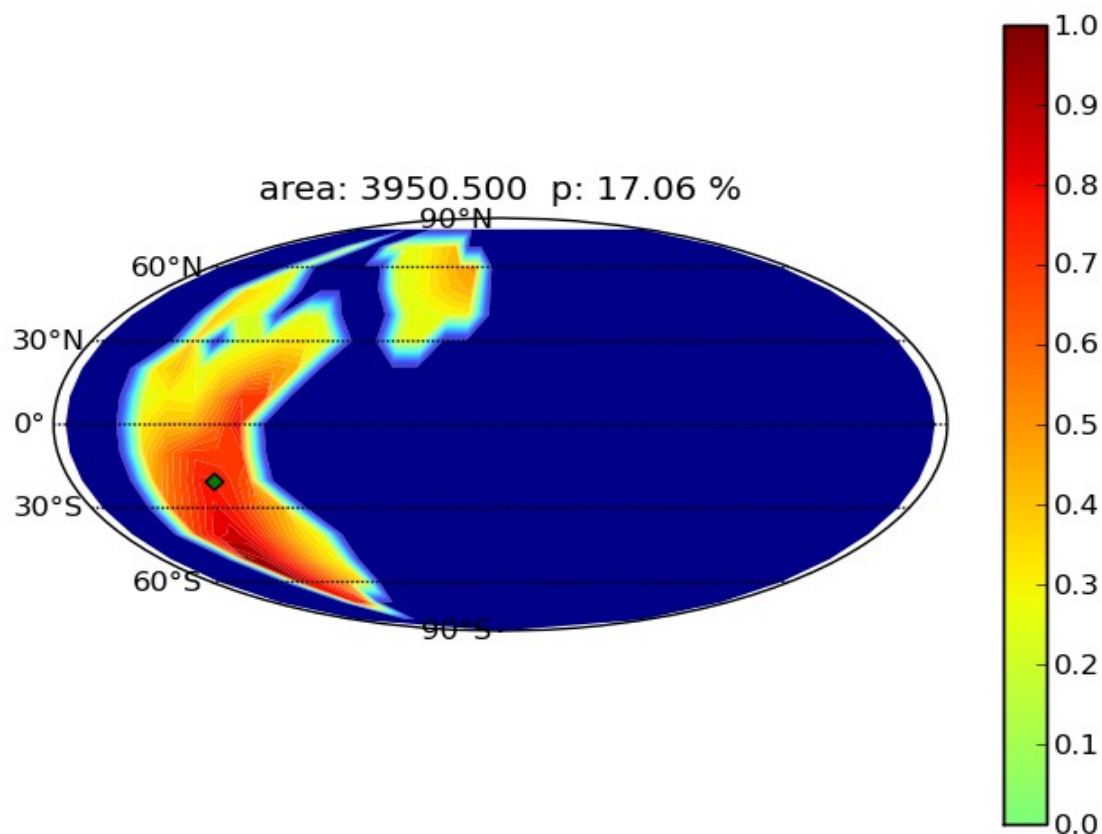
Testing the method: SW injections

- Using MBTA software injections from S6
- All data in a text file
- Using **reconstructed** masses and end-time
- **Correcting** end-time to fixed frequency

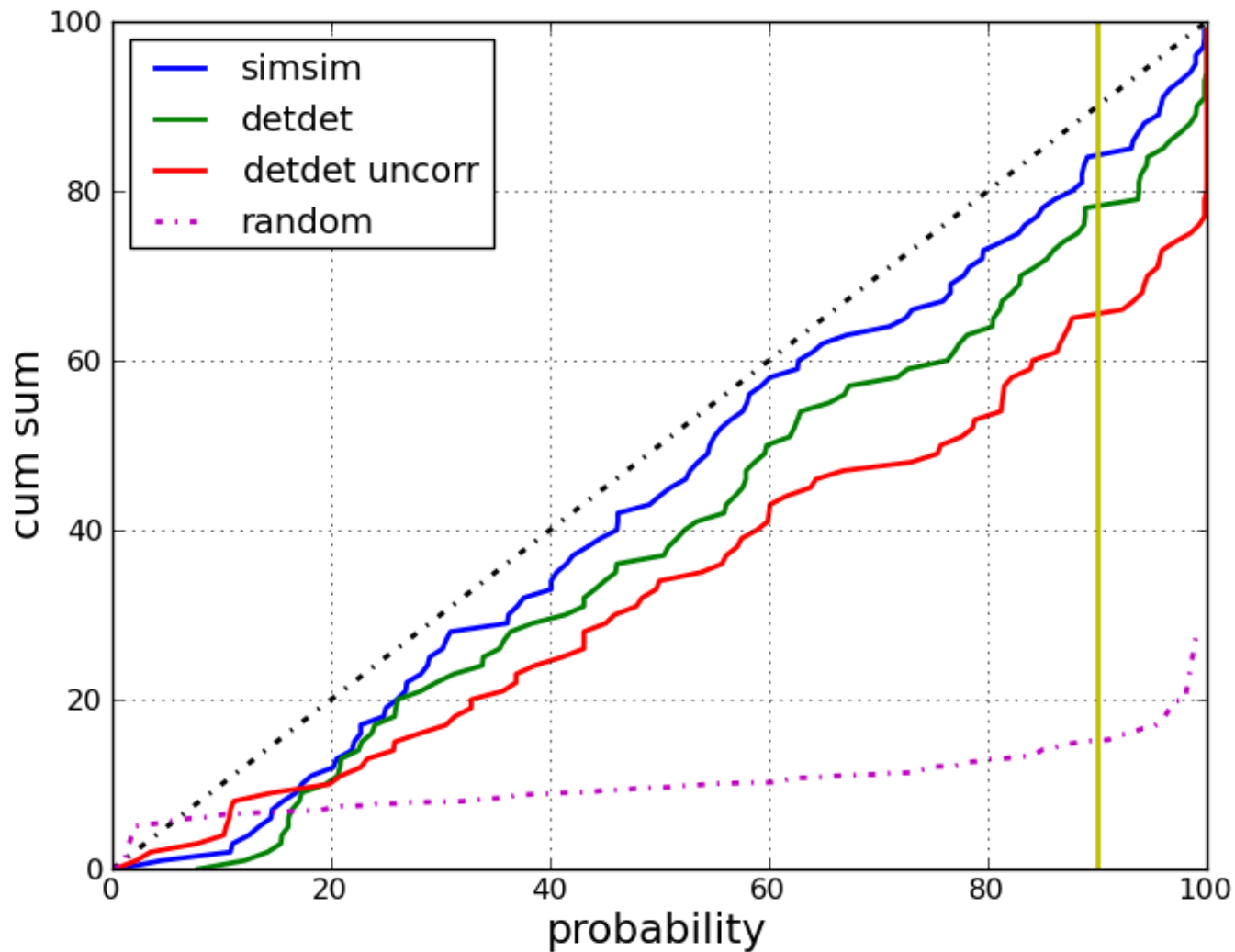
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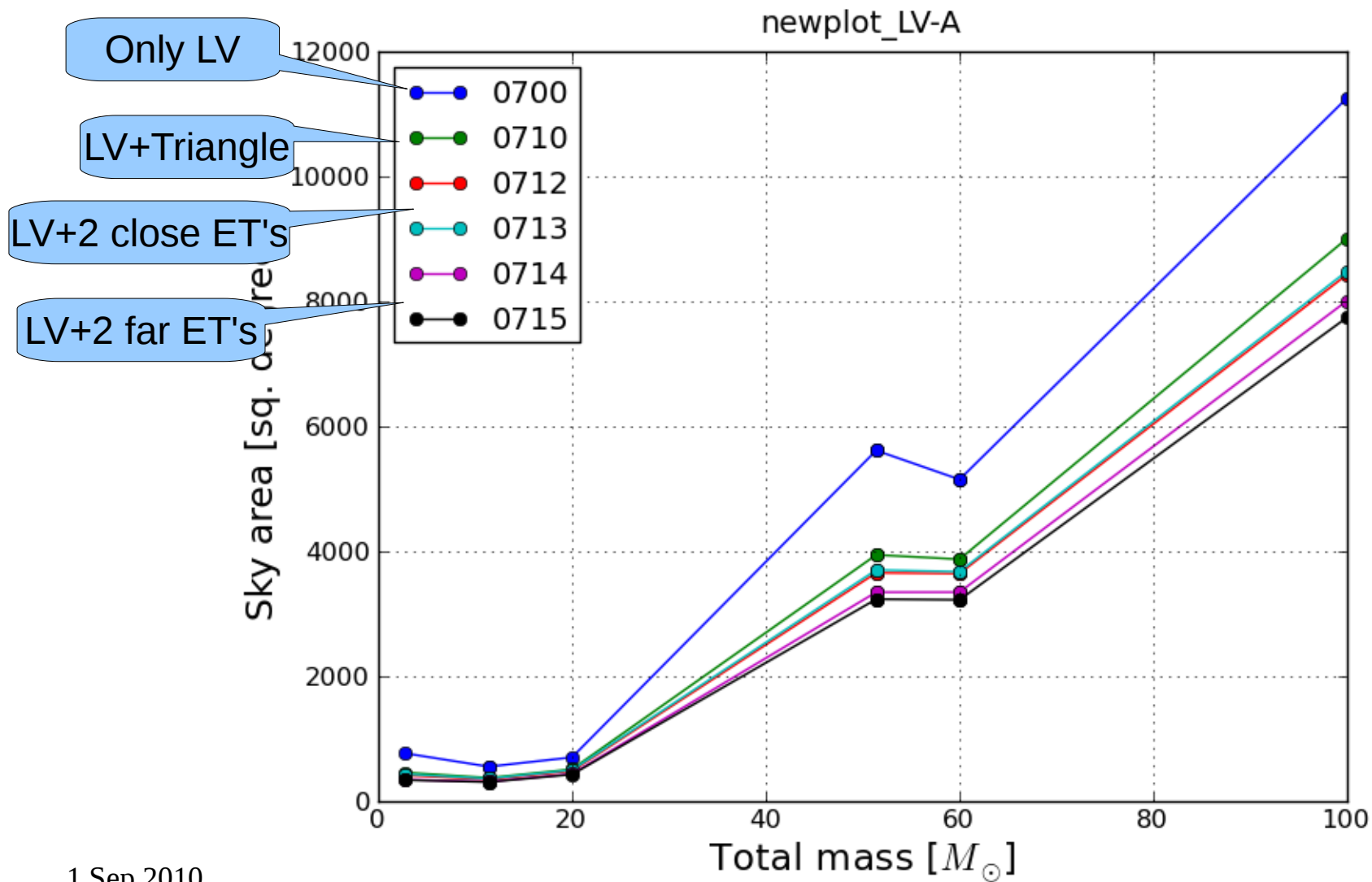
Example: Timing & Amplitude



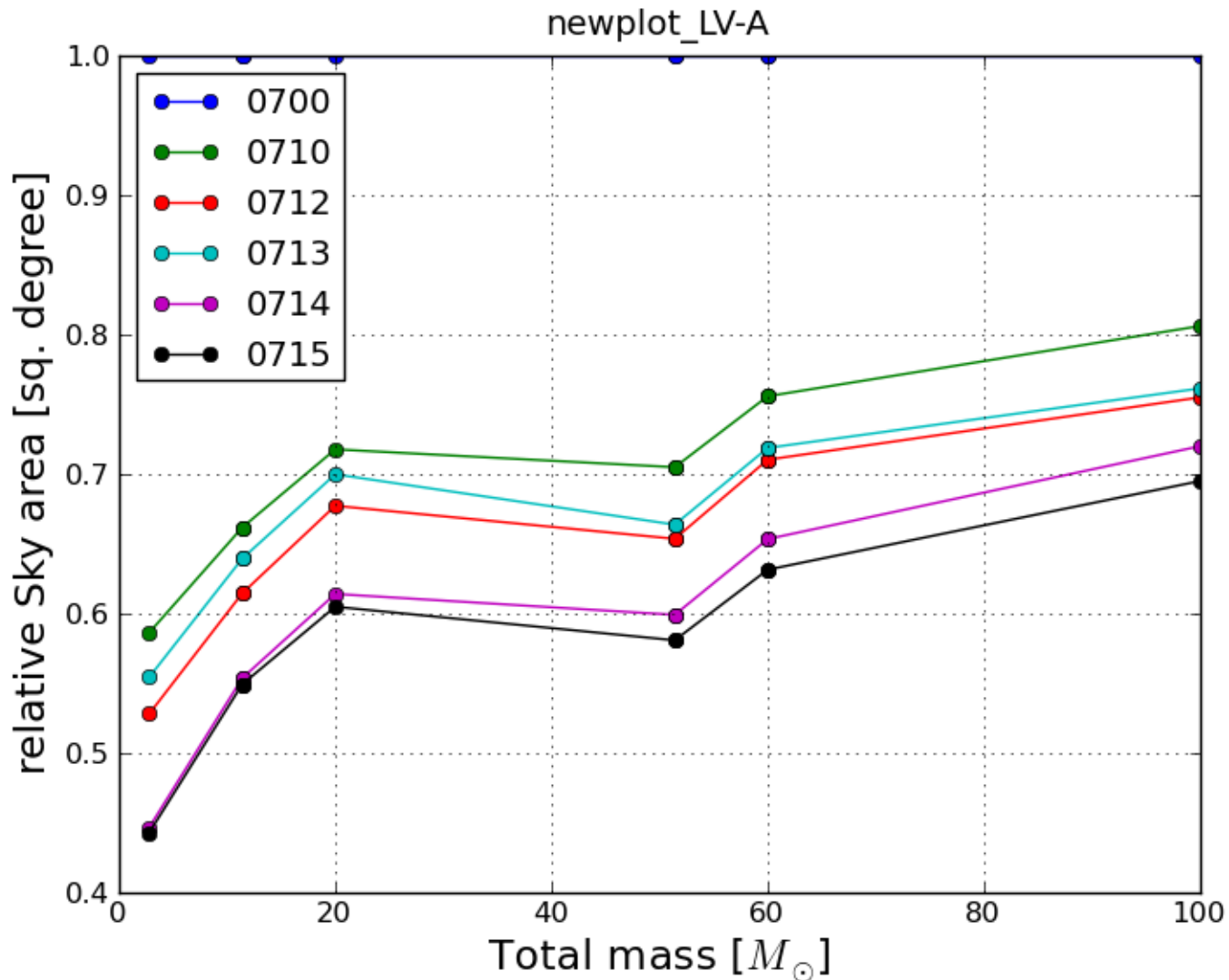
Summary of 100 trials



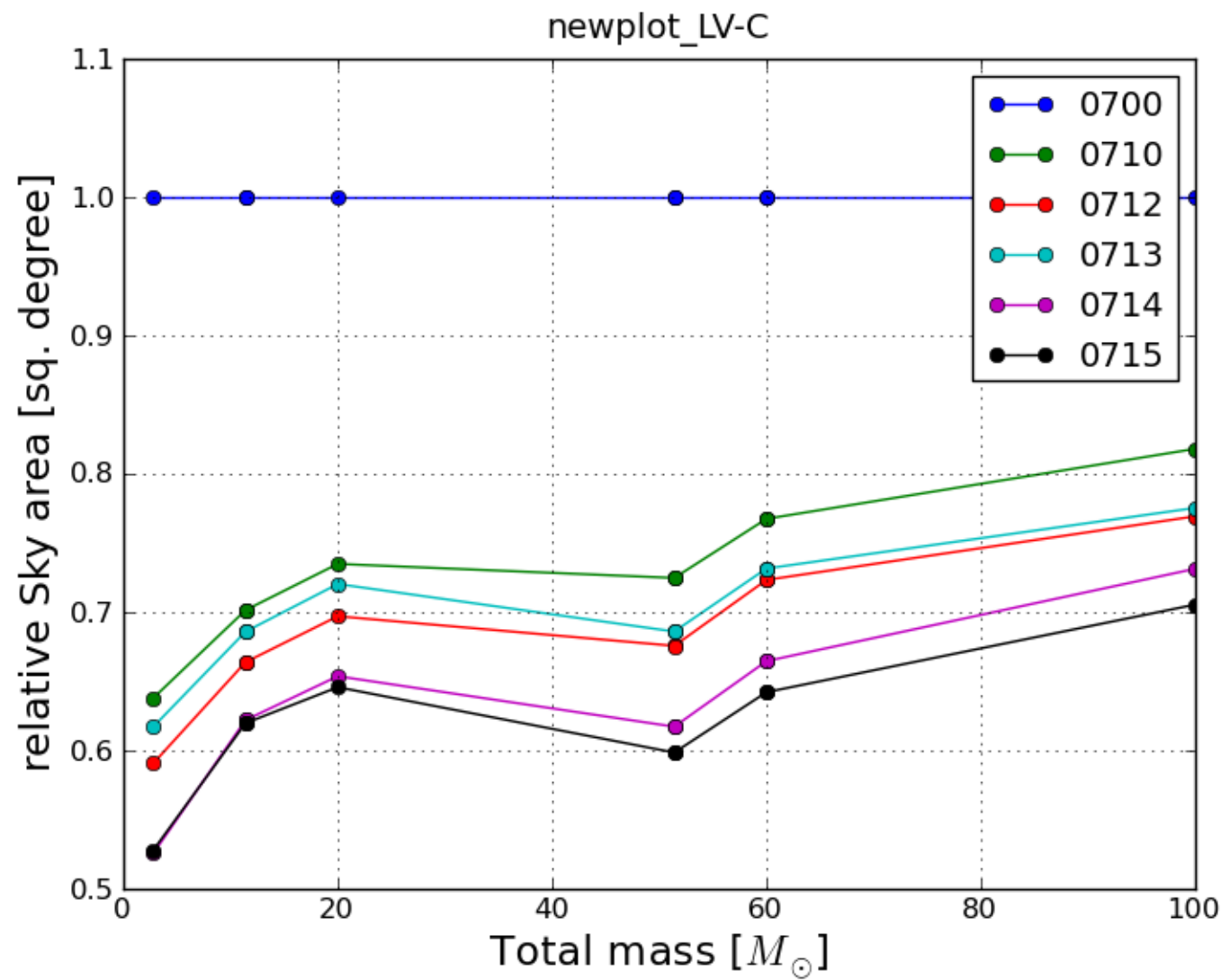
Area of LV network + ET



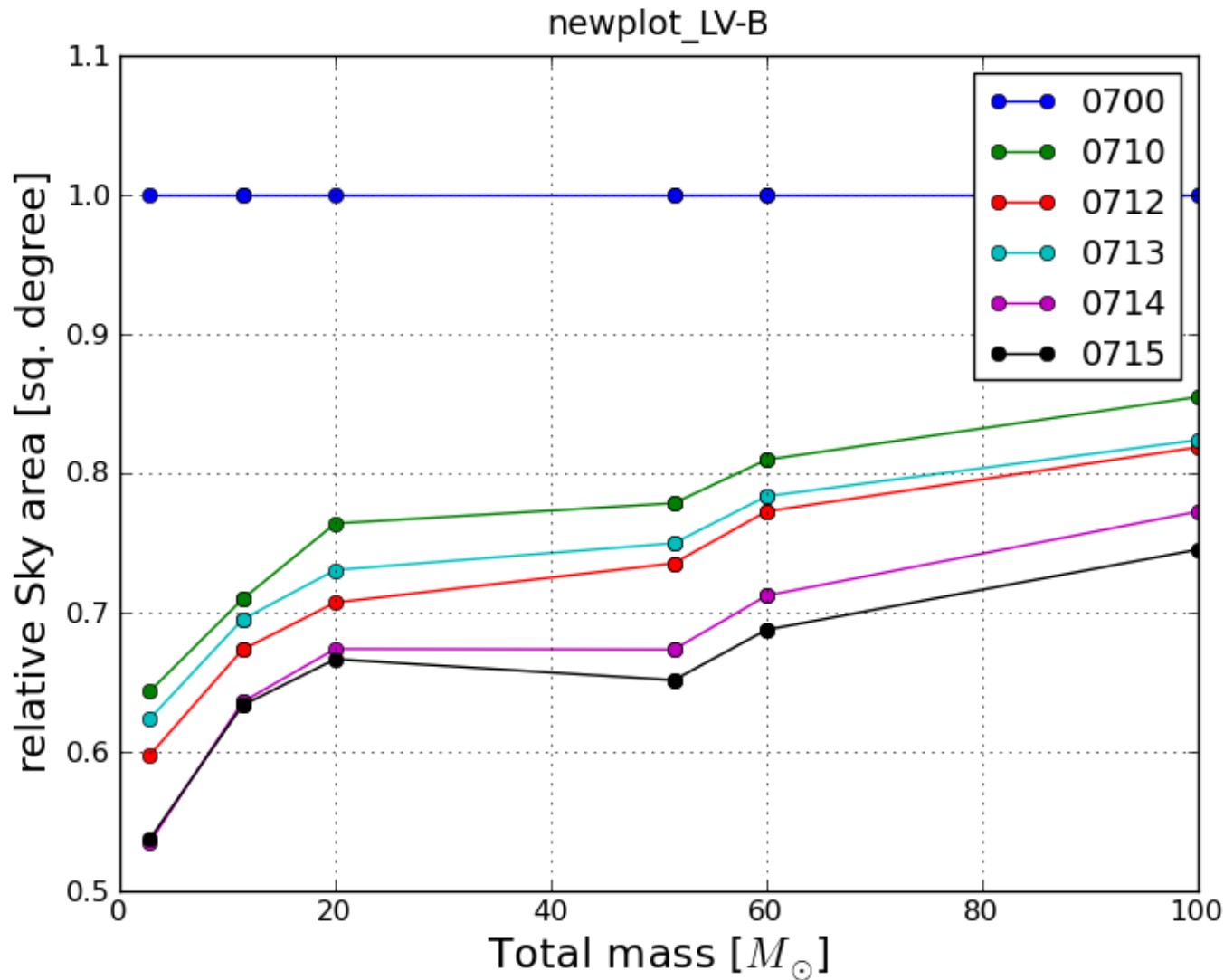
Relative area of LV + ET (advLV)



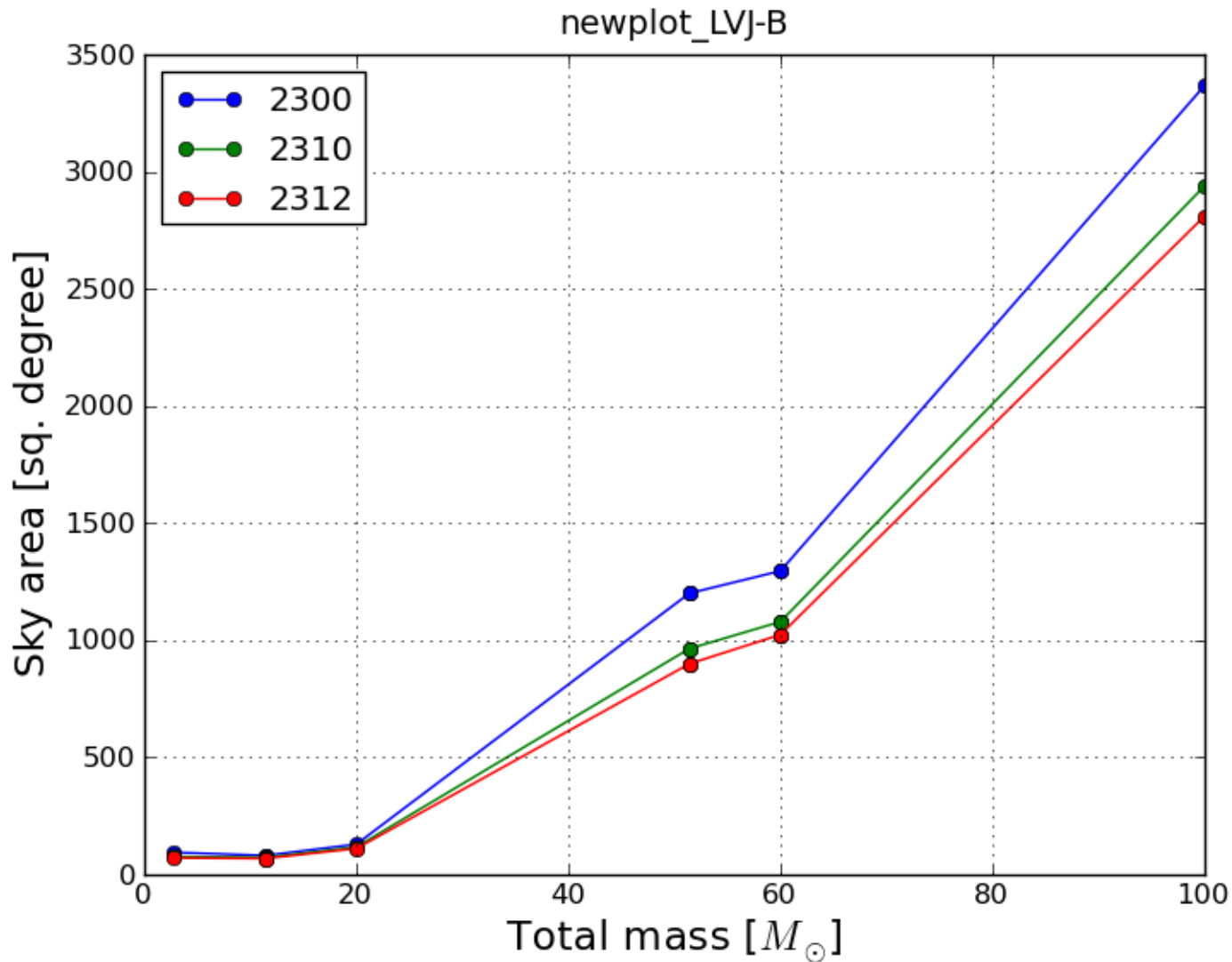
Relative area of LV + ET (advLV-X)



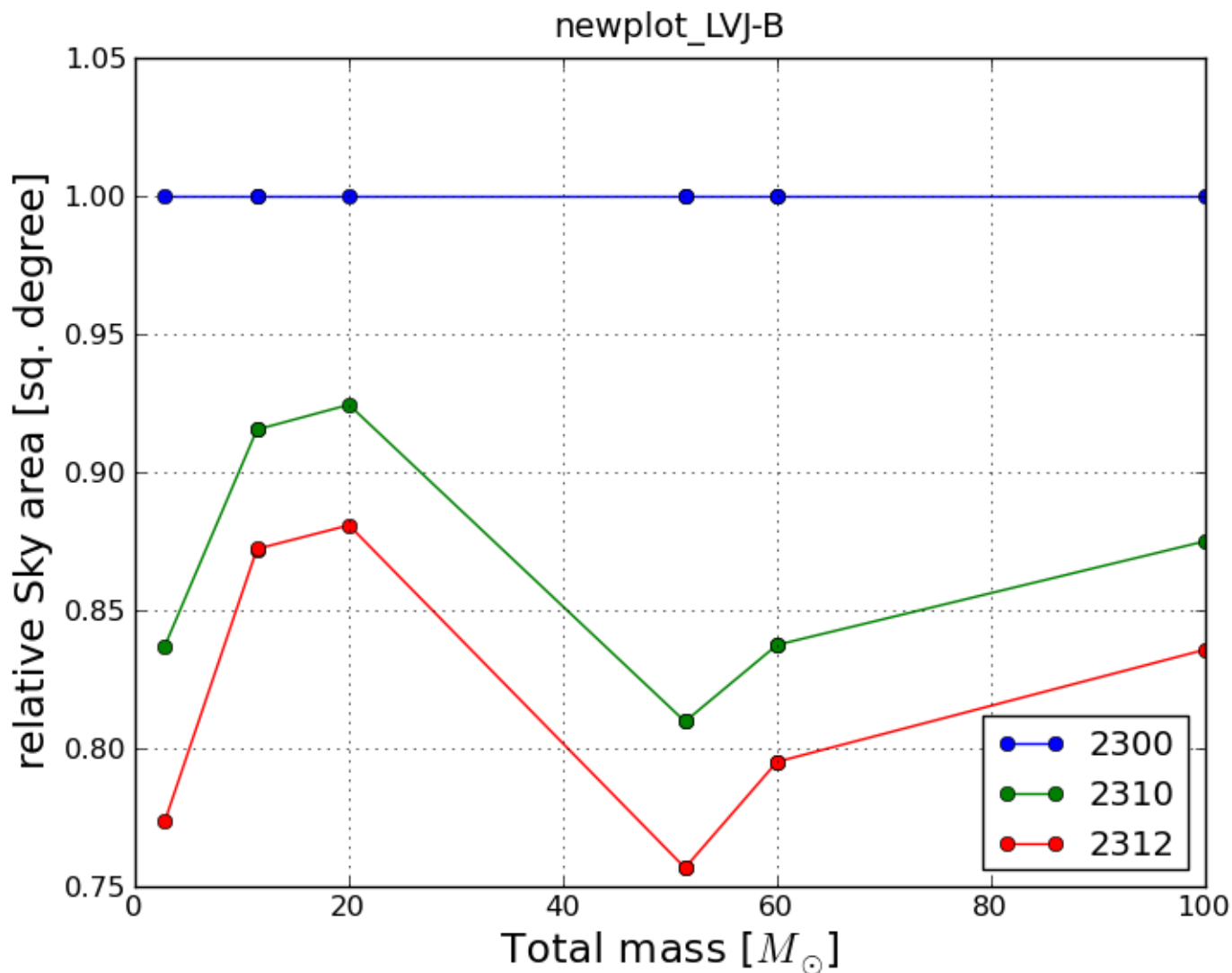
Relative area of LV + ET (advLV-3)



Relative area of LVJ + ET (advLV-X)



Relative area of LVJ + ET (advLV-X)



Conclusion

- When running (enhanced) advanced LV detectors:
 - Localization capabilities **does not improve significantly** (0.5-0.9 reduction of area)
 - Area reduction seems best for **small masses**.
 - Two L-instruments farther away slightly better than one Triangle instrument
 - Rotation of the two L's: **insignificant**
- Not taken into account:
 - Duty factor with ET as additional detector.
 - Observation time with 3/4 detectors.
 - Rotation of earth

Outlook

- *Verify the code and algorithms*
- Compare with **ET-C noise curve** (i.e. Xylophone)
- Investigate behavior for **high mass systems**
- Include rotation of earth (A 10/10 source will be in band for 20 minutes for $f=3$ Hz).
- Double check the results with MC methods